Probabilistic Method and Random Graphs

9. Series

due on January 22

Exercise 1

Show that for every $k \ge 2$ and $n^{-k/(k-1)} \ll p \ll n^{-(k+1)/k}$ a.a.s. the random graph G(n,p) is a forest containing all trees on at most k vertices, but no larger tree.

Exercise 2

Show that if $p \ll n^{-1}$, then a.a.s. the random graph G(n, p) is a forest.

Exercise 3

Show that for every $\varepsilon > 0$ the random graph G(n, M) with $M \ge (1 + \varepsilon)n$ is a.a.s. not planar.

Exercise 4

Show that for any integer $k \ge 1$ and any function $\omega(n)$ tending to infinity the following holds:

(a) If $pn < \ln n + (k-1) \ln \ln n - \omega(n)$, then a.a.s. $\delta(G(n,p)) \le k-1$.

(b) If $pn > \ln n + (k-1) \ln \ln n + \omega(n)$, then a.a.s. $\delta(G(n,p)) \ge k$.