### **Data Structures**

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### DATA STRUCTURES RECAP



- Stack (FILO): push, pop, empty constant time
- Queue (FIFO): insert, delete, empty constant time
- Heaps: implementation of priority queue
  - Operations: insert  $(O(\log n))$ , peek (highest priority, O(1)), delete (highest priority,  $O(\log n)$ )
  - Tree representation, with children values smaller (maxheap) or larger (minheap) than the vertex value (weakly sorted)
  - Most efficiently implemented using arrays
  - Efficient sorting (heapsort)

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## DATA STRUCTURES RECAP (CONT'D)



- Trees: simple connected graph, one vertex may be designated as root
  - For a graph T with n vertices the following statements are equivalent:
    - T is a tree
    - T is connected and acyclic
    - T is connected and has n-1 edges
    - T is acyclic and has n − 1 edges
  - Concepts: parent, ancestor, child, descendant, sibling, leaf, internal note
- Binary tree: each node had at most two children (left and right)
  - In a binary tree of height h with n nodes we have  $h \ge \log_2 n$  (or  $n \le 2^h$ )
  - Binary tree traversals (O(n) complexity):

- Binary search tree: the value in every vertex is larger than all the values in its left subtree and smaller than all the values if its right subtree
  - Operations: insert, delete, search (O(n)) worst case,  $O(\log n)$  if the tree is balanced)
  - Inorder traversal yields sorted sequence

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### **DISJOINT SETS**



- Disjoint sets are non-empty, pairwise disjoint sets
  - Disjoint sets  $X_i$ ,  $1 \le i \le n$ :  $\forall 1 \le i \le n : X_i \ne \emptyset$   $\land$   $\forall 1 \le i, j \le n, i \ne j : X_i \cap X_j \ne \emptyset$
  - Each set has a member designated as the representative of that set
- Operations:
  - MAKESET(i): construct a set containing i as its sole element
  - FINDSET(i): return the representative of the set containing i
  - UNION(i, j): replaces the two sets containing i and j with their union; one of the two set representatives becomes the representative of the new set
- Representation: each set can be represented as a tree with the representative in the root
  - The tree does not have to be binary or balanced
- Implementation: disjoint sets over a domain D represented as an array parent indexed over D
  - parent; hold the parent of i in the tree representation, or i if i is the root

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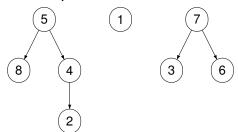
## DISJOINT SETS (CONT'D)



• Example:  $\{2, 4, \underline{5}, 8\}, \{\underline{1}\}, \{3, 6, \underline{7}\}$ 

Tree representation:

Array implementation:



parent =								
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
1	4	7	5	5	7	7	5	

A basic implementation:

- The tree representation can become very linear (depending on the sequence of calls to UNION), so the running times are as follows:
  - MAKESET: O(1)FINDSET: O(n)
  - UNION: O(n) (since it calls FINDSET)

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# DISJOINT SETS (CONT'D)



- Weigthed union: To maintain a smaller tree height for the union we decide what tree gets the root based on the heights of the operands
- Maintain a height for each set (tree)
- During union the tree with the smallest height is attached to the root of the set with the larger height
  - The height stays the same
- When the two operands have the same height attach one to another (no matter which, but consistently)
  - The height increases by one
  - Overall for every two sets joined we have a height increase of at most one so no height in the tree is going over log n
  - Better running times:
    - MAKESET: O(1)FINDSET: O(log n)
    - UNION:  $O(\log n)$  (since it calls FINDSET)

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algorithm WUNION(i, j):
\begin{array}{c} x \leftarrow \text{FINDSET}(i) \\ y \leftarrow \text{FINDSET}(j) \\ \text{if } x \neq y \text{ then } \text{WMERGETREES}(x, y) \end{array}
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algorithm WMERGETREES(i, j):if height_i > height_j then parent_j \leftarrow ielseparent_i \leftarrow jif height_i = height_j thenheight_j \leftarrow height_j + 1
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## DISJOINT SETS (CONT'D)



