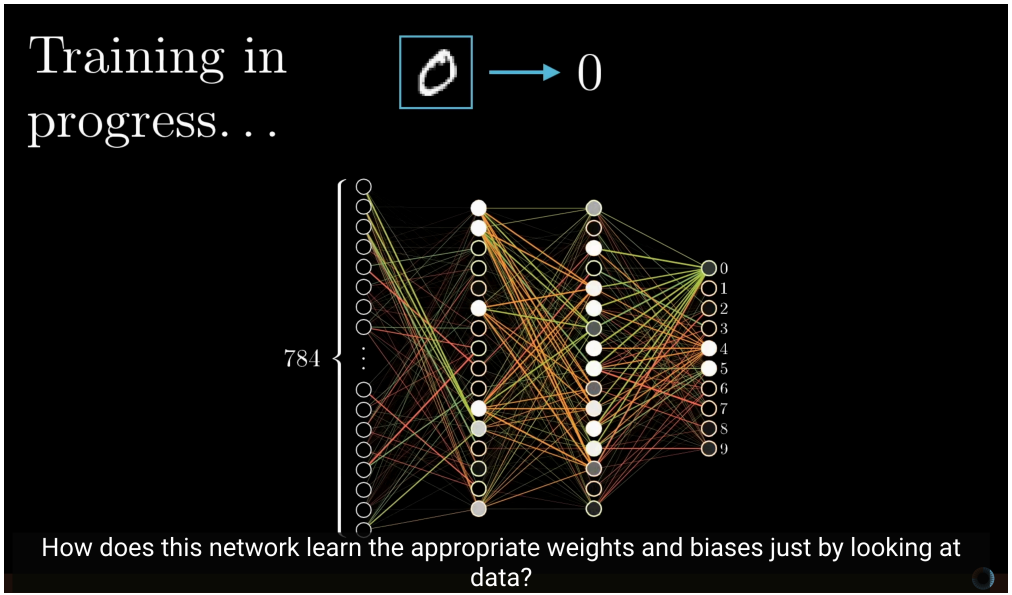
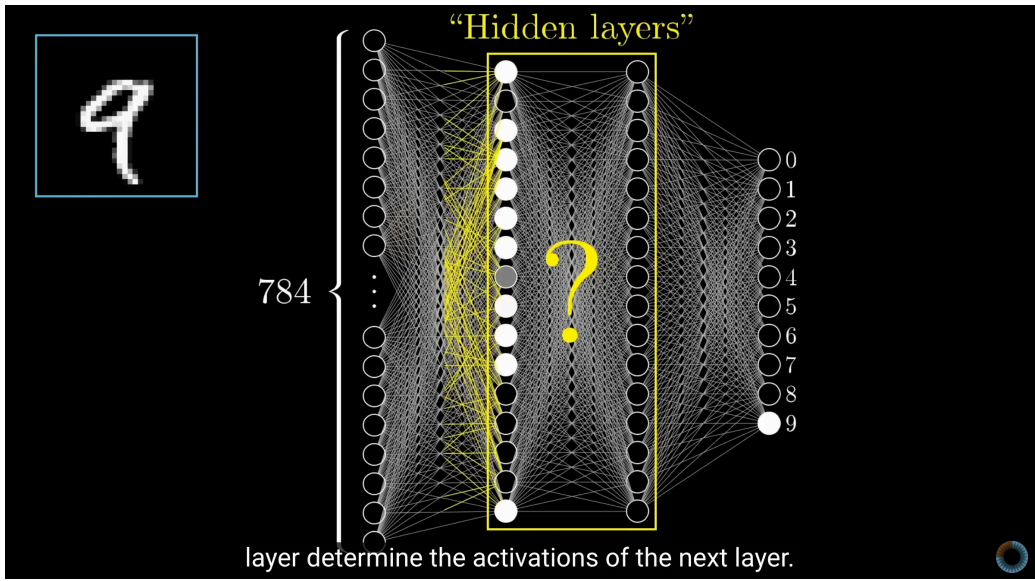
How does information flow in a NeuralNetwork ?





