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Fair even m -polygons have no bands, partitions nor permutation matrixes in contrast to fair odd- m polygons that have bands, partitions and permutation matrixes for their bands. They also have perimeters that are simple Hamiltonian m -circuits. This is not the case for fair *even* m -polygons because their vertexes have an *odd* number of arrows unlike fair odd m -polygons whose vertexes have an *even* number of arrows. Their characteristic functions show other differences. Every simple circuit has a positive characteristic function on the semi-open interval $(0,1]$. The characteristic function for fair *even* m -polygon is negative for all x in $(0,1]$.

Quasi - band is the term I use that corresponds to true bands. Quasi-bands are useful for calculating Eulerian cycles in even m -polygons. The number of quasi-bands $= m/2 - 1 = (m-2)/2$. The number of arrows in a m -polygon does not depend on the parity of m , $m(m-1)/2$ for even and odd m .

Sexagon [Latin]

quasi - bands arrow prospects

b1	b3	b5	u2	u4
1, 2	1, 4	1, 6	3, 1	5, 1
2, 3	2, 5	–	4, 2	6, 2
3, 4	3, 6	–	5, 3	–
4, 5	–	–	6, 4	–
5, 6	–	–	–	–

`ln[*]:= makeA[6]`

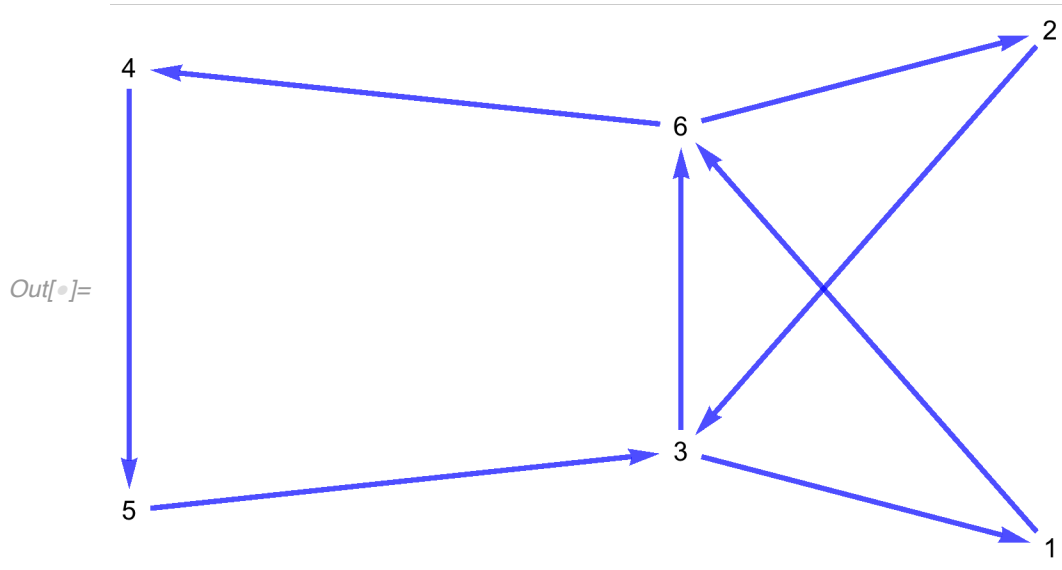
`ln[*]:= LG1 := {{0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1}, {0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0},
 {1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1}, {0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0},
 {0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0}, {0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0}}`

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In[•]:= MatrixForm[LG1]
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Out[•]//MatrixForm=
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$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

