

CS171 Introduction to Computer Science II

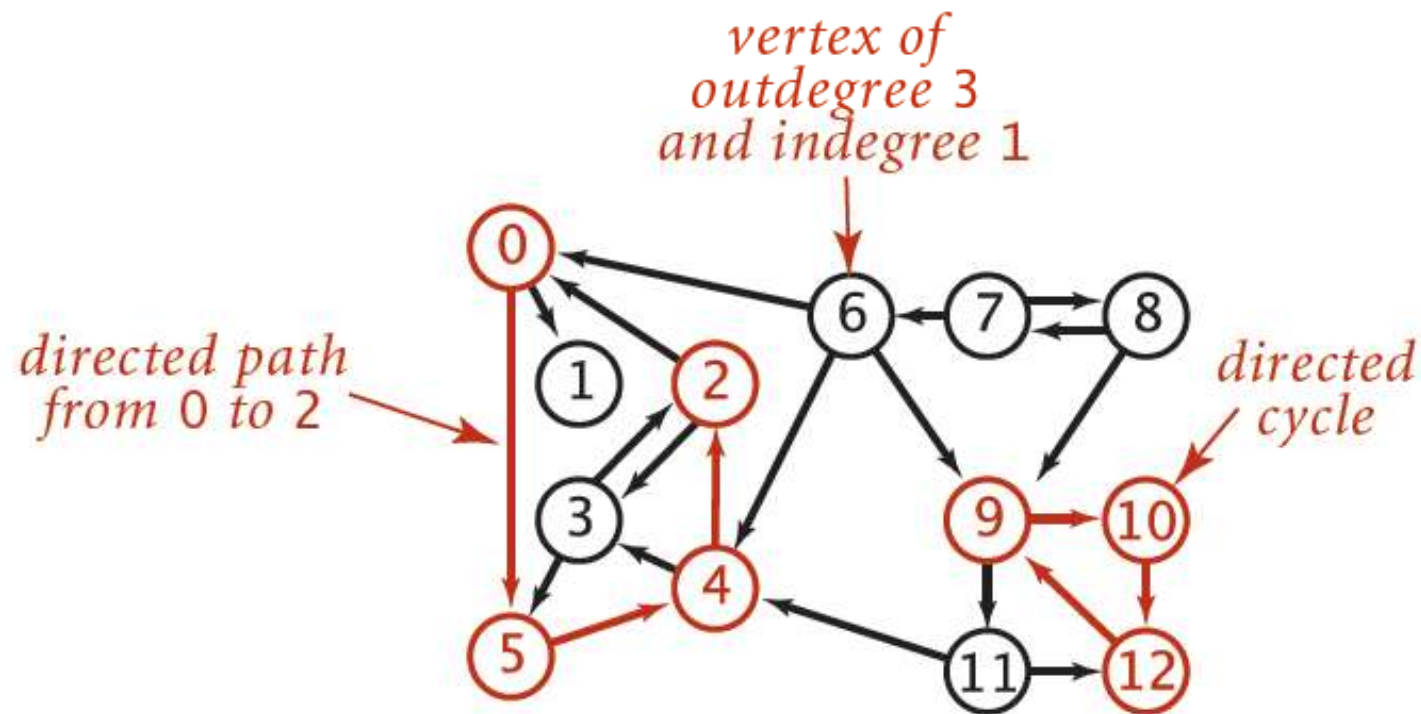
Graphs

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- Simple graphs
- Algorithms
 - Depth-first search
 - Breadth-first search
 - shortest path
 - Connected components
- Directed graphs
- Weighted graphs
- Minimum spanning tree
- Shortest path

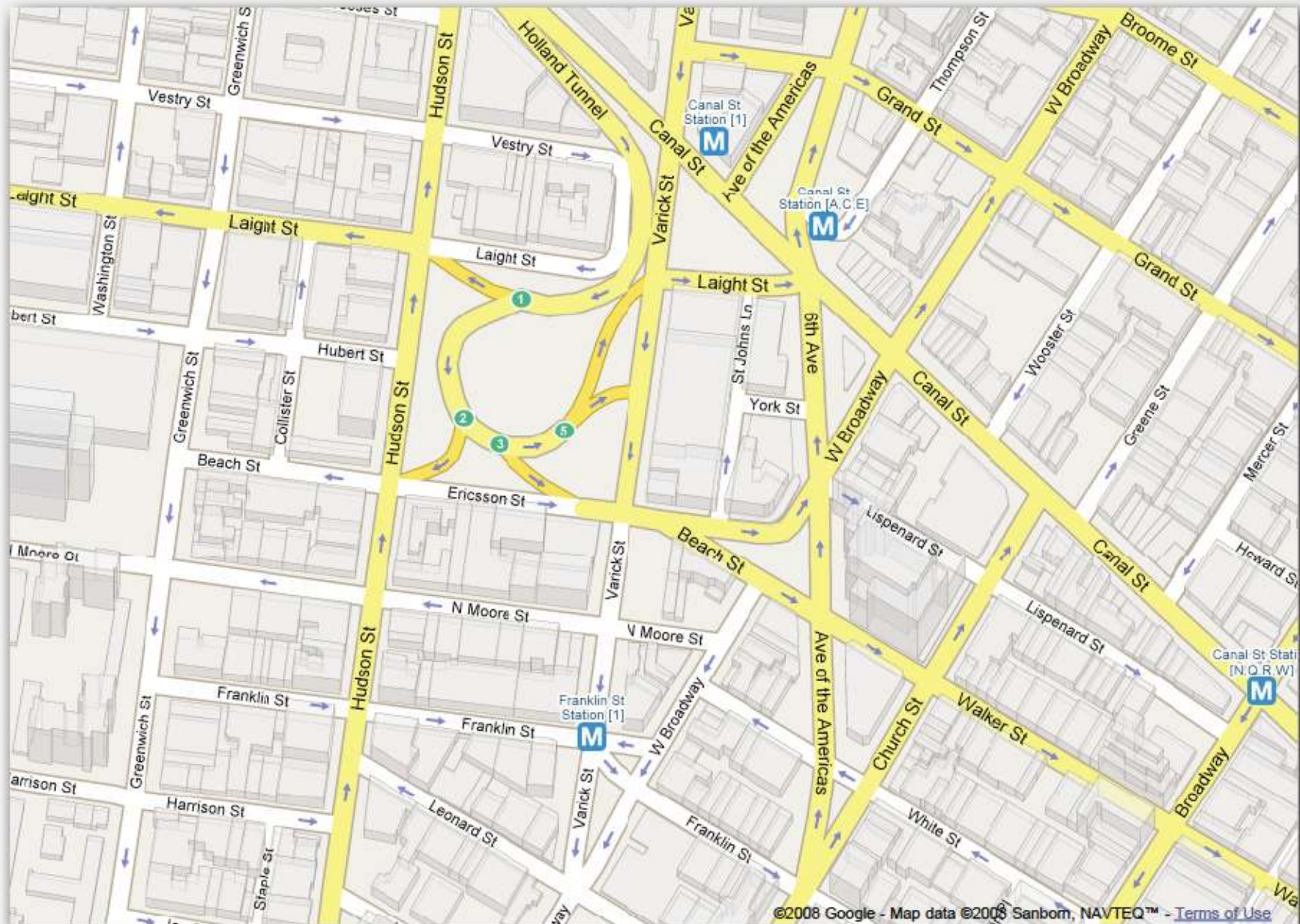
Directed graphs

Digraph. Set of vertices connected pairwise by **directed** edges.



Road network

Vertex = intersection; edge = one-way street.

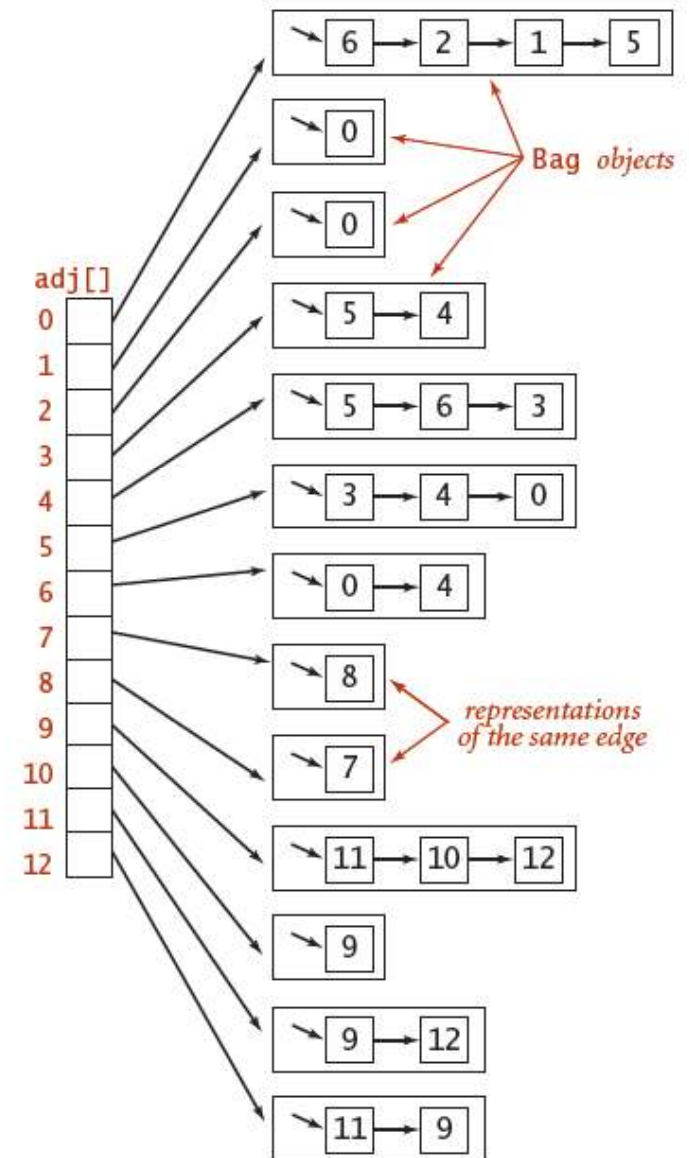
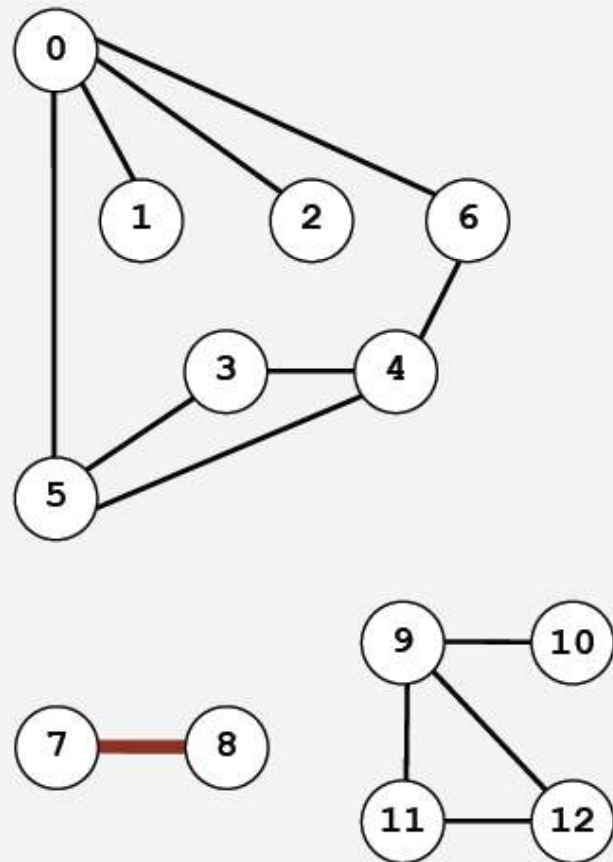


