Planar and polyhedral graphs as Kronecker and Sierpiński products

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We will discuss graph products that are planar/polyhedral. The first part of the talk focuses on the Kronecker (direct, tensor) product [2], Figure 1. We also consider simultaneous products [3].

The second part of the talk [4] is on the Sierpiński product, recently introduced in [1].





Figure 1: Illustrations of a planar (left) and a non-planar (right) factor for planar, 3-connected Kronecker products.

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