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Networks and Graphs

Basics and Metrics

Motivation

- **Connectivity**

- When do we want to **preserve** connectivity?
- When do we want to **break** connectivity?

- **Robustness**

- When do we want the network to be robust to **random** failure?
- When do we want the network to be robust to **targeted** failure?

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BASICS

Networks and Graphs

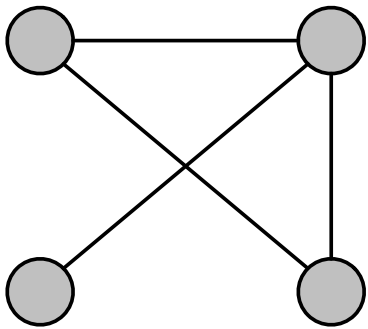
- $G = (V, E)$ where
 - V is a set of vertices or nodes
 - E is a set of edges between vertices
- Representation
 - Adjacency matrix
 - Adjacency list
- Used to model networks

Types of Networks

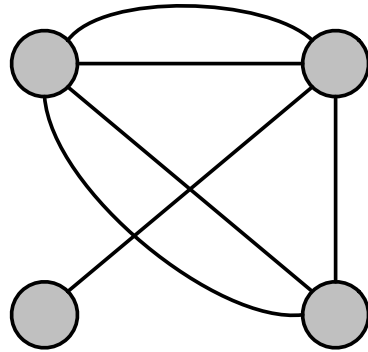
Types of Networks

- Computer networks
 - Physical (e.g. Internet)
 - Logical (e.g. WWW)
- Social networks
 - See TED talk...
- Transportation networks
 - Flight paths
 - Interstate system
- Citation networks
- Biological networks
 - Gene regulation networks
 - Signal transduction pathways
- System call graph
- And many more...

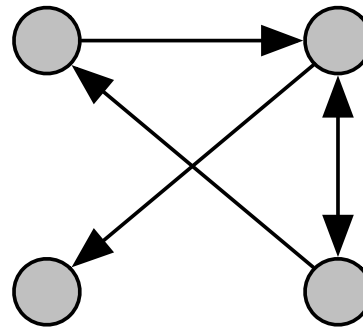
Types of Graphs



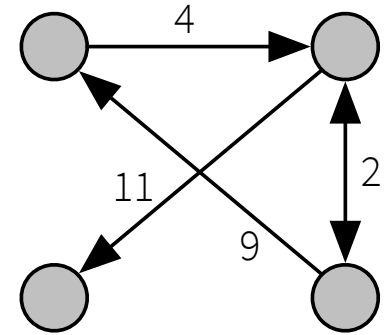
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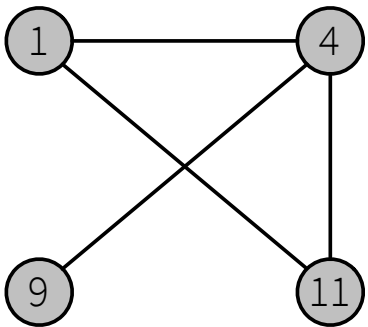
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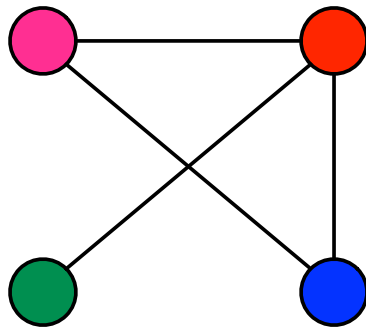
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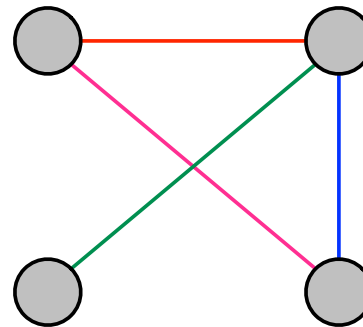
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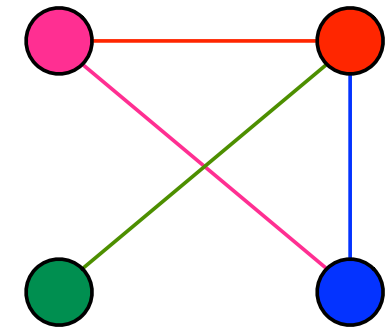
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vertex-colored



edge-colored



vertex & edge colored

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Graph Metrics

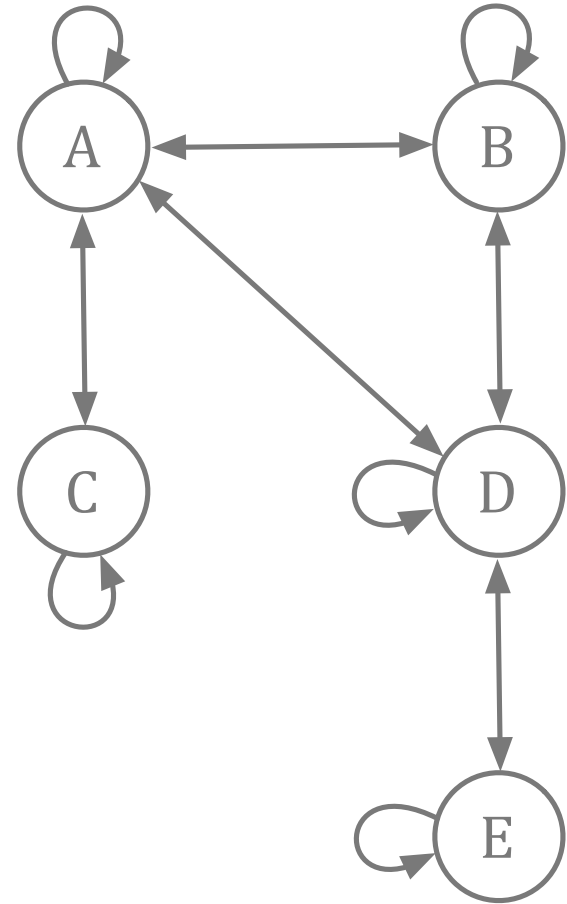
- Number of nodes
- Number of edges
- In degree
- Out degree
- Centrality
- Distance
- Vertex cover
- Cut set
- Shortest path
- Page rank
- And more...

