

## INDECOMPOSABLE 1-FACTORIZATIONS OF THE COMPLETE MULTIGRAPH

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### Abstract

The existence of 1-factorizations of the complete multigraph  $\lambda K_n$  which cannot be decomposed into 1-factorizations with smaller  $\lambda$  is studied.

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### 1. Introduction

Any 1-factorization of the complete graph  $K_{2n}$  provides a schedule for the  $2n - 1$  rounds of a simple round robin tournament for  $2n$  teams, with each team meeting each other team exactly once. If each team is to meet each other team exactly  $\lambda$  times, one schedule for such a multiple round robin tournament is obtained by combining any  $\lambda$  schedules (whether identical or not) for a single round robin tournament. In graph-theoretic terms, combining any  $\lambda$  1-factorizations of  $K_{2n}$  yields a 1-factorization of  $\lambda K_{2n}$ .

One might ask the converse question: given a 1-factorization of  $\lambda K_{2n}$ ,  $\lambda > 1$ , is it the union of  $\lambda$  1-factorizations of  $K_{2n}$ ? It is readily seen that the answer can be “no”; it suffices to take the 15 distinct 1-factors of  $K_6$ , remove the 5 1-factors of the unique 1-factorization, and observe that the remaining 10 1-factors cannot be partitioned into two 1-factorizations of  $K_6$ . A more general question would be as

follows: given a 1-factorization of  $\lambda K_{2n}$ ,  $\lambda > 1$ , can it be written as a union of 1-factorizations of  $\lambda'K_{2n}$  and  $\lambda''K_{2n}$  for some  $\lambda', \lambda'' < \lambda$ , for which  $\lambda' + \lambda'' = \lambda$ ? If a 1-factorization cannot be written in this way, we call it *indecomposable*. We examine the existence of indecomposable 1-factorizations of  $K_{2n}$  in this paper, and show that there exist indecomposable 1-factorizations of  $\lambda K_{2n}$  for arbitrarily high values of  $\lambda$ . We also settle existence of indecomposable 1-factorizations for  $2 \leq \lambda \leq 6$ , leaving a few small open cases.

## 2. Main results

A 1-factorization of the complete multigraph  $\lambda K_{2n}$  is a pair  $(V, F)$  where  $V$  is the vertex set of  $K_{2n}$ , and  $F$  is a collection of  $\lambda(2n - 1)$  1-factors. A comprehensive survey of research on 1-factorizations of complete graphs is given in [3]. If no two members of  $F$  are identical as 1-factors (i.e., no 1-factors are “repeated”), the 1-factorization is said to be *simple*. We denote a 1-factorization of  $\lambda K_{2n}$  by  $OF(2n, \lambda)$ ; when it is indecomposable, we denote it by  $IOF(2n, \lambda)$ .

In what follows we need an auxiliary result on the existence of 1-factorizations of certain graphs. For  $x \in \mathbb{Z}_n$ , define  $|x|$  as  $x$  if  $0 \leq x \leq \lfloor n/2 \rfloor$ , and  $-x$  if  $\lfloor n/2 \rfloor < x < n$ . For  $n \geq 2$  and  $L \subseteq \{1, 2, \dots, \lfloor n/2 \rfloor\}$ , let  $G(n, L)$  be the regular graph with vertex set  $\mathbb{Z}_n$  and edge set  $E$  given by  $\{x, y\} \in E$  if and only if  $|x - y| \in L$ .

**LEMMA 1.** *Let  $n$  be an even positive integer, and let  $\emptyset \neq L \subseteq \{1, 2, \dots, n/2\}$ . Then  $G(n, L)$  has a 1-factorization if and only if  $n/\gcd(j, n)$  is even for at least one  $j \in L$ .*

**PROOF.** See [2, 4].

Our first result shows that there are indecomposable 1-factorizations with arbitrarily high index  $\lambda$ .

