

# Graphs

$$G = (V, E) \quad E \subseteq V \times V$$

Adjacency matrix  $n \times n$  boolean matrix

$$A[i][j] = 1 \text{ iff } (i, j) \in E$$

$$V = \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$$

Adjacency list

$$i \rightarrow \text{Neighbours}(i)$$

## Reachability

Can I reach  $t$  from  $s$ ?   
 (target  $t$ , source  $s$ )

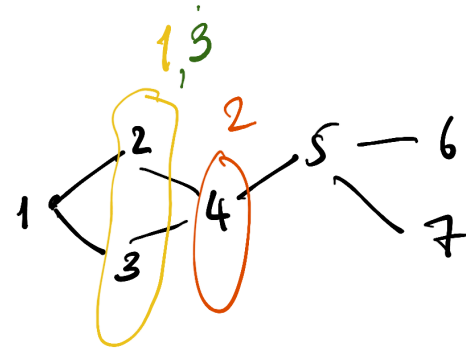
Path from  $s$  to  $t$

Scan level by level

- Vertices reachable in 1 step
- " " " 2 steps
- " " " "
- Vertices reachable in  $n-1$  steps

## Breadth first search

explore neighbours of  $i$



Remember which vertices have already been visited

Maintain visited  $[1..n]$ ,  $\{0,1\}$  array

Assume  $s=1$

$$\text{visited}[i] = 1$$

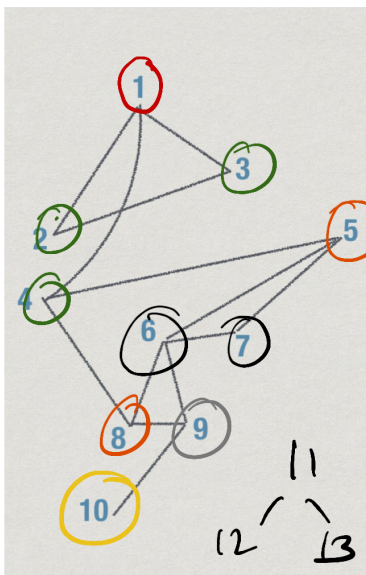
$$\text{visited}[i] = 0 \text{ for } i > 1$$

explore( $j$ )

for each edge  $(j, k) \in E$

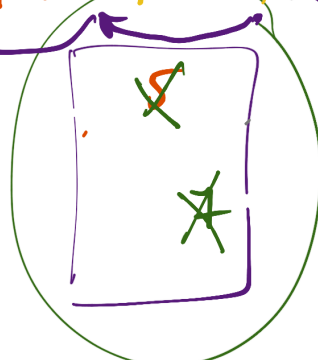
if not visited  $[k]$

visited  $[k] = 1 \leftarrow \text{explore}(k)$



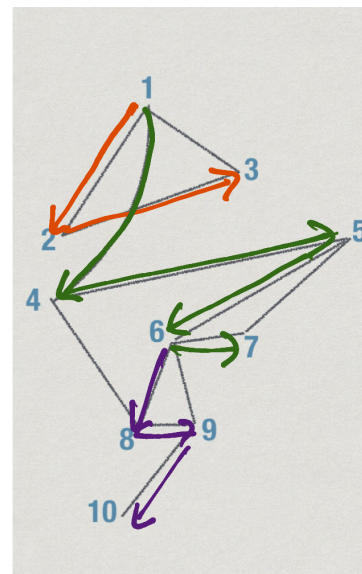
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10  
 visited 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1  
 parent - 1 1 1 4 5 5 4 8 9

to-explore



Queue

Q 1 2 3 4 5 8 6 7 9 10



Depth first search (dfs)

Stack of pending exploration

|  |               |
|--|---------------|
|  | <del>10</del> |
|  | <del>9</del>  |
|  | <del>8</del>  |
|  | <del>6</del>  |
|  | <del>5</del>  |
|  | <del>4</del>  |
|  | <del>3</del>  |
|  | <del>2</del>  |
|  | <del>1</del>  |

visited[j]  
parent[i]

## Breadth first search

Adj Matrix:  $O(n^2)$   
 Adj list:  $O(n+m)$

function BFS(i) // BFS starting from vertex i

//Initialization

for j = 1..n {visited[j] = 0; parent[j] = -1}

Q = []

//Start the exploration at i

visited[i] = 1; append(Q,i)

//Explore each vertex in Q

while Q is not empty

  j = extract\_head(Q)

  for each (j,k) in E

    if visited[k] == 0

      visited[k] = 1; parent[k] = j; append(Q,k);

