

O projeto de algoritmos online competitivos

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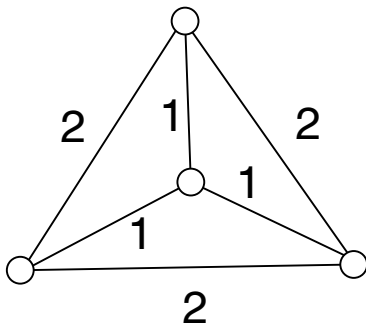
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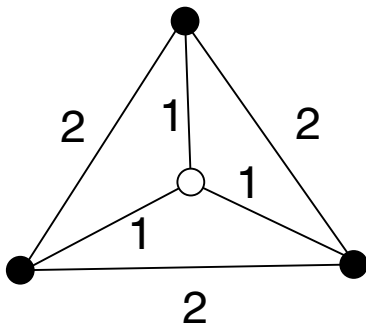
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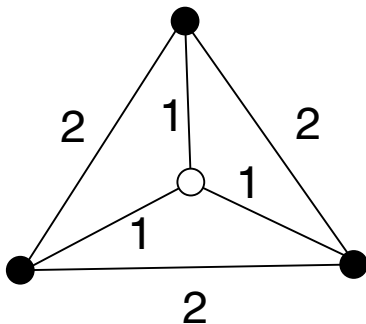
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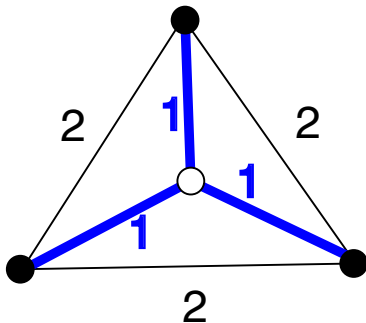


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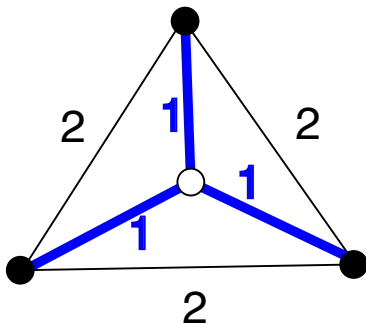
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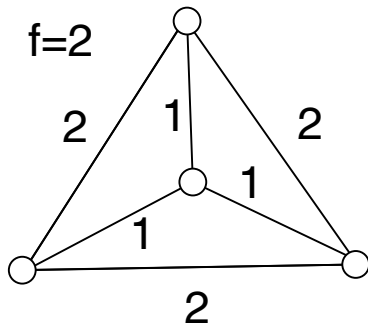
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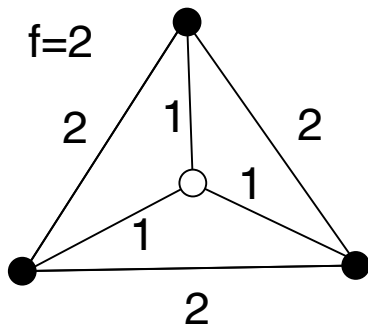
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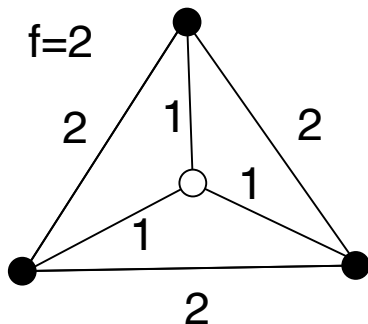
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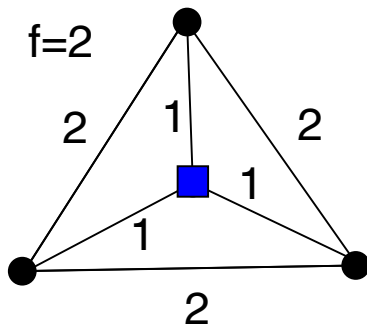


