

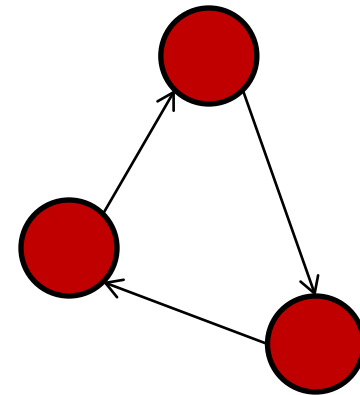
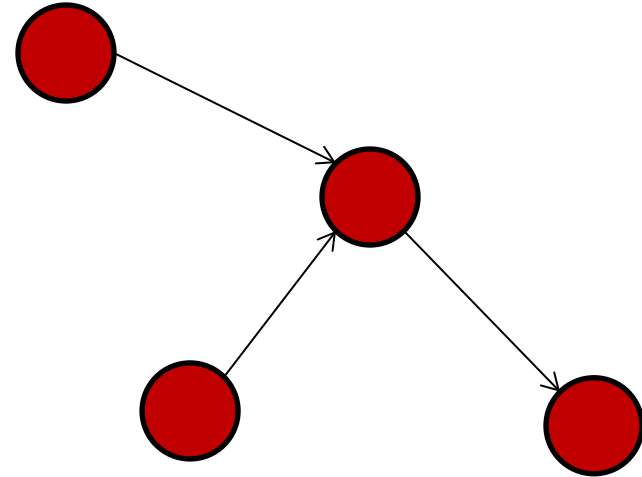
Lecture 12

Graphs and graph search

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Graphs

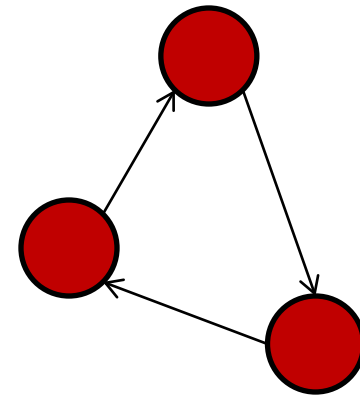
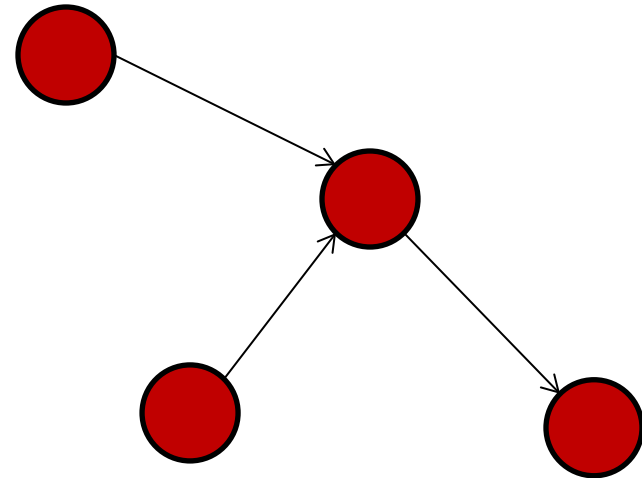
- Informally, a **graph** is a network of objects connected by lines or arrows
- The objects are called **nodes** or **vertices** and the lines are called **edges**



Graphs

Formally, a **directed graph** (or **digraph**) is a pair, $G = (V, E)$ where

- V is the set of vertices of the graph
- $E \subseteq V \times V$ is the set of edges of the graph
- $(v_1, v_2) \in E$ iff the graph has an edge (arrow) from v_1 to v_2

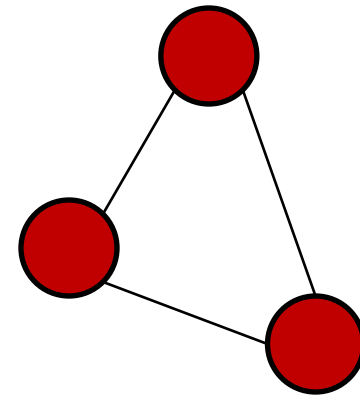
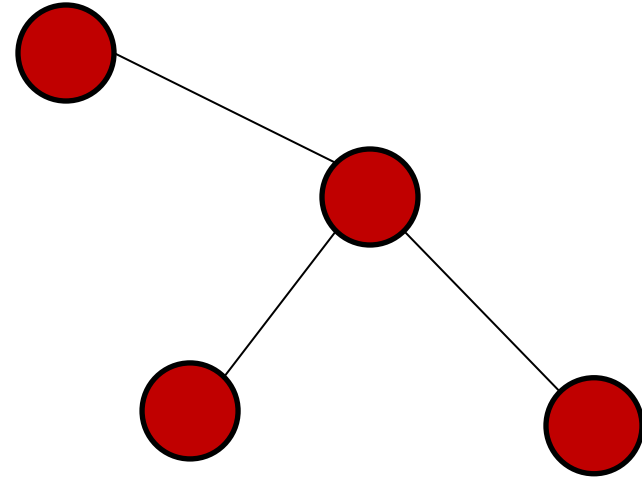


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Graphs

An **undirected graph** is the same except that

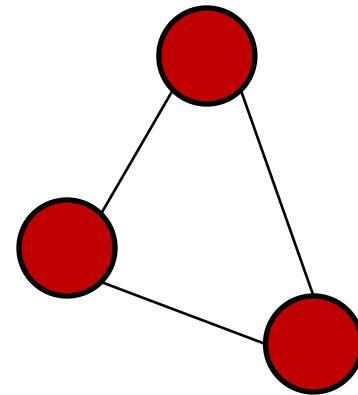
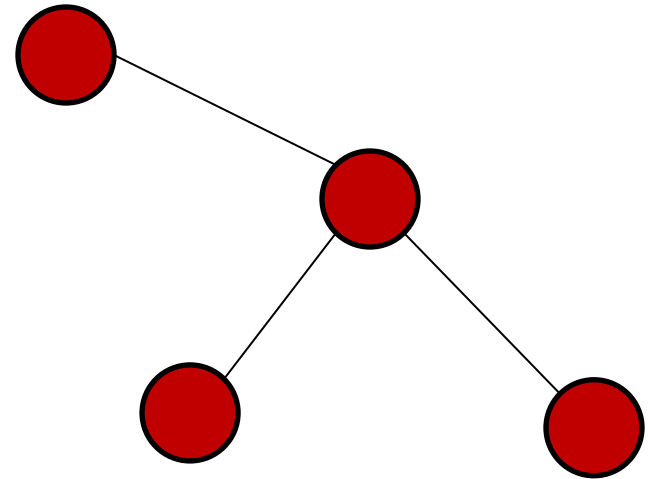
- E is a set of **two-element subsets** of V rather than a set of pairs
- $\{v_1, v_2\} \in E$ iff the graph has an edge (line) v_1 between v_2
- Undirected graphs don't distinguish between an edge from v_1 to v_2 and an edge from v_2 to v_1
 - Hence they're drawn with lines rather than arrows



Note: you can also think of an undirected graph as a symmetric relation on the vertices

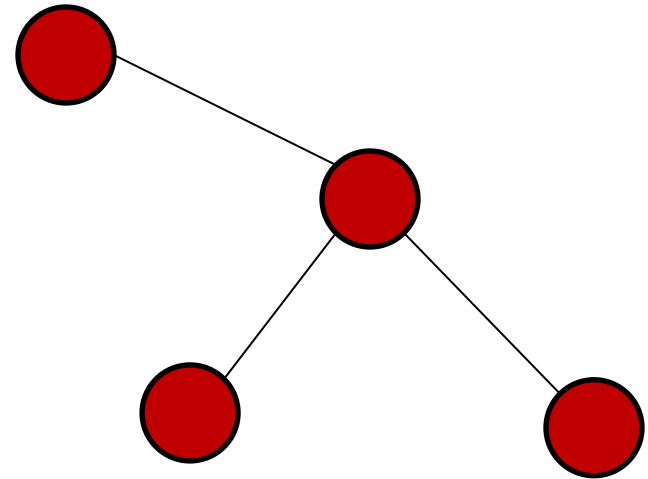
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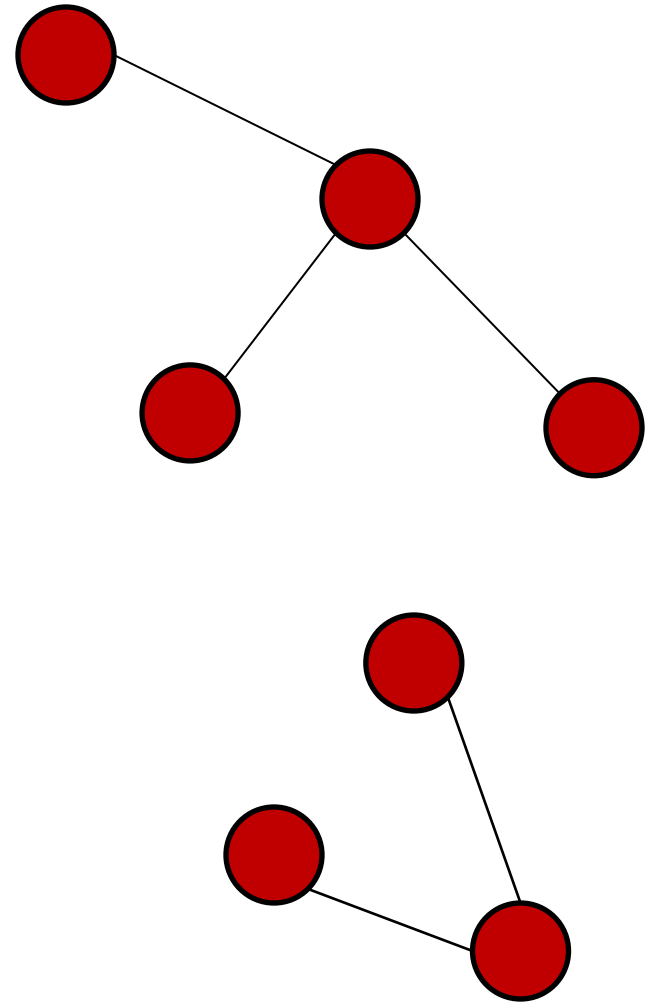
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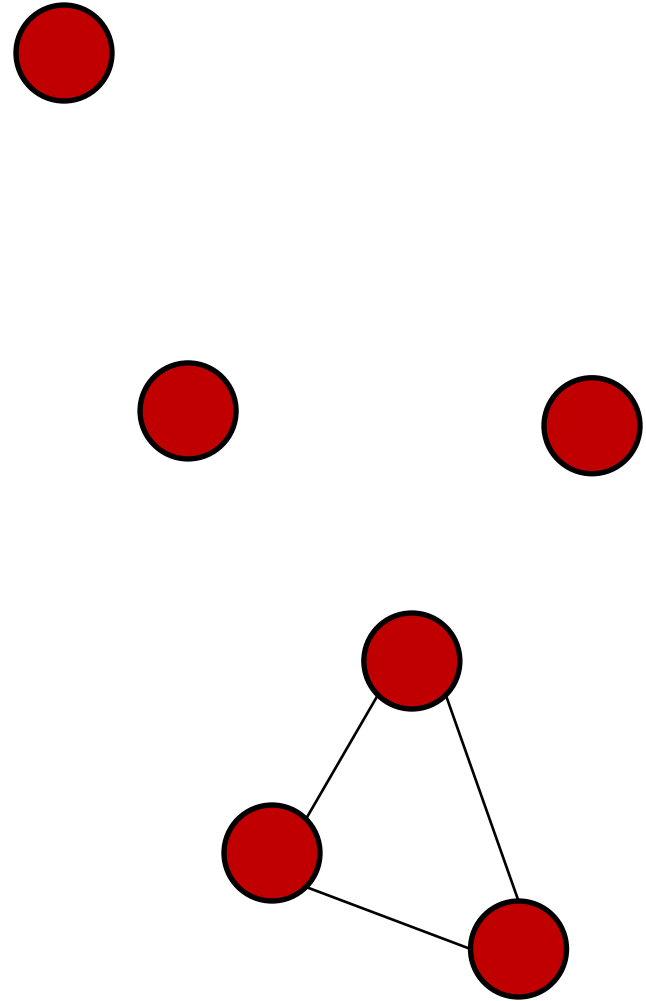
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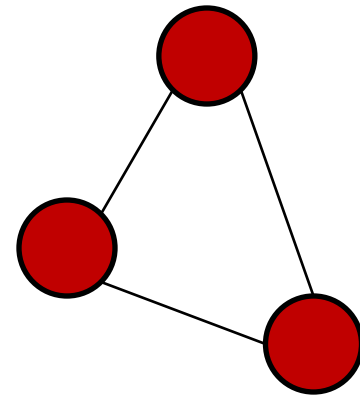
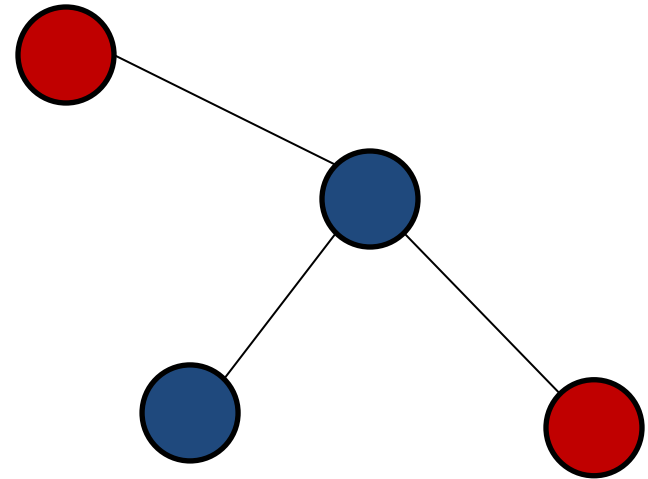
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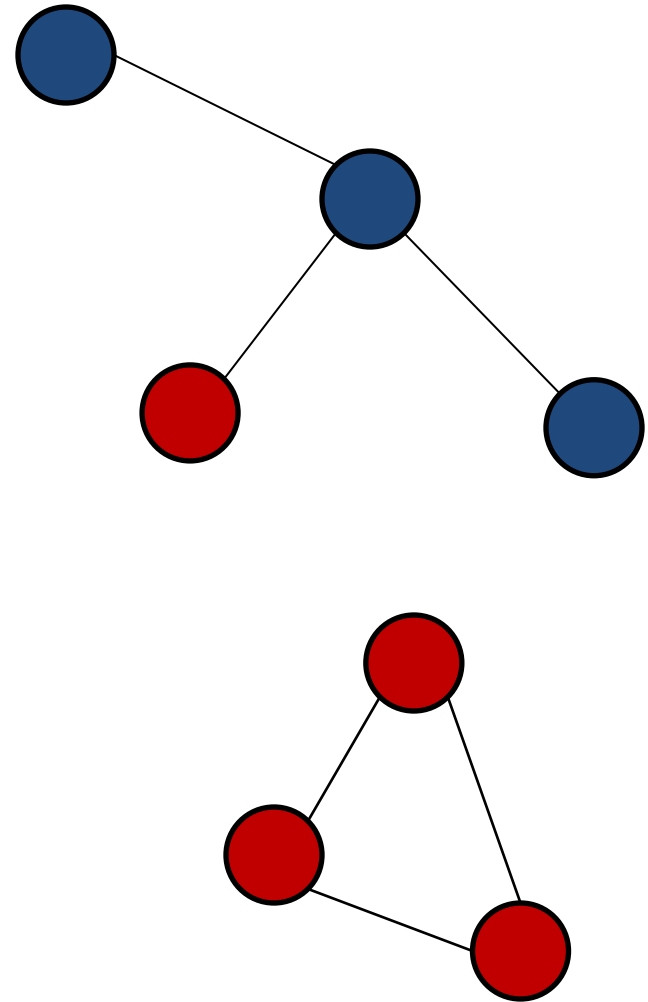
Connectivity

- Two vertices linked by an edge are said to be **adjacent**



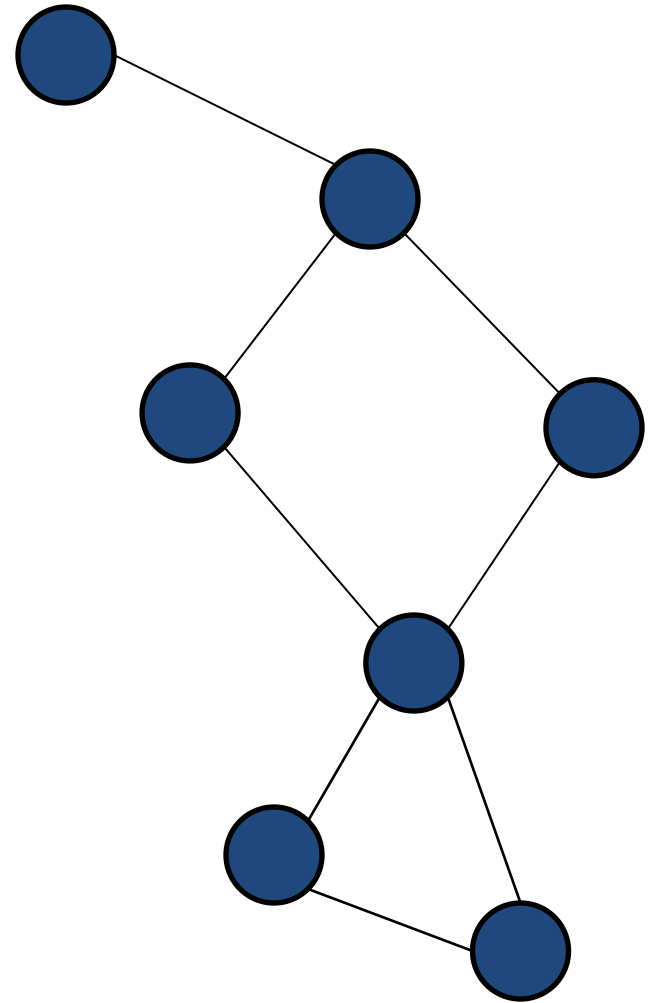
Paths

- A **path** is a series of adjacent vertices that doesn't repeat the same vertex
 - For a directed graph, the path has to follow the direction of the edges
- Two vertices are **connected**, if there is a path between them



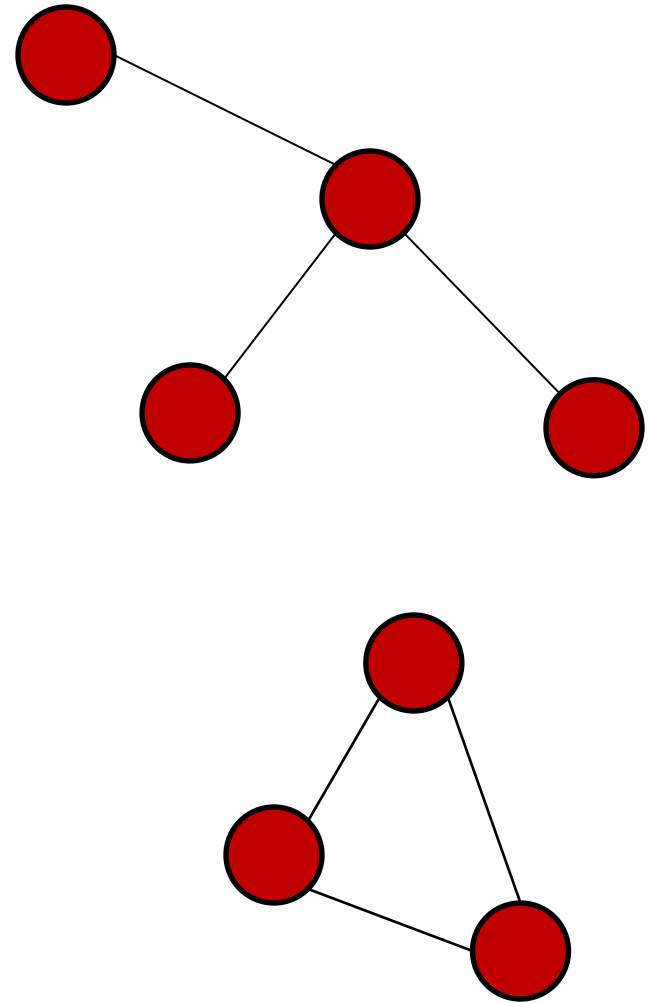
Connectivity

A graph is **connected** if every vertex in the graph is connected to every other vertex



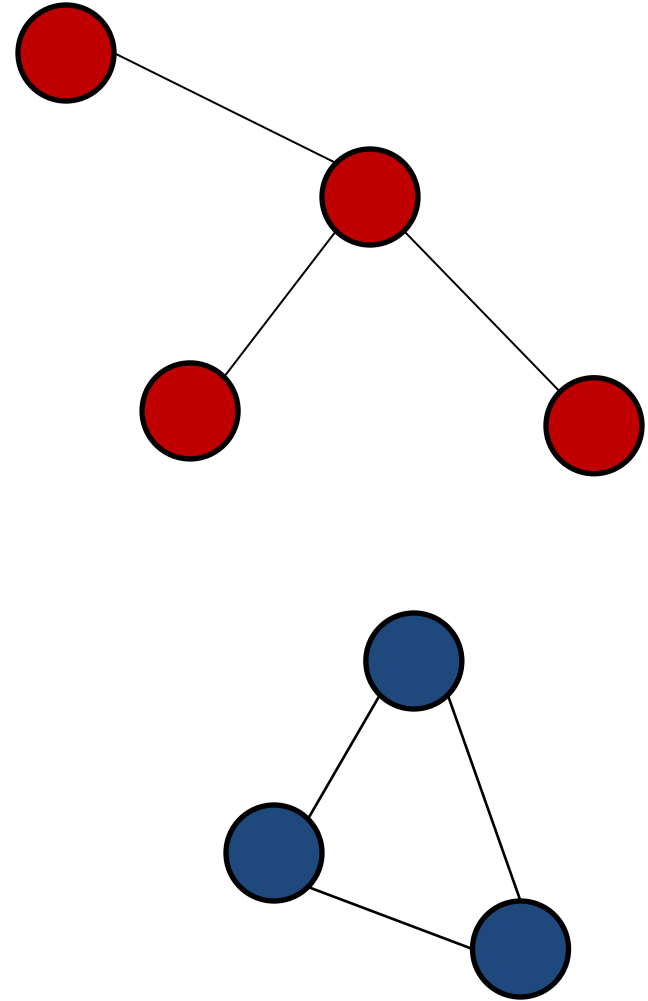
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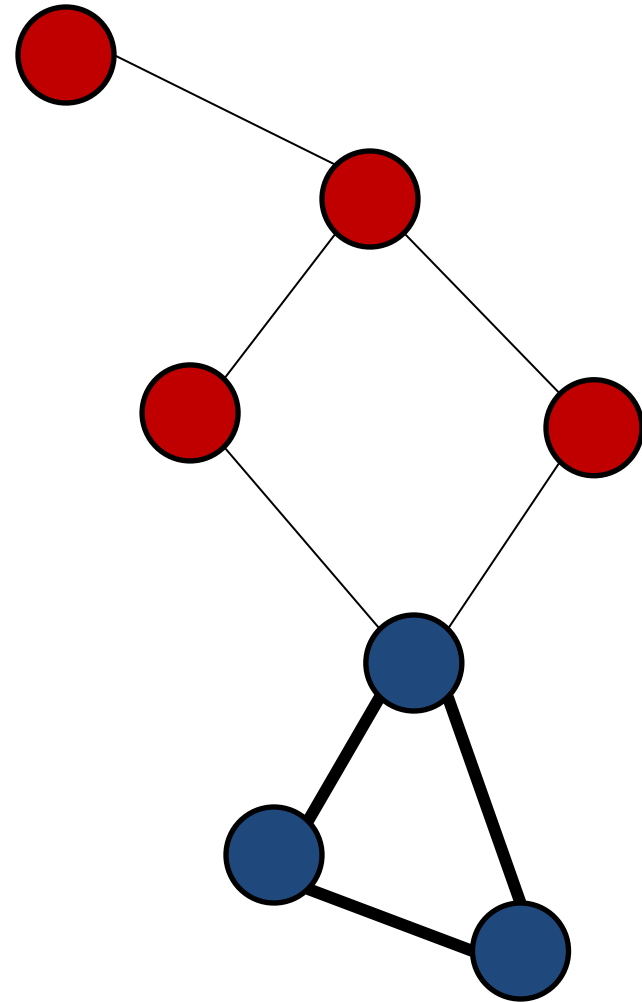
Connected components

- Not all graphs are connected
- The connected components of a graph of the **largest subgraphs** of the graph you can form that are themselves connected



Cycles

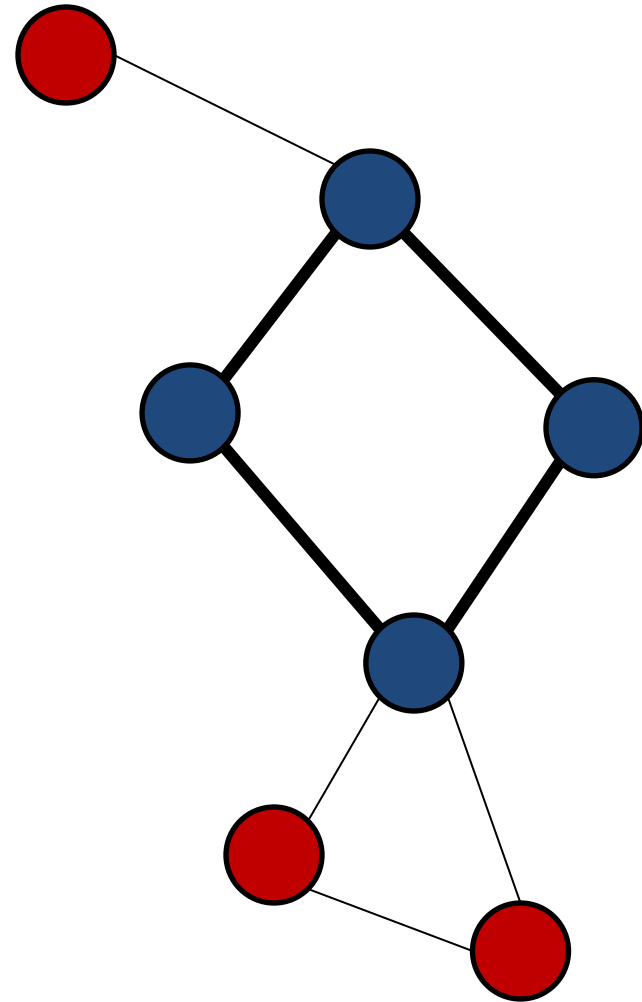
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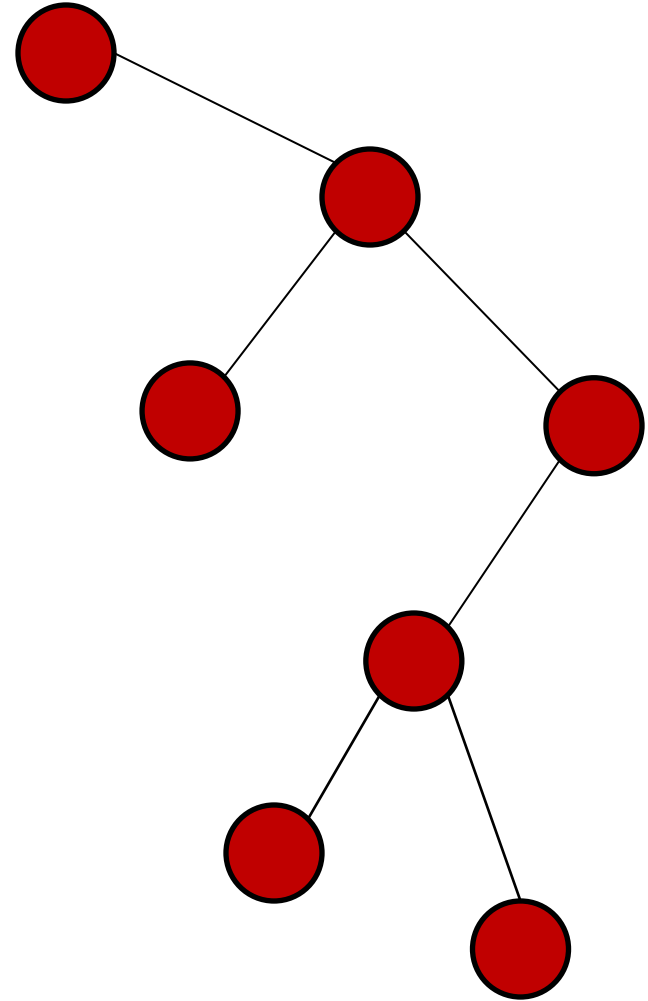
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(This graph has 2 cycles)



Trees

- A **tree** is a graph in which any pair of nodes has exactly one path between them

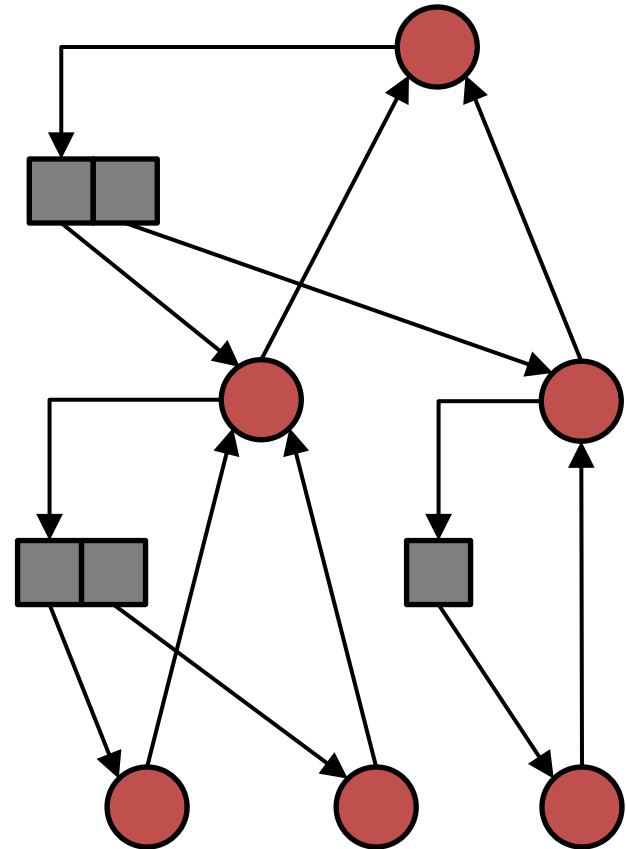


General representation of trees

- Each tree **node is an object**
 - (Red circles)
- Each node object contains
 - **Parent**
 - (Upward arrows)
 - List of **children**
 - (Grey boxes)
 - linked list, array, whatever
 - **Anything else** you want to remember about the node

Child list

Child lists

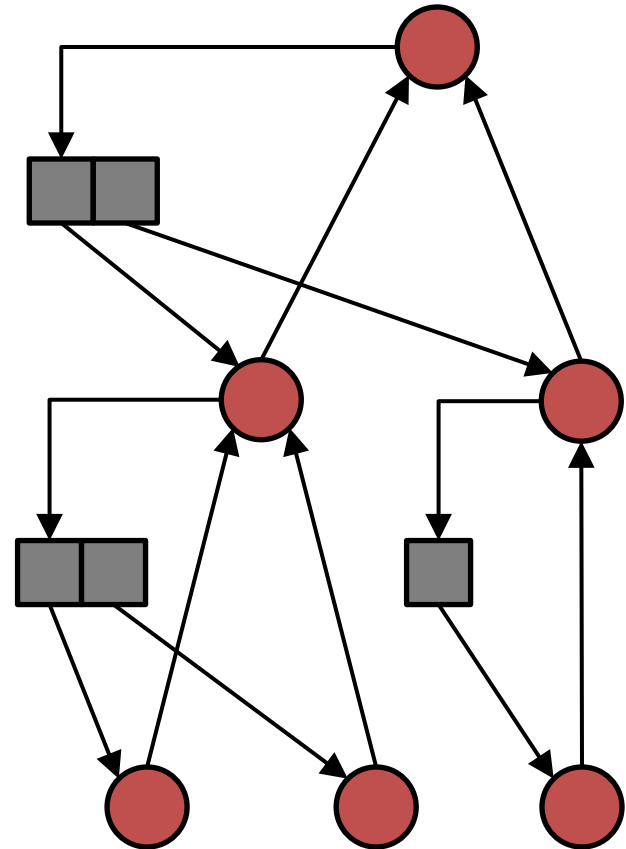


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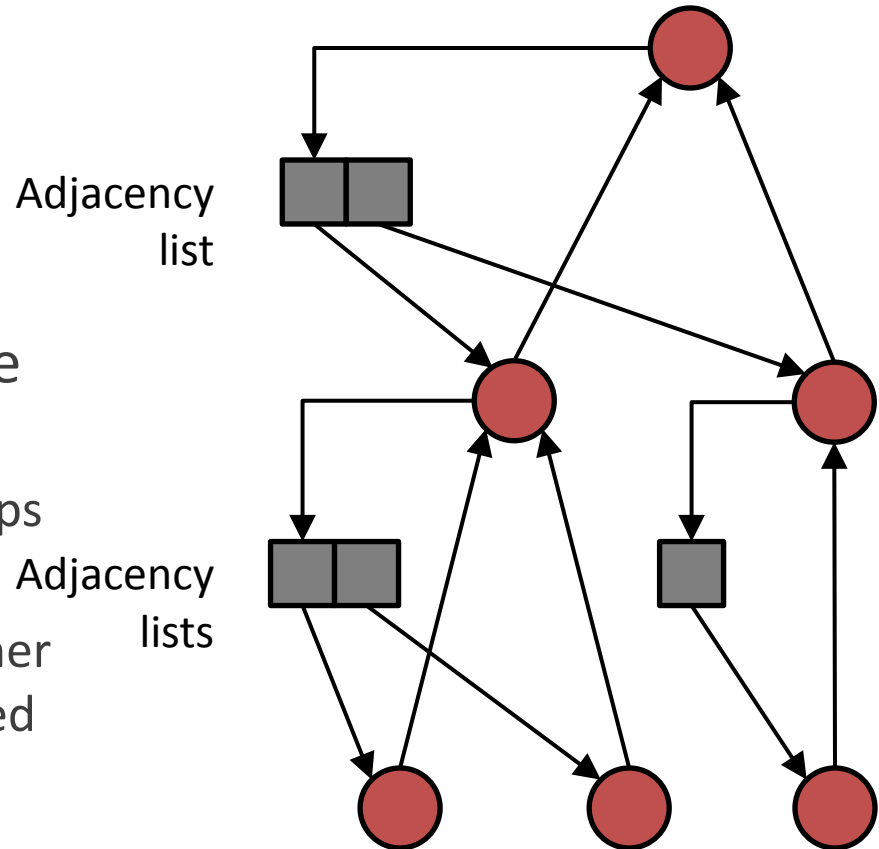
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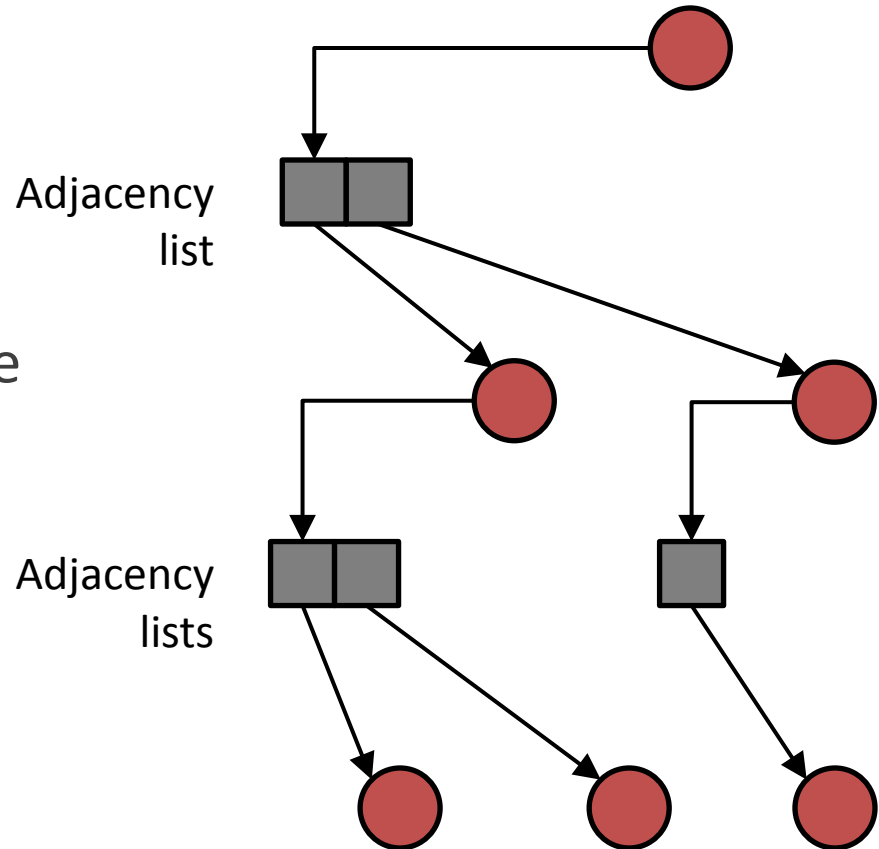
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 - Just “**adjacency**” relationships, i.e. whether two nodes are connected



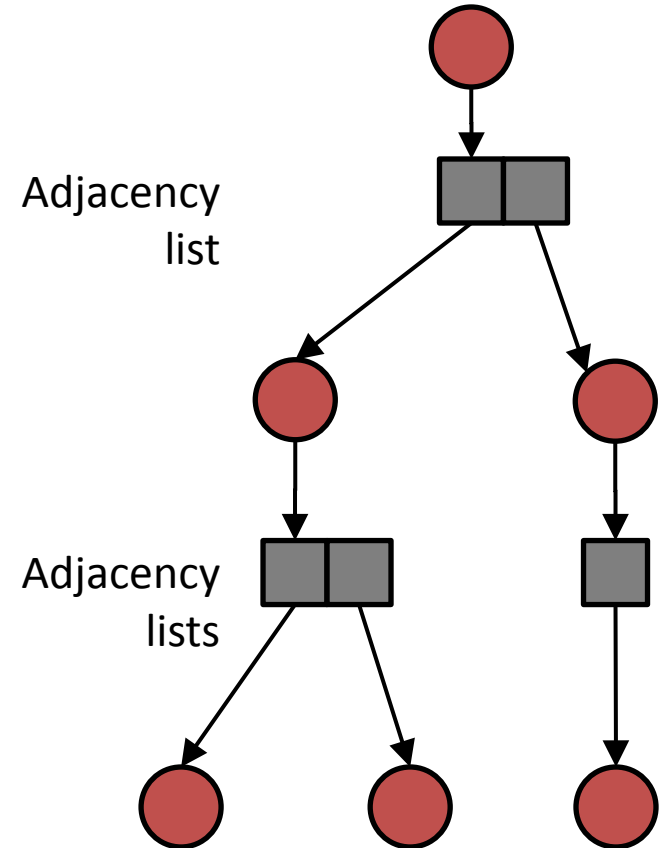
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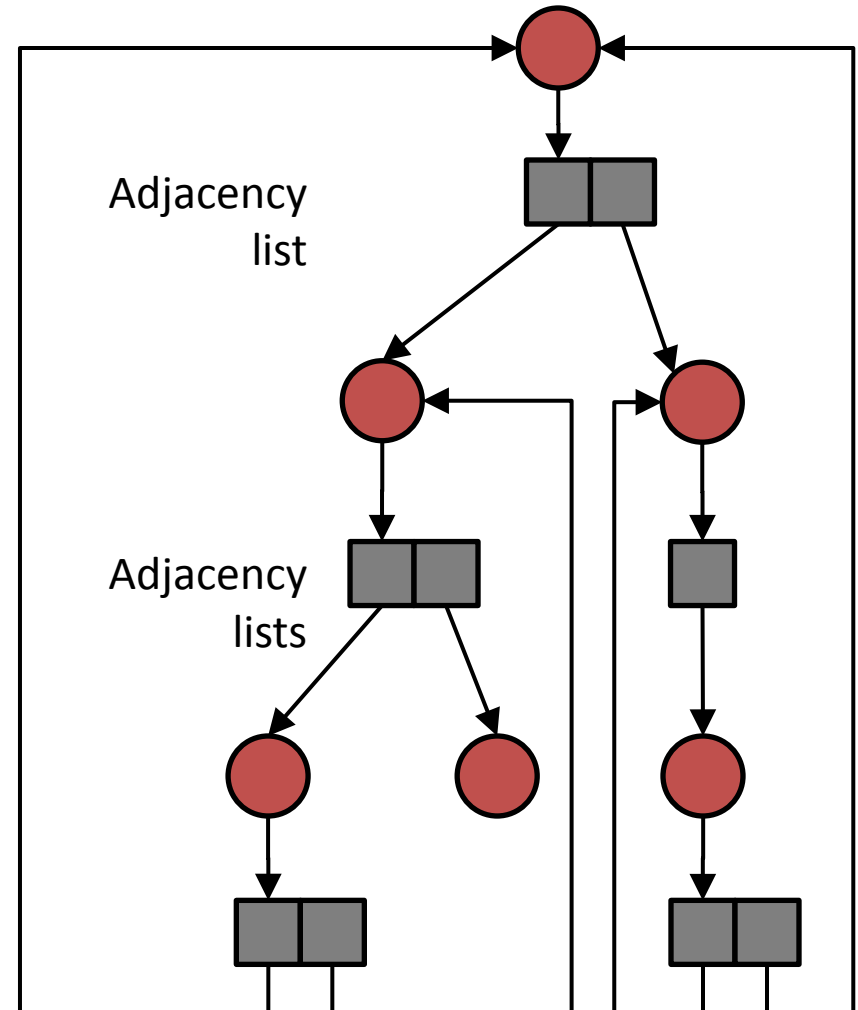
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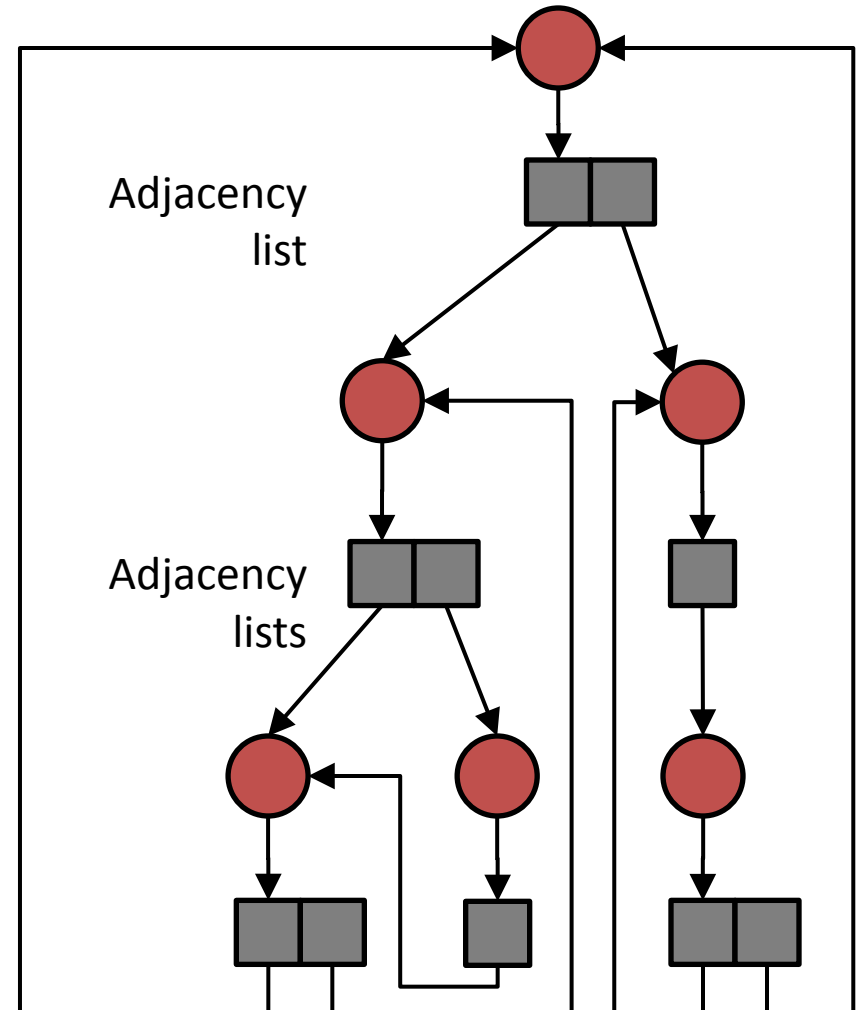
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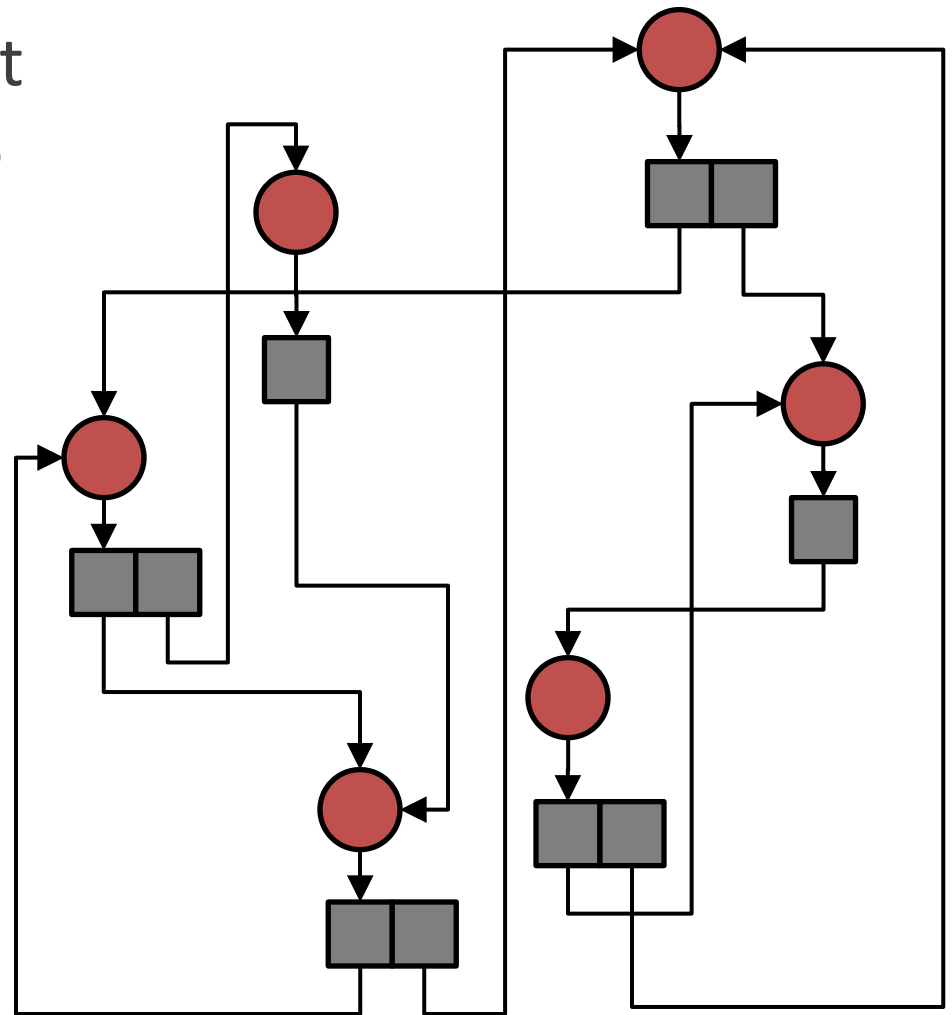
General representation of graphs

- Graphs don't have the **special properties of trees**
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 - Nodes don't have a distinguished **parent** node
 - Can have **cycles**
 - Or other **complicated topologies**



General representation of graphs

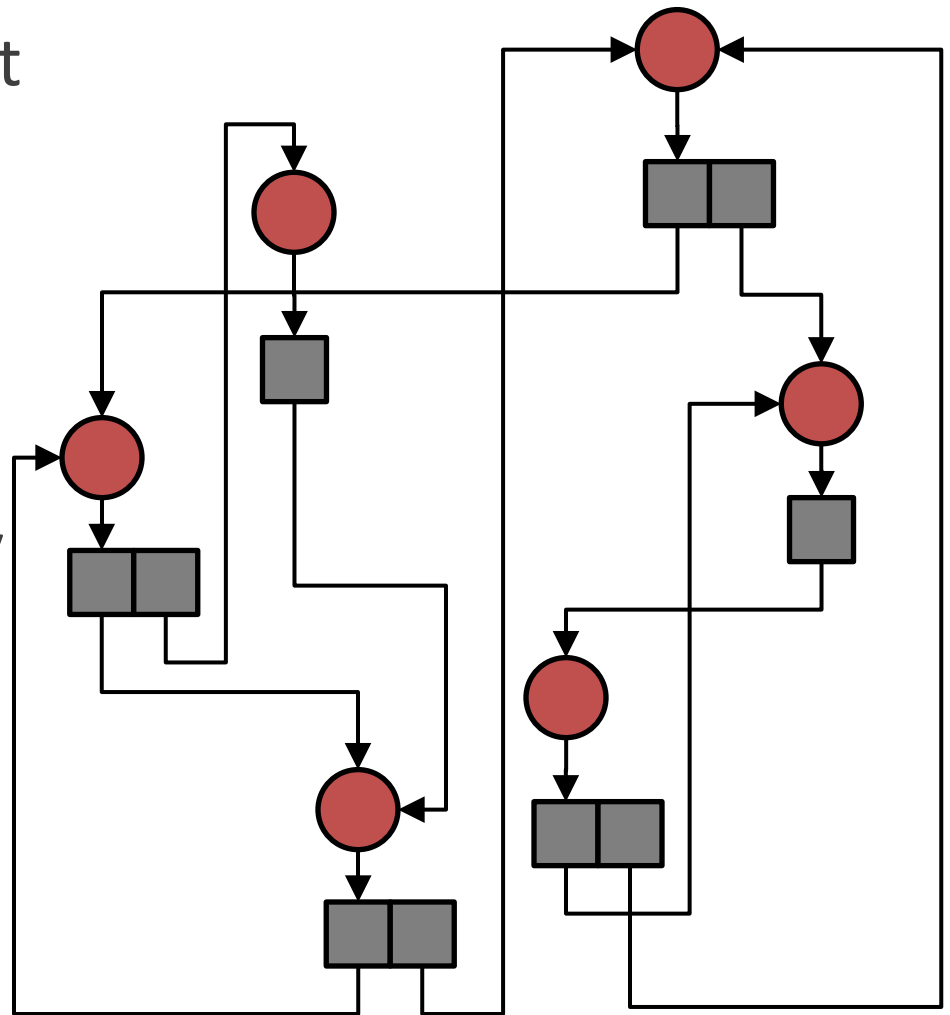
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Same graph

General representation of graphs

- And we don't think of it as being organized into **levels**
- But we otherwise tend to represent them very **similarly** to trees



Same graph

Adjacency list representation

- For the most part, graph representations should be **pretty obvious**
 - Each **node lists the nodes its connected to**
- This is called an **adjacency list** representation
 - **Linked lists** are often used

```
class GraphNode {  
    AdjListCell first;  
}
```

```
class AdjListCell {  
    GraphNode node;  
    AdjListCell next;  
}
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 - But **arrays** or any other sequence representation can be used for the adjacency lists themselves

```
class GraphNode {  
    GraphNode[ ] adjacent;  
}
```

Array of adjacency lists

- The CLR book uses a specific graph representation
 - **Number all the nodes**
 - **Array of adjacency lists**, indexed by node number
- Adjacency list of node i is stored in $adj[i]$

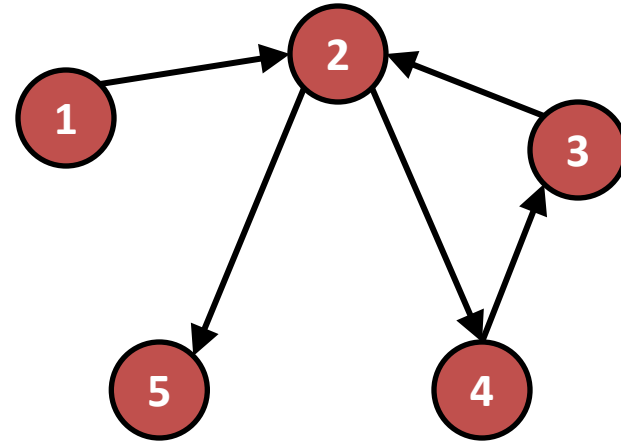
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class Graph {  
    AdjListCell[] adj;  
}
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class AdjListCell {  
    int nodeNumber;  
    AdjListCell next;  
}
```

Adjacency matrix representation

- Finally, we can store the edges for a graph in a **matrix**
 - Again, **number the nodes**
 - Define the matrix $E = (e_{i,j})$ by the rule:

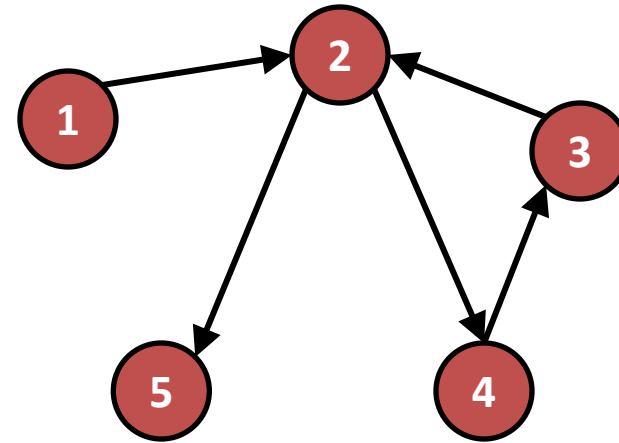
$$e_{i,j} = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if edge from } i \text{ to } j \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$



$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Adjacency matrix representation

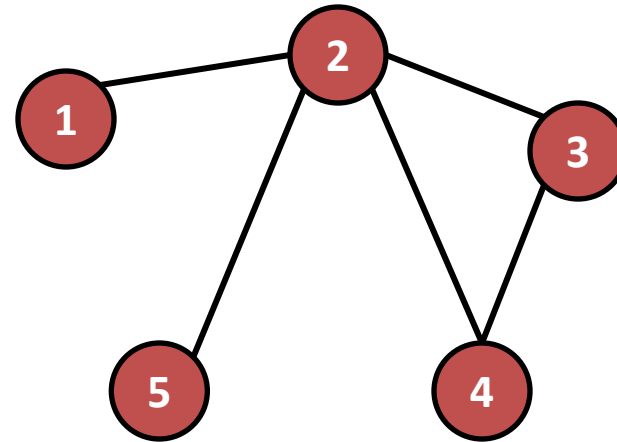
- Adjacency matrices are especially good for representing **dense** graphs
 - Graphs in which most nodes have edges to most other nodes



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Undirected graphs

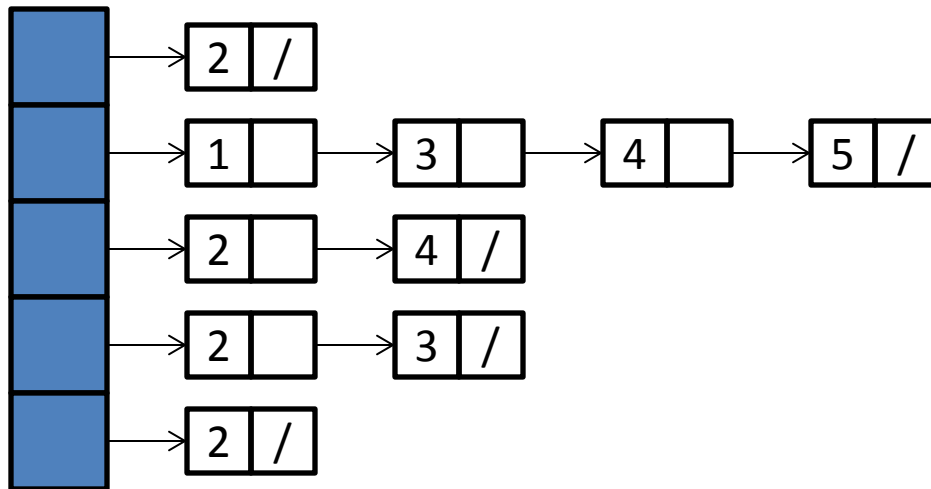
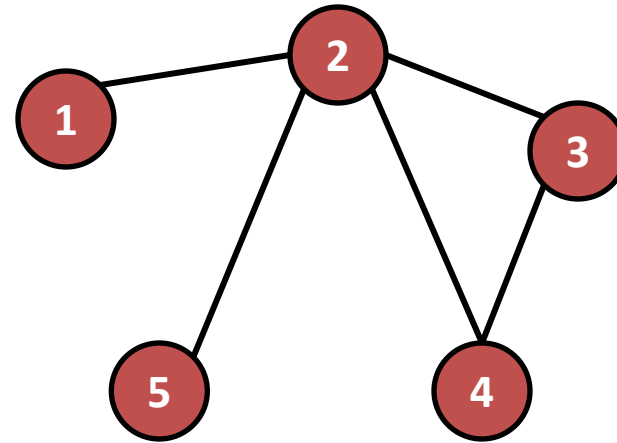
- Recall that **undirected** graphs don't distinguish between
 - An edge from a to b, and
 - An edge from b to a



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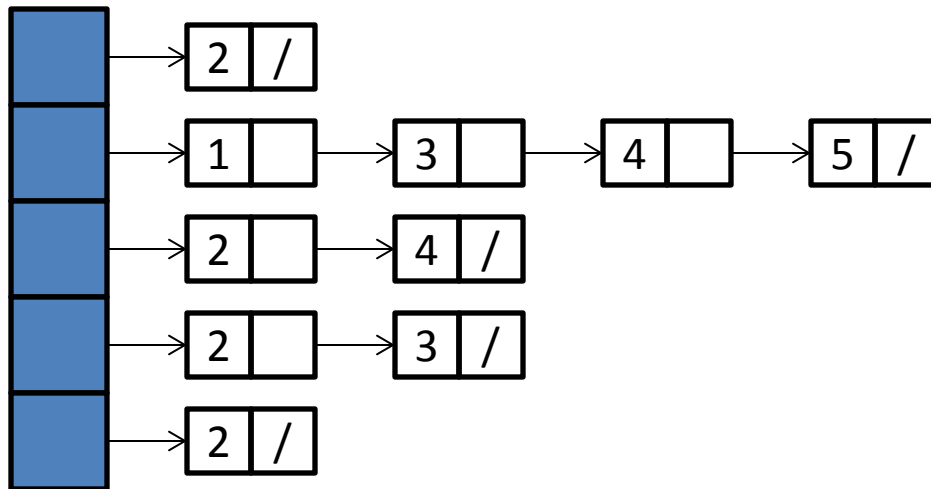
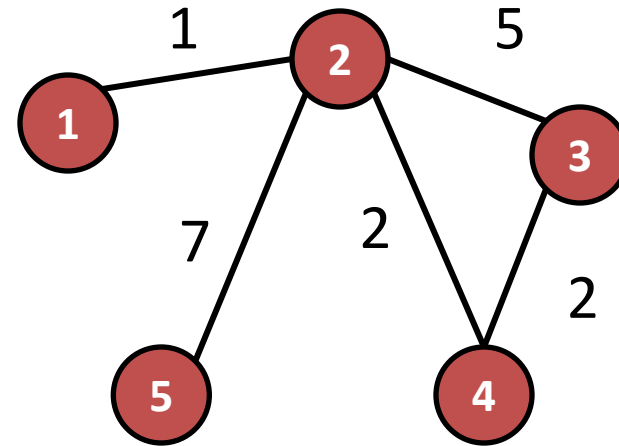
- These are easily handled by both representations
 - Adjacency lists: link a to b but also link b to a
 - Adjacency matrix: matrix is just a **symmetric** matrix



0	1	0	0	0
1	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	1	0
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Weighted graphs

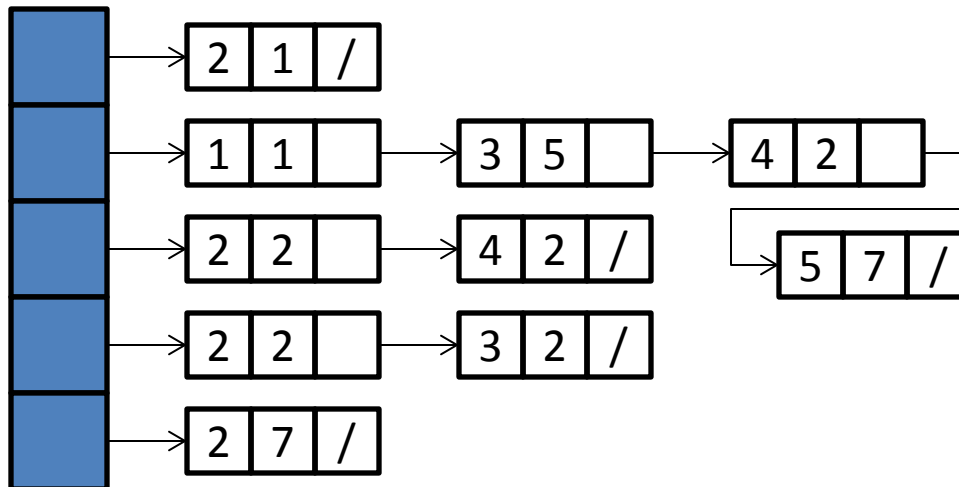
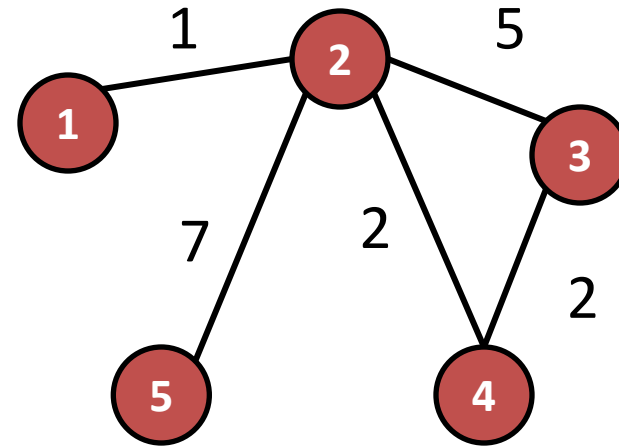
- Edges are labeled with **numerical values** (weights)
 - Usually represents some kind of **distance or abstract “cost”**



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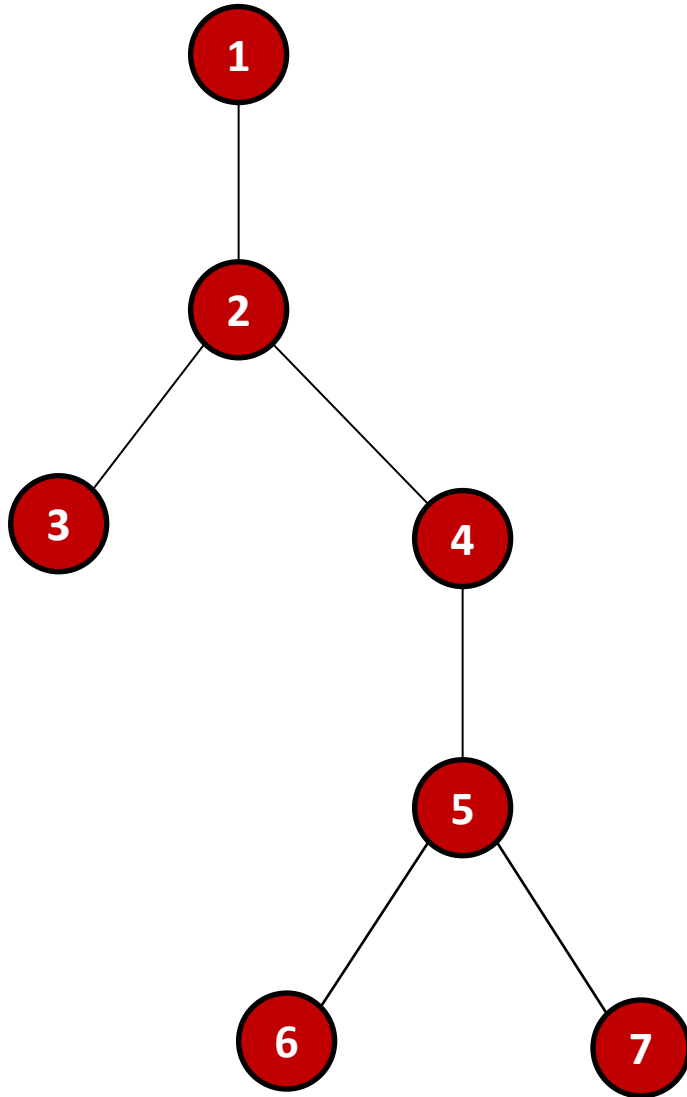
Representing weighted graphs

- Adjacency **lists**
 - Just **add** another **field** to the list cells to hold the weight
- Adjacency **matrix**
 - Use the weight as the **matrix entry**
 - Or 0 (or ∞) for non-adjacent nodes