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In[•]:= makeGrph[LG1, 2]
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In[•]:= Apply[DirectedEdge, arrw, 1]
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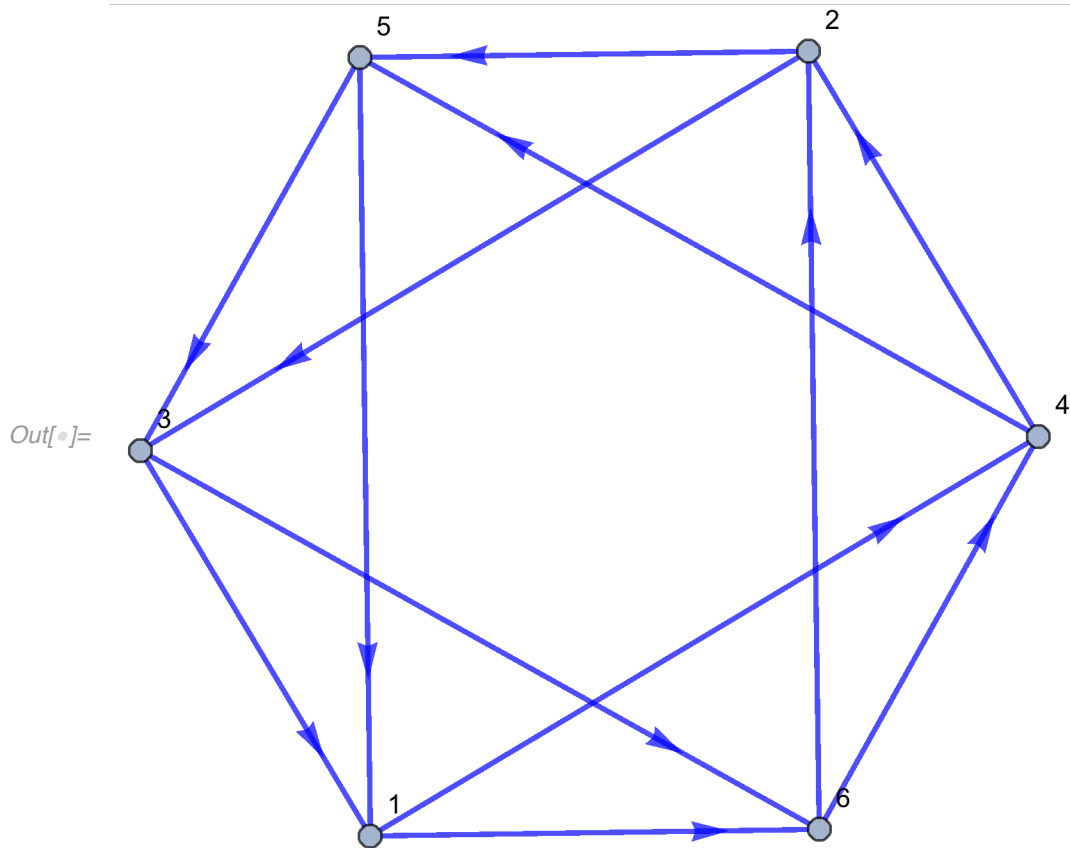
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In[•]:= unused := {1 → 2, 3 → 4, 5 → 6}
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lg1 is not a simple circuit.

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In[•]:= lg1 := {1 → 6, 6 → 2, 2 → 3, 3 → 1, 1 → 4, 4 → 5,
  5 → 3, 3 → 6, 6 → 4, 4 → 2, 2 → 5, 5 → 1}
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In[•]:= l1 := fig[lg1, 2]
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In[•]:= **l1**



Graph of Maximal Eulerian cycle. It is not a partition of the sexagon

In[•]:= **FindEulerianCycle[l1]**

Out[•]= { { 1 \rightarrow 6, 6 \rightarrow 2, 2 \rightarrow 3, 3 \rightarrow 1, 1 \rightarrow 4, 4 \rightarrow 2,
2 \rightarrow 5, 5 \rightarrow 3, 3 \rightarrow 6, 6 \rightarrow 4, 4 \rightarrow 5, 5 \rightarrow 1 } }

In[•]:= **u6** := { {0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1}, {0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0},
{1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1}, {0, 1, 0, 0, 1, 0},
{1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0}, {0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0} }

