

## 95. Prims Algorithm

AIM: To find the minimum (or) shortest path by using the Prim's algorithm

PROGRAM:

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import heapq

def prim_mst(graph):
    n = len(graph)
    mst = []
    visited = [False] * n
    min_heap = []

    heapq.heappush(min_heap, (0, 0))

    while min_heap:
        weight, u = heapq.heappop(min_heap)

        if visited[u]:
            continue

        visited[u] = True

        if u != 0:
            mst.append((parent[u], u, weight))
            for v, weight in enumerate(graph[u]):
                if weight != float('inf') and not visited[v]:
                    heapq.heappush(min_heap, (weight, v))
                    parent[v] = u # To reconstruct MST later

    return mst

graph = [
    [0, 2, float('inf'), 6, float('inf')],
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[2, 0, 3, 8, 5],  
[float('inf'), 3, 0, float('inf'), 7],  
[6, 8, float('inf'), 0, 9],  
[float('inf'), 5, 7, 9, 0]  
]
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parent = [-1] * len(graph)
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mst = prim_mst(graph)
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print("Edges in the Minimum Spanning Tree (Prim's algorithm):")
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for u, v, weight in mst:
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    print(f"{u} - {v}: {weight}")
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Edges in the Minimum Spanning Tree (Prim's  
algorithm):  
0 - 1: 2  
1 - 2: 3  
2 - 4: 5  
4 - 3: 6
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OUTPUT:

TIME COMPLEXITY:  $O(E \log V)$