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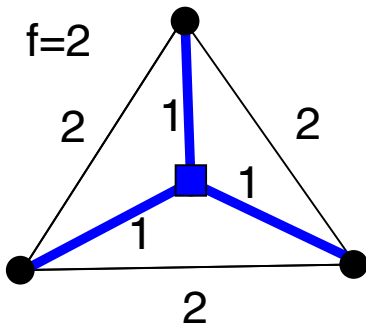
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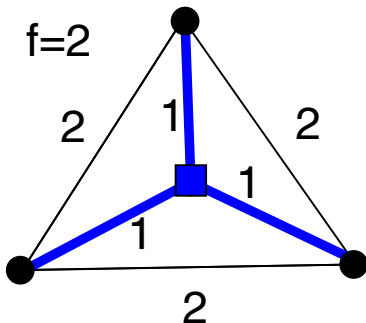
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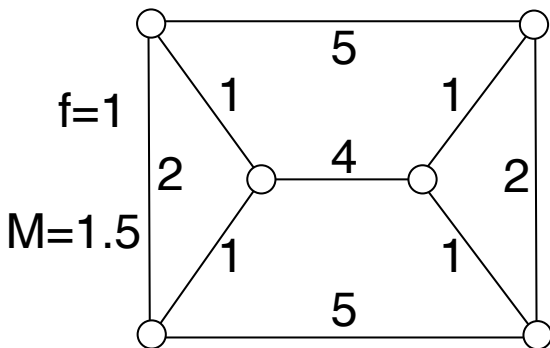
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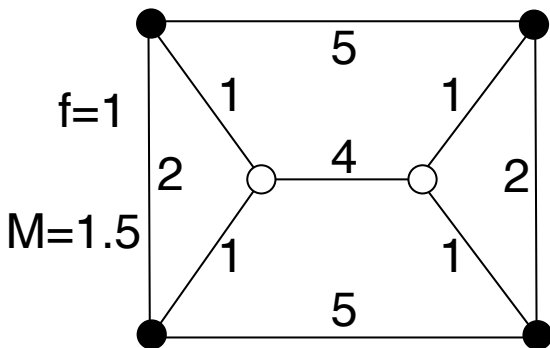
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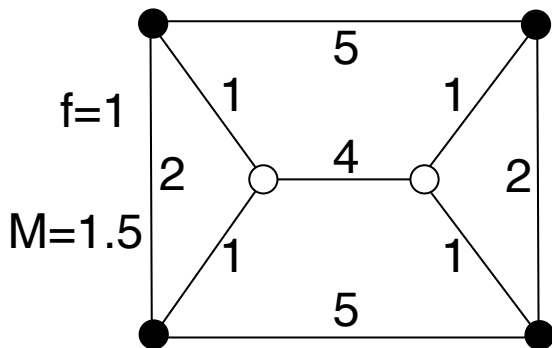
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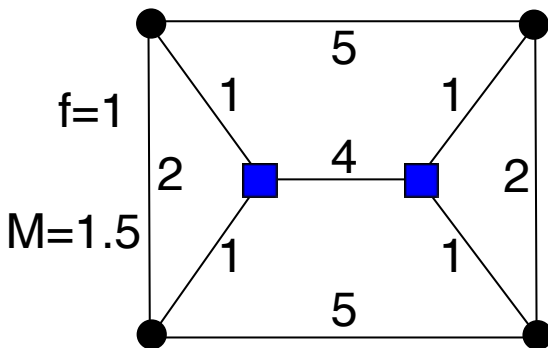


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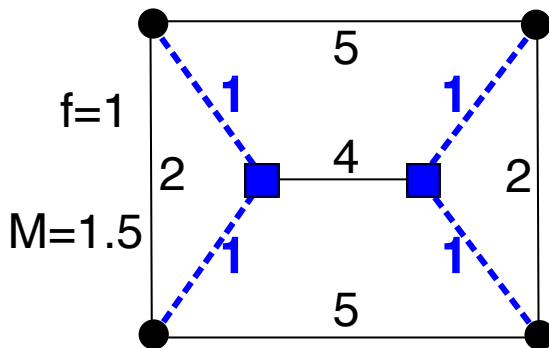
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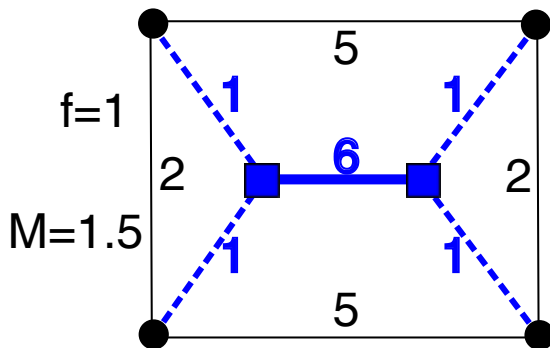
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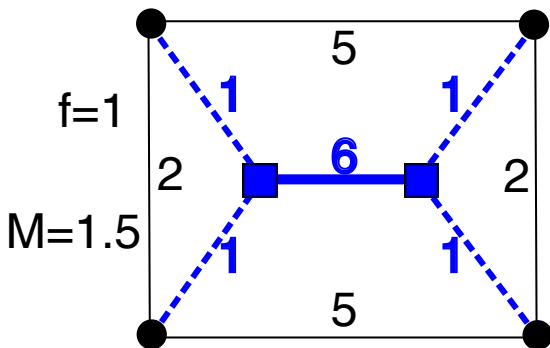
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$$\text{ALG}(I) \leq c \cdot \text{OPT}(I) + \kappa,$$

for every input I and some constant κ .

