

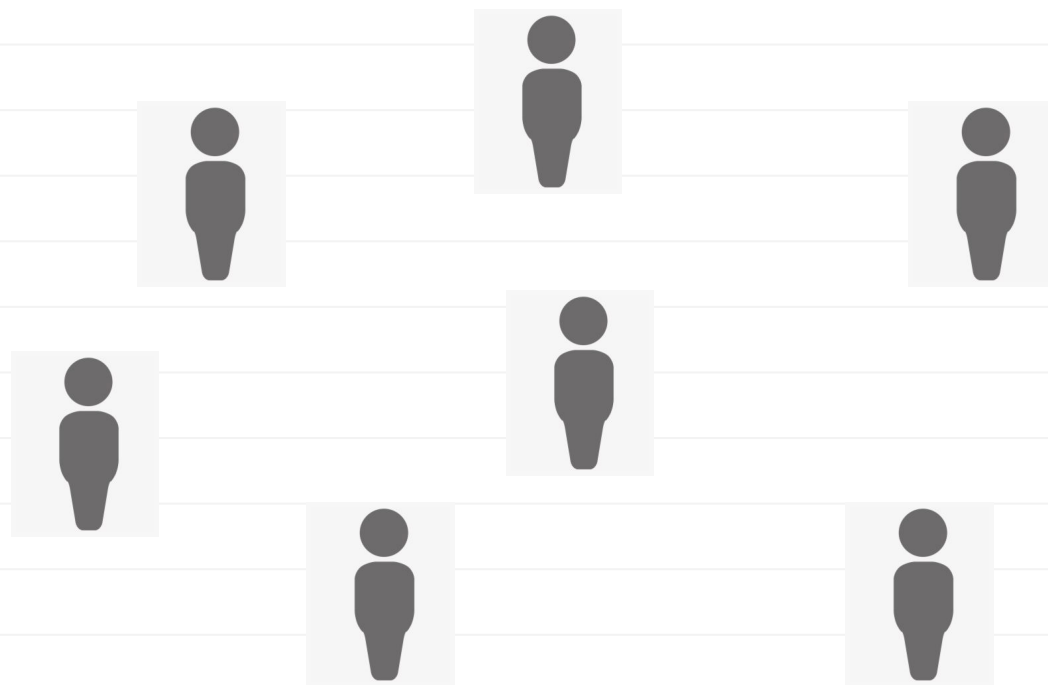
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Lecture 16 : Graphs

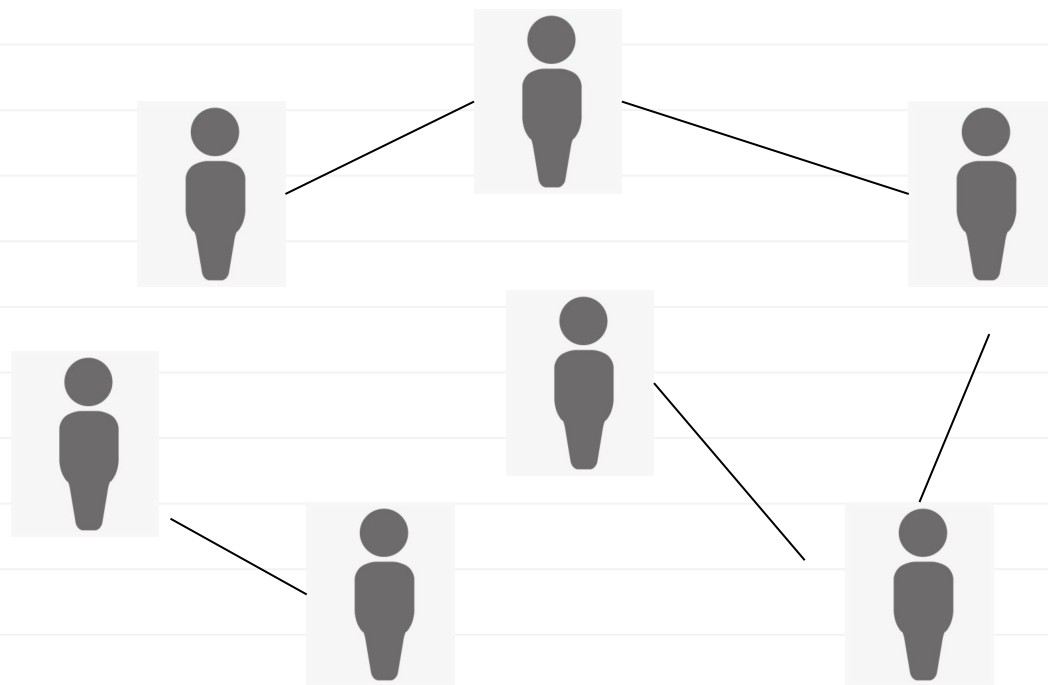
Data Types

- **Feature vectors**
 - We care about attributes of individuals.
- **Graphs**
 - We care about **relationships** between individuals.

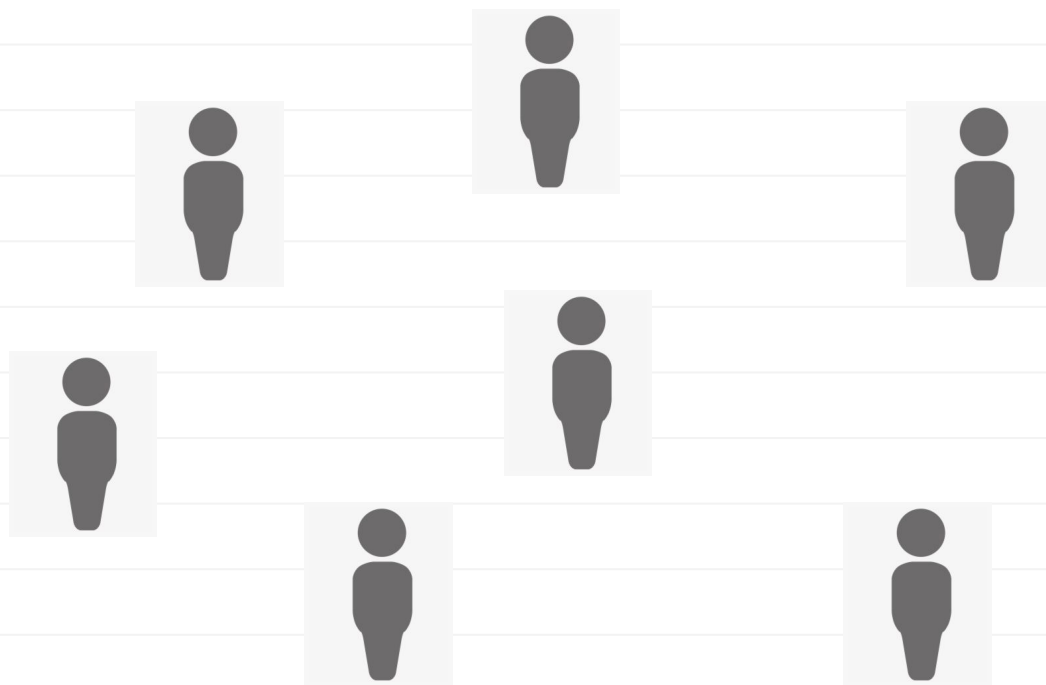
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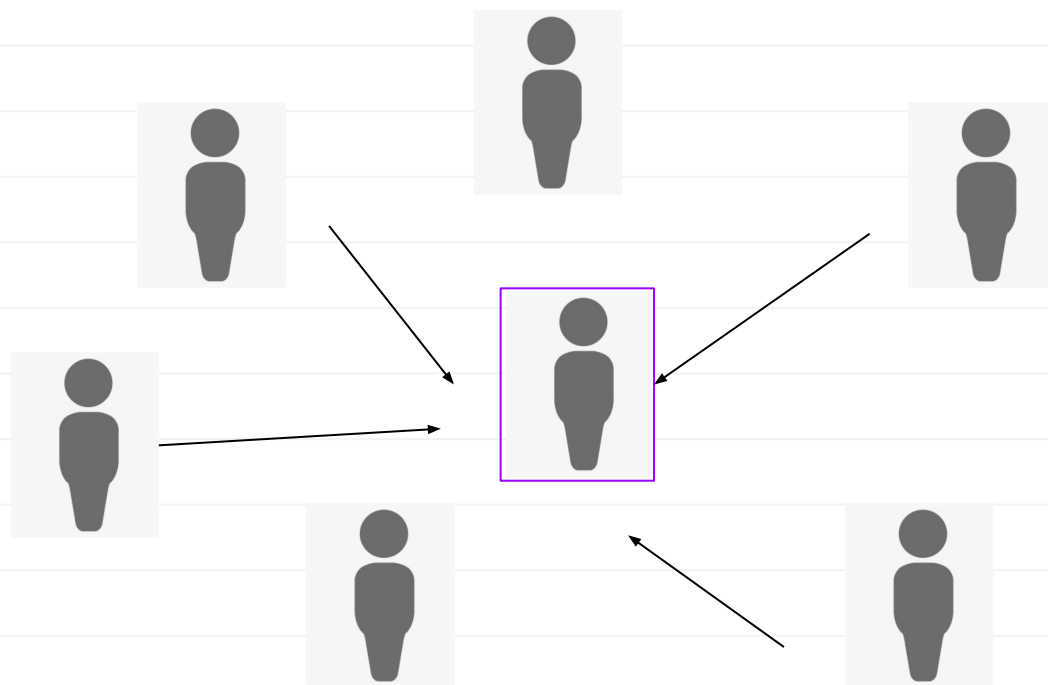
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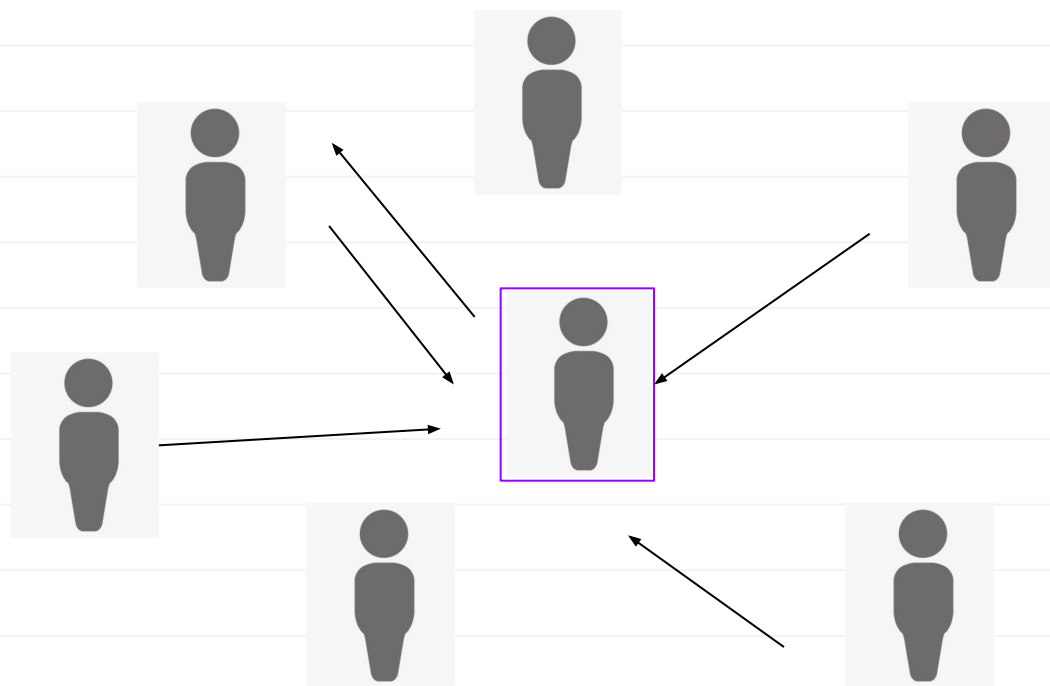
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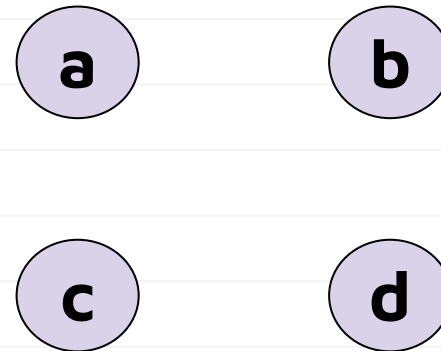
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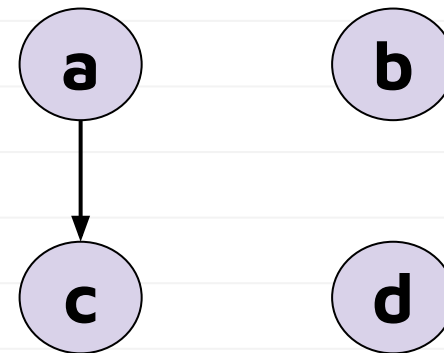


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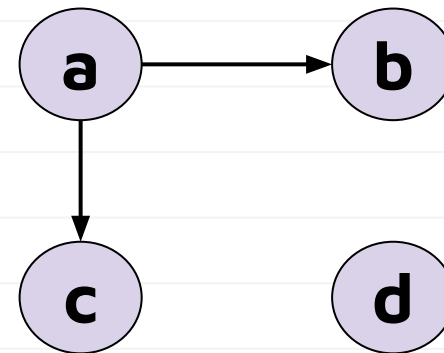


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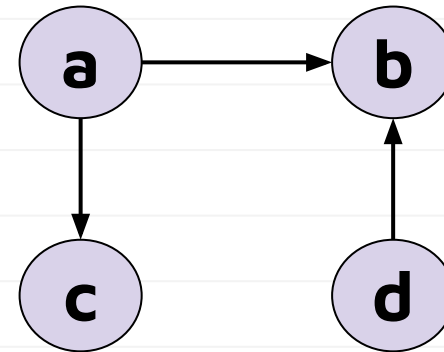


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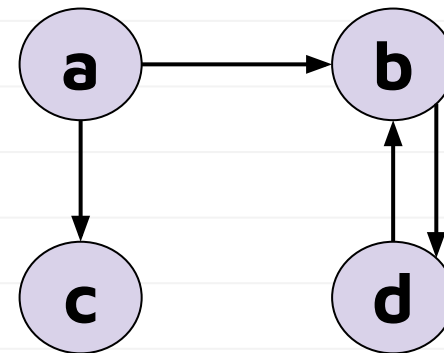


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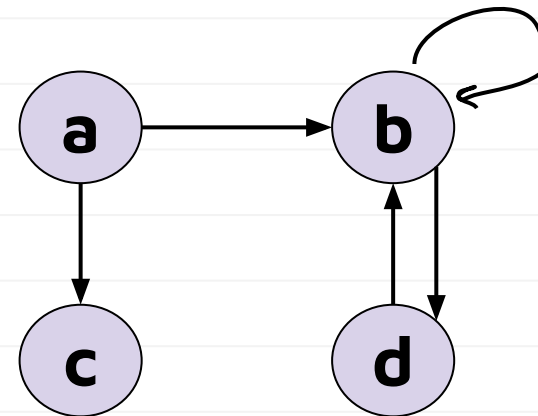


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Consequences

Because the edge set of a directed graph is **allowed** to be **any** subset of $V \times V$:

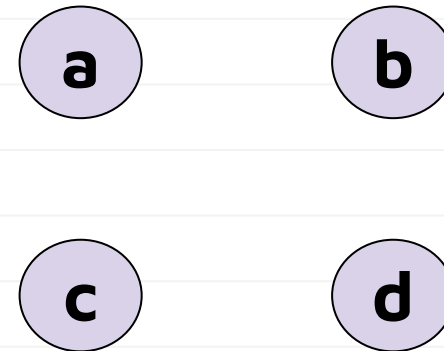
- the edges have **directions**.
 - e.g., (a, b) is “from a to b ”
- can have “**opposite**” edges.
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- can have “**self-loops**”
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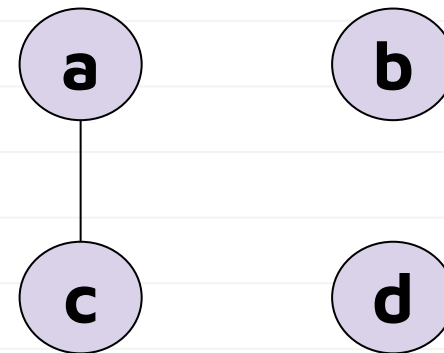


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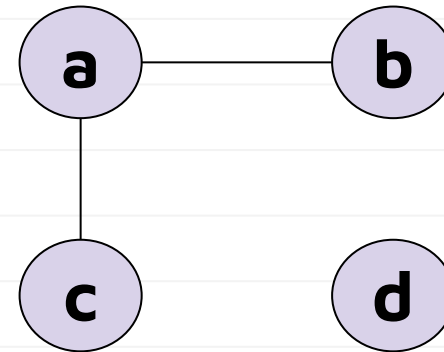


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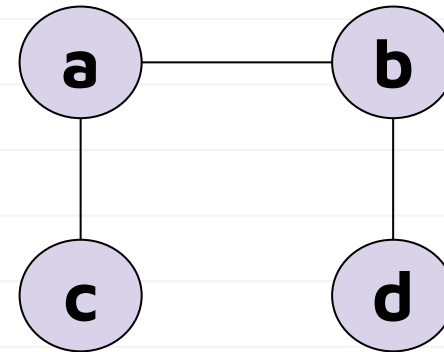


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Undirected Graphs (More Formally)

An edge in an undirected graph is a set $\{u, v\}$ where $u \neq v$. This has consequences:

- the edges have **no direction**.
 - e.g., $\{a, b\}$ is not “from” a “to” b .
- cannot have “opposite” edges.
 - e.g., $\{a, b\}$ and $\{b, a\}$ **are the same**.
- **cannot have “self-loops”**
 - e.g., $\{a, a\}$ is not a valid edge

Notational Note

Although edges in undirected graphs are sets, we typically write them as pairs: (u, v) instead of $\{u, v\}$.

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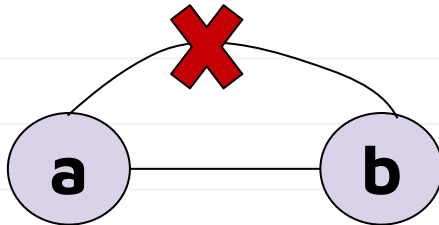
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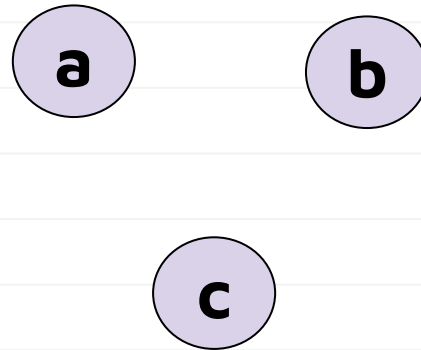
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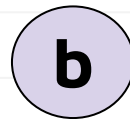
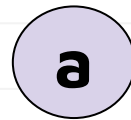
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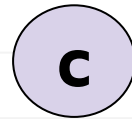


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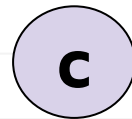
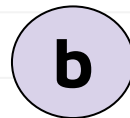
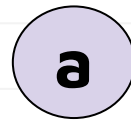
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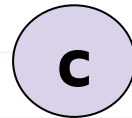
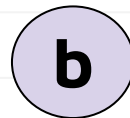
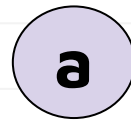


