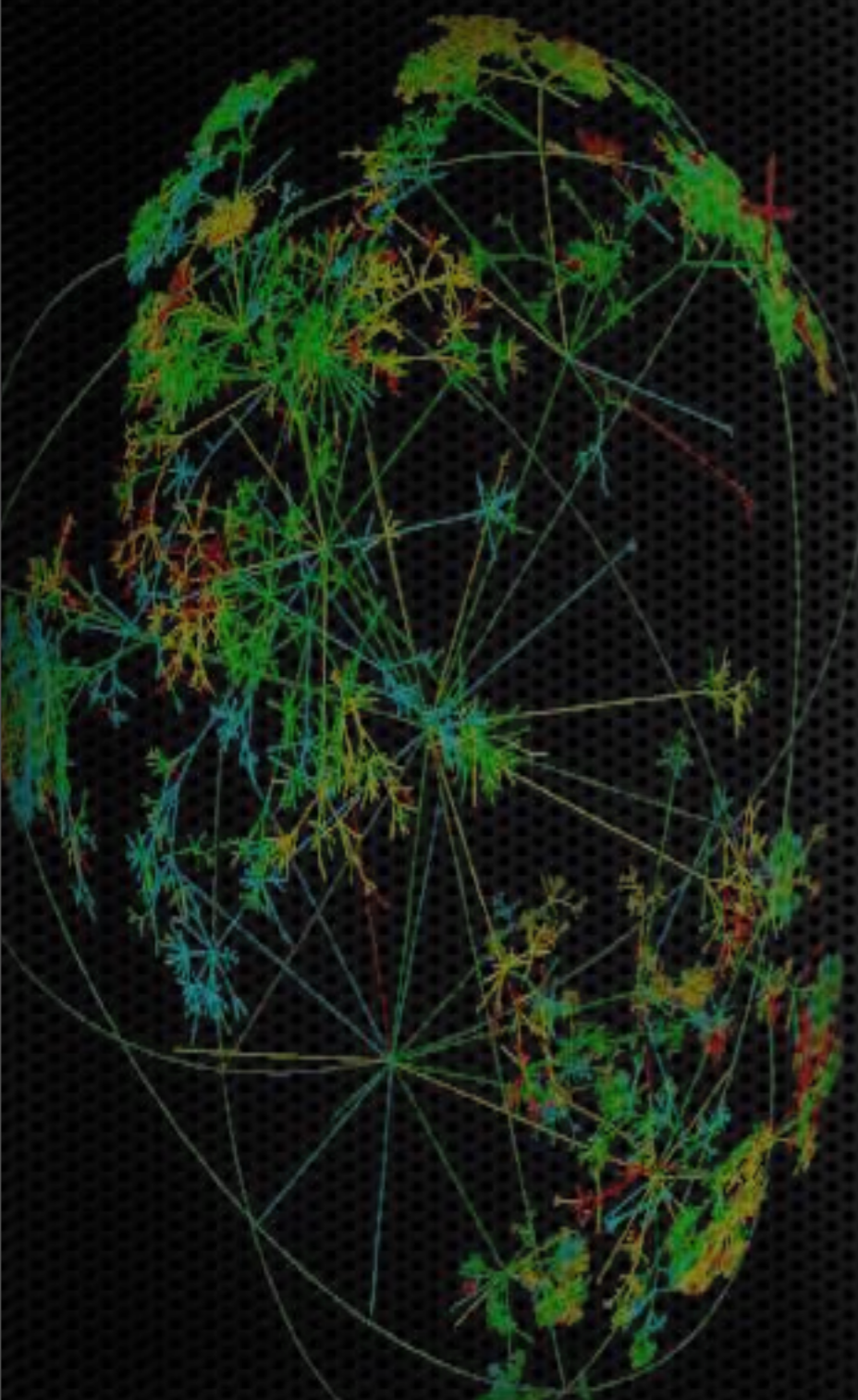




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learning about interacting networks in climate



“computational issues”

# Complex Network Analysis

Software Engineering Case study: “LINC software for complex network analysis”

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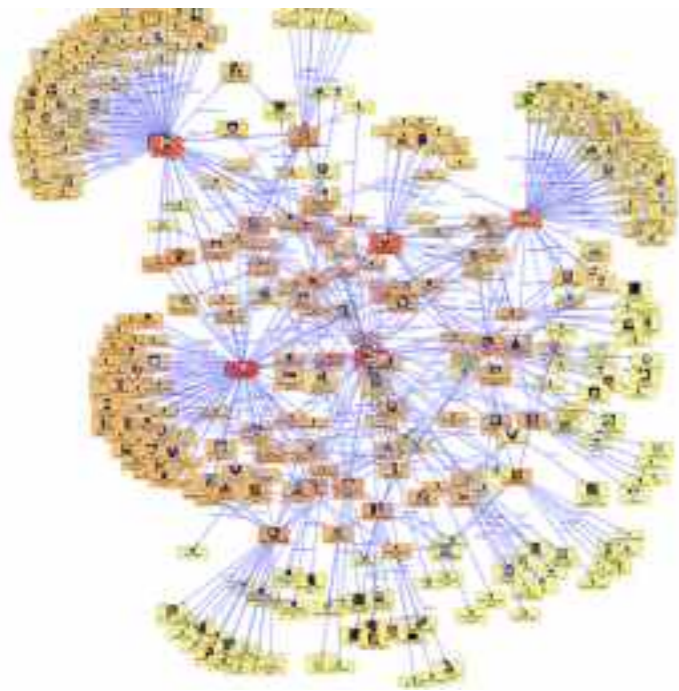
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  - ➡ Importance
  - ➡ Process
- ✧ Network analysis
  - ➡ Data mining and Networks approach
  - ➡ Computational issues
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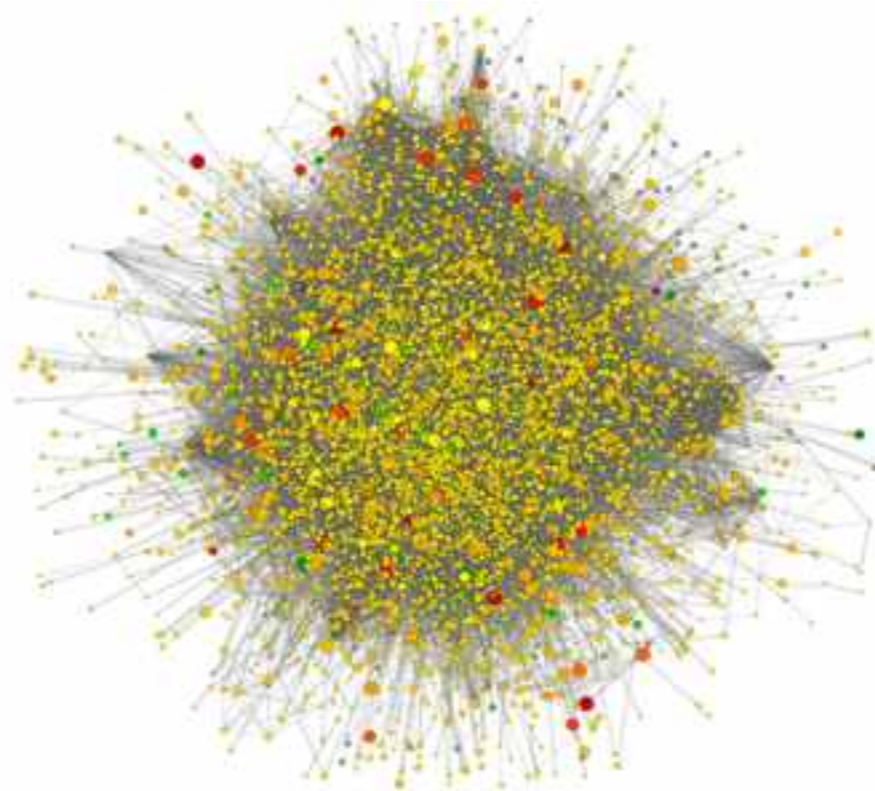
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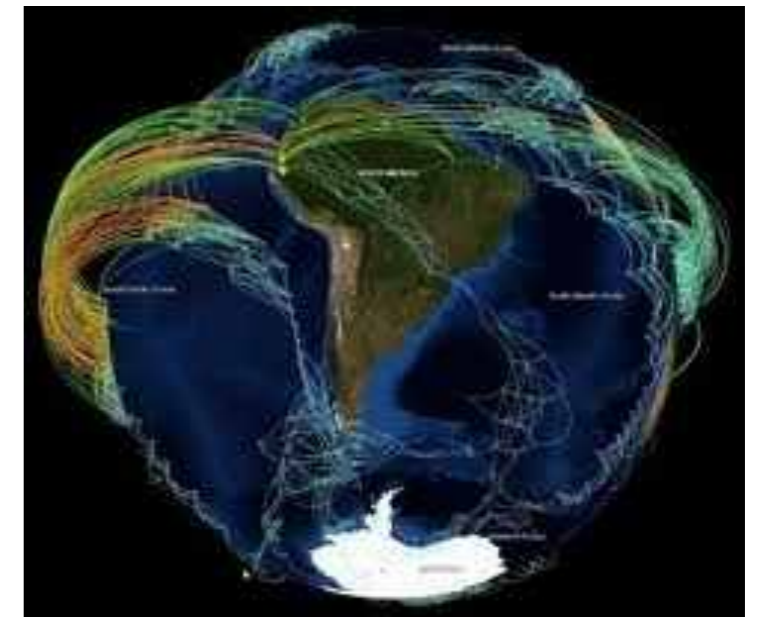
Application: e.g., identifying communities, information spread modeling

## BioInformatics



Application: e.g., identifying drug target proteins

## Climate?? ....



Application: e.g., identify patterns? analyze spatio-temporal interaction of climate data

- **Sources of data:** simulations, experimental devices, the Internet, sensor networks
- **Challenges:** data size, heterogeneity, uncertainty, data quality

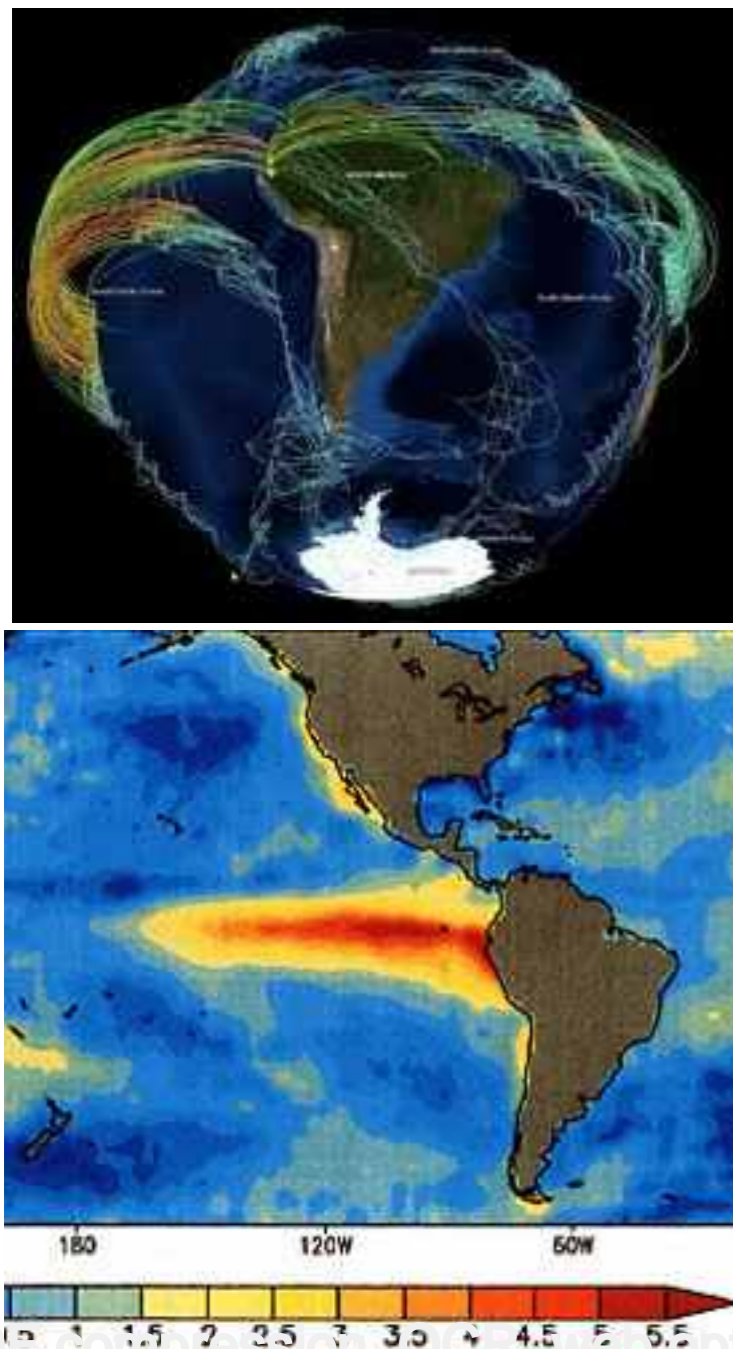
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## Towards better understanding of our climate system