**THEOREM 2.** *There exists a simple  $IOF(2n, n - 1)$  whenever  $2n - 1$  is a prime.*

**PROOF.** Let  $V = \mathbb{Z}_{2n-1} \cup \{\infty\}$ , and let  $\theta$  be a generator of  $\mathbb{Z}_{2n-1}$ . Let  $F$  be the 1-factor  $\{\{2i - 1, 2i\} | 1 \leq i < n\} \cup \{\{0, \infty\}\}$ . Let  $F_i = \theta^i F$ ,  $0 \leq i \leq n - 2$ , and let  $FF = \{F_i | 0 \leq i \leq n - 2\} \bmod 2n - 1$ . Then  $(V, FF)$  is an  $OF(2n, n - 1)$ , which by construction is simple. Let us show that it is also indecomposable. Assume that there exists an  $OF(2n, \lambda)(V, F')$  with  $F' \subseteq FF$ ,  $\lambda < n - 1$ . Consider all of the pairs  $\{x, y\}$ ,  $x, y \in \mathbb{Z}_{2n-1}$  having  $|x - y| = 1$ . There are  $2n - 1$

such pairs, each of which is contained in exactly  $\lambda$  factors of  $F'$ . On the other hand,  $F'$  contains  $m$  1-factors for some  $m < 2n - 1$  whose edges  $\{x, y\}$  are such that  $|x - y| = 1$ , and each of these 1-factors contains  $2n - 2$  such edges. Thus we have  $\lambda(2n - 1) = m(2n - 2)$ , which is a contradiction.

Any nonempty set of edges of a 1-factor  $F$  is a *subfactor* of  $F$ . An  $OF(2n, \lambda)$   $(V, F)$  is said to be a *sub-OF* of an  $OF(2s, \lambda)$   $(W, G)$  if  $V \subseteq W$ , and for each  $f \in F$  there is a  $g \in G$  such that  $f$  is a subfactor of  $g$ . We also say that  $(V, F)$  is *embedded* in  $(W, G)$ .

**THEOREM 3.** *Any  $OF(2n, \lambda)$  can be embedded in a simple  $OF(2s, \lambda)$  for  $s \geq 2n$  provided  $\lambda \leq 2n - 1$ .*

**PROOF.** Let  $(V, F)$  be an  $OF(2n, \lambda)$  with  $V = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_{2n}\}$  and  $F = \{F_{i,j} | 1 \leq i \leq 2n - 1, 1 \leq j \leq \lambda\}$ . Note that  $(V, F)$  is not required to be simple. However, we may assume without loss of generality that if  $(V, F)$  contains repeated 1-factors whenever  $F_{i,j}$  and  $F_{k,l}$  are identical as 1-factors, then  $i \neq k$ .

Let  $w = s - n$ , and consider the complete graph  $K_{2w}$  with vertex set  $Z_{2w}$  (we assume here that  $V \cap Z_{2w} = \emptyset$ ). The graph  $G(2w, \{w - n + 1, w - n + 2, \dots, w\})$  is regular of degree  $2n - 1$ , and by Lemma 1 has a 1-factorization. Let  $H_i, 1 \leq i \leq 2n - 1$  be the 1-factors of such a 1-factorization. We construct a set  $K$  of 1-factors on the  $2s$  vertices  $V \cup Z_{2w}$ , taking  $K = \{K_{i,j} = F_{i,j} \cup H_i | 1 \leq i \leq 2n - 1, 1 \leq j \leq \lambda\}$ .  $K$  is a set of  $\lambda(2n - 1)$  distinct 1-factors.

The remaining 1-factors involve edges between  $V$  and  $Z_{2w}$ , and are constructed as follows. Let  $A = \{A_r | 1 \leq r \leq w - n\}$  be a set of  $w - n$  disjoint pairs:  $A_r = \{a_r, b_r\}, a_r, b_r \in Z_{2w}, |a_r - b_r| = r, A_r \cap A_q = \emptyset$  for  $r \neq q$ . Such a set  $A$  always exists and is easy to construct by taking a Skolem or hooked Skolem  $(w - 1)$ -sequence and omitting from it the  $n - 1$  pairs with largest differences  $w - n + 1, \dots, w - 1$ .

