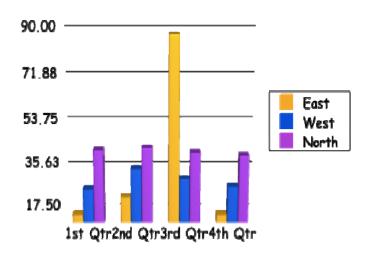


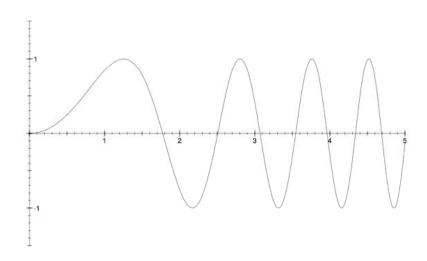
### **GRAPHS**

### Announcements

- Prelim 2: Two and a half weeks from now
  - ■Tuesday, Nov 16, 7:30-9pm, Uris G01
- Exam conflicts?
  - □Same deal: just take our exam from 6:00-7:30
- □Old exams available on the course website
  - ☐ The Fall 2009 exam is closest to what we'll use

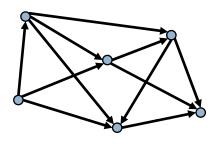
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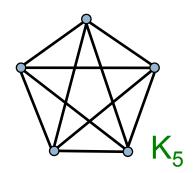


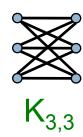


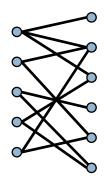
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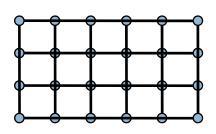
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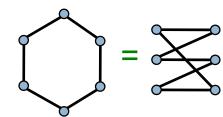












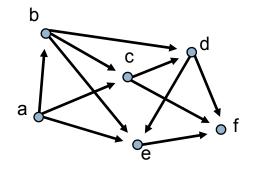
### Applications of Graphs

- Communication networks
- Routing and shortest path problems
- Commodity distribution (flow)
- Traffic control
- Resource allocation
- Geometric modeling
- ...

### **Graph Definitions**

- A directed graph (or digraph) is a pair (V, E) where
  - V is a set
  - □ E is a set of ordered pairs (u,v) where u,v □ V
    - Usually require u v (i.e., no self-loops)
- An element of V is called a vertex (pl. vertices) or node
- An element of E is called an edge or arc
- |V| = size of V, often denoted n
- □ |E| = size of E, often denoted m

### Example Directed Graph (Digraph)



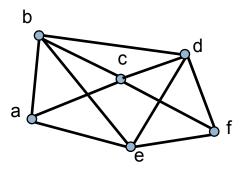
$$V = \{a,b,c,d,e,f\}$$
  
E = \{(a,b), (a,c), (a,e), (b,c), (b,d), (b,e), (c,d),  
(c,f), (d,e), (d,f), (e,f)\}

$$|V| = 6$$
,  $|E| = 11$ 

### Example *Undirected* Graph

An *undirected graph* is just like a directed graph, except the edges are *unordered pairs* (*sets*) {u,v}

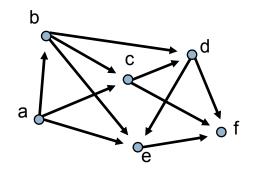
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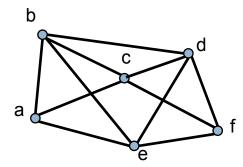


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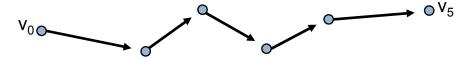
## Some Graph Terminology

- Vertices u and v are called the source and sink of the directed edge (u,v), respectively
- Vertices u and v are called the endpoints of (u,v)
- Two vertices are adjacent if they are connected by an edge
- The outdegree of a vertex u in a directed graph is the number of edges for which u is the source
- The indegree of a vertex v in a directed graph is the number of edges for which v is the sink
- The degree of a vertex u in an undirected graph is the number of edges of which u is an endpoint

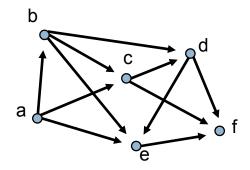




## More Graph Terminology



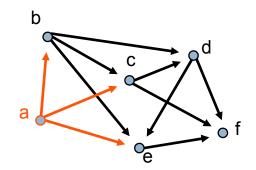
- □ A path is a sequence  $v_0, v_1, v_2, ..., v_p$  of vertices such that  $(v_i, v_{i+1}) \in E$ ,  $0 \le i \le p-1$
- The length of a path is its number of edges
  - In this example, the length is 5
- A path is simple if it does not repeat any vertices
- $\square$  A cycle is a path  $v_0, v_1, v_2, ..., v_p$  such that  $v_0 = v_p$
- A cycle is simple if it does not repeat any vertices except the first and last
- A graph is acyclic if it has no cycles
- A directed acyclic graph is called a dag



#### Intuition:

If it's a dag, there must be a vertex with indegree zero – why?

