

GRAPH-SEARCH algorithms

function GRAPH-SEARCH(problem) **returns** a solution, or failure

 initialize the frontier using the initial state of problem

initialize the explored set to be empty

loop do

if the frontier is empty **then return** failure

 choose a leaf node and remove it from the frontier

if the node contains a goal state **then return** the corresponding solution

add the node to the explored set

 expand the chosen node, adding the resulting nodes to the frontier

only if not in the frontier or explored set

- The **explored set** remembers every expanded node.
- Generated nodes that match previously generated nodes, i.e., those in the explored set or the frontier — can be discarded