Spanning Trees

A spanning tree of a graph is just a subgraph that contains all the vertices and is a tree.

A graph may have many spanning trees.





Minimum Spanning Tree

A minimum spanning tree or minimum weight spanning tree is a subset of the edges of a connected, edge-weighted undirected graph that connects all the vertices together, without any cycles and with the minimum possible total edge weight. That is, it is a spanning tree whose sum of edge weights is as small as possible.

Applications : Computer Networks





Example



Algorithms for Obtaining the Minimum Spanning Tree

Kruskal's Algorithm

Prim's Algorithm

Kruskal's Algorithm

Step 1: Sort the edges according to their weight.

Step 2 : Select the first |V|-1 edges such that they do not make circuit/loop with previously selected edges (If the edges make a loop or not is checked using union and find functions of dsu).

Walk-Through



| Sort | the | edges | by | increasing | edge | weight |
|------|-----|-------|----|------------|------|--------|
| | | | | | | |

| edge | d_{v} | edge | d_{v} | |
|-------|---------|-------|---------|--|
| (D,E) | 1 | (B,E) | 4 | |
| (D,G) | 2 | (B,F) | 4 | |
| (E,G) | 3 | (B,H) | 4 | |
| (C,D) | 3 | (A,H) | 5 | |
| (G,H) | 3 | (D,F) | 6 | |
| (C,F) | 3 | (A,B) | 8 | |
| (B,C) | 4 | (A,F) | 10 | |



| edge | d_{v} | |
|-------|---------|---|
| (D,E) | 1 | V |
| (D,G) | 2 | |
| (E,G) | 3 | |
| (C,D) | 3 | |
| (G,H) | 3 | |
| (C,F) | 3 | _ |
| (B,C) | 4 | |

| edge | d_{v} | |
|-------|---------|--|
| (B,E) | 4 | |
| (B,F) | 4 | |
| (B,H) | 4 | |
| (A,H) | 5 | |
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|------|---------|---|
| D,E) | 1 | V |
| D,G) | 2 | V |
| E,G) | 3 | |
| C,D) | 3 | |
| G,H) | 3 | |
| C,F) | 3 | |
| B,C) | 4 | |

| edge | d_v |
|-------|-------|
| (B,E) | 4 |
| (B,F) | 4 |
| (B,H) | 4 |
| (A,H) | 5 |
| (D,F) | 6 |
| (A,B) | 8 |
| (A,F) | 10 |

Select first IVI-1 edges which do not generate a cycle



| edge | d_{v} | | edge | d_{v} | Ī |
|-------|---------|---|-------|---------|---|
| (D,E) | 1 | V | (B,E) | 4 | Ī |
| (D,G) | 2 | 1 | (B,F) | 4 | İ |
| (E,G) | 3 | x | (B,H) | 4 | İ |
| (C,D) | 3 | | (A,H) | 5 | İ |
| (G,H) | 3 | | (D,F) | 6 | İ |
| (C,F) | 3 | | (A,B) | 8 | ĺ |
| (B,C) | 4 | | (A,F) | 10 | ĺ |

Accepting edge (E,G) would create a cycle



| edge | d_{v} | |
|-------|---------|---|
| D,E) | 1 | 1 |
| D,G) | 2 | V |
| E,G) | 3 | x |
| C,D) | 3 | V |
| G,H) | 3 | _ |
| (C,F) | 3 | |
| B,C) | 4 | |

| edge | d_v |
|-------|-------|
| (B,E) | 4 |
| (B,F) | 4 |
| (B,H) | 4 |
| (A,H) | 5 |
| (D,F) | 6 |
| (A,B) | 8 |
| (A,F) | 10 |



| edge | d_{v} | |
|-------|---------|---|
| (D,E) | 1 | 1 |
| (D,G) | 2 | 1 |
| (E,G) | 3 | x |
| (C,D) | 3 | 1 |
| (G,H) | 3 | 1 |
| (C,F) | 3 | _ |
| (B,C) | 4 | |
| | | |

| edge | d_{v} | |
|-------|---------|--|
| (B,E) | 4 | |
| (B,F) | 4 | |
| (B,H) | 4 | |
| (A,H) | 5 | |
| (D,F) | 6 | |
| (A,B) | 8 | |
| (A,F) | 10 | |



| edge | d_{v} | |
|-------|---------|---|
| (D,E) | 1 | 1 |
| (D,G) | 2 | V |
| (E,G) | 3 | x |
| (C,D) | 3 | 1 |
| (G,H) | 3 | 1 |
| (C,F) | 3 | V |
| (B,C) | 4 | |

| edge | d_{v} | |
|-------|---------|--|
| (B,E) | 4 | |
| (B,F) | 4 | |
| (B,H) | 4 | |
| (A,H) | 5 | |
| (D,F) | 6 | |
| (A,B) | 8 | |
| (A,F) | 10 | |



| edge | d_v | |
|-------|-------|---|
| (D,E) | 1 | 1 |
| (D,G) | 2 | V |
| (E,G) | 3 | x |
| (C,D) | 3 | V |
| (G,H) | 3 | 1 |
| (C,F) | 3 | V |
| (B,C) | 4 | V |

| | d_{v} | edge |
|---|---------|-------|
| X | 4 | (B,E) |
| x | 4 | (B,F) |
| X | 4 | (B,H) |
| V | 5 | (A,H) |
| X | 6 | (D,F) |
| x | 8 | (A,B) |
| x | 10 | (A,F) |

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x x

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x x

Kruskal's Algorithm



| edge | d_{v} | | edge | d |
|-------|---------|---|-------|----|
| (D,E) | 1 | 1 | (B,E) | 4 |
| (D,G) | 2 | V | (B,F) | 4 |
| (E,G) | 3 | x | (B,H) | 4 |
| (C,D) | 3 | V | (A,H) | 5 |
| (G,H) | 3 | 1 | (D,F) | 6 |
| (C,F) | 3 | 1 | (A,B) | 8 |
| (B,C) | 4 | 1 | (A,F) | 10 |

Done!

