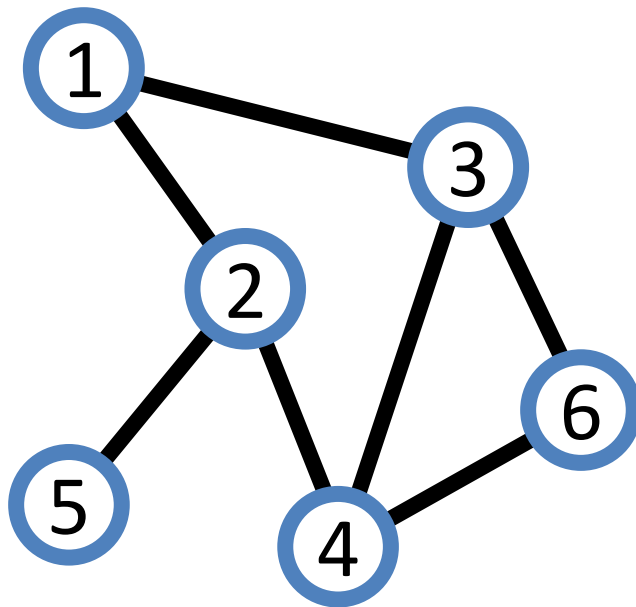


Elementary Graph Algorithms

Chapter 22

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Graph (1)



$V = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$ → node

$E = \{(1,2) (1,3) (2,4)$

$(2,5) (3,4) (3,6) (4,6)\}$ 每條邊是連接哪兩個節點 $E = \{(邊1) (邊2)\}$

- $G = (V, E)$

vertex
or
node

edge

$|V|$: 裡面有幾個元素

- $|V|$: number of vertices

- $|E|$: number of edges

- Sparse** graphs

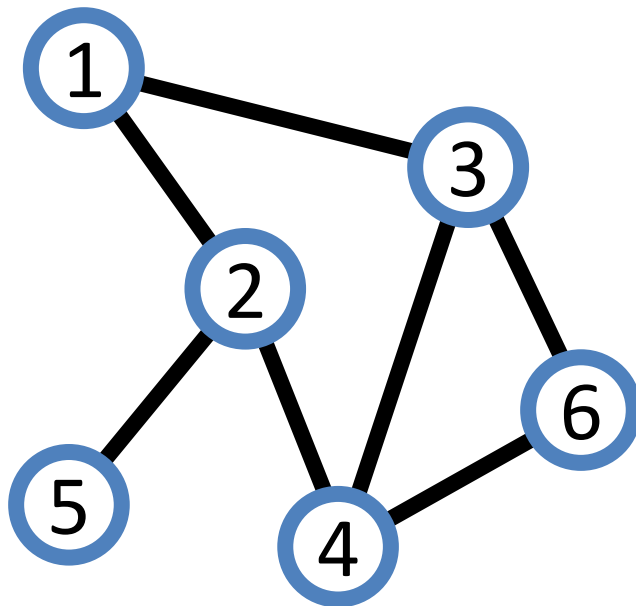
$$|E| \ll |V|^2$$

邊的個數 vs 節點數的平方 來判斷是不是 sparse

- Dense** graphs

$$|E| \approx |V|^2$$

Graph (2)

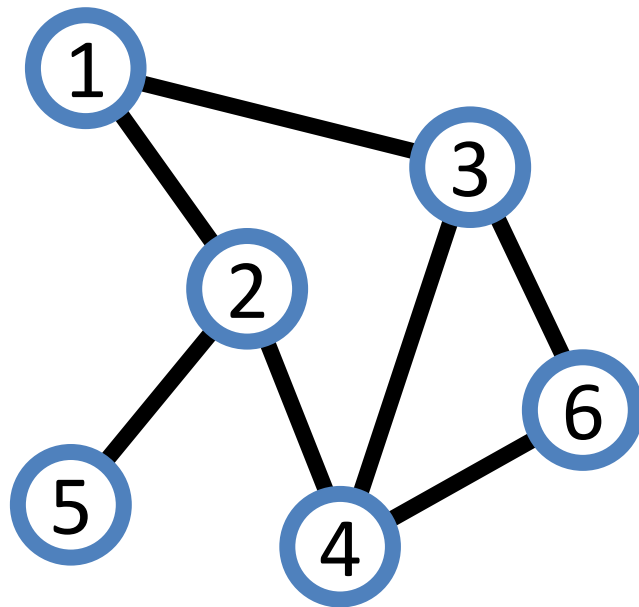


Degree : 這個節點有幾個連居 (有幾個邊碰到它)

- ***Degree*** of a node
 - # of neighbors
- ***Degree*** of the graph
 - max (每個節點的degree) maximum degree over all of its nodes
- ***Directed*** or ***undirected***?

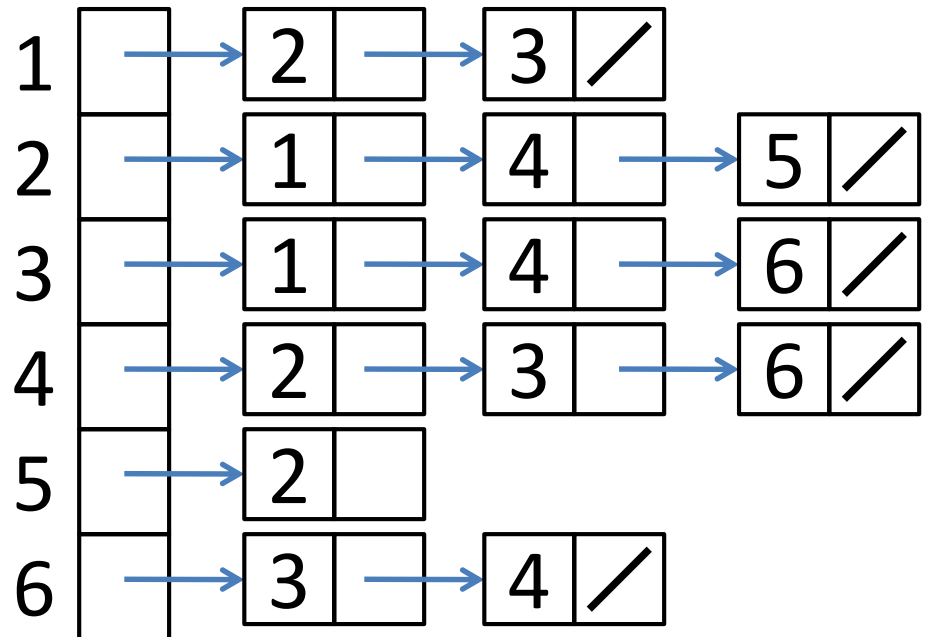
Directed graph : 看有沒有箭號指向某個節點

Representations of graphs (1)



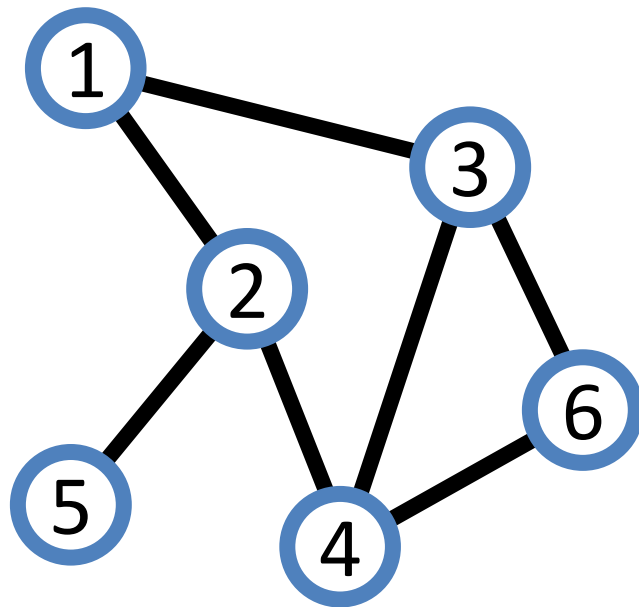
linked list

Adjacency-list



建立一個一維的array，節點指向下一個要去的節點

Representations of graphs (2)



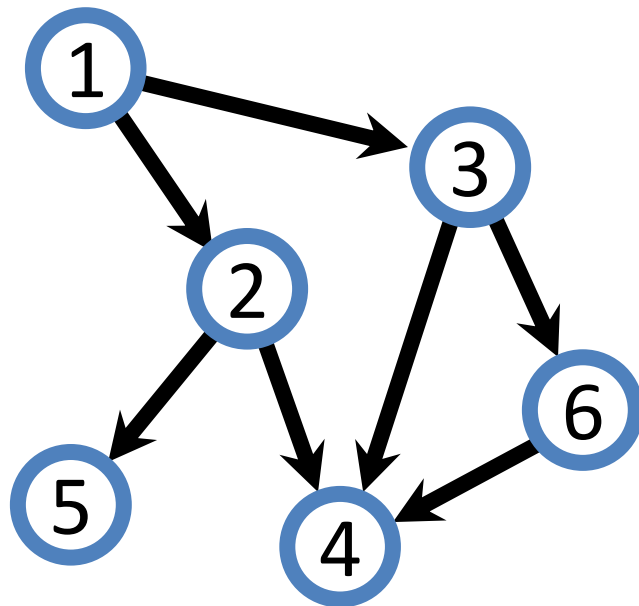
宣告一個二維的array (6個節點故宣告6x6的大小)

Adjacency-matrix

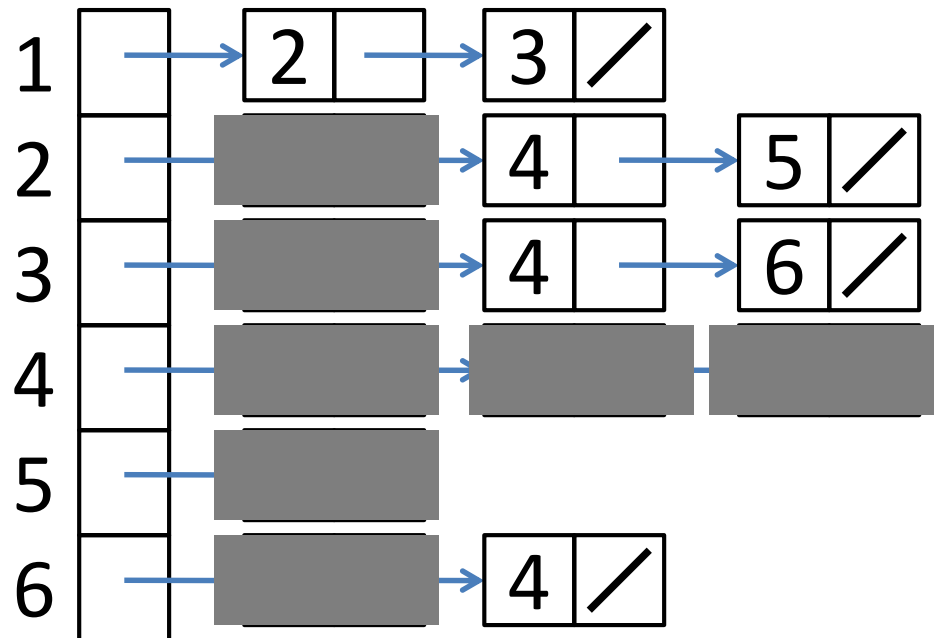
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2	1			1	1	
3	1			1		1
4		1	1			1
5		1				
6			1	1		

如果是比較sparse的情況，就不要用matrix，用
linked list比較合適 (才不會浪費空間存一堆null)

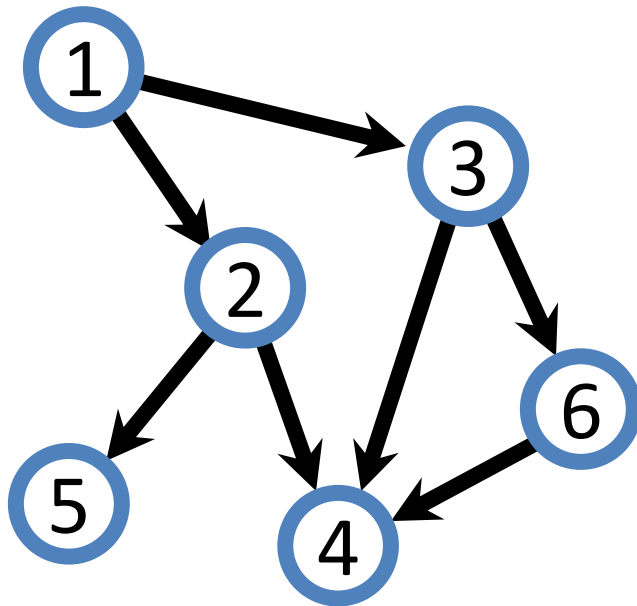
Representations of graphs (3)



Adjacency-list



Representations of graphs (4)



Adjacency-matrix

	1	2	3	4	5	6
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2				1	1	
3				1		1
4						
5						
6				1		

