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Rainbow triangles in edge-colored graphs

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In this talk, we shall survey our work on rainbow triangles in edge-colored graphs. In particular, we will give a sketch of a recent theorem of ours. This counting result states that the number of rainbow triangles in an edge-colored graph G is at least $\frac{1}{6}\delta^{c}(G)(2\delta^{c}(G)-n)n$, which is best possible by considering the rainbow k-partite Turán graph, where its order is divisible by k. This means that there are $\Omega(n^2)$ rainbow triangles in G if $\delta^c(G) \geq \frac{n+1}{2}$, and $\Omega(n^3)$ rainbow triangles in G if $\delta^{c}(G) \geq cn$ when $c > \frac{1}{2}$. This can be seen as a counting version of a previous theorem due to Hao Li.

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