

Greedy strategy

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Greedy algorithms –General strategy

- A **greedy algorithm** always makes the choice that looks best **at the moment**. That is, it makes a **locally optimal** choice in the hope that this choice will lead to a **globally optimal** solution.
- For some **optimization problems** greedy algorithms provide optimal solutions.
- Greedy algorithms do not always yield optimal solutions, but for **many problems** they do.
- The greedy method is quite **powerful** and works well for a wide range of problems like knapsack, Huffman coding, shortest path, job sequencing and minimum spanning tree.

Fractional knapsack problem-greedy approach

- We have been given n objects and a knapsack with capacity of m kg, select the objects (fraction also) such that we can get **maximum profit**.

$n=7$ objects and capacity $M=15$

Objects	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Profit-p	10	5	15	7	6	18	3
Weight-w	2	3	5	7	1	4	1

generally $\sum w_i > 15$, thus cant put all objects

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oTTzNMHM05I>

Fractional knapsack problem-greedy approach

- Greedy method working**
 - 1. Computes ratio (p/w) for each object
 - 2. Picks objects/fraction from highest to lower (p/w), such that knapsack becomes full

Objects	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Profit-p	10	5	15	7	6	18	3
Weight-w	2	3	5	7	1	4	1
p/w	5	1.66	3	1	6	4.5	3



Fractional knapsack problem-greedy approach

- We will use a vector to denote which object is picked or not and has the following format

X=	x1	x2	x3	x4	x5	x6	x7
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where $0 \leq x_i \leq 1$

0 - Object not picked

1 - Object completely picked

0.5 - Object picked 50 %

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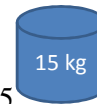


Now highest(p/w) is of object2, but it has weight of 3 kg and thus cant take fully. Opt for 2 kg/3 kg of object2

x=	1	2/3	1	0	1	1	1
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$$\text{Total weight } w = \sum x_i w_i$$

$$w = 1 \times 2 + (2/3 \times 3) + 1 \times 5 + 0 \times 7 + 1 \times 1 + 1 \times 4 + 1 \times 1 = 15$$



15-1=14
14-2=12
12-4=8
8-5=3
3-1=2
2-2=0

$$\text{Total profit } p = \sum x_i p_i$$

$$P = 1 \times 10 + (2/3 \times 5) + 1 \times 15 + 0 + 1 \times 6 + 1 \times 18 + 1 \times 3 = 55.33$$

Fractional knapsack problem-greedy approach

Constraint

$$\sum x_i w_i \leq m = 15$$

Objective function

$$\max \sum x_i p_i$$

Fractional knapsack problem

- $N=3$, (objects), $M=50$ (knapsack capacity)
- $P=\{60,100,120\}$
- $W=\{10,20,30\}$
- **Ans:- 240 $x=\{1,1,20/30\}$**

Job sequencing/scheduling problem with deadlines -greedy approach

- The sequencing of jobs on a single processor/machine with deadline constraints is called as **Job Sequencing with Deadlines**.
- Here-
- You are given a set of jobs.
- Each job has a defined deadline (waiting time) and some profit associated with it.
- The profit of a job is given only when that job is completed within its deadline.
- Only one processor/machine is available for processing all the jobs.
- Processor takes one unit of time to complete a job.
- The problem - "How can the total profit be maximized if only one job can be completed at a time?"

Job sequencing problem with deadlines-greedy approach

Jobs	j1	j2	j3	j4	j5
Profit	20	15	10	5	1
deadline	2	2	1	3	3

ordered

Assumptions/Information

1. Prepare **Gantt chart** up to maximum deadline
2. Each job need **1 Hr or 1 slot** to complete
3. Each job has given **deadline** and need to be completed in it
4. **Job j5** can wait for **3 Hrs or 3 slots**
5. Schedule the jobs within the **deadline** and with **max profit to minimum one (decreasing order)**.
6. **Not all jobs** can be scheduled
7. Jobs are arranged in **decreasing order** of profit
8. All the jobs are submitted to the system at the same time

Job sequencing problem-greedy approach

Jobs	j1	j2	j3	j4	j5
Profit	20	15	10	5	1
deadline	2	2	1	3	3

We can have max 3 slots = max of all deadlines

Job slots

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

j2 j1 j4

Gantt chart

Possible Job sequencing can be

(j2->j1->j4)= profit=15+20+5=40

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Job sequencing problem-greedy approach

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Job	Slot assigned	solution	Profit
-	-	Empty	0
j1	[1,2]	j1	20
j2	[0,1][1,2]	J1,j2	20+15
j3 x	[0,1][1,2]	J1,j2	20+15
j4	[0,1][1,2] [2,3]	J1,j2,j4	20+15+5
j5 x	[0,1][1,2] [2,3]	J1,j2,j4	20+15+5

Max Profit=40

Job sequencing problem-greedy approach

Time complexity for n jobs :-

1. Brute force approach we need to check all possible subsets of given set of n jobs, thus, it is of $O(2^n)$.
2. Using greedy approach, the max work done is $O(nxm)$ for $m < n$ slots. Each job need to searched for all the slots. There can be maximum $m = (n - 1)$ slots, thus $O(nxm) = O(n \times (n - 1)) = O(n^2)$

Job sequencing problem-greedy approach

- Example to solve with $n=7$ jobs

Jobs	j1	j2	j3	j4	j5	j6	j7
Profit	35	30	25	20	15	12	5
deadline	3	4	4	2	3	1	2

Find possible job sequencing and max profit

Slot allocation-J4-j3-j1-j2
 Profit=20+25+35+30=110

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zPtI8q9gvX8>

Huffman coding-greedy approach

- This code is proposed by **David A. Huffman**.
- He was a [Sc.D.](#) student at [MIT](#), and published his paper in 1952 titled "*A Method for the Construction of Minimum-Redundancy Codes*"
- This code is **variable length** and **lossless** compression code.



