

# Lecture15\_Graphs & 16\_MST

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## Representation of Graph

- Adjacency-matrix
- Adjacency-list

## MST

- Greedy
- Prim
- Kruskal

## Graph

Many problem in graph theory are solved with dynamic program and greedy.

### Graph (review)

**Definition.** A directed graph (digraph)  $G = (V, E)$  is an ordered pair consisting of

- a set  $V$  of vertices (singular: vertex),
- a set  $E \subseteq V \times V$  of edges.

In an **undirected graph**  $G = (V, E)$ , the edge set  $E$  consists of **unordered** pairs of vertices.

In either case, we have  $|E| = O(|V|^2)$ . Moreover, if  $G$  is **connected**, then  $|E| \geq |V| - 1$ , which

implies that  $|E| \leq O(|V|^2)$ . (Review CLRS Appendix B.)

Cartesian product of two sets that used to create order pairs.

$A \times A, A \times B$ .

- any subset over Cartesian product gives you something we call relations

Cartesian product:  $A \times B$

Relation:  $S \subseteq A \times B$

- each connection each ordered pair is an edge and then that gives us the graphs

Edge set is simply a sub set of the Cartesian product of the vertex sets among itself.

### Graph representation:

#### Adjacency-matrix representation

The adjacency matrix of a graph  $G = (V, E)$ , where  $V = \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ , is the matrix  $A[1 \dots, n]$  given by

$$A[i, j] = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } (i, j) \in E, \\ 0 & \text{if } (i, j) \notin E. \end{cases}$$



$\Theta(|V|^2)$  storage

$\Rightarrow$  dense representation.

## Adjacency-matrix representation

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## Adjacency-list representation

#### Adjacency-list representation

An adjacency list of a vertex  $v \in V$  is the list  $Adj[v]$  of vertices adjacent to  $v$ .

- Need to go through the list to check if the member exist in the list.



For undirected graphs,  $|Adj[v]| = \text{degree}(v)$ .

For digraphs,  $|Adj[v]| = \text{out-degree}(v)$ .

**Handshaking Lemma:**  $\sum_{v \in V} \text{degree}(v) = 2|E|$  for undirected graphs  $\Rightarrow$  adjacency lists use  $\Theta(V + E)$  storage — a **sparse** representation.

- if you add up all the degrees for all the vertices then what you should be getting is precisely twice the size of the headset
- Running time: summation of degrees
- Prove: by observation. Be add one edge twice: one time for each direction.
- Adjacency-list saves space!

Party Hand shaking problem

For each handshake, two people will report that hand shake

## Minimum spanning trees

### Minimum spanning trees

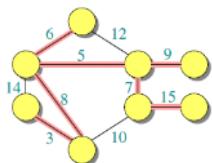
**Input:** A connected, undirected graph  $G = (V, E)$  with weight function  $w : E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ .

- For simplicity, assume that all edge weights are distinct. (CLRS covers the general case.)

**Output:** A spanning tree  $T$  — a tree that connects all vertices — of minimum weight:

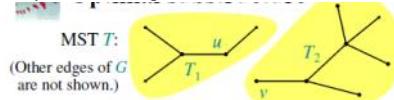
$$w(T) = \sum_{(u,v) \in T} w(u, v)$$

#### Example of MST



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- Why need  $n - 1$  edges? If more than  $n - 1$ , we must have a cycle.



Remove any edge  $(u, v) \in T$ . Then,  $T$  is partitioned into two subtrees  $T_1$  and  $T_2$ .

**Theorem.** The subtree  $T_1$  is an MST of  $G_1 = (V_1, E_1)$ , the subgraph of  $G$  induced by the vertices of  $T_1$ :

$$V_1 = \text{vertices of } T_1,$$

$$E_1 = \{ (x, y) \in E : x, y \in V_1 \}.$$

Similarly for  $T_2$ .

Claim:

- $T_1$  must be a MST in the graph  $G_1$
- $T_2$  must be a MST in the graph  $G_2$

➤  $G = G_1 \cup G_2$ ? FALSE

➤ We are creating subproblem  $G_1 \cup G_2$ , but notice that there are some potential edges that connecting  $G_1$  and  $G_2$ .

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Prove: copy-and-paste

*Proof.* Cut and paste:

$$w(T) = w(u, v) + w(T_1) + w(T_2).$$

If  $T'$  were a lower-weight spanning tree for  $G$ , then  $w(T') < w(T)$  for  $G$ , thus  $w(T_1) < w(T'_1)$  and  $T'_1$  would be a lower-weight spanning tree than  $T$  for  $G$ .  $\square$

Do we also have overlapping subproblems?

