



Graph (2)
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Algorithm Design and Analysis

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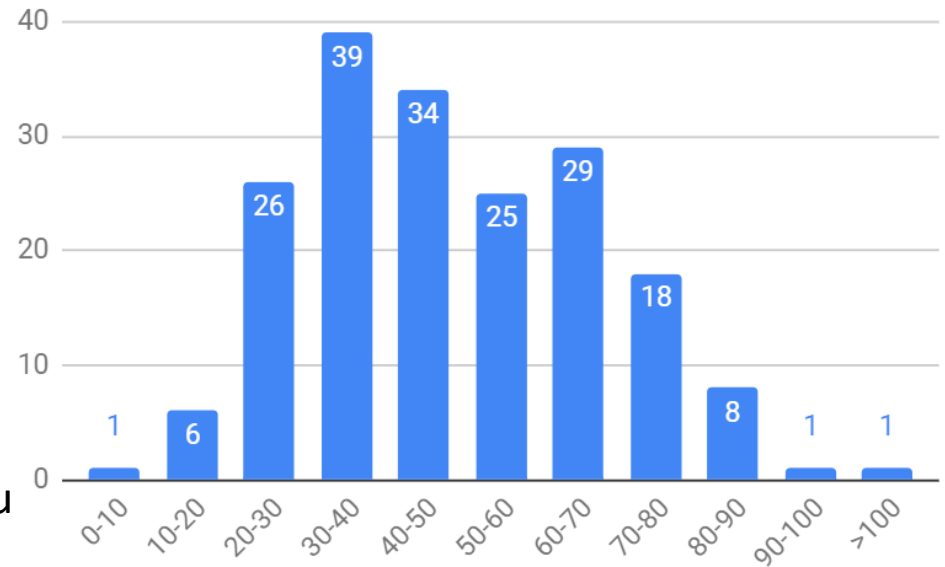
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Announcement

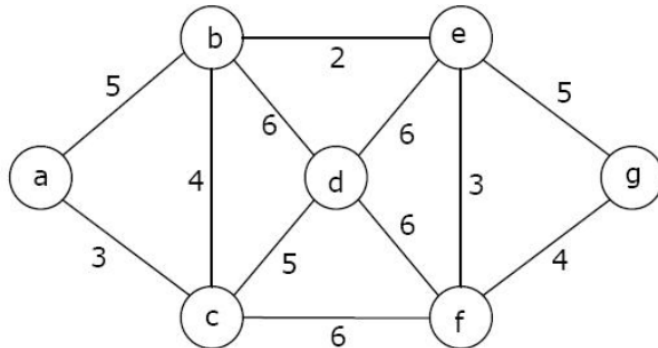
- Midterm announced
 - Check the scores / answers
 - Find TAs (office hour / email) if you have questions by **12/06 (Thur)**
- Homework 3 released
 - Due on **12/13 (Thur) 14:20 (two weeks)**
- Mini-HW 8 released
 - Due on **12/06 (Thur) 14:20**



Frequently check the website for the updated information!

Mini-HW 8

Consider the following graph :



(1) Please use Kruskal's algorithm to find the minimum spanning tree "step-by-step".

(2) Please use Prim algorithm to find the minimum spanning tree "step-by-step".

Note :

- pseudo-code is not needed, but please DO show the process step by step.
- You just need to draw how edges are added iteratively.



Outline

- DFS Applications
 - Strongly Connected Components
 - Topological Sorting
- Minimal Spanning Trees (MST)
 - Boruvka's Algorithm
 - Kruskal's Algorithm
 - Prim's Algorithm

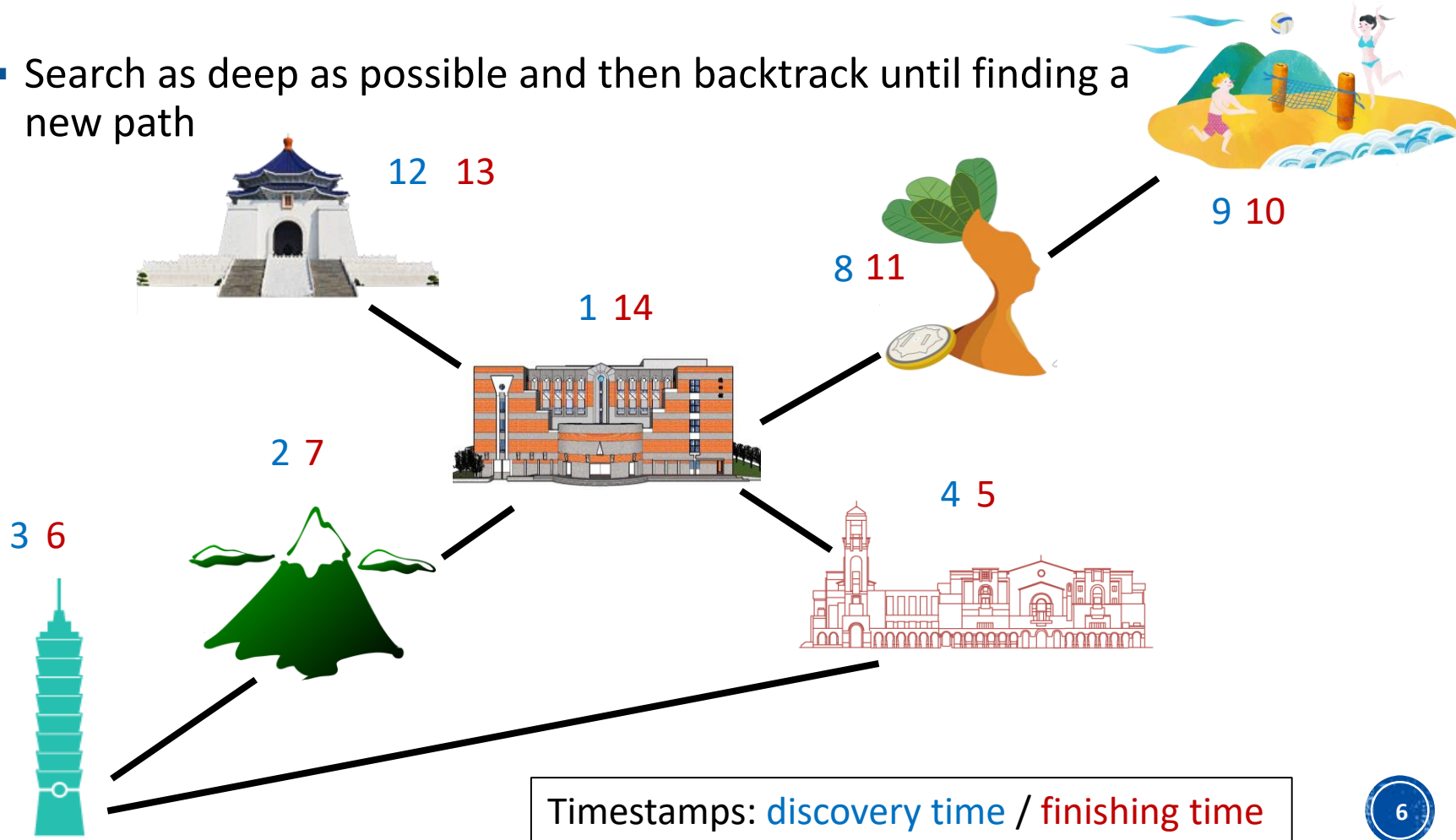


Depth-First Search

Textbook Chapter 22.3 – Depth-first search

Depth-First Search (DFS)

- Search as deep as possible and then backtrack until finding a new path



DFS Algorithm

```
// Explore full graph and builds up
a collection of DFS trees
DFS(G)
  for each vertex u in G.V
    u.color = WHITE
    u.pi = NIL
  time = 0 // global timestamp
  for each vertex u in G.V
    if u.color == WHITE
      DFS-VISIT(G, u)
```

```
DFS-Visit(G, u)
  time = time + 1
  u.d = time // discover time
  u.color = GRAY
  for each v in G.Adj[u]
    if v.color == WHITE
      v.pi = u
      DFS-VISIT(G, v)
  u.color = BLACK
  time = time + 1
  u.f = time // finish time
```

- Implemented via recursion (stack)
- Color the vertices to keep track of progress:
 - GRAY: discovered (first time encountered)
 - BLACK: finished (all adjacent vertices discovered)
 - WHITE: undiscovered

DFS Properties

- Parenthesis Theorem

- Parenthesis structure: represent the discovery of vertex u with a left parenthesis “(u ” and represent its finishing by a right parenthesis “ u)”. In DFS, the parentheses are properly nested.

- White Path Theorem

- In a DFS forest of a directed or undirected graph $G = (V, E)$,
 - vertex v is a descendant of vertex u in the forest \Leftrightarrow at the time u is discovered, there is a path from u to v in G consisting entirely of WHITE vertices

- Classification of Edges in G

- Tree Edge
- Back Edge
- Forward Edge
- Cross Edge

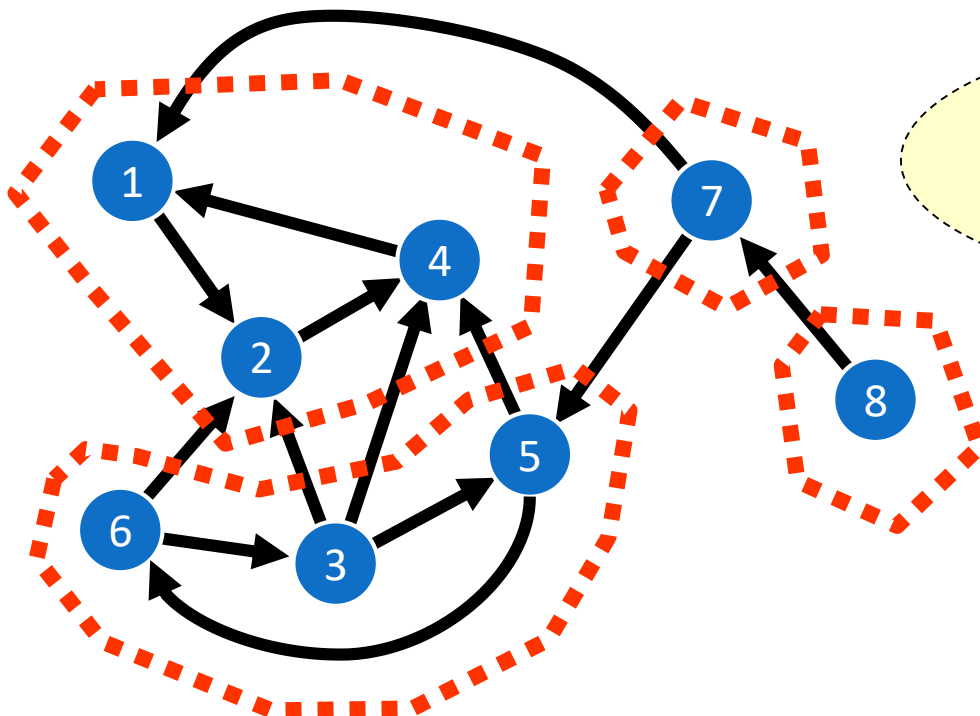


Strongly Connected Components

Textbook Chapter 22.5 – Strongly connected components

Strongly Connected Components

- Input: a directed graph $G = (V, E)$
- Output: a connected component of G
 - a **maximal** subset U of V s.t. any two nodes in U are reachable in G



