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Key Points

1. Topological Sort
2. Greedy Algorithms

Topological Sort

1. An algorithm for ordering the vertices of a directed acyclic graph (DAG) in a linear ordering.

2. Time complexity: $O(V + E)$

3. Space complexity: $O(V)$

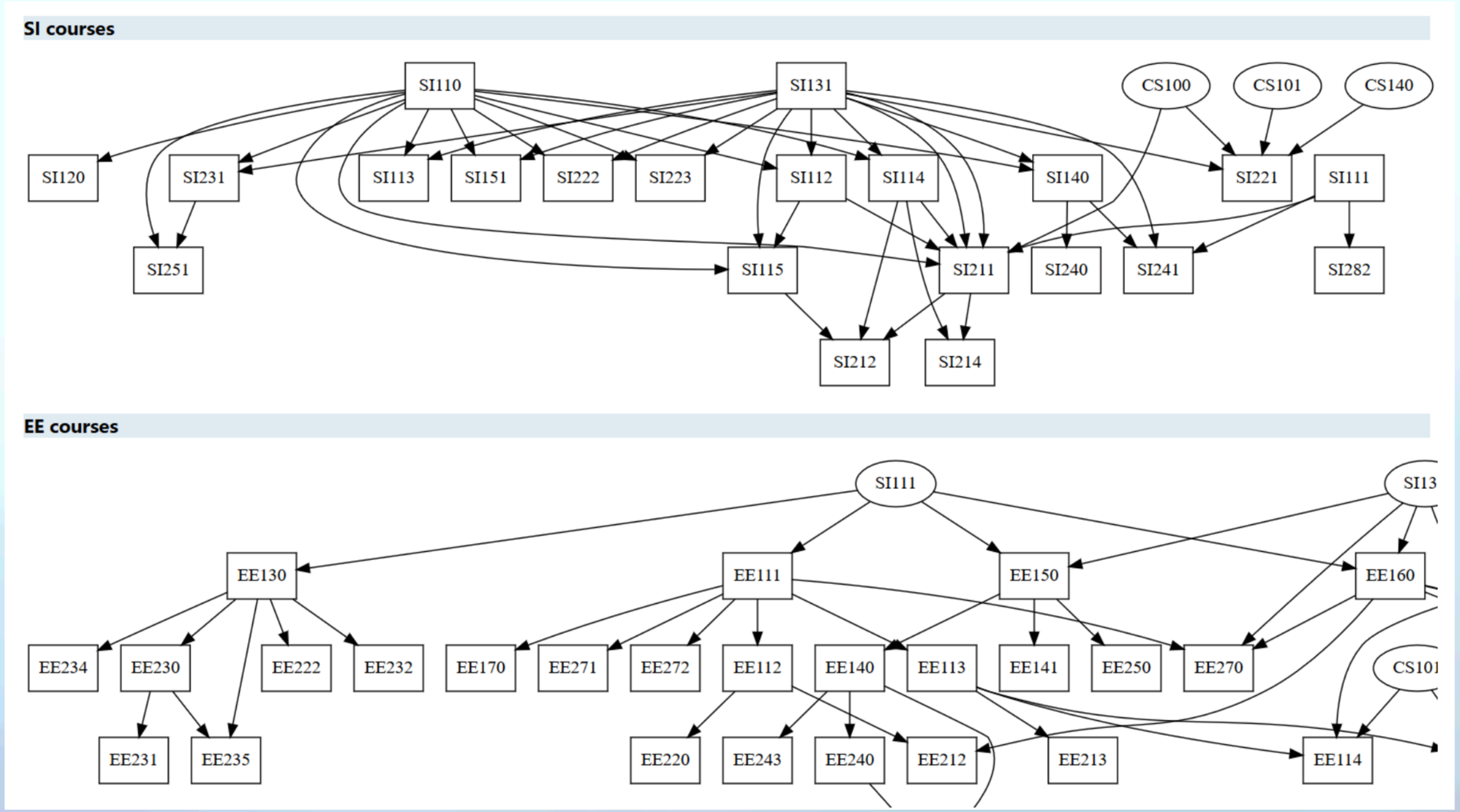
Topological Sort

Basic Theorems and Lemmas

1. A graph is a DAG if and only if it has a topological sorting
2. A DAG always has at least one vertex with in-degree zero.
3. Any sub-graph of a DAG is a DAG.