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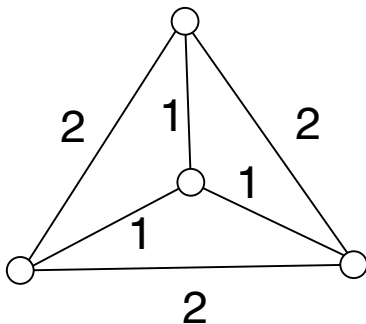
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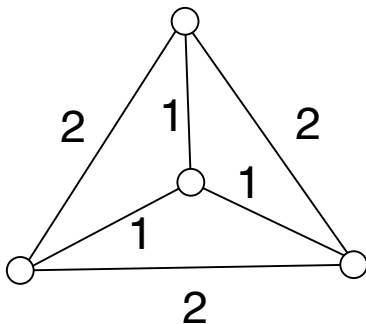
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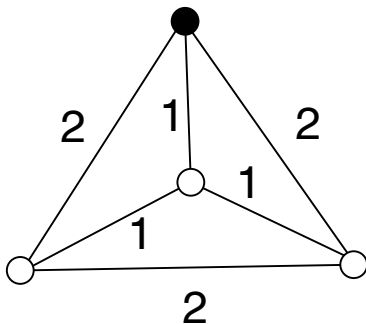


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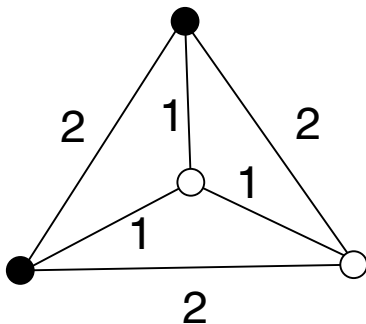
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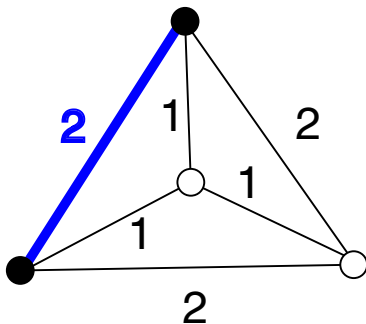
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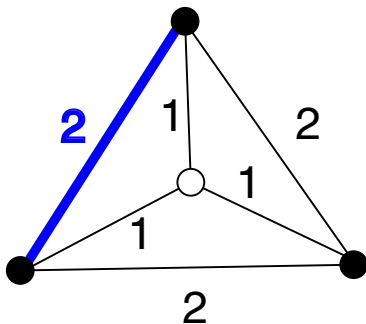
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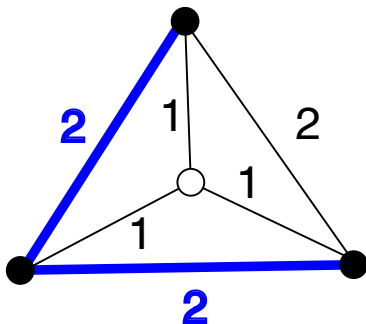
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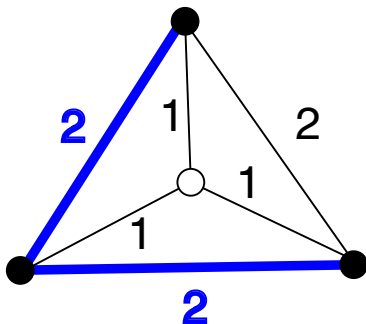
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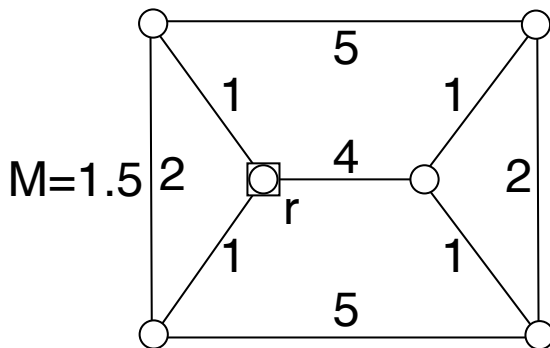
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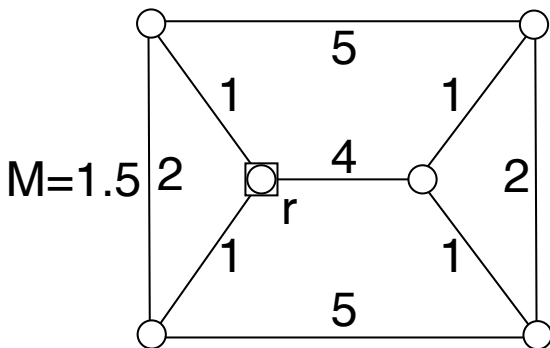
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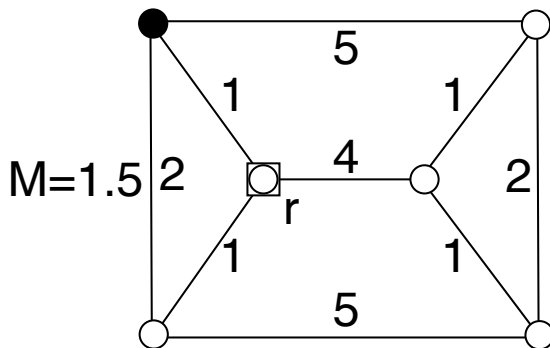


