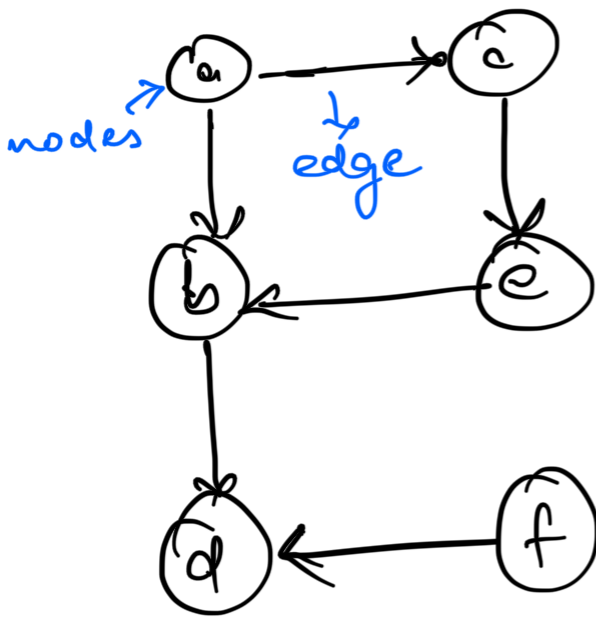


* Graphs: nodes + edges

directed graphs

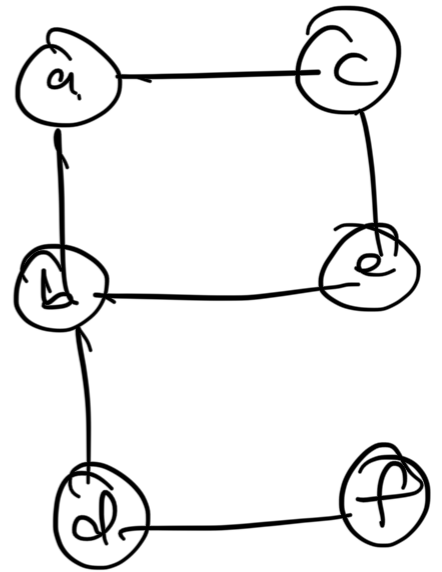


"obey the direction of arrowheads here"

"for (a) → (b) & (c) are neighbor nodes..."

In program, you write it as,

undirected graphs



"two way street"

we use some
hashmap data
structure to
represent an
adjacency list"

Suppose for above example, we'll
write it as:

adjacency list
{
 a: [b, c],
 b: [d],
 c: [e],
 d: [],
 e: [b],
 f: [d]
}

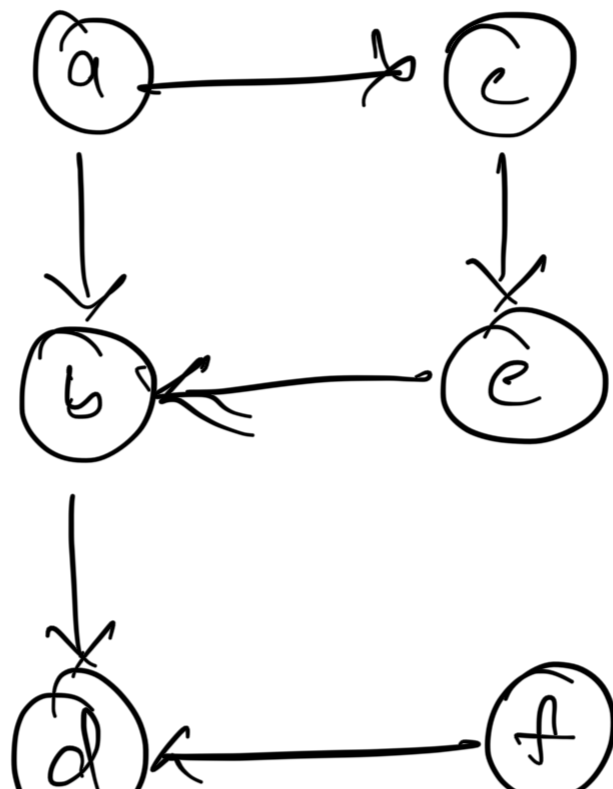
→ Algorithm:

Depth first traversal: It travels in a way to explore all possible nodes in one direction first and then move to next direction.