- Collapsing find: Each time we call FINDSET we collapse all the nodes we traverse so that they become connected directly to the root algorithm CFINDSET(i):
  - if  $i \neq parent_i$  then  $parent_i \leftarrow CFINDSET(parent_i)$  return  $parent_i$
- When using weighted union alone n MAKESET and m WUNION/FINDSET takes  $O(n + m \log n)$  time
- When using weighted union and collapsing find n MAKESET and m WUNION/CFINDSET takes  $O(n+m+\alpha(n,m))$  time where  $\alpha(n,m)$  is a constant for all practical purposes

				n Makeset +
	MAKESET(i)	FIND(i)	Union $(i, j)$	m Union/Find
Basic impl.	O(1)	<i>O</i> ( <i>n</i> )	<i>O</i> ( <i>n</i> )	O(n + nm)
Weighted union	O(1)	$O(\log n)$	$O(\log n)$	$O(n + m \log n)$
Weighted union + collapsing find	<i>O</i> (1)	$O(\log n)$	$O(\log n)$	$\approx O(n+m)$

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#### **GRAPHS**



- Directed graph (digraph): G = (V, E) where V is a set of vertices and  $E \subseteq V \times V$  is the set of edges
  - In a graphical representation edges are shown as arrows between vertices
- Undirected graph: A graph G = (V, E) with the additional property that  $(u, v) \in E$  iff  $(v, u) \in E$ 
  - In a graphical representation edges are shown as lines between vertices
- Weighted graph: G = (V, E, w) where (V, E) is a graph and  $w : E \to \mathbb{R}$  associates a weight to each edge
  - In a graphical representation weights are shown as edge labels
- Concepts related to graphs:
  - adjacent vertices, degree, in degree, out degree
  - complement of G = (V, E):  $G' = (V, V \times V \setminus E)$
  - path, simple path, cycle, simple cycle
  - acyclic graph
  - length of the shortest path from u to v: DIST(u, v)
  - diameter of G = (V, E): DIAM $(G) = \max\{\text{DIST}(u, v) : u, w \in V\}$
  - subgraph: a subset of edges along with all their vertices
  - induced subgraph: contains all the edges between its vertices
  - Hamiltonian cycle: cycle that contains each vertex exactly once
  - Euler cycle: cycle that contains each edge exactly once

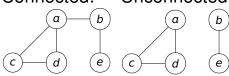
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## MORE TYPES OF GRAPHS



- (Strongly) connected graph: graph that has a path between each pair of vertices
  - For a connected graph G = (V, E) what is the minimum and the maximum |E| (in terms of |V|)?
- Weakly connected graph: directed graph that is not connected but becomes connected if we transform it into an undirected graph
  - No concept of weak connectivity for undirected graphs (they are either connected or not)
- Clique or complete graph:  $G = (V, V \times V)$
- Sparse vs dense graphs
- Bipartite graph:  $G = (V_1 \uplus V_2, E)$  such that  $E \subseteq V_1 \times V_2 \cup V_2 \times V_1$ 
  - Complete bipartite graph:  $G = (V_1 \uplus V_2, V_1 \times V_2 \cup V_2 \times V_1)$

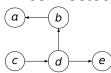
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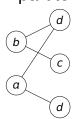
# Strongly connected:



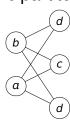
# Weakly connected:



# Bipartite:



# Complete bipartite:



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#### GRAPH REPRESENTATION



- Adjacency matrix
  - For G = (V, E) establish an (arbitrary) order over V, such that we can consider  $V = \{0, 1, ..., n\}$
  - Then G can be represented as the binary matrix  $(G_{ij})_{0 \le i,j \le n}$  such that  $G_{ij} = 1$  iff  $(i,j) \in E$
  - For a weighted G = (V, E, w) set  $G_{ij} = w(i, j)$  if  $(i, j) \in E$  and  $G_{ij} = \infty$  otherwise

Undirected:								
	а	b	С	d	e			
а	0	1	1	1	0			
b	1	0	0	0	1			
С	1	0	0	1	0			
d	1	0	1	0	0			
<u>—е</u>	0	1	0	0	0			

Directed:								
	а	b	С	d	е			
а	0	0	0	1	0			
ь	1	0	0	0	0			
С	1	0	0	1	0			
d	0	0	0	0	0			
e	0	1	0	0	0			

