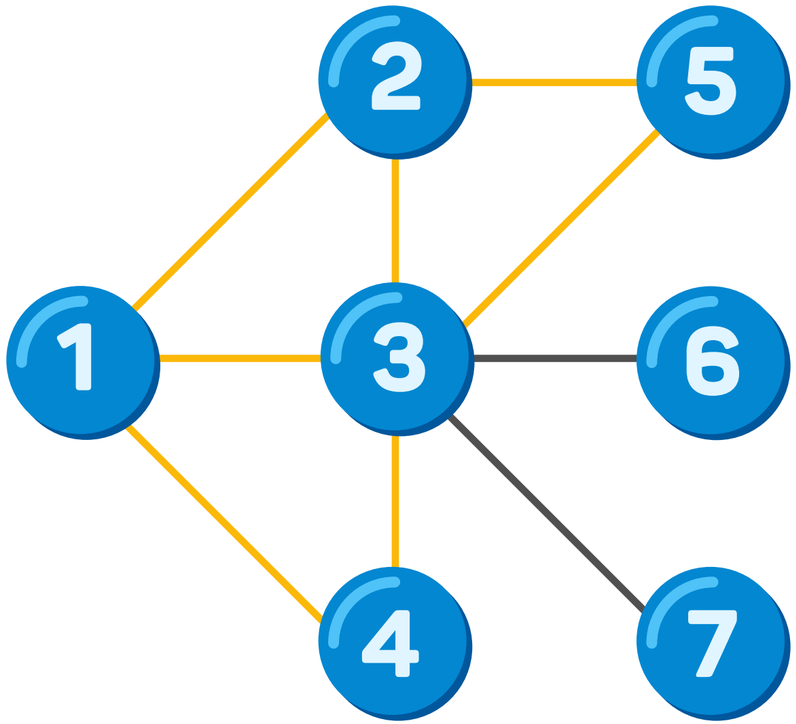
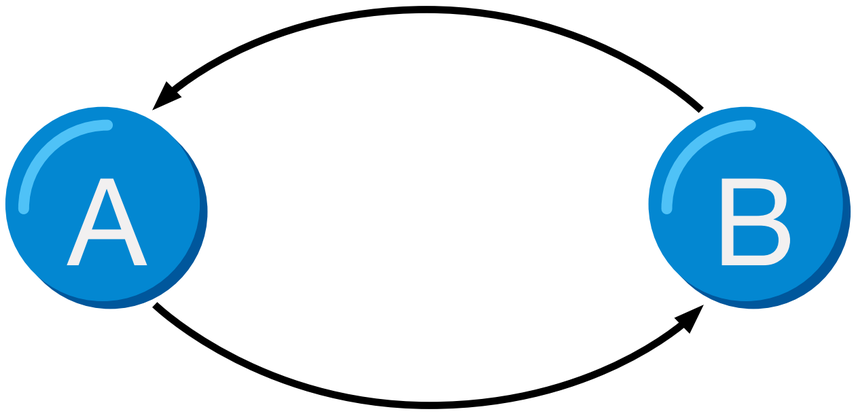
GraphFrame trianglesCount: under the hood

Mini social graph



1 - 2 triangles
2 - 2 triangles
3 - 3 triangles
4 - 1 triangle
5 - 1 triangle
6 - 0 triangles
7 - 0 triangles