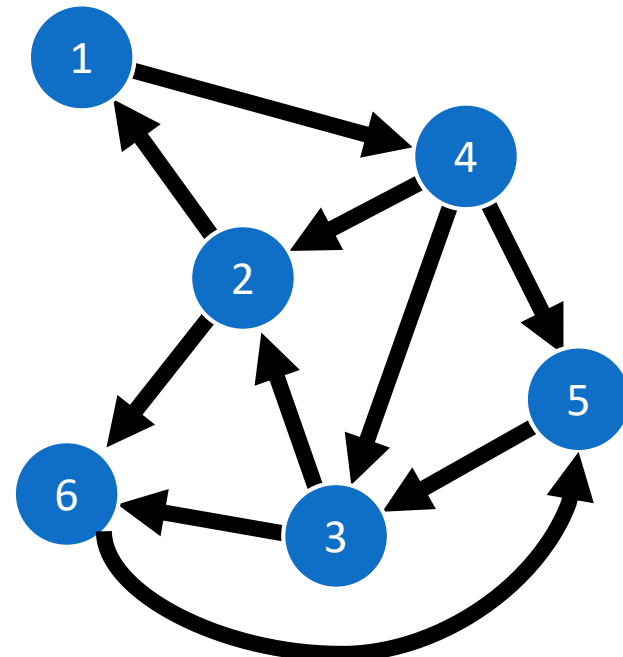
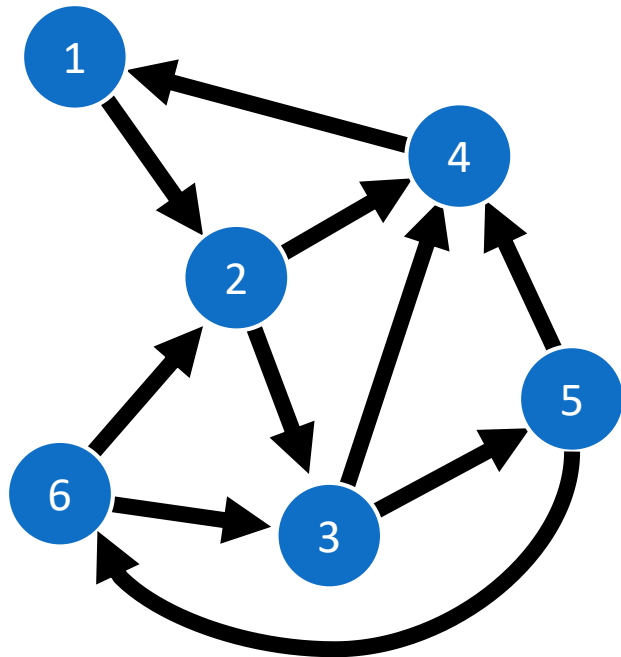
Why must the strongly connected components of a graph be disjoint?



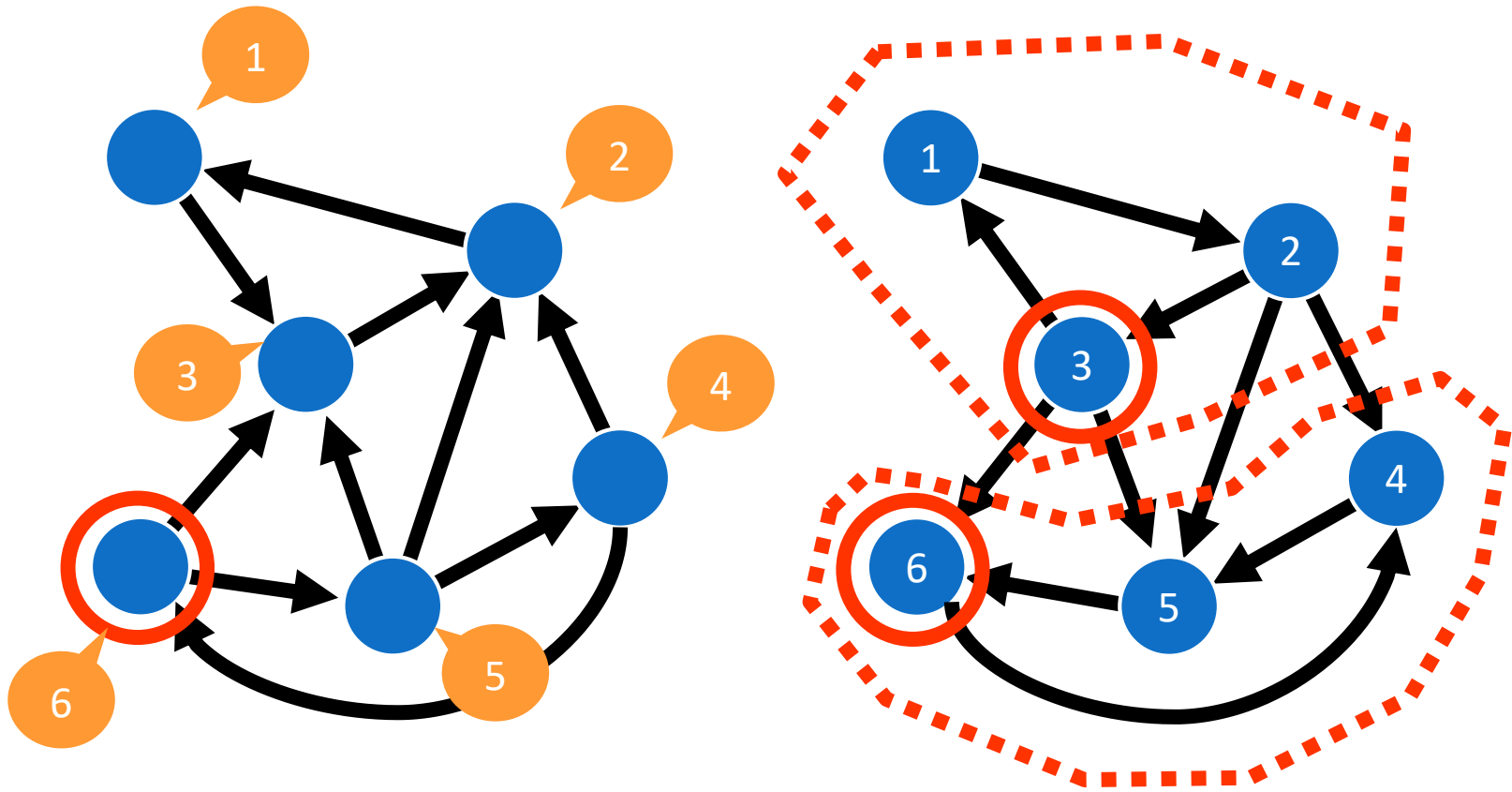
Algorithm

- Step 1: Run DFS on G to obtain the finish time $v.f$ for $v \in V$.
- Step 2: Run DFS on the **transpose** of G where the vertices V are processed in the **decreasing** order of their finish time.
- Step 3: output the vertex partition by the second DFS

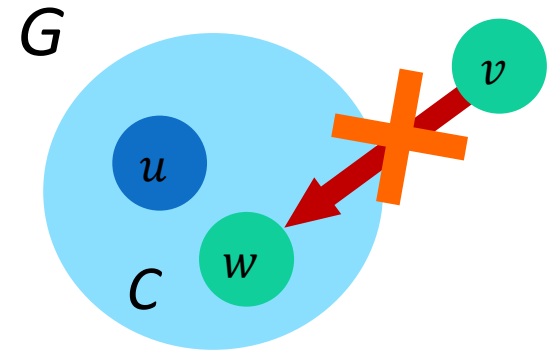
Transpose of A Graph



Example Illustration



Algorithm Correctness



Lemma

Let C be the strongly connected component of G (and G^T) that contains the node u with the largest finish time $u.f$. Then C cannot have any incoming edge from any node of G not in C .

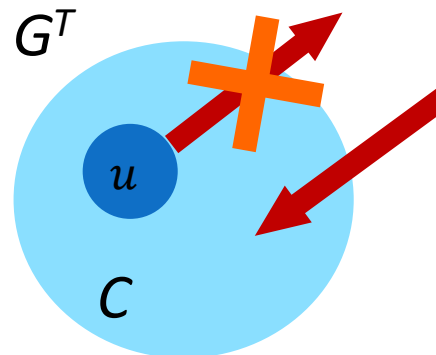
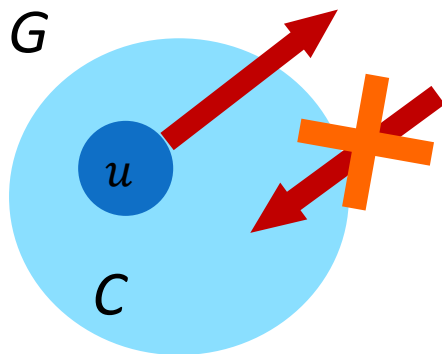
- Proof by contradiction
 - Assume that (v, w) is an incoming edge to C .
 - Since C is a strongly connected component of G , there cannot be any path from any node of C to v in G .
 - Therefore, the finish time of v has to be larger than any node in C , including u . $\rightarrow v.f > u.f$, contradiction

