



ECAP770

ADVANCE DATA STRUCTURES

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Learning Outcomes



After this lecture, you will be able to

- Understand Depth first search

Graph traversals

- In Graph traversal visiting every vertex and edge exactly once in a well-defined order.
- In graph algorithms, you must ensure that each vertex of the graph is visited exactly once.
- The order in which the vertices are visited may depend upon the algorithm or type of problem going to solve.

Graph Traversal Algorithm

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

Depth First Search

- DFS traversal is a recursive algorithm for searching all the vertices/ nodes of a graph or tree using stack data structure.
- In Depth First Search (DFS) algorithm traverses a graph in a depth ward motion.
- The DFS algorithm use the concept of backtracking.

Steps for DFS

- Step 1 – Visit the adjacent unvisited vertex. Mark it as visited. Display it. Push it in a stack.
- Step 2 – If no adjacent vertex is found, pop up a vertex from the stack. (It will pop up all the vertices from the stack, which do not have adjacent vertices.)
- Step 3 – Repeat Rule 1 and Rule 2 until the stack is empty.

Depth First Search

- For using DFS algorithm user should know about data structure Stack (*Last In First Out*) and its relevant operations like Push and Pop.

Algorithm: Depth First Search

Step 1: SET STATUS = 1 (ready state) for each node
in G

Step 2: Push the starting node A on the stack and
set its STATUS = 2 (waiting state)

Step 3: Repeat Steps 4 and 5 until STACK is empty

Algorithm: Depth First Search

Step 4: Pop the top node N. Process it and set its
STATUS = 3 (processed state)

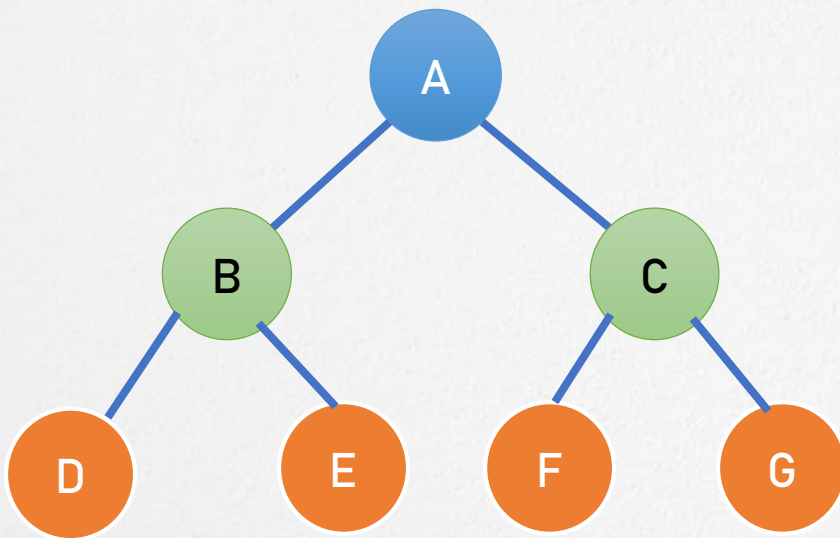
Step 5: Push on the stack all the neighbours of N that
are in the ready state (whose STATUS = 1) and
set their

STATUS = 2 (waiting state)

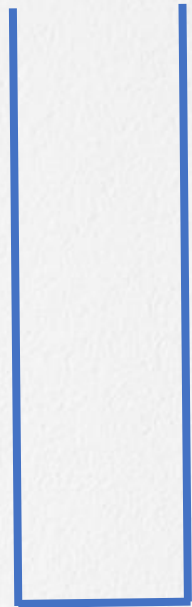
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Step 6: EXIT