Training
Learn network parameters

Evaluation/Prediction
Network produces outputs from inputs

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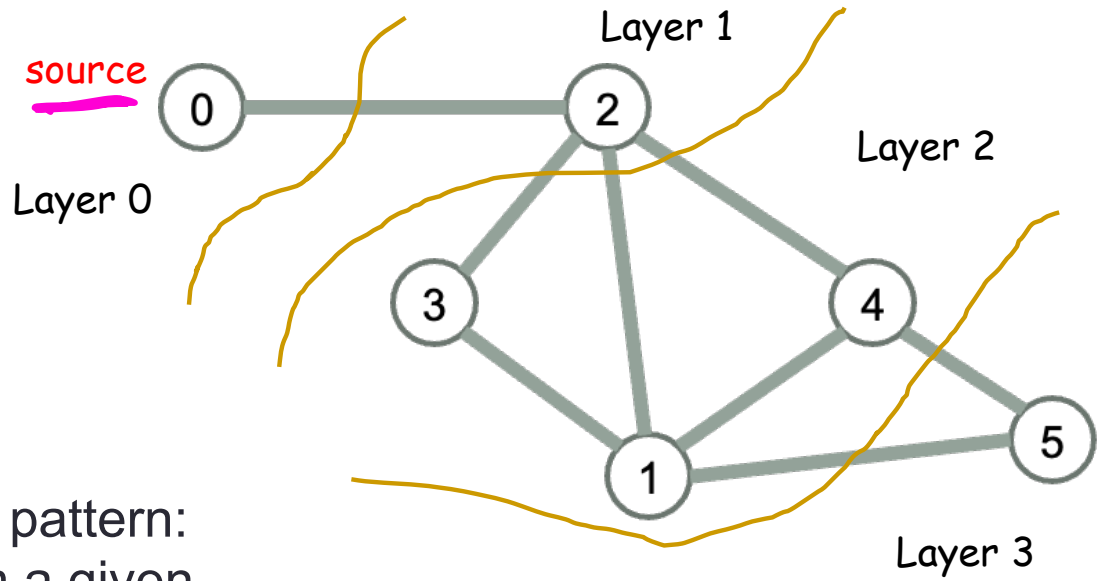
Breadth First Traversal: Sketch of Algorithm



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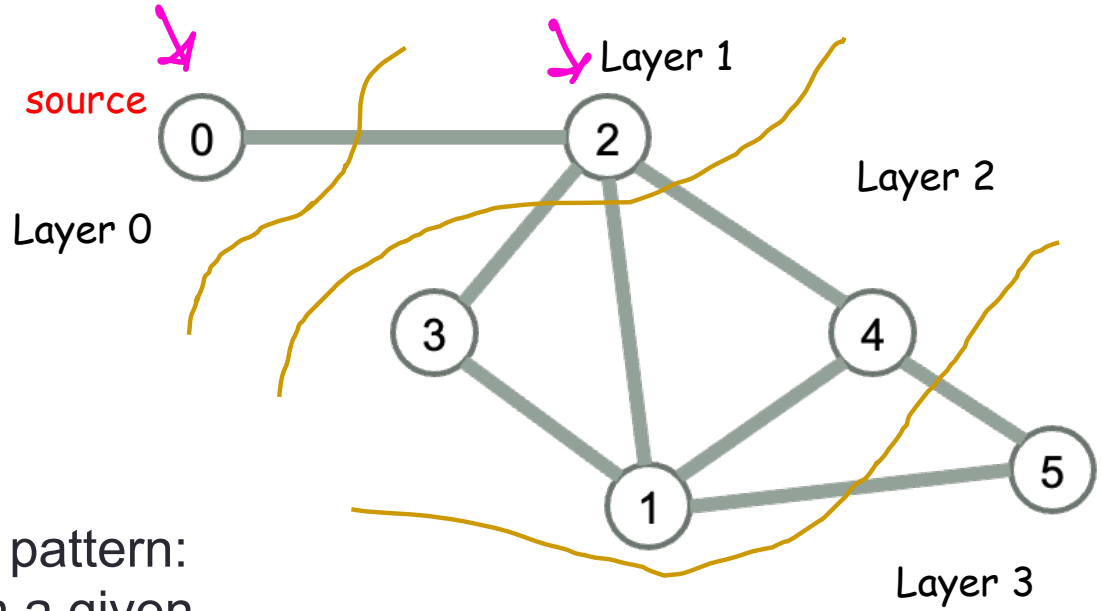

