- 1. Using dynamic programming over subsets, obtain an algorithm for CHROMATIC NUMBER on *n*-vertex graphs running in time  $3^n n^{\mathcal{O}(1)}$ .
- 2. For an  $n \times n$  matrix A, the *permanent* of A is the value  $perm(A) = \sum_{\sigma} \prod_{i=1}^{n} A_{i,\sigma(i)}$  where the sum ranges over all permutations  $\sigma$  of [n].

Using dynamic programming over subsets, show how to compute the permanent of a given  $n \times n$  matrix in time  $2^n n^{\mathcal{O}(1)}$ .

3. In the DIRECTED FEEDBACK ARC SET, we are given a directed graph G and an integer k, and the goal is to find a subset of arcs X of size at most k such that  $G \setminus X$  contains no directed cycles.

Using dynamic programming over subsets, show that DIRECTED FEEDBACK ARC SET on *n*-vertex graphs can be solved in time  $2^n n^{\mathcal{O}(1)}$ .

4. Given a directed graph G, a set of terminals  $K \subseteq V(G)$  and a root  $r \in V(G)$ , DIRECTED STEINER TREE asks for a directed tree rooted at r such that every terminal in K is reachable from r on the tree. Obtain a  $3^{|K|}n^{\mathcal{O}(1)}$ -time algorithm for DIRECTED STEINER TREE.