

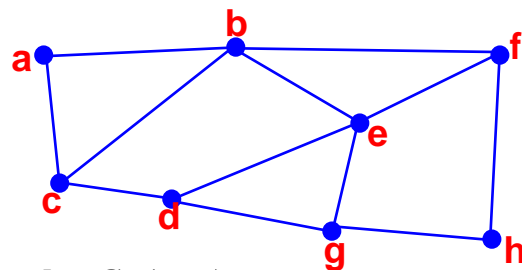
Unit 7

Elementary Graph Algorithms

T.H. Cormen et al., “**Introduction to Algorithms**”,
3rd ed., Chapter 22 & Appendix B4, B5

無向圖

☛ What is a (undirected) graph?



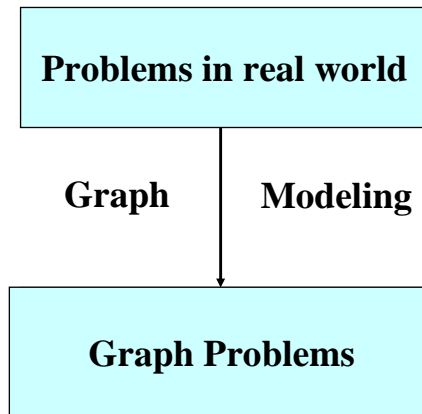
☛ A graph : $G=(V,E)$

vertex set : $V = \{a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h\}$

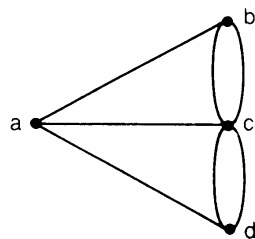
edge set : $E = \{ab, ac, bc, cd, de, be, bf, \dots\}$

或是 $E = \{(a,b), (a,c), (b,c), \dots\}$

Problems & Modeling

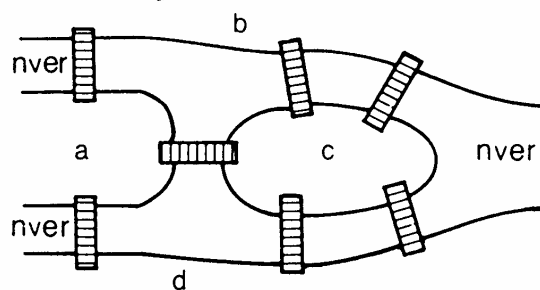


Königsberg Bridge Problem



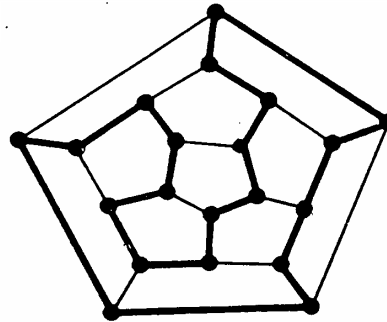
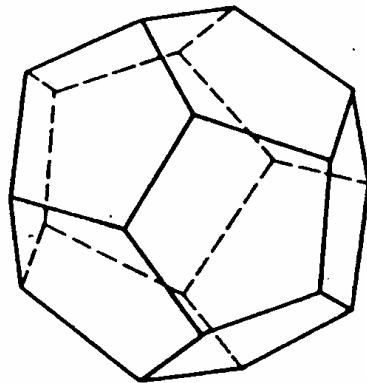
⇨ \exists Euler circuit ?
(一筆畫問題)

⇨ Euler Graph



Hamiltonian Cycle Problem

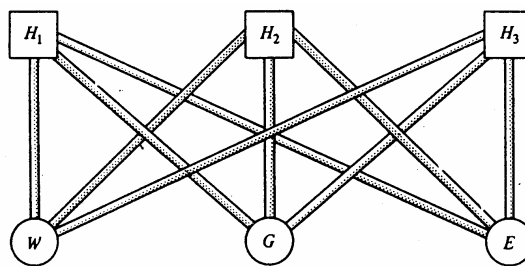
Dodecahedron



☛ \exists Hamiltonian cycle ?

