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Implementation: Prim's Algorithm

Implementation. Use a priority queue ala Dijkstra.

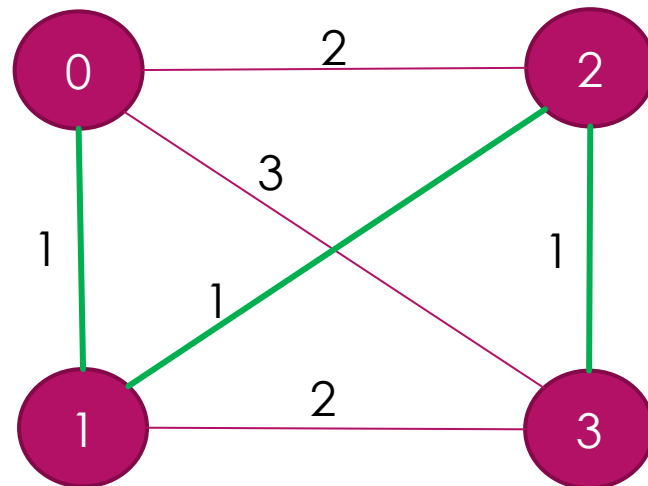
- Maintain set of explored nodes S .
- For each unexplored node v , maintain attachment cost $a[v]$ = cost of cheapest edge v to a node in S .
- $O(n^2)$ with an array; $O(m \log n)$ with a binary heap.

Lab7 Q2

- Why array faster than heap?(Prim)
- Observe the graph is a completely connected graph

$$m = n(n-1)/2$$

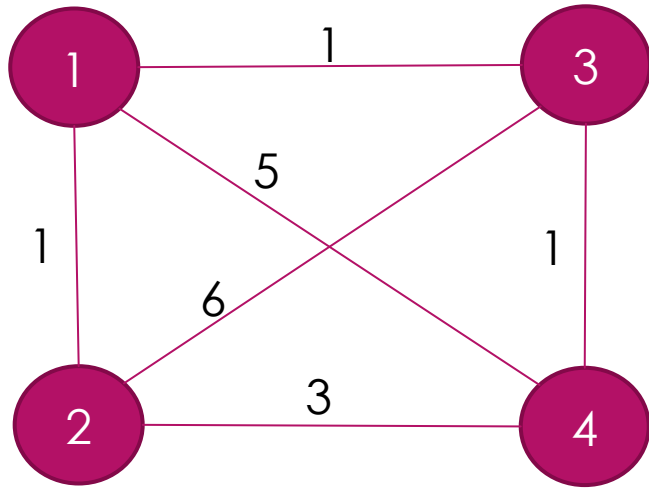
$$O(m \log n) \rightarrow O(n^2 \log n) > O(n^2)$$



Adjacency matrix

	0	1	2	3
0	-	1	2	3
1	1	-	1	2
2	2	1	-	1
3	3	2	1	-

Prim vs Dijkstra



Prim

index	1	2	3	4
loop1	0	1	1	5
loop2	0	1	1	3
loop3	1	1	1	1

Visited 1 (1,2)next 2
 Visited 2 (1,3) next 3
 Visited 3 (3,4) end

	1	2	3	4
1	-	1	1	5
2	1	-	6	3
3	1	6	-	1
4	5	3	1	-

Dijkstra

index	1	2	3	4
loop1	0	1	1	5
loop2	0	1	1	4
loop3	0	1	1	2
loop4	0	1	1	2

Visited 1 next 2
 Visited 2 next 3
 Visited 3 next 4
 Visited 4 end

Implementation: Kruskal's Algorithm

Implementation. Use the **union-find** data structure.

- Build set T of edges in the MST.
- Maintain set for each connected component.
- $O(m \log n)$ for sorting and $O(m \alpha(m, n))$ for union-find.