不會是對稱的

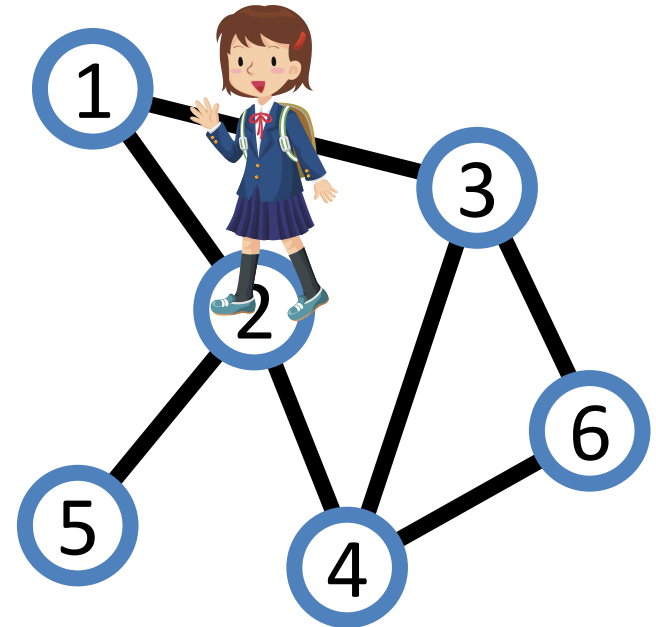
Graph traversal

- Breadth-first search (BFS) 廣度優先
- Depth-first search (DFS) 深度優先

教學用

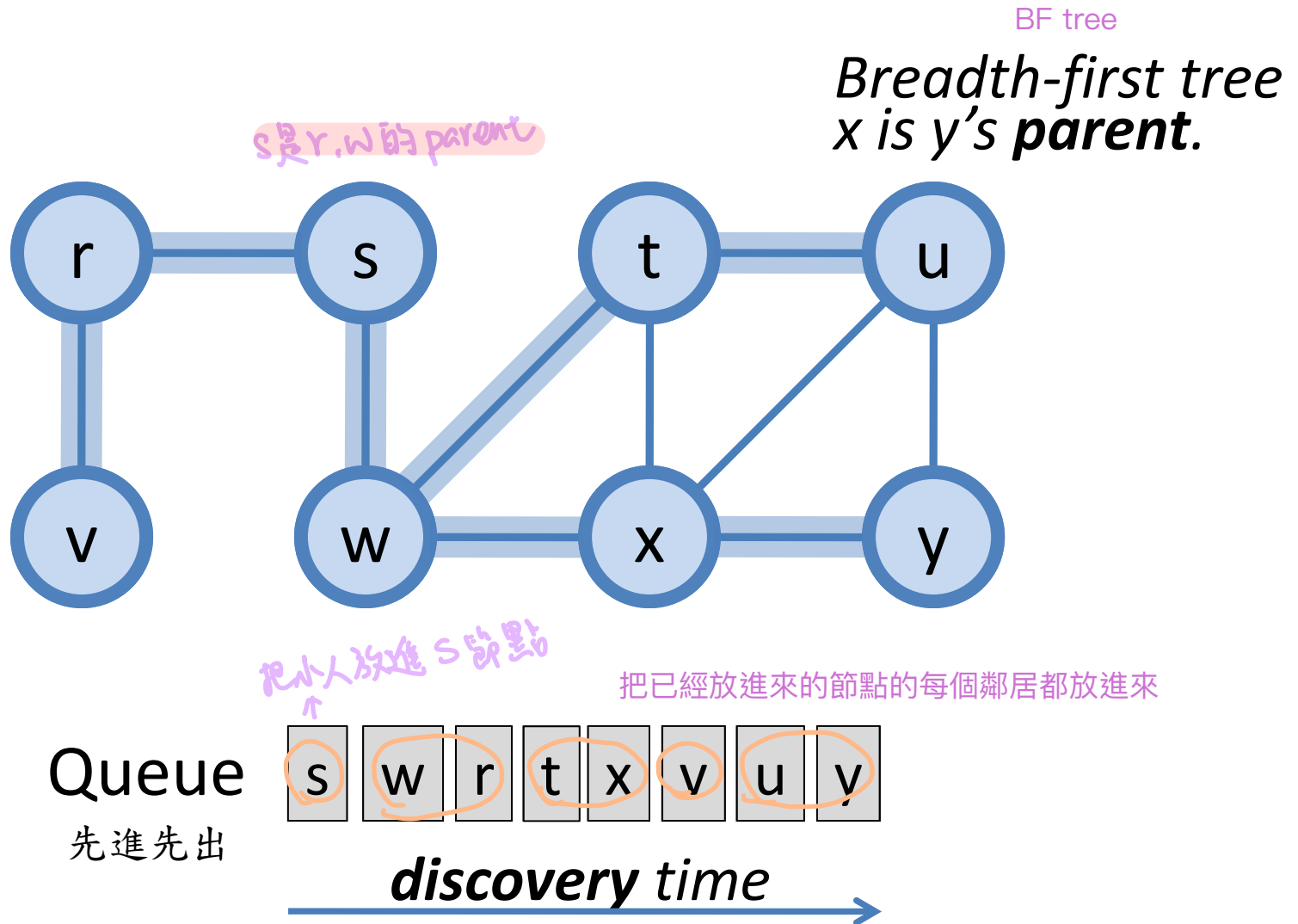
想讓小人有系統性地去拜訪每一個節點

A systematic way to visit vertices and to traverse edges of a graph.



Breadth-first search

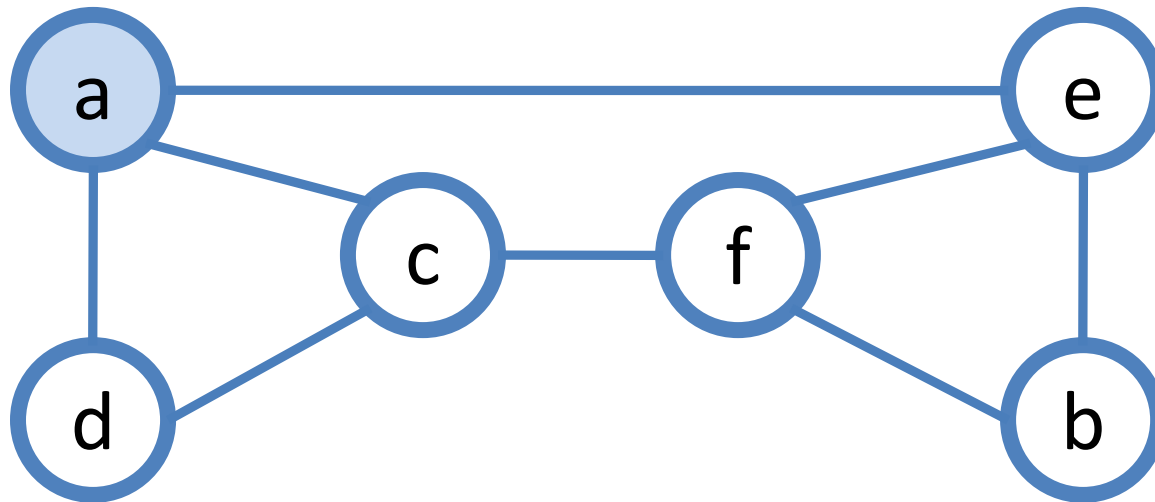
Breadth-first search



講到BFS就先建立queue，因為需要queue來實現BFS

Exercise

*What is the discovery order of vertices?
Resolve ties by the vertex alphabetical order.*

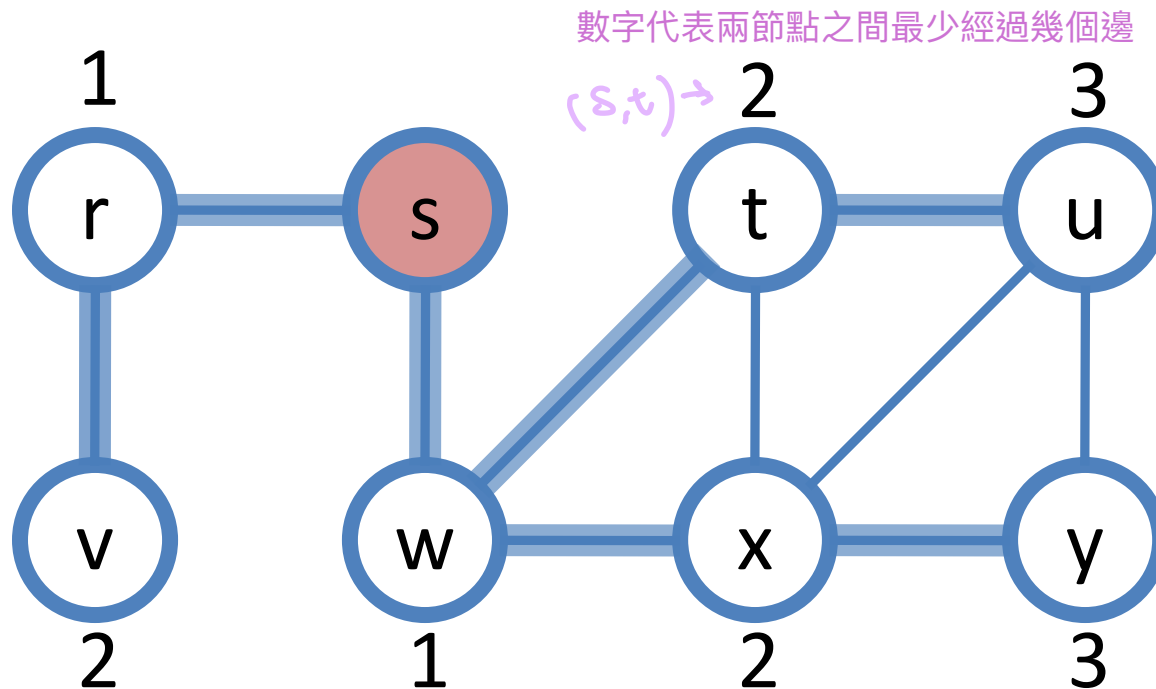


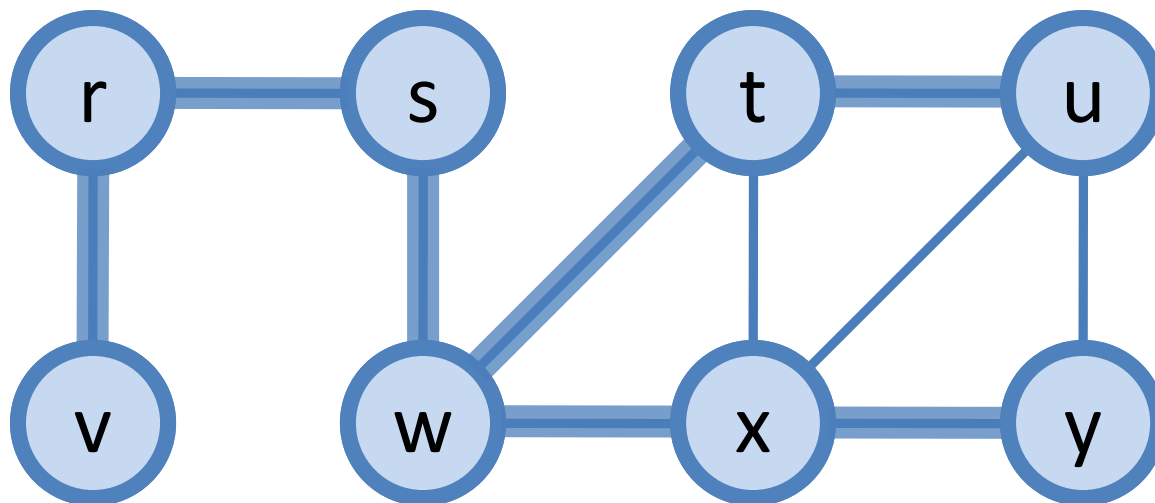
acdefb

Shortest paths

最短路徑問題

- $\delta(s, v)$: the minimal number of edges in any path from vertex s to vertex v





Queue s w r t x v u y

$v.d:$ 0 1 1 2 2 2 3 3

把每個節點的最短路徑蓄加起來

Depth-first search

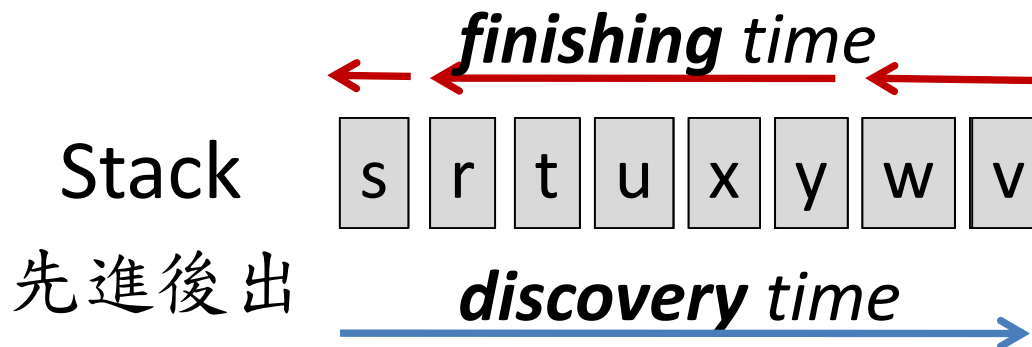
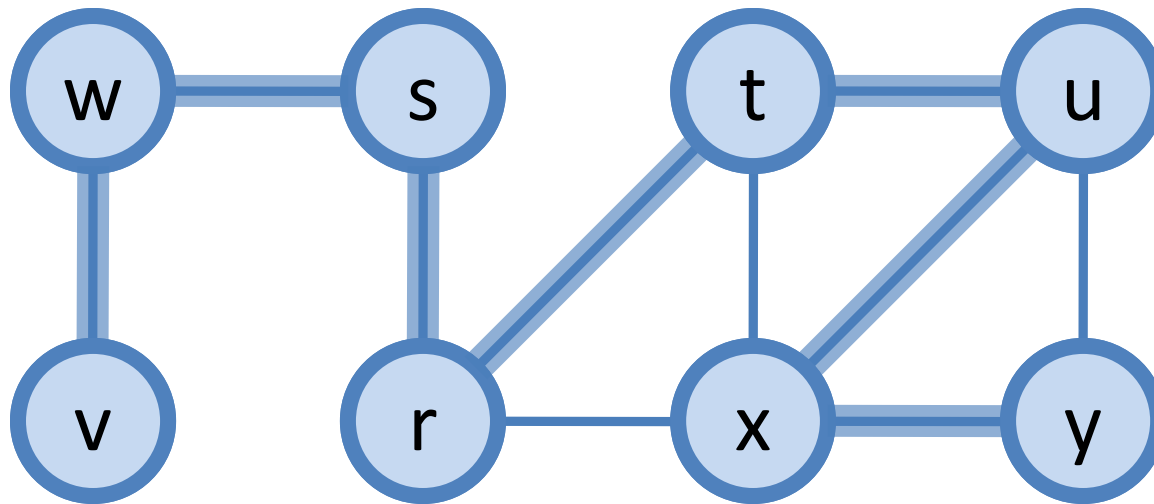
Depth-first search