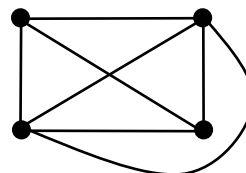
☛ Hamiltonian Graph

Utilities Problem

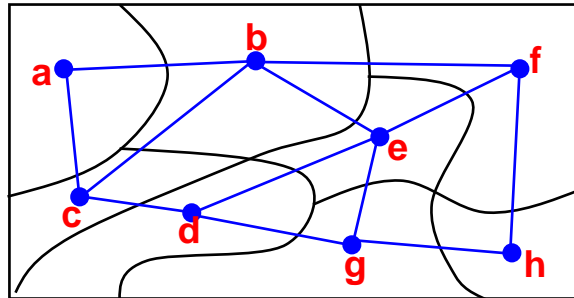


☛ \exists planar embedding ?

☛ Planar Graph



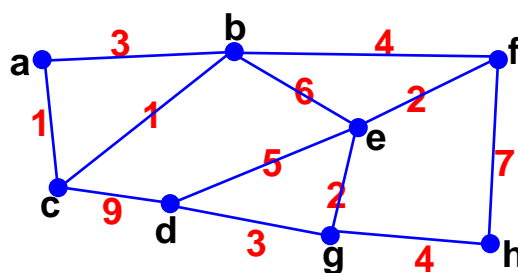
四色問題



➡ Are all maps 4-colorable?

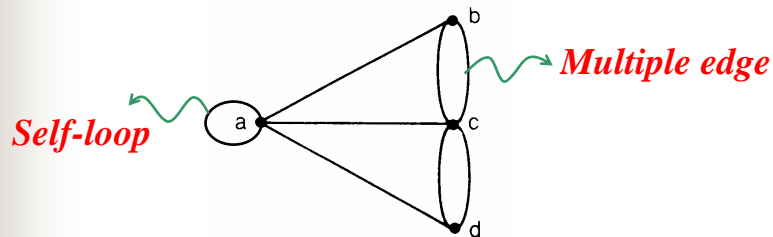
≅ Are all planar graphs 4-colorable?

Weighted Graphs



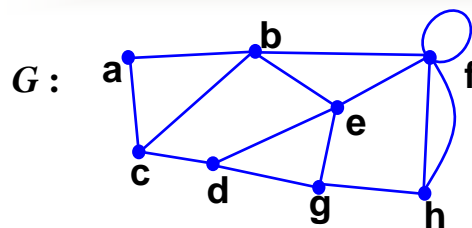
➡ Shortest path, minimum spanning tree,
maximum flow, ...

Multiple Edges, Self-loops & Simple Graphs



➤ **Simple graph** : a graph without self-loops and multiple edges.

Neighbors & Degrees



➤ **Neighbors**: $N(v) = \{u \in V : uv \in E\}$ Or $Adj[v]$

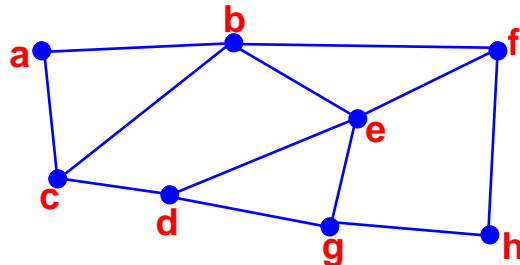
e.g. $N(f) = \{b, e, h, f\}$, $N(a) = \{b, c\}$

➤ **Degrees**: $\deg(v) = \# \text{ edges incident to } v$

($= |N(v)|$ if G is a simple graph)

e.g. $\deg(f) = 6$ A property : $\sum_{v \in V} \deg(v) = 2|E|$.

