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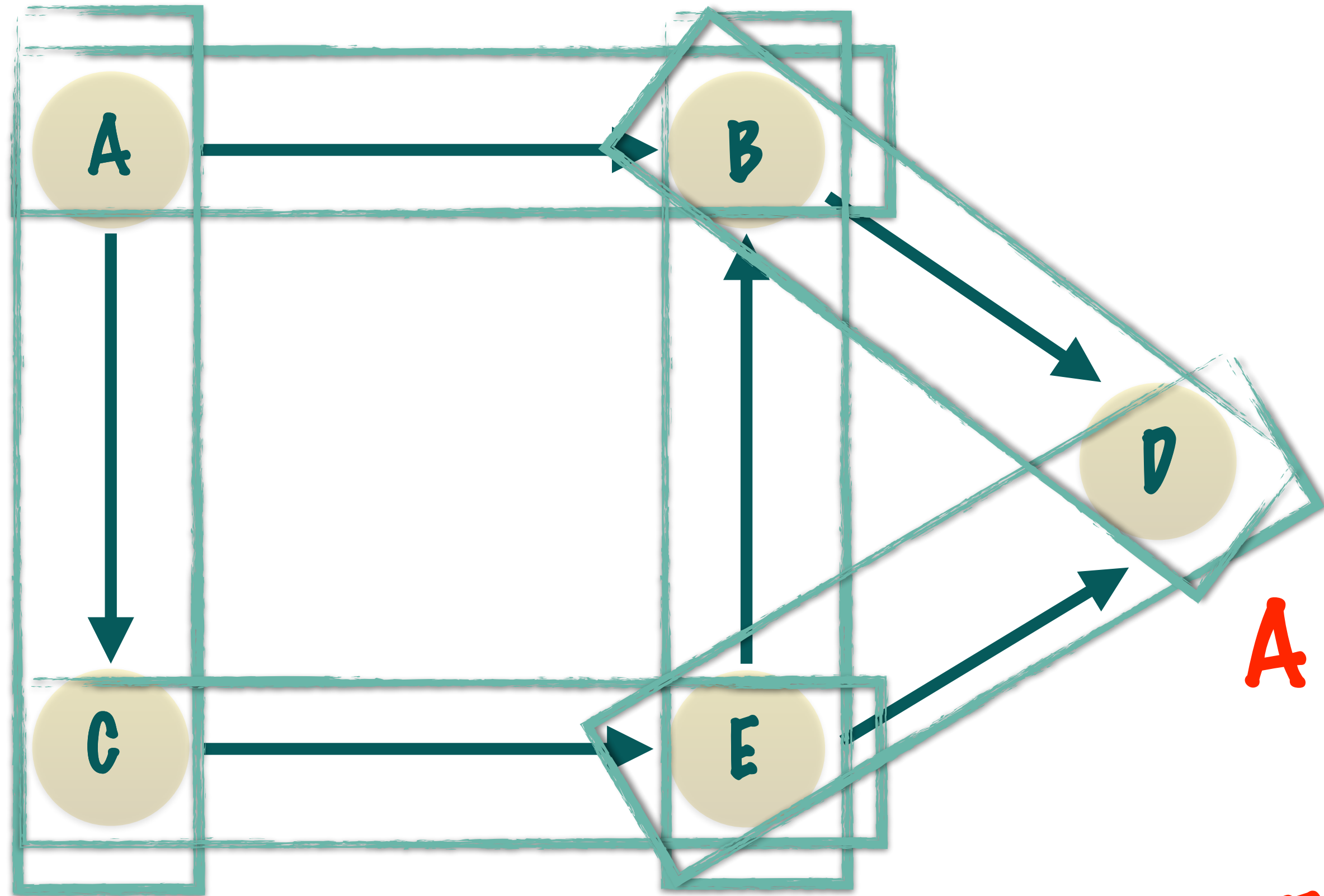
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A SHOULD COME BEFORE B

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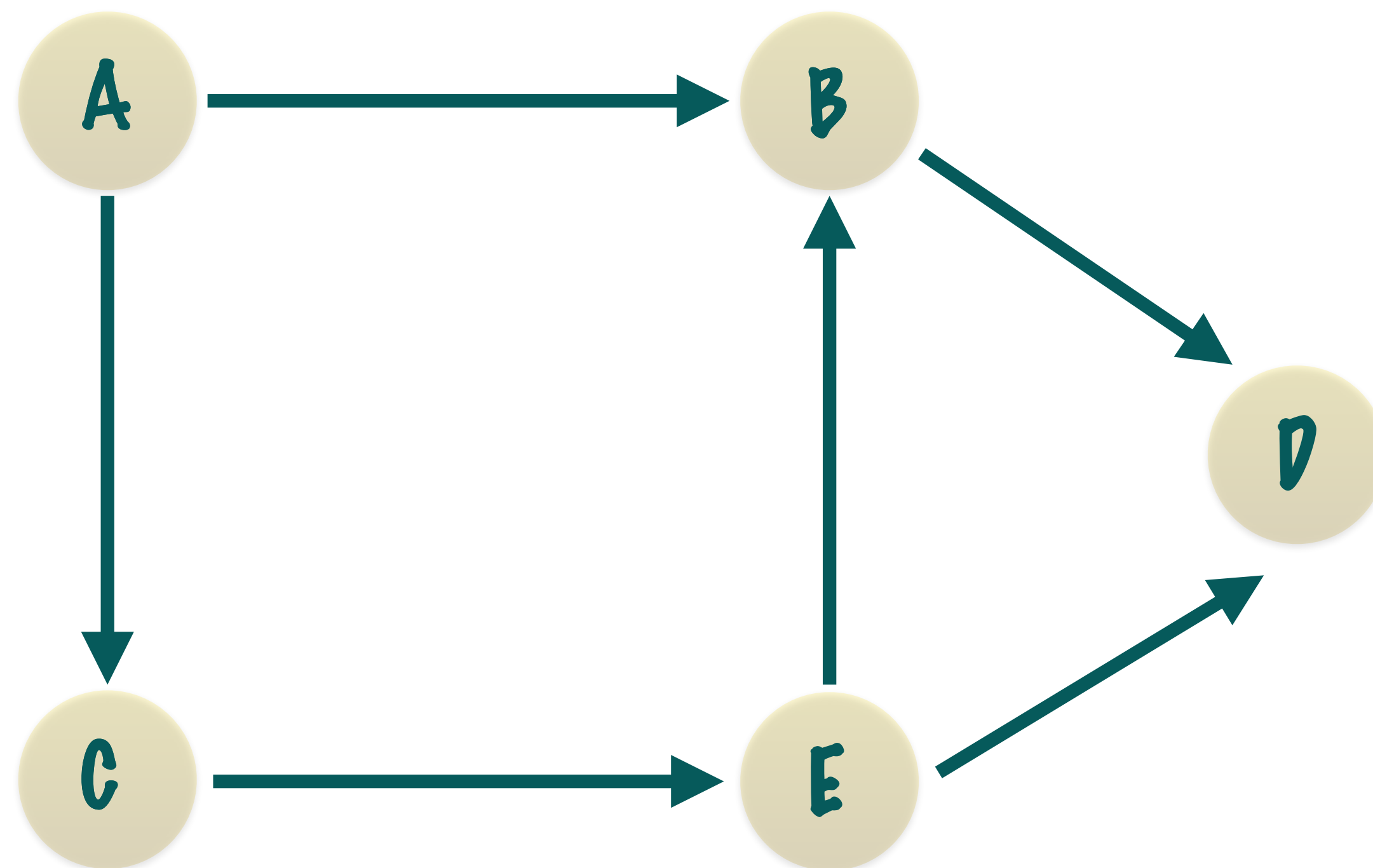
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A SHOULD COME BEFORE B AND C
C SHOULD COME BEFORE E
E SHOULD COME BEFORE B AND D
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THIS GRAPH WILL BE:

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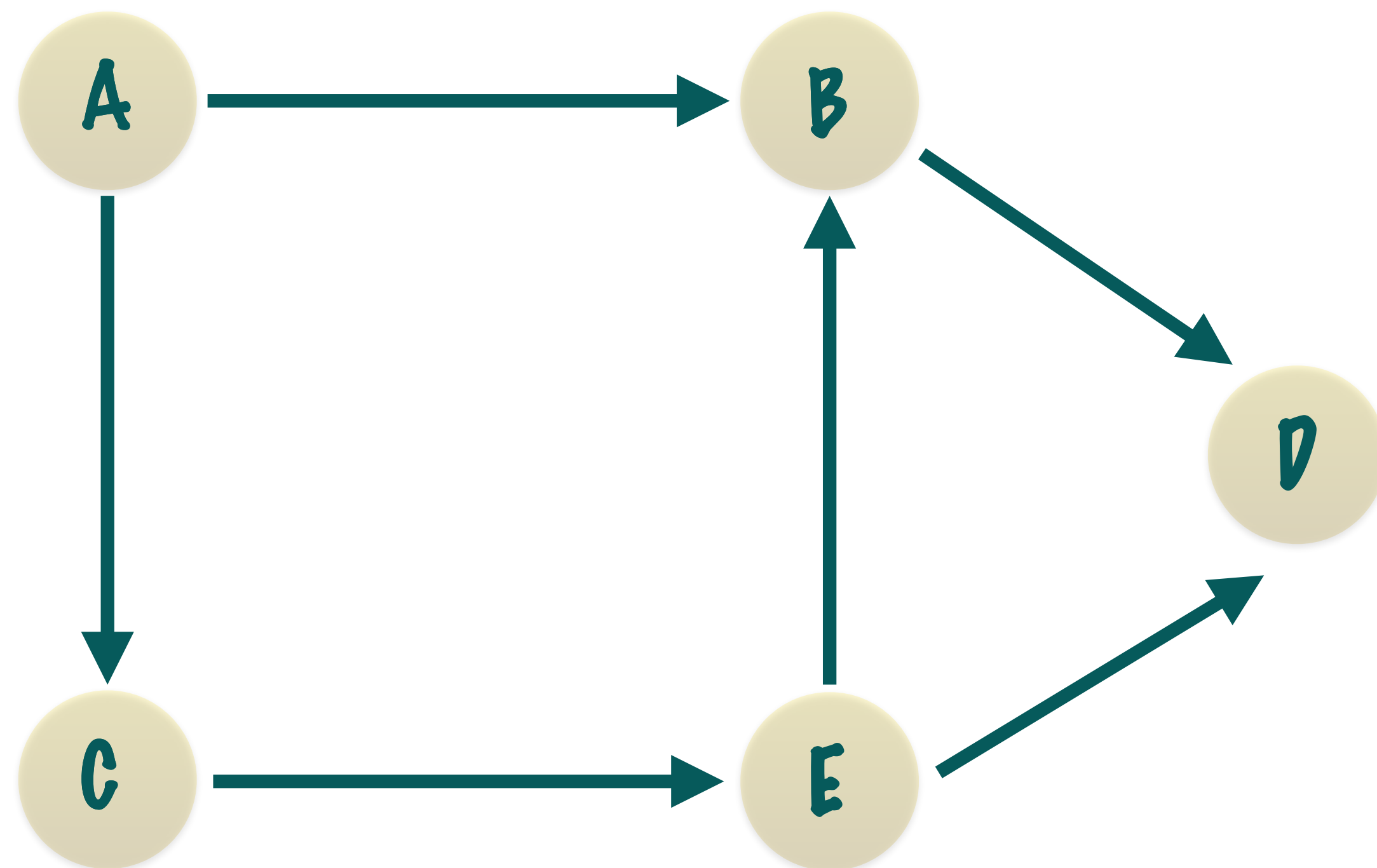
HOW?

***A GRAPH CAN HAVE MULTIPLE
TOPOLOGICAL SORTS BUT THIS ONE HAS
ONLY ONE**

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A SHOULD COME BEFORE **B** AND **C**

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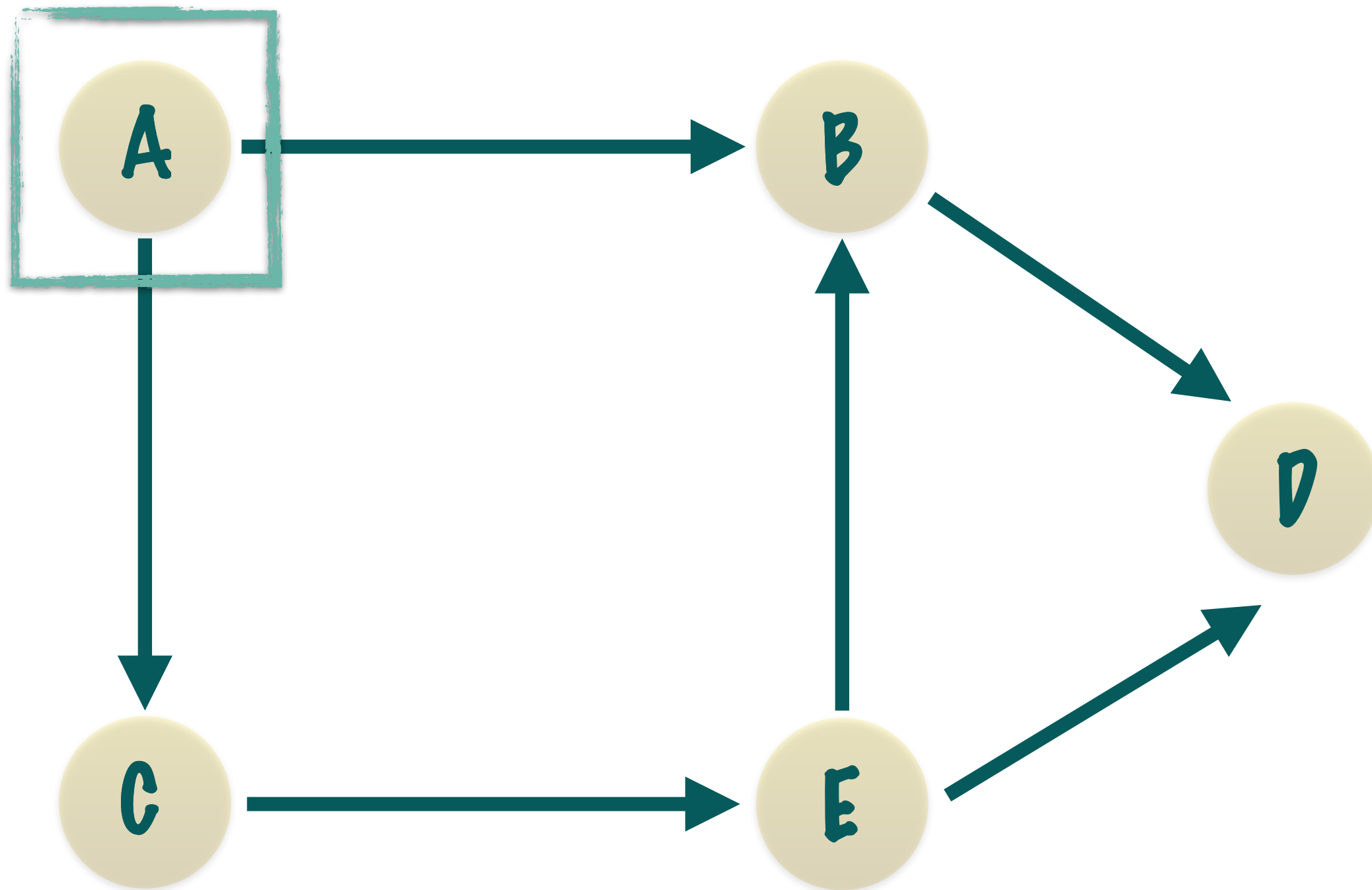
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WE FIRST FIND A
VERTEX WHICH HAS
NO INCOMING EDGE