Algorithm Correctness

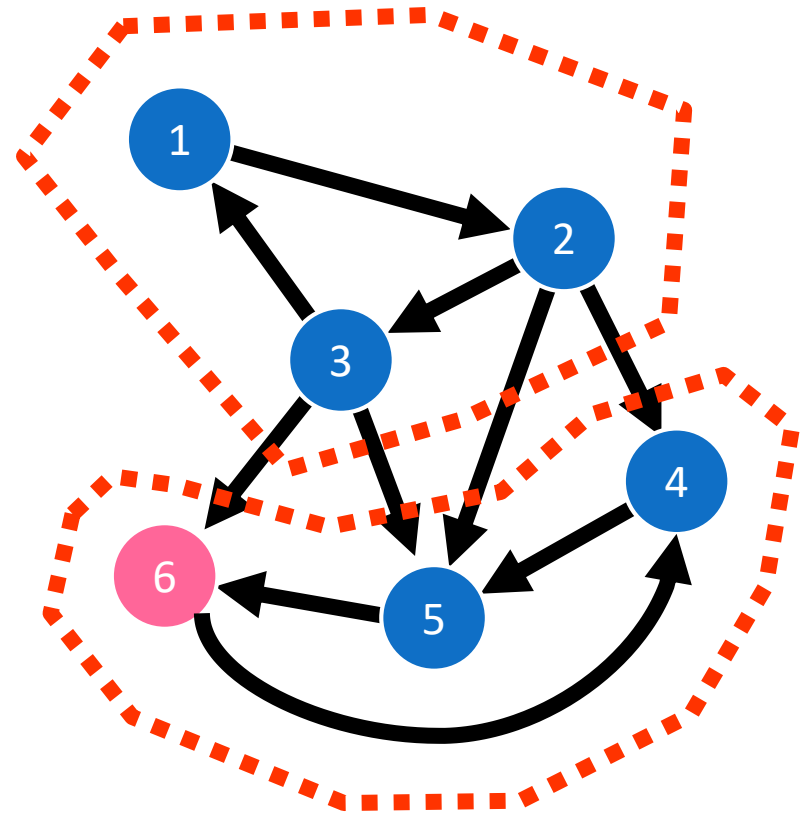
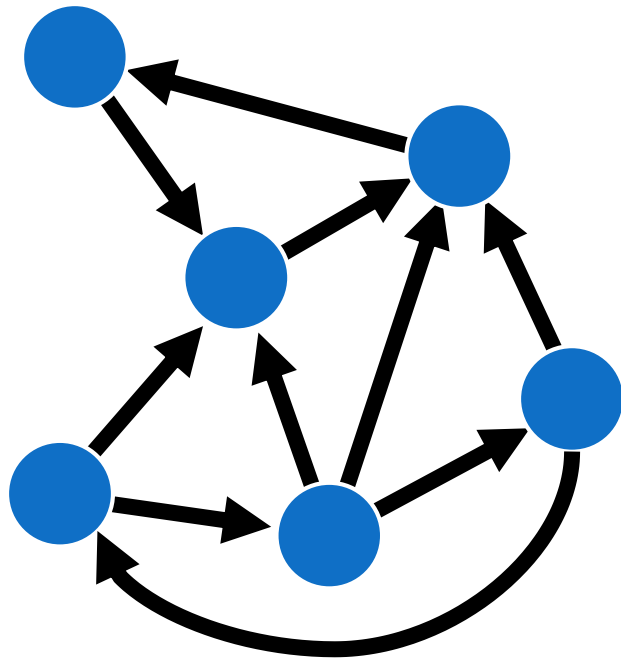
Theorem

By continuing the process from the vertex u^* whose finish time $u^*.f$ is the largest excluding those in C , the algorithm returns the strongly connected components.

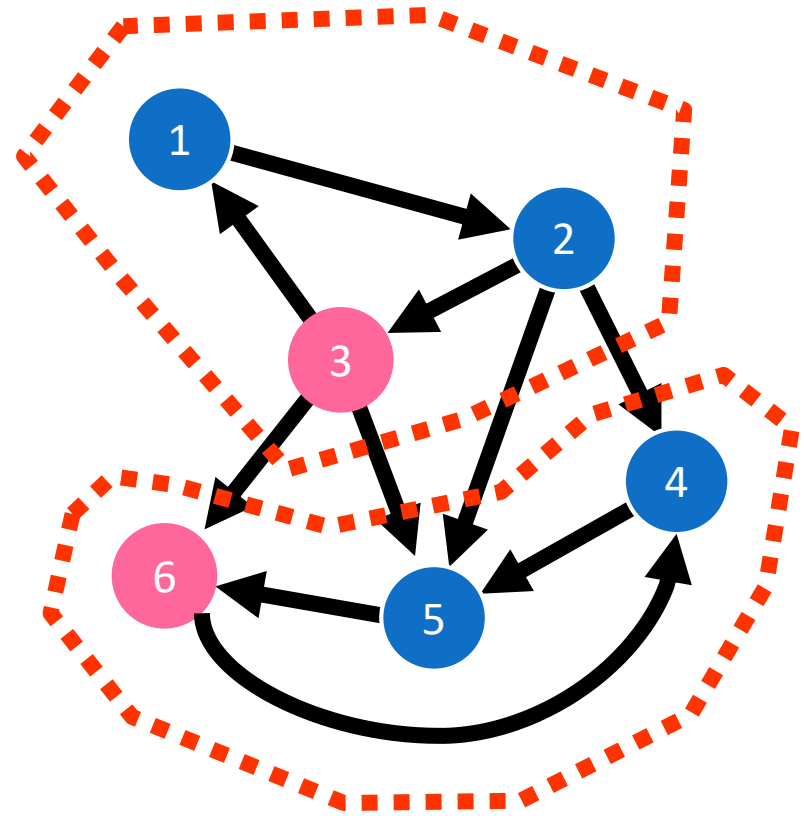
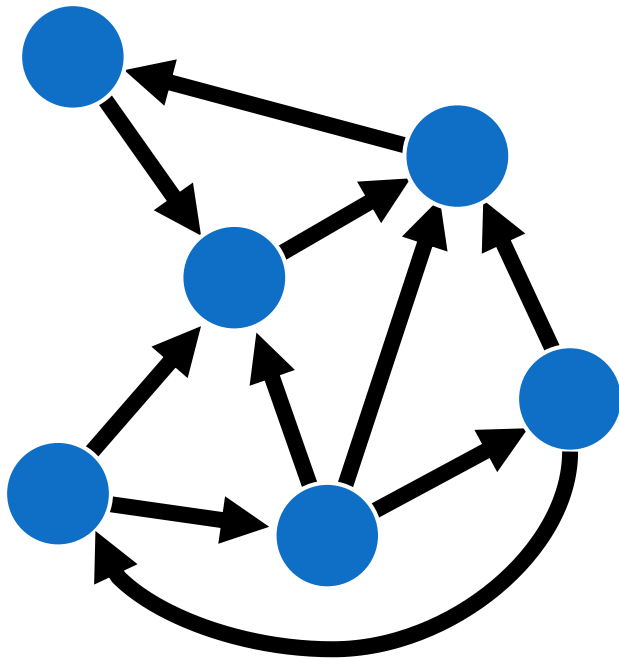
- Practice to prove using induction



Example



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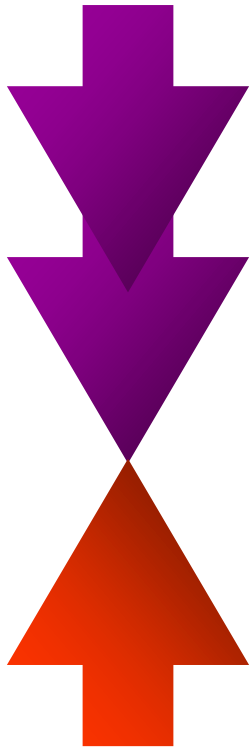


Time Complexity

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Time Complexity: $\Theta(n + m)$

Problem Complexity



Upper bound = $O(m + n)$

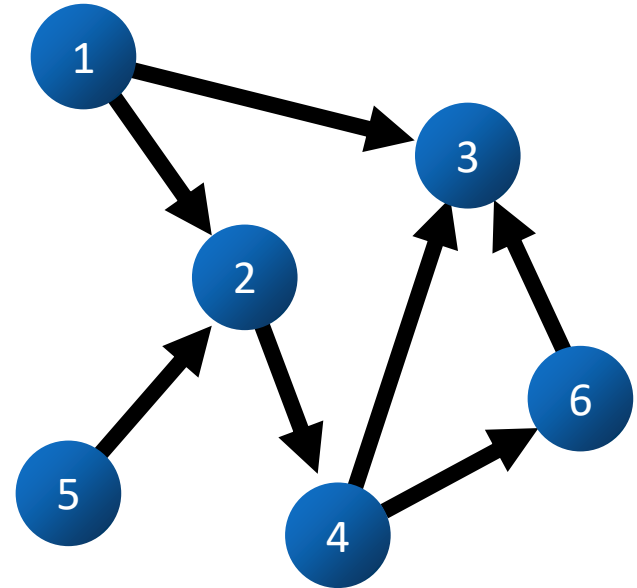
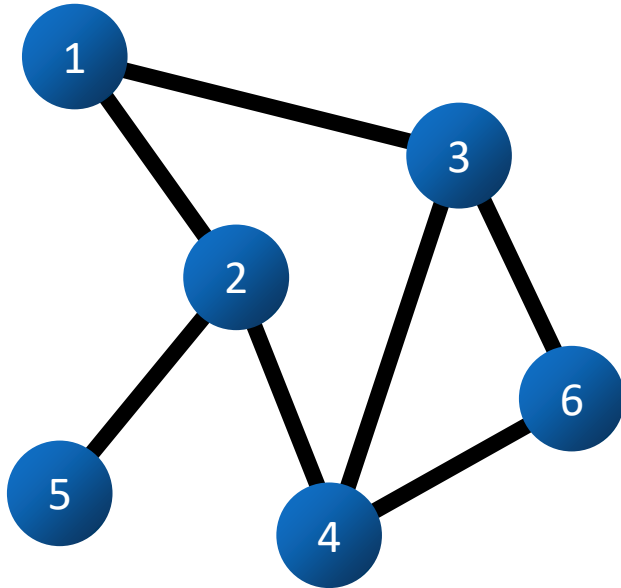
Lower bound = $\Omega(m + n)$



Topological Sort

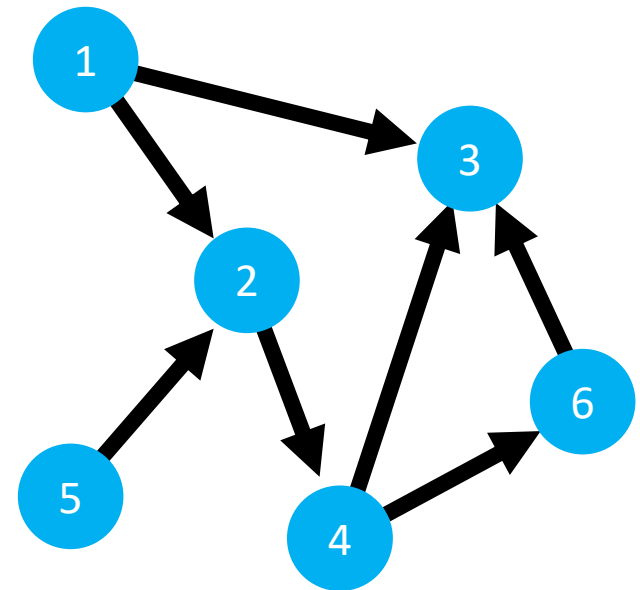
Textbook Chapter 22.4 – Topological sort

