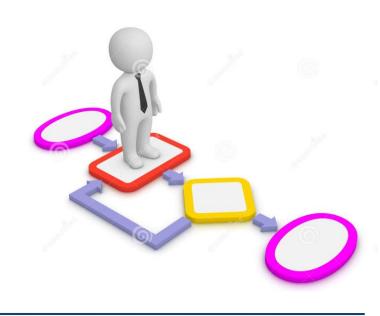


Design & Analysis of Algorithms

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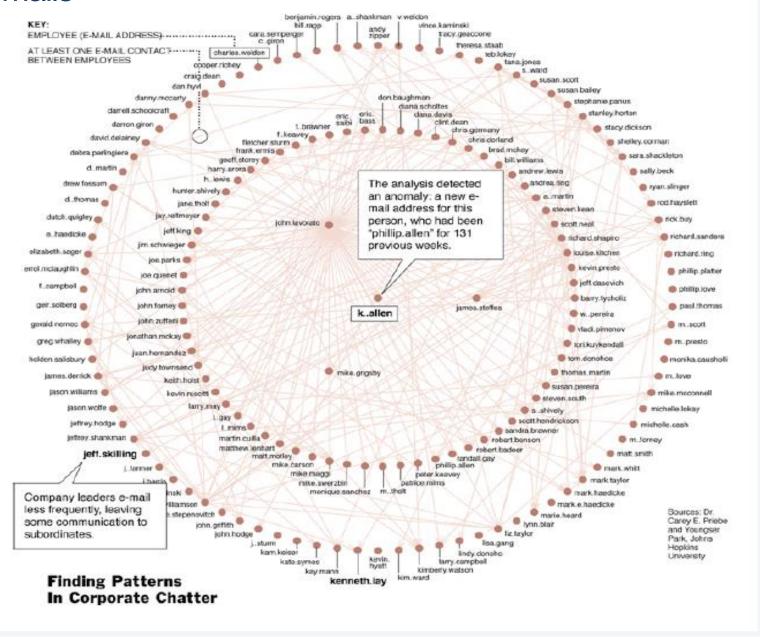


ELEMENTARY GRAPH ALGORITHMS

GRAPHS

Basic definitions and applications

One week of Enron emails



Route Map





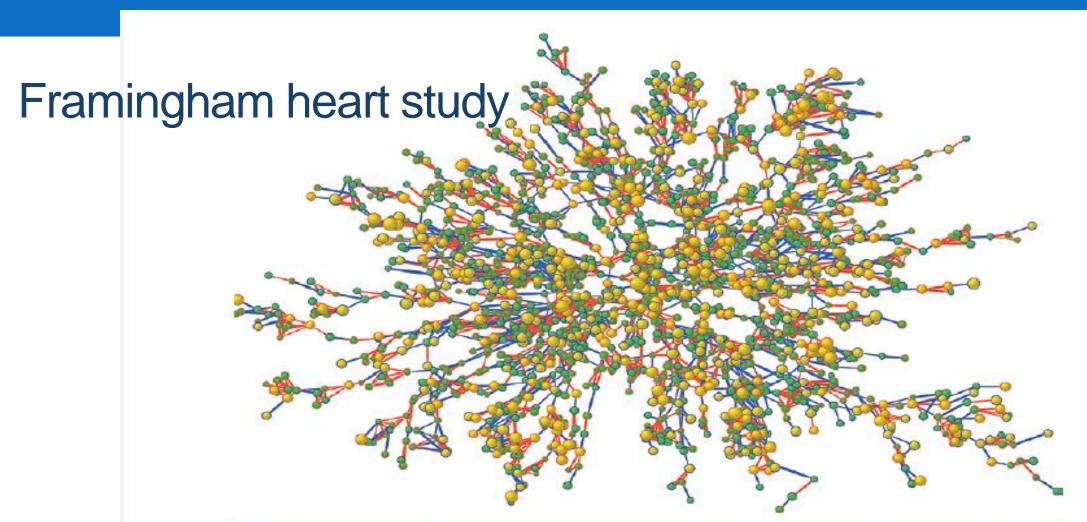


Figure 1. Largest Connected Subcomponent of the Social Network in the Framingham Heart Study in the Year 2000. Each circle (node) represents one person in the data set. There are 2200 persons in this subcomponent of the social network. Circles with red borders denote women, and circles with blue borders denote men. The size of each circle is proportional to the person's body-mass index. The interior color of the circles indicates the person's obesity status: yellow denotes an obese person (body-mass index, ≥30) and green denotes a nonobese person. The colors of the ties between the nodes indicate the relationship between them: purple denotes a friendship or marital tie and orange denotes a familial tie.

Some graph applications

graph	node	edge	
communication	telephone, computer	fiber optic cable	
circuit	gate, register, processor	wire	
mechanical	joint	rod, beam, spring	
financial	stock, currency	transactions	
transportation	street intersection, airport	highway, airway route	
internet	class C network	connection	
game	board position	legal move	
social relationship	person, actor	friendship, movie cast	
neural network	neuron	synapse	
protein network	protein	protein-protein interaction	
molecule	atom	bond	

Graphs

- Graph G = (V, E)
 - *V* = set of vertices
 - E = set of edges \subseteq ($V \times V$)
- Types of graphs
 - Undirected: edge (u, v) = (v, u); for all v, (v, v) ∉ E (No self loops.)
 - Directed: (u, v) is edge from u to v, denoted as $u \rightarrow v$. Self loops are allowed.
 - Weighted: each edge has an associated weight, given by a weight function $w: E \to \mathbb{R}$.
 - Dense: $|E| \approx |V|^2$.
 - Sparse: |*E*| << |*V*|².
- $\cdot |E| = O(|V|^2)$

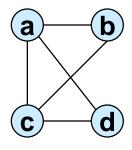
Graphs

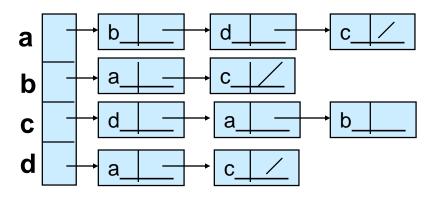
- If $(u, v) \in E$, then vertex v is adjacent to vertex u.
- Adjacency relationship is:
 - Symmetric if *G* is undirected.
 - Not necessarily so if G is directed.
- If G is connected:
 - There is a path between every pair of vertices.
 - $|E| \ge |V| 1$.
 - Furthermore, if |E| = |V| 1, then G is a tree.

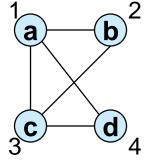
Representation of Graphs

- Two standard ways.
 - Adjacency Lists.

Adjacency Matrix.



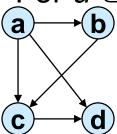


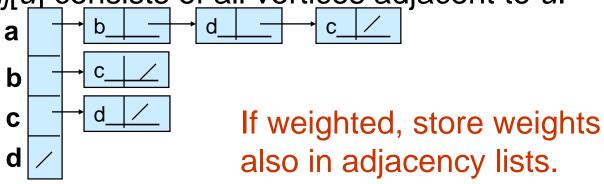


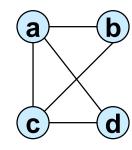
Adjacency Lists

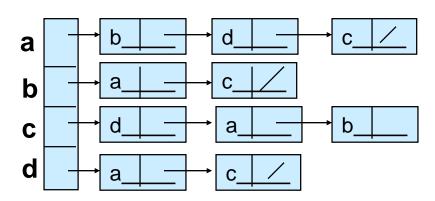
- Consists of an array Adj of | V lists.
- One list per vertex.

• For $u \in V$, Adj[u] consists of all vertices adjacent to u.









Storage Requirement

- For directed graphs:
 - Sum of lengths of all adj. lists is

$$\sum_{v \in V} \text{out-degree}(v) = |E|$$

No. of edges leaving *v*

- Total storage: ⊕(V+E)
- For undirected graphs:
 - Sum of lengths of all adj. lists is

$$\sum_{v \in V} degree(v) = 2|E|$$

No. of edges incident on v. Edge (u,v) is incident on vertices u and v.

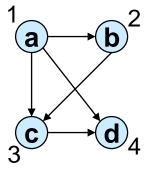
Total storage: ⊕(V+E)

Pros and Cons: adj list

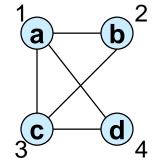
- Pros
 - Space-efficient, when a graph is sparse.
 - Can be modified to support many graph variants.
- Cons
 - Determining if an edge $(u, v) \in G$ is not efficient.
 - Have to search in u's adjacency list. $\Theta(\text{degree}(u))$ time.
 - $\Theta(V)$ in the worst case.

Adjacency Matrix

- $|V| \times |V|$ matrix A.
- Number vertices from 1 to M in some introduction $A[i,j] = a_{ij} = 0$ otherwise



	1	2	3	4
1	1 0 0 0 0	1	1	1
2	0	0	1	0
3	0	0	0	1
4	0	0	0	0



	1	2	3	4
1	0 1 1 1	1	1	1
2	1	0	1	0
3	1	1	0	1
4	1	0	1	0

 $A = A^{T}$ for undirected graphs.

Space and Time

- Space: $\Theta(V^2)$.
 - Not memory efficient for large graphs.
- Time: to list all vertices adjacent to u: $\Theta(V)$.
- Time: to determine if $(u, v) \in E$: $\Theta(1)$.
- Can store weights instead of bits for weighted graph.

Graph-searching Algorithms

- Searching a graph:
 - Systematically follow the edges of a graph to visit the vertices of the graph.
- Used to discover the structure of a graph.
- Standard graph-searching algorithms.
 - Breadth-first Search (BFS).
 - Depth-first Search (DFS).

Breadth-first Search

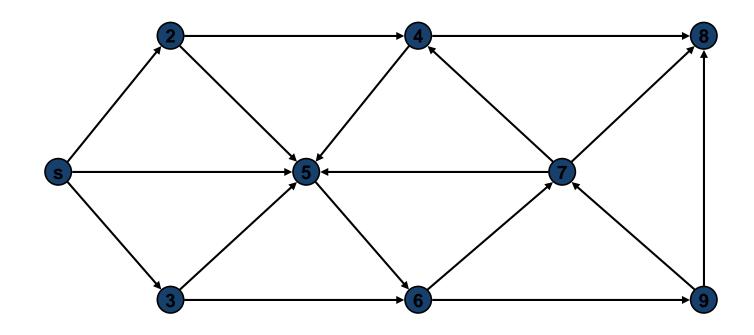
• Input: Graph G = (V, E), either directed or undirected, and source vertex $s \in V$.

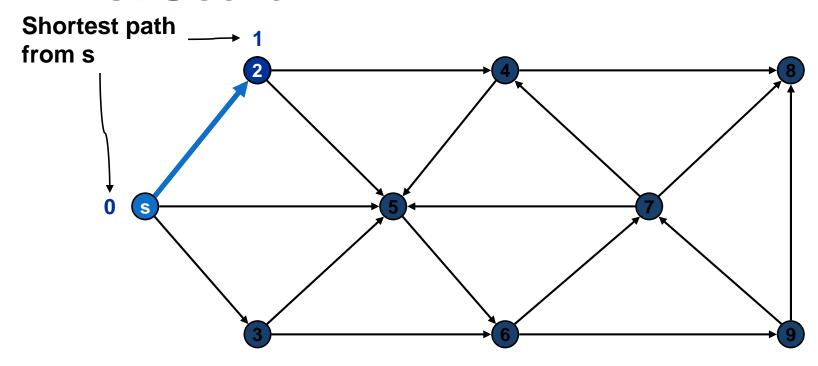
Output:

- d[v] = distance (smallest # of edges, or shortest path) from s to v, for all $v \in V$. $d[v] = \infty$ if v is not reachable from s.
- $\pi[v] = u$ such that (u, v) is last edge on shortest path s v.
 - *u* is *v*'s predecessor.
- Builds breadth-first tree with root s that contains all reachable vertices.

Definitions:

Path between vertices u and v: Sequence of vertices $(v_1, v_2, ..., v_k)$ such that $u=v_1$ and $v=v_k$, and $(v_i, v_{i+1}) \in E$, for all $1 \le i \le k-1$. Length of the path: Number of edges in the path.





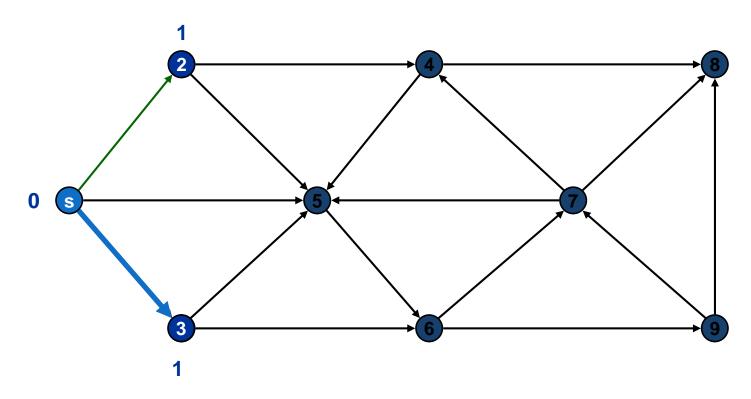
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Queue: s



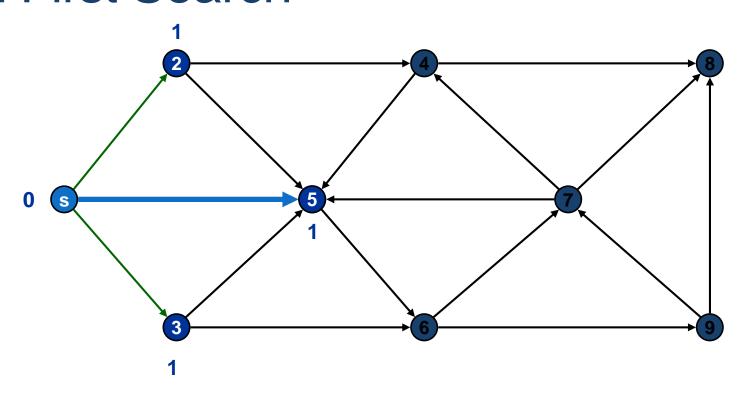
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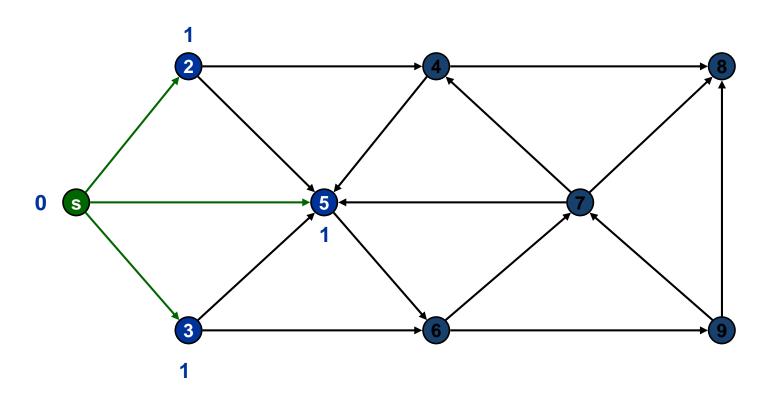
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Queue: s 2 3



