Graph Representations

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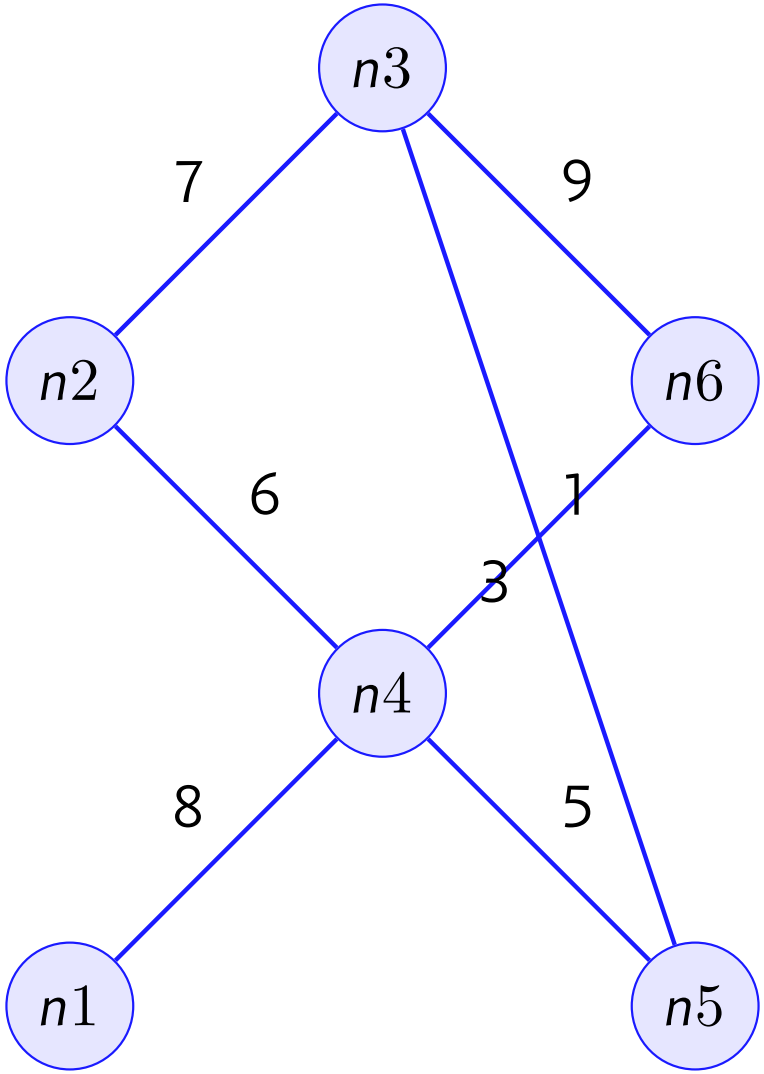
Objectives

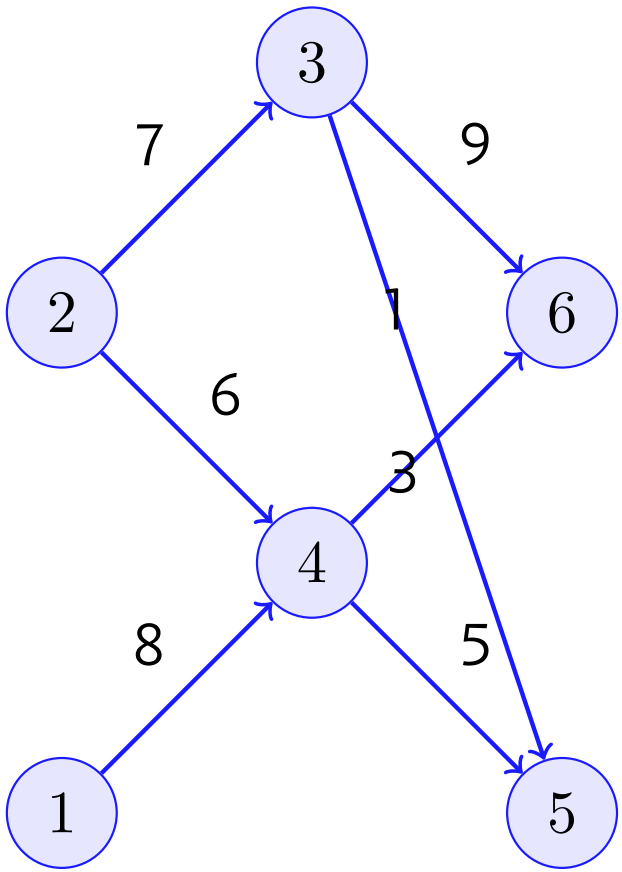
- Use three methods of representing a graph
  - Adjacency Matrix
  - Adjacency List
  - Edge List
- Explain the time complexities and tradeoffs

