

Lecture 12

Minimum Spanning Trees

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Lecture Goals

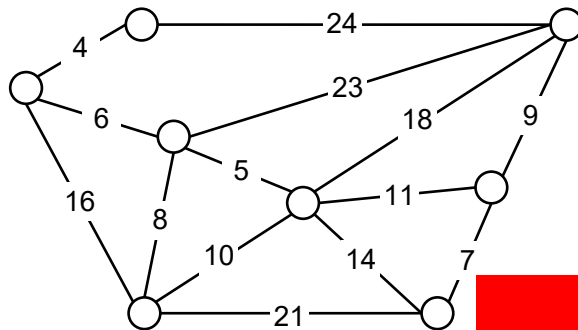
- In this lecture we study the **minimum spanning tree** problem.
- We begin by considering a generic **greedy** algorithm for the problem.
- Next, we consider and implement two classic algorithm for the problem—**Kruskal's algorithm** and **Prim's algorithm**.
- We conclude with some **applications** and open problems.

Minimum Spanning Tree (MST)

Given. Undirected graph G with positive edge weights (connected).

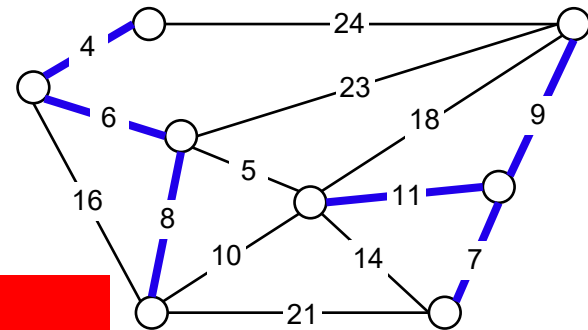
Def. A **spanning tree** of G is a subgraph T that is both a **tree** (connected and acyclic) and **spanning** (includes all of the vertices).

Goal. Find a min weight spanning tree.

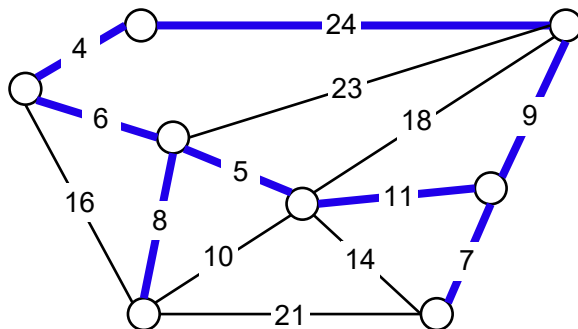


graph G

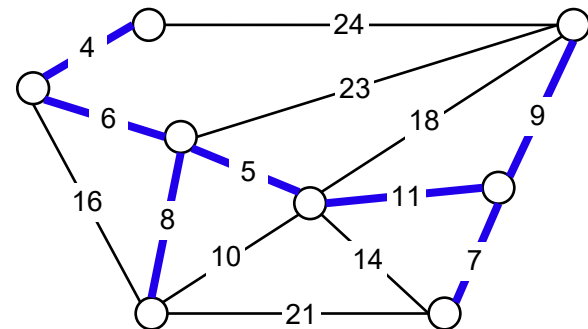
Brute force.
Try all spanning trees?



not connected



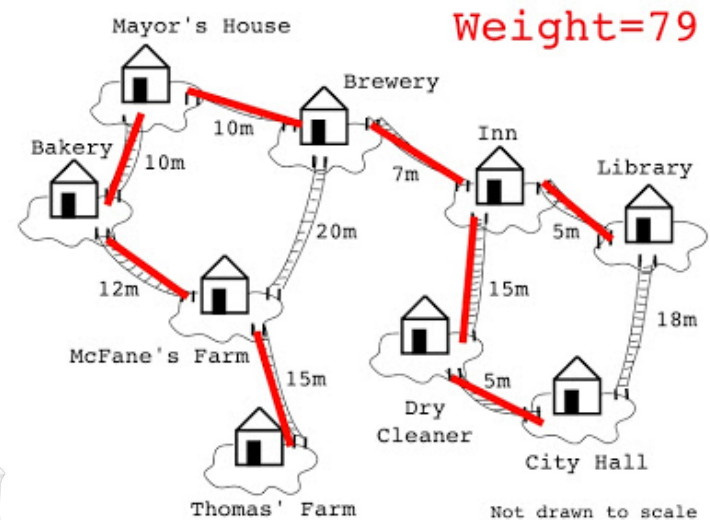
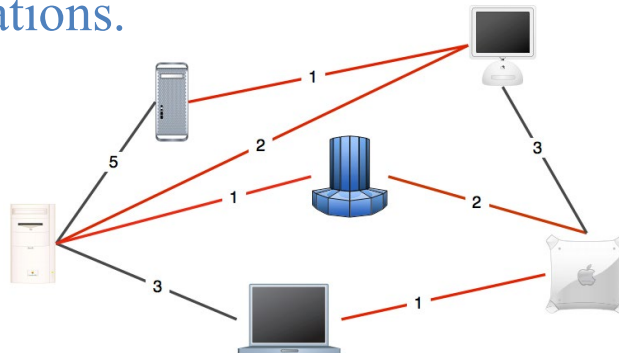
not acyclic



spanning tree T : cost = 50 = 4 + 6 + 8 + 5 + 11 + 9 + 7

MST Applications

- One example would be a telecommunications company trying to lay cable in a new neighborhood. If it is constrained to bury the cable only along certain paths (e.g. roads), then there would be a graph containing the points (e.g. houses) connected by those paths.
- Some of the paths might be more expensive, because they are longer, or require the cable to be buried deeper; these paths would be represented by edges with larger weights.
- A *MST* would be one with the lowest total cost, representing the least expensive path for laying the cable.
- Network design.
- Cluster analysis.
- Indirect applications.



Simplifying Assumptions and Cut Property

Assumptions. Edge weights are distinct; Graph is connected.

Consequence. MST exists and is unique.

Def. A **cut** in a graph is a partition of its vertices into two (nonempty) sets.

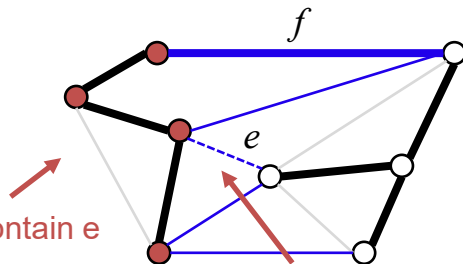
Def. A **crossing edge** connects a vertex in one set with a vertex in the other.

Property. Given any cut, the crossing edge of min weight is in the MST.

Pf. Suppose min-weight crossing edge e is not in the MST.

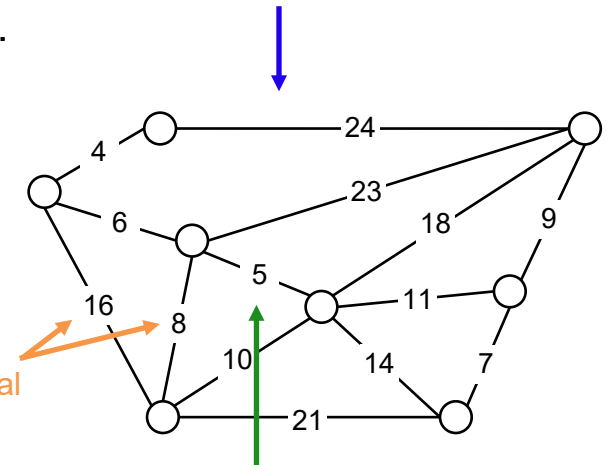
Contradiction

- Adding e to the MST creates a cycle.
- Some other edge f in cycle must be a crossing edge.
- Removing f and adding e is also a spanning tree.
- Since weight of e is less than the weight of f , that spanning tree is lower weight.



