

Lemmas and Theorem (13/16)

- **Theorem 16.** The STRONGLY-CONNECTED-COMPONENTS procedure correctly computes the strongly connected components of the directed graph G provided as its input.

Proof. The [inductive hypothesis](#) is that the first k trees produced in [line 3](#) are strongly connected components.

Basis: When $k = 0$, trivial.

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Inductive Step: Assume that each of the first k depth-first trees produced in line 3 is a strongly connected component, and we consider the $(k + 1)$ st tree produced.

Let the root of this tree be vertex u , and let u be in strongly connected component C .

Because of how we choose roots in the depth-first search in [line 3](#), $u.f = f(C) > f(C')$ for any strongly connected component C' other than C that has yet to be visited.

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By the inductive hypothesis, at the time that the search visits u , all other vertices of C are white.

By the [white-path theorem](#), therefore, all other vertices of C are descendants of u in its depth-first tree.

By the inductive hypothesis and by [Corollary 15](#), any edges in G^T that leave C must be to strongly connected components that have already been visited.

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- ➡ No vertex in any strongly connected component other than C will be a descendant of u during the depth-first search of G^T .
- ➡ The vertices of the depth-first tree in G^T that is rooted at u form exactly one strongly connected component.

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Homework Assignment #5

Exercise 22.3-13

- TAs will announce the detailed Input/Output format in Moodle.
- Please submit your program to e-Tutor.
- Please submit your README document to Moodle.
- **Due Date: 30 May 2017.**