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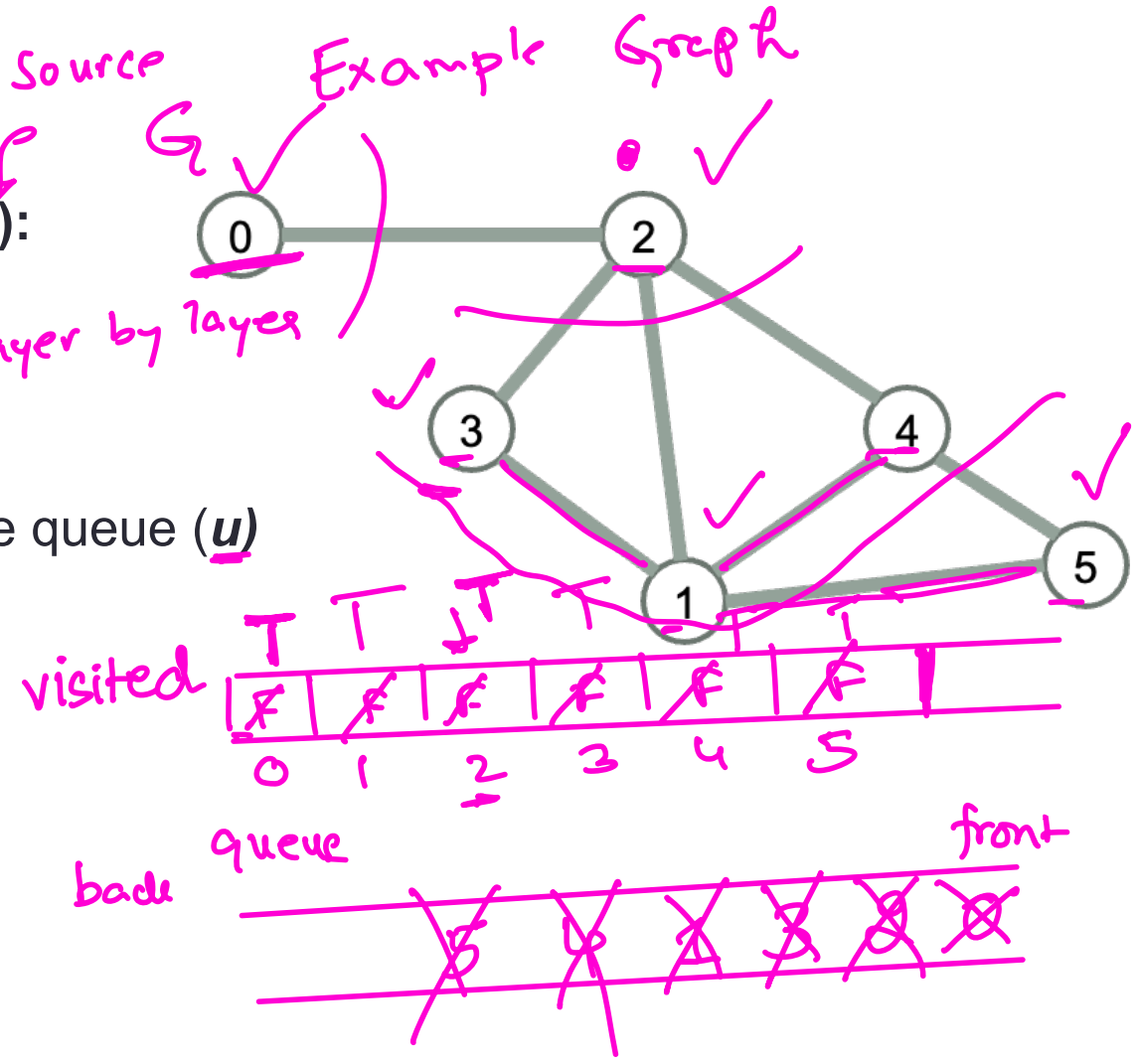
- In general, a search algorithm would explore (or “visit”) from a source vertex
  - all the vertices reachable ,
  - never exploring out from the same vertex twice
- How does the Breadth First Search/Traversal algorithm ensure this?