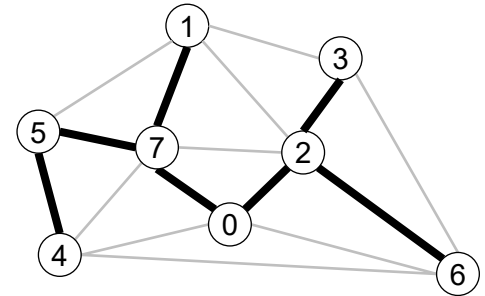
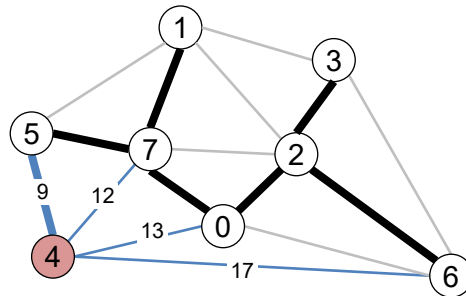
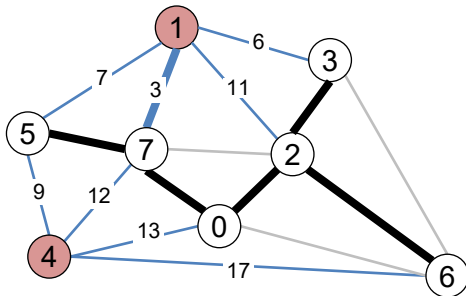
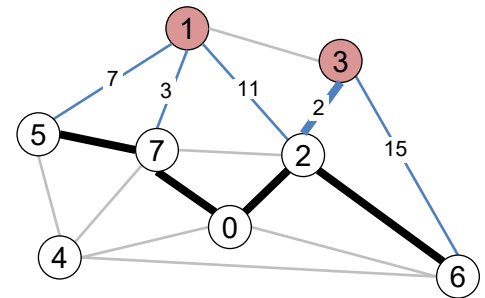
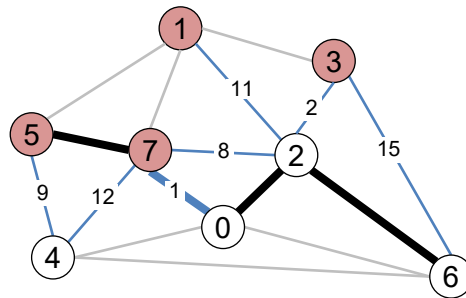
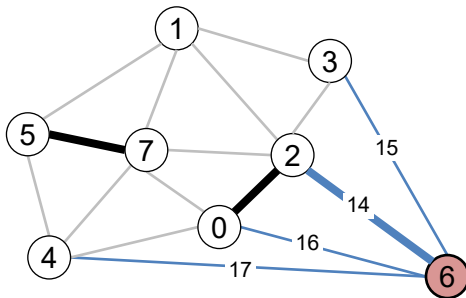
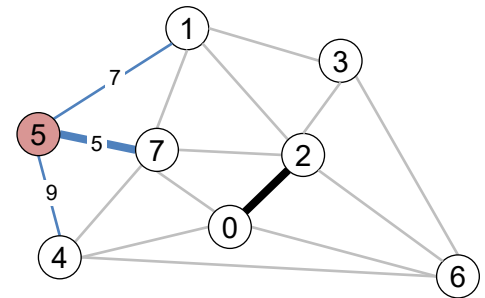
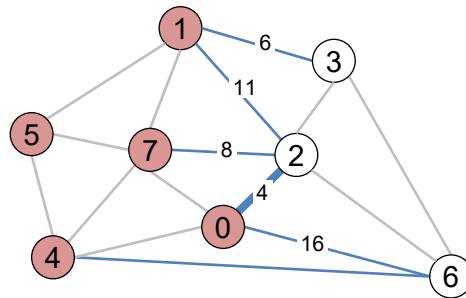
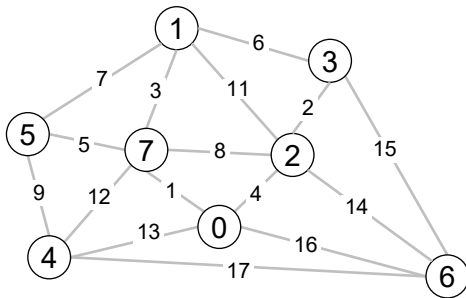
no two edge weights are equal

crossing edge separating red and white vertices



Greedy MST Algorithm

- Start with all edges colored gray.
- Find cut with no black crossing edges; color its min-weight edge black.
- Repeat until $V - 1$ edges are colored black.

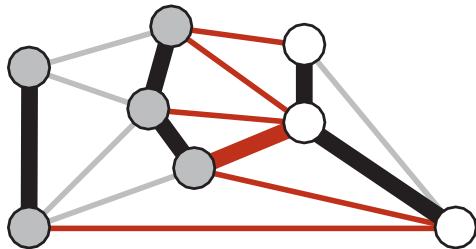


Greedy MST Algorithm: Correctness Proof

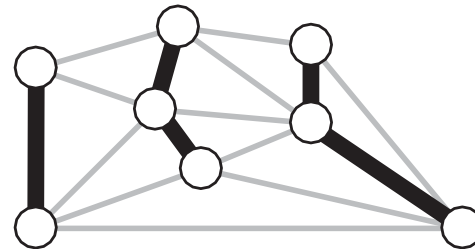
Proposition. The greedy algorithm computes the MST.

Proof.

- Any edge colored black is in the MST (via cut property).
- Fewer than $V - 1$ black edges \rightarrow cut with no black crossing edges.
(consider cut whose vertices are one connected component)



a cut with no black crossing edges



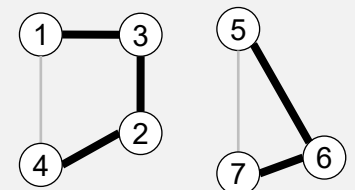
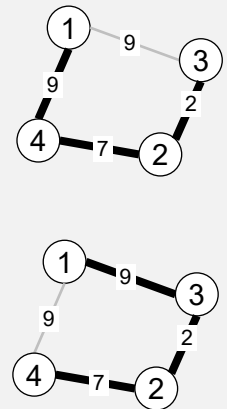
fewer than $V-1$ edges colored black

What if edge weights are not all distinct?

Greedy MST algorithm still correct if equal weights are present

What if graph is not connected?

Compute minimum spanning forest = MST of each component.



Weighted Edge API

```
public class Edge implements Comparable<Edge>
```

```
    Edge(int v, int w, double weight) //create a weighted edge v-w
```

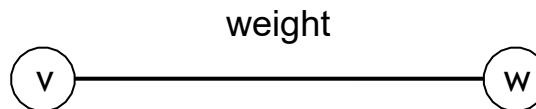
```
    int either() // either endpoint
```

```
    int other(int v) // the endpoint that's not v
```

```
    int compareTo(Edge that) // compare this edge to that edge
```

```
    double weight() // the weight
```

```
    String toString() // string representation
```



Idiom for processing an edge e: `int v = e.either(), w = e.other(v);`

Weighted Edge: Java Implementation

```
public class Edge implements Comparable<Edge>  
{
```

```
    private final int v, w;  
    private final double weight;
```

```
    public Edge(int v, int w, double weight)  
    {  
        this.v = v;  
        this.w = w;  
        this.weight = weight;  
    }
```

← constructor

```
    public int either()  
    { return v; }
```

← either endpoint

```
    public int other(int vertex)  
    {  
        if (vertex == v) return w;  
        else return v;  
    }
```

← other endpoint

```
    public int compareTo(Edge that)  
    {  
        if (this.weight < that.weight) return -1;  
        else if (this.weight > that.weight) return +1;  
        else return 0;  
    }
```

← compare edges by weight

```
}
```

Edge-Weighted Graph API

```
public class EdgeWeightedGraph
```

```
    EdgeWeightedGraph(int V) // create an empty graph with V vertices
```

```
    void addEdge(Edge e) // add weighted edge e to this graph
```

```
    Iterable<Edge> adj(int v) // edges incident to v
```

```
    Iterable<Edge> edges() // all edges in this graph
```

```
    int V() // number of vertices
```

```
    int E() // number of edges
```

```
    String toString() // string representation
```

- Class that implements Iterable interface, can be used in the for-each loop to retrieve elements one by one.
- Most collections either implement Iterable interface or have a view that returns one (such as Map's keySet() or values())

```
public interface Iterable<T>
```

```
    Iterable<String> myIterable  
    for (String str : myIterable) { ... }
```

Implementing this interface allows an object to be the target of the "for-each loop" statement.