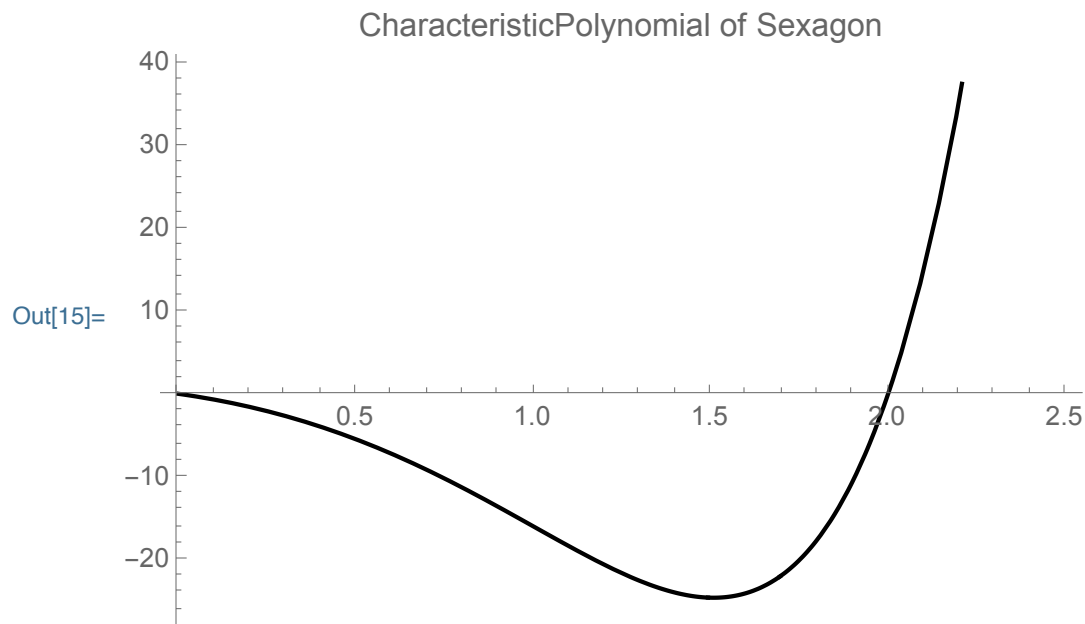
In[•]:= **Det[u6 - x IdentityMatrix[6]]**

Out[•]= $-6x - 9x^2 - 2x^3 + x^6$

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In[•]:= Factor[-6 x - 9 x^2 - 2 x^3 + x^6]
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Out[•]= (-2 + x) x (1 + x)^2 (3 + x^2)
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In[15]:= Plot[-6 x - 9 x^2 - 2 x^3 + x^6, {x, 0, 2.5},
  PlotStyle -> {Black, Medium},
  PlotLabel -> "CharacteristicPolynomial of Sexagon"]
```



The list `ur[top]` shows the arrows in the perimeter of a fair even m -polygon whose adjacency matrix is $A[m]$. Make its arrows. The terms in `ur[m]` are its arrows from $\{1 \rightarrow 2\}$ to $\{m-1, m\}$. It is easier to describe the next step using the sexagon.

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In[1]:= ur[top_Integer] := Table[{i -> i + 1}, {i, 1, top - 1}]
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In[•]:= ur[6]
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Out[•]= {{1 -> 2}, {2 -> 3}, {3 -> 4}, {4 -> 5}, {5 -> 6}}
```

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In[•]:= makeA[6]
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`In[*]:= Apply[DirectedEdge, arrw, 1]`

`Out[*]= {1 → 2, 1 → 4, 1 → 6, 2 → 3, 2 → 5, 3 → 1, 3 → 4,
3 → 6, 4 → 2, 4 → 5, 5 → 1, 5 → 3, 5 → 6, 6 → 2,
6 → 4}`

First step in general procedure

Replace $\{1 \rightarrow 2\}$ by $\{1 \rightarrow 6\}, \{6 \rightarrow 2\}$,
 $\{3 \rightarrow 4\}$ by $\{3 \rightarrow 1\}, \{1 \rightarrow 4\}$
 $\{5 \rightarrow 6\}$ by $\{5 \rightarrow 3\}, \{3 \rightarrow 6\}$

Following $\{3 \rightarrow 6\}$, insert $\{6 \rightarrow 4\}, \{4 \rightarrow 2\}$ & $\{2 \rightarrow 5\}, \{5 \rightarrow 1\}$,

This makes an Eulerian cycle for the sexagon.

