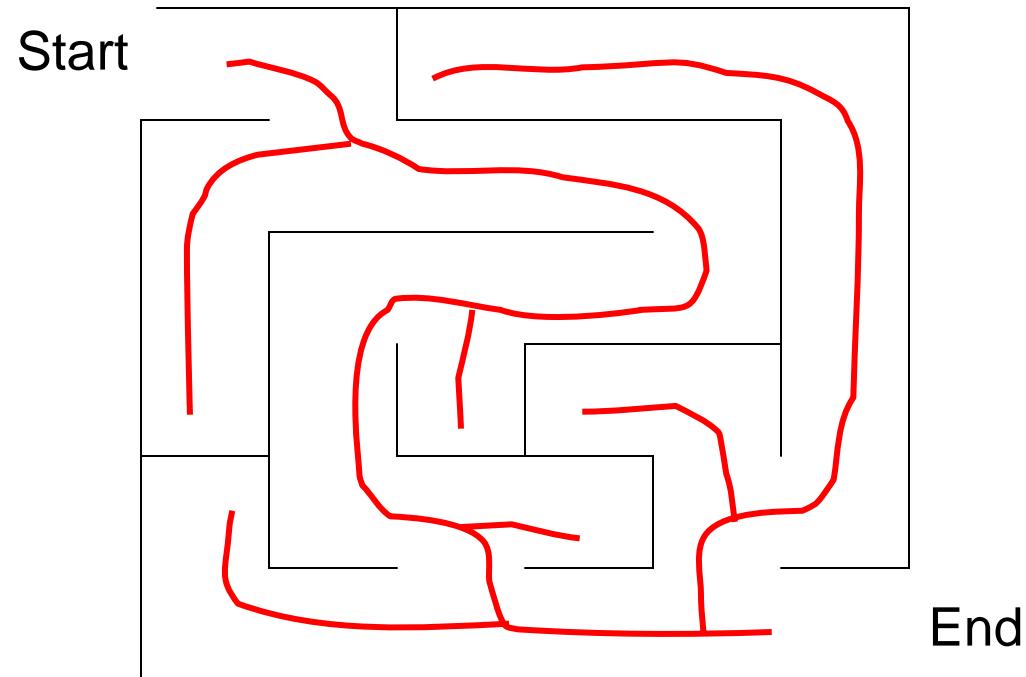


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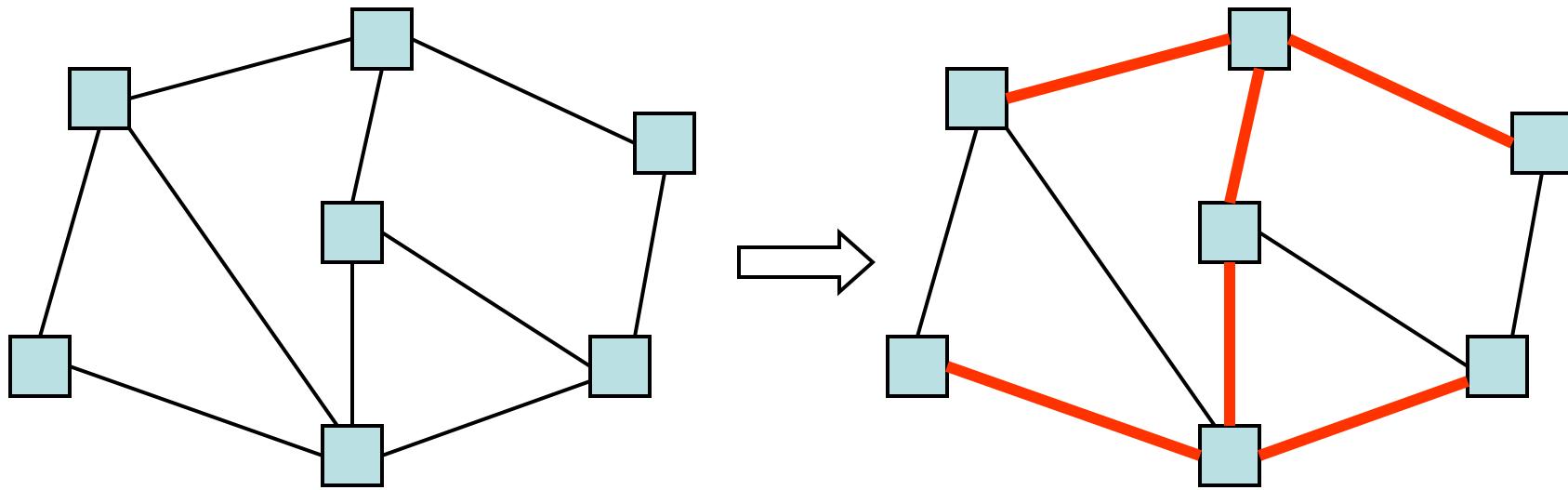
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# A Hidden Tree



# Spanning Tree in a Graph



Vertex = router

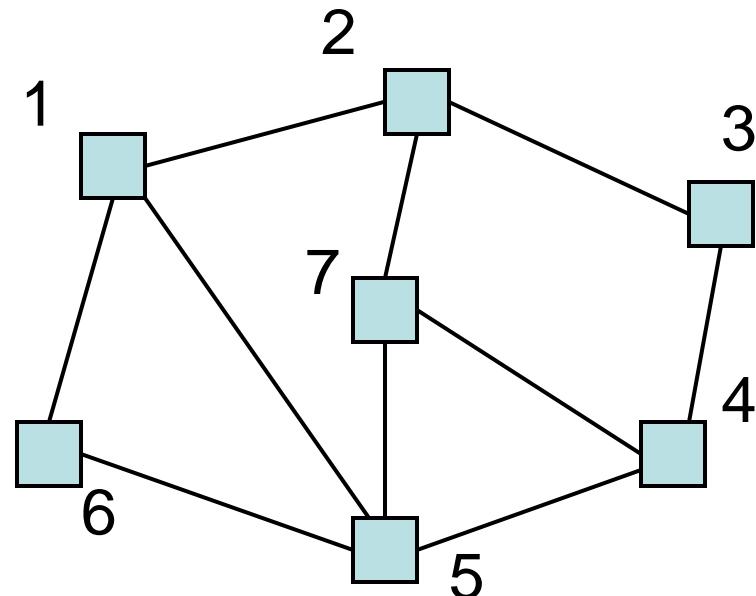
Edge = link between routers

Spanning tree

- Connects all the vertices
- No cycles

# Undirected Graph

- $G = (V, E)$ 
  - $V$  is a set of vertices (or nodes)
  - $E$  is a set of unordered pairs of vertices



$$\begin{aligned} V &= \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7\} \\ E &= \{\{1, 2\}, \{1, 6\}, \{1, 5\}, \{2, 7\}, \{2, 3\}, \\ &\quad \{3, 4\}, \{4, 7\}, \{4, 5\}, \{5, 6\}\} \end{aligned}$$

2 and 3 are adjacent  
2 is incident to edge {2,3}

# Spanning Tree Problem

- Input: An undirected graph  $G = (V, E)$ .  $G$  is connected.
- Output:  $T$  contained in  $E$  such that
  - $(V, T)$  is a connected graph
  - $(V, T)$  has no cycles

# Spanning Tree Algorithm

```
ST(i: vertex)
```

```
    mark i;
```

```
    for each j adjacent to i do
```

```
        if j is unmarked then
```

```
            Add {i,j} to T;
```

```
            ST(j);
```

```
    end{ST}
```

```
Main
```

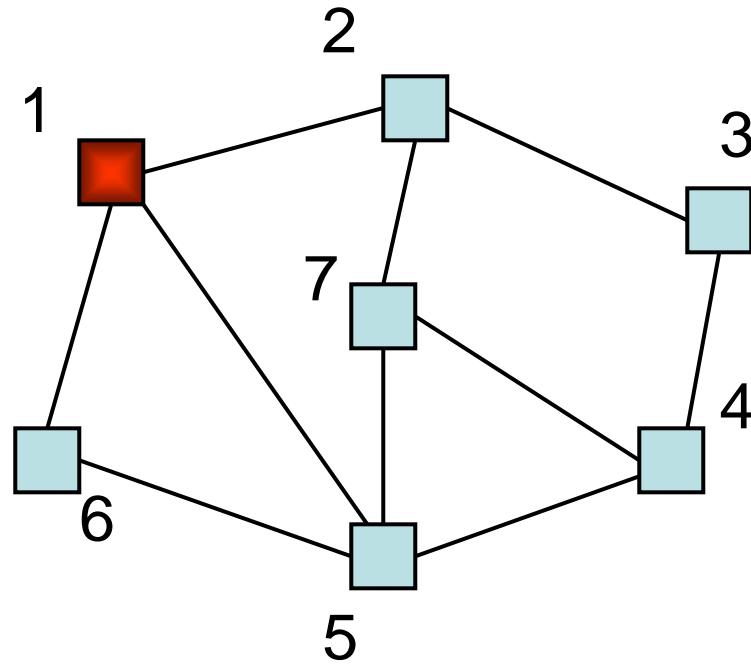
```
    T := empty set;
```

```
    ST(1);
```

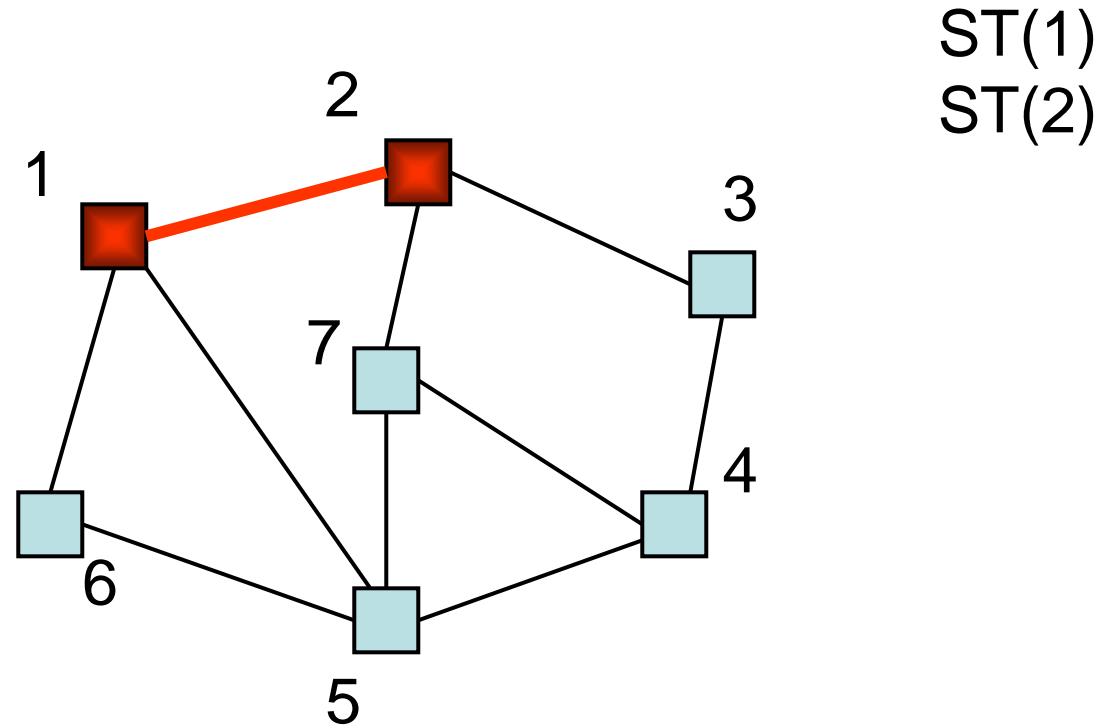
```
end{Main}
```

# Example of Depth First Search

ST(1)