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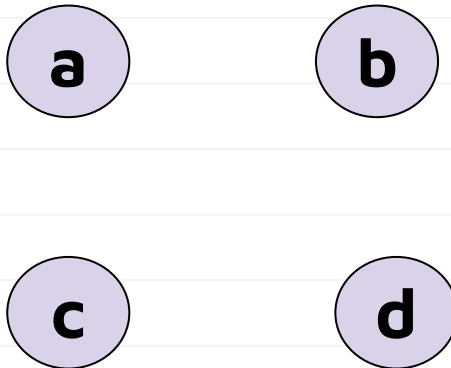
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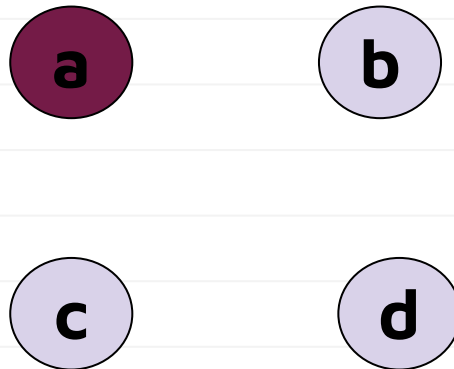
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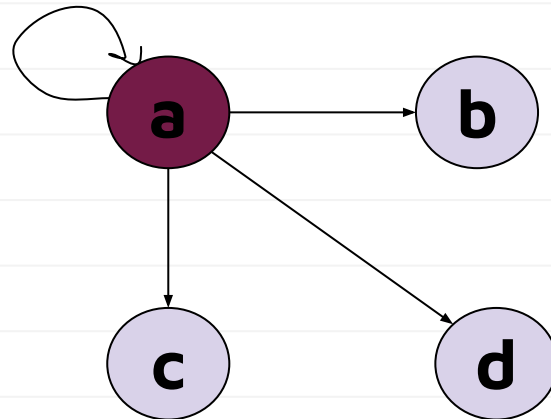
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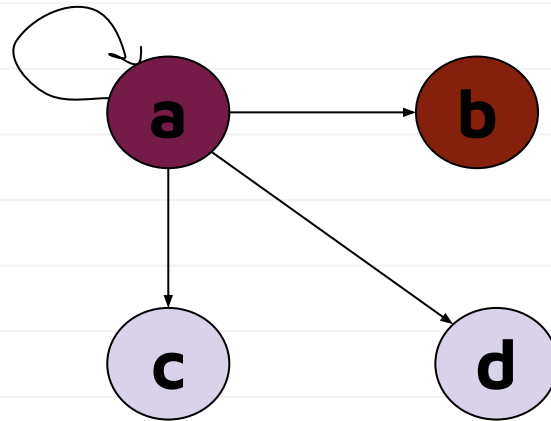
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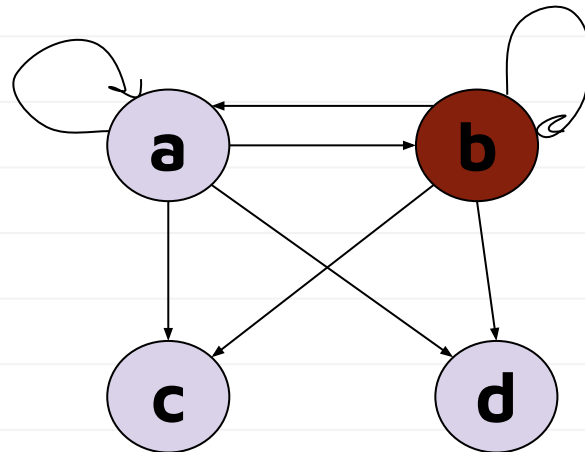
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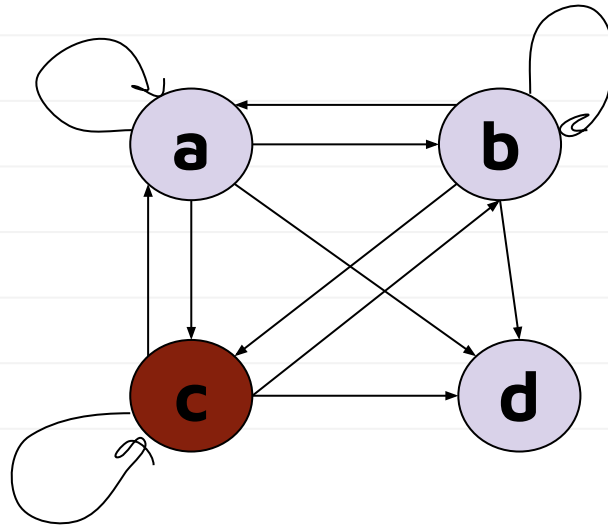
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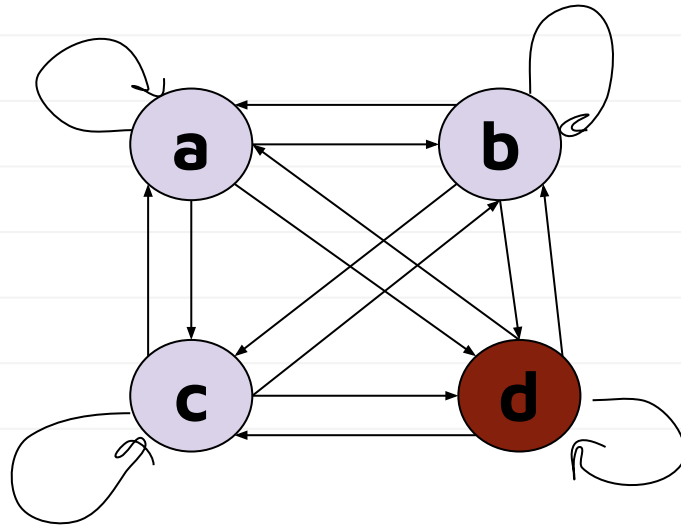
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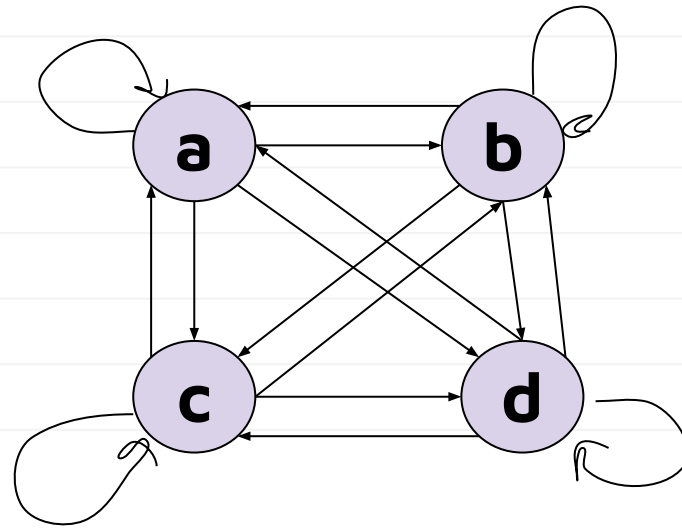
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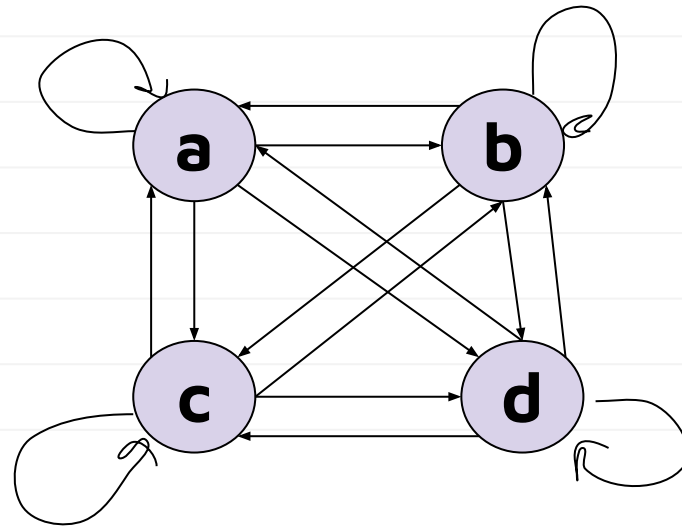
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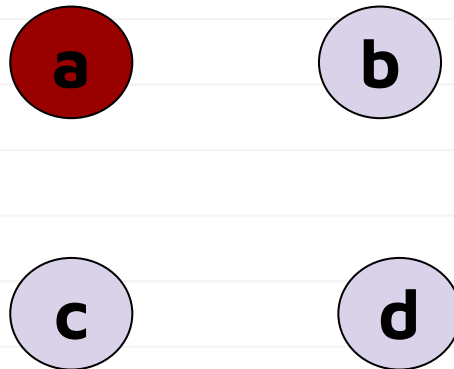
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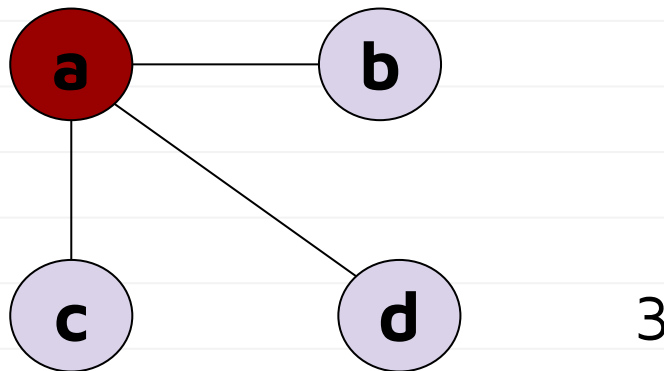
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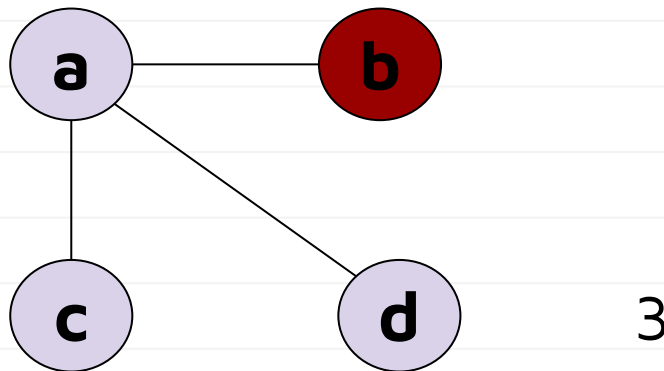
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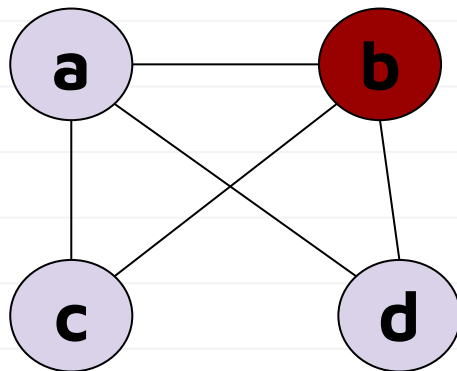
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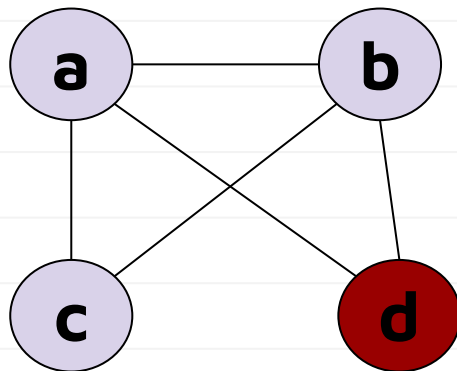
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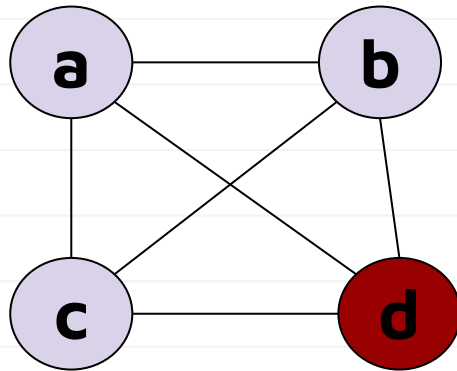
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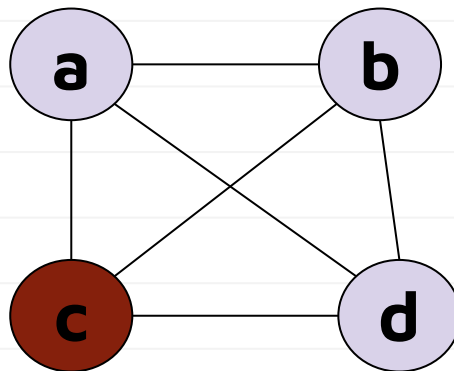
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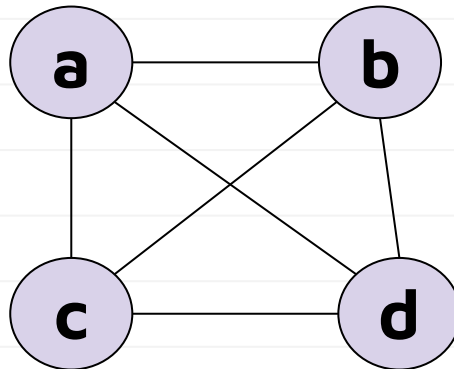
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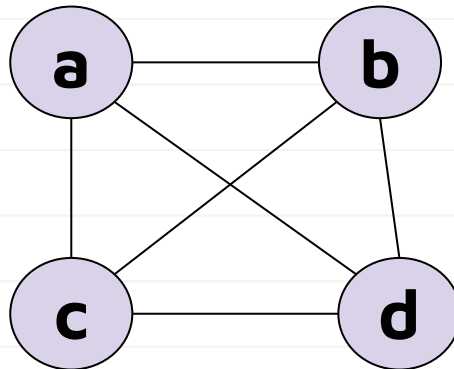
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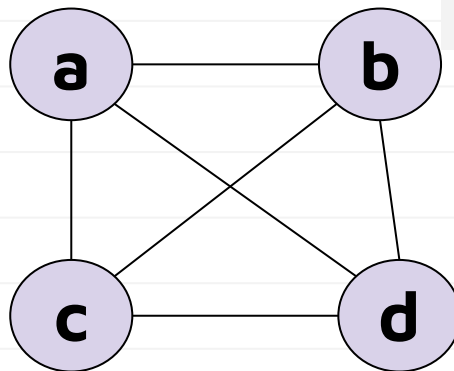


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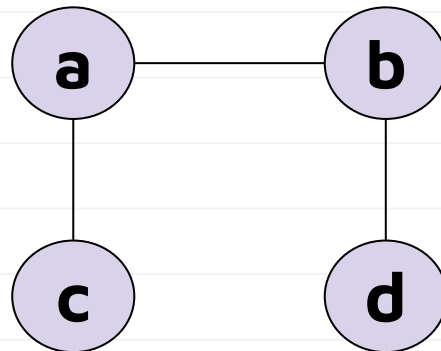


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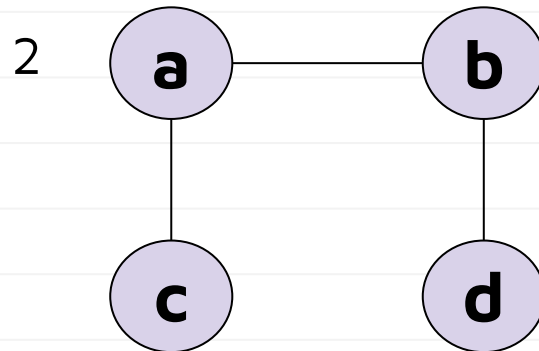
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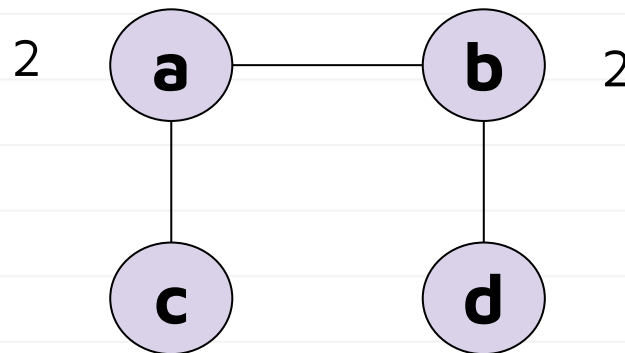
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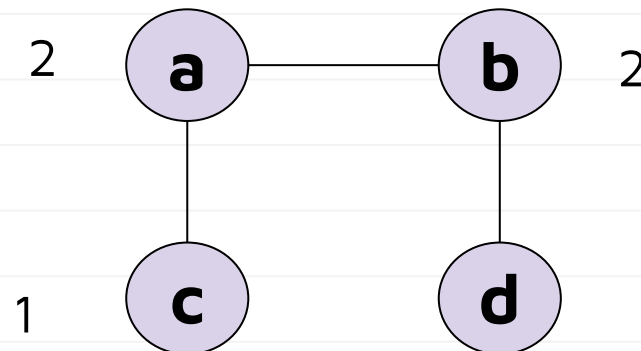
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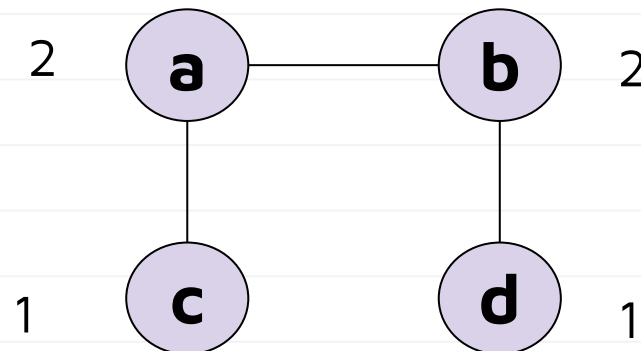
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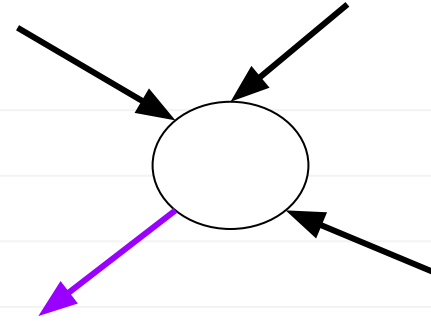


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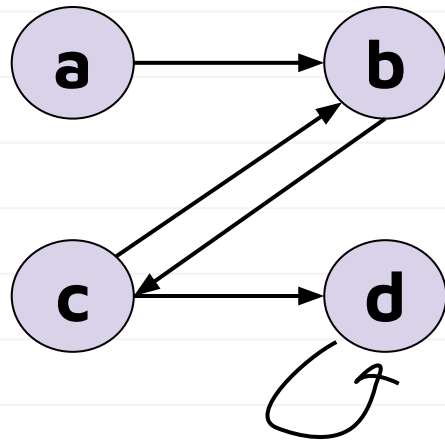


In-Degree/Out-Degree



- The **in-degree** of a node in an directed graph is the number of edges **entering** that node. (3 for the given node above)
- The **out-degree** of a node in an directed graph is the number of edges leaving that node. (1 for the given node above)
- The **degree** of a node in a directed graph is the *in-degree + out-degree*. (4 for the given node above)

Examples

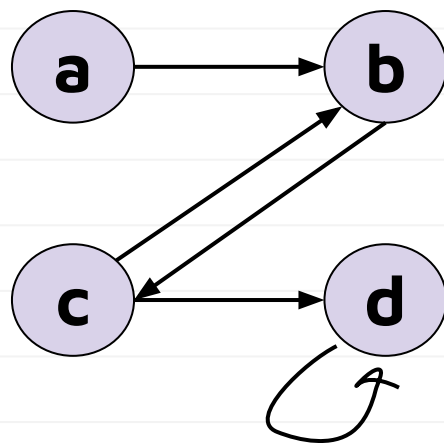


What are different degrees for node d?

Out-degree, in-degree, degree

A:	1	1	2
B:	3	1	2
C:	2	2	4
D:	1	2	2
E:	None of the above		

Examples



Out: 1

In: 2

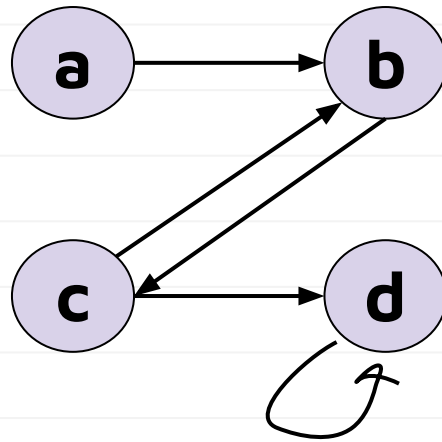
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Examples

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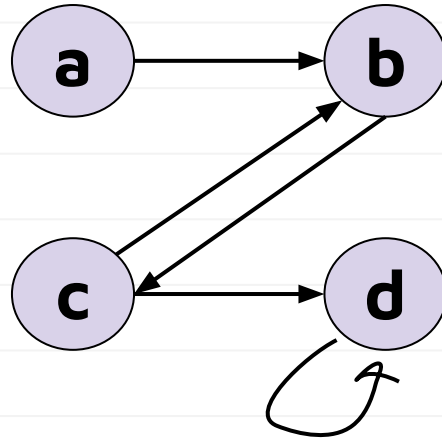
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D: 3

Examples

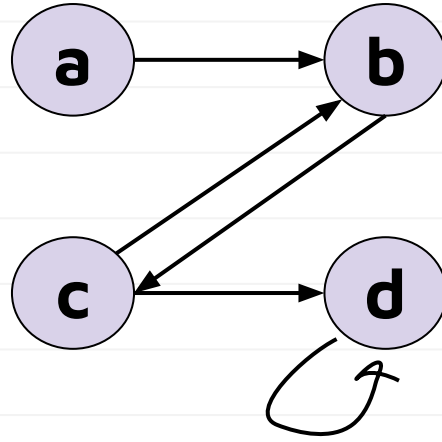
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Examples

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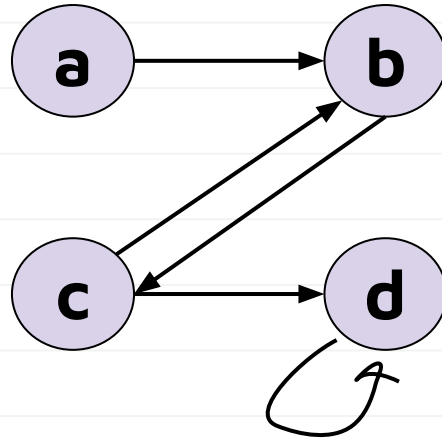


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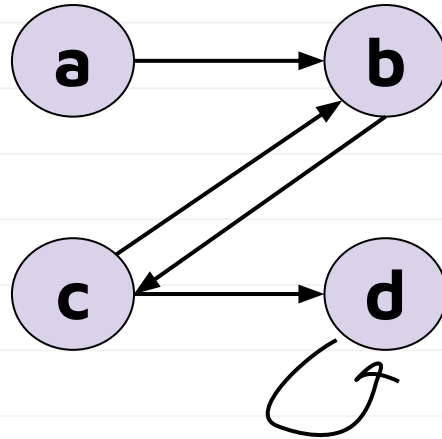


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Examples

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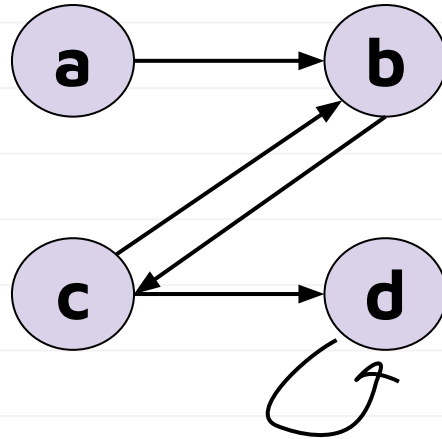
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Examples

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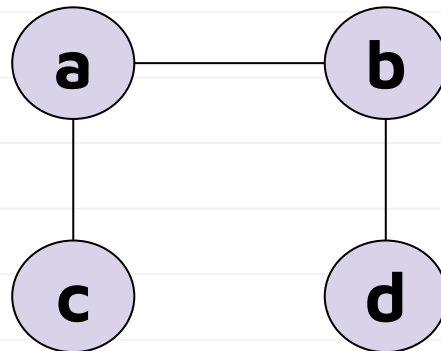
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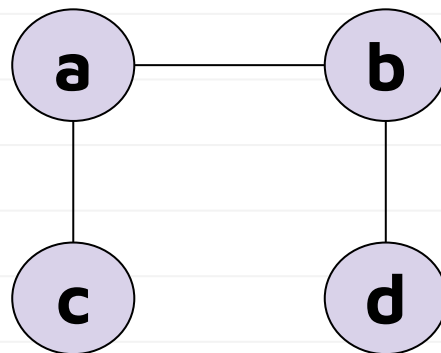
Neighbors

Definition: in an *undirected* graph, the set of **neighbors** of a node u is the set of all nodes which *share* an edge with u .



