

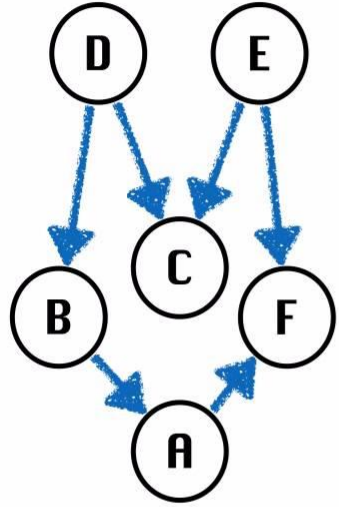
Topological Sort

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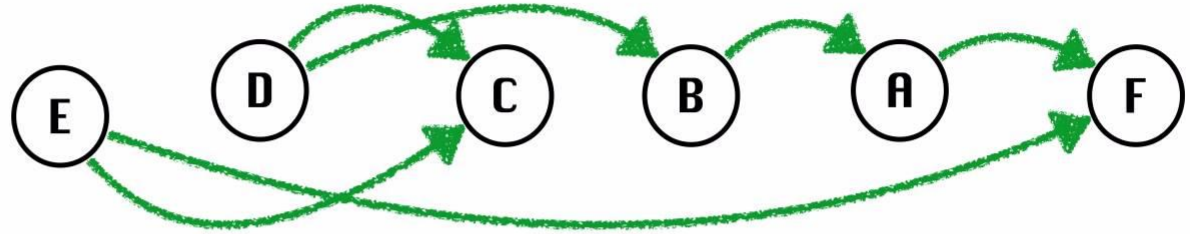
What is it?

- Ordering of vertices of a directed graph so that for every edge uv from vertex u to v , u is before v
- Every DAG has at least one topological ordering
- $O(n)$ algorithms exist

Topological Sort



Topological Sort I



Directed Graphs

- `AddDirectedEdge(u, v : Vertex)`
- `AdjacentTo(v : Vertex) : []Vertex`
- `RemoveEdge(u, v : Vertex)`
- `EdgeCount() : int`
- Keep track of degrees of Vertices
- Adjacency list is good choice.

Strategy for Contests

- Building graph should be hard part
- Once graph is built run through easy to implement algorithm

Kahn's Algorithm

```
input G # Graph to sort
local L # Contains sorted Vertices
local S # Vertices with no incoming edges
while !S.isEmpty()
    n = S.pop()
    L.append(n)
    for m in G.adjacent(n)
        G.removeEdge(n, m)
        if m.inDegree == 0
            S.push(m)
if G.edgeCount() > 0
    error # G has a cycle
return L
```

Something new

- Link to “Almost Done” solution
- <https://goo.gl/HrKlyJ>

Problem

- <https://open.kattis.com/problems/reactivity>