

# Part I - Graph Problems

## Overview

- ▶ Depth-First Search (DFS) → connectivity;
- ▶ Dijkstra → shortest path;
- ▶ Prim and Kruskal → MST;
- ▶ Ford-Fulkerson → maximum flow;
- ▶ Maximum Matching → matchings.

## Maximum Matching

### Algorithm 1: MAXIMUM MATCHING

**Input:** undirected graph  $G = (V, E)$

**Output:** maximum matching  $M$

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1 set  $M = \emptyset$ 
2 while there exists  $M$ -augmenting path in  $G$  do
3   choose  $M$ -augmenting path  $P$ 
4   set  $M = (M \setminus E(P)) \cup (E(P) \setminus M)$ 
5 return  $M$ 
```

## Prim's

### Algorithm 2: PRIM'S ALGORITHM

**Input:** undirected, connected graph  $G$ , weights  
 $c: E(G) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

**Output:** spanning tree  $T$  of minimum weight

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1 choose  $v \in V(G)$ 
2 set  $T := (\{v\}, \emptyset)$ 
3 while  $V(T) \neq V(G)$  do
4   choose an edge  $e \in \delta_G(V(T))$  of minimum weight
5   set  $T := T + e$ 
6 return  $T$ 
```

## Dijkstra's

### Algorithm 3: DIJKSTRA'S ALGORITHM

**Input:** undirected, connected graph  $G$ , weights  
 $c: E(G) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , nodes  $V$ , source  $s$

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1  $d_v$  distance to reach node  $v$ 
2  $p_v$  node predecessor to node  $v$ 
3  $Q \leftarrow \emptyset$  set of "unkown distance" nodes.
4 for each node  $v$  in  $V$  do
5    $d_v \leftarrow \infty$ 
6    $p_v \leftarrow \text{FALSE}$ 
7   add  $v$  in  $Q$ 
8  $d_s \leftarrow 0$  while  $Q \neq \emptyset$  do
9    $u \leftarrow$  node in  $Q$  with min  $d_u$ 
10  remove  $u$  from  $Q$ 
11  for each neighbor  $v$  of  $u$  still in  $Q$  do
12     $d \leftarrow d_u + c_{uv}$ 
13    if  $d < d_v$  then
14       $d_v \leftarrow d$ 
15       $p_v \leftarrow u$ 
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## Ford-Fulkerson's

### Algorithm 5: FORD-FULKERSON ALGORITHM

**Input:** digraph  $G = (V, E)$ , capacities  $u: E \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_+$ ,  
 $s, t, \in V$

**Output:** maximal  $s-t$ -flow  $f$

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1 set  $f(e) = 0$  for all  $e \in E$ 
2 while there exists  $f$ -augmenting path in  $G_f$  do
3   choose  $f$ -augmenting path  $P$ 
4   set  $\Delta_f(P) = \min_{a \in E(P)} u_f(a)$ 
5   augment  $f$  along  $P$  by  $\Delta_f(P)$ 
6   update  $G_f$ 
7 return  $f$ 
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## DFS

### Algorithm 6: DEPTH FIRST SEARCH (DFS)

**Input:** undirected graph  $G$ , vertex  $s \in V(G)$

**Output:** tree  $(R, T) \subseteq G$ ,  $R$  reachable from  $s$

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1 set  $R := \{s\}$ ,  $Q := \{s\}$  and  $T = \emptyset$ ;
2 if  $Q = \emptyset$  then return  $R, T$ ;
3 else  $v :=$  last vertex added to  $Q$ ;
4 choose  $w \in V(G) \setminus R$  with  $\{v, w\} \in E(G)$ ;
5 if there is no such  $w$  then
6   set  $Q := Q \setminus \{v\}$  and go to 2
7 set  $R := R \cup \{w\}$ ,  $Q := Q \cup \{w\}$ ,  $T := T \cup \{\{v, w\}\}$ , go
     to 2;
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## Kruskal's

### Algorithm 4: KRUSKAL'S ALGORITHM

**Input:** undirected, connected graph  $G$ , weights  
 $c: E(G) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

**Output:** spanning tree  $T$  of minimum weight

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1 sort edges such that  $c(e_1) \leq c(e_2) \leq \dots \leq c(e_m)$ 
2 set  $T := (V(G), \emptyset)$ 
3 for  $i := 1$  to  $m$  do
4   if  $T + e_i$  contains no cycle then
5     set  $T := T + e_i$ 
6 return  $T$ 
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