

# Problem 1489: Find Critical and Pseudo-Critical Edges in Minimum Spanning Tree

## Problem Information

Difficulty: Hard

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

## Problem Description

Given a weighted undirected connected graph with

$n$

vertices numbered from

0

to

$n - 1$

, and an array

edges

where

$\text{edges}[i] = [a$

$i$

,  $b$

$i$

, weight

i

]

represents a bidirectional and weighted edge between nodes

a

i

and

b

i

. A minimum spanning tree (MST) is a subset of the graph's edges that connects all vertices without cycles and with the minimum possible total edge weight.

Find

all the critical and pseudo-critical edges in the given graph's minimum spanning tree (MST)

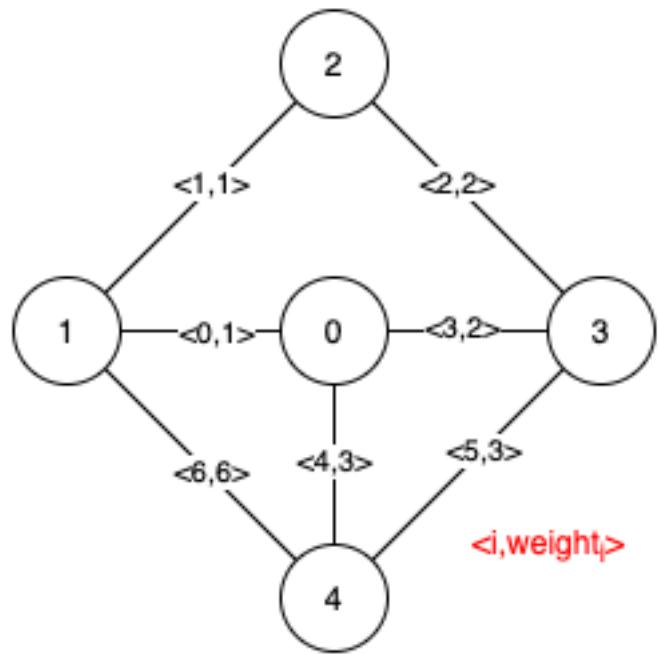
. An MST edge whose deletion from the graph would cause the MST weight to increase is called a

critical edge

. On the other hand, a pseudo-critical edge is that which can appear in some MSTs but not all.

Note that you can return the indices of the edges in any order.

Example 1:



Input:

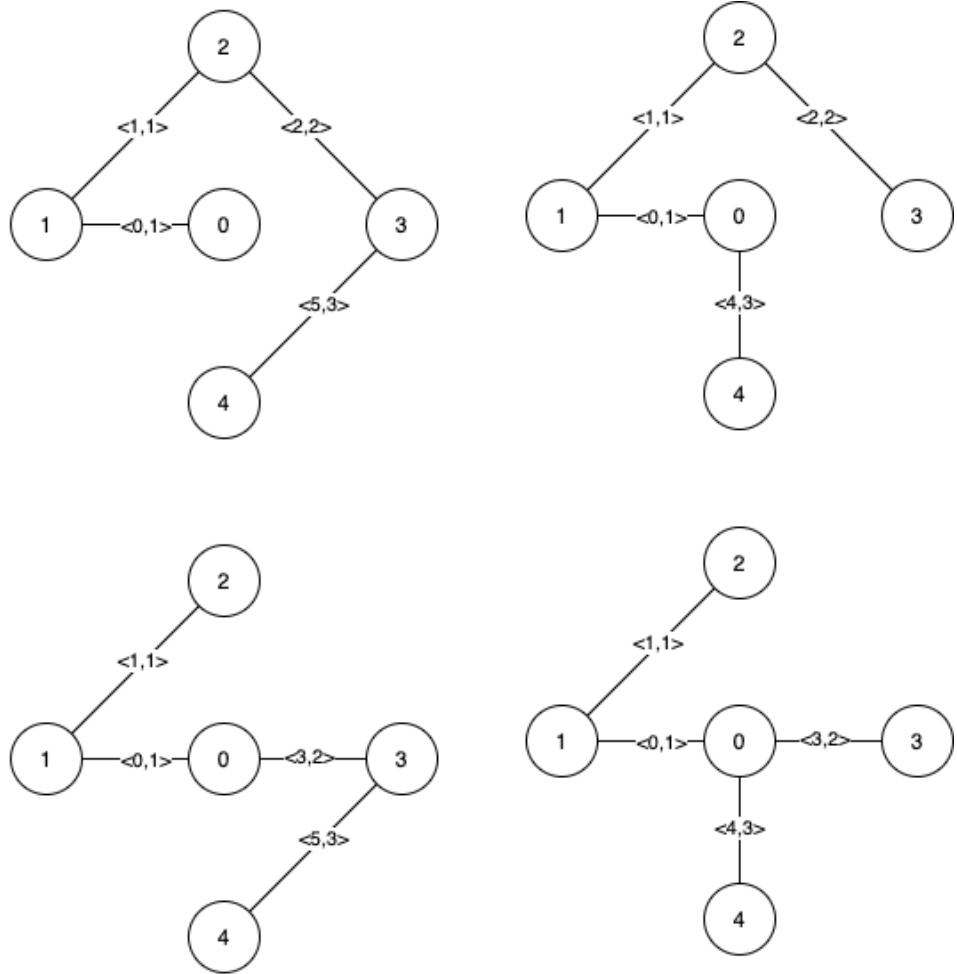
$n = 5$ , edges =  $[[0,1,1],[1,2,1],[2,3,2],[0,3,2],[0,4,3],[3,4,3],[1,4,6]]$