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$\sum degree(j) = 2m$

$O(degree(j))$  adj list

$O(n)$  adj matrix

n  
time

## Depth first search

$O(n^2)$  Adj mat  
 $O(n+m)$  Adj list  
 $O(n)$

//Initialization

for j = 1..n {visited[j] = 0; parent[j] = -1}

function DFS(i) // DFS starting from vertex i

//Mark i as visited

visited[i] = 1

//Explore each neighbour of i recursively

for each (i,j) in E

  if visited[j] == 0

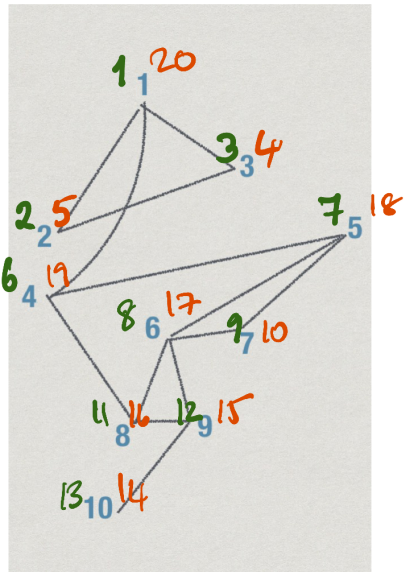
    parent[j] = i

    DFS(j)

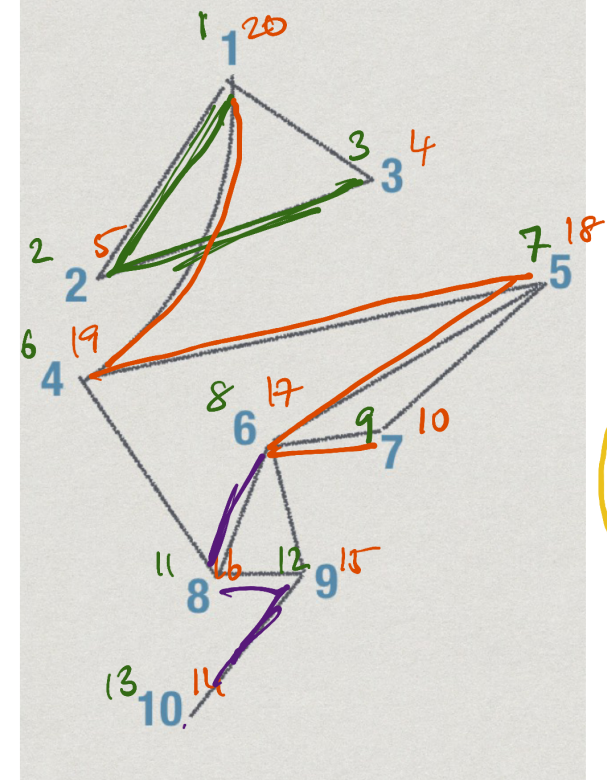
$O(n)$  Adj matrix

$O(degree(i))$  Adj list

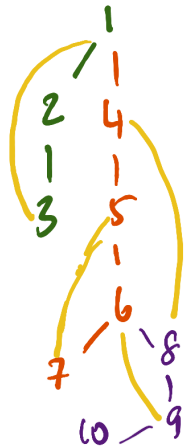




Augment DFS with  
info about the order  
of visiting vertices



Explored  
edges  
= tree



## Depth first search

//Initialization

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for j = 1..n {visited[j] = 0; parent[j] = -1}
count = 0
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function DFS(i) // DFS starting from vertex i

//Mark i as visited

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visited[i] = 1; pre[i] = count; count++
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//Explore each neighbours of i recursively

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for each (i,j) in E
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if visited[j] == 0
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parent[j] = i
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DFS(j)
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← post[i] = count; count++
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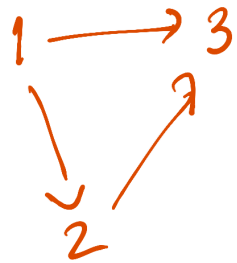
## Tree