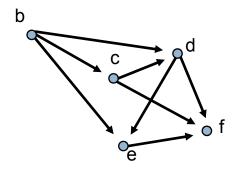
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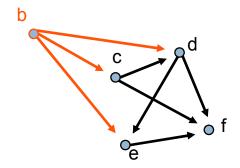
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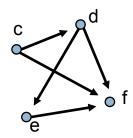
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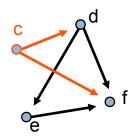
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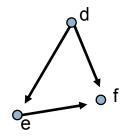
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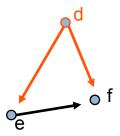
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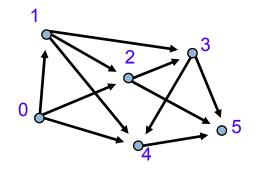
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### **Topological Sort**

- We just computed a topological sort of the dag
  - This is a numbering of the vertices such that all edges go from lower- to higher-numbered vertices



 Useful in job scheduling with precedence constraints

## **Graph Coloring**

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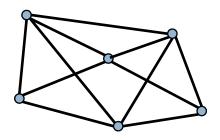
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## An Application of Coloring

- Vertices are jobs
- Edge (u,v) is present if jobs u and v each require access to the same shared resource, and thus cannot execute simultaneously
- Colors are time slots to schedule the jobs
- Minimum number of colors needed to color the graph = minimum number of time slots required

### **Planarity**

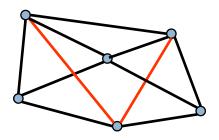
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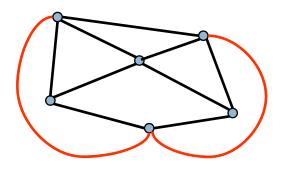
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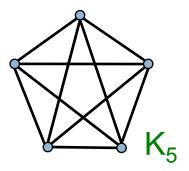
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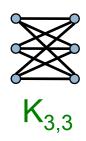


- □ Is this graph planar?
  - Yes

## **Detecting Planarity**

Kuratowski's Theorem





 A graph is planar if and only if it does not contain a copy of K<sub>5</sub> or K<sub>3,3</sub> (possibly with other nodes along the edges shown)

### The Four-Color Theorem

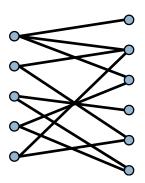
# Every planar graph is 4-colorable

(Appel & Haken, 1976)



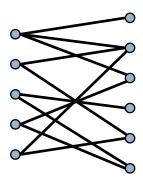
## Bipartite Graphs

 A directed or undirected graph is bipartite if the vertices can be partitioned into two sets such that all edges go between the two sets

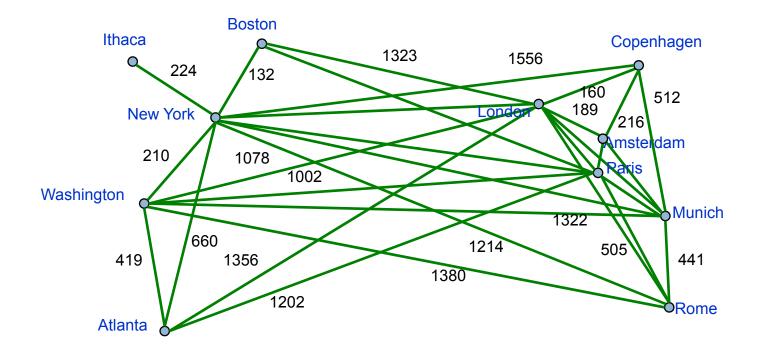


### Bipartite Graphs

- The following are equivalent
  - G is bipartite
  - □ G is 2-colorable
  - G has no cycles of odd length

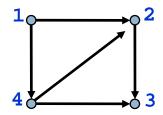


### Traveling Salesperson

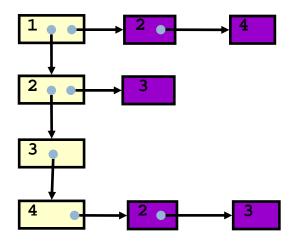


Find a path of minimum distance that visits every city

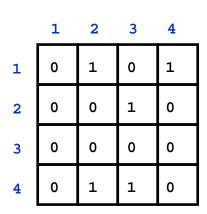
## Representations of Graphs



#### Adjacency List



#### **Adjacency Matrix**



### Adjacency Matrix or Adjacency List?

- □n = number of vertices
- □m = number of edges
- d(u) = degree of u = number of edges leaving u

