

ساختمان داده و الگوریتم ها (CE203)

جلسه شانزدهم: جستجوی عمق اول (DFS)

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یک روش دیگر برای پیمایش گراف

BFS vs. DFS

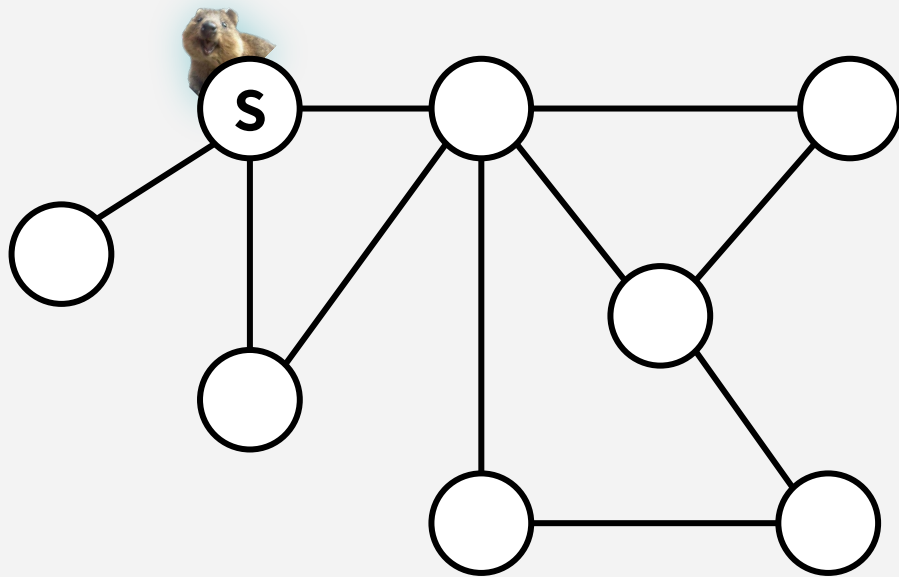
Literally just BREADTH vs DEPTH:

While BFS first explores the nodes closest to the “source” and then moves outwards in layers, DFS goes as far down a path as it can before it comes back to explore other options.

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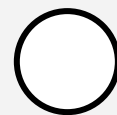
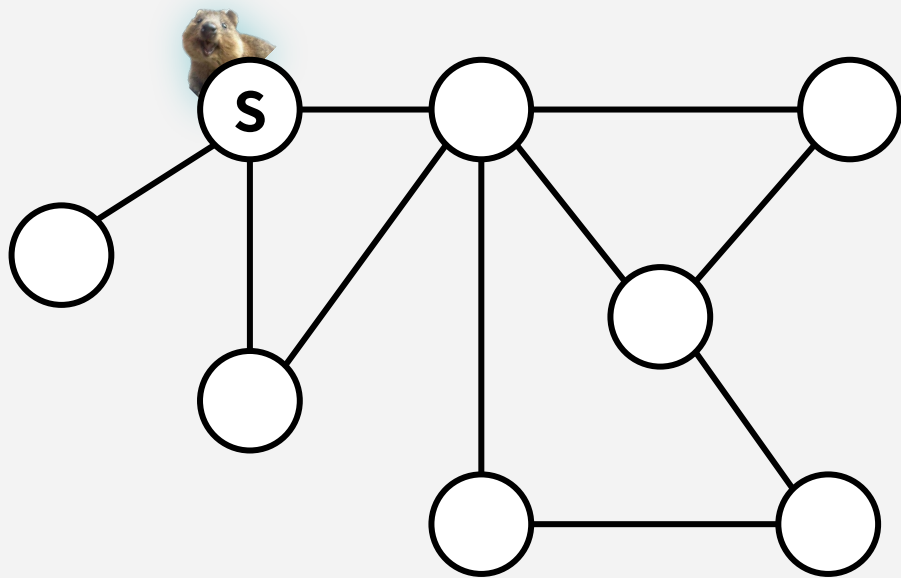
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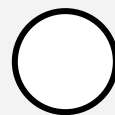
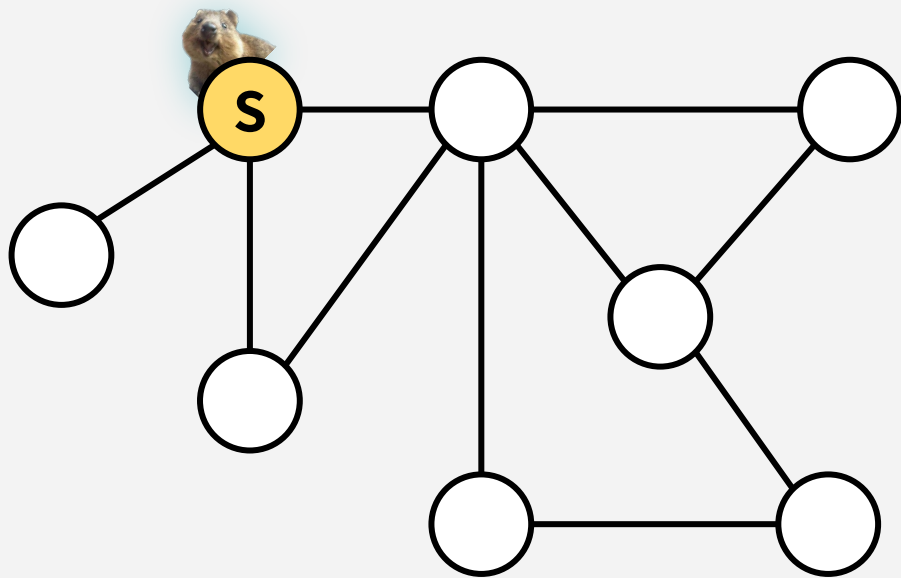


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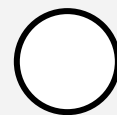
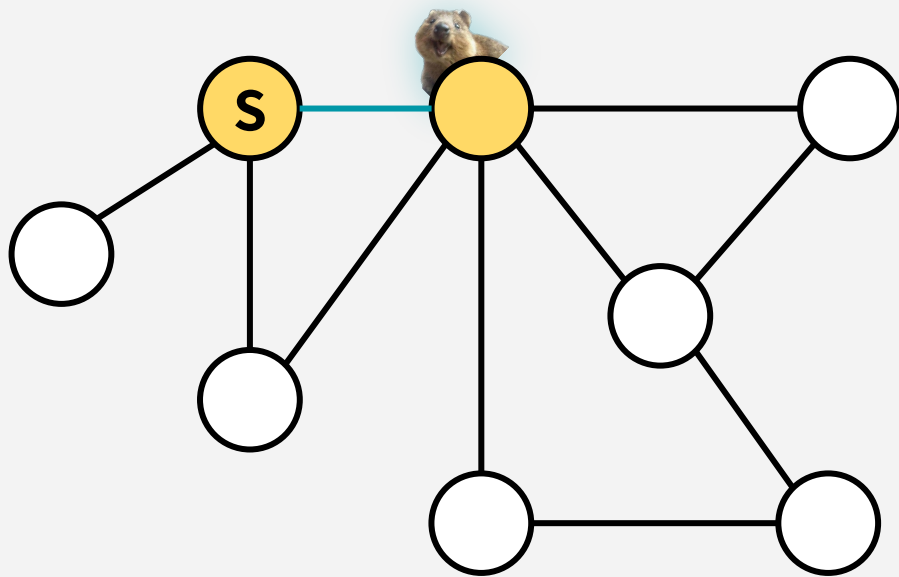


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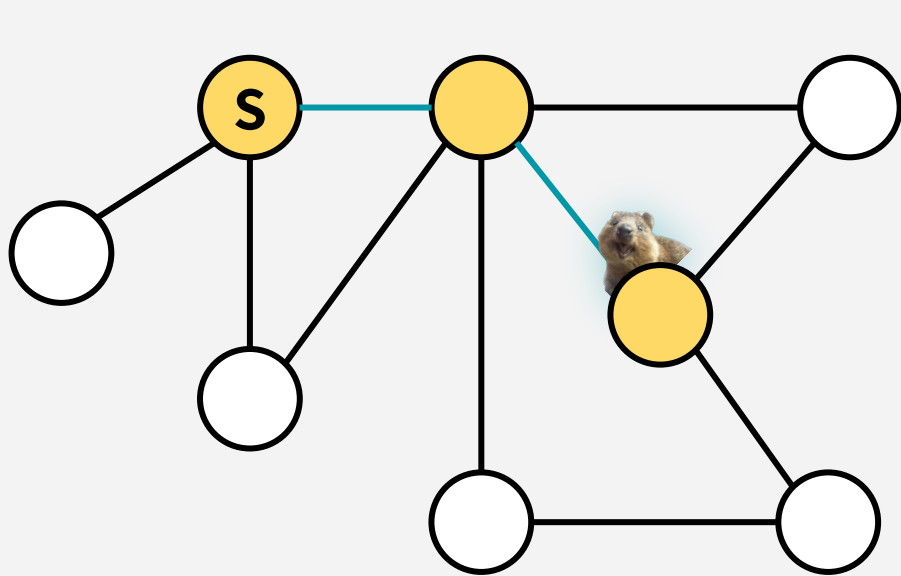


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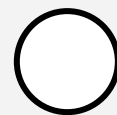
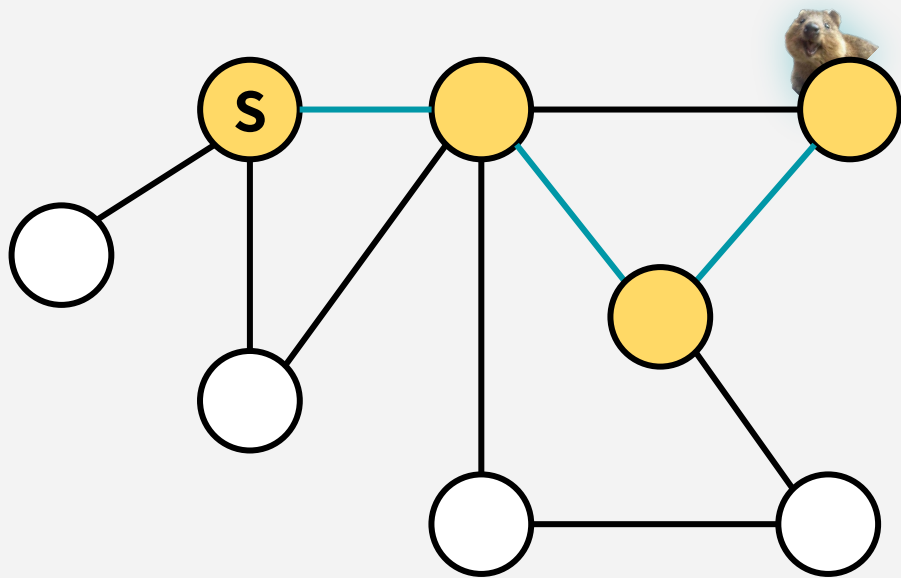
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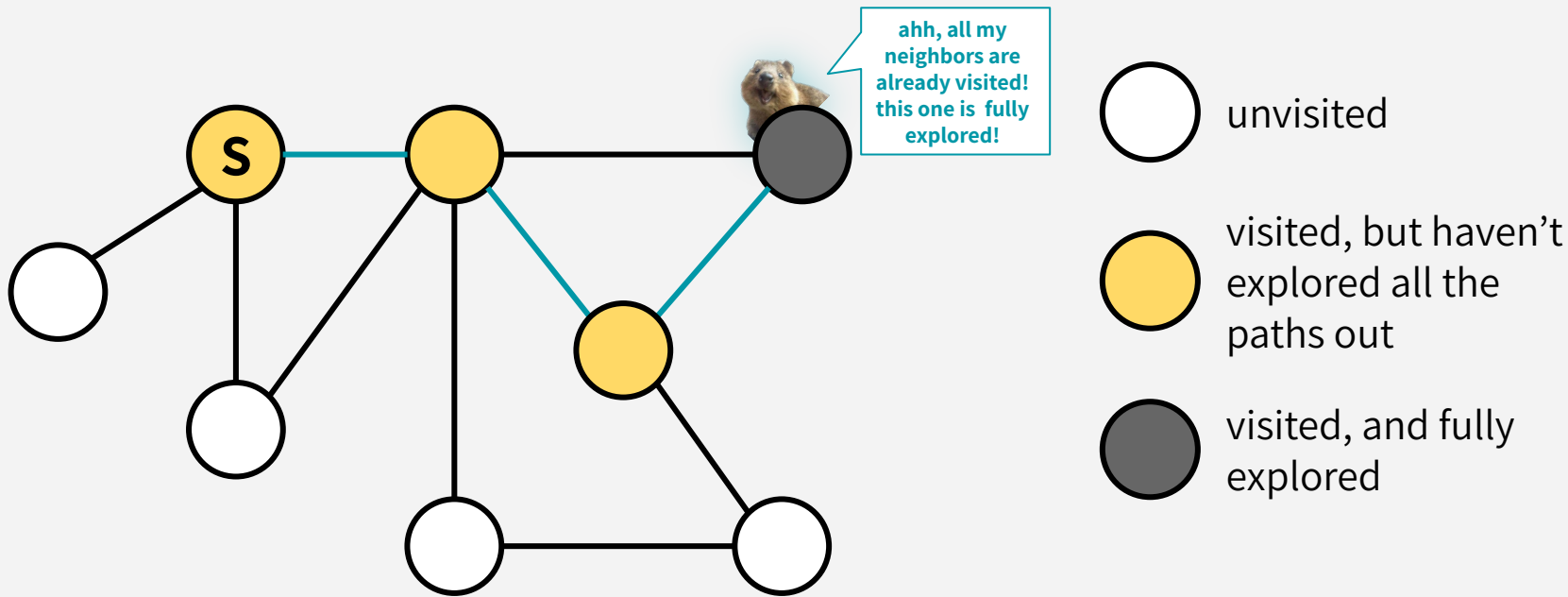


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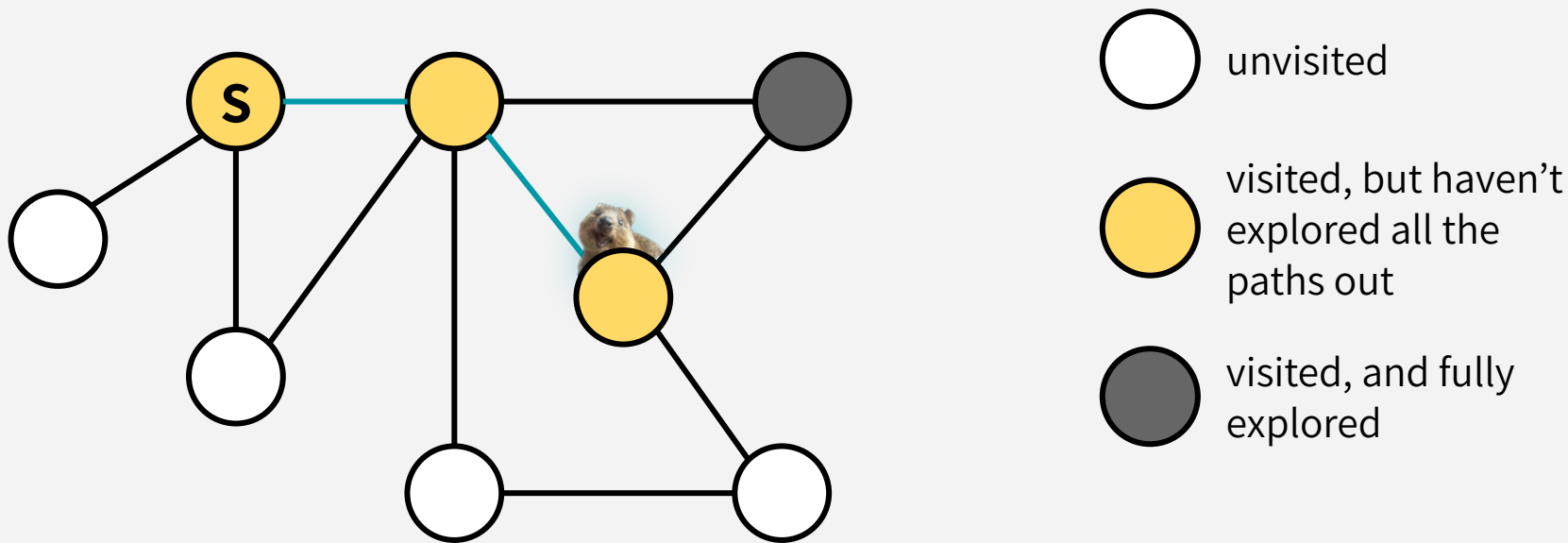
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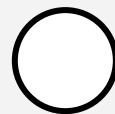
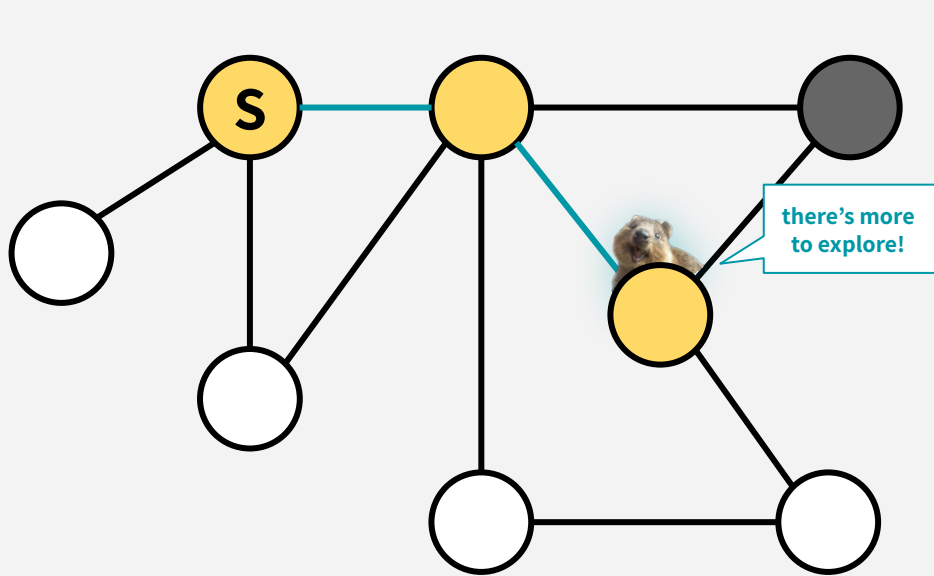
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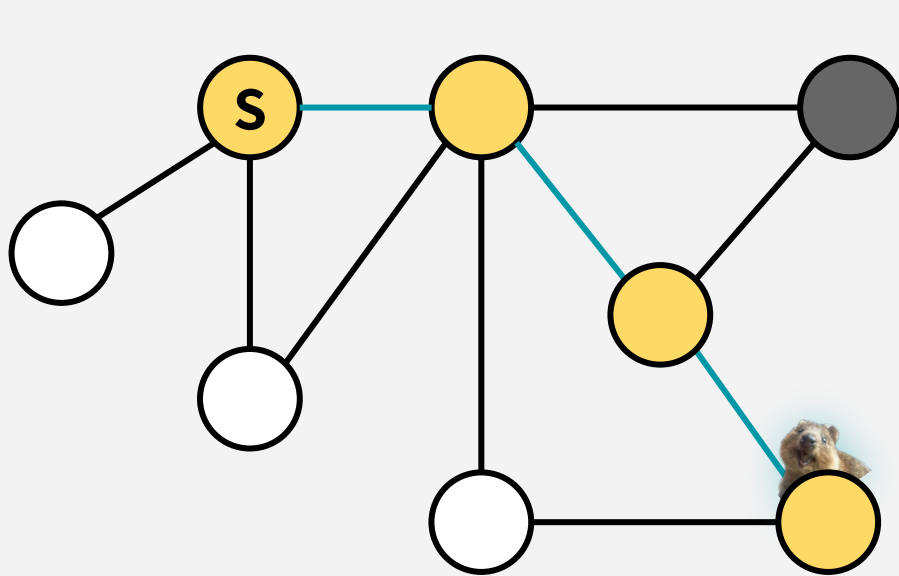


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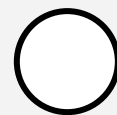
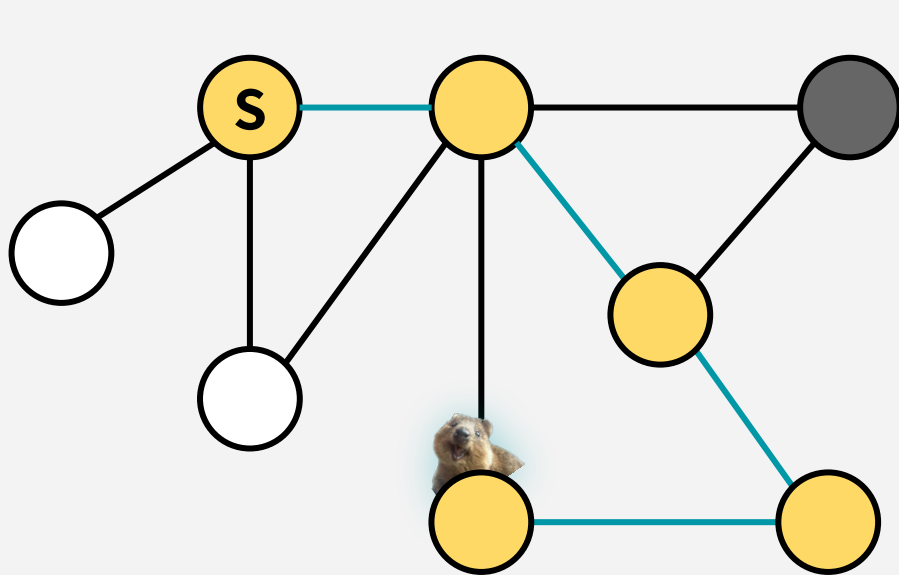
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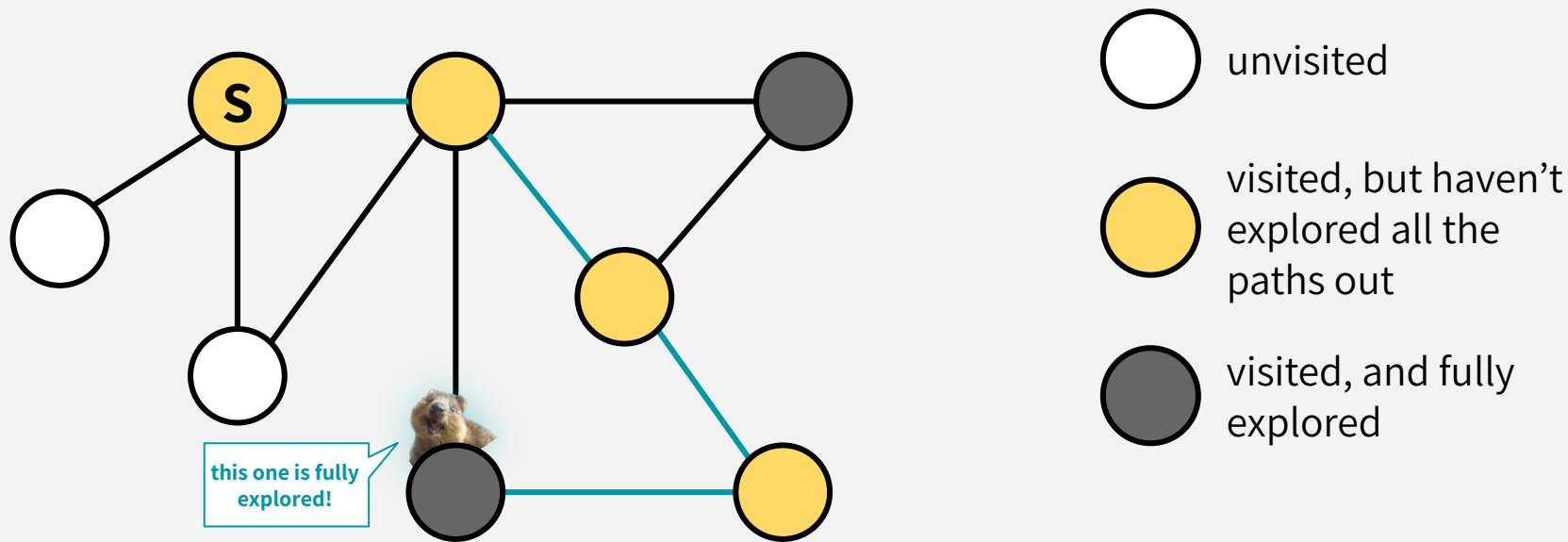


