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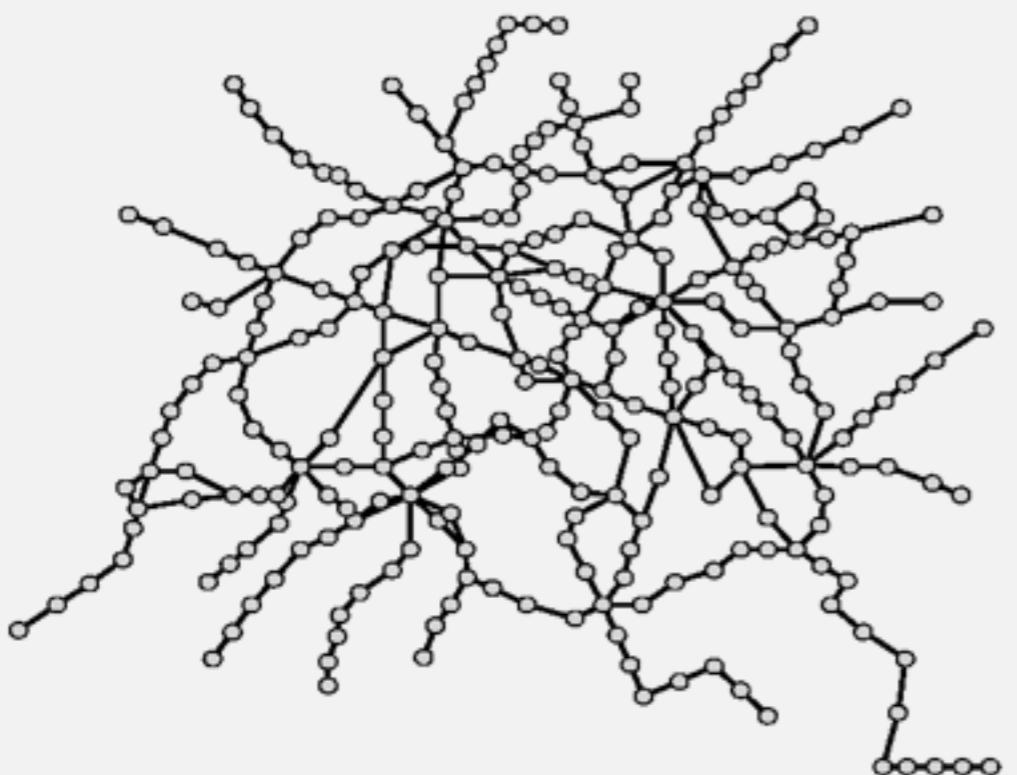
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# Undirected graphs

Graph. Set of vertices connected pairwise by edges.

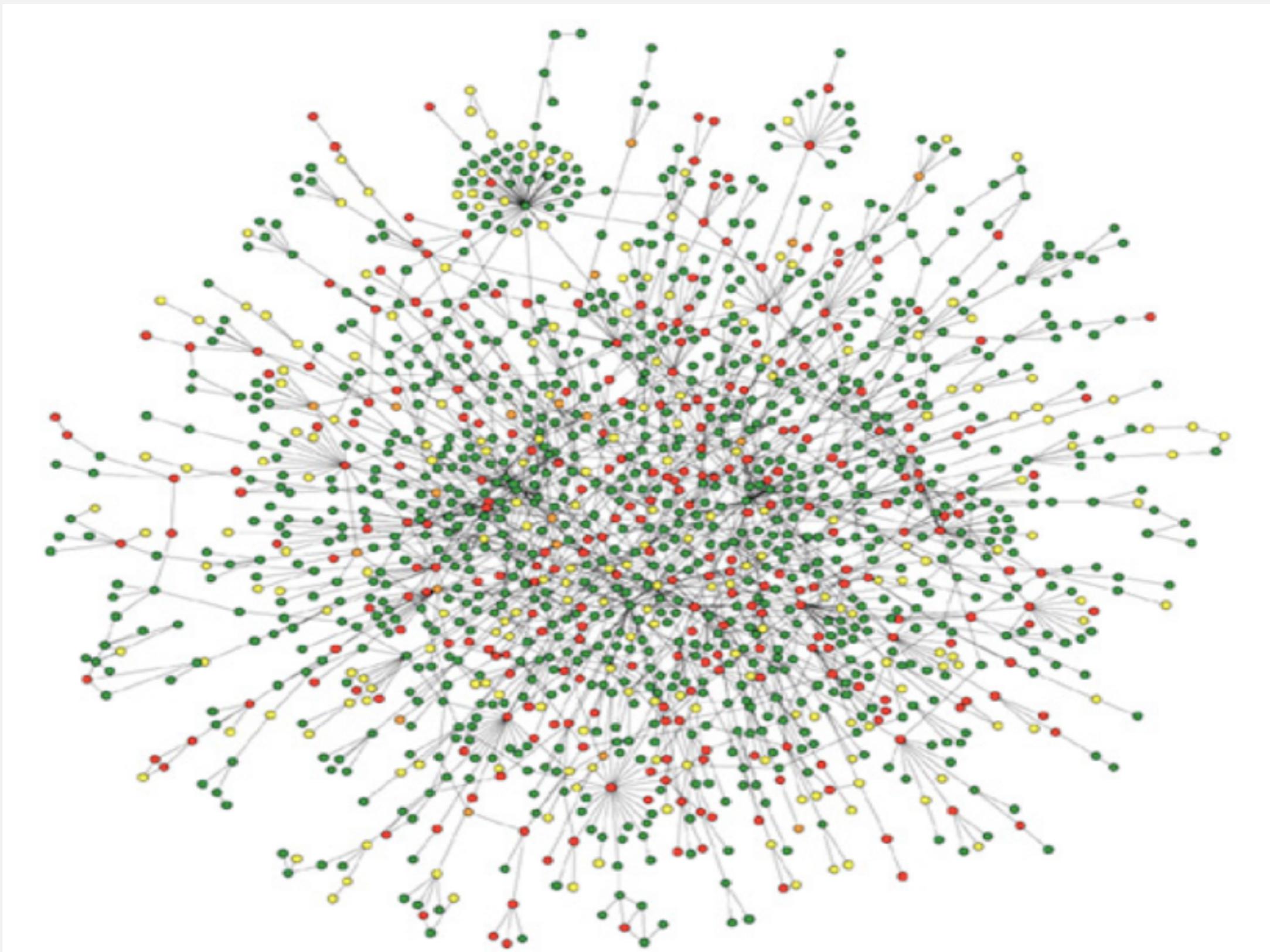
## Why study graph algorithms?

- Thousands of practical applications.
- Hundreds of graph algorithms known.
- Interesting and broadly useful abstraction.
- Challenging branch of computer science and discrete math.



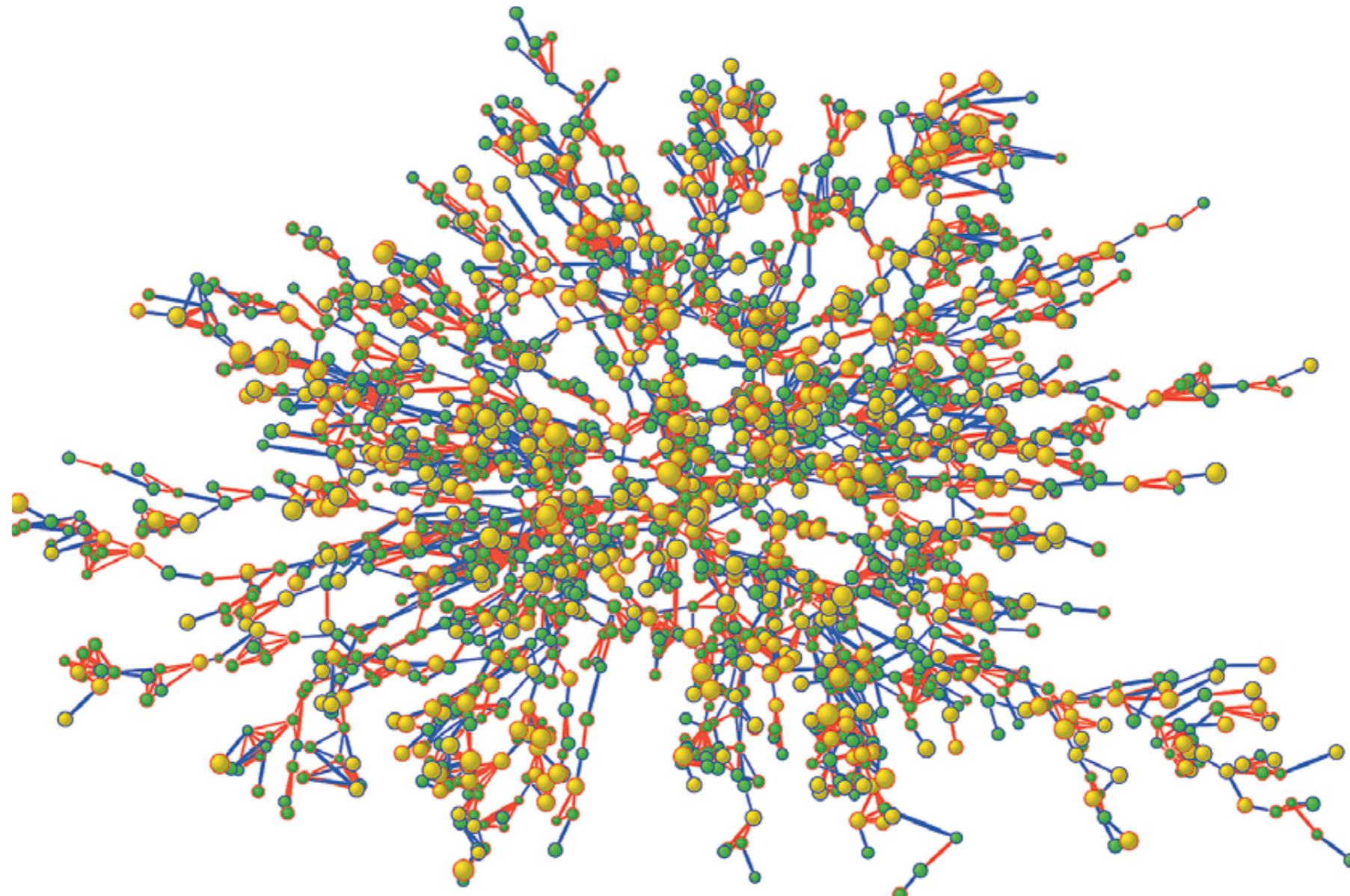
# Protein-protein interaction network

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Reference: Jeong et al, Nature Review | Genetics

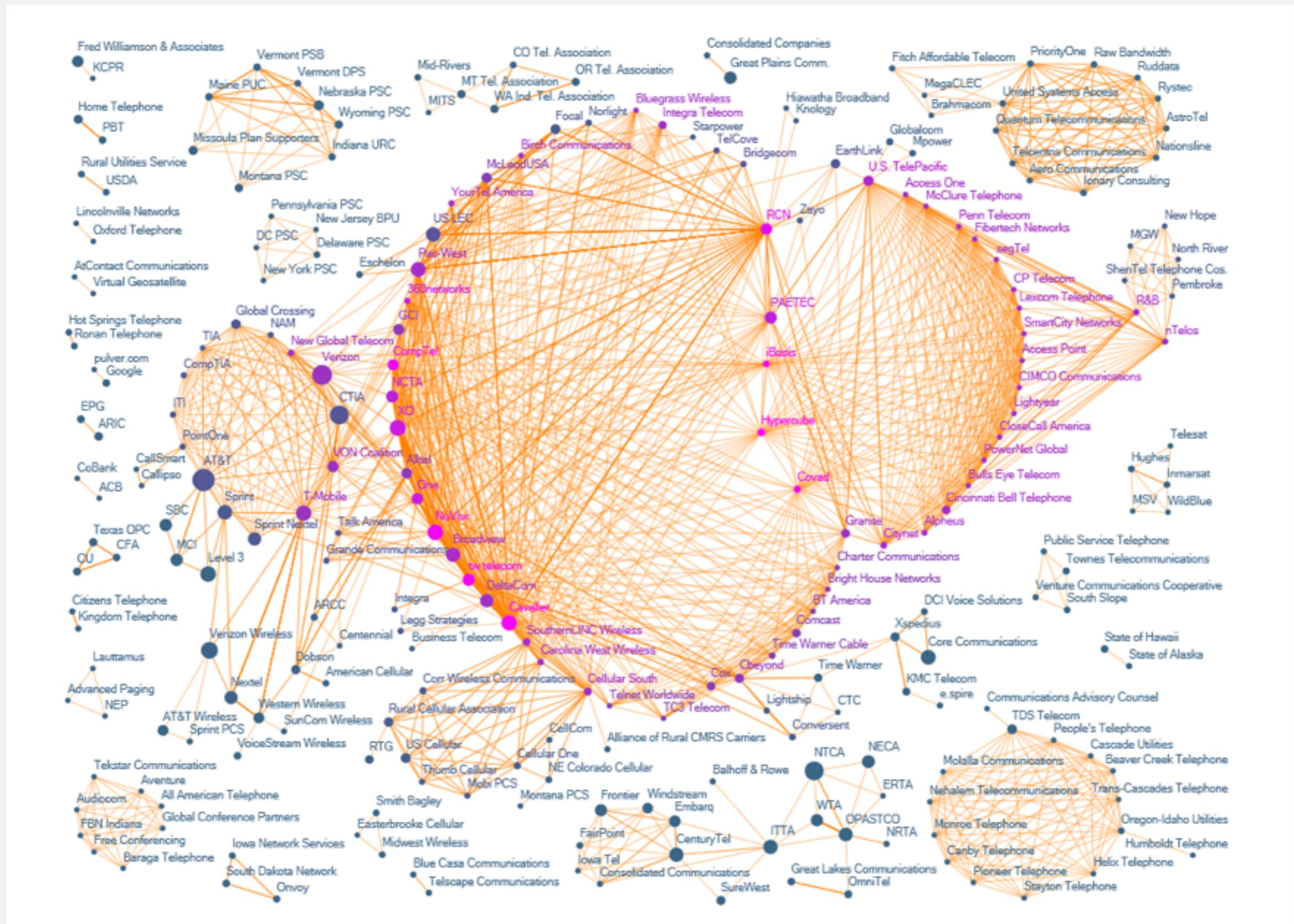
# Framingham heart study



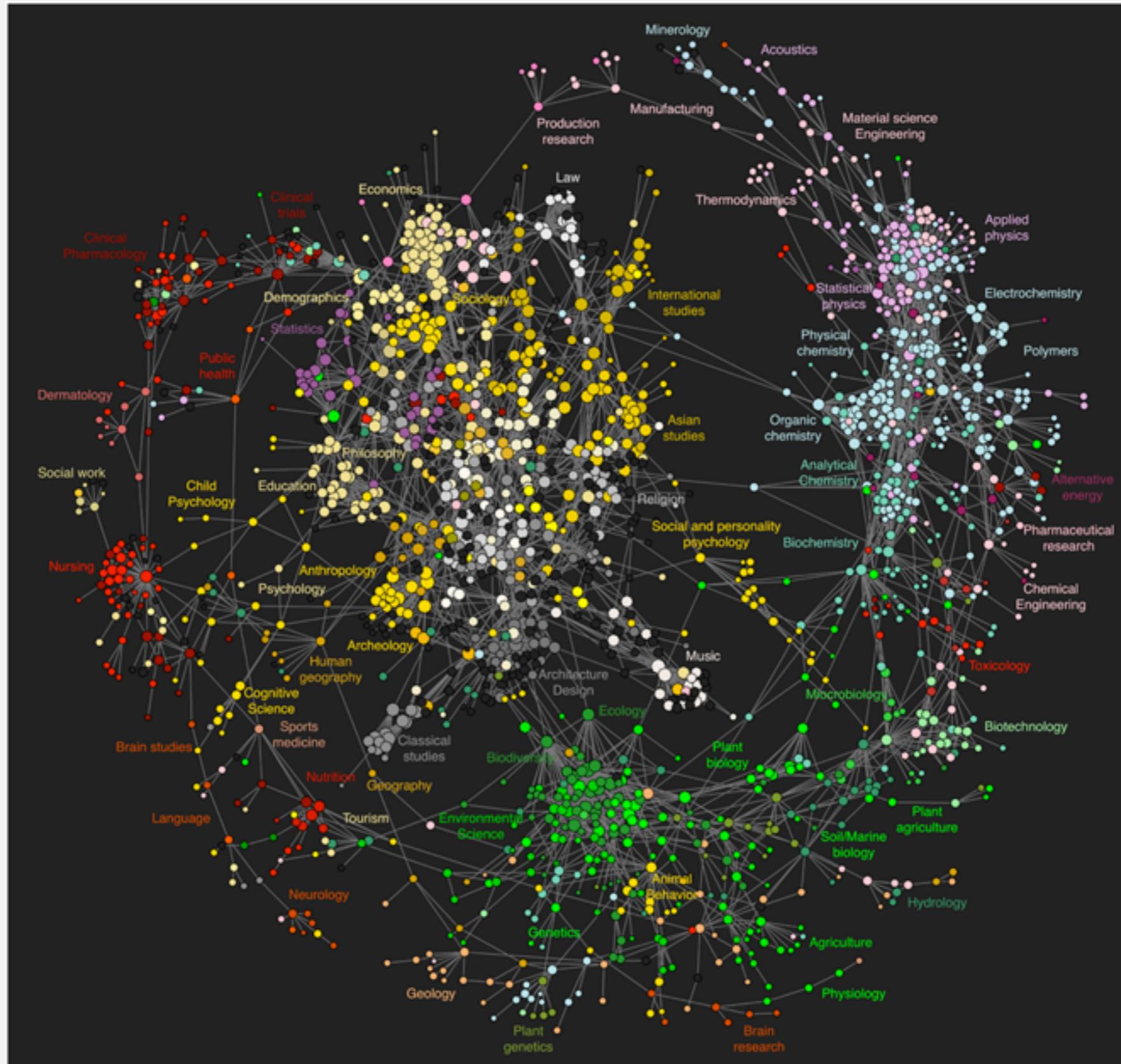
**Figure 1. Largest Connected Subcomponent of the Social Network in the Framingham Heart Study in the Year 2000.**

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,  $\geq 30$ ) 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.

# The evolution of FCC lobbying coalitions



# Map of science clickstreams



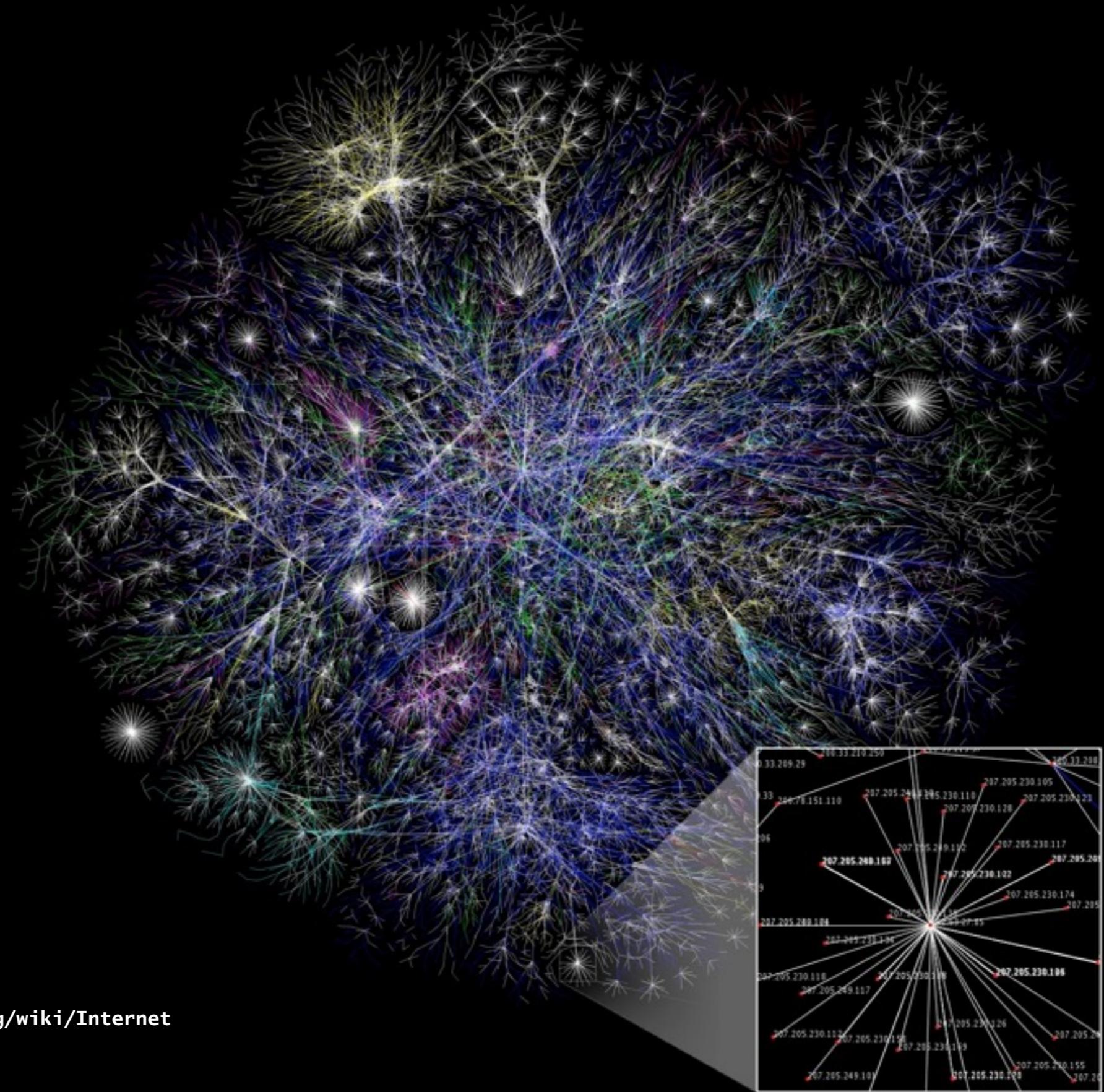
# 10 million Facebook friends

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"Visualizing Friendships" by Paul Butler

# The Internet as mapped by the Opte Project



# Graph applications

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graph	vertex	edge
<b>communication</b>	telephone, computer	fiber optic cable
<b>circuit</b>	gate, register, processor	wire
<b>mechanical</b>	joint	rod, beam, spring
<b>financial</b>	stock, currency	transactions
<b>transportation</b>	intersection	street
<b>internet</b>	class C network	connection
<b>game</b>	board position	legal move
<b>social relationship</b>	person	friendship
<b>neural network</b>	neuron	synapse
<b>protein network</b>	protein	protein-protein interaction
<b>molecule</b>	atom	bond

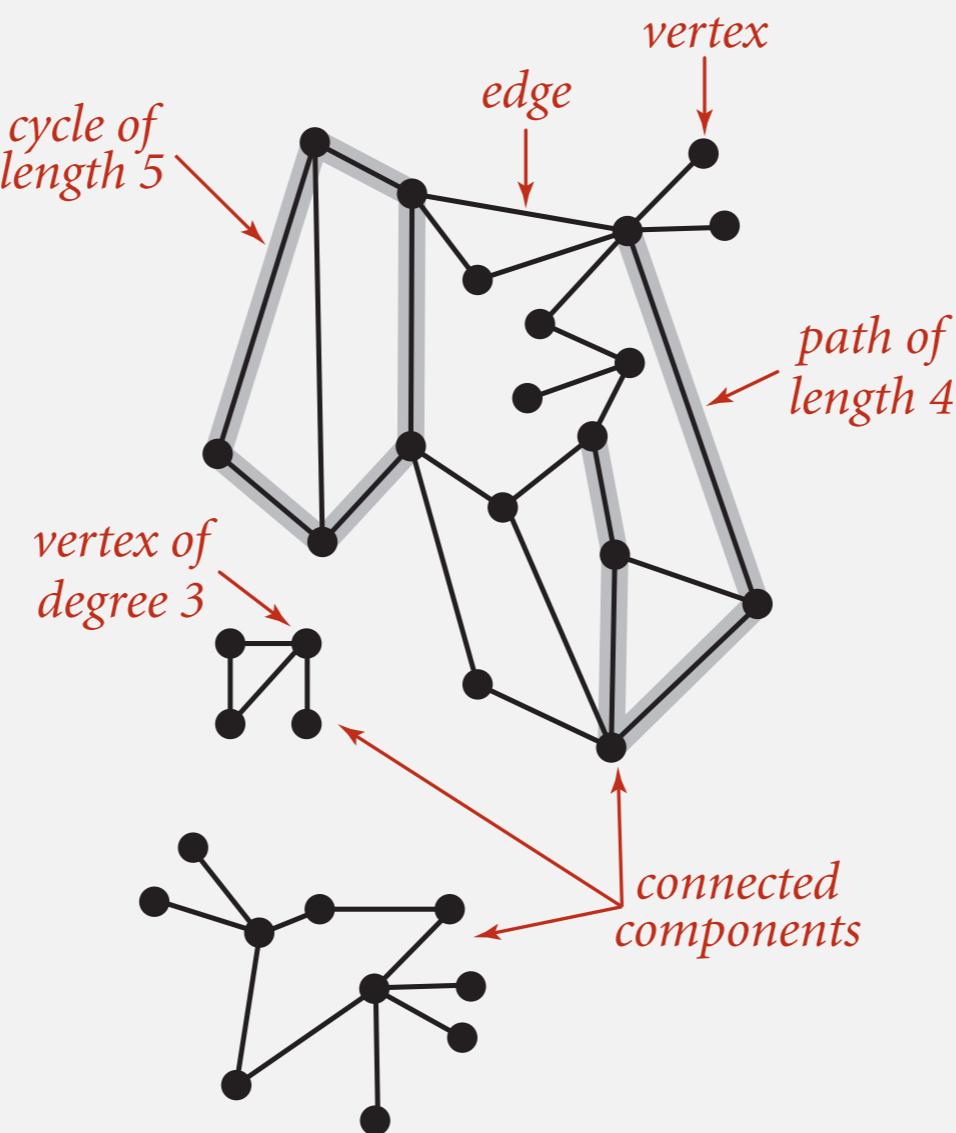
# Graph terminology

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**Path.** Sequence of vertices connected by edges.

**Cycle.** Path whose first and last vertices are the same.

Two vertices are **connected** if there is a path between them.



# Some graph-processing problems

problem	description
<b>s-t path</b>	<i>Is there a path between s and t ?</i>
<b>shortest s-t path</b>	<i>What is the shortest path between s and t ?</i>
<b>cycle</b>	<i>Is there a cycle in the graph ?</i>
<b>Euler cycle</b>	<i>Is there a cycle that uses each edge exactly once ?</i>
<b>Hamilton cycle</b>	<i>Is there a cycle that uses each vertex exactly once ?</i>
<b>connectivity</b>	<i>Is there a path between every pair of vertices ?</i>
<b>biconnectivity</b>	<i>Is there a vertex whose removal disconnects the graph ?</i>
<b>planarity</b>	<i>Can the graph be drawn in the plane with no crossing edges ?</i>
<b>graph isomorphism</b>	<i>Are two graphs isomorphic?</i>

**Challenge.** Which graph problems are easy? difficult? intractable?

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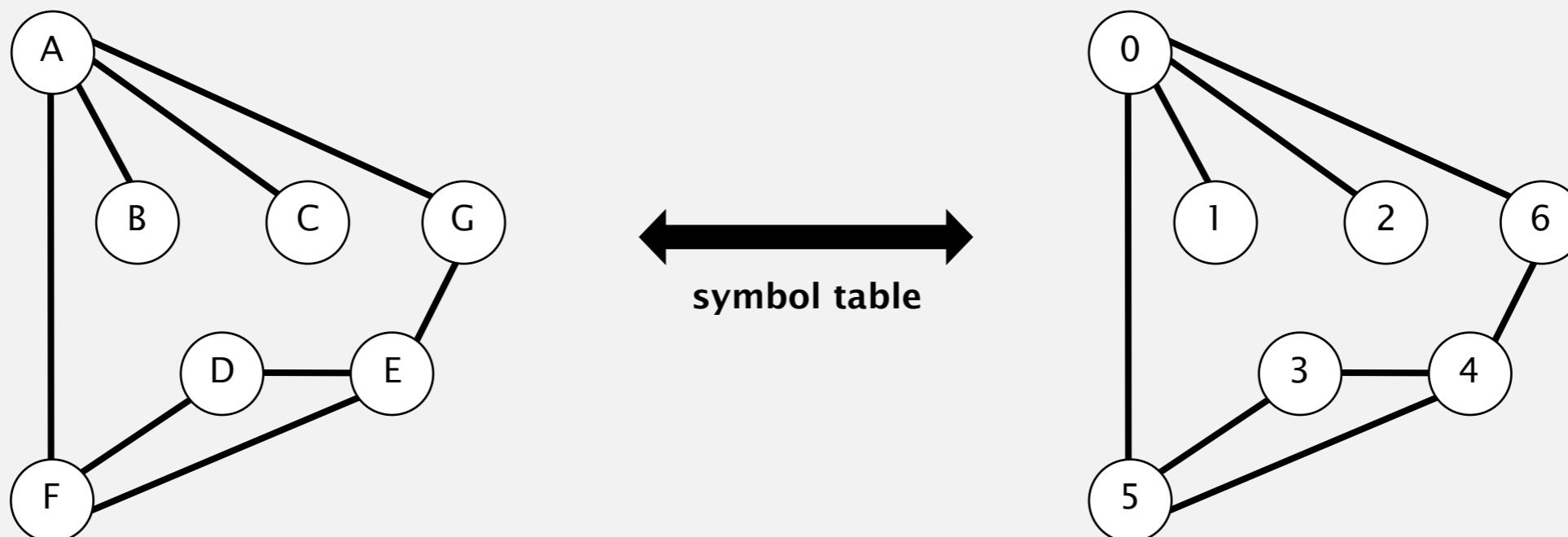
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# Graph representation

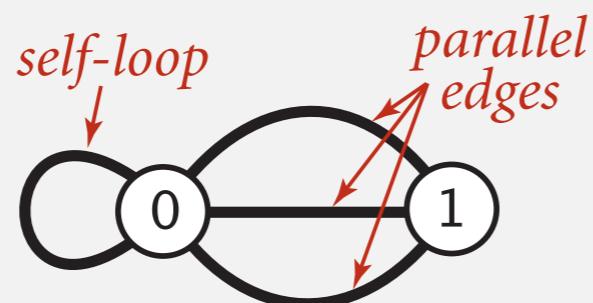
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## Vertex representation.

- This lecture: use integers between 0 and  $V - 1$ .
- Applications: convert between names and integers with symbol table.