Breadth First Algorithm

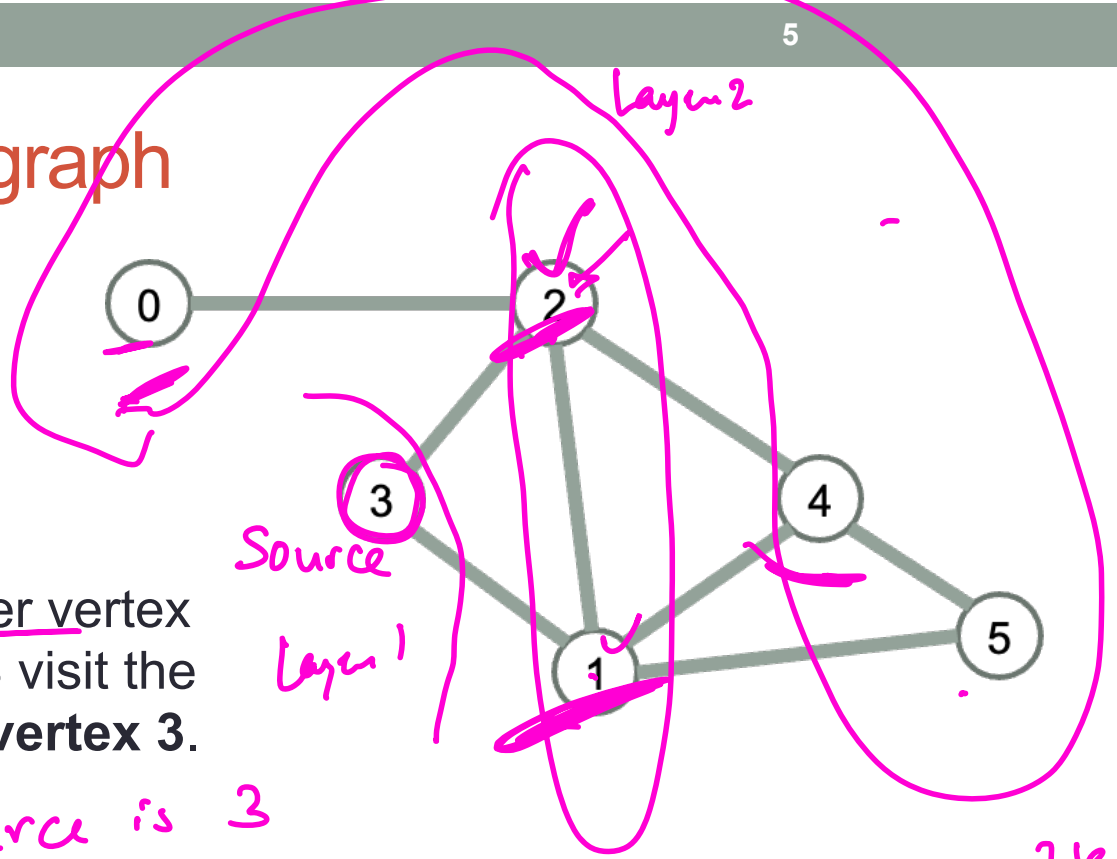
Algo exploreBFS (Graph G, vertex s):

- Mark all the vertices as "not visited"
- Visit ***s***
- Push ***s*** into a queue
- while the queue is not empty:
  - pop the vertex from the front of the queue (***u***)
  - for each of ***u***'s neighbor (***v***)
    - If ***v*** has not yet been visited:
      - Visit ***v***
      - Push ***v*** in the queue

0, 2, 3, 1, 4, 5



Trace BFS for the example graph



Assume BFS chooses the lower number vertex to explore first, in what order does BFS visit the nodes in this graph starting at **source vertex 3**.

