

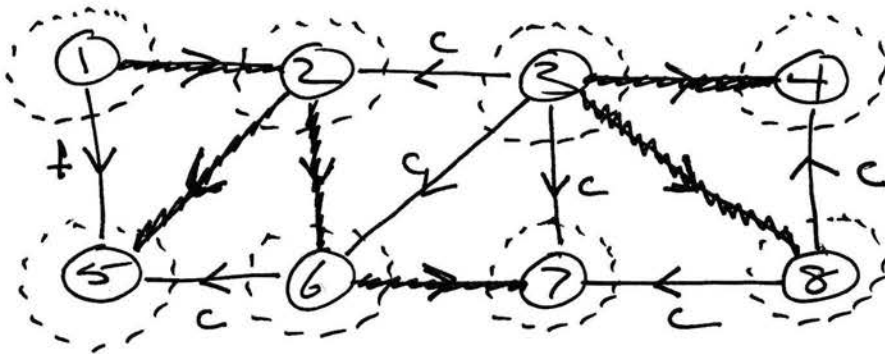
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Ex.



SCCs :  $\{1\}, \{2\}, \{3\}, \{4\}, \{5\},$   
 $\{6\}, \{7\}, \{8\}$

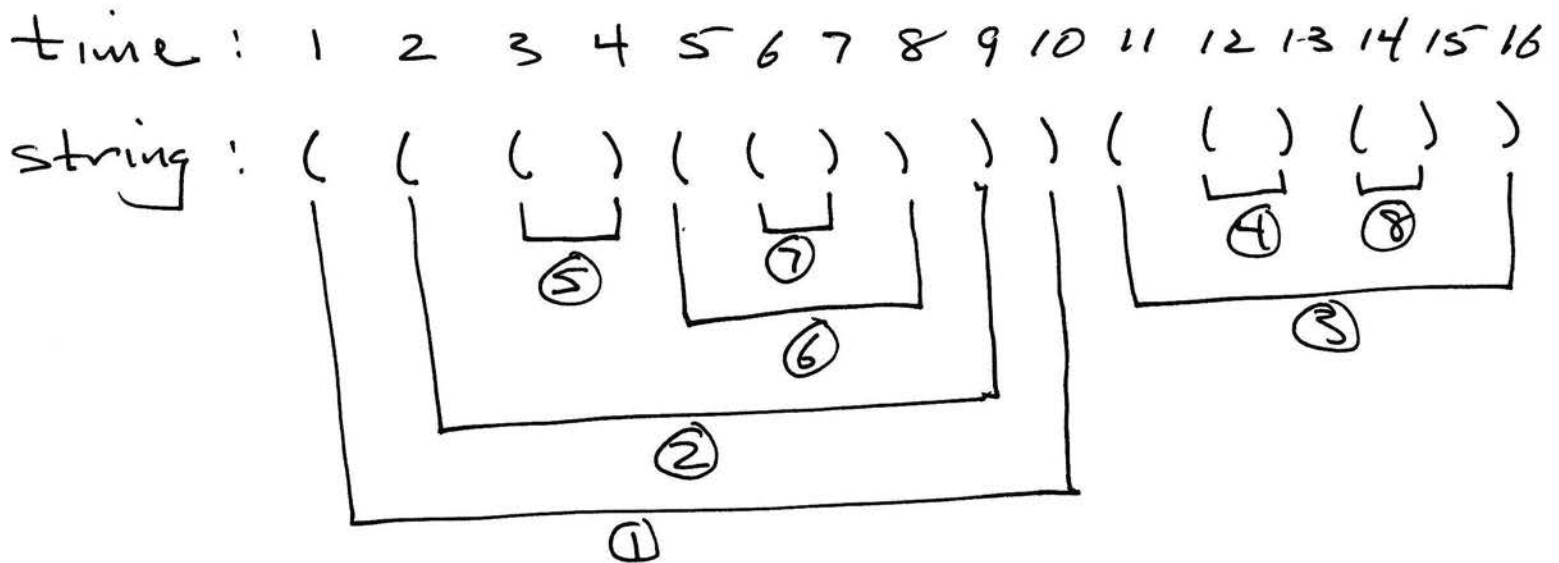
Parenthesis string :

• Run DFS.

