Random Graphs and their Use in Peer-to-Peer Networks

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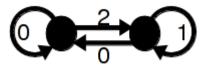
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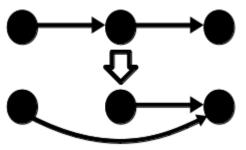
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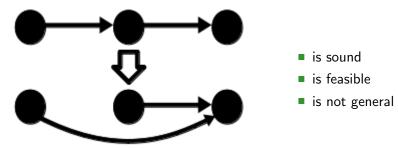


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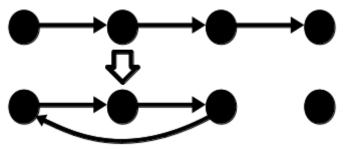


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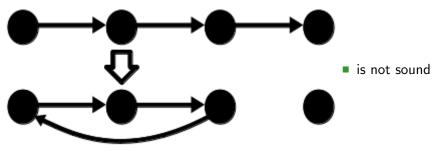


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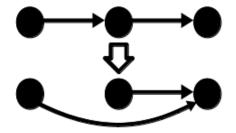
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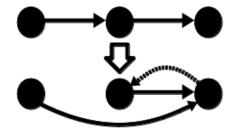


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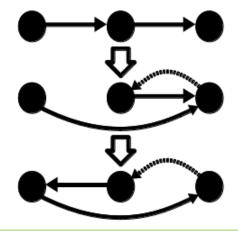
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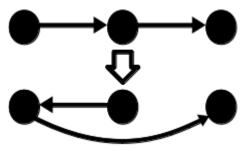


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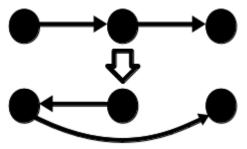
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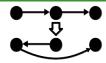
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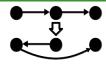
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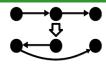


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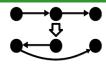
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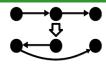
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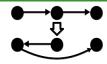
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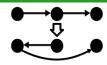
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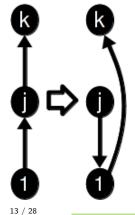


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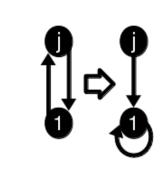
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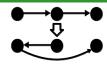


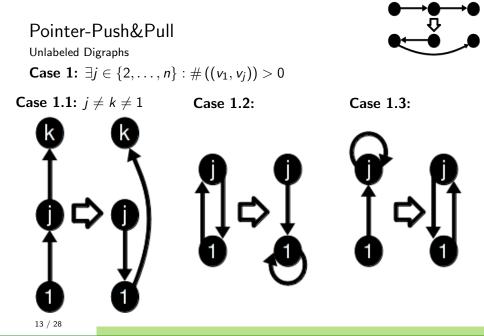
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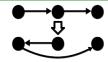






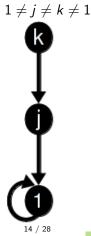
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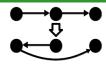
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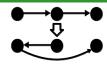


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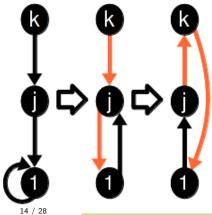
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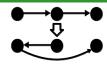
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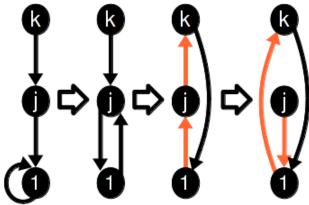
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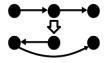




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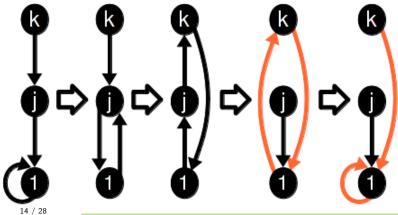
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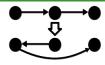




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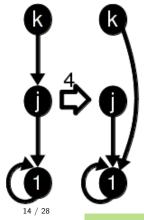
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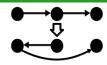