A
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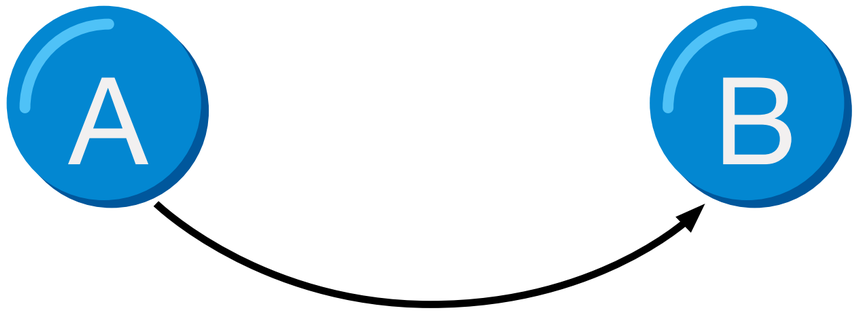
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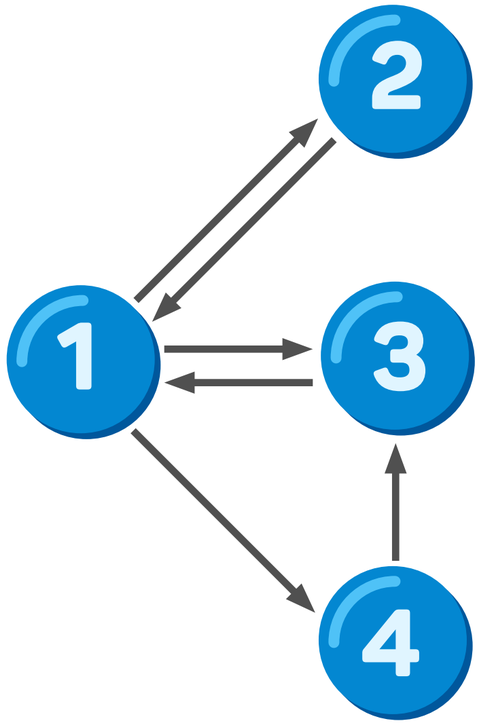

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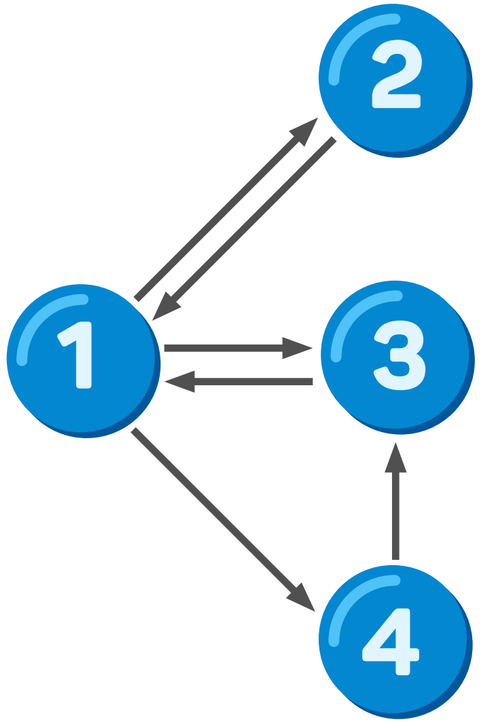

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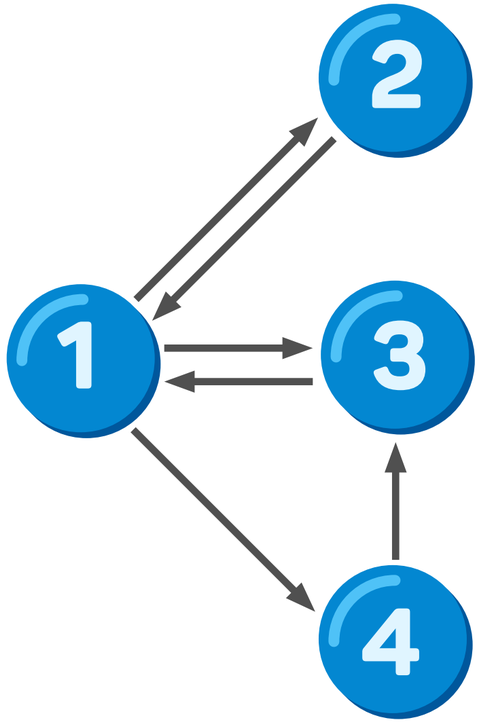