0	1	0	0	0
1	0	5	2	7
0	5	0	2	0
0	2	2	0	0
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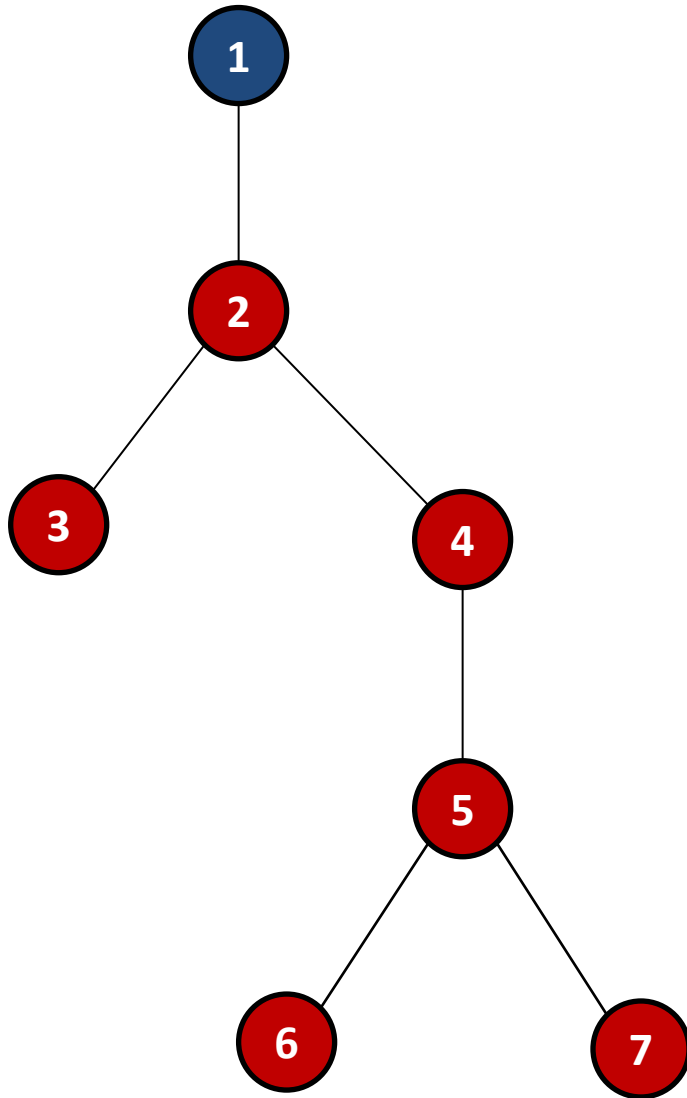
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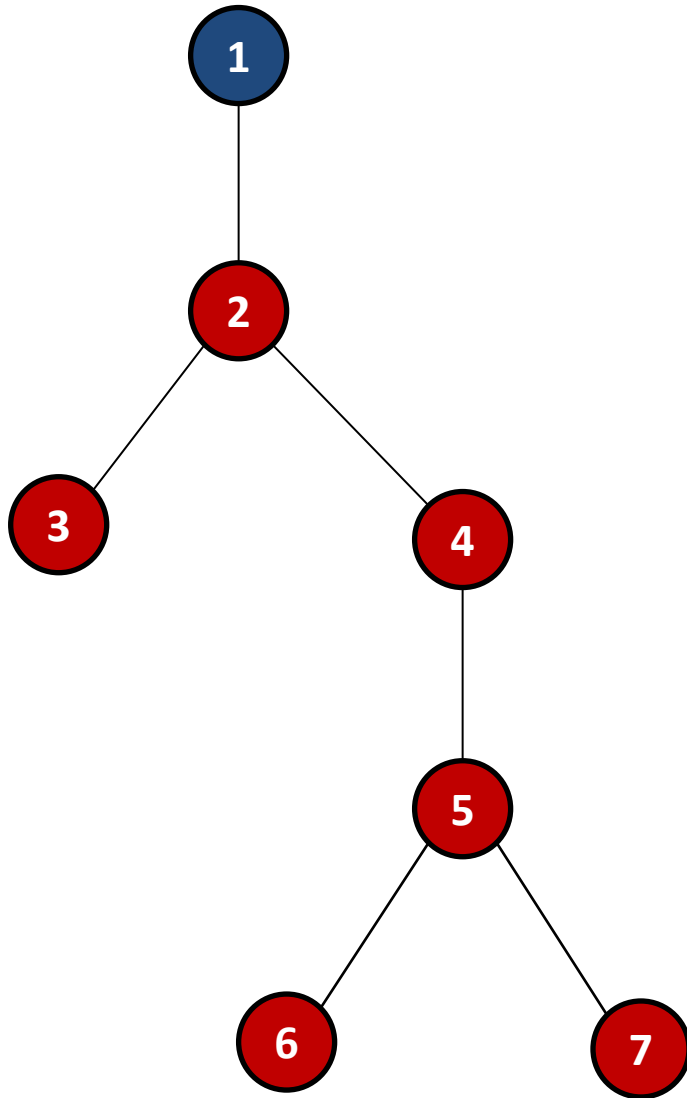
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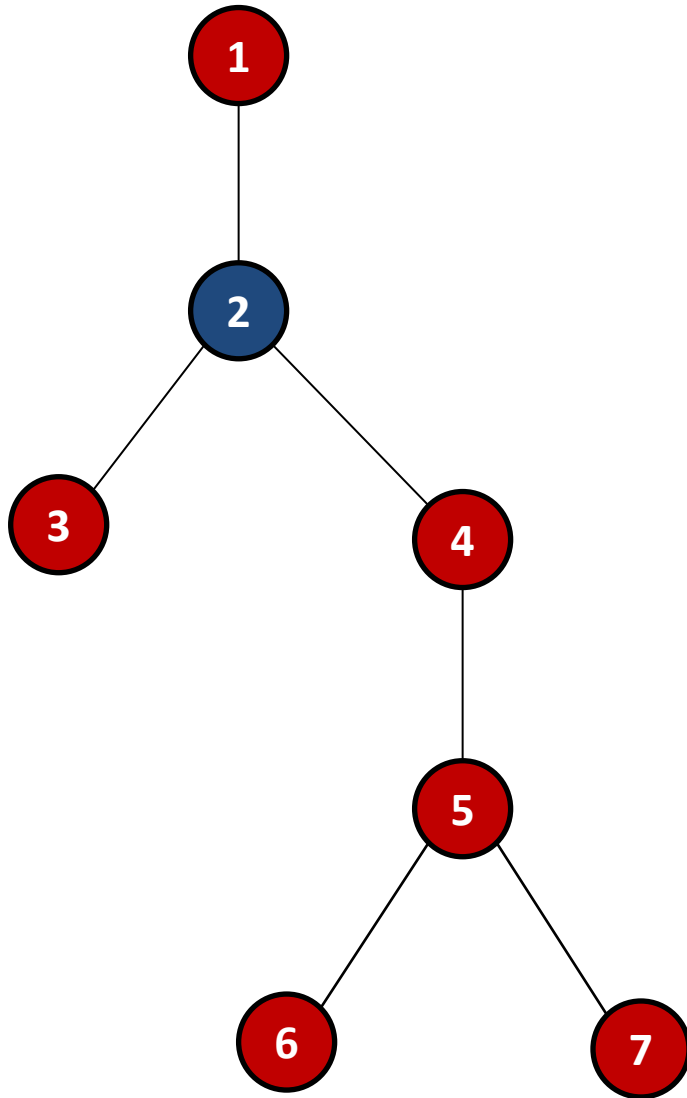
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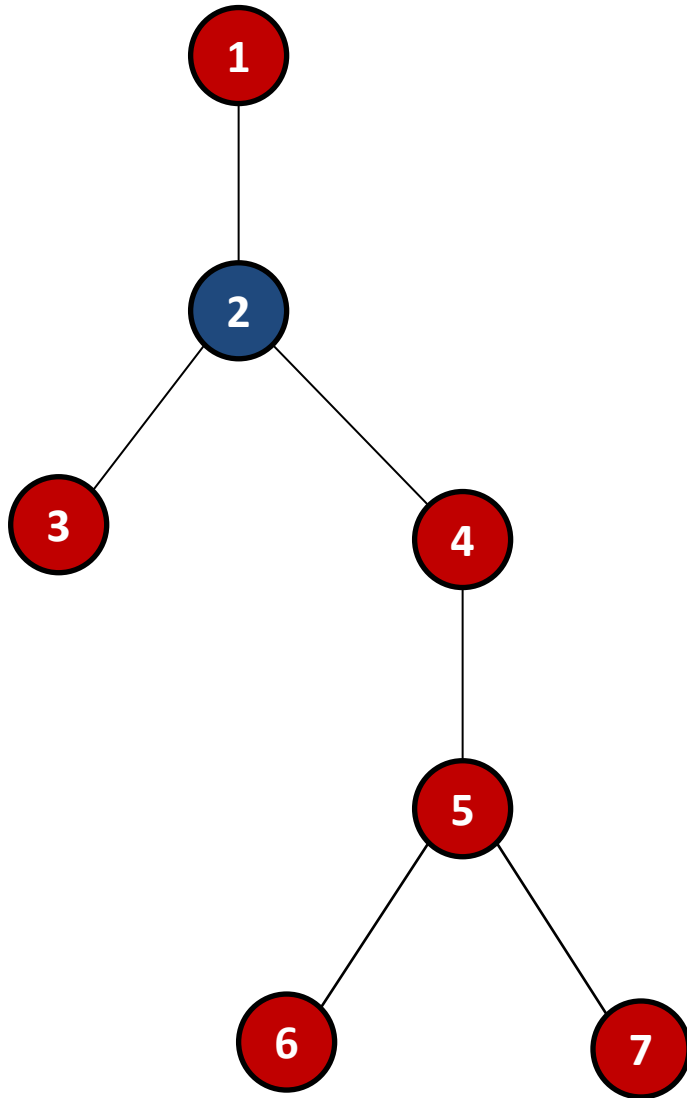
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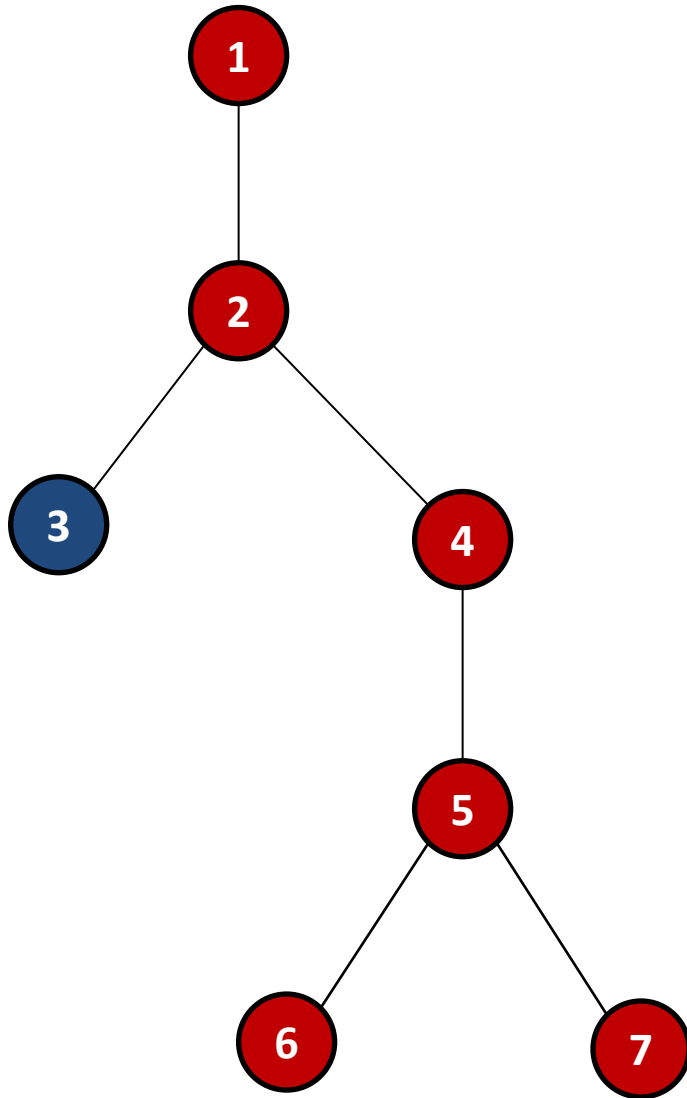
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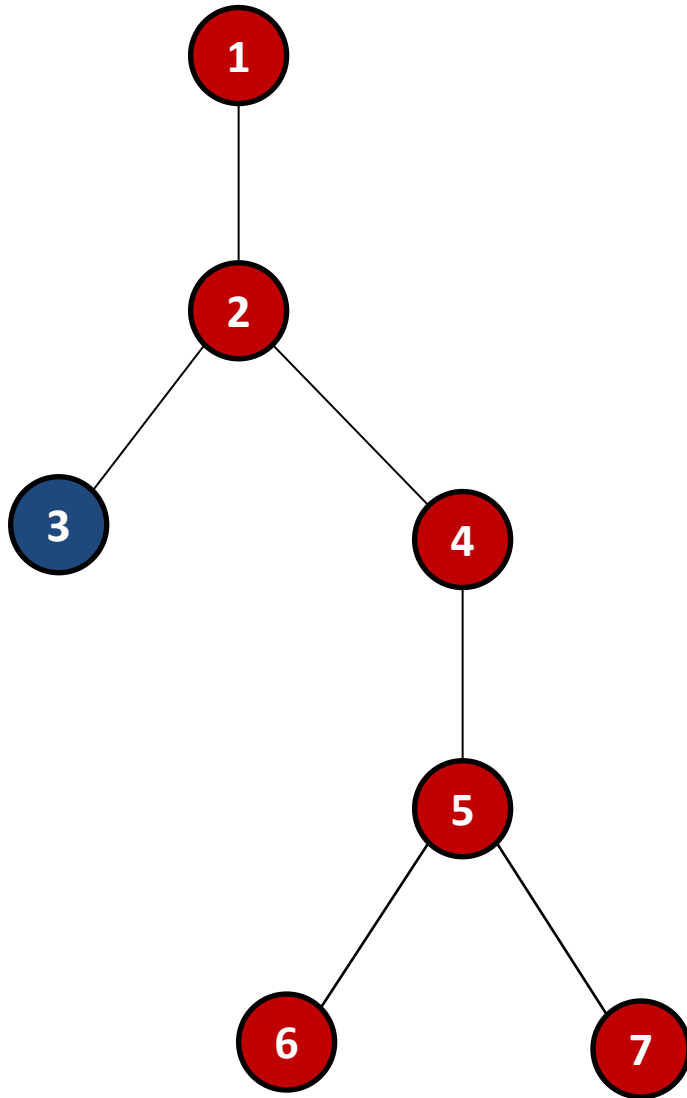
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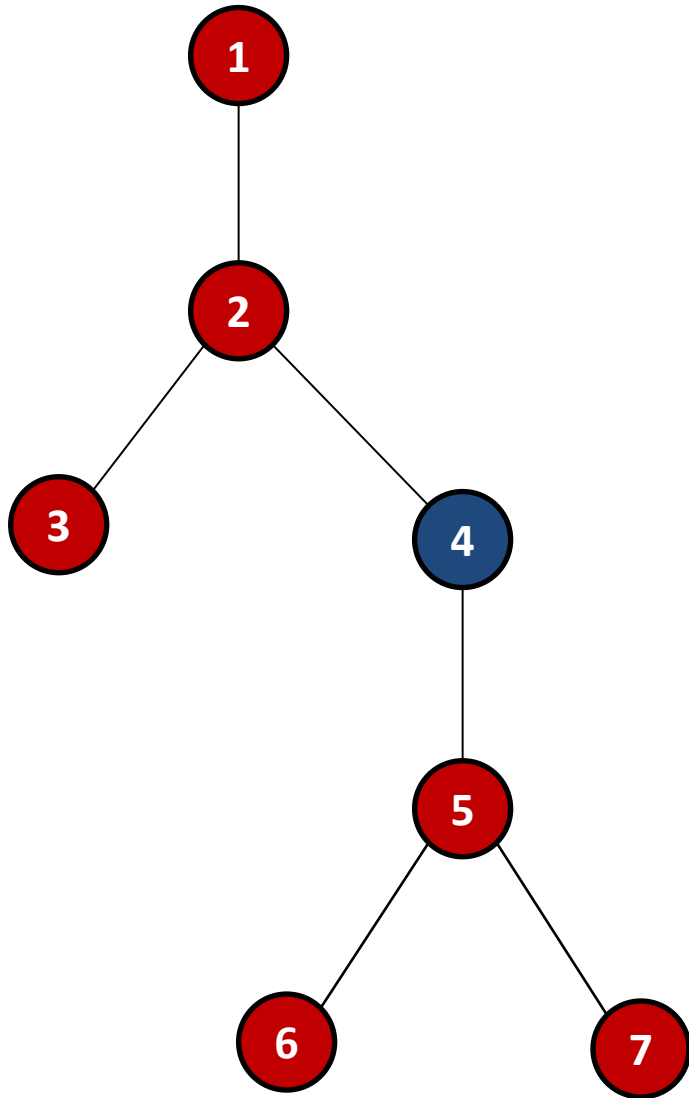

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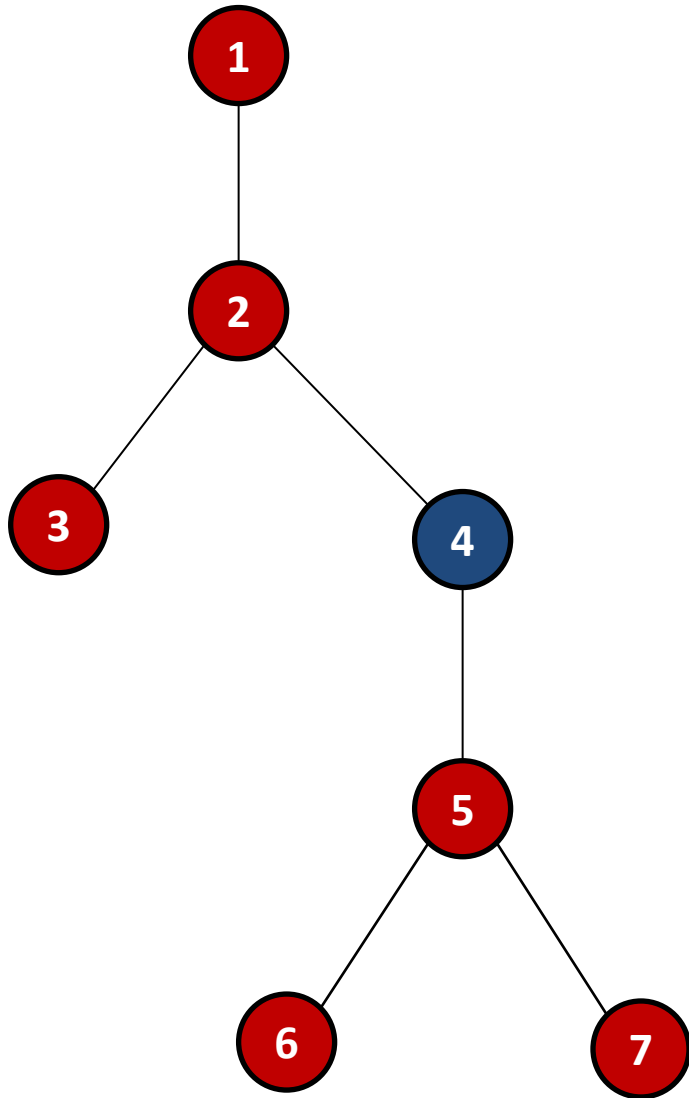
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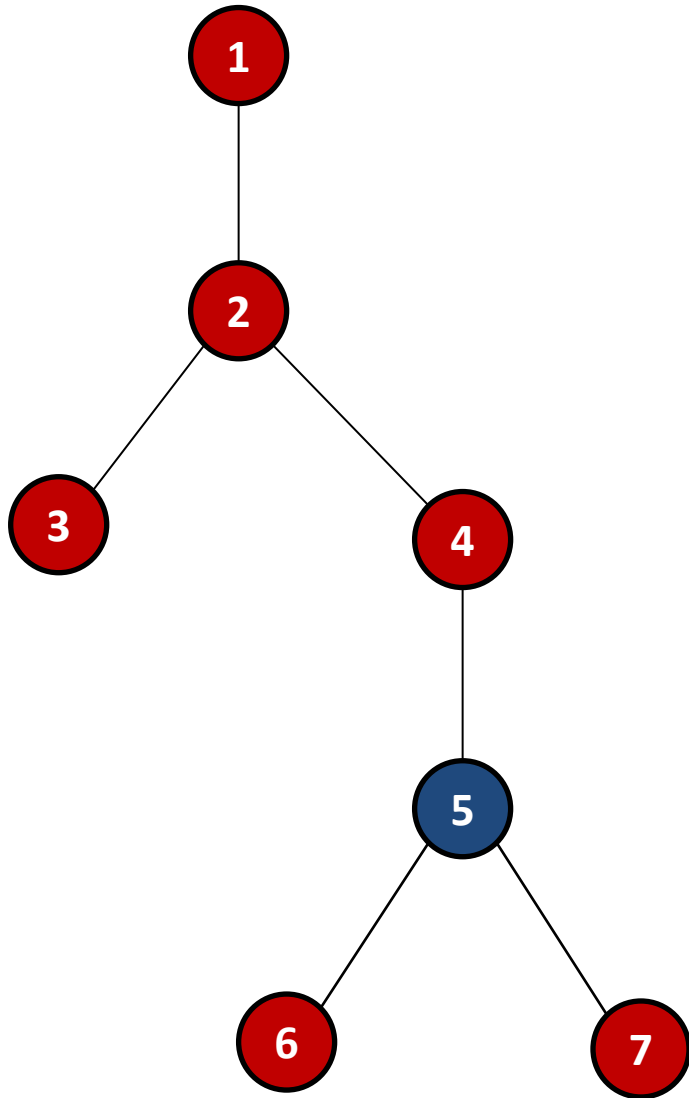
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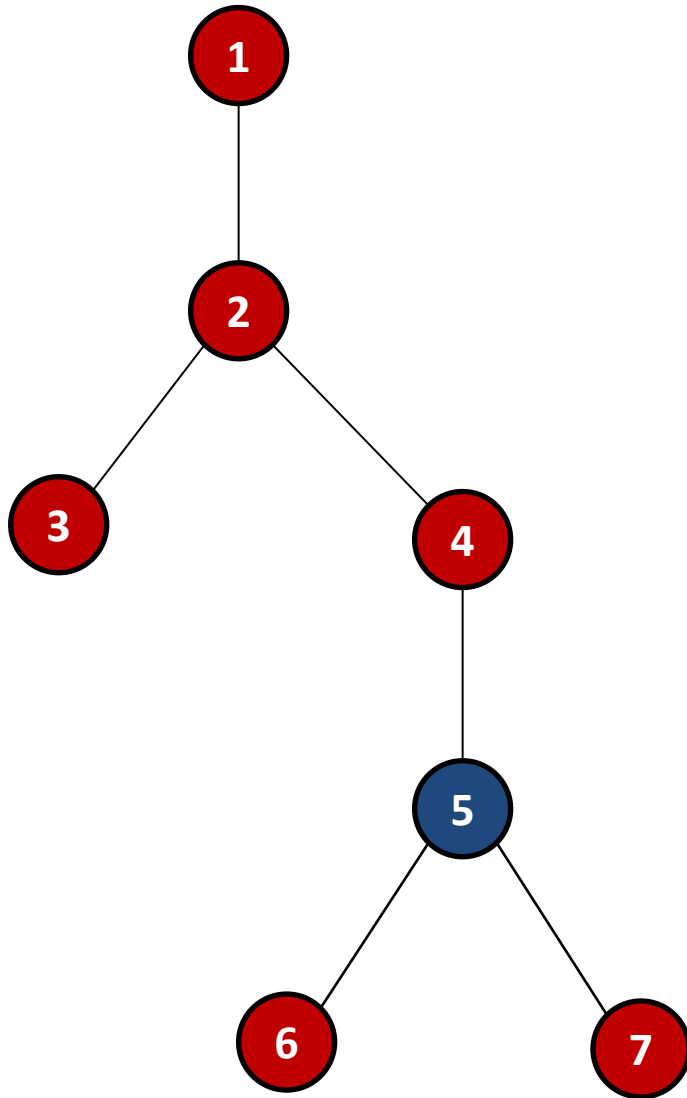
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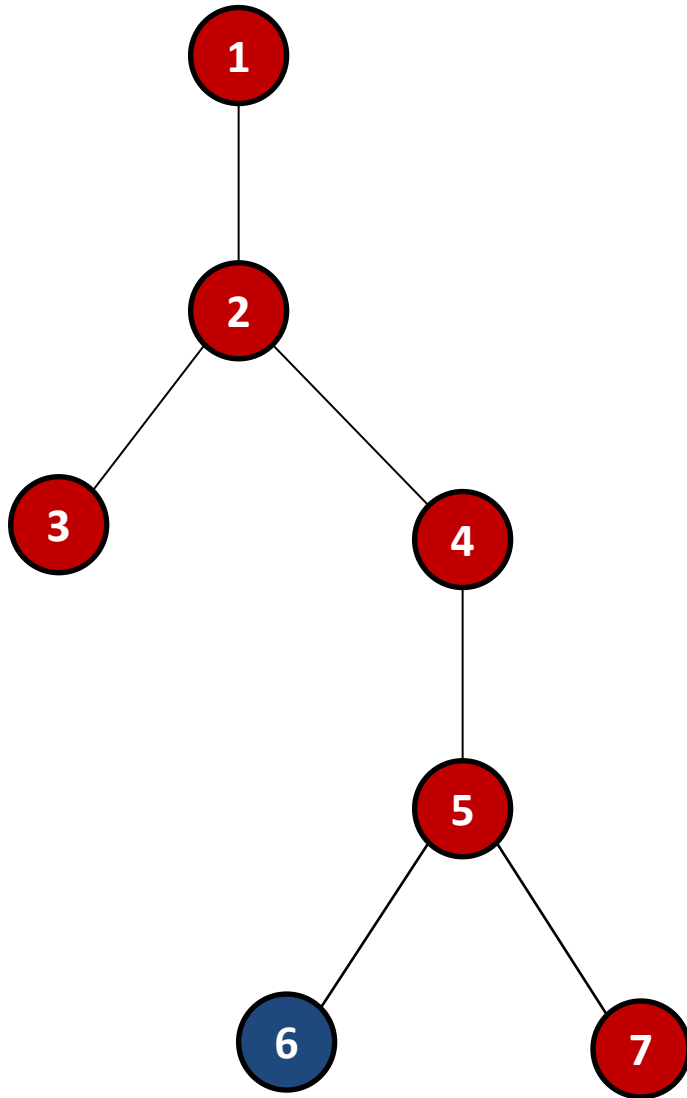
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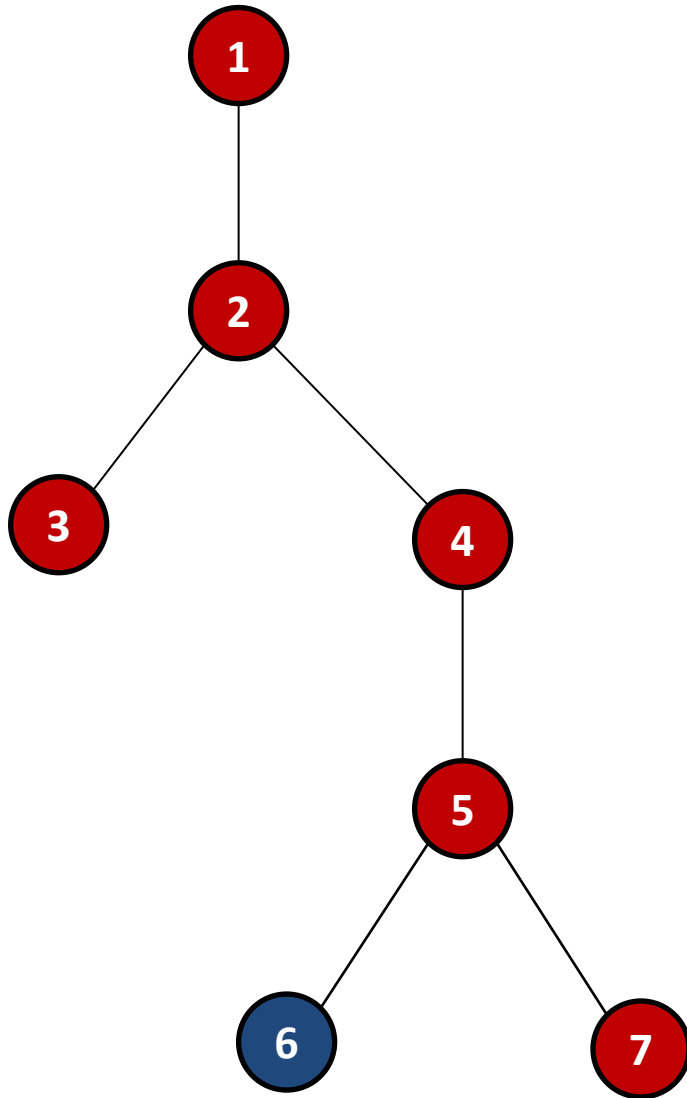
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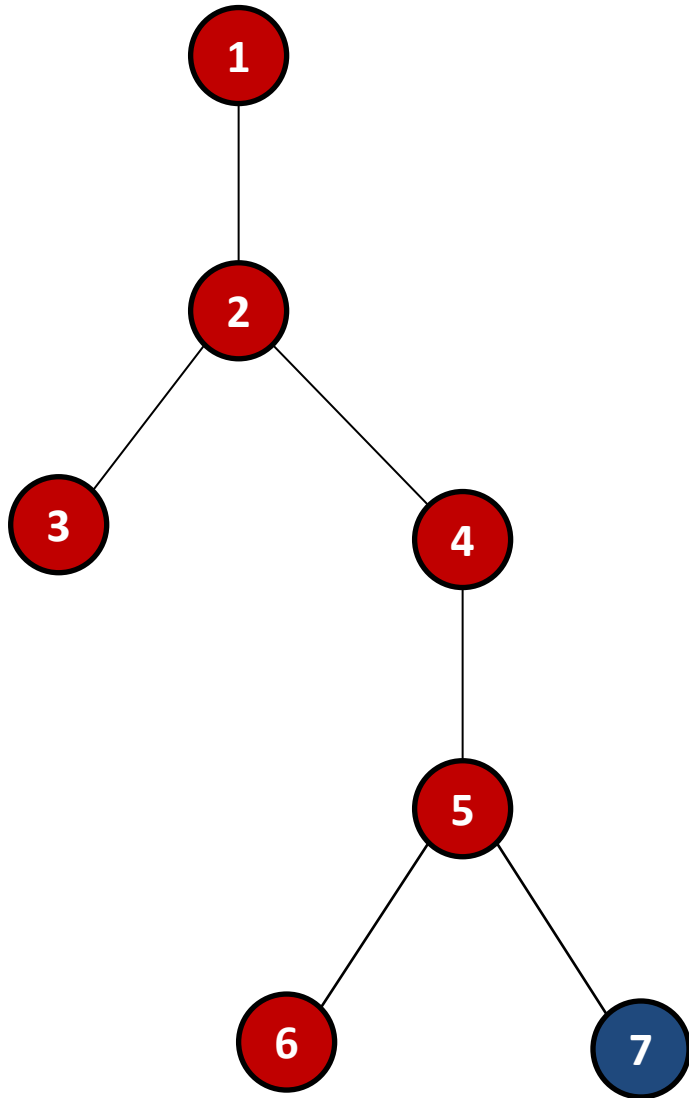
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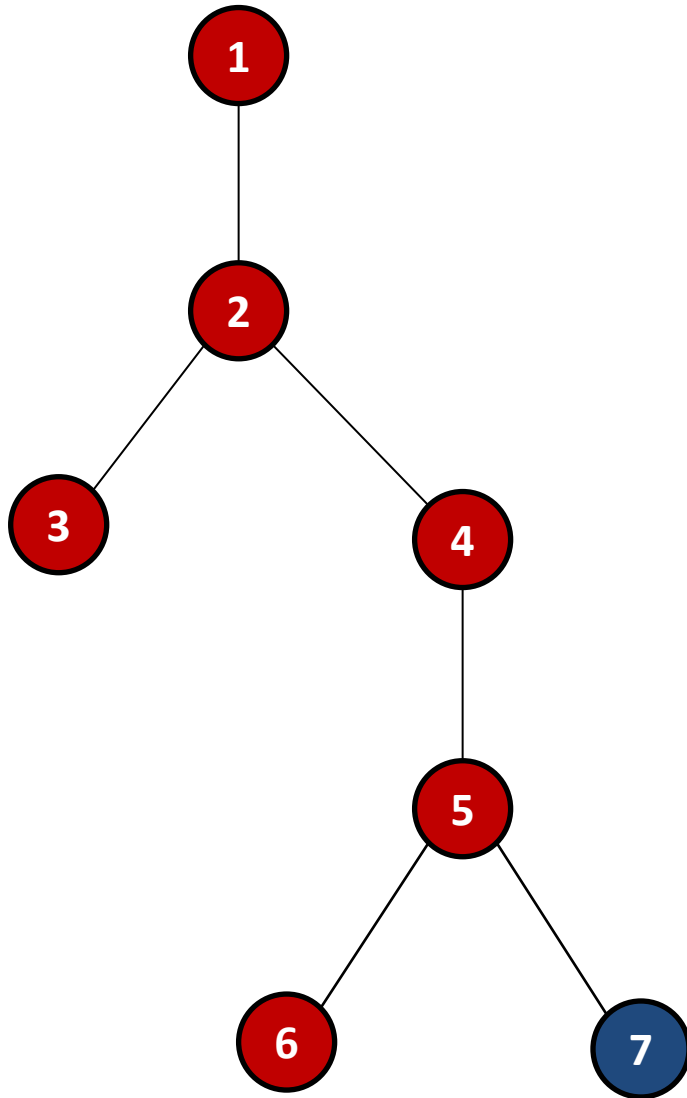
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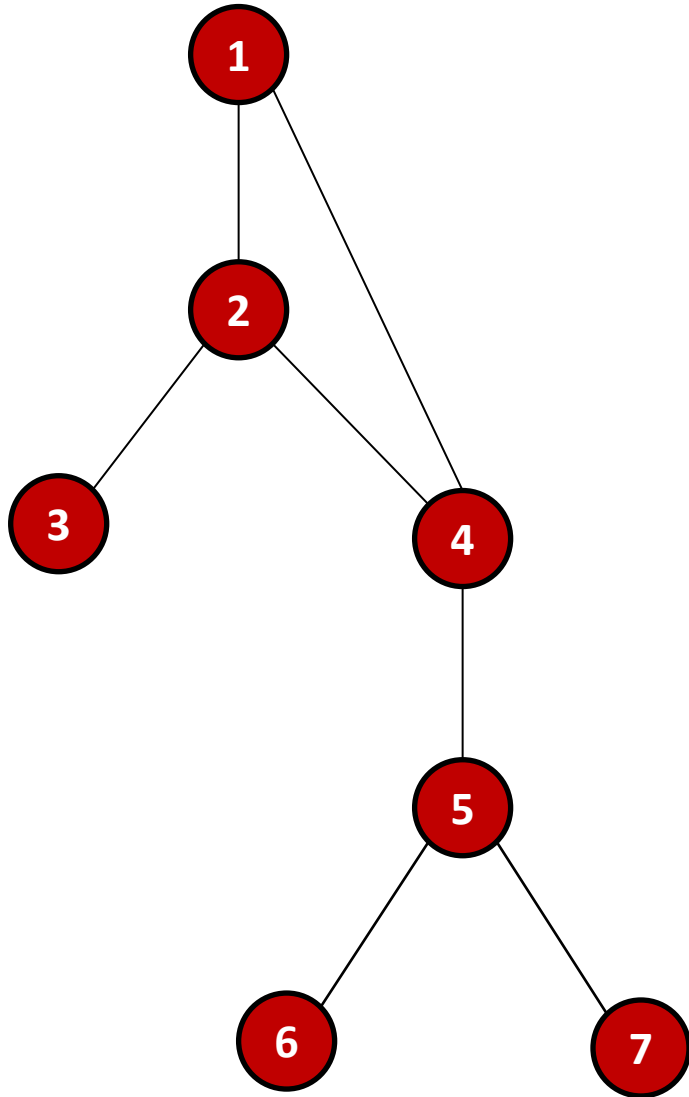

Breadth-first tree walk



Queue: 7

```
BreadthFirst(root) {  
    q = empty queue  
    q.Enqueue(root)  
    while q not empty {  
        node = q.Dequeue()  
        for each child c of node  
            q.Enqueue(c)  
    }  
}
```

Breadth-first *graph* walk

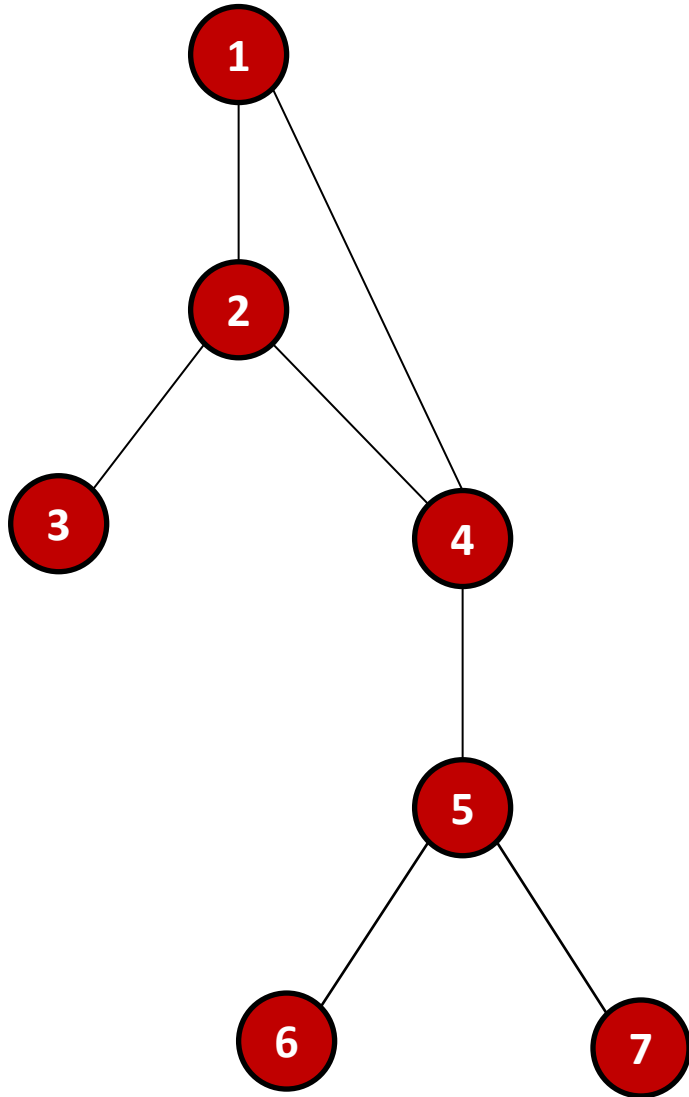


Pseudocode:

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  }  
}
```

**Will this code work
for a general graph?**

Breadth-first *graph* walk

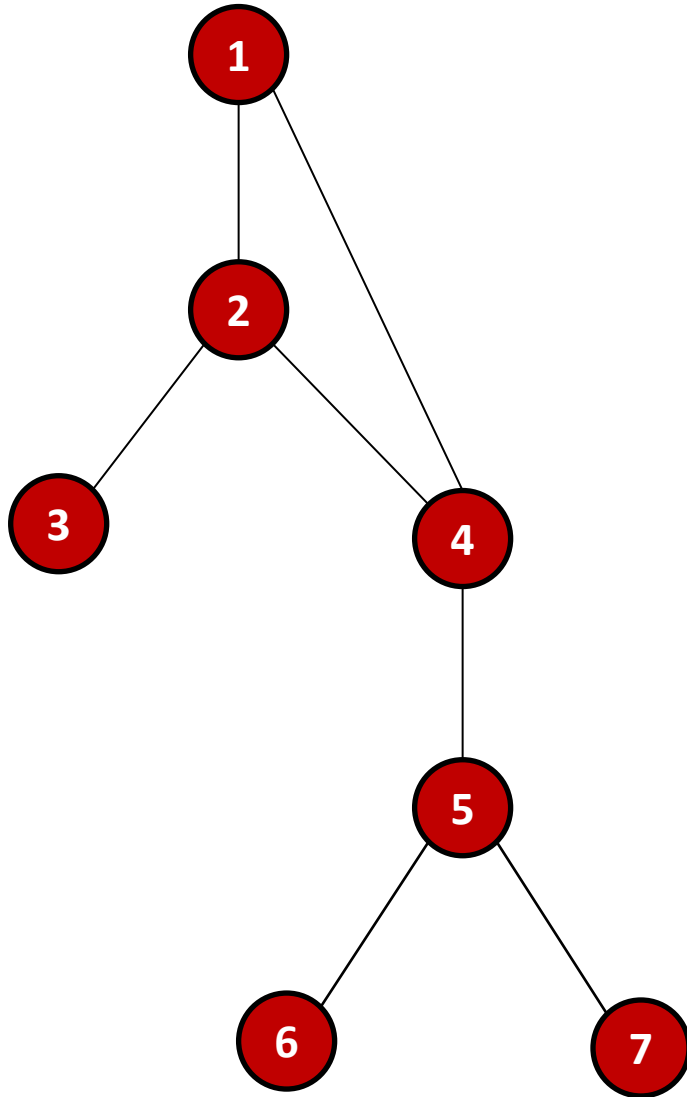


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  }  
}
```

**Well, first, there are
no children *per se***

Breadth-first *graph* walk

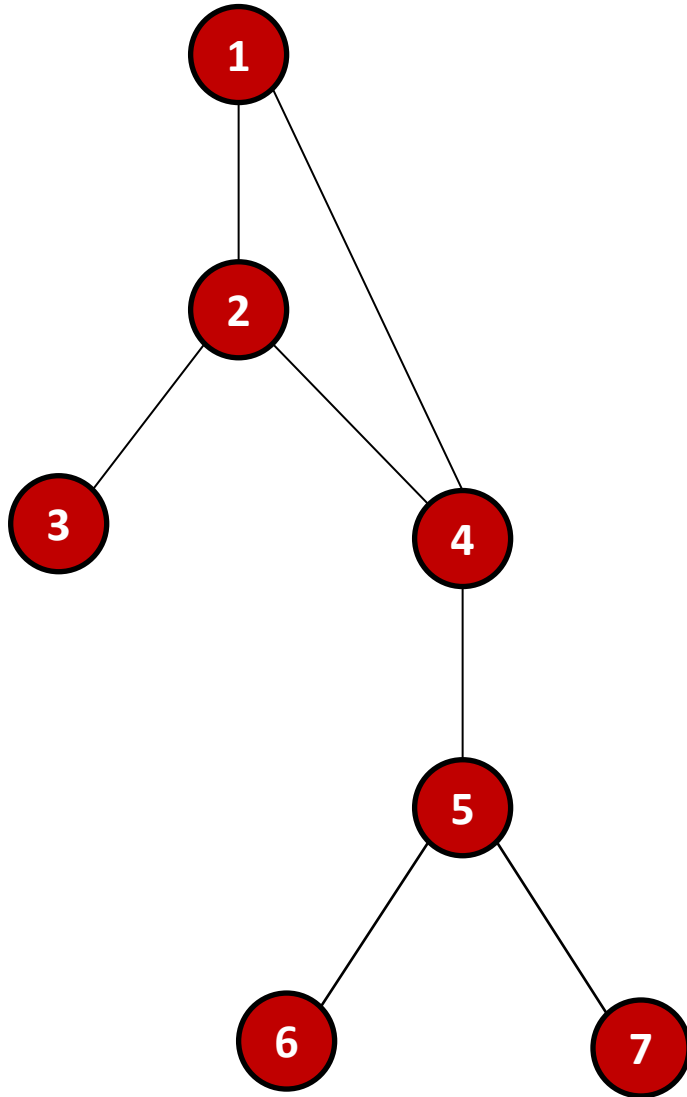


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```

**What happens if
we just change it to
neighbor?**

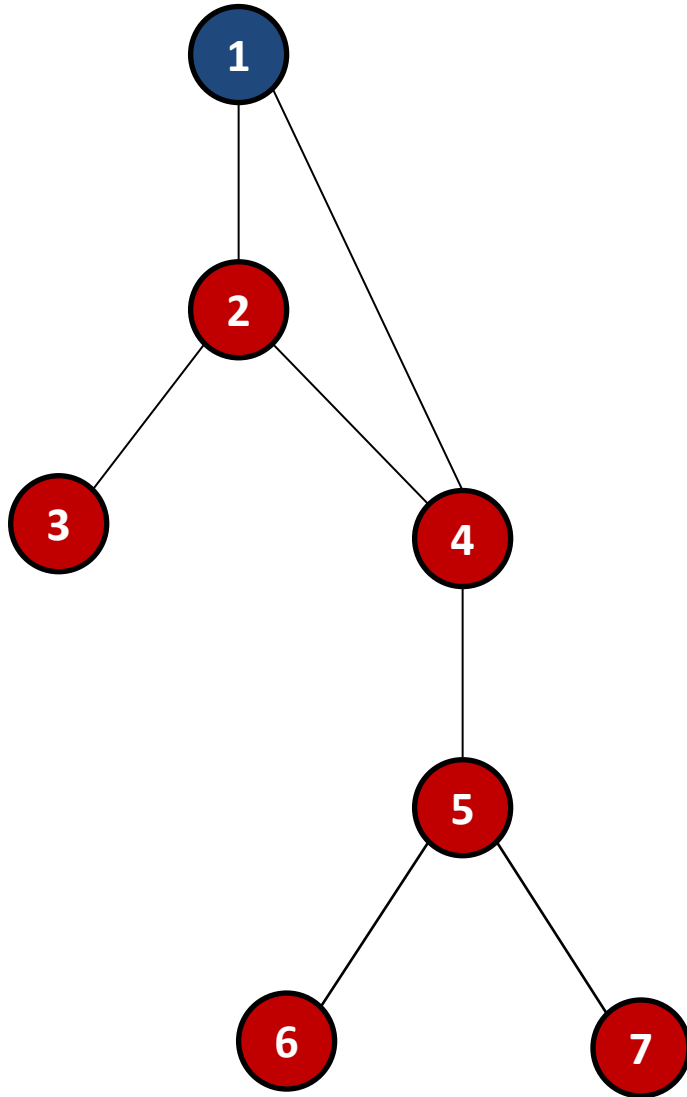
Breadth-first *graph* walk



Queue: 1

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  }  
}
```

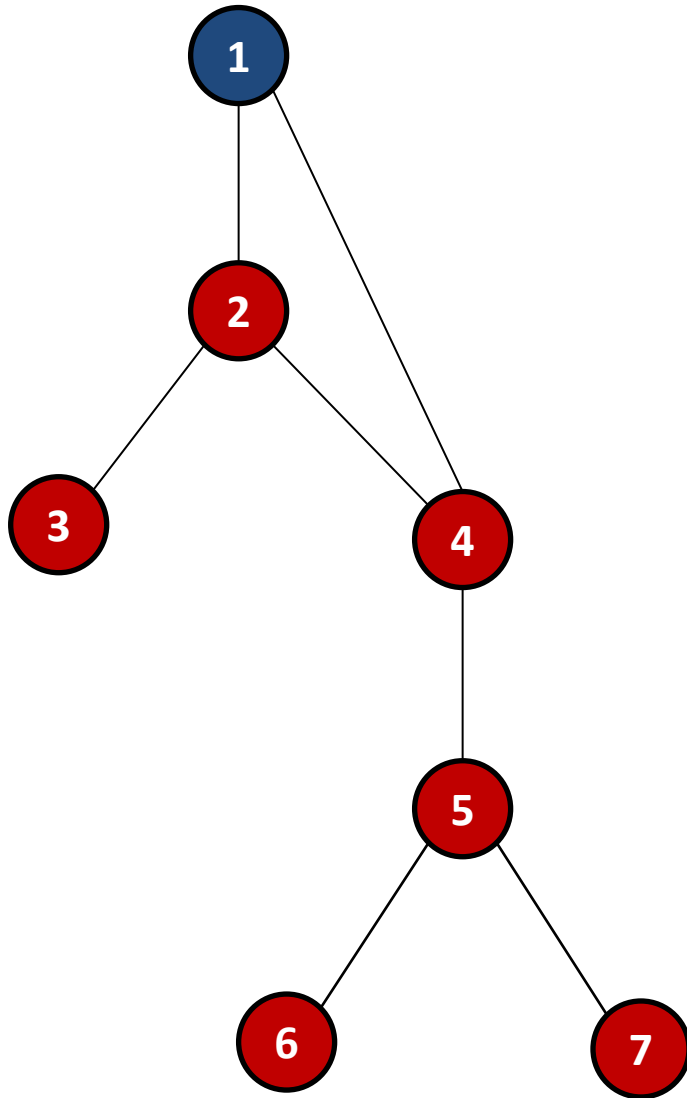
Breadth-first *graph* walk



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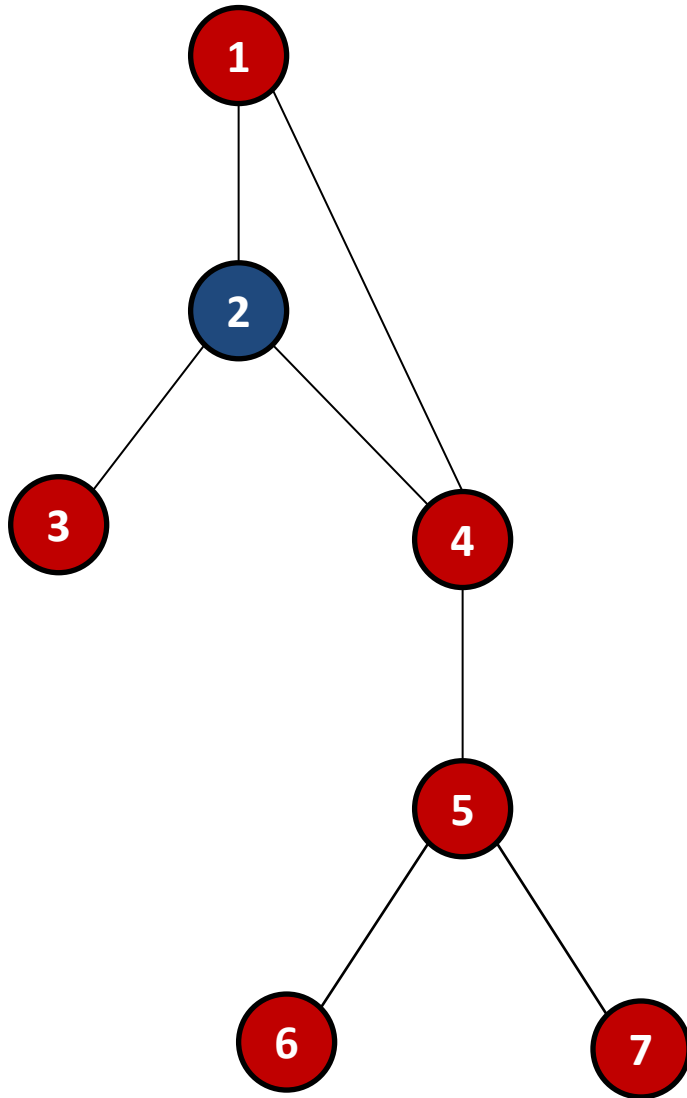
Breadth-first *graph* walk



Queue: 2 4

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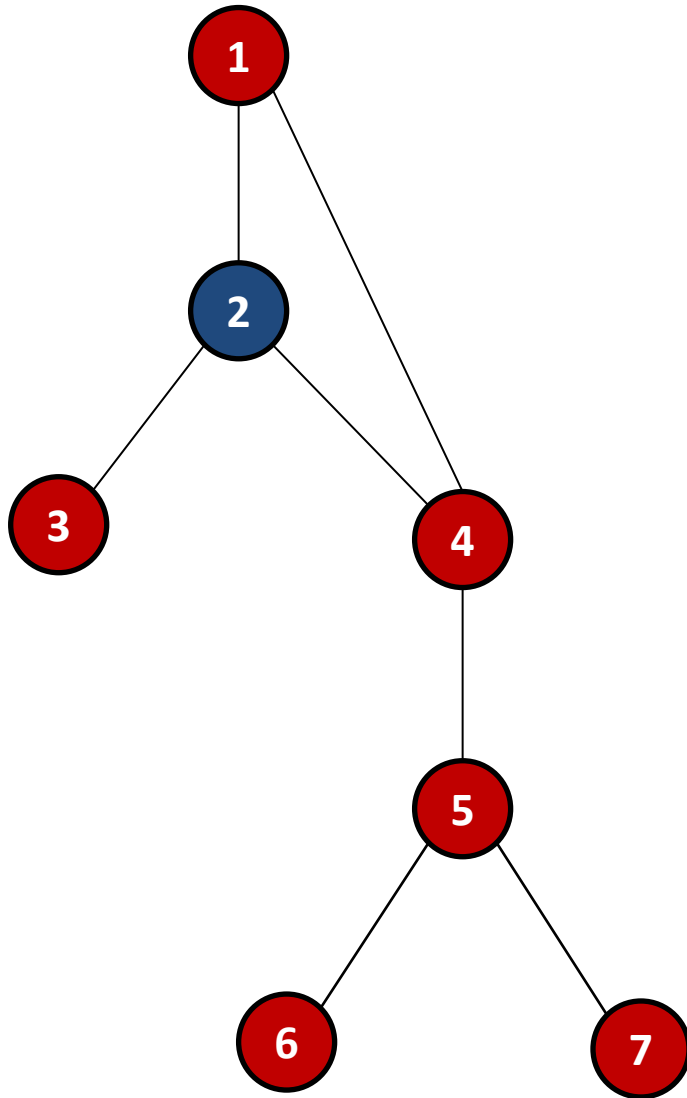
Breadth-first *graph* walk



Queue: 4

```
BreadthFirst(start) {  
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  }  
}
```


Breadth-first *graph* walk

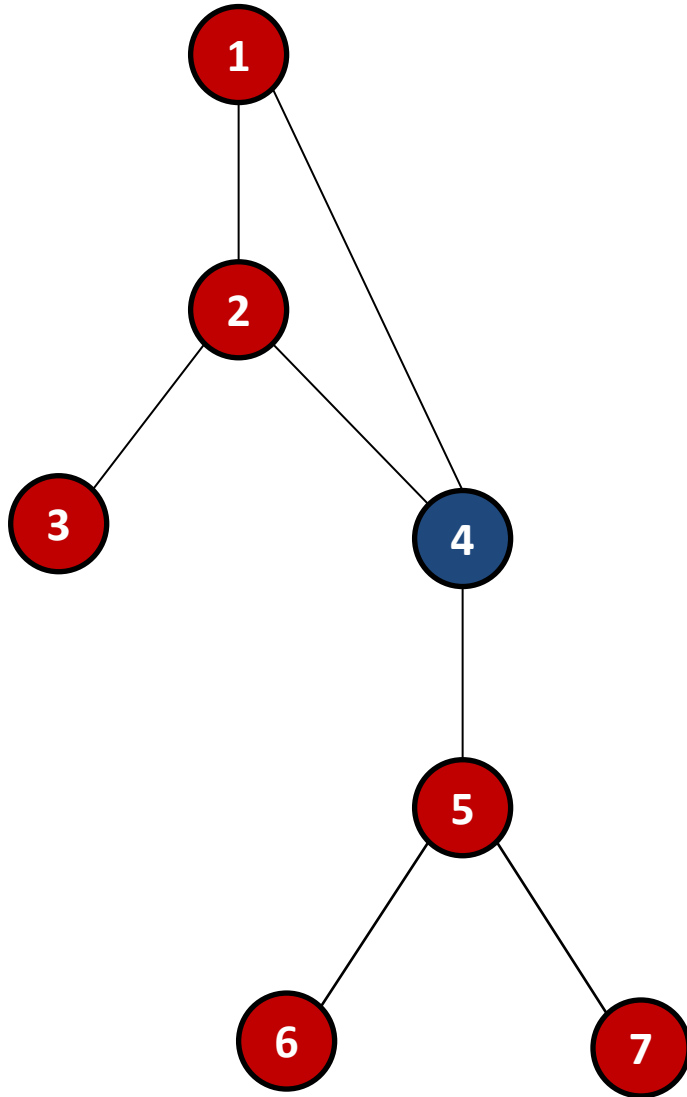


Queue: 4 3 4 1

```
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}
```

uh oh ...

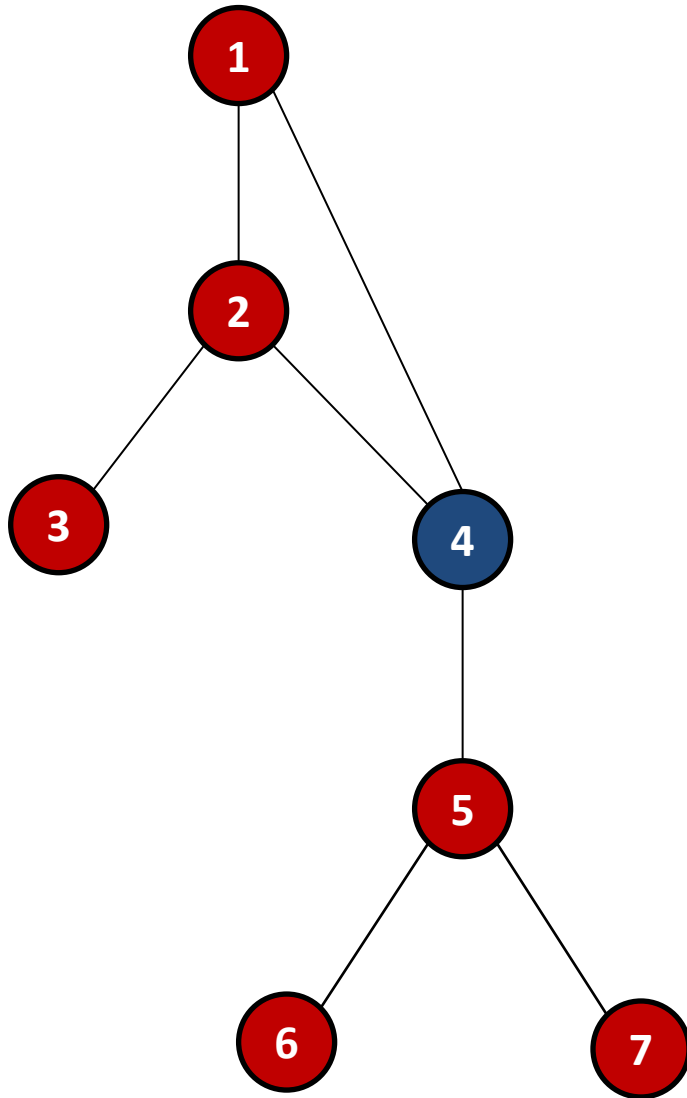
Breadth-first *graph* walk



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Breadth-first *graph* walk



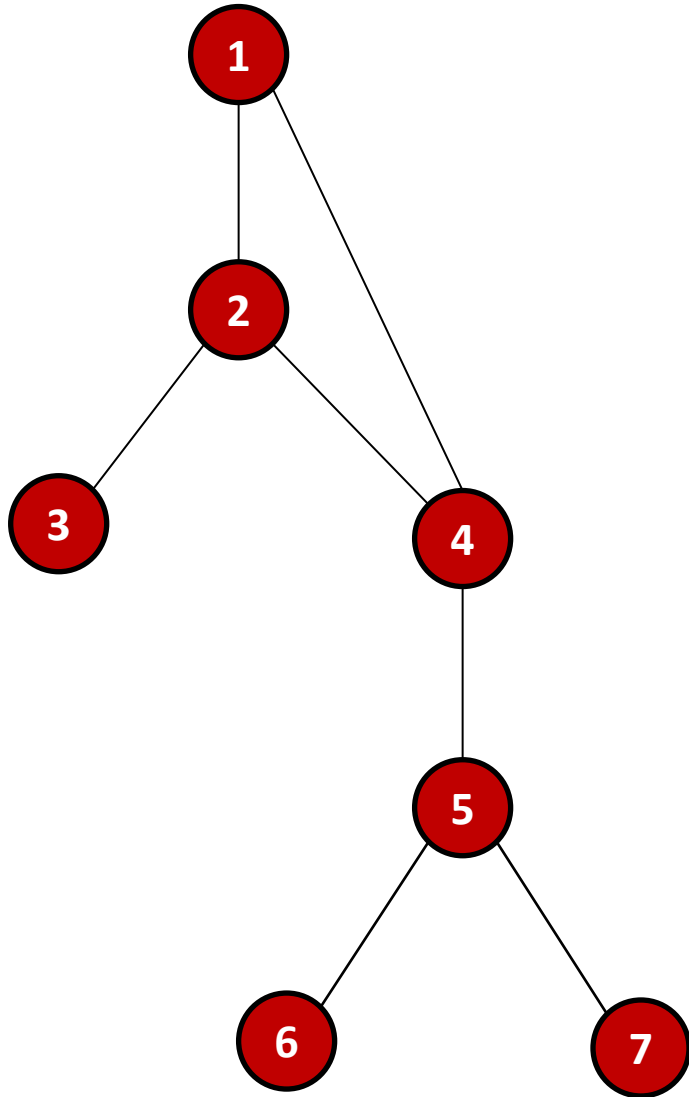
Queue: 3 4 1 1 5

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}
```

this is not going to end well ...

actually,
it's not going to end at all ...

Breadth-first *graph* walk

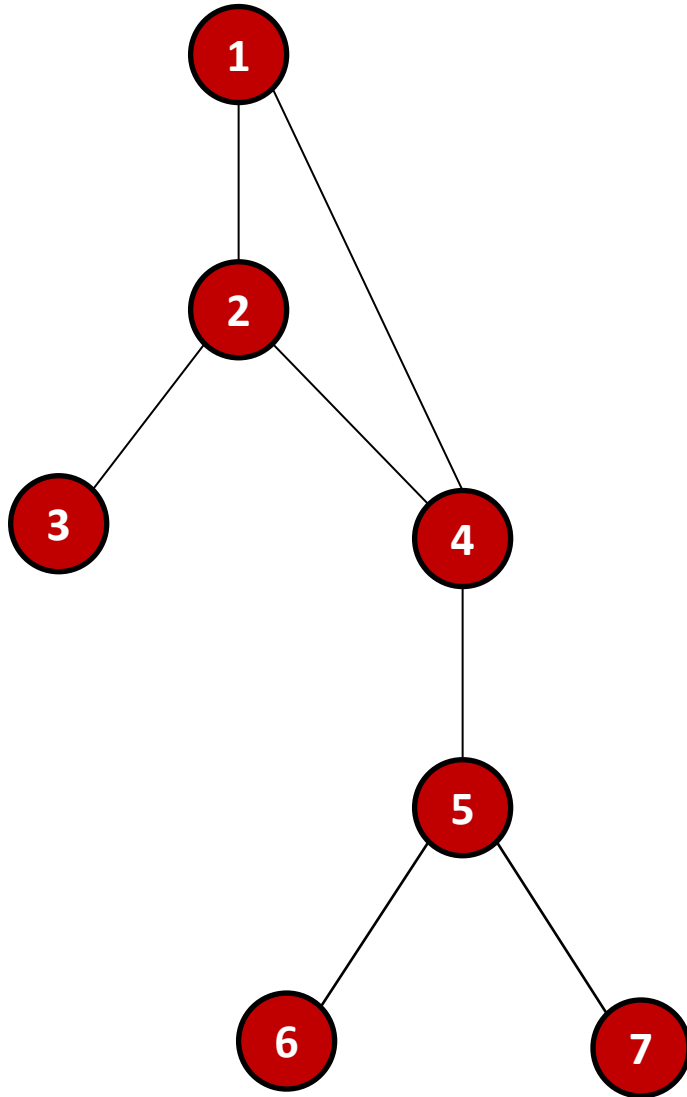


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  }  
}
```

**We need to keep
from revisiting nodes**

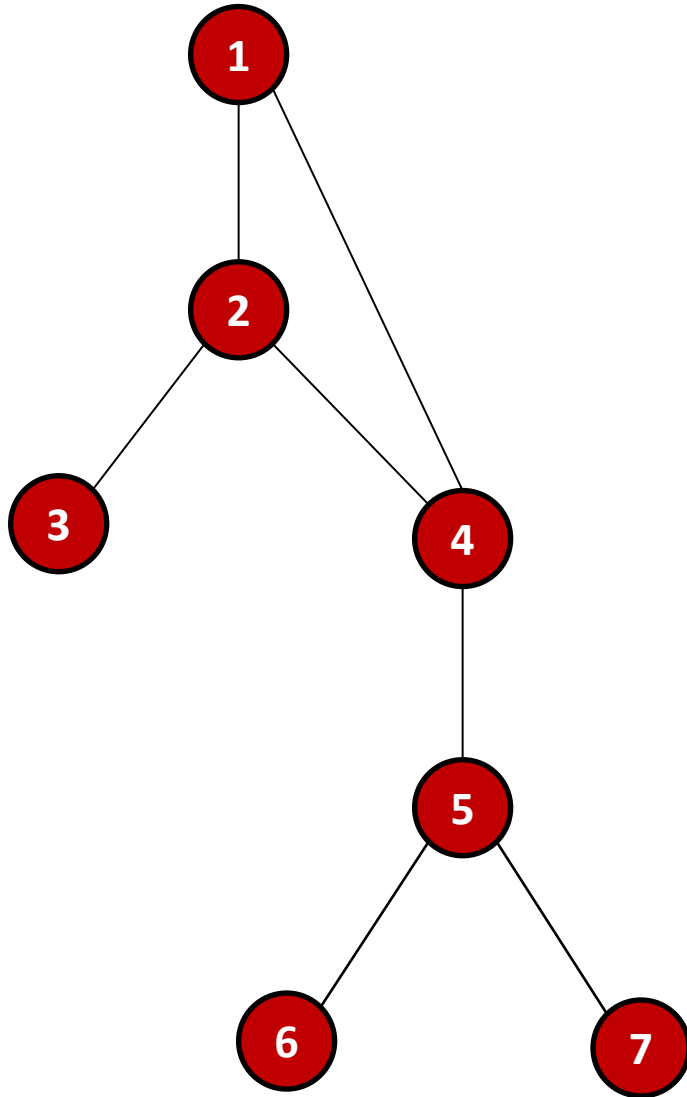
Breadth-first *graph* walk



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}
```

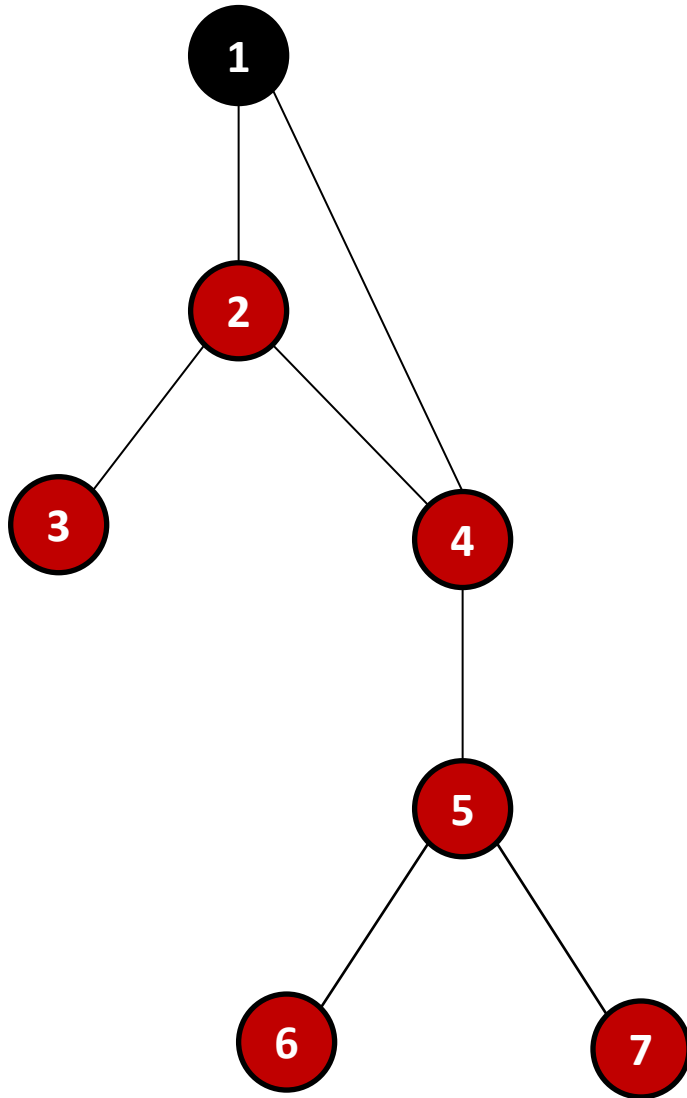

Breadth-first *graph* walk



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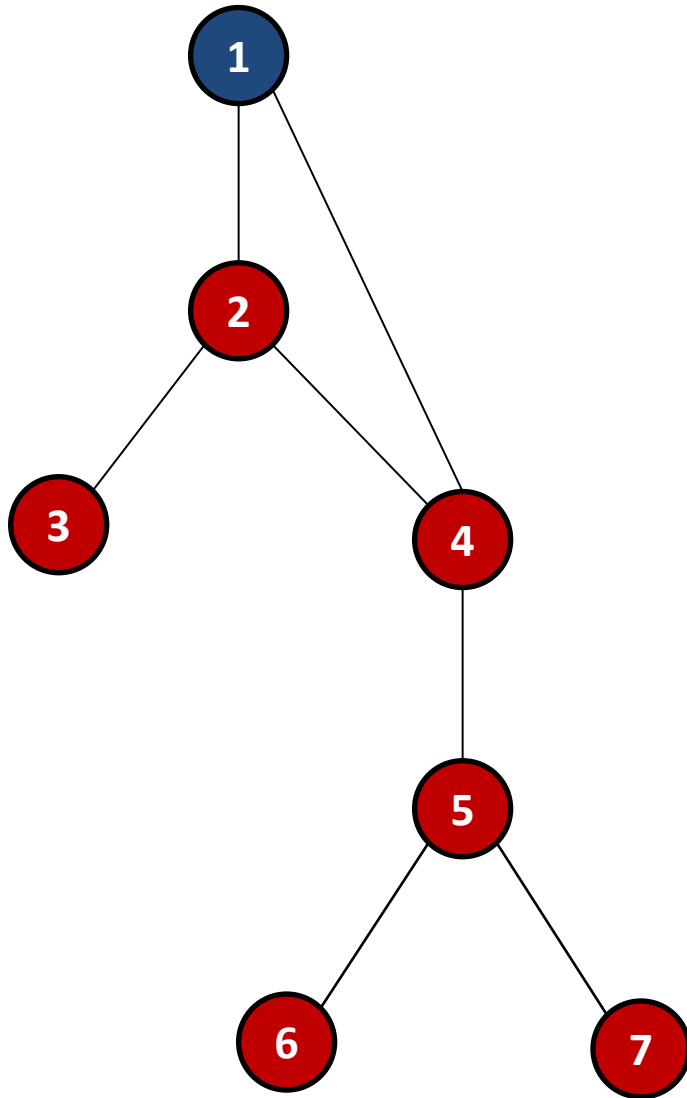
Breadth-first *graph* walk



