#### CSE 250 Data Structures

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#### Lec 24: Shortest Path (revisited)

#### Announcements

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#### Input: Array

#### **Output:** Array re-ordered to be a heap

#### **Idea:** fixUp or fixDown all *n* elements in the array

Given an arbitrary array (shown as a tree here) turn it into a heap



Start at the lowest level, and call **fixDown** on each node (0 swaps per node)



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At level 1: Call fixDown on all 1 nodes at this level (max log(n) swaps each)

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Sum the number of swaps required by each level

 $O\left(\sum_{i=1}^{\log(n)} \frac{n}{2^i} \cdot (i+1)\right)$ 

Pull out the *n* as a constant and distribute multiplication

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Focus on the dominant term only

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Change log(n) to infinity (can only increase complexity class if anything)

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(but heap sort still requires *n* log(*n*) due to dequeue costs)

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Often we can save time by performing a task in one big batch on all of the data, rather than handling each element one at a time

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• Using Merge Sort or Heap Sort, it would take O(n log(n))

## Heaps as Priority Queues

We now have an efficient implementation of the PriorityQueue ADT

- Java's **PriorityQueue** implementation uses a heap as well
- By default, it's a min heap, but can use a custom comparator as well
- Now we have what we need to revisit the shortest path problem

#### **Shortest Paths**



BFS will always find the path with the **fewest edges**...

Not all edges in a real world graph are necessarily created equal! Which path is actually the best/shortest?

















```
1 public void BFS(Graph graph, Vertex v) {
     Queue<TodoEntry> todo = new Queue<>();
 2
     v.setLabel(VISITED);
 3
     todo.enqueue(new TodoEntry(v, ∅));
4
5
     while (!todo.isEmpty()) {
6
       TodoEntry curr = todo.dequeue(); --
7
       for (Edge e : curr.vertex.outEdges) {
                                                 We want to be able to dequeue
         if (e.label == UNEXPLORED) {
8
                                                 in order of weight...but how?
9
           Vertex w = e.to;
10
           if (w.label == UNEXPLORED) {
11
             w.setLabel(VISITED);
12
             todo.enqueue(new TodoEntry(w, curr.weight + e.weight));
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    PriorityQueue<TodoEntry> todo = new PriorityQueue<>();
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 3
     v.setLabel(VISITED);
     todo.add(new TodoEntry(v,0));
4
5
     while (!todo.isEmpty()) {
6
       TodoEntry curr = todo.poll();
                                                 Use a PriorityQueue (with lower
7
       for (Edge e : curr.vertex.outEdges) {
                                                 weights having high priority)
8
         if (e.label == UNEXPLORED) {
9
           Vertex w = e.to;
                                                 Is this enough?
10
           if (w.label == UNEXPLORED) {
11
             w.setLabel(VISITED);
12
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7
       for (Edge e : curr.vertex.outEdges) {
                                                 When we add w to the
8
         if (e.label == UNEXPLORED) {
                                                 PriorityQueue, there still may
9
           Vertex w = e.to;
                                                 be other shorter paths, so we
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           if (w.label == UNEXPLORED) {
                                                 can't consider w VISITED yet
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6
       TodoEntry curr = todo.poll();
                                                How about when we dequeue?
7
       curr.vertex.setLabel(VISITED);
8
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9
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Add the neighbors of A to the Priority Queue, but don't mark as VISITED yet



Mark D as visited because we've found the shortest path to D. What should we add to the PQ now?



We know now we could get to B in at least 5, and C in at most 13.







We've already visited B so we can ignore this





#### <u>PriorityQueue</u> (<del>A, 0)</del> (<del>B,6)</del> (<del>D,3)</del> (<del>F,5)</del> (E,40) (<del>B,5)</del> (C,13) (<del>E,9)</del> (<del>C,6)</del> (E,10)



We've dequeued E, so we've found the shortest possible path to get there! (Anything else still left in the PriorityQueue is a longer path)

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                                                      Create a new PriorityQueue and
 5
       TodoEntry curr = todo.poll();
                                                      insert the starting point with a
                                                      distance of 0
 6
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                                                        When we pull something out of the
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       TodoEntry curr = todo.poll();
                                                        PriorityQueue, if it is still
                                                        UNEXPLORED then we just found
       if (curr.vertex.label == UNEXPLORED) {
6
                                                       the shortest path to that vertex, and
7
          curr.vertex.setLabel(VISITED);
                                                        we can mark it as VISITED
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                        Add each unexplored neighbor to the PriorityQueue.
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                        Set it's distance equal to our current distance plus the weight of the
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                                                             PriorityQueue is
       if (curr.vertex.label == UNEXPLORED) {
                                                         O(log(todo.size())
6
7
         curr.vertex.setLabel(VISITED);
8
         for (Edge e : curr.vertex.outEdges) {
                                                       How big can todo get?
9
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               Each vertex may be added once per incoming edge. So
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                 the size of the PriorityQueue can get as large as |E|
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12
                                   Label the |V| vertices |E| adds/removes to the PriorityQueue
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                              What is the complexity? O(|V| + |E| \log(|E|))
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#### Djikstra's Algorithm

- Many tweaks can be made
  - What if instead of enqueuing a vertex we've already seen we just update the existing value in our heap?
  - How can we track the actual path?
    - Build a map of reverse lookups (just like for BFS/DFS)