

The expected number of components  
in subgraphs of a small world  
network derived from a circulant.

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# Circulant:

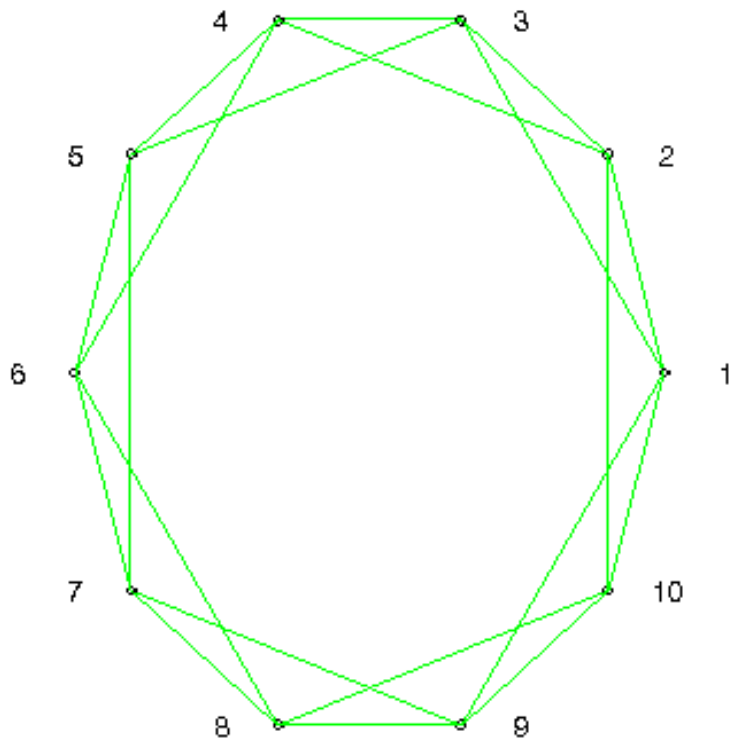
Definition: A circulant graph is a graph of  $n$  vertices in which the  $i$ th vertex is adjacent to the  $(i - k)$ th and  $(i + k)$ th vertices for some  $k$ . (This  $k$  is referred to as the regularity parameter.)

## Adjacency Matrix:

The adjacency matrix for such a graph has 0's on the diagonals and  $k$  1's on each side of these zeros, in each row. In row  $j$ , if there are not  $k$  places to the left of the diagonal, we place 1's in the last  $k - j$  places in row  $j$ . Likewise, if there are not  $k$  places to the right of the diagonal, we place 1's in the first  $k - j$  places in row  $j$ .

Example of a  $2k$  regular circulant with  $k = 2$ :

Graph:



Matrix:

0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0
0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0
0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1
1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1
1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0

# Induced Subgraph:

Definition: Let  $G = (V, E)$  be a graph, with  $V =$  set of vertices and  $E =$  set of edges. Let  $W$  be a subset of  $V$  and  $F$  be a subset of  $E$ .

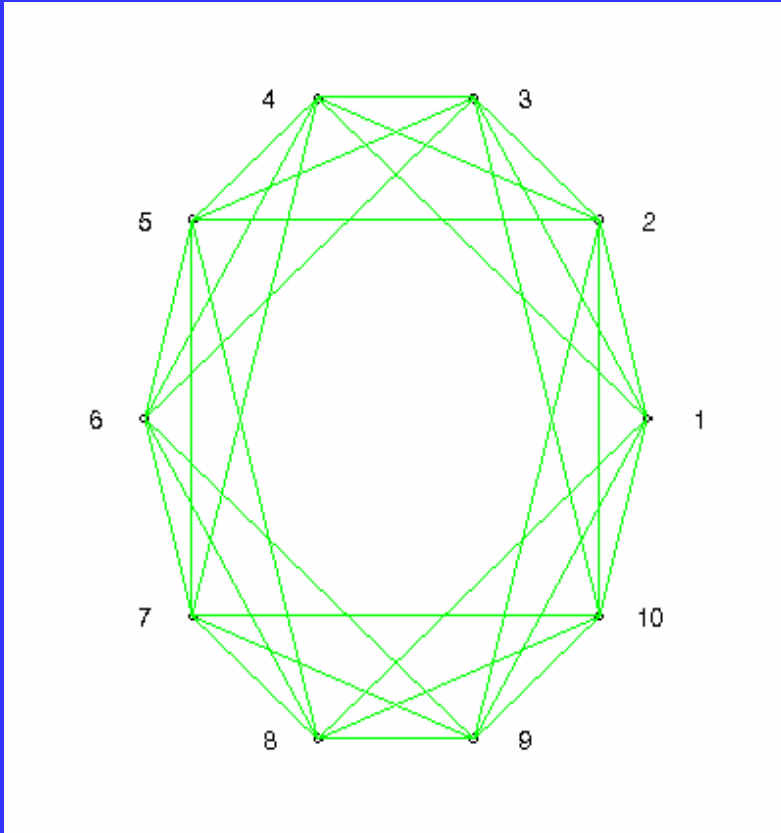
The graph  $(W, F)$  is an Induced Subgraph of  $G$  if  $F =$  the intersection of  $E$  and all 2 element subsets of  $W$ .

# Components:

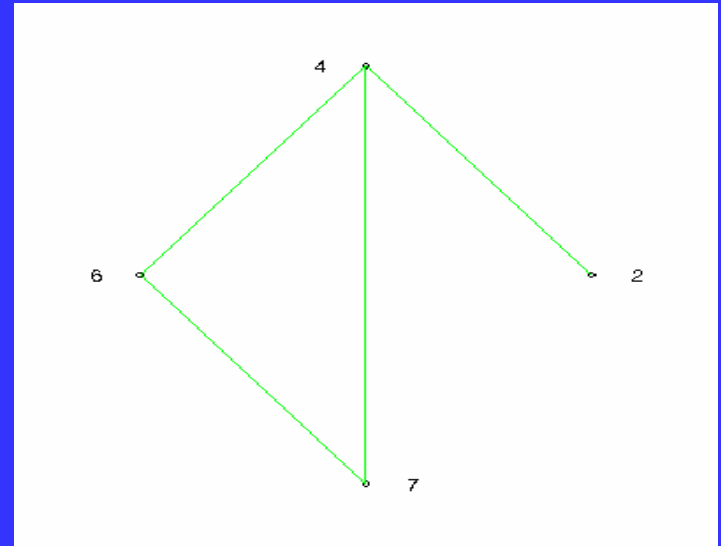
Definition: A component of a graph is a maximal connected subgraph.