Digraph applications

| digraph | vertex | directed edge |
|-----------------------|---------------------|----------------------------|
| transportation | street intersection | one-way street |
| web | web page | hyperlink |
| food web | species | predator-prey relationship |
| WordNet | synset | hypernym |
| scheduling | task | precedence constraint |
| financial | bank | transaction |
| cell phone | person | placed call |
| infectious disease | person | infection |
| game | board position | legal move |
| citation | journal article | citation |
| object graph | object | pointer |
| inheritance hierarchy | class | inherits from |
| control flow | code block | jump |

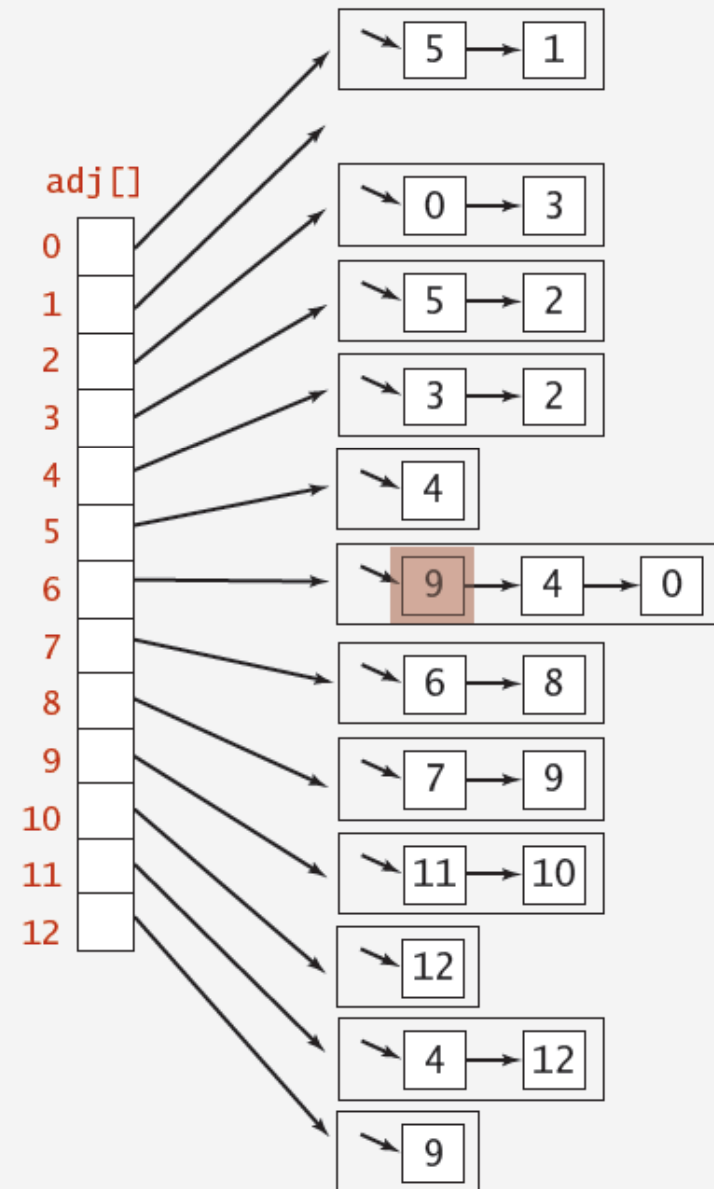
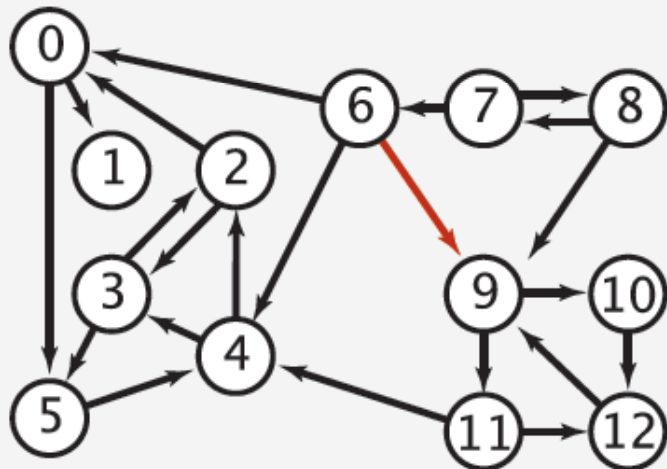
Adjacency-list graph representation

Maintain vertex-indexed array of lists.



Adjacency-lists digraph representation

Maintain vertex-indexed array of lists (use `Bag` abstraction).



Digraph API

```
public class Digraph
```

```
    Digraph(int V)
```

create an empty digraph with V vertices

```
    Digraph(In in)
```

create a digraph from input stream

```
    void addEdge(int v, int w)
```

add a directed edge $v \rightarrow w$

```
    Iterable<Integer> adj(int v)
```

vertices pointing from v

```
    int V()
```

number of vertices

```
    int E()
```

number of edges

```
    Digraph reverse()
```

reverse of this digraph

```
    String toString()
```

string representation

Adjacency-lists digraph representation: Java implementation

```
public class Digraph
```

```
{
```

```
    private final int V;
```

```
    private final Bag<Integer>[] adj;
```

← adjacency lists

```
    public Digraph(int V)
```

```
    {
```

```
        this.V = V;
```

```
        adj = (Bag<Integer>[]) new Bag[V];
```

```
        for (int v = 0; v < V; v++)
```

```
            adj[v] = new Bag<Integer>();
```

← create empty digraph
with V vertices

```
    public void addEdge(int v, int w)
```

```
    {
```

```
        adj[v].add(w);
```

← add edge $v \rightarrow w$

```
    }
```

```
    public Iterable<Integer> adj(int v)
```

```
    { return adj[v]; }
```

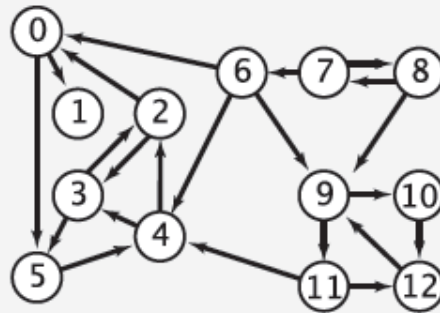
← iterator for vertices
pointing from v

```
}
```

Digraph API

V → 13
22 ← *E*

```
4 2
2 3
3 2
6 0
0 1
2 0
11 12
12 9
9 10
9 11
8 9
10 12
11 4
4 3
3 5
7 8
8 7
5 4
0 5
6 4
6 9
7 6
```



```
% java TestDigraph tinyDG.txt
0->5
0->1
2->0
2->3
3->5
3->2
4->3
4->2
5->4
...
11->4
11->12
12-9
```

```
In in = new In(args[0]);
Digraph G = new Digraph(in);

for (int v = 0; v < G.V(); v++)
    for (int w : G.adj(v))
        StdOut.println(v + "->" + w);
```

← read digraph from
input stream

← print out each
edge (once)

Depth-first search in digraphs

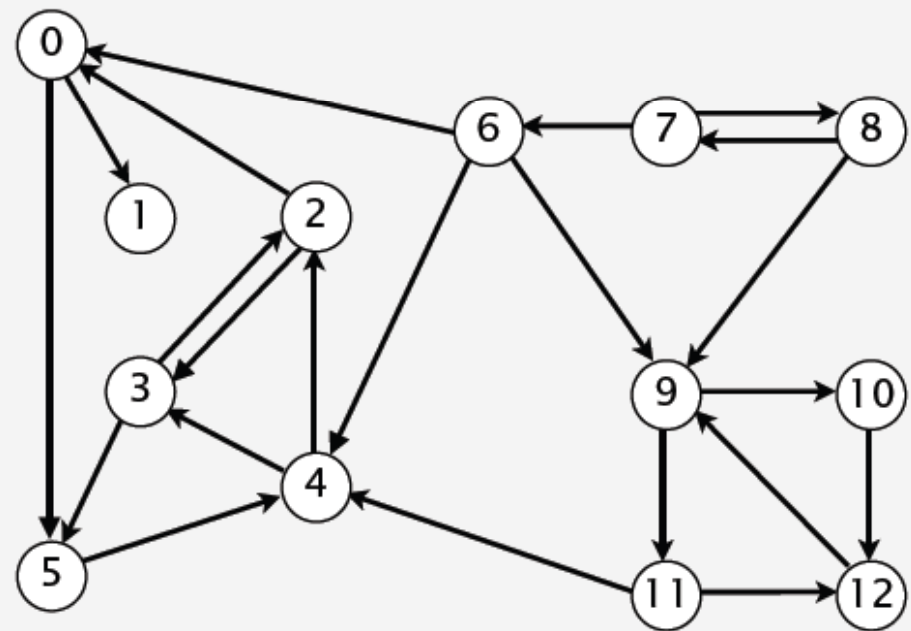
Same method as for undirected graphs.