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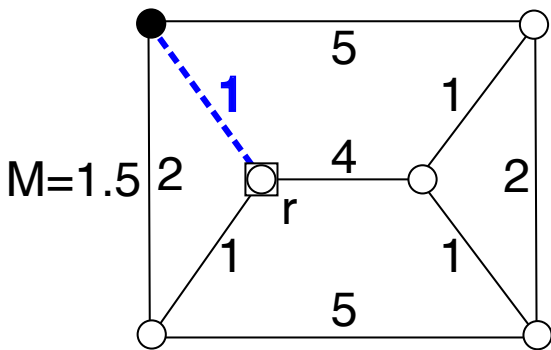
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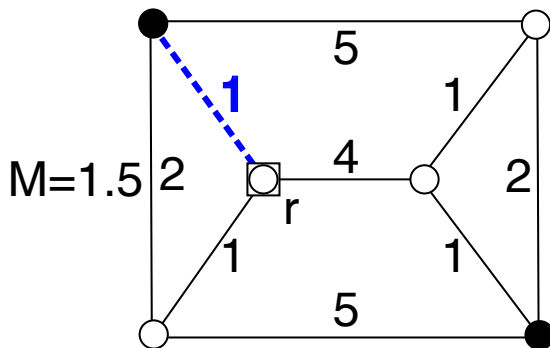
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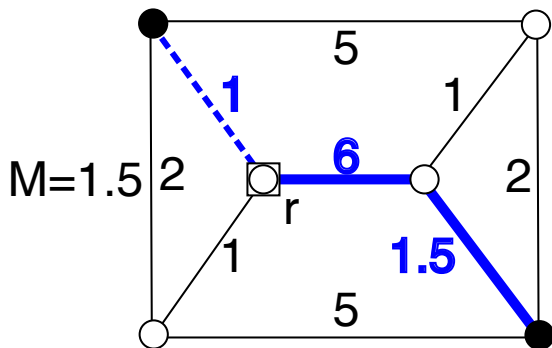
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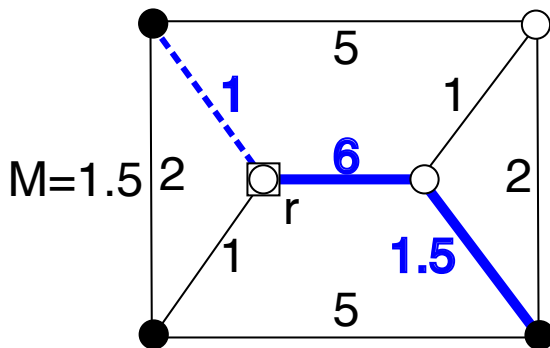
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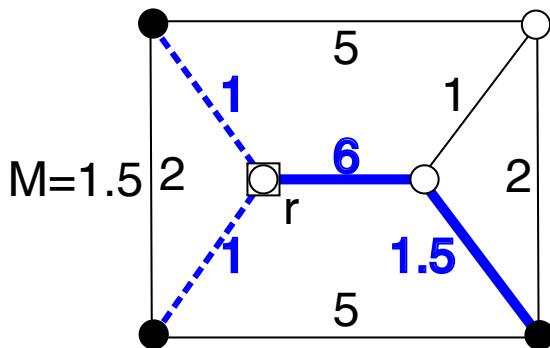
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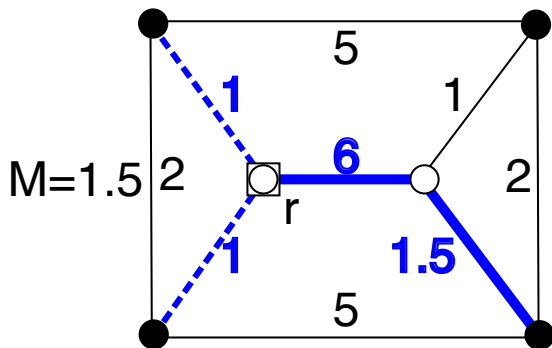
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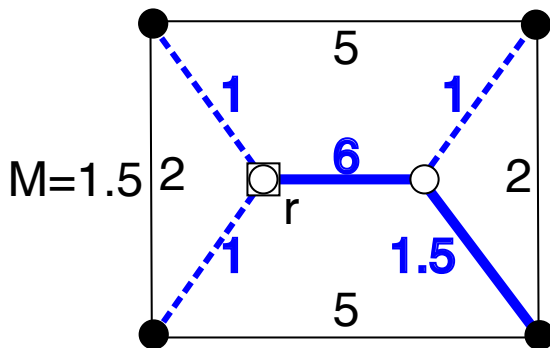
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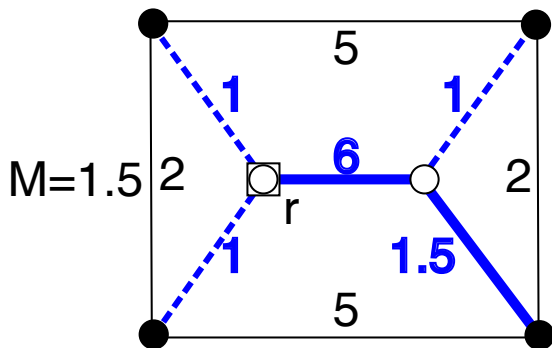
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Online Single-Source Rent-or-Buy Algorithm

Algorithm 2: OSRoB Algorithm.