Connected graph without cycles

$n$  vertices —  $n-1$  edges

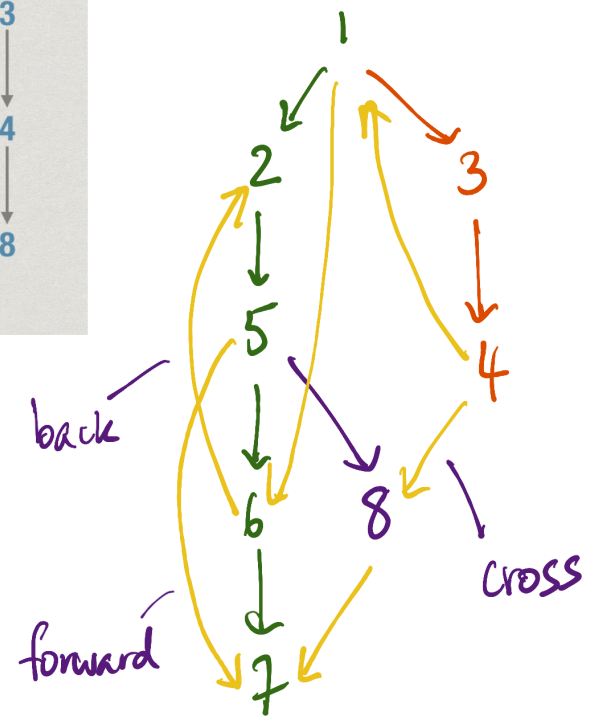
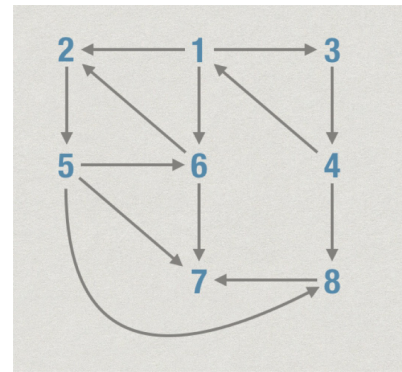
Unique path from any  $u$  to any  $v$

Directed graph



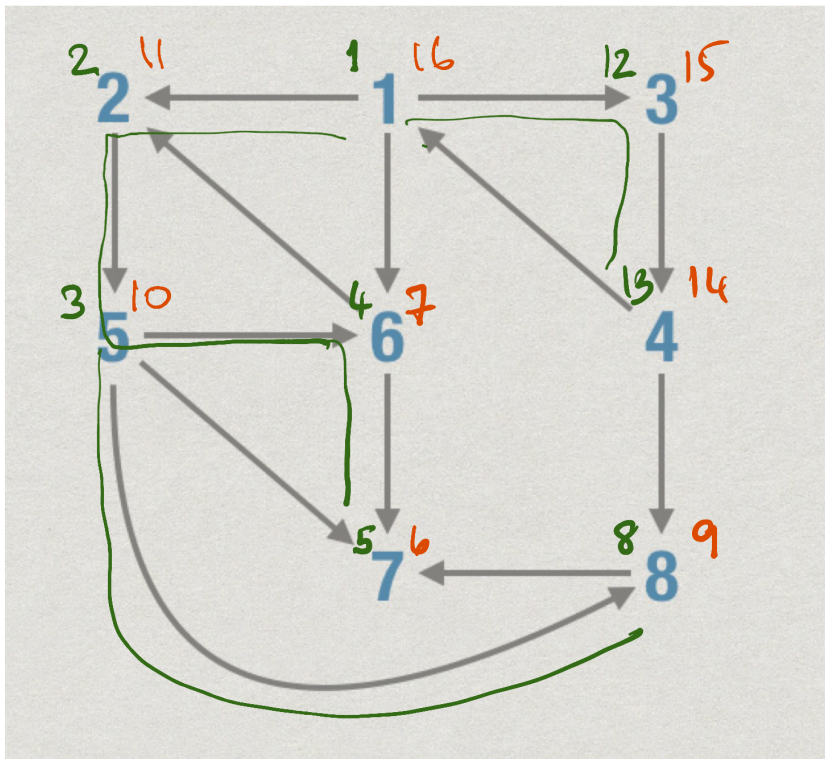
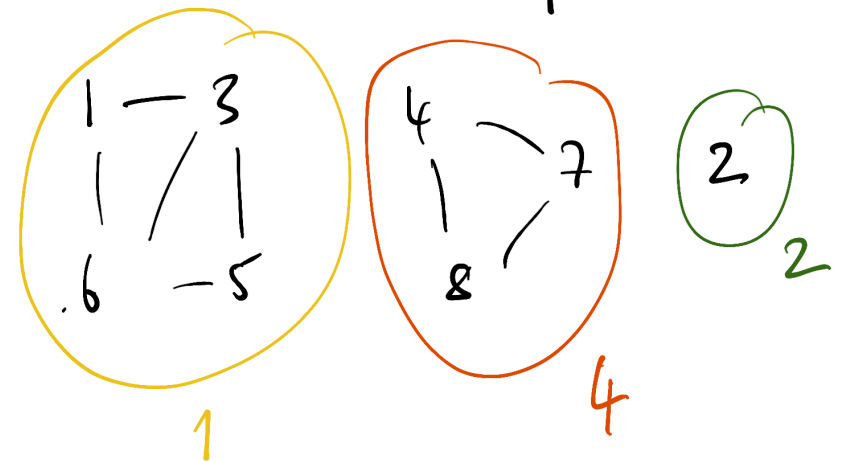
BFS(2)

visited 1 2 3  
 0 1 0  
 1



Applications of BFS & DFS

Undirected graph - Find Connected Components





Directed graph

Strongly Connected Components

Clever  
algo using  
DFS numbering

