

1 → land  
0 → water

No. of islands = 2

Make a bridge from Island 1 to Island 2  
so that the length of bridge is shortest.

From any single island, find shortest distance  
of second land

↓  
BFS

Steps:

① → Find a cell having '1', (if we have all ones from single island, then we can apply DFS from that one, and add all one in a queue, apply DFS and mark one as well. Barrier are '0', i.e. we can't simultaneously travel through '0'.

BFS →

level = ~~1~~ ~~2~~ ~~3~~ 2

First one encodes  
→ level is my ans

~~(0,0)~~ | ~~(0,1)~~ | ~~(1,0)~~ | ~~(2,1)~~ | ~~(2,0)~~ | ~~(2,1)~~ | ~~(3,0)~~ | ~~(3,1)~~ | ~~(0,2)~~ | ~~(1,2)~~ | ~~(2,2)~~ | ~~(3,2)~~ | ~~(0,3)~~ | (1,3) | (2,3) | (3,3)

all ones from single island

size = ~~8~~ 4

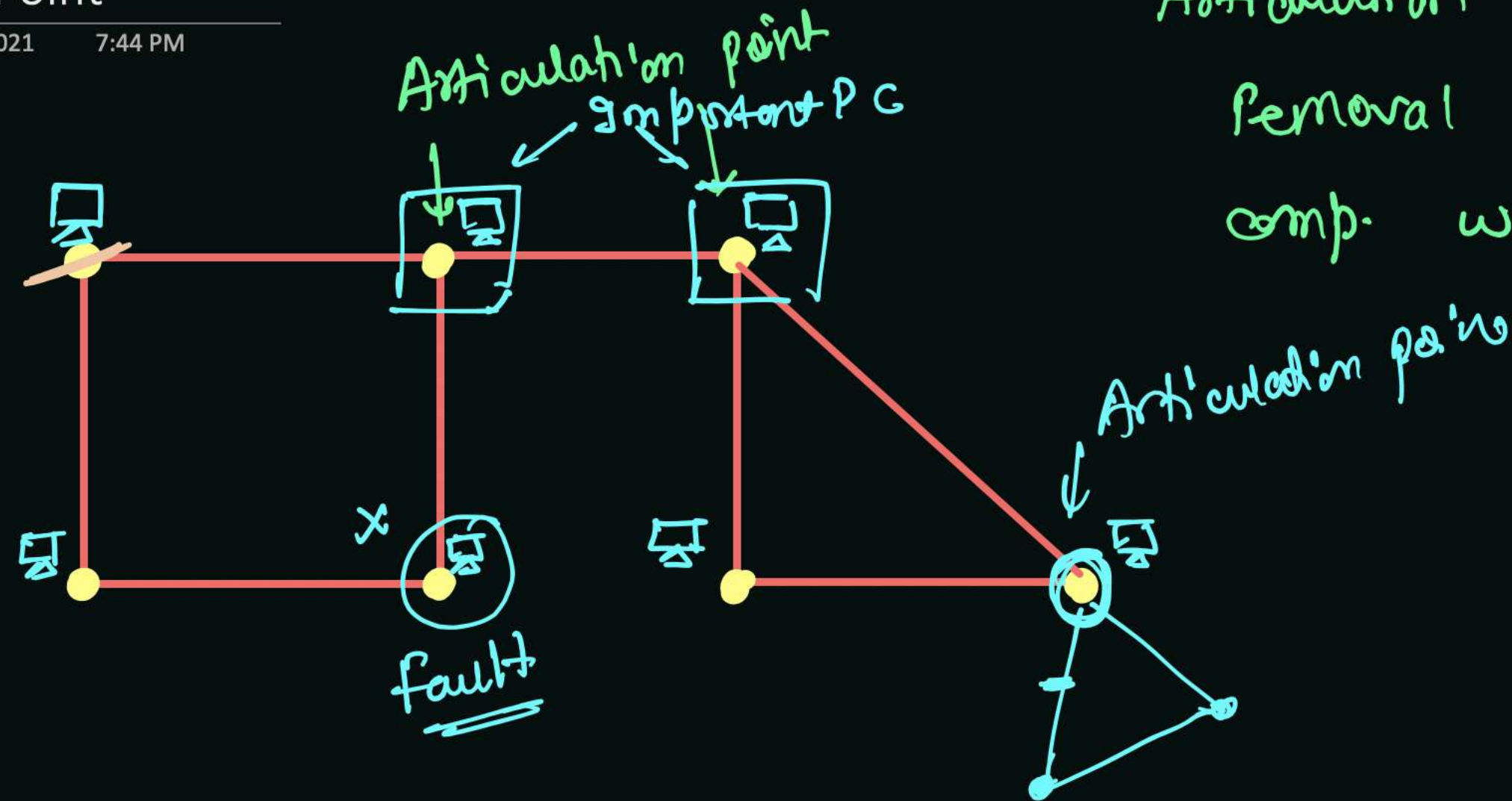
Ans = 2



# Articulation Point

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Connected Graph

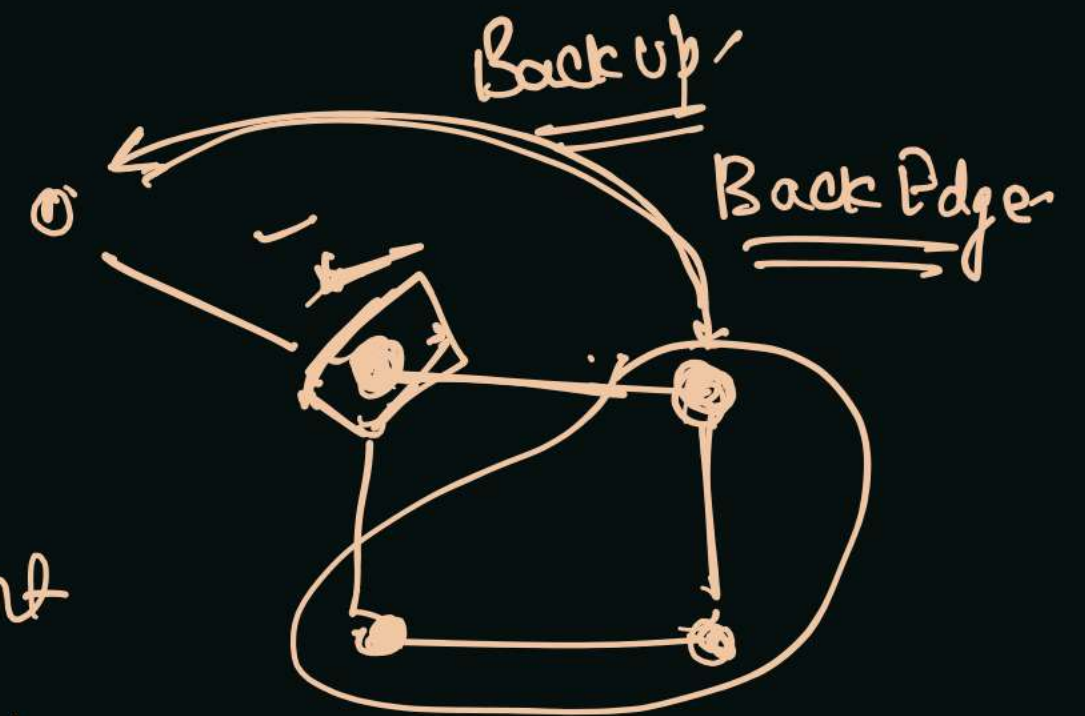


Articulation point  $\rightarrow$  A point from removal of that point, no. of connected comp. will increase.

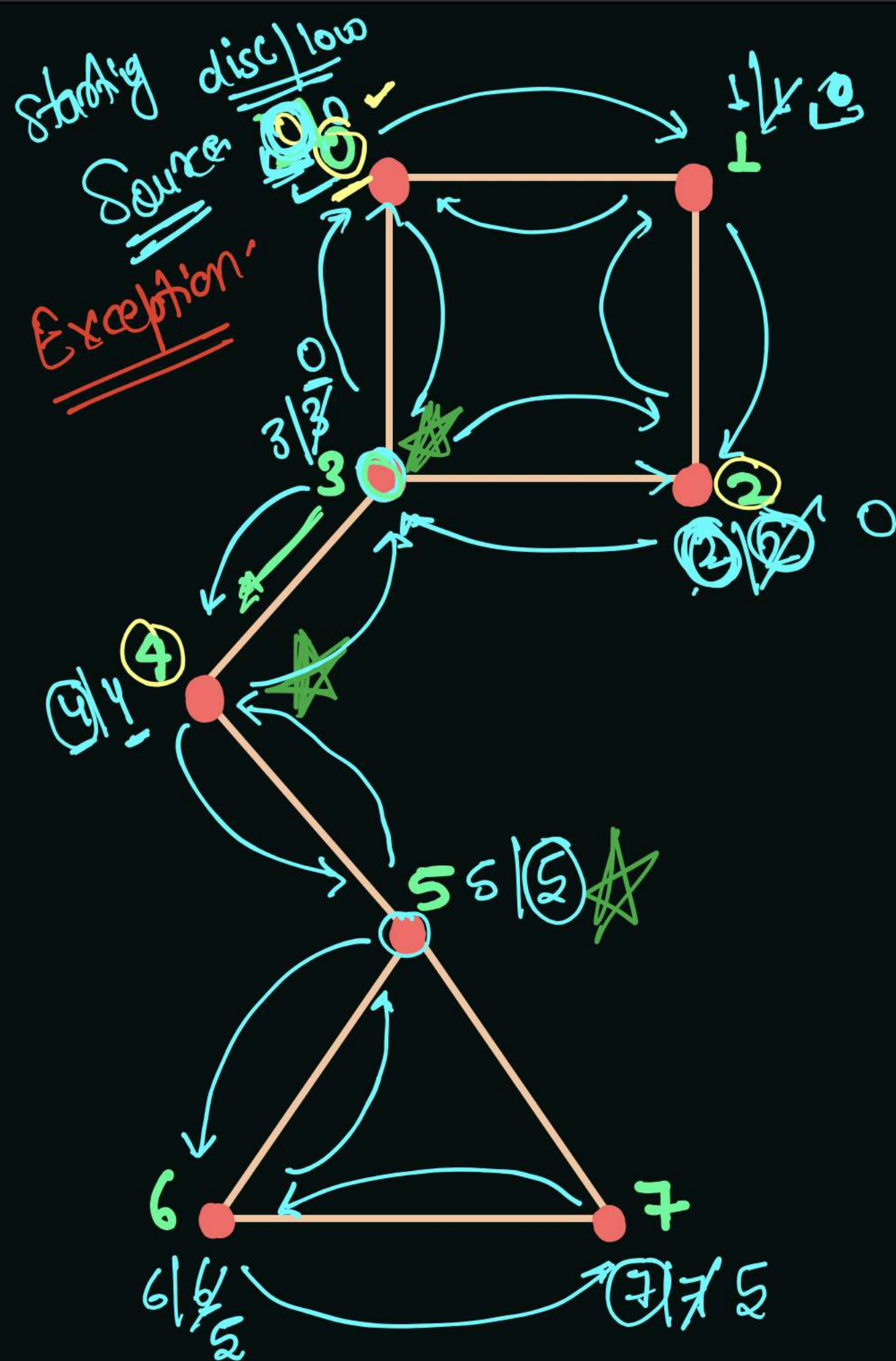
Articulation point ??