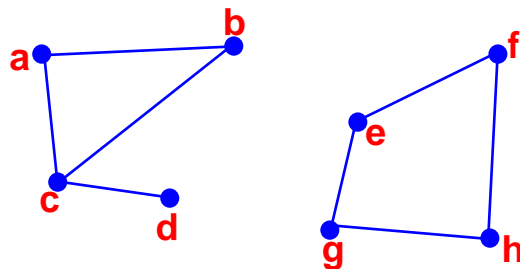
Paths, Trails, & Walks



- An a-f **path** : a c d e f
- An a-f **trail** : a b e g d e f
- An a-f **walk** : a b e g e b f
- 若頭尾相同則分別得 : **cycle**, **circuit**, **closed walk**.

本書分別稱為 **simple path** 與 **path**

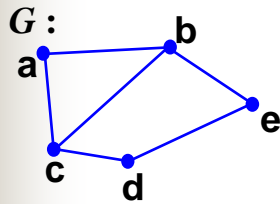
Connectedness & Connected Components



- A graph is **connected** if for any two vertices **u**, **v** in the graph there exists a **u-v** path.
- **Connected component** : a maximal connected subgraph.

Adjacency Matrix

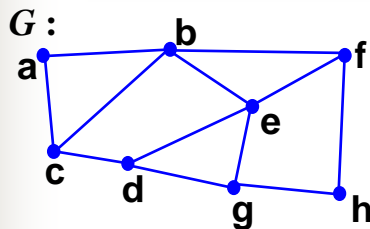
➤ A graph G can be represented by a matrix $a[]$:
 for $u, v \in V$, if $uv \in E$, then $a[u, v] = 1$
 otherwise $a[u, v] = 0$



	a	b	c	d	e
a	0	1	1	0	0
b	1	0	1	0	1
c	1	1	0	1	0
d	0	0	1	0	1
e	0	1	0	1	0

Adjacency matrix 為對稱的, 且對角線上的值均為 0 (for simple graph)

Adjacency Lists



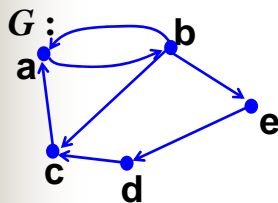
注意：每個 edge 被記錄兩次

a : b-c
 b : a-c-e-f
 c : a-b-d
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We can use **linked list** or **arrays** to implement the adjacency lists, depending on the applications.

Directed Graphs

前面所討論的圖形均為無向圖 (undirected graph)

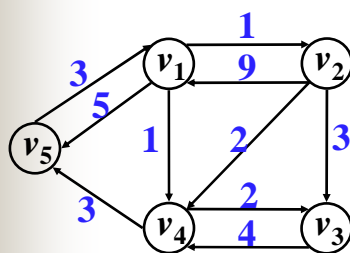


a : b
b : a-c-e
c : a
⋮

	a	b	c	d	e
a	0	1	0	0	0
b	1	0	1	0	1
c	1	0	0	0	0
d	0	0	1	0	0
e	0	0	0	1	0

在無向圖中每一個邊 uv :
1. 可將 uv, vu 視為同一個邊,
2. 或是有 uv & vu 兩個方向,
∴ 很多有向圖演算法均適用於無向圖 (反過來不一定對).

Weighted Graphs Representations



1 : $\langle 2, 1 \rangle - \langle 5, 5 \rangle - \langle 4, 1 \rangle$
2 : $\langle 4, 2 \rangle - \langle 1, 9 \rangle - \langle 3, 3 \rangle$
⋮

	1	2	3	4	5
1	x	1	∞	1	5
2	9	x	3	2	∞
3	∞	∞	x	4	∞
4	∞	∞	2	x	3
5	3	∞	∞	∞	x

Each non-edge entry stores ∞ . This is suitable for some problems such as shortest path problem. (Then each diagonal element x should store 0 or ∞ ?)

