Chapter 10

Strongly Connected Components and Topological Sort.

Definition 10.0.1. (connectivity)

- 1. Let G=(V,E) be a non-directed graph. A **connected component** of G is a subset $U\subseteq V$ of maximal size in which there exists a path between every two vertices.
- 2. A non-directed graph G is said to be a **connected** graph if it only has one connected component.
- 3. Let G=(V,E) be a directed graph. A **strongly connected component** of G is a subset $U\subseteq V$ of maximal size in which for any pair of vertices $u,v\in U$ there exist both directed path from u to v and a directed path form v to u.