Neighbors

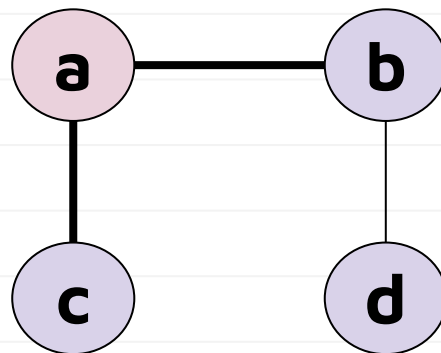
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Neighbors

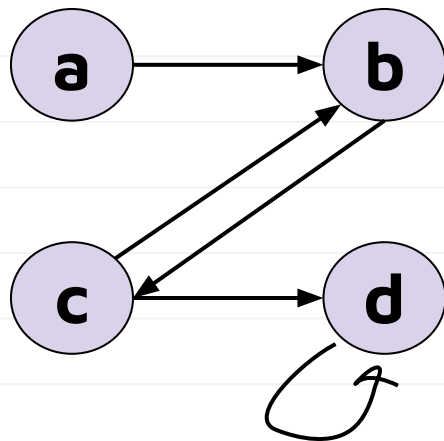
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$\text{neighbors}(a) = \{b, c\}$

Predecessors

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predecessors(b)

A: {c}

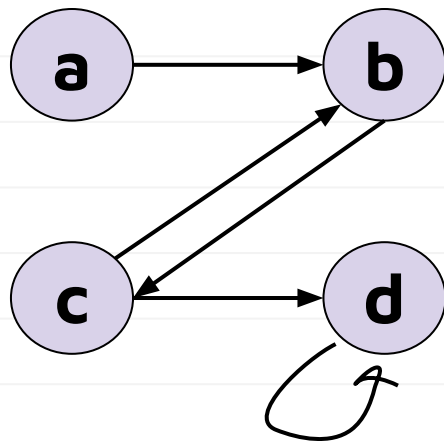
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C: {a, c}

D: {a, b, c}

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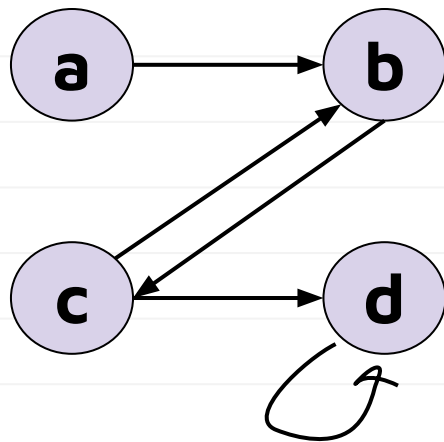
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Predecessors

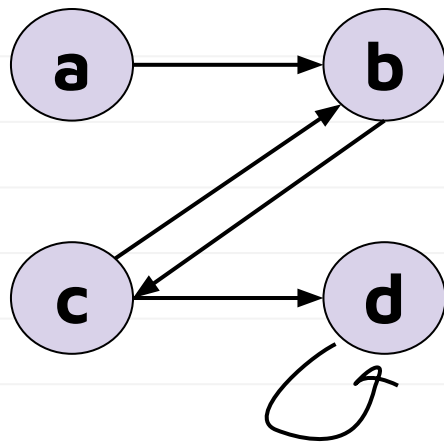
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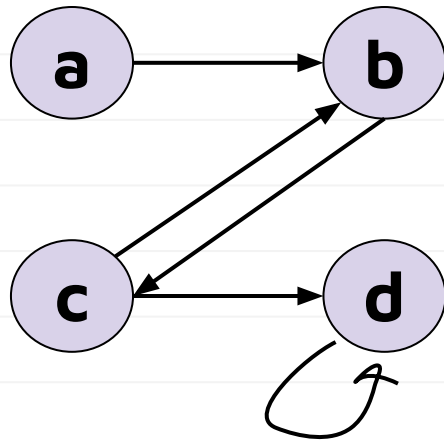
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predecessors(d) = { ? }

Predecessors

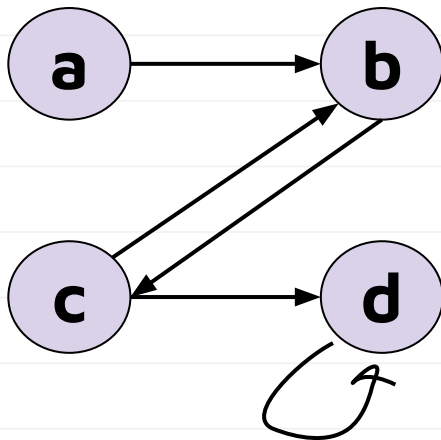
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$$\text{predecessors}(d) = \{c, d\}$$

Successors

Definition: in an *directed* graph, the set of *successors* of a node u is the set of all nodes which are at the **end** of an edge **leaving** u .



successors (c)

A: {a, b, c}

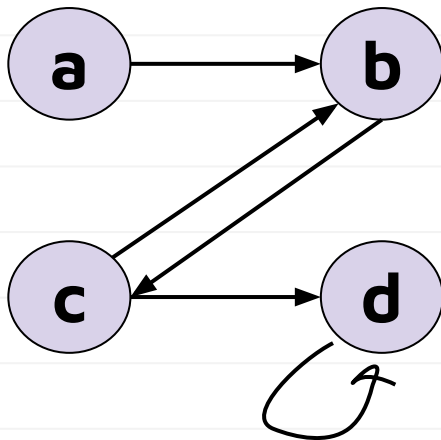
B: {c}

C: {b, d}

D: {a, b, d}

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successors (c)

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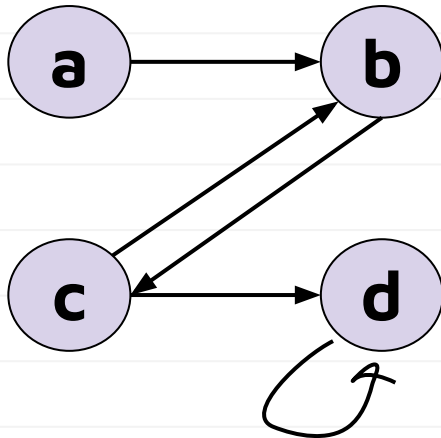
B: {c}

C: {b, d}

D: {a, b, d}

Successors

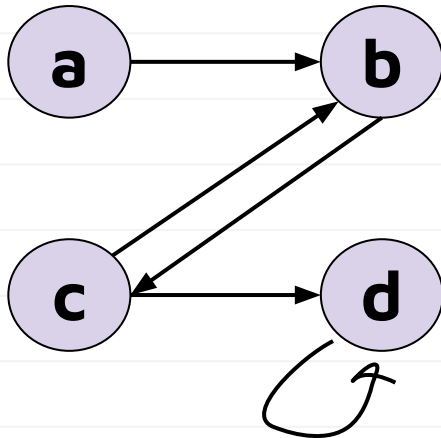
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successors (a) = ?

Successors

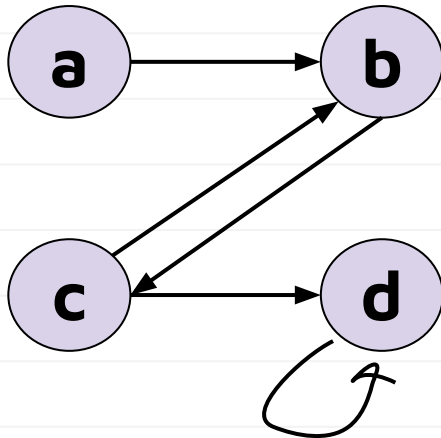
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***successors* (a) = {b}**

Successors

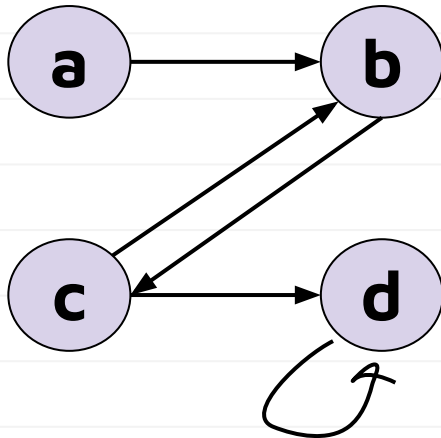
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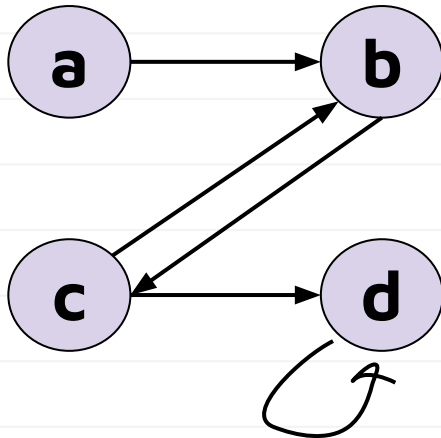
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Successors

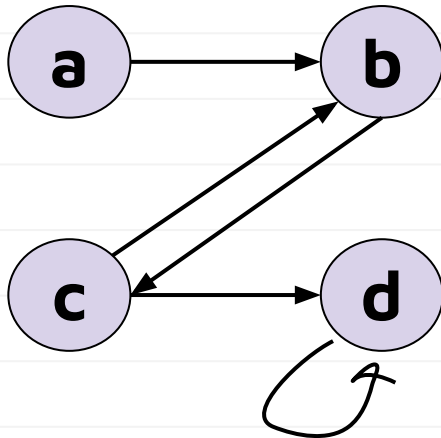
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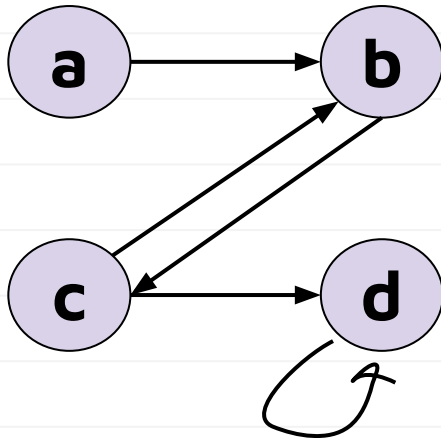
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***successors* (d) = {d}**

A Convention

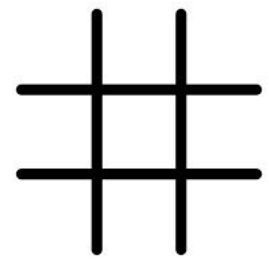
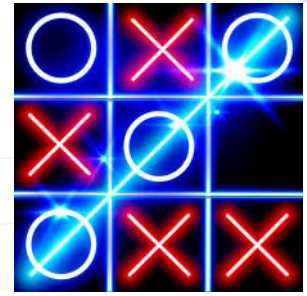
- In a **directed** graph, the **neighbors** of u are the **successors** of u .



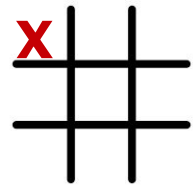
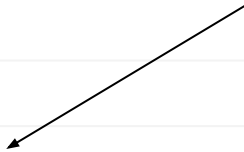
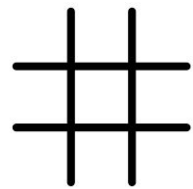
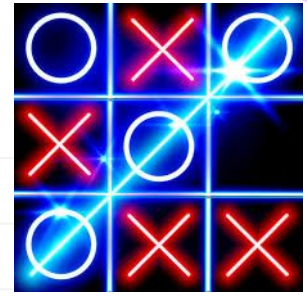
Other Graphs

- Graphs can be used to represent states of a process, system, game, etc.
- They could (in principle) have infinitely-many nodes and edges.

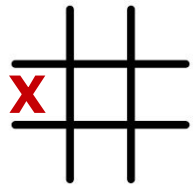
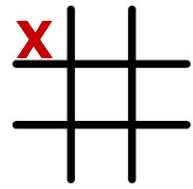
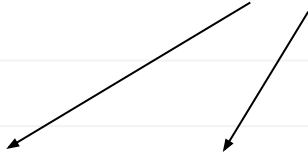
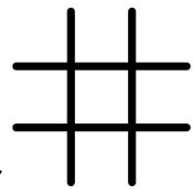
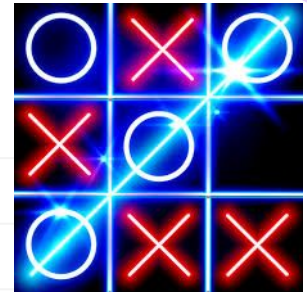
Example: Tic-Tac-Toe



