

# Lecture 6: Graphs.

Graphs!

Euler

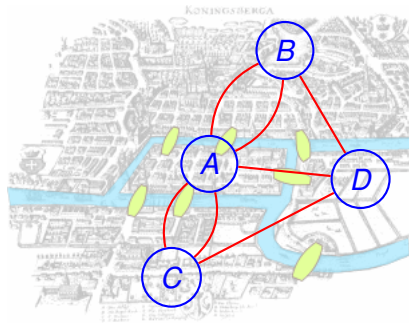
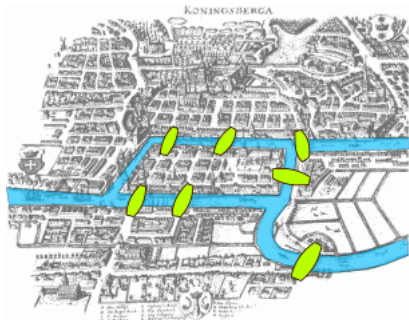
Definitions: model.

Euler Again!!

# Konigsberg bridges problem.

Can you make a tour visiting each bridge exactly once?

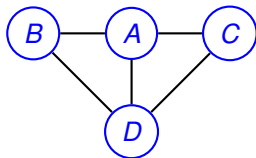
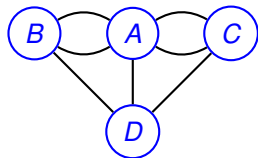
"Konigsberg bridges" by Bogdan Giuscă - [License](#).



Can you draw a tour in the graph where you visit each edge once? Yes? No?

We will see!

## Graphs: formally.



Graph:  $G = (V, E)$ .

$V$  - set of vertices.

$\{A, B, C, D\}$

$E \subseteq V \times V$  - set of edges.

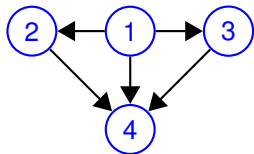
$\{\{A, B\}, \{A, B\}, \{A, C\}, \{A, C\}, \{B, D\}, \{A, D\}, \{C, D\}\}$ .

For CS 70, usually simple graphs.

No parallel edges.

Multigraph above.

# Directed Graphs



$G = (V, E)$ .

$V$  - set of vertices.

$\{1, 2, 3, 4\}$

$E$  ordered pairs of vertices.

$\{(1, 2), (1, 3), (1, 4), (2, 4), (3, 4)\}$

One way streets.

Tournament: 1 beats 2, ...

Precedence: 1 is before 2, ..

Social Network: Directed? Undirected?

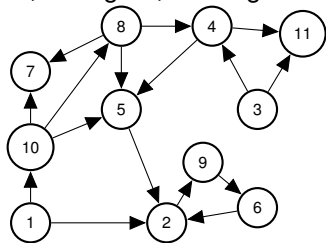
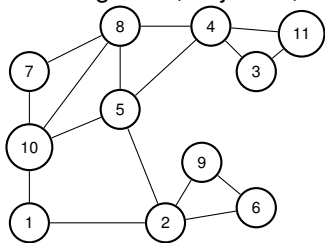
Friends. Undirected.

Likes. Directed.

# Graph Concepts and Definitions.

Graph:  $G = (V, E)$

neighbors, adjacent, degree, incident, in-degree, out-degree



Neighbors of 10? 1,5,7, 8.

$u$  is neighbor of  $v$  if  $(u, v) \in E$  (or if  $(v, u) \in E$ ).

Edge (10,5) is incident to vertex 10 and vertex 5.

Edge  $(u, v)$  is incident to  $u$  and  $v$ .

Degree of vertex 1? 2

Degree of vertex  $u$  is number of incident edges.

Equals number of neighbors in simple graph.

Directed graph?

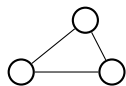
In-degree of 10? 1    Out-degree of 10? 3

## Quick Proof.

The sum of the vertex degrees is equal to

- (A) the total number of vertices,  $|V|$ .
- (B) the total number of edges,  $|E|$ .
- (C) What?

Not (A)! Triangle.



Not (B)! Triangle.

What? For triangle number of edges is 3, the sum of degrees is 6.

Could it always be... $2|E|$ ?

How many incidences does each edge contribute? 2.

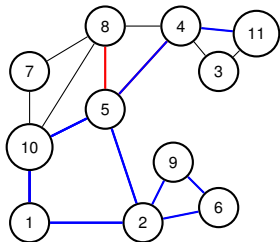
$2|E|$  incidences are contributed in total!

What is degree  $v$ ? incidences contributed to  $v$ !

sum of degrees is total incidences ... or  $2|E|$ .

**Thm:** Sum of vertex degree is  $2|E|$ .

## Paths, walks, cycles, tour.



A path in a graph is a sequence of edges.

Path?  $\{1, 10\}, \{8, 5\}, \{4, 5\}$  ? No!

Path?  $\{1, 10\}, \{10, 5\}, \{5, 4\}, \{4, 11\}$ ? Yes!

**Path:**  $(v_1, v_2), (v_2, v_3), \dots, (v_{k-1}, v_k)$ .

Quick Check! Length of path?  $k$  vertices or  $k - 1$  edges.

