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### FOR DOMINATION

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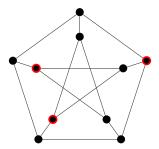
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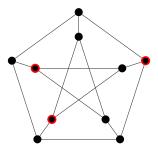
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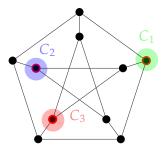
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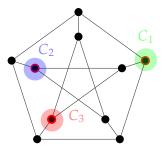
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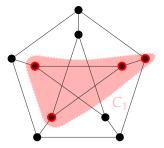
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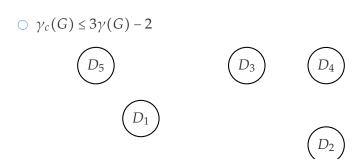
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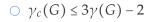




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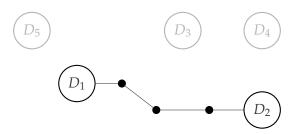


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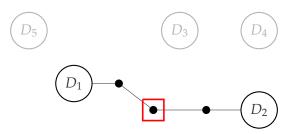


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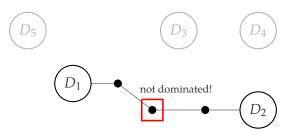


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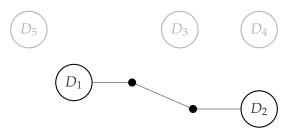


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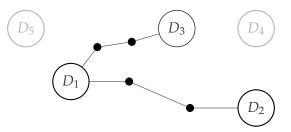


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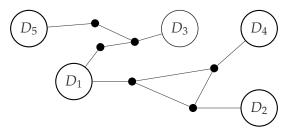


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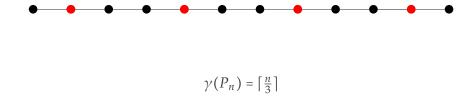
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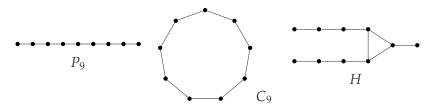
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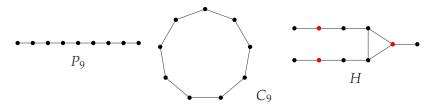


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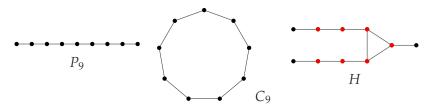


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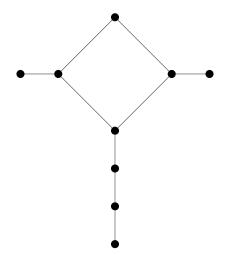
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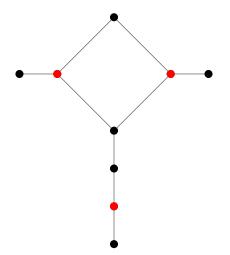
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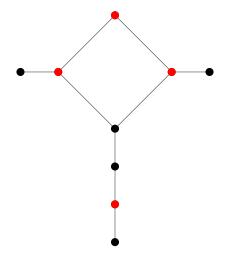
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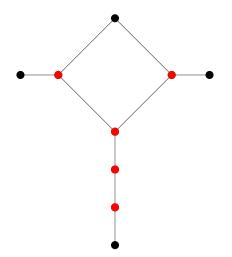
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- $\bigcirc$   $\ell$  the largest integer s.t. there exists a dominating set *D* s.t.

- $|D| \leq \gamma(G) + \ell;$
- with some notion of heredity.









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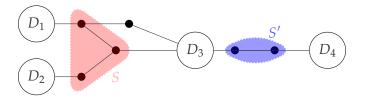
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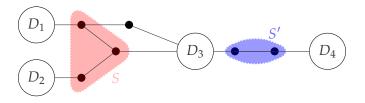
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 $\Rightarrow$  every semi-relevant set is connected.



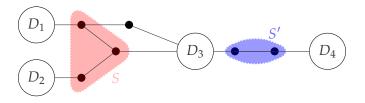
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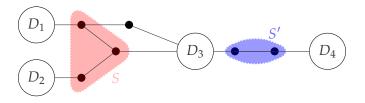
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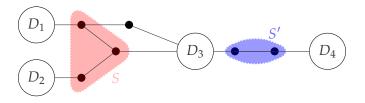
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- If  $D^* = D' \setminus \{w_1\}$  is a connected dominating set:  $|D^*| = 2\gamma(G) \odot$
- If not,  $w_1$  has a private neighbor in  $D^* \Rightarrow G$  contains a forbidden induced subgraph ③.

Thank you for your attention!

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$\gamma(P_n)$	2	2	2	3	3	3	4	4	4	5	5	5
$\gamma_c(P_n)$	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
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