Total Cost = $\sum d_v = 21$

Code:

#include <iostream> #include <vector> #include <utility> #include <algorithm> using namespace std; const int MAX = le4 + 5; int id[MAX], nodes, edges; pair <long long, pair<int, int> > p[MAX]; void initialize() for(int i = 0; i < MAX; ++i) id[i] = i; int root(int x) while(id[x] != x) id[x] = id[id[x]];x = id[x];} return x; void unionl(int x, int y) { int p = root(x); int q = root(y); id[p] = id[q];

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long long kruskal(pair<long long, pair<int, int> > p[])
    int x, y;
    long long cost, minimumCost = 0;
    for(int i = 0; i < edges; ++i)
        // Selecting edges one by one in increasing order from the beginning
        x = p[i].second.first;
        y = p[i].second.second;
        cost = p[i].first;
        // Check if the selected edge is creating a cycle or not
        if(root(x) != root(y))
             minimumCost += cost;
             union1(x, y);
        }
    1
    return minimumCost:
int main()
1
    int x, y;
   long long weight, cost, minimumCost;
    initialize();
    cin >> nodes >> edges;
    for(int i = 0;i < edges;++i)</pre>
    {
        cin >> x >> y >> weight;
        p[i] = make_pair(weight, make_pair(x, y));
    1
    // Sort the edges in the ascending order
    sort(p, p + edges);
    minimumCost = kruskal(p);
    cout << minimumCost << endl;</pre>
    return 0:
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Time Complexity:

Complexity:

• Time complexity: O(mlog(n)) where m is the number of edges and n is the number of nodes.

Ques:

There are N homes in a village, we have to facilitate water supply in each of them. We can either build a well in a home or connect it with pipe to some different home already having water supply. More formally, we can either build a new well in the home or connect it with a pipeline to some different home which either has it's own well or further gets water supply from a different home and so on. There is some cost associated with both building a new well and laying down a new pipeline. We have to supply water in all homes and minimise the total cost.

- Dynamic programming approach.
- All pair shortest path algorithm.
- Works for graph with negative weight.

Application

• Transitive closure of graph.

Pseudo Code

- $n \leftarrow rows$ [W].
- $\bullet \quad D^0 \leftarrow W$
- for $k \leftarrow 1$ to n
 - $\circ \quad \text{do for } i \leftarrow 1 \text{ to } n$
 - do for $j \leftarrow 1$ to n
 - do $d_{ij}^{(k)} \leftarrow \min (d_{ij}^{(k-1)}, d_{ik}^{(k-1)} + d_{kj}^{(k-1)})$
- return D⁽ⁿ⁾









| $D_{ij}^{(2)} =$ | 0 | 3 | 8 | 4 | -4 | $\pi^{(2)}=$ | NIL | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
|------------------|----|----|----|----|----|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | 00 | 0 | 00 | 1 | 7 | | NIL | NIL | NIL | 2 | 2 |
| | 00 | 4 | 0 | -5 | 11 | | NIL | 3 | NIL | 3 | 2 |
| | 2 | 5 | 10 | 0 | -2 | | 4 | 1 | 1 | NIL | 1 |
| | 00 | 00 | 00 | 6 | 0 | | NIL | NIL | NIL | 5 | NIL |





| $D_{ij}^{(4)} =$ | 0 | 3 | 8 | 3 | -4 | $\pi^{(4)}$ = | NIL | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 |
|------------------|---|----|----|----|----|---------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | 3 | 0 | 11 | 1 | -1 | | 4 | NIL | 4 | 2 | 2 |
| - | 3 | 0 | 0 | -5 | -7 | | 4 | 4 | NIL | 3 | 4 |
| | 2 | 5 | 10 | 0 | -2 | | 4 | 1 | 1 | NIL | 1 |
| | 8 | 11 | 16 | 6 | 0 | | 4 | 4 | 4 | 5 | NIL |



| $D_{ij}^{(5)} = ($ | 0 3 | 3 | 8 | 3 | -4 | $\pi^{(5)}$ = | NIL | 1 | 1 | 5 | 1 |
|--------------------|-----|---|----|----|----|---------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 3 |) (|) | 11 | 1 | -1 | | 4 | NIL | 4 | 2 | 4 |
| -3 | 3 (| D | 0 | -5 | -7 | | 4 | 4 | NIL | 3 | 4 |
| 2 | 2 | 5 | 10 | 0 | -2 | | 4 | 1 | 1 | NIL | 1 |
| 8 | 1 | 1 | 16 | 6 | 0 | | 4 | 4 | 4 | 5 | NIL |

Complexity

- Time complexity O(N^3).
- Space complexity O(N^2)

Negative Cycle Detection

If there exists an *i* from $\{1,...,n\}$ such that $d_{ii}^n < 0$. then, graph has negative cycle.