深度優先：找一條路，走到底，有多遠走多遠

DF tree

depth-first tree

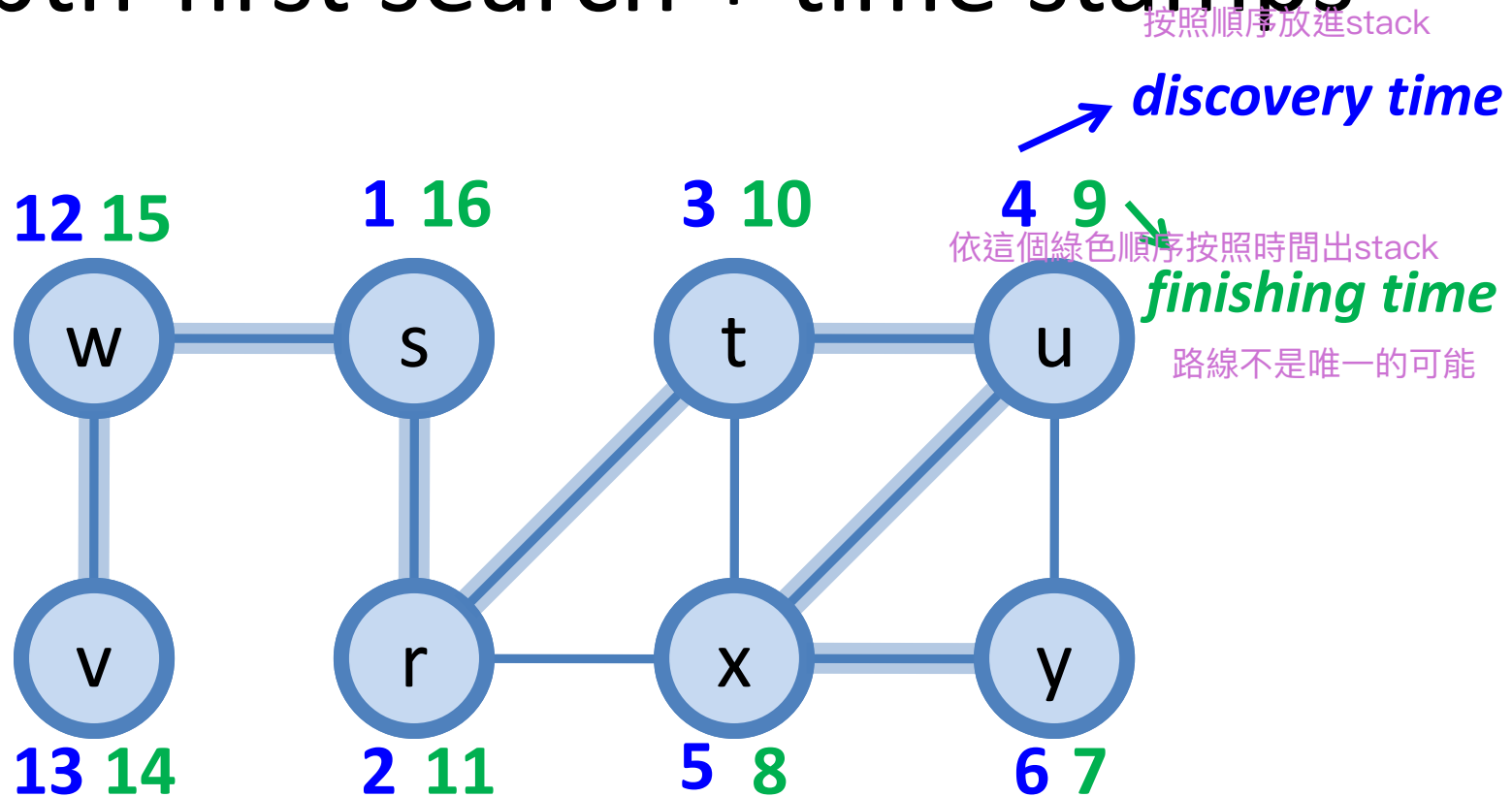
走到不能再走：現在這個節點的所有鄰居都拜訪過了，表示不能再走了



有兩個不同的時間，
路徑不完全相反

結果可能有好幾種

Depth-first search + time stamps



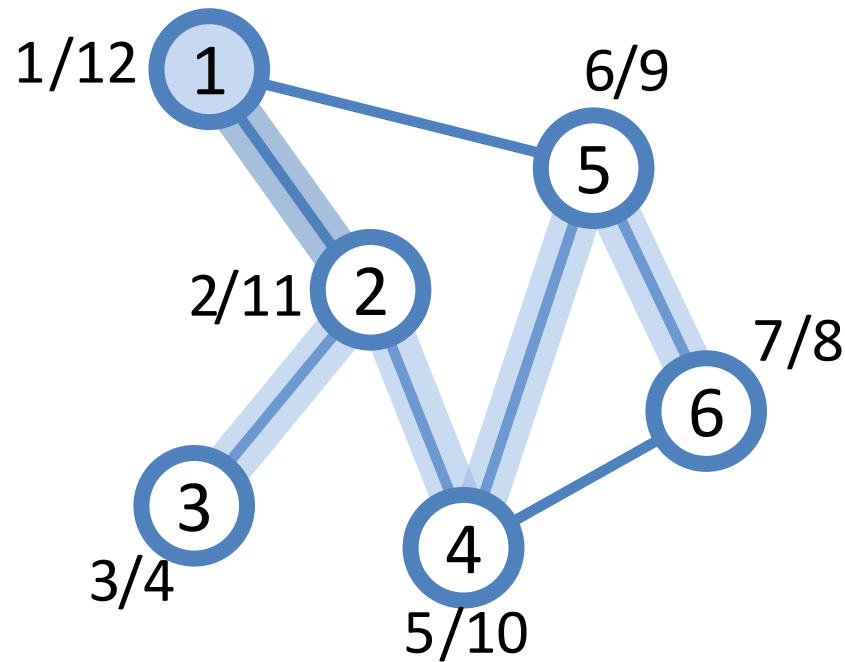
Stack

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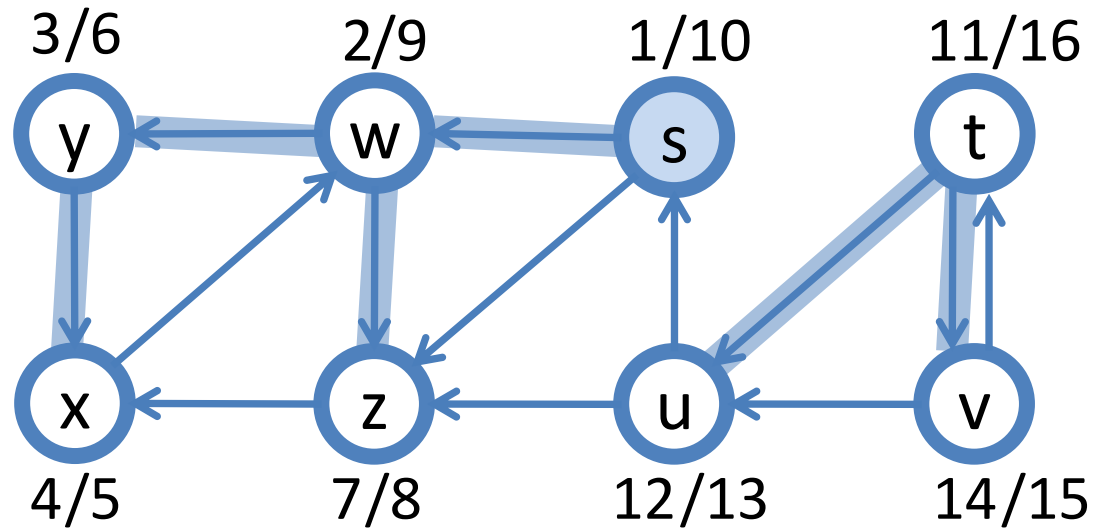
先進後出

Exercise

Find the discovery/finishing time of each node.



Exercise



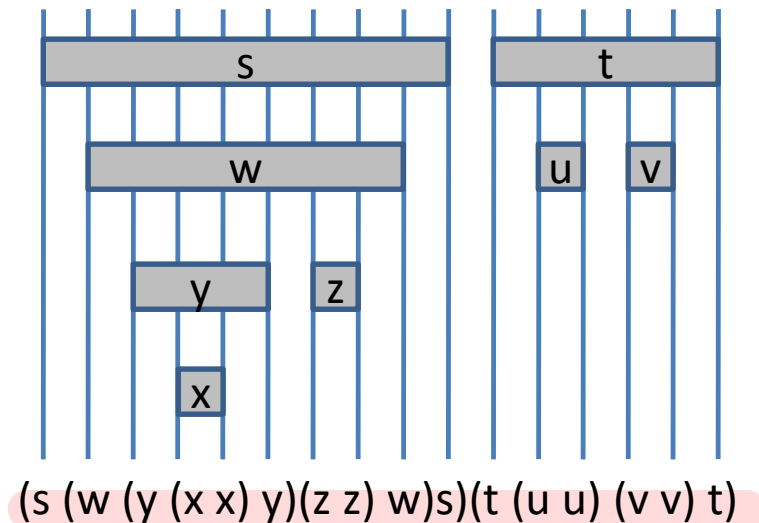
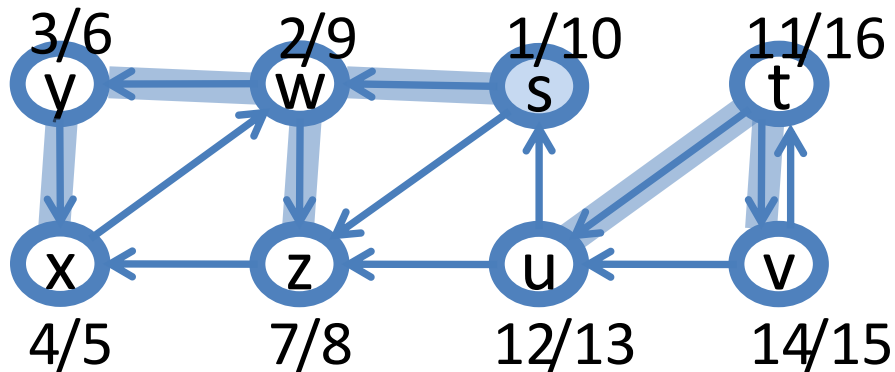
Properties (1)

- Discovery and finishing times have ***parenthesis structure***.

不會有overlap的情況，要嘛沒交集，
要嘛完全不重疊（大包小）

重疊的情況只有兩種可能性

Entirely disjoint!
Entirely within!



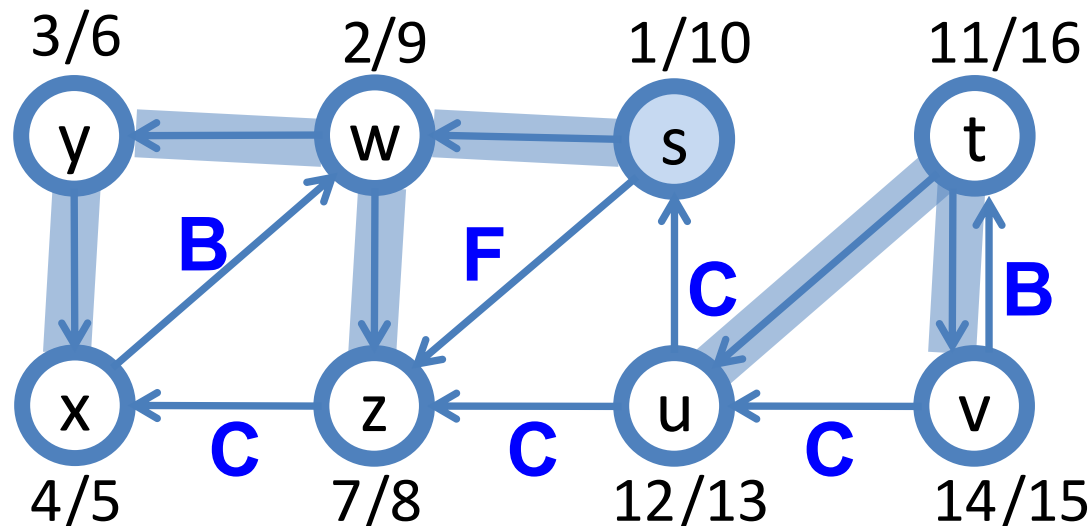
Properties (2)

把edge做分類

- Classification of edges: tree (**T**), back (**B**), forward (**F**), and cross (**C**)

Tree: 一代傳一代
Back: 箭頭指回親代
forward: 隔代, 跳過了
自己的上一代

Cross:
有同樣的祖先,
但彼此間沒有直接箭頭



Properties (2)

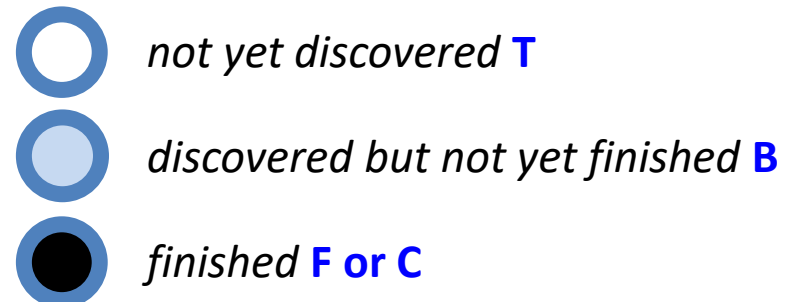
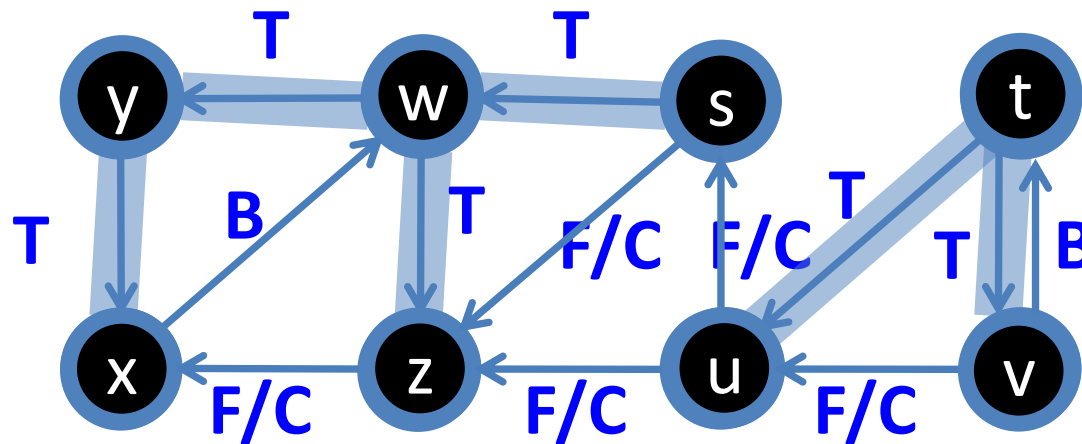
$u \rightarrow v$

