

# Ch2 Code Unit Test

## Automatic Unit Tests Design(2)

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# Overview

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- Control Based Tests Generation
  - Prime Path Testing
- Data Flow Based Testing
  - Data Flow Graph (DFG)
  - Data Flow Testing Coverage Criteria
- Mutation Testing

# Def and Use

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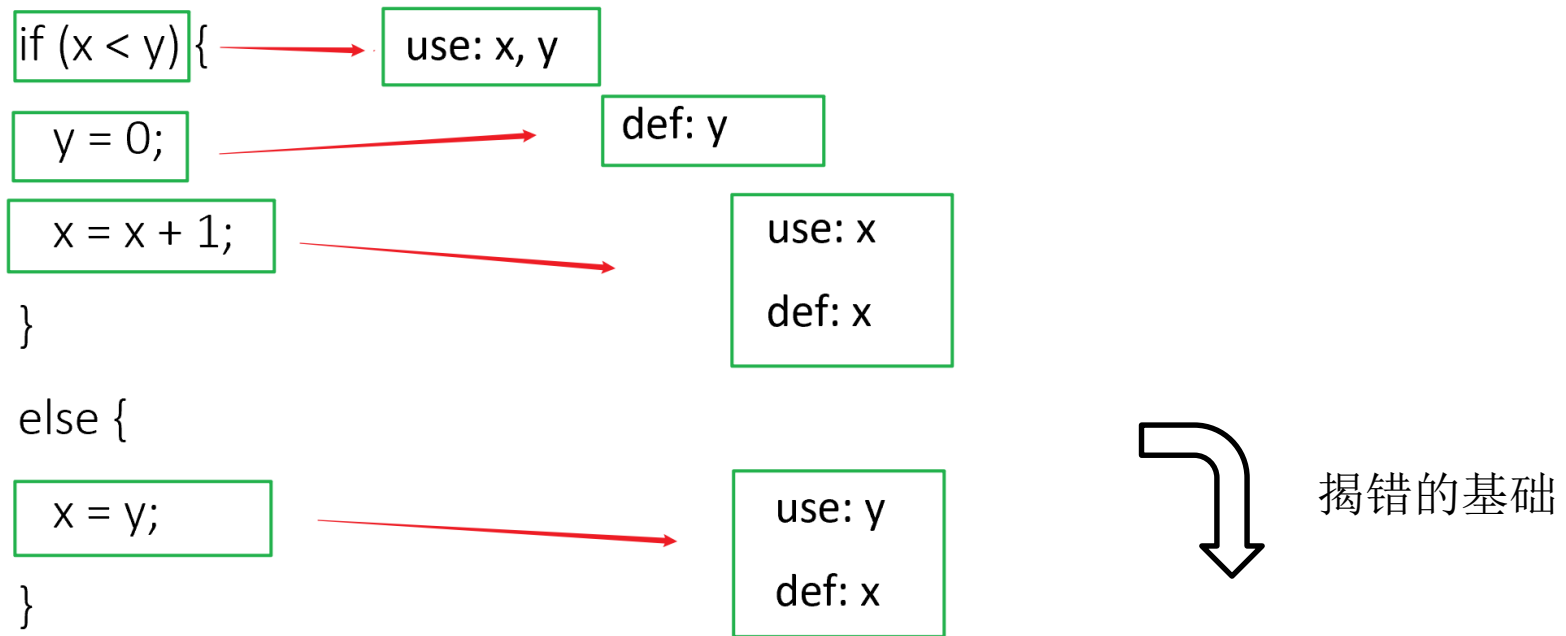
- **def** : a location where a value **is stored into memory**
  1. x appears on the left side of an assignment (x = 44;)
  2. x is an input to a program
  3. It should be considered carefully when
    - x is an actual parameter in a call and the method changes its value
    - x is a formal parameter of a method (implicit def when method starts)
- **use** : a location where variable's value **is accessed**
  1. x appears on the right side of an assignment
  2. x appears in a conditional test
  3. x is an actual parameter to a method
  4. x is an output of the program
  5. x is an output of a method in a return statement
- If a def and a use appear on the same node, then it is not only a Def node but also a use node

# Def and Use

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- **c-use (computation-use)**
  - 使用节点  $USE(v,n)$  是一个计算使用(记做C-use)，当且仅当语句  $n$  是计算语句（对于计算使用的节点永远有外度=1）
- **p-use (predicate-use)**
  - 使用节点是一个谓词使用（记做p-use），当且仅当语句  $n$  是谓词语句（对于谓词使用的节点永远有外度 $\geq 2$ ）

# Def and Use



The values given in **Defs** should reach at least one, some, or all possible **Uses**

# Exercise

1、哪些语句是变量`str`的定义节点，  
哪些是使用节点？

2、哪些语句是变量`p`的定义节点，  
哪些是使用节点？

1. `str`是指针变量，其定义节点: 12,  
13（赋值左侧`str`）；使用节点: 13  
（赋值右侧`str`），14, 15。
2. `p`是指针变量，其定义节点: 6, 7;  
使用节点: 8。

```
1  #include <iostream>
2  #include <cstring>
3  #include <malloc.h>
4  using namespace std;
5
6  char* get_mry(char *p){
7      p=(char*)malloc(100);
8      return p;
9  }
10
11 int main () {
12     char *str =NULL;
13     str =get_mry(str);
14     strcpy(str, "hello,world");
15     cout<<"str:"<< str << endl;
16     return 0;
17 }
```

代码有缺陷!!