## Anomalies.



# Graph API

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```
public class Graph
```

```
    Graph(int V)
```

*create an empty graph with V vertices*

```
    Graph(In in)
```

*create a graph from input stream*

```
    void addEdge(int v, int w)
```

*add an edge v-w*

```
    Iterable<Integer> adj(int v)
```

*vertices adjacent to v*

```
    int V()
```

*number of vertices*

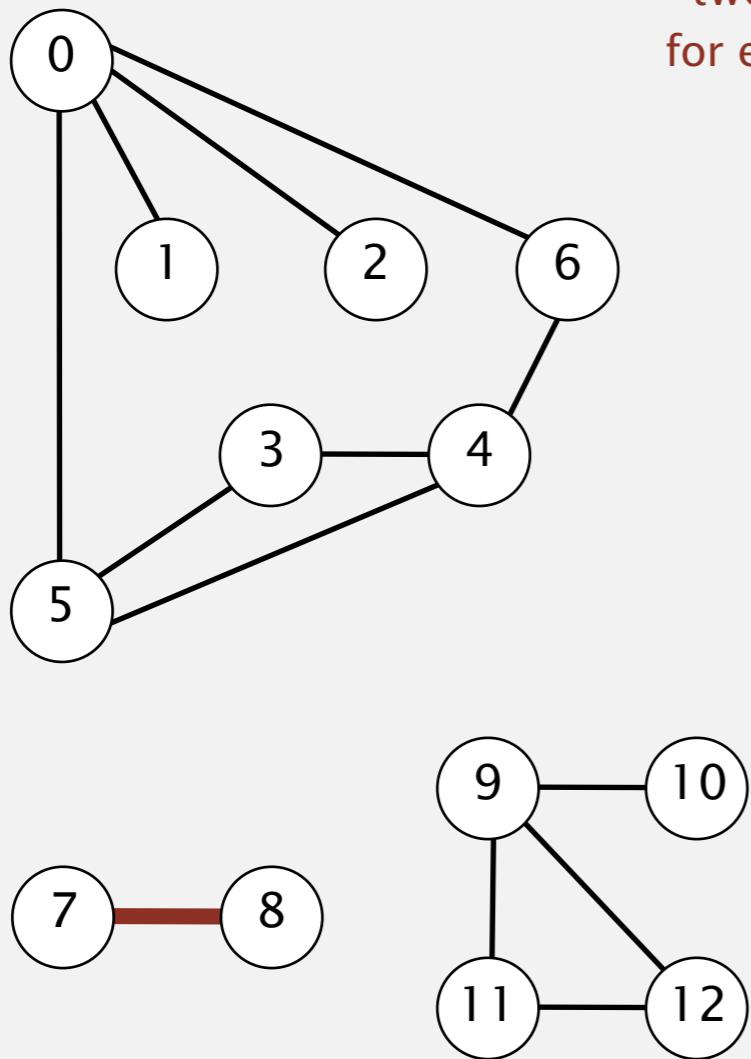
```
    int E()
```

*number of edges*

```
// degree of vertex v in graph G
public static int degree(Graph G, int v)
{
    int degree = 0;
    for (int w : G.adj(v))
        degree++;
    return degree;
}
```

# Graph representation: adjacency matrix

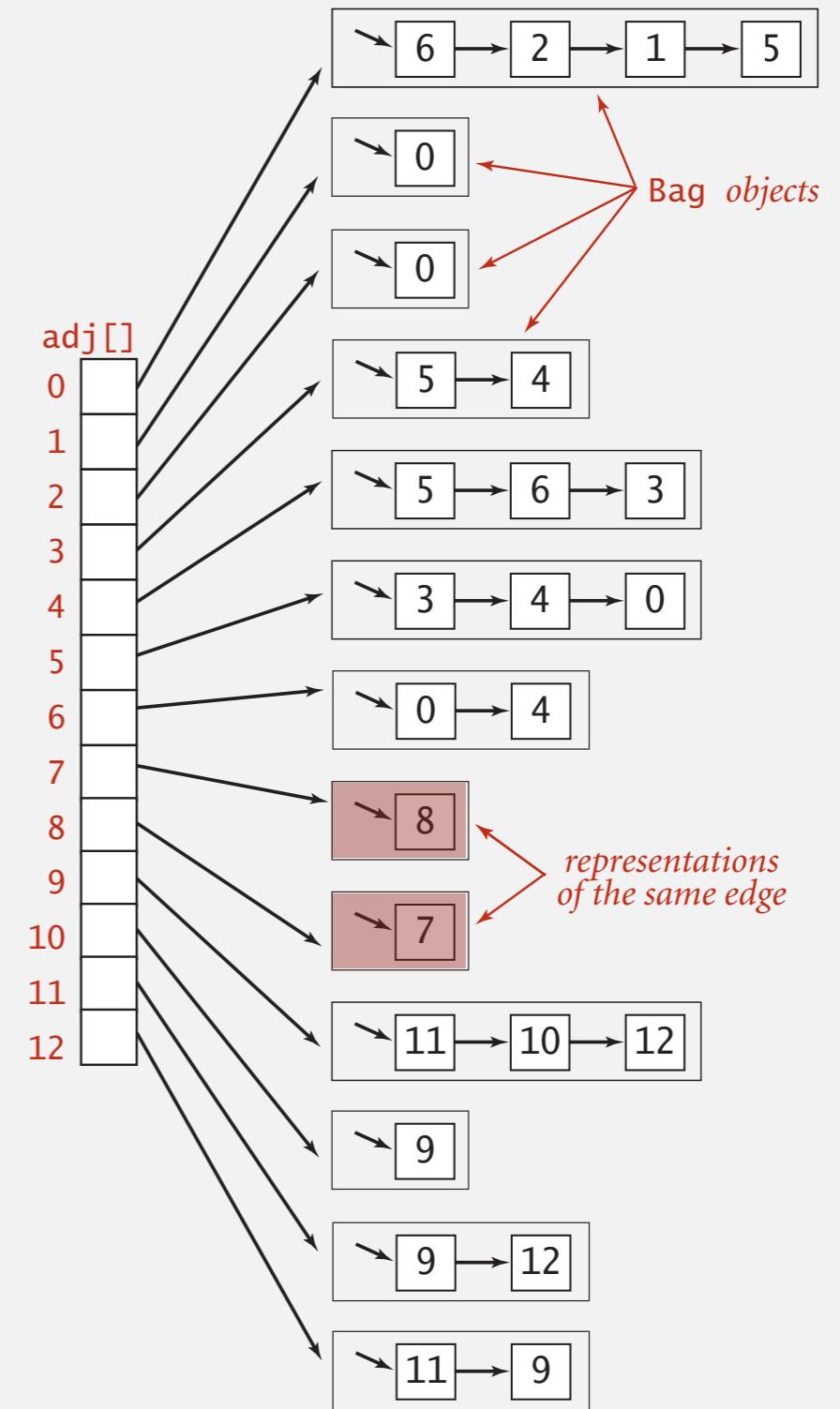
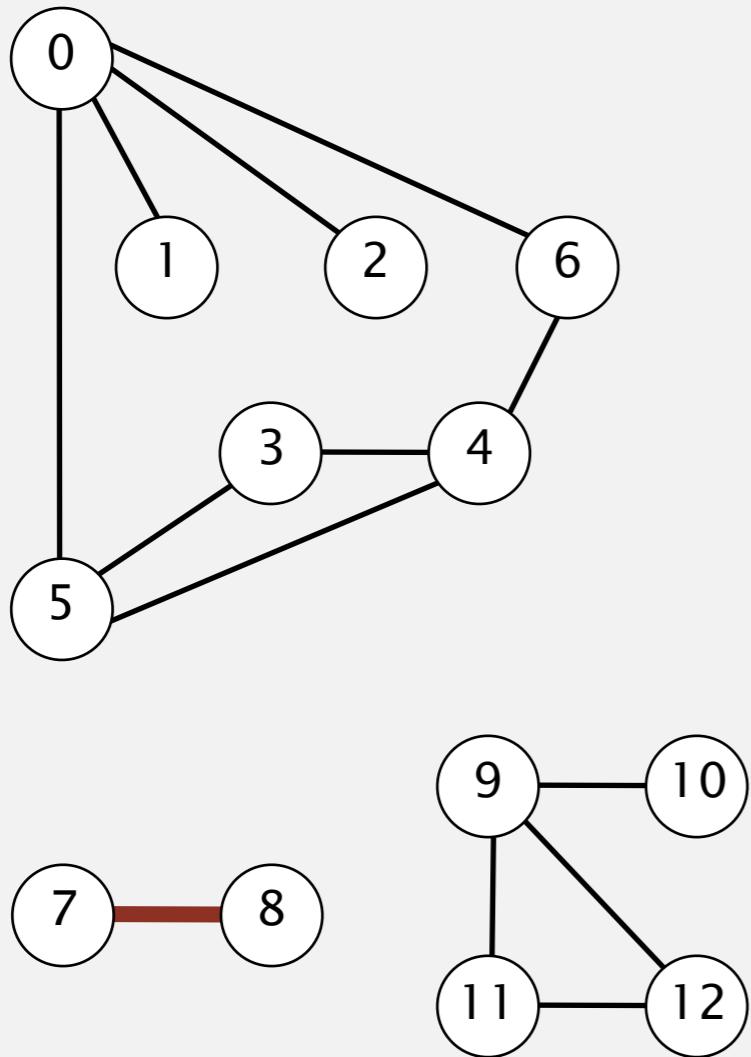
Maintain a two-dimensional  $V$ -by- $V$  boolean array;  
for each edge  $v-w$  in graph:  $\text{adj}[v][w] = \text{adj}[w][v] = \text{true}$ .



	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1
10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1

# Graph representation: adjacency lists

Maintain vertex-indexed array of lists.



# Graph representations

In practice. Use adjacency-lists representation.

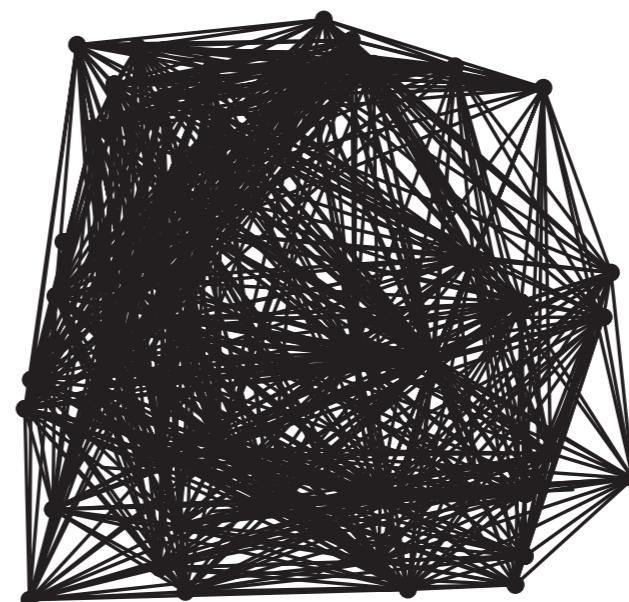
- Algorithms based on iterating over vertices adjacent to  $v$ .
- Real-world graphs tend to be **sparse**.

huge number of vertices,  
small average vertex degree

sparse ( $E = 200$ )



dense ( $E = 1000$ )



Two graphs ( $V = 50$ )

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representation	space	add edge	edge between $v$ and $w$ ?	iterate over vertices adjacent to $v$ ?
list of edges	$E$	1	$E$	$E$
adjacency matrix	$V^2$	$1^\dagger$	1	$V$
adjacency lists	$E + V$	1	$degree(v)$	$degree(v)$

$\dagger$  disallows parallel edges

# Adjacency-list graph representation: Java implementation

```
public class Graph
{
    private final int V;
    private Bag<Integer>[] adj;
```

adjacency lists  
( using Bag data type )

```
public Graph(int V)
{
    this.V = V;
    adj = (Bag<Integer>[]) new Bag[V];
    for (int v = 0; v < V; v++)
        adj[v] = new Bag<Integer>();
}
```

create empty graph  
with V vertices

```
public void addEdge(int v, int w)
{
    adj[v].add(w);
    adj[w].add(v);
}
```

add edge v-w  
(parallel edges and  
self-loops allowed)

```
public Iterable<Integer> adj(int v)
{   return adj[v]; }
```

iterator for vertices adjacent to v