Disciplines

- Graph Theory
 - Works with arbitrary, abstract graphs
 - Deals with famous problems
e.g. traveling salesman
 - Focus on algorithms and complexity
- Network Theory, Network Science
 - Study real-world representations
e.g. social networks
 - Focus on network properties/metrics
 - Combines graph theory and social science

Adjacency Matrix

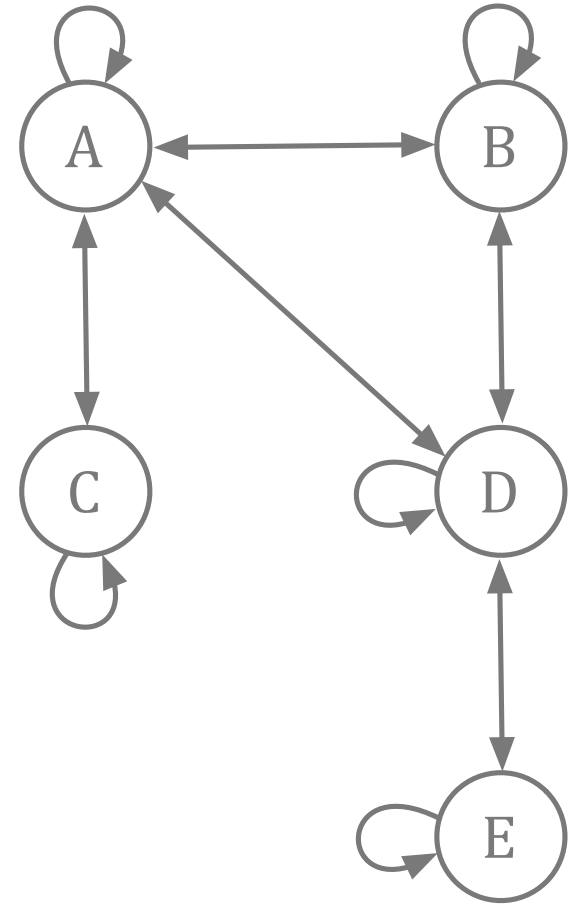
	A	B	C	D	E
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B					
C					
D					
E					



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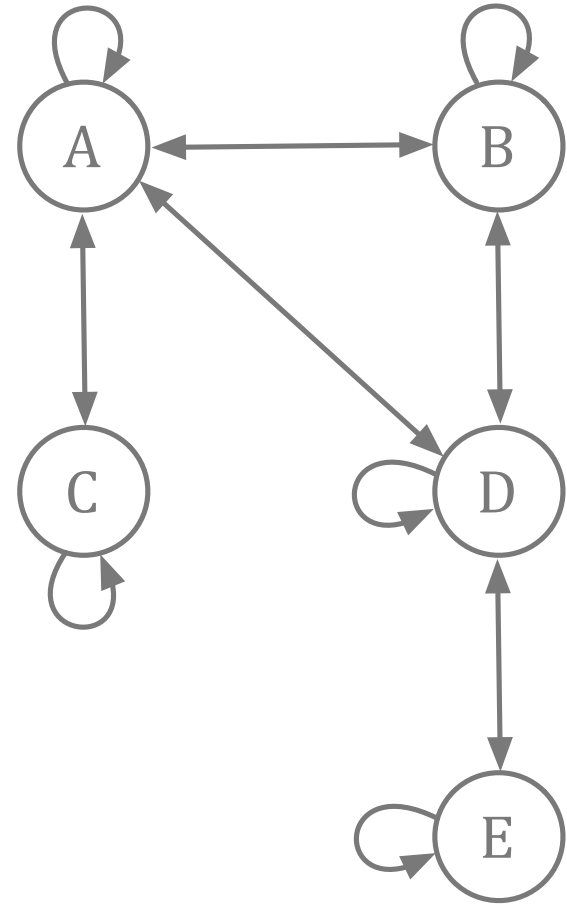
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A	1	1	1	1	0
B	1	1	0	1	0
C	1	0	1	0	0
D	1	1	0	1	1
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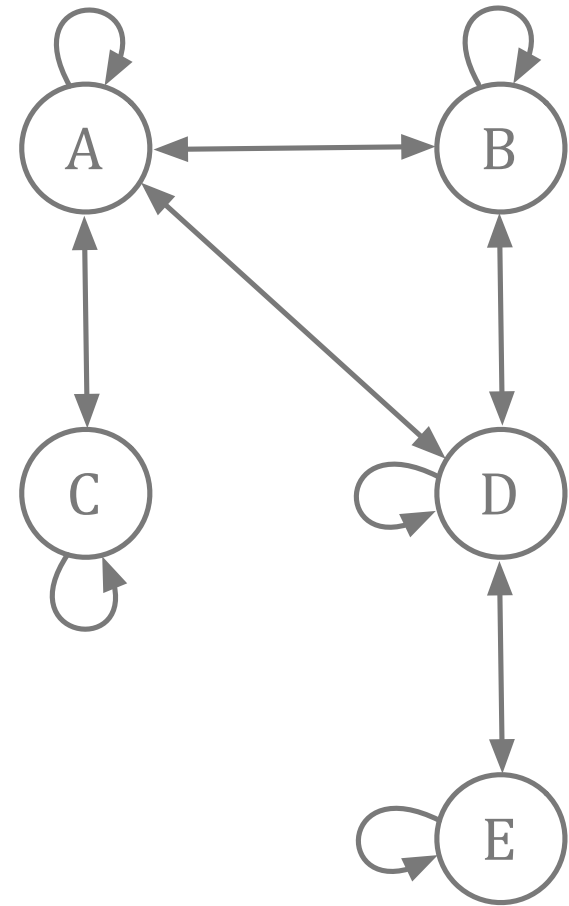
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Degree Distribution

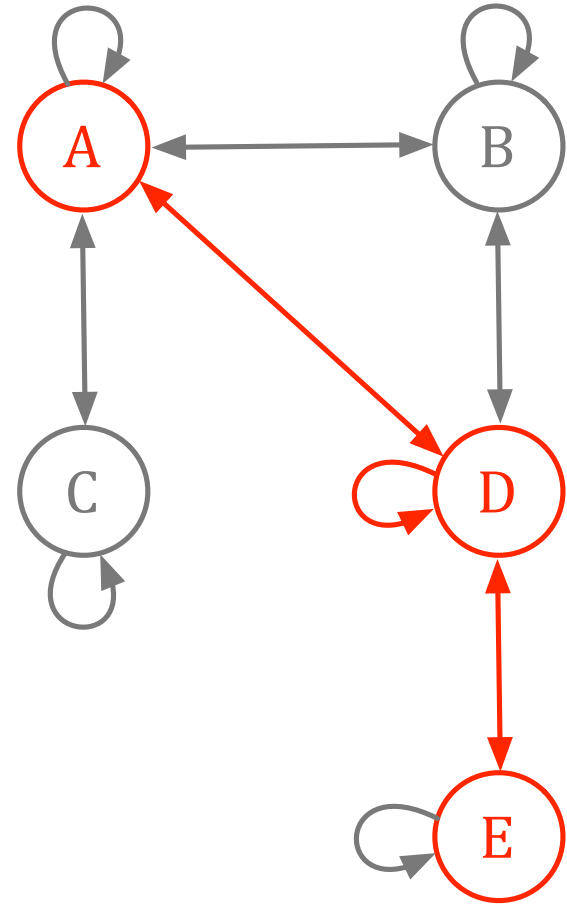
	A	B	C	D	E	
A	1	1	1	1	0	4
B	1	1	0	1	0	3
C	1	0	1	0	0	2
D	1	1	0	1	1	4
E	0	0	0	1	1	2
	4	3	2	4	2	