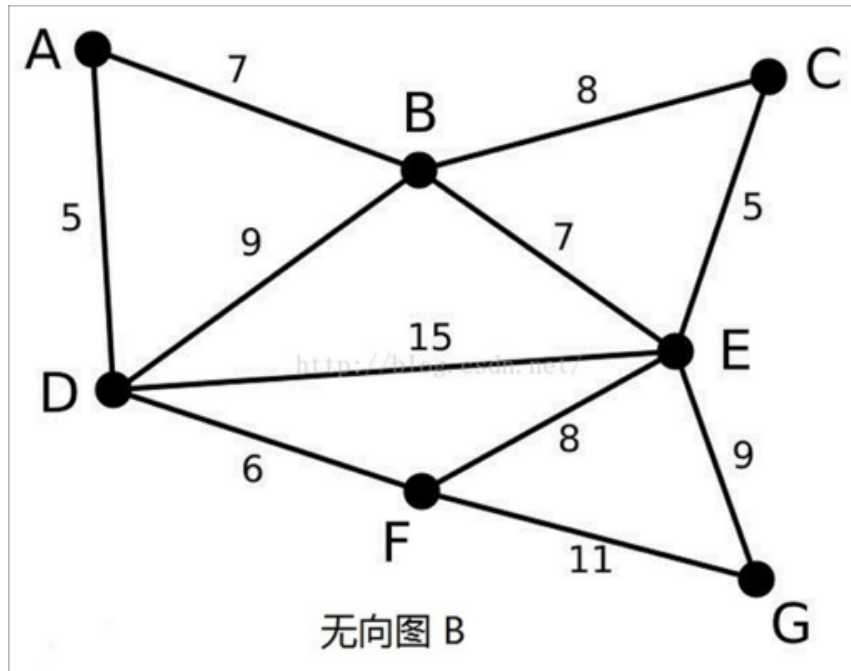
$O(m)$ create heap

$O(m \log m \alpha(m, n))$

$m \leq n^2 \Rightarrow \log m$ is $O(\log n)$

essentially a constant

Kruskal



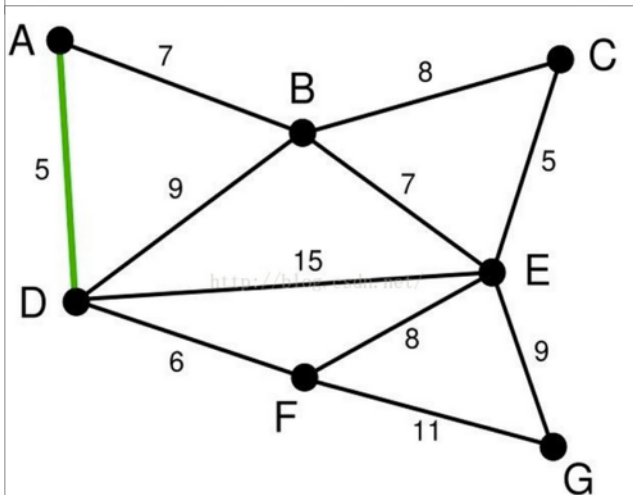
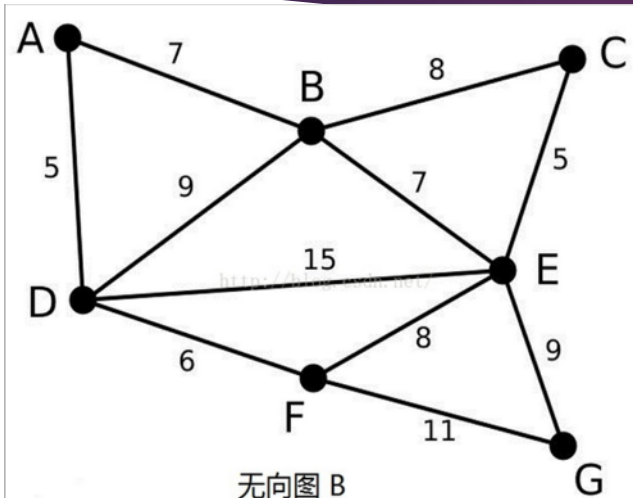
Kruskal:

1. Sorting all the sides
2. Finding smallest bridge (n, m)
3. Whether node n and node m are in a same tree?
If yes, skip
If no, merge two trees
4. If the number of node is N , we should merge $N-1$ times.
5. When merge two trees, add the w value