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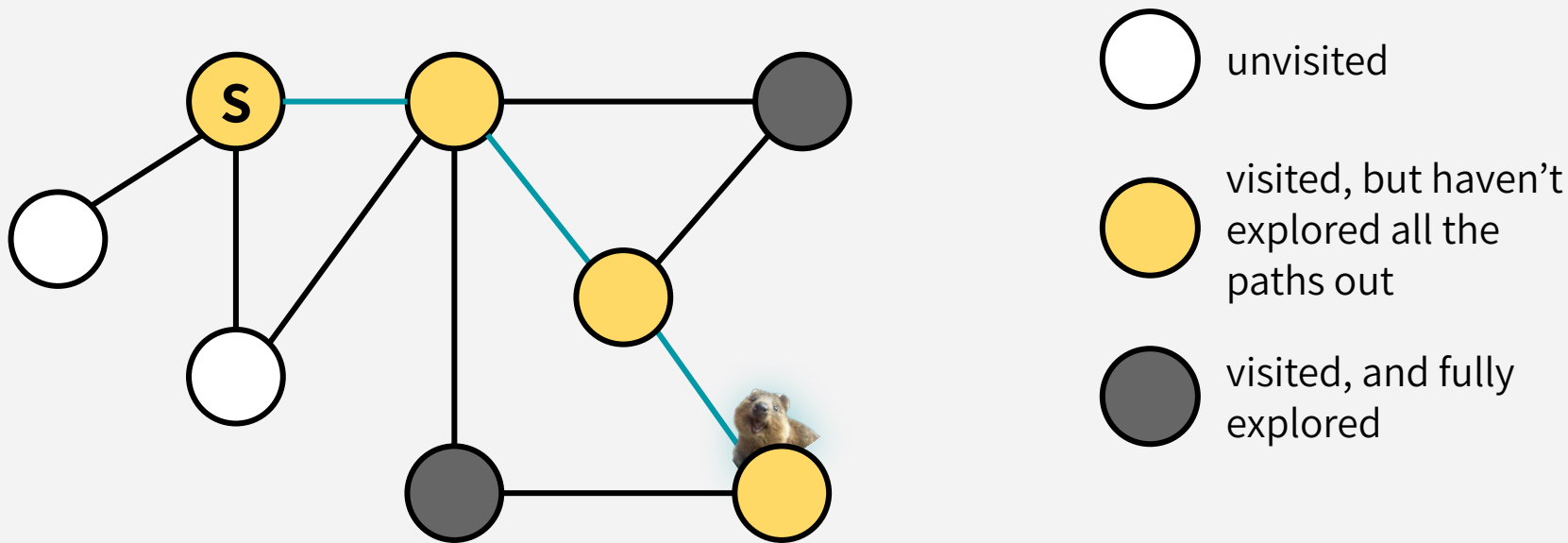
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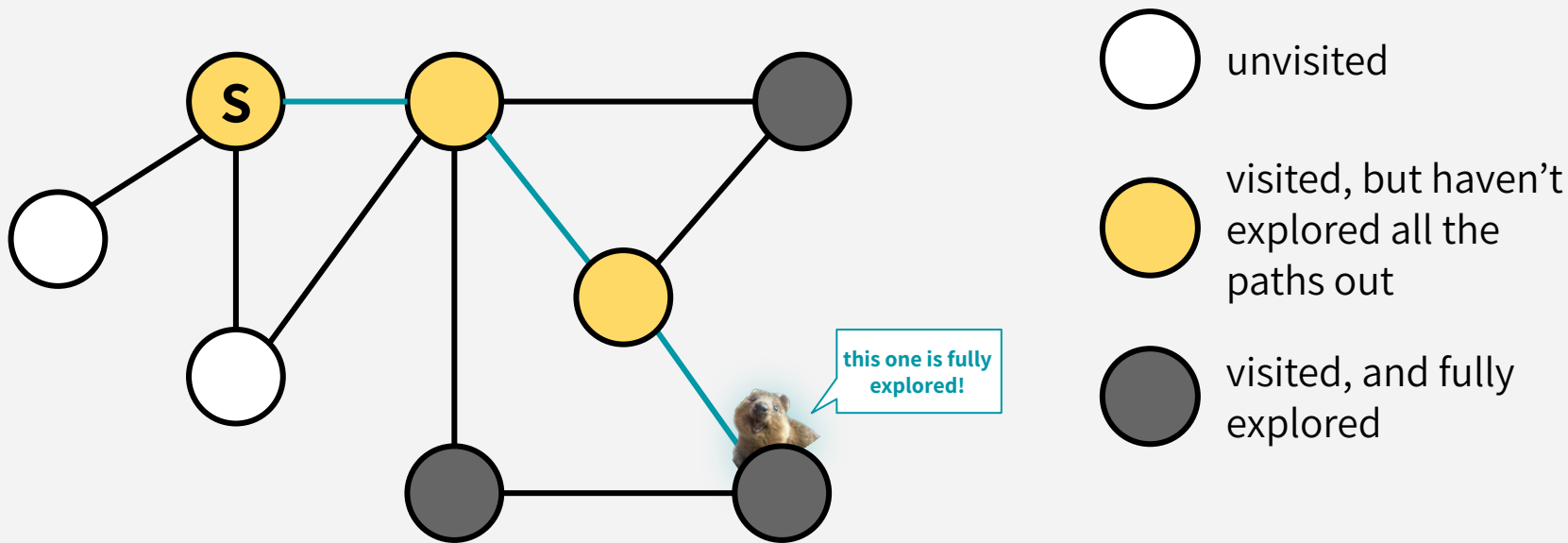
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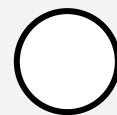
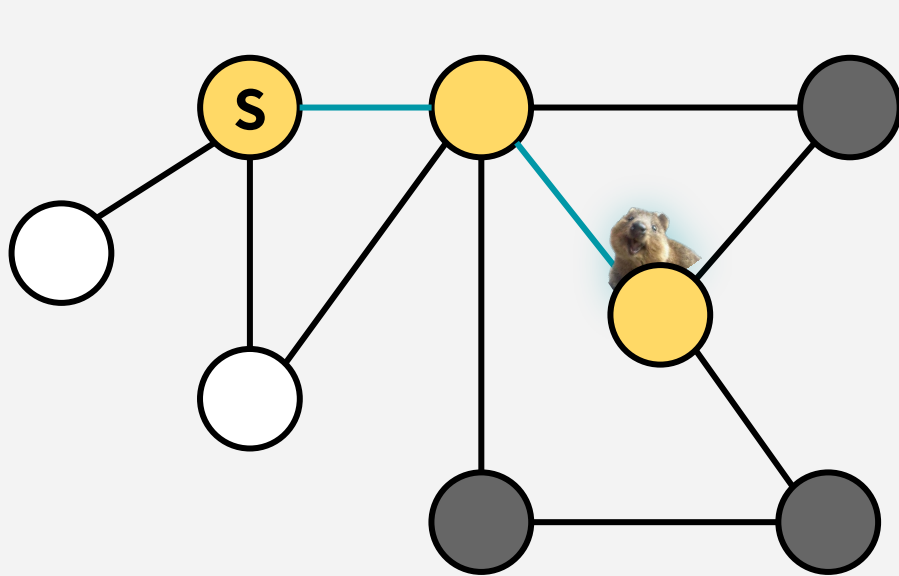
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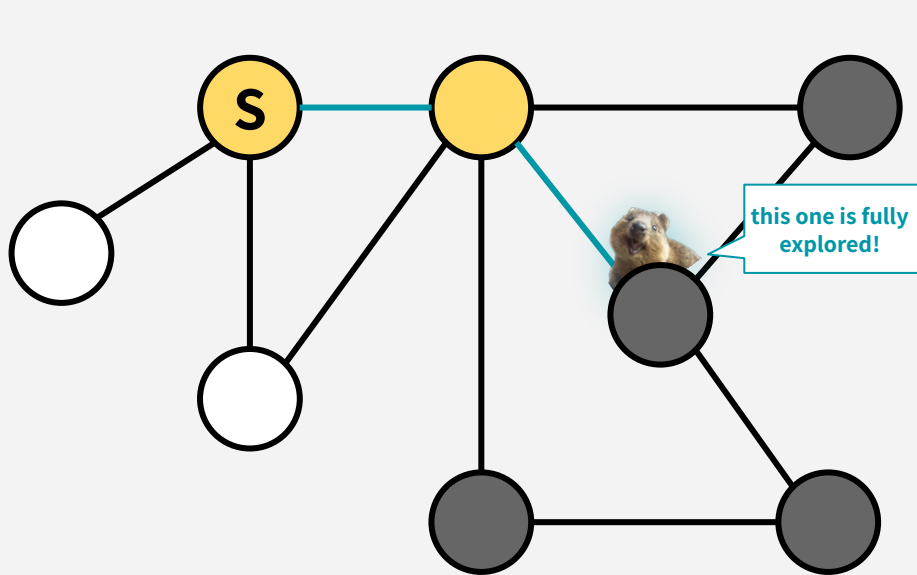


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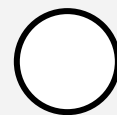
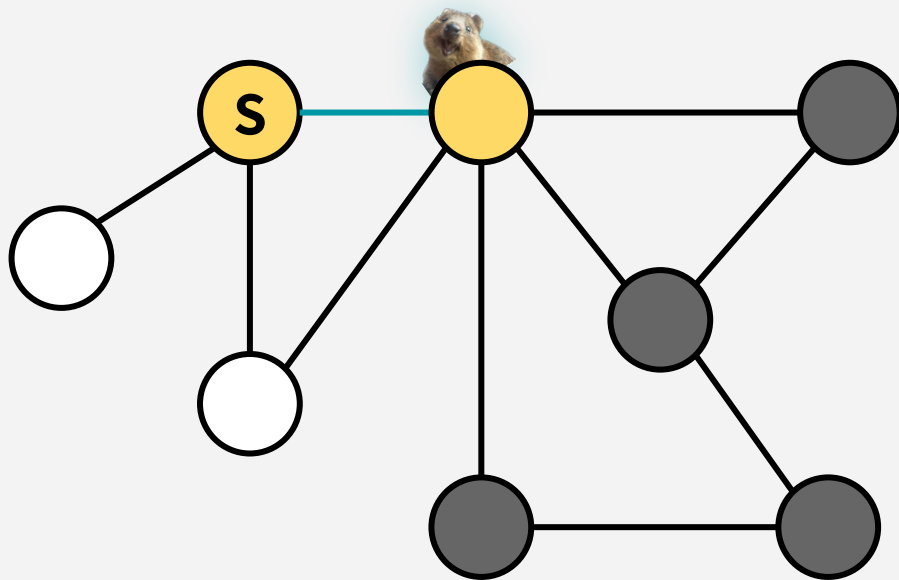


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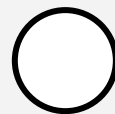
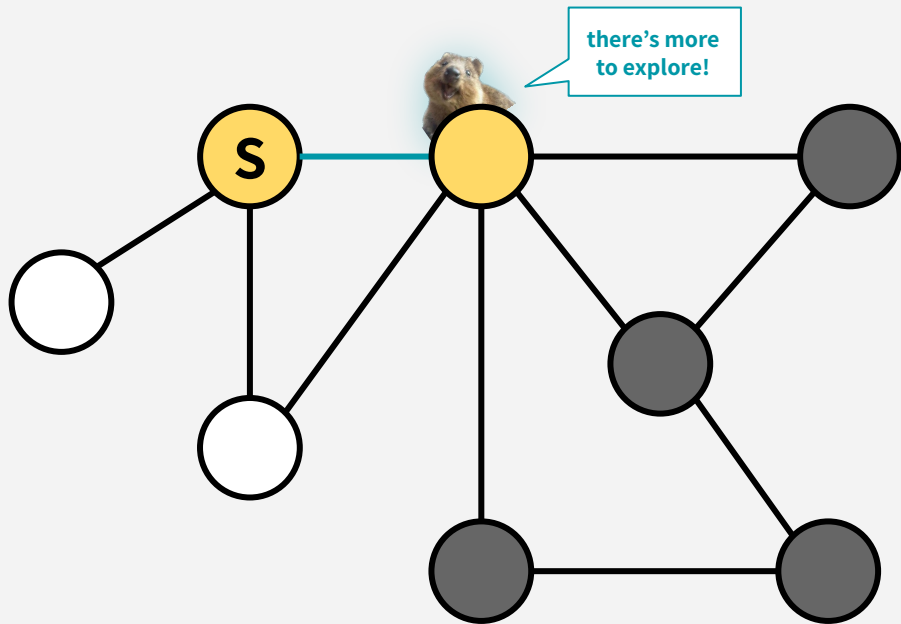


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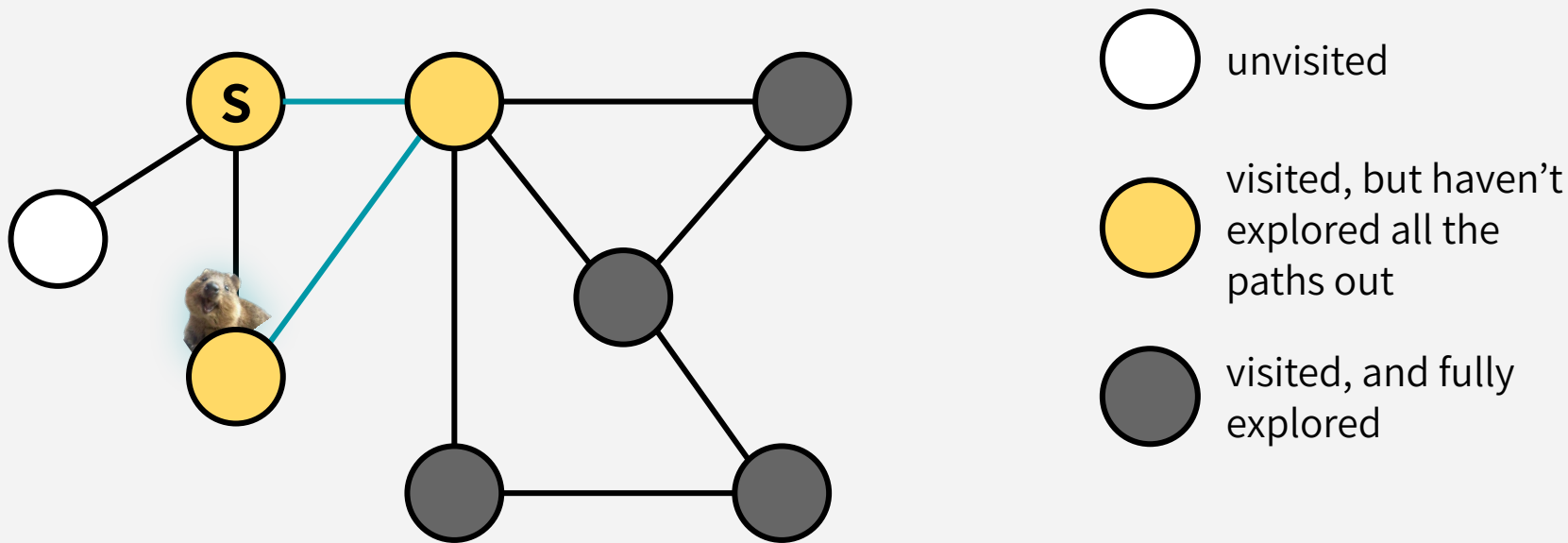


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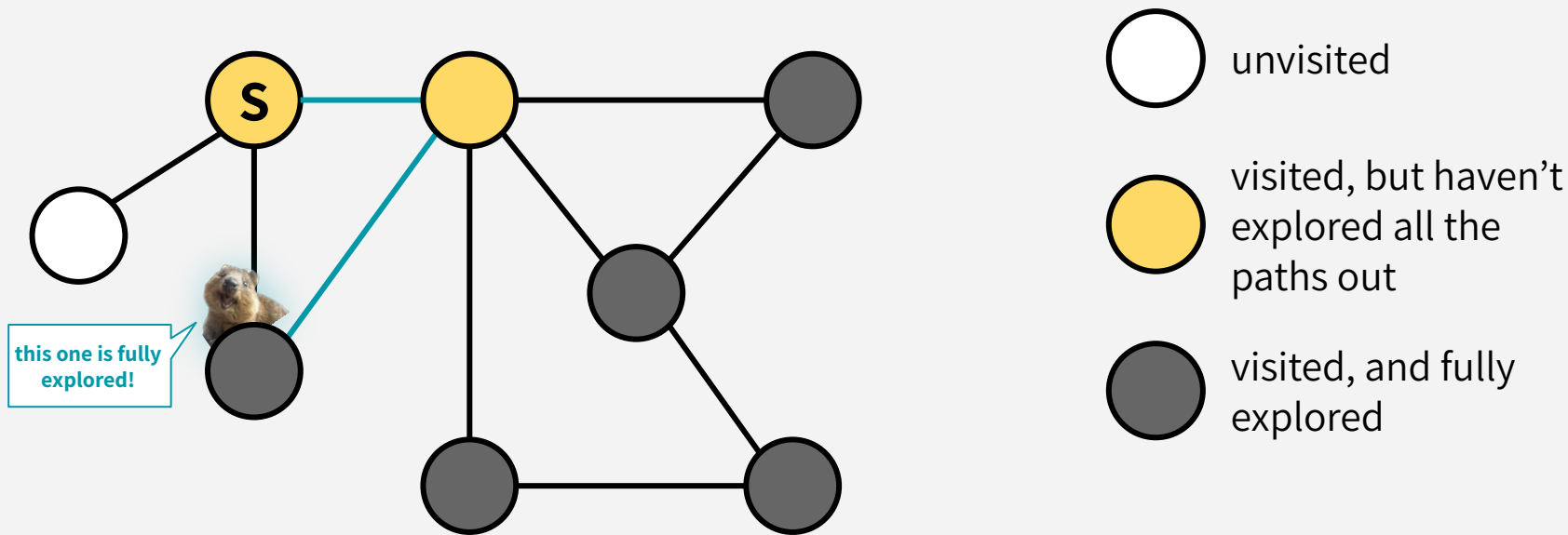
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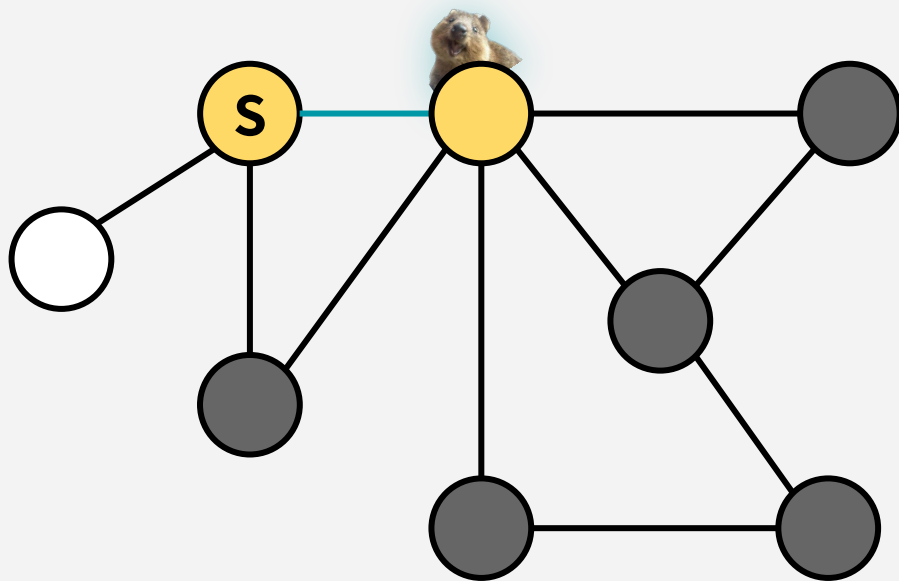
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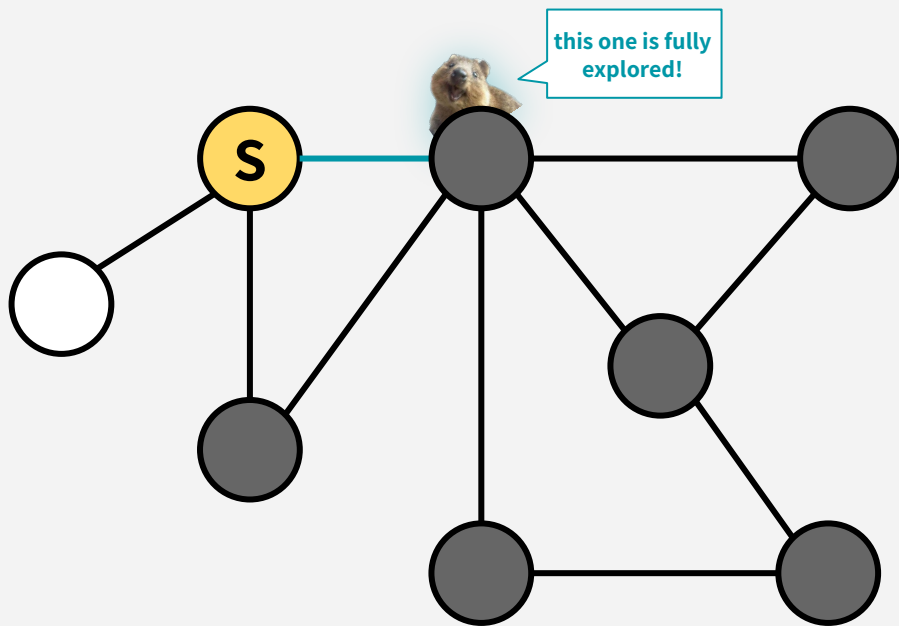
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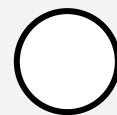
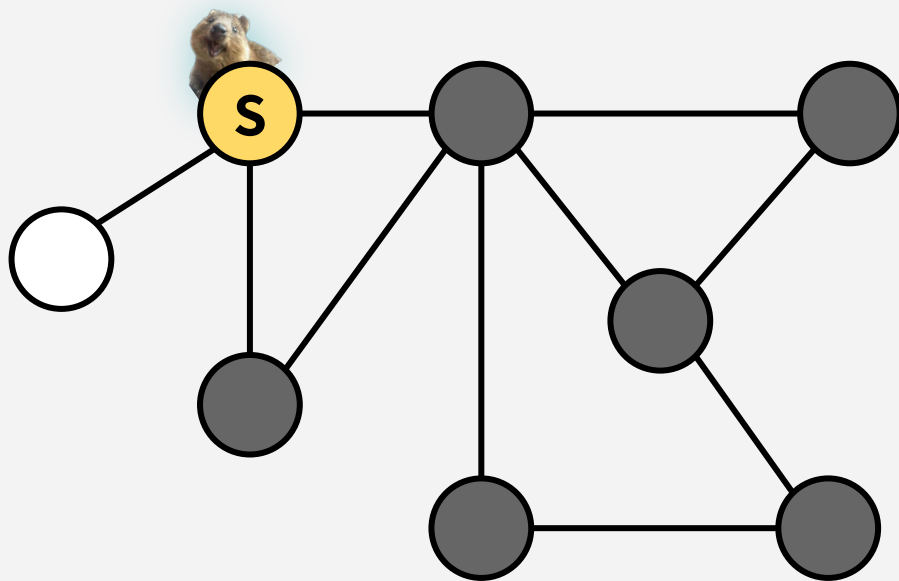


