

Lecture 11

CSE 331

Please have a face mask on

Masking requirement



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Answering Q4

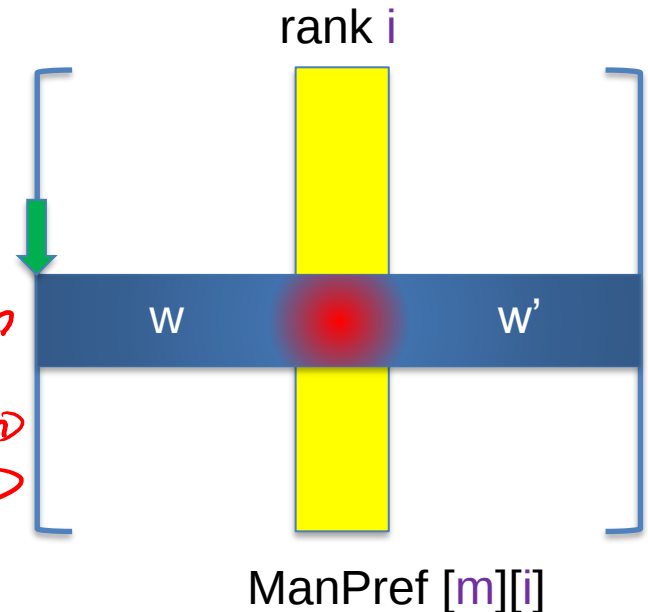
Q4: Is $w' > w$ in L_m ?

A4: Scan $\text{ManPref}[m]$ and figure out the ranks of i' and i ~~or~~ w' and w ; check if $i' < i$.

of

Overall GS runtime: $O(n^3)$

$$O(n^2) \cdot O(n) = O(n^3)$$



(4) How do we decide if m prefers w' to w ?

~~Q4~~ - Q3 :

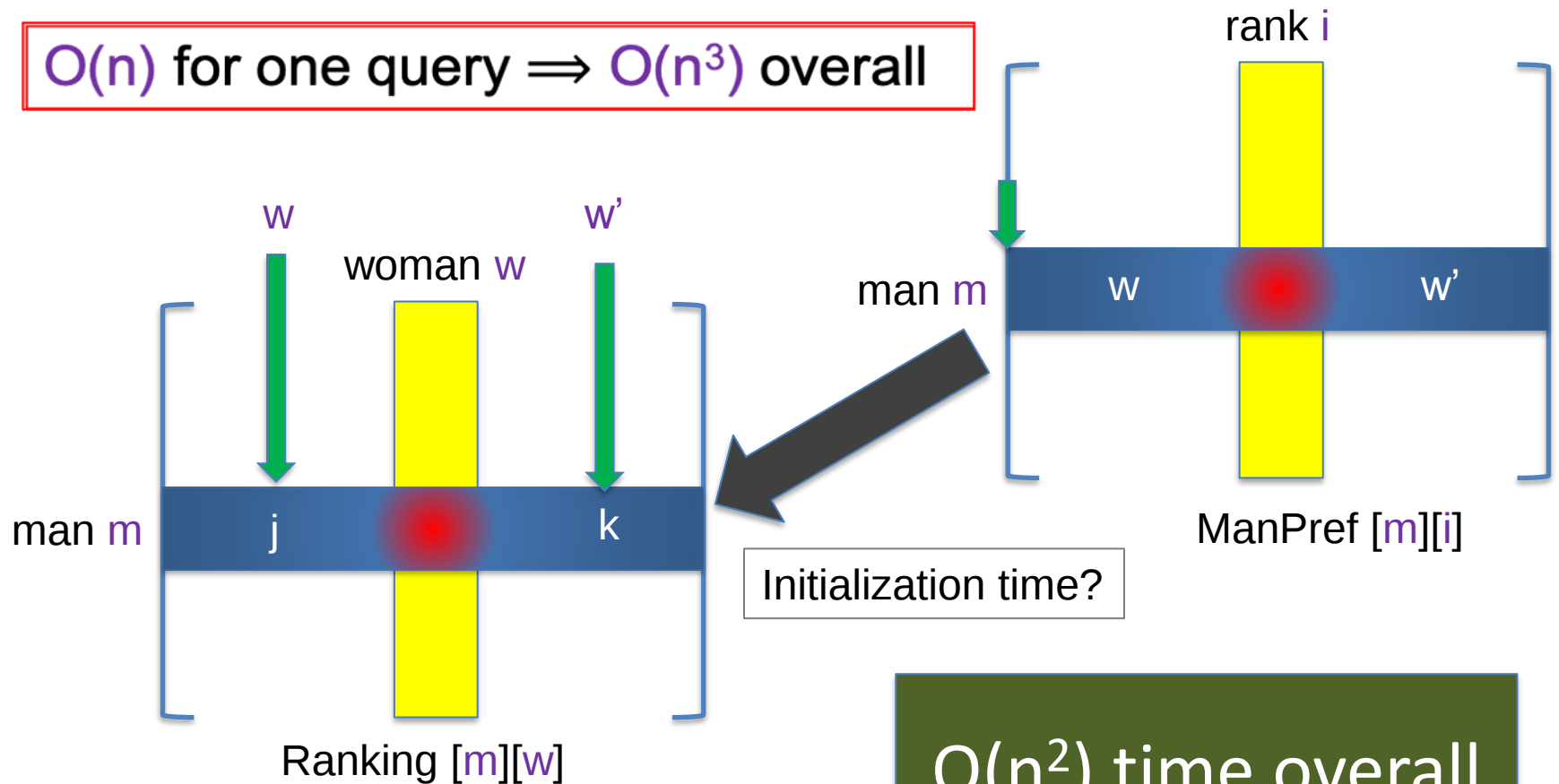
Insert :