# Examples of Subgraphs:

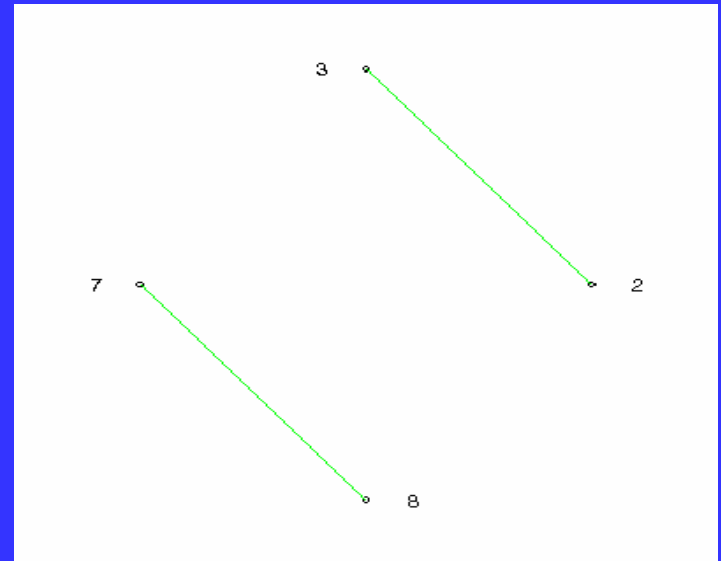
## Original Circulant



## Subgraph of 1 Component



## Subgraph of 2 Components



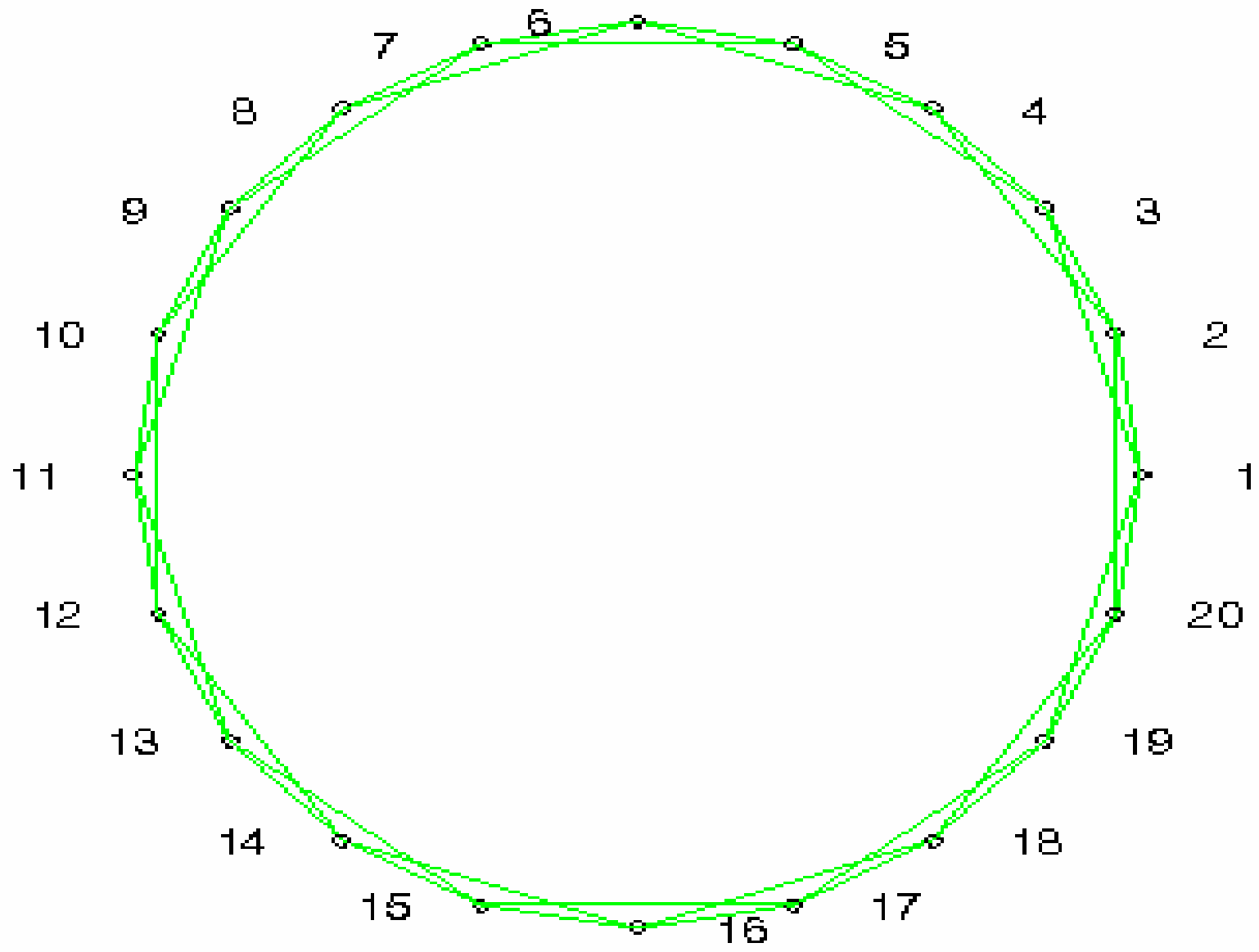
# Fundamental Question #1:

What's the *Expected Number*  
of *Components*  
in an  
*Induced Subgraph*  
of a *Circulant*???