https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Huffman_coding

Huffman coding-greedy approach

- **Huffman coding** is a **variable length coding greedy** approach, where each character in a message is written with minimum number of bits so that whole message can be transmitted using fewer bits.
- The basic idea is that to compute **frequency** of appearance of each character and assign **lesser** number of bits to **more frequently** used character.
- We need to construct **Huffman coding tree** to decide codes of **each character** in the message.
- Since we are finding **most frequently** used character and assigning it **minimum number of bits**, method is **greedy method**.
- **It is lossless compression technique**

Huffman coding-greedy approach

- There are **two major steps** in Huffman Coding-
 1. **Building a Huffman Tree** from the input characters.
 2. **Assigning code** to the characters by traversing the Huffman Tree.
- The steps involved in the construction of **Huffman Tree** are as follows-
 - **Step-01:**
 - Create a **leaf node** for each character of the text.
 - Leaf node of a character contains the **occurring frequency** of that character
 - **Step-02:**
 - Arrange all the nodes in **increasing order** of their frequency value.

<https://www.gatevidyalay.com/huffman-coding-huffman-encoding/#:::text=Huffman%20Coding%20is%20a%20famous,It%20uses%20variable%20length%20encoding.>

Huffman coding-greedy approach

- **Step-03:**
- Considering the first two nodes having **minimum** frequency,
- Create a new **internal node**.
- The frequency of this **new node** is the **sum of frequency** of those two nodes.
- Make the **first node** as a **left child** and the other node as a **right child** of the **newly** created node.
- **Step-04:**
- Keep repeating **Step-02** and **Step-03** until all the nodes forms a **single tree**.
- The tree finally obtained is the desired **Huffman Tree**.

Huffman coding-greedy approach

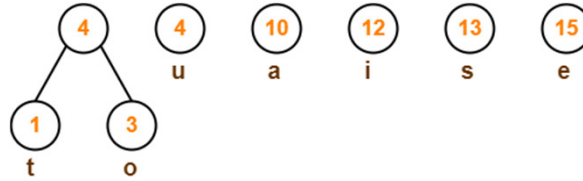
Characters	Frequencies
a	10
e	15
i	12
o	3
u	4
s	13
t	1

Step-01:

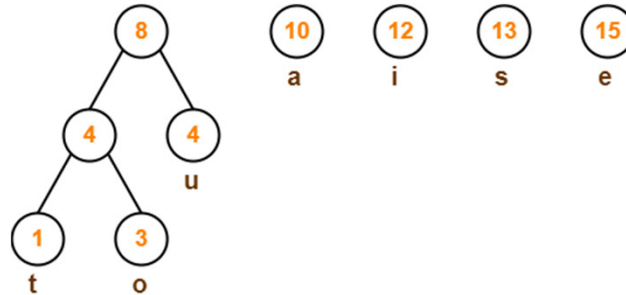


Huffman coding-greedy approach

Step-02:

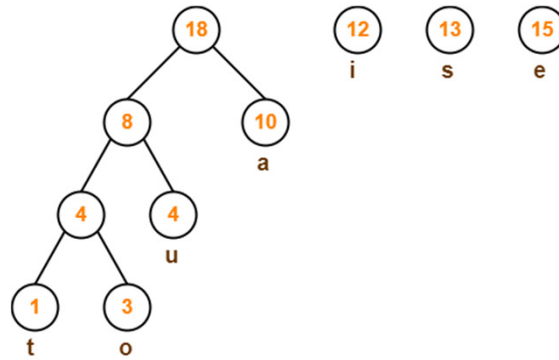


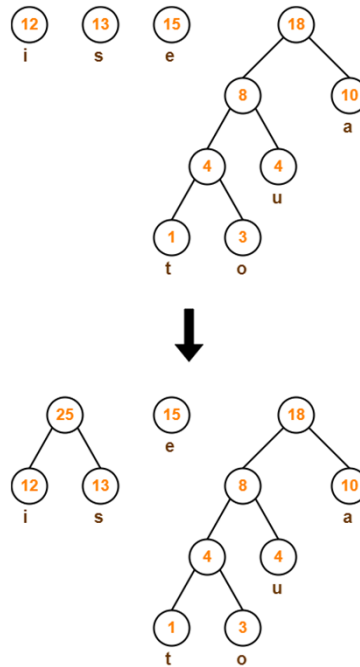
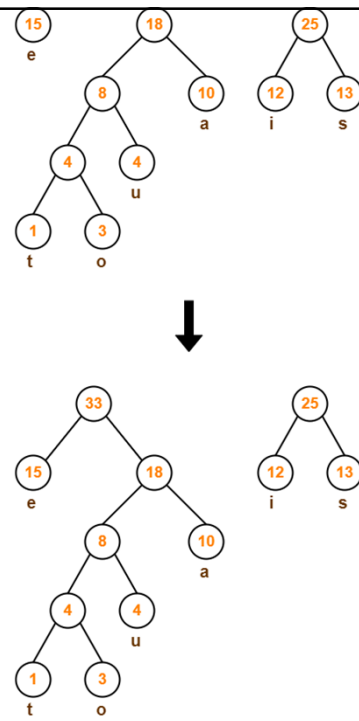
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Huffman coding-greedy approach