Starting from the arrows in the m-polygon, replace alternate pairs beginning with the first $\{1 \rightarrow 2\}$ and continuing to the last, $\{m-1 \rightarrow m\}$, we finish by alternating the remaining terms in the sequence of arrows starting with $\{m \rightarrow m+1\}$ to the last term in the arrow list, $\{m, m-2\}$. The result is

m	6	8	10	12
left out	3	4	5	6

The total number of arrows is $m(m-1)/2$. As we shall see, $m/2$ arrows are left out so the ratio is $1/(m-1)$.

Octagon

Although Mathematica could not find an Eulerian Cycle, I did. The maximal Eulerian cycle excludes 4 arrows.

quasi - bands				prospects		
b1	b3	b5	b7	u2	u4	u6
1, 2	1, 4	1, 6	1, 8	3, 1	5, 1	7, 1
2, 3	2, 5	2, 7	–	4, 2	6, 2	8, 2
3, 4	3, 6	3, 8	–	5, 3	7, 3	–
4, 5	4, 7	–	–	6, 4	8, 4	–
5, 6	5, 8	–	–	7, 5	–	–
6, 7	–	–	–	8, 6	–	–
7, 8	–	–	–	–	–	–

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In[•]:= makeA[8]
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In[•]:= ur[8]
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Out[•]= {{1 → 2}, {2 → 3}, {3 → 4},  
         {4 → 5}, {5 → 6}, {6 → 7}, {7 → 8}}
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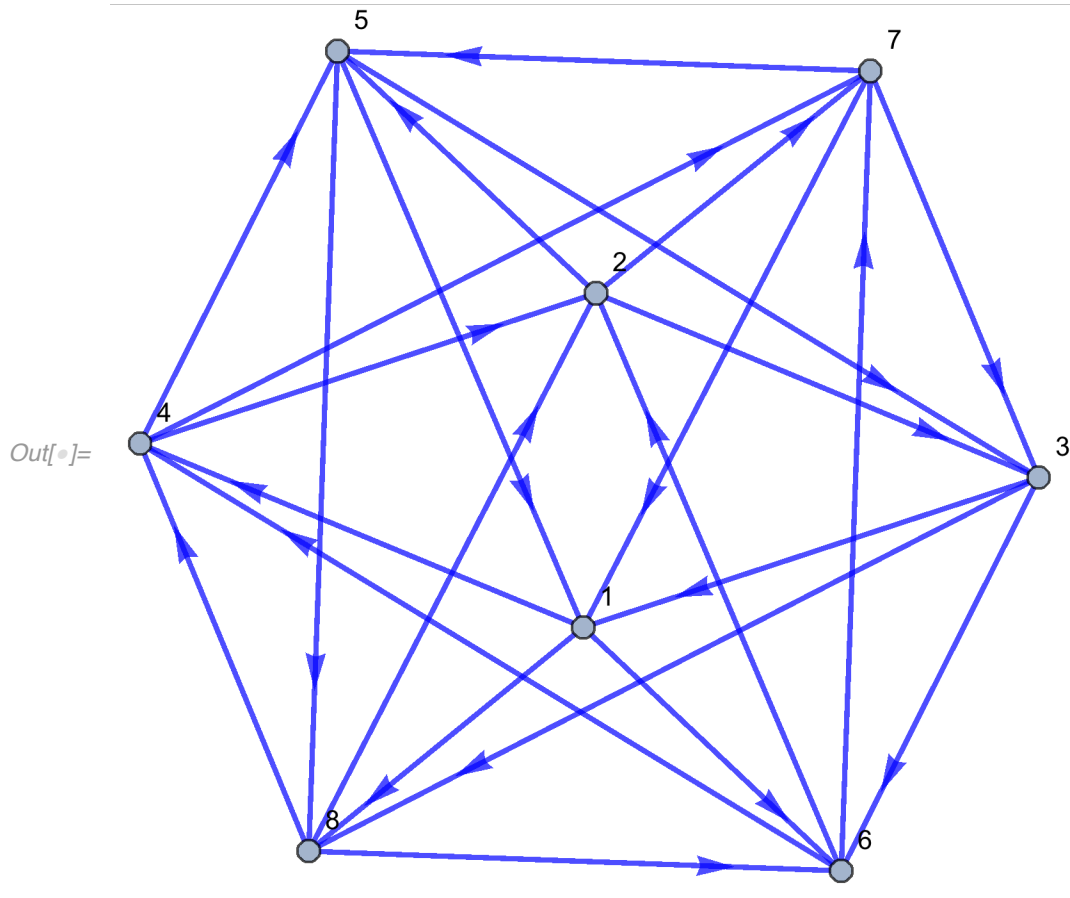
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In[•]:= e1 := {1 → 8, 8 → 2, 2 → 7, 7 → 3, 3 → 8, 8 → 4,  
              4 → 7, 7 → 5, 5 → 8, 8 → 6, 6 → 7, 7 → 1}
```

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In[•]:= e2 := {1 → 6, 6 → 2, 2 → 3, 3 → 1, 1 → 4, 4 → 2,  
              2 → 5, 5 → 3, 3 → 6, 6 → 4, 4 → 5, 5 → 1}
```