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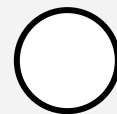
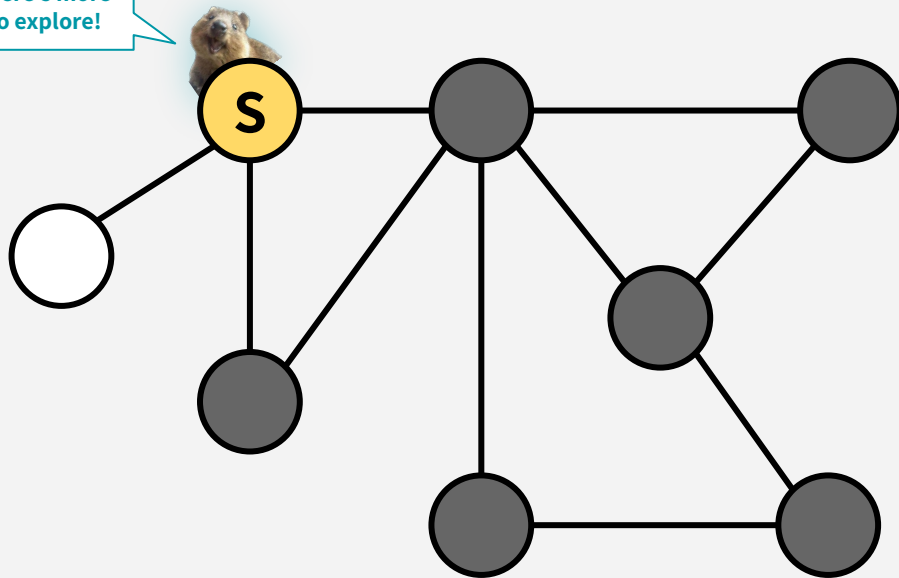
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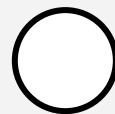
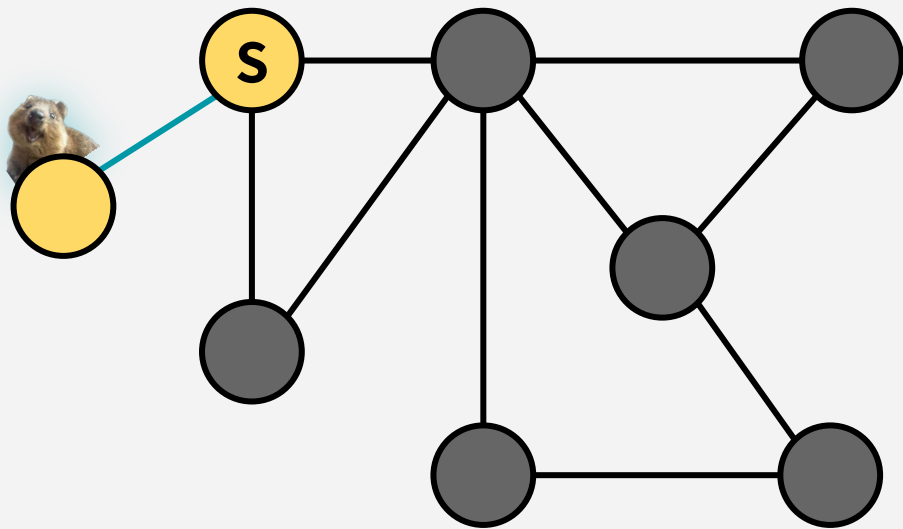


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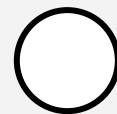
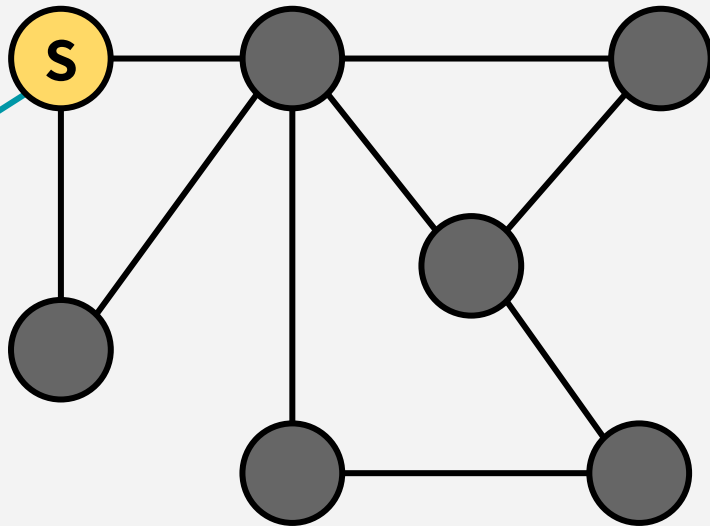
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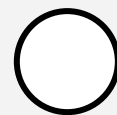
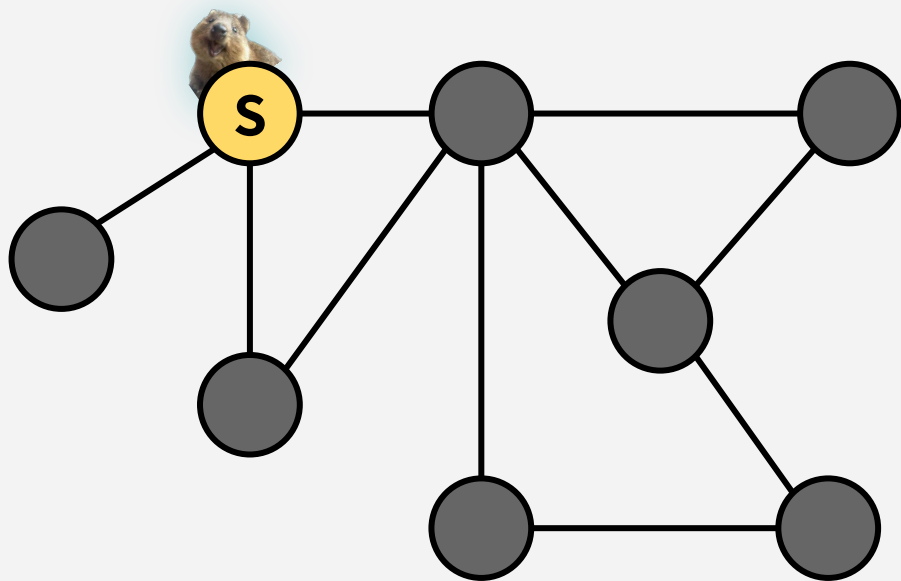


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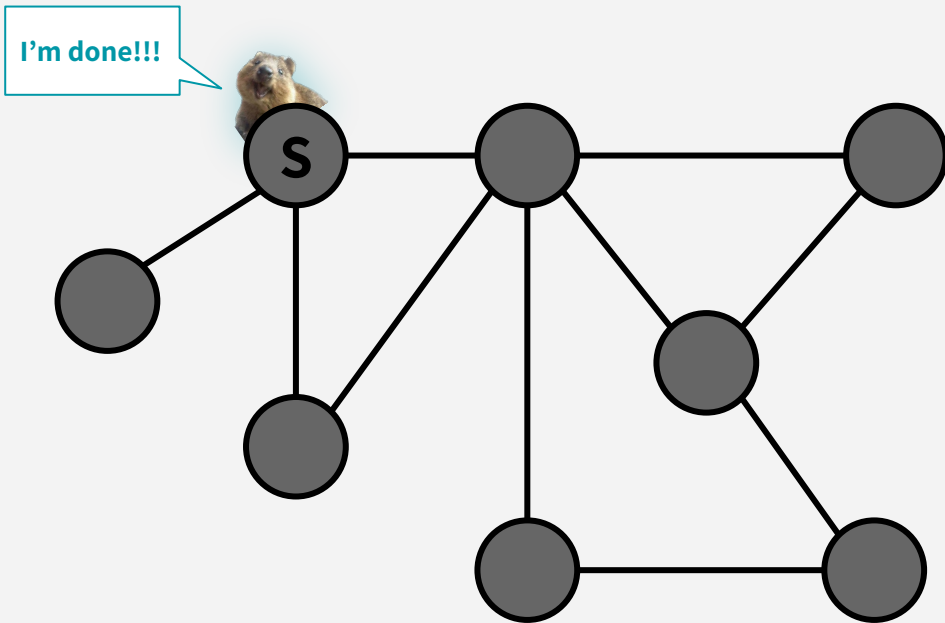


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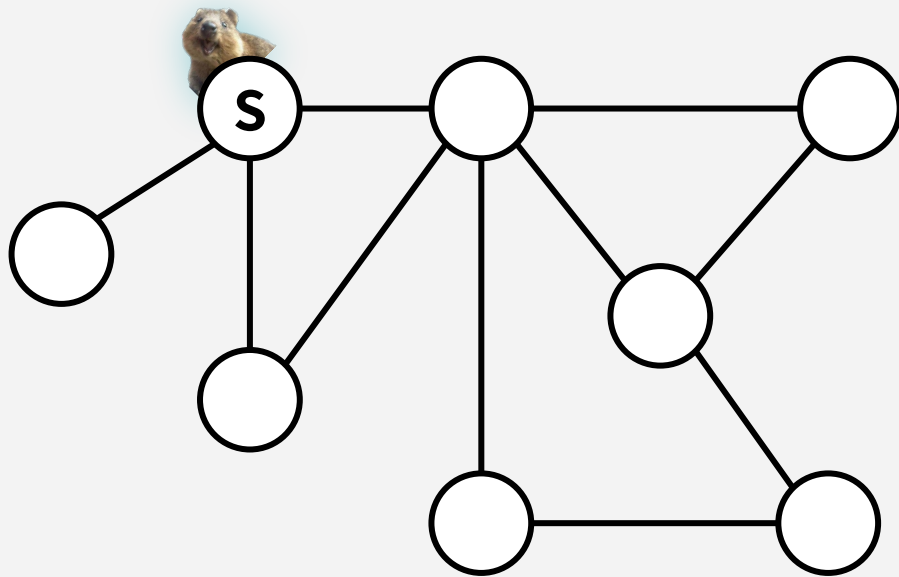
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You've probably seen other ways to implement DFS, all this extra bookkeeping will be useful for us later!

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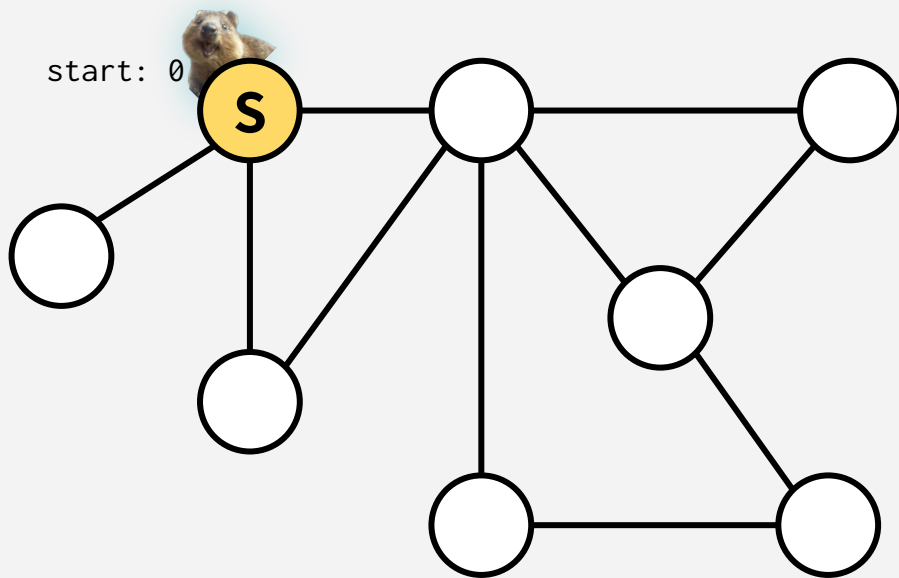


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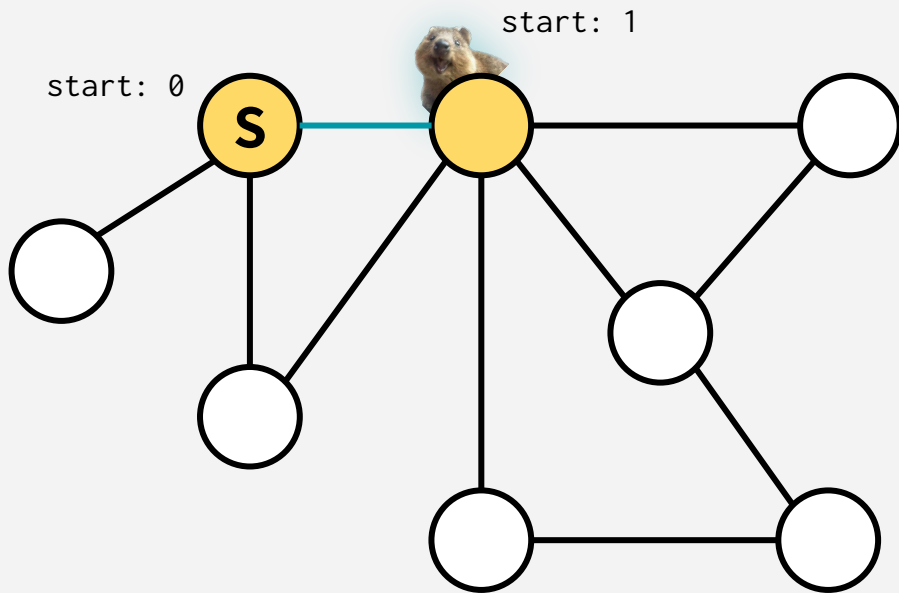


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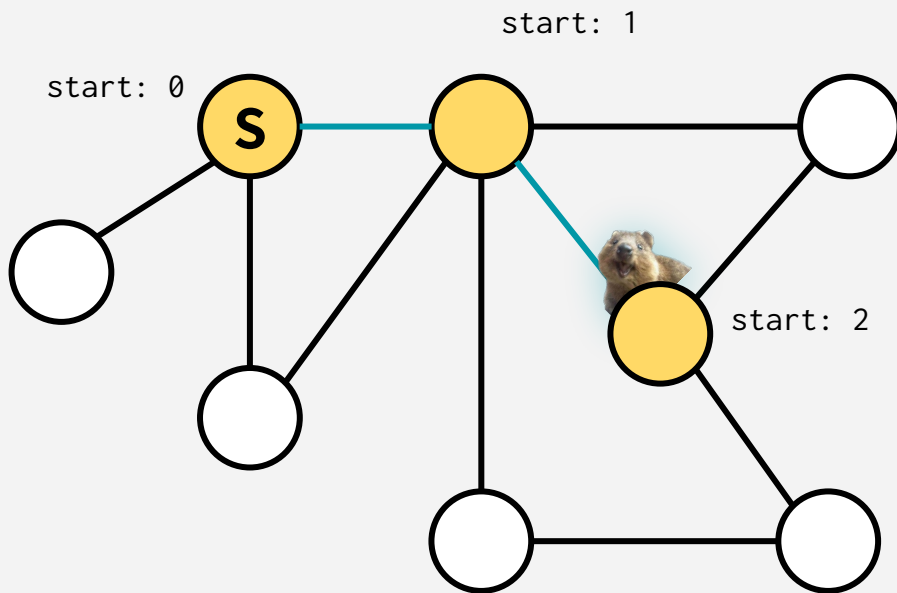


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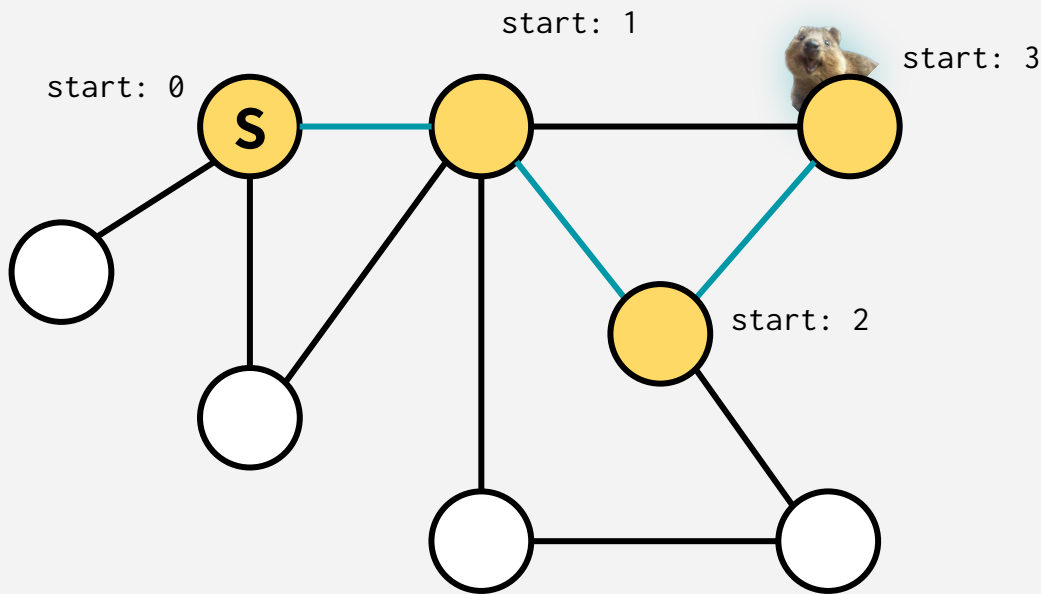


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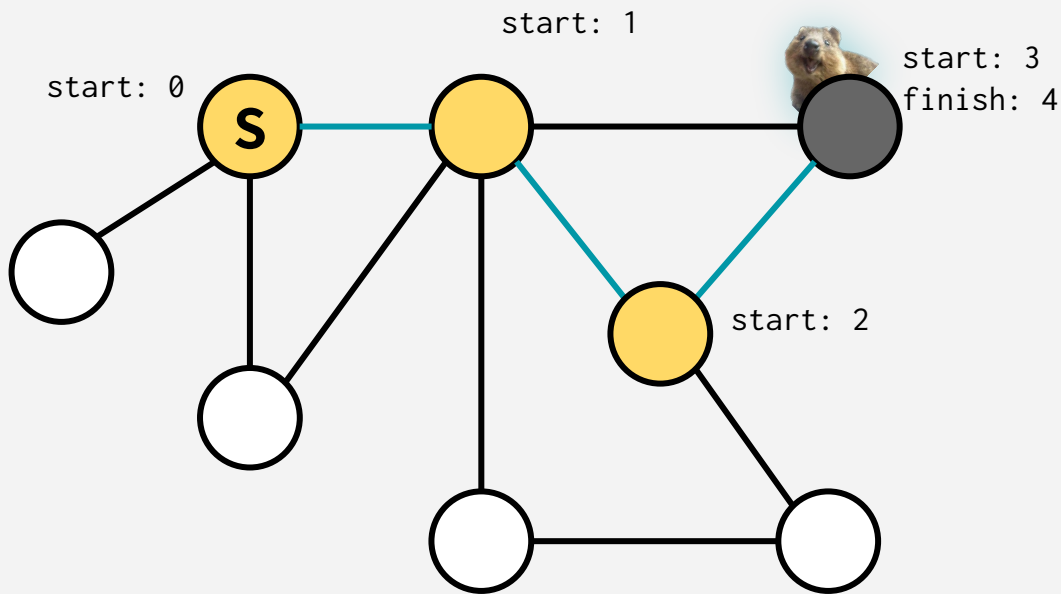


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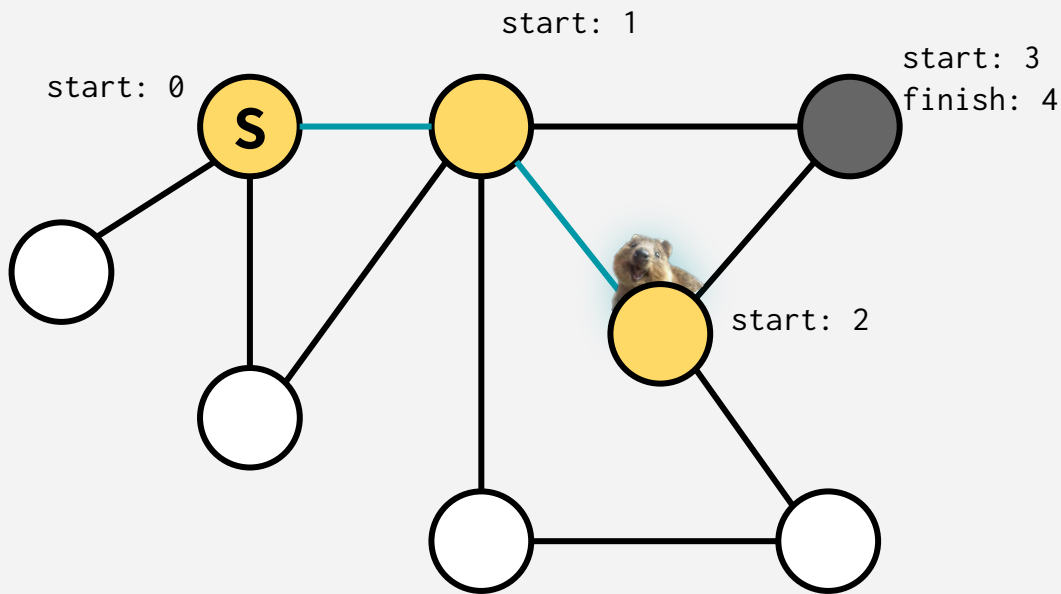


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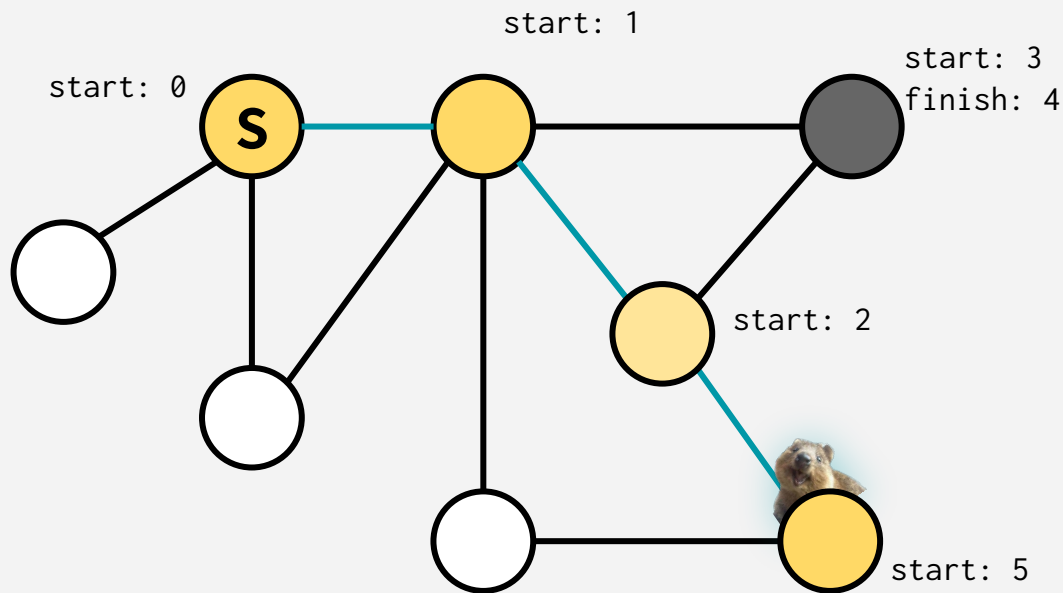


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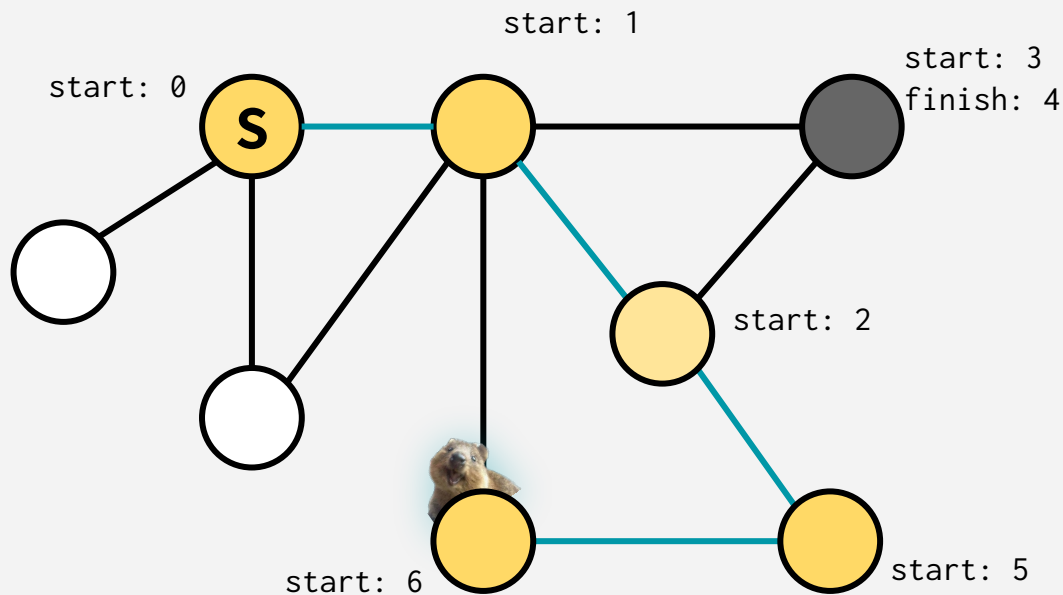
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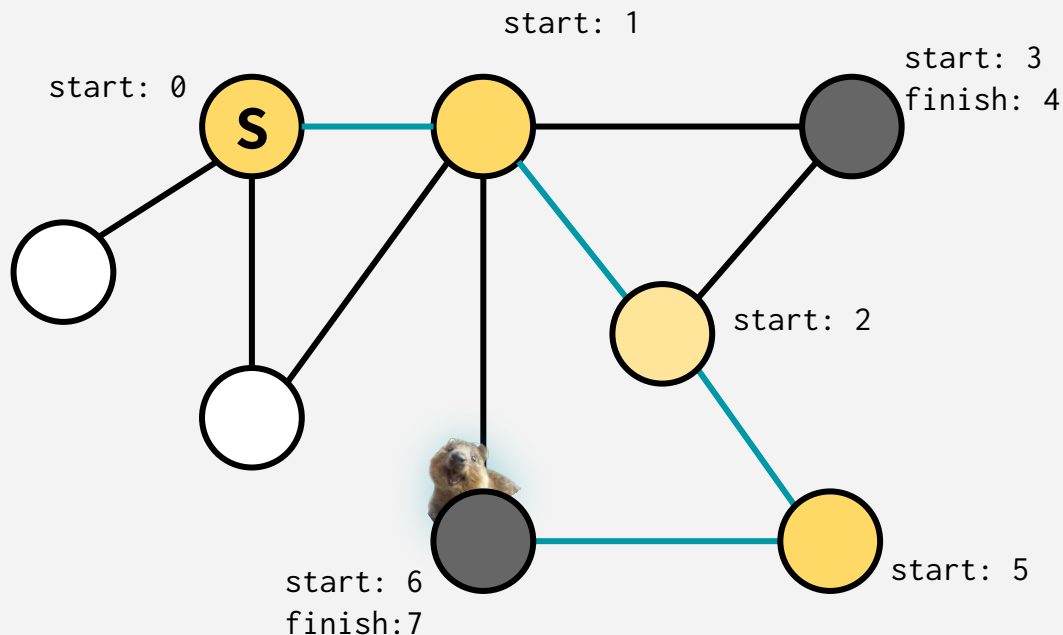


