



DS-210: PROGRAMMING FOR DATA SCIENCE

LECTURE 29

- 1. GRAPH EXPLORATION OVERVIEW**
- 2. BREADTH-FIRST SEARCH (BFS)**
- 3. DEPTH-FIRST SEARCH (DFS)**
- 4. BONUS CONTENT: STRONGLY CONNECTED COMPONENTS**



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 - example: PageRank (see Homework 10)





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In [3]: impl Graph {
    fn add_directed_edges(&mut self,
                        edges:&ListOfEdges) {
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            self.outedges[*u].push(*v);
        }
    }

    fn create_directed(n:usize, edges:&ListOfEdges)
        -> Graph {
        let mut g = Graph{n,outedges:vec![vec![];n]};
        g.add_directed_edges(edges);
        g
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    fn create_undirected(n:usize, edges:&ListOfEdges)
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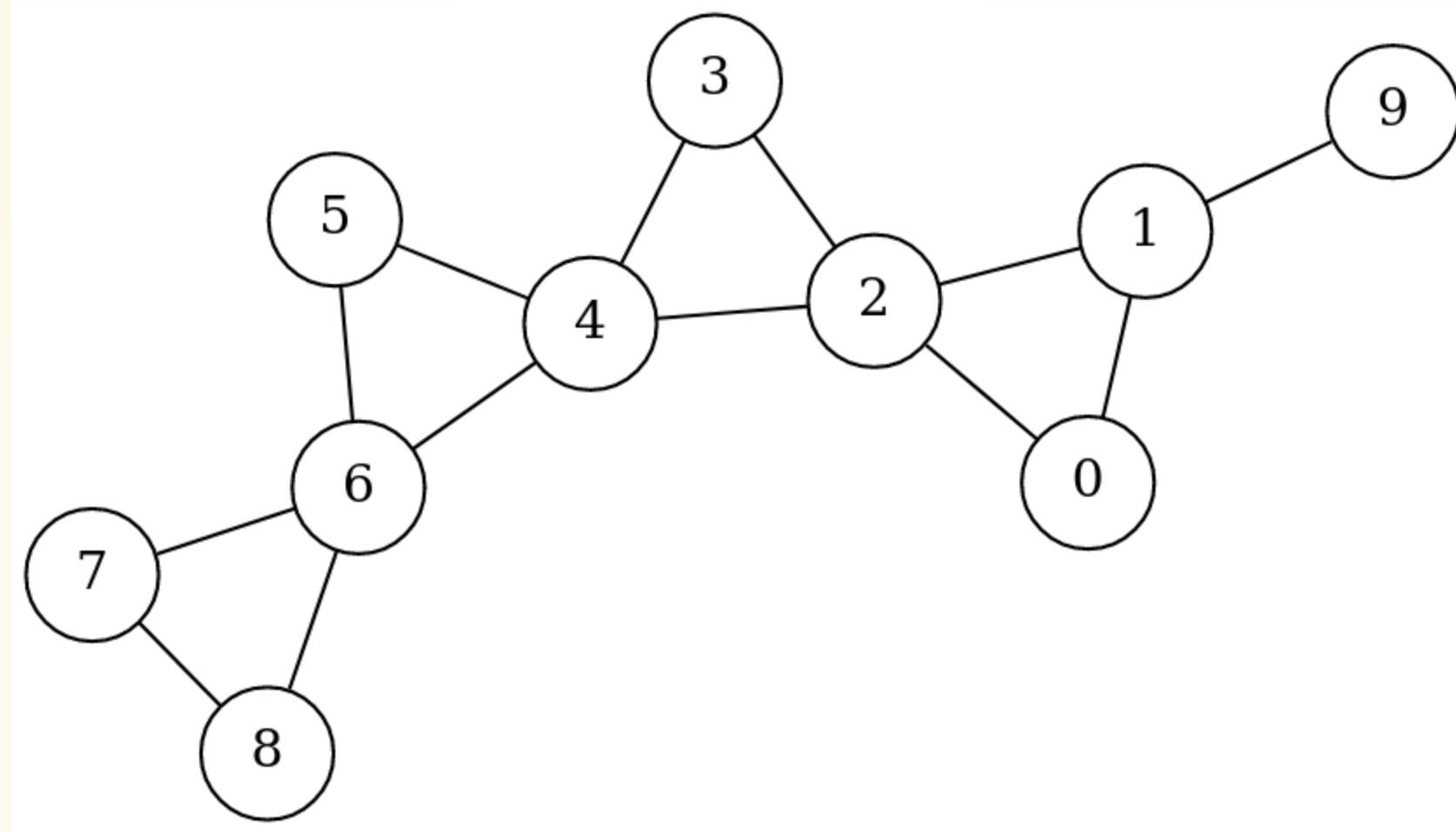
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SAMPLE GRAPH



```
In [4]: let n: usize = 10;  
let edges: ListOfEdges = vec![(0,1),(0,2),(1,2),(2,4),(2,3),(4,3),(4,5),(5,6),(4,6),(6,8),(6,7),(8,7),(1,9)];  
let graph = Graph::create_undirected(n,&edges);  
graph
```

```
Out[4]: Graph { n: 10, outedges: [[1, 2], [2, 9, 0], [4, 3, 0, 1], [2, 4], [3, 5, 6, 2], [6, 4], [8, 7, 5, 4], [6, 8], [7, 6], [1]] }
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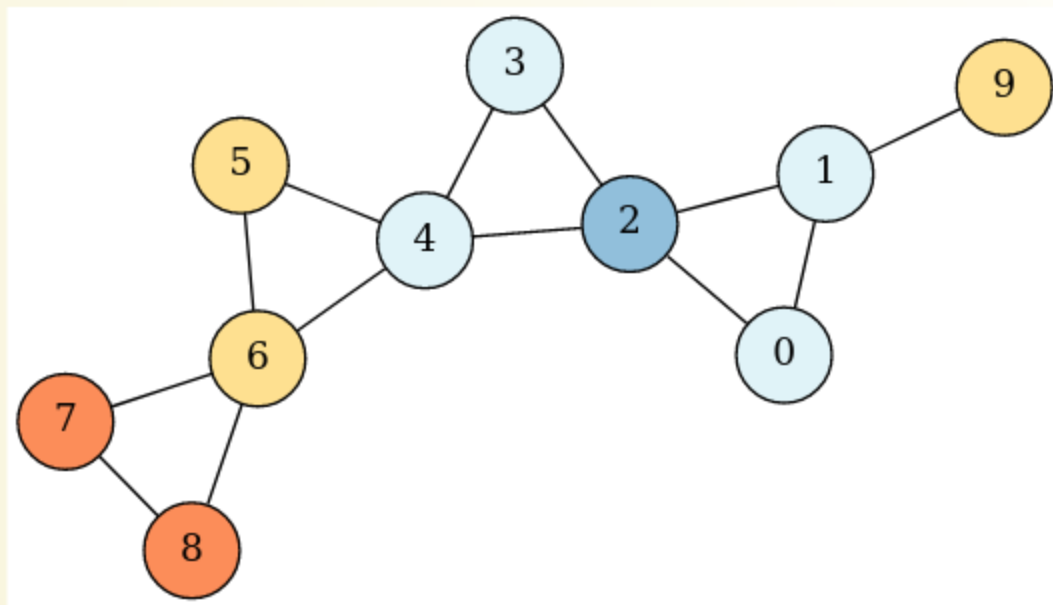


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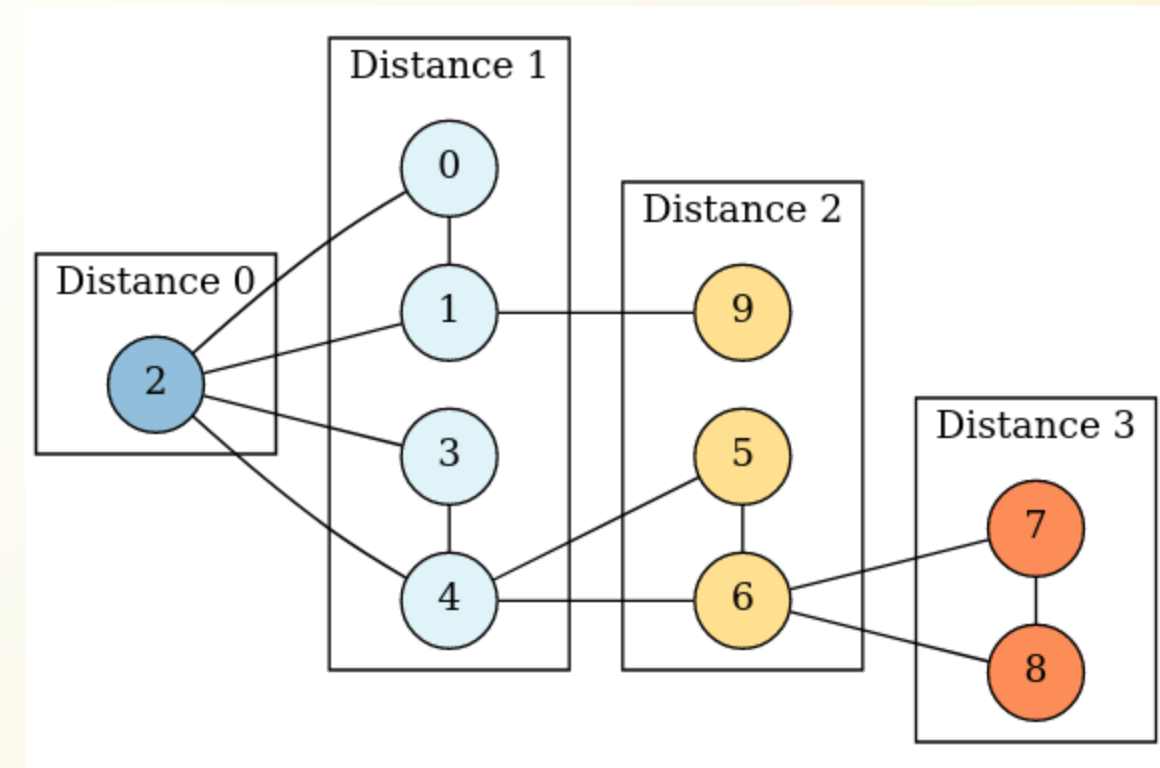
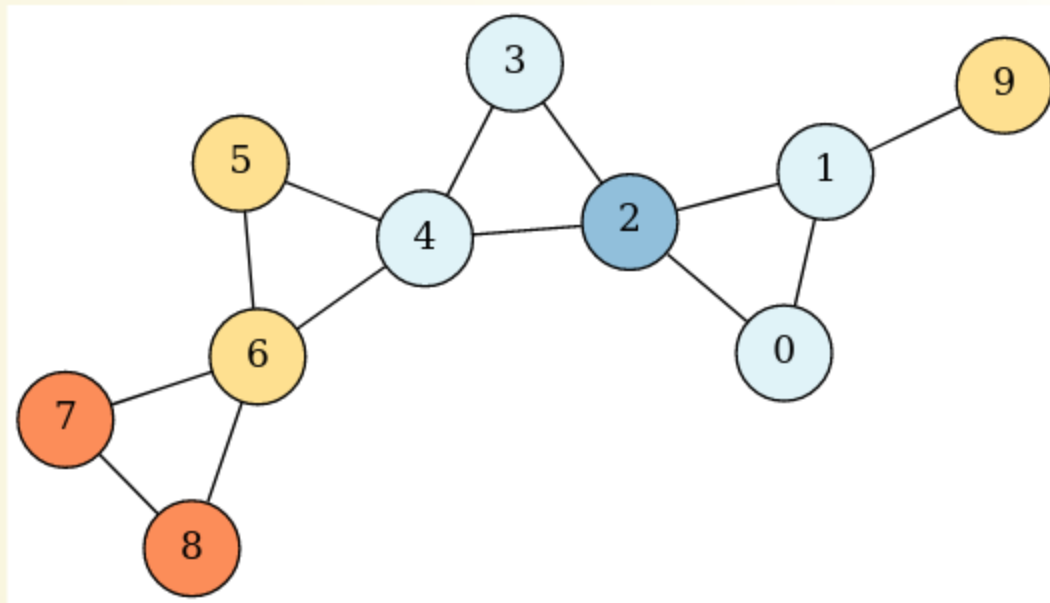


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let mut distance: Vec<Option<u32>> = vec![None;graph.n];
distance[start] = Some(0); // <= we know this distance
distance
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`queue`: vertices to consider, they will arrive layer by layer