Input: (G, d, r, M)

$T \leftarrow (\{r\}, \emptyset); P \leftarrow \emptyset; D \leftarrow \emptyset; D^m \leftarrow \emptyset;$

while *a new terminal j arrives* **do**

 include j in D^m with probability $\frac{1}{M};$

if $j \in D^m$ **then**

$T \leftarrow T \cup \{\text{path}(j, V(T))\};$ /* buy edges */

end

$P(j) \leftarrow \text{path}(j, V(T));$ /* rent edges */

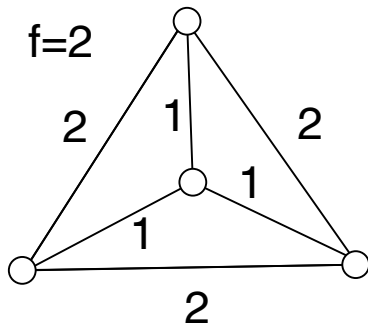
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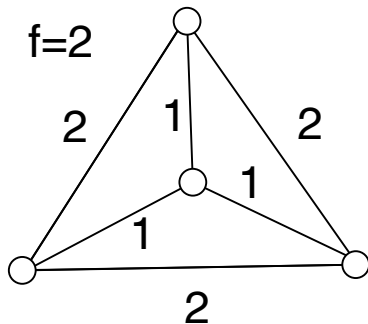
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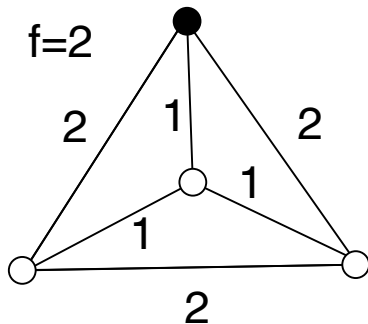


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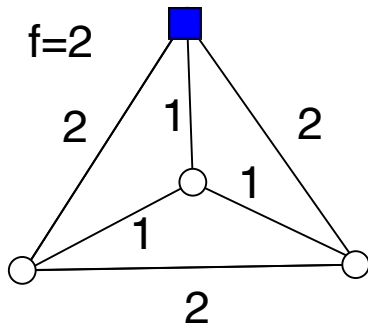
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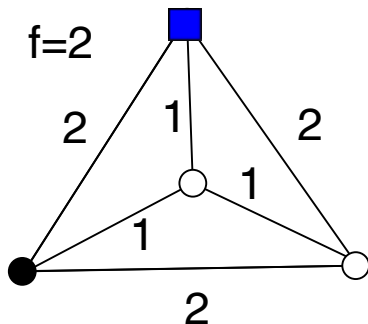
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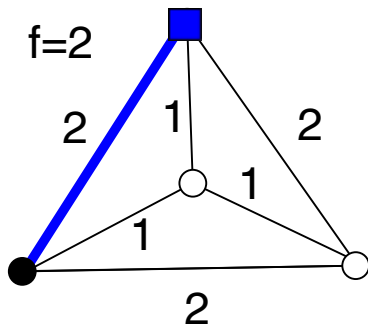
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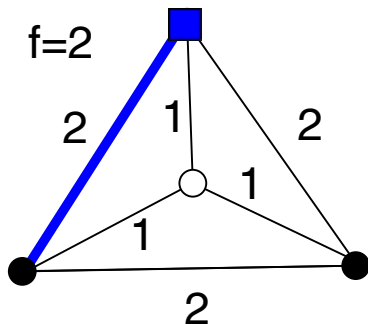
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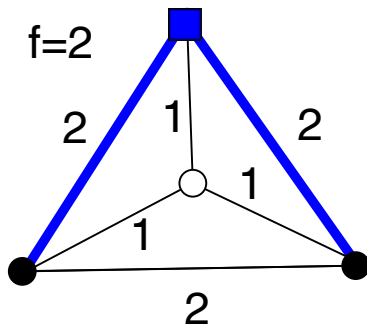
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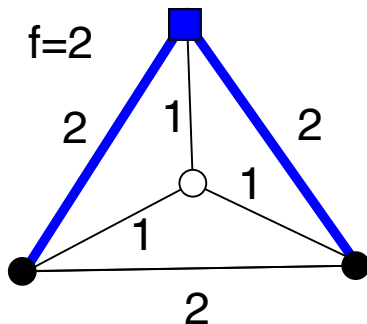
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$$\begin{aligned} \min \quad & \sum_{i \in F} f(i)y_i + \sum_{j \in D} \sum_{i \in F} d(j, i)x_{ji} \\ \text{s.t.} \quad & x_{ji} \leq y_i \quad \text{for } j \in D \text{ and } i \in F, \\ & \sum_{i \in F} x_{ji} \geq 1 \quad \text{for } j \in D, \\ & y_i \geq 0, x_{ji} \geq 0 \quad \text{for } j \in D \text{ and } i \in F, \end{aligned}$$

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Online Facility Location Algorithm

Algorithm 3: OFL Algorithm.