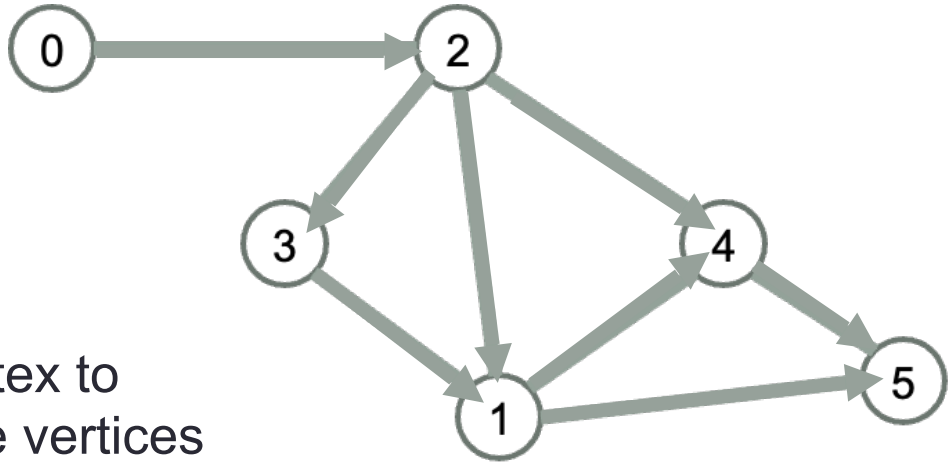
A. 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5
B. 0, 1, 3, 2, 4, 5
C. 3, 2, 0, 1, 4, 5
D. 3, 1, 2, 0, 4, 5
E. Something else

because source is 3

→ lower number vertex is explored among possible neighbors 3's neighbors are 2, 1. Choose 1 before 2

If 1 is queued before 2, 1's neighbors will be explored before 2's neighbors i.e. {4, 5} before

Trace BFS (different source vertex)



What if edges were directed as shown?
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E. Something else

3, 1, 4, 5

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class graph{
  public:
    graph(int n = 0) { // n is the number of vertices
        ____________src code from lecture_____________
    }
    void addEdge(int from, int to);
    vector<bool> exploreBFS(int source) const;