Example: Depth First Search

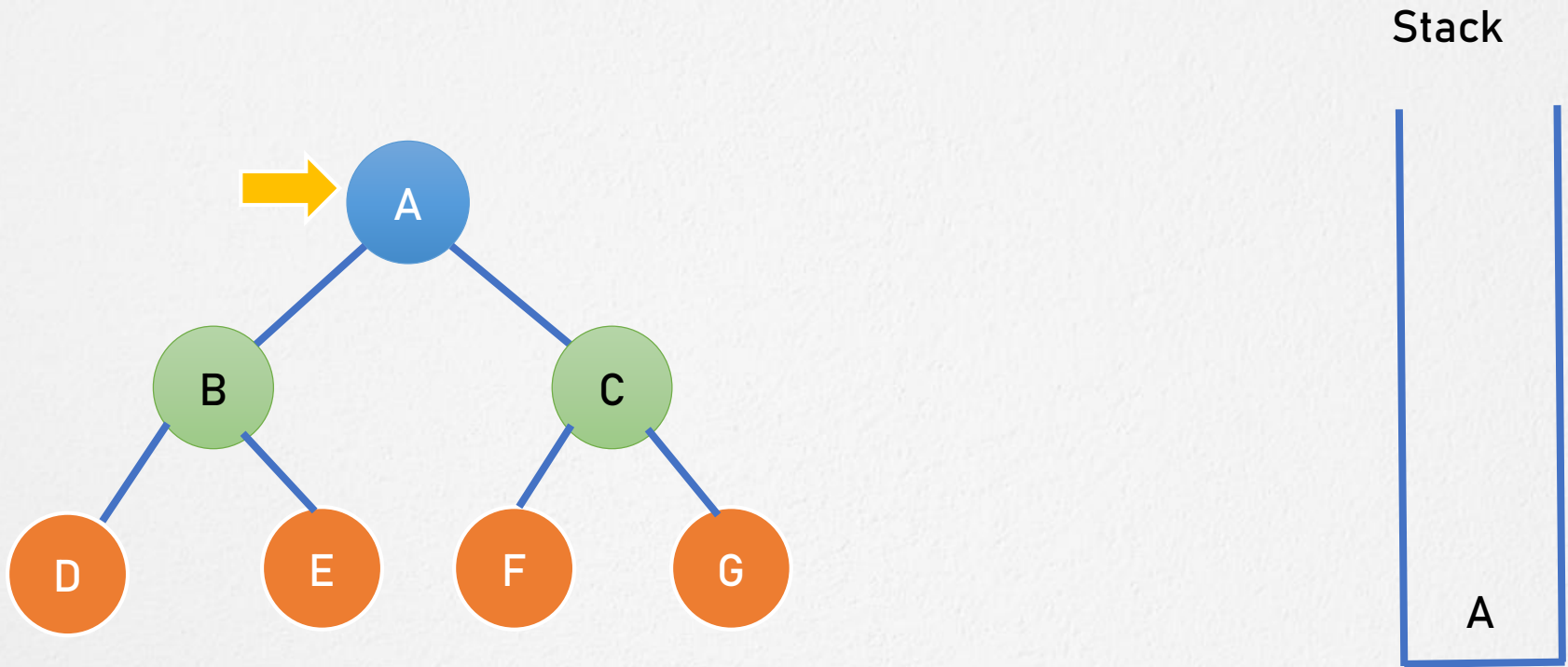


Stack



Output / visited :

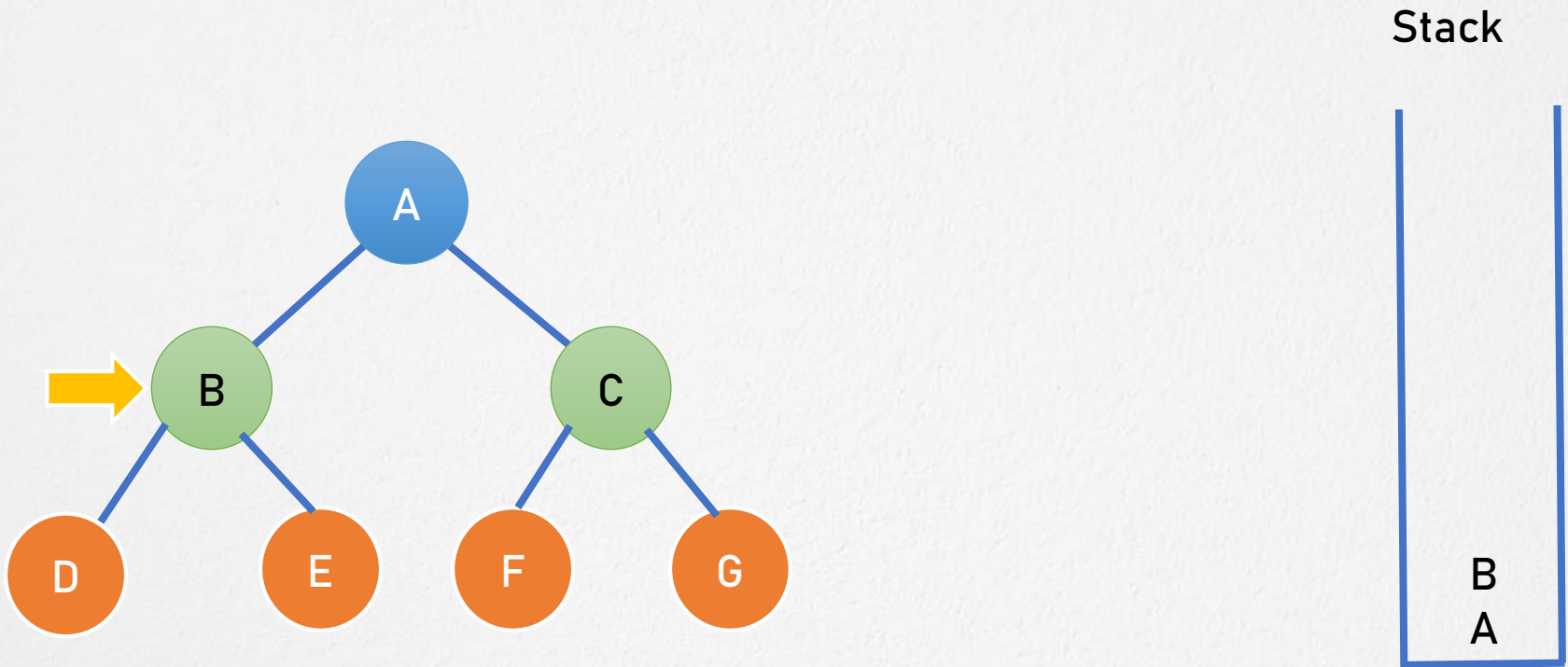
Example: Depth First Search



Output / visited : A

Fig: (A)

