

Graph representations

① Mathematical representation

$G = (V, E)$ (V : vertices, E : edges)

$E \subseteq V \times V \setminus \{(u, u) \mid u \in V\}$ (no looping edges.)

Directed: $(u, v) \neq (v, u)$ $\left(\begin{matrix} (u, v) \\ (v, u) \end{matrix} \right) \in E$

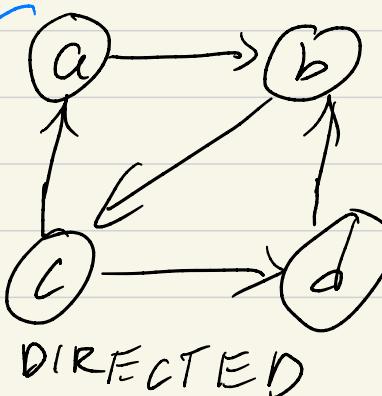


Undirected: $(u, v) = (v, u)$



② Graphical representation

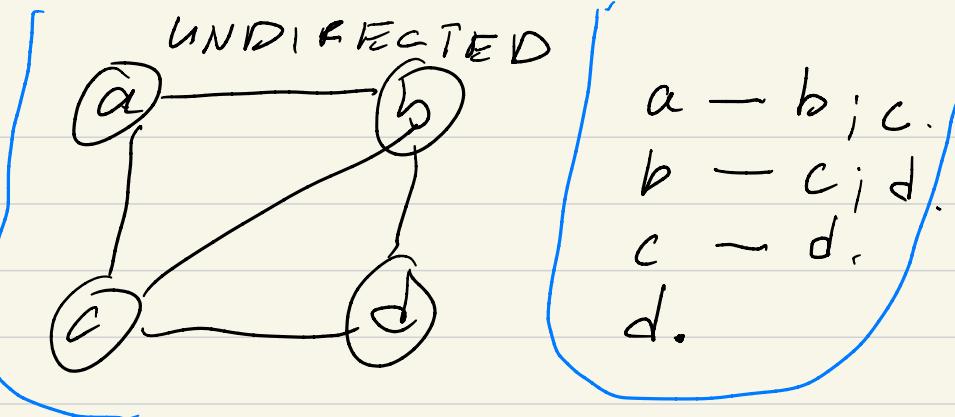
$(a=1, b=2$
 $c=3, d=4, \dots)$



③ Textual repr.

$a \rightarrow b,$
 $b \rightarrow c,$
 $c \rightarrow a; d,$
 $d \rightarrow b,$

undirected
equivalent
of the
directed
graph above



$$\begin{aligned} a &-> b; c. \\ b &-> c; d. \\ c &-> d. \\ d. \end{aligned}$$

④ Adjacency matrix repn. $V = \{v_1, \dots, v_n\}$

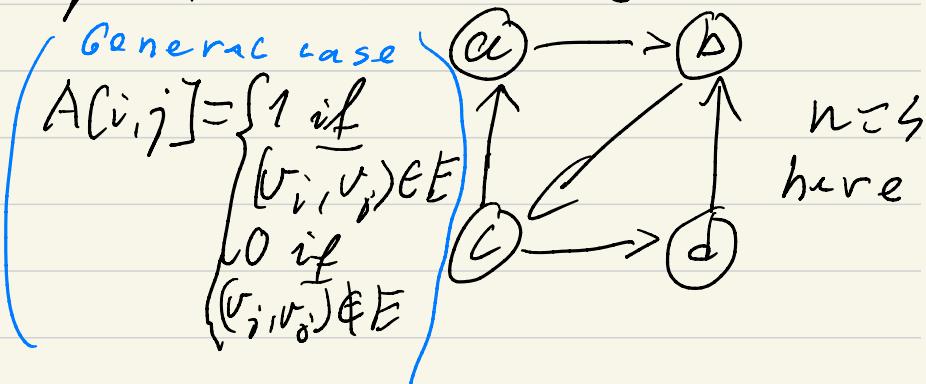
$A/1 : B [s, s]$

	a	b	c	d
a	0	1	0	0
b	0	0	1	0
c	1	0	0	1
d	0	1	0	0

$A/1 : B [n, n]$

General case

$n = |V|$



n^2 bits are needed

n^2 bits ~

Undirected
case

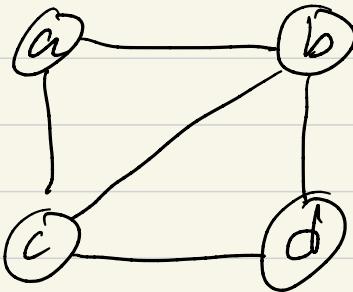
$A[1:n][1:n]$

Adj. mtx.

	a	b	c	d
a	0	1	1	0
b	1	0	1	1
c	1	1	0	1
d	0	1	1	0

here
 $n=4$

Graphical repn.