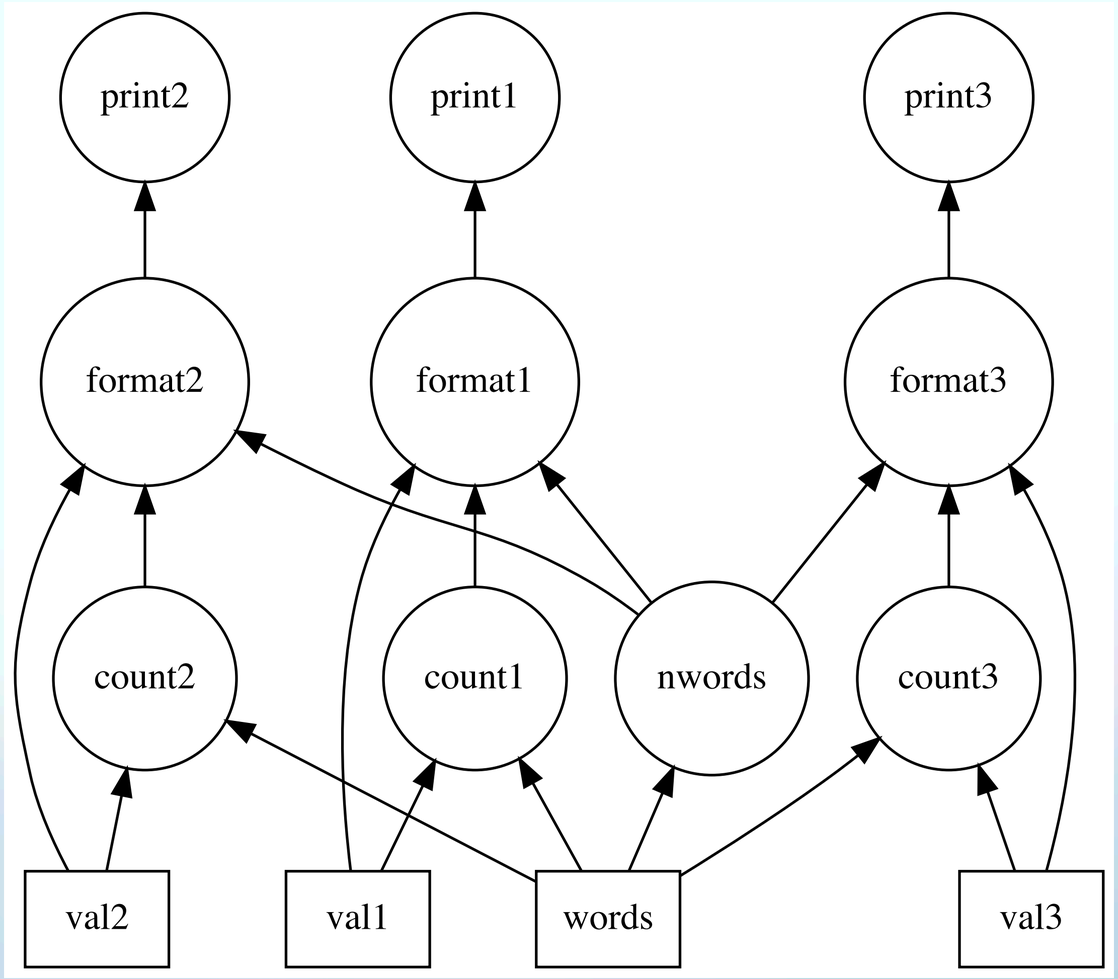
Topological Sort

Curriculum scheduling



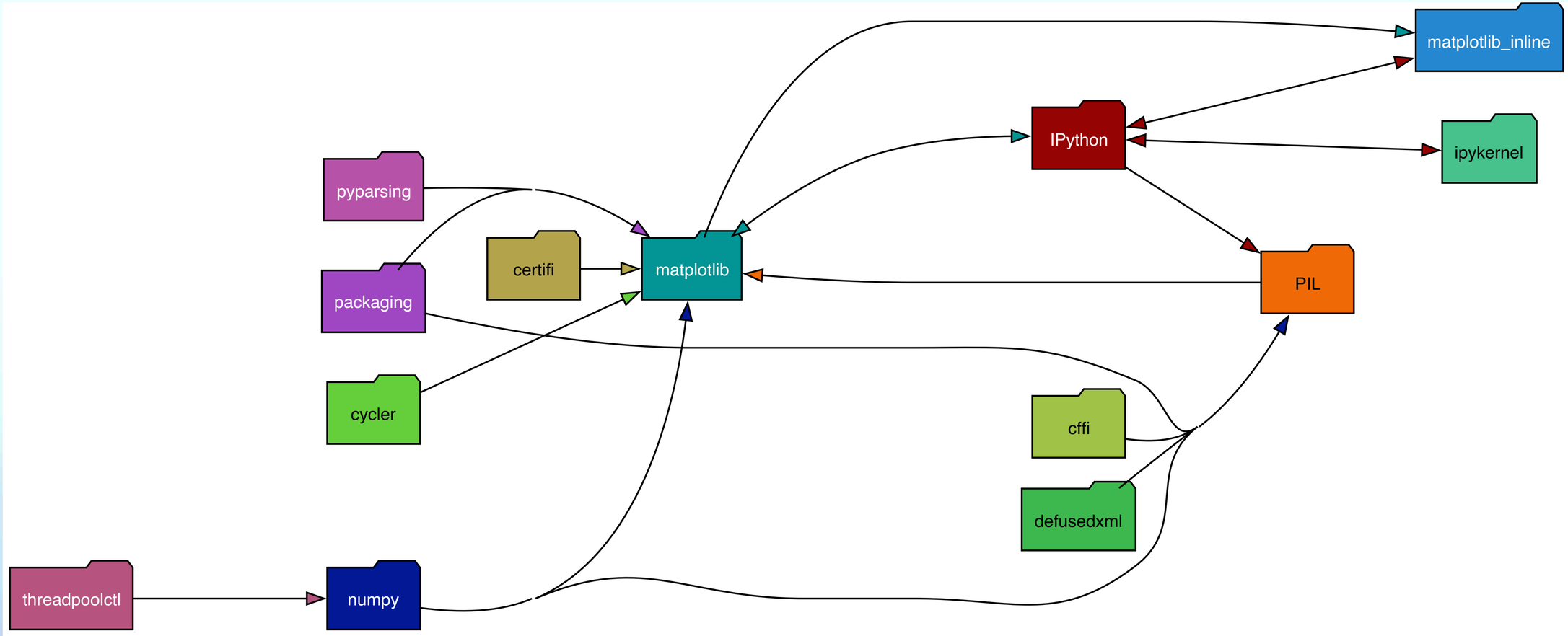
Topological Sort

Task graph — Python Dask



Topological Sort

Task graph — Dependency



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Greedy Algorithms

Array Section

```
1 def ArraySection(A):
2   s = A[1]
3   g = 1
4   for i = [2, ..., n]:
5     s = s + A[i]
6     if s > M:
7       s = A[i]
8       g = g + 1
9   return g
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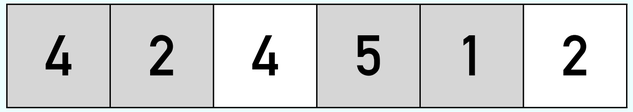

Greedy Algorithms

Array Section — exchange argument

1. When all optimal solutions have the **same size and differ only in their cost**.
2. Justify with how you will replace some parts of the optimal solution.

Greedy Algorithms

Array Section — exchange argument

1. Define subproblem and compare
2. Exchange
3. Iterate

Greedy Algorithms

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Greedy Algorithms

Array Section — exchange argument — Take-home message

1. The **exchange method** assumes that the "size" of the solution is the same for both greedy and optimal solutions.

2. Exchange is then used to show that it is optimal.

3. Mathematical induction is often used to show how this consistency holds as the problem size increases.