Graph Properties



Directed Graphs

Directed Graph

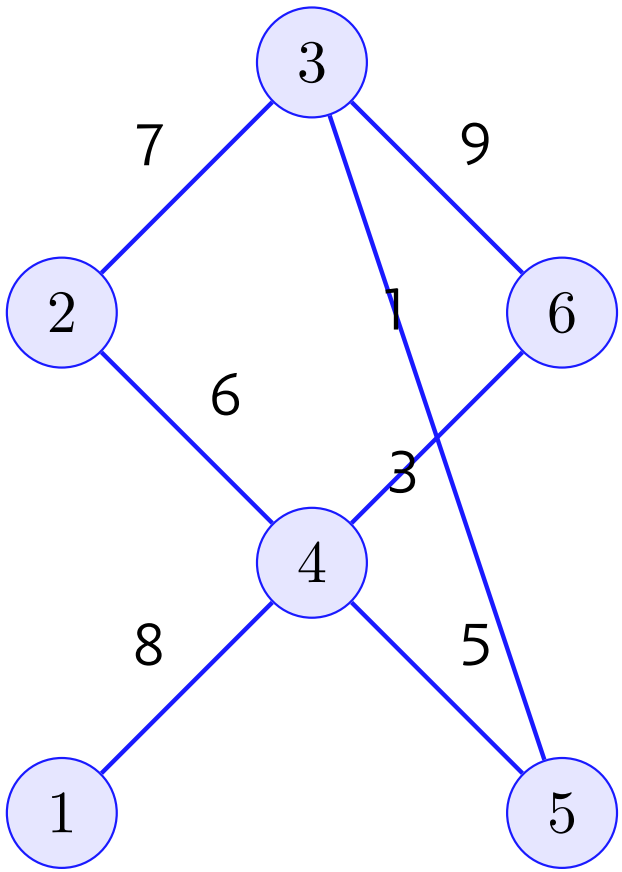


Adjacency Matrix

	1	2	3	4	5	6
1				8		
2			7	6		
3					1	9
4					5	3
5						
6						

Undirected Graphs

Undirected Graph



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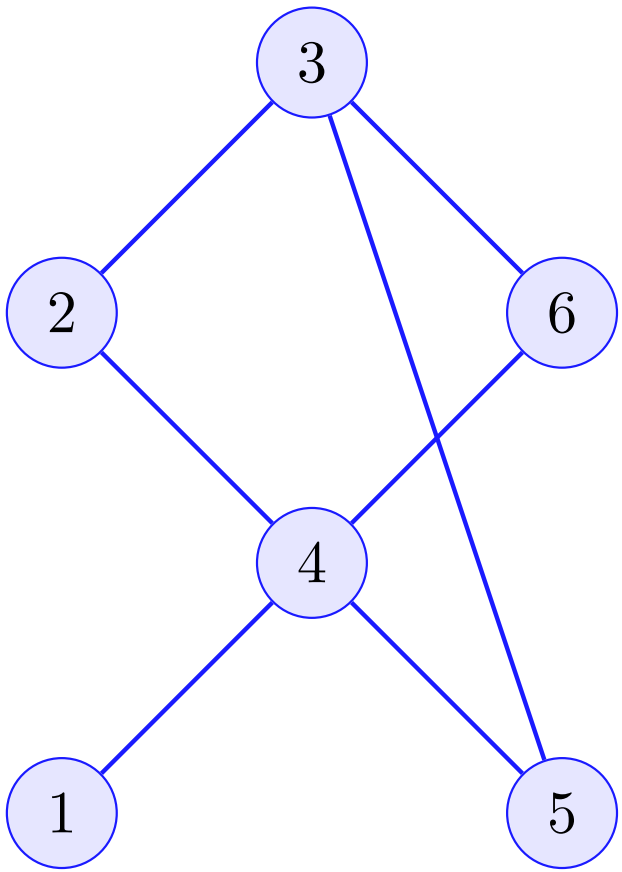
6			9	3		

