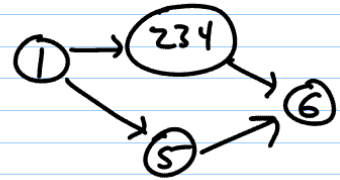
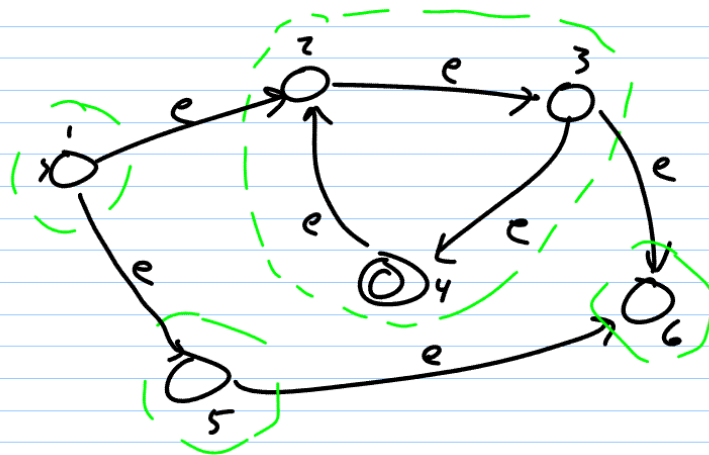


Strongly Connected

Components - maximal set of vertices s.t. there is a path between each pair of vertices in the set



$$\begin{aligned}
 e\text{-closure}(2) &= \{2, 3, 4, 6\} \\
 e\text{-closure}(3) &= \{2, 3, 4, 6\} \\
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 \end{aligned}$$

All states in SCC have same e-closure

1) find SCCs

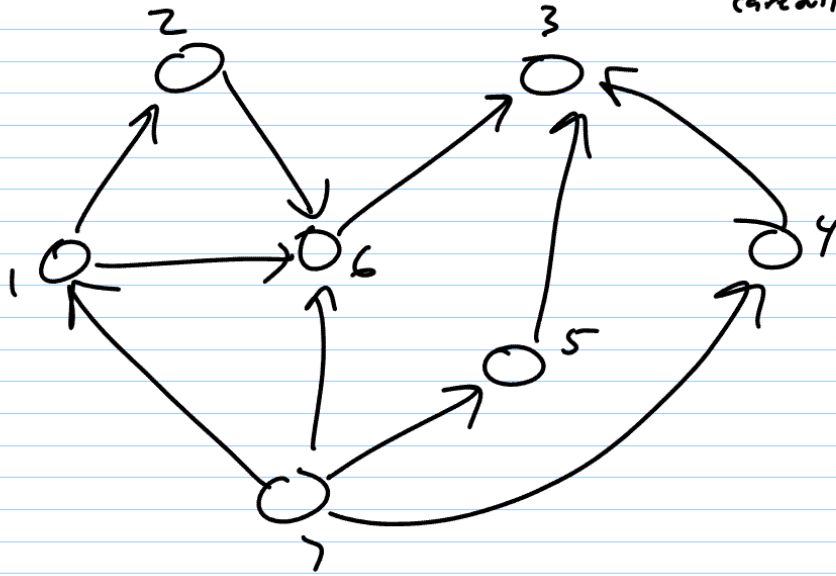
2) work in order of topological sort

$$e\text{-closure}(v) = v \cup \bigcup e\text{-closure}(u) \quad O(|K|^3)$$

oof!

$(v, u) \in \text{SCC graph}$

can we do better?  
(or analyze more carefully?)



7 1 2 4 5 6 3

topological sort: ordering so all edges go in one direction

WSIS: weak second-order theory of one successor

We can use FA to, given sentence in language of WSIS, determine if it is T.

language allows: natural numbers (and vars)

finite sets of natural numbers (+vars)

$\wedge, \vee, \sim$

$\in, =, \vdash$

$\forall, \exists$

There is a finite set that is a subset of every other finite set.

$\exists X \forall Y \forall z (z \in X \rightarrow z \in Y) \quad \top$

There is a finite set such that for every element in that set, the next element is in as well.

$$\exists X \forall y \quad y \in X \rightarrow y+1 \in X \quad T$$

To decide WSIS using FA:

Work inside out constructing FA for subformulas

To build FA that, given  $y, X$ , determines if  $y \in X$

need to encode  $y, X$

↙ ↘ use characteristic fun

if  $y = 0$  use  $\epsilon$  (or  $0\dots$ )  $\{1, 2, 5\} \rightarrow 01100100\dots$

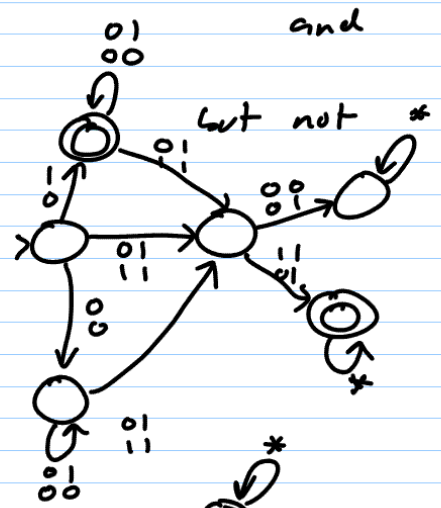
otherwise use  $\underbrace{0\dots 0}_r 1$   
 $y-1$  0s

use symbols  $\begin{matrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & \leftarrow X \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & \leftarrow Y \end{matrix}$

