

One-Face Shortest Disjoint Paths with a Deviation Terminal

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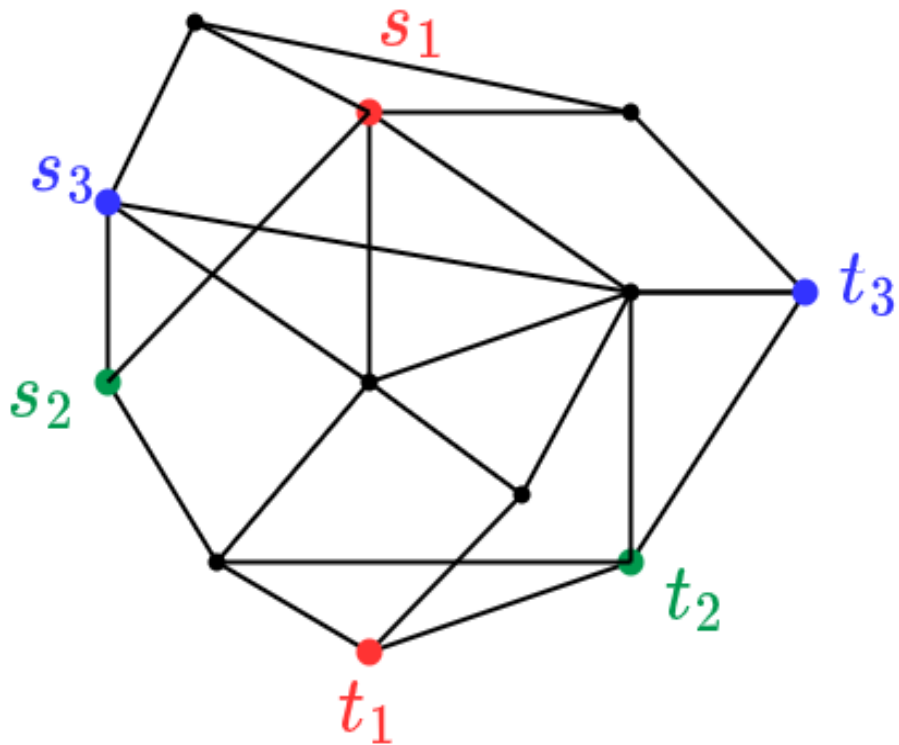
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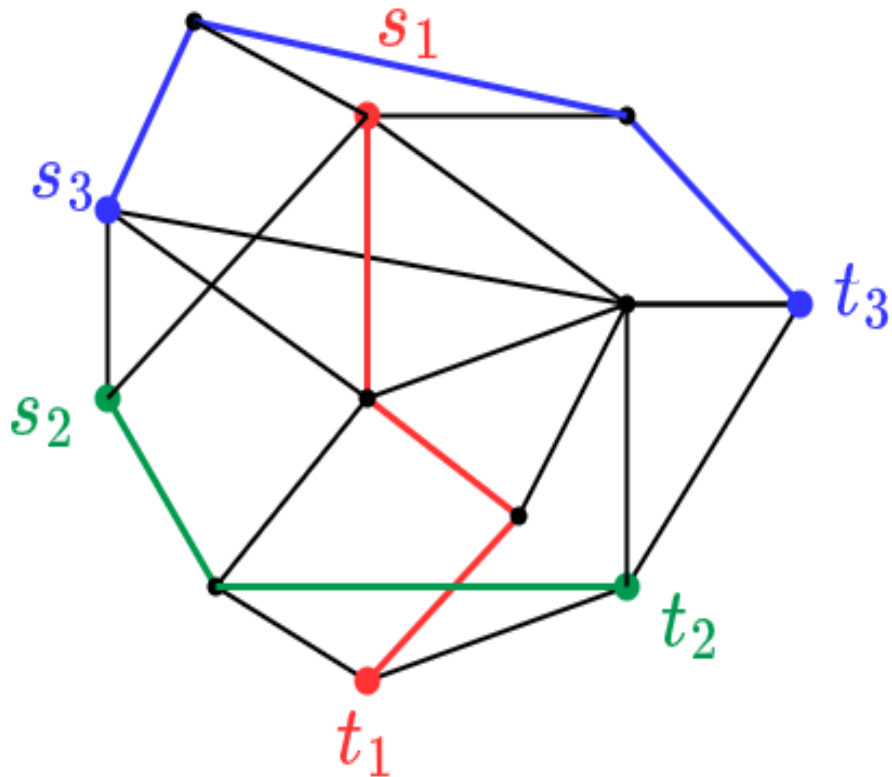
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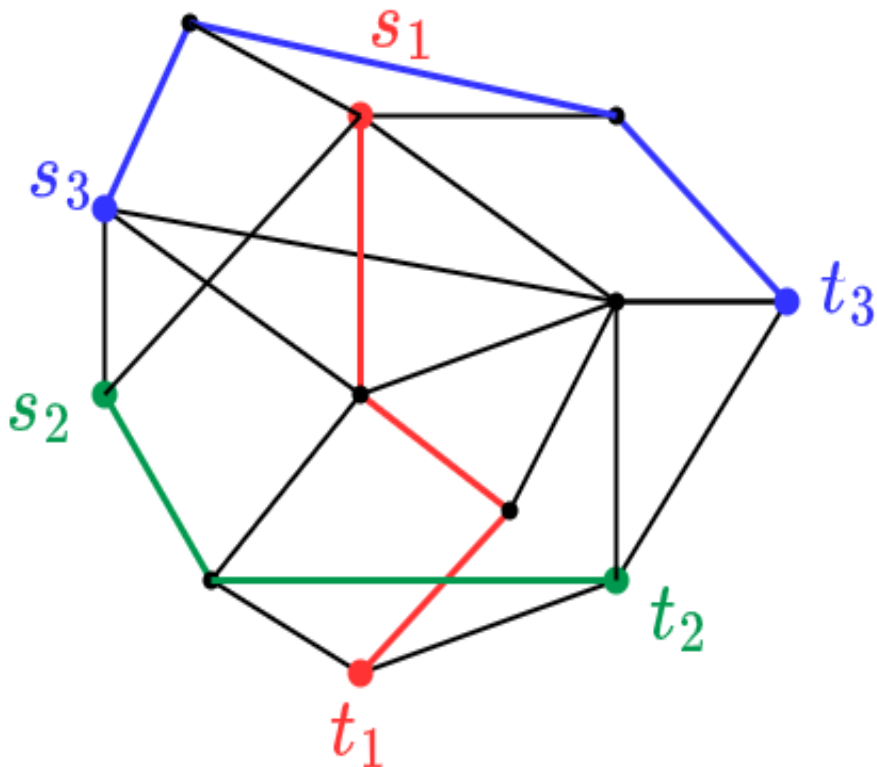


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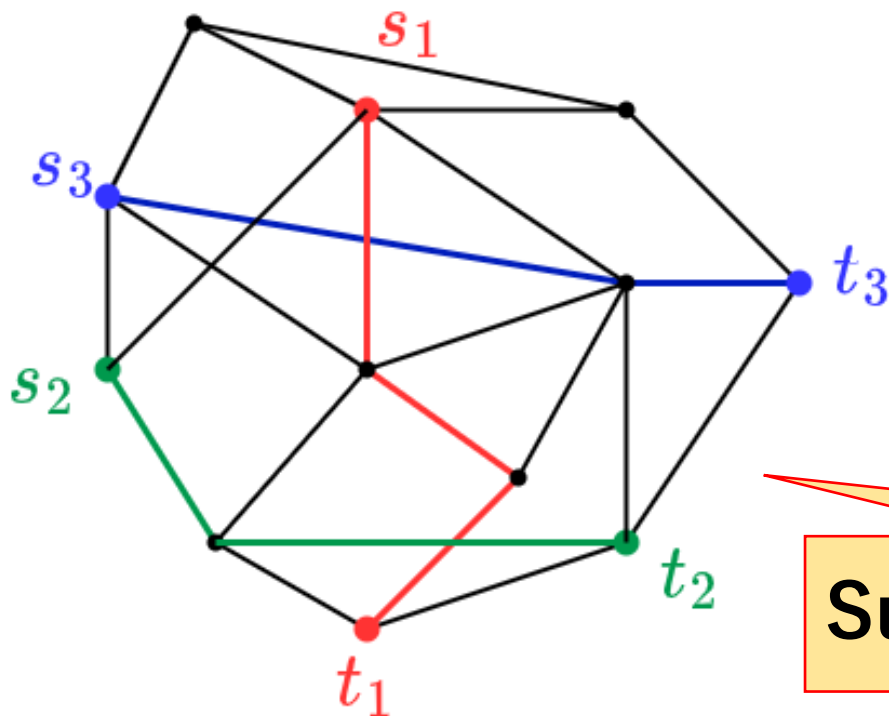
	Directed	Undirected
k : fixed	NP-hard (Fortune et al. 1980)	Polytime (Robertson & Seymour 1995)
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- natural optimization version
- k : fixed , undirected

polynomial solvability is widely open

Sum of their length: $3 + 2 + 2 = 7$

Polynomially solvable cases (1)

- $k = 2$: **Randomized Polytime** algorithm

(Björklund & Husfeldt 2014)

Permanent modulo 4

- $k = 2$, cubic, planar : **Deterministic Polytime** algorithm

(Björklund & Husfeldt 2018)