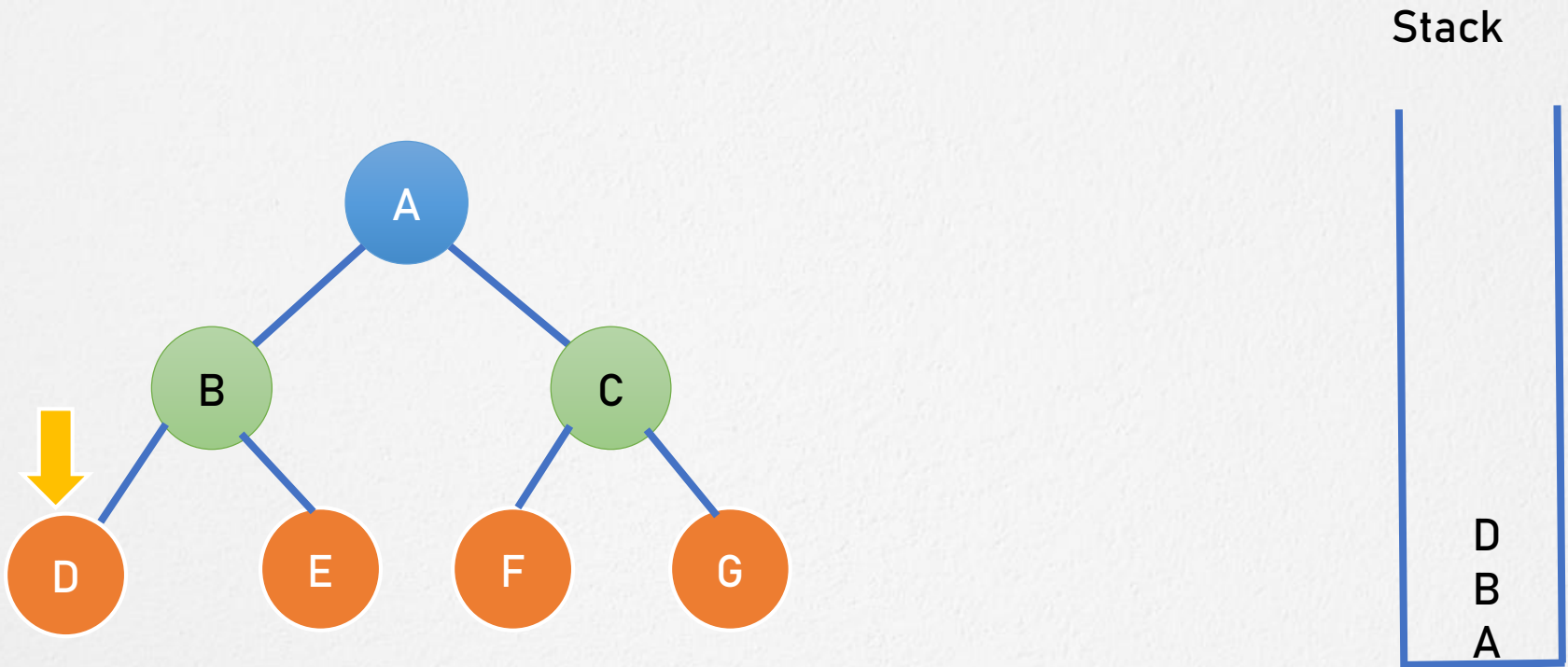
Example: Depth First Search



Output / visited : A B

Fig: (B)

