Testable Properties in General Graphs and Random Order Streaming

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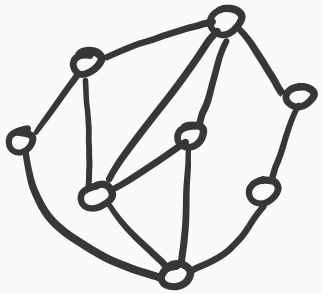

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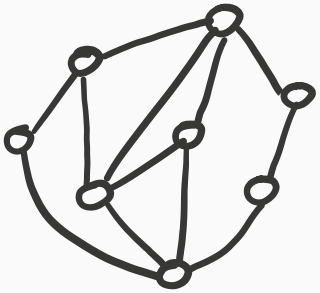

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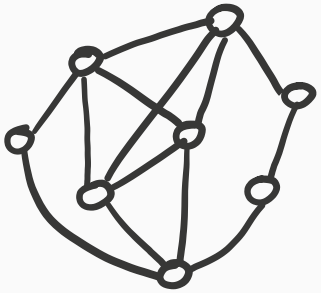

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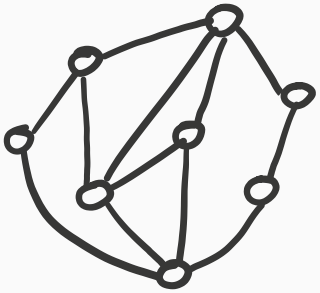

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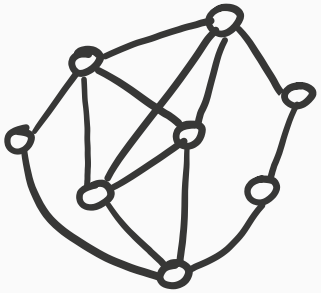

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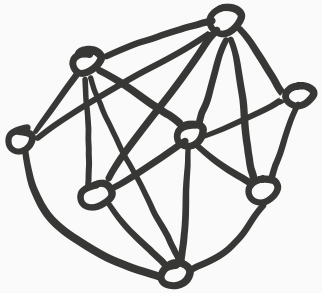

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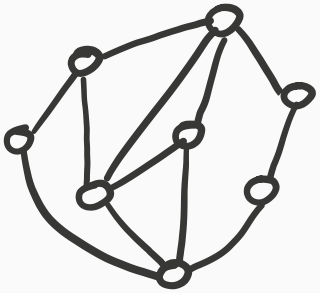

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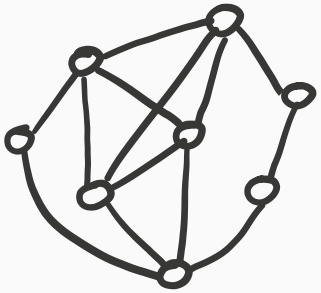

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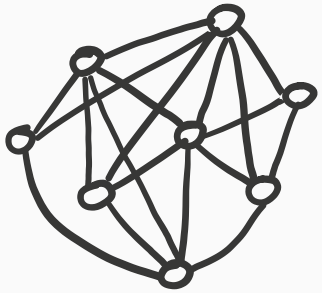

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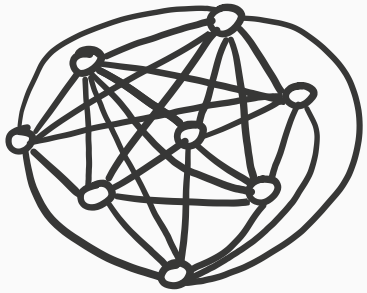

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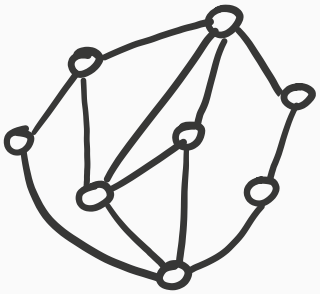

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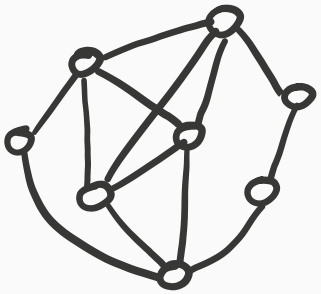

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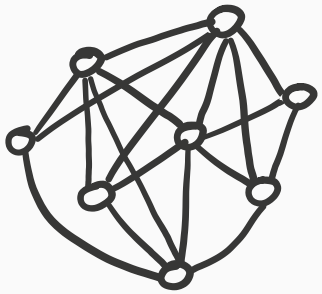

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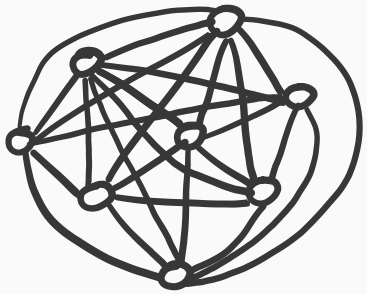

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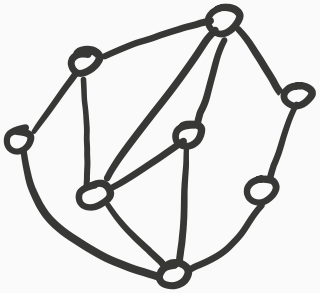

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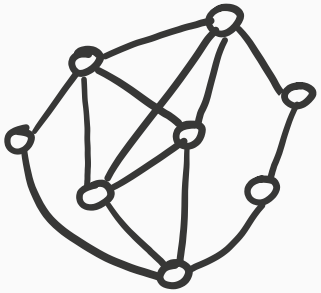

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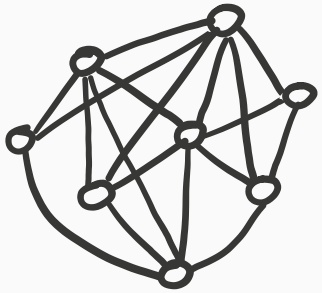

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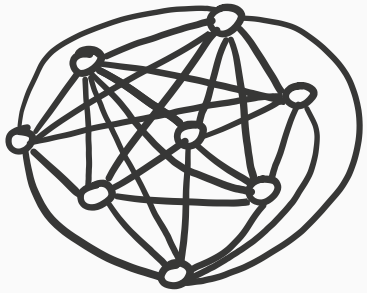

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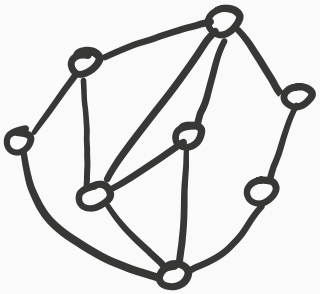

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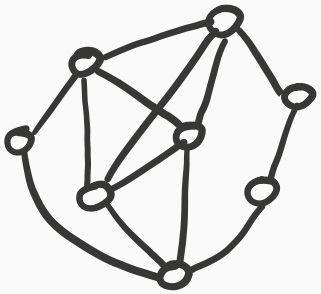

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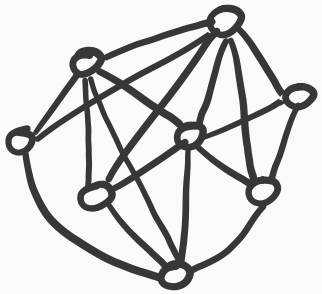

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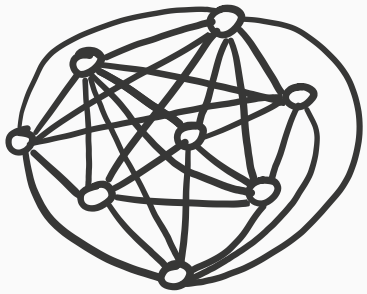

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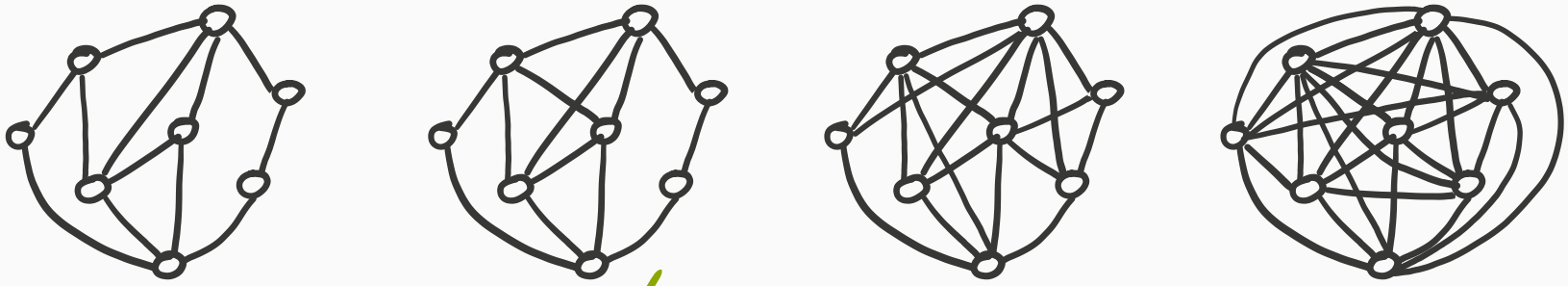

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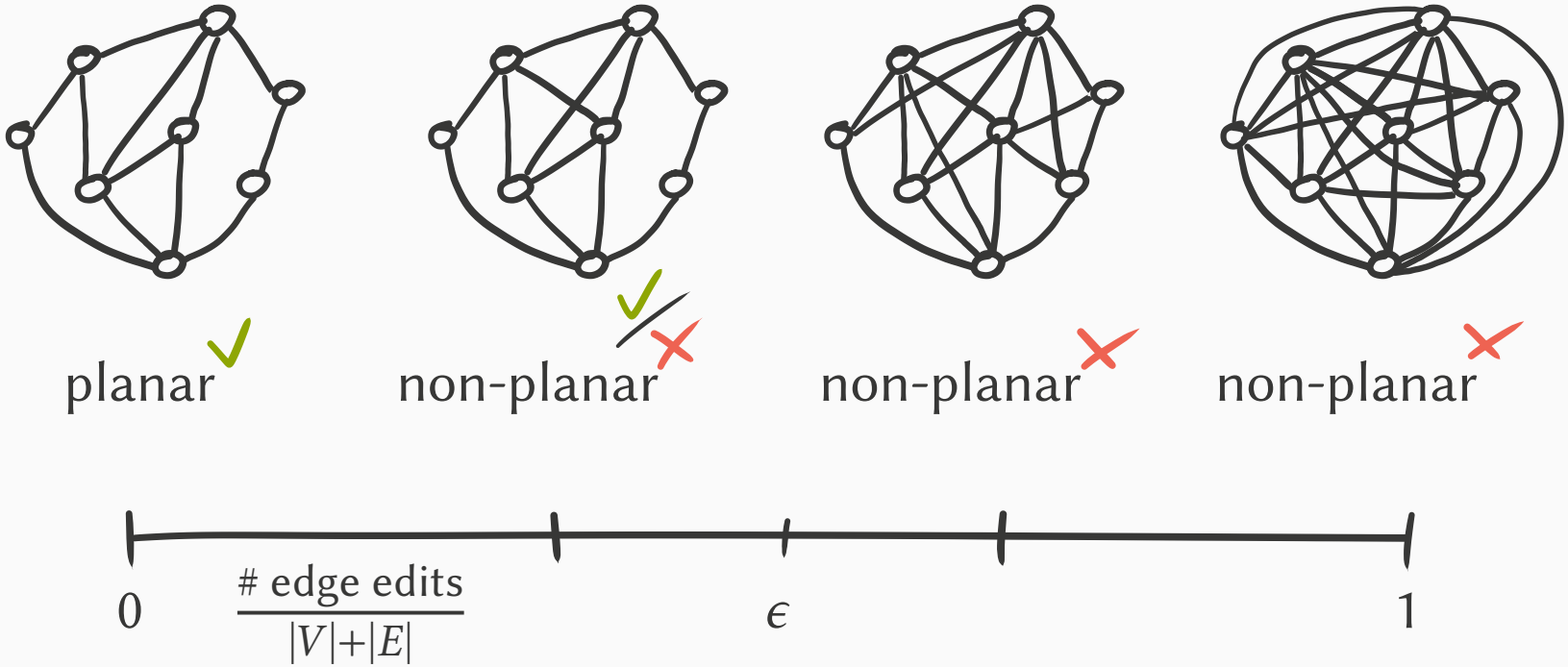

