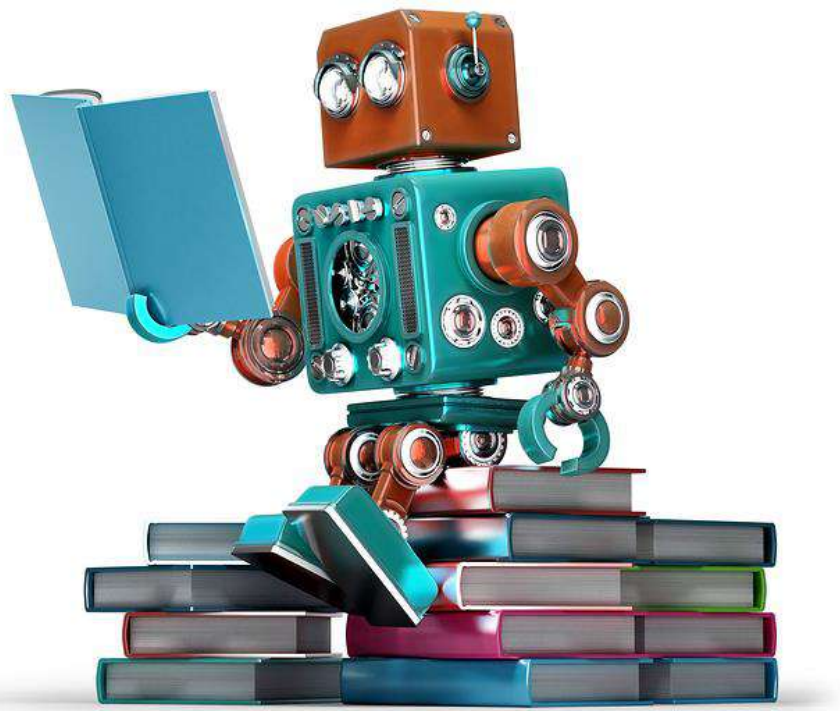
REASONING SYSTEMS
DAY 1



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DAY 1 AGENDA

1.1 Reasoning Systems Overview

1.2 Uninformed Search Techniques

1.3 Informed Search Techniques (part 1/2)

1.4 Search Representation **Workshop**

DAY 1 TIMETABLE

No	Time	Topic	By Whom	Where
1	9 am	Welcome and Introduction	GU Zhan (Sam)	Class
2	9.30 am	1.1 Reasoning Systems Overview	GU Zhan (Sam)	Class
3	10.10 am	Morning Break		
4	10.30 am	1.2 Uninformed Search Techniques	GU Zhan (Sam)	Class
5	12.10 pm	Lunch Break		
6	1.30 pm	1.3 Informed Search Techniques (part 1/2)	All	Class
7	3.10 pm	Afternoon Break		
8	3.30 pm	1.4 Search Representation Workshop	All	Class
9	4.50 pm	Summary and Review	All	Class
10	5 pm	End		

1.1
REASONING SYSTEMS OVERVIEW

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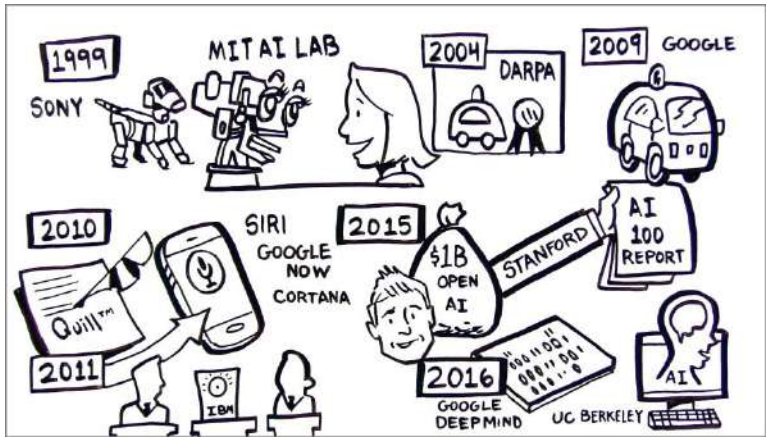
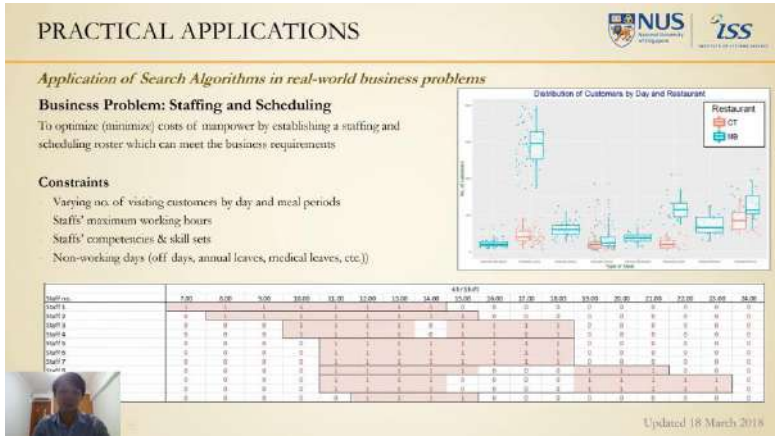
- **AI History**





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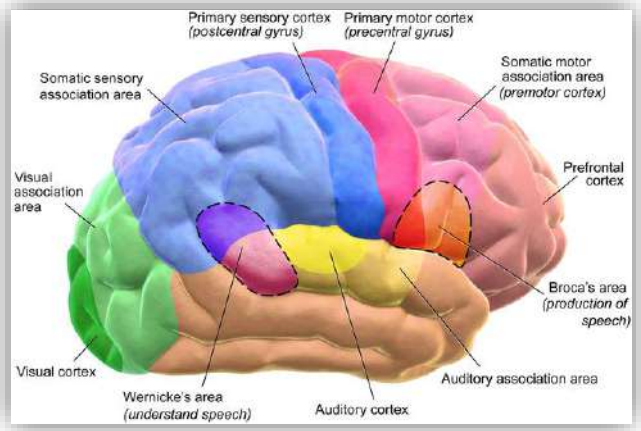
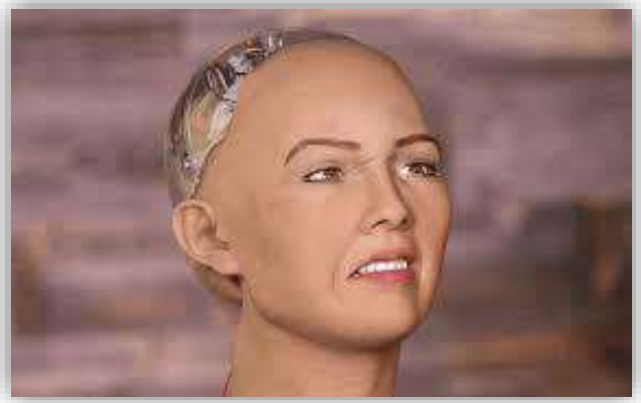
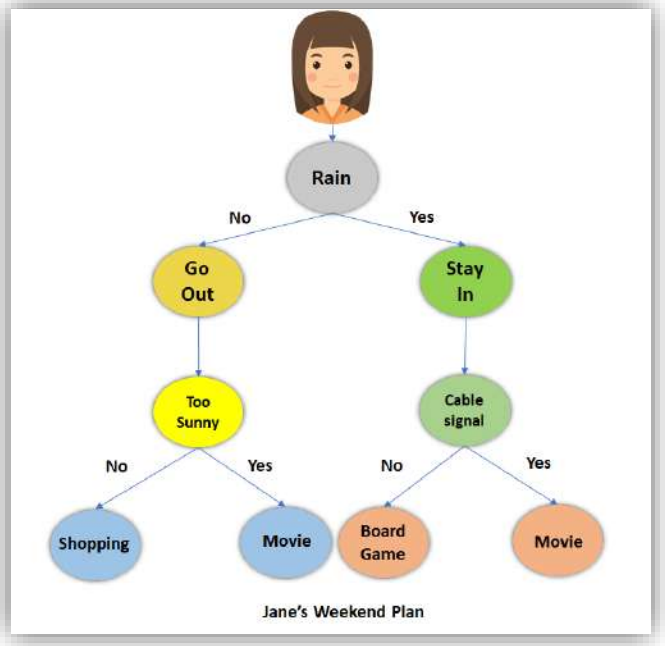




Thinking vs Acting (acting = behaviour)

Human vs Rational (rationality = doing the right thing)

Systems that think like humans (cognitive science)	Systems that think rationally (logic/laws of thought)
Systems that act like humans (c.f. Turing test)	Systems that act rationally (agents)



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- **Question Answering System: IBM Watson**

IBM Watson

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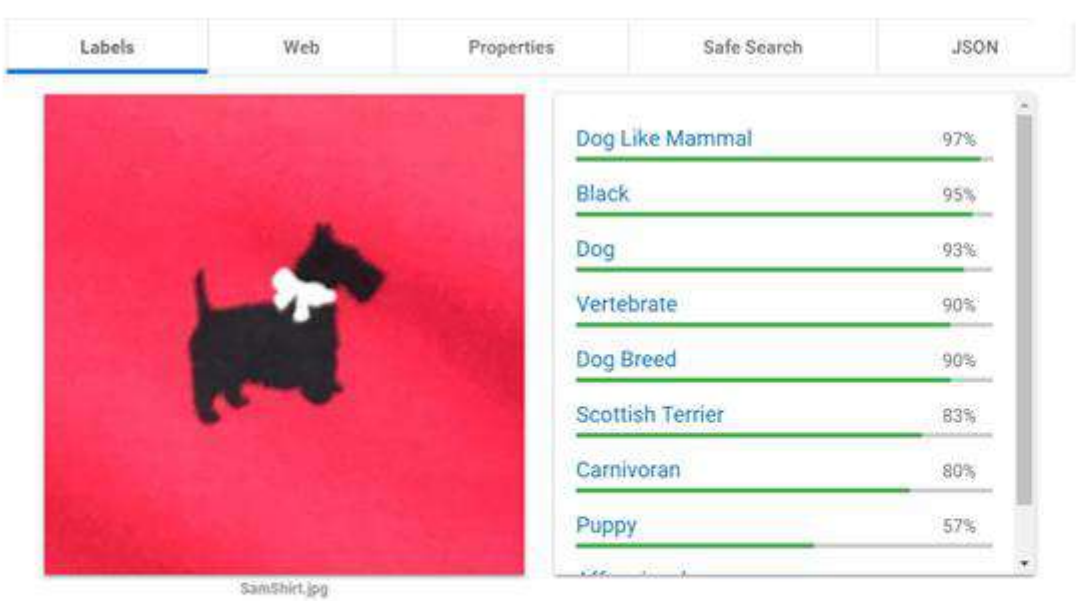
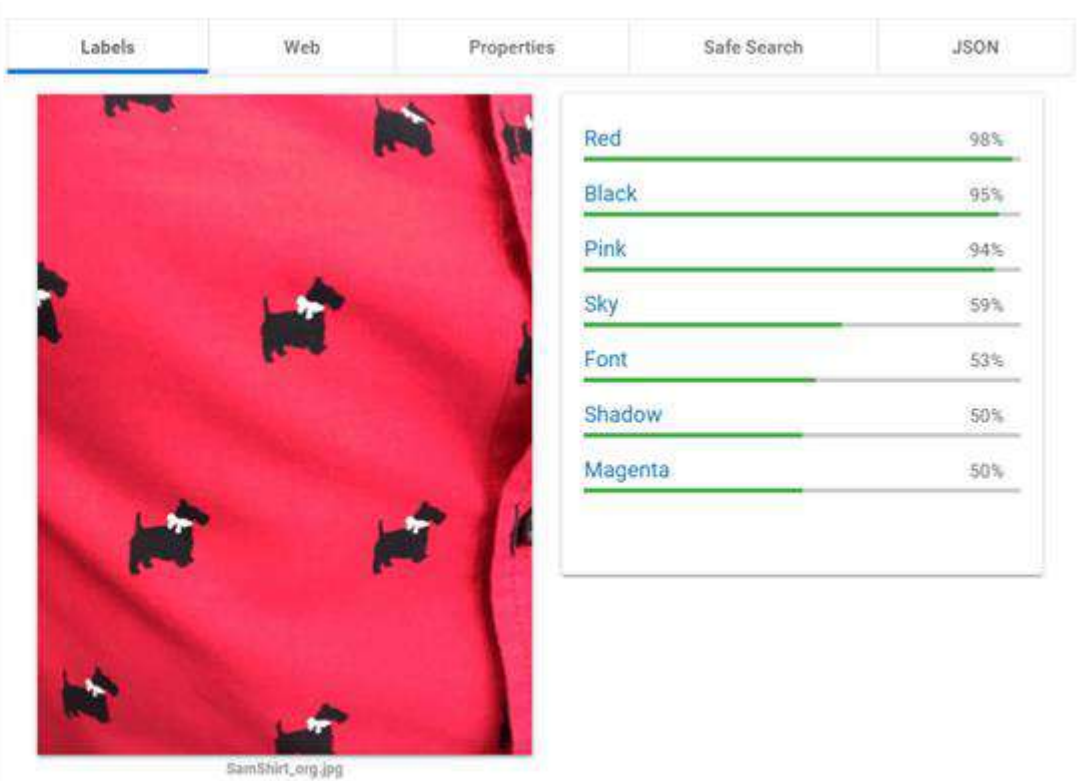
- Image Object Recognition: Google Vision





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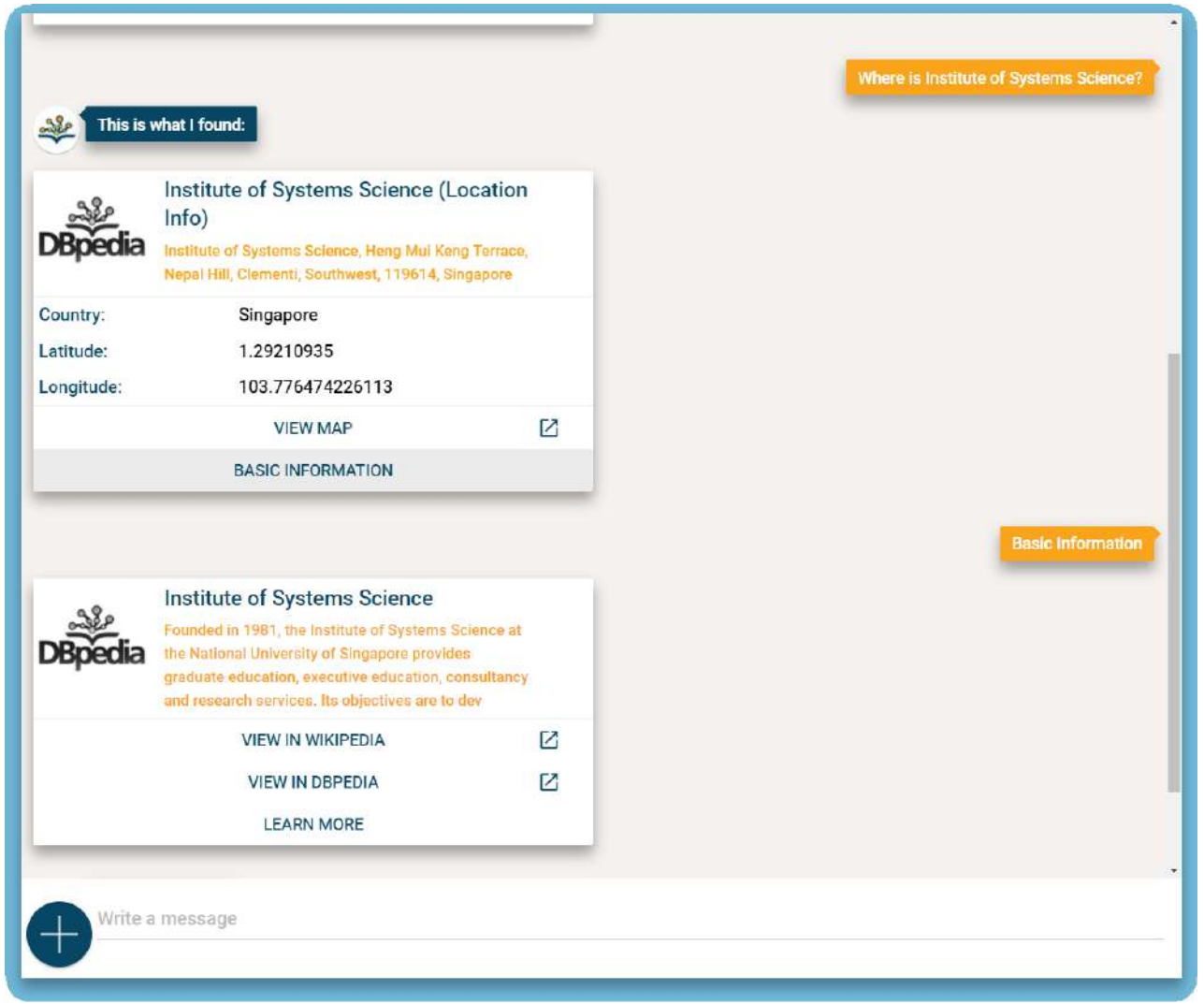
- **Chat-Bot: DBpedia**



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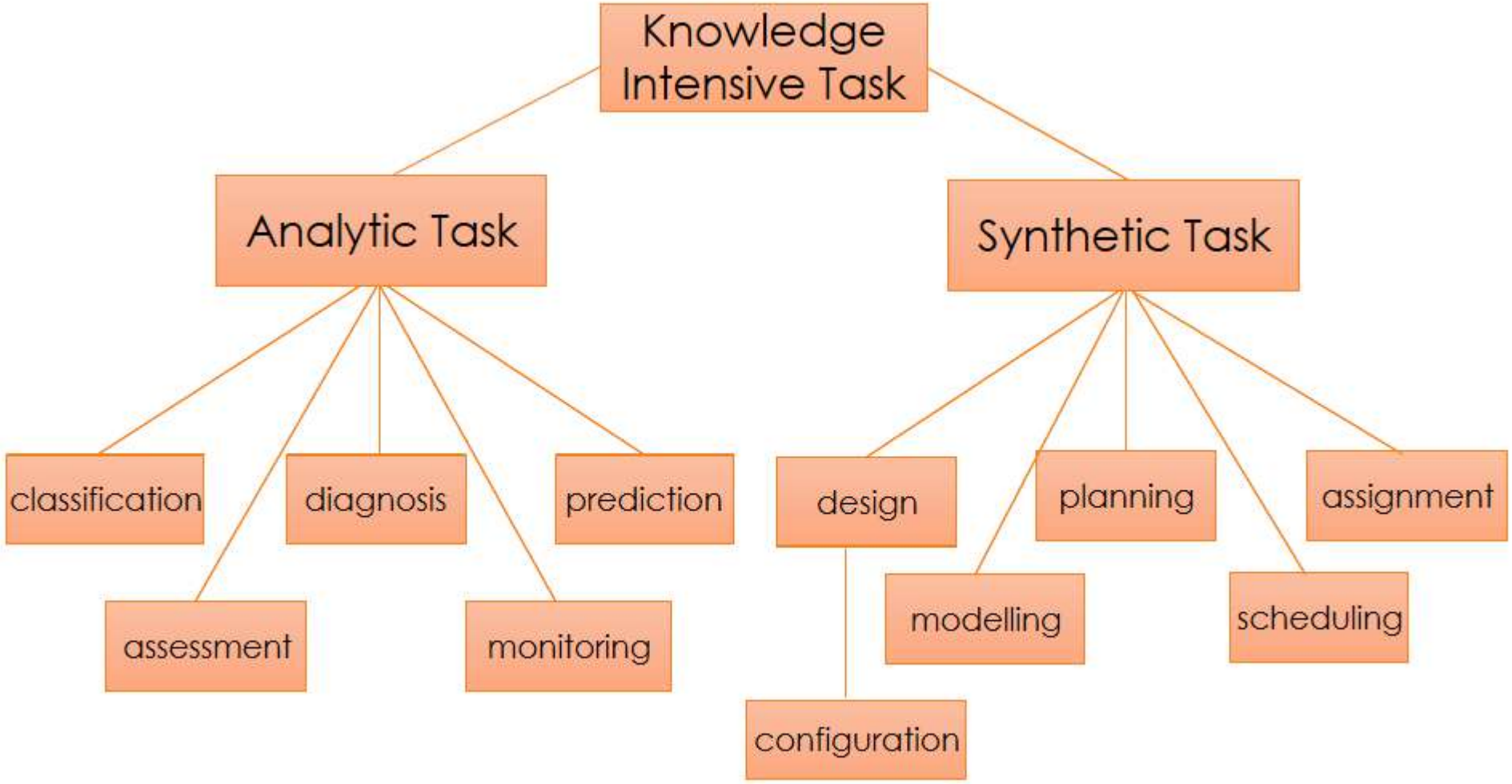
Problem Solving Task Hierarchy



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Problem Solving Task Types

- **Analytic Tasks**
  - System/Solution to be analysed pre-exists, but usually not completely "known".
  - Input: some data to trigger the system (e.g. patient symptoms)
  - Output: some characterization or behaviours about the system (e.g. cause of illness)
- **Synthetic Tasks**
  - System/Solution does not yet exist.
  - Input: requirements about system to be constructed
  - Output: constructed system description

1.1 REASONING SYSTEMS OVERVIEW

Problem Solving of Analytic Tasks

- **Analytic Tasks**

  Identification, Classification, Prediction, Clustering/Grouping, …

- **Techniques (Machine Reasoning)**

  Heuristic Business Rules

  Decision Trees

  Case Based Reasoning

  Fuzzy Logic

  Rule Induction

  Machine Learning

  …

1.1 REASONING SYSTEMS OVERVIEW

Problem Solving of Synthetic Tasks

- **Synthetic Tasks**

  Planning, Scheduling, Optimisation, Design, …

- **Techniques (Reasoning Systems)**

  Uninformed (brute force / blind) Search

  Informed (heuristic) Search

  Simulations

  Genetic Algorithms

  Reinforcement Learning

  Data Mining

  …

1.2
UNINFORMED SEARCH TECHNIQUES

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- Solving Problem by Search
- Search Tree Representation
- Depth First Search (DFS)
- Breadth First Search (BFS)

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1.2 UNINFORMED SEARCH TECHNIQUES

Solving Problem by Search

- Synthesis of a new valid solution is performed by searching through the **(search/solution) space**, which contains all possible solutions
- Each possible solution is evaluated to see whether it is **valid** and/or the **optimum** (best solution found by now), e.g. a valid employee schedule, a valid vehicle delivery route, an optimal (shortest) vehicle delivery route,
- Validity of solution involves satisfaction of a set of **constraints** on the solution variables
- Optimality is measured by a **user-defined function** which measures the "goodness" of the solution, e.g. the shorter delivery route the better.

