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Chapter 9 Trees 树

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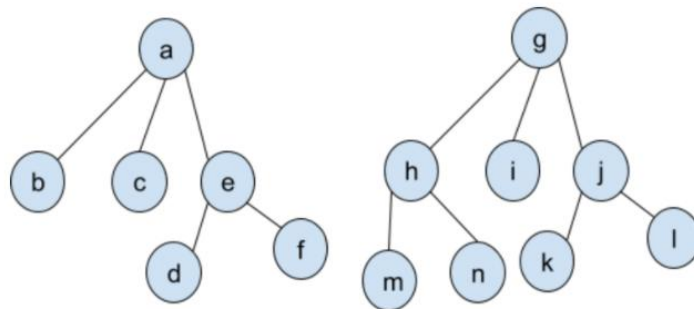


9.2 Terminology and Characterizations of Trees 树的术语和性质

If T is a graph with n vertices, the following are equivalent (Theorem 9.2.3):

- (a) T is a tree.
- (b) If v and w are vertices in T , there is a unique simple path from v to w .
- (c) T is connected and acyclic.
- (d) T is connected and has $n - 1$ edges.
- (e) T is acyclic and has $n - 1$ edges.

A **forest** (森林) is a simple graph with no cycles.

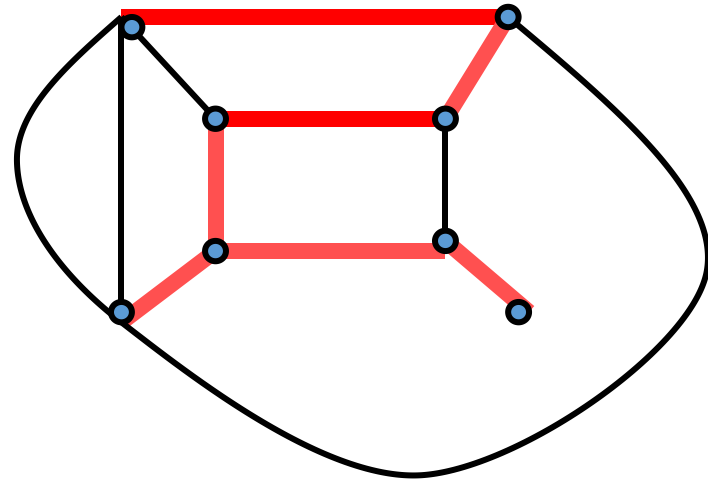
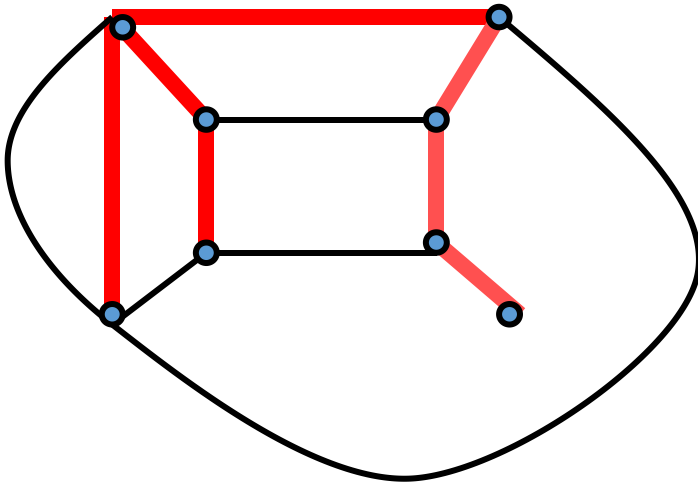


Forest

9.3 Spanning Trees 生成树

Definition 9.3.1 A tree T is a **spanning tree (生成树)** of a graph G if T is a subgraph of G that contains all of the vertices of G .

In general, a graph will have several spanning trees.



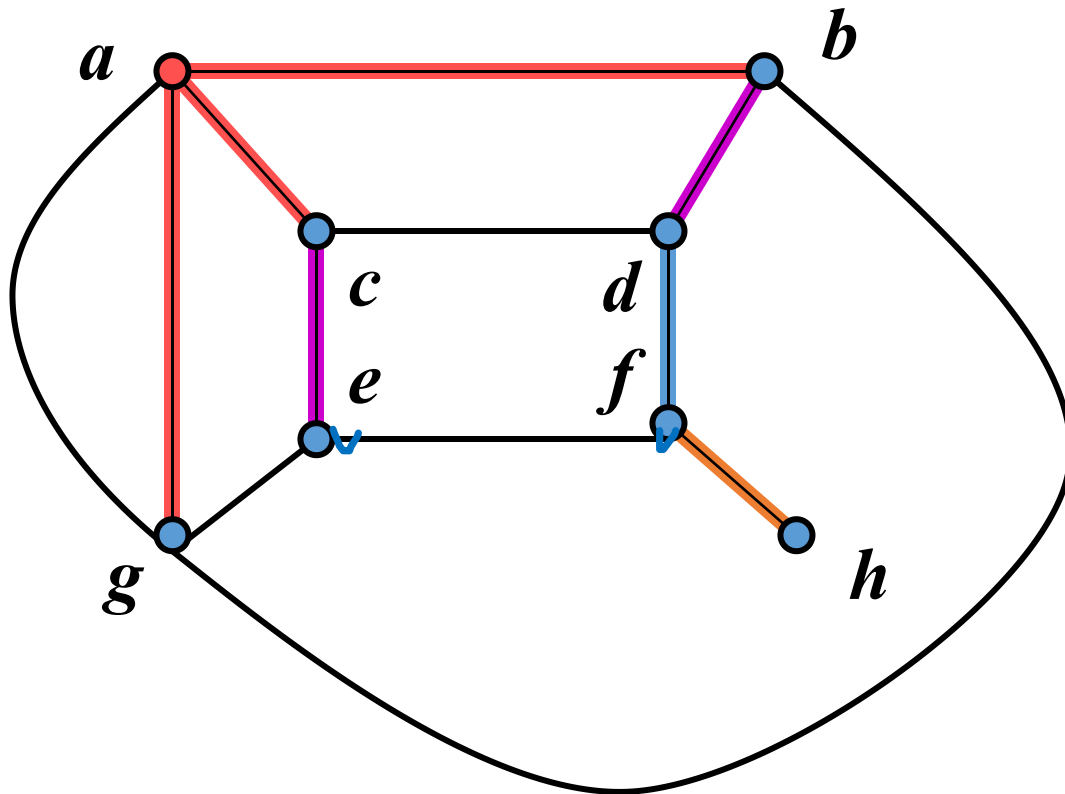


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Theorem 9.3.4 A graph G has a spanning tree if and only if G is connected.