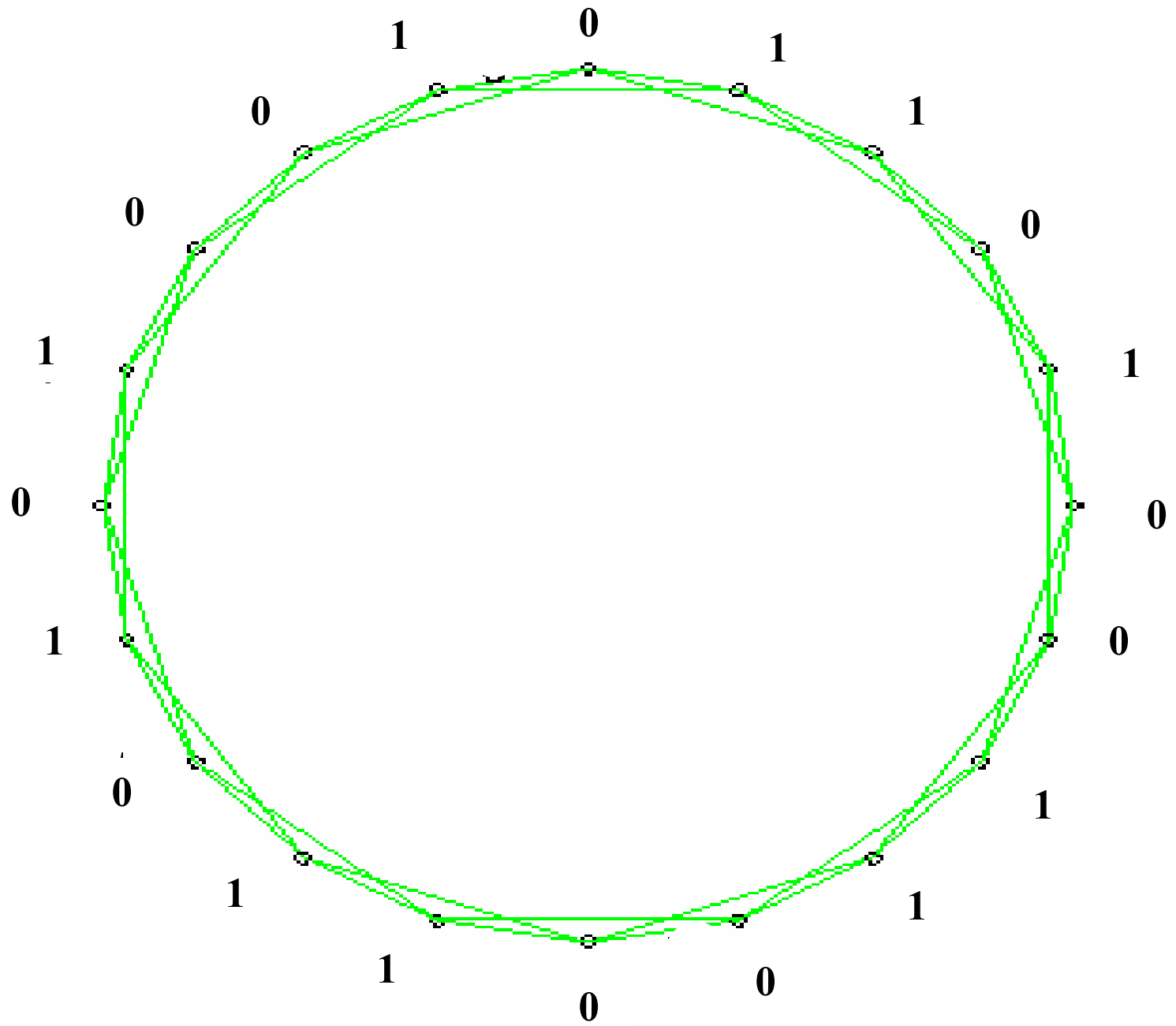
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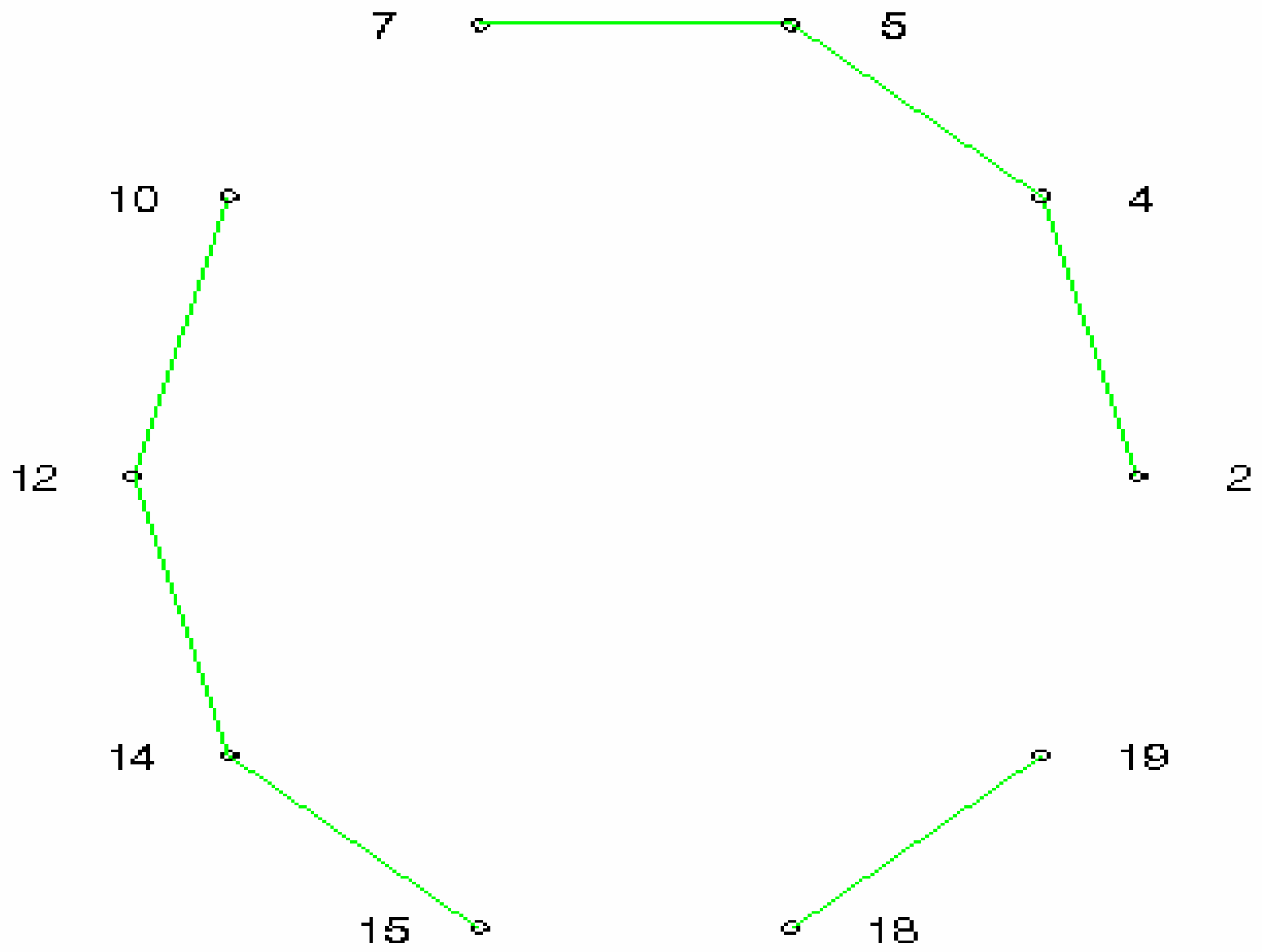
We can view the vertices of a subgraph as the original vertices being renumbered by 0s or 1s.

We replace a vertex with 1 if it is in the subgraph, and 0 if it is not in the subgraph.







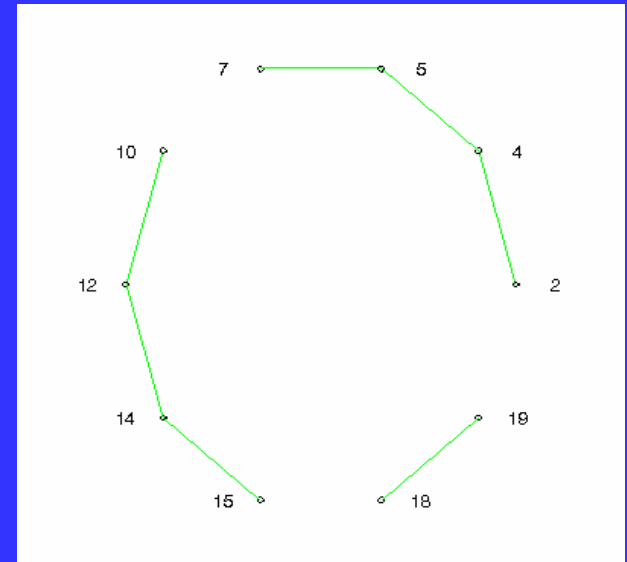
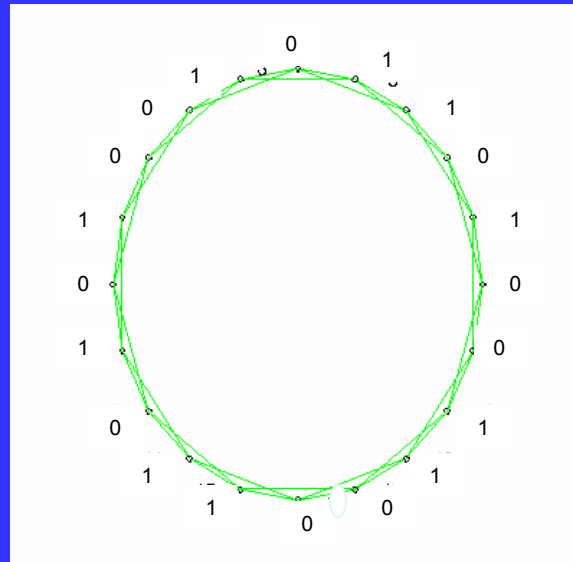
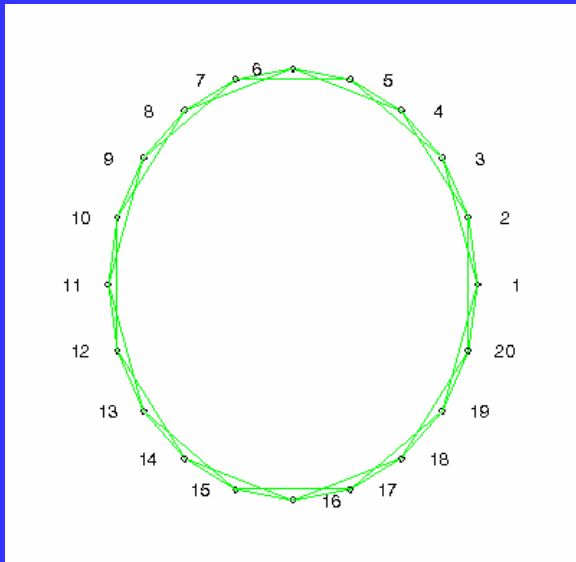