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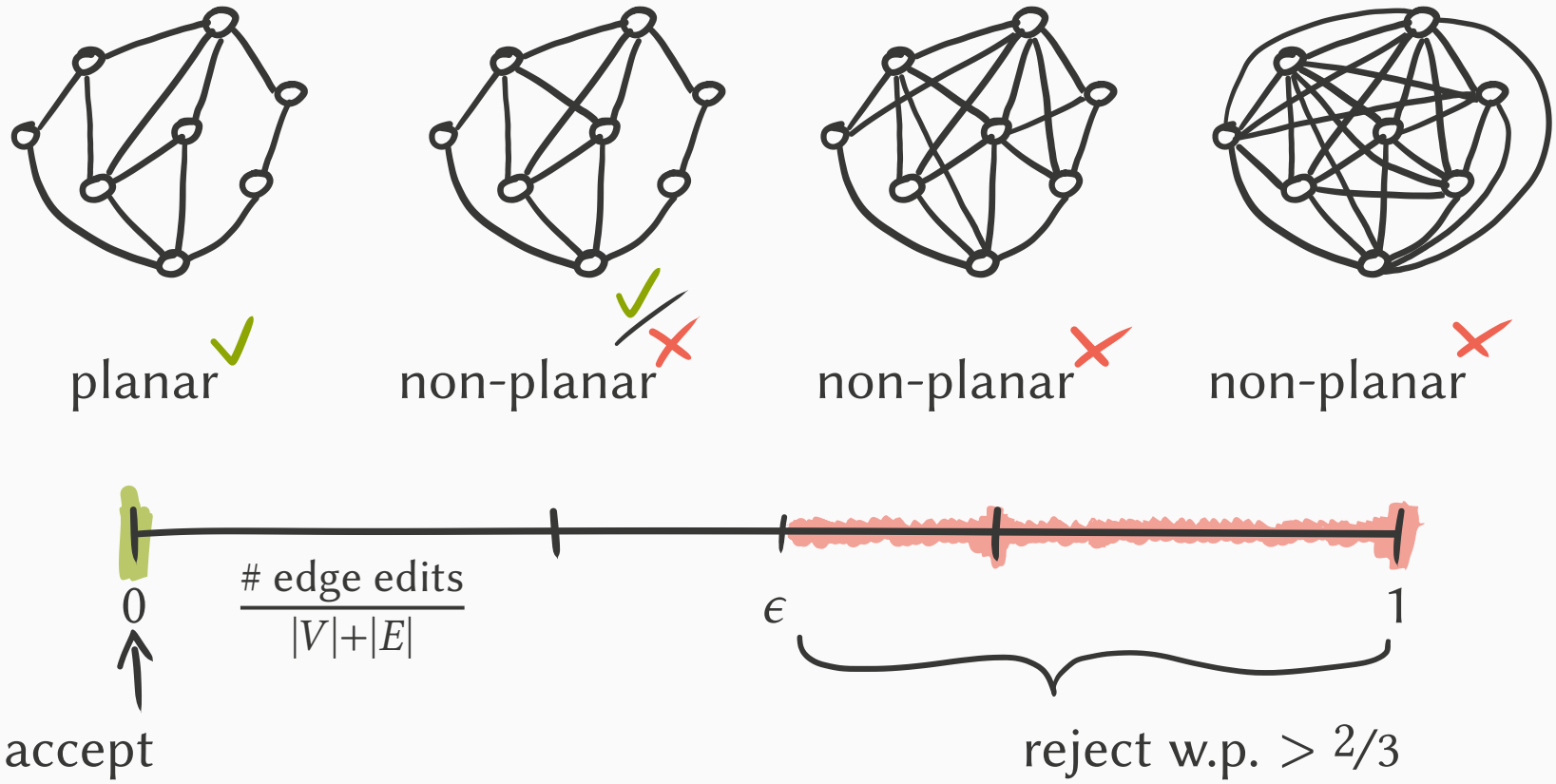

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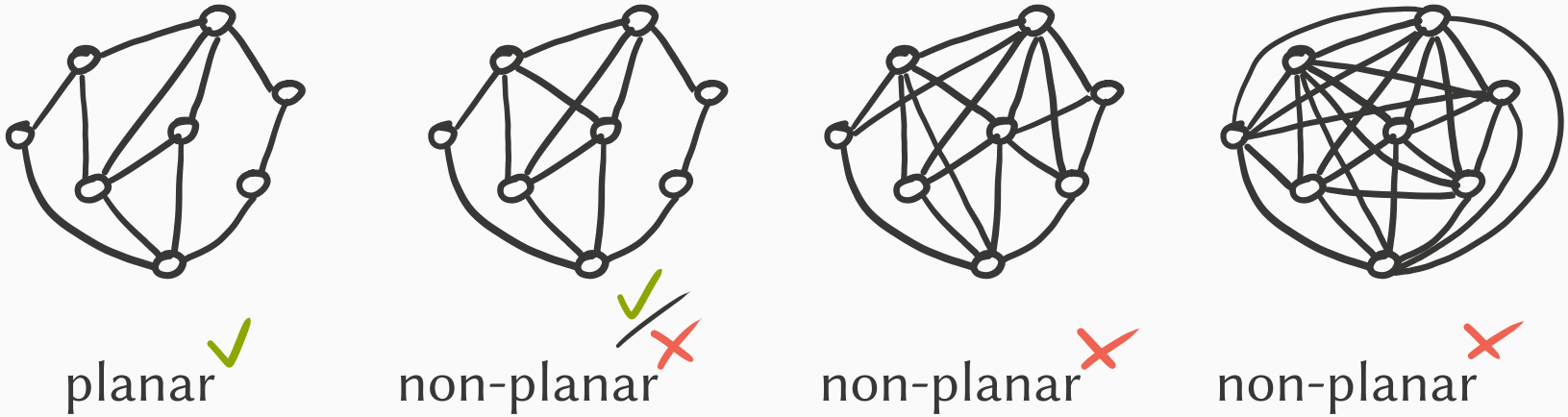

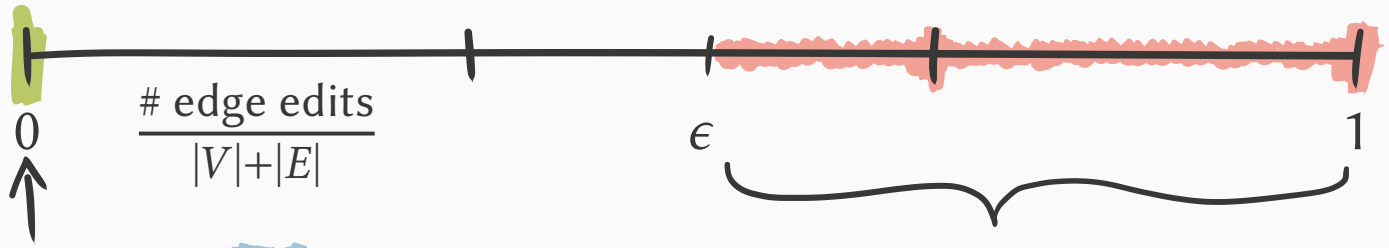

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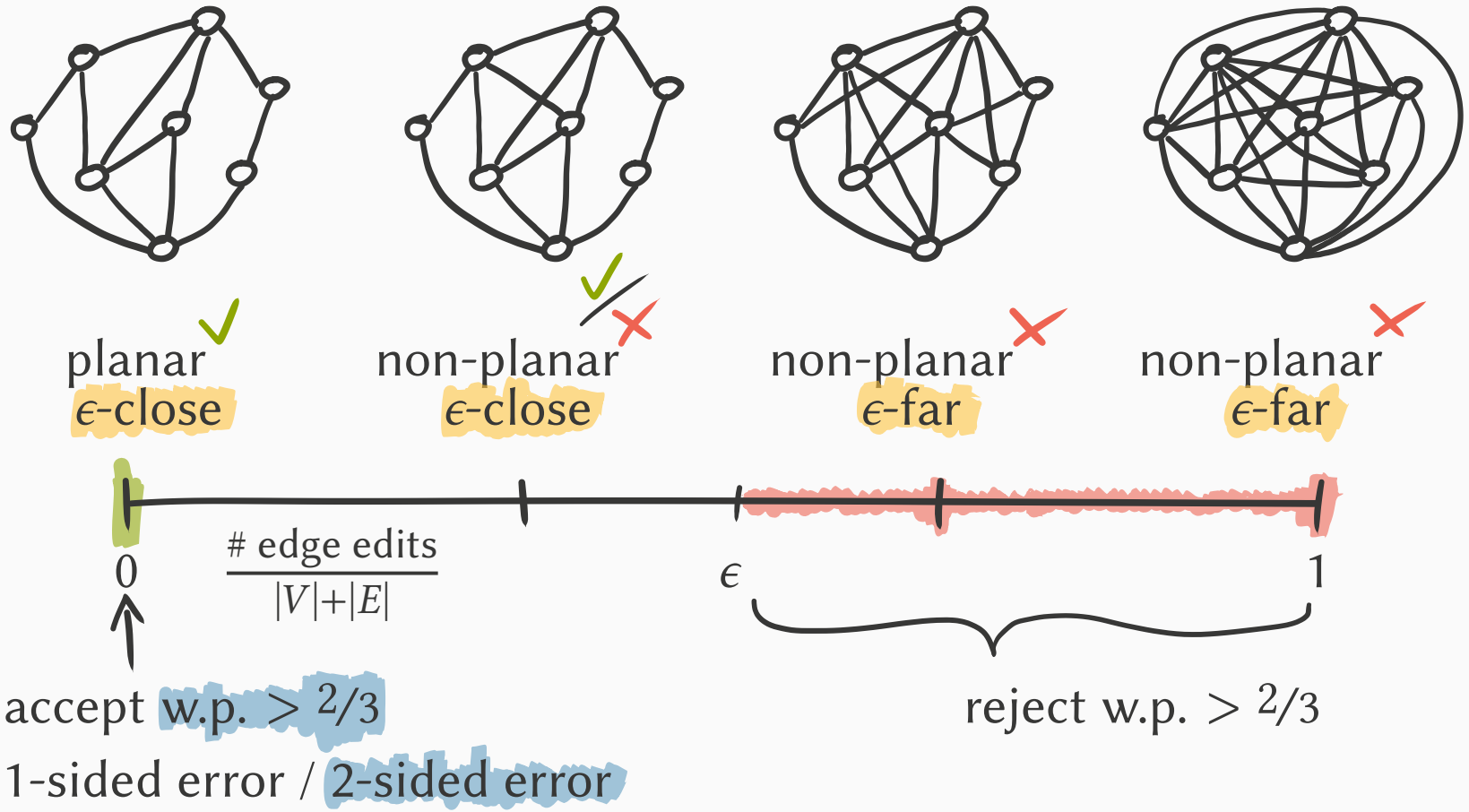