**Cycle:** Path with  $v_1 = v_k$ . Length of cycle?  $k - 1$  vertices and edges!

Path is usually *simple*. No repeated vertex!

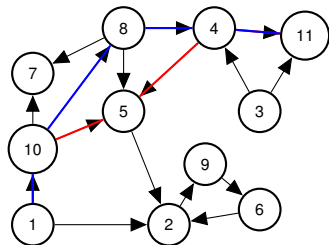
**Walk** is sequence of edges with possible repeated vertex or edge.

**Tour** is walk that starts and ends at the same node.

Quick Check!

Path is to Walk as Cycle is to ?? Tour!

## Directed Paths.

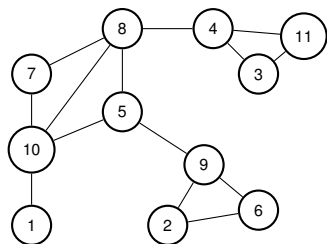


**Path:**  $(v_1, v_2), (v_2, v_3), \dots, (v_{k-1}, v_k)$ .

Paths, walks, cycles, tours ... are analogous to undirected now.



# Connectivity



$u$  and  $v$  are **connected** if there is a path between  $u$  and  $v$ .

A connected graph is a graph where all pairs of vertices are connected.

If one vertex  $x$  is connected to every other vertex.

Is graph connected? Yes? No?

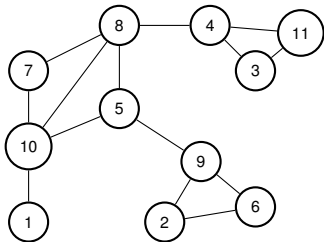
Proof: Use path from  $u$  to  $x$  and then from  $x$  to  $v$ .



May not be simple!

Either modify definition to walk.

Or cut out cycles.



Is graph above connected? Yes!

How about now? No!

**Connected Components?**  $\{1\}$ ,  $\{10, 7, 5, 8, 4, 3, 11\}$ ,  $\{2, 9, 6\}$ .

A connected component is a maximal set of connected nodes in a graph.

Quick Check: Is  $\{10, 7, 5\}$  a connected component? No.

## Finally..back to Euler!

An Eulerian Tour is a tour that visits each edge exactly once.

**Theorem:** Any undirected graph has an Eulerian tour if and only if all vertices have even degree and is connected.

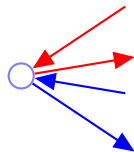
**Proof of only if: Eulerian  $\implies$  connected and all even degree.**

Eulerian Tour is connected so graph is connected.

Tour enters and leaves vertex  $v$  on each visit.

Uses two incident edges per visit. Tour uses all incident edges.

Therefore  $v$  has even degree. □



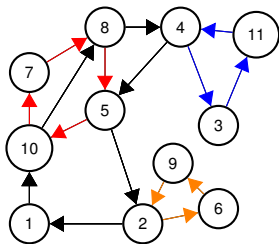
When you enter, you leave.

For starting node, tour leaves first ....then enters at end.

# Finding a tour!

## Proof of if: Even + connected $\implies$ Eulerian Tour.

We will give an algorithm. First by picture.



1. Take a walk starting from  $v$  (1)  
... till you get back to  $v$ .
2. Remove tour,  $C$ .
3. Let  $G_1, \dots, G_k$  be connected components.  
Each is touched by  $C$ .

Why?  $G$  was connected.

Let  $v_i$  be (first) node in  $G_i$  touched by  $C$ .

Example:  $v_1 = 1$ ,  $v_2 = 10$ ,  $v_3 = 4$ ,  $v_4 = 2$ .

4. Recurse on  $G_1, \dots, G_k$  starting from  $v_i$
5. Splice together.  
1,10,7,8,5,10,8,4,3,11,4,5,2,6,9,2 and to 1!

## General case: Recursive algorithm, proof by induction.

1. Take a walk from arbitrary node  $v$ , until you get back to  $v$ .

**Claim:** Do get back to  $v$ !

**Proof of Claim:** Even degree. If enter, can leave except for  $v$ . □

2. Remove cycle,  $C$ , from  $G$ .

Resulting graph may be disconnected. (Removed edges!)

Let components be  $G_1, \dots, G_k$ .

Let  $v_i$  be first vertex of  $C$  that is in  $G_i$ .

Why is there a  $v_i$  in  $C$ ?

$G$  was connected  $\implies$

a vertex in  $G_i$  must be incident to a removed edge in  $C$ .

**Claim: Each vertex in each  $G_i$  has even degree and is connected.**

**Prf:** Tour  $C$  has even incidences to any vertex  $v$ . □

3. Find tour  $T_i$  of  $G_i$  starting/ending at  $v_i$ .

4. Splice  $T_i$  into  $C$  where  $v_i$  first appears in  $C$ .

Visits every edge once:

Visits edges in  $C$  exactly once.

By induction for all other edges by induction on  $G_i$ . □

# Summary

Graphs.

Basics.

Connectivity.

Algorithm for Eulerian Tour.