Edge-Weighted Graph: Adjacency-Lists Implementation

```
public class EdgeWeightedGraph  
{  
    private final int V;  
    private final List<Edge>[] adj;
```

← same as Graph, but adjacency
lists of Edges instead of integers

```
    public EdgeWeightedGraph(int V)  
    {  
        this.V = V;  
        adj = (List<Edge>[]) new ArrayList[V];  
        for (int v = 0; v < V; v++)  
            adj[v] = new ArrayList<Edge>();  
    }
```

← constructor

```
    public void addEdge(Edge e)  
    {  
        int v = e.either(), w = e.other(v);  
        adj[v].add(e);  
        adj[w].add(e);  
    }
```

← add edge to both
adjacency lists

```
    public Iterable<Edge> adj(int v)  
    { return adj[v]; }  
}
```

MST API

```
public class MST
```

```
MST(EdgeWeightedGraph G) // constructor
```

```
Iterable <Edge> edges() // edges in MST
```

```
double weight() // weight of MST
```

```
public static void main(String[] args)
{
    In in = new In(args[0]);
    EdgeWeightedGraph G = new EdgeWeightedGraph(in);
    MST mst = new MST(G);
    for (Edge e : mst.edges())
        StdOut.println(e);
    StdOut.printf("%.2f\n", mst.weight());
}
```

```
% java MST tinyEWG.txt
```

```
0-7 0.16
```

```
1-7 0.19
```

```
0-2 0.26
```

```
2-3 0.17
```

```
5-7 0.28
```

```
4-5 0.35
```

```
6-2 0.40
```

```
1.81
```

Greedy MST Algorithm: Efficient. Choose cut? Find min-weight edge?

- Kruskal's algorithm.
- Prim's algorithm.

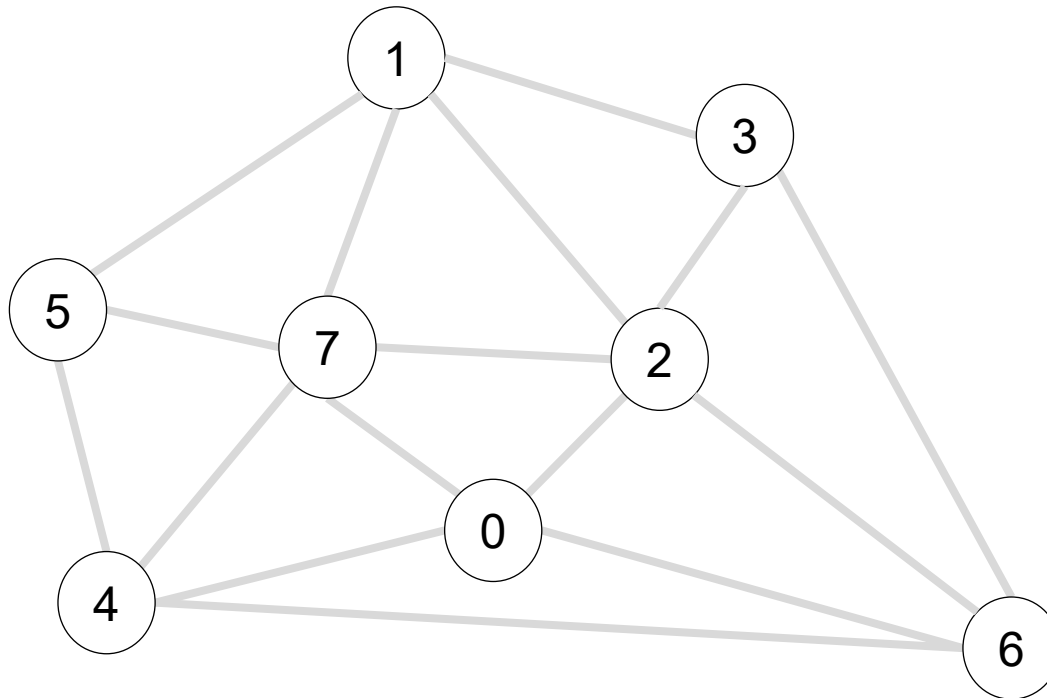
Kruskal's Algorithm

- Consider edges in ascending order of weight.
- Add next edge to tree T unless doing so would create a cycle.

graph edges sorted by weight

does not create a cycle

creates a cycle



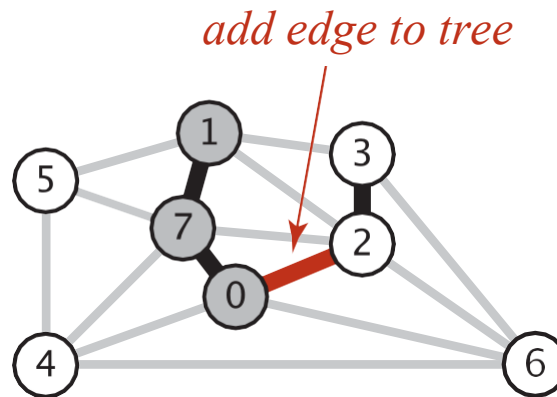
an edge-weighted graph

0 - 7	1	←
2 - 3	2	←
1 - 7	3	←
0 - 2	4	←
5 - 7	5	←
1 - 3	6	←
1 - 5	7	←
2 - 7	8	←
4 - 5	9	←
1 - 2	10	←
4 - 7	11	←
0 - 4	12	←
2 - 6	13	←
3 - 6	14	←
0 - 6	15	←
4 - 6	16	←

Kruskal's Algorithm: Correctness Proof

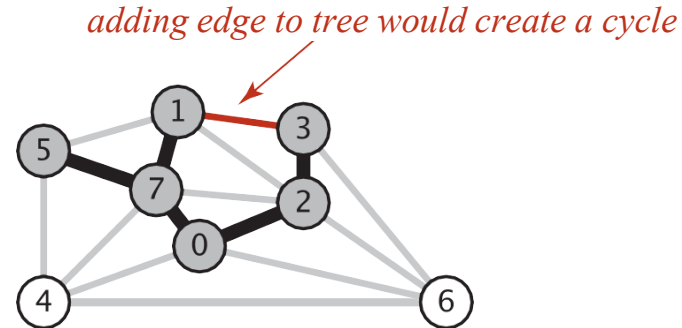
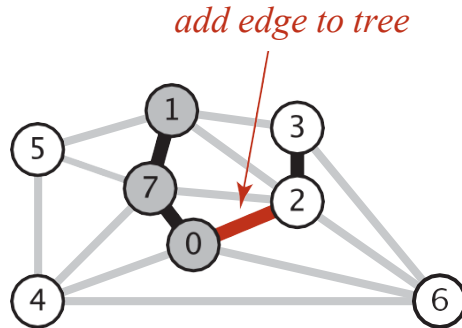
Pf. Kruskal's algorithm is a **special case** of the greedy MST algorithm.