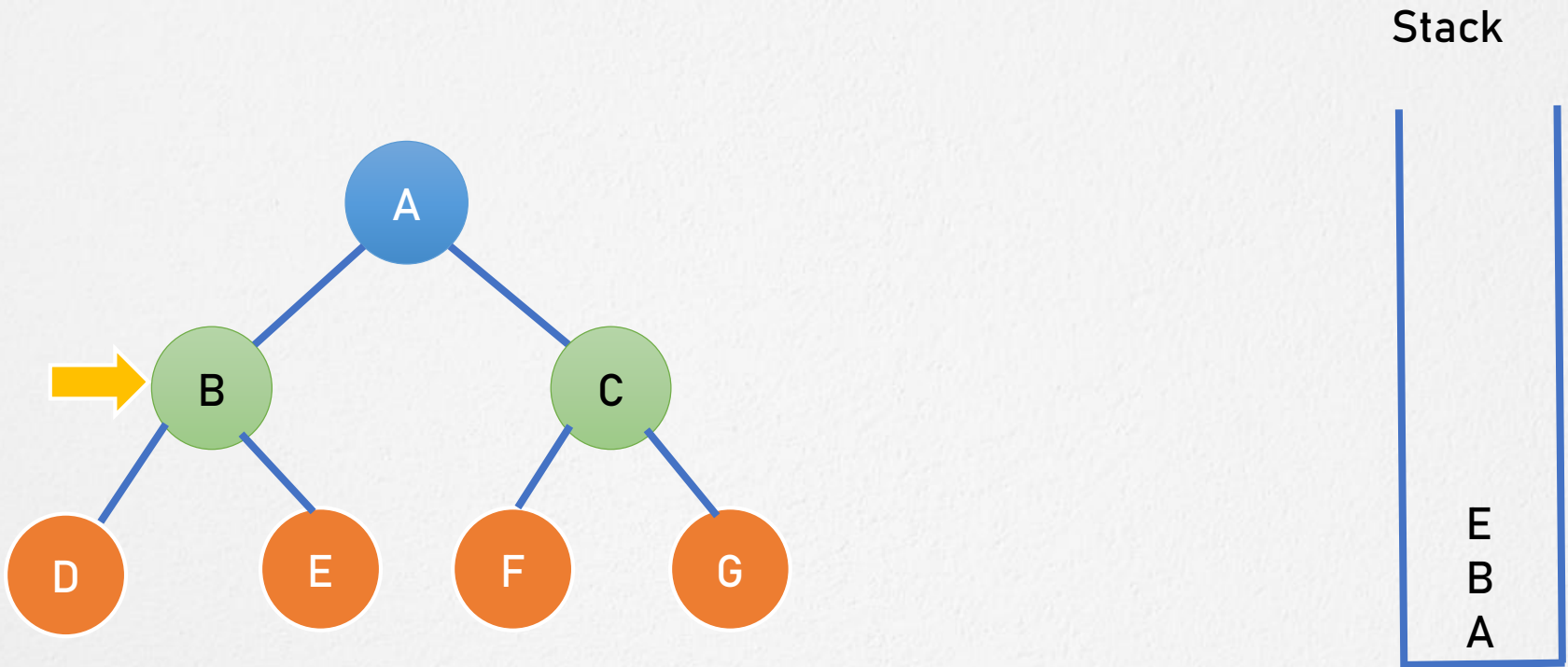
Example: Depth First Search



Output / visited : A B D

Fig: (C)

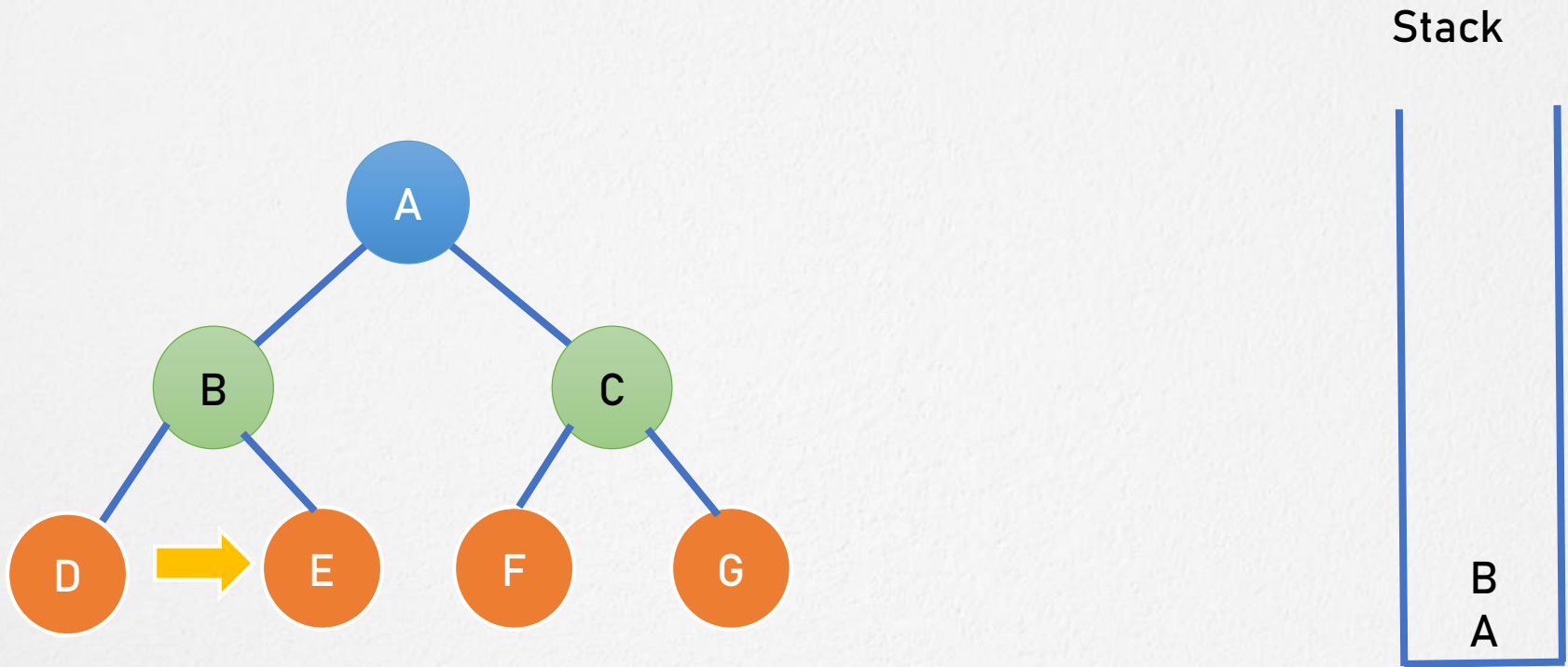
Example: Depth First Search



Output / visited : A B D E

Fig: (D)