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State Transition Matrix

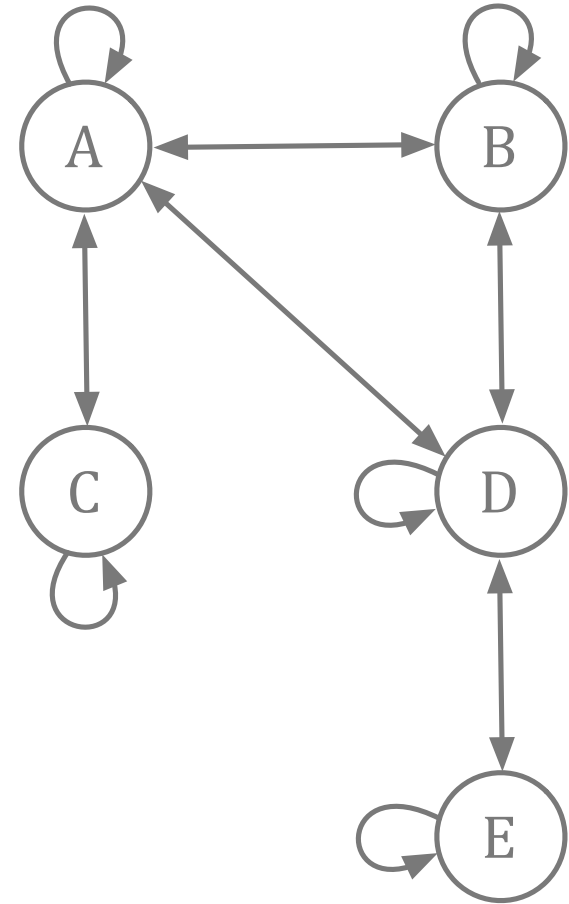
- $P(u, v) = 1 / d_u$
 - Probability that from node u you will move to node v
- Captures a random walk on the network
 - e.g. $A D D E$



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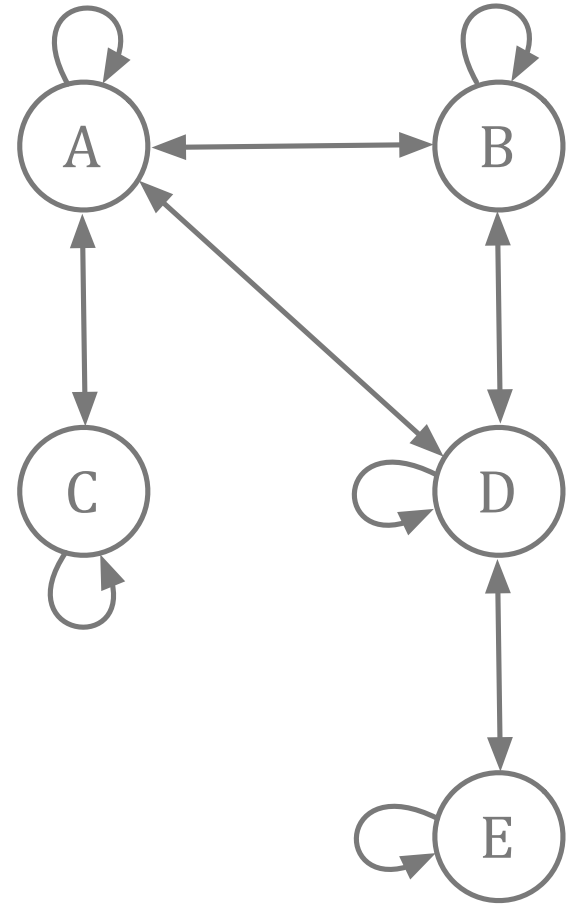
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State Transition Matrix

	A	B	C	D	E
A	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	0
B	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	0	$\frac{1}{4}$	0
C	$\frac{1}{4}$	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	0
D	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	0	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$
E	$\frac{1}{4}$	0	0	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$
	4	3	2	4	2



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Page Rank Algorithm

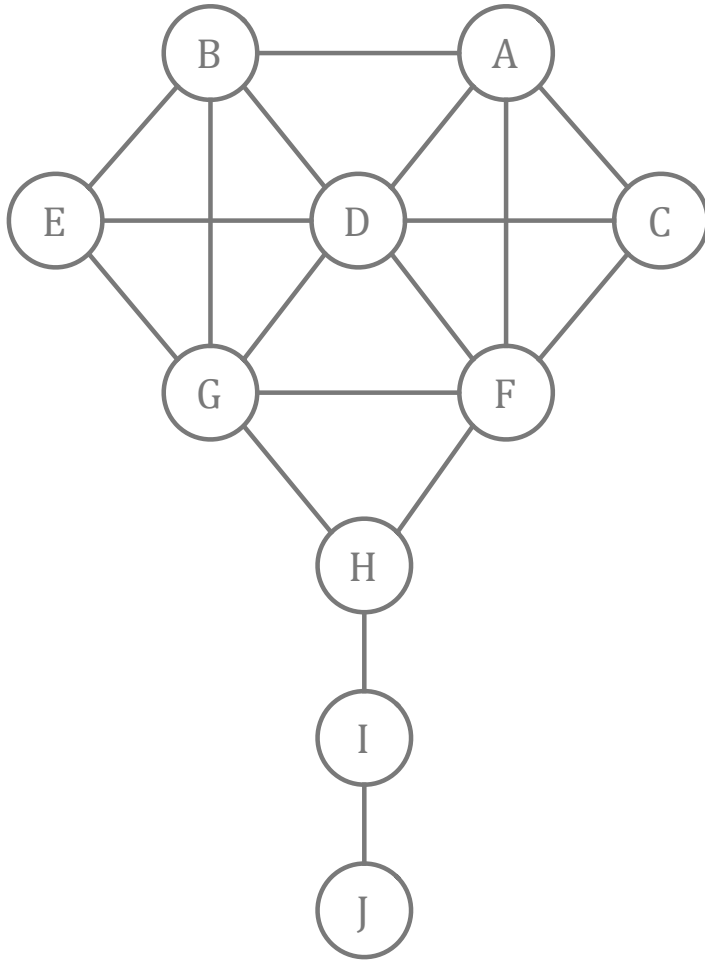
	A	B	C	D	E	Σ
A	1/4	1/3	1/2	1/4	0	1.33
B	1/4	1/3	0	1/4	0	0.83
C	1/4	0	1/2	0	0	0.75
D	1/4	1/3	0	1/4	1/2	1.33
E	1/4	0	0	1/4	1/2	0.75
	4	3	2	4	2	

