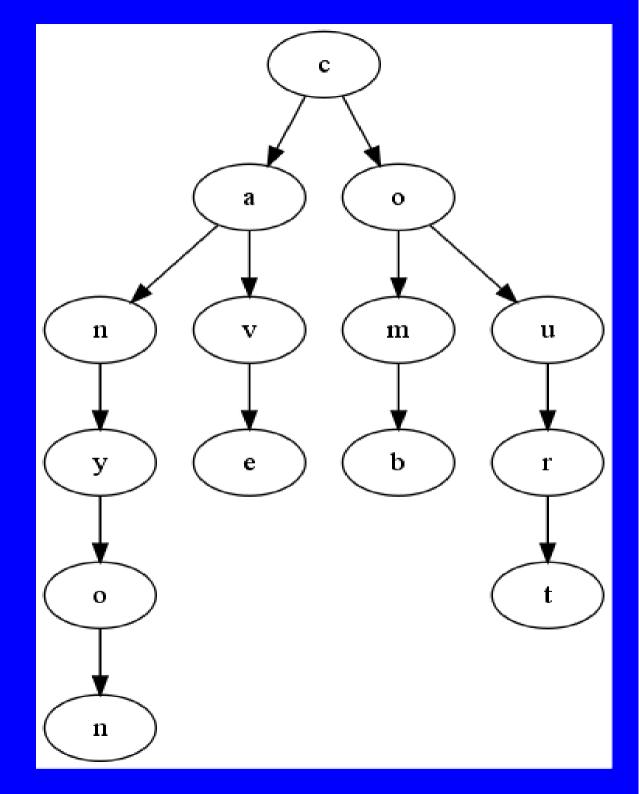
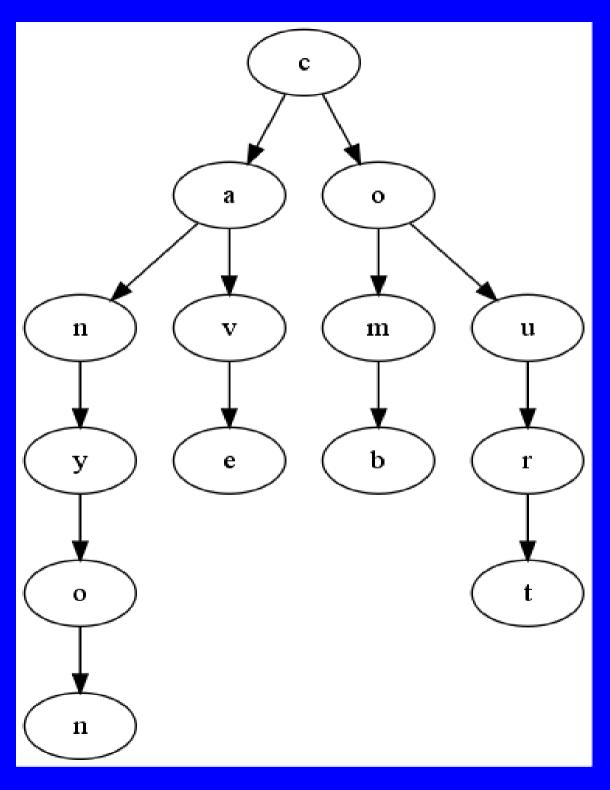
Example One