Input: (G, d, f, F)

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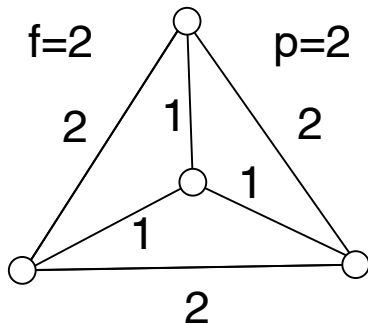
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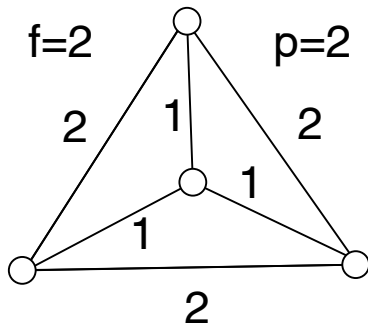
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Online Prize-Collecting Facility Location

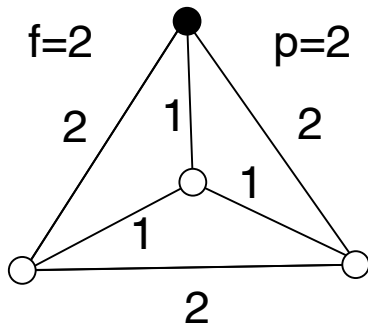


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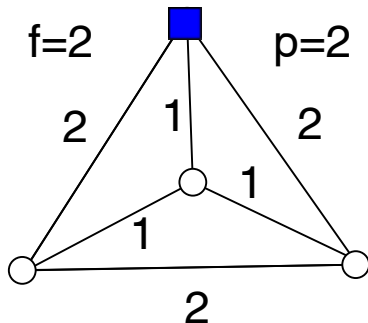
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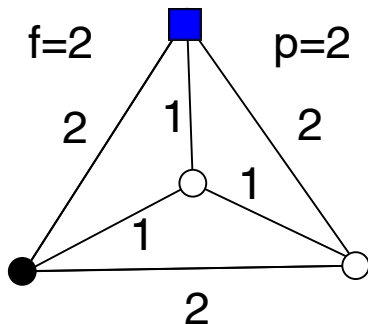
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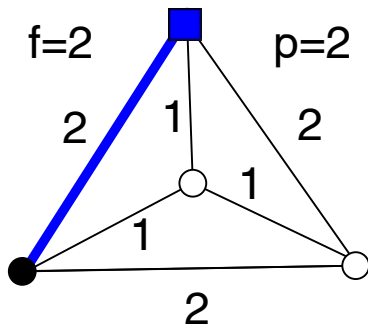
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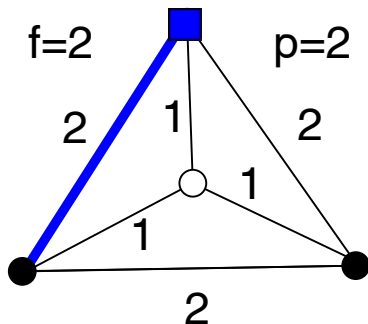
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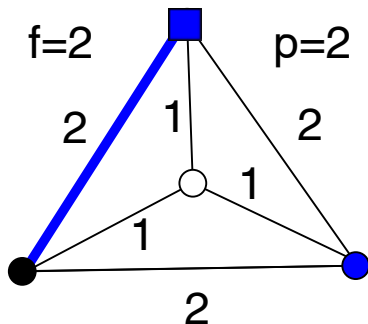
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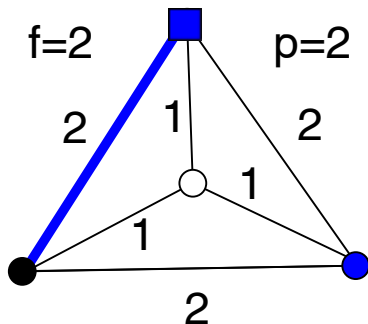
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Online Prize-Collecting Facility Location



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Total cost = $2 + 2 + 2 = 6$.

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OPFL Algorithm

Algorithm 4: OPFL Algorithm.

Input: (G, d, f, p, F)

$D \leftarrow \emptyset; F^a \leftarrow \emptyset;$

while *a new client j' arrives* **do**

 increase $\alpha_{j'}$ until one of the following happens:

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 (c) $\alpha_{j'} = p(j')$; */* pay the penalty */*

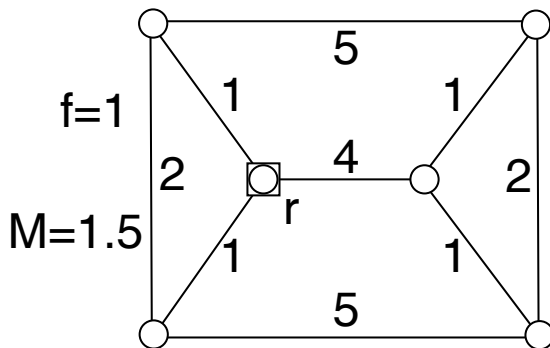
 (in this case i is choose to be null, i.e., $\{i\} = \emptyset$)

