

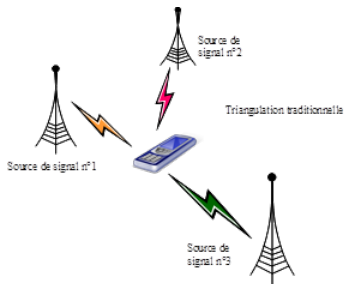
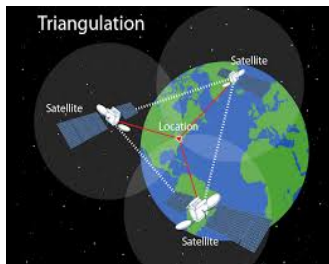
Dimension Métrique des Graphes Orientés

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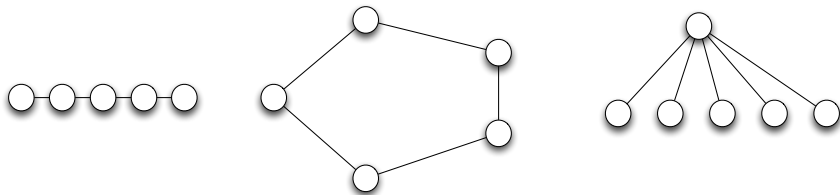
Precisely locate using few information
How to generalize to graph metric ?

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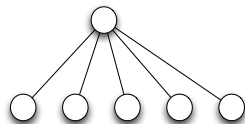
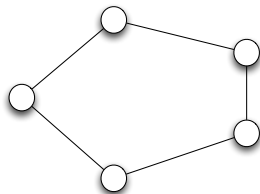
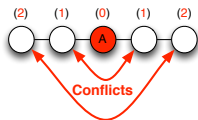
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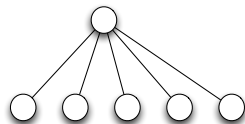
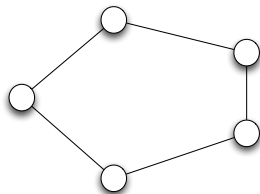
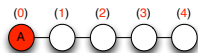


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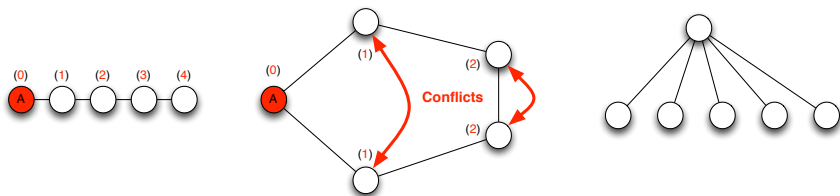


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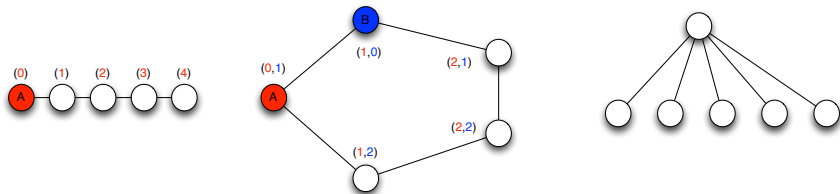


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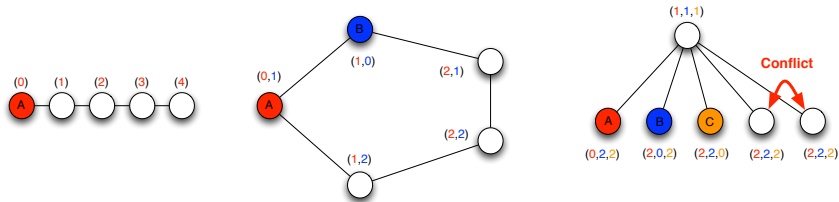


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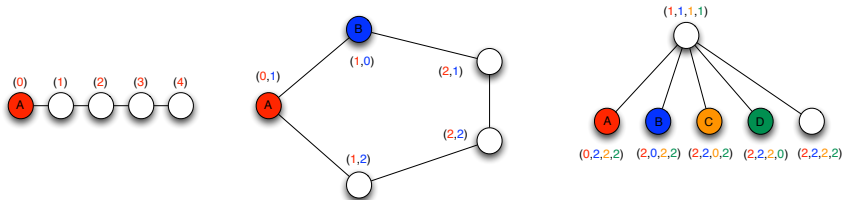


