ASSIGNMENT 5

Aim :

You have a business with several offices; you want to lease phone lines to connect them up with each other and the phone company charges different amounts of money to connect different pairs of cities. You want a set of lines that connects all your offices with a minimum total cost. Solve the problem by suggesting appropriate data structures.

Objective :

To understand the concept of minimum spanning tree and finding the minimum cost of tree using Kruskals algorithm.

Theory :

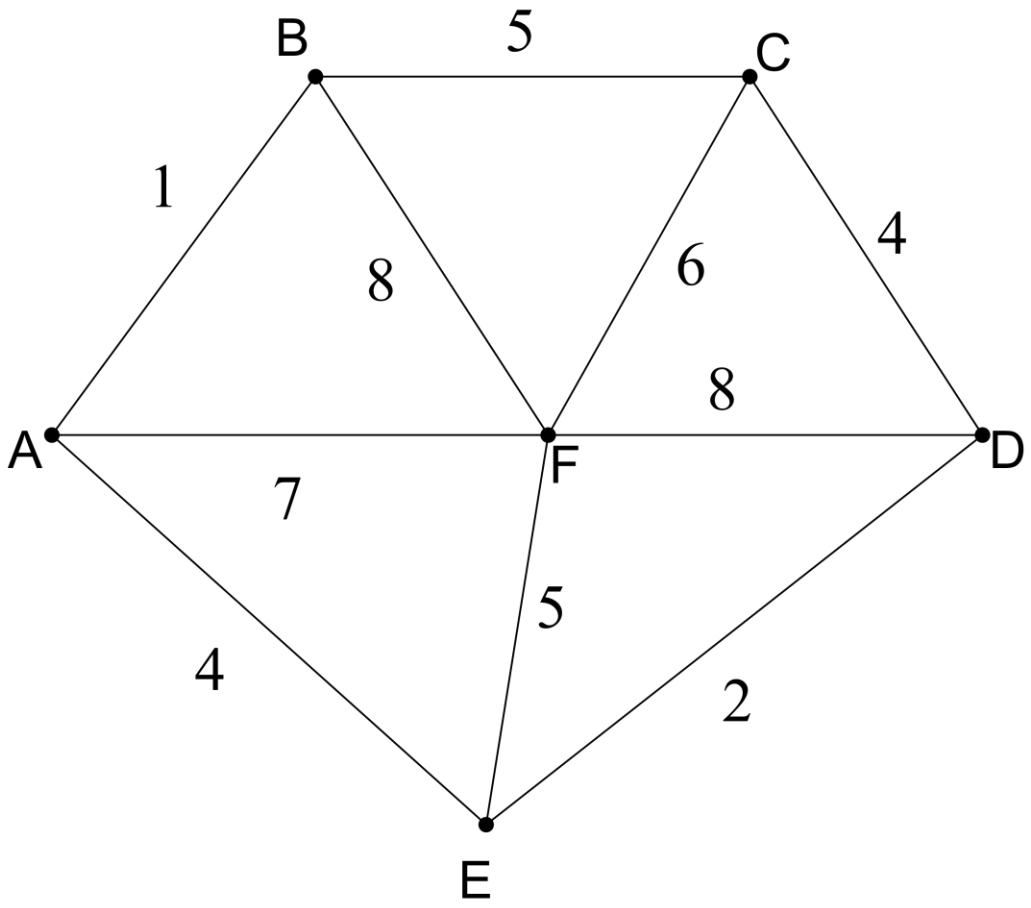
A spanning tree of the graph is a connected (if there is at least one path between every pair of vertices in a graph) subgraph in which there are no cycle**.** Suppose you have a connected undirected graph with a weight (or cost) associated with each edge. The cost of a spanning tree would be the sum of the costs of its edges. A minimum-cost spanning tree is a spanning tree that has the lowest cost. There are two basic algorithms for finding minimum-cost spanning trees: 1. Prim's Algorithm 2. Kruskal's Algorithm .

Kruskals's algorithm: It tarts with no nodes or edges in the spanning tree, and repeatedly add the cheapest edge that does not create a cycle.

Steps of Kruskal's Algorithm to find minimum spanning tree:

1. Select the shortest edge in a network
2. Select the next shortest edge which does not create a cycle
3. Repeat step 2 untill spanning tree has n-1 edges.

Example:



The solution is

AB 1

ED 2

CD 4

AE 4

EF 5

Total weight of tree: 16

Algorithm:

- Algorithm kruskal(G,V,E,T)

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1.Sort E in increasing order of weight

2.let G=(V,E) and T=(A,B),A=V ,B is null

set and let n =count(V)

3.Initialize n set ,each containing a different element of v.

4.while(|B|<n-1) do

begin

e=<u,v>the shortest edge not yet considered

U=Member(u)

V=Member(v)

if(Union(U,V))

update in B and add the cost

} }

end

5.T is the minimum spanning tree

}

Program code:

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#include <iostream>


using namespace std;


class Edge{
private:
   int startNode,endNode,weight;
public:
   Edge(){};
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    Edge(int sn,int en,int w){
        startNode = sn;
        endNode = en;
        weight =w;
    }