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J.F. Donges, Y. Zou, N. Marwan and J. Kurths, “Complex Networks in Climate Dynamics”, *Eur. Phys. J. Special Topics* 174, 157-179 (2009).



# Computer science, Scientific and Combinatorial Scientific Computing, High Performance Computing

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INTRODUCTION

## Combinatorics in Computing



Combinatorial questions and problems have been important to computational modeling since the earliest days of digital machines, but until recently, the computational science community has considered these topics to be a necessary substructure, not a main subject of interest. Here's an example of how things used to be: once upon a time, one of us worked as a beginning programmer for an entity called "The Westinghouse Astronuclear Lab." Much time and mental effort was spent writing a code that read from tape a matrix  $A$ , did a few computations to reorder  $A$ 's entries and make it  $A^T$ , and then transposed

$A^T$  and wrote the transpose onto tape. The matrices, of course, didn't fit the core—in fact, the computer couldn't even store one row. We had to invent various "tricks" for marking where the data came from and where it was to go. Interestingly, many of the engineers working on the problem had trouble understanding why reorganizing the data should be slightly hard, but those who'd written programs for the IBM 7090 got the point right away.

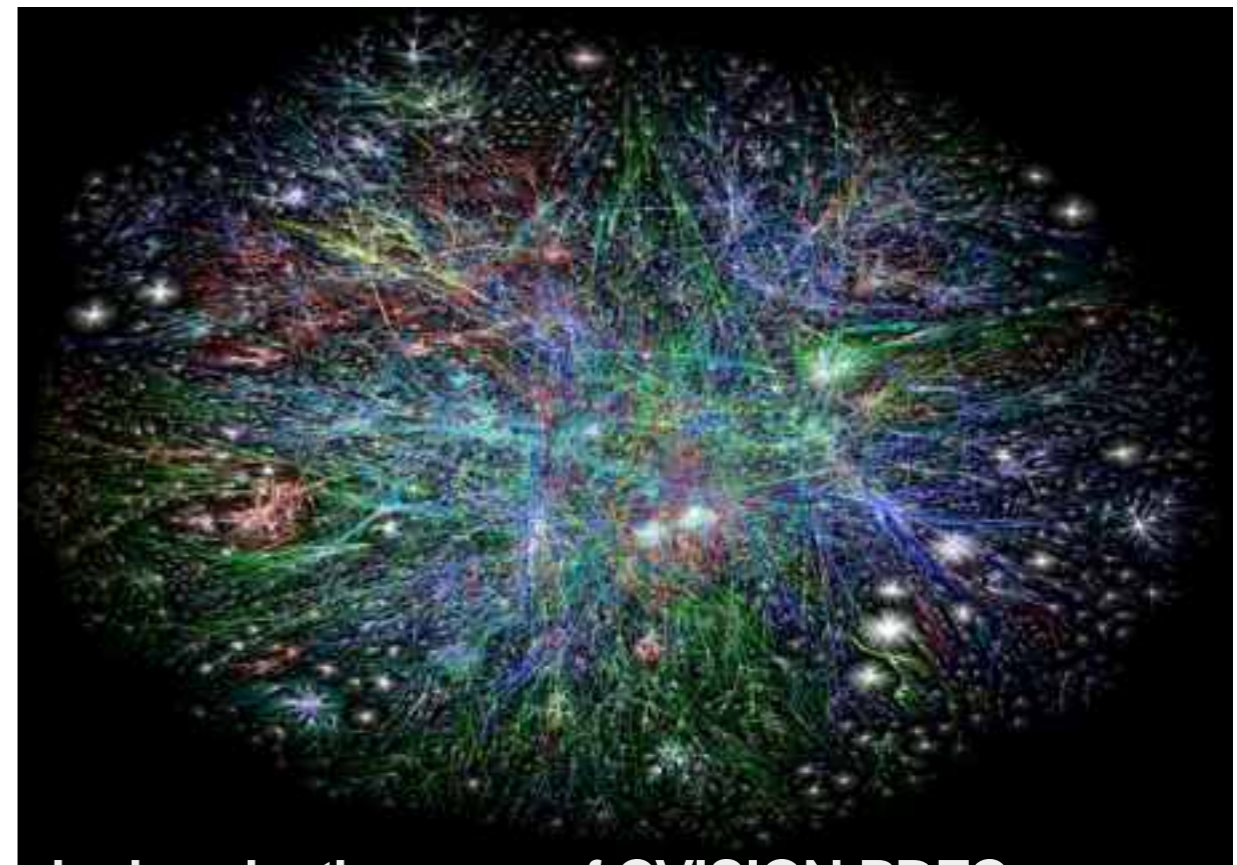
In reality, of course, questions about how to arrange data to minimize computation and provide rapid access have always been crucial to determining the success or failure of computational projects and computing machines. In a 1970 paper appropriately entitled "von Neumann's First Computer Program" (*ACM Computing Surveys*, vol. 2, no. 4, 1970, pp. 247–260), Donald Knuth discussed what probably was the first program John von Neumann wrote for a stored program machine—a program for sorting data into non-decreasing order. According to Knuth, von Neumann chose this example because

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“Combinatorial problems generated by challenges in data mining and related topics are now central to computational science. Finally, there's the Internet itself, probably the largest graph-theory problem ever confronted.”

- Isabel Beichl & Francis Sullivan, 2008





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## Combinatorial problems arise in many applications:

- find shortest/cheapest round trips (TSP)
- planning, scheduling, etc
- internet data packet routing
- protein structure prediction

**Combinatorial** problems involve finding a **grouping** and **ordering** of a discrete finite set of objects, satisfying a given set of conditions..

**Candidate solutions:** solution components that might be encountered during a solutions attempt, but need not satisfy given conditions..

**Solutions** are candidate solutions that satisfy all given conditions...



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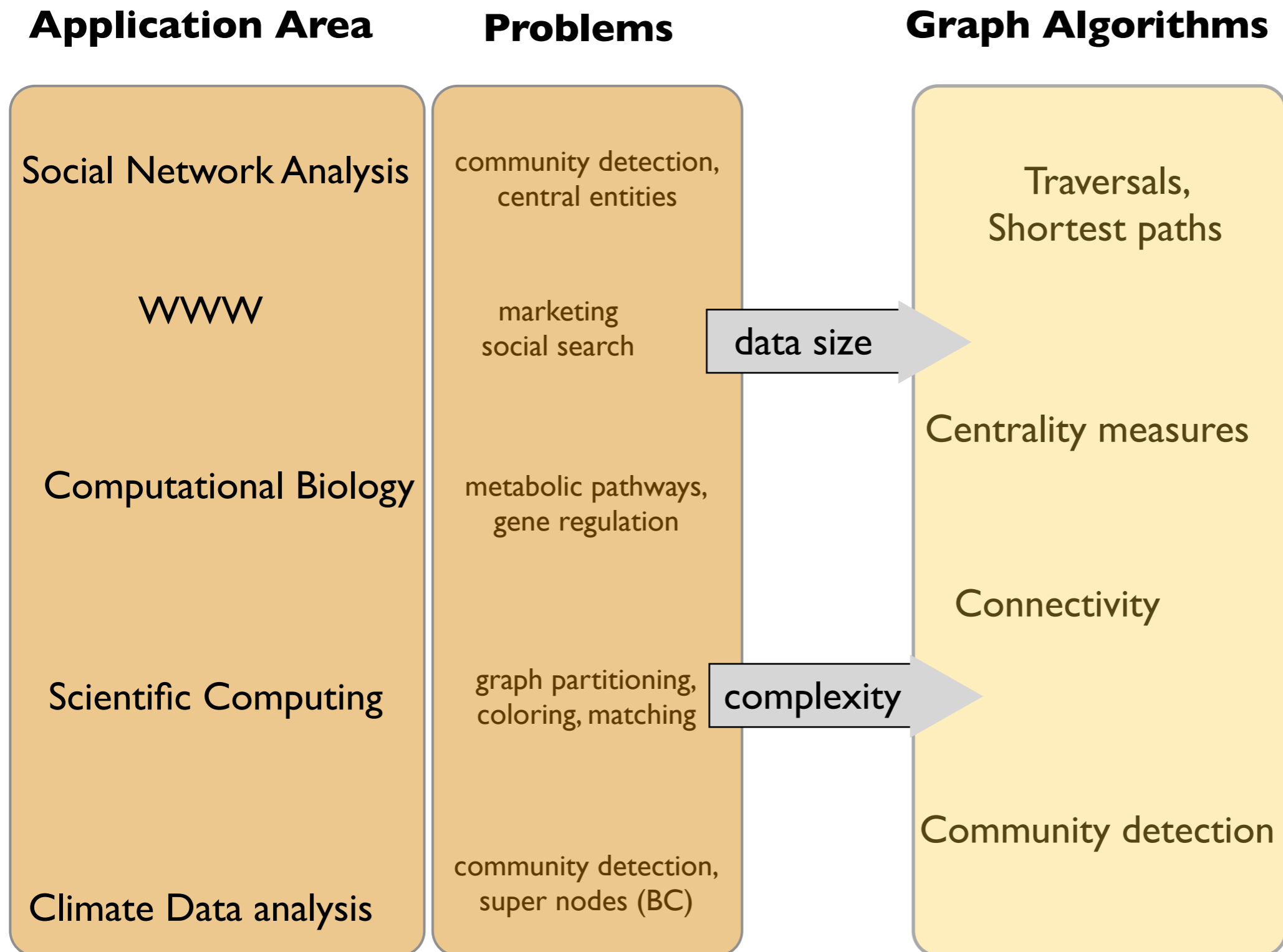
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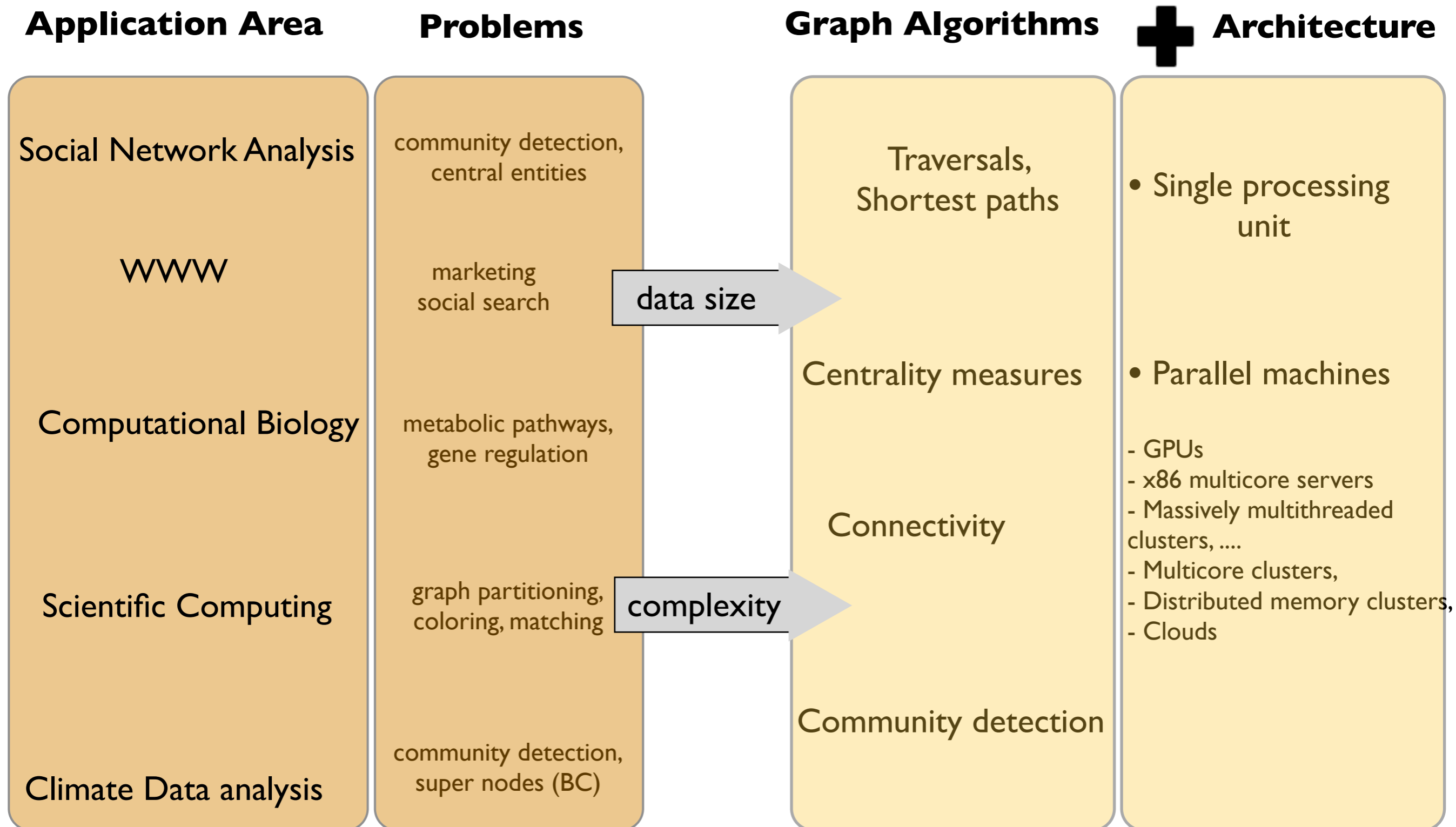
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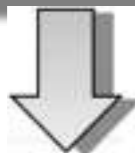
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Input data