- Suppose Kruskal's algorithm colors the edge $e = v-w$ black.
- Cut = set of vertices connected to v in tree T .
- No crossing edge is black.
- No crossing edge has lower weight.



Kruskal's Algorithm: Implementation Challenge

Challenge. Would adding edge $v-w$ to tree T create a cycle? If not, add it.



Solution 1. run **DFS** from v , check if w is reachable (T has at most $V - 1$ edges)

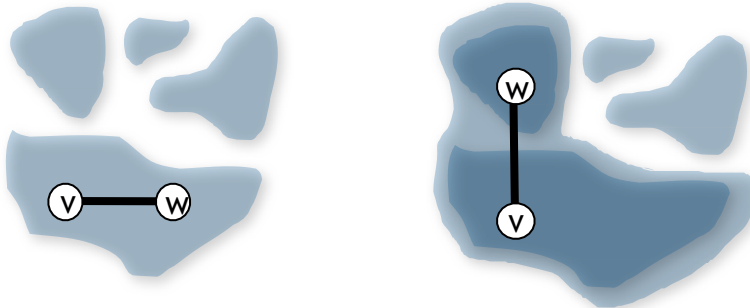
$O(V)$

Solution 2. Use the **union-find** data structure.

- Maintain a set for each connected component in T .
- If v and w are in same set, then adding $v-w$ would create a cycle.
- To add $v-w$ to T , merge sets containing v and w .

$O(\log V)$

← more efficient



A **union-find** data structure keeps track of a set of elements partitioned into a number of disjoint subsets. It performs two useful operations:

Find: Determine which subset a particular element is in. This can be used for determining if two elements are in the same subset.

Union: Join two subsets into a single subset.

Case 1: adding $v-w$ creates a cycle Case 2: add $v-w$ to T and merge sets containing v and w

Kruskal's Algorithm: Java Implementation

```
public class KruskalMST
{
    private Queue<Edge> mst = new LinkedList<Edge>();

    public KruskalMST(EdgeWeightedGraph G)
    {
        Edge[] edges = G.edges();
        Arrays.sort(edges);
        UF uf = new UF(G.V());

        for (int i = 0; i < G.E(); i++)
        {
            Edge e = edges[i];
            int v = e.either(), w = e.other(v);
            if (uf.find(v) != uf.find(w))
            {
                uf.union(v, w);
                mst.enqueue(e);
            }
        }
    }

    public Iterable<Edge> edges()
    { return mst; }
}
```

← edges in the MST

← sort edges by weight

← maintain connected components

← greedily add edges to MST

← edge v-w does not create cycle

← merge connected components

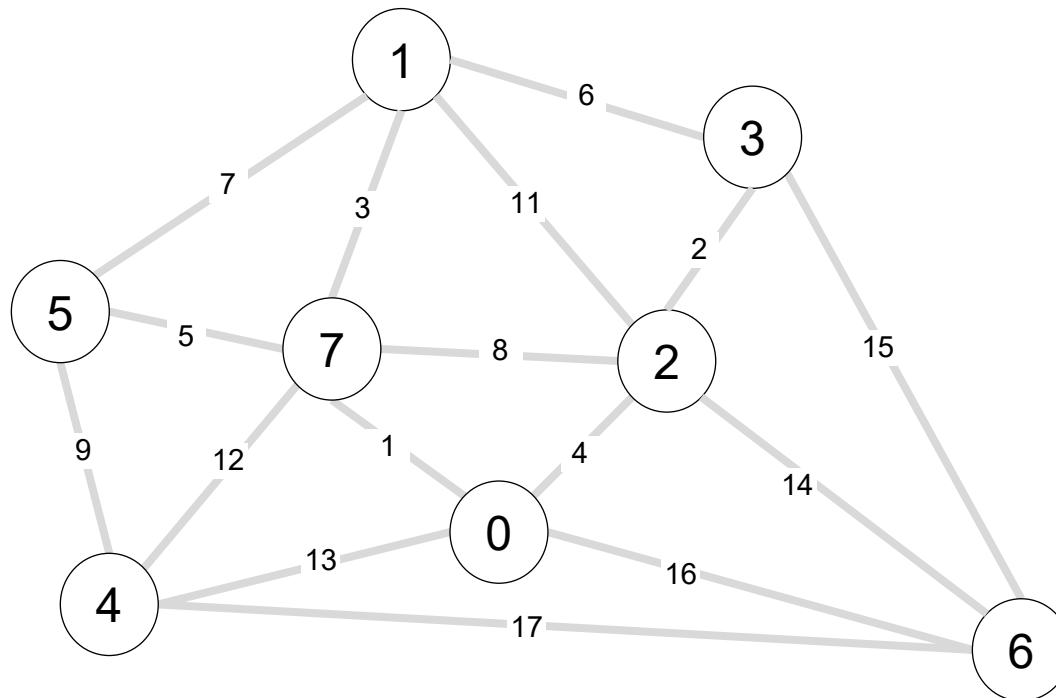
← add edge e to MST

$O(E \log E)$

operation	frequency	time per op
sort	1	$E \log E$
union	$V - 1$	$\log V$
find	$2 E$	$\log V$

Prim's Algorithm

- Start with vertex 0 and greedily grow tree T.
- Add to T the min weight edge with exactly one endpoint in T.
- Repeat until $V - 1$ edges.

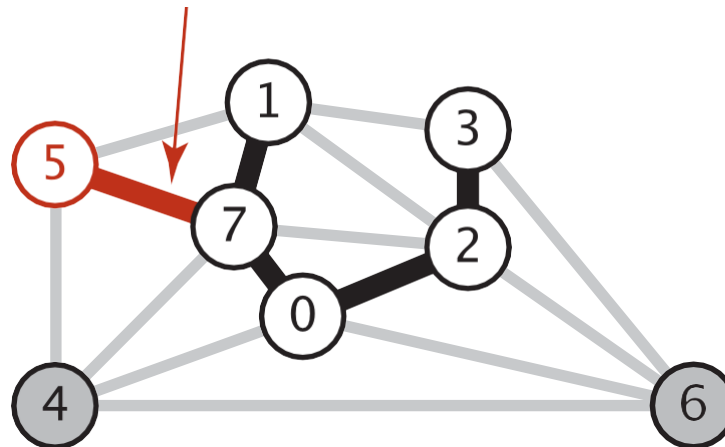


Prim's Algorithm: Correctness Proof

Pf. Prim's algorithm is a **special case** of the greedy MST algorithm

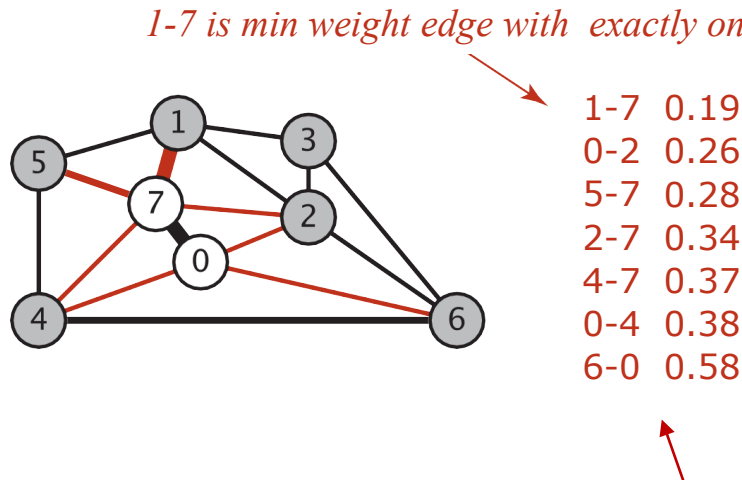
- Suppose edge e = min weight edge connecting a vertex on the tree to a vertex not on the tree.
- Cut = set of vertices connected on tree.
- No crossing edge is black.
- No crossing edge has lower weight.

edge $e = 7-5$ added to tree



Prim's Algorithm: Implementation Challenge

Challenge. Find the min weight edge with exactly one endpoint in T .