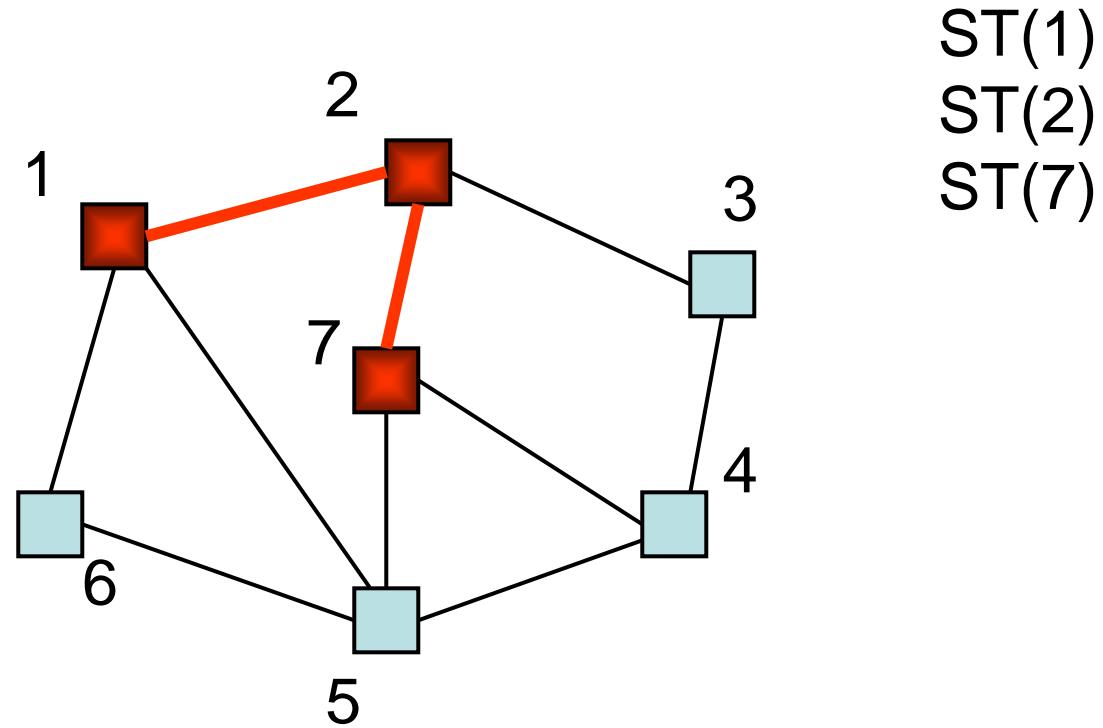
## Example Step 2



{1,2}

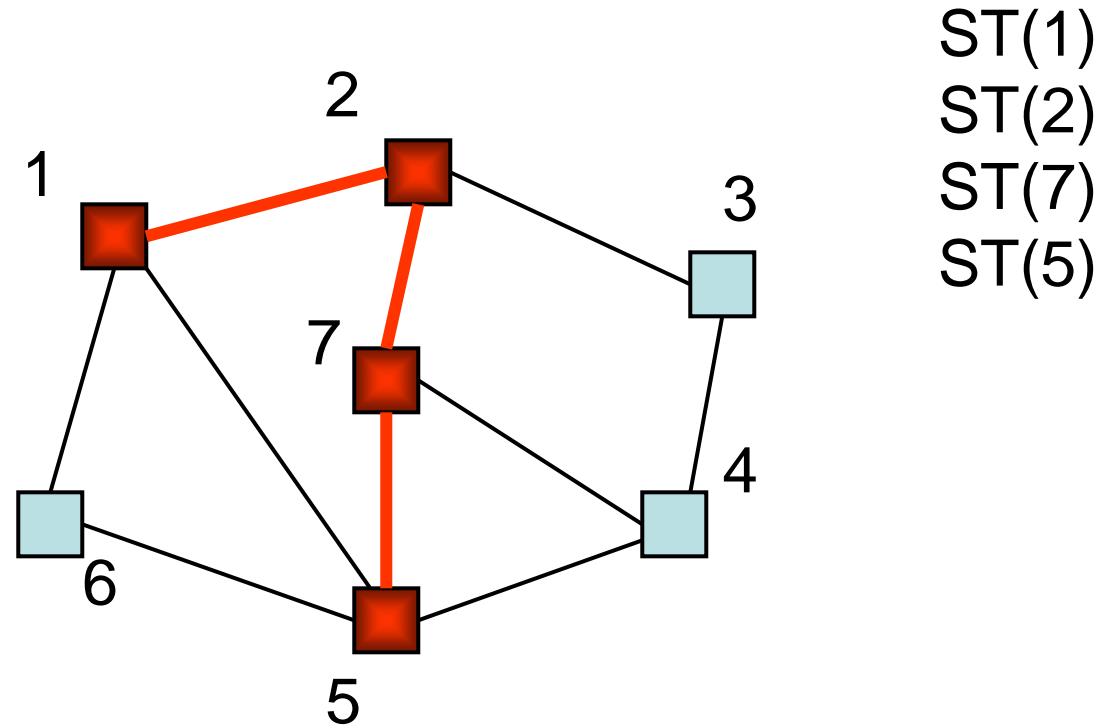
ST(1)  
ST(2)