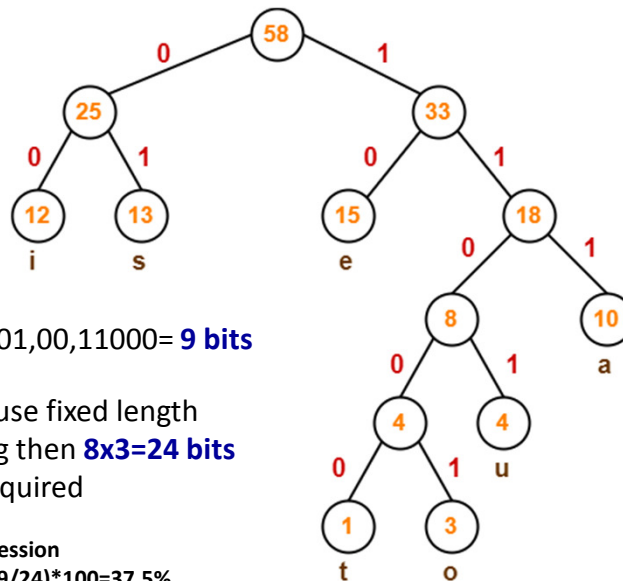
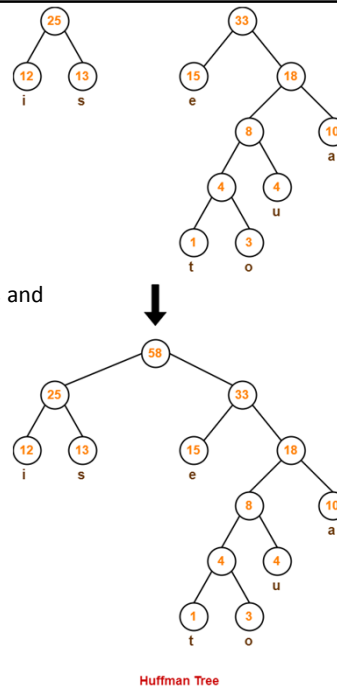
Step-04:



Step-05:**Step-06:**

Step-07:

1. We assign weight to all the edges of the constructed Huffman Tree.
2. Let us assign weight '0' to the left edges and weight '1' to the right edges.



Sit=01,00,11000= **9 bits**

If we use fixed length coding then **8x3=24 bits** are required

Compression ratio= $(9/24)*100=37.5\%$

Huffman Tree

Huffman coding-greedy approach

- For a **n- character** message, we need to select two nodes with minimum value **(n-1)** times and let **log n** be the height of the binary tree (**hosting min heap**), then the total time is **(n-1)* log n**, thus **O(n log n)**.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UbYLUmYazTM>

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Huffman coding-greedy approach-problem

Characters and their frequencies

A	35
B	25
C	20
D	12
E	8

Find the code for ABCDCEE

Huffman coding-greedy approach-problem

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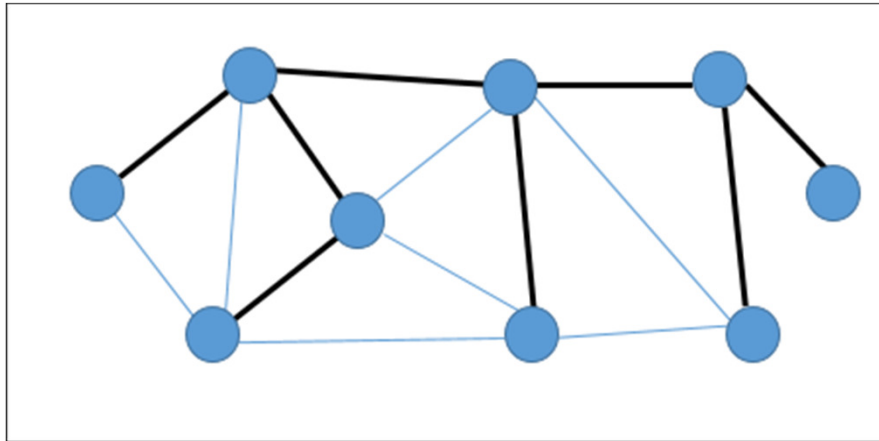
Characters and their codes

Character	Prefix Code
A	11
B	001
C	000
D	10
E	01

Minimum spanning tree-Greedy approach

- A **spanning tree** is a subset of an undirected Graph that has all the vertices connected by fewer number of edges.
- If all the vertices are connected in a graph, then there exists at **least one** spanning tree. In a graph, there may exist **more than one** spanning tree.
- **Properties of spanning tree**
 1. A spanning tree does not have any **cycle**.
 2. Any vertex can be **reached** from any other vertex.

Spanning tree is shown by highlighted (black) edges



Graph and spanning tree

Spanning tree definition

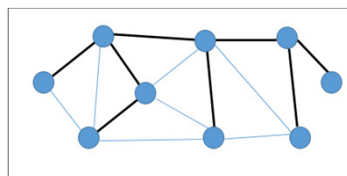
Graph $G = (V, E)$

V - set of vertices and E - set of edges

Spanning tree $T = (V', E')$ such that

$$V' = V \text{ and } E' \subset E$$

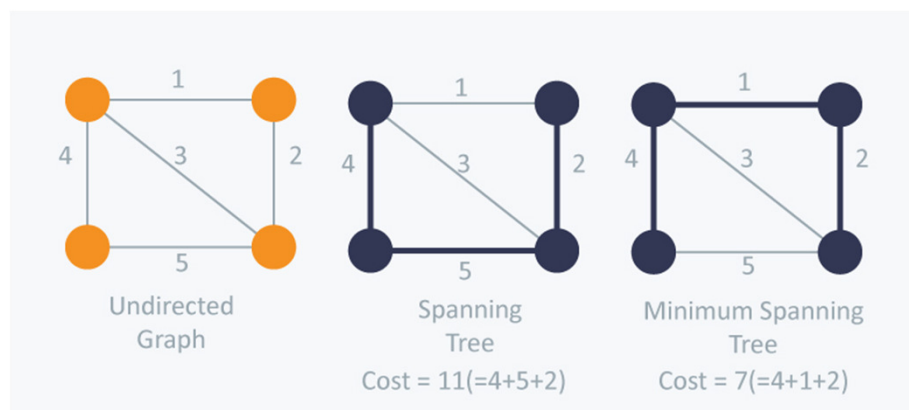
T contains $|V| - 1$ edges



Minimum spanning tree (MST) definition

- A **Minimum Spanning Tree (MST)** is a **subset of edges** of a connected **weighted** undirected graph that connects **all the vertices** together with the **minimum** possible **total edge weight**.
- There are **two algorithms** to derive MST using **greedy approach**
 1. Prim's algorithm
 2. Kruskal's algorithm

