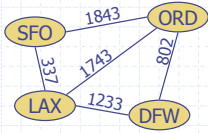


Graphs



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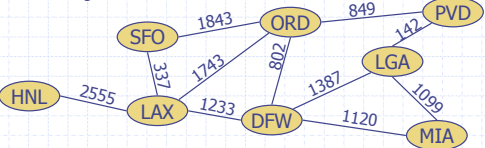
Outline and Reading

- ◆ Graphs (§6.1)
 - Definition
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 - ADT
- ◆ Data structures for graphs (§6.2)
 - Edge list structure
 - Adjacency list structure
 - Adjacency matrix structure

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Graph

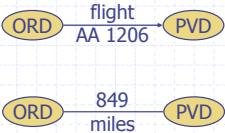
- ◆ A graph is a pair (V, E) , where
 - V is a set of nodes, called **vertices**
 - E is a collection of pairs of vertices, called **edges**
 - Vertices and edges are positions and store elements
- ◆ Example:
 - A vertex represents an airport and stores the three-letter airport code
 - An edge represents a flight route between two airports and stores the mileage of the route



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Edge Types

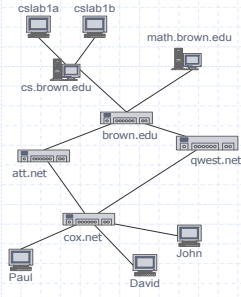
- ◆ Directed edge
 - ordered pair of vertices (u, v)
 - first vertex u is the origin
 - second vertex v is the destination
 - e.g., a flight
- ◆ Undirected edge
 - unordered pair of vertices (u, v)
 - e.g., a flight route
- ◆ Directed graph
 - all the edges are directed
 - e.g., flight network
- ◆ Undirected graph
 - all the edges are undirected
 - e.g., route network



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Applications

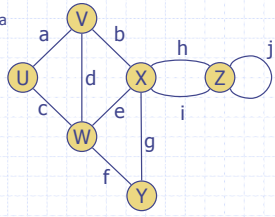
- ◆ Electronic circuits
 - Printed circuit board
 - Integrated circuit
- ◆ Transportation networks
 - Highway network
 - Flight network
- ◆ Computer networks
 - Local area network
 - Internet
 - Web
- ◆ Databases
 - Entity-relationship diagram



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Terminology

- ◆ End vertices (or endpoints) of an edge
 - U and V are the endpoints of a
- ◆ Edges incident on a vertex
 - $a, d,$ and b are incident on V
- ◆ Adjacent vertices
 - U and V are adjacent
- ◆ Degree of a vertex
 - X has degree 5
- ◆ Parallel edges
 - h and i are parallel edges
- ◆ Self-loop
 - j is a self-loop



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Terminology (cont.)

- ◆ Path
 - sequence of alternating vertices and edges
 - begins with a vertex
 - ends with a vertex
 - each edge is preceded and followed by its endpoints
- ◆ Simple path
 - path such that all its vertices and edges are distinct
- ◆ Examples
 - $P_1 = (V, b, X, h, Z)$ is a simple path
 - $P_2 = (U, c, W, e, X, g, Y, f, W, d, V)$ is a path that is not simple

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Terminology (cont.)

- ◆ Cycle
 - circular sequence of alternating vertices and edges
 - each edge is preceded and followed by its endpoints
- ◆ Simple cycle
 - cycle such that all its vertices and edges are distinct
- ◆ Examples
 - $C_1 = (V, b, X, g, Y, f, W, c, U, a, V)$ is a simple cycle
 - $C_2 = (U, c, W, e, X, g, Y, f, W, d, V, a, U)$ is a cycle that is not simple

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Properties

Property 1

$$\sum_v \text{deg}(v) = 2m$$

Proof: each edge is counted twice

Notation

- n number of vertices
- m number of edges
- $\text{deg}(v)$ degree of vertex v

Property 2

In an undirected graph with no self-loops and no multiple edges

$$m \leq n(n-1)/2$$

Proof: each vertex has degree at most $(n-1)$

Example

- $n = 4$
- $m = 6$
- $\text{deg}(v) = 3$

What is the bound for a directed graph?

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Main Methods of the Graph ADT

- ◆ Vertices and edges
 - are positions
 - store elements
- ◆ Accessor methods
 - `aVertex()`
 - `incidentEdges(v)`
 - `endVertices(e)`
 - `isDirected(e)`
 - `origin(e)`
 - `destination(e)`
 - `opposite(v, e)`
 - `areAdjacent(v, w)`
- ◆ Update methods
 - `insertVertex(o)`
 - `insertEdge(v, w, o)`
 - `insertDirectedEdge(v, w, o)`
 - `removeVertex(v)`
 - `removeEdge(e)`
- ◆ Generic methods
 - `numVertices()`
 - `numEdges()`
 - `vertices()`
 - `edges()`

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Edge List Structure

- ◆ Vertex object
 - element
 - reference to position in vertex sequence
- ◆ Edge object
 - element
 - origin vertex object
 - destination vertex object
 - reference to position in edge sequence
- ◆ Vertex sequence
 - sequence of vertex objects
- ◆ Edge sequence
 - sequence of edge objects

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Adjacency List Structure

- ◆ Edge list structure
 - ◆ Incidence sequence for each vertex
 - sequence of references to edge objects of incident edges
- ◆ Augmented edge objects
 - references to associated positions in incidence sequences of end vertices

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Adjacency Matrix Structure

- ◆ Edge list structure
- ◆ Augmented vertex objects
 - Integer key (index) associated with vertex
- ◆ 2D adjacency array
 - Reference to edge object for adjacent vertices
 - Null for non adjacent vertices
- ◆ The "old fashioned" version just has 0 for no edge and 1 for edge

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Asymptotic Performance

- ◆ n vertices, m edges
- ◆ no parallel edges
- ◆ no self-loops
- ◆ Bounds are "big-Oh"

| | Edge List | Adjacency List | Adjacency Matrix |
|----------------------------------|-----------|--------------------------------------|------------------|
| Space | $n + m$ | $n + m$ | n^2 |
| <code>incidentEdges(v)</code> | m | $\text{deg}(v)$ | n |
| <code>areAdjacent(v, w)</code> | m | $\min(\text{deg}(v), \text{deg}(w))$ | 1 |
| <code>insertVertex(o)</code> | 1 | 1 | n^2 |
| <code>insertEdge(v, w, o)</code> | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| <code>removeVertex(v)</code> | m | $\text{deg}(v)$ | n^2 |
| <code>removeEdge(e)</code> | 1 | 1 | 1 |

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