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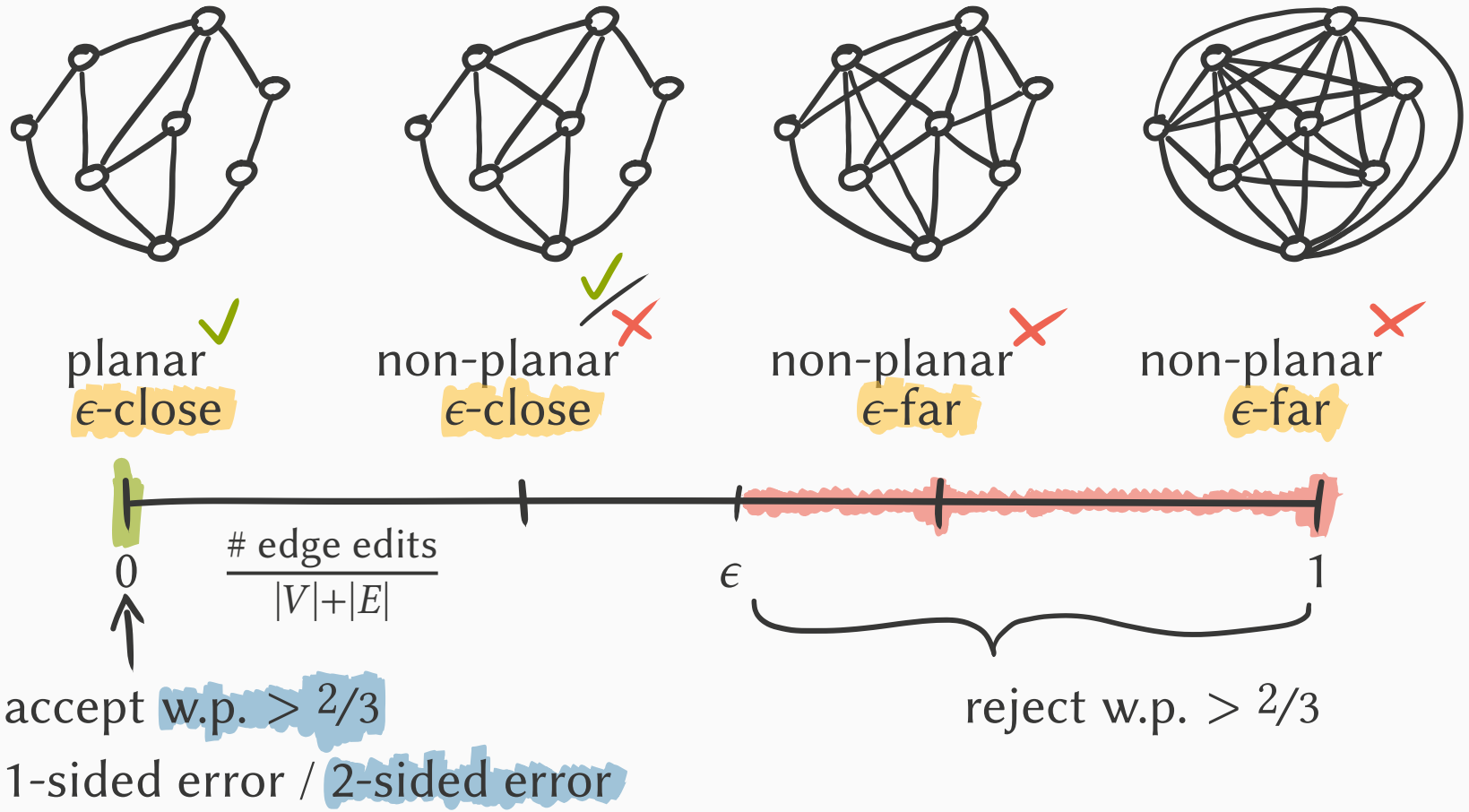

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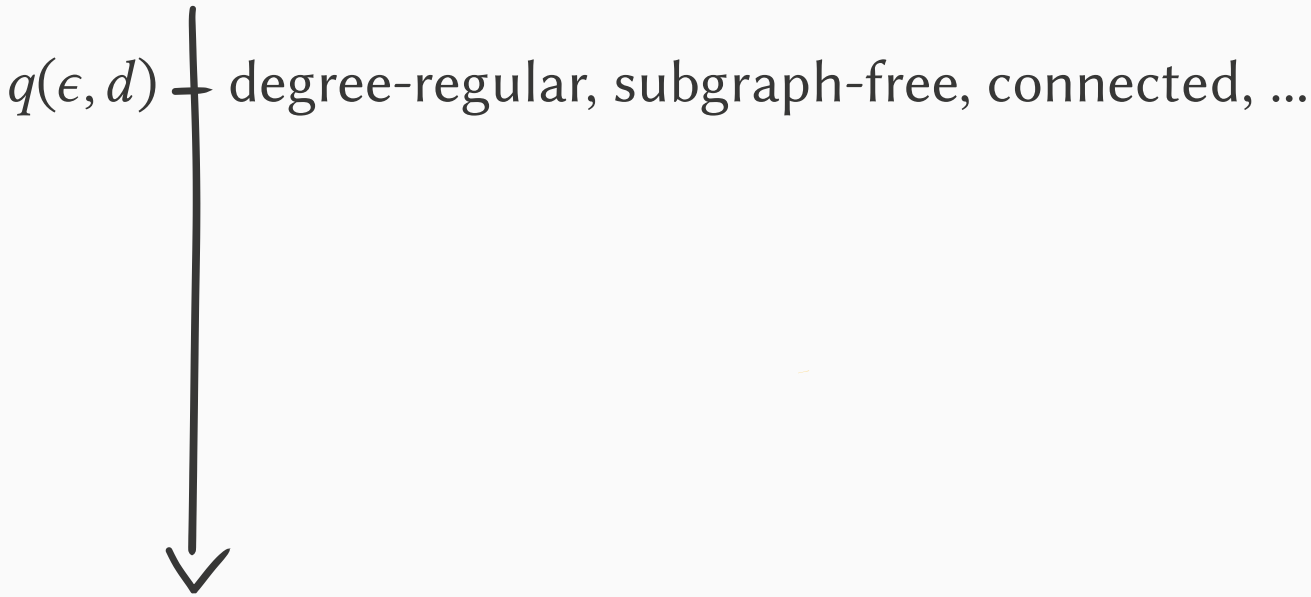

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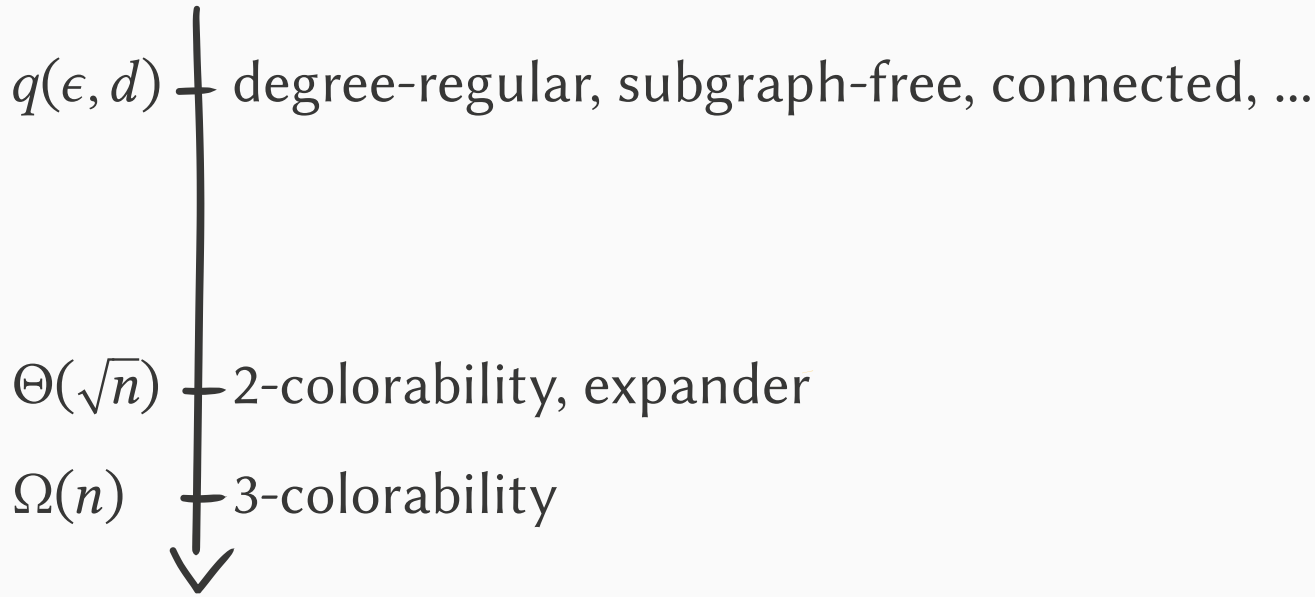

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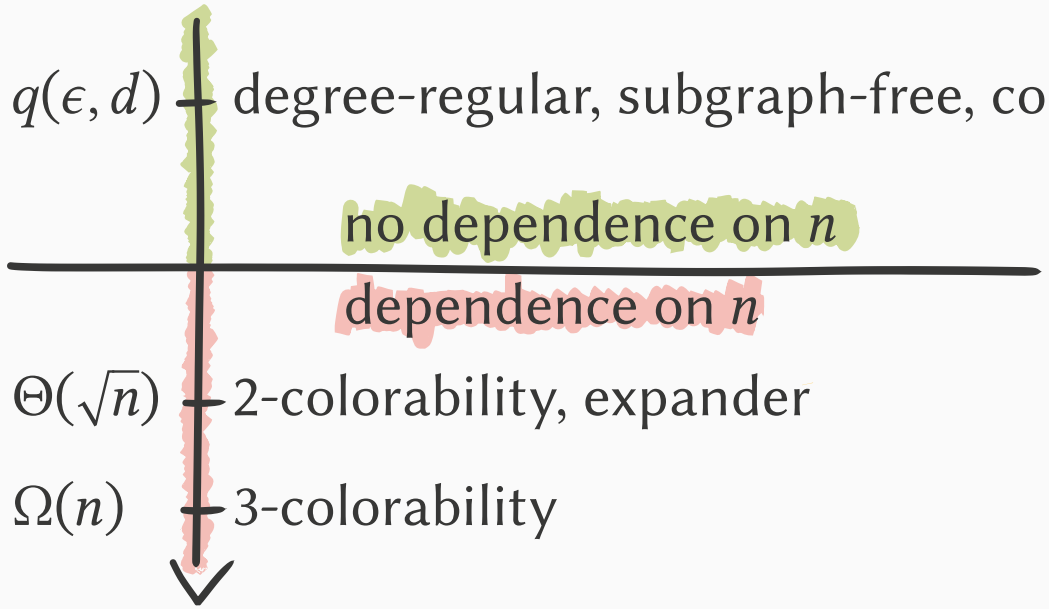

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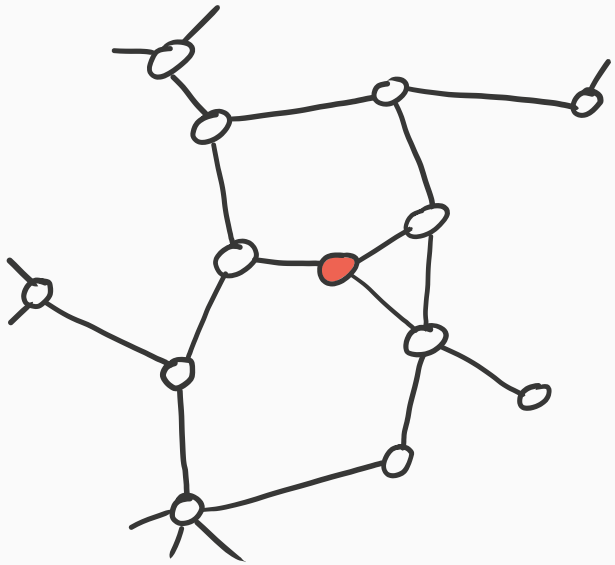

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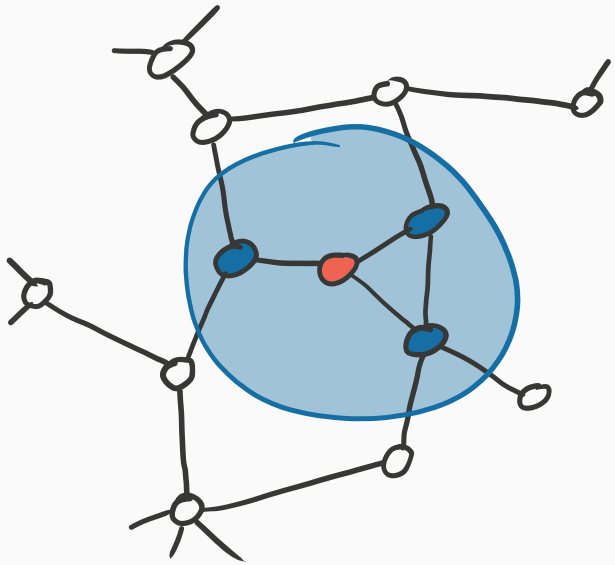

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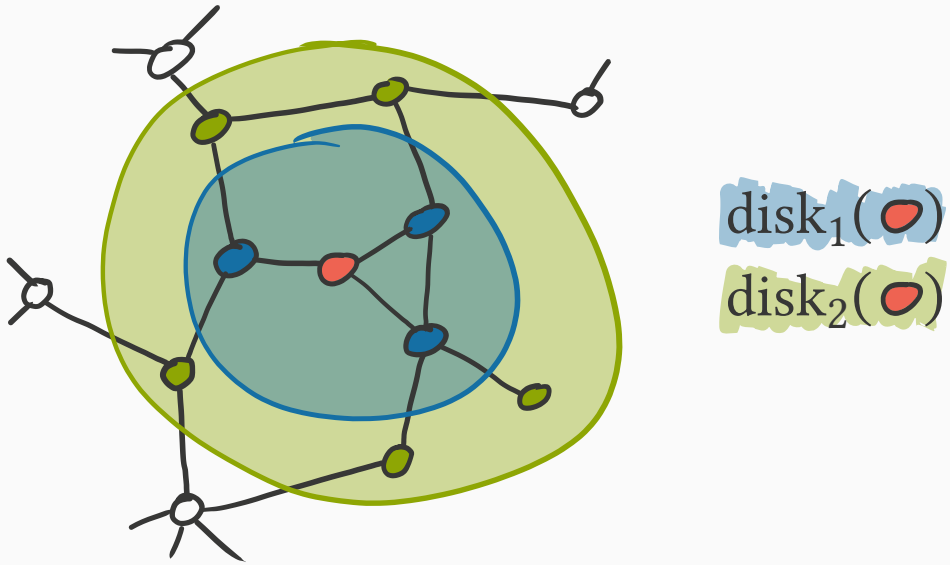