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    for each child c of node  
      if c not visited already  
        q.Enqueue(c)  
        mark c visited  
  }  
}
```

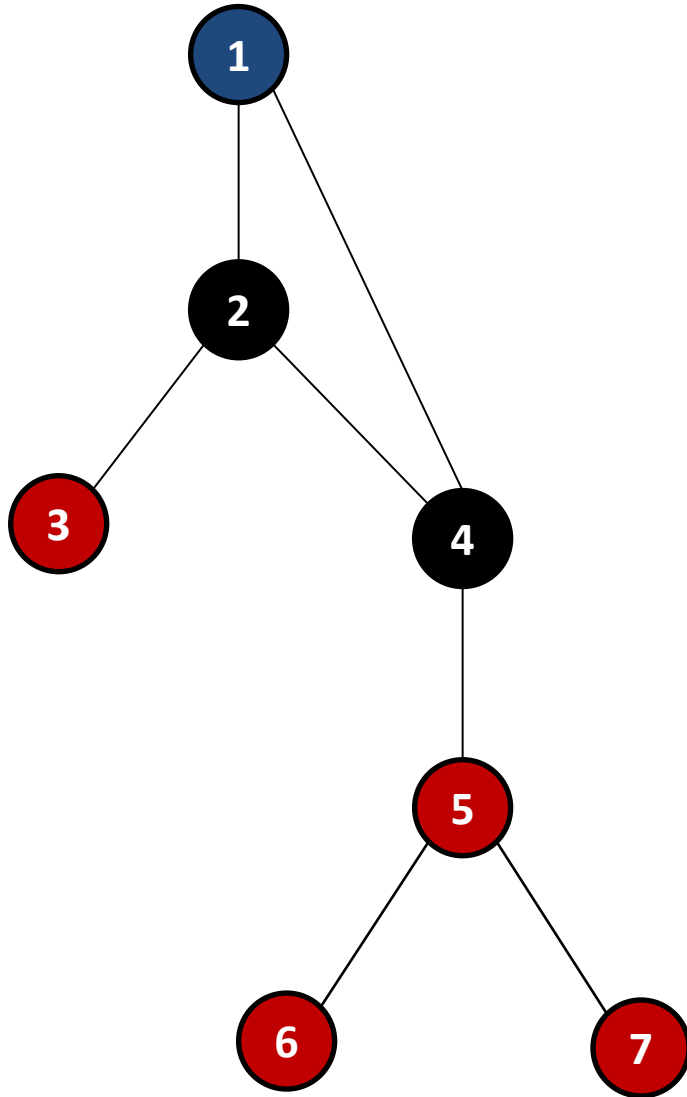
Breadth-first *graph* walk



Queue:

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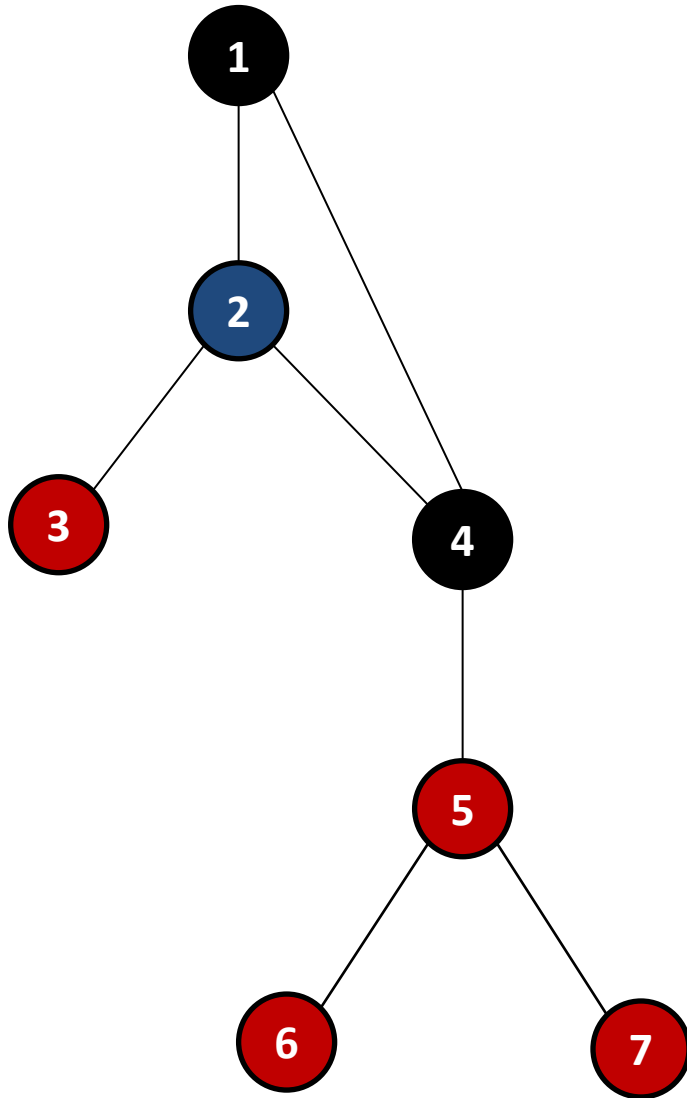
Breadth-first *graph* walk



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}
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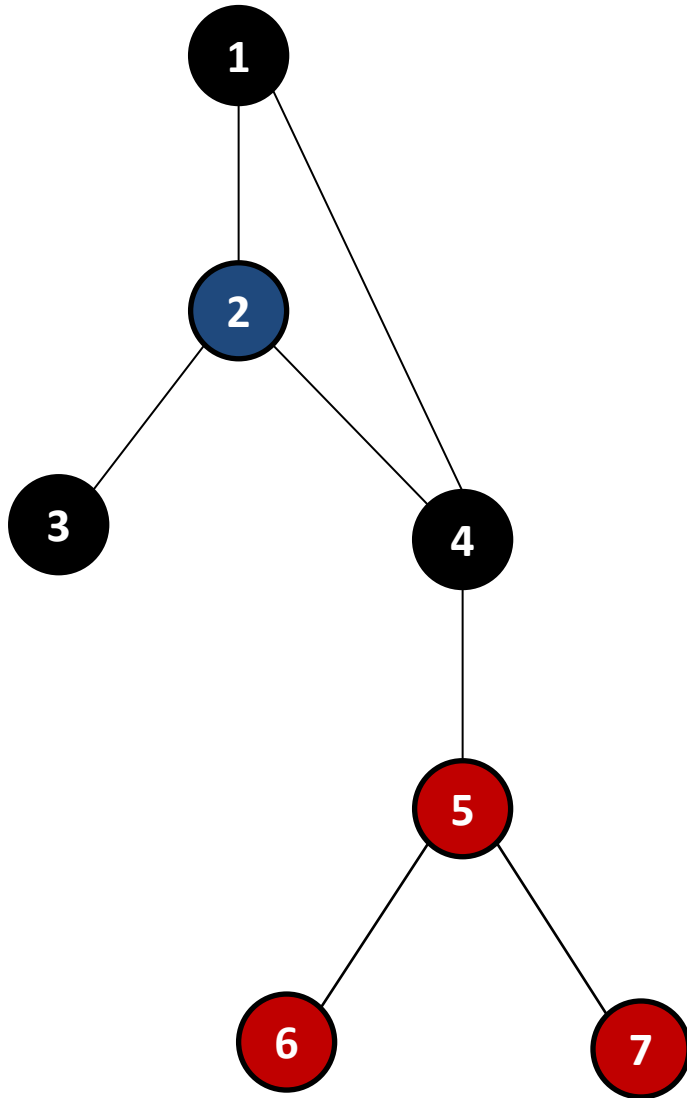
Breadth-first *graph* walk



Queue: 4

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  mark start visited  
  while q not empty {  
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    for each child c of node  
      if c not visited already  
        q.Enqueue(c)  
        mark c visited  
  }  
}
```

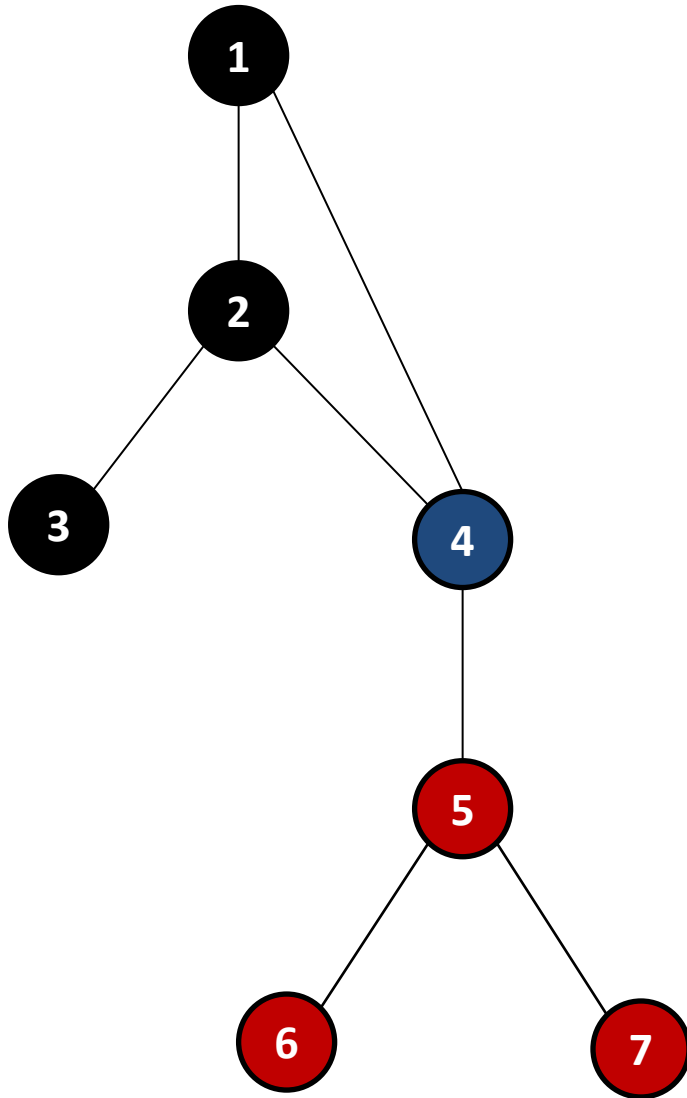
Breadth-first *graph* walk



Queue: 4 3

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}
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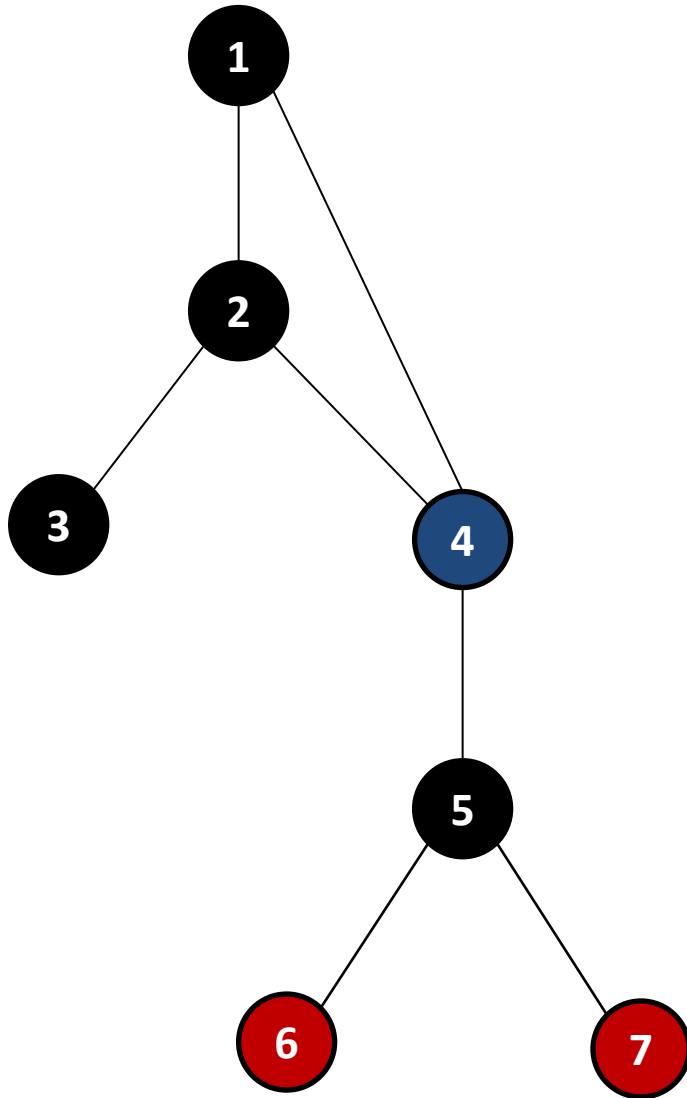
Breadth-first *graph* walk



Queue: 3

```
BreadthFirst(start) {  
    q = empty queue  
    q.Enqueue(start)  
    mark start visited  
    while q not empty {  
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                mark c visited  
    }  
}
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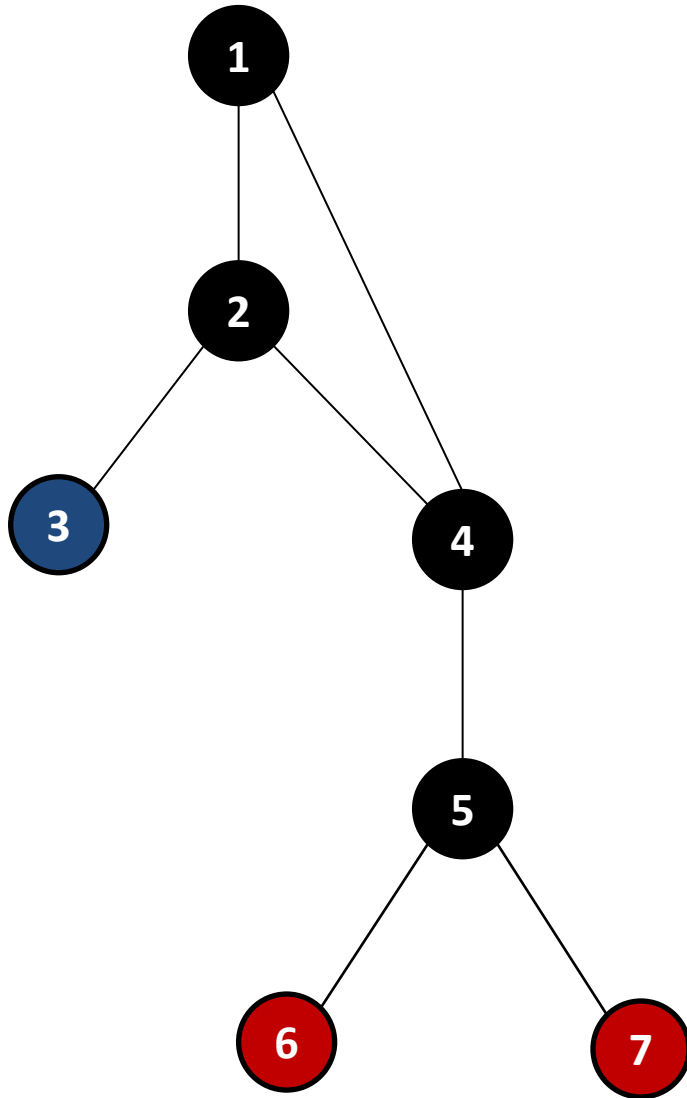
Breadth-first *graph* walk



Queue: 3 5

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}
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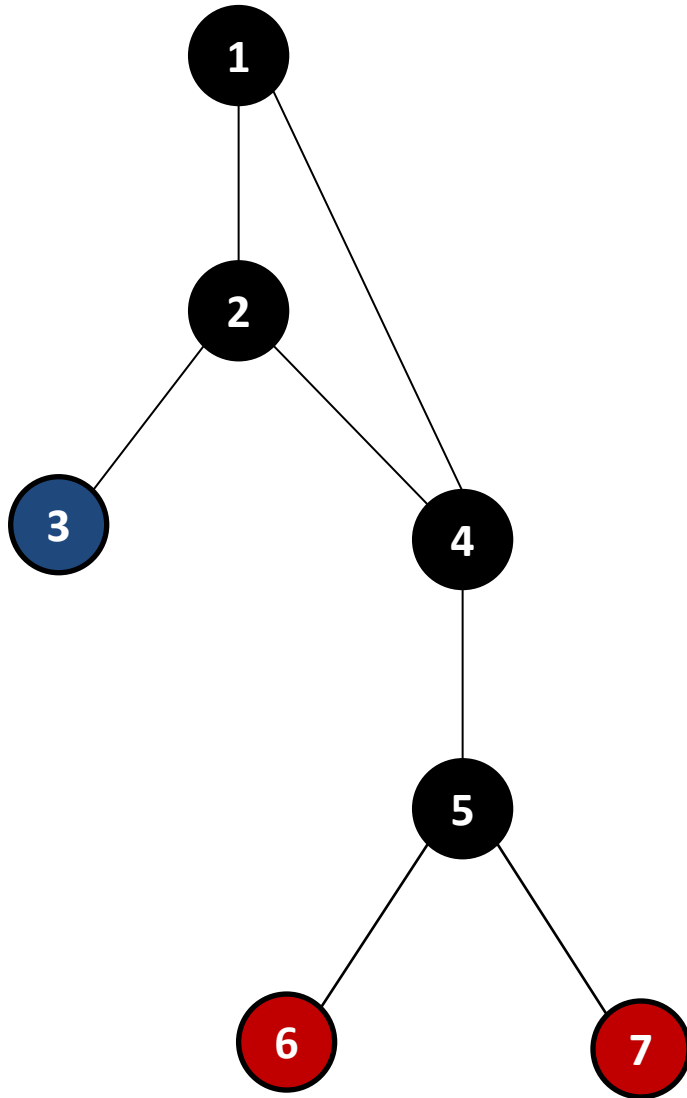

Breadth-first *graph* walk



Queue: 5

```
BreadthFirst(start) {  
  q = empty queue  
  q.Enqueue(start)  
  mark start visited  
  while q not empty {  
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    for each child c of node  
      if c not visited already  
        q.Enqueue(c)  
        mark c visited  
  }  
}
```

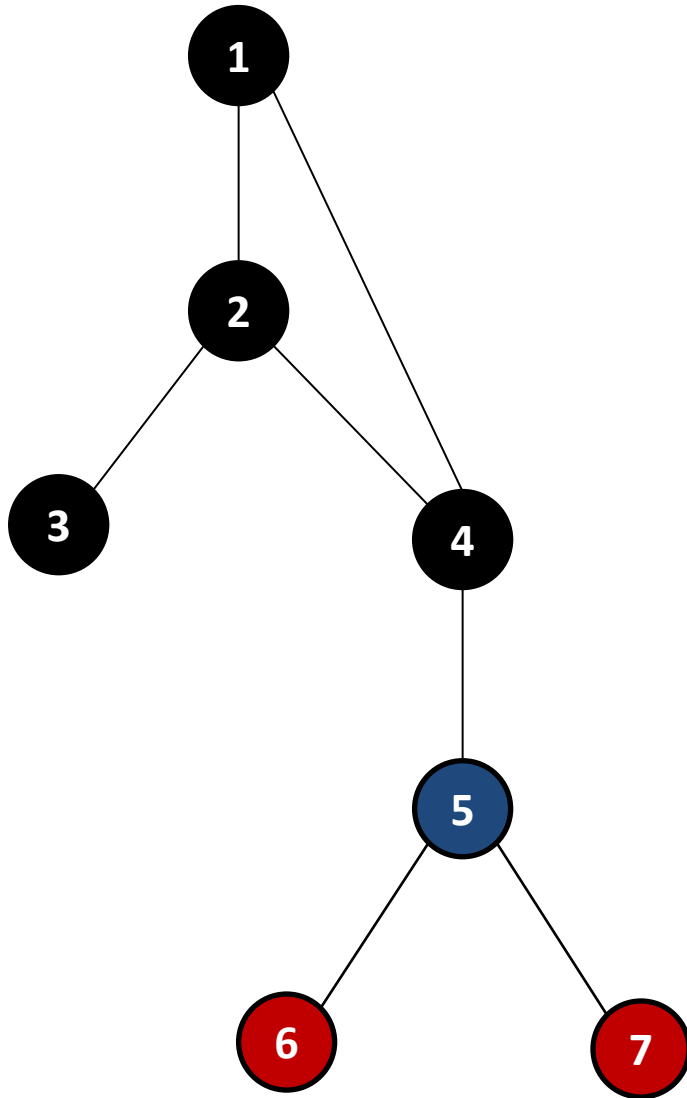
Breadth-first *graph* walk



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      if c not visited already  
        q.Enqueue(c)  
        mark c visited  
  }  
}
```

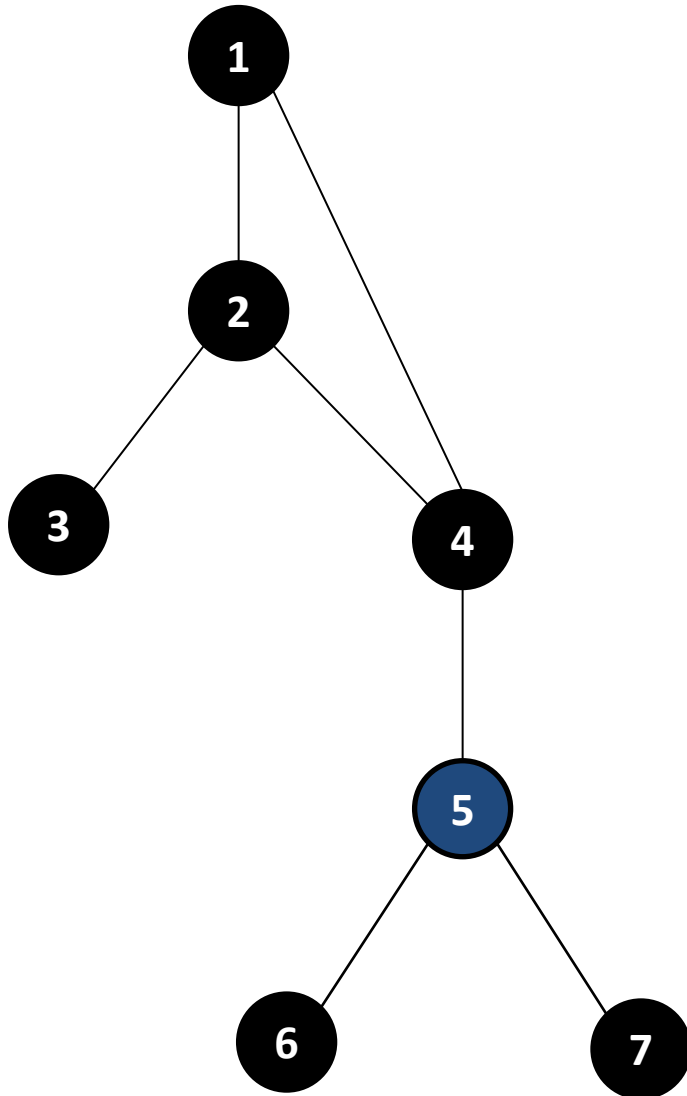
Breadth-first *graph* walk



Queue:

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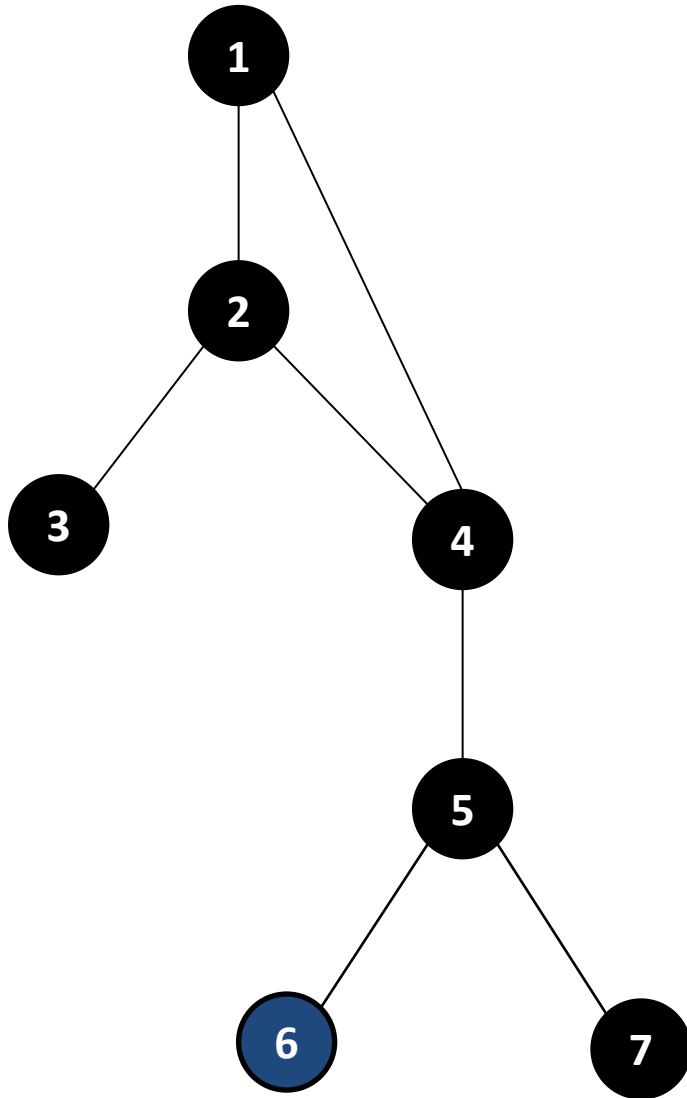
Breadth-first *graph* walk



Queue: 6 7

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BreadthFirst(start) {  
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  }  
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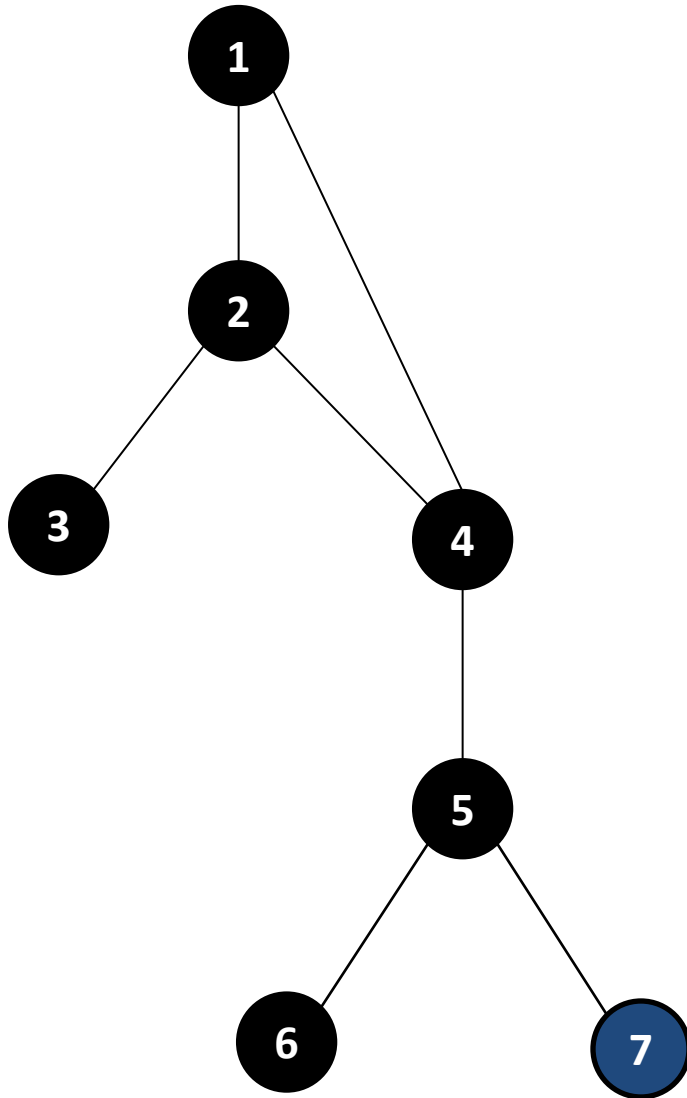
Breadth-first *graph* walk



Queue: 7

```
BreadthFirst(start) {  
  q = empty queue  
  q.Enqueue(start)  
  mark start visited  
  while q not empty {  
    node = q.Dequeue()  
    for each child c of node  
      if c not visited already  
        q.Enqueue(c)  
        mark c visited  
  }  
}
```

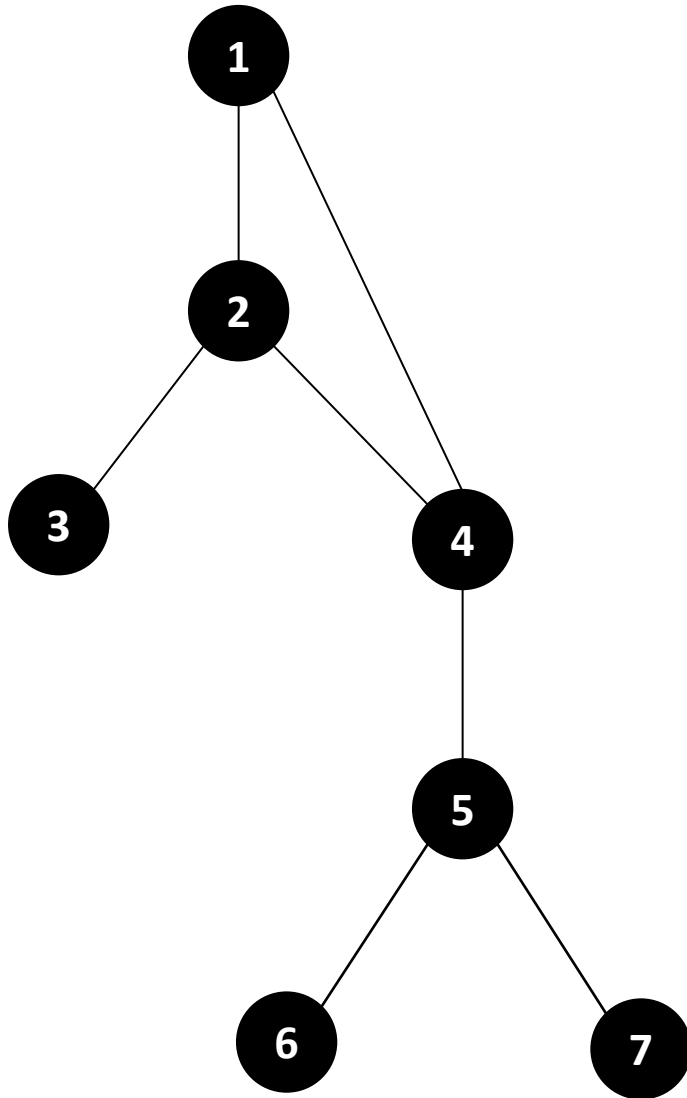
Breadth-first *graph* walk



Queue: 7

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        mark c visited  
  }  
}
```

Breadth-first *graph* walk



- Tracking which nodes have been visited is sufficient to fix the problem
- Great! How do we keep track of which nodes have been visited

Visit information in the nodes

- One solution is to **add a field** to the node structure
- Advantages
 - **Fast** and efficient
- Disadvantages
 - You need to **know in advance** that you'll be walking the graph
 - Doesn't work well if you're using **someone else's graph implementation**
 - Uses memory even when you aren't walking the graph

```
class GraphNode {  
    GraphNode[ ] adjacent;  
    bool visited = false;  
}
```

```
node.visited = true;
```


Parallel array structure

- Use a **separate array**
 - Indexed by node number
- Advantages
 - **Fast**
 - Can **deallocate** the array when it's not being used
- Disadvantages
 - Requires nodes to be **numbered**
 - But you often do that for other reasons anyway.

```
bool[ ] visited;  
visited[node.number] = true;
```

Hash table (or other dictionary structure)

- If nothing else, you can use a hash table

- Use nodes as keys

```
Hashtable visited  
= new Hashtable();
```

- Advantages

- **Easy**

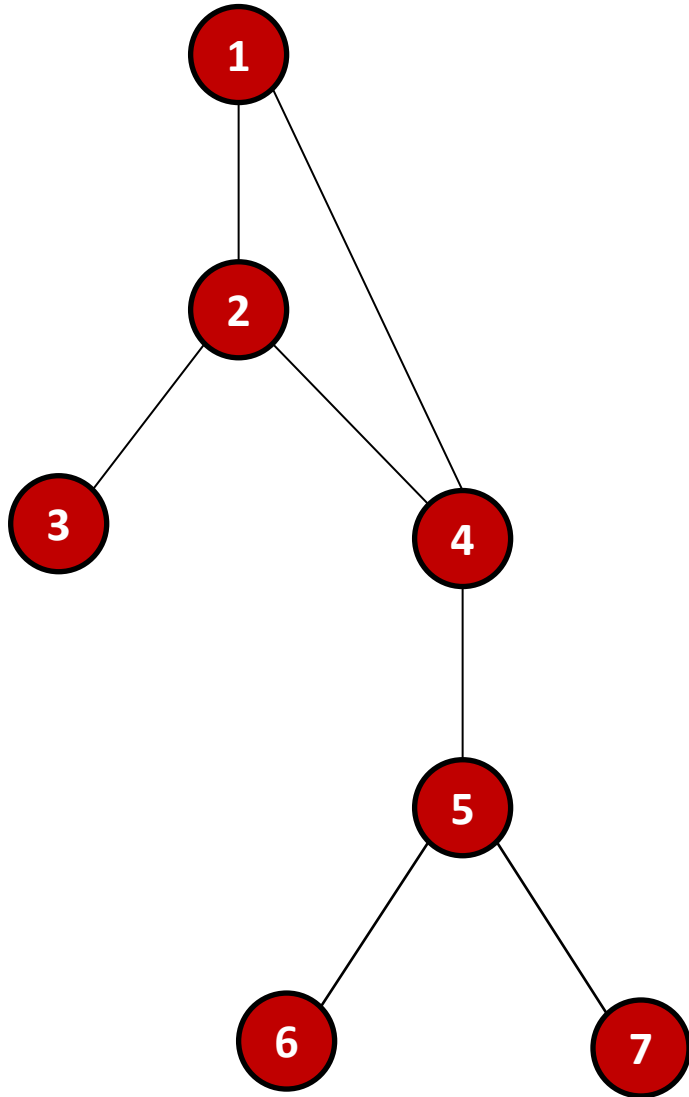
- Works with **any node structure**

```
visited.Store(node, true);
```

- Disadvantages

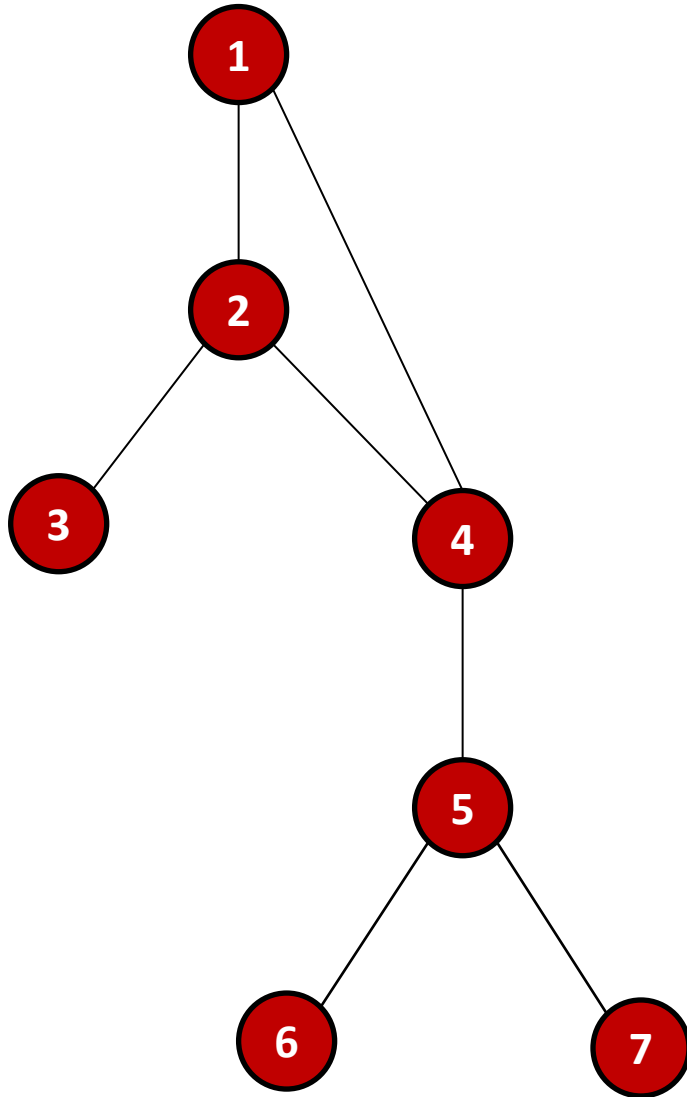
- **Slower** than other approaches

Breadth-first search (from CLR)



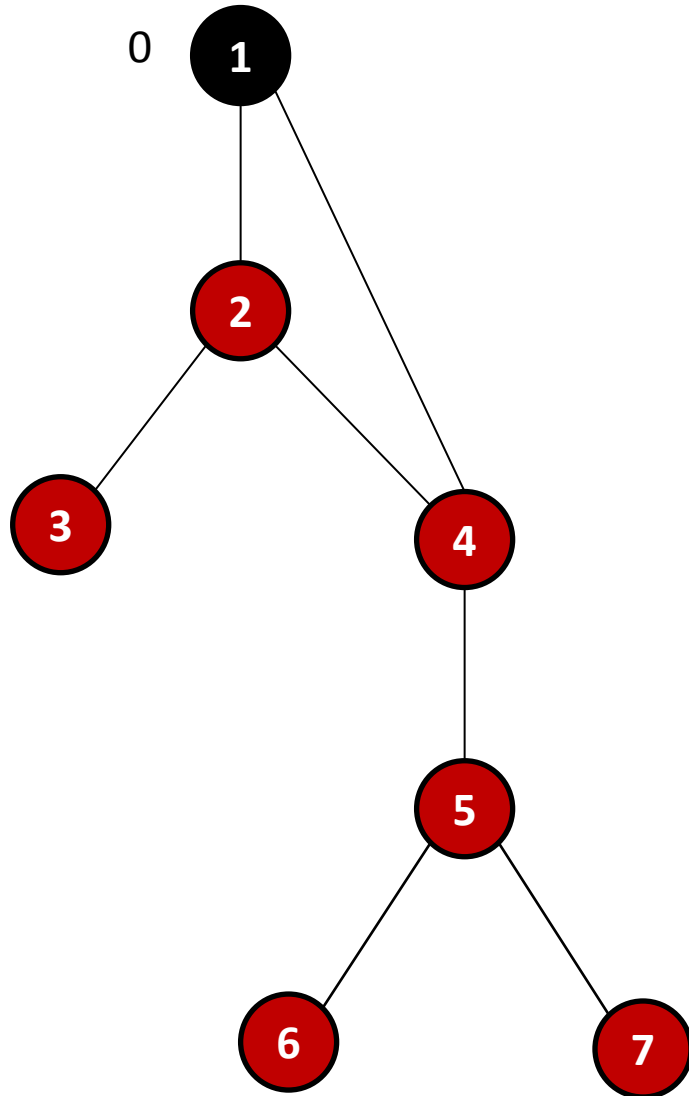
- Breadth-first walks are often called **breadth-first searches**
- The CLR book defines a **fancier version of BFS**
- It tracks **additional information**
 - **Distances** of nodes from the start node
 - **Predecessors** of nodes in the walk
 - Which of its neighbors was searched first

Breadth-first search (from CLR)



```
BreadthFirstSearch(start) {  
  q = empty queue  
  q.Enqueue(start)  
  start.distance = 0  
  start.predecessor = null  
  mark start visited  
  while q not empty {  
    node = q.Dequeue()  
    for each neighbor c  
      if c not visited {  
        q.Enqueue(c)  
        c.distance = node.distance+1  
        c.predecessor = node  
      }  
  }  
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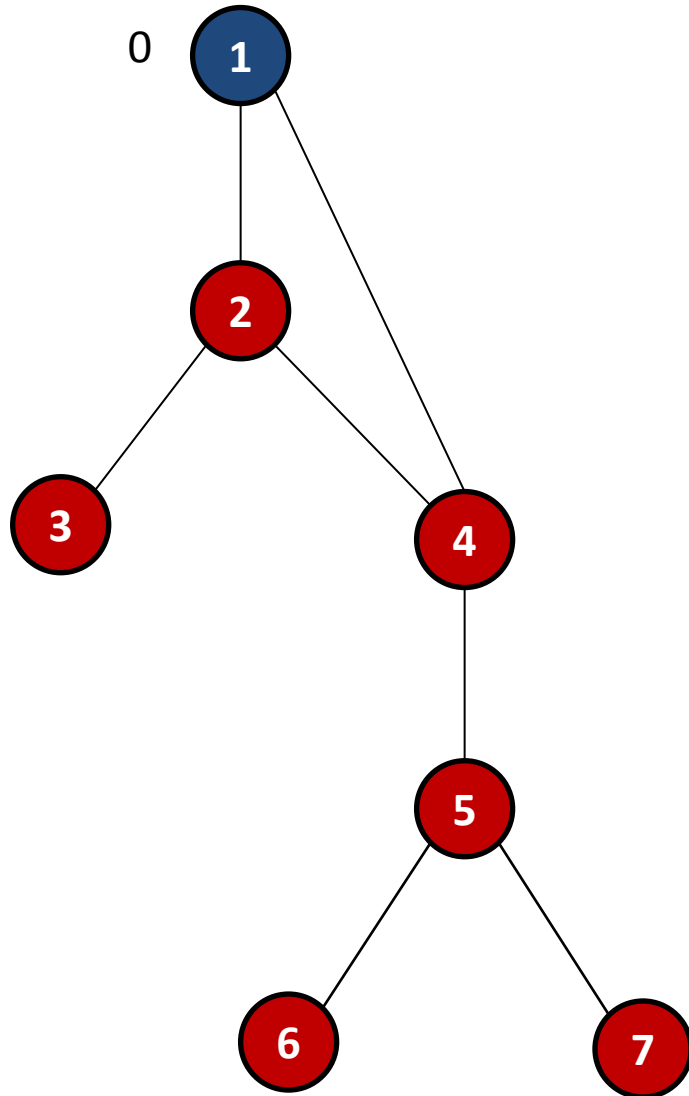
Breadth-first search (from CLR)



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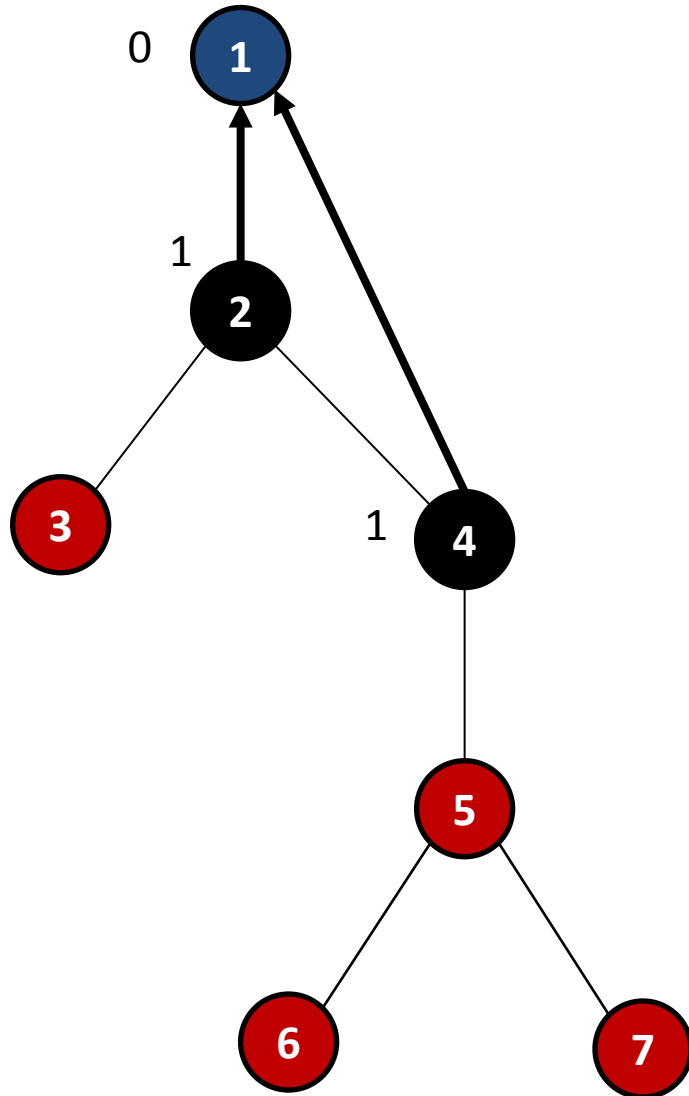
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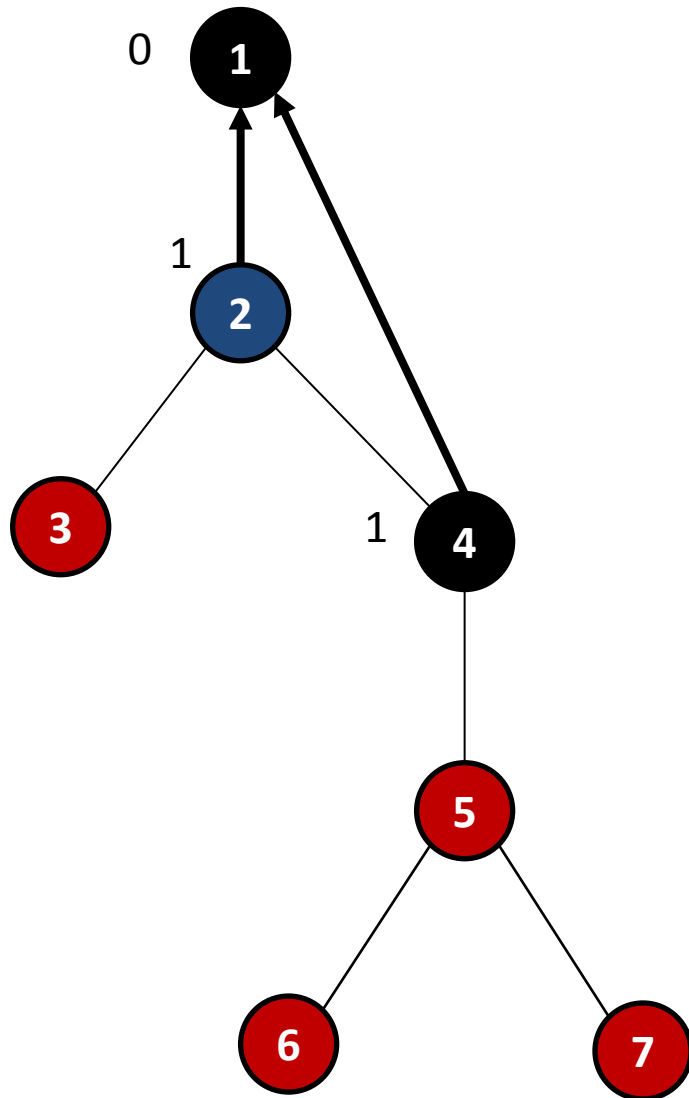
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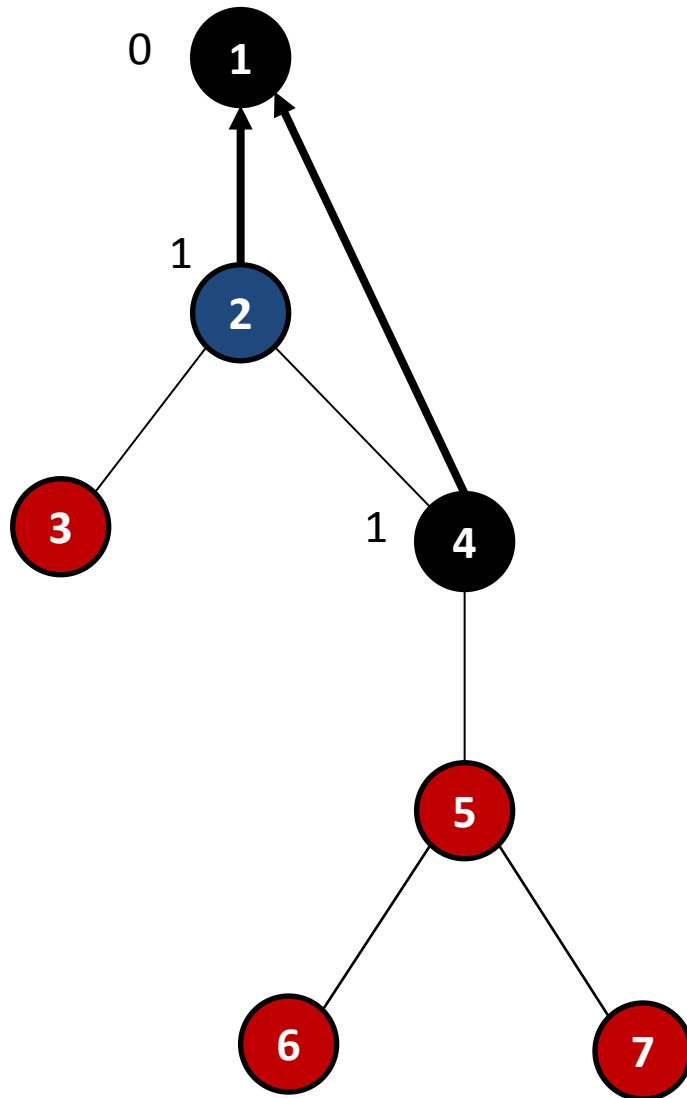
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Queue: 4

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    }  
}
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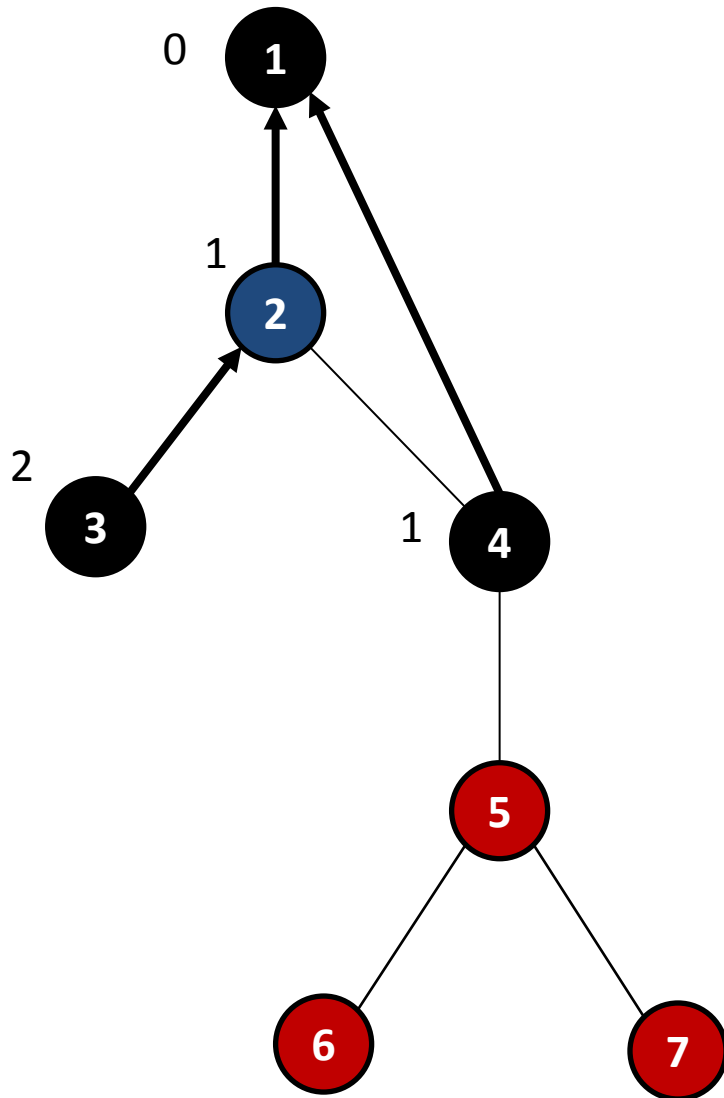

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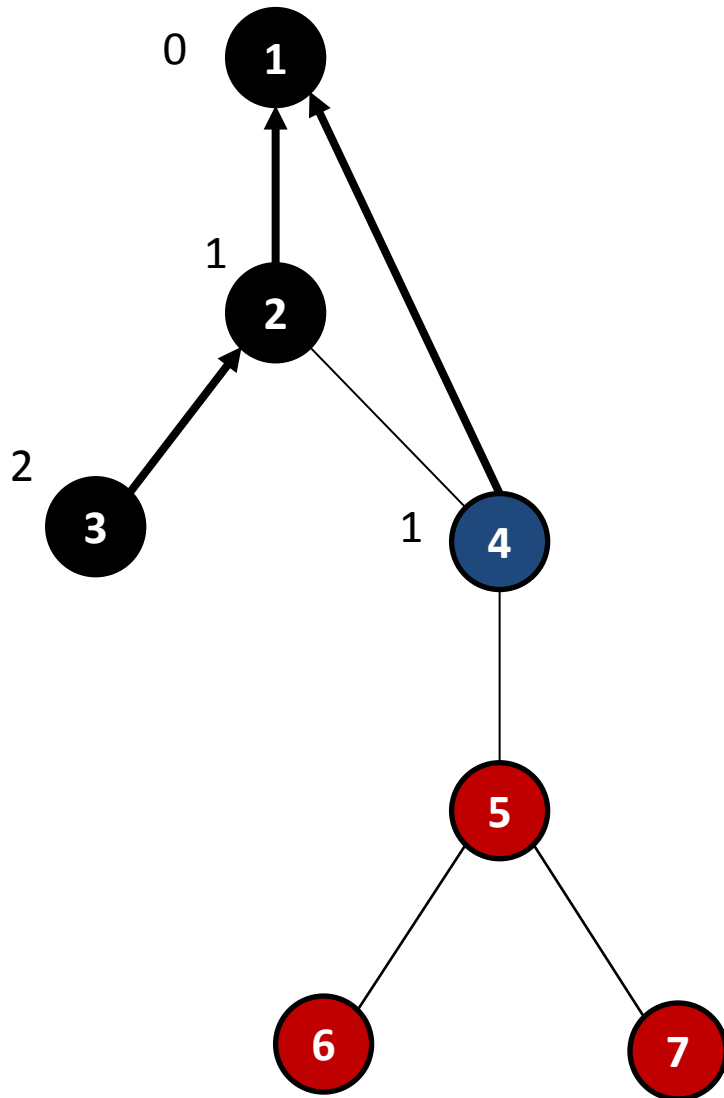
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Queue: 4 3

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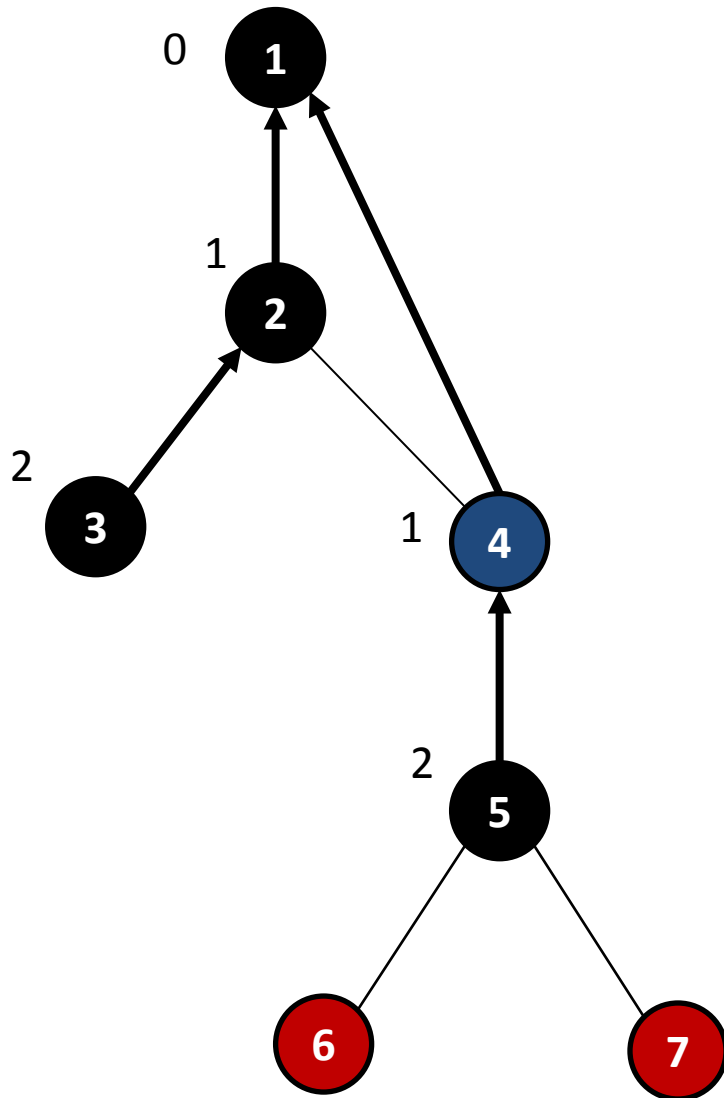
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Queue: 3

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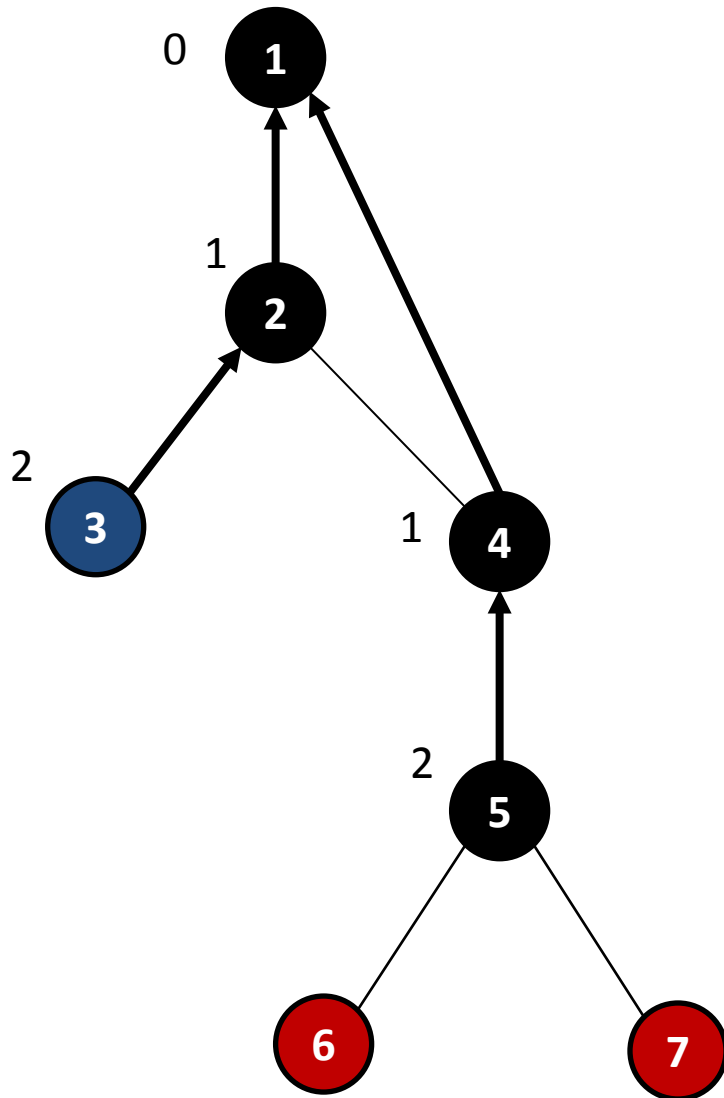
Breadth-first search (from CLR)



Queue: 3 5

```
BreadthFirstSearch(start) {  
    q = empty queue  
    q.Enqueue(start)  
    start.distance = 0  
    start.predecessor = null  
    mark start visited  
    while q not empty {  
        node = q.Dequeue()  
        for each neighbor c  
            if c not visited {  
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            }  
    }  
}
```

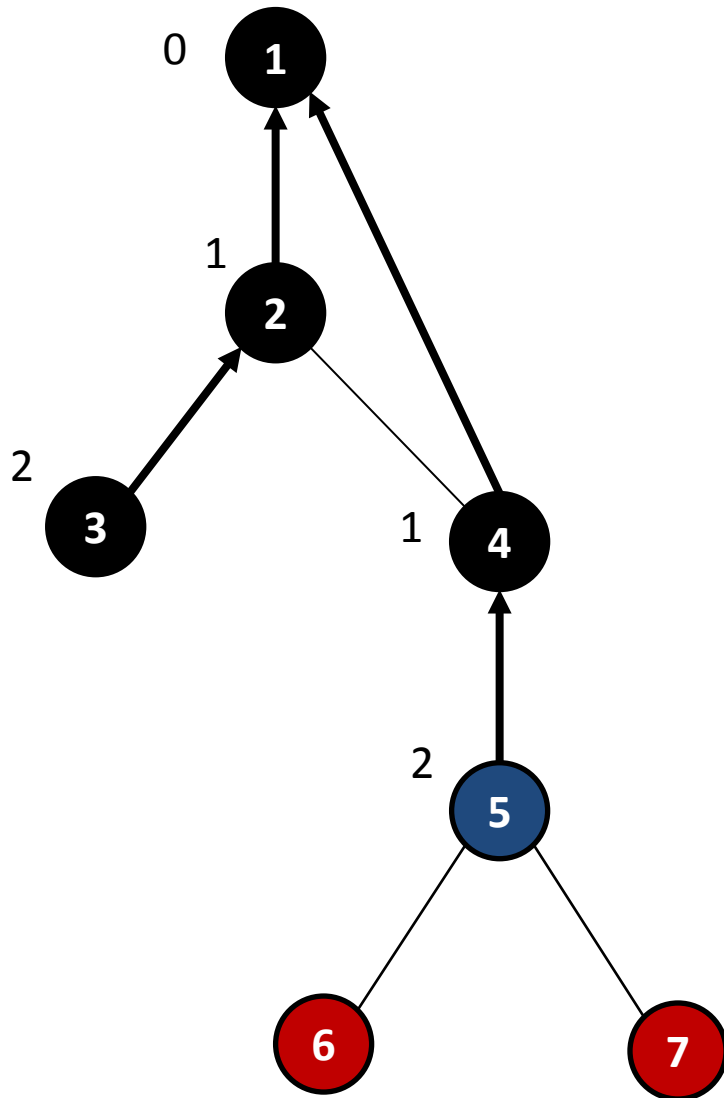
Breadth-first search (from CLR)



Queue: 5

```
BreadthFirstSearch(start) {  
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    q.Enqueue(start)  
    start.distance = 0  
    start.predecessor = null  
    mark start visited  
    while q not empty {  
        node = q.Dequeue()  
        for each neighbor c  
            if c not visited {  
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                c.predecessor = node  
            }  
    }  
}
```

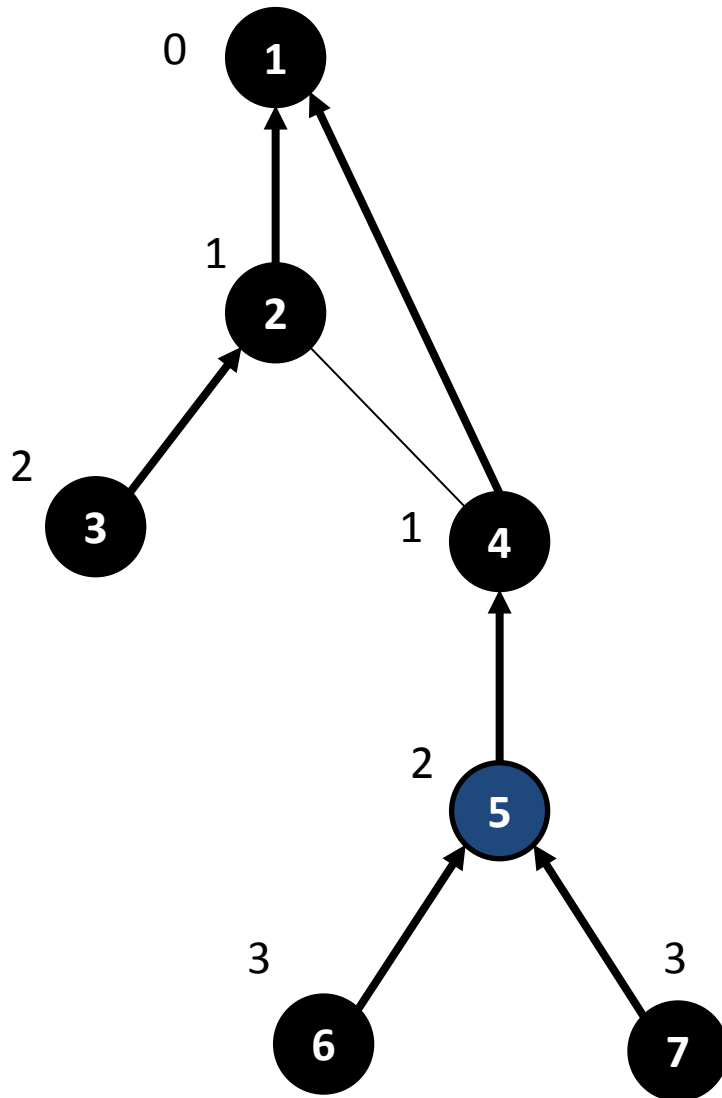
Breadth-first search (from CLR)



Queue:

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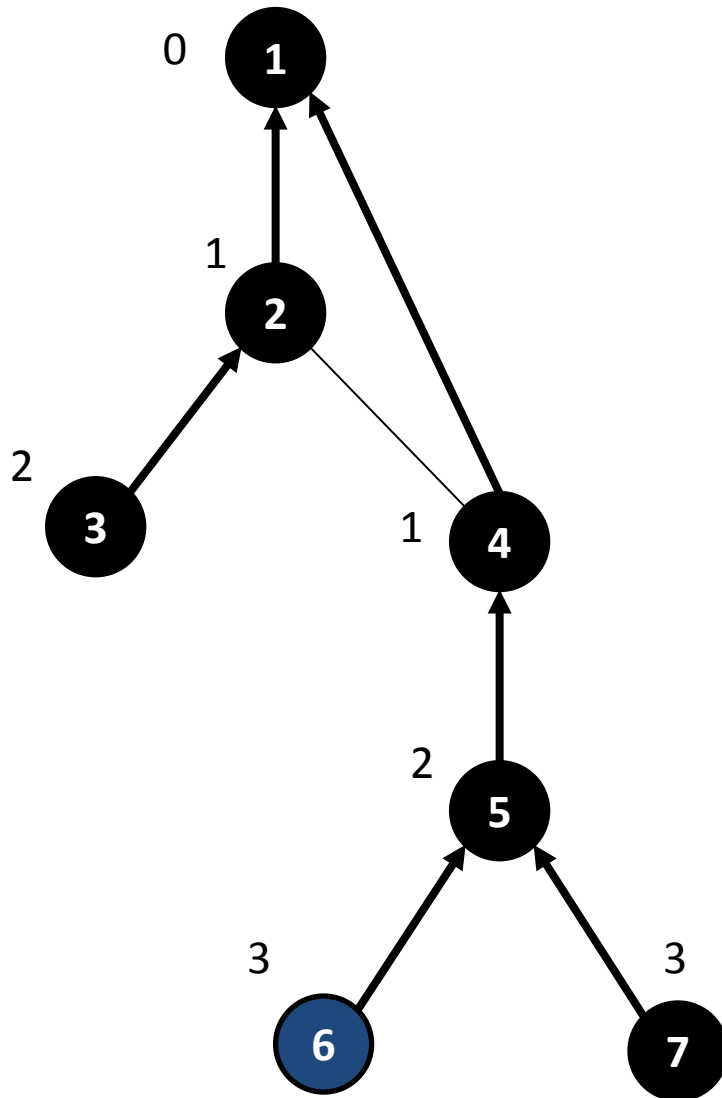
Breadth-first search (from CLR)



Queue: 6 7

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}
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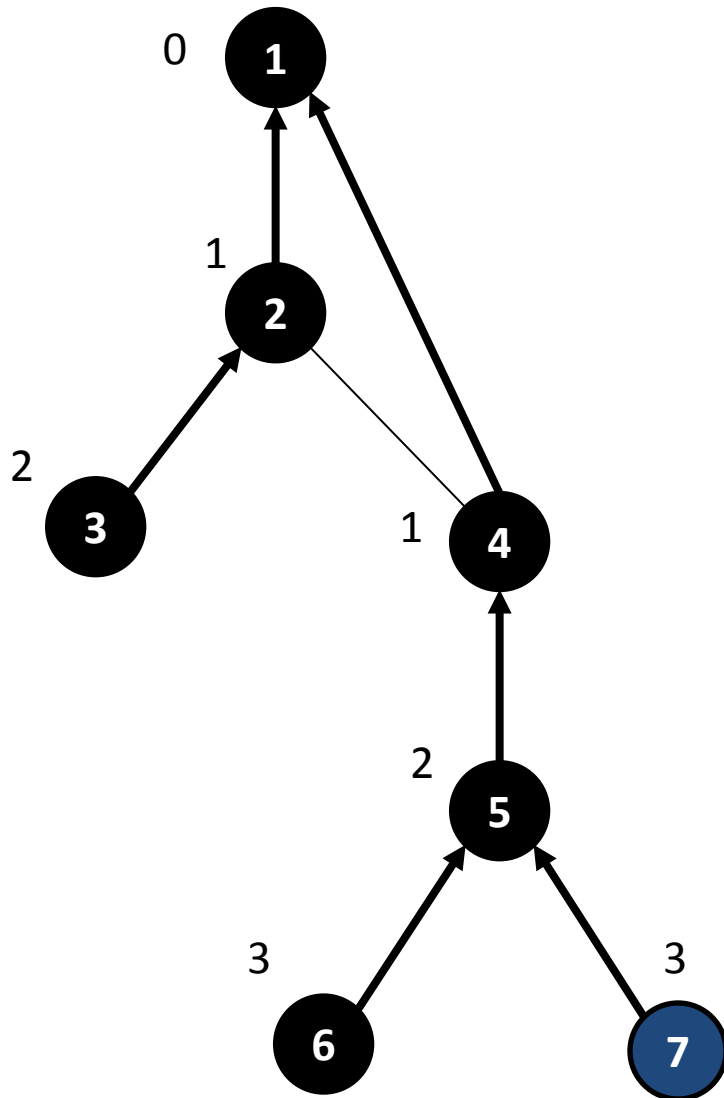
Breadth-first search (from CLR)



Queue: 7

```
BreadthFirstSearch(start) {  
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    start.predecessor = null  
    mark start visited  
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            }  
    }  
}
```

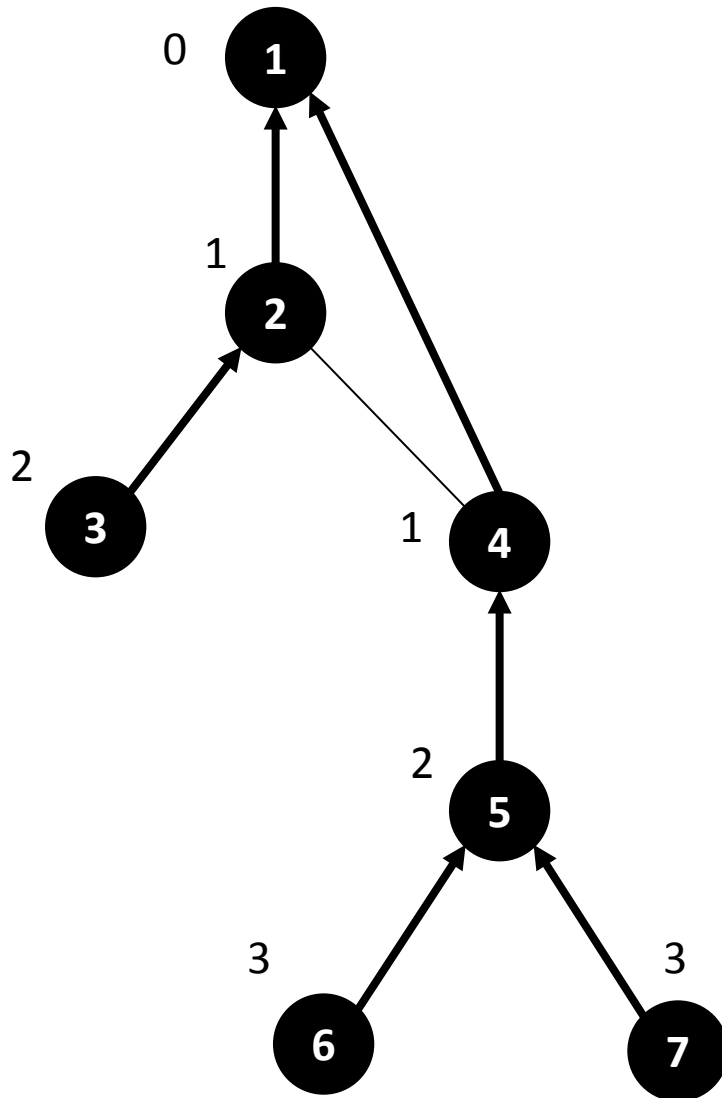

Breadth-first search (from CLR)