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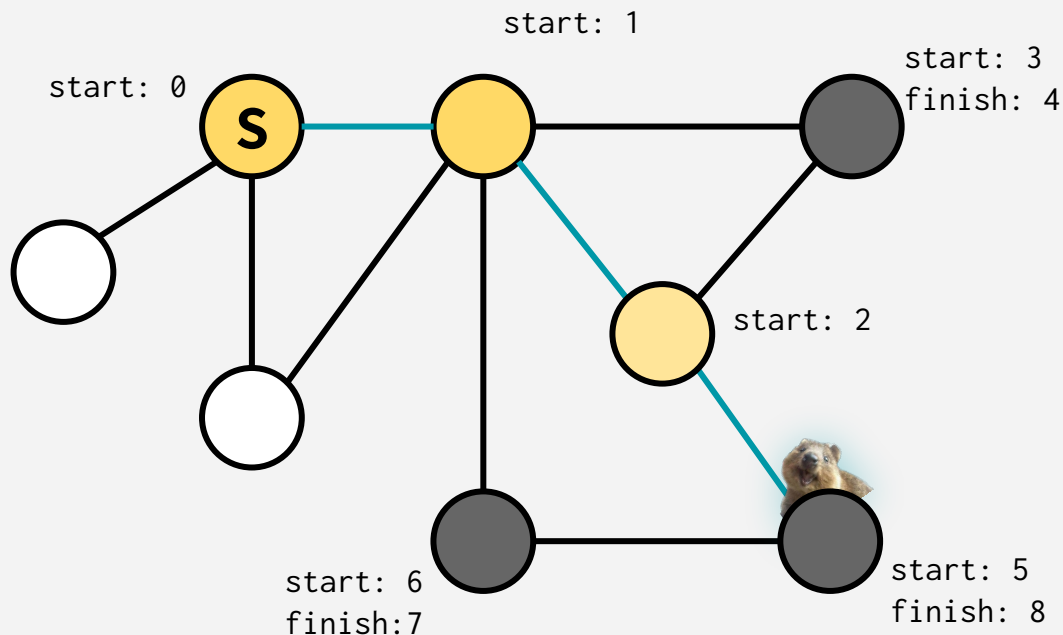
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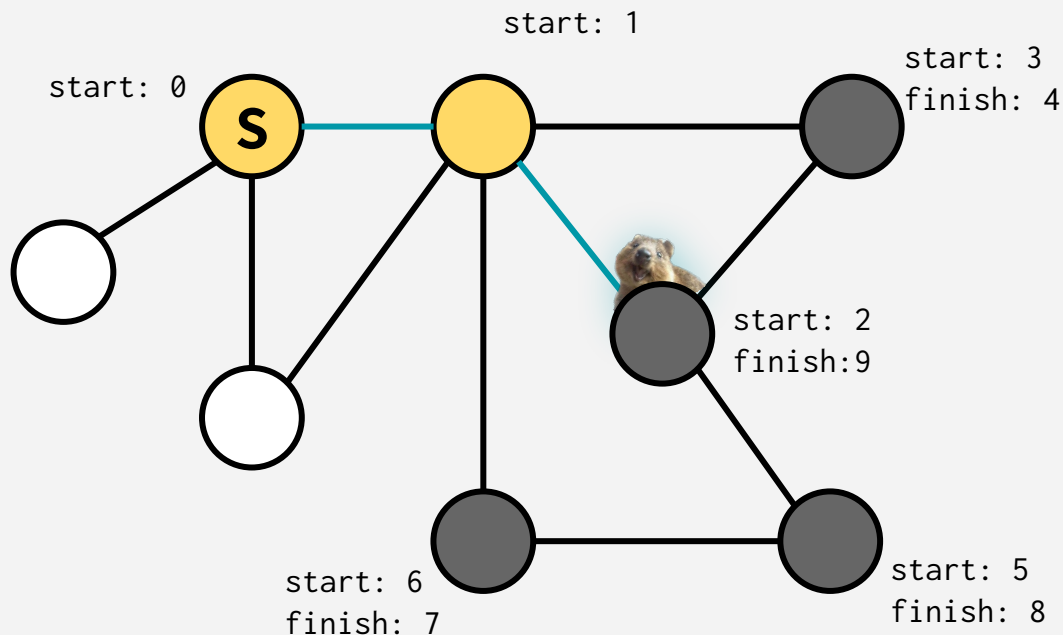
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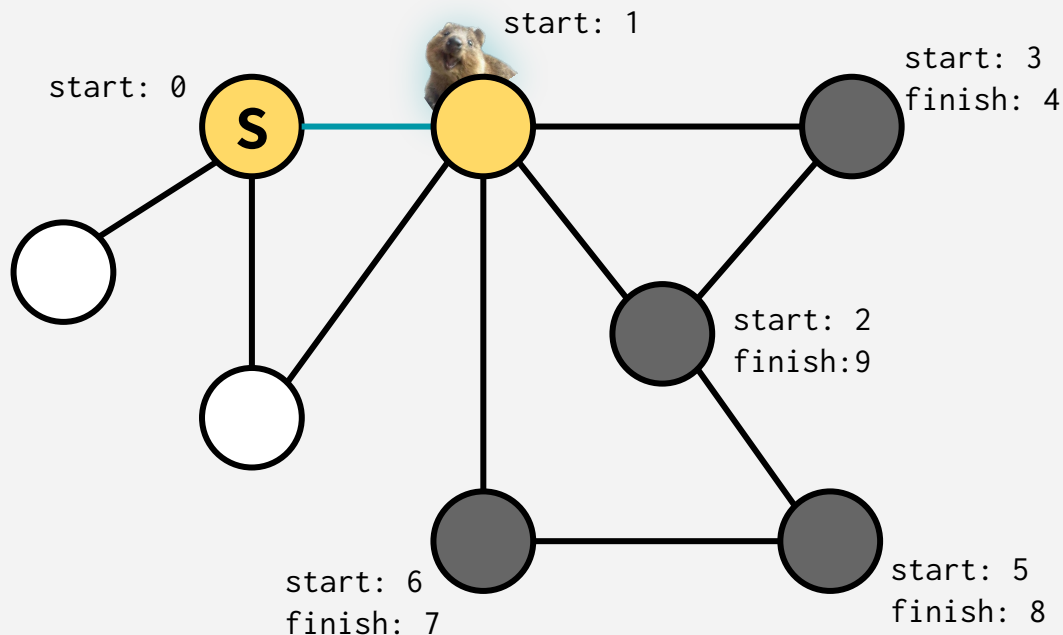
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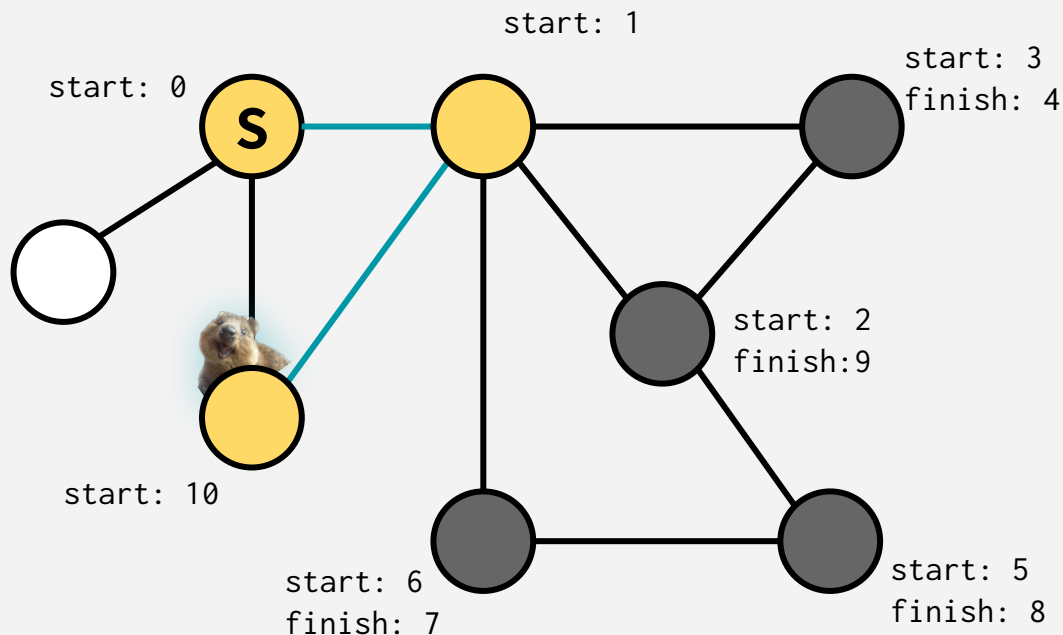


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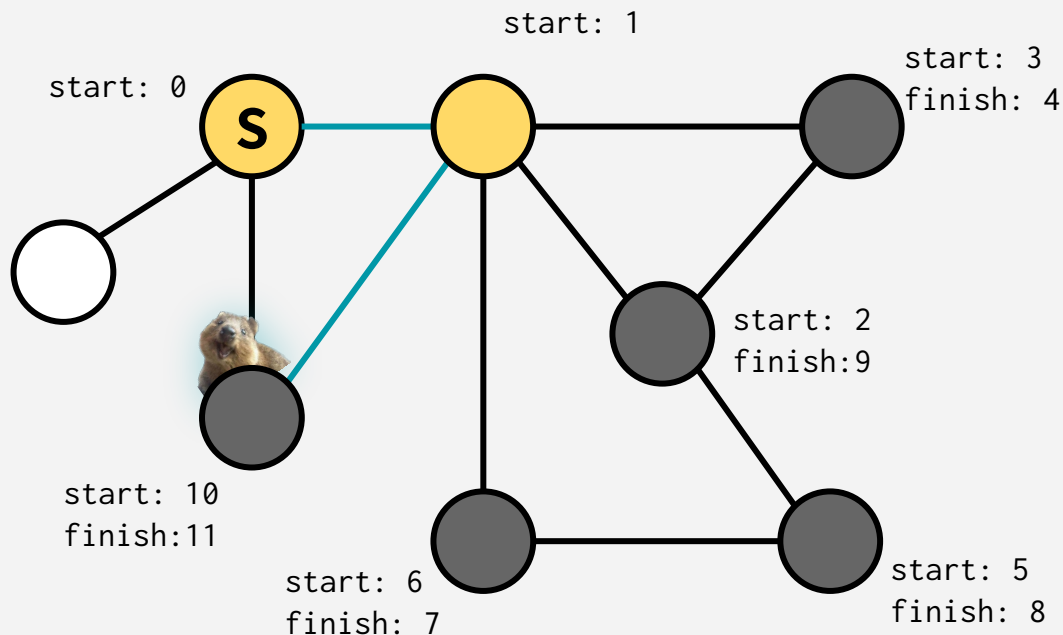


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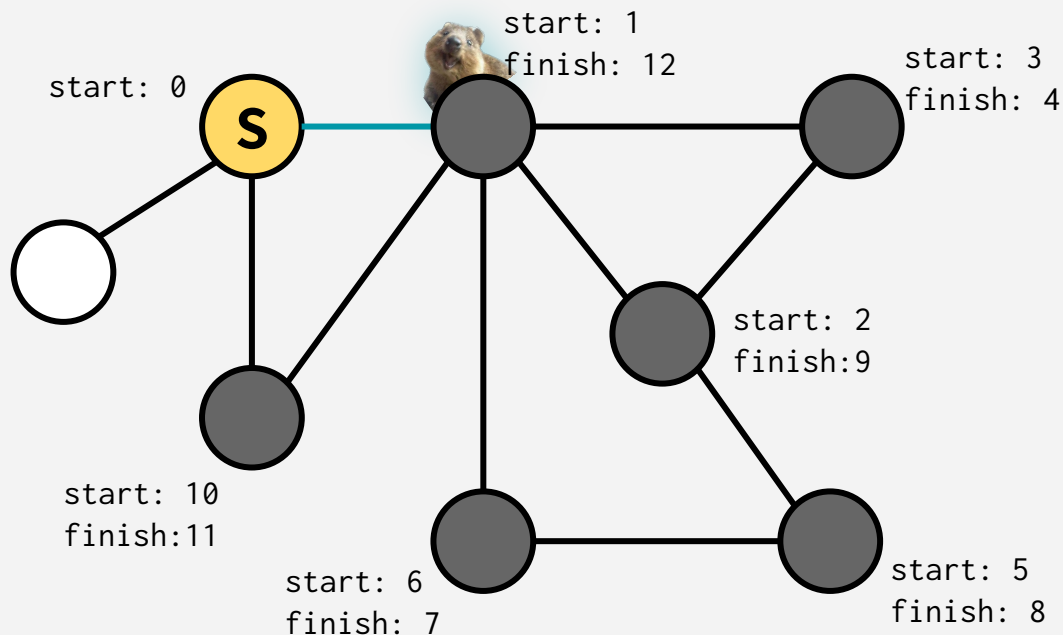


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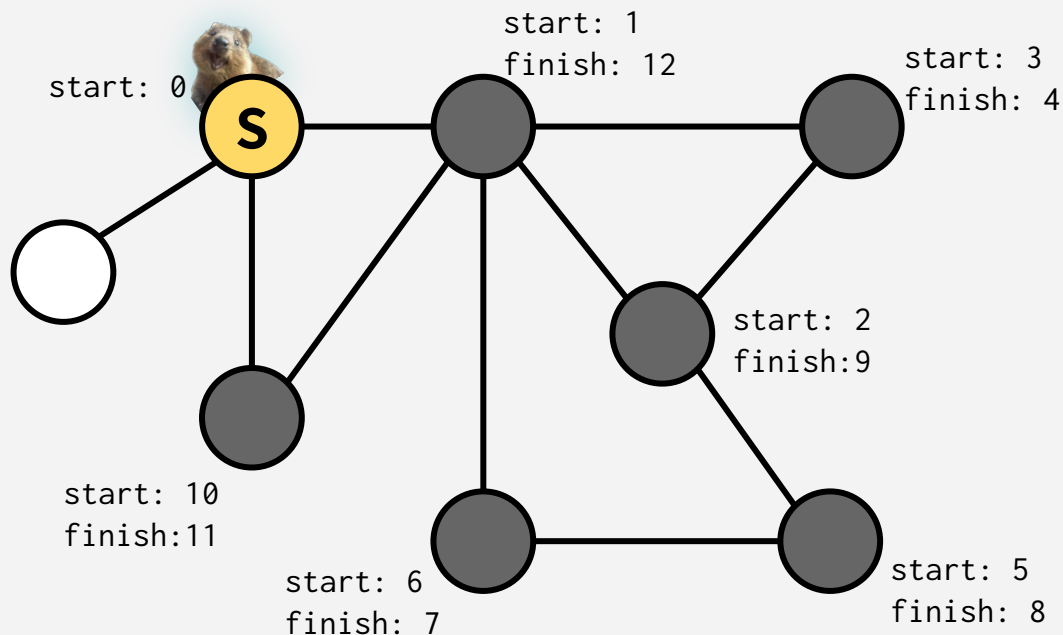


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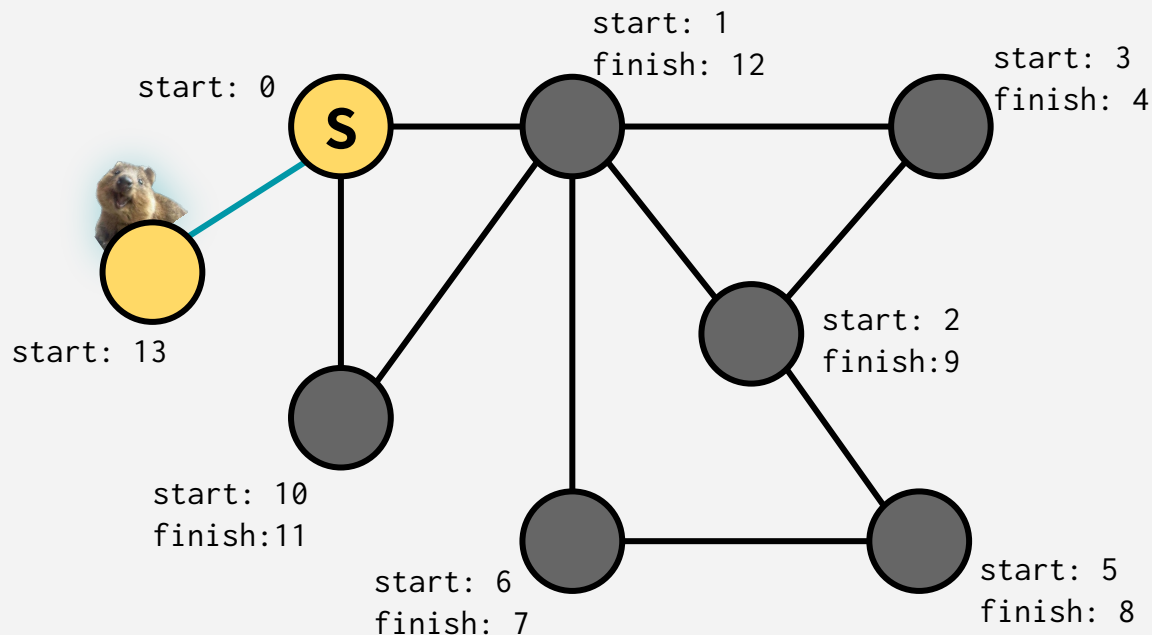
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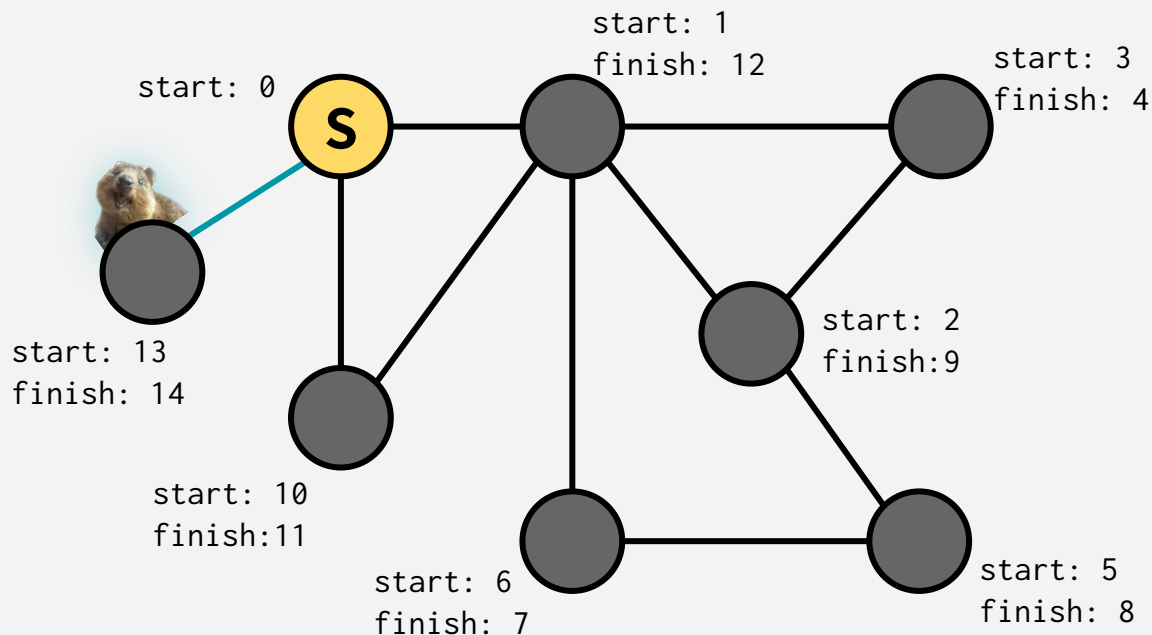


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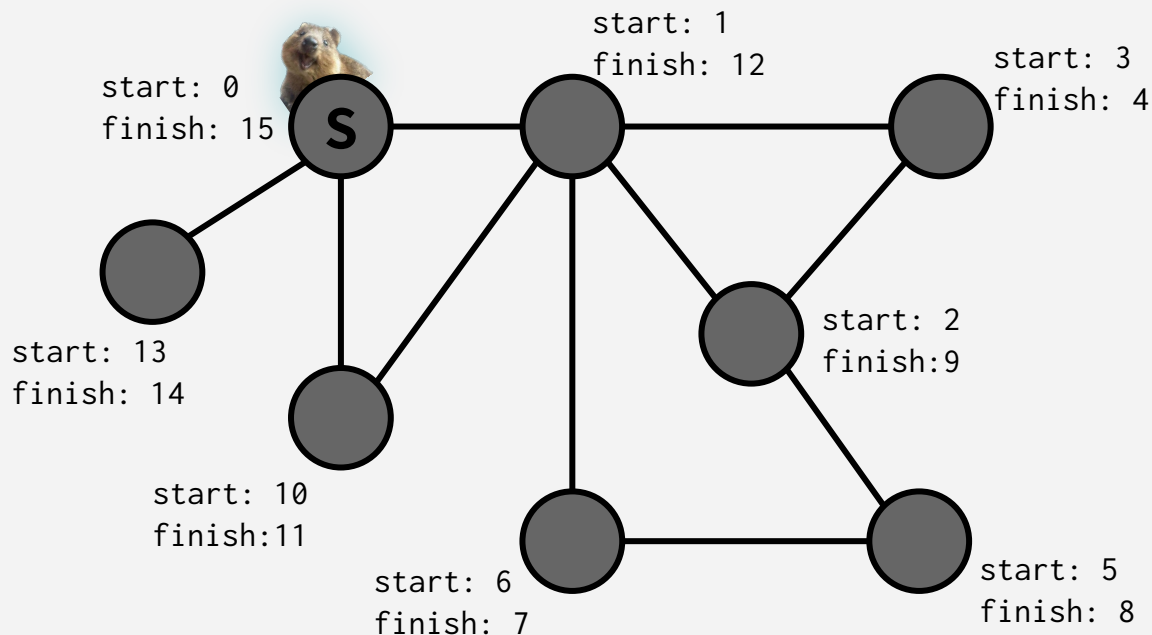
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This is not the only way to write DFS!
See the textbook for an iterative version, and try
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finish: 14

start:
finish:

start: 6
finish: 7

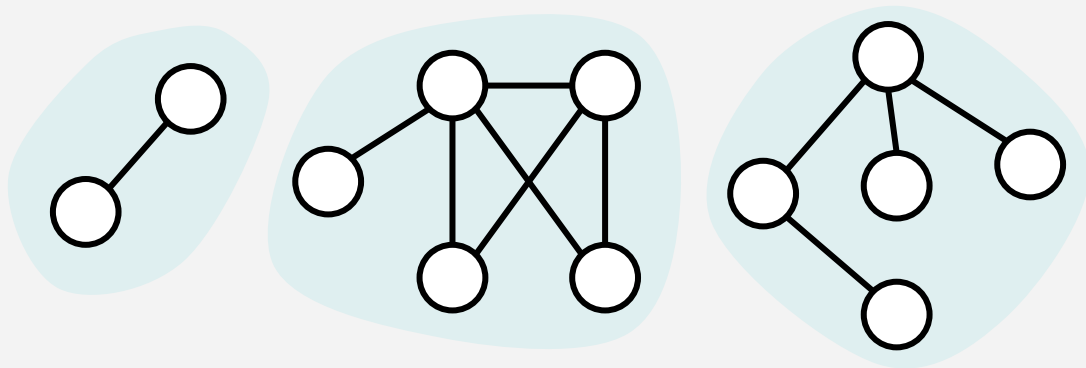
start: 5
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Like BFS, DFS finds all the nodes reachable from the starting point!