(IT IS THE DESTINATION OF NO EDGE)
(NO ARROW POINTS TO IT)

A IS THE ONLY VERTEX WITH NO
INCOMING EDGE - THIS IS THE FIRST
ELEMENT OF THE SORT!



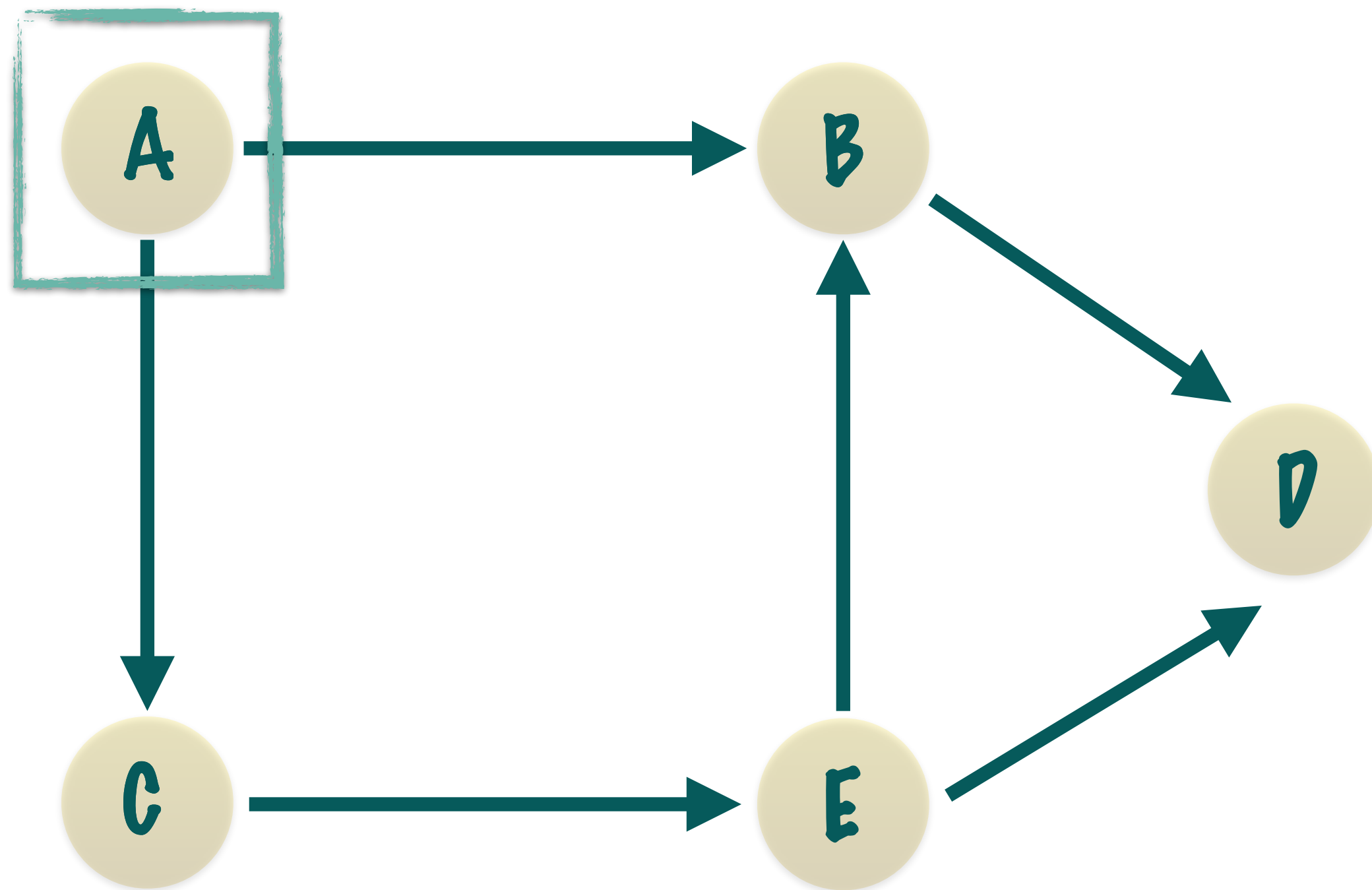
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INDEGREE

NUMBER OF INWARD DIRECTED GRAPH EDGES FOR A GIVEN GRAPH VERTEX

INDEGREE OF A IS 0!