# Example Step 3



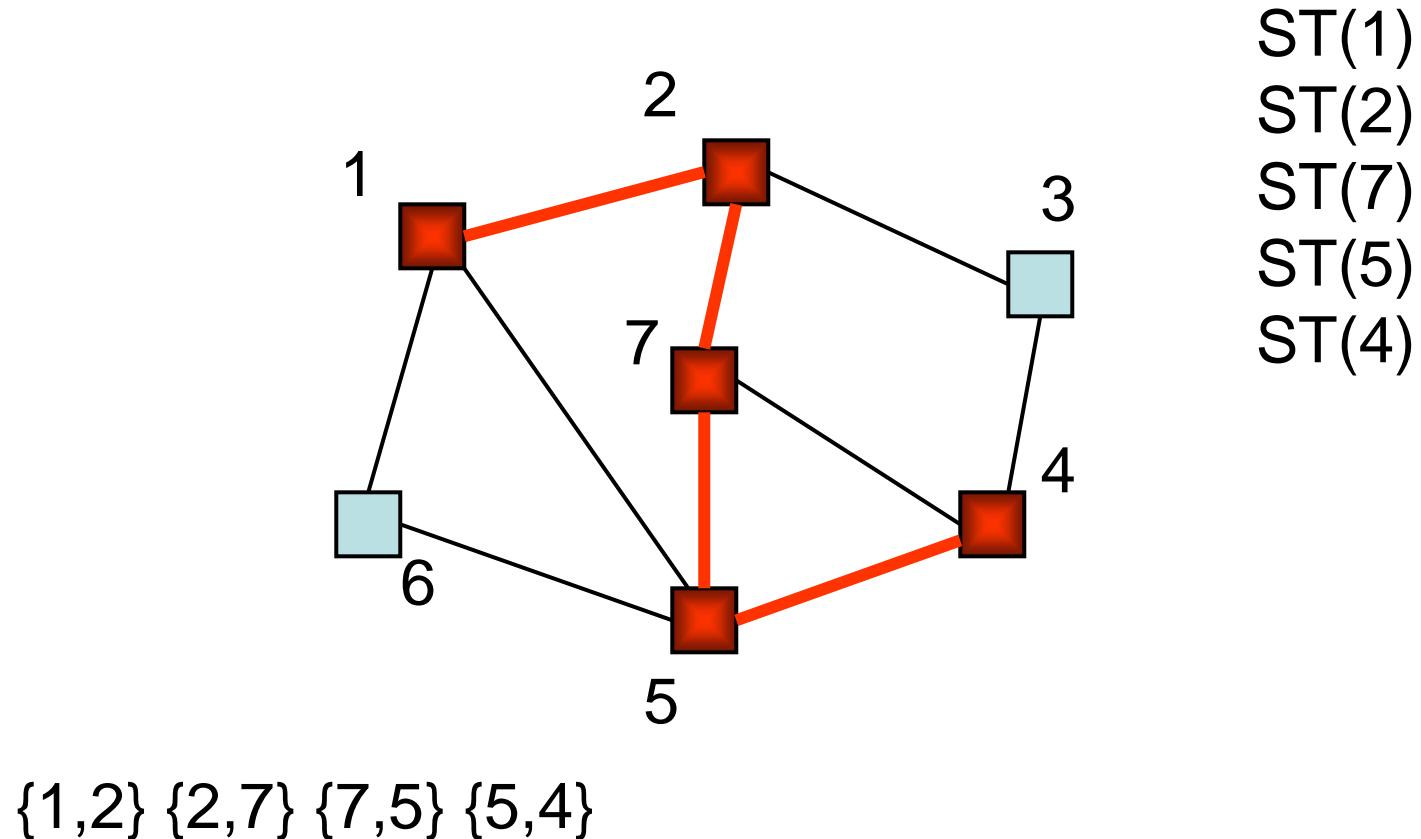
$\{1,2\}$   $\{2,7\}$

# Example Step 4

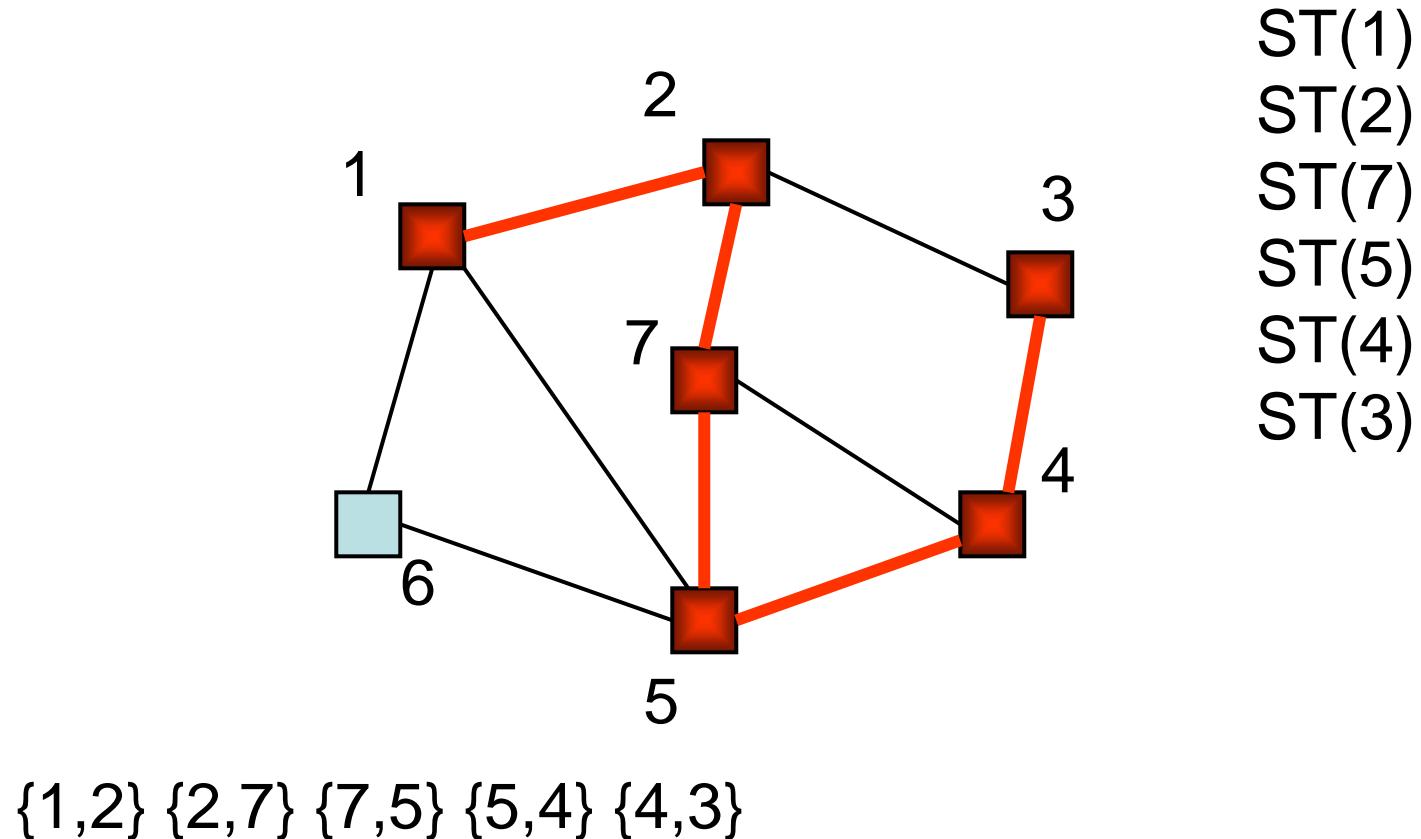


{1,2} {2,7} {7,5}

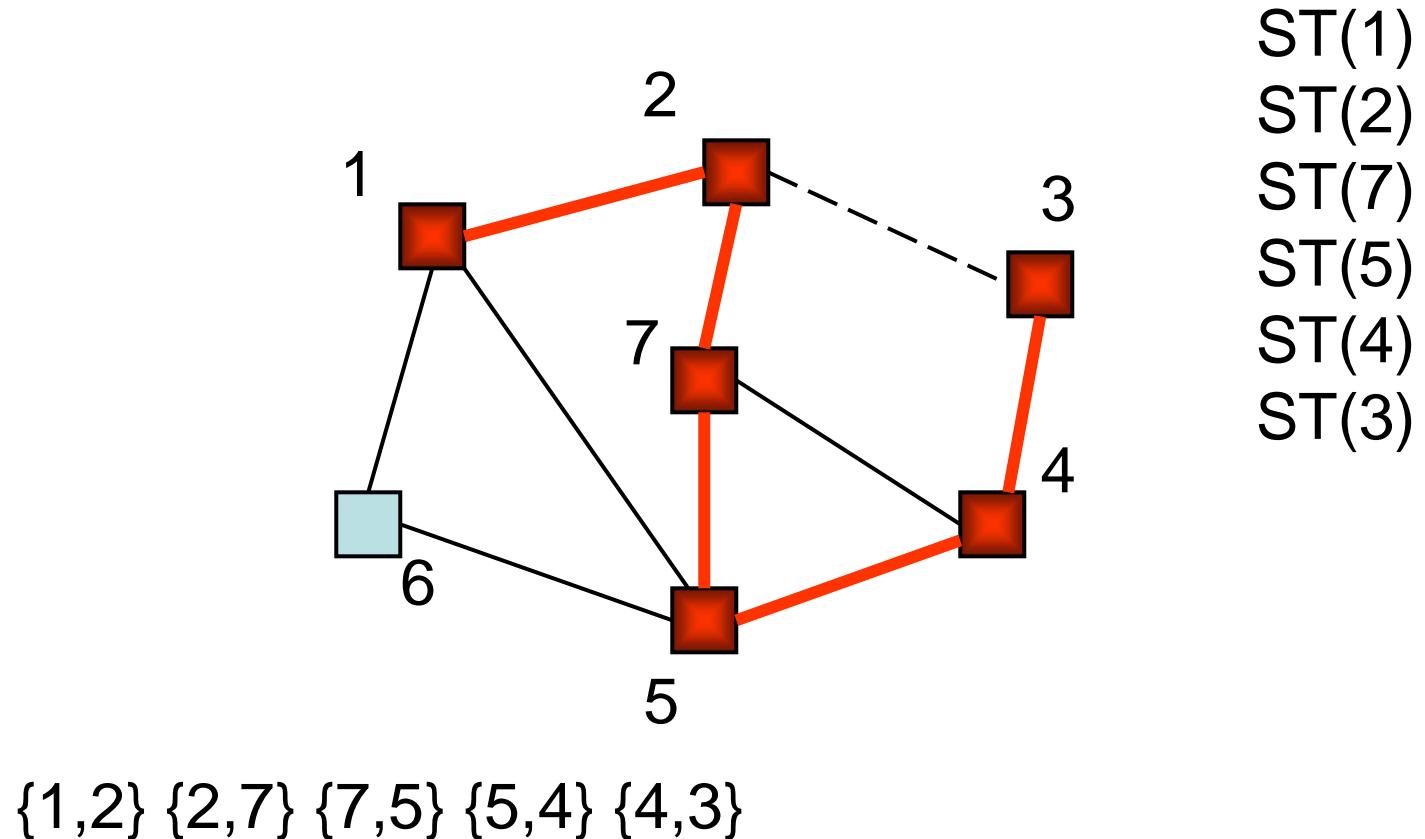
# Example Step 5



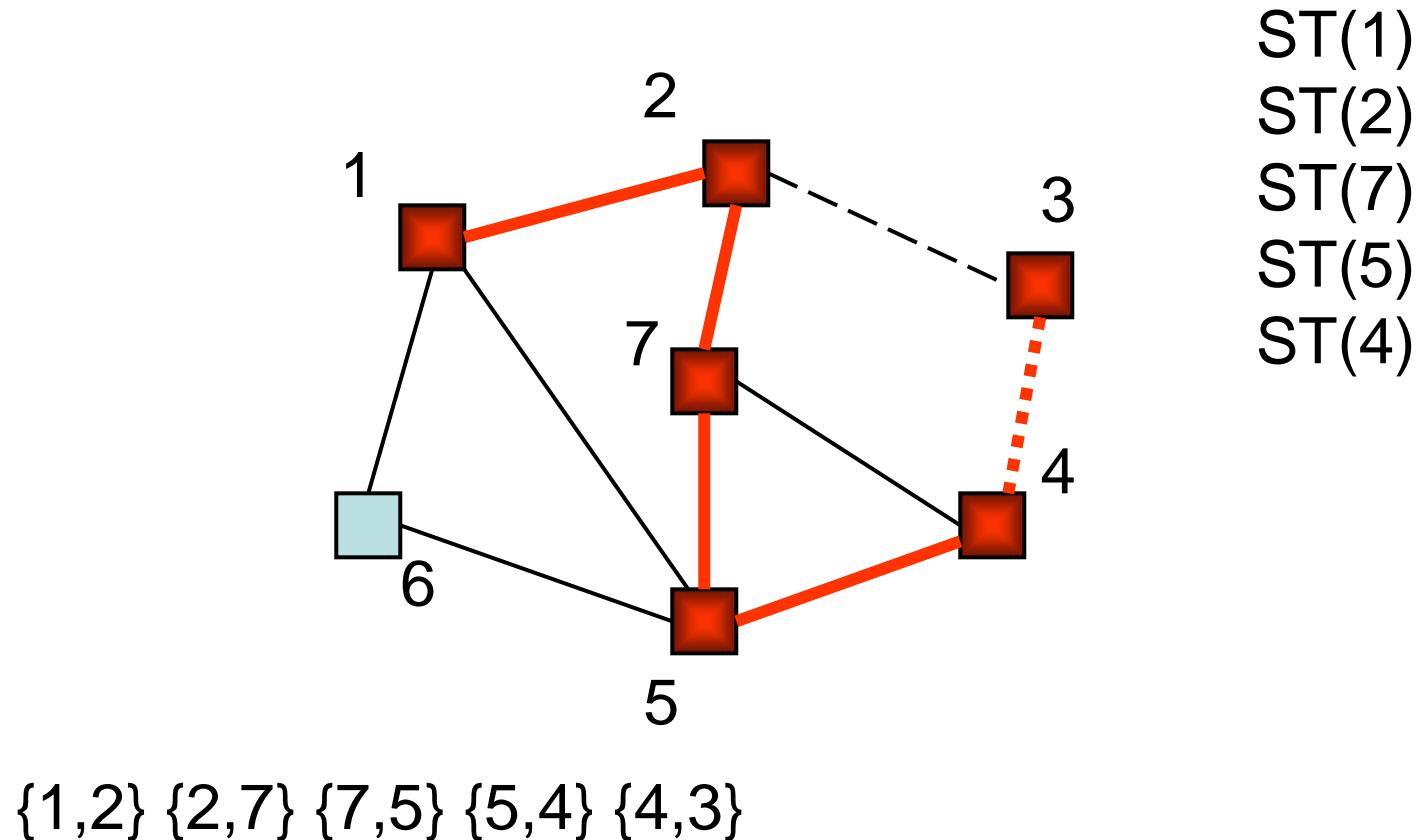
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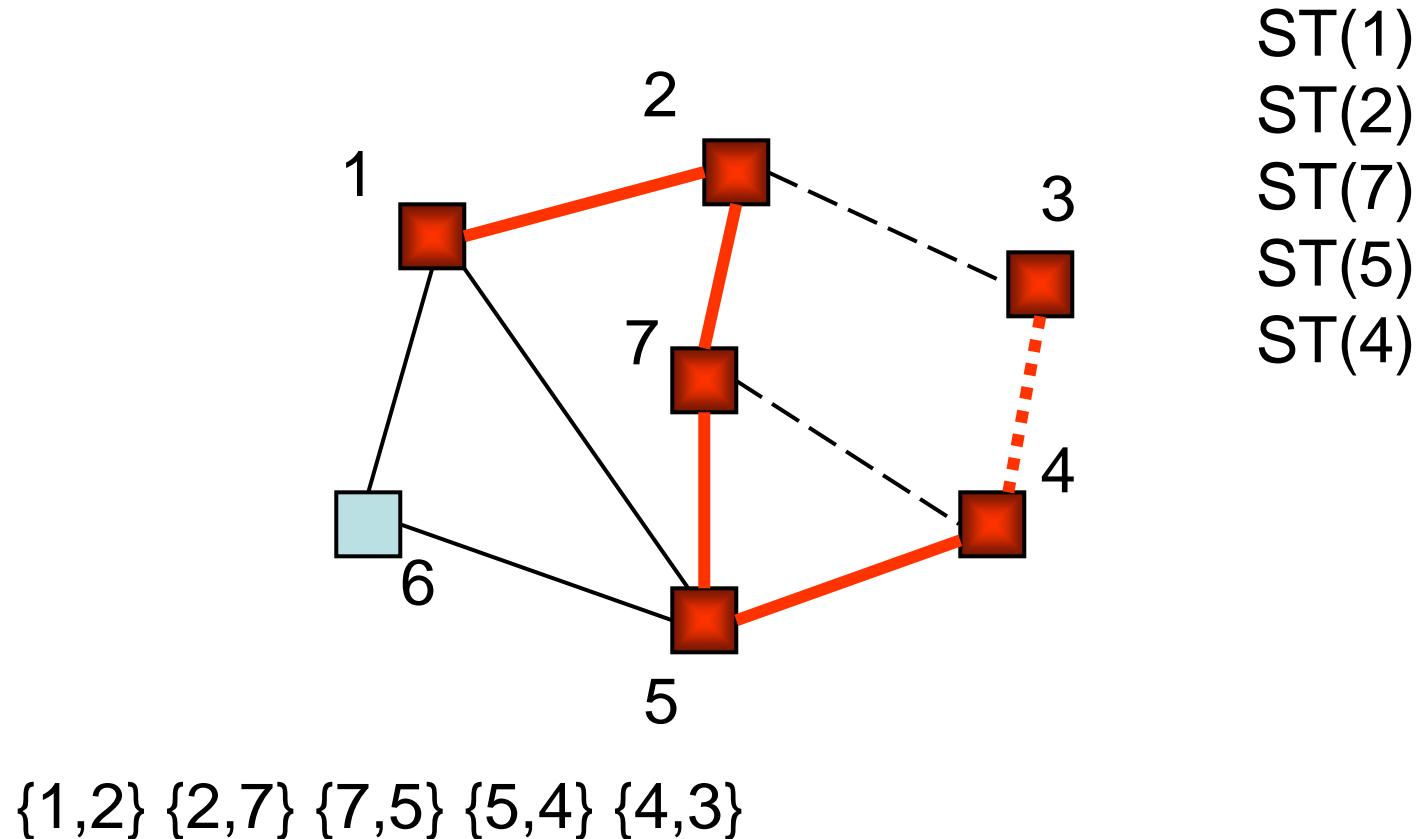
# Example Step 7



