

Orienting Fully Dynamic Graphs with Worst-Case Time Bounds

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Motivation

Low out-degree orientations enable efficient algorithms for many graph problems:

- adjacency queries in $O(\log \log c)$ using linear memory
- shortest-path queries
- maximal matchings (under inclusion)
- and many more

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Classes of graphs with α bounded by constant

- planar graphs
- excluded-minor families

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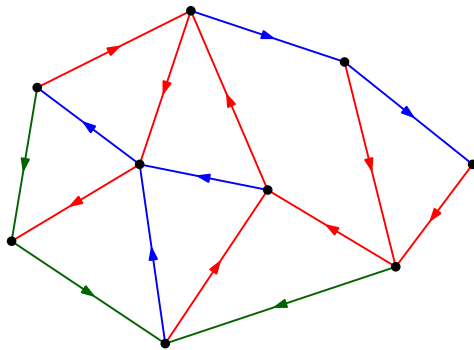
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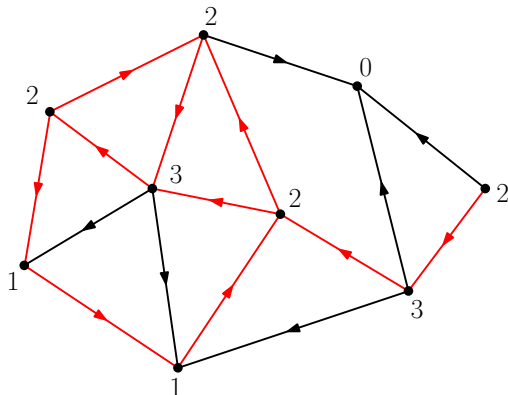
In the following, we assume that α is constant.

	Bound on Δ	Edge insertion	Edge removal
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We have $|V_{\lceil \log_\beta n \rceil}| > \beta^{\lceil \log_\beta n \rceil} \geq n$, contradiction.

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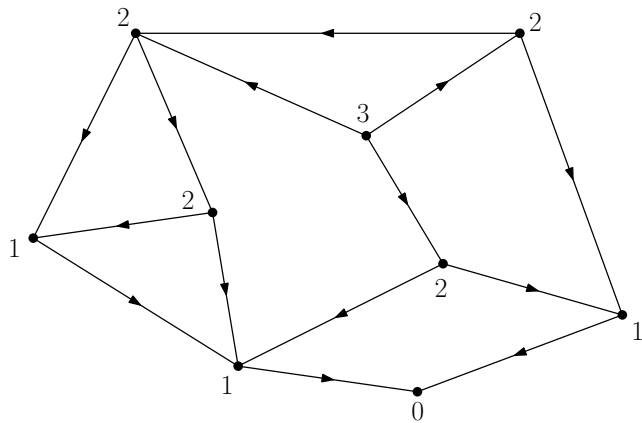
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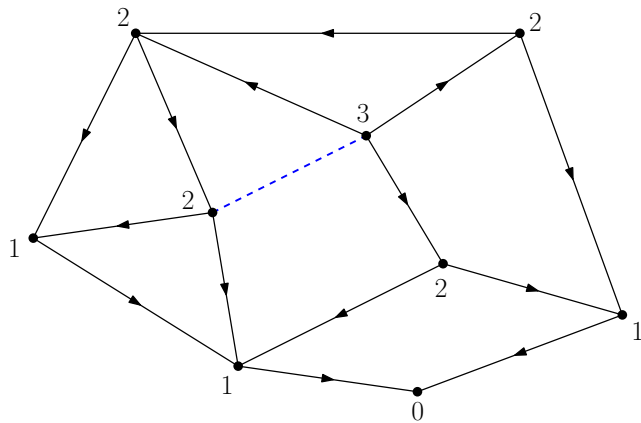
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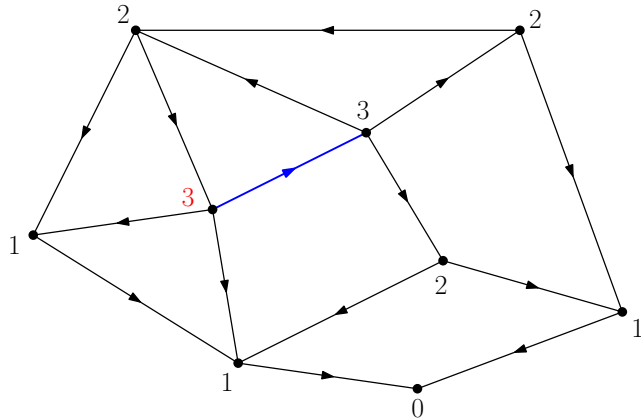