Breadth first traversal:

It travels in every direction possible together.

Ex:-



In depth first, the traversal would be:

- a, b, d

- a, c, e, b, d

In breadth first,

a, b, c . . .

→ Depth first: uses stack

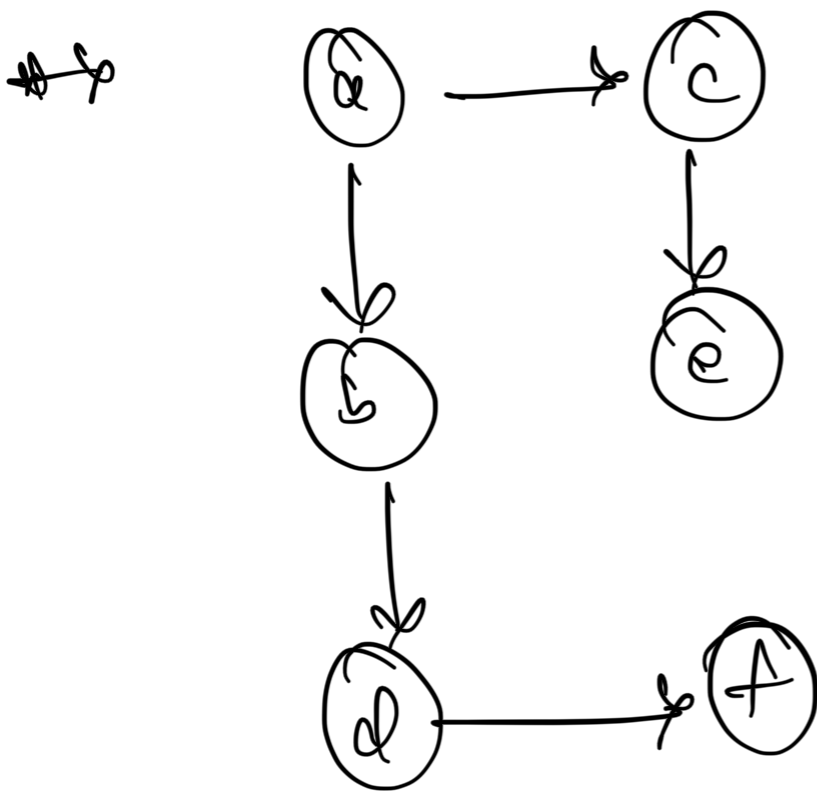
Breadth first: uses queue

@ Stack is something where you add to the top and remove from the top.

◦ Queue is something where you

add to the back and remove from the front

These gives two different orderings and that's only difference between these two algorithms.

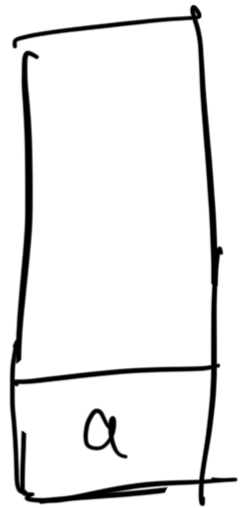


→ Depth-first search:-

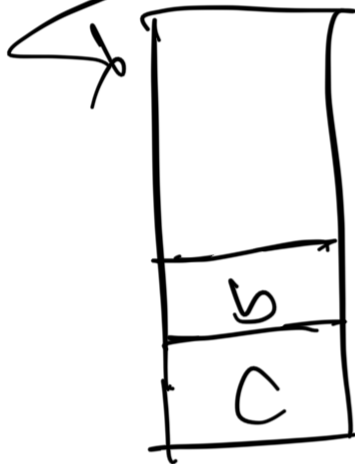
For the above graph, let's start

from choosing a^U as the starting point.