Queue:

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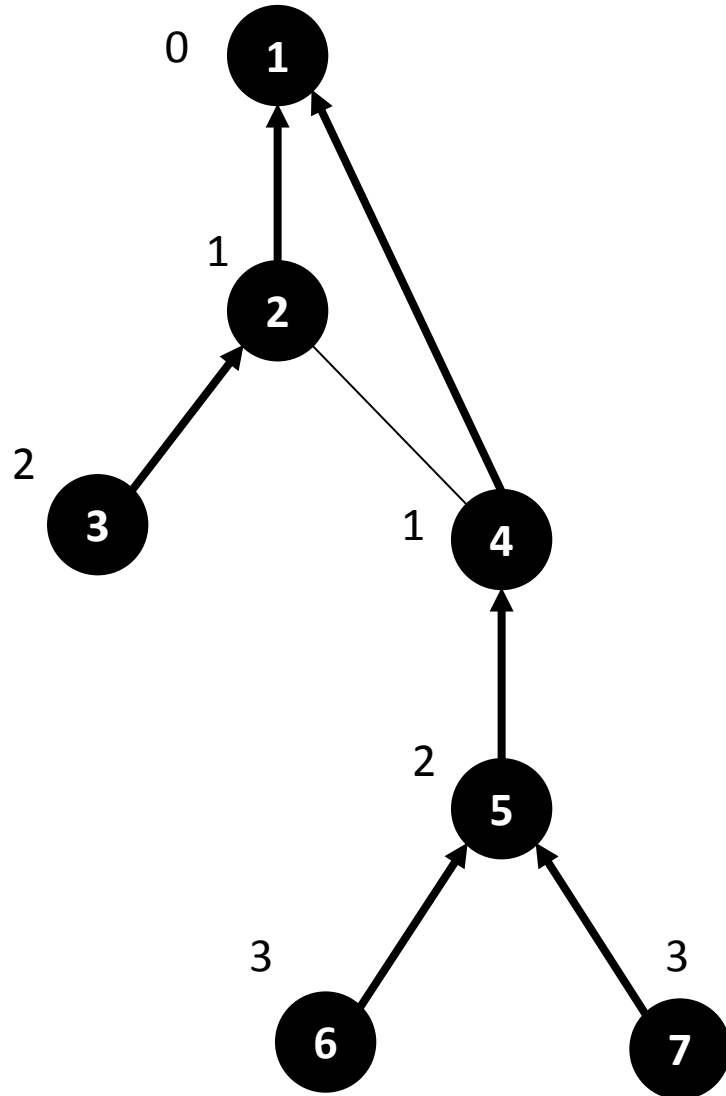
Breadth-first search (from CLR)



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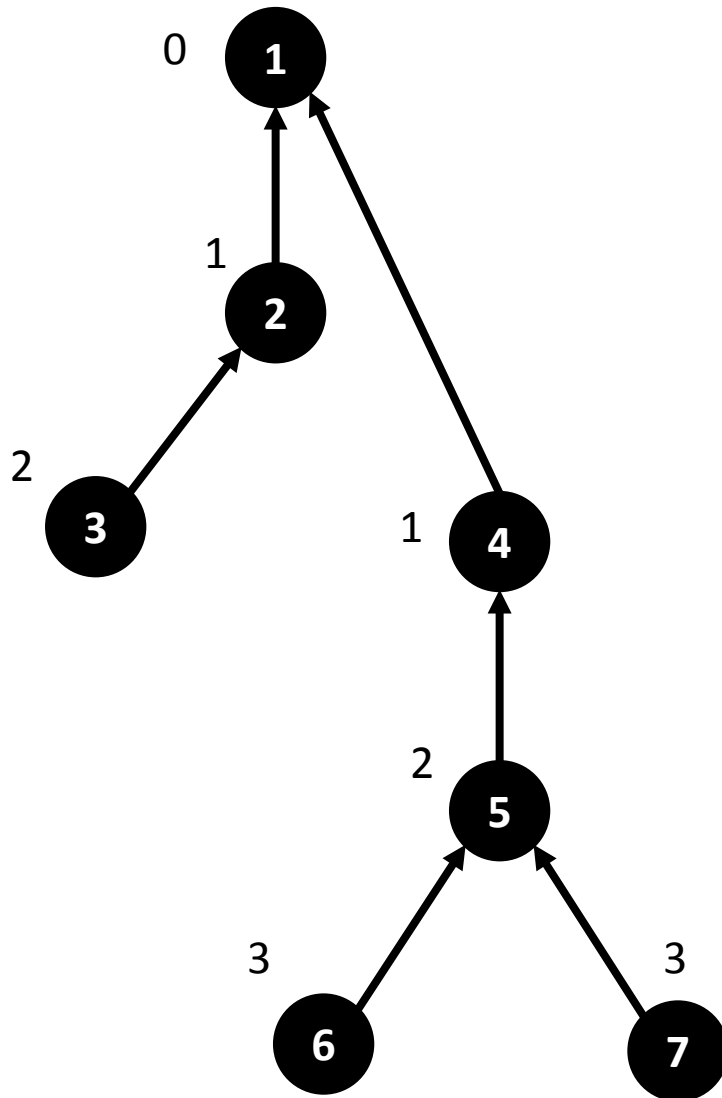
Breadth-first search (from CLR)



Notice

- Every node is labeled with its distance from the start node

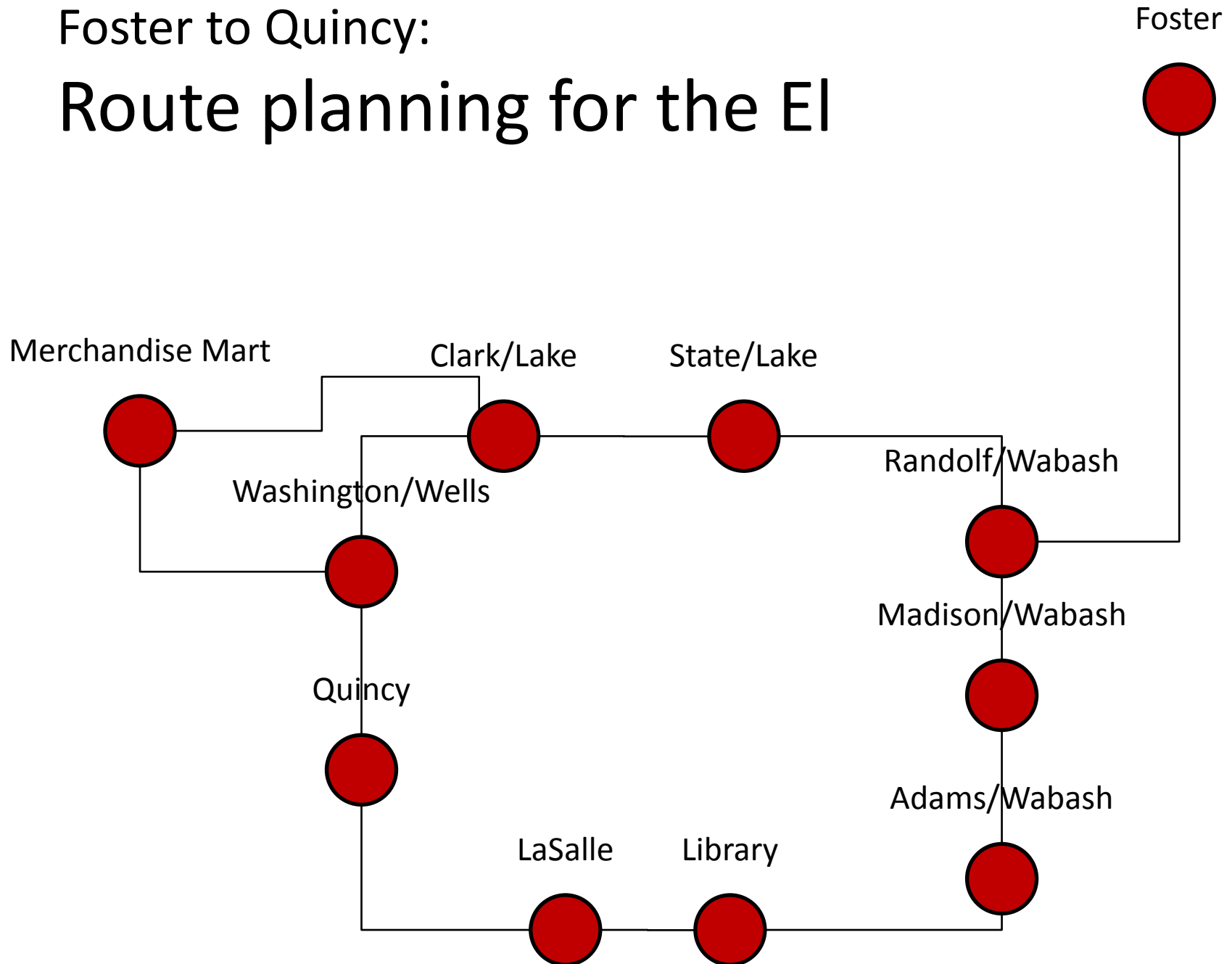
Breadth-first search (from CLR)



Notice

- Every node is labeled with its distance from the start node
- The **predecessor subgraph** (formed using only the edges corresponding to predecessor links) forms a tree
 - Called a **breadth-first tree**
- The predecessor links give you the **shortest path** from any node back to the start node
 - Technically, it's a shortest path
 - Since there might be other paths in the original graph of the same length

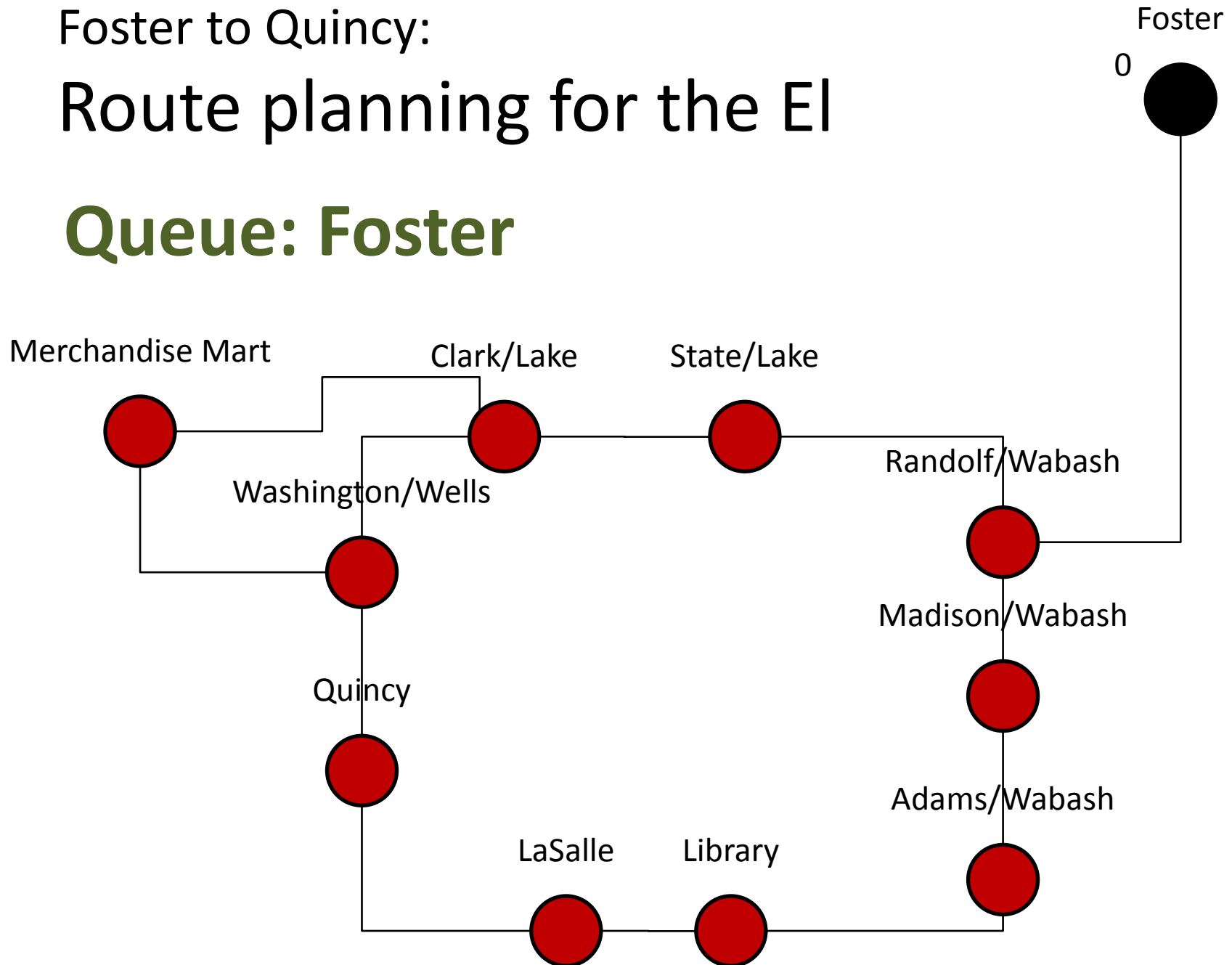
Route planning for the El



Foster to Quincy:

Route planning for the El

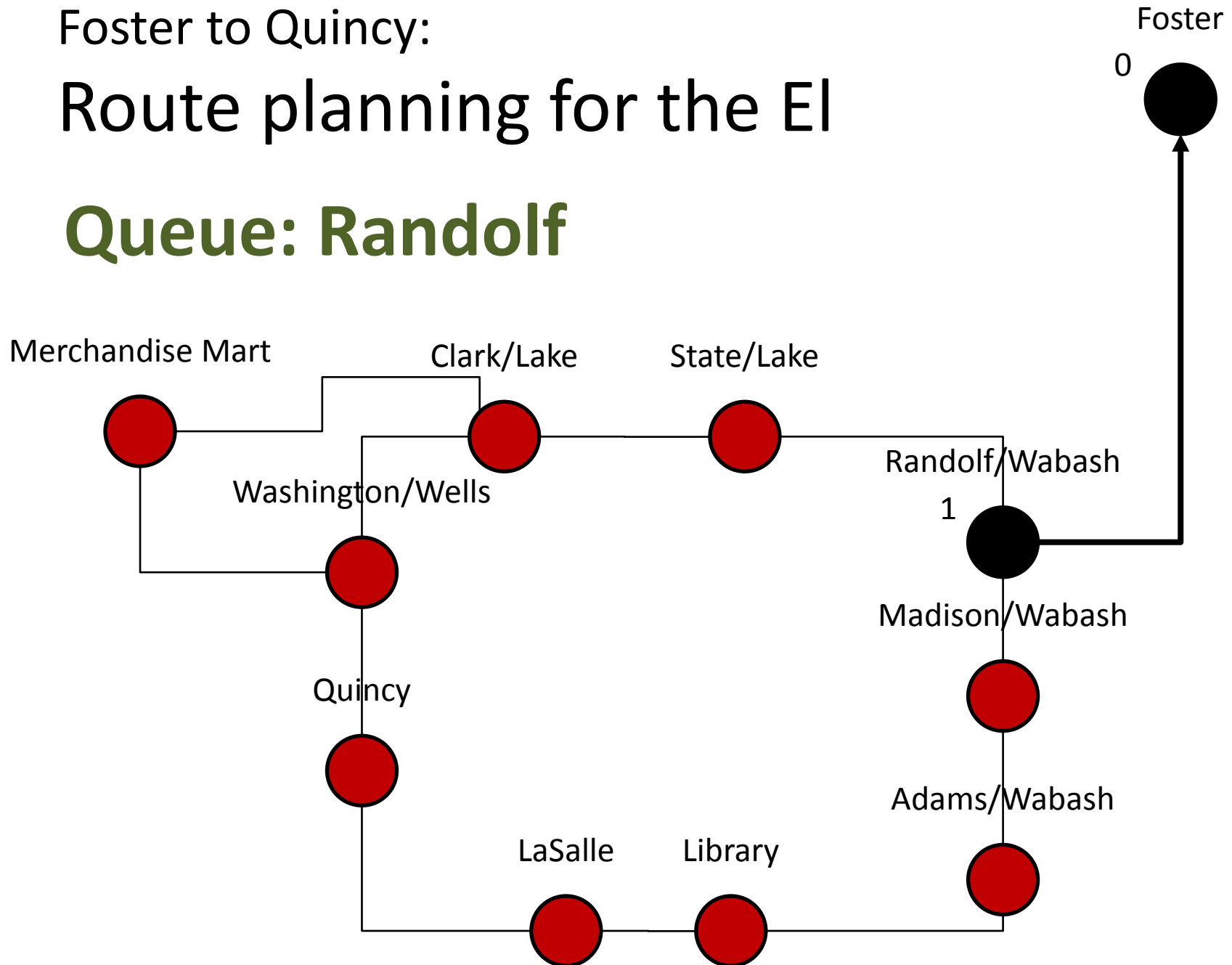
Queue: Foster

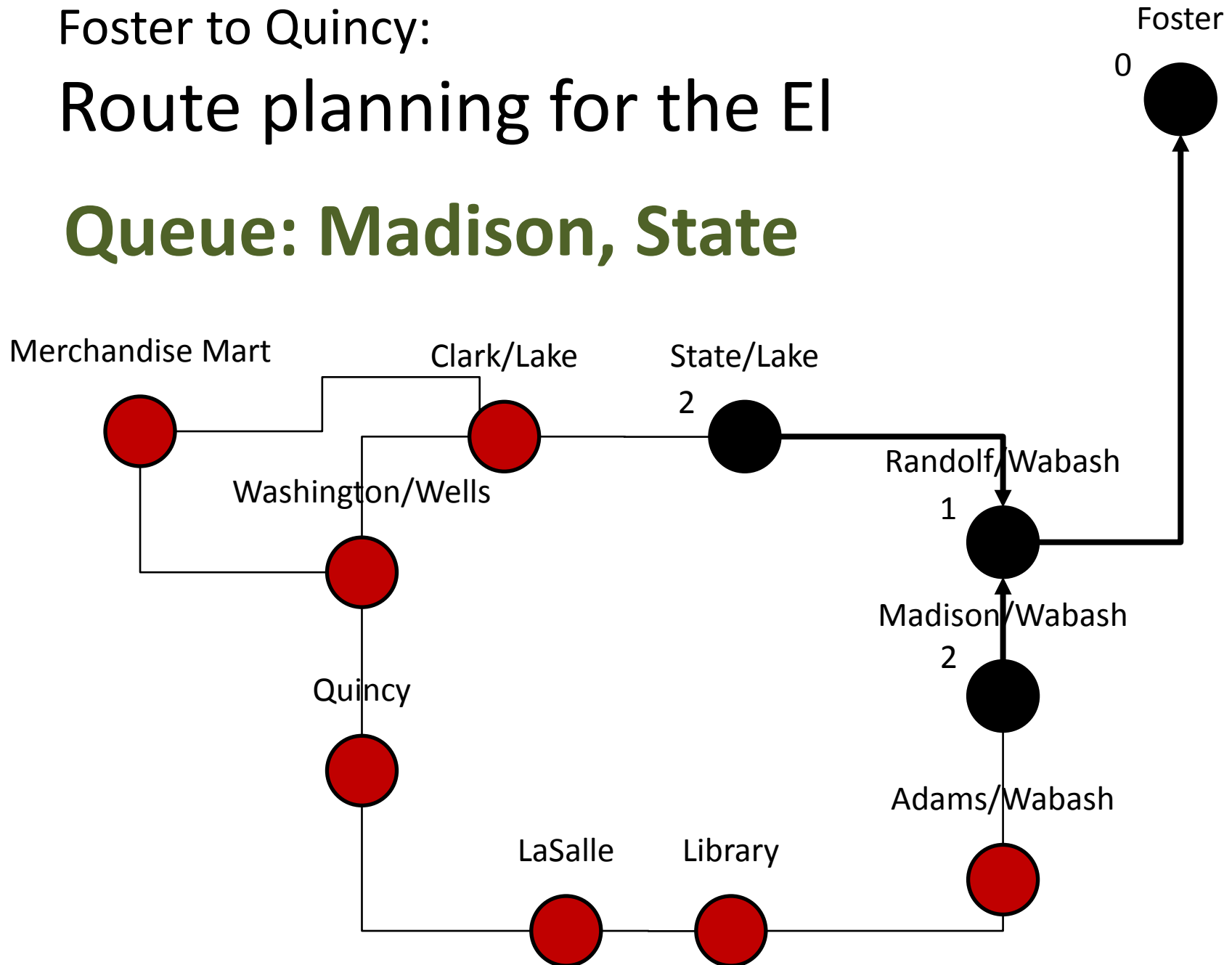


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Queue: Randolph

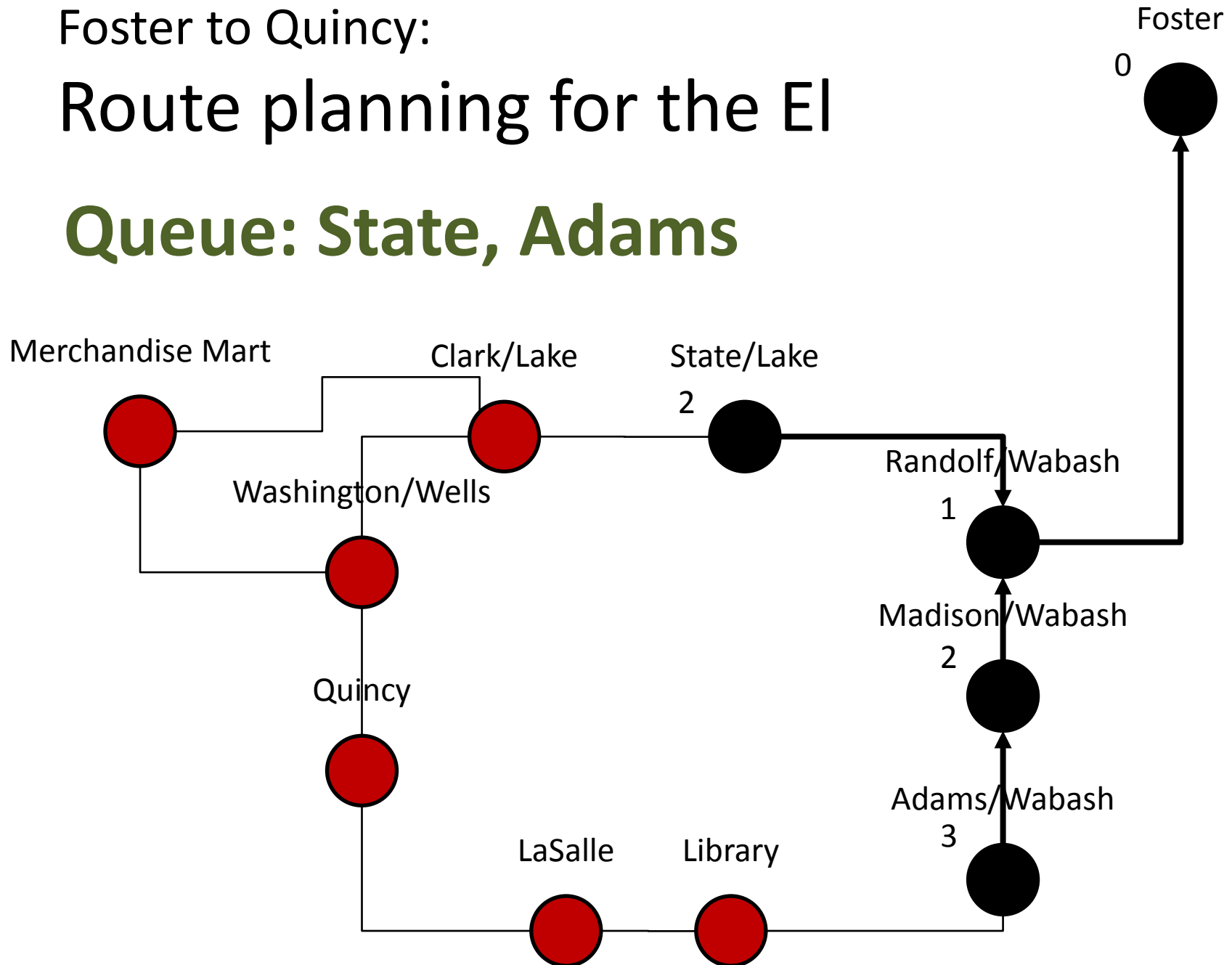




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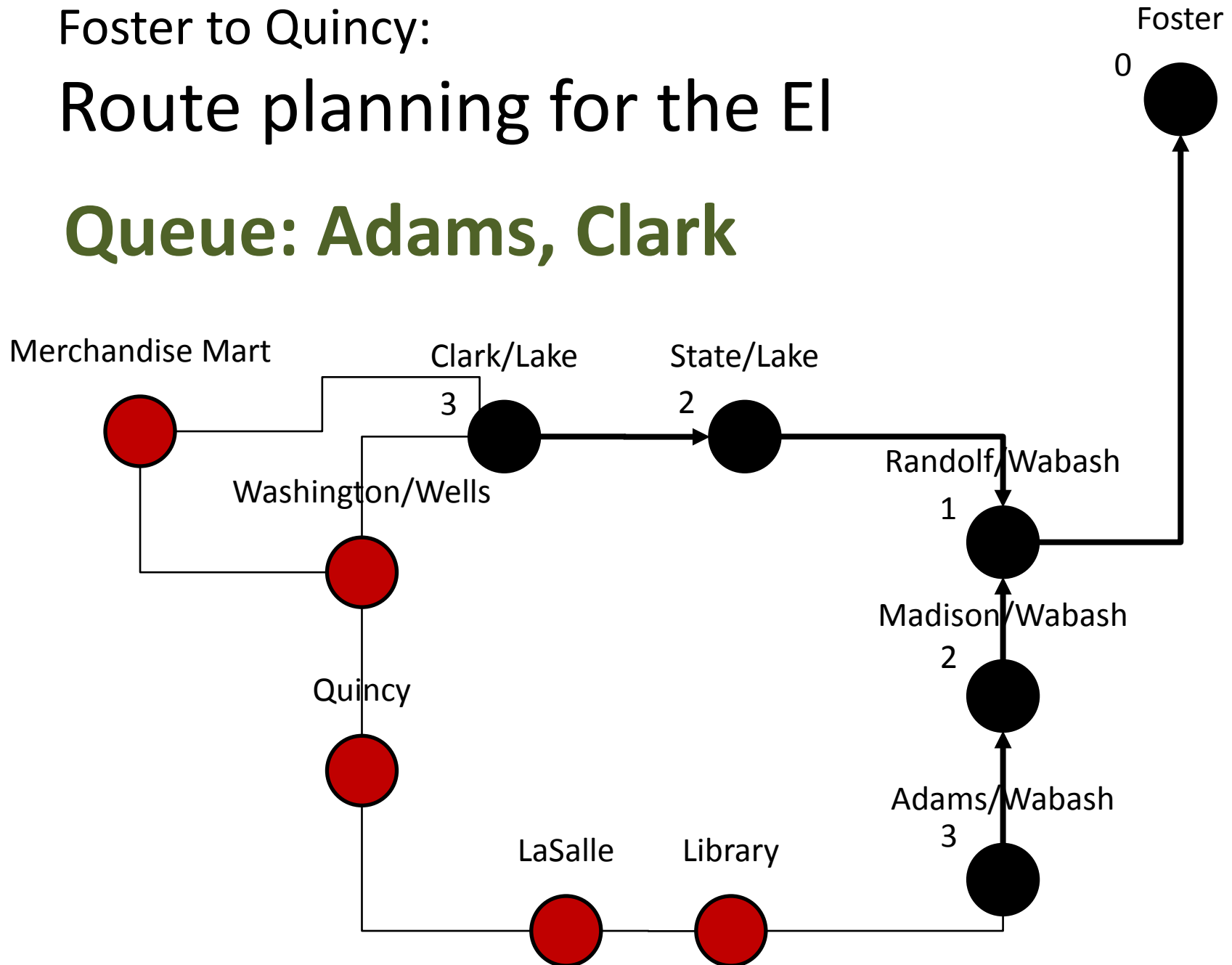
Queue: State, Adams



Foster to Quincy:

Route planning for the El

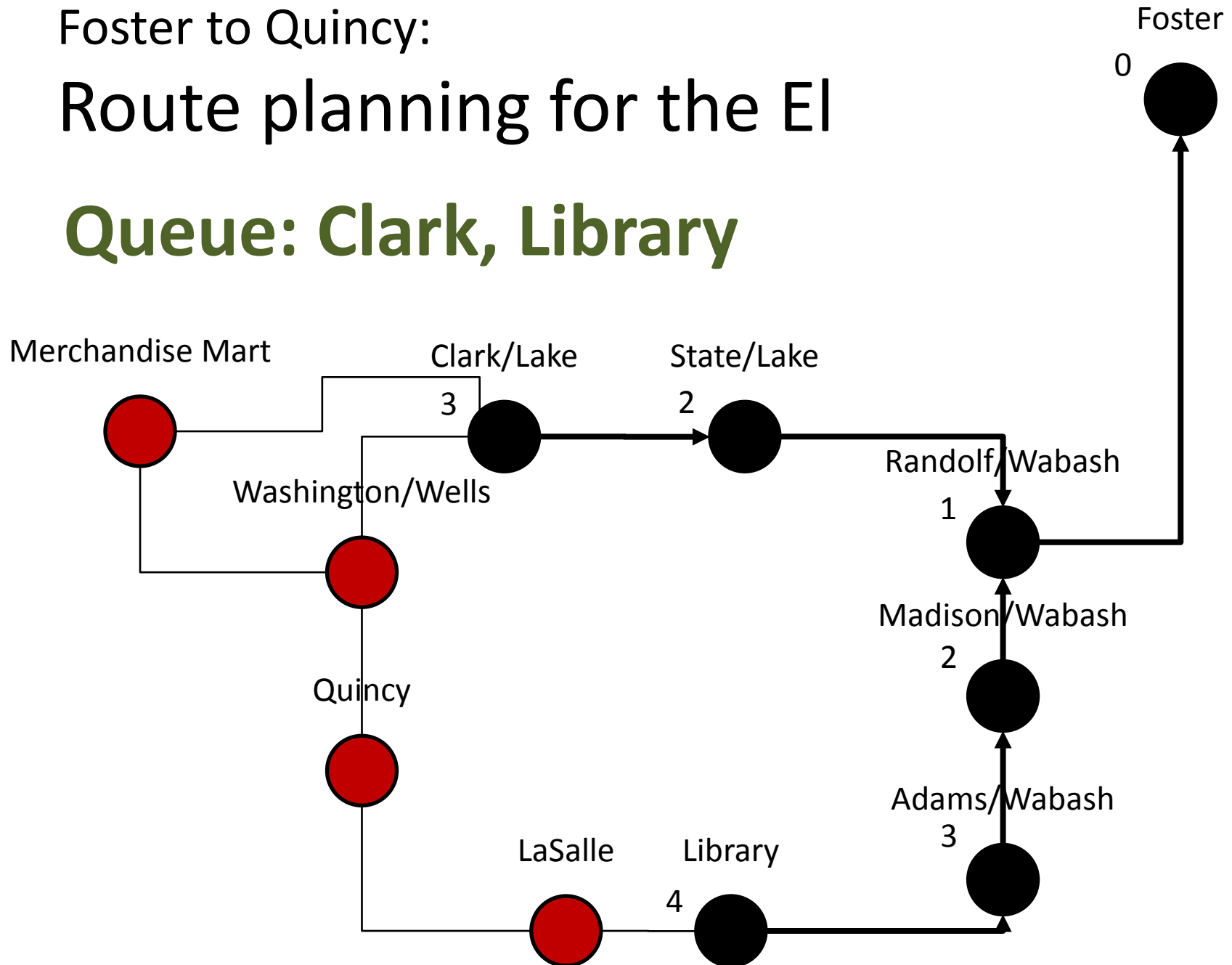
Queue: Adams, Clark



Foster to Quincy:

Route planning for the El

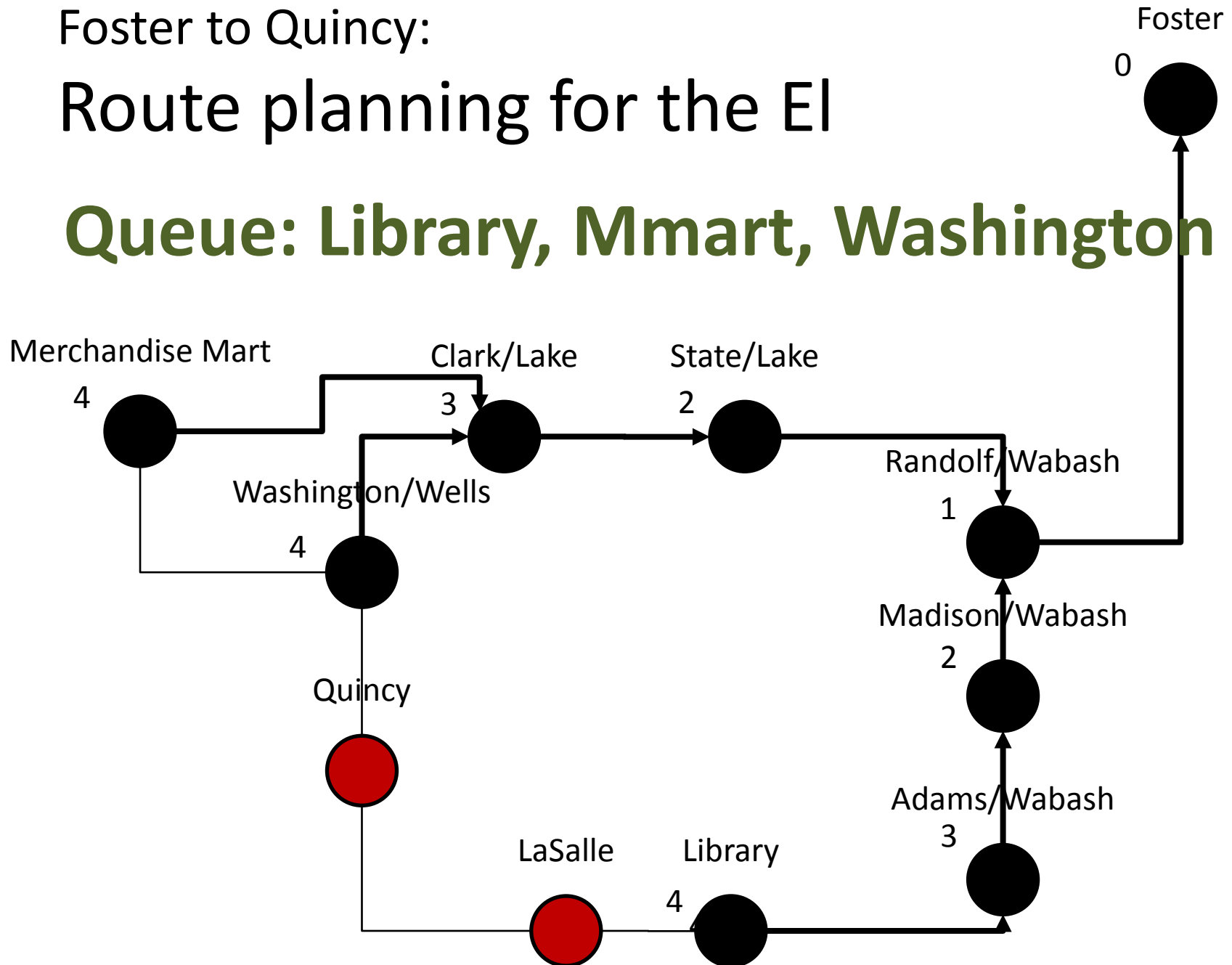
Queue: Clark, Library



Foster to Quincy:

Route planning for the El

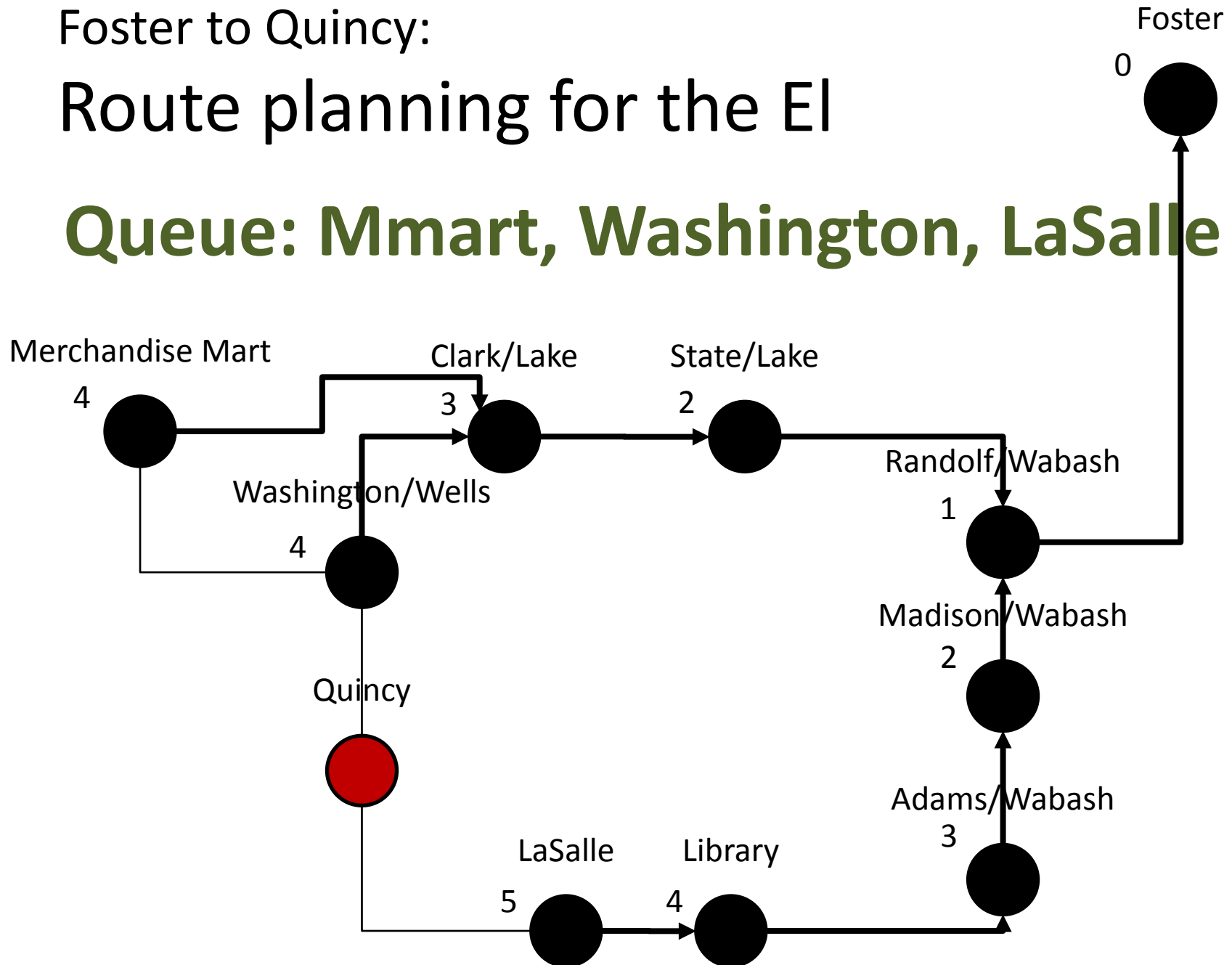
Queue: Library, Mmart, Washington



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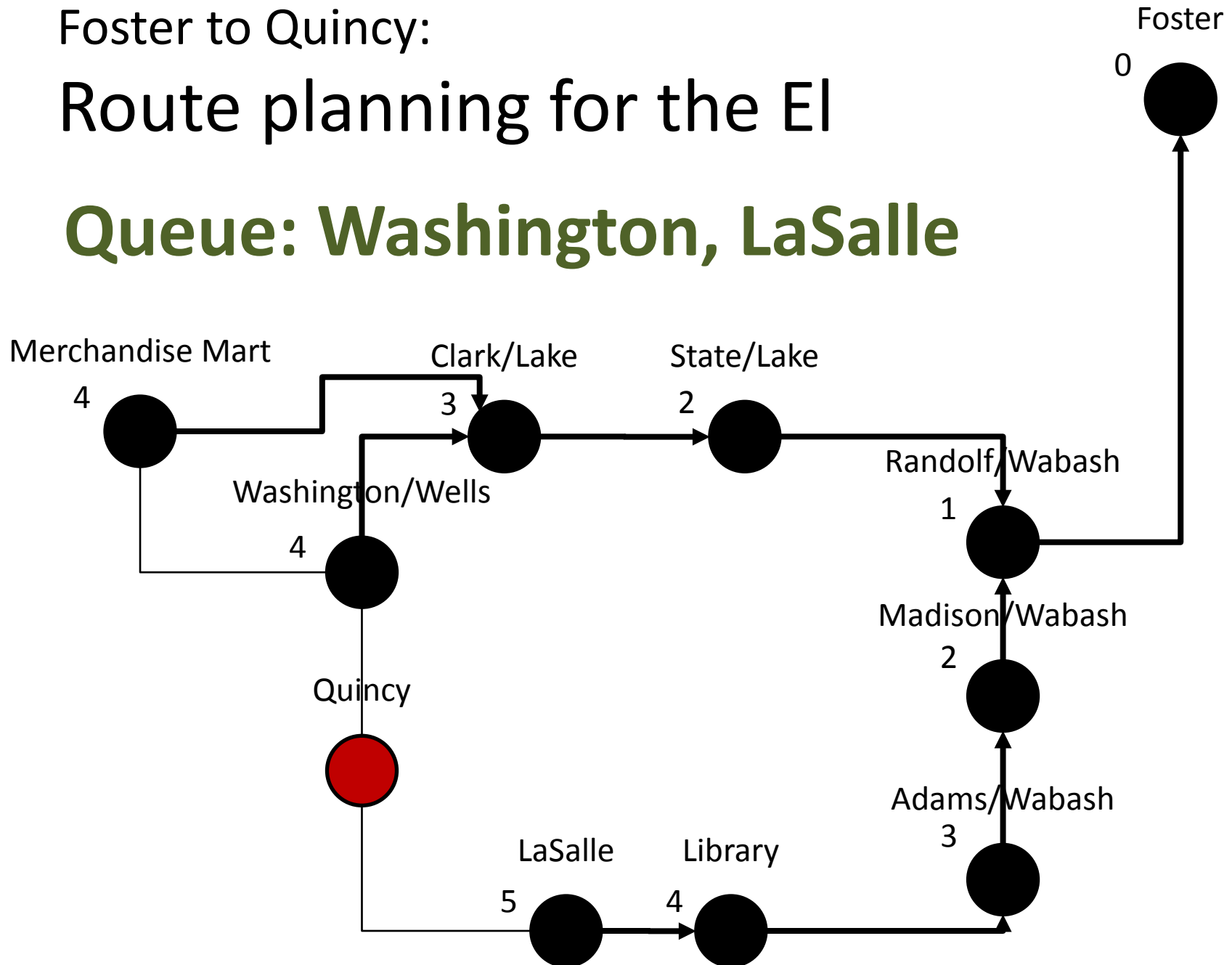
Route planning for the El

Queue: Mmart, Washington, LaSalle



Route planning for the El

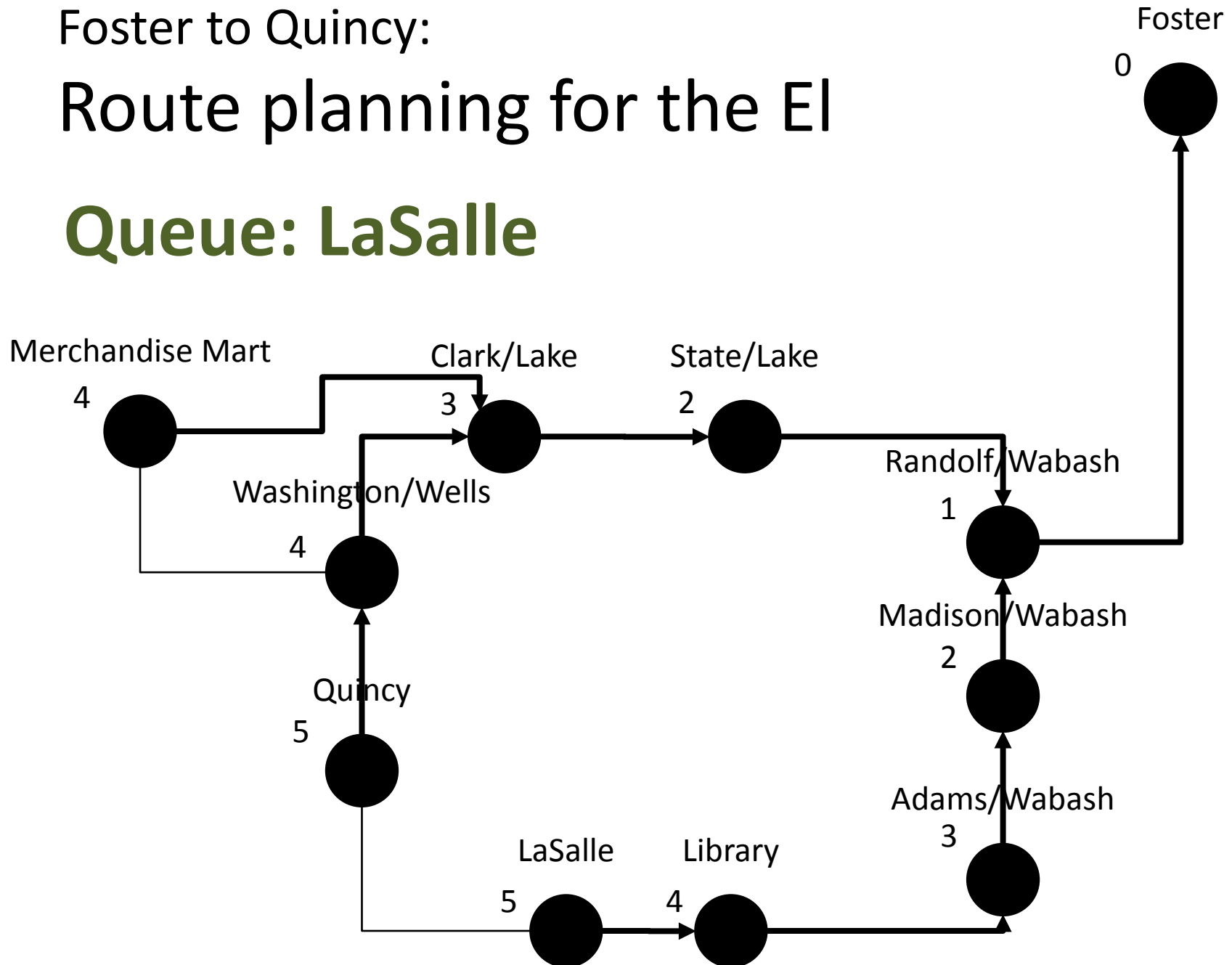
Queue: Washington, LaSalle



Foster to Quincy:

Route planning for the El

Queue: LaSalle



Foster to Quincy:

Route planning for the EI

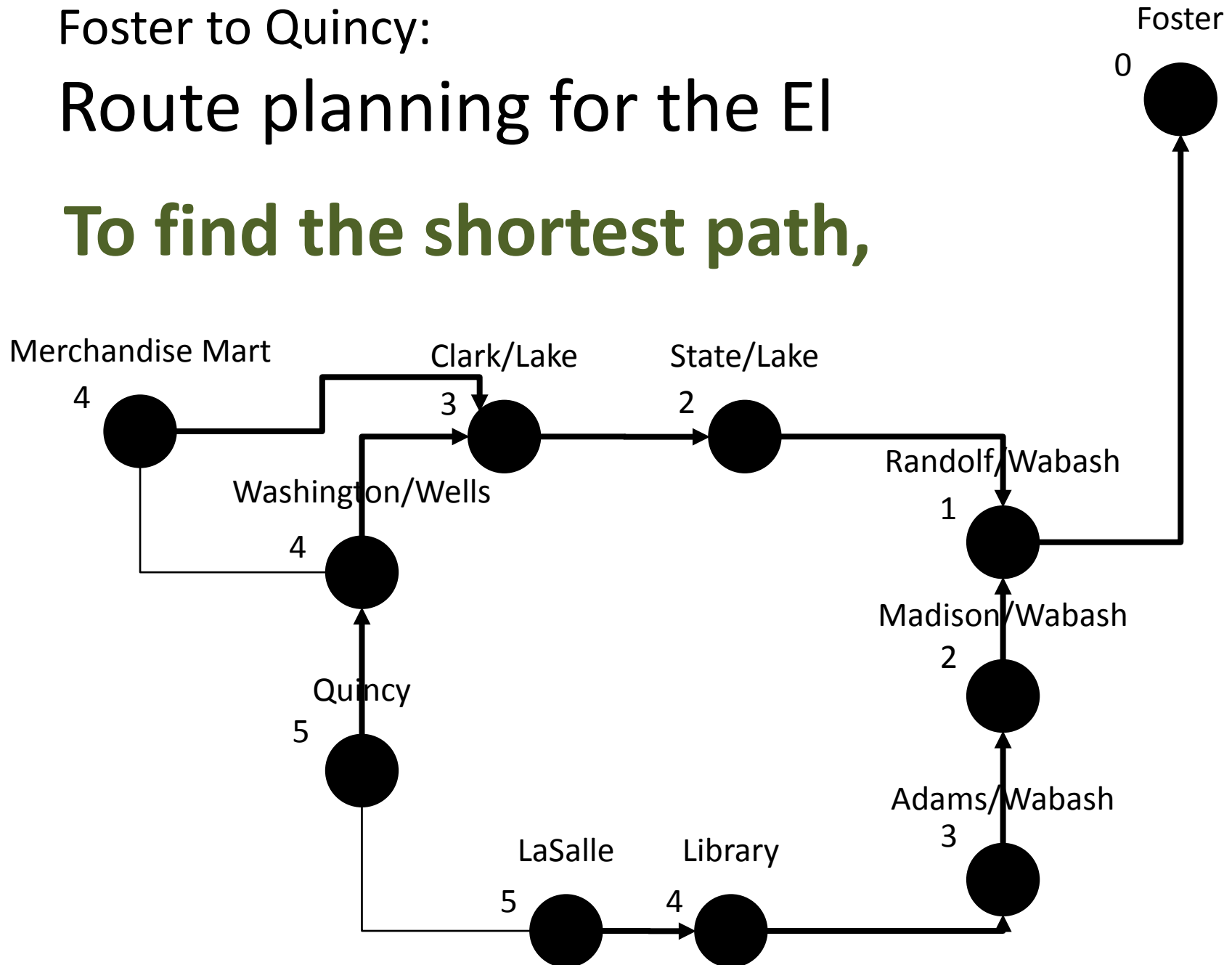
We've found the destination



Foster to Quincy:

Route planning for the EI

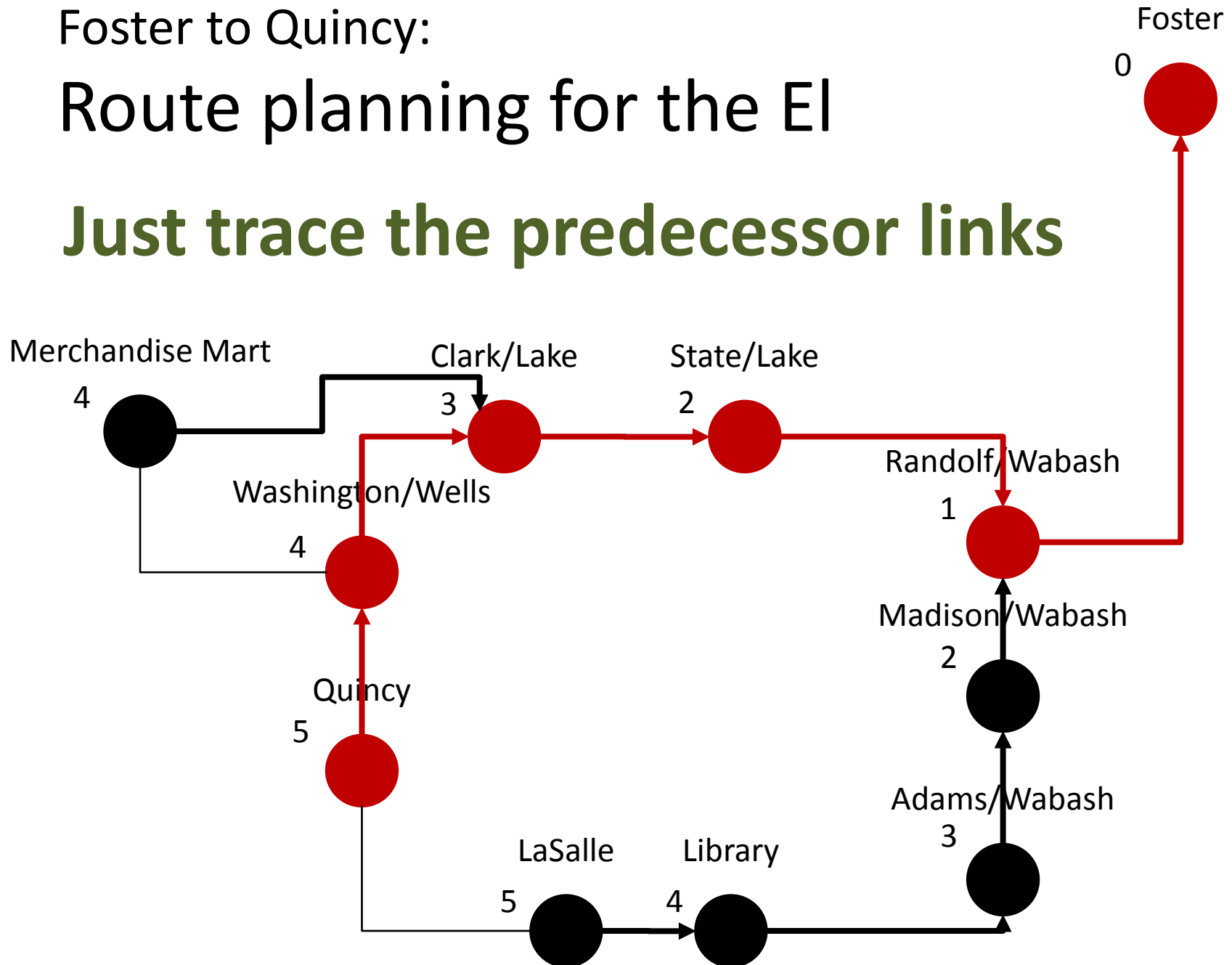
To find the shortest path,



Foster to Quincy:

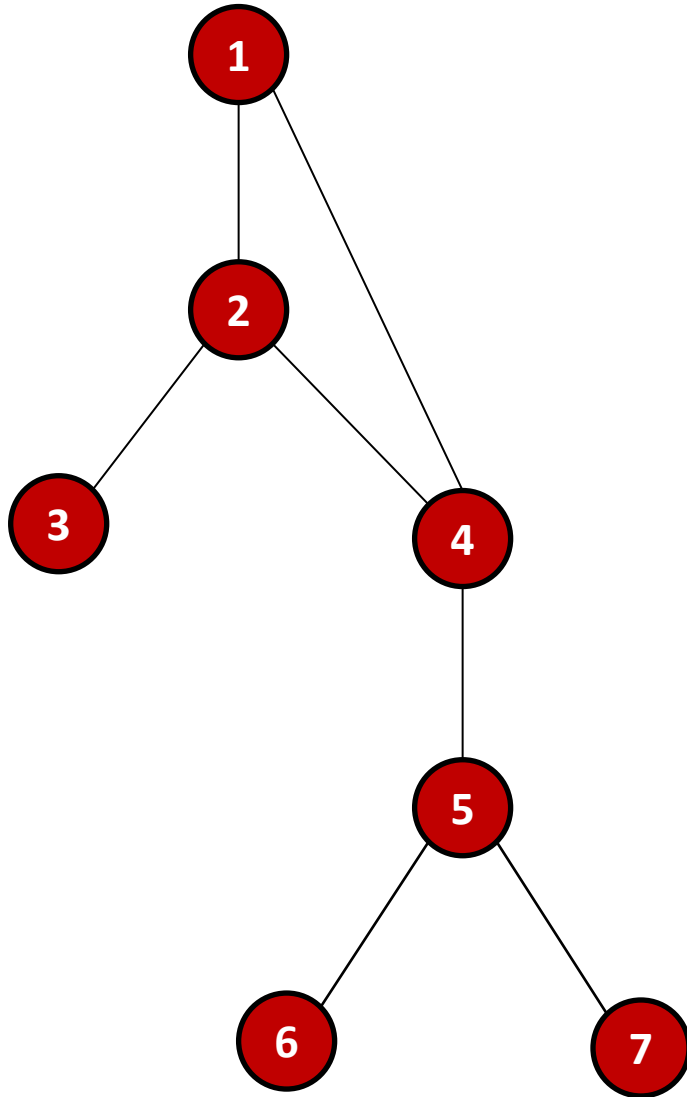
Route planning for the EI

Just trace the predecessor links



Complexity analysis

How many times does each line run?



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  mark start visited  
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    for each neighbor c  
      if c not visited {  
        q.Enqueue(c)  
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}
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```

Complexity analysis

How many times does each line run?

One time only

Once per vertex

Once per edge

Once per vertex

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```

Complexity analysis

How many times does each line run?

$O(1)$

$+ O(V)$

$+ O(E)$

$+ O(V)$

$= O(V + E)$

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```

BFS algorithm in the books

- Assumes **array-of-adjacency-lists** representation
- Extra information stored in **arrays**, indexed by node number
 - $\text{dist}[\text{node}] = \text{distance}$
 - $d[\text{node}]$ in CLR
 - $\text{pred}[\text{node}] = \text{predecessor}$
 - $\pi[\text{node}]$ in CLR
- “**Colors**” the nodes rather than marking them visited
 - Three colors
 - White = unvisited
 - Gray = in the queue or being processed now
 - Black = finished processing
 - Stored in $\text{color}[\text{node}]$

The actual code

BFS(start)

for each vertex v

$\text{pred}[v] = -1$

$\text{dist}[v] = \infty$

$\text{color}[v] = \text{white}$

$\text{color}[\text{start}] = \text{gray}$

$\text{dist}[\text{start}] = 0$

$Q = \text{empty queue}$

$\text{enqueue}(Q, \text{start})$

while Q not empty

$u = \text{head of } Q$

 for each neighbor v of u

 if $\text{color}[v] = \text{white}$

$\text{dist}[v] = \text{dist}[u] + 1$

$\text{pred}[v] = u$

$\text{color}[v] = \text{gray}$

$Q.\text{Enqueue}(v)$

$Q.\text{Dequeue}()$

$\text{color}[u] = \text{black}$



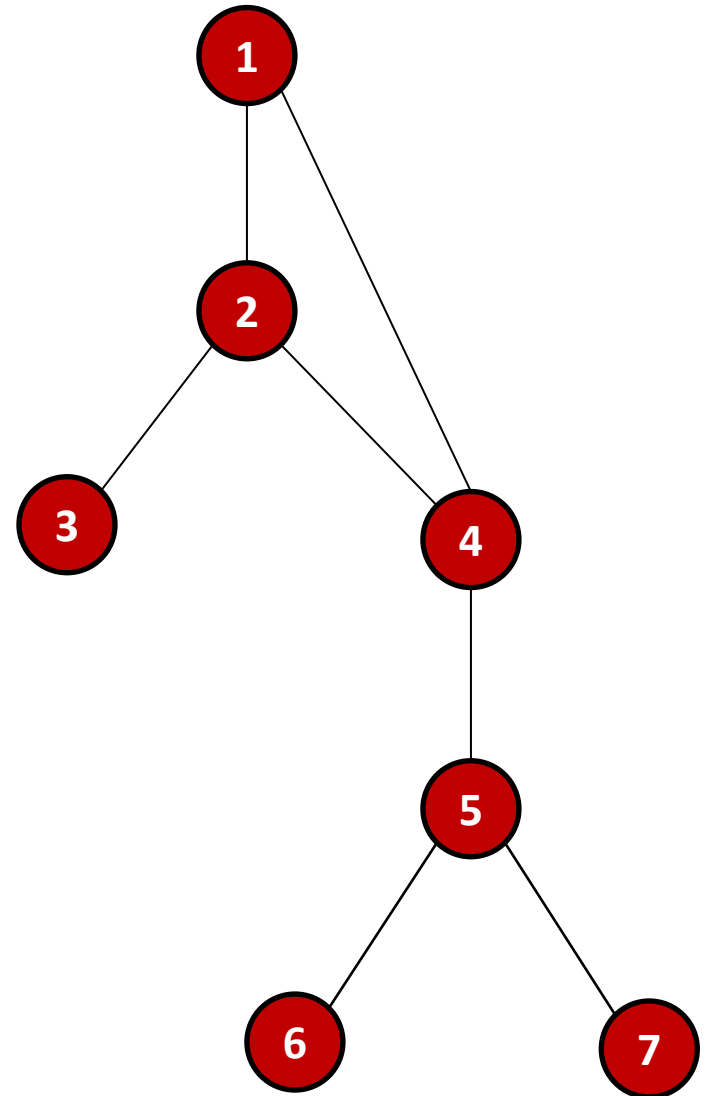
Depth-first search of a tree

DepthFirst(node)

for each child c of node

DepthFirst(c)

- Again, this **doesn't quite work**
 - No children per se
 - Need to keep from re-visiting nodes



Depth-first search of a graph

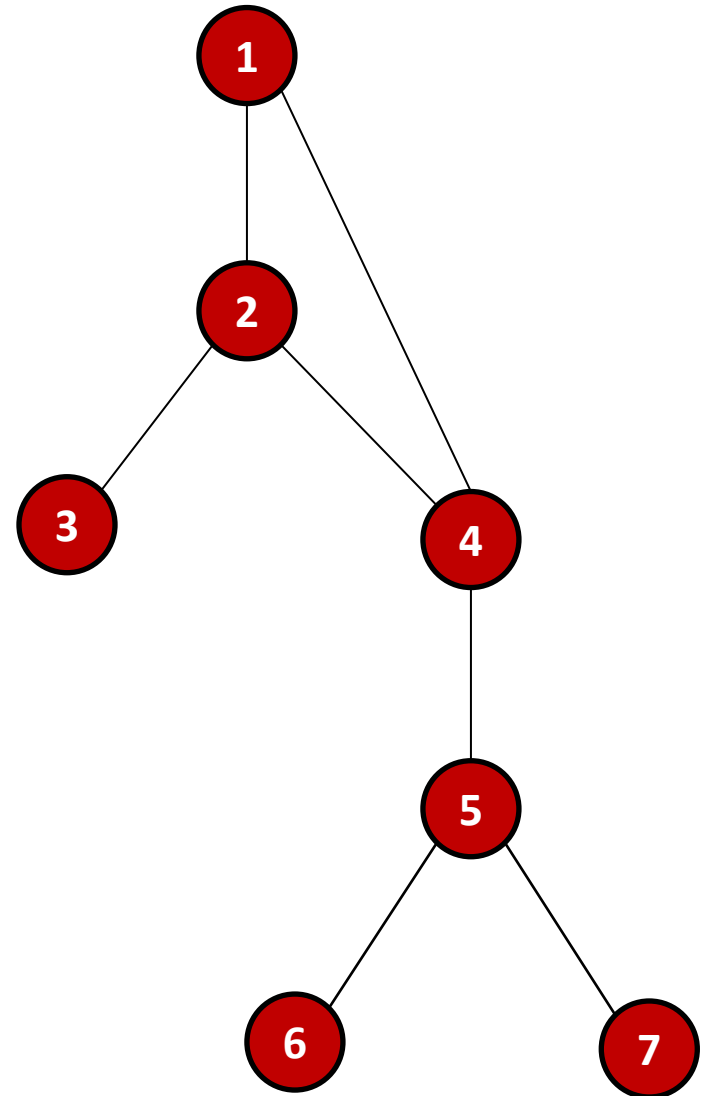
DepthFirst(node)

mark node visited

for each **unvisited neighbor**, c, of node

DepthFirst(c)

- We fix it by keeping track of what nodes have **already** been **visited**



Depth-first search of a graph

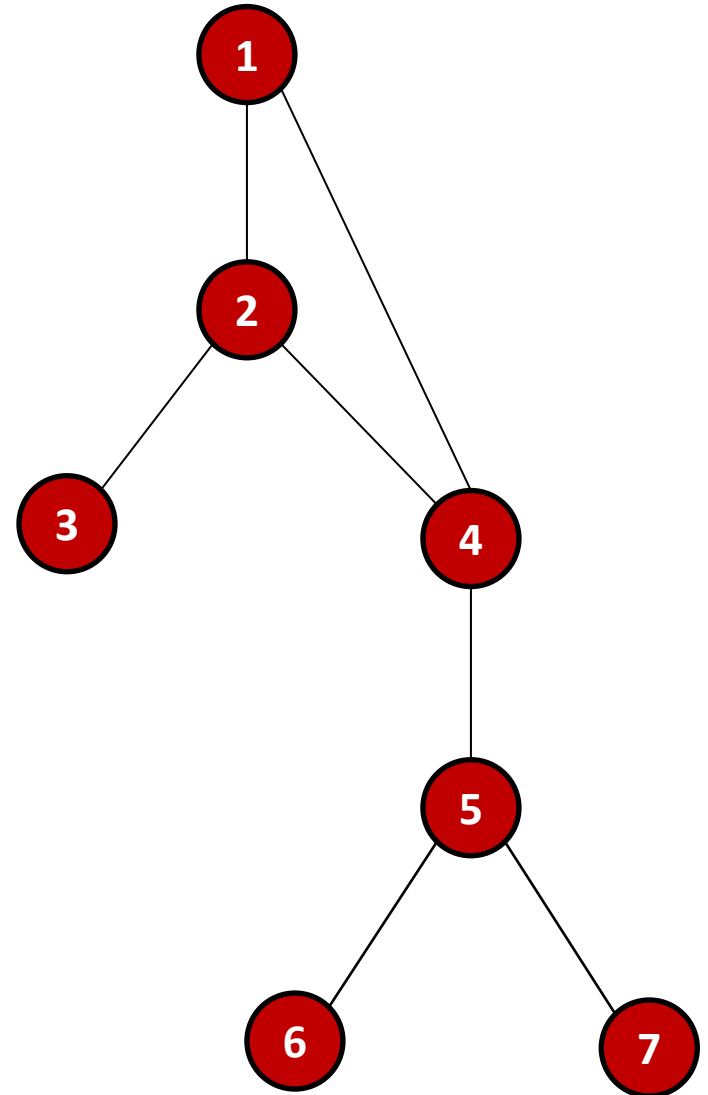
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mark node visited

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DepthFirst(c)

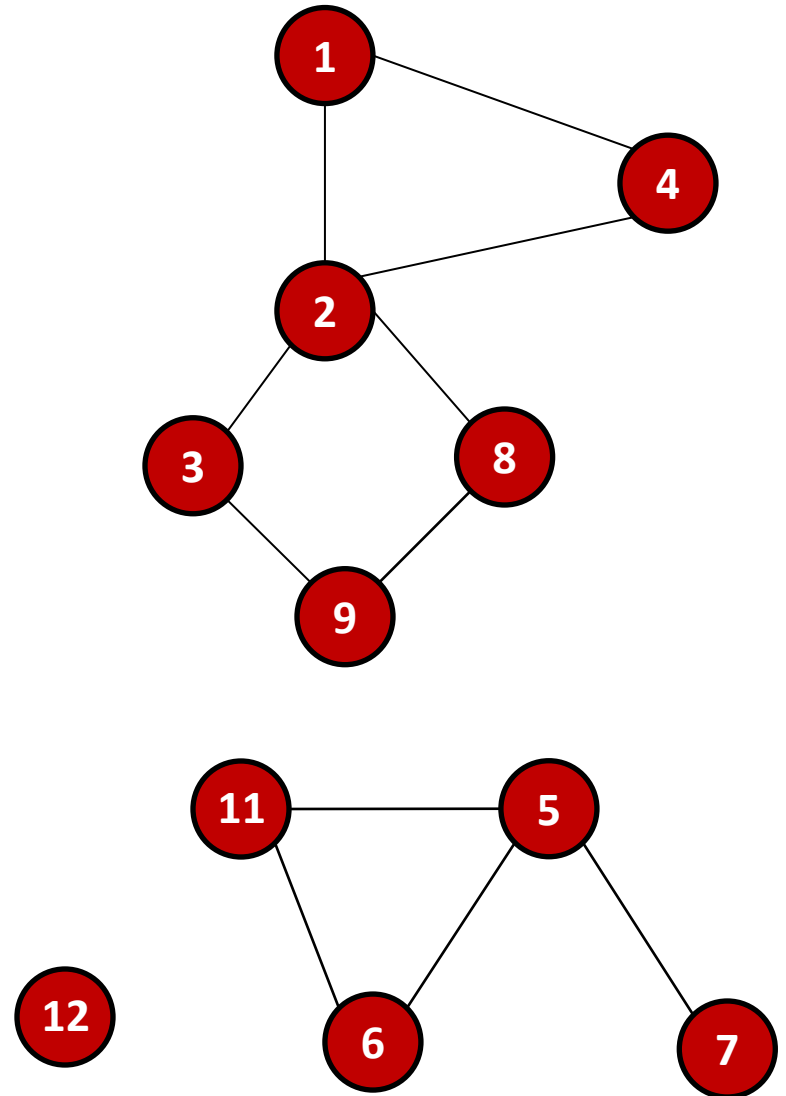
- However, in practice, one of the things DFS is most often used for is analyzing the **connectivity** of a graph