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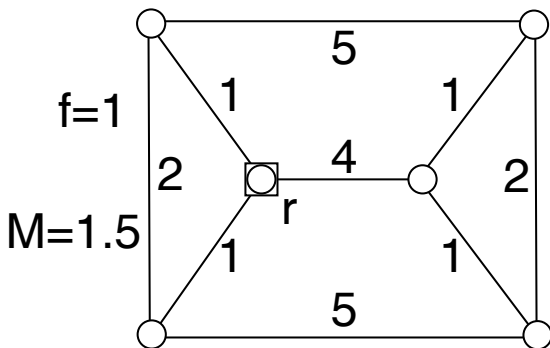
end

return $(F^a, a);$

Online Connected Facility Location Problem

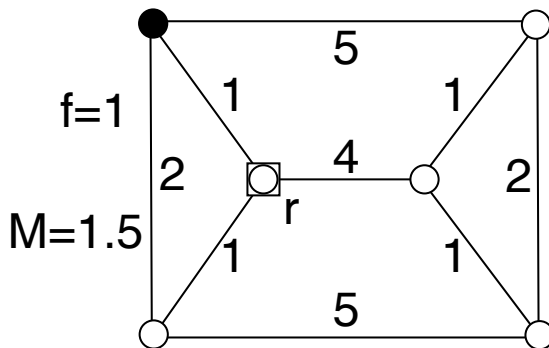


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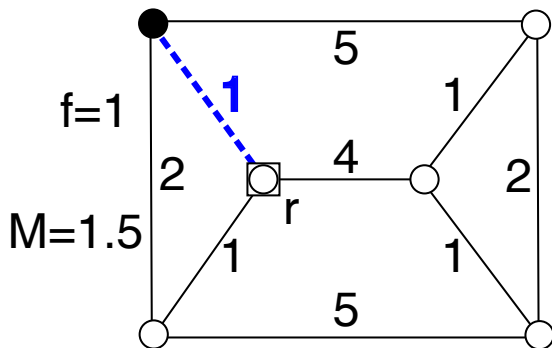
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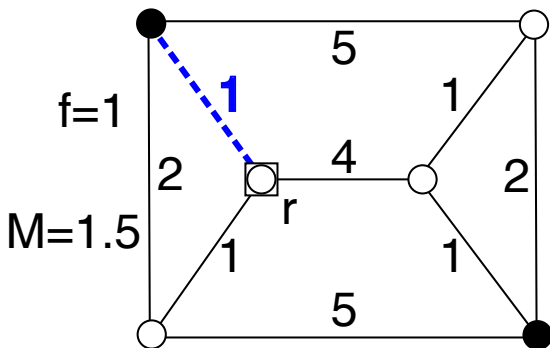
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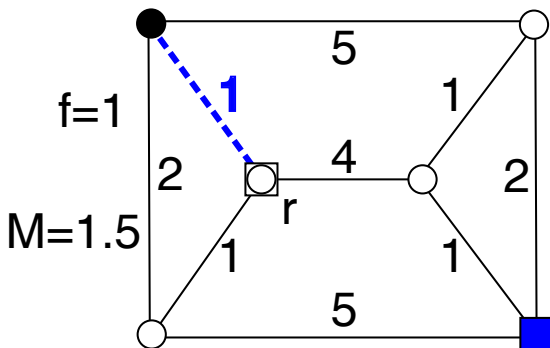
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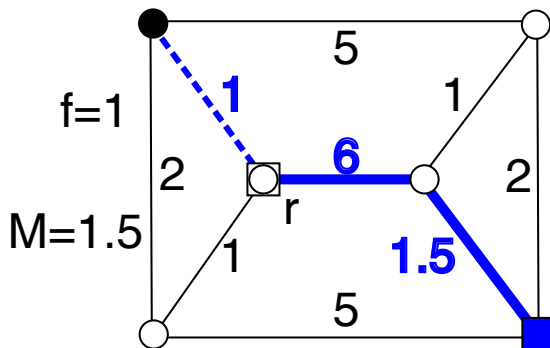
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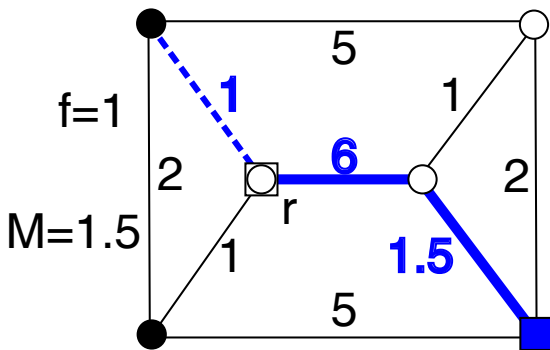
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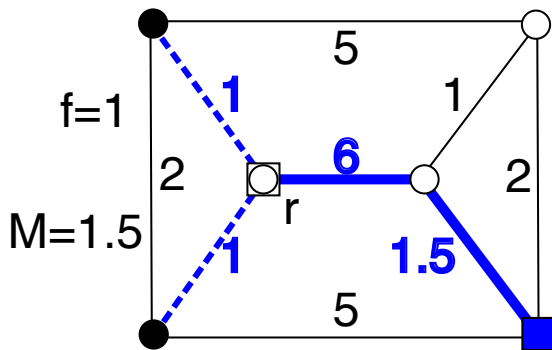
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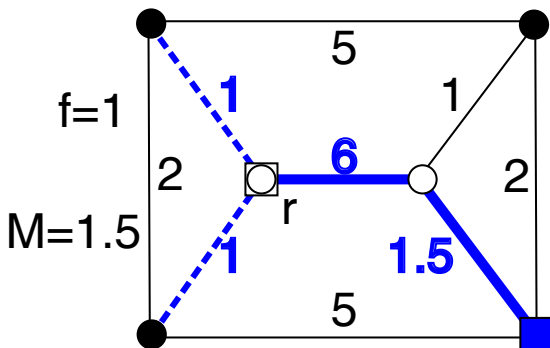
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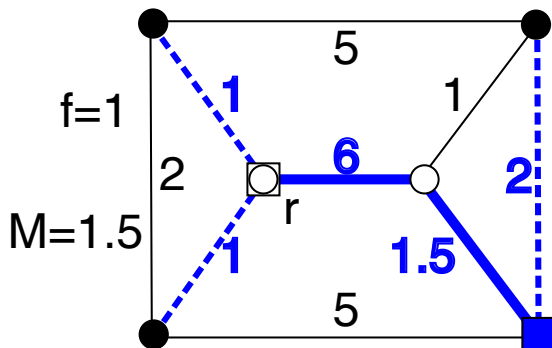
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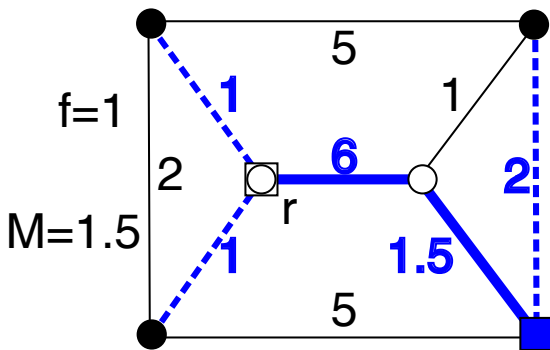
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Online Connected Facility Location Problem