- The DFS algorithm classifies some edges as it encounters them.
- How? Look at the state of v :
 - *not yet discovered* \rightarrow tree edge
 - *discovered but not yet finished* \rightarrow back edge
 - *finished* \rightarrow forward or cross edge

Properties (2)

- Example:

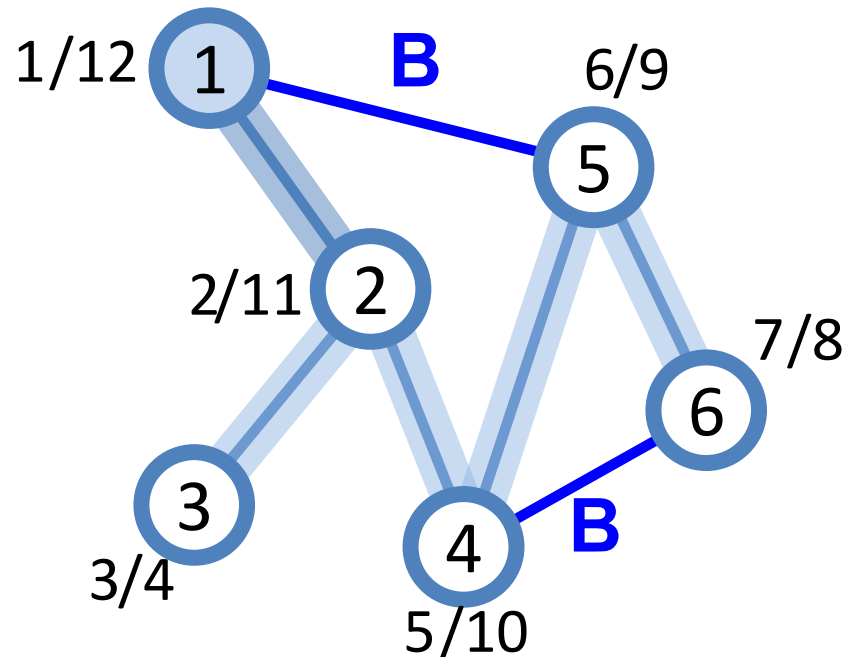
使用DFS在走的時候可以順便把節點做分類



Properties (2)

- In a depth-first search of an ***undirected*** graph, every edge is either a ***tree*** edge or a **back** edge.

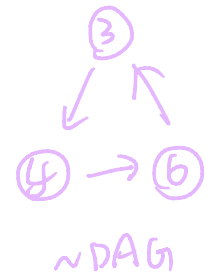
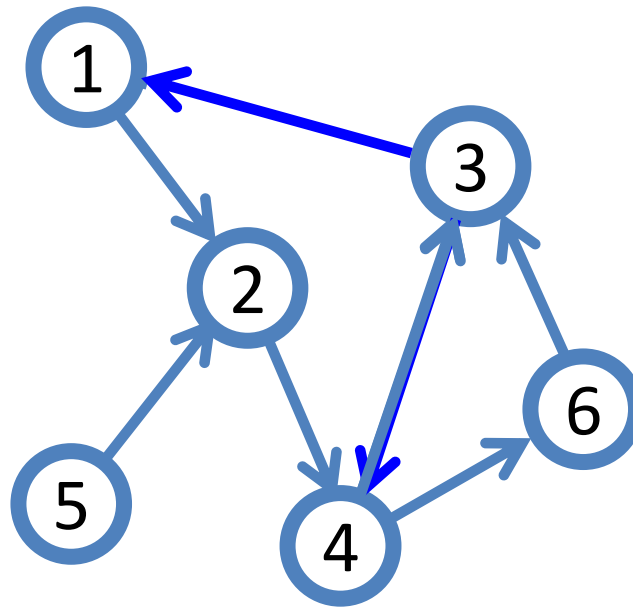
如果今天edge之間沒有箭頭指向，那節點只會剩下兩個種類 tree 跟 back



Directed acyclic graph (DAG)

- DAG: A directed graph that ***does not contain any directed cycle***.

DAG : 在這個graph裡面沒有任何的圓環



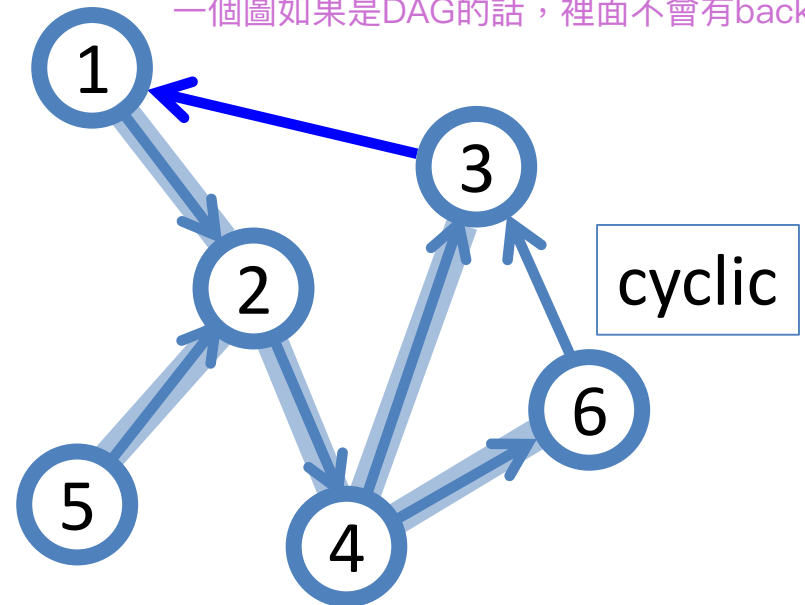
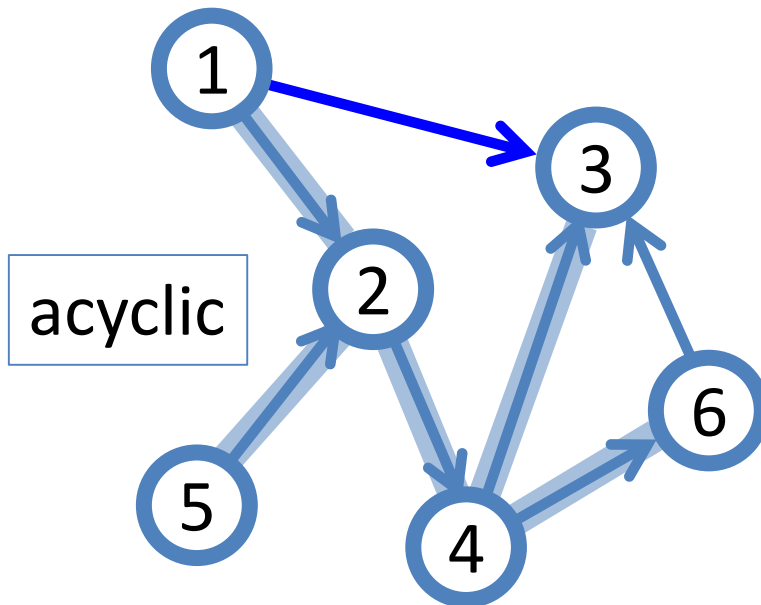


Exercise

- How to know if a graph G is (or is not) a dag?
- Hint: A directed graph is acyclic if and only if a DFS has no back edges!



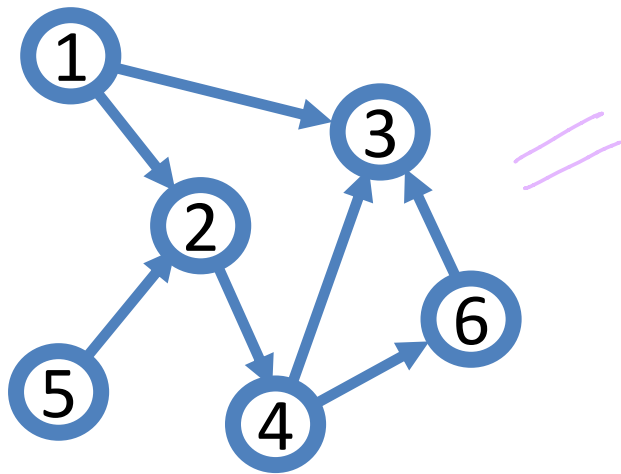
一個圖如果是DAG的話，裡面不會有back edge



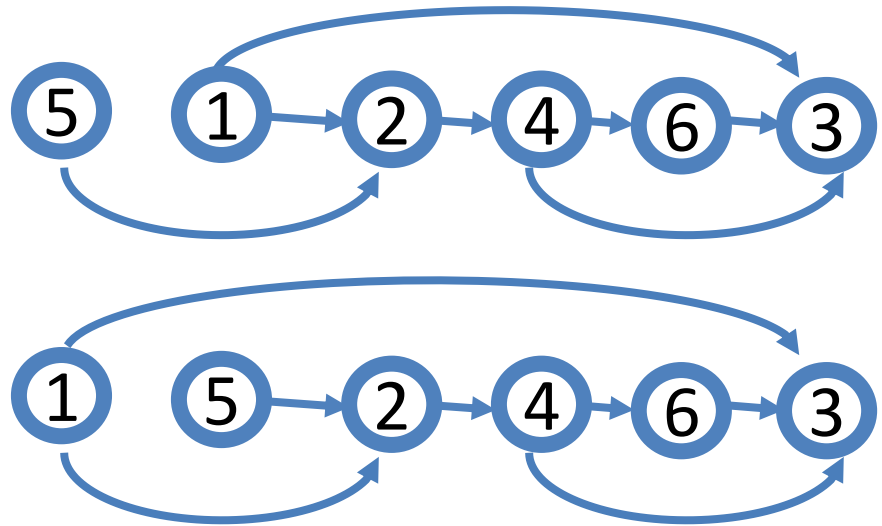
Topological sort

只有是DAG的input才能做topological sort

- Given a **dag** $G = (V, E)$, find a linear ordering of all its vertices such that if G has an edge (u, v) , then u appears ***before*** v .