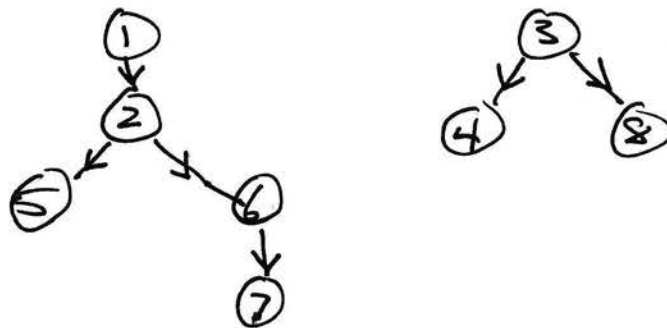
• for each discover event : '('

• for each finish event : ')'

Ex.



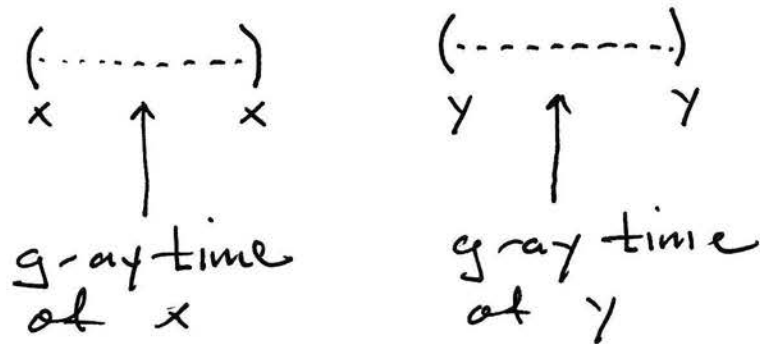
forest



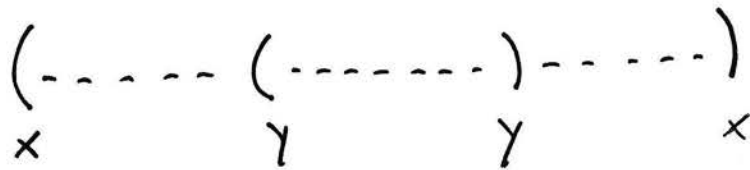
# Theorem: Parenthesis

If  $x, y \in V(G)$  and  $d[x] < d[y]$ , then exactly one of the following hold

$$(1) \quad d[x] < f[x] < d[y] < f[y]$$



or (2)  $d[x] < d[y] < f[y] < f[x]$



Note: (2) says:  $y$  is discovered while  $x$  is gray, also:  $y$  is a descendant of  $x$  (in some tree). Thus (1) says:  $y$  is not a descendant of  $x$ . (cousin in same tree, or other tree).

## Theorem: white Path

Let  $x, y \in V(G)$ . Then after  $\text{DFS}(G)$ ,  $y$  is a descendant of  $x$  if and only if at time  $d[x]$ ,  $G$  contains an  $x$ - $y$  Path consisting entirely of white vertices.

equivalently:

(2) in Parenthesis Thm is logically equivalent to: at time  $d[x]$ ,  $G$  contains a white  $x$ - $y$  Path.

Proof:

Think of  $\text{DFS}$  as a movie, with each time stamp being a frame.

a white  $x$ - $y$  Path in frame  $d[x]$  exist iff  $y$  is a descendant of  $x$  at end of movie.

## Edge classification :

- Tree edge : member of  $G_p$
- Back " : joins vertex to ancestor
- Forward " : joins ancestor to descendant (other than child)
- Cross " : cousin-to-cousin, or tree-to-tree

Ex. (last example)

Tree :  $(1, 2), (2, 5), (2, 6), (6, 7), (3, 4), (3, 8)$

Back :