```
}
```

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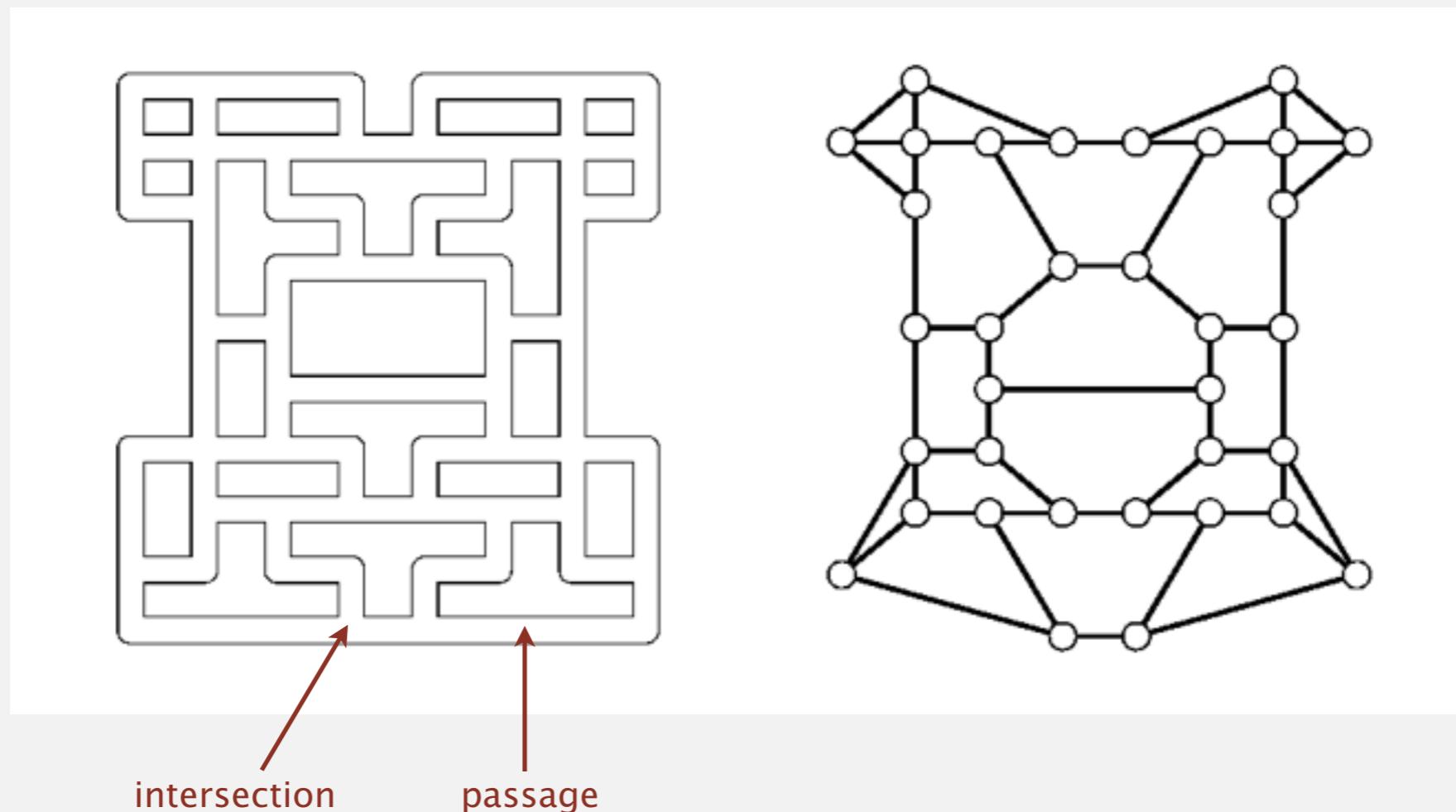
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# Maze exploration

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## Maze graph.

- Vertex = intersection.
- Edge = passage.



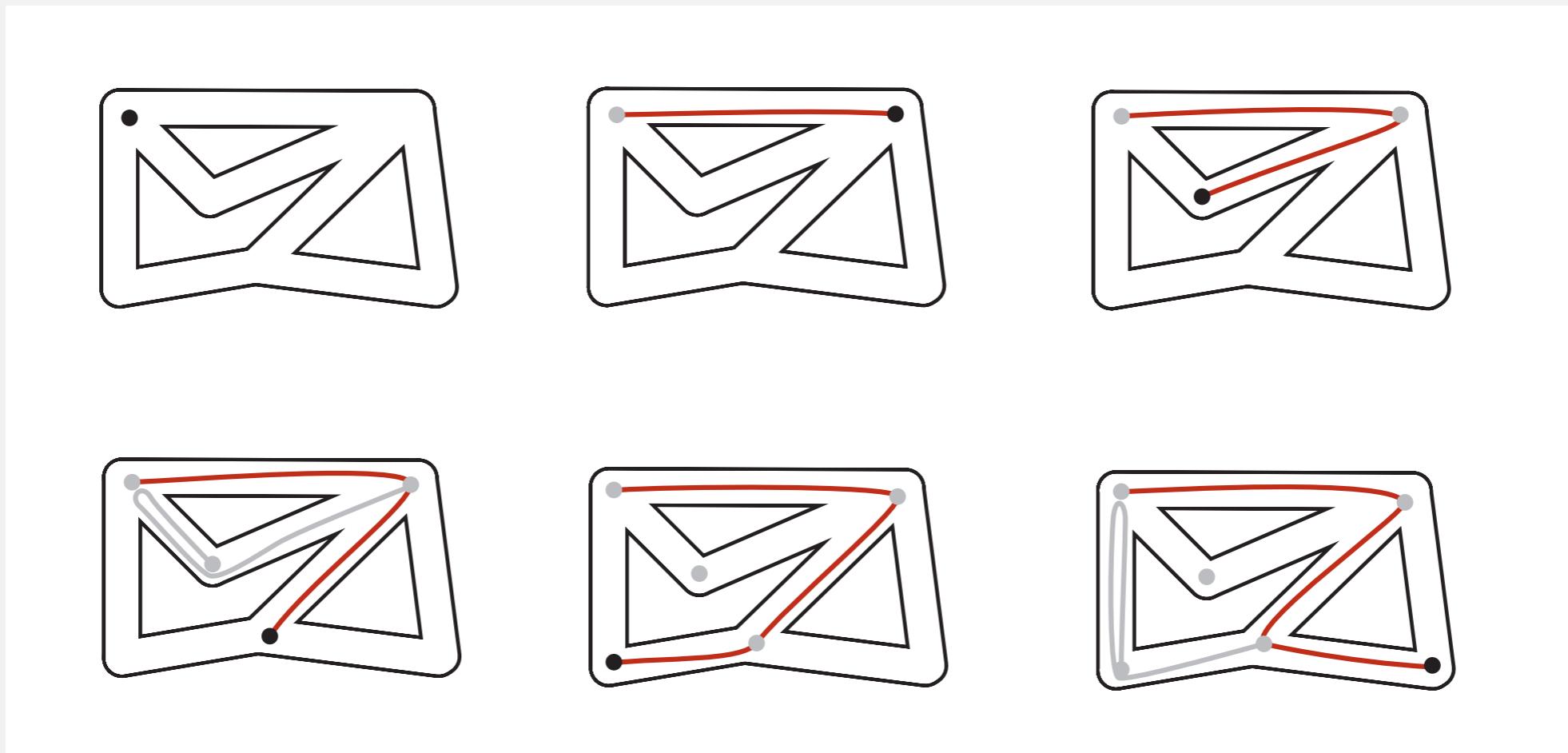
**Goal.** Explore every intersection in the maze.

# Trémaux maze exploration

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## Algorithm.

- Unroll a ball of string behind you.
- Mark each newly discovered intersection and passage.
- Retrace steps when no unmarked options.



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**First use?** Theseus entered Labyrinth to kill the monstrous Minotaur; Ariadne instructed Theseus to use a ball of string to find his way back out.



**The Cretan Labyrinth (with Minotaur)**

<http://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Minotaurus.gif>

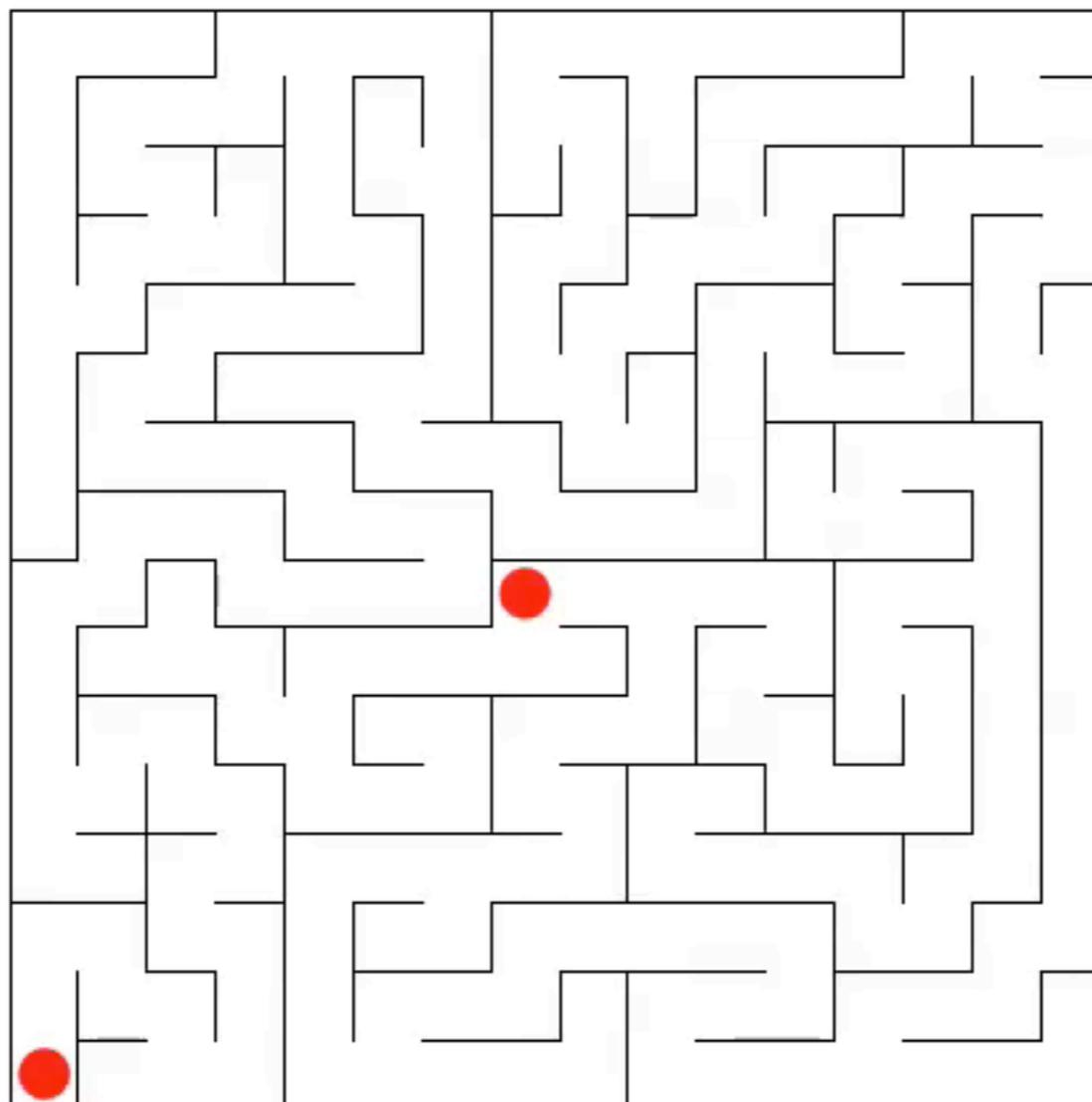


**Claude Shannon (with electromechanical mouse)**

<http://www.corp.att.com/attlabs/reputation/timeline/16shannon.html>

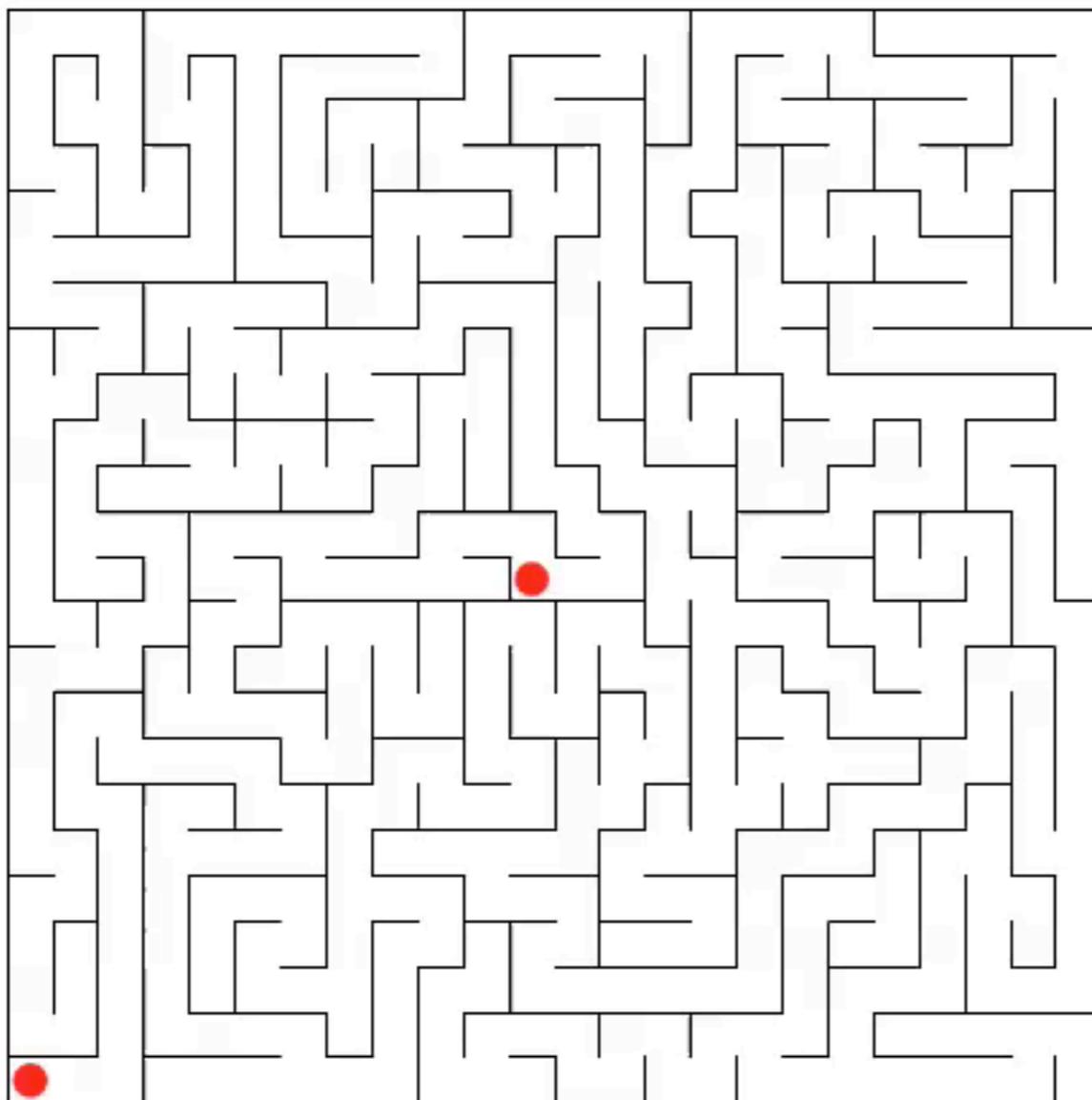
## Maze exploration: easy

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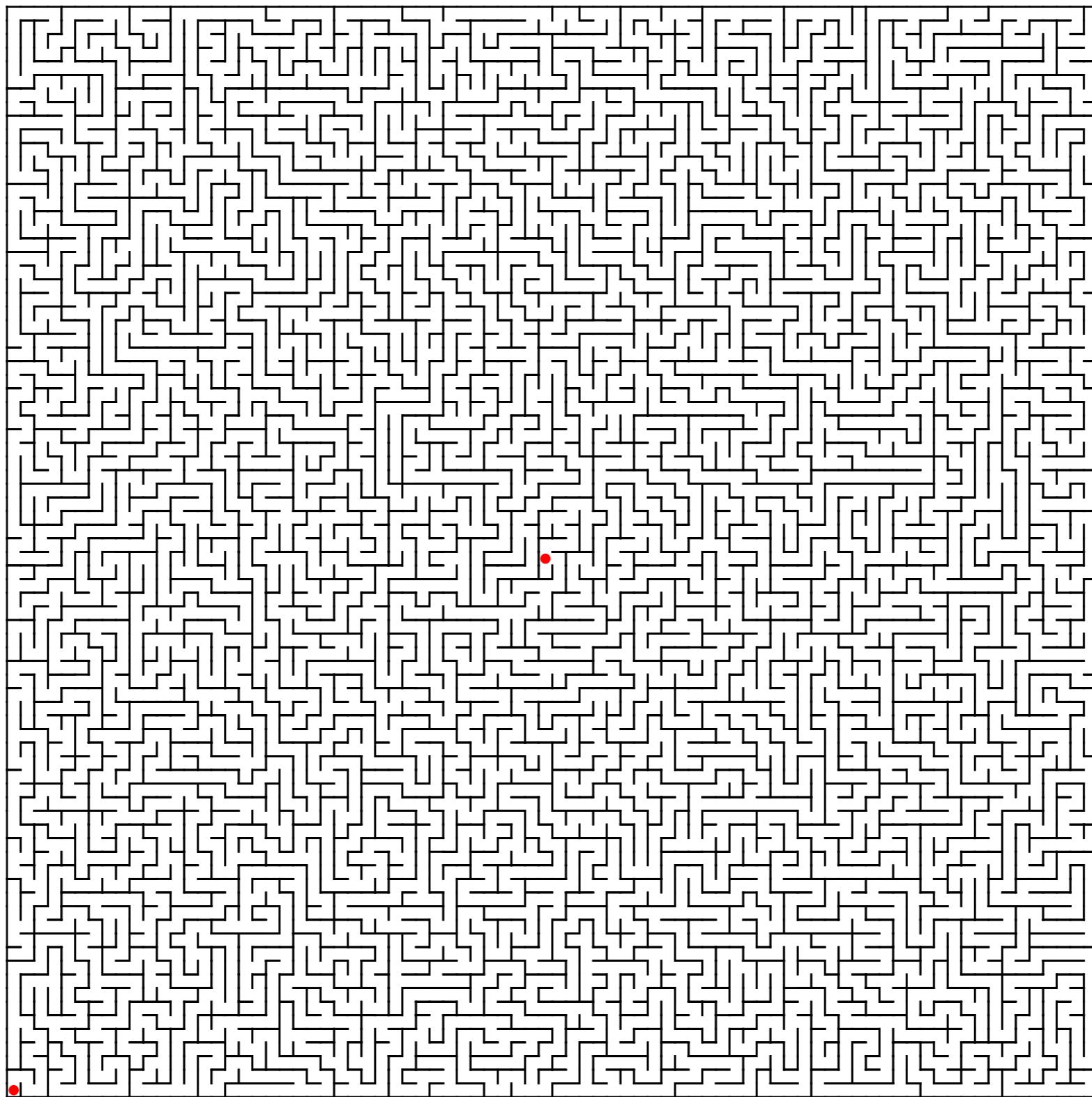
## Maze exploration: medium

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# Maze exploration: challenge for the bored

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# Depth-first search

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Goal. Systematically traverse a graph.

Idea. Mimic maze exploration. ← function-call stack acts as ball of string

**DFS (to visit a vertex  $v$ )**

Mark vertex  $v$ .

Recursively visit all unmarked  
vertices  $w$  adjacent to  $v$ .

Typical applications.

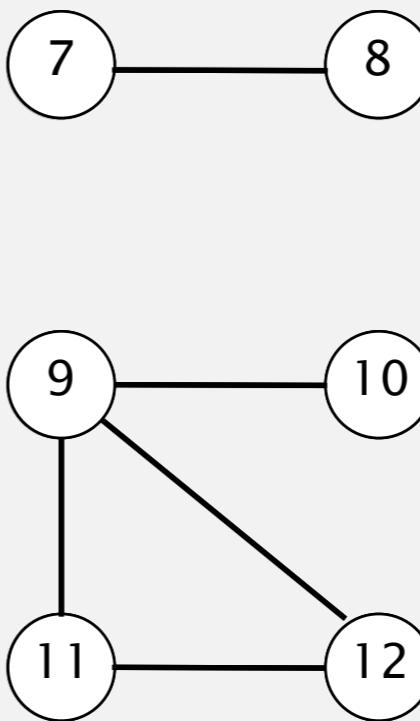
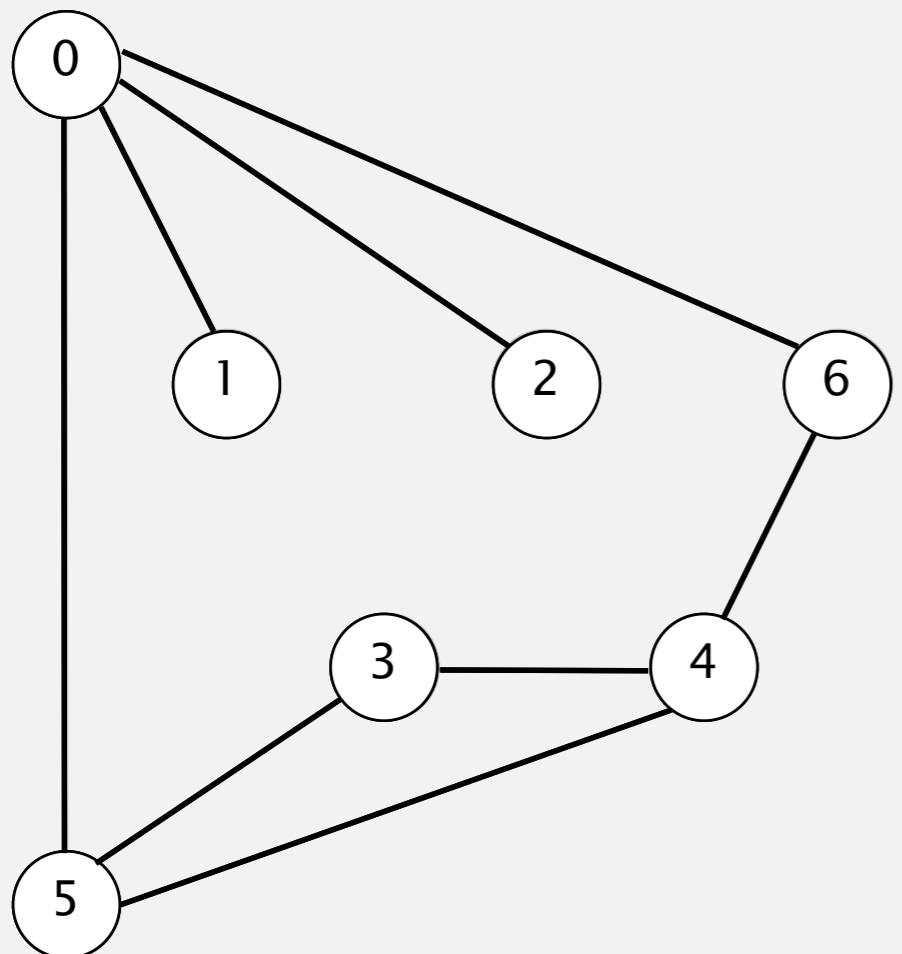
- Find all vertices connected to a given source vertex.
- Find a path between two vertices.

Design challenge. How to implement?

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**tinyG.txt**

$V \rightarrow$  13  
13  $\leftarrow E$

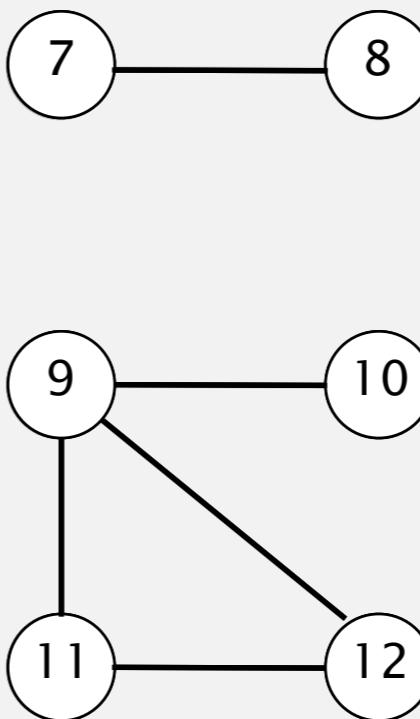
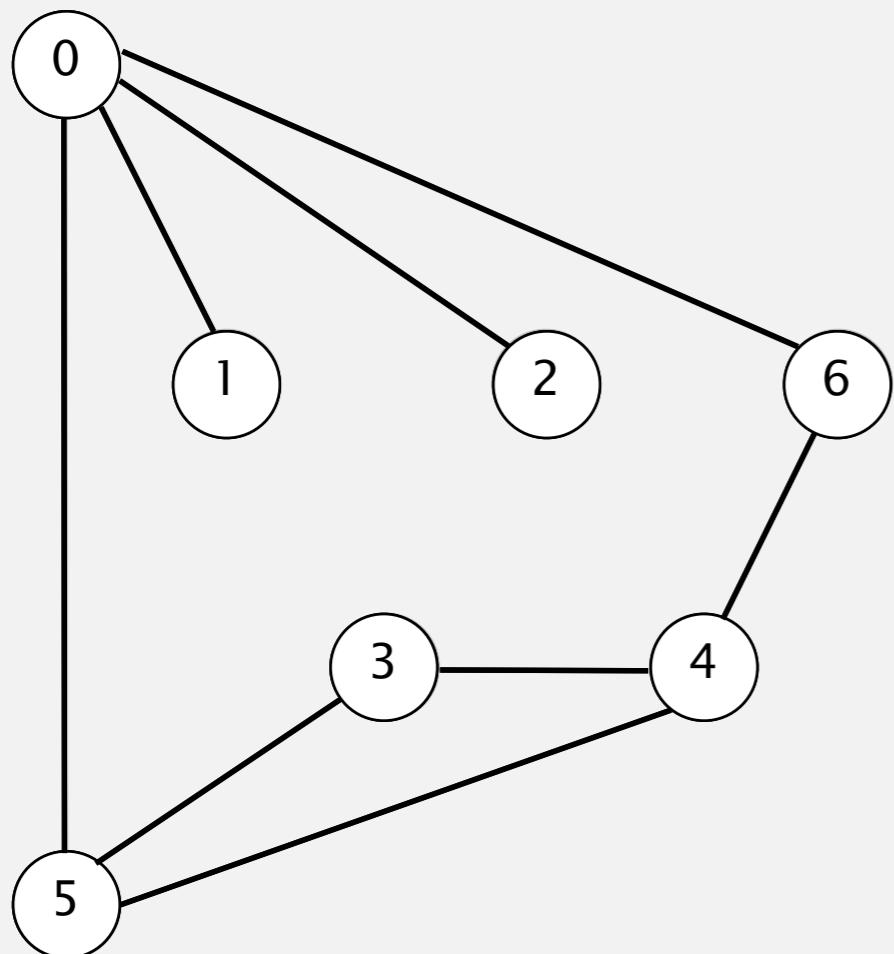
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9	12
6	4
5	4
0	2
11	12
9	10
0	6
7	8
9	11
5	3

**graph G**

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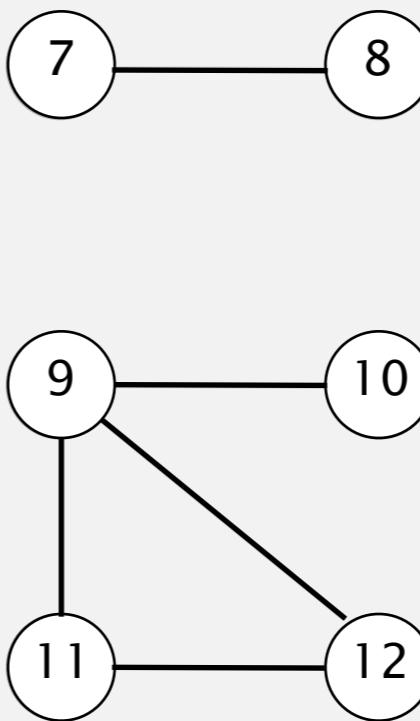
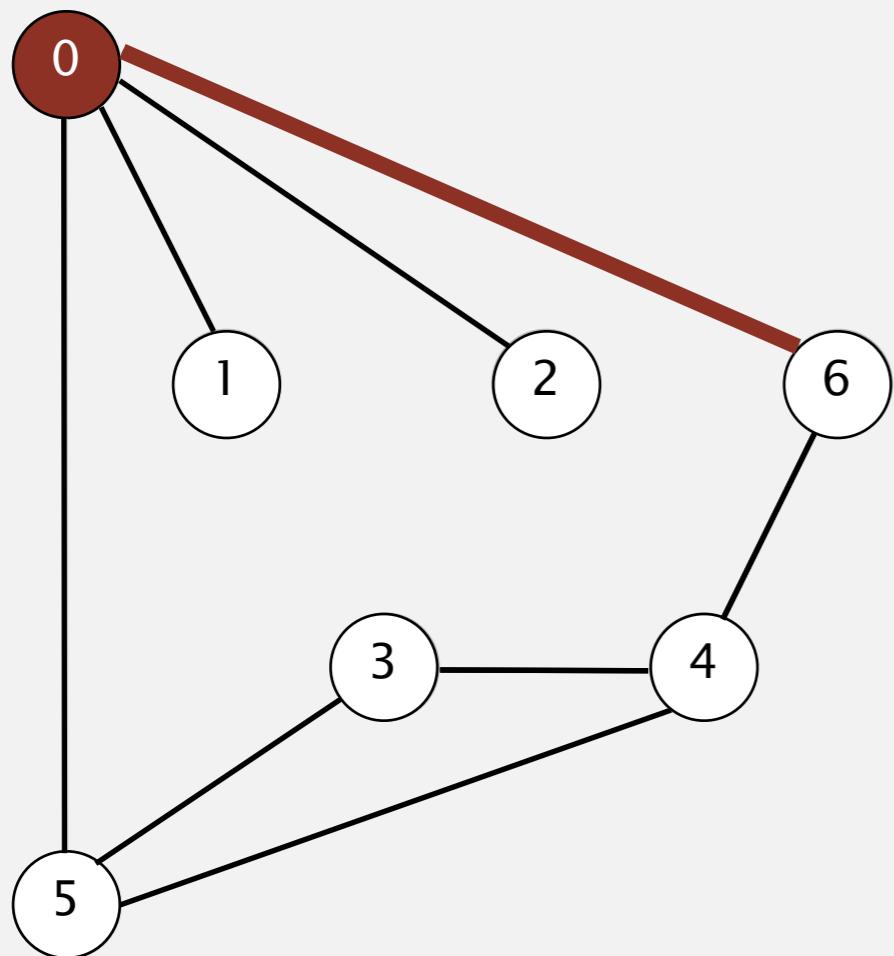
<b>v</b>	<b>marked[]</b>	<b>edgeTo[]</b>
0	F	-
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2	F	-
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5	F	-
6	F	-
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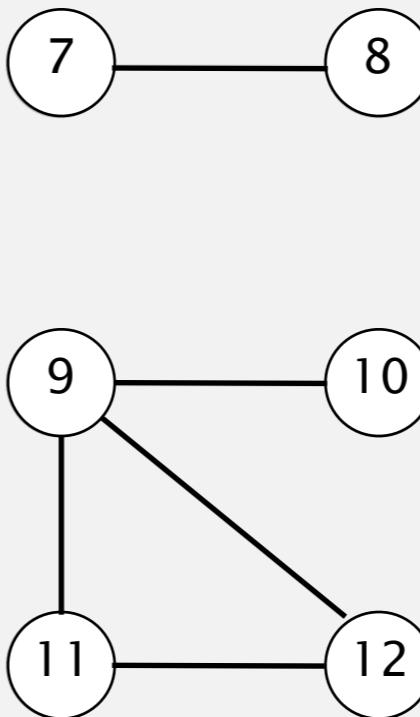
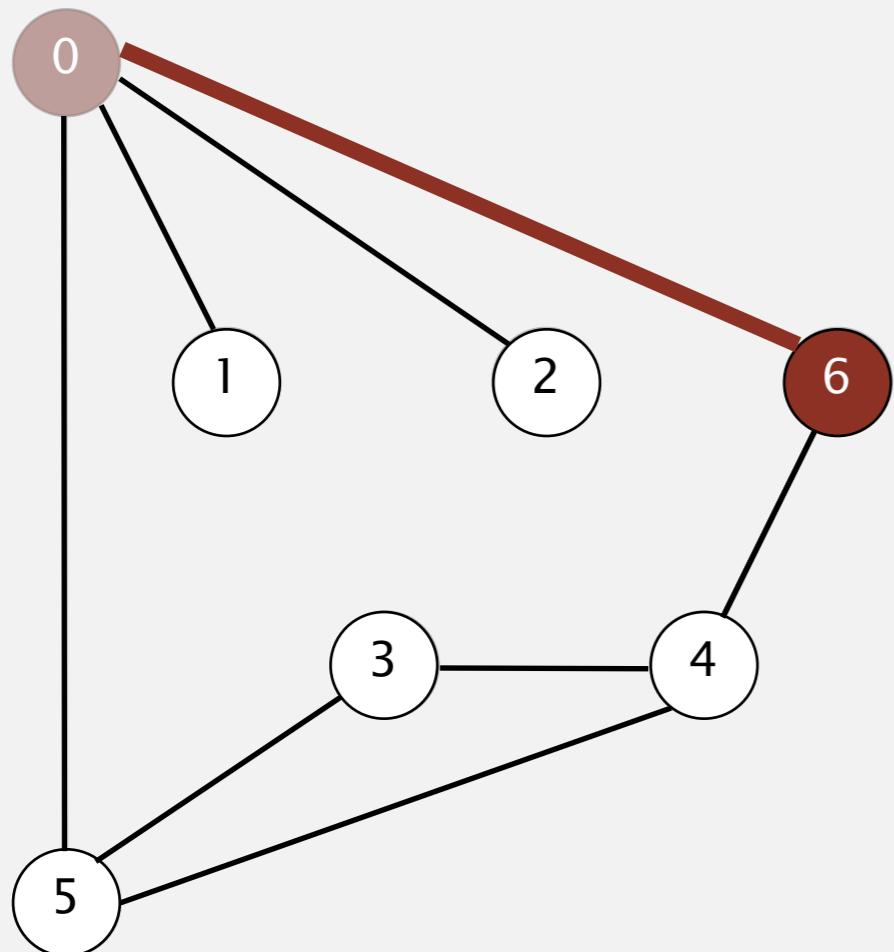
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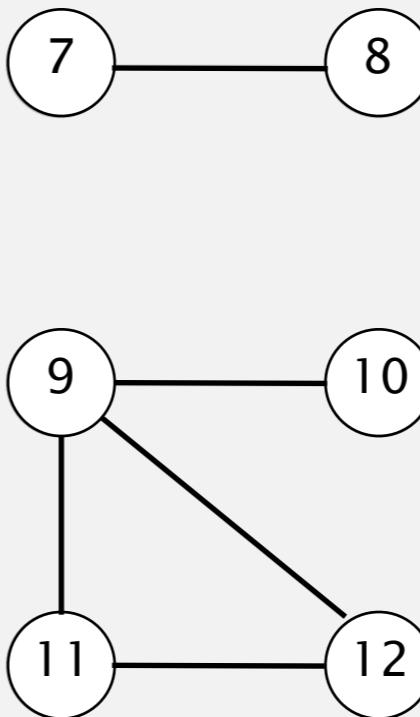
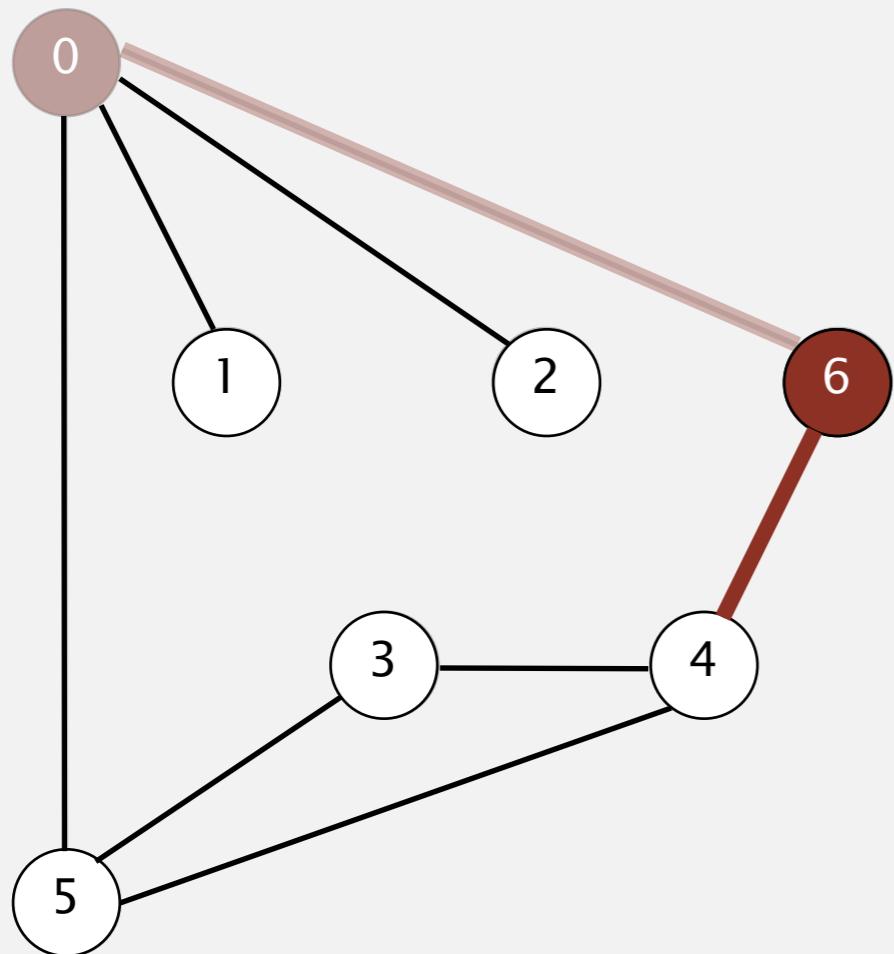
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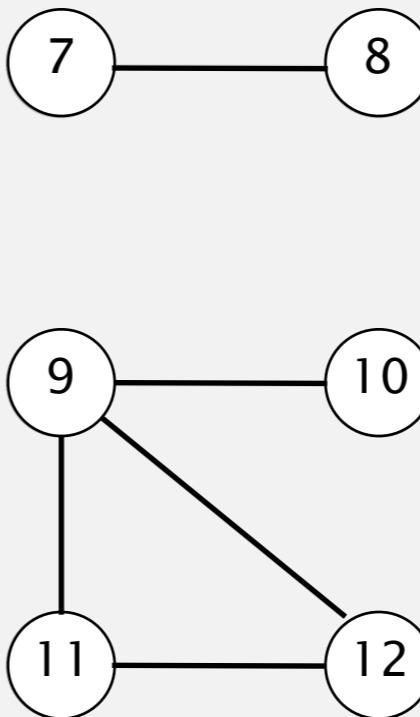
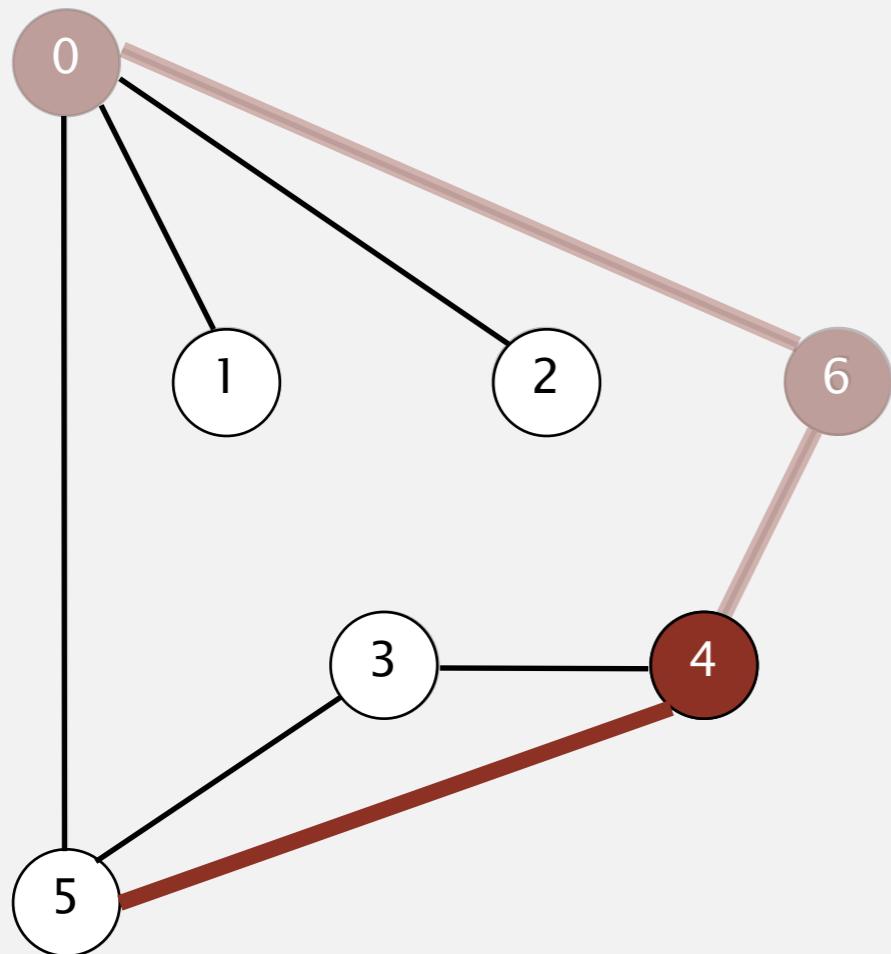
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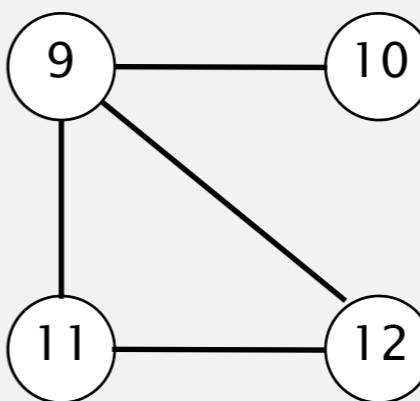
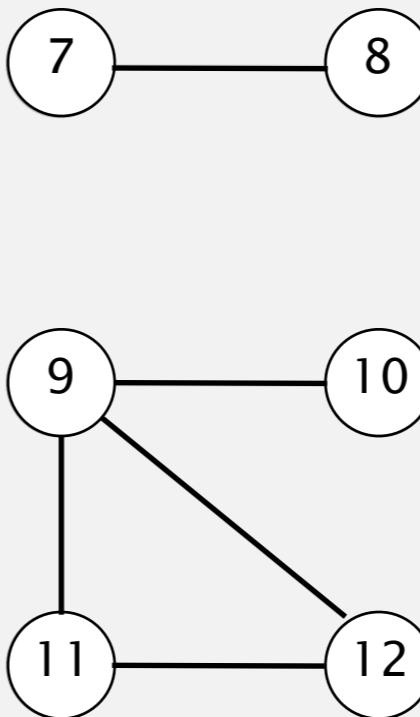
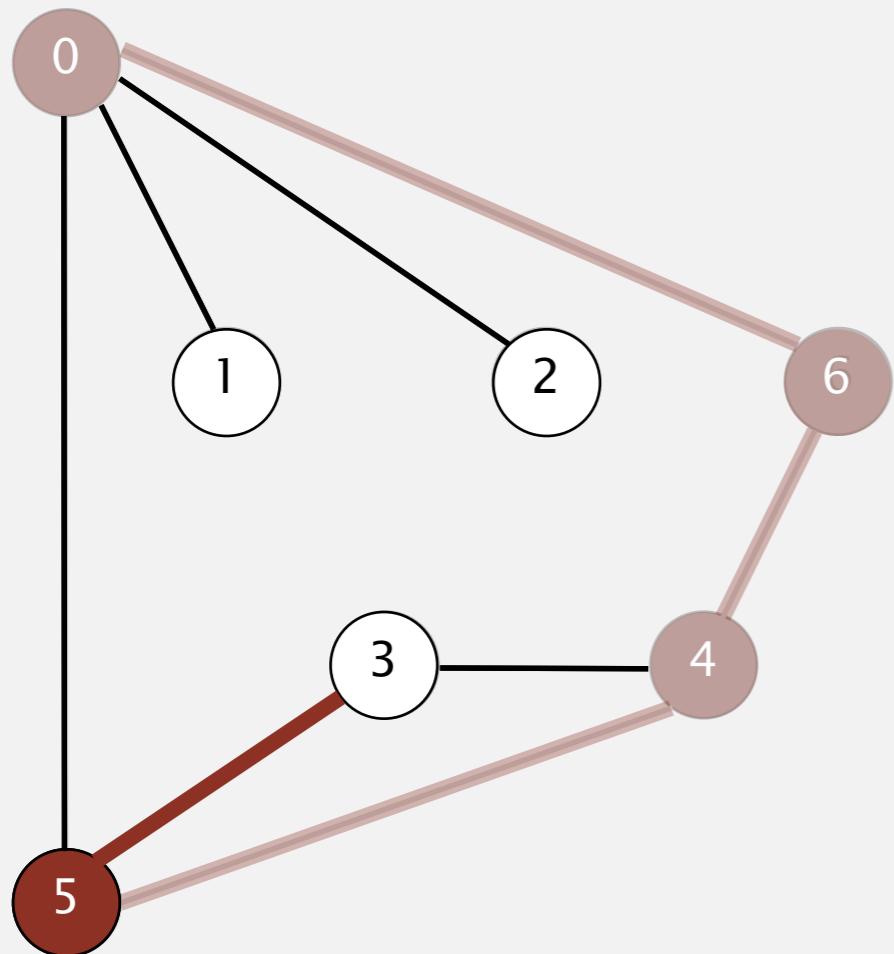
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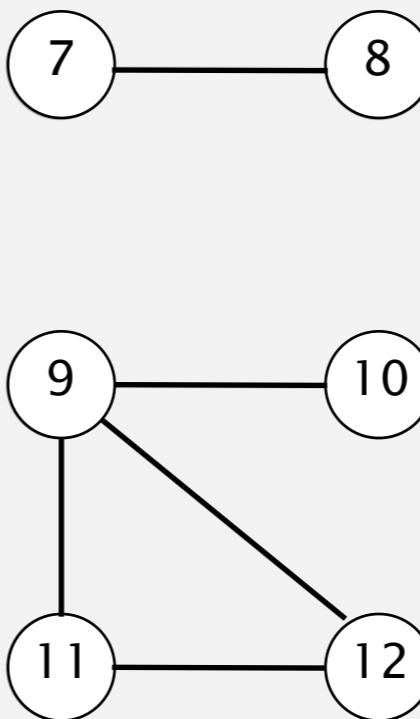