Network



Find ..

- paths
- clusters
- partitions
- matchings
- patterns
- orderings



Graph kernel

- traversal
- shortest path algorithms
- flow algorithms
- spanning tree algorithms
- topological sort
- .....



Computing architecture

Which algorithm?  
factors.....

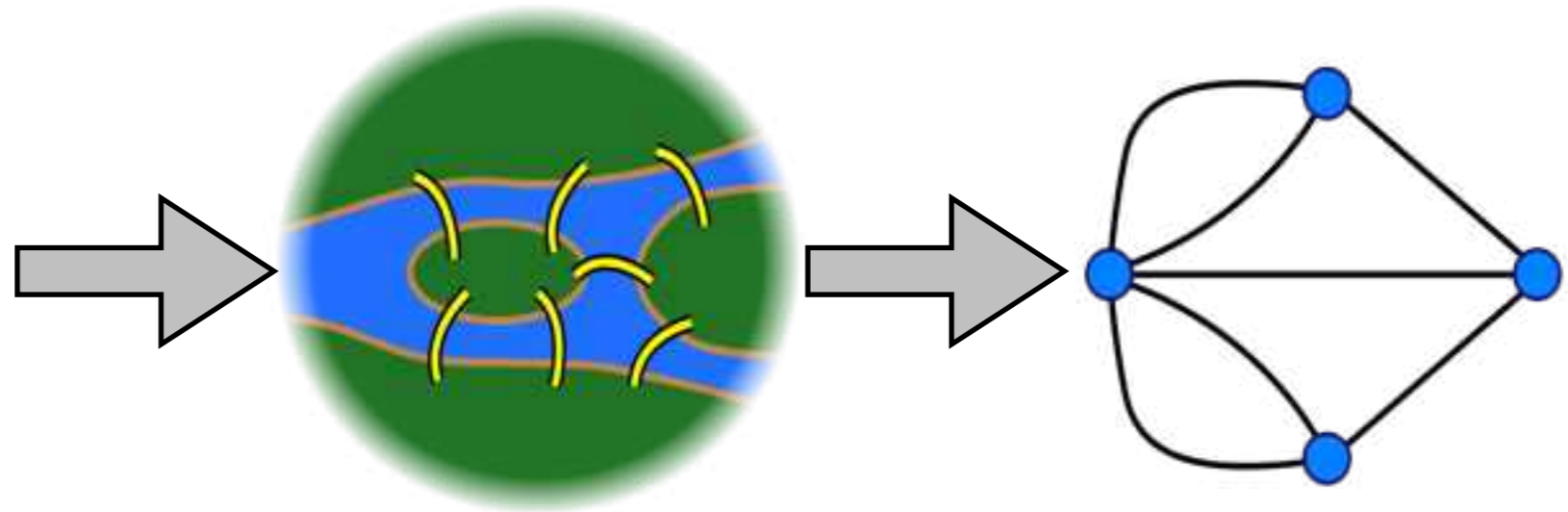
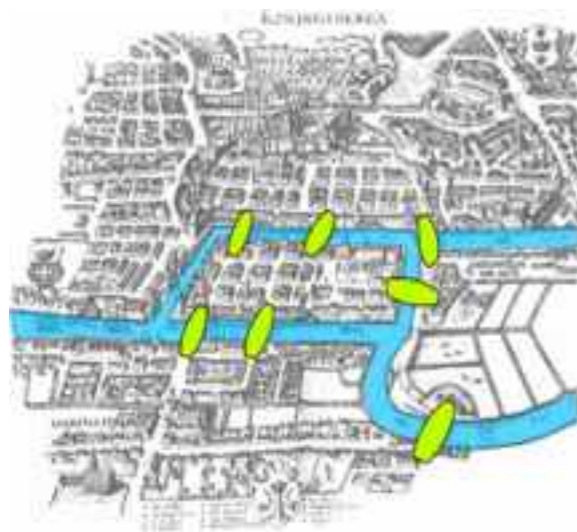
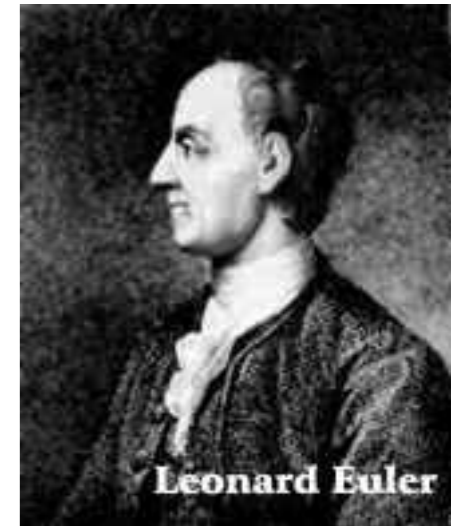
- graph sparsity
- static/dynamic nature
- weighted/unweighted, weight distribution
- vertex degree distribution
- directed/undirected
- simple/multi/hyper graph
- problem size
- granularity of computation at nodes/edges
- domain-specific characteristics



# Graph Theory: Review

- ➡ Began in 1735
- ➡ Bridges of Königsberg (today's Kaliningrad)

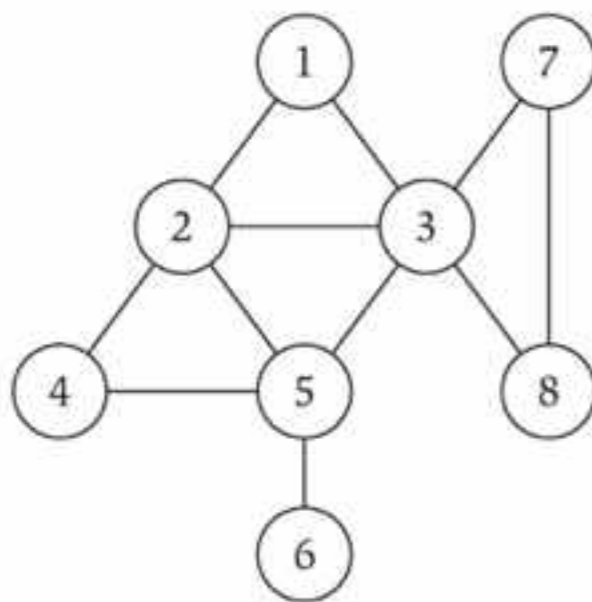
walk all 7 bridges without crossing each of them **ONCE**



Euler's solution of the Königsberg bridge problem is considered to be the first theorem of **graph theory**.

# Graph Theory: Review

- **Graph** – mathematical object consisting of a set of:
  - $V = \text{nodes}$  (vertices, points).
  - $E = \text{edges}$  (links, arcs) between pairs of nodes.
  - Denoted by  $G = (V, E)$ .
  - Captures pairwise relationship between objects.
  - **Graph size** parameters:  $n = |V|$ ,  $m = |E|$ .



$V = \{ 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 \}$

$E = \{ \{1,2\}, \{1,3\}, \{2,3\}, \{2,4\}, \{2,5\}, \{3,5\}, \{3,7\}, \{3,8\}, \{4,5\}, \{5,6\} \}$

$n = 8$

$m = 11$

# Graph Theory: Networks and Analysis

- **Types** (Topological features)

- degree distribution
- clustering coefficient
- assortativity, comm. structure,
- hierarchical structure

## a) “Simple” networks

- Lattices, random graphs, ....

## b) Complex networks

- Scale-Free: power-law degree distribution (heavy-tailed DD )
- Small-World: small diameter and a high clustering coefficient.

- **Analysis**

## 1-Element-Level

- degree, betweenness, closeness centralities.