- Every undirected graph is a digraph (with edges in both directions).
- DFS is a **digraph** algorithm.

DFS (to visit a vertex v)

Mark v as visited.

**Recursively visit all unmarked
vertices w pointing from v .**



Breadth-first search in digraphs

Same method as for undirected graphs.

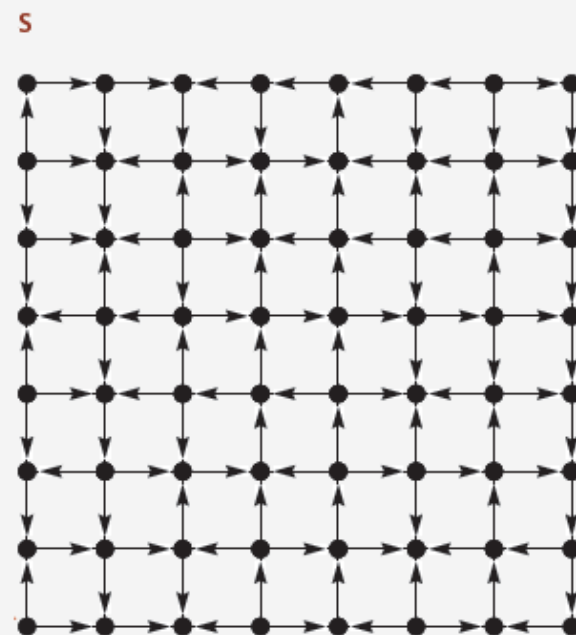
- Every undirected graph is a digraph (with edges in both directions).
- BFS is a **digraph** algorithm.

BFS (from source vertex s)

Put s onto a FIFO queue, and mark s as visited.

Repeat until the queue is empty:

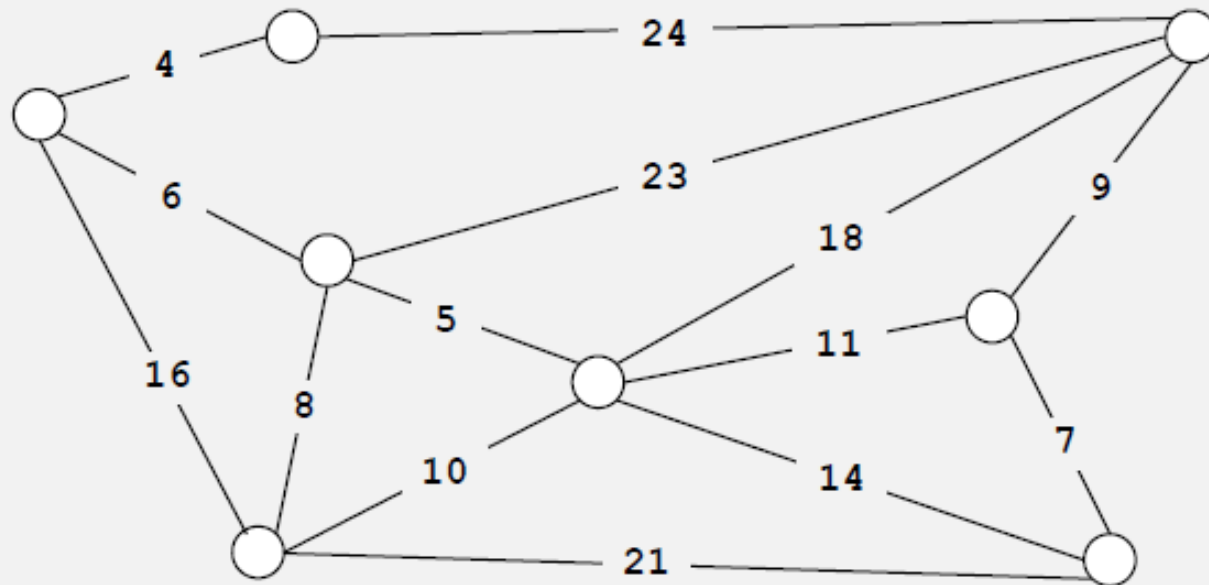
- **remove the least recently added vertex v**
 - **for each unmarked vertex pointing from v :**
add to queue and mark as visited.
-



Proposition. BFS computes shortest paths (fewest number of edges).

Edge-weighted graphs

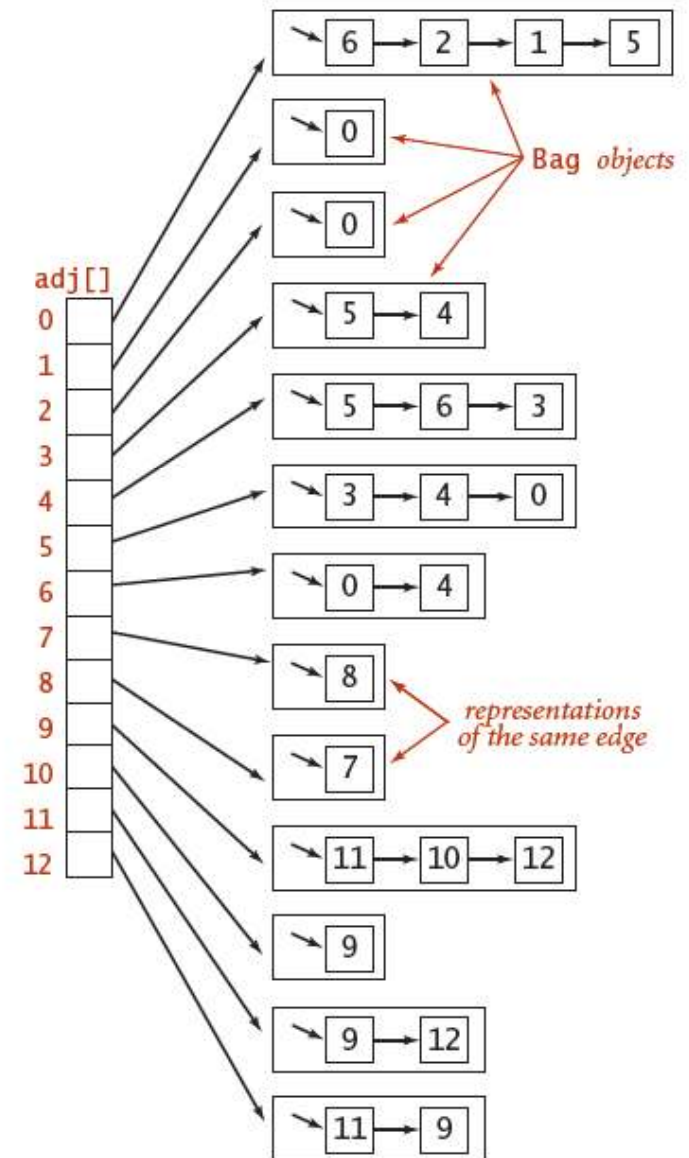
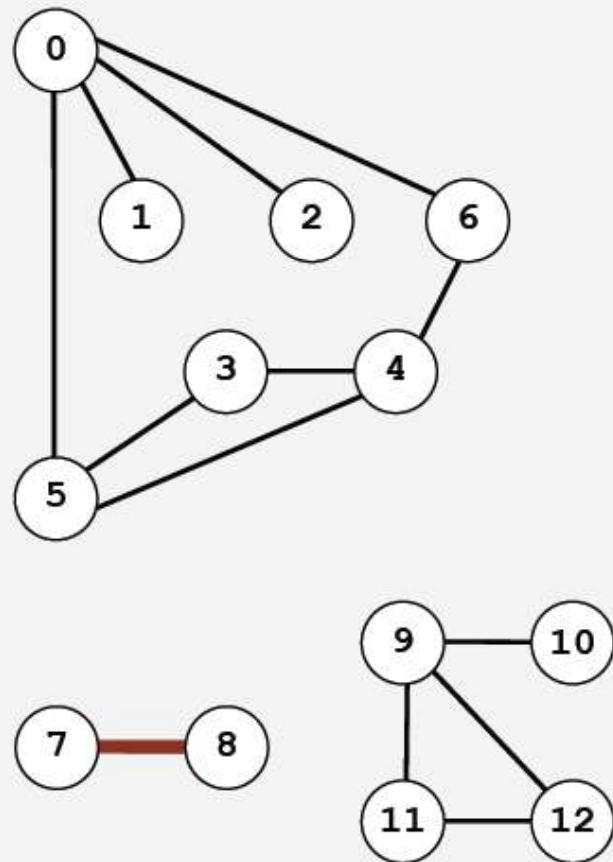
- Each connection has an associated weight