$$O(n) + O(n) + O(n) = O(n)$$

Query/Update: $O(1)$

Answering Q4

$O(n)$ for one query $\Rightarrow O(n^3)$ overall

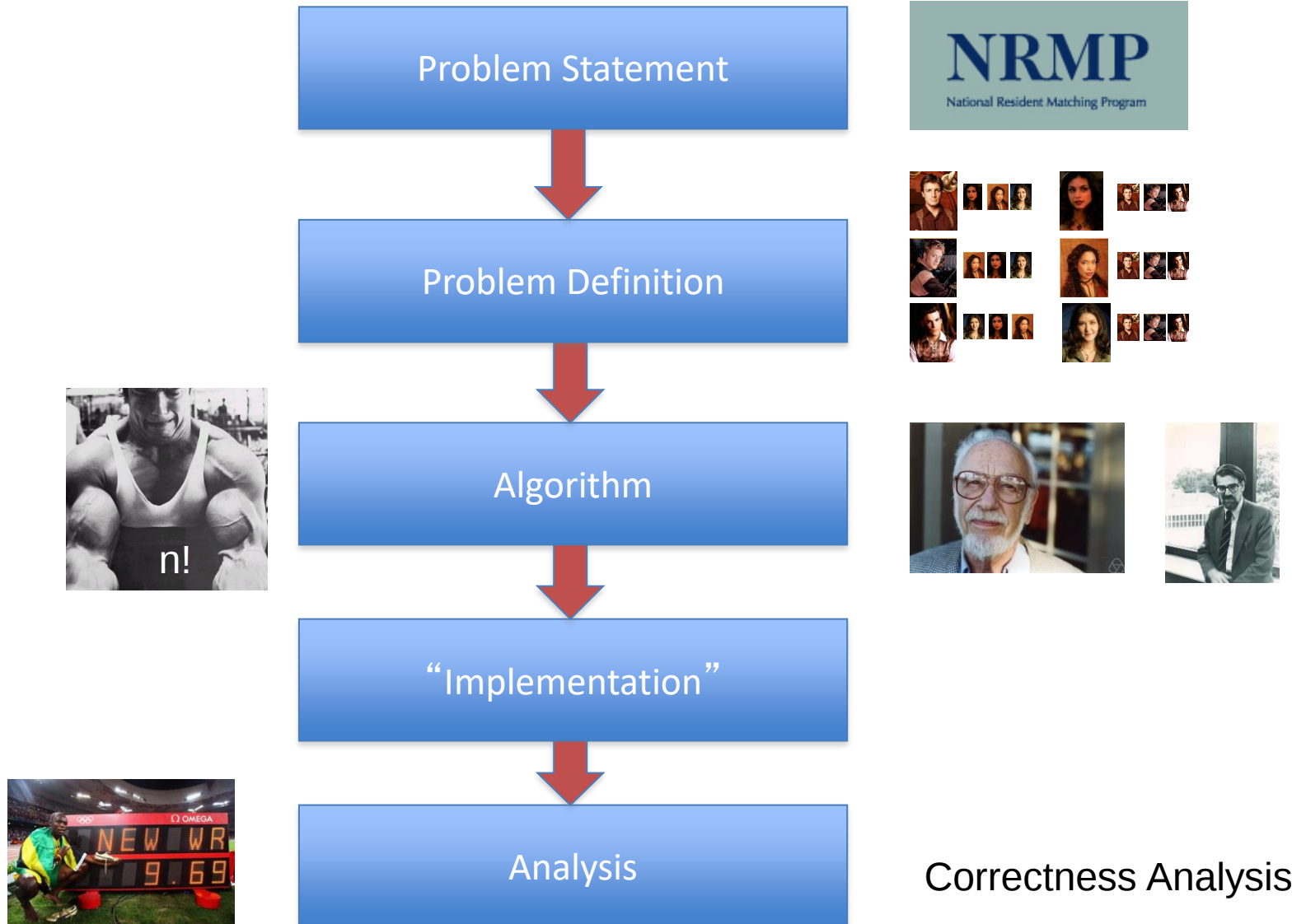


$O(1)$ query time

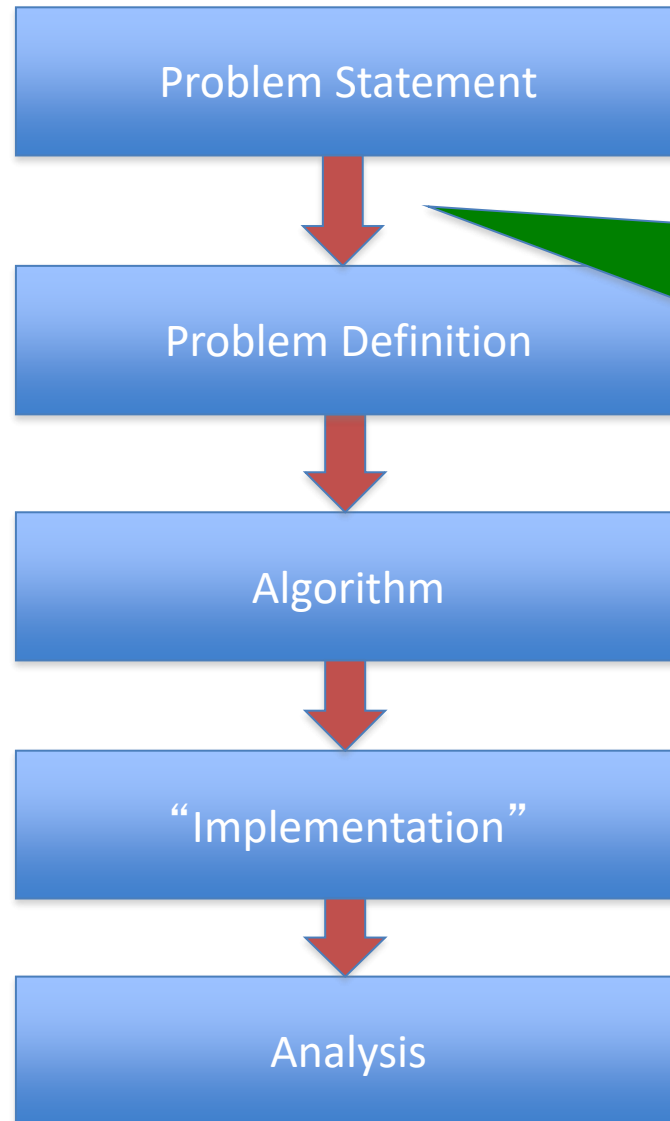
$O(n^2)$ time overall

(4) How do we decide if m prefers w' to w ?

Main Steps in Algorithm Design



Up Next....