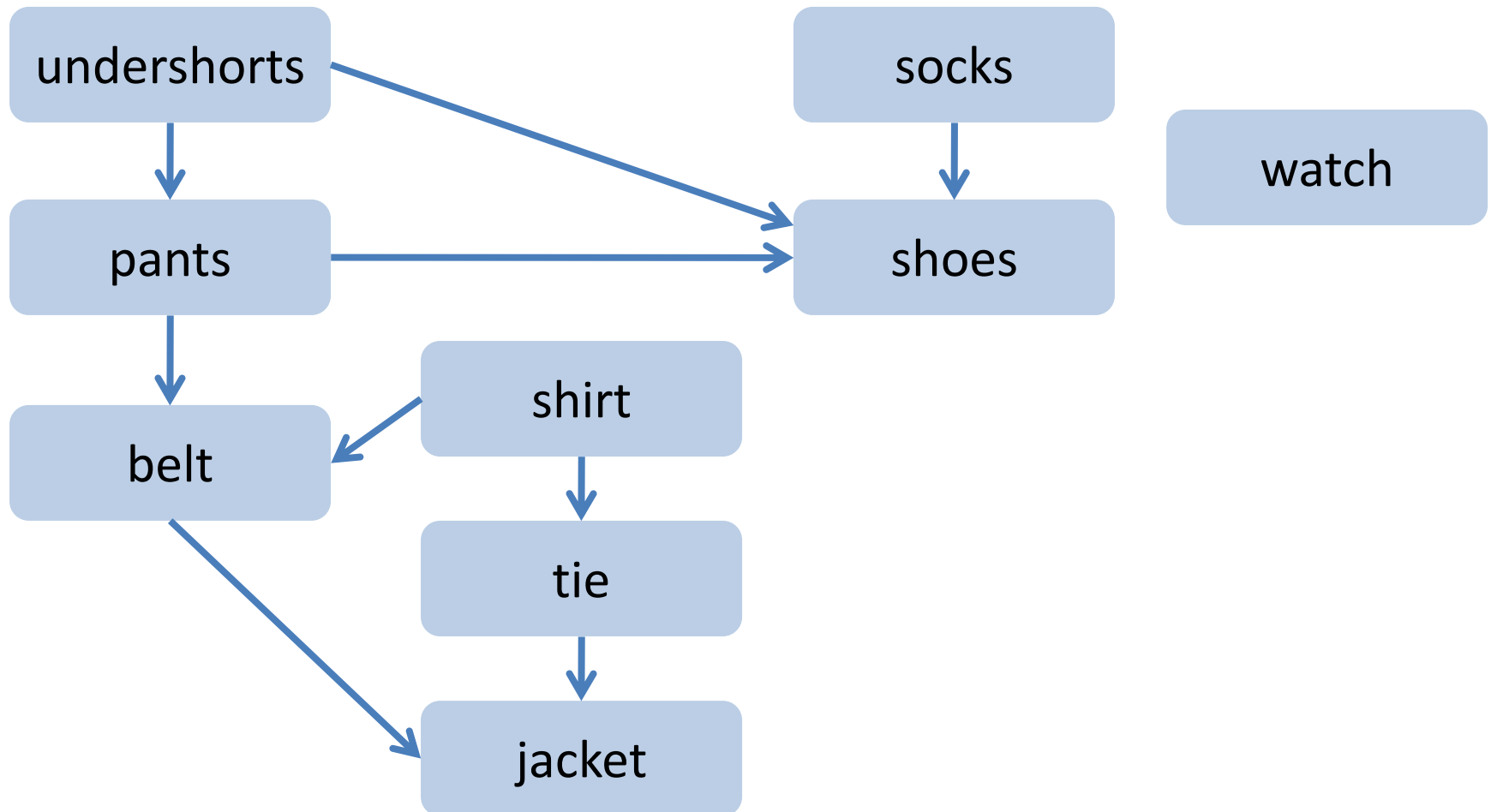


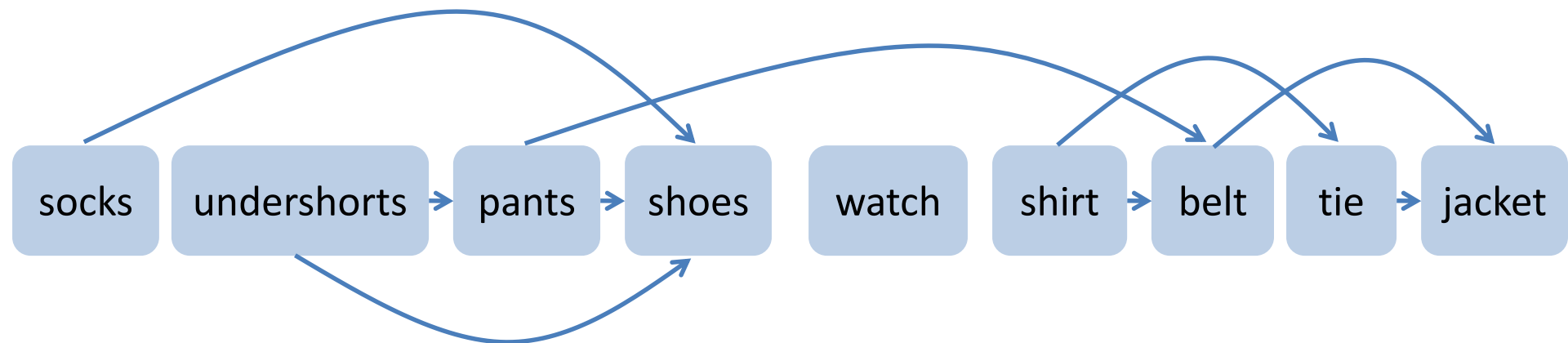
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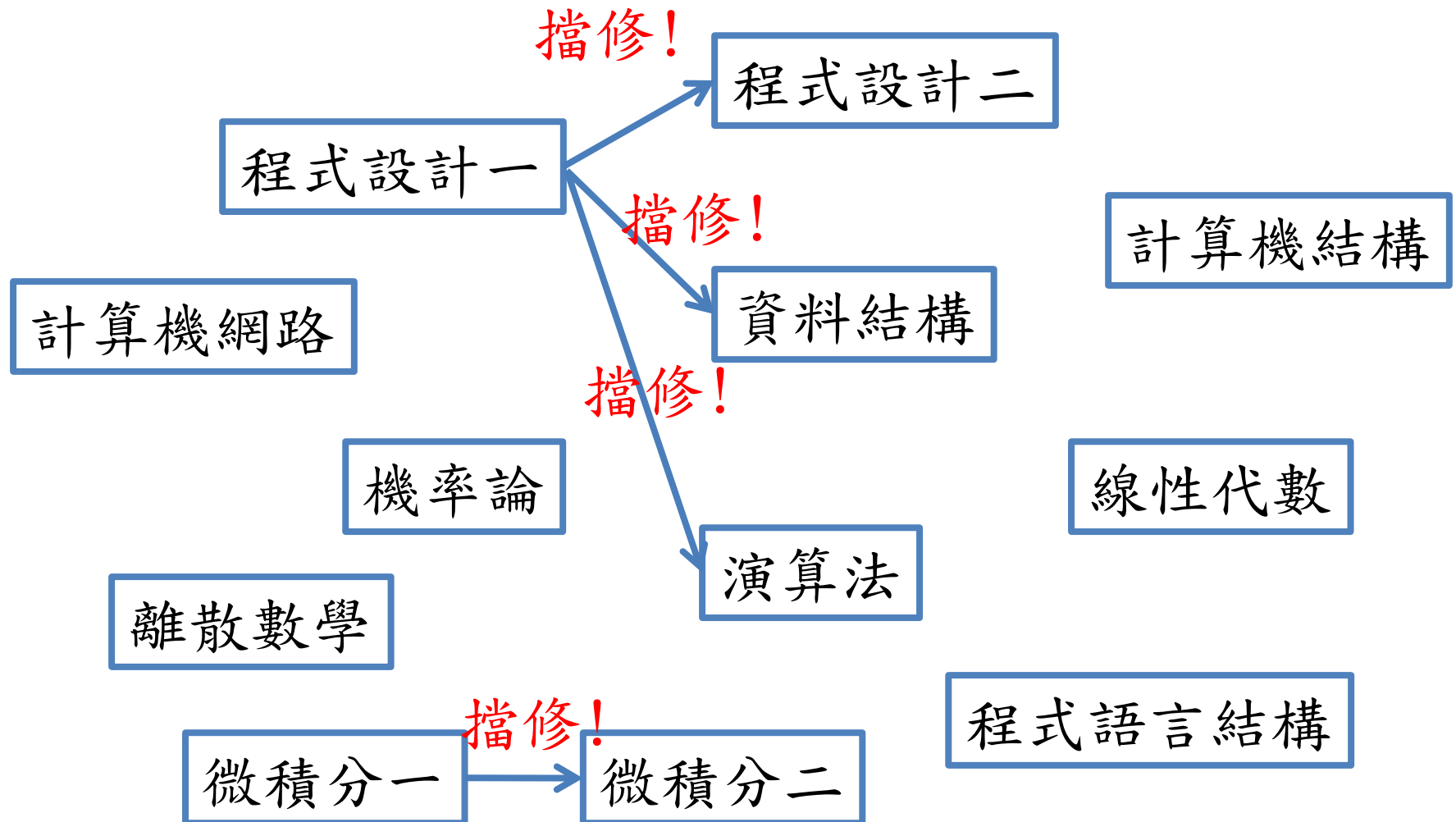
Example (1)

有個老先生，每天起床都要穿戴下面的物品才願意出門

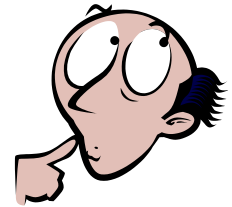




Example (2)



How to solve the topological sort problem?



- Use the finishing time by DFS!

按照finishing time來排序

- 2-step procedure:

1. Run DFS

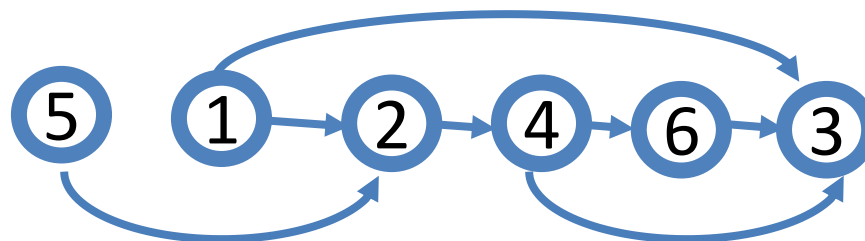
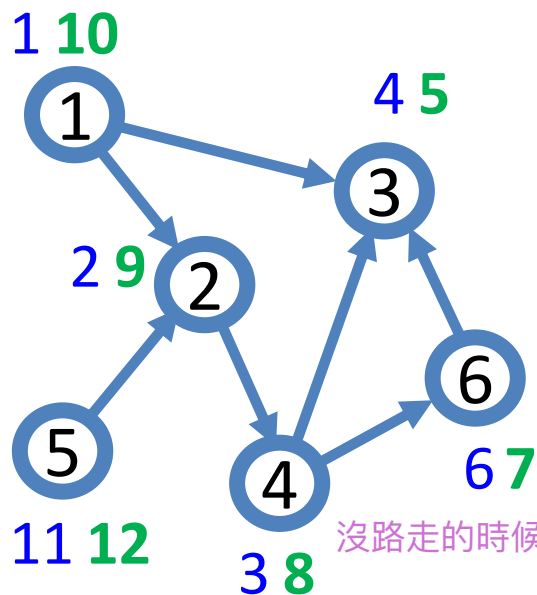
按照節點出來的時間，從大的排到小的

2. Output the nodes in decreasing order of their finishing time.

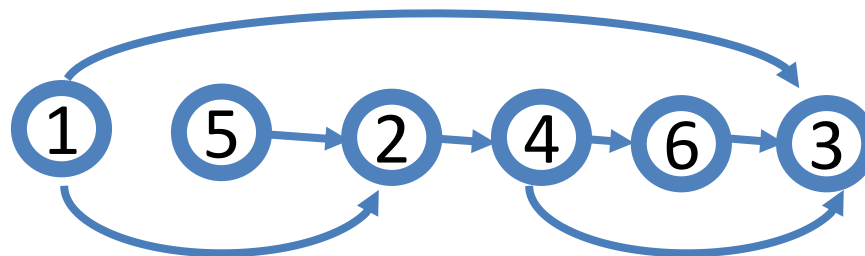
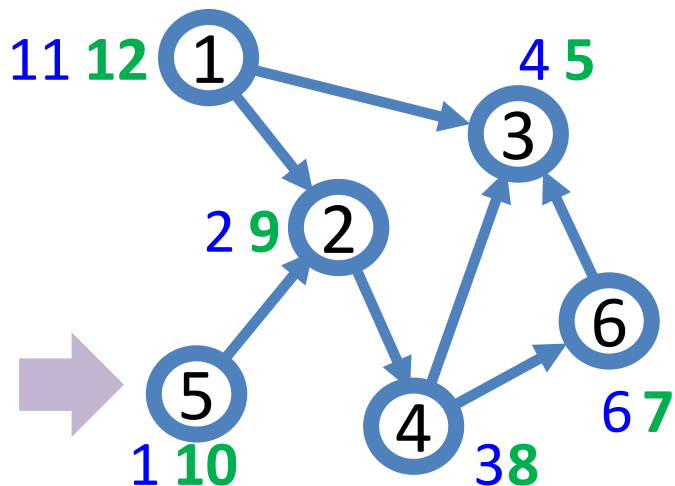
不是唯一解，選一條路走到底即可

Example

走法1

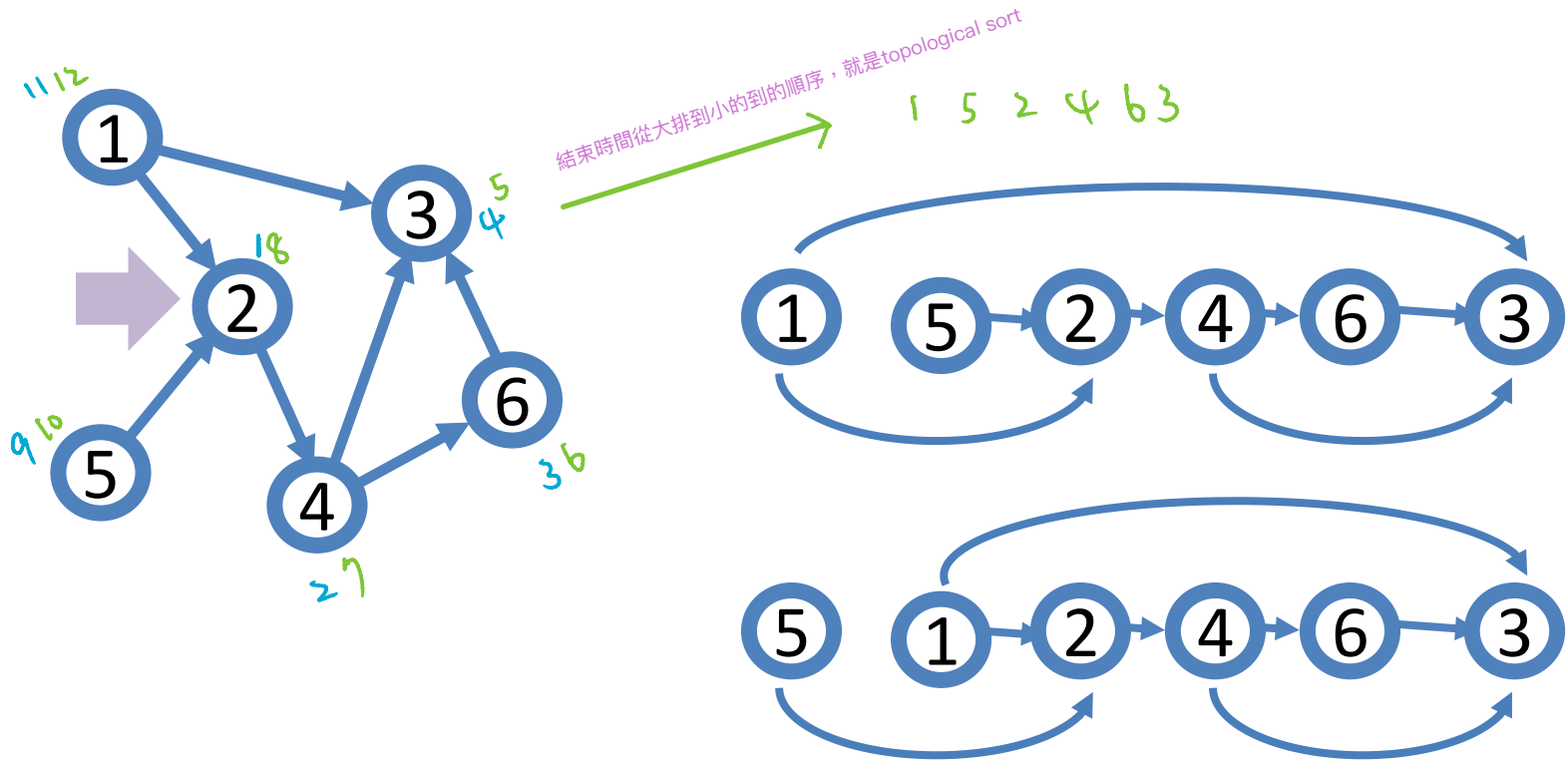


走法2



Exercise

- What's the ordering if we start from vertex 2?