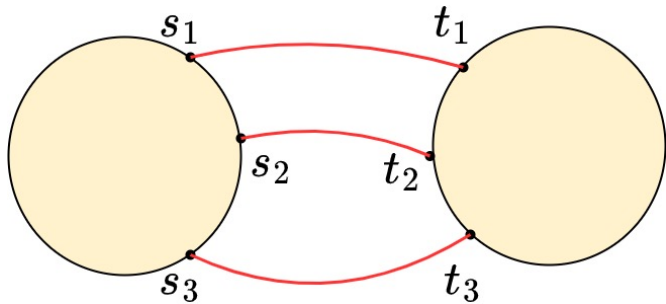
Pfaffian

Idea : algebraic approach via polynomial matrix

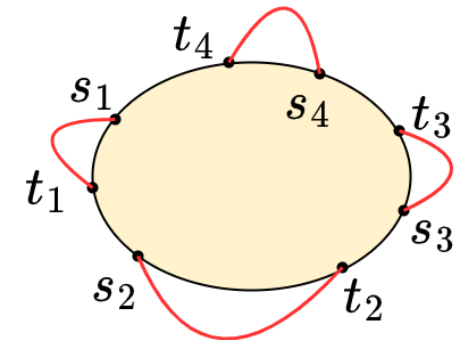
Polynomially solvable cases (2)

planar graph, terminals satisfy certain conditions

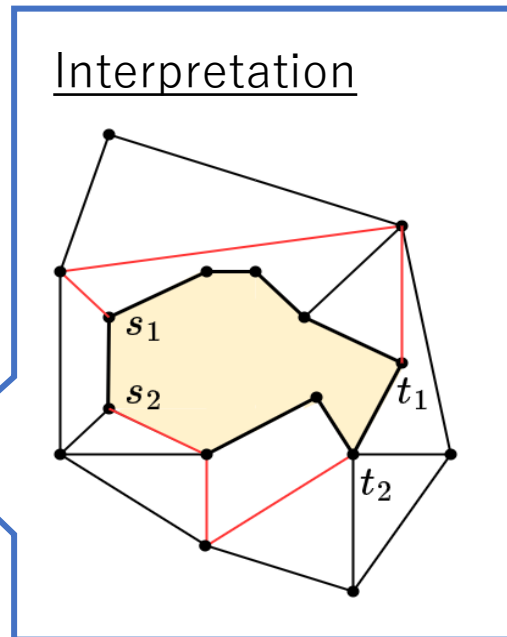
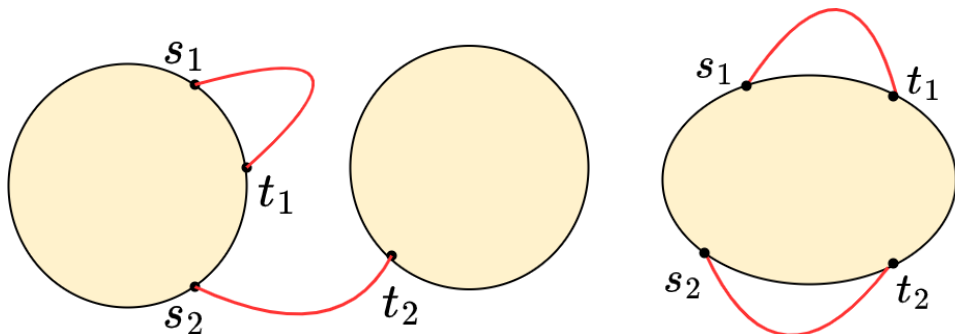
- s_1, \dots, s_k are on one face and t_1, \dots, t_k are on another face
(Colin de Verdière & Schrijver, 2011)



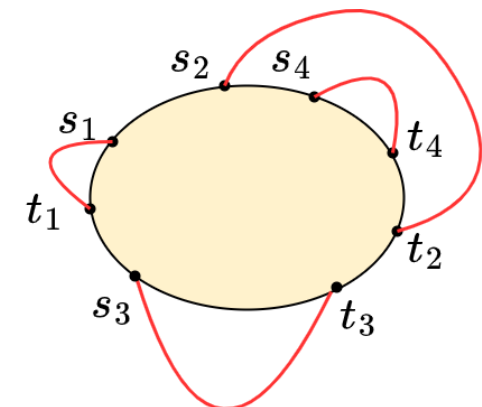
- $s_1, t_1, \dots, s_k, t_k$ are on one face in this order
(Borradi et al. 2015)



- $k = 2$, terminals are on at most 2 faces
(Kobayashi & Sommer, 2010)



- all the terminals are on one face
(Datta et al. 2018)



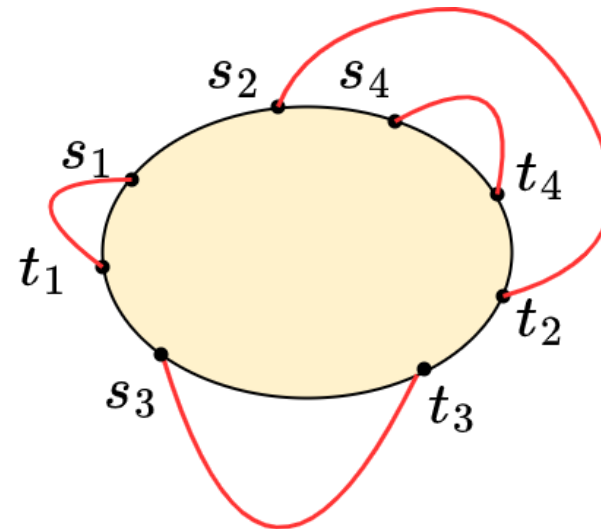
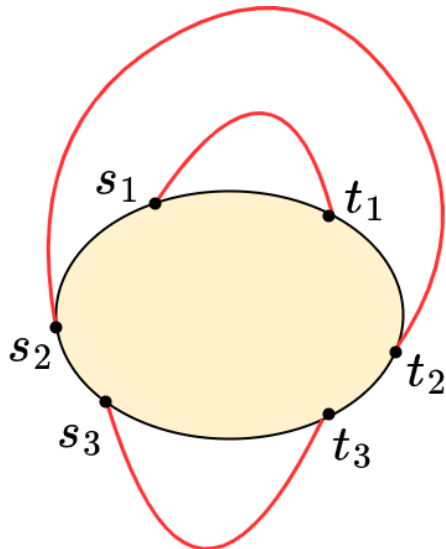
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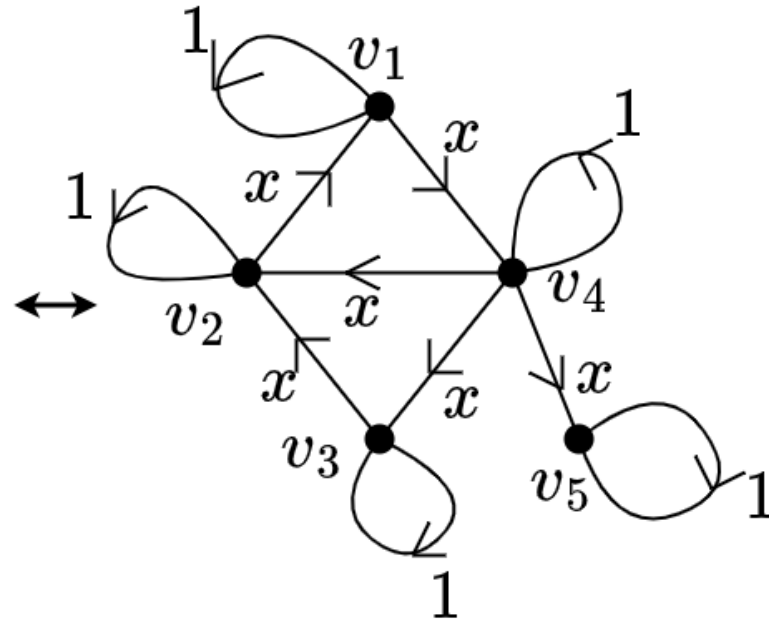
Algorithm for One-Face Shortest Disjoint Paths

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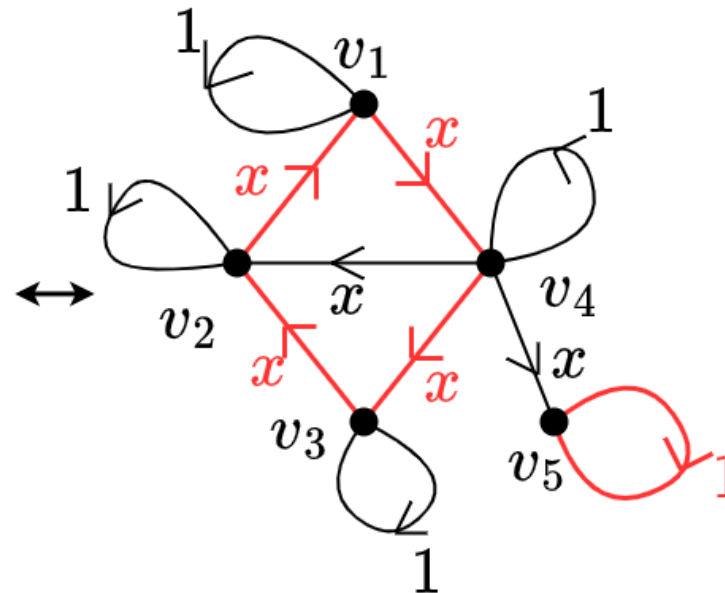
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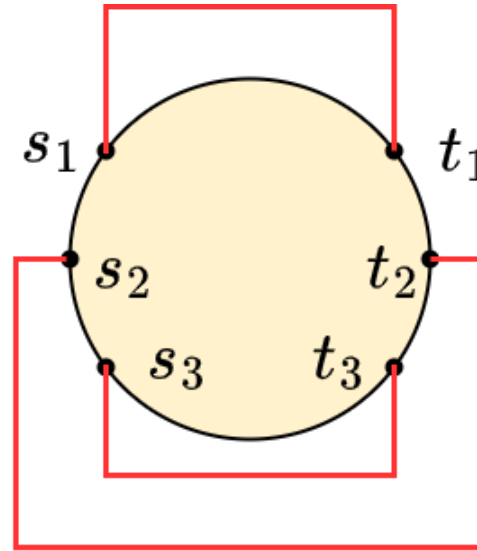
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$$\det A[x] = -x^4 + \dots$$