A generic tool
to abstract
out problems

Graphs

Representation of relation

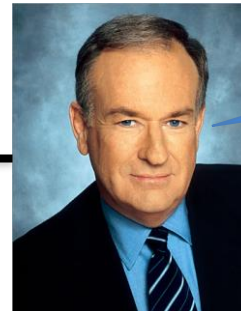
Edge

Pairs of entities/elements

Entities: News hosts

Relationship: Mention
in other's program

Vertex/Node



Graphs are omnipresent

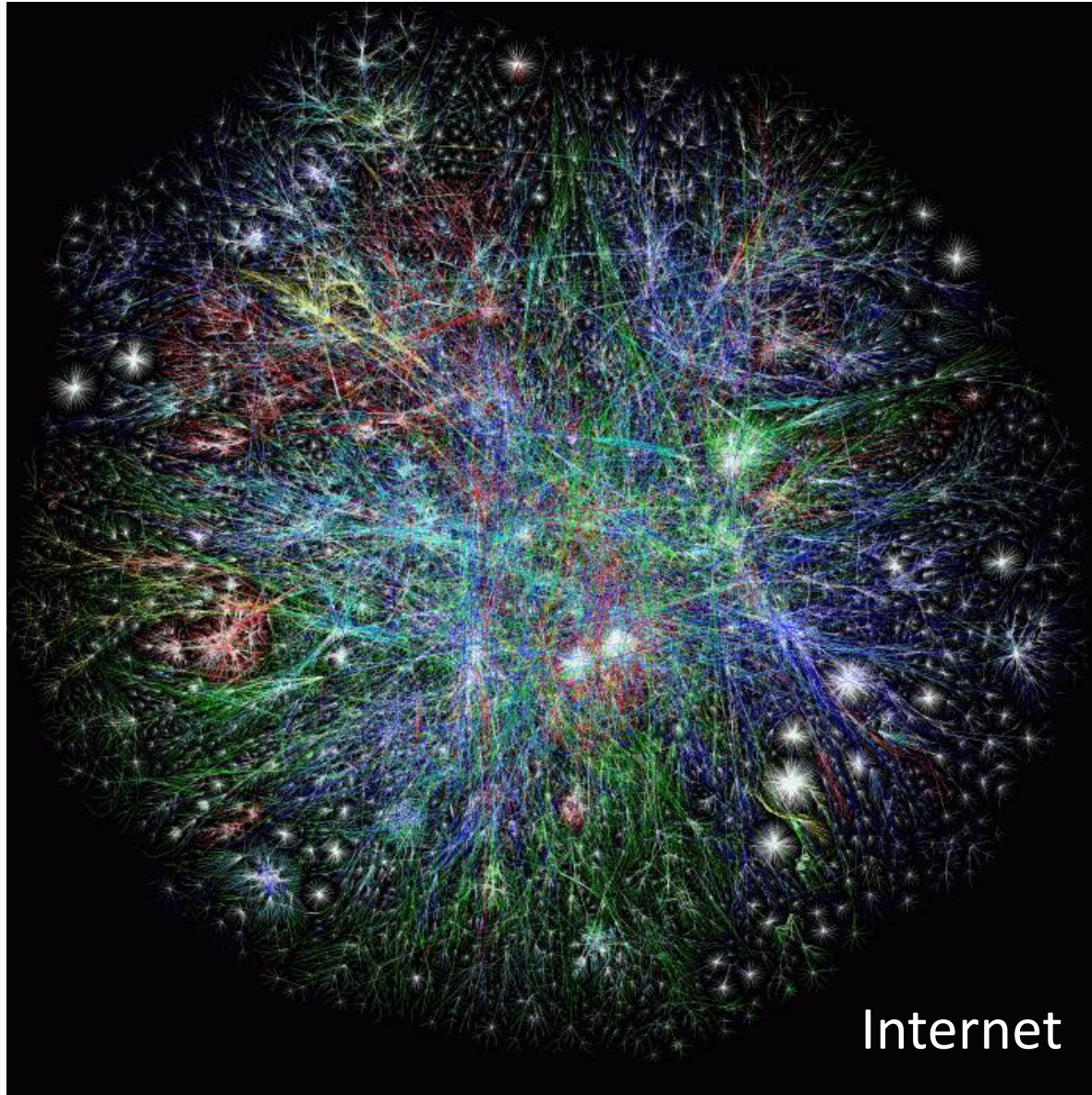


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Airline Route maps

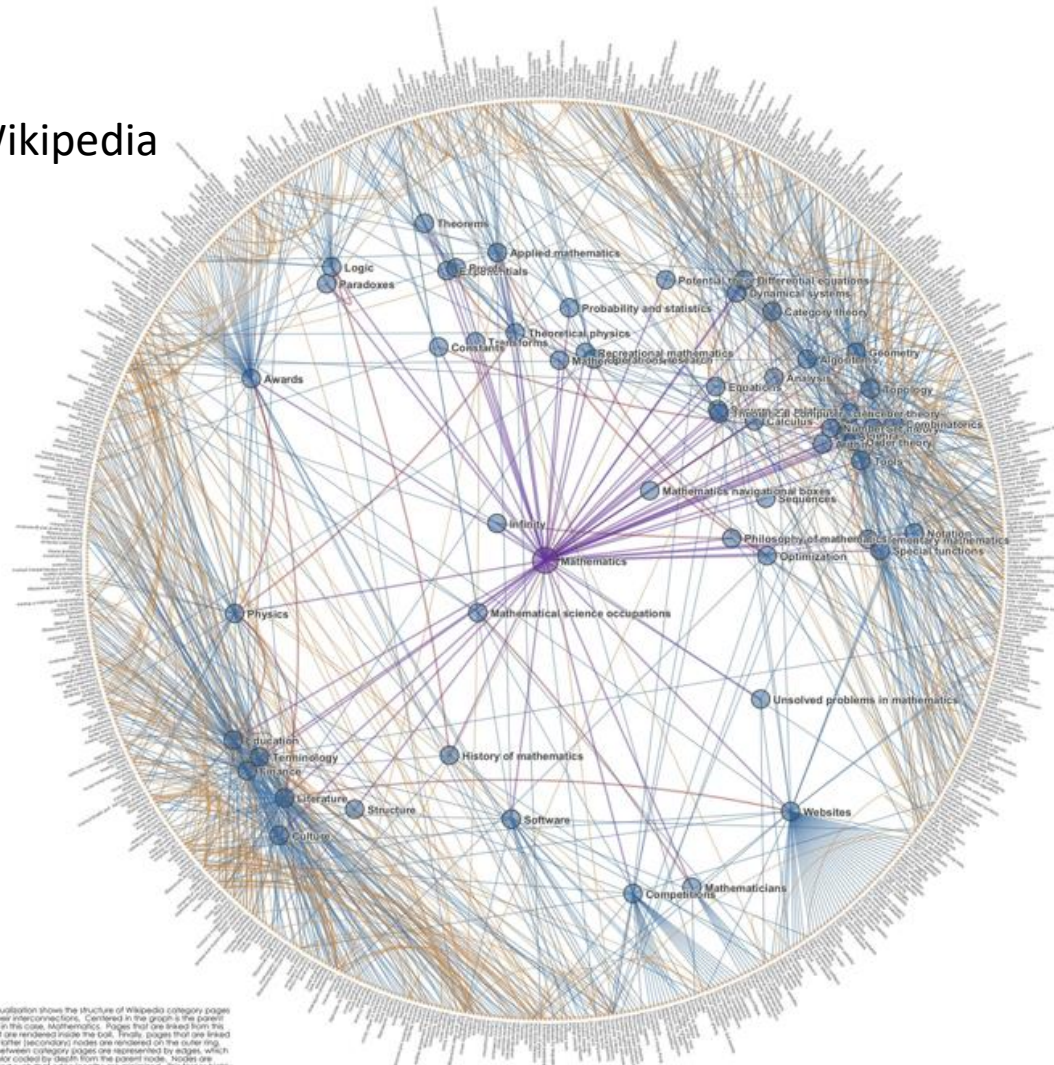


What does this graph represent?

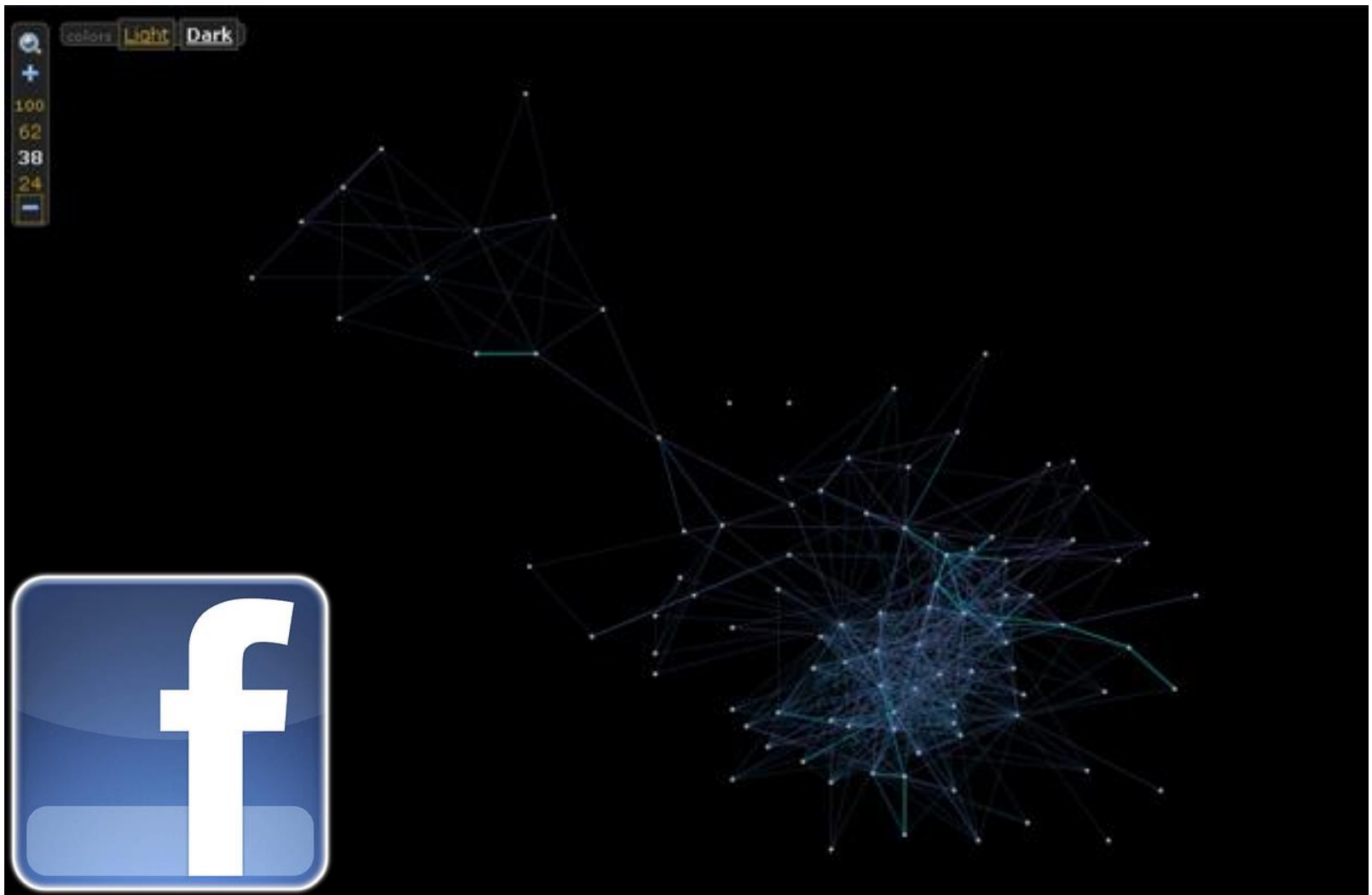


And this one?