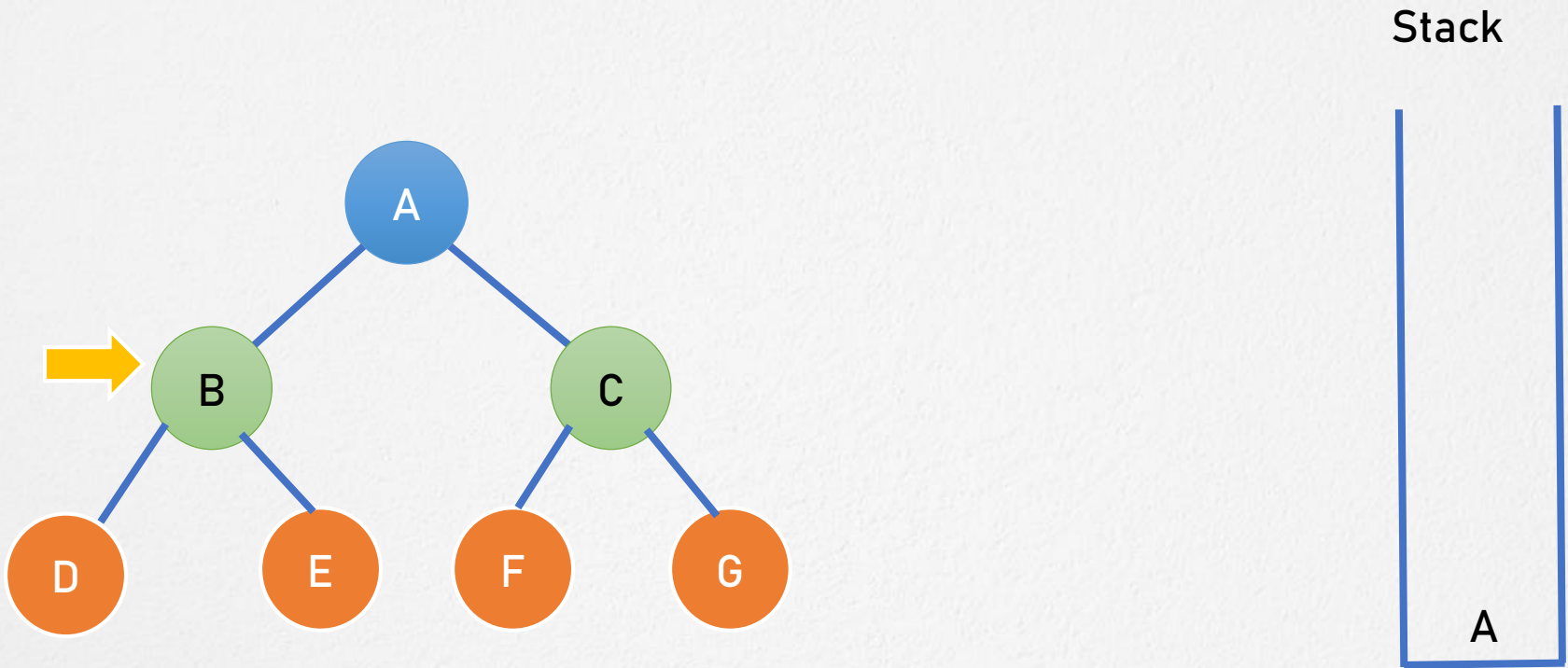
Example: Depth First Search



Output / visited : A B D E

Fig: (E)

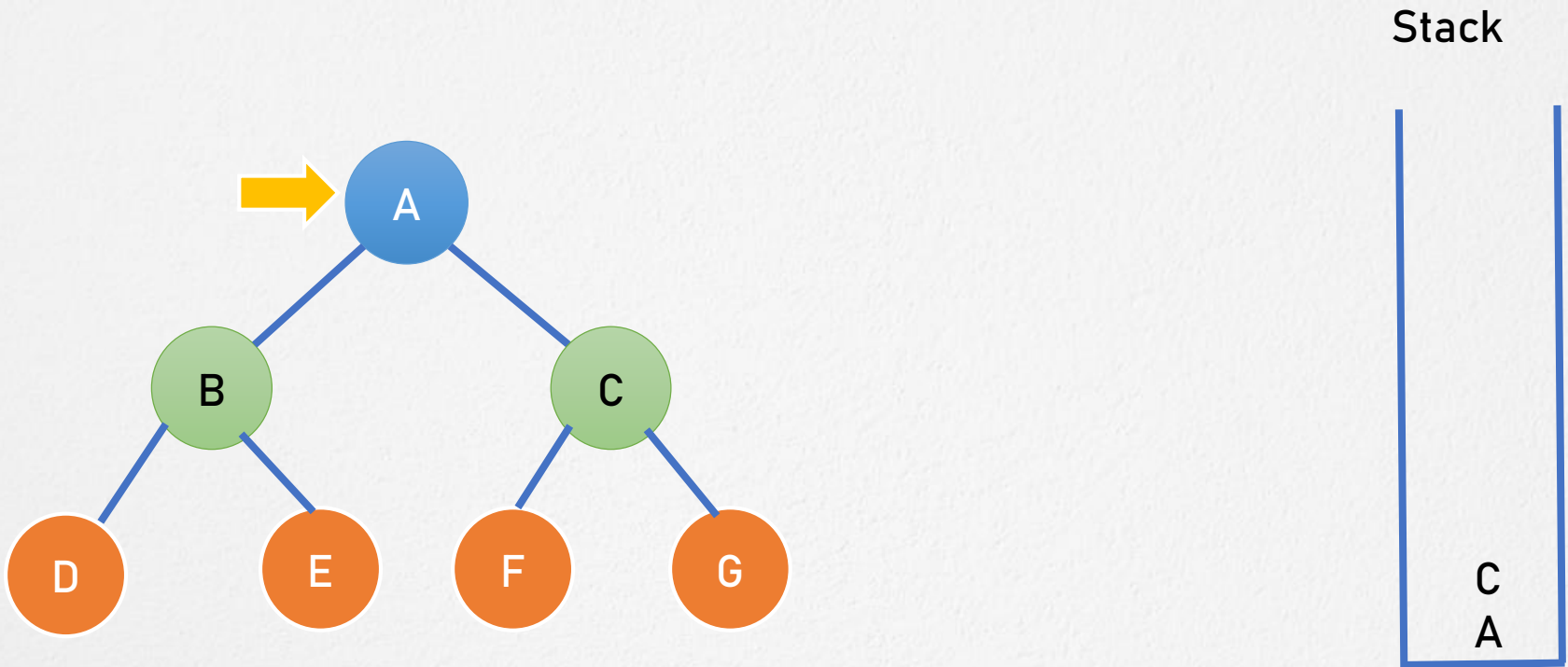
Example: Depth First Search



Output / visited : A B D E

Fig: (F)