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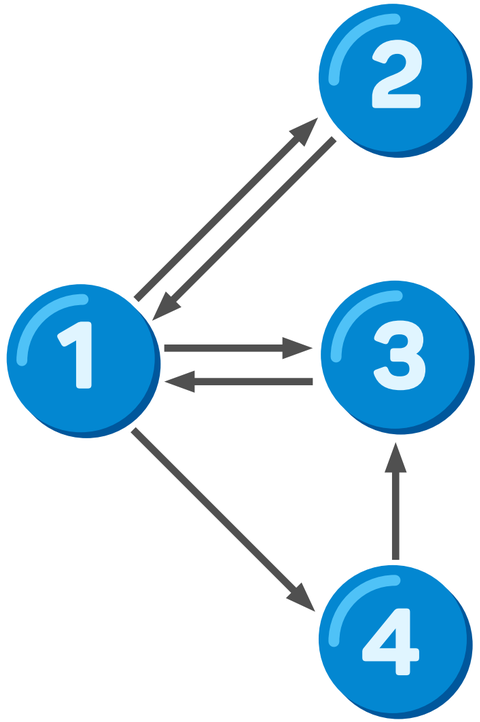

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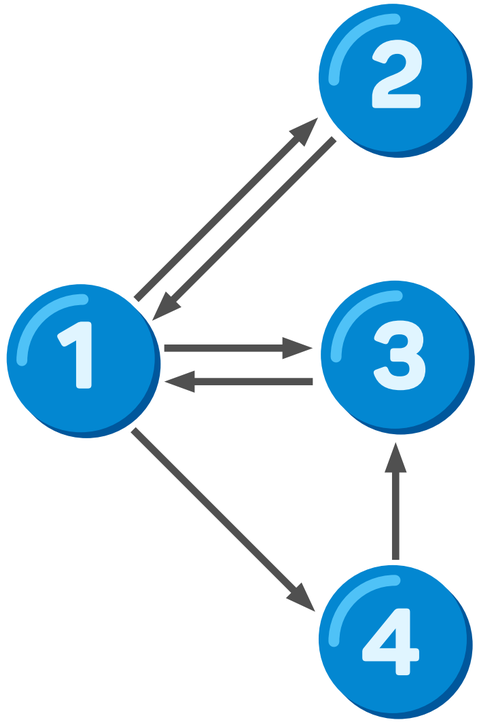

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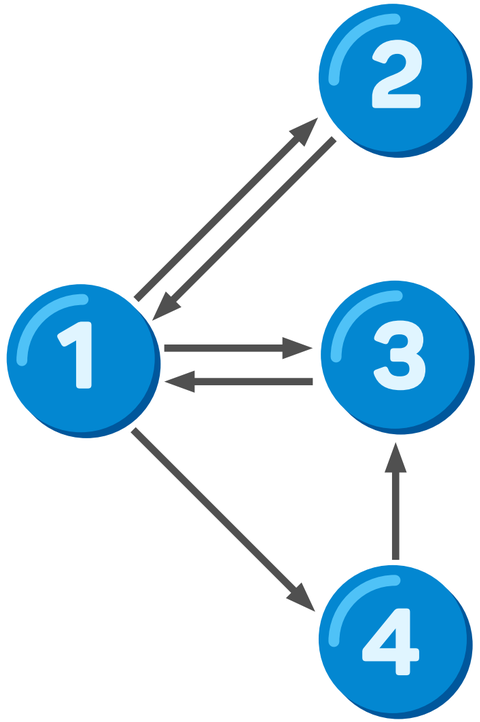

