

# Graphs

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# The Use of Graphs

### Konigsberg Bridge Problem

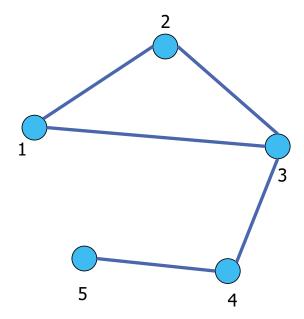
- ■The first record (1736)
  - Solved by Euler (1707-1783)
- Problem: Walk across all the bridges exactly once
- ■Formulate as a graph
- ■Prove: possible
  - Iff the degree of each vertex is even



# **Graph Concept**

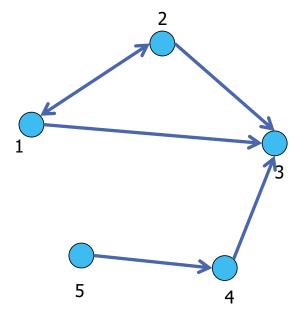
#### **Undirected Graph**

- ■Graph G=(V,E)
  - V = set of vertices
  - E = set of edges
- ■Undirected graph
  - E={(1,2),(1,3),(2,3),(3,4),(4,5)}



#### **Directed Graph**

- ■Graph G=(V,E)
  - V = set of vertices
  - E = set of edges
- ■Directed graph
  - <u,v> ≠ <v,u>
  - $\blacksquare$  <u,v>  $\rightarrow$  u is tail and v is head of edge
  - E={<1,2>,<2,1>,<2,3>,<1,3>,<4,3>,<5,4>}



#### Restrictions

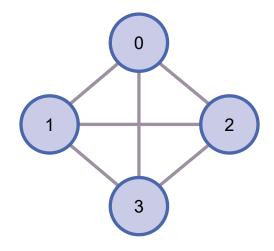
- ■Self edges and self loops are not permitted
  - Edges of the form (v, v) and <v, v> are not legal
- ■A graph may not have multiple occurrences of the same edge (*multigraph*)

### Terminology

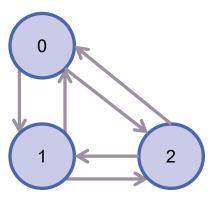
- ■For a graph with n vertices, the maximum # of edges:
  - n(n-1)/2 for undirected graph
  - n(n-1) for directed graph
- ■Vertices u and v are **adjacent** if (u,v) ∈ E
  - Edge (u,v) is **incident** on vertices u and v
- ■<u,v>, u is adjacent to v and v is adjacent from u
  - Edge <u,v> is **incident** on vertices u and v

# Complete Graph

- ■Complete undirected graph
  - Graph with n vertices has exactly n(n-1)/2 edges

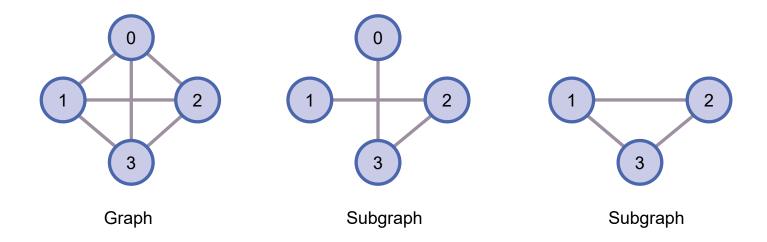


- ■Complete directed graph
  - Graph with n vertices has exactly n(n-1) edges



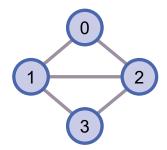
# Subgraph

- ■G' is a subgraph of G
  - $V(G') \subseteq V(G)$  and  $E(G') \subseteq E(G)$ .



#### Path

- ■A path from **u** to **v** 
  - A sequence of vertices  $\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{i}_1, \mathbf{i}_2, ..., \mathbf{i}_k$ ,  $\mathbf{v}$
  - $\bullet$  (u, i<sub>1</sub>), (i<sub>1</sub>, i<sub>2</sub>),..., (i<sub>k</sub>, v) are edges in graph
- ■Simple path:
  - A path in which all vertices are distinct
    - Except possibly the first and the last



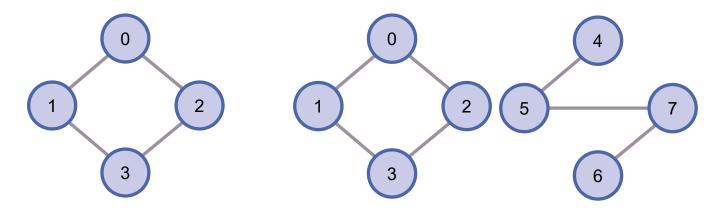
Sequence	Path?	Simple path?
0,1,3,2		
0,2,0,1		
0,3,2,1		