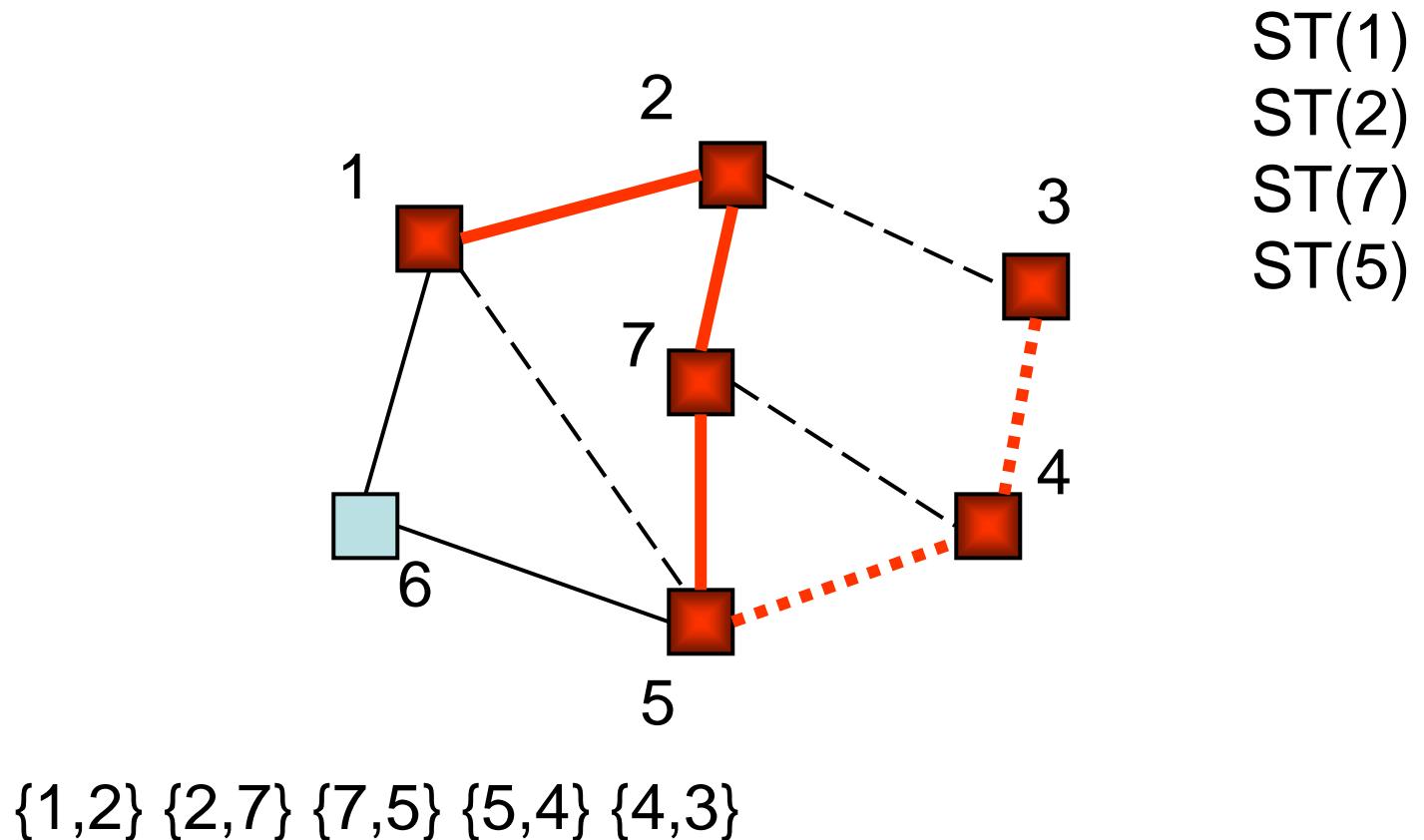
# Example Step 8



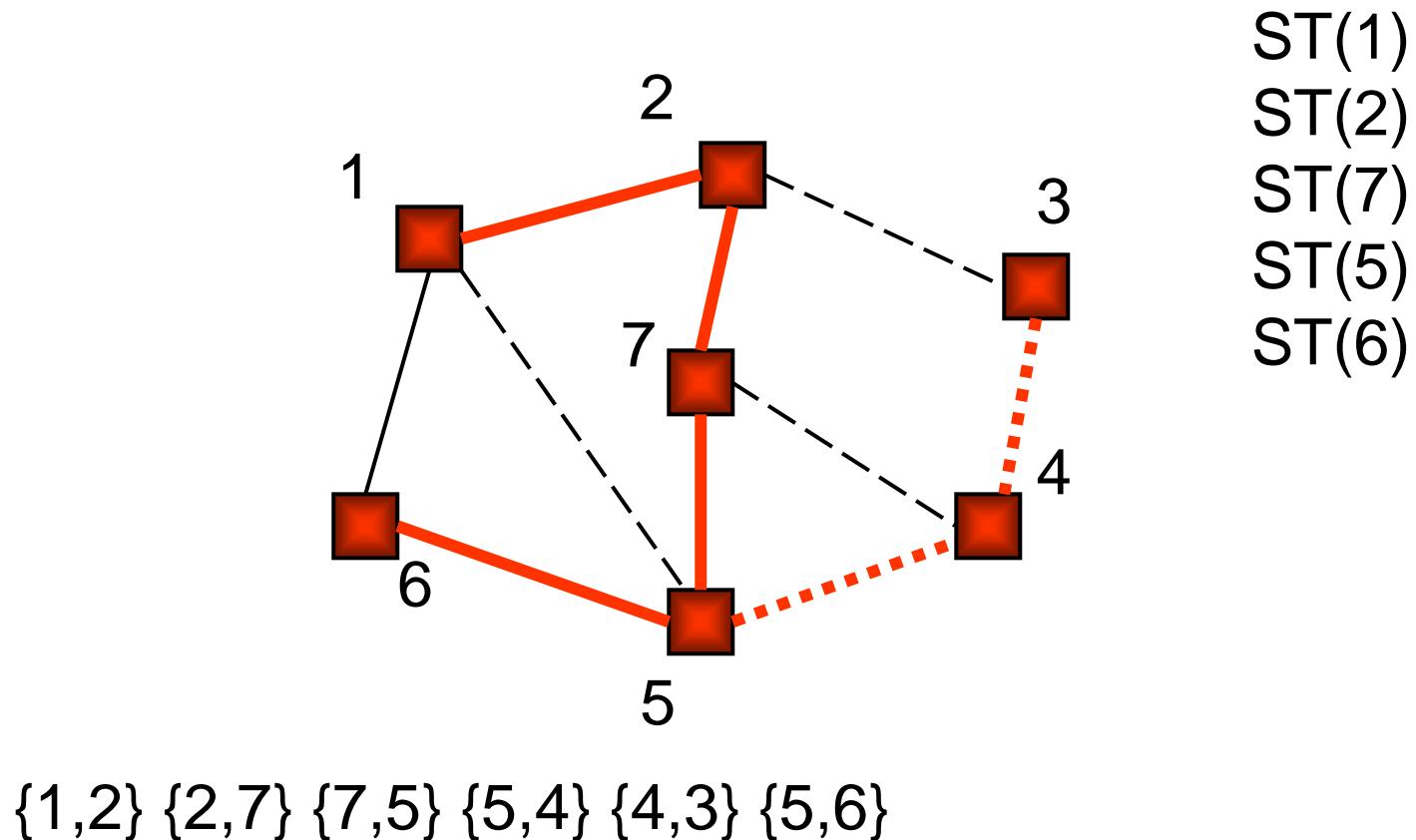
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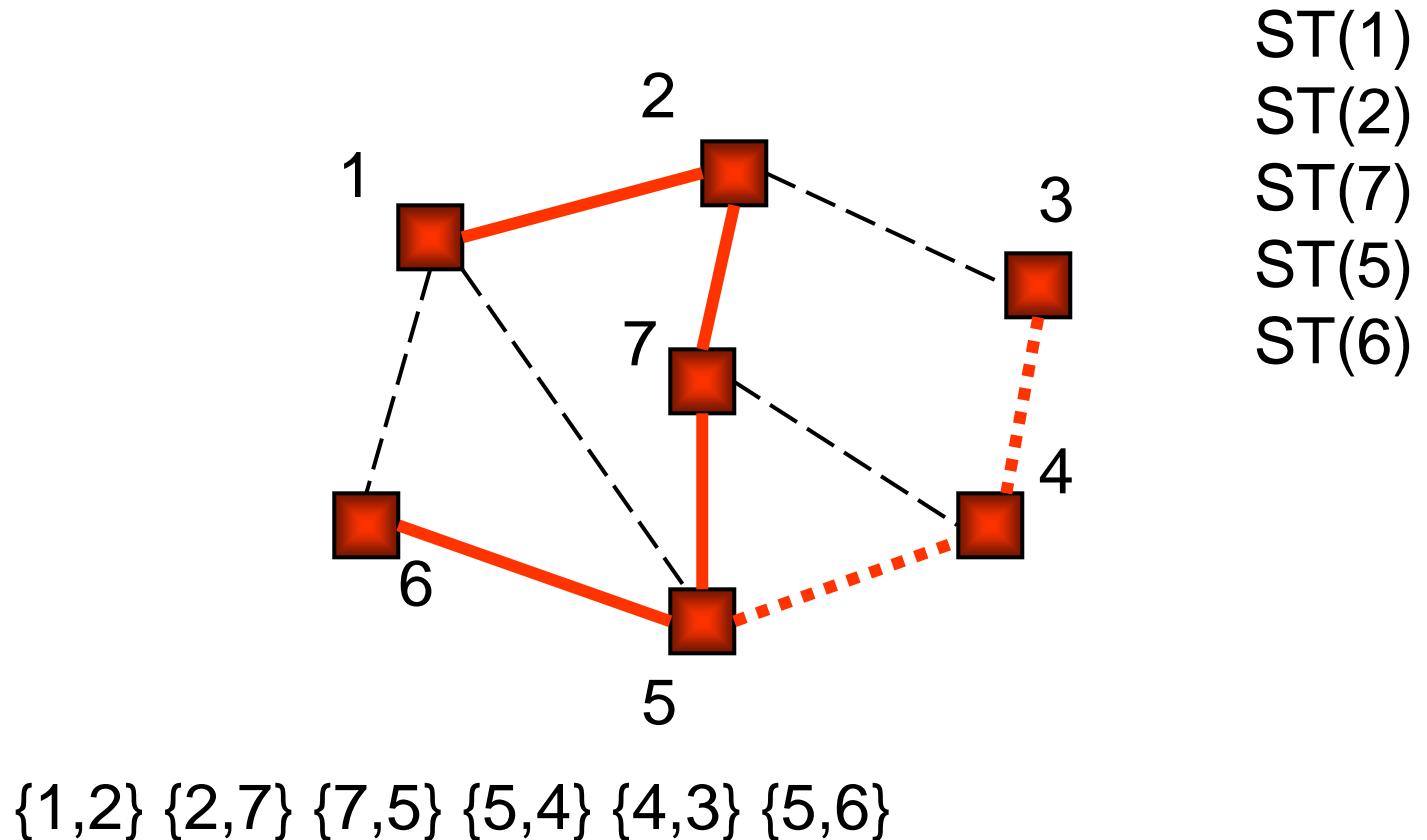
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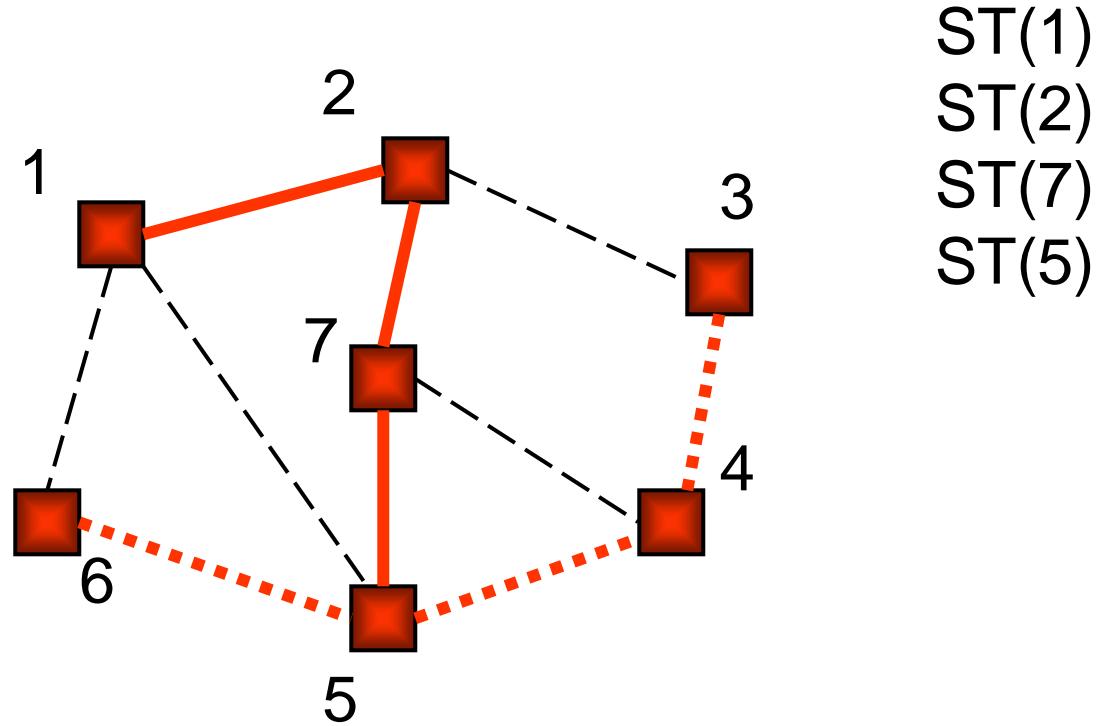
# Example Step 11