How to merge two trees (n, m)? Disjoint Set

1. Find root of n and m respectively
2. If root of n equals to root of m , n and m is in a same tree. Skip
3. Get the height of root n and root m
if (rootN.height > rootM.height) rootM.parent = rootN
else if (rootN.height < rootM.height) rootN.parent = rootM
else rootM.parent = rootN rootN.height++;

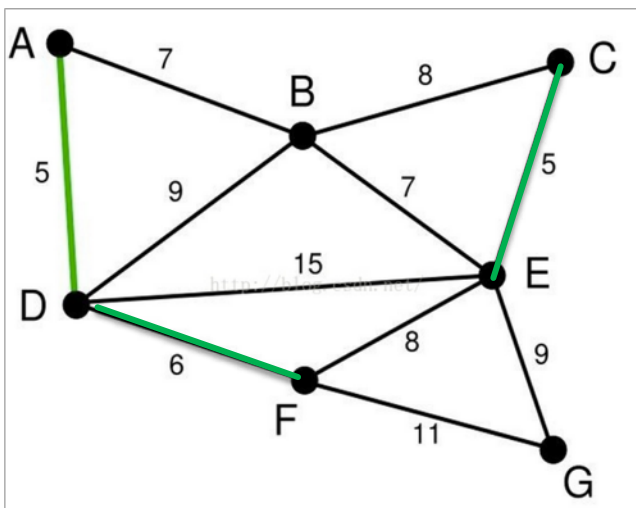
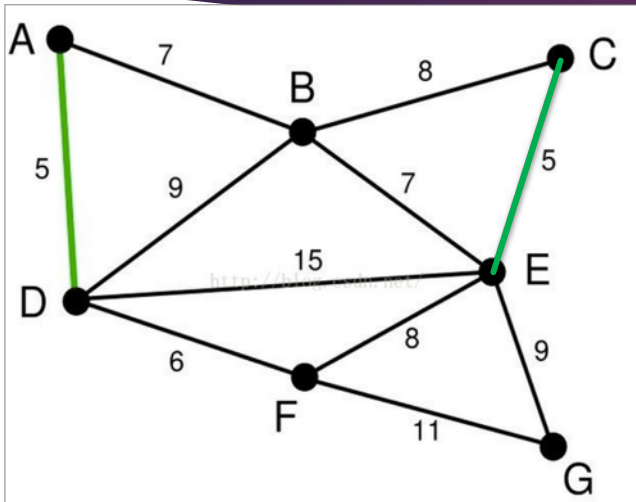
Sample Kruskal-1



index	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
node	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
parent	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
weight	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

index	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
node	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
parent	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
weight	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

Sample Kruskal-2

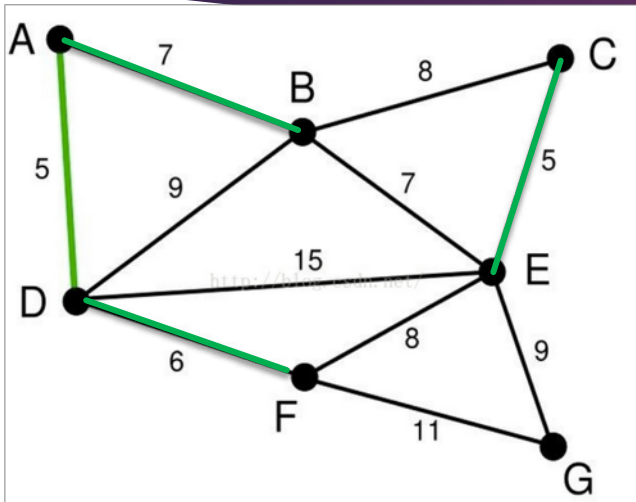


index	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
node	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
parent	0	0	0	1	3	0	0
weight	1	0	1	0	0	0	0

$f(\text{root}).\text{weight} < d(\text{root}).\text{weight}$

index	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
node	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
parent	0	0	0	1	3	1	0
weight	1	0	1	0	0	0	0