1.2 UNINFORMED SEARCH TECHNIQUES

Solving Problem by Search

(1) Create a pool of solution candidates (search space)

(2) Pick up one candidate solution from pool

(3) Check whether this candidate is valid (constraints satisfied?)

- (3)=True If valid, continue
- (3)=False If not valid, go to (2)

(4) Check whether this candidate is the best till now (optimal solution?)

- (4)=True If best, save this solution as the best then continue
- (4)=False If not best, discard this solution then continue

(5) Go to (2). Repeat the cycle until a stopping criteria is met.

1.2 UNINFORMED SEARCH TECHNIQUES

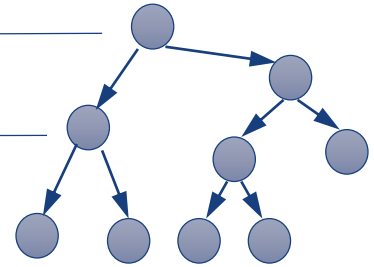
Search Tree Representation

- **Search is illustrated using a search space with a particular restricted structure**
- **Solutions (search space) can be represented as a Tree**
  - Nodes in tree represent

    an initial state

    an intermediate state

    a final state (feasible solution, or failure)



  - Connection between nodes represents a search step

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Depth First Search (DFS)

- Always prefers to search deeper in the search tree rather than wider.

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Depth First Search (DFS)

Algorithm Pseudo Code

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(4.1) If **n** is a goal node, then exit and signal success

(4.2) Otherwise, add the children of **n** to the **front** of **N** then go to step **(2)**

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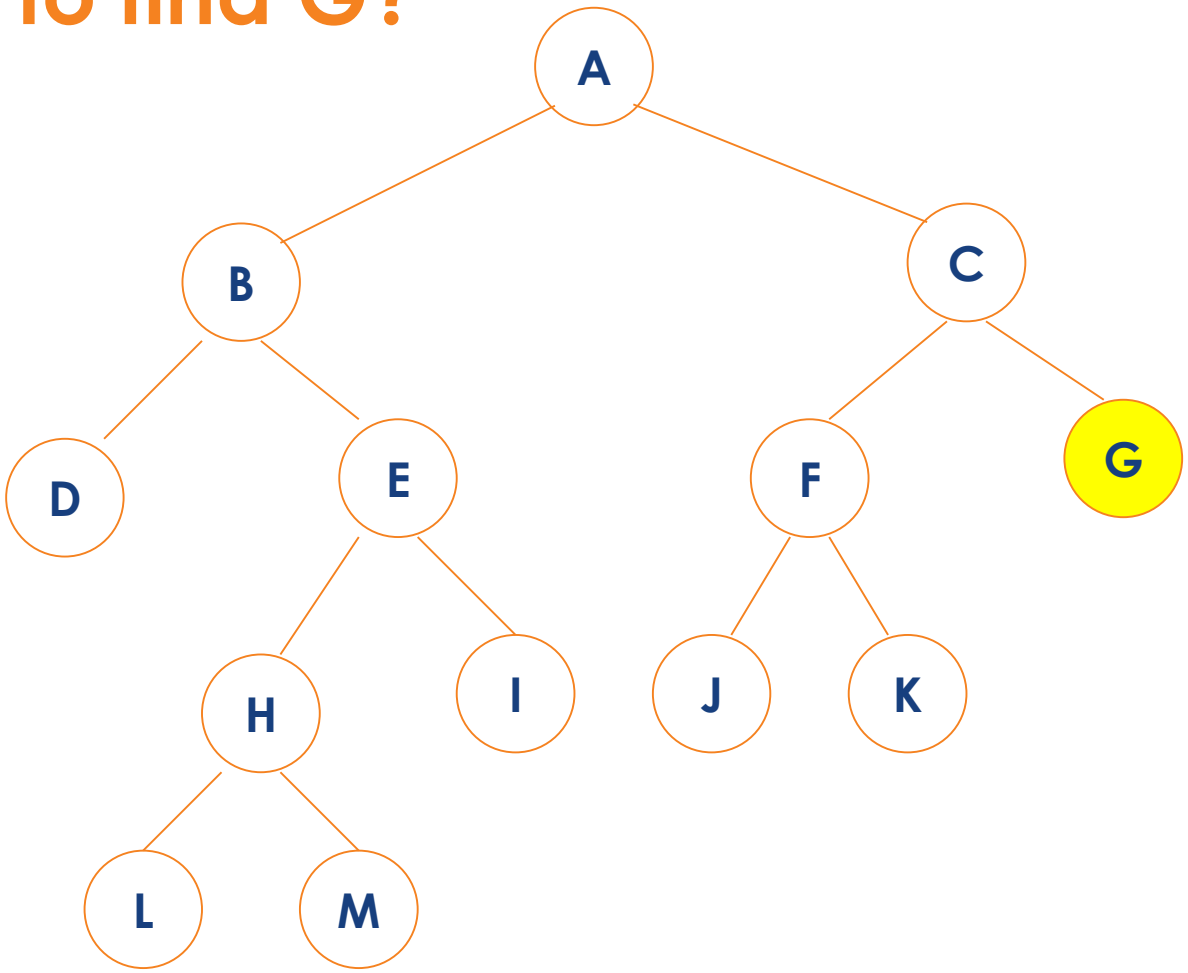
Depth First Search (DFS)

- Visit order to find G?



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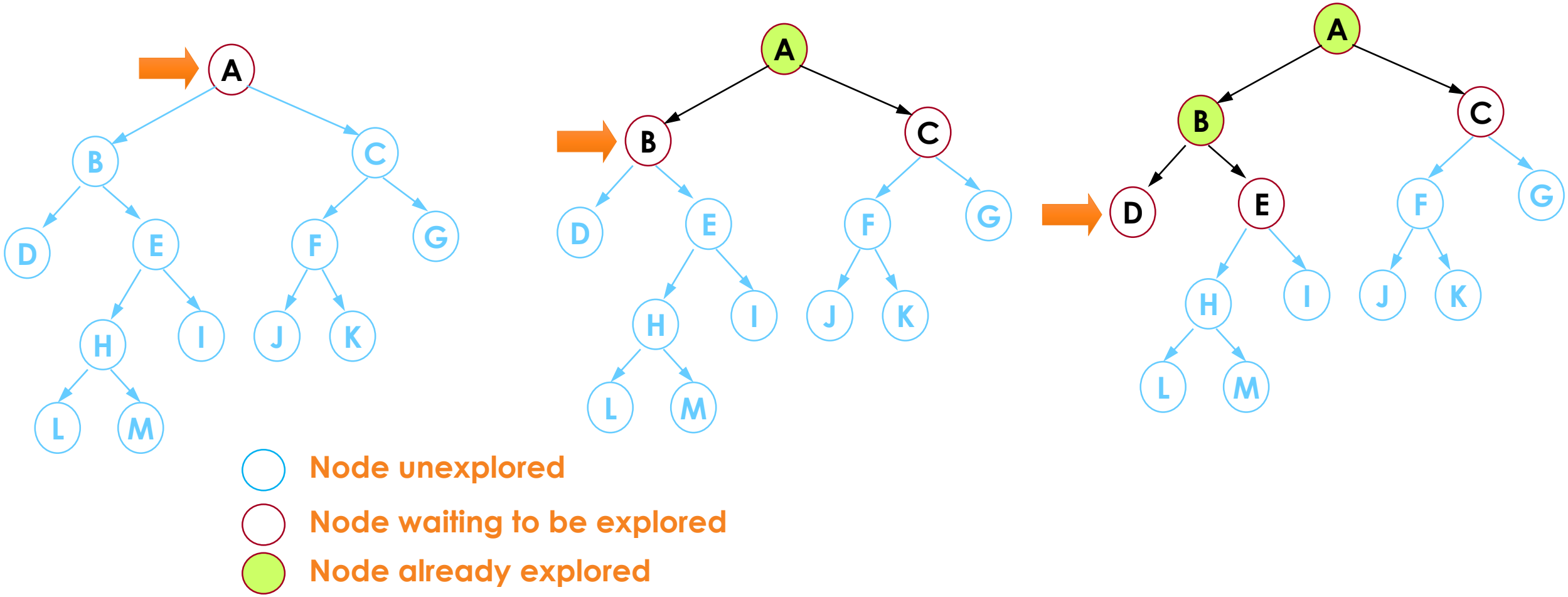

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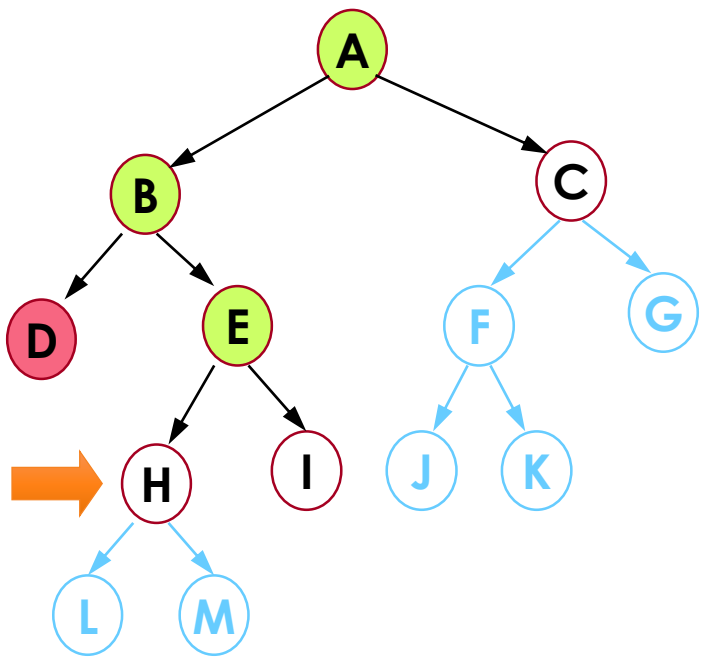

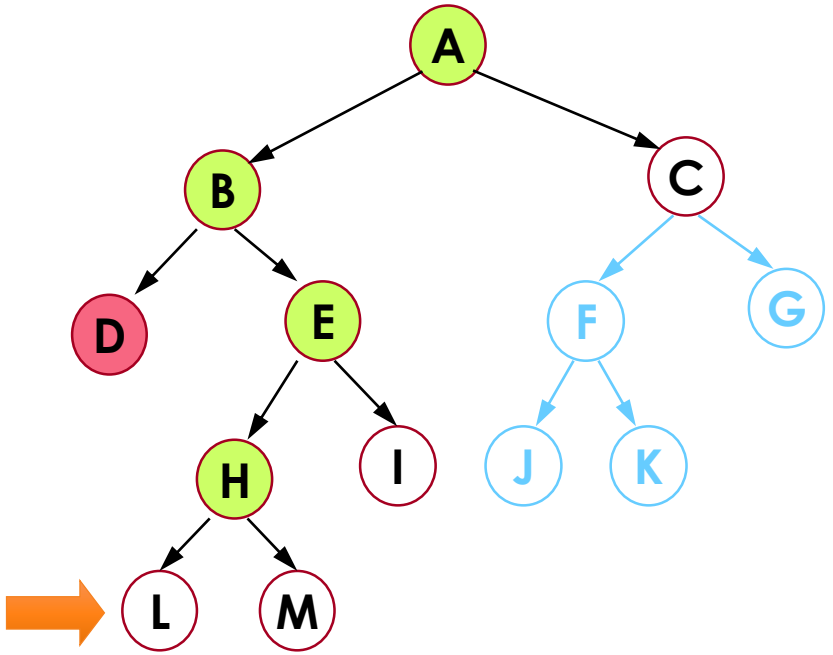

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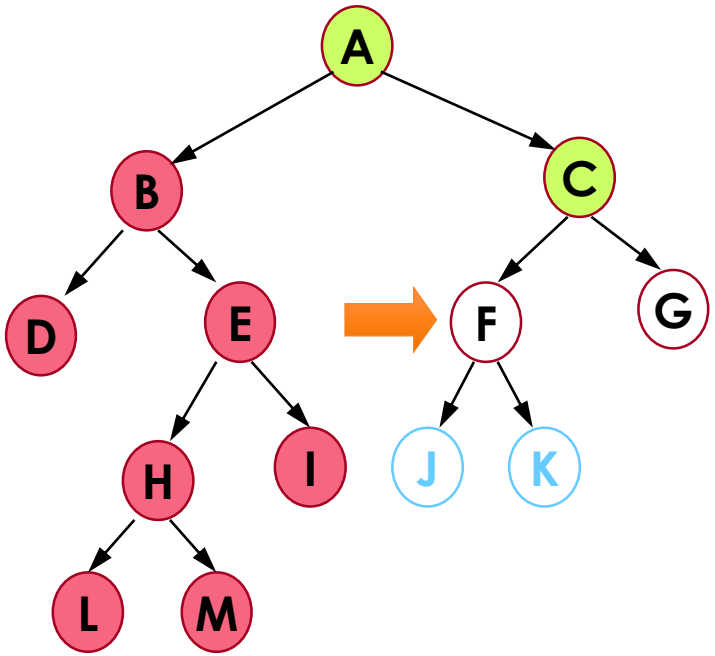

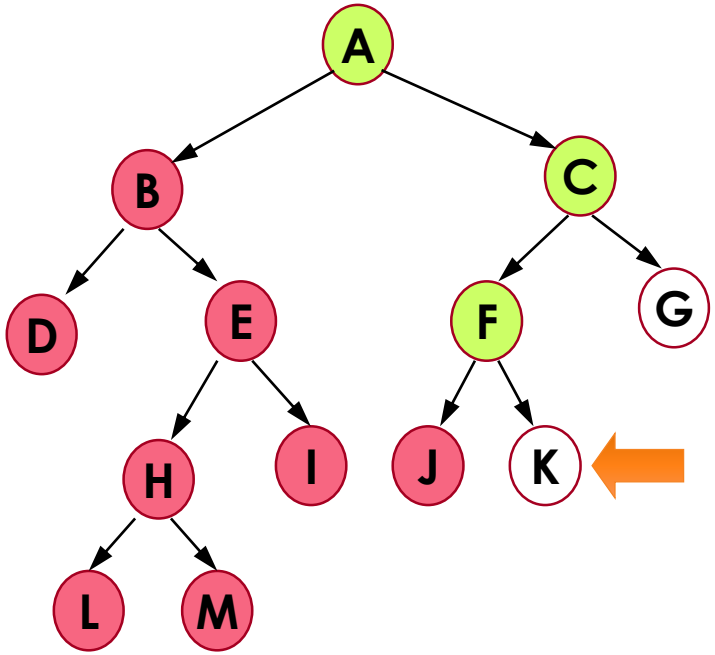

Explored non-solution node/branch can be removed

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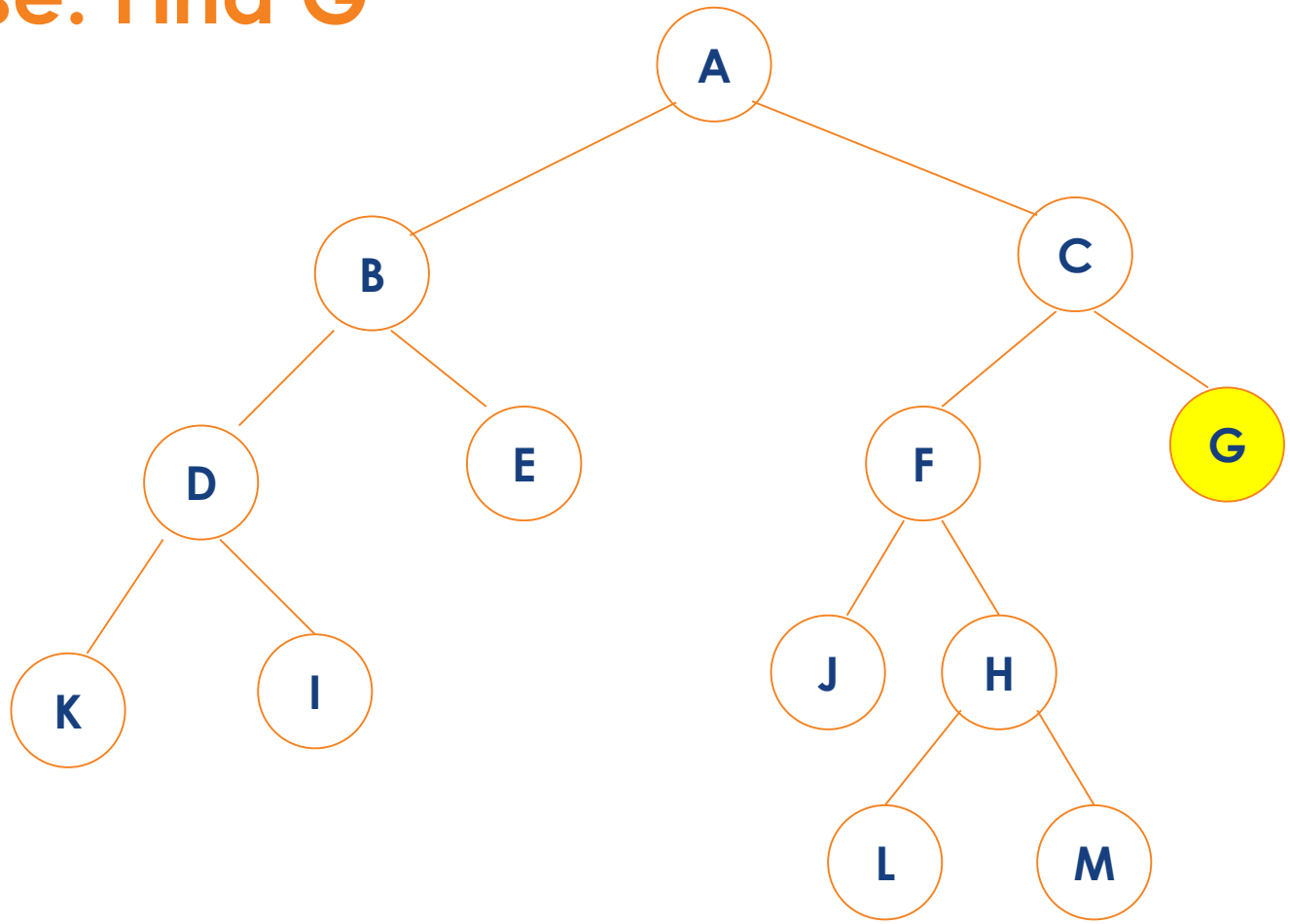
Depth First Search (DFS)

- **Exercise: Find G**



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Breadth First Search (BFS)

- Explores all the nodes at a given depth before processing deeper in the search tree.

