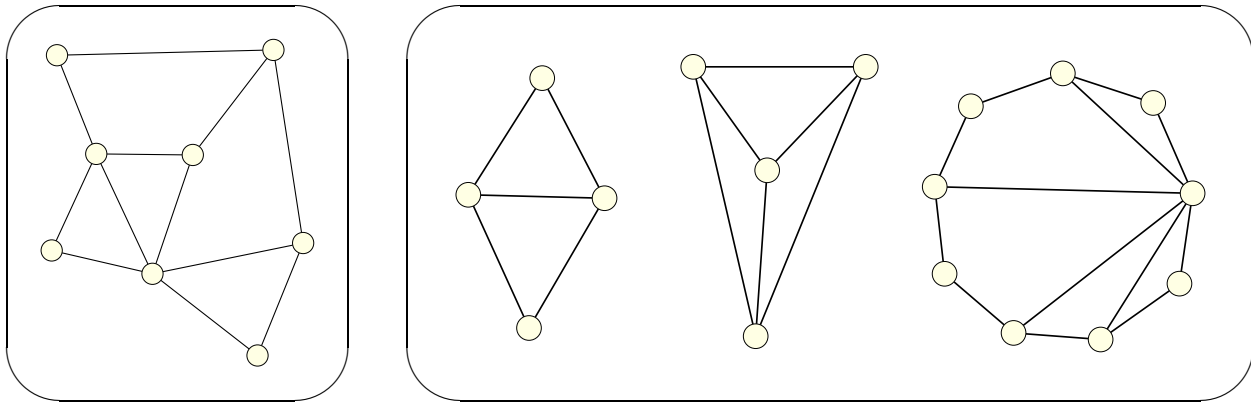


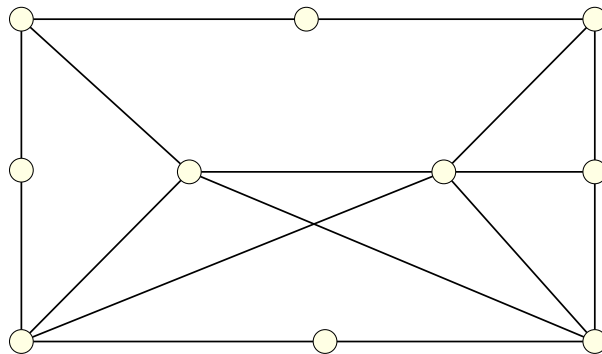
## Exercise Sheet 5

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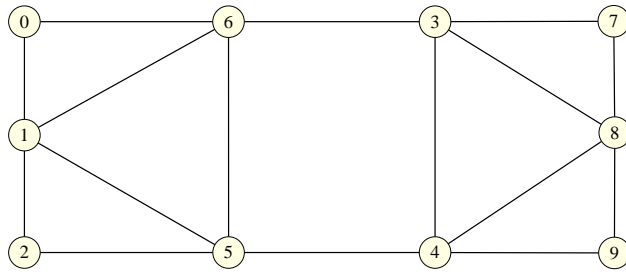
**Exercise 5.1:** Determine the number of faces of the following two embedded graphs. Then, embed each of the two graphs such that the outer face has only three edges.



**Exercise 5.2** Can the graph below be embedded in the plane without intersecting edges?



**Exercise 5.3:** Consider the following graph:



- Find a matching that is neither maximal nor maximum.
- Find a matching that is maximal but not maximum.
- Find a matching that is maximum
- Does the graph contain a 2-factor?

**Exercise 5.4:** For each natural number  $n \geq 2$  specify a connected graph with  $n$  nodes such that a maximum matching in the graph consists of exactly

- $\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor$  edges
- one edge