↓ represented by

$B : B[n * (n-1)/2]$

$\left(\frac{n^2}{2} - \frac{n}{2}\right)$ bits are needed

$B = \{a_{21}, a_{31}, a_{32}, a_{41}, a_{42}, a_{43}, \dots, a_{n1}, a_{n2}, \dots, a_{nn-1}\}$

$\Theta(n^2)$

0	a_{12}	a_{13}	a_{14}
a_{21}	0	a_{23}	a_{24}
a_{31}	a_{32}	0	a_{34}
a_{41}	a_{42}	a_{43}	0

$$a_{12} = a_{21}$$

$$a_{34} = a_{43}$$

$$a_{ij} = a_{ji}$$

$A[i][j] = B[(i-1)*(i-2)/2 + (j-1)]$ if $i > j$

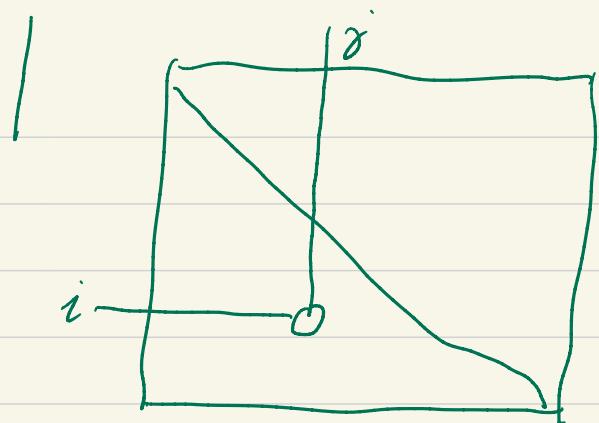
$A[i][j] = A[j][i]$ if $i < j$

$A[0][i] = 0$

$$i > j \Rightarrow A[i, j] = B \left[\underbrace{1 + 2 + \dots + (i-2)}_{2} + (j-1) \right]$$

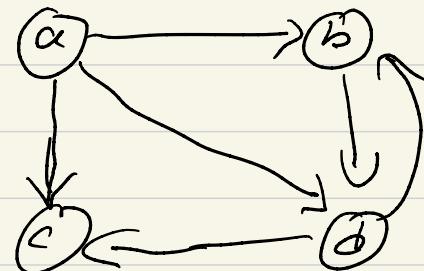
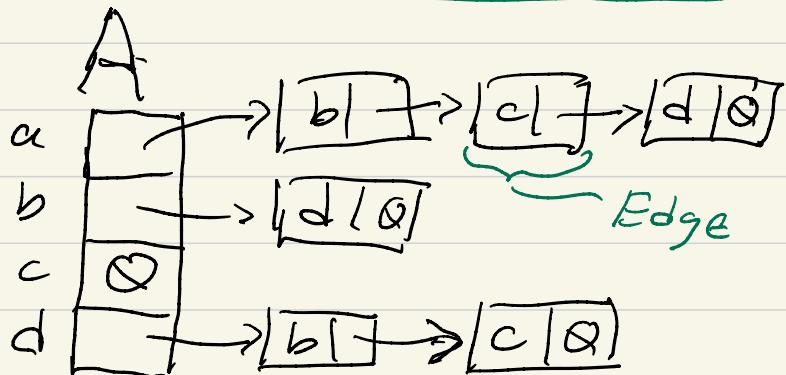
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$$\begin{cases} 1: a_{21} \\ 2: a_{31} \ a_{32} \\ \vdots \\ i-2: a_{(i-1)1} \ a_{(i-1)2} \dots a_{(i-1)(i-2)} \\ j: a_{i1} \ a_{i2} \dots a_{i(j-1)} \ a_{ij} \end{cases}$$