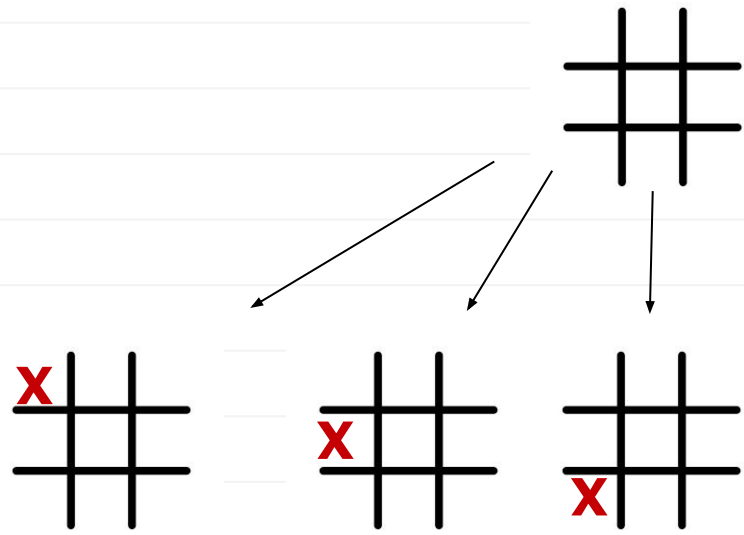
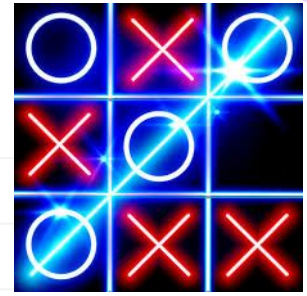
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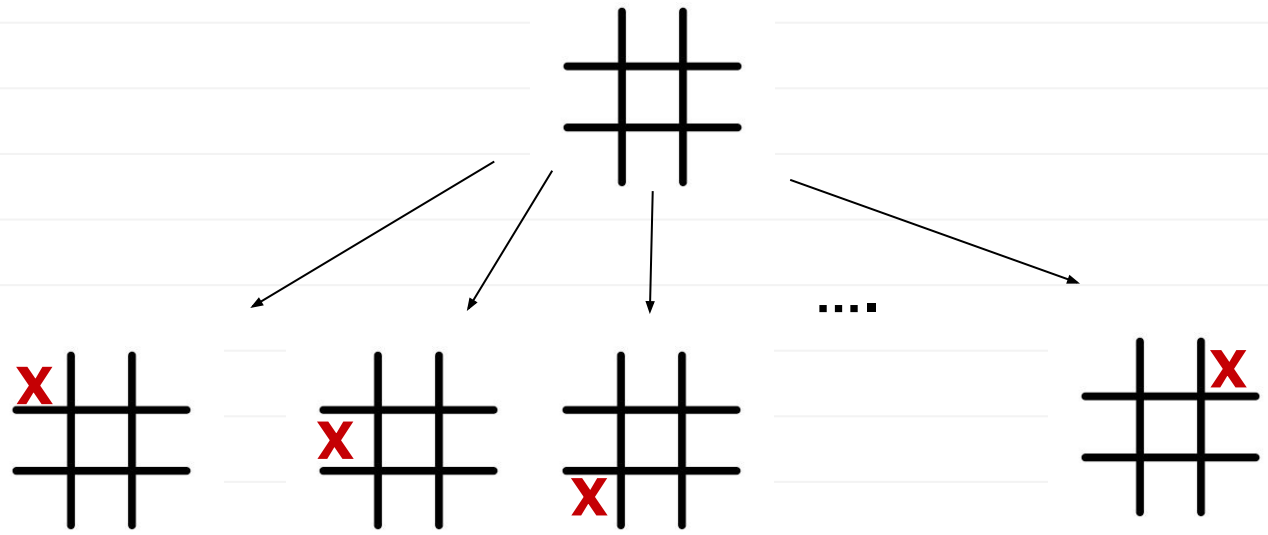
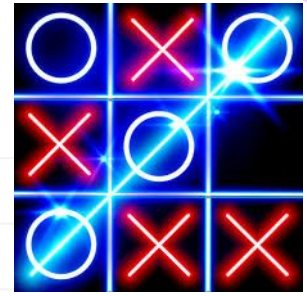
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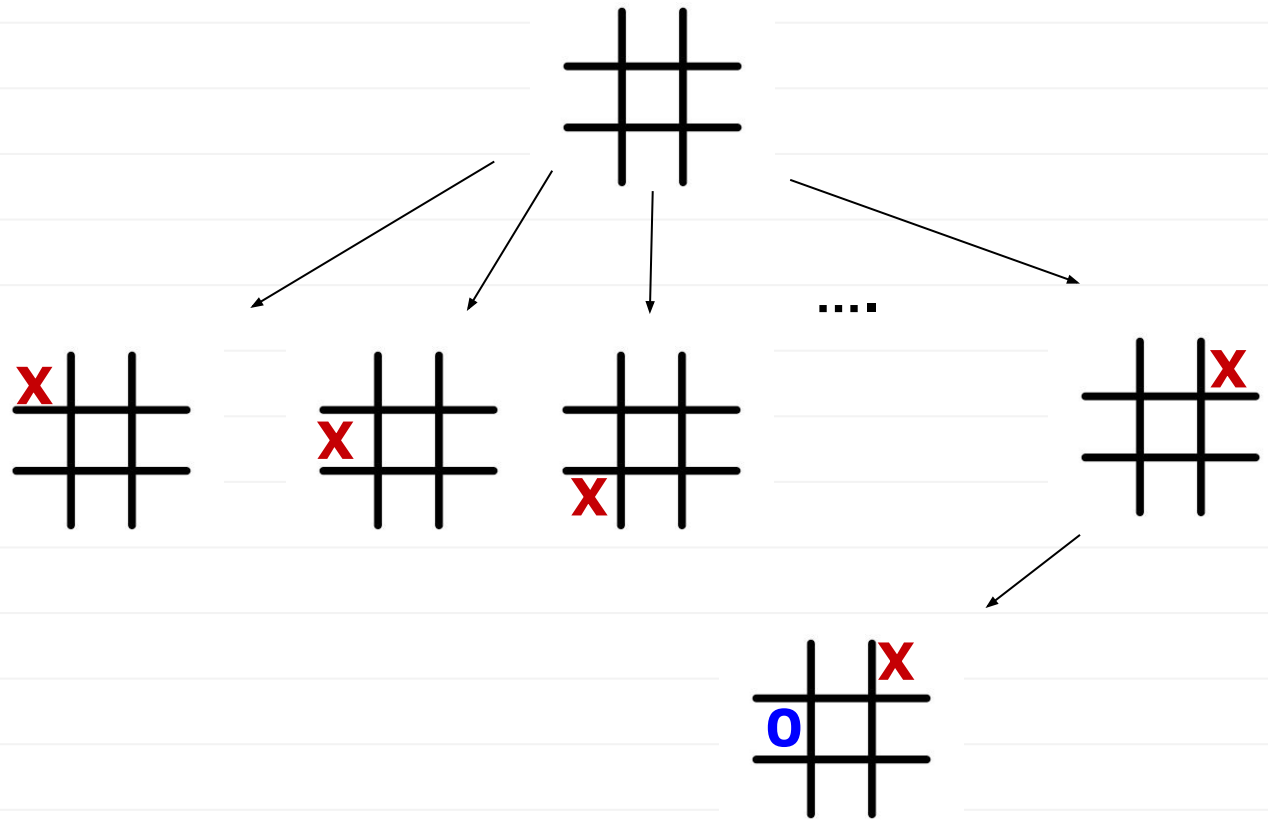
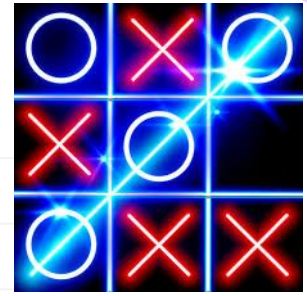
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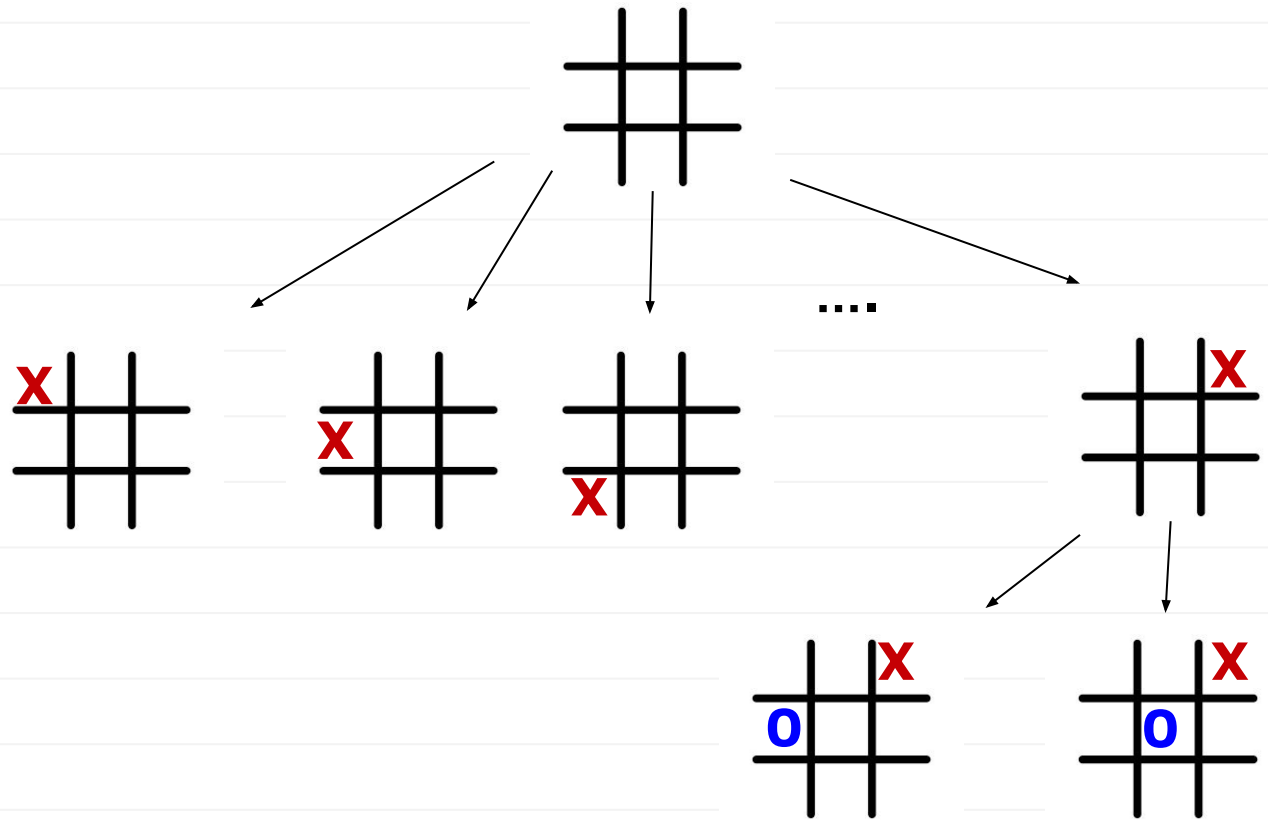
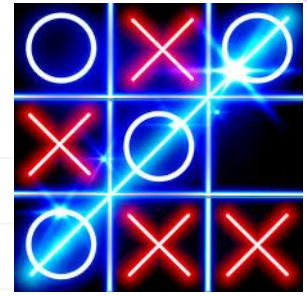
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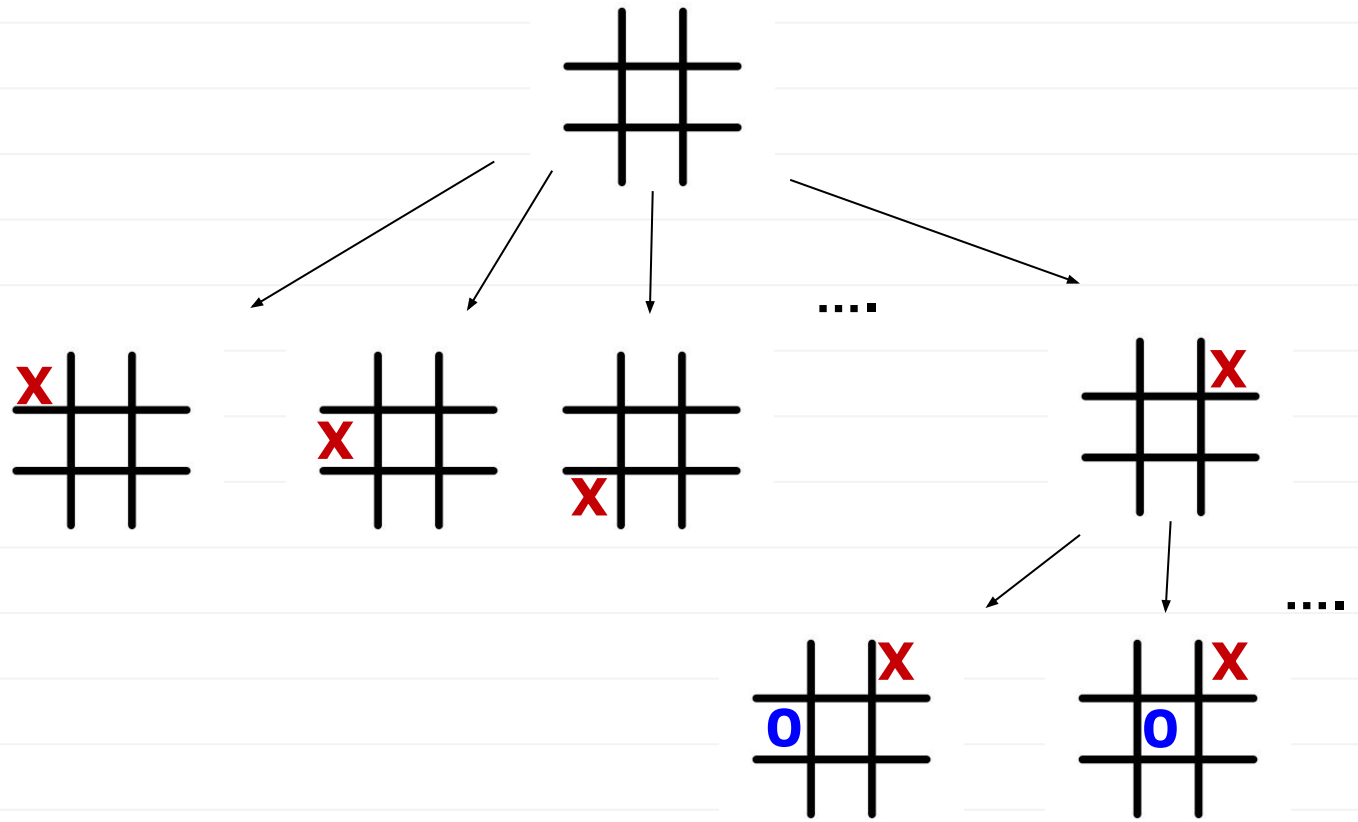
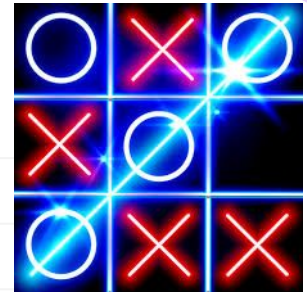
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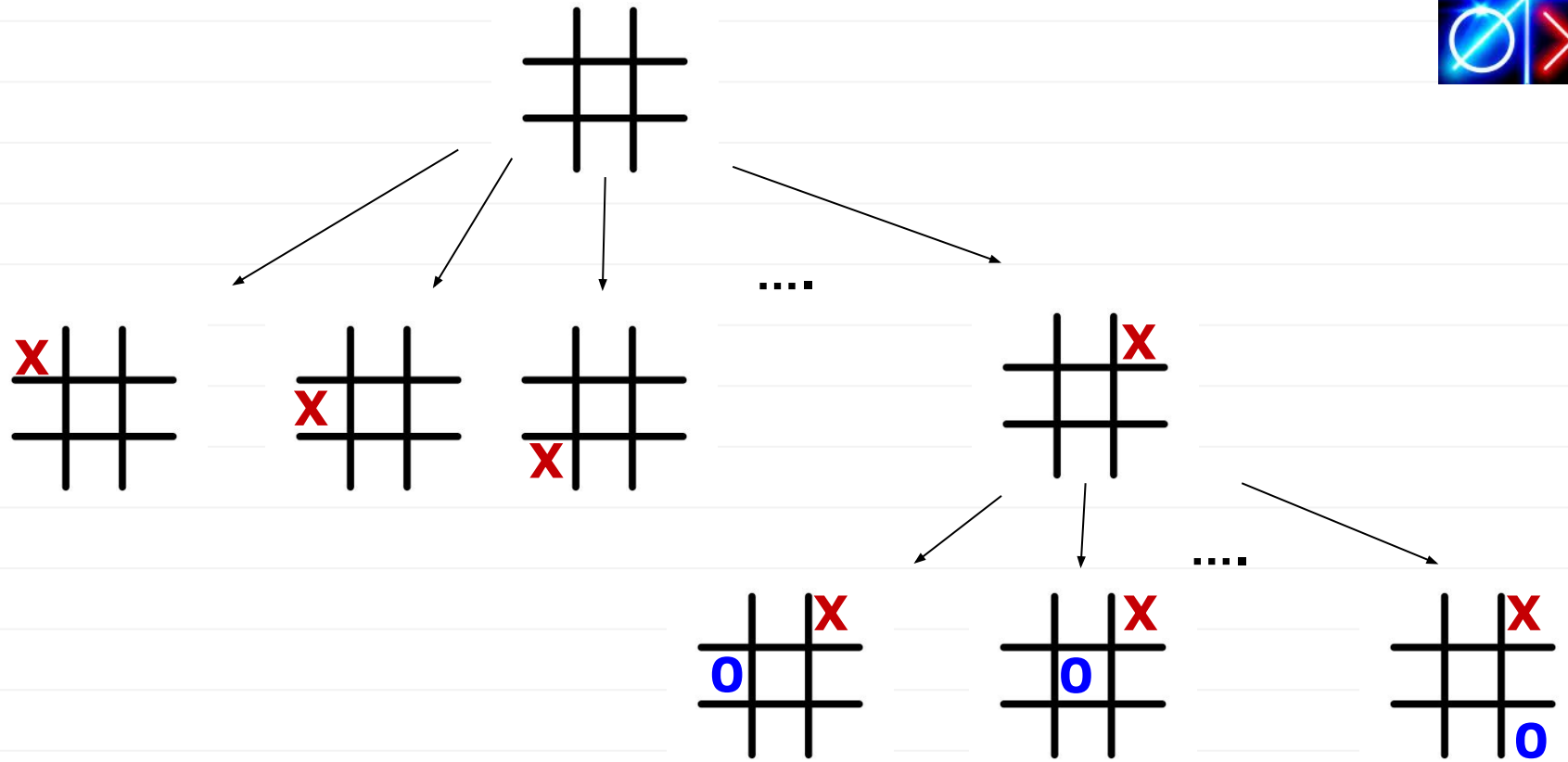
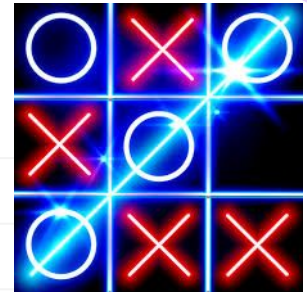
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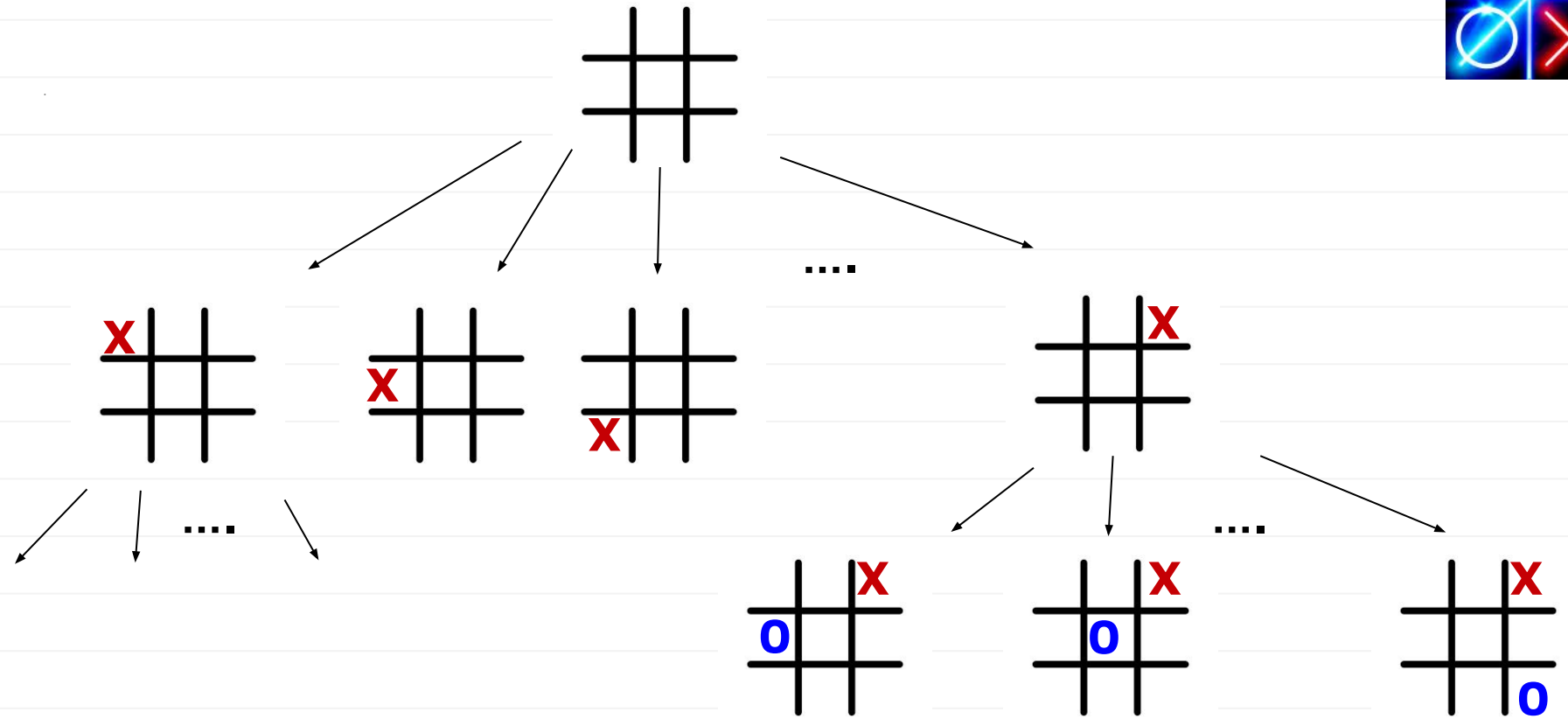
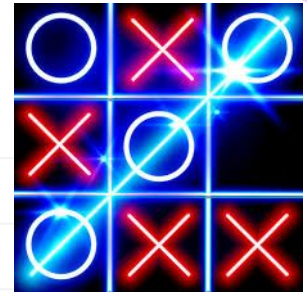
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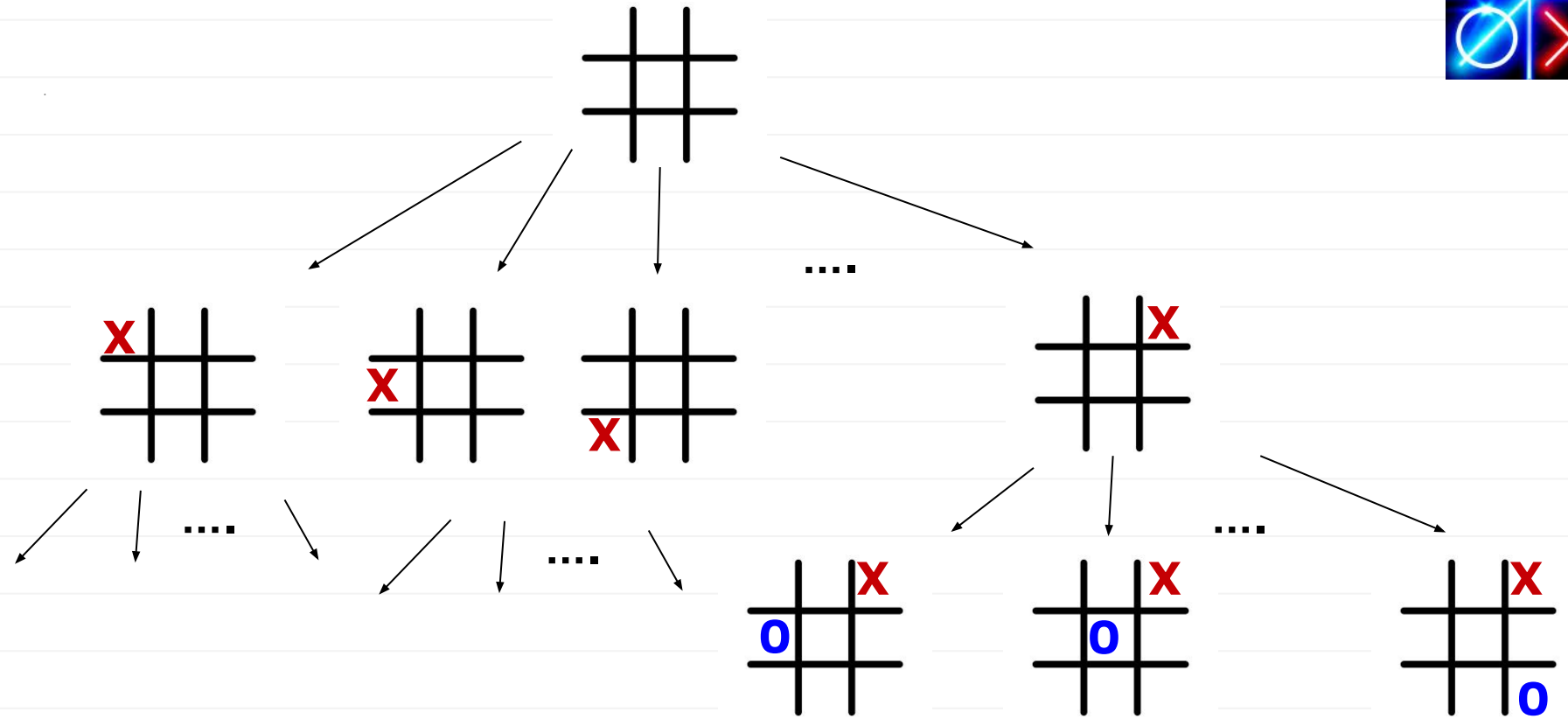
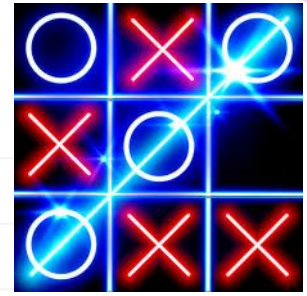
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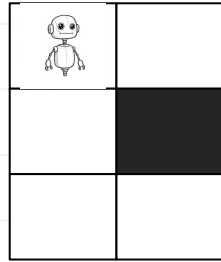
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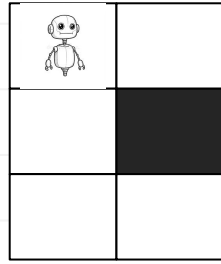
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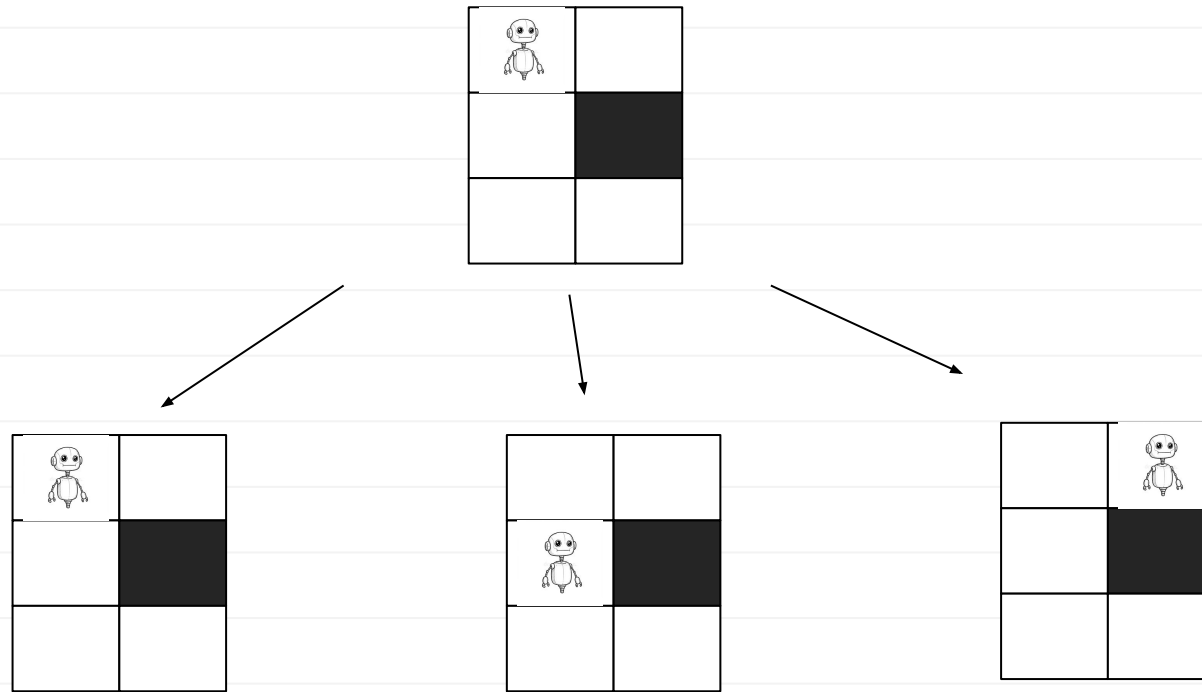
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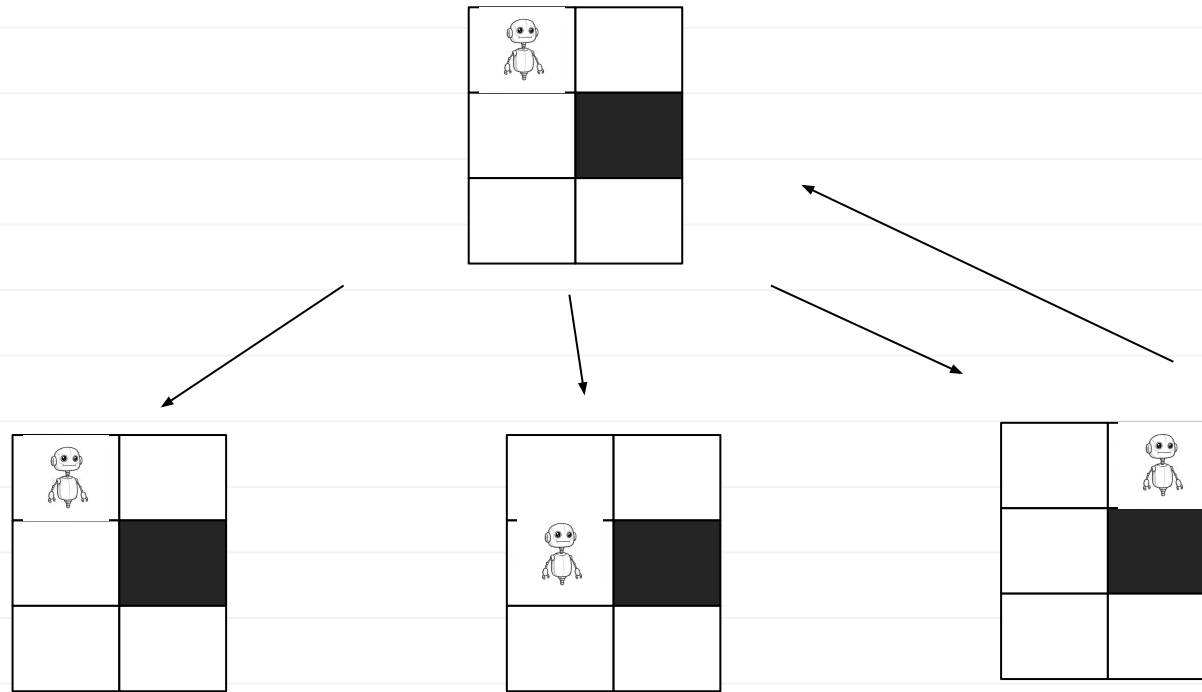
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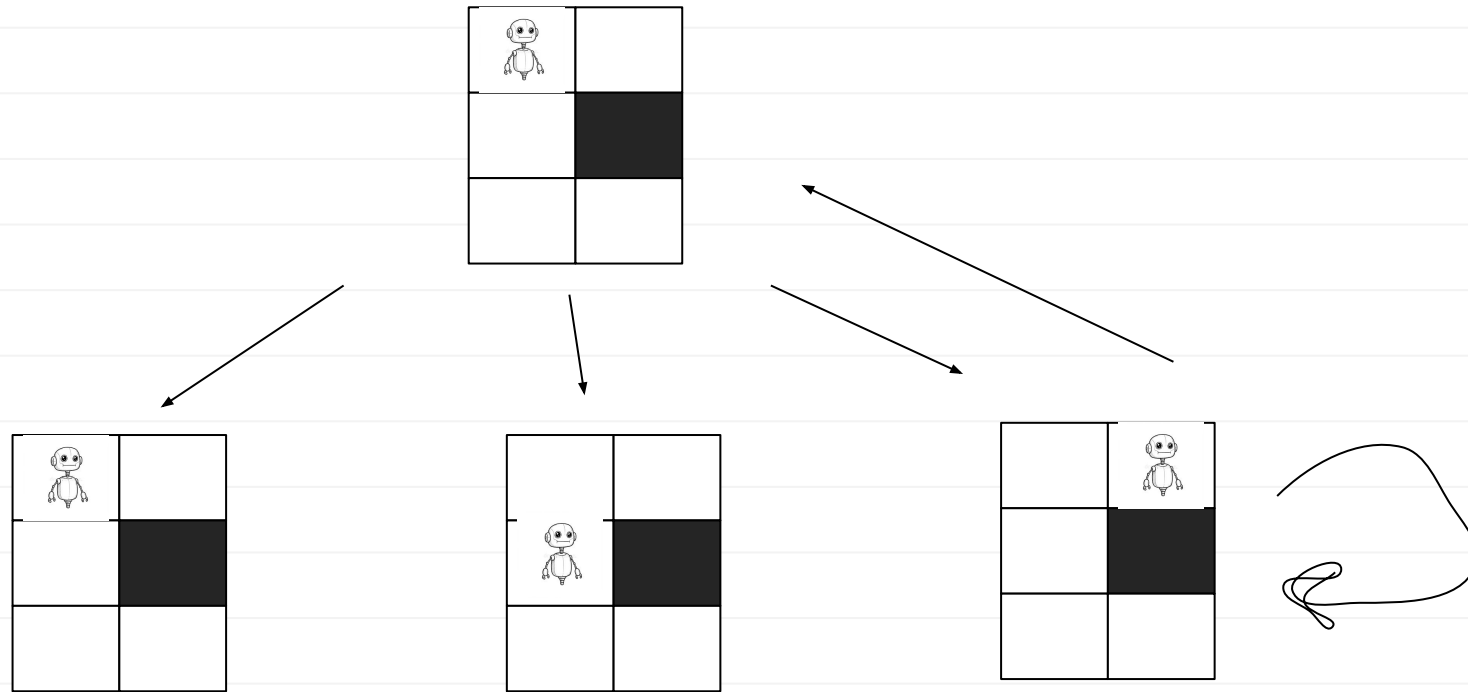
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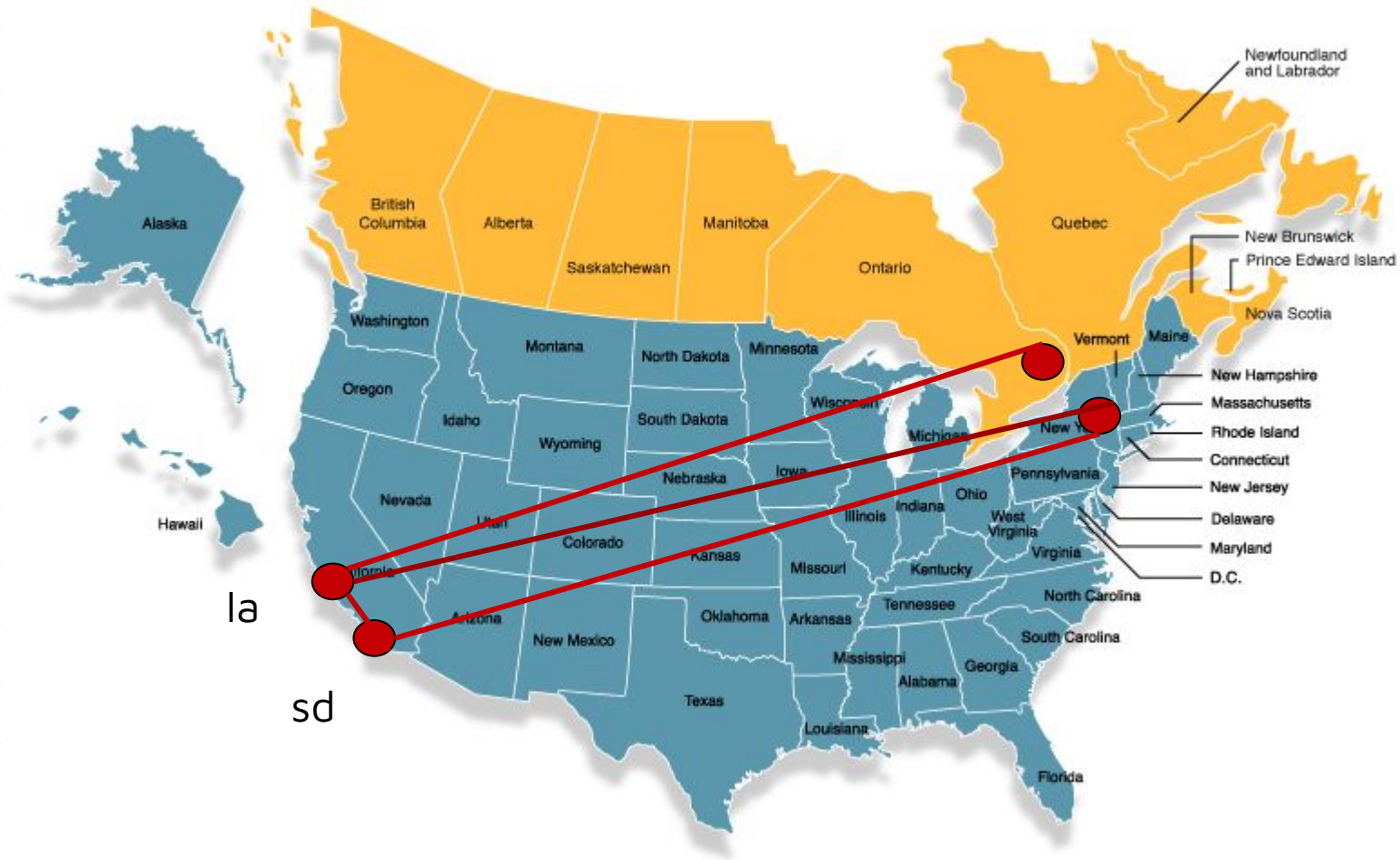
Paths