In undirected graphs, this is equivalent to finding a **connected component**.



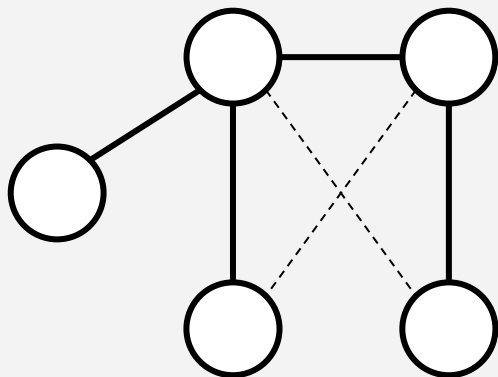
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(Edges in the DFS tree are the ones traversed when first finding unvisited nodes)

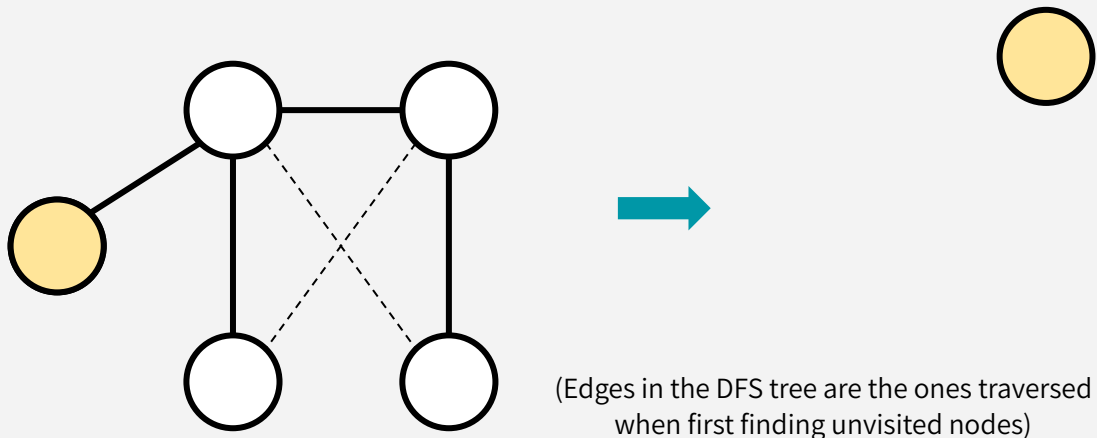
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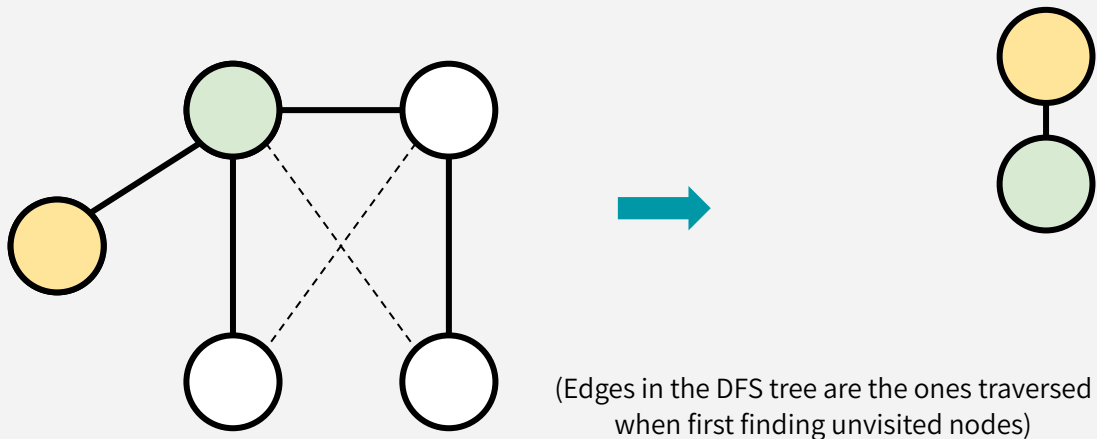
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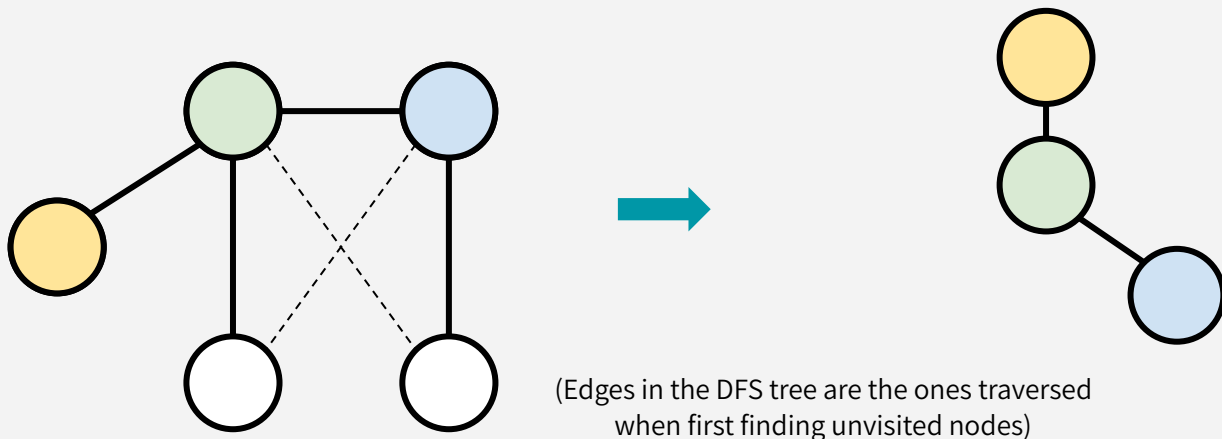
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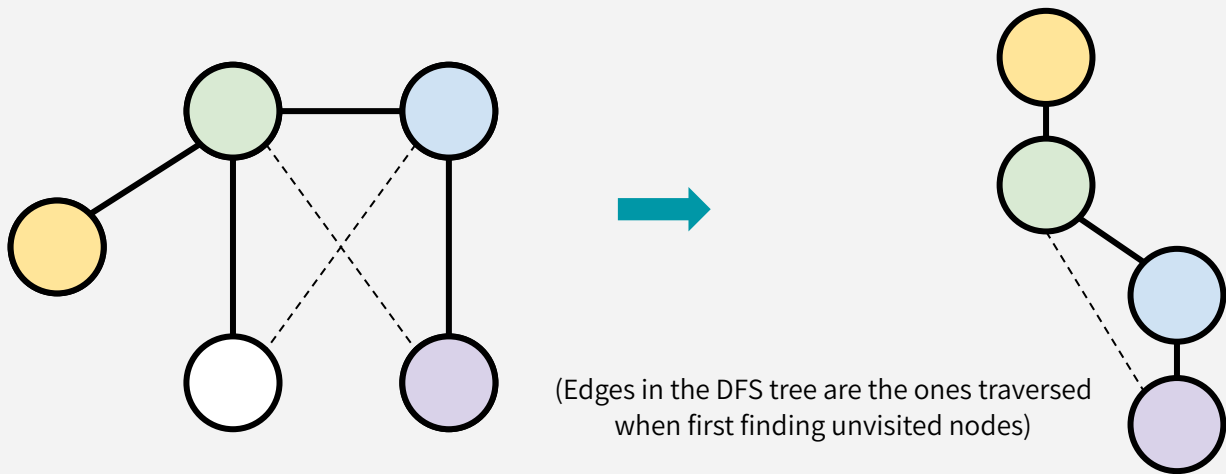
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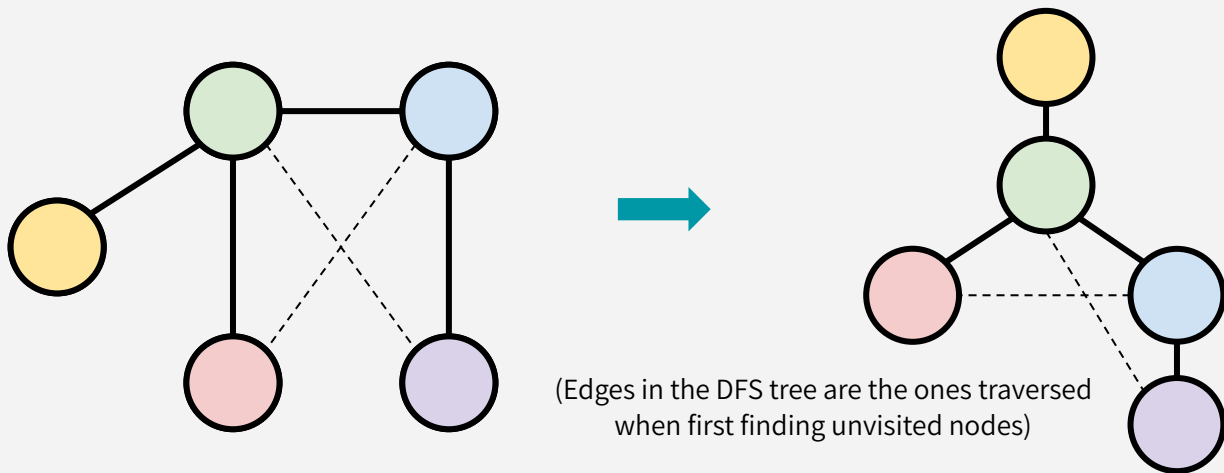
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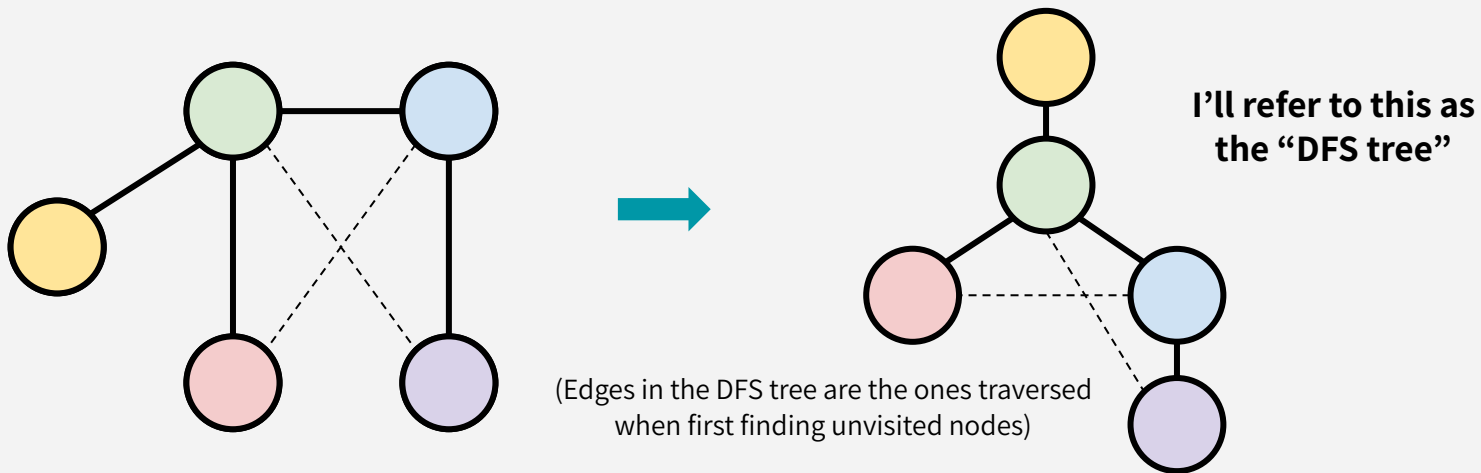
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DEPTH-FIRST SEARCH: RUNTIME

To explore a graph's **i^{th} connected component** (n_i nodes, m_i edges):

We visit each vertex in the CC exactly once (“visit” = “call DFS on”).

At each vertex v , we:

- Do some bookkeeping: **$O(1)$**
- Loop over v 's neighbors & check if they are visited (& then potentially make a recursive call): $O(1)$ per neighbor \rightarrow **$O(\deg(v))$** total.

$$\textbf{Total: } \sum_v O(\deg(v)) + \sum_v O(1) = \textbf{O}(m_i + n_i)$$

DEPTH-FIRST SEARCH: RUNTIME

To explore **the entire graph** (n nodes, m edges):

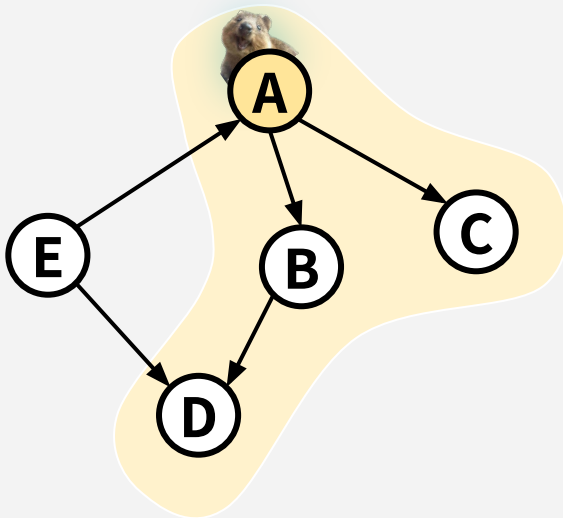
A graph might have multiple connected components! To **explore the whole graph**, we would call our DFS routine once for each connected component (note that each vertex and each edge participates in exactly one connected component). The combined running time would be:

$$O(\sum_i m_i + \sum_i n_i) = \mathbf{O(m + n)}$$

DEPTH-FIRST SEARCH

DFS works fine on directed graphs too!

From a start node x , DFS would find all nodes **reachable** from x .
(In directed graphs, “connected component” isn’t as well defined... more on that later!)



Verify this on your own:

running DFS from A
would still find all nodes
reachable from A (E isn't
reachable from A in this
directed graph).



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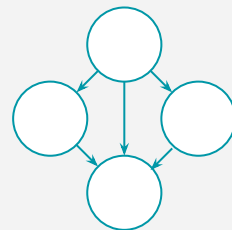
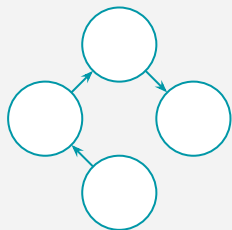
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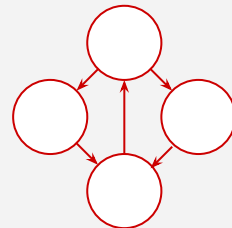
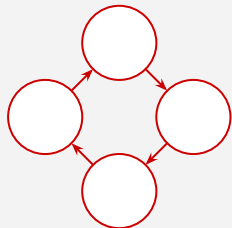
ASIDE: DIRECTED ACYCLIC GRAPHS

A **Directed Acyclic Graph (DAG)** is a directed graph with *no directed cycles*.

These are DAGs:



These are not DAGs:



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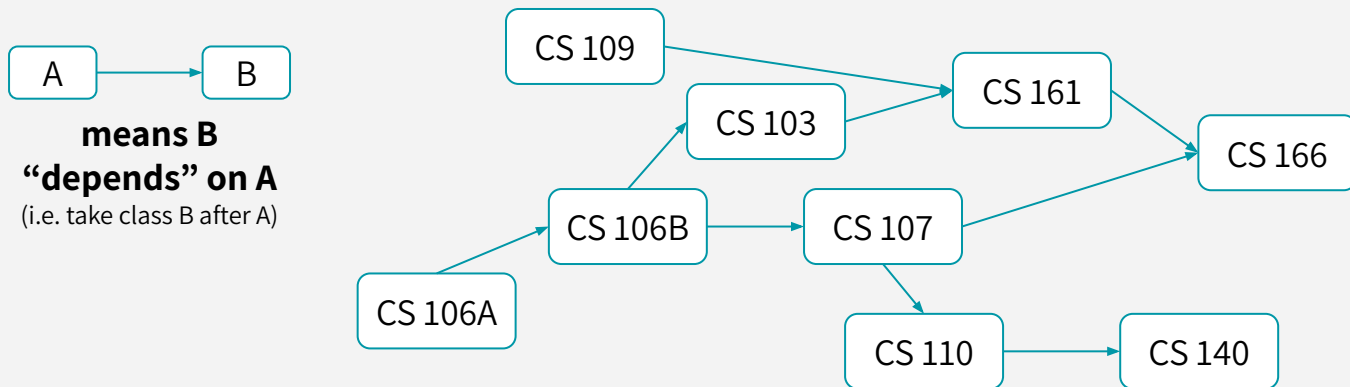
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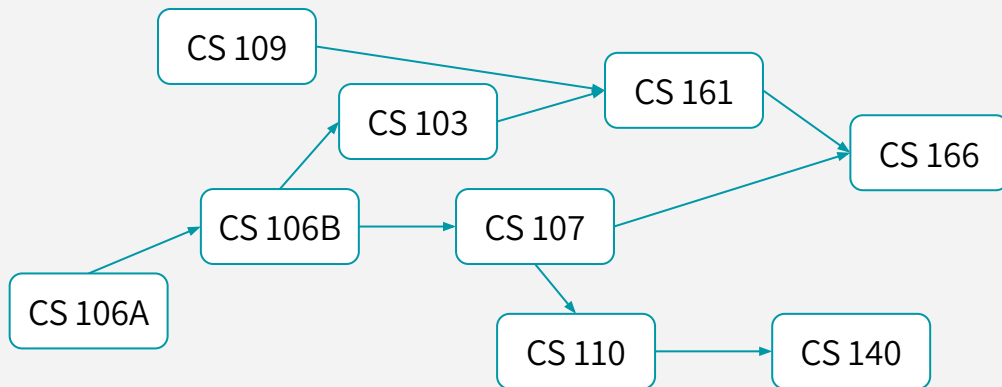
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**means B
“depends” on A**
(i.e. take class B after A)



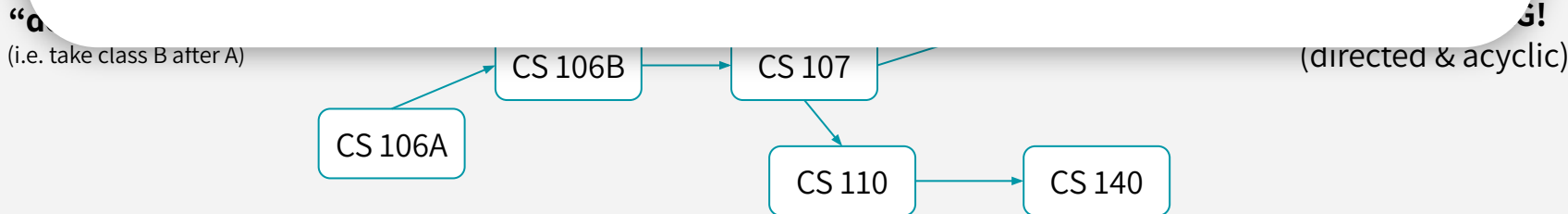
**This prerequisite
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(directed & acyclic)

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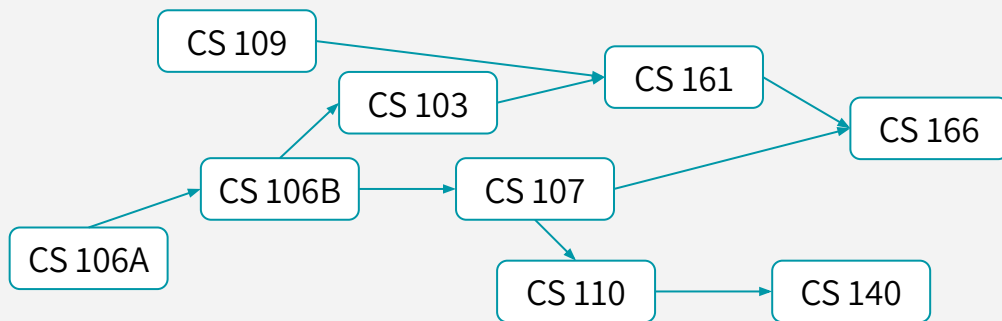
What does “meeting the dependency requirements” mean?

We want to produce an ordering such that:
for every edge (v, w) in E , v must appear before w in the ordering
(e.g. CS103 must come before CS161)



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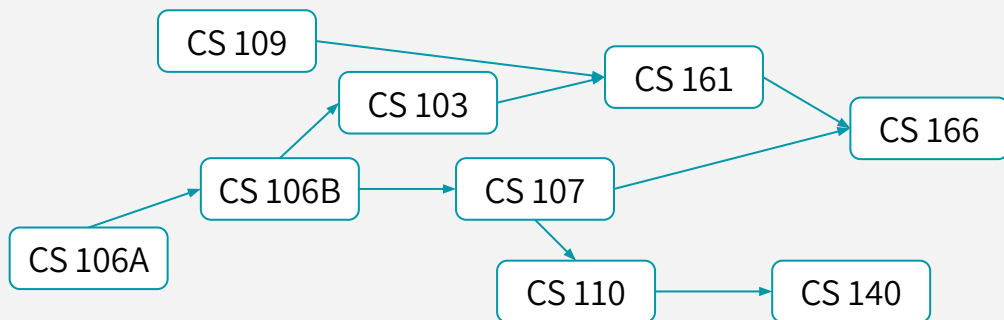
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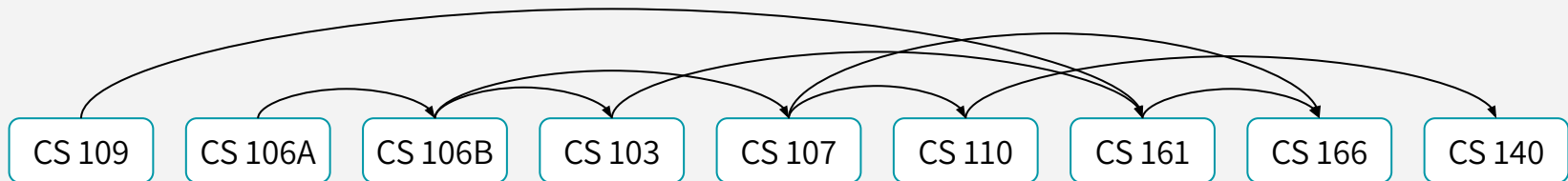
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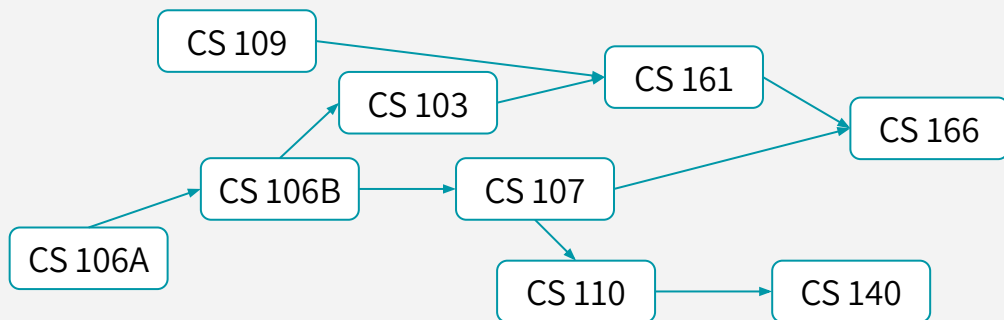


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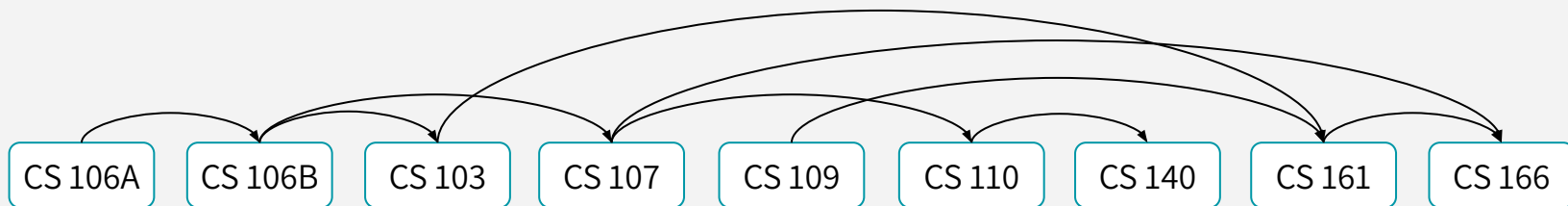


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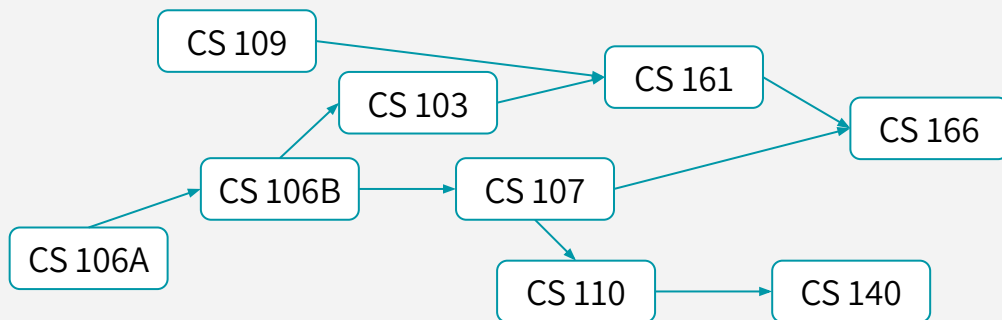


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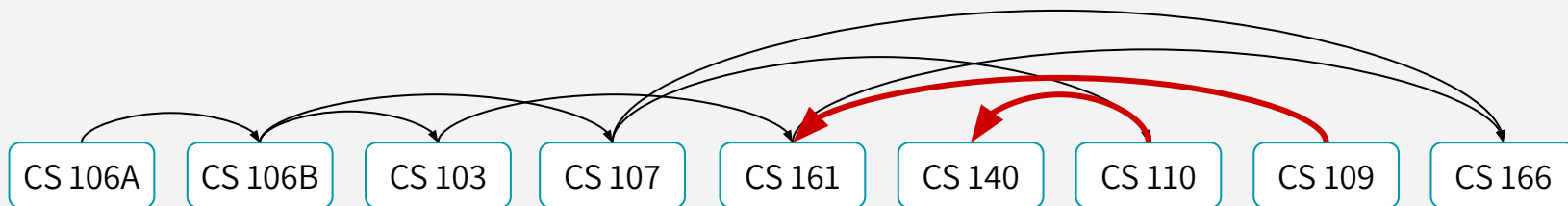


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TOPOSORT ON NON-DAGS?