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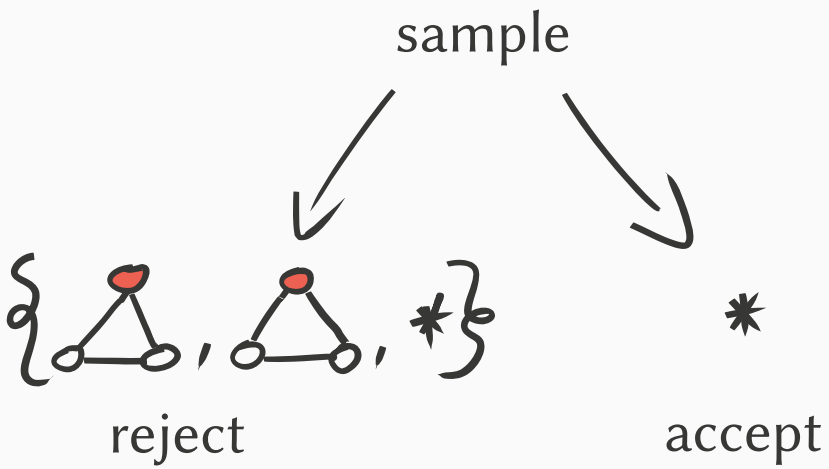

Theorem [GR'09, ...]

A property tester for bounded-degree graphs with constant query complexity $q := q(\epsilon)$ can be transformed into an algorithm that

1. obtains a uniform sample S of $\Theta(q)$ many q-disks
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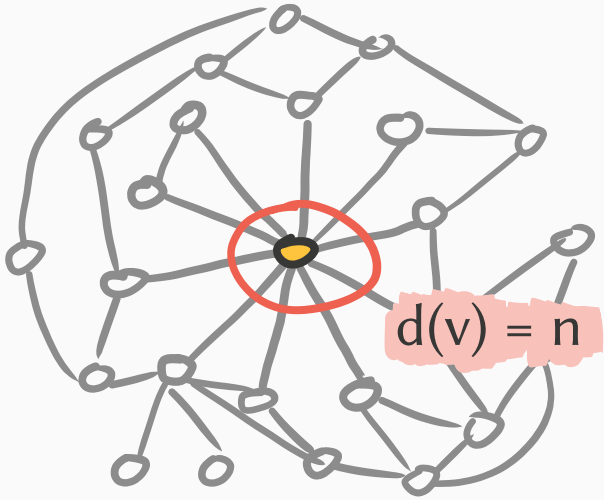

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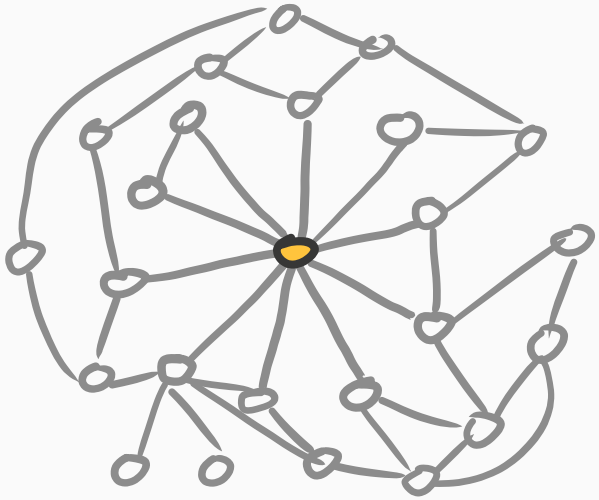

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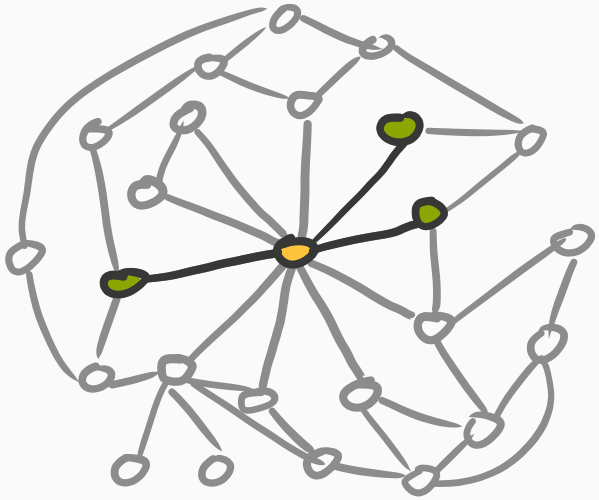

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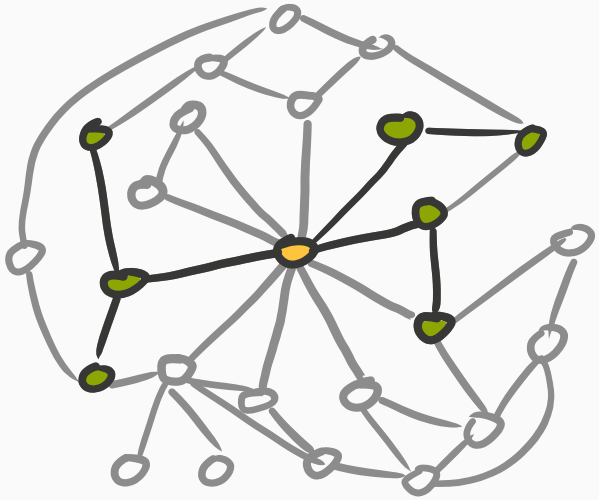

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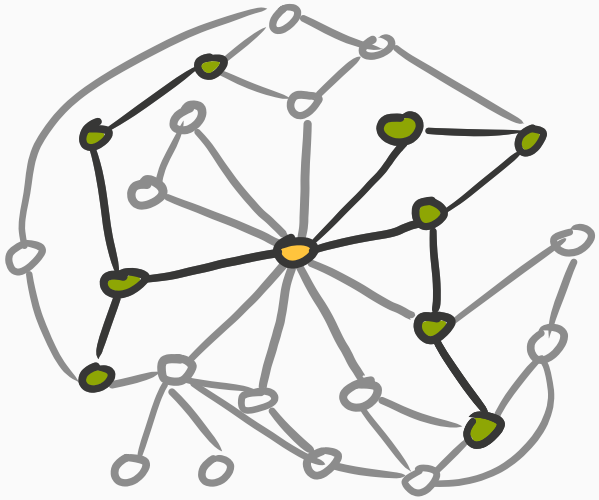

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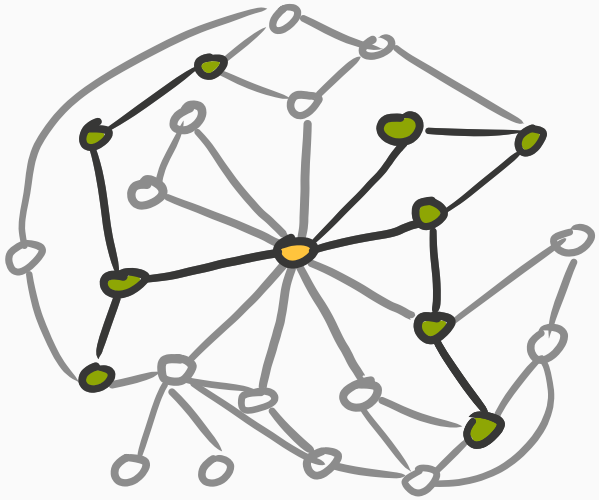

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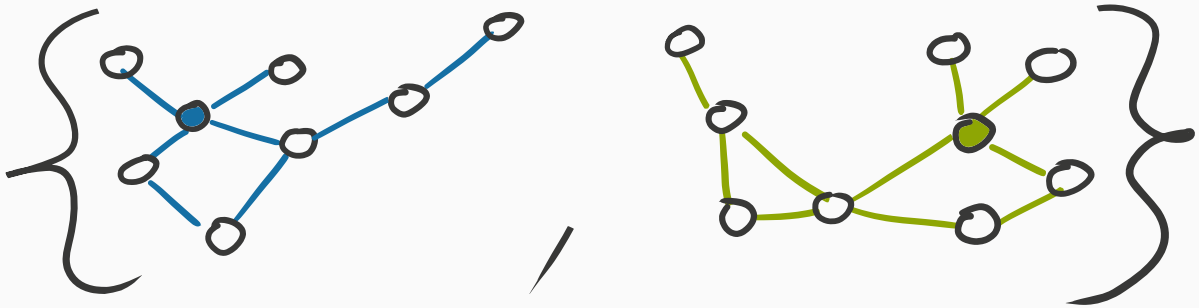

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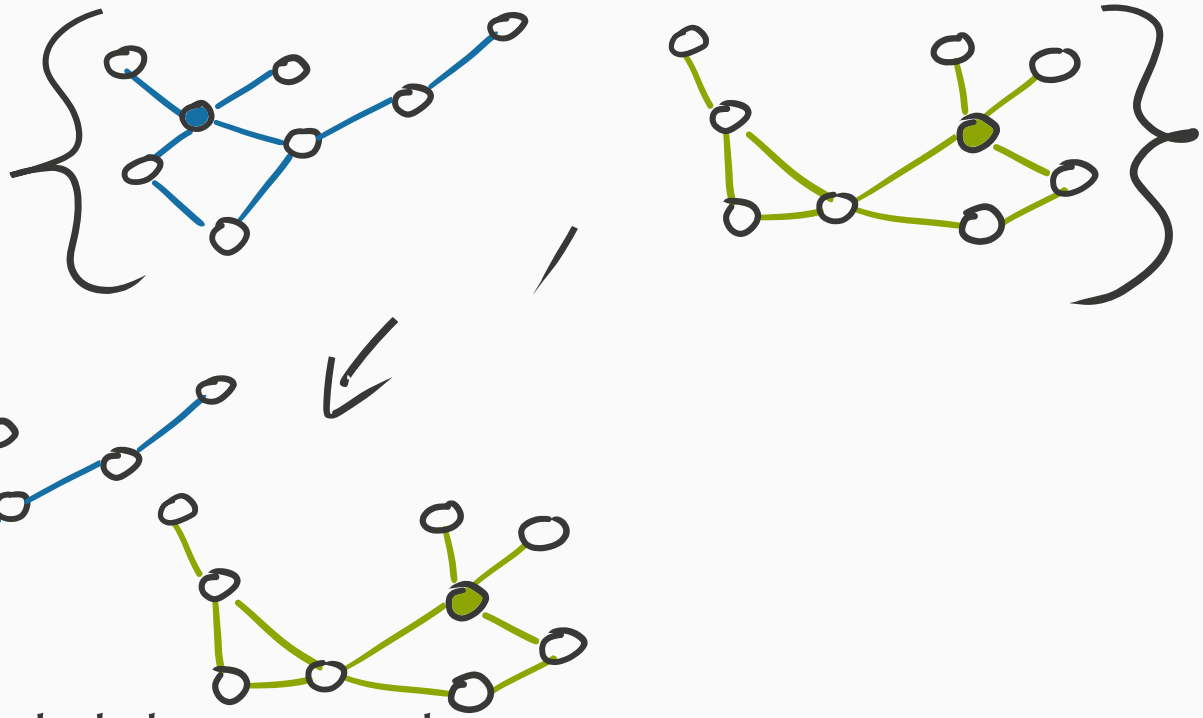