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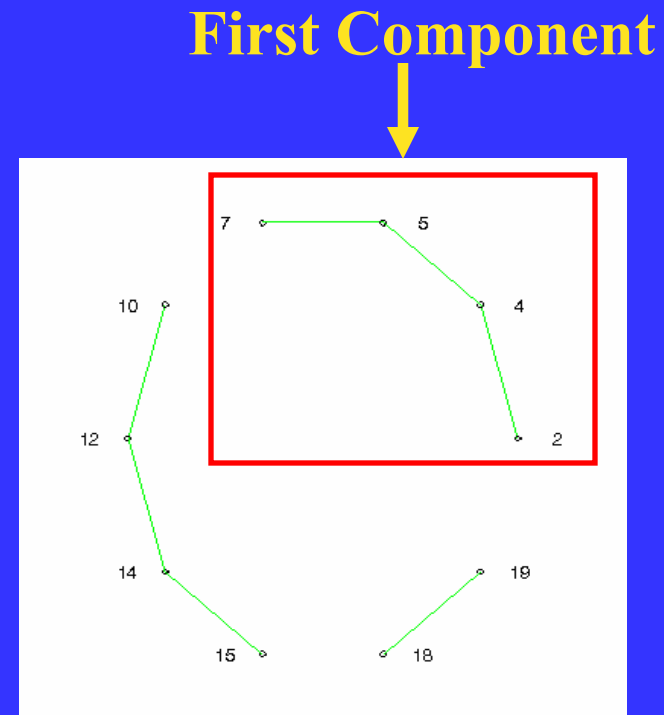
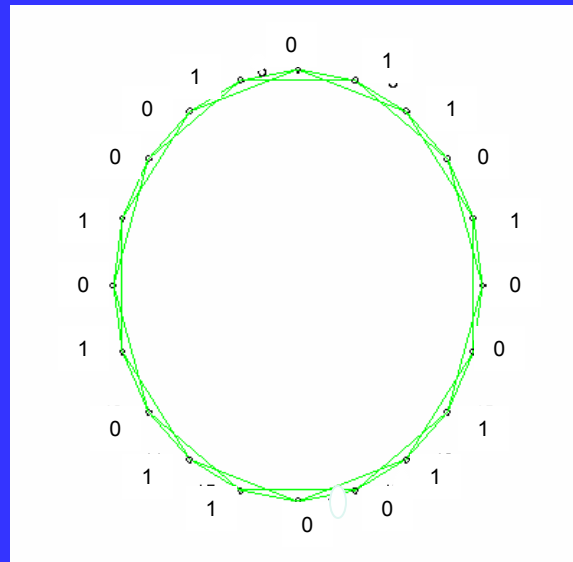
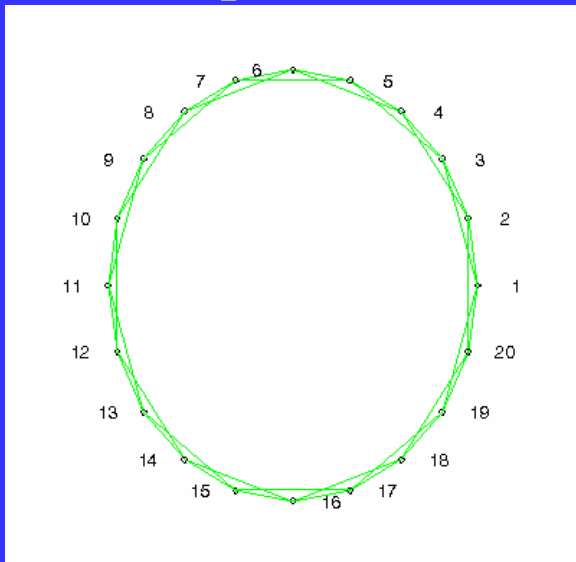


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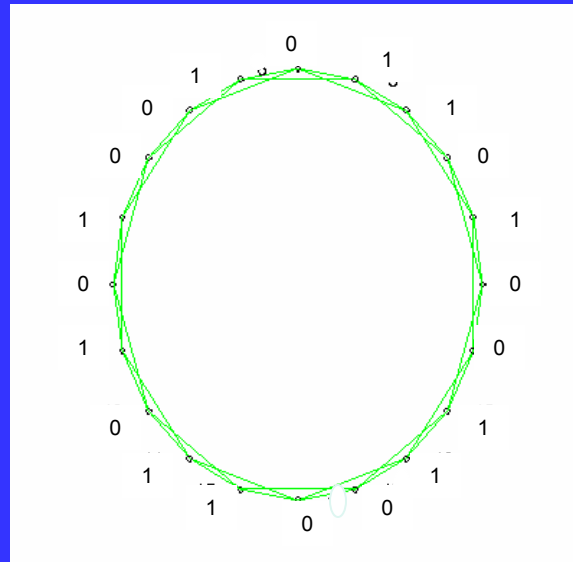
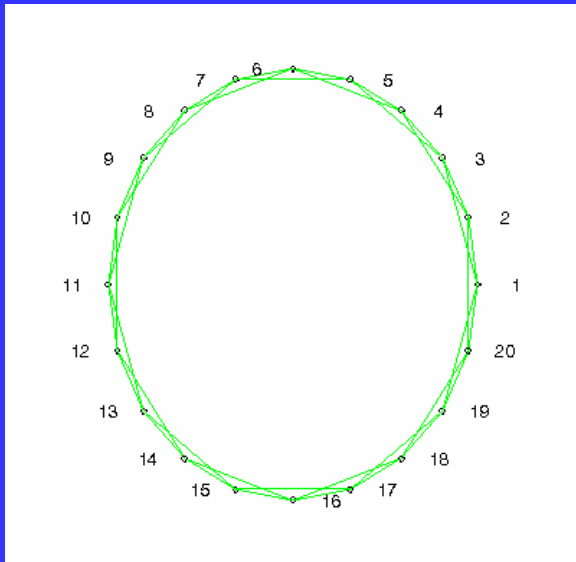


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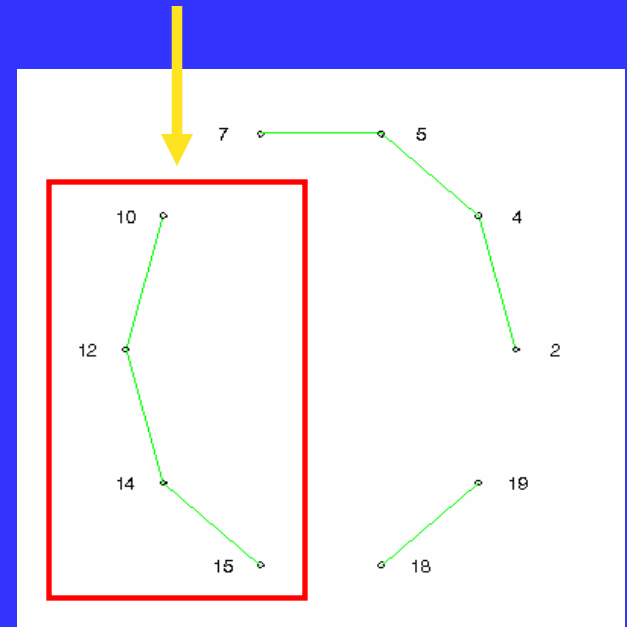
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Example:



**Second Component**

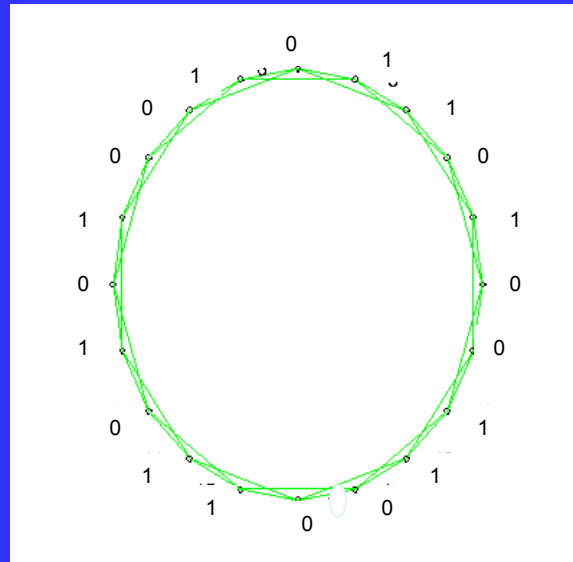
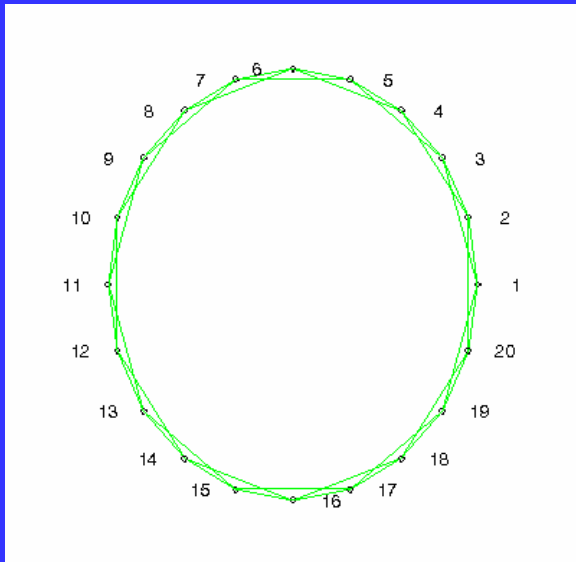