$a \rightarrow \text{current}$



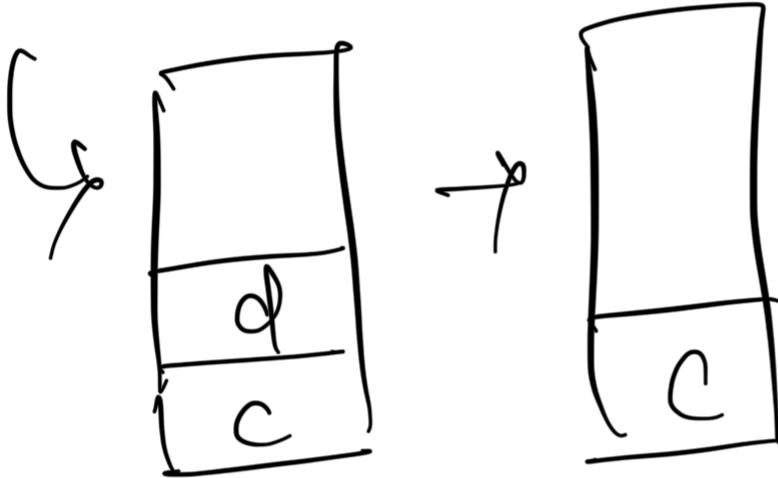
\rightarrow then pop



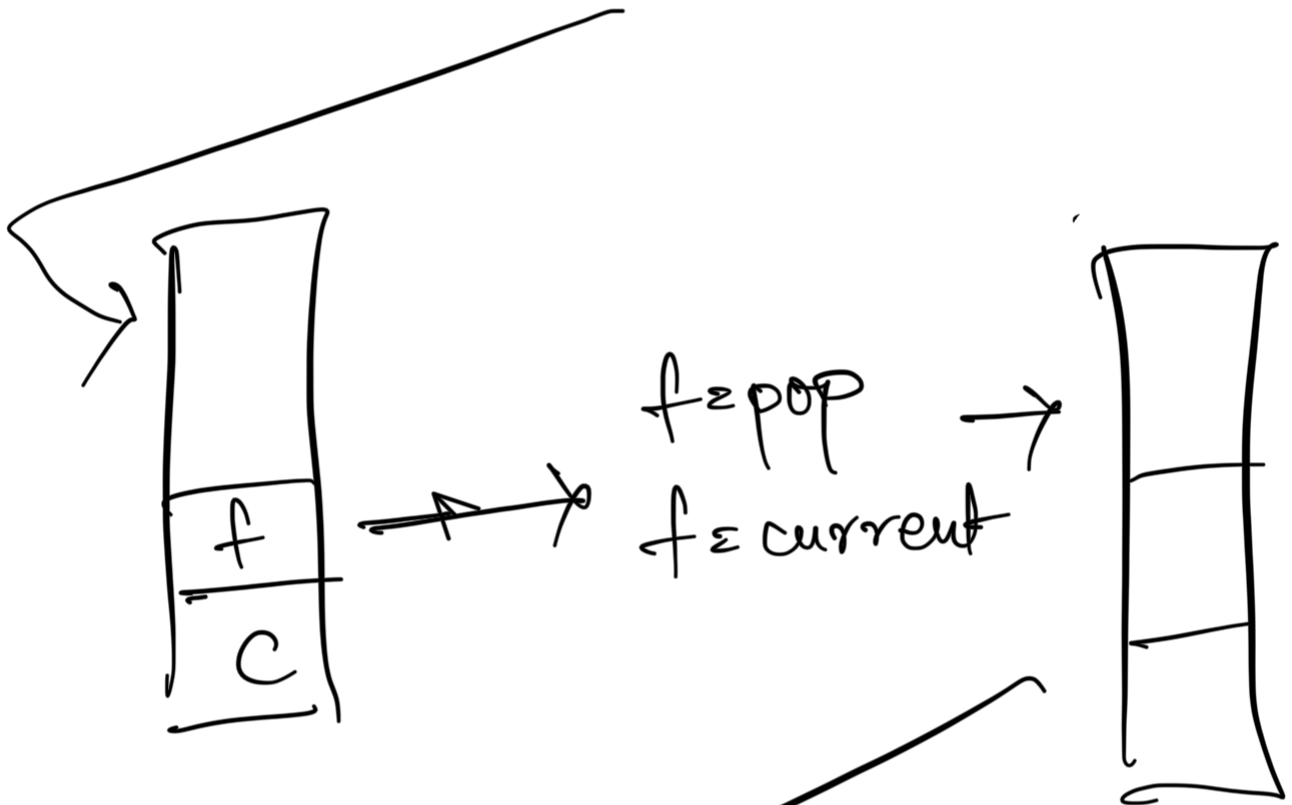
Now, pop what's on the top of the stack



$b = \text{current}$



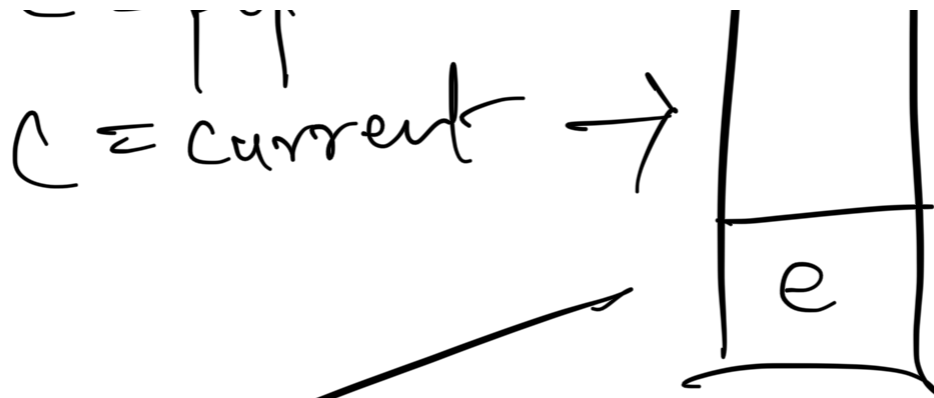
$d = \text{pop} = \text{current}$



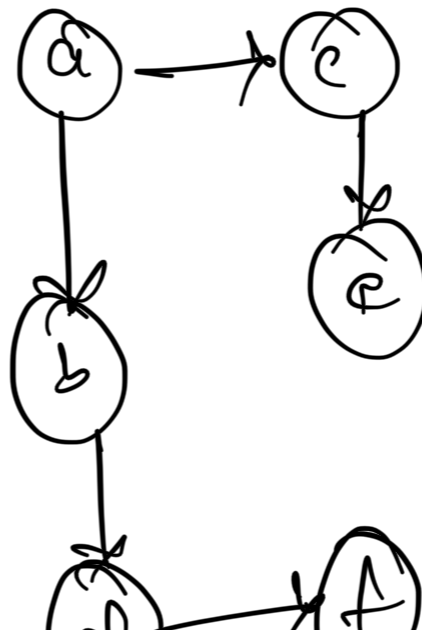
$f = \text{pop}$
 $f = \text{current}$

$c = \text{pop}$





→ Breadth First



(9) (1)

Queue: First in First Out

a → initialize with

→ a "current" → $\begin{array}{c} \text{then c} \\ \swarrow \\ \text{c} \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \text{first b} \\ \swarrow \\ \text{b} \end{array} \rightarrow a$

Now b → current

d c → b "current"