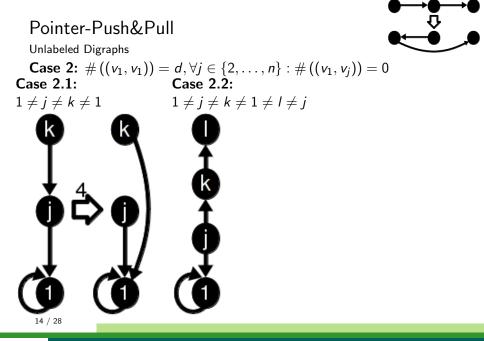


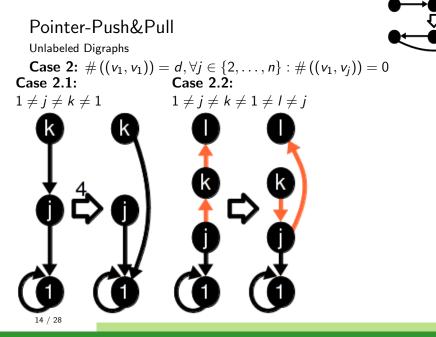
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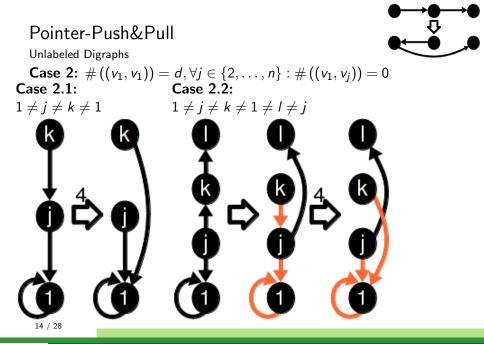
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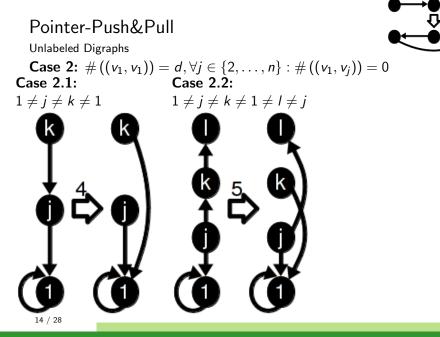


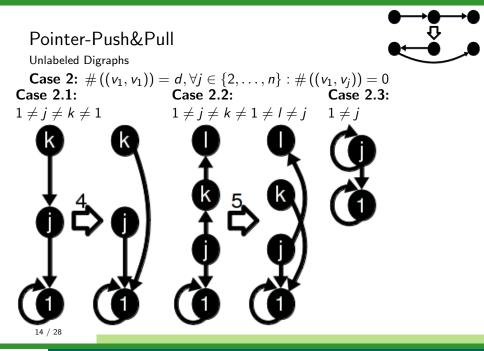


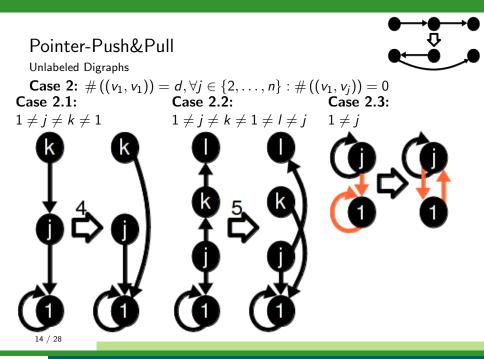


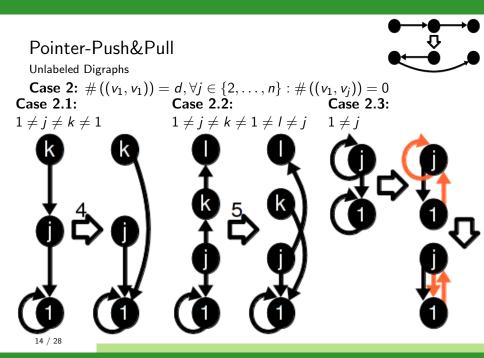


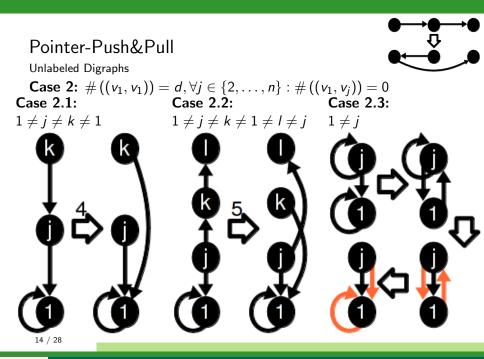


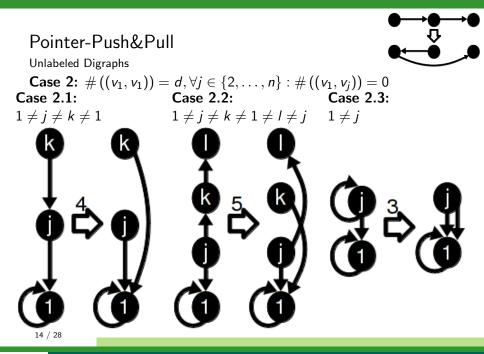




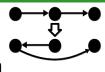








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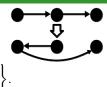


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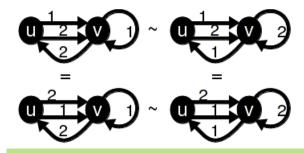
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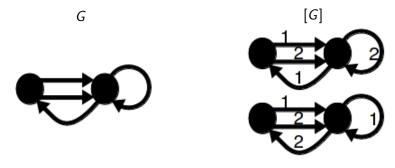
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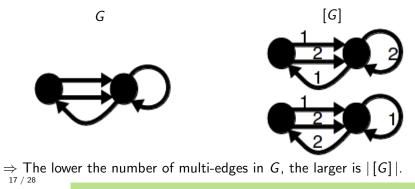
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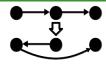
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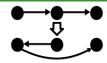


