

Objectives

- Wrap up: Implementing BFS and DFS
- Graph Application: Bipartite Graphs

Turn in your problem set

Review

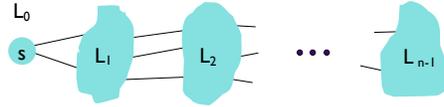
- What are two ways to find a connected component?
 - How are their results similar? Different?
- What was the runtime for BFS?
- What is the runtime for DFS?
 - Review what you have so far...

Review: Breadth-First Search

- **Intuition.** Explore outward from s in all possible directions (edges), adding nodes one "layer" at a time

- **Algorithm**

- $L_0 = \{s\}$
- $L_1 =$ all neighbors of L_0
- $L_2 =$ all nodes that have an edge to a node in L_1 and do not belong to L_0 or L_1
- $L_{i+1} =$ all nodes that have an edge to a node in L_i and do not belong to an earlier layer



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Analysis: Tighter Bound

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BFS(s, G):
  Discovered[v] = false, for all v
  Discovered[s] = true
  L[0] = {s}
  layer counter i = 0
  BFS tree T = {}
  while L[i] != {}
    L[i+1] = {}
    For each node u ∈ L[i]
      Consider each edge (u,v) incident to u
      if Discovered[v] == false then
        Discovered[v] = true
        Add edge (u, v) to tree T
        Add v to the list L[i + 1]
    i++
  
```

$O(n^2)$



Because we're going to look at each node at most once

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Analysis: Even Tighter Bound

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    i+=1
  
```

n (bracketed next to the initialization lines)
 $\sum_{u \in V} \deg(u) = 2m$ (bracketed next to the inner loop)
 $O(\deg(u))$ (arrow pointing to the inner loop)
 At most n (bracketed next to the while loop)

$\rightarrow O(n+m)$

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Implementing DFS

- Keep nodes to be processed in a *stack*

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DFS(s, G):
  Initialize S to be a stack with one element s
  Explored[v] = false, for all v
  Parent[v] = 0, for all v
  DFS tree T = {}
  while S != {}
    Take a node u from S
    if Explored[u] = false
      Explored[u] = true
      Add edge (u, Parent[u]) to T (if u ≠ s)
      for each edge (u, v) incident to u
        Add v to the stack S
        Parent[v] = u
  
```

What is the runtime?

How many times is a node added/removed from the stack?

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Analyzing DFS

$O(n+m)$

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      Add edge (u, Parent[u]) to T (if u ≠ s)
  deg(u) for each edge (u, v) incident to u
    Add v to the stack S
    Parent[v] = u
  
```

A node is added/removed from the stack $2 \cdot \text{deg}(u)$
 All nodes are added $2m = O(m)$ times

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Analyzing Finding All Connected Components

- How can we find the set of all connected components of the graph?

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R* = set of connected components (a set of sets)
while there is a node that does not belong to R*
  select s not in R*
  R = {s}
  while there is an edge (u,v) where u ∈ R and v ∉ R
    add v to R
  Add R to R*
  
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But the inner loop is $O(m+n)$!
 How can this RT be possible?

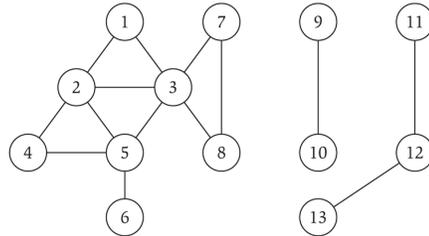
Claim: Running time is $O(m+n)$

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Consider: Finding All Connected Components for This Graph



- What would the process look like?
- What is the runtime for the major steps?

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Set of All Connected Components

- How can we find the set of all connected components of the graph?

R^* = set of connected components (a set of sets)

while there is a node that does not belong to R^*

select s not in R^*

$R = \{s\}$

while there is an edge (u,v) where $u \in R$ and $v \notin R$

add v to R

Add R to R^*

Imprecision in the running time
of inner loop: $O(m+n)$

But that's m and n of the
connected component,
let's say m_i and n_i .
 $\sum_i O(m_i + n_i) = O(m+n)$

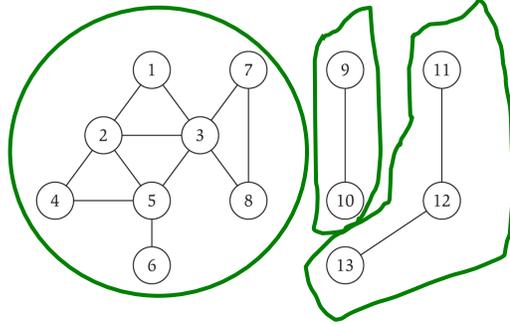
Where i is the subscript of the
connected component