Unweighted Graphs

Unweighted Graph



Adjacency Matrix

	1	2	3	4	5	6
1				1		
2			1	1		
3		1			1	1
4	1	1			1	1
5			1	1		
6			1	1		

Adjacency Matrix Implementation

```
1  typedef vector<int> vi;
2  typedef vector<vi> vvi;
3
4  cin >> N; // number of nodes
5  cin >> E; // number of edges
6
7  vvii graph = vvii(N,vi(N));
8  for(int i=0; i<e; ++i) {
9    cin >> s >> d >> w ;  // source, destination, weight
10   graph[s][d] = w;
11   // and if undirected, do this too
12   graph[d][s] = w;
13 }
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- $\mathcal{O}(n^2)$ memory — expensive!
- What kind of queries are good for this?

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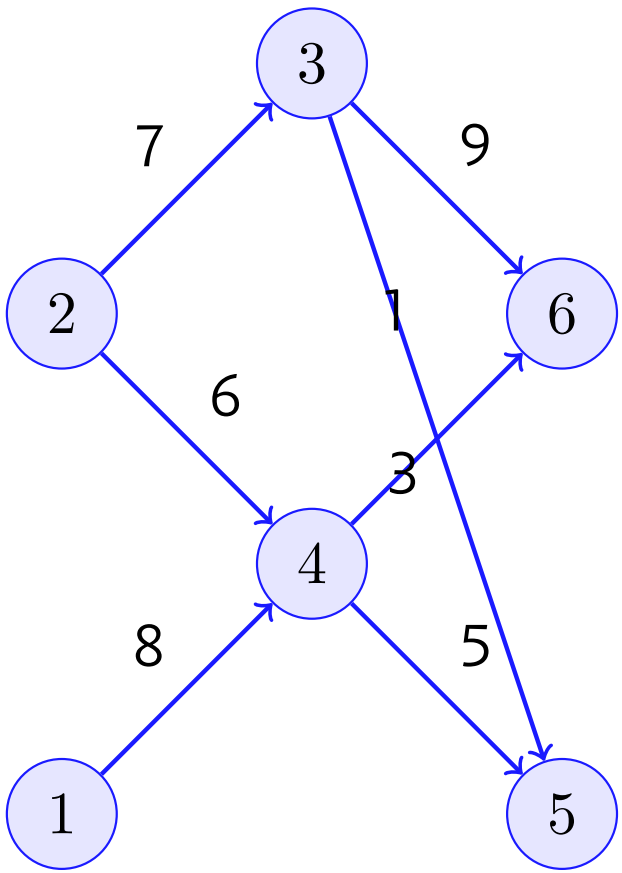
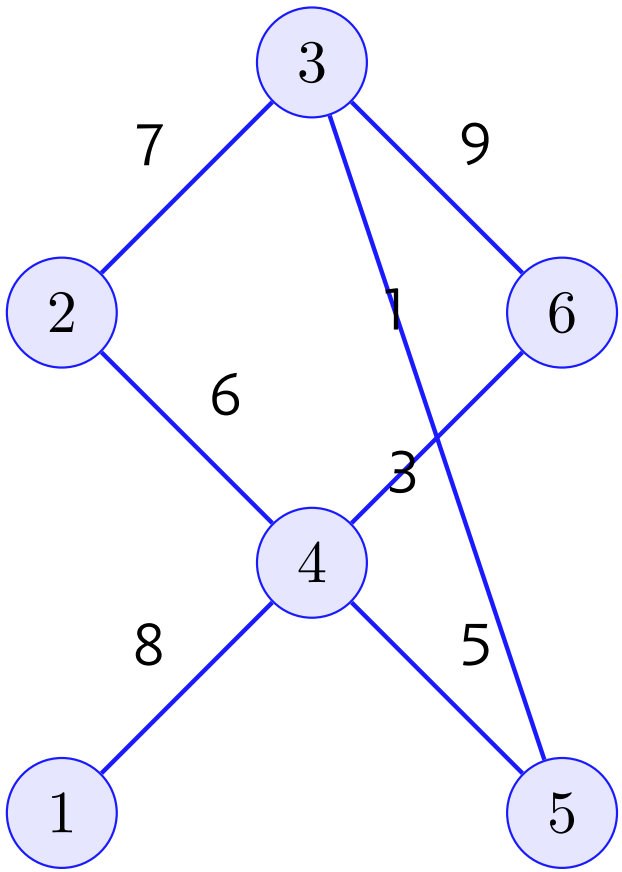


Adjacency List

1	(4,8)	
2	(4,6)	(3,7)
3	(5,1)	(6,9)
4	(6,3)	(5,5)
5		
6		

Undirected Graphs

Undirected Graph



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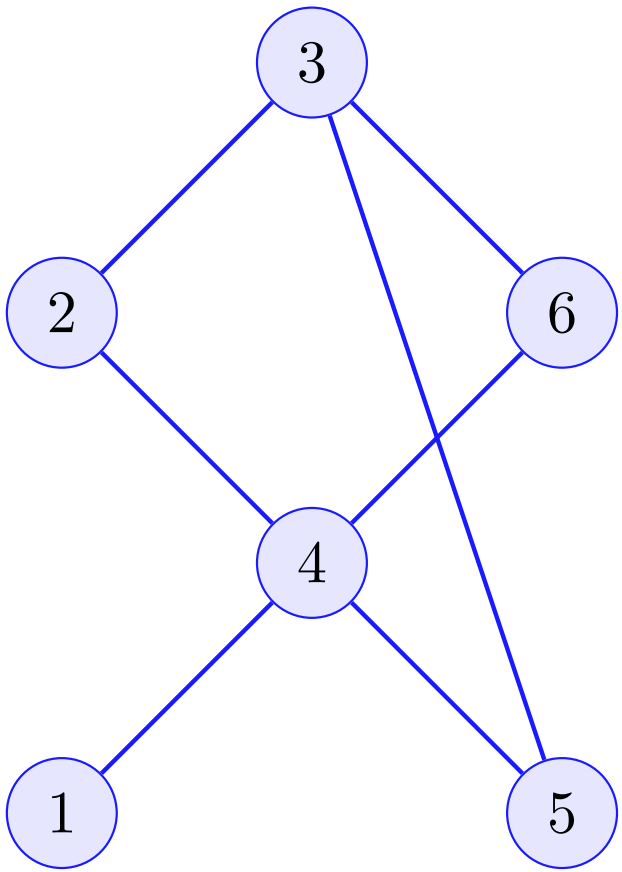
4	(6,3)	(5,5)	(1,8)	(2,6)
5	(3,1)	(4,5)		
6	(3,9)	(4,3)		

Unweighted Graphs

Unweighted Graph



Adjacency List

1	4			
2	4	3		
3	5	2	6	
4	6	5	1	2
5	3	4		
6	3	4		

Adjacency List Implementation