Output:

$[[0,1],[2,3,4,5]]$

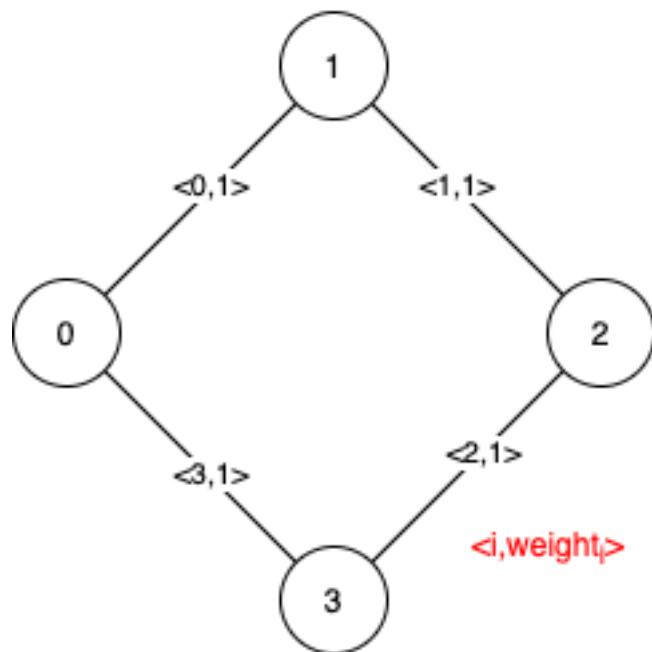
Explanation:

The figure above describes the graph. The following figure shows all the possible MSTs:



Notice that the two edges 0 and 1 appear in all MSTs, therefore they are critical edges, so we return them in the first list of the output. The edges 2, 3, 4, and 5 are only part of some MSTs, therefore they are considered pseudo-critical edges. We add them to the second list of the output.

Example 2:



Input:

$n = 4$ , edges = [[0,1,1],[1,2,1],[2,3,1],[0,3,1]]

Output:

[],[0,1,2,3]]

Explanation:

We can observe that since all 4 edges have equal weight, choosing any 3 edges from the given 4 will yield an MST. Therefore all 4 edges are pseudo-critical.