### ■Adjacency Matrix

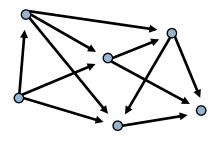
- □ Uses space O(n²)
- Can iterate over all edges in time O(n²)
- □ Can answer "Is there an edge from u to v?" in O(1) time
- Better for dense graphs (lots of edges)

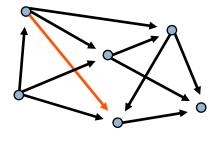
- Adjacency List
- Uses space O(m+n)
- Can iterate over all edges in time O(m+n)
- Can answer "Is there an edge from u to v?" in O(d(u)) time
- Better for sparse graphs (fewer edges)

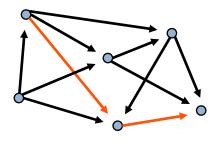
## Graph Algorithms

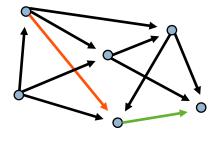
- Search
- depth-first search
- breadth-first search
- Shortest paths
- Dijkstra's algorithm
- Minimum spanning trees
- Prim's algorithm
- Kruskal's algorithm

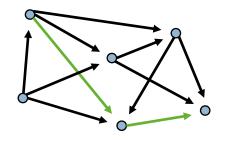
- Follow edges depth-first starting from an arbitrary vertex r, using a stack to remember where you came from
- When you encounter a vertex previously visited, or there are no outgoing edges, retreat and try another path
- Eventually visit all vertices reachable from r
- If there are still unvisited vertices, repeat
- O(m) time

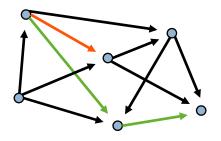


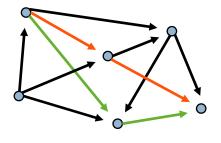


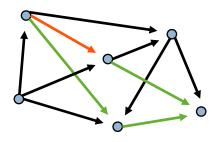


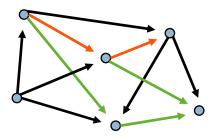


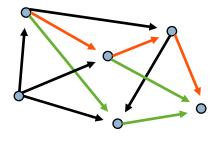


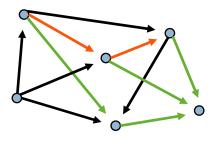


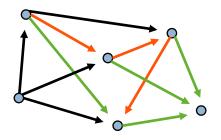


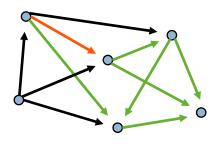


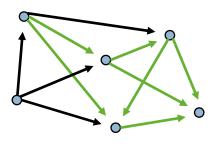


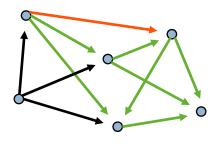


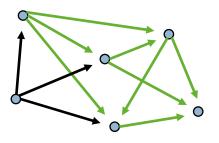


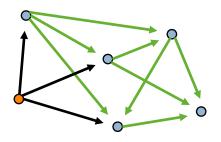


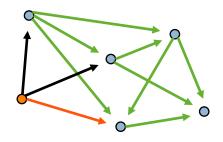


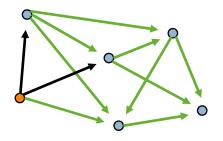


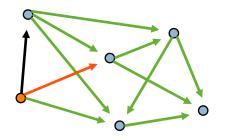


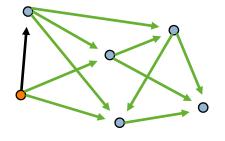


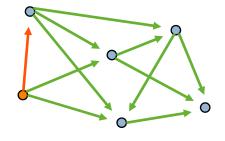


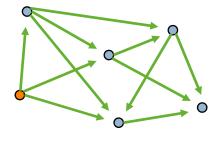


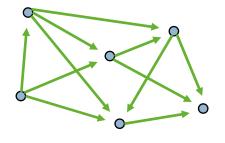




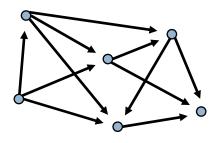


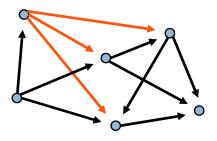


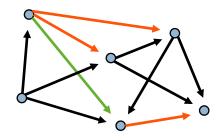


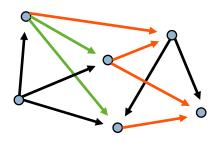


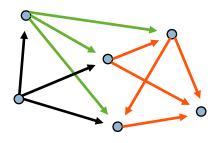
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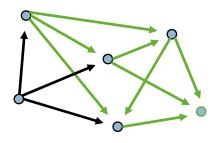