```
1  typedef pair<int,int> ii;
2  typedef vector<ii> vii;
3
4  cin >> N; // number of nodes
5  cin >> E; // number of edges
6
7  vvii graph = vii(N);
8  for(int i=0; i<e; ++i) {
9    cin >> s >> d >> w ;  // source, destination, weight
10   graph[s].push_back(ii(d,w));
11   // and if undirected, do this too
12   graph[d].push_back(ii(s,w));
13 }
14
15 // accessing edges of node a:
16 for(auto it=graph[a].begin(); it != graph[a].end(); ++it)
17   cout << a << " goes to " << it->first() << " with weight
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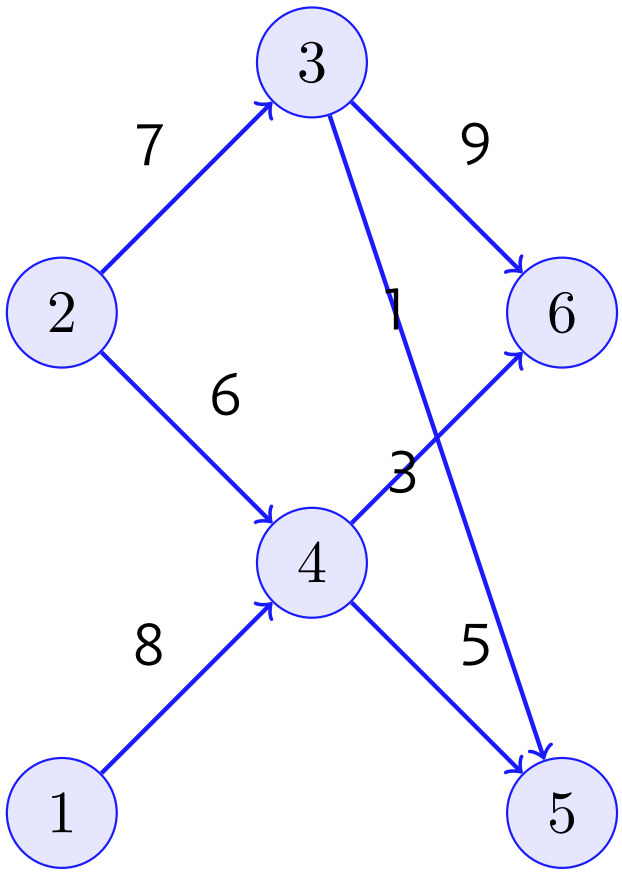
Directed Graph