↳ e d → c → current

↳ f e → d → current

$\hookrightarrow \xrightarrow{f} \Rightarrow e = \text{current}$

$\hookrightarrow \xrightarrow{\quad} \Rightarrow f = \text{current}$

Queue empty

\Rightarrow has path problem

let's imagine
a adjacency list \Rightarrow

$f: [g, i],$
 $g: [h],$

$h: []$

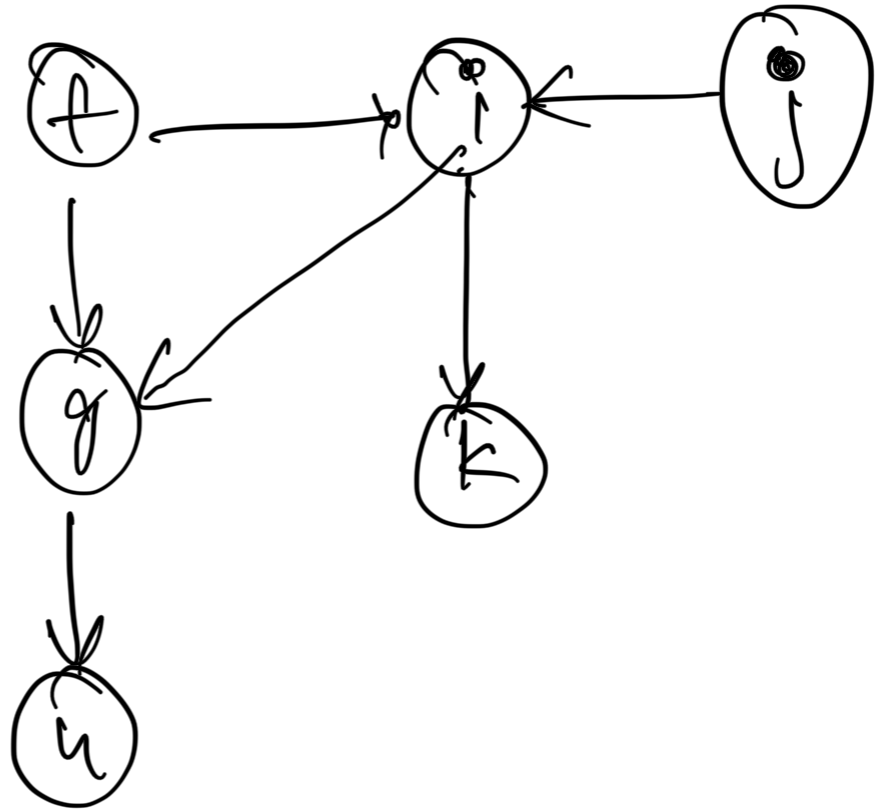
$i: [g, k],$

$j: [i],$

$k: [j]$

→ 1 2 3

Visualize the above:



This is an acyclic graph (no cycles)

→ Here, we want to take in not only the graph information but also a source and destination node.

→ 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 59 60 61 62 63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72 73 74 75 76 77 78 79 80 81 82 83 84 85 86 87 88 89 90 91 92 93 94 95 96 97 98 99 100

We want to return true or false indicating whether or not we can travel from the source node to the destination node.

for this problem:

Source: f destination: k

Here, we can use both bfs or dfs approach.

Let's go with dfs:

f \rightarrow g \rightarrow h

f \rightarrow i \rightarrow g \rightarrow h

f \rightarrow i \rightarrow (k) \rightarrow return True

Time complexity :-

let's say :- $n = \# \text{ nodes}$
 $e = \# \text{ edges}$

Time $= O(e)$, we have to travel every edge of our graph.

Here, the Space Complexity depends on the $\#$ of nodes.

* Undirected graph problem :-

let's consider:

edges : $[$
 $[i, j],$
 $[k, i],$
 $[m, k],$

$$[k, l],$$

$$[0, n]$$

$$]$$

edge_list \rightarrow

let's convert edge list to adjacency list.

edges: [

$$[i, j],$$

$$[k, i],$$

$$[m, k],$$

$$[k, l],$$

$$[0, n]$$

$$]$$
 \Rightarrow

graph: {

$$i: [j, k]$$

$$j: [i]$$

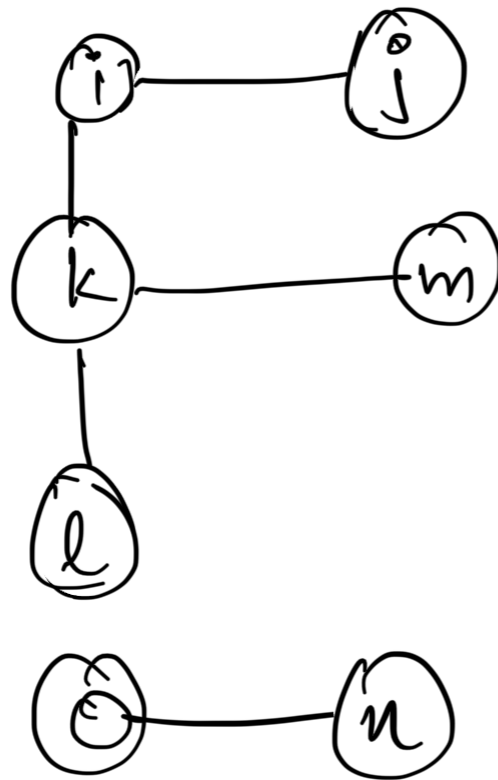
$$k: [i, m, l]$$

$$m: [k]$$

$$l: [k]$$

$$o: [n]$$

$$n: [0]$$



→ connected components count problem:

→ largest component problem:

→ Shortest path:-

→ island^{count} problem:-

→ minimum island size:-

Grid Graph Problem