Directed Graph



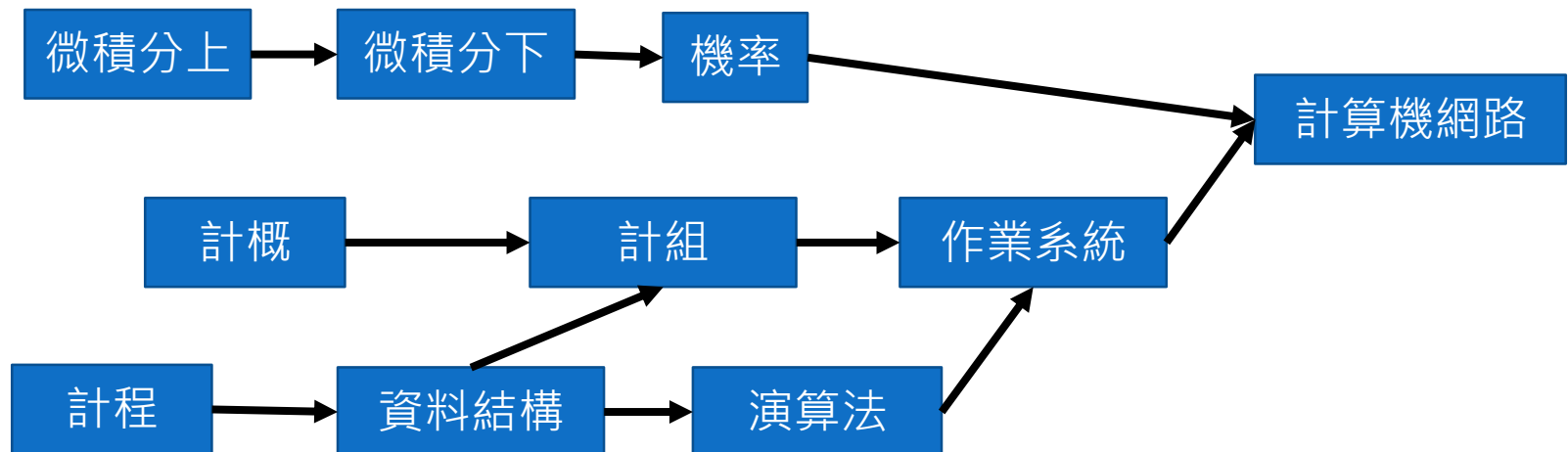
Directed Acyclic Graph (DAG)

- Definition
 - a directed graph without any directed cycle



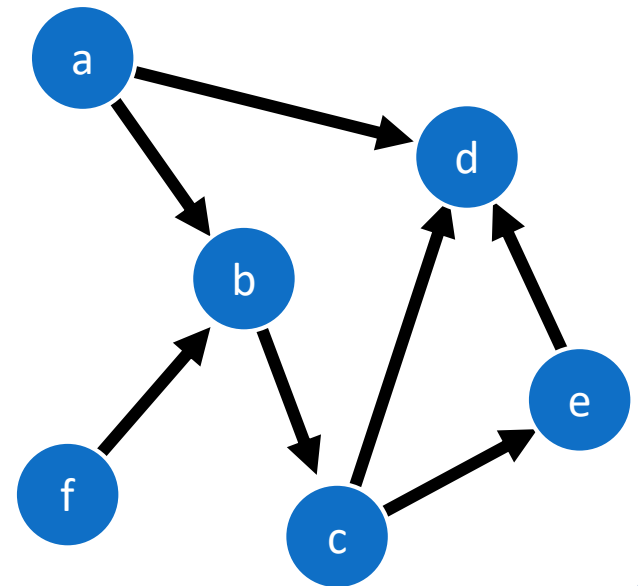
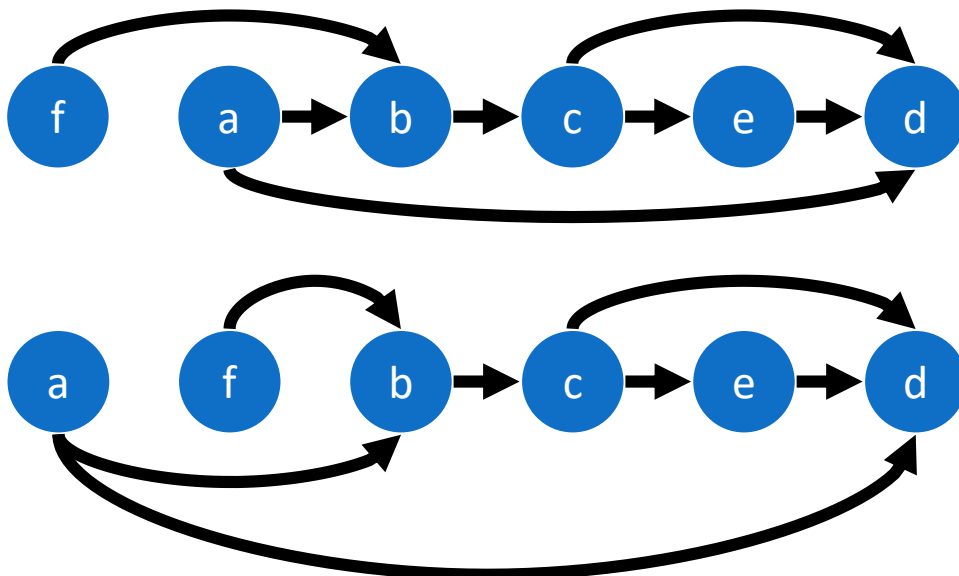
Topological Sort Problem

- Taking courses should follow the specific order
- How to find a course taking order?



Topological Sort Problem

- Input: a directed acyclic graph $G = (V, E)$
- Output: a linear order of V s.t. all edges of G going from lower-indexed nodes to higher-indexed nodes (左→右)



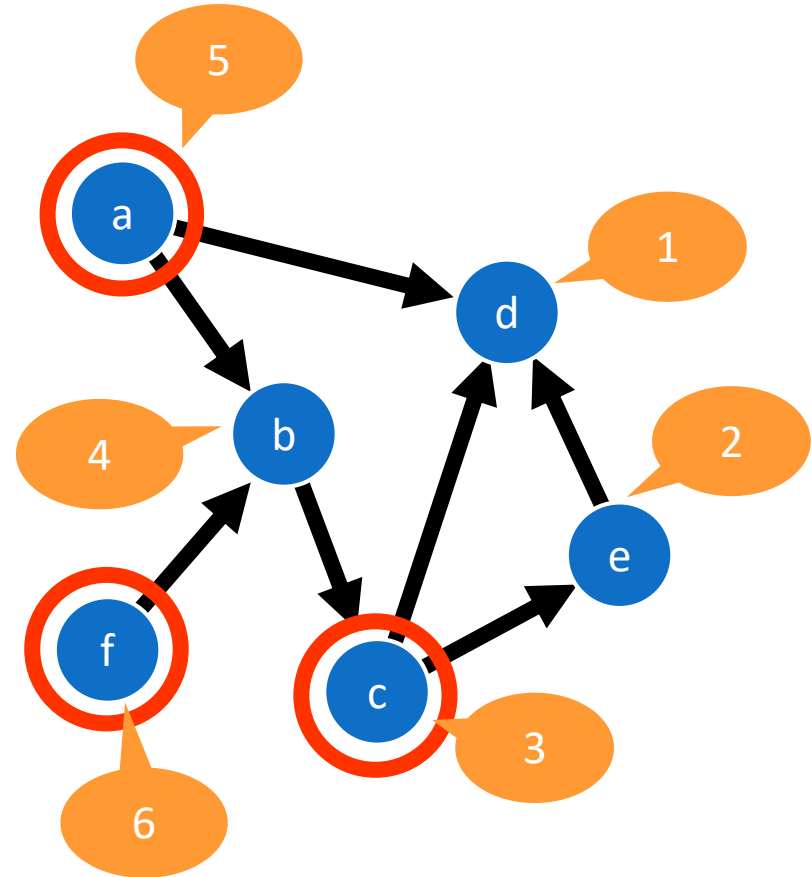
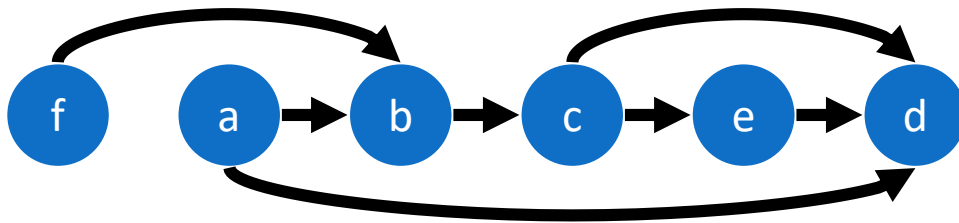
Algorithm

- Run DFS on the input DAG G .
- Output the nodes in decreasing order of their finish time.