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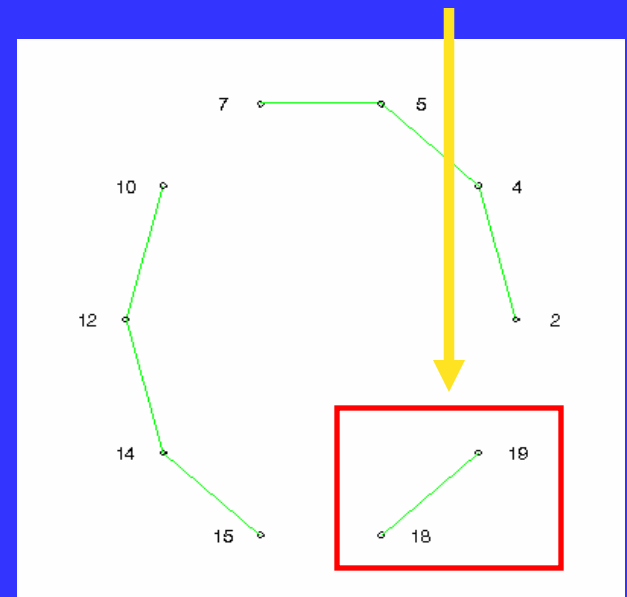
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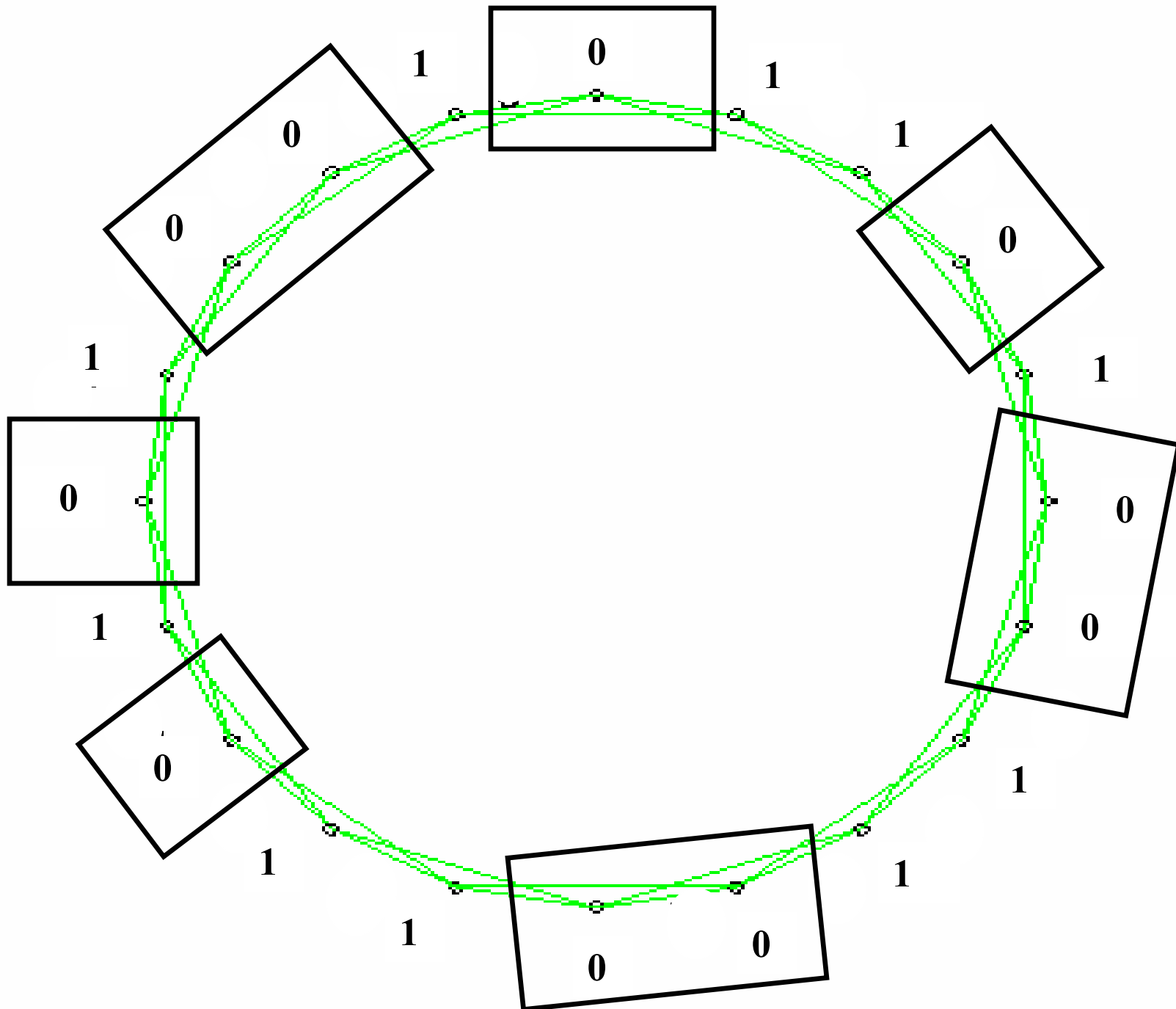
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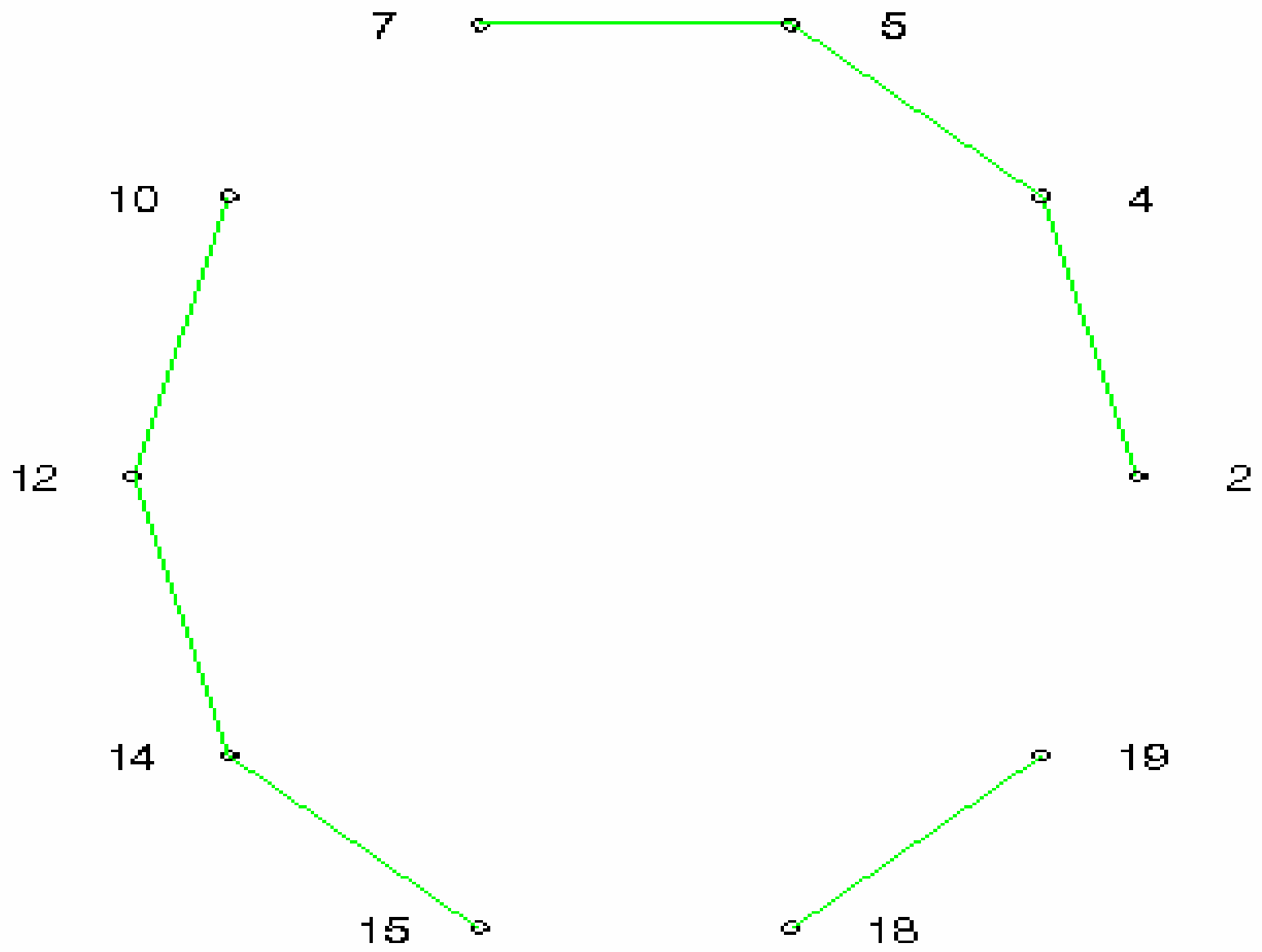
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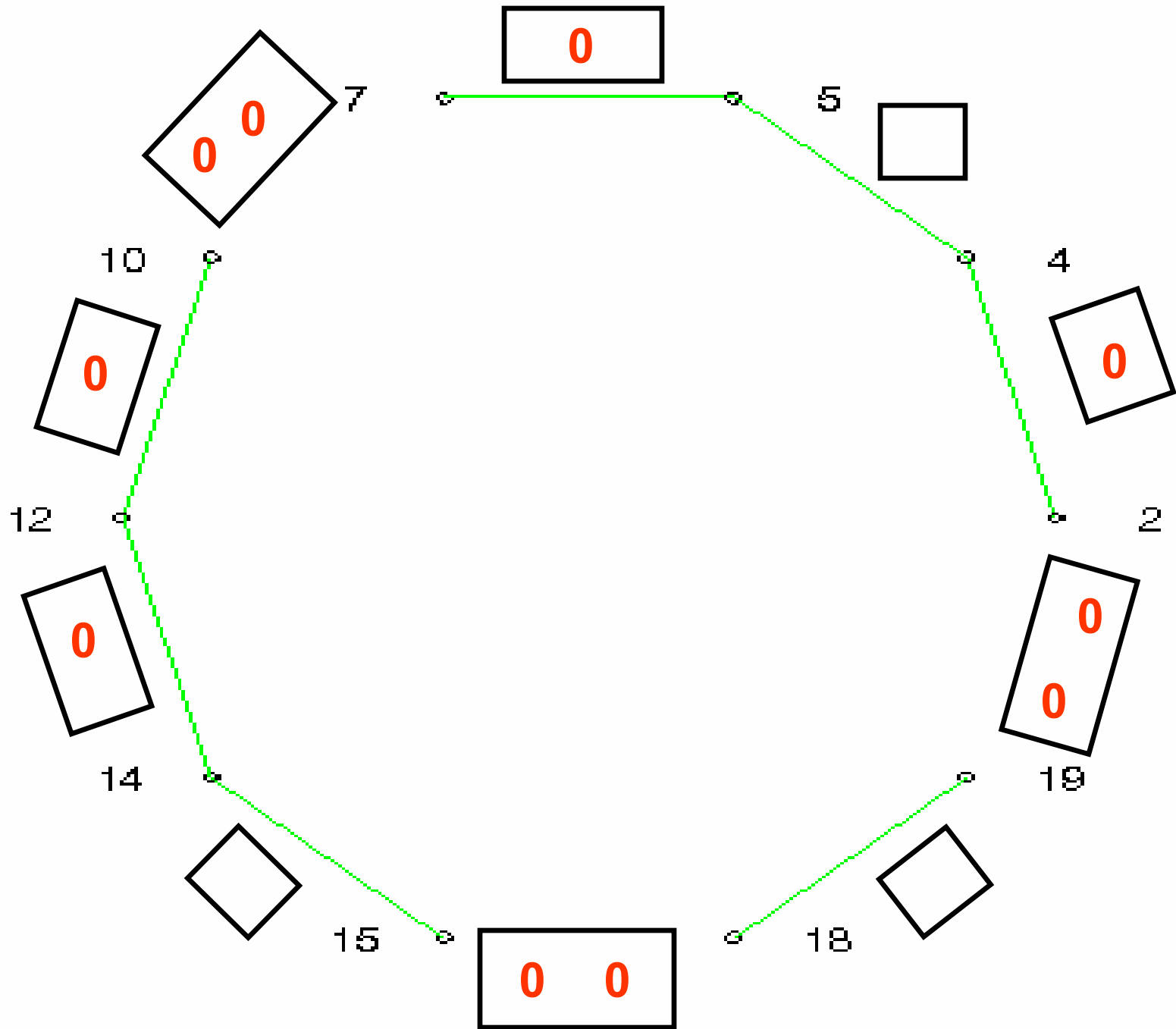
**Third Component**







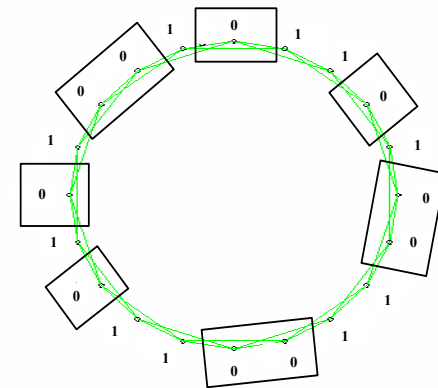




$n = \#$  of vertices in the original circulant

$s = \#$  of 1s ( $\#$  of vertices in the induced subgraph)