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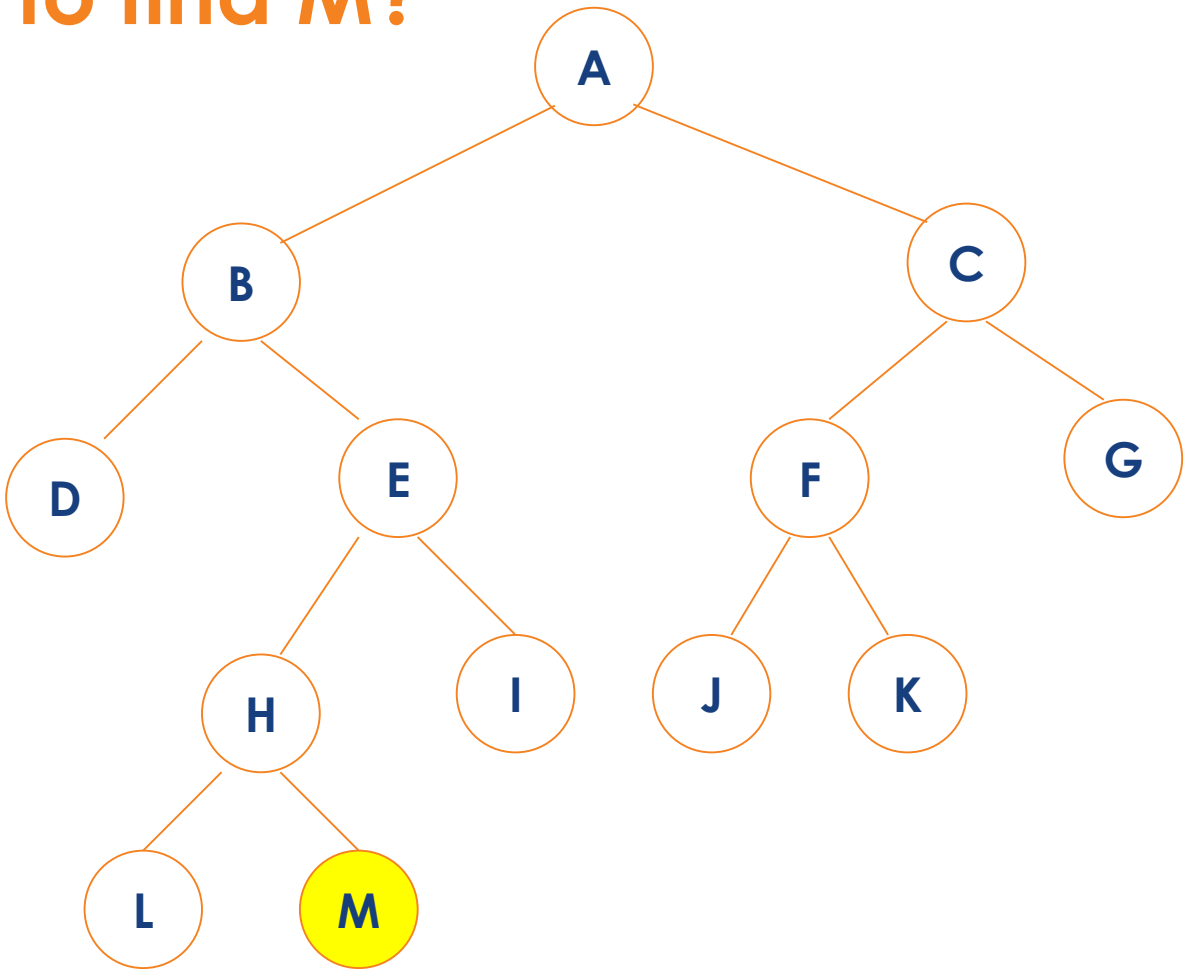

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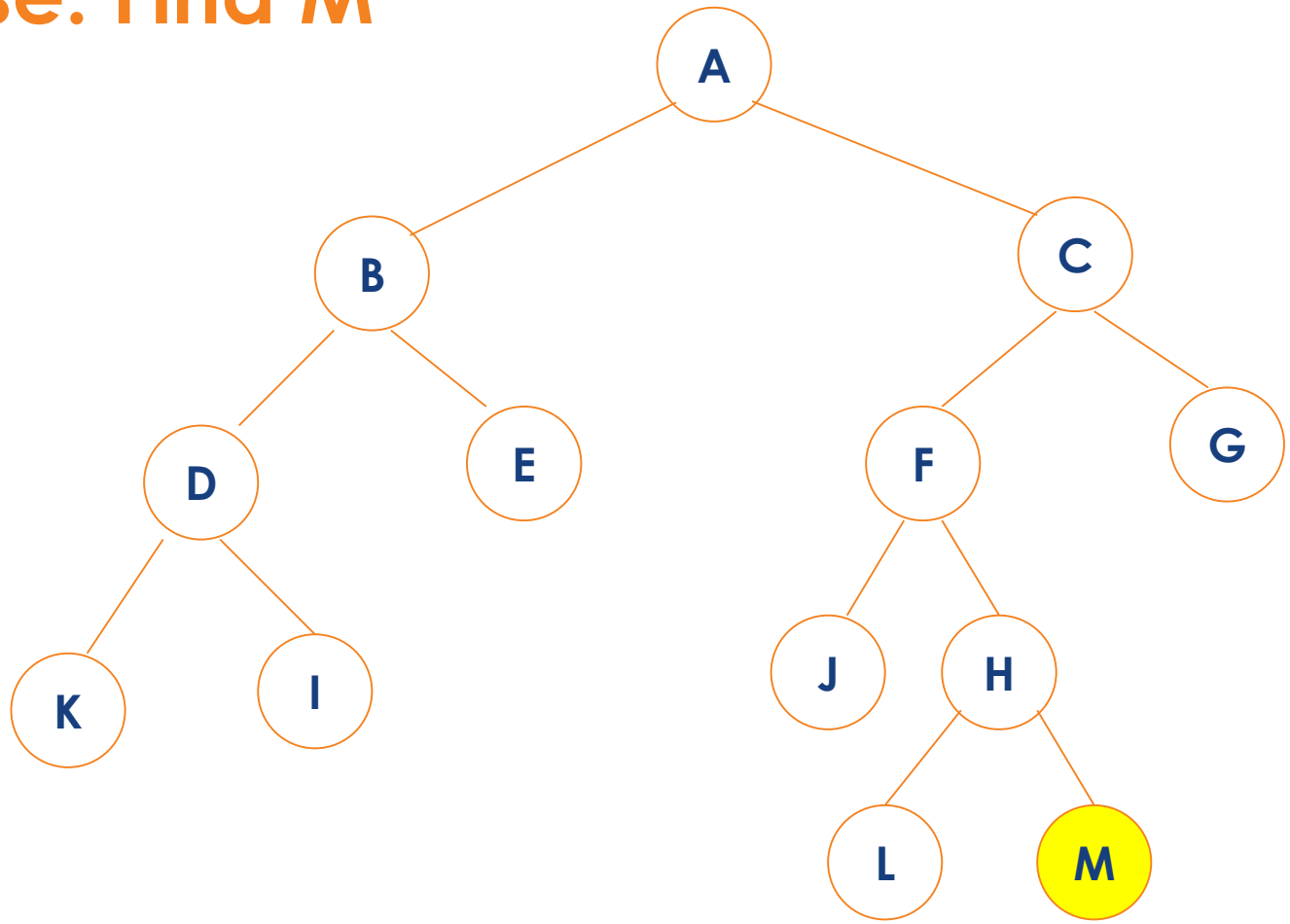

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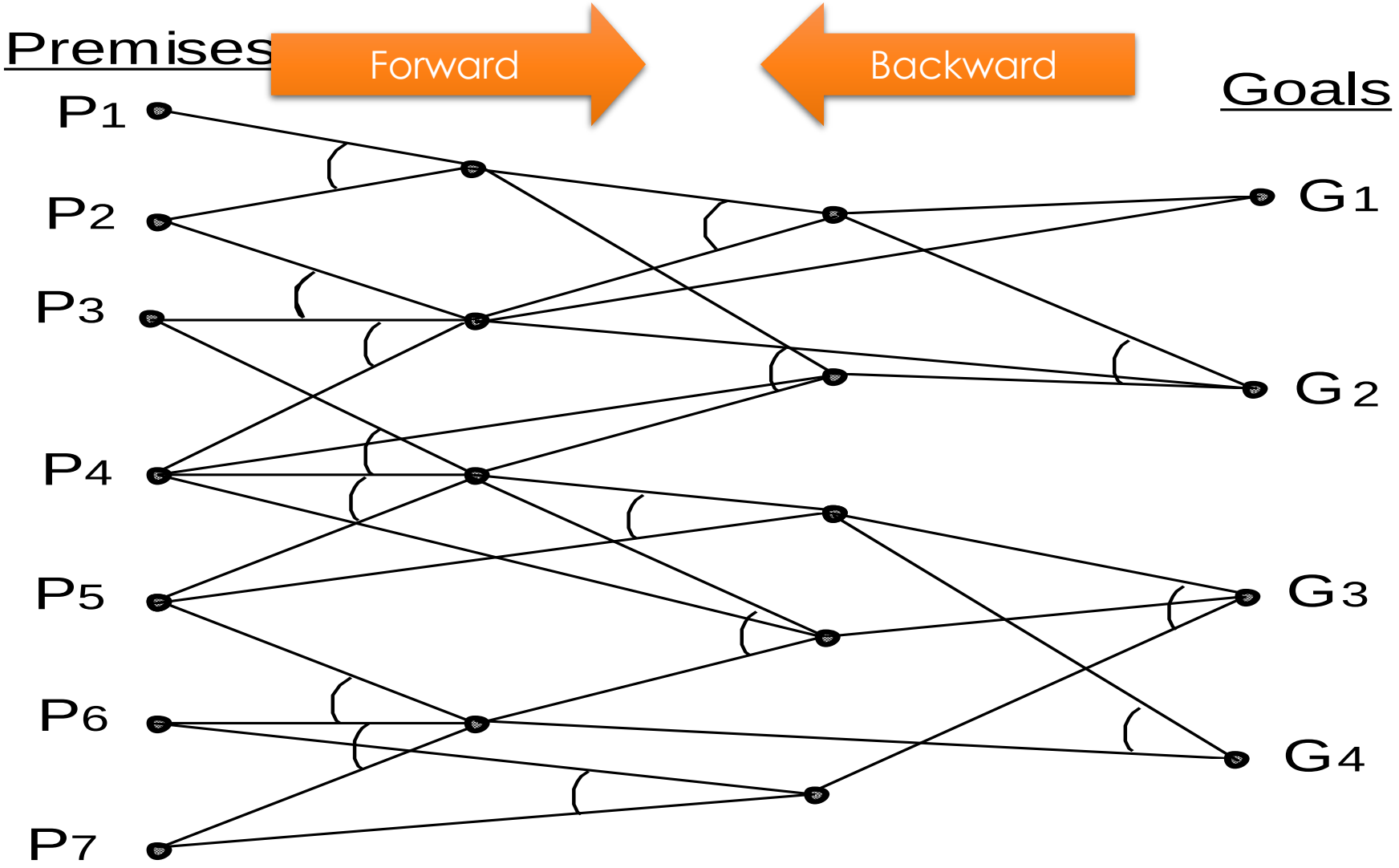
Forward Chaining (BFS) vs. Backward Chaining (DFS)



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INFORMED SEARCH TECHNIQUES
(PART 1/2)

1.3 INFORMED SEARCH TECHNIQUES (1/2)

- Use Heuristics
- Hill Climbing Search (HC)
- A Star Search (A*)
- Tabu Search (TS)
- Simulated Annealing (SA)
- Informed Search Use Case

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1.3 INFORMED SEARCH TECHNIQUES (1/2)

Use Heuristics

- **Basic Idea**
  - It works by firstly sorting the list of nodes, then explore them orderly, according to their **optimality** (best score) determined by an evaluation function ***f*(*n*)**
- **Typical Best-first Strategies**
  - Use heuristics only : Hill Climbing, Tabu search
  - Use heuristics and past cost : A*, Late Acceptance
  - Use heuristics and randomness : Simulated Annealing, GA

1.3 INFORMED SEARCH TECHNIQUES (1/2)

Use Heuristics

- A key component of evaluation function *f(n)* is a heuristic function: *h(n)* = estimated cost of the cheapest path from node n to a goal node. Or estimated degree of difference between the current states/solutions and ultimate goal state.
- By convention, the lower the heuristic value the more promising the node: better to check first. h(n) = 0 when n is goal
- ☺ When there is no other information available but only the heuristics, *f(n)* = *h(n)*

1.3 INFORMED SEARCH TECHNIQUES (1/2)

Use Heuristics

- **Heuristic Function (Knowledge)**
  - ***h(n)*** = Correct or Incorrect positions

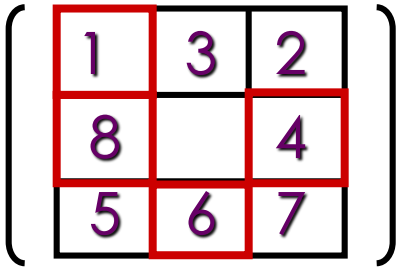
Initial=

1	3	2
8		4
5	6	7

Goal=

1	2	3
8		4
7	6	5

  - $h_1(n)$ = number of tiles in their **correct** goal state positions



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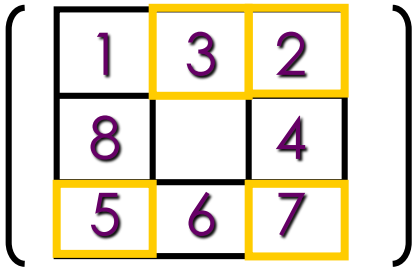
  - $h_2(n)$ = number of tiles in their **incorrect** goal state positions



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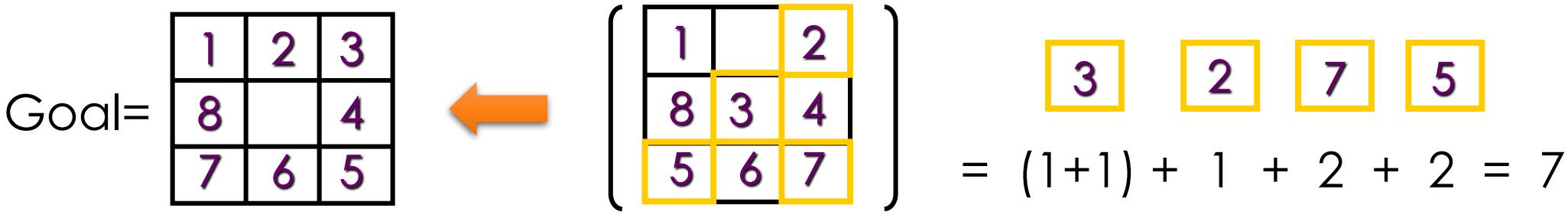
1.3 INFORMED SEARCH TECHNIQUES (1/2)

Use Heuristics

- **Heuristic Function (Knowledge)**
  - ***h(n)*** = Manhattan distance (sum of the horizontal & vertical distance each tile is away from its goal state position)

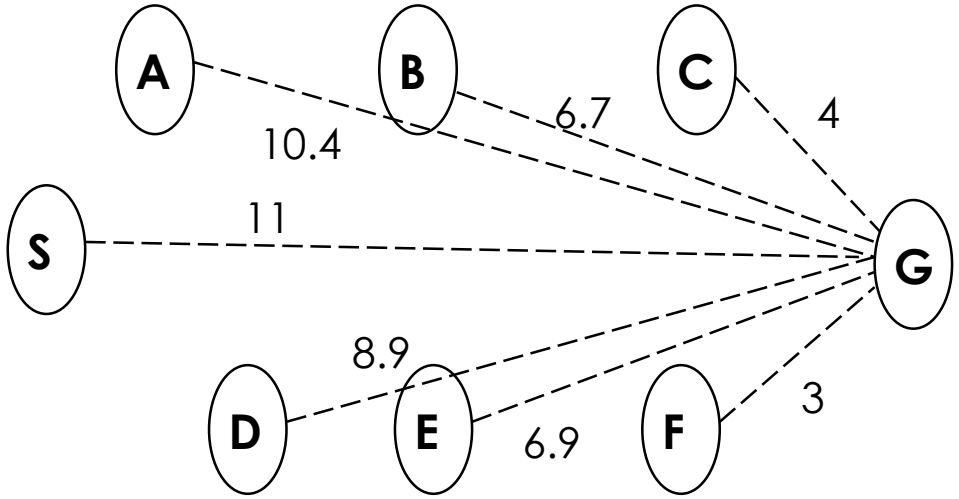


☺ Manhattan distance gives a better estimate of the distance to the Goal state

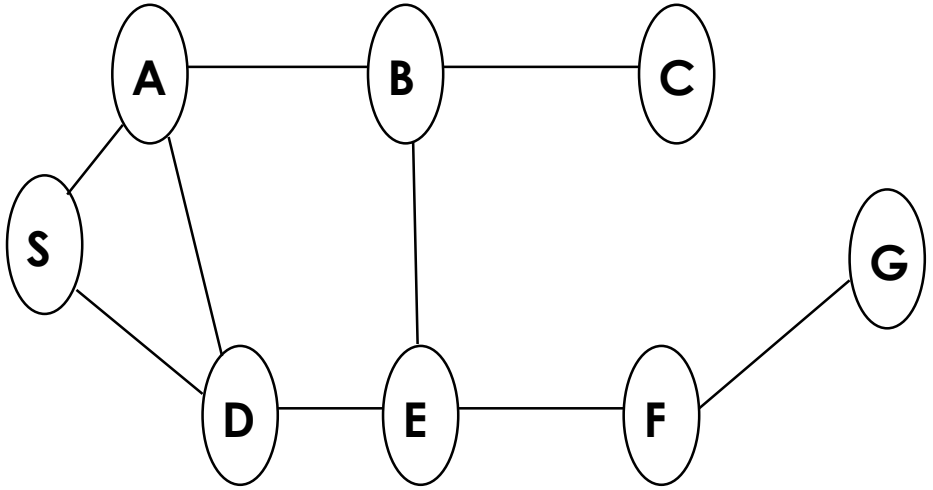
1.3 INFORMED SEARCH TECHNIQUES (1/2)

Use Heuristics

- **Heuristic Function (Knowledge)**
  - ***h(n)*** = "straight-line" distance between each city & the goal (This is useful estimation or heuristic.)



Heuristic Distances



Actual Roads

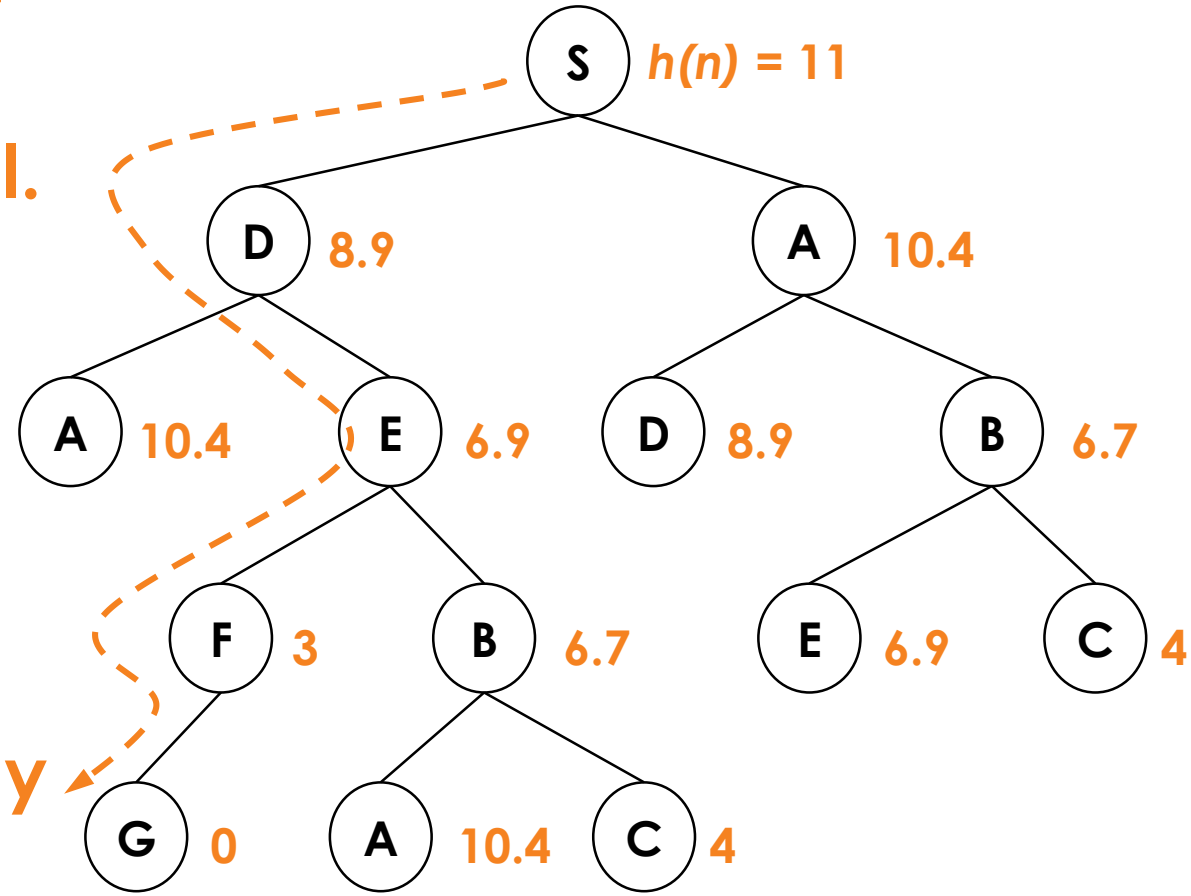
1.3 INFORMED SEARCH TECHNIQUES (1/2)

Hill Climbing (Greedy Best First Search)

- Minimize the cost to reach the goal state by expanding the node that is closest to the goal.
- Using only the heuristic values for evaluation function:

$$f(n) = h(n)$$

- Select search node with min($f(n)$) at each step.
- Follow a single path all the way to a goal, but can back track when it hits a dead end.



