

# Visualization of Graphs



Lecture 5: Orthogonal Layouts



Part I: Topolgy – Shape – Metric

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[Tamassia 1987]

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Three-step approach:

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Combinatorial "drawing" of H(G)?
























































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# Visualization of Graphs



Lecture 5: Orthogonal Layouts



Part III: Bend Minimization



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Topology – Shape – Metrics



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[Tamassia '87]

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# Visualization of Graphs



Lecture 5: Orthogonal Layouts



Part IV: Area Minimization



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Lecture 5: Orthogonal Layouts

> Part V: NP-hardness



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### Boundary, **belt**, and "piston" gadget







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#### Literature

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