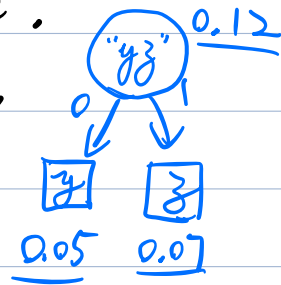


Recap:

Huffman's Greedy Approach [1952] (build the tree bottom up)

1. Make a node with 2 children leaf nodes for the two lowest freq. symbols  $y$  &  $z$ .
2. Replace  $y$  &  $z$  with the "metasymbol" " $yz$ ".  
its freq. is the sum of freq. of  $y$  and  $z$ .
3. Rinse & Repeat until we have a single metasymbol, it'll be the root of the huffman tree.



Pseudocode:

Huffman(S):

1. If  $|S|=2$ :
2. Return tree with root and two leaves
3. Let  $y$  and  $z$  be lowest freq. symbols in  $S$
4.  $S' = S$
5. Remove  $y$  and  $z$  from  $S'$
6. Insert new symbol  $w$  in  $S'$  w/  $f_w = f_y + f_z$
7.  $T' = \text{Huffman}(S')$
8.  $T =$  add children  $y$  and  $z$  to leaf  $w$  in  $T'$
9. Return  $T$

Step 3

Runtime:  $T(n) = T(n-1) + O(n) \Rightarrow T(n) = O(n^2)$

Optimization: use a Priority Queue with  
Insert / ExtractMin  $O(\log n)$  time

\* Covered in CSCI-UA, 102: Data Structures

Implemented w/ Heaps (Binary, Binomial, Fibonacci...)

$\Rightarrow$  Step 3, 5, 6 takes  $O(\log n)$  time

$\Rightarrow T(n) = T(n-1) + O(\log n) \Rightarrow T(n) = O(n \log n)$

# 1. Correctness (Optimality of Huffman)

Claim 1:  $ABL(T') = ABL(T) - f_w$

Proof:  $T'$  vs  $T$ : in  $T'$ ,  $w$  is leaf  
in  $T$ ,  $w$  has two children,



$$f_w = f_y + f_z \quad y \& z.$$

$$\text{depth}_T(w) = \text{depth}_T(y) - 1 = \text{depth}_T(z) - 1$$

$$ABL(T) = \sum_{x \in S} f_x \text{depth}_T(x)$$

$$= f_y \text{depth}_T(y) + f_z \text{depth}_T(z) + \sum_{x \neq y, z} f_x \text{depth}_T(x)$$

$$= f_y (\text{depth}_T(w) + 1) + f_z (\text{depth}_T(w) + 1) + \text{---}$$

$$= (f_y + f_z) (\text{depth}_T(w) + 1) + \text{---}$$

$$= f_w \text{depth}_T(w) + f_w + \text{---}$$

$$= ABL(T') + f_w$$

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Claim 2: There is always an optimal prefix code that have the two lowest frequency symbols as siblings.

Proof Sketch: Must both be on the lowest level

$\Rightarrow$  reordering in the same level does not affect optimality

Thm: Huffman gives a prefix code with optimal  $ABL$ .

Proof: Induction on  $n = |S|$

- Base Case:  $n=2$ ,  $ABL$  is 1, trivially optimal.

- Ind. Hyp.: True for  $n-1$  Symbols

- Inductive step:

By Ind. Hyp.,  $T'$  for  $S' = (S \setminus \{y, z\}) \cup \{w\}$  has optimal  $ABL$  since  $|S'| = n-1$ .

Assume towards contradiction  $T$  is not optimal.

$\Rightarrow \exists T^*$  s.t.  $ABL(T^*) < ABL(T)$

By claim 2,  $\exists T^*$  where  $y$  and  $z$  are siblings.

Let  $T'$  be  $T^*$  with  $y, z$  removed and parent labeled  $w$ ,

By Claim 1:  $ABL(T') = ABL(T^*) - \ell_w$

$ABL(T') = ABL(T) - \ell_w$

$\Rightarrow ABL(T') < ABL(T)$

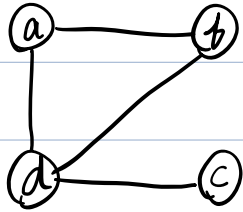
Contradicts with  $T'$  optimal.

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## 2. Graphs

$$G = (V, E)$$

$\uparrow$  vertices     $\uparrow$  edges

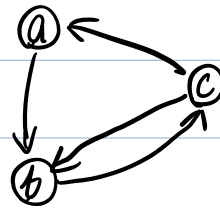


undirected

$$V = \{a, b, c, d\}$$

$$E = \{\{a, b\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{c, d\}\}$$

$\uparrow$   
unordered pairs



directed

$$V = \{a, b, c\}$$

$$E = \{(a, b), (b, c), (c, b), (c, a)\}$$

$\uparrow$   
ordered pairs

### Terminology/Notations:

$$n = |V|, m = |E|$$

Degree of a vertex  $u$ : # of edges connected to  $u$   
( $\deg(u)$ )

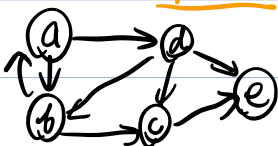
In-degree of a vertex  $u$ : # edges into  $u$

$$|\{(v, u) : (v, u) \in E\}|$$



Out-degree of a vertex  $u$ : # edges out of  $u$

Path: sequence of nodes/edges from one node to another



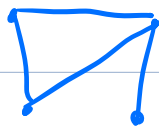
e.g.  $(a, d, b, c, e)$   $((a, d), (d, b), (b, c), (c, e))$

( Simple path: a path w/o repeating vertices  
e.g.  $(a, d, b, c, e)$  is simple path,  $(a, b, a, d)$  is not )

Cycle: A simple path that starts and ends at same vertex

e.g.  $(a, d, b, a)$

$G$  is connected if there is a path b/w every pair of vertices



Connected



Connected components

not connected

## Applications of Graphs

- Google Page Rank
- Facebook social graph
- Maps
- Internet / traffic routing
- Many More...

## Graph Representations:

### ① Adjacency List

Array Adj of  $|V|$  linked lists.

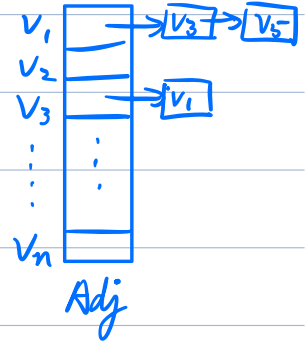
one linked list for each vertex

In each linked list, Adj[u] stores u's neighbors.

$$\text{Adj}[u] = \{v \in V \mid (u, v) \in E\}$$

Default Representation

$$\text{Space: } \Theta(|V| + |E|)$$



### ② Adjacency Matrix

$|V| \times |V|$  bit-matrix

$$A[u, v] = 1 \iff (u, v) \in E$$

$$\text{Space: } \Theta(|V|^2)$$

$(v_1, v_3)$

	$v_1$	$v_2$	$v_3$	...	$v_n$
$v_1$			1		
$v_2$					
$v_3$	0				
$\vdots$					
$v_n$					

Good if  $|E| \approx |V|^2$ , very fast for look up  
if  $(u, v)$  exists!