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Breadth-First Search 广度优先搜索



- Select an ordering, say $abcdefgh$, of the vertices of G .
- Select the first vertex a and label it the root. Let T consist of the single vertex a and no edges.
- Add to T all edges (a, x) and vertices on which they are incident, for $x = b$ to h , that do not produce a cycle when added to T .
- Repeat this procedure with the vertices on level 1 (2, 3, ...) by examining each in order.
- Since no edge can be added to the single vertex h on level 4, the procedure ends.



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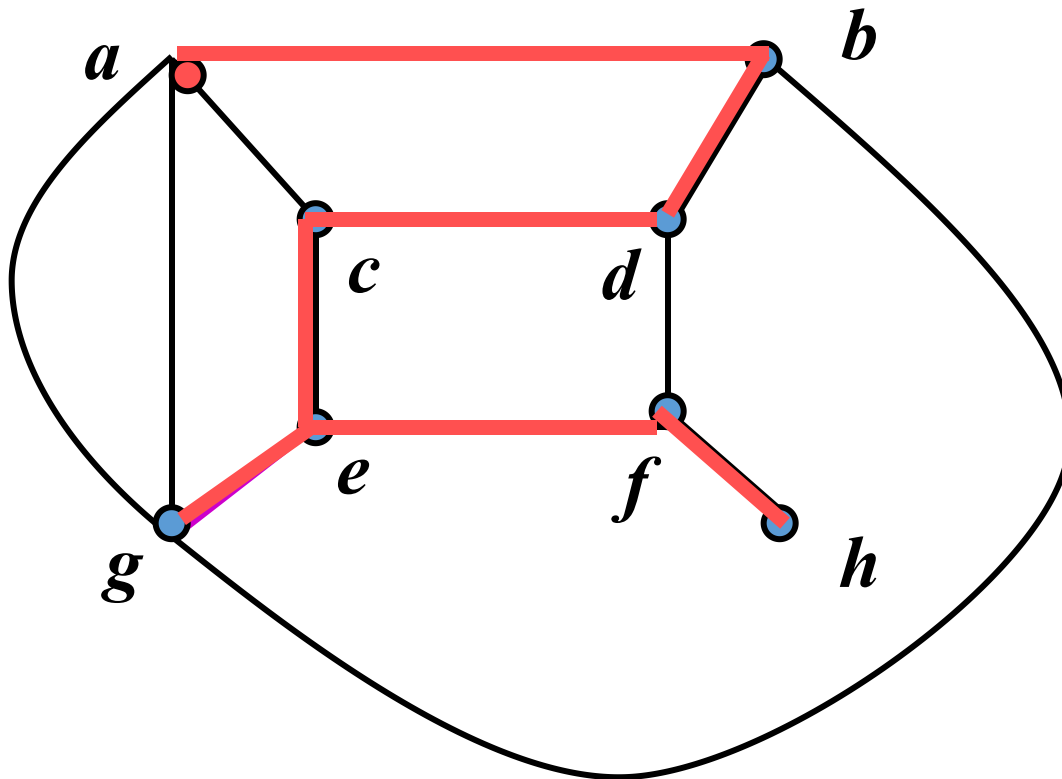
v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n

Output: A spanning tree T

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bfs( $V, E$ ) {  
    //  $V$  = vertices ordered  $v_1, \dots, v_n$ ;  $E$  = edges  
    //  $V'$  = vertices of spanning tree  $T$ ;  $E'$  = edges of spanning tree  $T$   
    //  $v_1$  is the root of the spanning tree  
    //  $S$  is an ordered list  
     $S = (v_1)$   
     $V' = \{v_1\}$   
     $E' = \emptyset$   
    while (true) {  
        for each  $x \in S$ , in order,  
            for each  $y \in V - V'$ , in order,  
                if  $((x, y)$  is an edge)  
                    add edge  $(x, y)$  to  $E'$  and  $y$  to  $V'$   
    if (no edges were added)  
        return  $T$   
     $S =$  children of  $S$  ordered consistently with the original vertex ordering  
    }  
}
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- Add to T the edge (a, x) with minimal x and the vertex x , which is incident and does not produce a cycle when added to T .
- Repeat this procedure with the vertex on the next level until we cannot add an edge.
- Backtrack to the parent of the current vertex and try to add an edge.
- When no more edges can be added, we finally backtrack to the root and algorithm ends.