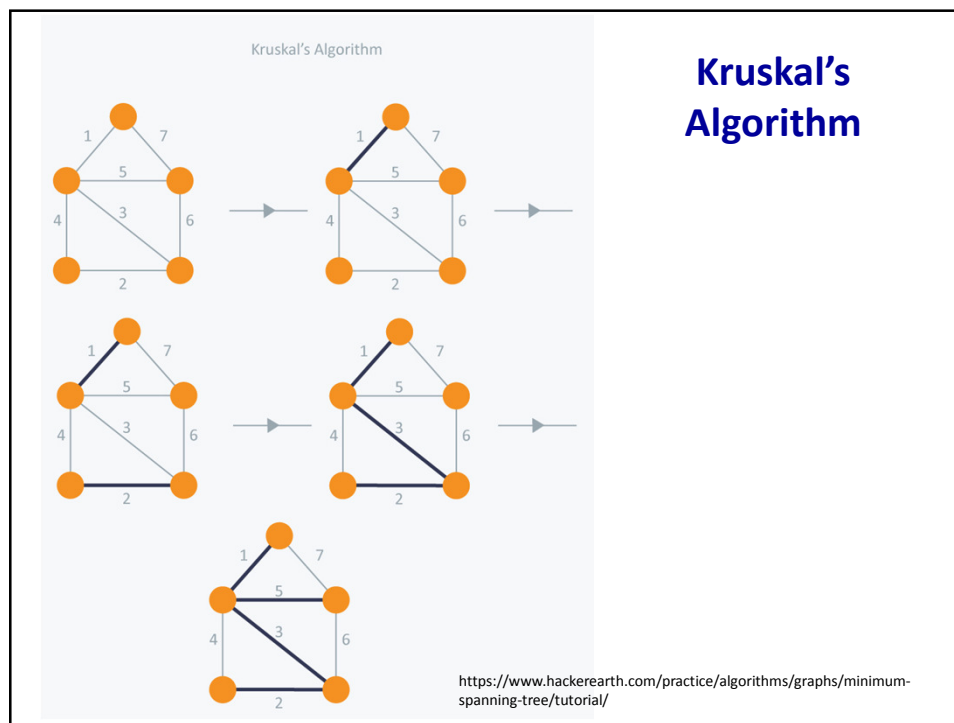
Minimum spanning tree definition



Minimum spanning tree (MST) –Kruskal's Algorithm

-Greedy approach

- This algorithm first appeared in [*Proceedings of the American Mathematical Society*](#), pp. 48–50 in 1956, and was written by [Joseph Kruskal](#).
- Kruskal's Algorithm** builds the spanning tree by **adding edges** one by one into a growing spanning tree.
- Kruskal's algorithm** follows **greedy approach** as in each iteration it finds an edge which has **least weight** and add it to the growing spanning tree.
- Algorithm Steps:**
 - **Sort** the **graph edges** with respect to their **weights**.
 - Start adding edges to the MST from the edge with the **smallest weight** until the edge of the **largest weight**.
 - Only add edges which **doesn't form a cycle** & edges which connect only **disconnected components**.



Minimum spanning tree (MST) –Kruskal's Algorithm -Greedy approach

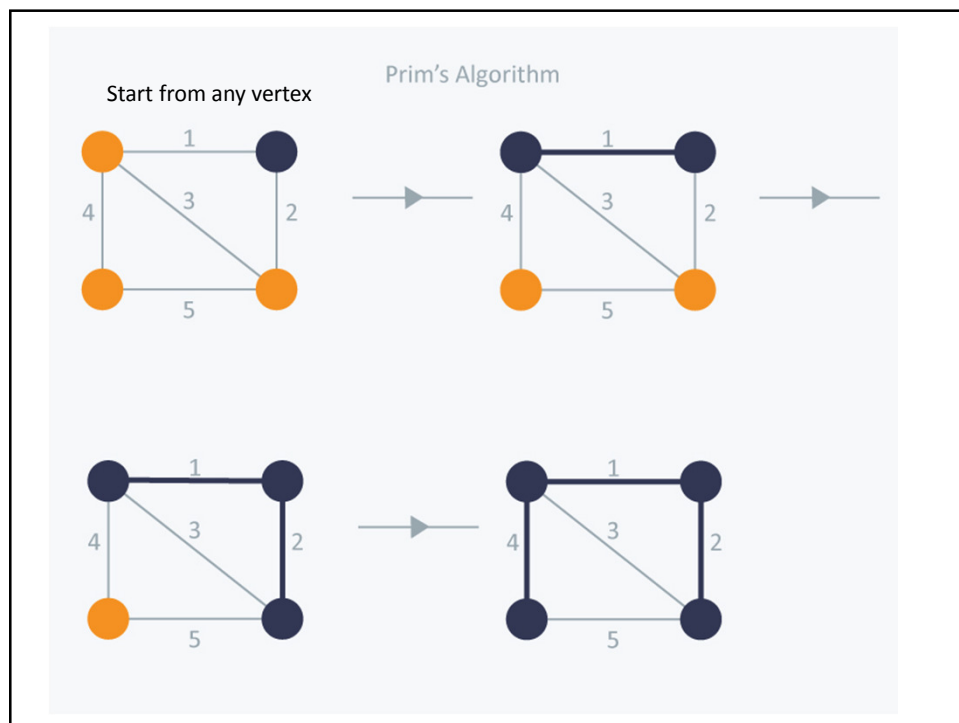
- Time complexity of Kruskal's algorithm- Most of the time is required in sorting the edges, thus it is $O(E \log E)$ (sorting time of merge sort $O(n \log n)$).