Brute force  $\rightarrow$

- \* Remove vertex one by one and check no. of connected component
- \* If more than one connected comp. is present then that vertex is articulation point







what

parent []

discoverytime[] → time of encounter

low time[] → what is this?

post order

disc[src] = low[src] = time;

DFS

loop of neighbor

static int time = 0

encountered vertex through edge

if (nbr == par[src]) { } Required continue;

{ else if (vis[nbr] == true && nbr != par[src]) {

low[src] = Math.min(low[src], disc[nbr]);

why not low[nbr]??

{ else {

articulation(nbr); → call to DFS  
low[src] = Math.min(low[src], low[nbr]);

if (disc[src] <= low[nbr]) {  
articulation[src] = true;

parent

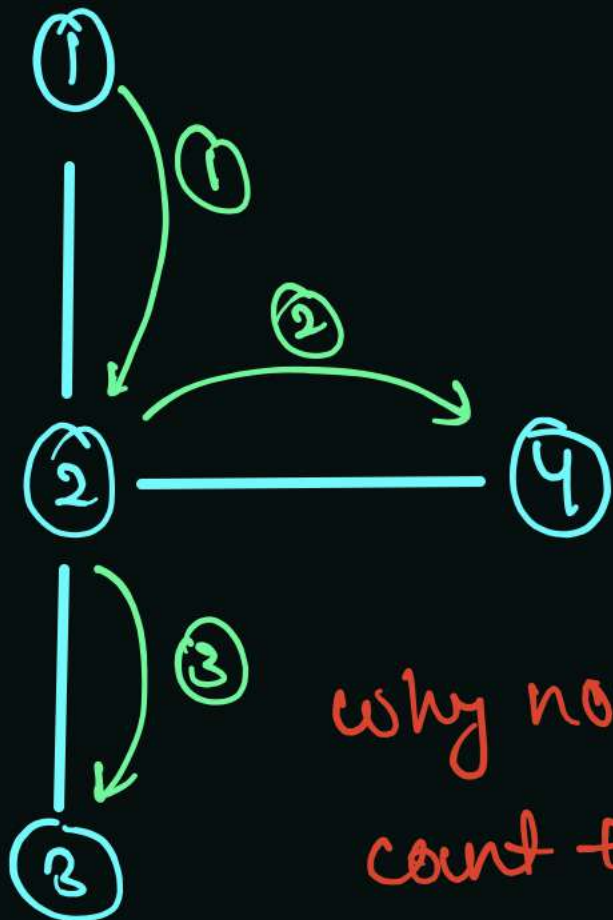
visited neighbor

unvisited neighbor

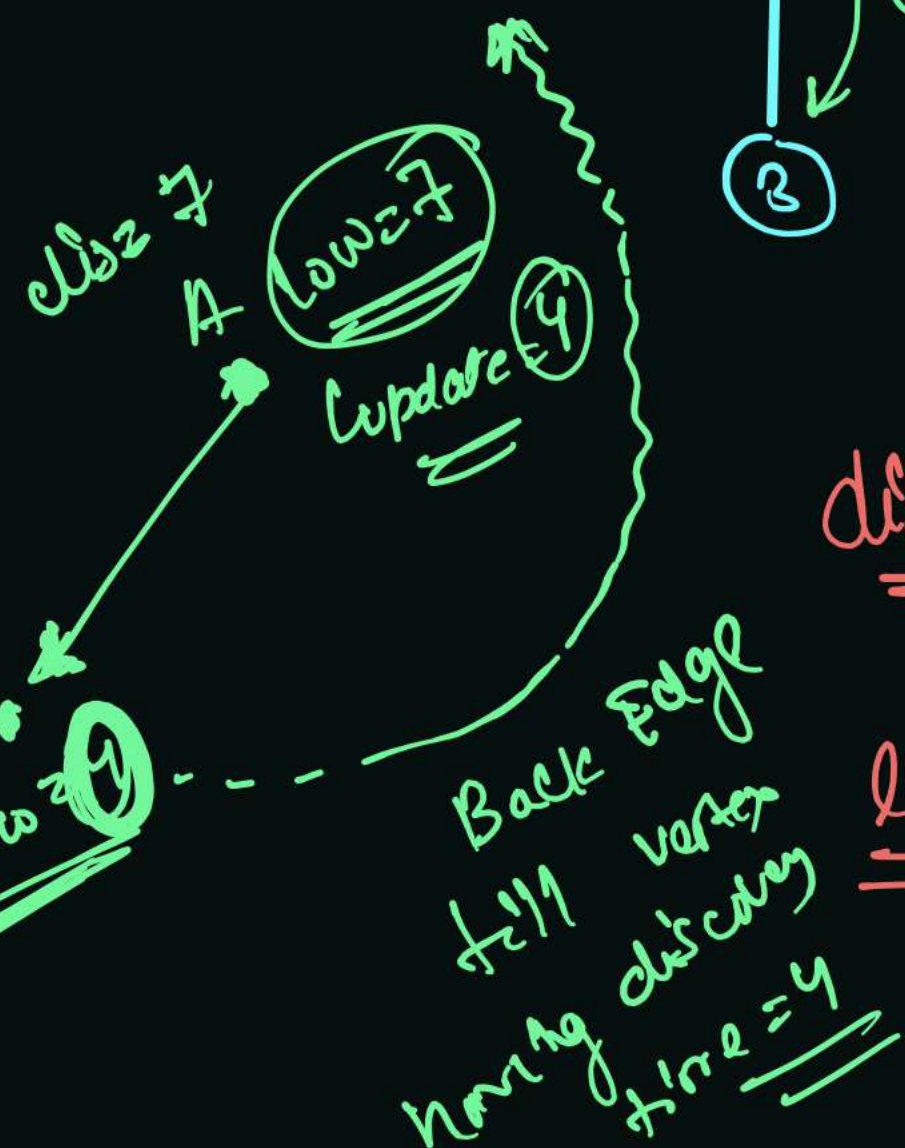


## Example 1

Starting point →

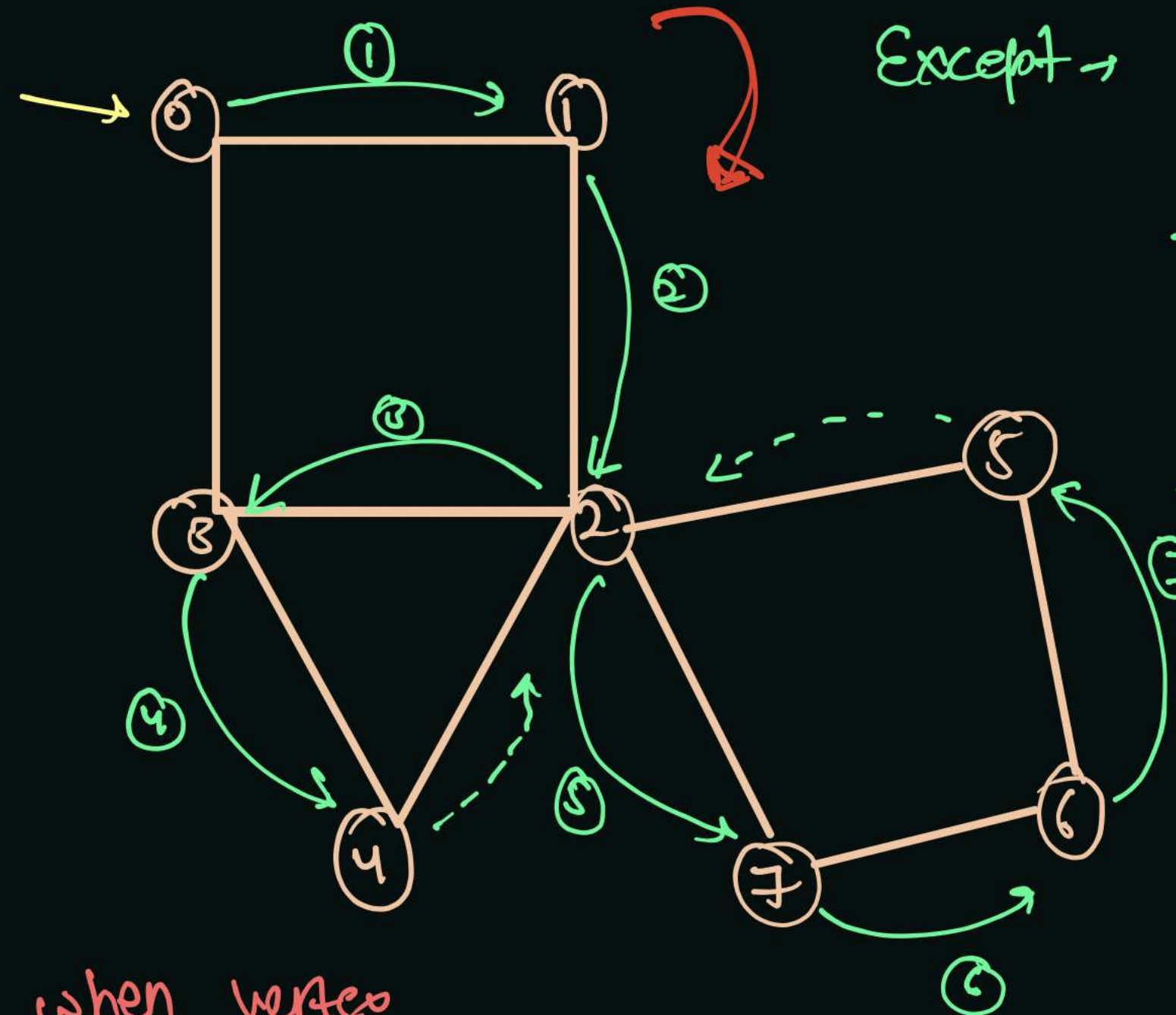


why not count ++ ?!



