



# CS 2351 Data Structures

## Graphs (I)

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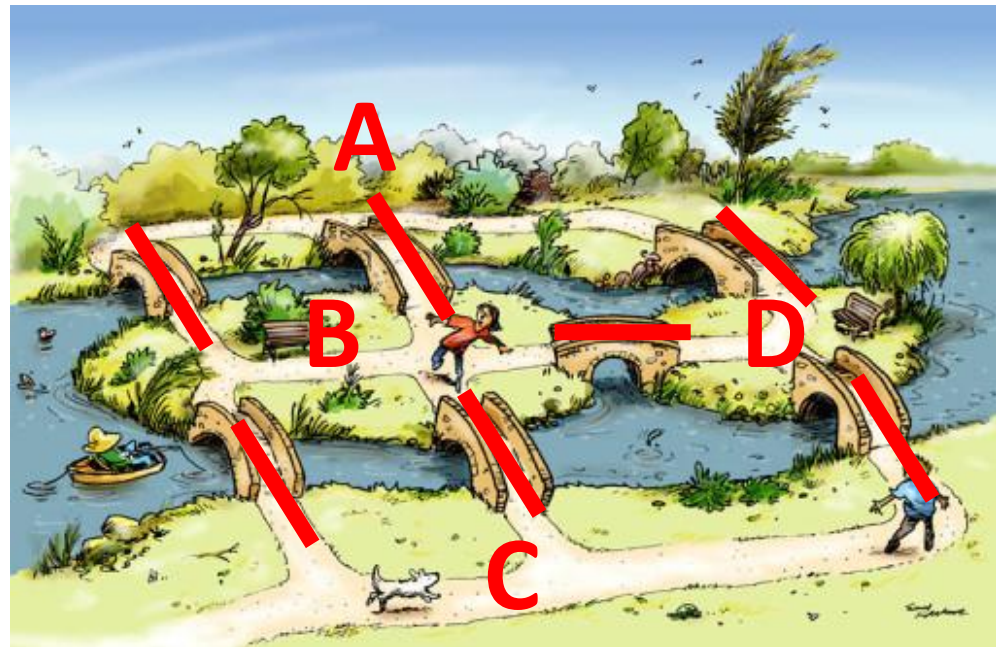
# Outline

- Introduction to graphs (Sec. 6.1)
  - Definitions, terminologies
  - Representations
- Elementary graph operations (Sec. 6.2)
  - Depth first search, breadth first search, connected components, spanning trees



# Konigsberg Bridge Problem (1736 AD)

- Given 4 lands with 7 bridges
- Problem: Starting at one land, is it possible to walk across all the bridges exactly once and returning to the starting land?

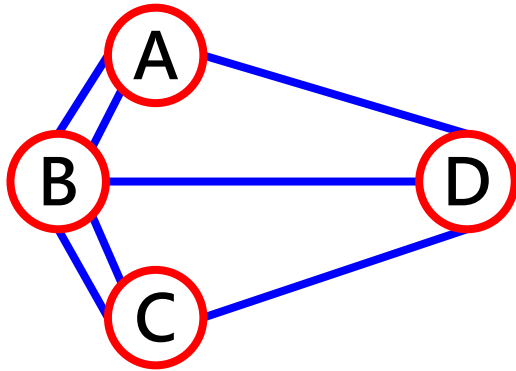


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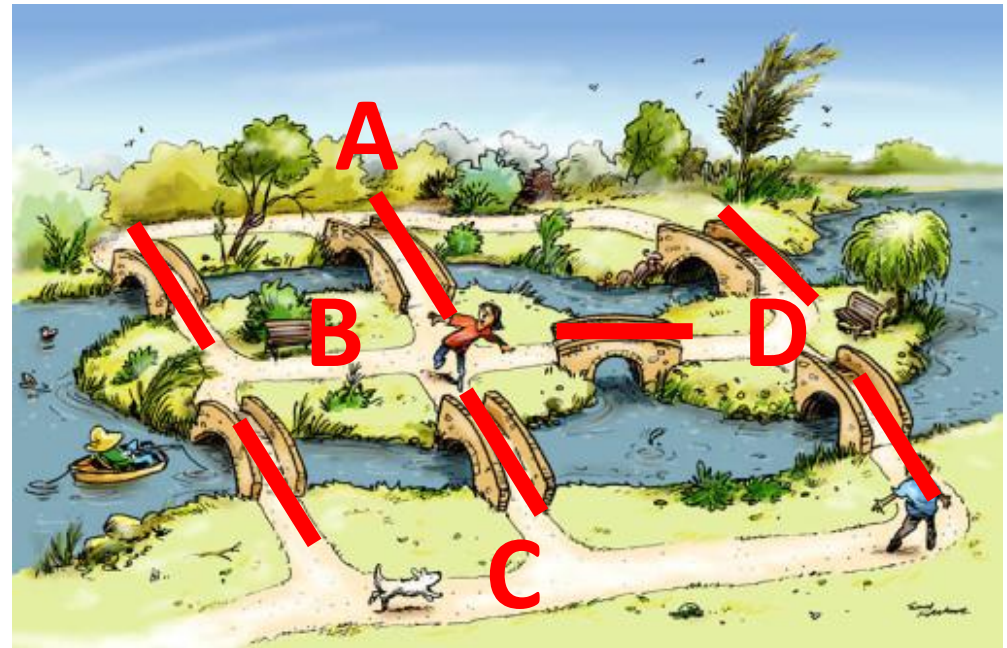


# Konigsberg Bridge Problem

- Leonhard Euler formulated the problem as a graph

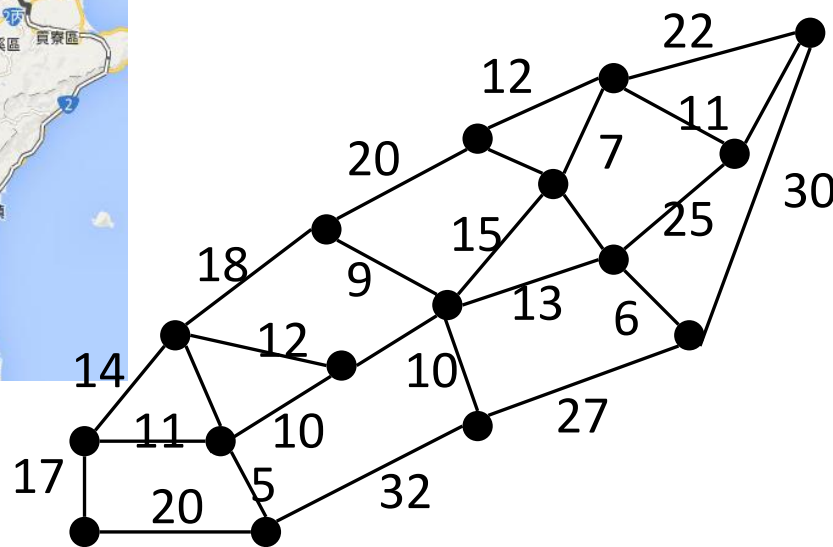
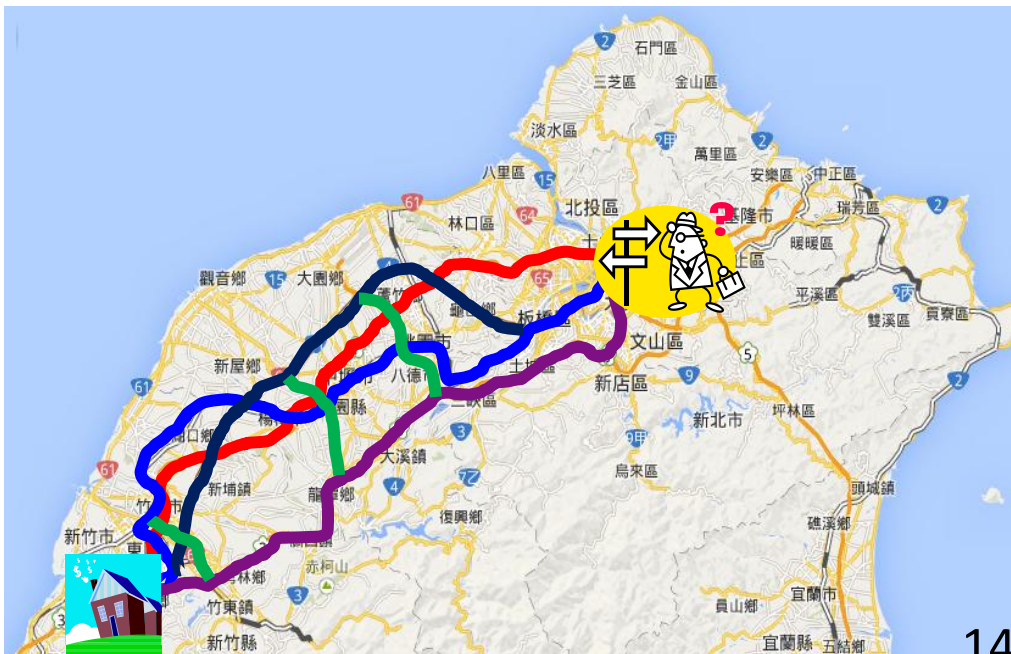


