

Whatever First Search (s):

marks all vertices reachable
from s

finds edges making a
spanning tree of s's
component

uses a "bag" that you can
add edges to & remove
them later

different bags give different
running times & useful
spanning trees

(use a queue for
 $O(V+E)$ time.)

WFSALL(G):

for all vertices v

unmark v

for all vertices v

if v is unmarked

WHATEVERFIRSTSEARCH(v)

↑
marks vertices component by
component (one WFS call per
component)

COUNTCOMPONENTS(G):

count \leftarrow 0

for all vertices v

unmark v

for all vertices v

if v is unmarked

count \leftarrow **count** + 1

WHATEVERFIRSTSEARCH(v)

return count

COUNTANDLABEL(G):

count \leftarrow 0

for all vertices v

unmark v

for all vertices v

if v is unmarked

count \leftarrow **count** + 1

LABELONE(v , **count**)

return count

«Label one component»

LABELONE(v , **count**):

while the bag is not empty

take v from the bag

if v is unmarked

mark v

comp(v) \leftarrow **count**

for each edge vw

put w into the bag

put v in bag

After running, $\text{comp}(u) = \text{comp}(v)$
iff u & v are in same
component.

If T is the time to add &
remove from bag

CountAndLabel takes

$O(V + ET)$
time.

Directed Graphs

If you want to mark vertices reachable from s (so there is an s, a -path) call:

WHATEVERFIRSTSEARCH(s):

```
put  $s$  into the bag
while the bag is not empty
  take  $v$  from the bag
  if  $v$  is unmarked
    mark  $v$ 
    for each edge  $v \rightarrow w$ 
      put  $w$  into the bag
```

$O(V + ET)$ time

Given a pixal map

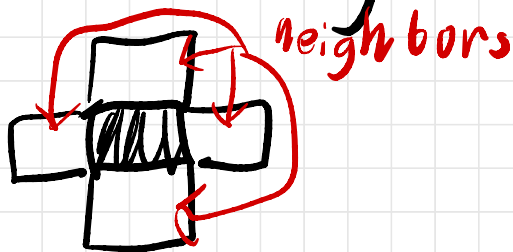
$P[1..n, 1..n]$.

Each entry is called a pixel & its value is the color of the pixel.

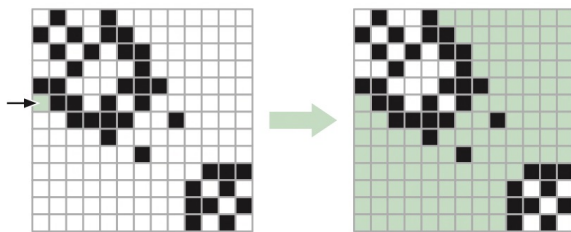
Flood fill tool: select a pixel & set it and all pixels in its connected region the same color.

connected region: connected subset of pixels where two

are considered adjacent if they are neighbors &



the same color.



Reduces to whatever First Search!

Need to describe graph,
input to WFS, & what to
do with results.

- build graph $G = (V, E)$

V : set of pixels

E : pairs of adjacent pixels

- call `WhateverFirstSearch((i, j))`



selected
pixel

- paint the vertices we
mark

Give running times in terms of original input size!

If bag is a queue:

$$T = O(n)$$

So WFS $O(V+E)$

$$|V| = n^2$$

$$|E| = 4n^2$$

So alg runs in $O(n^2)$

Practical(!) considerations

- don't build graph; work with pixels & neighboring pixels directly
- now takes $O(k)$ time where k : # vertices we color

Use a stack as the bag in
WFS...