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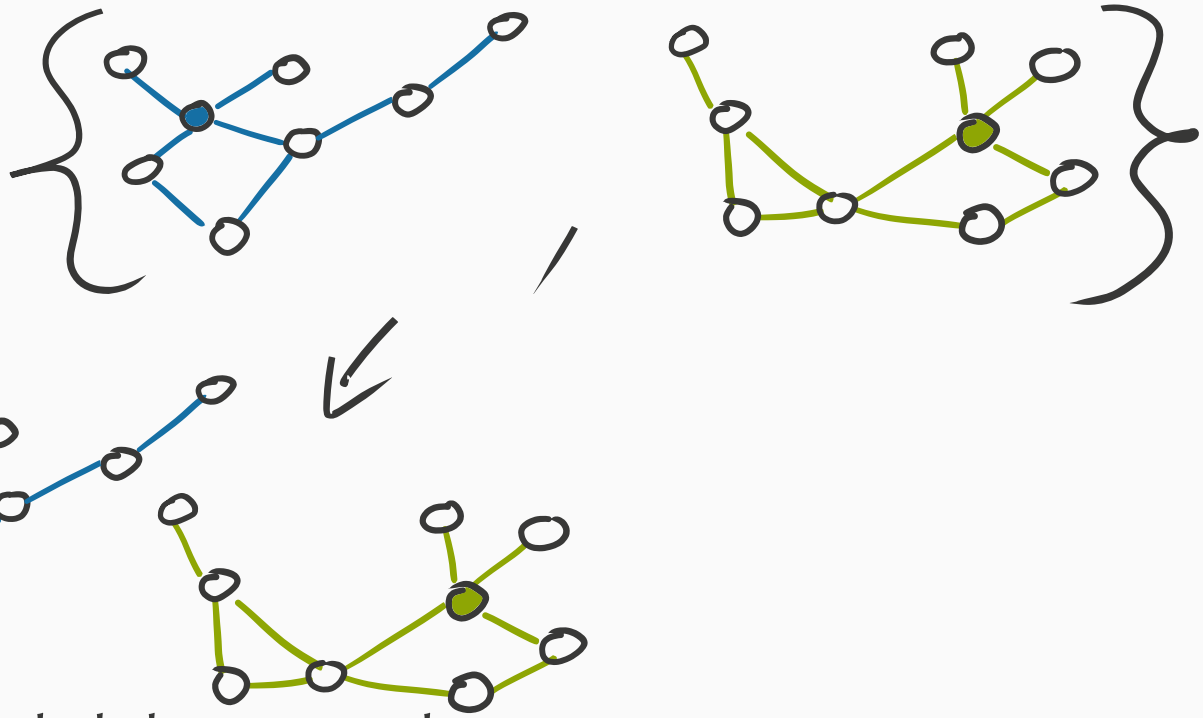

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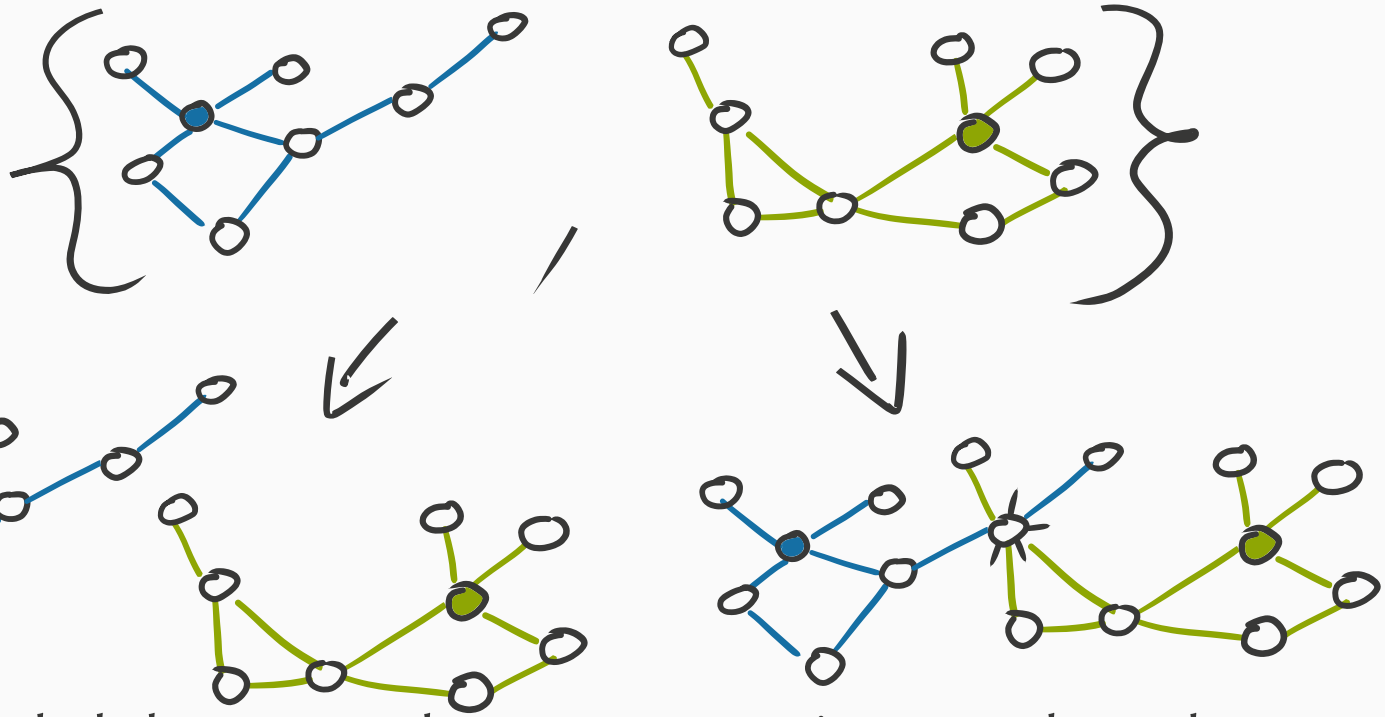

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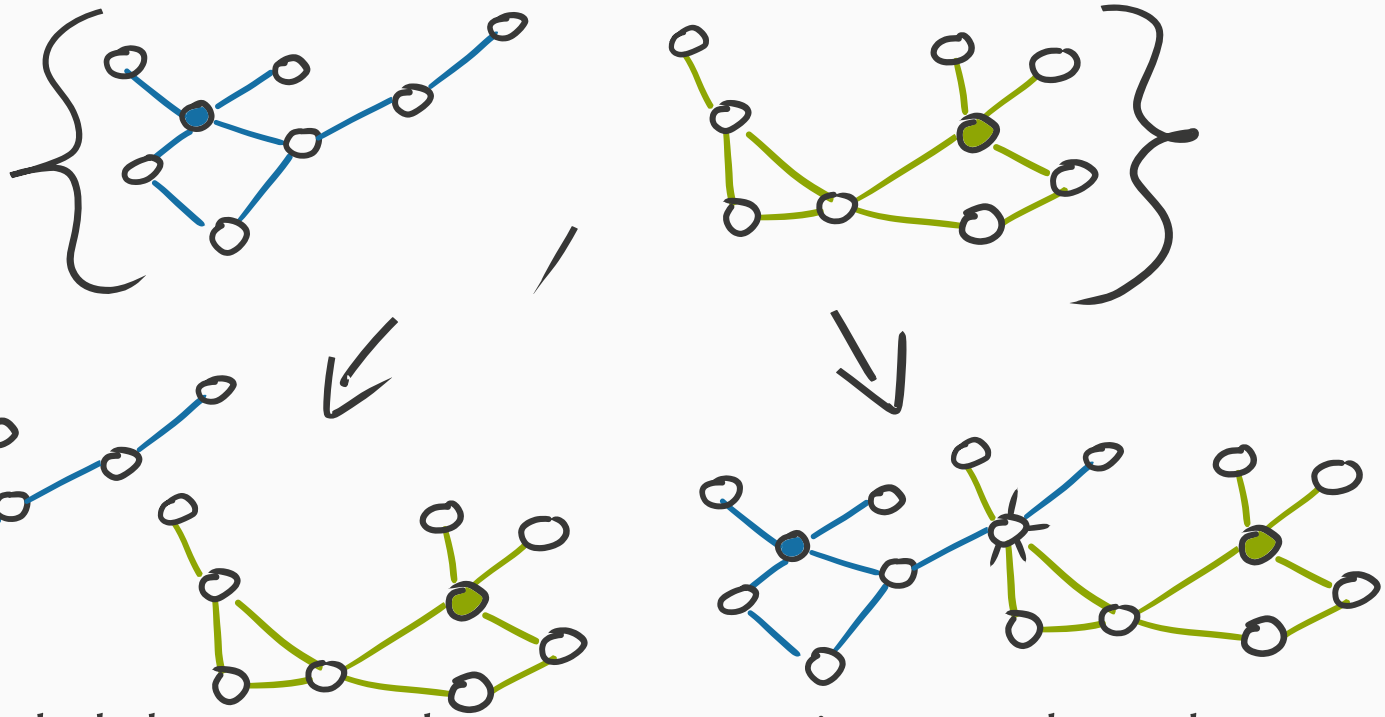

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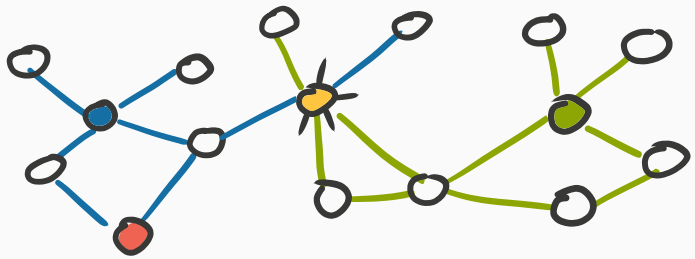

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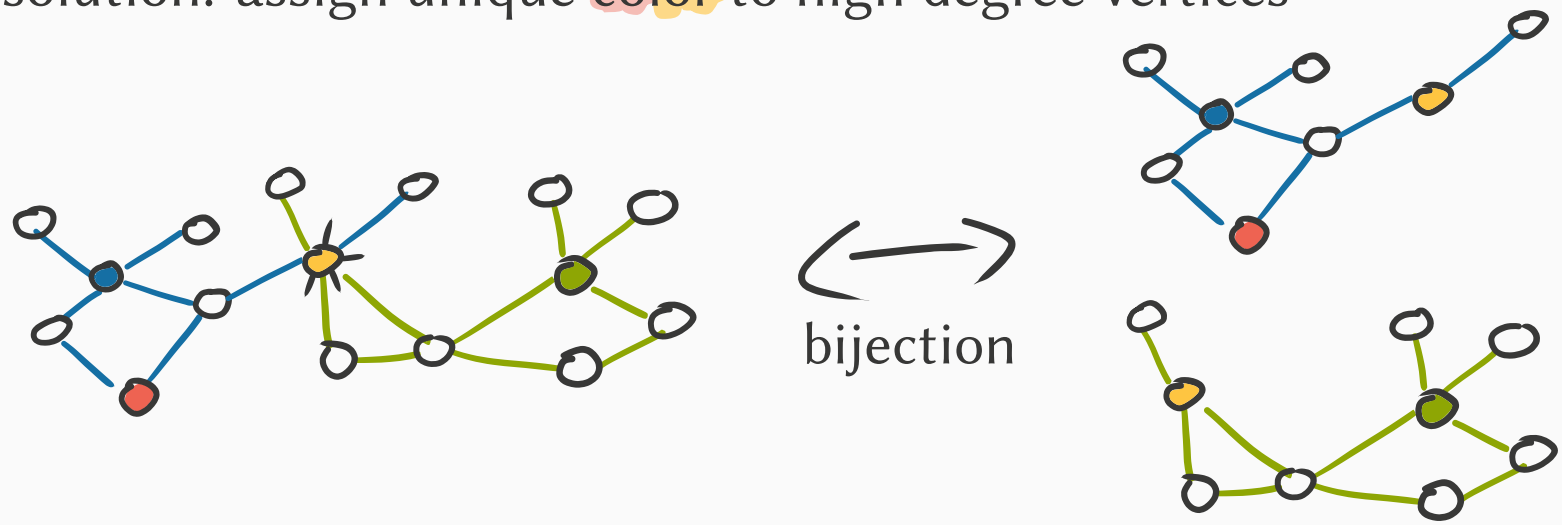