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哪些是使用节点？

2、哪些语句是变量`p`的定义节点，  
哪些是使用节点？

1. `str`是指针变量，其定义节点：11，  
12；使用节点：12，13，14。
2. `p`是指针的指针，其定义节点：6；  
使用节点：7

```
1  #include <iostream>
2  #include <cstring>
3  #include <malloc.h>
4  using namespace std;
5
6  void get_mry(char **p){
7      *p=(char*)malloc(100);
8  }
9
10 int main () {
11     char * str =NULL;
12     get_mry(&str);
13     strcpy(str, "hello,world");
14     cout<<"str:"<< str << endl;
15     return 0;
16 }
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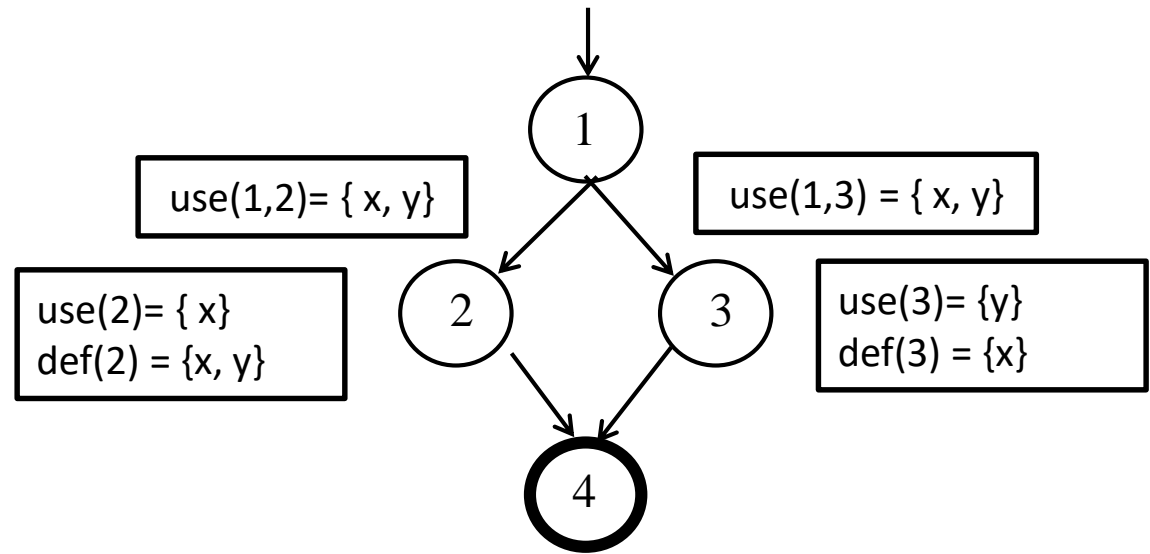
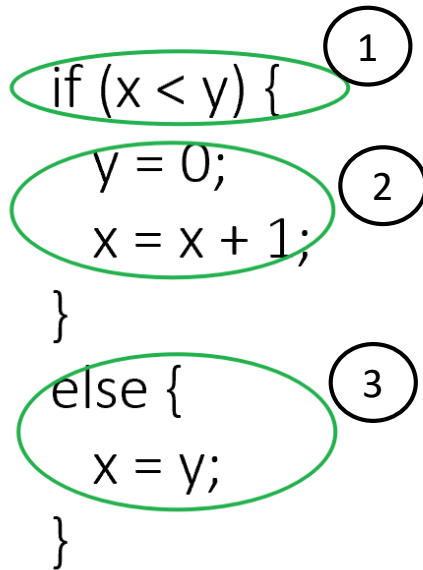
# Data Flow Graph

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- Given a CFG:  $(N, N_0, N_f, E)$ , if  $\text{def}(n)$  or  $\text{def}(e)$  denotes the set of variables that are defined by node  $n$  or edge  $e$ ,  $\text{use}(n)$  or  $\text{use}(e)$  denotes the set of variables that are used by node  $n$  or edge  $e$ , then the Data Flow Graph (DFG) can be defined as a tuple:  $(N_D, N_0, N_f, E_D)$ , where
  - $N_D = \{ (n, \text{def}(n) \cup \text{use}(n)) \mid n \in N \}$
  - $E_D = \{ (e, \text{def}(e) \cup \text{use}(e)) \mid e \in E \}$



