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Claim: polytime for matchings

Our result: NP-hardness for matchings

via reduction from ORDERED LEVEL PLANARITY

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$\mathsf{NP}\text{-hardness}$ of $\mathsf{O}\texttt{RDERED}$ Level Planarity

Proof via reduction from

Planar Monotone 3-SAT

- 3-Satisfiability restricted to instances that \ldots
- ... have only all-positive and all-negative clauses
- ... admit a contact representation with line segments and E-shapes



NP-complete [de Berg, Khosravi'12]











unique drawing







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Reducing to Level Width $\lambda=2$



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Clustered Level Planarity

Combination of LEVEL PLANARITY and CLUSTER PLANARITY.



[Forster, Bachmaier'04]

Poly-time algorithms for ...

- ... some proper instances
- ... all proper instances

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[Angelini et al.'15]

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Open: Complexity of MANHATTAN GEODESIC PLANARITY for connected instances

?! Problem: $\begin{array}{c} \mapsto & ?\\ \Delta_{out} \geq 3 \end{array}$ $\Delta_{out} \le 2$

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