Example

- Consider a graph of direct flights.
- Each node is an airport.
- Each edge is a direct flight.
- Should the graph be **directed** or **undirected**?

Example



Example

- Can we get from San Diego to Ottawa?
- Not with a single edge.
- But with a [path](#).

Definition

A **path** from u to u' in a (directed or undirected) graph $G = (V, E)$ is a sequence of one or more nodes $v_0, v_1, \dots, v_k = u'$ such that there is an edge between each consecutive pair of nodes in the sequence.

Path Length

Definition: The **length** of a path is the number of nodes in the sequence, minus one. Paths of length zero are possible.

Path Length

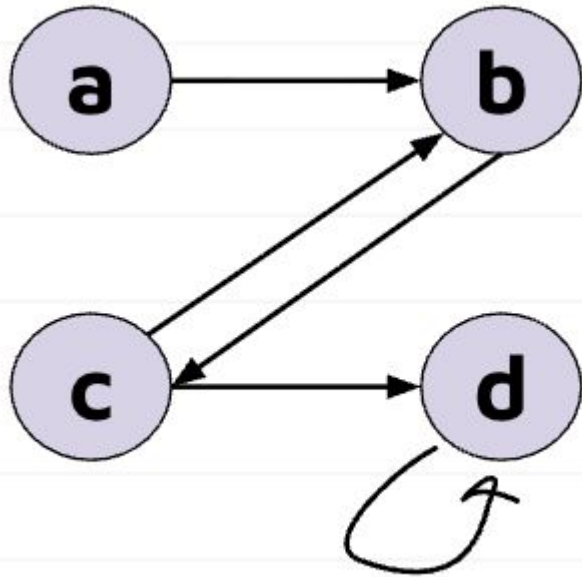
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Path: (a, b, c, d).

4 nodes - 1 = 3.

Examples

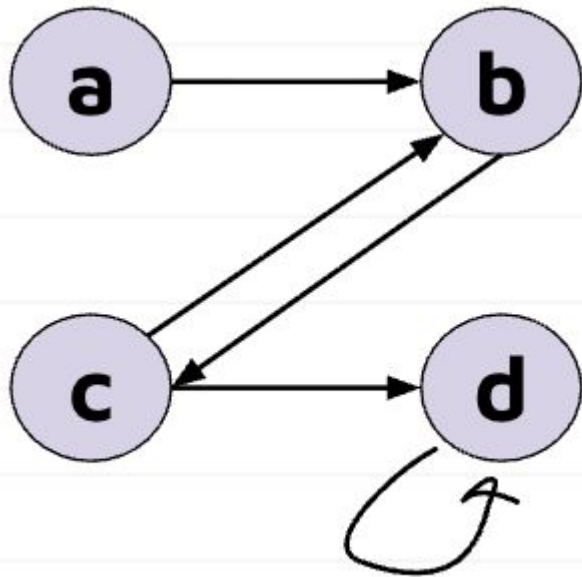


(a, b, c)

Paths

Not Paths

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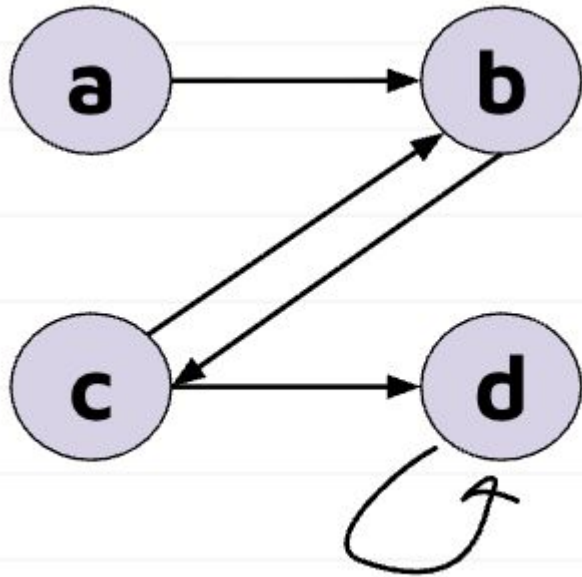
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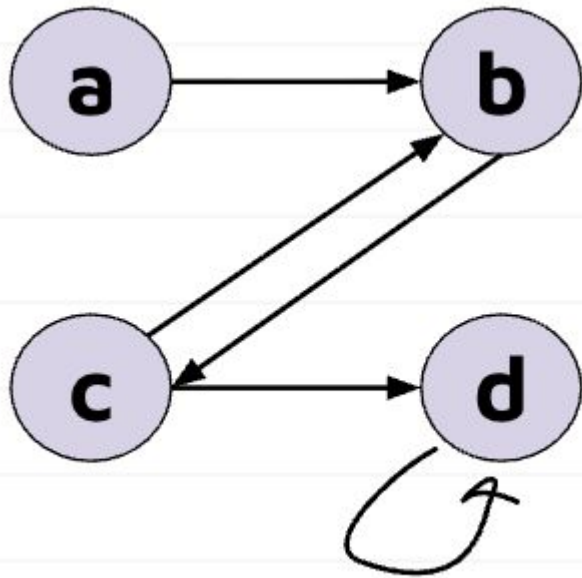
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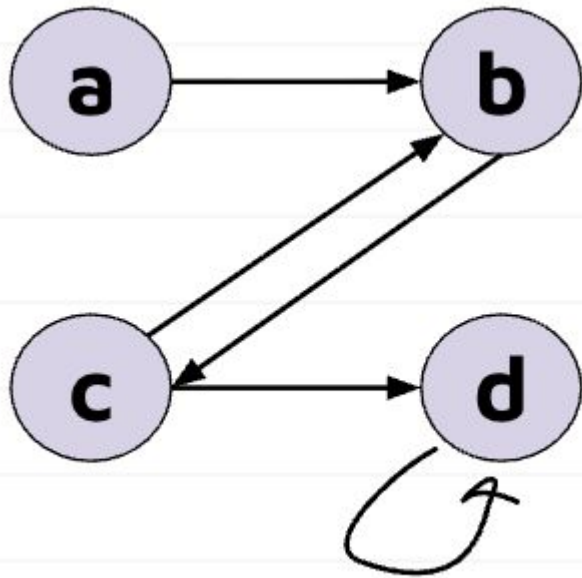
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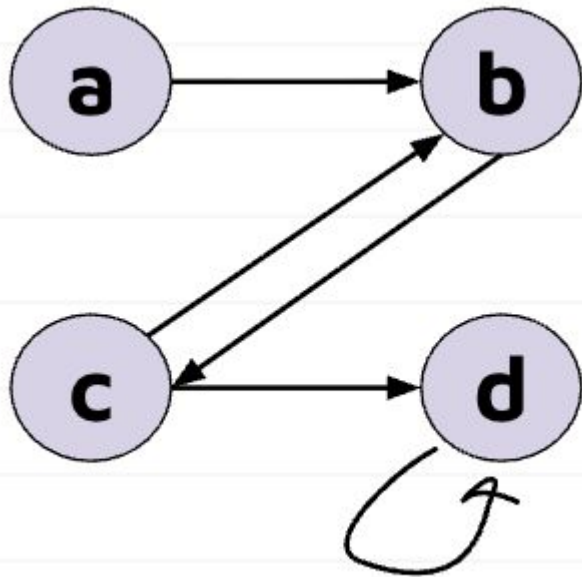
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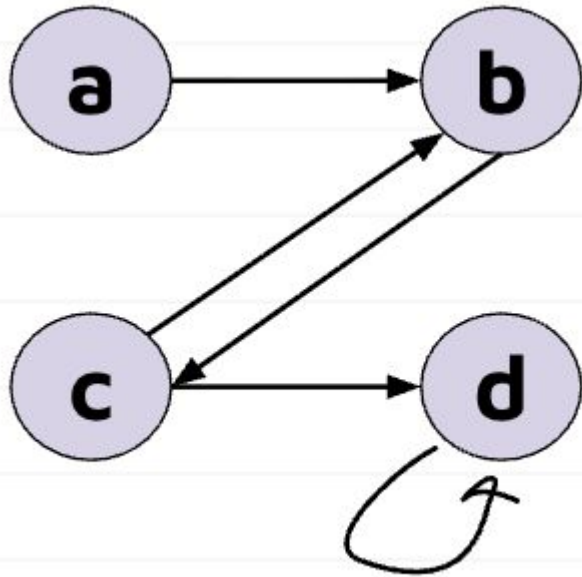
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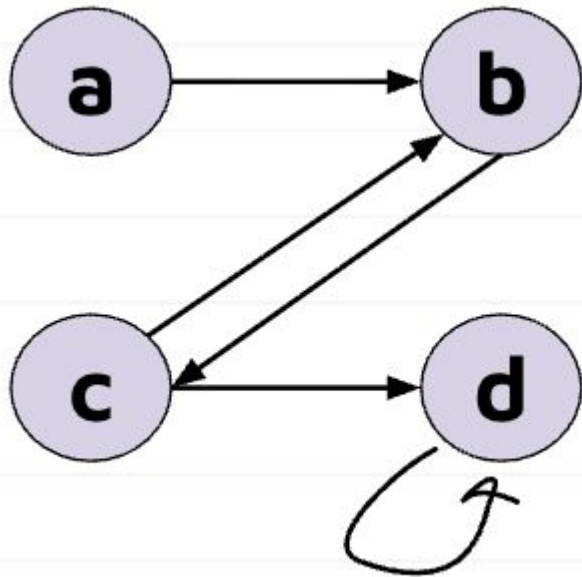
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Examples



<u>Paths</u>	<u>Not Paths</u>
(a, b, c)	(a, b, d)
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Examples



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(a, b, c)

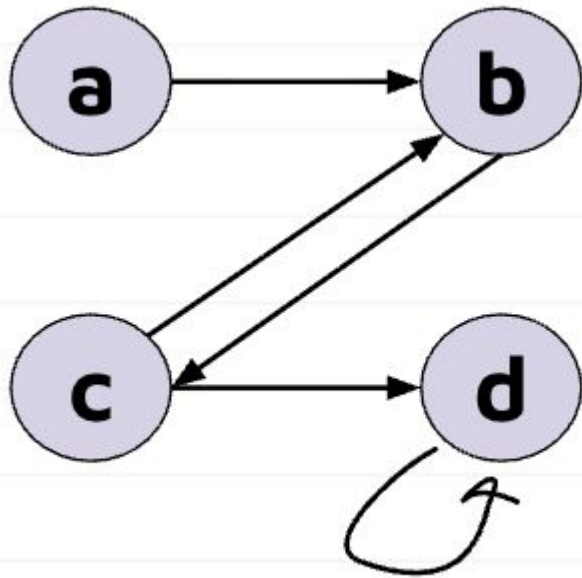
(a, b, d)

(a, b, c, b, c)

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(d, d, d, d)

Examples



(a, b, c, b, c, b, c, b, c)

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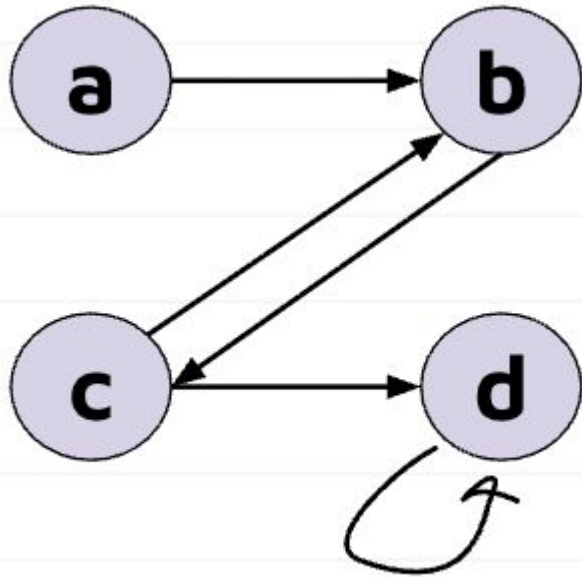
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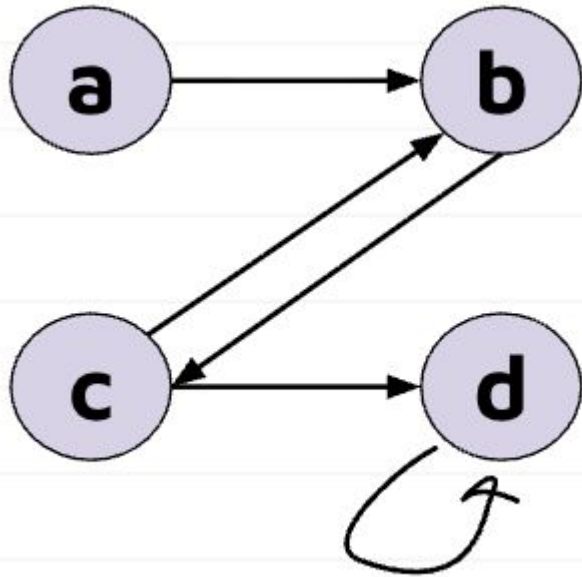
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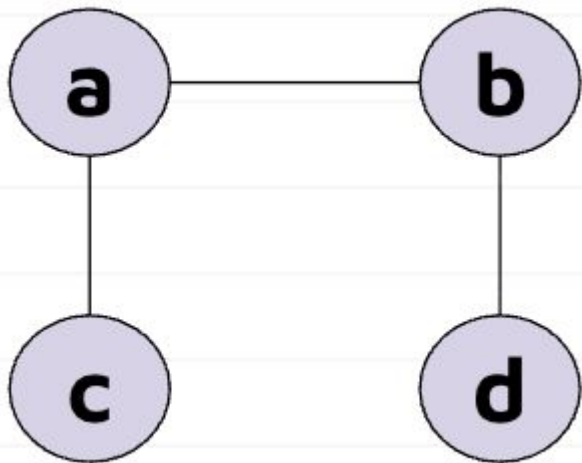
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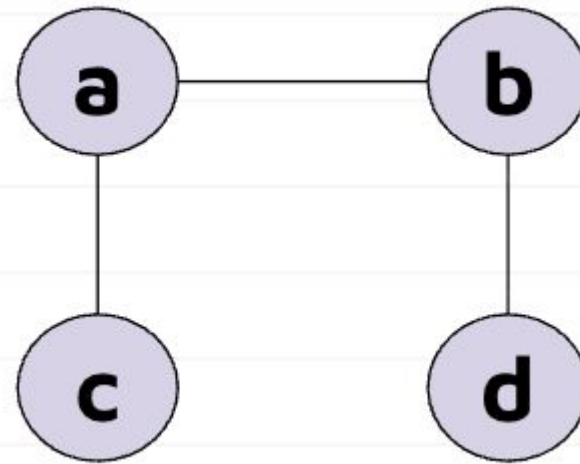
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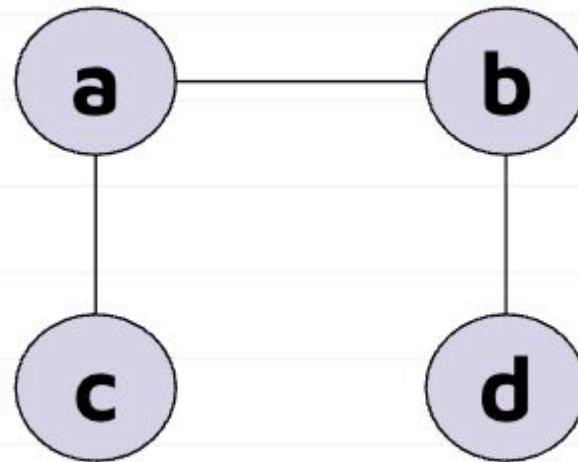
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Simple Paths