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excluded arrows := {1 → 2, 3 → 4, 5 → 6, 7 → 8}
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In[•]:= g12 := fig[e1 ∪ e2, 2]
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In[•]:= **g12**



In[•]:= **FindEulerianCycle[g12]**

Out[•]= { { 1 → 4, 4 → 2, 2 → 3, 3 → 1, 1 → 6, 6 → 4, 4 → 5, 5 → 1,
1 → 8, 8 → 4, 4 → 7, 7 → 3, 3 → 6, 6 → 2, 2 → 5, 5 → 8,
8 → 6, 6 → 7, 7 → 5, 5 → 3, 3 → 8, 8 → 2, 2 → 7, 7 → 1 } }

excluded arrows := { 1 → 2, 3 → 4, 5 → 6, 7 → 8 }

In[•]:= **exa** := { { 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1 }, { 0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0 },
{ 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1 }, { 0, 1, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0 },
{ 1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1 }, { 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 1, 0 },
{ 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0 }, { 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0 } }

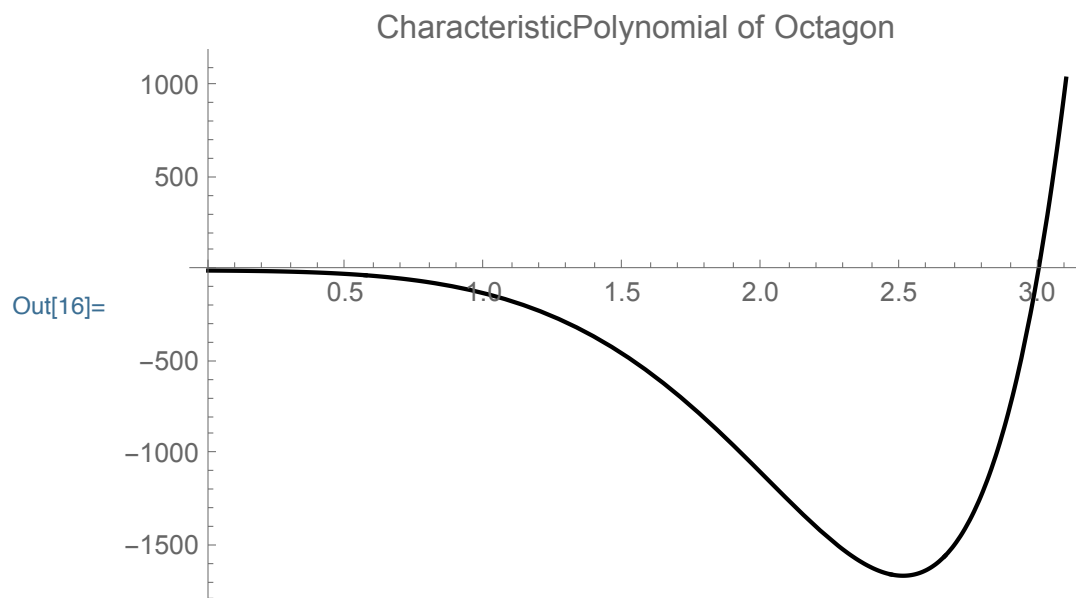

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In[•]:= Det[exa - x IdentityMatrix[8]]
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Out[•]= -3 - 8 x - 24 x2 - 48 x3 - 38 x4 - 8 x5 + x8
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In[•]:= Factor[-3 - 8 x - 24 x2 - 48 x3 - 38 x4 - 8 x5 + x8]
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Out[•]= (-3 + x) (1 + x)3 (1 + 6 x2 + x4)
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In[16]:= Plot[-3 - 8 x - 24 x2 - 48 x3 - 38 x4 - 8 x5 + x8, {x, 0, 3.1},  