Solution 1. try all edges $O(E)$

A *Priority Queue* is an extension of queue with following properties.

- 1) Every item has a *priority* associated with it.
- 2) An element with high priority is *dequeued* before an element with low priority.

Solution 2. Lazy solution. Maintain a **PQ** of edges with (at least) one endpoint in T .

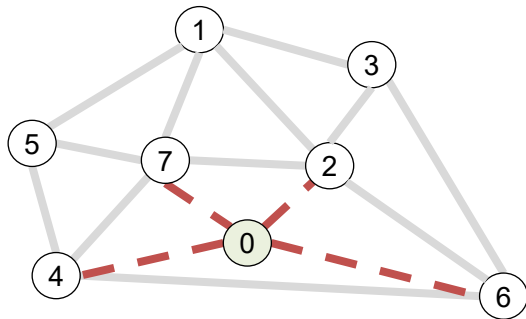
- Key = edge; priority = weight of edge.
- Delete-min to determine next edge $e = v-w$ to add to T .
- Disregard if both endpoints v and w are marked (both in T).
- Otherwise, let w be the unmarked vertex (not in T):
 - ✓ add to PQ any edge incident to w (assuming other endpoint not in T)
 - ✓ add e to T and mark w

← more efficient

$O(\log E)$

Prim's Algorithm: Lazy Implementation

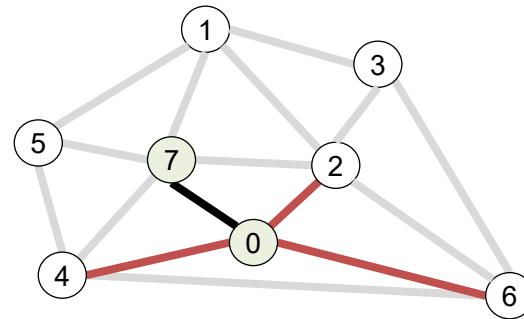
- Start with vertex 0 and greedily grow tree T.
- Add to T the min weight edge with exactly one endpoint in T.
- Repeat until $V - 1$ edges.



add to PQ all edges incident to 0

edges on PQ
(sorted by weight)

* 0 - 7	1
* 0 - 2	4
* 0 - 4	12
* 0 - 6	15

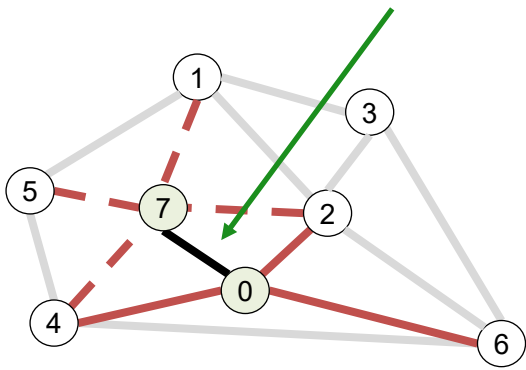


delete 0-7 and add to MST

edges on PQ
(sorted by weight)

0 - 2	4
0 - 4	12
0 - 6	15

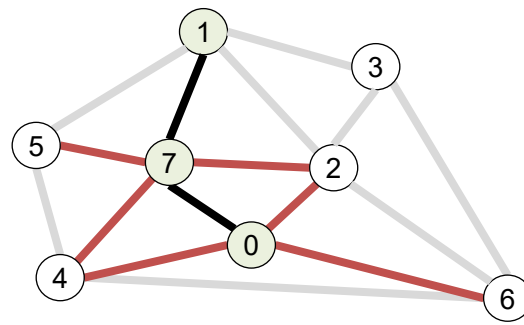
no need to add 0-7 (because both endpoints are in T)



add to PQ all edges incident to 7

edges on PQ
(sorted by weight)

* 1 - 7	3
0 - 2	4
* 5 - 7	5
* 2 - 7	8
* 4 - 7	11
0 - 4	12
0 - 6	15



delete 1-7 and add to MST

edges on PQ
(sorted by weight)

0 - 2	4
5 - 7	5
2 - 7	8
4 - 7	11
0 - 4	12
0 - 6	15

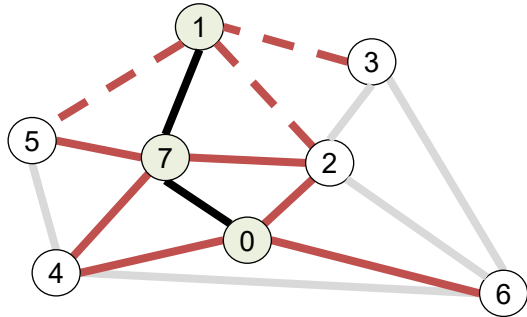
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2 - 7	8
4 - 5	9
1 - 2	10
4 - 7	11
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2 - 6	13
3 - 6	14
0 - 6	15
4 - 6	16

MST edges:

0 - 7	1
1 - 7	3

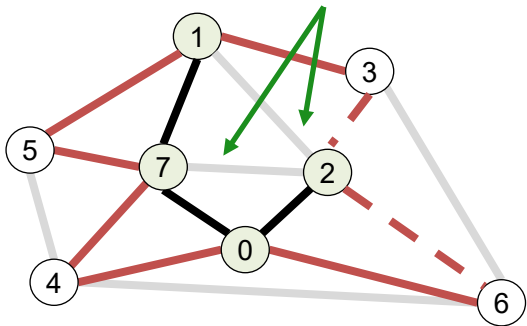
Prim's Algorithm: Lazy Implementation (Contd.)

- Start with vertex 0 and greedily grow tree T.
- Add to T the min weight edge with exactly one endpoint in T.
- Repeat until $V - 1$ edges.



add to PQ all edges incident to 1

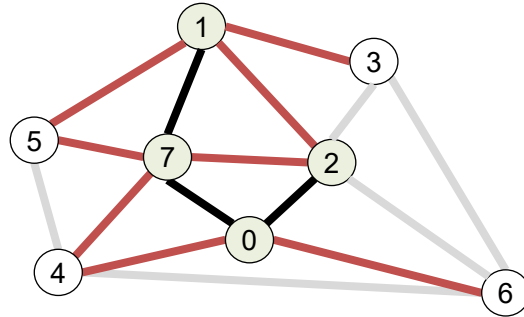
1-2 and 2-7 become obsolete
(lazy implementation leaves on PQ)



add to PQ all edges incident to 2

edges on PQ
(sorted by weight)

	0 - 2	4
	5 - 7	5
*	1 - 3	6
*	1 - 5	7
	2 - 7	8
*	1 - 2	10
	4 - 7	11
	0 - 4	12
	0 - 6	15



delete 0-2 and add to MST

edges on PQ
(sorted by weight)

5 - 7	5
1 - 3	6
1 - 5	7
2 - 7	8
1 - 2	10
4 - 7	11
0 - 4	12
0 - 6	15

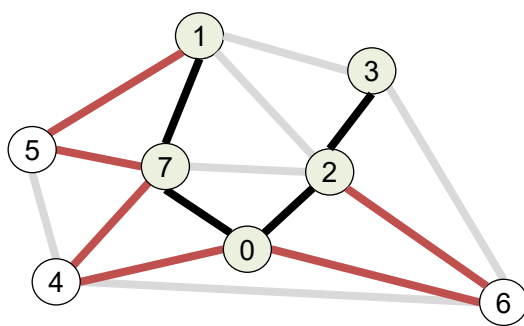
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1 - 2	10
4 - 7	11
0 - 4	12
2 - 6	13
3 - 6	14
0 - 6	15
4 - 6	16