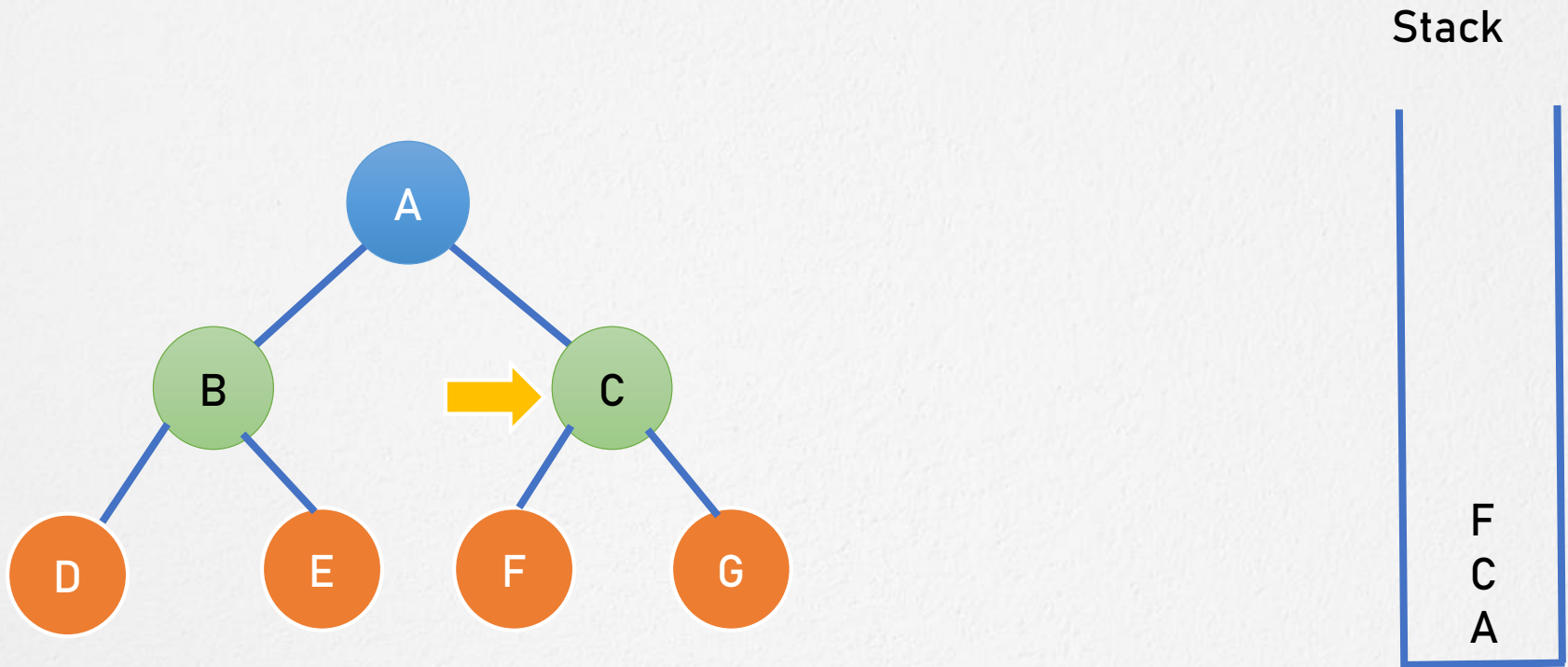
Example: Depth First Search



Output / visited : A B D E C

Fig: (G)