PlotStyle -> {Black, Medium}, AxesOrigin -> {0, 0},  
PlotLabel -> "CharacteristicPolynomial of Octagon"]
```



Decagon

quasi - bands

prospects

b1	b3	b5	b7	b9	u2	u4	u6	u8
1, 2	1, 4	1, 6	1, 8	1, 10	3, 1	5, 1	7, 1	9, 1
2, 3	2, 5	2, 7	2, 9	–	4, 2	6, 2	8, 2	10, 2
3, 4	3, 6	3, 8	3, 10	–	5, 3	7, 3	9, 3	–
4, 5	4, 7	4, 9	–	–	6, 4	8, 4	10, 4	–
5, 6	5, 8	5, 10	–	–	7, 5	9, 8	–	–
6, 7	6, 9	–	–	–	8, 6	10, 6	–	–
7, 8	7, 10	–	–	–	9, 7	–	–	–
8, 9	–	–	–	–	10, 8	–	–	–
9, 10	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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In[•]:= makeA[10]
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In[•]:= Apply[DirectedEdge, arrw, 1]
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In[•]:= c1 := {1 → 10, 2 → 3, 3 → 10, 4 → 5, 5 → 10, 6 → 7,
              7 → 10, 8 → 9, 9 → 1, 10 → 2, 10 → 4, 10 → 6, 10 → 8}
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In[•]:= u10 := {9 → 10, 7 → 8, 5 → 6, 3 → 4, 1 → 2}
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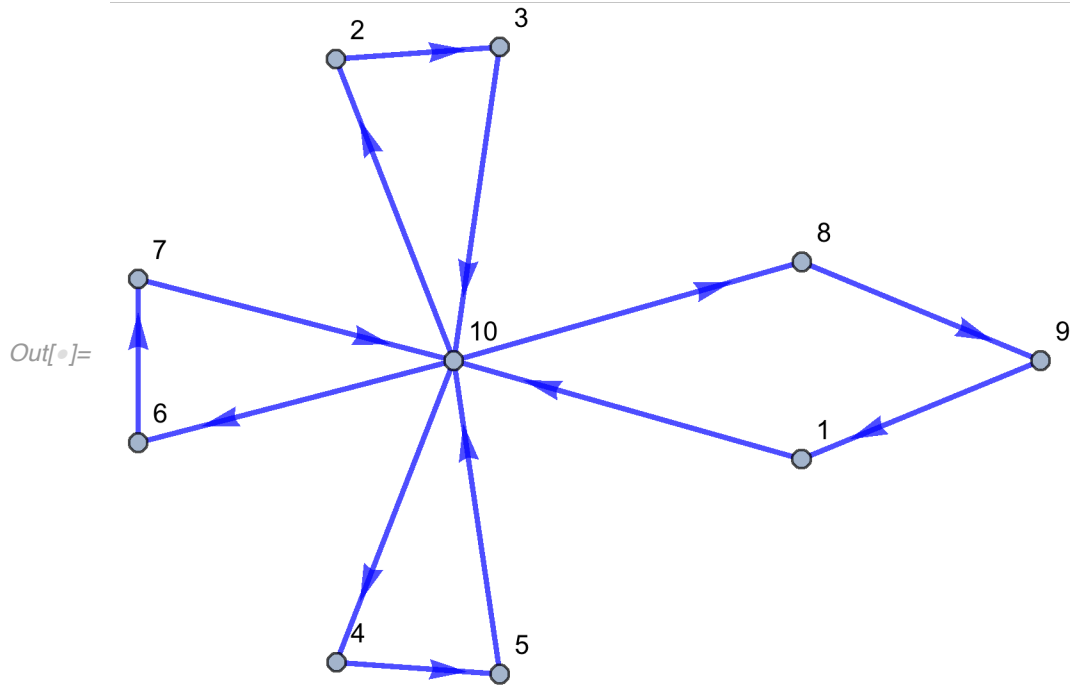
The quasi-bands {c1, c2, c3, c4} are the maximal Eulerian cycle. Neither c1 nor c2 is a simple Hamiltonian circuit

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In[•]:= c4 := {1 → 8, 8 → 6, 6 → 9, 9 → 3, 3 → 1}
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In[•]:= c3 := {1 → 6, 6 → 2, 2 → 7, 7 → 3, 3 → 8, 8 → 4,
              4 → 9, 9 → 5, 5 → 1}
```

```
In[•]:= c2 := {1 → 4, 4 → 2, 2 → 5, 5 → 3, 3 → 6, 6 → 4,
              4 → 7, 7 → 5, 5 → 8, 8 → 2, 2 → 9, 9 → 7, 7 → 1}
```