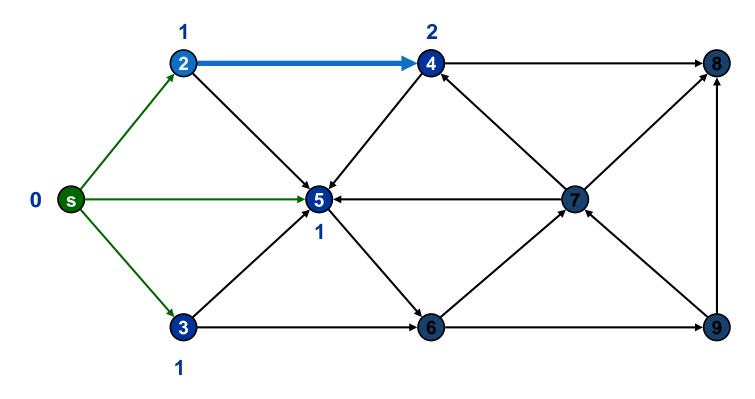
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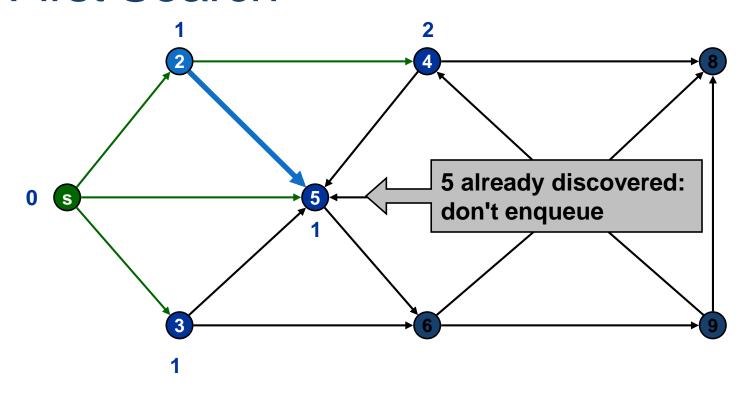
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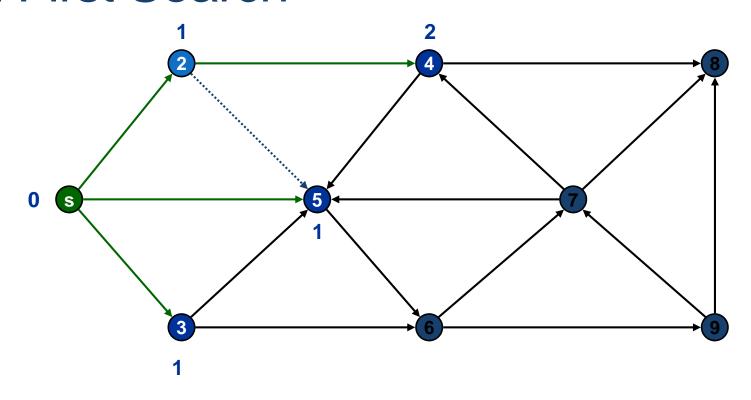
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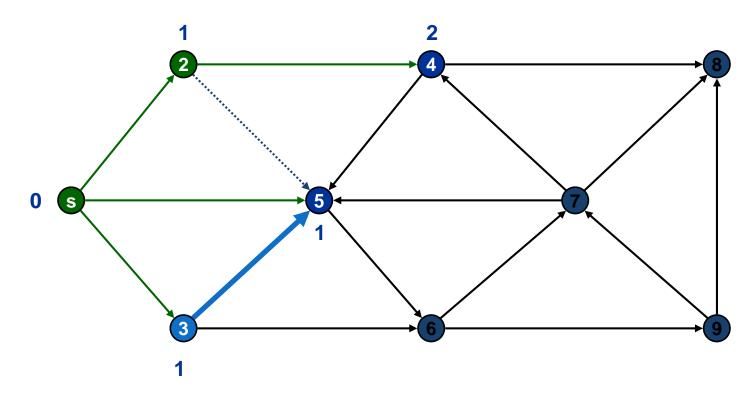
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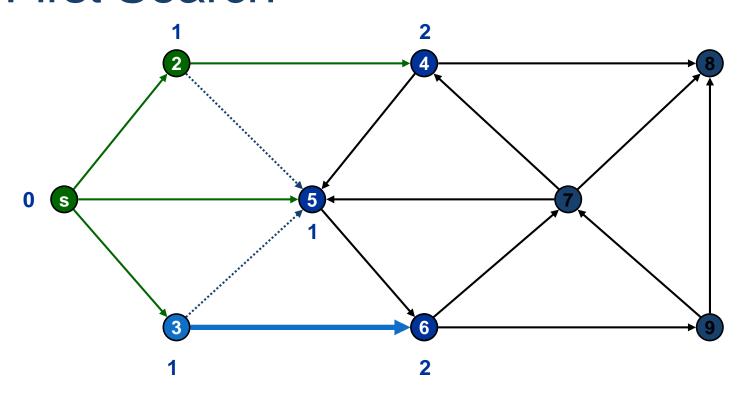
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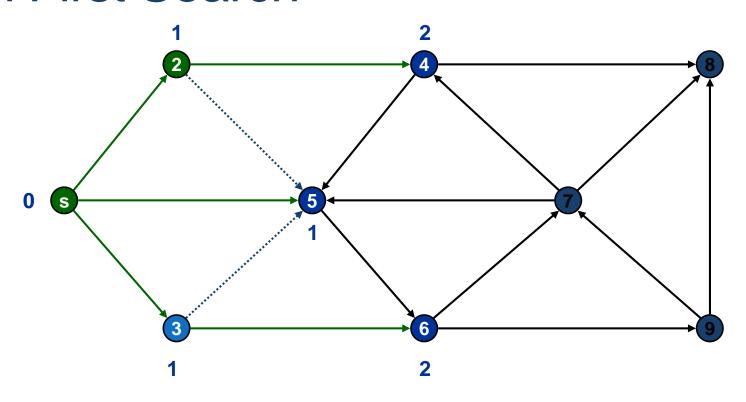
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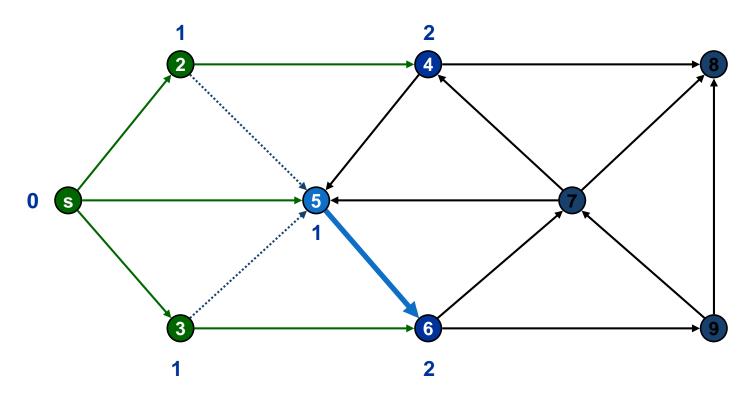
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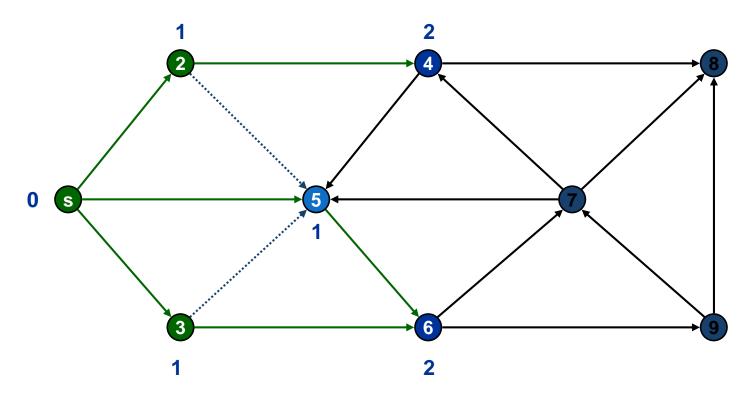
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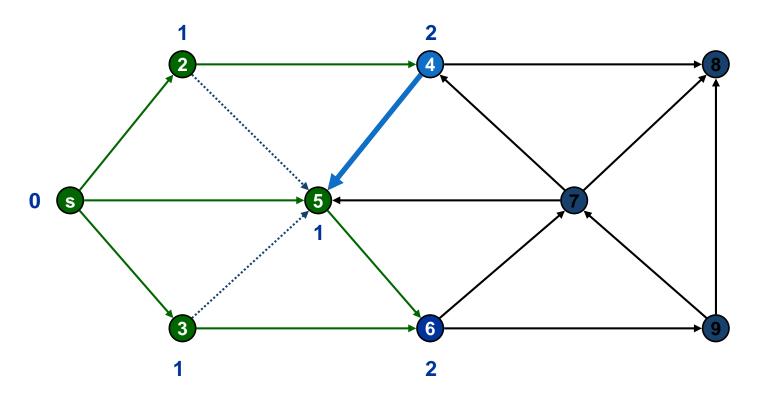
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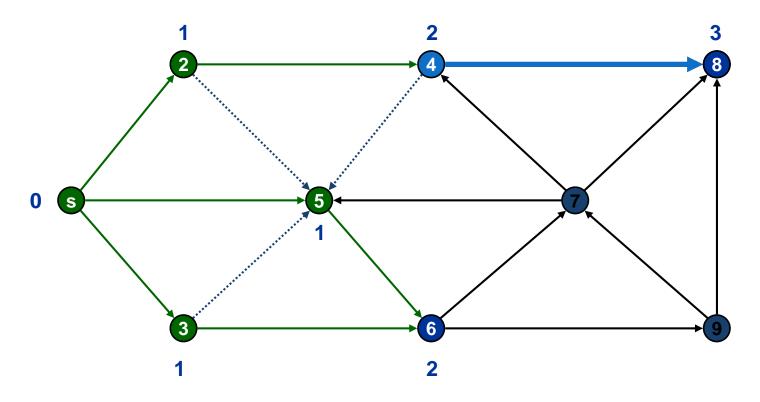
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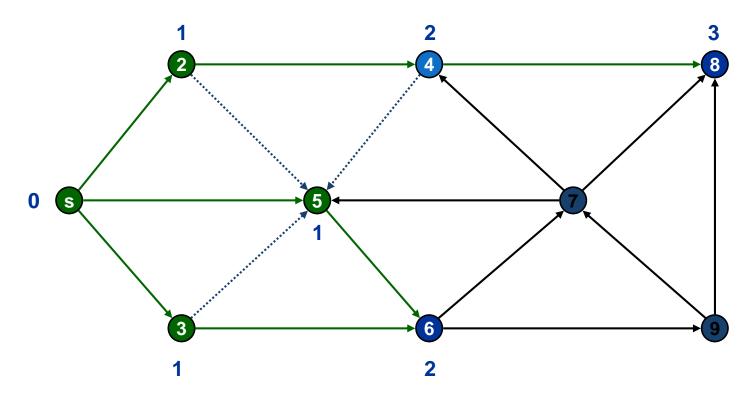
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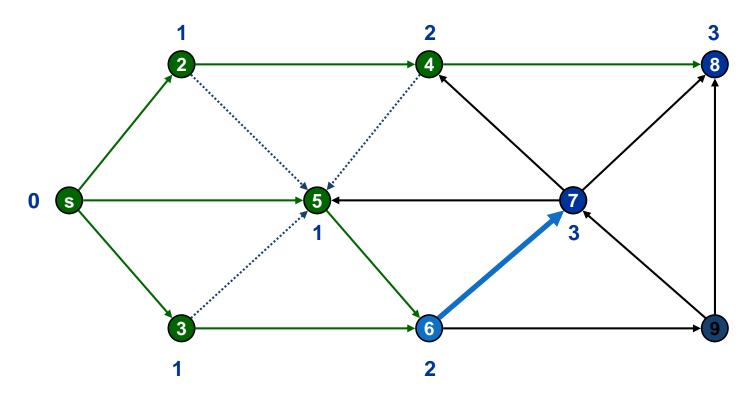
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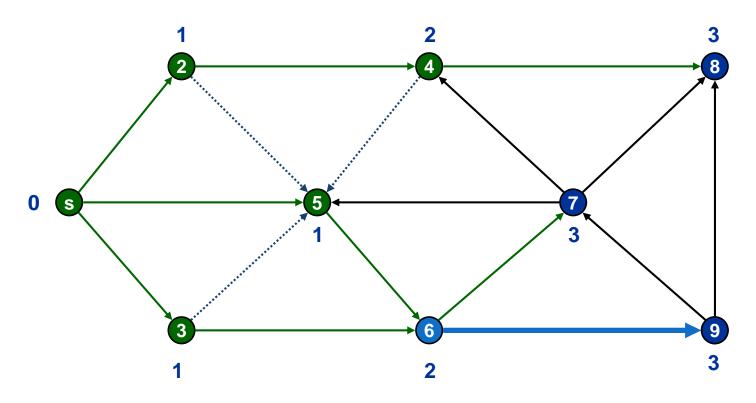
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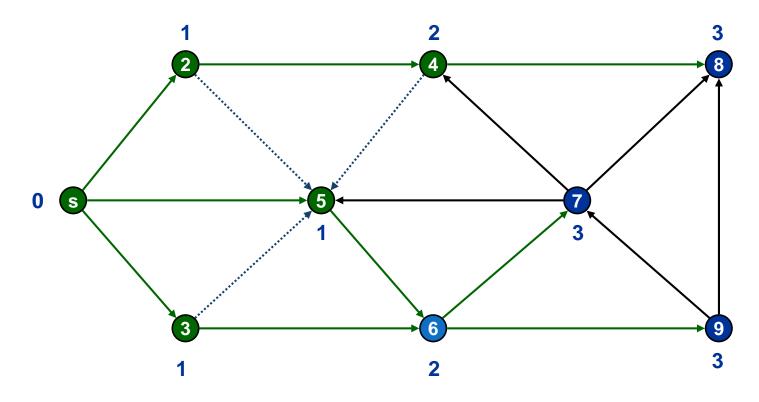
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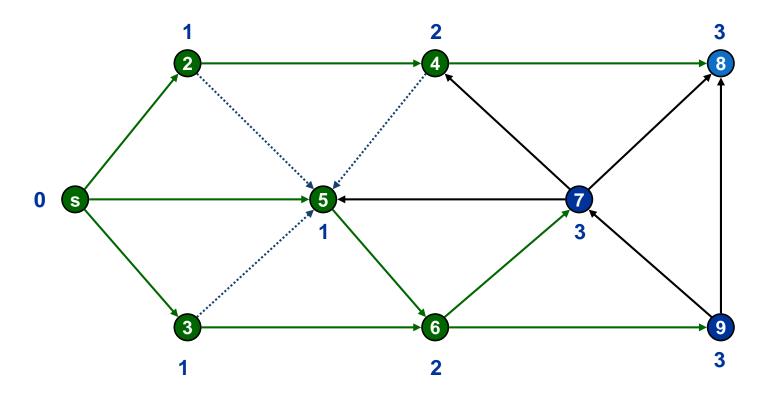
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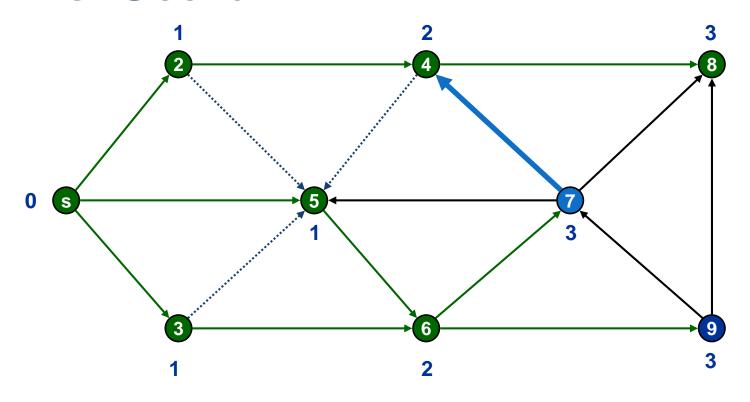
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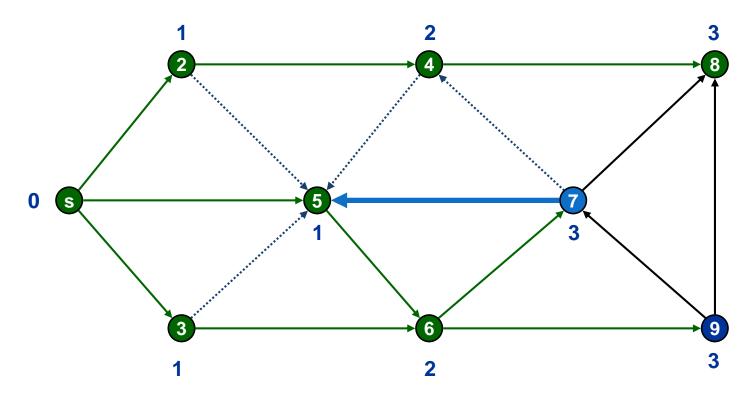