- Proved that the answer to the problem is possible iff **the degree of each vertex is even**



# Many Applications of Graphs

- Find the shortest path from Taipei to Hsinchu





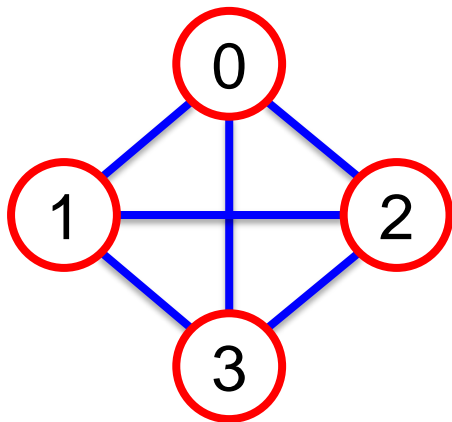


# Graph Definition

- A graph,  $G = (V, E)$ , consists of two sets,  $V$  and  $E$ 
  - $V$ : a set of **vertices**
  - $E$ : a set of pairs of vertices called **edges**
- **Undirected graph (simply graph)**
  - $(u,v)$  and  $(v,u)$  represent the same edge
- **Directed graph (digraph)**
  - $\langle u,v \rangle \neq \langle v,u \rangle$
  - $\langle u,v \rangle$ :  $u$  is **tail** and  $v$  is **head** of edge



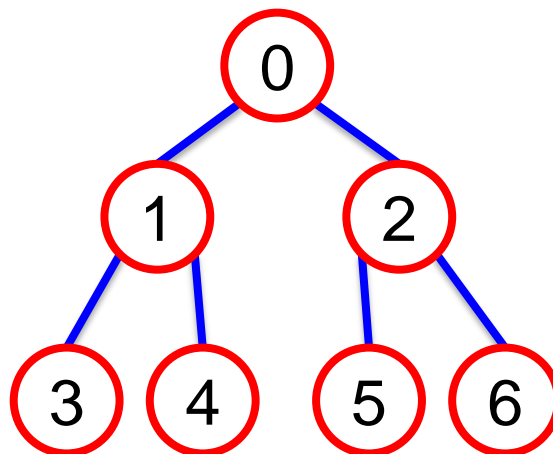
# Examples



Undirected Graph

$$V(G) = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$$

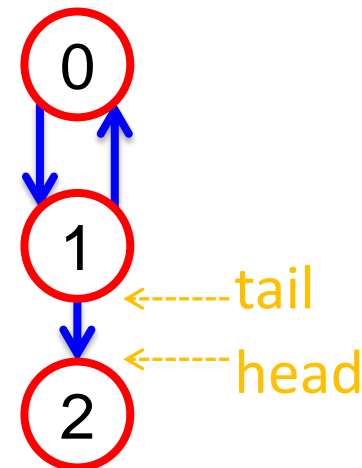
$$E(G) = \{(0,1), (0,2), (0,3), (1,2), (1,3), (2,3)\}$$



Undirected Graph

$$V(G) = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$$

$$E(G) = \{(0,1), (0,2), (1,3), (1,4), (2,5), (2,6)\}$$



Directed Graph

$$V(G) = \{0, 1, 2\}$$

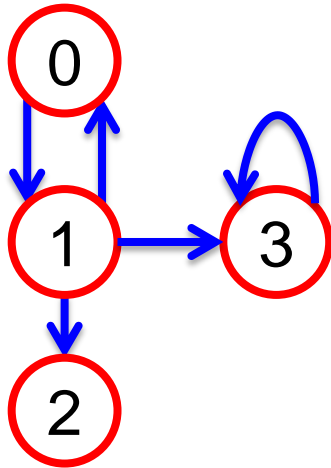
$$E(G) = \{\langle 0,1 \rangle, \langle 1,0 \rangle, \langle 1,2 \rangle\}$$



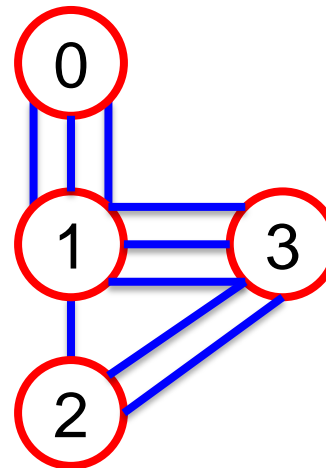


# Restrictions

- *Self edges* and *self loops* are not permitted!
  - Edges of the form  $(v, v)$  and  $\langle v, v \rangle$  are not legal
- A graph should not have multiple occurrences of the same edge (otherwise, it is called a *multigraph*)



Graph with self edge



Multigraph





# Terminology

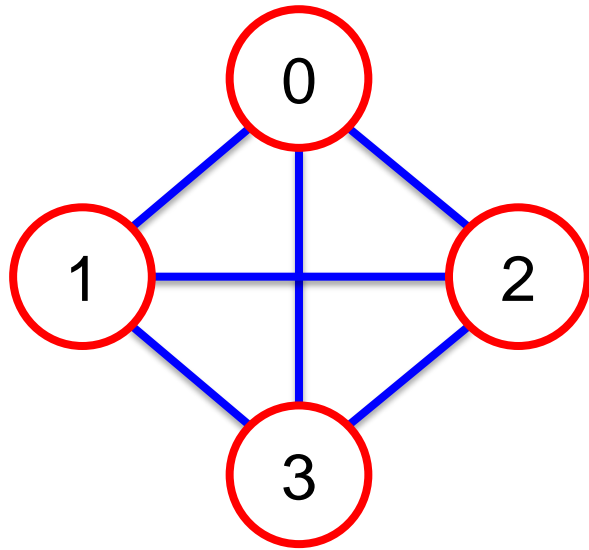
- For a graph with  $n$  vertices, the max # of edges of:
  - Undirected graph is  $n(n-1)/2$
  - Directed graph is  $n(n-1)$
- Vertices  $u$  and  $v$  are *adjacent* if  $(u,v) \in E$  and edge  $(u,v)$  is *incident* on vertices  $u$  and  $v$
- For a direct edge  $\langle u,v \rangle$ ,  $u$  is *adjacent to*  $v$  and  $v$  is *adjacent from*  $u$ , and edge  $\langle u,v \rangle$  is *incident* to vertices  $u$  and  $v$