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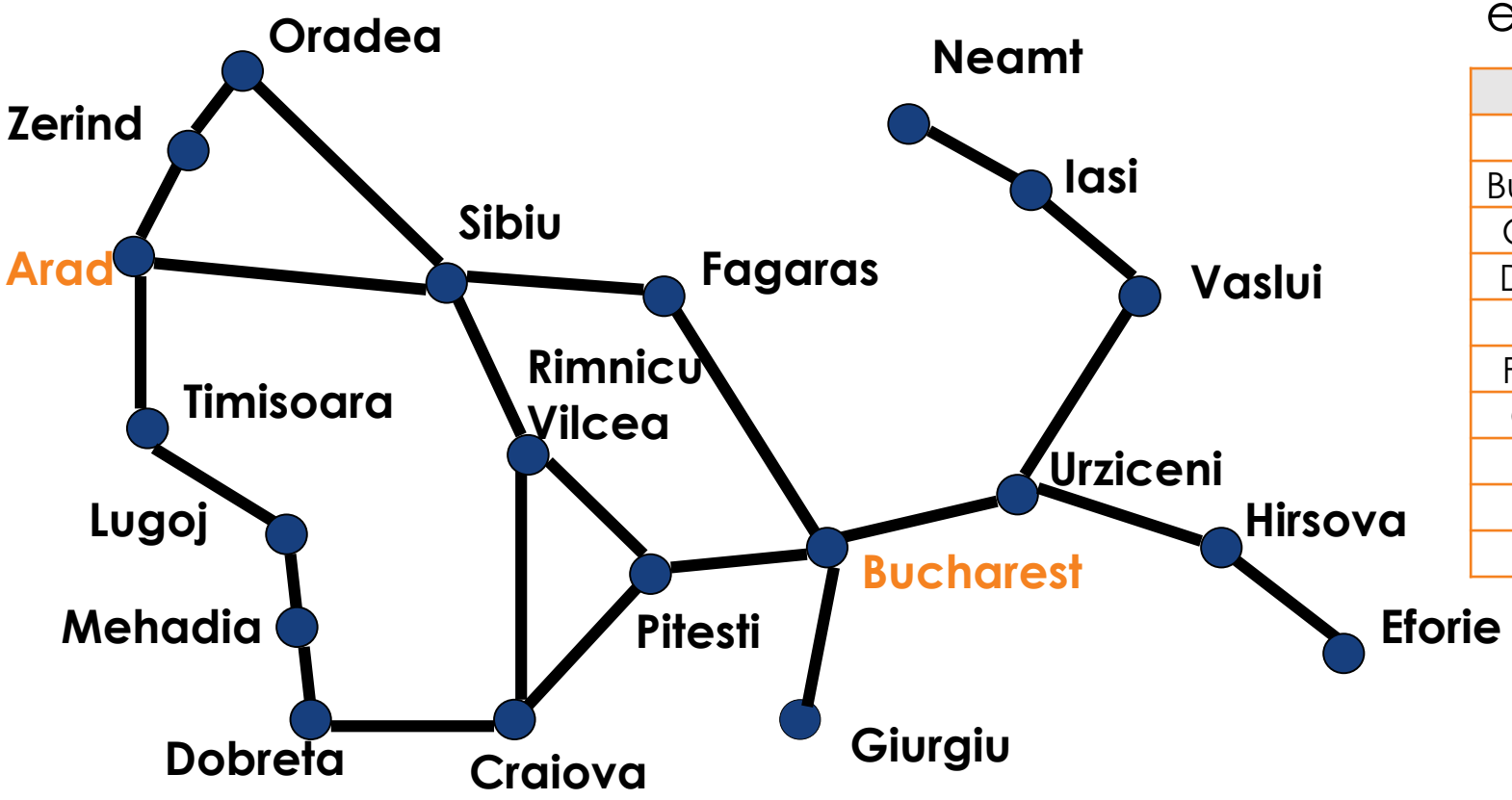
Hill Climbing (Greedy Best First Search)

- **Arad → Bucharest**



h(n) =Straight-line distance from each city to **Bucharest**

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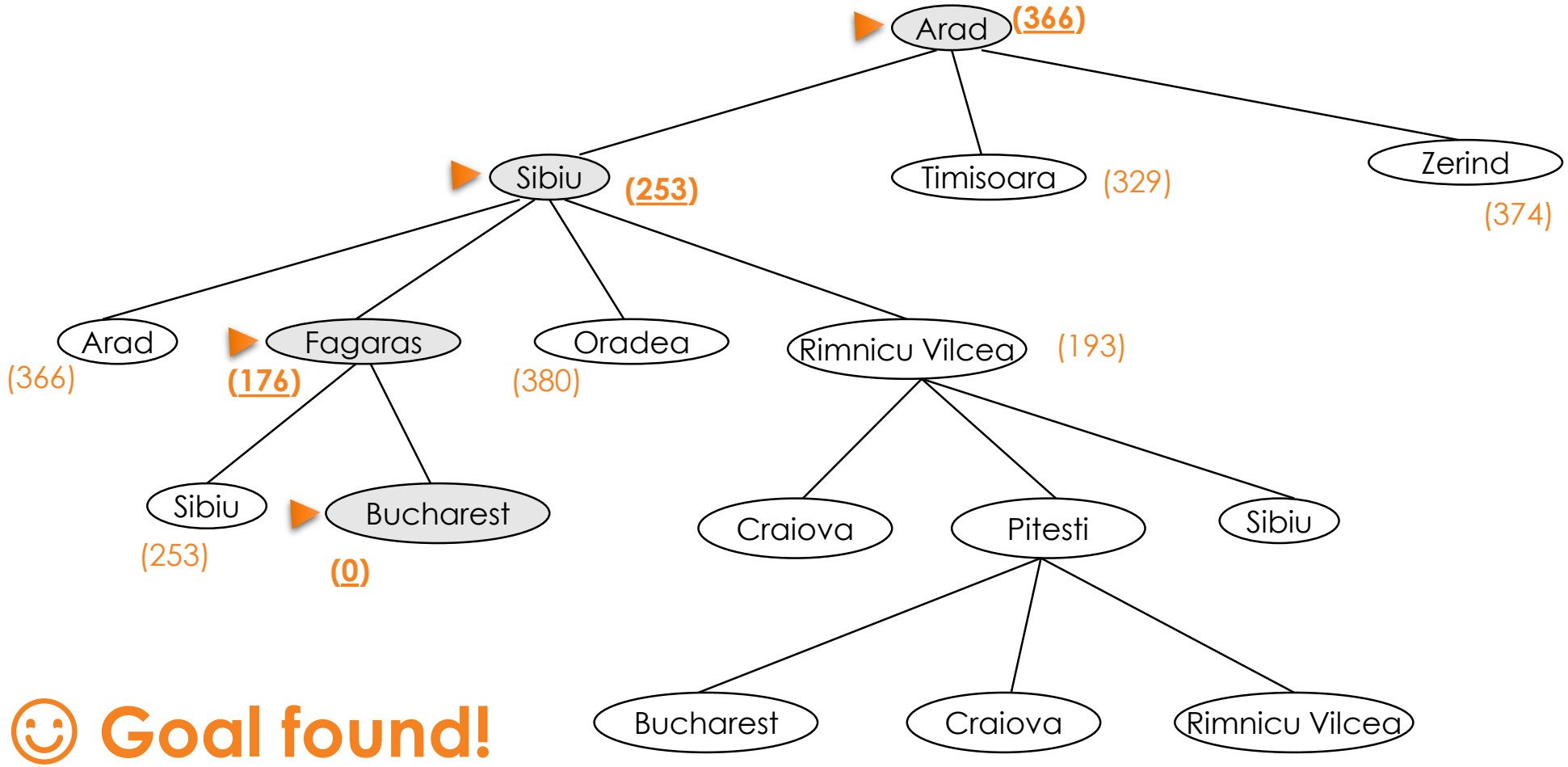

☺ **Goal found!**

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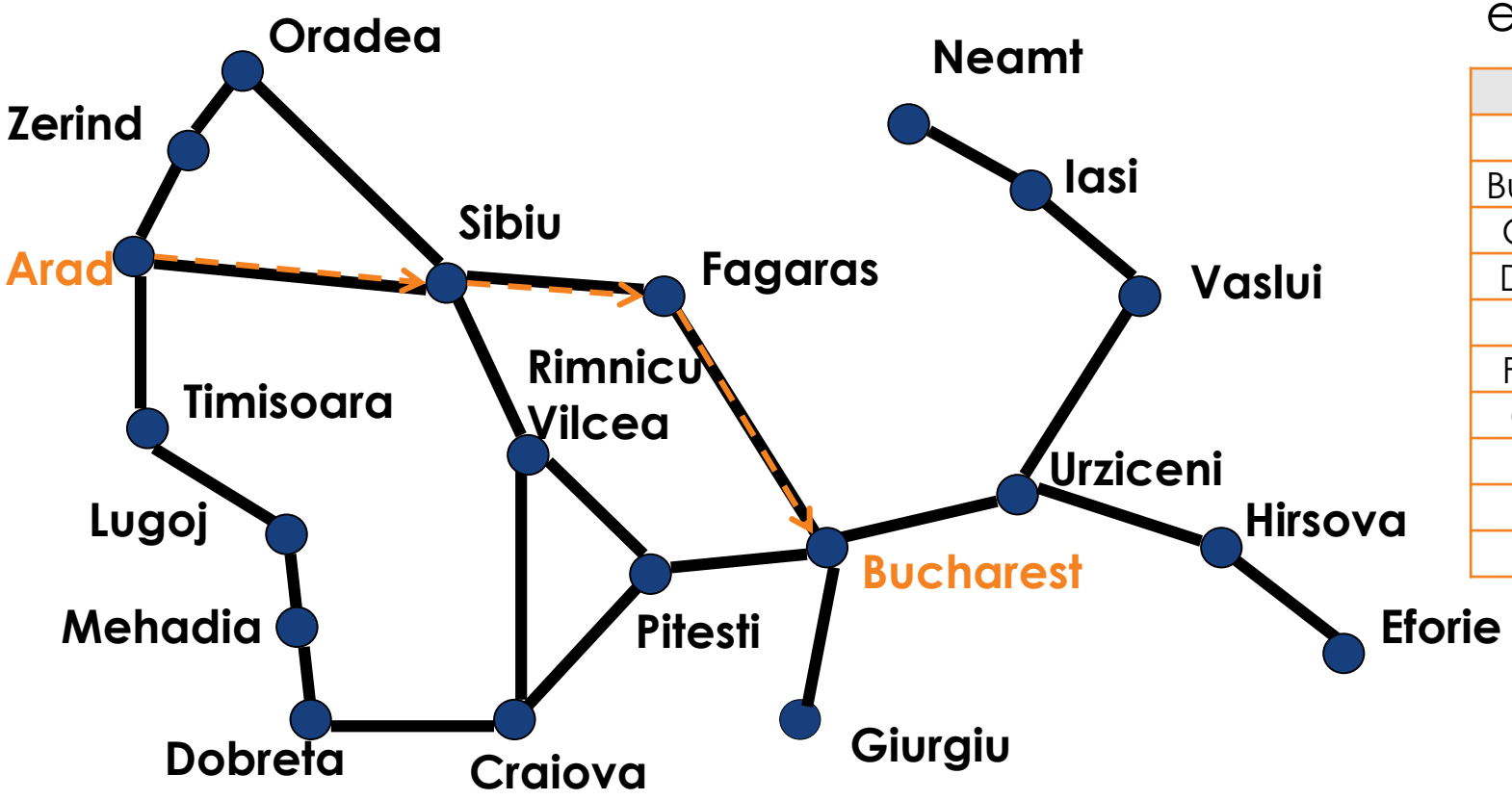

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A* Search

- **A* search is the most widely-known form of best-first search**
  - This strategy evaluates each search node by combining ***g(n)***, the past (path) cost from the start node to current node ***n***, and ***h(n)***, the estimated future (path) cost: the cheapest path/cost from current node ***n*** to a goal node
  - Estimated total cost of the cheapest solution through ***n***

$$f(n) = g(n) + h(n)$$

☺ ***g(n)*** **is exactly known, but** ***h(n)*** **is only an estimation with possible error.**

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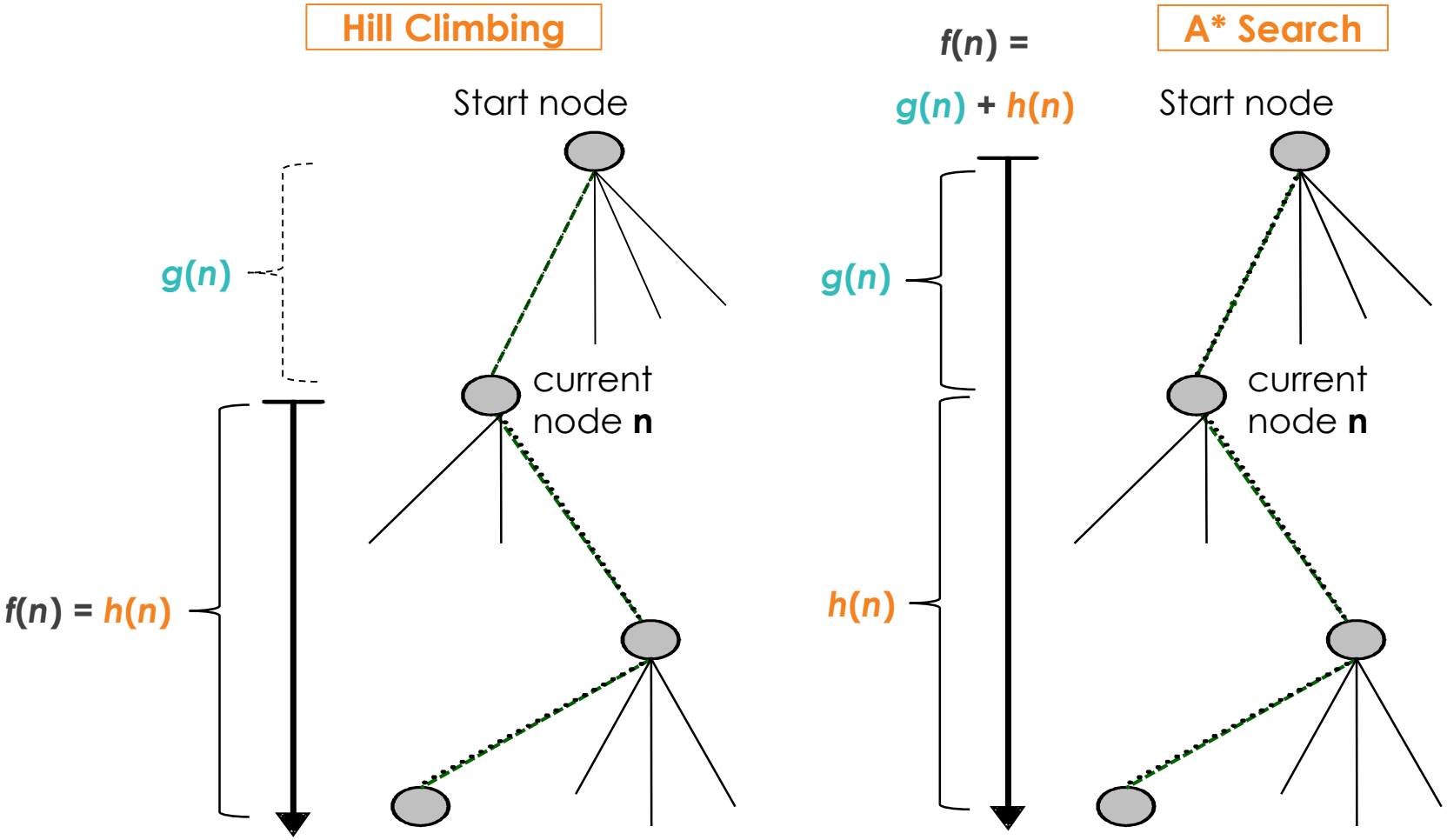
A* Search vs. Hill Climbing



Select then expand "best-path-**from-n**-to-goal" child-node at each layer

Select then expand "best-path-**from-start**-to-goal" child-node at each layer

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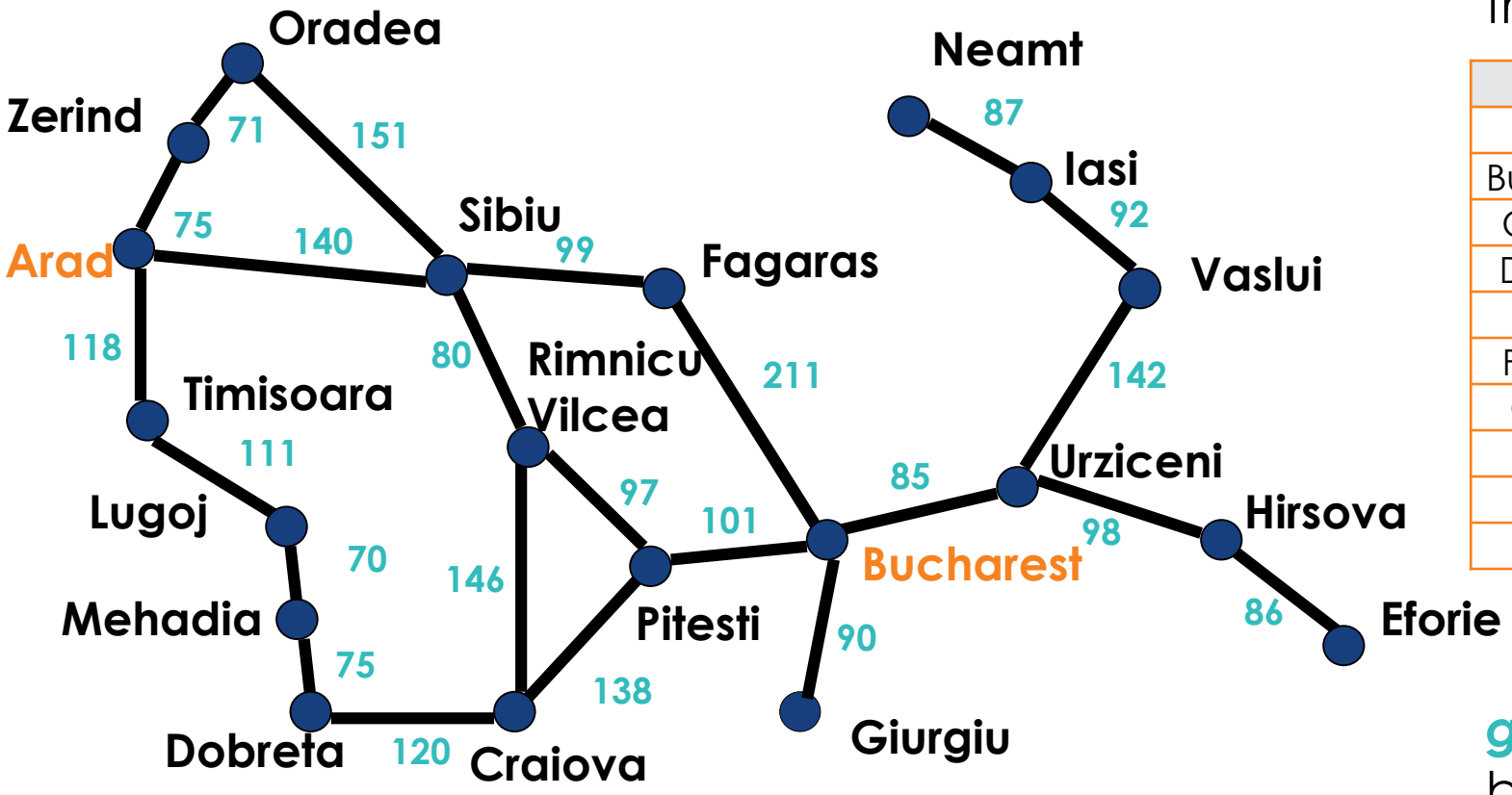

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g(n) = Actual path distance between different cities