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     $w = v_1$   
    while (true) {  
        while (there is an edge  $(w, v)$  that when added to  $T$  does not create a cycle  
            in  $T$ ) {  
            choose the edge  $(w, v_k)$  with minimum  $k$  that when added to  $T$   
                does not create a cycle in  $T$   
            add  $(w, v_k)$  to  $E'$   
            add  $v_k$  to  $V'$   
             $w = v_k$   
        }  
        if ( $w == v_1$ )  
            return  $T$   
         $w = \text{parent of } w \text{ in } T$  // backtrack  
    }  
}
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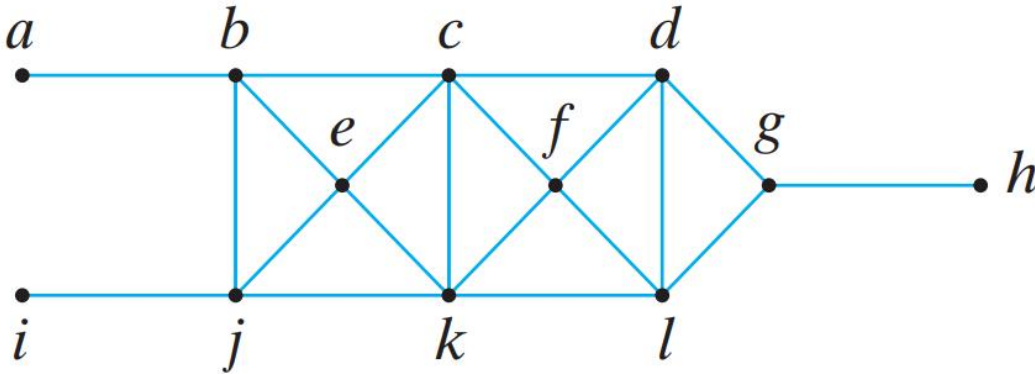
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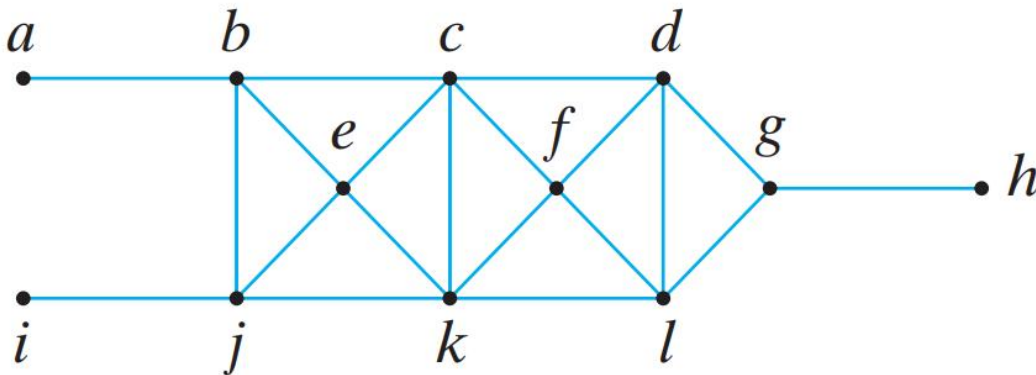
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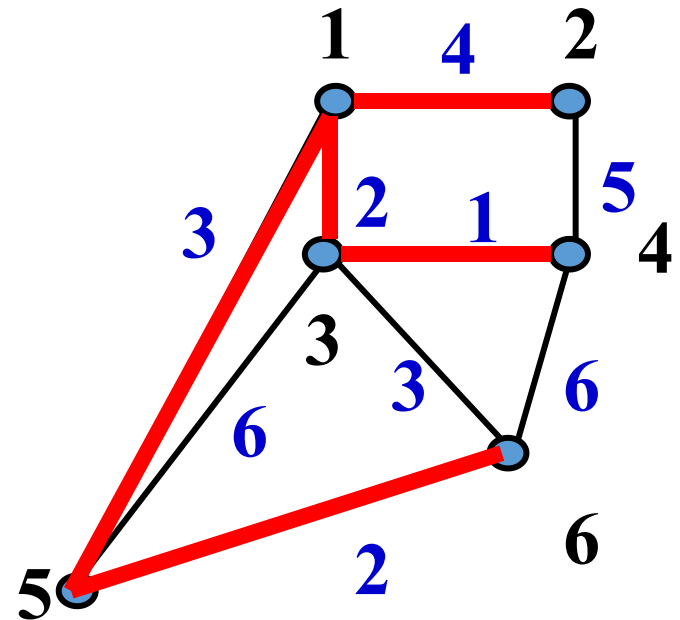
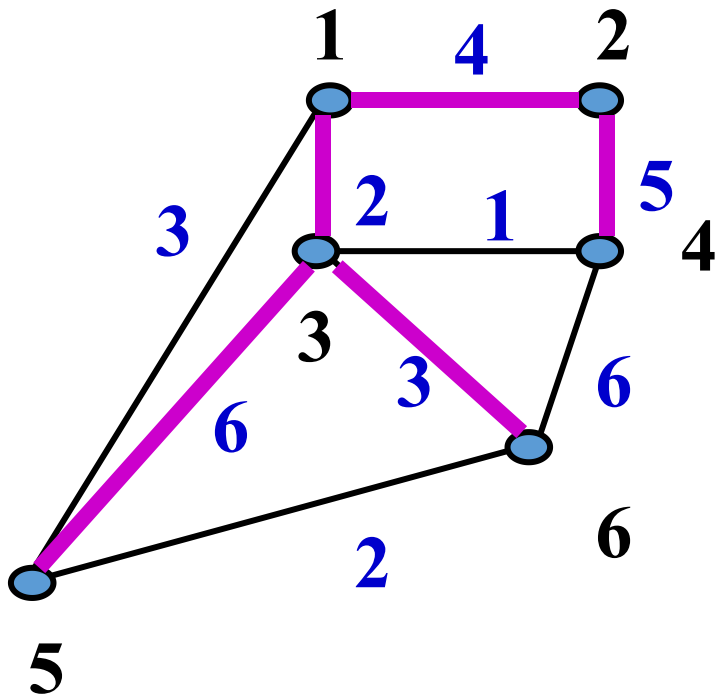
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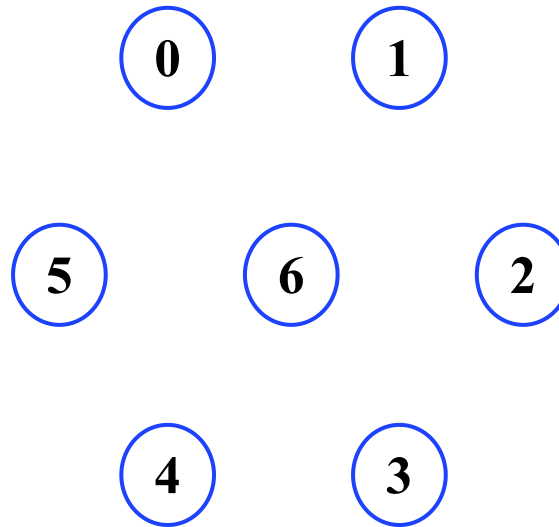
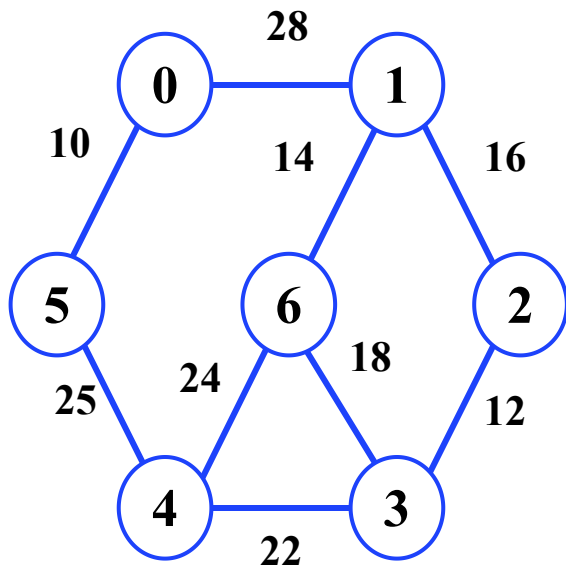




