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Let  $KG(n,k)$  denote the graph whose vertices are the subsets of size  $k$  of a set of size  $n$ , where two vertices are adjacent if they are disjoint. This is the Kneser Graph. We will look at the critical group of  $KG(n,2)$  and take a combinatorial approach through a “chip-firing game” to prove that it is isomorphic to a particular direct sum of cyclic groups. (Received August 29, 2016)