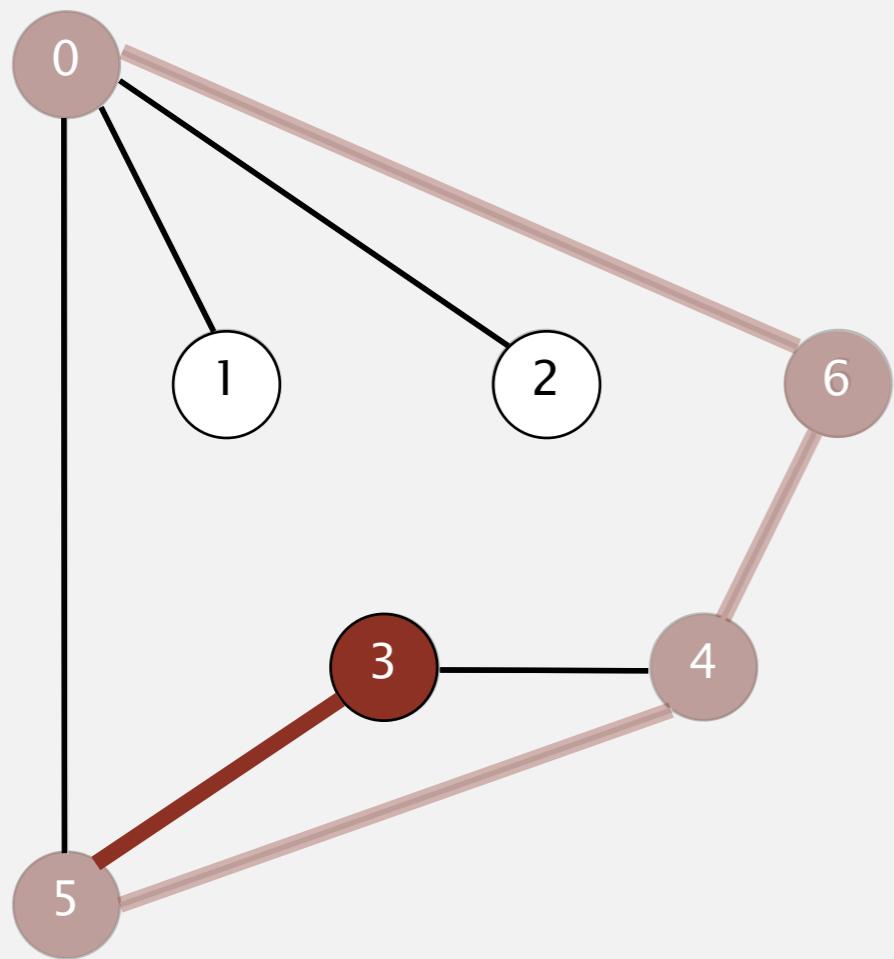
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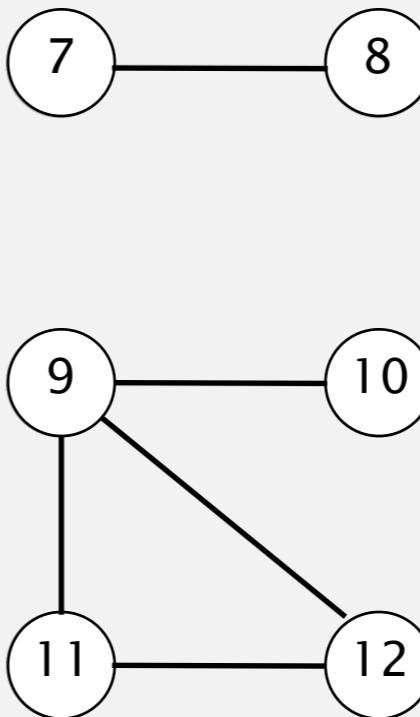
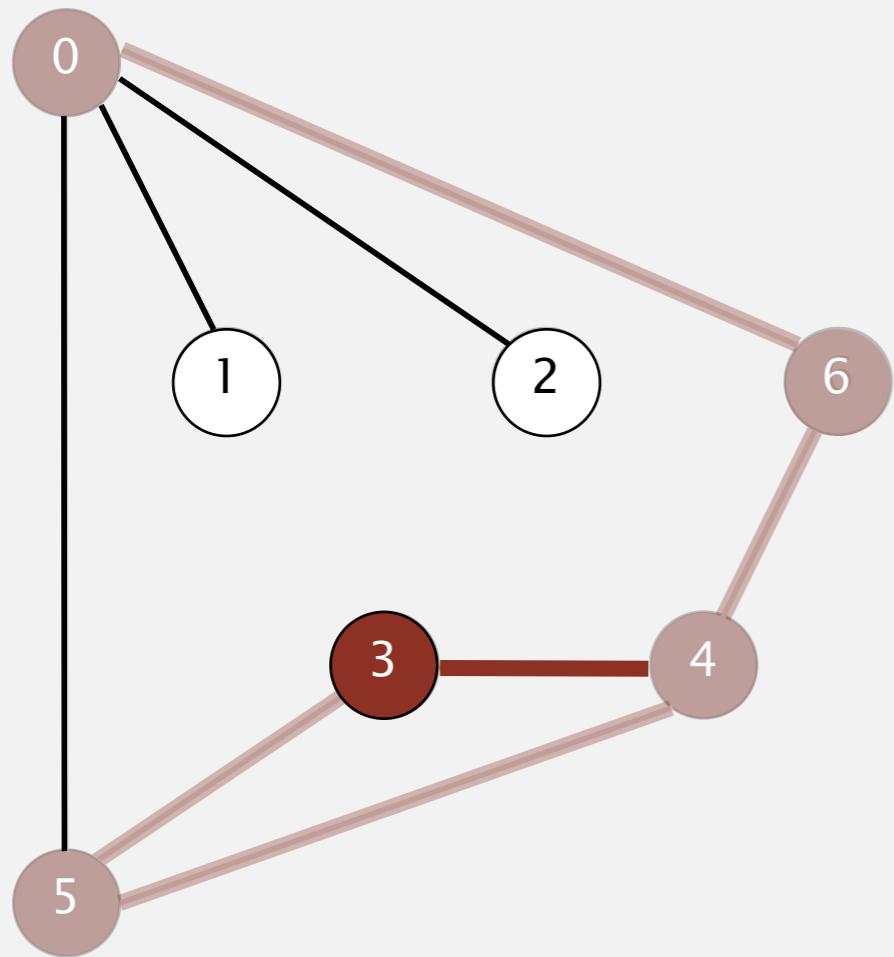
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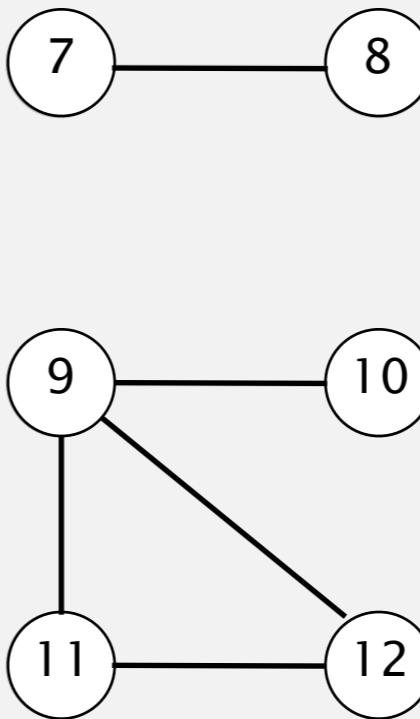
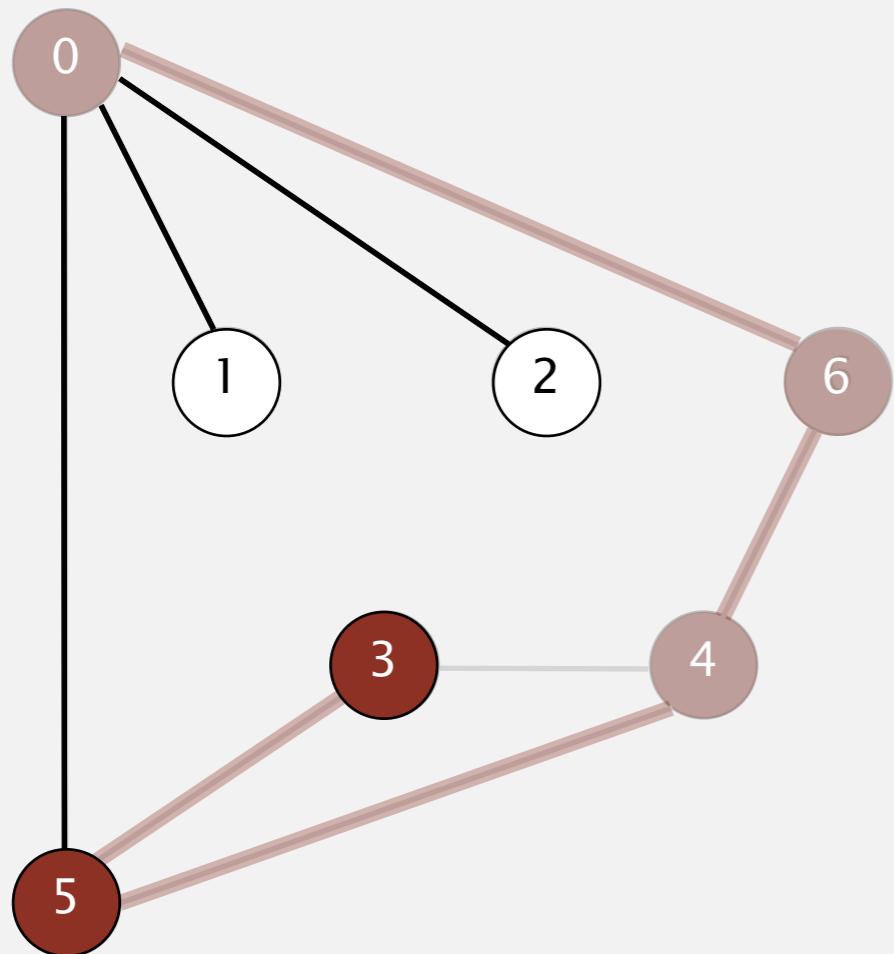
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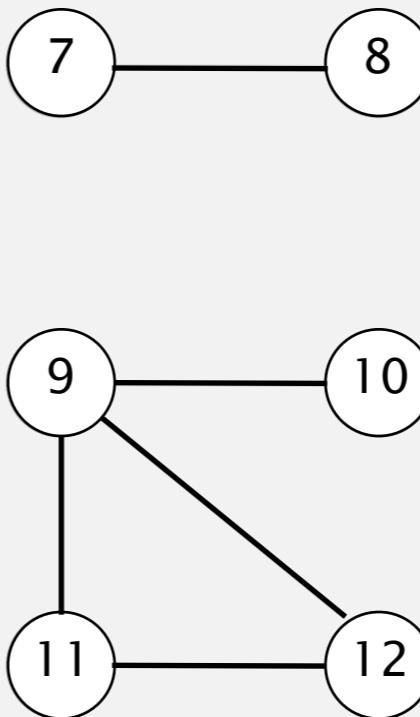
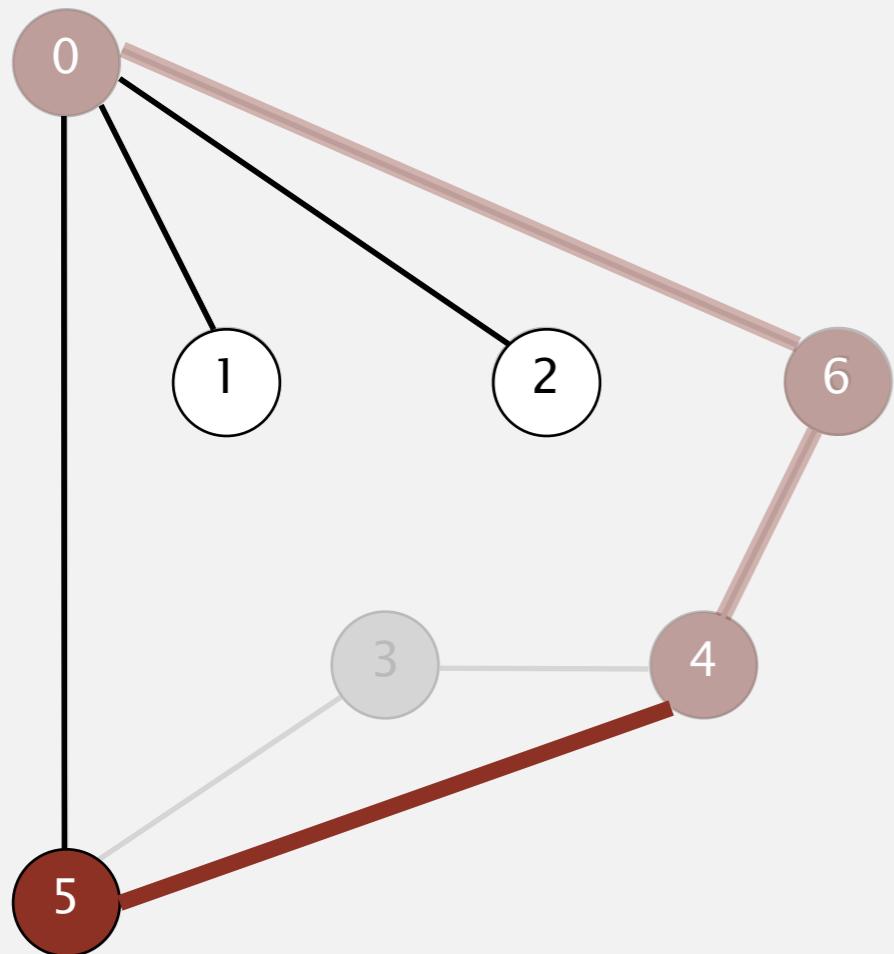
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6	T	0
7	F	-
8	F	-
9	F	-
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11	F	-
12	F	-

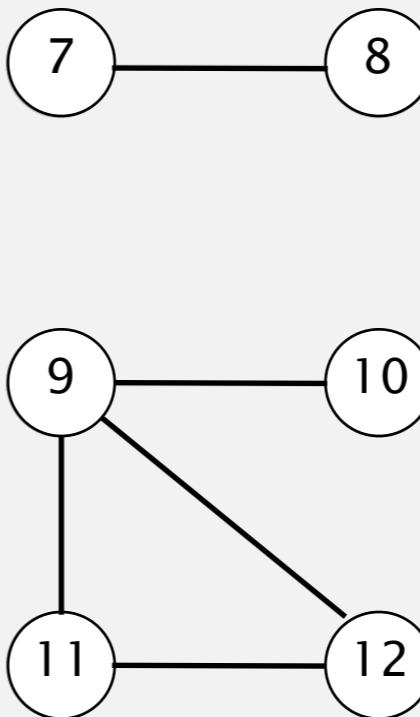
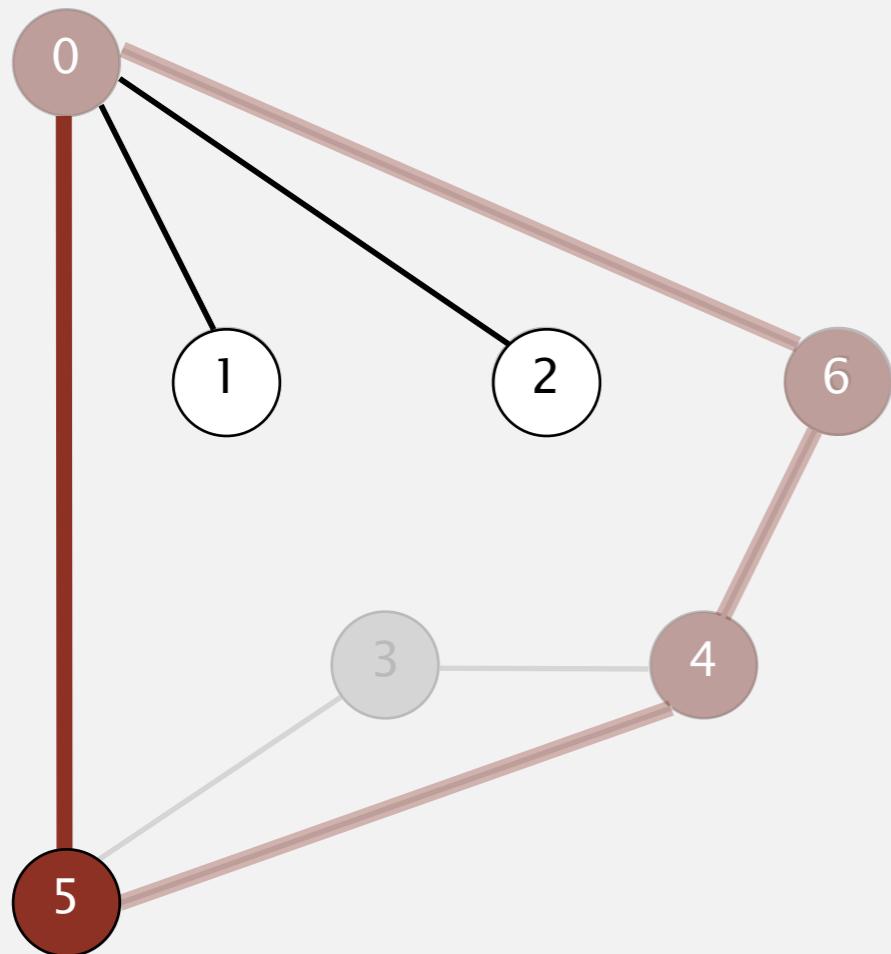
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# Depth-first search demo

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6	T	0
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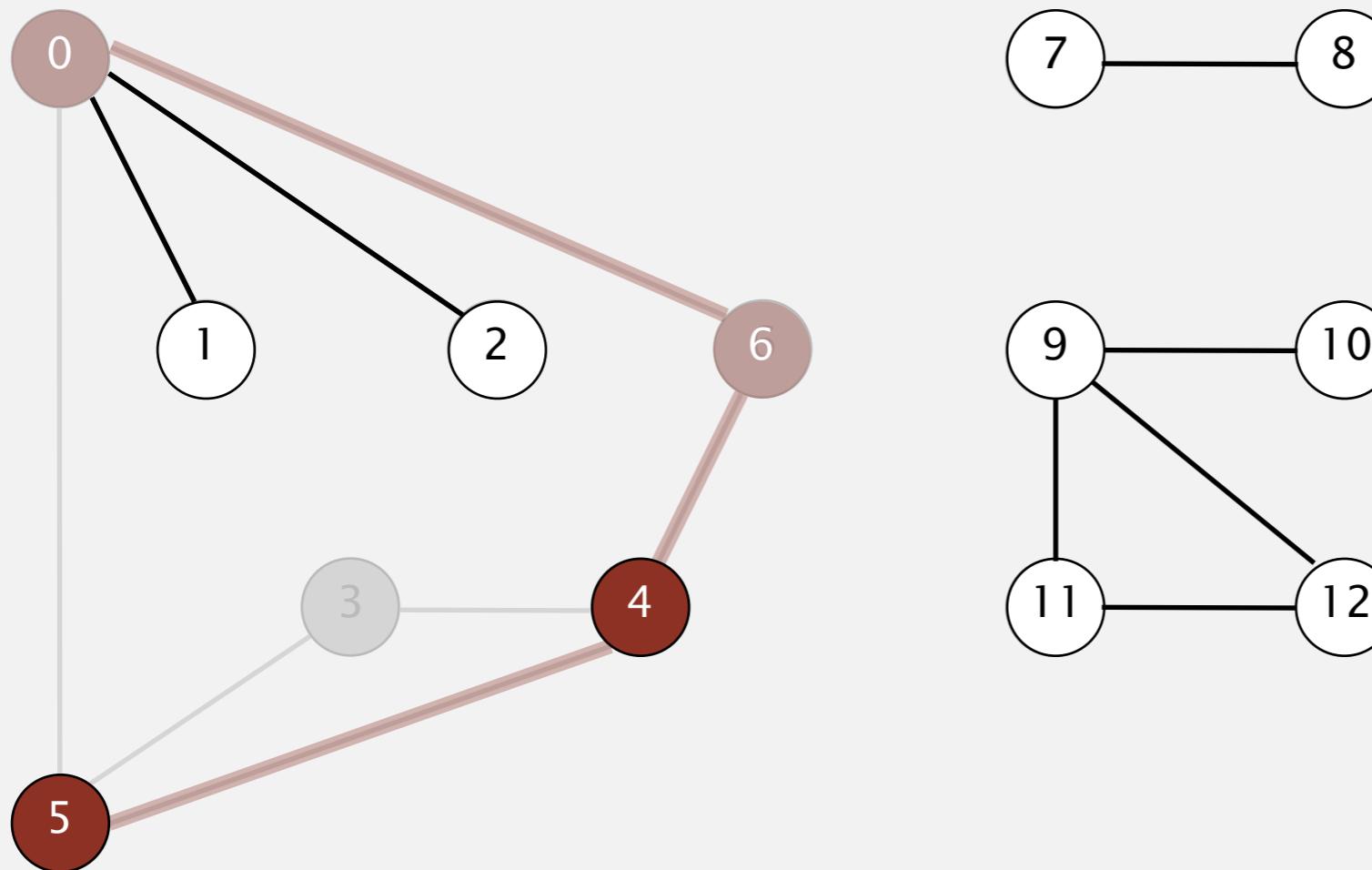
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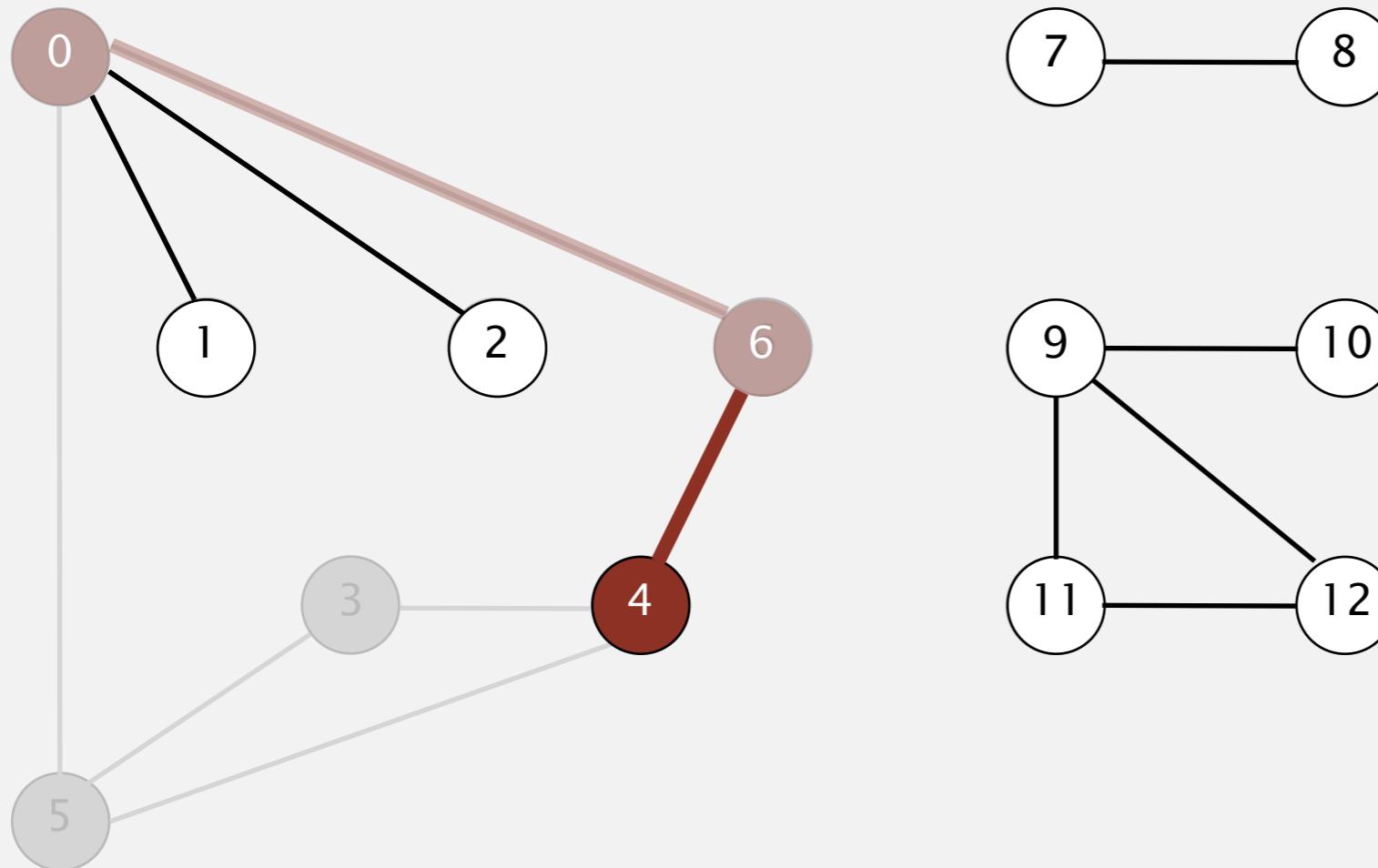
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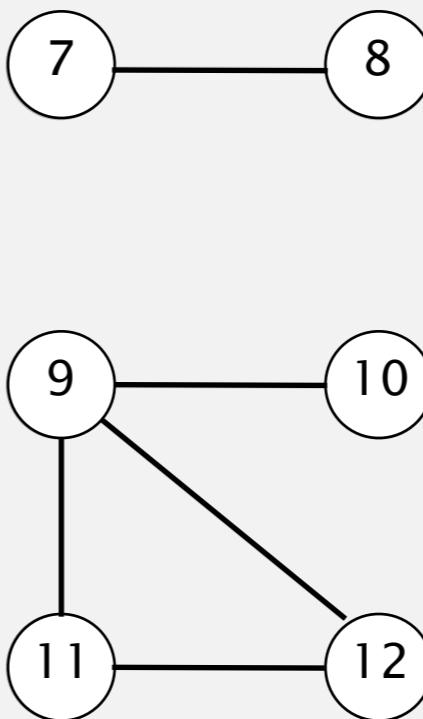
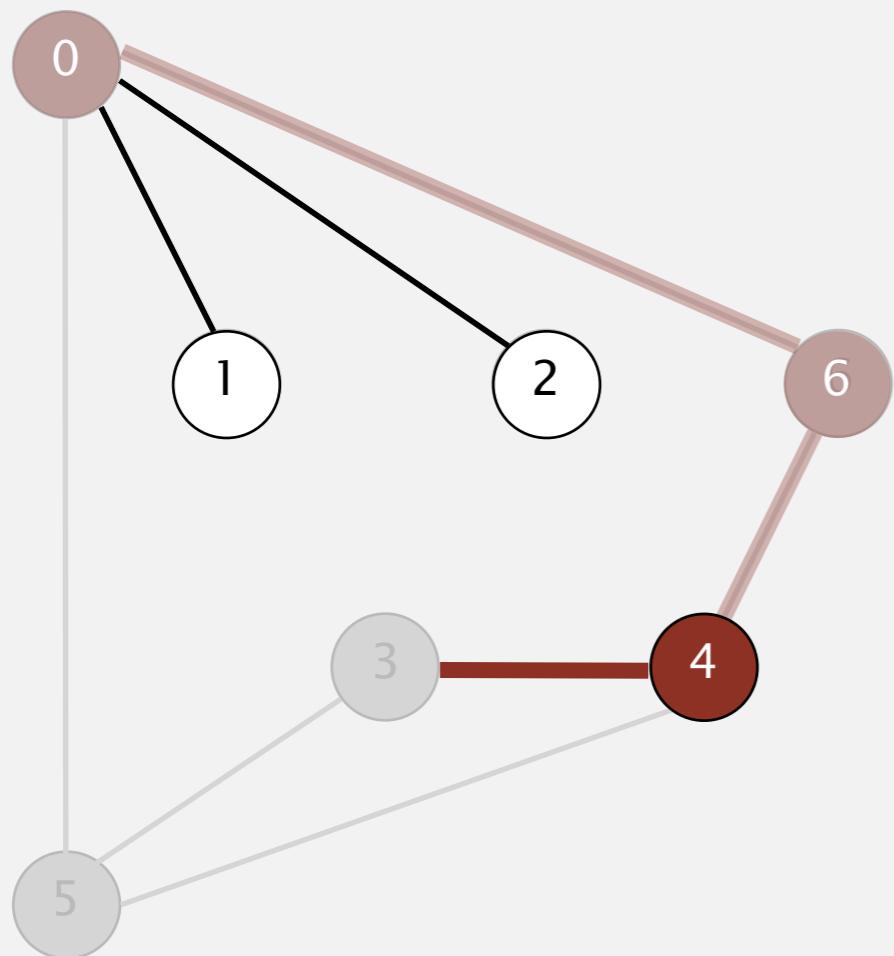
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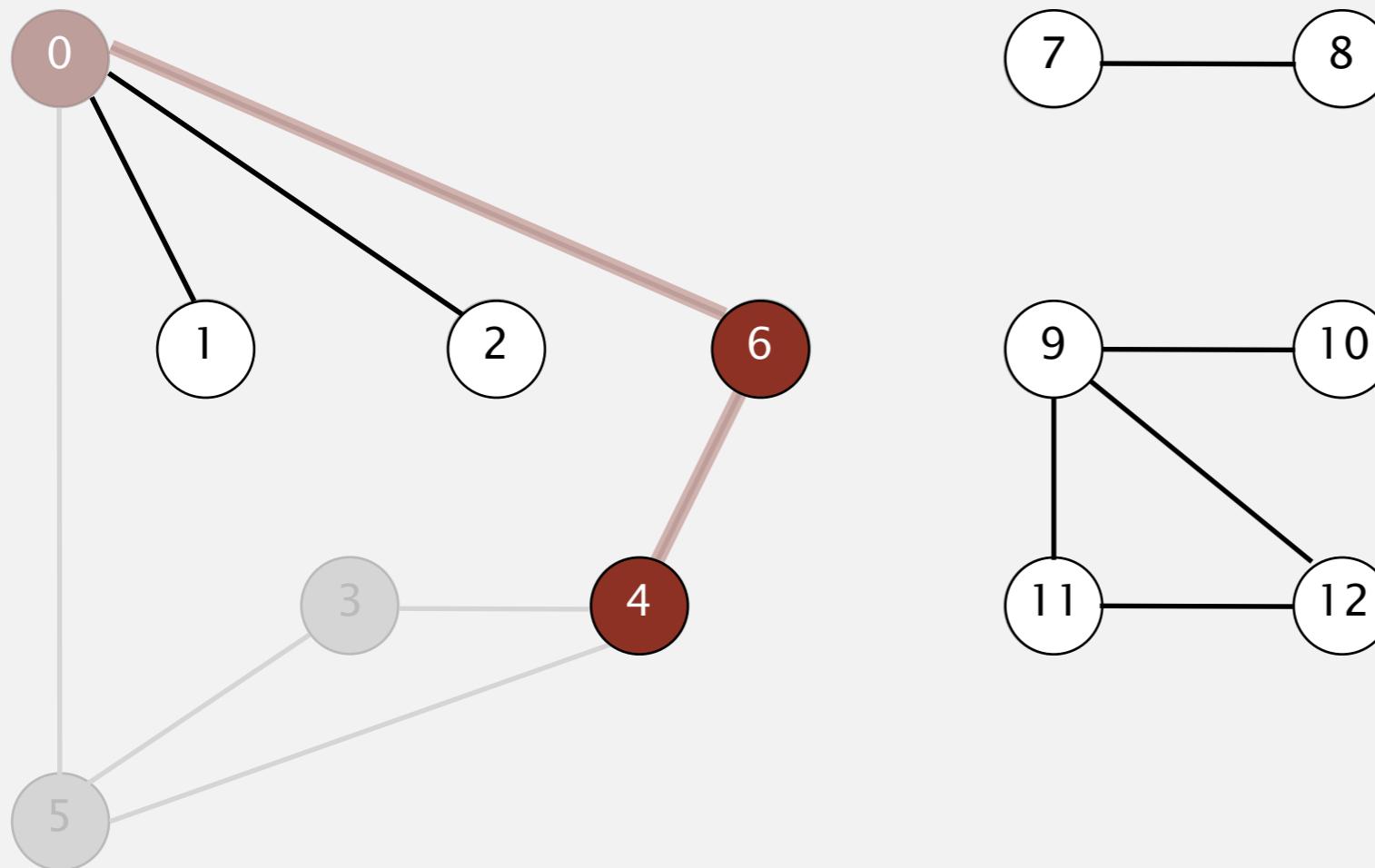
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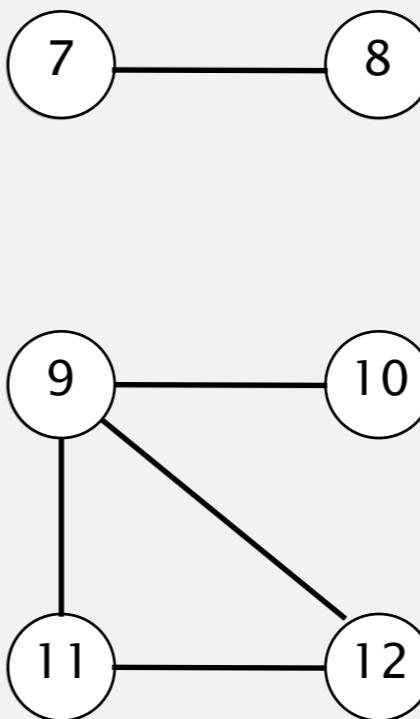
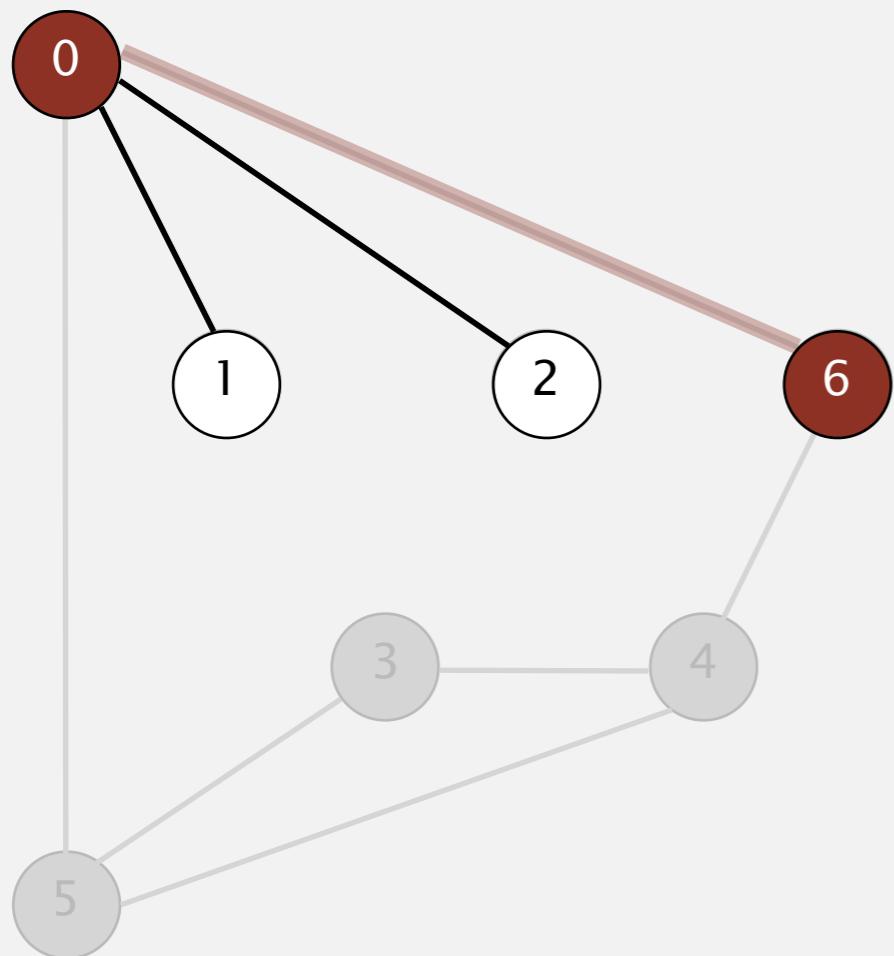
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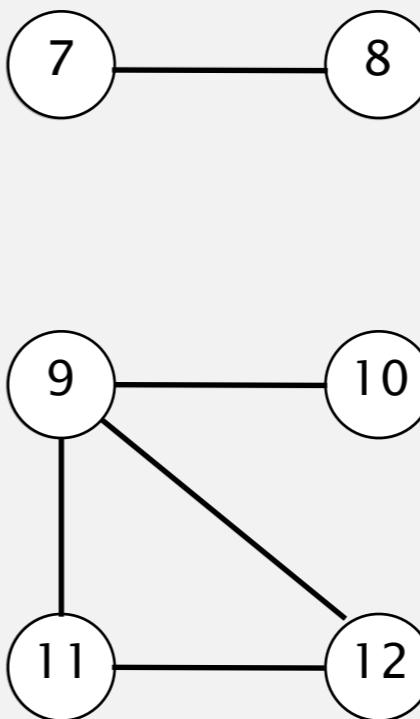
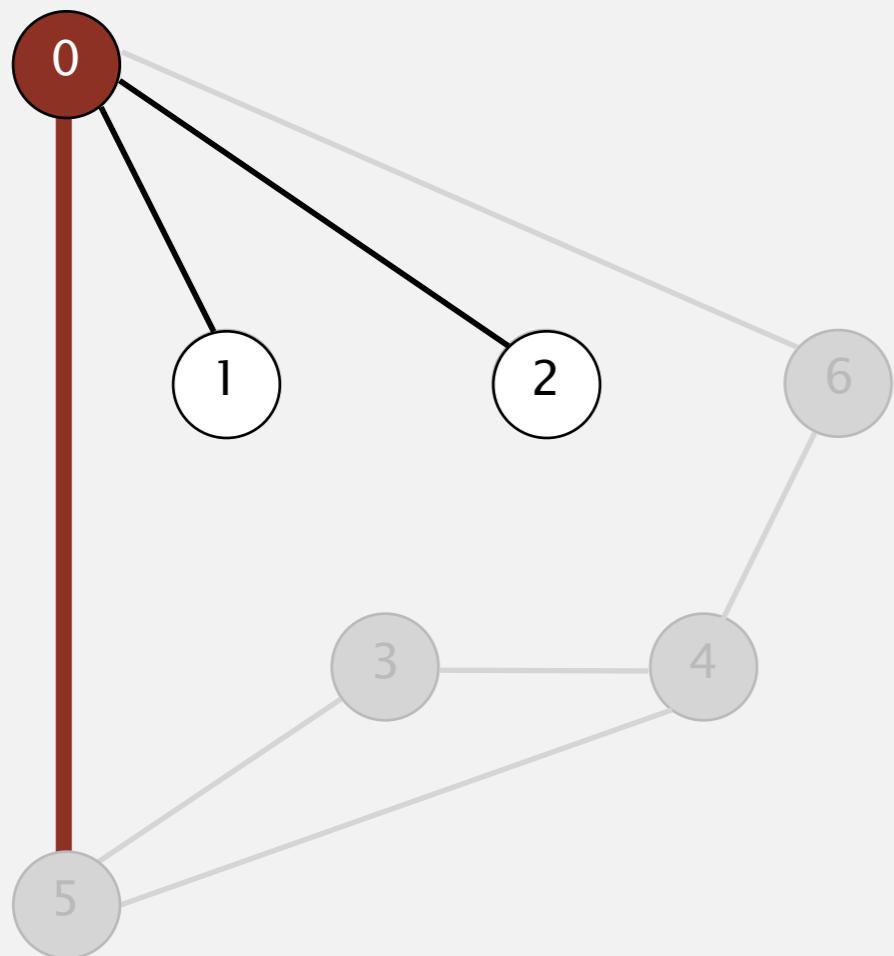
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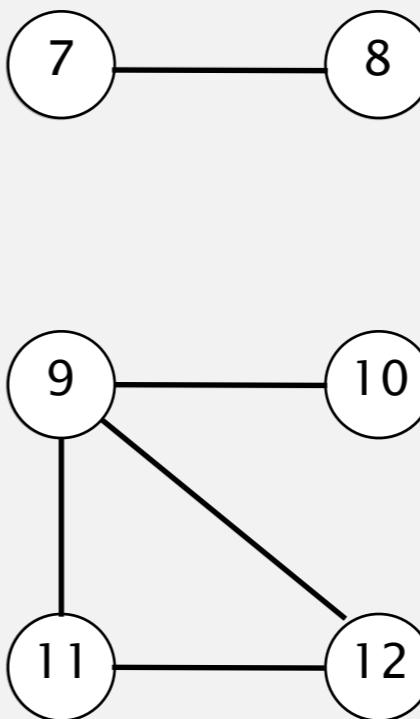
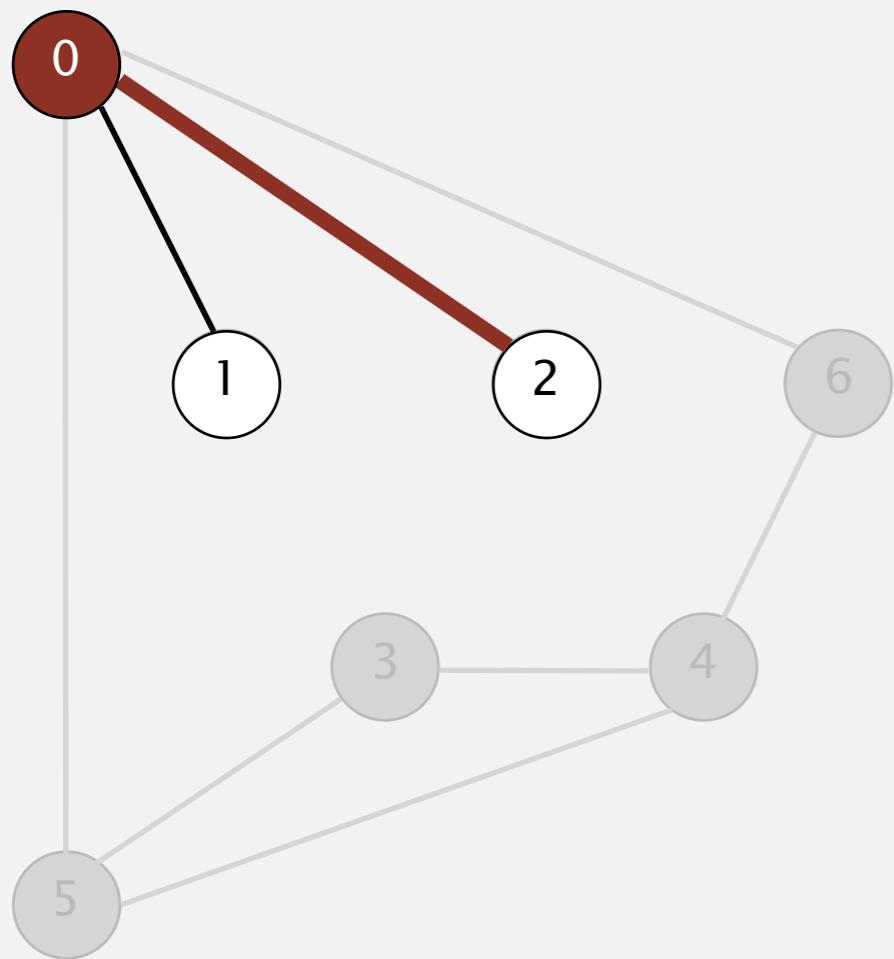
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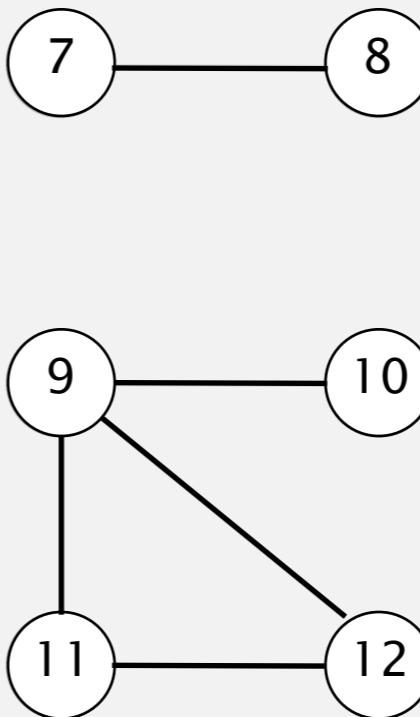
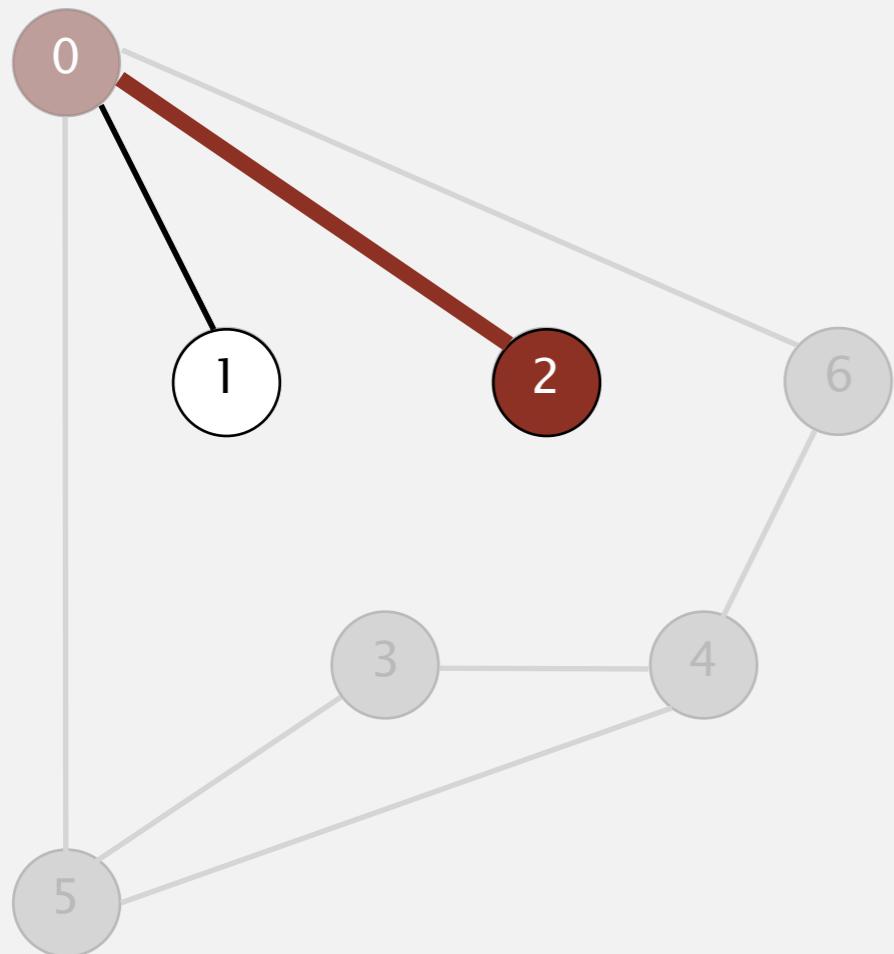
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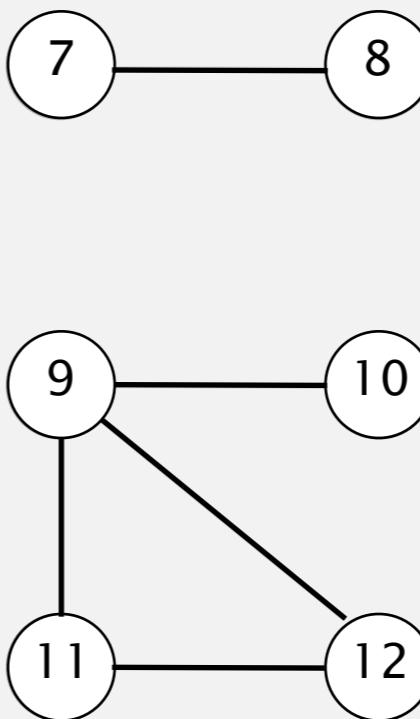
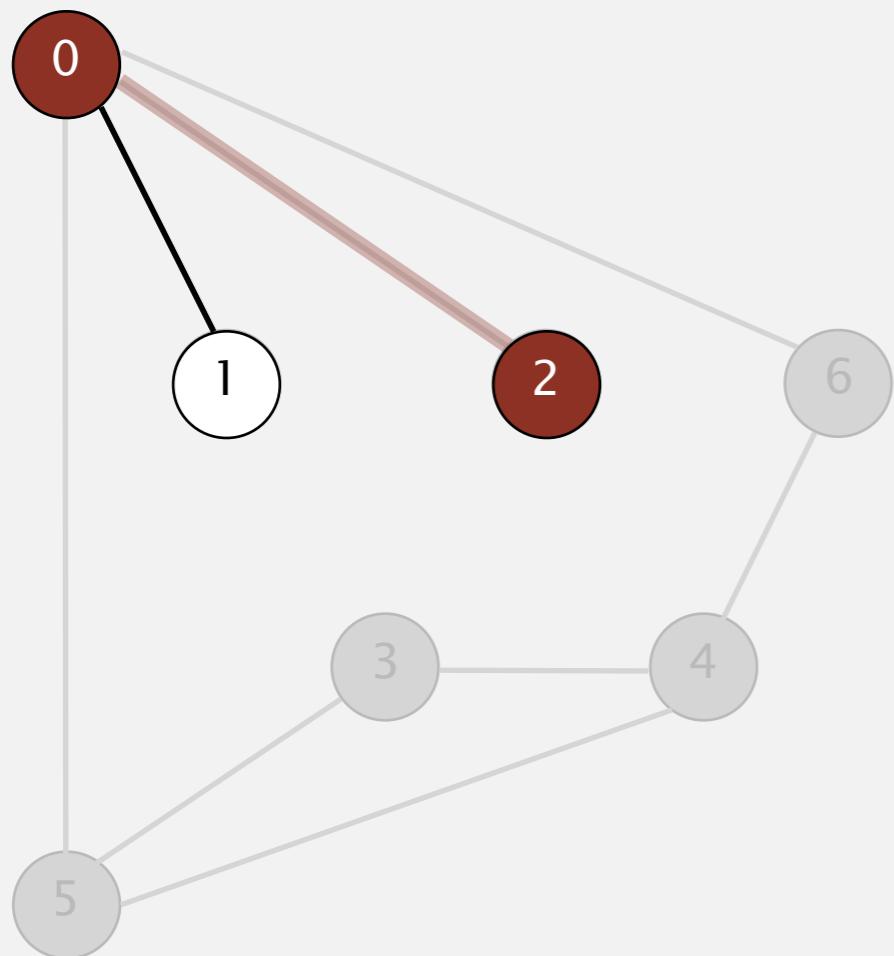
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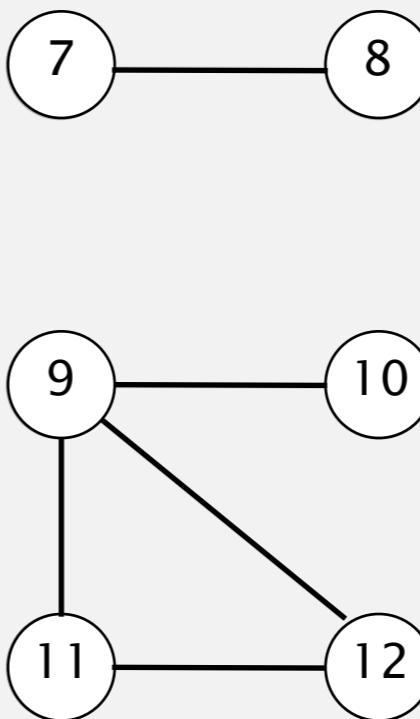
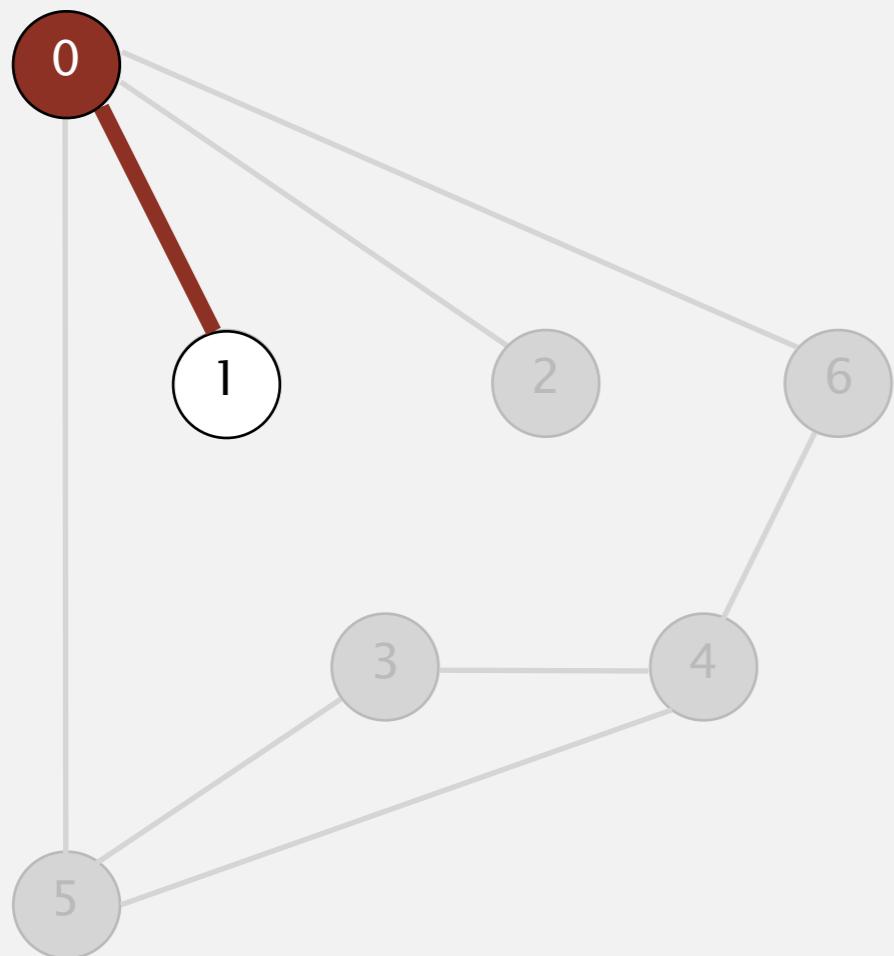
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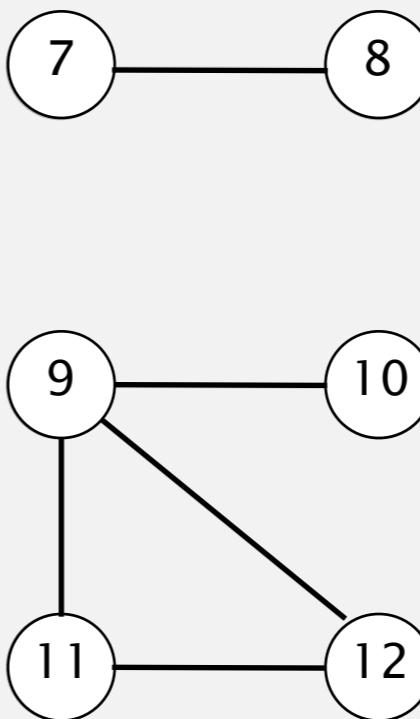
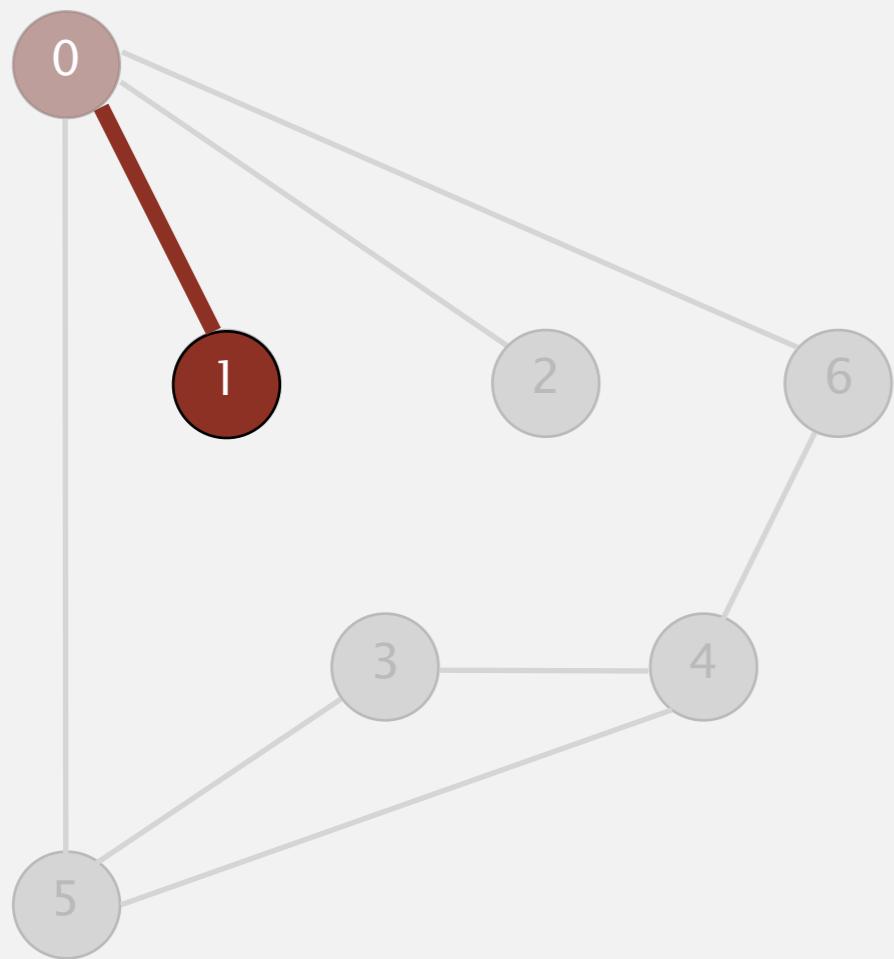
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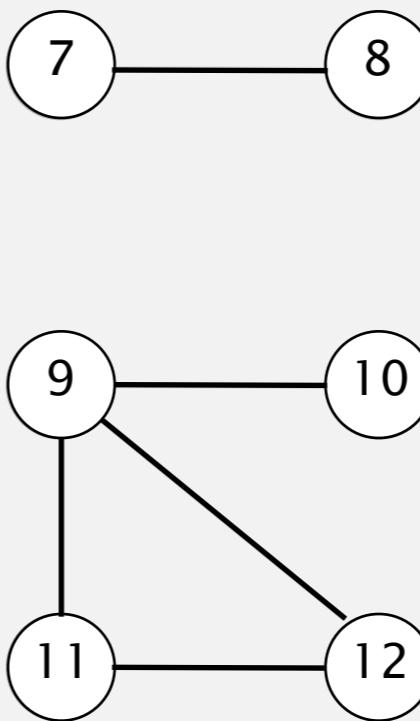
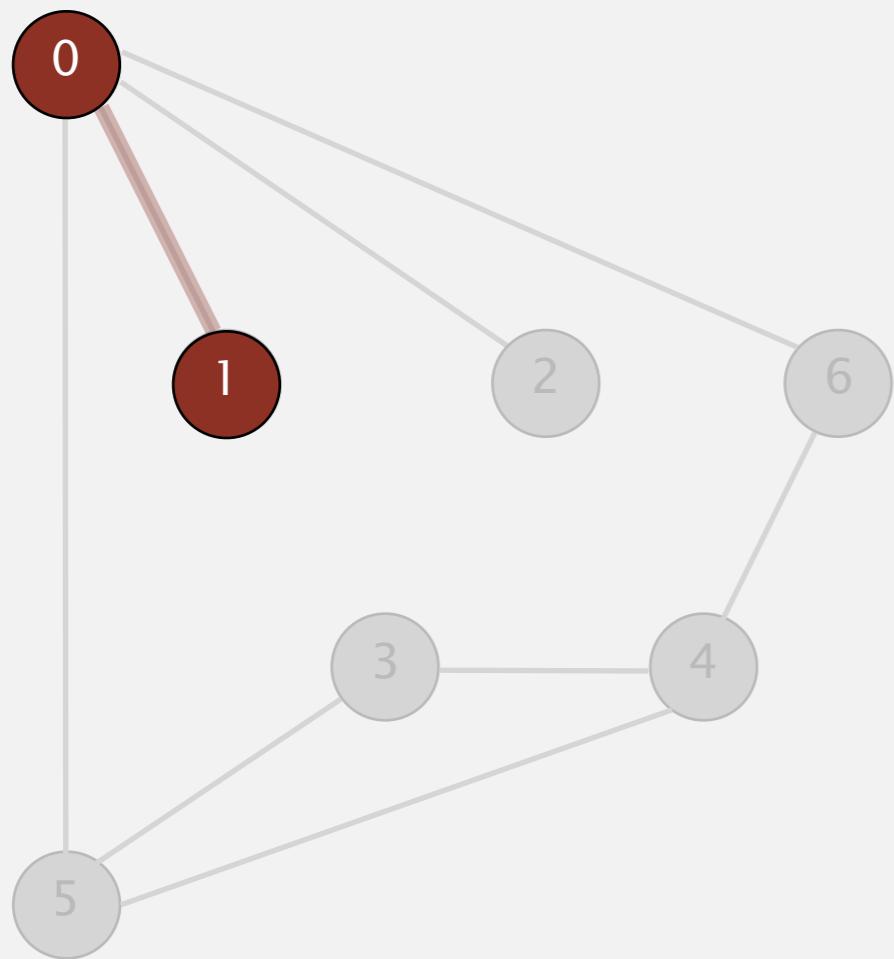
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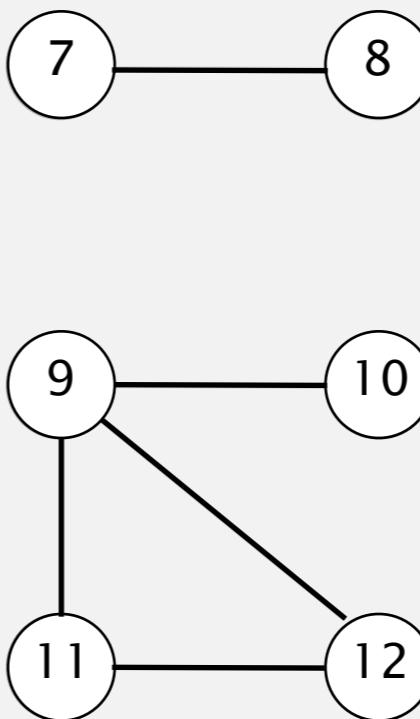
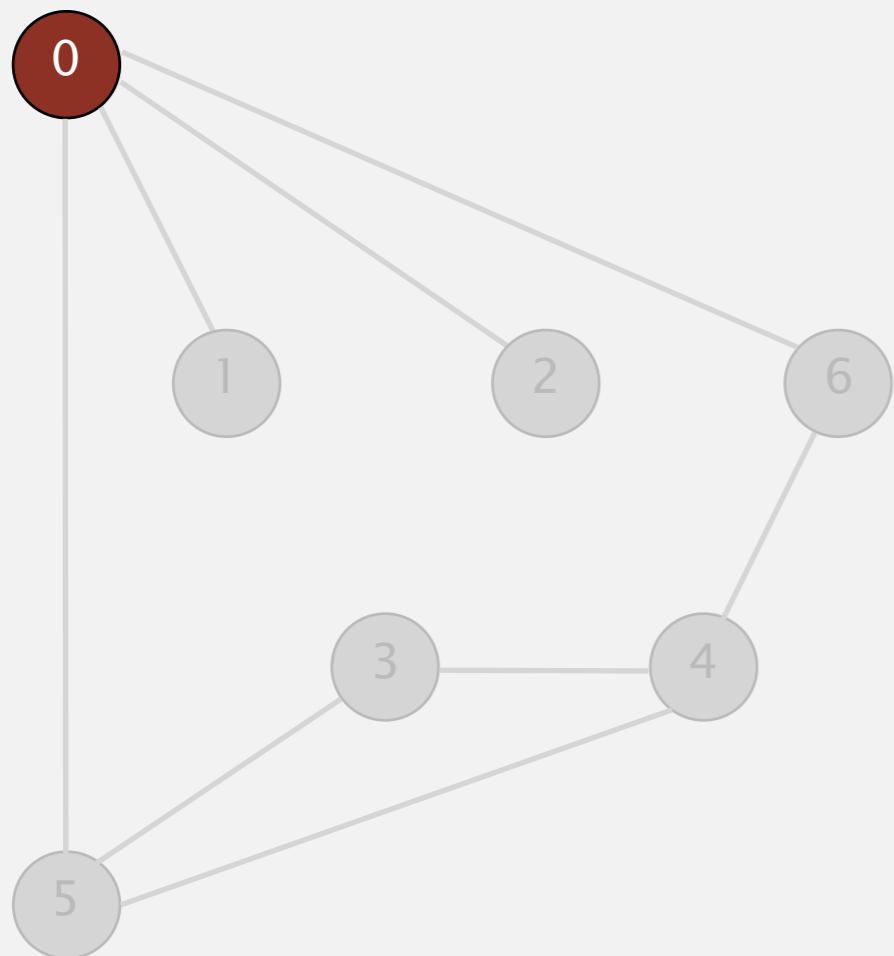
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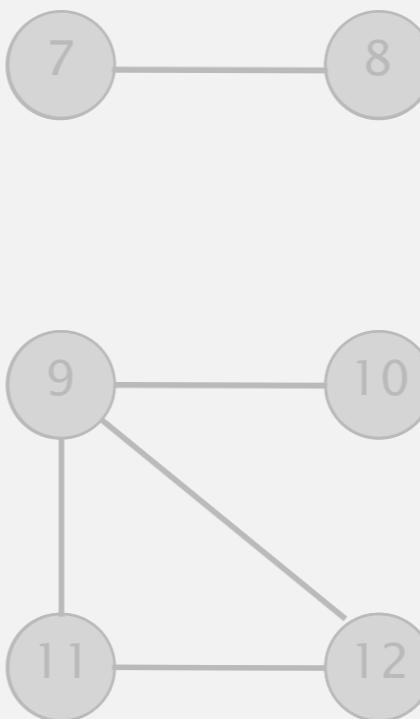
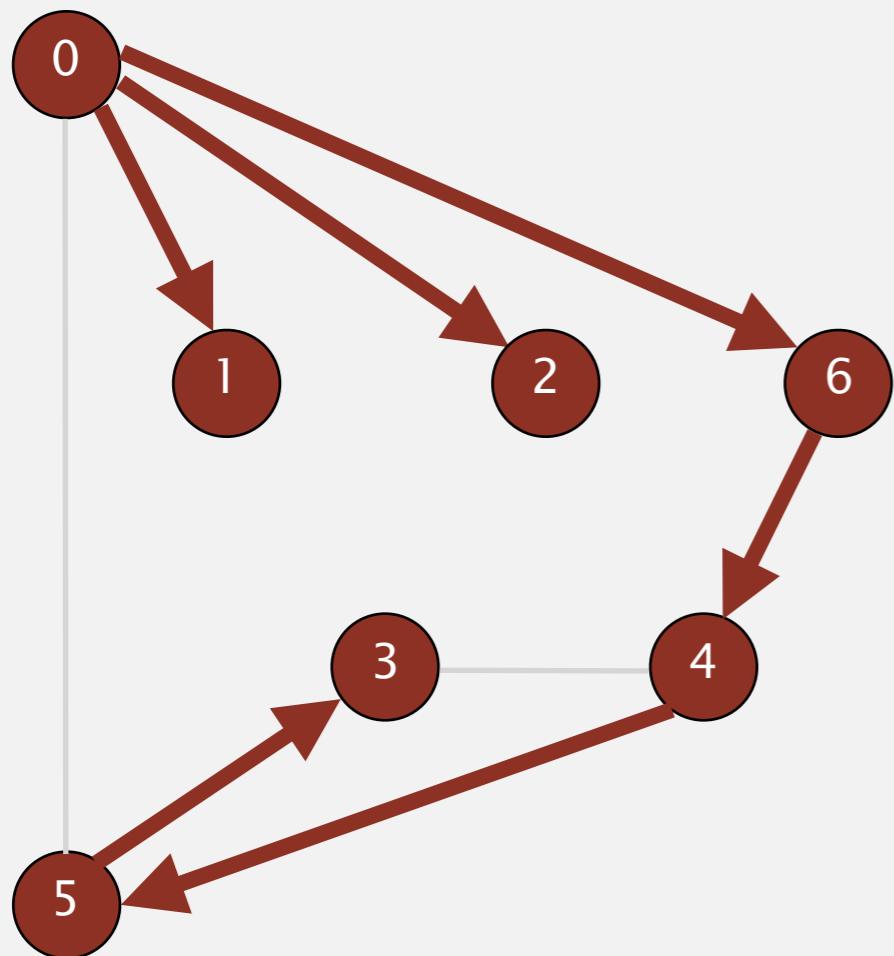
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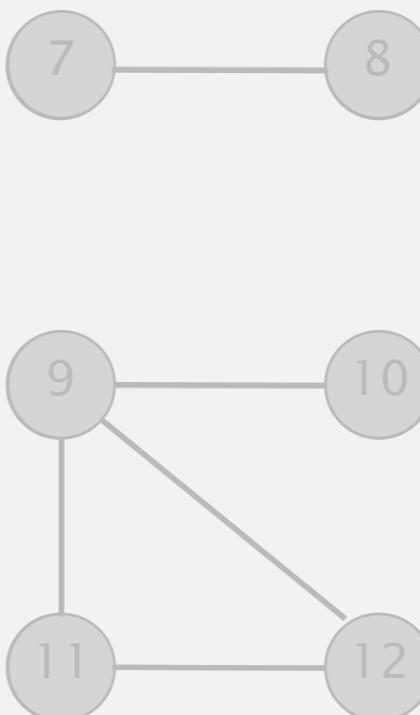
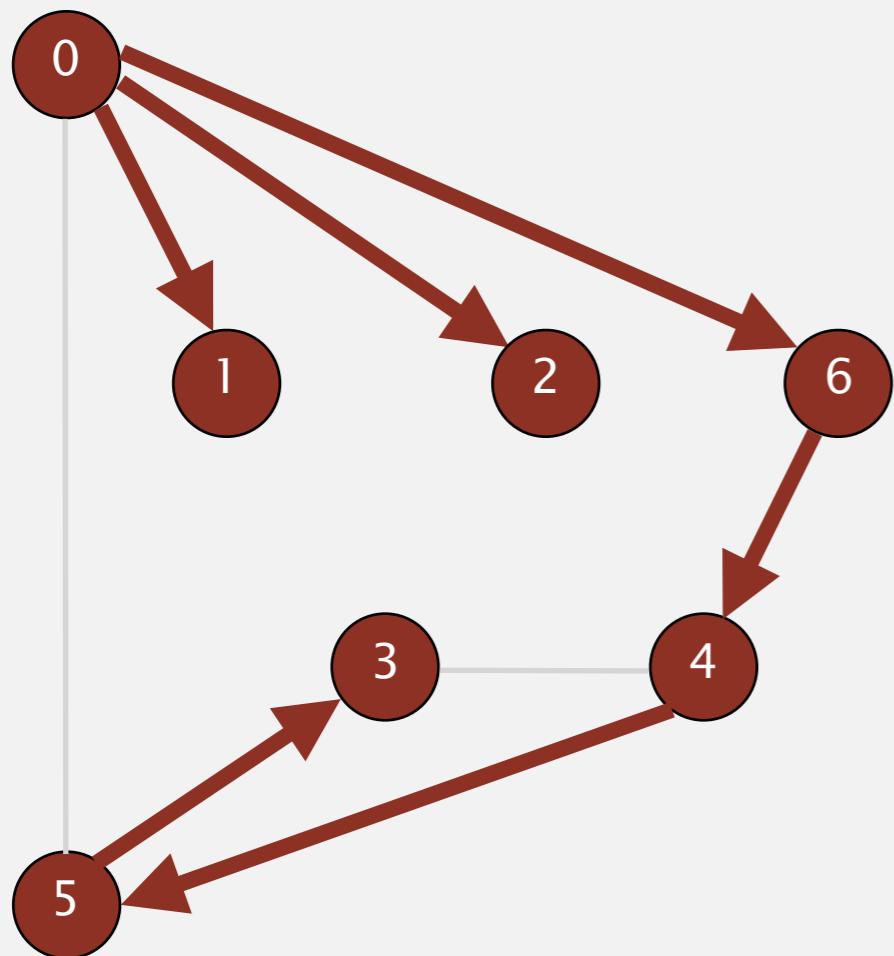
<b>v</b>	<b>marked[]</b>	<b>edgeTo[]</b>
0	T	-
1	T	0
2	T	0
3	T	5
4	T	6
5	T	4
6	T	0
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**vertices reachable from 0**

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vertices reachable from 0

# Design pattern for graph processing

**Design pattern.** Decouple graph data type from graph processing.

- Create a Graph object.
- Pass the Graph to a graph-processing routine.
- Query the graph-processing routine for information.