$n - s = \#$  of 0s



$Y_{n,s} = \#$  of components

$X = \#$  of boxes with  $\geq k$  objects when  $n - s$  objects are uniformly distributed into  $s$  boxes

$$X = \sum_{i=1}^s X_i \quad \text{where } X_i = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if box } i \text{ has } < k \text{ objects} \\ 1 & \text{if box } i \text{ has } \geq k \text{ objects} \end{cases}$$

$$E(X) = \sum_{i=1}^s E(X_i)$$

$$E(X_i) = E(X_j) \quad \text{for all } i, j$$

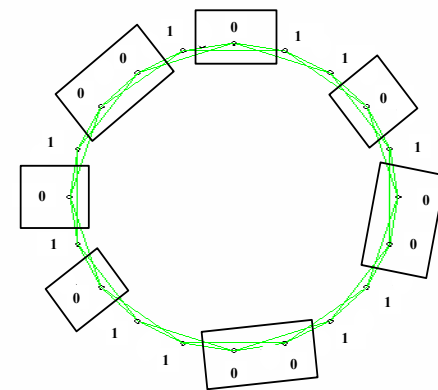
So,

$$E(X) = sE(X_1) = sP(\text{box 1 has } \geq k \text{ objects})$$

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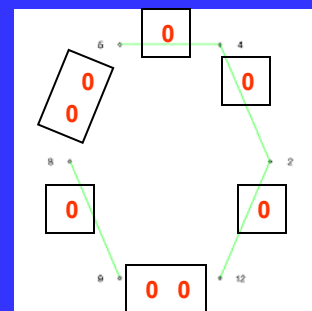
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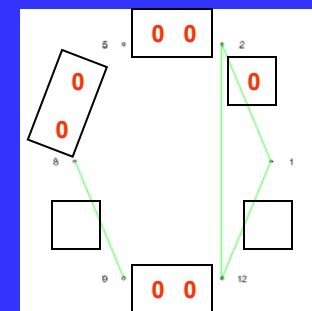
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$$P(Y = j) = P(X = j) \quad \text{for } 2 \leq j \leq \left\lfloor \frac{n-s}{k} \right\rfloor$$

$$P(Y = j) = P(X = 0) + P(X = 1) \quad \text{for } j = 1$$



$X = 2$   
 $Y = 2$

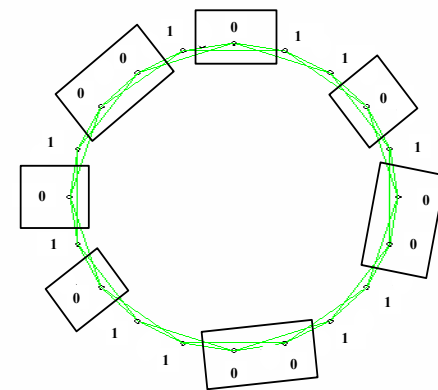


$X = 3$   
 $Y = 3$

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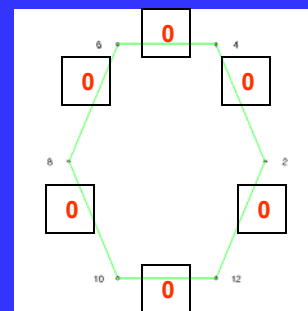
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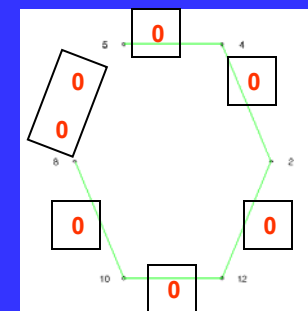
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 $Y = 1$

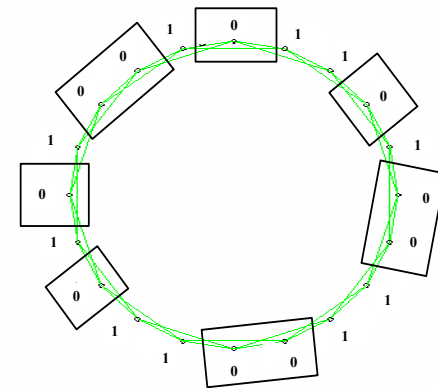


$X = 1$   
 $Y = 1$

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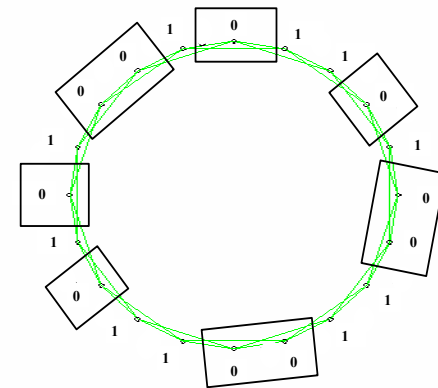
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$$\begin{aligned} E(Y) &= P(X = 0) + P(X = 1) + \sum_{i=2}^{\lfloor \frac{n-s}{k} \rfloor} iP(X = i) \\ &= P(X = 0) + P(X = 1) + \sum_{i=2}^{\lfloor \frac{n-s}{k} \rfloor} iP(X = i) \\ &= P(X = 0) + E(X) \\ &= P(X = 0) + sP(\text{box 1 has } \geq k \text{ objects}) \end{aligned}$$



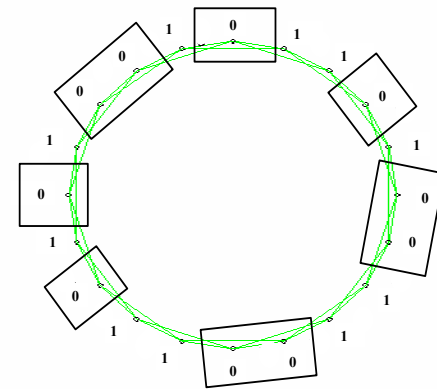
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$$P(X = 0) = \frac{\binom{n-1}{n-s} - \binom{s}{1} |A_1| + \binom{s}{2} |A_1 \cap A_2| - \binom{s}{3} |A_1 \cap A_2 \cap A_3| + \dots + (-1)^s \binom{s}{s} |A_1 \cap A_2 \cap \dots \cap A_s|}{\binom{n-1}{n-s}}$$

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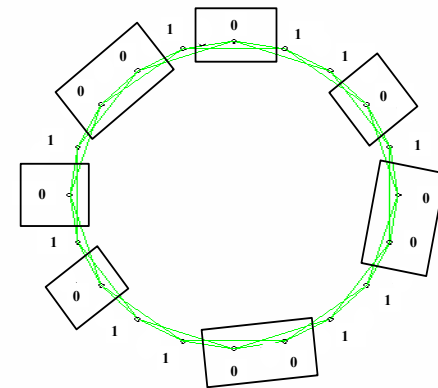
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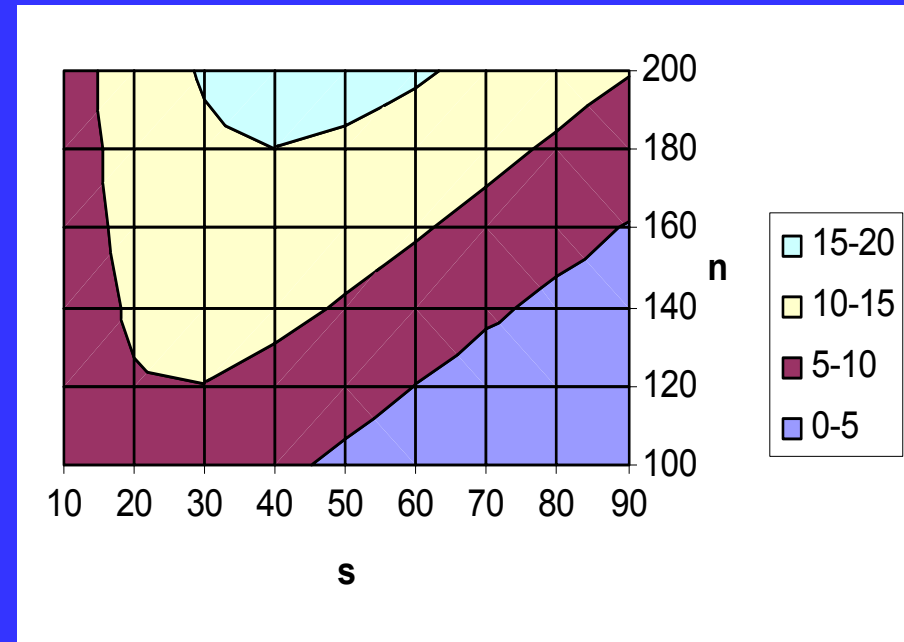
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$$P(\text{box 1 has } \geq k \text{ objects}) = \frac{\binom{s+n-s-k-1}{n-s-k}}{\binom{s+n-s-1}{n-s}} = \frac{(n-k-1)!(n-s)!}{(n-1)!(n-s-k)!}$$