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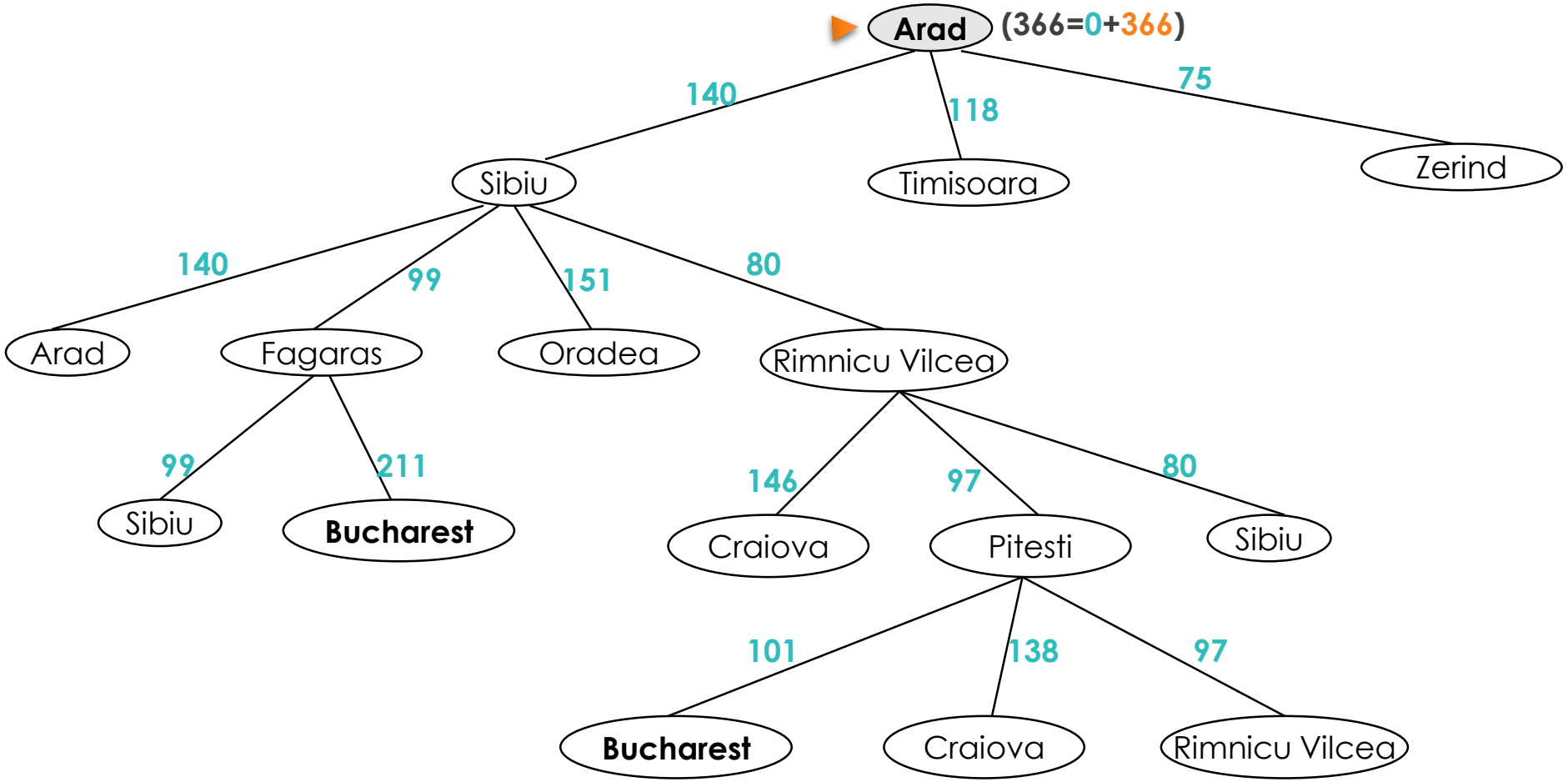

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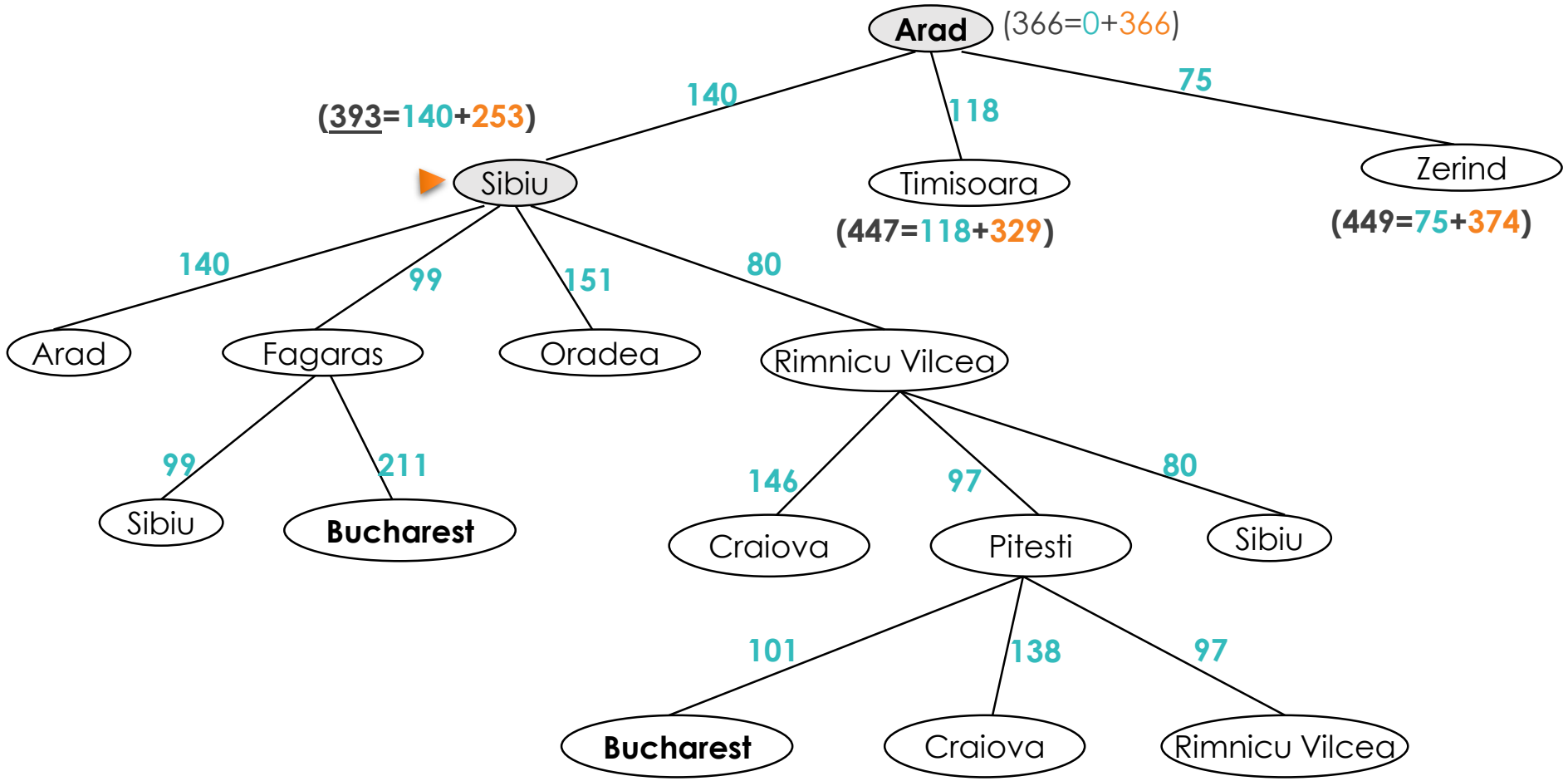

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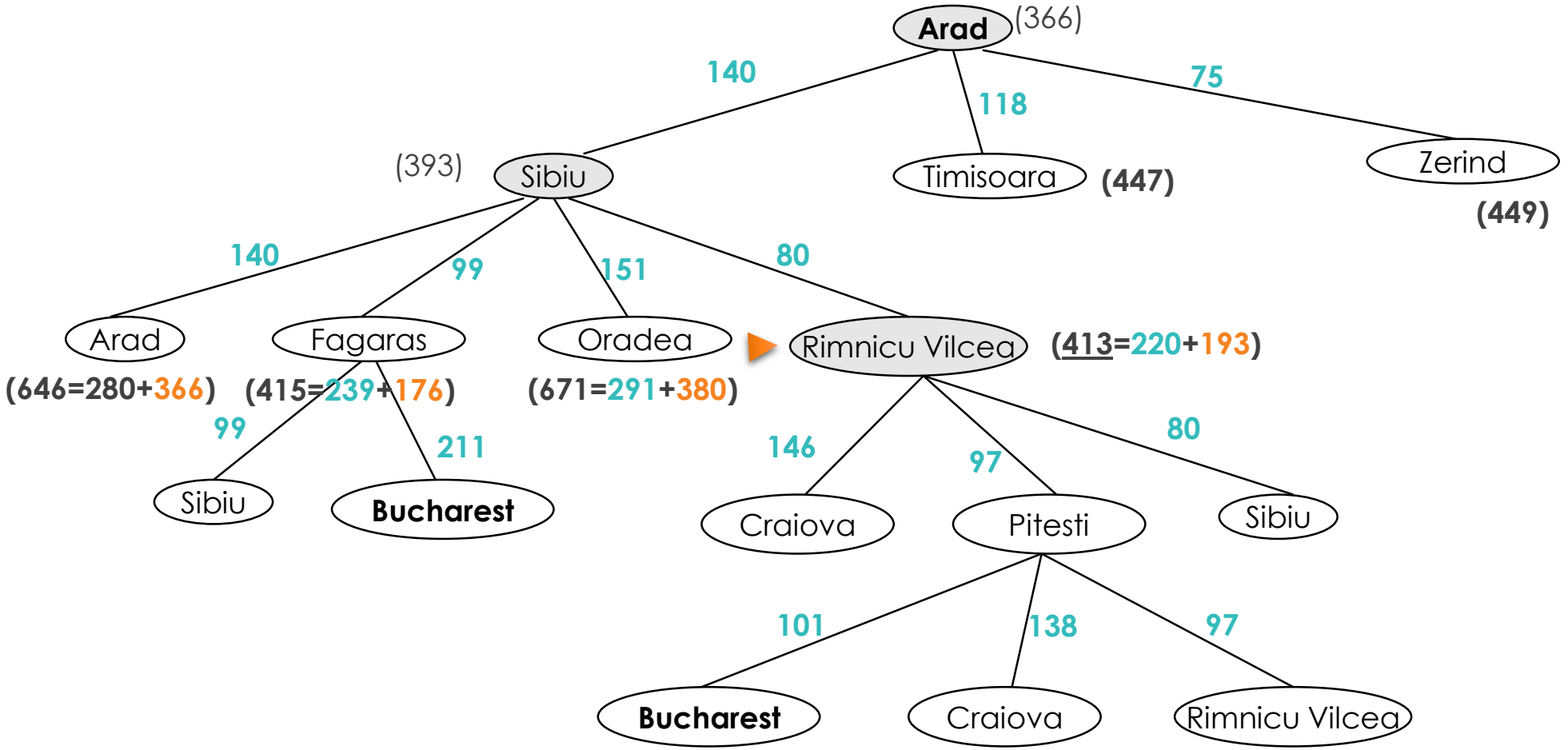

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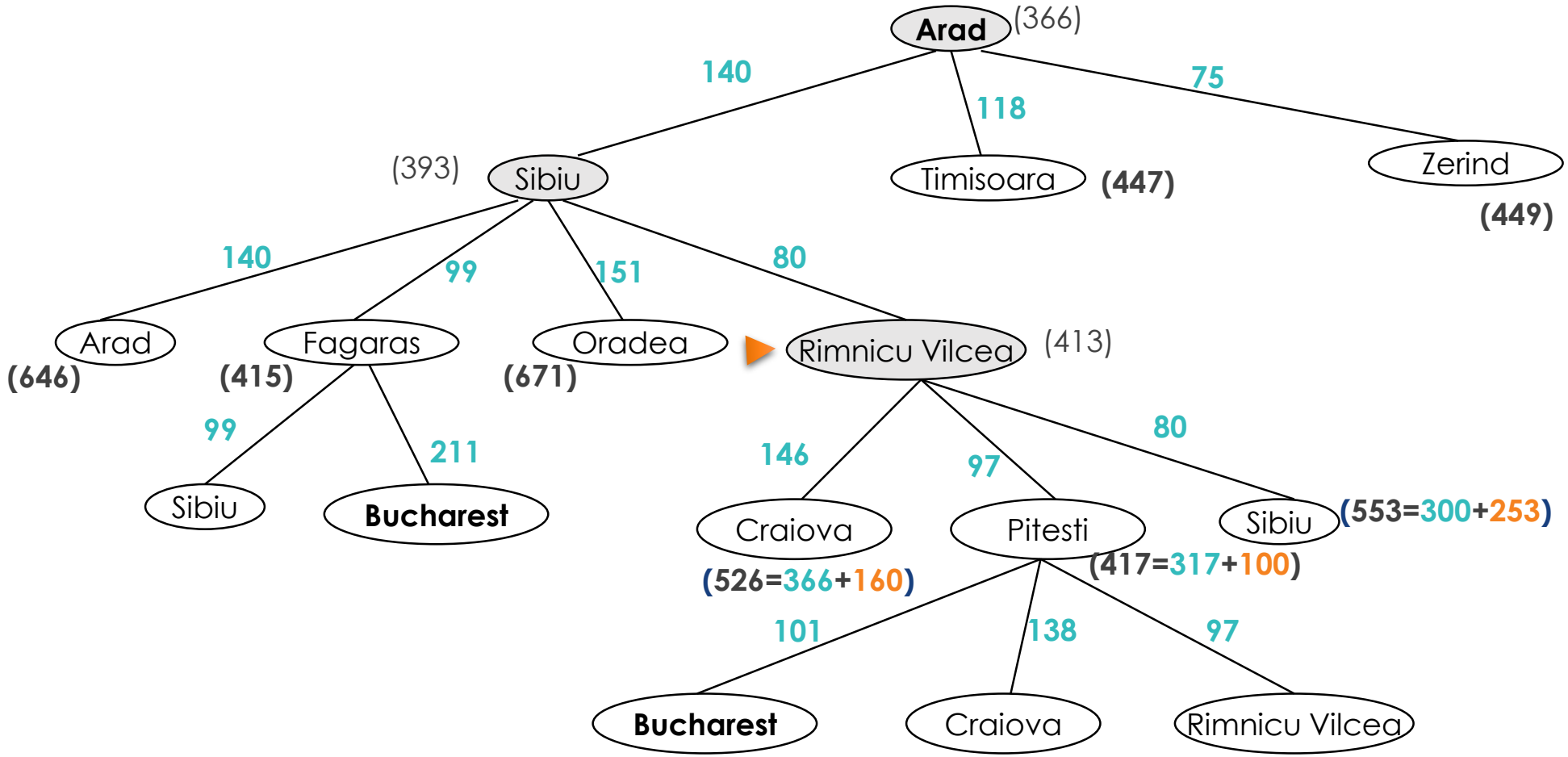

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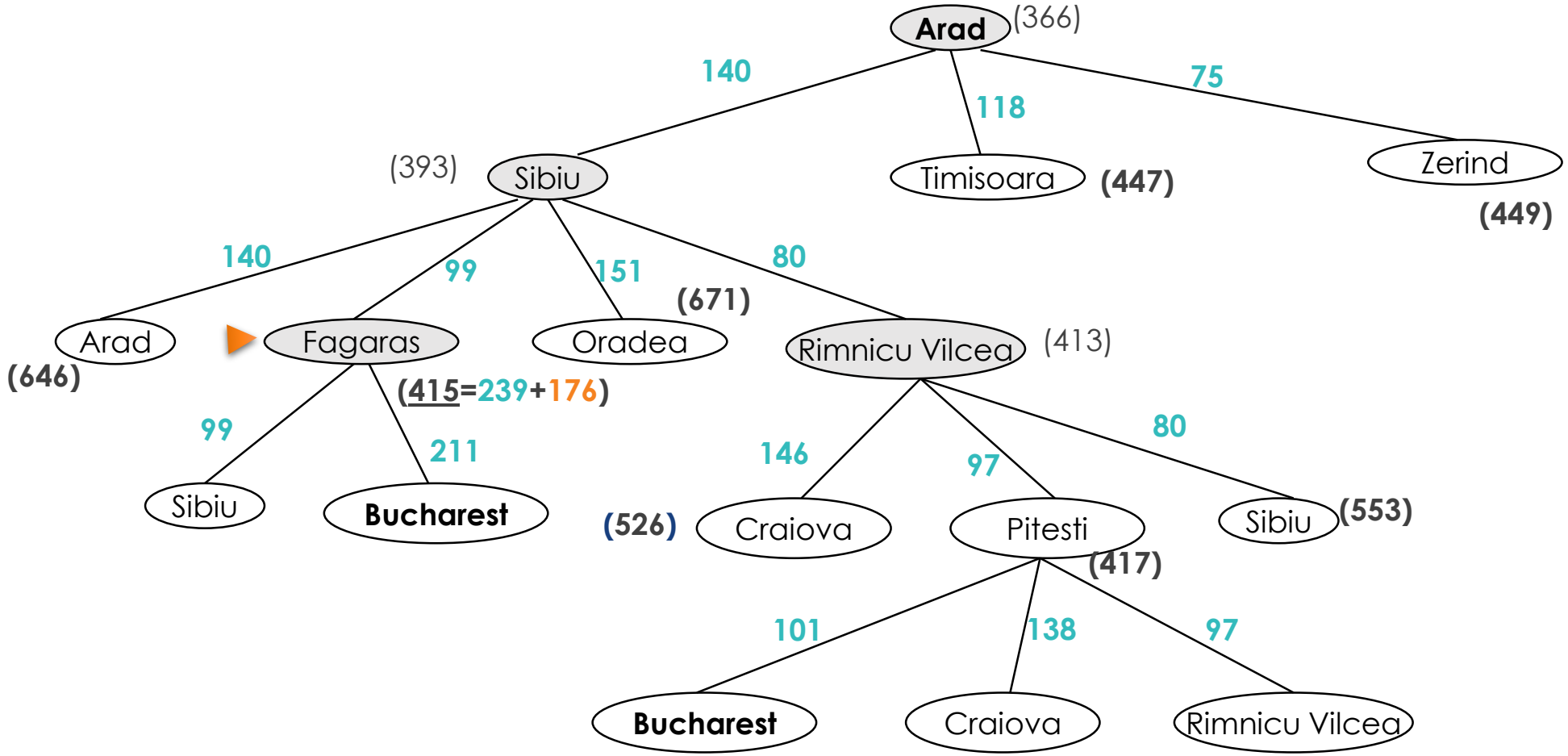

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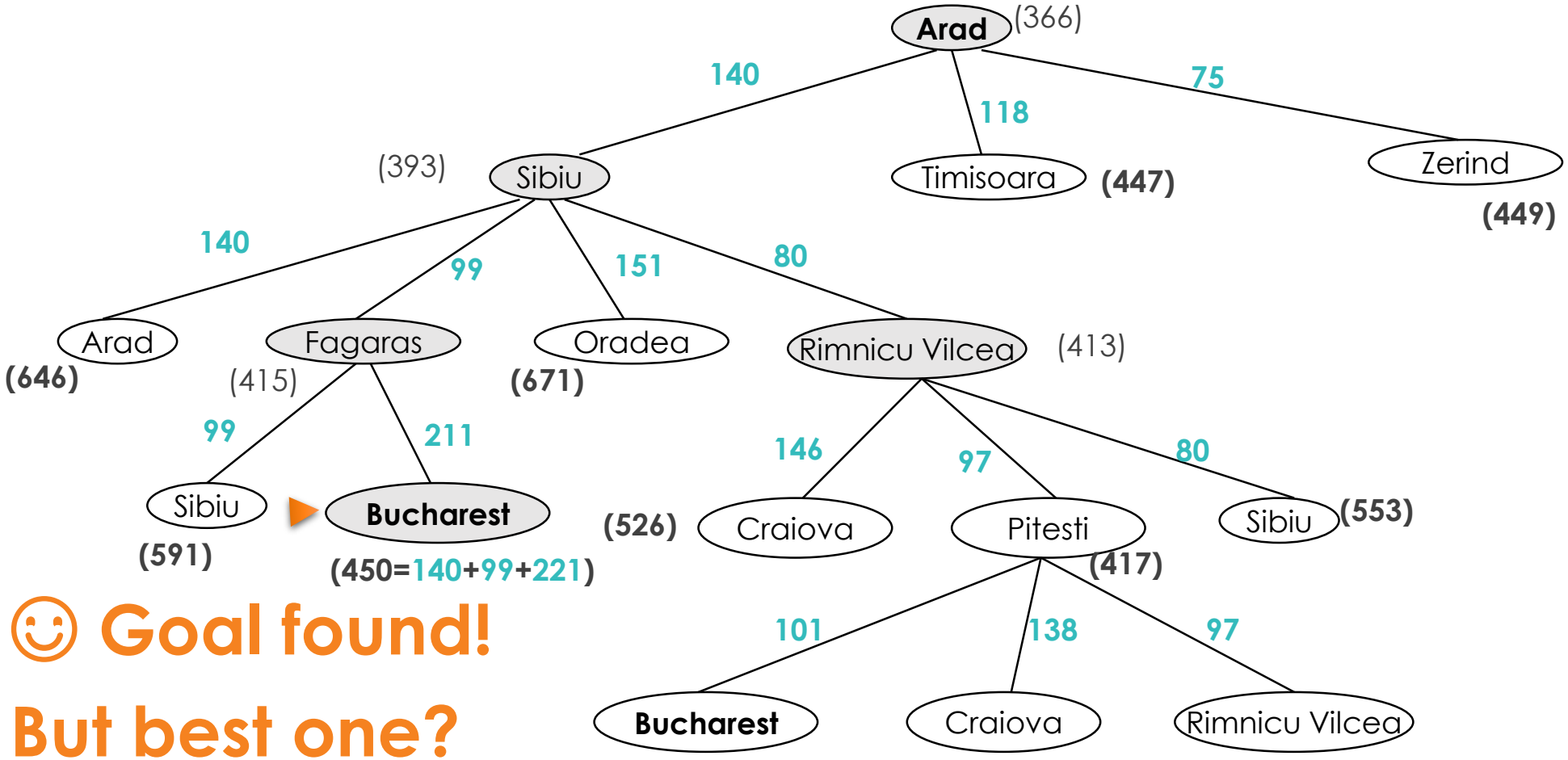