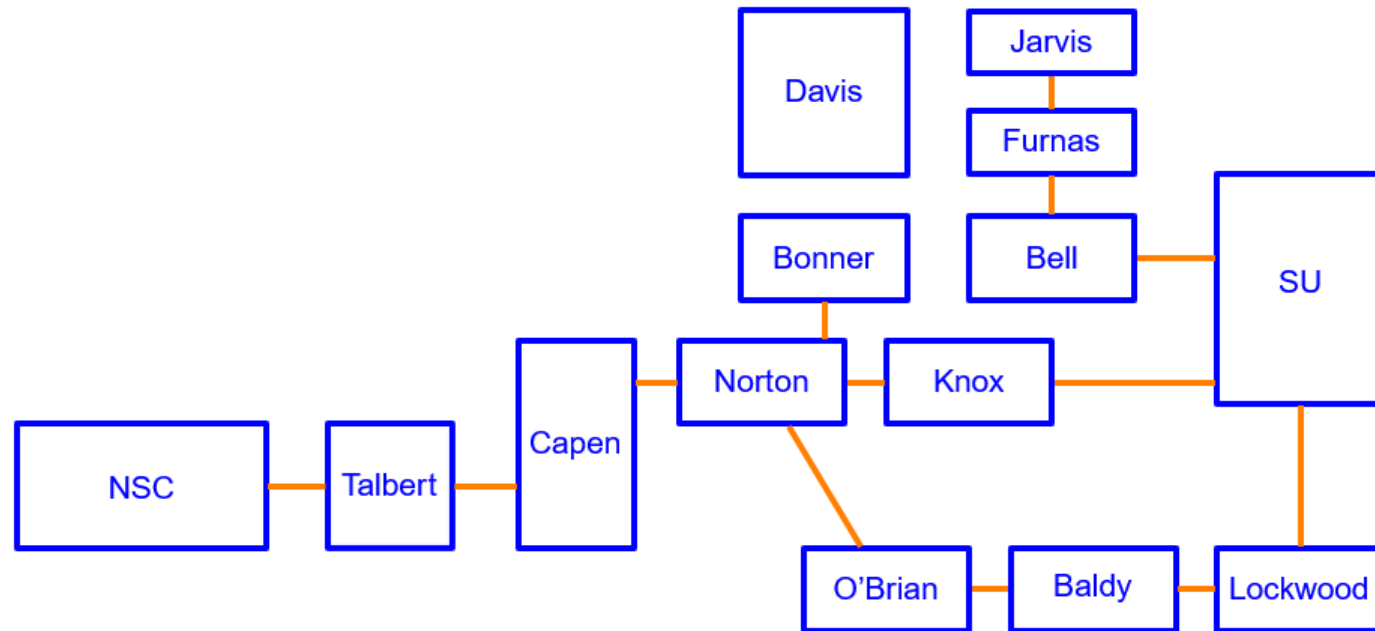
Math articles on Wikipedia



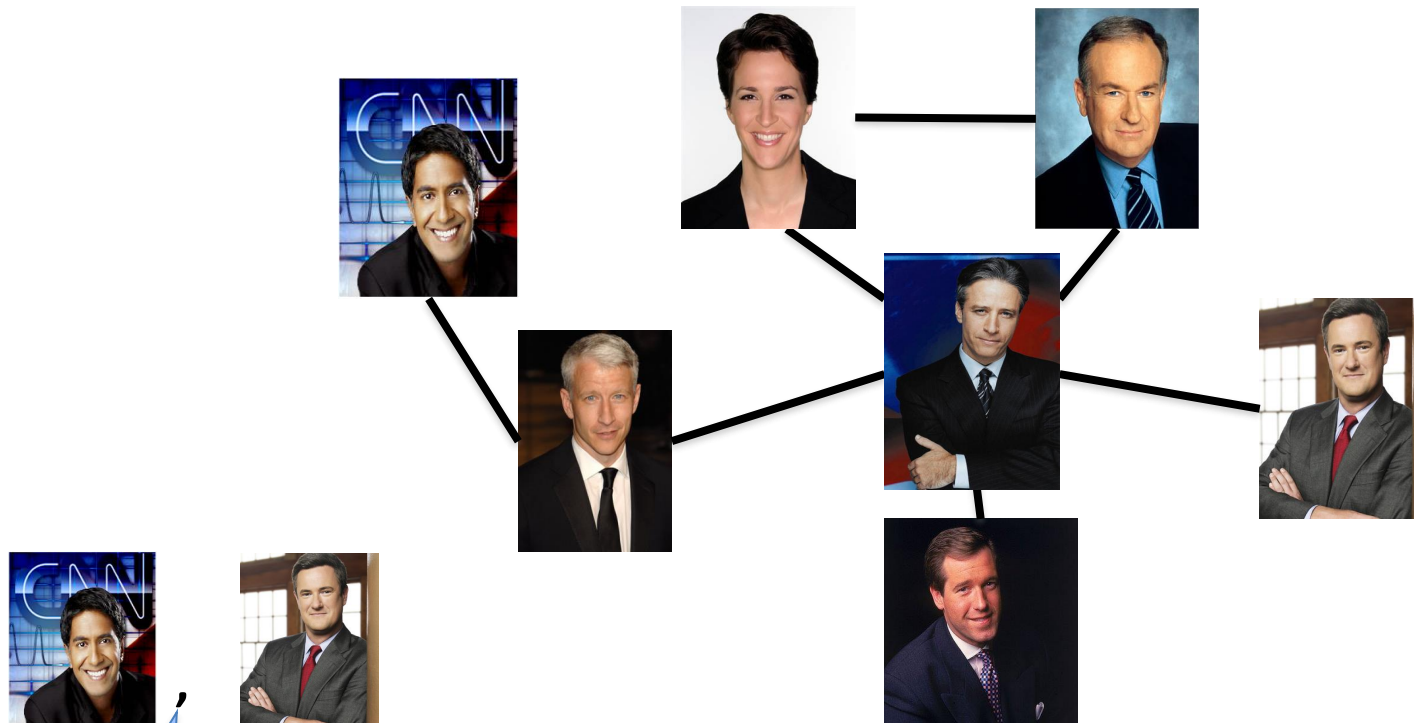
And this one?