## Cycle

- ■A cycle is a simple path
  - The first and the last vertices are the same
- ■Notes: if the graph is a directed graph:
  - Directed path
  - Directed simple path
  - Directed cycle

#### Connected

- ■Undirected graph G is said to be connected
  - iff there is a path for every pair of distinct vertices

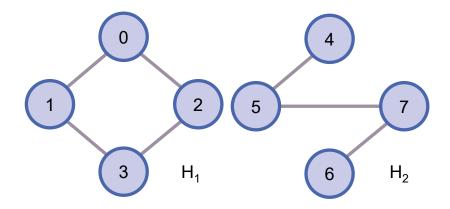


Connected graph

Not a connected graph

# **Connected Component**

■A maximal connected subgraph

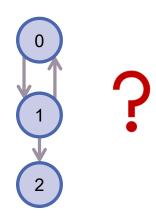


Graph with two connected components

- ■Tree:
  - A connected acyclic graph

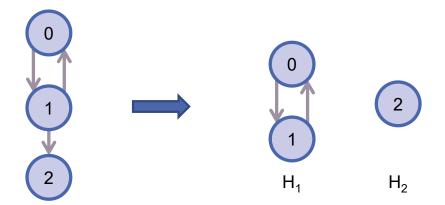
# **Strongly Connected**

- ■Directed graph G is strongly connected
  - iff there is a directed path for every pair of distinct vertices



# **Strongly Connected Component**

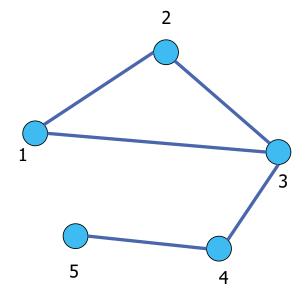
A maximal subgraph that is strongly connected



Two strongly connected components

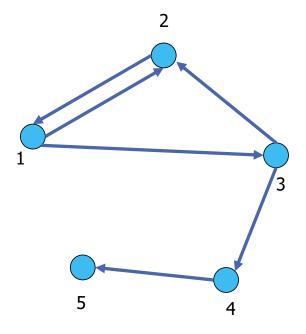
# Degree of Undirected Graph

- degree d(i) of node i
  - number of edges a node i involved
- degree sequence
  - [d(1),d(2),d(3),d(4),d(5)]
  - **•** [2,2,3,2,1]



### Degree of Directed Graph

- in-degree d<sub>in</sub>(i) of node i
  - number of edges pointing
- out-degree d<sub>out</sub>(i) of node i
  - number of edges leaving node i
- Degree of v = in-degree + out-degree
- in-degree sequence
  - **•** [1,2,1,1,1]
- out-degree sequence
  - **•** [2,1,2,1,0]

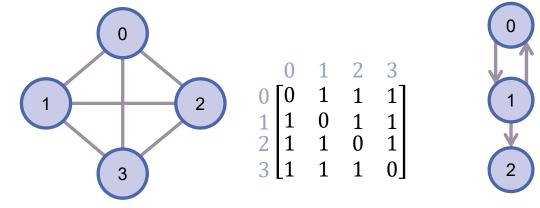




# **Graph Representation**

### Adjacency Matrix

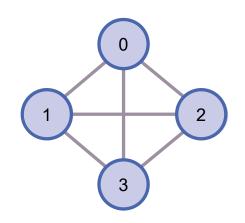
- ■A two dimensional array
  - a[i][j] = 1 iff the edge (i,j) or <i,j> is in E(G)

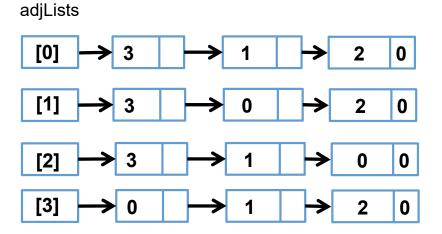


- ■Waste of memory when a graph is sparse
  - Storage

#### Adjacency Lists in Undirected Graph

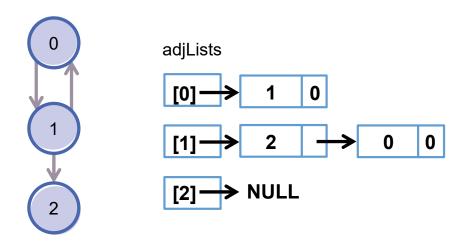
■Use a chain to represent each vertex and its **adjacent** vertices