Minimum spanning tree (MST) –Prim's Algorithm -Greedy approach

- **Prim's Algorithm** also use **Greedy approach** to find the minimum spanning tree.
- In **Prim's Algorithm** we grow the spanning tree from a starting position. Unlike an **edge** in Kruskal's, **we add vertex to the growing spanning tree in Prim's algorithm.**
- Also called as Jarnik's algorithm and proposed in 1930 (wikipedia) and republished by **Robert C. Prim** in 1957

(MST) –Prim's Algorithm-Greedy approach

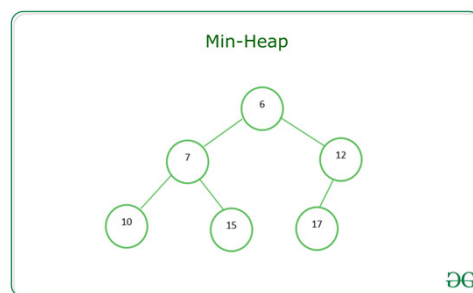
- **Algorithm Steps:**
- Maintain two **disjoint sets** of vertices, say **A** and **B**. One containing vertices that are **in the growing spanning tree (A)** and other that are **not in the growing spanning tree (B)**. (**A intersection B is empty**)
- Select the **cheapest vertex** that is connected to the growing spanning tree and **is not in the growing spanning tree** and **add** it into the growing spanning tree. This can be done using **Priority Queues**.
- Check for cycles and connected components.



(MST) –Prim's Algorithm-Greedy approach

- **Time complexity:-** If we implement Priority queue to find the **cheapest vertex** using **minheap** then it is $O(E \log V)$ (For each edge E x time to reorder items in heap)

A min-heap is a binary tree such that - the data contained in each node is less than (or equal to) the data in that node's children.

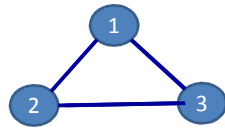


Number of possible spanning trees from a given complete graph

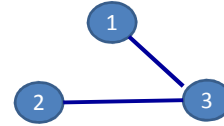
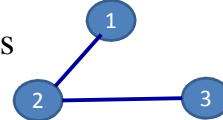
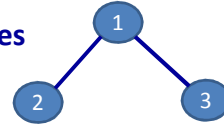
- A **complete graph** is undirected graph, in which every pair of distinct vertices are connected by a unique edge.

Total number of spanning trees possible for a complete graph with n vertices = $n^{(n-2)}$

Find and draw the number of possible spanning trees from a given complete graph

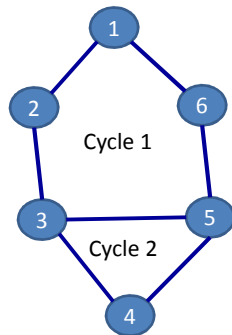


3 spanning trees



$n = 3$, thus $n^{(n-2)} = 3^{(3-2)} = 3$ spanning trees

Number of possible spanning trees from a given non-complete graph



The number of spanning trees possible for a non - complete graph $G = (V, E)$ is given as

$${}^{|E|}C_{(|V|-1)} - \text{Number of cycles } k \text{ in } G$$

(the no of ways of selecting $(|V|-1)$ edges out of E edges - internal cycles k)

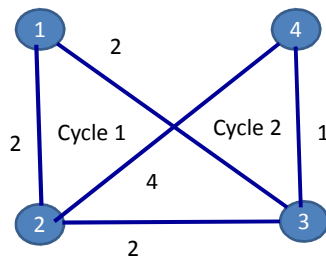
$$\text{where } {}^nC_r = \frac{n!}{r!(n-r)!}$$

For the graph shown $|E| = 7$ and $|V| - 1 = 6 - 1 = 5$

Thus, will have $({}^7C_5 - k)$

$$= \left(\frac{7!}{5!(7-5)!} - 2 \right) = \left(\frac{7*6}{2!} - 2 \right) = 19$$

Find the no. of possible spanning trees from a given non-complete graph



no of spanning trees =

$$|E| C_{(|V|-1)} - \text{Number of cycles } k \text{ in } G$$

$$|E| = 5, |V| = 4 \text{ and } k = \text{cycles} = 2$$

$$= \left(\frac{5!}{3!(5-3)!} - 2 \right) = \left(\frac{5 * 4 * 3!}{3! * 2!} - 2 \right) = (10 - 2) = 8$$