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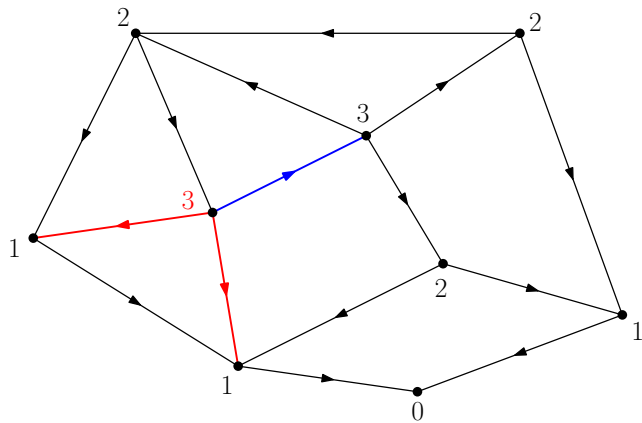
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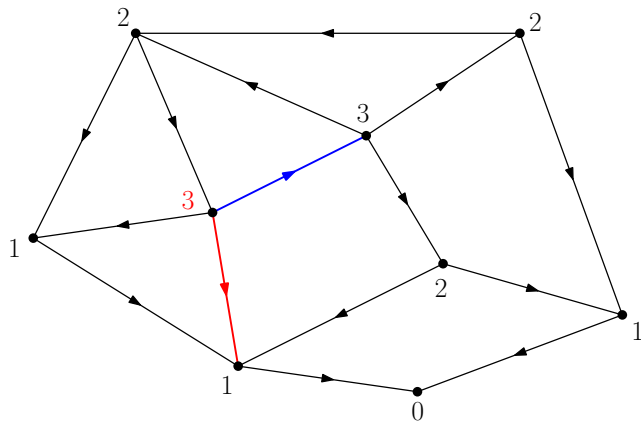
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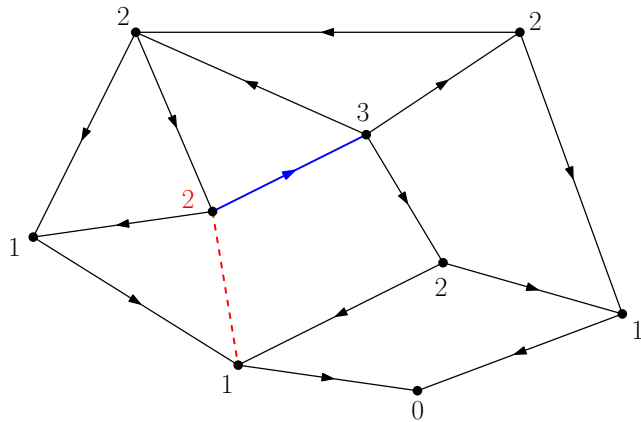
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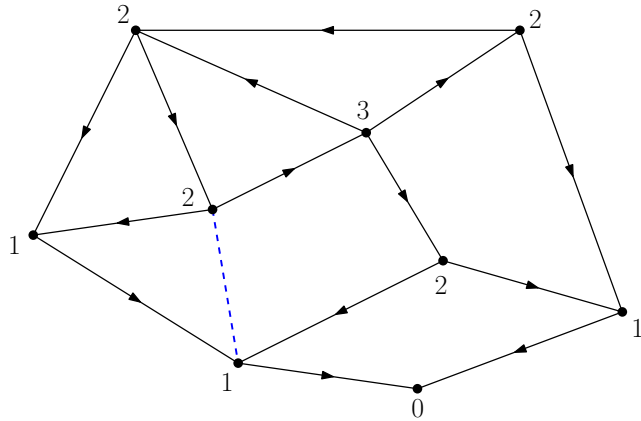
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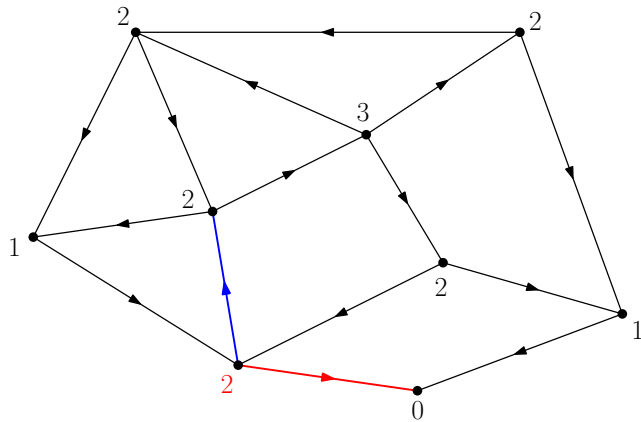
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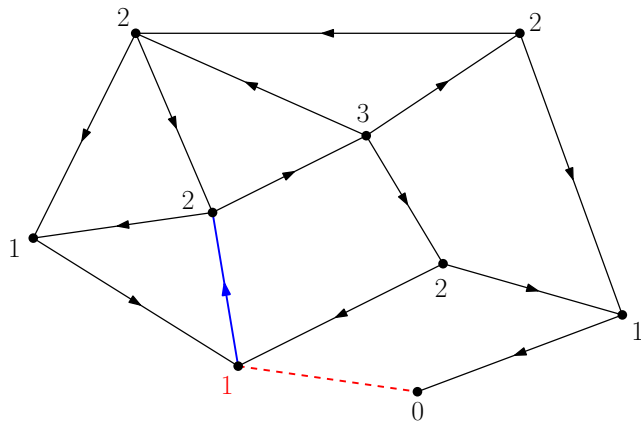