# Example Step 12

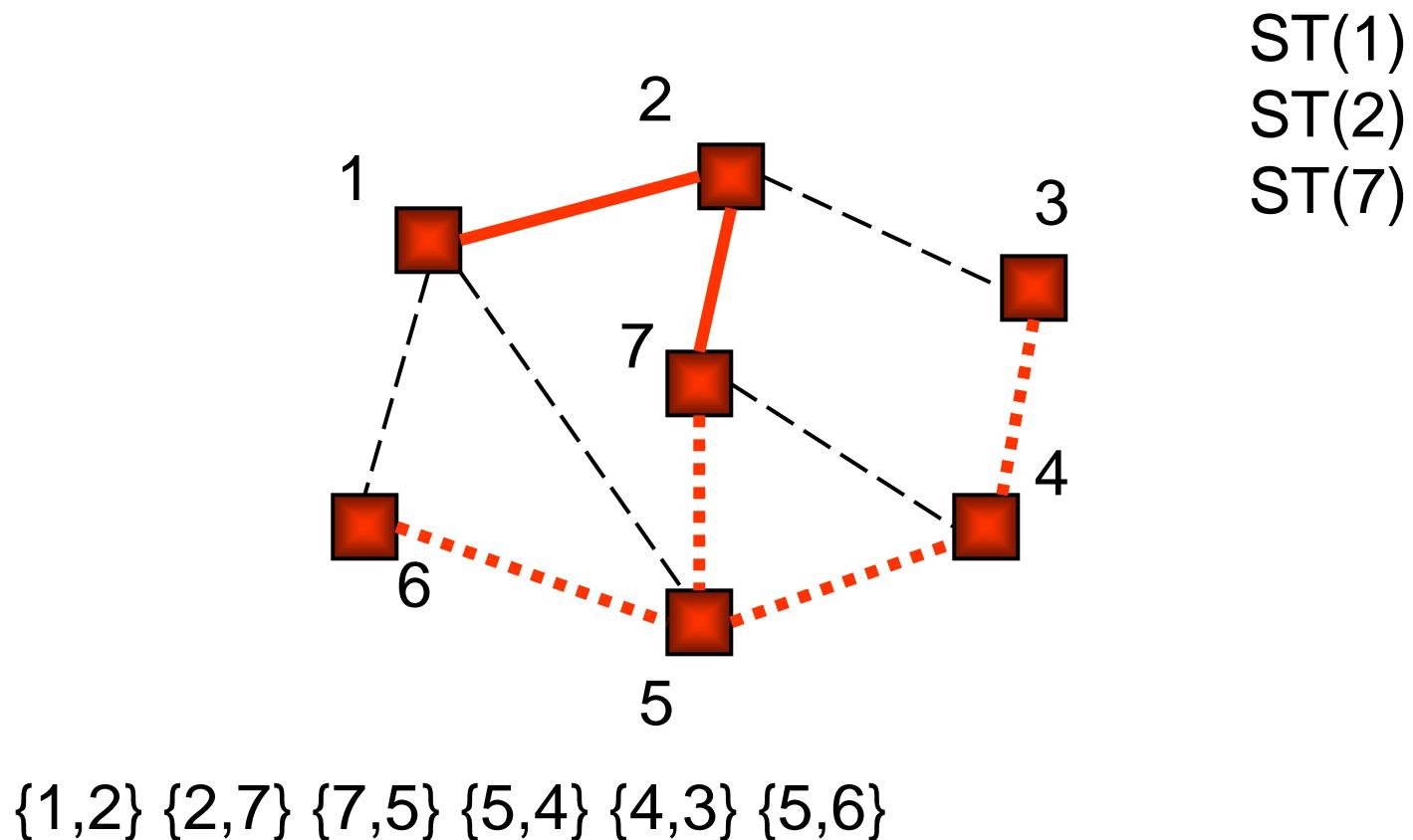


# Example Step 13

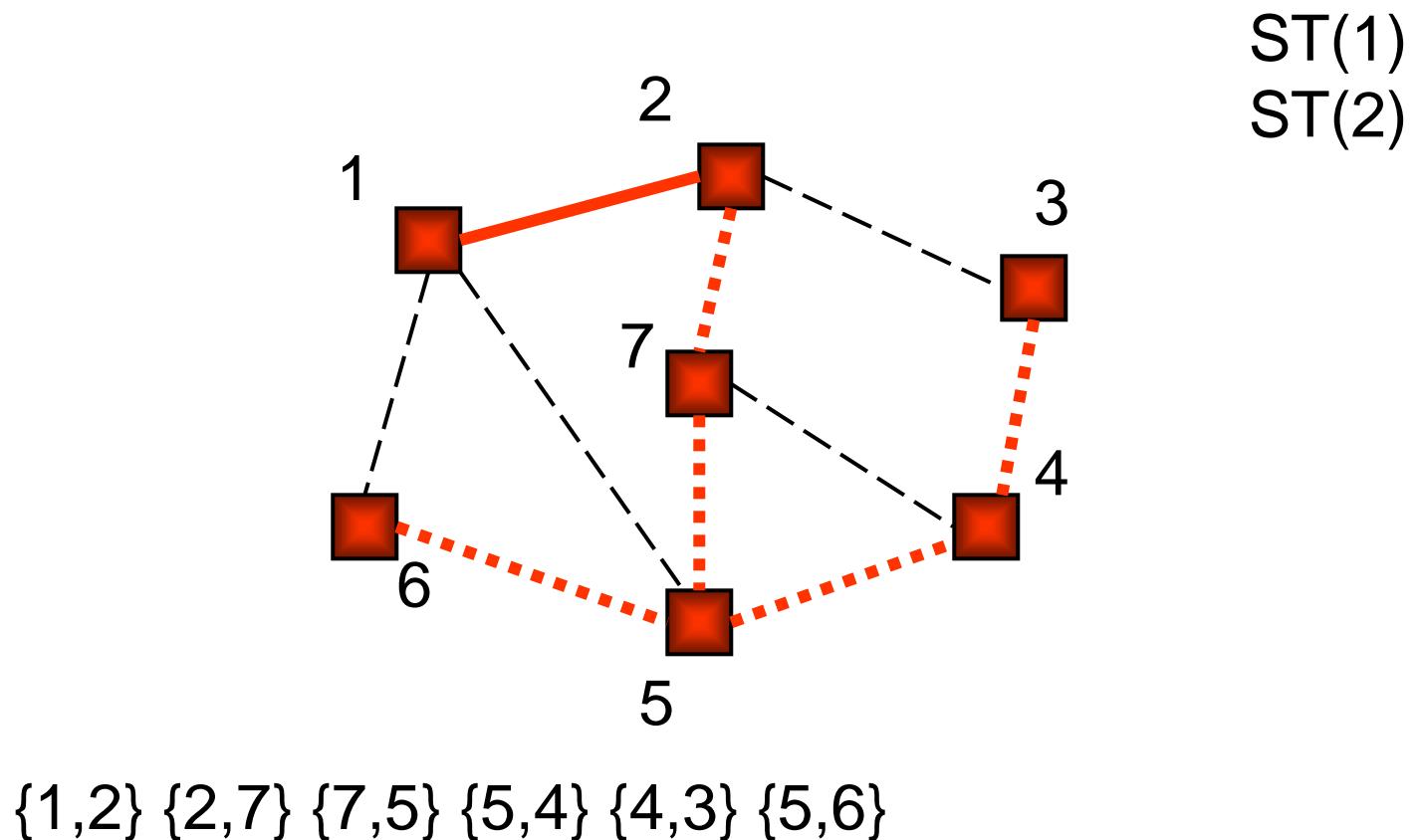


$\{1,2\} \{2,7\} \{7,5\} \{5,4\} \{4,3\} \{5,6\}$

# Example Step 14

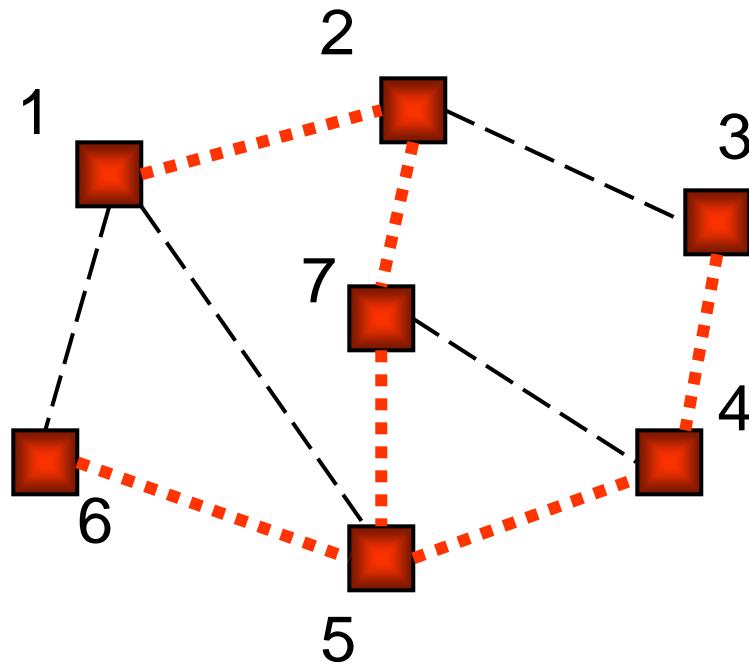


# Example Step 15



# Example Step 16

ST(1)



$\{1,2\} \{2,7\} \{7,5\} \{5,4\} \{4,3\} \{5,6\}$

# Minimum Spanning Trees

Given an undirected graph  $\mathbf{G}=(\mathbf{V}, \mathbf{E})$ , find a graph  $\mathbf{G}'=(\mathbf{V}, \mathbf{E}')$  such that:

- $E'$  is a subset of  $E$
- $|E'| = |V| - 1$
- $G'$  is connected
- $\sum_{(u,v) \in E'} c_{uv}$  is minimal

$G'$  is a **minimum spanning tree**.

**Applications:** wiring a house, power grids, Internet connections

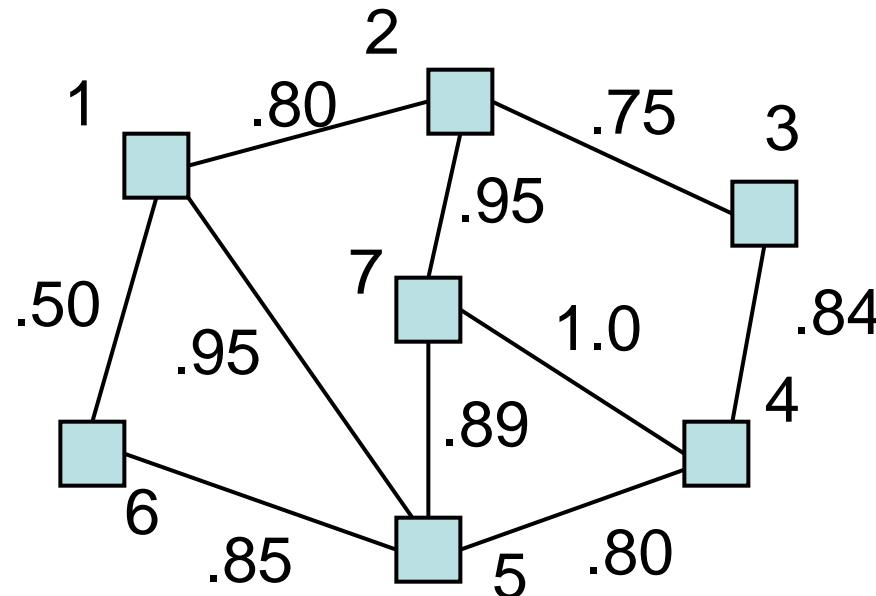
# Minimum Spanning Tree Problem

- Input: Undirected Graph  $G = (V, E)$  and a cost function  $C$  from  $E$  to the reals.  $C(e)$  is the cost of edge  $e$ .
- Output: A spanning tree  $T$  with minimum total cost. That is:  $T$  that minimizes

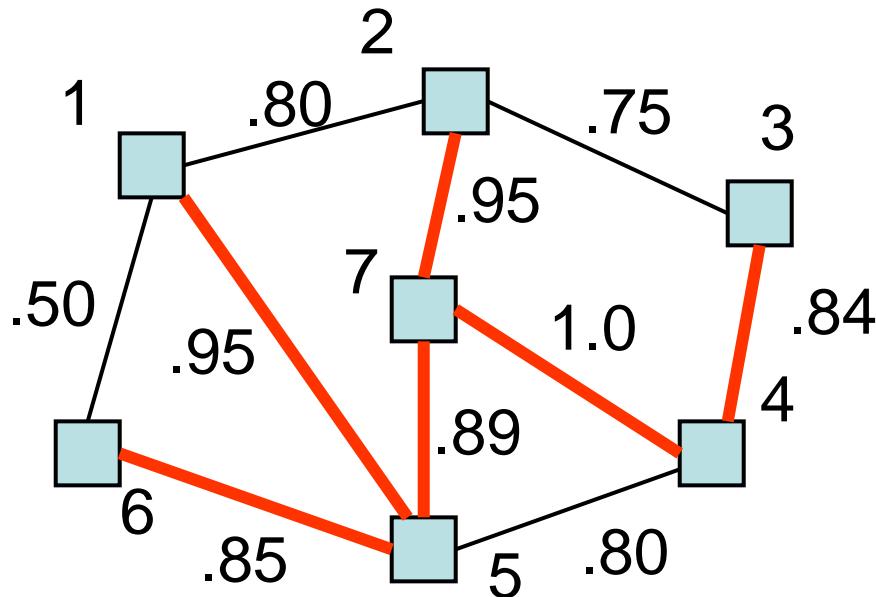
$$C(T) = \sum_{e \in T} C(e)$$

# Best Spanning Tree

- Each edge has the probability that it won't fail
- Find the spanning tree that is least likely to fail



# Example of a Spanning Tree



Probability of success =  $.85 \times .95 \times .89 \times .95 \times 1.0 \times .84$   
= .5735

# Minimum Spanning Tree Problem

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$$C(T) = \sum_{e \in T} C(e)$$

# Reducing Best to Minimum

Let  $P(e)$  be the probability that an edge doesn't fail.  
Define:

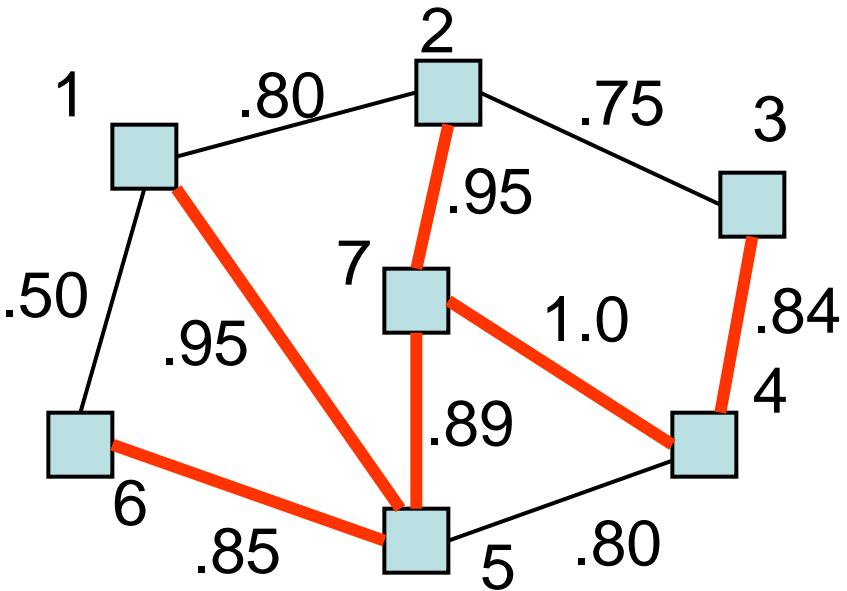
$$C(e) = -\log_{10}(P(e))$$

Minimizing  $\sum_{e \in T} C(e)$

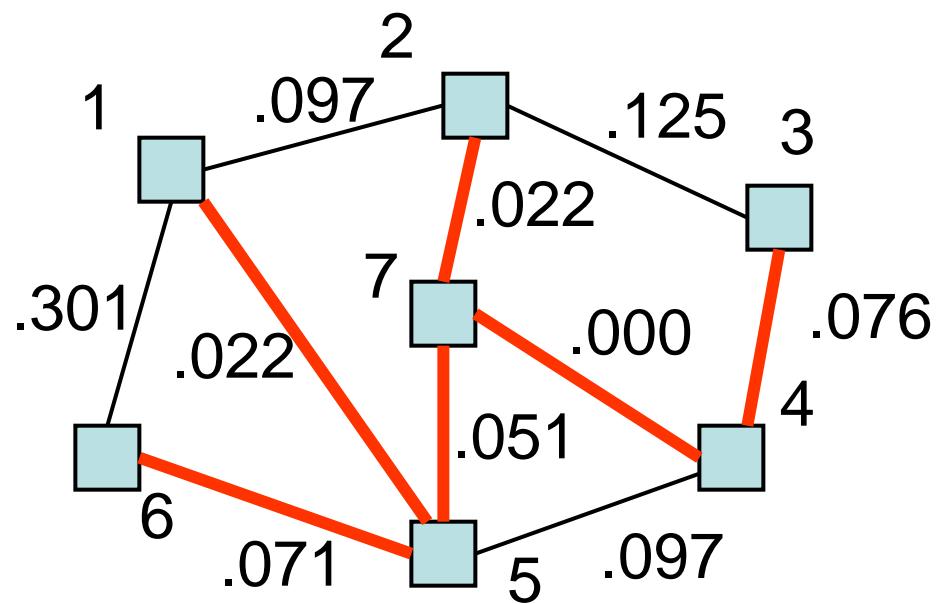
is equivalent to maximizing  $\prod_{e \in T} P(e)$

because  $\prod_{e \in T} P(e) = \prod_{e \in T} 10^{-C(e)} = 10^{-\sum_{e \in T} C(e)}$