    Edge(const Edge& e){
        startNode = e.startNode;
        endNode = e.endNode;
        weight = e.weight;
    }
    void setParameters(int sn,int en,int w){
        startNode = sn;
        endNode = en;
        weight =w;
    }
    int getStartNode(){return startNode;}
    int getEndNode(){return endNode;}
    int getWeight(){return weight;}
};

class Graph{
private:
    Edge* edgeArr;
    bool* vertices;
    int noOfVertices,noOfEdges;
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public:
   Graph(){};
   Graph(int noOfVertices,int noOfEdges){
      edgeArr = new Edge[noOfEdges];
      vertices = new bool[noOfVertices];
      this->noOfEdges =noOfEdges;
      this->noOfVertices = noOfVertices;
      for(int i=0;i<noOfVertices;i++){
         vertices[i] = false;
      }
   }

   void initiateGraph(int noOfVertices,int noOfEdges){
      edgeArr = new Edge[noOfEdges];
      vertices = new bool[noOfVertices];
      this->noOfEdges =noOfEdges;
      this->noOfVertices = noOfVertices;
      for(int i=0;i<noOfVertices;i++){
         vertices[i] = false;
      }
   }

   Edge* getEdgeArr(){return edgeArr;}
   bool* getVertices(){return vertices;}
   int getNoOfVertices(){return noOfVertices;}
   int getNoOfEdges(){return noOfEdges;}
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};



Graph inGraph;
Graph MST;
int totCost = 0;

void createGraph(){
   cout<<"Enter no of vertices in a graph : ";
   int noOfVertices;
   cin>>noOfVertices;
   cout<<"Enter no of edges in a graph : ";
   int noOfEdges;
   cin>>noOfEdges;
   inGraph.initiateGraph(noOfVertices,noOfEdges);
   for(int i =0; i<noOfEdges;i++){
      cout<<"Enter the start node, end node and weight of the Edge : ";
      int sN,eN,w;
      cin>>sN>>eN>>w;
      inGraph.getEdgeArr()[i].setParameters(sN, eN, w);
   }
}

void displayGraph(Graph graph){
   for(int i=0;i<graph.getNoOfEdges();i++){
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cout<<"{"<<graph.getEdgeArr()[i].getStartNode()<<","<<graph.getEdgeArr()[i].getEndNode()
<<","<<graph.getEdgeArr()[i].getWeight()<<"}"<<endl;
   }
}

void graphSort(Graph graph){
   for(int i=1; i< graph.getNoOfEdges(); i++){
      Edge key = graph.getEdgeArr()[i];
      int j;
      for(j =i-1; j>=0; j--){
         if(key.getWeight() < graph.getEdgeArr()[j].getWeight()){
            graph.getEdgeArr()[j+1] = graph.getEdgeArr()[j];
         }
      }
      graph.getEdgeArr()[j+1] = key;
   }
}

void createMST(){
   MST.initiateGraph(inGraph.getNoOfVertices(), inGraph.getNoOfVertices()-1);
   int j = 0;
   for(int i=0;i< inGraph.getNoOfEdges(); i++){
      if(inGraph.getVertices()[inGraph.getEdgeArr()[i].getStartNode()] == true &&
inGraph.getVertices()[inGraph.getEdgeArr()[i].getEndNode()] == true){}
      else{
         MST.getEdgeArr()[j] = inGraph.getEdgeArr()[i];
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            totCost += MST.getEdgeArr()[j].getWeight();
            inGraph.getVertices()[inGraph.getEdgeArr()[i].getStartNode()] = true;
            inGraph.getVertices()[inGraph.getEdgeArr()[i].getEndNode()] = true;
            j++;
        }
    }
}

int main(){
    createGraph();
    graphSort(inGraph);
    displayGraph(inGraph);
    createMST();
    cout<<"MST is :"<<endl;
    displayGraph(MST);
    cout<<"Total cost : "<<totCost<<endl;
}
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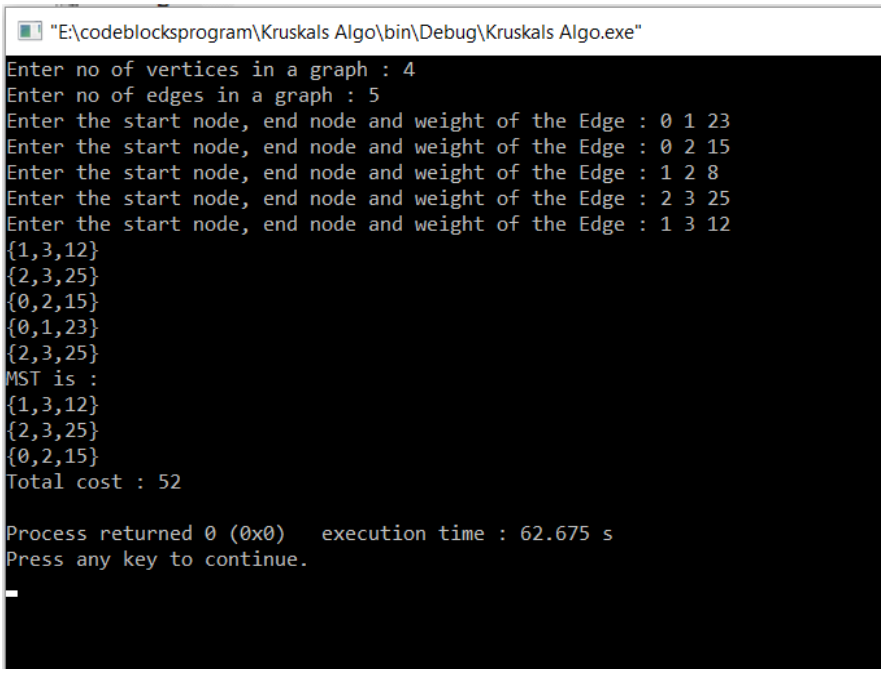
Output:



Conclusion: Kruskal's algorithm can be shown to run in O(**E log E**) time, where E is the number of edges in the graph. Thus we have connected all the offices with a total minimum cost using kruskal's algorithm.