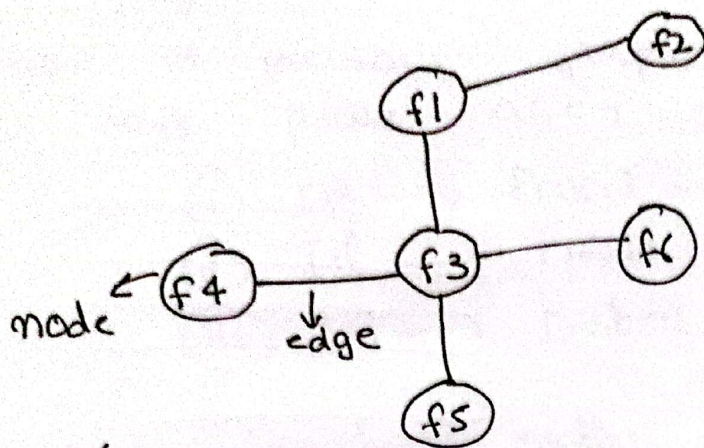


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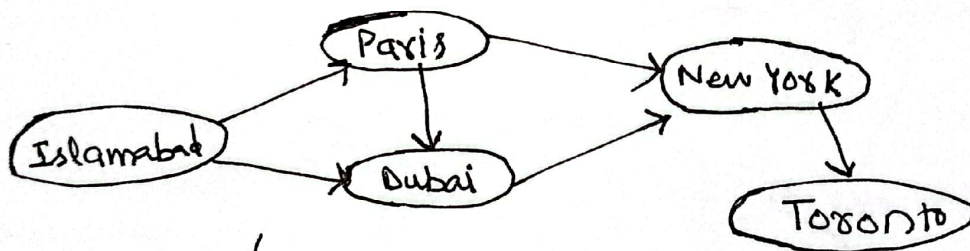


→ Here is a facebook connection where f3 have friends f1, f4, f5, f6.

→ And f1 has a friend f2.

→ This is undirected graph means there is no particular direction.

Another example:



→ This is a directed graph as it shows directions.

How Graph and Tree are different:

→ In Trees you will have only one connections between nodes. But on the hand in graph as you see above to reach newYork you can go Paris → New York or Dubai → New York or Paris → Dubai → New York.

→ Graphs are used to find paths b/w routes - Also we can find shortest path.

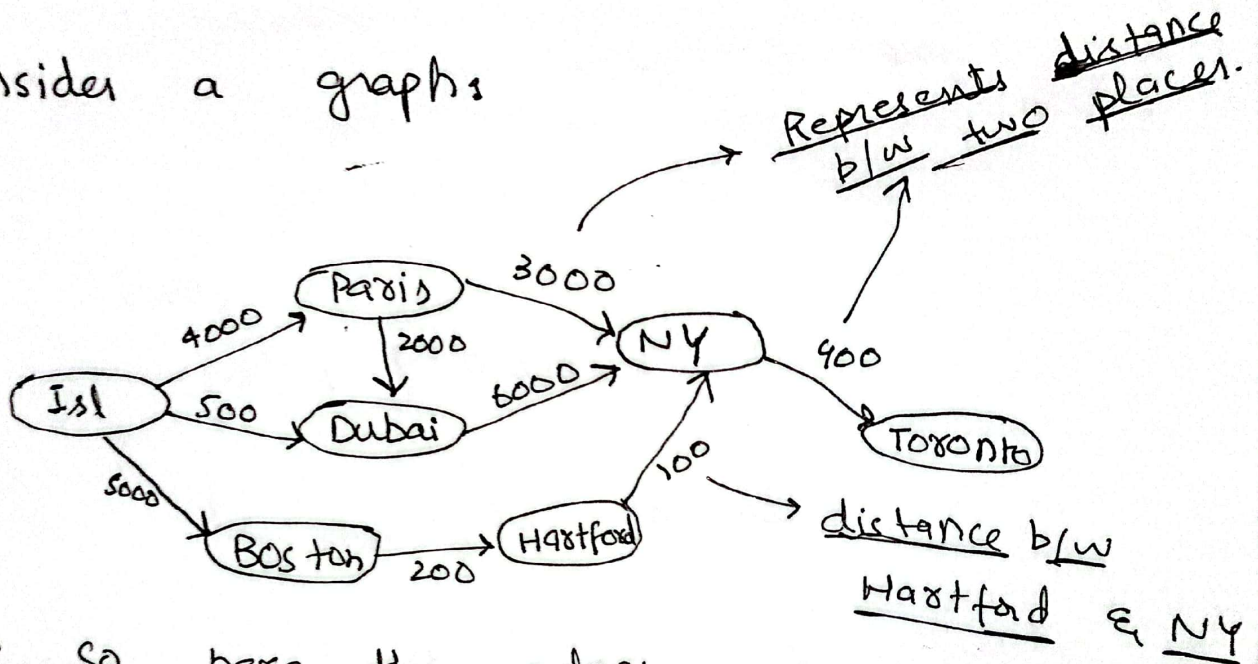
Like in previous graph to reach new York paths are:

- (i) Isl → Paris → New York
- (ii) Isl → Paris → Dubai → NY
- (iii) Isl → Dubai → NY

↳ And shortest paths are:

- (i) Isl → Paris → NY
- (ii) Isl → Dubai → NY

Consider a graph:



→ So here the edges are weighted on base of distance so this is called as Weighted Graph.

So now shortest path to reach NY (on base of distance)

Isl $\xrightarrow{5000}$ Boston $\xrightarrow{200}$ Hartford $\xrightarrow{100}$ NY

↳ Total = 5300

→ Google Maps uses graphs behind the scenes
→ Facebook

Implementation Tips

↳ we can represent connected nodes like Isl as Dubai as it is acting like a Tuple pair. (Isl, Dubai)

↳ Processing these tuple of will be difficult for methods we can find routes so what we can do is:

↳ Transform Tuple in the way that each node is key and it has value (list) of nodes connected with it.

like:

'Isl' : ['Dubai', 'Paris']

↳ similarly for all

↳ How we will Transform Tuples to Dictionaries :

↳ If we are getting (Isl, Dubai) → we will make Isl as key & Dubai as value.

↳ After that we get (Isl, Paris) → we will simply append Paris with Dubai.