We assume these “dependency” graphs are all DAGs!

What about other graphs? Undirected graphs? Directed graphs with cycles?

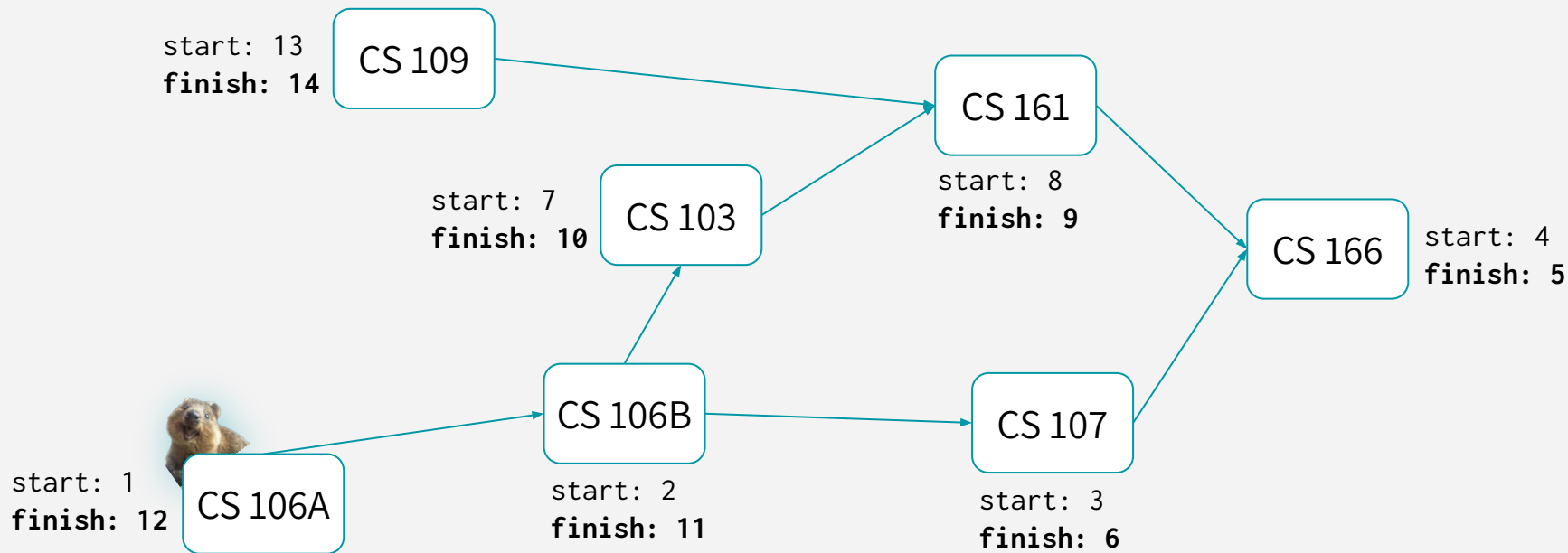
Toposort gives us a priority ordering of nodes (e.g. more intro classes are “higher priority” than more advanced classes). Edges in DAGs clearly illustrate priority: edge from **x** to **y** means **x** has priority over **y**.

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In a graph with cycles, if **x** and **y** are part of a cycle, then **x** can reach **y** and **y** can also reach **x**... so which node has “priority”?

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Let's consider two cases: (1) DFS visits \mathbf{v} first, or (2) DFS visits \mathbf{w} first.

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finish: 12

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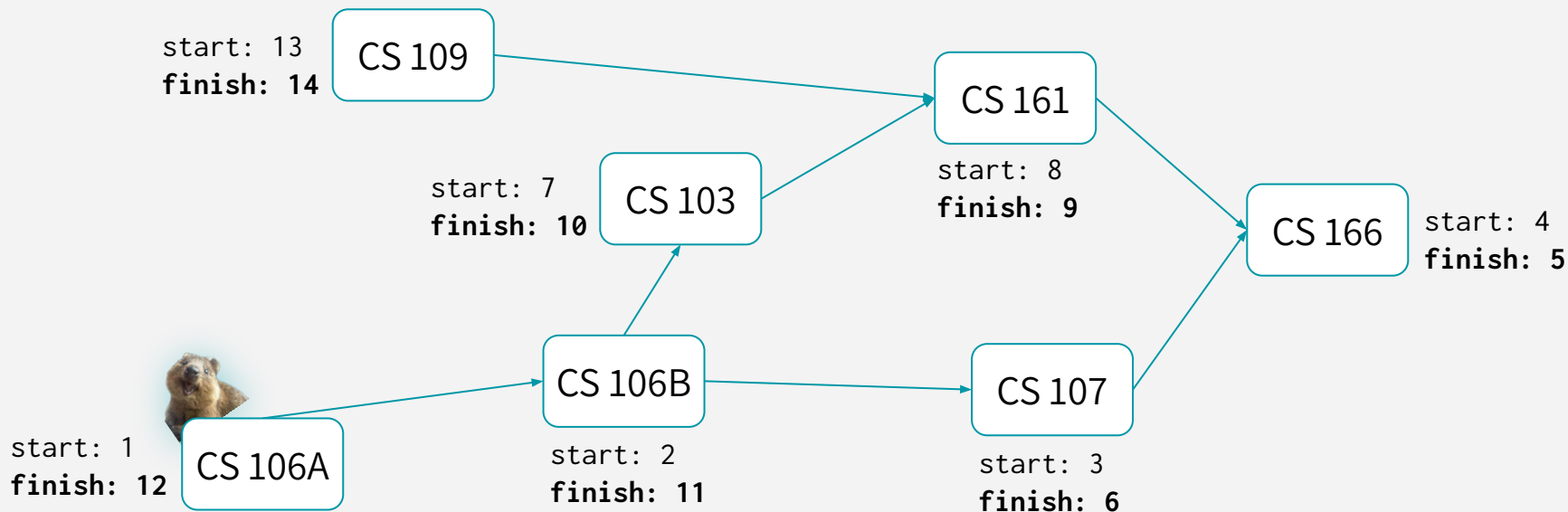
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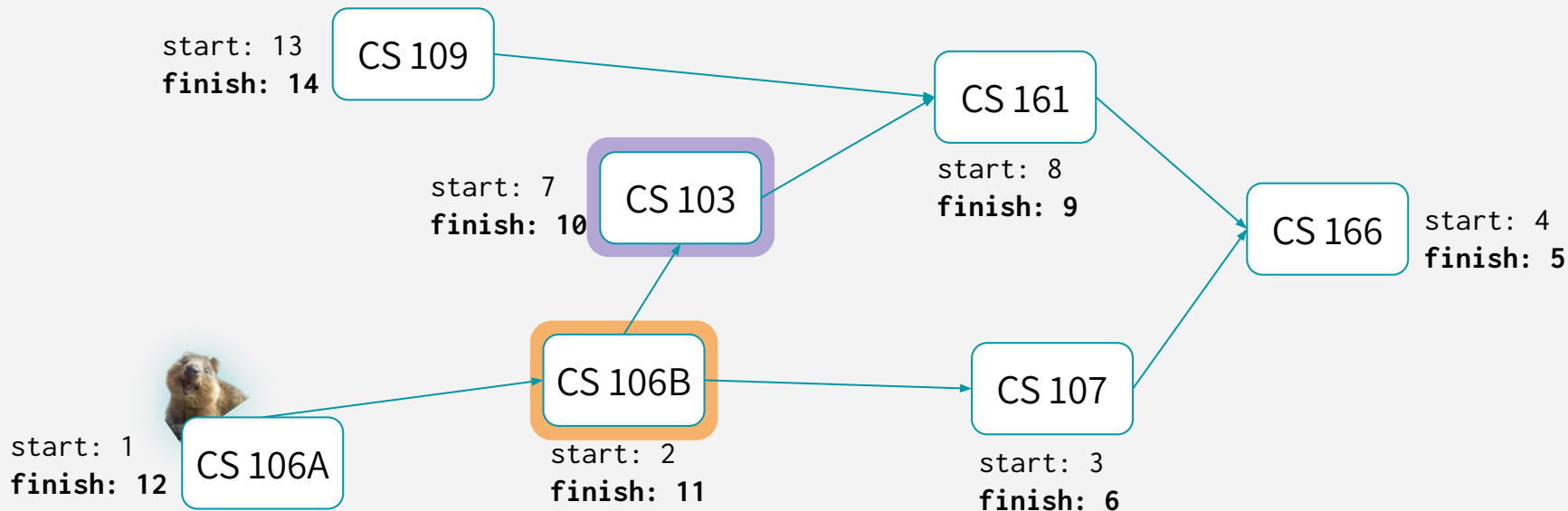
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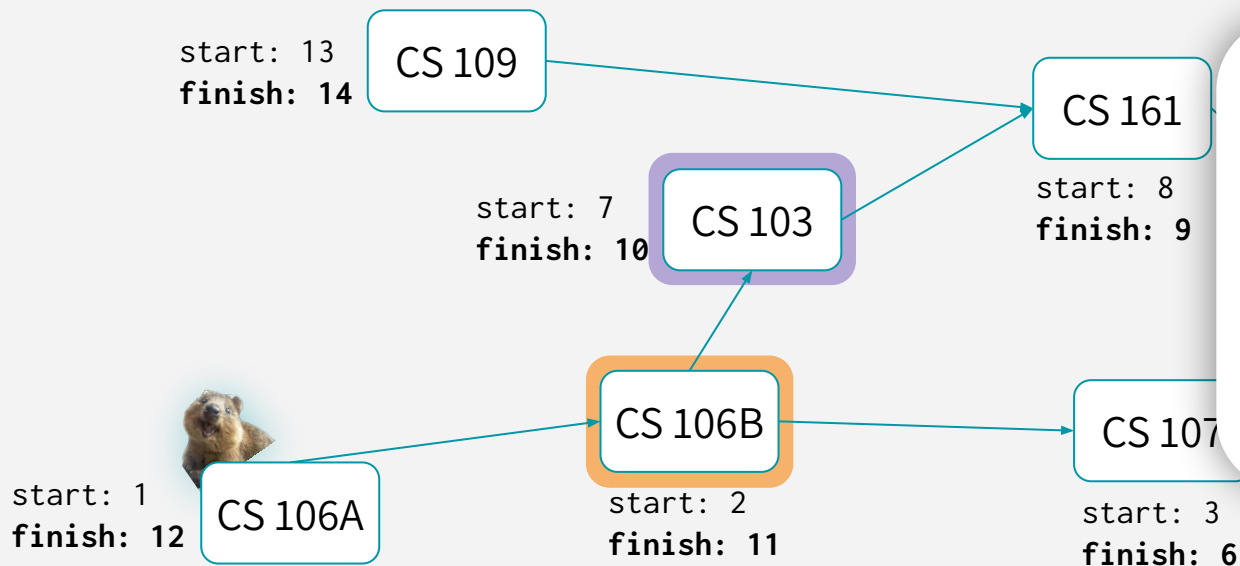
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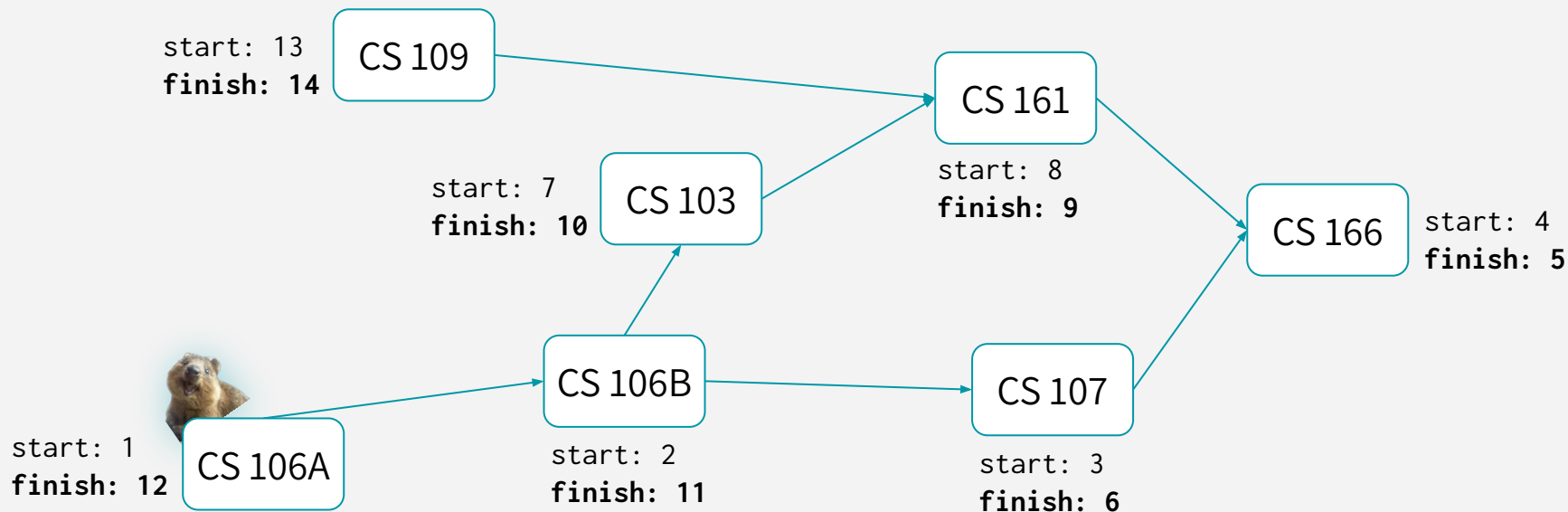


When v is discovered by DFS, this call will eventually discover w & recursively call DFS on w . Then, w will get its finish time before v gets its finish time, so $v.\text{finish} > w.\text{finish}$!