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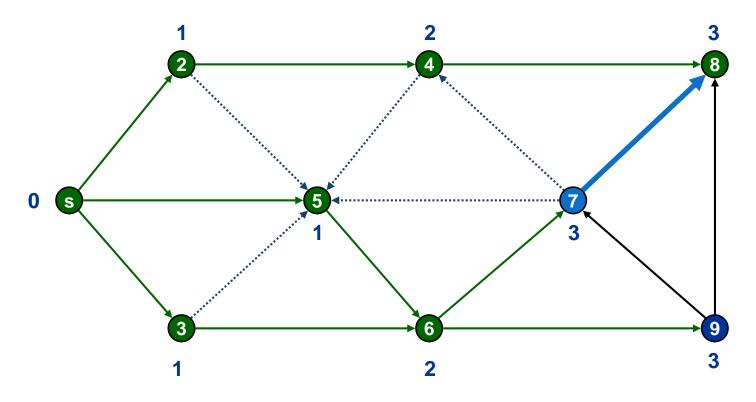


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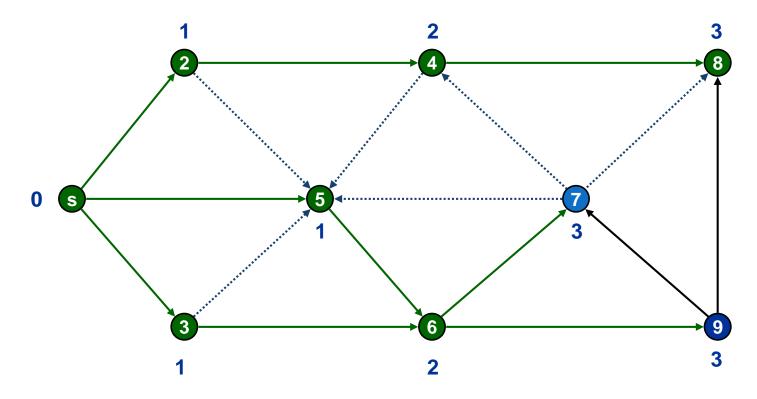


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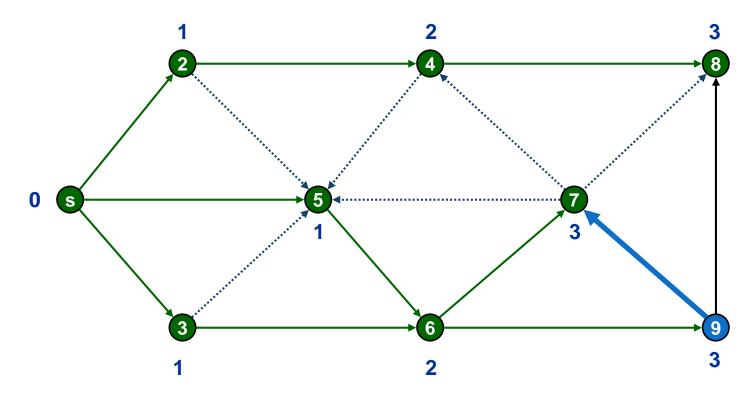


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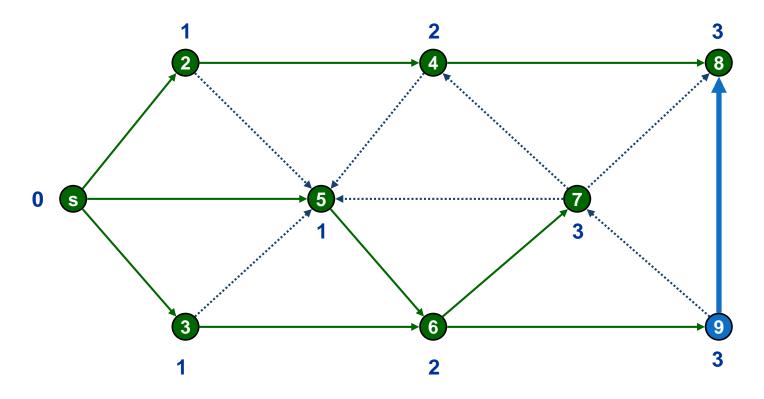
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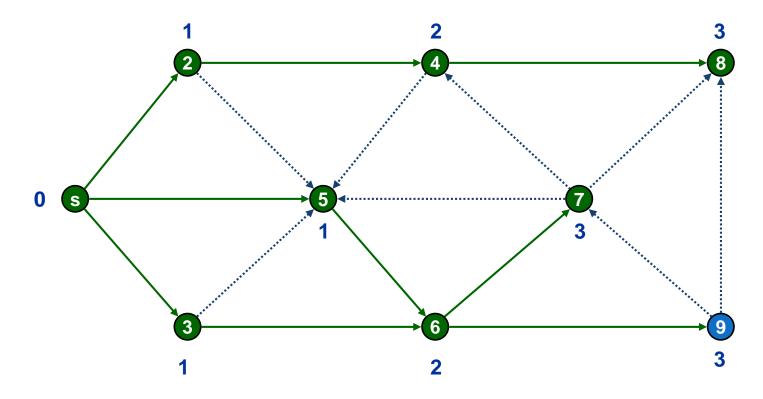


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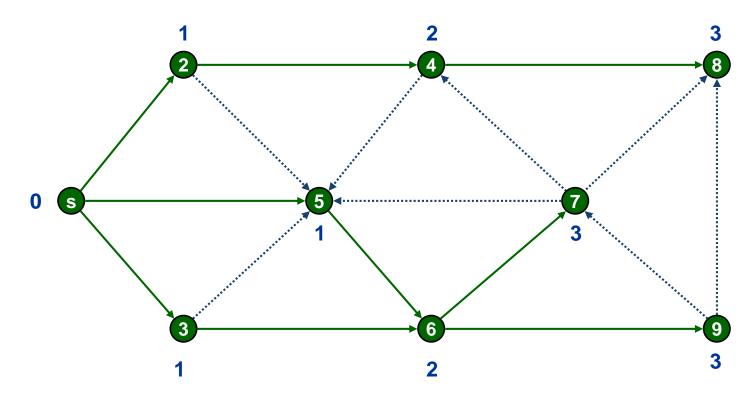


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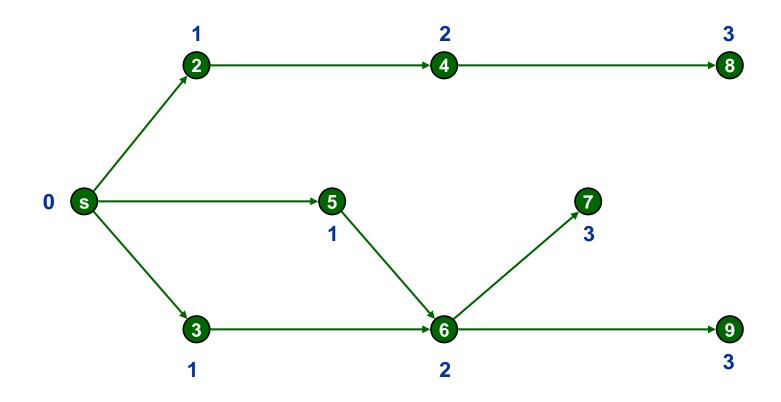


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Level Graph

Analysis of BFS

- Initialization takes O(V).
- Traversal Loop
 - After initialization, each vertex is enqueued and dequeued at most once, and each operation takes O(1). So, total time for queuing is O(V).
 - The adjacency list of each vertex is scanned at most once. The sum of lengths of all adjacency lists is $\Theta(E)$.
- Summing up over all vertices => total running time of BFS is O(V+E), linear in the size of the adjacency list representation of graph.

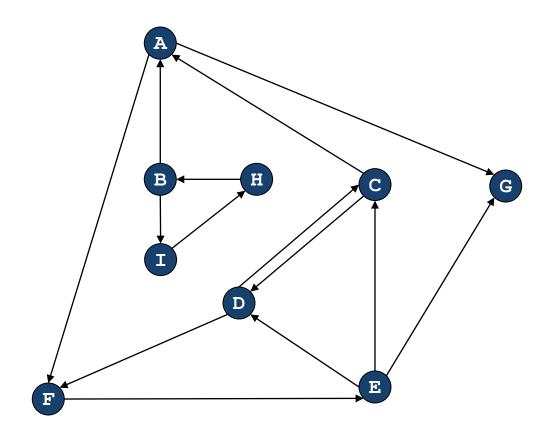
Depth first search

Depth-first Search (DFS)

- Explore edges out of the most recently discovered vertex v.
- When all edges of v have been explored, backtrack to explore other edges leaving the vertex from which v was discovered (its predecessor).
- "Search as deep as possible first."
- Continue until all vertices reachable from the original source are discovered.
- If any undiscovered vertices remain, then one of them is chosen as a new source and search is repeated from that source.

Depth-first Search

- Input: G = (V, E), directed or undirected. No source vertex given!
- Output:
 - 2 timestamps on each vertex. Integers between 1 and 2|V|.
 - d[v] = discovery time (v turns from white to gray)
 - f[v] = finishing time (v turns from gray to black)
 - $\pi[v]$: predecessor of v = u, such that v was discovered during the scan of u's adjacency list.
- Uses the same coloring scheme for vertices as BFS.



Adjacency Lists

A: FG

B: A]

C: A D

D: CF

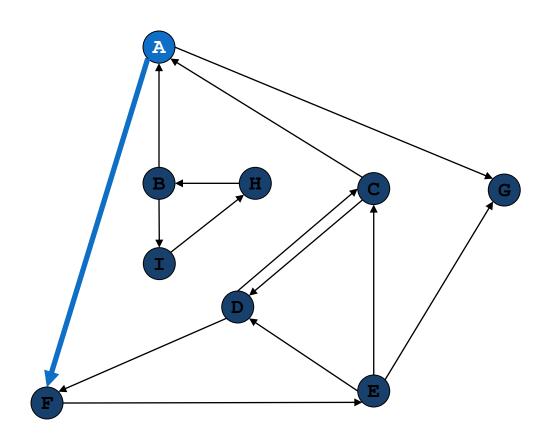
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F: E

G:

H: B

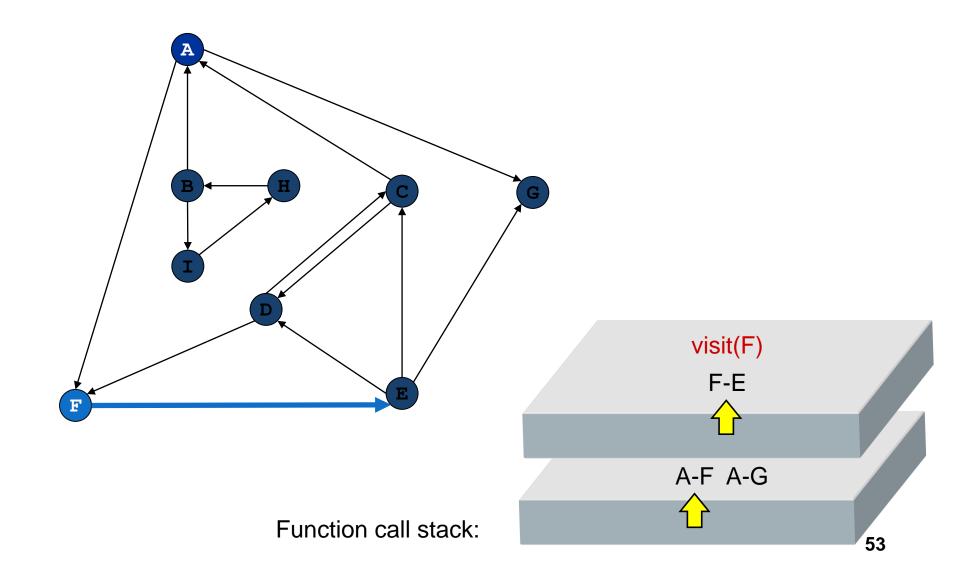
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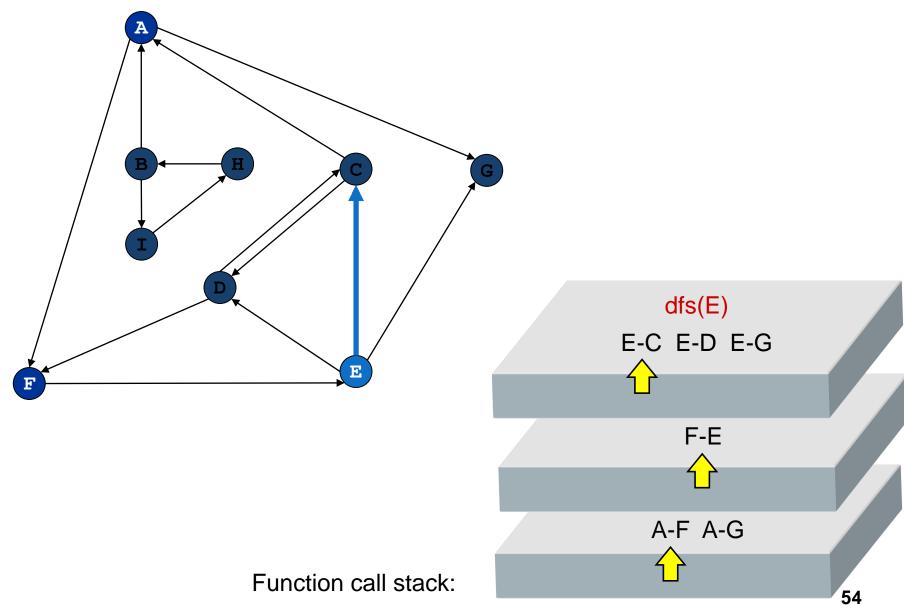