## 2-Group-Level

- network clustering (communities)

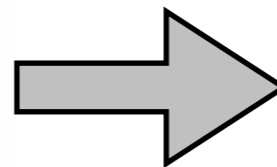
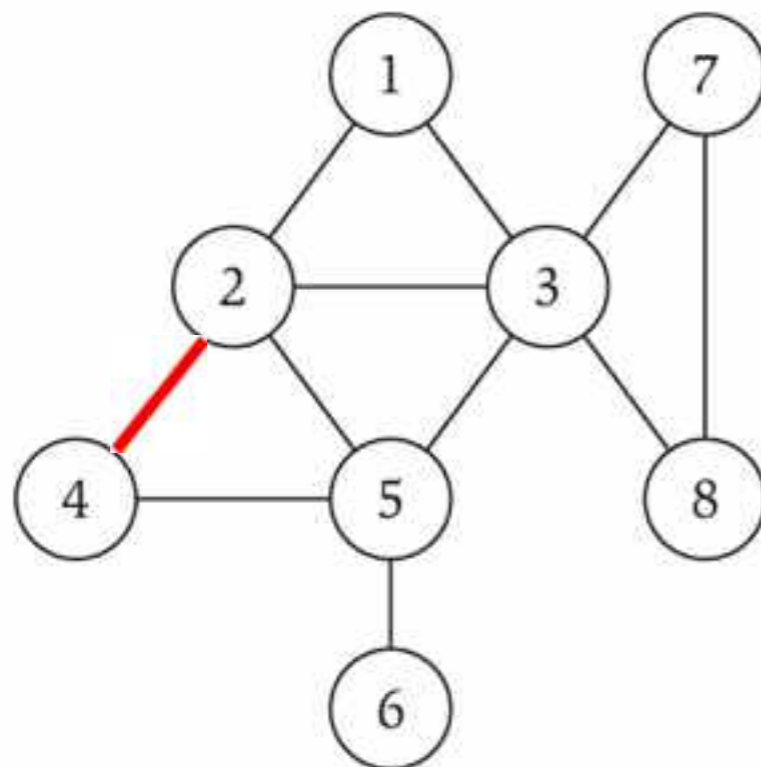
## 3-Network-Level

- small world effect (network diameter), transitivity

# Graph Theory:

## Graph (Network) Representation: “Data Structure”

- **Adjacency matrix.**  $n$ -by- $n$  matrix with  $A_{uv} = 1$  if  $(u, v)$  is an edge.
  - Two representations of each edge (symmetric matrix for undirected graphs; not for directed graphs).
  - space? ○ Space: proportional to  $n^2$ .



	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
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3	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	1
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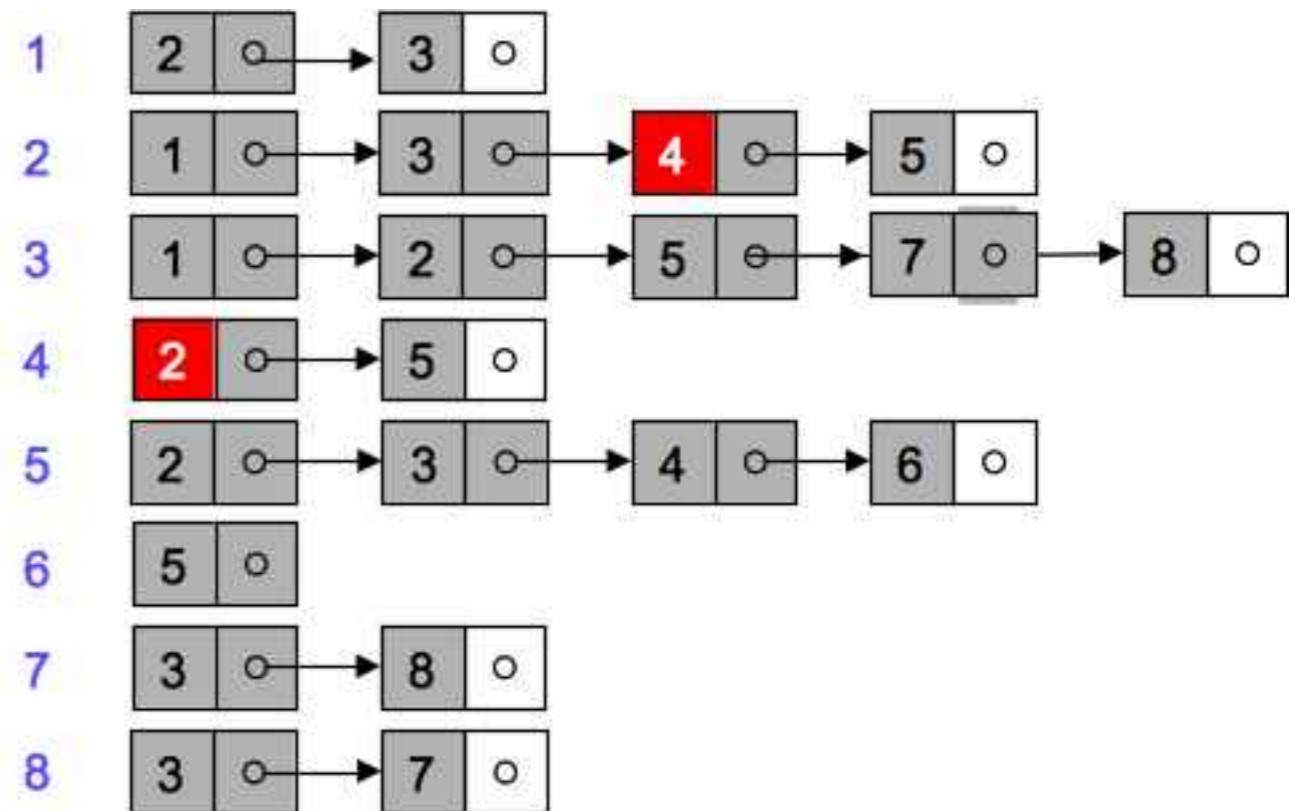
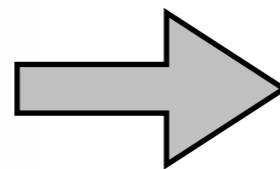
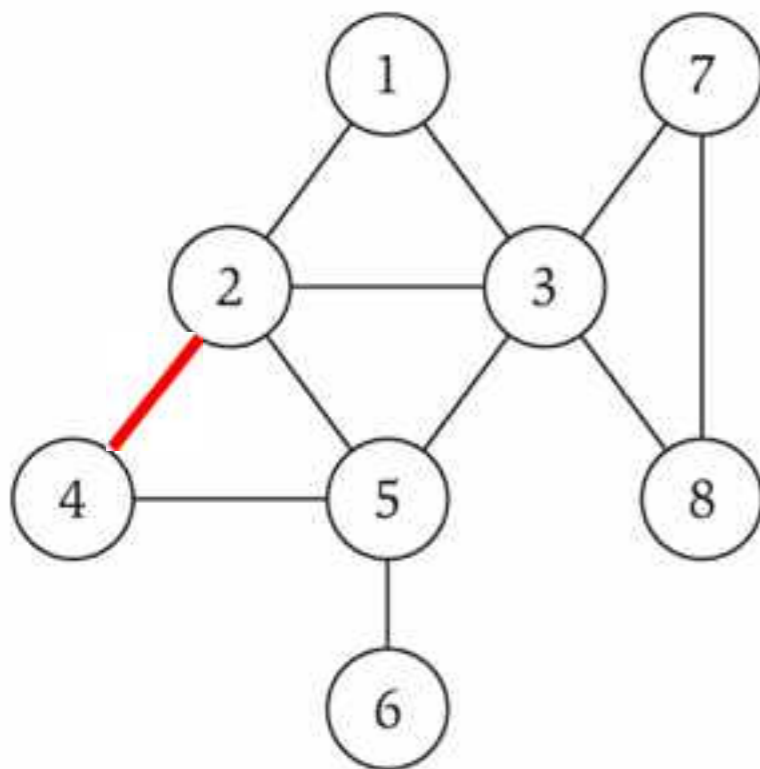
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- **Adjacency list.** Node indexed array of lists.

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space?

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# “Data Structure”: Why it matters??

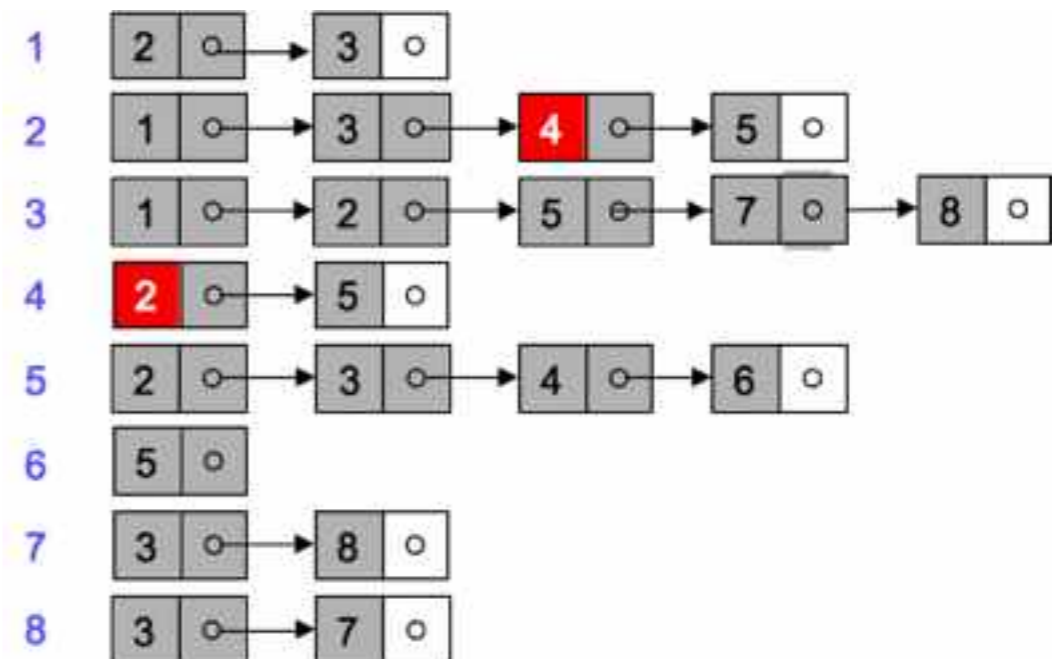
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Adjacency matrix

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➡ An adjacency matrix uses  $O(n \cdot n)$  memory. It has **fast lookups to check for presence or absence of a specific edge  $O(1)$** , but slow to iterate over all edges.

Adjacency list



➡ Adjacency lists use memory in proportion to the number of edges, which might save a lot of memory if the graph is sparse. It is fast to **iterate over all edges**, but finding the presence or absence of a specific edge is slower than with the matrix.

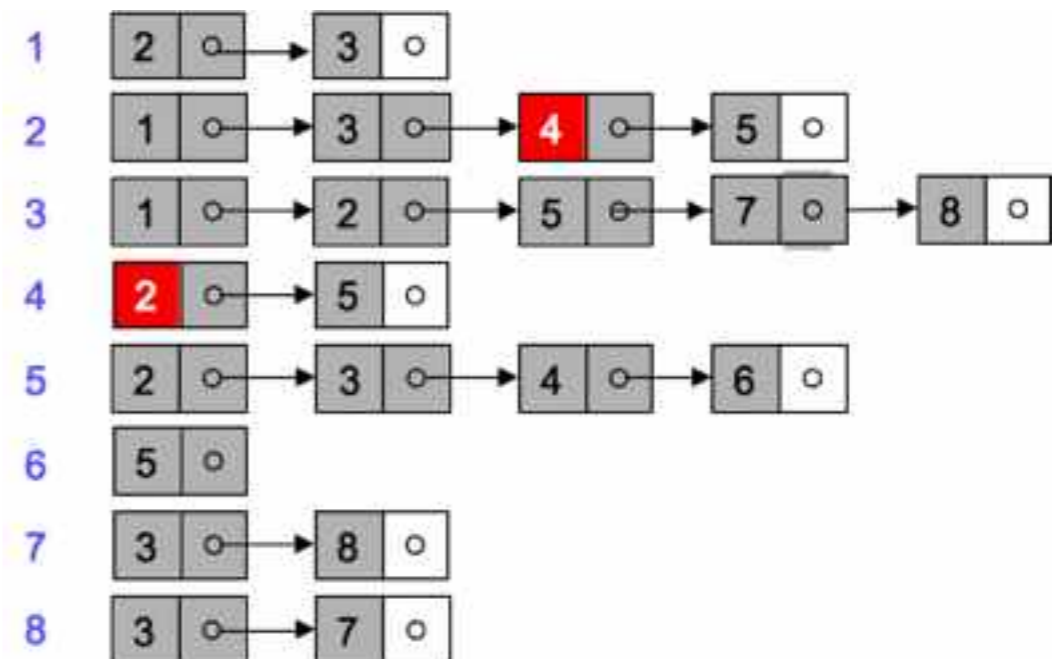
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There is often a **time-space-tradeoff** involved in such problems, that is, it cannot be solved with few computing time *and* low memory consumption. One then has to make a compromise and to exchange computing time for memory consumption or vice versa, depending on which algorithm one chooses and how one parameterizes it.