```
In [6]: use std::collections::VecDeque;
let mut queue: VecDeque<Vertex> = VecDeque::new();
queue.push_back(start);
queue
```

```
Out[6]: [2]
```



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    for u in graph.outedges[v].iter() {
        if let None = distance[*u] { // consider all unprocessed neighbors of v
            distance[*u] = Some(distance[v].unwrap() + 1);
            queue.push_back(*u);
            println!("{:?}", queue);
        }
    }
};
```

```
[2]
[]
[4]
[4, 3]
[4, 3, 0]
[4, 3, 0, 1]
[3, 0, 1]
[3, 0, 1, 5]
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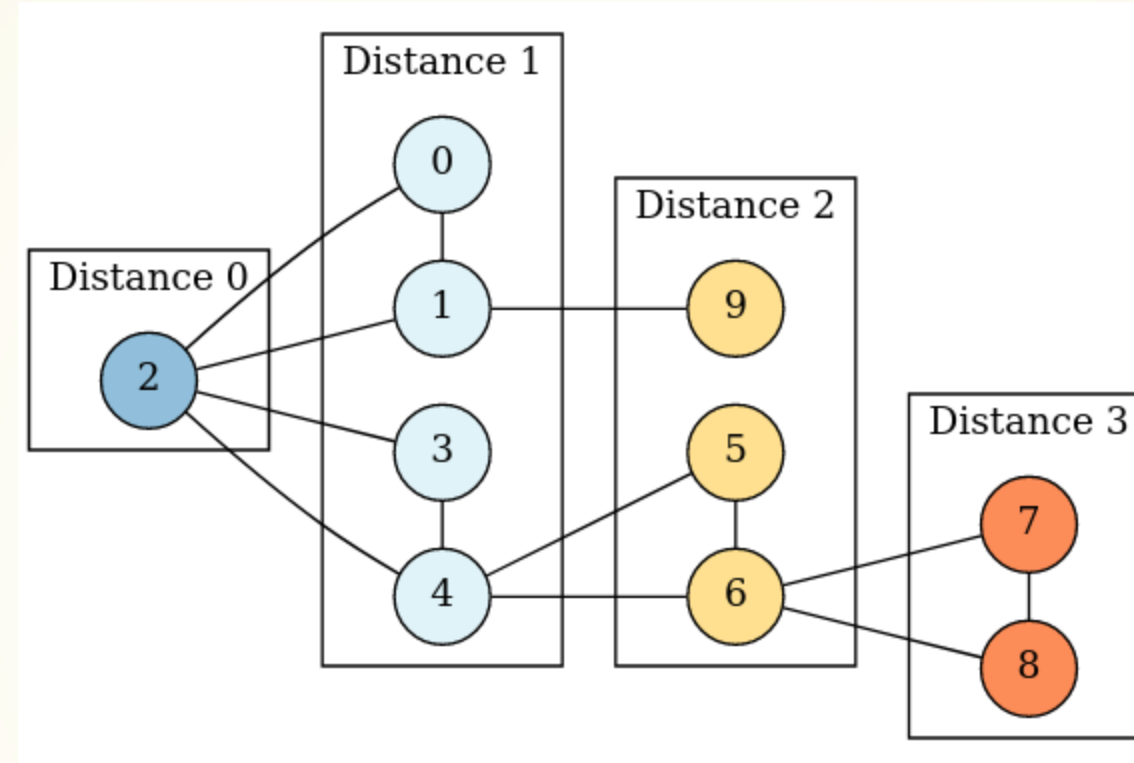
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```





IMPLEMENTATION: COMPUTE DISTANCES FROM VERTEX 2 VIA BFS

Compare results:



```
In [8]: print!("vertex:distance");  
for v in 0..graph.n {  
    print!("  {}:{}",v,distance[v].unwrap());  
}  
println!();
```

```
vertex:distance  0:1  1:1  2:0  3:1  4:1  5:2  6:2  7:3  8:3  9:2
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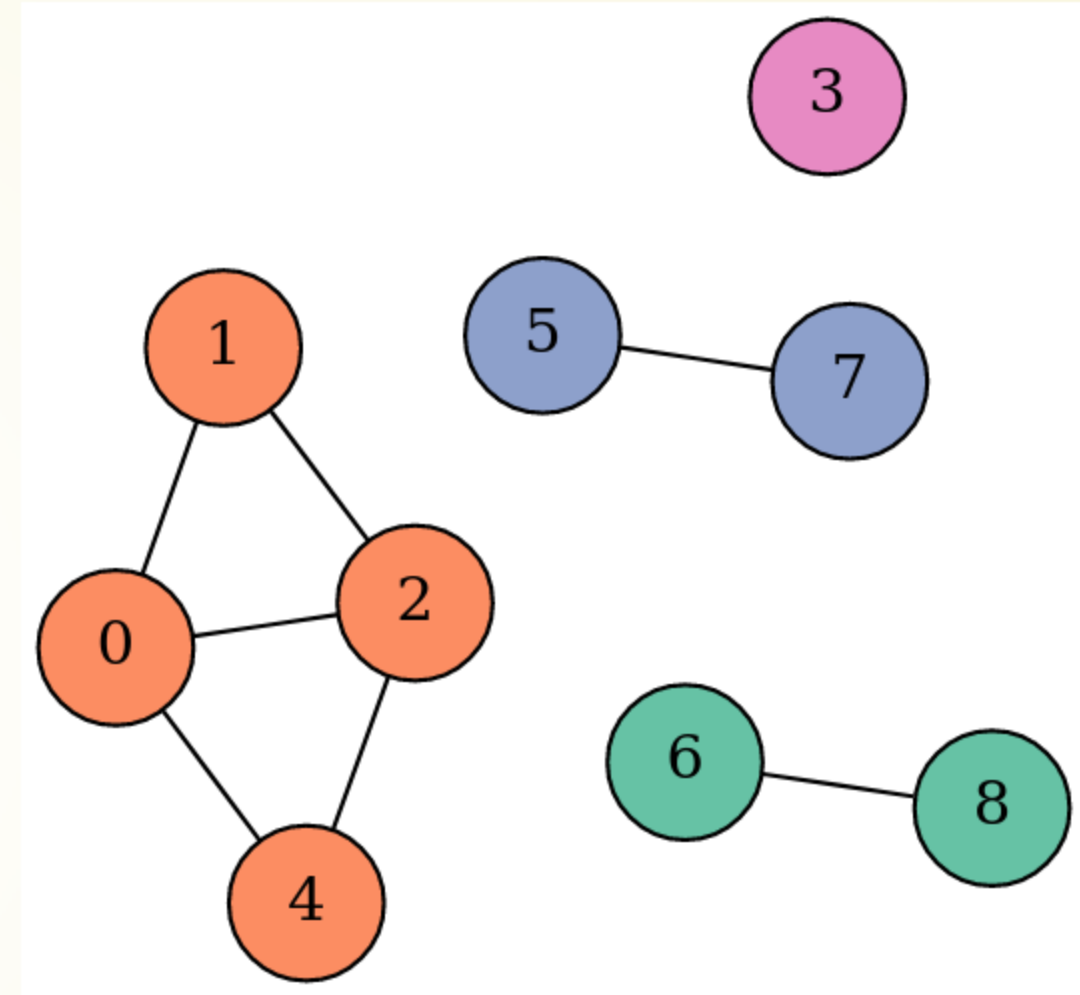




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a maximal set of vertices that are connected