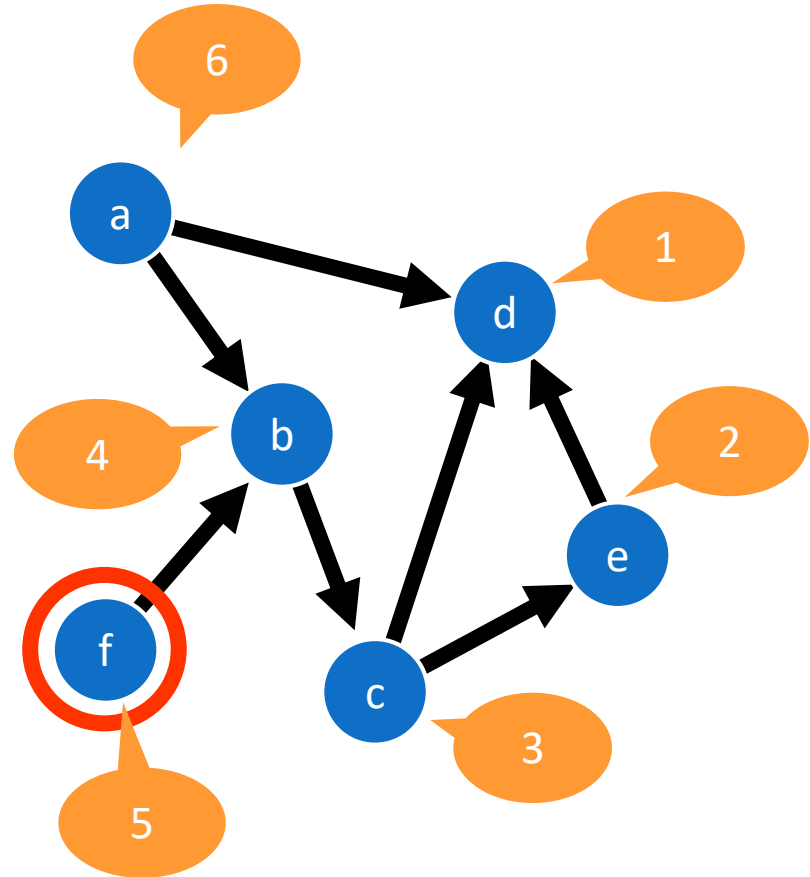
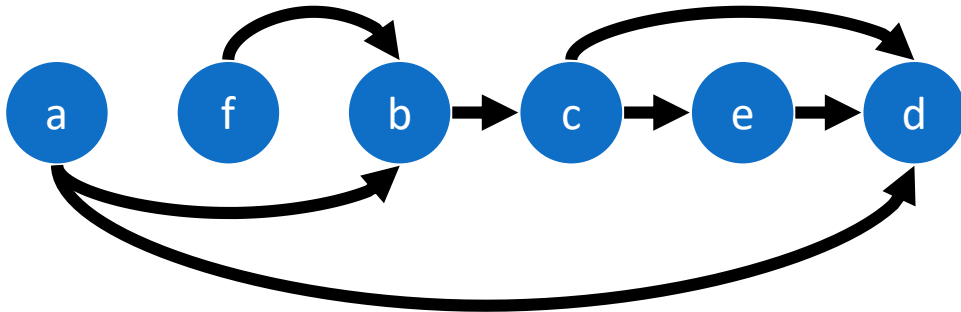
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  time = 0
  for each vertex u in G.V
    if u.color == WHITE
      DFS-VISIT(G, u)
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DFS-Visit(G, u)
  time = time + 1
  u.d = time
  u.color = GRAY
  for each v in G.Adj[u] (outgoing)
    if v.color == WHITE
      v.pi = u
      DFS-VISIT(G, v)
  u.color = BLACK
  time = time + 1
  u.f = time // finish time
```

Example Illustration



Example Illustration



Time Complexity

- Run DFS on the input DAG G . $\Theta(n + m)$
- Output the nodes in decreasing order of their finish time.
 - As each vertex is finished, insert it onto the front of a linked list $\Theta(n)$
 - Return the linked list of vertices

Time Complexity: $\Theta(n + m)$

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Algorithm Correctness

Lemma 22.11

A directed graph is acyclic \Leftrightarrow a DFS yields no back edges.

■ Proof

- \rightarrow : suppose there is a back edge (u, v)
 - v is an ancestor of u in DFS forest
 - There is a path from v to u in G and (u, v) completes the cycle
- \leftarrow : suppose there is a cycle c
 - Let v be the first vertex in c to be discovered and u is a predecessor of v in c
 - Upon discovering v the whole cycle from v to u is WHITE
 - At time $v.d$, the vertices of c form a path of white vertices from v to u
 - By the white-path theorem, vertex u becomes a descendant of v in the DFS forest
 - Therefore, (u, v) is a back edge



White Path Theorem: In a DFS forest of G , v is a descendant of u in the forest \Leftrightarrow at the time $u.d$ that the search discovers u , there is a path from u to v in G consisting entirely of WHITE vertices

Algorithm Correctness

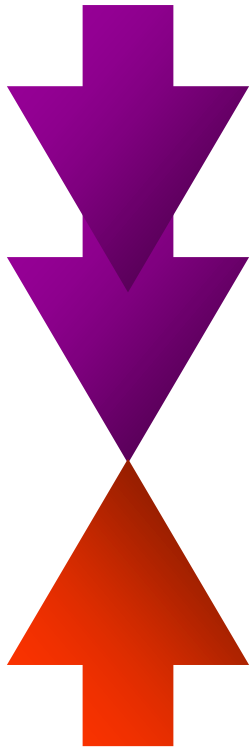
Theorem 22.12

The algorithm produces a topological sort of the input DAG. That is, if (u, v) is a directed edge (from u to v) of G , then $u.f > v.f$.

■ Proof

- When (u, v) is being explored, u is GRAY and there are three cases for v :
 - Case 1 – GRAY
 - (u, v) is a back edge (contradicting Lemma 22.11), so v cannot be GRAY
 - Case 2 – WHITE
 - v becomes descendant of u
 - v will be finished before u **➔** $v.f < u.f$
 - Case 3 – BLACK
 - v is already finished **➔** $v.f < u.f$

Problem Complexity



Upper bound = $O(m + n)$

Lower bound = $\Omega(m + n)$

Discussion

- Since cycle detection becomes back edge detection (Lemma 22.11), DFS can be used to test whether a graph is a DAG
- Is there a topological order for cyclic graphs?
- Given a topological order, is there always a DFS traversal that produces such an order?

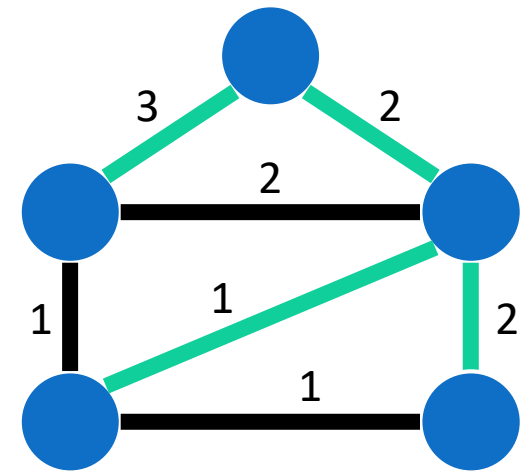


Minimal Spanning Tree (MST)

Textbook Chapter 23 – Minimal Spanning Trees

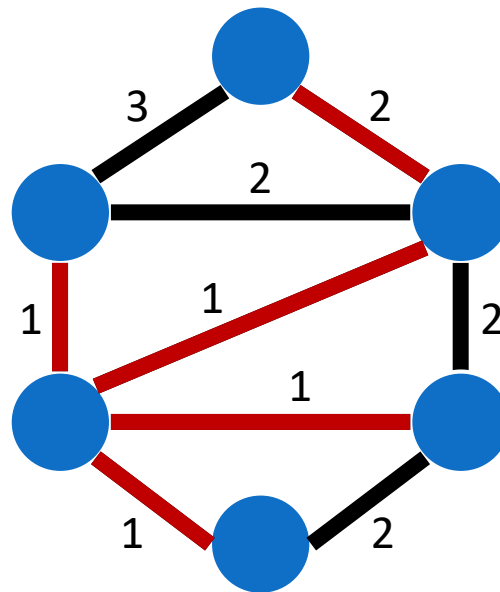
Spanning Tree

- Definition
 - a subgraph that is a tree and connects all vertices
 - Exactly $n - 1$ edges
 - Acyclic
 - There can be many spanning trees of a graph
- BFS and DFS also generate spanning trees
 - BFS tree is typically “short and bushy”
 - DFS tree is typically “long and stringy”



Minimal Spanning Tree Problem

- Input: a connected n -node m -edge graph G with edge weights w
- Output: a spanning tree T of G with minimum $w(T)$



WLOG: we may assume that all edge weights are distinct

Minimal Spanning Tree Problem

- Q: What if the graph is unweighted?

Trivial

- Q: What if the graph contains edges with negative weights?

Add a large constant to every edge; a MST remains the same

Uniqueness of MST

Theorem: MST is unique if all edge weights are distinct

- Proof by contradiction
 - Suppose there are two MSTs A and B
 - Let e be the least-weight edge in $A \cup B$ and e is not in both
 - WLOG, assume e is in A
 - Add e to B ; $\{e\} \cup B$ contains a cycle C
 - B includes at least one edge e' that is not in A but on C
 - Replacing e' with e yields a MST with less cost

If edge weights are not all distinct, then the (multi-)set of weights in MST is unique



Borůvka's Algorithm

Inventor of MST

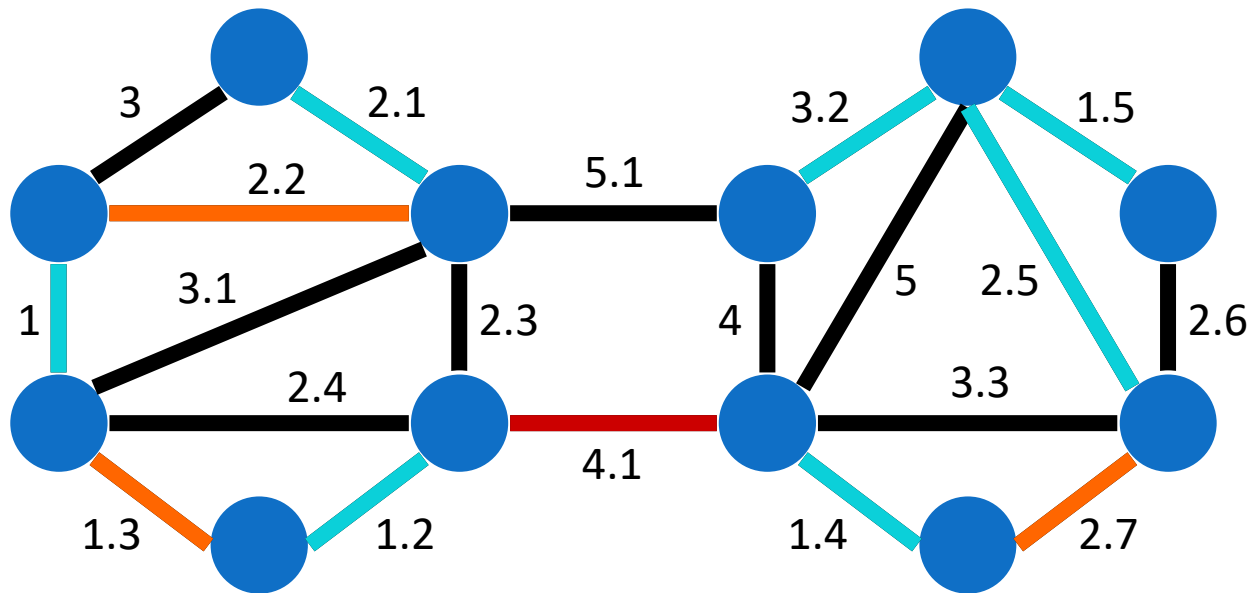
- Otakar Borůvka
 - Czech scientist
 - Introduced the problem
 - Gave an $O(m \log n)$ time algorithm
 - The original paper was written in Czech in 1926
 - The purpose was to efficiently provide electric coverage of Bohemia



Borůvka's Algorithm

- Repeat the following procedure until the resulting graph becomes a single node
 - For each node u , mark its lightest incident edge
 - From the marked edges form a forest F , add the edges of F into the set of edges to be reported
 - Contract each maximal subtree of F into a single node

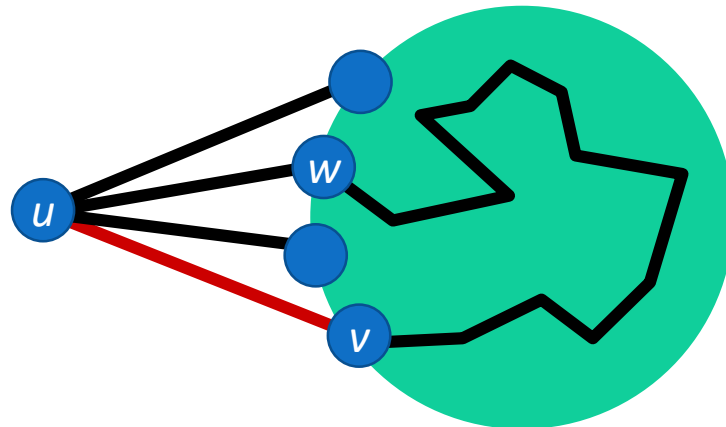
Borůvka's Algorithm Illustration



Algorithm Correctness

Claim: If (u, v) is the lightest edge incident to u in G , (u, v) must belong to any MST of G

- Proof via contradiction
 - An MST T of G that does not contain (u, v)
 - A cycle $C = T \cup (u, v)$ contains an edge (u, w) in C that has larger weight than (u, v)
 - $T' = T \cup (u, v) \setminus (u, w)$ must be a spanning tree of G lighter than T



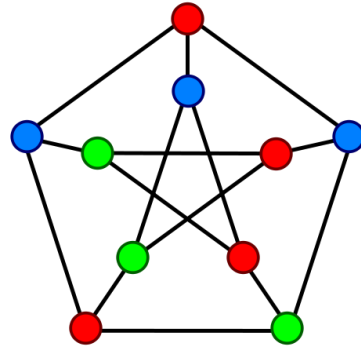
Time Complexity

- The recurrence relation

$$T(m, n) \leq T(m, n/2) + O(m)$$

- We check all edges in each phase $\Rightarrow O(m)$
- After each contraction phase, the number of nodes is reduced by at least one half
- Time complexity: $O(m \log n)$

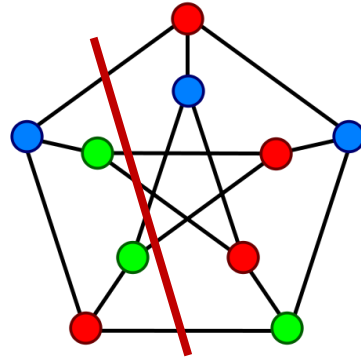
Cycle Property



Let C be any cycle in the graph G , and let e be an edge with the maximum weight on C . Then the MST does not contain e .

- For simplicity, assume all edge weights are distinct
- Proof by contradiction
 - Suppose e is in the MST
 - Removing e disconnects the MST into two components T_1 and T_2
 - There exists another edge e' in C that can reconnect T_1 and T_2
 - Since $w(e') < w(e)$, the new tree has a lower weight
 - Contradiction!

Cut Property



Let C be a cut in the graph, and let e be the edge with the minimum cost in C . Then the MST contains e .

- Cut = a partition of the vertices
 - For simplicity, assume all edge weights are distinct
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- Proof by contradiction
 - Suppose e is not in the current MST
 - Adding e creates a cycle in the MST
 - There exists another edge e' in C that can break the cycle
 - Since $w(e') > w(e)$, the new tree has a lower weight
 - Contradiction!



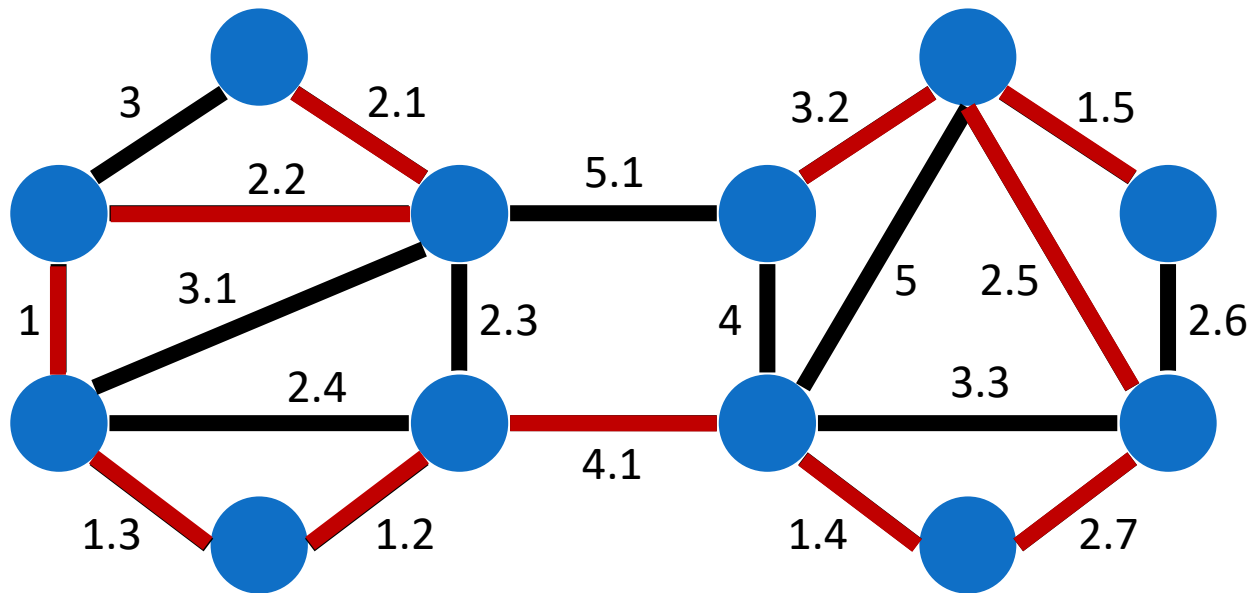
Kruskal's Algorithm

Textbook Chapter 23.2 – The algorithms of Kruskal and Prim

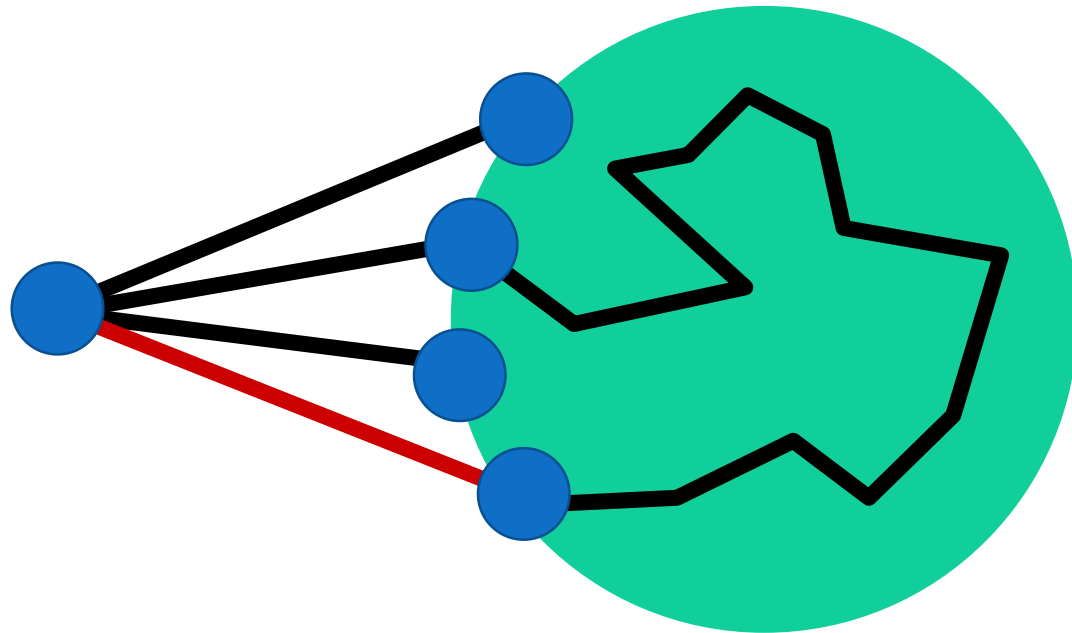
Kruskal's Algorithm

- For each node u
 - Make-set(u): create a set consisting of u
- For each edge (u, v) , **taken in non-decreasing order by weights**
 - if Find-set(u) \neq Find-set(v) (i.e., u and v are not in the same set) then
 - Output edge (u, v)
 - Union(u, v): union the sets containing u and v into a single set

Kruskal's Algorithm Illustration



Kruskal's Algorithm Correctness



The lightest edge incident to a vertex must be in the MST

Kruskal's Algorithm Correctness

- Consider whether adding e creates a cycle:
 - If adding e to T creates a cycle C
 - Then e is the max weight edge in C
 - The cycle property ensures that e is not in the MST
 - If adding $e = (u, v)$ to T does not create a cycle
 - Before adding e , the current MST can be divided into two trees T_1 and T_2 such that u in T_1 and v in T_2
 - e is the minimum-cost edge on the cut of T_1 and T_2
 - The cut property ensures that e is in the MST

Kruskal's Time Complexity