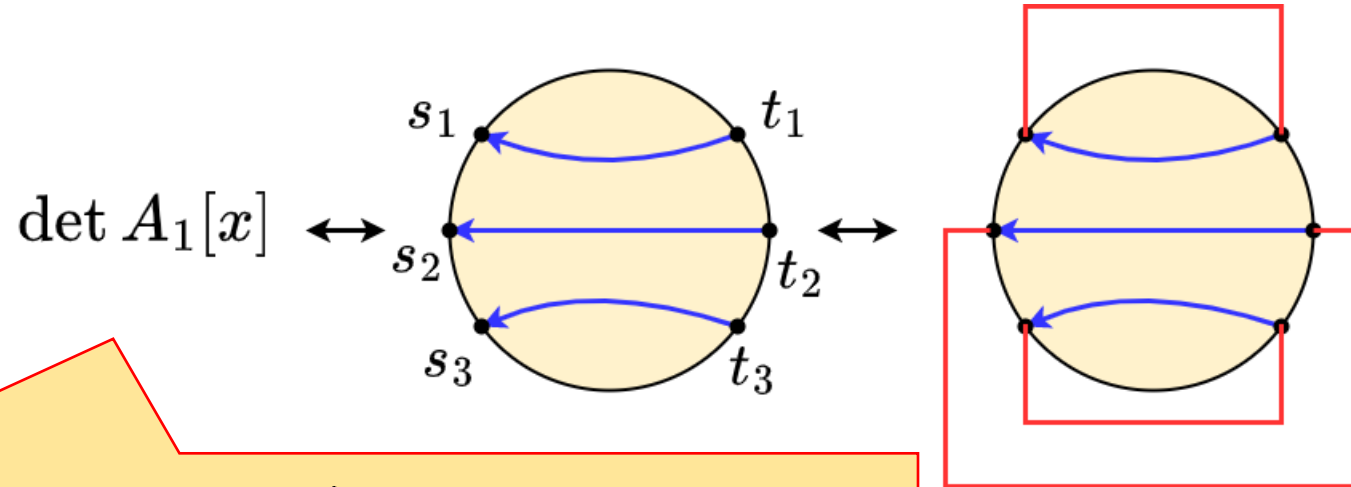
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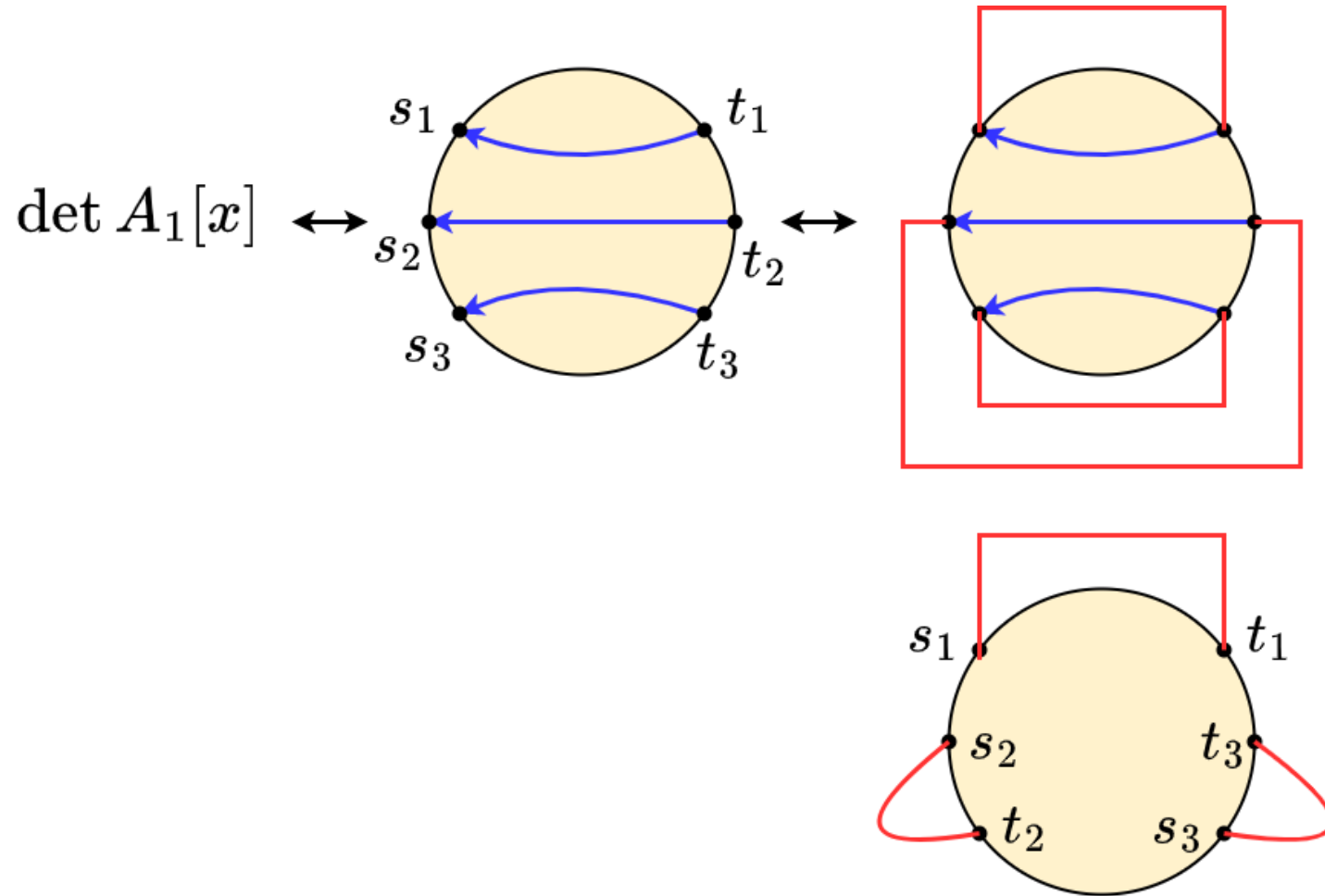
Ex. If $\det = 3x^5 + 4x^7 + \dots$

- #(disjoint paths of total length 5) = 3
- #(disjoint paths of total length 7) = 4