Depth-first search of a graph

DepthFirst(node)
 mark node visited
 for each **unvisited**
 neighbor, c, of node
 DepthFirst(c)

- So it's often run on an **unconnected graph**
- Which means that **not every node will be visited**



Depth-first search of a graph

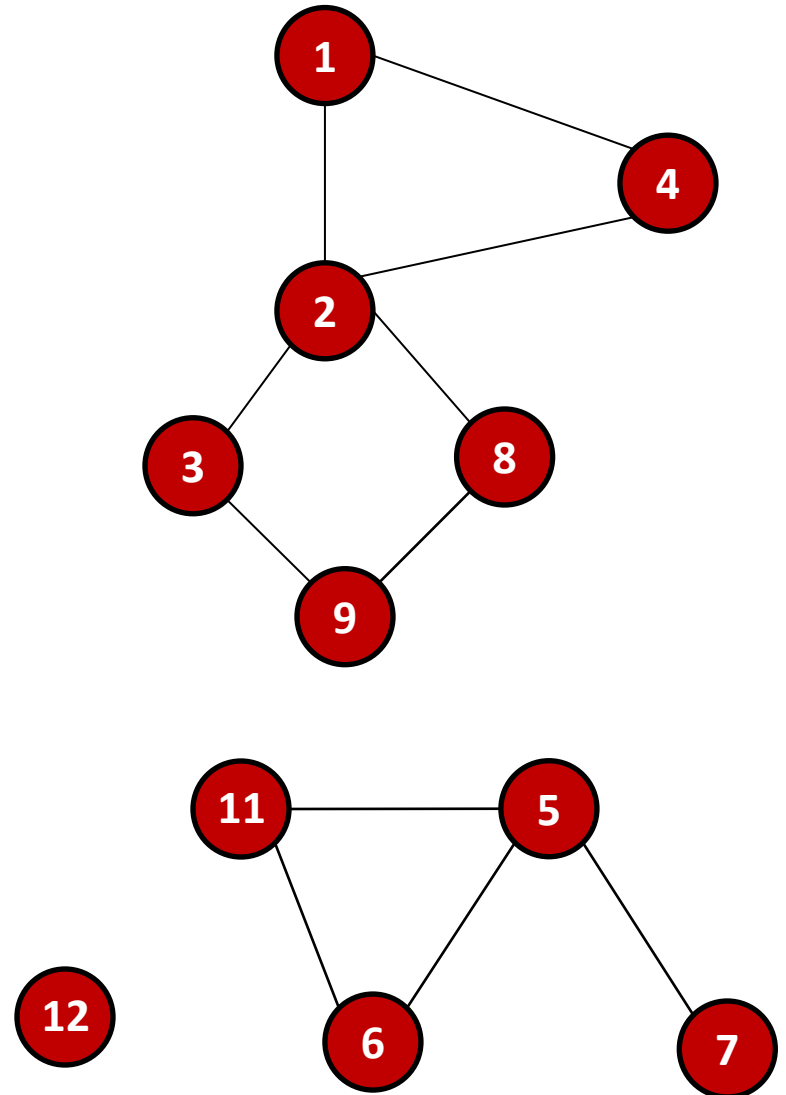
DepthFirst()

for each node in graph
if node not visited
DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited
foreach unvisited
neighbor, c, of node
DFSVisit(c)

- So we modify it to **run it on every node**



Depth-first search of a graph

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DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

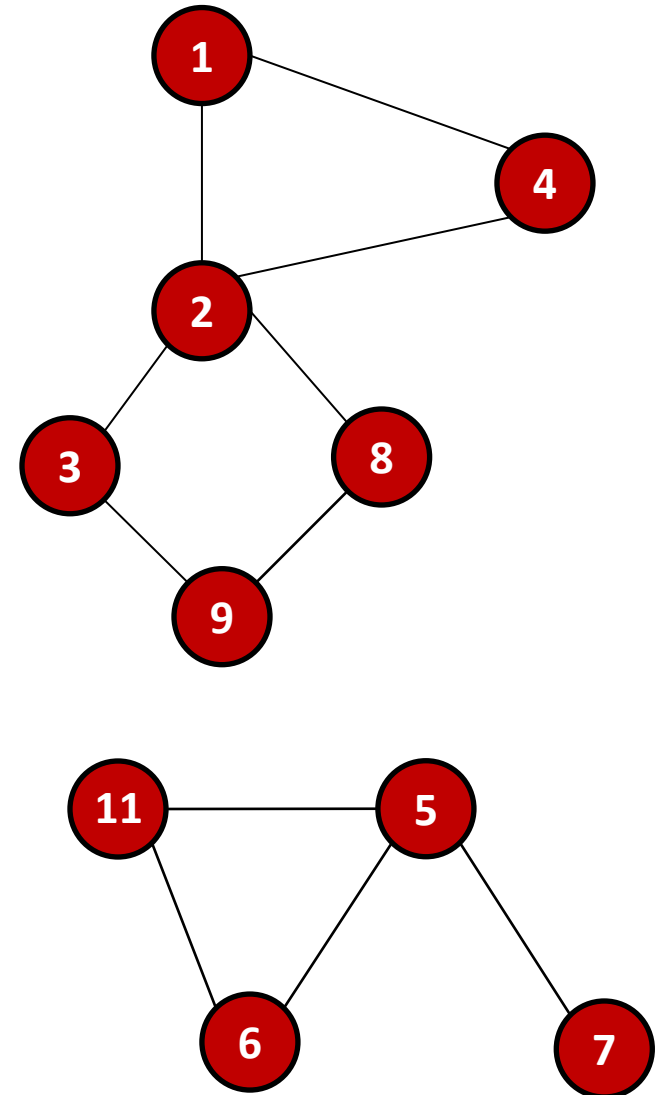
mark node visited

for each unvisited neighbor c

DFSVisit(c)

Call Stack:

- DepthFirst()



Depth-first search of a graph

DepthFirst()

for each node in graph
if node not visited
DFSVisit(node)

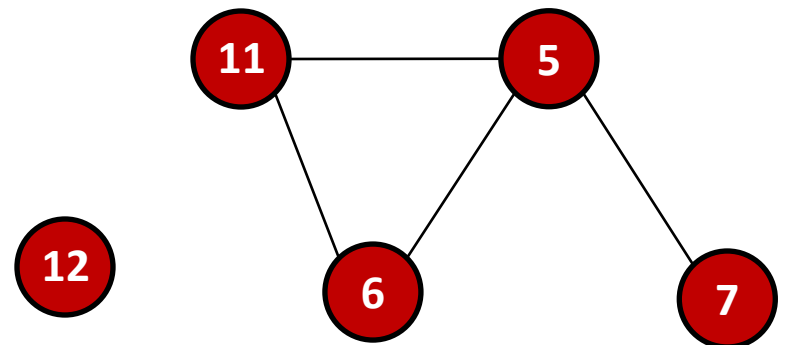
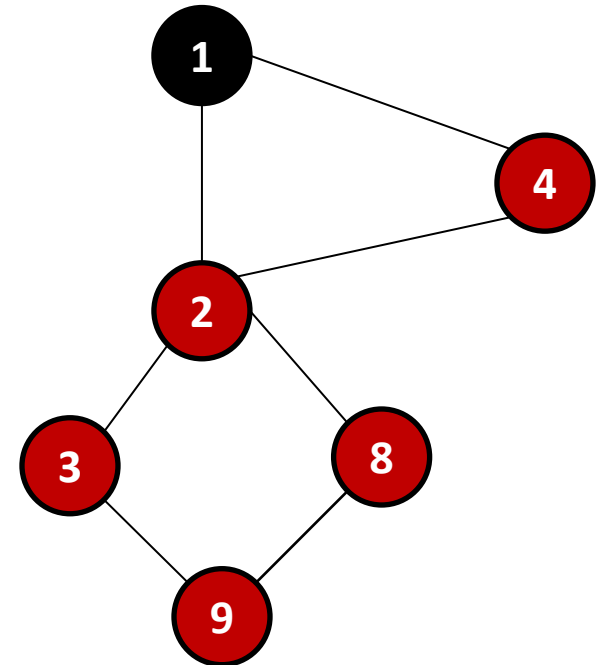
DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

for each unvisited neighbor c
DFSVisit(c)

Call Stack:

- DepthFirst()
- DFSVisit(1)



Depth-first search of a graph

DepthFirst()

for each node in graph
if node not visited
DFSVisit(node)

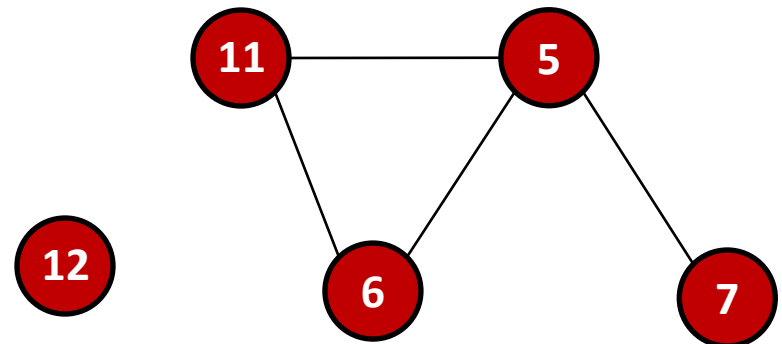
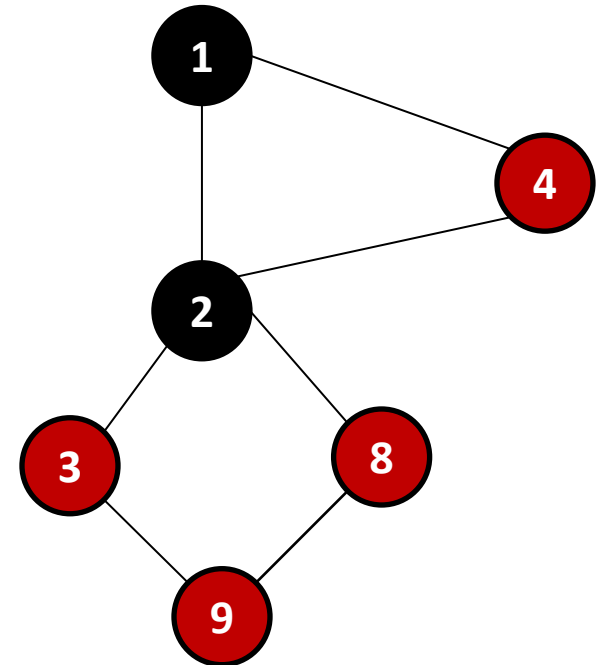
DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

for each unvisited neighbor, c
DFSVisit(c)

Call Stack:

- DepthFirst()
- DFSVisit(1)
- DFSVisit(2)



Depth-first search of a graph

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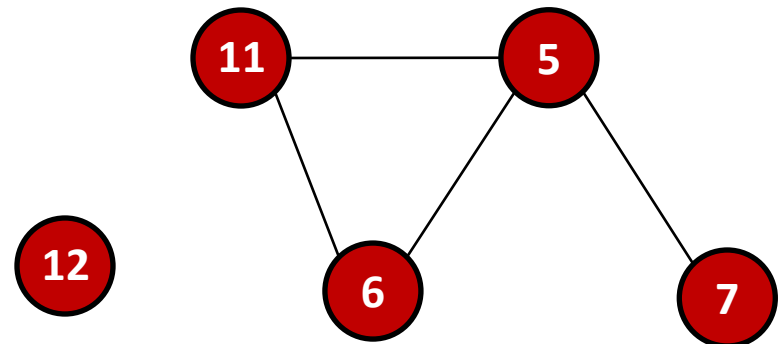
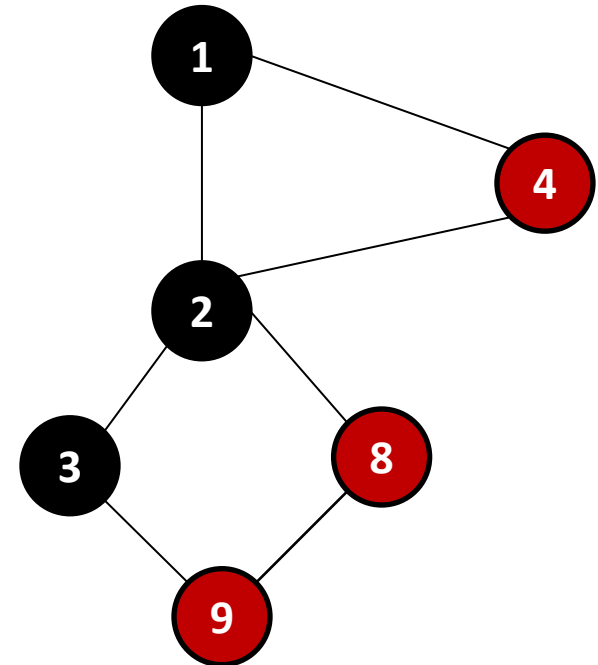
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mark node visited

for each unvisited neighbor, c, of node
DFSVisit(c)

Call Stack:

- DepthFirst()
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Depth-first search of a graph

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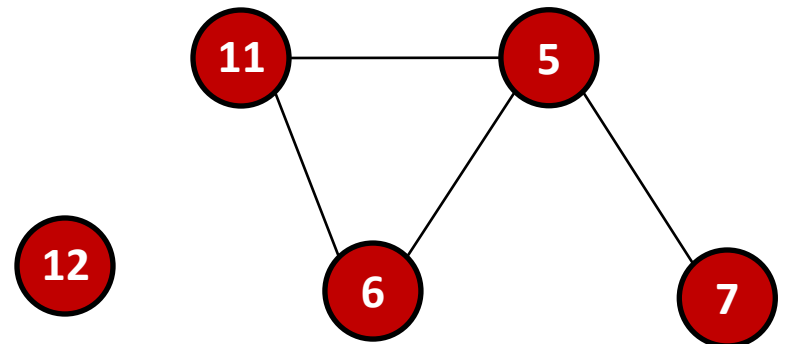
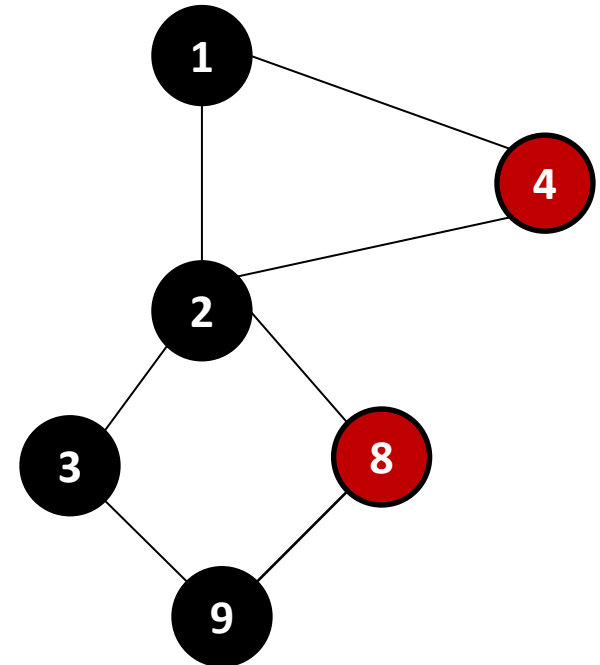
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- DFSVisit(9)



Depth-first search of a graph

DepthFirst()

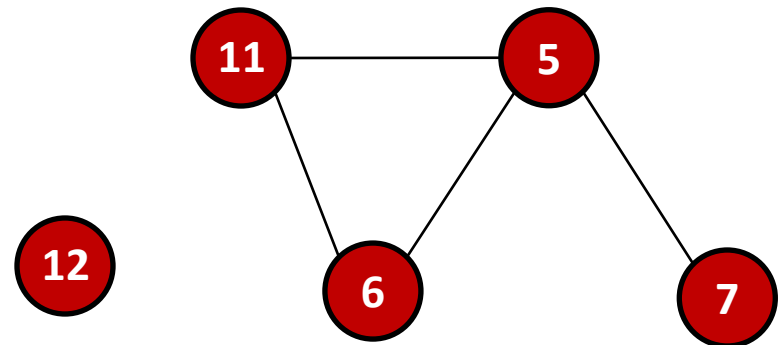
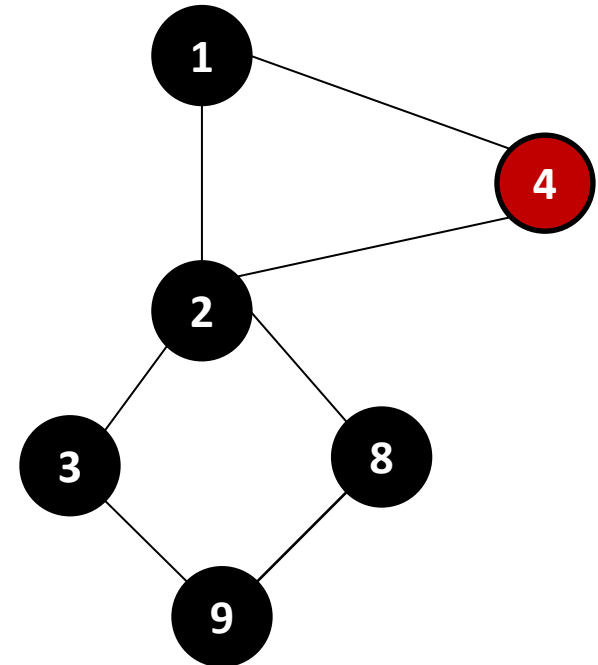
for each node in graph
if node not visited
DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited
for each unvisited neighbor, c, of node
DFSVisit(c)

Call Stack:

- DepthFirst()
- DFSVisit(1)
- DFSVisit(2)
- DFSVisit(3)
- DFSVisit(9)
- DFSVisit(8)



Depth-first search of a graph

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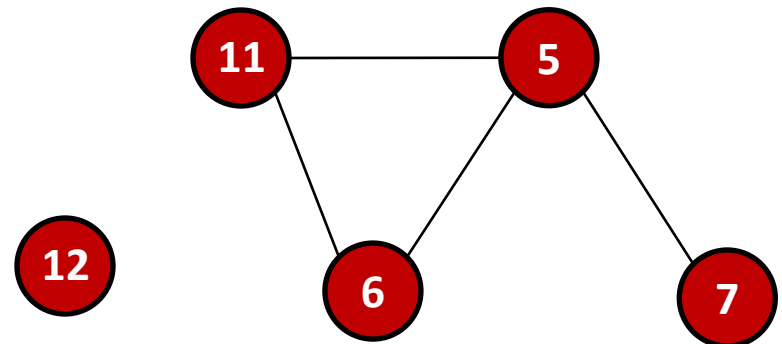
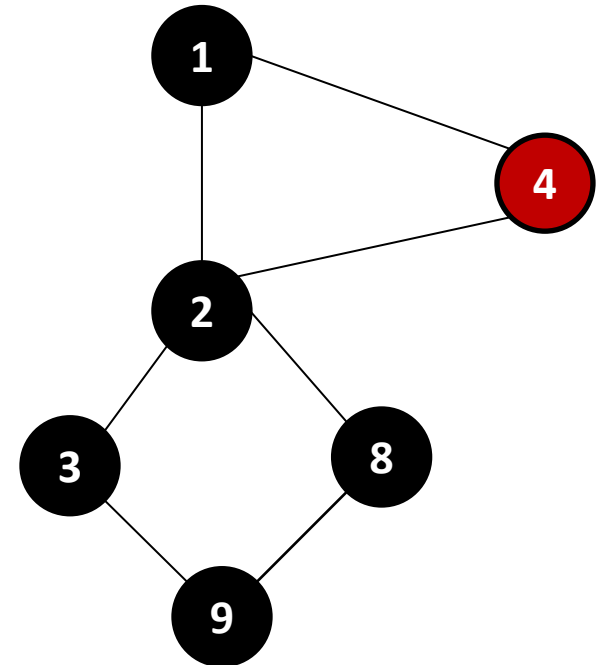
DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

for each unvisited neighbor, c, of node
DFSVisit(c)

Call Stack:

- DepthFirst()
- DFSVisit(1)
- DFSVisit(2)
- DFSVisit(3)
- DFSVisit(9)



Depth-first search of a graph

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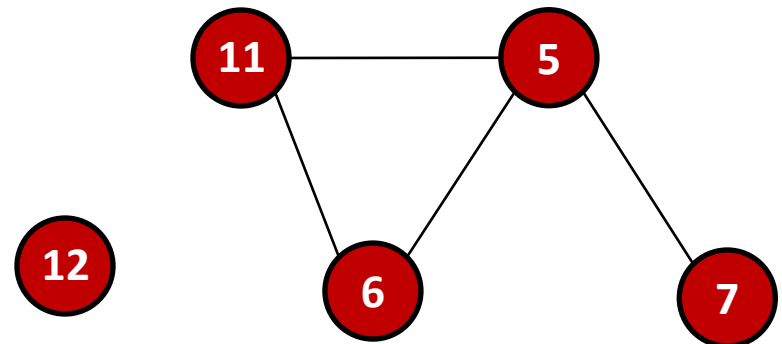
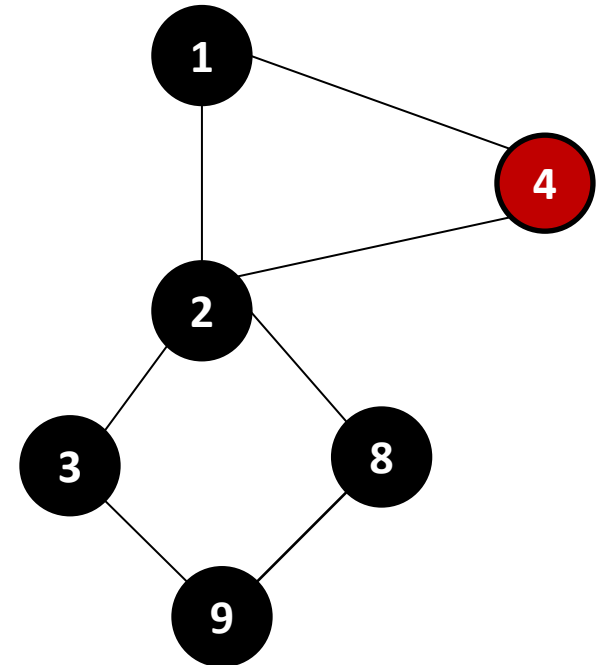
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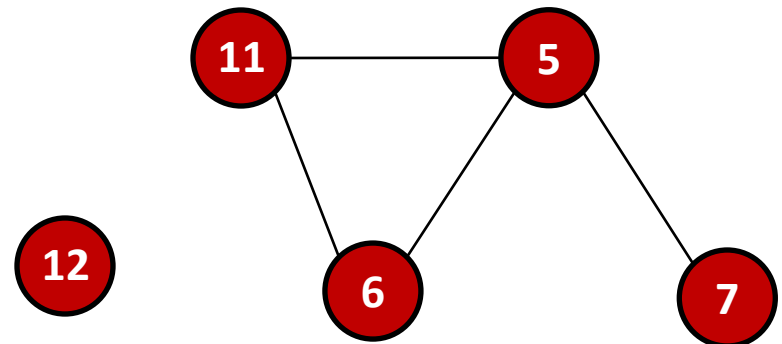
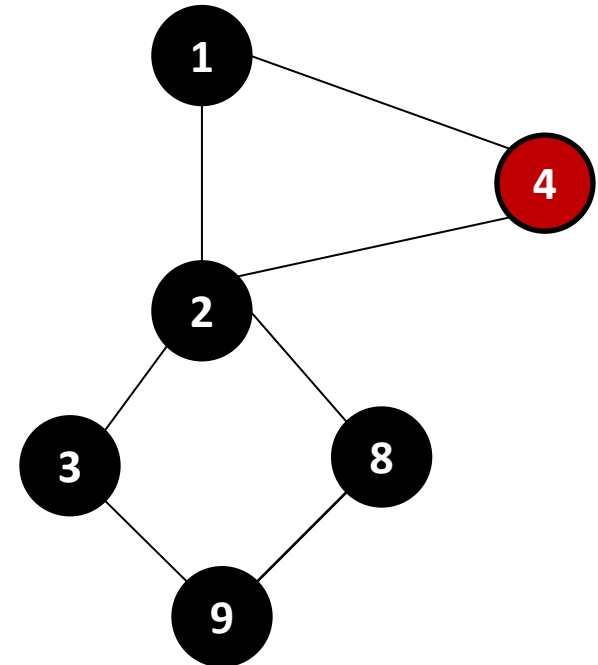
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Call Stack:

- DepthFirst()
- DFSVisit(1)
- DFSVisit(2)



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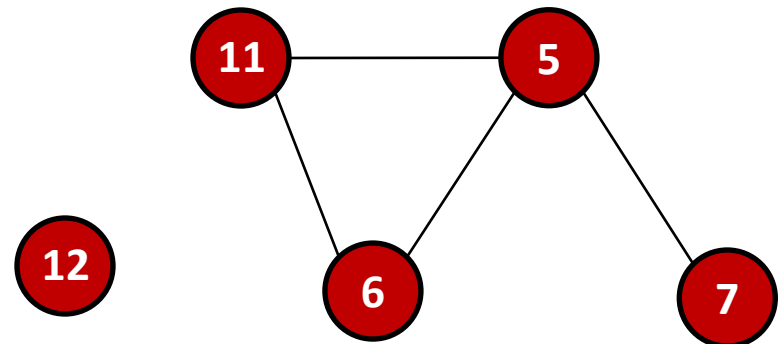
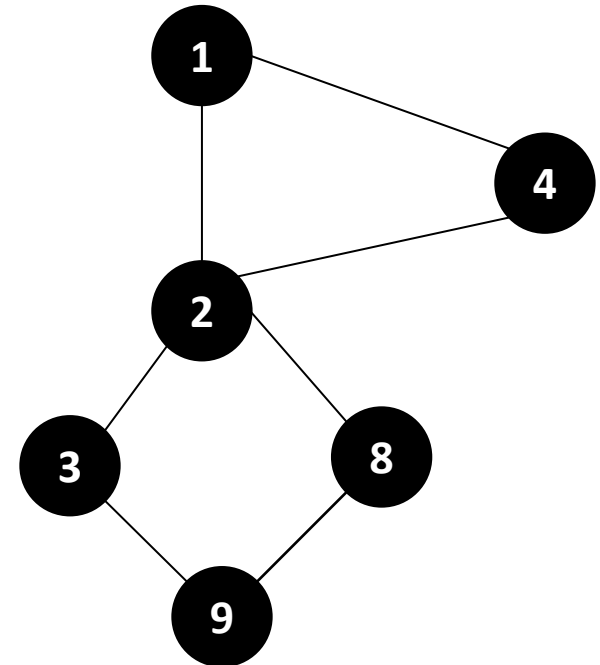
DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

for each unvisited neighbor, c, of node
DFSVisit(c)

Call Stack:

- DepthFirst()
- DFSVisit(1)
- DFSVisit(2)
- DFSVisit(4)



Depth-first search of a graph

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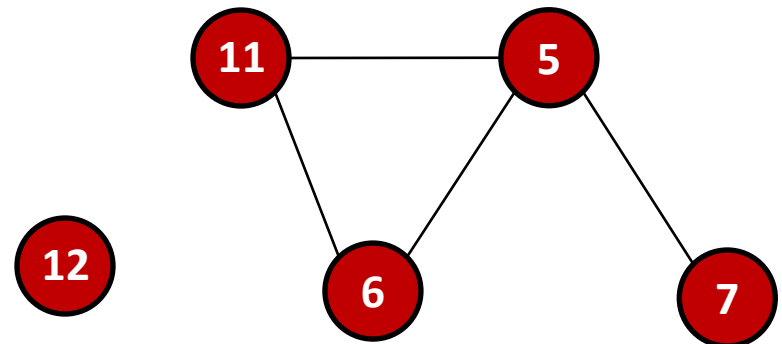
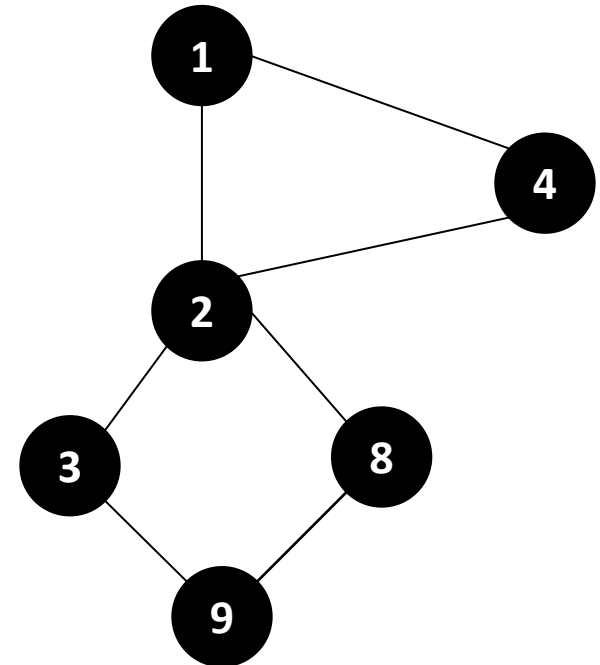
DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

for each unvisited neighbor, c, of node
DFSVisit(c)

Call Stack:

- DepthFirst()
- DFSVisit(1)
- DFSVisit(2)



Depth-first search of a graph

DepthFirst()

for each node in graph
if node not visited
DFSVisit(node)

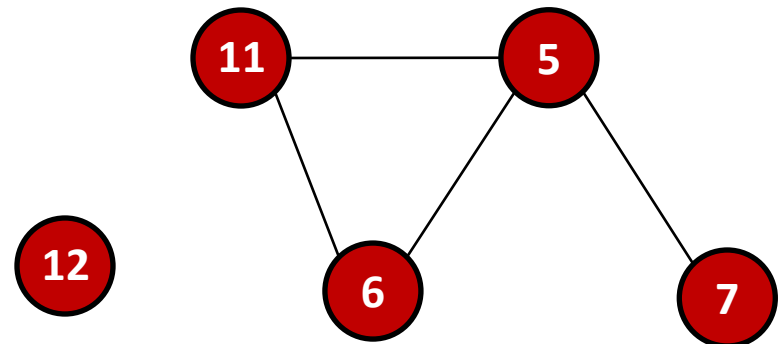
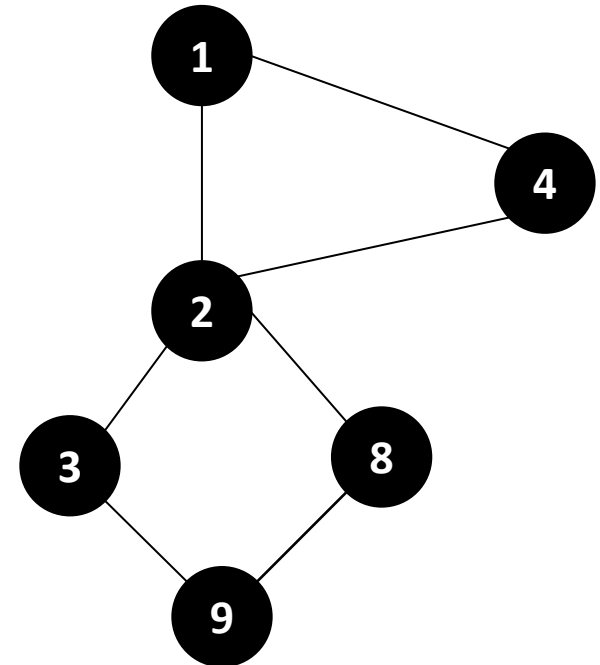
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DFSVisit(c)

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- DepthFirst()
- DFSVisit(1)



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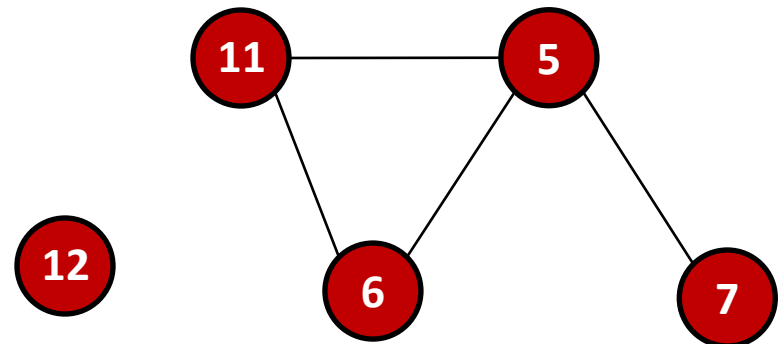
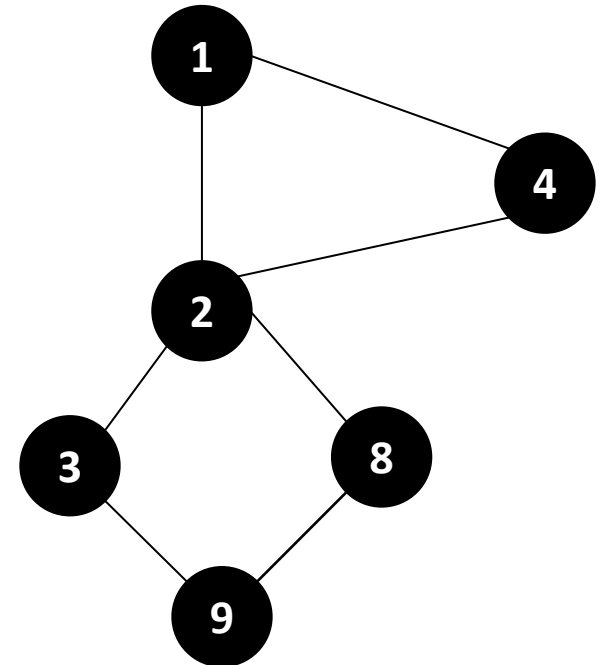
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DFSVisit(c)

Call Stack:

- DepthFirst()
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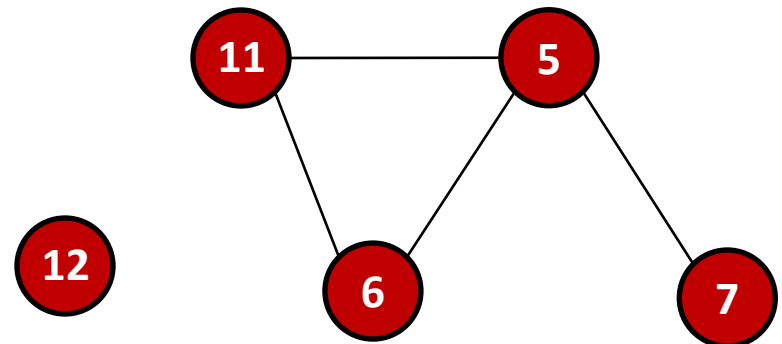
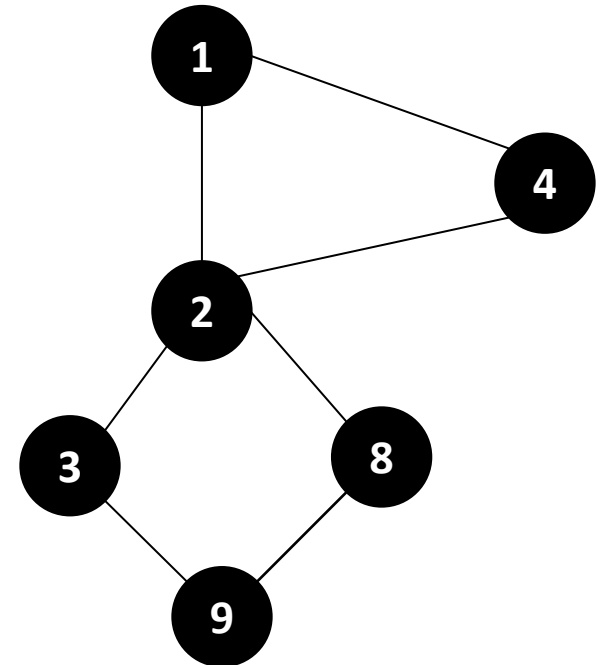
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DFSVisit(c)

Call Stack:

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- DFSVisit(1)



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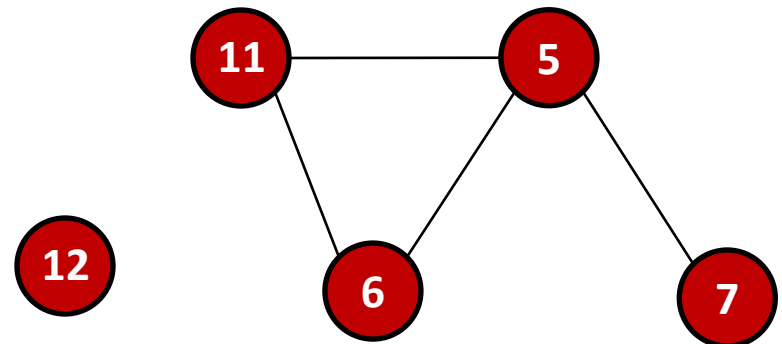
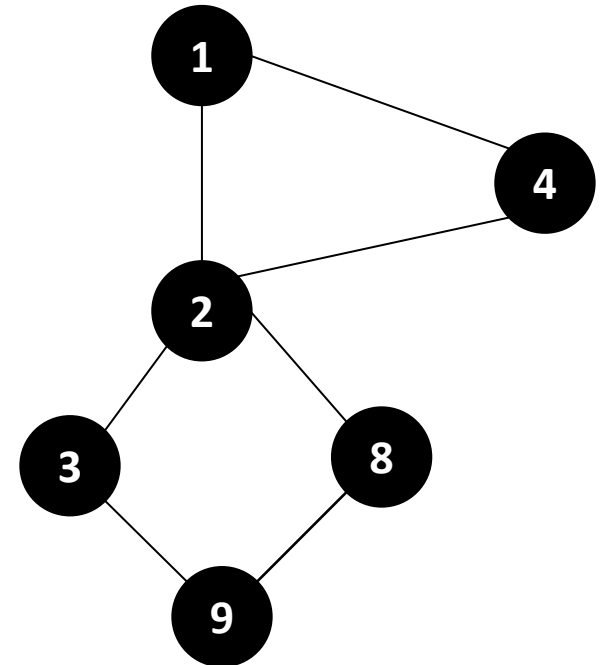
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Call Stack:

- DepthFirst()



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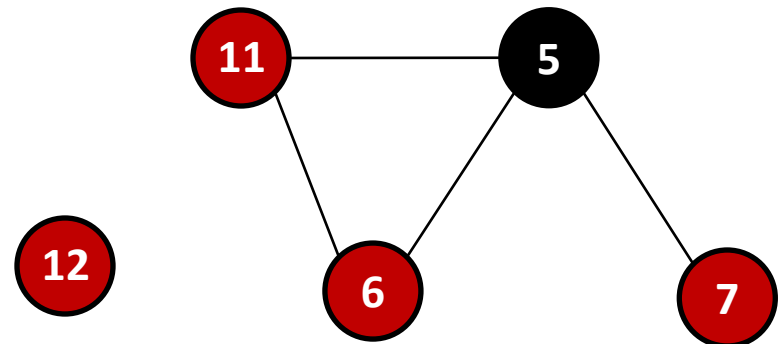
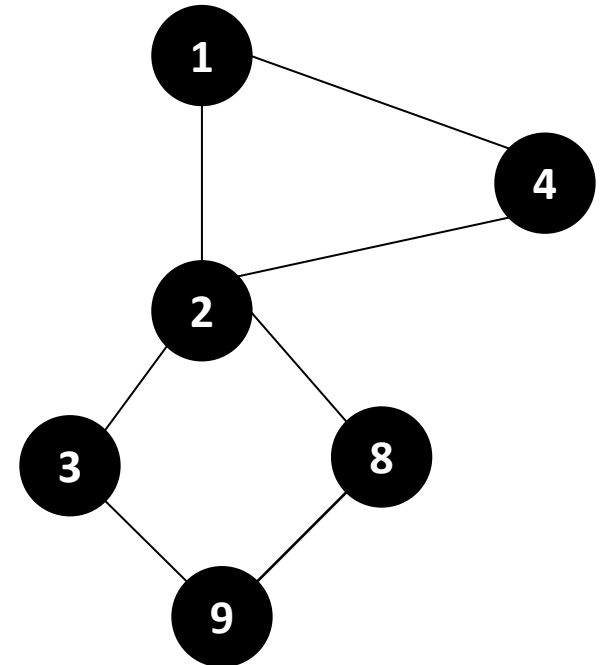
DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

for each unvisited neighbor, c, of node
DFSVisit(c)

Call Stack:

- DepthFirst()
- DFSVisit(5)



Depth-first search of a graph

DepthFirst()

for each node in graph
if node not visited
DFSVisit(node)

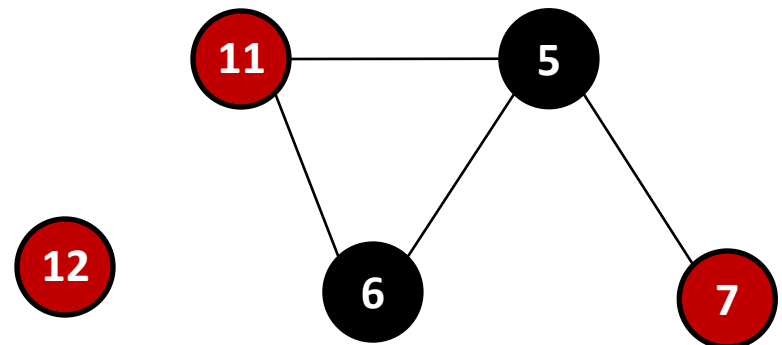
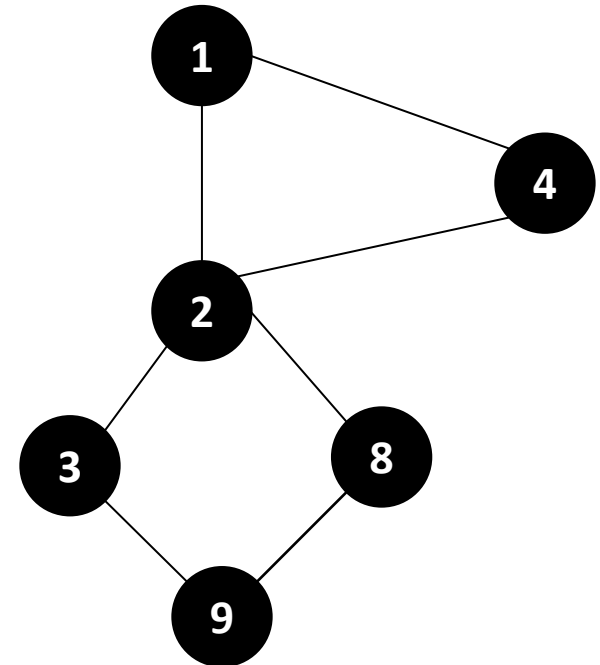
DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

for each unvisited neighbor, c, of node
DFSVisit(c)

Call Stack:

- DepthFirst()
- DFSVisit(5)
- DFSVisit(6)



Depth-first search of a graph

DepthFirst()

for each node in graph
if node not visited
DFSVisit(node)

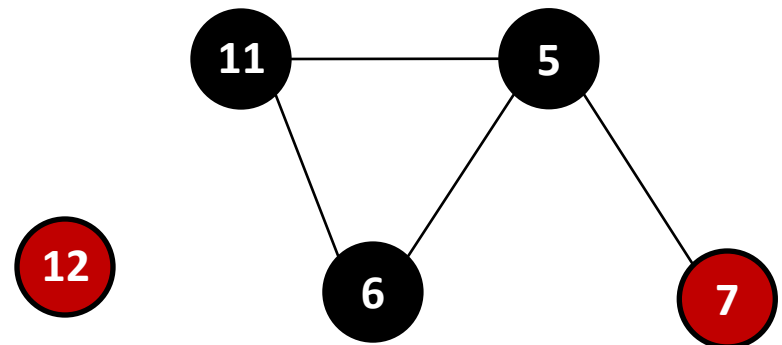
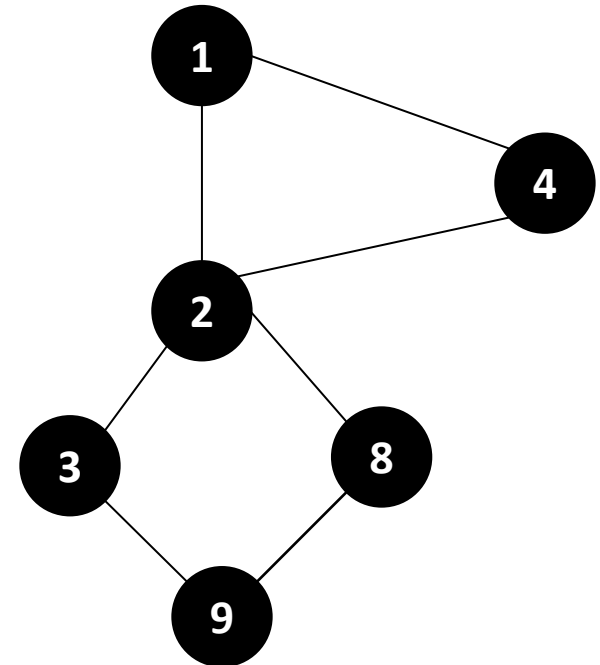
DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

for each unvisited neighbor, c, of node
DFSVisit(c)

Call Stack:

- DepthFirst()
- DFSVisit(5)
- DFSVisit(6)
- DFSVisit(11)



Depth-first search of a graph

DepthFirst()

for each node in graph
if node not visited
DFSVisit(node)

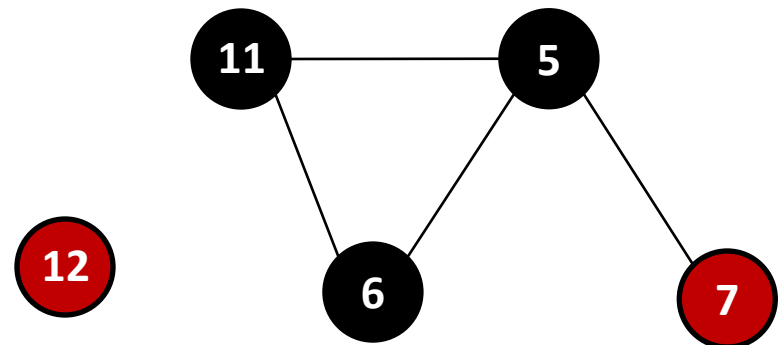
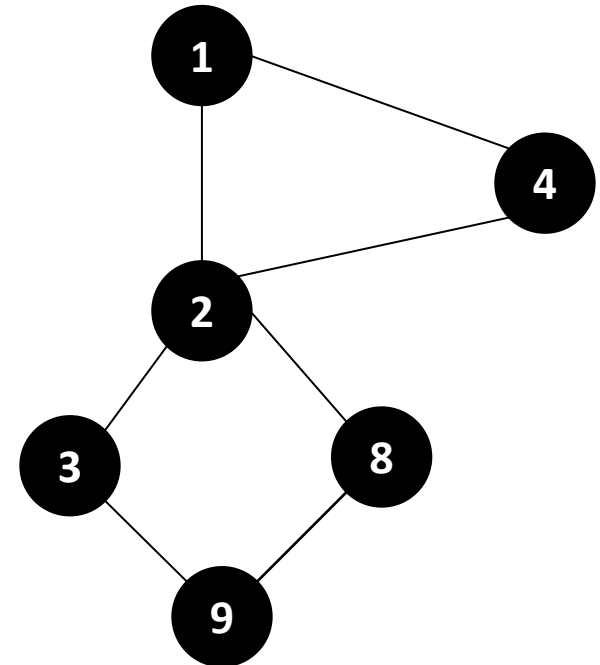
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mark node visited

for each unvisited neighbor, c, of node
DFSVisit(c)

Call Stack:

- DepthFirst()
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- DFSVisit(6)



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if node not visited
DFSVisit(node)

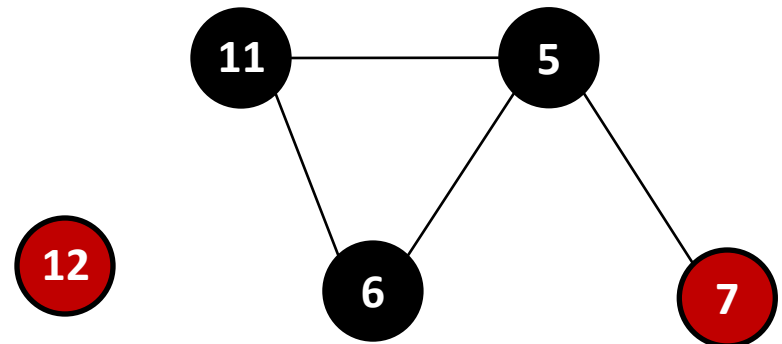
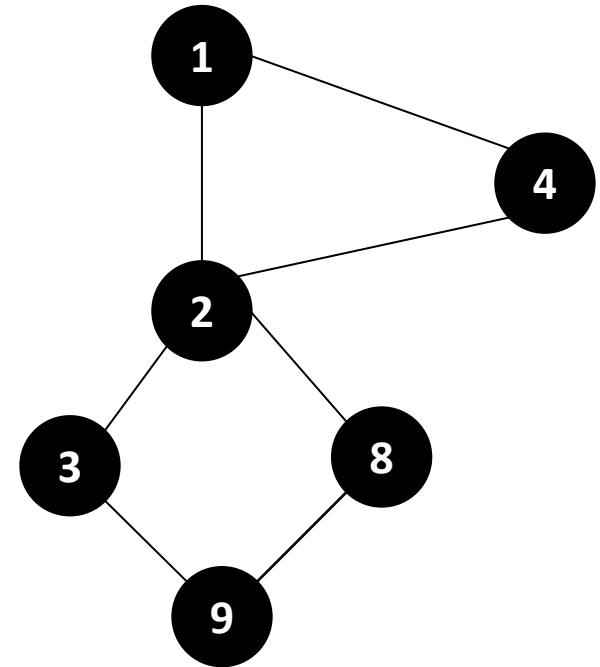
DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

for each unvisited neighbor, c, of node
DFSVisit(c)

Call Stack:

- DepthFirst()
- DFSVisit(5)



Depth-first search of a graph

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for each node in graph
if node not visited
DFSVisit(node)

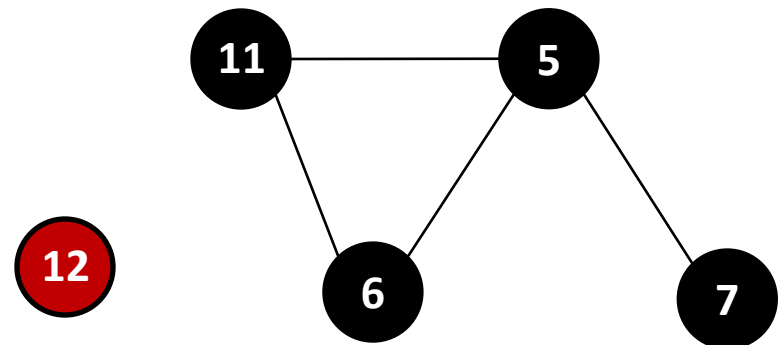
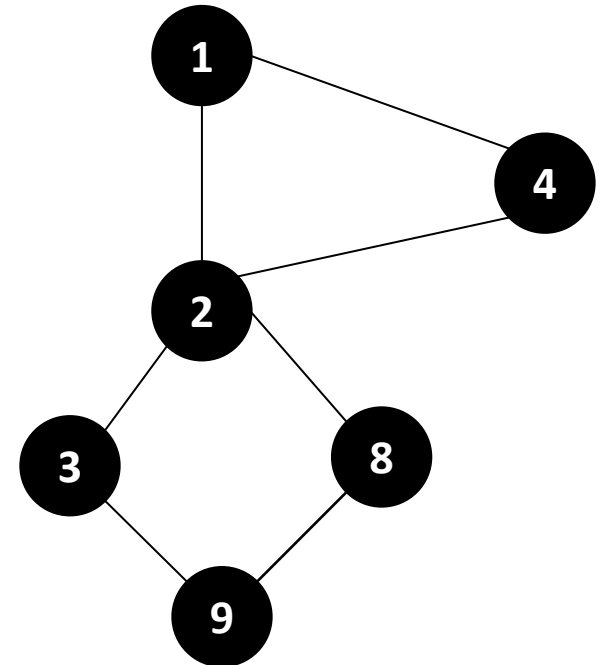
DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

for each unvisited neighbor, c, of node
DFSVisit(c)

Call Stack:

- DepthFirst()
- DFSVisit(5)
- DFSVisit(7)



Depth-first search of a graph

DepthFirst()

for each node in graph
if node not visited
DFSVisit(node)

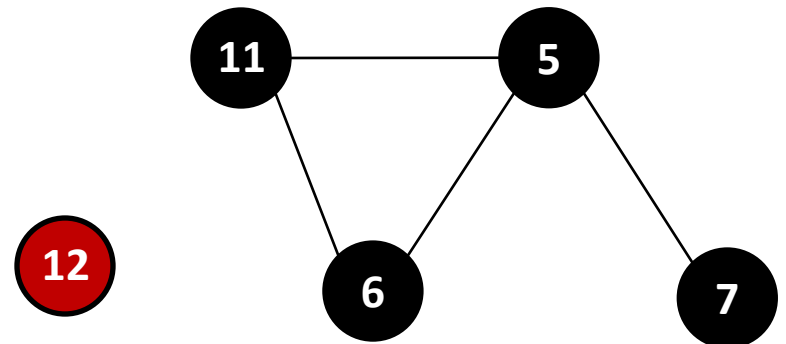
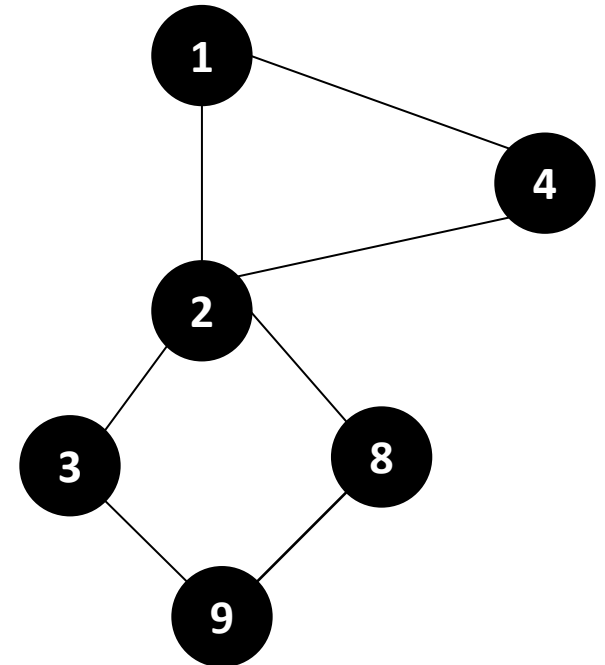
DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

for each unvisited neighbor, c, of node
DFSVisit(c)

Call Stack:

- DepthFirst()
- DFSVisit(5)



Depth-first search of a graph

DepthFirst()

for each node in graph
if node not visited
DFSVisit(node)

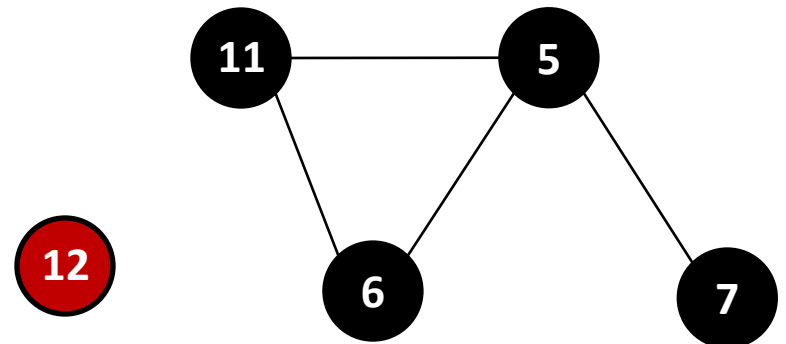
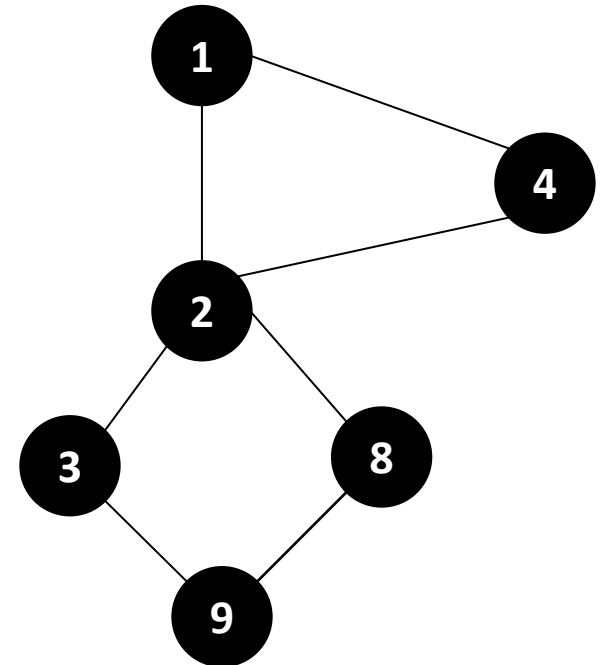
DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

for each unvisited neighbor, c, of node
DFSVisit(c)

Call Stack:

- DepthFirst()



Depth-first search of a graph

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for each node in graph
if node not visited
DFSVisit(node)

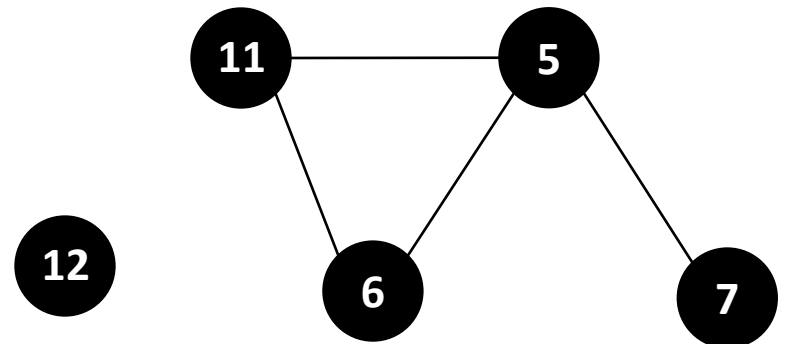
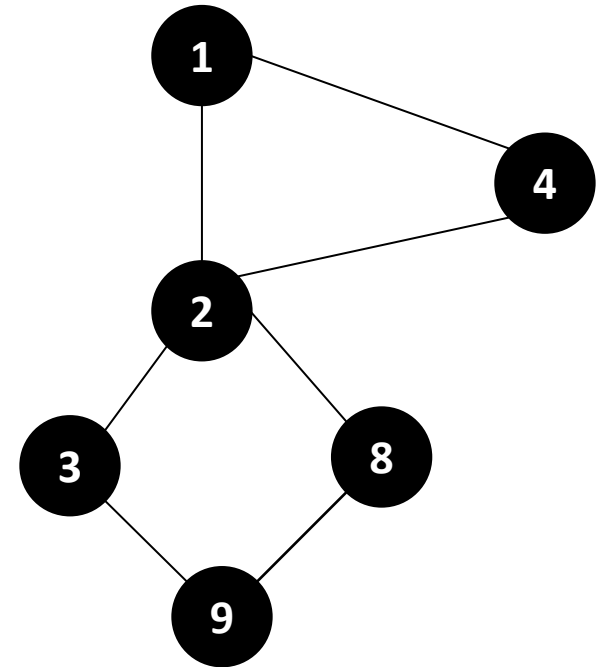
DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

for each unvisited neighbor, c, of node
DFSVisit(c)

Call Stack:

- DepthFirst()
- DFSVisit(12)



Depth-first search of a graph

DepthFirst()

for each node in graph
if node not visited
DFSVisit(node)

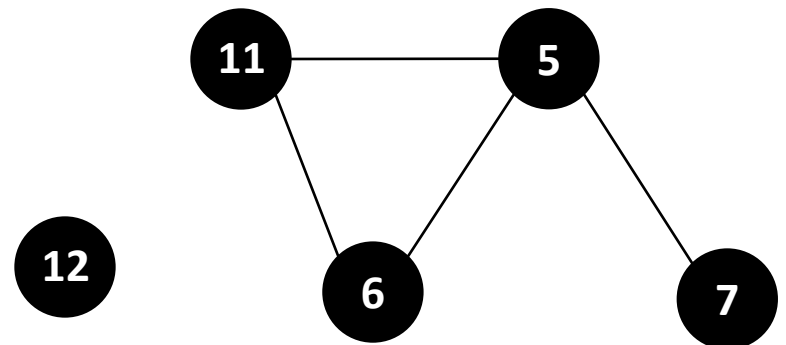
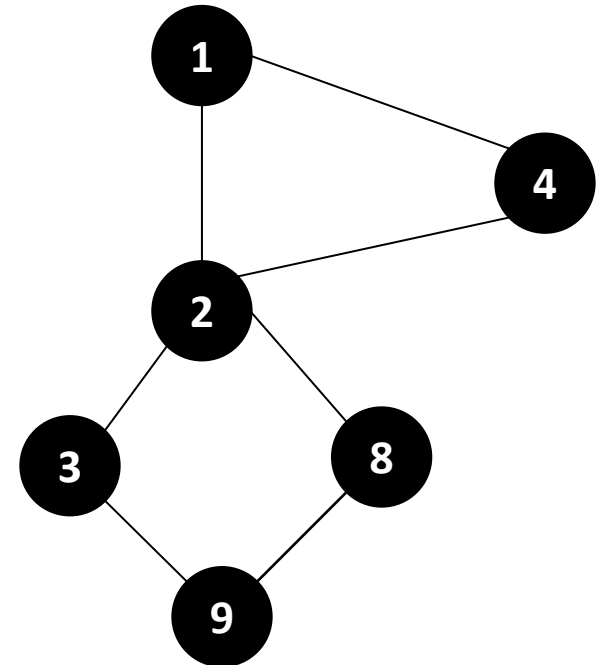
DFSVisit(node)

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for each unvisited neighbor, c, of node
DFSVisit(c)

Call Stack:

- DepthFirst()



Depth-first search of a graph

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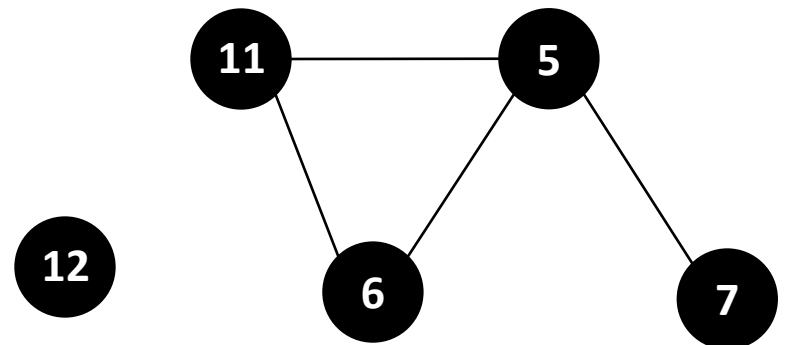
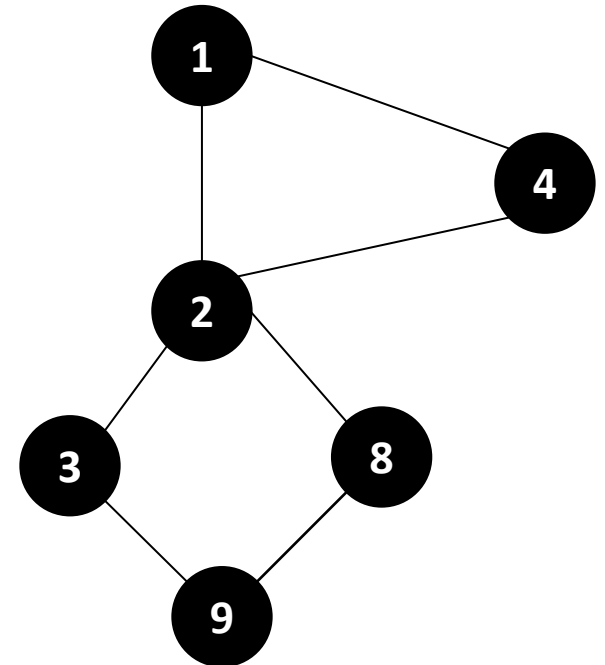
DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

for each unvisited neighbor, c, of node
DFSVisit(c)

Call Stack:

- Done!



Analysis:

how many times are these lines run?

