## CS 70 Discrete Mathematics and Probability Theory Summer 2020 Course Notes DIS 2B

1 True or False

- (a) Any pair of vertices in a tree are connected by exactly one path.
- (b) Adding an edge between two vertices of a tree creates a new cycle.
- (c) Adding an edge in a connected graph creates exactly one new cycle.

## 2 Bipartite Graph

A bipartite graph consists of 2 disjoint sets of vertices (say *L* and *R*), such that no 2 vertices in the same set have an edge between them. For example, here is a bipartite graph (with  $L = \{\text{green vertices}\}$  and  $R = \{\text{red vertices}\}$ ), and a non-bipartite graph.



Figure 1: A bipartite graph (left) and a non-bipartite graph (right).

Prove that a graph has no tours of odd length if it is a bipartite (This is equivalent to proving that, a graph G being a bipartite implies that G has no tours of odd length).

3 Eulerian Tour and Eulerian Walk



- (a) Is there an Eulerian tour in the graph above? If no, give justification. If yes, provide an example.
- (b) Is there an Eulerian walk in the graph above? An Eulerian walk is a walk that uses each edge exactly once. If no, give justification. If yes, provide an example.
- (c) What is the condition that there is an Eulerian walk in an undirected graph? Briefly justify your answer.

## 4 Odd Degree Vertices

**Claim:** Let G = (V, E) be an undirected graph. The number of vertices of *G* that have odd degree is even.

Prove the claim above using:

- (i) Direct proof (e.g., counting the number of edges in *G*). *Hint: in lecture, we proved that*  $\sum_{v \in V} \deg v = 2|E|$ .
- (ii) Induction on m = |E| (number of edges)
- (iii) Induction on n = |V| (number of vertices)