```
MST-KRUSKAL(G, w) // w = weights
  A = empty // edge set of MST
  for v in G.V
    MAKE-SET(v)
  sort edges of G.E into non-decreasing order by weight w  $O(m \log m)$ 
  for (u, v) in G.E, taken in non-decreasing order by weight  $m$  times
    if FIND-SET(u)  $\neq$  FIND-SET(v)
      A = A  $\cup$  {u, v}
      UNION(u, v)
  return A
```

- Disjoint-set data structure with union-by-rank (Textbook Ch. 21)
 - MAKE-SET: $O(1)$
 - FIND-SET: $O(\log n)$
 - UNION: $O(\log n)$
 - The amortized cost of m operations on n elements (Exercise 21.4-4): $O(m \log n)$
- Total complexity: $O(m \log m) = O(m \log n)$



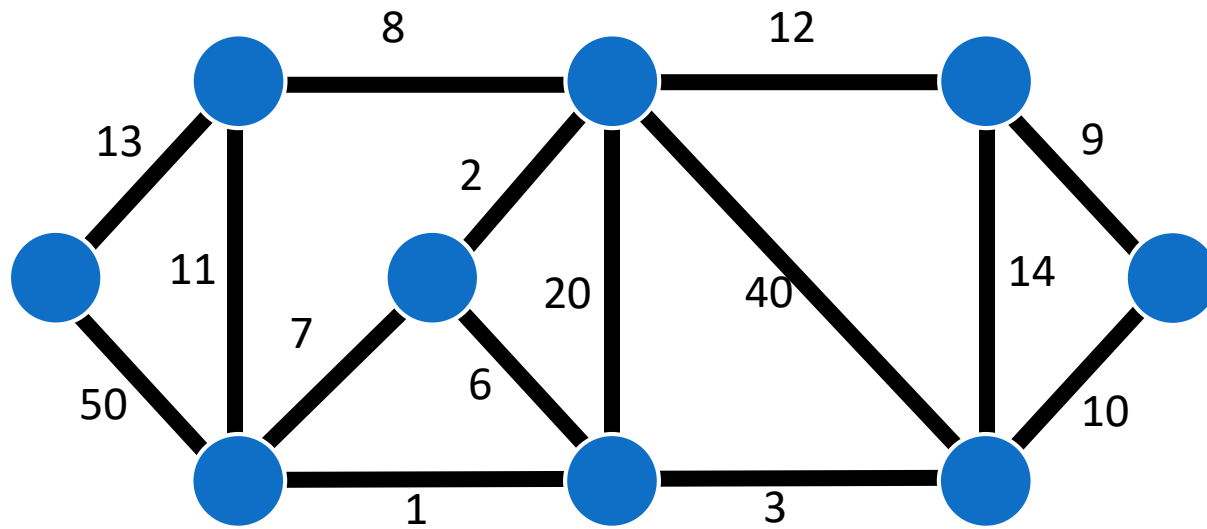
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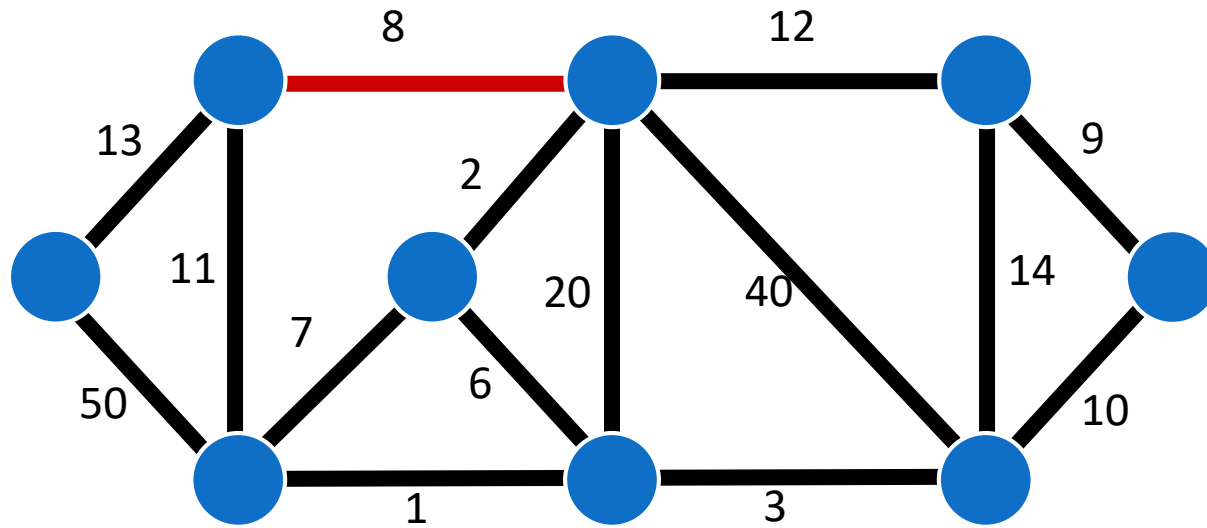
Prim's Algorithm

- Let T consist of an arbitrary node
- For $i = 1$ to $n - 1$
 - add the least-weighted edge incident to the current subtree T that does not incur a cycle