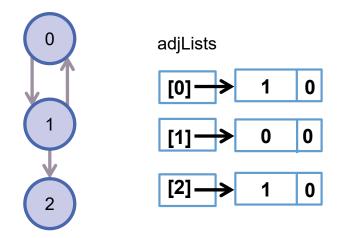
# Adjacency Lists in Directed Graph

- ■Use a chain to represent each vertex and its adjacent to vertices
  - Length of list = Out-degree of v



#### Inverse Adjacency Lists in Directed Graph

- ■Use a chain to represent each vertex and its adjacent from vertices
  - Length of list = In-degree of v



### Weighted Edges

- Edges of a graph sometimes have weights associated with them
  - Distance from one vertex to another.
  - Cost of going from one vertex to an adjacent vertex.
- ■Use additional field in each edge to store the weight
- ■A graph with weighted edges is called a network

#### **ADT:** Graph

```
class Graph
{// object: A nonempty set of vertices and a set of undirected edges.
public:
 virtual ~Graph() {}
                               // virtual destructor
 bool IsEmpty() const{return n == 0};  // return true iff graph has no vertices
 int NumberOfVertices() const{return n}; // return the # of vertices
 int NumberOfEdges() const{return e};  // return the # of edges
 virtual int Degree(int u) const = 0;  // return the degree of a vertex
 virtual bool ExistsEdge (int u, int v) const = 0; // check the existence of edge
 virtual void InsertEdge(int u, int v) = 0;  // insert an edge (u, v)
 virtual void DeleteVertex(int v) = 0;
                                           // delete a vertex v
 virtual void DeleteEdge(int u, int v) = 0;  // delete an edge (u, v)
 // More graph operations...
protected:
 int n; // number of vertices
 int e; // number of edges
```

### Implementation Notes

- ■Several assumptions:
  - Data type of edge weight is **double** 
    - Or represented as a template parameter
- Operations are independent of specific graph representation
- ■The **iterator** is used to visit adjacent vertices

## Example: LinkedGraph

```
void Graph::foo(void){
  // use iterator to visit adjacent vertices of v
  for (each vertex w adjacent to v)...
}
```



# **Elementary Graph Operations**

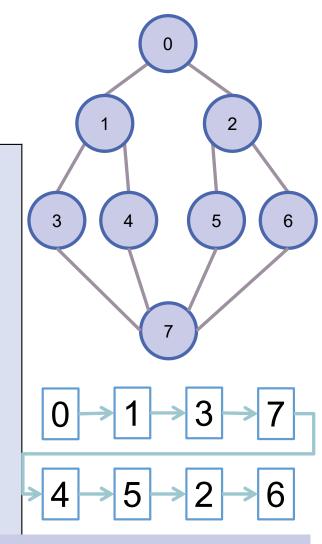
## **Graph Operations**

- ■Graph traversal
  - Depth-first search
  - Breadth-first search
- **■**Connected components
- ■Spanning trees

# Depth-First Search (DFS)

- ■Starting from a vertex v
  - Visit the vertex v => DFS(v)
  - For each vertex w adjacent to v, if w is not visited yet, then visit w => DFS(w).
  - If a vertex u is reached such that all its adjacent vertices have been visited, we go back to the last visited vertex.
- ■The search terminates when no unvisited vertex can be reached from any of the visited vertices.

#### Non-Recursive DFS



Note that there are other possibilities

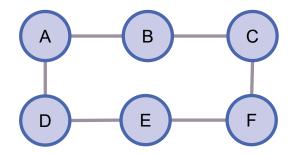
#### Recursive DFS

```
void Graph::DFS(void) {
    visited = new bool[n]; // this is a data member of Graph
    fill(visited, visited+n, false);
    DFS(0); // start search at vertex 0
    delete [] visited;
}

void Graph::DFS(const int v) {
    // visit all previously unvisited vertices that are adjacent to
    v
    output(v);
    visited[v]=true;
    for(each vertex w adjacent to v)
        if(!visited[w]) DFS(w);
}
```

## **DFS Complexity**

- Adjacency matrix
  - Time to determine all adjacent vertices: O(n)
  - At most n vertices are visited:  $O(n \times n) = O(n^2)$



# **DFS Complexity**

- Adjacency lists
  - There are n+2e chain nodes
  - Each node in the adjacency lists is examined at most once.
  - Total time complexity = O(n+e)