  private:
    vector<_____unordered-set<int>_____> adjList;
};
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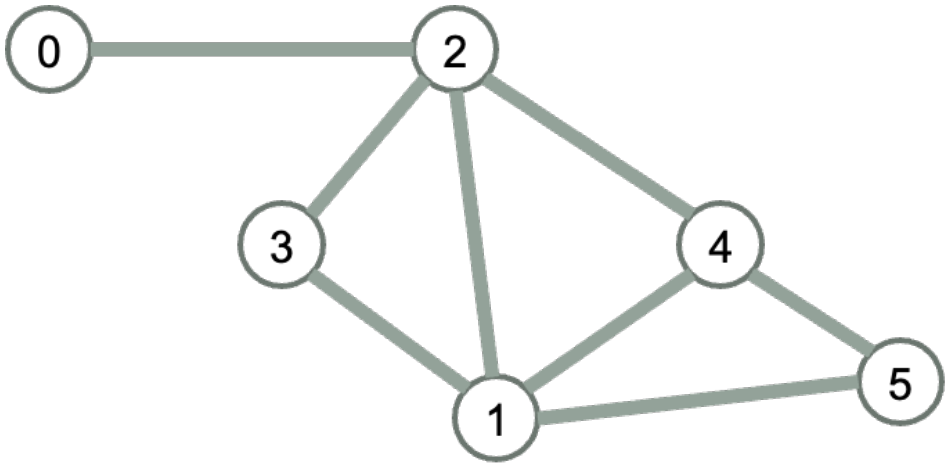
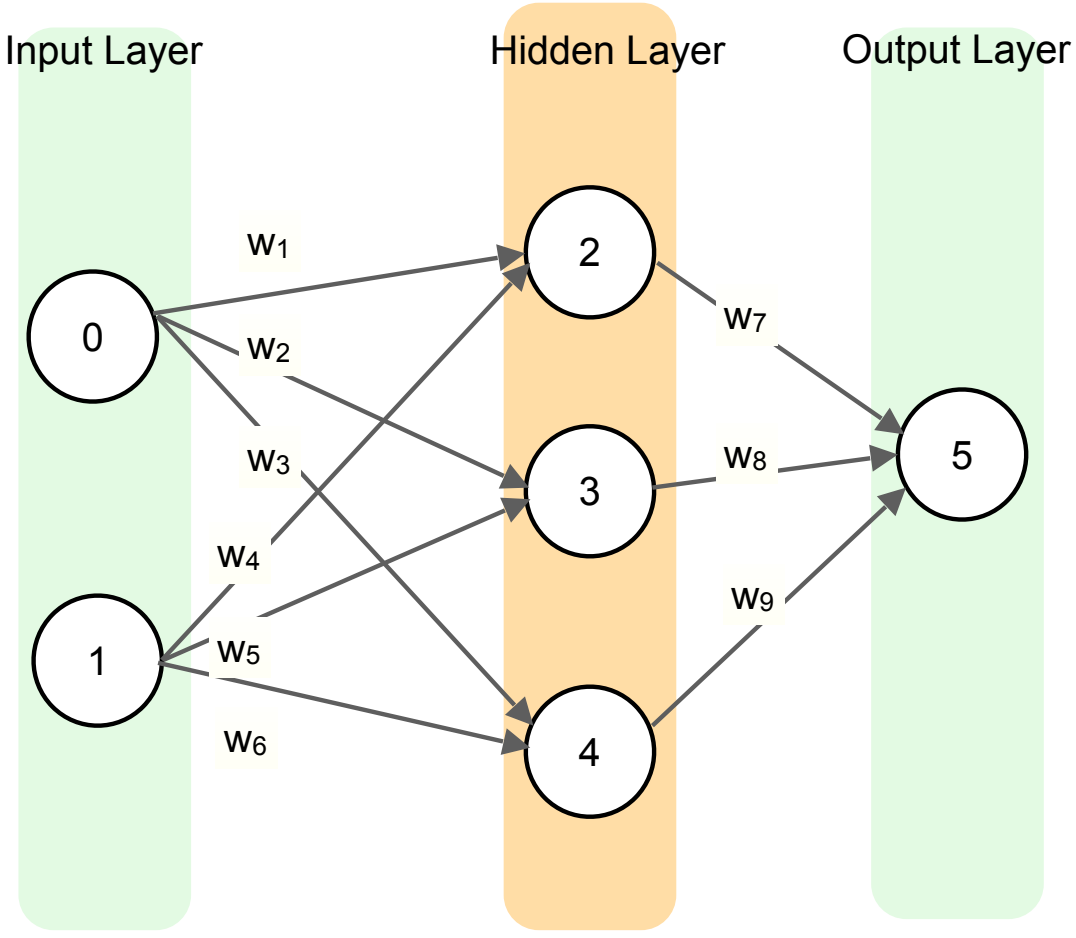
or vector < vector <int> > adj list



PA03: Modify BFS to perform prediction



In the prediction step, activation values in one layer determine the activation values of the neurons in the next layer.

Your task: Modify the standard BFT algo to do the necessary computation in the expected (layer by layer) order.

Complete the provided NeuralNetwork::predict() function