

Detect cycle in an undirected graph

```
import java.util.*;
```

- **import java.util.*:** Imports all utility classes from the Java library, including `ArrayList`, `List`, and others, which are needed for creating the graph structure.

```
public class GfG {
```

- **class GfG:** Defines the main class named `GfG` (short for GeeksforGeeks, commonly used for coding examples).

```
// A recursive function that  
// uses visited[] and parent to detect  
// cycle in subgraph reachable from vertex v.  
static boolean isCyclicUtil(int v, List<List<Integer>> adj,  
                             boolean[] visited, int parent) {
```

- **isCyclicUtil:** This is a recursive helper function used to check whether a cycle exists in the part of the graph that can be reached from vertex `v`.
 - **Parameters:**
 - `int v`: The current vertex.
 - `List<List<Integer>> adj`: The adjacency list representing the graph.
 - `boolean[] visited`: Array to mark visited nodes.
 - `int parent`: Tracks the parent of the current vertex to avoid false cycle detection.

```
// Mark the current node as visited  
visited[v] = true;
```

- **visited[v] = true:** Marks the current node `v` as visited to avoid revisiting it.

```
// Recur for all the vertices adjacent to this vertex
for (int i : adj.get(v)) {
```

- **for (int i : adj.get(v))**: Iterates over all vertices adjacent to vertex *v*.

```
// If an adjacent vertex is not visited,
// then recur for that adjacent
if (!visited[i]) {
    if (isCyclicUtil(i, adj, visited, v))
        return true;
}
```

- **if (!visited[i])**: If the adjacent vertex *i* has not been visited, recursively call `isCyclicUtil` for that vertex.
- **if (isCyclicUtil(i, adj, visited, v)) return true;**: If the recursive call returns `true`, a cycle has been found, so return `true`.

```
// If an adjacent vertex is visited and
// is not parent of current vertex,
// then there exists a cycle in the graph.
else if (i != parent)
    return true;
```

- **else if (i != parent)**: If the adjacent vertex *i* is already visited and is not the parent of the current vertex *v*, a cycle is detected (a back edge exists).
- **return true**: Return `true` since a cycle is found.

```
return false;
}
```

- **return false**: If no cycle is detected, return `false` to indicate that the current path has no cycle.

```
// Returns true if the graph contains a cycle, else false.
static boolean isCyclic(int V, List<List<Integer>> adj) {
```

- **isCyclic**: This is the main function to detect if there is a cycle in the undirected graph.
 - **Parameters**:
 - **int V**: The number of vertices.
 - **List<List<Integer>> adj**: The adjacency list representing the graph.

```
// Mark all the vertices as not visited
boolean[] visited = new boolean[V];
```

- **boolean[] visited = new boolean[V];**: Initializes a **visited** array to keep track of whether a vertex has been visited.

```
// Call the recursive helper function to detect cycle in different DFS
trees
for (int u = 0; u < V; u++) {
```

- **for (int u = 0; u < V; u++)**: Loop through all vertices in the graph.

```
// Don't recur for u if it is already visited
if (!visited[u]) {
    if (isCyclicUtil(u, adj, visited, -1))
        return true;
}
```

- **if (!visited[u])**: For any unvisited vertex **u**, call the recursive helper function **isCyclicUtil** to check for a cycle. If a cycle is found, return **true**.
- **isCyclicUtil(u, adj, visited, -1)**: The parent is passed as **-1** since there is no parent for the first vertex in DFS traversal.

```
return false;
}
```

- **return false:** If no cycle is detected after checking all vertices, return `false`.

Driver Code (Main Function)

```
// Driver program to test above functions
public static void main(String[] args) {
    int V = 3;
    List<List<Integer>> adj = new ArrayList<>(V);
```

- **public static void main:** The main method where the execution of the program begins.
- **int V = 3:** The graph contains 3 vertices.
- **List<List<Integer>> adj = new ArrayList<>(V);** Creates an adjacency list to store the graph's edges. The graph has `V` vertices.

```
for (int i = 0; i < V; i++) {
    adj.add(new ArrayList<>());
}
```

- **Initialize adjacency list:** Creates empty adjacency lists for each vertex (0, 1, and 2).

```
// Add edges to the graph
adj.get(1).add(0);
adj.get(0).add(1);
adj.get(0).add(2);
adj.get(2).add(0);
adj.get(1).add(2);
adj.get(2).add(1);
```

- **Adding edges to form the graph:**
 - $1 \rightarrow 0$ and $0 \rightarrow 1$ (edge between vertex 1 and 0),
 - $0 \rightarrow 2$ and $2 \rightarrow 0$ (edge between vertex 0 and 2),
 - $1 \rightarrow 2$ and $2 \rightarrow 1$ (edge between vertex 1 and 2).

- This forms a cycle in the graph.

```
System.out.println(isCyclic(V, adj) ? "Contains cycle" : "No Cycle");
```

- **Cycle detection:** Calls the `isCyclic` function to check if the graph contains a cycle. If `true`, it prints "Contains cycle"; otherwise, it prints "No Cycle".

Another Graph Example

```
V = 3;
List<List<Integer>> adj2 = new ArrayList<>(V);
for (int i = 0; i < V; i++) {
    adj2.add(new ArrayList<>());
}
adj2.get(0).add(1);
adj2.get(1).add(0);
adj2.get(1).add(2);
adj2.get(2).add(1);
```

- **Another graph definition:** Creates a new adjacency list for a second graph with 3 vertices and adds edges:
 - $0 \rightarrow 1$ and $1 \rightarrow 0$ (edge between vertex 0 and 1),
 - $1 \rightarrow 2$ and $2 \rightarrow 1$ (edge between vertex 1 and 2).
 - This graph does not contain a cycle.

```
System.out.println(isCyclic(V, adj2) ? "Contains Cycle" : "No Cycle");
```

- **Cycle detection for the second graph:** Checks if the second graph contains a cycle and prints the result.