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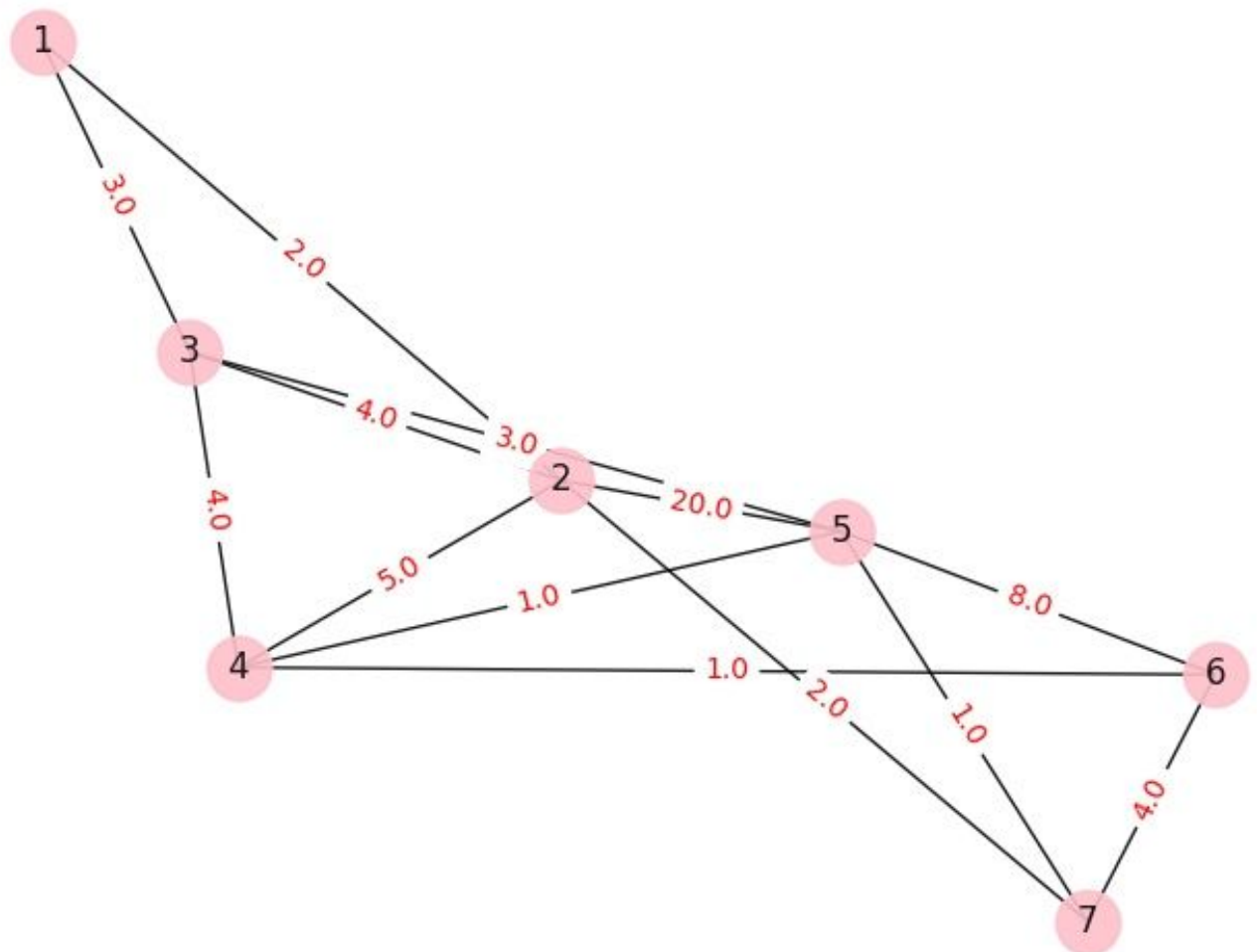
**DYNAMIC PROGRAMMING SOLUTION FOR
STEINER TREE**