graph G

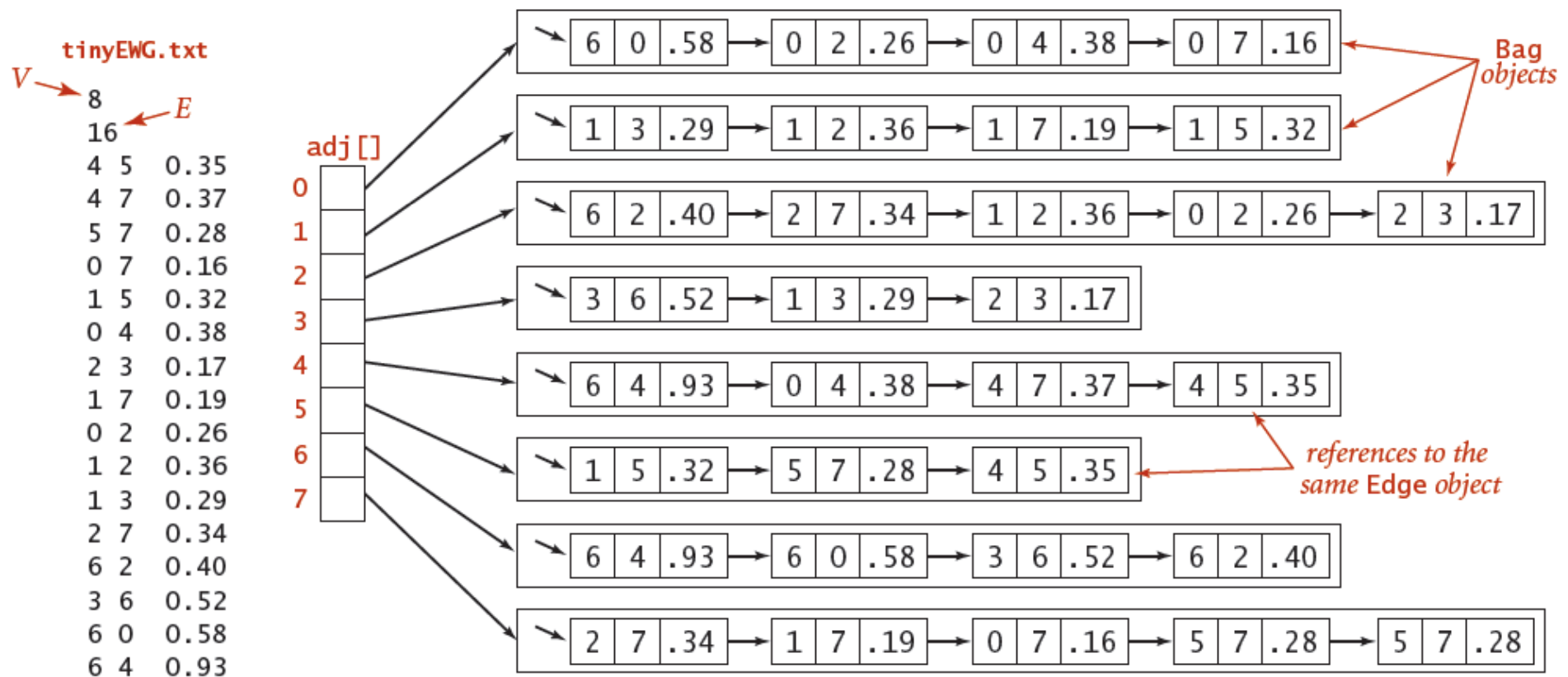
Adjacency-list graph representation

Maintain vertex-indexed array of lists.



Edge-weighted graph: adjacency-lists representation

Maintain vertex-indexed array of Edge lists (use Bag abstraction).



Weighted edge API

Edge abstraction needed for weighted edges.

```
public class Edge implements Comparable<Edge>
```

```
    Edge(int v, int w, double weight)
```

create a weighted edge v-w

```
    int either()
```

either endpoint

```
    int other(int v)
```

the endpoint that's not v

```
    int compareTo(Edge that)
```

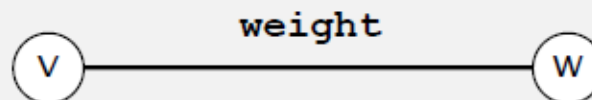
compare this edge to that edge

```
    double weight()
```

the weight

```
    String toString()
```

string representation



Idiom for processing an edge `e`: `int v = e.either(), w = e.other(v);`

Weighted edge: Java implementation

```
public class Edge implements Comparable<Edge>
{
```

```
    private final int v, w;
    private final double weight;
```

```
    public Edge(int v, int w, double weight)
    {
        this.v = v;
        this.w = w;
        this.weight = weight;
    }
```

← constructor

```
    public int either()
    { return v; }
```

← either endpoint

```
    public int other(int vertex)
    {
        if (vertex == v) return w;
        else return v;
    }
```

← other endpoint

```
    public int compareTo(Edge that)
    {
        if      (this.weight < that.weight) return -1;
        else if (this.weight > that.weight) return +1;
        else                                     return 0;
    }
```

← compare edges by weight

```
}
```

Edge-weighted graph API

```
public class EdgeWeightedGraph
```

```
    EdgeWeightedGraph(int V)
```

create an empty graph with V vertices

```
    EdgeWeightedGraph(In in)
```

create a graph from input stream

```
    void addEdge(Edge e)
```

add weighted edge e to this graph

```
    Iterable<Edge> adj(int v)
```

edges incident to v

```
    Iterable<Edge> edges()
```

all edges in this graph

```
    int V()
```

number of vertices

```
    int E()
```

number of edges

```
    String toString()
```

string representation

Edge-weighted graph: adjacency-lists implementation

```
public class EdgeWeightedGraph  
{
```

```
    private final int V;  
    private final Bag<Edge>[] adj;
```

← same as **Graph**, but adjacency lists of **Edges** instead of integers

```
    public EdgeWeightedGraph(int V)
```

```
    {  
        this.V = V;  
        adj = (Bag<Edge>[]) new Bag[V];  
        for (int v = 0; v < V; v++)  
            adj[v] = new Bag<Edge>();  
    }
```

← constructor

```
    public void addEdge(Edge e)
```

```
    {  
        int v = e.either(), w = e.other(v);  
        adj[v].add(e);  
        adj[w].add(e);  
    }
```

← add edge to both adjacency lists

```
    public Iterable<Edge> adj(int v)
```

```
    { return adj[v]; }
```

```
}
```

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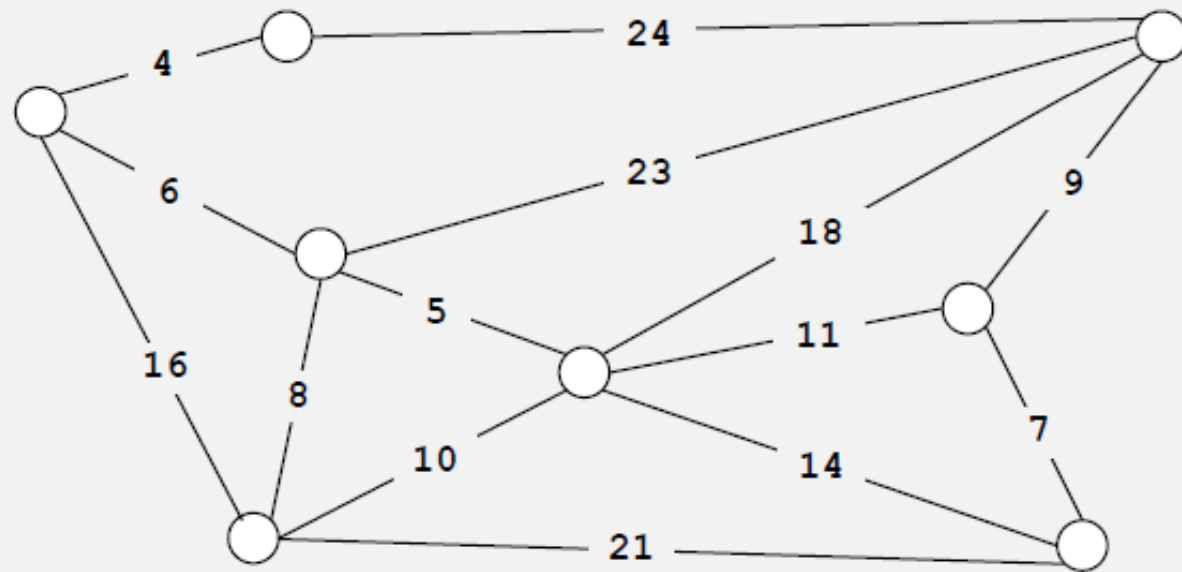
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Minimum spanning tree

Given. Undirected graph G with positive edge weights (connected).

Def. A **spanning tree** of G is a subgraph T that is connected and acyclic.

Goal. Find a min weight spanning tree.



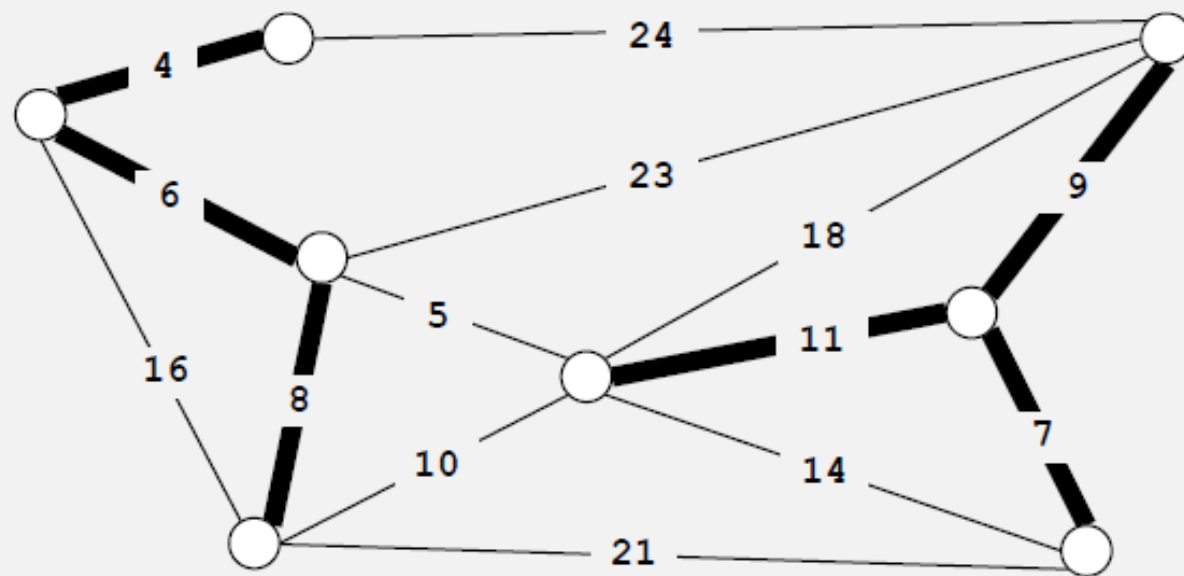
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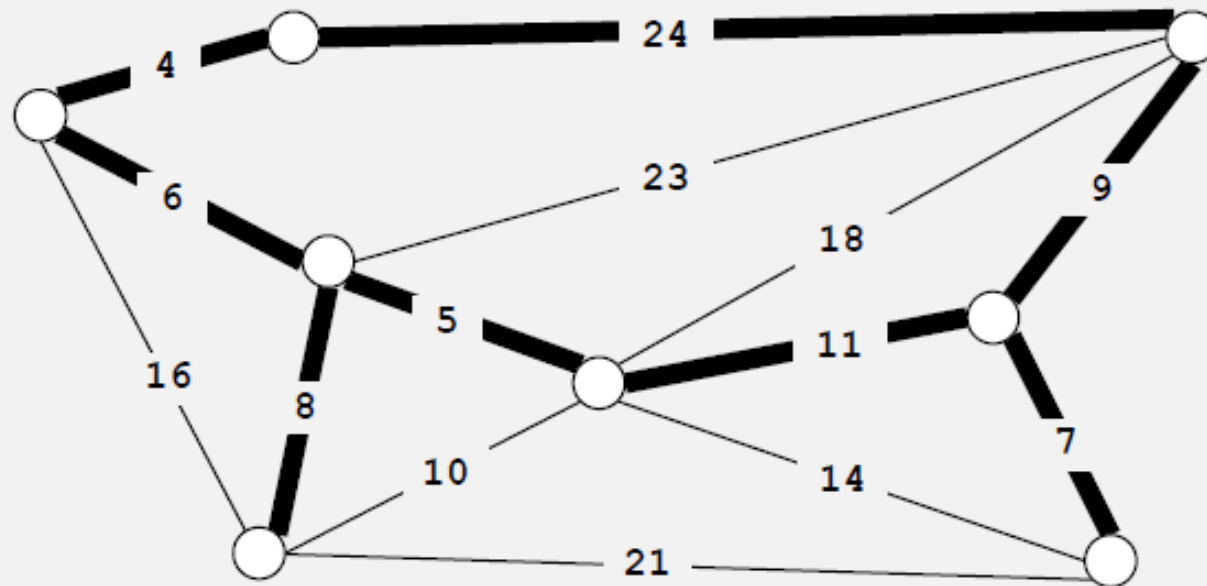