Weighted:								
	а	b	С	d	e			
а	$\infty$	5	2	1	$\infty$			
b	5	$\infty$	$\infty$	$\infty$	8			
С	2	$\infty$	$\infty$	2	$\infty$			
d	1	$\infty$	2	$\infty$	8			
е	$\infty$	8	$\infty$	$\infty$	$\infty$			

- Adjacency list: For each vertex v use a list with exactly all the vertices u such that  $(v, u) \in E$ 
  - Include the weights if it is a weighted graph

а	$\rightarrow b \rightarrow c \rightarrow d$	а	$\rightarrow d$	а	$\rightarrow b, 5 \rightarrow c, 2 \rightarrow d, 1$
b	$\rightarrow$ a $\rightarrow$ e	b	$\rightarrow$ a	b	$\rightarrow$ a, 5 $\rightarrow$ e, 8
С	$\rightarrow$ a $\rightarrow$ d	С	$\rightarrow$ a $\rightarrow$ d	С	$\rightarrow$ a, 2 $\rightarrow$ d, 2
d	$\rightarrow a \rightarrow c$	d		d	$\rightarrow a, 1 \rightarrow c, 2$
е	$\rightarrow$ b	е	$\rightarrow b$	е	$\rightarrow b, 8$

• Time/space efficiency?

#### GRAPH TRAVERSAL



```
algorithm TRAVERSE(G = (V, E)):

foreach v \in V do

visit_v \leftarrow false

Let v \in V such that visit_v = false

if v exists then

LISTTRAVERSE(v)
```

Two different variants of  $\oplus$  yield two different traversals:

- Breath-first traversal:  $L' \oplus L'' = L' + L''$ 
  - New vertices are added at the end and so open implements a queue
- Depth-first traversal:  $L' \oplus L'' = L'' + L'$ 
  - New vertices are added at the beginning and so open implements a stack
  - Depth-first traversal can also be implemented recursively:

```
algorithm DFS(G = (V, E)):

| foreach v \in V do visit_V \leftarrow false

Let v \in V such that visit_V = false

if v exists then RECDFS(v)
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algorithm RECDFS(v \in V):

Output v

visit_v \leftarrow true

foreach (v, u) \in E \land \neg visit_u do

RECDFS(u)
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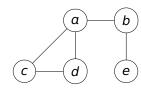
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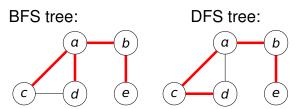
# GRAPH TRAVERSAL (CONT'D)



- Any traversal of a graph G avoids all edges that would result in cycles
- Therefore it only expands (and thus defines) an acyclic subgraph of G
   the traversal (DFS or BFS) tree



- Same traversal output starting from a: a, c, d, b, e
- Different traversal trees:



- Both algorithms run in time O(n+m)
- Space requirements however are vastly different

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## **TOPOLOGICAL SORTING ON DIRECTED GRAPHS**



• Given a graph G = (V, E), obtain a linear ordering of V such that for every edge  $(u, v) \in E$ , u comes before v in the ordering

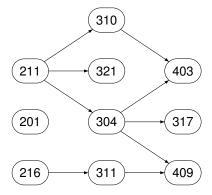
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\begin{array}{c|c} \textbf{algorithm} \ \mathsf{TSORT}(G = (V, E)) \text{:} \\ & \textit{order} \leftarrow \langle \rangle \\ & \textit{S} \leftarrow V \\ & \textbf{while} \ S \neq \emptyset \ \textbf{do} \\ & \quad | \  \  \text{Let} \ v \in S \ \text{with in-degree 0} \\ & \textit{order} \leftarrow \textit{order} + \langle v \rangle \\ & \quad | \  \  E \leftarrow E \setminus \{(v, u) \in E\} \\ & \quad | \  \  V \leftarrow V \setminus V \end{array}
```

```
algorithm TSORT'(G = (V, E)):

order \leftarrow \langle \rangle
k \leftarrow n
foreach v \in V do visit_V \leftarrow false
while \exists v \in V : visit_V = false do

RECTOPO(v)
```

 Many practical applications, e.g. sorting over a course prerequisite structure



Possible order: (211, 310, 321, 201, 304, 403, 317, 216, 311, 409)

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