DepthFirst()

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)



DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited



for each neighbor, c, of node

if c not visited



DFSVisit(c)



Analysis

DepthFirst()

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)



Once per vertex

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

for each neighbor, c, of node

if c not visited

DFSVisit(c)



Once per vertex



Once per edge



Once per vertex

Analysis

DepthFirst()

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)

| $O(V)$

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

| $O(V)$

for each neighbor, c, of node

if c not visited

| $O(E)$

DFSVisit(c)

| $O(V)$

Analysis: $O(V + E)$ time

DepthFirst()

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)

| $O(V)$

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

| $O(V)$

for each neighbor, c, of node

if c not visited

| $O(E)$

DFSVisit(c)

| $O(V)$

Example application: connected component analysis

LabelConnectedComponents()

component = 0

for each node in graph

if node not visited

LCCVisit(node, **component**)

component++

LCCVisit(node, c)

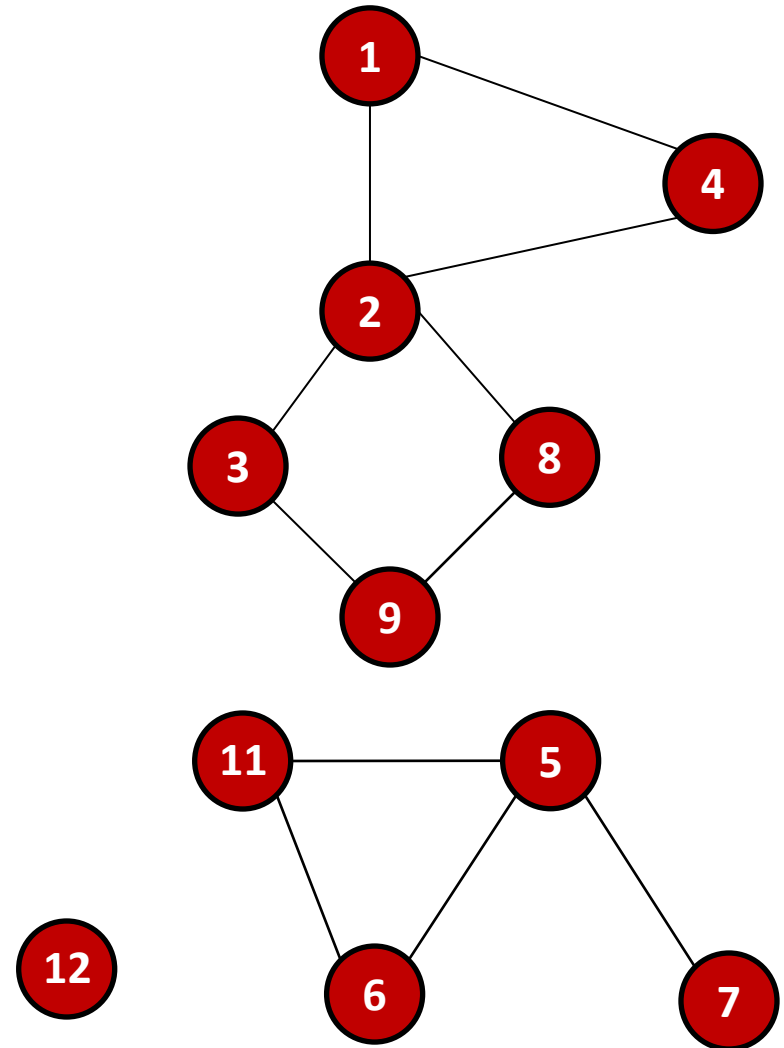
mark node visited

node.component = c

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neighbor, n, of node

LCCVisit(n, **c**)



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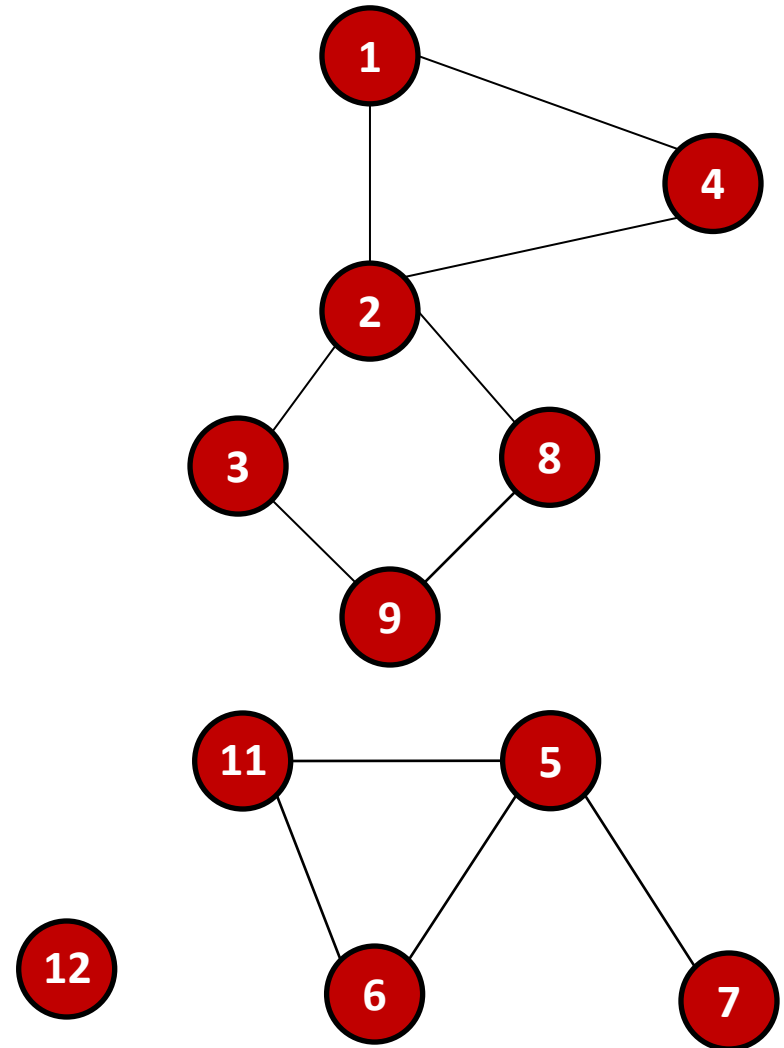
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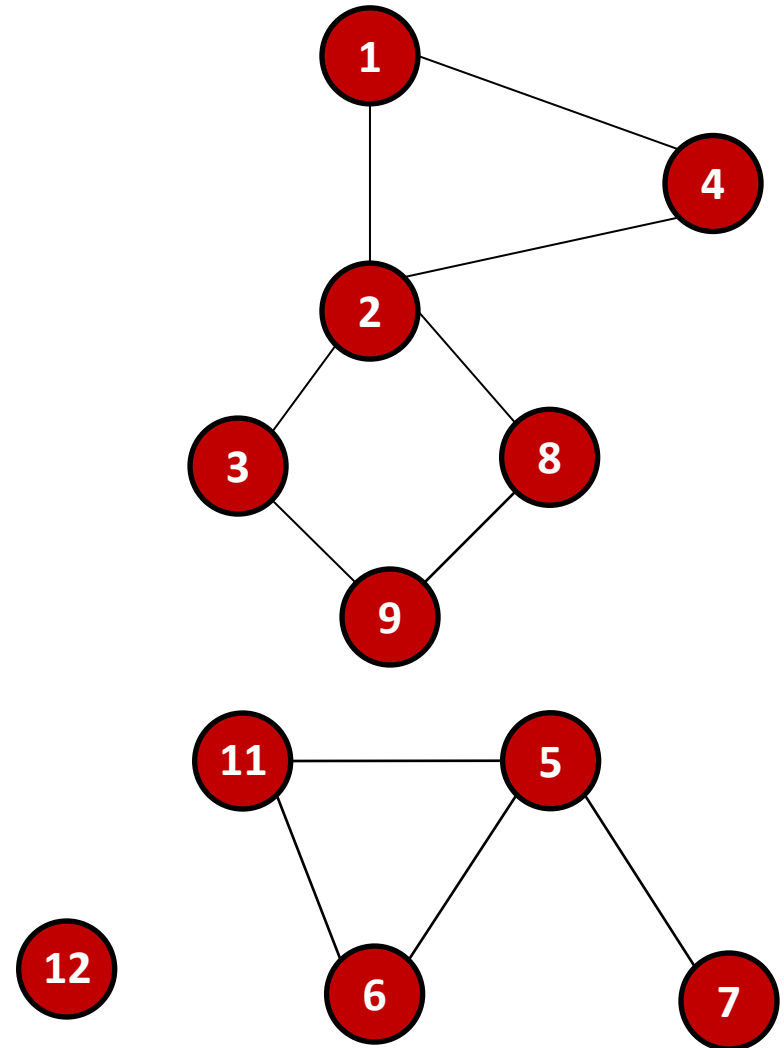
LCCVisit(n, c)



Example application: connected component analysis

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LabelConnectedComponents()  
  component = 0  
  for each node in graph  
    if node not visited  
      LCCVisit(node, component)  
      component++
```

```
LCCVisit(node, c)  
  mark node visited  
  node.component = c  
  for each unvisited  
    neighbor, n, of node  
    LCCVisit(n, c)
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Example application: connected component analysis

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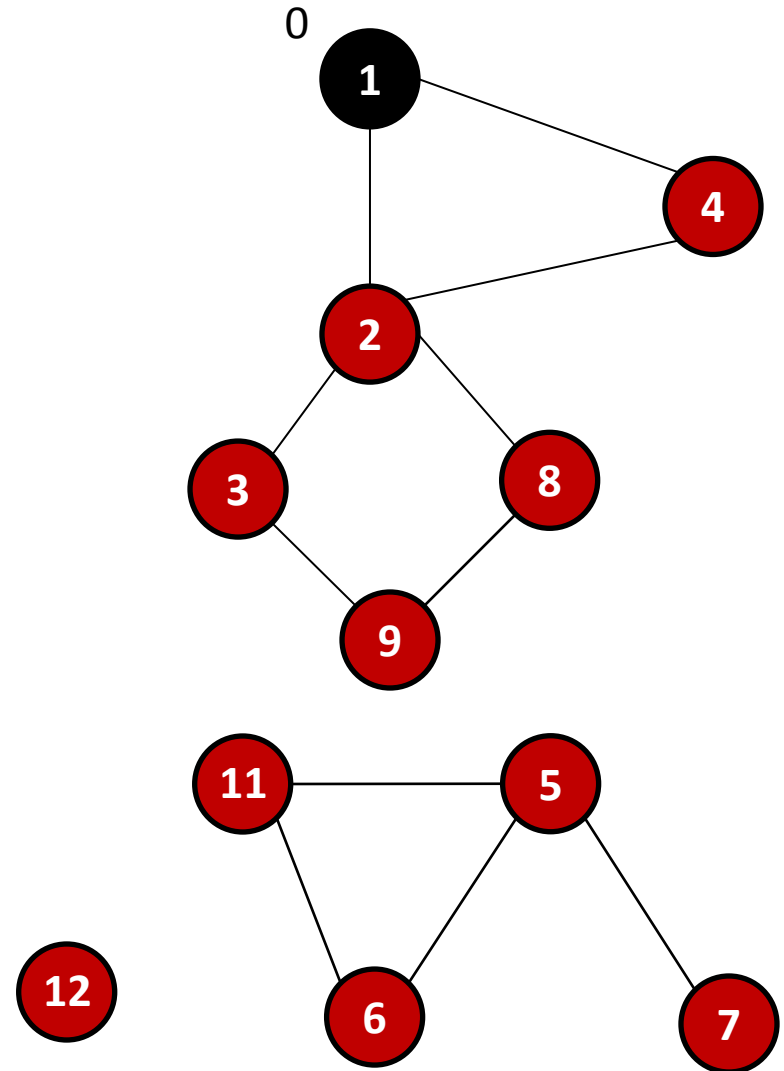
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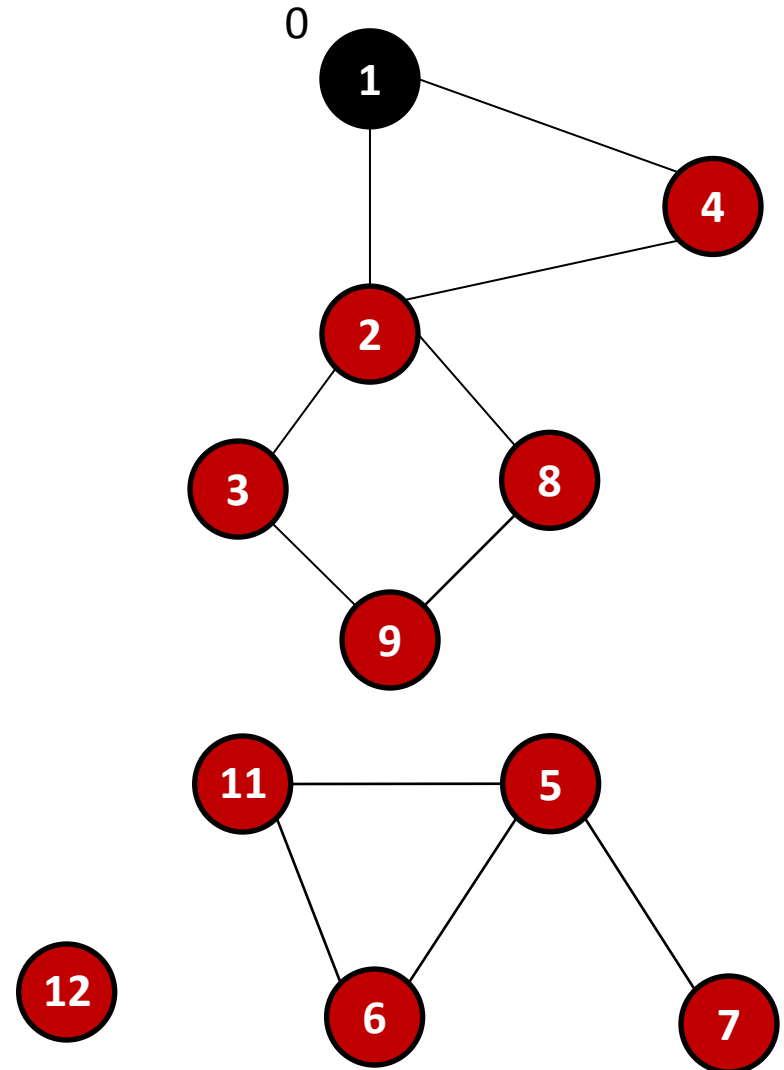
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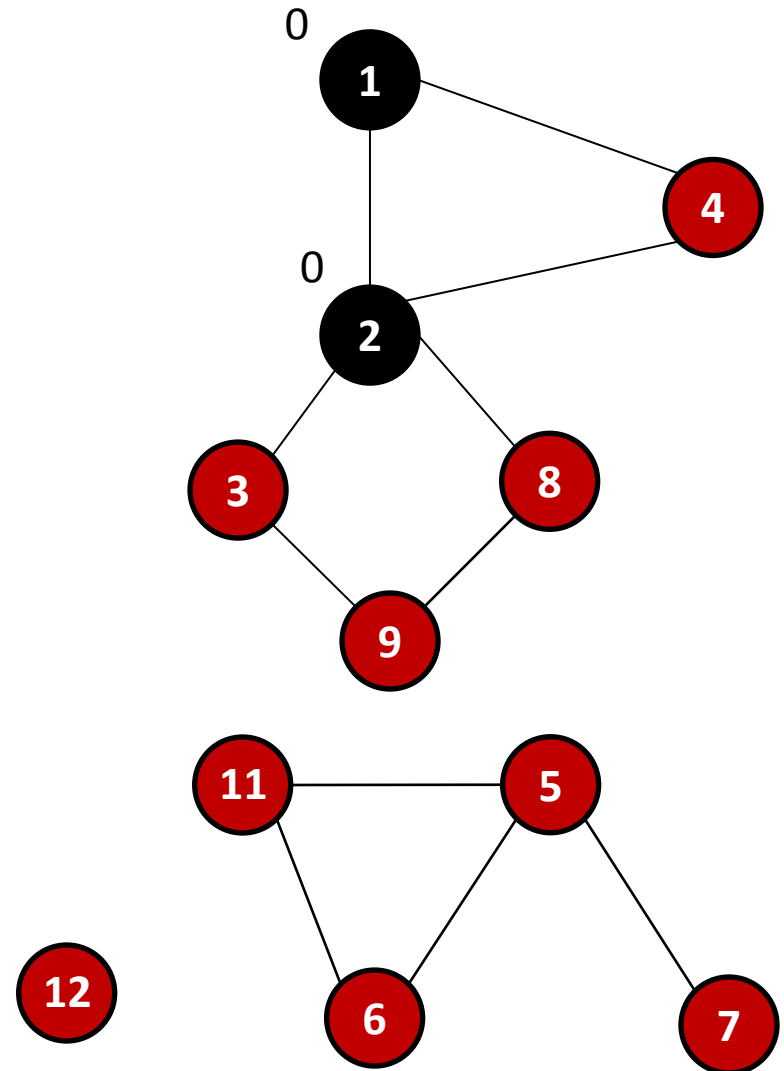
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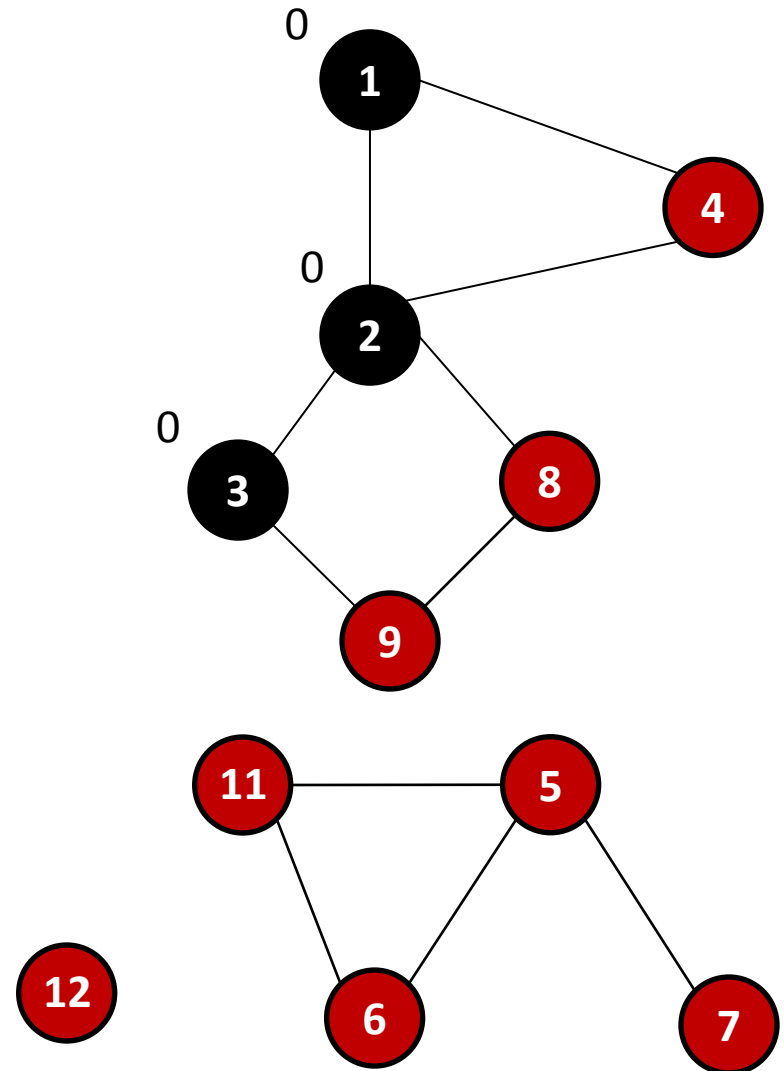
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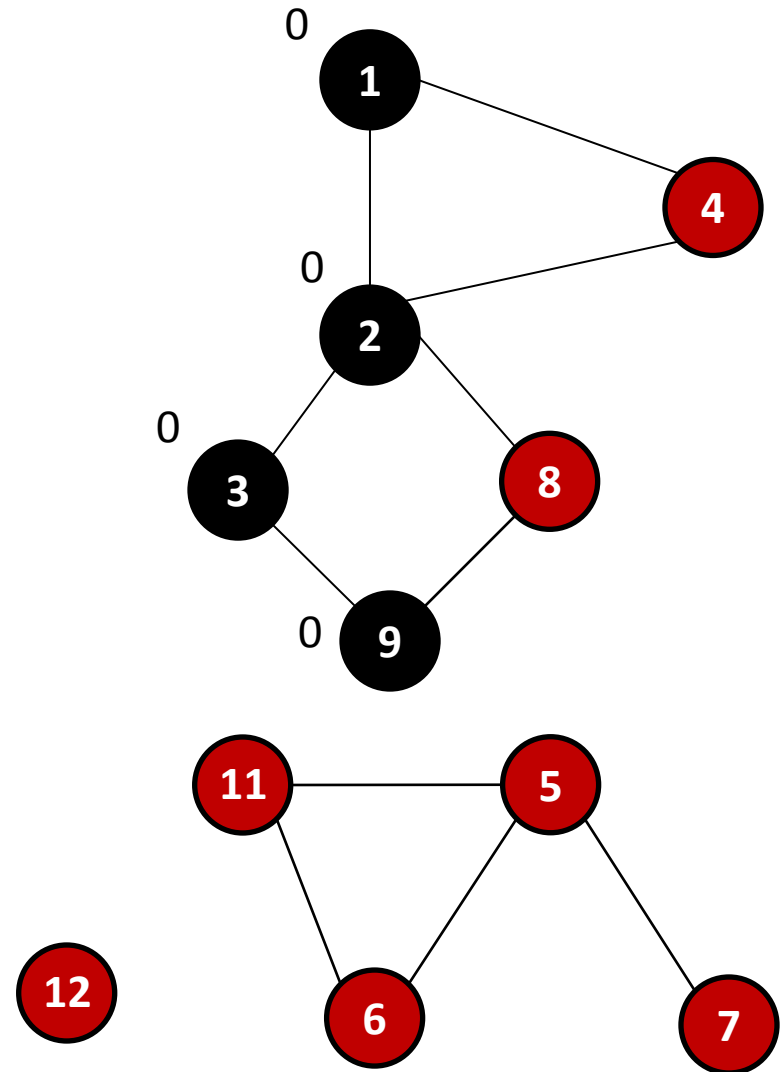
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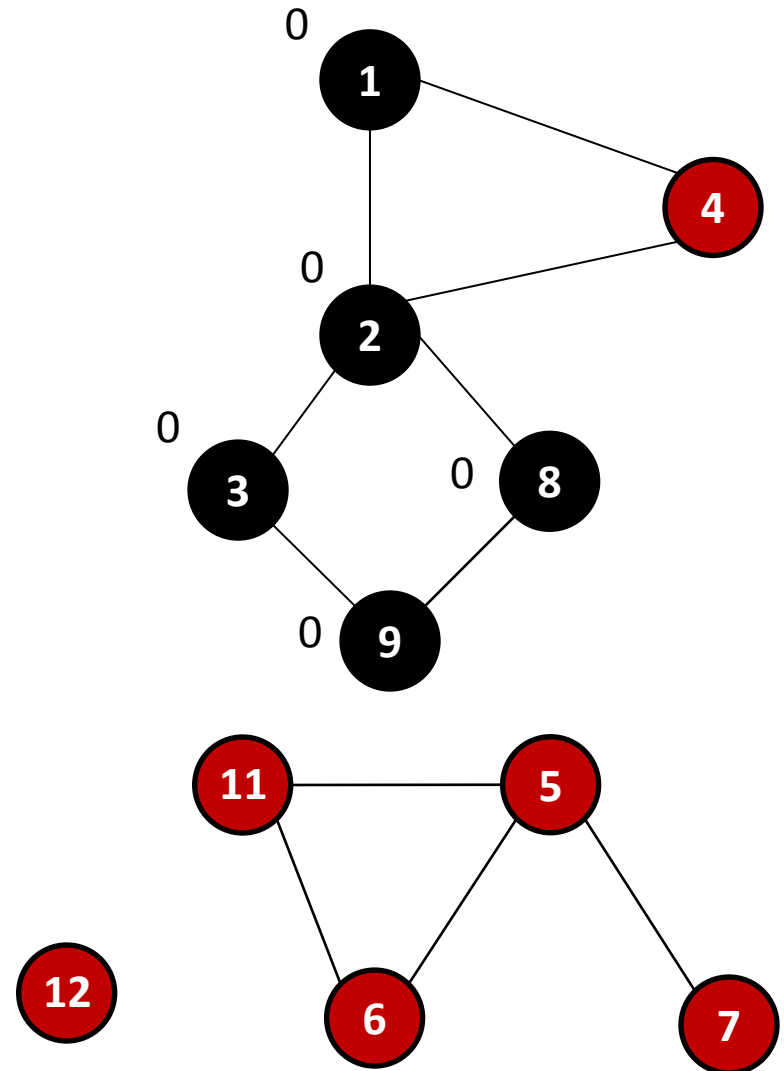
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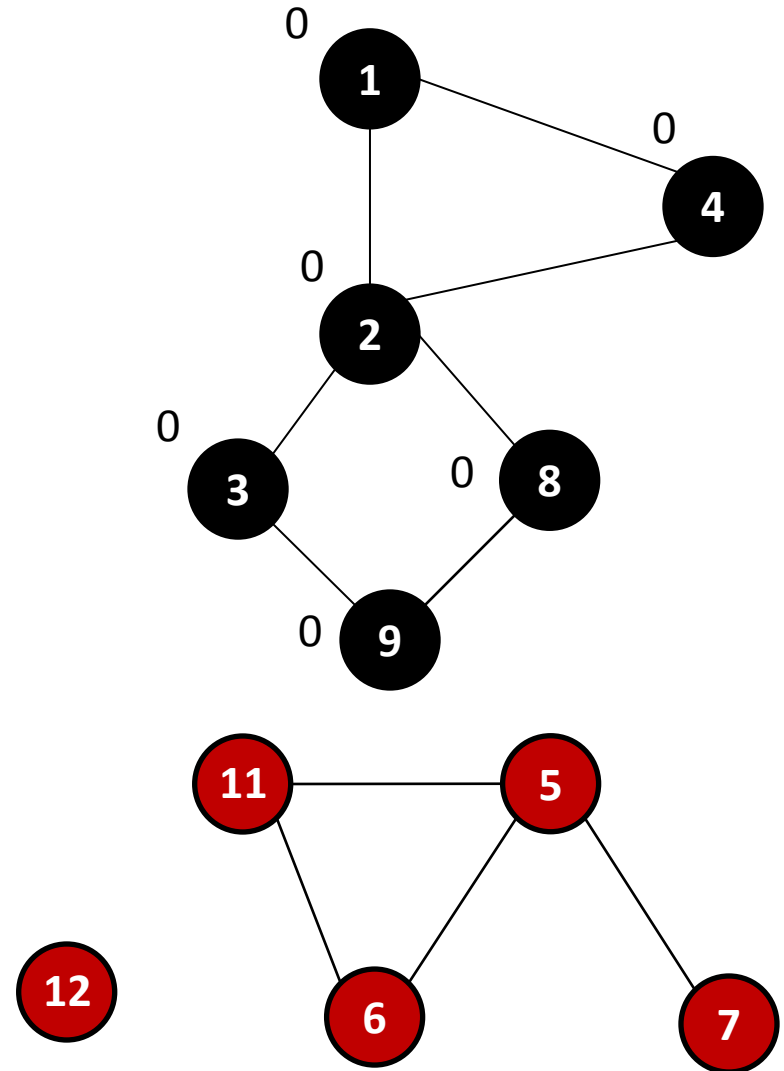
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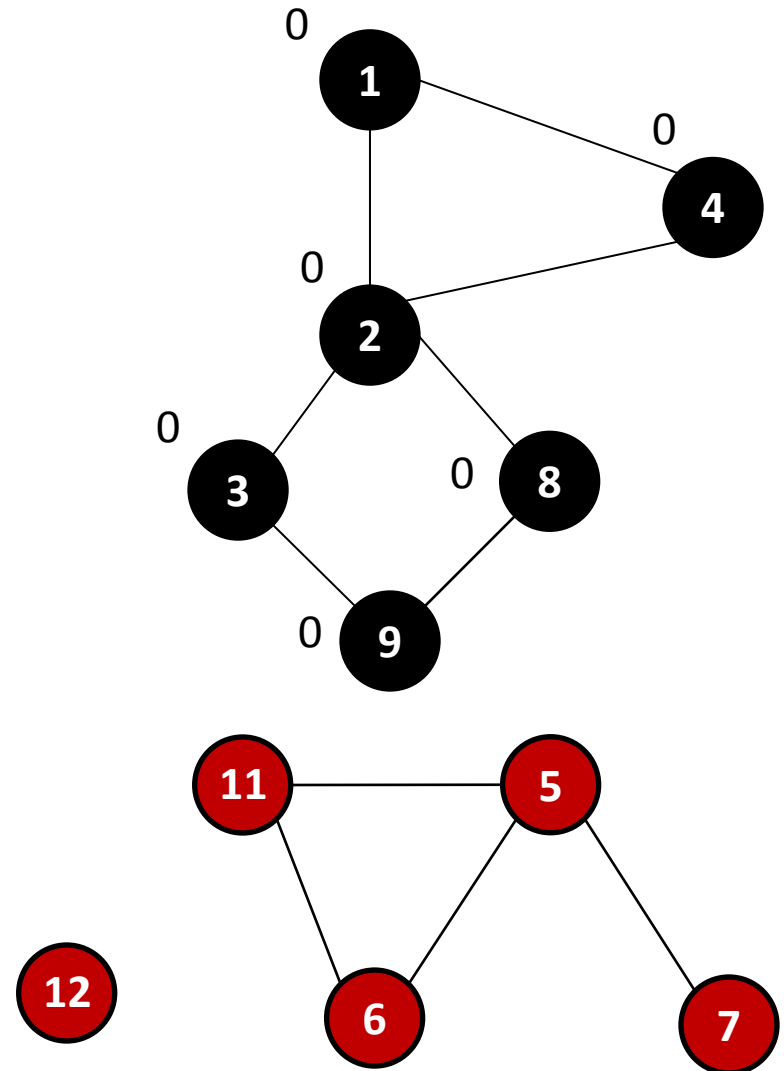
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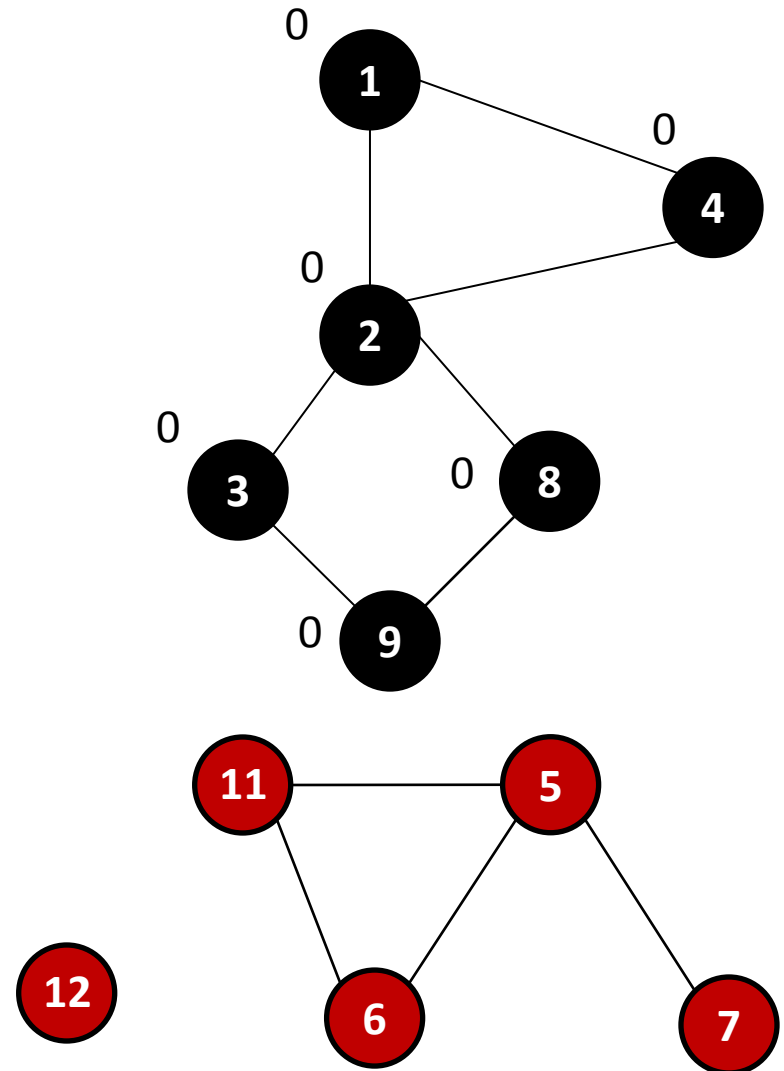
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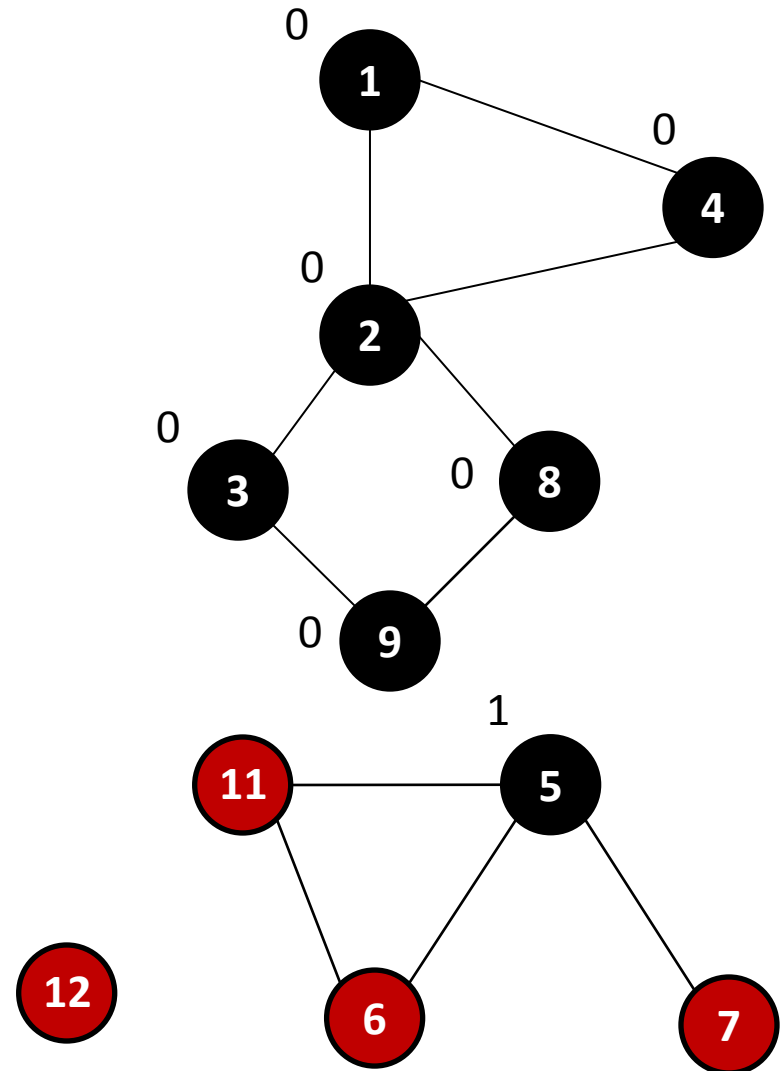
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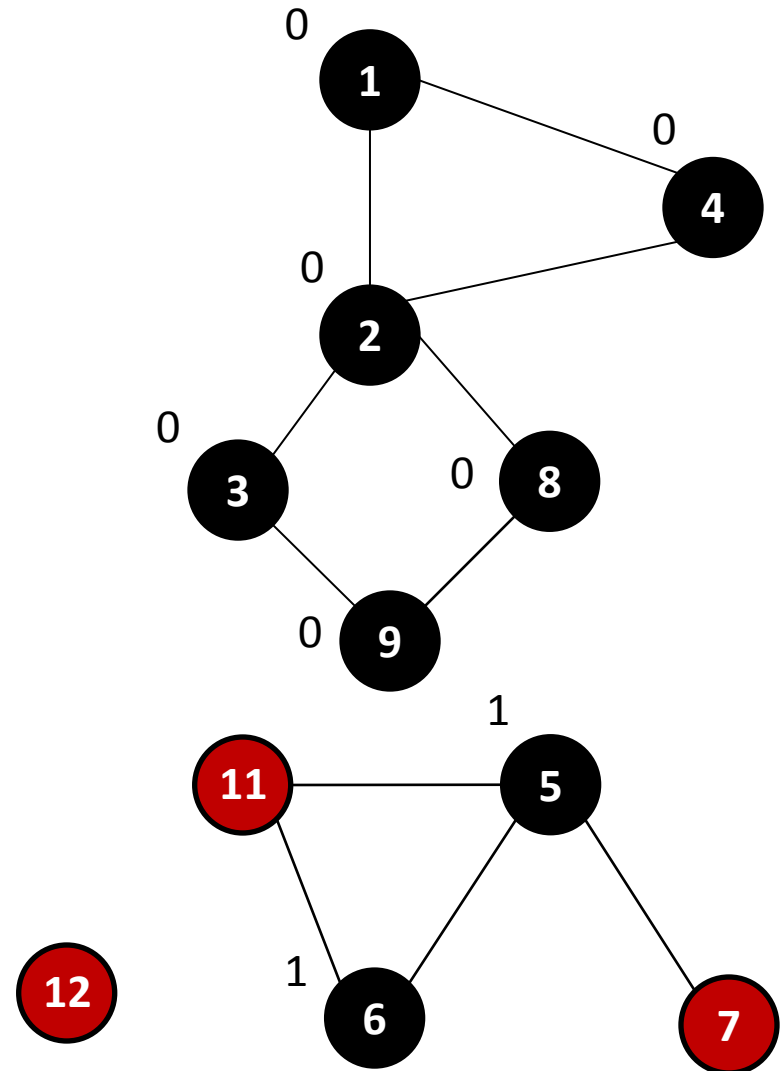
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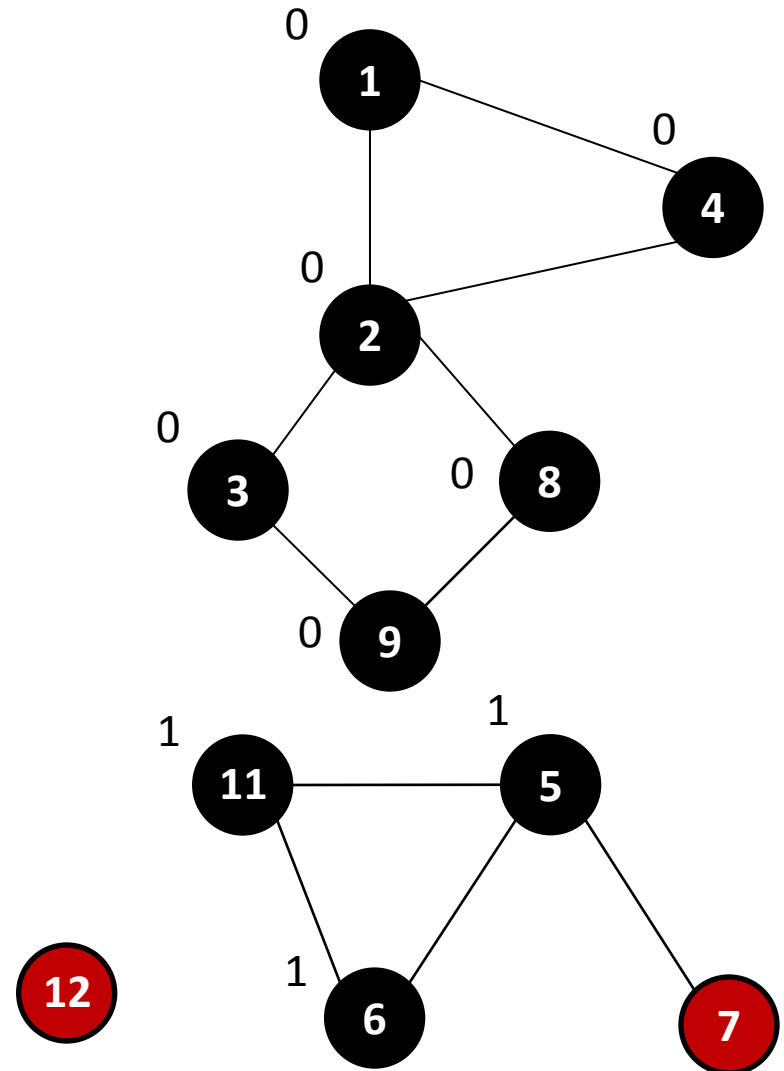
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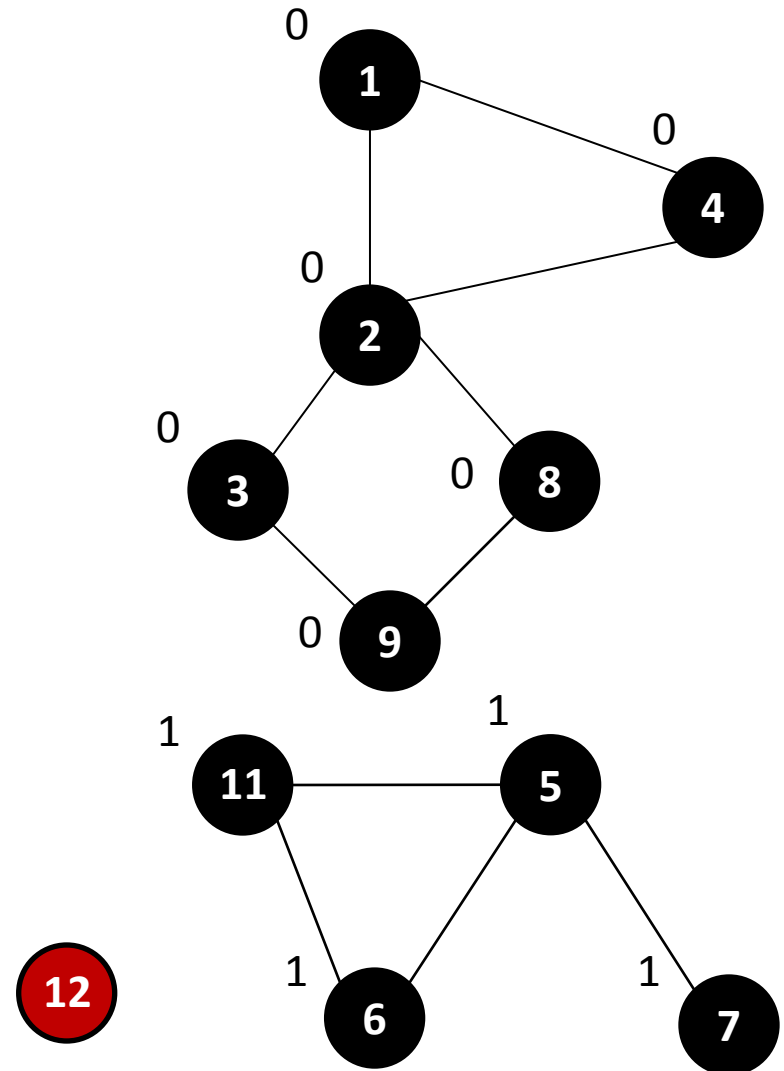
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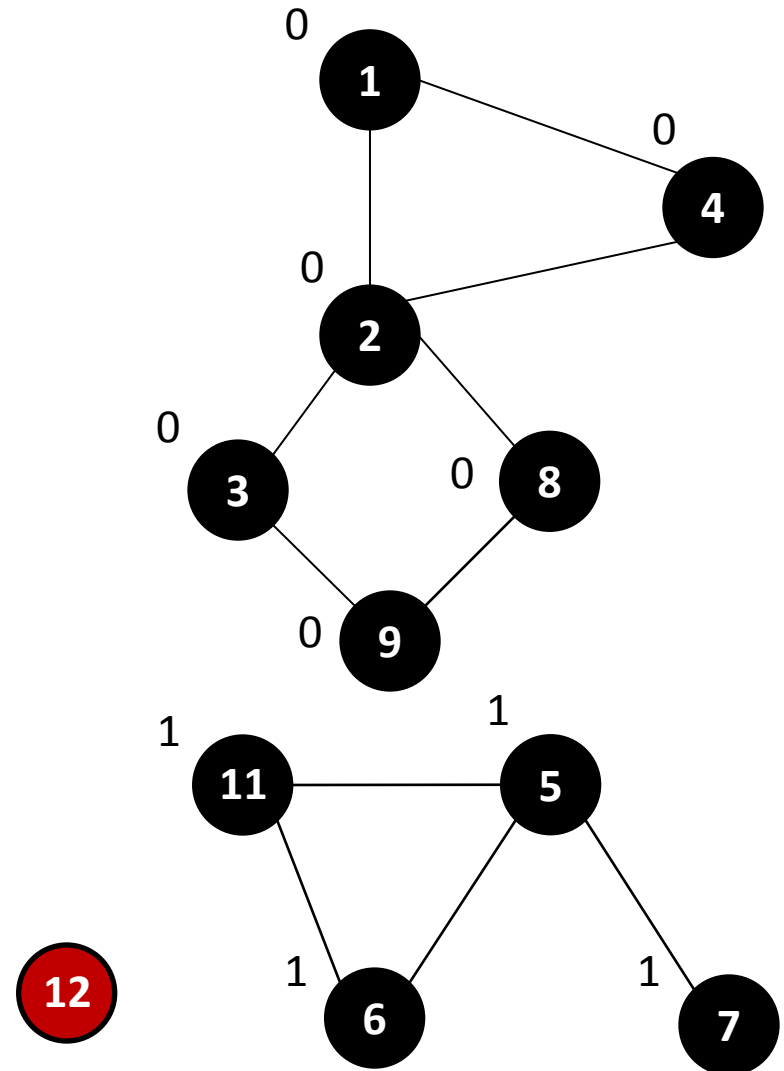
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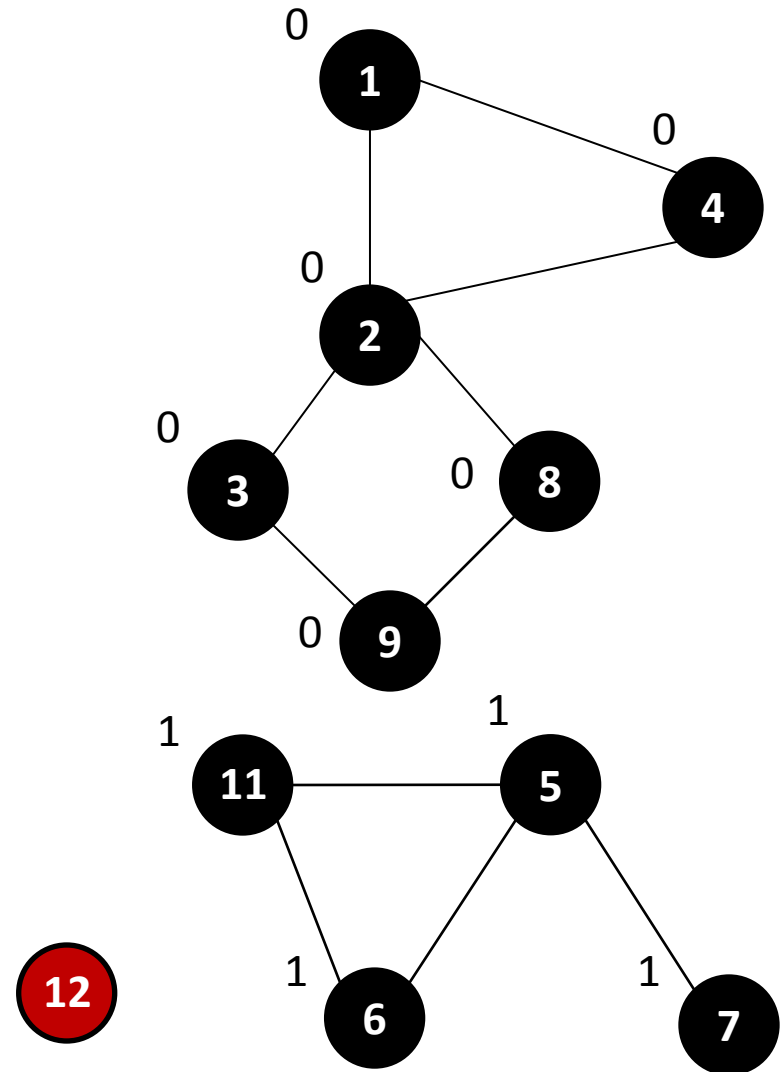
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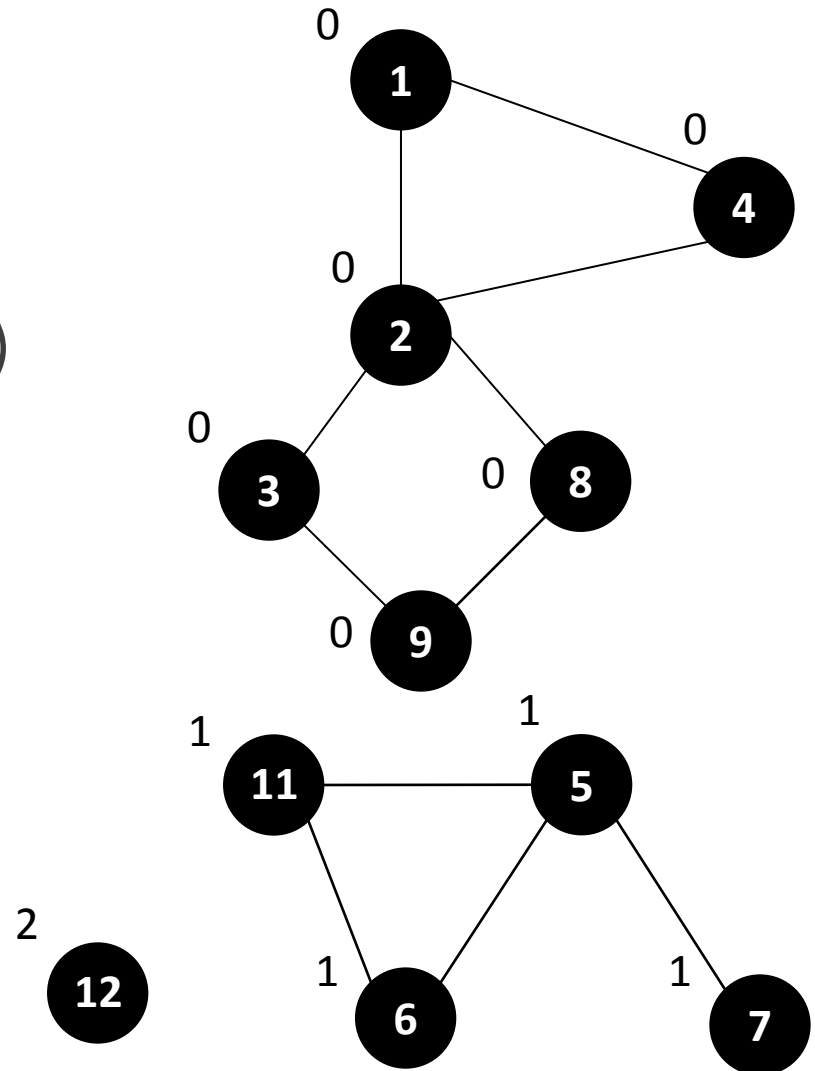
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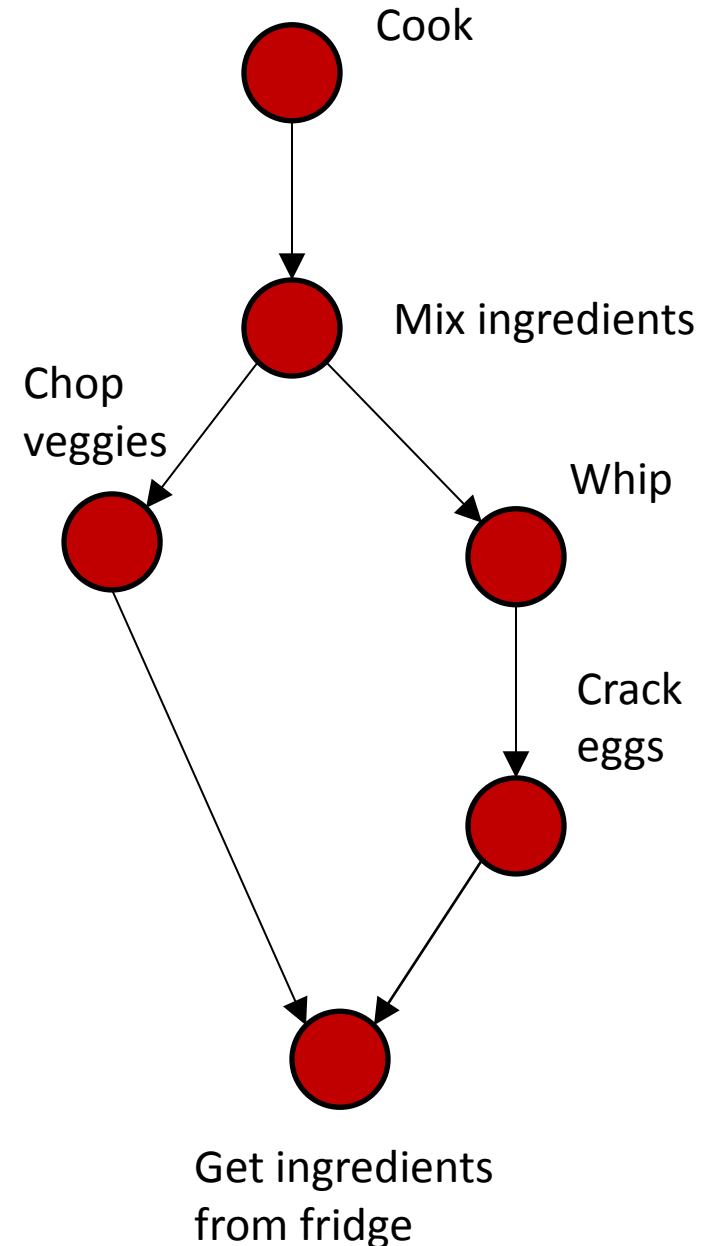
 neighbor, n, of node

 LCCVisit(n, c)



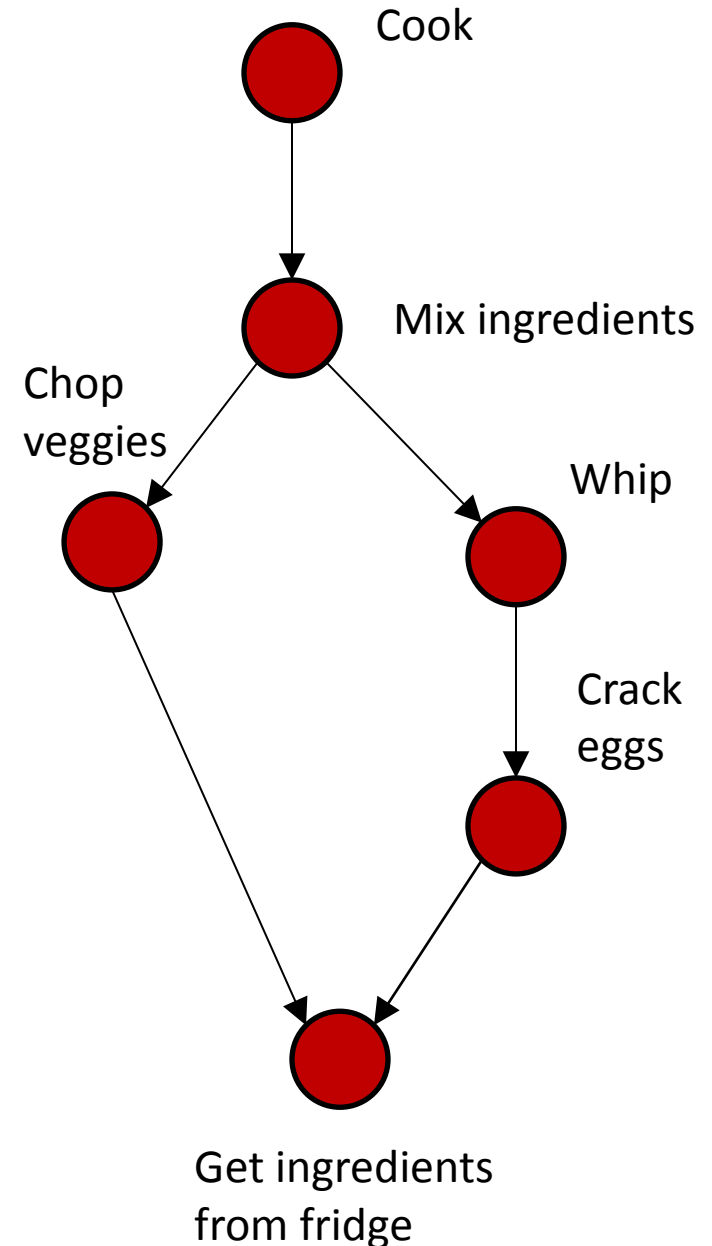
Example application: topological sort

- Given a **connected, directed acyclic graph (DAG)**
- Find an **ordering** of the nodes such that for any nodes a, b
 - If there is an **edge** from a to b
 - b **comes after** a in the ordering
 - Alternate version: b comes before a in the order
- Useful for problems such as **scheduling** tasks
 - Make a graph of the **dependencies** between **subtasks**
 - Topologically sort it



Example application: topological sort

- Essentially a fancy **post-order** traversal
- Used to find **total orderings** from **partial orderings**
- If you've used the **make** program on linux, it's essentially doing a topological sort to decide what order to compile things in



Example application: topological sort

TopologicalSort(start)

list = new empty list

TopologicalVisit(start)

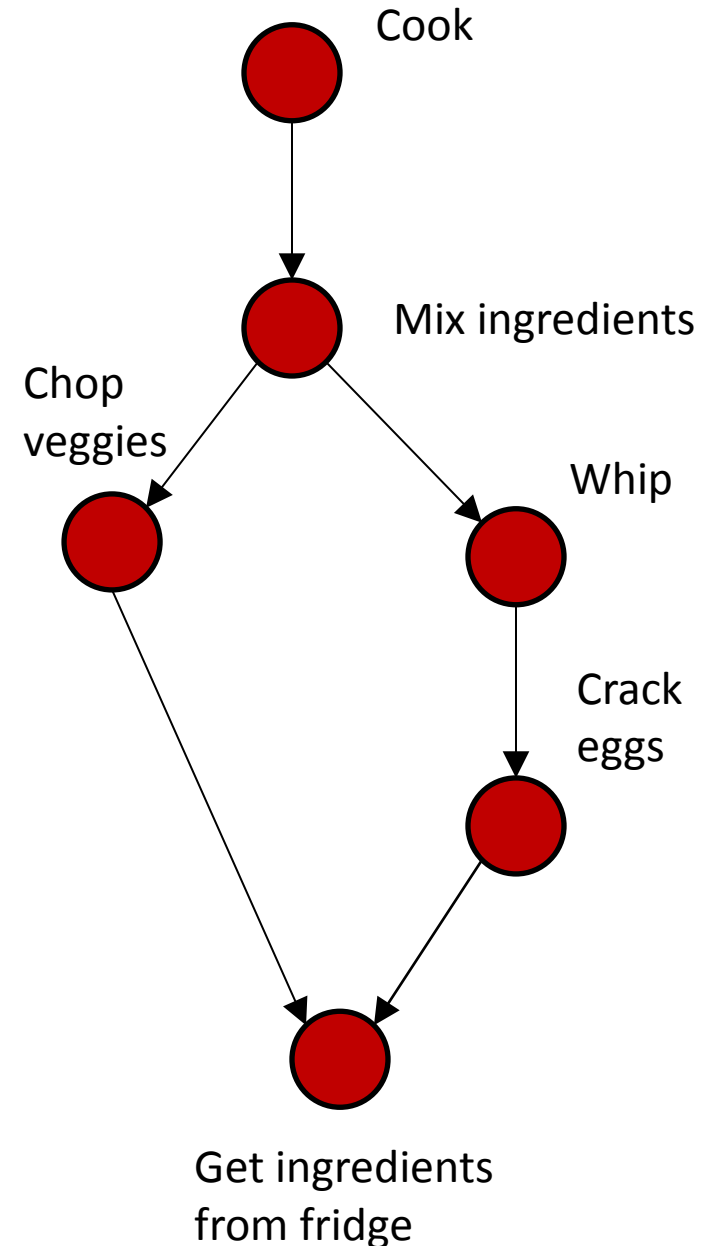
TopologicalVisit(node)

for each node n with an
edge from node to n
if n not visited

TopologicalVisit(n)

mark node visited

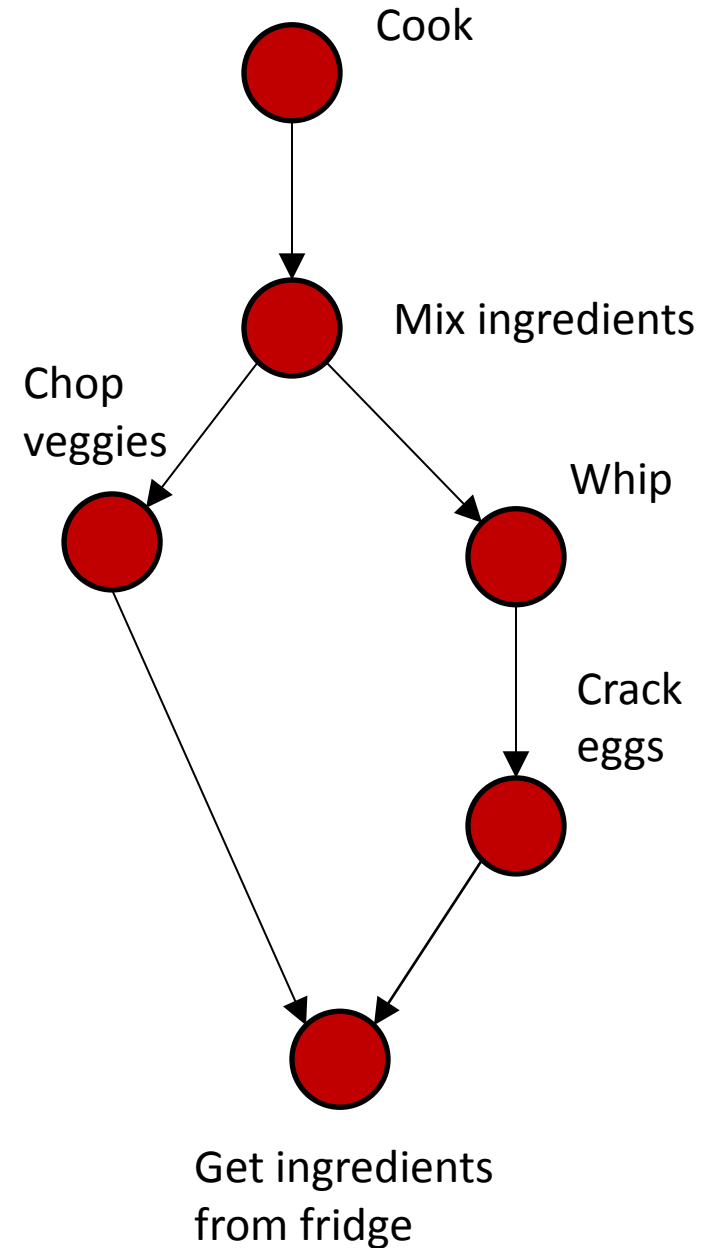
add node to list



Example application: topological sort

TopologicalVist(cook)

Output list: <empty>

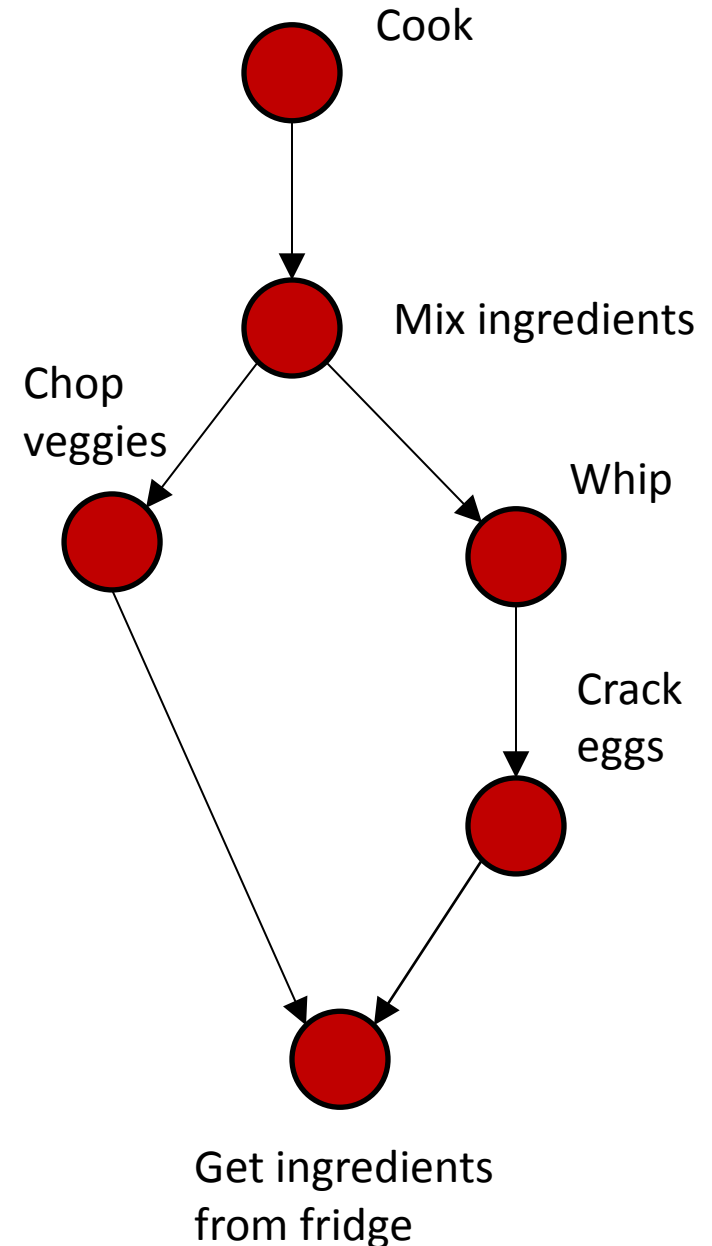


Example application: topological sort

TopologicalVist(cook)

TopologicalVist(mix)

Output list: <empty>



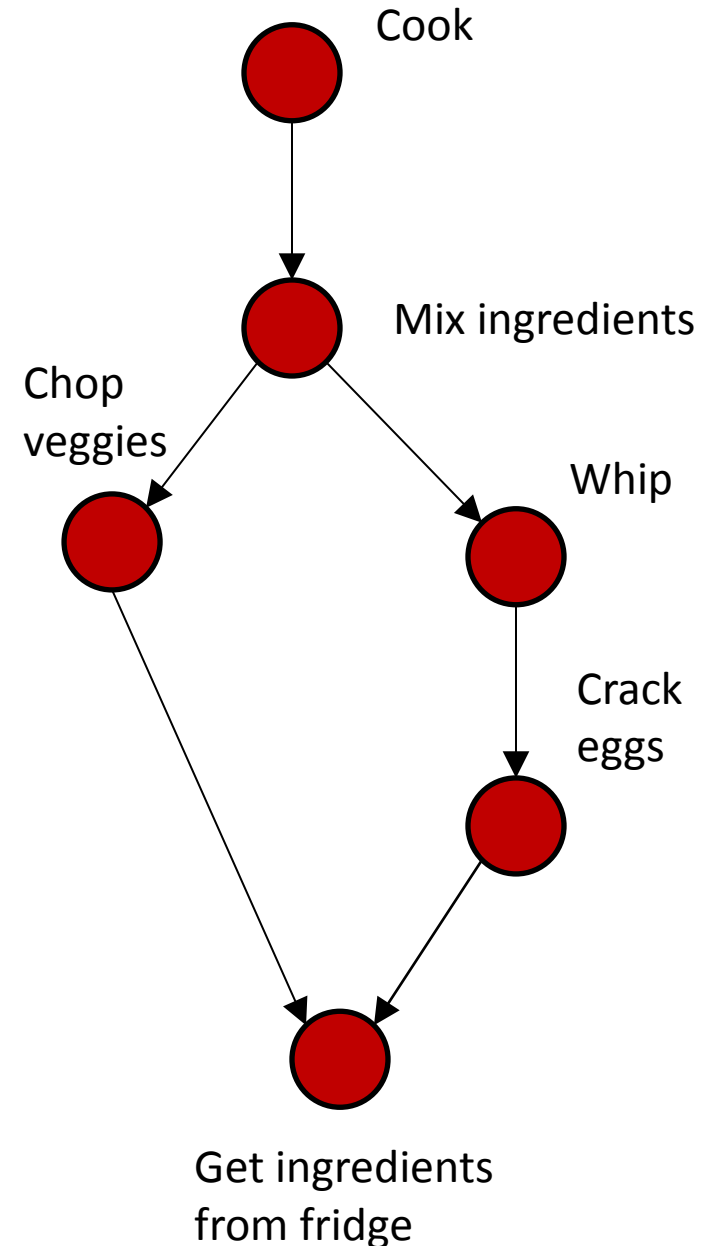
Example application: topological sort

TopologicalVist(cook)

TopologicalVist(mix)

TopologicalVist(chop)

Output list: <empty>



Example application: topological sort

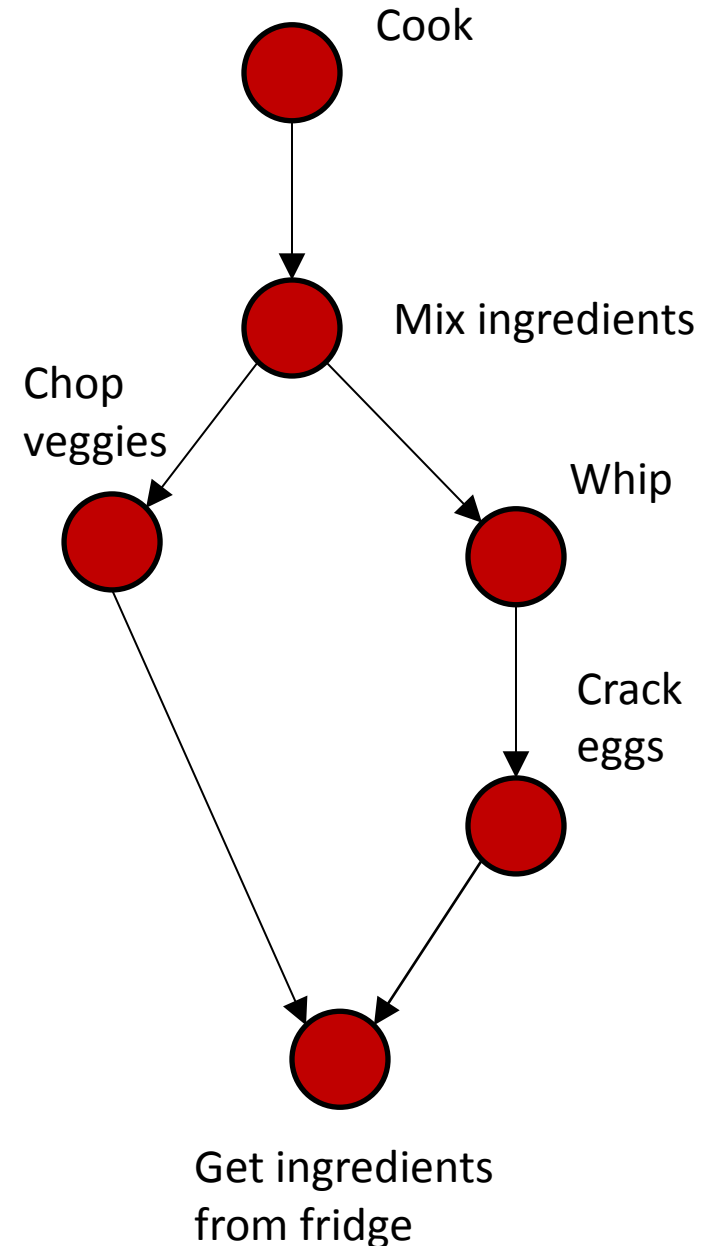
TopologicalVist(cook)

TopologicalVist(mix)

TopologicalVist(chop)

TopologicalVist(get)

Output list: <empty>



Example application: topological sort

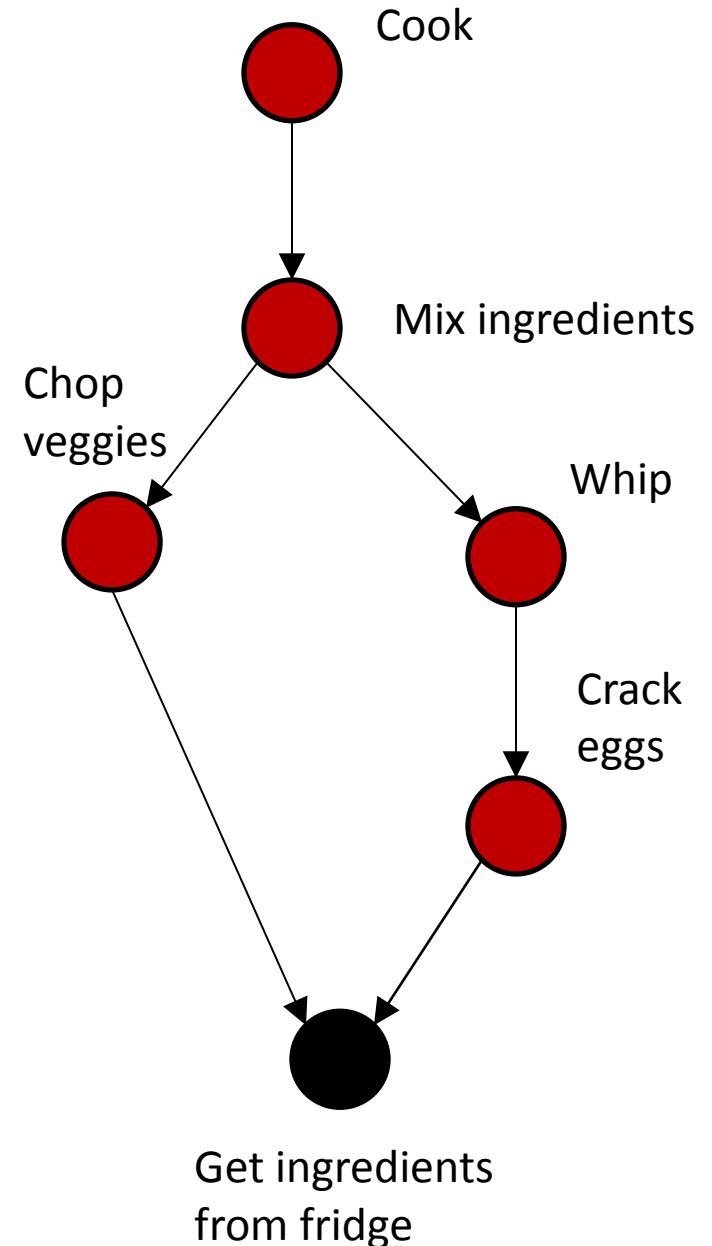
TopologicalVist(cook)