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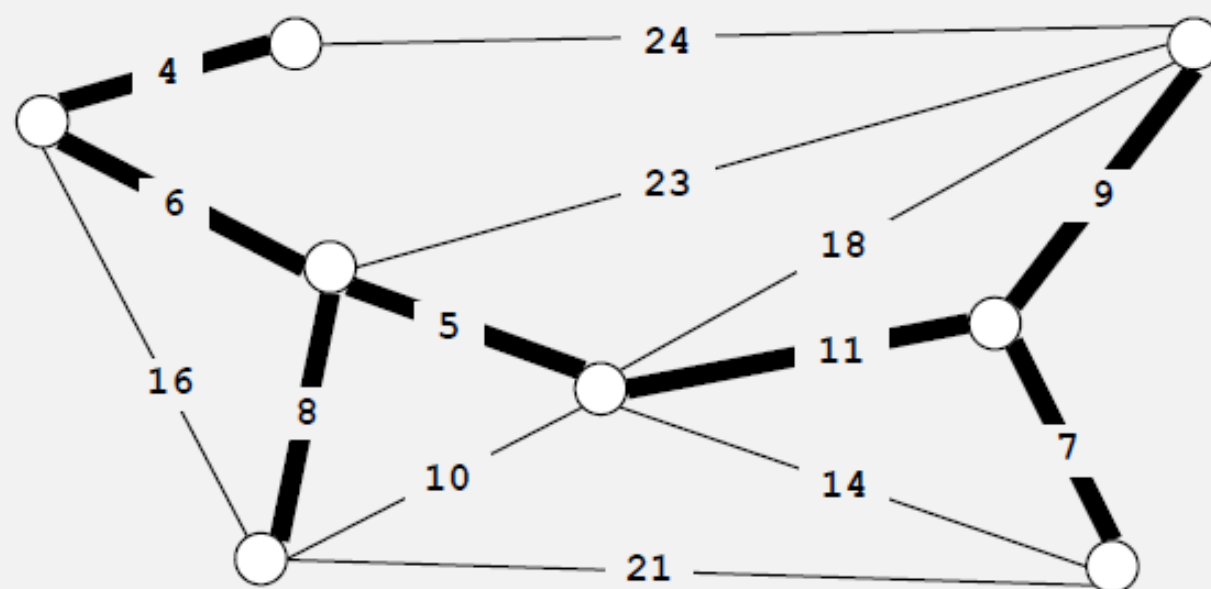


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spanning tree T : cost = 50 = 4 + 6 + 8 + 5 + 11 + 9 + 7

Applications

- Phone/cable network design – minimum cost
- Approximation algorithms for NP-hard problems

Minimum spanning tree API

Q. How to represent the MST?

```
public class MST
```

```
    MST(EdgeWeightedGraph G)
```

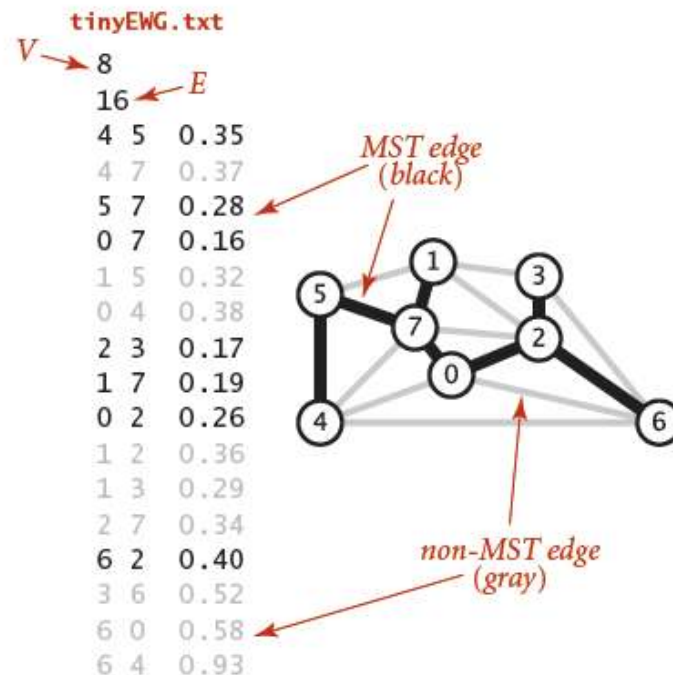
constructor

```
    Iterable<Edge> edges()
```

edges in MST

```
    double weight()
```

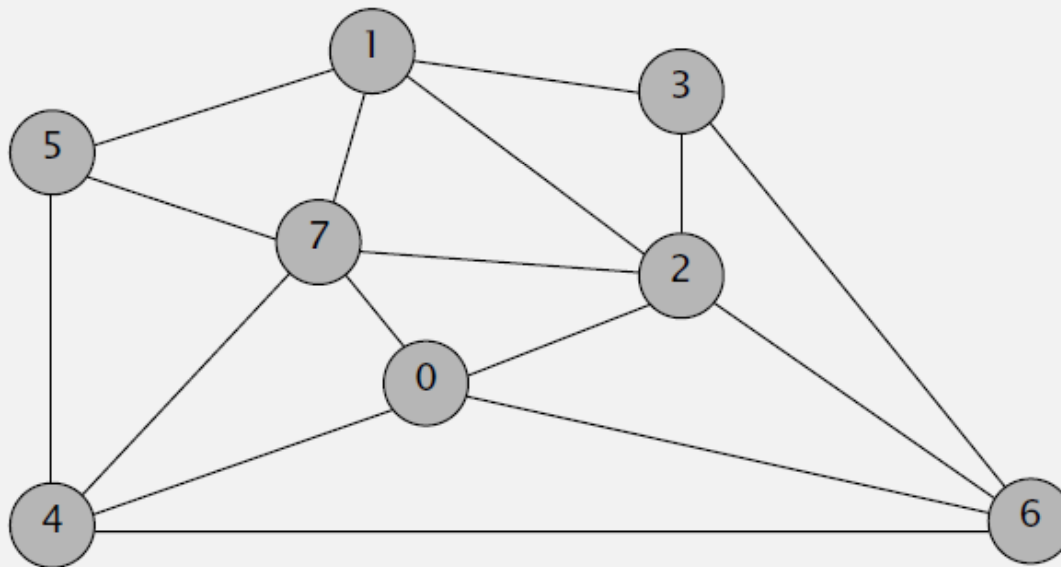
weight of MST



```
% java MST tinyEWG.txt  
0-7 0.16  
1-7 0.19  
0-2 0.26  
2-3 0.17  
5-7 0.28  
4-5 0.35  
6-2 0.40  
1.81
```

Prim's algorithm

- Start with vertex 0 and greedily grow tree T .
- At each step, add to T the min weight edge with exactly one endpoint in T .



an edge-weighted graph

| | |
|-----|------|
| 0-7 | 0.16 |
| 2-3 | 0.17 |
| 1-7 | 0.19 |
| 0-2 | 0.26 |
| 5-7 | 0.28 |
| 1-3 | 0.29 |
| 1-5 | 0.32 |
| 2-7 | 0.34 |
| 4-5 | 0.35 |
| 1-2 | 0.36 |
| 4-7 | 0.37 |
| 0-4 | 0.38 |
| 6-2 | 0.40 |
| 3-6 | 0.52 |
| 6-0 | 0.58 |
| 6-4 | 0.93 |

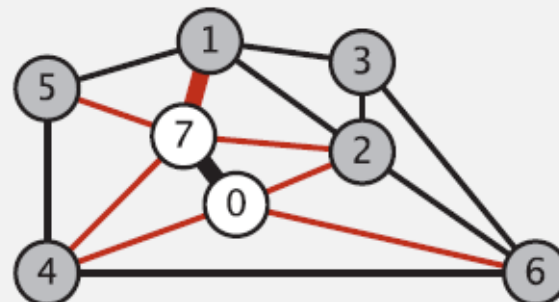
Prim's algorithm: implementation challenge

Challenge. Find the min weight edge with exactly one endpoint in T .

How difficult?