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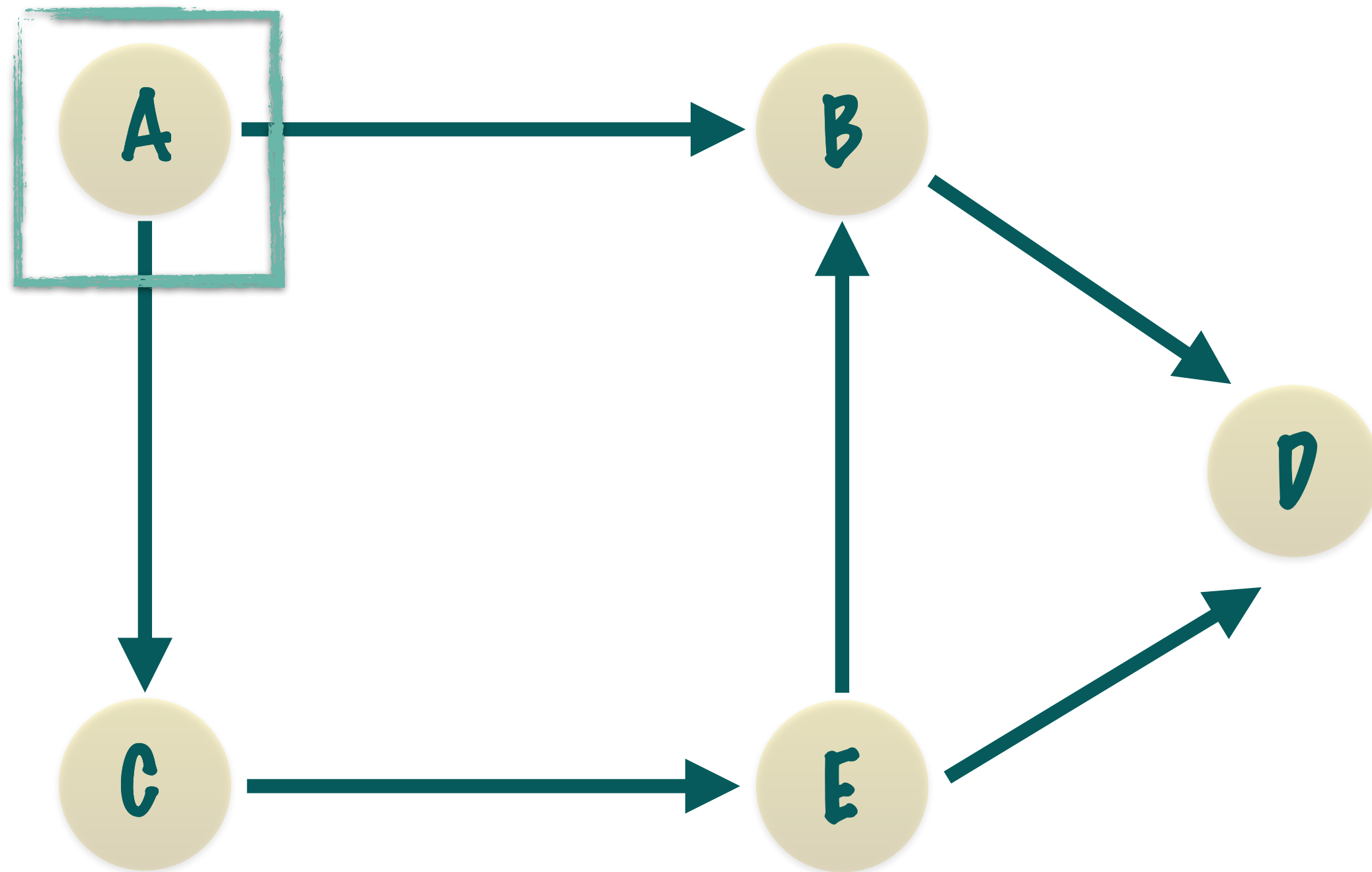
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INDEGREE OF A IS 0!

IF THERE WERE NO VERTICES WITH 0 INDEGREE, THEN THERE WOULD HAVE BEEN NO TOPOLOGICAL SORT

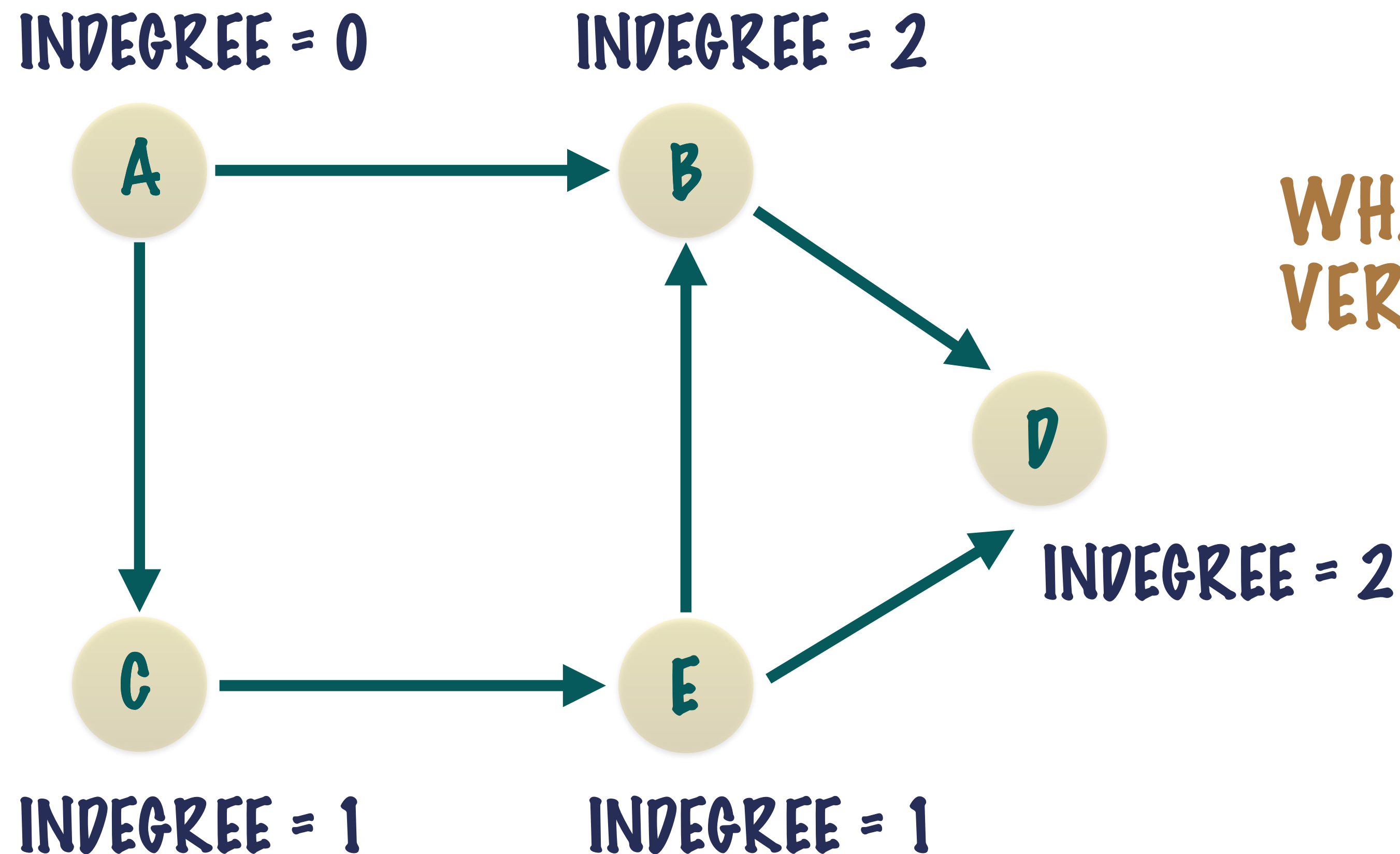
THE GRAPH HAS A CYCLE!