The comparison of the two structures

Let $n = |V|$, $m = |E|$

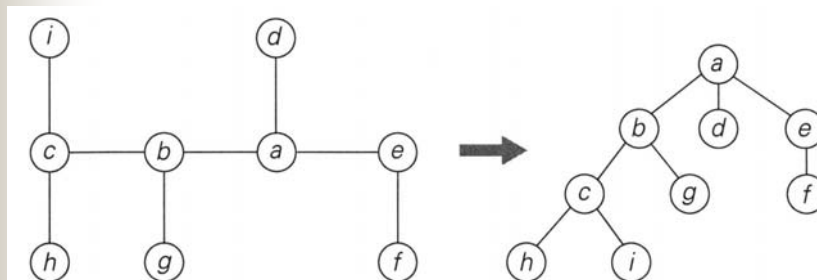
	Space	Test $uv \in E$	Find $N(v)$
Adj-Matrix	$O(n^2)$	$O(1)$	$O(n)$
Adj-List	$O(n + m)$	$O(N(u))$	$O(N(v))$

$0 \leq m \leq n(n-1)/2$, for simple graph

Adjacency matrix 適合 dense graph

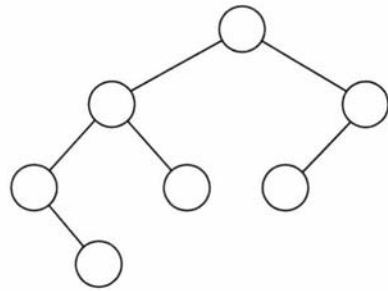
Adjacency lists 適合 sparse graph

(Free) Tree & Rooted Tree

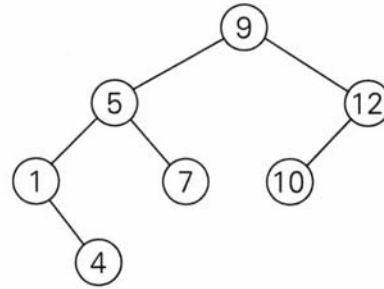


Characterizations of a tree:
 1. Minimal connected graph
 2. Connected & $|E| = |V| - 1$
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Binary Tree & Binary Search Tree