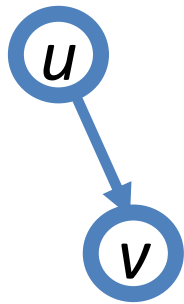


Correctness (1)

- Show that if (u, v) is a directed edge of G , then

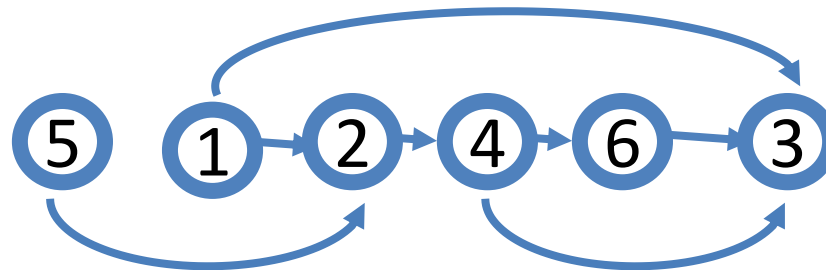
$$u.f \text{ \textcolor{blue}{>} } v.f$$

hint: $> = <$

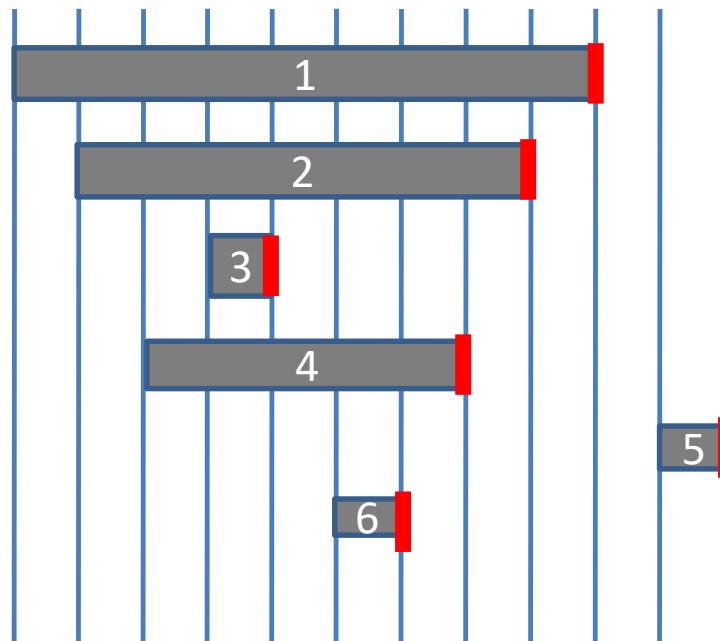
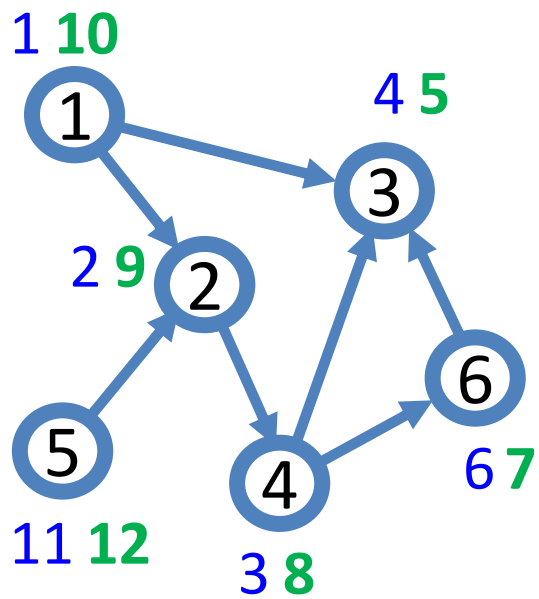


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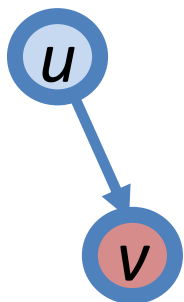
為什麼按照finishing time
從大排到小的順序，就是
topological sort的順序？



finishing time (f) \leftarrow
large small



if $u \longrightarrow v$, $u.f > v.f$



Correctness (2)

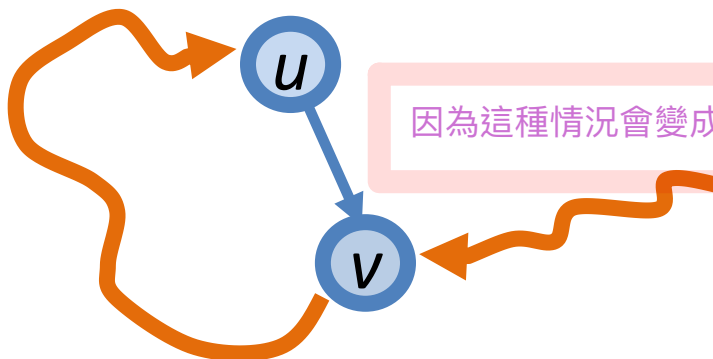
- Show that if (u, v) is a directed edge of G , then $u.f > v.f$.

○ – v is not yet discovered, $u.f > v.f$ (why?)

● – v is finished, $u.f > v.f$ (why?)

◐ – v is discovered but not yet finished?

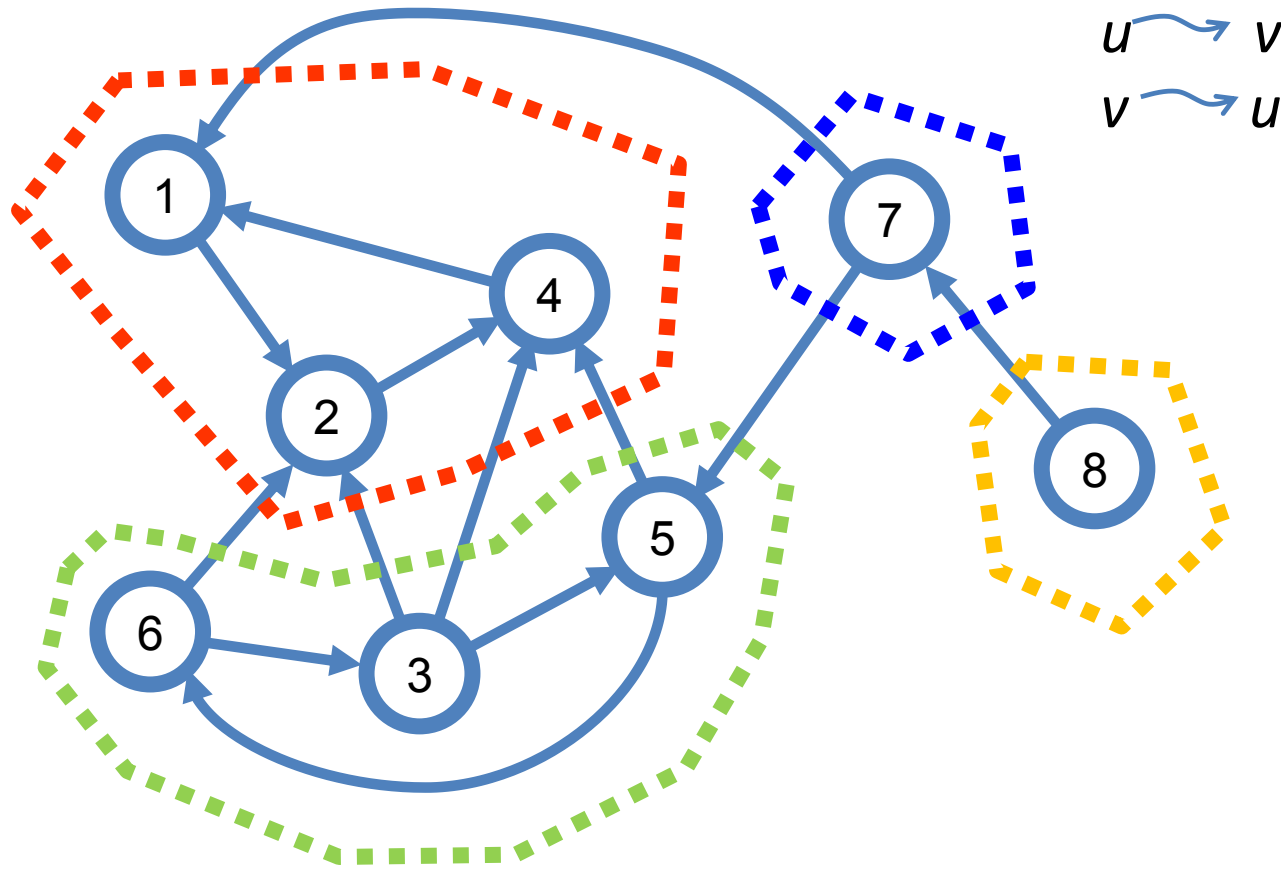
- Impossible! Otherwise this is not a DAG!



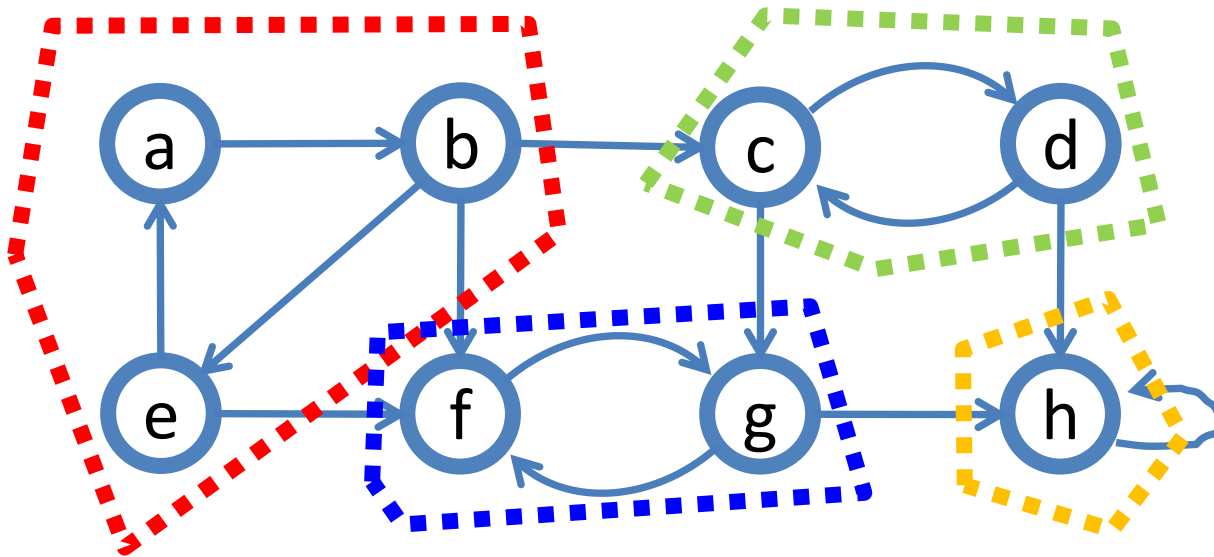
因為這種情況會變成圓環，他就不是DAG，就不能做topological sort

Strongly connected components

- Decompose a directed graph into its ***strongly connected components***.

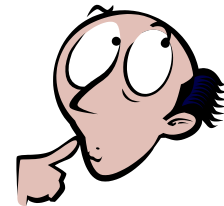


One more example



Strongly connected components

- Input
 - $G = (V, E)$
- Output
 - The strongly connected components of G

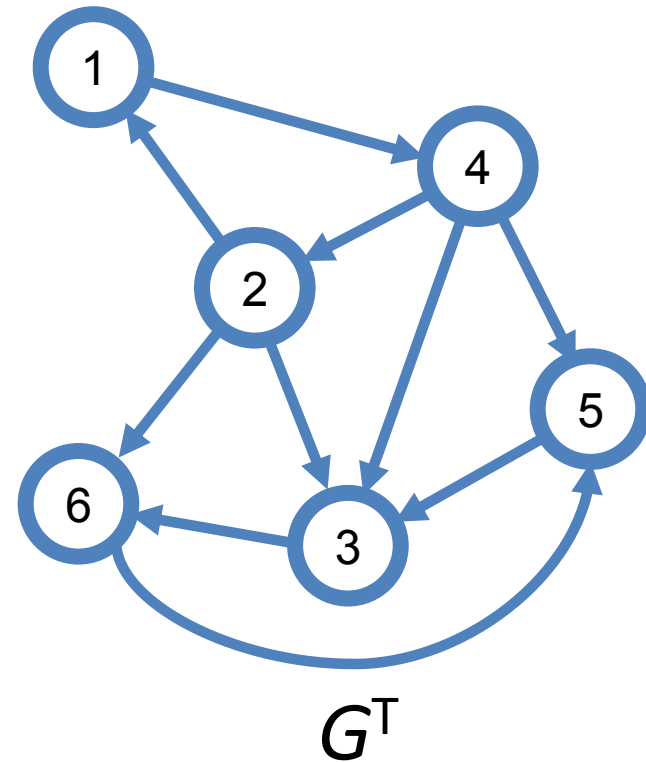
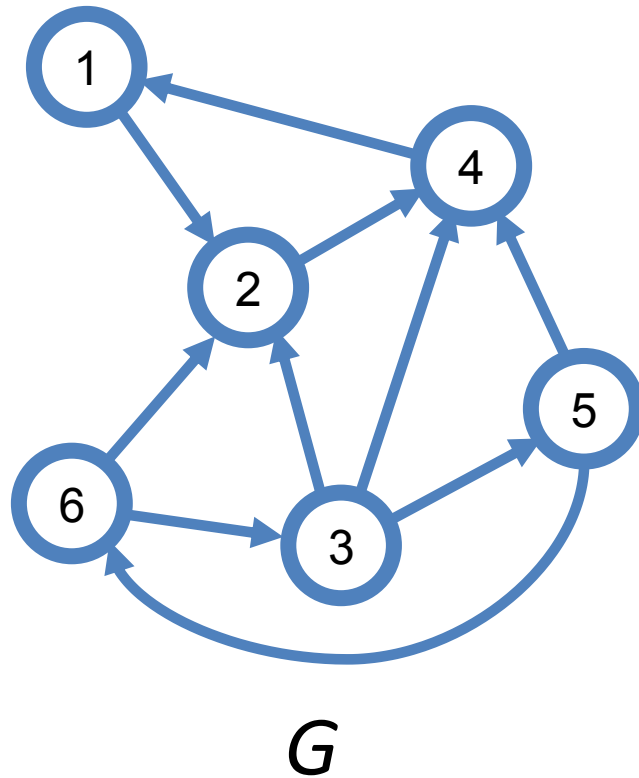


How to solve the problem?