# Terminology

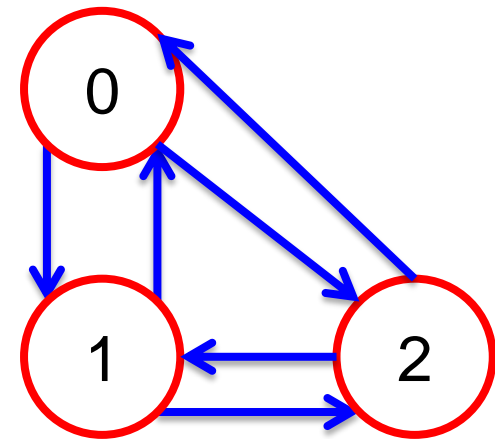
- **Complete** undirected graph

- Graph with  $n$  vertices has exactly  $n(n-1)/2$  edges



- **Complete** directed graph

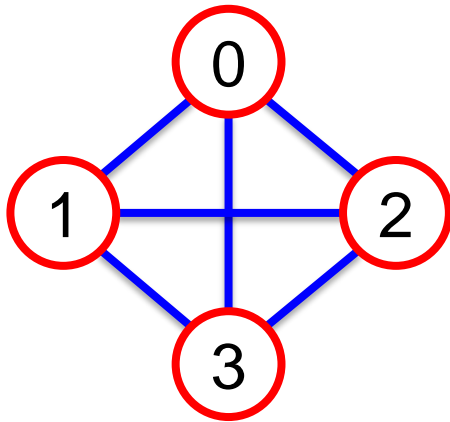
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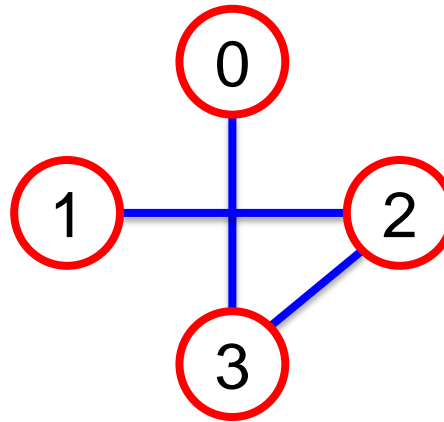
# Terminology

- **Subgraph:**

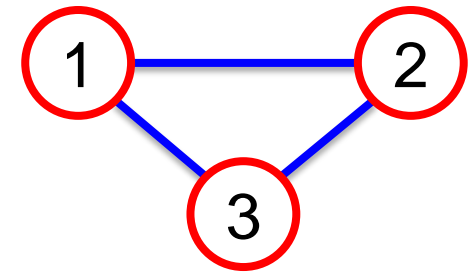
- $G'$  is a subgraph of  $G$  if  $V(G') \subseteq V(G)$  and  $E(G') \subseteq E(G)$



Graph



Subgraph



Subgraph



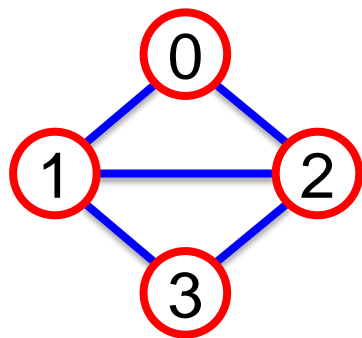
# Terminology

- **Path:**

- A path from  $u$  to  $v$  represents a sequence of vertices  $u, i_1, i_2, \dots, i_k, v$ , such that  $(u, i_1), (i_1, i_2), \dots, (i_k, v)$  are edges in the graph

- **Simple path:**

- A simple path is a path in which all vertices except possibly the first and the last are distinct



Sequence	Path?	Simple path?
0,1,3,2	Yes	Yes
0,2,0,1	Yes	No
0,3,2,1	No	No





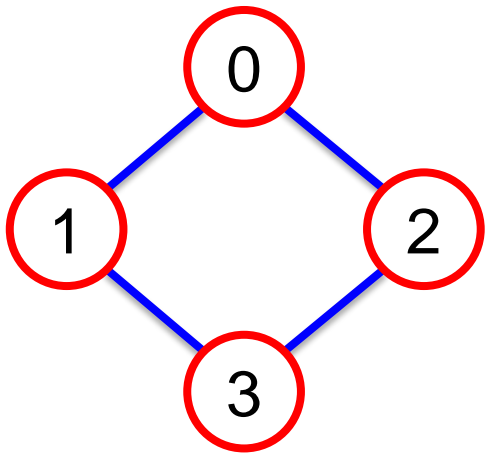
# Terminology

- **Cycle:**
  - A cycle is a simple path in which the first and the last vertices are the same
- **Notes:** if the graph is a directed graph, we usually add the prefix “directed” to the above terms:
  - Directed path
  - Directed simple path
  - Directed cycle

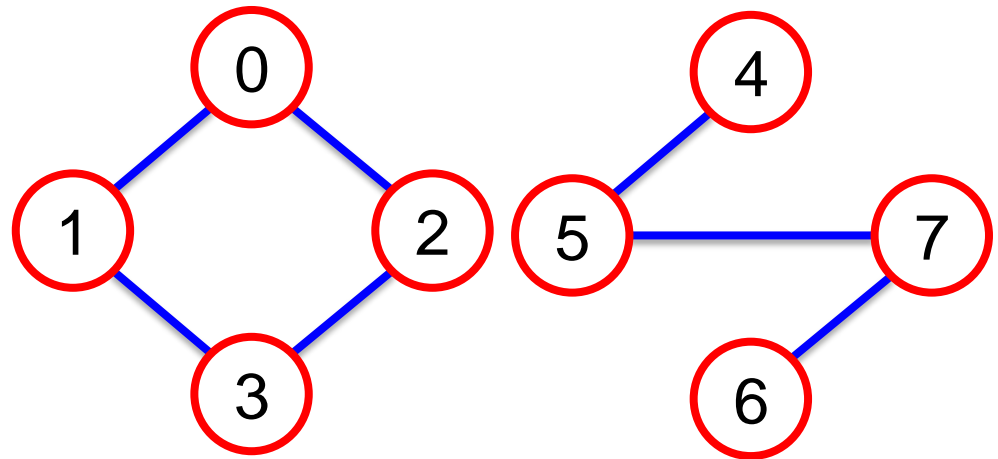


# Terminology

- *Undirected graph*  $G$  is said to be **connected** iff for every pair of distinct vertices  $u$  and  $v$ , there is a **path** from  $u$  to  $v$  in  $G$