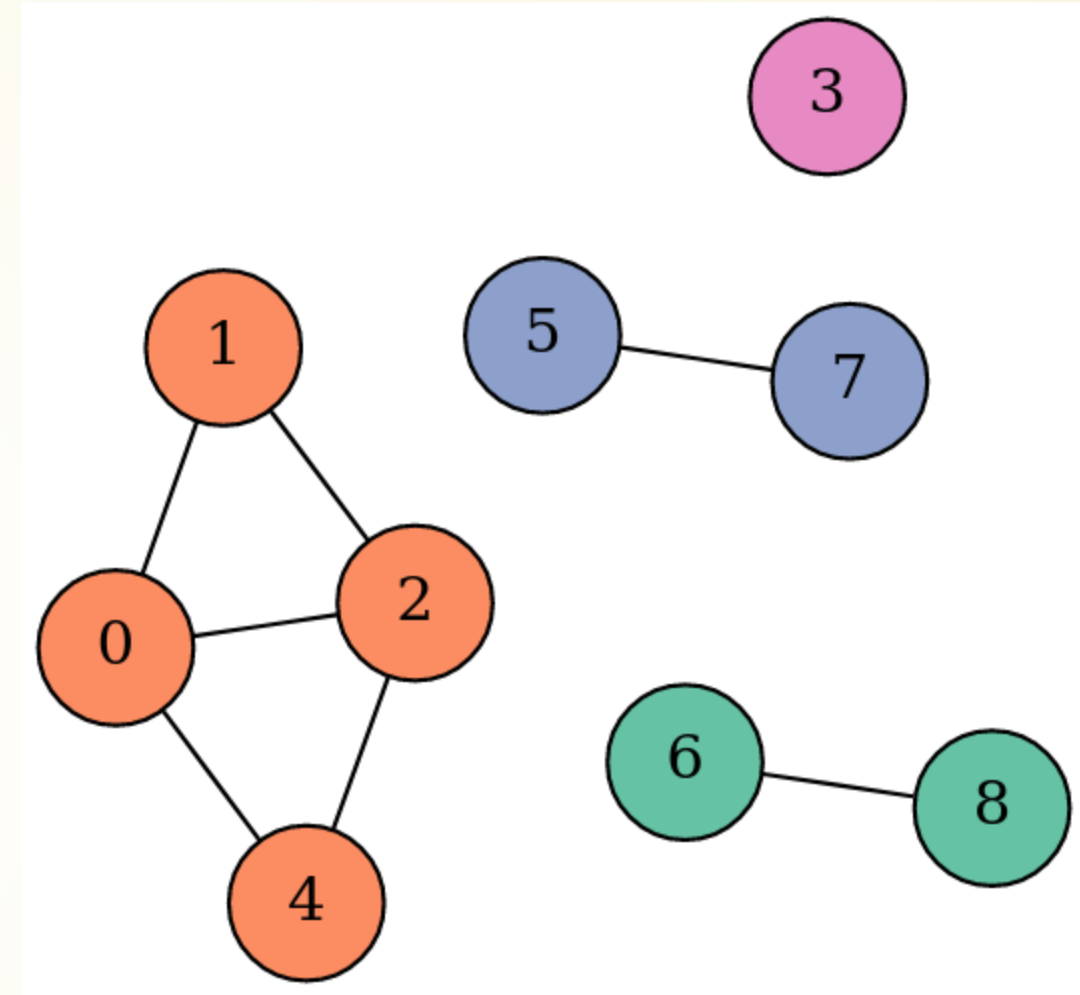




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Sample graph:

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let graph = Graph::create_undirected(n, &edges);
```





DISCOVERING VERTICES OF A CONNECTED COMPONENT VIA BFS

`component[v]`: `v`'s component's number (`None` \equiv not assigned yet)

```
In [10]: type Component = usize;

fn mark_component_bfs(vertex:Vertex, graph:&Graph, component:&mut Vec<Option<Component>>, component_no:Component) {
    component[vertex] = Some(component_no);

    let mut queue = std::collections::VecDeque::new();
    queue.push_back(vertex);

    while let Some(v) = queue.pop_front() {
        for w in graph.outedges[v].iter() {
            if let None = component[*w] {
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                queue.push_back(*w);
            }
        }
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}
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MARKING ALL CONNECTED COMPONENTS

Loop over all unassigned vertices and assign component numbers

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let mut component_count = 0;
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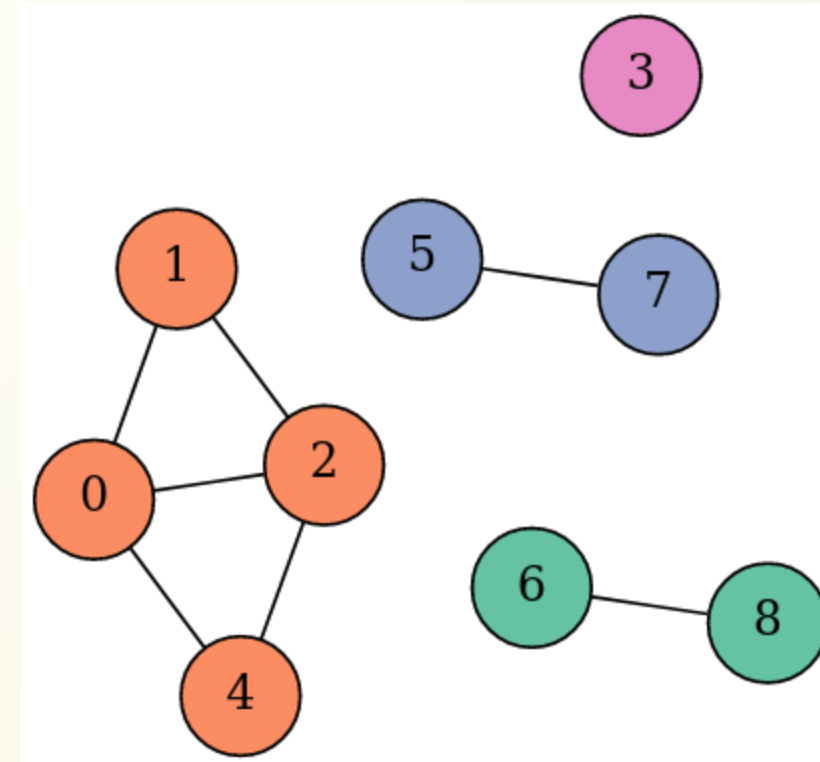
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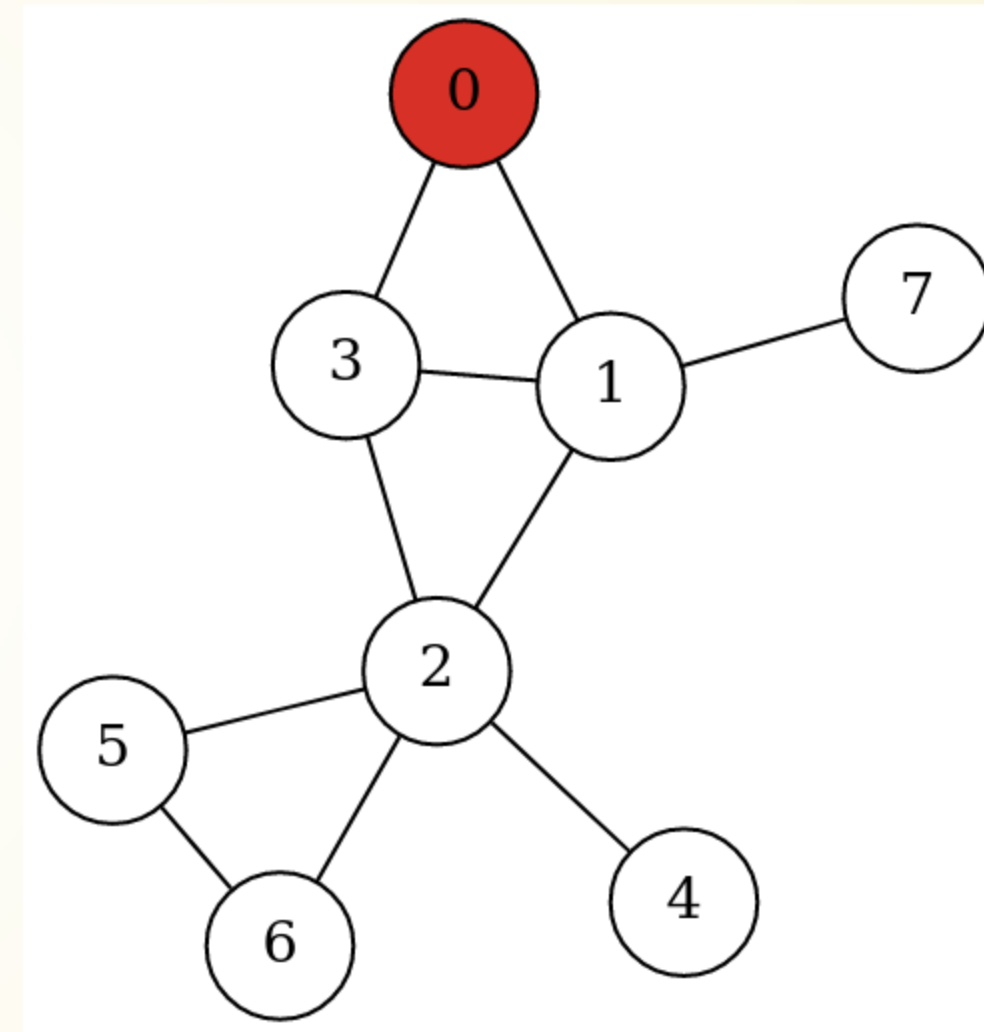