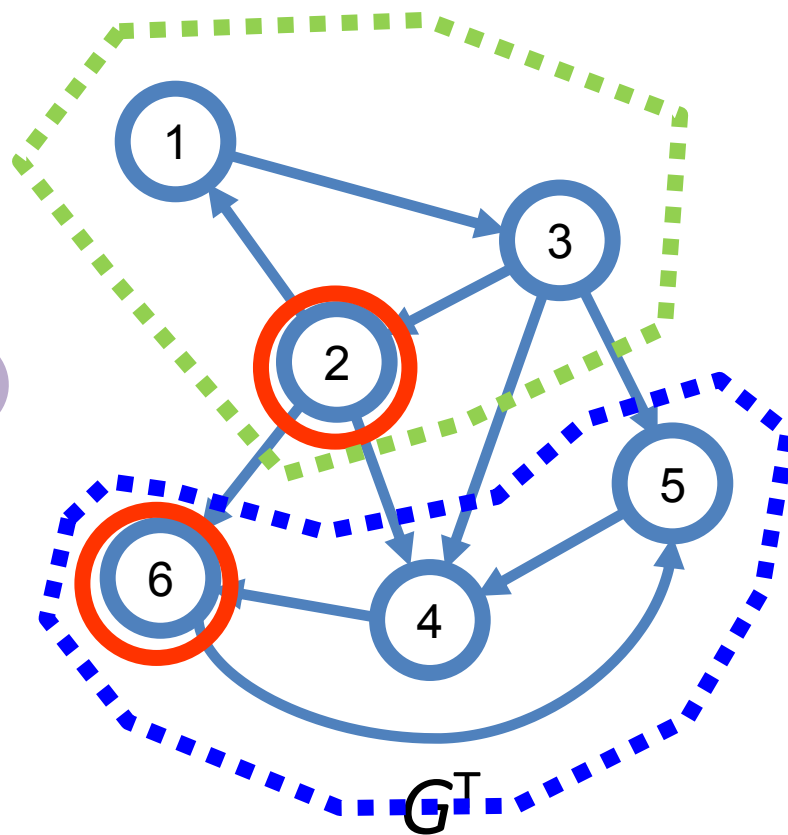
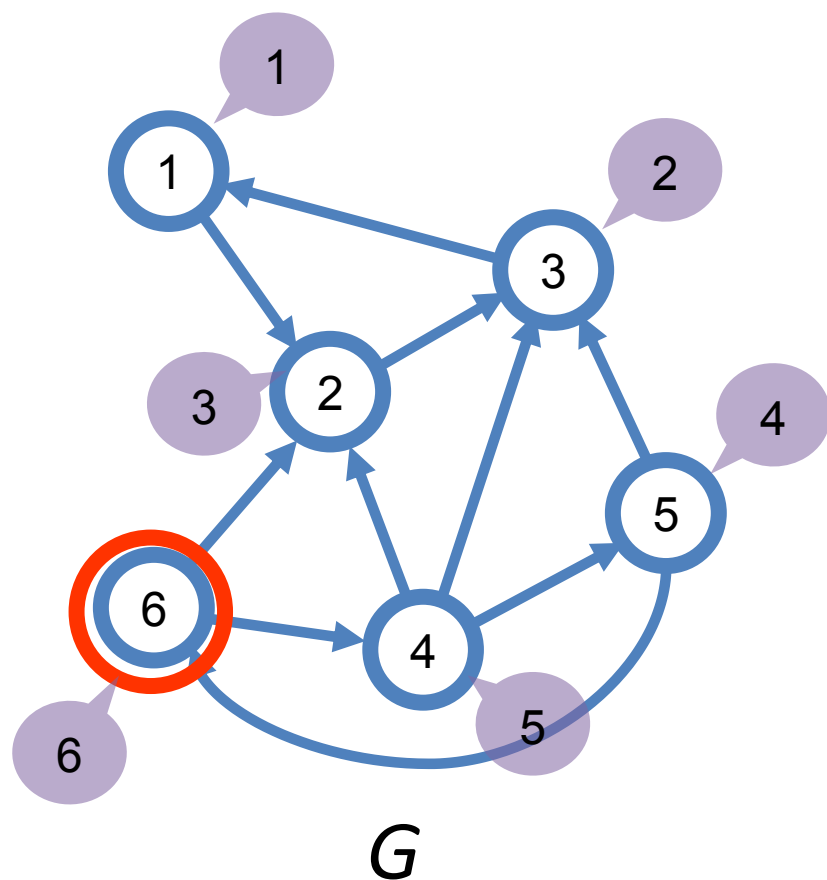
A linear $\Theta(V+E)$ -time algorithm

1. call DFS(G) to compute finishing time $u.f$ for each vertex u
2. compute G^T (the transpose of G)
3. call DFS(G^T) with considering the vertices in the order of decreasing $u.f$
4. output the components found in step 3

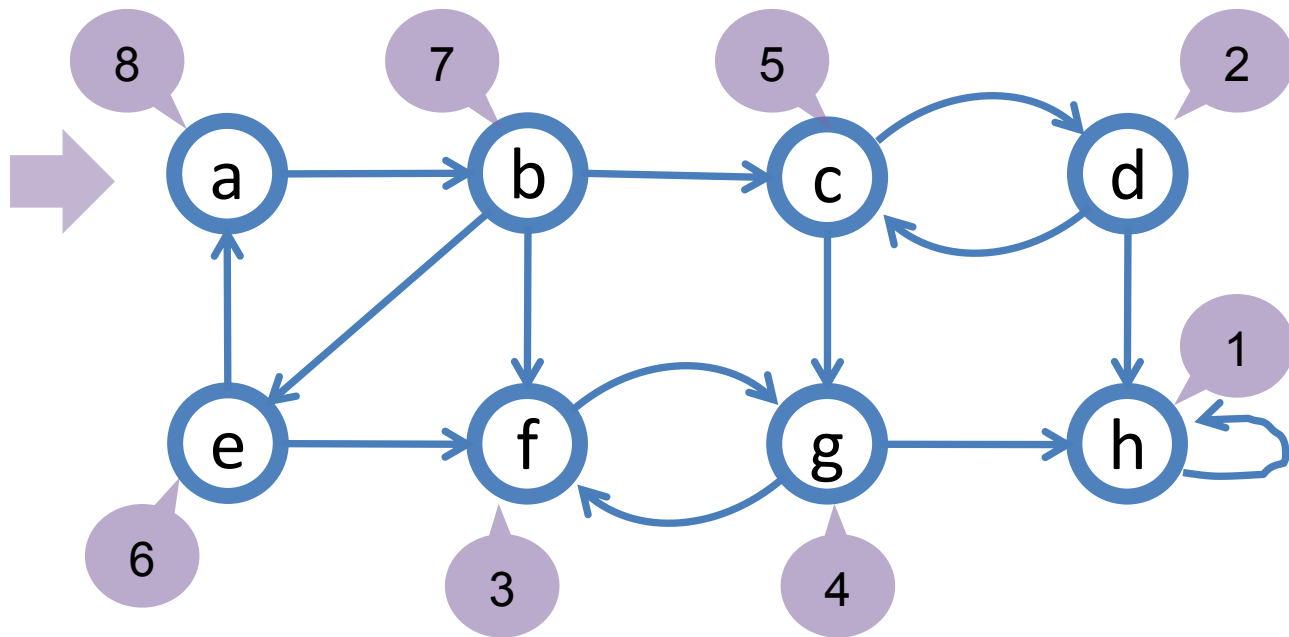
Graph transpose



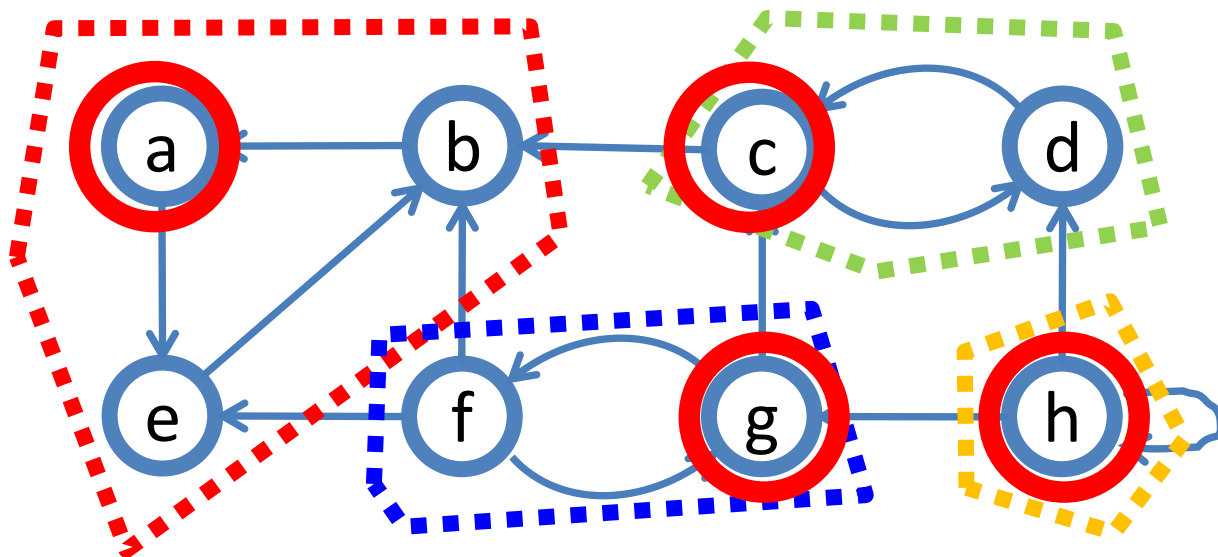
Example



做GT，拷貝一份，所有的邊做反向。
從結束時間最大開始



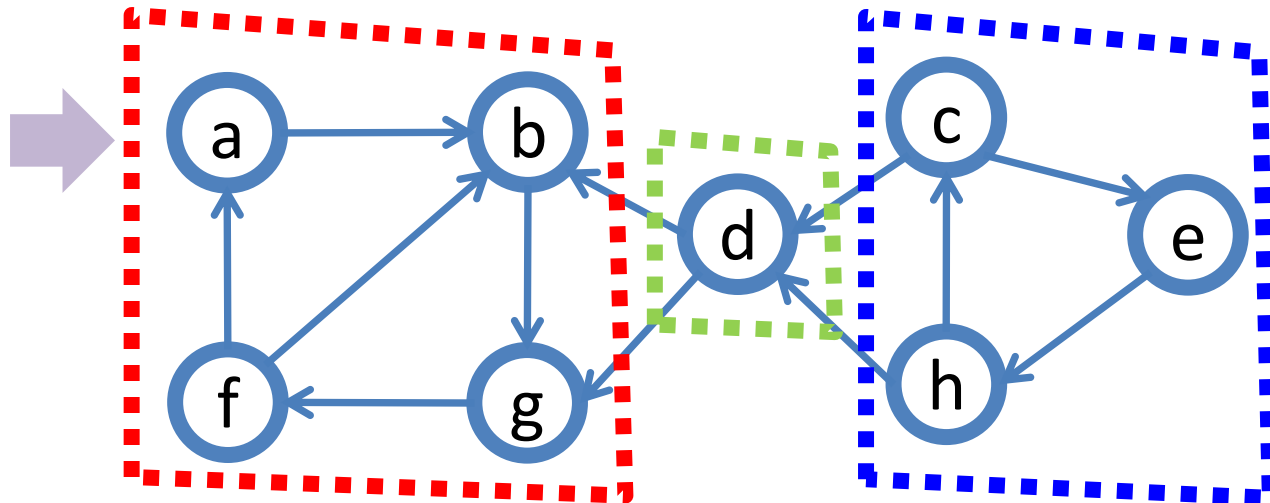
從結束時間最大的節點開始做DFS，發現跑不出去，找到strongly connected component



可以找到 4 組

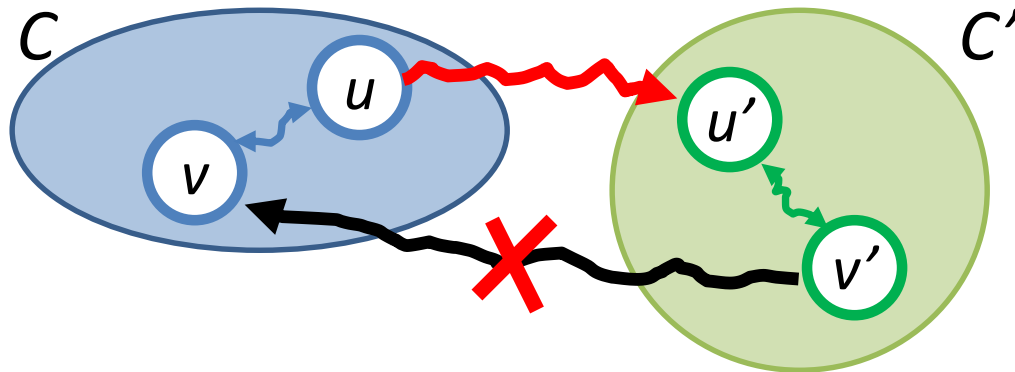
Exercise

- Apply DFS to find its strongly connected components.