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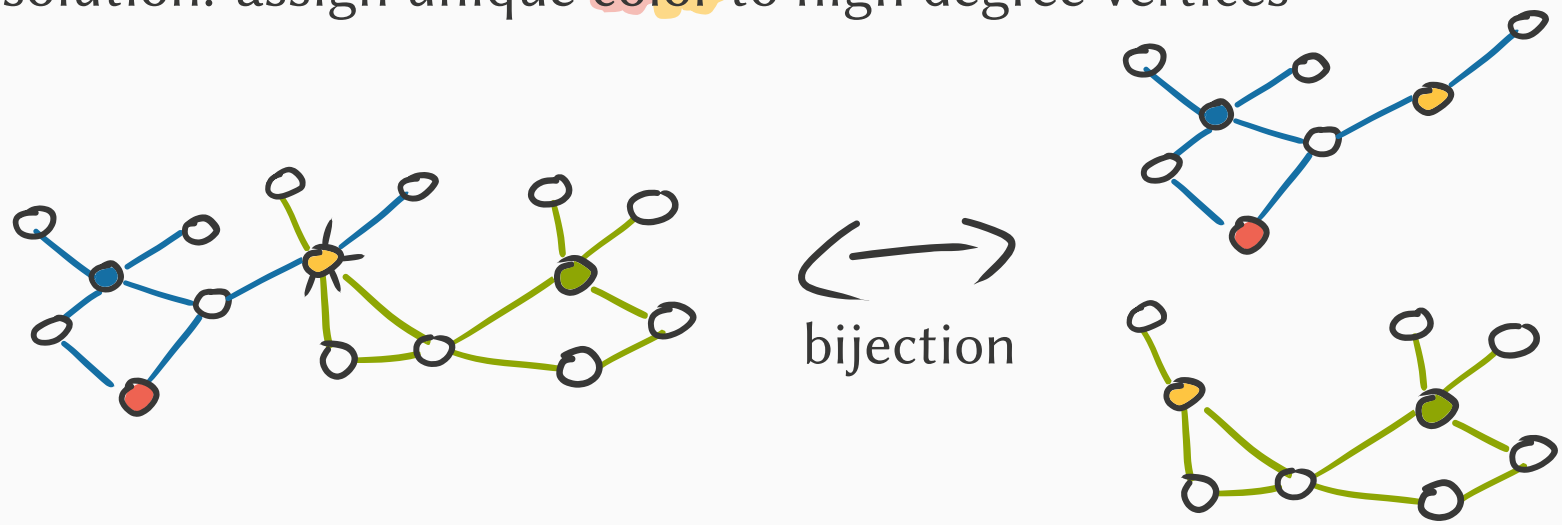

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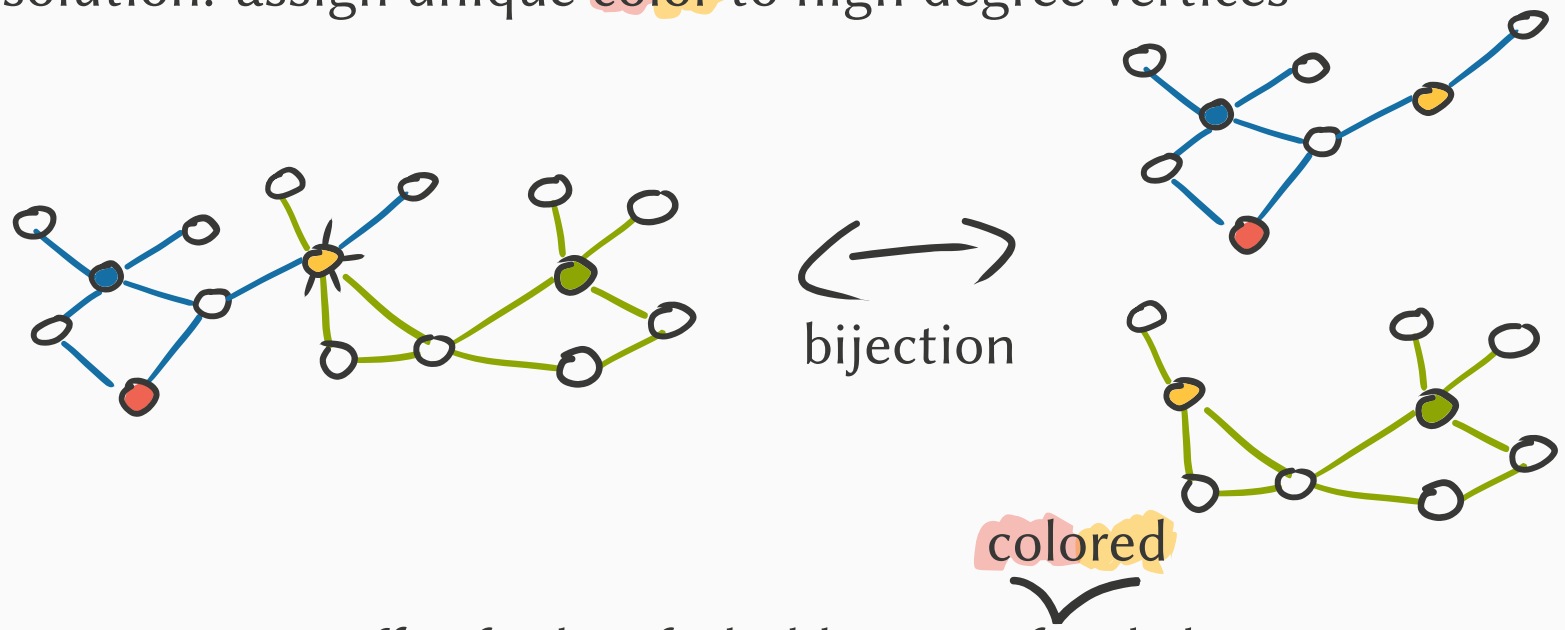

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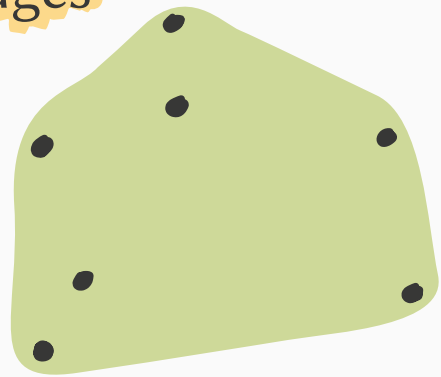

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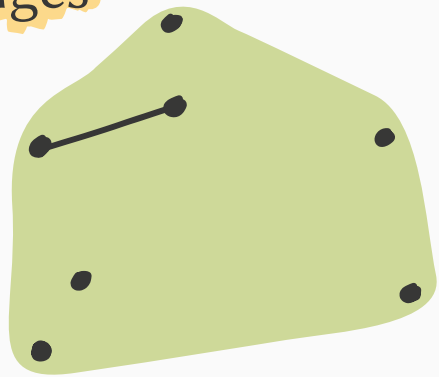

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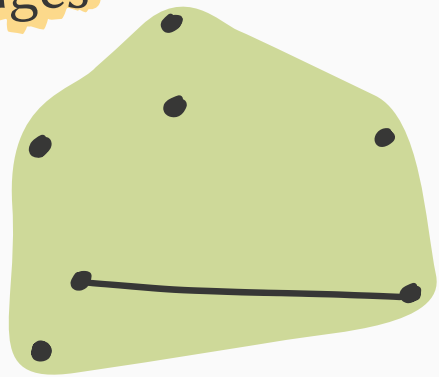

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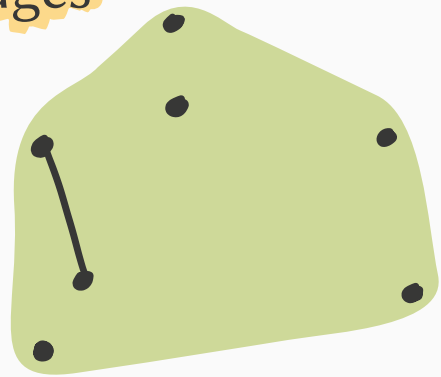

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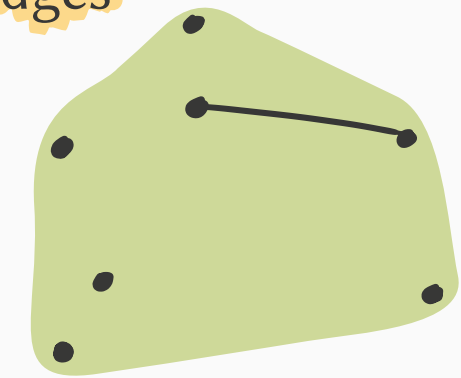

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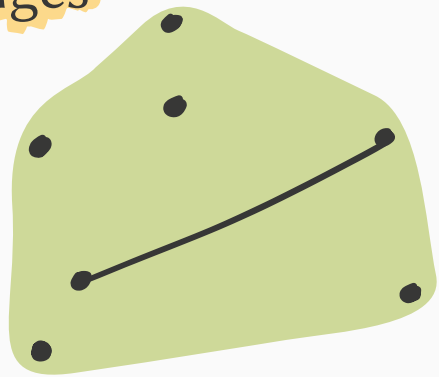

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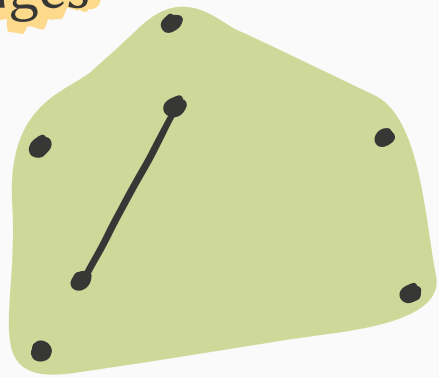

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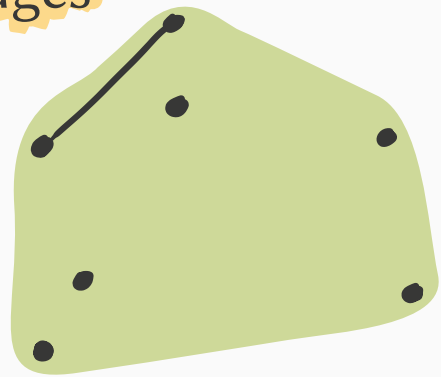

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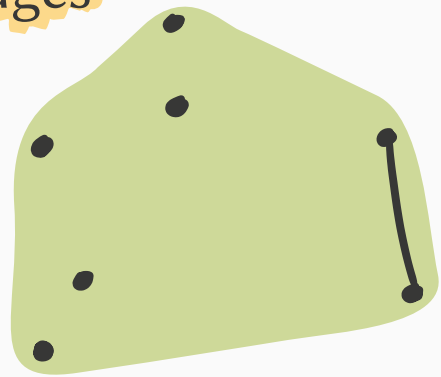

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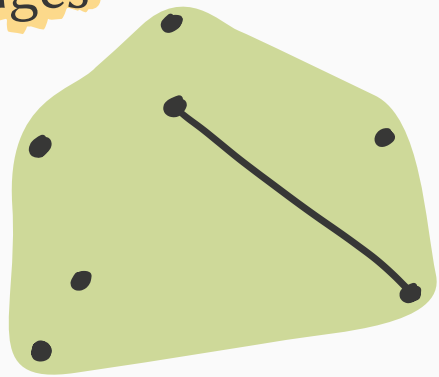

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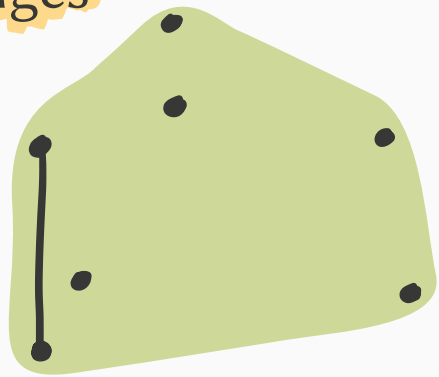

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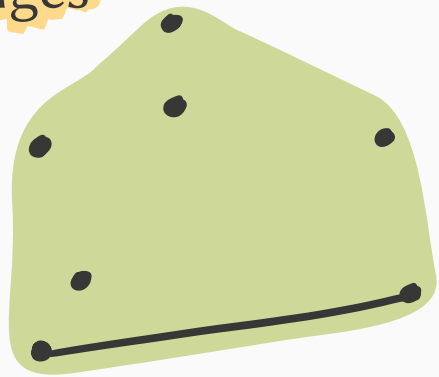

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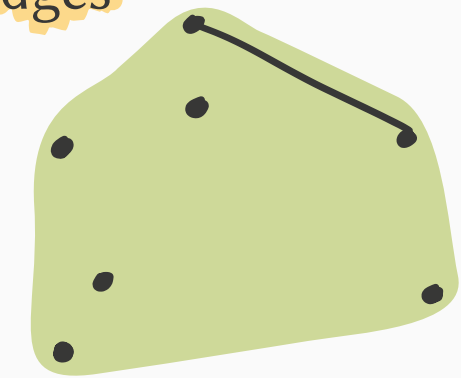