- Page rank measures relative importance
- Page rank depends on rank of other pages linking to it
- Simple algorithm
 - d_j degree of j
 - $PR(i) = \sum PR(j) / d_j$

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CENTRALITY

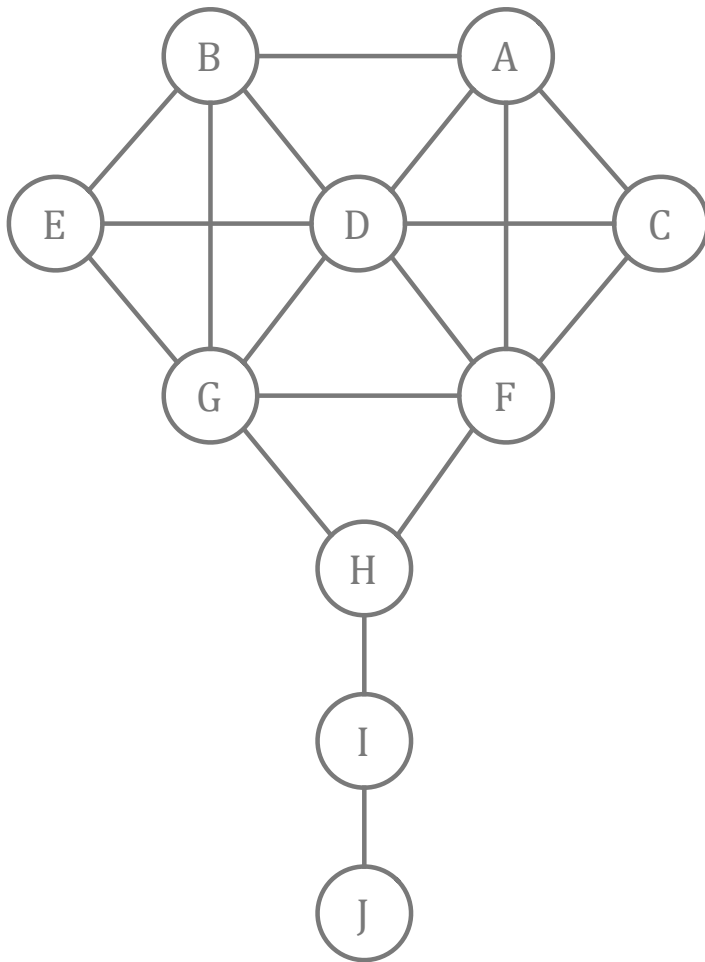
The Kite Network



- Classic example by David Krackhardt
- Models a social network
 - Nodes are people
 - Edges are connections
- Who in the network is important, and why?

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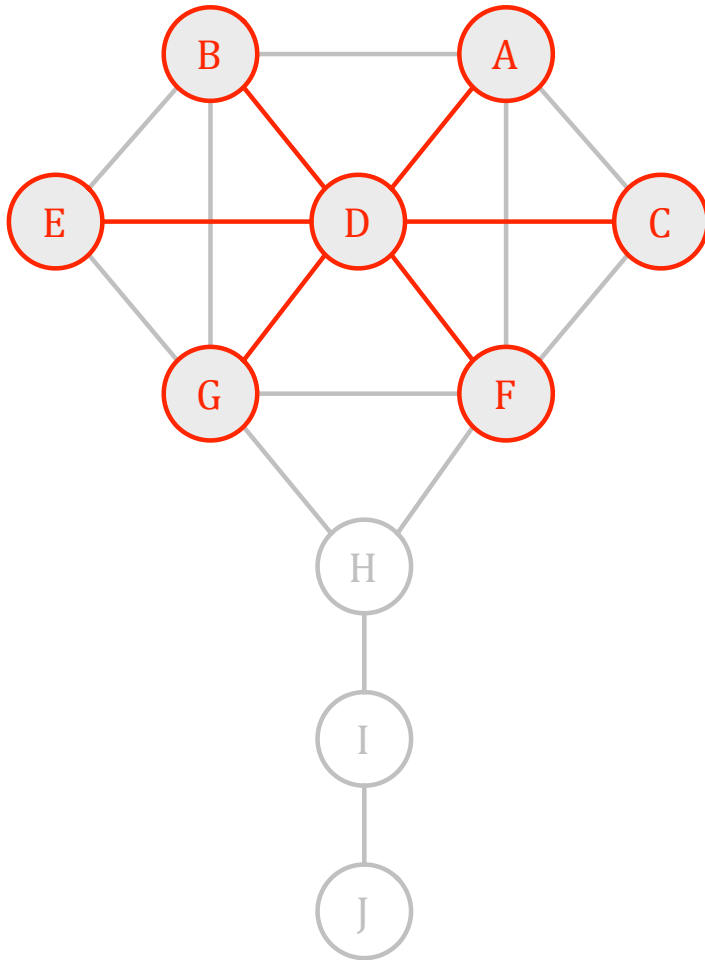
Node Degree



- Andre
- Beverly
- Carol
- Diane
- Ed
- Fernando
- Garth
- Heather
- Ike
- Jane

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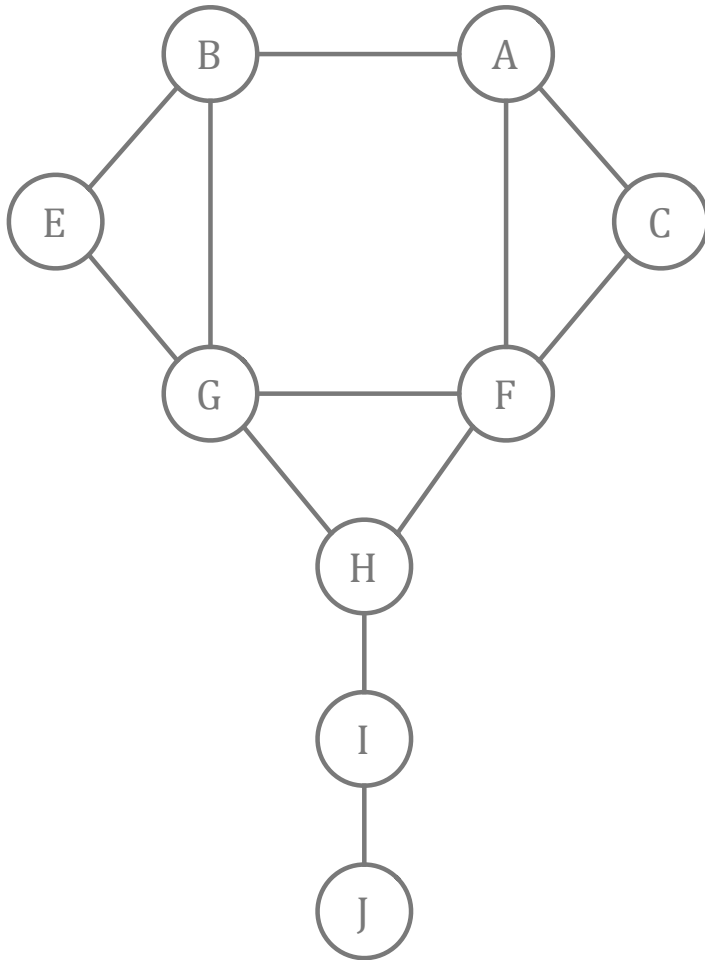
Node Degree