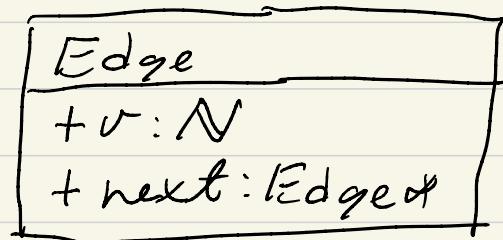
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⑤ Adjacency list representation (most often used)



$\text{Adj} : \text{EdgeSet}[n]$
($n = 4$ in the example above)

Sparse graph:



$$G = (V, E)$$

$$n = |V|$$

$$m = |E|$$

Dense graphs:

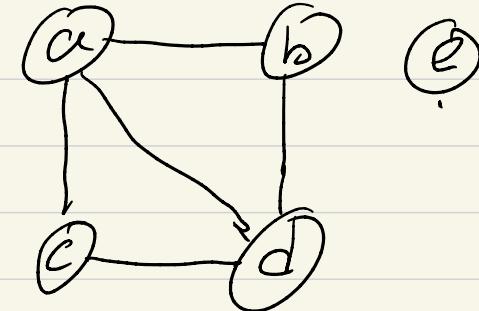
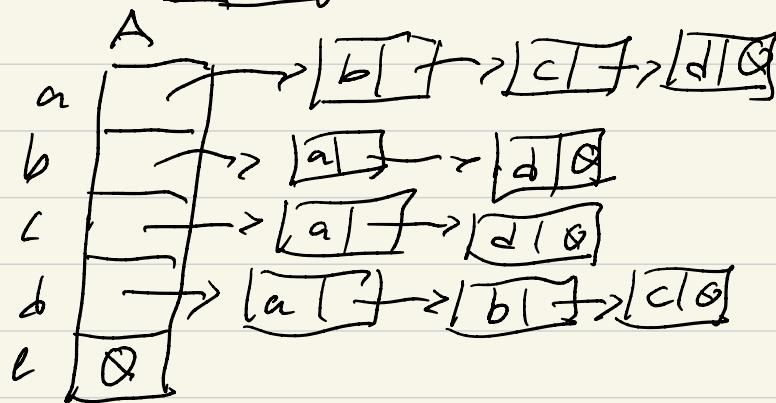
$$m \in \Theta(n^2)$$

Adj. matx
is preferred

$m \in O(n)$ Mem: $\Theta(n+m) \leq \Theta(n^2)$
in sparse graphs

($m \leq k \times n$ in most practical applications)
Adj. list is preferred

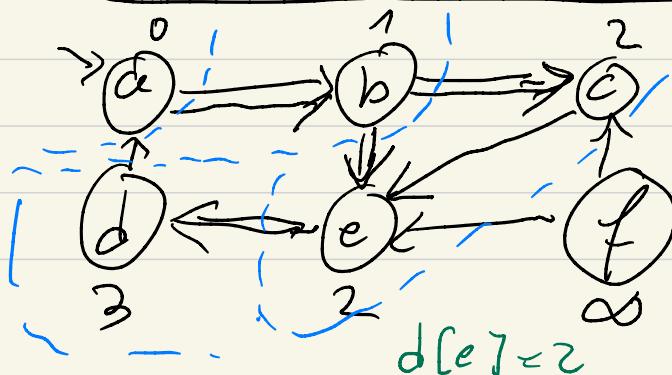
Undirected graphs



Mem: $O(n+m)$

Each edge is represented twice

Breadth-first search: to find the shortest paths from a source vertex.



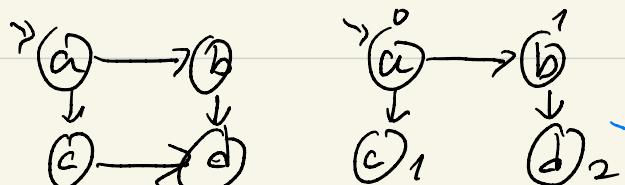
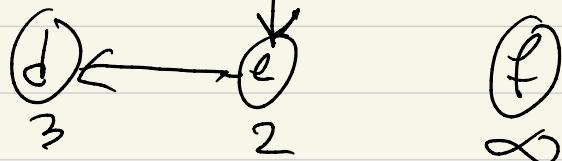
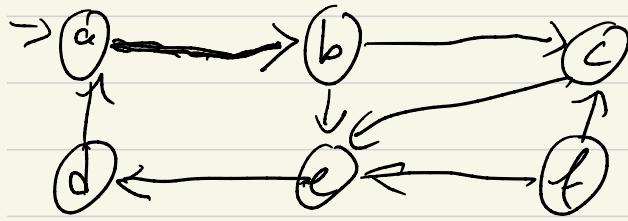
We find the shortest paths tree.