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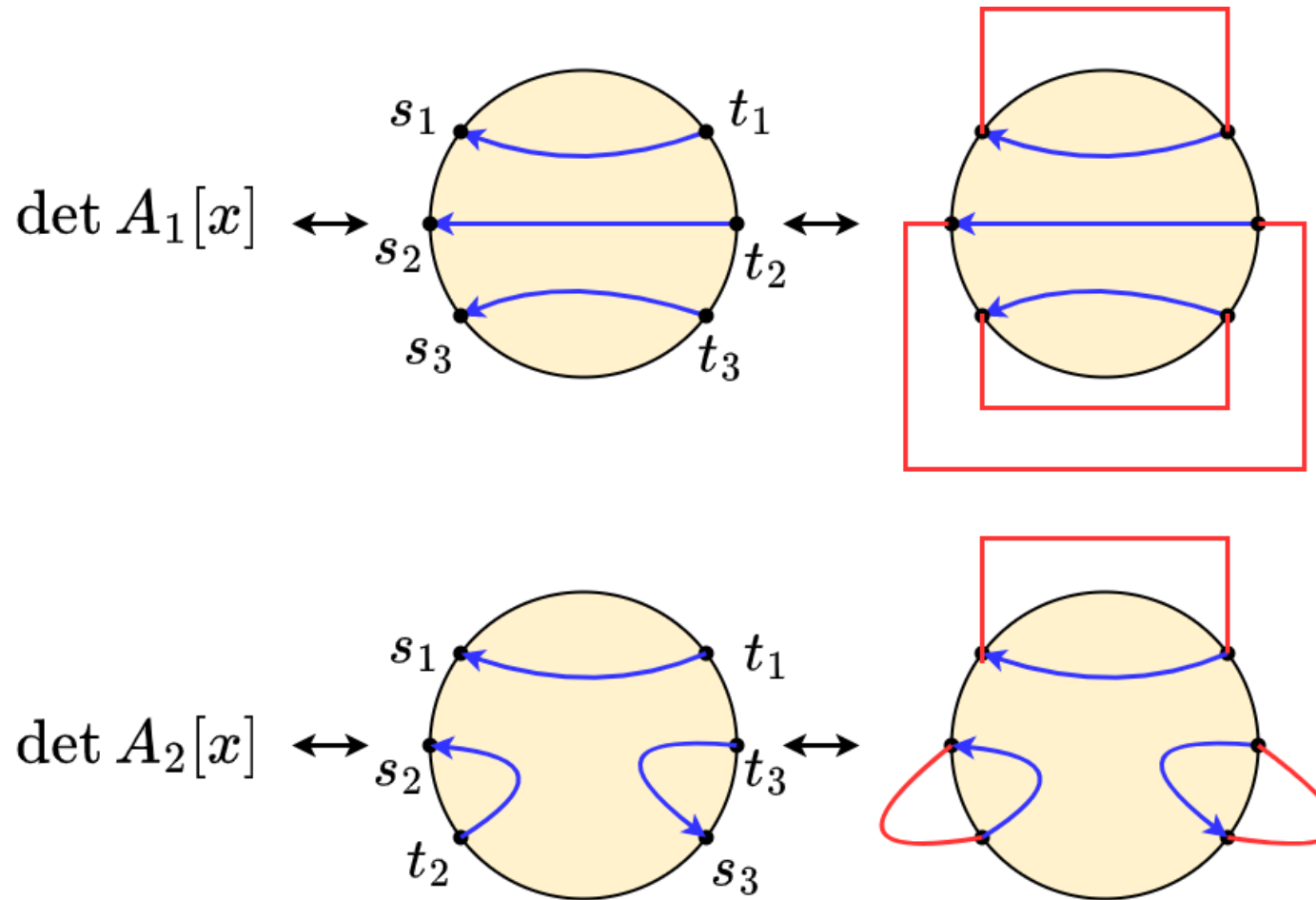
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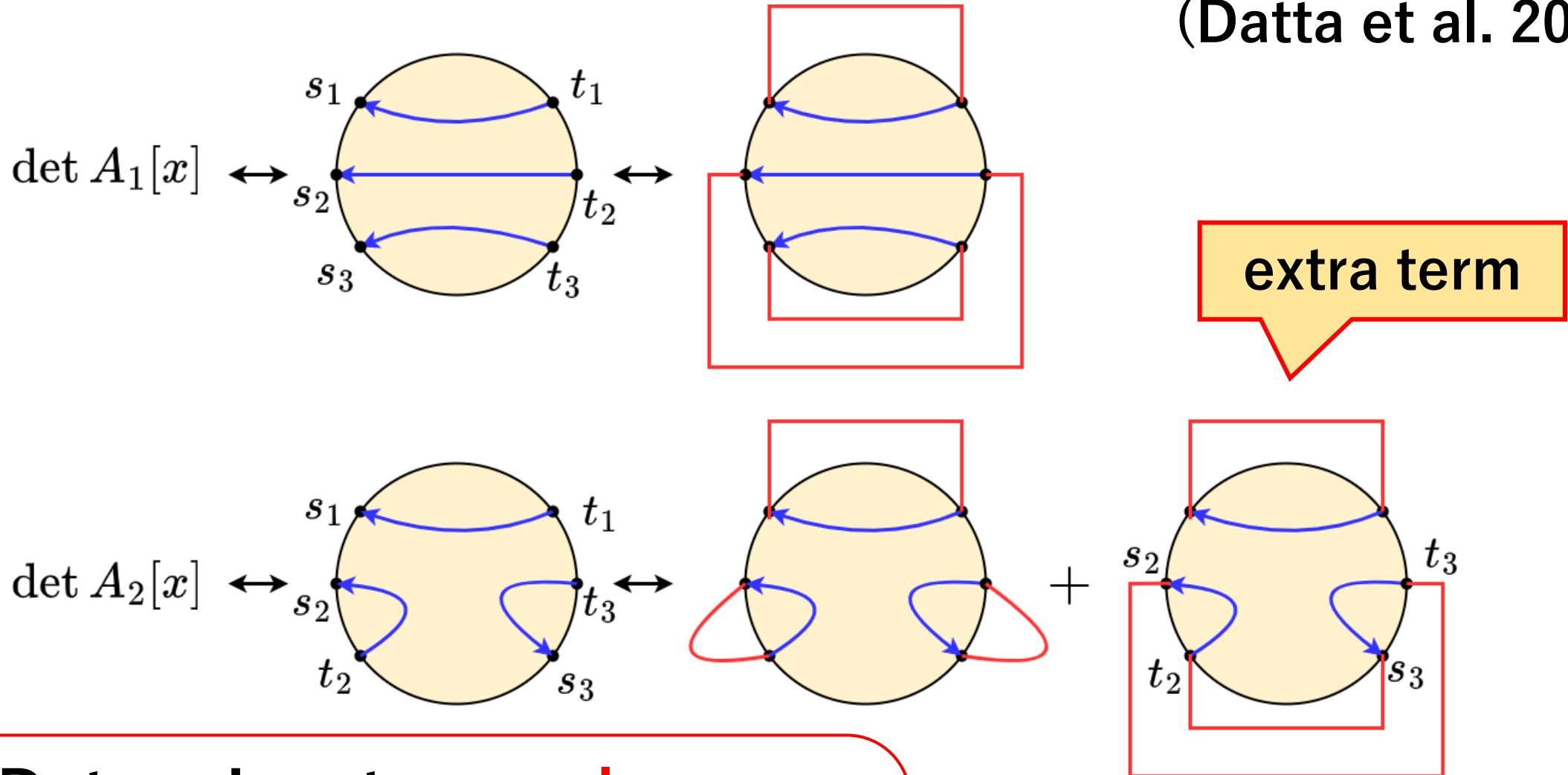
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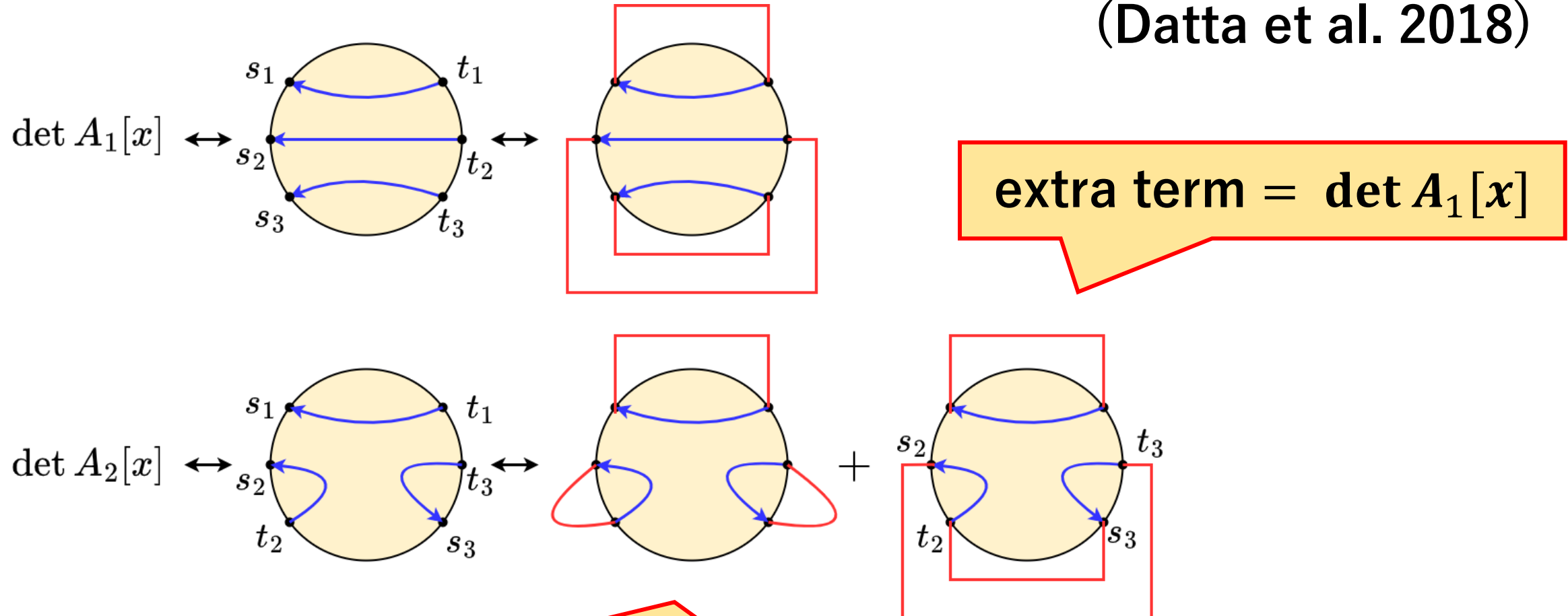
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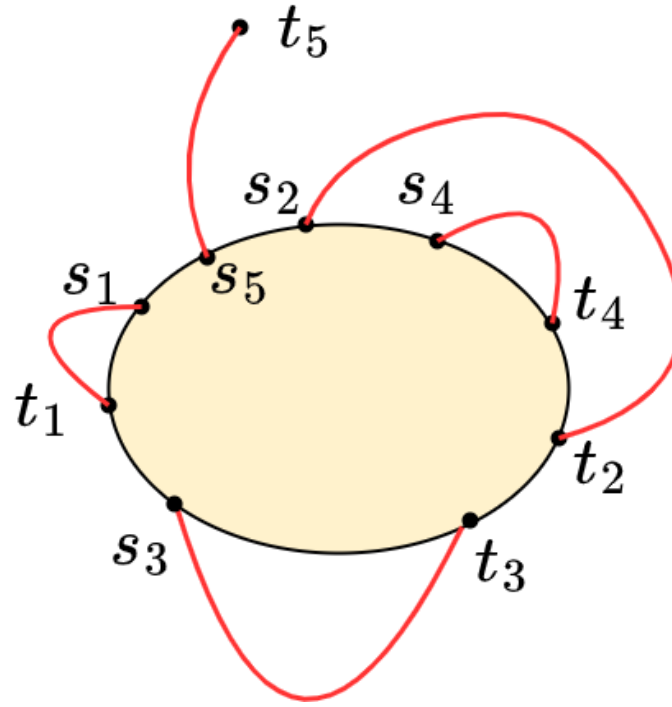
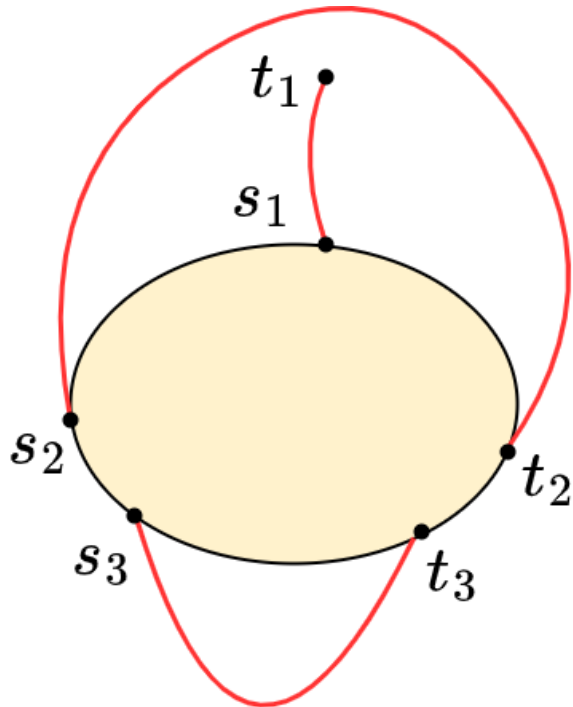
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Our Contribution