## Breadth-First Search (BFS)

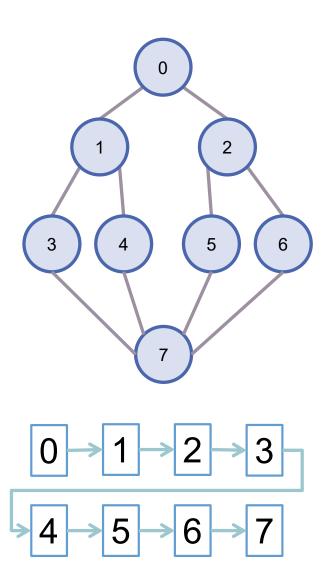
- ■Starting from a vertex v
  - Visit the vertex v
  - Visit all unvisited vertices adjacent to v
  - Unvisited vertices adjacent to these newly visited vertices are then visited

#### Real Life Examples of BFS

- ■Network Broadcasting: broadcast messages to all connected devices
- ■Social Networks
  - Meet your friend's friends before hopping to another networks
- ■Some "rare" students in school:
  - They would like to try many clubs before studying
  - They cannot stay with one partner
- Attention deficit hyperactivity disorder, ADHD

#### **BFS: Implementation**

```
void Graph::BFS(int v) {
  visited = new bool[n]; // this is a data member of Graph
  fill(visited, visited+n, false);
  Queue<int> q; // declare and init a queue
  q. Push (v);
  visited[v]=true;
  while(!q.IsEmpty()){
     v = q.Front(); q.Pop();
     output(v);
     for(each vertex w adjacent to v) {
       if(!visited[w]){
         q.Push(w);
         visited[w]=true; }
  delete [] visited;
                           Time complexity is the same as DFS
```

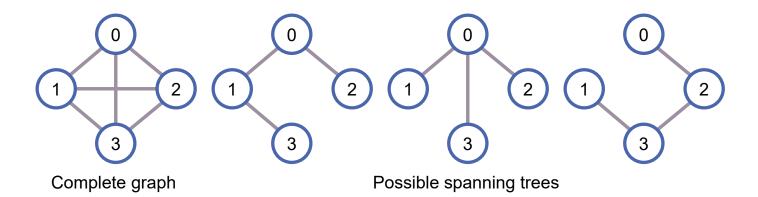


#### **Connected Components**

- Determine whether a graph is connected
  - Call DFS or BFS once
  - Check if there is any unvisited vertices
  - Yes, then the graph is not connected.
- ■How to identify connected components
  - Call DFS or BFS repeatedly
  - Each call will output a connected component
  - Start next call at an unvisited vertex

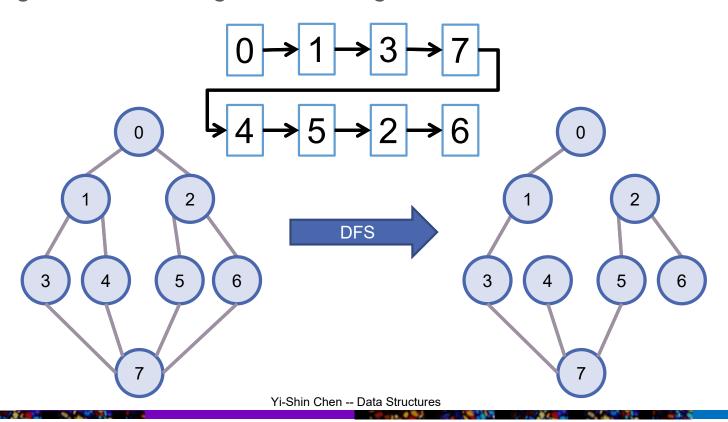
#### **Spanning Trees**

- ■Any tree consists of solely of edges in E(G) and including all vertices of V(G)
  - Number of tree edges is n-1.
  - Add a non-tree edge will create a cycle



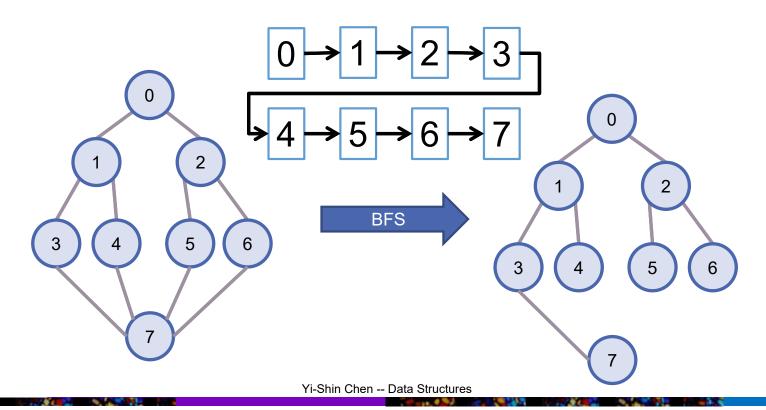
#### **DFS Spanning Tree**

■Tree edges are those edges met during the traversal



## **BFS Spanning Tree**

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## **Self-Study Topics**

- Graph representations
  - Sequential lists
  - Adjacency multilists
- Graph operation
  - Biconnected components