Connected graph



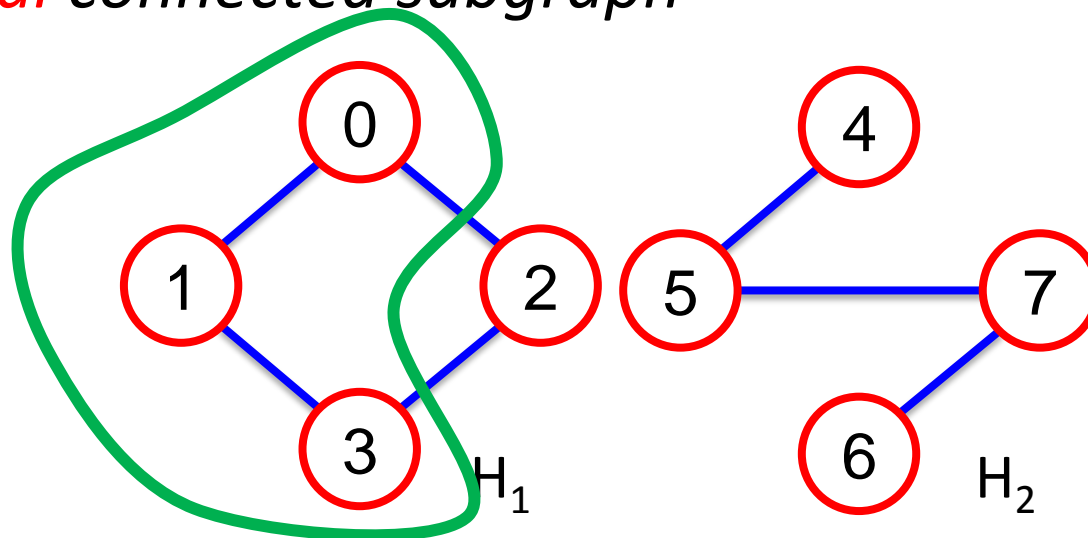
Not a connected graph



# Terminology

- A **connected component**,  $H$ , of an undirected graph is a *maximal connected subgraph*

A connected subgraph, but not a maximal connected subgraph



- **Tree:** Graph with two connected components
  - A connected acyclic graph
  - $n$  vertex connected graph with  $n-1$  edges





# Terminology

- *Directed graph*  $G$  is said to be **strongly connected** iff for **every pair of distinct vertices  $u$  and  $v$** , there is a **directed path from  $u$  to  $v$  and also from  $v$  to  $u$**  in  $G$ .

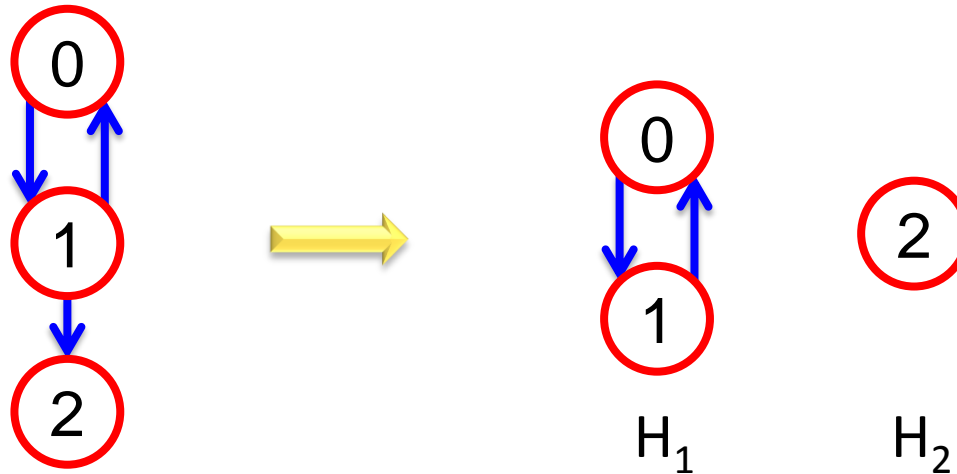


Not a strongly connected digraph!  
There is no directed path from 2 to 0



# Terminology

- A **strongly connected component** is a maximal subgraph that is strongly connected

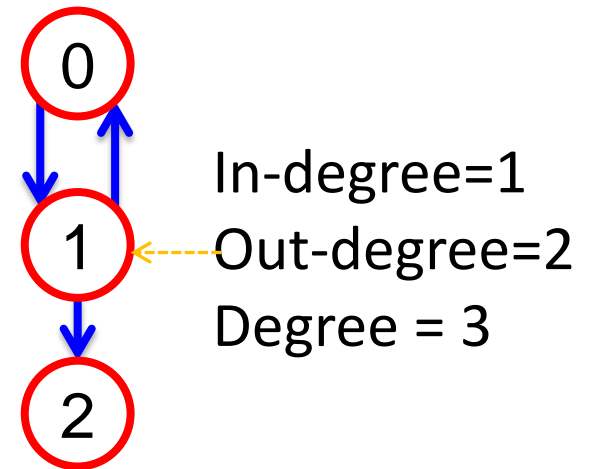


Two strongly connected components



# Terminology

- **Degree** of a vertex  $v$ :
  - The # of edges incident to  $v$
- In a directed graph:
  - **In-degree** of  $v$ : # of edges for which  $v$  is the head
  - **Out-degree** of  $v$ : # of edges for which  $v$  is the tail
  - **Degree of  $v$  = in-degree + out-degree**





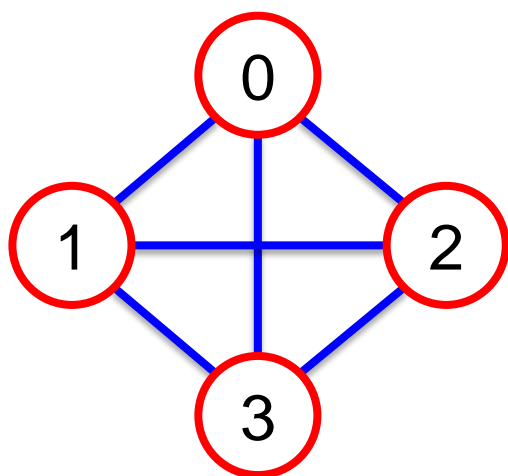
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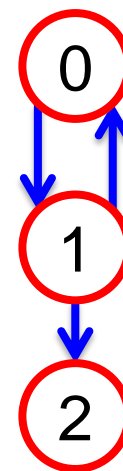
# Adjacency Matrix

- A two dimensional array with the property that  $a[i][j] = 1$  iff the edge  $(i,j)$  or  $\langle i,j \rangle$  is in  $E(G)$



	0	1	2	3
0	0	1	1	1
1	1	0	1	1
2	1	1	0	1
3	1	1	1	0

Symmetric



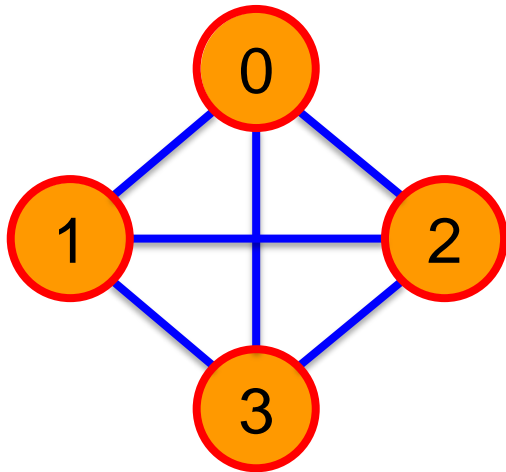
	0	1	2
0	0	1	0
1	1	0	1
2	0	0	0

- Row sum = degree or out-degree; column sum = in-degree
- Waste of memory & time, esp. when graph is sparse
  - Storage complexity =  $O(n^2)$

