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Let C(k, l) denote the number of connected labelled graphs with k vertices and k - 1 + l edges. We give the asymptotics of C(k, l) when $k, l \to \infty$ by analyzing breadth first search on the random graph G(k, p) for an appropriate p. (Received January 27, 2005)