Let  $Y = \{y_1, \dots, y_{2n}\} = Z_{2w} - \cup_{r=1}^{w-n} A_r$ . Define, for  $i \in Z_{2w}, M_i = \{\{v_t, y_t + i\} | 1 \leq t \leq 2n\} \cup \{\{a_r + i, b_r + i\} | 1 \leq r \leq w - n\}$ . Clearly  $M_i$  is a 1-factor of  $K_{2s}$  on  $V \cup Z_{2w}$ . Now let  $C$  be any  $\lambda \times 2n$  Latin rectangle, and let  $b_j$  be the permutation given by the  $j$ th row of  $C$ . Let  $M_{i,j} = \{\{v_t, y_{tb_j} + i\} | 1 \leq t \leq 2n\} \cup \{\{a_r + i, b_r + i\} | 1 \leq r \leq w - n\}$ . It is straightforward to verify that  $M = \{M_{i,j} | i \in Z_{2w}, 1 \leq j \leq \lambda\}$  is a set of  $2w\lambda$  distinct 1-factors, and further that  $(V \cup Z_{2w}, K \cup M)$  is a simple  $OF(2s, \lambda)$  containing the (not necessarily simple)  $OF(2n, \lambda)(V, F)$ .

**COROLLARY 4.** *If there exists an IOF(2n, λ) with  $\lambda \leq 2n - 1$ , there exists a simple IOF(2s, λ) for  $s \geq 2n$ .*

Before proceeding further, we observe that any  $OF(4, \lambda)$ ,  $\lambda > 1$ , is trivially decomposable. Thus if an  $IOF(2n, \lambda)$  exists for  $\lambda > 1$ , then  $n \geq 3$ .

**THEOREM 5.** *A simple  $IOF(2n, 2)$  exists if and only if  $n \geq 3$ .*

**PROOF.** An  $IOF(6, 2)$  exists by Theorem 2 (and also by the remarks in the introduction). Theorem 3 then gives a simple  $IOF(2n, 2)$  for all  $n \geq 6$ . It remains only to exhibit solutions for  $n = 4$  and 5. One simple  $IOF(8, 2)$  has  $V = Z_7 \cup \{\infty\}$ , and  $F = F' \cup F''$  where  $F' = \{\{0, \infty\}, \{1, 6\}, \{2, 3\}, \{4, 5\} \text{ mod } 7\}$  and  $F'' = \{\{0, \infty\}, \{1, 5\}, \{2, 4\}, \{3, 6\} \text{ mod } 7\}$ .

An  $IOF(10, 2)$  is developed similarly with  $F' = \{\{0, \infty\}, \{1, 4\}, \{2, 6\}, \{3, 7\}, \{5, 8\} \text{ mod } 9\}$  and  $F'' = \{\{0, \infty\}, \{1, 3\}, \{2, 4\}, \{5, 6\}, \{7, 8\} \text{ mod } 9\}$ .

**THEOREM 6.** *A simple  $IOF(2n, 3)$  exists if and only if  $n \geq 4$ .*

**PROOF.** An exhaustive search easily verifies that there is no  $IOF(6, 3)$ , whether simple or not. Theorem 2 yields a simple  $IOF(8, 3)$ , and then Theorem 3 gives a simple  $IOF(2n, 3)$  for every  $n \geq 8$ . It remains only to give simple  $IOF(2n, 3)$  for  $n = 5, 6$ , and 7; these are given in the appendix.

**THEOREM 7.** *A simple  $IOF(2n, 4)$  exists if and only if  $n \geq 4$ .*

**PROOF.** Necessity is obvious. For sufficiency, Theorem 3 together with a simple  $IOF(2n, 4)$  for  $n = 4, 5, 6$ , and 7 is enough; these  $IOFs$  are given in the appendix.

**THEOREM 8.** *A simple  $IOF(2n, 5)$  exists for  $n = 5, 6, 7$  and all  $n \geq 10$ .*

**PROOF.** A simple  $IOF(12, 5)$  exists by Theorem 2, and a simple  $IOF(10, 5)$  and  $IOF(14, 5)$  are given in the appendix; Theorem 3 then gives simple  $IOF(2n, 5)$  for all  $n \geq 10$ .

**THEOREM 9.** *A simple  $IOF(2n, 6)$  exists for all  $n \geq 6$ .*

**PROOF.** A simple  $IOF(14, 6)$  exists by Theorem 2, and a simple  $IOF(12, 6)$  is given in the appendix. Theorem 3, together with a nonsimple  $IOF(8, 6)$  given in the appendix, give simple  $IOF(2n, 6)$  for all  $n \geq 8$ .

