

Week 8 Notes

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Week 8 is one lecture... Intro to graphs.

Zee plan.

- ❖ Week 8 - define terms and data structures for graphs
- ❖ Week 9, 10 - graph algorithms like shortest path, min spanning tree, search, topological sort, bipartite, etc

We're leaving Muganda-land... graphs aren't covered in the Muganda text.

Fortunately, our online resources are strong here:

- Princeton Chapter 4 graphs is good, algs4.cs.princeton.edu/40graphs
- Princeton lecture notes (slide) are very nice, too, algs4.cs.princeton.edu/lectures
- Animated graph algorithms (from our favorite site), www.cs.usfca.edu/~galles/visualization/Algorithms.html

thanks... yow, bill

A. Graphs

** Online: Princeton Chapter 4 is excellent, algs4.cs.princeton.edu/40graphs/

** Animation: www.cs.usfca.edu/~galles/visualization/RedBlack.html

4.1 Undirected Graphs

Princeton Reading:

- ❖ Section 4.1 Undirected Graphs, algs4.cs.princeton.edu/41graph/
- ❖ Section 4.1 slides, algs4.cs.princeton.edu/lectures/41UndirectedGraphs.pdf
 - 4 slides/page, algs4.cs.princeton.edu/lectures/41UndirectedGraphs-2x2.pdf

Terms: (from Princeton reading)

- graph, edges, vertices, *adjacent* vertices, edge *incident* on vertices, subgraph
- self-loop, parallel edges, vertex degree
- path, simple path, cycle, simple cycle, path/cycle length, connected vertices, connected graph
- acyclic graph, tree, forest, spanning tree, bipartite graph

More terms (not in Princeton):

→ **weighted graph** - a graph where edges have an associated weight (example: a graph of cities, edge weights are distance between cities)

/* shorthand: verts = vertices */

Undirected Graph API

```
public class Graph


---


    Graph(int V)           create a V-vertex graph with no edges
    Graph(In in)          read a graph from input stream in
    int V()               number of vertices
    int E()               number of edges
    void addEdge(int v, int w) add edge v-w to this graph
    Iterable<Integer> adj(int v) vertices adjacent to v
    String toString()     string representation

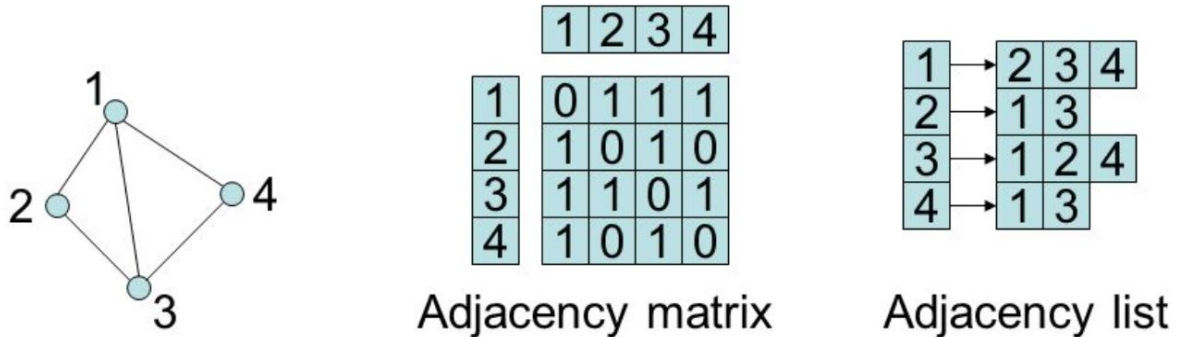
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API for an undirected graph

Data structures

Three most common graph data structures:

1. **adjacency list** - each vertex holds list of connected vertices
2. **adjacency matrix** - 2D array, size = (#verts x #verts), array slot[x,y] = 1 if edge exists between verts x and y
3. **edge list** - linked list (or ArrayList) of edges, each edge is a vert pair: (u, v)



Source: bournetocode.com/projects/AQA_A_Theory/pages/graph.html

For example above, edge list is: { (1,2), (1, 3), (1, 4), (2, 3), (3, 4) }

Sparse graphs: use adjacency list. Dense graph: use adjacency matrix.

Sparse graph = large num verts, small average vert degree.

If verts have names, use symbol table (hash table) to get int from vert name

Traversal

Traversal/search = visit all verts in the graph or all connected verts (subgraph)

Depth-first search (DFS) - key concept: it's recursive!

Pseudocode:

```
// mark vertex v as visited, then recursively visit all connected verts
// prior to first dfs call, mark all verts as not visited
dfs( vertex v)
    mark v as visited
    for each vert w: adjacent to v {
        if w not visited
            dfs( w)
    }
```

Animation: www.cs.usfca.edu/~galles/visualization/DFS.html

Breadth-first search (BFS) - key concept - use a queue!

Pseudocode:

```
// use queue to do a breadth-first traversal of graph
bfs( vertex v)
    mark all verts not visited
    q = new queue
    q.enqueue( v)
    mark v as visited
    while ! q.isEmpty() {
        v2 = q.dequeue()
        for each vert w: adjacent to v2 {
            if w not visited
                q.enqueue( w)
                mark w as visited
        }
    }
```

Animation: www.cs.usfca.edu/~galles/visualization/BFS.html

Question: In earlier DFS pseudocode, can we remove recursion?

Answer: Yes! Use a stack, similar to the use of a queue in BFS,

www.mathcs.emory.edu/~cheung/Courses/171/Syllabus/11-Graph/dfs.html

4.2 Directed Graphs

Princeton reading:

- ❖ Section 4.2 Directed Graphs, algs4.cs.princeton.edu/42digraph
- ❖ Section 4.2 slides, algs4.cs.princeton.edu/lectures/42DirectedGraphs.pdf
 - 4 slides/page, algs4.cs.princeton.edu/lectures/42DirectedGraphs-2x2.pdf

Terms:

- in-degree, out-degree
- directed path, directed cycle, length of a path (# edges), reachable vertex, strongly connected
- dag = directed acyclic graph, topological sort

Directed Graph data structure and API - practically the same as undirected... but edges have direction.