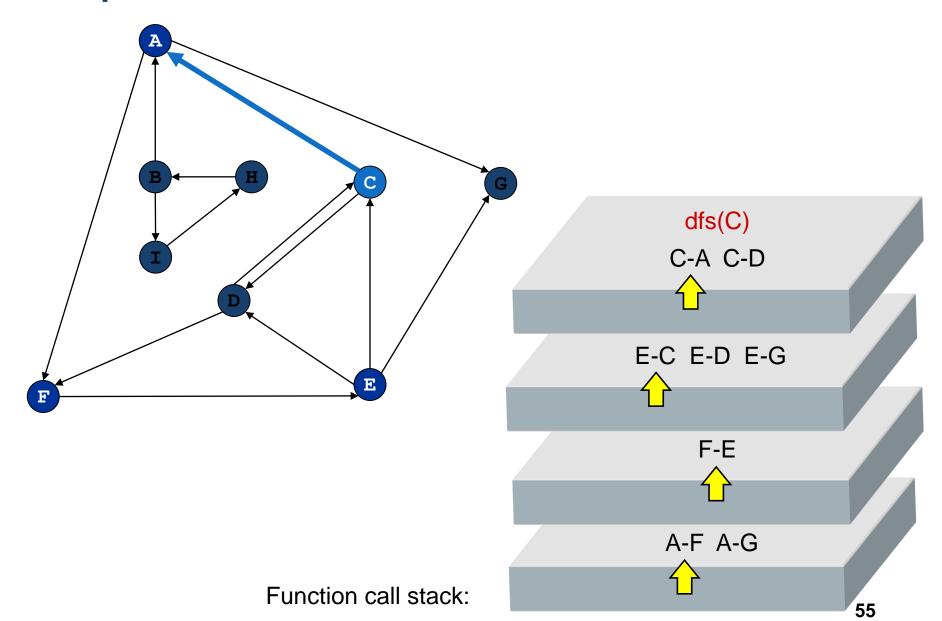
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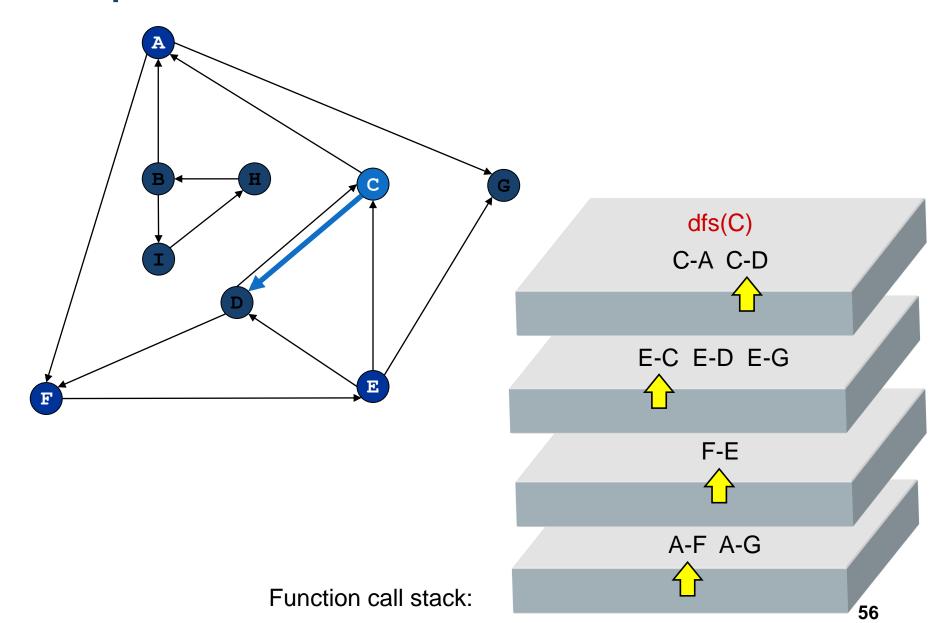
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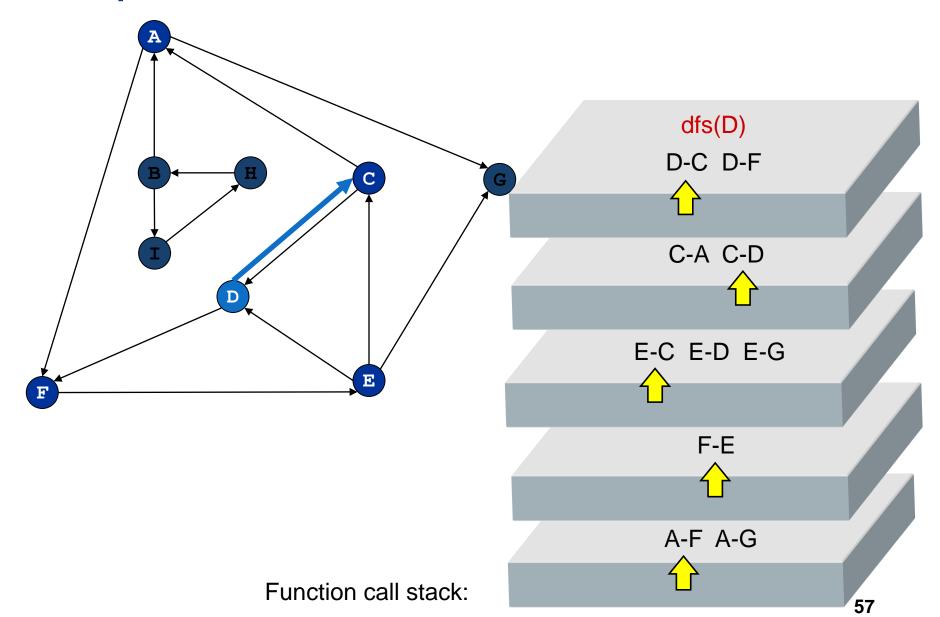