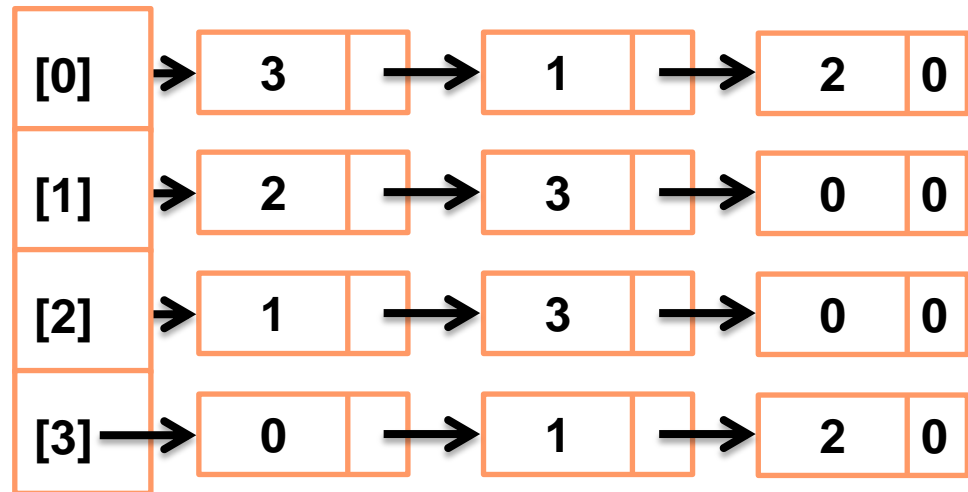


# Adjacency List

- Undirected graph: use a **chain** to represent each vertex and its adjacent vertices



adjLists



Array Length = n

# of chain nodes = 2e

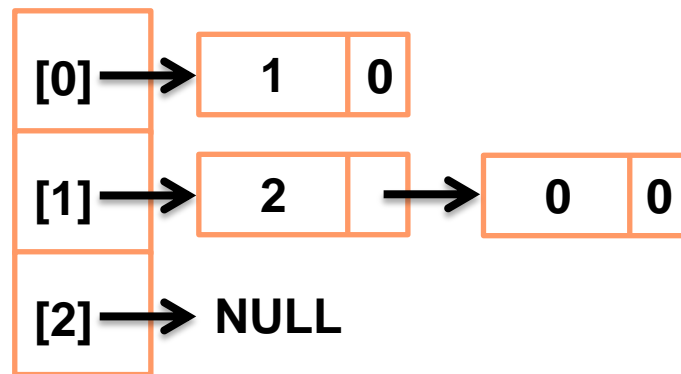


# Adjacency List

- Digraph: use a **chain** to represent each vertex and its adjacent to-vertices
  - Length of list = Out-degree of  $v$



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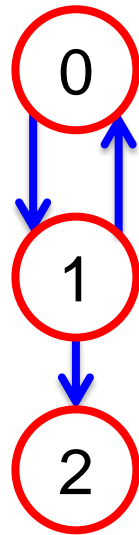


Array Length =  $n$   
# of chain nodes =  $e$

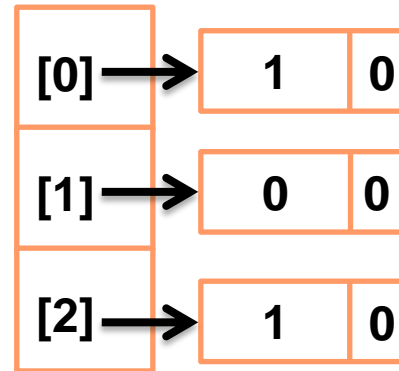


# Inverse Adjacency Lists

- Digraph: use a **chain** to represent each vertex and its adjacent from-vertices
  - Length of list = In-degree of  $v$



adjLists







# Weighted Edges

- Edges of a graph sometimes have weights associated with them, e.g.,
  - Distance from one vertex to another
  - Cost of going from one vertex to an adjacent vertex
- We use additional field in each vertex to store the weight
- A graph with weighted edges is called a **network**



# ADT of Graph

```
class Graph {
public:
    virtual ~Graph() {}
    bool IsEmpty() const{return n == 0};
    int NumberOfVertices() const{return n};
    int NumberOfEdges() const{return e};
    virtual int Degree(int u) const = 0;
    virtual bool ExistsEdge(int u, int v) const = 0;
    virtual void InsertVertex(int v) = 0;
    virtual void InsertEdge(int u, int v) = 0;
    virtual void DeleteVertex(int v) = 0;
    virtual void DeleteEdge(int u, int v) = 0;
protected:
    int n;        // number of vertices
    int e;        // number of edges
};
```





# Implementation Notes

To accommodate various types of graphs, we make the following assumptions:

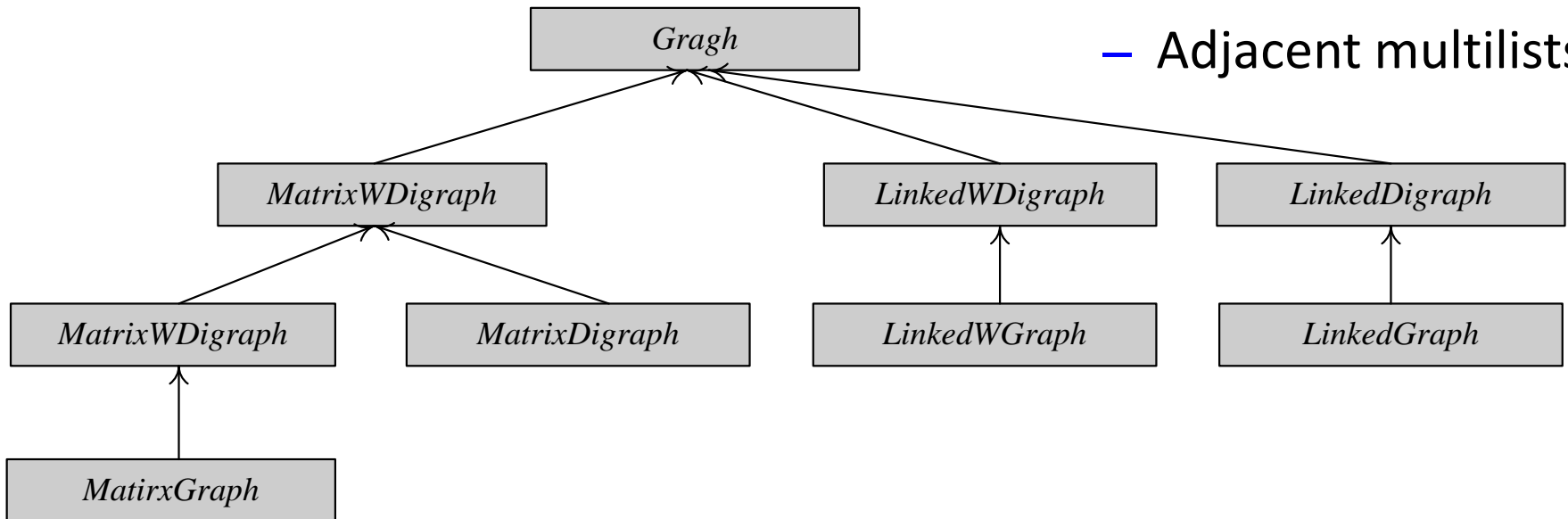
- Data type of edge weight is **double** (or you could use template to abstract it)
- Operations which are **independent** of specific graph representation are implemented inside graph class
- There is an **iterator** to visit adjacent vertices

Various graph classes can then inherit from the abstract class of Graph



# A Possible Derivation Hierarchy

- 2 types:
  - Directed
  - Undirected
- 2 edge types
  - Weighted
  - Unweighted
- 4 representations:
  - Adjacency matrix
  - Adjacency list
  - Sequential list
  - Adjacent multilists



Note: The hierarchy shows only 2 representations



# Example: LinkedGraph

```
void Graph::foo(void) {  
    // use iterator to visit adjacent vertices of v  
    for (each vertex w adjacent to v)...  
}
```

```
class LinkedGraph : public Graph {  
public:  
    // constructor  
    LinkedGraph(const int vertices=0):n(vertices),e(0) {  
        adjLists = new Chain<int>[n];    };  
    void foo(void) { ... }; // specialized foo()  
    // more customized operations...  
private:  
    Chain<int> *adjLists; // adjacency lists  
};
```