small.txt
canyon
cave
comb
court

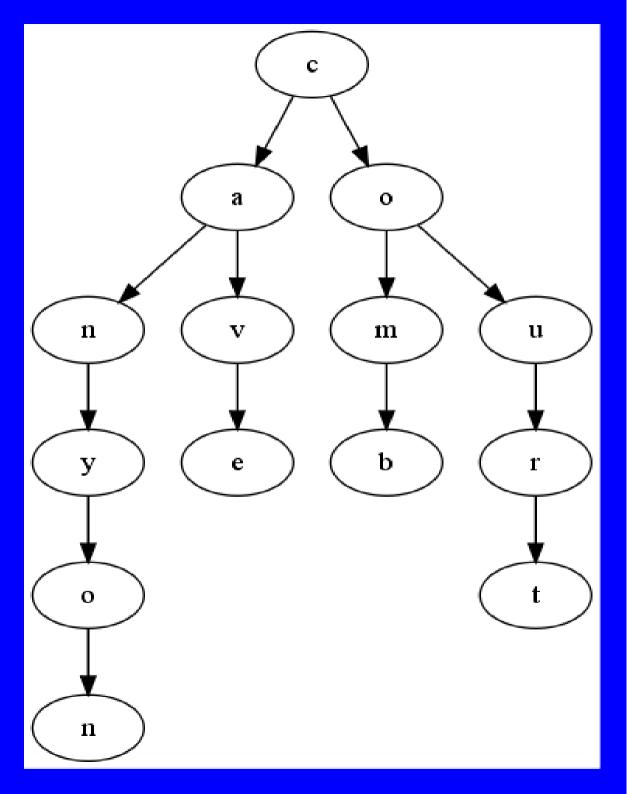


Player One: C
Player Two: O
Player One: M
Player Two: B

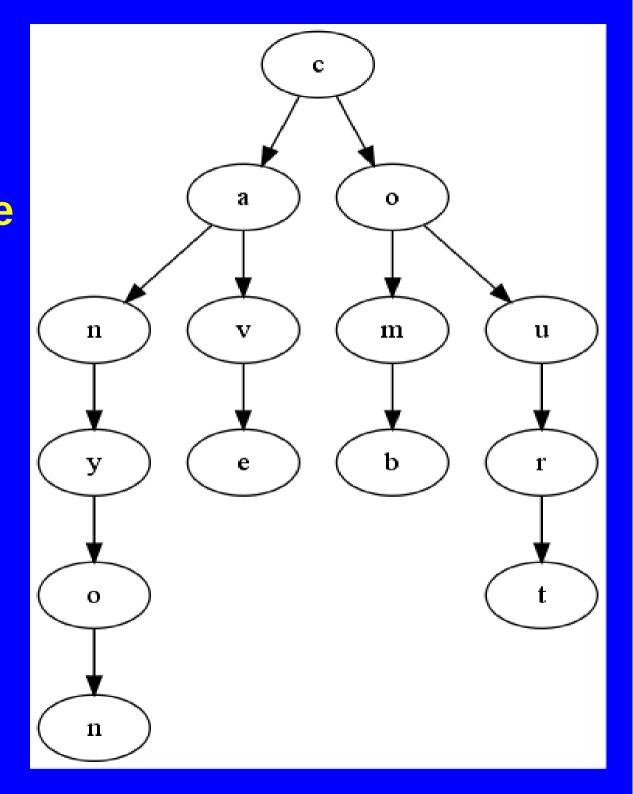
Player One wins.



Player Two can't force the game towards COURT because Player
One gets to take its own turn.



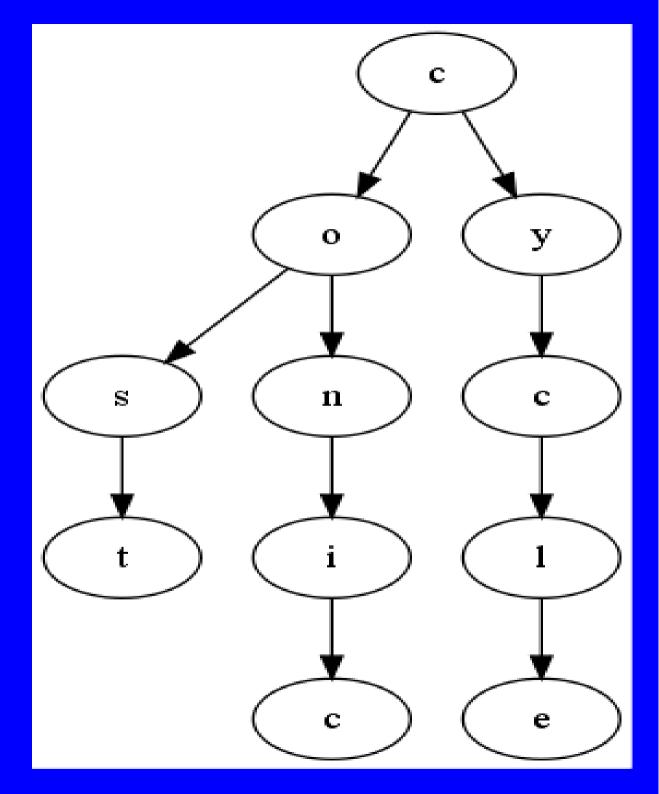
So, the presence of a favorable outcome down a particular branch is, by itself, not good enough to win.



Example Two

cost,conic,cycle

Player Two can win, but not by going towards any favorable path it likes.

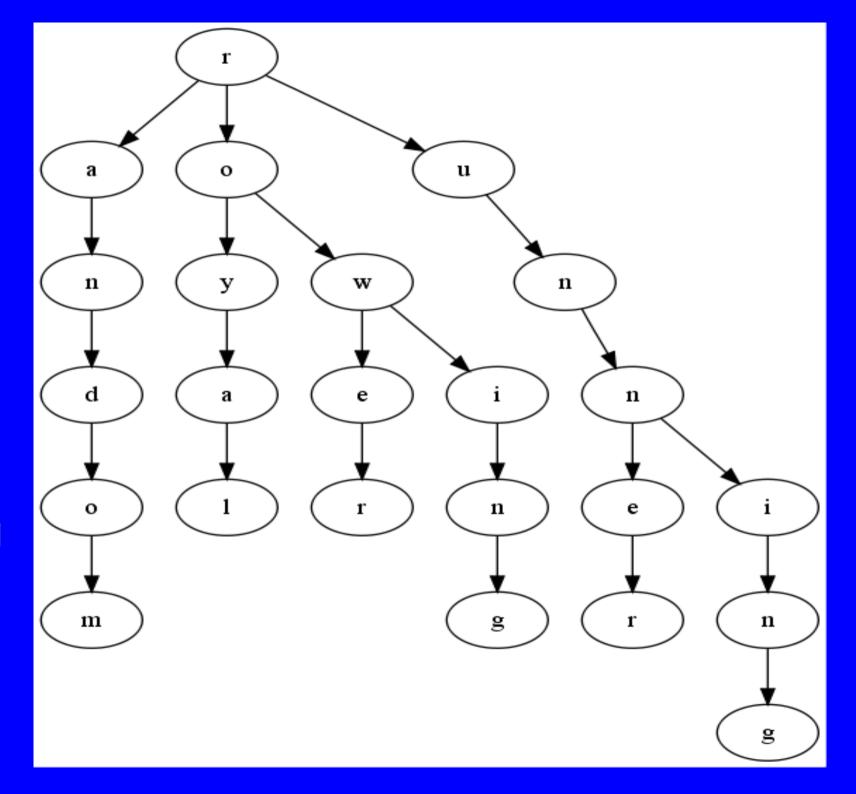


Keep in Mind

- All of this is more complicated with three or four or five or six players
- Each player gets to make its own move
- Assume each player chooses moves in their own favor (i.e., no one is trying to lose)
- But, could include random mistakes and/or teaming up against a really good player

Example Three

random
royal
rower
rowing
runner
running



random
royal
rower
rowing
runner
running