- $O(E)$ time. ← try all edges
- $O(V)$ time.
- $O(\log E)$ time. ← use a priority queue !
- $O(\log^* E)$ time.
- Constant time.

*1-7 is min weight edge with
exactly one endpoint in T*



*priority queue
of crossing edges*

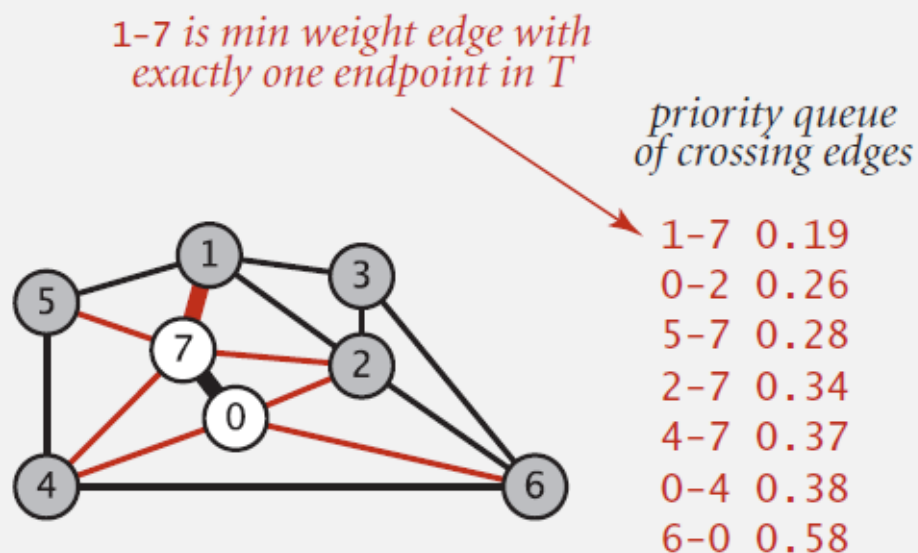
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Prim's algorithm: lazy implementation

Challenge. Find the min weight edge with exactly one endpoint in T .

Lazy solution. Maintain a PQ of **edges** with (at least) one endpoint in T .

- Delete min to determine next edge $e = v-w$ to add to T .
- Disregard if both endpoints v and w are in T .
- Otherwise, let v be vertex not in T :
 - add to PQ any edge incident to v (assuming other endpoint not in T)
 - add v to T



Prim's algorithm demo: lazy implementation

Use `MinPQ`: `key = edge`, prioritized by weight.

(lazy version leaves some obsolete edges on the PQ)

Prim's algorithm: lazy implementation

```
public class LazyPrimMST
{
    private boolean[] marked;    // MST vertices
    private Queue<Edge> mst;     // MST edges
    private MinPQ<Edge> pq;     // PQ of edges

    public LazyPrimMST(WeightedGraph G)
    {
        pq = new MinPQ<Edge>();
        mst = new Queue<Edge>();
        marked = new boolean[G.V()];
        visit(G, 0);

        while (!pq.isEmpty())
        {
            Edge e = pq.delMin();
            int v = e.either(), w = e.other(v);
            if (marked[v] && marked[w]) continue;
            mst.enqueue(e);
            if (!marked[v]) visit(G, v);
            if (!marked[w]) visit(G, w);
        }
    }
}
```

← assume G is connected

← repeatedly delete the
min weight edge $e = v-w$ from PQ

← ignore if both endpoints in T

← add edge e to tree

← add v or w to tree

Prim's algorithm: lazy implementation

```
private void visit(WeightedGraph G, int v)
{
    marked[v] = true;
    for (Edge e : G.adj(v))
        if (!marked[e.other(v)])
            pq.insert(e);
}
```

```
public Iterable<Edge> mst()
{ return mst; }
```

← add v to T

← for each edge $e = v-w$, add to PQ if w not already in T

Lazy Prim's algorithm: running time

Proposition. Lazy Prim's algorithm computes the MST in time proportional to $E \log E$ and extra space proportional to E (in the worst case).

Pf.

| operation | frequency | binary heap |
|------------|-----------|-------------|
| delete min | E | $\log E$ |
| insert | E | $\log E$ |

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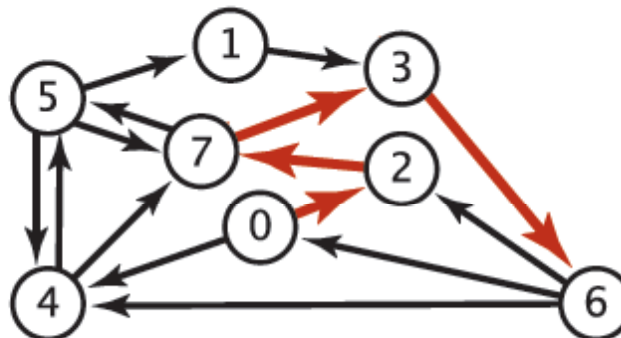
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Shortest paths in a weighted digraph

Given an edge-weighted digraph, find the shortest (directed) path from s to t .

edge-weighted digraph

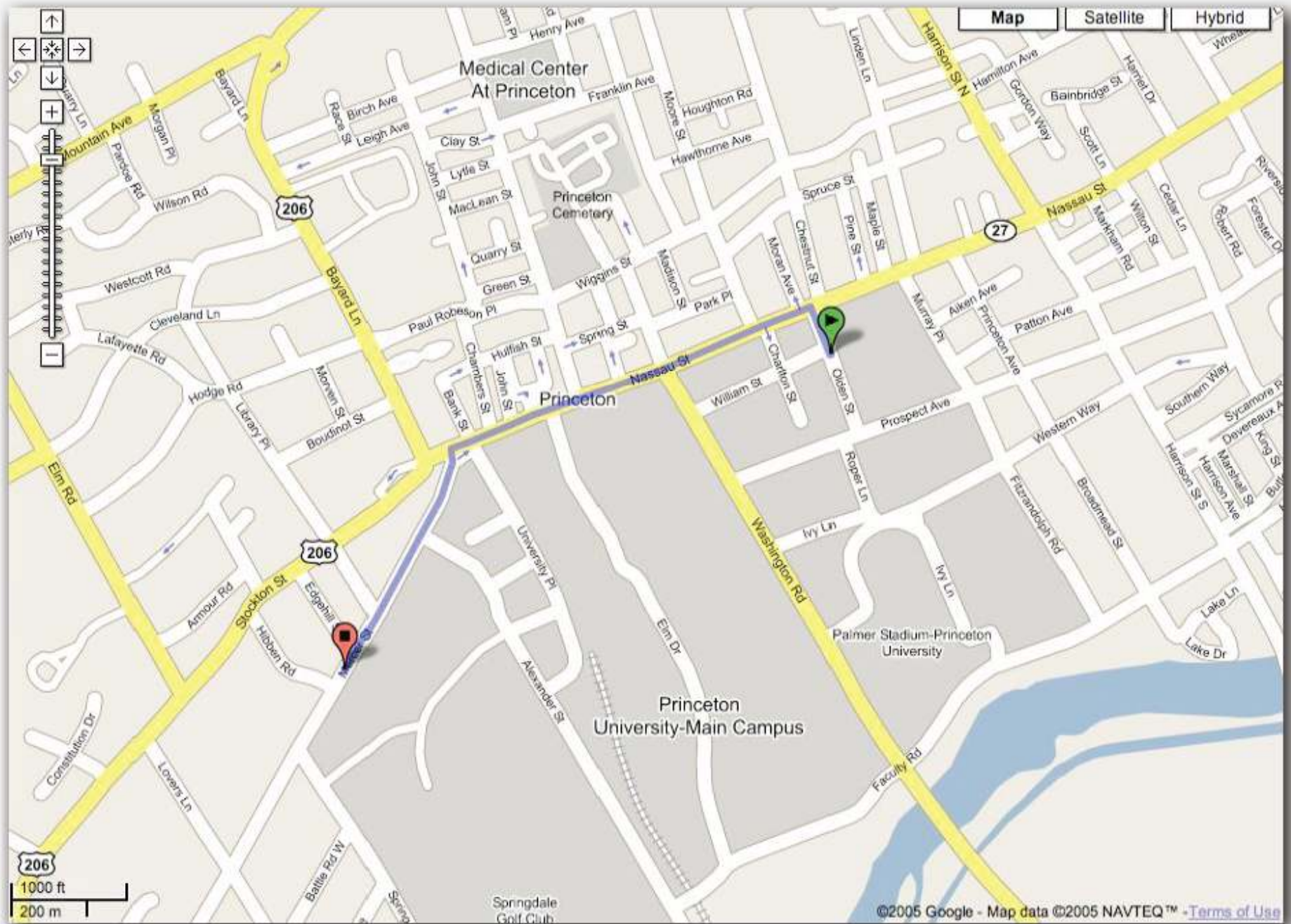
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|-----|------|
| 4→5 | 0.35 |
| 5→4 | 0.35 |
| 4→7 | 0.37 |
| 5→7 | 0.28 |
| 7→5 | 0.28 |
| 5→1 | 0.32 |
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shortest path from 0 to 6

| | |
|-----|------|
| 0→2 | 0.26 |
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Google maps



Continental U.S. routes (August 2010)



Dijkstra's Algorithm

- Finds all shortest paths given a source
- Solves single-source, single-destination, single-pair shortest path problem
- Intuition: grows the paths from the source node using a greedy approach



Shortest Paths – Dijkstra's Algorithm

- Assign to every node a distance value: set it to zero for source node and to infinity for all other nodes.
- Mark all nodes as unvisited. Set source node as current.
- For current node, consider all its unvisited neighbors and calculate their **tentative distance**. If this distance is **less than the previously** recorded distance, **overwrite** the distance (edge relaxation). Mark it as visited.
- Set the unvisited node **with the smallest distance** from the **source node** as the next "current node" and repeat the above
- Done when all nodes are visited.