- 6: Diane
- 5: Fernando
- 5: Garth
- 4: Andre
- 4: Beverly
- 3: Carol
- 3: Ed
- 3: Heather
- 2: Ike
- 1: Jane

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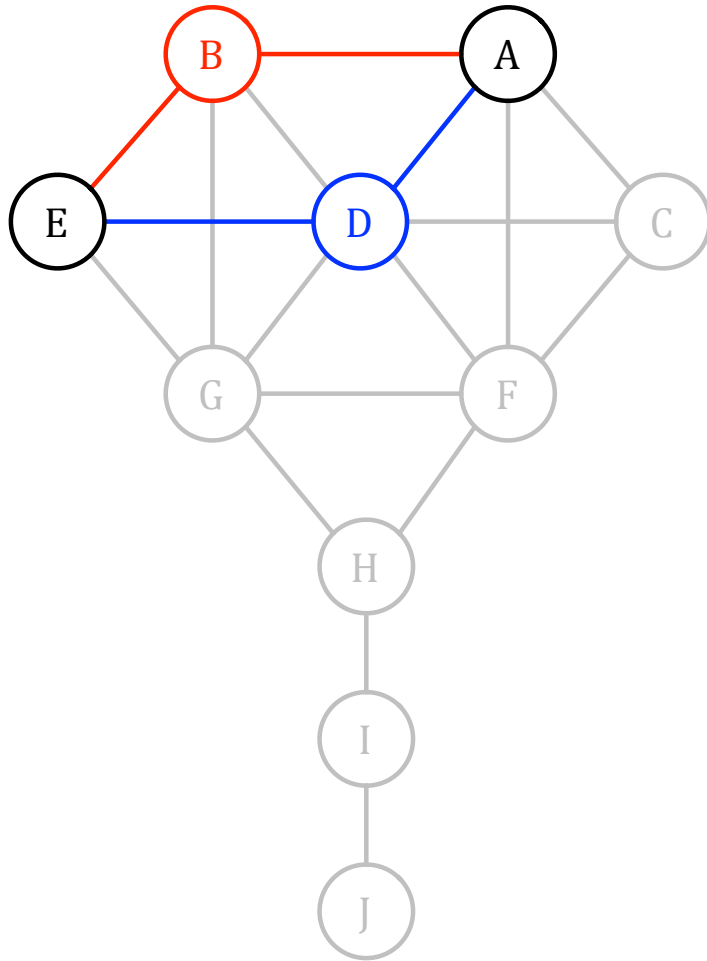
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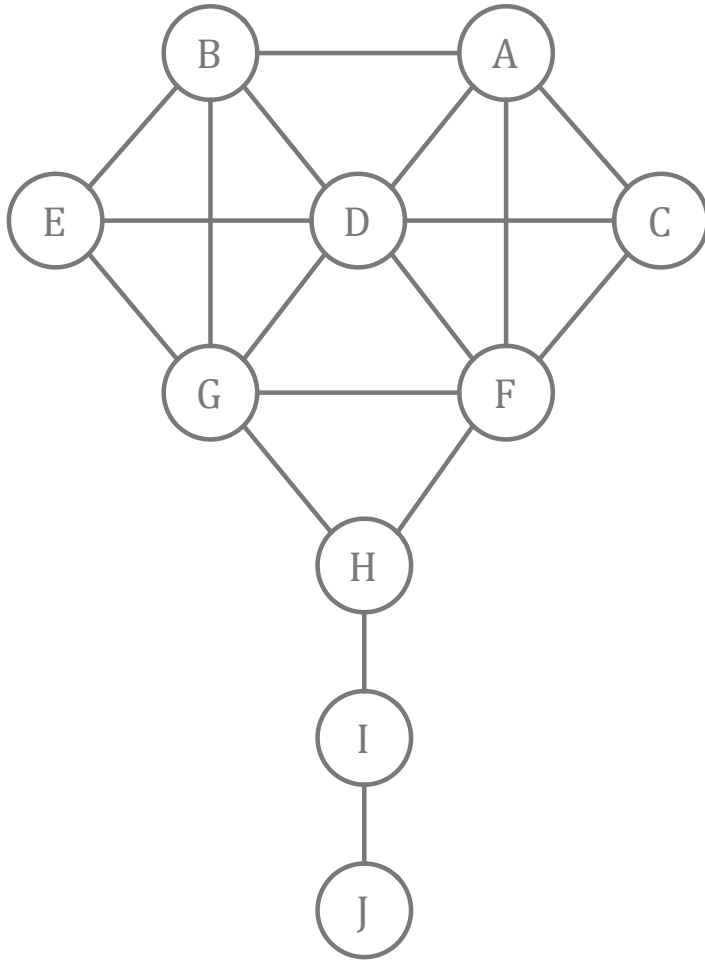
Betweenness Centrality



- Who is "between" the most communities?
- Depends on shortest paths between nodes
- Shortest paths (E, A)
 - Node E to D to A
 - Node E to B to A