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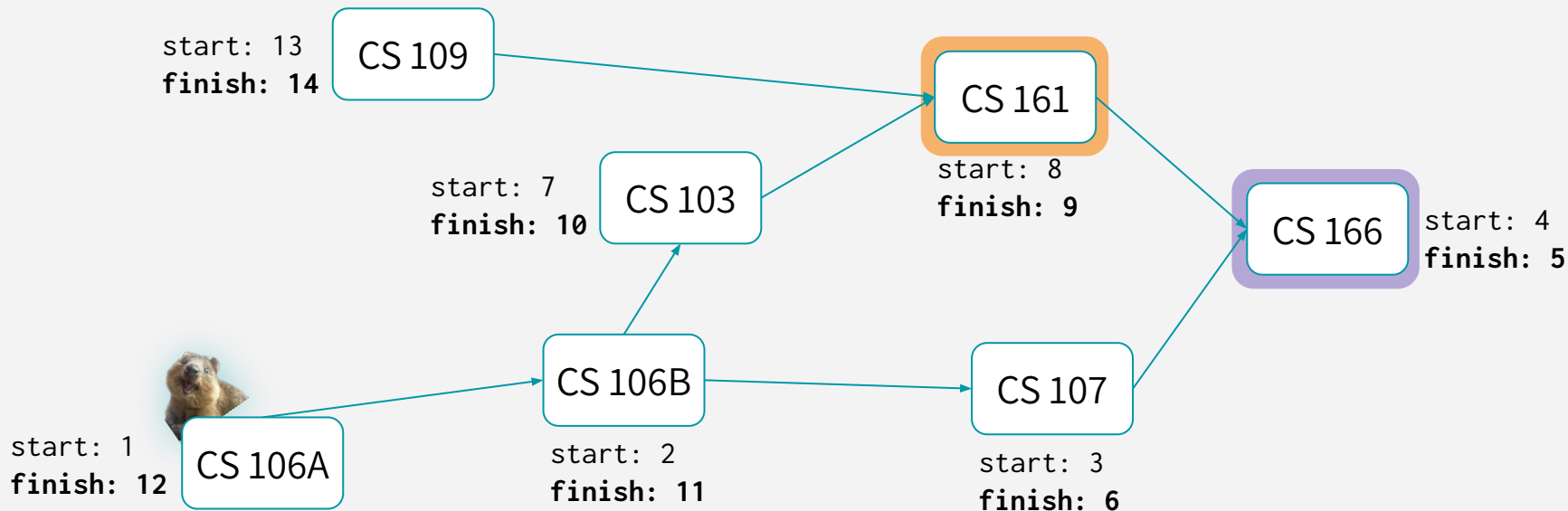
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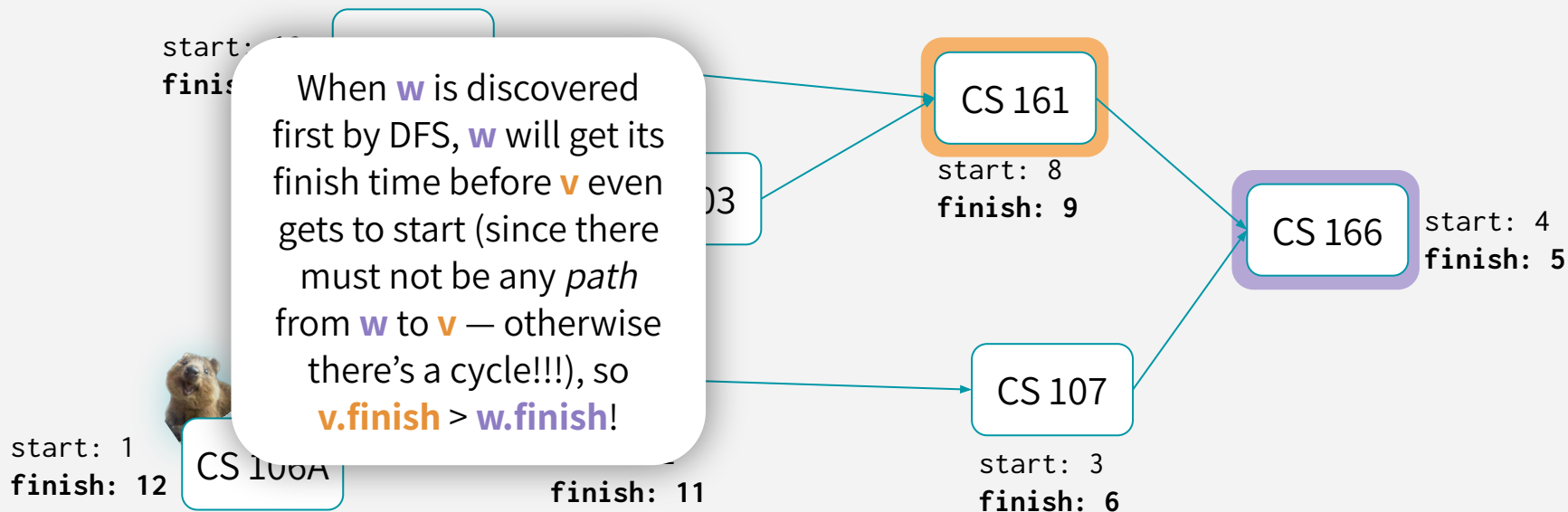
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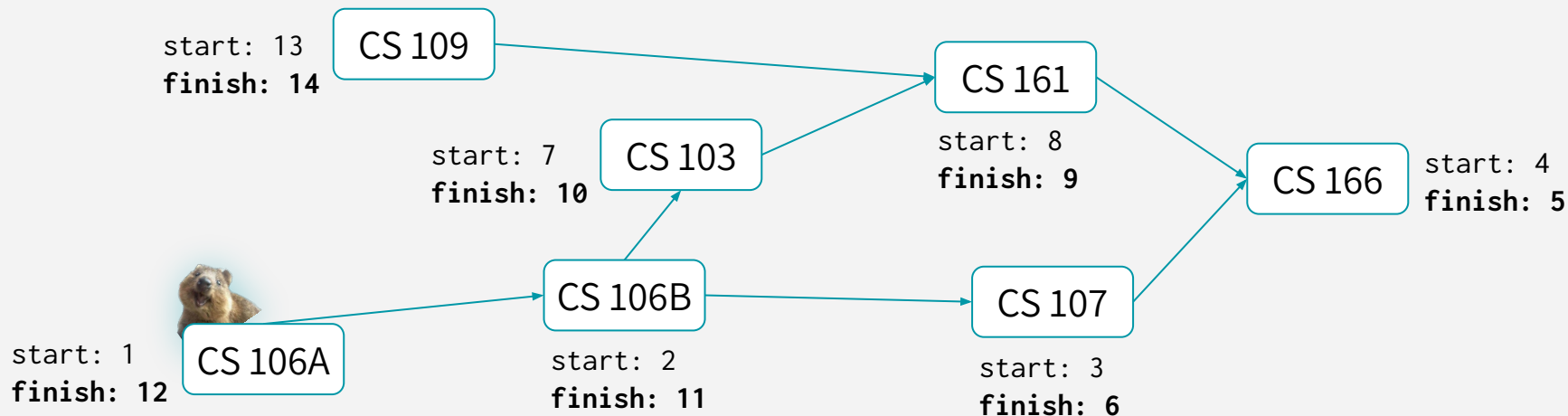
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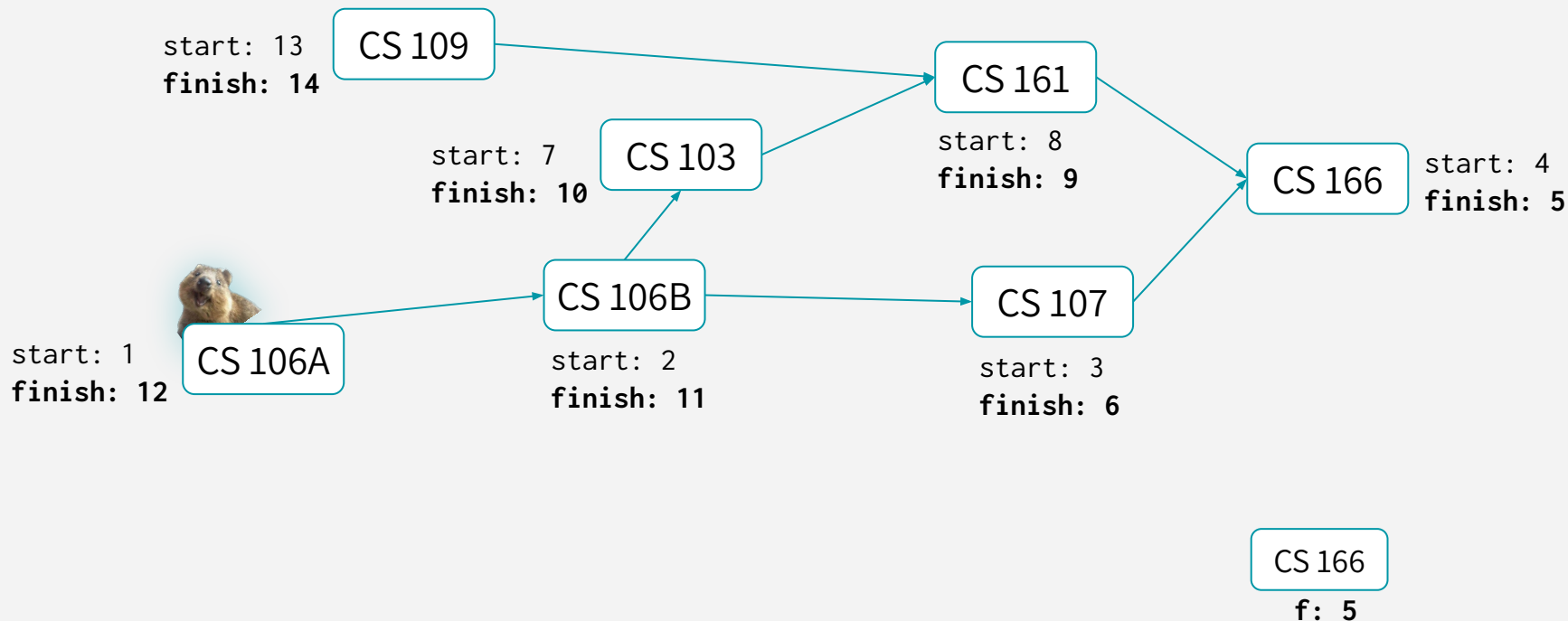
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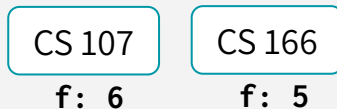
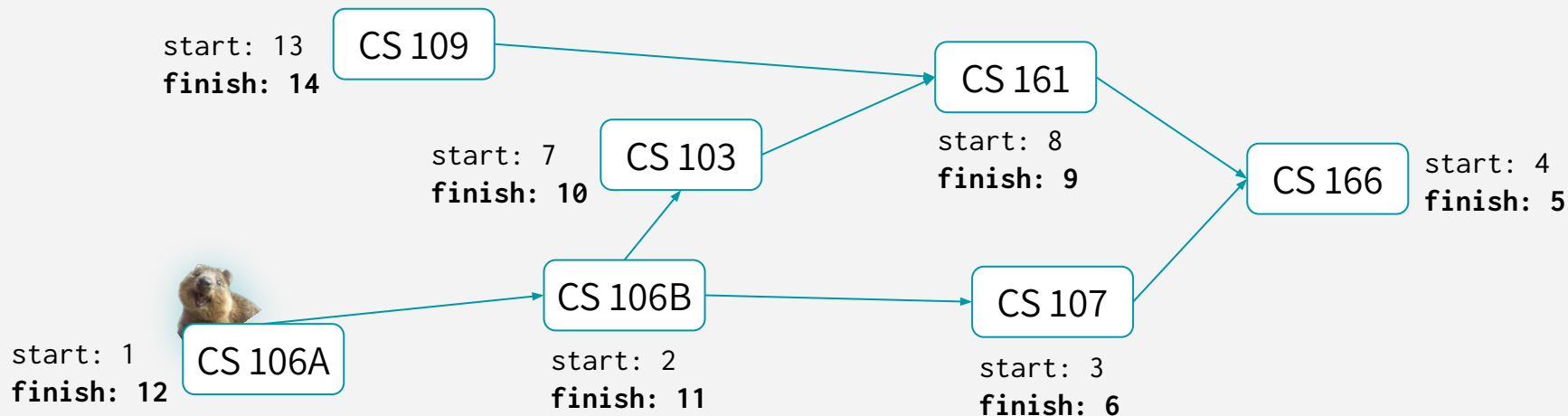
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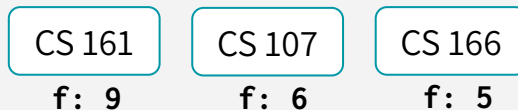
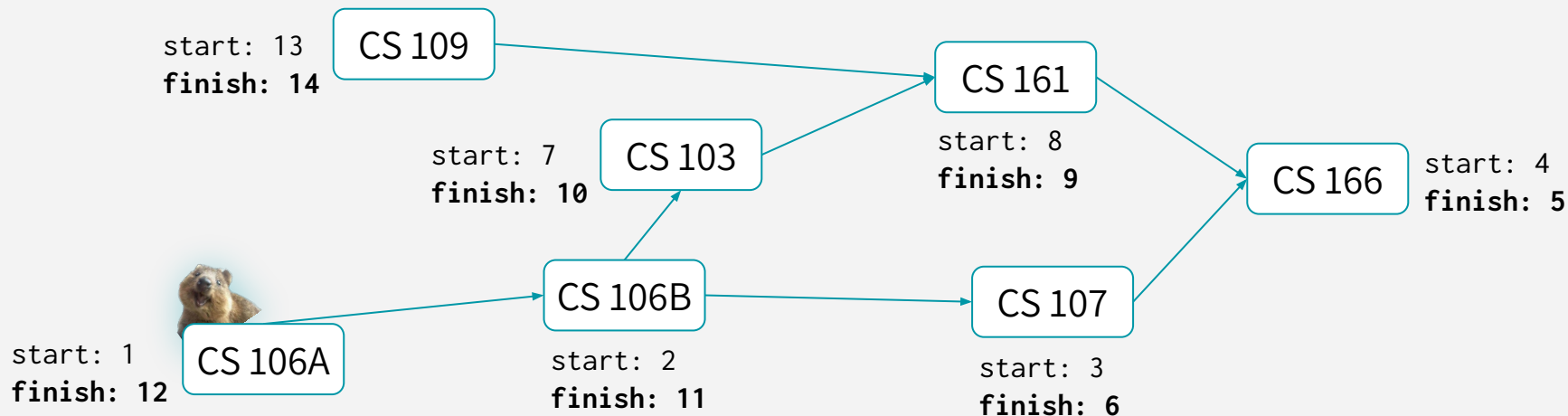
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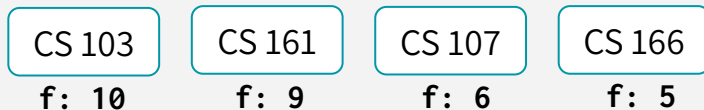
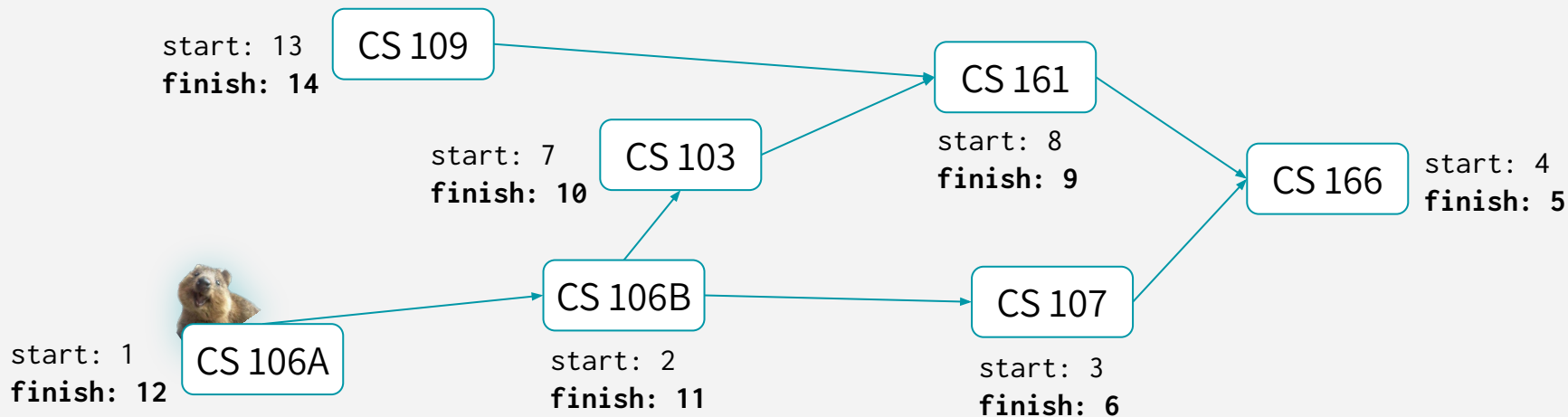
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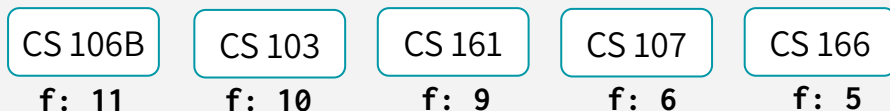
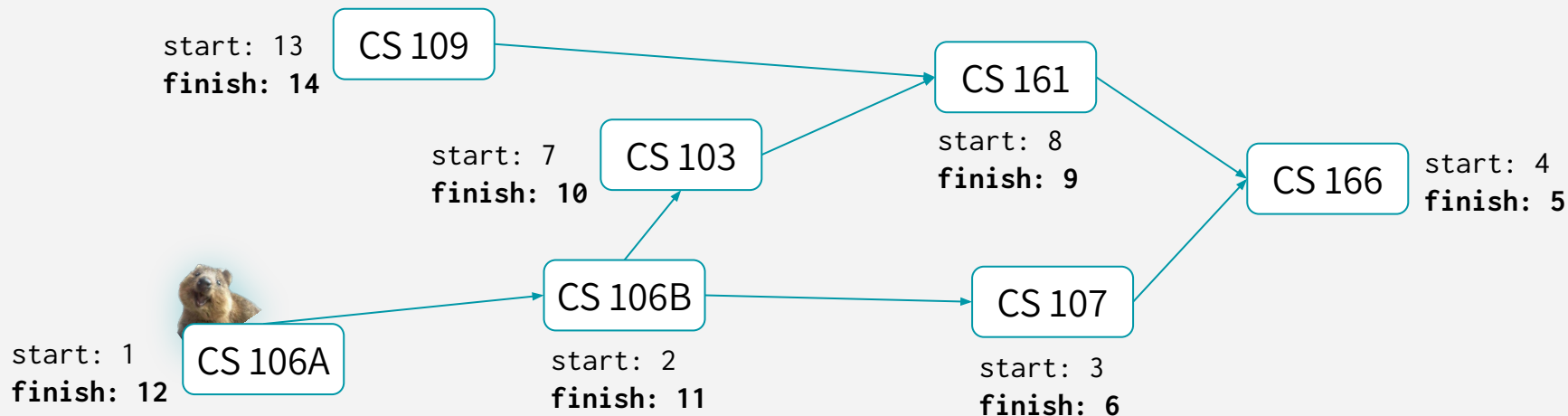
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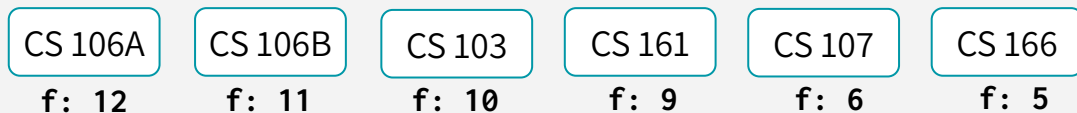
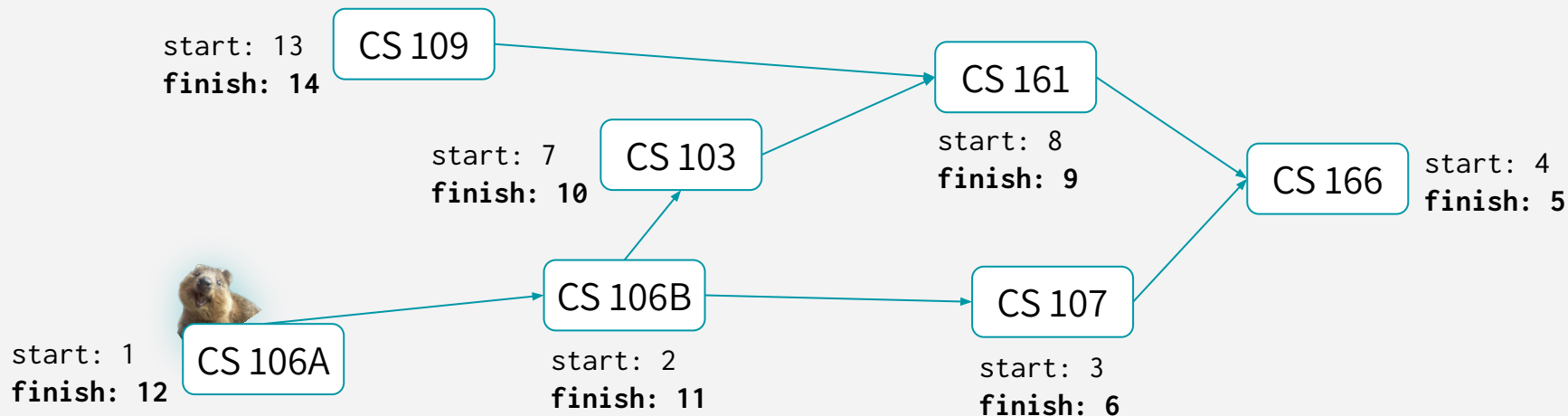
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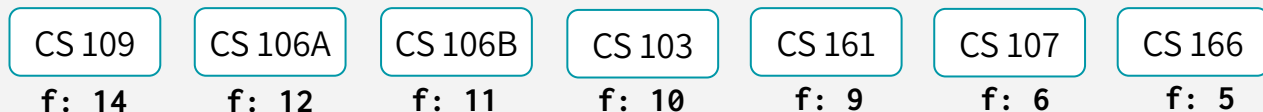
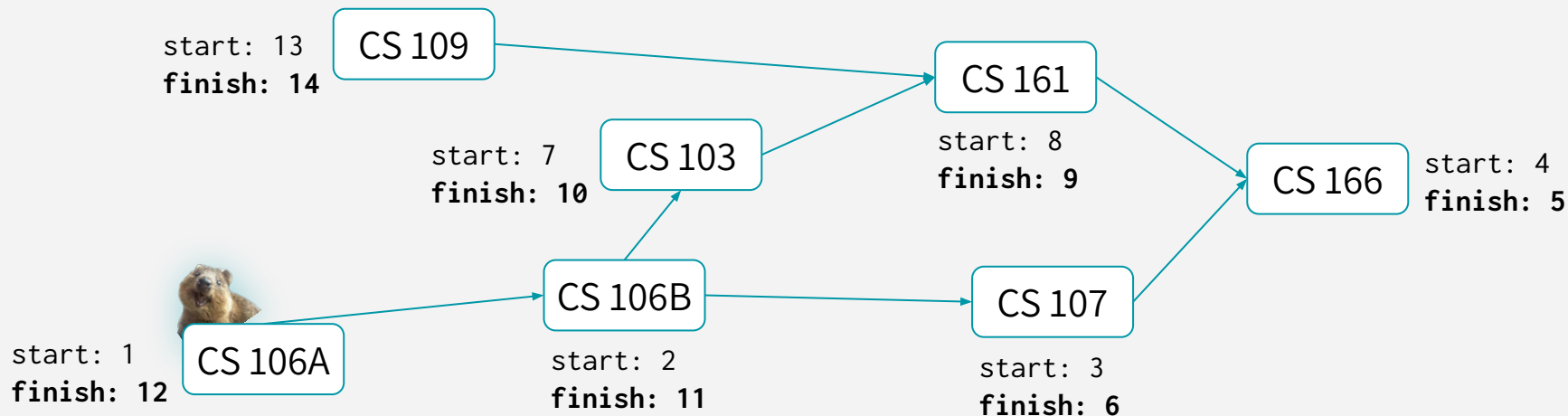
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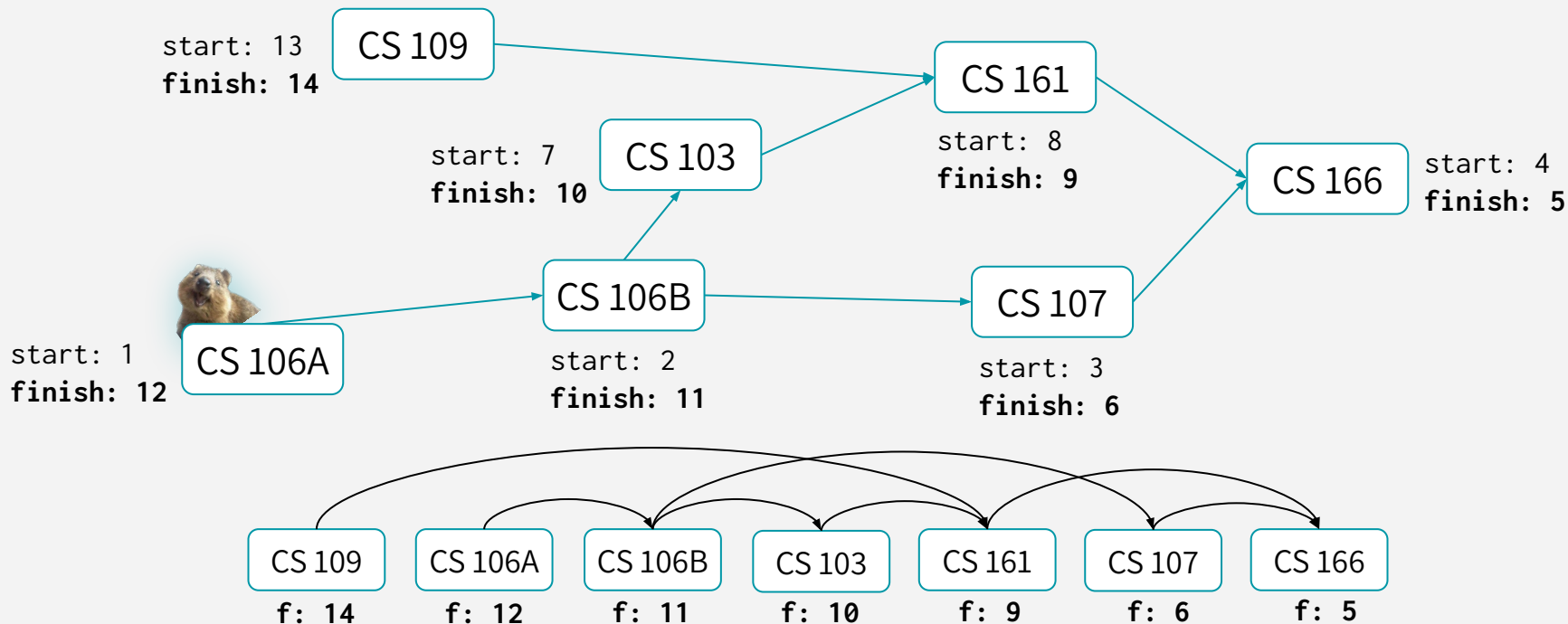
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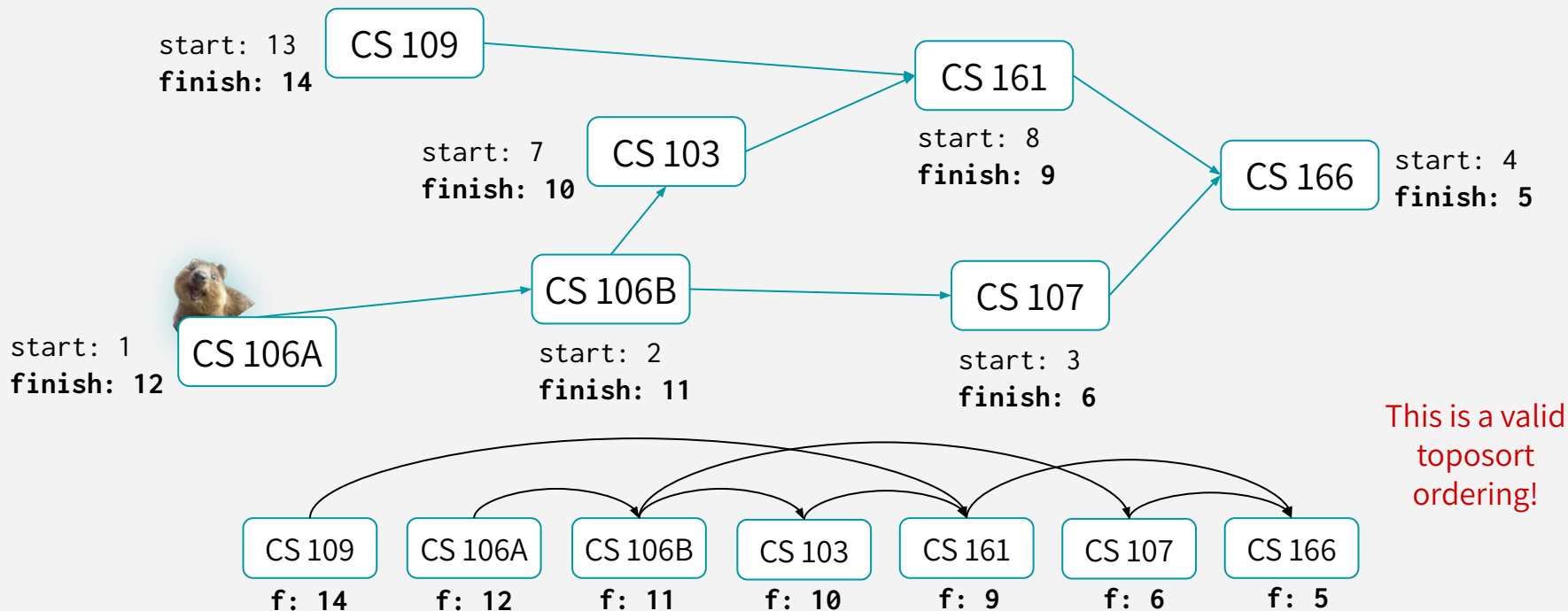
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CS 109