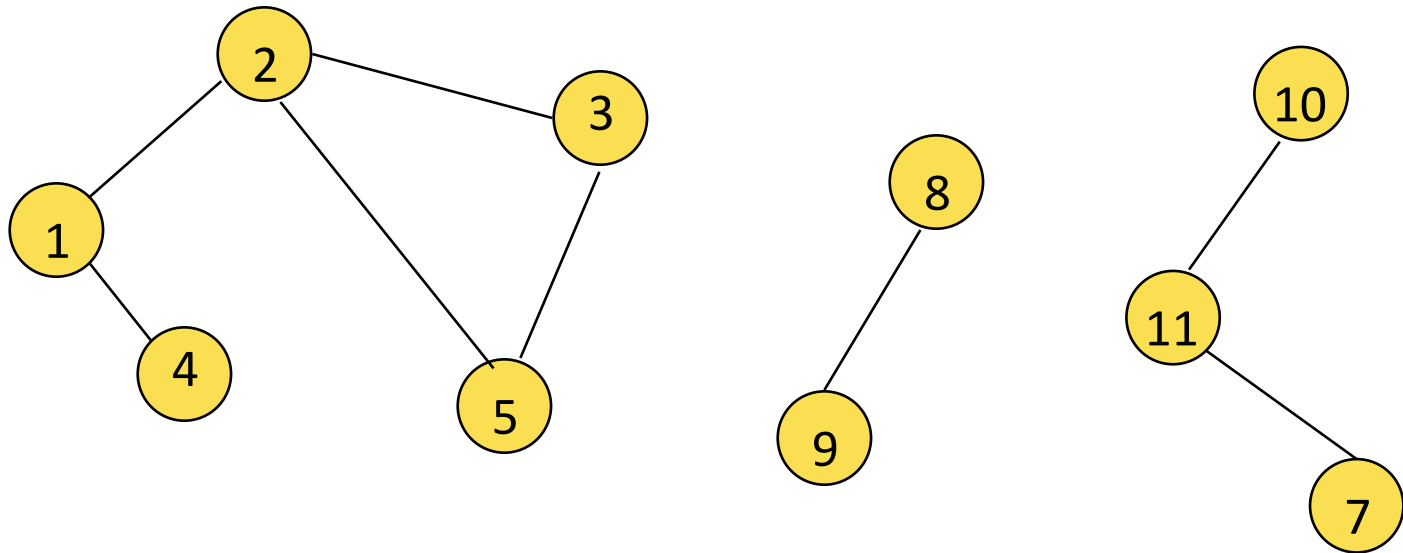
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# Graph Search Operation

- A vertex  $u$  is *reachable* from vertex  $v$  iff there is a path from  $v$  to  $u$
- A graph search operation starts at a given vertex  $v$  and visits/marks every vertex reachable from  $v$





# Graph Search Operation

- Many graph problems can be solved using a search operation
  - Path from one vertex to another
  - Is the graph connected?
  - Find a spanning tree
  - ...
- Commonly used search methods:
  - Depth-first search
  - Breadth-first search





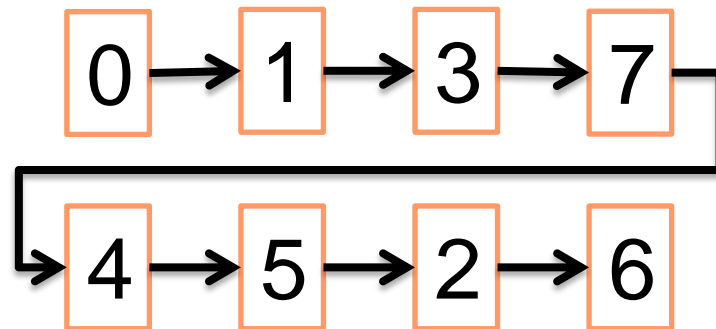
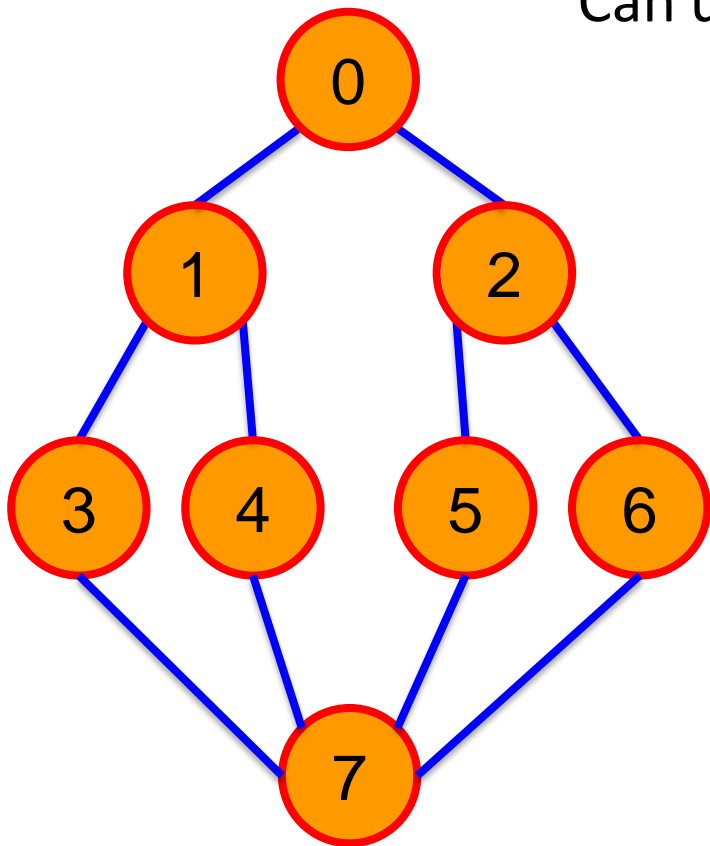
# Depth-First Search (DFS)

- Starting from a vertex  $v$ , visit all vertices in  $G$  that are reachable from  $v$ , i.e., all vertices connected to  $v$ 
  - Visit the vertex  $v \rightarrow \text{DFS}(v)$
  - For each vertex  $w$  adjacent to  $v$ , if  $w$  is not visited yet, then visit  $w \rightarrow \text{DFS}(w)$
  - If a vertex  $u$  is reached such that all its adjacent vertices have been visited, we go back to the last visited vertex
- The search terminates when no unvisited vertex can be reached from any of the visited vertices
  - All vertices reachable from the start vertex (including the start vertex) are visited



# Depth-First Search (DFS)

Can use a stack



Note that there may have more than one order, depending on graph representation

What if G is a tree?



