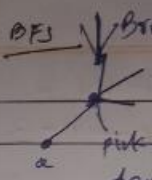


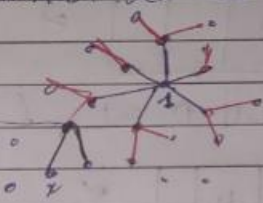
## BFS Working explanation and application

BFS  $\downarrow$  Breadth First Search



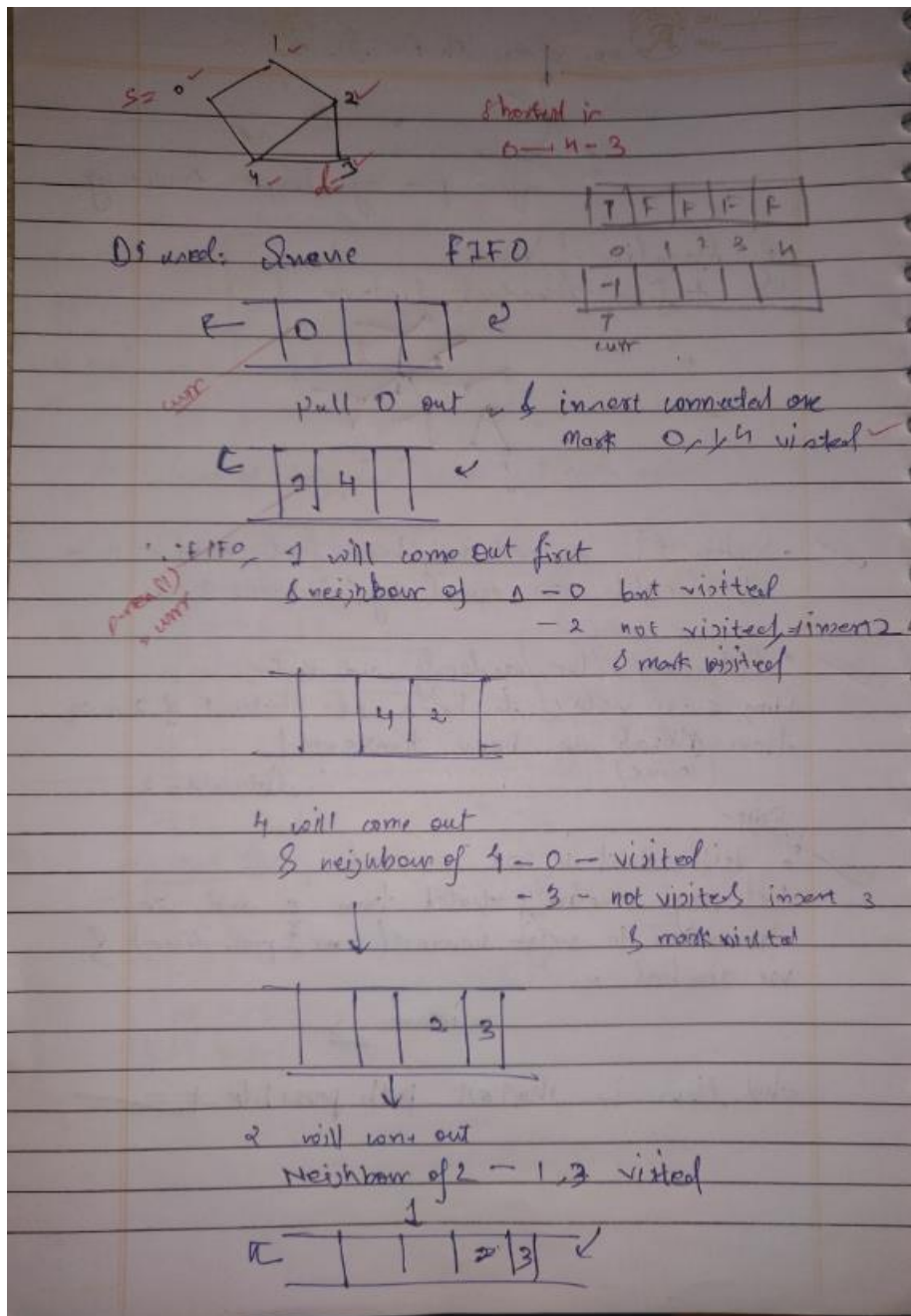
pick any neighbours  
again pick any, keep on traversing.