It contains all the vertices available from the source vertex.

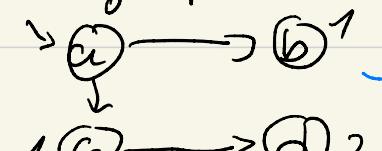
$\pi[1:N[n]]$ $\pi[i]$ is the parent of vertex i in the shortest paths tree

$\pi[s] = 0$ for source s .

$\pi[v] = 0$ for unavailable vertex v , too.



d	a	b	c	d	e	f	expand vertex	Q: Queue	π
d	0	∞	∞	∞	∞	∞	—	(a)	0 0 0 0 0 0
a	0	1	2	2	2	2	a: 0	(b)	a
b	1	2	2	2	2	2	b: 1	(c, e)	b, b
c	2	2	2	2	2	2	c: 2	(e)	e
d	2	2	2	2	2	2	d: 3	(d)	
e	3	2	2	2	2	2	e: 3	()	
f	2	2	2	2	2	2	f: 2	()	
	0	1	2	3	2	2			0 a b e b 0

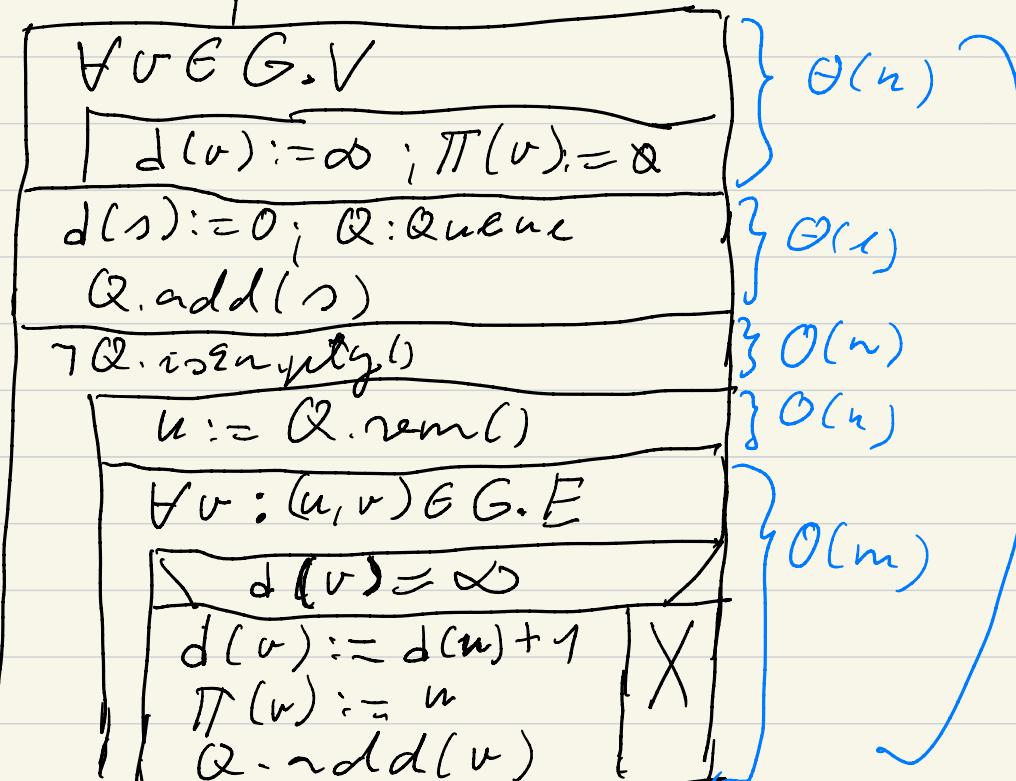


Shortest paths tree.

BFS($G:G$; $s:V$)

$G=(V,E)$

G = graph



V = vertex

s is the source vertex

runtime:
 $O(n+m)$

$MT(n,m) \in \Theta(n+m)$

(when all the vertices are available from ③)