## Example 2

Starting point →



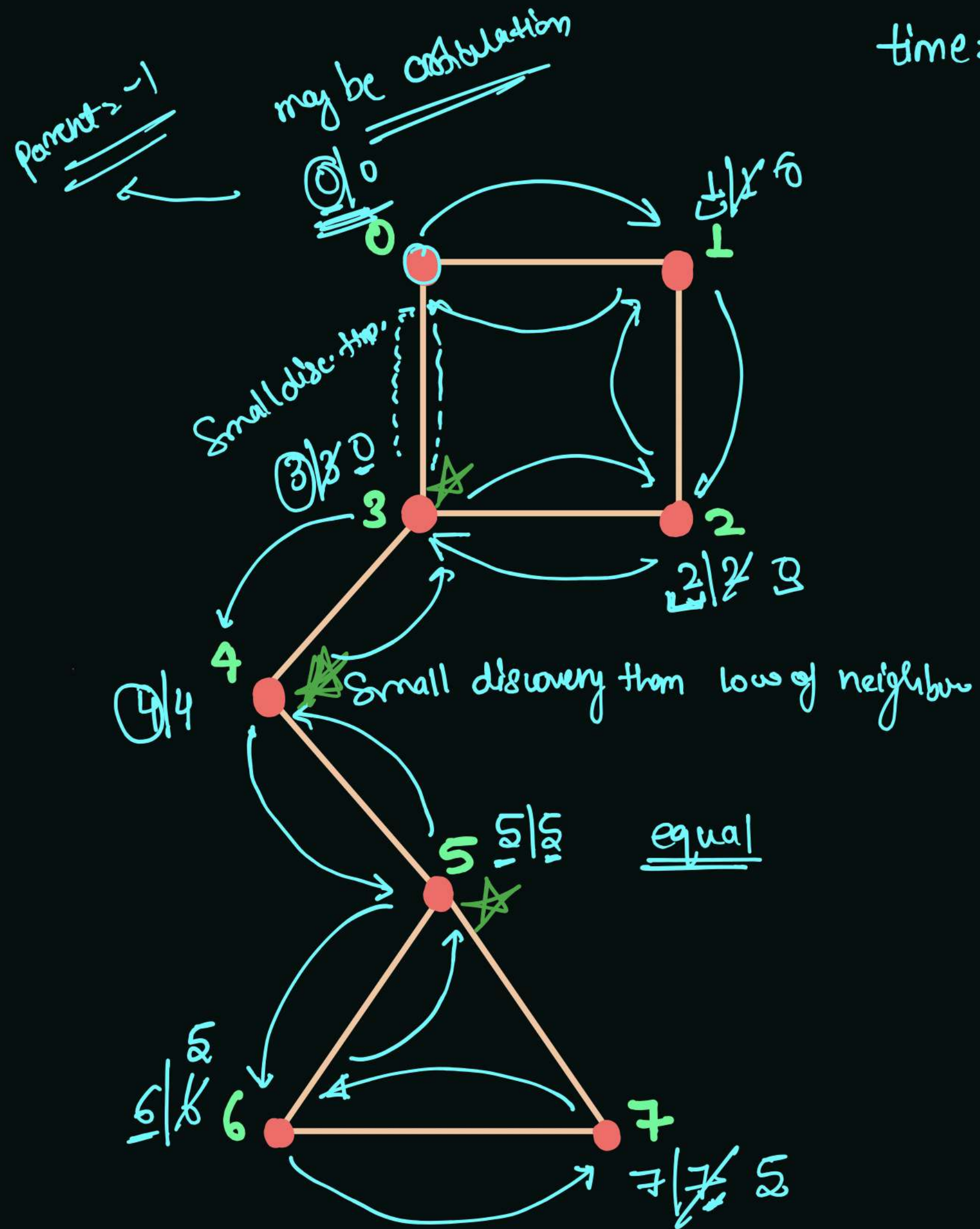
Except → original source  
Starting point src  
Root

visited nbr →  
why not?  $low[src] \leftarrow \min(low[src], low[nbr])$

discovery time[] → time when vertex is discover.

low time[] → smallest time of already visited vertex that is reachable from current source





time = 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

```
private static void dfsArticulation(ArrayList<ArrayList<Integer>> graph,
int src, boolean[] vis, int[] parent, int[] disc, int[] low, boolean[] arti) {
```

```
    disc[src] = low[src] = time;
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```
    time++;
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```
    vis[src] = true;
```

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    for(int nbr : graph.get(src)) {
```

```
        if(vis[nbr] == true && parent[src] != nbr) {
```

```
            // visited but not parent
```

```
            low[src] = Math.min(low[src], disc[nbr]);
```

```
        } else if(vis[nbr] == false) {
```

```
            // unvisited neighbour
```

```
            parent[nbr] = src;
```

```
            dfsArticulation(graph, nbr, vis, parent, disc, low, arti);
```

```
            low[src] = Math.min(low[src], low[nbr]);
```

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            if(parent[src] == -1) {
```

```
                // starting source / root / original source
```

```
            } else {
```

```
                if(disc[src] <= low[nbr])
```

```
                    arti[src] = true;
```

```
            }
```

```
        }
```

```
    }
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}
```

```
}
```