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One-Face Shortest Disjoint Paths Problem with a Deviation Terminal can be solved by **Randomized Poly.-time Algorithm**

Significance

- extend the case by Datta et al. 2018

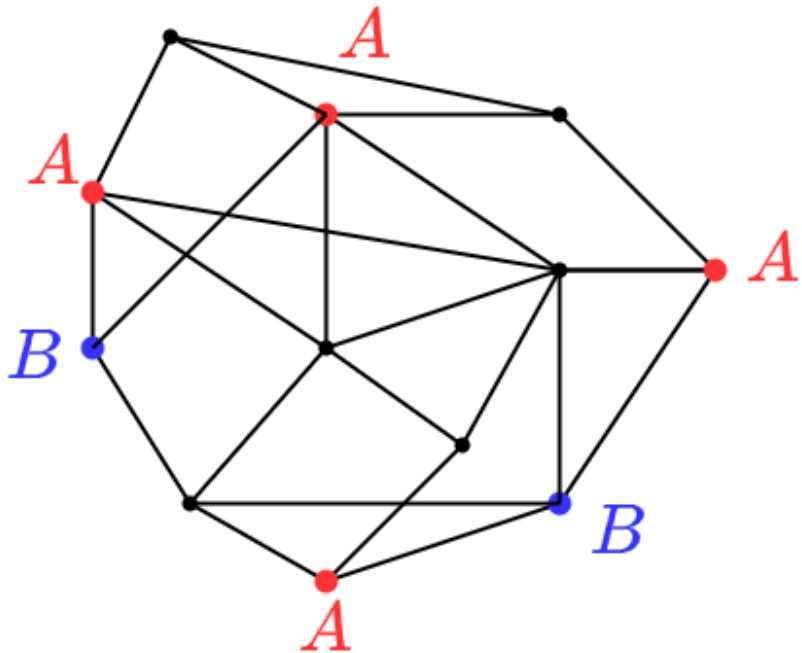
Technique

- One-Face Shortest Disjoint Paths [Datta et al. 2018]
- Shortest Disjoint $(A + B)$ -Paths [Hirai & Namba 2018]
- $(A + B)$ -Paths \leftrightarrow Pairing of Terminals
(Insight on combinatorial properties : Related to Catalan Number)

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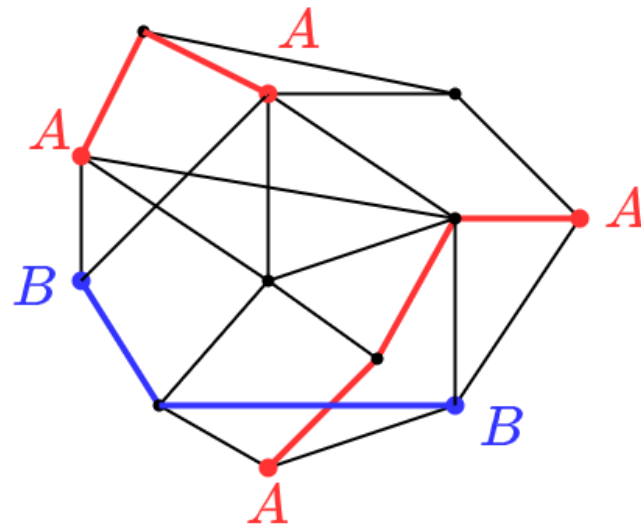
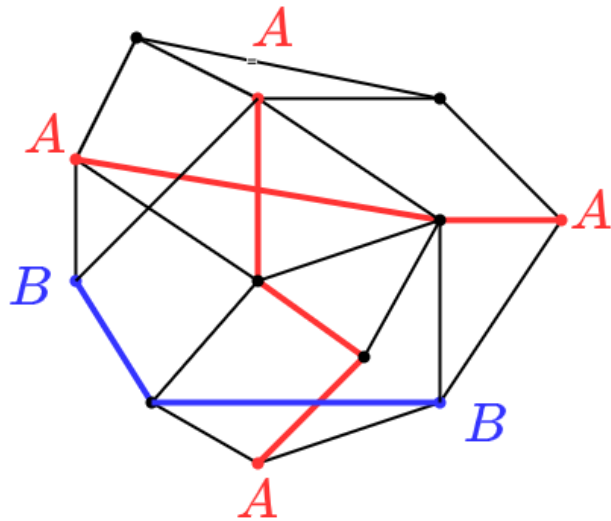
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Find : $\tau = |A|/2 + |B|/2$ vertex-disjoint paths

with endpoints both in A or both in B

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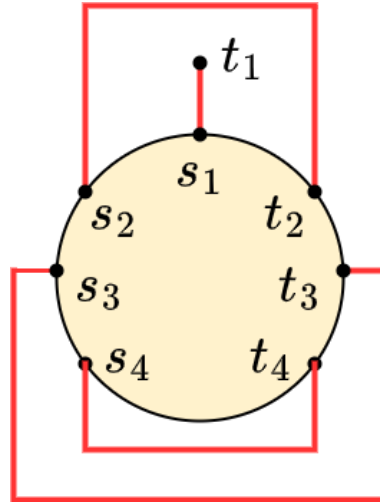


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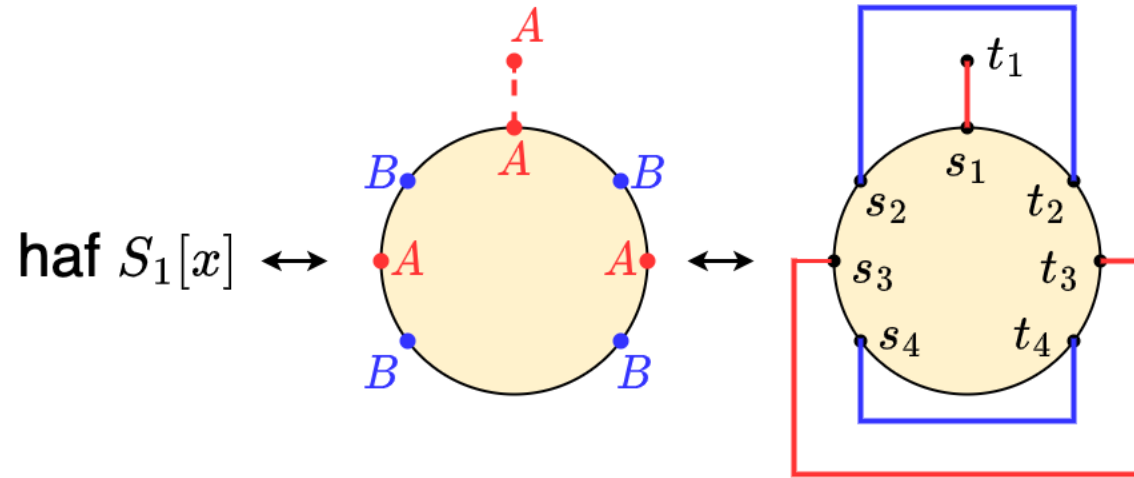
A Polynomial corresponding to all disjoint $(A + B)$ -paths can be computed in poly.-time.