Depth-first search

Usually written recursively

```
DFS(v):  
  mark v  
  PREVISIT(v)  
  for each edge vw  
    if w is unmarked  
      parent(w) ← v  
      DFS(w)  
  POSTVISIT(v)
```

```
DFSALL(G):  
  PREPROCESS(G)  
  for all vertices v  
    unmark v  
  for all vertices v  
    if v is unmarked  
      DFS(v)
```

$O(V+E)$ time

DFSALL(G):

$clock \leftarrow 0$

for all vertices v

unmark v

for all vertices v

if v is unmarked

$clock \leftarrow \text{DFS}(v, clock)$

DFS($v, clock$):

mark v

$clock \leftarrow clock + 1$; $v.pre \leftarrow clock$

for each edge $v \rightarrow w$

if w is unmarked

$w.parent \leftarrow v$

$clock \leftarrow \text{DFS}(w, clock)$

$clock \leftarrow clock + 1$; $v.post \leftarrow clock$

return $clock$

finishing
time for
✓

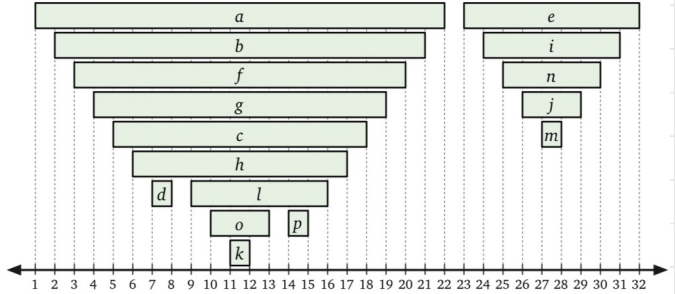
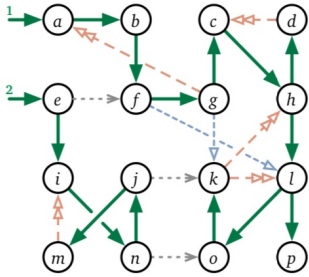
starting
time of v

$[v.pre, v.post]$: active interval
for v

active intervals either nest
or are disjoint thanks to
stack

also, if $v.pre \leq u.pre \leq u.post \leq v.post$,
 u is reachable from v

DFS(v) marks all vertices reachable from v that aren't already marked



order by $v.pre$ for a preorder

order by $v.post$ for a postorder

Say we are in the middle
of a DFSAll...

Will compare current clock
to final pre + post values

Fix some vertex v . v is...

new if $\text{clock} < v.\text{pre}$ (have
not yet called $\text{DFS}(v)$)

active if $v.\text{pre} \leq \text{clock} < v.\text{post}$

finished if $v.\text{post} \leq \text{clock}$
($\text{DFS}(v)$ has returned)

Consider $u \rightarrow v$ at the moment $\text{DFS}(u)$ begins.

If v is new, $u.\text{pre} < v.\text{pre} < v.\text{post} < u.\text{post}$.

If $\text{DFS}(u)$ calls $\text{DFS}(v)$ directly, $u \rightarrow v$ is tree edge.

Otherwise, $u \rightarrow v$ is a forward edge.

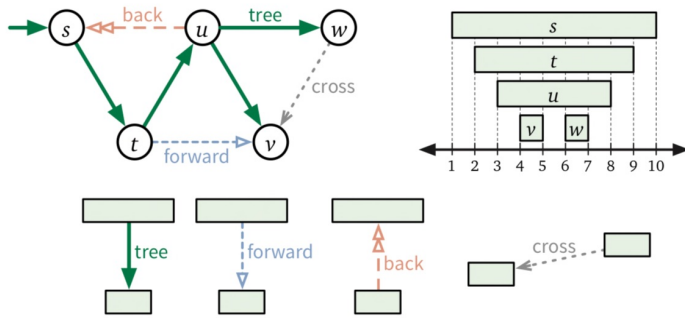
If v is active,

$v.\text{pre} < u.\text{pre} < u.\text{post} < v.\text{post}$

$u \rightarrow v$ is a back edge

If v is finished,
 $v_{post} < u_{pre}$

$u \rightarrow v$ is a cross edge



Edge types & orders depend
on order you loop over
vertices & edges.