

# Graph Algorithm – Efficient Shortest Path Estimation

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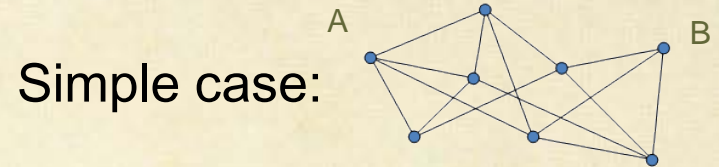
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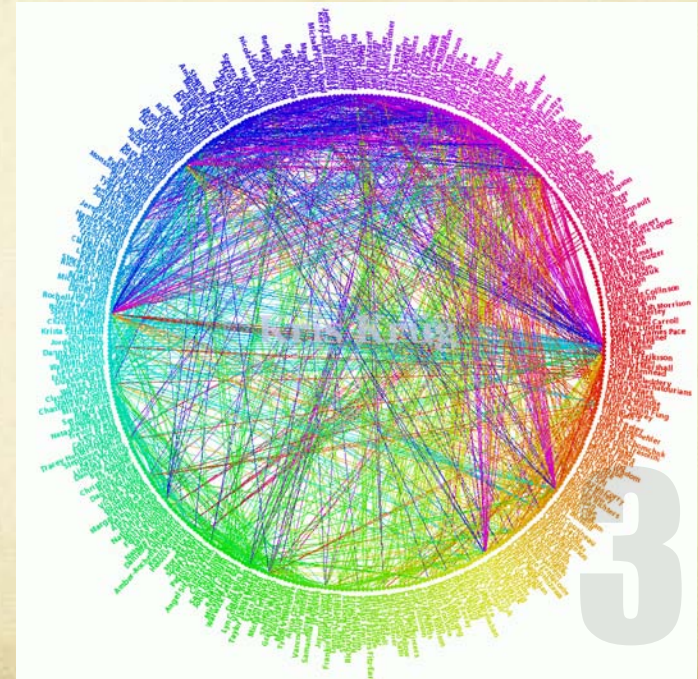
INSET Program

# Shortest Path Algorithm

- We are trying to develop a general algorithm for graph navigation
- It will work with any dataset, i.e. Google, Facebook, Last.fm
- It is optimized for massive databases
- It is extremely efficient regardless of the size of the graph.

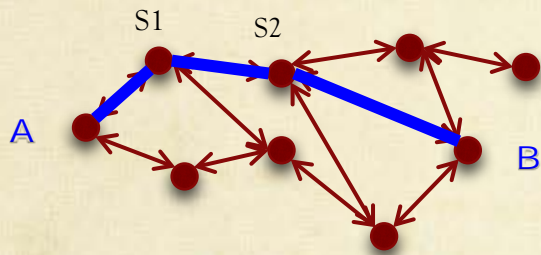


Reality:

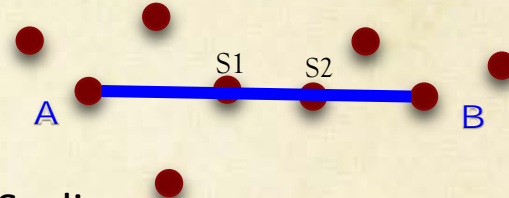


# Algorithm

Dimensionless Data



2 Dimensional Data

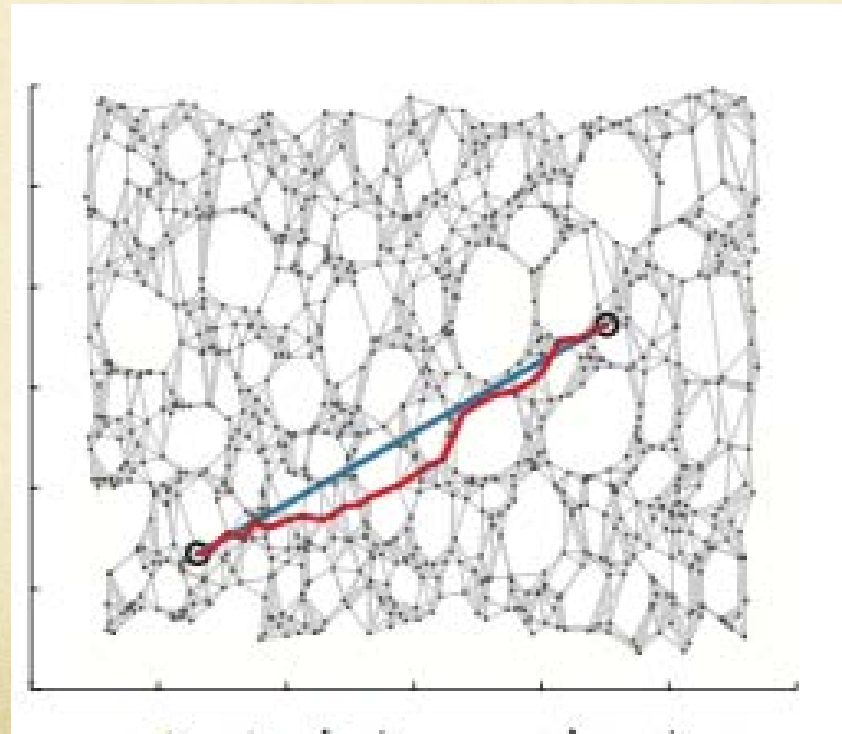


MDS: Multidimensional Scaling

- Preserved Distances
- Preserved Paths

# Algorithm

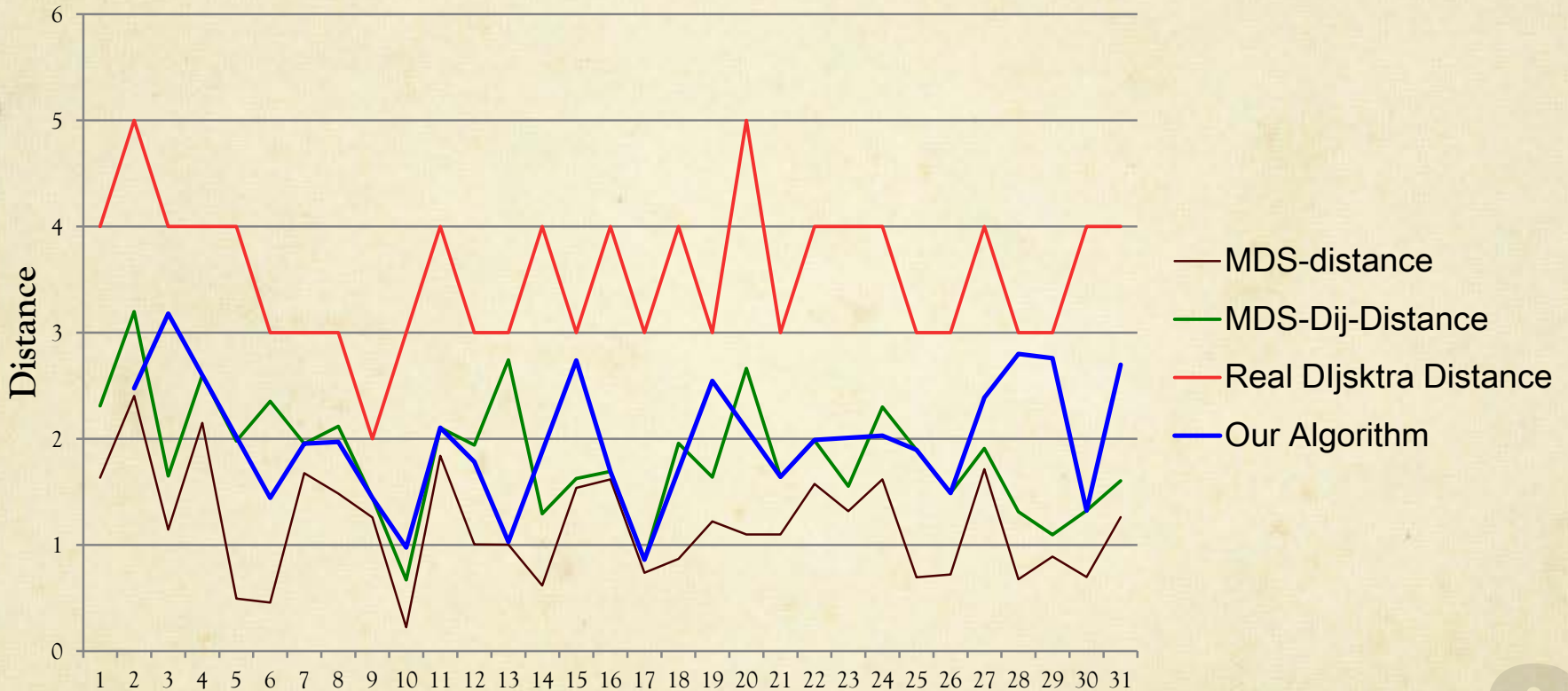
In reality, MDS generates an approximation of coordinates, thus the distance is approximated