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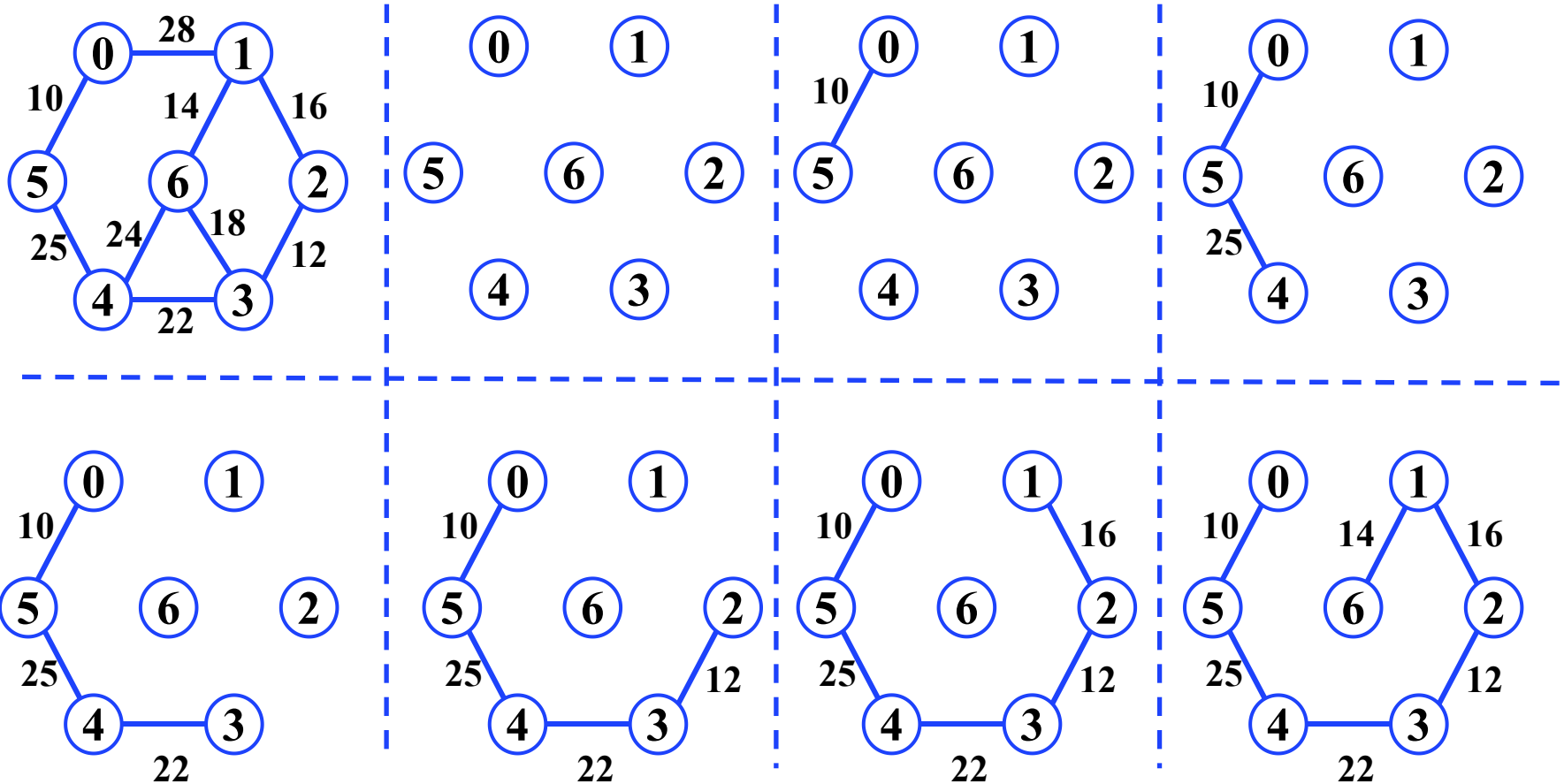
Prim's Algorithm 普里姆算法

The algorithm begins with a single vertex. Then at each iteration, it adds to the current tree a minimum-weight edge that does not complete a cycle.



Keep finding the minimum-weight edge with one vertex in the tree and one vertex not in the tree.

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Step 0: Pick any vertex as a starting vertex (call it a). $T = \{a\}$.

Step 1: Find the edge with smallest weight incident to a . Add it to T . Also include in T the next vertex and call it b .

Step 2: Find the edge of smallest weight incident to either a or b . Include in T that edge and the next incident vertex. Call that vertex c .

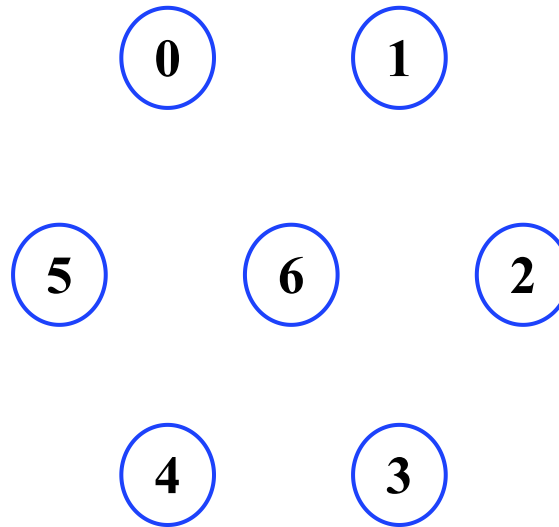
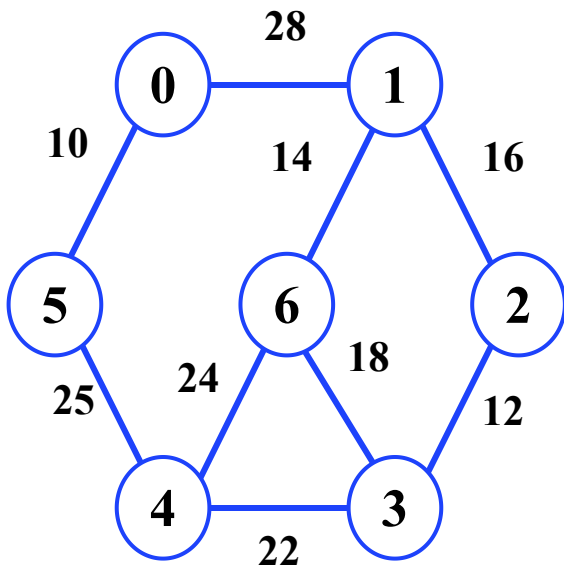
Step 3: Repeat Step 2, choosing the edge of smallest weight that does not form a cycle until all vertices are in T . The resulting subgraph T is a minimum spanning tree.