# Algorithm Complexity

## Running Time for Algorithms: e.g.,

Give me the number of edges in a graph using the adjacency matrix as a data structure!!

*Algorithm*

```
edges = 0;

for (i = 0; i < n; i++) {
    for (j = 0; j < n; j++) {
        if (Aij == 1)
            edges=edges+1;
    }
}

return edges;
```

*Runtime =  $O(n^2)$*

*Adjacency matrix  $A$*

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*$G$  no of nodes= $n$*

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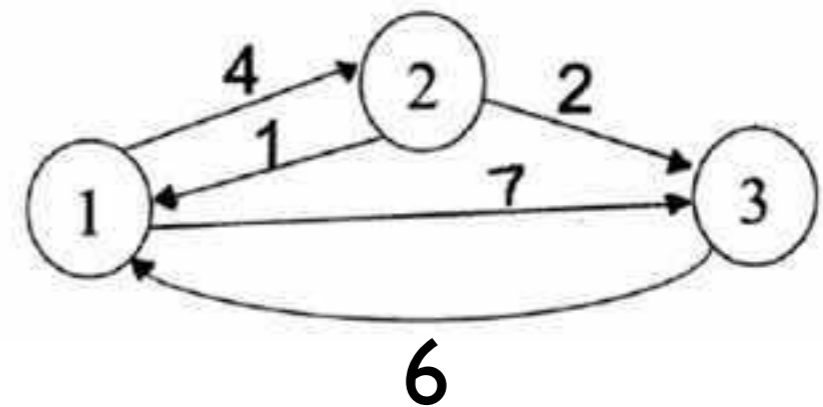
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The running times (rounded up) of different algorithms on inputs of increasing size, for a processor performing a **million high-level instructions** per second, in cases where running time exceeds  $10^{25}$  years, "very long time" is recorded.

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## Network “Shortest Paths”: Floyd–Warshall algorithm

- ▶ **Initialization** (stop condition for the recursion):
- ▶  $D^{(0)} = W$
- ▶ If no intermediate vertices are allowed, the best path between any two vertices is either the weight of the edge (if it exists) or INF
- ▶ **Recursive formulation:**  
 $D^{(k)}[i, j] = \min(D^{(k-1)}[i, j], D^{(k-1)}[i, k] + D^{(k-1)}[k, j])$
- ▶ Choose between:
  - ▶ The shortest path between  $i$  and  $j$  that contains intermediate vertices in  $\{1, 2, \dots, k-1\}$
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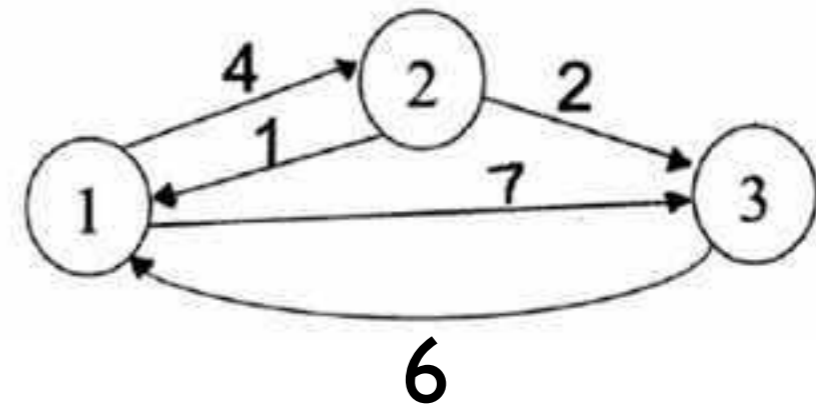
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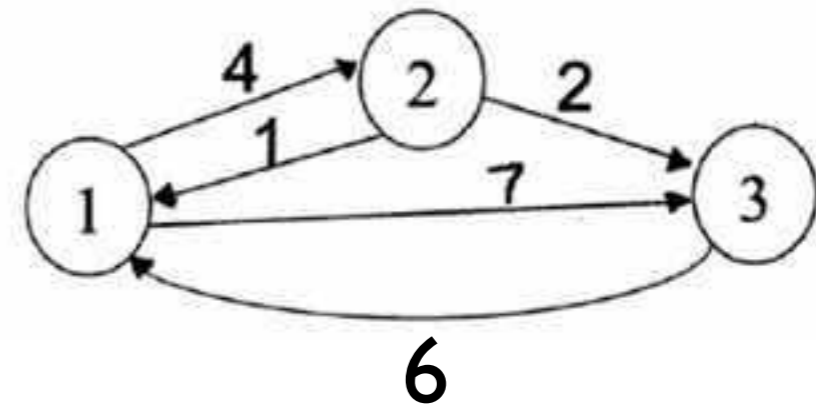
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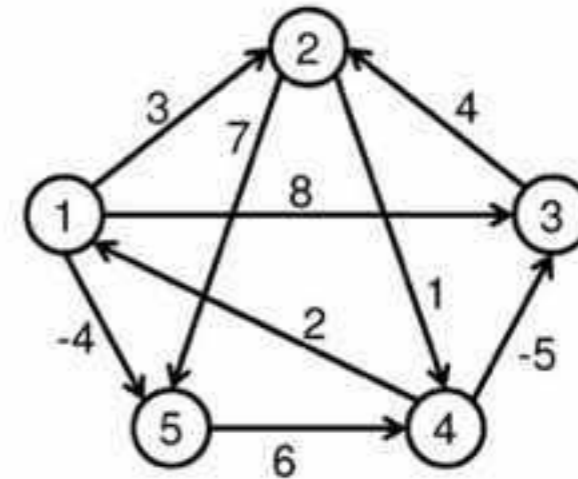
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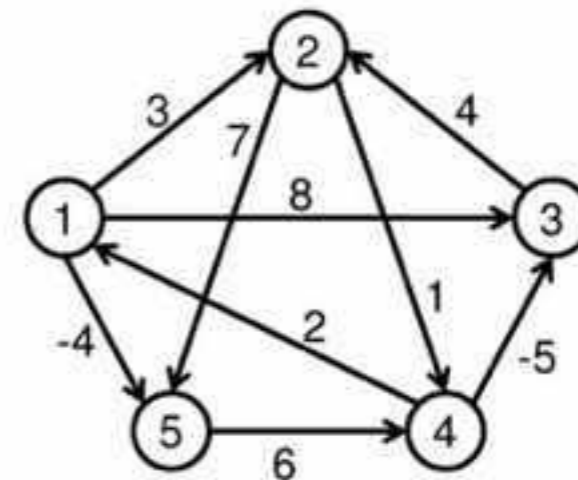
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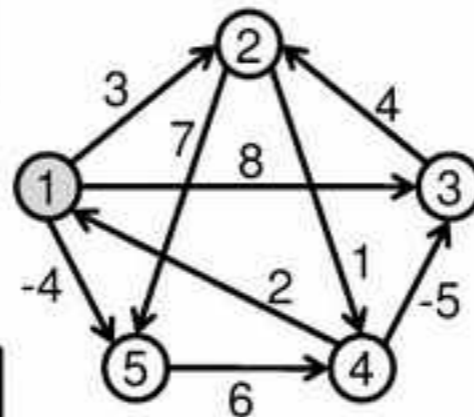
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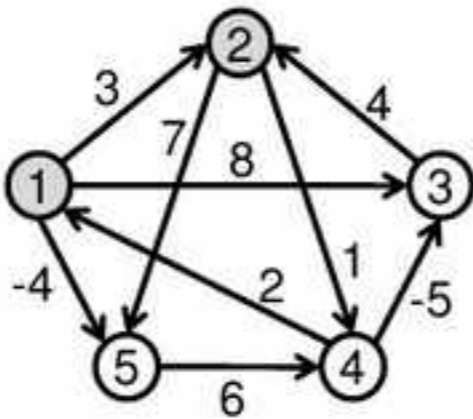
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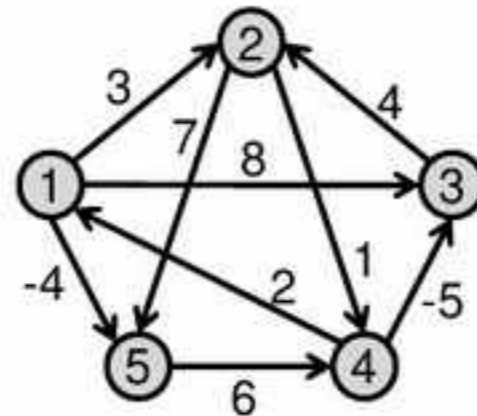
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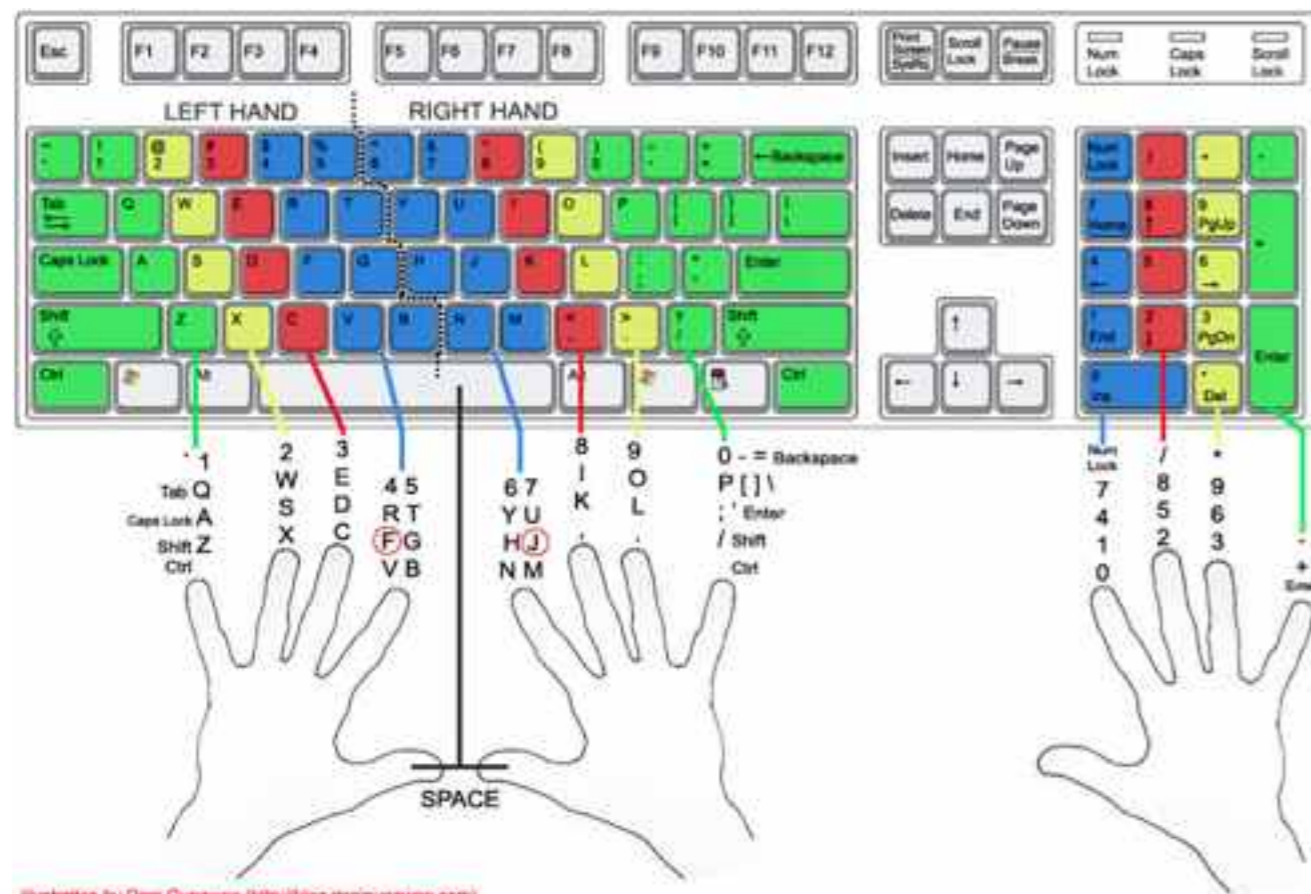
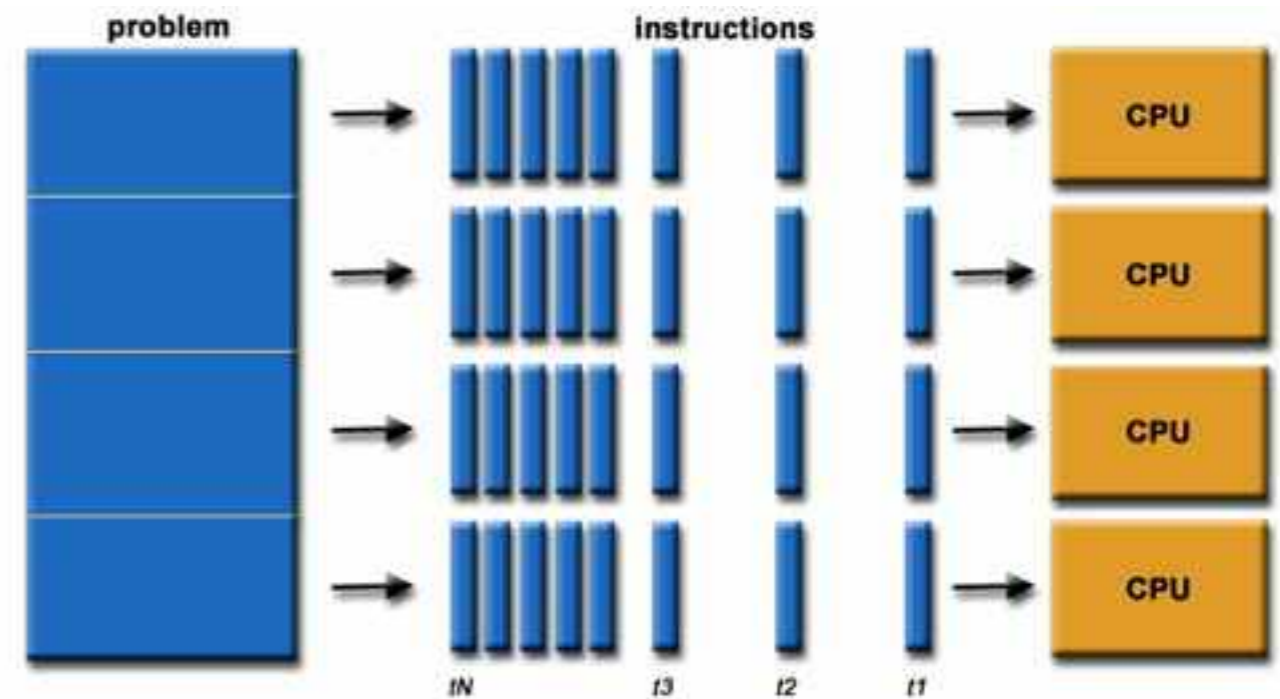
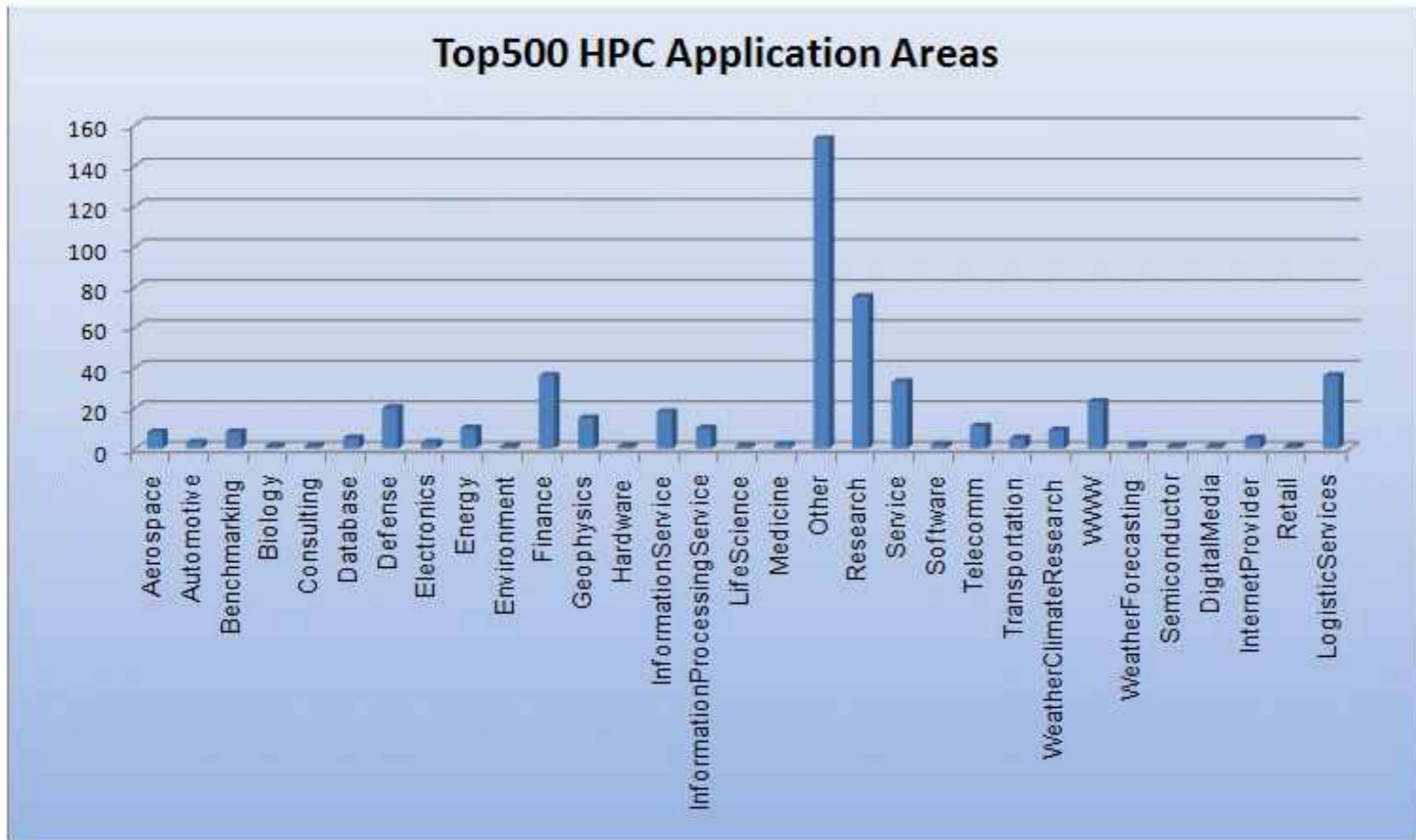