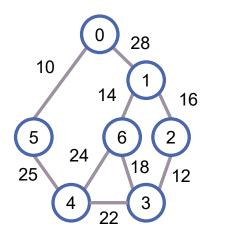


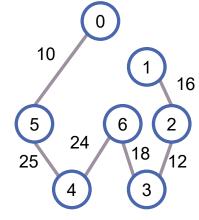


# Minimum-Cost Spanning Trees

### Minimum-Cost Spanning Trees

- ■For a weighted undirected graph
  - Find a spanning tree with least cost of the sum of the edge weights
- ■Three greedy algorithms:
  - Kruskal's algorithm
  - Prims's algorithm
  - Sollin's Algorithm

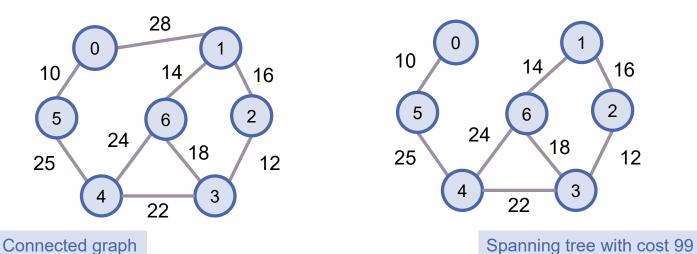




Spanning tree with cost 105

#### Kruskal's Algorithm

- ■Idea: Add edges with minimum cost one at a time
  - Step 1: Find an edge with minimum cost
  - Step 2: If it creates a cycle, discard the edge
  - Step 3: Repeat step 1 and 2 until we find n-1 edges



#### Kruskal's Algorithm

```
Kruskal's algorithm
1. T = $\phi$
2. While((T contains less than n-1 edges)&&(E is not empty)){
3.    choose an edge (v,w) from E of lowest cost;
4.    delete (v,w) from E
5.    if((v,w) does not create a cycle) add (v,w) to T;
6.    else discard (v,w)
7. }
8. If(T contains less than n-1 edges)
9.    cout << "there is no spanning tree!" <<endl;</pre>
```

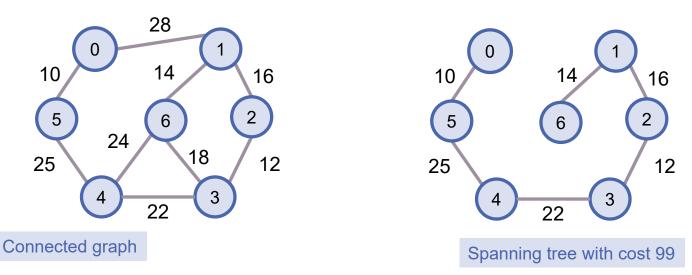
- ■Step 3 & 4: use **min heap** to store edge cost.
- ■Step 5: use **set representation** to group all vertices in the same connected component into a set.
  - For an edge (v,w) to be added, if vertices are in the same set, discard the edge, else merge two sets

#### Time Complexity

- ■Min heap:
  - Step 3&4 : O(log e)
- ■Set:
  - Step 5: O(log e)
- ■At most execute e-1 rounds:
  - $\bullet (e-1) \cdot (\log e + \log e) = O(e \log e)$

#### Prim's Algorithm

- ■Idea: Add edges with minimum edge weight to tree
  - The set of selected edges form a tree
  - Step 1: Start with a tree T contains a single arbitrary vertex
  - Step 2: Add a least cost edge (u,v) to T,  $T \cup (u,v)$  is still a tree
  - Step 3: Repeat step 2 until T contains n-1 edges