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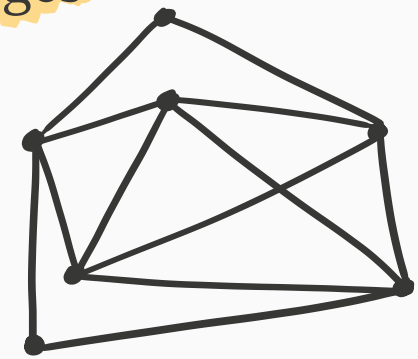

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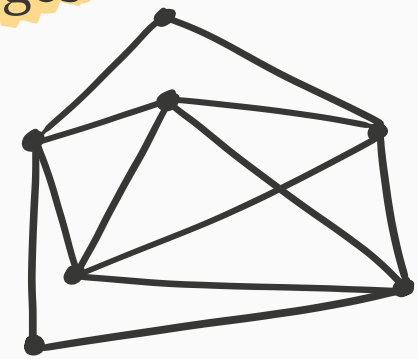

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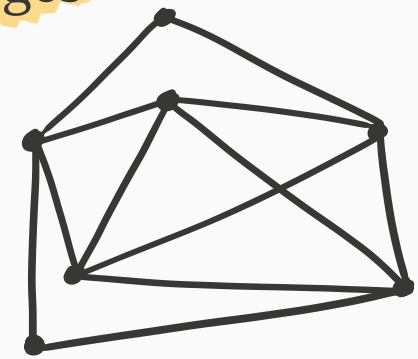

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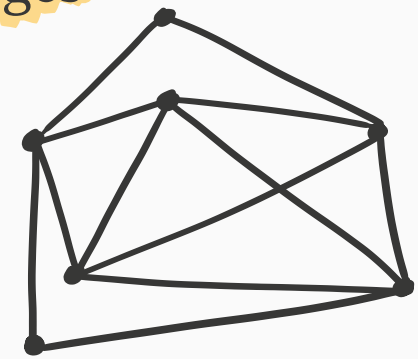

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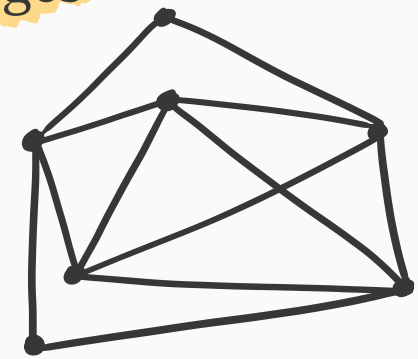

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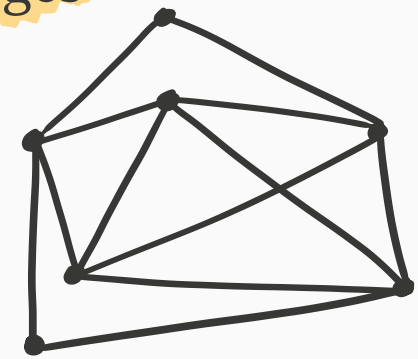

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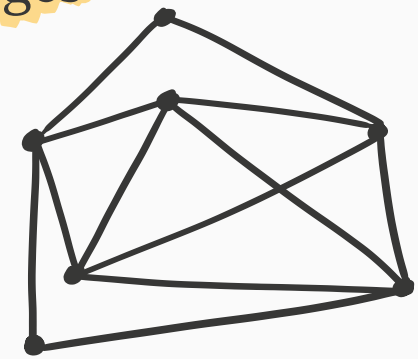

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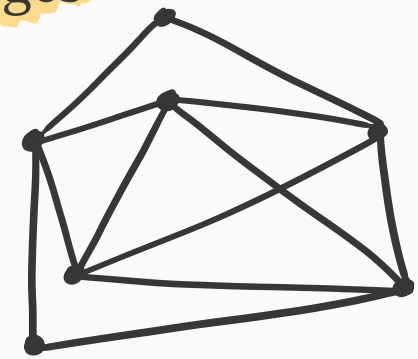

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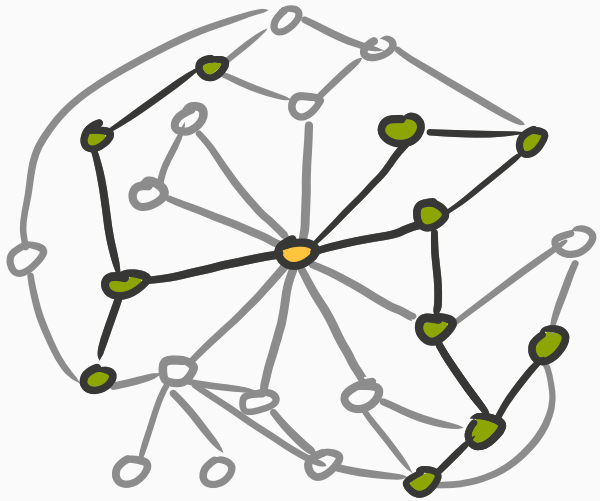

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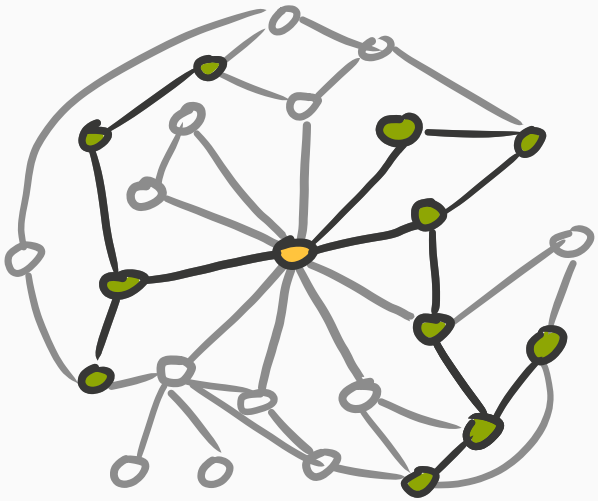

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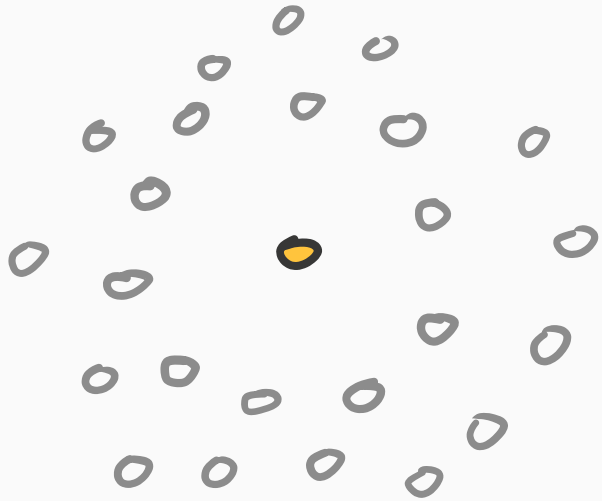

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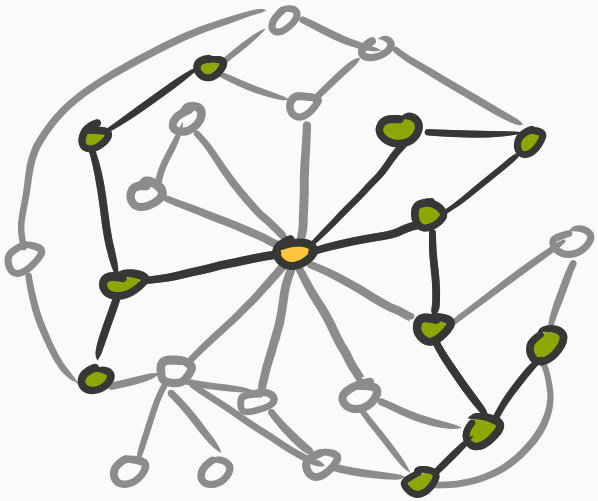

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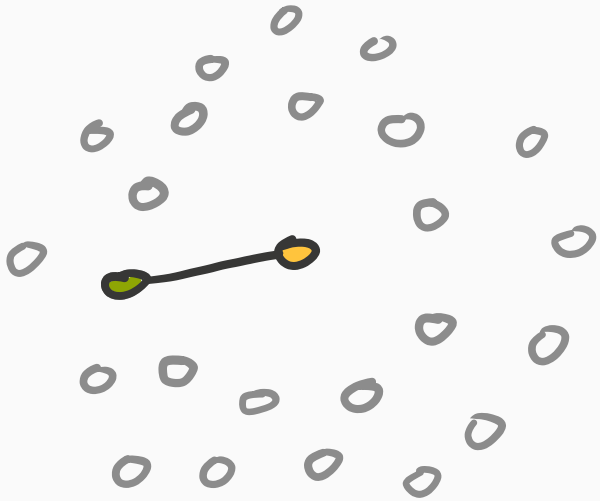

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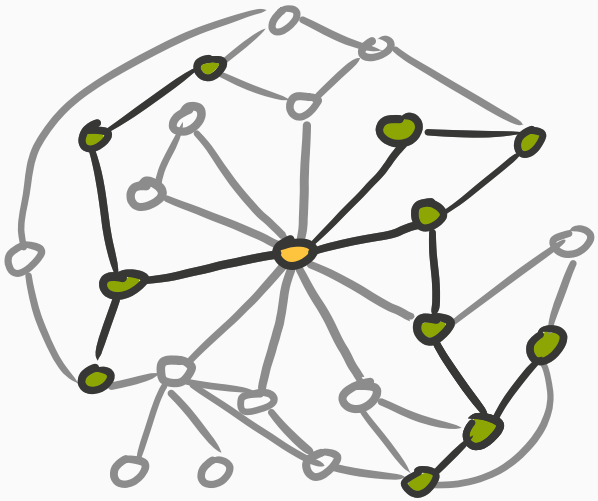

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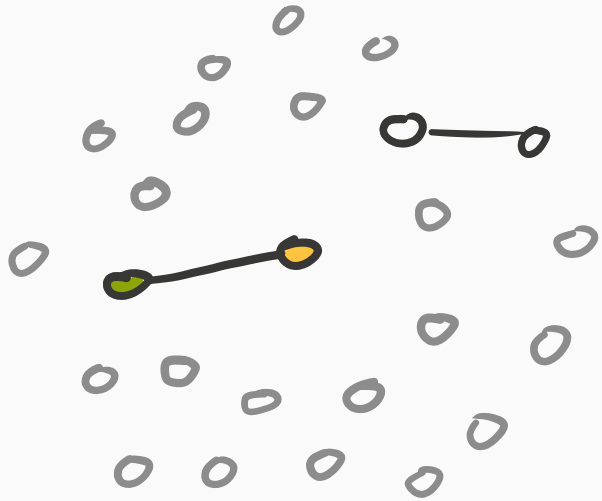

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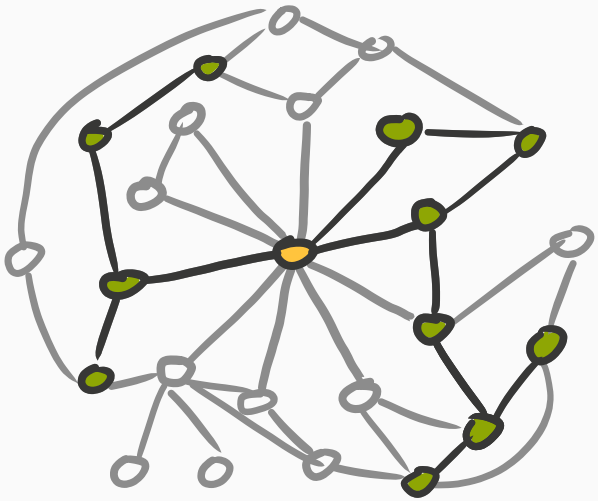

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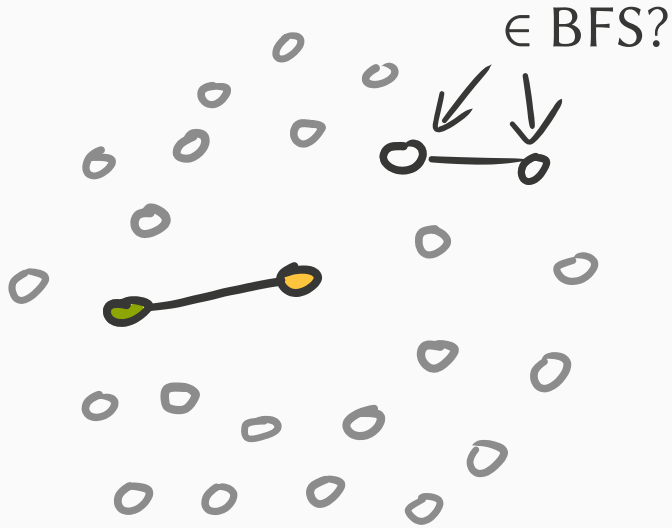