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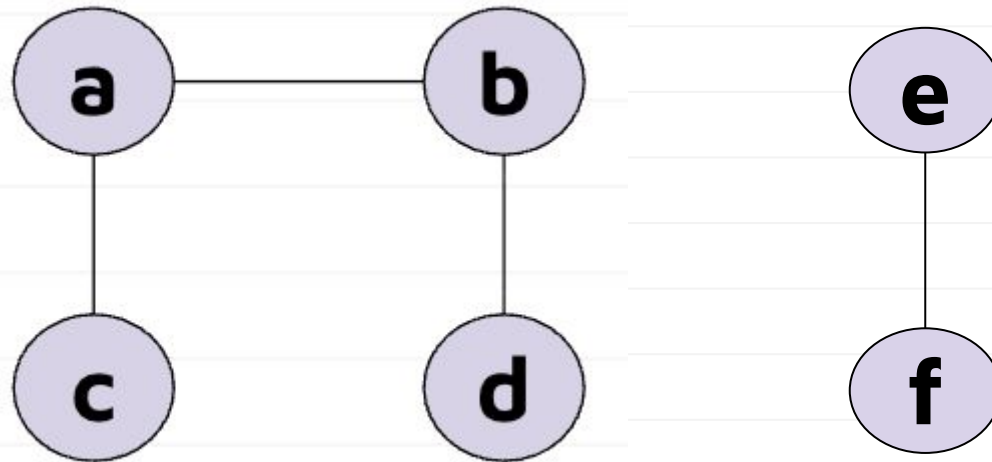


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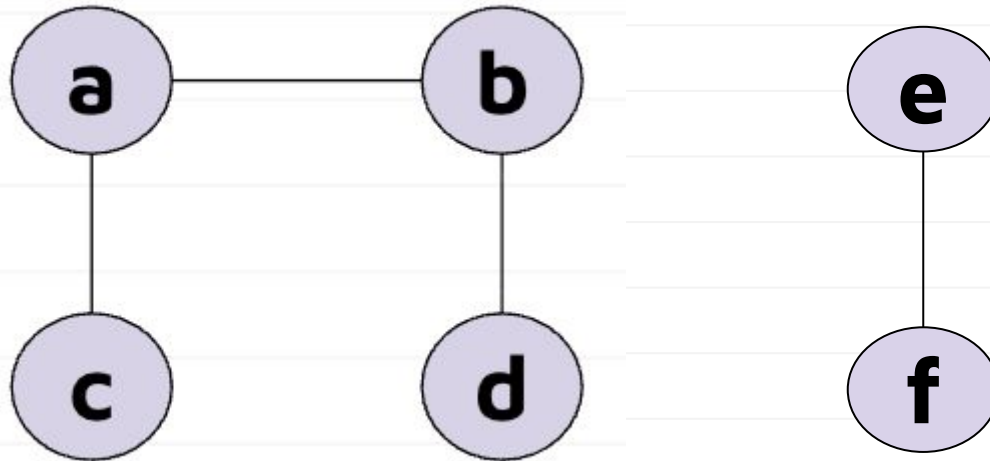


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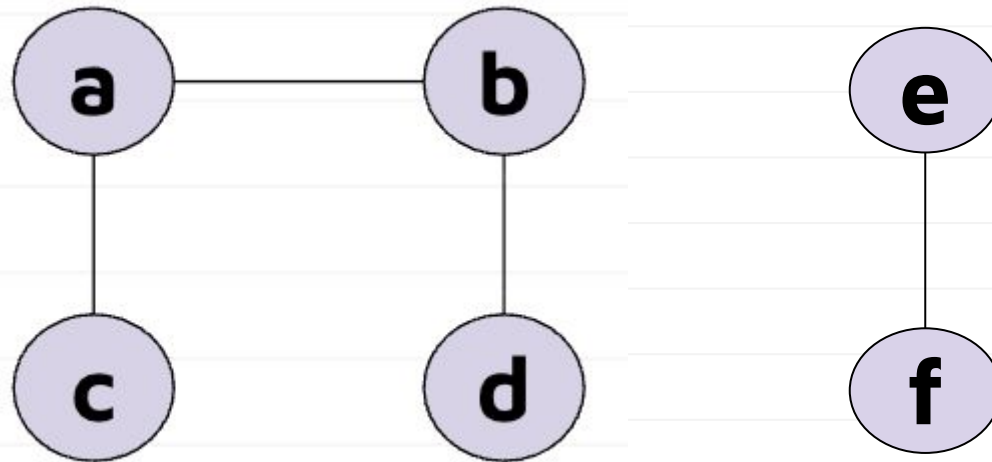
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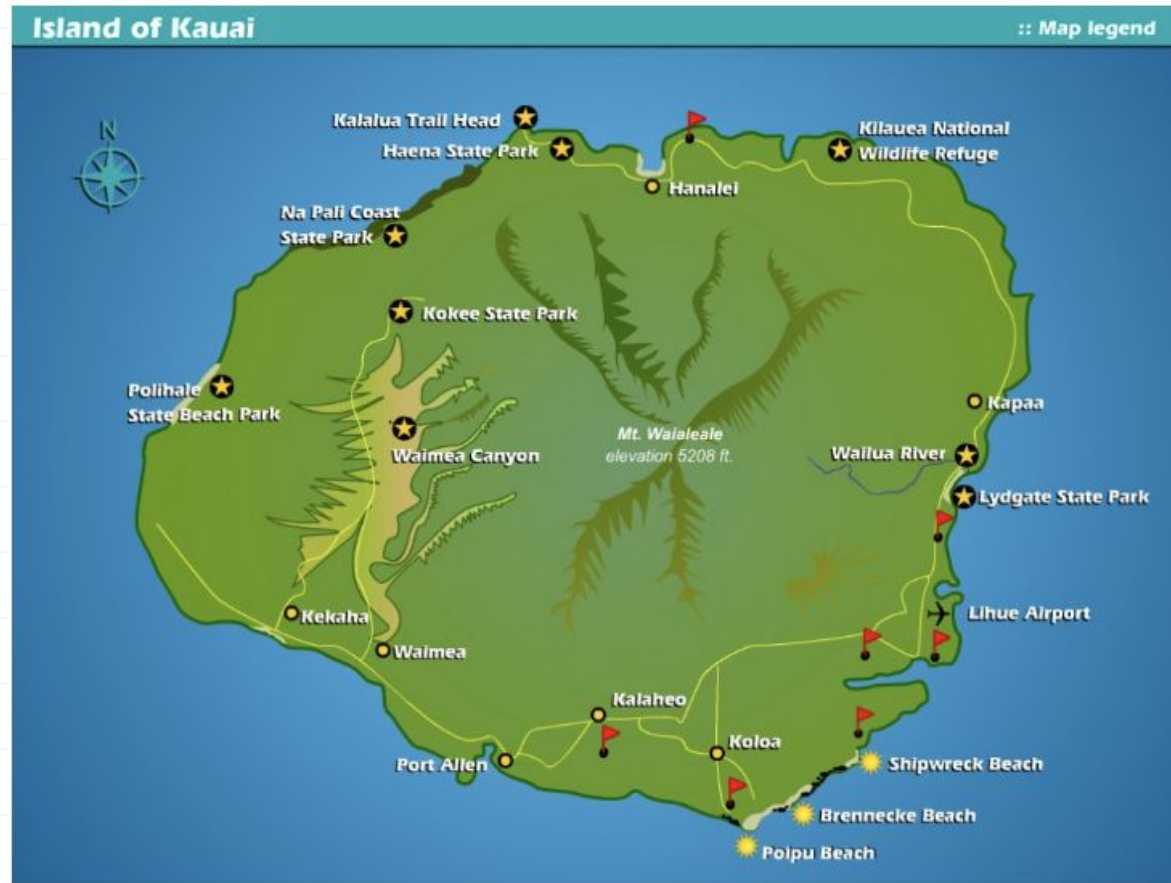
- If G is **undirected**, reachability is **symmetric**.
 - If u reachable from v , then v reachable from u .
- If G is **directed**, reachability is **not symmetric**.
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Important Trivia

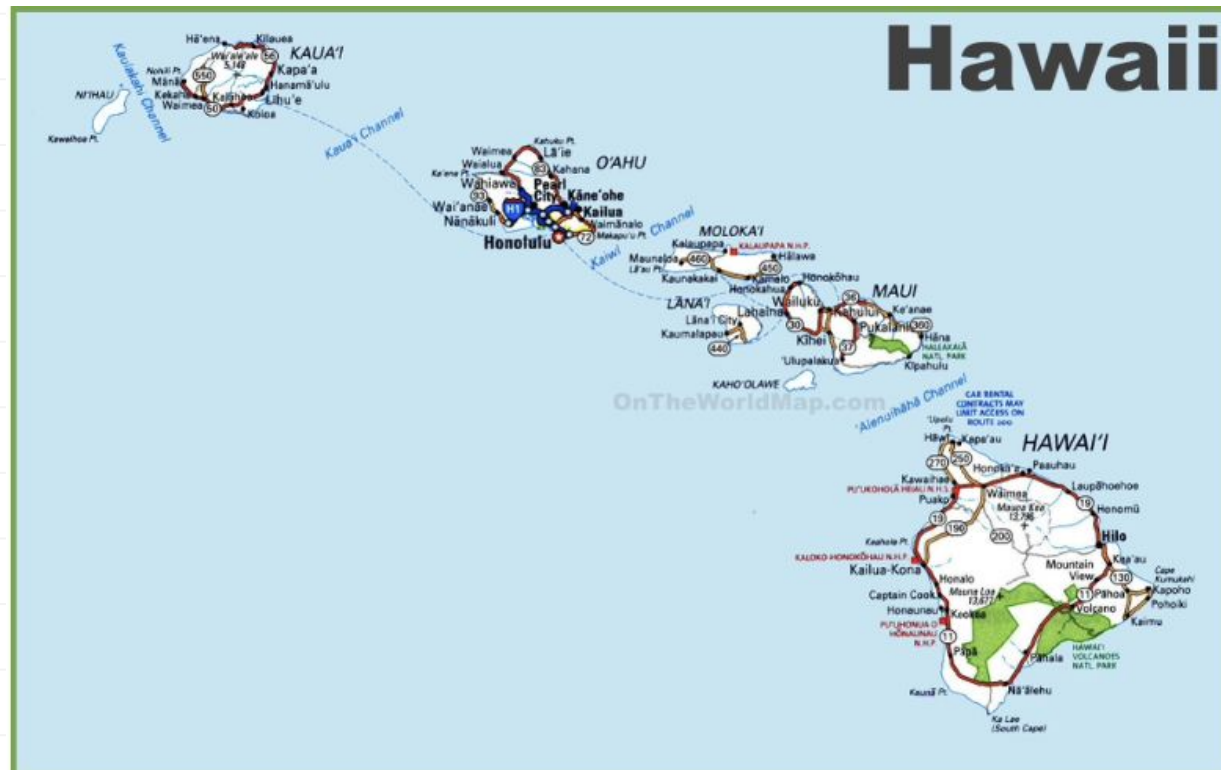
- In any graph, any node is **reachable** from **itself**.

Connected Components

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Connectedness

A graph is **connected** if every node u is reachable from every other node v . Otherwise, it is **disconnected**.

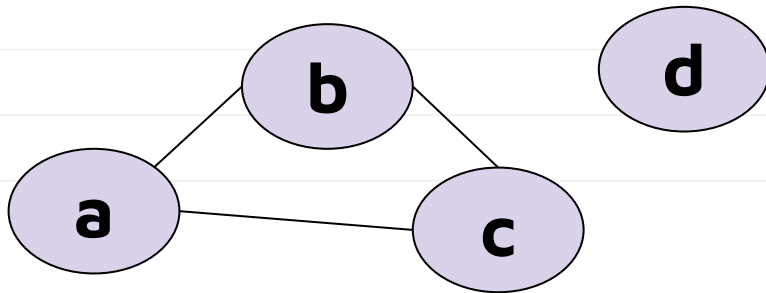
Equivalent: there is a path between every pair of nodes.

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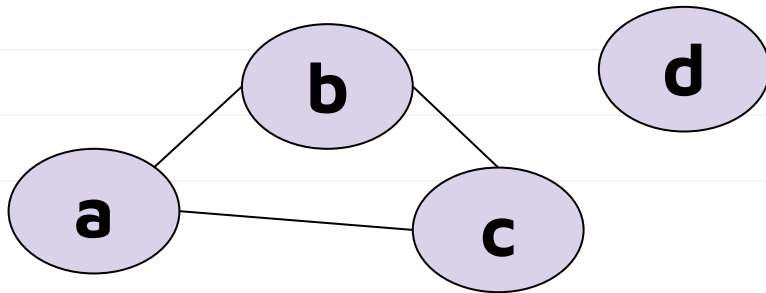


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Exercise ***mic***

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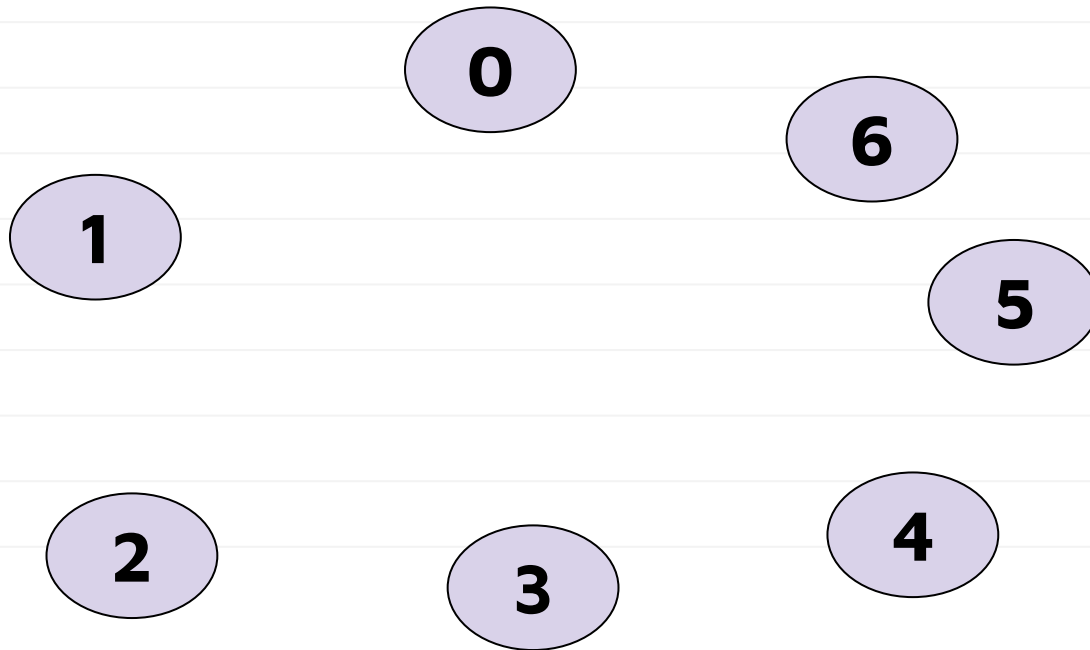
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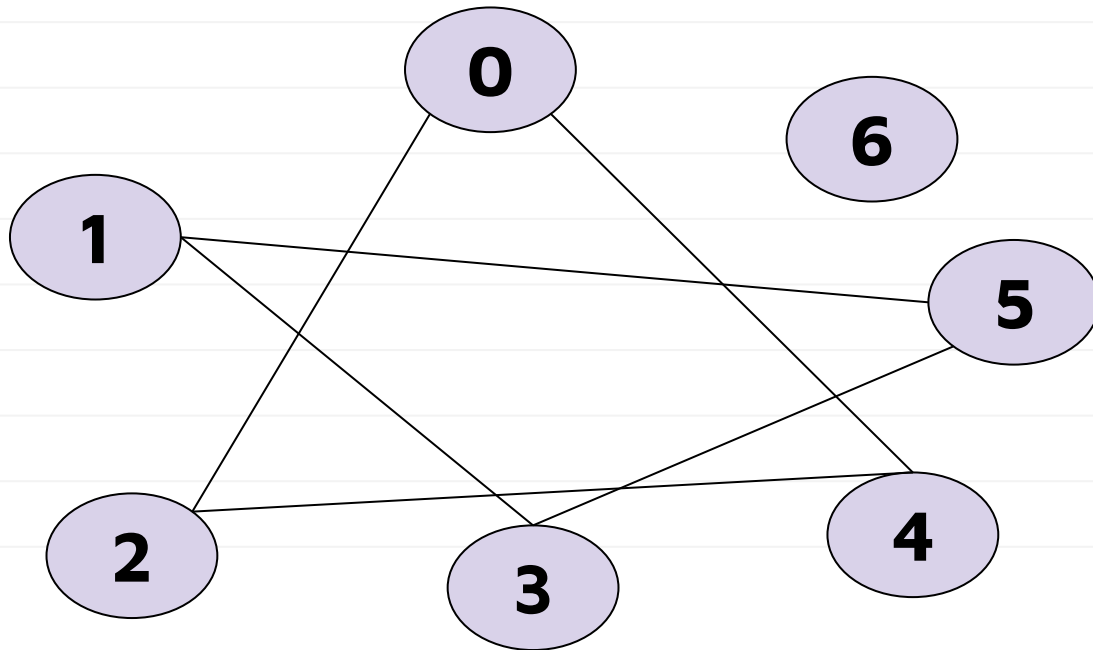
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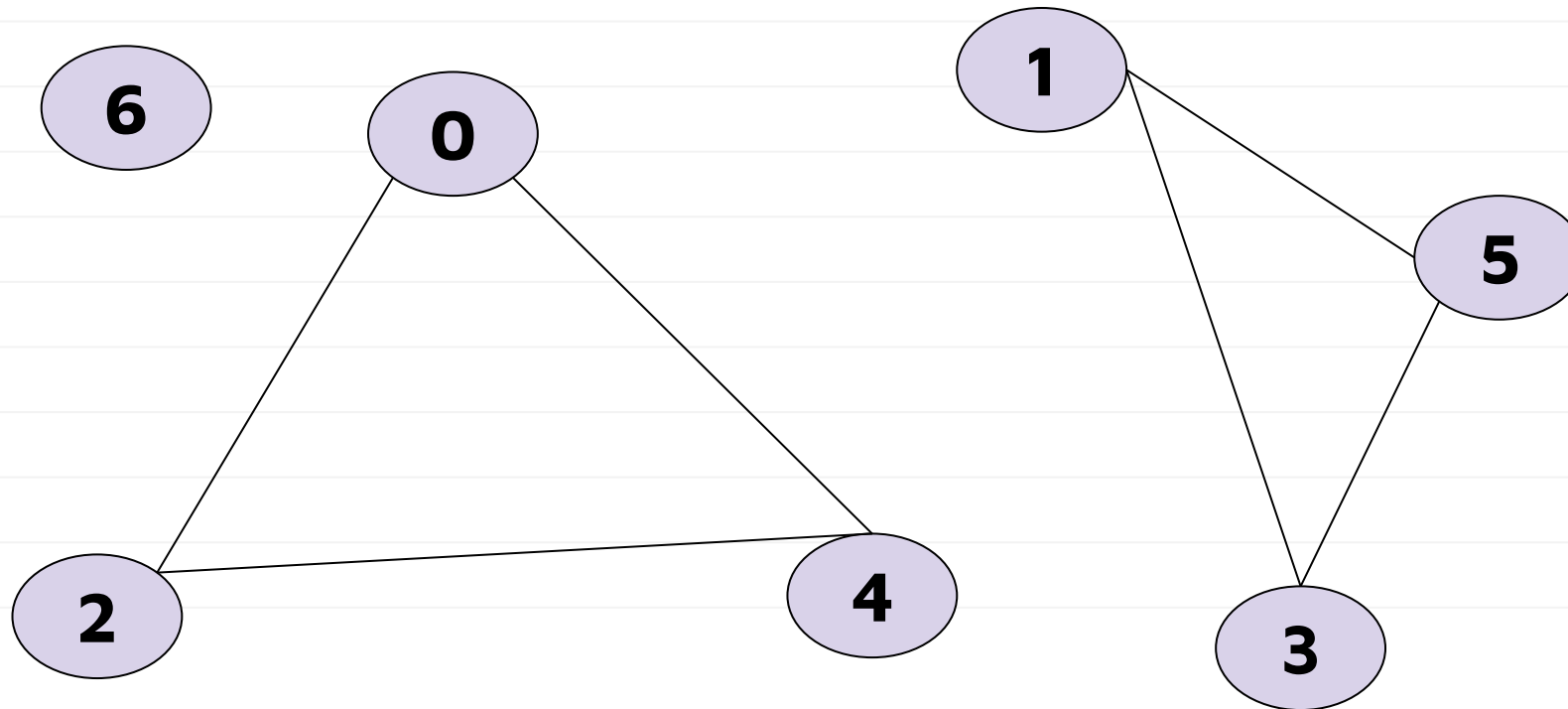
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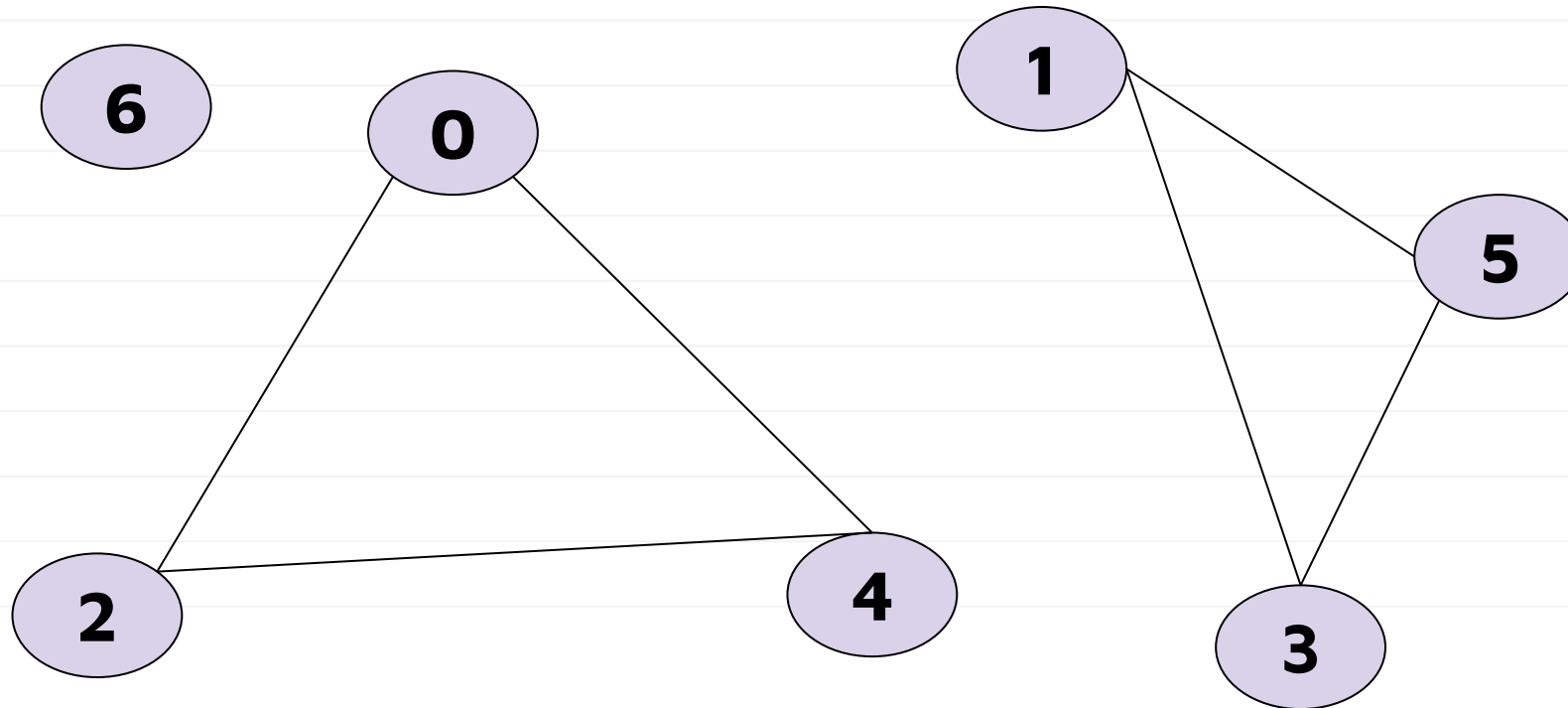