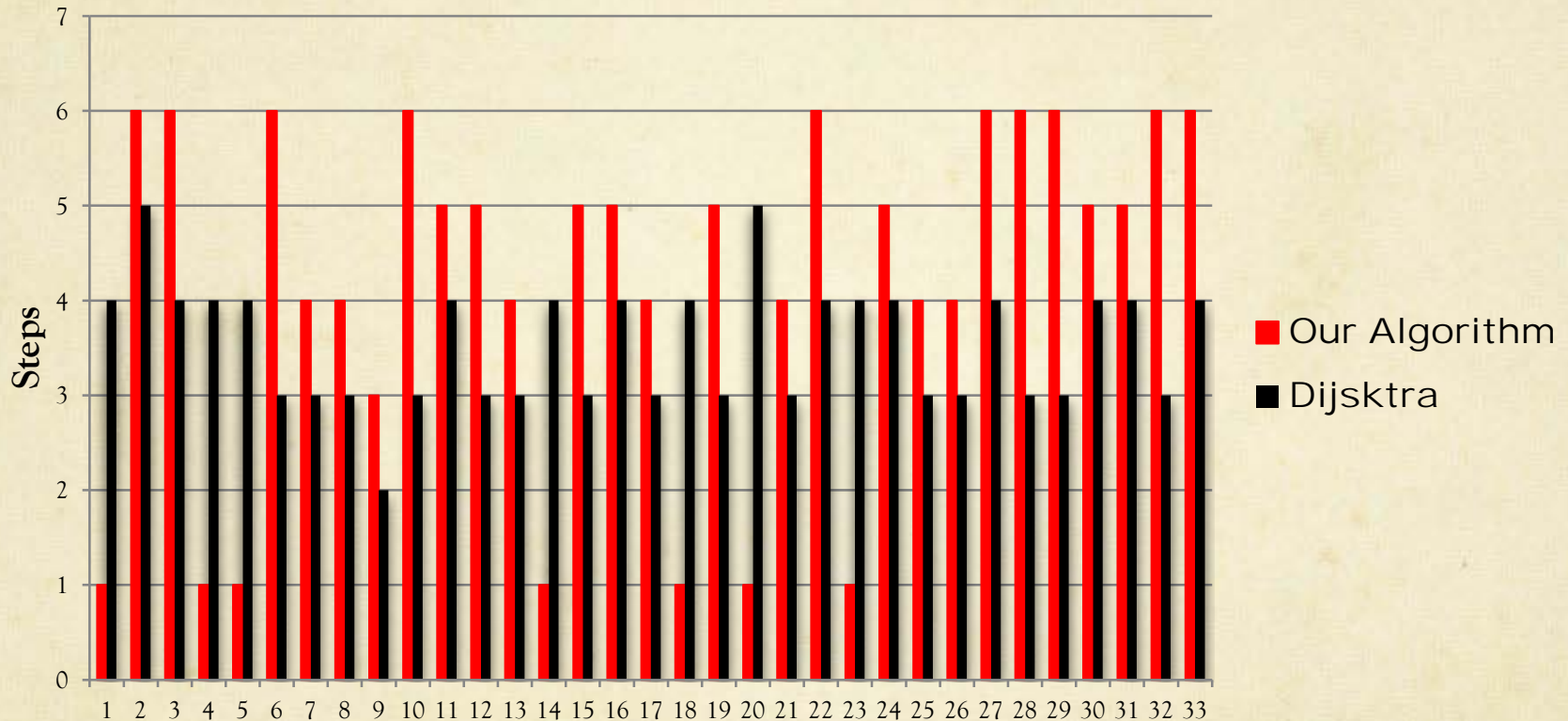
# Experimental Results

## Distances Calculated by Different Algorithms



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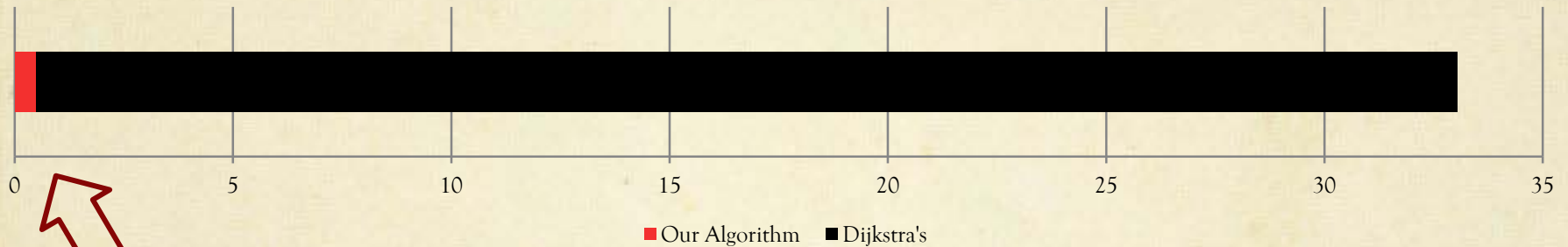
## Steps Taken by Different Algorithms



**10% Failure Rate**

# Experimental Results

Average Time Taken by Algorithms



As much as 3000x  
Faster than Dijkstra's Algorithm

# Conclusion

- We have designed a shortest path algorithm
- It is very efficient and accurate for large databases
- It is much faster than Dijkstra's Algorithm

Our future goals:

- Reduce failure rate to 0% (while maintaining accuracy)
- Increase high efficiency and accuracy
- Add "Label" information for even more accurate search



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