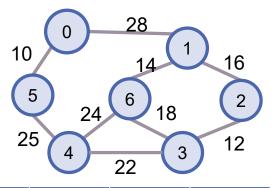
#### Prim's Algorithm

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Prim's algorithm
1. V(T) = {0} // start with vertex 0
2. for(T=ψ; T contains less than n-1 edges; add (u,v) to T) {
3. Let (u,v) be a least cost edge such that u⊆V(T) and v⊈V(T);
4. if (there is no such edge) break;
5. add v to V(T);
6. }
7. If (T contains fewer than n-1 edges)
8. cout << "there is no spanning tree!" <<endl;</pre>
```

#### ■Step 3: use a **near-to-tree** data structure

- Create an array to record the nearest distance of vertices to T
- Only vertices not in V(T) and adjacent to T are recorded

## Running Example



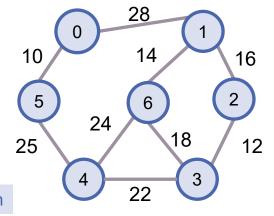
near-to-tree	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
V(T)={0}	*	28	∞	∞	∞	10	∞
V(T)={0,5}	*	28	∞	∞	25	*	∞
V(T)={0,5,4}	*	28	∞	22	*	*	24
V(T)={0,5,4, <mark>3</mark> }	*	28	12	*	*	*	18
V(T)={0,5,4,3, <mark>2</mark> }	*	16	*	*	*	*	18
V(T)={0,5,4,3,2, <mark>1</mark> }	*	*	*	*	*	*	14
V(T)={0,5,4,3,2,1,6}							

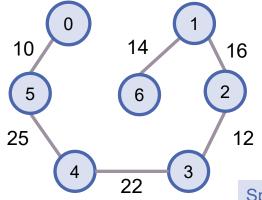
### Time Complexity

- ■Near-to-tree
  - Step 3 : O(n) where n is the number of vertices
- ■At most execute n rounds: O(n²)

### Sollin's (Borůvka's) Algorithm

- ■Idea: Select several edges at each stage
  - Step 1: Start with a forest that has n spanning trees
  - Step 2: Select one minimum cost edge for each tree
  - Step 3: Delete multiple copies of selected edges and if two edges with the same cost connecting two trees, keep only one of them
  - Step 4: Repeat until we obtain only one tree.





Connected graph

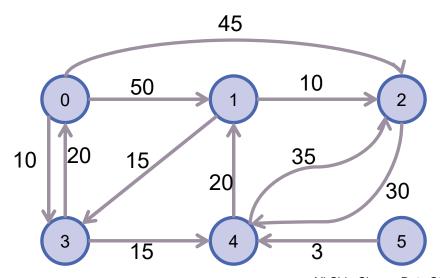
Spanning tree with cost 99



# **Shortest Paths**

#### Single Source Shortest Paths

- ■Single source/all destinations problem
  - Given a directed graph with nonnegative edge costs and a source vertex v, compute a shortest path from v to each of the remaining vertices



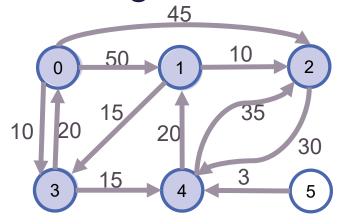
#### Shortest Paths From 0

Path	Length
1) 0, 3, 4, 1	45
2) 0, 2	45
3) 0, 3	10
4) 0, 3, 4	25

#### Dijkstra's Algorithm

- ■Use a set S:
  - Store the vertices whose shortest path have been found
- ■An array *dist*:
  - Store the shortest distances from source v to all visited vertices
  - When a new vertex *w* is visited, update *dist* 
    - $dis[w] = min(dist[u] + length(\langle u, w \rangle), dist[w])$
    - u is the previously visited vertex adjacent to w

## Example for Dijkstra's Algorithm



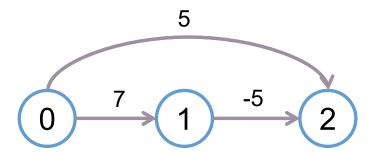
Visited	0	1	2	3	4	5
{ <mark>0</mark> }	00	50 <sub>0</sub>	<b>45</b> <sub>0</sub>	10 <sub>0</sub>	$\infty$	$\infty$
{0, <mark>3</mark> }	00	50 <sub>0</sub>	45 <sub>0</sub>	10 <sub>0</sub>	25 <sub>3</sub>	$\infty$
{0, 3, <mark>4</mark> }	00	45 <sub>4</sub>	45 <sub>0</sub>	10 <sub>0</sub>	25 <sub>3</sub>	$\infty$
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#### Dijkstra's Algorithm