Buildings on North Campus connected by tunnels



Paths



Sequence of vertices connected by edges

Connected



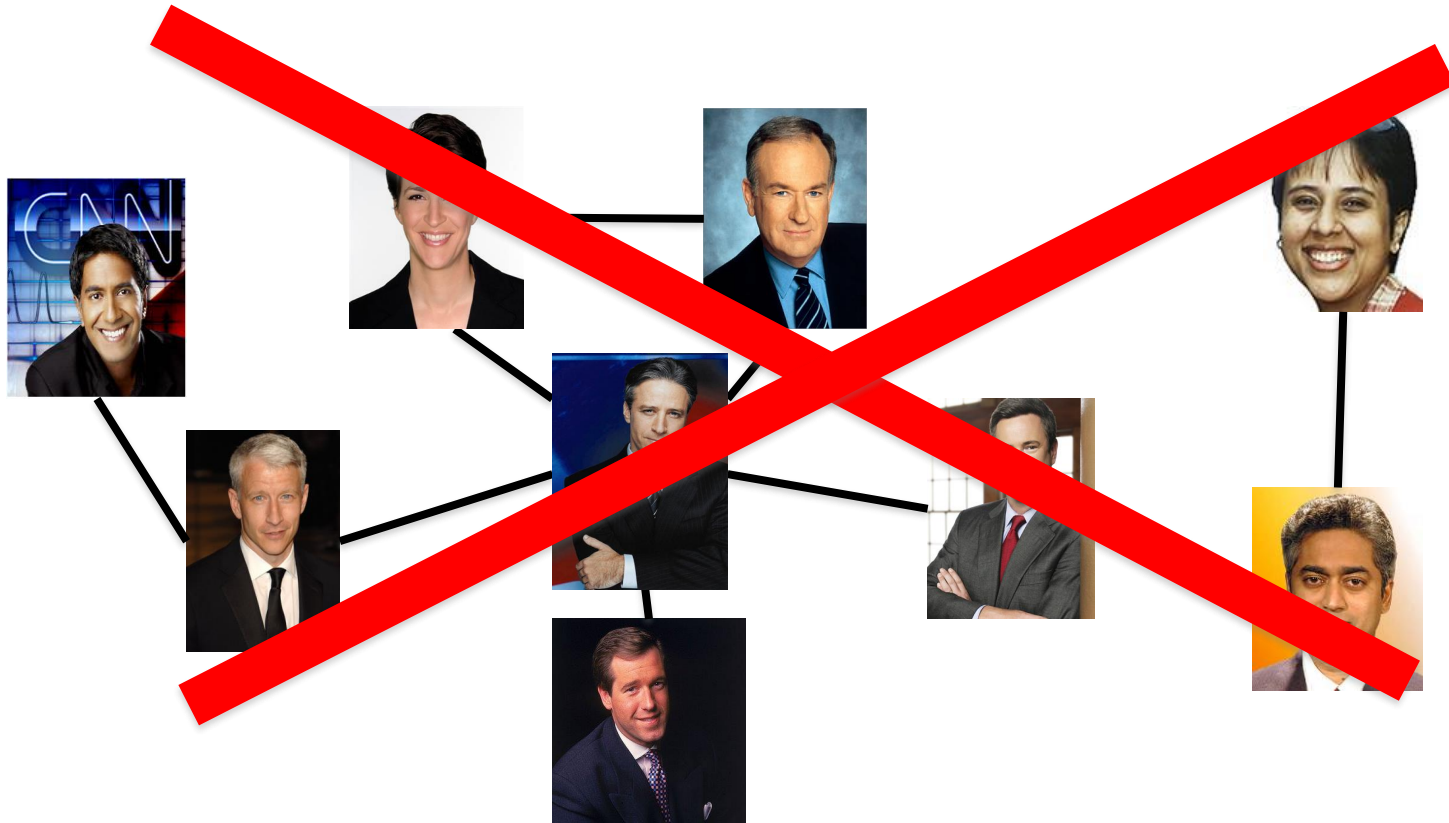
Path length 3

Connectivity

u and w are connected iff there is a path between them

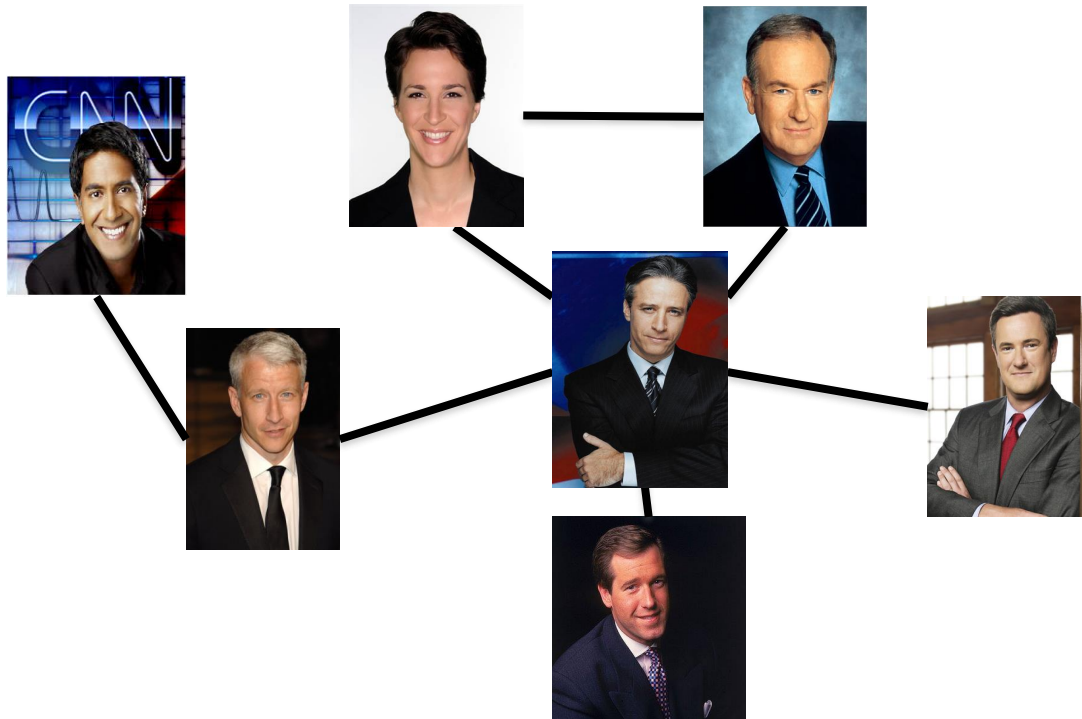
A graph is connected iff all pairs of vertices are connected

Connected Graphs



Every pair of vertices has a path between them

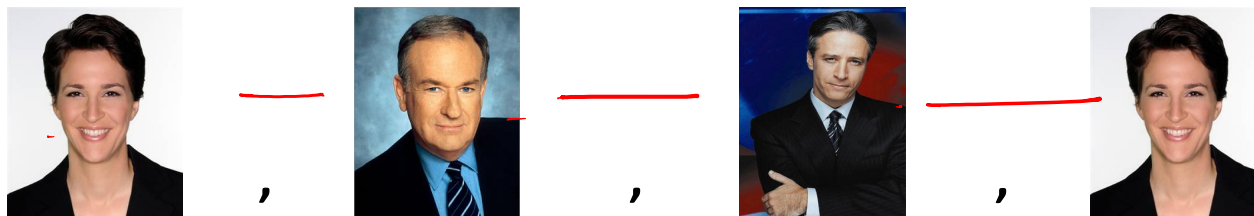
Cycles



Sequence of k vertices connected by edges, first $k-1$ are distinct

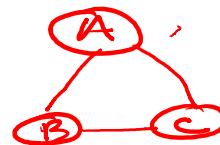
$$k = 4$$

$$\underline{k-1 = 3}$$



Basic Graph definitions

Graphs



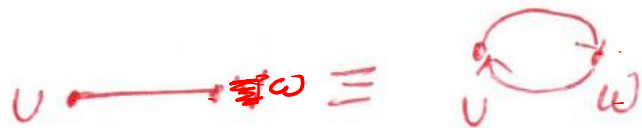
Graphs

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

Set of vertices Set of edges

Defaults: $|V| = n$;
 $|E| = m$

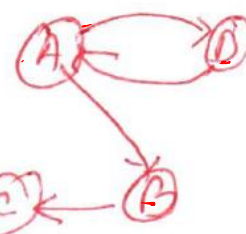
Def: G is undirected $\iff$



Undirected

$$V = \{A, B, C\}$$

$$E = \{(A, B), (B, C), (C, A), (B, A), (C, B), (A, C)\}$$



Directed

$$V = \{A, B, C, D\}$$

$$E = \{(A, B), (B, C), (A, D), (D, A)\}$$

$$n = 4$$

$$m = 4$$



$$\forall u \neq w \in V, (u, w) \in E \iff (w, u) \in E$$

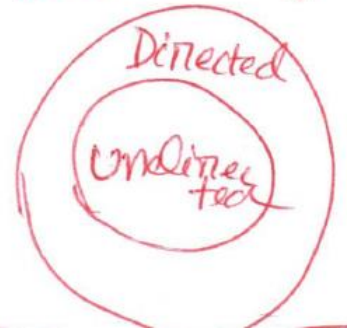
Q: (.) Airline map (undirected) (.) Wikipedia articles map (directed)

Graphs

Default: G is undirected.

Claim: Every undirected graph is also a directed graph.

Pf. Idea: replace every $u w \Rightarrow$

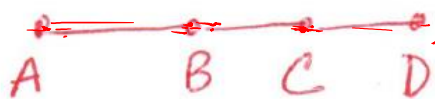


Graphs

A $\xrightarrow{C}$ D

Paths!

is path?



$\rightarrow D, C, B, A$ ✓	3
A, B, C, D ✓	3
A, B, C, B ✓	3
A, C, D ✗	—

(directed)



D, C, B, A ✗
A, B, C, D ✓
A, B, C, B ✗
A, C, D ✗

A $\xrightarrow{C}$ D

$(u_1, u_2) \in E$

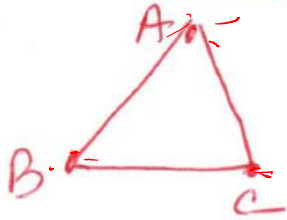
$u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n$
 $(u_{n-1}, u_n) \in E$

Def: A path in $G = (V, E)$ is a sequence of vertices $u_1, \dots, u_k$
 $\{u_1 - u_k\}$ path s.t. $\forall i \in [k-1] = \{1, \dots, k-1\} (u_i, u_{i+1}) \in E$

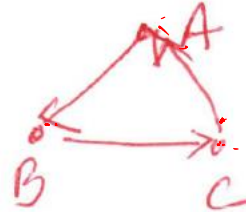
Notes: (i) u_i need not be distinct (ii) holds for directed G

Graphs

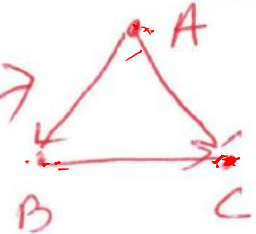
Cycles:



cycle?: A, C, B, A ✓
 A, B, C, A ✓



A, C, B, A X
 A, B, C, A ✓



A, C, B, A X
 A, B, C, A X

Def: A cycle is a sequence

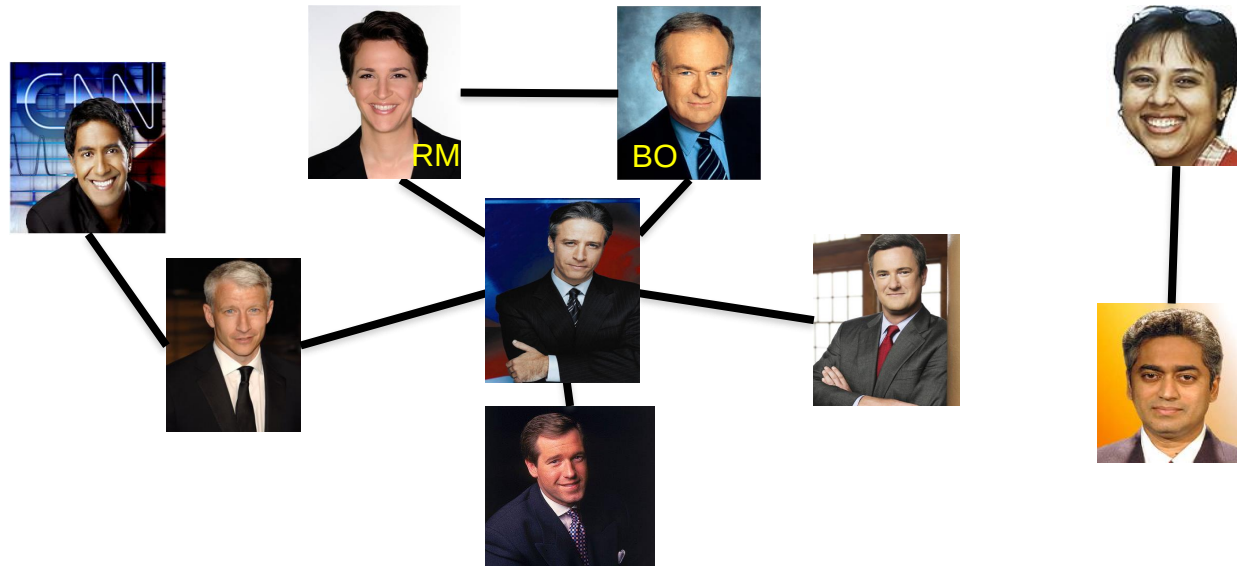
$u_1, u_2, \dots, u_k = u_1$ $u_1, \dots, u_{k-1}$ are distinct