```
public class Paths
```

```
    Paths(Graph G, int s)
```

*find paths in G from source s*

```
    boolean hasPathTo(int v)
```

*is there a path from s to v?*

```
    Iterable<Integer> pathTo(int v)
```

*path from s to v; null if no such path*

```
Paths paths = new Paths(G, s);
for (int v = 0; v < G.V(); v++)
    if (paths.hasPathTo(v))
        StdOut.println(v);
```

*print all vertices  
connected to s*

# Depth-first search: data structures

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To visit a vertex  $v$ :

- Mark vertex  $v$ .
- Recursively visit all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$ .

## Data structures.

- Boolean array `marked[]` to mark vertices.
- Integer array `edgeTo[]` to keep track of paths.  
 $(\text{edgeTo}[w] == v)$  means that edge  $v-w$  taken to discover vertex  $w$
- Function-call stack for recursion.

# Depth-first search: Java implementation

```
public class DepthFirstPaths
{
    private boolean[] marked;
    private int[] edgeTo;
    private int s;

    public DepthFirstPaths(Graph G, int s)
    {
        ...
        dfs(G, s);
    }

    private void dfs(Graph G, int v)
    {
        marked[v] = true;
        for (int w : G.adj(v))
            if (!marked[w])
            {
                edgeTo[w] = v;
                dfs(G, w);
            }
    }
}
```

marked[v] = true  
if v connected to s

edgeTo[v] = previous  
vertex on path from s to v

initialize data structures

find vertices connected to s

recursive DFS does the work

## Depth-first search: properties

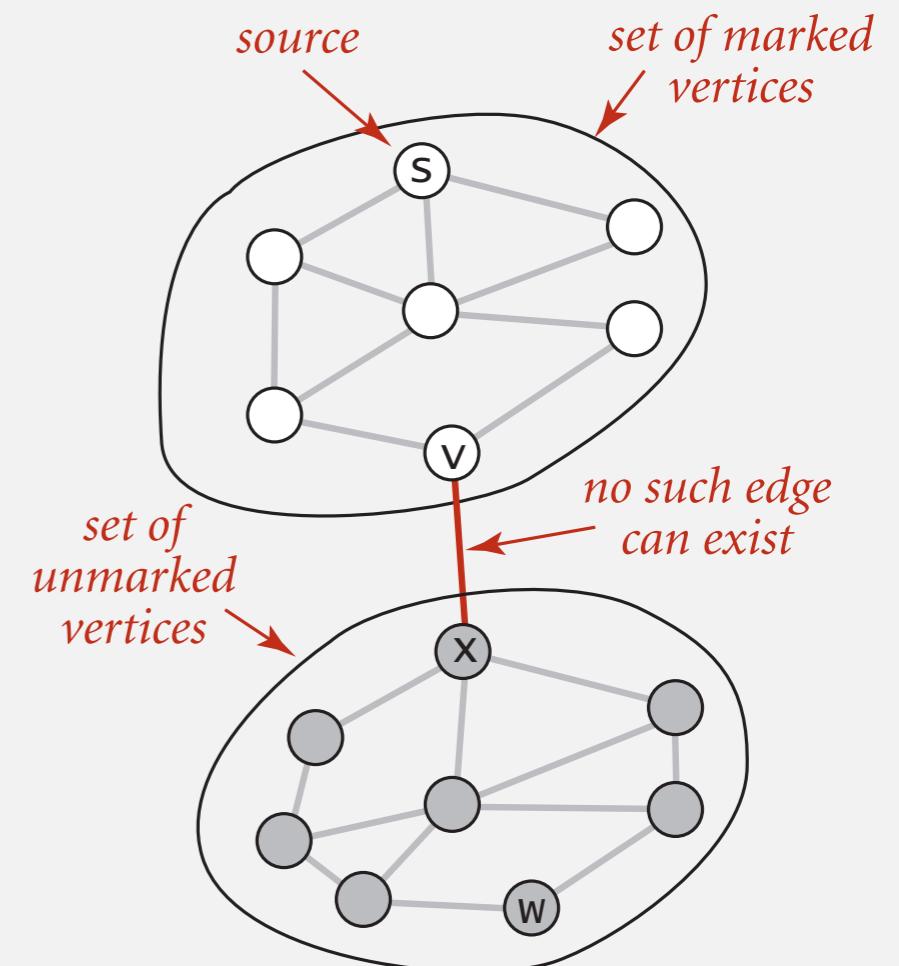
**Proposition.** DFS marks all vertices connected to  $s$  in time proportional to the sum of their degrees (plus time to initialize the `marked[]` array).

**Pf. [correctness]**

- If  $w$  marked, then  $w$  connected to  $s$  (why?)
- If  $w$  connected to  $s$ , then  $w$  marked.  
(if  $w$  unmarked, then consider last edge on a path from  $s$  to  $w$  that goes from a marked vertex to an unmarked one).

**Pf. [running time]**

Each vertex connected to  $s$  is visited once.



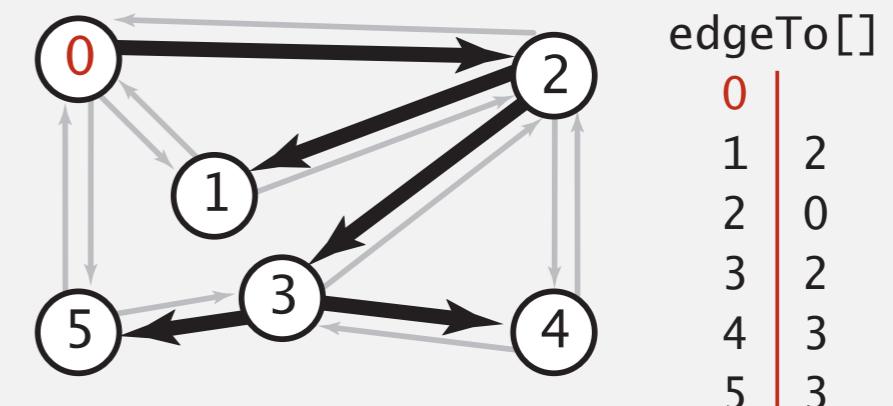
## Depth-first search: properties

**Proposition.** After DFS, a client can check if vertex  $v$  is connected to  $s$  in constant time, and the client can find  $v-s$  path (if one exists) in time proportional to its length.

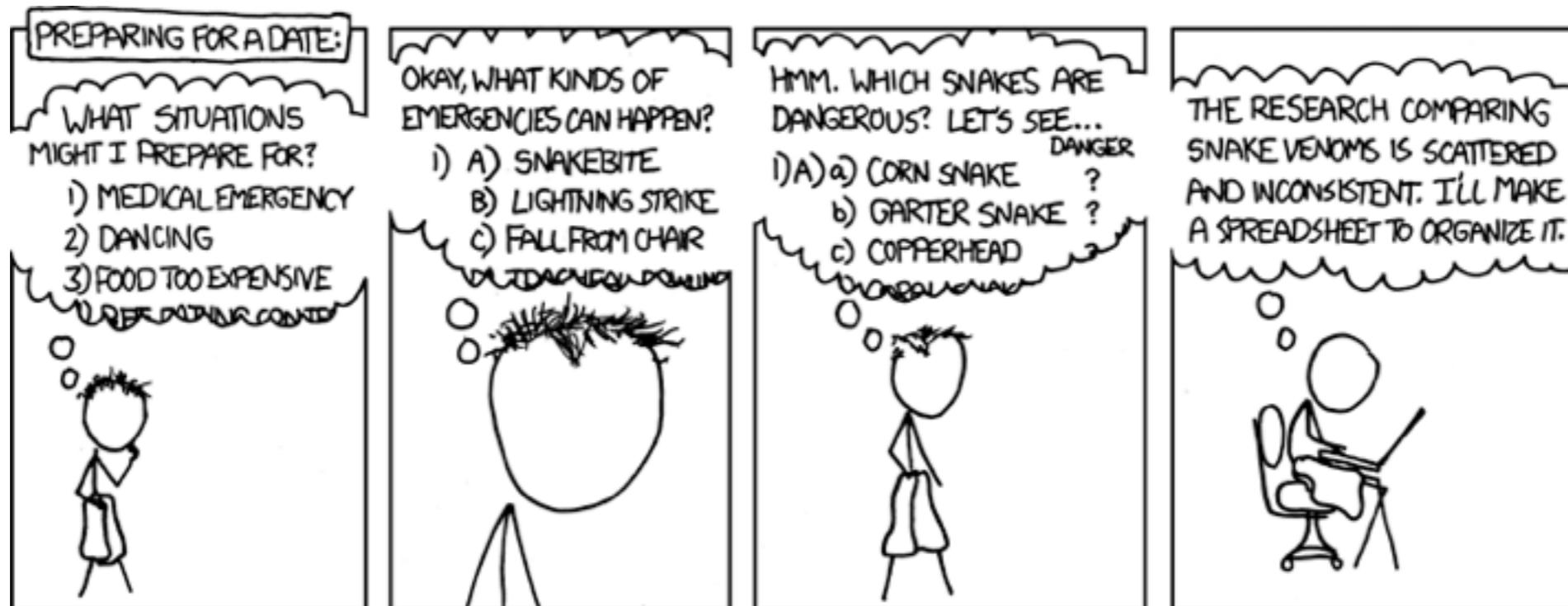
**Pf.** `edgeTo[]` is parent-link representation of a tree rooted at vertex  $s$ .