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Consider: Finding All Connected Components for This Graph



- Find each connected component
 - Runtime: that connected component's nodes and edges

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BIPARTITE GRAPHS

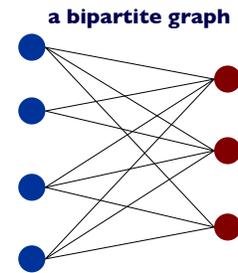
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Bipartite Graphs

- Def. An undirected graph $G = (V, E)$ is **bipartite** if the nodes can be colored red or blue such that every edge has one red and one blue end
 - Generally: vertices divided into sets X and Y
- Applications:
 - Stable matching:
 - men = red, women = blue
 - Scheduling:
 - machines = red, jobs = blue



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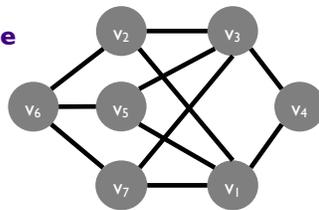
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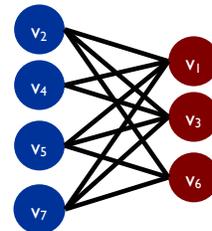
Testing Bipartiteness

- Given a graph G , is it bipartite?
- Many graph problems become:
 - Easier if underlying graph is bipartite (e.g., matching)
 - Tractable if underlying graph is bipartite (e.g., independent set)
- Before designing an algorithm, need to understand structure of bipartite graphs

a bipartite graph G :



another drawing of G :



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How Can We Determine if a Graph is Bipartite?

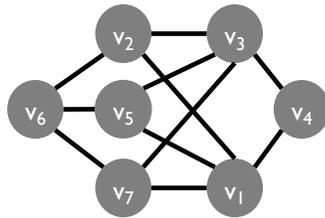
- Given a connected graph

Why connected?

1. Color one node red

- Doesn't matter which color (Why?)

➤ What should we do next?



- How will we know when we're finished?
- What does this process sound like?

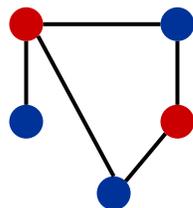
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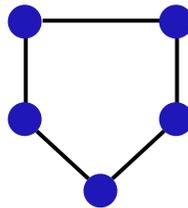
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An Obstruction to Bipartiteness

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**bipartite
(2-colorable)**



**not bipartite
(not 2-colorable)**

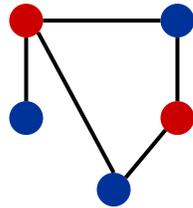
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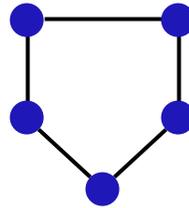
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- **Lemma.** If a graph G is bipartite, it cannot contain an odd-length cycle.
- **Pf.** Not possible to 2-color the odd cycle, let alone G .



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If find an odd cycle,
graph is NOT bipartite

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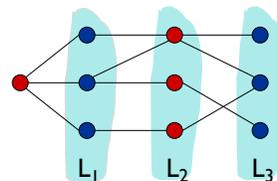
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How Can We Determine if a Graph is Bipartite?

- Given a connected graph
 - Color one node red
 - Doesn't matter which color (Why?)
 - What should we do next?
- How will we know that we're finished?
- What does this process sound like?
 - BFS: alternating colors, layers

How can we implement the algorithm?



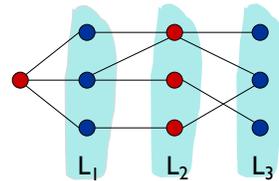
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Implementing Algorithm

- Modify BFS to have a Color array
- When add v to list $L[i+1]$
 - $\text{Color}[v] = \text{red}$ if $i+1$ is even
 - $\text{Color}[v] = \text{blue}$ if $i+1$ is odd



What is the running time of this algorithm? $O(n+m)$

Marks a change in how we think about algorithms
Starting to apply known algorithms to solve new problems

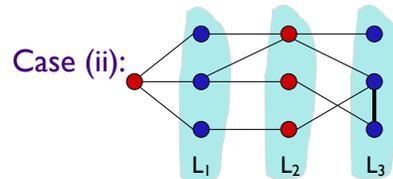
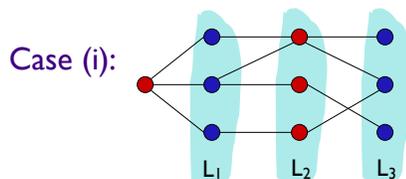
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Analyzing Algorithm's Correctness