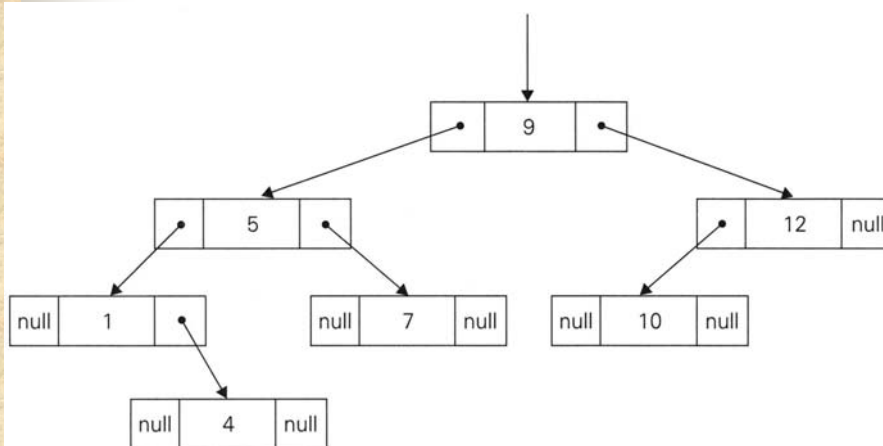


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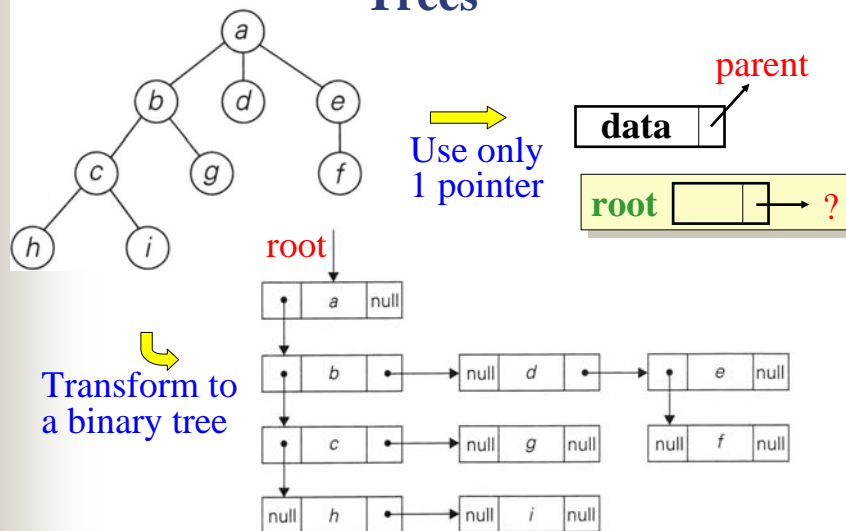


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Standard Implementation of Binary Trees



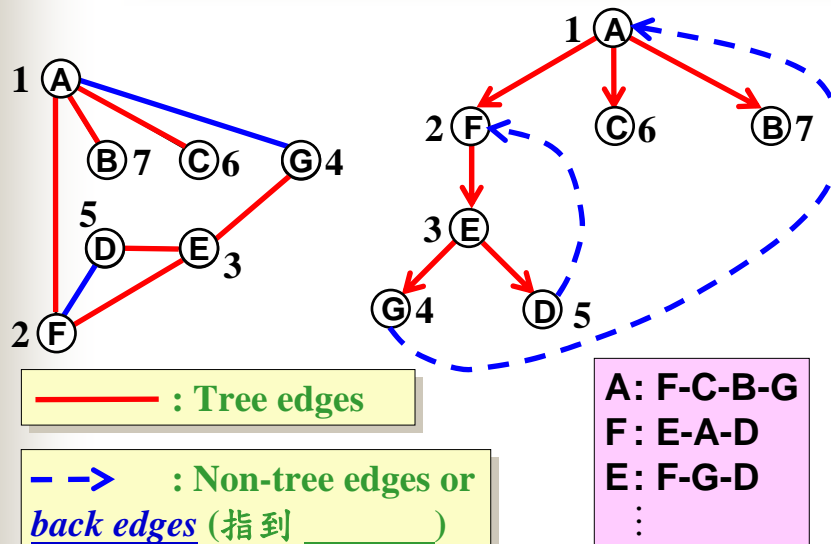
Space-Efficient Representations of Rooted Trees



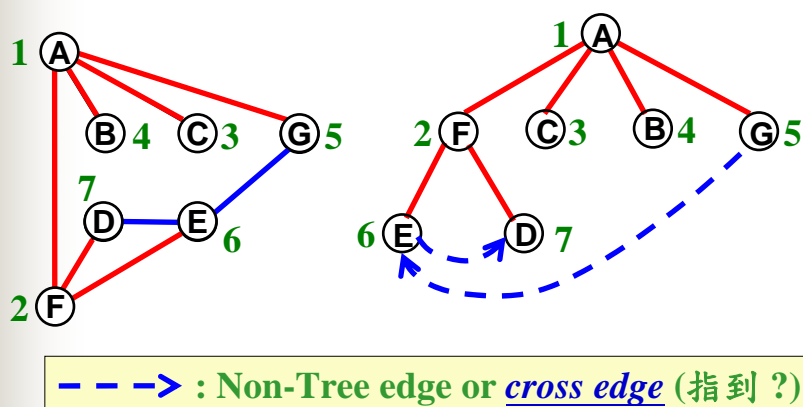
Explore a Graph

- ➡ Visit every node and edge of a graph in a systematic and efficient way.
- ➡ Two basic methods:
 - **Depth-First Search (DFS)**
 - **Breadth-First Search (BFS)**
- ➡ Can be used to solve some basic problems : **reachability**, **finding c.c.** , **cycle detecting**, **traversing mazes**, ..., and many complex ones.