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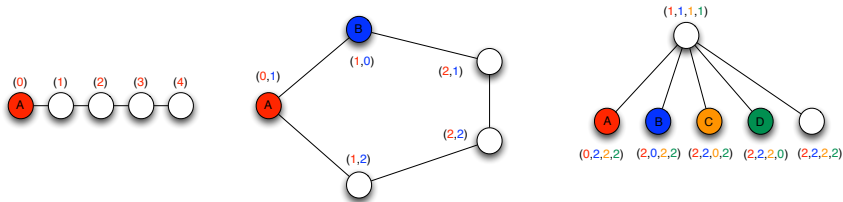


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Metric Dimension $MD(G)$: min. size of a resolving set in G . $(MD(G) \leq |V|)$

example : for any tree T , $MD(T) = \#leaves - \#$ "branching nodes"

Computing $MD(G)$ [Harary, Melter 76, Slater 75] is NP-c in planar graphs [Díaz et al. 17], $W[2]$ -hard [Hartung, Nichterlein 13], FPT in tree-length [Belmonte et al. 17]...

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Localization of a **moving** target in a graph G :

[Seager 13]

$\zeta(G)$: min. number of probes per turn to locate the target moving in G ?

- $\zeta(T) \leq 2$ for any tree T . Characterization of trees with $\zeta(T) = 2$ [Seager 14]
- Deciding if $\zeta(G) \leq k$ is NP-hard ; [Bosek et al. 18]
- $\zeta(G) \leq pw(G)$ for any graph G , but $\zeta(G)$ unbounded in the class of graphs with treewidth ≤ 2 ; [Bosek et al. 18]
- $\zeta(G) \leq 2$ for any outerplanar graph G . [Bonato, Kinnersley 18]

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$MD(D)$: min. size of a resolving set in a **strong** oriented graph D .

Few related work

- upper bounds [Chartrand et al 00]
- NP-complete in strong oriented graphs [Rajan et al. 14]
- complete graphs [Lozano 13], Cayley digraphs [Fehr et al. 06], de Bruijn and Kautz [Rajan et al. 14]

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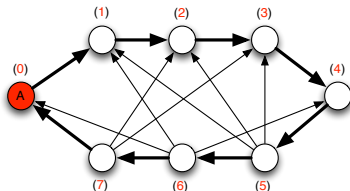
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Very few previous work

[Chartrand et al. 01]

- tournaments : $WOMD(K_n) = 1/2$
- \mathcal{H}_n , class of Hamiltonian n -node graphs : $BOMD(\mathcal{H}_n) = 1/n$.
Every Hamiltonian graph has an orientation D with $MD(D) = 1$.



Our contributions

Focus on Worst Orientations (WOMD) for various graph classes.

\mathcal{G}_Δ : class of graphs with maximum degree $\leq \Delta$.

- $\frac{2}{5} \leq WOMD(\mathcal{G}_3) \leq \frac{1}{2}$
- $\frac{1}{2} \leq WOMD(\mathcal{G}_4) \leq \frac{6}{7}$
- $\lim_{\Delta \rightarrow \infty} WOMD(\mathcal{G}_\Delta) = 1$

Grids : class of cartesian grids.

- $\frac{1}{2} \leq WOMD(\text{Grids}) \leq \frac{2}{3}$

$WOMD^*$ defined as $WOMD$ but over Eulerian orientations (in-degree=out-degree).

Tori : class of cartesian tori.

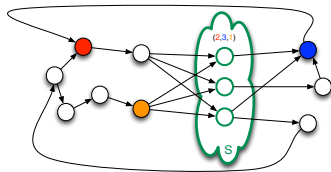
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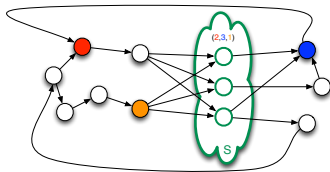


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G_{aux} undirected graph with vertex-set V

$\{u, v\} \in E(G_{aux}) \Leftrightarrow N_D^-(u) \cap N_D^-(v) \neq \emptyset$ (**intersecting in-neighborhoods**).

Lemma : Every (non-empty) vertex cover of G_{aux} is a resolving set for D

Application : If G_{aux} has max. degree Δ' , then $\chi(G_{aux}) \leq \Delta' + 1$ (chromatic number), so $\alpha(G_{aux}) \leq \frac{\Delta'}{\Delta'+1}n$, and so $MD(D) \leq \frac{\Delta'}{\Delta'+1}n$ for any strong orientation D of G .

