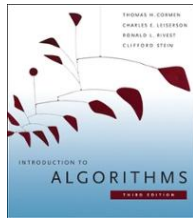


## CS146 Data Structures and Algorithms



### Chapter 22: Elementary Graph Algorithm

## Graphs

- **Graph**  $G = (V, E)$ 
  - $V$  = set of vertices
  - $E$  = set of edges  $\subseteq (V \times V)$
- Types of graphs
  - **Undirected**: edge  $(u, v) = (v, u)$ ; for all  $v$ ,  $(v, v) \notin E$  (No self loops.)
  - **Directed**:  $(u, v)$  is edge from  $u$  to  $v$ , denoted as  $u \rightarrow v$ . Self loops are allowed.
  - **Weighted**: each edge has an associated **weight**, given by a weight function  $w : E \rightarrow \mathbf{R}$ .
  - **Dense**:  $|E| \approx |V|^2$ .
  - **Sparse**:  $|E| \ll |V|^2$ .
- $|E| = O(|V|^2)$

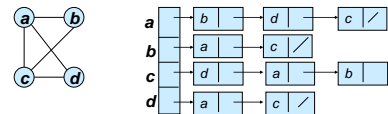
## Graphs

- If  $(u, v) \in E$ , then vertex  $v$  is **adjacent** to vertex  $u$ .
- **Adjacency relationship** is:
  - Symmetric if  $G$  is undirected.
  - Not necessarily so if  $G$  is directed.
- If  $G$  is **connected**:
  - There is a **path between every pair of vertices**.
  - $|E| \geq |V| - 1$ .
  - Furthermore, if  $|E| = |V| - 1$ , then  $G$  is a tree.
- Other definitions in Appendix B (B.4 and B.5) as needed.

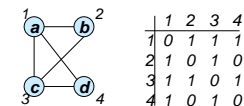
## Representation of Graphs<sub>1</sub>

- Two standard ways.

- Adjacency Lists.

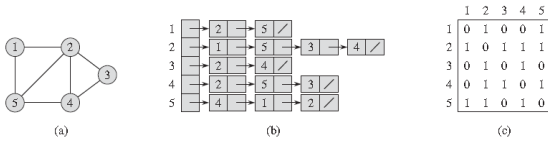


- Adjacency Matrix.



## Representation of Graphs<sub>2</sub>

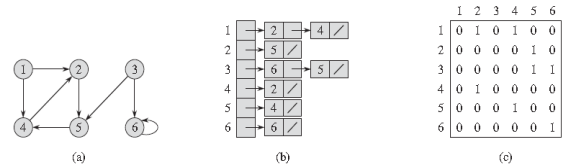
- Undirected graph



**Figure 22.1** Two representations of an undirected graph. (a) An undirected graph  $G$  with 5 vertices and 7 edges. (b) An adjacency-list representation of  $G$ . (c) The adjacency-matrix representation of  $G$ .

## Representation of Graphs<sub>3</sub>

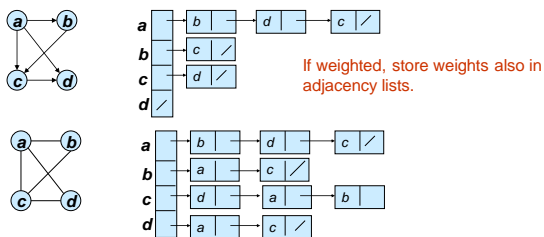
- Directed Graph



**Figure 22.2** Two representations of a directed graph. (a) A directed graph  $G$  with 6 vertices and 8 edges. (b) An adjacency-list representation of  $G$ . (c) The adjacency-matrix representation of  $G$ .

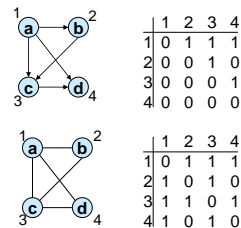
## Adjacency Lists

- Consists of an array  $Adj$  of  $|V|$  lists.
- One list per vertex.
- For  $u \in V$ ,  $Adj[u]$  consists of all vertices adjacent to  $u$ .



## Adjacency Matrix

- $|V| \times |V|$  matrix  $A$ .
- Number vertices from 1 to  $|V|$  in some arbitrary manner.
- $A$  is then given by:  $A[i, j] = a_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } (i, j) \in E \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$



$A = A^T$  for undirected graphs.

## Graph-searching Algorithms

- **Searching a graph:**
  - Systematically follow the edges of a graph to visit the vertices of the graph.
- Used to **discover the structure of a graph**.
- Standard graph-searching algorithms.
  - Breadth-first Search (BFS).
  - Depth-first Search (DFS).