```
1. void MatrixWDigraph::ShortestPath(const int n, const int v)
2. { // \text{dist}[j], 0 \le j < n, stores the shortest path from v to j
     // length[i][j] stores length of edge <i, j>
     for(int i=0; i<n; i++) { s[i]=false; dist[i]=length[v][i];}</pre>
5.
     s[v] = true;
     dist[v] = 0;
7. // find n - 1 paths starting from v
8. for (int i=0; i< n-1; i++) {
      // Choose a vertex u, such that dist[u]
       // is minimum and s[u] = false
      int u = Choose(n);
10.
11.
      s[u] = true;
     for(int w=0; w<n; w++)
12.
     if(!s[w] \&\& dist[u] + length[u][w] < dist[w])
13.
14.
          dist[w] = dist[u] + length[u][w];
      } // end of for (i = 0; ...)
15.
16. }
```

#### Digraph with Negative Costs

- ■This algorithm might apply to digraph with negative cost edges
  - Restriction: The digraph MUST NOT contain cycles of negative length



Digraph with a negative cost edge

#### **All-Pairs Shortest Paths**

- Apply single source shortest path to each of n vertices
- ■Floyd-Warshall's algorithm
  - Dynamic programming approach

#### **Dynamic Programming**

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- ■Usually applied to optimization problems
- ■Improve the inefficient problems
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#### **Dynamic Programming**

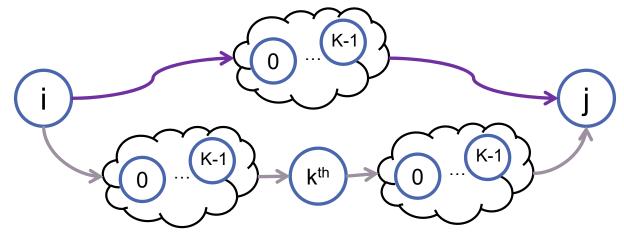
- ■Divide-and-conquer approach
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  - The same recursive call is called repeatedly
- ■Used when sub-problems share sub-sub-problems
- "Programming" refers to a tabular method
  - Remember the solutions
- ■Compute solution in a bottom-up fashion

#### All-Pairs Shortest Paths

- Apply single source shortest path to each of n vertices
- ■Floyd-Warshall's algorithm
  - Dynamic programming approach
  - A<sup>-1</sup>[i][j]: the length[i][j]
  - A<sup>k</sup>[i][j]: the length of the shortest path from i to j going through no intermediate vertex of index greater than k
  - $A^{k}[i][j] = min\{A^{k-1}[i][j], A^{k-1}[i][k] + A^{k-1}[k][j] \}, k \ge 0$
  - A<sup>n-1</sup>[i][j]: the length of the shortest i-to-j path in G

#### Intuition of Floyd-Warshall's Algorithm

- ■There are only two possible paths for A<sup>k</sup>[i][j]
  - The path dose not pass the k<sup>th</sup> vertex
  - The path dose pass the k<sup>th</sup> vertex
- $A^{k}[i][j] = \min\{A^{k-1}[i][j], A^{k-1}[i][k] + A^{k-1}[k][j] \}, k \ge 0$



#### Floyd-Warshall's Algorithm

```
1. void MatrixWDigraph::AllLengths(const int n)
2. {// length[n][n] stores edge length between
    // adjacent vertices
   // a[i][j] stores the shortest path from i to j
   for (int i = 0; i < n; i++)
5.
    for (int j = 0; j < n; j++)
                                              A-1
6.
         a[i][j]= length[i][j];
7.
    // path with top vertex index k
    for (int k=0; k< n; k++)
10
    // all other possible vertices
11
    for (int i= 0; i<n; i++)
                                                 A<sup>0</sup>~A<sup>n-1</sup>
12
      for (int j = 0; j < n; j++)
13
       if((a[i][k]+a[k][j]) < a[i][j])
14
         a[i][j] = a[i][k] + a[k][j];
15.
```

#### Floyd-Warshall's Algorithm

