

# 1. C programming

- The Union-Find data structure

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int Find(Vertex *v, int i) {
    if(v[i].parent != i) {    //v is the array of all the vertexes
        return Find(v, v[i].parent);
    }
    return v[i].parent;
}

// The Union method is implemented according to the pseudocode on slide
void Union(Vertex *v, int v1, int v2) {
    int v1Root = Find(v, v1);
    int v2Root = Find(v, v2);

    if(v[v1Root].rank > v[v2Root].rank) v[v2Root].parent = v1Root;
    else v[v1Root].parent = v2Root;

    if(v[v1Root].rank == v[v2Root].rank) v[v2Root].rank ++;
}
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- Kruskal's Algorithm

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#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>

typedef struct vertex_t {
    int parent;
    int rank;
} Vertex;

typedef struct edge_t {
    int v1;
    int v2;
    int weight;
} Edge;

typedef struct graph_t {
    int EdgeNum;
    int vertexNum;
    Edge *edges;
} Graph;

void insertEdge(Graph *g, int eSize) {
    for(int i = 0; i < eSize; i++) {
        int v1, v2, weight;
        scanf("%d %d %d", &v1, &v2, &weight);
        if(v1 > v2) {
            int temp = v1;
            v1 = v2;
            v2 = temp;
        }
    }
}
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    }
    g->edges[i].v1 = v1;
    g->edges[i].v2 = v2;
    g->edges[i].weight = weight;
}
}

Graph *initGraph(int eSize, int vSize) {
    Graph *g = (Graph *) malloc(sizeof(Graph));
    g->vertexNum = vSize;
    g->EdgeNum = eSize;
    g->edges = (Edge *) malloc(sizeof(Edge) * eSize);

    insertEdge(g, eSize);
    return g;
}

Vertex *initVertexes(int vSize) {
    Vertex *v = (Vertex *) malloc(sizeof(Vertex) * vSize);
    for(int i = 0; i < vSize; i++) {
        v[i].parent = i;
        v[i].rank = 0;
    }
    return v;
}

// According to the pseudocode in lecture c1
int Find(Vertex *v, int i) {
    if(v[i].parent != i) {
        return Find(v, v[i].parent);
    }
    return v[i].parent;
}

void Union(Vertex *v, int v1, int v2) {
    int v1Root = Find(v, v1);
    int v2Root = Find(v, v2);

    if(v[v1Root].rank > v[v2Root].rank) v[v2Root].parent = v1Root;
    else v[v1Root].parent = v2Root;

    if(v[v1Root].rank == v[v2Root].rank) v[v2Root].rank ++;
}

int EdgeCompare(const void *x, const void *y) {
    Edge *e1 = (Edge *) x;
    Edge *e2 = (Edge *) y;

    if(e1->weight < e2->weight) return -1;
    else if(e1->weight == e2->weight) return 0;
    else return 1;
}

int VertexCompare(const void *x, const void *y) {
    Edge *e1 = (Edge *) x;
    Edge *e2 = (Edge *) y;

    if(e1->v1 < e2->v1) return -1;

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        else if(e1->v1 > e2->v1) return 1;
        else {
            if(e1->v2 < e2->v2) return -1;
            else return 1;
        }
    }

void kruskal(Graph *g) {
    qsort(g->edges, g->EdgeNum, sizeof(Edge), EdgeCompare);
    Edge *MST = (Edge *) malloc(sizeof(Edge) * (g->vertexNum - 1));
    Vertex *v = initVertexes(g->vertexNum);

    int i = 0;
    int j = 0;

    while(i < g->EdgeNum && j < g->vertexNum - 1) {
        Edge temp = g->edges[i];
        i++;

        int v1Root = Find(v, temp.v1);
        int v2Root = Find(v, temp.v2);
        if(v1Root != v2Root) {
            MST[j] = temp;
            j++;
            Union(v, v1Root, v2Root);
        }
    }

    free(v);
    qsort(MST, j, sizeof(Edge), VertexCompare);

    for(int k = 0; k < j; k++) {
        printf("%d--%d\n", MST[k].v1, MST[k].v2);
    }
    free(MST);
}

int main() {
    int eSize, vSize;
    scanf("%d", &eSize);
    scanf("%d", &vSize);

    Graph *graph = initGraph(eSize, vSize);
    kruskal(graph);
    free(graph->edges);
    free(graph);

    return 0;
}

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The time complexity of creating a new graph is  $\mathcal{O}(1)$ .