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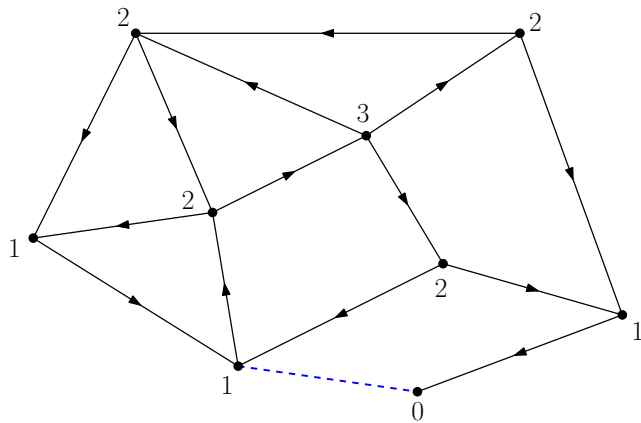
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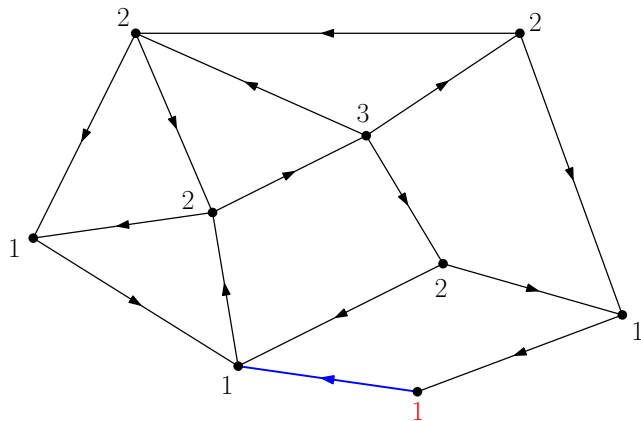
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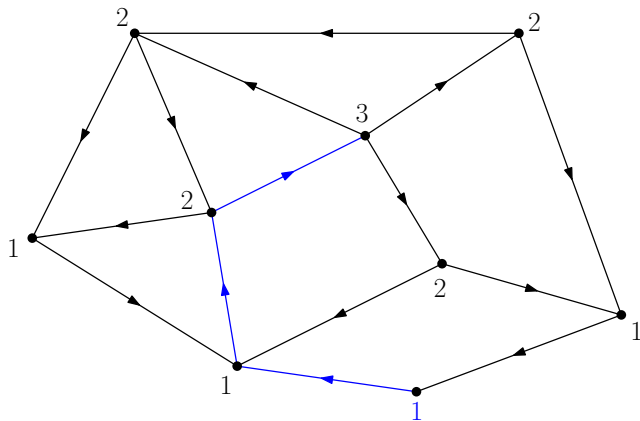
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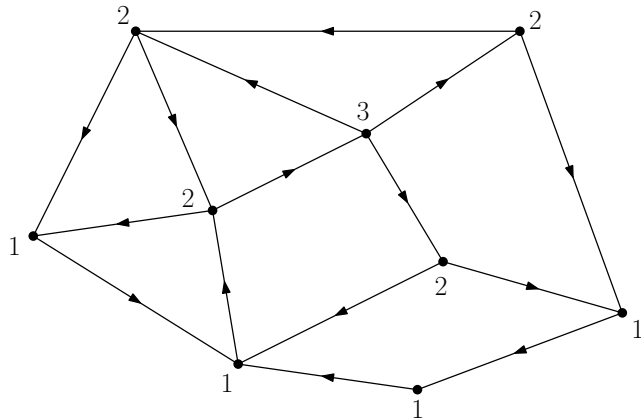
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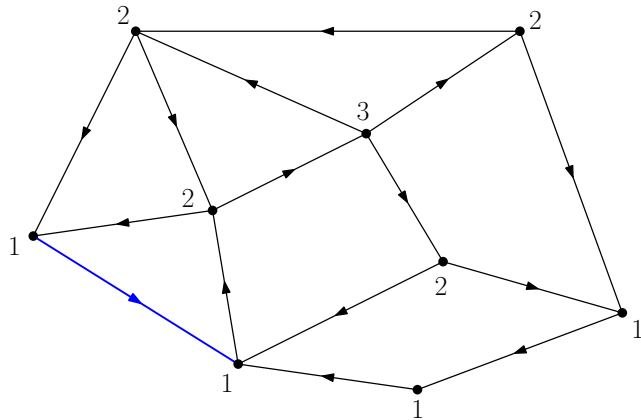
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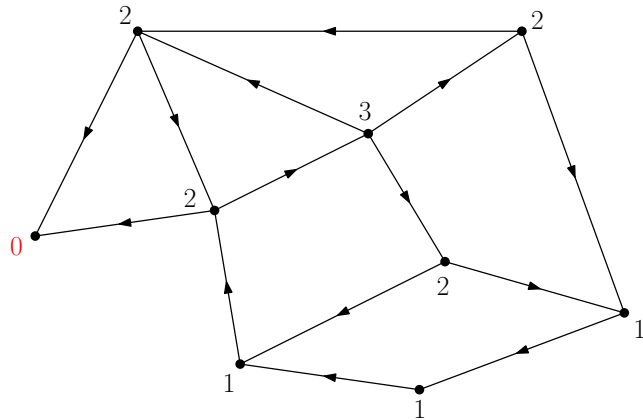