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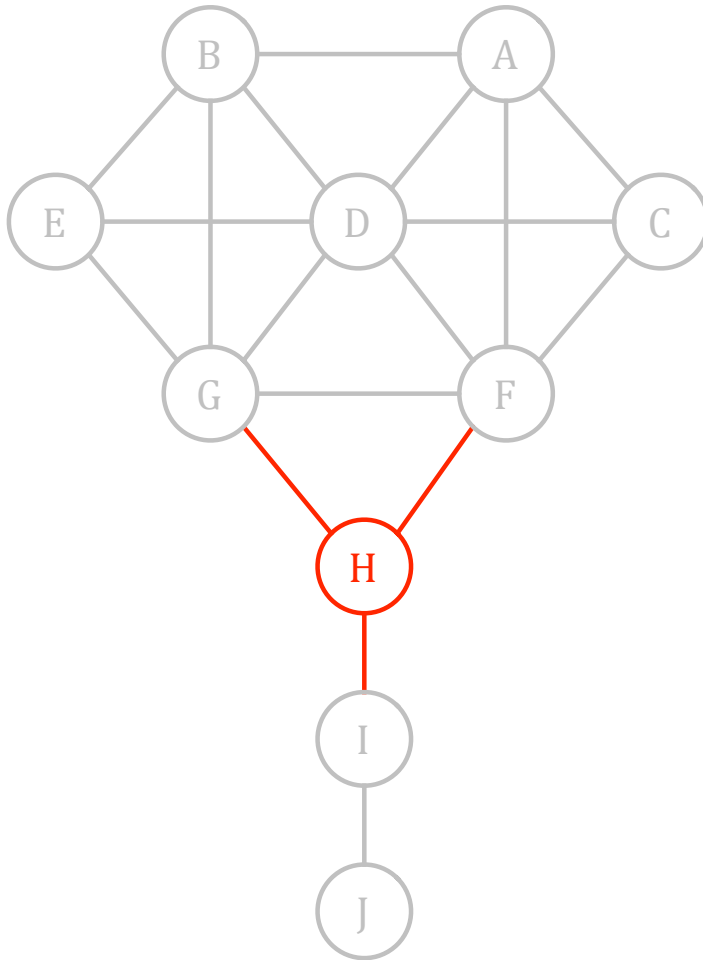
Betweenness Centrality



- For each pair (s, t)
 - Compute all shortest paths between s and t
- For each vertex v
 - Determine fraction of shortest paths that pass through $v \neq s, t$
 - Sum all fractions to find betweenness

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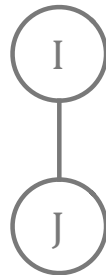
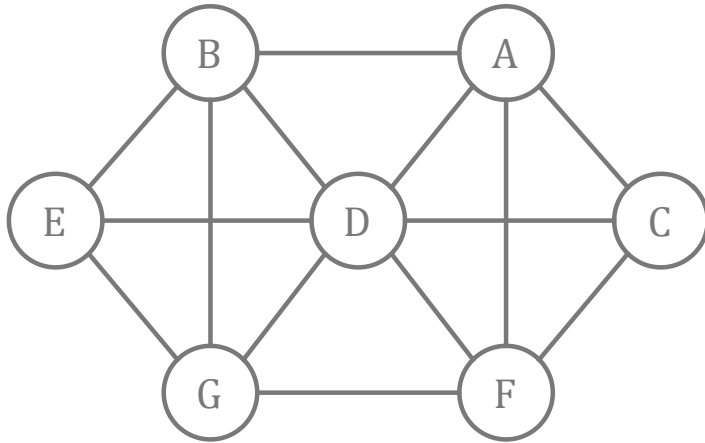
Betweenness Centrality



- 0.389: Heather
- 0.231: Fernando
- 0.231: Garth
- 0.222: Ike
- 0.102: Diane
- 0.023: Andre
- 0.023: Beverly
- 0.000: Carol
- 0.000: Ed
- 0.000: Jane

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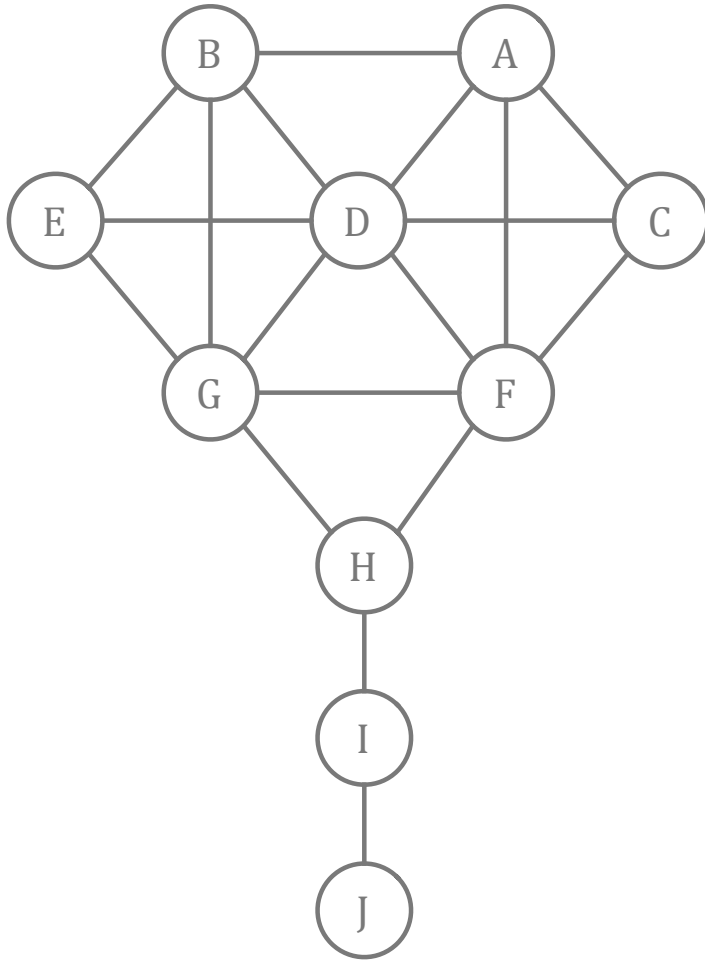
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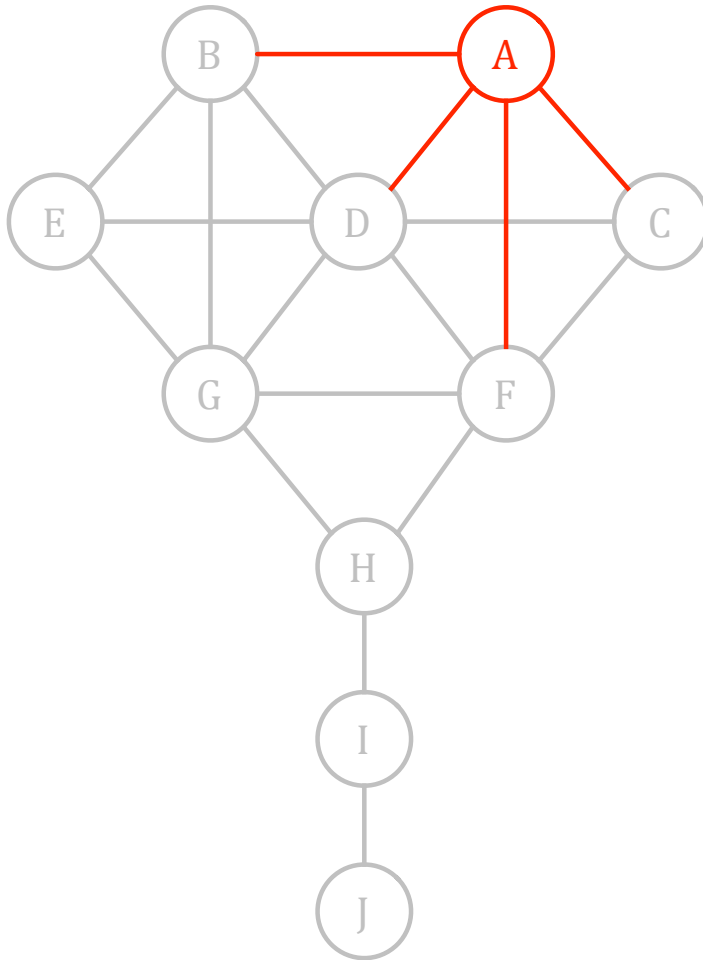
Closeness Centrality