① why not low[src], low[nbr]

② How to deal with starting src

③ why not count++

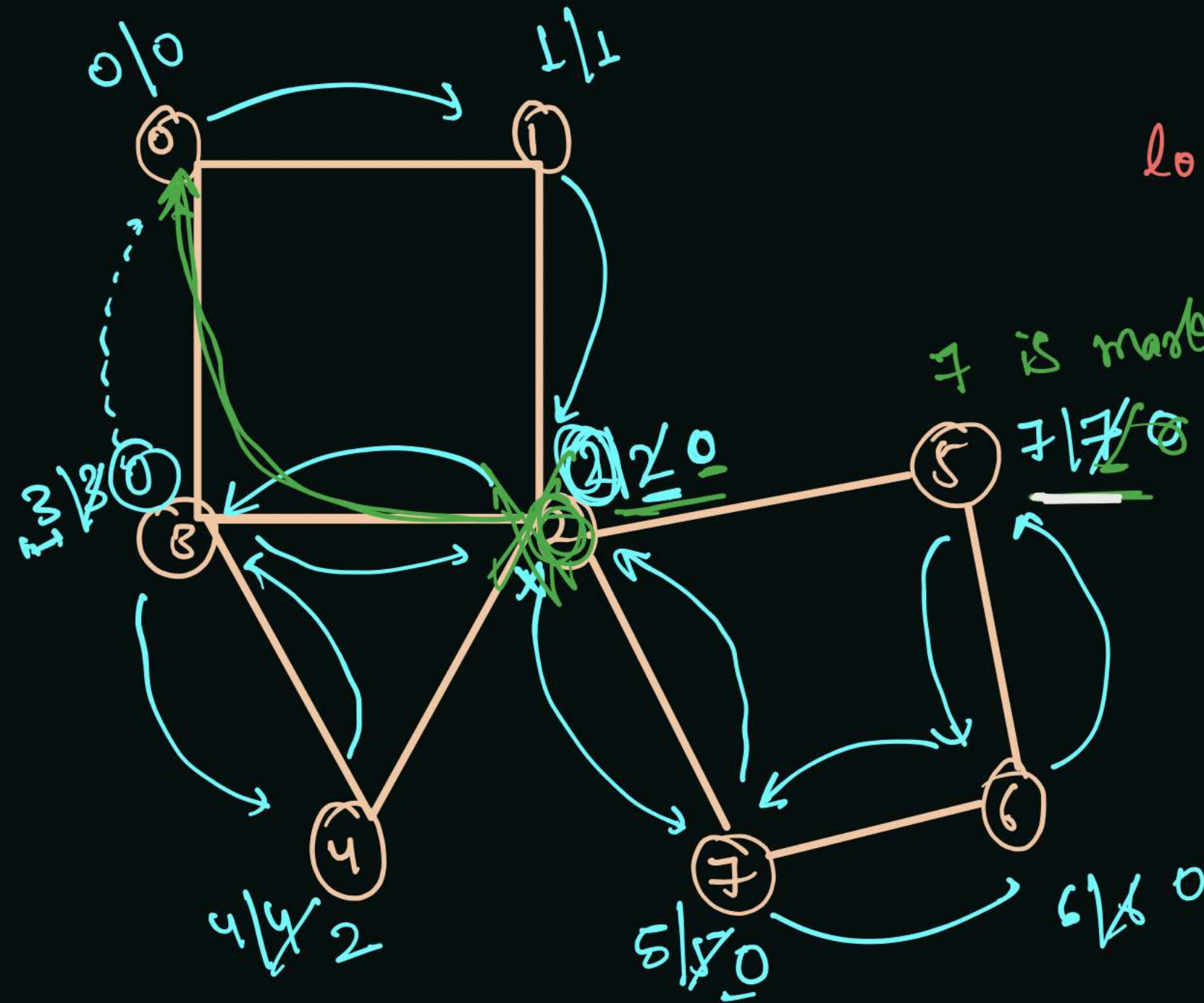
why's ↓



① why not,  $low[src] = \text{Math.min}(low[src], low[nbr])$   
 when visited but not parent neighbour is encounter.

time = 0 Suppose.