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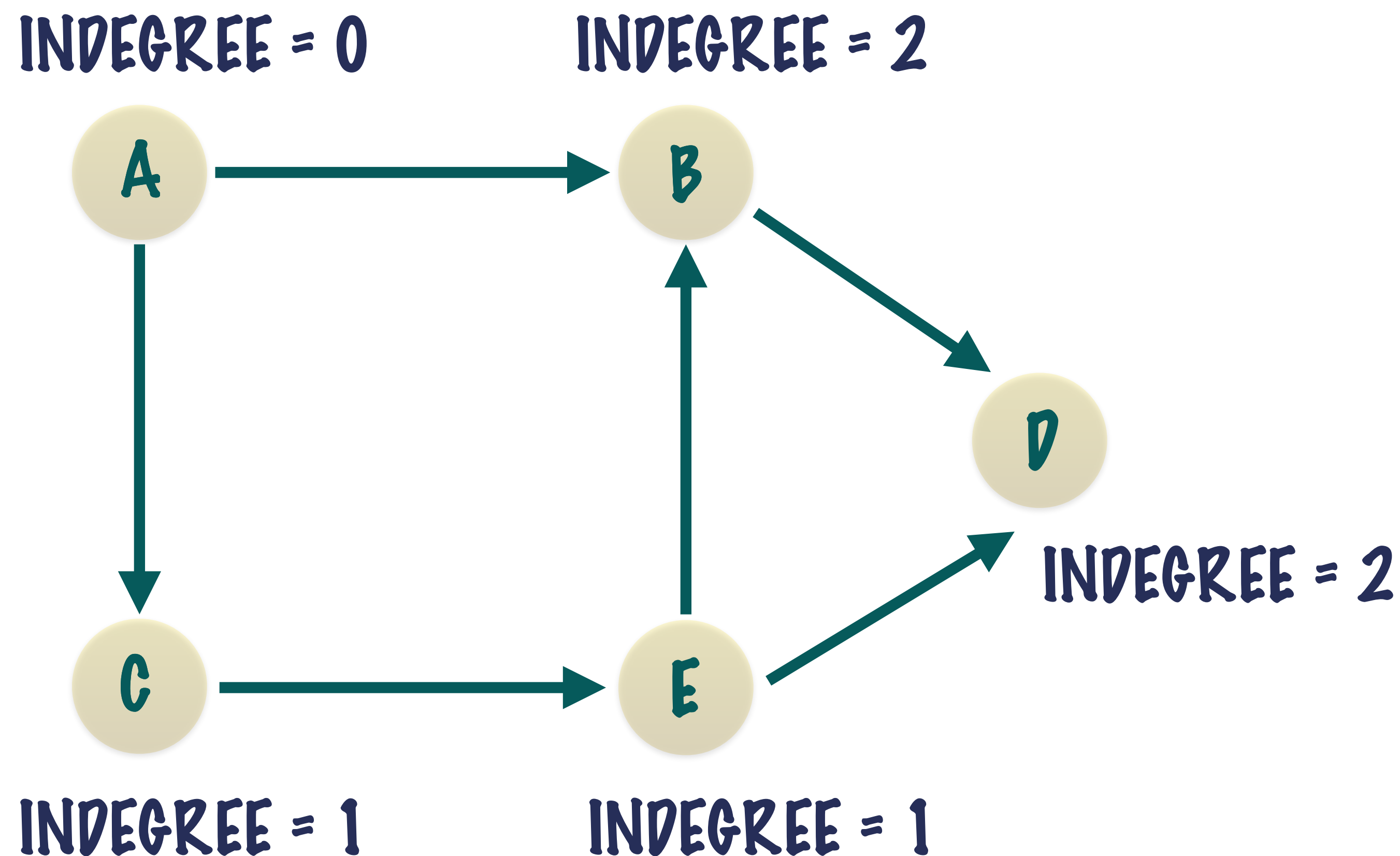


WHAT IS THE INDEGREE OF EACH VERTEX IN THIS GRAPH?

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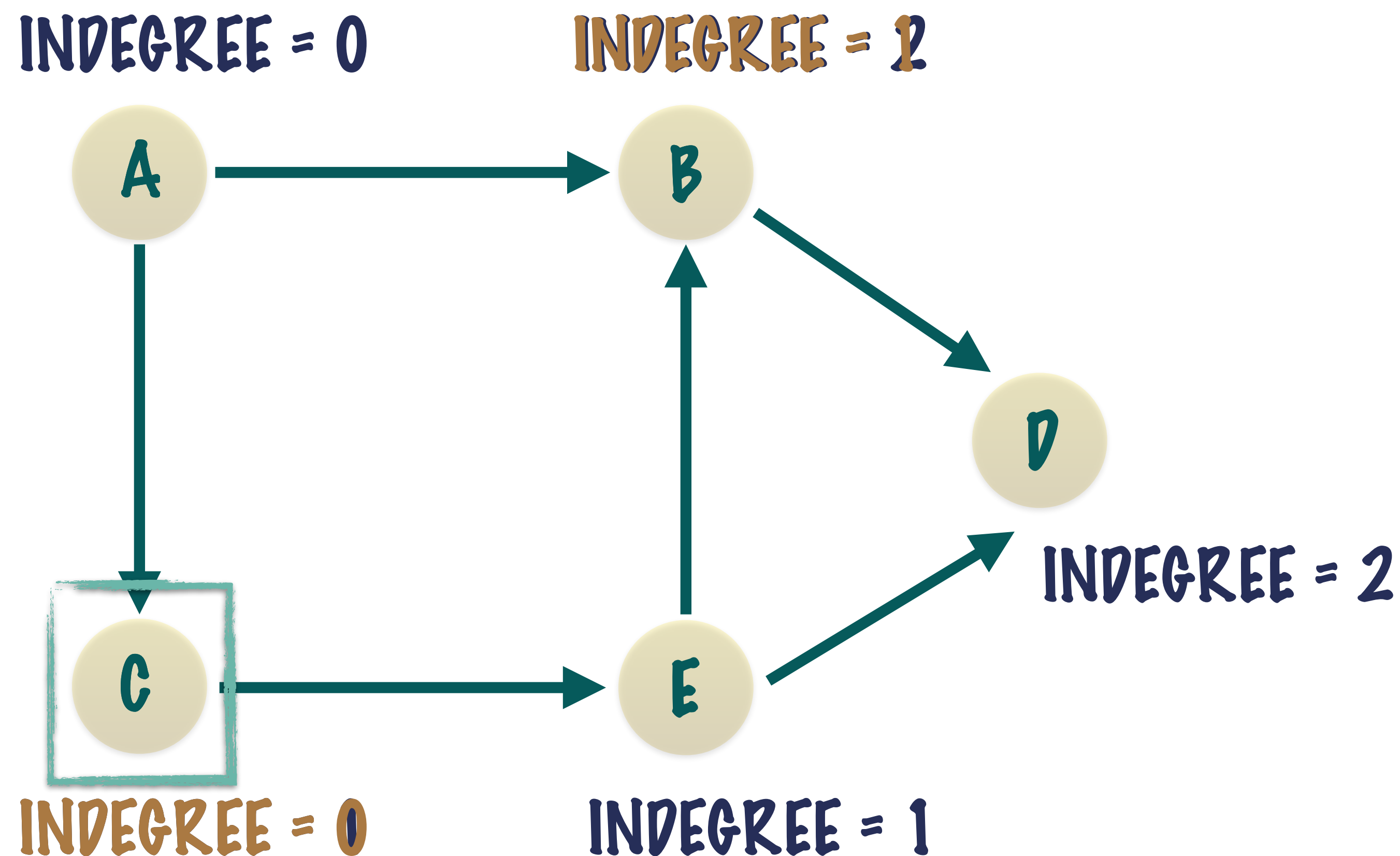
WE NOW KNOW A IS THE **FIRST** ELEMENT IN OUR SORT