```
public boolean hasPathTo(int v)
{   return marked[v];  }

public Iterable<Integer> pathTo(int v)
{
    if (!hasPathTo(v)) return null;
    Stack<Integer> path = new Stack<Integer>();
    for (int x = v; x != s; x = edgeTo[x])
        path.push(x);
    path.push(s);
    return path;
}
```



# Depth-first search application: preparing for a date



I REALLY NEED TO STOP USING DEPTH-FIRST SEARCHES.

xkcd

<http://xkcd.com/761/>

# Algorithms

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## 4.1 UNDIRECTED GRAPHS

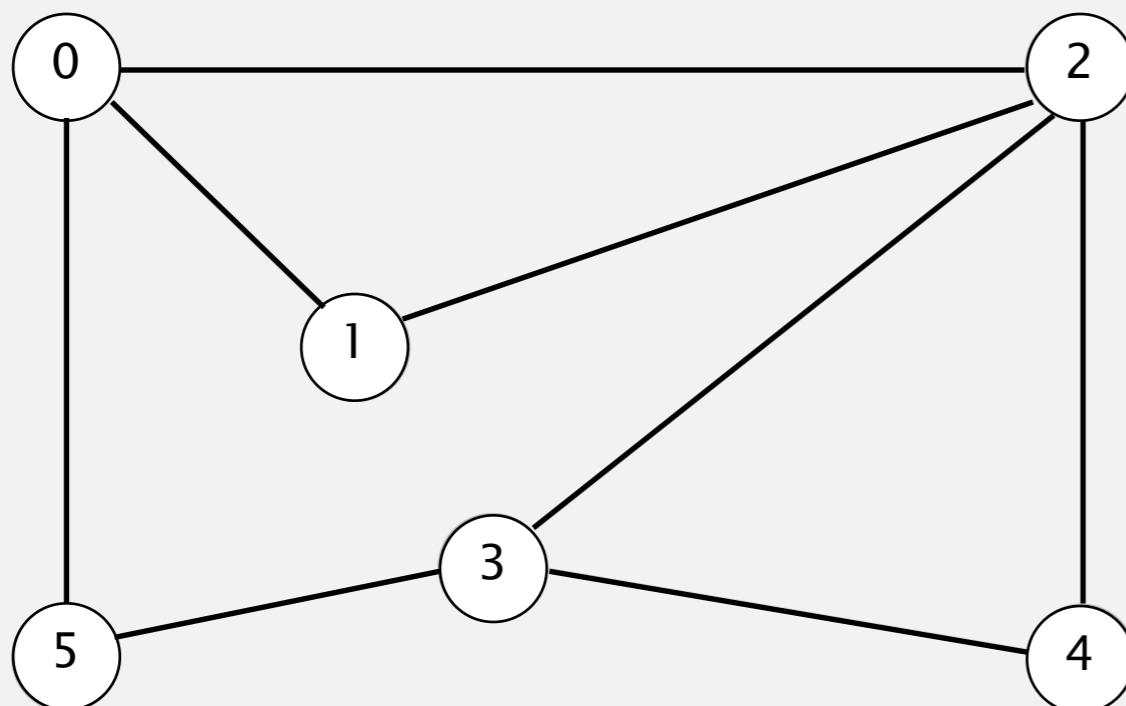
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- ▶ ***breadth-first search***
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# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
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**tinyCG.txt**

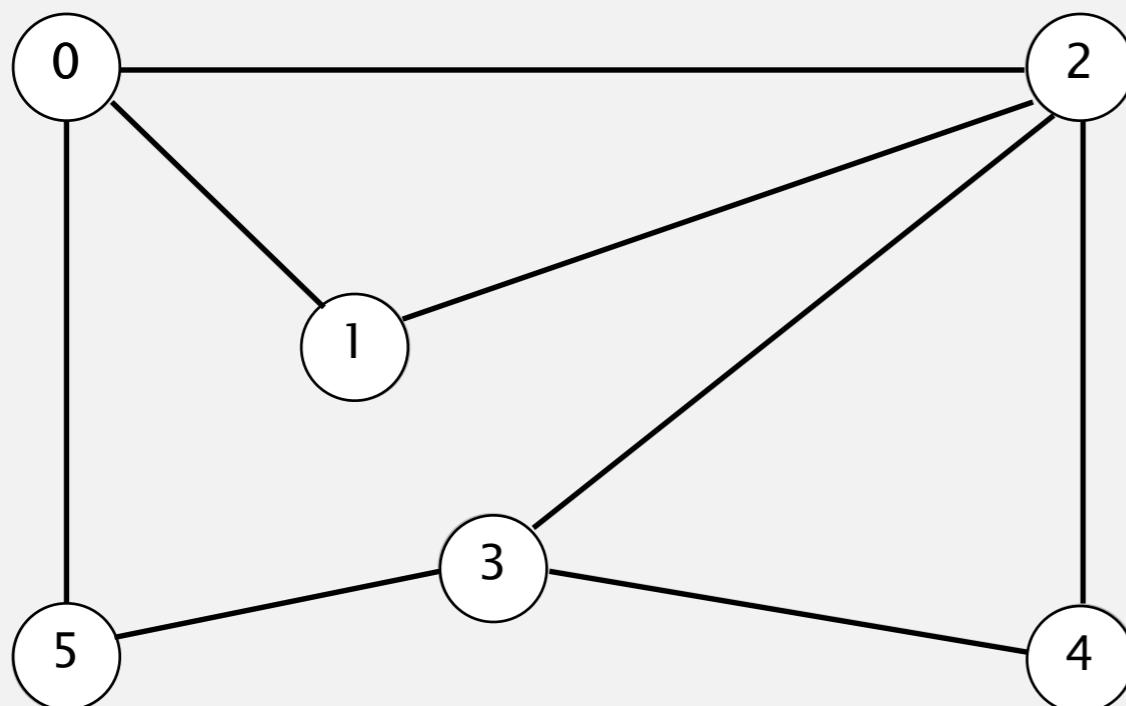
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8  
0 5  
2 4  
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1 2  
0 1  
3 4  
3 5  
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*E* ←

**graph G**

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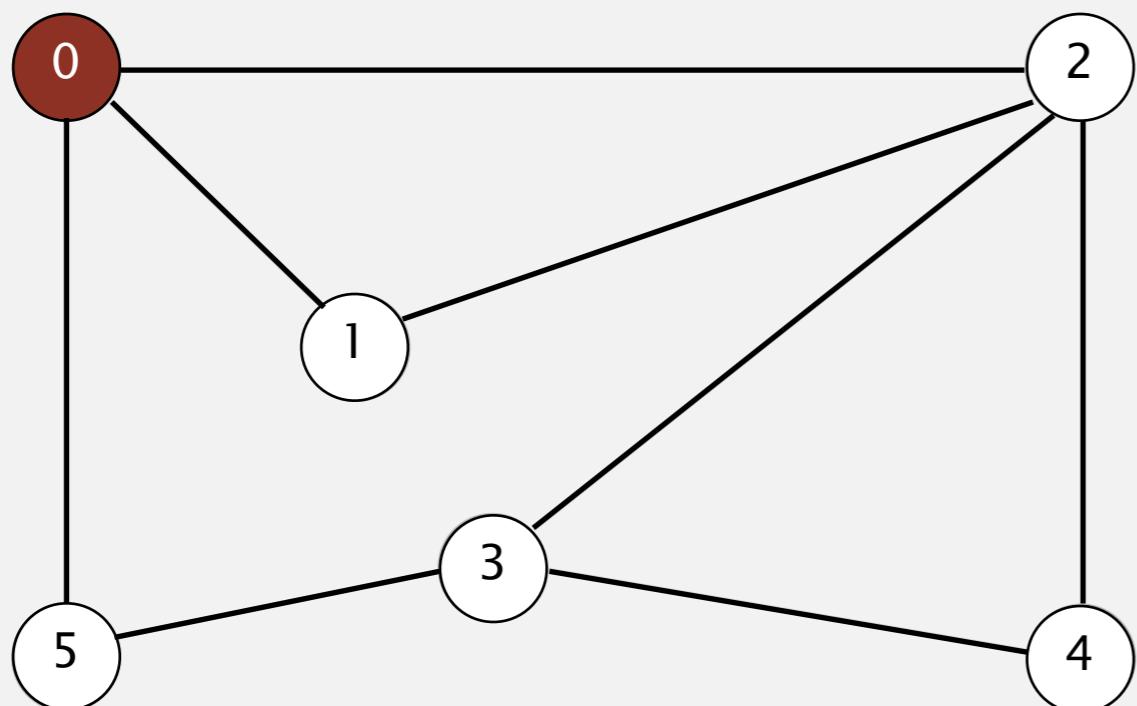
queue	v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
	0	-	0
	1	-	-
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	4	-	-
	5	-	-

**add 0 to queue**

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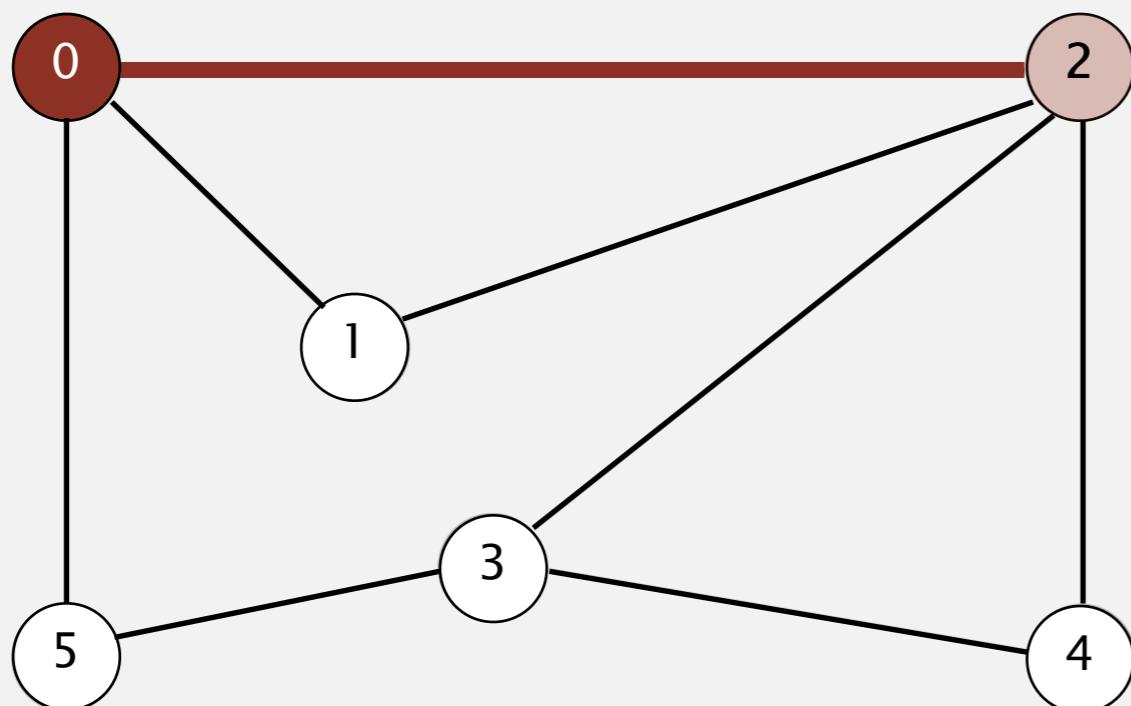
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0			

**dequeue 0**

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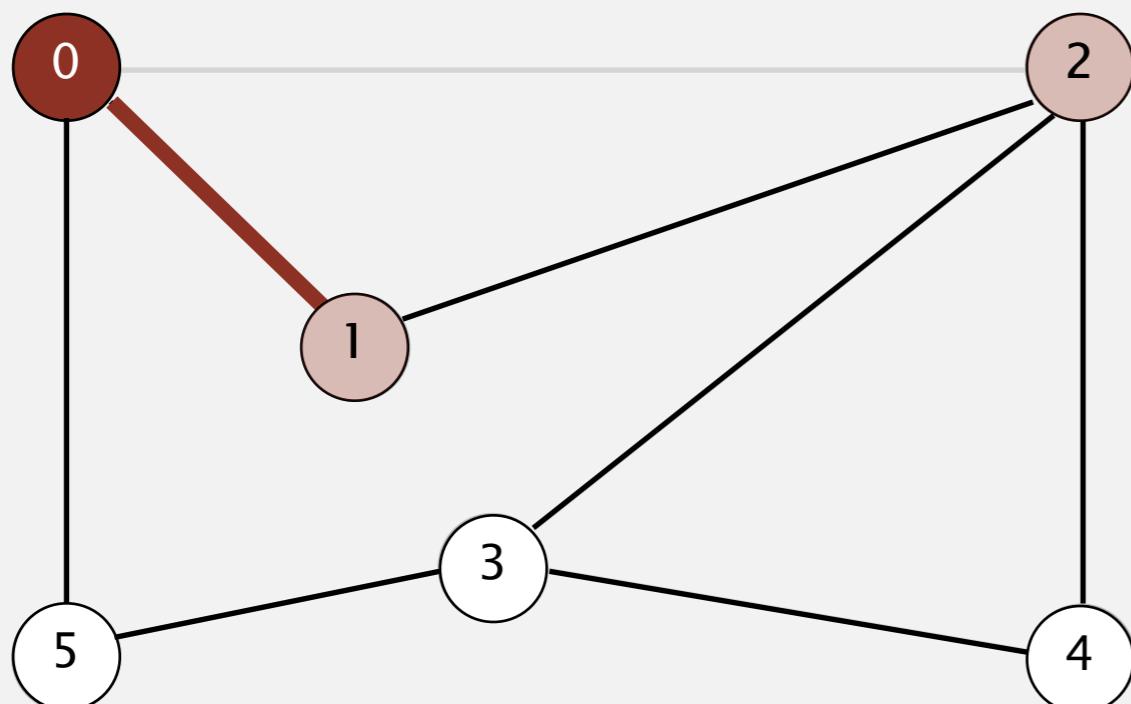
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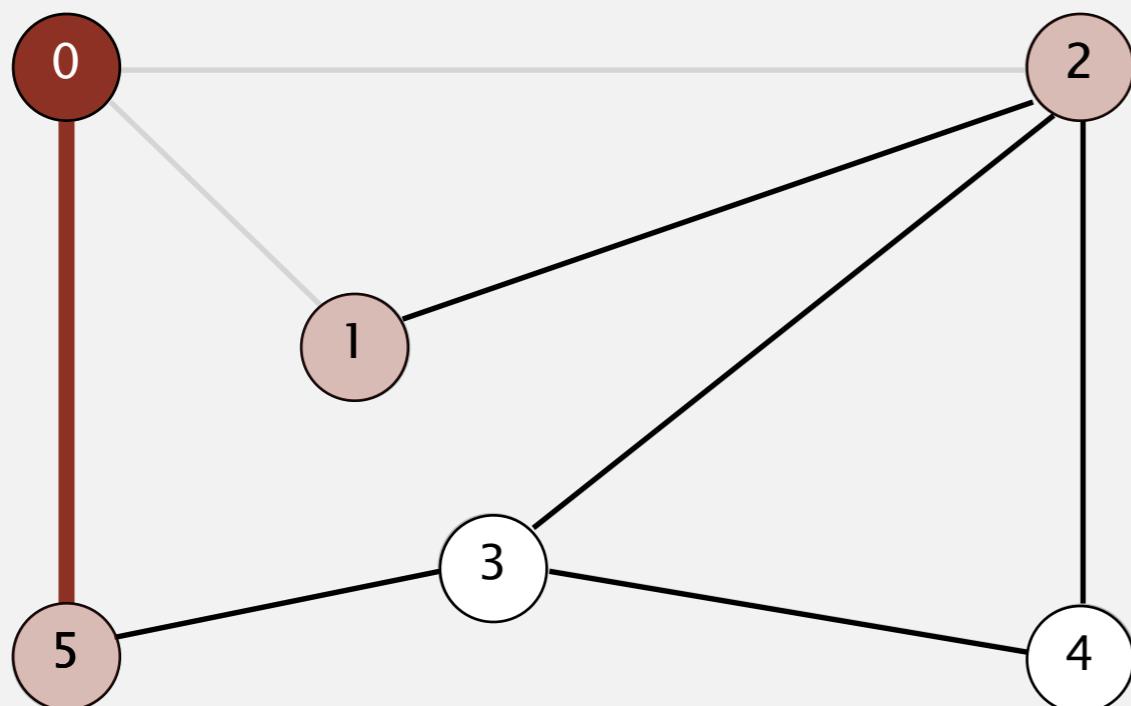
**dequeue 0**

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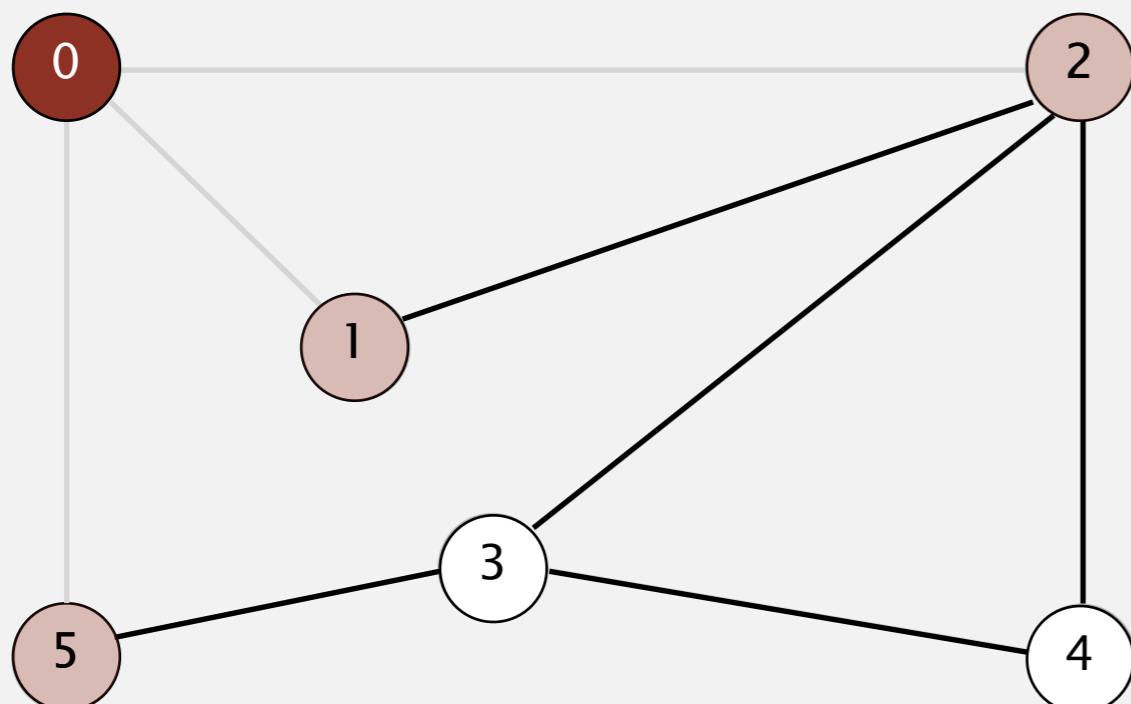
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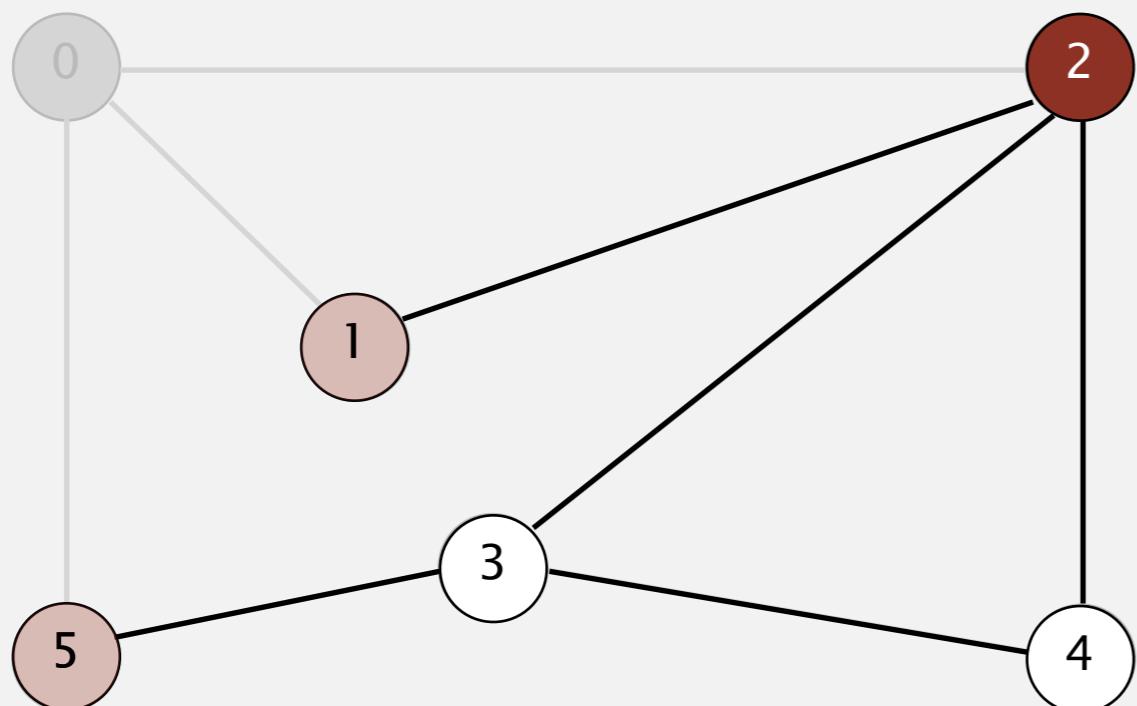
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0 done

# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
- Add to queue all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$  and mark them.



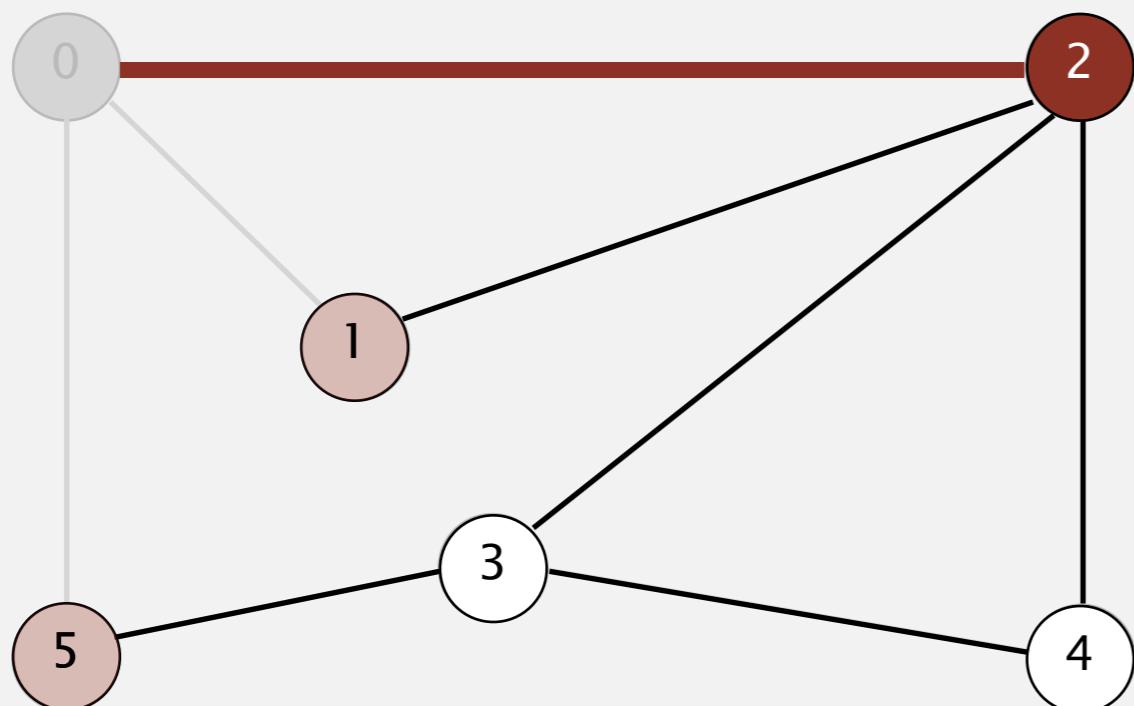
queue	v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
	0	-	0
	1	0	1
	2	0	1
	3	-	-
	4	-	-
	5	0	1
1			
2			

**dequeue 2**

# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
- Add to queue all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$  and mark them.



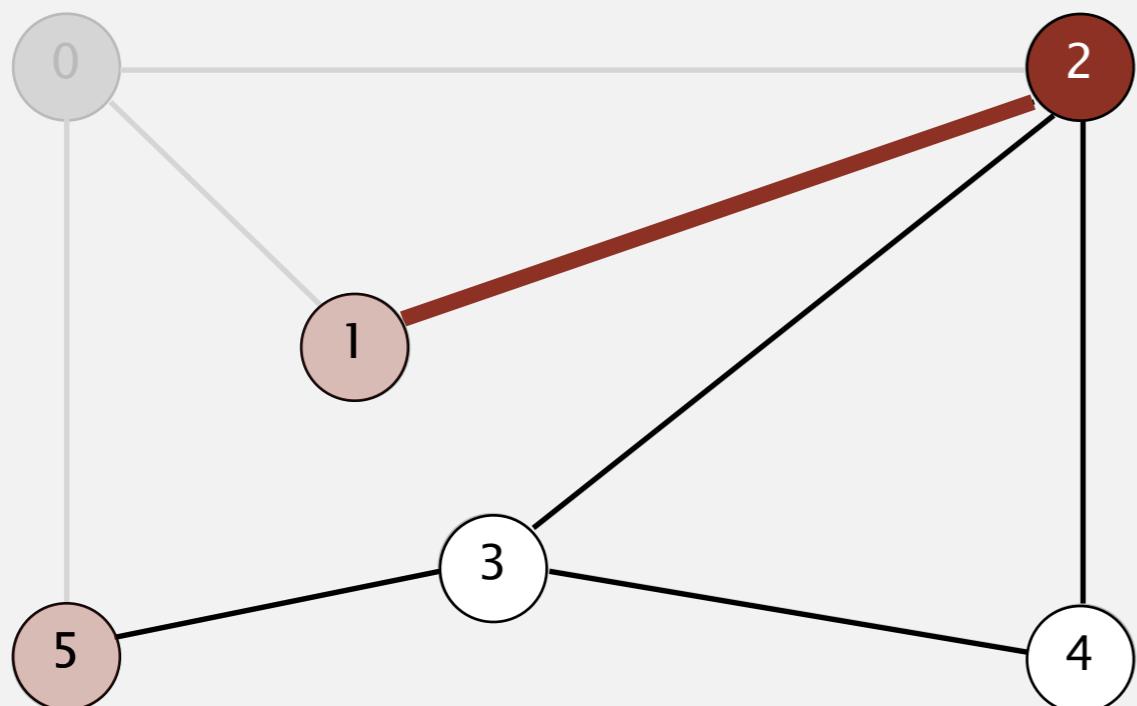
queue	v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
	0	-	0
	1	0	1
	2	0	1
	3	-	-
	4	-	-
	5	0	1
5			
1			

**dequeue 2**

# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
- Add to queue all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$  and mark them.



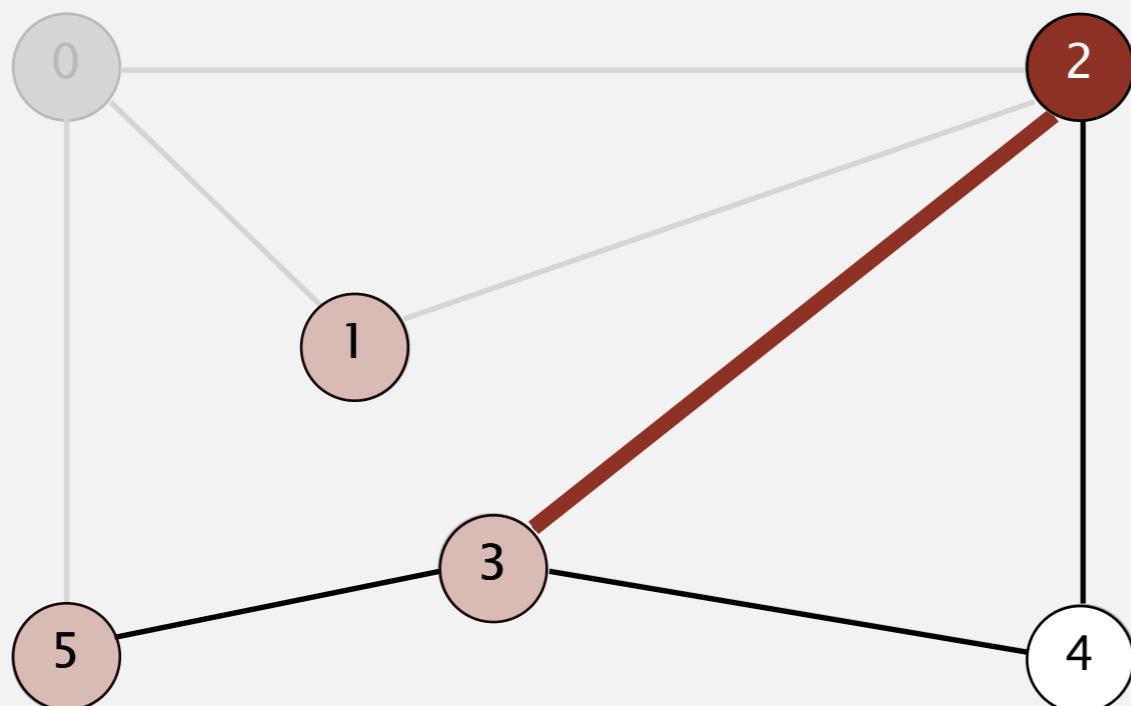
queue	v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
	0	-	0
	1	0	1
	2	0	1
	3	-	-
	4	-	-
	5	0	1
5			
1			

**dequeue 2**

# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
- Add to queue all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$  and mark them.



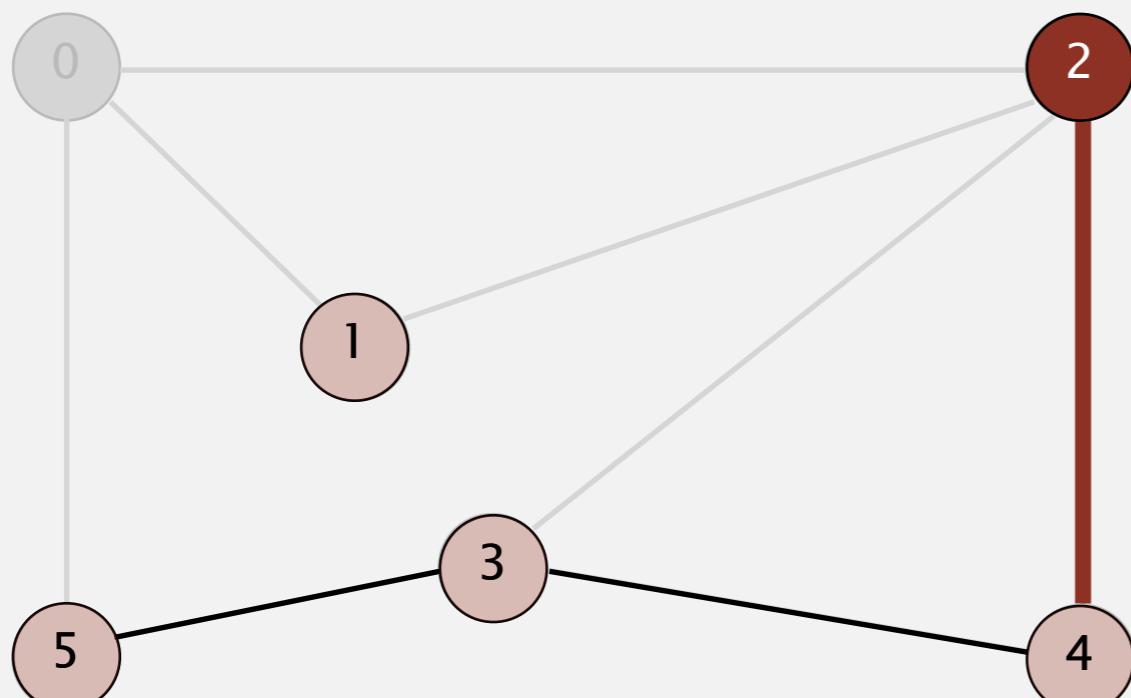
queue	v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
	0	-	0
	1	0	1
	2	0	1
	3	2	2
	4	-	-
	5	0	1
5			
1			

**dequeue 2**

# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
- Add to queue all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$  and mark them.



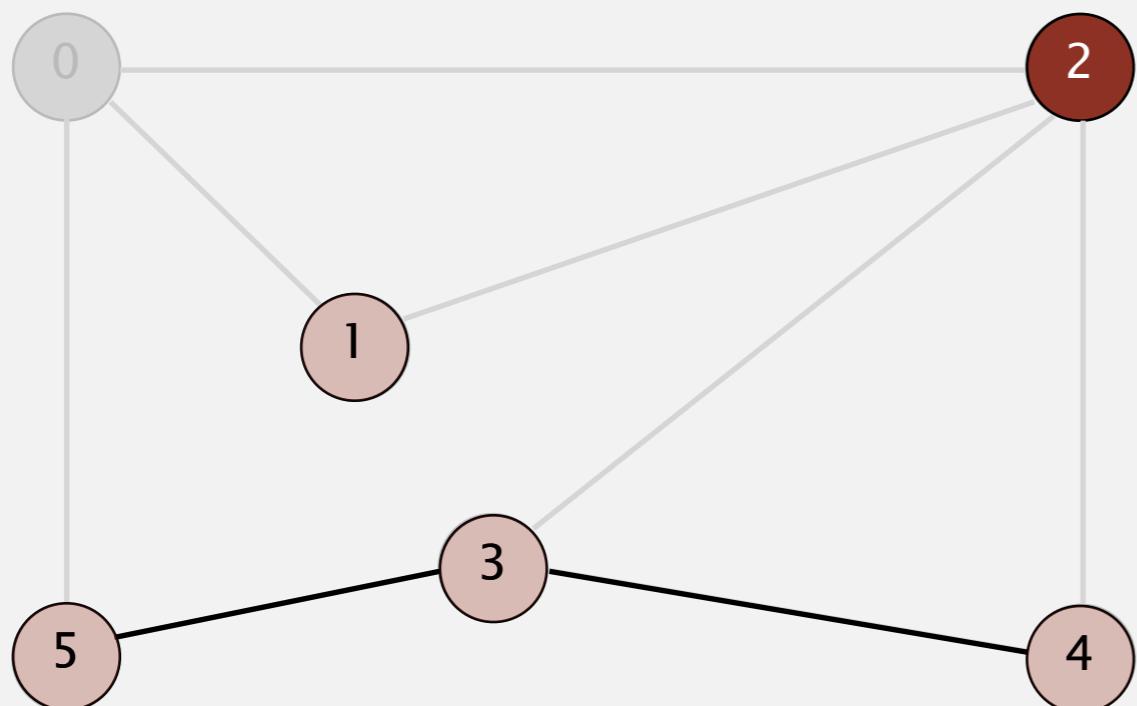
queue	v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
	0	-	0
	1	0	1
	2	0	1
	3	2	2
3	4	2	2
4	5	0	1
5			
	1		

**dequeue 2**

# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
- Add to queue all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$  and mark them.



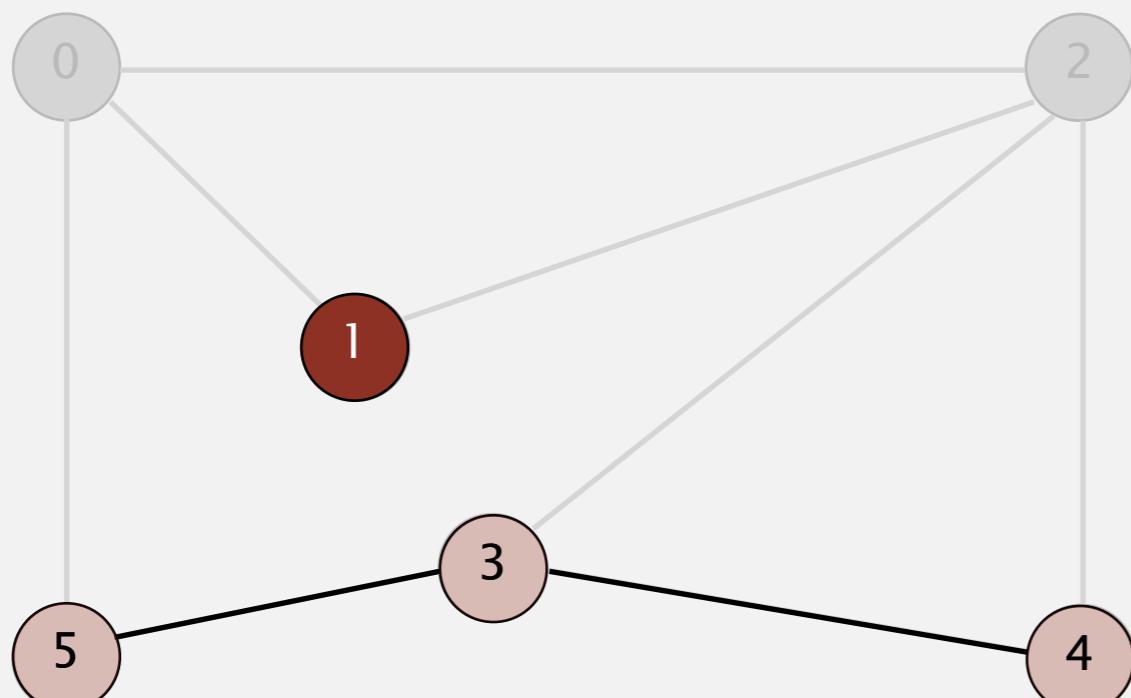
queue	v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
	0	-	0
	1	0	1
4	2	0	1
3	2	2	2
4	2	2	2
5	0	0	1
1			

2 done

# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
- Add to queue all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$  and mark them.



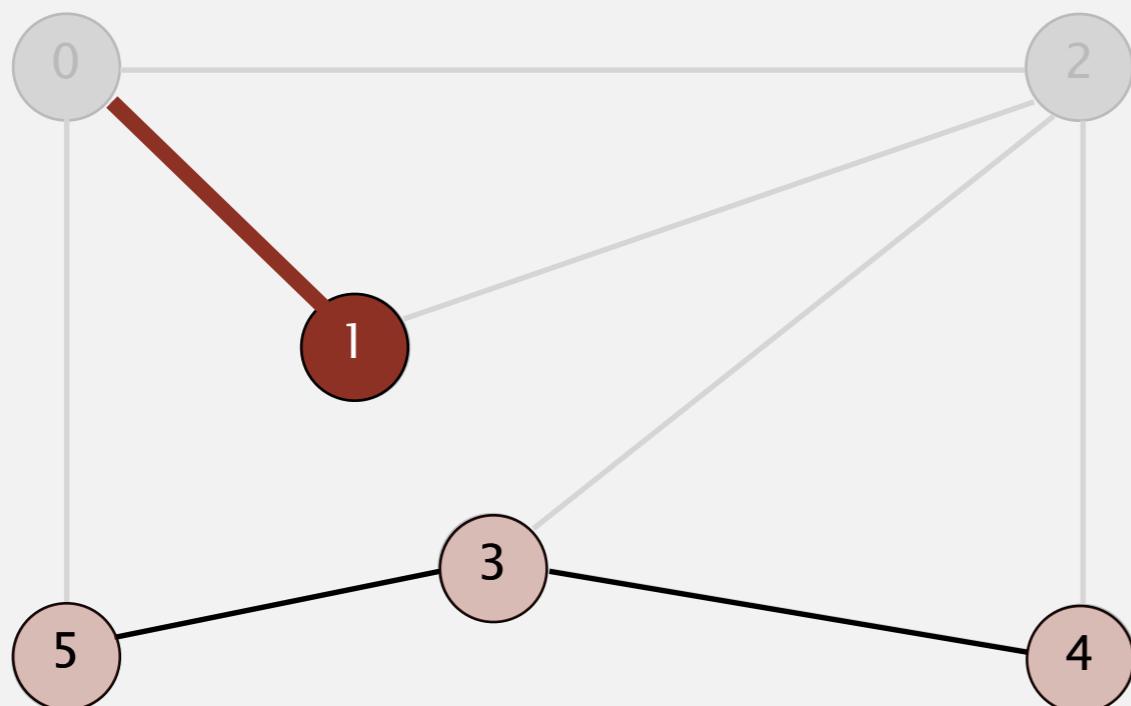
queue	v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
	0	-	0
	1	0	1
4	2	0	1
3	2	2	2
4	2	2	2
5	0	0	1
1			

**dequeue 1**

# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
- Add to queue all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$  and mark them.



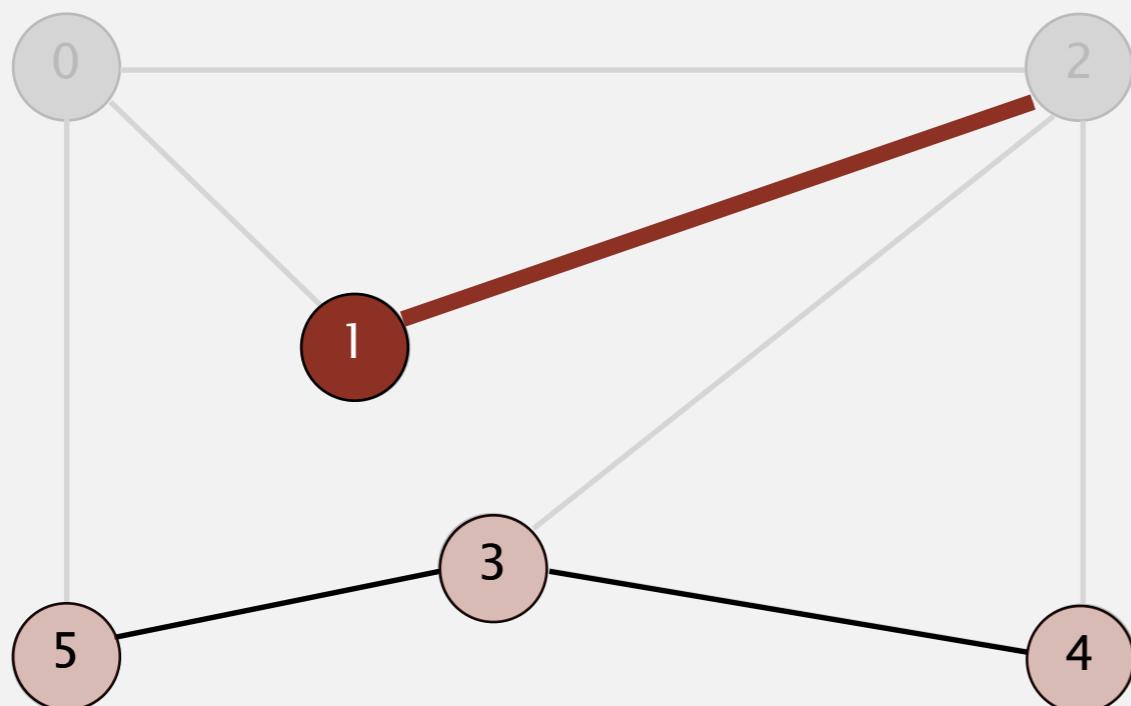
**dequeue 1**

queue	v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
	0	-	0
	1	0	1
	2	0	1
	3	2	2
4	4	2	2
	5	0	1
3			
5			

# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
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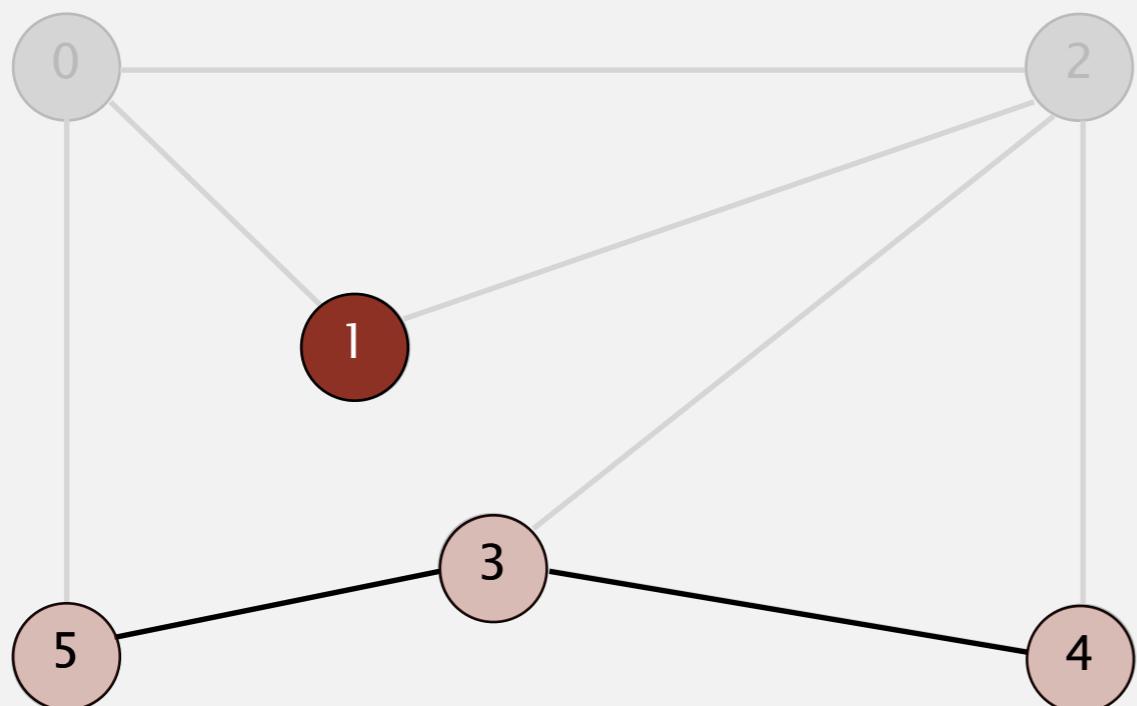
queue	v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
	0	-	0
	1	0	1
	2	0	1
	3	2	2
4	4	2	2
	5	0	1
3			
5			

**dequeue 1**

# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
- Add to queue all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$  and mark them.



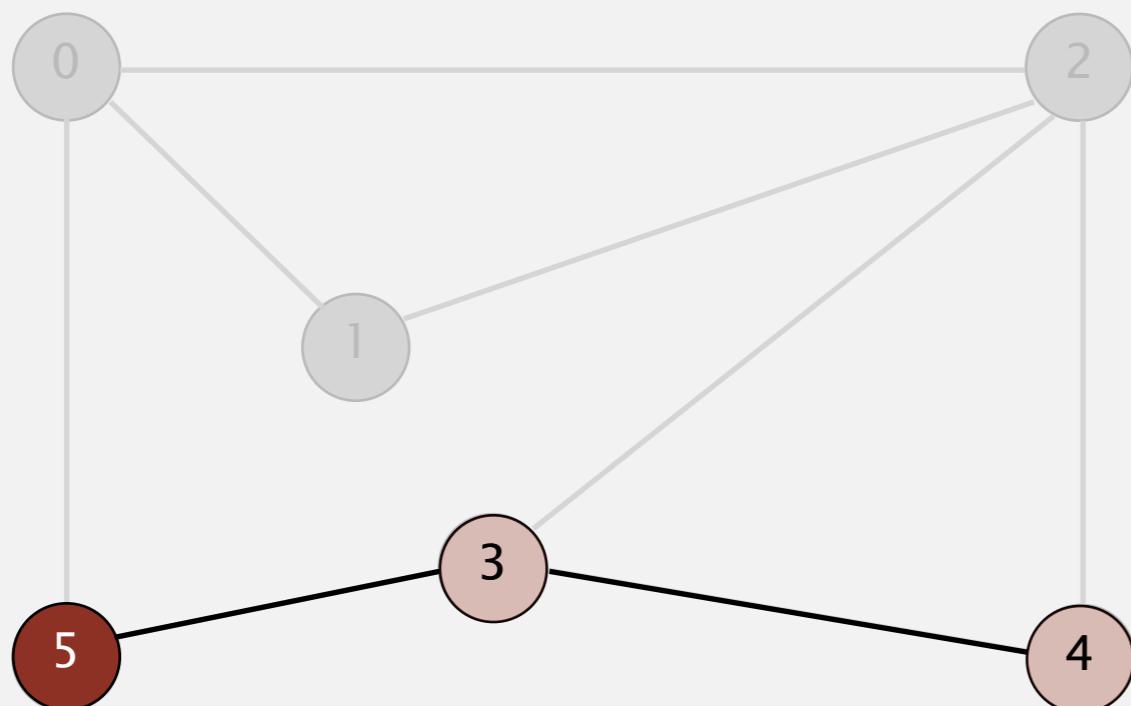
queue	v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
	0	-	0