# Example of Reduction

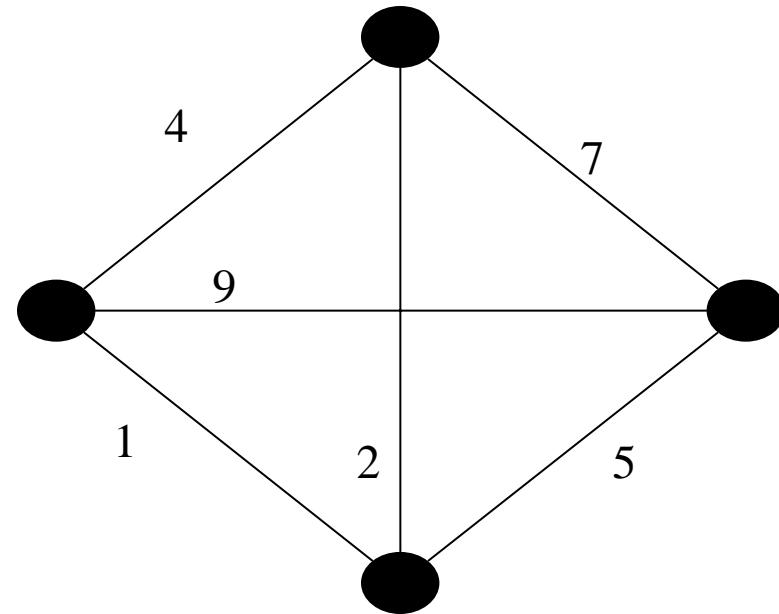


Best Spanning Tree Problem

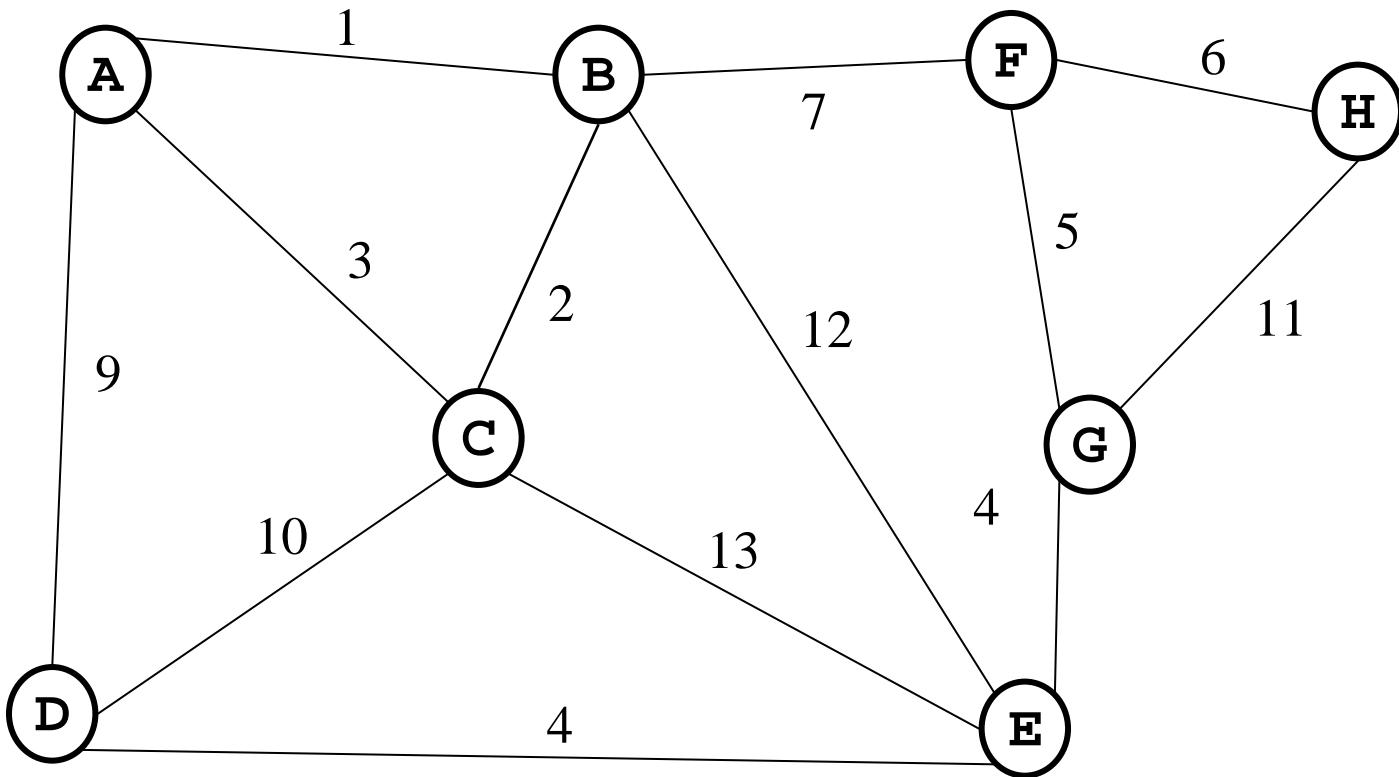


Minimum Spanning Tree Problem

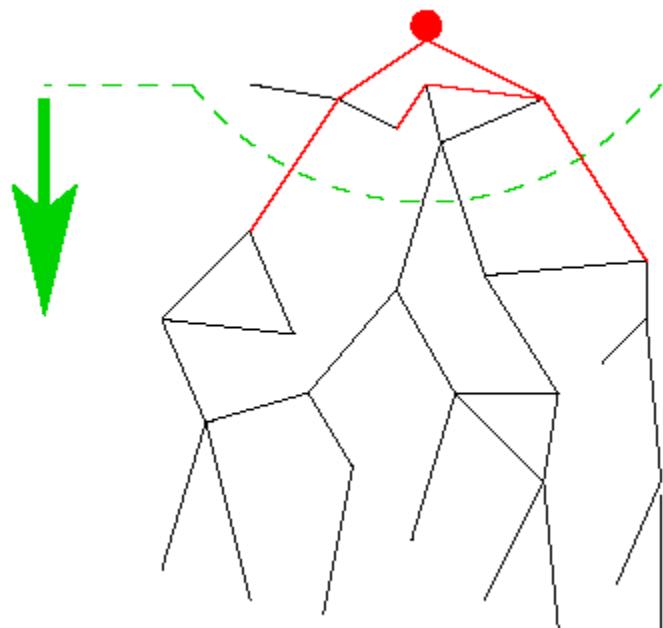
# Find the MST



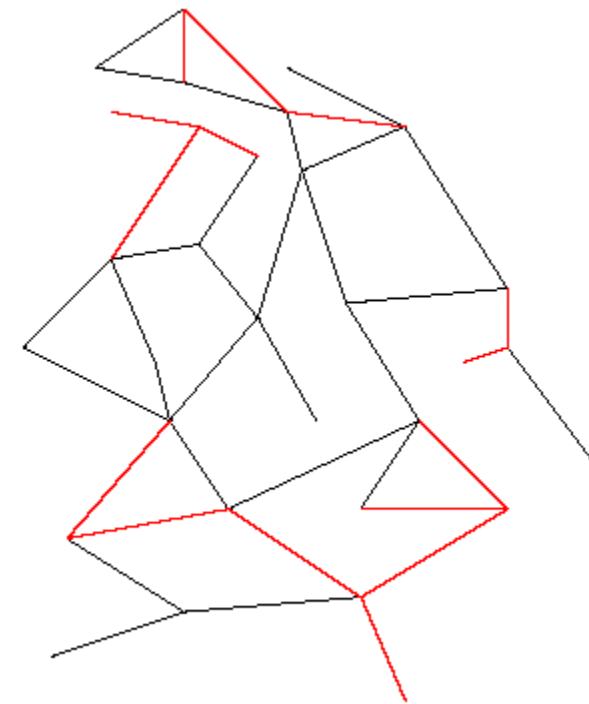
# Find the MST



# Two Different Approaches



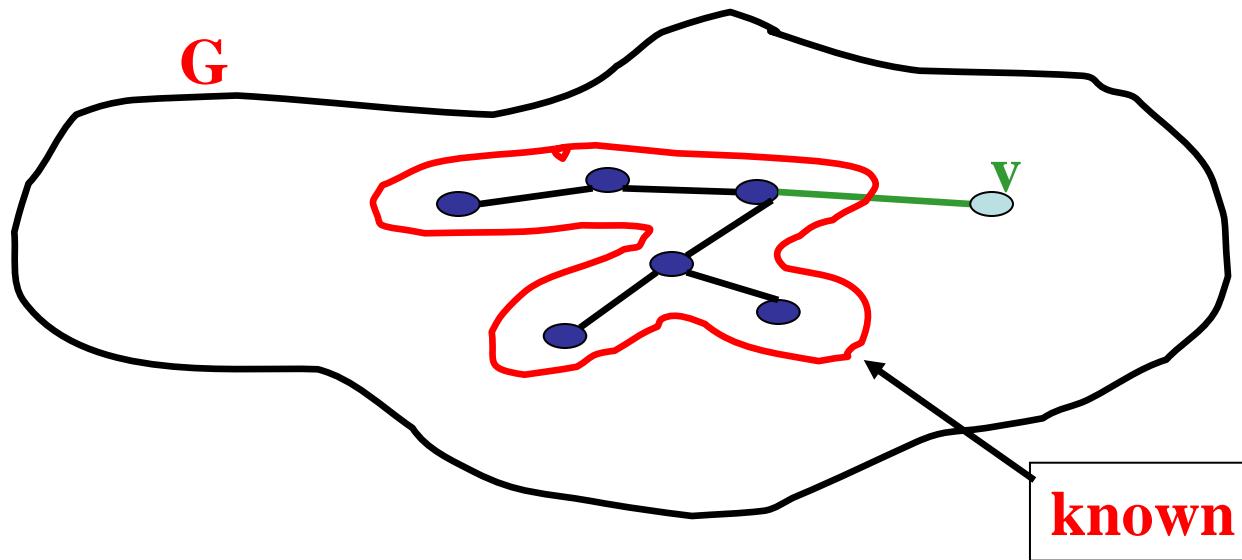
Prim's Algorithm  
Looks familiar!



Kruskals's Algorithm  
Completely different!

# Prim's algorithm

**Idea:** Grow a tree by adding an edge from the “known” vertices to the “unknown” vertices. Pick the edge with the smallest weight.



# Prim's Algorithm for MST

A *node-based* greedy algorithm

Builds MST by greedily adding nodes

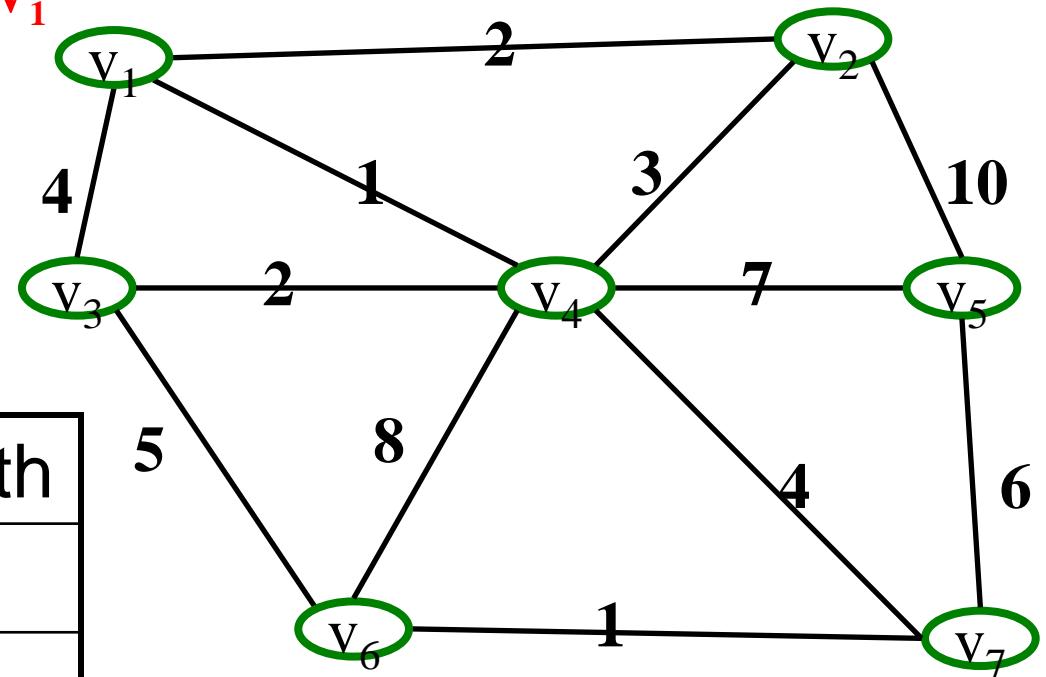
1. Select a node to be the “root”
  - mark it as known
  - Update cost of all its neighbors
2. While there are unknown nodes left in the graph
  - a. Select an unknown node  $b$  with the smallest cost from some *known* node  $a$
  - b. Mark  $b$  as known
  - c. Add  $(a, b)$  to MST
  - d. Update cost of all nodes adjacent to  $b$