Find all the spanning trees and minimum spanning tree

3 minimum Sp. trees with 5 as sum of weights

Applications of minimum spanning trees

- Minimum cost road connectivity
- Minimum cost cable connections in computer networks/ cable TVs
- Telecommunication networks
- Water supply networks
- Electrical grids

minimum spanning tree-further readings

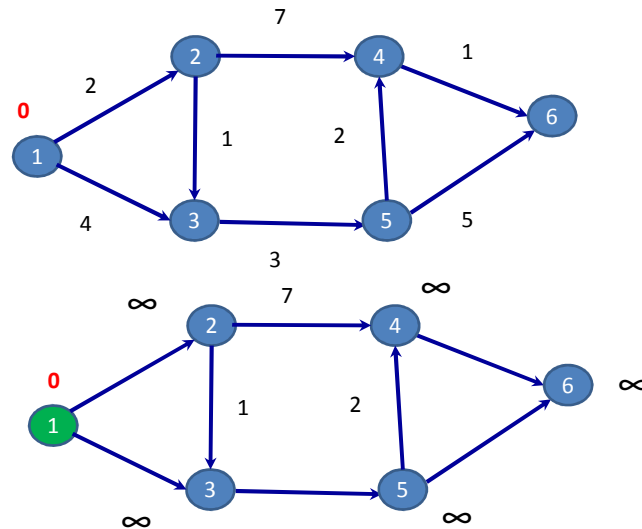
- Read [reverse delete algorithm](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Reverse-delete_algorithm) from wikipedia and compare it with [Kruskal's algorithm](#).

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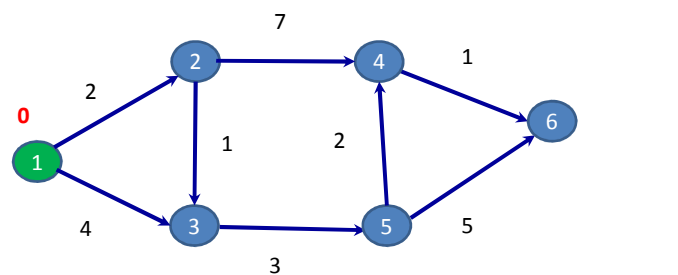
Dijkstra's algorithm- finding shortest path from a single node- Greedy approach

- Proposed by Dutch computer scientist, [Edsger Dijkstra](#), 1956.
- It takes input as a [weighted directed graph](#) and provides output as [shortest paths](#) (direct or indirect) to remaining all the nodes from a [single source node](#)
- It works on directed and undirected graph as well
- It start with a [source node](#) with [distance 0](#) and choose the [closest node](#) directly reachable from it. If a node is not directly reachable it assumes the distance as [infinity](#) (INF). ∞
- It [updates /relaxes](#) the nodes which are directly connected with the chosen node
- It repeats the steps till [all the nodes are chosen/selected](#)

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Relaxation

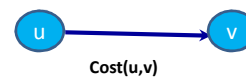
if $(d[u] + \text{cost}(u, v) < d[v])$

$d[v] = d[u] + \text{cost}(u, v)$

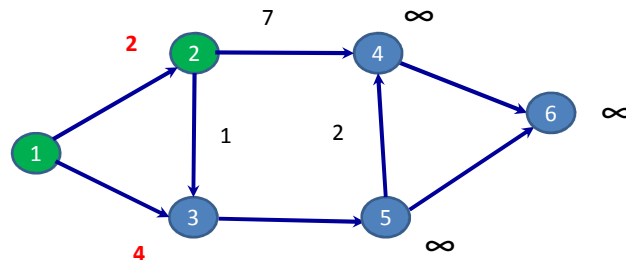
1. $d[2] = d[1] + \text{cost}(1, 2) = 0 + 2 = 2 < \infty$

2. $d[3] = d[1] + \text{cost}(1, 3) = 0 + 4 = 4 < \infty$

$d[u]$ -distance of node u from source



Dijkstra's algorithm- updating a node or relaxation



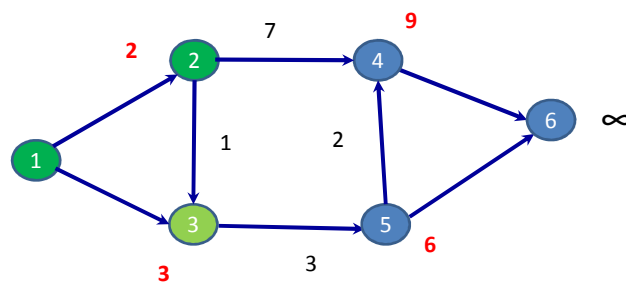
Relaxation

if ($d[u] + \text{cost}(u, v) < d[v]$)

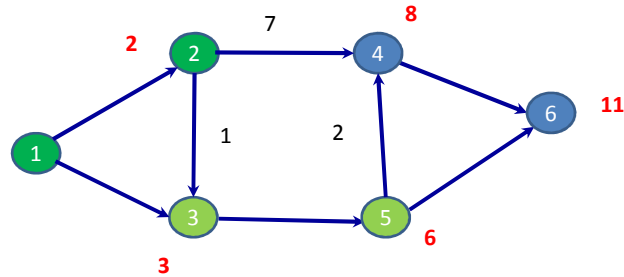
$d[v] = d[u] + \text{cost}(u, v)$

1. $d[4] = d[2] + \text{cost}(2, 4) = 2 + 7 = 9 < \infty$

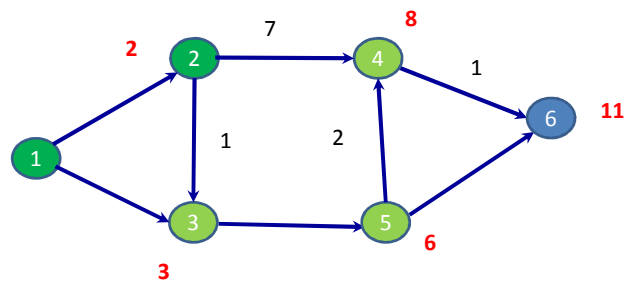
2. $d[3] = d[2] + \text{cost}(2, 3) = 2 + 1 = 3 < 4$