	1	0	1
	2	0	1
	3	2	2
4	4	2	2
	5	0	1
3			
5			

1 done

# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
- Add to queue all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$  and mark them.



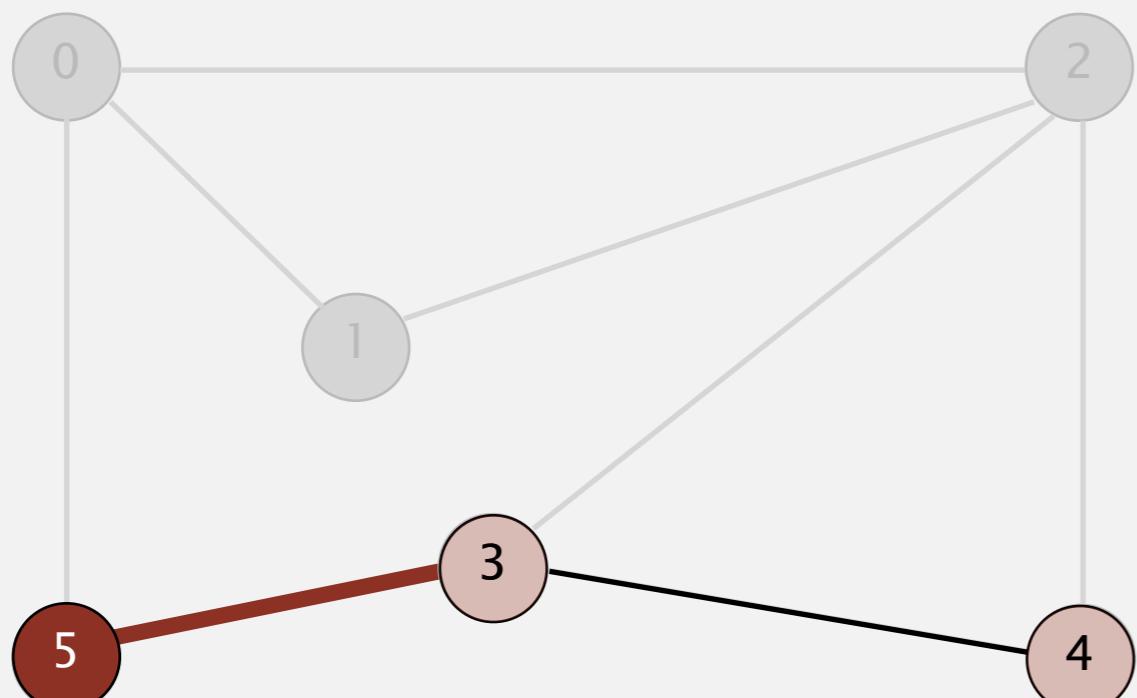
**dequeue 5**

queue	v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
	0	-	0
	1	0	1
	2	0	1
	3	2	2
4	4	2	2
	5	0	1
3			
5			

# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
- Add to queue all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$  and mark them.



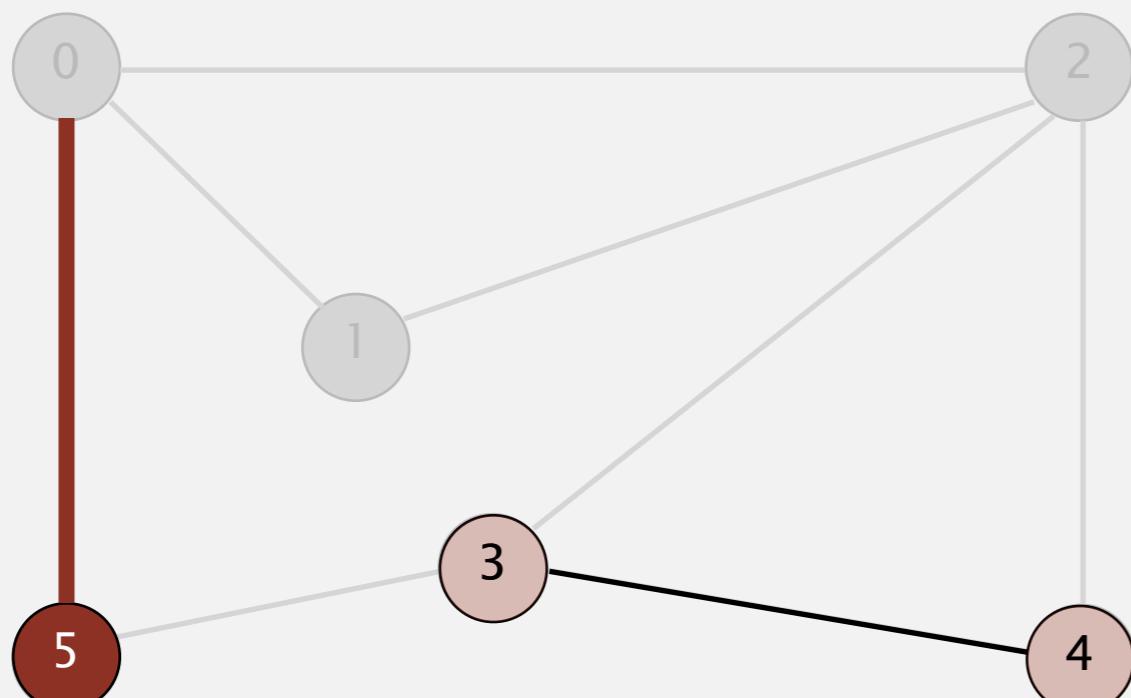
queue	v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
	0	-	0
	1	0	1
	2	0	1
	3	2	2
	4	2	2
	5	0	1
4			
3			

**dequeue 5**

# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
- Add to queue all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$  and mark them.



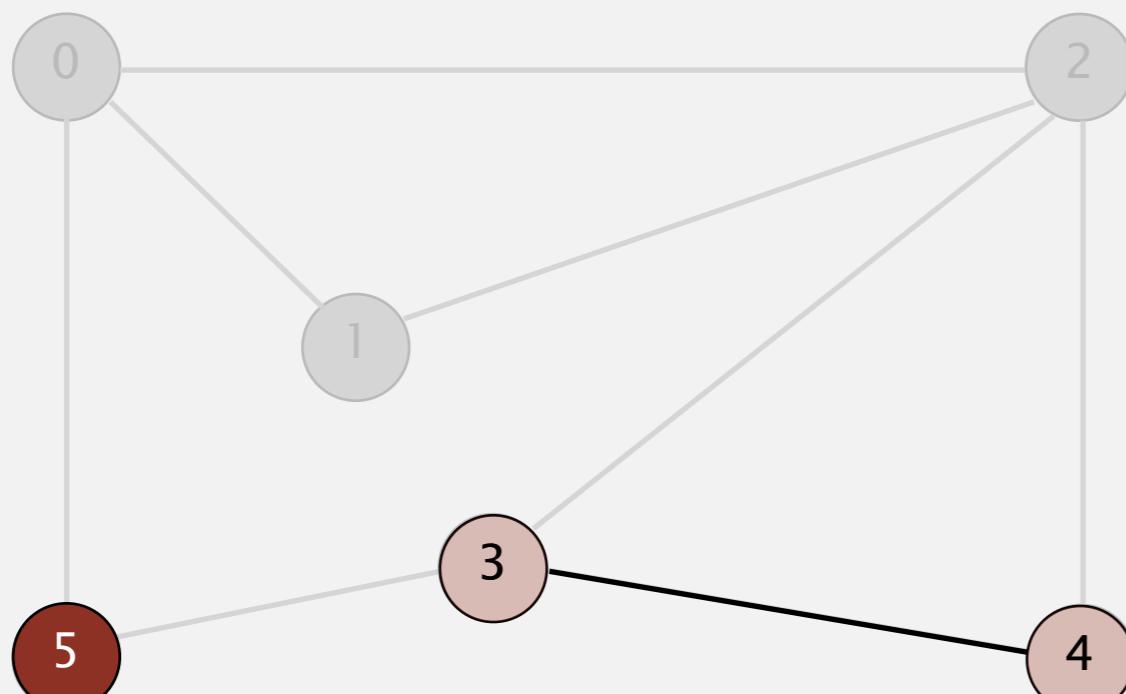
**dequeue 5**

queue	v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
	0	-	0
	1	0	1
	2	0	1
	3	2	2
	4	2	2
	5	0	1
4			
3			

# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
- Add to queue all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$  and mark them.



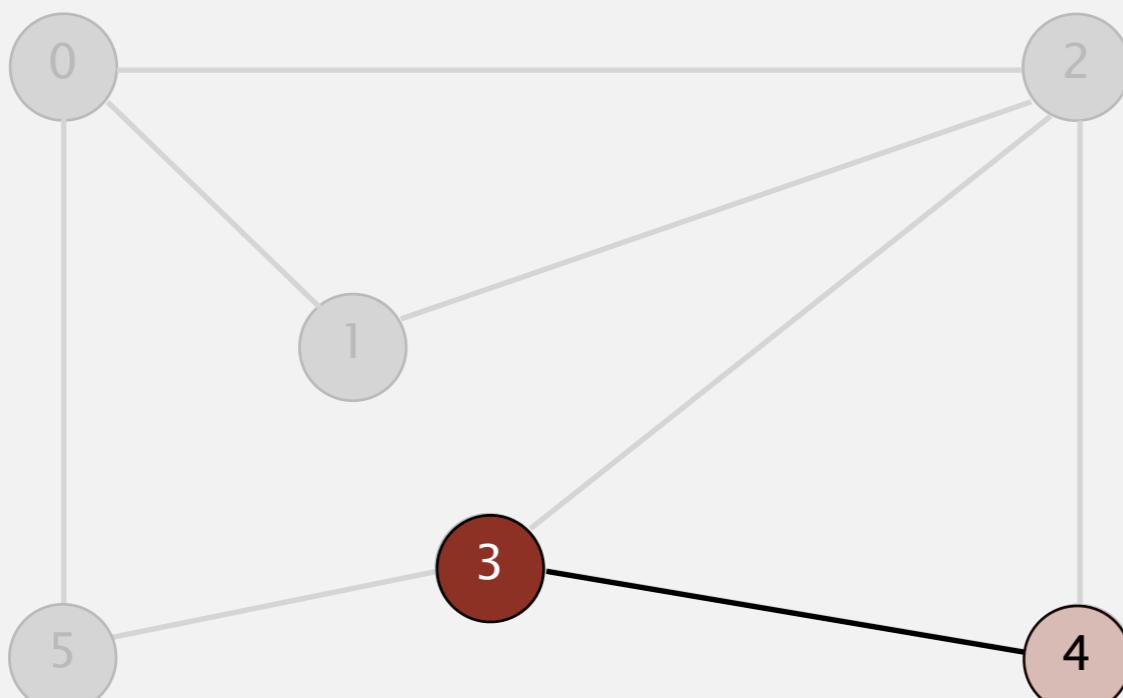
queue	v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
	0	-	0
	1	0	1
	2	0	1
	3	2	2
	4	2	2
4	5	0	1
3			

5 done

# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
- Add to queue all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$  and mark them.



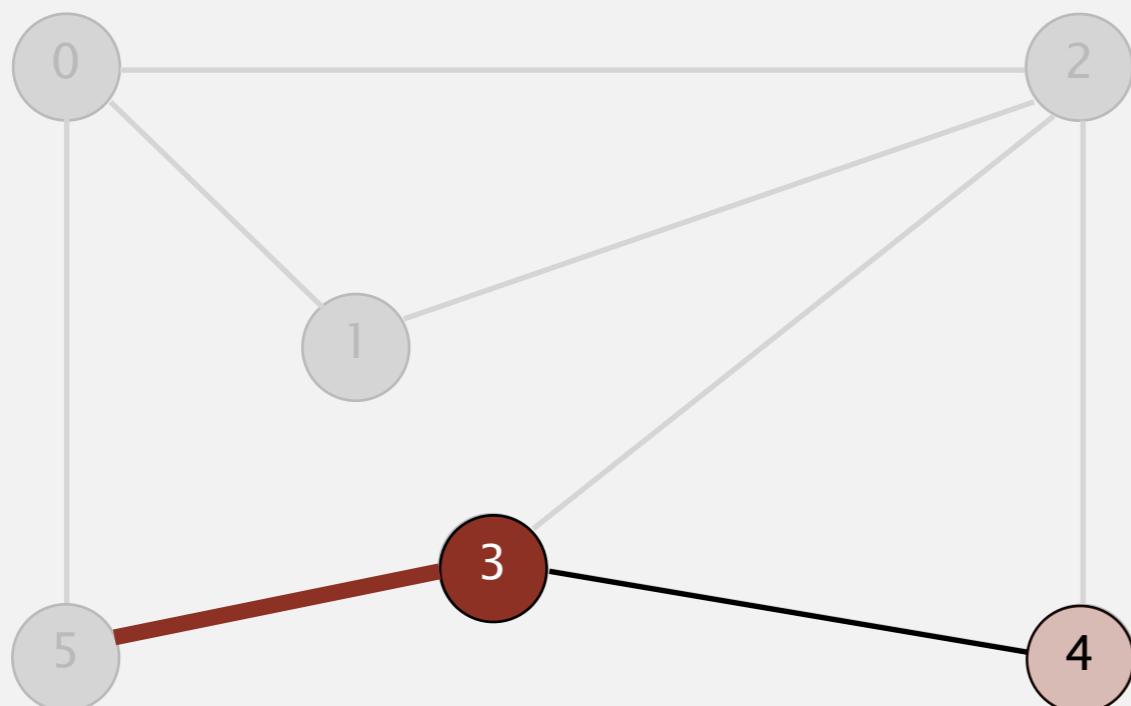
queue	v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
	0	-	0
	1	0	1
	2	0	1
	3	2	2
	4	2	2
4	5	0	1
3			

**dequeue 3**

# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
- Add to queue all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$  and mark them.



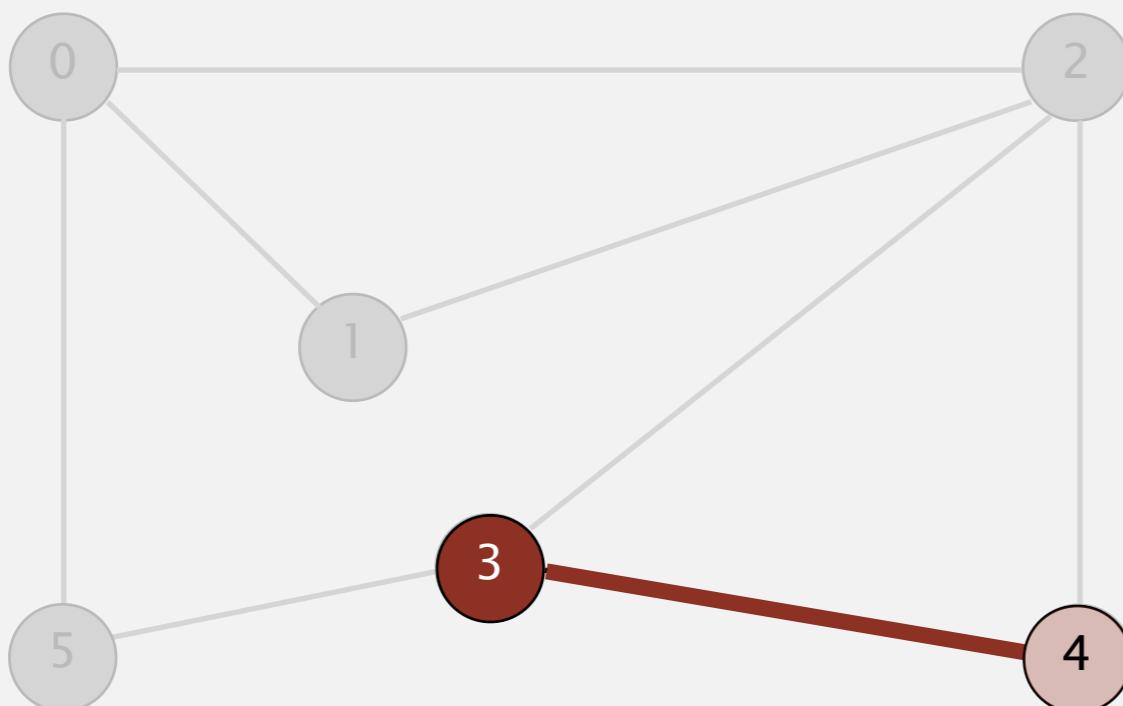
**dequeue 3**

queue	v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
	0	-	0
	1	0	1
	2	0	1
	3	2	2
	4	2	2
	5	0	1
4			

# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
- Add to queue all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$  and mark them.



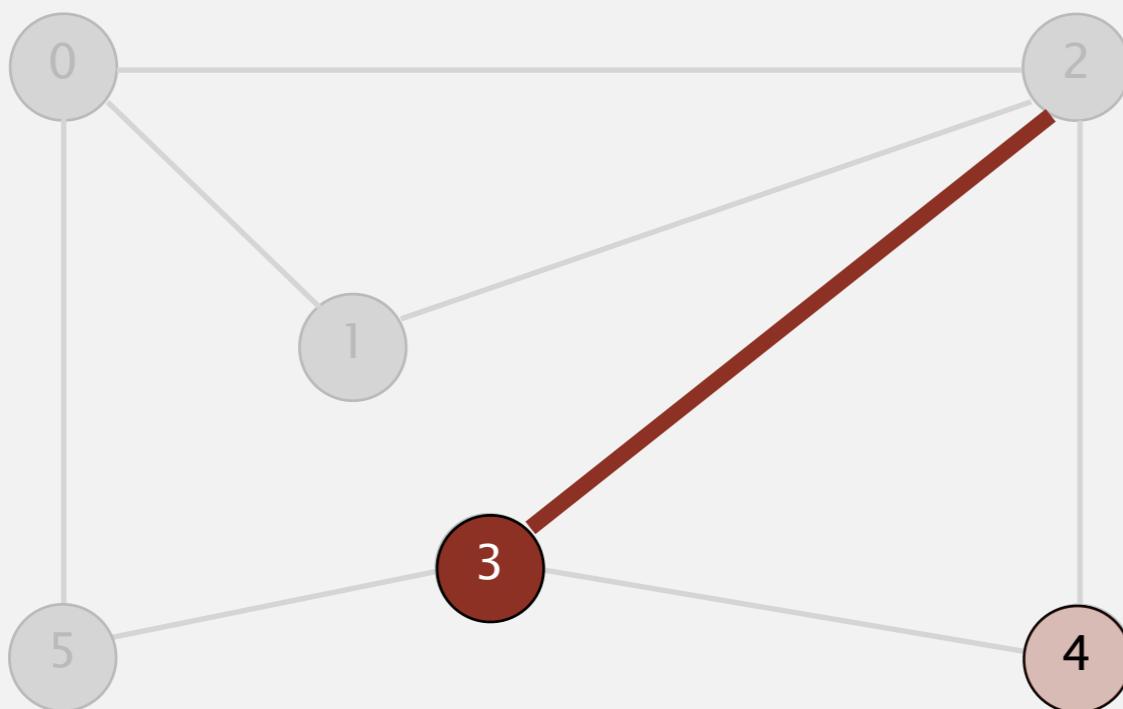
**dequeue 3**

queue	v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
	0	-	0
	1	0	1
	2	0	1
	3	2	2
	4	2	2
	5	0	1
4			

# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
- Add to queue all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$  and mark them.



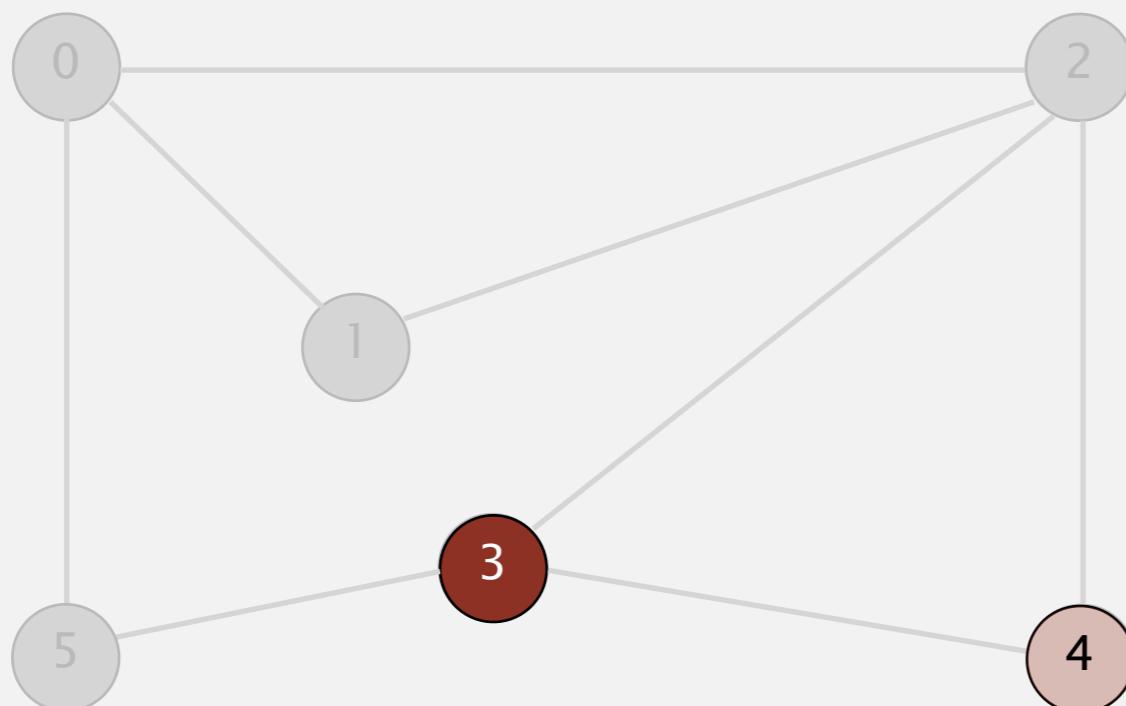
**dequeue 3**

queue	v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
	0	-	0
	1	0	1
	2	0	1
	3	2	2
	4	2	2
	5	0	1
4			

# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
- Add to queue all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$  and mark them.



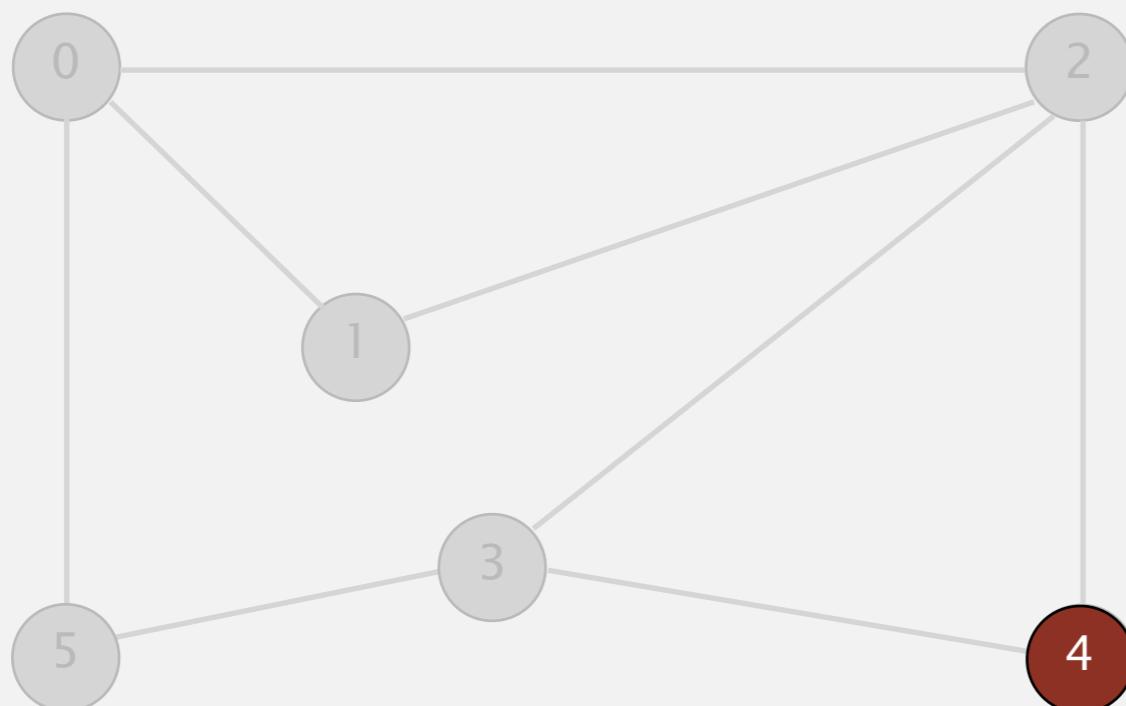
queue	v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
	0	-	0
	1	0	1
	2	0	1
	3	2	2
	4	2	2
	5	0	1
4			

3 done

# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
- Add to queue all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$  and mark them.



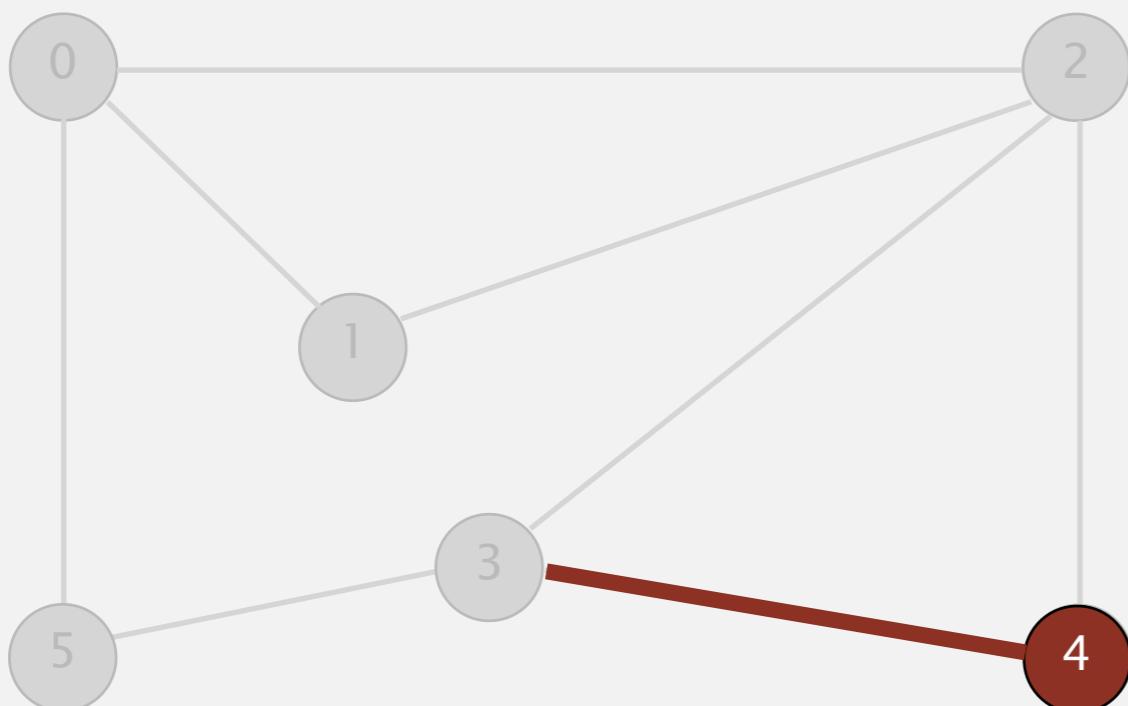
queue	v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
	0	-	0
	1	0	1
	2	0	1
	3	2	2
	4	2	2
	5	0	1
	4		

**dequeue 4**

# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
- Add to queue all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$  and mark them.



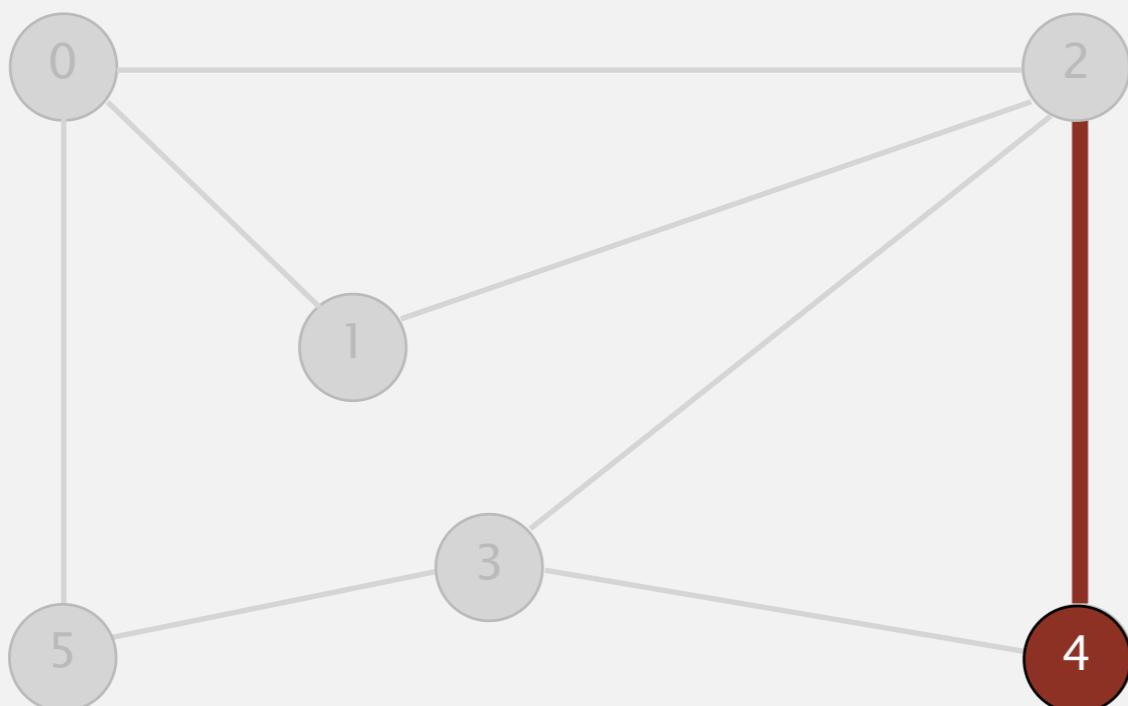
queue	v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
	0	-	0
	1	0	1
	2	0	1
	3	2	2
	4	2	2
	5	0	1

**dequeue 4**

# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
- Add to queue all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$  and mark them.



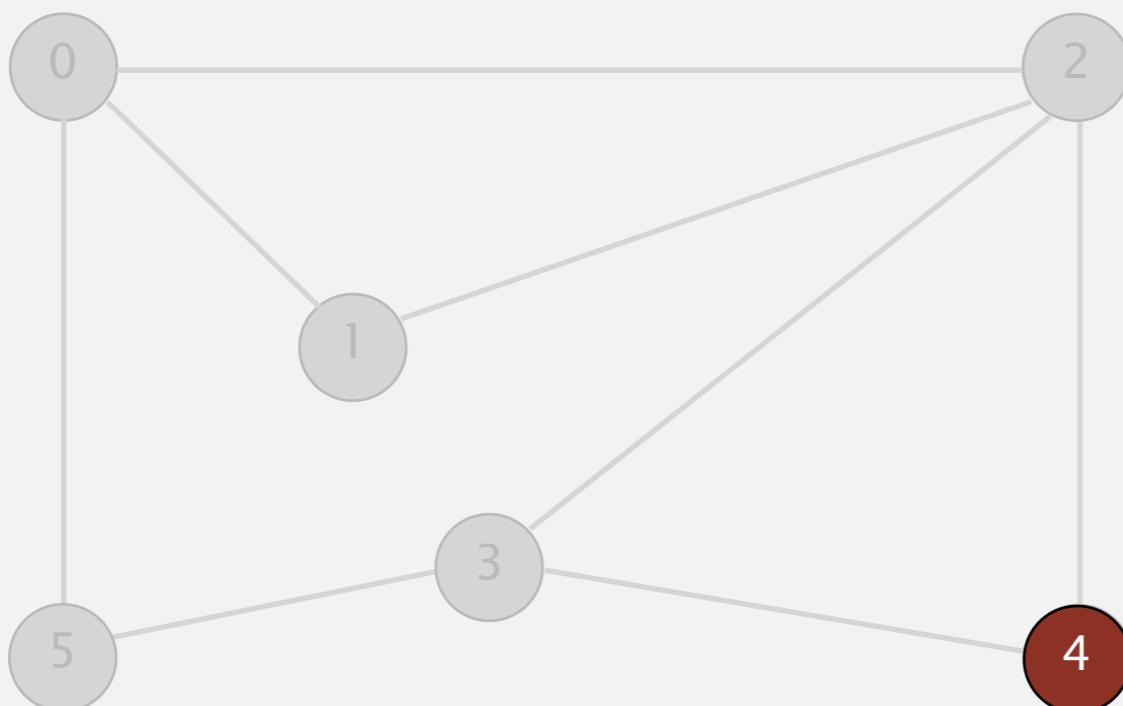
queue	v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
	0	-	0
	1	0	1
	2	0	1
	3	2	2
	4	2	2
	5	0	1

**dequeue 4**

# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
- Add to queue all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$  and mark them.



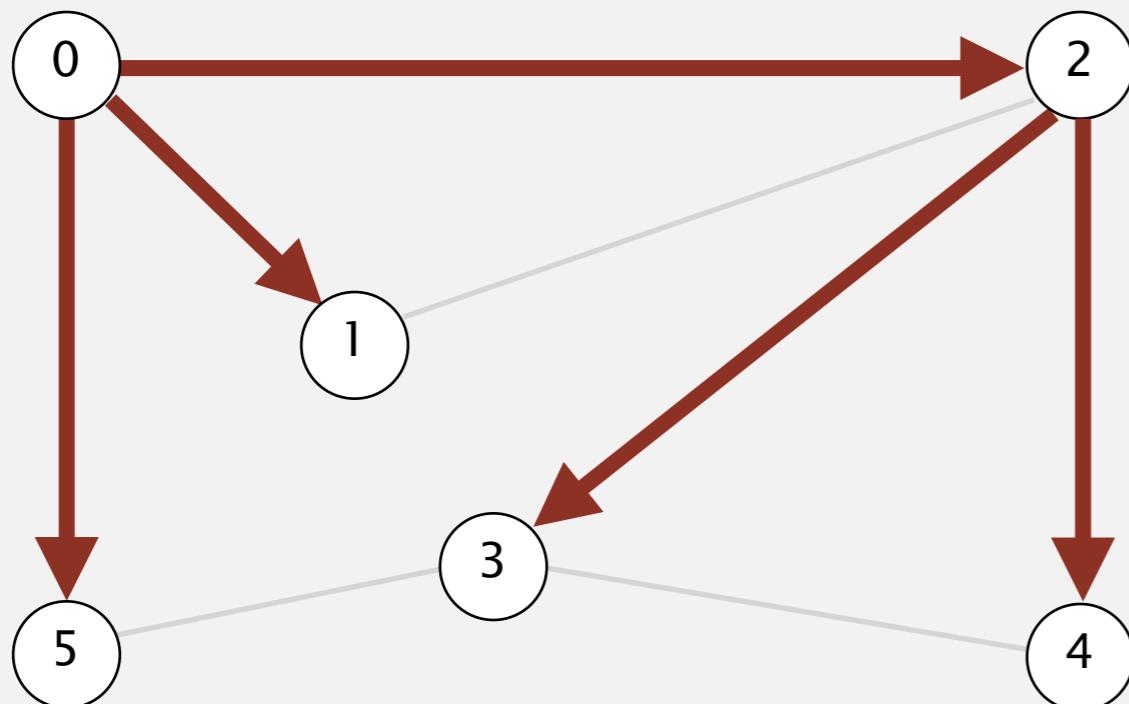
queue	v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
	0	-	0
	1	0	1
	2	0	1
	3	2	2
	4	2	2
	5	0	1

4 done

# Breadth-first search demo

Repeat until queue is empty:

- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
- Add to queue all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$  and mark them.



$v$	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
0	-	0
1	0	1
2	0	1
3	2	2
4	2	2
5	0	1

done

# Breadth-first search

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Repeat until queue is empty:

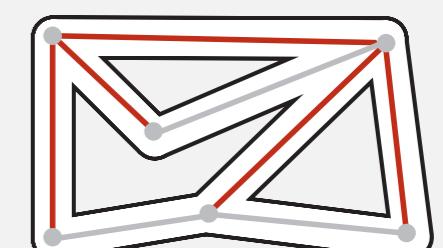
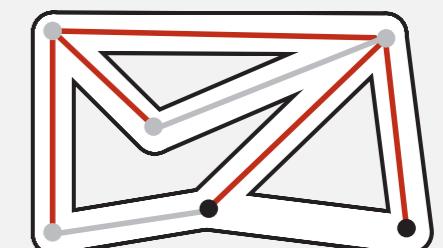
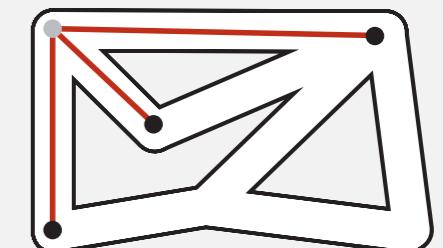
- Remove vertex  $v$  from queue.
- Add to queue all unmarked vertices adjacent to  $v$  and mark them.

**BFS (from source vertex  $s$ )**

**Put  $s$  onto a FIFO queue, and mark  $s$  as visited.**

**Repeat until the queue is empty:**

- remove the least recently added vertex  $v$
- add each of  $v$ 's unmarked neighbors to the queue,  
and mark them.



# Breadth-first search: Java implementation

