

1. Show that for every positive integer  $c$ , there exists  $n$  such that the following claim holds. For any coloring  $\varphi : \{1, \dots, n\} \rightarrow \{1, \dots, c\}$  of the first  $n$  integers using  $c$  colors, there exist numbers  $x, y \in \{1, \dots, n\}$  such that  $x + y \leq n$  and  $\varphi(x) = \varphi(y) = \varphi(x + y)$ . Hint: Consider the complete graph with vertex set  $\{1, \dots, n\}$  and color each edge  $uv$  (where  $u < v$ ) by the color  $\varphi(v - u)$ . Look at a monochromatic triangle in this graph.
2. Show that for every integer  $k \geq 3$ , there exists an integer  $n$  such that the following claim holds: For any coloring  $\varphi$  of edges of the complete graph  $G$  with vertex set  $\{1, \dots, n\}$  (using any number of colors), there exists a set  $X \subseteq V(G)$  of size  $k$  such that either

- $\varphi$  assigns the same color to all edges between vertices of  $X$ , or
- there are no vertices  $x, y, z \in X$  such that  $x < y < z$  and  $\varphi(xy) = \varphi(yz)$ .

Hint: Give each triple  $\{u, v, w\}$  such that  $u < v < w$  a color based on whether  $\varphi(uv) = \varphi(vw)$  and apply the Ramsey theorem for triples to obtain a monochromatic set of size  $k + 1$ .

3. Prove that for every positive integer  $c$  and every  $c$ -coloring  $\varphi : \binom{V}{2} \rightarrow \{1, \dots, c\}$  of 2-tuples of elements of an infinite set  $V$ , there exists an infinite monochromatic subset of  $V$ . I.e. prove the case  $s = 2$  of Theorem 57 from the lecture notes. Hint: Modify the proof of Theorem 53 from the lecture notes.