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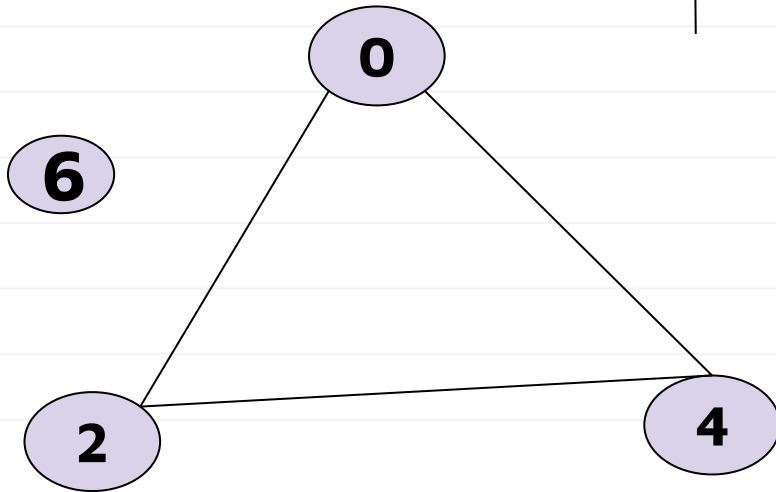
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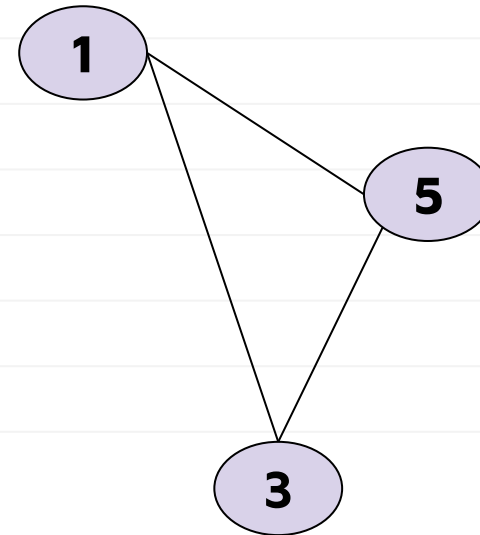
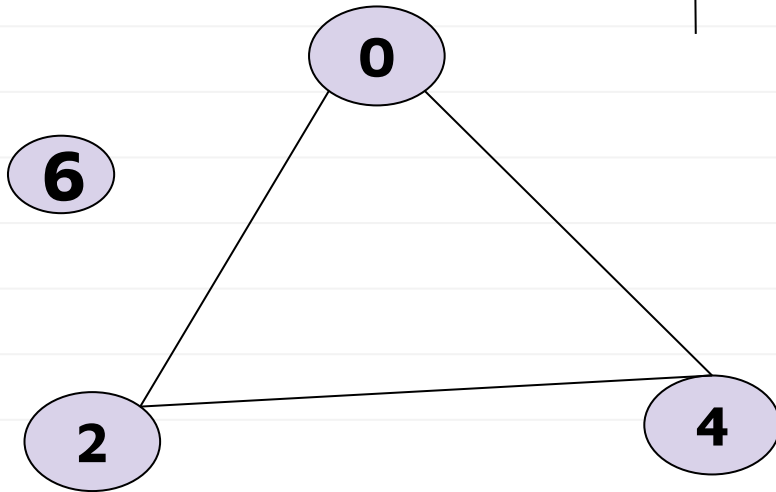
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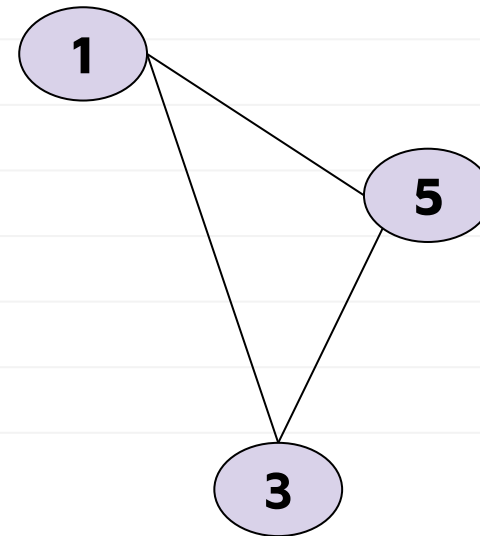
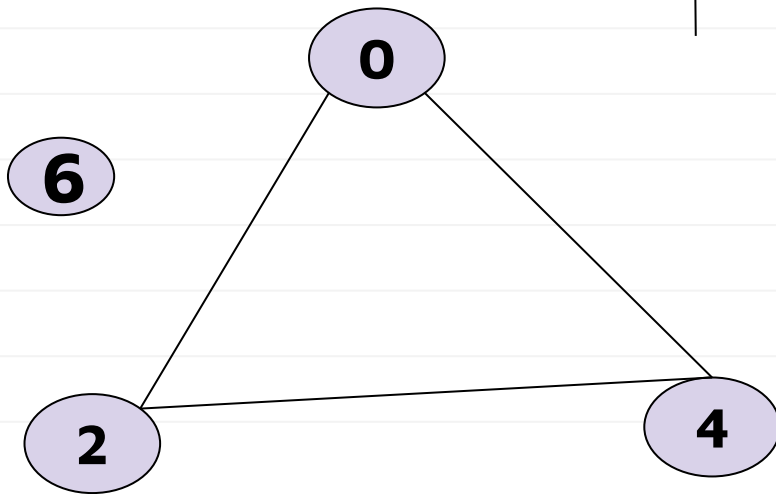


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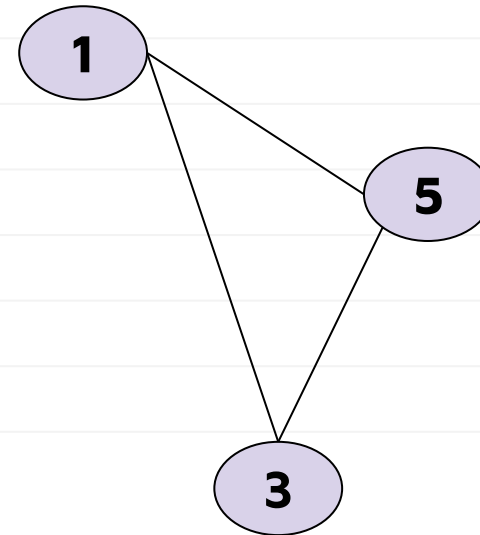
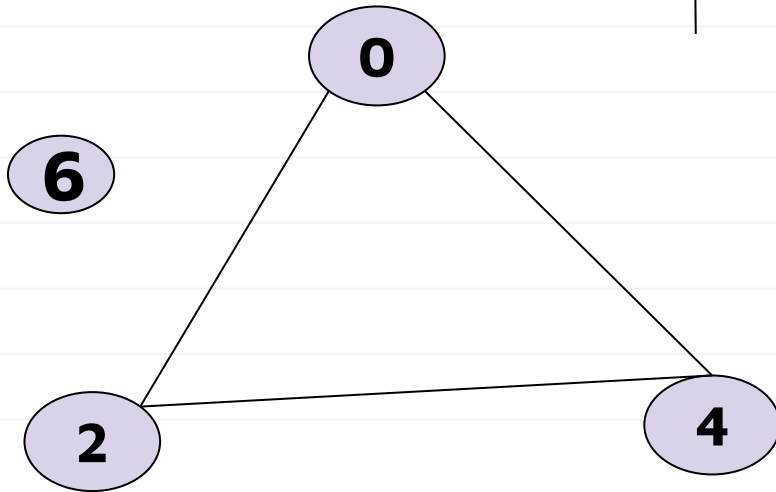