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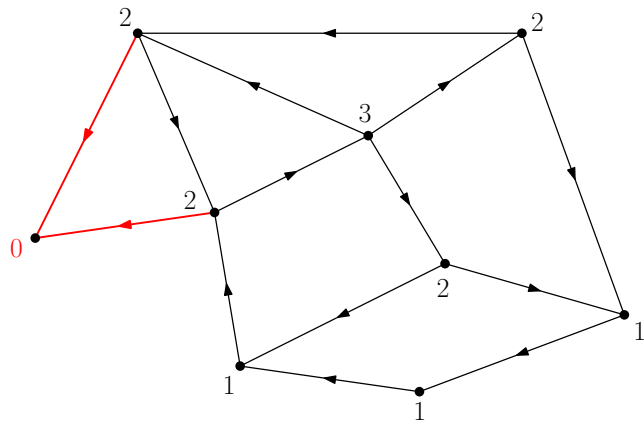
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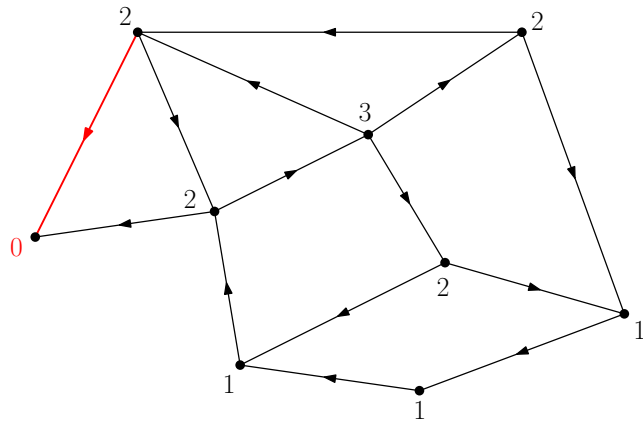
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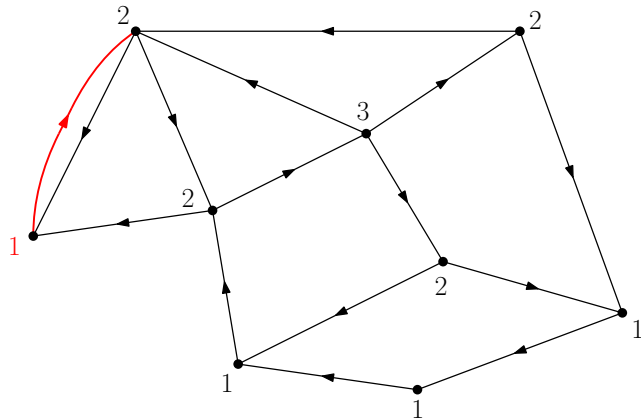
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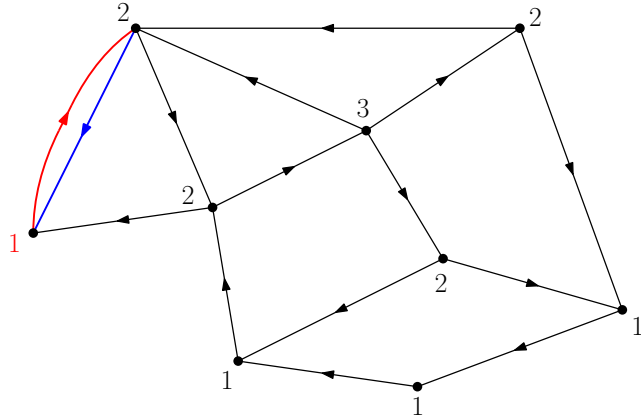
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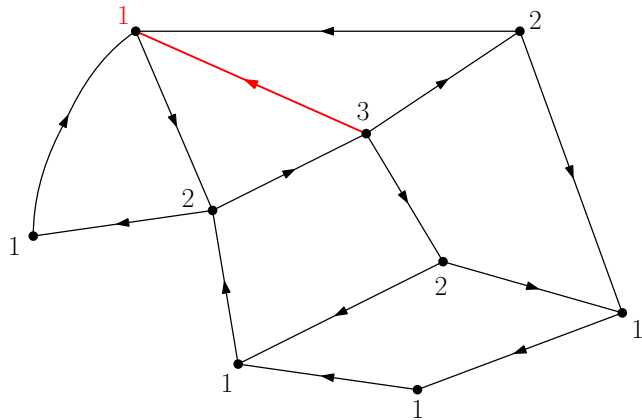
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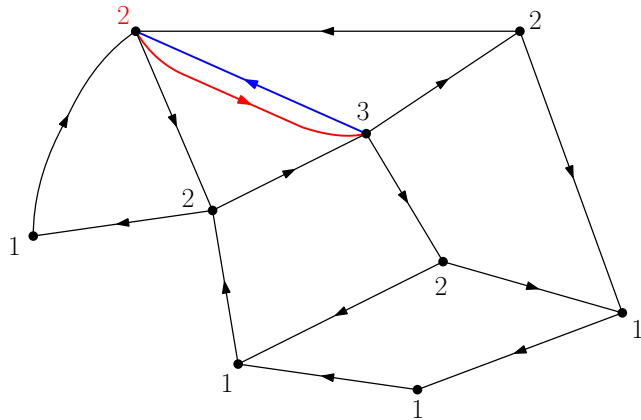
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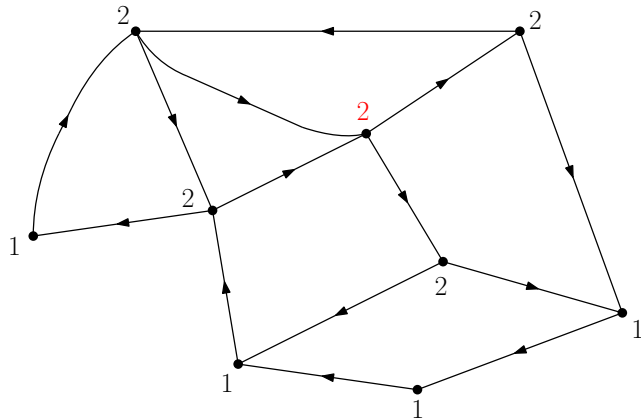