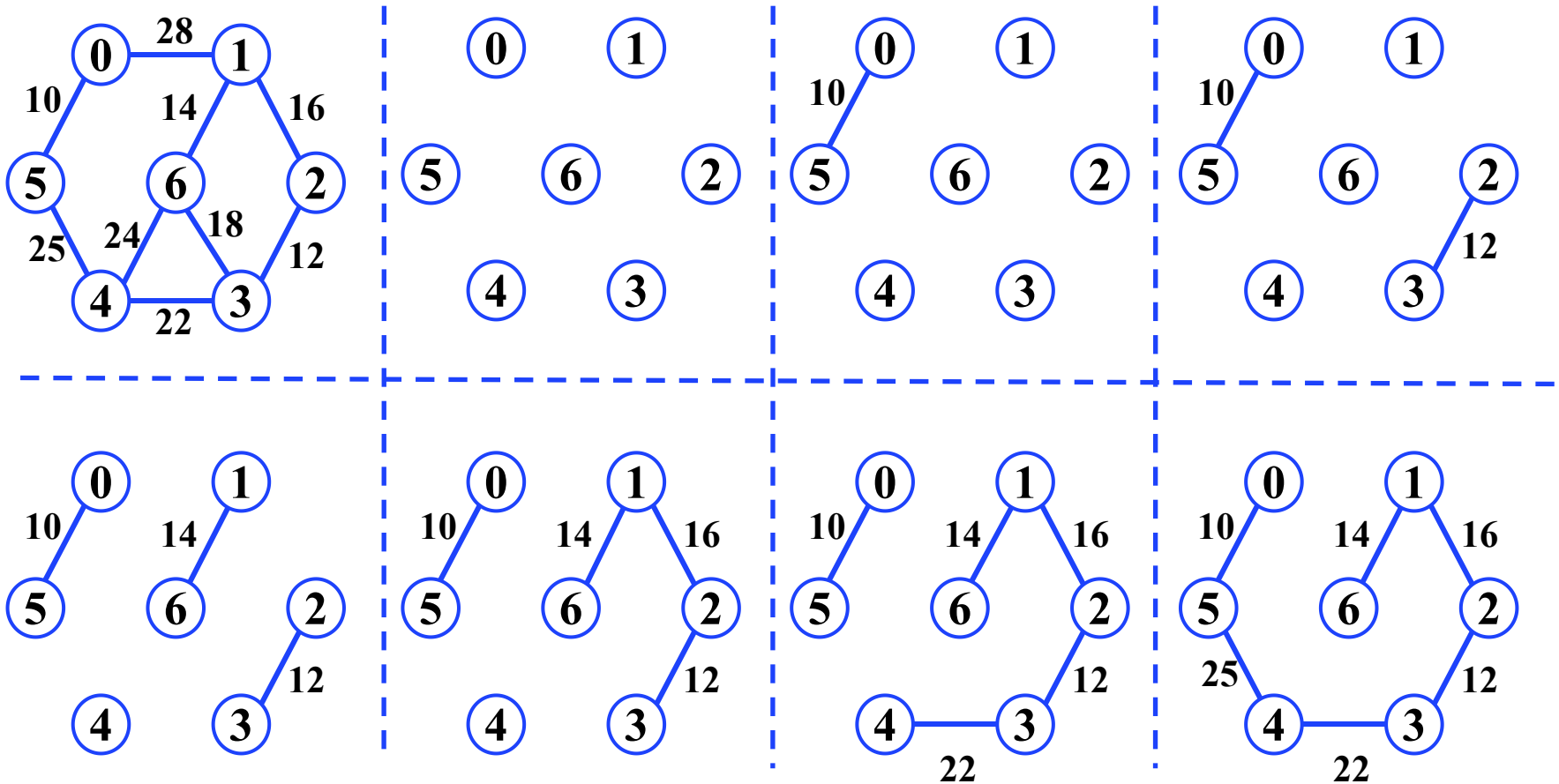
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Step 1: Find the edge in the graph with smallest weight (if there is more than one, pick one at random).

Step 2: Find the next edge in the graph with smallest weight that doesn't close a cycle.

Step 3: Repeat Step 2 until you reach out to every vertex of the graph. The chosen edges form the desired minimum spanning tree.



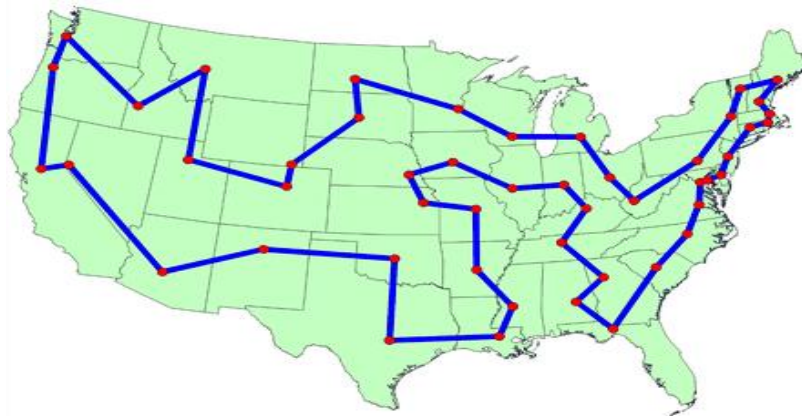
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$O(\log n)$ $O(n)$ $O(n \log n)$ $O(n^c)$ $O(2^n)$ $O(n!)$