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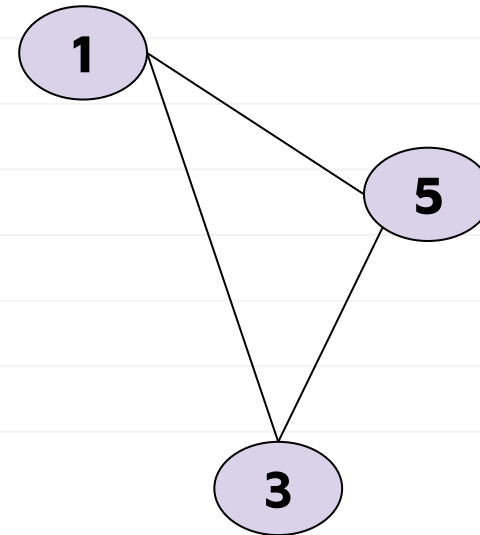
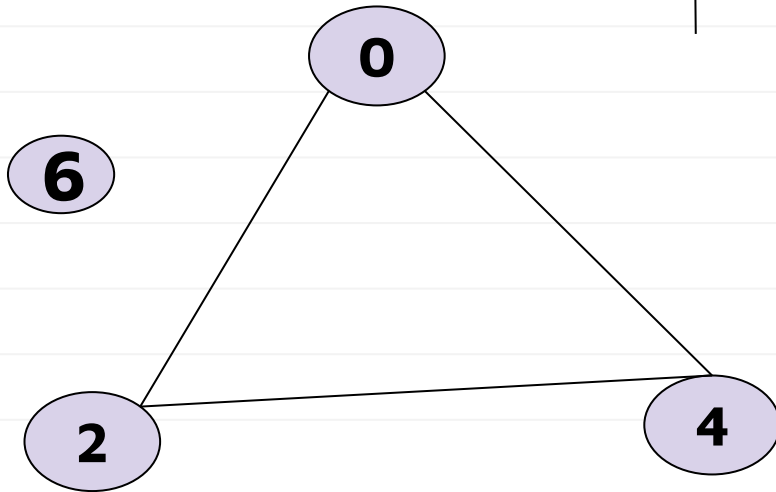
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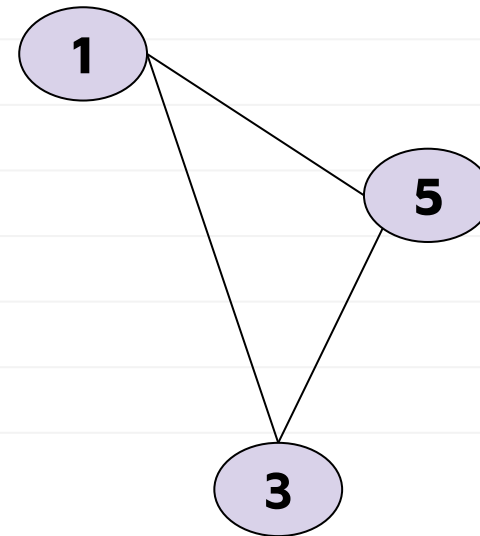
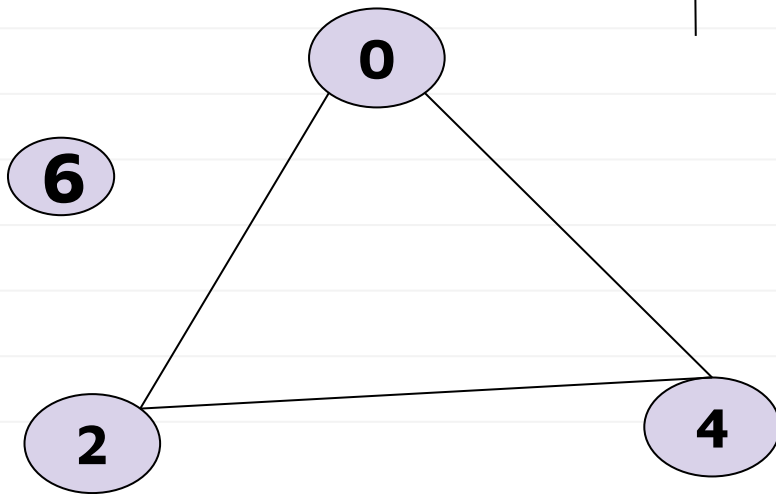
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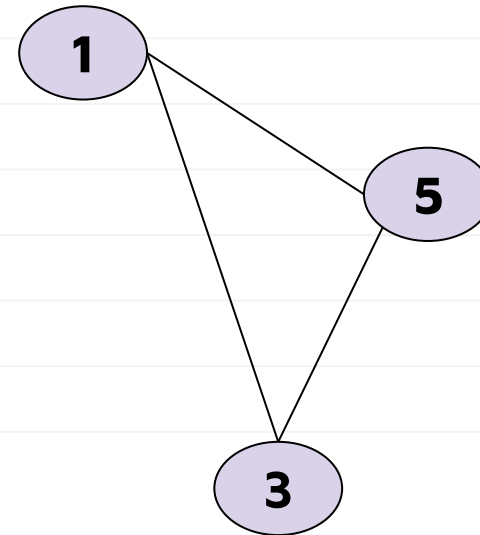
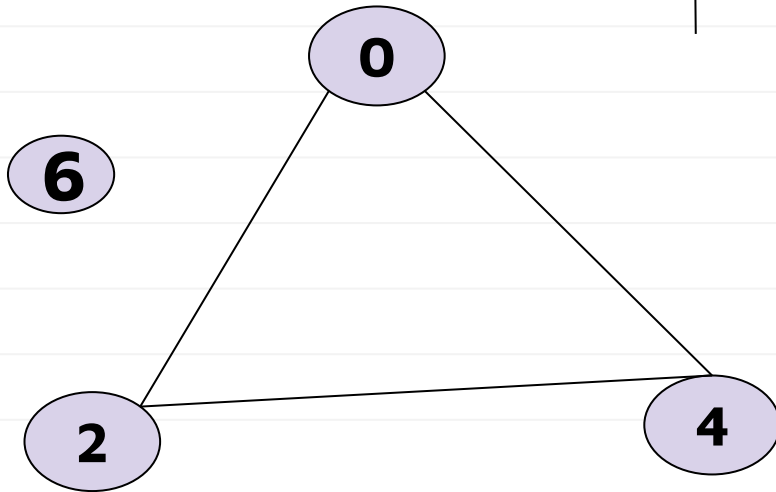
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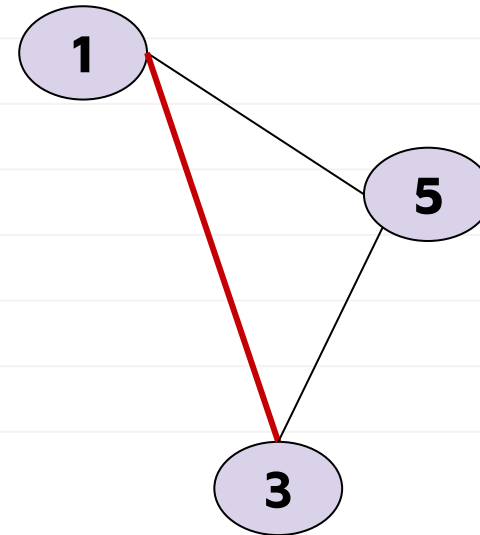
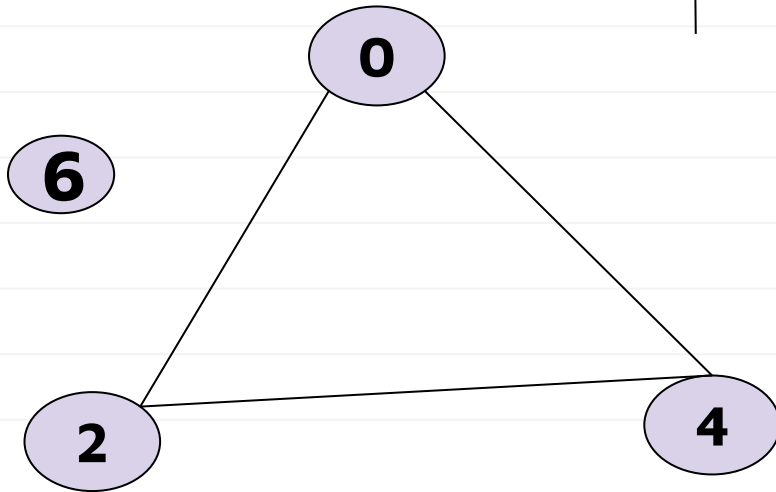
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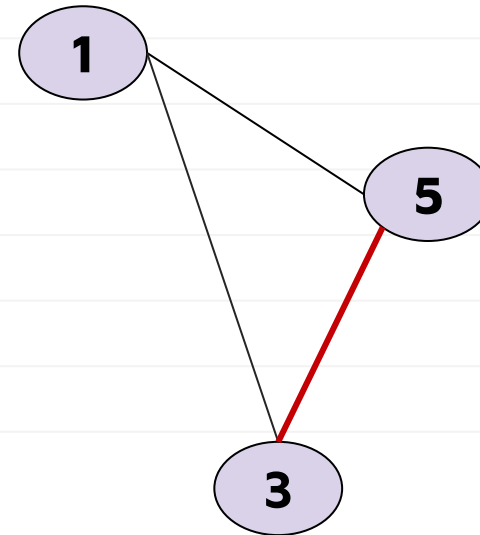
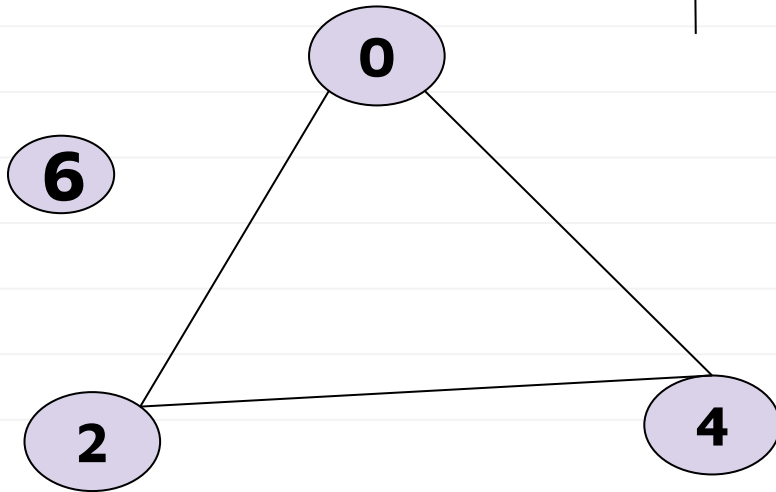
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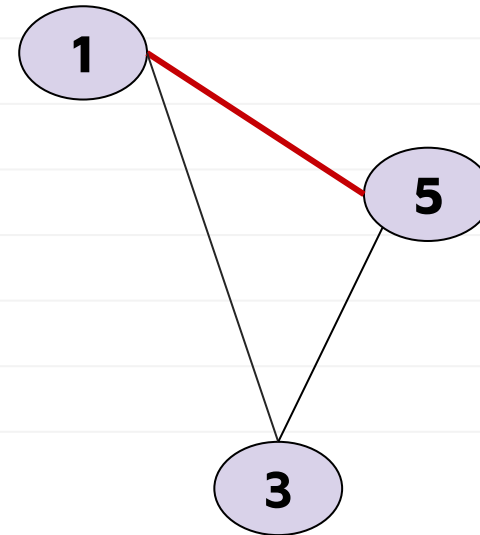
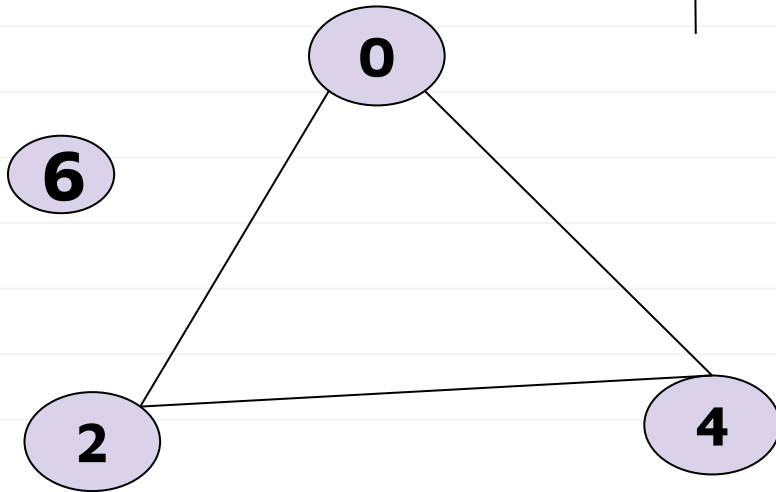
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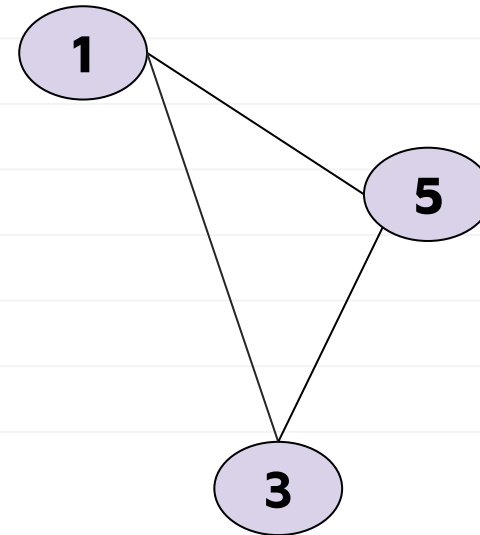
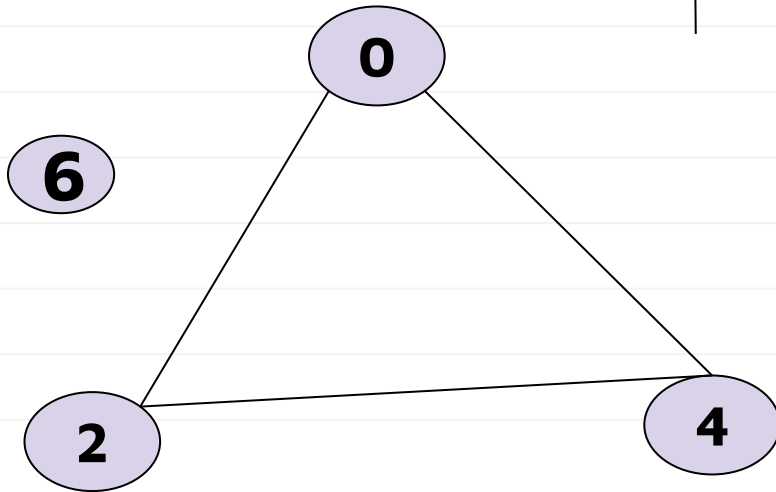
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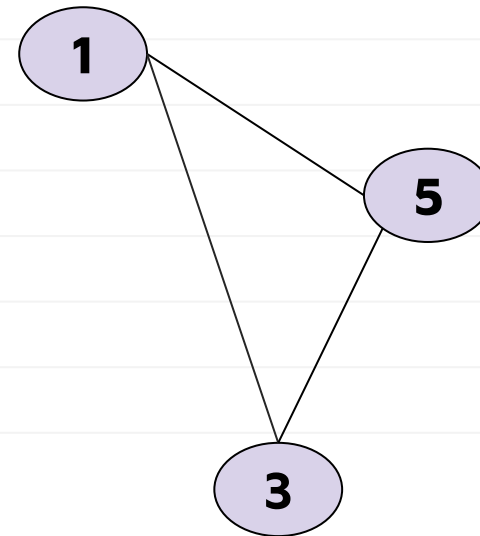
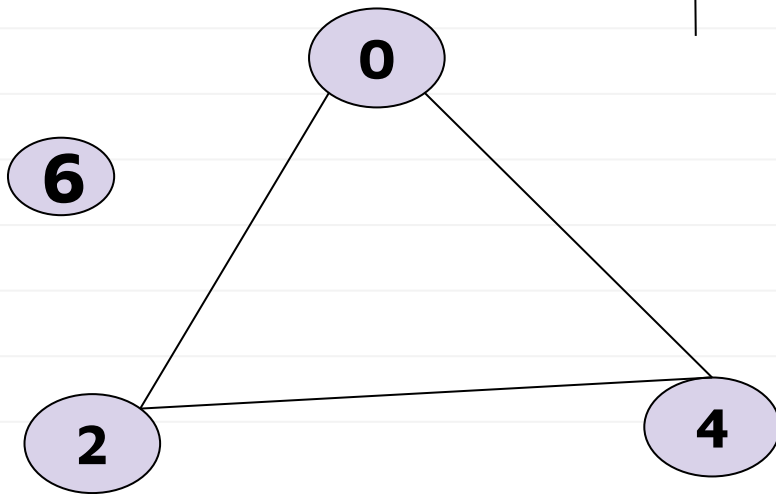
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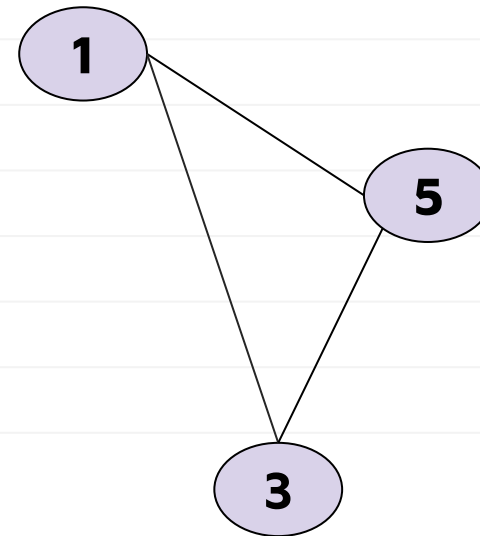
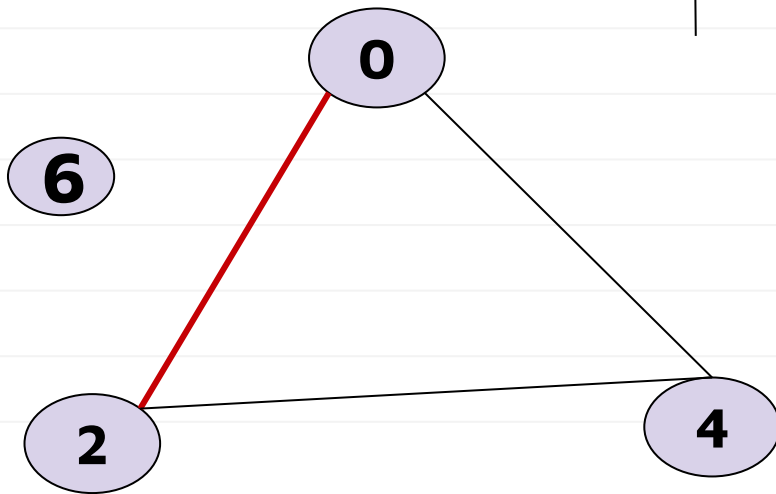
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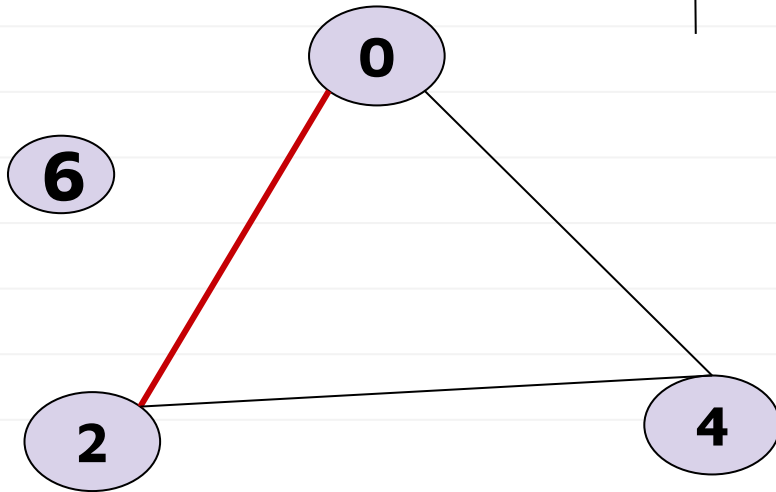
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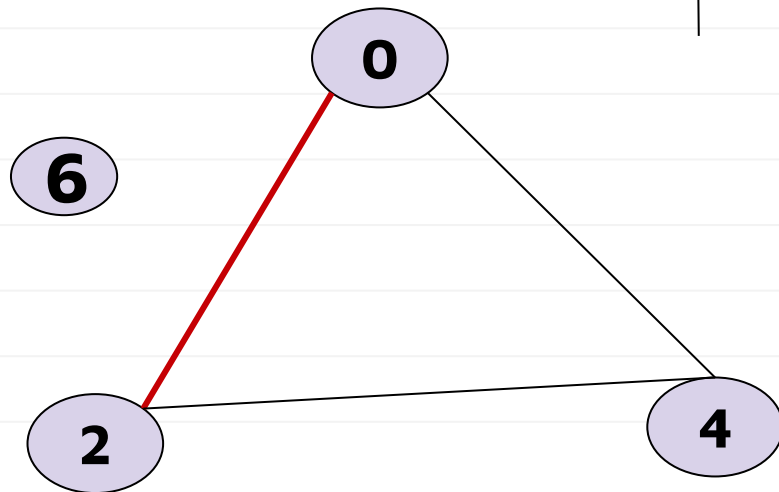
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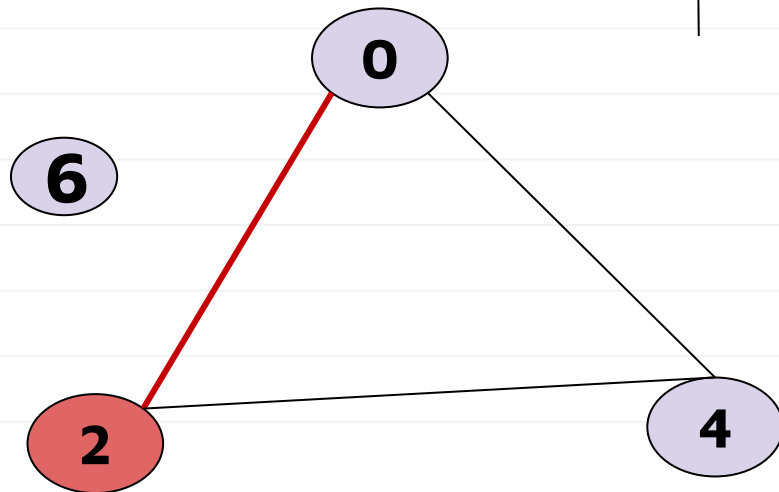
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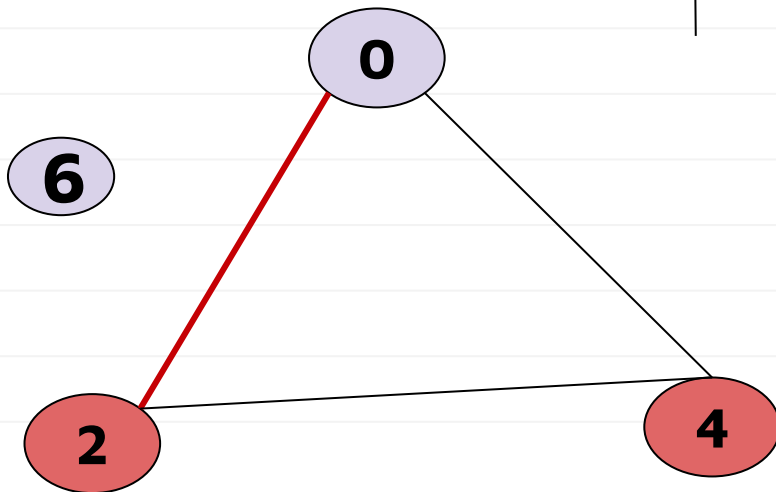
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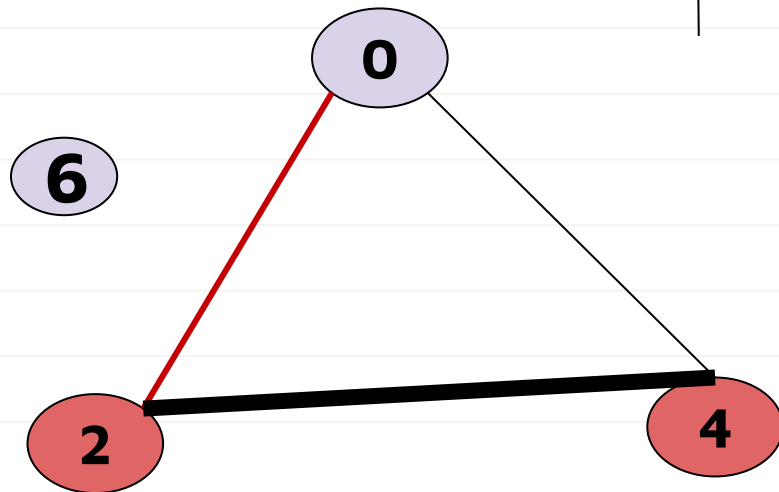
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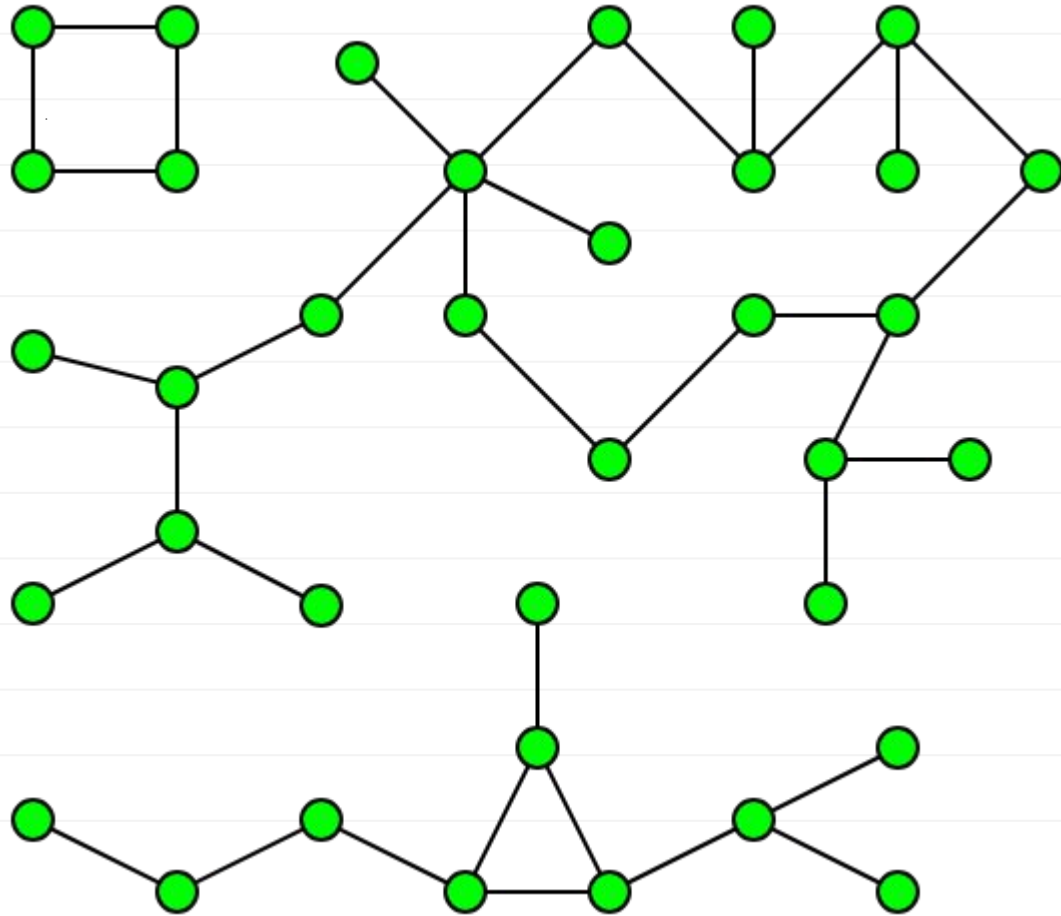
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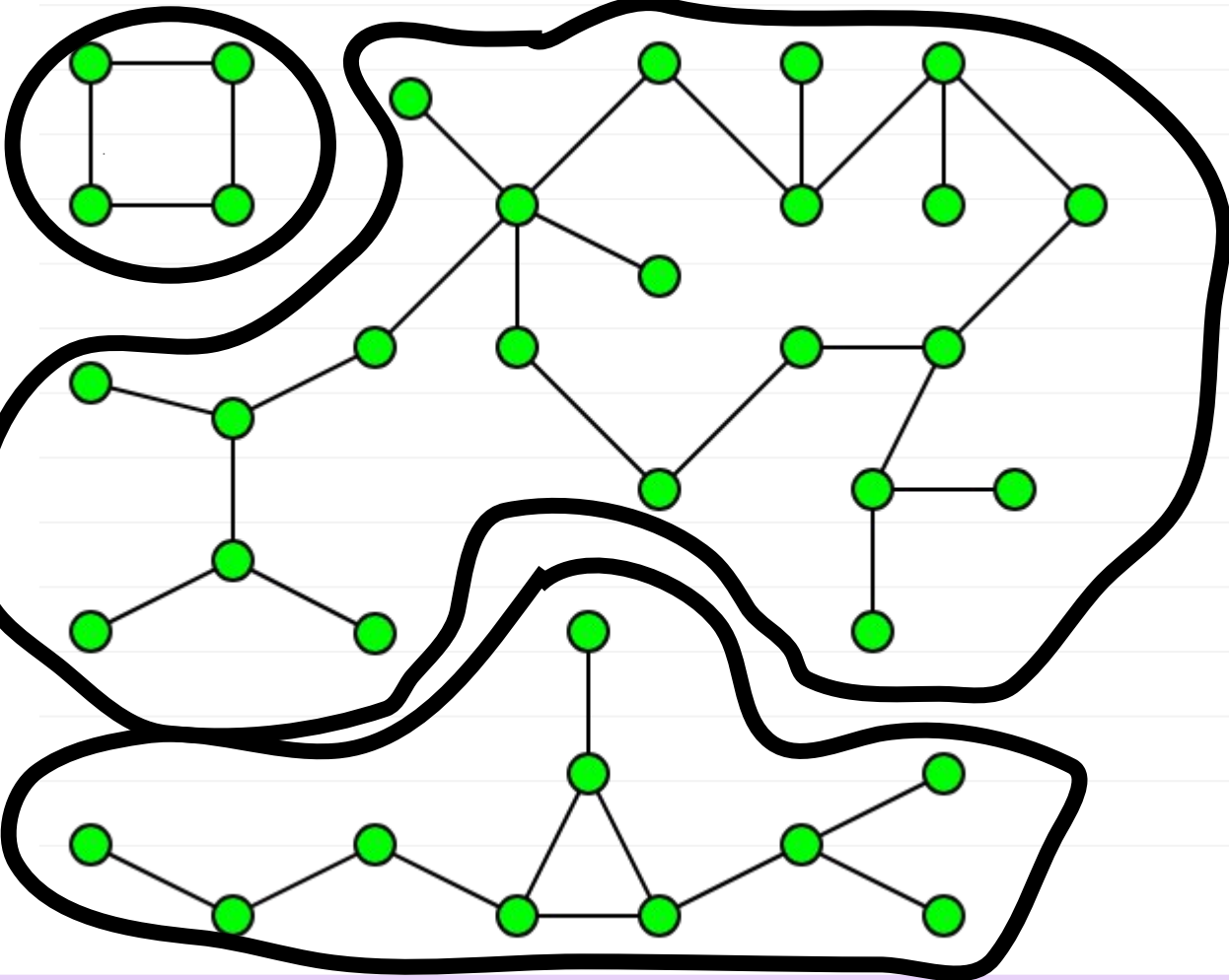
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u is 2, $z = 4$. But they are reachable! **So, C can be larger!**

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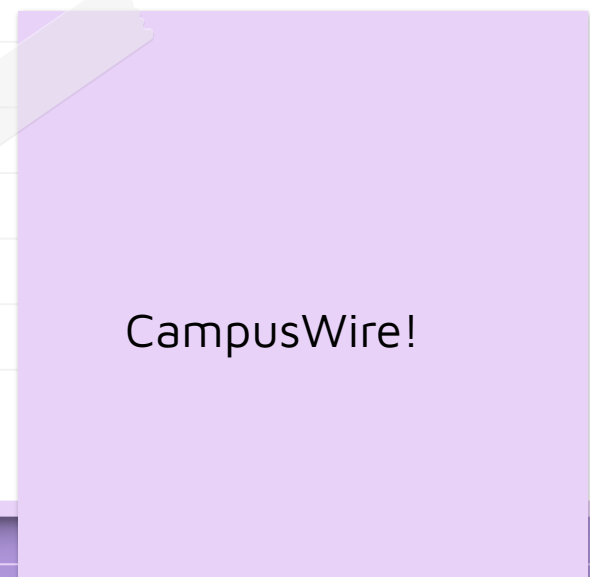
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