Minimum Spawning Tree

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Problem definition



The MST problem



Concepts



(Somewhat) realistic use-cases and input sets?

- G(n,p)
- Preferential attachment
 - Social networks



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Algorithms



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A few ideas



Correctness

How to verify correctness of the parallelization?



Environment



Architecture



EULER Cluster

Xeon
$$Ex, x \in \{3, 5, 7\}$$

x86_64 architecture

Source: https://scicomp.ethz.ch/wiki/Euler



Tools



- CMake v3.3+
- C++11 GCC v4.9.2+
- OpenMPI (shared memory) v1.6.5+



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Benchmarking



Tools

- Measures : LibSciBench library
- Interpretation :
 - LibSciBench's R scripts
 - (Custom python scripts)

Ref : https://spcl.inf.ethz.ch/Research/Performance/LibLSB/

Baseline



Borůvka's serial algorithm $O(E \cdot log(V))$

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Otakar_Bor%C5%AFvka