MST edges:

0 - 7	1
1 - 7	3
0 - 2	4
2 - 3	2

edges on PQ
(sorted by weight)

*	2 - 3	2
	5 - 7	5
	1 - 3	6
	1 - 5	7
	2 - 7	8
	1 - 2	10
	4 - 7	11
	0 - 4	12
*	2 - 6	13
	0 - 6	15



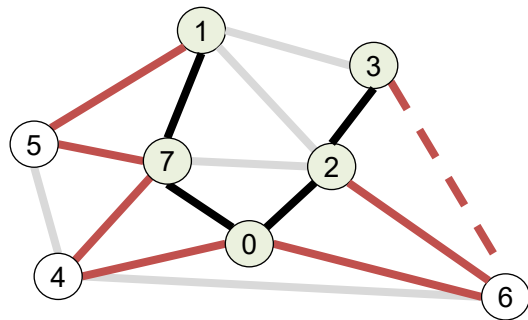
delete 2-3 and add to MST

edges on PQ
(sorted by weight)

5 - 7	5
1 - 3	6
1 - 5	7
2 - 7	8
1 - 2	10
4 - 7	11
0 - 4	12
2 - 6	13
0 - 6	15

Prim's Algorithm: Lazy Implementation (Contd.)

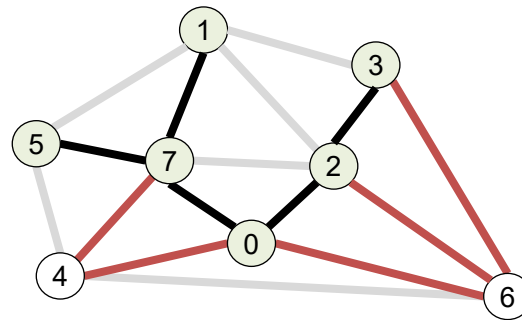
- Start with vertex 0 and greedily grow tree T.
- Add to T the min weight edge with exactly one endpoint in T.
- Repeat until $V - 1$ edges.



add to PQ all edges incident to 3

edges on PQ
(sorted by weight)

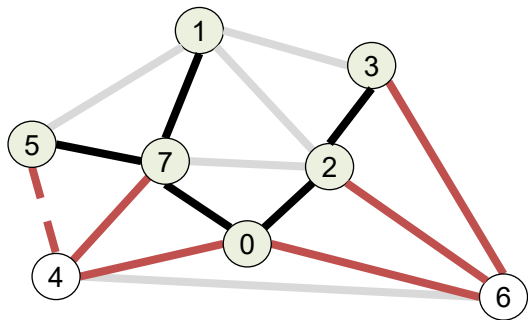
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1 - 3	6
1 - 5	7
2 - 7	8
1 - 2	10
4 - 7	11
0 - 4	12
2 - 6	13
* 3 - 6	14
0 - 6	15



delete 5-7 and add to MST

edges on PQ
(sorted by weight)

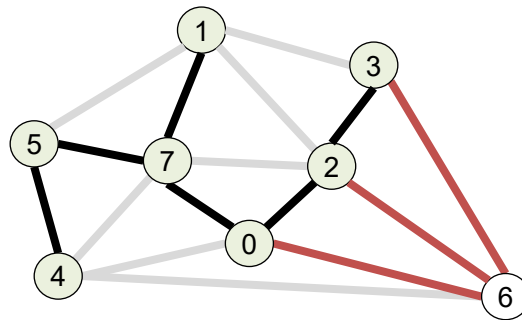
1 - 3	6
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2 - 6	13
3 - 6	14
0 - 6	15



add to PQ all edges incident to 5

edges on PQ
(sorted by weight)

1 - 3	6
1 - 5	7
2 - 7	8
* 4 - 5	9
1 - 2	10
4 - 7	11
0 - 4	12
2 - 6	13
3 - 6	14
0 - 6	15



delete 1-3, 1-5, and 2-7
and discard obsolete edge
delete 4-5 and add to MST

edges on PQ
(sorted by weight)

1 - 2	10
4 - 7	11
0 - 4	12
2 - 6	13
3 - 6	14
0 - 6	15

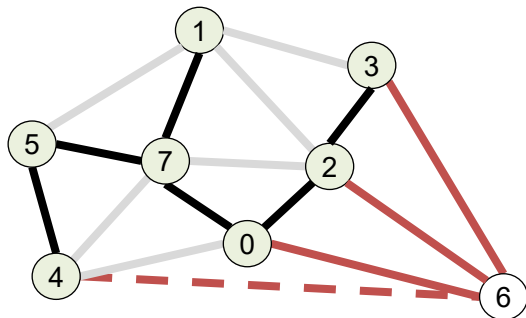
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4 - 5	9
1 - 2	10
4 - 7	11
0 - 4	12
2 - 6	13
3 - 6	14
0 - 6	15
4 - 6	16

MST edges:

0 - 7	1
1 - 7	3
0 - 2	4
2 - 3	2
5 - 7	5
4 - 5	9

Prim's Algorithm: Lazy Implementation (Contd.)

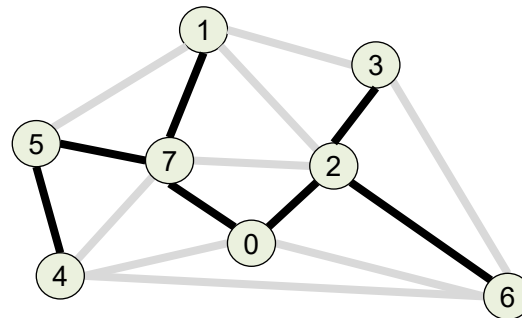
- Start with vertex 0 and greedily grow tree T.
- Add to T the min weight edge with exactly one endpoint in T.
- Repeat until $V - 1$ edges.



add to PQ all edges incident to 4

edges on PQ
(sorted by weight)

1 - 2	10
4 - 7	11
0 - 4	12
2 - 6	13
3 - 6	14
0 - 6	15
* 4 - 6	16



delete 1-2, 4-7, and 0-4
and discard obsolete edge
delete 2-6 and add to MST

edges on PQ
(sorted by weight)

3 - 6	14
0 - 6	15
4 - 6	16

0 - 7	1
2 - 3	2
1 - 7	3
0 - 2	4
5 - 7	5
1 - 3	6
1 - 5	7
2 - 7	8
4 - 5	9
1 - 2	10
4 - 7	11
0 - 4	12
2 - 6	13
3 - 6	14
0 - 6	15
4 - 6	16

MST edges:

0 - 7	1
1 - 7	3
0 - 2	4
2 - 3	2
5 - 7	5
4 - 5	9
2 - 6	13

stop since $V-1$ edges

Prim's Algorithm: Lazy Implementation in Java

```
public class LazyPrimMST {
    private boolean[] marked;    // MST vertices
    private Queue<Edge> mst;     // MST edges
    private MinPQ<Edge> pq;     // PQ of edges
```

```
    public LazyPrimMST(WeightedGraph G) {
        pq = new MinPQ<Edge>();
        mst = new Queue<Edge>();
        marked = new boolean[G.V()];
        visit(G, 0);
```

```
        while (!pq.isEmpty() && mst.size() < G.V() - 1) {
            Edge e = pq.delMin();
            int v = e.either(), w = e.other(v);
            if (marked[v] && marked[w]) continue;
            mst.enqueue(e);
            if (!marked[v]) visit(G, v);
            if (!marked[w]) visit(G, w);
        }
    }
```

```
    private void visit(WeightedGraph G, int v) {
        marked[v] = true;
        for (Edge e : G.adj(v))
            if (!marked[e.other(v)])
                pq.insert(e);
    }

    public Iterable<Edge> mst()
    { return mst; }
```

