

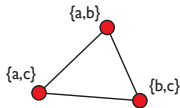
An undirected graph H has adjacency matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- (i) Without drawing a diagram of H , compute the degrees of all its vertices.
- (ii) Now draw H and check your results.

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The *triangular graph* T_N has vertices labelled by the two-element subsets of a set with N elements. Thus, for example, we could start with a set having three elements—say, $\{a, b, c\}$ —then list all of its two-element subsets and regard the result as the vertex set of T_3 : $V = \{\{a, b\}, \{a, c\}, \{b, c\}\}$. Pairs of these vertices are adjacent (they have an edge between them) if the subsets that label them have a nonempty intersection, so the corresponding graph looks like the picture below:



Draw diagrams for T_4 and T_5 , then show the following:

- (i) T_N has $N(N - 1)/2$ vertices. *Hint: How many two-elements subsets does a set with N elements have?*
- (ii) Each vertex of T_N has degree $2N - 4$.
- (iii) If two vertices x and y are adjacent to each other in T_N , then there are $N - 2$ vertices that are adjacent to both.
- (iv) If two vertices x and y are *not* adjacent to each other in T_N , then there are 4 vertices that are adjacent to both.