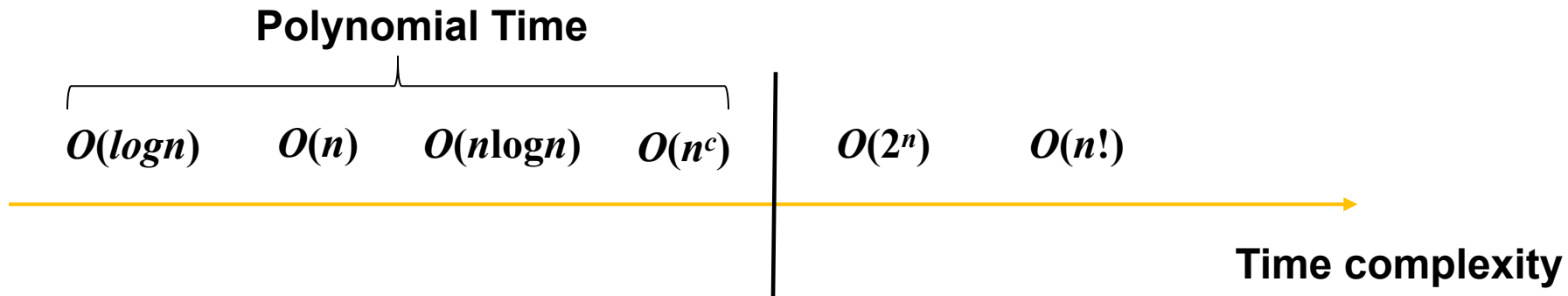
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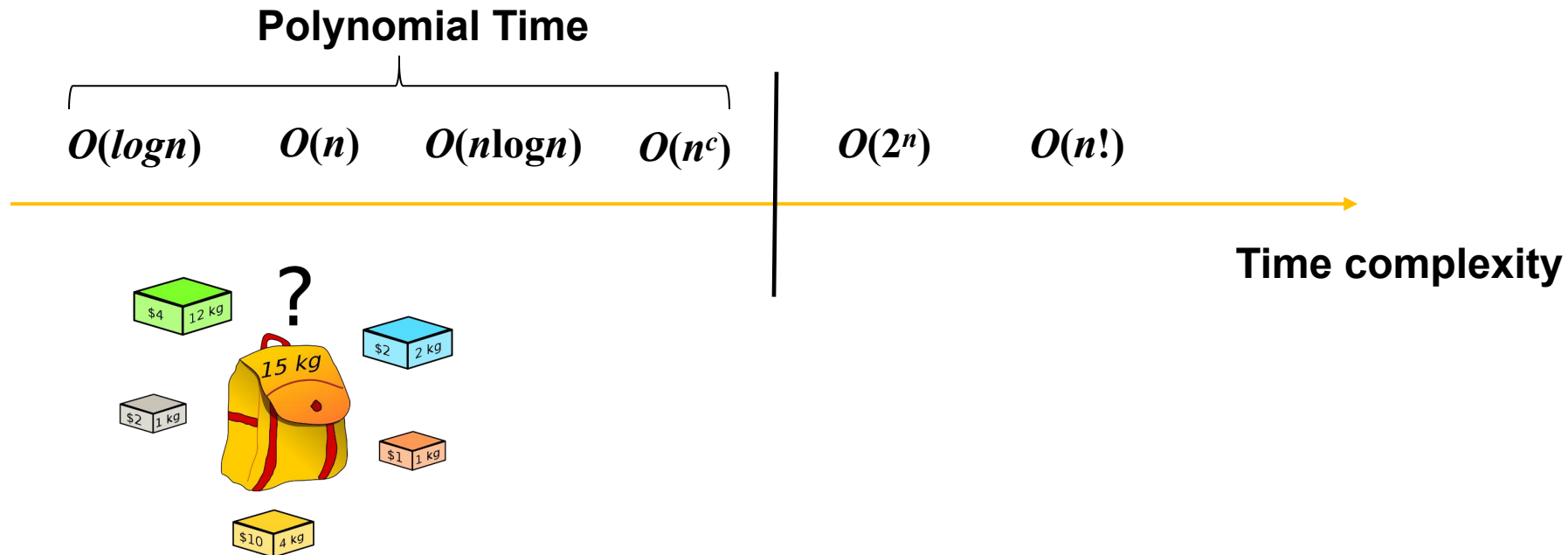