$O(E \log E)$

implement priority queue

operation	frequency	binary heap
delete min	E	log E
insert	E	log E

← assume G is connected

← repeatedly delete the
min weight edge $e = v-w$ from PQ

← ignore if both endpoints in T

← add edge e to tree

← add v or w to tree

← add v to T

← for each edge $e = v-w$, add to
PQ if w not already in T

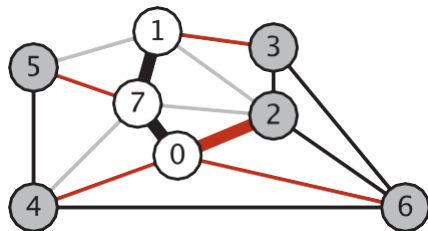
Prim's Algorithm: Eager Implementation

Challenge. Find the min weight edge with exactly one endpoint in T.

pq has at most one entry per vertex

Eager solution. Maintain a **PQ** of **vertices** connected by an edge to T, where priority of vertex v = weight of shortest edge connecting v to T.

- Delete min vertex v and add its associated edge $e = v-w$ to T.
- Update PQ by considering all edges $e = v-x$ incident to v
 - ✓ ignore if x is already in T
 - ✓ add x to PQ if not already on it
 - ✓ if already on PQ, decrease priority of x if $v-x$ becomes shortest edge connecting x to T



0		
1	1-7	0.19
2	0-2	0.26
3	1-3	0.29
4	0-4	0.38
5	5-7	0.28
6	6-0	0.58
7	0-7	0.16

red: on PQ

black: on MST

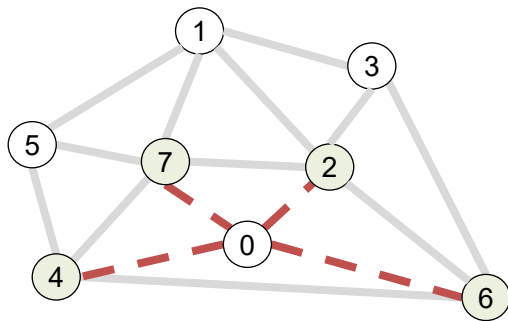
Motivation: the height of the binary-heap PQ would be reduced → $O(\log V)$

Prim's Algorithm: Eager Implementation

- Start with vertex 0 and greedily grow tree T.
- Add to T the min weight edge with exactly one endpoint in T.
- Repeat until $V - 1$ edges.

MST edges:

0 - 7 1

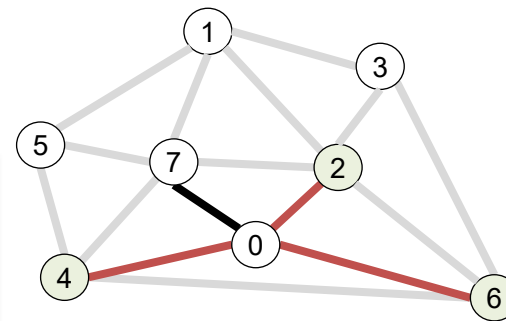


add to PQ the vertices incident to 0

vertices on PQ
(sorted by weight)

v edgeTo[] distTo[]

* 7	0 - 7	1
* 2	0 - 2	4
* 4	0 - 4	12
* 6	0 - 6	15



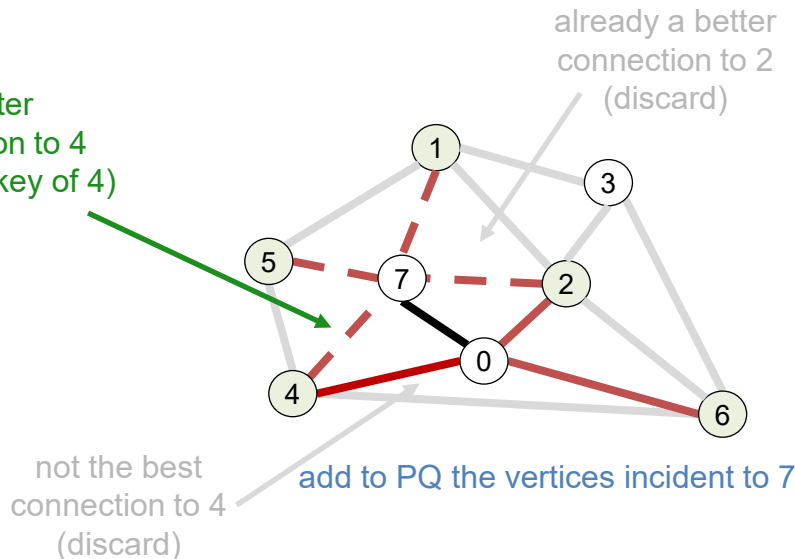
Delete 7 and add 0-7 to T

vertices on PQ
(sorted by weight)

v edgeTo[] distTo[]

2	0 - 2	4
4	0 - 4	12
6	0 - 6	15

a better
connection to 4
(decrease key of 4)



already a better
connection to 2
(discard)

vertices on PQ
(sorted by weight)

v edgeTo[] distTo[]

* 1	1 - 7	3
2	0 - 2	4
* 5	5 - 7	5
4	0 - 4	12
6	0 - 6	15

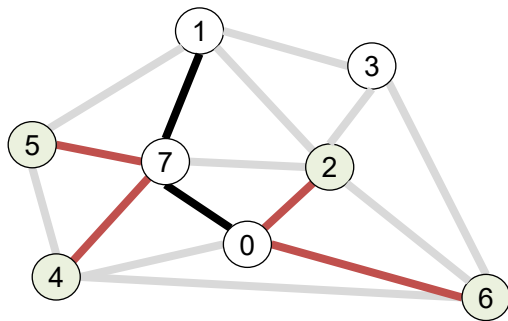
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4 - 6	16

Prim's Algorithm: Eager Implementation

MST edges:

0 - 7 1
1 - 7 3
0 - 2 4

- Start with vertex 0 and greedily grow tree T.
- Add to T the min weight edge with exactly one endpoint in T.
- Repeat until $V - 1$ edges.

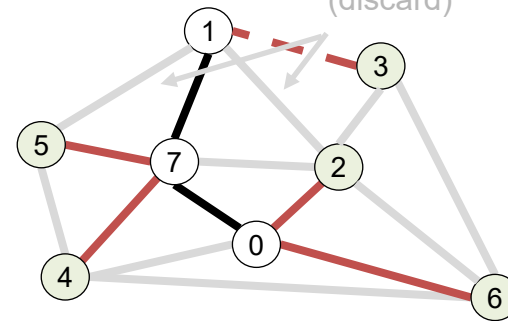


vertices on PQ
(sorted by weight)

v edgeTo[] distTo[]

2	0 - 2	4
5	5 - 7	5
4	4 - 7	11
6	0 - 6	15

Delete 1 and add 1-7 to T



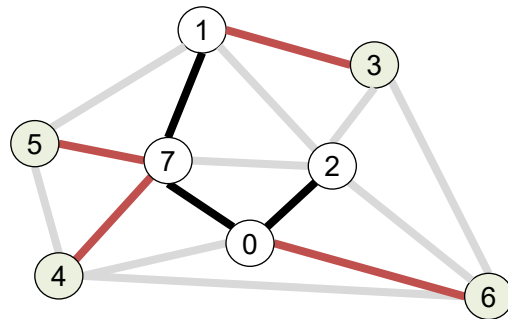
already a better
connection to 5 and 2
(discard)

vertices on PQ
(sorted by weight)

v edgeTo[] distTo[]