TopologicalVist(mix)

TopologicalVist(chop)

TopologicalVist(get)

Output list: get



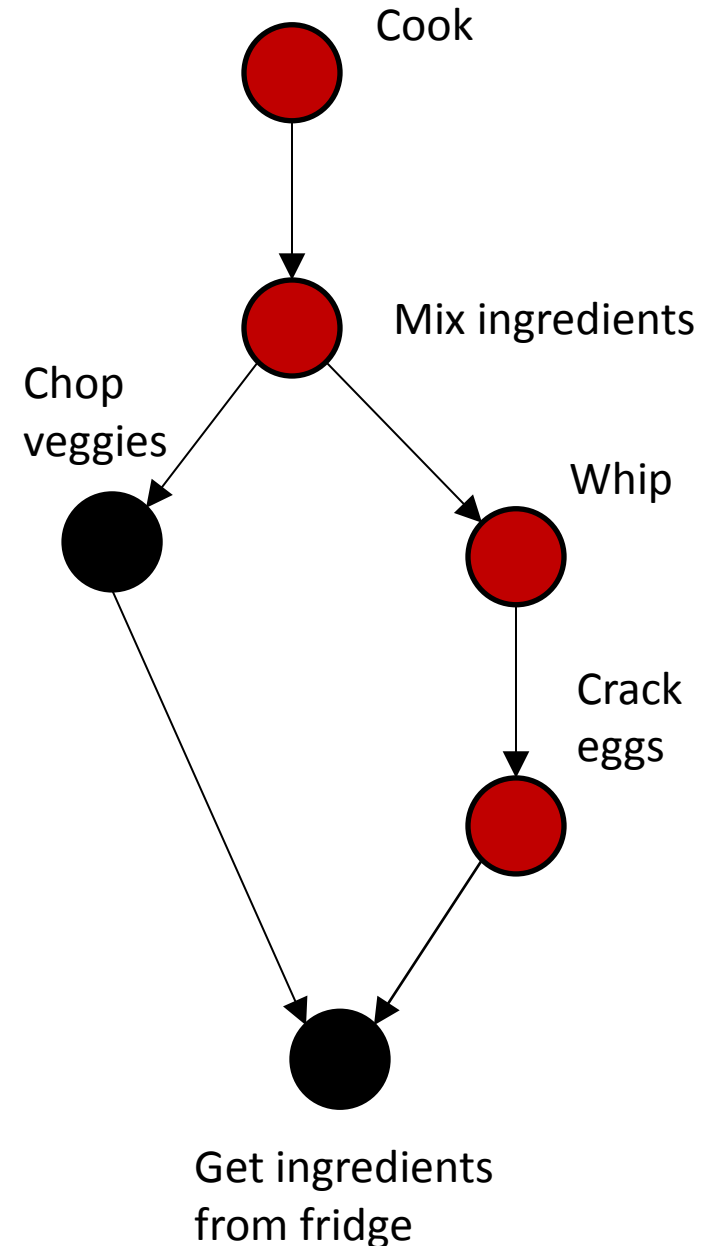
Example application: topological sort

TopologicalVist(cook)

TopologicalVist(mix)

TopologicalVist(chop)

Output list: get, chop

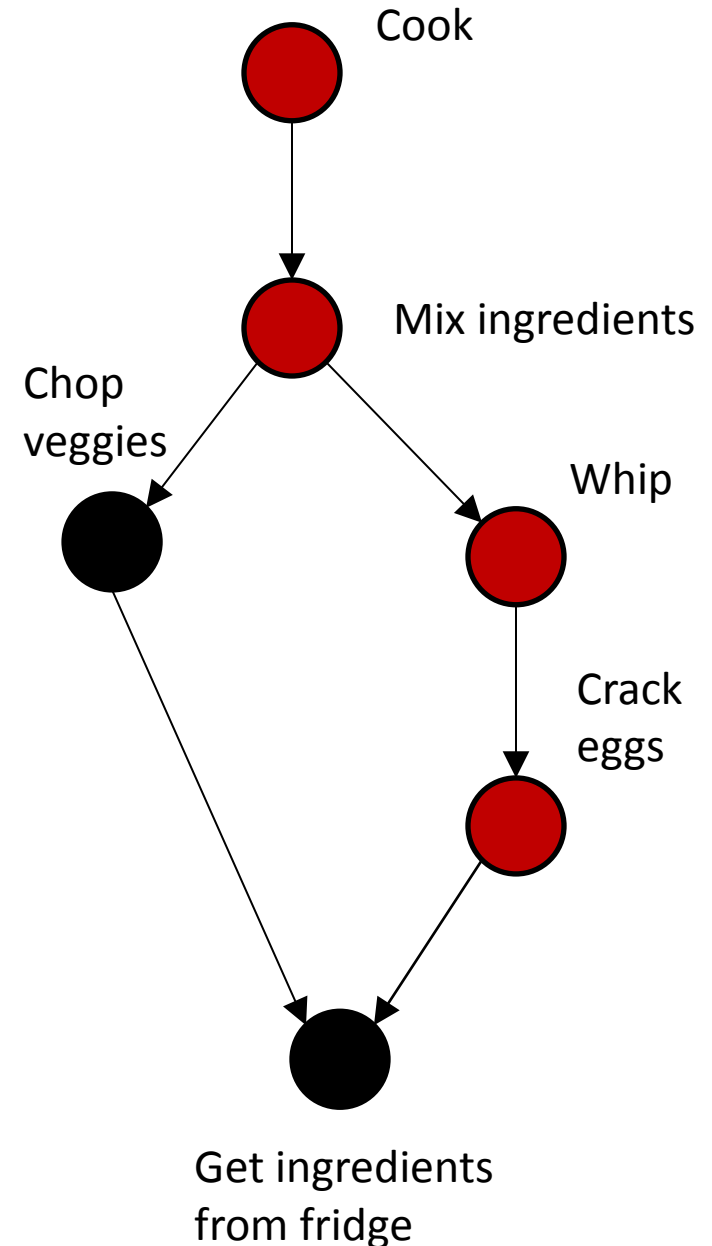


Example application: topological sort

TopologicalVist(cook)

TopologicalVist(mix)

Output list: get, chop



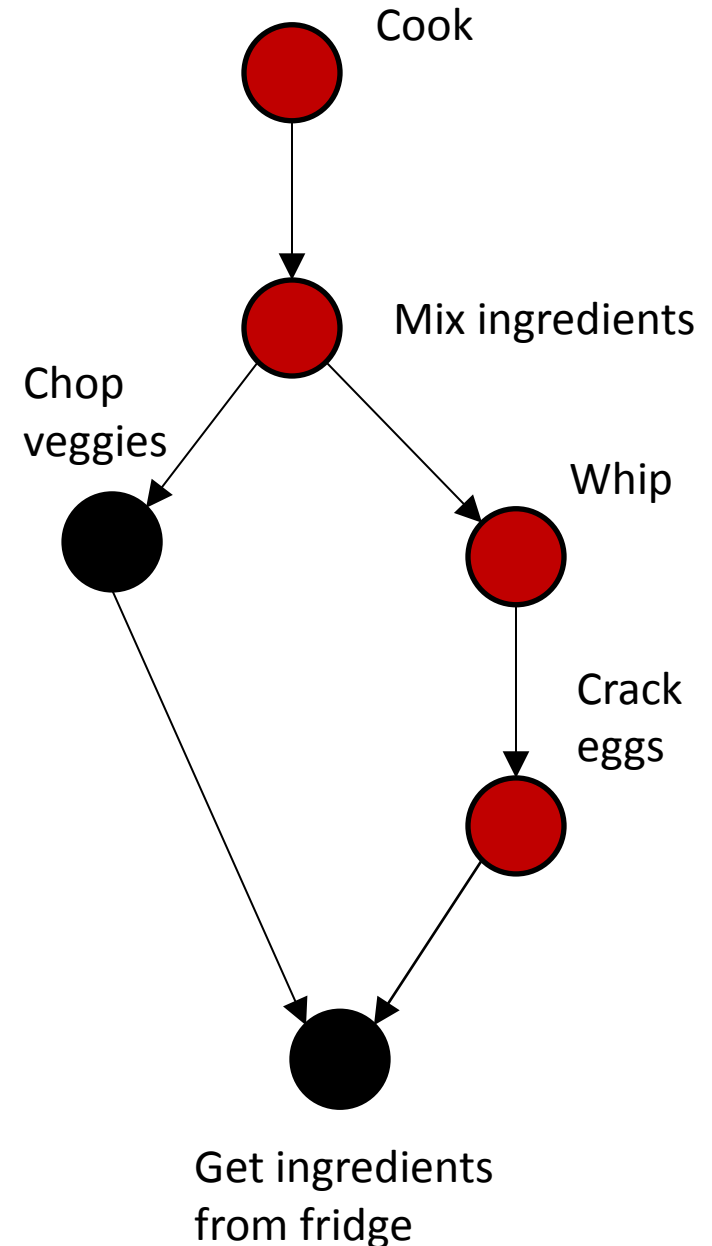
Example application: topological sort

TopologicalVist(cook)

TopologicalVist(mix)

TopologicalVist(whip)

Output list: get, chop



Example application: topological sort

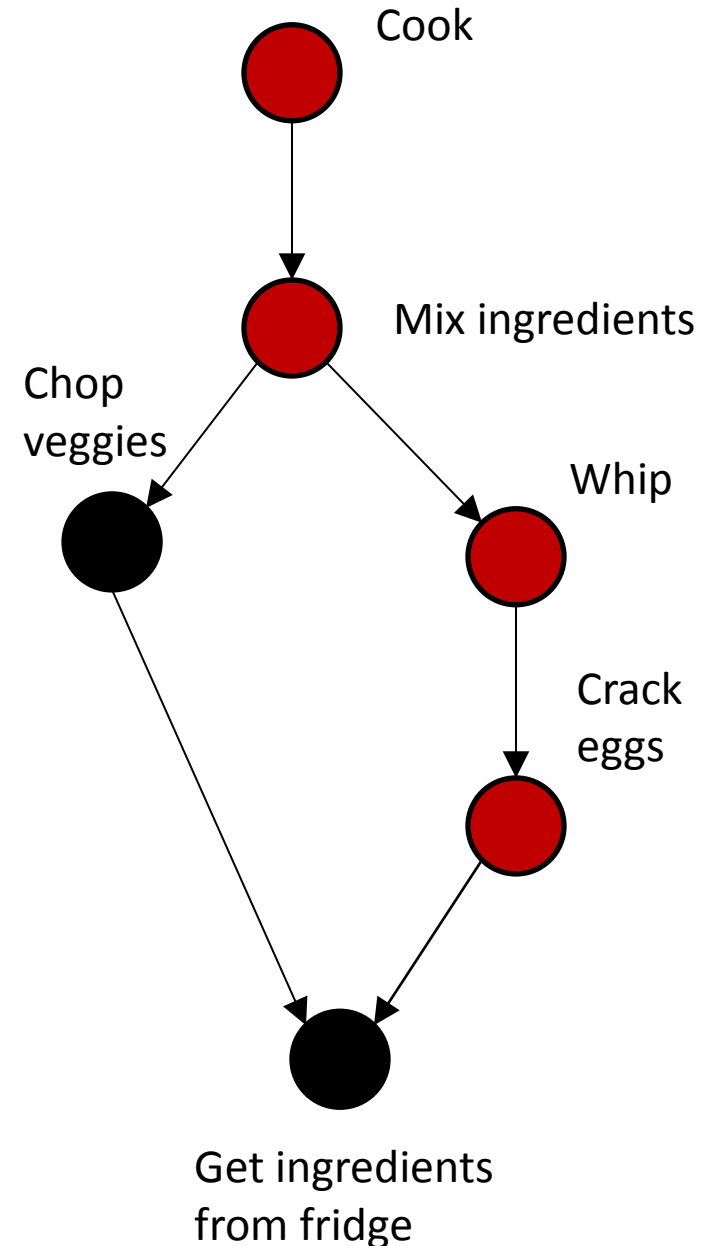
TopologicalVist(cook)

TopologicalVist(mix)

TopologicalVist(whip)

TopologicalVist(crack)

Output list: get, chop



Example application: topological sort

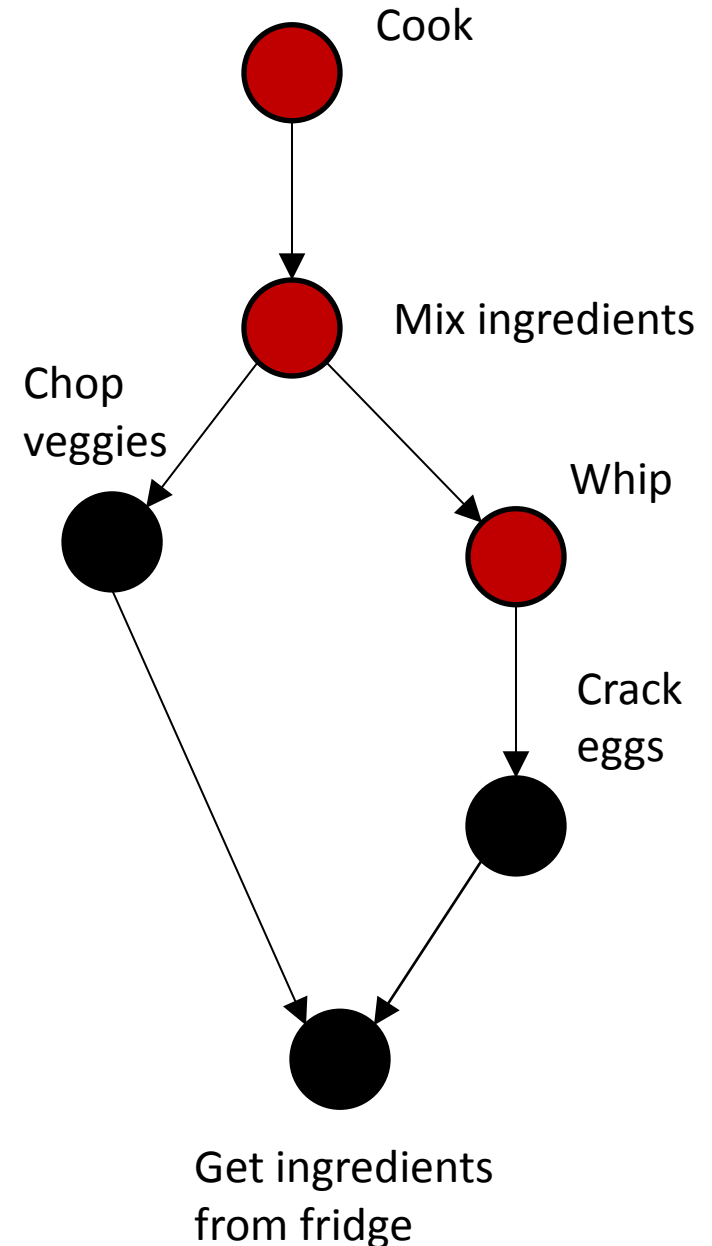
TopologicalVist(cook)

TopologicalVist(mix)

TopologicalVist(whip)

TopologicalVist(crack)

Output list: get, chop, crack

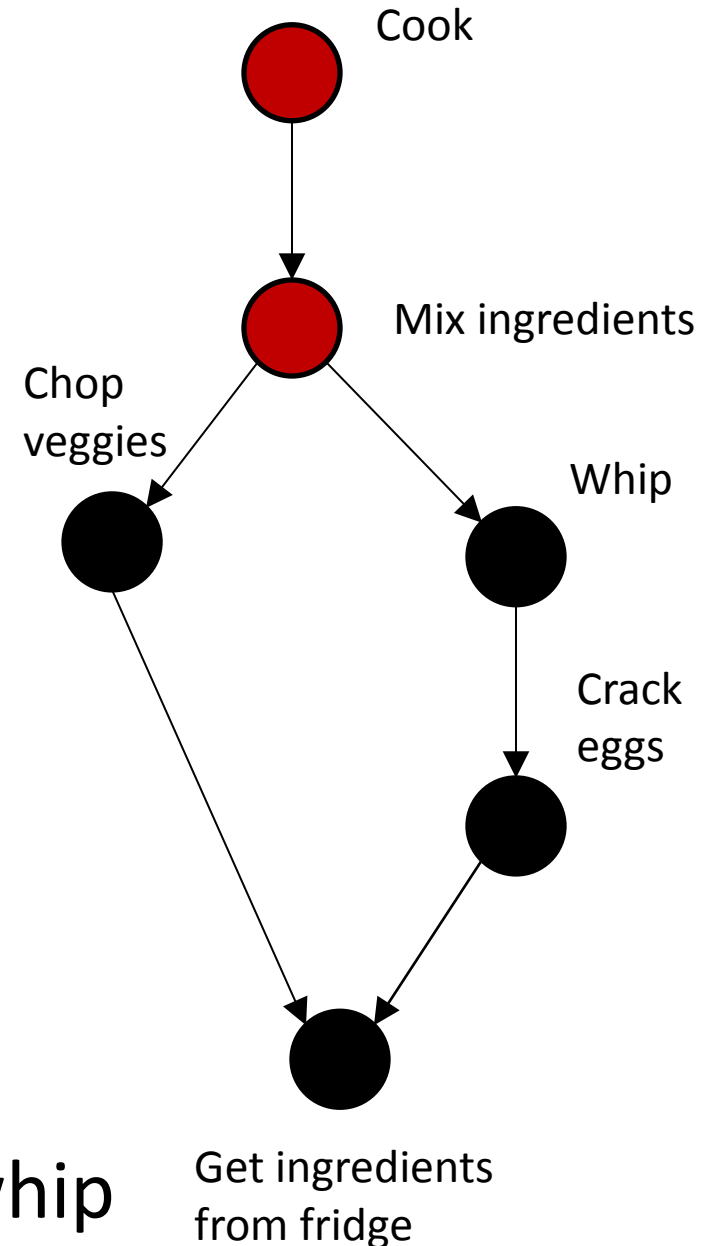


Example application: topological sort

TopologicalVist(cook)

TopologicalVist(mix)

TopologicalVist(whip)



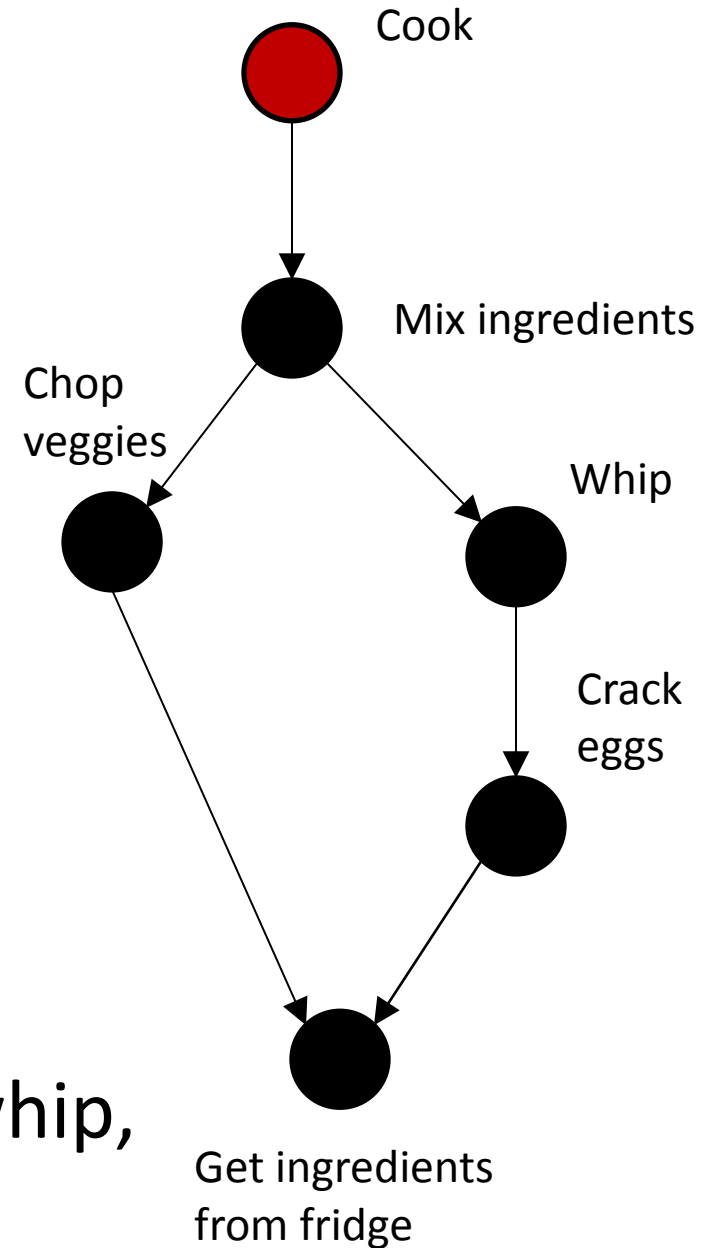
Output list: get, chop, crack, whip

Example application: topological sort

TopologicalVist(cook)

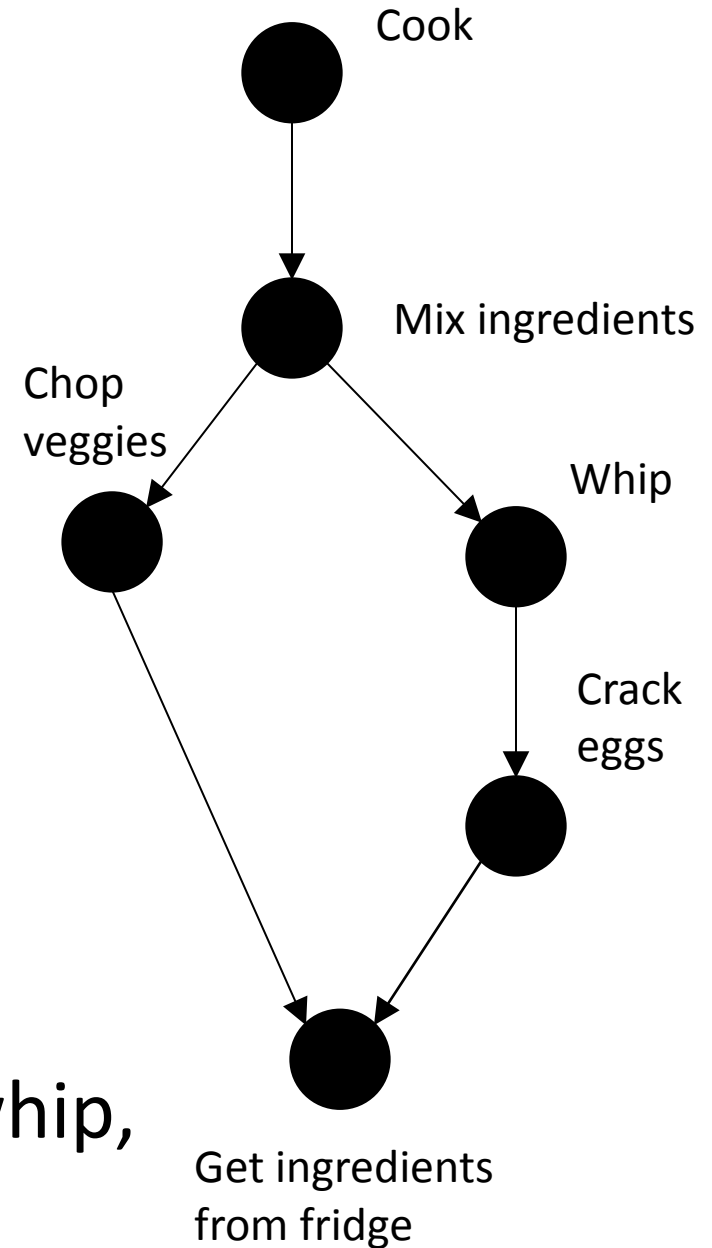
TopologicalVist(mix)

Output list: get, chop, crack, whip,
mix



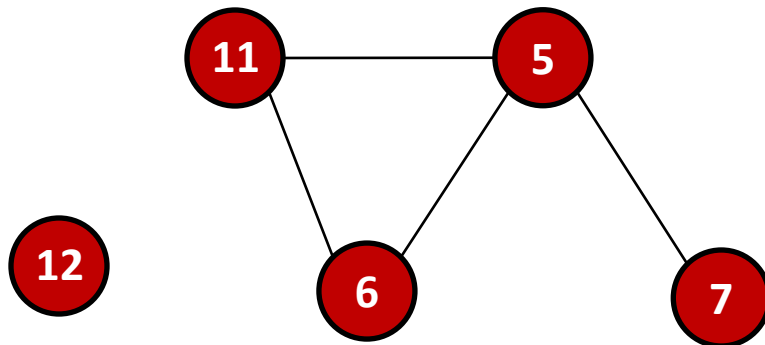
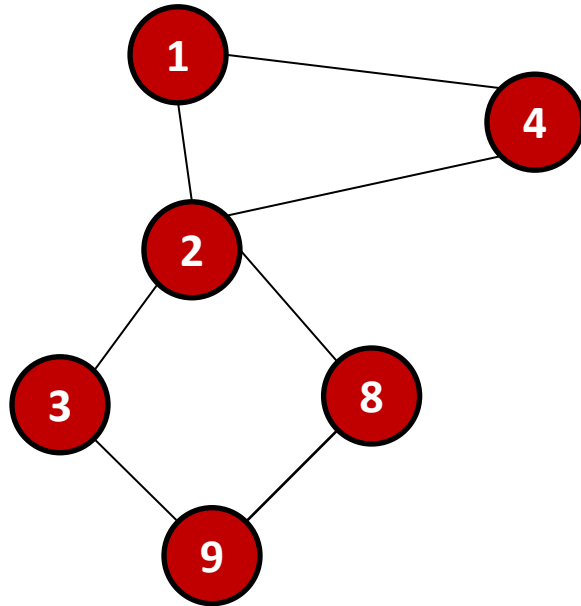
Example application: topological sort

TopologicalVist(cook)



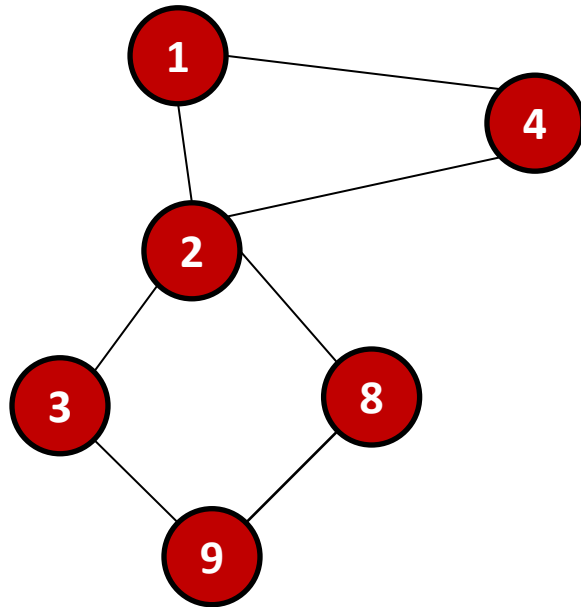
Output list: get, chop, crack, whip,
mix, cook

Timestamping nodes

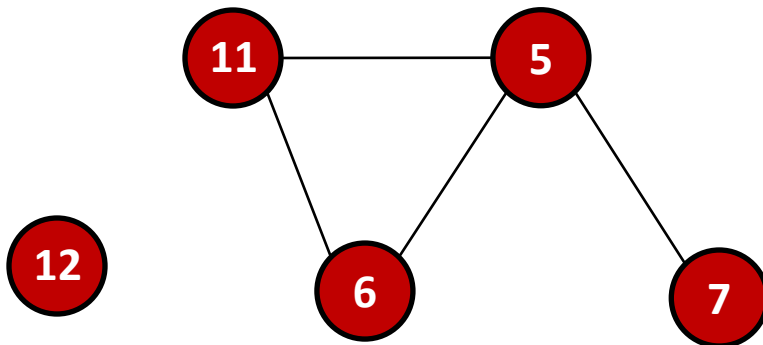


- It turns out to be useful to keep track of **when** nodes are accessed
- We keep a **counter** variable that acts as a kind of **clock**
 - Increment it every time we call DFSVisit
- **Record** the value of the counter every time we
 - Start a call to DFSVisit
 - End a call to DFSVisit

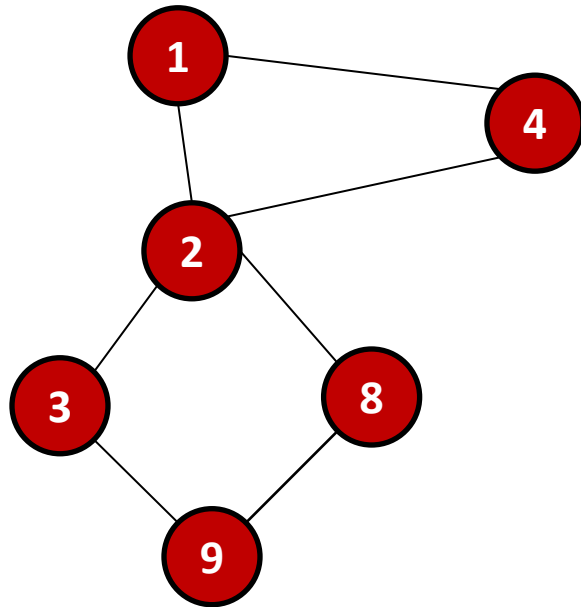
Timestamping nodes



- And as long as we're at it, we'll also keep track of **predecessor** nodes
 - As with the fancy version of breadth-first search



Timestamping nodes



DepthFirst()

time = 0

for each node in graph
if node not visited
DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

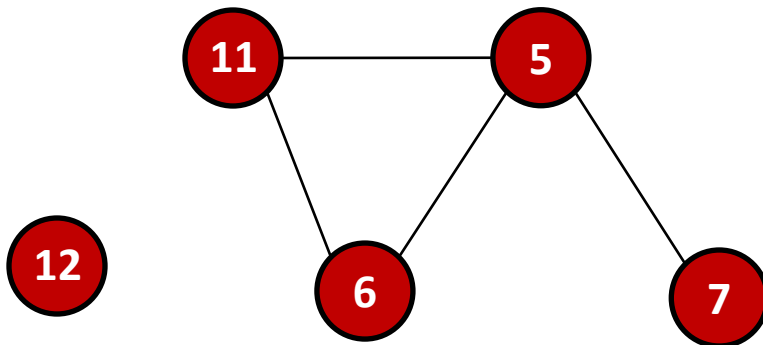
node.discovered = time++

for each unvisited neighbor,
c, of node

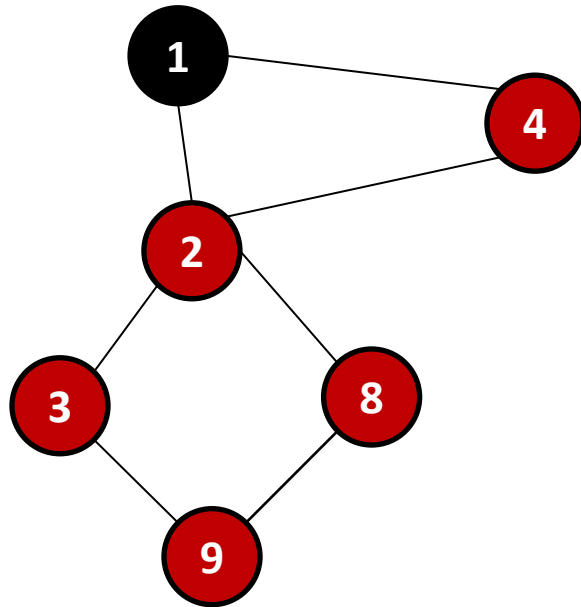
c.predecessor = node

DFSVisit(c)

node.finished = time++



Timestamping nodes



DepthFirst()

time = 0

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

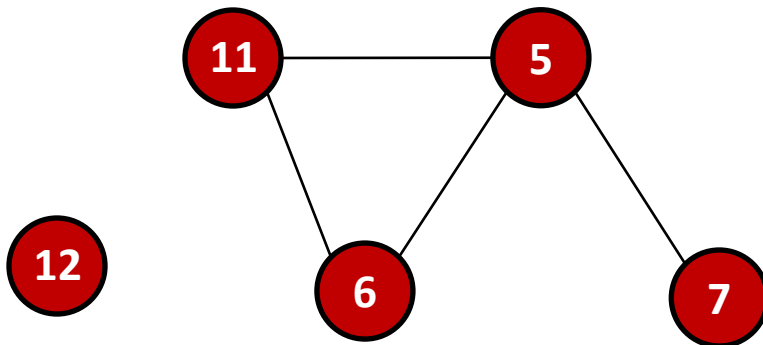
node.discovered = time++

for each unvisited neighbor,
c, of node

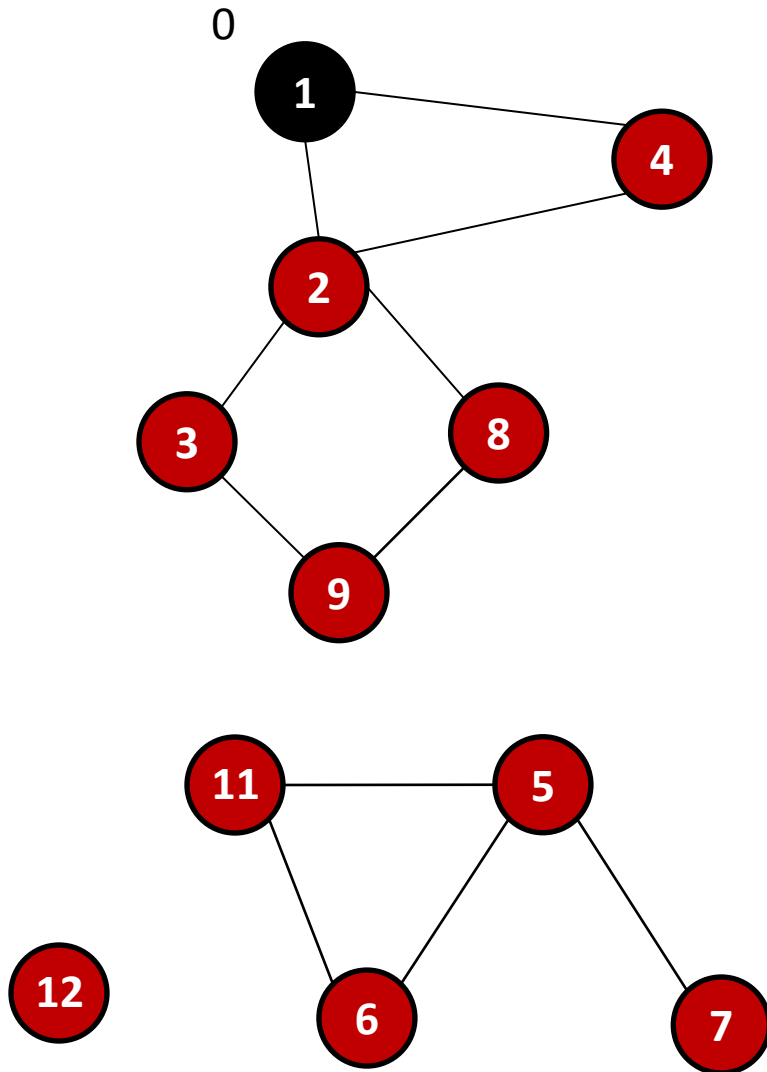
c.predecessor = node

DFSVisit(c)

node.finished = time++



Timestamping nodes



DepthFirst()

time = 0

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

node.discovered = time++

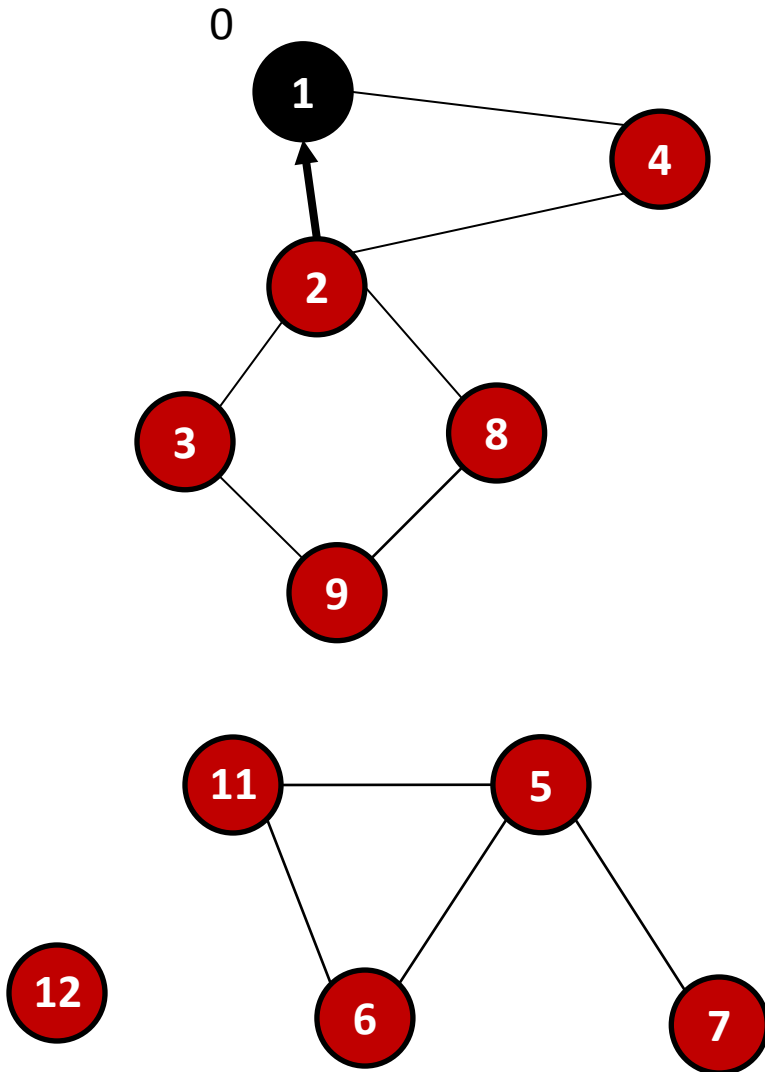
for each unvisited neighbor,
c, of node

c.predecessor = node

DFSVisit(c)

node.finished = time++

Timestamping nodes



DepthFirst()

time = 0

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

node.discovered = time++

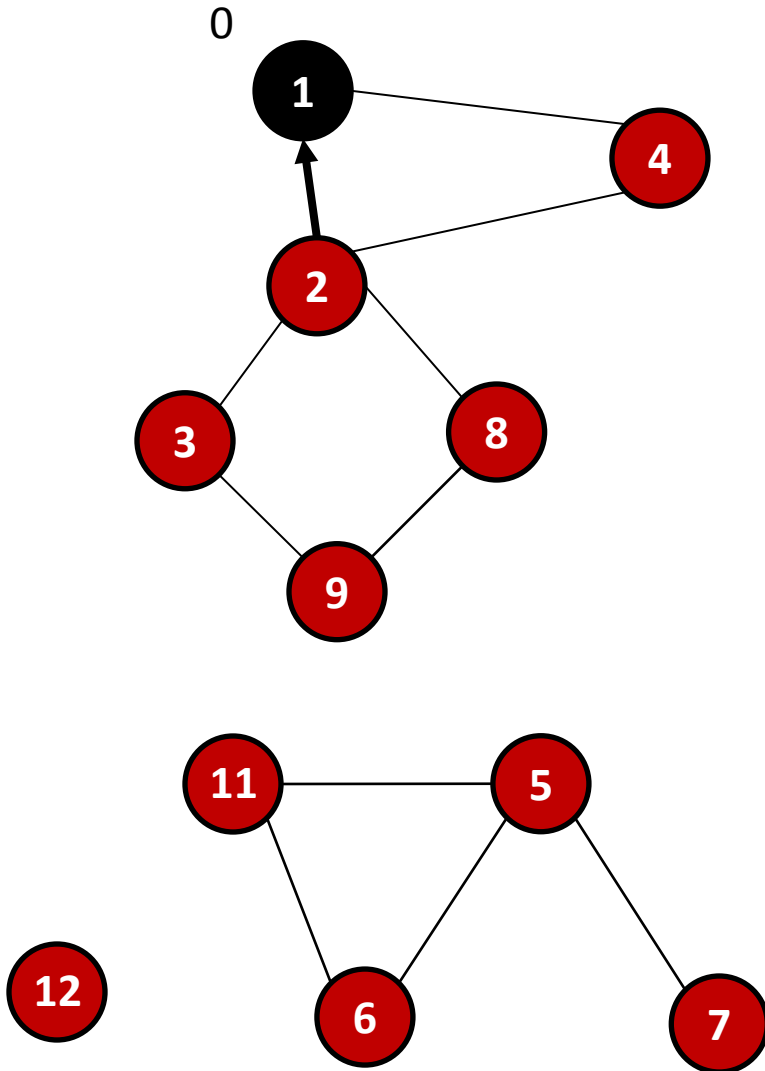
for each unvisited neighbor,
c, of node

c.predecessor = node

DFSVisit(c)

node.finished = time++

Timestamping nodes



DepthFirst()

time = 0

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

node.discovered = time++

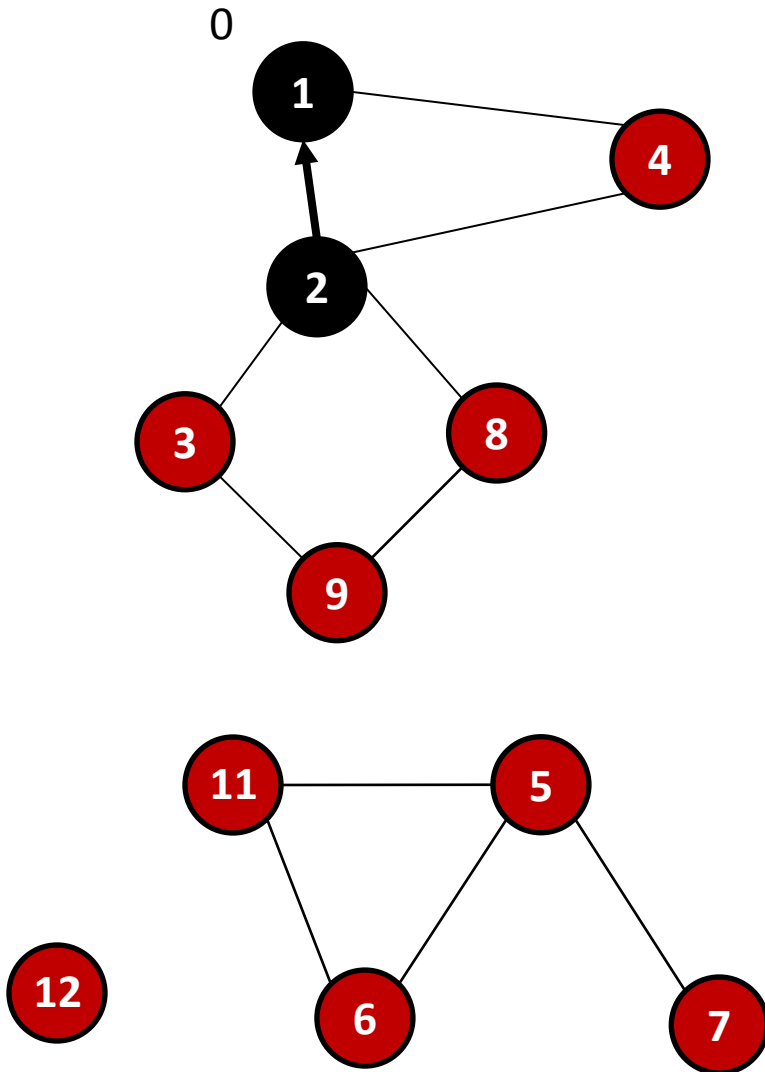
for each unvisited neighbor,
c, of node

c.predecessor = node

DFSVisit(c)

node.finished = time++

Timestamping nodes



DepthFirst()

time = 0

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

node.discovered = time++

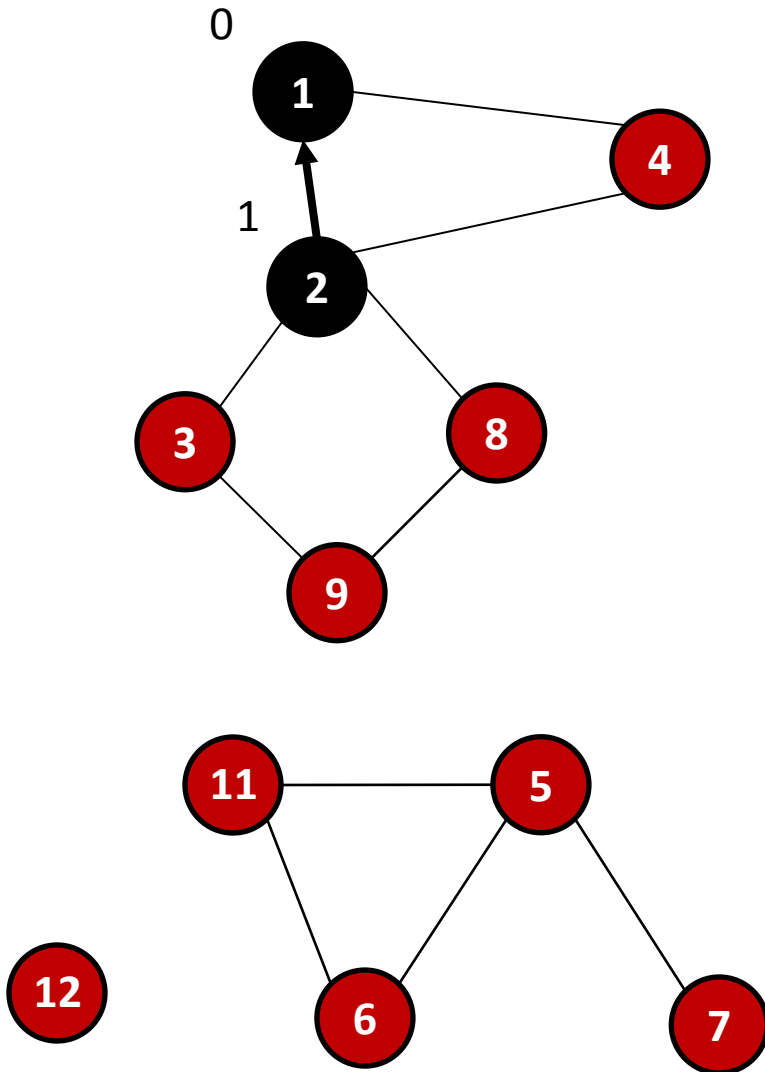
for each unvisited neighbor,
c, of node

c.predecessor = node

DFSVisit(c)

node.finished = time++

Timestamping nodes



DepthFirst()

time = 0

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

node.discovered = time++

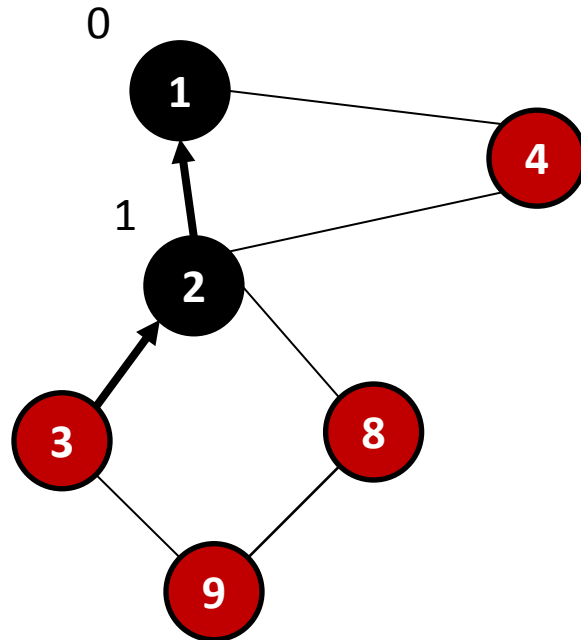
for each unvisited neighbor,
c, of node

c.predecessor = node

DFSVisit(c)

node.finished = time++

Timestamping nodes



DepthFirst()

time = 0

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

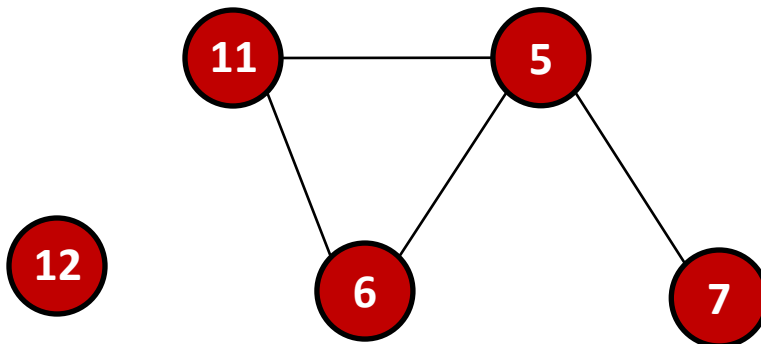
node.discovered = time++

for each unvisited neighbor,
c, of node

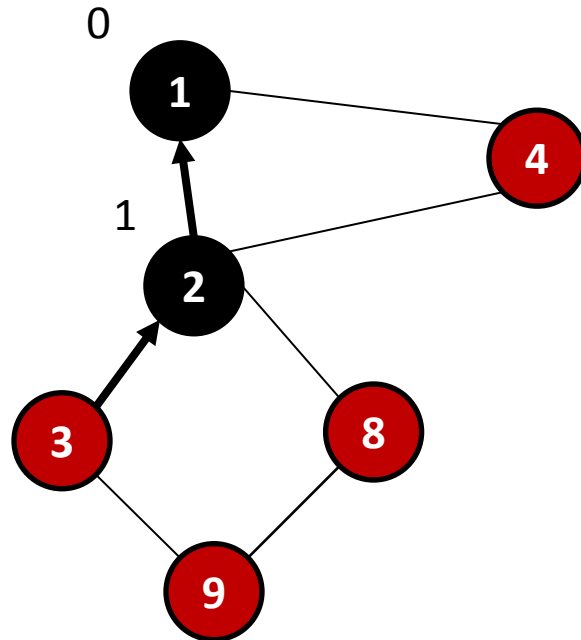
c.predecessor = node

DFSVisit(c)

node.finished = time++



Timestamping nodes



DepthFirst()

time = 0

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

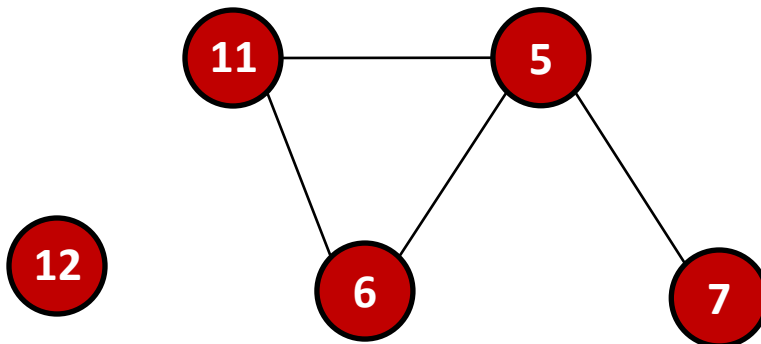
node.discovered = time++

for each unvisited neighbor,
c, of node

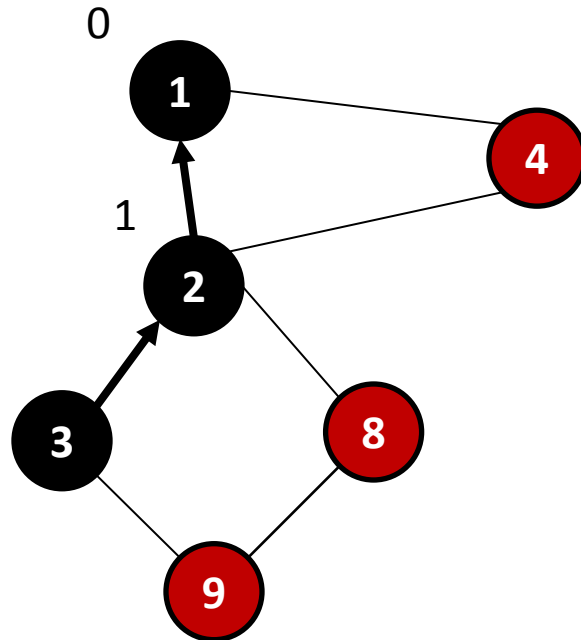
c.predecessor = node

DFSVisit(c)

node.finished = time++



Timestamping nodes



DepthFirst()

time = 0

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

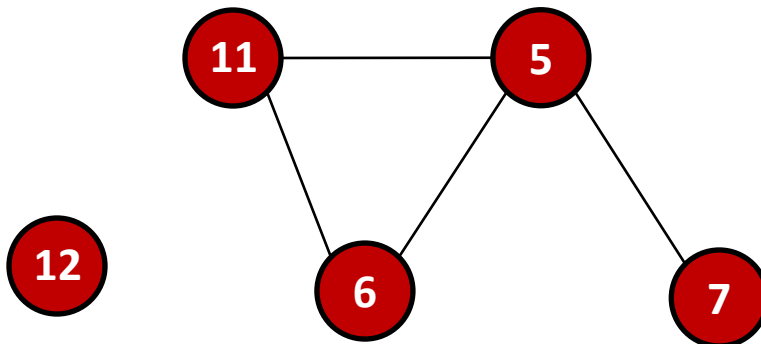
node.discovered = time++

for each unvisited neighbor,
c, of node

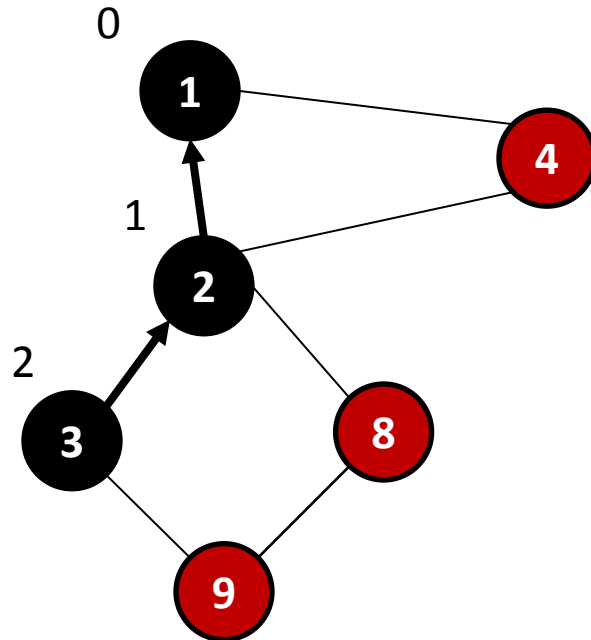
c.predecessor = node

DFSVisit(c)

node.finished = time++



Timestamping nodes



DepthFirst()

time = 0

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

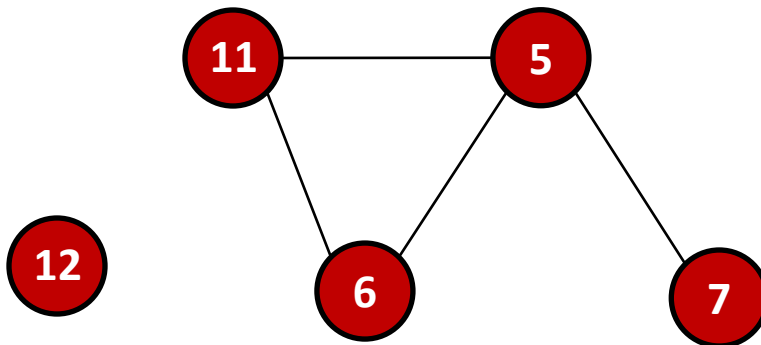
node.discovered = time++

for each unvisited neighbor,
c, of node

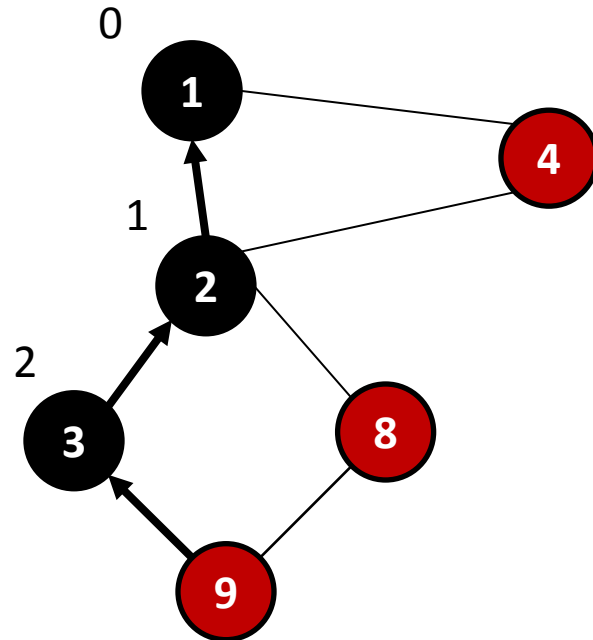
c.predecessor = node

DFSVisit(c)

node.finished = time++



Timestamping nodes



DepthFirst()

time = 0

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

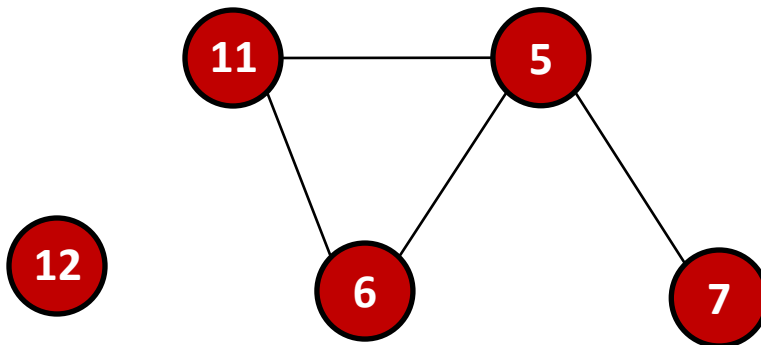
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for each unvisited neighbor,
c, of node

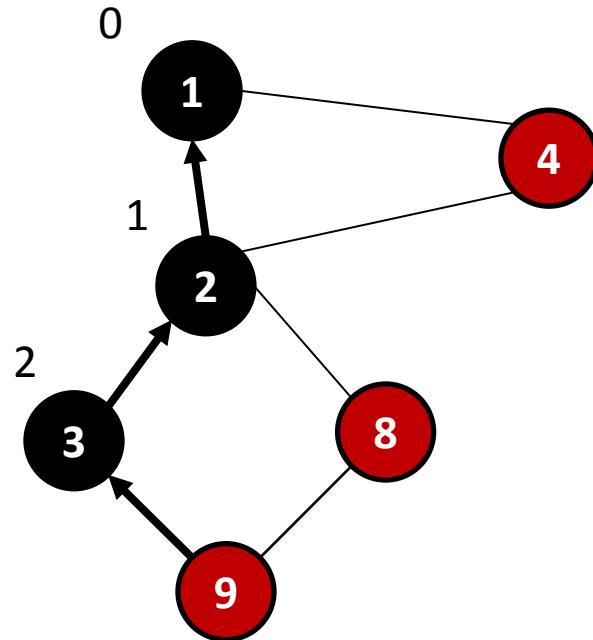
c.predecessor = node

DFSVisit(c)

node.finished = time++



Timestamping nodes



DepthFirst()

time = 0

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

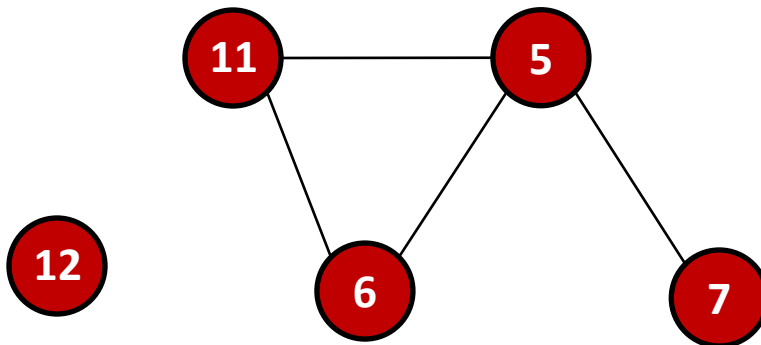
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for each unvisited neighbor,
c, of node

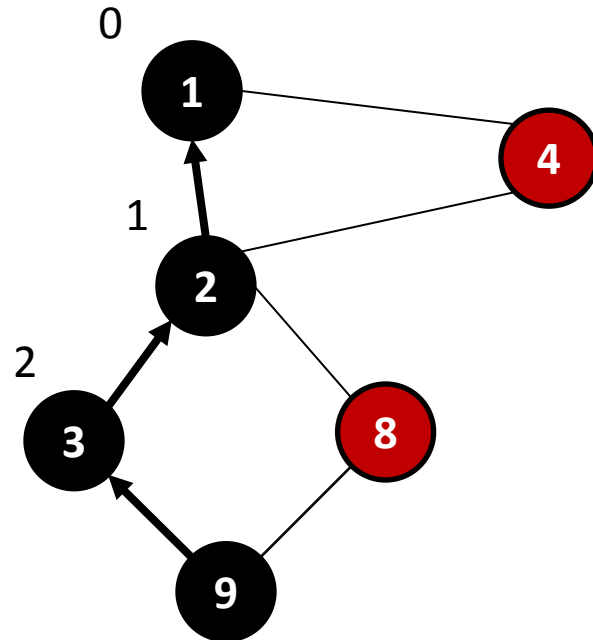
c.predecessor = node

DFSVisit(c)

node.finished = time++



Timestamping nodes



DepthFirst()

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for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

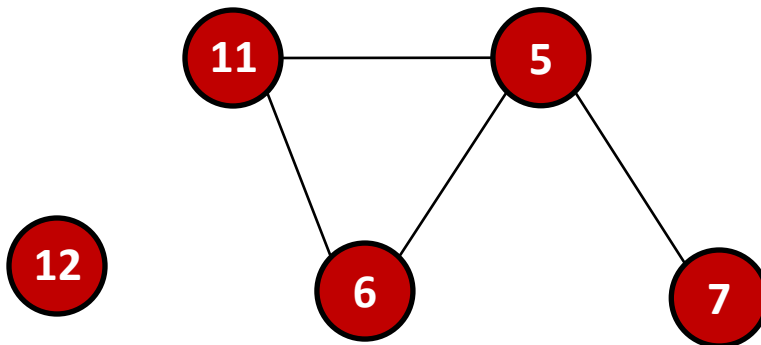
node.discovered = time++

for each unvisited neighbor,
c, of node

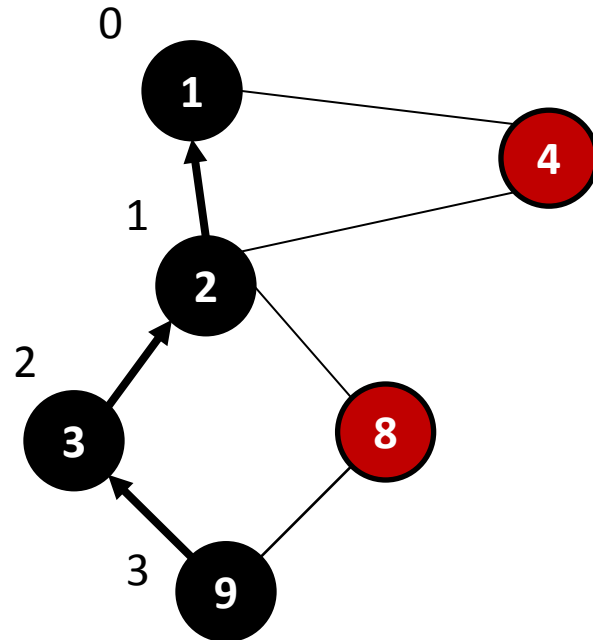
c.predecessor = node

DFSVisit(c)

node.finished = time++



Timestamping nodes



DepthFirst()

time = 0

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

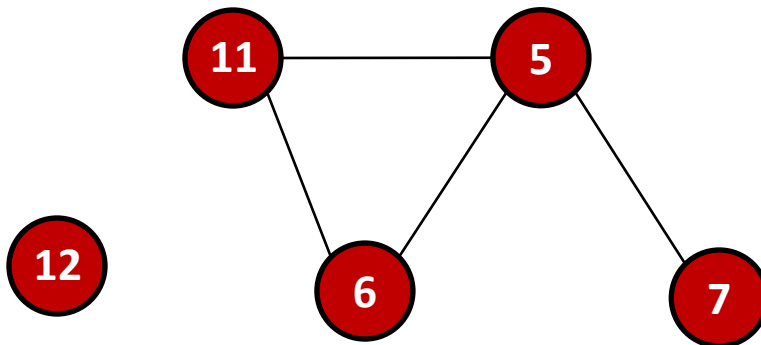
node.discovered = time++

for each unvisited neighbor,
c, of node

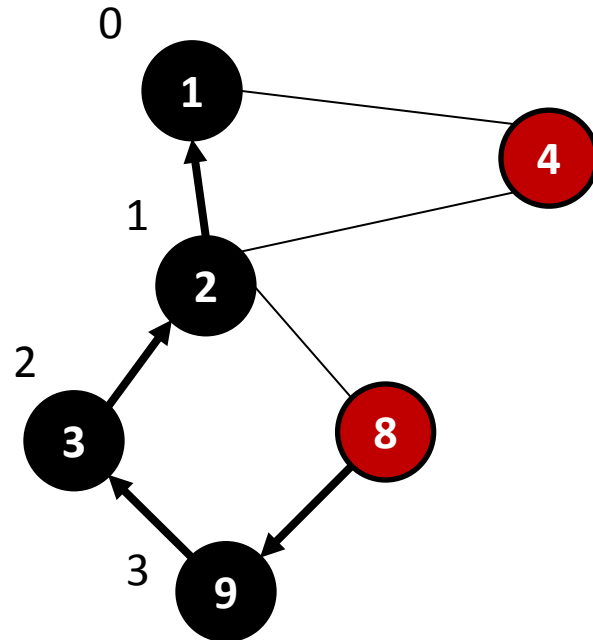
c.predecessor = node

DFSVisit(c)

node.finished = time++



Timestamping nodes



DepthFirst()

time = 0

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

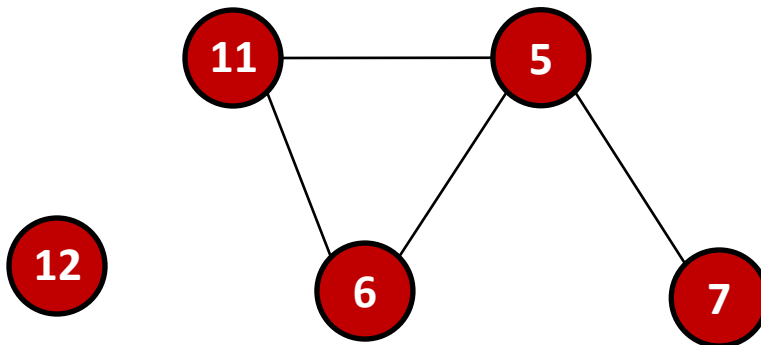
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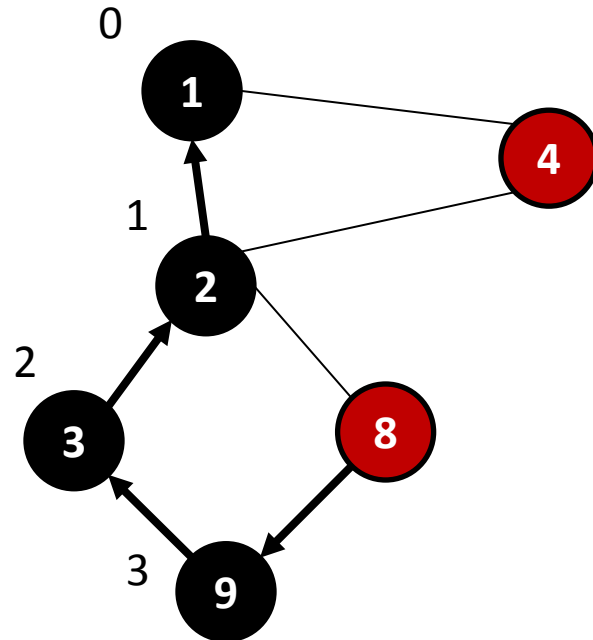
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DFSVisit(c)

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Timestamping nodes



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DFSVisit(node)

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mark node visited

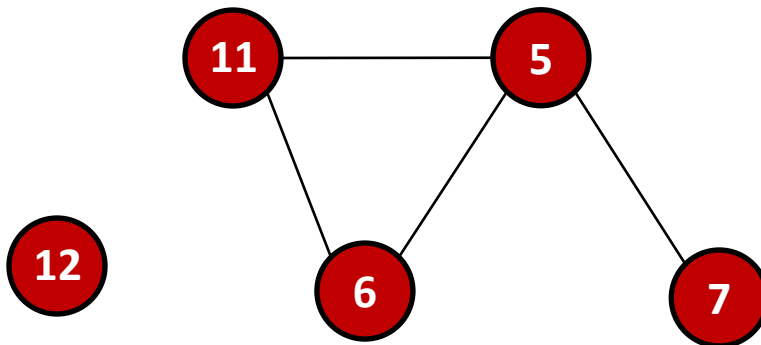
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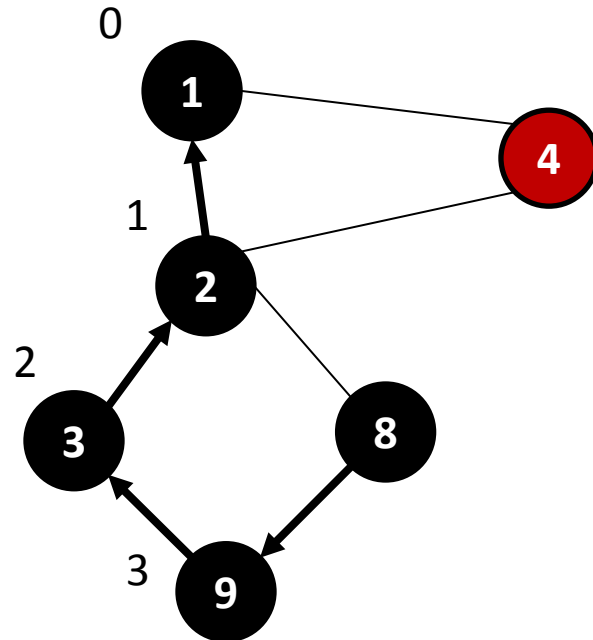
c.predecessor = node

DFSVisit(c)

node.finished = time++



Timestamping nodes



DepthFirst()

time = 0

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

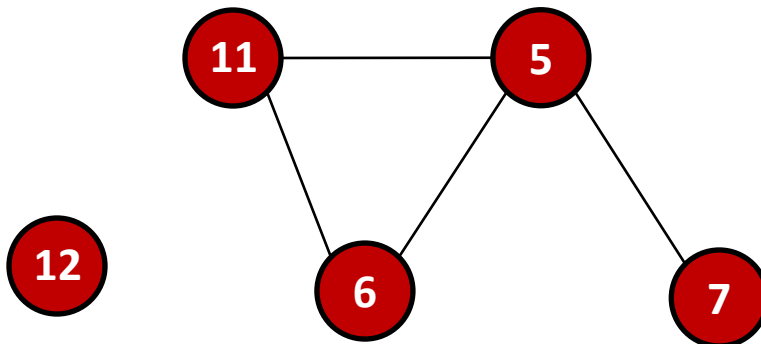
node.discovered = time++

for each unvisited neighbor,
c, of node

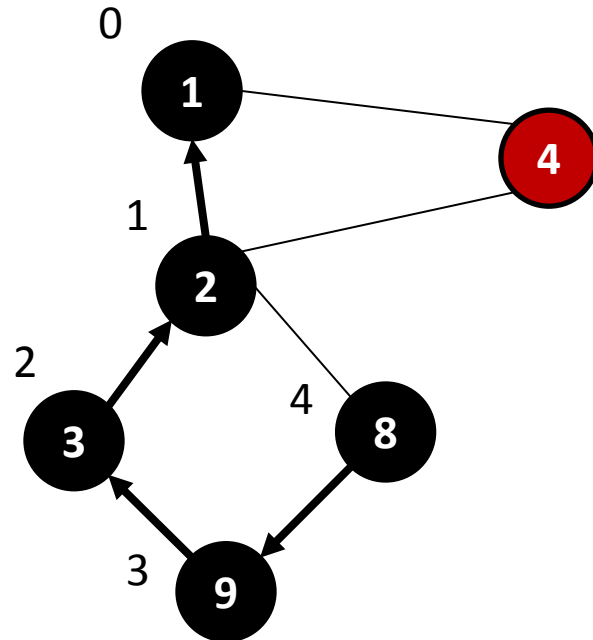
c.predecessor = node

DFSVisit(c)

node.finished = time++



Timestamping nodes



DepthFirst()

time = 0

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

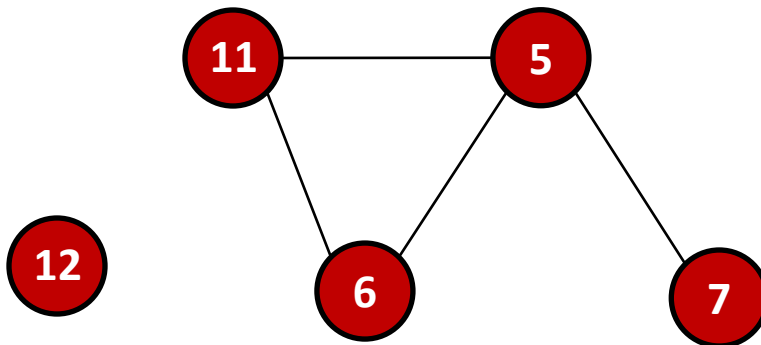
node.discovered = time++

for each unvisited neighbor,
c, of node

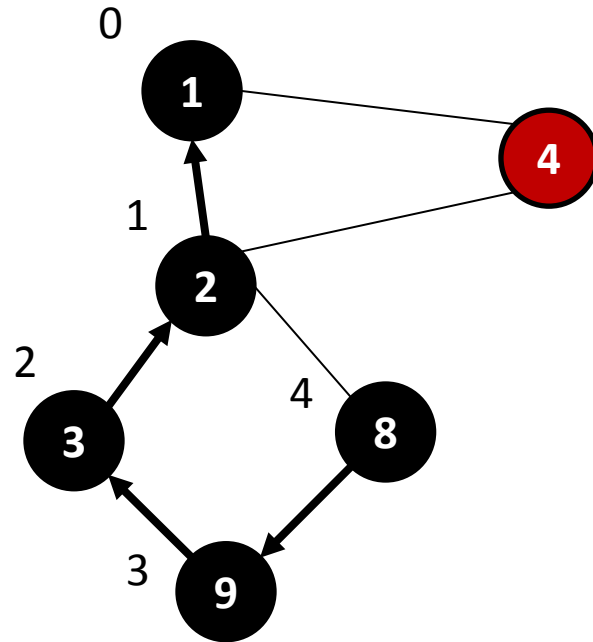
c.predecessor = node

DFSVisit(c)

node.finished = time++



What's next?



