Combinatorics Seminar

Ramsey theorem for cycles revisited

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Abstract: In the talk I briefly describe some ideas behind recent results concerning the following conjecture of Richard Schelp:

Let $n \ge 4$ and let G be a graph of order n with $\delta(G) > 3n/4$. If $E(G) = E(R) \cup E(B)$ is an 2-edge colouring of G, then for each $\ell \in [4, \lceil n/2 \rceil]$ we have either $C_{\ell} \subseteq R$ or $C_{\ell} \subseteq B$.

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