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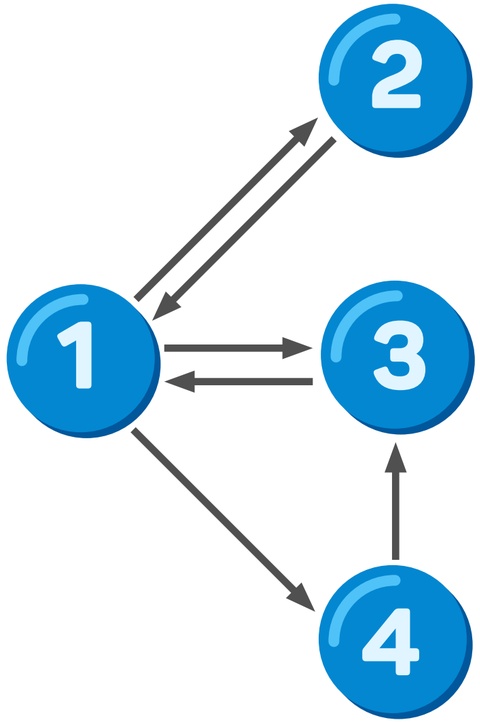

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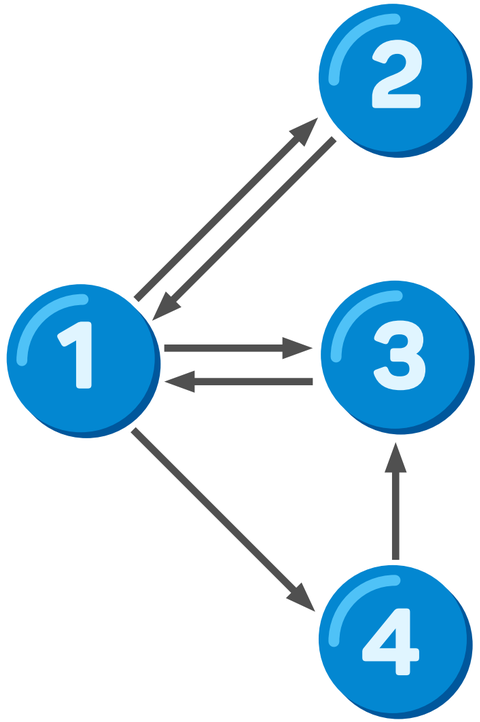

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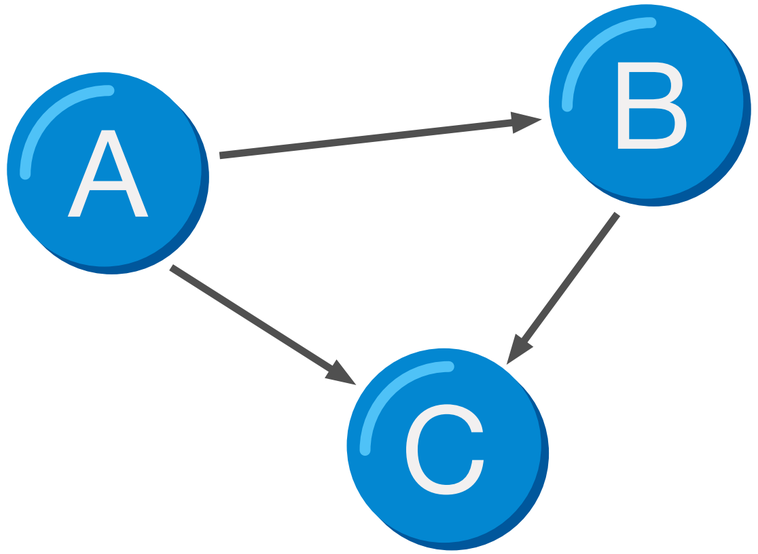