2	0 - 2	4
5	5 - 7	5
* 3	1 - 3	6
4	4 - 7	11
6	0 - 6	15

add to PQ the vertices incident to 1



vertices on PQ
(sorted by weight)

v edgeTo[] distTo[]

5	5 - 7	5
3	1 - 3	6
4	4 - 7	11
6	0 - 6	15

Delete 2 and add 0-2 to T

0 - 7 1
2 - 3 2
1 - 7 3
0 - 2 4
5 - 7 5
1 - 3 6
1 - 5 7
2 - 7 8
4 - 5 9
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4 - 7 11
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2 - 6 13
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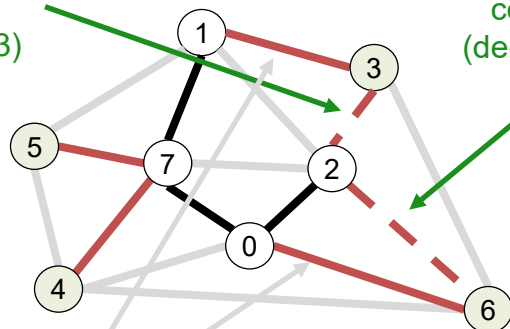
Prim's Algorithm: Eager Implementation

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- Repeat until $V - 1$ edges.

MST edges:

0 - 7 1
1 - 7 3
0 - 2 4
2 - 3 2

a better connection to 3 (decrease key of 3)
a better connection to 6 (decrease key of 6)



vertices on PQ
(sorted by weight)

v edgeTo[] distTo[]

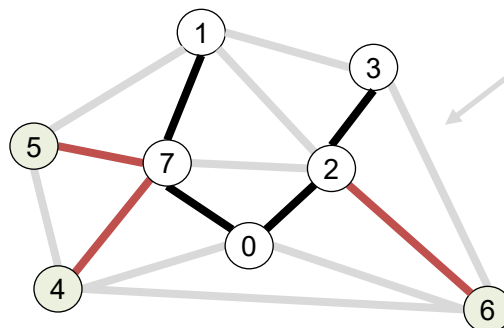
5	5 - 7	5
3	1 - 3	6
4	4 - 7	11
6	0 - 6	15

2 - 6 13

add to PQ the vertices incident to 2

no longer the best connection to 3 and 6 (discard)

already a better connection to 6 (discard)



Delete 3 and add 2-3 to T
add to PQ the vertices incident to 3

vertices on PQ
(sorted by weight)

v edgeTo[] distTo[]

5	5 - 7	5
4	4 - 7	11
6	2 - 6	13

0 - 7 1
2 - 3 2
1 - 7 3
0 - 2 4
5 - 7 5
1 - 3 6
1 - 5 7
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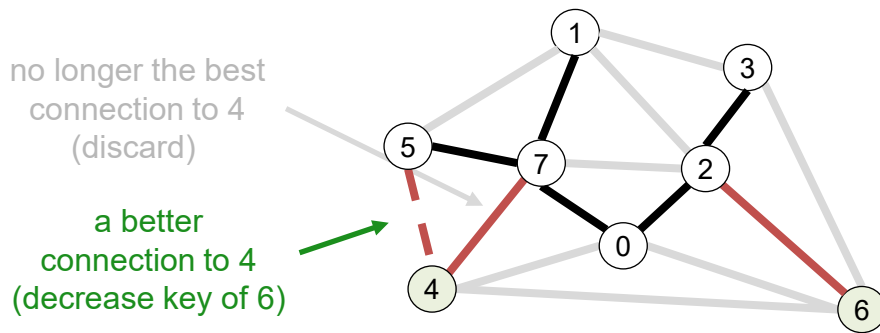
Prim's Algorithm: Eager Implementation

- Start with vertex 0 and greedily grow tree T.
- Add to T the min weight edge with exactly one endpoint in T.
- Repeat until $V - 1$ edges.

MST edges:

0 - 7 1
1 - 7 3
0 - 2 4
2 - 3 2
5 - 7 5
4 - 5 9
2 - 6 13

0 - 7 1
2 - 3 2
1 - 7 3
0 - 2 4
5 - 7 5
1 - 3 6
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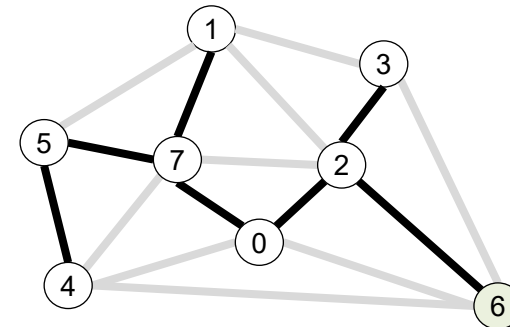


Delete 5 and add 5-7 to T
add to PQ the vertices incident to 5

vertices on PQ
(sorted by weight)

v edgeTo[] distTo[]

v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
4	4 - 7	11
6	2 - 6	13

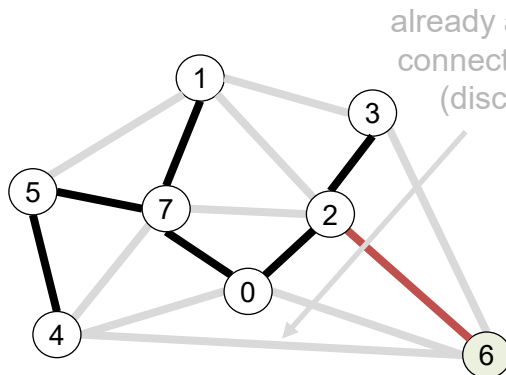


Delete 2 and add 2-6 to T

vertices on PQ
(sorted by weight)

v edgeTo[] distTo[]

v	edgeTo[]	distTo[]
6	2 - 6	13

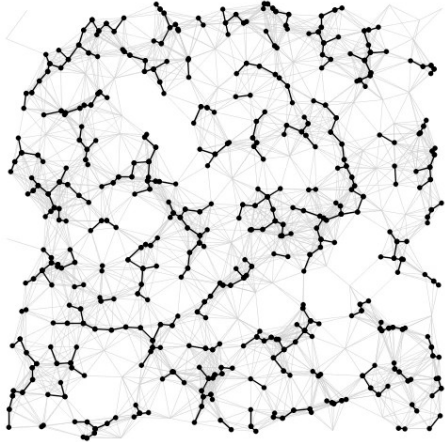
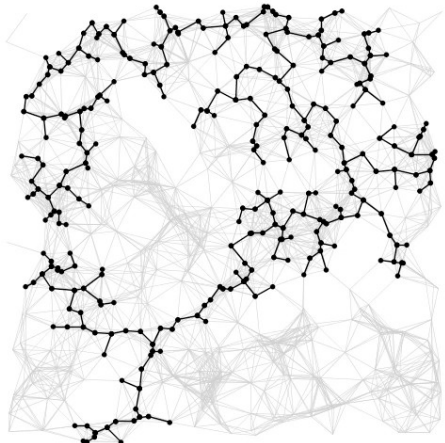


Delete 4 and add 4-5 to T
add to PQ the vertices incident to 4

$O(E \log V)$

operation	frequency	time per op
Insert	E	$\log V$
delete min	E	$\log V$
decrease key	E	$\log V$

Summary

algorithm	visualization	bottleneck	running time
Kruskal		sorting union-find	$E \log V$
Prim		priority queue	$E \log V$

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vmWSnkBVvQ0>

Additional Resources

- Union-Find

- <https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/union-find/>

- Priority Queue

- <https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/priority-queue-set-1-introduction/>

- Binary Heap

- <https://www.cs.cmu.edu/~adamchik/15-121/lectures/Binary%20Heaps/heaps.html>