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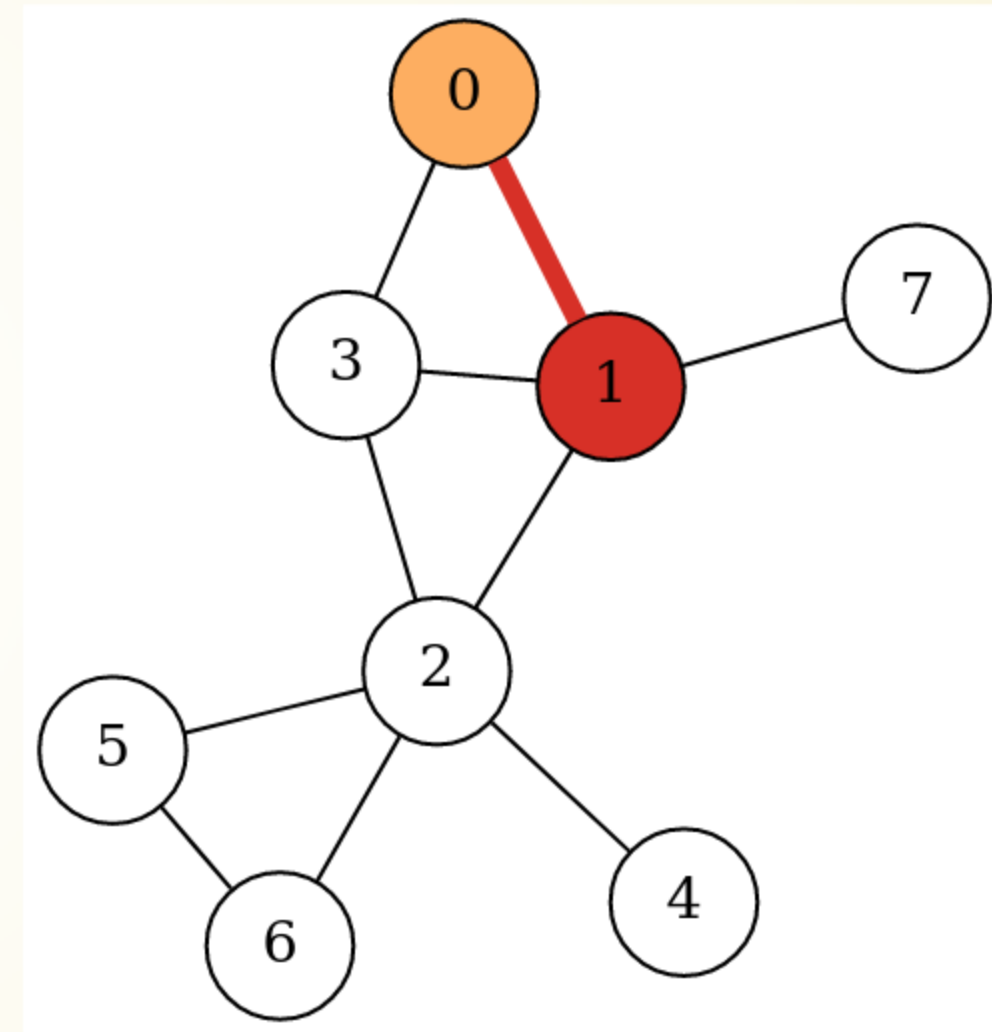




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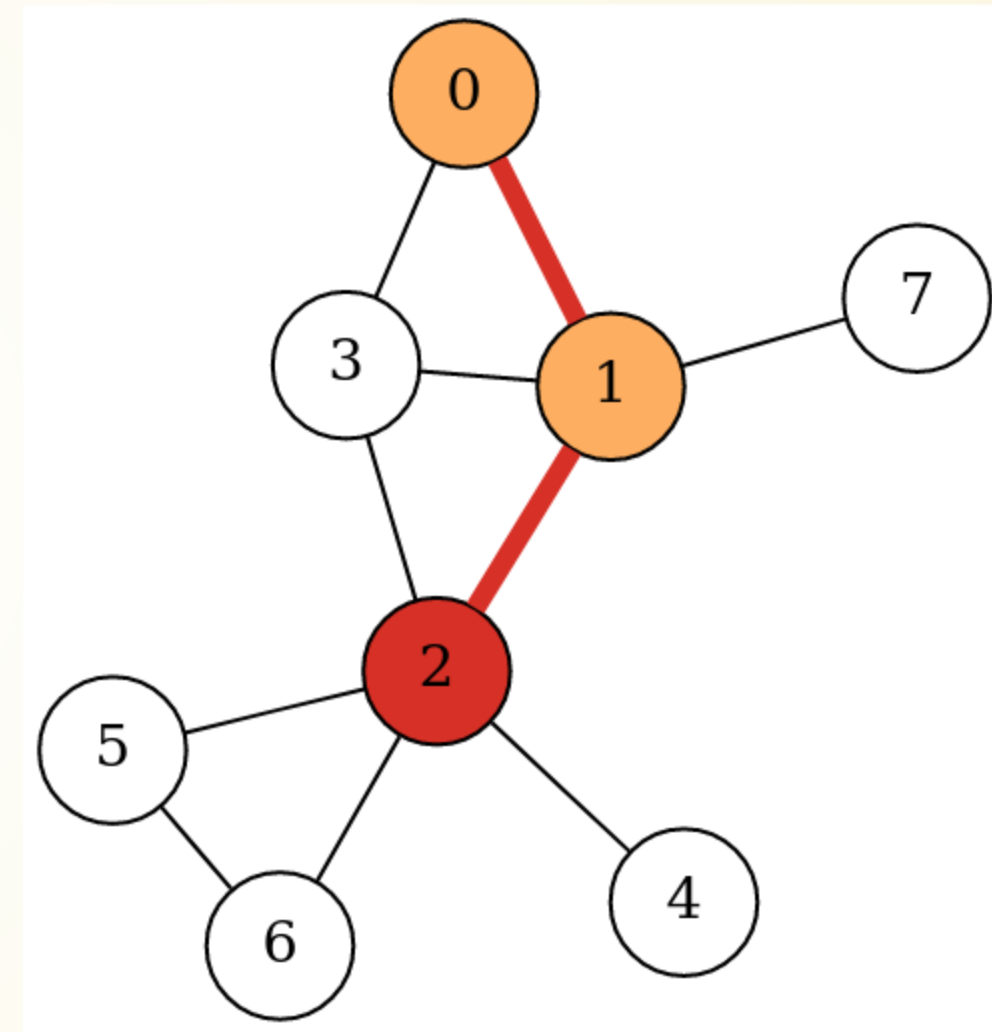




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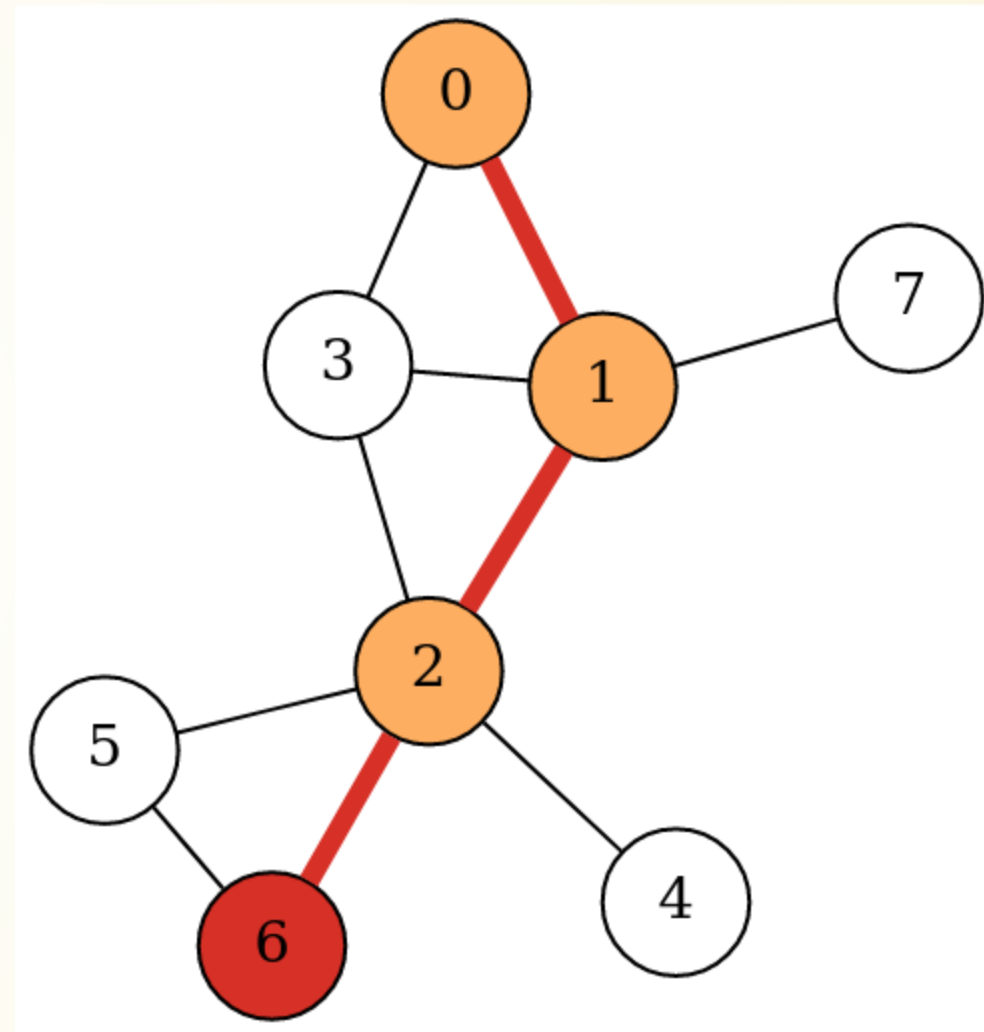