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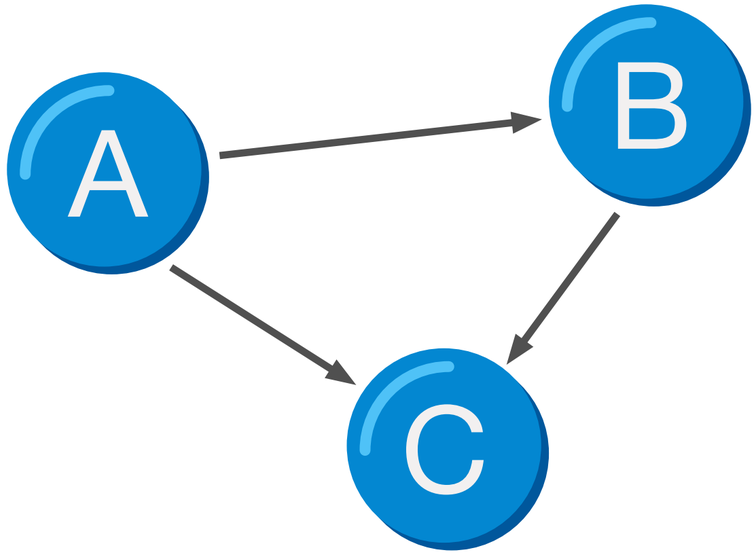

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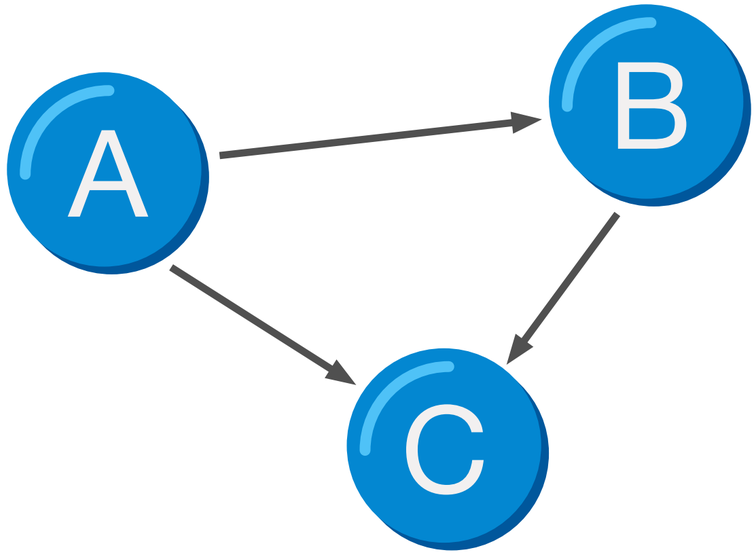

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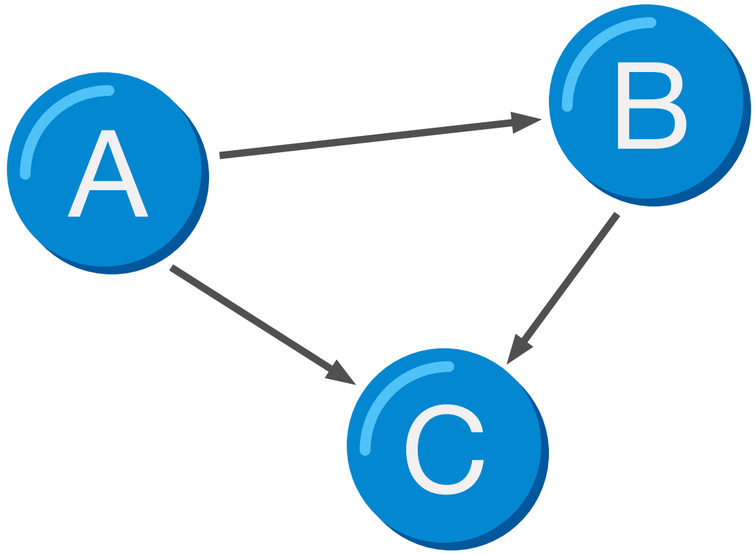