$\forall i \in [k], (u_i, u_{i+1}) \in E$

Directed acyclic graph (DAG)

Distance between **u** and **v**

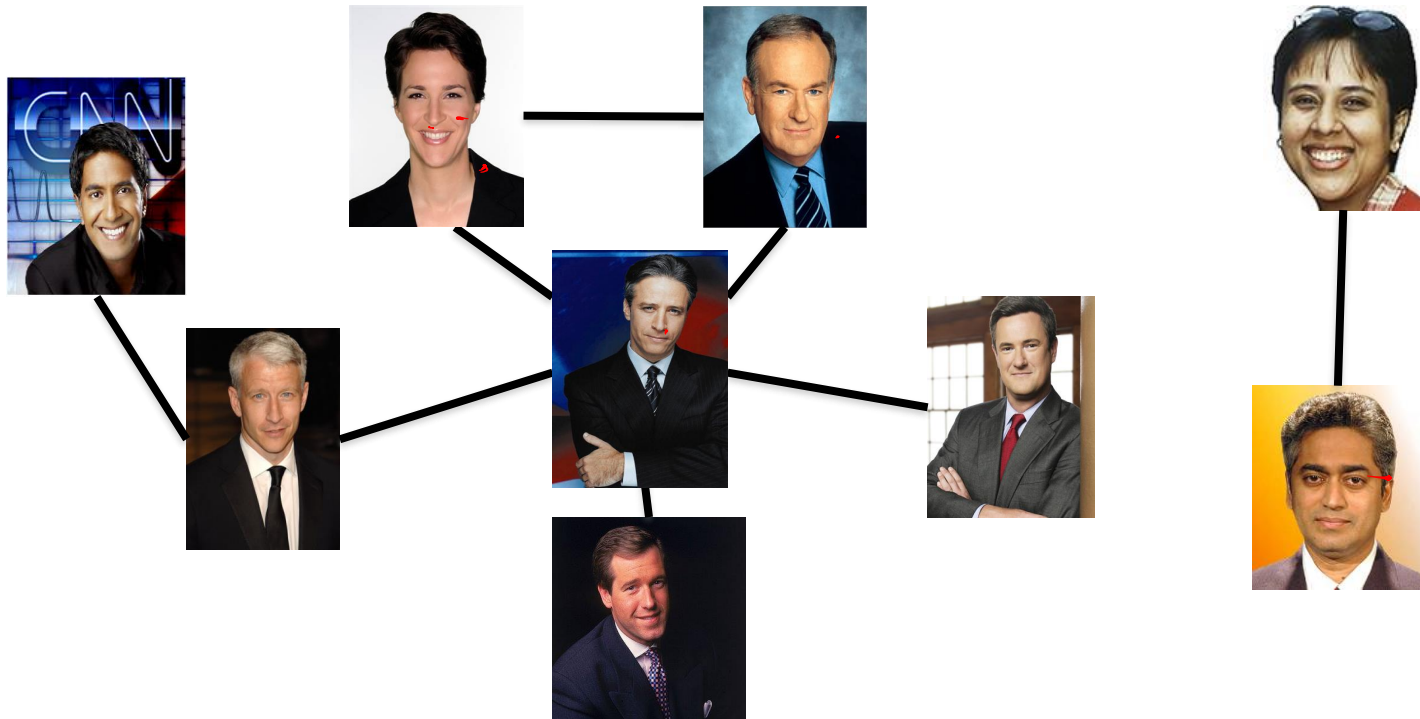
Length of the shortest length path between **u** and **v**



Distance between RM and BO? **1**

Tree

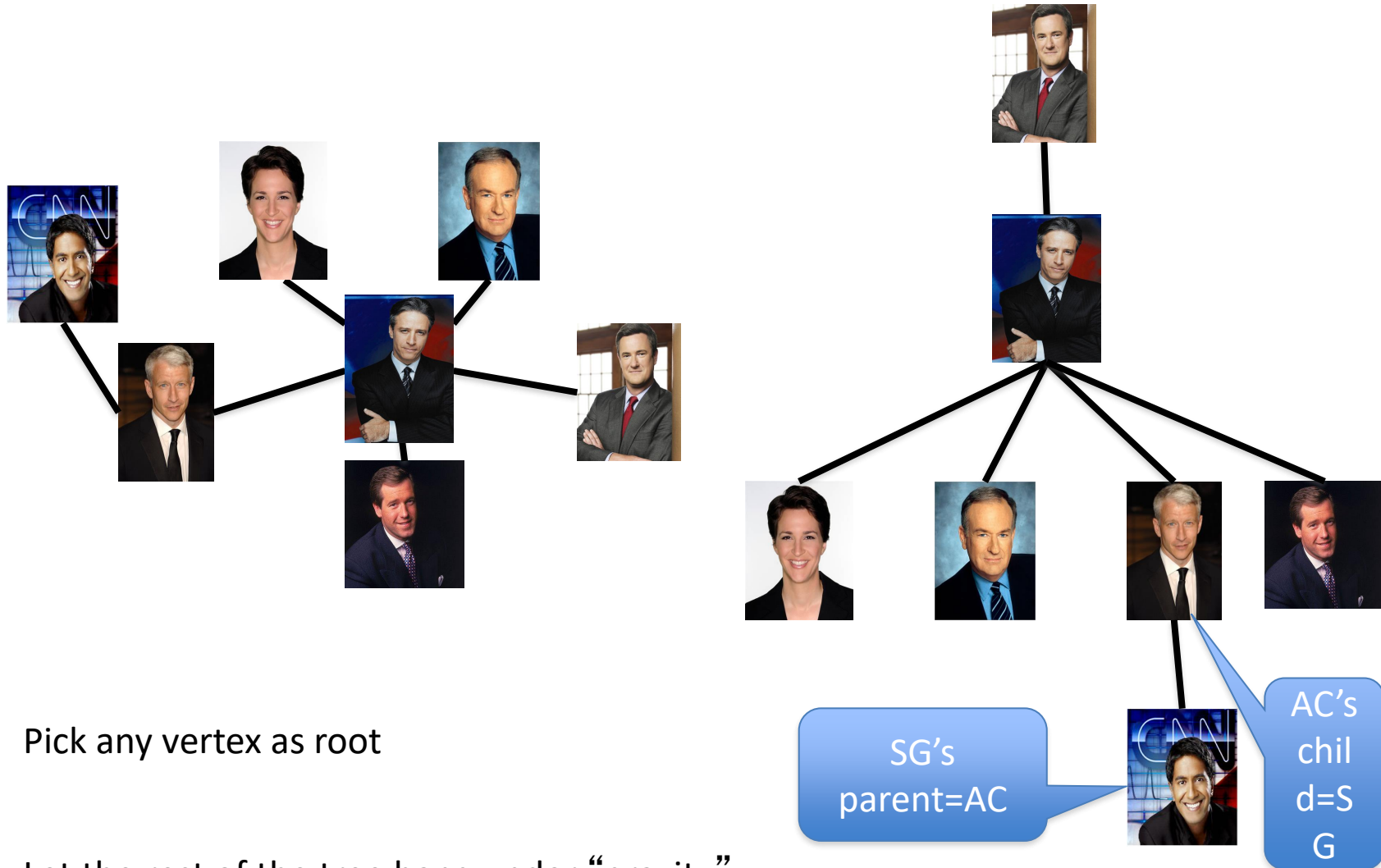
~~Connected~~ undirected graph with no ~~cycles~~



Rooted Tree



A rooted tree



Every n vertex tree has $n-1$ edges

Trees

This page collects material from previous incarnations of CSE 331 on trees, especially the proof that trees with n nodes have exactly $n - 1$ edges.

Where does the textbook talk about this?

Section 3.1 in the textbook has the lowdown on trees.