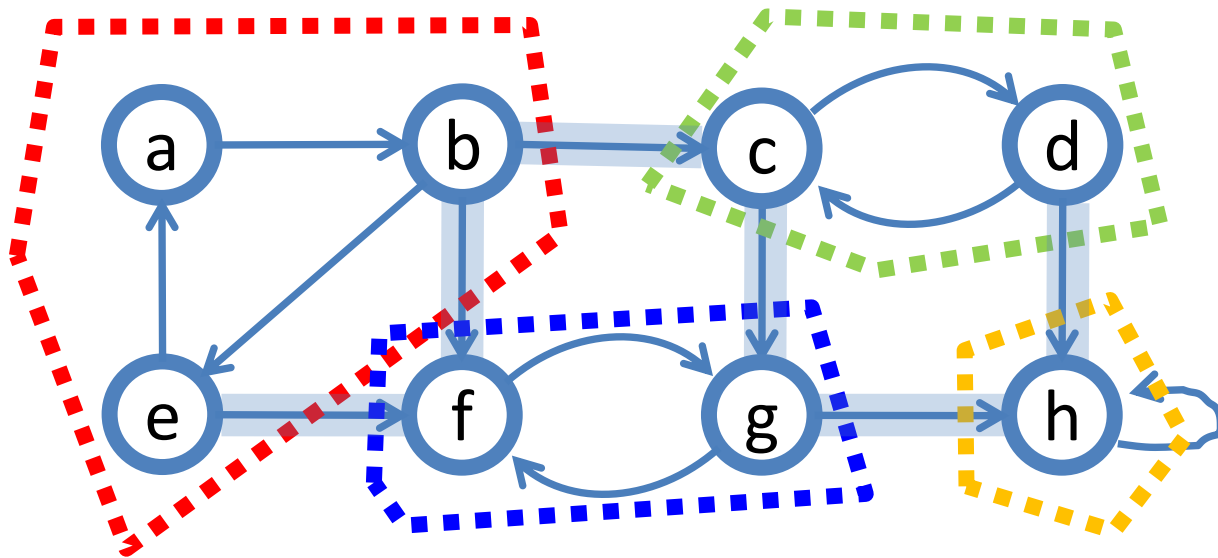
Correctness

- Observation 1



If G contains a path $v' \rightarrow v$, then it contains paths $u \rightarrow u' \rightarrow v'$ and $v' \rightarrow v \rightarrow u$. Thus u and v' are reachable from each other! That contradicts the assumption that C and C' are distinct strongly connected component.

Example

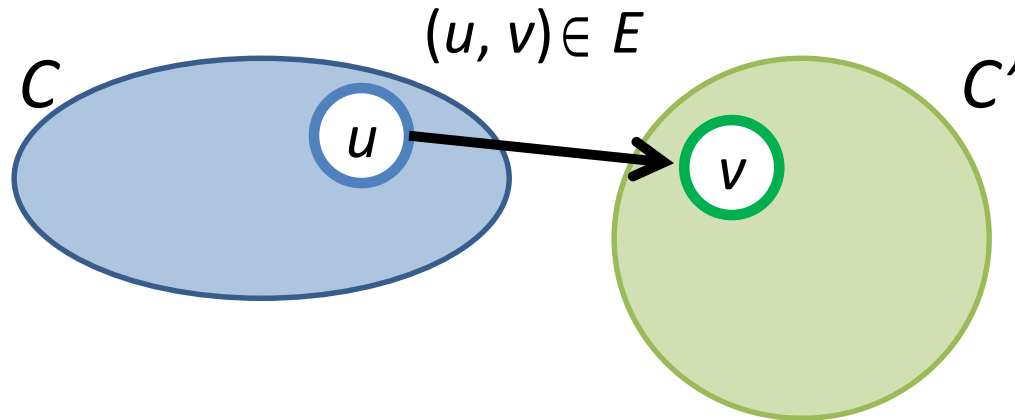


Correctness

$f(C) = \max \{u.f\}$
最後結束的時間

$d(C) = \min \{u.d\}$
最早開始的時間

- Observation 2



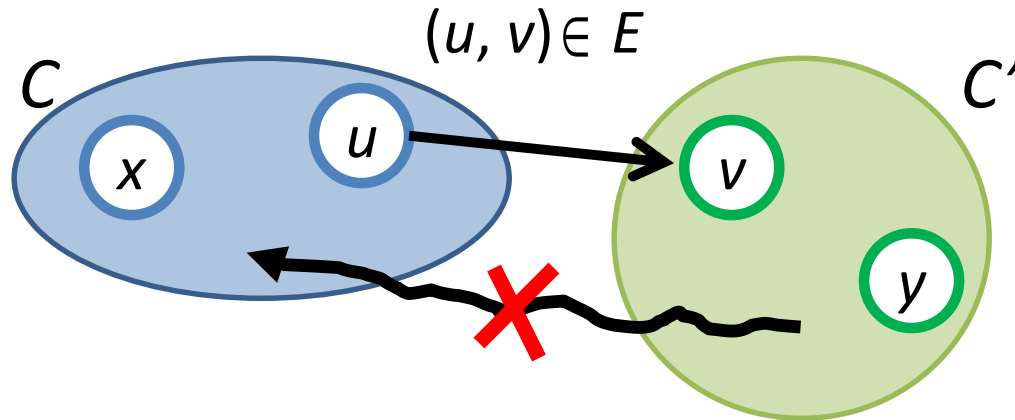
$f(C) > f(C')$ (why?)

Correctness

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最後結束的時間

$d(C) = \min \{u.d\}$
最早開始的時間

- Observation 2



$$f(C) > f(C') \quad (\text{why?})$$

2 cases:

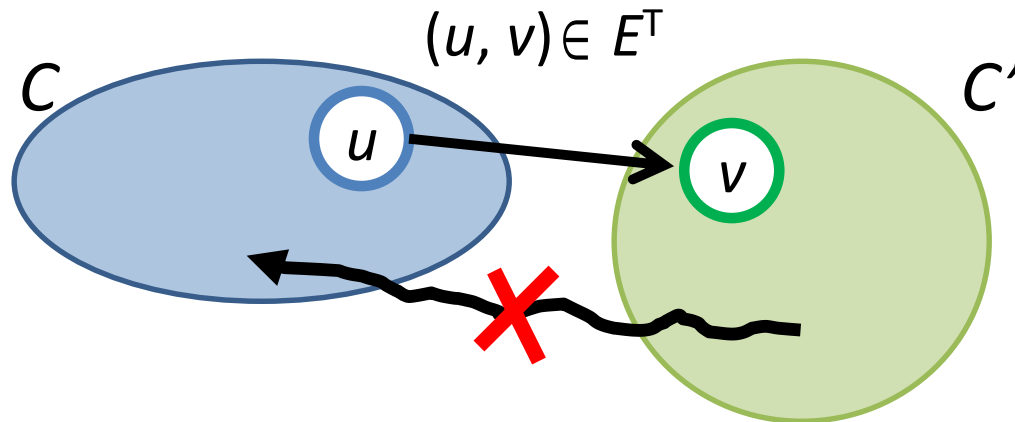
- if $d(C) < d(C')$
- if $d(C) > d(C')$

Correctness

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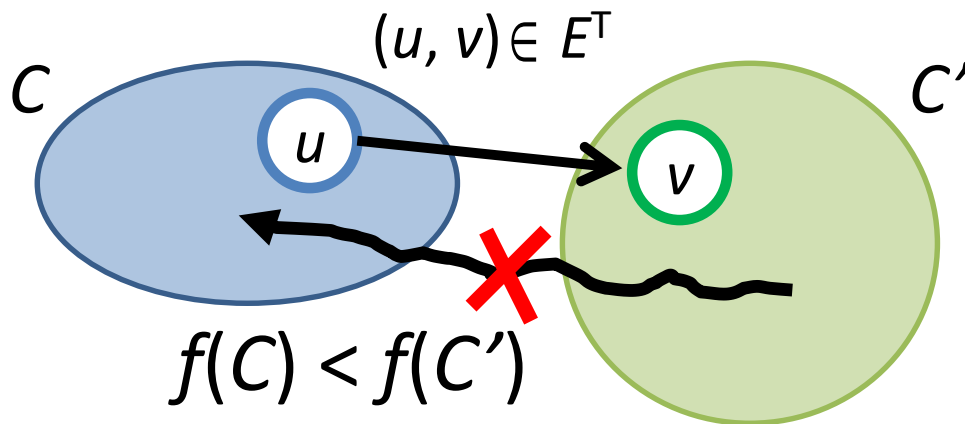
- Observation 3



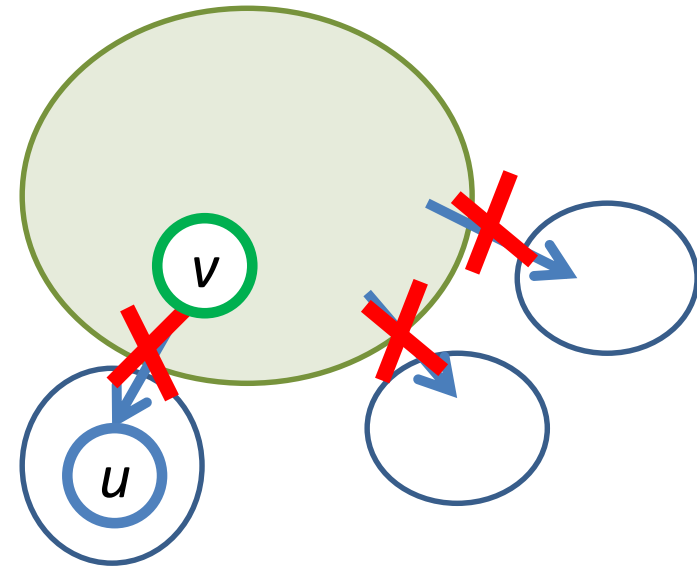
$$f(C) < f(C')$$

Correctness

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3. call $\text{DFS}(G^T)$ with considering the vertices in the order of **decreasing** $u.f$
4. output the components found in step 3

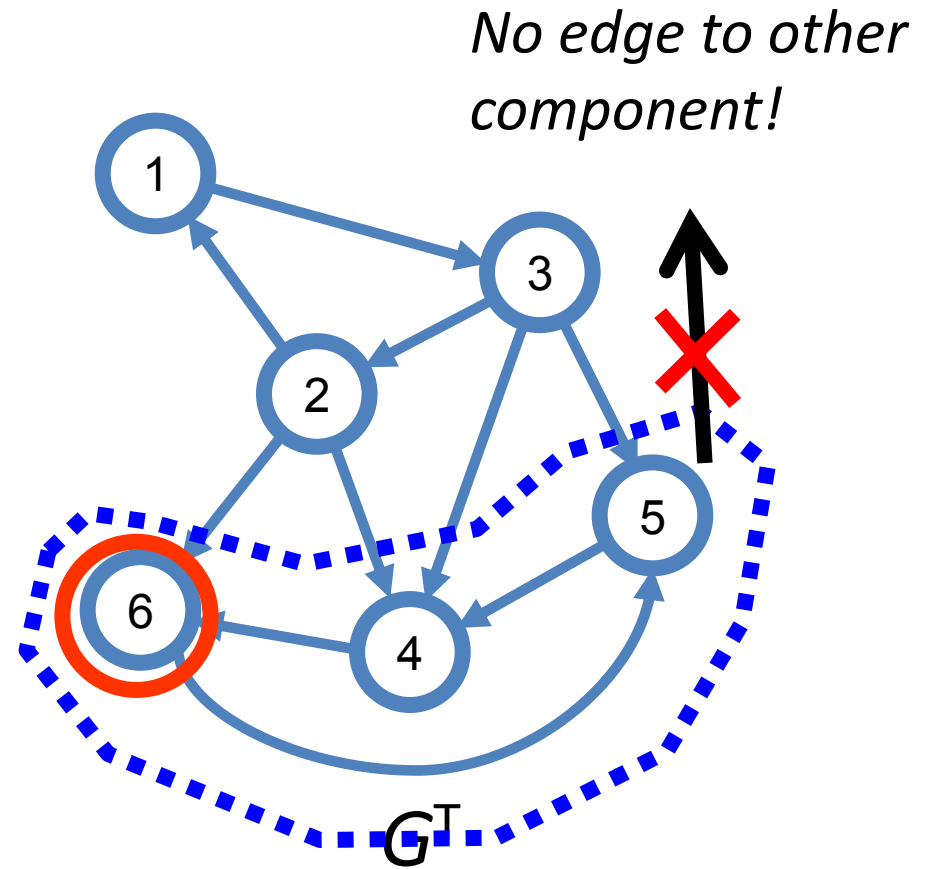
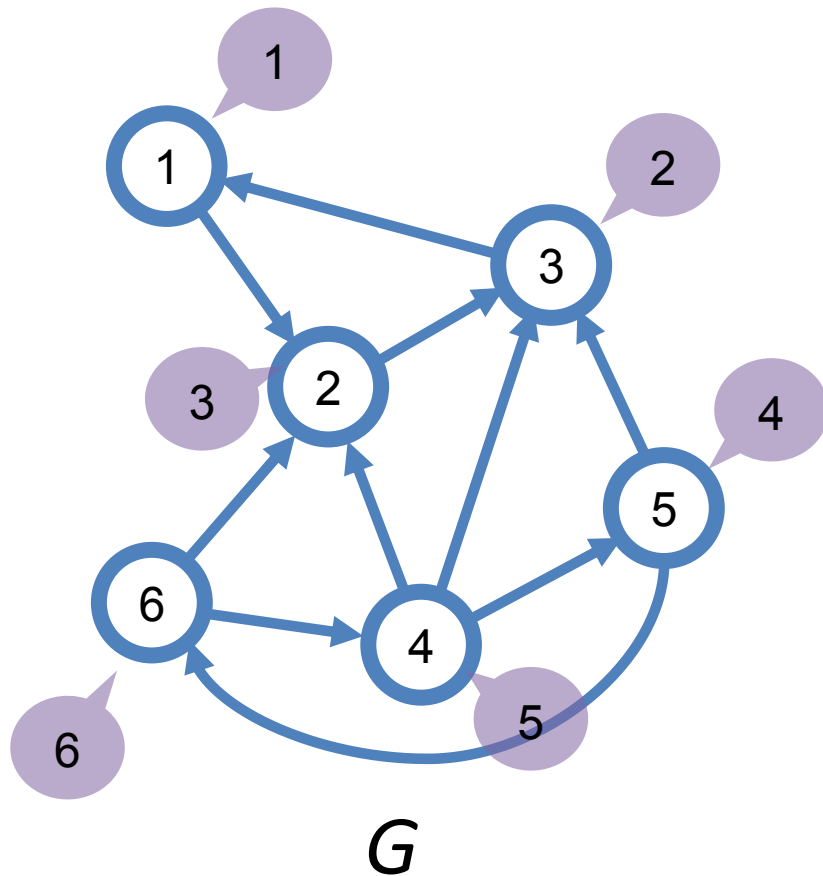


C' : has the **max** $f(C)$



E^T contains **no edges** from C' to any other strongly connected component!

Example



Summary



- Breadth-first search (BFS)
 - shortest path between two vertices
- Depth-first search (DFS)
 - topological sort
 - strongly connected components