Eg: Spreading of Virus  
App: to find shortest distance

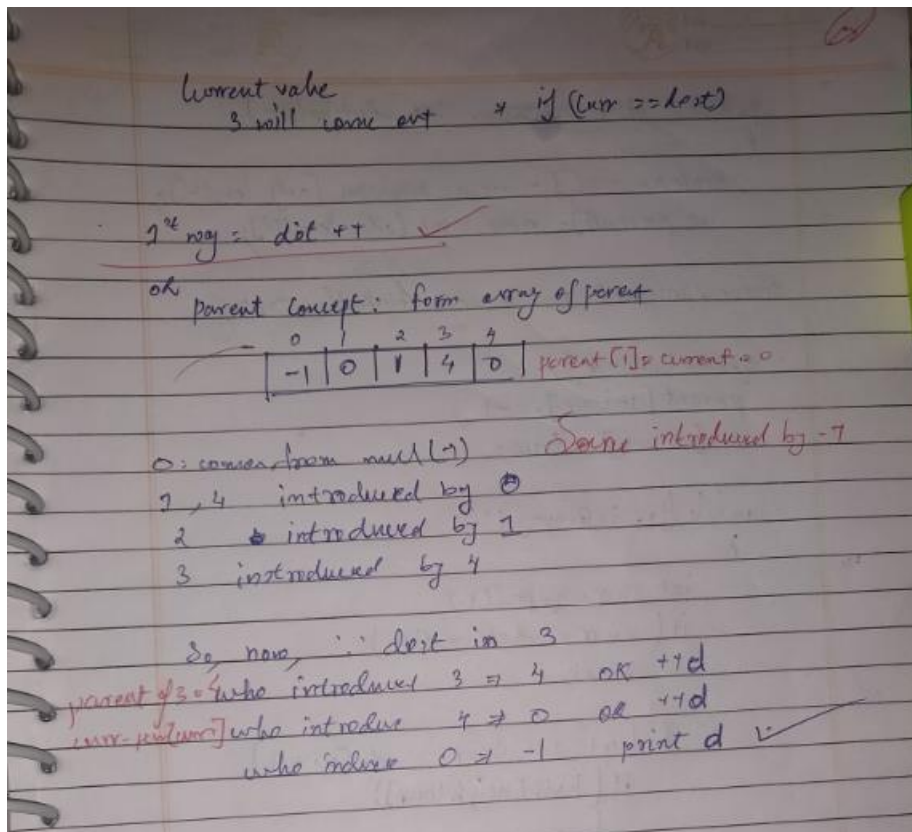


- Visiting the nearest neighbours first, and assume all weights are equal say, distance = 1
- Pick any other randomly and continue.  
Now, every node (b) been at distance of 2 mm from 1st node (source) is been traversed  $\therefore$  distance = 2
- Still dest is not reached  
Let say randomly started from 'c' and we traversed to reach nearest (same procedure) & we reached 'e'  $\therefore$  distance = 3

And this is shortest path possible



Bfs



Output:

```

33 public int bfs( int source , int destination )
34 {
35     boolean vis[] = new boolean[adj.length];
36     int parent[] = new int[adj.length];
37     Queue<Integer> q = new LinkedList<>();
38
39     q.add(source);
40     parent[source] = -1;
41     vis[source] = true;
42
43     while(!q.isEmpty())
44     {
45         int curr = q.poll();
46         if (curr == destination)
47             break;
48         //else
49         for(int neighbour : adj[curr]) // this will give a LL , of all the possi
50             if(!vis[neighbour]) // if neighbour not visited, mark it visi
51             {
52                 vis[neighbour] = true;
53                 q.add(neighbour);
54                 parent[neighbour] = curr; // and is introduced by curr(the
55             }
56     }
57     // printing the distance form dest to source.
58     int curr = destination;
59     int distance = 0;
60
61     while( parent[curr] != -1 )
62     {
63         System.out.print(curr + "->");
64         curr = parent[curr];
65         distance++;
66     }
67     return distance;
68 }
69

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<terminated> Graph [Java Application] C:\Program Files\Java\jdk-14.0.2\bin\javaw.exe
enter the number of vertex and edges
5 6
enter 6 edges
0 1
1 2
2 3
3 4
4 0
4 2
Enter source and destination
0 3
3->4->min distance is 2

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