Data structures

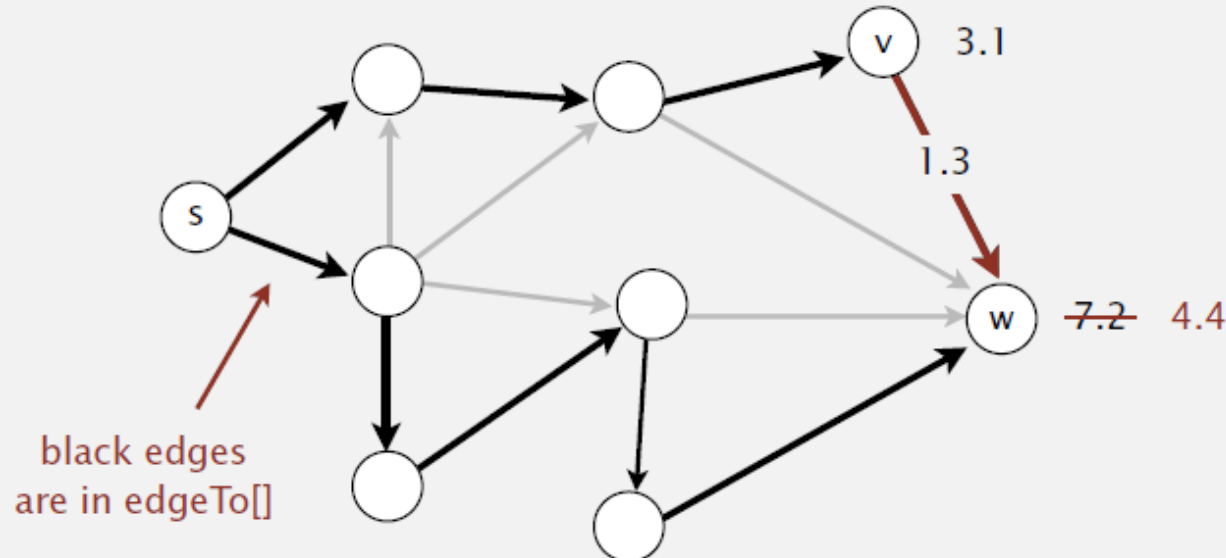
- Distance to the source: a vertex-indexed array `distTo[]` such that `distTo[v]` is the length of the shortest known path from `s` to `v`
- Edges on the shortest paths tree: a parent-edge representation of a vertex-indexed array `edgeTo[]` where `edgeTo[v]` is the parent edge on the shortest path to `v`

Edge relaxation

Relax edge $e = v \rightarrow w$.

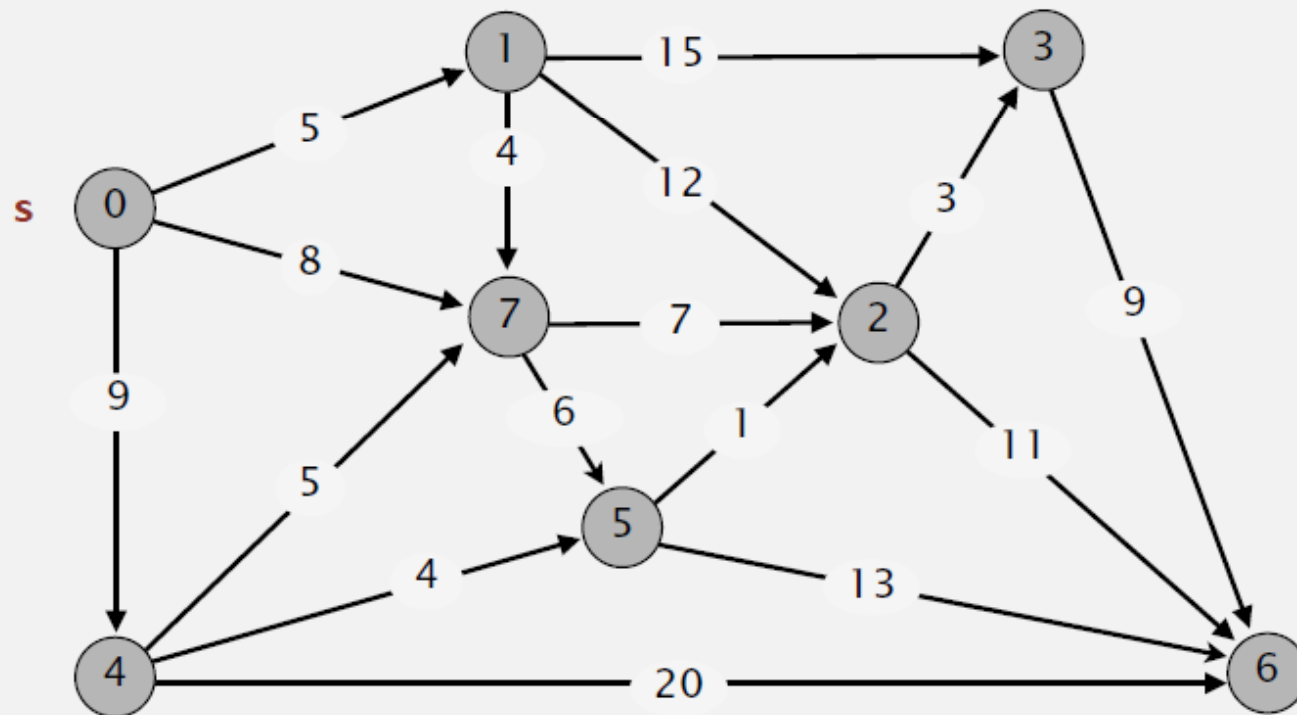
- $\text{distTo}[v]$ is length of shortest **known** path from s to v .
- $\text{distTo}[w]$ is length of shortest **known** path from s to w .
- $\text{edgeTo}[w]$ is last edge on shortest **known** path from s to w .
- If $e = v \rightarrow w$ gives shorter path to w through v , update $\text{distTo}[w]$ and $\text{edgeTo}[w]$.

$v \rightarrow w$ successfully relaxes



Dijkstra's algorithm demo

- Consider vertices in increasing order of distance from s (non-tree vertex with the lowest `distTo[]` value).
- Add vertex to tree and relax all edges pointing from that vertex.



an edge-weighted digraph

| | |
|-----|------|
| 0→1 | 5.0 |
| 0→4 | 9.0 |
| 0→7 | 8.0 |
| 1→2 | 12.0 |
| 1→3 | 15.0 |
| 1→7 | 4.0 |
| 2→3 | 3.0 |
| 2→6 | 11.0 |
| 3→6 | 9.0 |
| 4→5 | 4.0 |
| 4→6 | 20.0 |
| 4→7 | 5.0 |
| 5→2 | 1.0 |
| 5→6 | 13.0 |
| 7→5 | 6.0 |
| 7→2 | 7.0 |

Dijkstra's algorithm: Java implementation

```
public class DijkstraSP
{
    private DirectedEdge[] edgeTo;
    private double[] distTo;
    private IndexMinPQ<Double> pq;

    public DijkstraSP(EdgeWeightedDigraph G, int s)
    {
        edgeTo = new DirectedEdge[G.V()];
        distTo = new double[G.V()];
        pq = new IndexMinPQ<Double>(G.V());

        for (int v = 0; v < G.V(); v++)
            distTo[v] = Double.POSITIVE_INFINITY;
        distTo[s] = 0.0;

        pq.insert(s, 0.0);
        while (!pq.isEmpty())
        {
            int v = pq.delMin();
            for (DirectedEdge e : G.adj(v))
                relax(e);
        }
    }
}
```

← relax vertices in order
of distance from s

Dijkstra's algorithm: Java implementation

```
private void relax(DirectedEdge e)
{
    int v = e.from(), w = e.to();
    if (distTo[w] > distTo[v] + e.weight())
    {
        distTo[w] = distTo[v] + e.weight();
        edgeTo[w] = e;
        if (pq.contains(w)) pq.decreaseKey(w, distTo[w]);
        else                  pq.insert      (w, distTo[w]);
    }
}
```

← update PQ

Priority-first search

Insight. Four of our graph-search methods are the same algorithm!

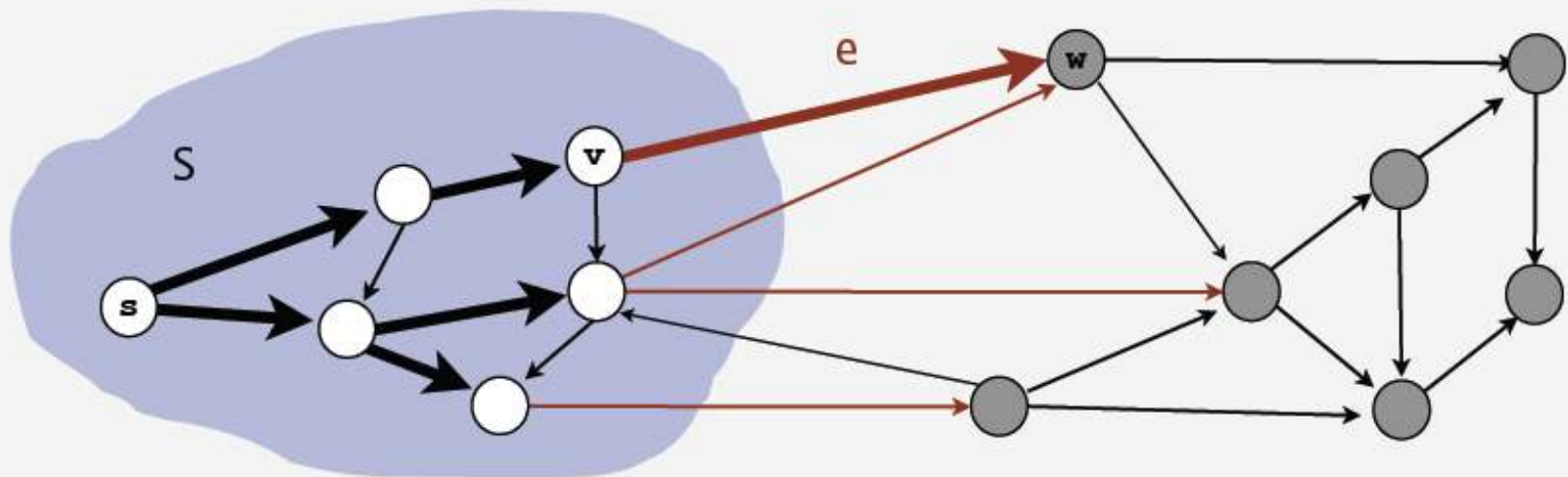
- Maintain a set of explored vertices S .
- Grow S by exploring edges with exactly one endpoint leaving S .

