

# Lemmas Needed For Finite Canonical Ramsey Theorem

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**Definition:** Let  $COL : \binom{[m]}{2} \rightarrow \omega$ . Let  $c$  be a color and let  $v \in [m]$ .

1.  $\deg_c(x)$  is the number of  $c$ -colored edges  $(x, y)$ .
2. A *bad triple* is a triple  $a, b, c$  such that  $a, b, c$  does not form a rainbow  $K_3$ .

# If Degree is Low: Rainbow!

**Lemma:** Let  $COL : \binom{[m]}{2} \rightarrow \omega$  be such that, for every color  $c$  and vertex  $v$ ,  $\deg_c(v) \leq d$ . Then there exists a Rainbow set of size  $\Omega(m^{1/3})$ .

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**Lemma:** Let  $COL : \binom{[m]}{2} \rightarrow \omega$  be such that, for every color  $c$  and vertex  $v$ ,  $\deg_c(v) \leq d$ . Then the number of bad triples is less than  $\frac{dm^2}{6}$ .

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**Lemma:** Let  $COL : \binom{[m]}{2} \rightarrow \omega$  be such that there are  $\leq b$  bad triples. Let  $1 \leq m' \leq m$ . There exists an  $m'$ -sized set of vertices with  $\leq b \left(\frac{m'}{m}\right)^3$  bad triples.

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