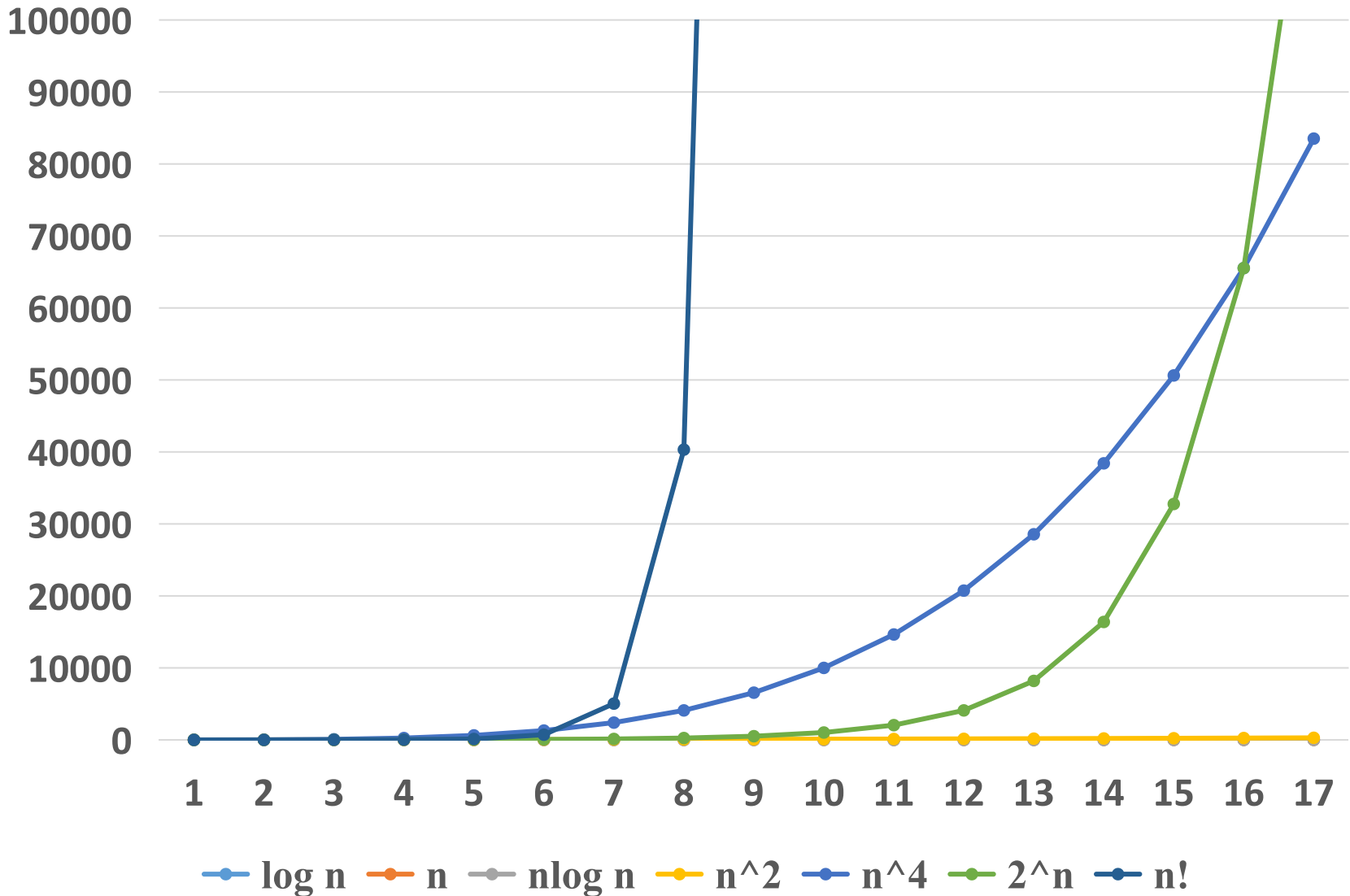
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算法 1	$\log_2 n$	4.32×10^{-6} 秒	5.32×10^{-6} 秒	5.91×10^{-6} 秒
算法 2	\sqrt{n}	4.47×10^{-6} 秒	6.32×10^{-6} 秒	7.75×10^{-6} 秒
算法 3	n	20×10^{-6} 秒	40×10^{-6} 秒	60×10^{-6} 秒
算法 4	$n \log_2 n$	86×10^{-6} 秒	213×10^{-6} 秒	354×10^{-6} 秒
算法 5	n^2	400×10^{-6} 秒	1600×10^{-6} 秒	3600×10^{-6} 秒
算法 6	n^4	0.16秒	2.56秒	-----秒
算法 7	2^n	1.05秒	12.73天	-----年
算法 8	$n!$	77147年	2.56×10^{34} 年	2.64×10^{68} 年

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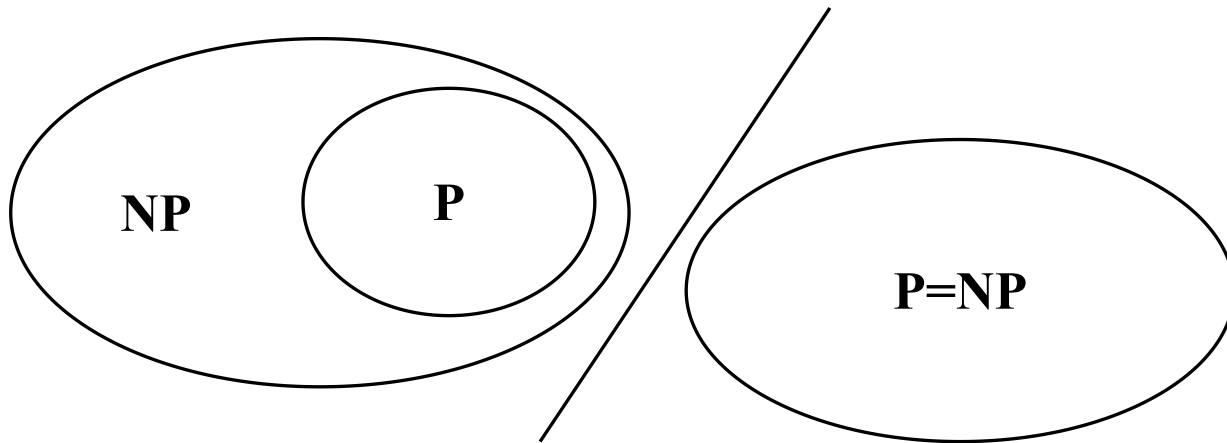
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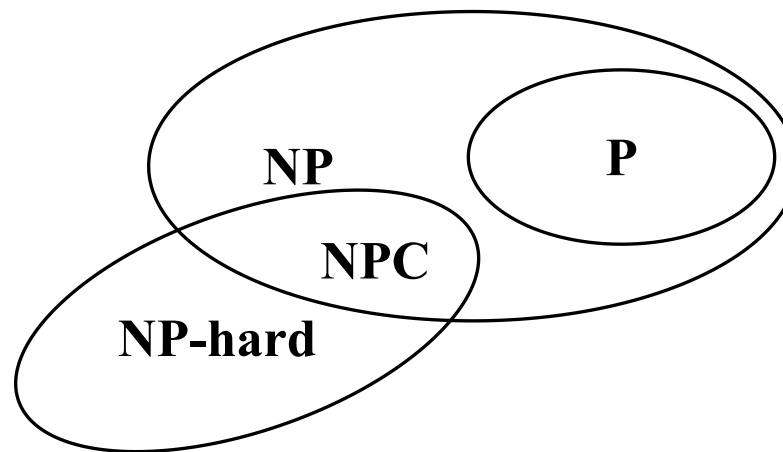
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Approximation Algorithms

Definition: An α -approximation algorithm for an optimization problem is a polynomial-time algorithm that for all instances of the problem produces a solution whose value is within a factor of α of the value of an optimal solution.