- Yes.

Great, then dynamic programming may work!

- Yes, but MST exhibits another powerful property which leads to an even more efficient algorithm.

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### Greedy Algorithm

Greedy-choice property: A locally optimal choice is globally optimal.

**Theorem.** Let  $T$  be the MST of  $G(V, E)$ , and let  $A \subseteq V$ . Suppose that  $(u, v) \in E$  is the least-weight edge connecting  $A$  to  $V - A$ .

Then,  $(u, v) \in T$ .

*Proof.* Suppose  $(u, v) \notin T$ . Cut and paste.



Consider the unique simple path from  $u$  to  $v$  in  $T$ .

Swap  $(u, v)$  with the first edge on this path that connects a vertex in  $A$  to a vertex in  $V - A$ .

A lighter-weight spanning tree than  $T$  results.  $\square$

- Purple edges:  $A$ ; red edges:  $V - A$ . Or vice versa
- Proof by contradiction

1. Suppose the least weight edge (that goes from purple to red) is not part of the MST
2. Let  $T$  be a MST, and  $u, v$  has the smallest edge that not part of the MST (dash line). Suggesting these is must be an unique single path that goes from  $u$  to  $v$ .
3. Contradiction

Note that we have assumption "all weight of edges are distinct". To expand the theorem to a graph containing equally weighted edges, we change "this edge must be part of the optimal solution" to "it must be part of an optimal solution".

### Prim's algorithm

**IDEA:** Maintain  $V - A$  as a priority queue  $Q$ . Key each vertex in  $Q$  with the weight of the least-weight edge connecting it to a vertex in  $A$ .

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 $\Theta(v)$  {  

  total }  

 $Q \leftarrow V$   

 $key[v] \leftarrow \infty$  for all  $v \in V$   

 $key[s] \leftarrow 0$  for some arbitrary  $s \in V$   

 $|V|$  {  

  degree }  

  while  $Q \neq \emptyset$  {  

    times }  

    do  $u \leftarrow \text{EXTRACT-MIN}(Q)$   

    for each  $v \in Adj[u]$  {  

      times }  

      do if  $v \in Q$  and  $w(u, v) < key[v]$   

        then  $key[v] \leftarrow w(u, v)$  ▶ DECREASE-KEY  

         $\pi[v] \leftarrow u$   

      } update neighbor
  }
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At the end,  $\{(v, \pi[v])\}$  forms the MST.

Handshaking Lemma  $\Rightarrow \Theta(E)$  implicit DECREASE-KEY's.

Time =  $\Theta(V) \cdot T_{\text{EXTRACT-MIN}} + \Theta(E) \cdot T_{\text{DECREASE-KEY}}$

- The extract min gives the least cost edge from red vertices to purple vertices
- If the edge weights are not distinct, it can be still unique, but not necessarily unique.

### Analysis of Prim

### Analysis of Union-Find

$$\text{Time} = \Theta(V) \cdot T_{\text{EXTRACT-MIN}} + \Theta(E) \cdot T_{\text{DECREASE-KEY}}$$

$Q$	$T_{\text{EXTRACT-MIN}}$	$T_{\text{DECREASE-KEY}}$	Total
array	$O(V)$	$O(1)$	$O(V^2)$
binary heap	$O(\lg V)$	$O(\lg V)$	$O(E \lg V)$
Fibonacci heap	$O(\lg V)$ amortized	$O(1)$ amortized	$O(E + V \lg V)$ worst case

Kruskal Algo

### Kruskal's Algorithm

- Uses the disjoint-set data structure
- Running time =  $O(E \lg V)$ .
- Union-Find data structure

Kruskal's Alg

For all  $(u, v) \in E$

    if  $\text{FIND}(u) \neq \text{FIND}(v)$

        Add  $(u, v)$  to  $MST$

    return  $MST$

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union - find

- MAKE-SET( $u$ )

- FIND( $u$ )

- UNION( $u, v$ )

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Sort all edges in increasing order of weight

For all  $(u, v) \in E$

    if  $\text{FIND}(u) \neq \text{FIND}(v)$

        Add  $(u, v)$  to  $MST$

    return  $MST$

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### Best to date:

- Karger, Klein, and Tarjan [1993].
- Randomized algorithm.
- $O(V + E)$  expected time.

Recent Algo

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