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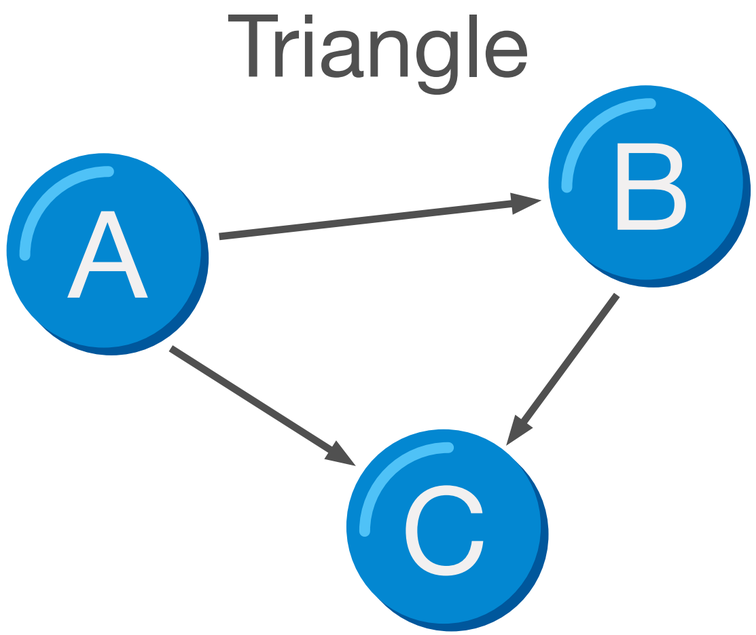

Motif finding DSL

(A)-[]->(B); (B)-[]->(C); (A)-[]->(C)

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```
triangles = g.find("(A)-[]->(B); (B)-[]->(C); (A)-[]->(C)")
triangles.show()
```

```
+--------------------+--------------------+--------------------+
|                   A|                   B|                   C|
+--------------------+--------------------+--------------------+
|  [1,Alex,28,M,MIPT]| [2,Emeli,28,F,MIPT]|[3,Natasha,27,F,S...|
|  [1,Alex,28,M,MIPT]|[3,Natasha,27,F,S...| [4,Pavel,30,M,MIPT]|
| [2,Emeli,28,F,MIPT]|[3,Natasha,27,F,S...|  [5,Oleg,35,M,MIPT]|
+--------------------+--------------------+--------------------+
```

Explode triangles DF

```
vertexTriangles = triangles.selectExpr("A.id as A", "B.id as B", "C.id as C") \
    .select(array(col("A"), col("B"), col("C")).alias("triangleVertices")) \
    .select(explode("triangleVertices").alias("id")) \
    .groupBy("id") \
    .count()

vertexTriangles.show()
```

```
+---+-----+
| id|count|
+---+-----+
|  1|    2|
|  2|    2|
|  3|    3|
|  4|    1|
|  5|    1|
+---+-----+
```

Join vetrexTriangles with original info

```
g.vertices.join(vertexTriangles, "id", "left_outer").show()
```

```
+---+-------+---+------+----------+-----+
| id|   name|age|gender|university|count|
+---+-------+---+------+----------+-----+
|  1|   Alex| 28|     M|      MIPT|    2|
|  2|  Emeli| 28|     F|      MIPT|    2|
|  3|Natasha| 27|     F|     SPbSU|    3|
|  4|  Pavel| 30|     M|      MIPT|    1|
|  5|   Oleg| 35|     M|      MIPT|    1|
|  6|   Ivan| 30|     M|       MSU| null|
|  7|   Ilya| 29|     M|       MSU| null|
+---+-------+---+------+----------+-----+
```

TrianglesCount algorithm

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   0 shuffles
2. Find all triangles with motif using pattern “(A)-[]->(B); (B)-[]->(C); (A)-[]->(C)”
   6 shuffles
3. Explode triangles and count occurrence of each vertex
   1 shuffle
4. Join info about triangles for each vertex with original info about it
   1 shuffle

8 shuffles

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