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In[•]:= fig[c1, 2]
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As required every vertex in the Eulerian cycle has an even number of arrows.

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In[•]:= c1234 := fig[c1 ∪ c2 ∪ c3 ∪ c4, 3]
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In[•]:= FindEulerianCycle[c1234]
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Out[•]= {{1 → 4, 4 → 2, 2 → 3, 3 → 1, 1 → 6, 6 → 4, 4 → 5,
          5 → 1, 1 → 10, 10 → 4, 4 → 7, 7 → 10, 10 → 6,
          6 → 2, 2 → 5, 5 → 10, 10 → 2, 2 → 7, 7 → 5, 5 → 3,
          3 → 10, 10 → 8, 8 → 6, 6 → 7, 7 → 8, 8 → 9, 9 → 1}}
```

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In[•]:= makeA[10]
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In[*]:= chf := {{0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1},
                {0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0},
                {1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1},
                {0, 1, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0},
                {1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1},
                {0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0},
                {1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1},
                {0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0},
                {1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0},
                {0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0}}
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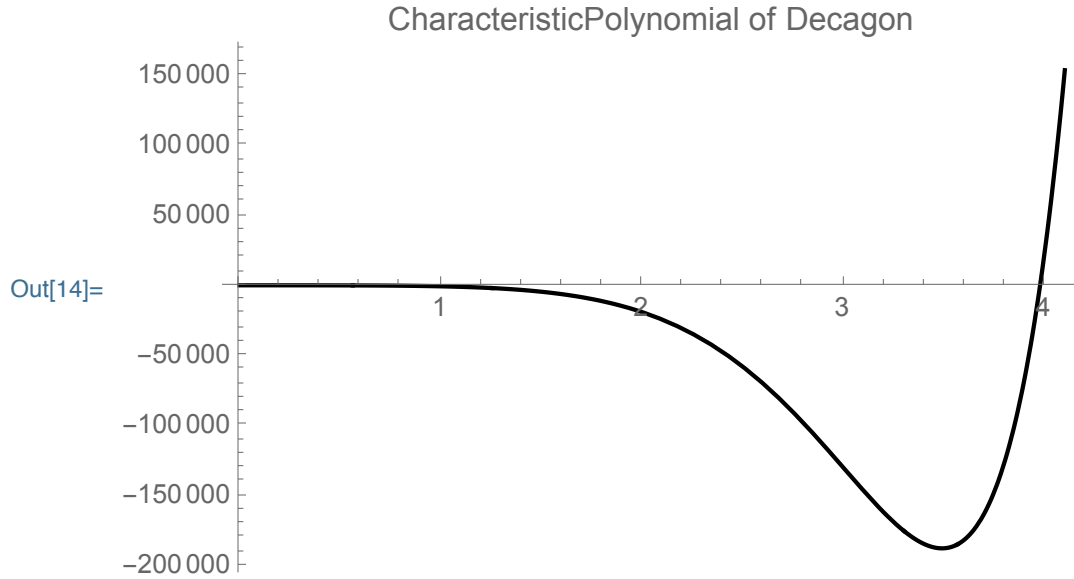
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In[*]:= Det[chf - x IdentityMatrix[10]]
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Out[*]= -2 - 18 x - 63 x2 - 132 x3 - 198 x4 - 198 x5 - 106 x6 - 20 x7 + x10
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In[*]:= Factor[-2 - 18 x - 63 x2 - 132 x3 - 198 x4 - 198 x5 - 106 x6 -