# Data Flow Graph



$N_D = \{ (1, \phi), (2, \text{def}(2) \cup \text{use}(2)), (3, \text{def}(3) \cup \text{use}(3)), (4, \phi) \}$

$N_0 = \{ 1 \}$

$N_f = \{ 4 \}$

$E_D = \{ ((1,2), \text{use}(1,2)), ((1,3), \text{use}(1,3)), ((2,4), \phi), ((3,4), \phi) \}$

# Data Flow Base Test Generation

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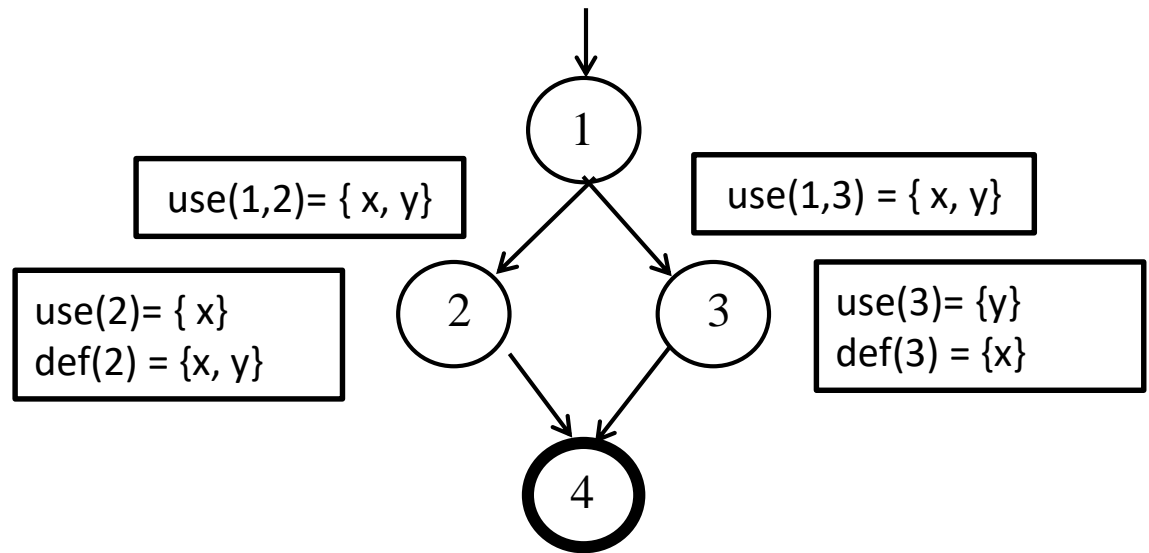
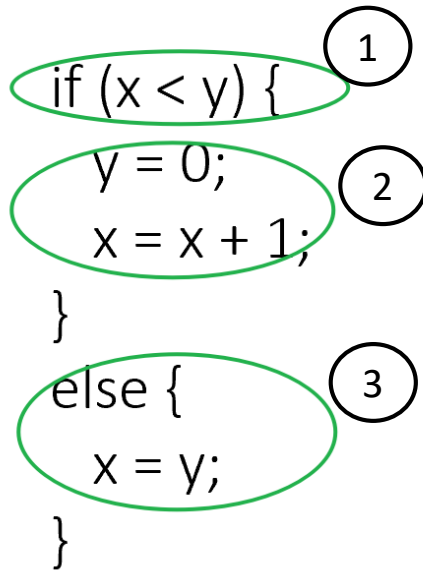
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  - 执行程序路径到达期望的控制覆盖准则
- 数据流测试设计的思想
  - 执行程序路径到达期望的数据流覆盖准则
- 回顾概念
  1. Path: 路径
  2. Simple Path: 简单路径
  3. Prime Path: 基路径
  4. Complete Path: 完整路径

# DU Pairs and DU Paths

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- **du pair** : A pair of locations  $(l_i, l_j)$  such that a variable  $v$  is defined at  $l_i$  and used at  $l_j$
- **def-clear** : A path from  $l_i$  to  $l_j$  is *def-clear* with respect to variable  $v$  if  $v$  is not given another value on any of the nodes or edges in the path
- **du-path** : A **simple** subpath that is def-clear with respect to  $v$  from a def of  $v$  to a use of  $v$ 
  1.  $\text{du}(n_i, n_j, v)$  : the set of **du-paths** that start at  $n_i$  and end at node  $n_j$