Your Turn

Find MST using  
Prim's

Start with  $V_1$

V	Kwn	Distance	path
v1			
v2			
v3			
v4			
v5			
v6			
v7			



Order Declared Known:  
 $V_1$

# Prim's Algorithm Analysis

**Running time:**

Same as Dijkstra's:  $O(|E| \log |V|)$

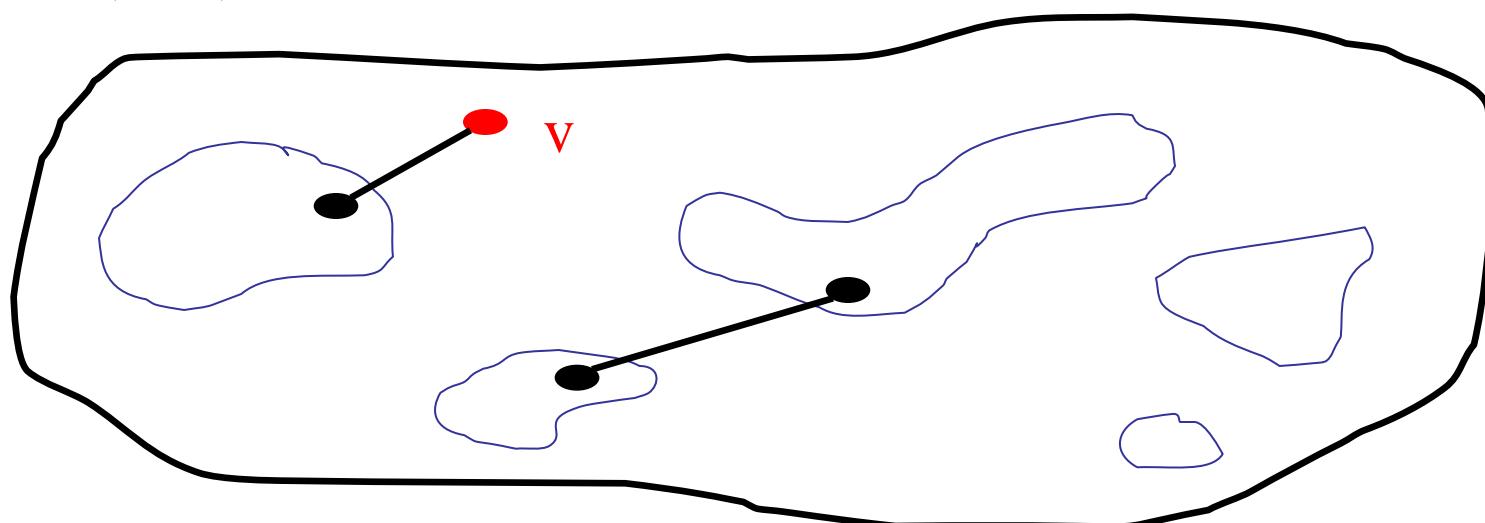
**Correctness:**

Proof is similar to Dijkstra's

# Kruskal's MST Algorithm

Idea: Grow a **forest** out of edges that do not create a cycle. Pick an edge with the smallest weight.

$$G=(V,E)$$



# Kruskal's Algorithm for MST

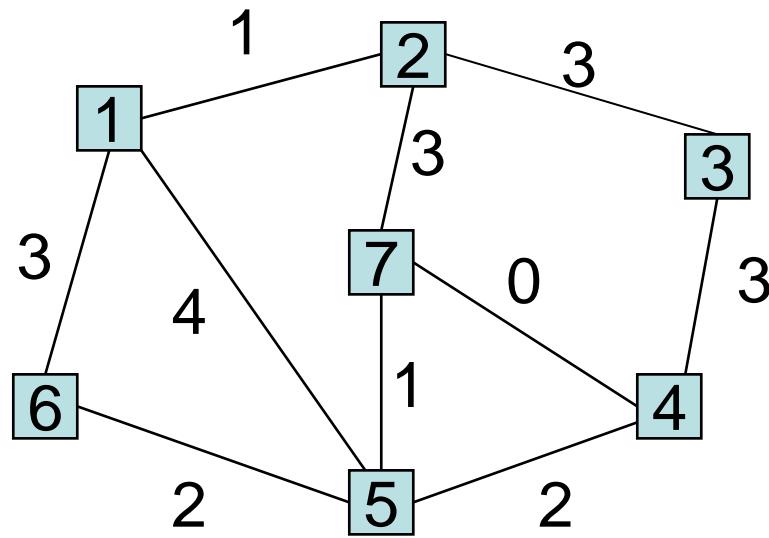
An **edge-based greedy algorithm**

**Builds MST by greedily adding edges**

1. Initialize with
  - empty MST
  - all vertices marked unconnected
  - all edges unmarked
2. While there are still unmarked edges
  - a. Pick the lowest cost edge  $(u, v)$  and mark it
  - b. If  $u$  and  $v$  are not already connected, add  $(u, v)$  to the MST and mark  $u$  and  $v$  as connected to each other

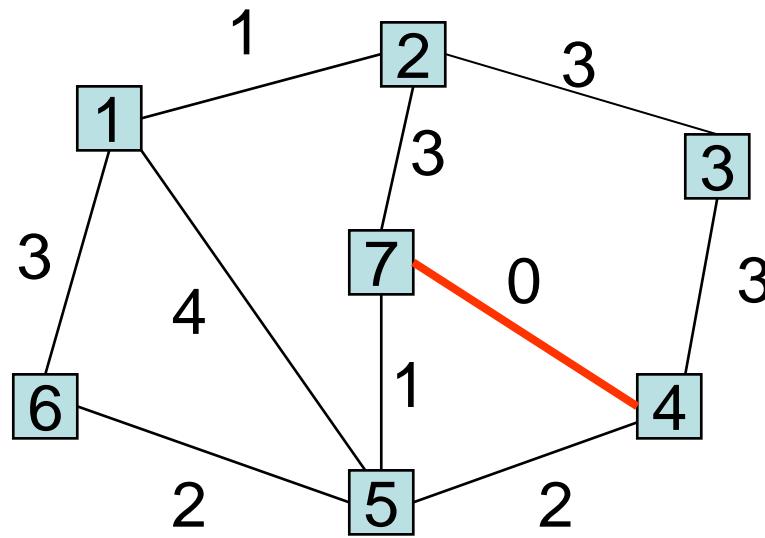
*Doesn't it sound familiar?*

# Example of Kruskal 1



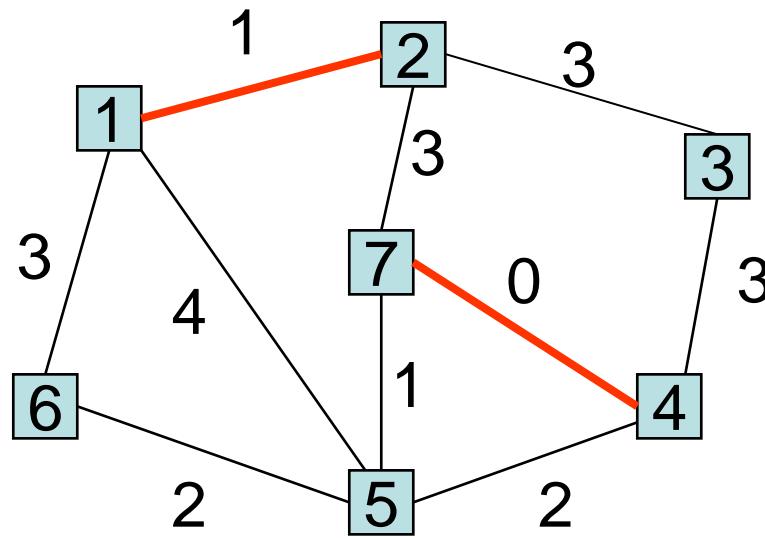
$\{7,4\} \{2,1\} \{7,5\} \{5,6\} \{5,4\} \{1,6\} \{2,7\} \{2,3\} \{3,4\} \{1,5\}$   
0 1 1 2 2 2 3 3 3 3 4

# Example of Kruskal 2



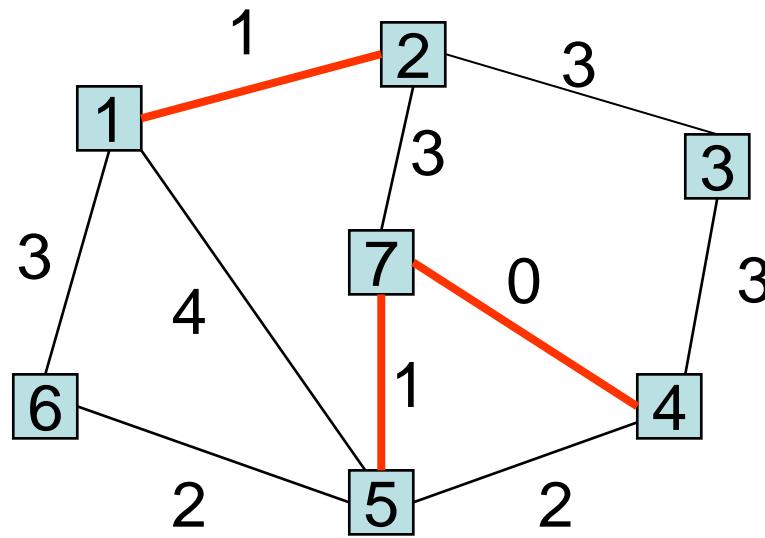
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# Example of Kruskal 2



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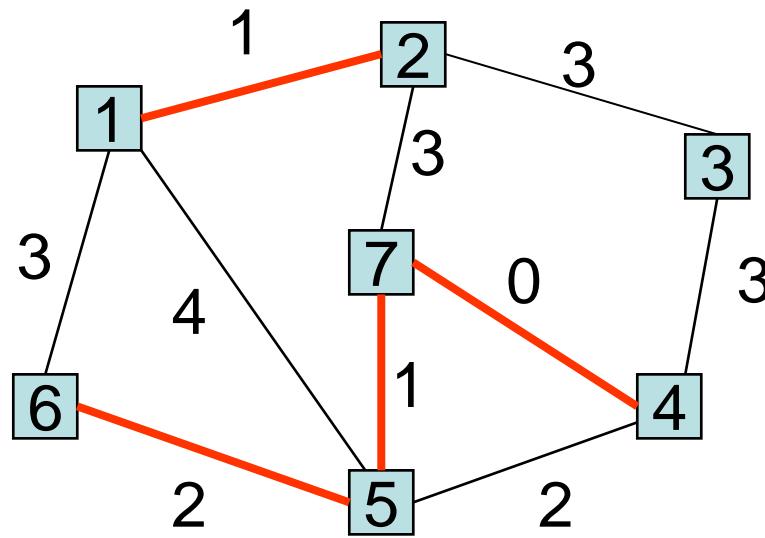
# Example of Kruskal 3



~~{7,4}~~ ~~{2,1}~~ ~~{7,5}~~ {5,6} {5,4} {1,6} {2,7} {2,3} {3,4} {1,5}

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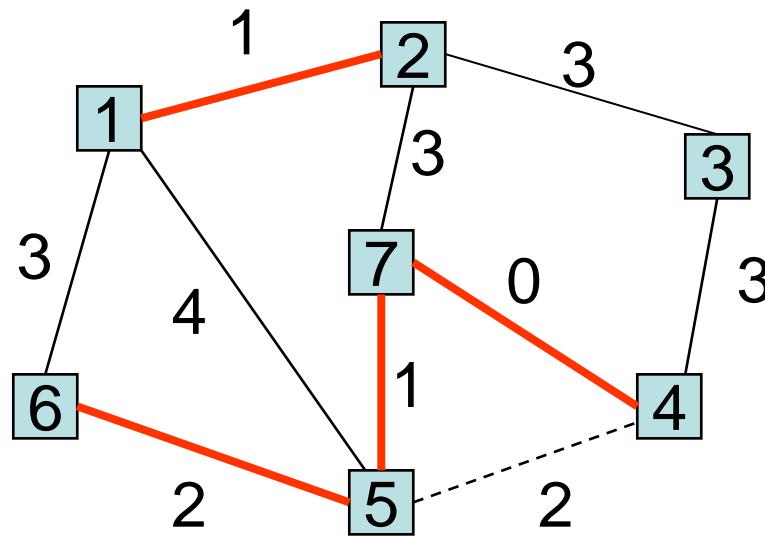
# Example of Kruskal 4



~~{7,4}~~ ~~{2,1}~~ ~~{7,5}~~ ~~{5,6}~~ ~~{5,4}~~ ~~{1,6}~~ ~~{2,7}~~ ~~{2,3}~~ ~~{3,4}~~ ~~{1,5}~~