Fall 2018 material

Here is the lecture video:

CSE331 on 9/21/2018 (Fri)



Every n vertex tree has $n-1$ edges

Let G be an undirected graph on n nodes

Then ANY two of the following implies the third:

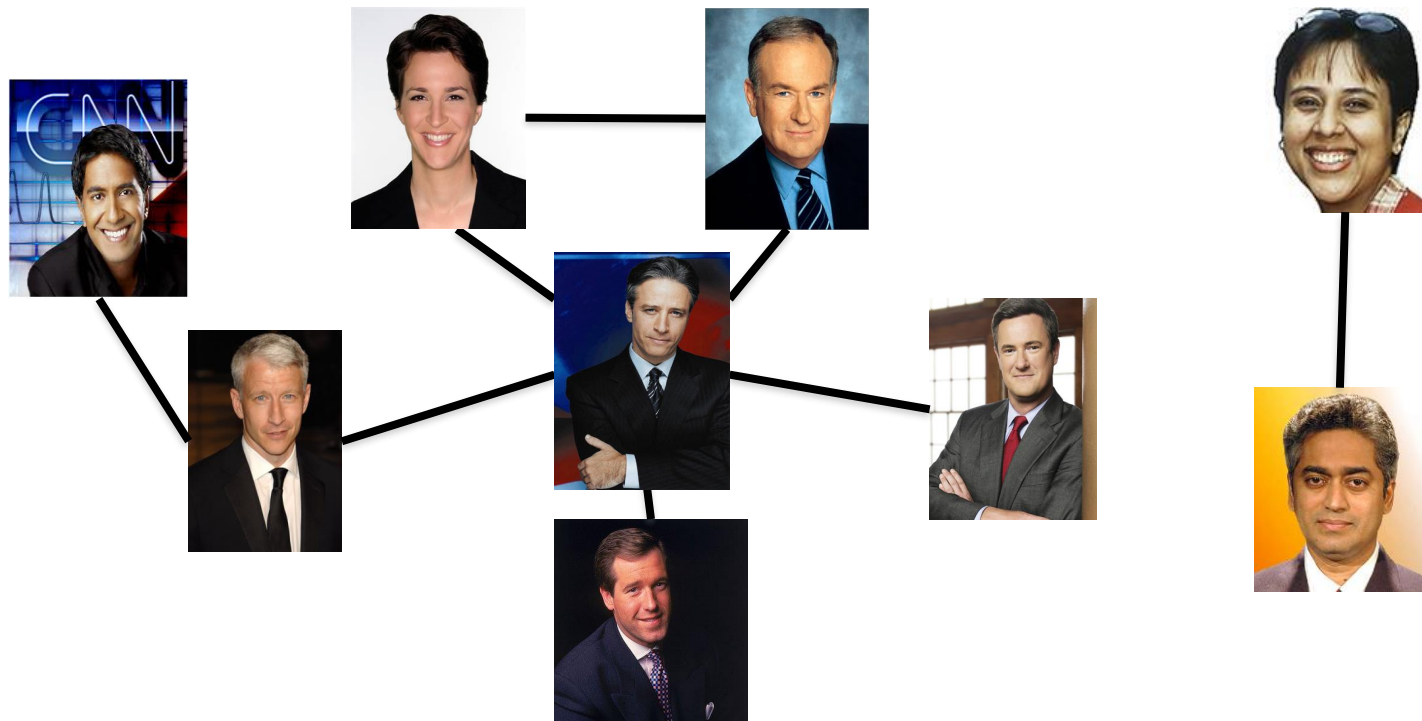
T is connected

T has no cycles

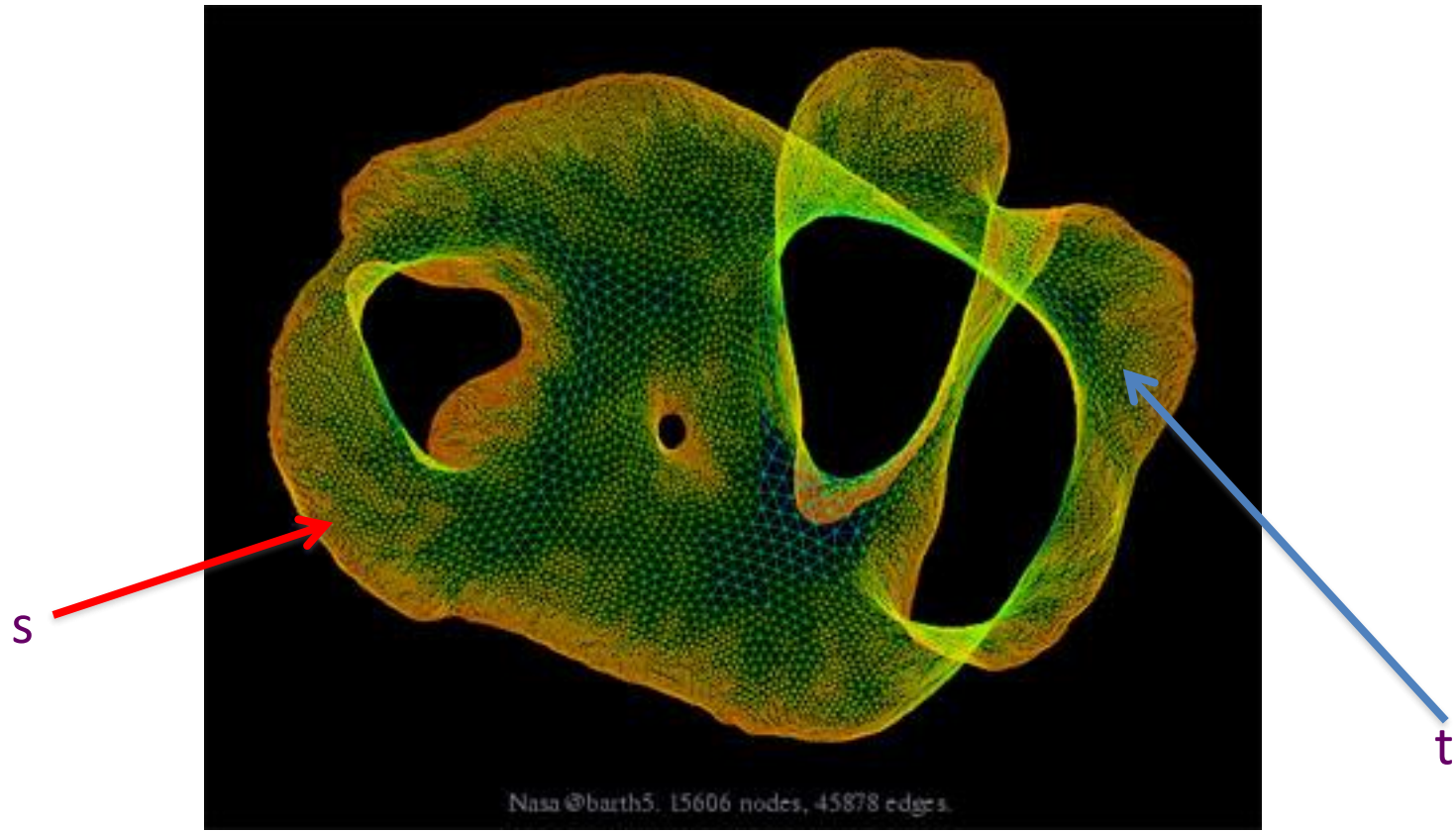
T has $n-1$ edges

Algorithms for checking connectivity

Checking by inspection



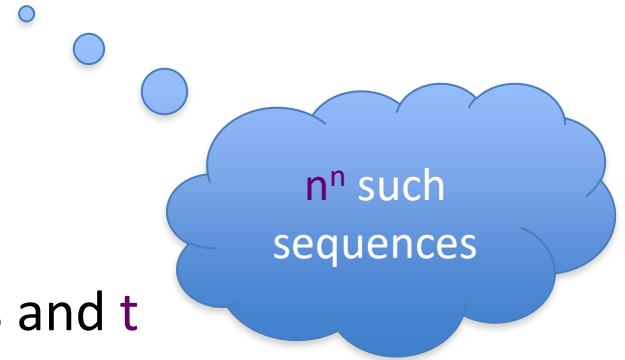
What about large graphs?



Are **s** and **t** connected?

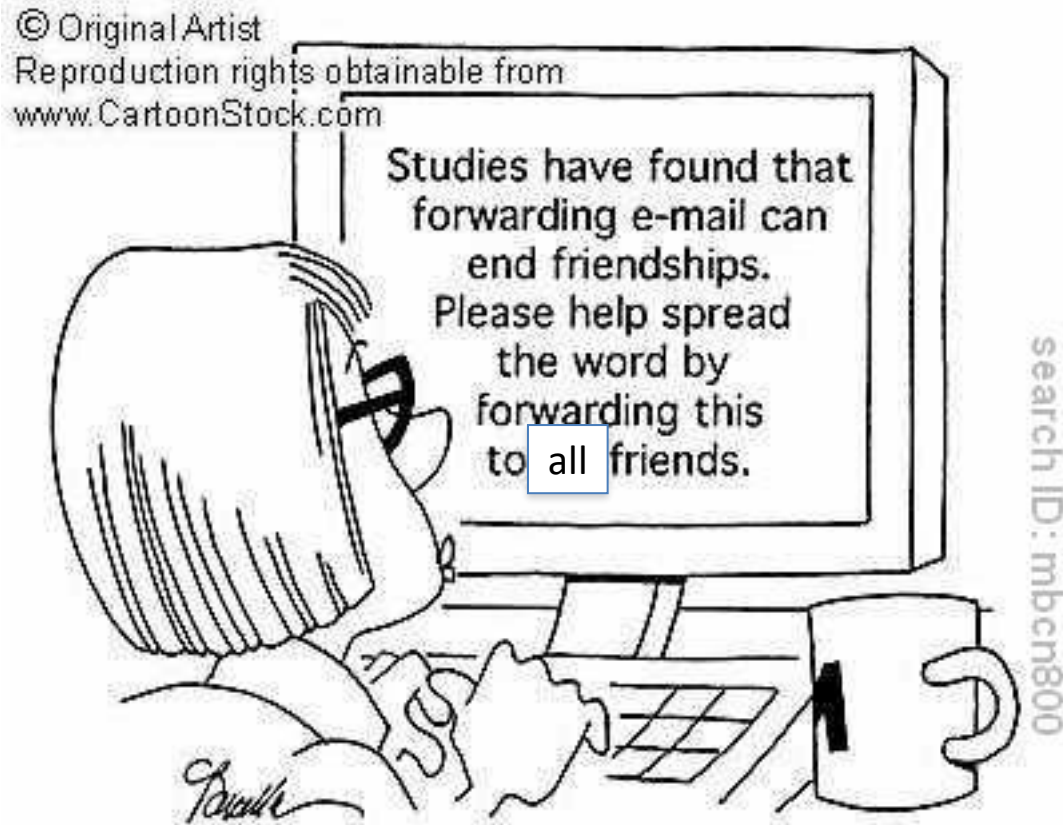
Brute-force algorithm?