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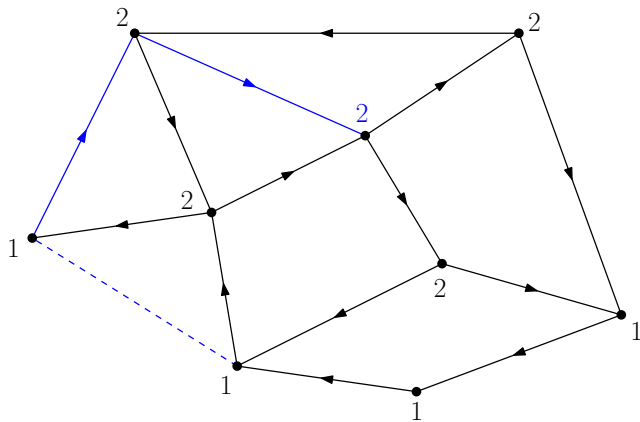
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How to find the violated edge quickly?

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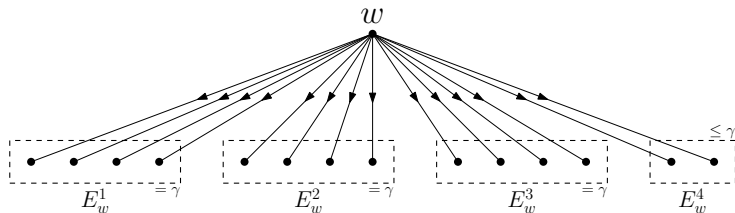
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Vertex w is spectrum-valid if its set of outgoing edges E_w can be partitioned into $q = \lceil |E_w|/\gamma \rceil$ sets E_w^1, \dots, E_w^q such that:

- $|E_w^i| = \gamma$ for each $i \in \{1, \dots, q-1\}$