CS 161

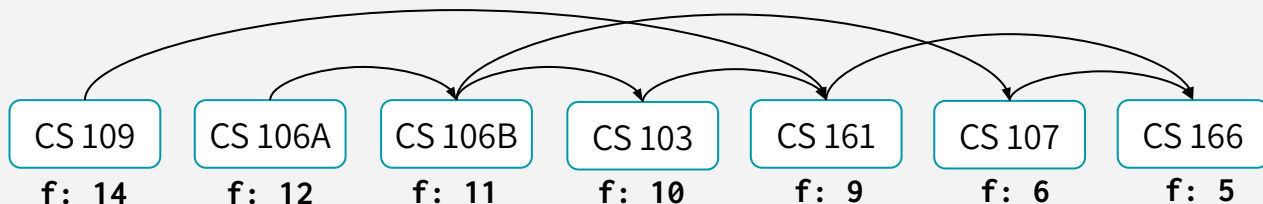
Regardless of which vertex your DFS starts, it'll get you a correct Toposort ordering of your DAG

start: 1
finish: 12

CS 106A

start: 2
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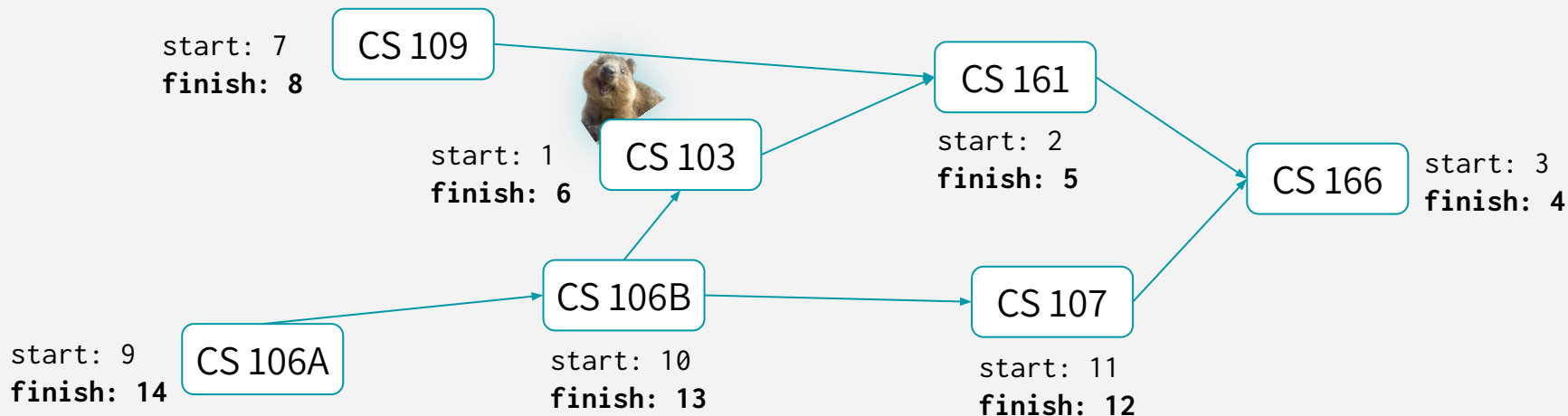
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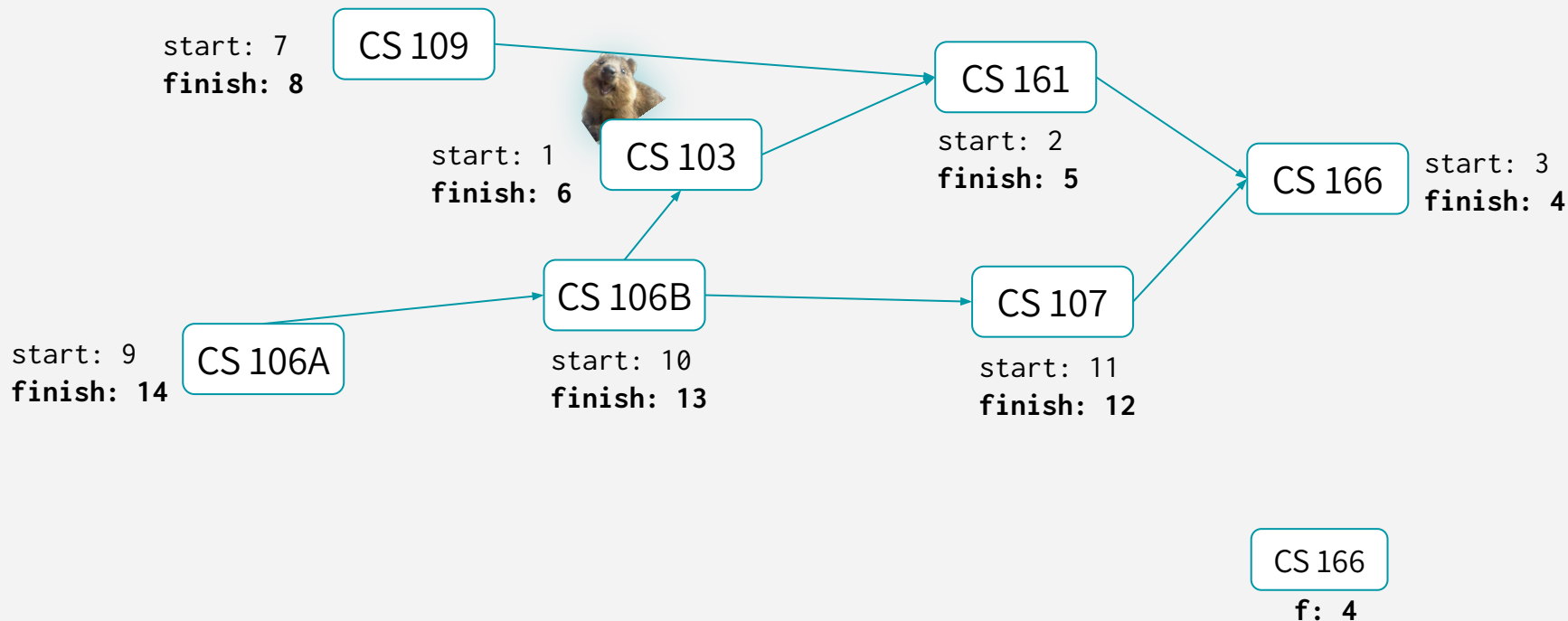
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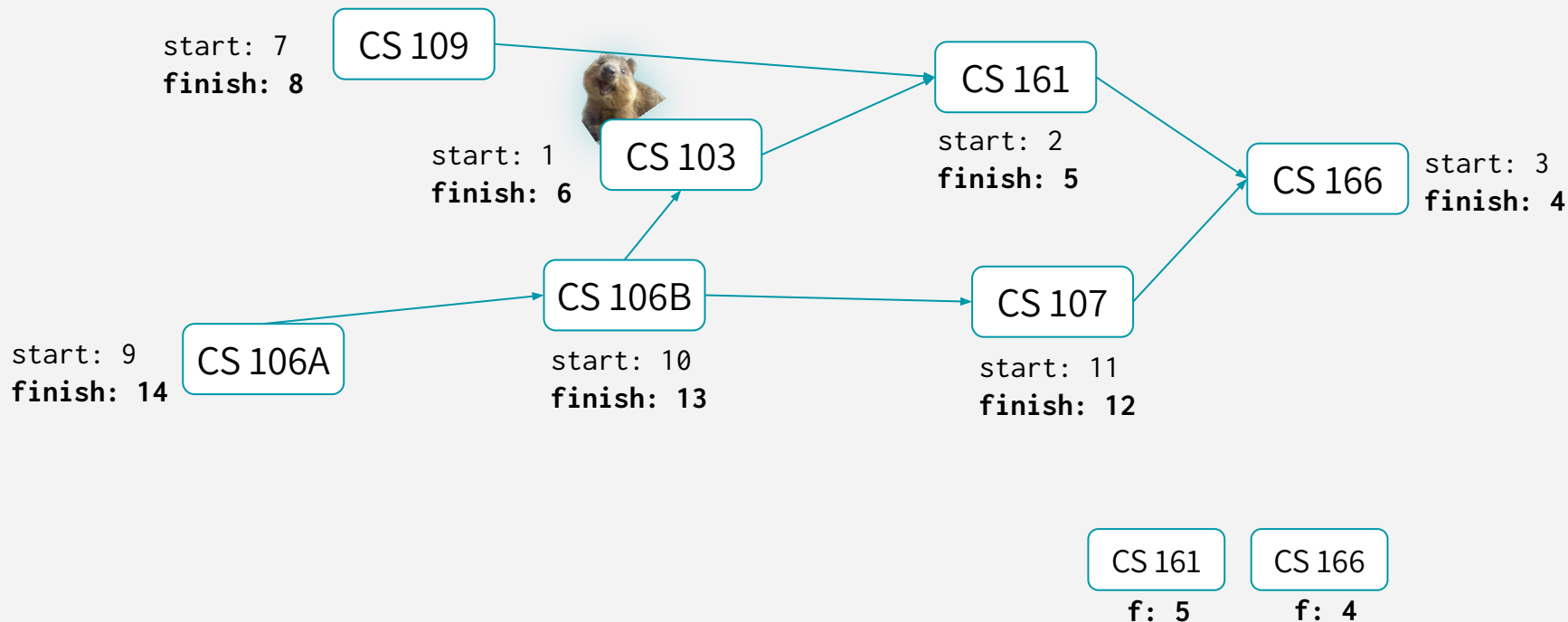
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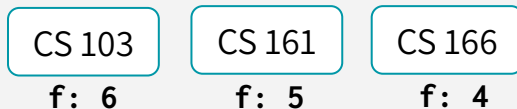
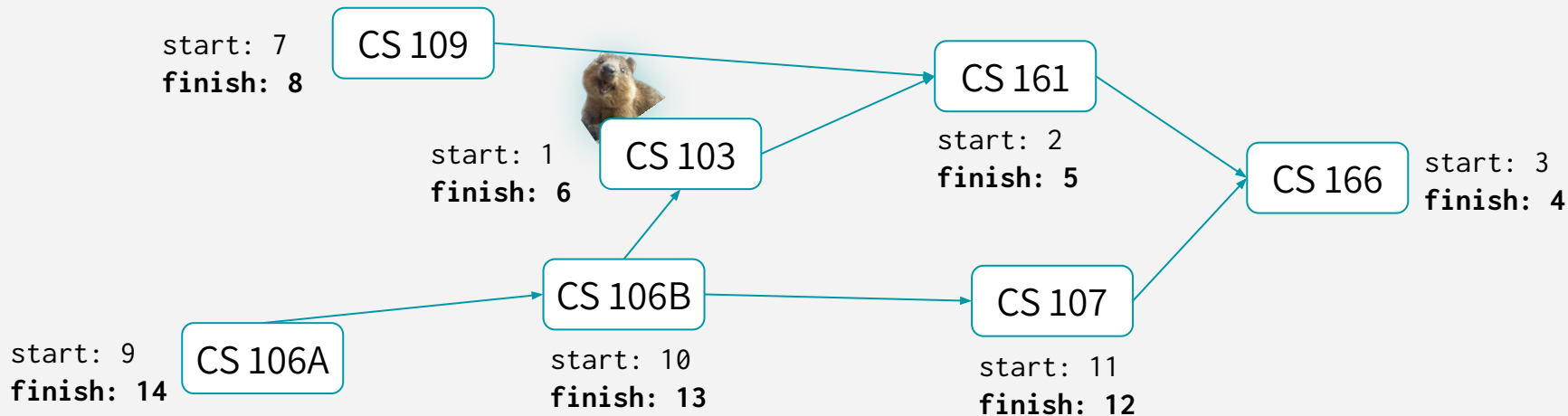
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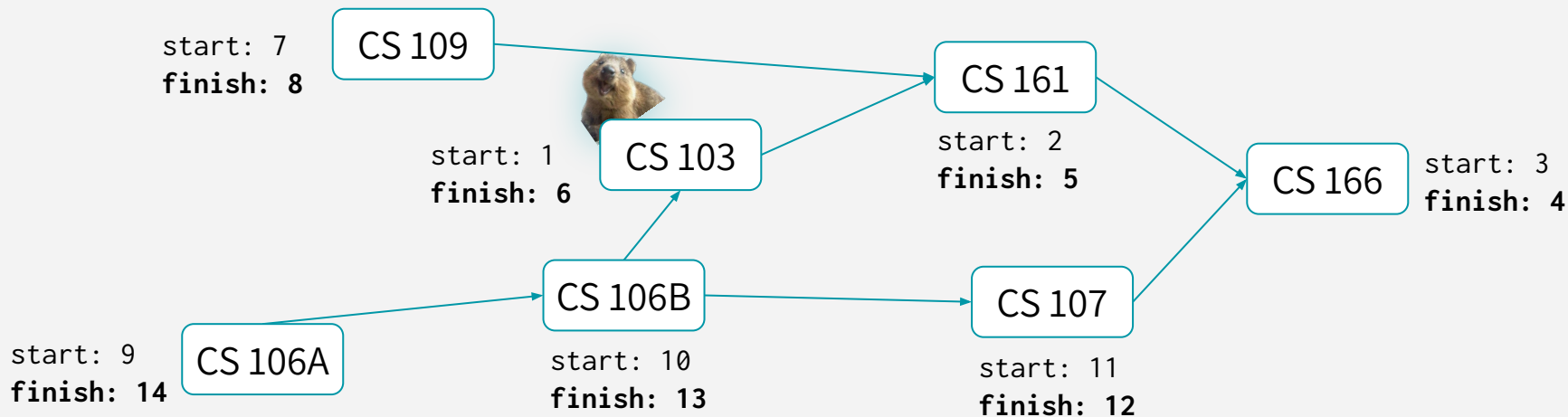
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CS 109

f: 8

CS 103

f: 6

CS 161

f: 5

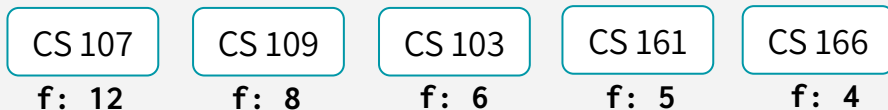
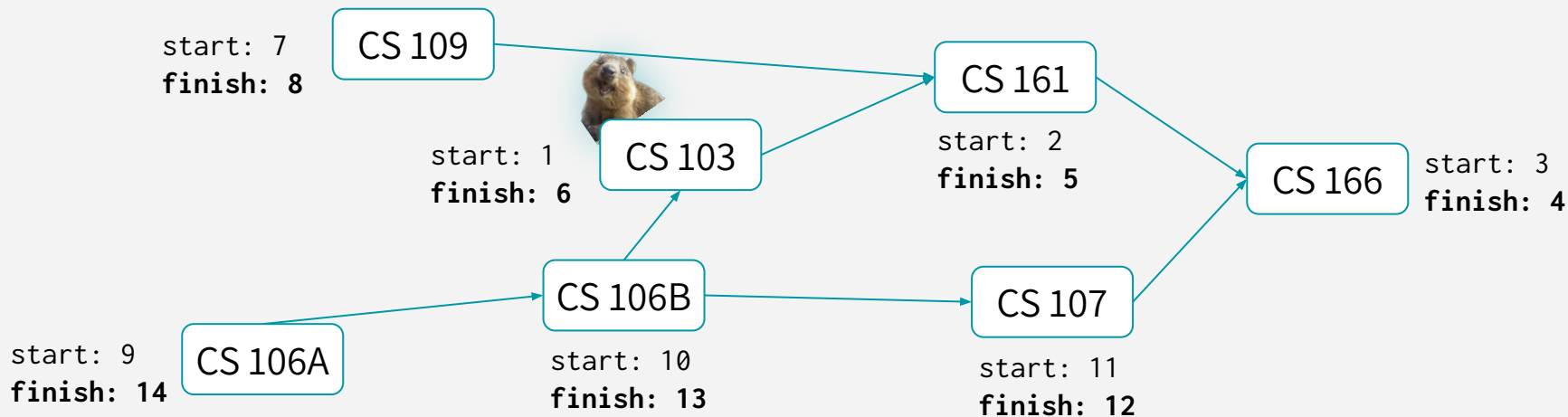
CS 166

f: 4

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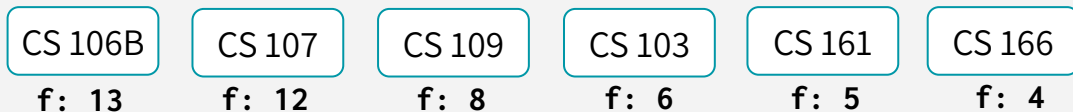
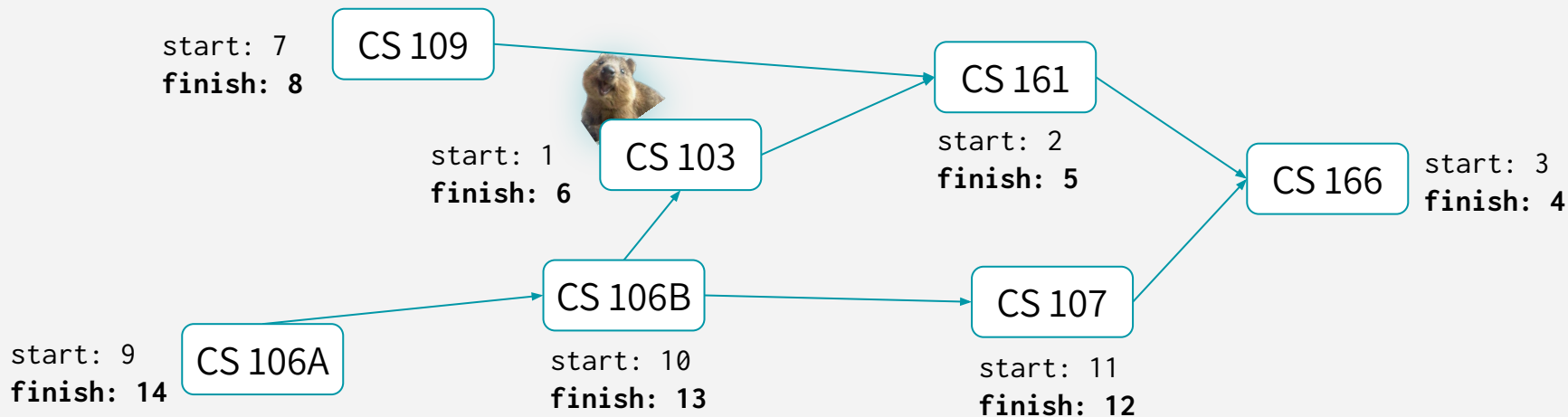
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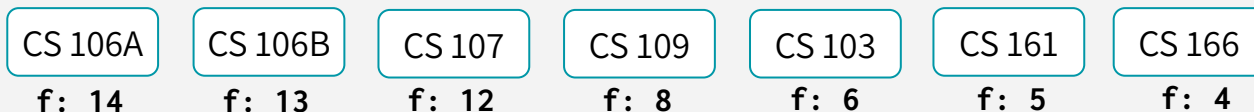
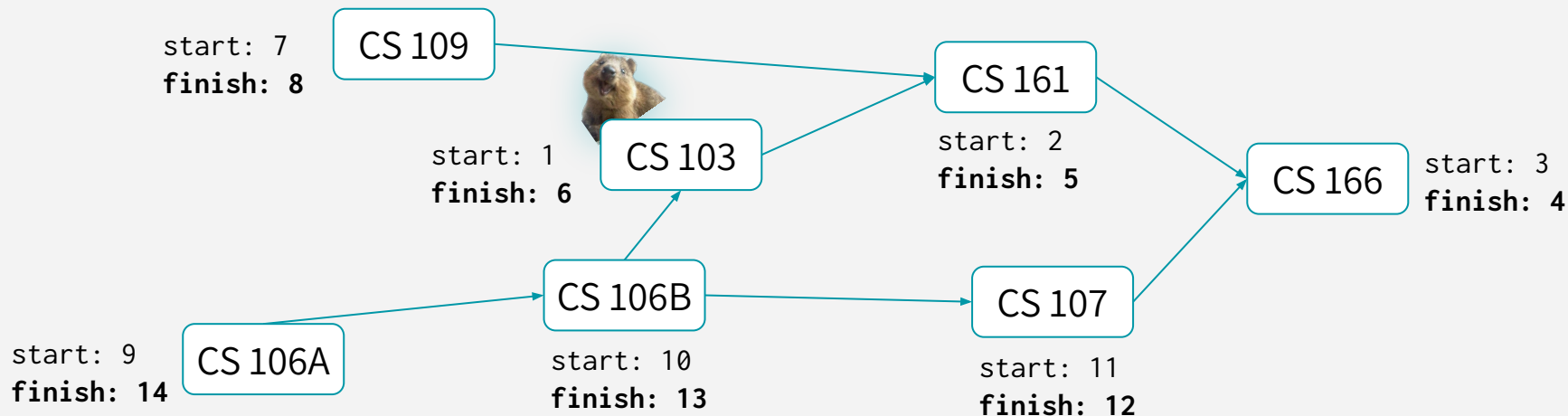
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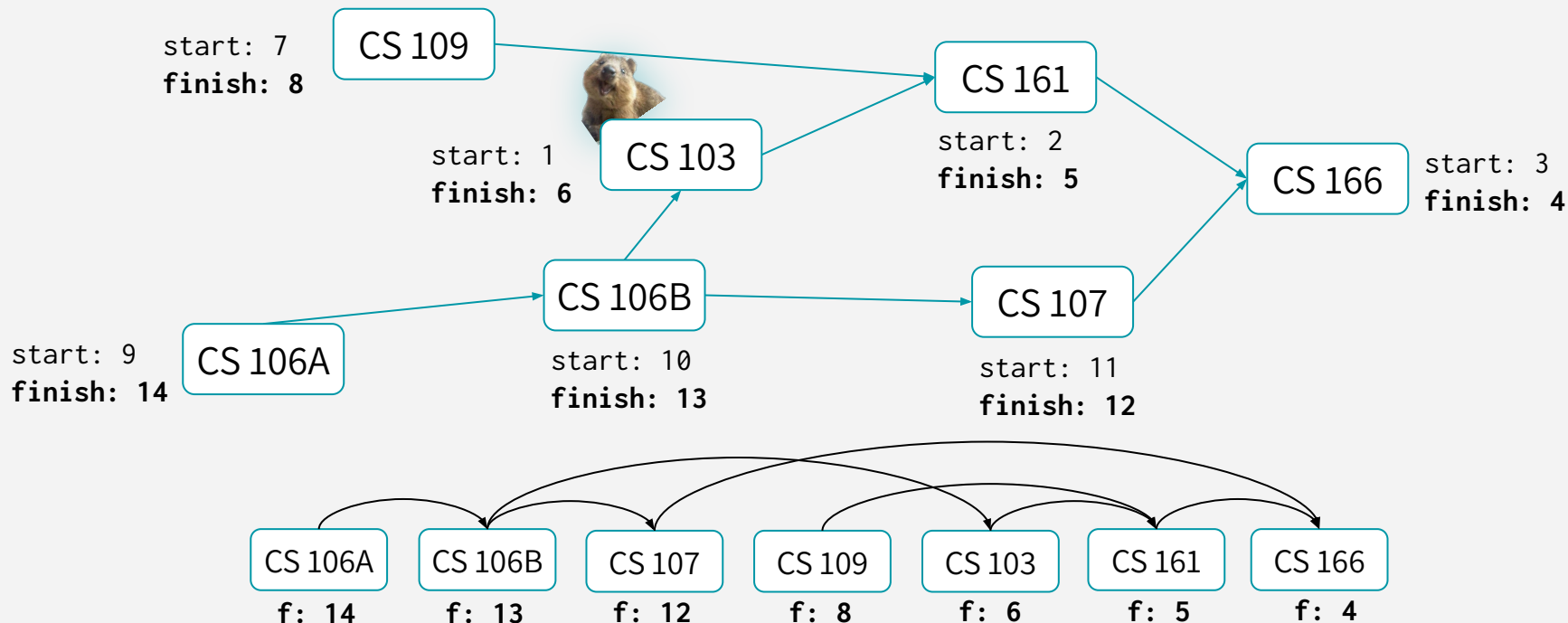
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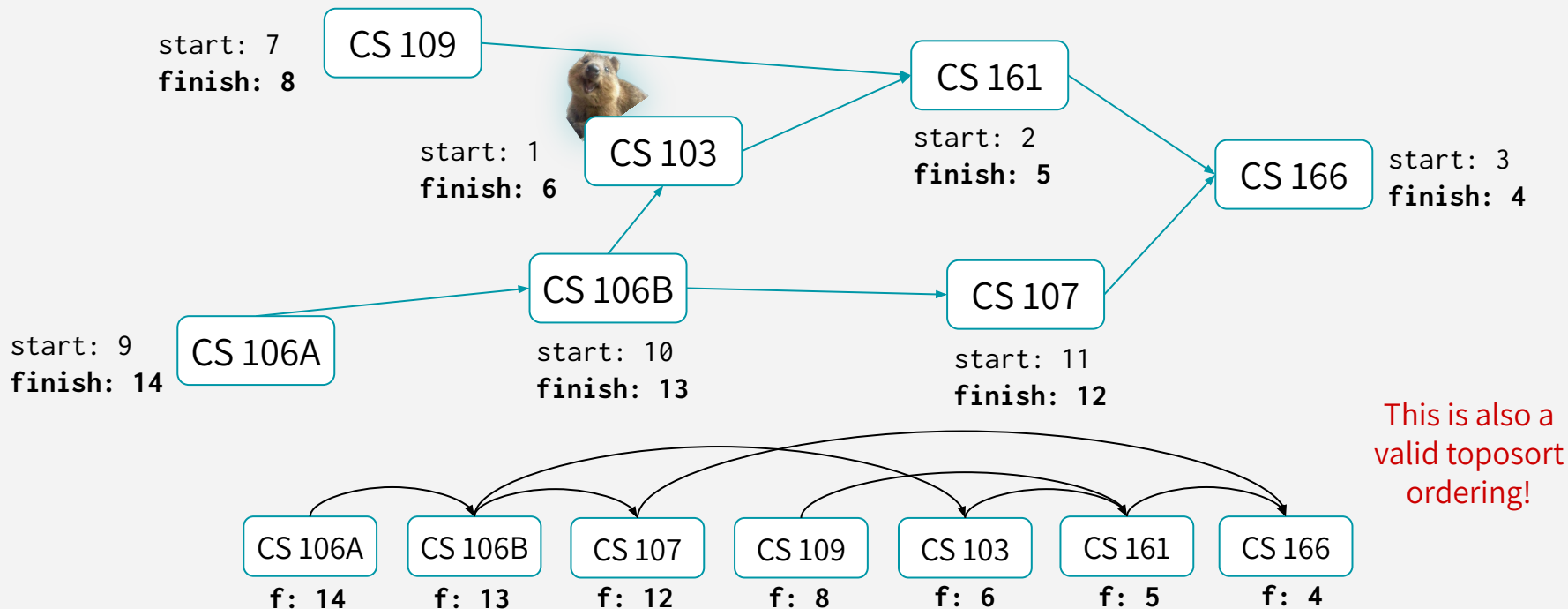
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DFS & TOPOSORT RECAP

DFS can help you solve the Topological Sorting Problem.

That's just the fancy name for the problem of finding an ordering of the vertices which respect all the dependencies.



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