Math589 Homework 8

1. [1pt] Let G be the graph with labeled vertices and edges as shown below. Find all elements in the cycle space C(G).



Solution.

2. [1pt] Let G be the graph with labeled vertices and edges as in the previous question. Find all elements in the cut space $\mathcal{B}(G)$ and mark each bond.

Solution.

Questions to ponder:

1. Let 0 and 1 be the elements in \mathbb{F}_2 . Finish the following tables for addition and multiplication.



- 2. Let G be a graph. Recall that E(v) is the cut between $\{v\}$ and $V(G) \setminus \{v\}$. Is E(v) always a bond? Is a bond always E(v) for some v?
- 3. Let G be the graph as in Page 1. Let T be the spanning tree whose edges are $E(G) \setminus \{e_4, e_5\}$. Write the cycle $\{e_1, e_2, e_3, e_4, e_5\}$ as a sum of fundamental cycles. Write the cut $\{e_1, e_4, e_6\}$ as a sum of fundamental cuts.
- 4. Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

be a matrix in \mathbb{F}_2 . Find a basis of its kernel and a basis of its row space.

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