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OCFL Algorithm

Algorithm 5: OCFL Algorithm.

Input: (G, d, f, F, r, M)

set $f(r) \leftarrow 0$ and initialize ALG_{OFL} with (G, d, f, F) ;

send r to ALG_{OFL} ; $F^a \leftarrow \{r\}$; $T \leftarrow (\{r\}, \emptyset)$;

while *a new client j arrives* **do**

 send j to ALG_{OFL} ; */* update virtual solution */*

 include j in D^m with probability $\frac{1}{M}$;

if $j \in D^m$ **then**

$T \leftarrow T \cup \{\text{path}(j, V(T))\}$; */* connect new facility */*

if $v(j)$ *is not opened* **then**

$F^a \leftarrow F^a \cup \{v(j)\}$; $T \leftarrow T \cup \{(v(j), j)\}$;

end

end

 choose $i \in F^a$ that is closest to j ; $D \leftarrow D \cup \{j\}$; $a(j) \leftarrow i$;

end

return (F^a, a, T) ;

Analysis of the OSRoB Algorithm

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We are going to show the following result.

Theorem

$$E[\text{ALG}_{\text{OSRoB}}(D_n)] \leq 2 \lceil \log n \rceil \text{OPT}_{\text{SRoB}}(D_n) .$$

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Remembering the OSRoB Algorithm

Algorithm 6: OSRoB Algorithm.

Input: (G, d, r, M)

$T \leftarrow (\{r\}, \emptyset); P \leftarrow \emptyset; D \leftarrow \emptyset; D^m \leftarrow \emptyset;$

while *a new terminal j arrives* **do**

 include j in D^m with probability $\frac{1}{M};$

if $j \in D^m$ **then**

$T \leftarrow T \cup \{\text{path}(j, V(T))\};$ /* buy edges */

end

$P(j) \leftarrow \text{path}(j, V(T));$ /* rent edges */

$P \leftarrow P \cup \{P(j)\};$

$D \leftarrow D \cup \{j\};$

end

return $(P, T);$

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Analysis of the OSRoB Algorithm

Now we bound the expected buying cost.

Lemma

$$E[B(D_n)] \leq \lceil \log n \rceil \text{OPT}_{\text{SRoB}}(D_n) .$$

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Analysis of the OSRoB Algorithm

And now we bound the expected renting cost.

Lemma

$$E[R(D_n)] \leq E[B(D_n)] .$$

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Since this holds for any outcome of the first $n(j) - 1$ random choices of the algorithm, it holds unconditionally. So

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$$\begin{aligned} E[r(j)|n(j) - 1] &= \frac{M - 1}{M} d(j, V(T_{n(j)})) \\ &\leq d(j, V(T_{n(j)-1})) \\ &= \frac{1}{M} M d(j, V(T_{n(j)-1})) \leq E[b(j)|n(j) - 1] . \end{aligned}$$

Since this holds for any outcome of the first $n(j) - 1$ random choices of the algorithm, it holds unconditionally. So

$$E[R(D_n)] = \sum_{j \in D_n} E[r(j)] \leq \sum_{j \in D_n} E[b(j)] = E[B(D_n)] .$$

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