IF WE "REMOVE" A FROM THIS GRAPH, WE HAVE TO **REDUCE THE INDEGREE** OF ALL ITS IMMEDIATE NEIGHBOURS

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AFTER FINDING "A", WE
DECREMENT INDEGREE OF
ITS NEIGHBOURS BY 1

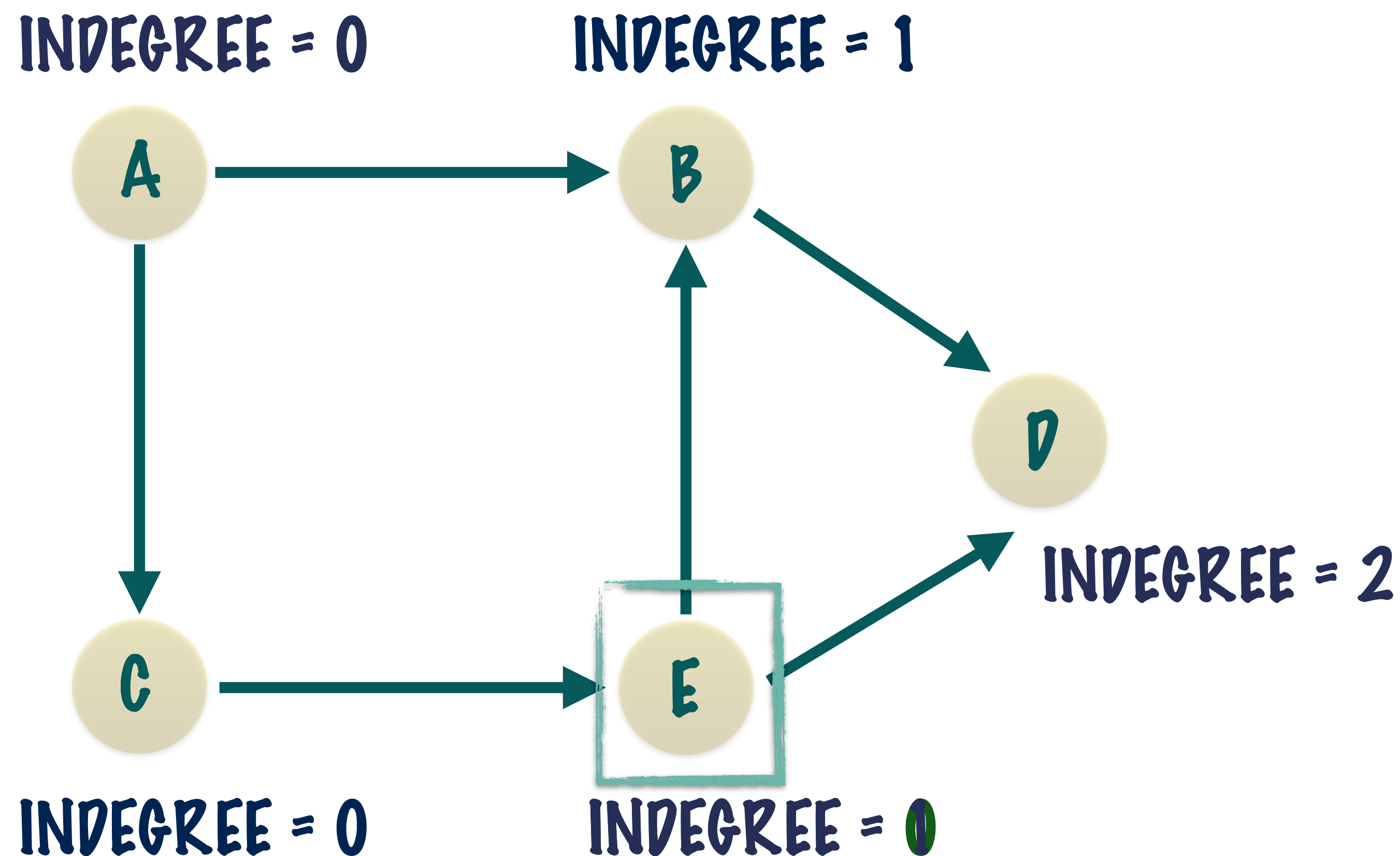
THE NEXT VERTEX IN THIS
SORT THE ONE WITH
INDEGREE 0

C IS THE NEXT ELEMENT!

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WE "REMOVE" C FROM THE GRAPH AND DECREMENT THE INDEGREE OF ITS IMMEDIATE NEIGHBOURS