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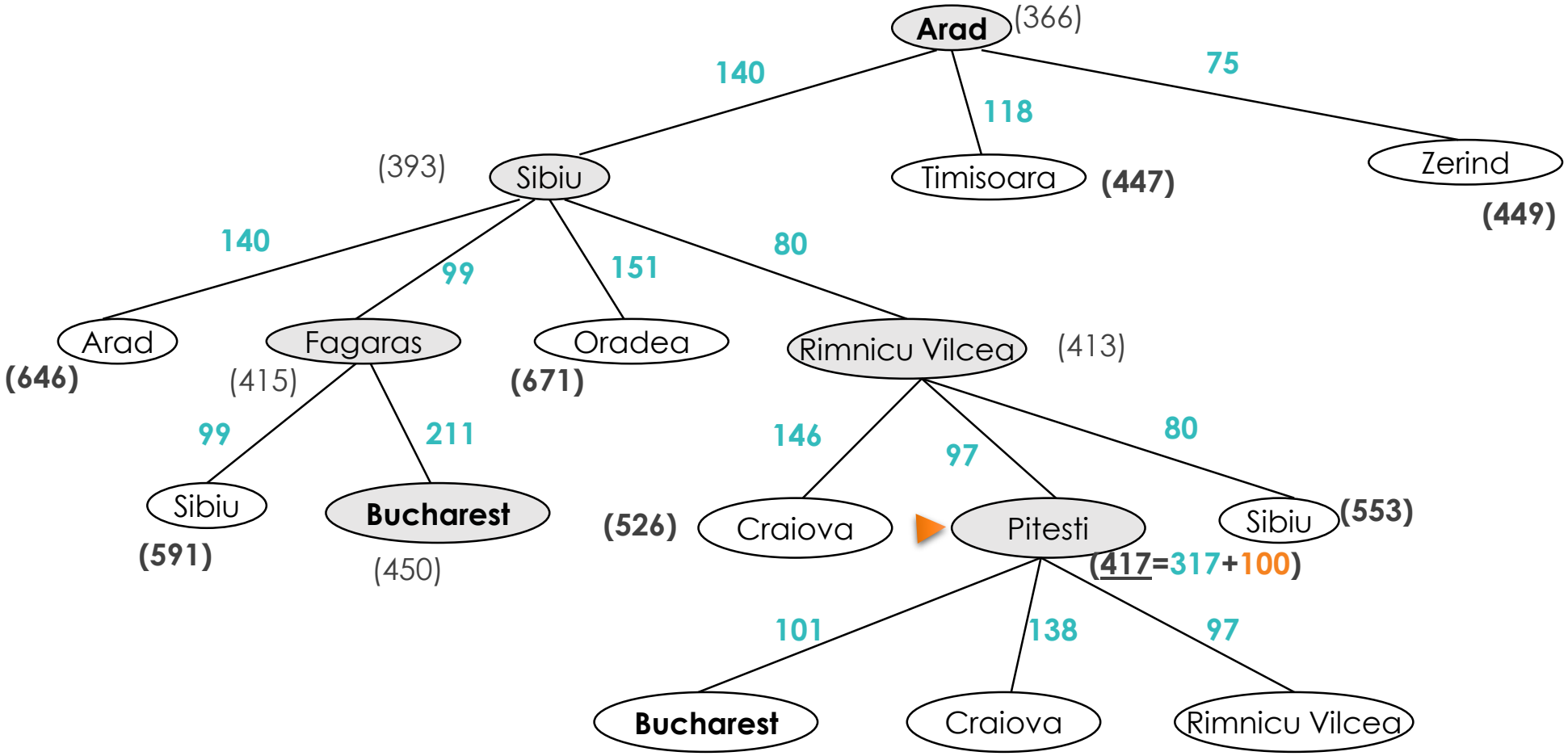

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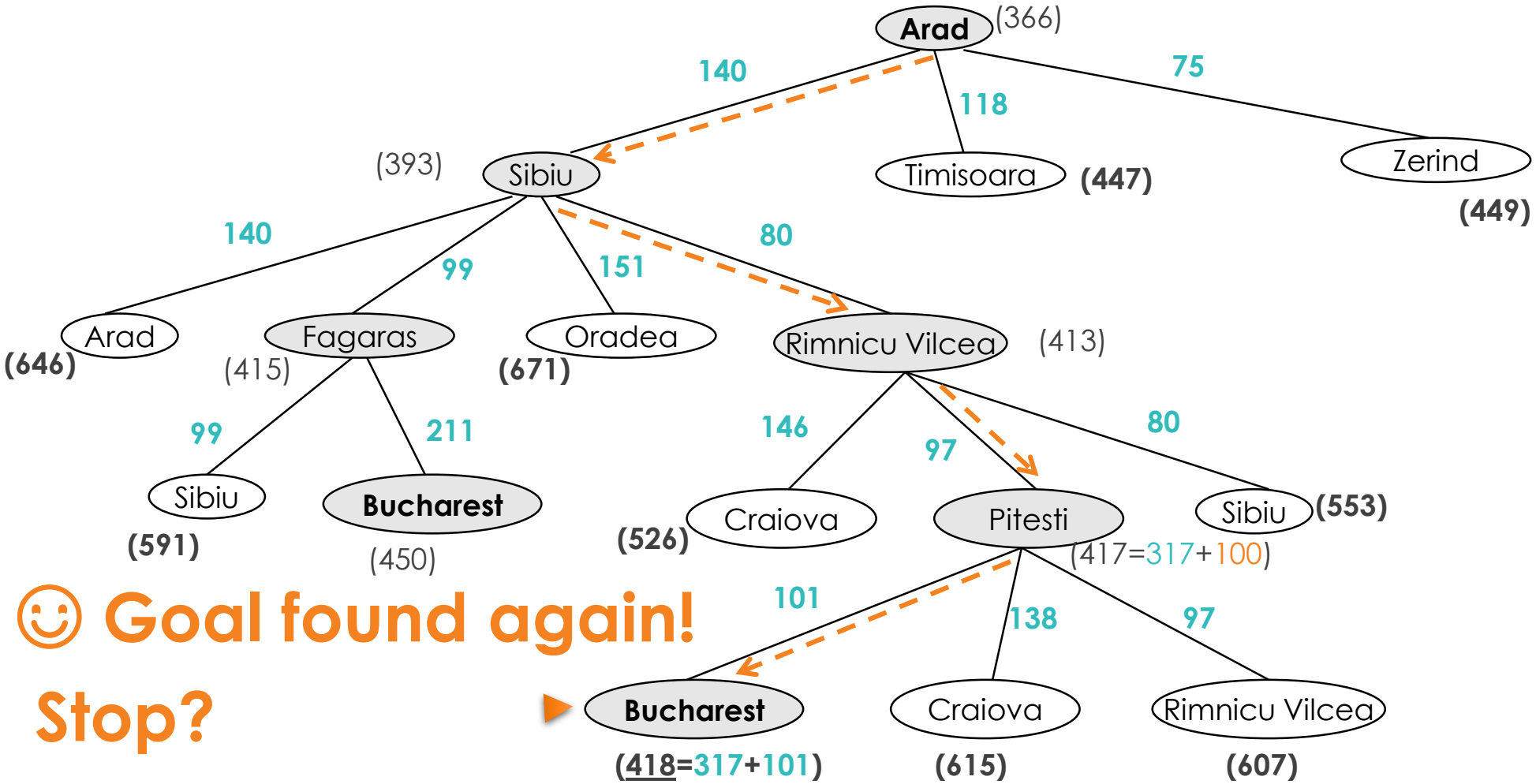

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Stop?

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A* Search vs. Hill Climbing

Exercise

- Compare the results between **A* Search** & **Hill Climbing**.

- Are they the same? If not, why?

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SEARCH REPRESENTATION

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- **Search Modelling & Representation**
  - Pen & Paper Planning
  - Robot Navigation
- **KIE OptaPlanner Tutorial**
  - Optimizing Vehicle Route Planning (VRP)
  - Optimizing Europe Travelling Sales Person (TSP)

1.4 WORKSHOP SEARCH REPRESENTATION

Search Modelling & Representation

- **Pen & Paper Planning**

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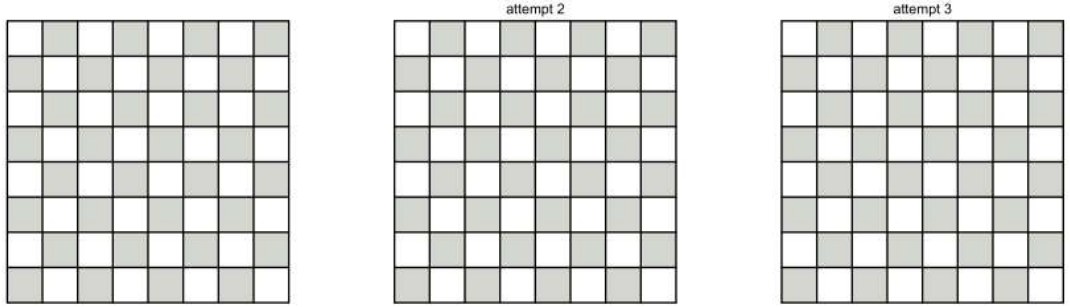

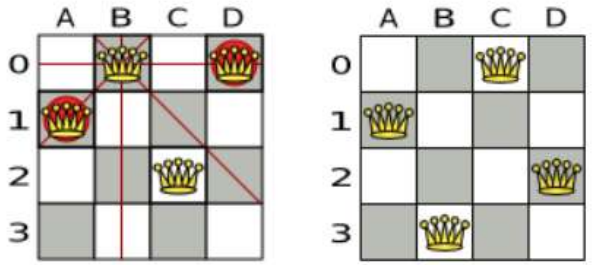

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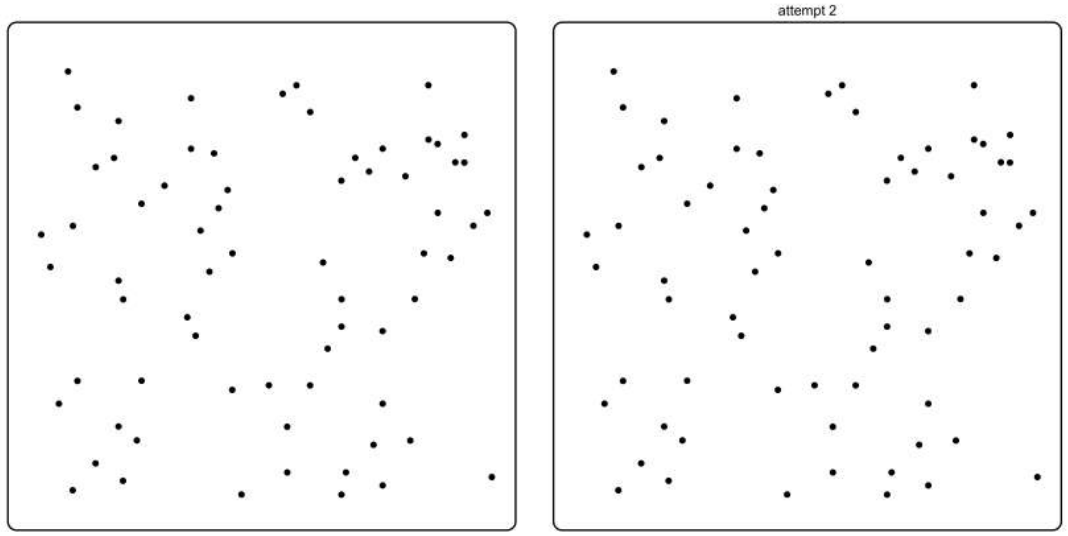

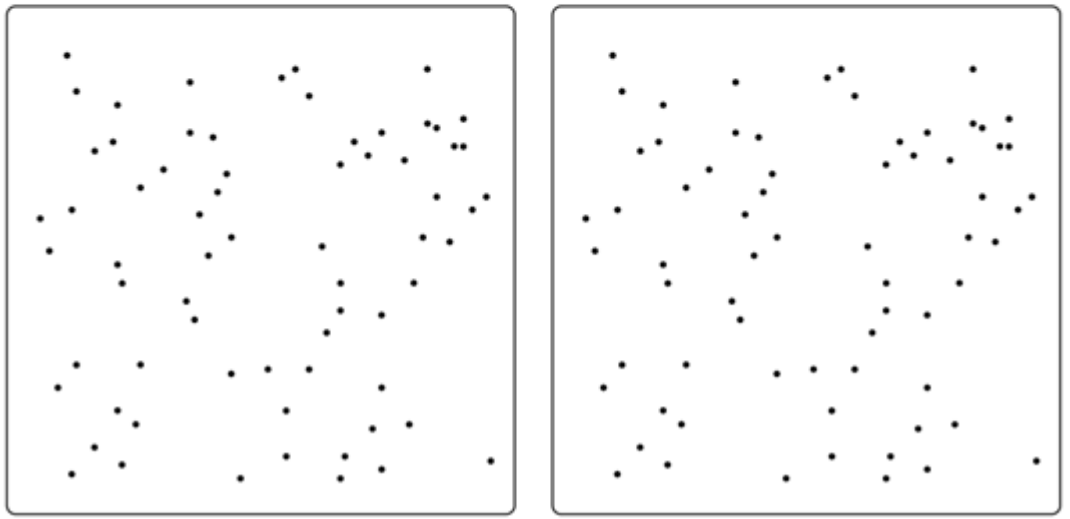

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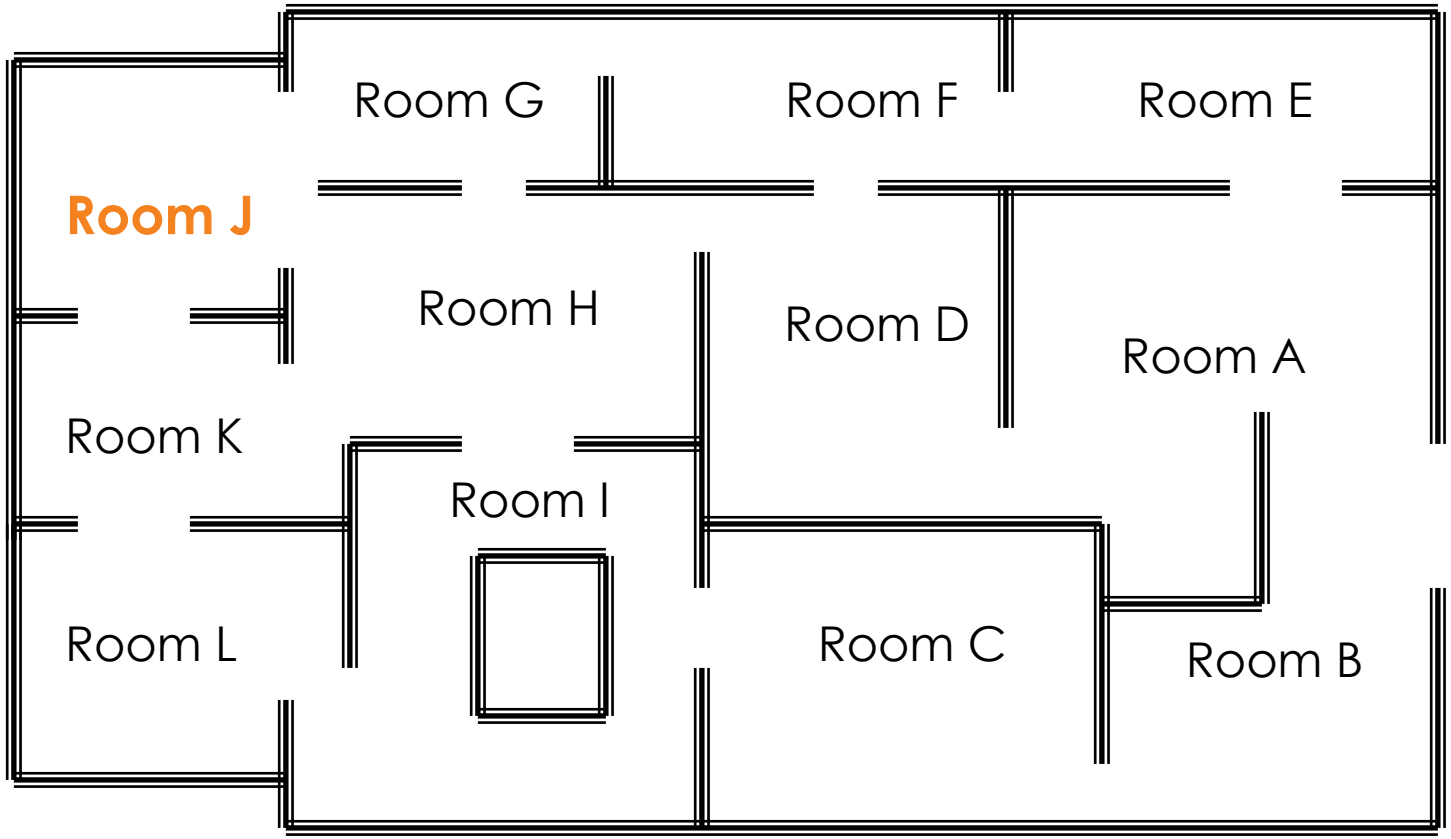
Search Modelling & Representation

- **Robotics: How to rapidly navigate to Room J ?**



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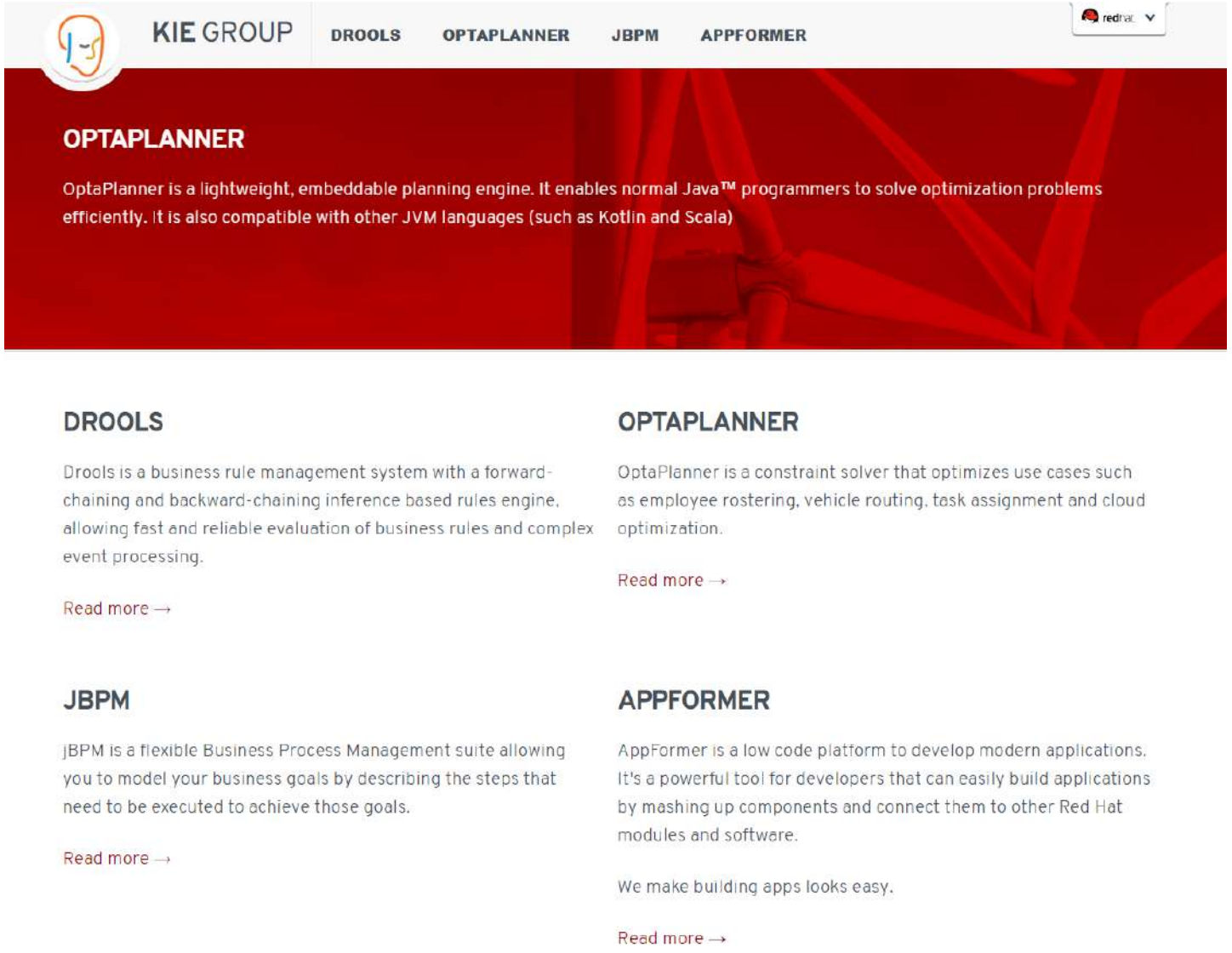