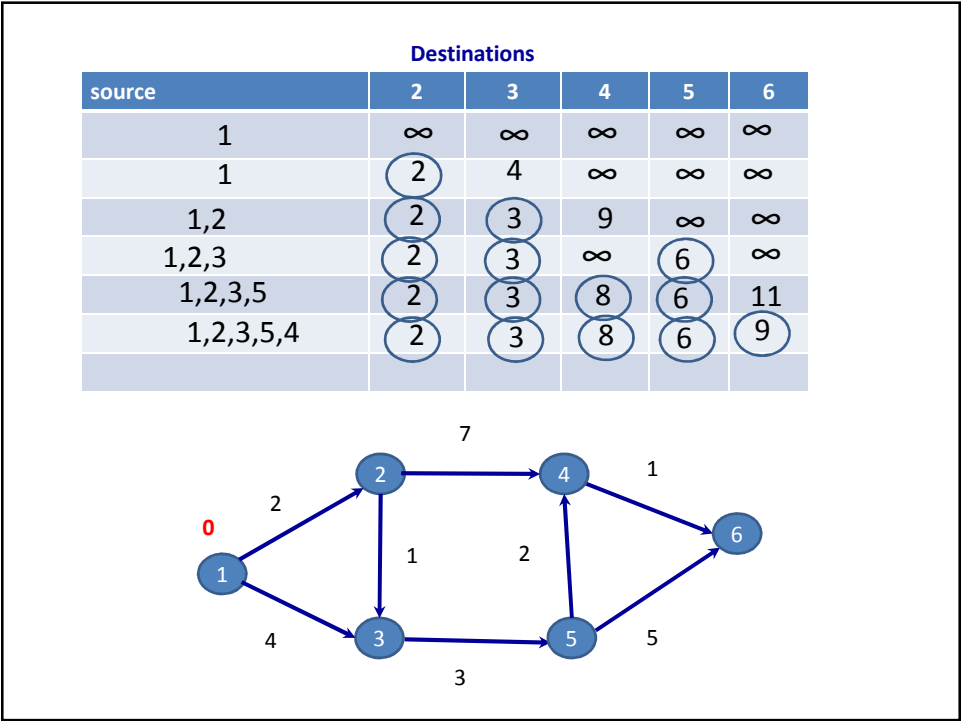
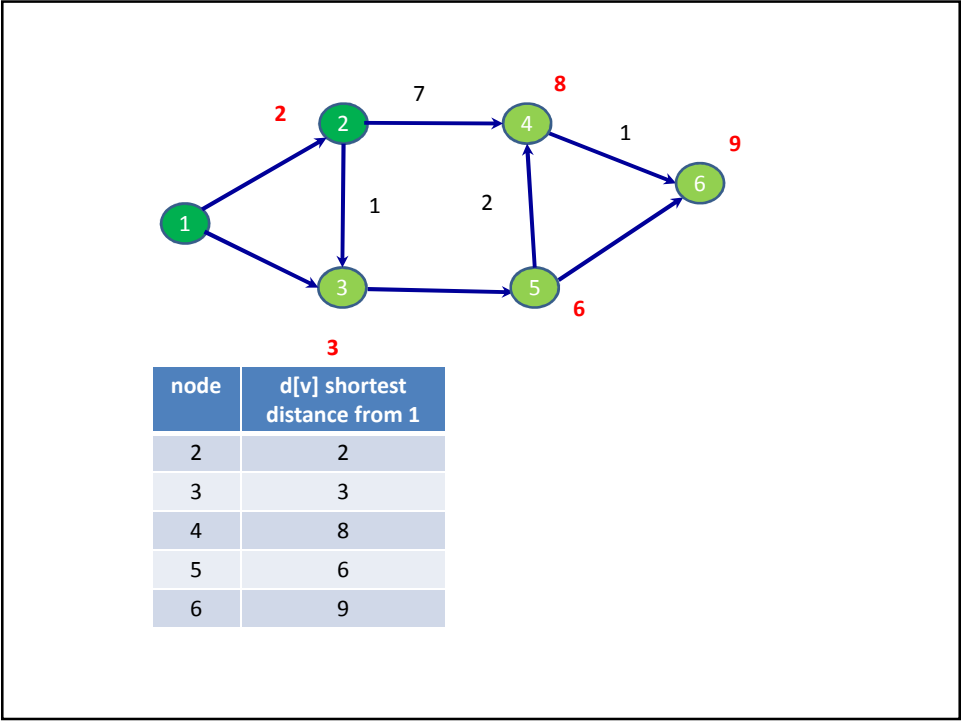
1. $d[5] = d[3] + \text{cost}(3, 5) = 3 + 3 = 6 < \infty$



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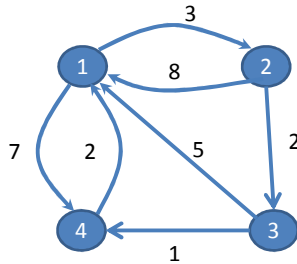
Time complexity of Dijkstra's algorithm

- For a **n node graph**, for each node there can be maximum **n times relaxation** needed and thus it is **$O(n^2)$** .
- If we use minheap, then it is **$O(E/n \log n)$** , choose **maximum** of E (edges) or (/) n (vertices).