- How "close" other nodes are to node in question
- Distance $d(s, t)$ is the shortest path between nodes s and t
- Computed by average distance between v and all other nodes
 - $(n - 1) \div \sum d(s, t)$

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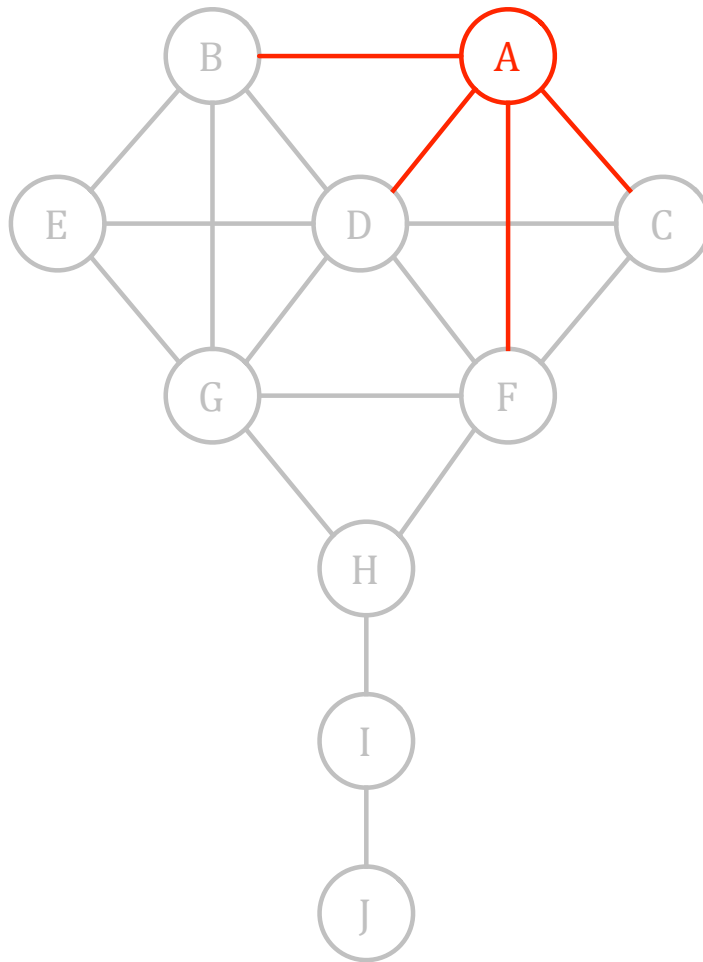
Closeness Centrality



- A to A
- A to B
- A to C
- A to D
- A to E
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- A to H
- A to I
- A to J

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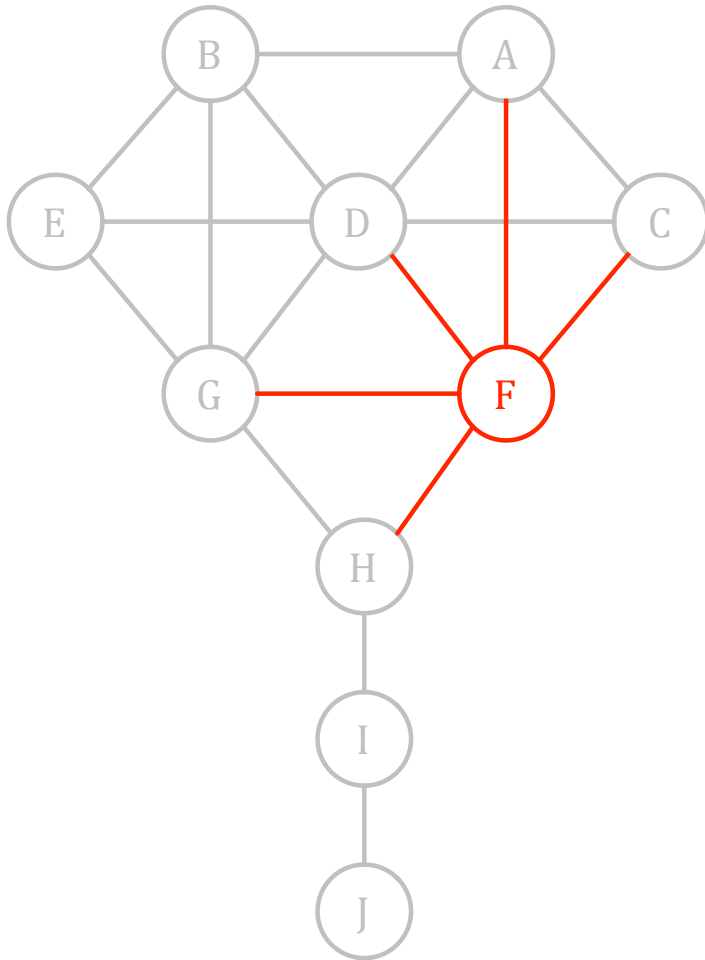
Closeness Centrality



- 1: A to B
- 1: A to C
- 1: A to D
- 1: A to F
- 2: A to E
- 2: A to G
- 2: A to H
- 3: A to I
- 4: A to J
- Average: $9 \div 17 = 0.529$