DFS Trees (Forests)



BFS Trees (Forests)



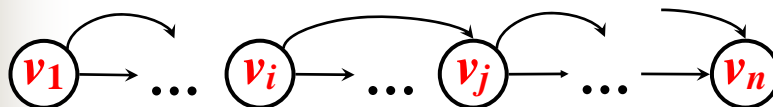
注意 BFS Tree 的 levels

Analysis of DFS & BFS

- ☛ For undirected graphs: # search trees = # c.c.'s
- ☛ Other applications:
 - BFS: **single-source-shortest-path** (unweighted case)
 - DFS: **biconnected components**, **strongly connected components**, **planarity testing**,
- ☛ Execution time : $(n = |V|, m = |E|)$
 $O(n^2)$ (Adj-Matrix) or $O(n + m)$ (Adj-List)
- ☛ Space : $O(n)$.

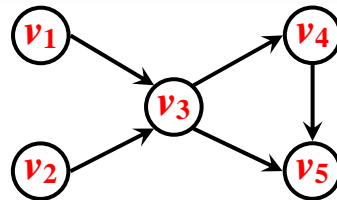
DAG & Topological Sorting (定義)

- ☛ Directed acyclic graph (dag) : A di-graph that contains no directed cycles.
- ☛ Topological sorting of a dag: list vertices of a di-graph G in such an order v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n such that for each edge $v_i v_j$ in $E(G)$, we have $i < j$.

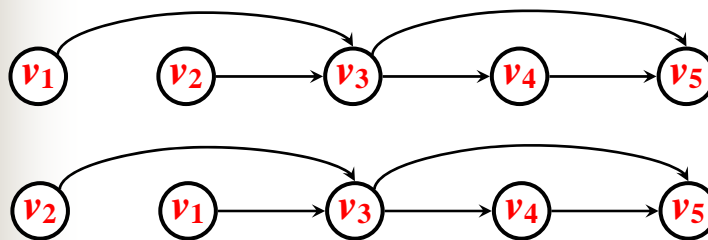


A di-graph is a dag iff. it has such an ordering.

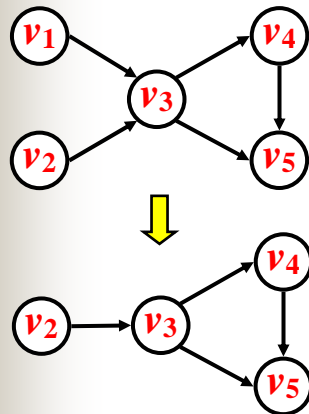
DAG & Topological Sorting (例)



Topological sorted lists:

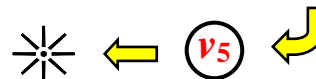


A Direct method for topological sorting



while ($V(G) \neq \emptyset$) do
 find a vertex v of in-degree 0;
 $G = G - v$;

Time: $O(|V| + |E|)$. How?



An implementation for the direct method

```
Topological_Sort(G)
// Assume that G is a dag

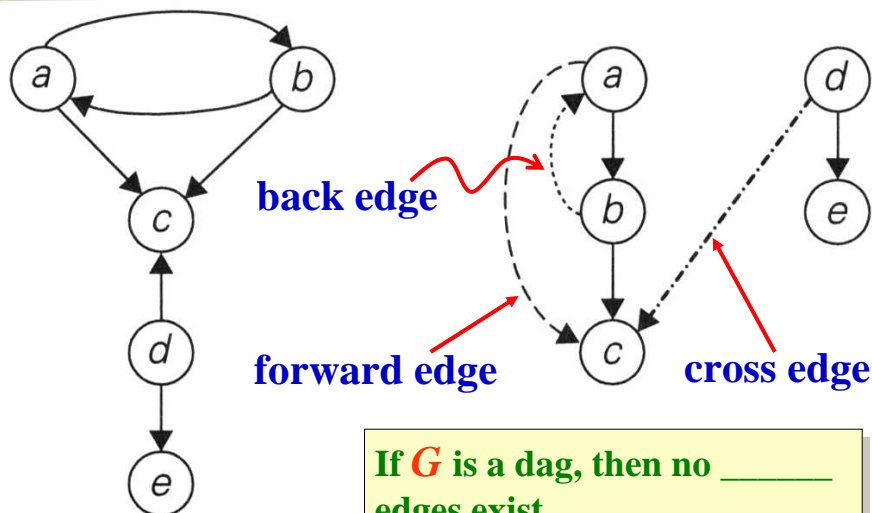
Compute id[v] for each vertex v;
for each vertex v do
    if( id[v] == 0) put v in Q;

while(Q is not empty) do
    remove a vertex v from Q;
    output v;
    for each vertex u in N(v) do
        if( --id[u] == 0) put u in Q;
```