# Recursive DFS Using Adjacency Lists

```
void Graph::DFS() { // public driver
    visited = new bool[n]; // data member of Graph
    fill(visited, visited + n, false);
    DFS(0); // start search at vertex 0
    delete [] visited;
}

void Graph::DFS(const int v){ // private worker
    // visit all previously unvisited vertices
    // that are reachable from v
    visited[v]=true;
    for(each vertex w adjacent to v)
        if(!visited[w]) DFS(w);
}
```



# Non-Recursive DFS

```
void Graph::DFS(int v) {
    visited = new bool[n]; // data member of Graph
    fill(visited, visited + n, false);
    Stack<int> s;
    s.Push(v);
    while(!s.IsEmpty()) {
        u = s.Pop();
        if(!visited[u]) {
            visited[u]=true;
            for(each vertex w adjacent to u)
                if(!visited[w]) s.Push(w);
        }
    }
}
```





# DFS Complexity

- Adjacency matrix
  - Time to determine all adjacent vertices to  $v$ :  $O(n)$
  - At most  $n$  vertices are visited:  $O(n \times n) = O(n^2)$
- Adjacency list
  - There are  $n+2e$  chain nodes
  - Each node in the adjacency list is examined at most once  
→ time complexity =  $O(e)$



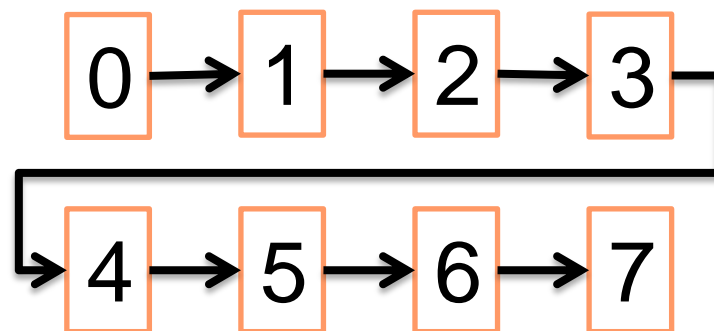
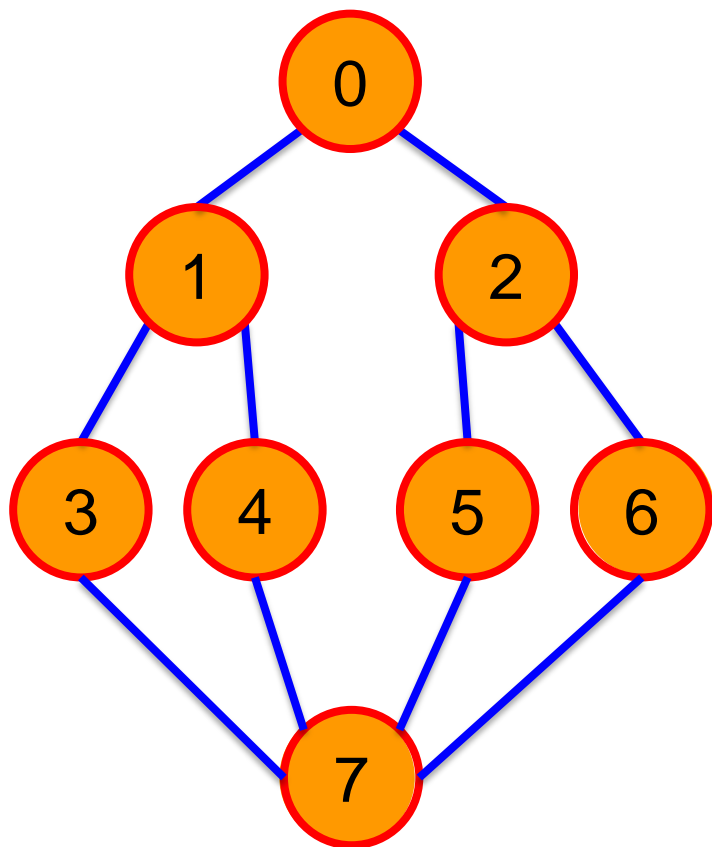


# Breadth-First Search (BFS)

- Starting from a vertex  $v$ 
  - Visit the vertex  $v$
  - Visit all unvisited vertices adjacent to  $v$
  - Unvisited vertices adjacent to these newly visited vertices are then visited and so on
- Can use a queue to track the vertices



# Breadth-First Search (BFS)



Note that there may be more than one order depending on the graph representation

What if  $G$  is a tree?



# Non-Recursive BFS

```
void Graph::BFS(int v) {
    visited = new bool[n]; // data member of Graph
    fill(visited, visited+n, false);
    Queue<int> q;    q.Push(v);
    visited[v]=true;
    while(!q.IsEmpty()) {
        v = q.Front();    q.Pop();
        for(each vertex w adjacent to v) {
            if(!visited[w]) {
                q.Push(w);    visited[w]=true; }
        }
    }
    delete [] visited;
}
```

Time complexity is the same as DFS







# Finding a Path from Vertex $v$ to Vertex $u$

- Start a depth-first search at vertex  $v$
- Terminate when vertex  $u$  is visited or when DFS ends (whichever occurs first)
- Time complexity:
  - $O(n^2)$  when adjacency matrix used
  - $O(n+e)$  when adjacency lists used ( $e$  is number of edges)





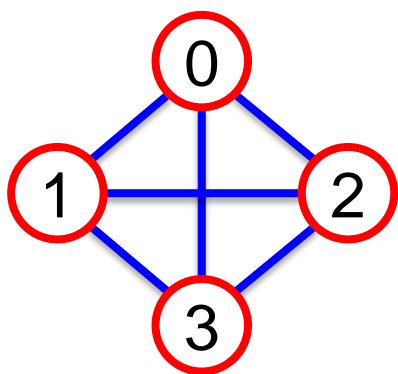
# Connected Components

- How to determine whether a graph is connected or not?
  - Call DFS or BFS once and check if there is any unvisited vertices; if Yes, then the graph is not connected
- How to identify connected components
  - Make a repeated calls to DFS or BFS
  - Each call will output a connected component
  - Start next call at an unvisited vertex

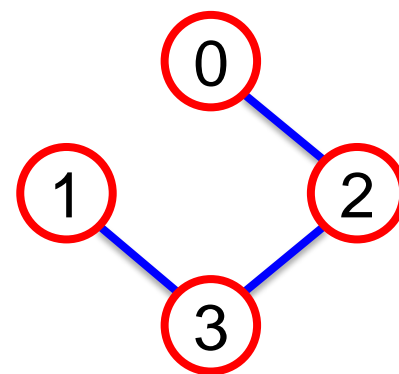
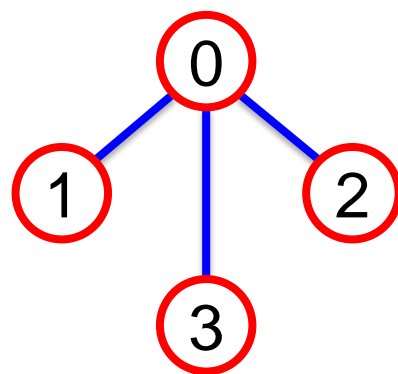
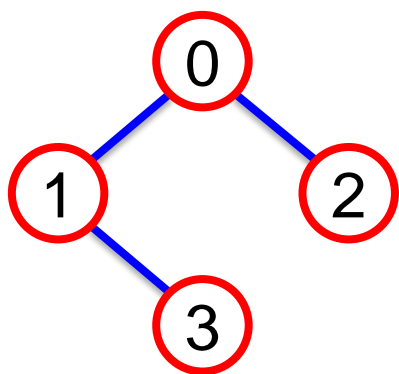


# Spanning Trees

- Definition: any tree consisting solely of edges in  $E(G)$  and including all vertices of  $V(G)$
- # of tree edges is  **$n-1$**
- Add a non-tree edge will create a **cycle**