List all possible vertex sequences between s and t



Check if any is a path between s and t

Algorithm motivation



Breadth First Search (BFS)

BFS via examples

In which we derive the breadth first search (BFS) algorithm via a sequence of examples.

Expected background

These notes assume that you are familiar with the following:

- Graphs and their representation. In particular,
 - Notion of connectivity of nodes and connected components of graphs
 - Adjacency list representation of graphs
 - Notation:
 - $G = (V, E)$
 - $n = |V|$ and $m = |E|$
 - $CC(s)$ denotes the connected component of s
- Trees and their basic properties

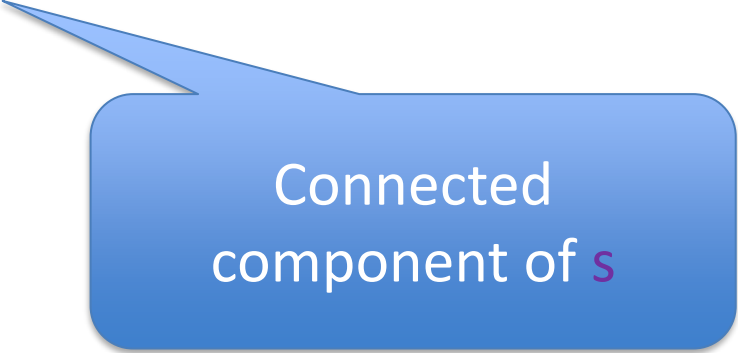
The problem

In these notes we will solve the following problem:

Connectivity Problem

Input: Graph $G = (V, E)$ and s in V

Output: All t connected to s in G



Connected
component of s

Breadth First Search (BFS)

Build layers of vertices connected to s

$$L_0 = \{s\}$$

Assume $L_0, \dots, L_j$ have been constructed

L_{j+1} set of vertices not chosen yet but are connected by an edge to L_j

Stop when new layer is empty

BFS Tree

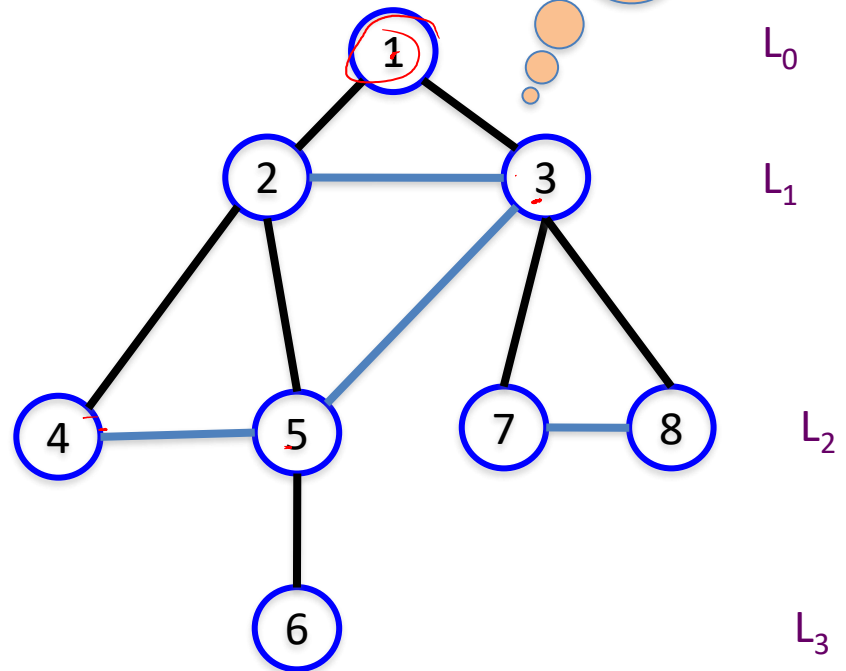
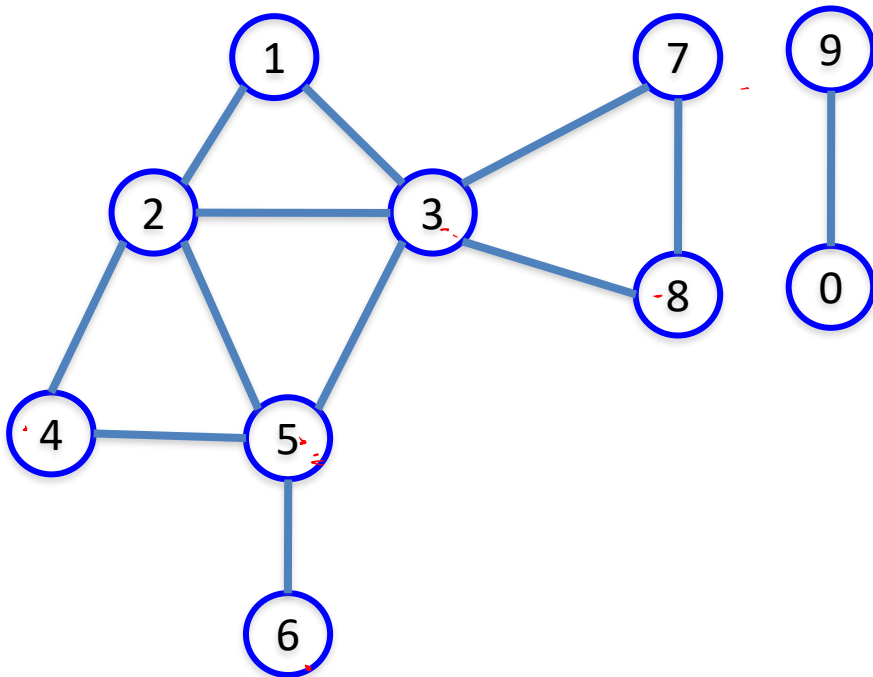
L_j ✓
 L_{j+1}

BFS naturally defines a tree rooted at s

L_j forms the j th “level” in the tree

u in L_{j+1} is child of v in L_j from which it was “discovered”

Add non-tree edges



Computing Connected component

PROPOSITION

Proposition: let T be a BFS tree for $G=(V,E)$.

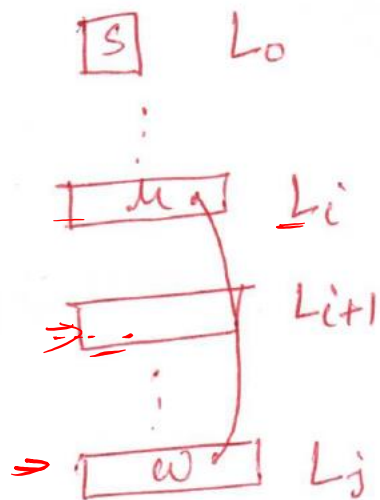
If $(u,w) \in E$ s.t. $u \in L_i, w \in L_j$.

$$\Rightarrow |i-j| \leq 1 \Leftrightarrow i \in \{j-1, j, j+1\}$$

Pf (idea): WLOG
→ without
loss of generality

assume $i \leq j$ [if $i > j$, change the roles
of i & j]

For contradiction assume $|i-j| > 1 \Rightarrow j > i+1$
 $\Rightarrow j \geq i+2$



Consider the situation when BFS is creating

L_{i+1}

$\Rightarrow \underline{u} \in L_i, w \notin L_0, \dots, L_i$

$\rightarrow (\underline{u}, \underline{w}) \in \underline{E}$

$\Rightarrow w$ will be added by BFS to L_{i+1}

$\Rightarrow$ contradicts $w \in L_j$ for $j \geq \underline{i+2}$ $\square$