The time complexity of initializing vertices is  $\mathcal{O}(V)$ , where  $V$  is the number of vertices.

The time complexity of sorting the edges by weight is  $\mathcal{O}(E \log E)$ , where  $E$  is the number of edges.

Finally, the time complexity of adding edges to MST with Union-Find is  $\mathcal{O}(V + E)\alpha(V)$ .

In conclusion, the time complexity is  $\mathcal{O}(E \log E)$ .

- Prim's Algorithm for MST

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <limits.h>

typedef struct edge_t {
    int v1;
    int v2;
} Edge;

typedef struct graph_t {
    int vSize;
    int eSize;
    int **adj;
} Graph;

void insertEdges(Graph *g, int eSize) {
    for(int i = 0; i < eSize; i++) {
        int v1, v2, weight;
        scanf("%d %d %d", &v1, &v2, &weight);

        g->adj[v1][v2] = weight;
        g->adj[v2][v1] = weight;
    }
}

Graph *initGraph(int vSize, int eSize) {
    Graph *g = (Graph *) malloc(sizeof(Graph));
    g->vSize = vSize;
    g->eSize = eSize;
    g->adj = (int **) malloc(sizeof(int *) * vSize);
    for(int i = 0; i < vSize; i++) {
        g->adj[i] = (int *) malloc(sizeof(int) * vSize);
    }
    for(int i = 0; i < vSize; i++) {
        for (int j = 0; j < vSize; j++) {
            if(i == j) g->adj[i][j] = 0;
            else {
                g->adj[i][j] = INT_MAX;
            }
        }
    }

    insertEdges(g, eSize);
    return g;
}

int EdgeCompare(const void *x, const void *y) {
    Edge *former = (Edge *) x;
    Edge *latter = (Edge *) y;

    if(former->v1 < latter->v1) return -1;
    else if(former->v1 > latter->v1) return 1;
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        else {
            if(former->v2 < latter->v2) return -1;
            else return 1;
        }
    }
}

void prim(Graph *g) {
    int lowCost[g->vSize];
    int mst[g->vSize];
    Edge *edges = (Edge *) malloc(sizeof(Edge) * g->vSize);
    mst[0] = -1;

    for(int i = 1; i < g->vSize; i++) {
        lowCost[i] = INT_MAX;
        mst[i] = 0;
    }
    lowCost[0] = INT_MAX;

    for(int i = 0; i < g->vSize; i++) {
        int min = INT_MAX;
        int minVertex = 0;

        for(int j = 0; j < g->vSize; j++) {
            if(lowCost[j] < min && lowCost[j] != 0) {
                min = lowCost[j];
                minVertex = j;
            }
        }
        edges[i].v1 = minVertex;
        edges[i].v2 = mst[minVertex];

        lowCost[minVertex] = 0;
        for(int j = 0; j < g->vSize; j++) {
            if(g->adj[minVertex][j] < lowCost[j]) {
                lowCost[j] = g->adj[minVertex][j];
                mst[j] = minVertex;
            }
        }
    }

    for(int i = 0; i < g->vSize; i++) {
        if(edges[i].v1 > edges[i].v2) {
            int temp = edges[i].v1;
            edges[i].v1 = edges[i].v2;
            edges[i].v2 = temp;
        }
    }

    qsort(edges, g->vSize, sizeof(Edge), EdgeCompare);
    for(int i = 1; i < g->vSize; i++) {
        printf("%d--%d\n", edges[i].v1, edges[i].v2);
    }
    free(edges);
}

int main() {
    int vSize, eSize;
    scanf("%d", &eSize);

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scanf("%d", &vSize);
Graph *graph = initGraph(vSize, eSize);
prim(graph);
for(int i = 0; i < vSize; i++) {
    free(graph->adj[i]);
}
free(graph->adj);
free(graph);
}

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The time complexity of creating a new graph is  $\mathcal{O}(1)$ .

The time complexity of generating vertices is  $\mathcal{O}(V)$ .

The time complexity of choosing the proper MST is  $\mathcal{O}(V^2)$ .

The sort time complexity is  $\mathcal{O}(V \log V)$ .

Therefore, the whole time complexity is  $\mathcal{O}(V^2)$ .

- The performance of **Kruskal's Algorithm** and **Prim's Algorithm** depends on the type of graphs. For sparse graphs, Kruskal's Algorithm will have a better performance due to the low time complexity. For dense graphs, Prim's Algorithm will be better since its running time is independent of the total edge number.