

# A Variant on $R(3) = 6$

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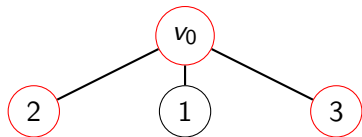
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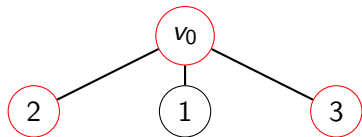
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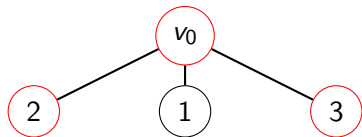
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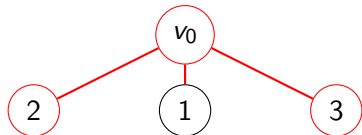
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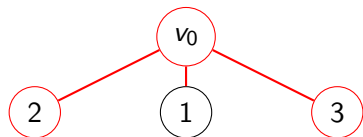
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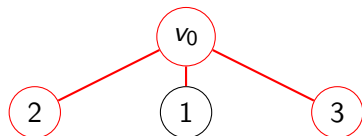


## Focus on the Three **R** Edges



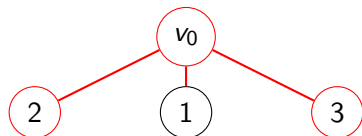


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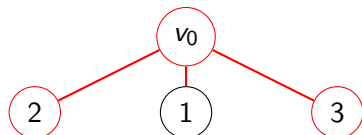
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Done!