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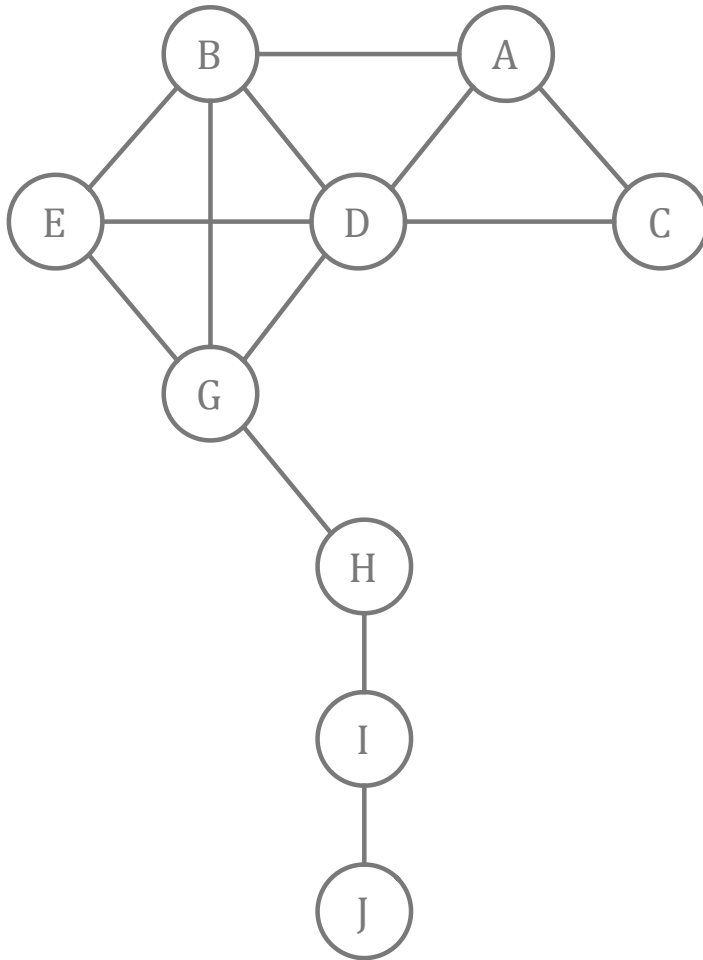
Closeness Centrality



- 0.643: Fernando
- 0.643: Garth
- 0.600: Diane
- 0.600: Heather
- 0.529: Andre
- 0.529: Beverly
- 0.500: Carol
- 0.500: Ed
- 0.429: Ike
- 0.310: Jane

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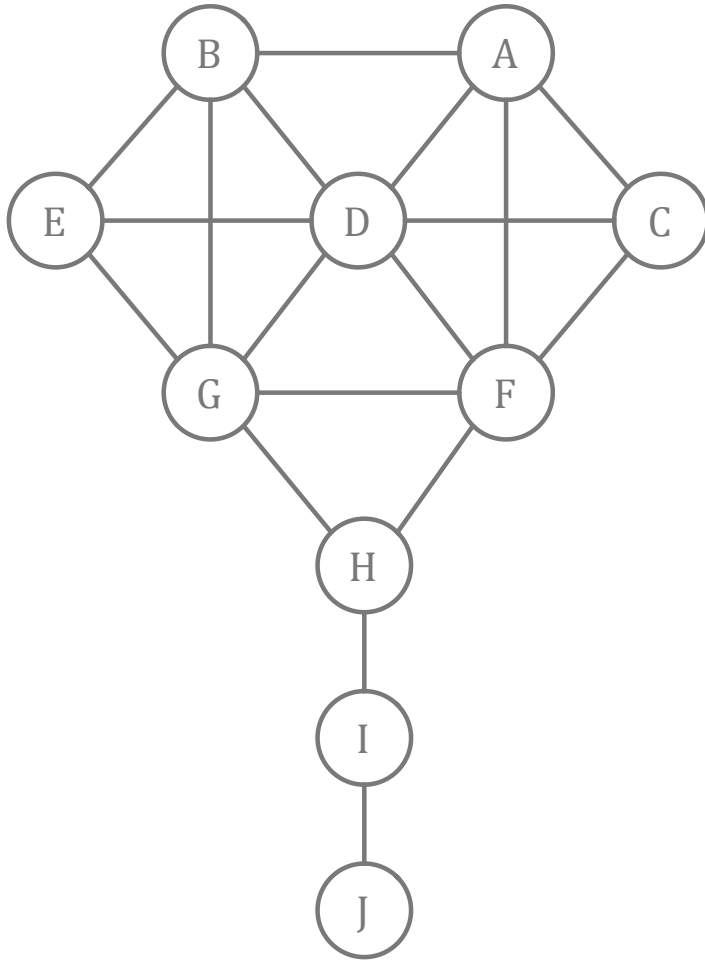
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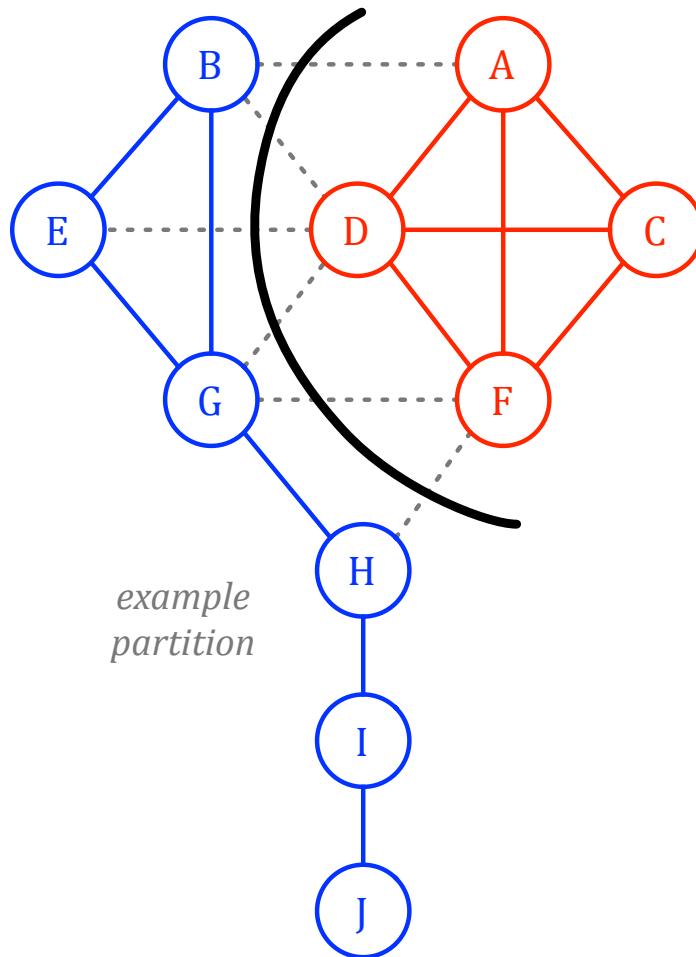
Other Network Measures



- Single points of failure
 - Heather
- Key network paths
 - Fernando, Garth
- Boundary spanners
 - Fernando, Garth, Heather
- Peripheral players
 - Ike, Jane

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Minimum Cut Set



- Cut
 - Partition of vertices
- Cut Set
 - Set of edges that cross the partition
- Minimum Cut Set
 - Polynomial
- Maximum Cut Set
 - NP Hard

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QUESTIONS?