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## HPC: “Where?”



# HPC and graph analyzing algorithms

➡ Different parallel architectures

➡ Different programming models

➡ Different levels of fit to irregular problems & graph algorithms

# Parallel Algorithms for network analysis

## Challenges

Critical to consider graph size and topology in application to architecture mapping

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- Reasonably good performance on distributed memory clusters if the graph has low conductance (can be partitioned w/ low edge cut).

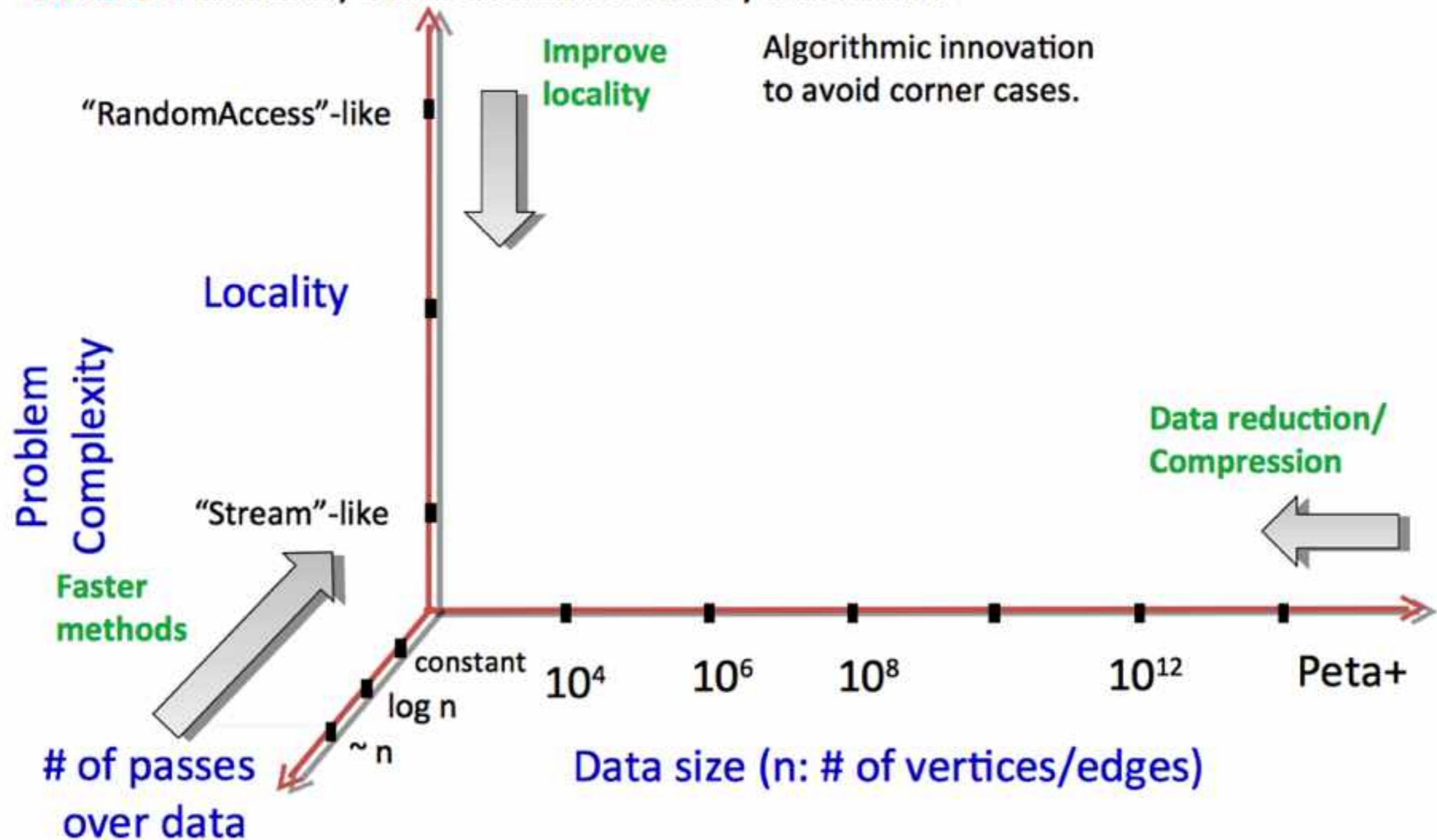
Latency: (memory wall) as most of memory is hundreds or thousands of cycles away from the processor that wants it.

