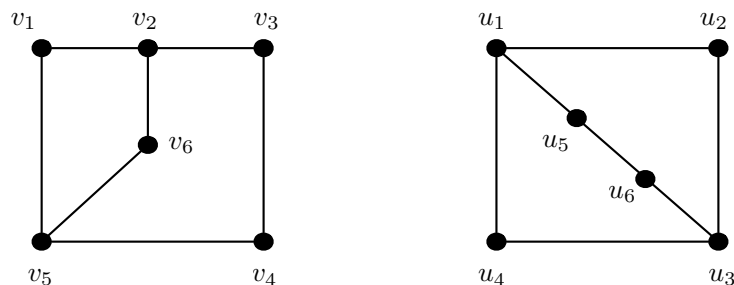


► Problem 10.3-9

(a) Find the adjacency matrices  $A_1$  and  $A_2$  of the graphs  $G_1$  and  $G_2$  shown.



(b) Explain why the function  $\phi : G_1 \rightarrow G_2$  defined by

$$\phi(v_1) = u_4, \quad \phi(v_2) = u_1, \quad \phi(v_3) = u_5,$$

$$\phi(v_4) = u_6, \quad \phi(v_5) = u_3, \quad \phi(v_6) = u_2,$$

is an isomorphism.

(c) Find a permutation matrix  $P$  that corresponds to the isomorphism in (b) such that  $PA_1P^T = A_2$ .

**Solution.** (a)

$$A_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad A_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

(b) The function  $\phi$  is an isomorphism because if the vertices of  $G_1$  are relabeled,  $v_i$  being replaced by  $\phi(v_i) = u_i$ , then the adjacency matrix of  $G_1$  relative to the  $u_i$ 's is  $A_2$ . (See Theorem 10.3.3.)

(c)

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

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