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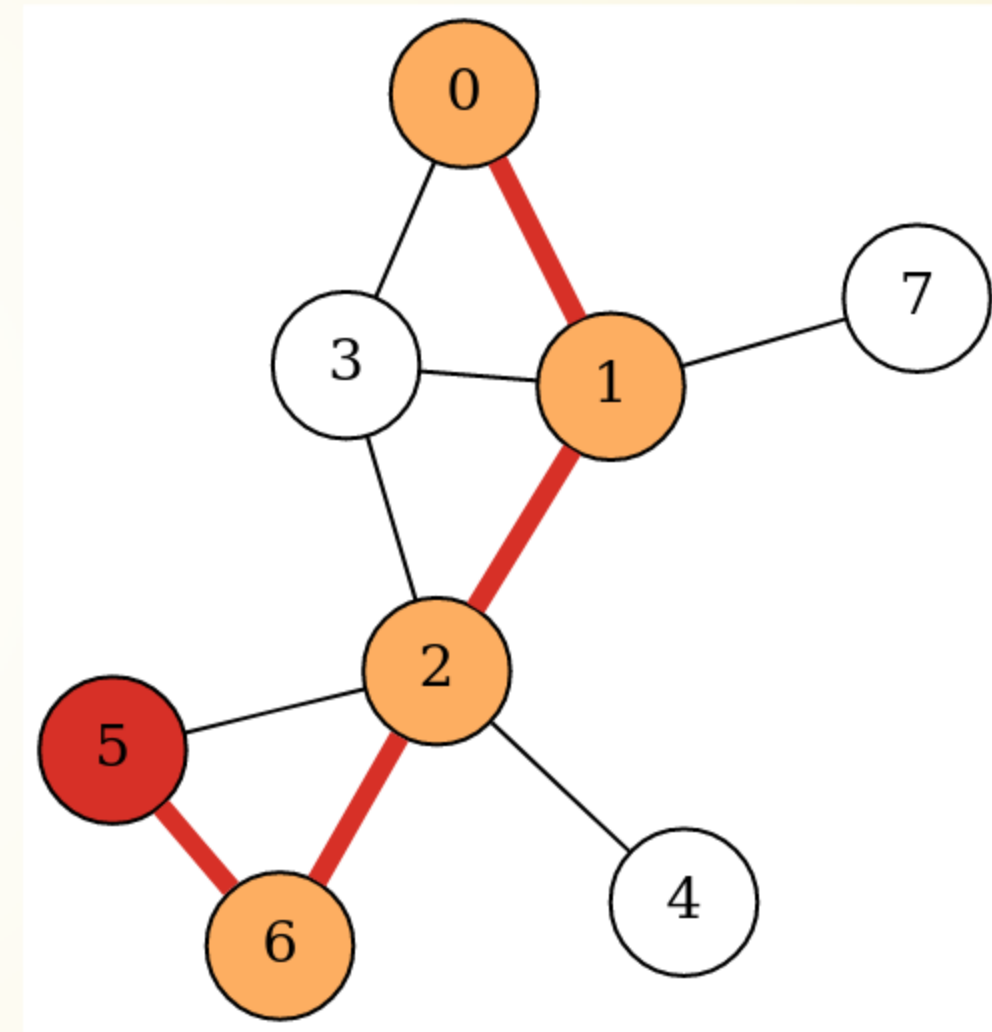




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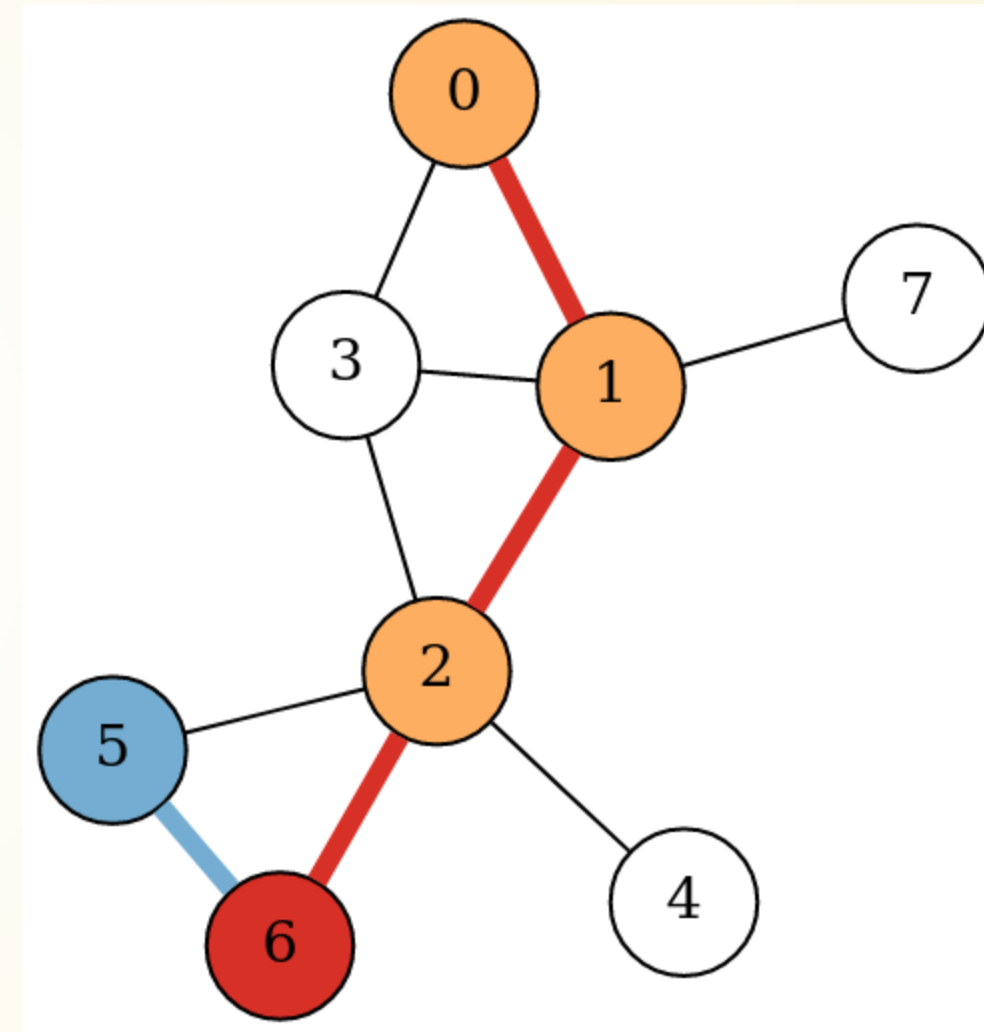




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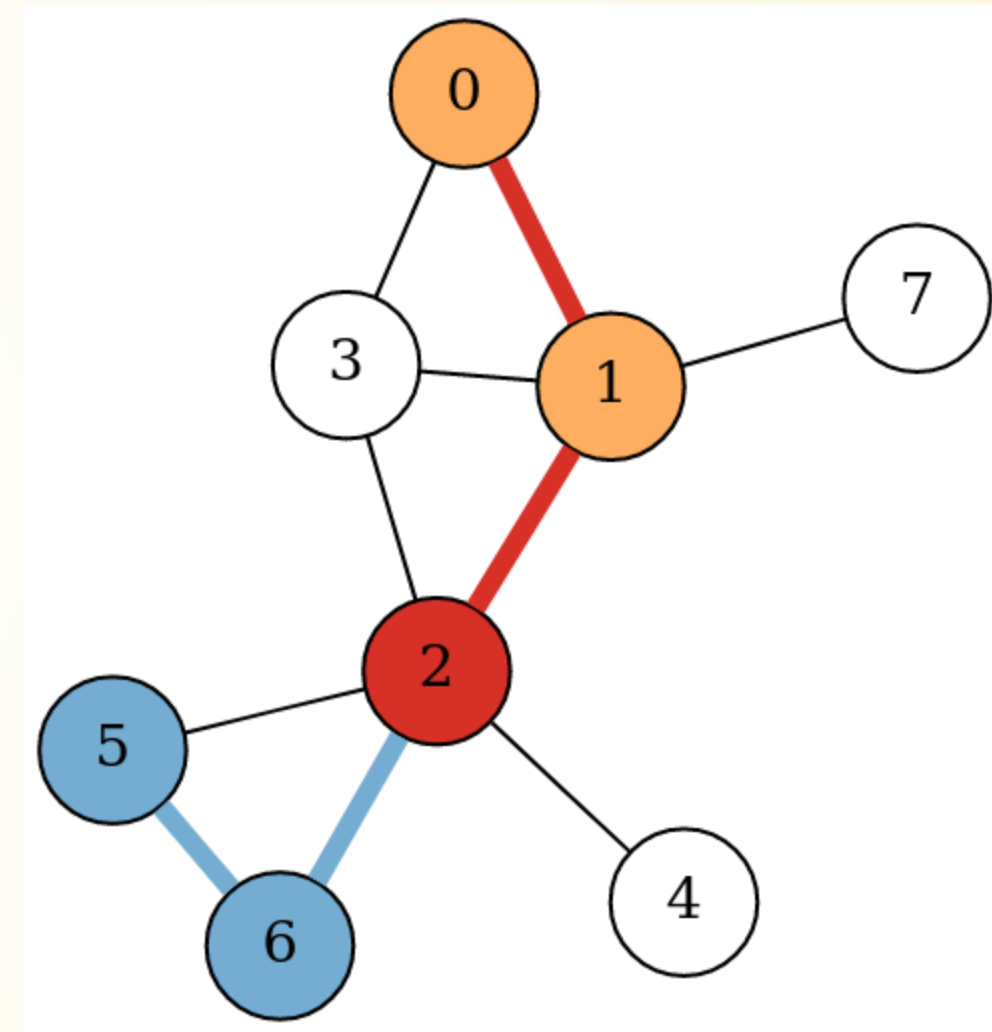