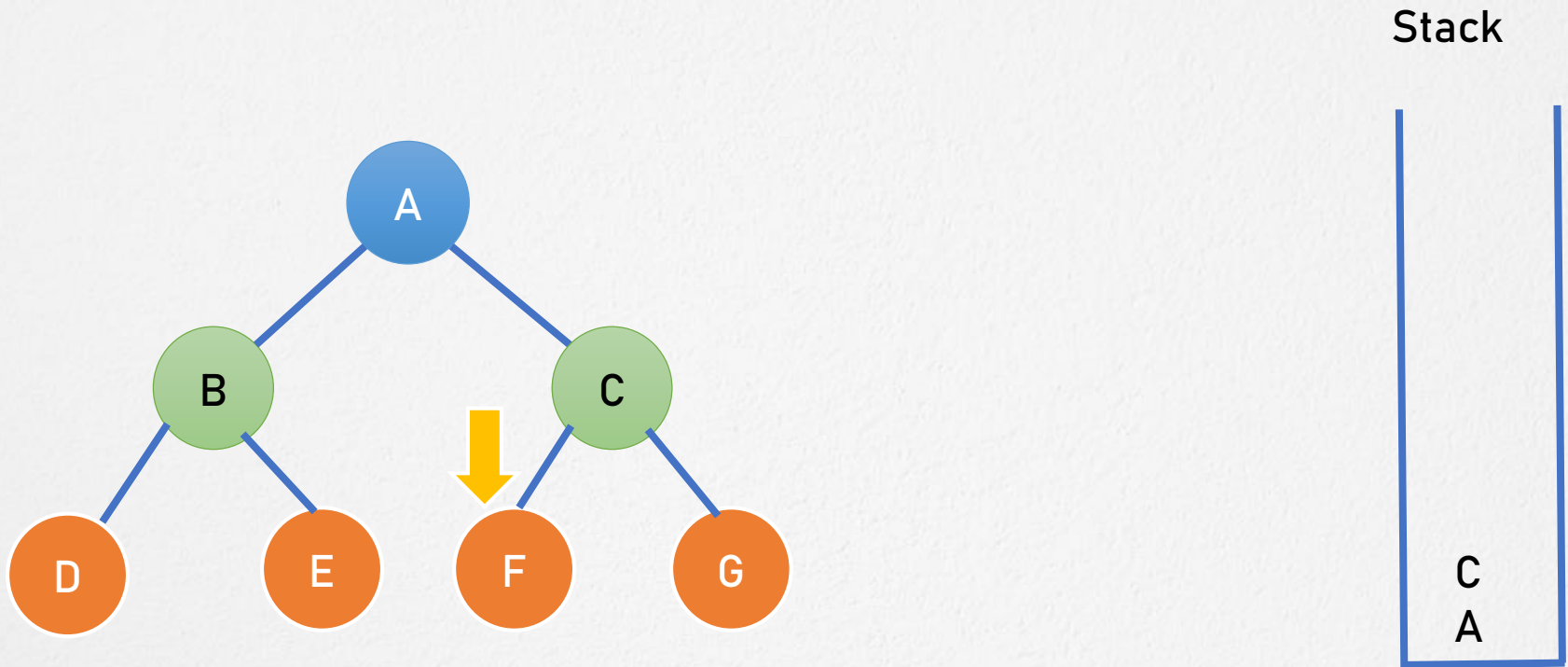
Example: Depth First Search



Output / visited : A B D E C F

Fig: (H)

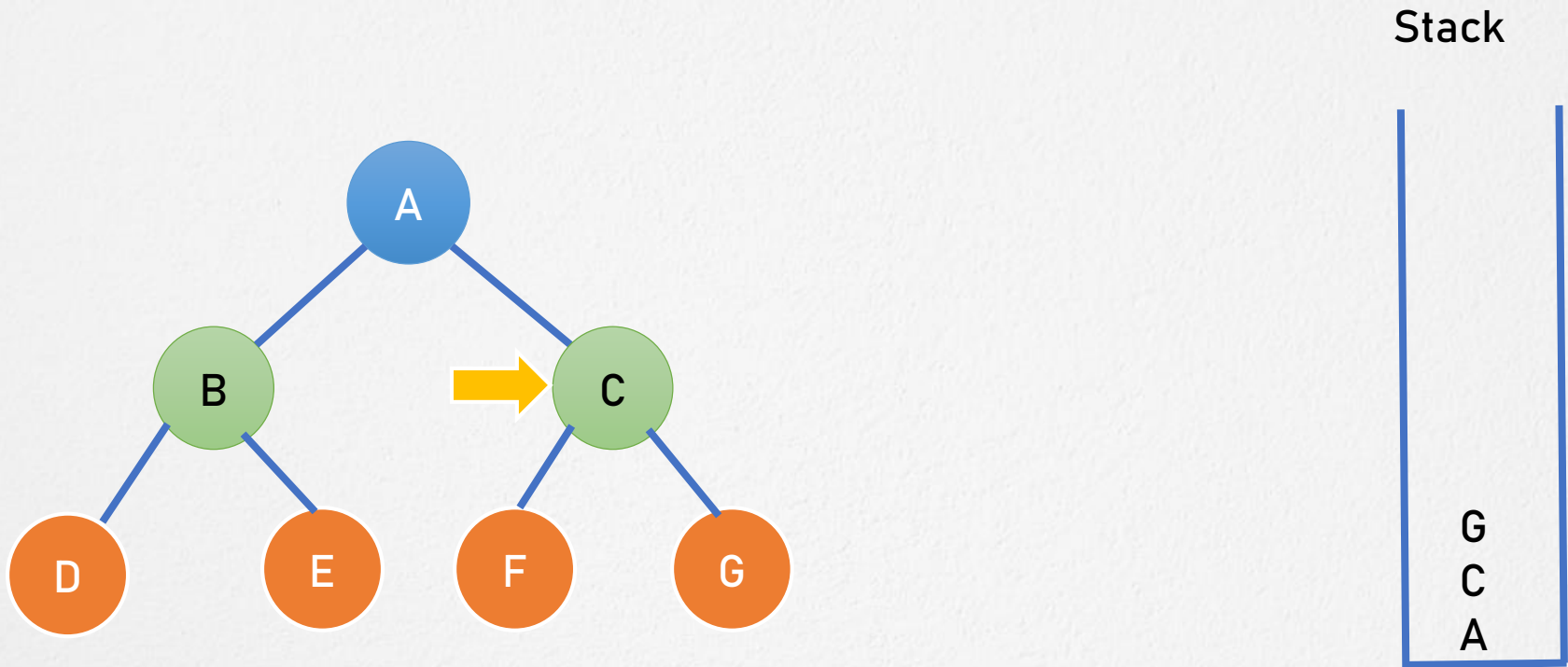
Example: Depth First Search



Output / visited : A B D E C F

Fig: (I)