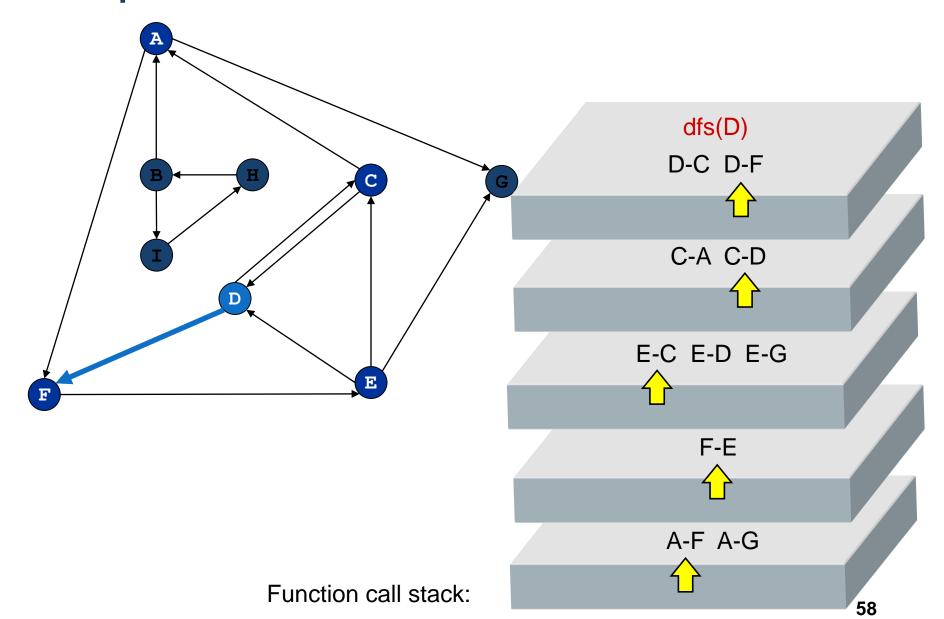


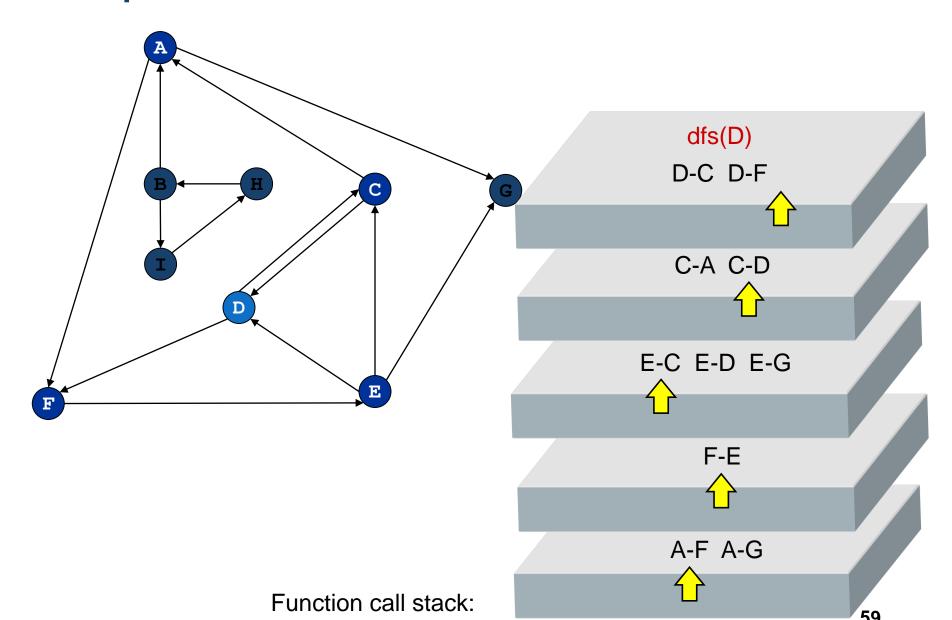


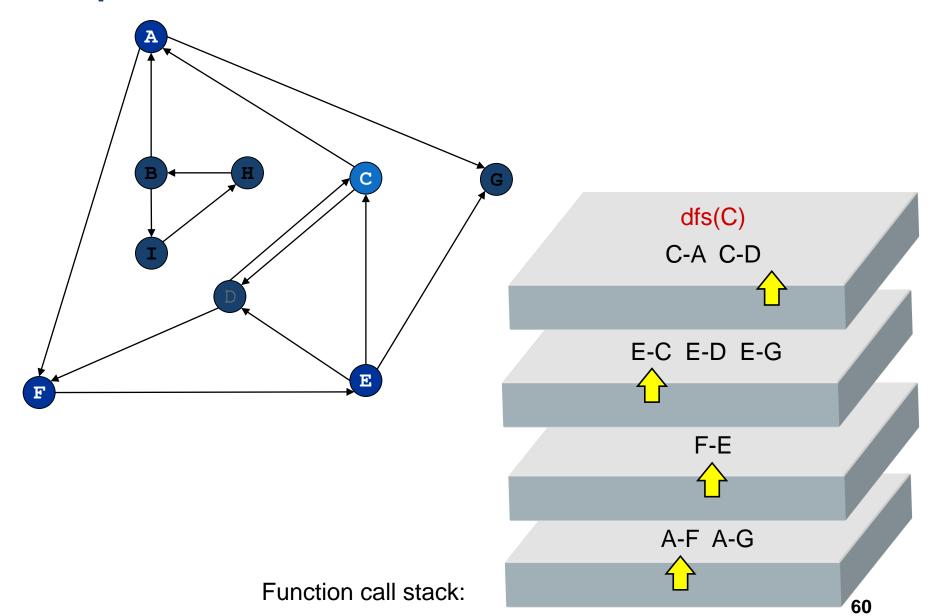


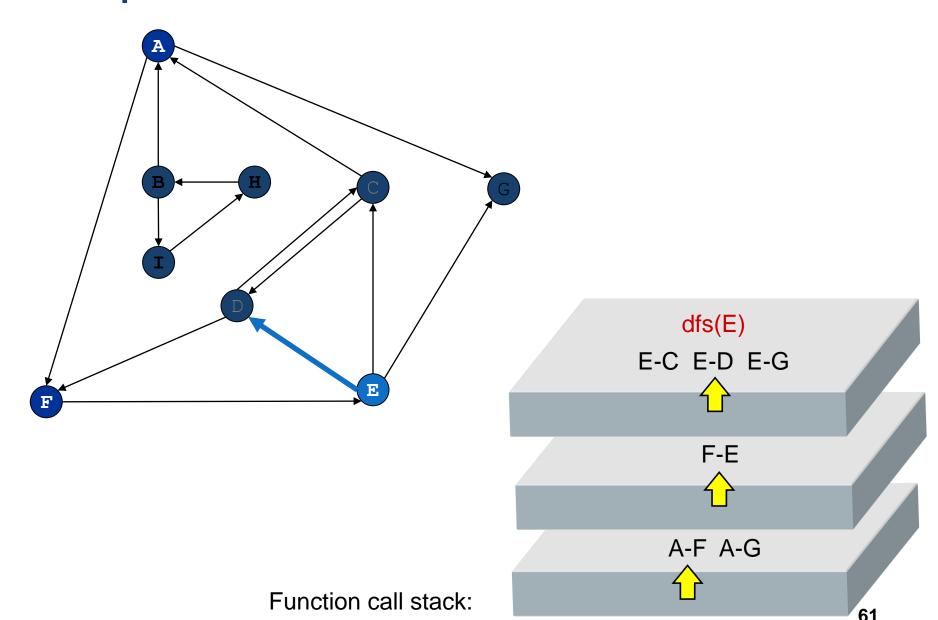


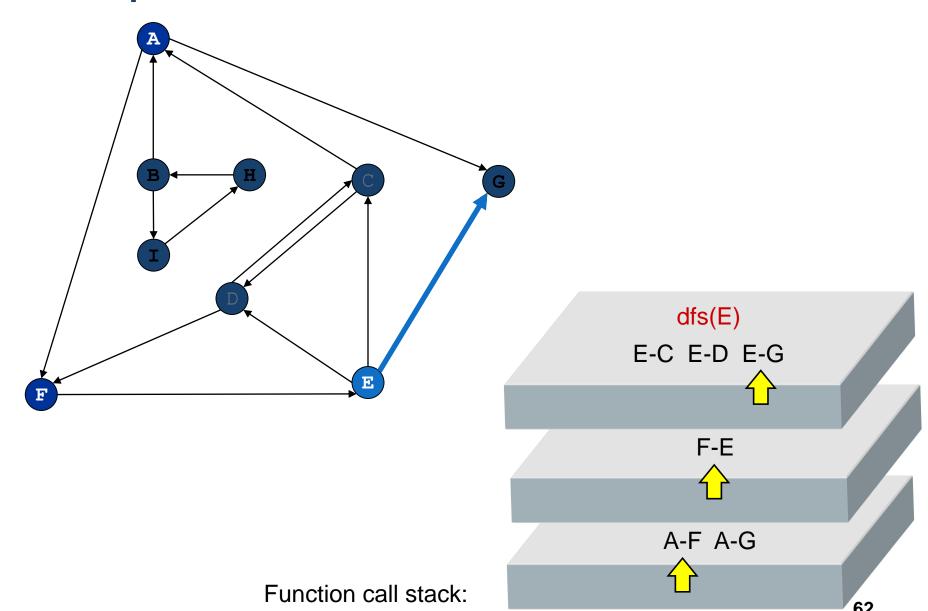


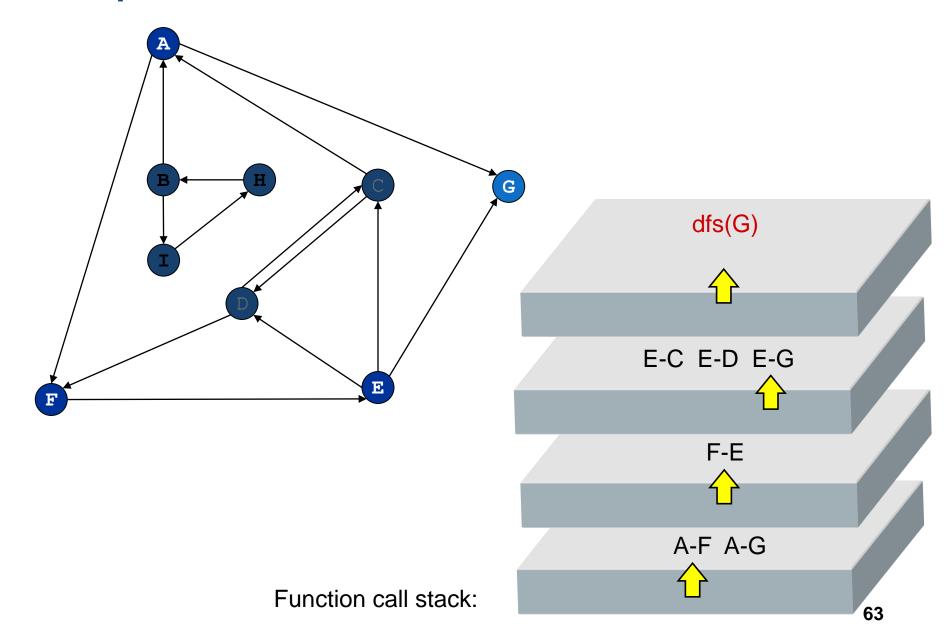


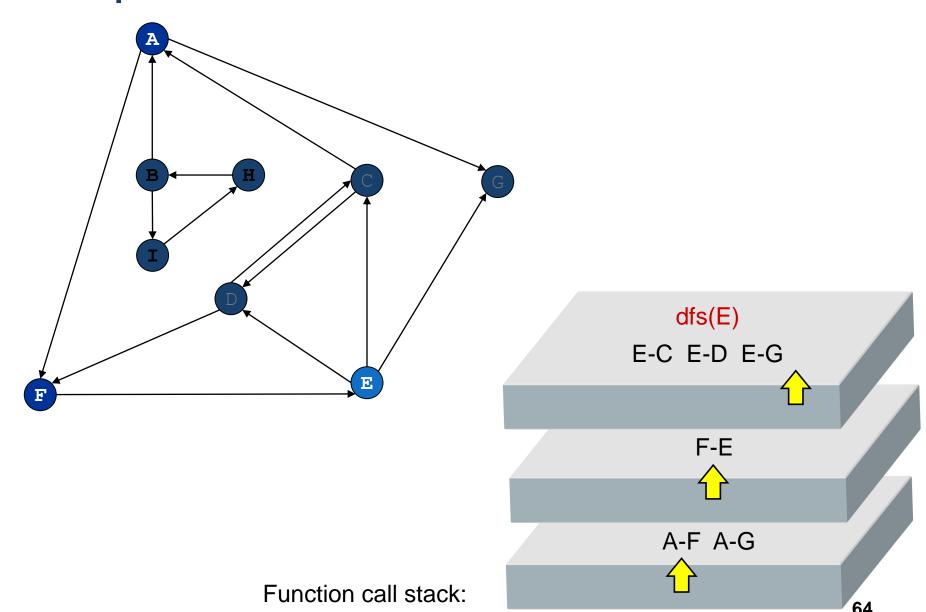


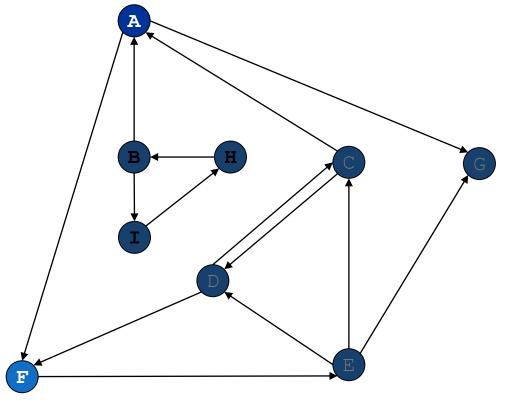


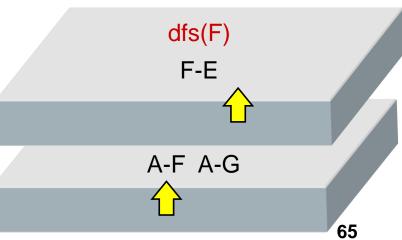




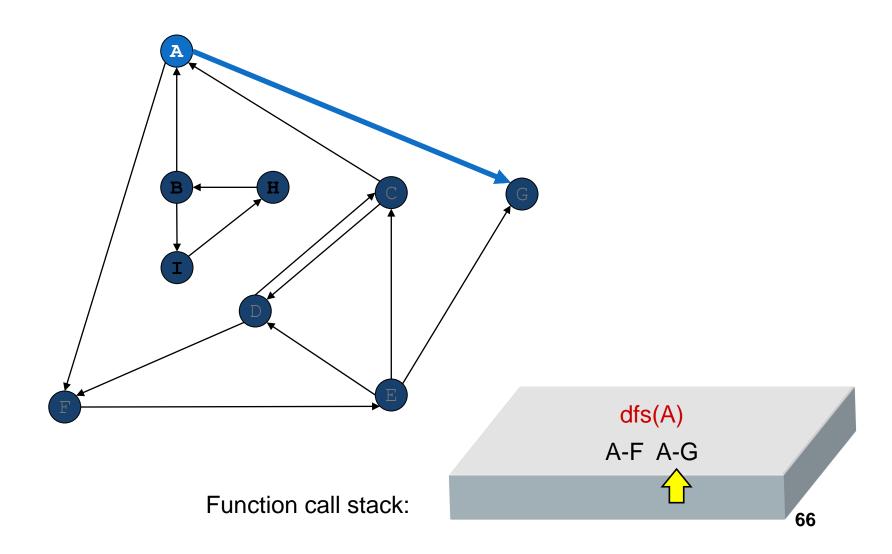


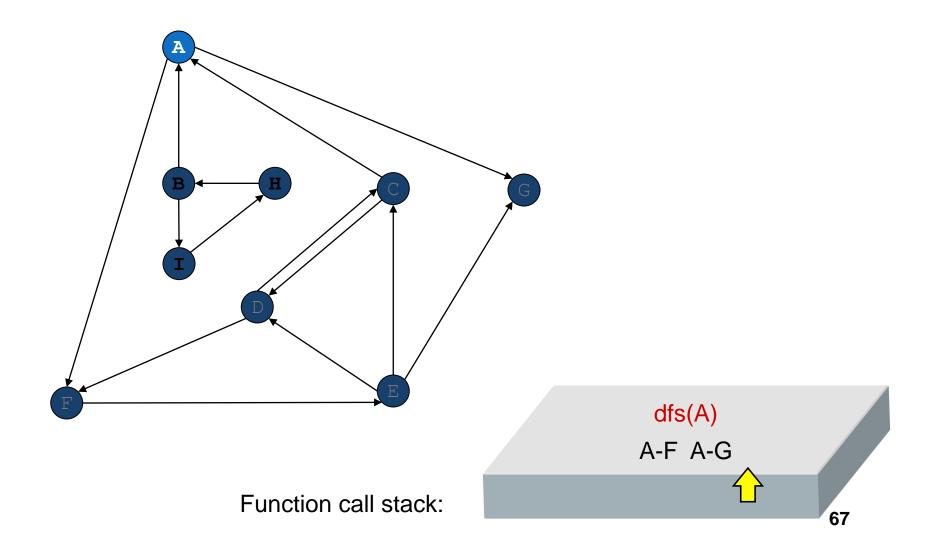


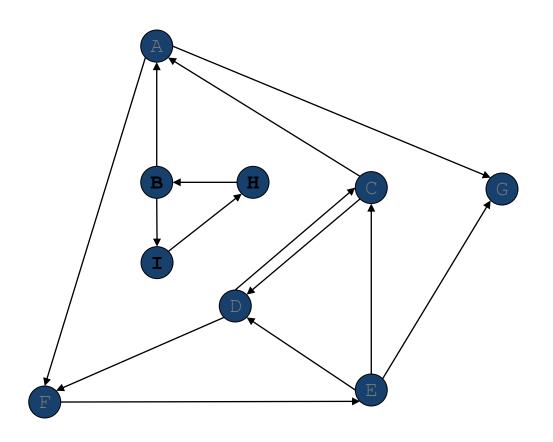




Function call stack:







Nodes reachable from A: A, C, D, E, F, G

Pseudo-code

DFS(G)

- 1. **for** each vertex $u \in V[G]$
- 2. **do** $color[u] \leftarrow$ white
- 3. $\pi[u] \leftarrow NIL$
- 4. $time \leftarrow 0$
- 5. **for** each vertex $u \in V[G]$
- 6. **do if** color[u] = white
- 7. **then** DFS-Visit(u)

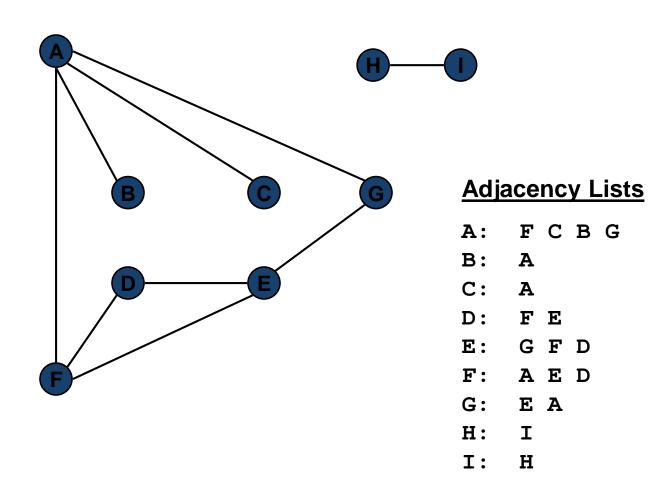
Uses a global timestamp *time*.

DFS-Visit(u)

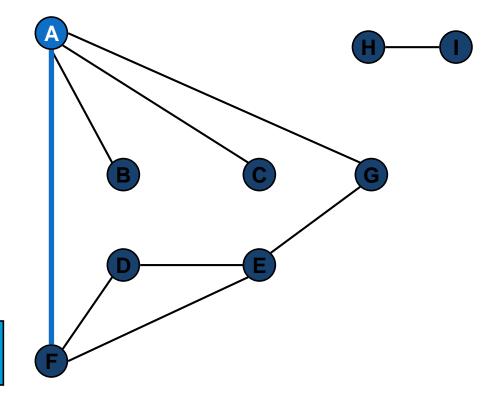
- color[u] ← GRAY ∇ White vertex u has been discovered
- 2. $time \leftarrow time + 1$
- 3. $d[u] \leftarrow time$
- 4. **for** each $v \in AdJ[u]$
- 5. **do if** color[v] = WHITE
- 6. then $\pi[v] \leftarrow u$
- 7. DFS-Visit(v)
- 8. $color[u] \leftarrow BLACK \quad \nabla Blacken \ u;$ it is finished.
- 9. $f[u] \leftarrow time \leftarrow time + 1$

Analysis of DFS

- Loops on lines 1-2 & 5-7 take ⊕(V) time, excluding time to execute DFS-Visit.
- DFS-Visit is called once for each white vertex $v \in V$ when it's painted gray the first time. Lines 3-6 of DFS-Visit is executed |Adj[v]| times. The total cost of executing DFS-Visit is $\sum_{v \in V} |Adj[v]| = \Theta(E)$
- Total running time of DFS is $\Theta(V+E)$.