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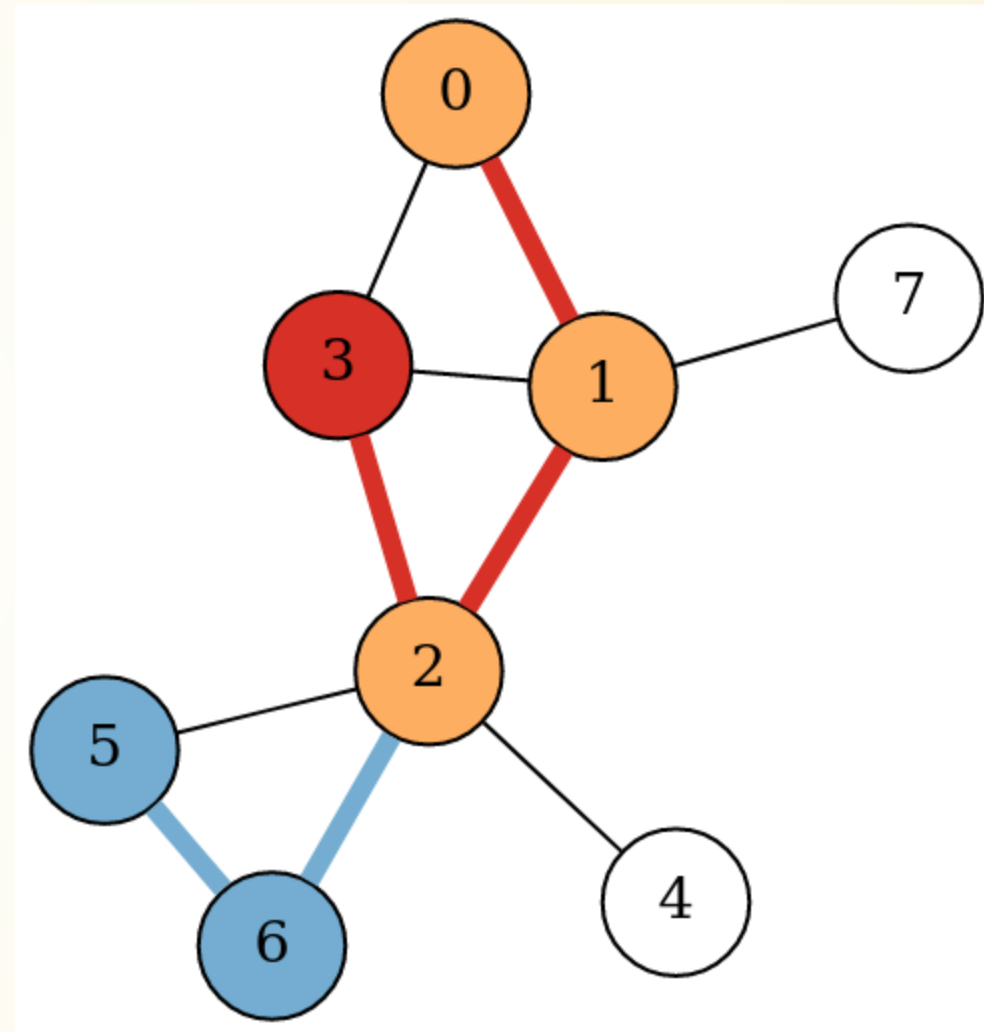




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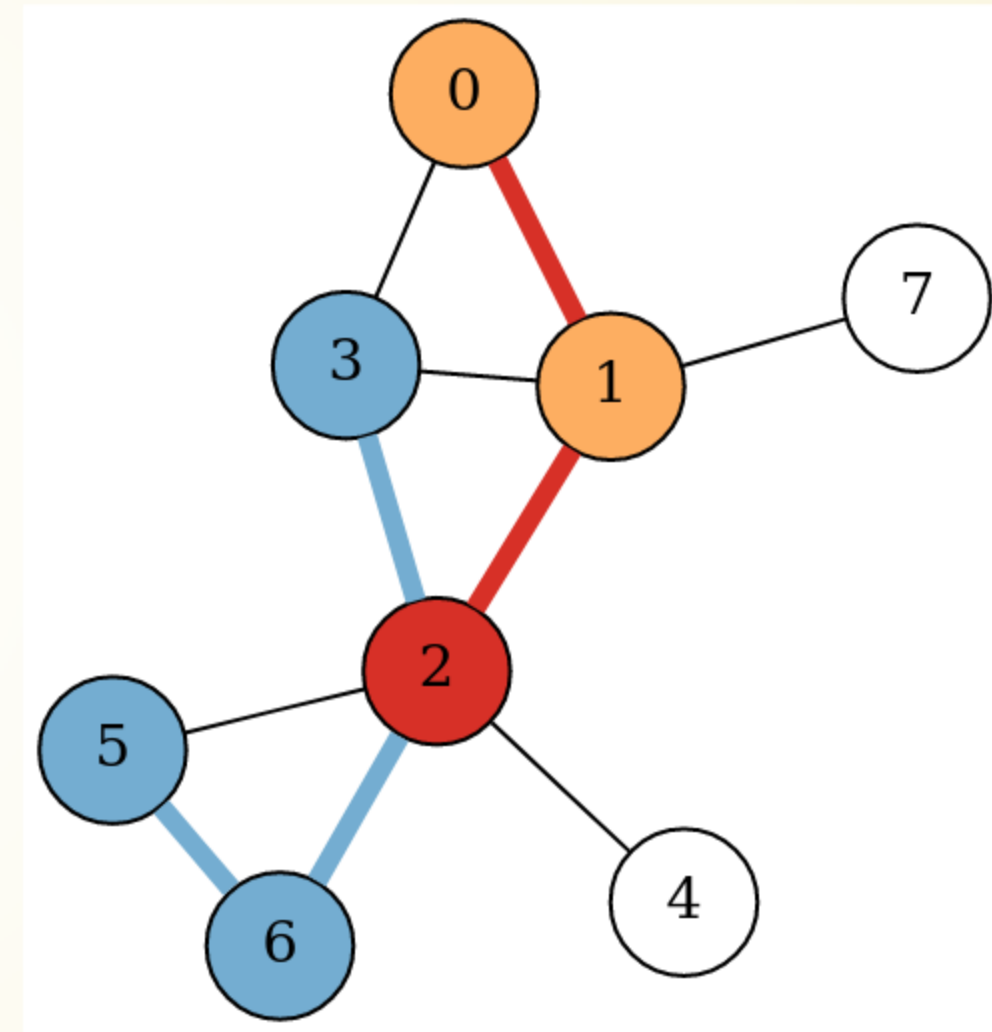




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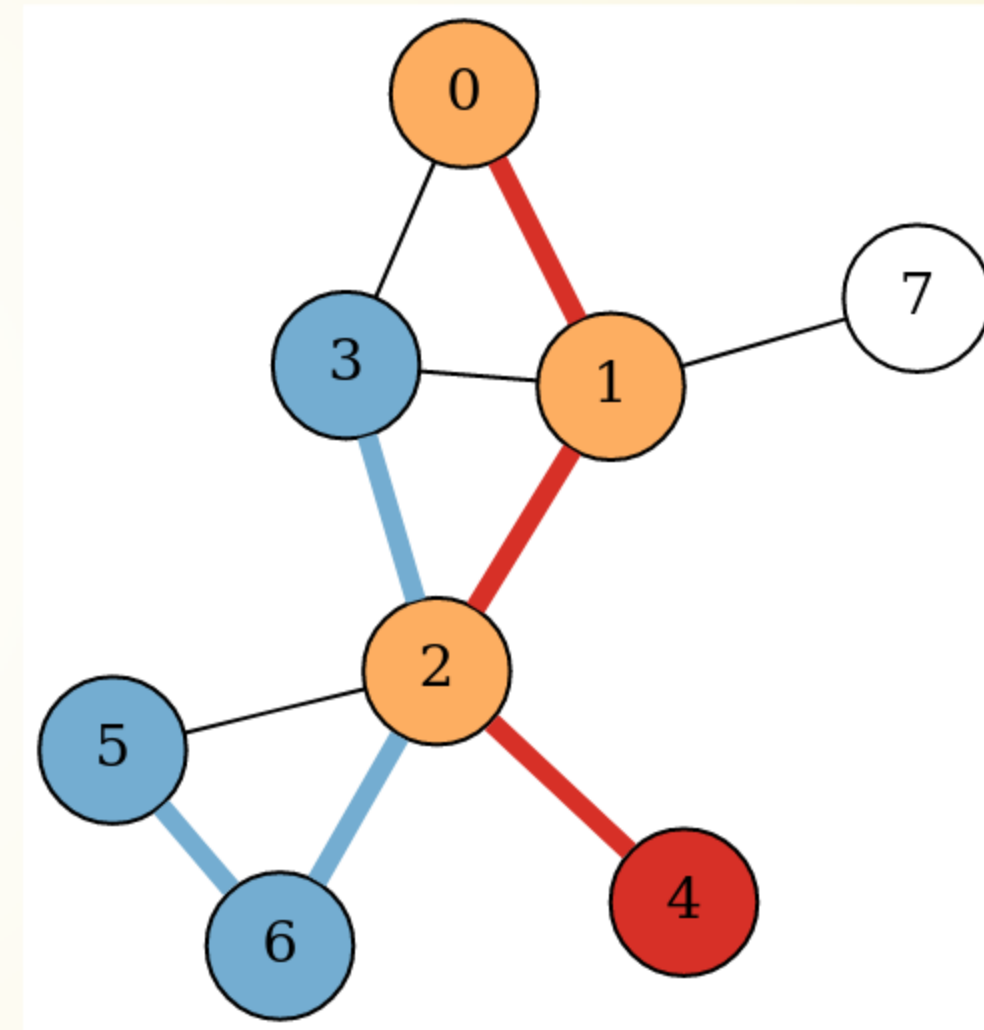