极小化问题

$$\sup_{\text{实例 } I} \frac{\text{近似算法解的值 Cost A (I)}}{\text{最优解的值 Opt (I)}} \leq \alpha$$



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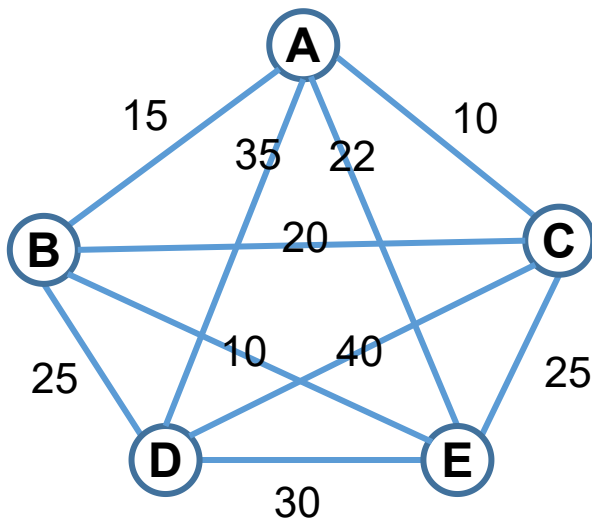


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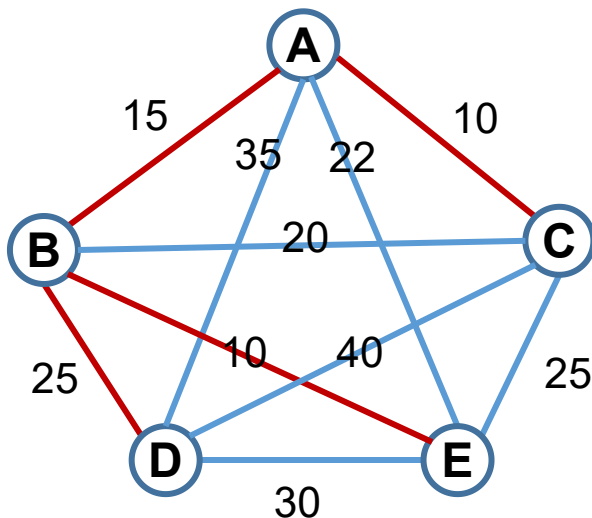


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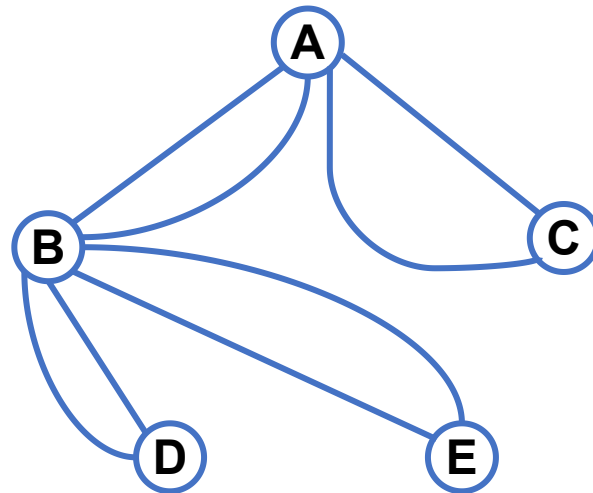
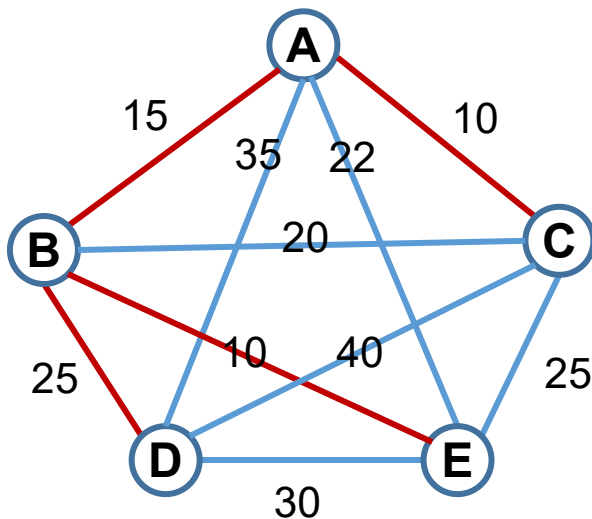


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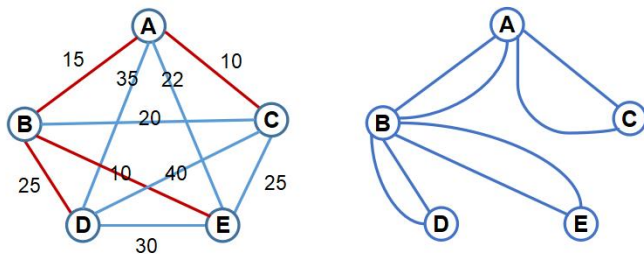
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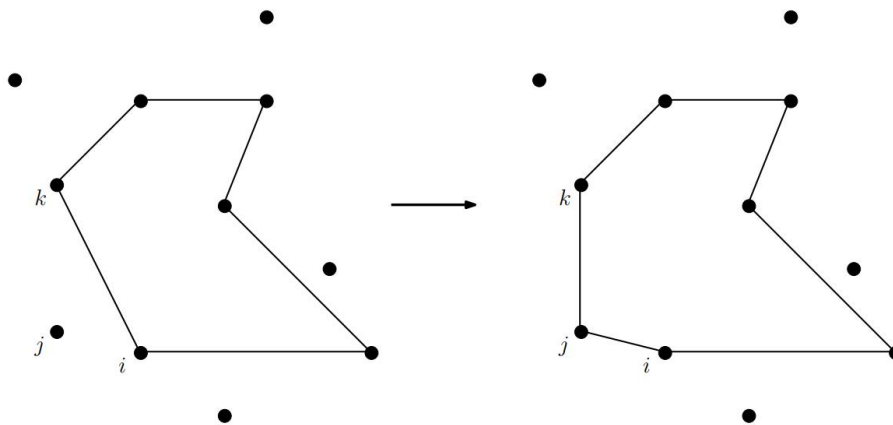
Proof





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