

On large multipartite subgraphs of H -free graphs

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A long-standing conjecture of Erdős states that any n -vertex triangle-free graph can be made bipartite by deleting at most $n^2/25$ edges. In this talk, we study how many edges need to be removed from an H -free graph for a general graph H . By generalizing a result of Sudakov for 4-colorable graphs H , we show that if H is 6-colorable then G can be made bipartite by deleting at most $4n^2/25$ edges. Moreover, this amount is needed only in the case G is a complete 5-partite graph with balanced parts. As one of the steps in the proof, we use a strengthening of a result of Füredi on stability version of Turán's theorem.

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