  2.  $\text{du}(n_i, v)$  : the set of **du-paths** that start at  $n_i$

# DU Pairs and DU Paths

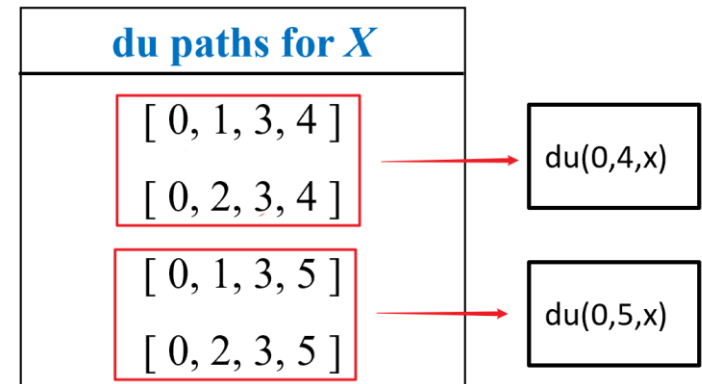
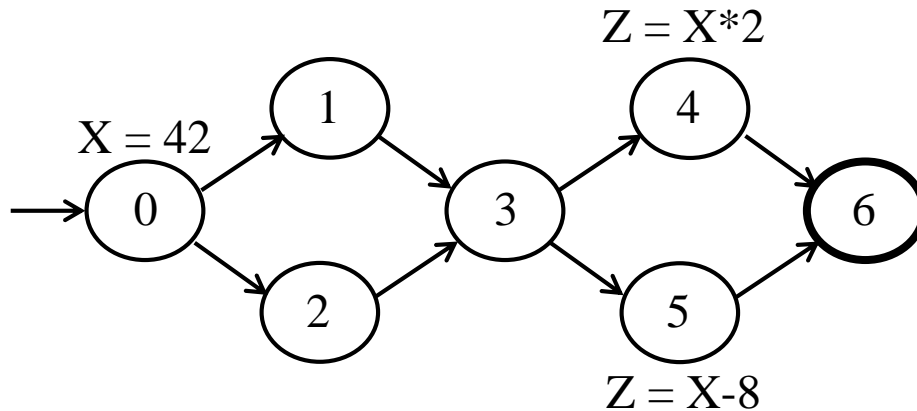


du Pairs for Variable y:  $\phi$

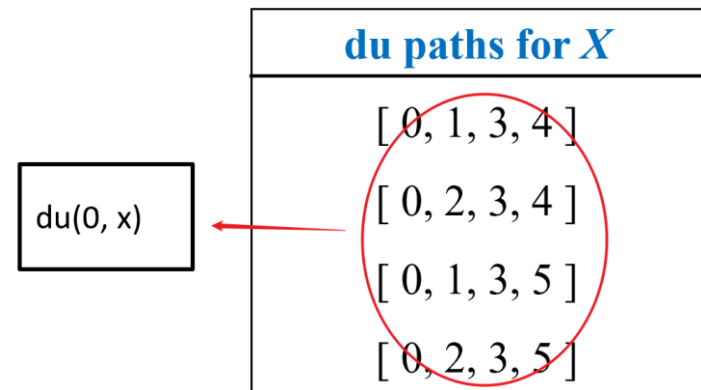
du Pairs for Variable x:  $\phi$



# DU Pairs and DU Paths



du pairs for $X$
(0, 4)
(0, 5)



# Fundamental Data Flow Test Criteria

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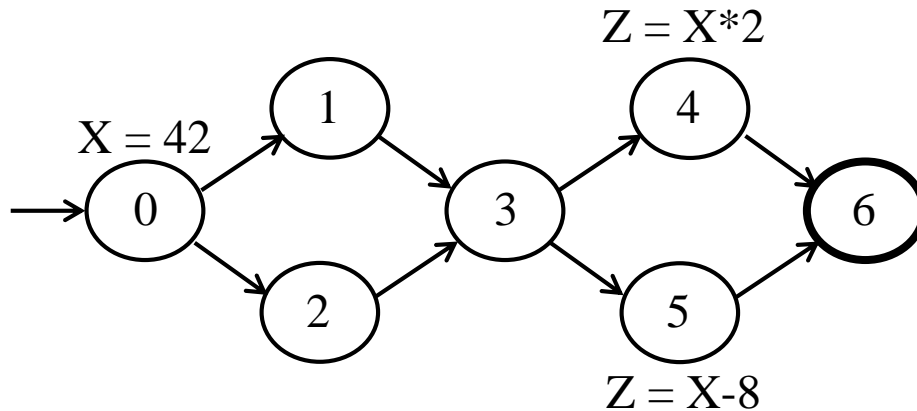
- All-defs coverage (ADC) : For each variable  $v$  and its set of du-paths  $S = \text{du}(n_i, v)$ , TR contains at least one path  $d$  in  $S$ .
  - every def reaches a use
- All-uses coverage (AUC) : For each variable  $v$  and its each set of du-paths to uses  $S = \text{du}(n_i, n_j, v)$ , TR contains at least one path  $d$  in  $S$ .
  - every def reaches all possible uses

# Fundamental Data Flow Test Criteria

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- All-du-paths coverage (ADUPC) : For each variable  $v$  and its each set  $S = du(n_i, n_j, v)$ , TR contains every path  $d$  in  $S$ .
  - cover **all the paths** between defs and uses