$$low[src] = \text{Math.min}(low[src], low[nbr])$$



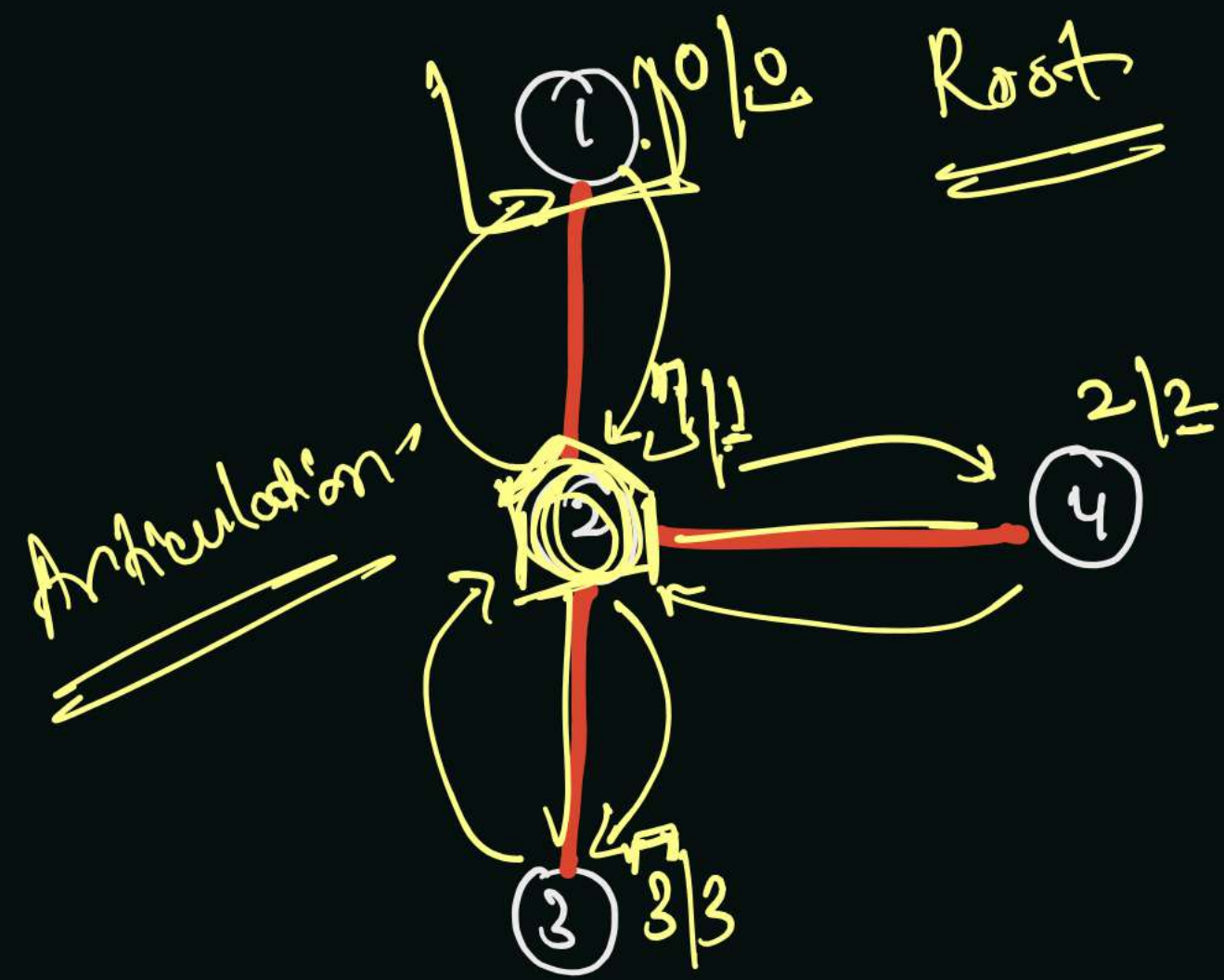
7 is marked its low using low of 2' is already visited neighbour

$$(disc[src] < low[nbr])$$

Articulation

So if we mark with visited neighbour's low point, then that neighbour is required for path, so it can't be an articulation point.





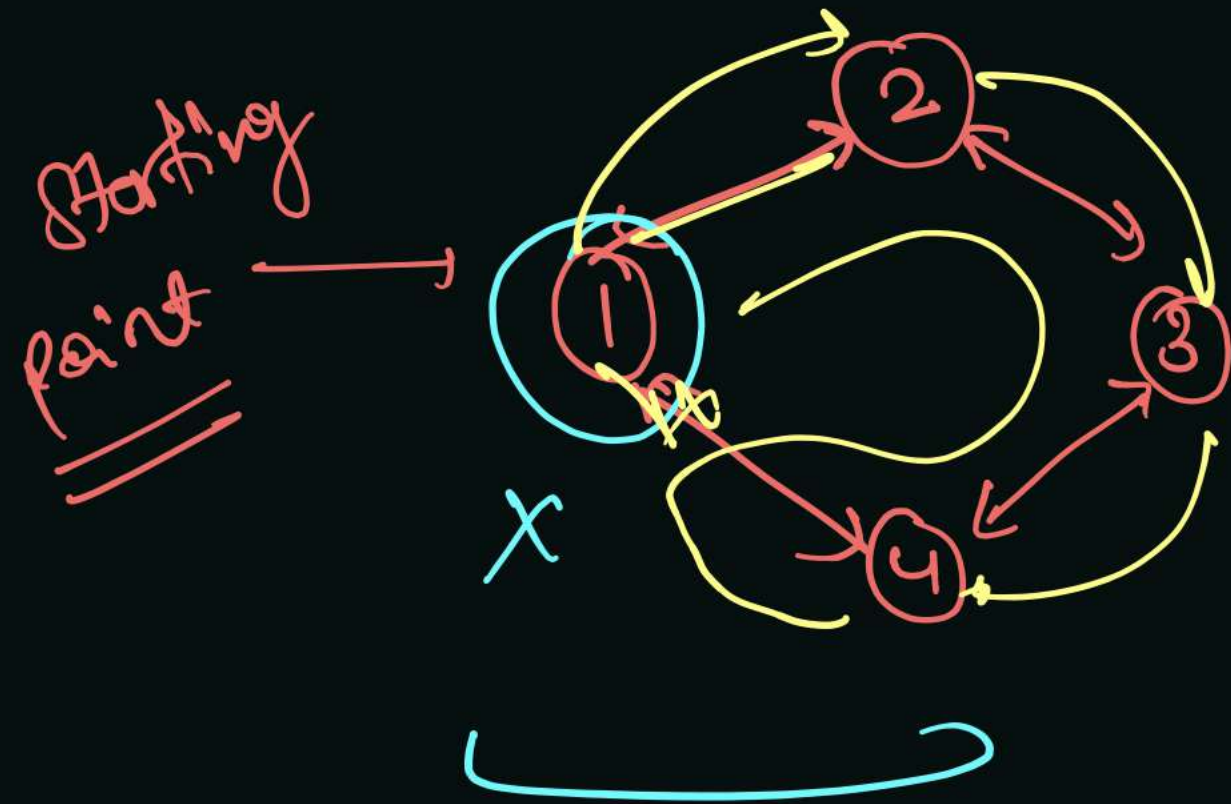
$$\underline{\underline{\text{count} = 0 \neq 2}}$$