Therefore,

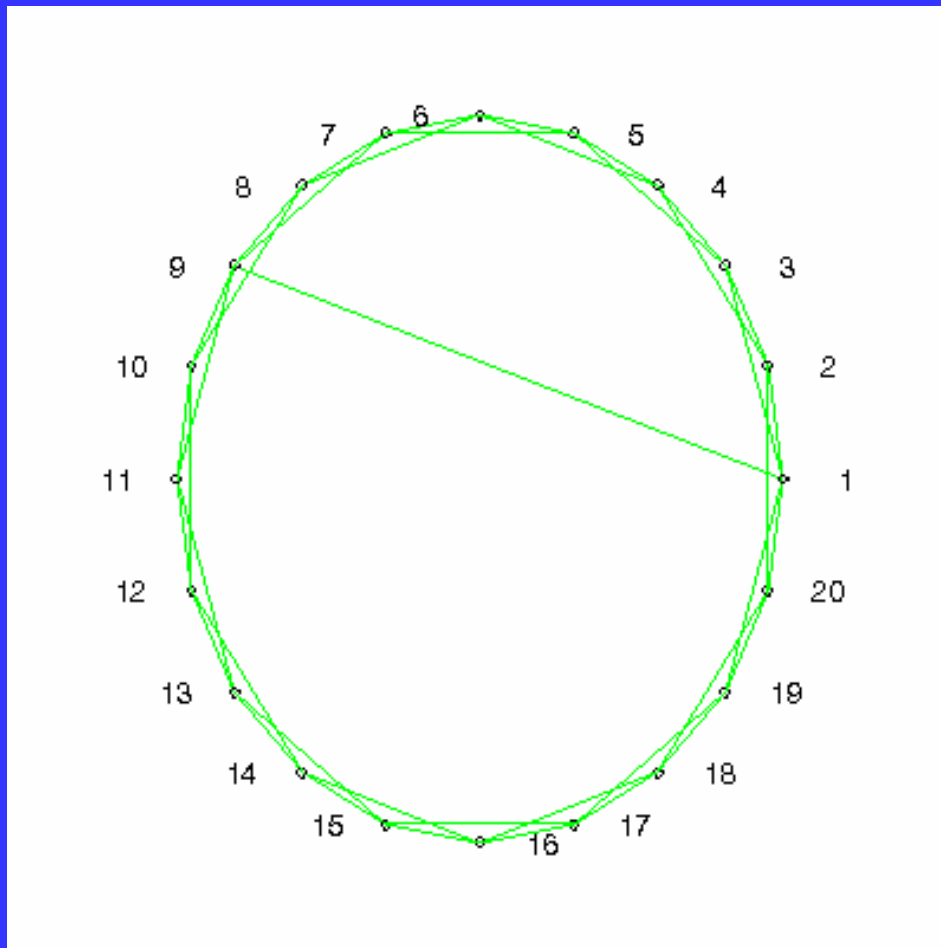
$$E(Y) = \frac{\binom{n-1}{n-s} - \binom{s}{1}|A_1| + \binom{s}{2}|A_1 \cap A_2| - \binom{s}{3}|A_1 \cap A_2 \cap A_3| + \dots + (-1)^s \binom{s}{s}|A_1 \cap A_2 \cap \dots \cap A_s|}{\binom{n-1}{n-s}} + \frac{s(n-k-1)!(n-s)!}{(n-1)!(n-s-k)!}$$

Expected Number  
of Components for  
a  $2k$  regular  
Circulant with  $k =$   
4:

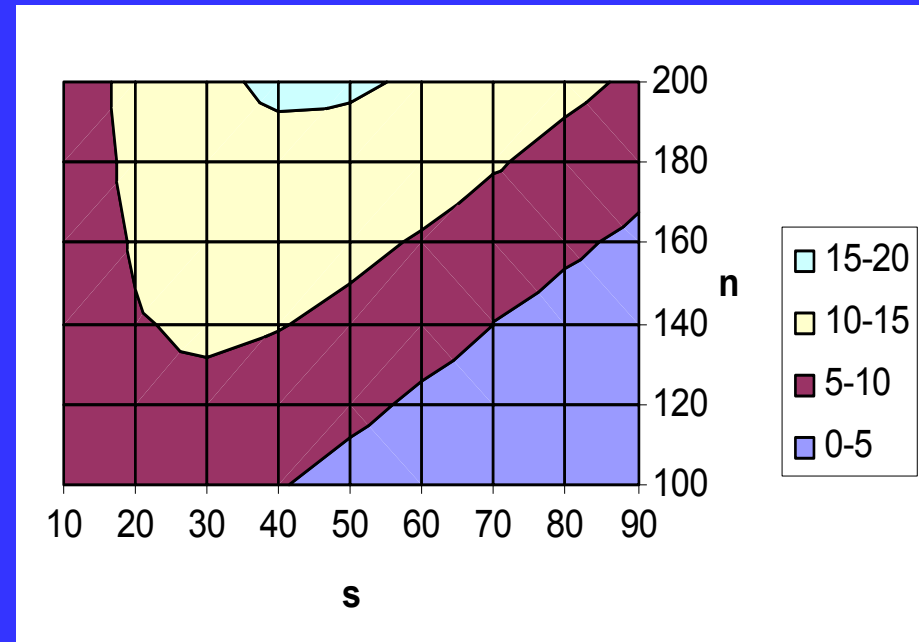


n/s	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90
100	6.39	8.36	7.81	6.08	4.08	2.38	1.37	1.04	1.00
120	6.79	9.63	9.93	8.75	6.89	4.90	3.14	1.87	1.22
140	7.08	10.62	11.67	11.12	9.62	7.70	5.73	3.94	2.51
160	7.31	11.40	13.12	13.17	12.13	10.46	8.51	6.55	4.75
180	7.48	12.03	14.33	14.95	14.40	13.07	11.29	9.33	7.37
200	7.63	12.56	15.35	16.50	16.42	15.47	13.96	12.12	10.15

# Cross-Cut Edges



Expected Number  
of Components for  
a  $2k$  regular  
Circulant with  $k = 4$   
and 1 added  
Cross-cut Edge:



n/s	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90
100	5.48	7.46	6.94	5.28	3.43	1.99	1.23	1.01	1.00
120	5.86	8.71	9.02	7.87	6.08	4.20	2.63	1.60	1.13
140	6.15	9.68	10.74	10.20	8.74	6.87	4.98	3.34	2.11
160	6.36	10.45	12.18	12.24	11.22	9.58	7.67	5.77	4.08
180	6.53	11.08	13.38	14.01	13.47	12.15	10.40	8.48	6.57
200	6.67	11.60	14.39	15.55	15.47	14.54	13.04	11.22	9.28