- Computations that follow the edges of **irregular** graphs are unavoidably latency-limited (worst cases with poor locality)...

## Designing fast parallel graph algorithms

**System requirements:** High (on-chip memory, DRAM, network, IO) bandwidth.

**Solution:** Efficiently utilize available memory bandwidth.



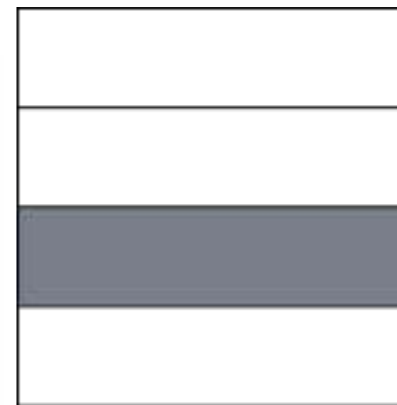
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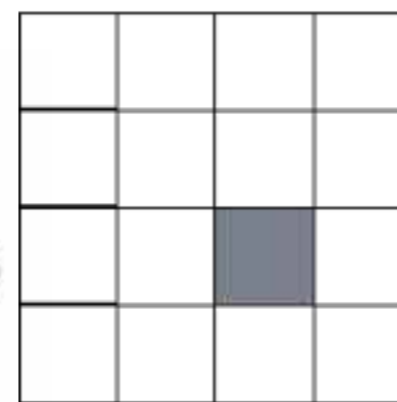
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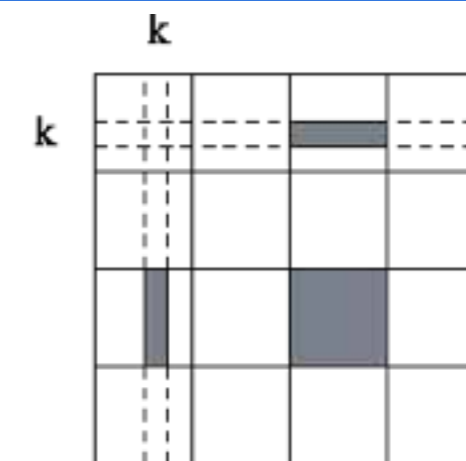
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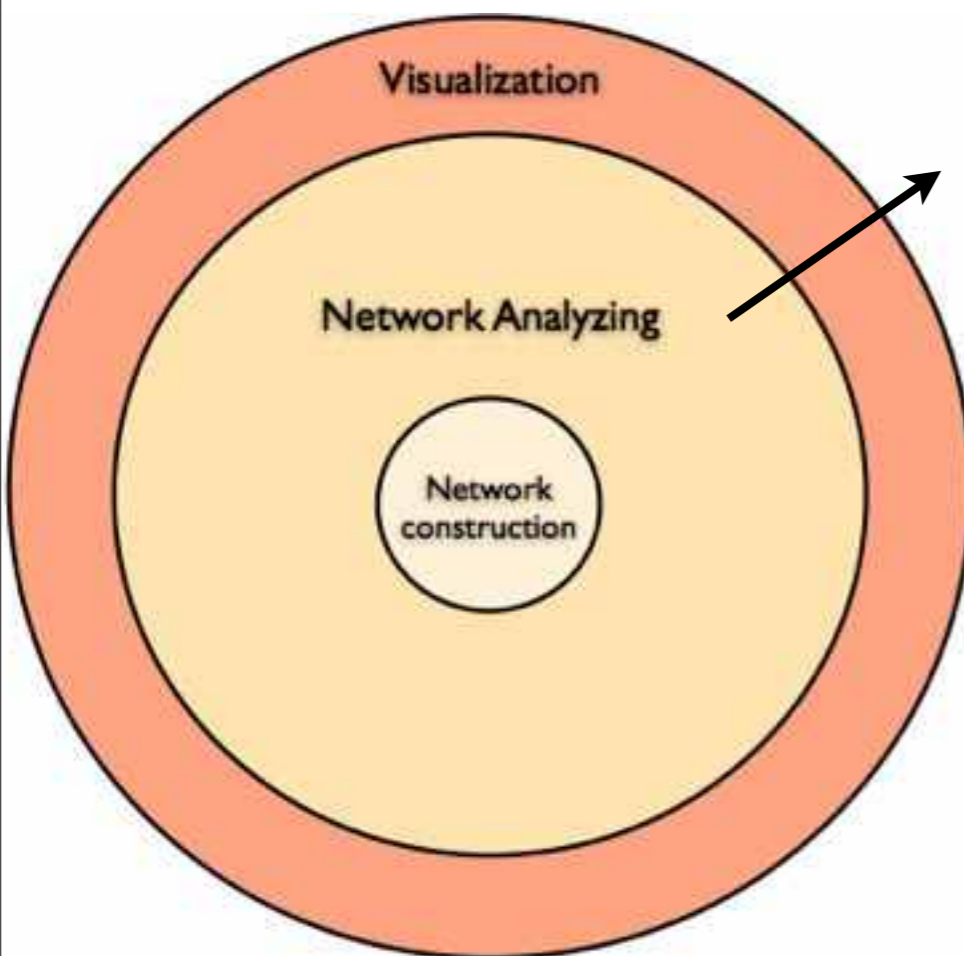
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  - ➡ How is it being developed: “SE”
  - ➡ What next?

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## Requirements:

## Fast and Correct



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- Mesoscopic metrics (include):
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J.F. Donges, Y. Zou, N. Marwan and J. Kurths, "Complex Networks in Climate Dynamics", *Eur. Phys. J. Special Topics* 174, 157-179 (2009).