# Example



**All-defs for  $X$**

[ 0, 1, 3, 4 ]



用于测试生成路径:

[ 0, 1, 3, 4, 6 ]

**All-uses for  $X$**

[ 0, 1, 3, 4 ]

[ 0, 1, 3, 5 ]

**All-du-paths for  $X$**

[ 0, 1, 3, 4 ]

[ 0, 2, 3, 4 ]

[ 0, 1, 3, 5 ]

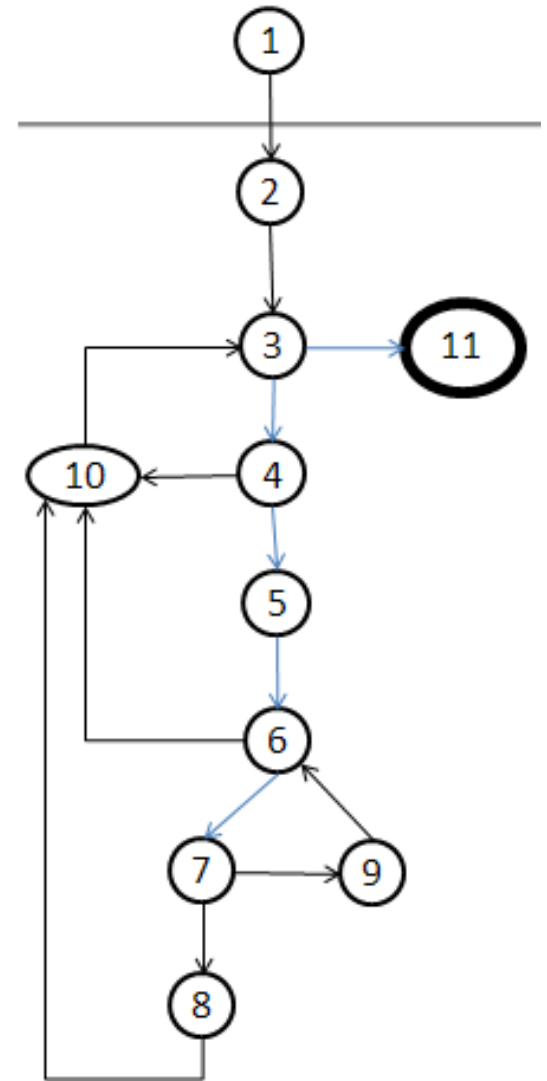
[ 0, 2, 3, 5 ]

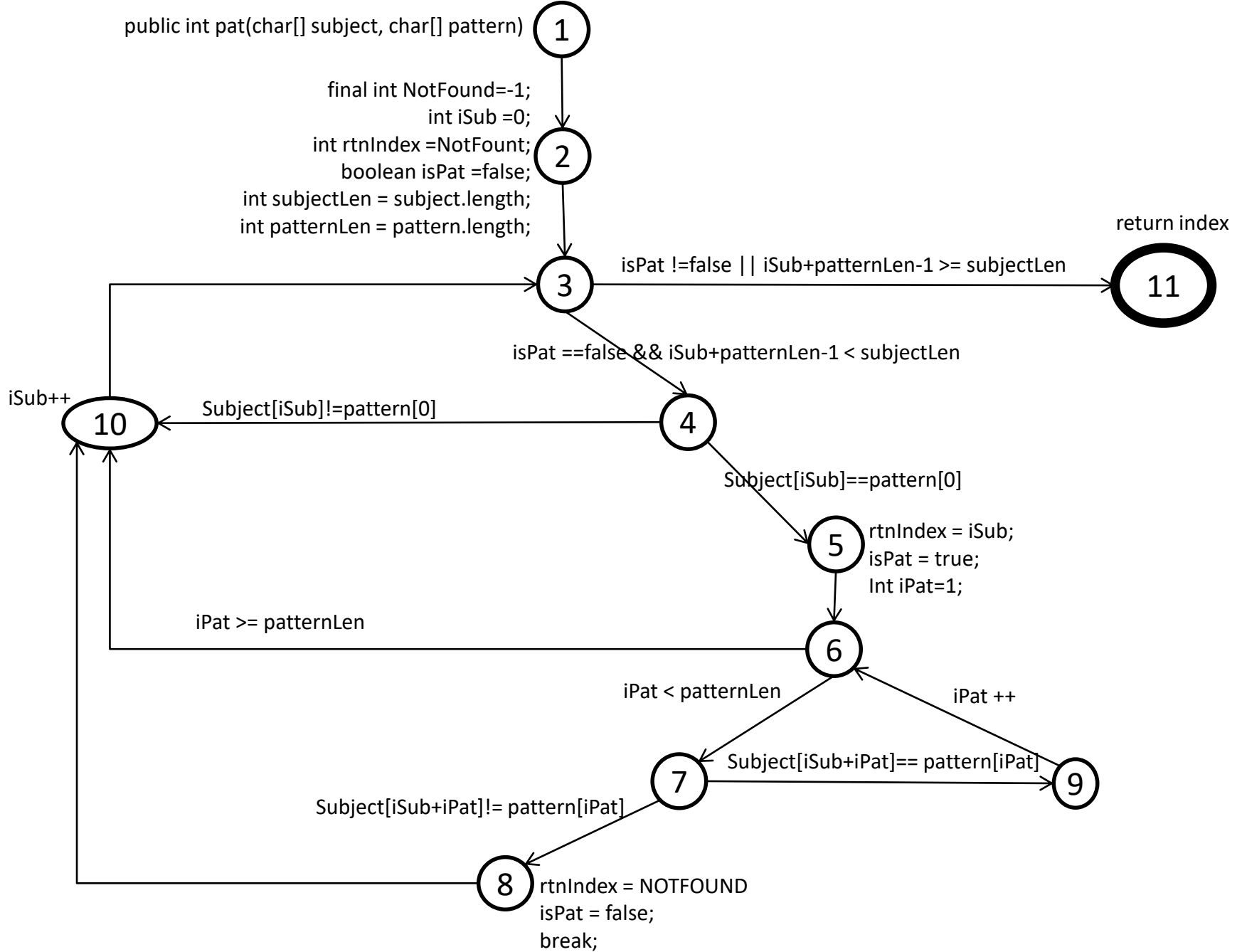


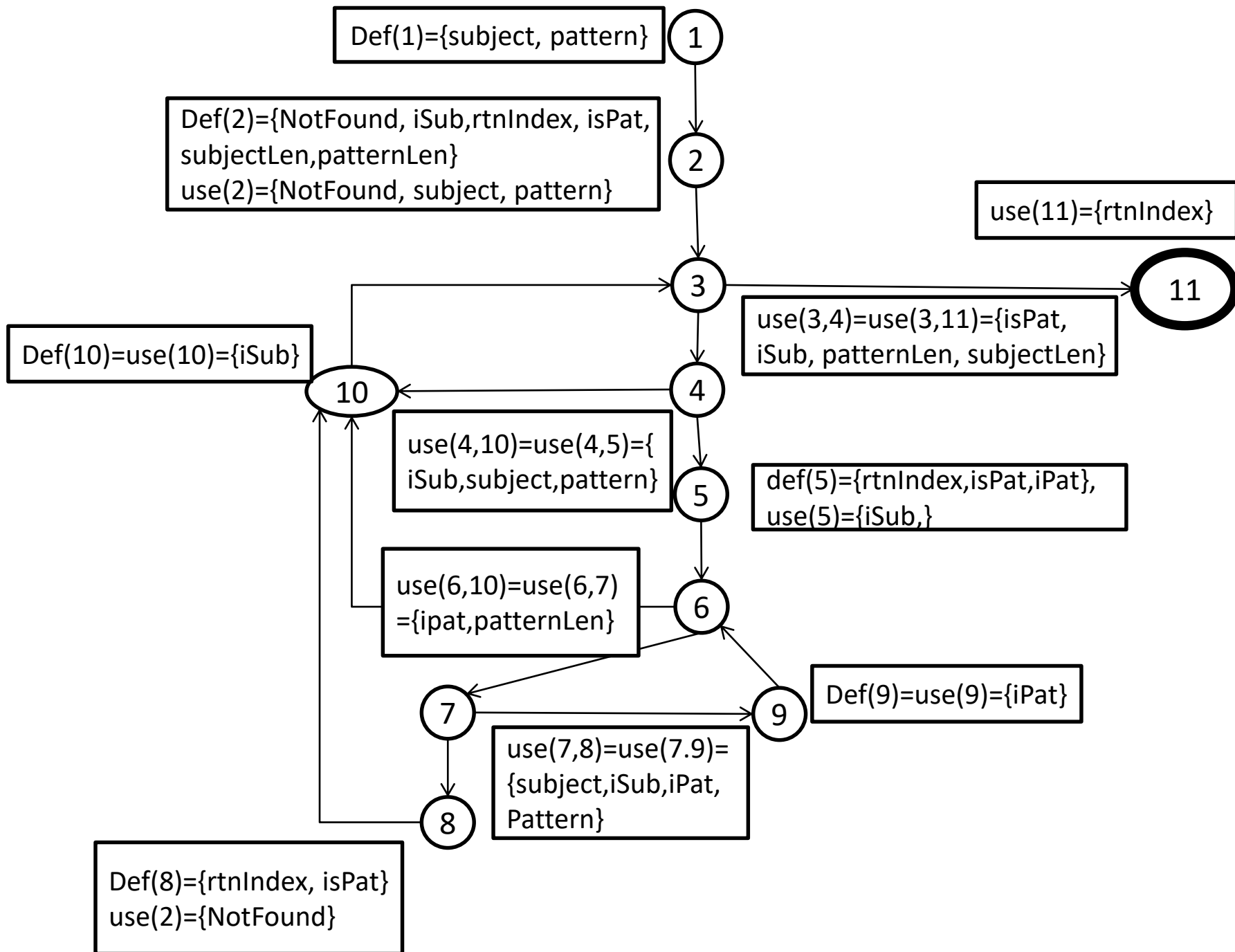
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10 1 public int pat(char[] subject, char[] pattern){
11     final int NotFound = -1;
12     int iSub = 0;
13 2   int rtnIndex = NotFound;
14     boolean isPat = false;
15     int subjectLen = subject.length;
16     int patternLen = pattern.length;
17
18 3   while(isPat == false && iSub + patternLen-1 < subjectLen ){
19 4       if(subject[iSub]==pattern[0]){
20         rtnIndex=iSub;
21         5   isPat=true;
22         for(int iPat = 1; iPat<patternLen; iPat++){
23           7   if(subject[iSub+iPat]!=pattern[iPat]){
24             8   rtnIndex = NotFound;
25             isPat = false;
26             break;
27           }
28         }
29         10   iSub++;
30       }
31     }
32     11   return rtnIndex;
33   }
34 }

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Def(1)={subject, pattern}