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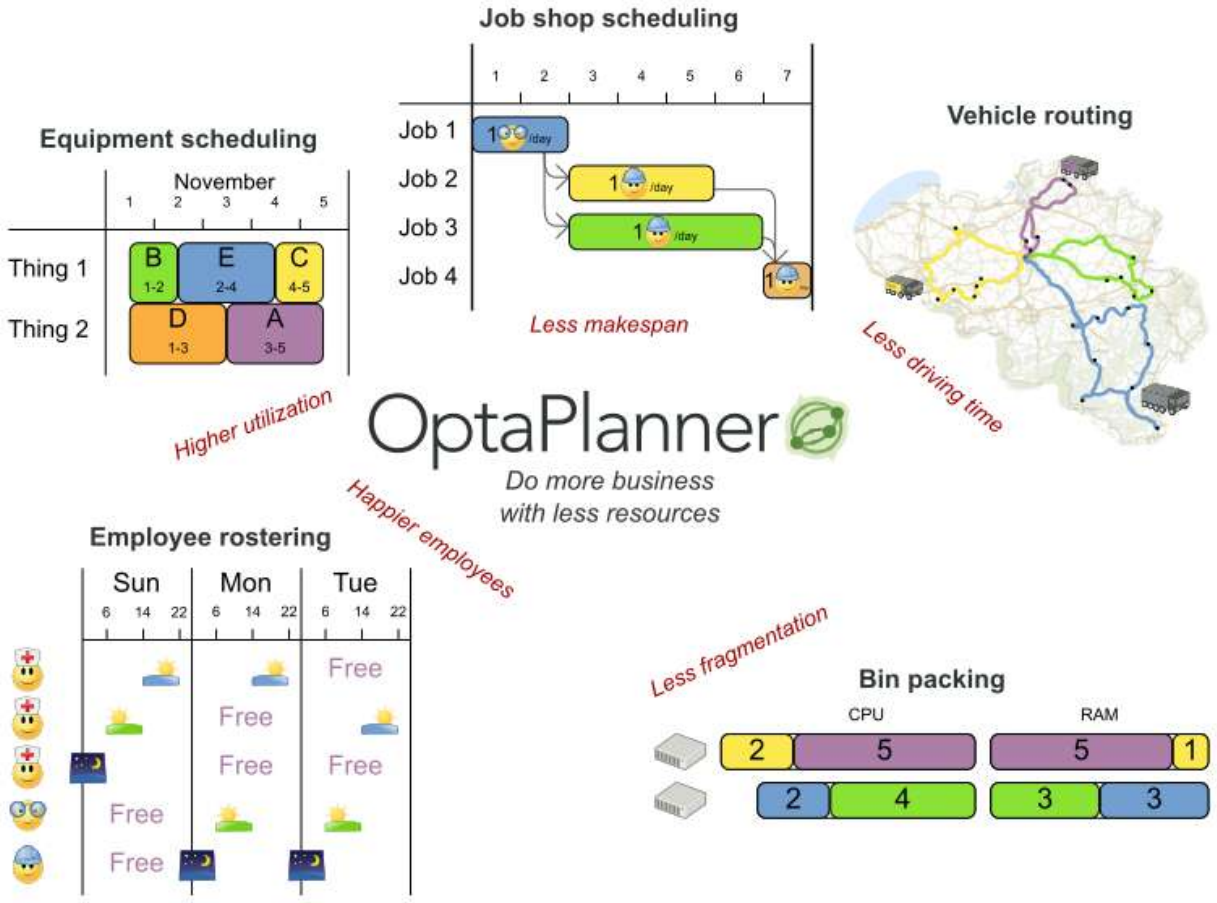
- **Constrain Satisfaction: Business Resource Optimizer**



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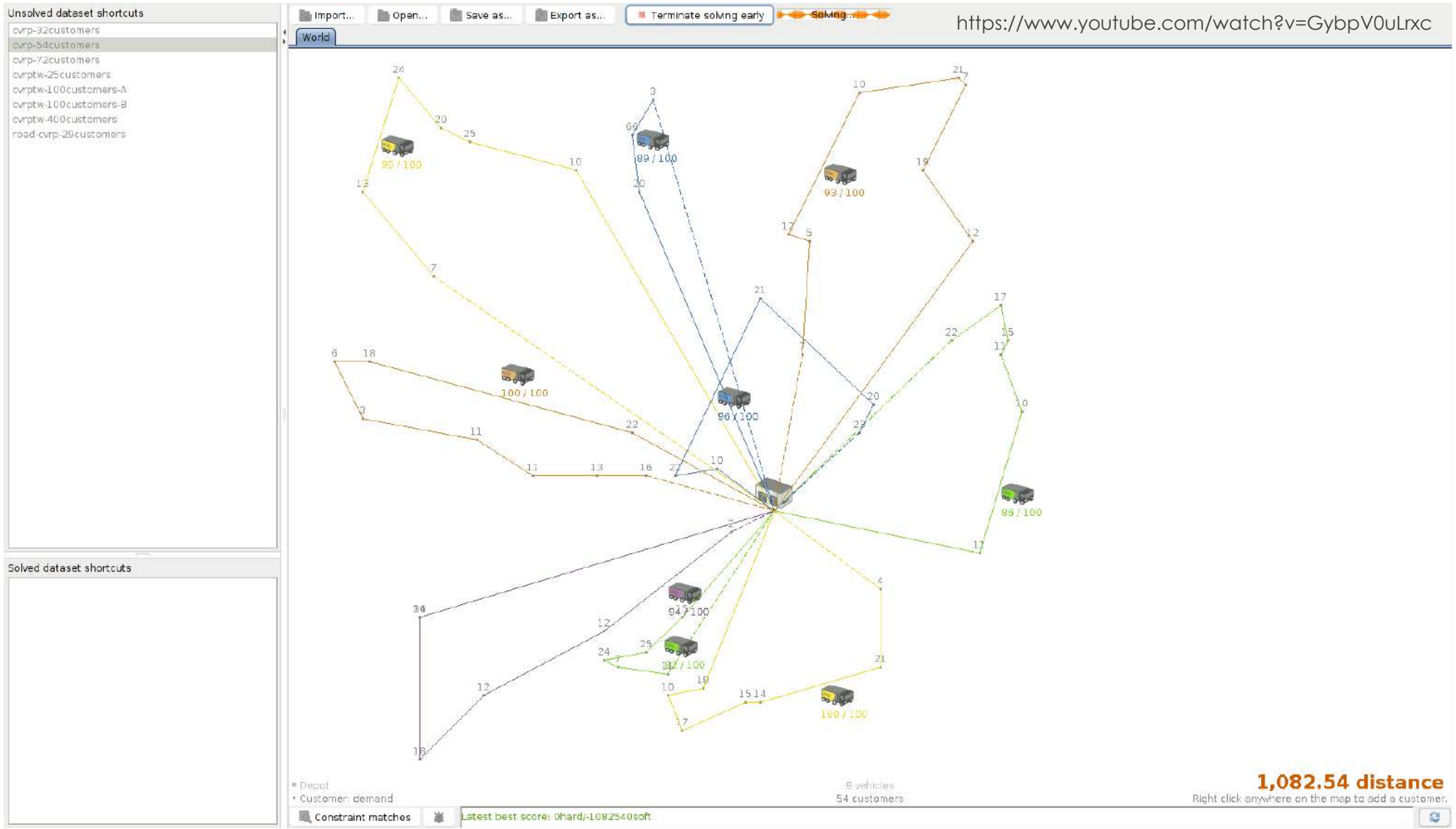

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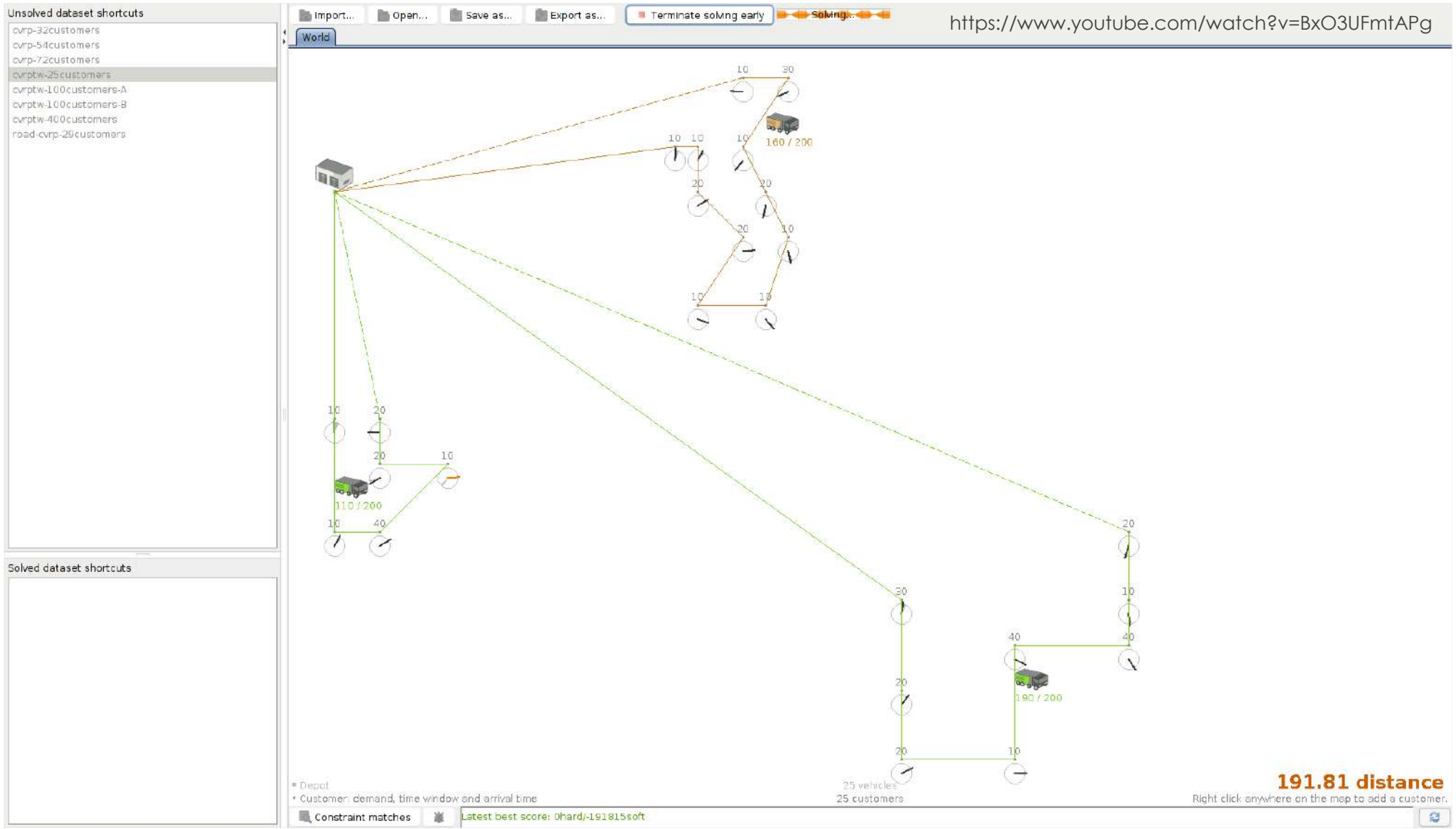

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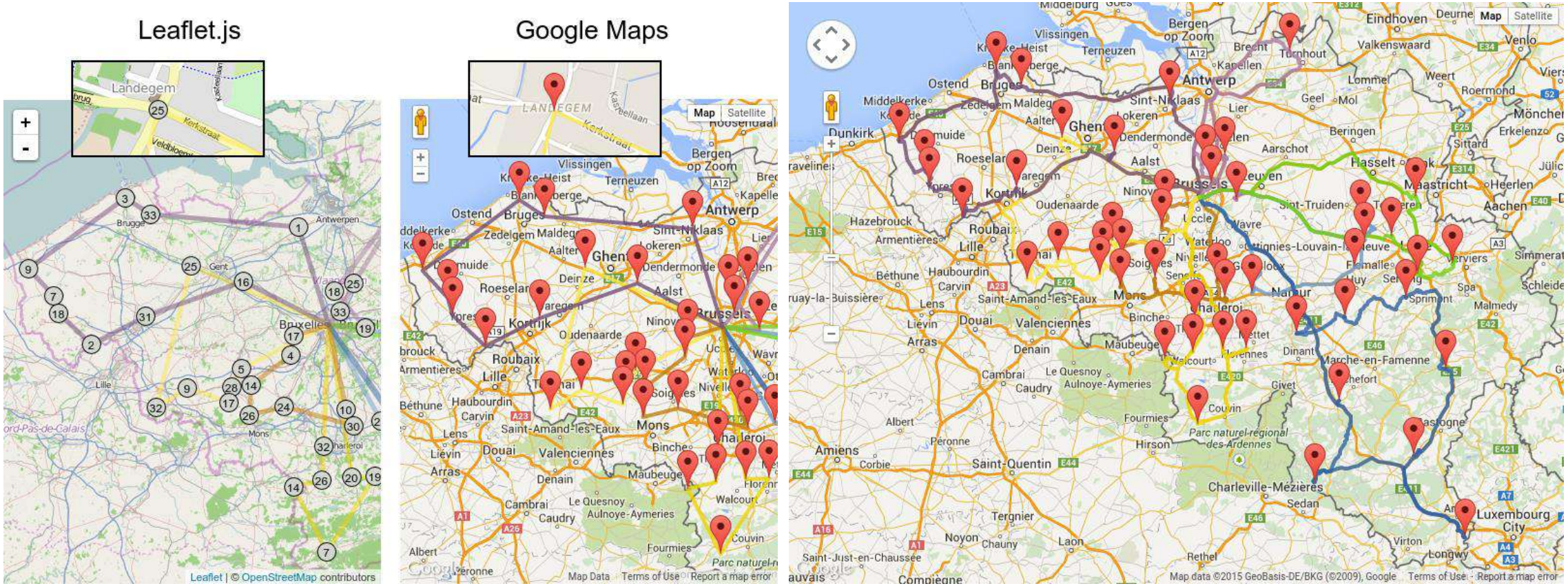
Visualizing Vehicle Routing with Leaflet and Google Maps



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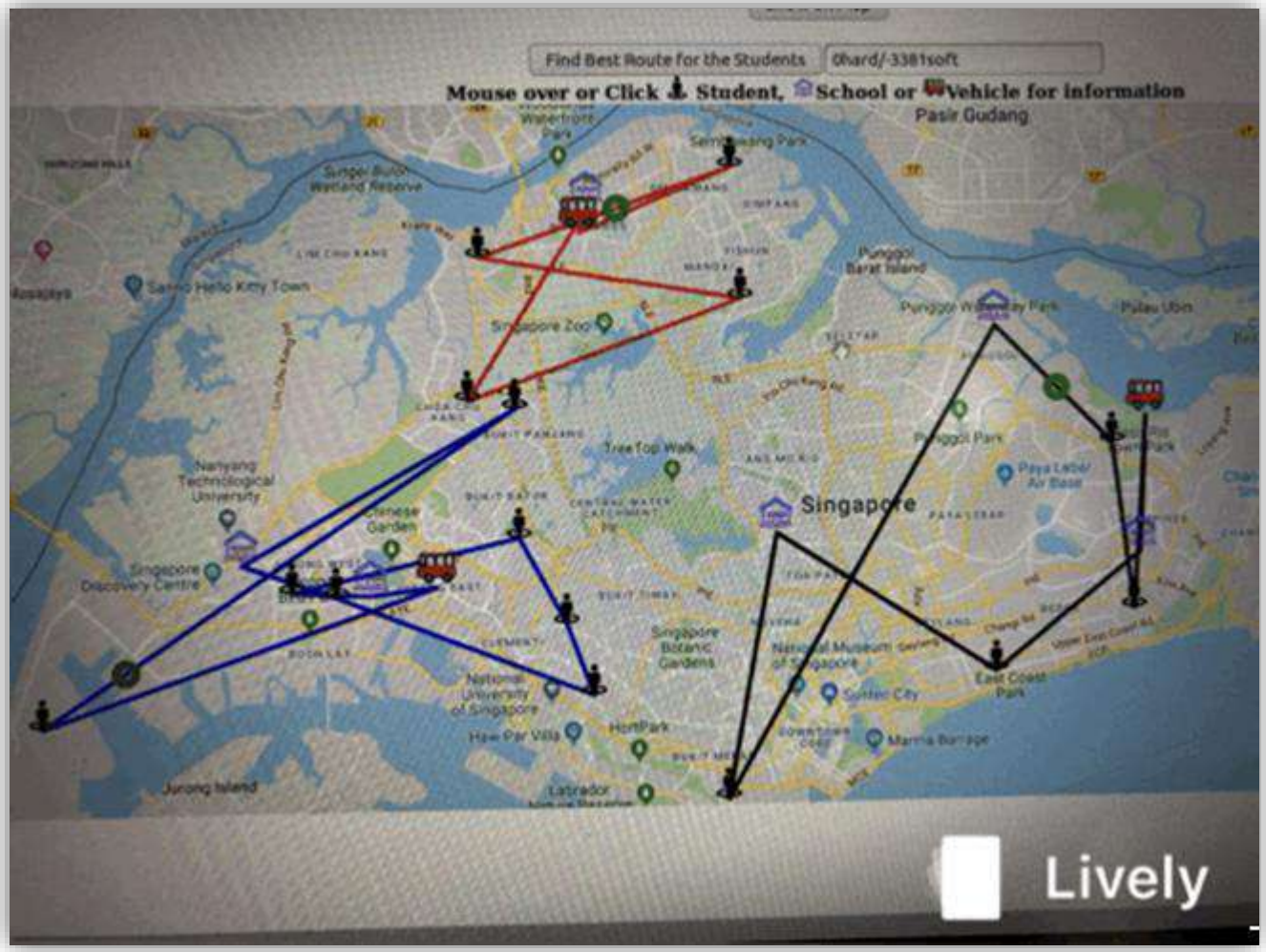
Past project – VRP with map integration