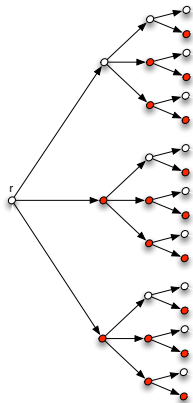
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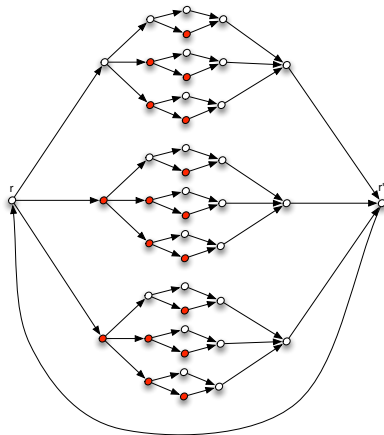
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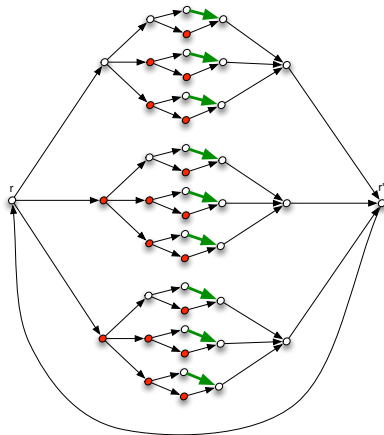
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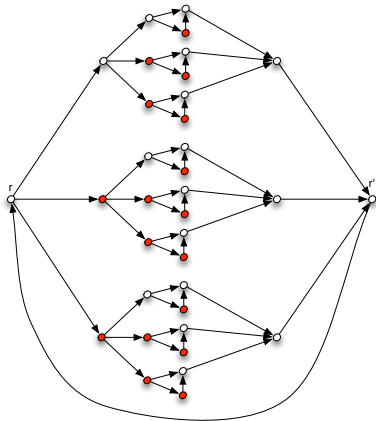
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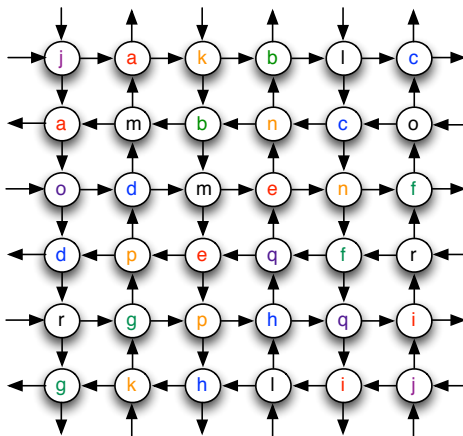
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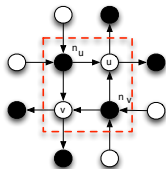
Lemma : For $\mathcal{G} \in \{\text{Grids, Tori}\}$, $WOMD(\mathcal{G}) \geq \frac{1}{2}$



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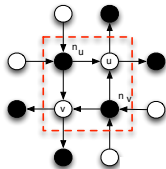


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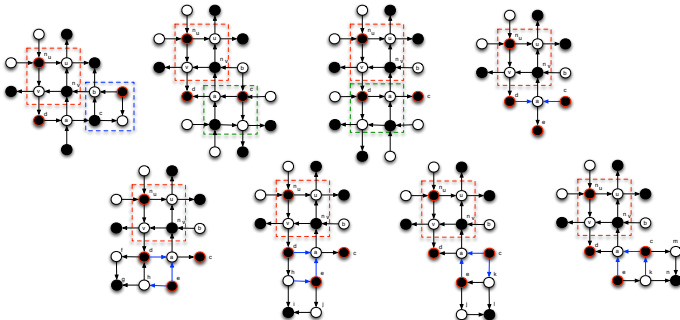
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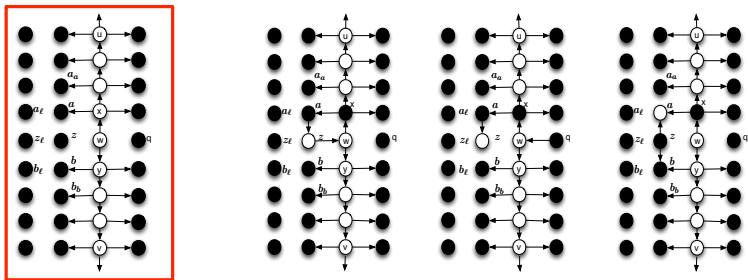
Replace n_v by u in X , sequentially in all "bad squares", makes X a resolving set (proof by case analysis).



Upper Bound for Grid : another ad-hoc proof :(

Thm : Any orientation \vec{G} of a grid $\Rightarrow MD(\vec{G}) \leq 2n/3$

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Again, proof by case analysis...

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