1

du(2,iSub)=[{2,3,4},{2.3.11},{2,3,4,5},  
2,3,4,5,6,7,8},{2,3,4,5,6,7,9},{2,,3,4,5,  
6,10},{2,3,4,5,6,7,8,10},{2,3,4,10}]

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Def(2)={NotFound, **iSub**, rtnIndex, isPat,  
subjectLen, patternLen}  
use(2)={NotFound, subject, pattern}

use(11)={rtnIndex}

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use(3,4)=use(3,11)={isPat, **iSub**, patternLen, subjectLen}

11

Def(10)=use(10)={**iSub**}

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use(4,10)=use(4,5)={**iSub**, subject, pattern}

5

def(5)={rtnIndex, isPat, iPat},  
use(5)={**iSub**}

use(6,10)=use(6,7)= {ipat, patternLen}

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Def(9)=use(9)={iPat}

7

9

Def(8)={rtnIndex, isPat}  
use(8)={NotFound}

8

use(7,8)=use(7,9)={subject,  
**iSub**, iPat, Pattern}

du(2,4,iSub)=[{2,3,4}]  
du(2,11,iSub)=[{2.3.11}]  
du(2,5,iSub)=[{2,3,4,5}]  
du(2,8,iSub)=[{2,3,4,5,6,7,8}]  
du(2,9,iSub)=[{2,3,4,5,6,7,9}]  
du{2,10,iSub}=[{2,3,4,5,6,10},{2,  
3,4,5,6,7,8,10},{2,3,4,10}]

Def(1)={subject, pattern}

1

du(10,iSub)={[10,3,4],[10.3.11],[10,3,4,5],[10,3,4,5,6,7,8],[10,3,4,5,6,7,9],[10,,3,4,5,6,10],[10,3,4,5,6,7,8,10],[10,3,4,10]}