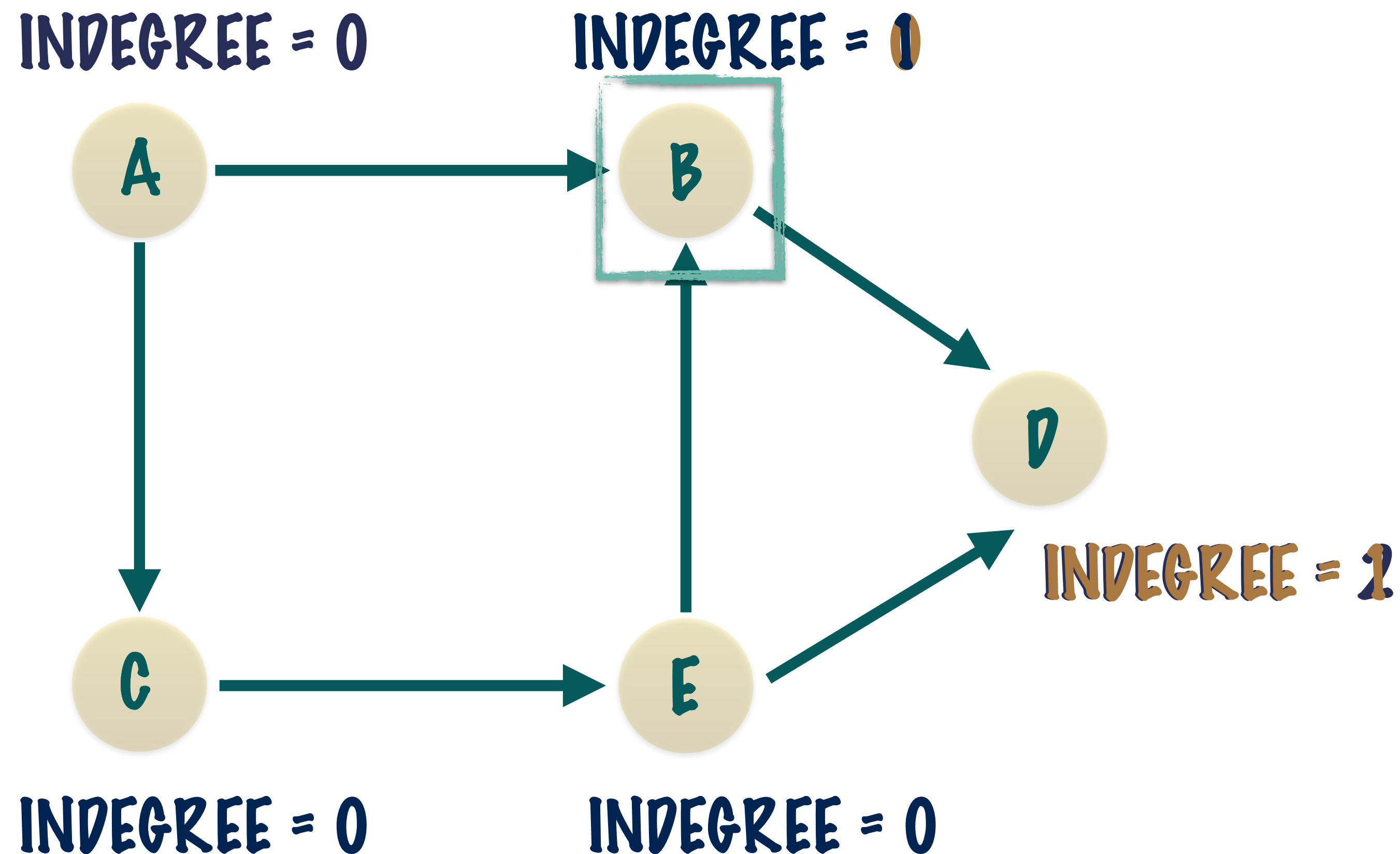
THE NEXT VERTEX IN THIS SORT THE ONE WITH INDEGREE 0

THE NEXT ELEMENT IS E!

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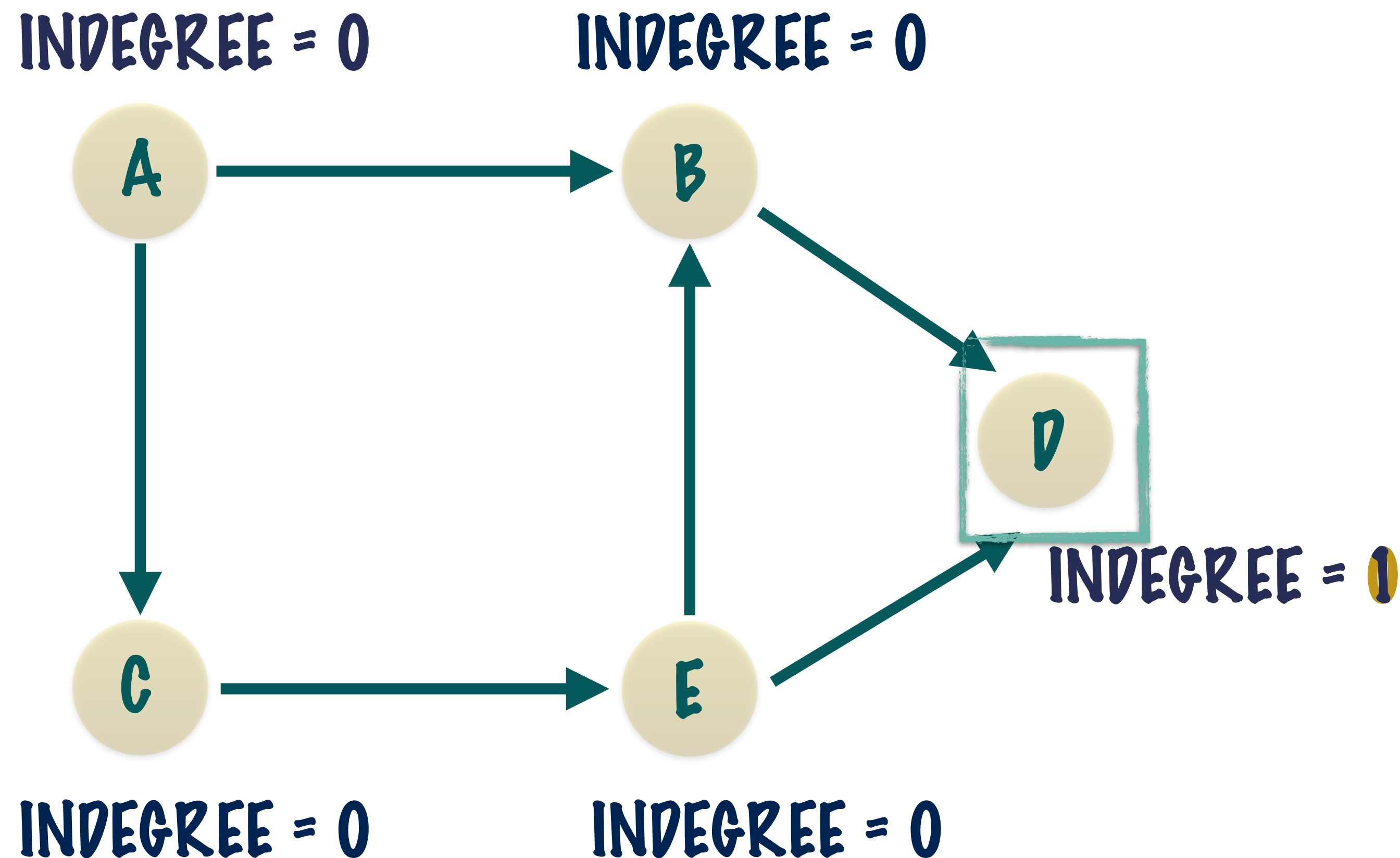


THE NEXT ELEMENT IS B!