DFS. Take edge from vertex which was discovered most recently.

BFS. Take edge from vertex which was discovered least recently.

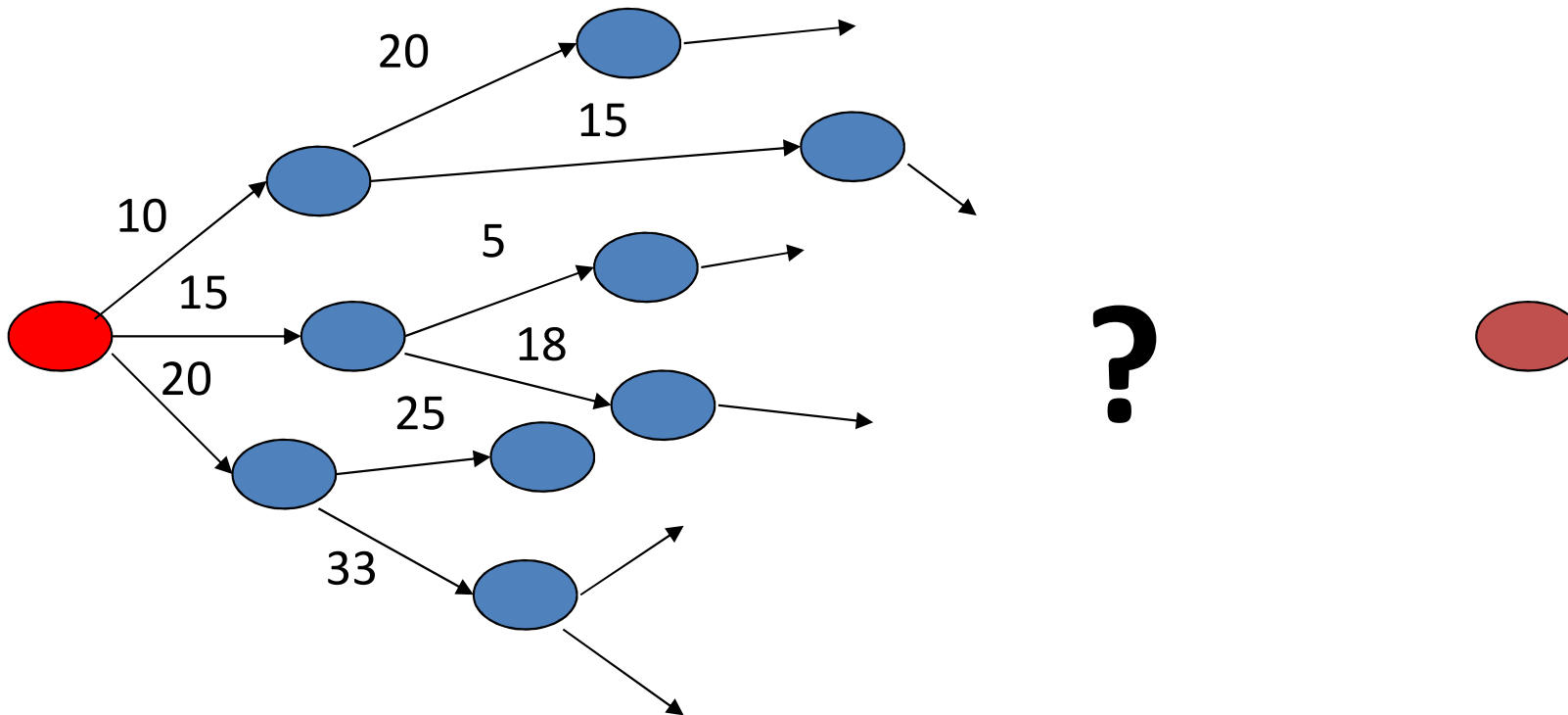
Prim. Take edge of minimum weight.

Dijkstra. Take edge to vertex that is closest to S .



MapQuest

- Shortest path for a single source-target pair
- Dijkstra algorithm can be used



Better Solution: Make a ‘hunch’!

- Use *heuristics* to guide the search
 - **Heuristic**: estimation or “hunch” of how to search for a solution
- We define a heuristic function:
 $h(n)$ = “estimate of the cost of the cheapest path from the **starting node** to the **goal node**”

The A* Search

- A* is an algorithm that:
 - Uses heuristic to guide search
 - While ensuring that it will compute a path with minimum cost

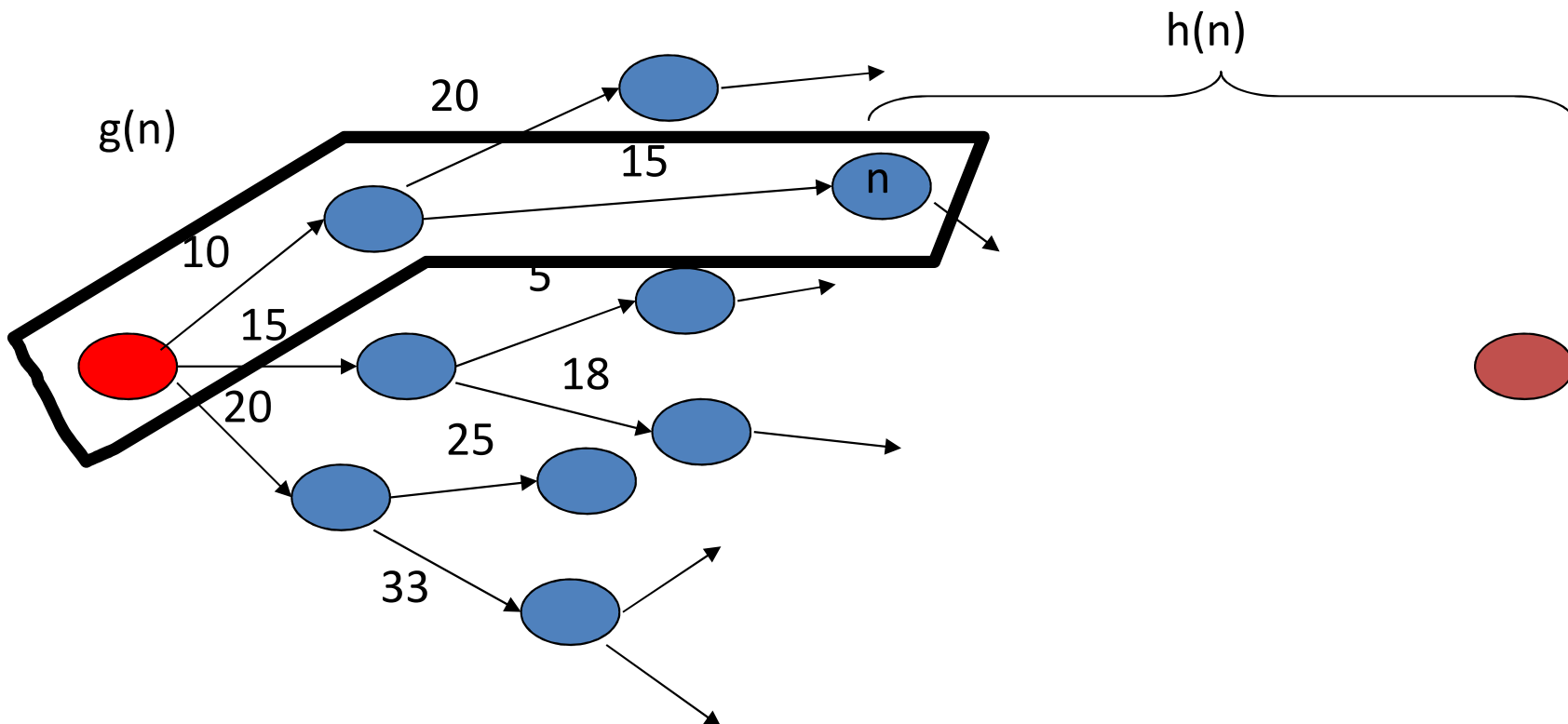
- A* computes the function $f(n) = g(n) + h(n)$

“estimated cost”

“actual cost”

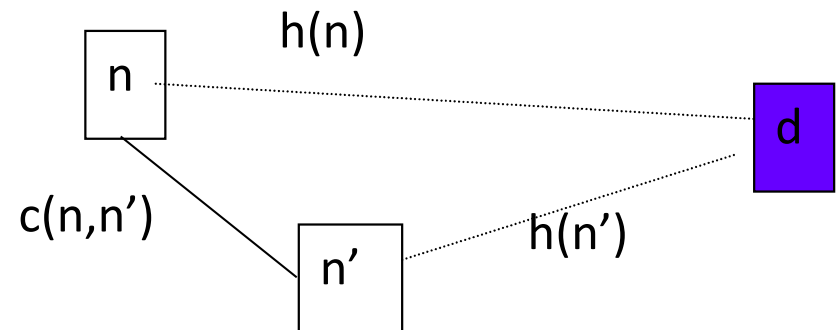
A*

- $f(n) = g(n) + h(n)$
 - $g(n)$ = “cost from **the starting node** to reach n ”
 - $h(n)$ = “estimate of the cost of the cheapest path from n to the **goal node**”



Properties of A*

- A* generates an optimal solution if $h(n)$ is an admissible heuristic and the search space is a tree:
 - $h(n)$ is **admissible** if it never overestimates the cost to reach the destination node
- A* generates an optimal solution if $h(n)$ is a consistent heuristic and the search space is a graph:
 - $h(n)$ is **consistent** if for every node n and for every successor node n' of n :
$$h(n) \leq c(n, n') + h(n')$$



- If $h(n)$ is consistent then $h(n)$ is admissible
- Frequently when $h(n)$ is admissible, it is also consistent

Admissible Heuristics

- A heuristic is admissible if it is optimistic, estimating the cost to be smaller than it actually is.
- MapQuest:

$h(n)$ = “Euclidean distance to destination”

is admissible as normally cities are not connected by roads that make straight lines