Of course, the application of the techniques developed does not merely apply to small values of  $\lambda$ ; for example, we have

**THEOREM 10.** (i) *A simple IOF(2n, λ) for λ = 8 or 9 exists for n = 6, 7 and all n ≥ 12.*

(ii) *A simple IOF(2n, 10) exists for n = 7 and all n ≥ 14.*

(iii) *A simple IOF(2n, 12) exists for all n ≥ 16.*

**PROOF.** Simple *IOF(12, 8)*, *IOF(14, 8)*, *IOF(12, 9)*, *IOF(14, 9)* and *IOF(14, 10)* and a nonsimple *IOF(16, 12)* are given in the appendix. The rest follows from Theorem 3.

### 3. Conclusions and open problems

There are exactly three nonisomorphic *OF(6, 2)*'s of which exactly one is indecomposable [5]. There exists no indecomposable *IOF(6, 3)*, whether simple or not. This can be determined by exhaustive search. Virtually nothing else is known about the enumeration of *OF(2n, λ)*'s for  $\lambda > 1$ .

One might ask what is the maximum  $\lambda = \lambda(2n)$  such that there exists a simple *IOF(2n, λ)*. Taking all distinct 1-factors of  $K_{2n}$  obviously produces a simple *OF(2n, (2n - 3)!!)*, where  $n!!$  is the product of all odd numbers up to  $n$ . Thus  $\lambda(2n) \leq (2n - 3)!! - 1$ . One has  $\lambda(6) = 2$ , but nothing else seems to be known about  $\lambda(2n)$ .

Let us mention one other (undoubtedly difficult) problem concerning 1-factorizations of  $\lambda K_{2n}$ . Suppose  $P = (p_1, p_2, \dots, p_k)$  is a partition of the number  $(2n - 3)!!$ . Is it possible to partition the 1-factors of  $K_{2n}$  on  $V$  into subsets  $F_1, \dots, F_k$  such that each  $(V, F_i)$  is an *IOF(2n, p\_i)*? Let us call  $P$  *admissible* if the answer is yes. It is easily seen that (1, 2) is the only admissible partition for  $n = 3$ . Cameron [1] has shown that for  $n = 4$ , the partition (1\*15) is admissible but it follows from Theorems 5–7 that many other partitions are admissible for  $n = 4$ .

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### Appendix

We list here the “base” 1-factors for the *IOF(2n, λ)*'s referred to in Section 2. These were produced using a straightforward backtracking algorithm by computer. The vertex set is always taken to be  $Z_{2n-1} \cup \{\infty\}$ .

Simple  $IOF(10, 3)$ 

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \{0, \infty\} & \{1, 8\} & \{2, 3\} & \{4, 5\} & \{6, 7\} \\ \{0, \infty\} & \{1, 3\} & \{2, 7\} & \{4, 6\} & \{5, 8\} \\ \{0, \infty\} & \{1, 6\} & \{2, 5\} & \{3, 8\} & \{4, 7\} \end{array}$$
Simple  $IOF(12, 3)$ 

$$\begin{array}{cccccc} \{0, \infty\} & \{1, 7\} & \{2, 3\} & \{4, 5\} & \{6, 10\} & \{8, 9\} \\ \{0, \infty\} & \{1, 7\} & \{2, 9\} & \{3, 5\} & \{4, 6\} & \{8, 10\} \\ \{0, \infty\} & \{1, 4\} & \{2, 7\} & \{3, 10\} & \{5, 8\} & \{6, 9\} \end{array}$$
Simple  $IOF(14, 3)$ 