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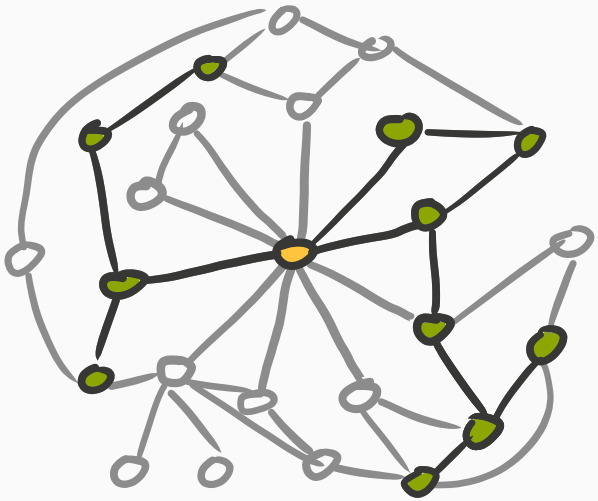

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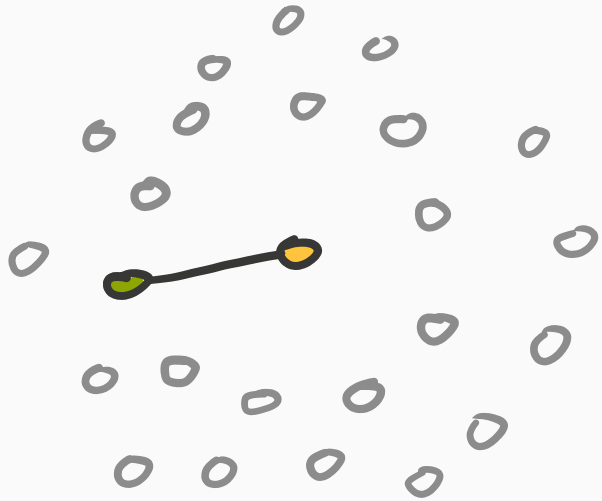

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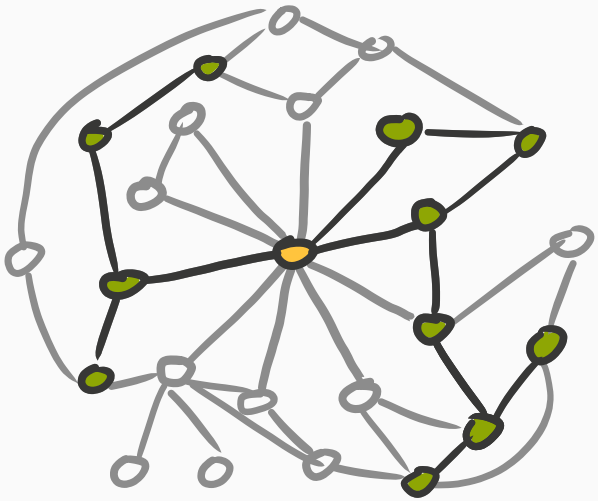

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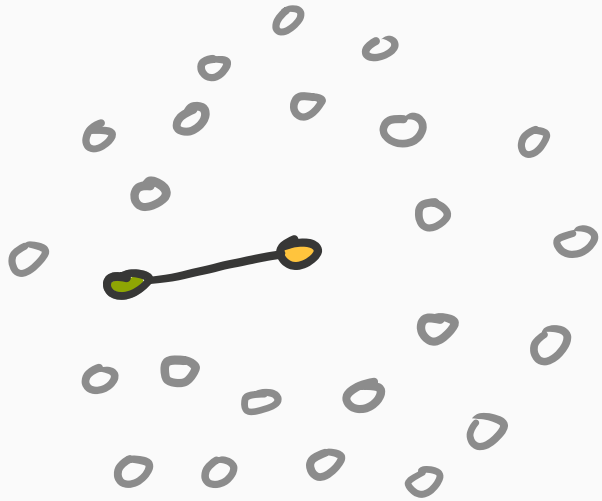

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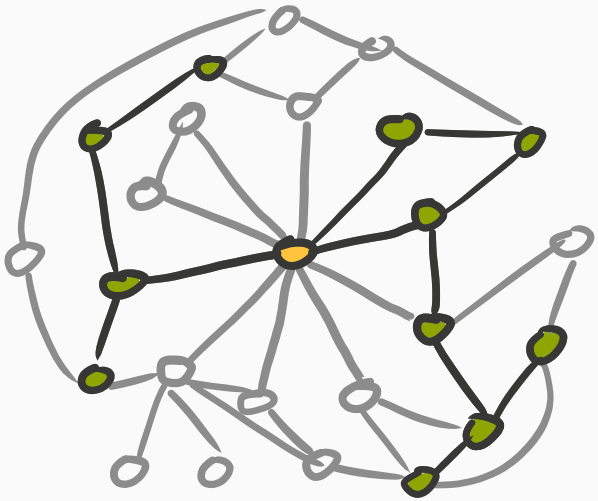

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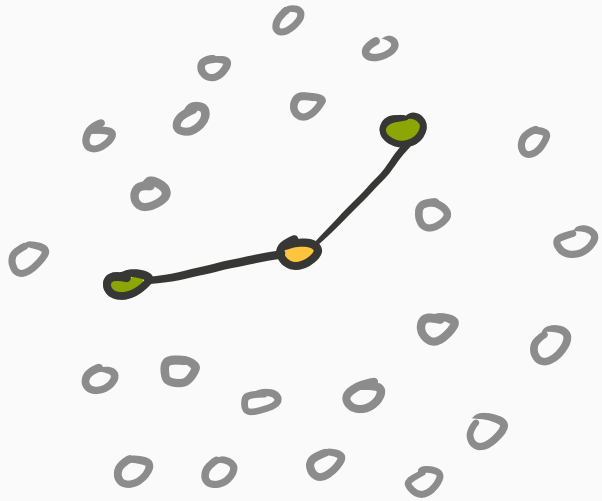

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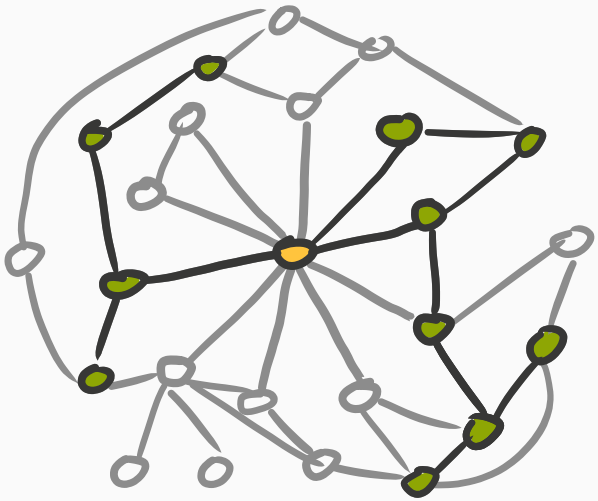

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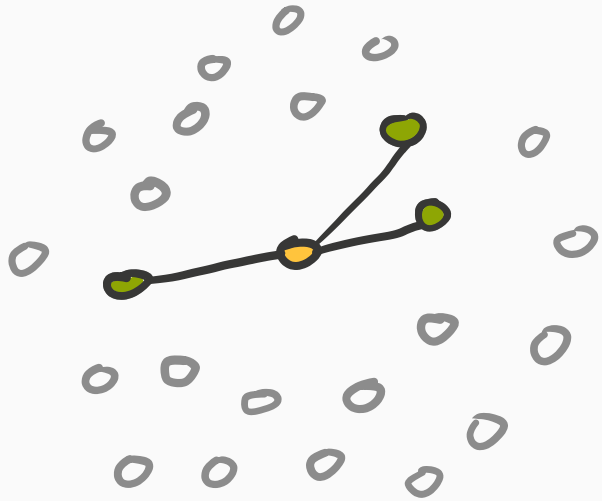

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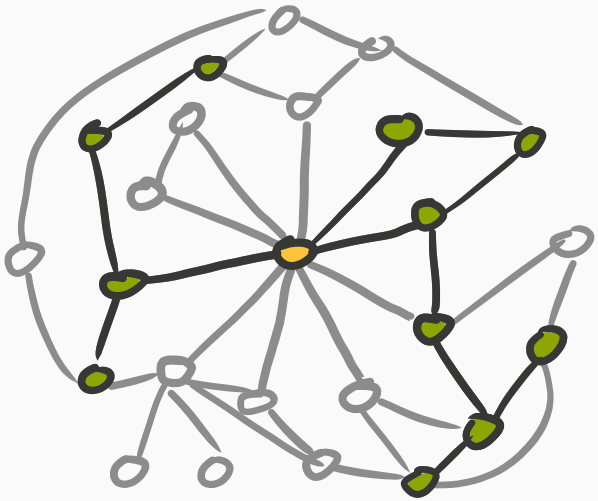

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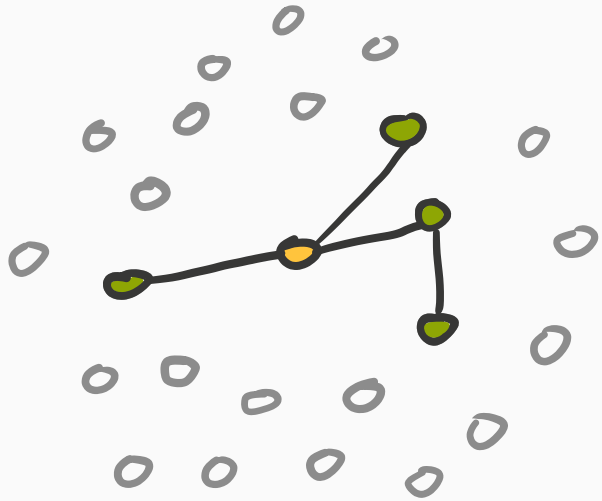

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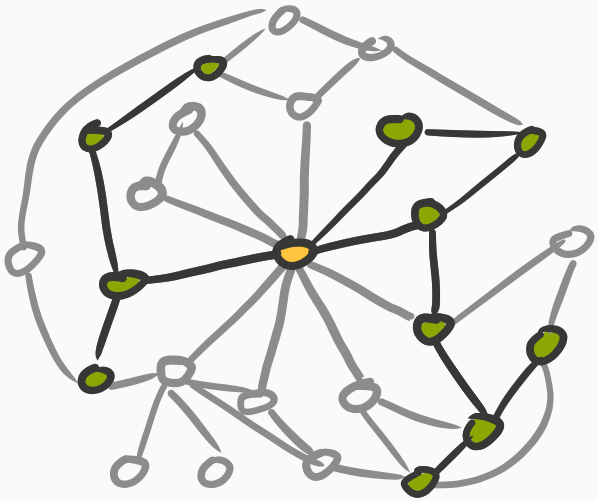
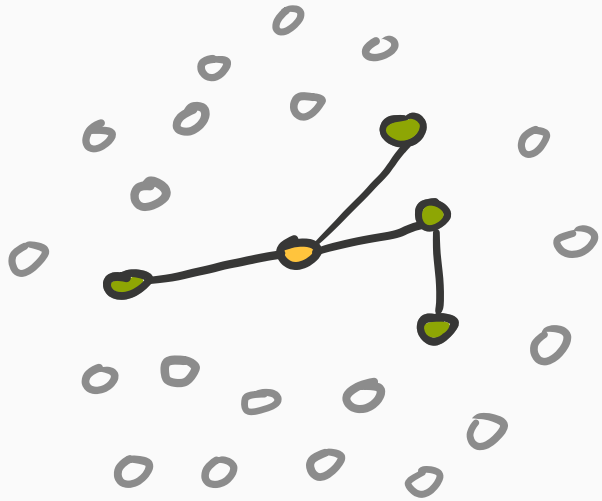


streaming tester's BFS



condition on: edges are streamed in a *good* order

↖ can bound probability by $\Omega(1)$

then: bound probabilities to see colored q-disks independently

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open problem: similar result for testers with two-sided error