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## The Future is Big Graphs!

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# New challenges for Next-generation Graph Processing Systems

Ch1. A lattice of graph data models and graph algebras

Ch2. Complex data management ecosystems

Ch3. Performance and benchmarking

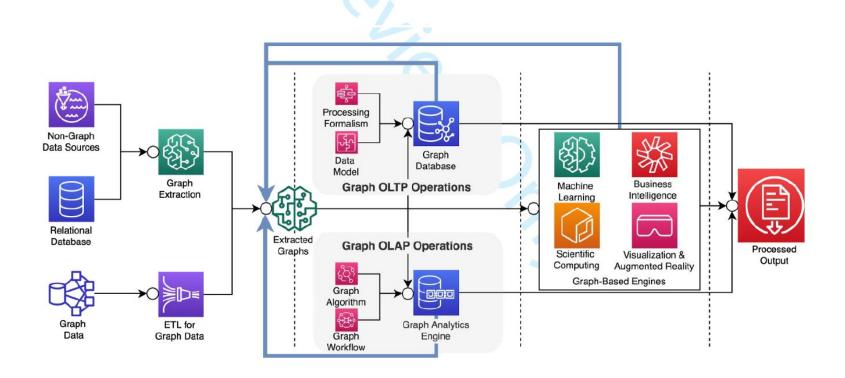
# Graphs are ubiquitous across diverse applications: an example is the covidgraph.org



### Ch1. Expressivity of the graphs/queries

- Dependence on the chosen data model
  - How do humans conceptualize graphs?
  - The interoperability issues (due to multiple heterogeneous data sources) are to be taken into account
  - A data model lattice to navigate across data models, balancing understandability and expressive power
  - A new algebra for the variety of graph workloads

### Ch2. A complex data management ecosystem



#### Ch3. Performance and benchmarking

- The need for new, reproducible experimental methodologies to facilitate quick yet meaningful performance-testing?
- How to define more faithful **metrics** for executing a graph algorithm, query, program, or workflow?
- How to generate workloads with combined operations, covering temporal, spatial, and streaming aspects?
- How to benchmark pipelines including machine learning and simulation?