Time: $O(|V|+|E|)$.

If G is not a dag,
then ...

DFS Forest of Di-Graph



An Implementation for DFS

DFS(G)

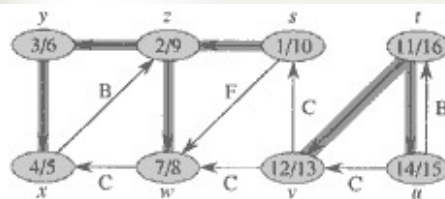
- 1 Initially set $c[u] \leftarrow \text{White}$ and $p[u] \leftarrow \text{Nil}$ for each $u \in V$
- 2 $\text{time} \leftarrow 0$
- 3 for each $u \in V$ do if $c[u] = \text{White}$ then Visit(u)

Visit(u)

- 1 $c[u] \leftarrow \text{Gray}$
- 2 $d[u] \leftarrow ++\text{time}$
- 3 for each $v \in \text{Adj}[u]$ do // Explore edge uv
- 4 if $c[v] = \text{White}$
- 5 then $p[v] \leftarrow u$
- 6 Visit(v)
- 7 $c[u] \leftarrow \text{Black}$
- 8 $f[u] \leftarrow ++\text{time}$ // 計算 $d[u], f[u]$ 非必要視應用而定



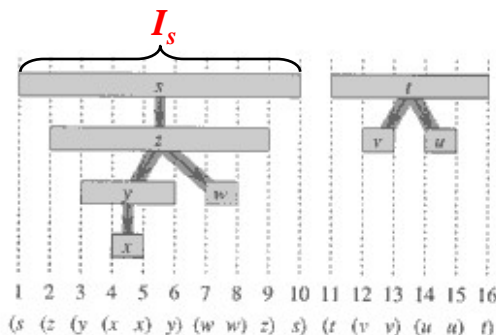
Parenthesis Theorem



$$I_v = [d[v], f[v]]$$

For any u, v either

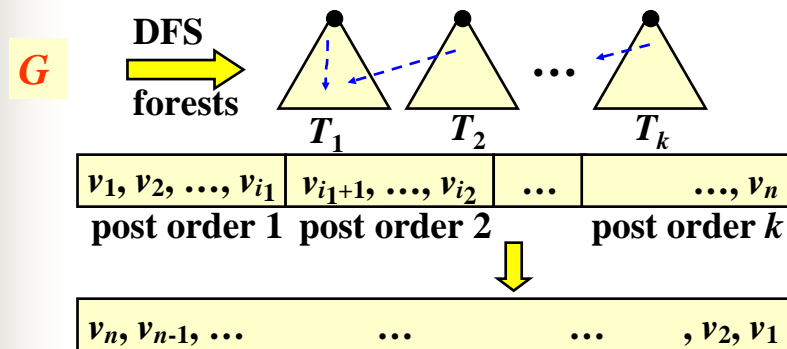
1. $I_u \cap I_v = \emptyset$ or
2. $I_u \subset I_v$, u 為 v 的子孫
3. $I_u \supset I_v$, v 為 u 的子孫