Complete graph

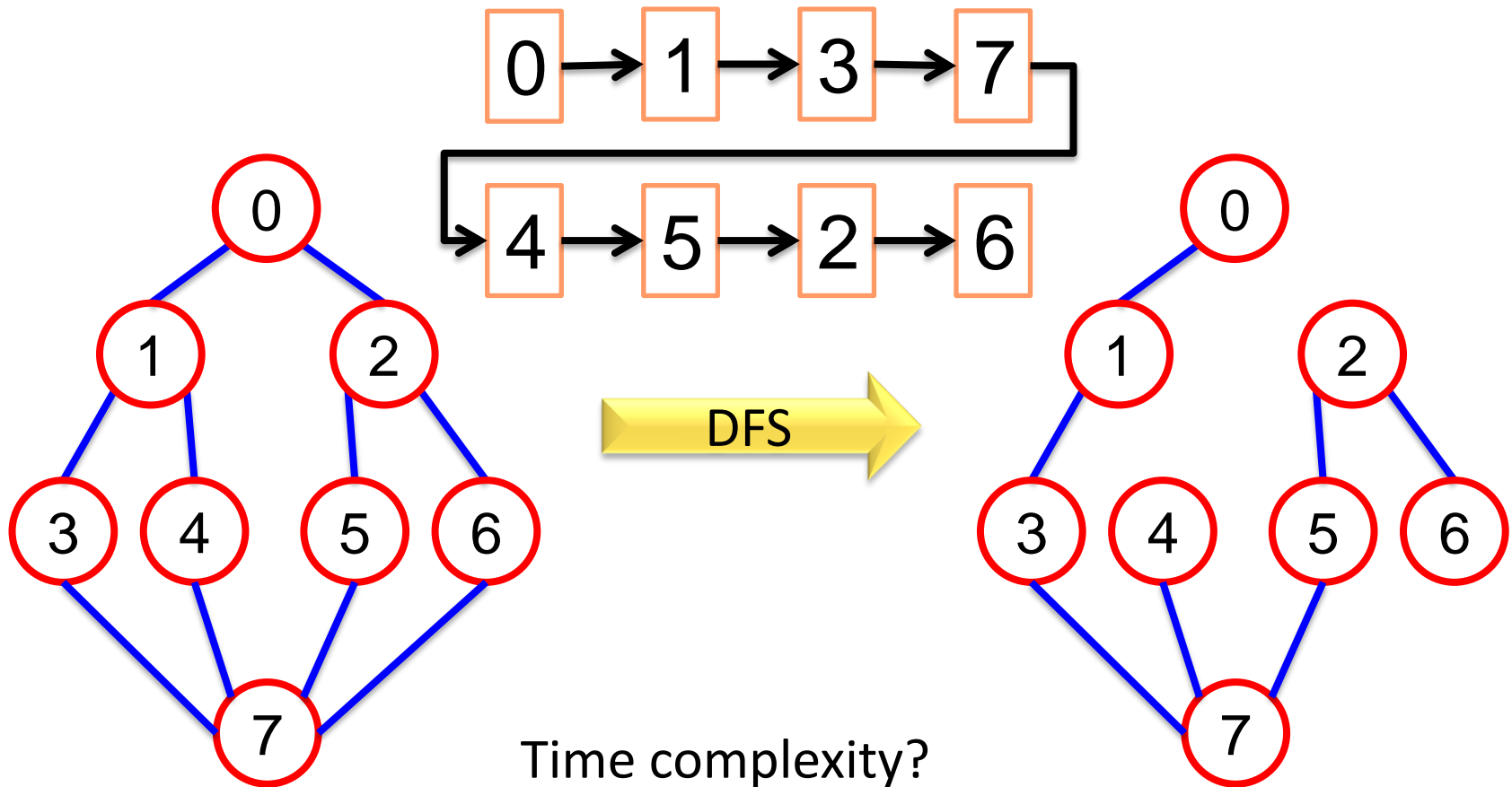


Possible spanning trees



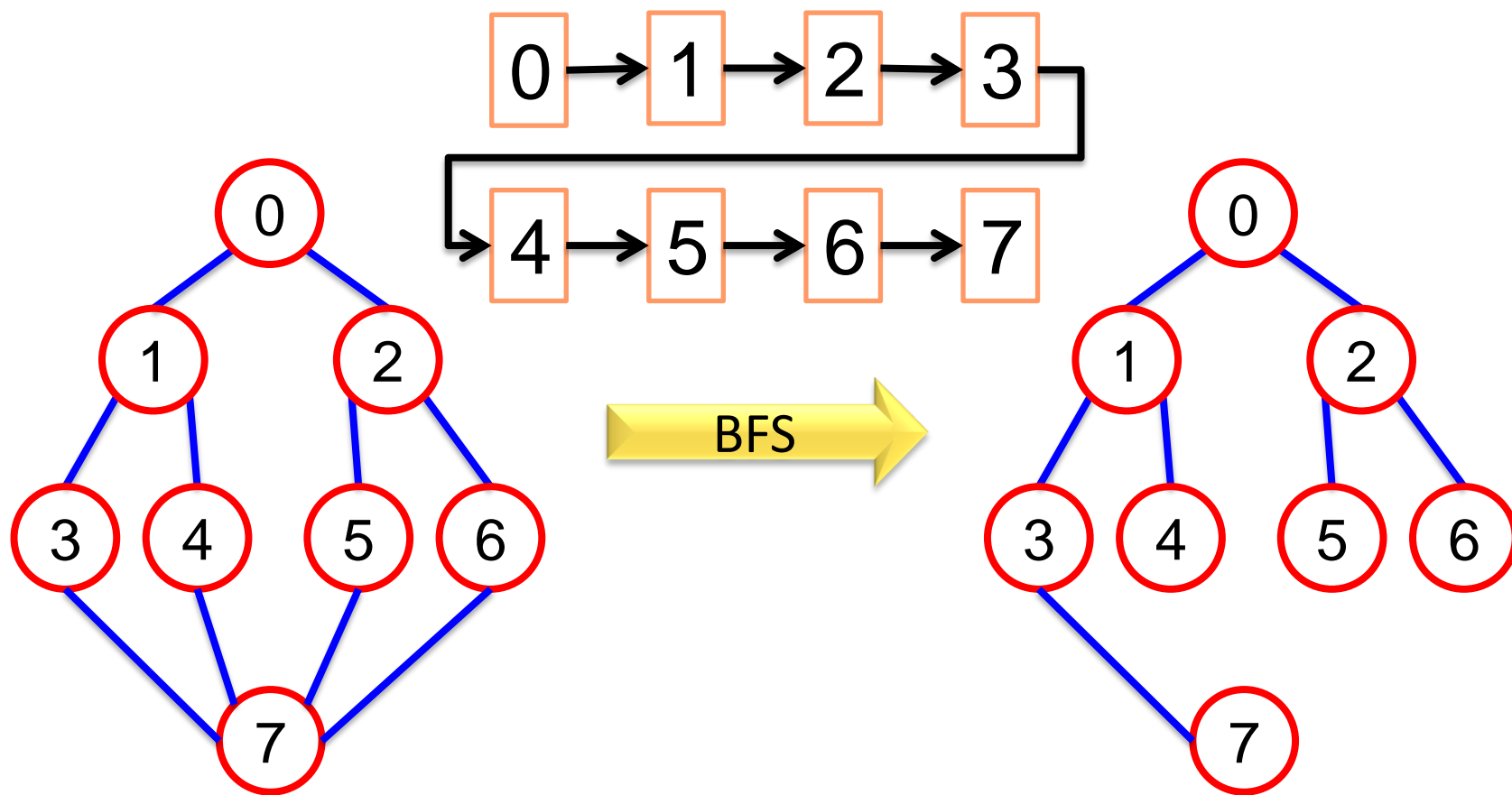
# DFS Spanning Tree

- Tree edges are those edges met during DFS traversal



# BFS Spanning Tree

- Tree edges are those edges met during BFS traversal



# Summary

- Graphs are very important data structures
  - Terminologies and representations
- There are many operations associated with graphs
  - Depth first search, breadth first search, finding connected components, finding spanning trees
- Self-study topics
  - Graph representations: sequential lists, adjacency multilists
  - Graph operations: biconnected components