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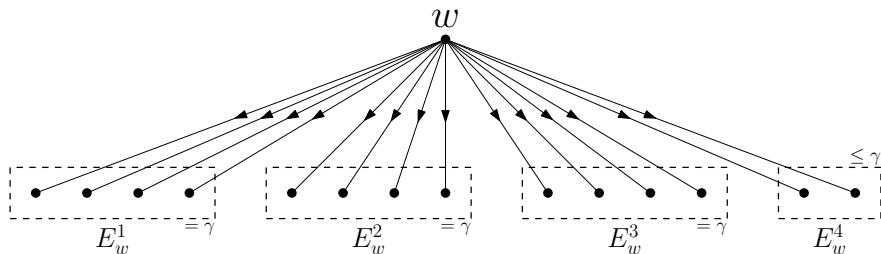
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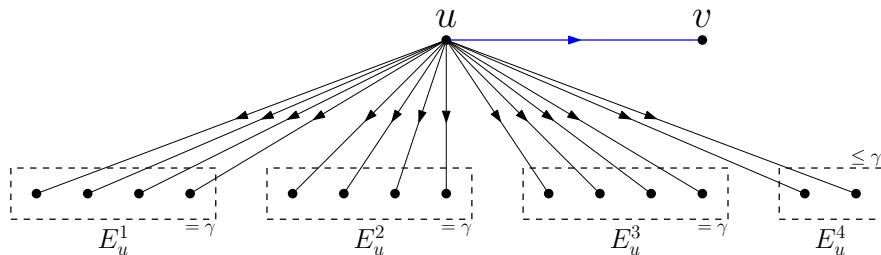
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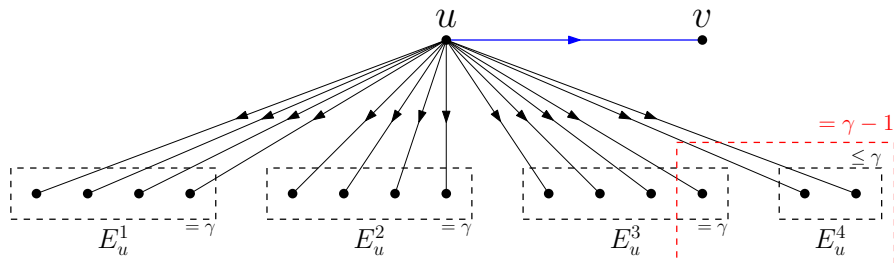
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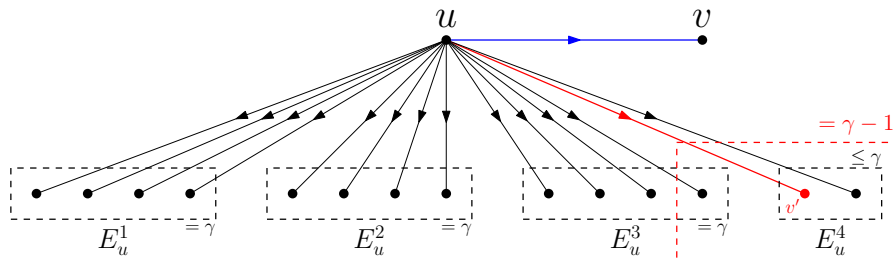
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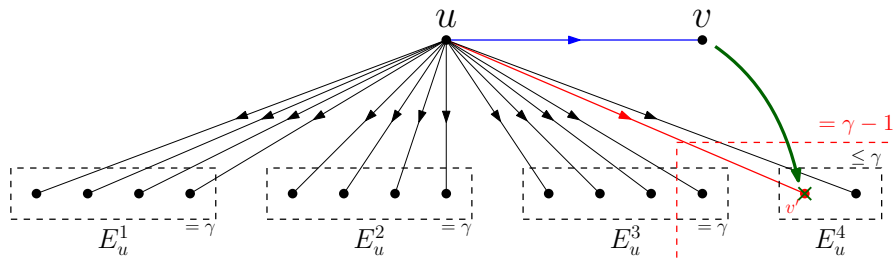
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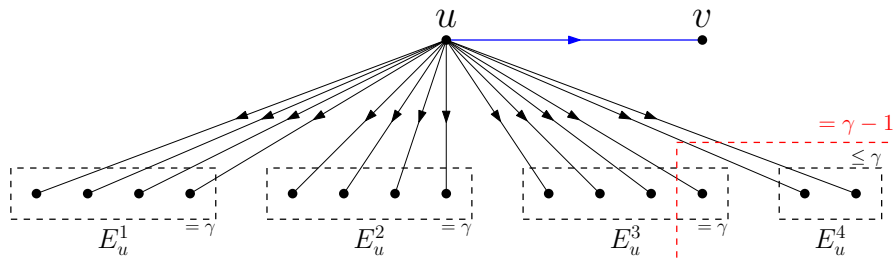