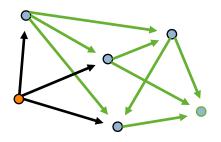


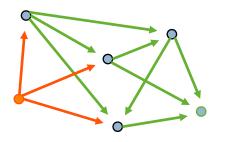


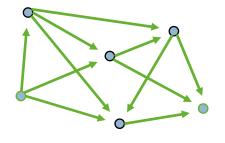










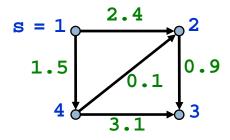


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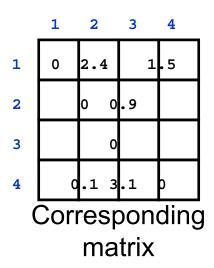
Suppose you have a US Airways route map with intercity distances. You want to know the shortest distance from Ithaca to every city served by US Airways.

This is known as the *single-source shortest* path problem.

#### **Shortest Paths**



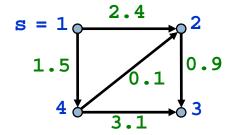
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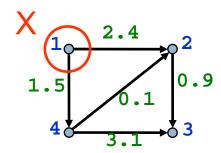
Single-source shortest path problem: Given a graph with edge weights w(u,v) and a designated vertex s, find the shortest path from s to every other vertex (length of a path = sum of edge weights)

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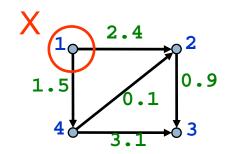
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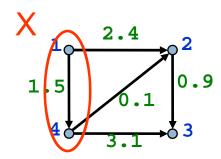
- Let d(s,u) denote the distance (length of shortest path) from s to u. In this example,
- d(1,1) = 0
- d(1,2) = 1.6
- d(1,3) = 2.5
- d(1,4) = 1.5



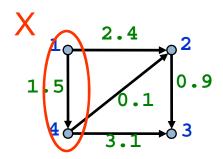
- Let  $X = \{s\}$
- X is the set of nodes for which we have already determined the shortest path
- For each node u X, define D(u) = w(s,u)
- -D(2) = 2.4
- -D(3) =
- -D(4) = 1.5



- Find u X such that D(u) is minimum, add it to X
- -at that point, d(s,u) = D(u)
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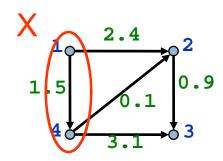


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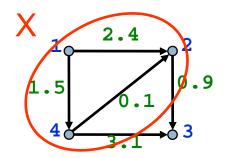


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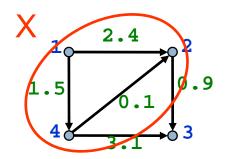
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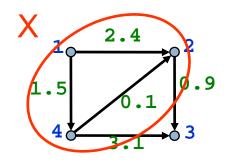
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- -D(3) = 4
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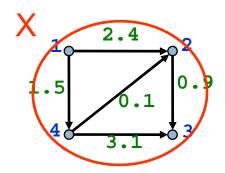


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- Find u X such that D(u) is minimum, add it to X
- -at that point, d(s,u) = D(u) u = 3
- For each node v X such that  $(u,v) \square E$ , if D(u) + w(u,v) < D(v), set D(v) = D(u) + w(u,v)
- -D(2) = 2.4 16 = d(1,2)
- $-D(3) = 4 \times 2.5 \leftarrow d(1,3)$
- -D(4) = 1.5 = d(1,4)

# Proof of correctness – show that the following are invariants of the loop:

- •For  $u \square X$ , D(u) = d(s,u)
- •For  $u \ \square \ X$  and  $v \ X$ ,  $d(s,u) \ \delta \ d(s,v)$
- •For all u, D(u) is the length of the shortest path from s to u such that all nodes on the path (except possibly u) are in X

#### Implementation:

Use a priority queue for the nodes not yet taken – priority is D(u)

# Complexity

- Every edge is examined once when its source is taken into X
- A vertex may be placed in the priority queue multiple times, but at most once for each incoming edge
- Number of insertions and deletions into priority queue = m + 1, where m = |E|
- Total complexity = O(m log m)

#### Conclusion

- There are faster but much more complicated algorithms for single-source, shortest-path problem that run in time O(n log n + m) using something called *Fibonacci heaps*
- It is important that all edge weights be nonnegative

   Dijkstra's algorithm does not work otherwise, we need a more complicated algorithm called
   Warshall's algorithm
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