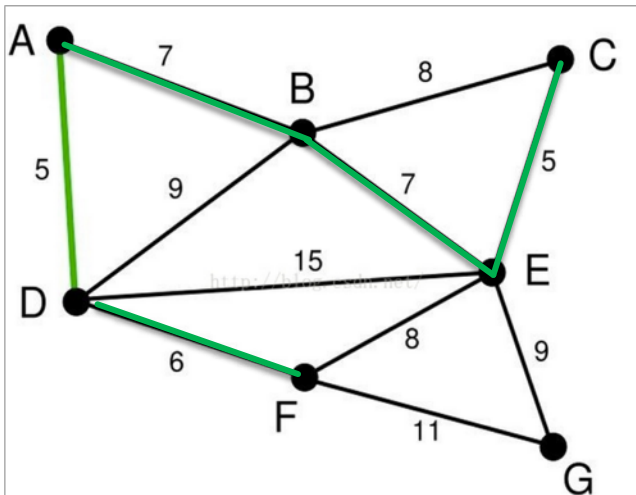
Sample Kruskal-3



$b(\text{root}).\text{weight} < a(\text{root}).\text{weight}$
 $b.\text{parent} = a \text{ index}$

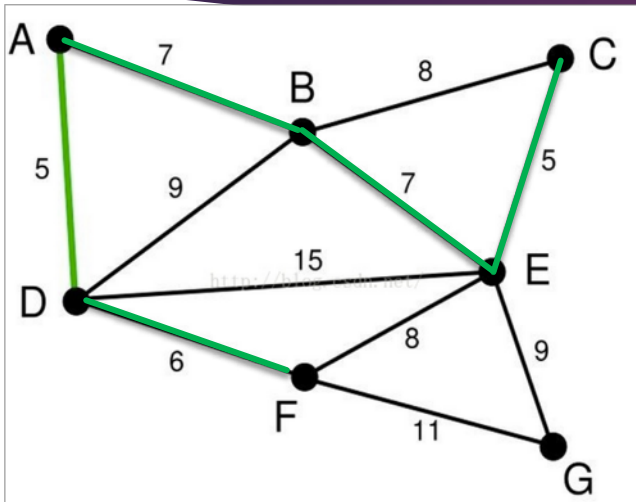
index	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
node	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
parent	0	1	0	1	3	1	0
weight	1	0	1	0	0	0	0

$e(\text{root}).\text{weight} == b(\text{root}).\text{weight}$
 $c.\text{parent} = a \text{ index}$
 $a.\text{weight}++$



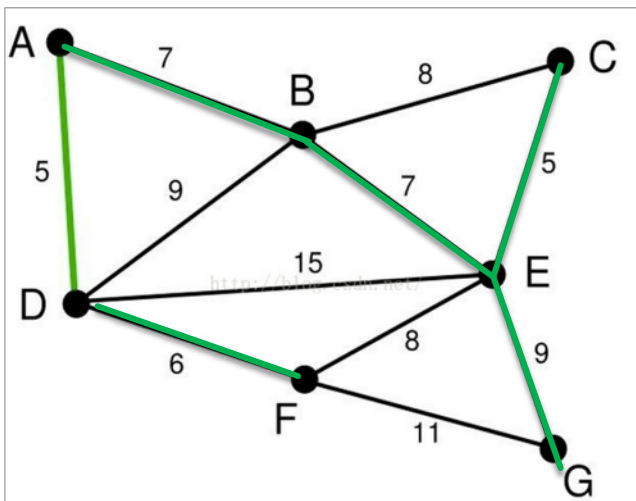
index	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
node	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
parent	0	1	1	1	3	1	0
weight	2	0	1	0	0	0	0

Sample Kruskal-4



B (root) == C (root) skip
F (root) == E (root) skip

$e(\text{root}).\text{weight} > g(\text{root}).\text{weight}$
 $g.\text{parent} = a$



index	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
node	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
parent	0	1	1	1	3	1	1
weight	2	0	1	0	0	0	0