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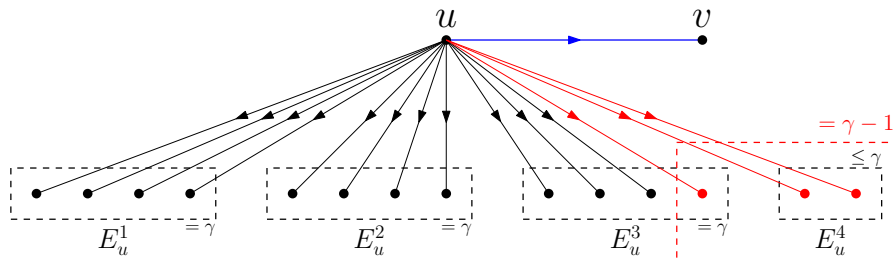
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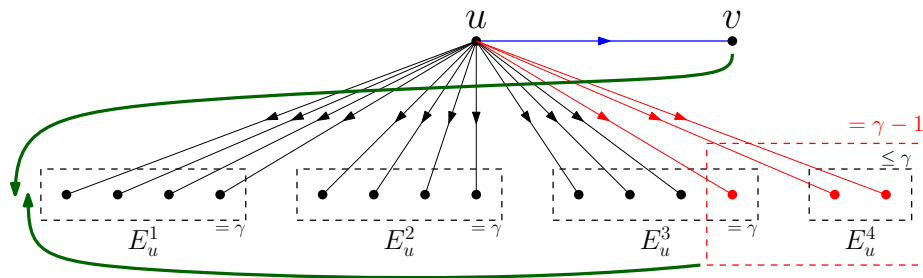
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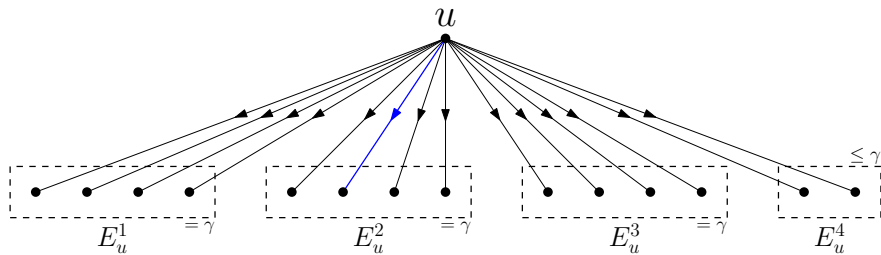
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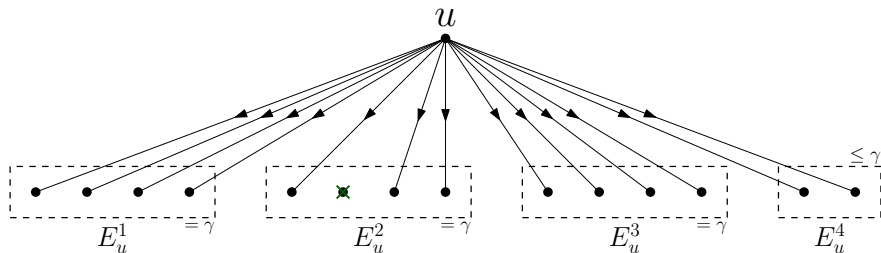
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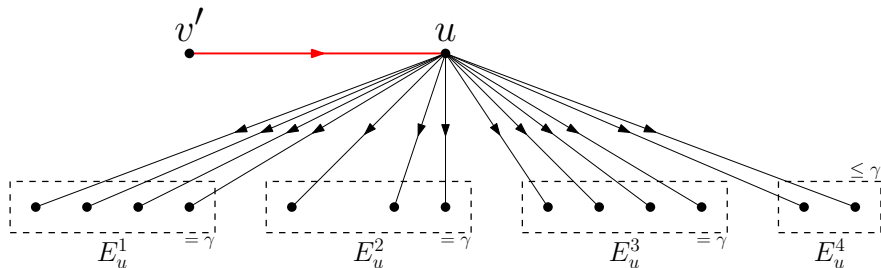


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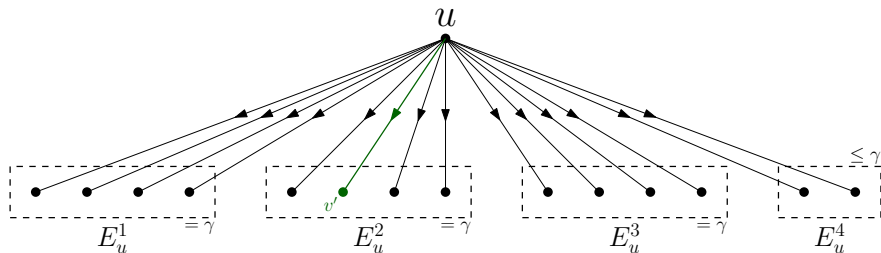
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