Hafnian modulo $2^{\tau+1}$

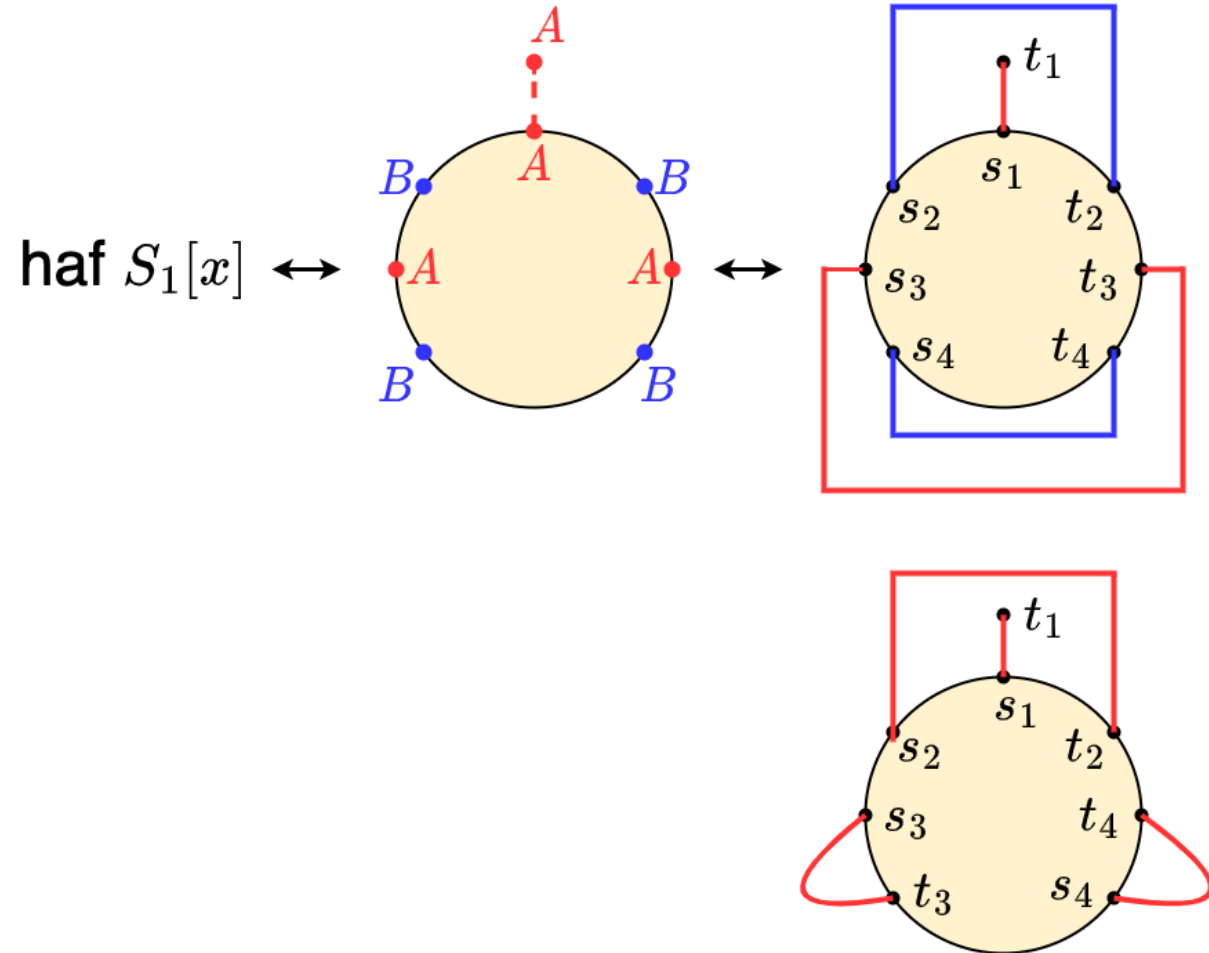
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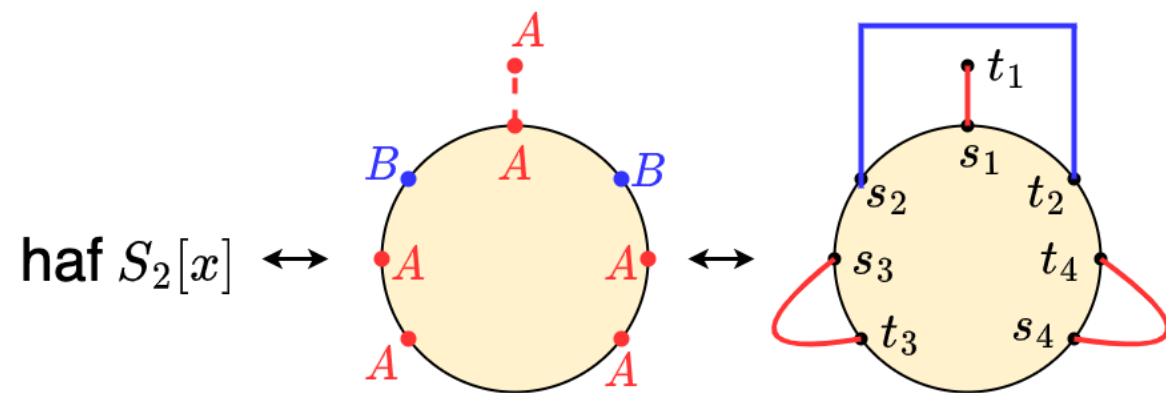
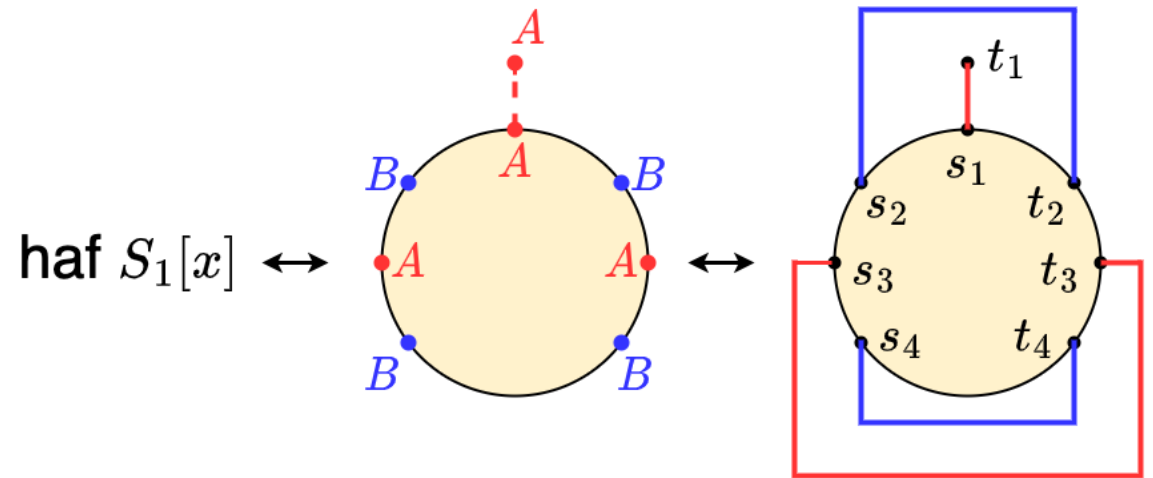
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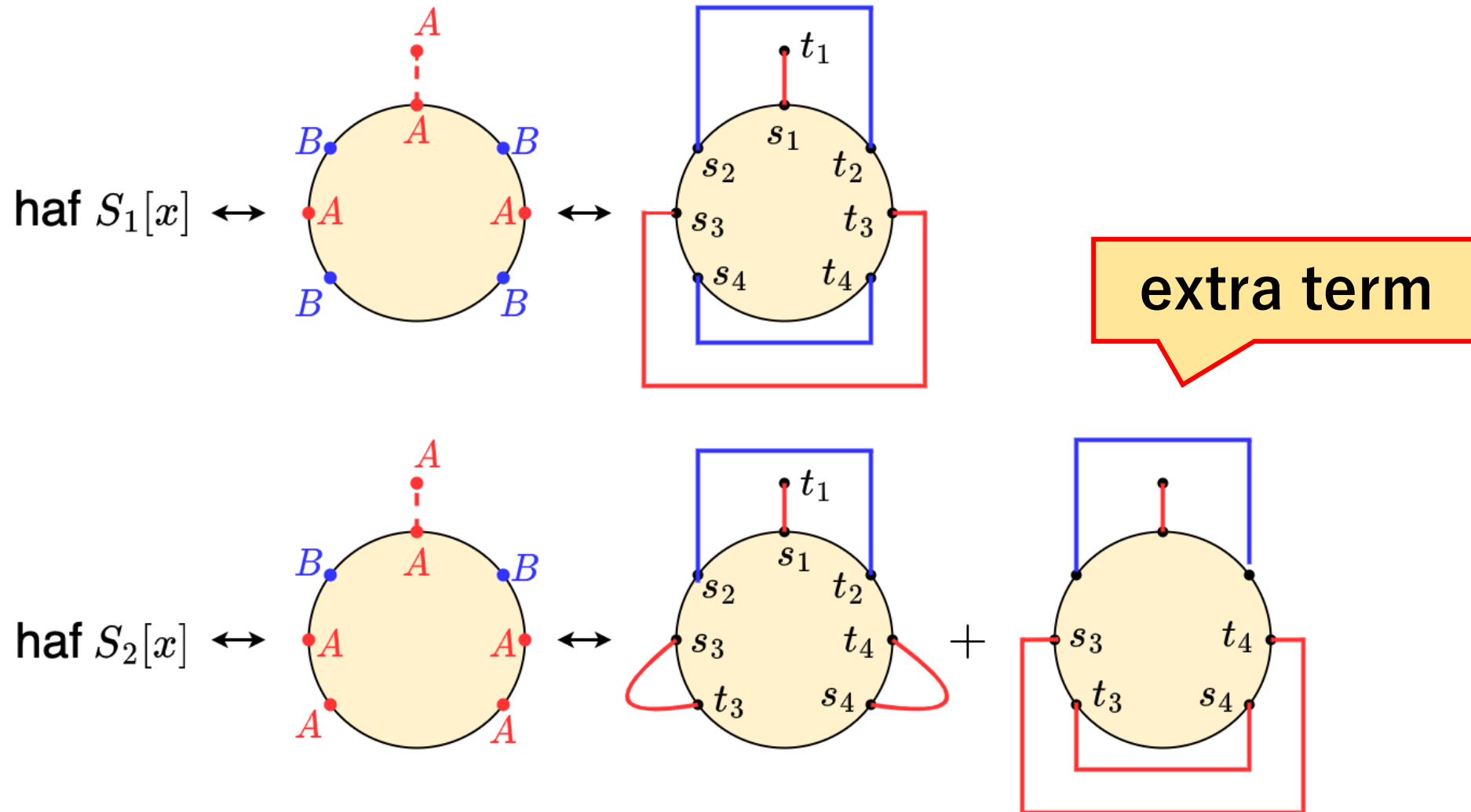
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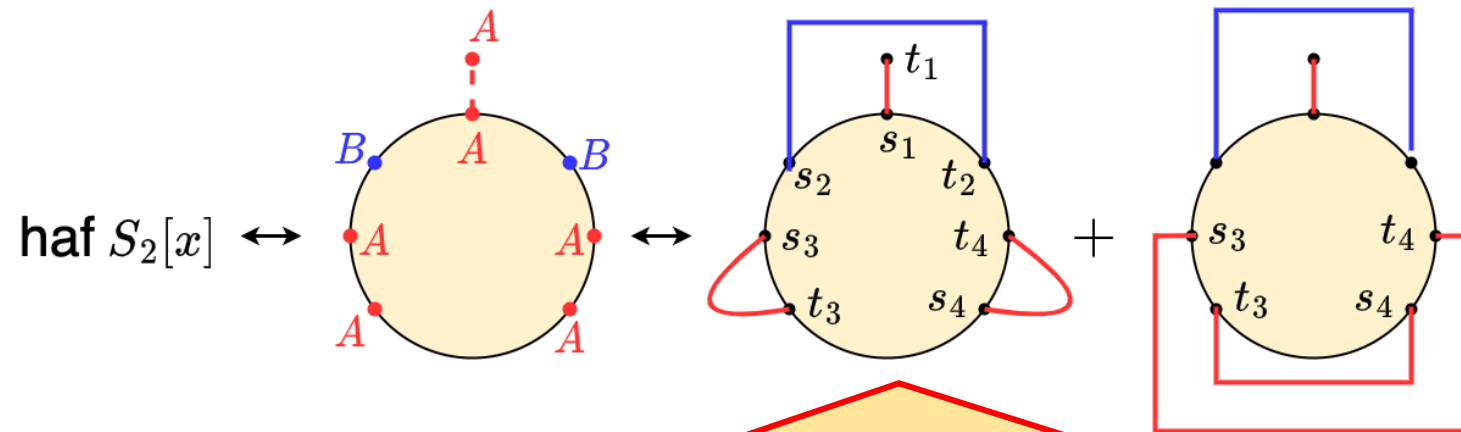
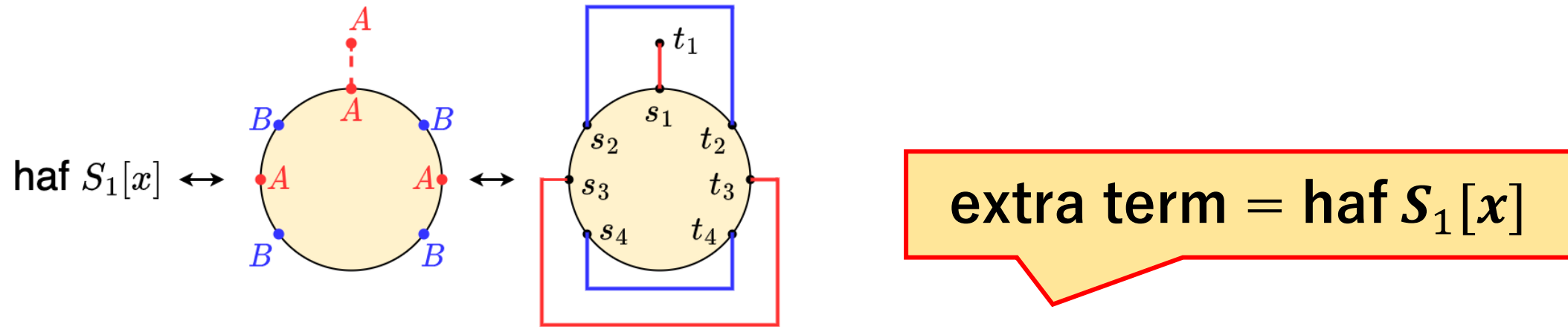
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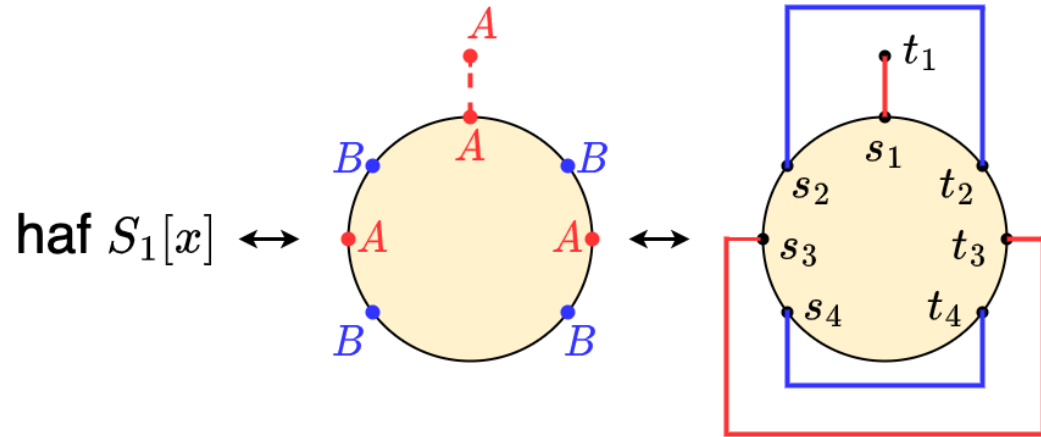