            20 x7 + x10]
```

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Out[*]= (1 + x)3 (-2 - 12 x - 21 x2 - 31 x3 - 30 x4 + 6 x5 - 3 x6 + x7)
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In[14]:= Plot[-2 - 18 x - 63 x^2 - 132 x^3 - 198 x^4 - 198 x^5 - 106 x^6 -
  20 x^7 + x^10, {x, 0, 4.1}, PlotStyle -> {Medium, Black},
  PlotLabel -> "CharacteristicPolynomial of Decagon"]
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Conclusions

A fair m -polygon has $m(m-1)/2$ arrows. A fair even m -polygon leaves out $m/2$ arrows to obtain the maximal Eulerian cycle. The left-out arrows measure the minimal structural unemployment in the m -polygon network. Let σ denote the structural unemployment rate divided by total number of arrows in the polygon. Thus σ is the minimal structural unemployment rate. Equation (1) shows σ decreases as m increases.

$$(1) \quad \sigma = (m/2) \div (m(m-1)/2) = 1/(m-1).$$

Because the maximal Eulerian cycle in an odd m -polygon is a partition, it includes all arrows so that odd polygons have no structural unemployment. Since even and odd numbers alternate, simple algebra can show cyclical behavior of σ . An even m -polygon has $m(m-1)/2$ arrows. The following odd $(m+1)$ -polygon has $m(m+1)/2$ arrows. The difference between the odd and the preceding m number, $[m(m+1)-m(m-1)]/2$ is m . The successor odd m -polygon has m more arrows than its predecessor even m -polygon. The Eulerian Cycle, (E-cycle) in the odd m -polygon is a partition so it includes all its arrows. The preceding even m -polygon has a maximal E-cycle that leaves out $m/2$ arrows. The difference between E-cycle sizes odd minus even is $m + m/2$, the new arrows in the odd polygon + the arrows left out of the preceding maximal

E-cycle is $(3/2)$. The table shows that structural unemployment decreases as m increases.

m	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	...
σ	$1/3$	0	$1/5$	0	$1/7$	0	$1/9$	0	$1/11$...