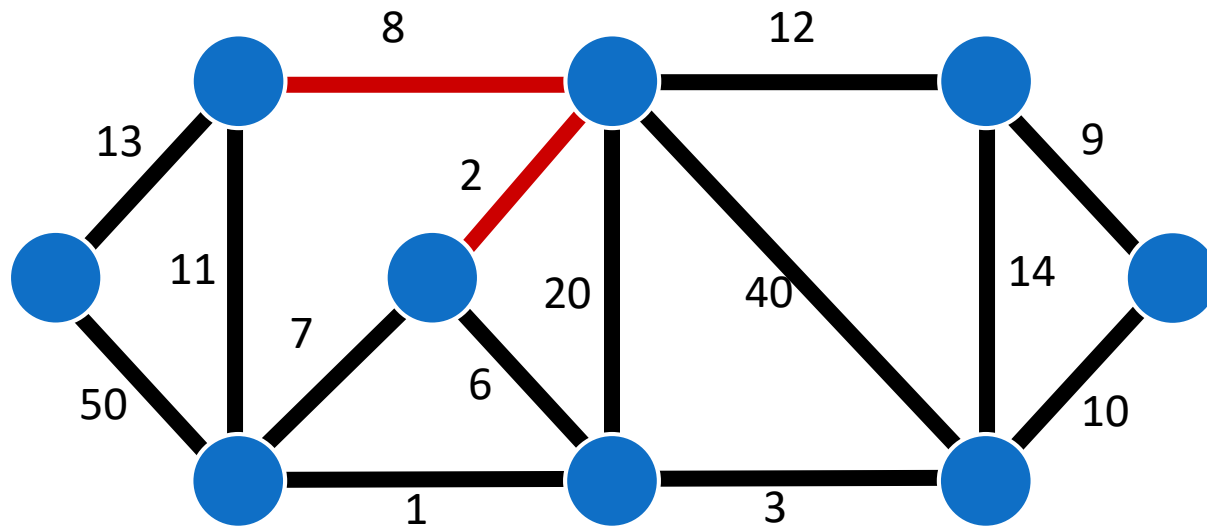
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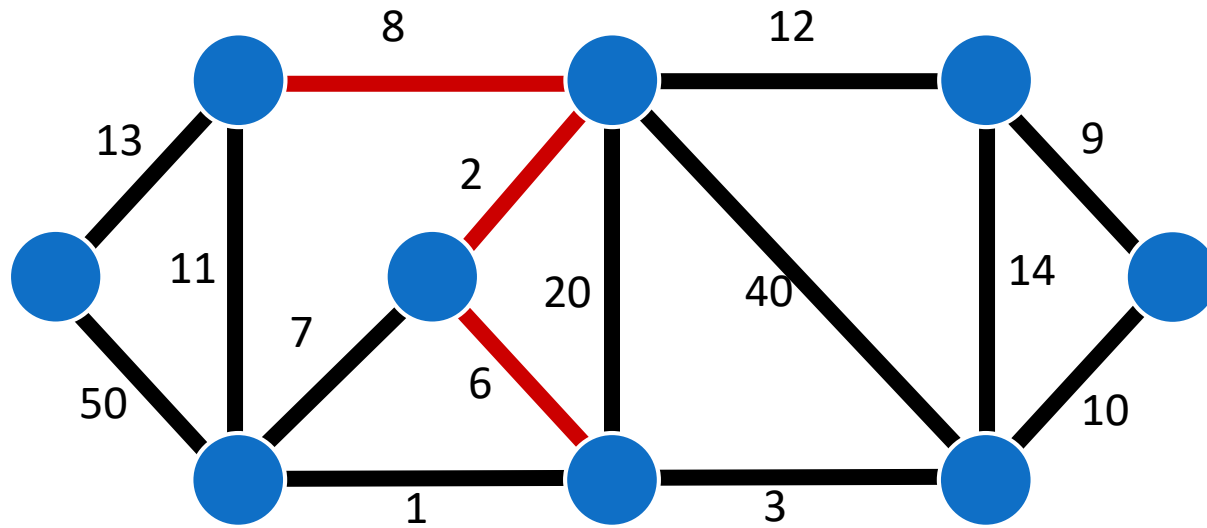
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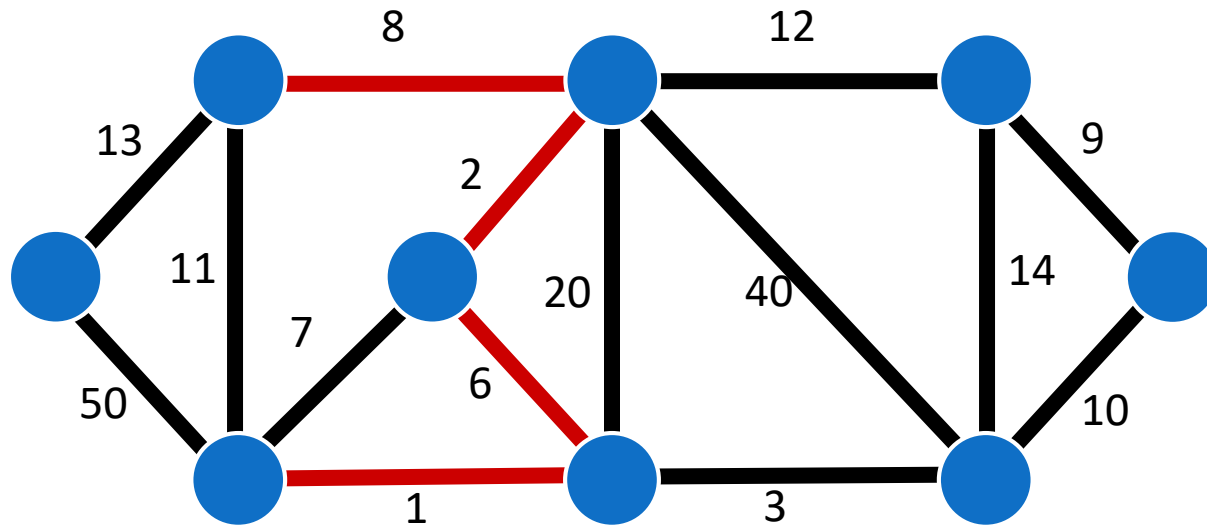
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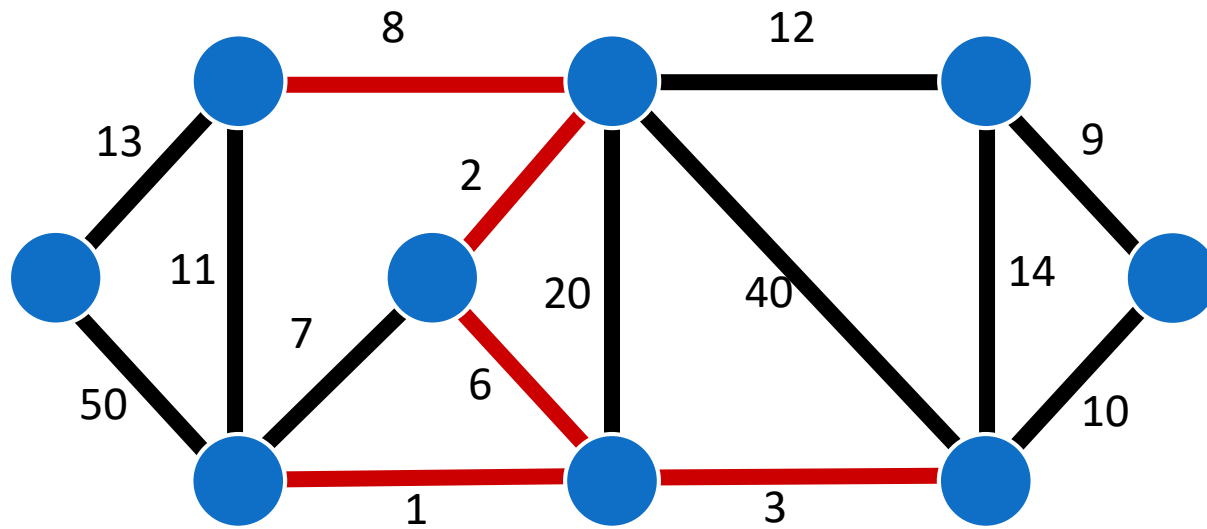
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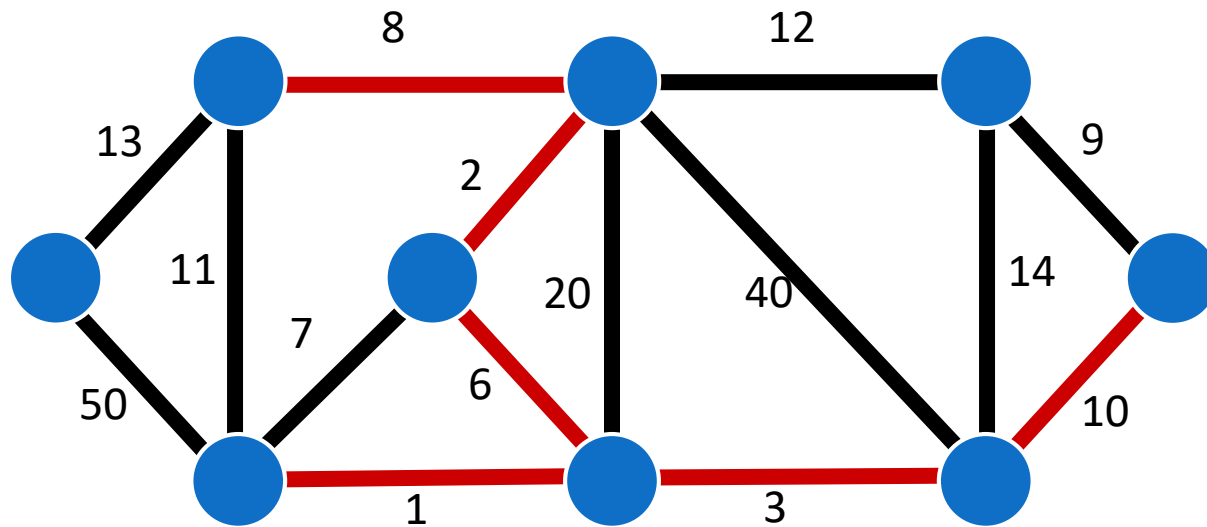
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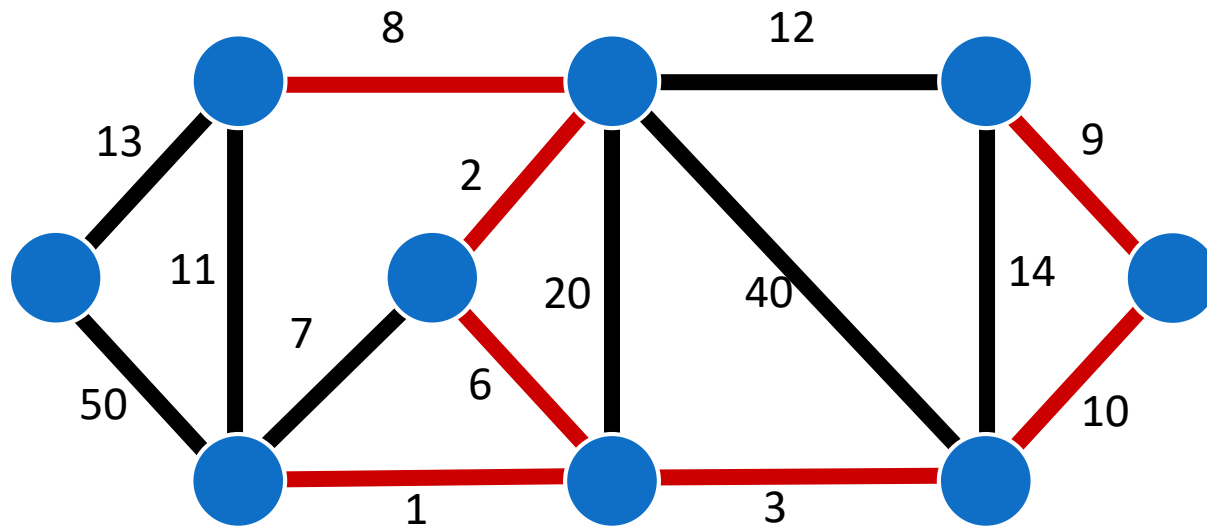
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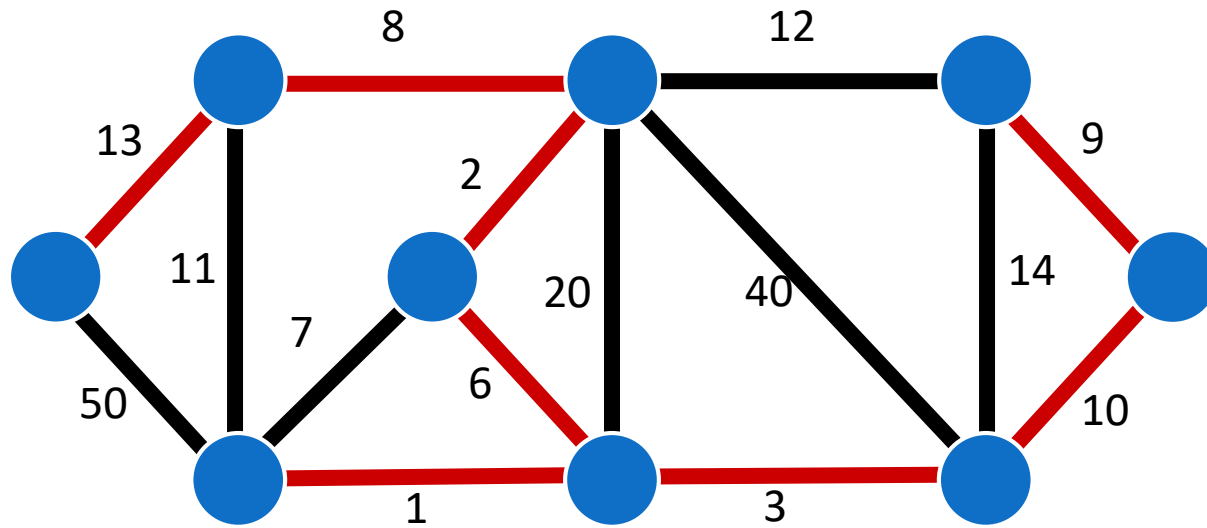
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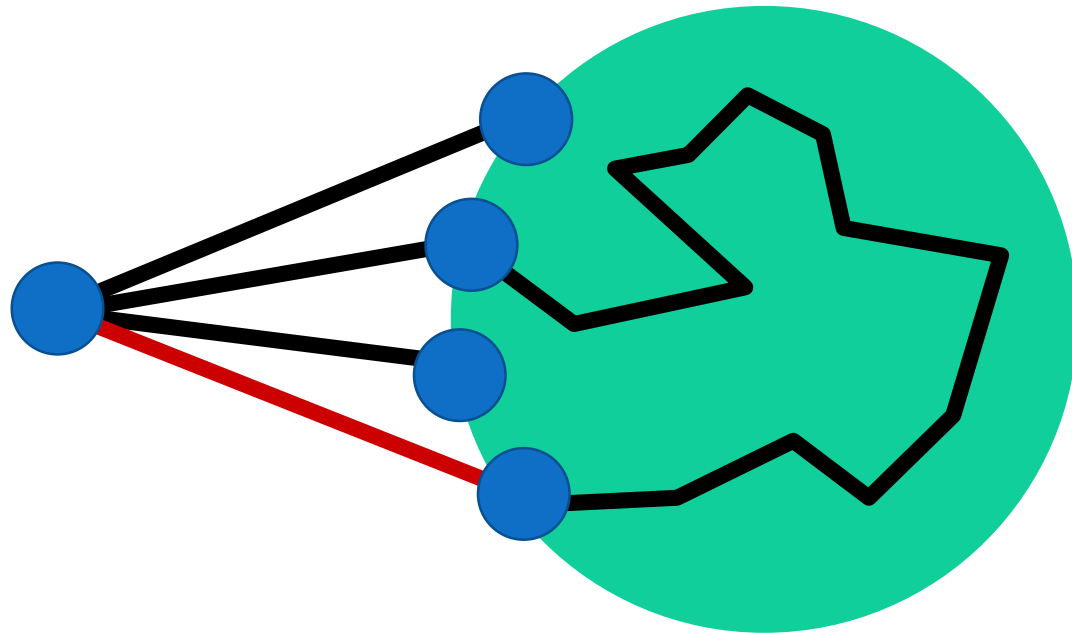
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Prim's Algorithm Illustration



Prim's Algorithm Correctness



The lightest edge incident to a vertex must be in the MST

Prim's Time Complexity