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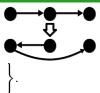
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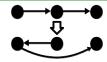
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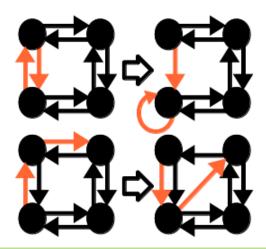
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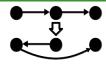
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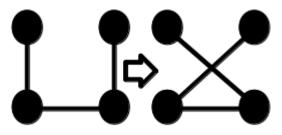


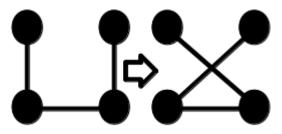
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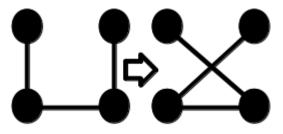








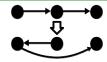
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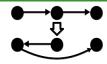
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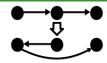


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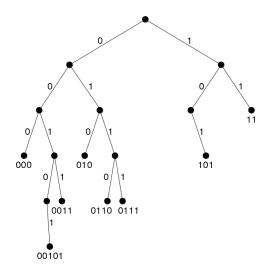
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 - \Box $O(n \log n)$ supposed
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- Similar operation for simple digraphs

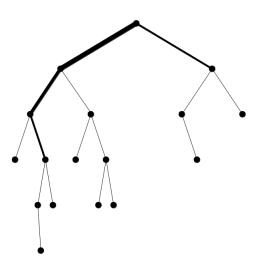
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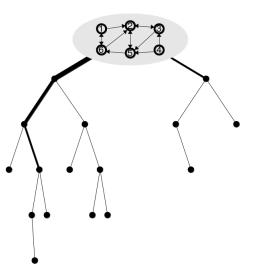
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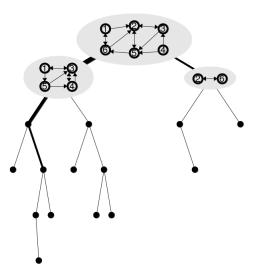
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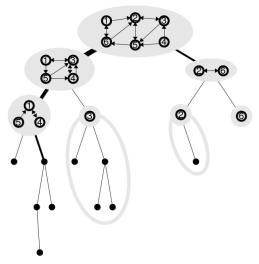
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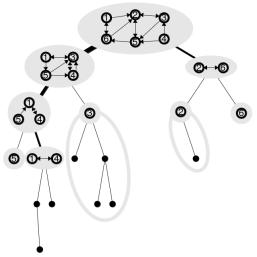


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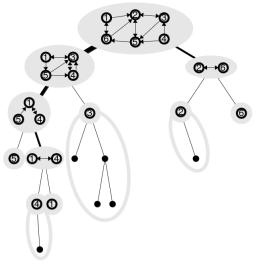
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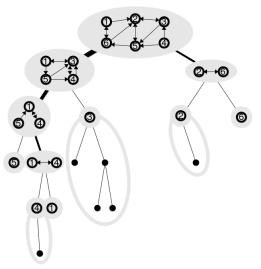


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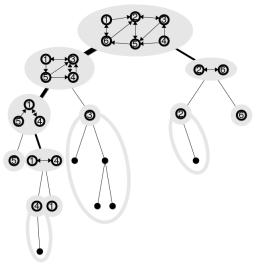


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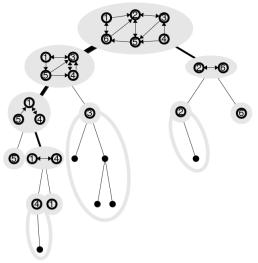


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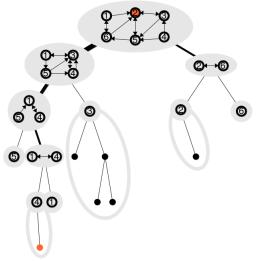
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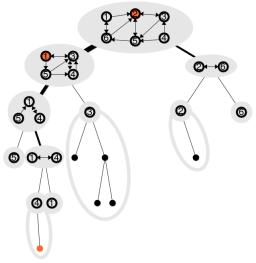
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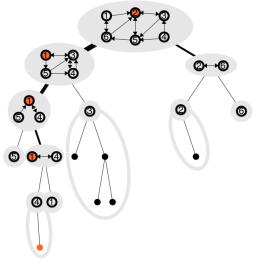
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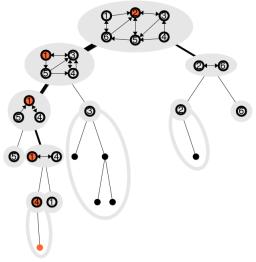
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