Undirected DFS



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Undirected Depth First Search

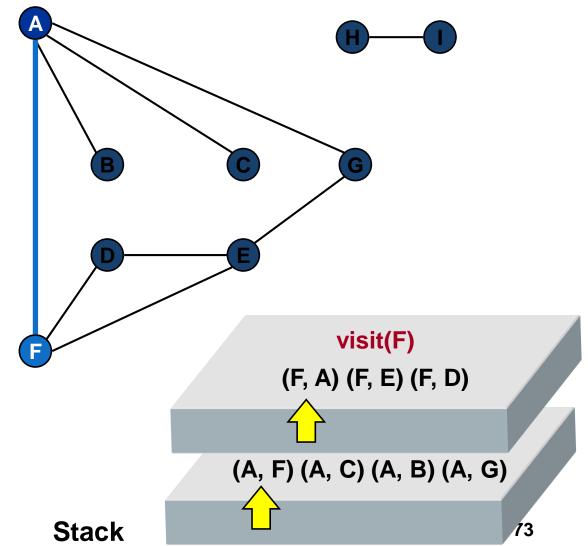
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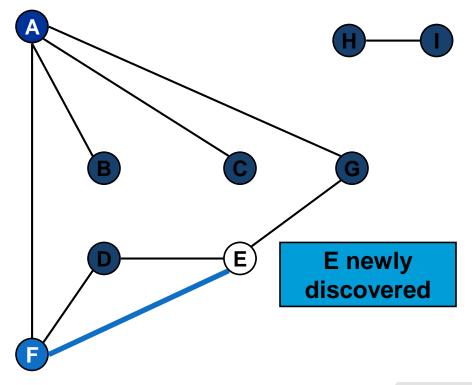
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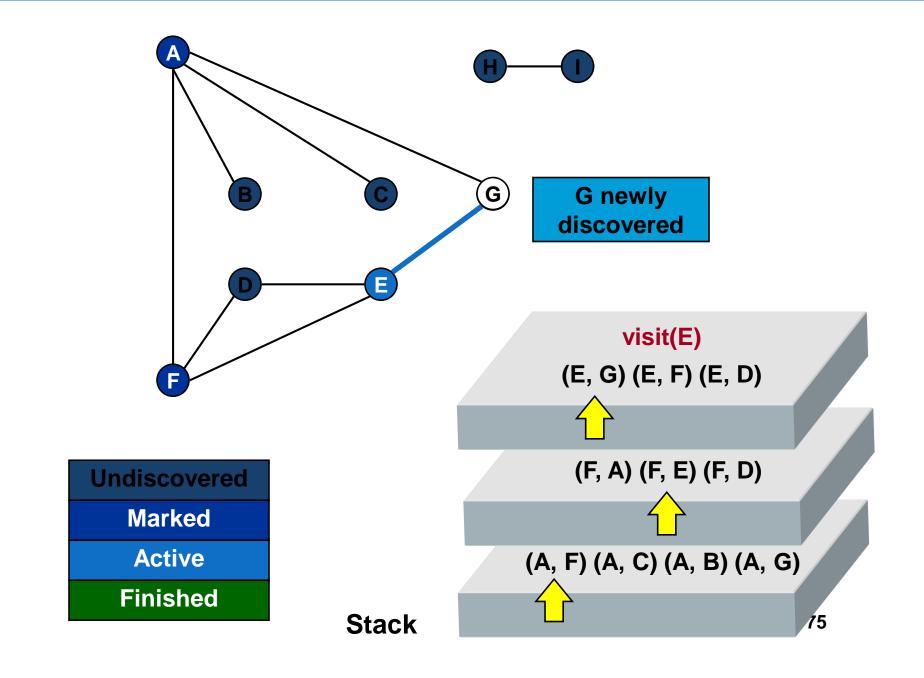
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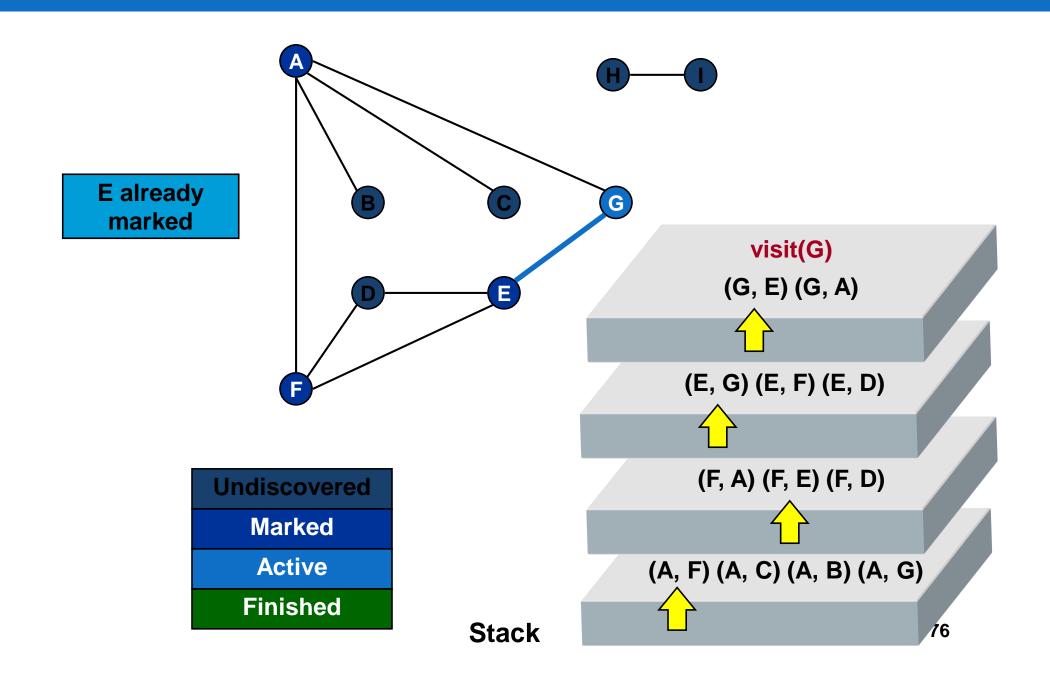


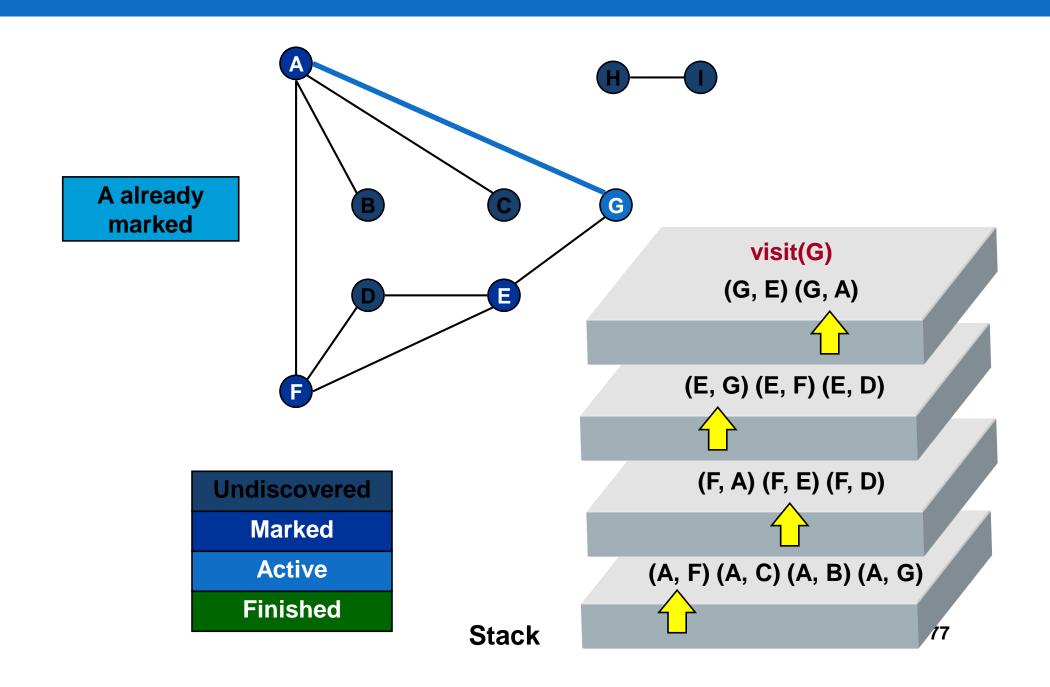
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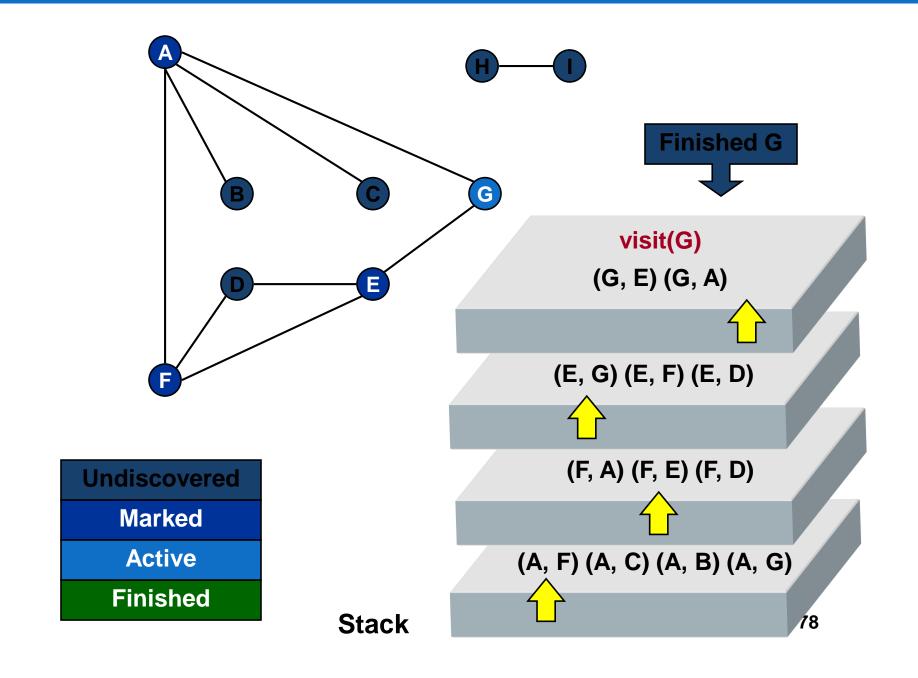


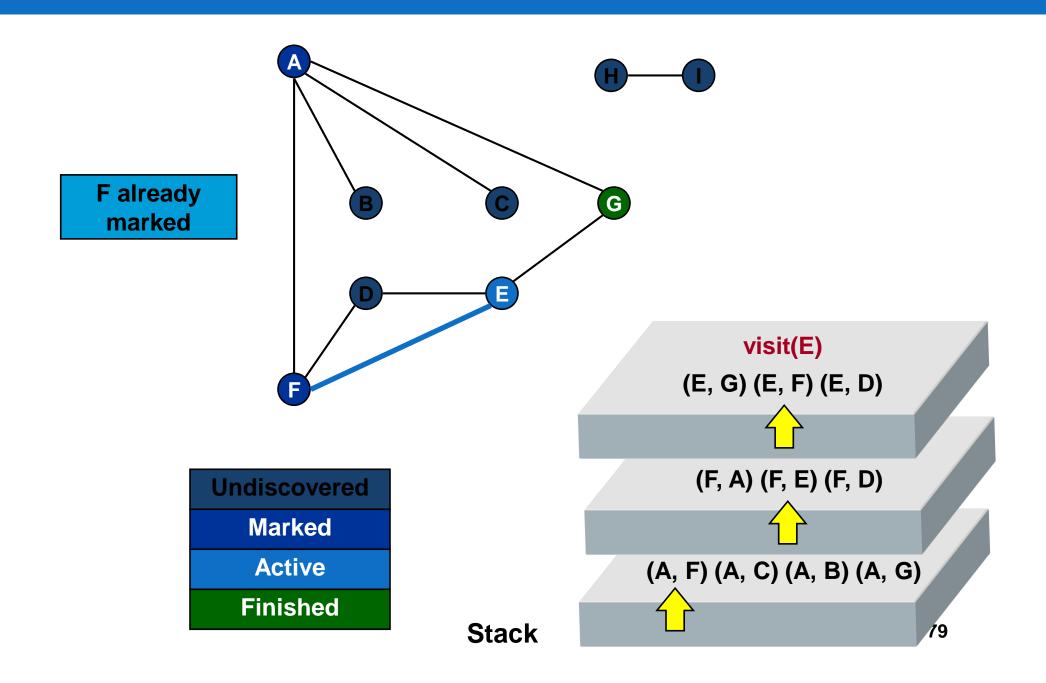
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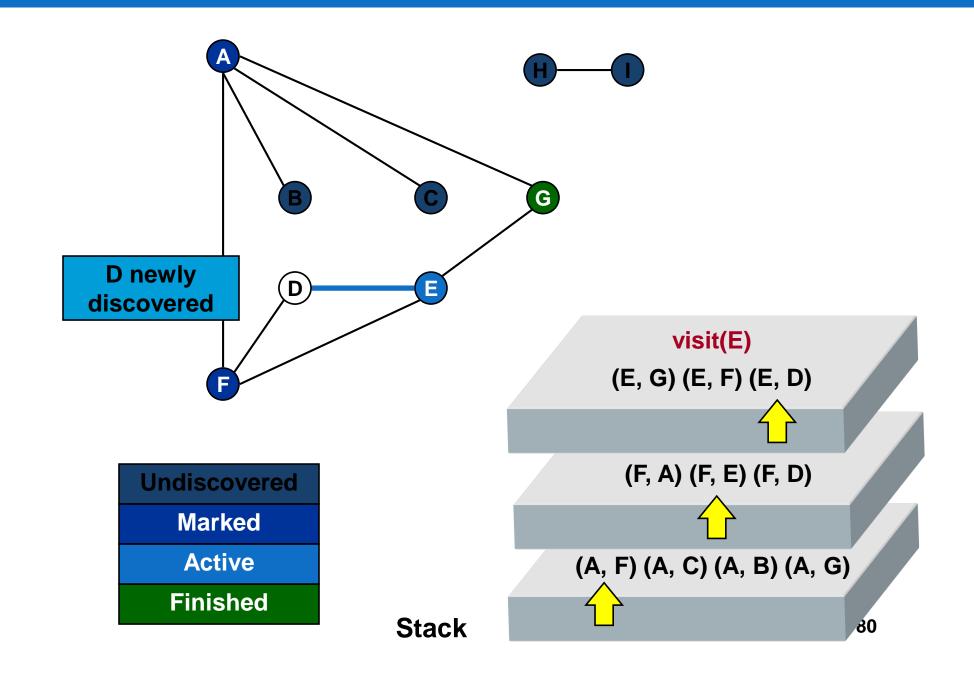