Intelligent Rapid Shuttle (IRS) System



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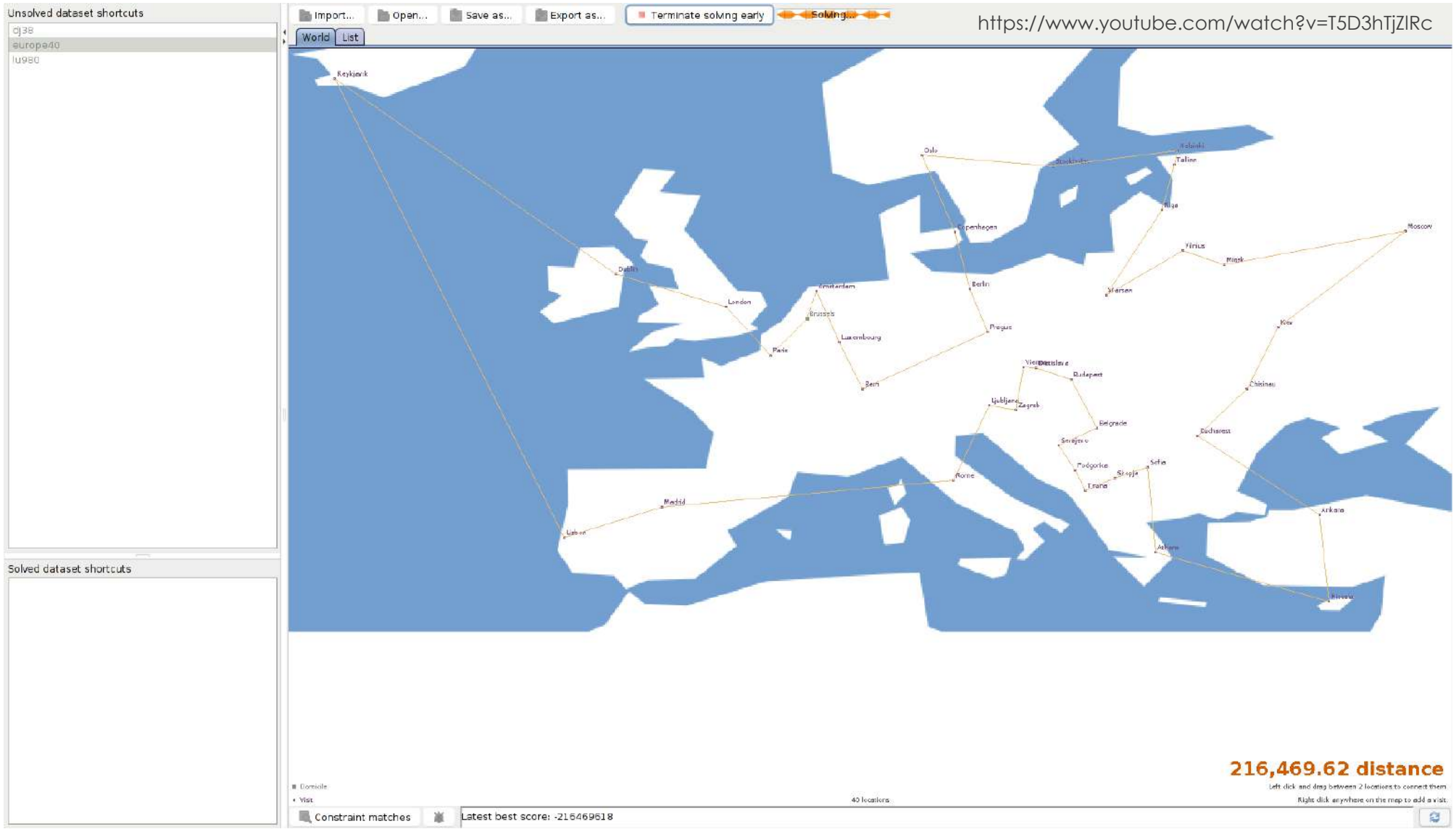

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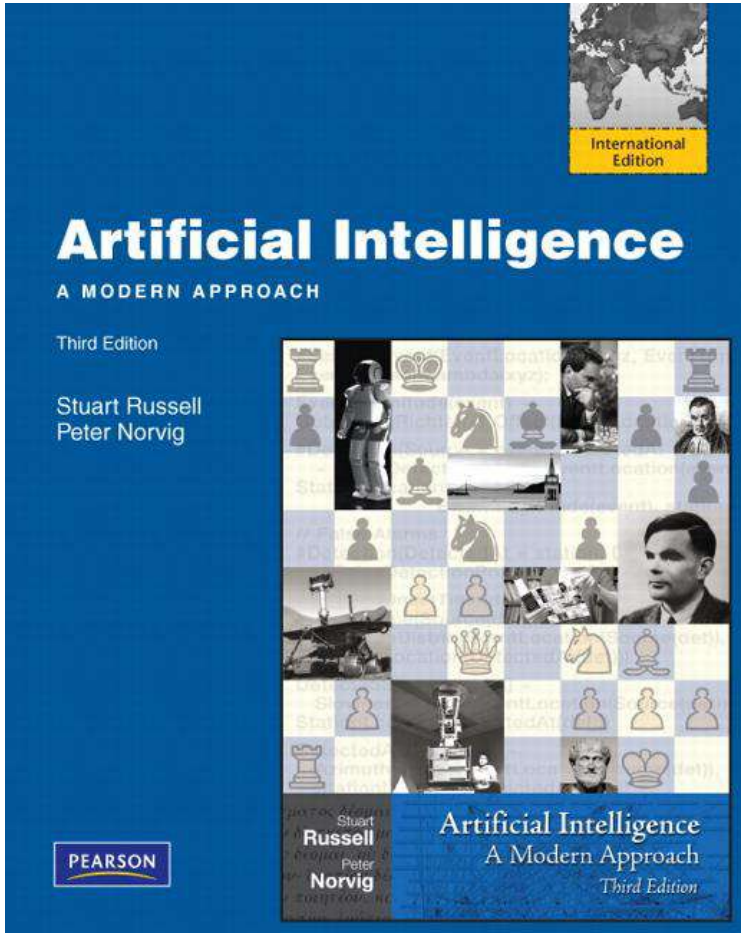

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1.1 Reasoning Systems Overview

- History of Artificial Intelligence
- Question Answering System; Image Object Recognition; Chat-Bot
- Problem Solving: Analytic Tasks vs. Synthetic Tasks
- Synthetic Techniques: Search; Simulations; Genetic Algorithms; Data Mining

1.2 Uninformed Search Techniques

- Search Representation
- Depth First Search (DFS)
- Breadth First Search (BFS)

1.3 Informed Search Techniques (1/2)

- Heuristic Knowledge
- Evaluation (Scoring) Function; Heuristic Function; Past Cost Function
- Hill Climbing Search (HC); A Star Search (A*)

1.4 Search Representation Workshop

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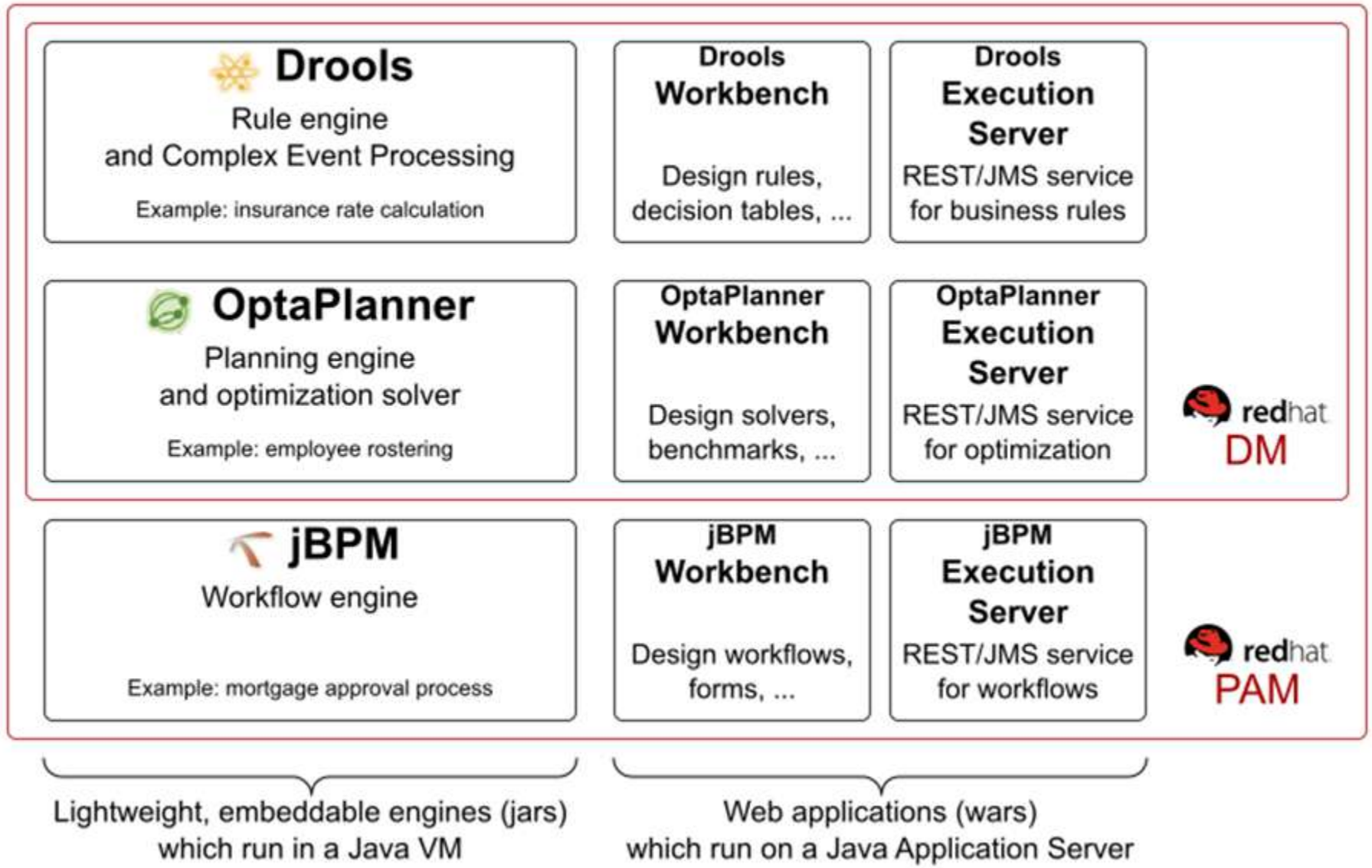
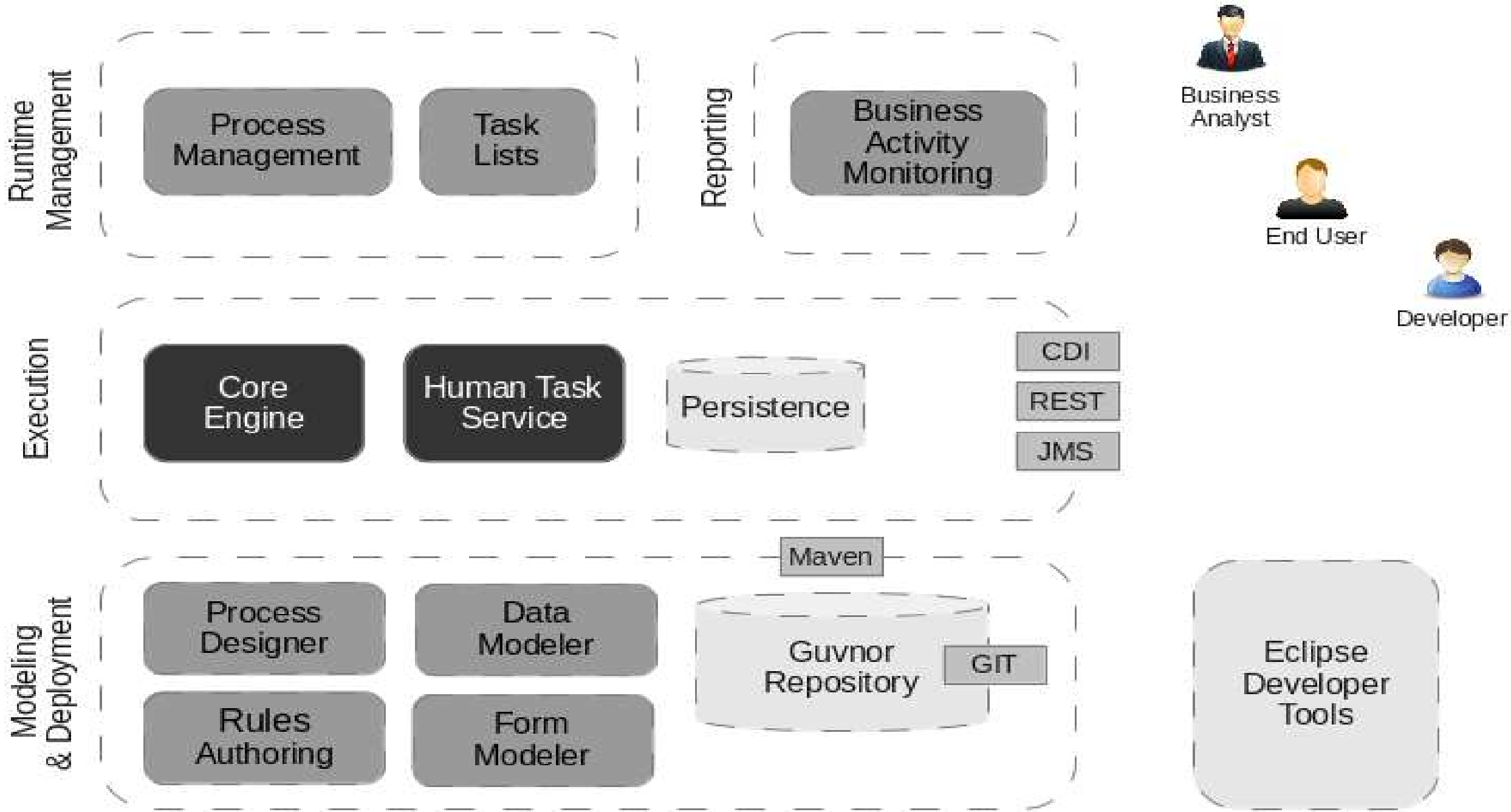
APPENDICES

KIE System Architecture

KIE functionality overview

What are the KIE projects?

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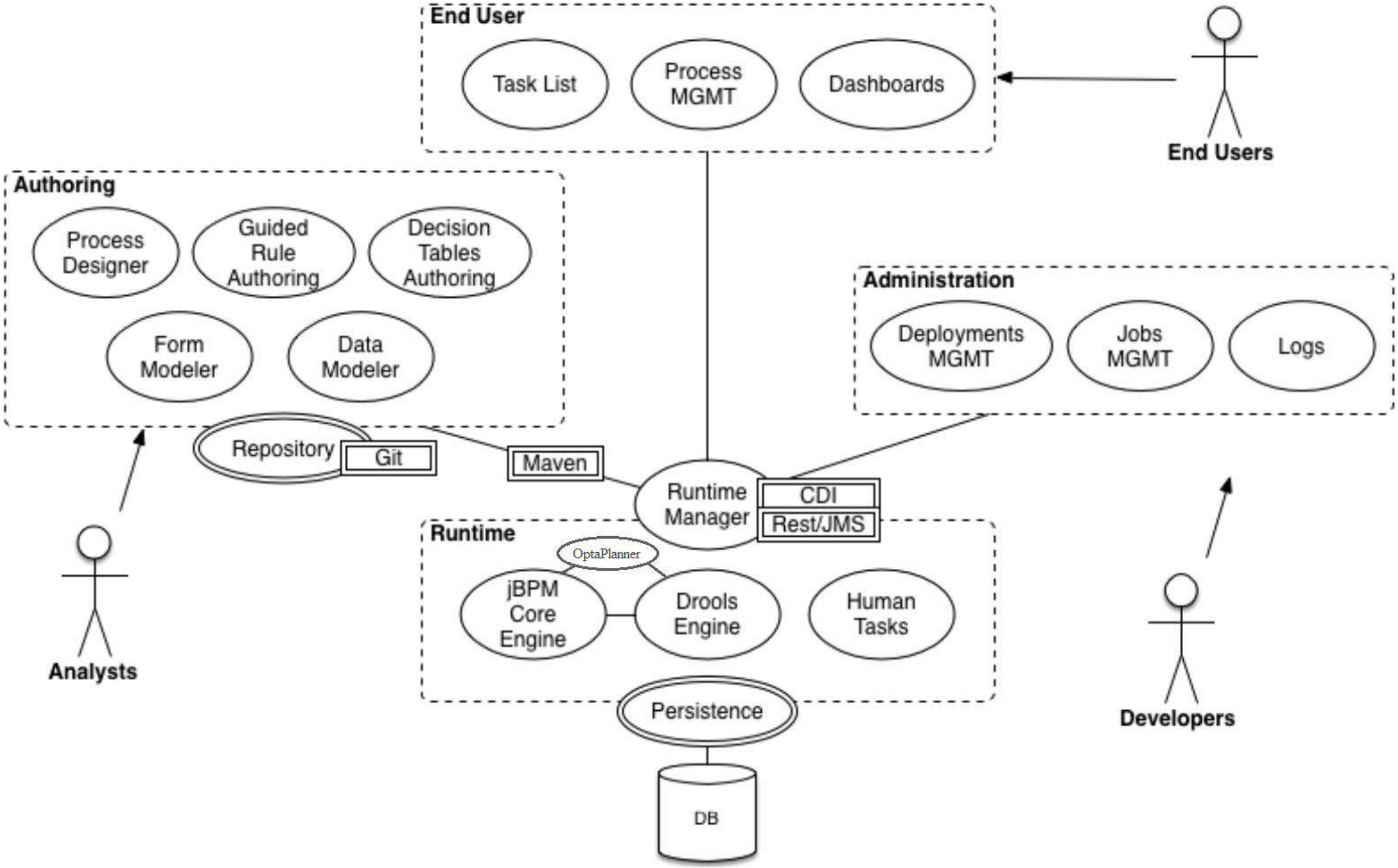
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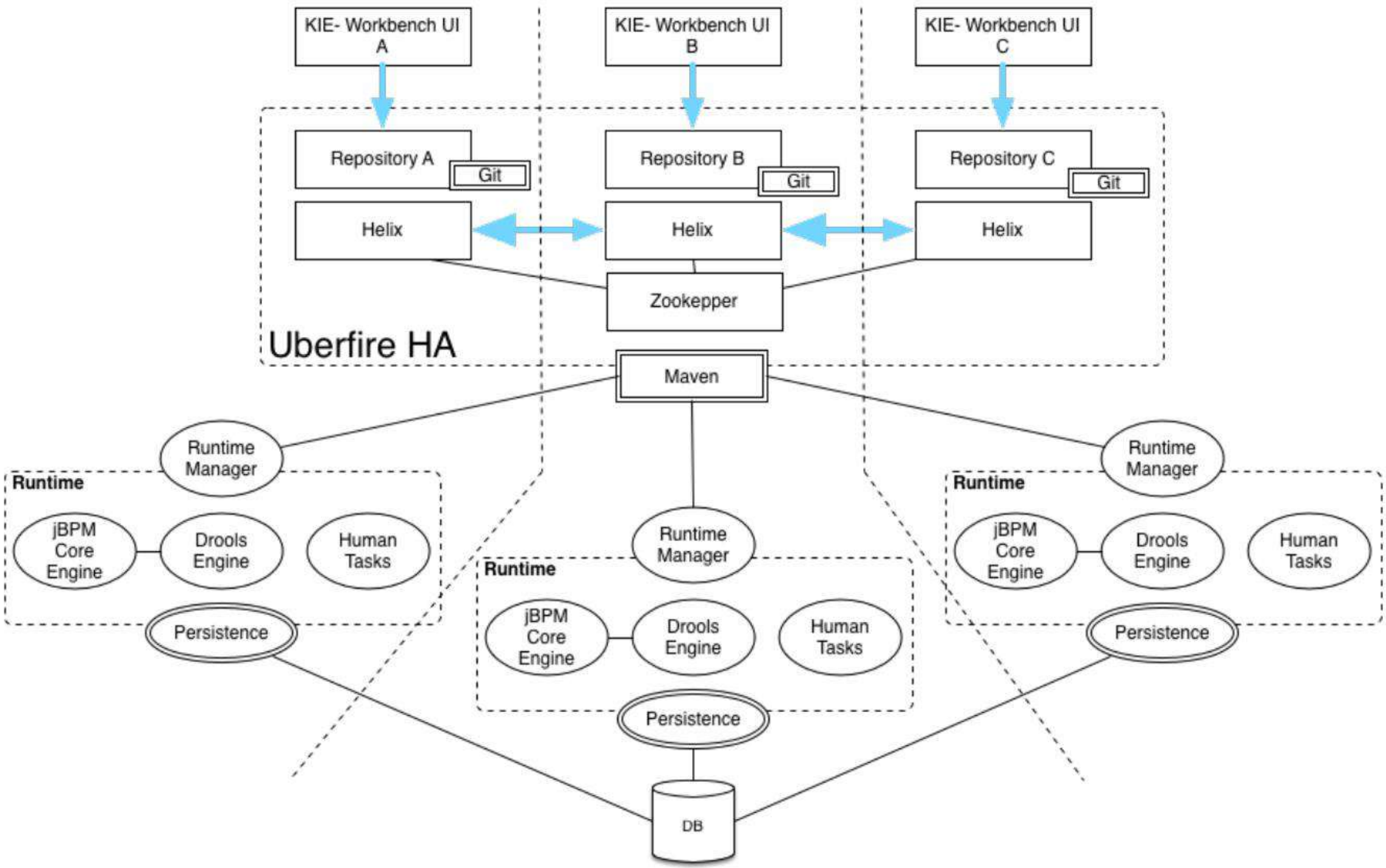
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