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \{0, \infty\} & \{1, 12\} & \{2, 3\} & \{4, 5\} & \{6, 7\} & \{8, 10\} & \{9, 11\} \\ \{0, \infty\} & \{1, 10\} & \{2, 11\} & \{3, 12\} & \{4, 7\} & \{5, 8\} & \{6, 9\} \\ \{0, \infty\} & \{1, 7\} & \{2, 10\} & \{3, 8\} & \{4, 9\} & \{5, 11\} & \{6, 12\} \end{array}$$
Simple  $IOF(8, 4)$ 

$$\begin{array}{cccc} \{0, \infty\} & \{1, 2\} & \{3, 6\} & \{4, 5\} \\ \{0, \infty\} & \{1, 4\} & \{2, 3\} & \{5, 6\} \\ \{0, \infty\} & \{1, 6\} & \{2, 4\} & \{3, 5\} \\ \{0, \infty\} & \{1, 5\} & \{2, 4\} & \{3, 6\} \end{array}$$
Simple  $IOF(10, 4)$ 

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \{0, \infty\} & \{1, 2\} & \{3, 4\} & \{5, 6\} & \{7, 8\} \\ \{0, \infty\} & \{1, 4\} & \{2, 7\} & \{3, 5\} & \{6, 8\} \\ \{0, \infty\} & \{1, 7\} & \{2, 6\} & \{3, 5\} & \{4, 8\} \\ \{0, \infty\} & \{1, 3\} & \{2, 6\} & \{4, 7\} & \{5, 8\} \end{array}$$
Simple  $IOF(12, 4)$ 

$$\begin{array}{cccccc} \{0, \infty\} & \{1, 2\} & \{3, 4\} & \{5, 10\} & \{6, 7\} & \{8, 9\} \\ \{0, \infty\} & \{1, 10\} & \{2, 8\} & \{3, 5\} & \{4, 6\} & \{7, 9\} \\ \{0, \infty\} & \{1, 4\} & \{2, 5\} & \{3, 8\} & \{6, 9\} & \{7, 10\} \\ \{0, \infty\} & \{1, 7\} & \{2, 6\} & \{3, 10\} & \{4, 8\} & \{5, 9\} \end{array}$$

Simple  $IOF(14, 4)$ 

$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 2\}$	$\{3, 4\}$	$\{5, 11\}$	$\{6, 12\}$	$\{7, 8\}$	$\{9, 10\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 3\}$	$\{2, 10\}$	$\{4, 12\}$	$\{5, 7\}$	$\{6, 8\}$	$\{9, 11\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 8\}$	$\{2, 5\}$	$\{3, 6\}$	$\{4, 11\}$	$\{7, 10\}$	$\{9, 12\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 6\}$	$\{2, 10\}$	$\{3, 12\}$	$\{4, 8\}$	$\{5, 9\}$	$\{7, 11\}$

Simple  $IOF(10, 5)$ 

$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 2\}$	$\{3, 4\}$	$\{5, 6\}$	$\{7, 8\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 5\}$	$\{2, 6\}$	$\{3, 7\}$	$\{4, 8\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 4\}$	$\{2, 3\}$	$\{5, 7\}$	$\{6, 8\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 7\}$	$\{2, 5\}$	$\{3, 6\}$	$\{4, 8\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 7\}$	$\{2, 4\}$	$\{3, 5\}$	$\{6, 8\}$

Simple  $IOF(14, 5)$ 

$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 8\}$	$\{2, 3\}$	$\{4, 5\}$	$\{6, 7\}$	$\{9, 10\}$	$\{11, 12\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 3\}$	$\{2, 4\}$	$\{5, 7\}$	$\{6, 12\}$	$\{8, 10\}$	$\{9, 11\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 11\}$	$\{2, 12\}$	$\{3, 10\}$	$\{4, 7\}$	$\{5, 8\}$	$\{6, 9\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 10\}$	$\{2, 11\}$	$\{3, 7\}$	$\{4, 8\}$	$\{5, 9\}$	$\{6, 12\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 6\}$	$\{2, 8\}$	$\{3, 11\}$	$\{4, 9\}$	$\{5, 10\}$	$\{7, 12\}$

Nonsimple  $IOF(8, 6)$ 

$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 2\}$	$\{3, 4\}$	$\{5, 6\}$	twice
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 4\}$	$\{2, 5\}$	$\{3, 6\}$	
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 3\}$	$\{2, 5\}$	$\{4, 6\}$	three times