DepthFirst()

time = 0

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

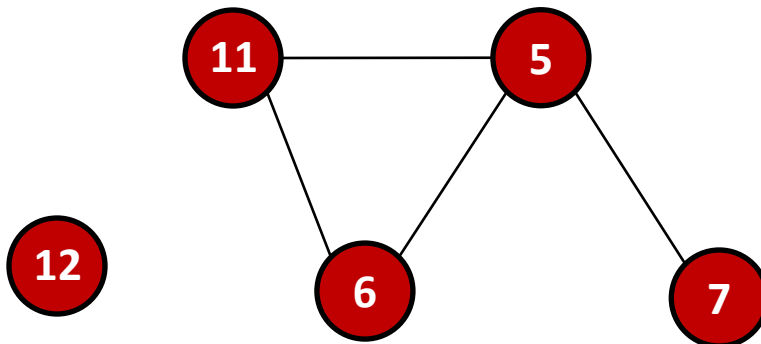
node.discovered = time++

for each unvisited neighbor,
c, of node

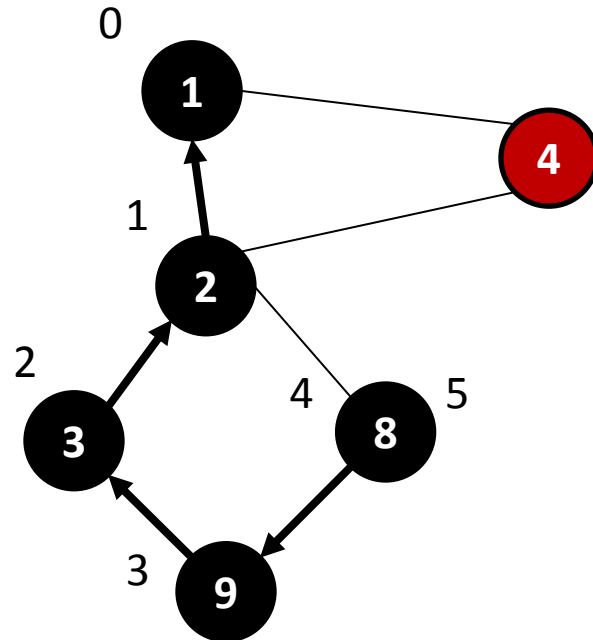
c.predecessor = node

DFSVisit(c)

node.finished = time++



Timestamping nodes



DepthFirst()

time = 0

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

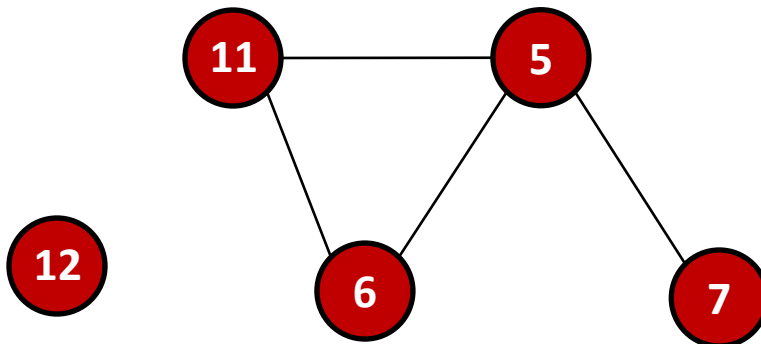
node.discovered = time++

for each unvisited neighbor,
c, of node

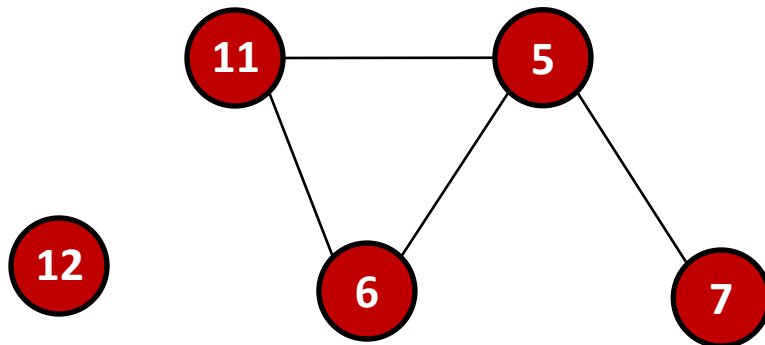
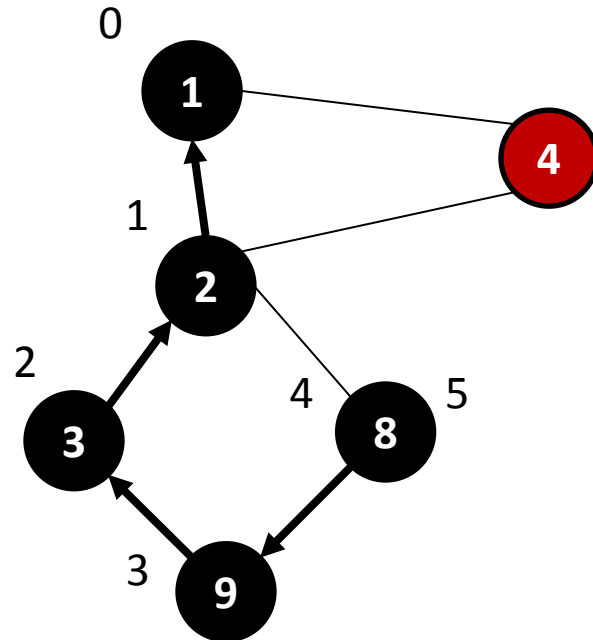
c.predecessor = node

DFSVisit(c)

node.finished = time++



What's next?



DepthFirst()

time = 0

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

node.discovered = time++

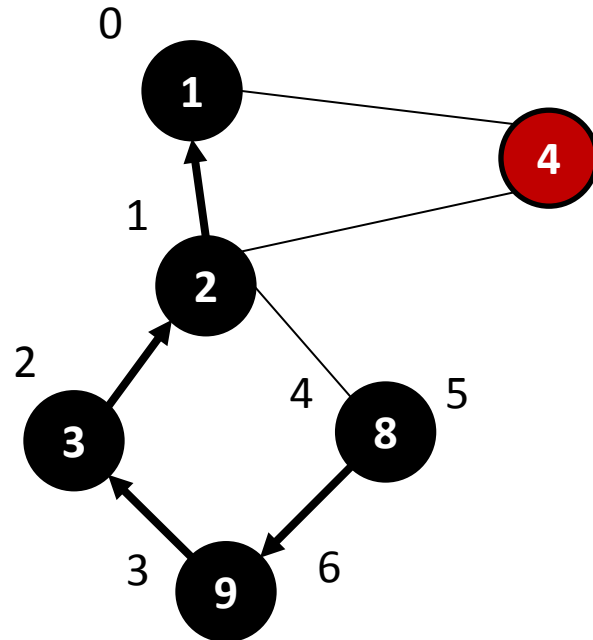
for each unvisited neighbor,
c, of node

c.predecessor = node

DFSVisit(c)

node.finished = time++

8 was called from 9



DepthFirst()

time = 0

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

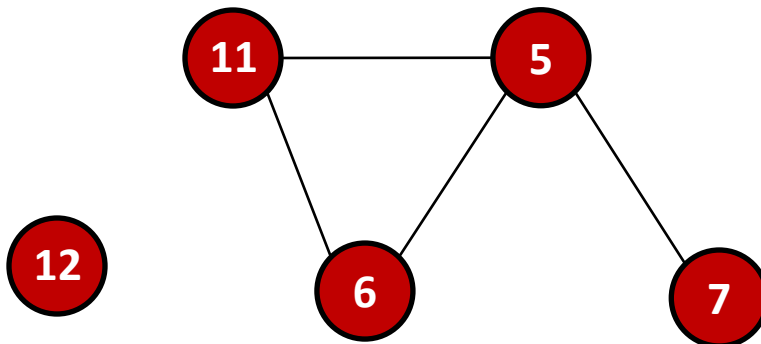
node.discovered = time++

for each unvisited neighbor,
c, of node

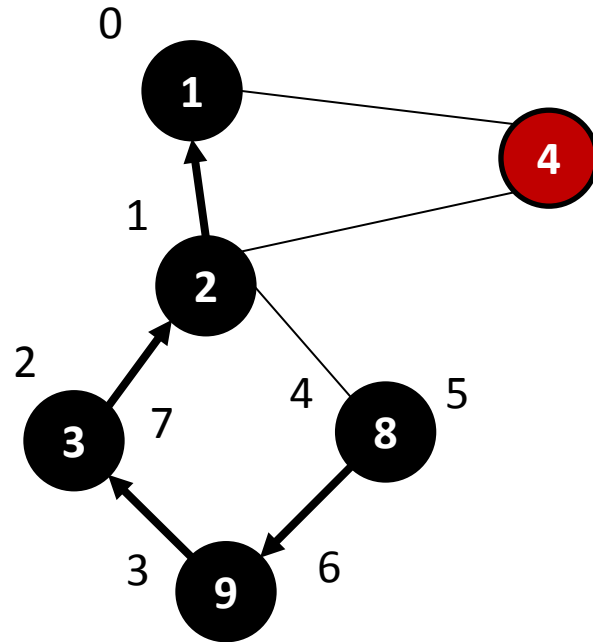
c.predecessor = node

DFSVisit(c)

node.finished = time++



9 was called from 3



DepthFirst()

time = 0

for each node in graph

if node not visited

DFSVisit(node)

DFSVisit(node)

mark node visited

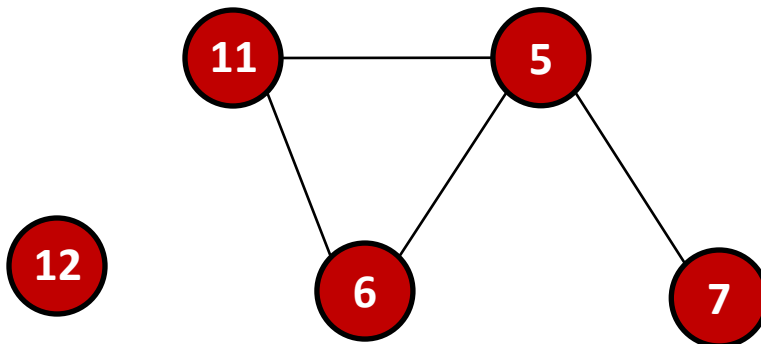
node.discovered = time++

for each unvisited neighbor,
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c.predecessor = node

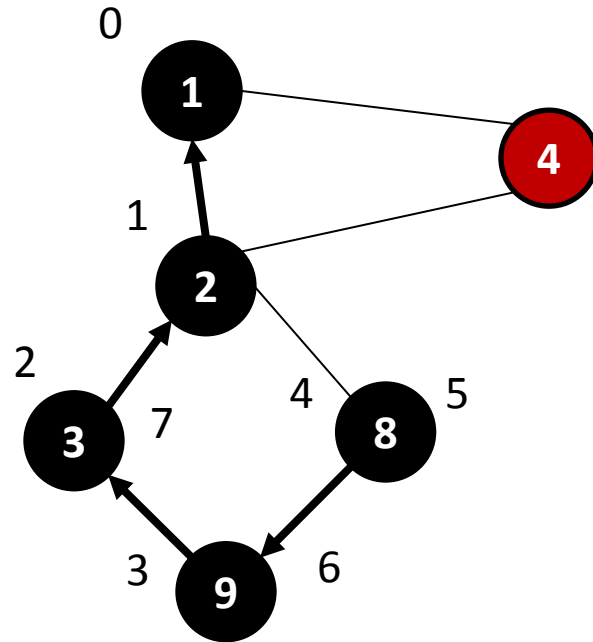
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(who still has an unvisited neighbor)



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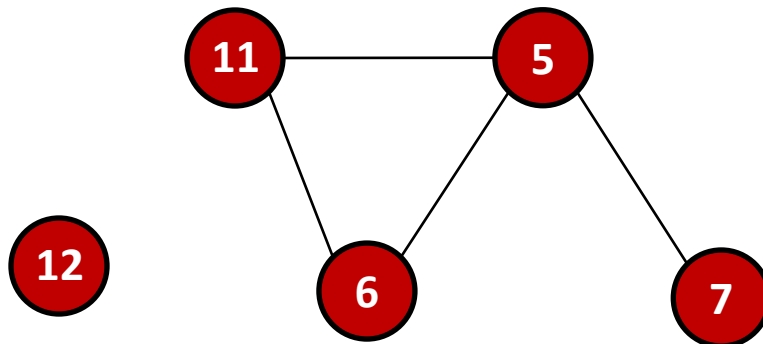
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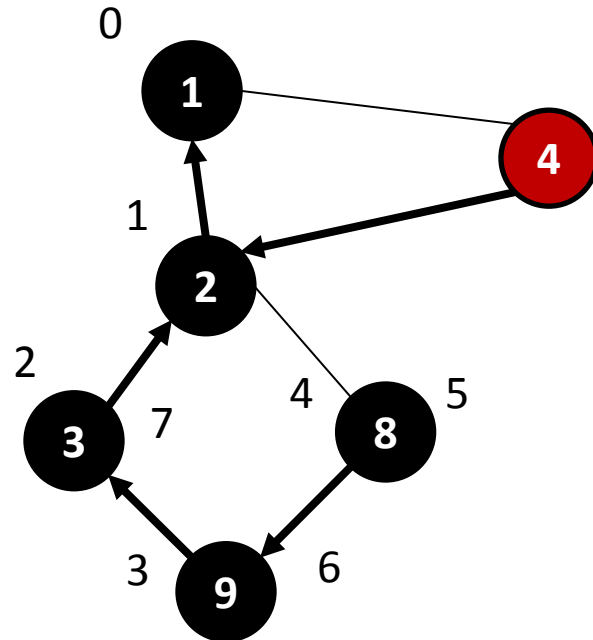
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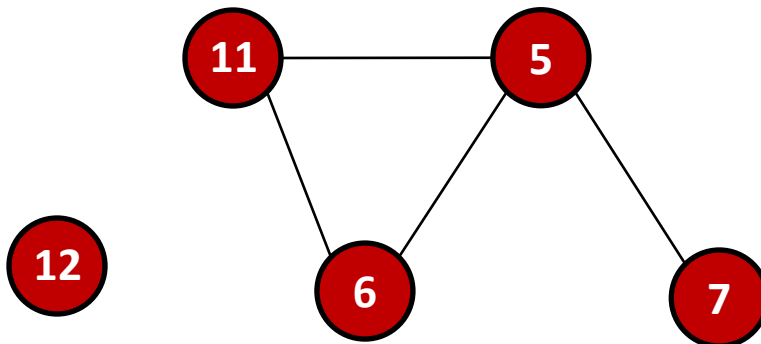
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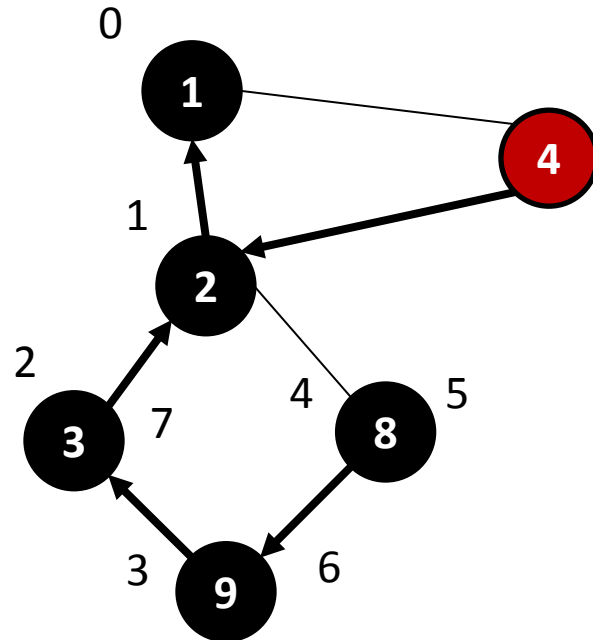
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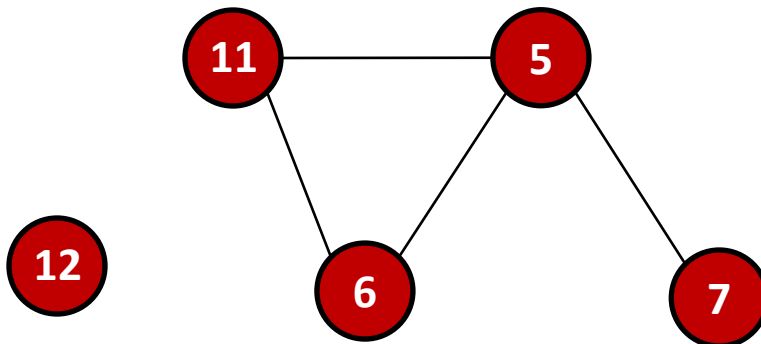
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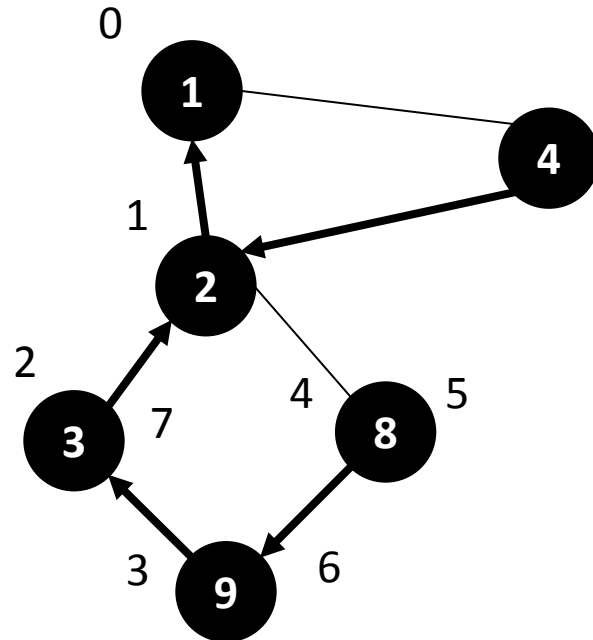
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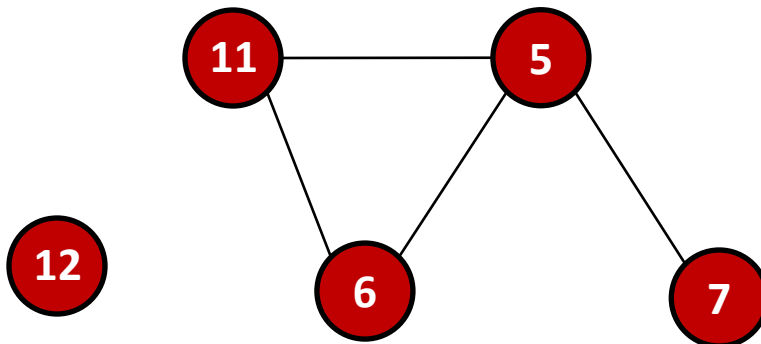
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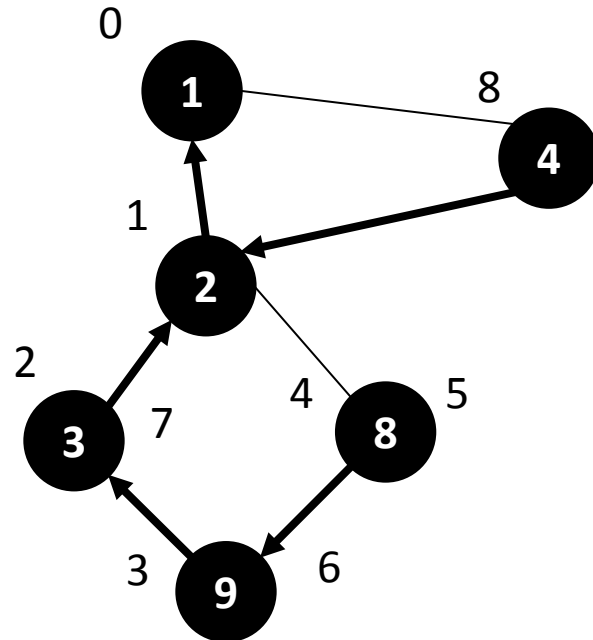
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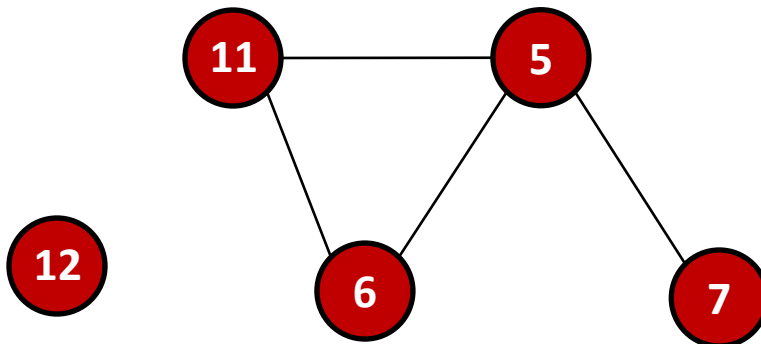
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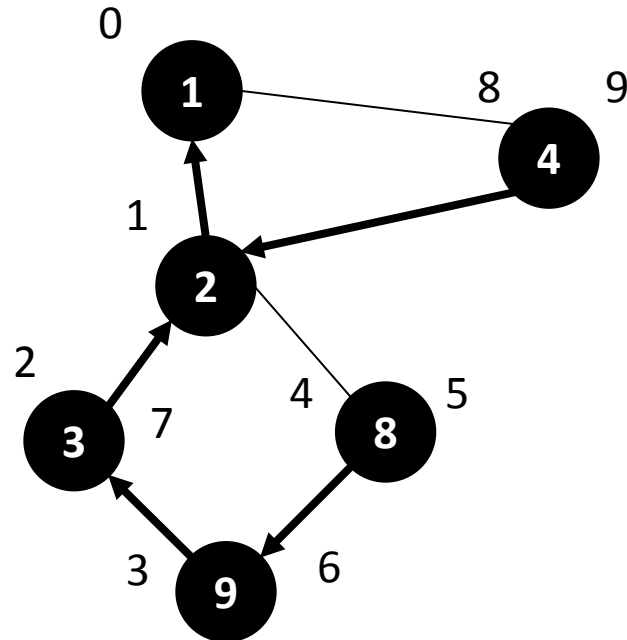
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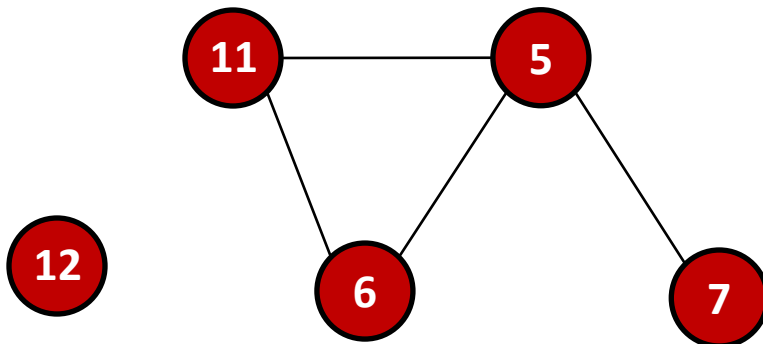
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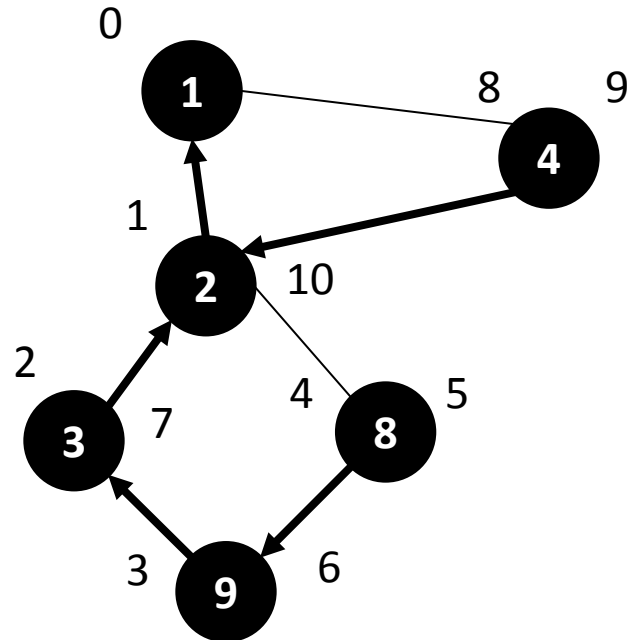
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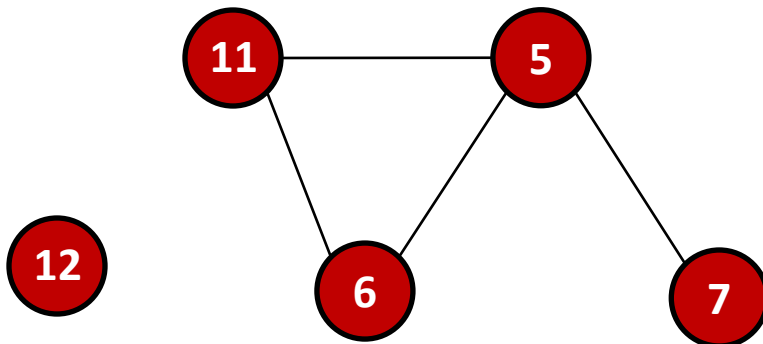
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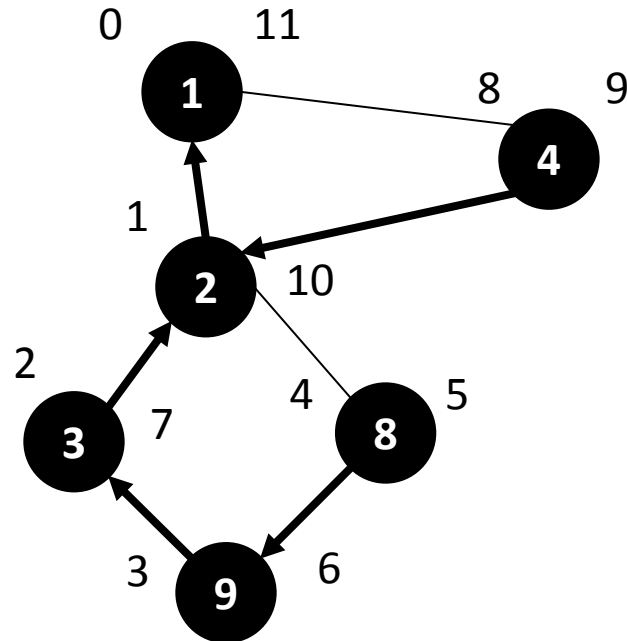
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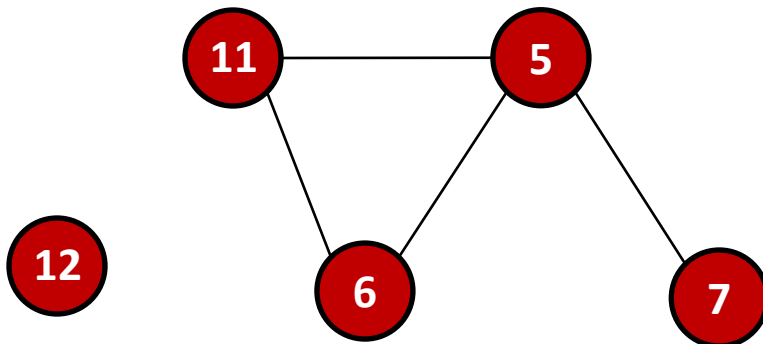
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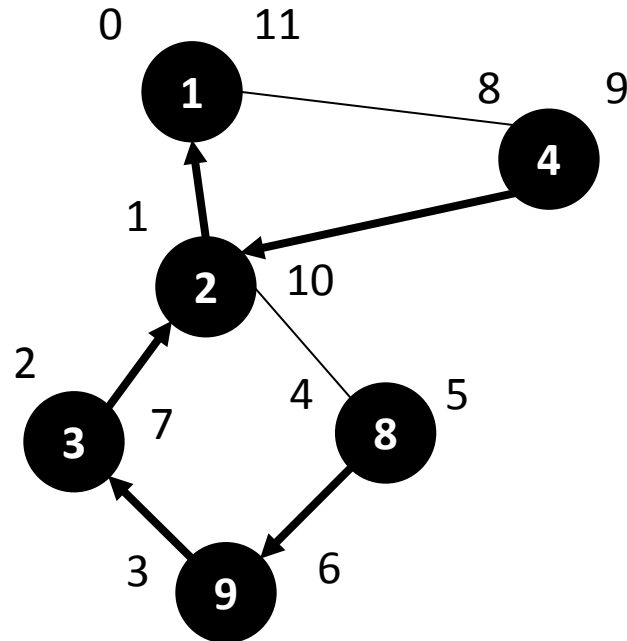
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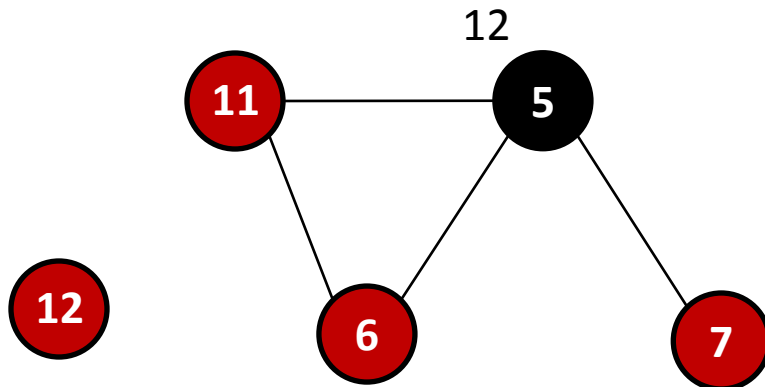
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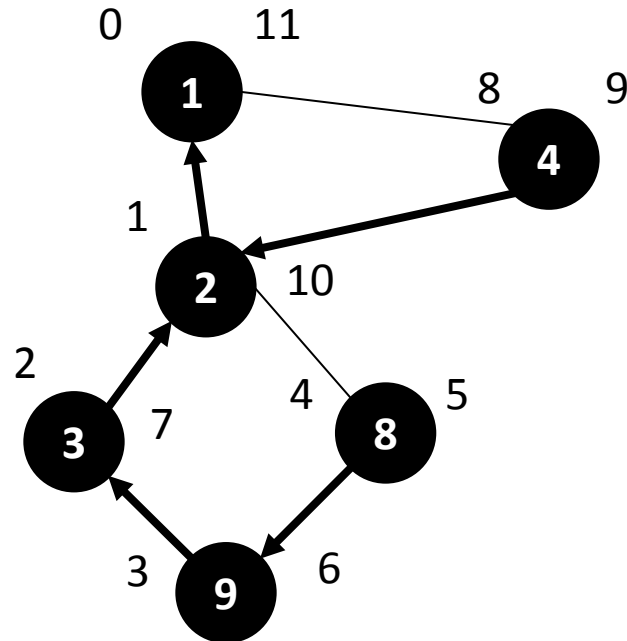
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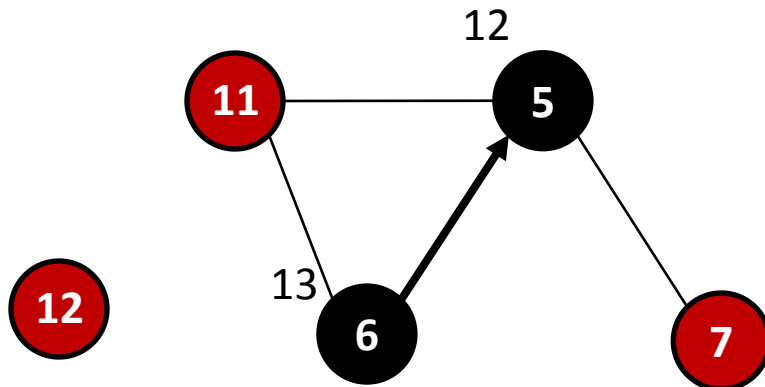
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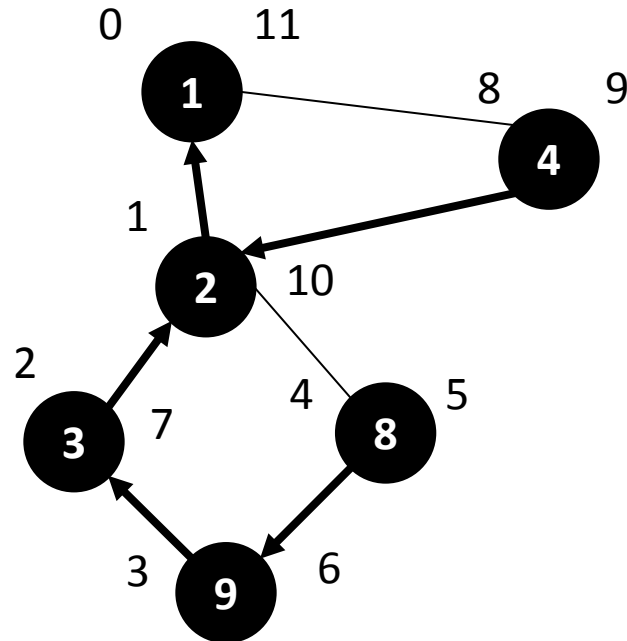
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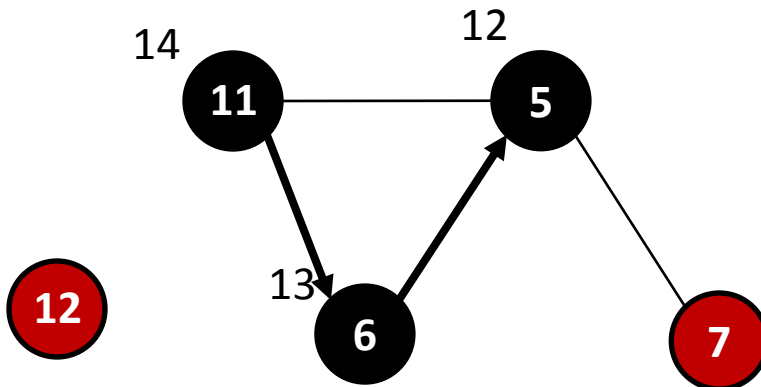
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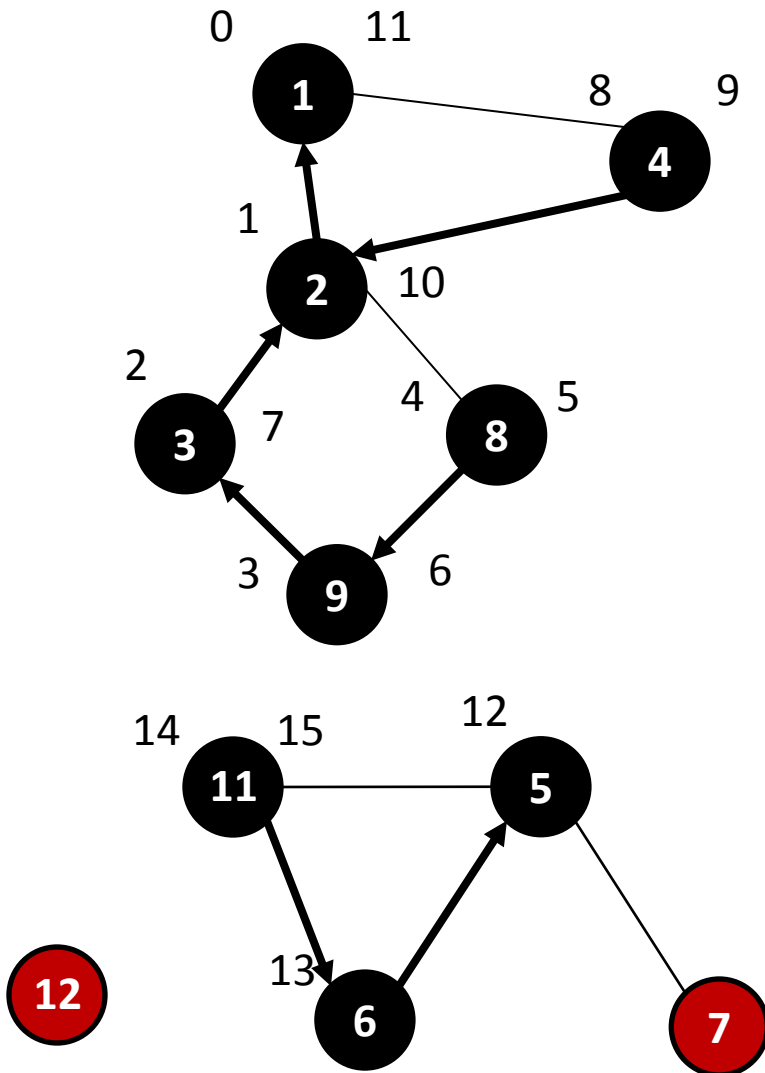
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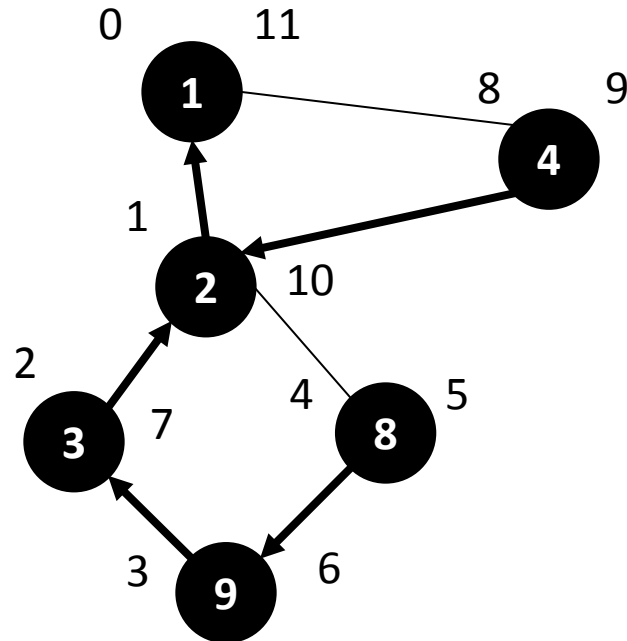
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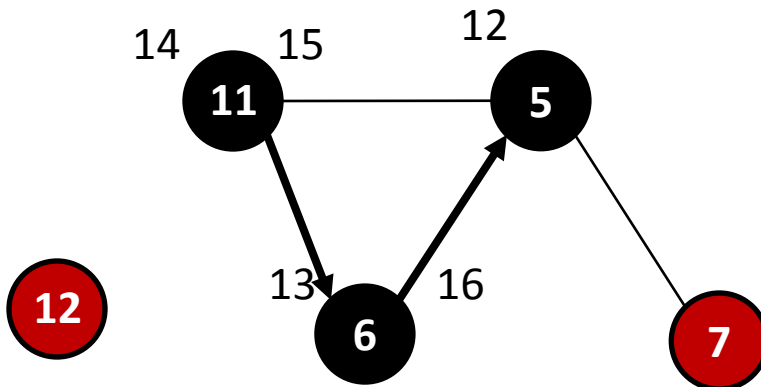
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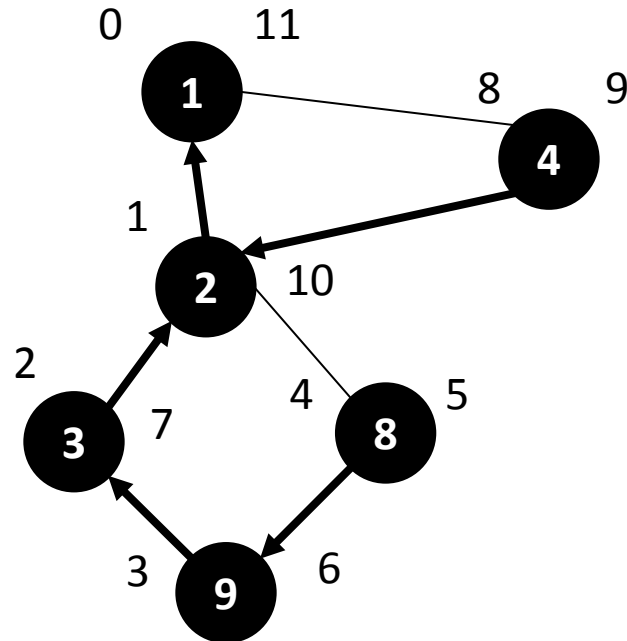
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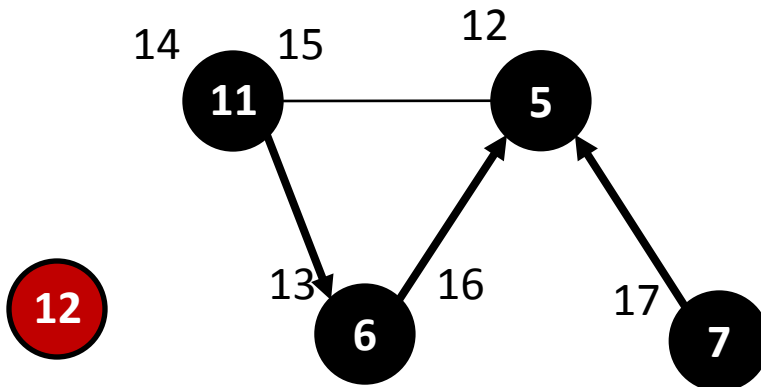
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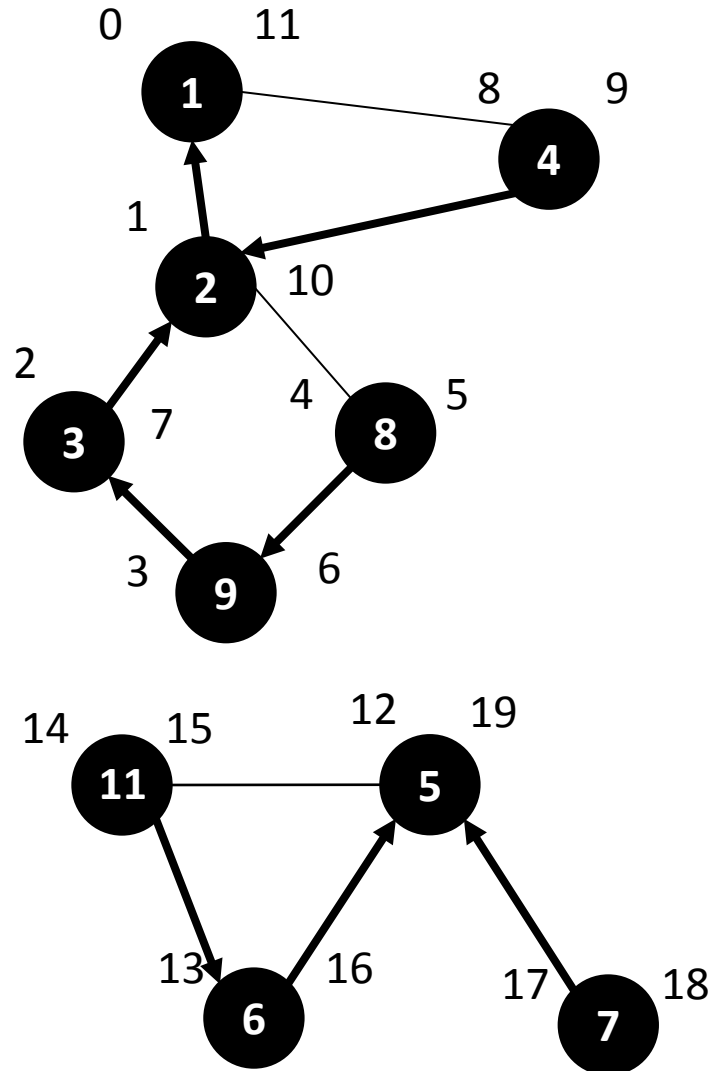
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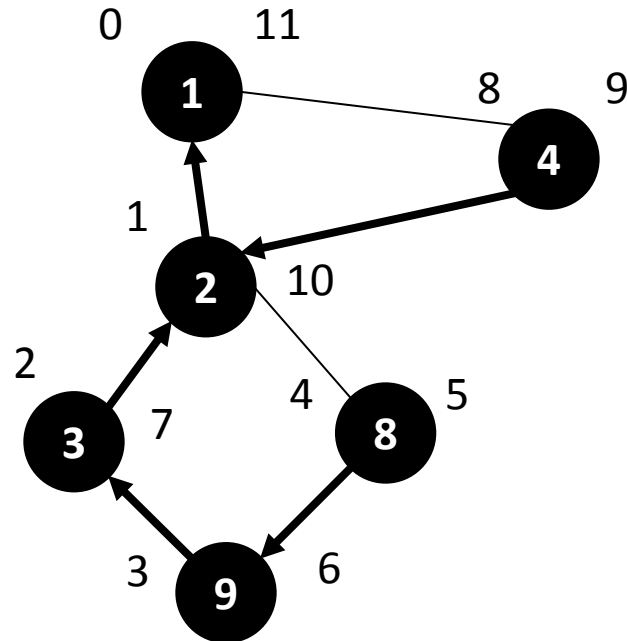
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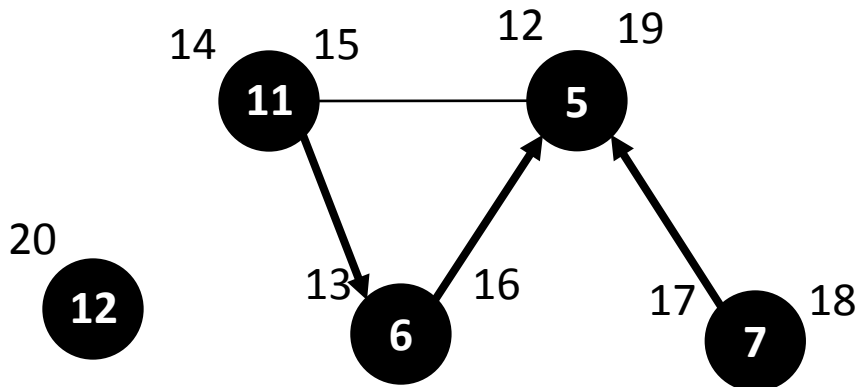
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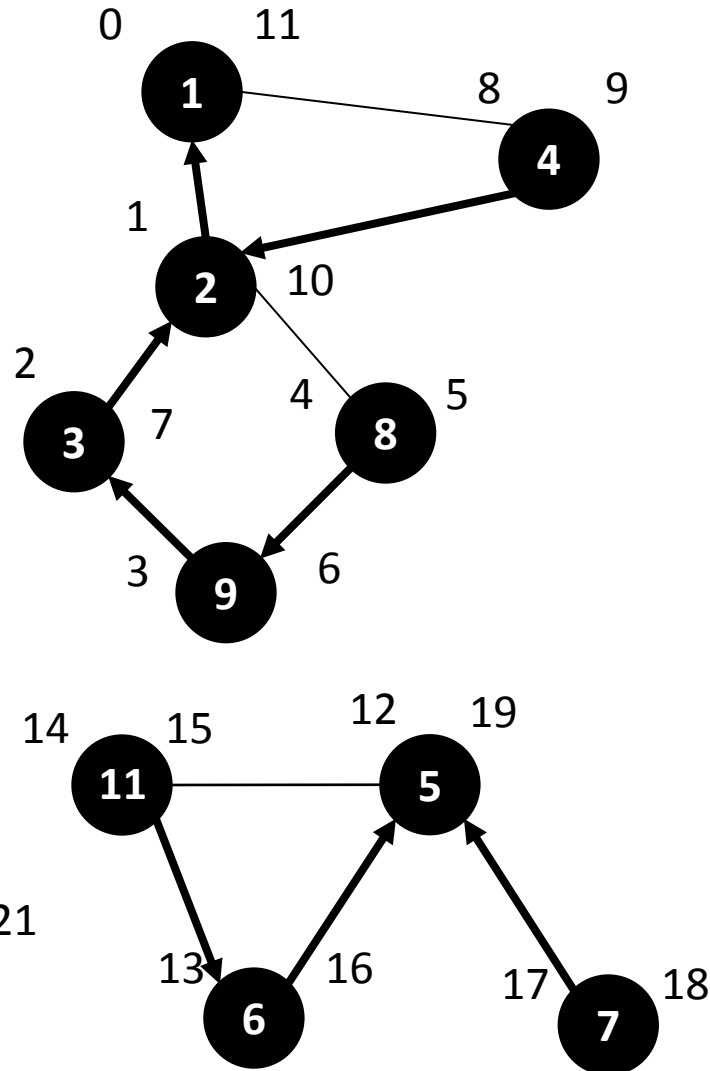
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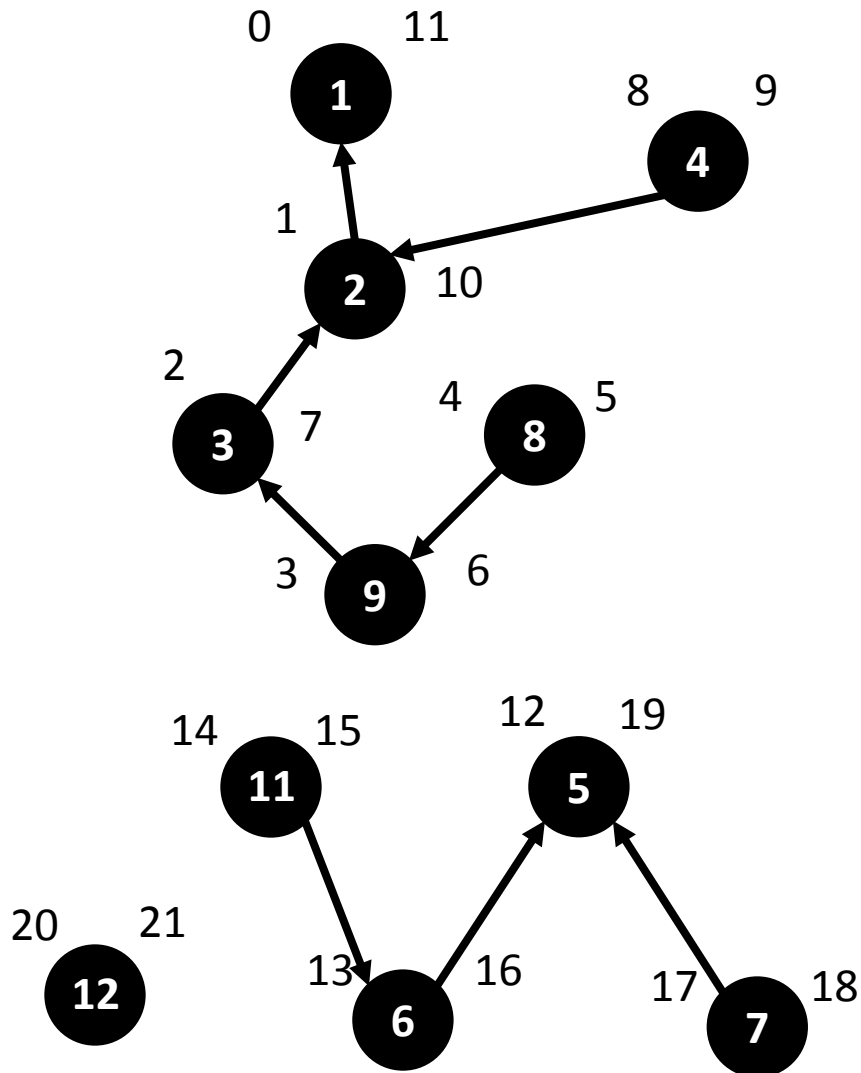


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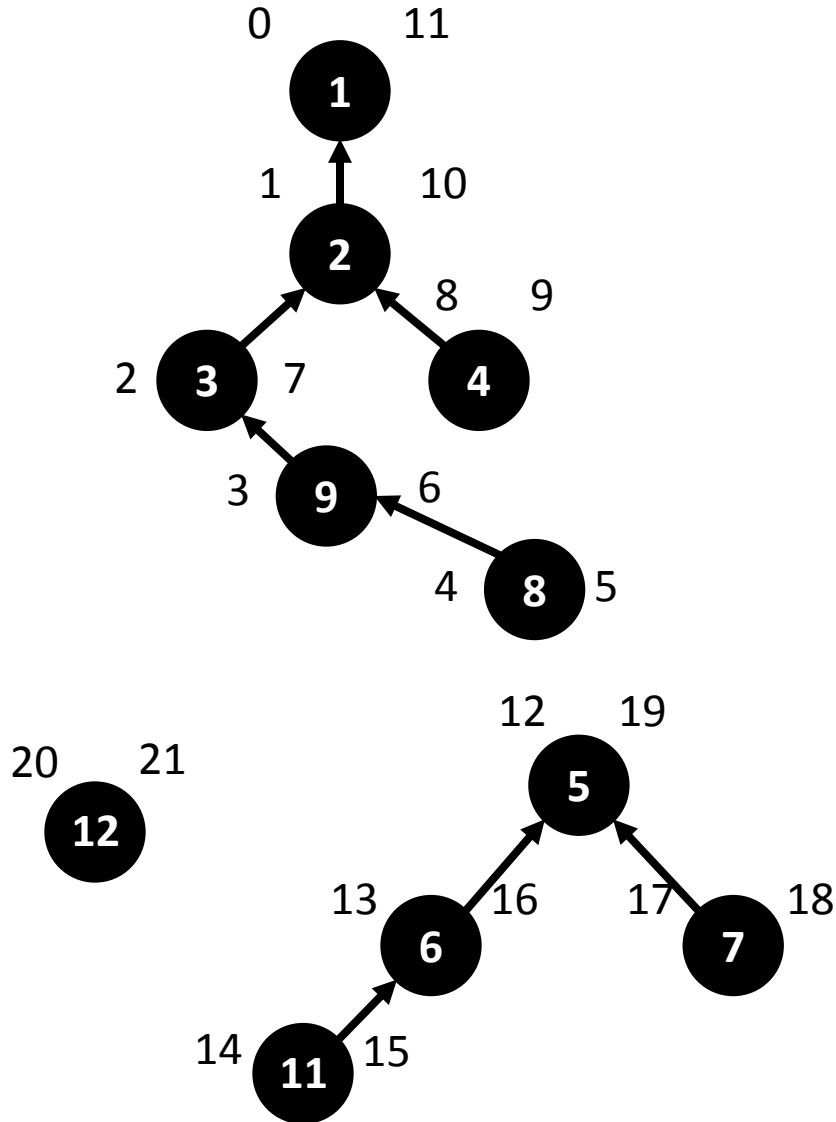
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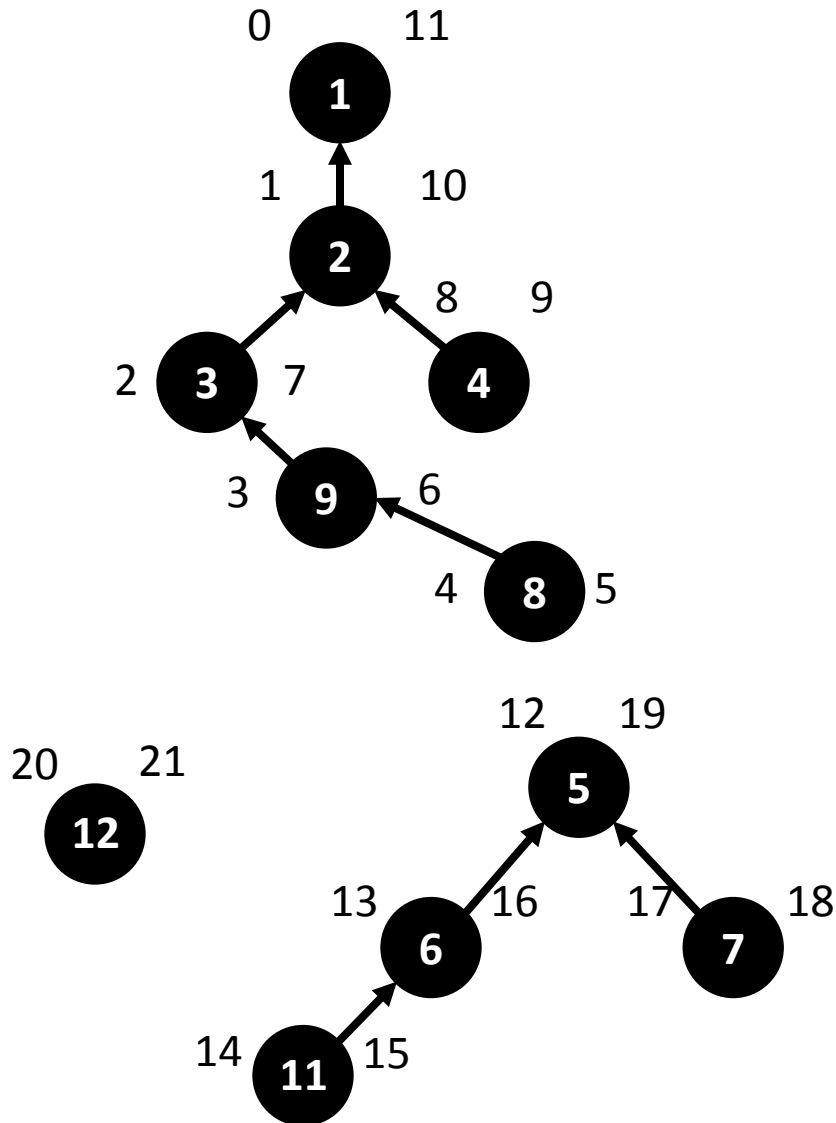
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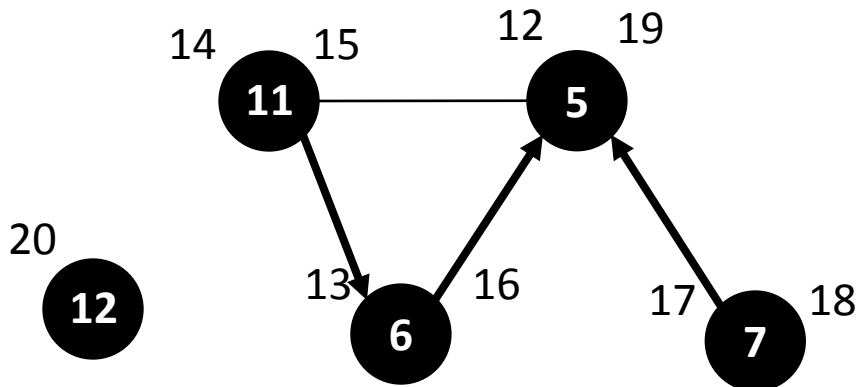
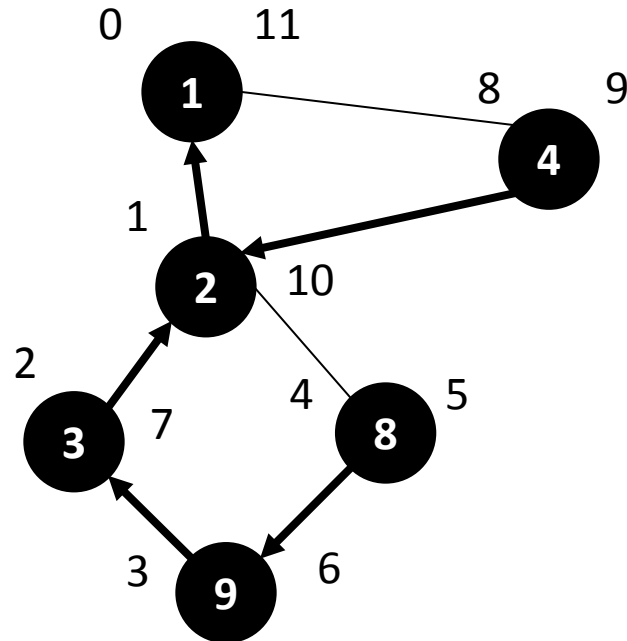
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Properties of depth-first forests



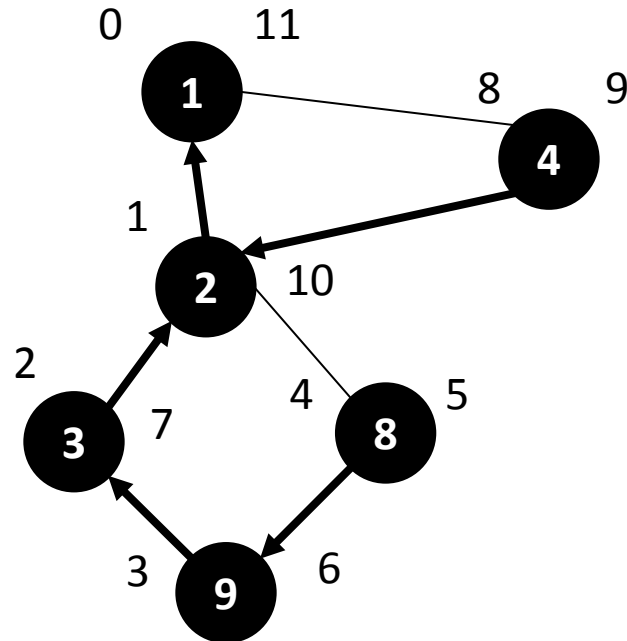
- For any vertex v
 - $v.\text{discovered} < v.\text{finished}$
- If c is a child of p
 - $p.\text{discovered} < c.\text{discovered}$
 - $< c.\text{finished}$
 - $< p.\text{finished}$

Time intervals



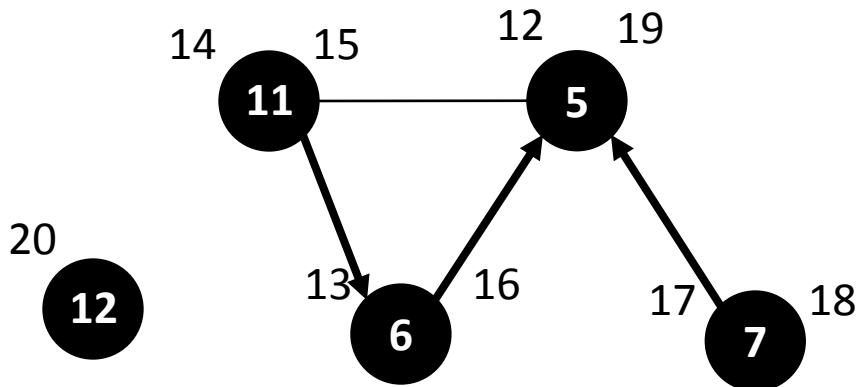
- **Definition:**
Let v be a vertex. Its **time interval** is the range of times v .discovered through v .finished
 - A.k.a.:
[v .discovered, v .finished]
 - A.k.a.: the set of times during which DFSVisit(v) was running

Parenthesis theorem



- For any vertices u and v , **one of the following** three conditions must hold:

- Their intervals are **disjoint**
- u 's interval is a **subset** of v 's
 - And so **u is a descendant of v** in the depth-first forest
- v 's interval is a **subset** of u 's
 - And so **u is an ancestor of v**



Reading

- “**Elementary graph algorithms**” from CLR
 - Fairly theoretical
 - Read the proofs, but don’t stress out about them