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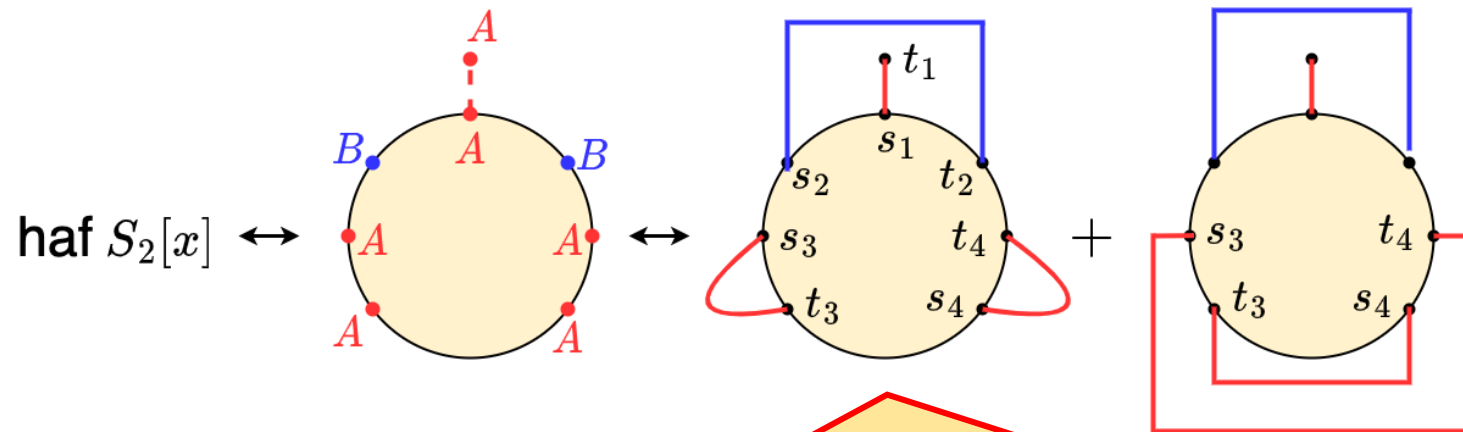


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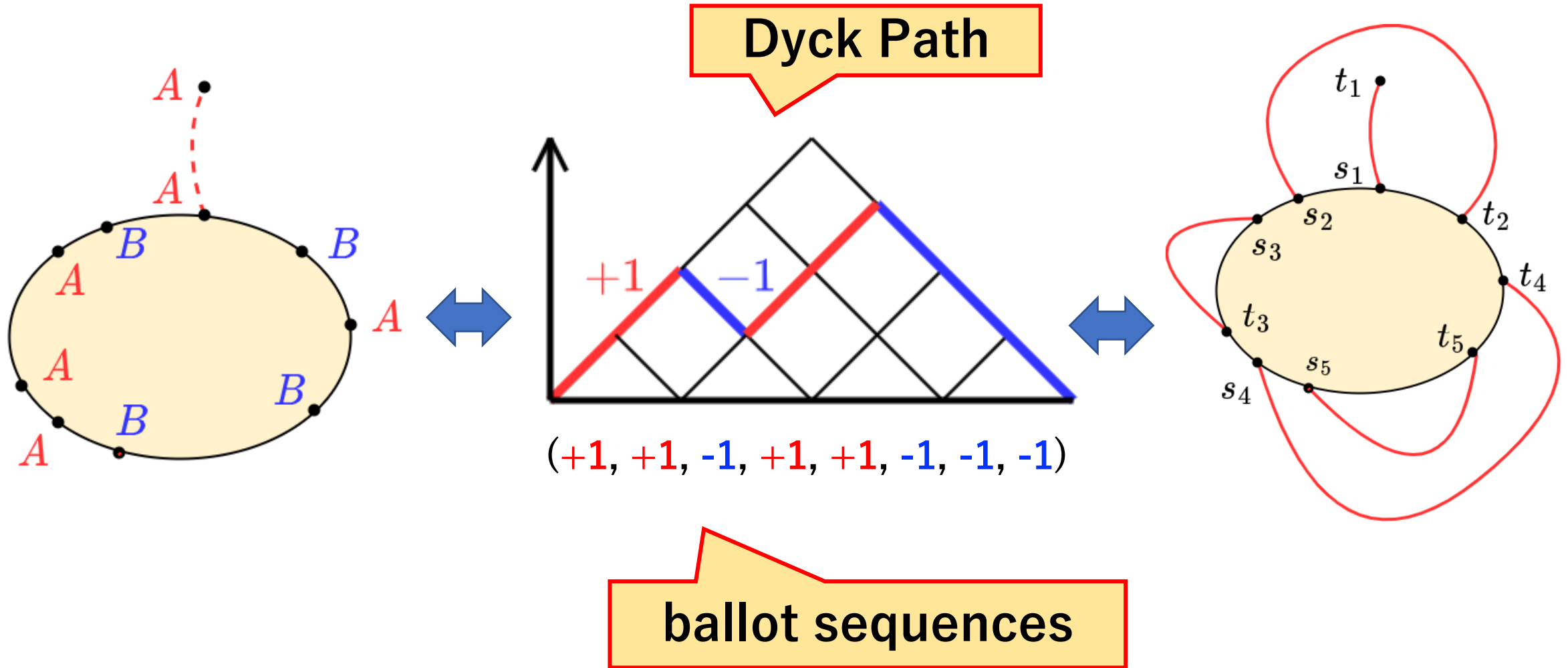
extra term = $\text{haf } S_1[x]$



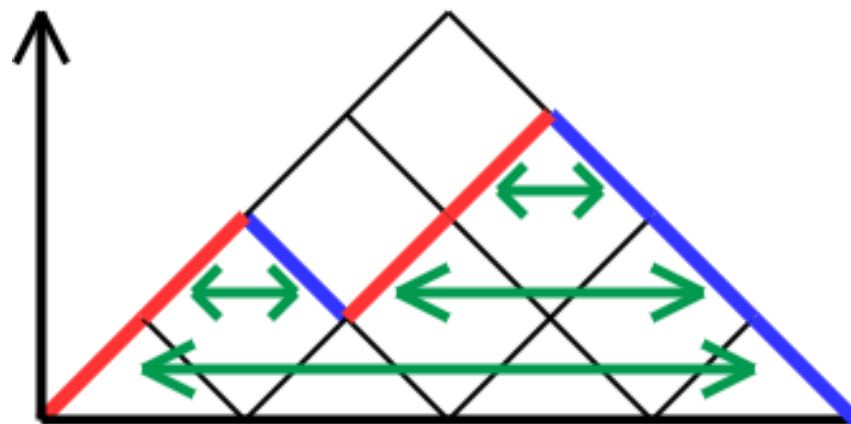
- Hafnian is hard to compute
 - But computable modulo 2^{k+1}
 - perturb the length of edges (**Randomized**)
- ☞ a unique solution