Simple  $IOF(12, 6)$ 

$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 2\}$	$\{3, 4\}$	$\{5, 6\}$	$\{7, 9\}$	$\{8, 10\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 3\}$	$\{2, 4\}$	$\{5, 6\}$	$\{7, 8\}$	$\{9, 10\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 4\}$	$\{2, 5\}$	$\{3, 6\}$	$\{7, 9\}$	$\{8, 10\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 4\}$	$\{2, 8\}$	$\{3, 6\}$	$\{5, 9\}$	$\{7, 10\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 5\}$	$\{2, 9\}$	$\{3, 7\}$	$\{4, 8\}$	$\{6, 10\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 6\}$	$\{2, 7\}$	$\{3, 8\}$	$\{4, 9\}$	$\{5, 10\}$

Simple  $IOF(12, 8)$ 

$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 2\}$	$\{3, 4\}$	$\{5, 10\}$	$\{6, 7\}$	$\{8, 9\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 2\}$	$\{3, 8\}$	$\{4, 5\}$	$\{6, 7\}$	$\{9, 10\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 5\}$	$\{2, 7\}$	$\{3, 9\}$	$\{4, 8\}$	$\{6, 10\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 6\}$	$\{2, 7\}$	$\{3, 10\}$	$\{4, 8\}$	$\{5, 9\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 9\}$	$\{2, 7\}$	$\{3, 6\}$	$\{4, 10\}$	$\{5, 8\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 10\}$	$\{2, 4\}$	$\{3, 5\}$	$\{6, 8\}$	$\{7, 9\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 9\}$	$\{2, 10\}$	$\{3, 6\}$	$\{4, 7\}$	$\{5, 8\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 10\}$	$\{2, 6\}$	$\{3, 5\}$	$\{4, 8\}$	$\{7, 9\}$

Simple  $IOF(14, 8)$ 

$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 11\}$	$\{2, 3\}$	$\{4, 5\}$	$\{6, 7\}$	$\{8, 9\}$	$\{10, 12\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 3\}$	$\{2, 12\}$	$\{4, 5\}$	$\{6, 7\}$	$\{8, 9\}$	$\{10, 11\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 4\}$	$\{2, 6\}$	$\{3, 7\}$	$\{5, 8\}$	$\{9, 11\}$	$\{10, 12\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 3\}$	$\{2, 4\}$	$\{5, 8\}$	$\{6, 10\}$	$\{7, 11\}$	$\{9, 12\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 11\}$	$\{2, 12\}$	$\{3, 5\}$	$\{4, 8\}$	$\{6, 10\}$	$\{7, 9\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 5\}$	$\{2, 9\}$	$\{3, 8\}$	$\{4, 11\}$	$\{6, 10\}$	$\{7, 12\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 9\}$	$\{2, 7\}$	$\{3, 8\}$	$\{4, 12\}$	$\{5, 10\}$	$\{6, 11\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 7\}$	$\{2, 8\}$	$\{3, 9\}$	$\{4, 10\}$	$\{5, 11\}$	$\{6, 12\}$

Simple  $IOF(12, 9)$ 

$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 4\}$	$\{2, 10\}$	$\{3, 5\}$	$\{6, 8\}$	$\{7, 9\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 9\}$	$\{2, 4\}$	$\{3, 5\}$	$\{6, 8\}$	$\{7, 10\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 2\}$	$\{3, 6\}$	$\{4, 7\}$	$\{5, 8\}$	$\{9, 10\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 10\}$	$\{2, 4\}$	$\{3, 6\}$	$\{5, 8\}$	$\{7, 9\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 2\}$	$\{3, 4\}$	$\{5, 6\}$	$\{7, 8\}$	$\{9, 10\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 6\}$	$\{2, 3\}$	$\{4, 9\}$	$\{5, 10\}$	$\{7, 8\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 6\}$	$\{2, 7\}$	$\{3, 8\}$	$\{4, 9\}$	$\{5, 10\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 5\}$	$\{2, 9\}$	$\{3, 7\}$	$\{4, 8\}$	$\{6, 10\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 7\}$	$\{2, 6\}$	$\{3, 10\}$	$\{4, 8\}$	$\{6, 10\}$