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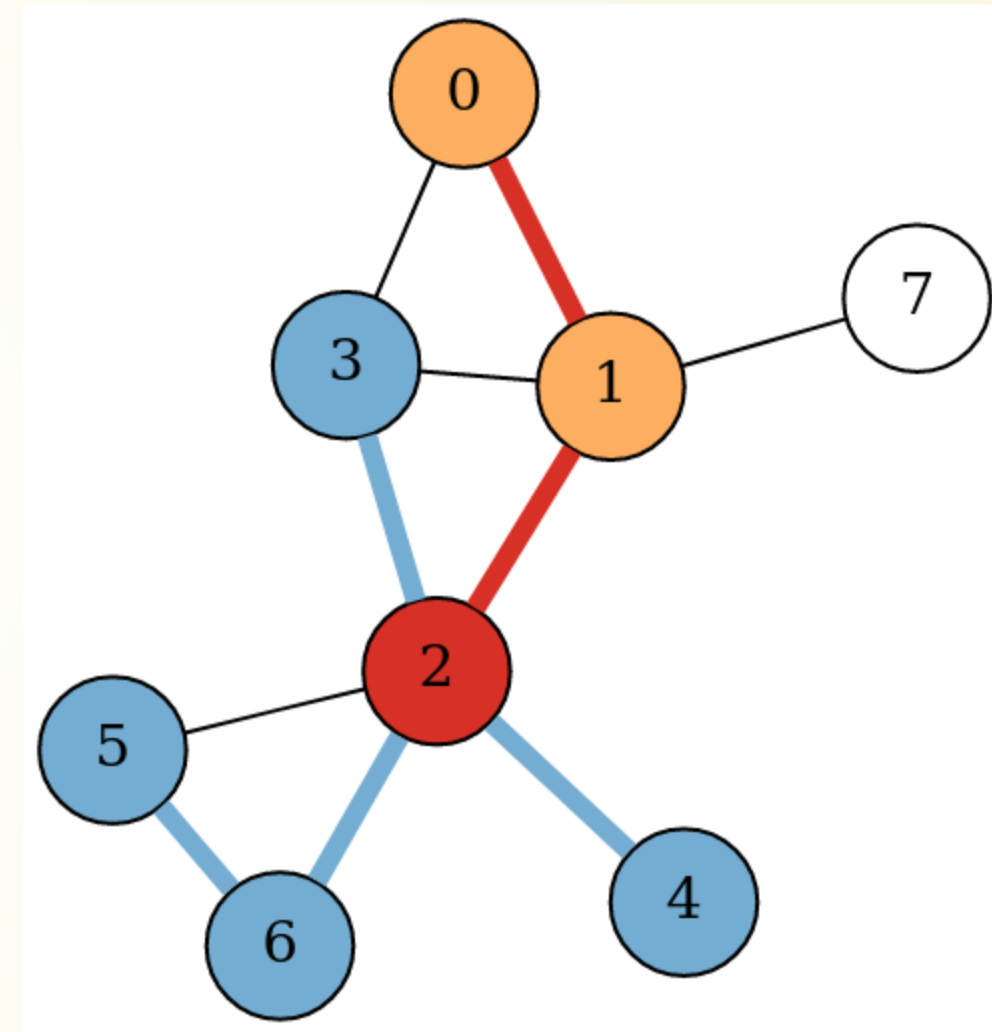




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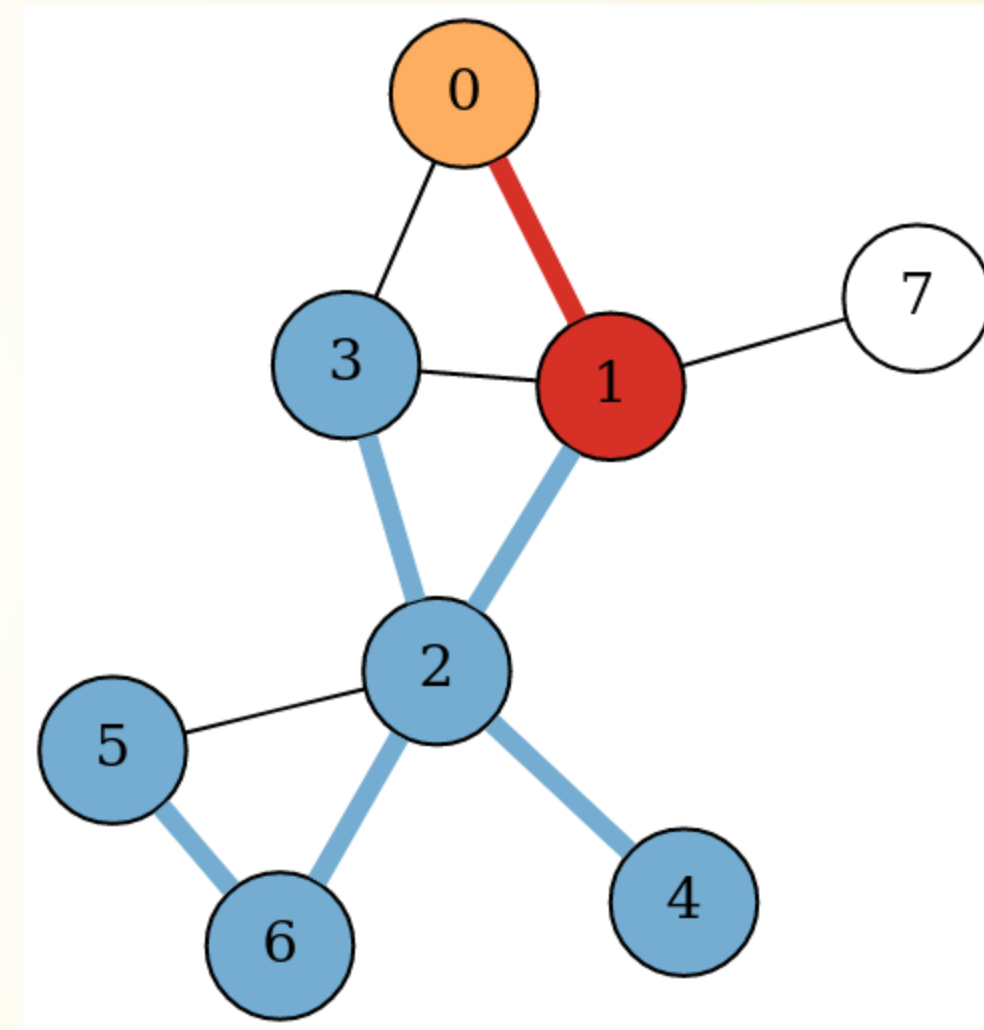




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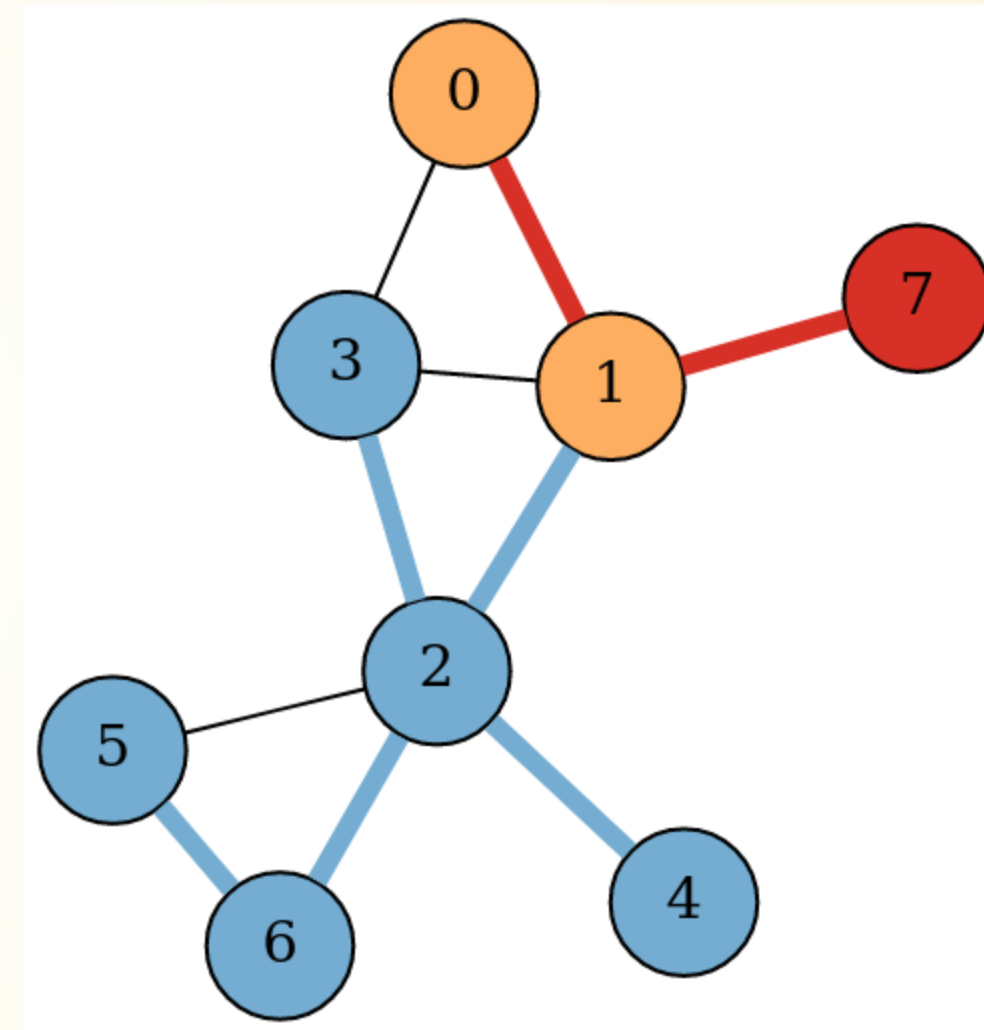




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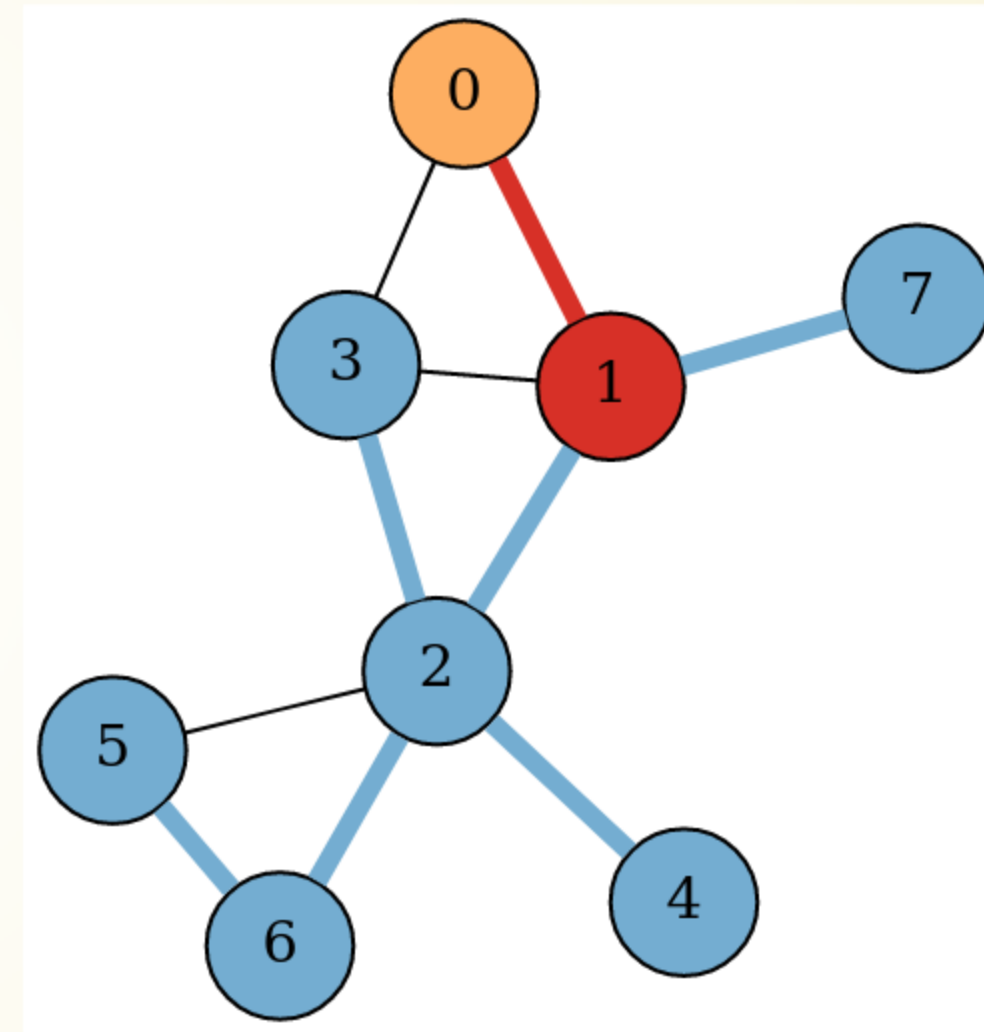