## Breadth-first Search

- **Input:** Graph  $G = (V, E)$ , either directed or undirected, and **source vertex**  $s \in V$ .
- **Output:**
  - $d[v]$  = distance (smallest # of edges, or shortest path) from  $s$  to  $v$ , for all  $v \in V$ .  $d[v] = \infty$  if  $v$  is not reachable from  $s$ .
  - $\pi[v] = u$  such that  $(u, v)$  is last edge on shortest path  $s \rightsquigarrow v$ .
    - $u$  is  $v$ 's predecessor.
  - Builds breadth-first tree with root  $s$  that contains all reachable vertices.

### Definitions:

**Path** between vertices  $u$  and  $v$ : Sequence of vertices  $(v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k)$  such that  $u=v_1$  and  $v=v_k$ , and  $(v_i, v_{i+1}) \in E$ , for all  $1 \leq i \leq k-1$ .

**Length of the path:** Number of edges in the path.

Path is **simple** if no vertex is repeated.

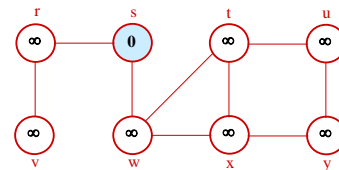
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BFS(G,s)
1. for each vertex u in V[G] - {s}
2.   do color[u] ← white
3.   d[u] ← ∞
4.   π[u] ← nil
5. color[s] ← gray
6. d[s] ← 0
7. π[s] ← nil
8. Q ← ∅
9. enqueue(Q,s)
10. while Q ≠ ∅
11.   do u ← dequeue(Q)
12.   for each v in Adj[u]
13.     do if color[v] = white
14.       then color[v] ← gray
15.         d[v] ← d[u] + 1
16.         π[v] ← u
17.         enqueue(Q,v)
18.   color[u] ← black
  
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white: undiscovered  
gray: discovered  
black: finished

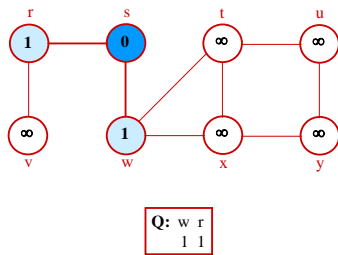
Q: a queue of discovered vertices  
color[v]: color of v  
d[v]: distance from s to v  
π[u]: predecessor of v

## Example (BFS)

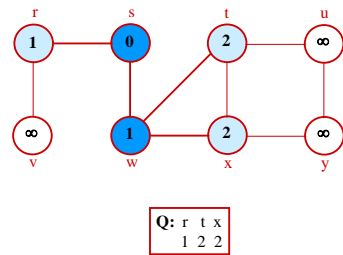


Q: s  
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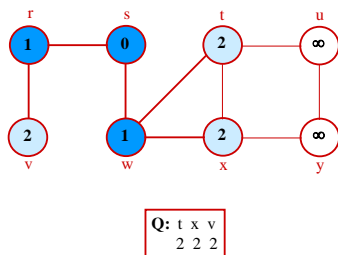
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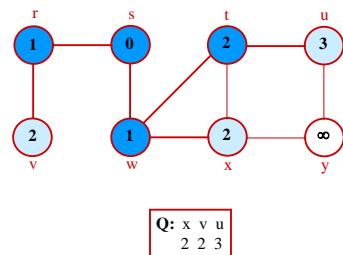
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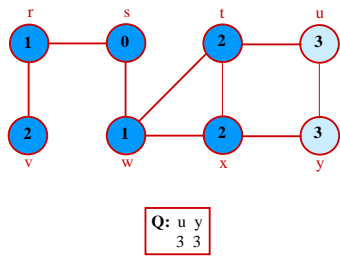
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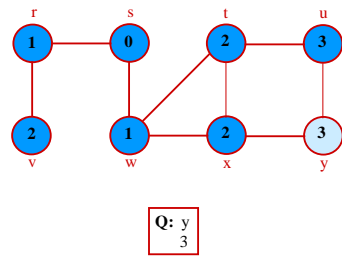
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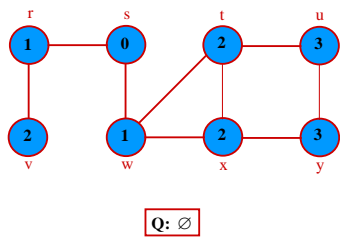
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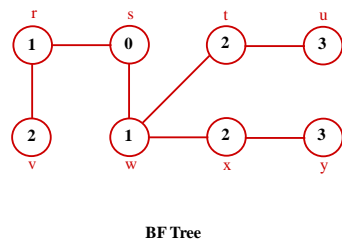
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## Analysis of BFS

- Initialization takes  $O(V)$ .
- Traversal Loop
  - After initialization, each vertex is enqueued and dequeued at most once, and each operation takes  $O(1)$ . So, total time for queuing is  $O(V)$ .
  - The adjacency list of each vertex is scanned at most once. The sum of lengths of all adjacency lists is  $O(E)$ .
- Summing up over all vertices  $\Rightarrow$  total running time of BFS is  $O(V+E)$ , linear in the size of the adjacency list representation of graph.