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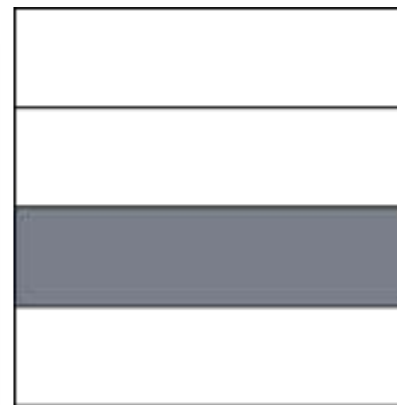
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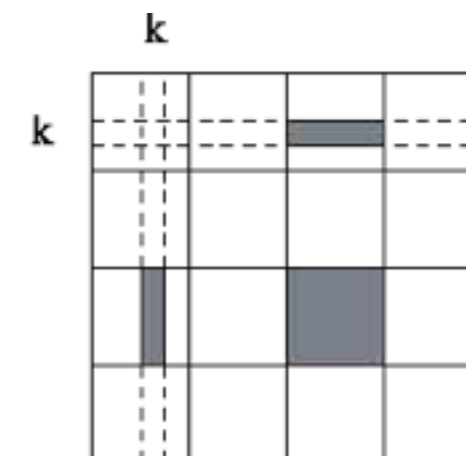
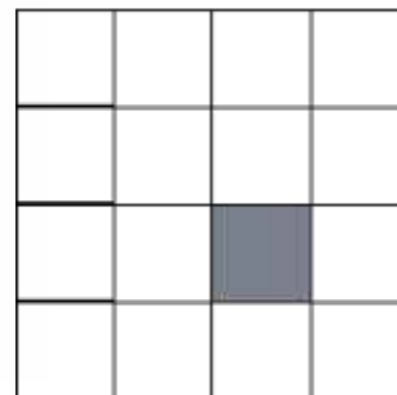
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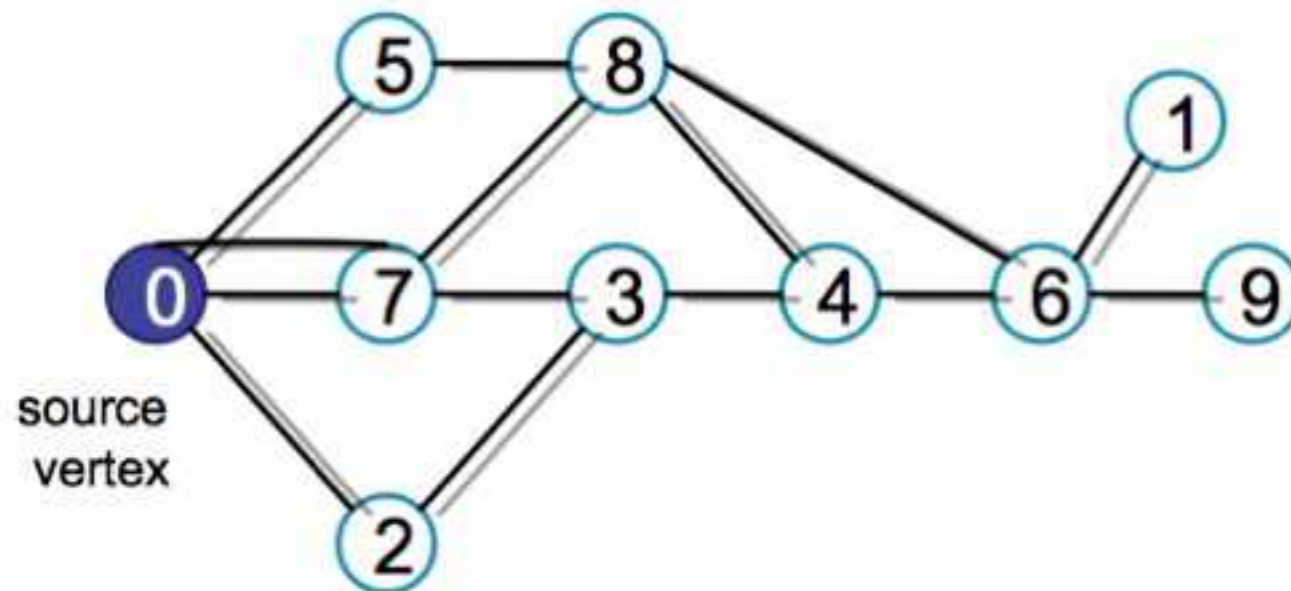
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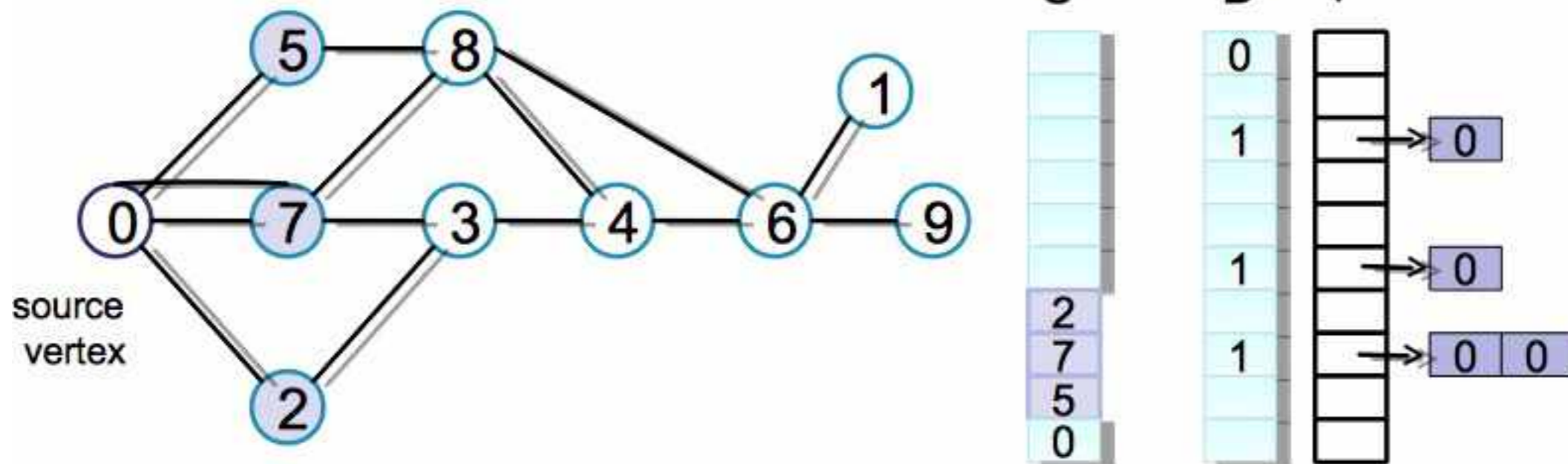
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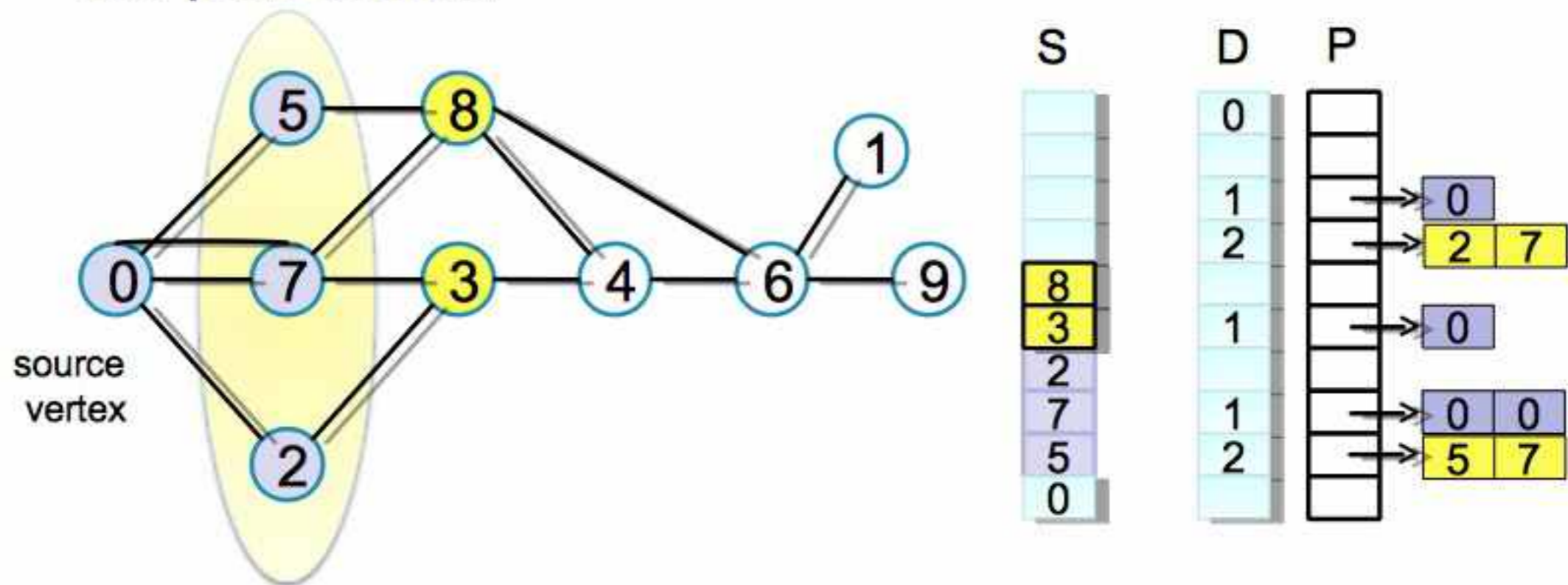
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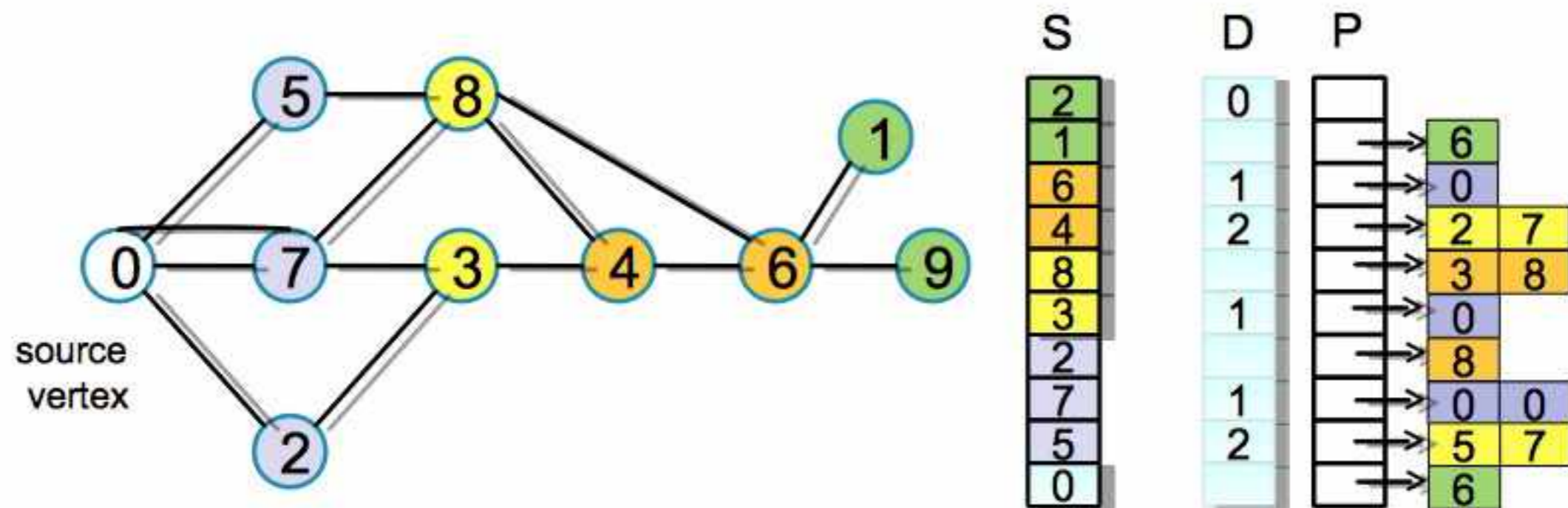
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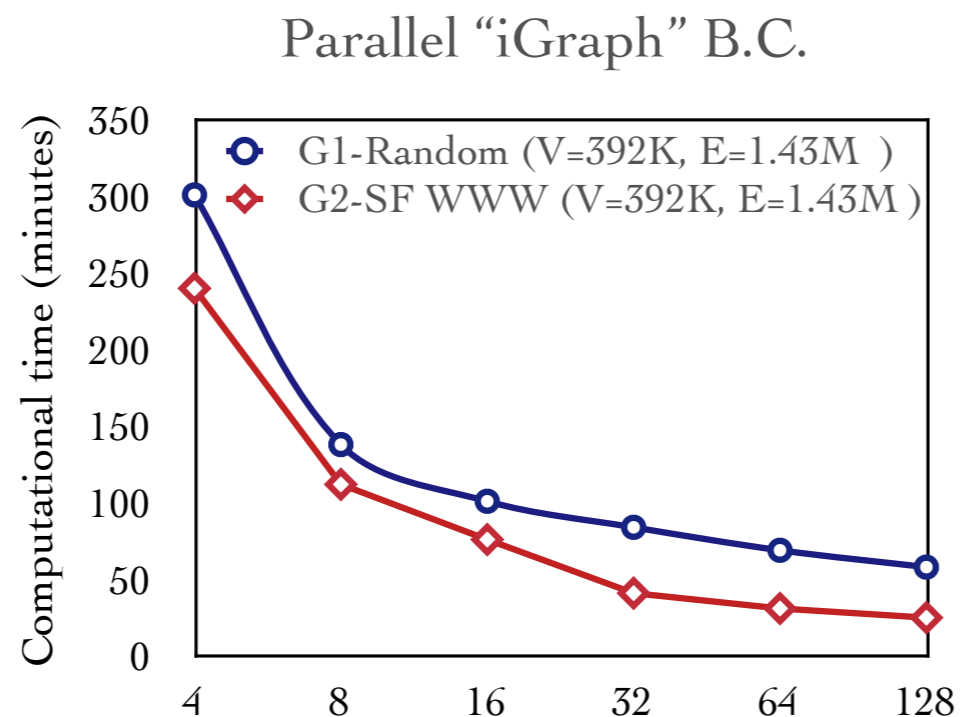
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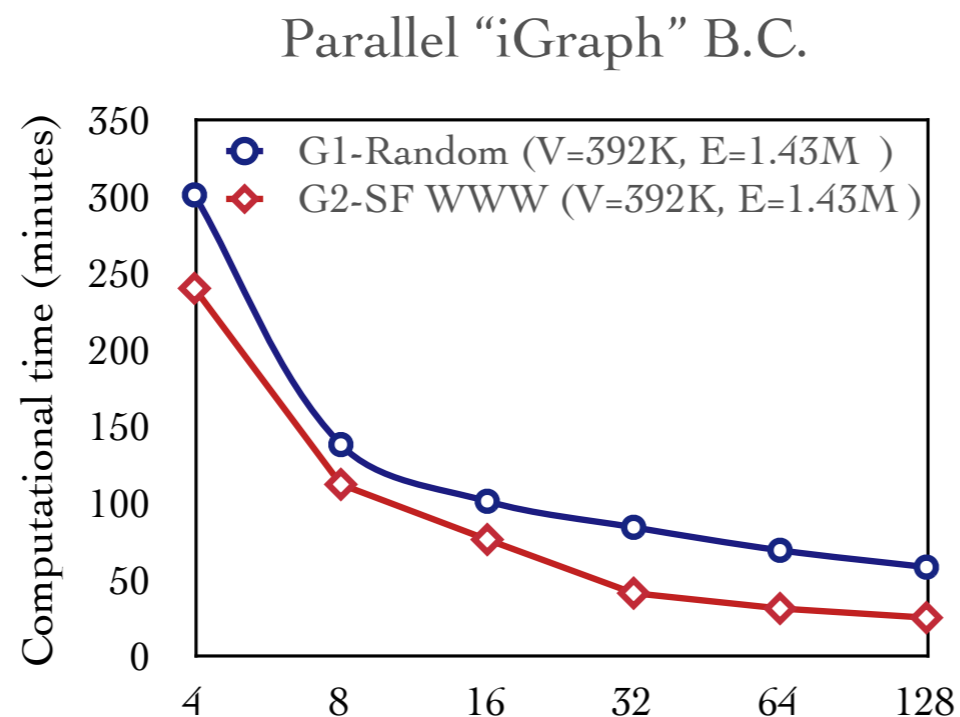
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