- **Lemma.** Let G be a connected graph, and let L_0, \dots, L_k be the layers produced by BFS starting at node s . Exactly one of the following holds:
 - (i) No edge of G joins two nodes of the same layer
 ➔ G is bipartite
 - (ii) An edge of G joins two nodes of the same layer
 ➔ G contains an odd-length cycle and hence is not bipartite



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- **Pf. (i)**

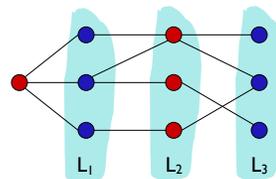
➤ Suppose no edge joins two nodes in the same layer

➤ Implies all edges join nodes on adjacent level

➤ **Bipartition**

➤ red = nodes on odd levels

➤ blue = nodes on even levels



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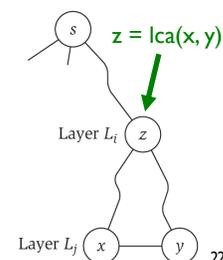
- **Pf. (ii)**

➤ Suppose (x, y) is an edge with x, y in same level L_j .

➤ Let $z = \text{lca}(x, y) =$ lowest common ancestor

➤ Let L_i be level containing z

➤ Consider cycle that takes edge from x to y , then path $y \rightarrow z$, then path from $z \rightarrow x$



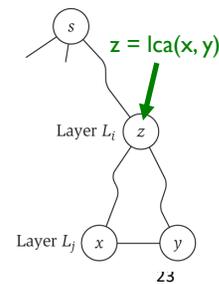
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 - Consider cycle that takes edge from x to y , then path $y \rightarrow z$, then path $z \rightarrow x$
 - Its length is $1 + \underbrace{(j-i)}_{\text{path from } y \text{ to } z} + \underbrace{(j-i)}_{\text{path from } z \text{ to } x}$, which is odd

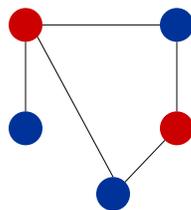


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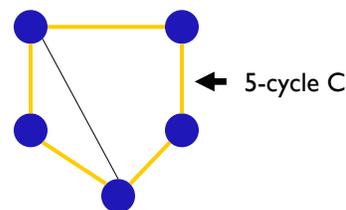
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- **Corollary.** A graph G is bipartite *iff* it contains no odd length cycle.



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Graph Summary So Far

- What do we know about graphs?

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Graph Summary So Far

- What do we know about graphs?
 - Representation: Adjacency List, Space $O(n+m)$
 - Connectivity
 - BFS, DFS – $O(n+m)$
- Can apply BFS for Bipartite – $O(n+m)$

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Second verse, similar to the first.
But directed!

DIRECTED GRAPHS

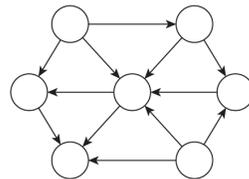
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Directed Graphs $G = (V, E)$

- Edge (u, v) goes from node u to node v



- **Example:** Web graph - hyperlink points from one web page to another
 - Directedness of graph is crucial
 - Modern web search engines exploit hyperlink structure to rank web pages by importance

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Representing Directed Graphs

- For each node, keep track of
 - Out edges (where links go)
 - In edges (from where links come in)
 - Space required?
- Could only store *out* edges
 - Figure out *in* edges with increased computation/time
 - Useful to have both *in* and *out* edges

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CONNECTIVITY IN DIRECTED GRAPHS

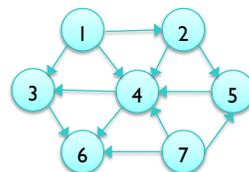
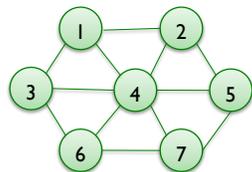
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Graph Search

- How does *reachability* change with directed graphs?



- Example: Web crawler
 - Start from web page s .
 - Find all web pages linked from s , either directly or indirectly.

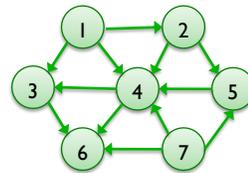
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Graph Search

- **Directed reachability.** Given a node s , find all nodes reachable from s .
- **Directed s - t shortest path problem.** Given two nodes s and t , what is the length of the shortest path between s and t ?
 - Not necessarily the same as $t \rightarrow s$ shortest path
- **Graph search.** BFS and DFS extend naturally to directed graphs
 - Trace through out edges
 - Run in $O(m+n)$ time



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Problem

- Find all nodes with paths **to** s
 - Rather than paths from s to other nodes

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Problem/Solution

- **Problem.** Find all nodes with paths **to** s
- **Solution.** Run BFS on *in edges* instead of out edges