$1 \in \{1, 2, 5\}$  so  $M$  should accept

011001  
100000

$y \in X$



011001  
000010

011001  
001000

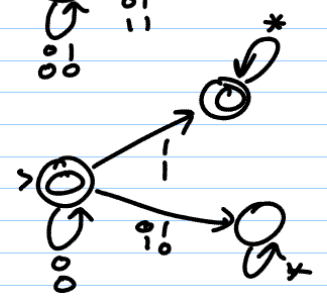
$X = \{0, 2, 7\}$

$y = 2$

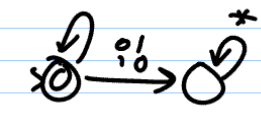
00100001  
01000000

$y = 0$  10100001  
00000000

$x = y$



$X = Y$

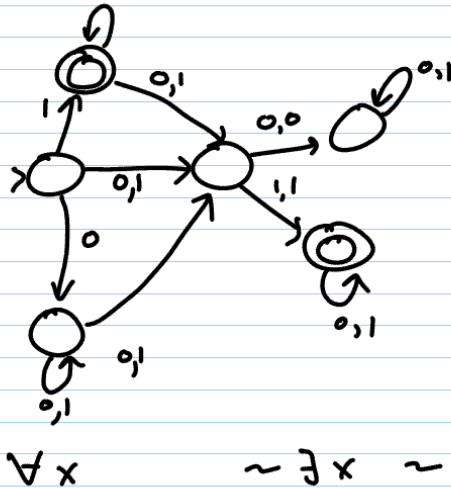


handle  $\lambda, v, \sim$  as for normal DFAs

$\exists x$  : erase  $x$  part from every input symbol

$\exists y \ y \in X$

(and fix final states  
by making final all states  
that can reach a final  
state on  $\emptyset$  input)



This should (and does!)  
accept the representation  
of any set  $X$  that  
makes  $\exists y \ y \in X$  true  
(non-empty sets) —  
such representations  
 $\forall x \sim \exists x \sim$  have at least one  $\lambda$ .

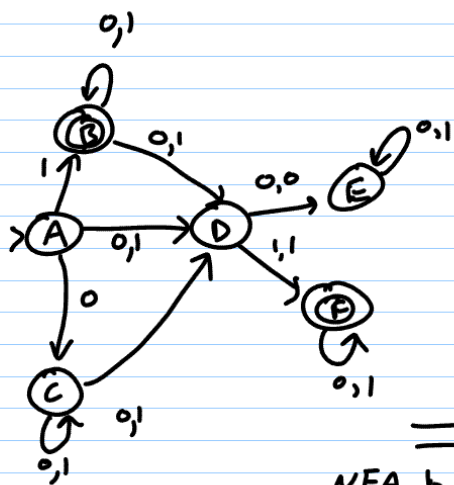
In end we get



$\forall X \exists y y \in X$  : treat as

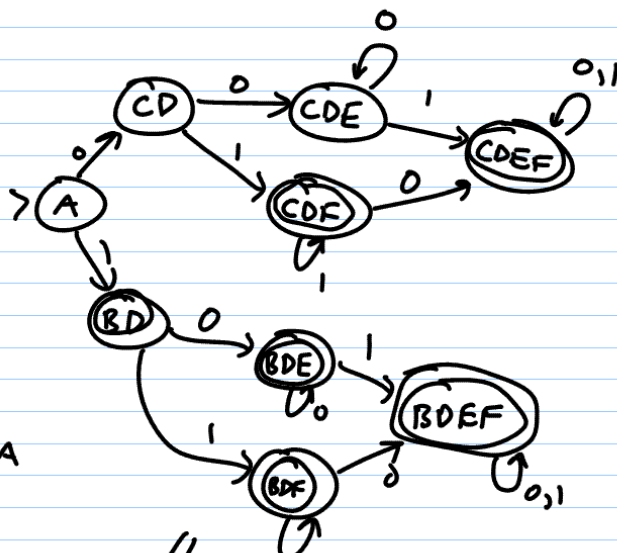
$$\sim \exists X \sim \exists y (y \in X)$$

↑ have M from above for this  
need to convert to DFA to negate



$\exists y \in X$

$\Rightarrow$   
NFA to DFA

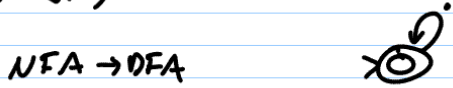
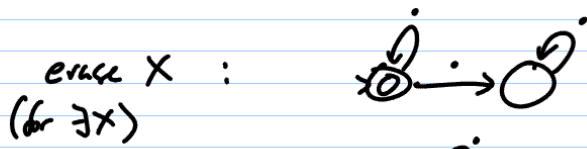


$\swarrow$  minimize





this machine corresponds to  $\sim \exists y \ y \in X$



negate



so  $\sim \exists X \sim \exists y \ y \in X$  is FALSE  
 $\parallel$   
 $\forall X \exists y \ y \in X$

$$\exists X \forall y, y \in X$$

$$\parallel$$

$$\exists X \sim \exists y \sim y \in X$$