Constraints:

$2 \leq n \leq 100$

$1 \leq \text{edges.length} \leq \min(200, n * (n - 1) / 2)$

$\text{edges}[i].length == 3$

$0 \leq a$

i

< b

i

< n

1 <= weight

i

<= 1000

All pairs

(a

i

, b

i

)

are

distinct

## Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {
public:
    vector<vector<int>> findCriticalAndPseudoCriticalEdges(int n,
    vector<vector<int>>& edges) {
```

```
}
```

```
} ;
```

### Java:

```
class Solution {  
    public List<List<Integer>> findCriticalAndPseudoCriticalEdges(int n, int[][] edges) {  
  
    }  
}
```

### Python3:

```
class Solution:  
    def findCriticalAndPseudoCriticalEdges(self, n: int, edges: List[List[int]]) -> List[List[int]]:
```

### Python:

```
class Solution(object):  
    def findCriticalAndPseudoCriticalEdges(self, n, edges):  
        """  
        :type n: int  
        :type edges: List[List[int]]  
        :rtype: List[List[int]]  
        """
```

### JavaScript:

```
/**  
 * @param {number} n  
 * @param {number[][][]} edges  
 * @return {number[][][]}  
 */  
var findCriticalAndPseudoCriticalEdges = function(n, edges) {  
  
};
```

### TypeScript:

```
function findCriticalAndPseudoCriticalEdges(n: number, edges: number[][][]: number[][][] {  
};
```

### C#:

```
public class Solution {  
    public IList<IList<int>> FindCriticalAndPseudoCriticalEdges(int n, int[][][] edges) {  
  
    }  
}
```

### C:

```
/**  
 * Return an array of arrays of size *returnSize.  
 * The sizes of the arrays are returned as *returnColumnSizes array.  
 * Note: Both returned array and *columnSizes array must be malloced, assume  
 caller calls free().  
 */  
int** findCriticalAndPseudoCriticalEdges(int n, int** edges, int edgesSize,  
int* edgesColSize, int* returnSize, int** returnColumnSizes) {  
  
}
```

### Go:

```
func findCriticalAndPseudoCriticalEdges(n int, edges [[[int]]] []int {  
}
```

### Kotlin:

```
class Solution {  
    fun findCriticalAndPseudoCriticalEdges(n: Int, edges: Array<IntArray>):  
        List<List<Int>> {  
  
    }  
}
```

### Swift:

```
class Solution {  
    func findCriticalAndPseudoCriticalEdges(_ n: Int, _ edges: [[Int]]) ->  
        [[Int]] {  
  
    }  
}
```

### Rust:

```
impl Solution {  
    pub fn find_critical_and_pseudo_critical_edges(n: i32, edges: Vec<Vec<i32>>) -> Vec<Vec<i32>> {  
  
    }  
}
```

### Ruby:

```
# @param {Integer} n  
# @param {Integer[][]} edges  
# @return {Integer[][]}  
def find_critical_and_pseudo_critical_edges(n, edges)  
  
end
```

### PHP:

```
class Solution {  
  
    /**  
     * @param Integer $n  
     * @param Integer[][] $edges  
     * @return Integer[][]  
     */  
    function findCriticalAndPseudoCriticalEdges($n, $edges) {  
  
    }  
}
```

### Dart:

```
class Solution {  
    List<List<int>> findCriticalAndPseudoCriticalEdges(int n, List<List<int>>
```

```
edges) {  
}  
}  
}
```

### Scala:

```
object Solution {  
    def findCriticalAndPseudoCriticalEdges(n: Int, edges: Array[Array[Int]]):  
        List[List[Int]] = {  
  
    }  
}
```

### Elixir:

```
defmodule Solution do  
    @spec find_critical_and_pseudo_critical_edges(n :: integer, edges ::  
        [[integer]]) :: [[integer]]  
    def find_critical_and_pseudo_critical_edges(n, edges) do  
  
    end  
end
```

### Erlang:

```
-spec find_critical_and_pseudo_critical_edges(N :: integer(), Edges ::  
    [[integer()]]) -> [[integer()]].  
find_critical_and_pseudo_critical_edges(N, Edges) ->  
.
```

### Racket:

```
(define/contract (find-critical-and-pseudo-critical-edges n edges)  
  (-> exact-integer? (listof (listof exact-integer?)) (listof (listof  
    exact-integer?)))  
)
```

## Solutions

### C++ Solution:

```

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 * Tags: array, tree, graph, sort
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 * Approach: Use two pointers or sliding window technique
 * Time Complexity: O(n) or O(n log n)
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class Solution:  
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        -> List[List[int]]:  
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            pass
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