All pair shortest path (Floyd-Warshall algorithm)

- This algorithm is used for finding **all pair shortest paths** of a directed and weighted graph.
- Published by [Robert Floyd](#) in 1962, [Bernard Roy](#) in 1959 and [Stephen Warshall](#) in 1962.
- It uses **dynamic programming** approach to find all pair shortest paths

All pair shortest path (Floyd-Warshall algorithm)



We need to generate $n+1$, $(n \times n)$ matrices viz. A^0, A^1, A^2, A^3 , and A^4

A^0 – gives shortest distance without going through any intermediate node

Matrix A^k is computed from $A^{(k-1)}$ and A^0 is computed from graph

$$A^0 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & \infty & 7 \\ 8 & 0 & 2 & \infty \\ 5 & \infty & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & \infty & \infty & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

All pair shortest path (Floyd-Warshall algorithm)

$$A^0 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & \infty & 7 \\ 8 & 0 & 2 & \infty \\ 5 & \infty & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & \infty & \infty & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Keep first row and first column same as A^0 in A^1 and calculate remaining values of A^1

$$A^1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & \infty & 7 \\ 8 & 0 & & \\ 5 & & 0 & \\ 2 & & & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$1. A^0[2,3] \quad A^0[2,1] + A^0[1,3]$$

$$2 < 8 + \infty$$

$$\text{thus } A^1[2,3] = 2$$

$$A^1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & \infty & 7 \\ 8 & 0 & 2 & \\ 5 & & 0 & \\ 2 & & & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$2. A^0[2,4] \quad A^0[2,1] + A^0[1,4]$$

$$\infty > 8 + 7 = 15$$

$$\text{thus } A^1[2,4] = 15$$

$$A^1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & \infty & 7 \\ 8 & 0 & 2 & 15 \\ 5 & & 0 & \\ 2 & & & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

All pair shortest path (Floyd-Warshall algorithm)

$$A^0 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & \infty & 7 \\ 8 & 0 & 2 & \infty \\ 5 & \infty & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & \infty & \infty & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} 3.A^0[3,2] \quad A^0[3,1] + A^0[1,2] \\ \infty > 5 + 3 = 8 \\ \text{thus } A^1[3,2] = 8 \end{array} \quad A^1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & \infty & 7 \\ 8 & 0 & 2 & 15 \\ 5 & \textcircled{8} & 0 & \\ 2 & & & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} 4.A^0[3,4] \quad A^0[3,1] + A^0[1,4] \\ 1 < 5 + 7 = 12 \\ \text{thus } A^1[3,4] = 1 \end{array} \quad A^1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & \infty & 7 \\ 8 & 0 & 2 & 15 \\ 5 & 8 & 0 & \textcircled{1} \\ 2 & & & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} 5.A^0[4,2] \quad A^0[4,1] + A^0[1,2] \\ \infty > 2 + 3 = 5 \\ \text{thus } A^1[4,2] = 5 \end{array} \quad A^1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & \infty & 7 \\ 8 & 0 & 2 & 15 \\ 5 & 8 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & \textcircled{5} & & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

All pair shortest path (Floyd-Warshall algorithm)

$$A^0 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & \infty & 7 \\ 8 & 0 & 2 & \infty \\ 5 & \infty & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & \infty & \infty & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} 6.A^0[4,3] \quad A^0[4,1] + A^0[1,3] \\ \infty ? 2 + \infty = \infty \\ \text{thus } A^1[4,3] = \infty \end{array} \quad A^1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & \infty & 7 \\ 8 & 0 & 2 & 15 \\ 5 & 8 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 5 & \textcircled{\infty} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Keep 2nd row, 2nd column and diagonal of A2 same as A1 and find remaining values of A2

$$\begin{array}{l} 1.A^1[1,3] \quad A^1[1,2] + A^1[2,3] \\ \infty > 3 + 2 = 5 \\ \text{thus } A^2[1,3] = 5 \end{array} \quad A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & & \\ 8 & 0 & 2 & 15 \\ & 8 & 0 & \\ & 5 & & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & \textcircled{5} & \\ 8 & 0 & 2 & 15 \\ & 8 & 0 & \\ & 5 & & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & \infty & 7 \\ 8 & 0 & 2 & 15 \\ 5 & 8 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 5 & \infty & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$2.A^1[1,4] \quad A^1[1,2] + A^1[2,4]$
 $7 < 3 + 15 = 18$
 thus $A^2[1,4] = 7$

$3.A^1[3,1] \quad A^1[3,2] + A^1[2,1]$
 $5 < 8 + 8 = 16$
 thus $A^2[3,1] = 5$

$3.A^1[3,4] \quad A^1[3,2] + A^1[2,4]$
 $1 < 8 + 15 = 23$
 thus $A^2[3,4] = 1$

$$A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & 5 & 7 \\ 8 & 0 & 2 & 15 \\ 5 & 8 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 5 & \infty & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & \infty & 7 \\ 8 & 0 & 2 & 15 \\ 5 & 8 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 5 & \infty & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$5.A^1[4,1] \quad A^1[4,2] + A^1[2,1]$
 $2 < 5 + 8 = 13$
 thus $A^2[4,1] = 2$

$6.A^1[4,3] \quad A^1[4,2] + A^1[2,3]$
 $\infty < 5 + 2 = 7$
 thus $A^2[4,3] = 7$

$$A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & 5 & 7 \\ 8 & 0 & 2 & 15 \\ 5 & 8 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 5 & 7 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Using A2 compute A3

$$A^3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 5 & 8 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 5 & 7 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Using A3 compute A4

$$A^4 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & 5 & 6 \\ 5 & 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 6 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 5 & 7 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

A4 shows all pair shortest paths

Formula can be determined as

$$A^k[i, j] = \min\left(A^{k-1}[i, j], \left(A^{k-1}[i, k] + A^{k-1}[k, j]\right)\right)$$

Time complexity of all pair shortest path (Floyd-Warshall algorithm)

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for k = 0 to n  ← For creation of all matrices Ak
  for i = 1 to n
    for j = 1 to n
       $A^k[i, j] = \min(A^{k-1}[i, j], (A^{k-1}[i, k] + A^{k-1}[k, j]))$ 
    end
  end
end

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$O(n^3)$