```
public class BreadthFirstPaths
{
    private boolean[] marked;
    private int[] edgeTo;
    private int[] distTo;

    ...

    private void bfs(Graph G, int s) {
        Queue<Integer> q = new Queue<Integer>();
        q.enqueue(s);
        marked[s] = true;
        distTo[s] = 0;

        while (!q.isEmpty()) {
            int v = q.dequeue();
            for (int w : G.adj(v)) {
                if (!marked[w]) {
                    q.enqueue(w);
                    marked[w] = true;
                    edgeTo[w] = v;
                    distTo[w] = distTo[v] + 1;
                }
            }
        }
    }
}
```

initialize FIFO queue of vertices to explore

found new vertex w via edge v-w

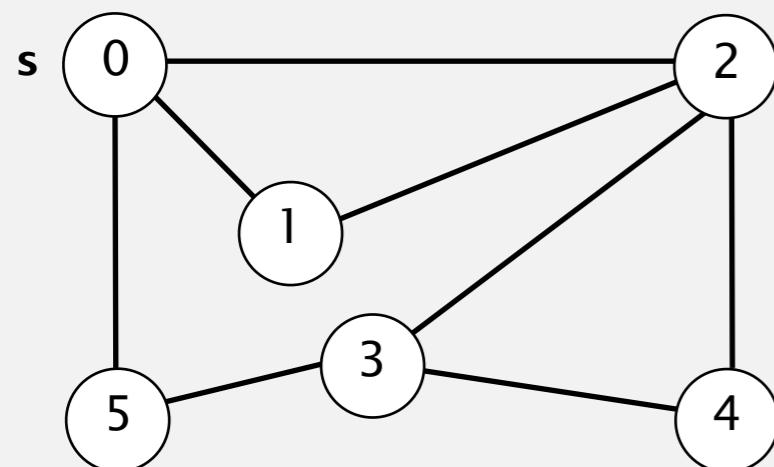
# Breadth-first search properties

Q. In which order does BFS examine vertices?

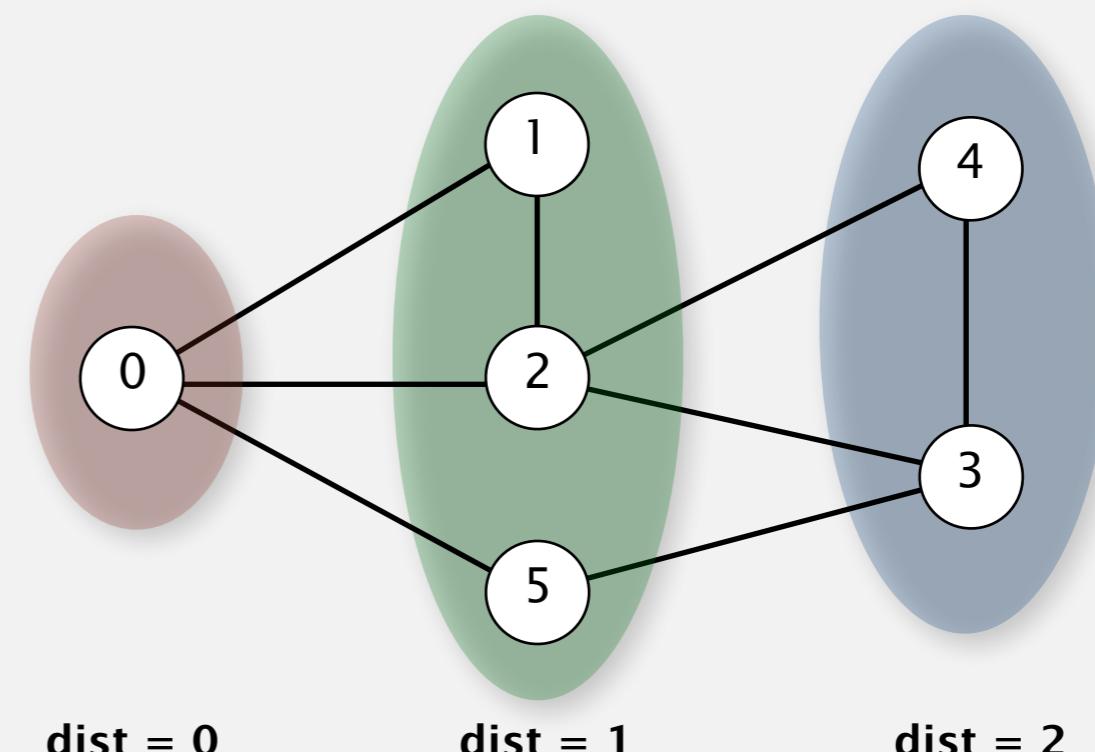
A. Increasing distance (number of edges) from  $s$ .

queue always consists of  $\geq 0$  vertices of distance  $k$  from  $s$ ,  
followed by  $\geq 0$  vertices of distance  $k+1$

**Proposition.** In any connected graph  $G$ , BFS computes shortest paths from  $s$  to all other vertices in time proportional to  $E + V$ .



graph G



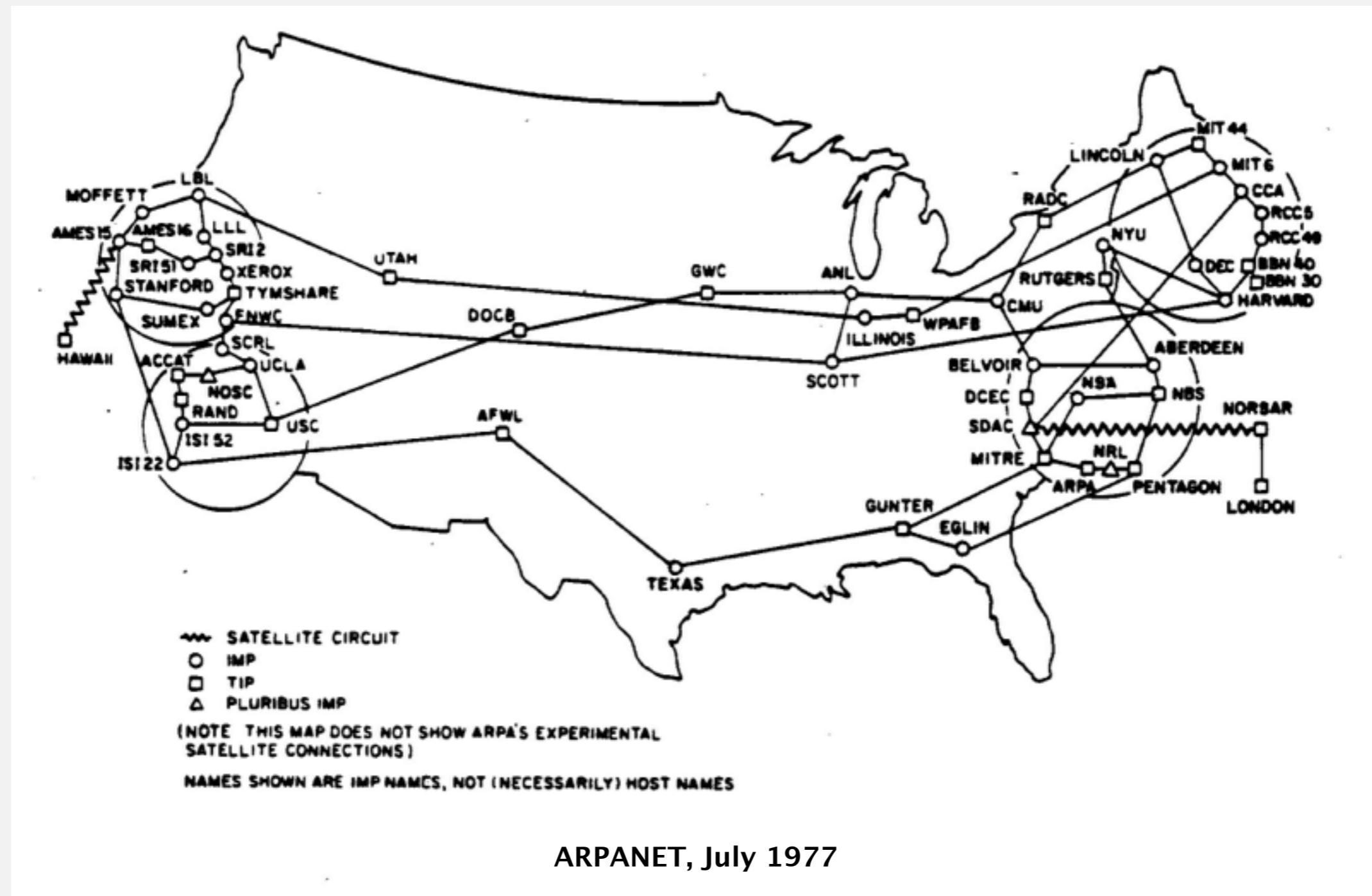
dist = 0

dist = 1

dist = 2

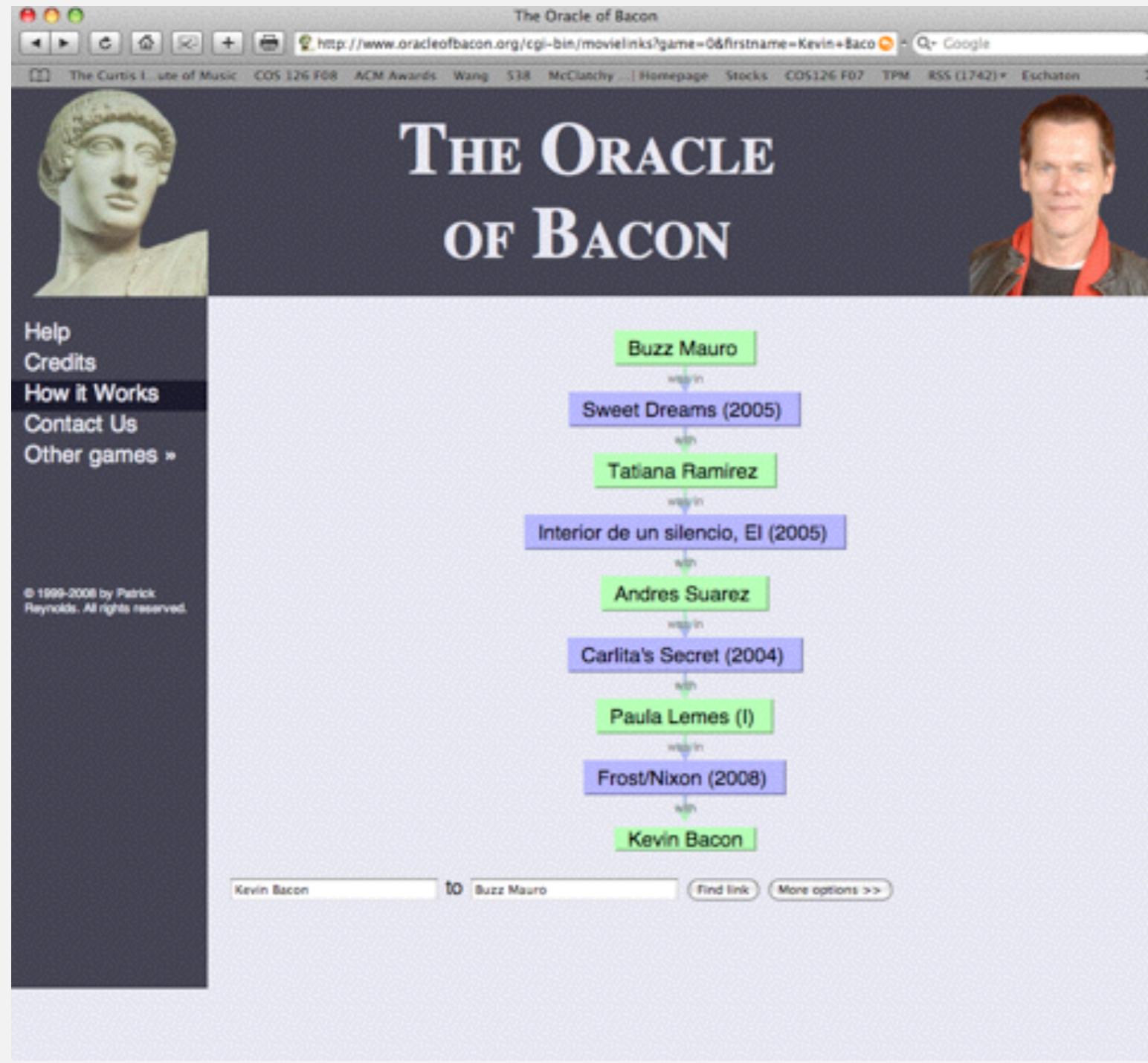
# Breadth-first search application: routing

Fewest number of hops in a communication network.



ARPANET, July 1977

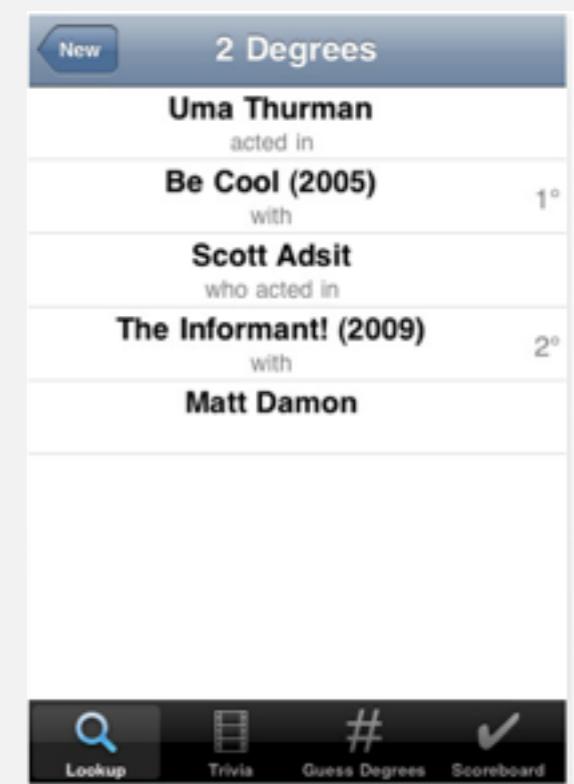
# Breadth-first search application: Kevin Bacon numbers



<http://oracleofbacon.org>



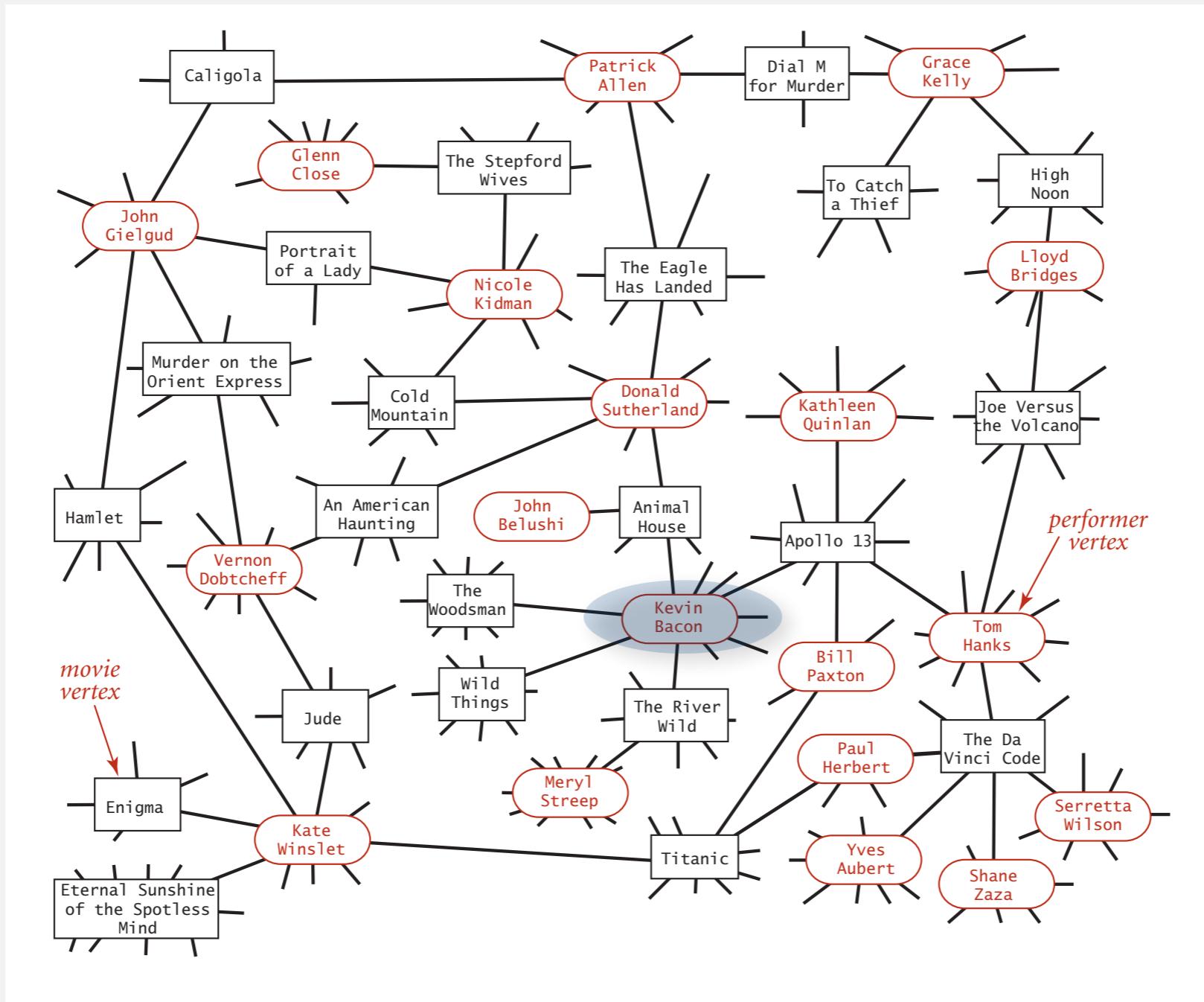
Endless Games board game



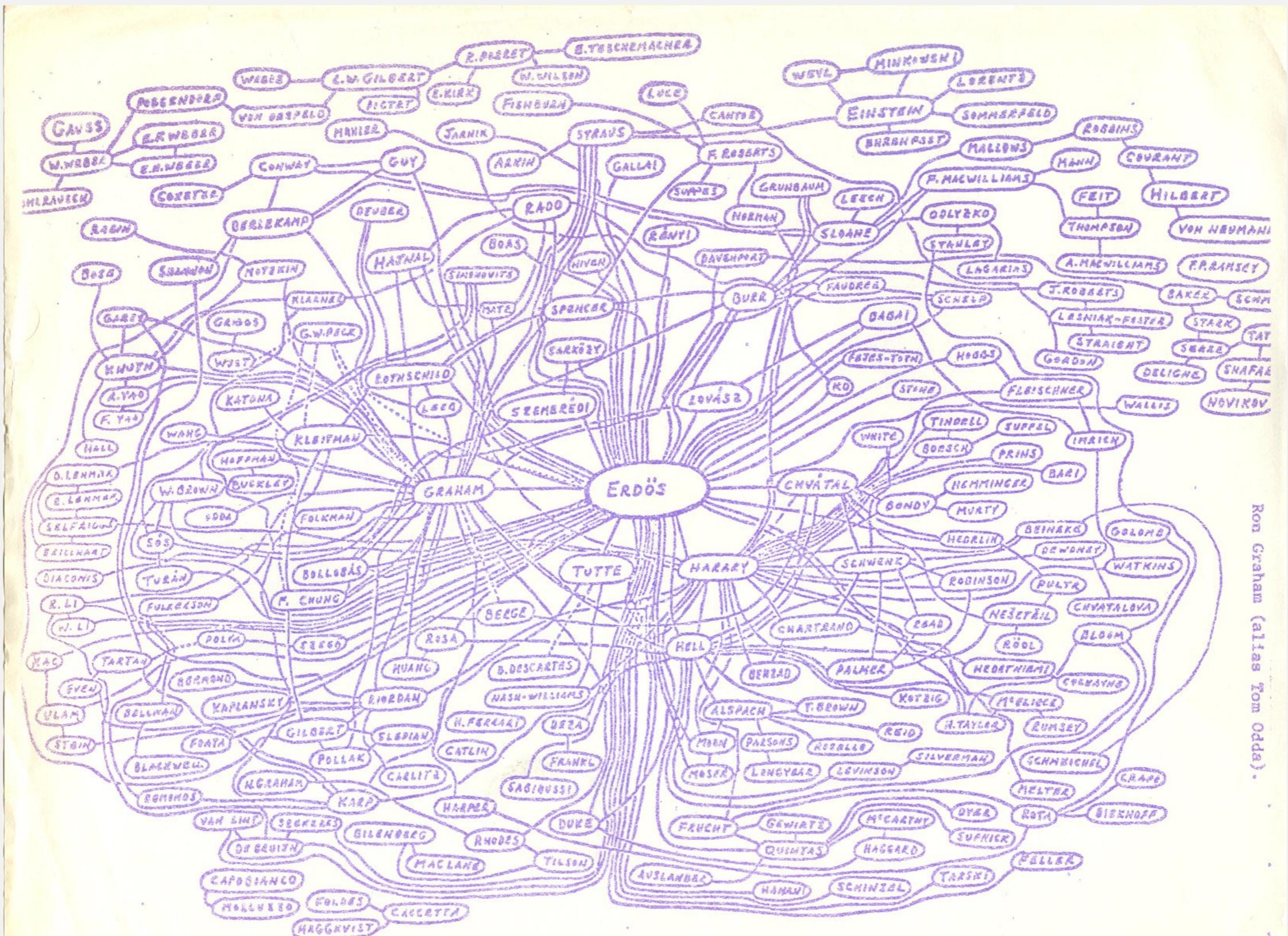
SixDegrees iPhone App

# Kevin Bacon graph

- Include one vertex for each performer **and** one for each movie.
- Connect a movie to all performers that appear in that movie.
- Compute shortest path from  $s = \text{Kevin Bacon}$ .



# Breadth-first search application: Erdős numbers



hand-drawing of part of the Erdős graph by Ron Graham

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## 4.1 UNDIRECTED GRAPHS

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- ▶ *introduction*
- ▶ *graph API*
- ▶ *depth-first search*
- ▶ *breadth-first search*
- ▶ ***challenges***

# Graph traversal summary

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BFS and DFS enables efficient solution of many (but not all) graph problems.

graph problem	BFS	DFS	time
<b>s-t path</b>	✓	✓	$E + V$
<b>shortest s-t path</b>	✓		$E + V$
<b>cycle</b>	✓	✓	$E + V$
<b>Euler cycle</b>		✓	$E + V$
<b>Hamilton cycle</b>			$2^{1.657V}$
<b>bipartiteness (odd cycle)</b>	✓	✓	$E + V$
<b>connected components</b>	✓	✓	$E + V$
<b>biconnected components</b>		✓	$E + V$
<b>planarity</b>		✓	$E + V$
<b>graph isomorphism</b>			$2^{c\sqrt{V \log V}}$