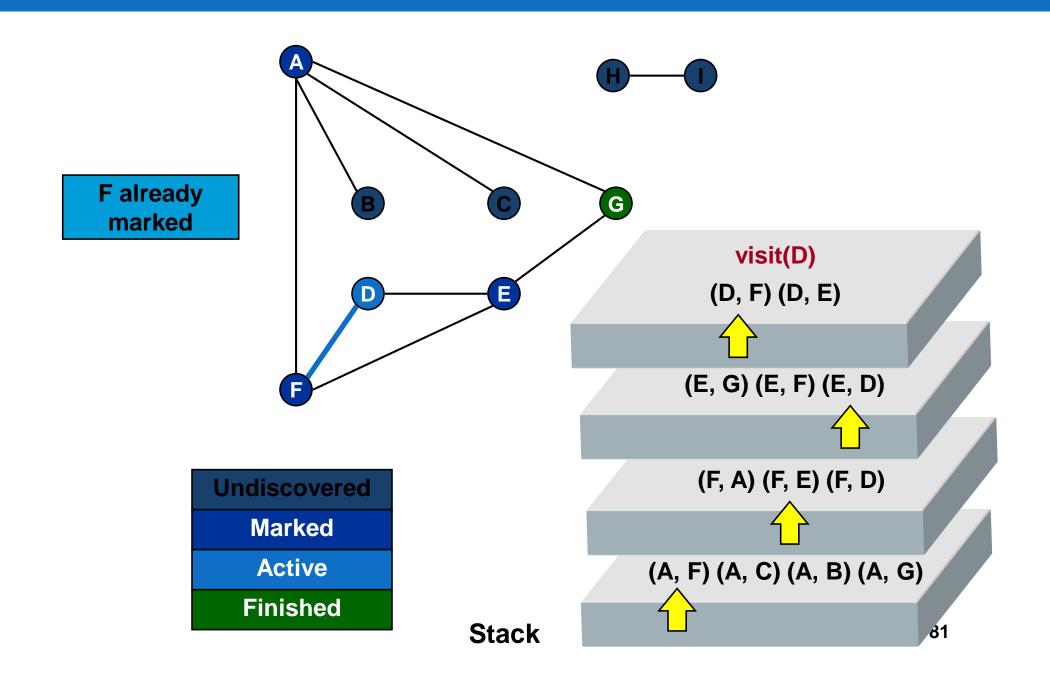


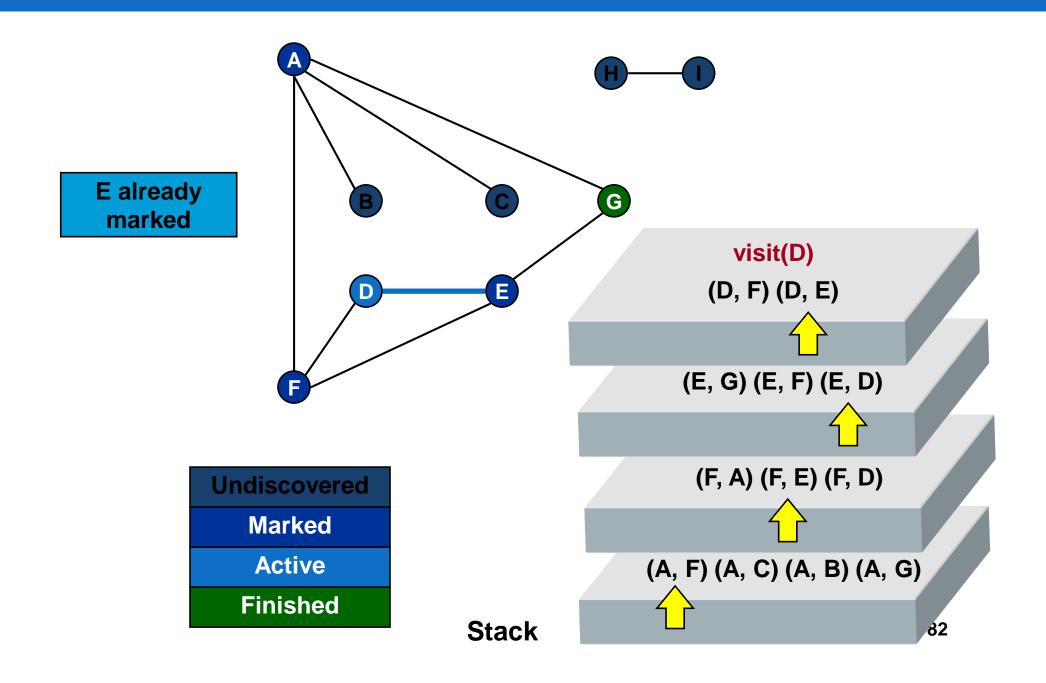


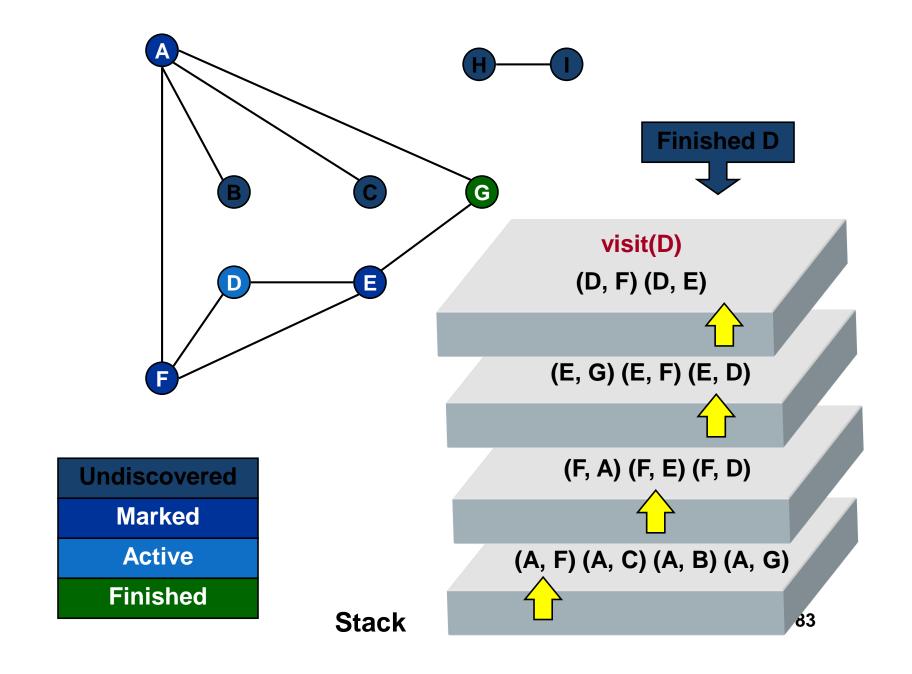


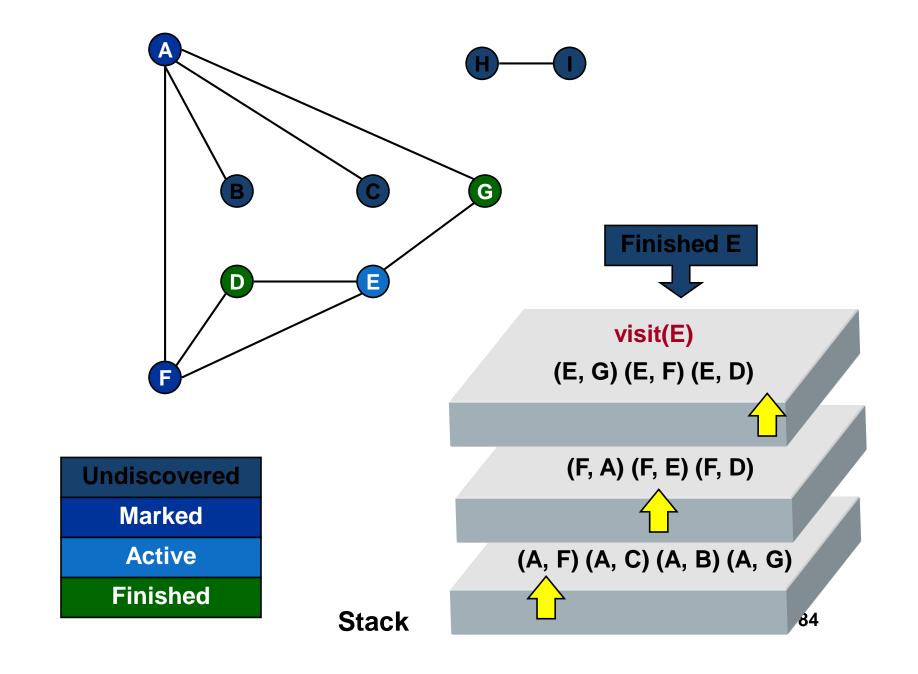


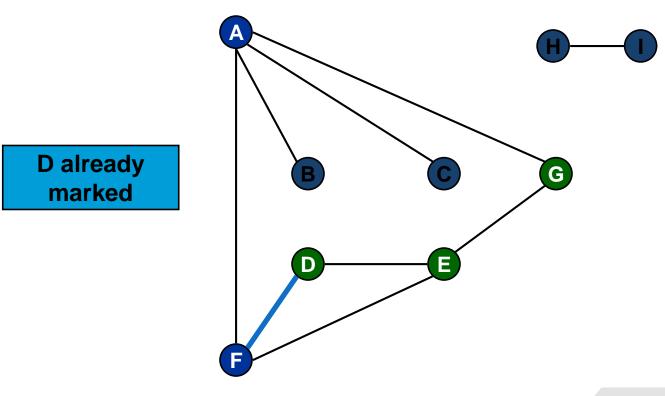












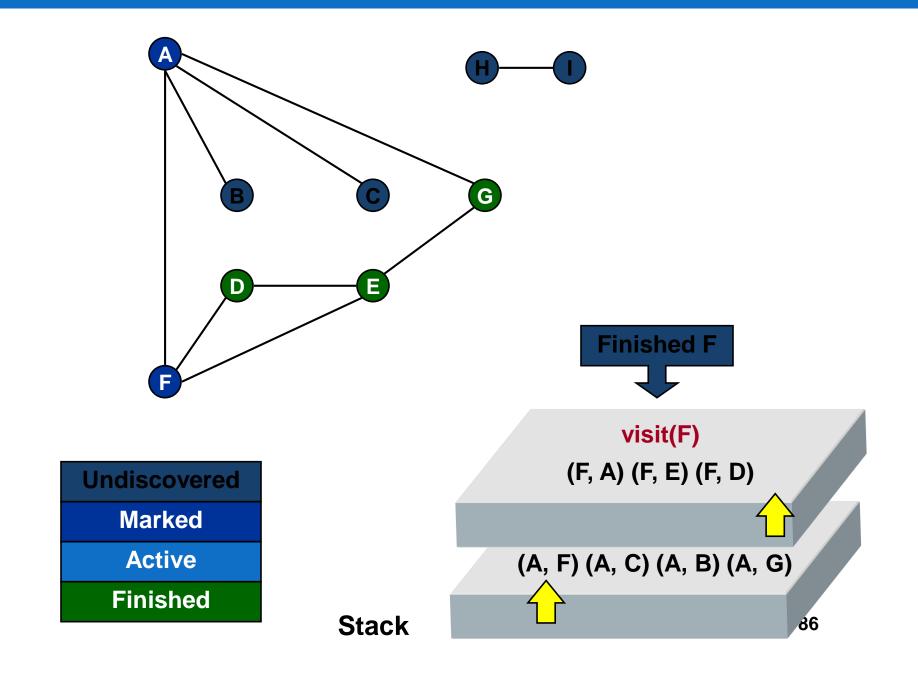
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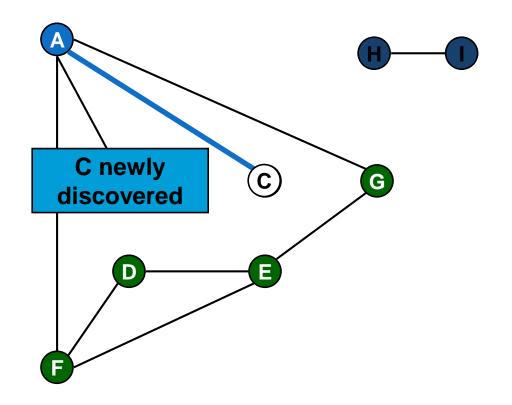
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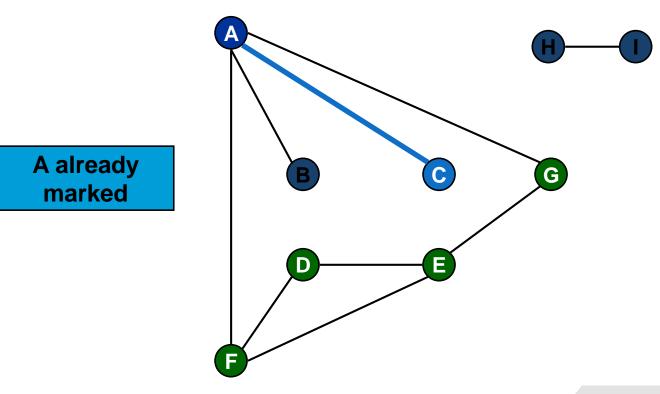
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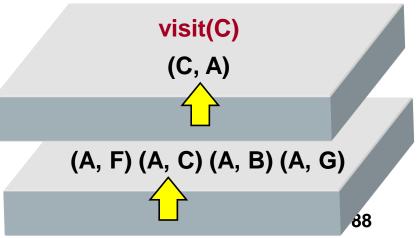