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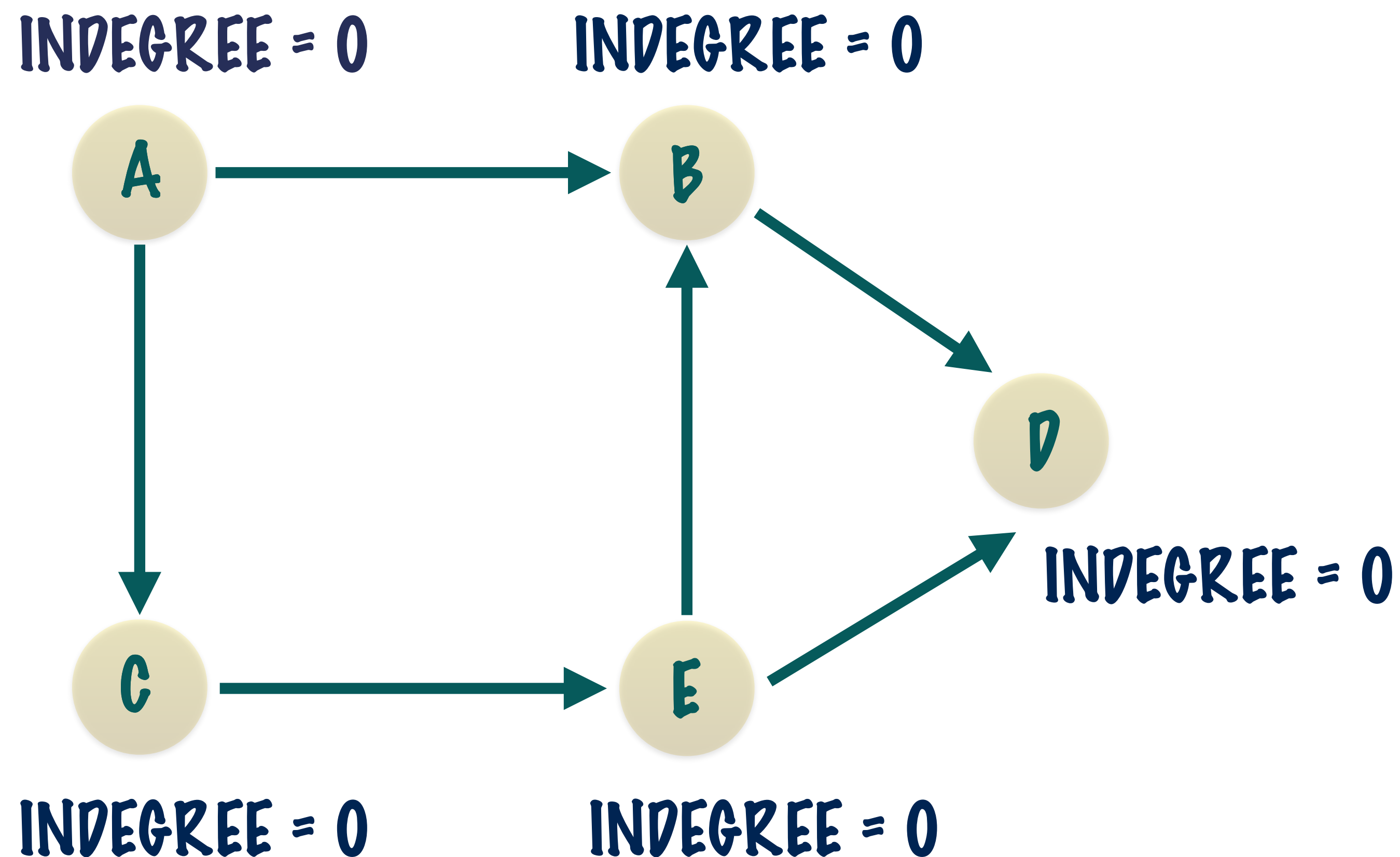


THE NEXT ELEMENT IS D!

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RUNNING TIME FOR
TOPOLOGICAL SORT
IS $O(V+E)$

EVERY EDGE AND EVERY
VERTEX IS VISITED **ONCE**

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INDEGREE IN ADJACENCY LIST

CHECK THAT THE
VERTEX IS VALID

```
public int getIndegree(int v){  
    if (v < 0 || v >= numVertices) {  
        throw new IllegalArgumentException("Vertex number is not valid");  
    }  
    int indegree = 0;  
    for (int i = 0; i < numVertices; i++) {  
        if (getAdjacentVertices(i).contains(v)) {  
            indegree++;  
        }  
    }  
    return indegree;  
}
```

ITERATE THROUGH ALL
THE VERTICES IN THE
GRAPH

RETURN THE INDEGREE COUNT

IF THE CURRENT VERTEX IS PRESENT
AS AN ADJACENT VERTEX FOR ANY
OTHER VERTEX THEN INCREMENT
THE INDEGREE COUNT FOR THE
CURRENT VERTEX

INDEGREE IN ADJACENCY GRAPH

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public int getIndegree(int v){
    if (v < 0 || v >= numVertices) {
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    }
    int indegree = 0;
    for (int i = 0; i < getNumVertices(); i++) {
        if (adjacencyMatrix[i][v] != 0) {
            indegree++;
        }
    }
    return indegree;
}
```

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```
public static List<Integer> sort(Graph graph){  
    LinkedList<Integer> queue = new LinkedList<>();  
    Map<Integer, Integer> indegreeMap = new HashMap<>();
```

STORES A MAPPING OF A
VERTEX TO ITS INDEGREE

```
    for (int vertex = 0; vertex < graph.getNumVertices(); vertex++) {  
        int indegree = graph.getIndegree(vertex);  
        indegreeMap.put(vertex, indegree);  
        if (indegree == 0) {  
            queue.add(vertex);  
        }  
    }
```

INITIALIZE THE INDEGREE MAP BY
ITERATING THROUGH ALL VERTICES

```
    List<Integer> sortedList = new ArrayList<>();  
    while (!queue.isEmpty()){
```

```
        // Dequeue of the nodes from the list if there are more than one.  
        // If more than one element exists then it means that the graph  
        // has more than one topological sort solution.
```

```
        int vertex = queue.pollLast();  
        sortedList.add(vertex);
```

ADD ALL VERTICES WITH INDEGREE = 0
TO THE QUEUE OF VERTICES TO
EXPLORE

```
        List<Integer> adjacentVertices = graph.getAdjacentVertices(vertex);
```

```
        for (int adjacentVertex : adjacentVertices) {  
            int updatedIndegree = indegreeMap.get(adjacentVertex) - 1;  
            indegreeMap.remove(adjacentVertex);  
            indegreeMap.put(adjacentVertex, updatedIndegree);
```

GET THE ADJACENT VERTICES OF THE
CURRENT ONE AND DECREMENT THEIR
INDEGREES BY 1

```
            if (updatedIndegree == 0) {  
                queue.add(adjacentVertex);  
            }  
        }
```

FOR EVERY VERTEX WHICH NOW HAS
INDEGREE = 0 IT'S A POTENTIAL NEXT NODE
FOR THE TOPOLOGICAL SORT

```
    if (sortedList.size() != graph.getNumVertices()) {  
        throw new RuntimeException("The Graph had a cycle!");  
    }
```

IF THE FINAL SORTED LIST IS NOT
EQUAL TO THE NUMBER OF VERTICES
IN THE GRAPH THERE IS A CYCLE

```
    return sortedList;  
}
```