Graph basics Definitions, representations

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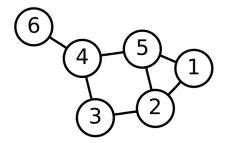
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Graph representation

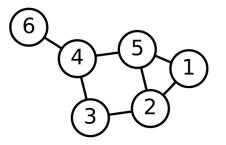
Graphs, intuitively

- Points (vertex, nodes)
- Lines between the points (edges, links)



Graphs, mathematically

Graph = (Vertices, Edges)

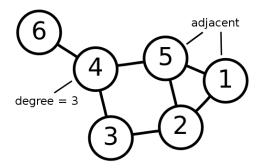


$$V = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$$

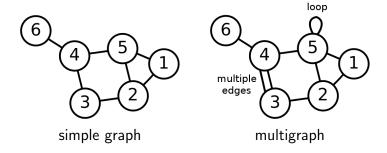
$$E = \{(1, 2), (1, 5), (2, 3), (2, 5), (3, 4), (4, 5), (4, 6)\}$$

Terminology

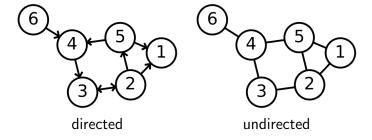
- u and v adjacent $\Leftrightarrow (u, v) \in E$
- ▶ Degree of $u = \#\{\text{edges from } u\}$



Simple graph vs multigraph

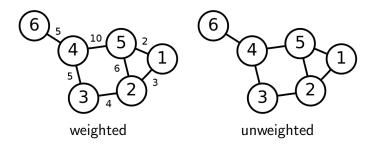


Directed vs undirected



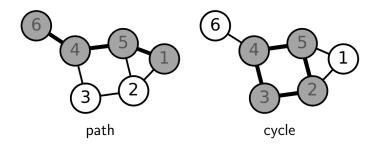
Weighted vs unweighted

▶ Represent costs, times, lengths, capacities



Paths and cycles

- ▶ u and v connected \Leftrightarrow path $u \rightarrow v$
- ▶ *G* connected ⇔ all pairs connected



Trees

- Connected
- Acyclic
- ▶ |E| = |V| 1

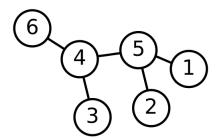


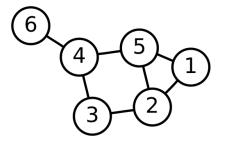
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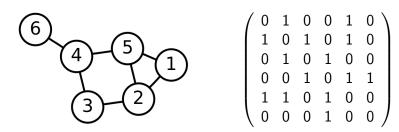
- ▶ Vector of pairs: vector<pair<int,int>> edges
- Same as input / mathematical definition
- Limited use (only Kruskal)



edges[] = $\{(1,2), (1,5), (2,3), (2,5), (3,4), (4,5), (4,6)\}$

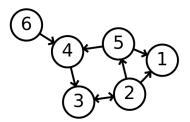
Adjacency matrix on undirected graph

- Static two-dimensional array: bool adj[MAXN] [MAXN]
- ▶ adj[i][j] == true if edge $i \rightarrow j$
- Symmetric



Adjacency matrix on directed graph

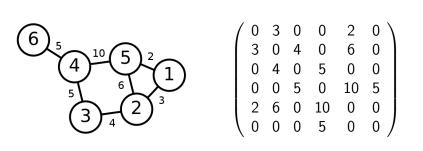
- Only put true in one direction
- ▶ Not symmetric



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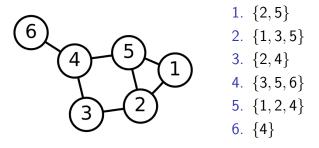
Adjacency matrix on weighted graph

- Change the type: int adj[MAXN] [MAXN]
- Instead of true put the weights



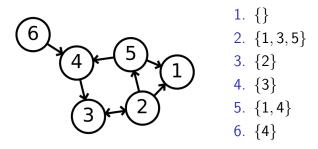
Adjacency list on undirected graph

- Array of vectors: vector<int> neigh[MAXN]
- ► For each vertex, list the neighbors



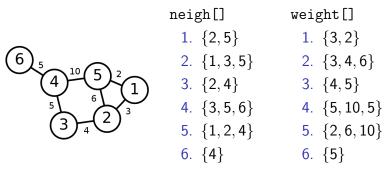
Adjacency list on directed graph

Only list in one direction



Adjacency list on weighted graph

Add the weight lists: vector<int> weight [MAXN]



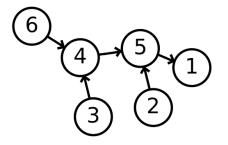
Comparison

- Use adjacency list (most of the time)
- Adjacency matrix only used for fast edge lookup

	Size	List all edges	Edge lookup
	\ /	$O(V^2)$	O(1)
List	O(V+E)	O(V+E)	$O(\deg(u))$

Tree, parent representation

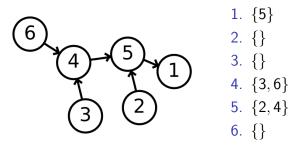
- ► Choose a root
- Every node has a parent (except the root)
- Parents lead to the root



 $\mathtt{parent[]} = \{-, 5, 4, 5, 1, 4\}$

Tree, child representation

- ► For each node, list the children
- ▶ Nodes 2, 3, 6 are leaves (no children)



Source of figures

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/File: 6n-graf.svg