Simple  $IOF(14, 9)$ 

$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 4\}$	$\{2, 3\}$	$\{5, 7\}$	$\{6, 8\}$	$\{9, 10\}$	$\{11, 12\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 2\}$	$\{3, 6\}$	$\{4, 5\}$	$\{7, 9\}$	$\{8, 10\}$	$\{11, 12\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 2\}$	$\{3, 4\}$	$\{5, 8\}$	$\{6, 7\}$	$\{9, 11\}$	$\{10, 12\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 11\}$	$\{2, 4\}$	$\{3, 6\}$	$\{5, 8\}$	$\{7, 9\}$	$\{10, 12\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 9\}$	$\{2, 10\}$	$\{3, 6\}$	$\{4, 8\}$	$\{5, 12\}$	$\{7, 11\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 9\}$	$\{2, 11\}$	$\{3, 7\}$	$\{4, 10\}$	$\{5, 8\}$	$\{6, 12\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 7\}$	$\{2, 6\}$	$\{3, 8\}$	$\{4, 11\}$	$\{5, 10\}$	$\{9, 12\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 6\}$	$\{2, 10\}$	$\{3, 9\}$	$\{4, 8\}$	$\{5, 12\}$	$\{7, 11\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 8\}$	$\{2, 7\}$	$\{3, 11\}$	$\{4, 10\}$	$\{5, 9\}$	$\{7, 12\}$

Simple  $IOF(14, 10)$ 

$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 12\}$	$\{2, 3\}$	$\{4, 8\}$	$\{5, 7\}$	$\{6, 9\}$	$\{10, 11\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 12\}$	$\{2, 6\}$	$\{3, 5\}$	$\{4, 7\}$	$\{8, 9\}$	$\{10, 11\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 6\}$	$\{2, 5\}$	$\{3, 4\}$	$\{7, 9\}$	$\{8, 10\}$	$\{11, 12\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 2\}$	$\{3, 8\}$	$\{4, 7\}$	$\{5, 6\}$	$\{9, 11\}$	$\{10, 12\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 11\}$	$\{2, 4\}$	$\{3, 5\}$	$\{6, 12\}$	$\{7, 8\}$	$\{9, 10\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 11\}$	$\{2, 12\}$	$\{3, 10\}$	$\{4, 7\}$	$\{5, 8\}$	$\{6, 9\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 10\}$	$\{2, 6\}$	$\{3, 12\}$	$\{4, 8\}$	$\{5, 9\}$	$\{7, 11\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 9\}$	$\{2, 7\}$	$\{3, 8\}$	$\{4, 12\}$	$\{5, 10\}$	$\{6, 11\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 7\}$	$\{2, 8\}$	$\{3, 9\}$	$\{4, 10\}$	$\{5, 11\}$	$\{6, 12\}$
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 8\}$	$\{2, 11\}$	$\{3, 7\}$	$\{4, 9\}$	$\{5, 10\}$	$\{6, 12\}$

Nonsimple  $IOF(16, 12)$ 

$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 14\}$	$\{2, 3\}$	$\{4, 5\}$	$\{6, 7\}$	$\{8, 9\}$	$\{10, 11\}$	$\{12, 13\}$	twice
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 4\}$	$\{2, 7\}$	$\{3, 14\}$	$\{5, 13\}$	$\{6, 12\}$	$\{8, 10\}$	$\{9, 11\}$	five times
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 6\}$	$\{2, 14\}$	$\{3, 7\}$	$\{4, 10\}$	$\{5, 13\}$	$\{8, 11\}$	$\{9, 12\}$	
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 10\}$	$\{2, 5\}$	$\{3, 14\}$	$\{4, 9\}$	$\{6, 13\}$	$\{7, 11\}$	$\{8, 12\}$	
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 7\}$	$\{2, 12\}$	$\{3, 14\}$	$\{4, 9\}$	$\{5, 10\}$	$\{6, 13\}$	$\{8, 11\}$	
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 11\}$	$\{2, 8\}$	$\{3, 14\}$	$\{4, 10\}$	$\{5, 12\}$	$\{6, 9\}$	$\{7, 13\}$	
$\{0, \infty\}$	$\{1, 9\}$	$\{2, 10\}$	$\{3, 7\}$	$\{4, 14\}$	$\{5, 13\}$	$\{6, 12\}$	$\{8, 11\}$	

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