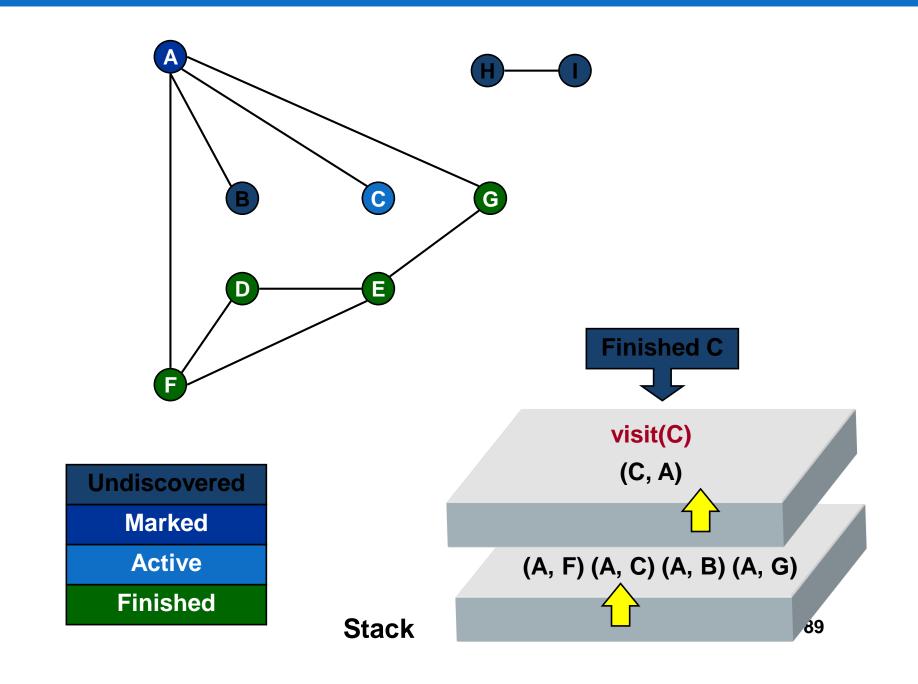
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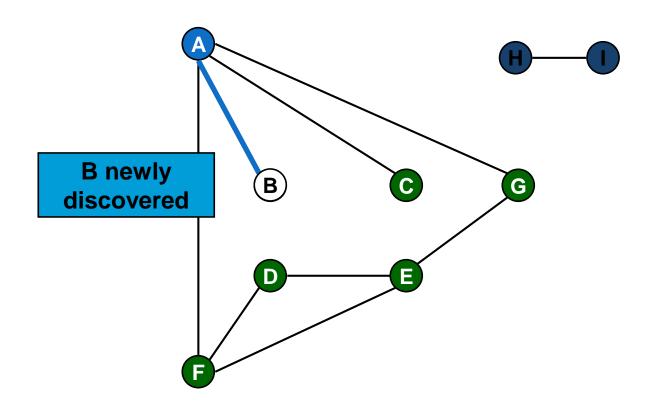
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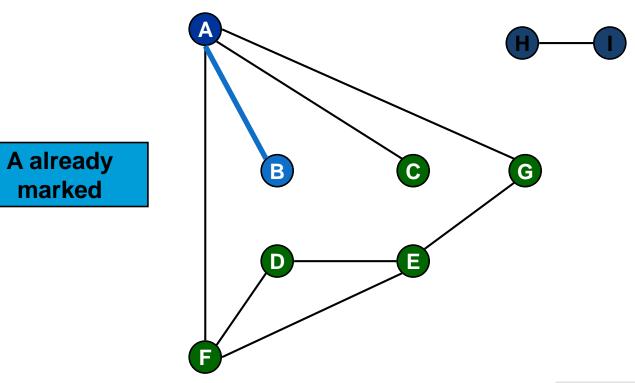
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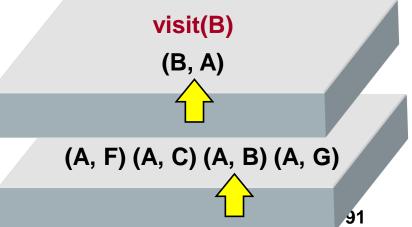


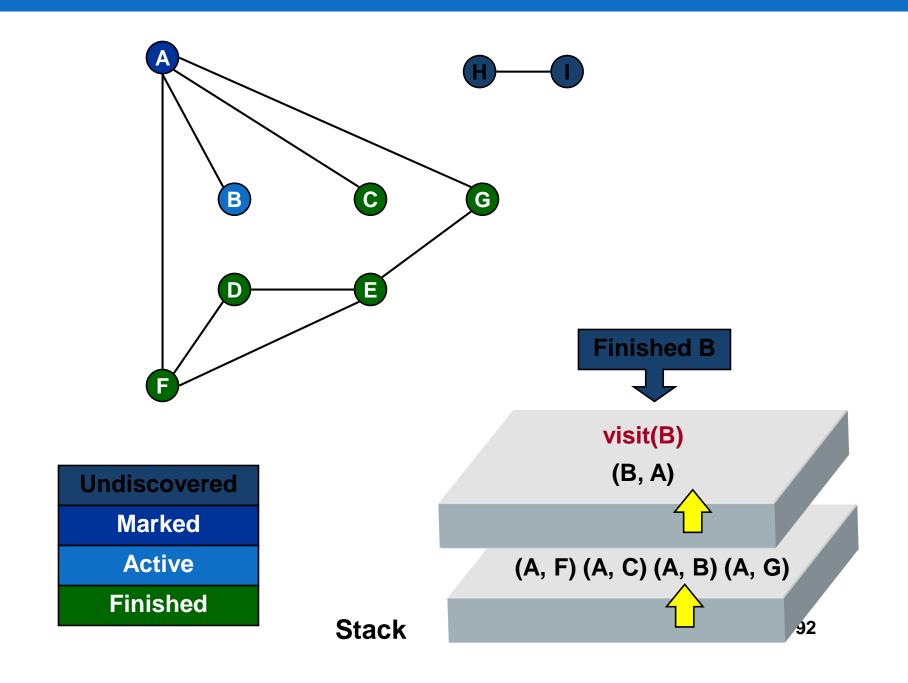
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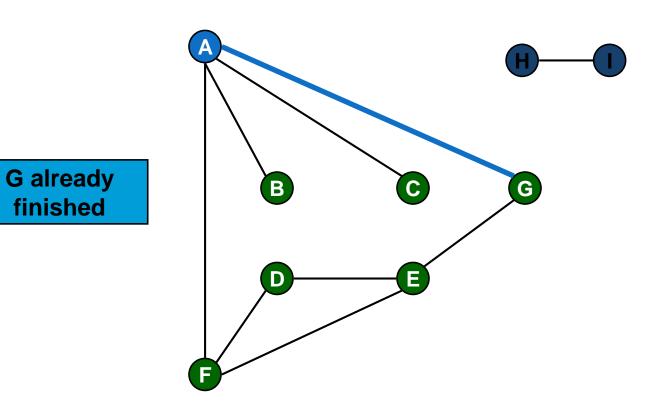


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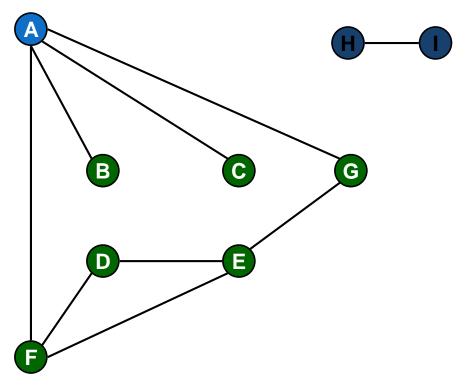


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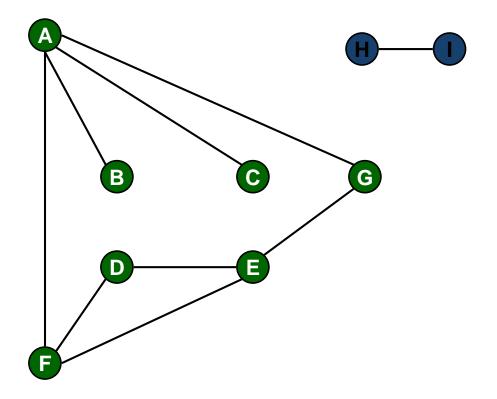
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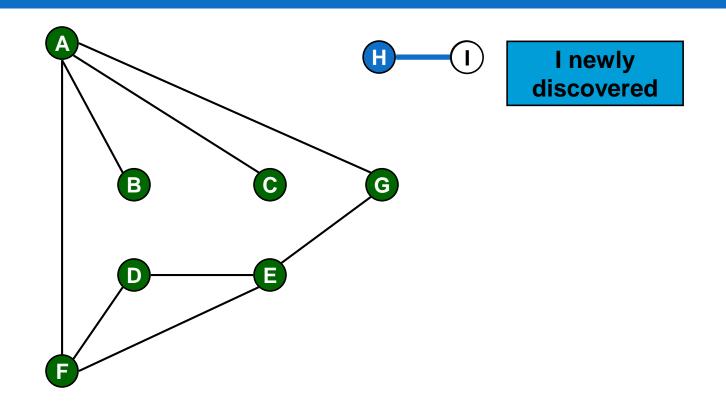


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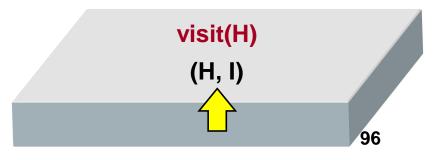


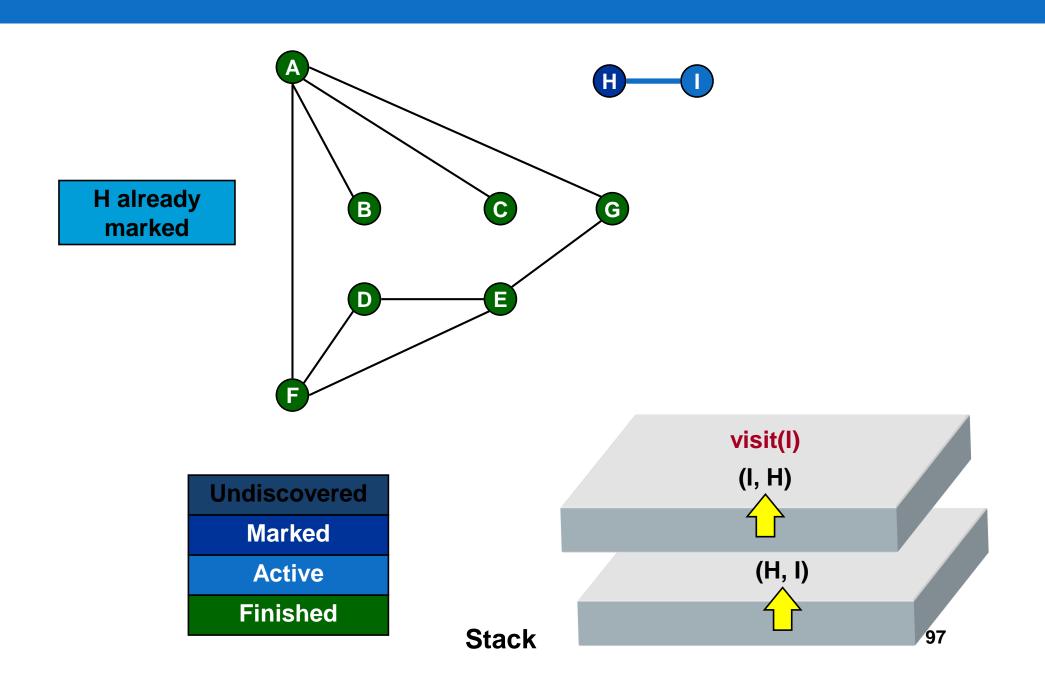


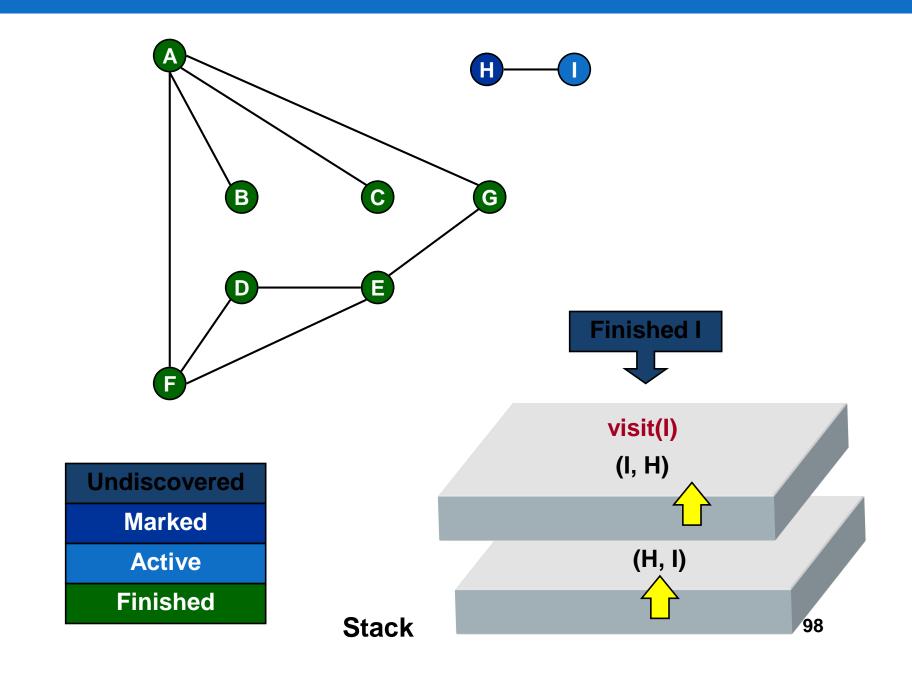
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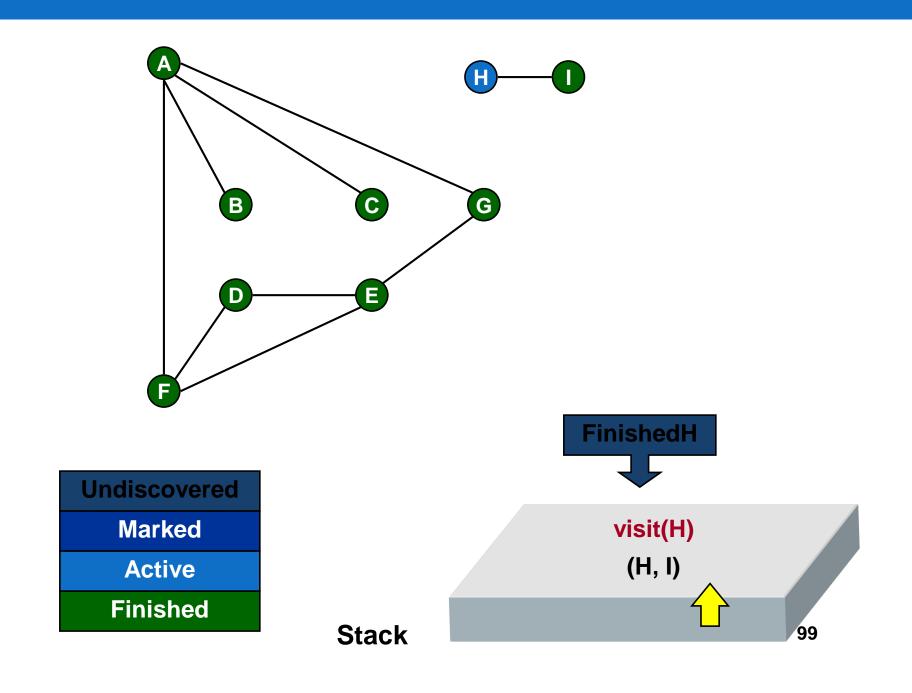
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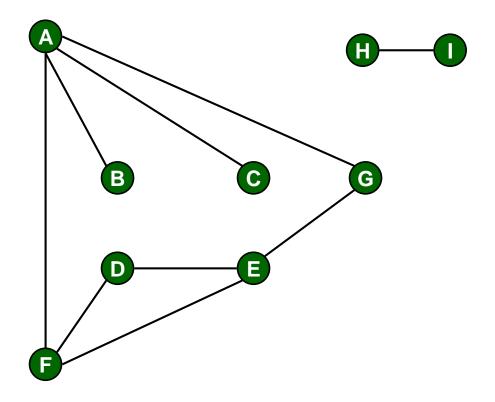
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Time complexity of BFS & DFS

BFS is slower than DFS. DFS is faster than BFS. Time Complexity of BFS = O(V+E) where V is vertices and E is edges. Time Complexity of DFS is also O(V+E) where V is vertices and E is edges.