Directed Graph



Edge List

(1,4,8)
(2,4,6)
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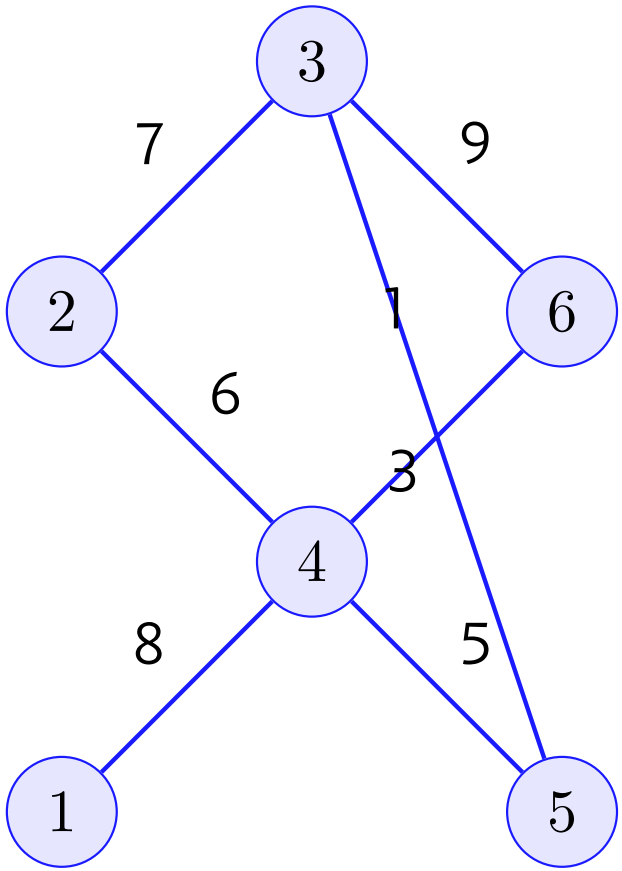
(4,6,3)
(2,3,7)
(3,6,9)
(4,5,5)

Undirected graph

Undirected Graph



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(4,1,8)
(4,2,6)
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Unweighted Graph

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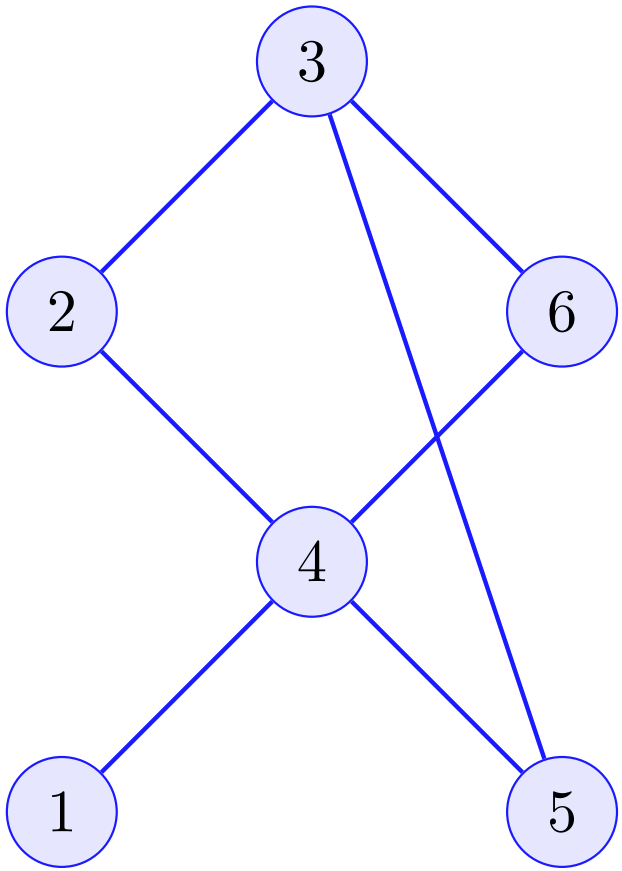

Edge List

(1,4)
(2,4)
(3,5)
(4,6)
(2,3)
(3,6)
(4,5)
(4,1)
(4,2)
(5,3)
(6,4)
(3,2)
(6,3)
(5,4)

Edge List Implementation

```
1  typedef pair<int,int> ii;
2  typedef pair<ii,int> edge;
3  typedef vector<edge> vedge;
4
5  cin >> N; // number of nodes
6  cin >> E; // number of edges
7
8  vedge graph;
9  for(int i=0; i<e; ++i) {
10   cin >> s >> d >> w ;  // source, destination, weight
11   graph.push_back(edge(ii(s,d),w));
12   // and if undirected, do this too
13   graph.push_back(edge(ii(d,s),w));
14 }
```

- $\mathcal{O}(e)$ memory — Not bad!
- What kind of queries are good for this?