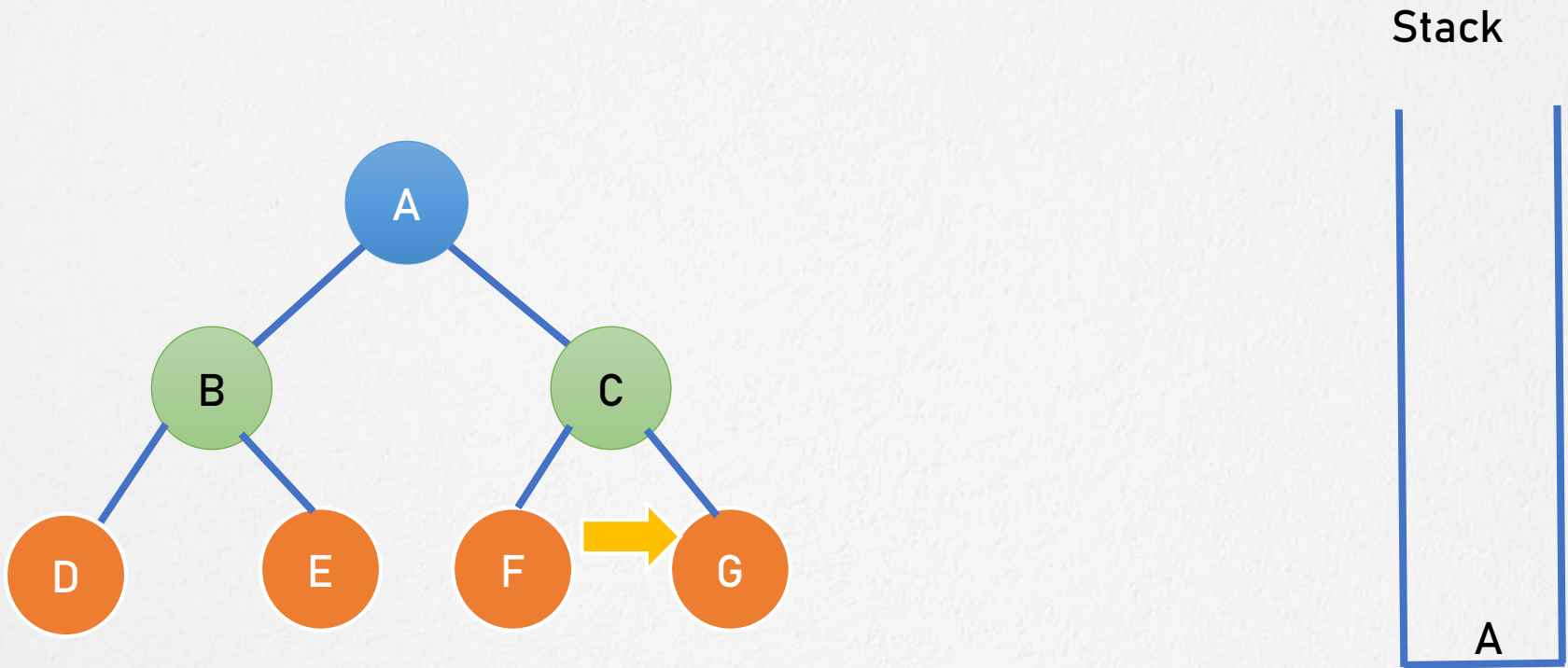
Example: Depth First Search



Output / visited : A B D E C F G

Fig: (J)

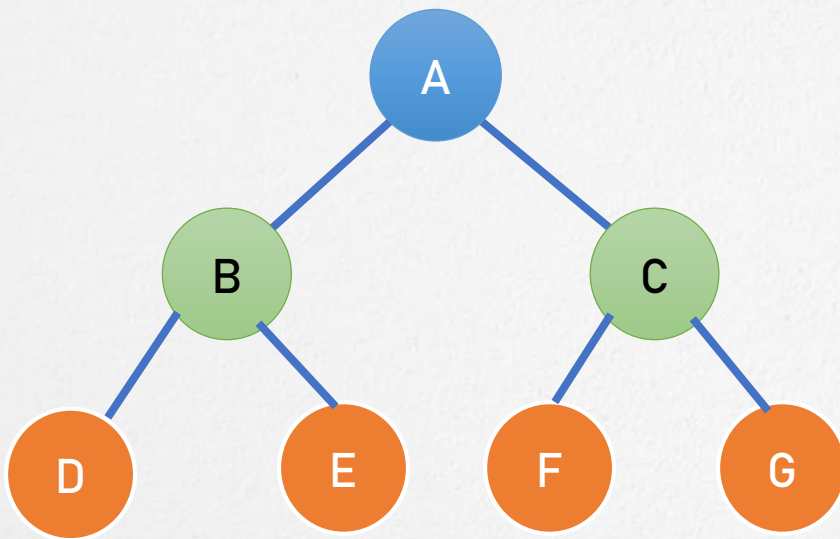
Example: Depth First Search



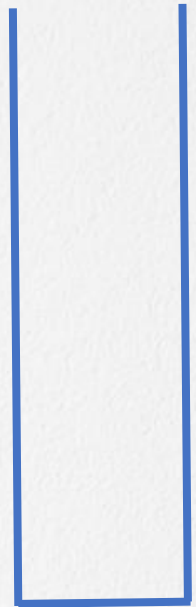
Output / visited : A B D E C F G

Fig: (K)

Example: Depth First Search



Empty Stack



Output / visited : A B D E C F G

Fig: (L)

Algorithm Complexity

- Time complexity: $O(V + E)$, where V is the number of vertices and E is the number of edges in the graph.
- Space Complexity: $O(V)$.

DFS Applications

- Mapping Routes and Network Analysis.
- Path Finding.
- Cycle detection in graphs.
- Topological Sorting.
- Solving puzzle.



That's all for now...