點分別依 $d[v], f[v]$ 排序可分別得 DFS For. 的 _____ & _____ orders

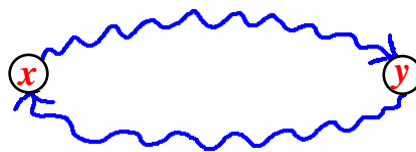
A DFS Method for Topological Sorting

1. Perform a DFS and output vertices in the order of computing $f[u]$. (see)
2. Reverse this order.



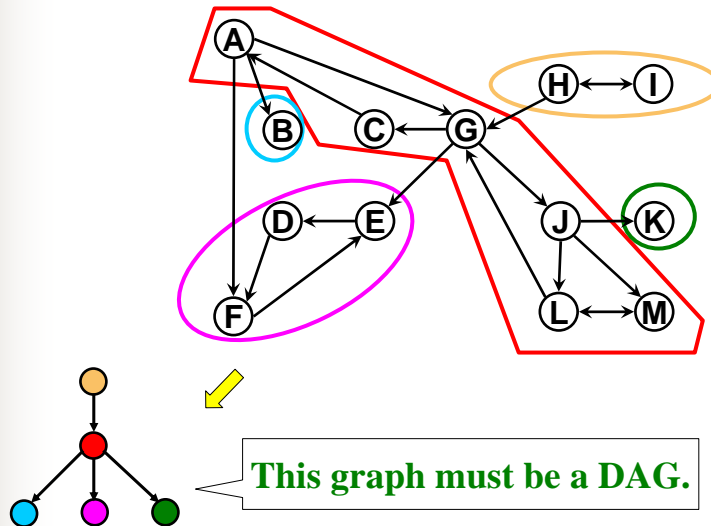
Strongly Connected Components

- Two vertices x and y are **mutually accessible** if there are paths from x to y and from y to x



- The relation of mutually accessible is an equivalence relation, i.e. the vertex set can be partitioned into several sets called **strongly connected components** (SCC) s.t. vertices in the same SCC are mutually accessible.

Strongly Connected Components (例)



Observation 1

- An SCC with only outgoing (resp. incoming) edges is called a **source** (resp. **sink**) component.
- If we start a DFS from vertex v in a sink component C , then the set of vertices of the DFS tree rooted at v is exactly C .
- If v is the last vertex in the post order of a DFS forest, then v must be in a _____ component.

Observation 2

- ✎ If we transpose the direction of each edge of a directed graph G , then we obtain the *transpose* of G denoted as G^T .
- ✎ G^T has the same decomposition structure as that of G . Moreover, each source (resp. sink) component of G becomes a sink (resp. source) component of G^T and vice versa.

An Algorithm for finding SCC's

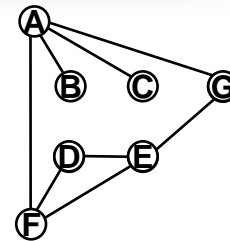
- ✎ Combining the 2 observations, we have:

Strongly-Connected-Components(G)

- 1 Call DFS(G) to computing $f[u]$ for each $u \in V$.
- 2 Compute G^T .
- 3 Call DFS(G^T) but consider the vertices in order of decreasing $f[u]$ computed in line 1.
- 4 Output the vertices of each tree in the DFS forest formed in line 3 as a separate SCC.

Another Implementation for DFS

```
public Vertex next( )
{
    u = stack.pop( );
    for each v ∈ Adj[u] :
        if v has not yet been reached {
            mark v as reached;
            push v onto stack;
        } // if
    return u;
} // algorithm for method next
```



A: F-C-B-G
F: E-A-D
E: F-G-D
⋮

Vertices returned by next(): **A G E D B C F**

Discussions of the two implementations

- The second implementation (called *depth-first iterator*) can be found in page 660 of the book: "DS and the Java Collections Framework" W.J. Collins, p.660, 2nd. ed. McGraw Hill, 2005.
- Both implementations use stacks and take $O(n + m)$ execution time.
- Most SE guys favor the second implementation.
- Is the second implementation still useful for solving those problems that can be solved by applying the first implementation?