Forward :  $(1, 5)$

Cross :  $(6, 5), (8, 4), (3, 2), (3, 6), (3, 7), (8, 7)$

cousin  
to  
cousin

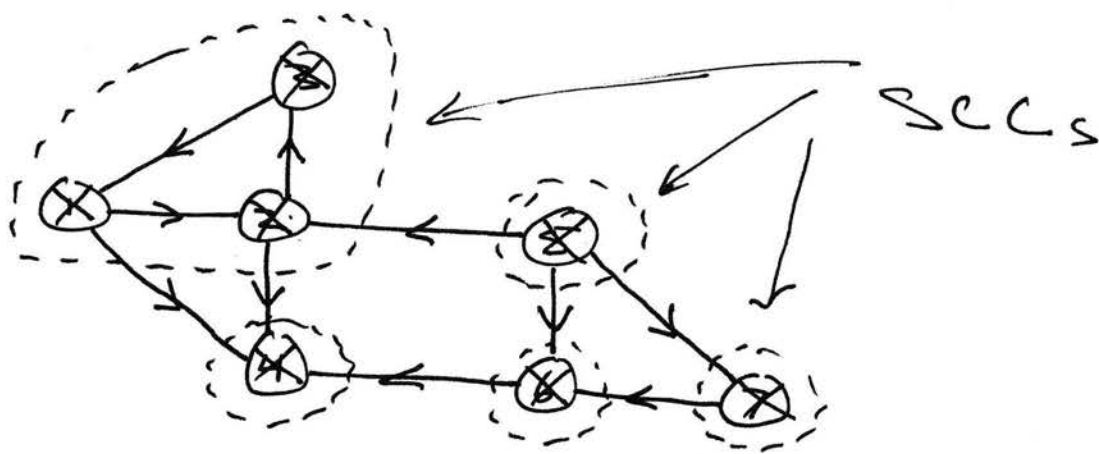
tree  
to  
tree

Note in an undirected graph, can't distinguish Back from Forward, so we call them Back edges. so we have just 3 categories.

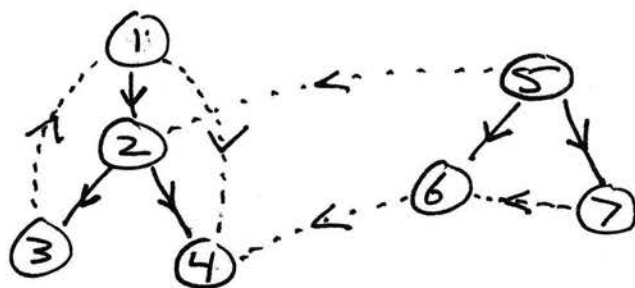
Thm

In an undirected graph, there are no cross edges.

Ex.



forest



Tree:  $(1, 2), (2, 3), (2, 4), (5, 6), (5, 7)$

Back:  $(3, 1)$

Forward:  $(1, 4)$

Cross:  $(7, 6), (5, 2), (6, 4)$   
                                                                                   
                     cousin                    tree-tree  
                     -cousin

### Exercise

- Run DFS on other examples.
- Modify DFS so it prints each edge with its classification (Problem 22.3-10 in ELRS.)

# Topological Sort

Let  $G = (V, E)$  be a digraph.

directed cycle:

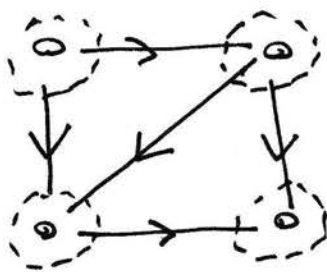


length      1                  2                  3                  4                  5                  ...

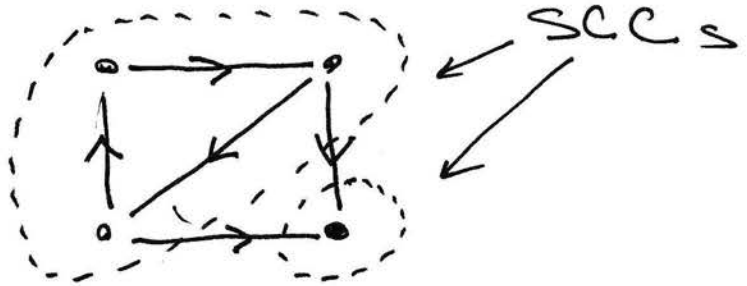
## Defn

A digraph is called acyclic iff it contains no directed cycle.

## Ex.



acyclic



not acyclic.



Theorem

a digraph  $G$  is acyclic iff  $\text{DFS}(G)$  yields no back edges.

equivalently

$\text{DFS}(G)$  yields a back edge iff  $G$  contains a directed cycle.

What is a topological sort?

!  
next time.