Def(2)={NotFound, **iSub**, rtnIndex, isPat, subjectLen, patternLen}  
use(2)={NotFound, subject, pattern}

2

use(11)={rtnIndex}

11

Def(10)=use(10)={**iSub**}

10

use(3,4)=use(3,11)={isPat, **iSub**, patternLen, subjectLen}

4

use(4,10)=use(4,5)={**iSub**, subject, pattern}

5

def(5)={rtnIndex, isPat, iPat},  
use(5)={**iSub**}

use(6,10)=use(6,7)= {ipat, patternLen}

6

Def(9)=use(9)={iPat}

7

9

Def(8)={rtnIndex, isPat}  
use(8)={NotFound}

8

use(7,8)=use(7,9)={s  
**iSub**, iPat, Pattern}

du(10,4,iSub)={[10,3,4]}  
du(10,11,iSub)={[10.3.11]}  
du(10,5,iSub)={[10,3,4,5]}  
du(10,8,iSub)={[10,3,4,5,6,7,8]}  
du(10,9,iSub)={[10,3,4,5,6,7,9]}  
du(10,10,iSub)={[10,3,4,5,6,10],[10,3,4,5,6,7,8,10],[10,3,4,10]}

# Example

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$\text{du}(2, iSub) = \{[2,3,4], [2,3,11], [2,3,4,5], [2,3,4,5,6,7,8], [2,3,4,5,6,7,9], [2,,3,4,5,6,10], [2,3,4,5,6,7,8,10], [2,3,4,10]\}$

$\text{du}(10, iSub) = \{[10,3,4 ], [ 10,3,4,5], [10,3,4,5,6,7,8], [10,3,4,5,6,7,9], [10,,3,4,5,6,10], [10,3,4,5,6,7,8,10], [10,3,4,10]\}$

**All-defs for *iSub***

[2,3,4,5,6,7,8], [10,3,4]

# Example