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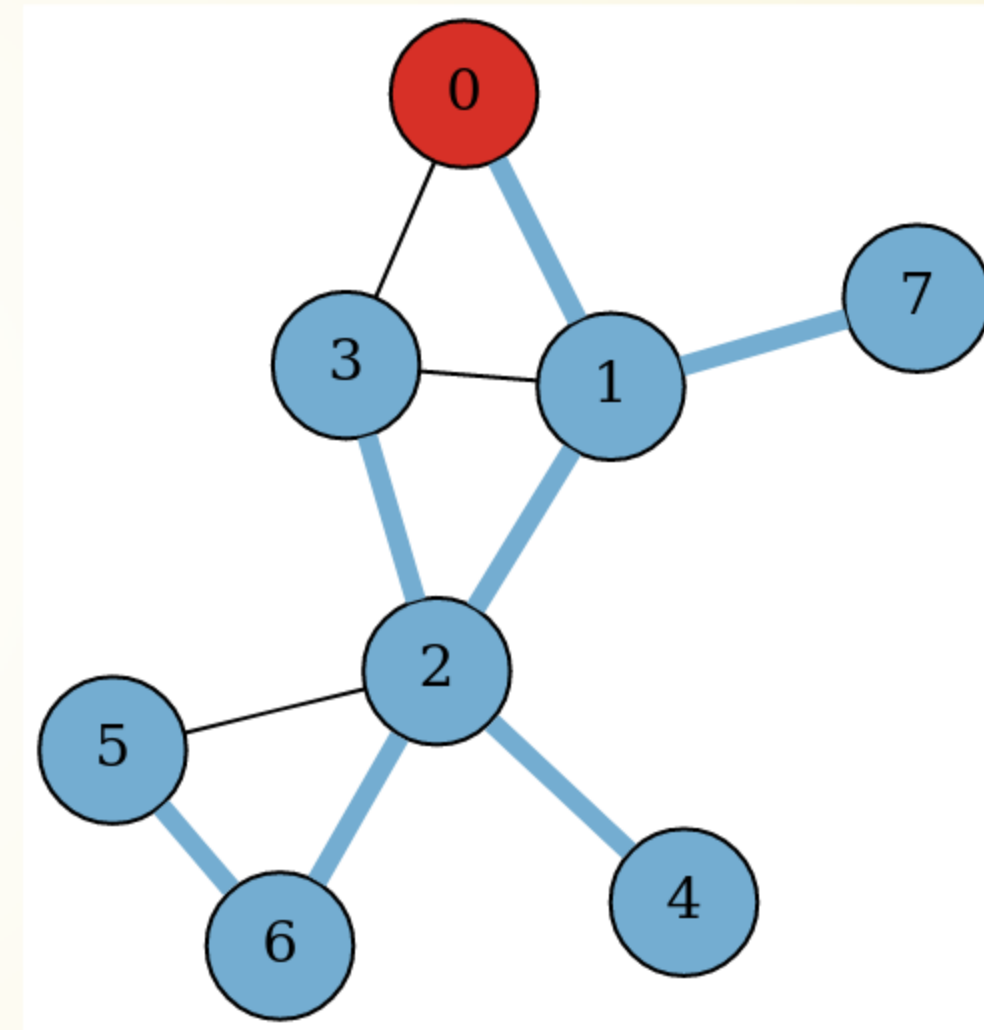




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Going over all components and assigning vertices:

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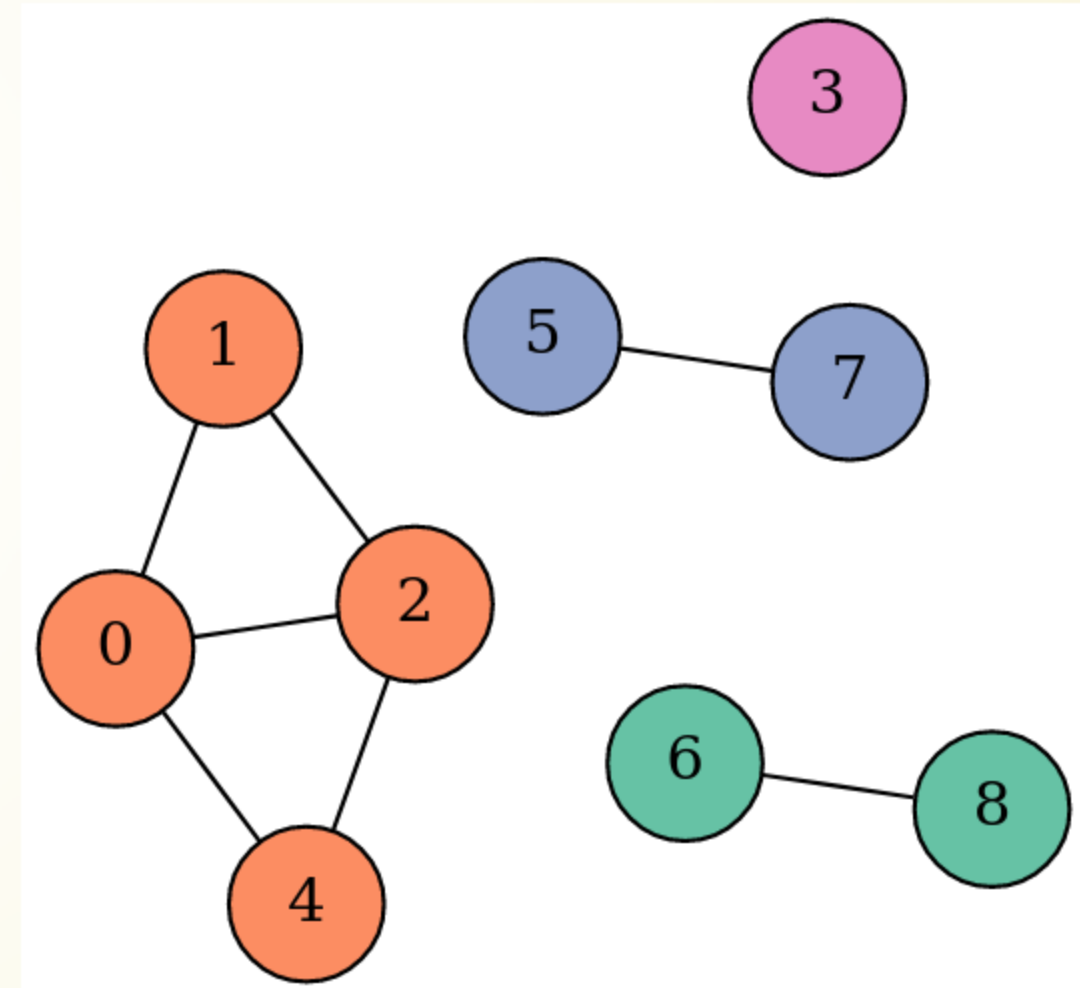




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Let's verify the results:

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LOTS OF THINGS!

Examples:

- find edges/vertices crucial for connectivity
- orient edges of a graph so it is still connected
- strongly connected components in directed graphs





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Second DFS:

- **reverse edges of the graph!!!**
- consider vertices in order from the stack
- for each unvisited vertex, start DFS: it will visit a new strongly connected component





IMPLEMENTATION

```
In [16]: let n: usize = 7;
let edges: ListOfEdges = vec![(0,1),(1,2),(2,0),(3,4),(4,5),(5,3),(2,3),(6,5)];
let graph = Graph::create_directed(n, &edges);
let graph_reverse = Graph::create_directed(n,&reverse_edges(&edges));
println!("{:?}\n{:?}",graph,graph_reverse);
```

```
Graph { n: 7, outedges: [[1], [2], [0, 3], [4], [5], [3], [5]] }
Graph { n: 7, outedges: [[2], [0], [1], [5, 2], [3], [4, 6], []] }
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        for w in graph.outedges[v].iter() {  
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        stack.push(v);  
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}
```

```
In [19]: for v in 0..graph.n {  
    dfs_collect_stack(v,&graph,&mut stack,&mut visited);  
};  
stack
```

```
Out[19]: [5, 4, 3, 2, 1, 0, 6]
```





IMPLEMENTATION (SECOND DFS, REVERSED GRAPH)

```
In [20]: let mut component: Vec<Option<Component>> = vec![None;graph.n];
let mut component_count = 0;

while let Some(v) = stack.pop() {
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In [21]: print!("{}", components:\n[ ",component_count);
for v in 0..n {
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}
println!("{}",\n");
```

```
3 components:
[ 0:2 1:2 2:2 3:3 4:3 5:3 6:1 ]
```