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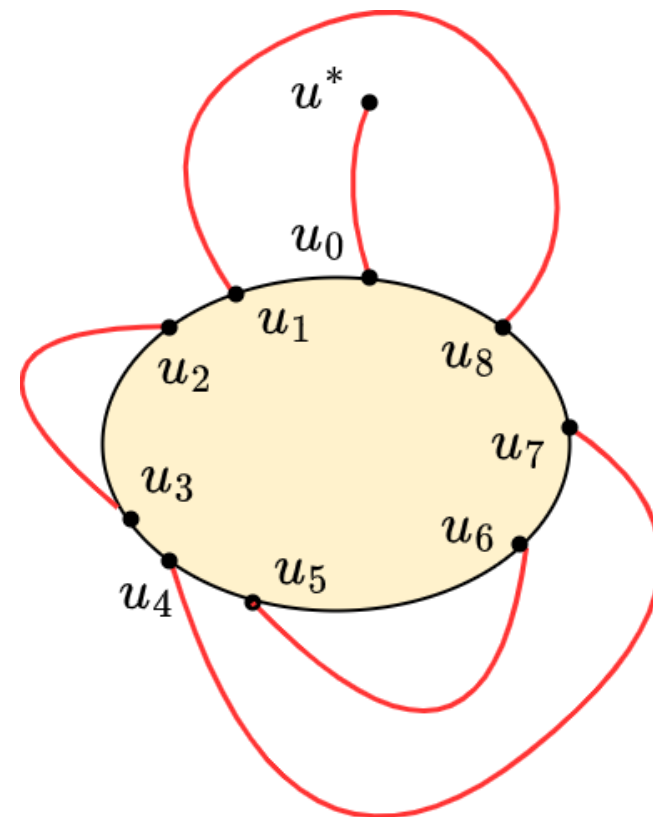
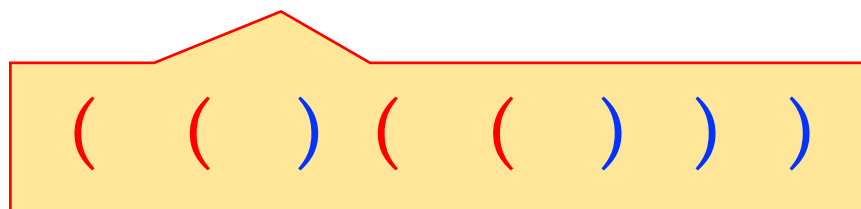
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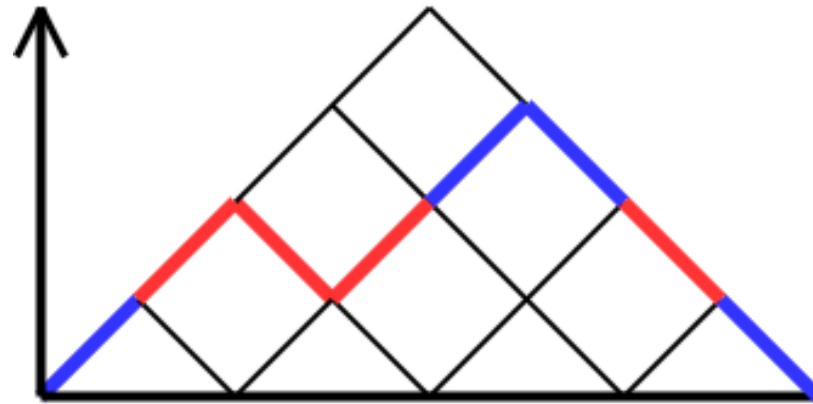
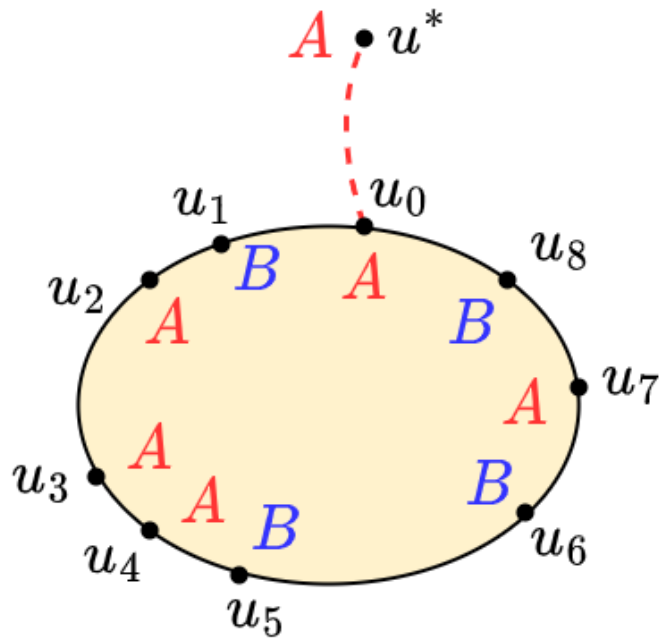
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$(+1, +1, -1, +1, +1, -1, -1, -1)$



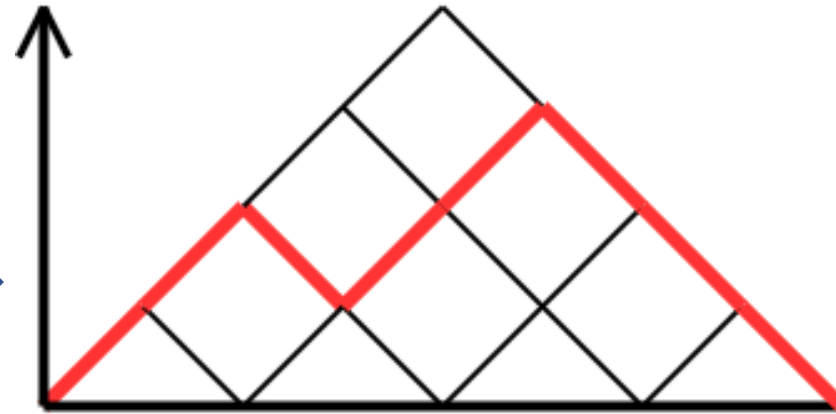
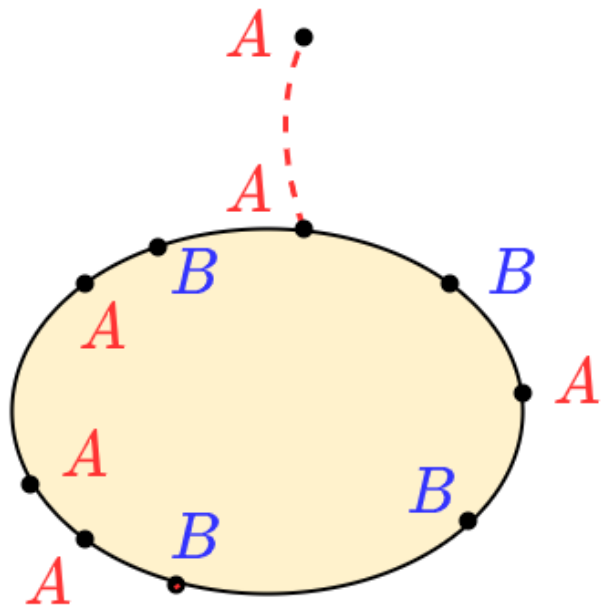
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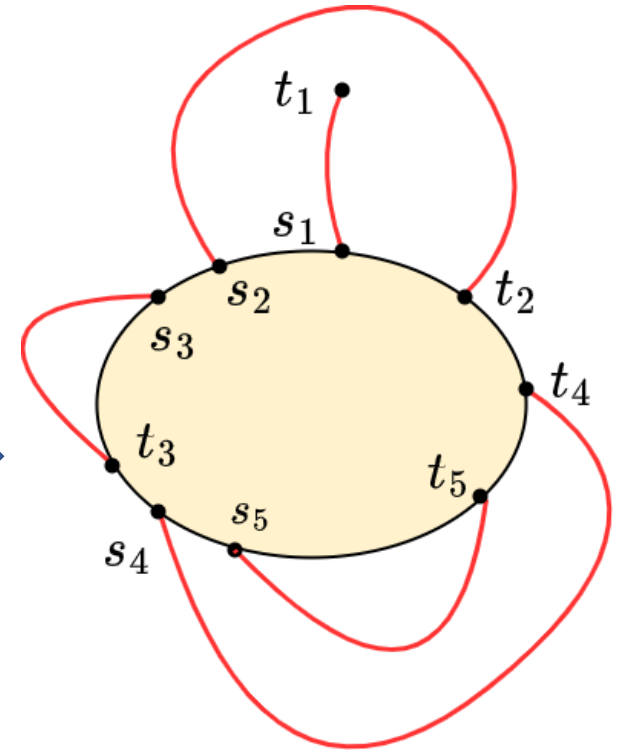
$$f(i) = (+1, +1, -1, +1, +1, -1, -1, -1)$$

$$u_i \in \begin{cases} A & \text{if } (f(i) = +1 \text{ and } i \text{ is even}) \text{ or} \\ & (f(i) = -1 \text{ and } i \text{ is odd}), \\ B & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

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- present **Randomized Poly.-time algorithm**

- Combination of **One-Face Shortest Disjoint Paths** and **Disjoint $(A + B)$ -Paths**
- **Combinatorial Insight** on $(A + B)$ -Paths and **Pairing of Terminals**

Q. Deterministic Poly.-time algorithm

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