```
du(2,4,iSub)={[2,3,4]}  
du(2,11,iSub)={[2.3.11]}  
du(2,5,iSub)={[2,3,4,5]}  
du(2,8,iSub)={[2,3,4,5,6,7,8]}  
du(2,9,iSub)={[2,3,4,5,6,7,9]}  
du{2,10,iSub}={[2,3,4,5,6,10],[2,3,4,5,6,7,8,  
10],[2,3,4,10]}
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du(10,8,iSub)={[10,3,4,5,6,7,8]}  
du(10,9,iSub)={[10,3,4,5,6,7,9]}  
du{10,10,iSub}={[10,3,4,5,6,10],[10,3,4,5,6,7,  
8,10],[10,3,4,10]}
```

*All-uses for iSub*

[2,3,4], [2,3,11], [2,3,4,5], [2,3,4,5,6,7,8], [2,3,4,5,6,7,9], [2,3,4,5,6,10],  
[10,3,4 ], [10,3,11],[ 10,3,4,5],[10,3,4,5,6,7,8],[10,3,4,5,6,7,9], [10,3,4,5,6,10]

# Example

$\text{du}(2,4,i\text{Sub})=\{[2,3,4]\}$   
 $\text{du}(2,11,i\text{Sub})=\{[2.3.11]\}$   
 $\text{du}(2,5,i\text{Sub})=\{[2,3,4,5]\}$   
 $\text{du}(2,8,i\text{Sub})=\{[2,3,4,5,6,7,8]\}$   
 $\text{du}(2,9,i\text{Sub})=\{[2,3,4,5,6,7,9]\}$   
 $\text{du}\{2,10,i\text{Sub}\}=\{[2,3,4,5,6,10],[2,3,4,5,6,7,8,10],[2,3,4,10]\}$

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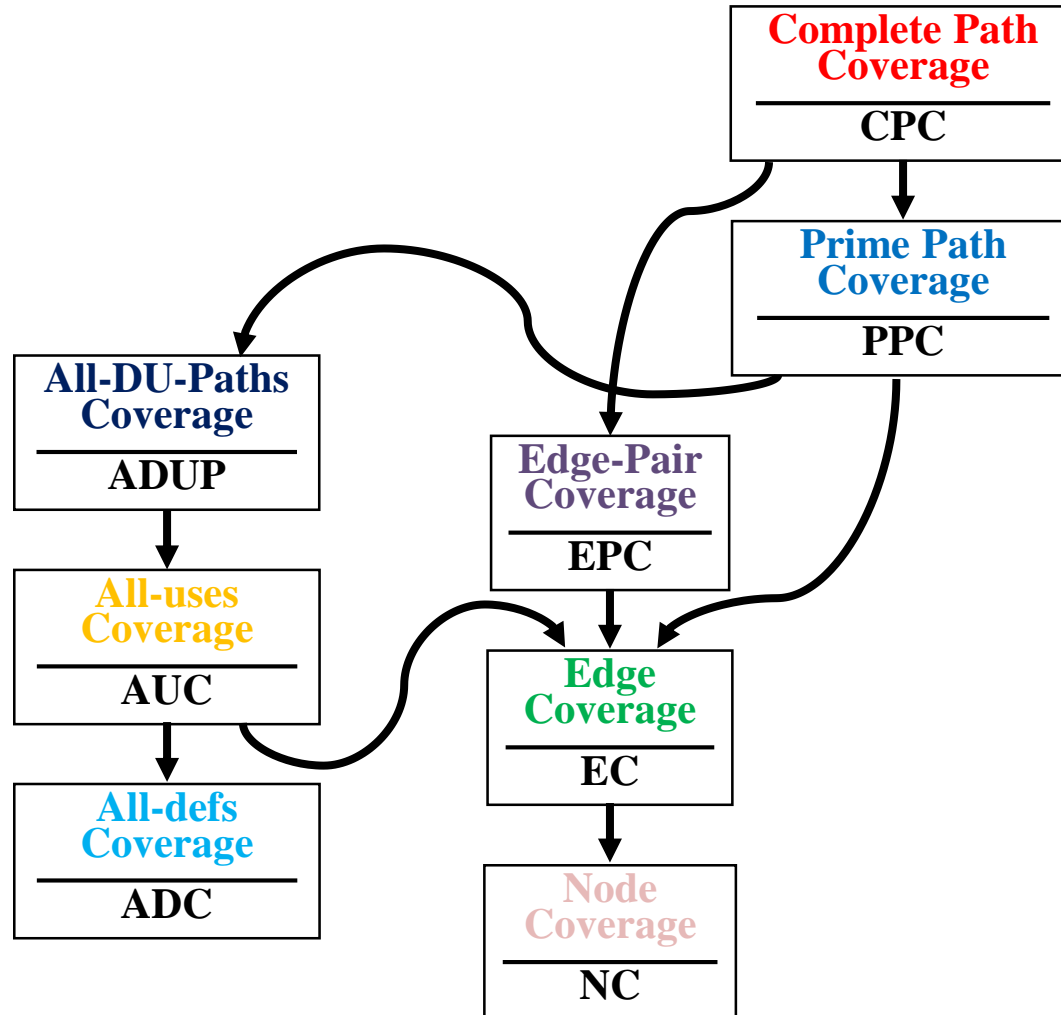
## All-du-path for *iSub*

$[2,3,4], [2,3,11], [2,3,4,5], [2,3,4,5,6,7,8], [2,3,4,5,6,7,9], [2,3,4,5,6,10],$   
 $[2,3,4,5,6,7,8,10], [2,3,4,10], [10,3,4], [10,3,11], [10,3,4,5], [10,3,4,5,6,7,8],$   
 $[10,3,4,5,6,7,9], [10,3,4,5,6,10], [10,3,4,5,6,7,8,10], [10,3,4,10]$



# Defect Detection Ability Evaluation

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# Summary

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- Data Flow Testing focuses on the correctness of variables definition and corresponding uses
- Test cases may be derived based on various data flow coverage criteria
- The defect detection Ability of data flow criteria are weaker than PPC
- Data flow testing can be more useful on integration testing than control flow testing

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