if vertex is articulation point  
and it have  $\geq 2$  edges then  
we increment count  $\rightarrow (e+1)$  time.

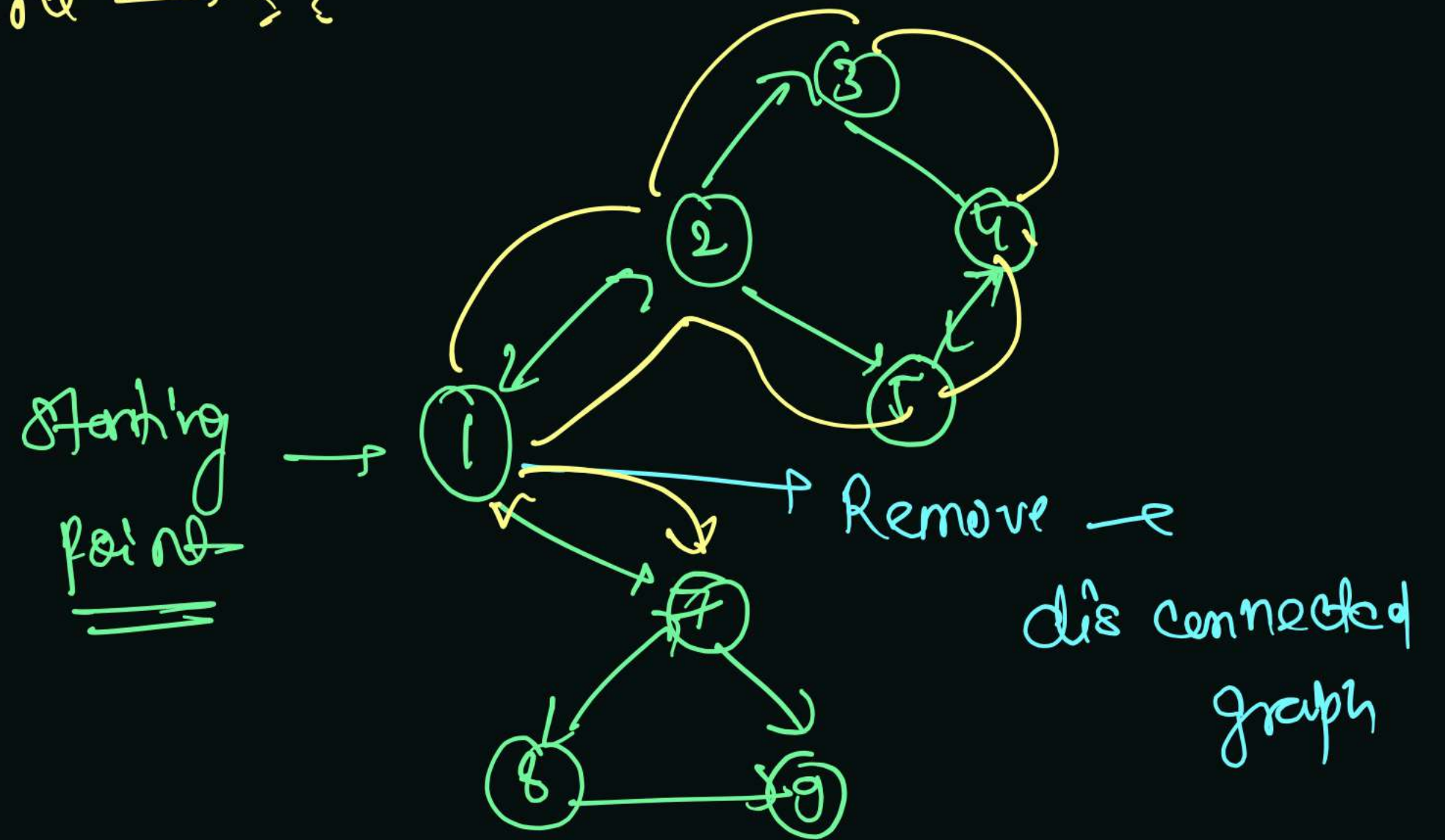
$\rightarrow$  - Count increment will not work to find articulation point, Rather than this, we have to find articulation point using marking in array. Or similar technique.



How to manage starting point  $\rightarrow ??$



Starting is not articulation point.



if. No. of call from starting point is more than  
1 time then starting point is articulation point