```
1. void MatrixWDigraph::AllLengths(const int n)
2. {// length[n][n] stores edge length between
   // adjacent vertices
3. // a[i][i] stores the shortest path from i to j
4. for (int i = 0; i < n; i++)
5. for (int j = 0; j < n; j++)
6.
        a[i][j]= length[i][j];
7.
8. // path with top vertex index k
9. for (int k = 0; k < n; k++)
10. // all other possible vertices
11. for (int i= 0; i<n; i++)
12. for (int j = 0; j < n; j++)
13. if((a[i][k]+a[k][j]) < a[i][j])
14.
     a[i][j] = a[i][k] + a[k][j];
15. }
```



# Comparison

### Minimum Spanning Tree vs. Shortest Paths

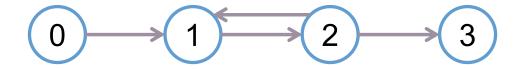
- ■Minimum spanning tree
  - For a weighted undirected graph
  - Find a spanning tree with least cost of the sum of the edge weights
- ■Three greedy algorithms:
  - Kruskal's algorithm
  - Prims's algorithm
  - Sollin's Algorithm

- ■Shortest paths
  - Given a directed graph with nonnegative edge costs
  - compute shortest paths from the source to each of the remaining vertices
- ■Single source
  - Dijkstra's Algorithm
- ■All-Pairs Shortest Paths
  - Floyd-Warshall Algorithm

#### **Transitive Closure**

- ■Determine if there is a path from i to j in a graph with unweighted edges
  - Only positive path lengths → transitive closure
  - Only nonnegative path lengths → reflexive transitive closure
- ■The transitive closure matrix A<sup>+</sup>:
  - A<sup>+</sup>[i][j] = 1 if there is a path of length > 0 from i to j in the graph; otherwise, A<sup>+</sup>[i][j] = 0
- ■The reflexive transitive closure matrix A\*:
  - A\*[i][j] = 1 if there is a path of length >= 0 from i to j in the graph; otherwise, A\*[i][j] = 0
- Use Floyd-Warshall's algorithm!

## Transitive Closure Example



A <sup>+</sup>	0	1	2	3
0	0	1	1	1
1	0	1	1	1
2	0	1	1	1
3	0	0	0	0

<b>A</b> *	0	1	2	3
0	1	1	1	1
1	0	1	1	1
2	0	1	1	1
3	0	0	0	1

Transitive closure matrix

Reflexive transitive closure matrix



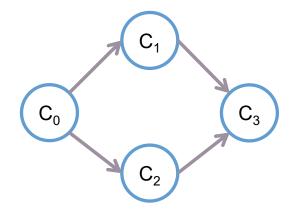
# **Activity Networks**

#### **Activities**

- Projects can be subdivided into several subprojects
  - Each subproject is called activity
  - The completion of activities → the completion of the project
- Activity-on-Vertex (AOV) Networks
  - A digraph G with the vertices represent tasks or activities and the edges represent precedence relations between tasks
  - Predecessor: Vertex i is a predecessor of vertex j, iff there is a directed path from vertex i to vertex j

#### AOV: Topological order

- ■A linear ordering of the vertices of a graph:
  - For any two vertices *i* and *j*, if *i* is a predecessor of *j* in the network, then *i* precedes *j* in the linear ordering



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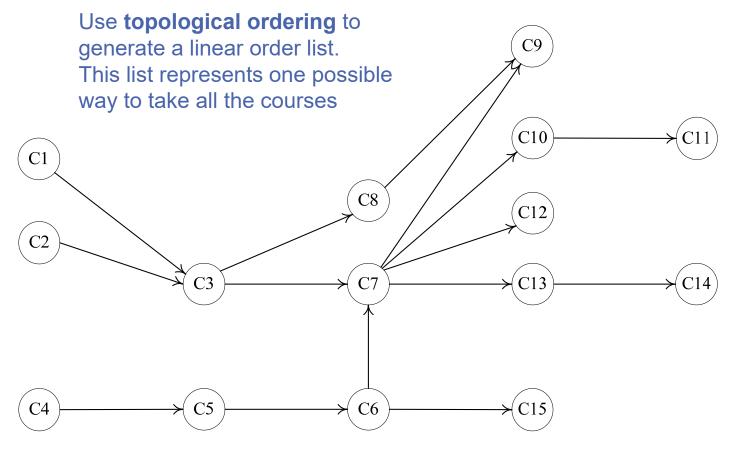
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## Courses Need for CS Degree

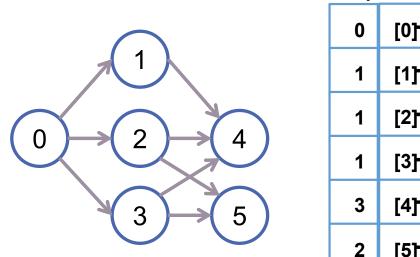
Course No.	Course	Prerequisites
C1	Programming I	None
C2	Discrete Mathematics	None
C3	Data Structures	C1, C2
C4	Calculus I	None
C5	Calculus II	C4
C6	Linear Algebra	C5
C7	Analysis of Algorithms	C3, C6
C8	Assembly Language	C3
<b>C</b> 9	Operating Systems	C7, C8
C10	Programming Languages	C7
C11	Compiler Design	C10
C12	Artificial Intelligence	C7
C13	Computational Theory	C7
C14	Parallel Algorithms	C13
C15	Numerical Analysis	C5

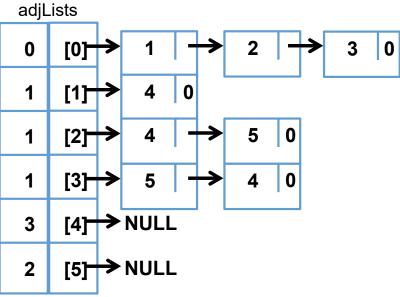
#### **AOV Network of Courses**



## **Topological Ordering**

- ■Iteratively pick a vertex *v* that has no predecessors
  - Use a field "count" to record the "in-degree" value of each vertex





#### **Self-Study Topics**

- ■Single source shortest path
  - Bellman-Ford's algorithm (Digraph with negative edge costs)
- ■Activity-on-Edge (AOE) Networks
  - Critical path analysis