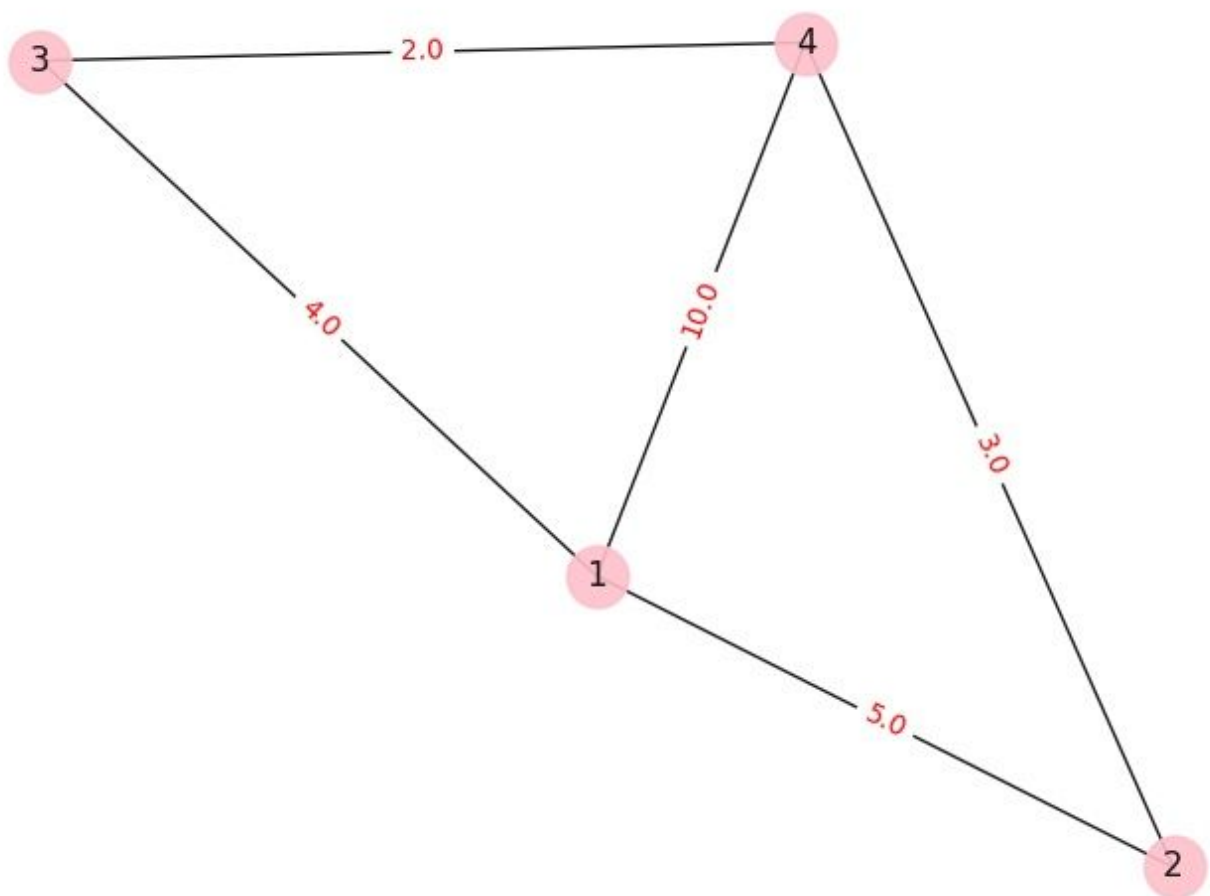
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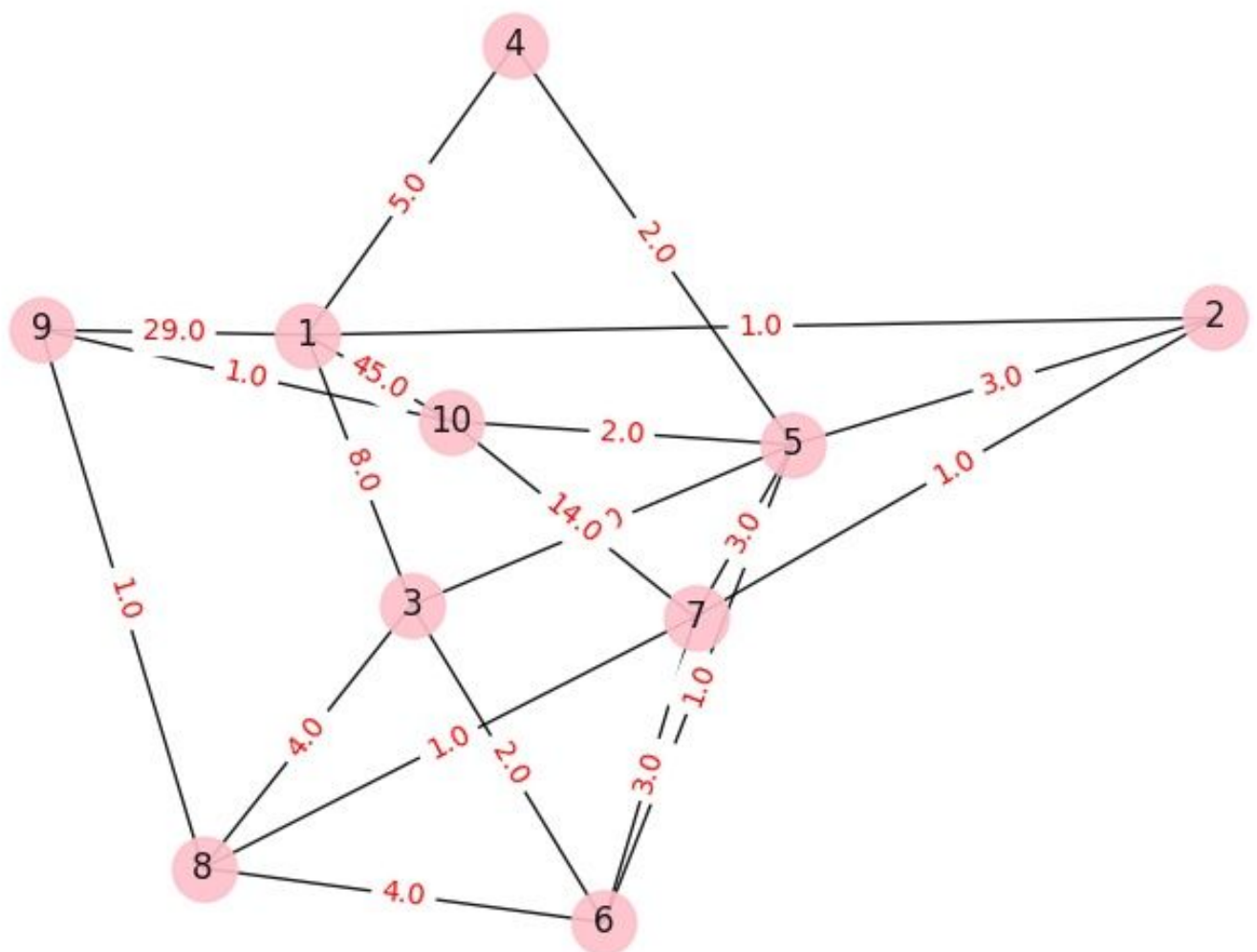
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PROOF:

The proof goes by dynamic programming.

Pick any terminal t_0 and let $T' = T \setminus \{t_0\}$.

For every nonempty $X \subset T'$ and every $v \in V$ we compute:

$ST(X, v)$ = minimum edge weight of a Steiner tree for $(X \cup \{v\})$

Note that we allow $v \in X$ The answer is stored in $ST(T', t_0)$

1-The trivial case: If $X = \{x\}$ for some $x \in T'$

then for every $v \in V$ we set

$$ST(\{x\}, v) = \text{dist}_G(x, v).$$

2-Now suppose $|X| \geq 2$ Look at the tree from v Starting from v go along the tree until you reach either a vertex in X or a vertex of degree at least

3. Let us call it u . Possibly $u = v$.

If $u \in X$ then we let $X' = \{u\}$.

Otherwise we let X' be the vertices in X in one connected component of the tree with $\{u\}$ removed. In both cases we have $\emptyset \neq X'$ (X and the tree can be split into three pieces

- the path from v to u (possibly trivial)
- a tree for u and X' (possibly trivial),
- a tree for u and $X \setminus X'$

$$ST(X, v) = \min_{v \in V} (\text{dist}_G(v, u) + (\text{for all subset } x') \min(ST(X', u) + ST(X \setminus X', u)))$$

Running time:

Each vertex of T' can be either in X' , in $X \setminus X'$, or in $T' \setminus X$.

There are $3^{t-1} \cdot n^2$ evaluations of the recurrence