

# Graph representations

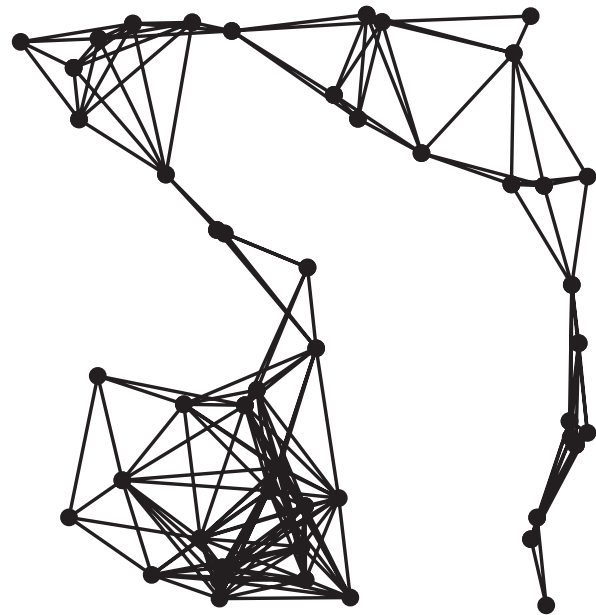
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**In practice.** Use adjacency-lists representation.

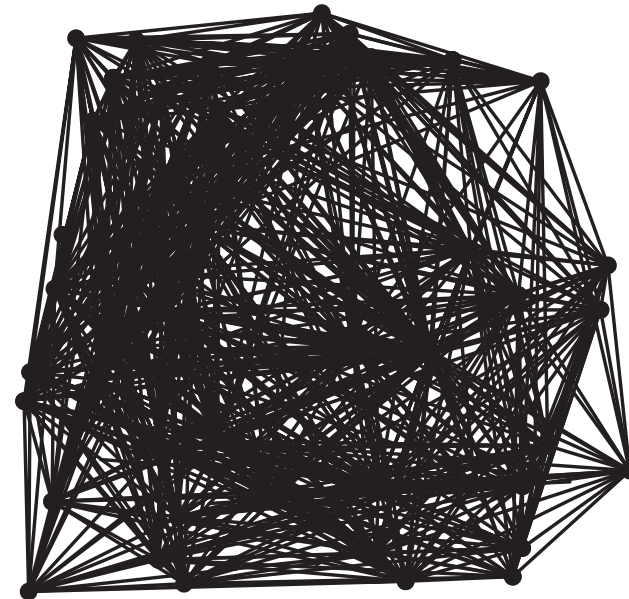
- Algorithms based on iterating over vertices adjacent to  $v$ .
- Real-world graphs tend to be **sparse**.

↖ huge number of vertices,  
small average vertex degree

sparse ( $E = 200$ )



dense ( $E = 1000$ )



Two graphs ( $V = 50$ )