```
MST-PRIM(G, w, r) // w = weights, r = root
  for u in G.V
    u.key = ∞
    u.π = NIL
  r.key = 0
  Q = G.V
  while Q ≠ empty
    u = EXTRACT-MIN(Q)
    for v in G.adj[u]
      if v ∈ Q and w(u, v) < v.key
        v.π = u
        v.key = w(u, v) // DECREASE-KEY
```

$O(n)$
 n times
 $O(\log n)$
 m times
 $O(\log n)$

- Binary min-heap (Textbook Ch. 6)
 - BUILD-MIN-HEAP: $O(n)$
 - EXTRACT-MIN: $O(\log n)$
 - DECREASE-KEY: $O(\log n)$
- Total complexity: $O(n \log n + m \log n) = O(m \log n)$

Prim's Time Complexity

```
MST-PRIM(G, w, r) // w = weights, r = root
  for u in G.V
    u.key = ∞
    u.π = NIL
  r.key = 0
  Q = G.V
  while Q ≠ empty
    u = EXTRACT-MIN(Q)
    for v in G.adj[u]
      if v ∈ Q and w(u, v) < v.key
        v.π = u
        v.key = w(u, v) // DECREASE-KEY
```

$O(n)$

n times

$O(\log n)$

m times

$O(1)$

- Fibonacci heap (Textbook Ch. 19)
 - BUILD-MIN-HEAP: $O(n)$
 - EXTRACT-MIN: $O(\log n)$ (amortized)
 - DECREASE-KEY: $O(1)$ (amortized)
- Total complexity: $O(m + n \log n)$

Concluding Remarks

- Minimal Spanning Trees (MST)
 - Boruvka's Algorithm: $O(m \log n)$
 - Kruskal's Algorithm: $O(m \log n)$
 - Prim's Algorithm: $O(m \log n)$ with binary min-heap
 - Prim's Algorithm: $O(m + n \log n)$ with Fibonacci heap



To Be Continued...



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