0 1 1 2 2 3 3 3 3 4

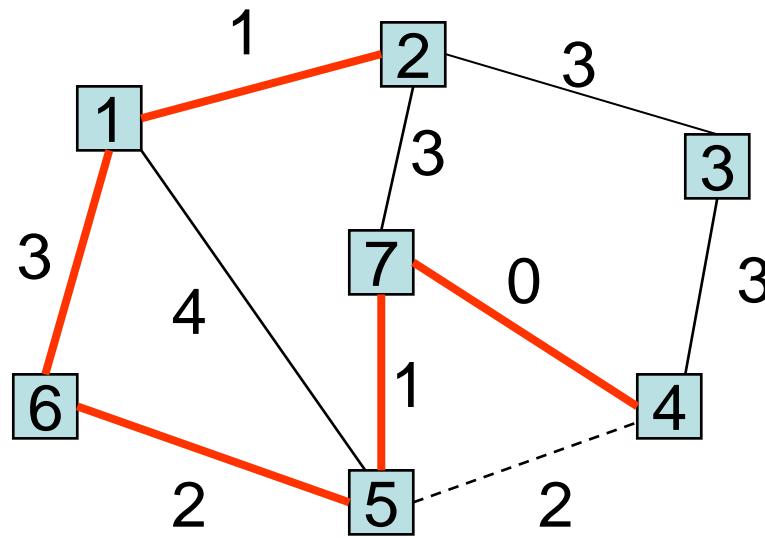
# Example of Kruskal 5



~~{7,4}~~ ~~{2,1}~~ ~~{7,5}~~ ~~{5,6}~~ ~~{5,4}~~ {1,6} {2,7} {2,3} {3,4} {1,5}

0 1 1 2 2 3 3 3 3 4

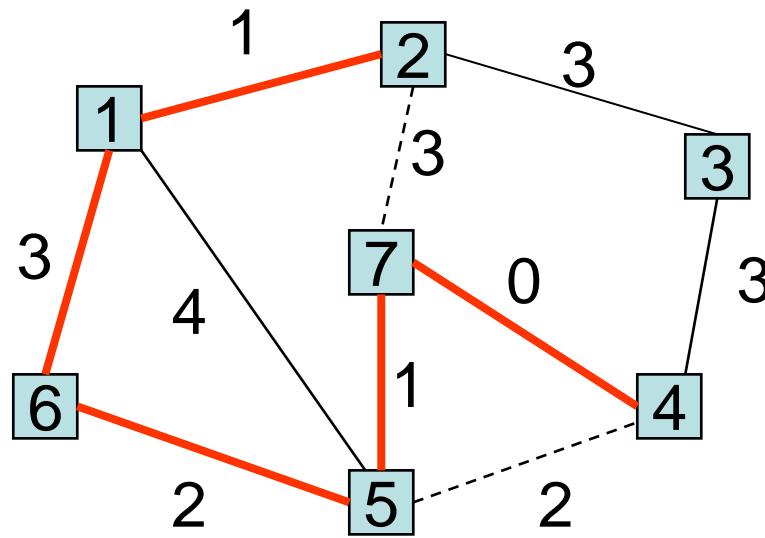
# Example of Kruskal 6



~~{7,4}~~ ~~{2,1}~~ ~~{7,5}~~ ~~{5,6}~~ ~~{5,4}~~ ~~{1,6}~~ ~~{2,7}~~ ~~{2,3}~~ ~~{3,4}~~ ~~{1,5}~~

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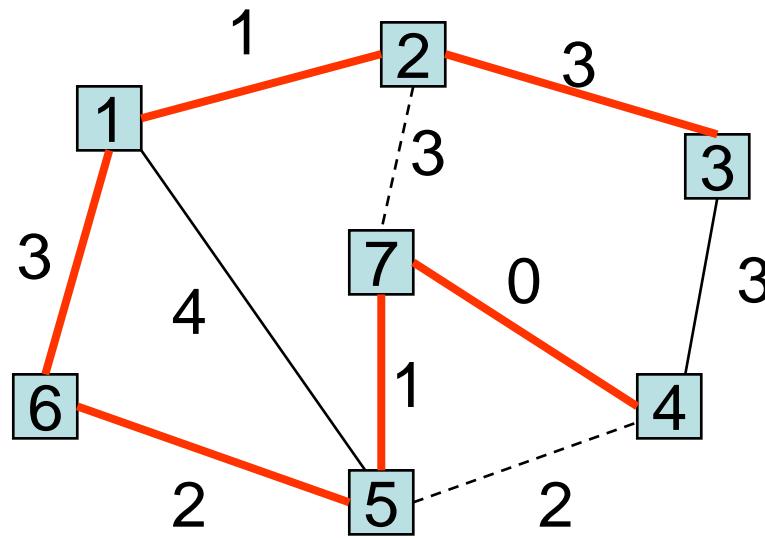
# Example of Kruskal 7



~~{7,4}~~ ~~{2,1}~~ ~~{7,5}~~ ~~{5,6}~~ ~~{5,4}~~ ~~{1,6}~~ ~~{2,7}~~ {2,3} {3,4} {1,5}

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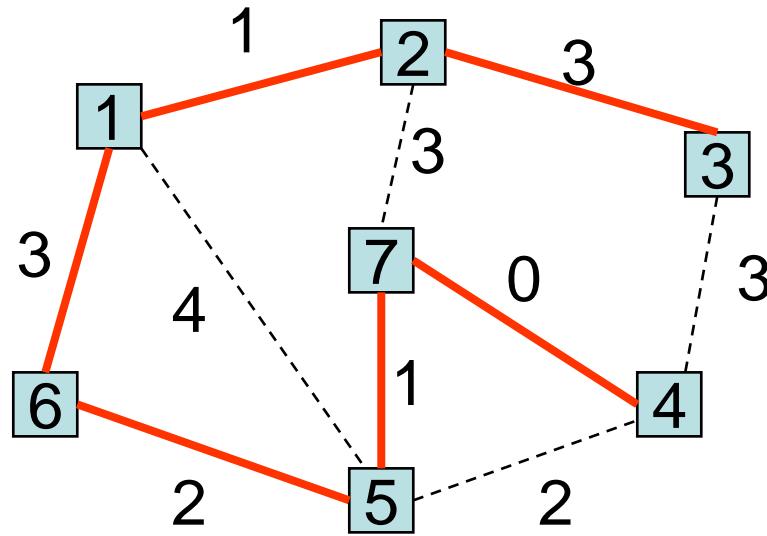
# Example of Kruskal 7



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0 1 1 2 2 3 3 3 3 3 4

# Example of Kruskal 8,9



~~{7,4}~~ ~~{2,1}~~ ~~{7,5}~~ ~~{5,6}~~ ~~{5,4}~~ ~~{1,6}~~ ~~{2,7}~~ ~~{2,3}~~ ~~{3,4}~~ ~~{1,5}~~

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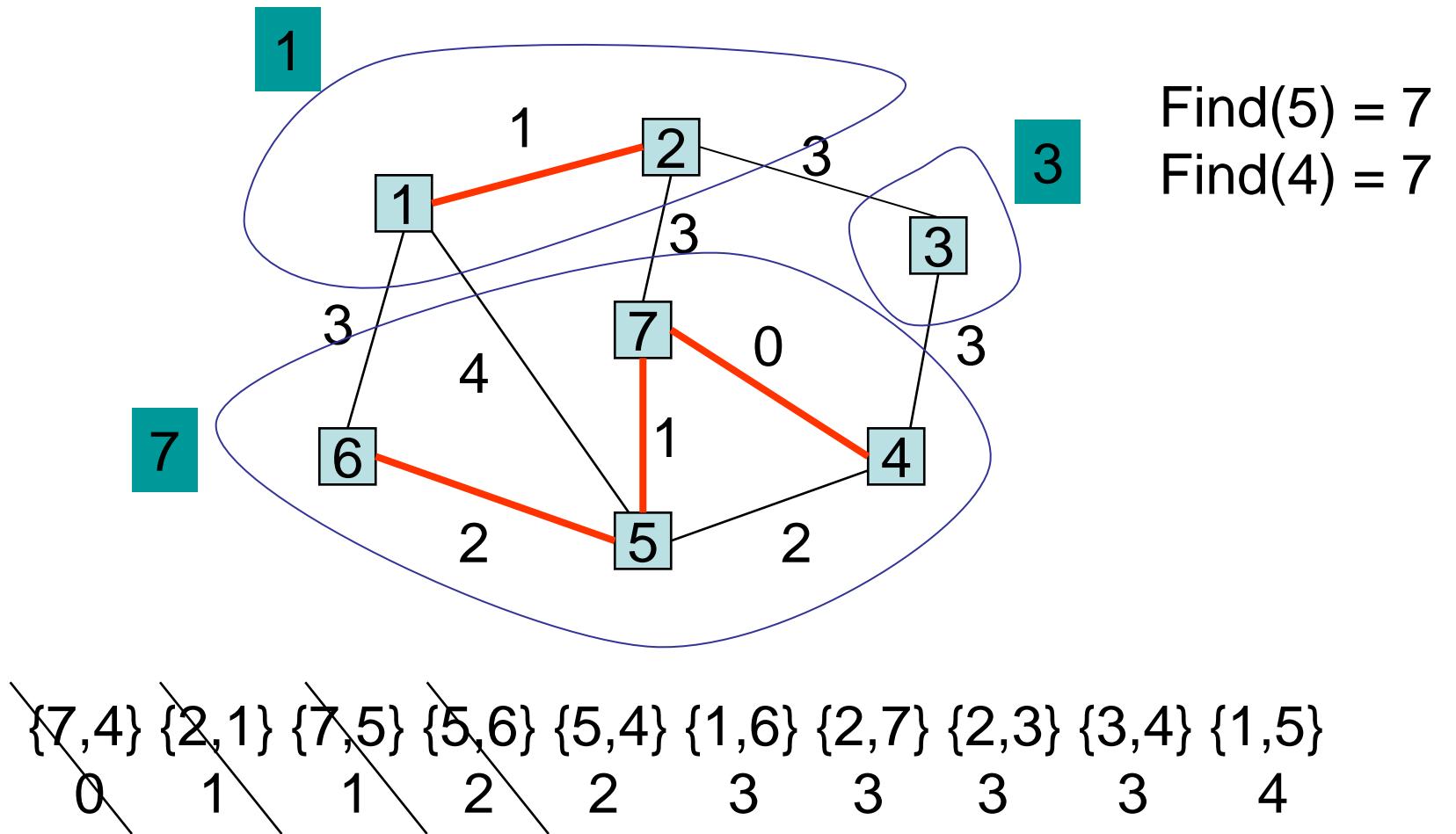
# Data Structures for Kruskal

- Sorted edge list

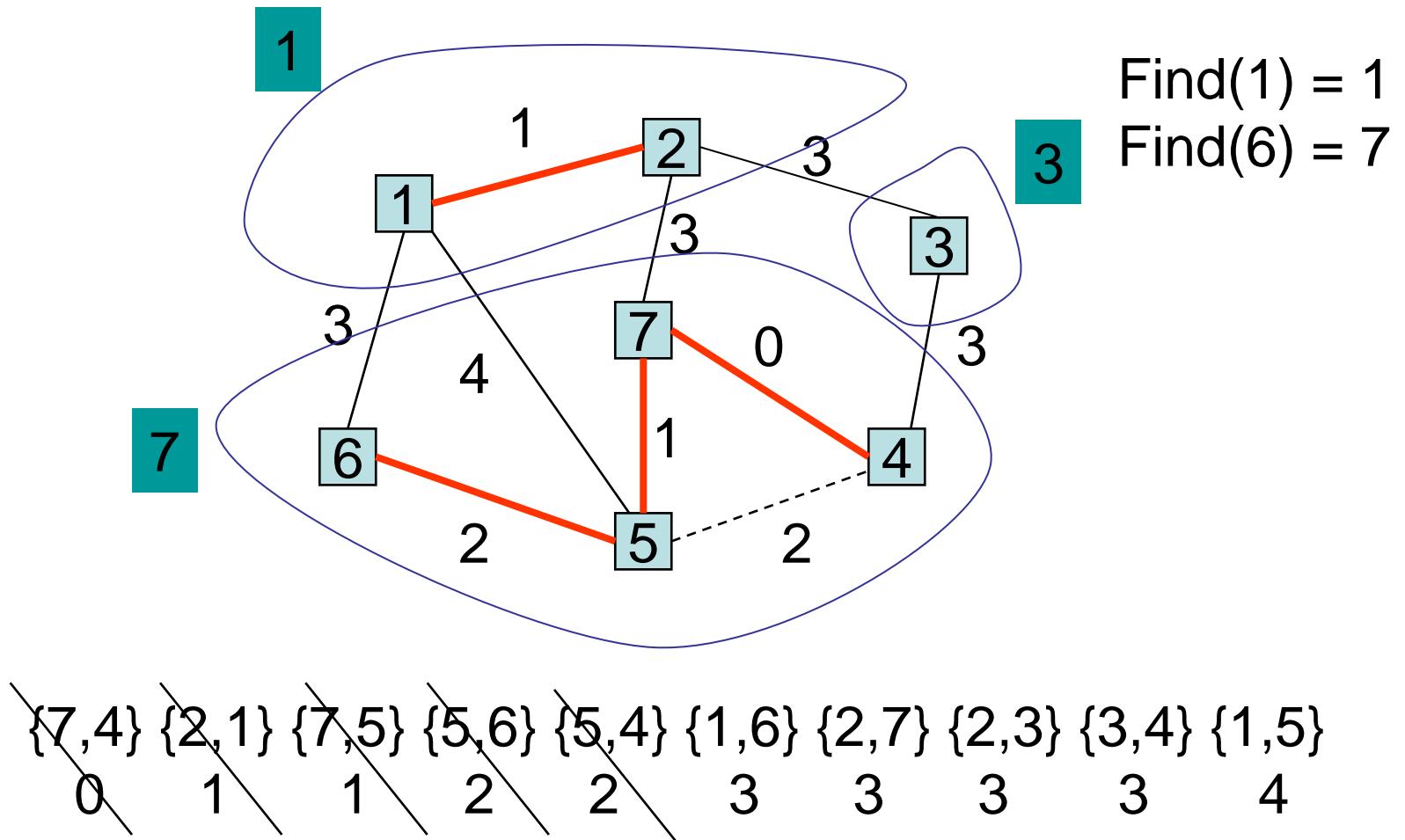
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0	1	1	2	2	3	3	3	3	4

- Disjoint Union / Find
  - Union(a,b) - union the disjoint sets named by a and b
  - Find(a) returns the name of the set containing a

# Example of DU/F 1

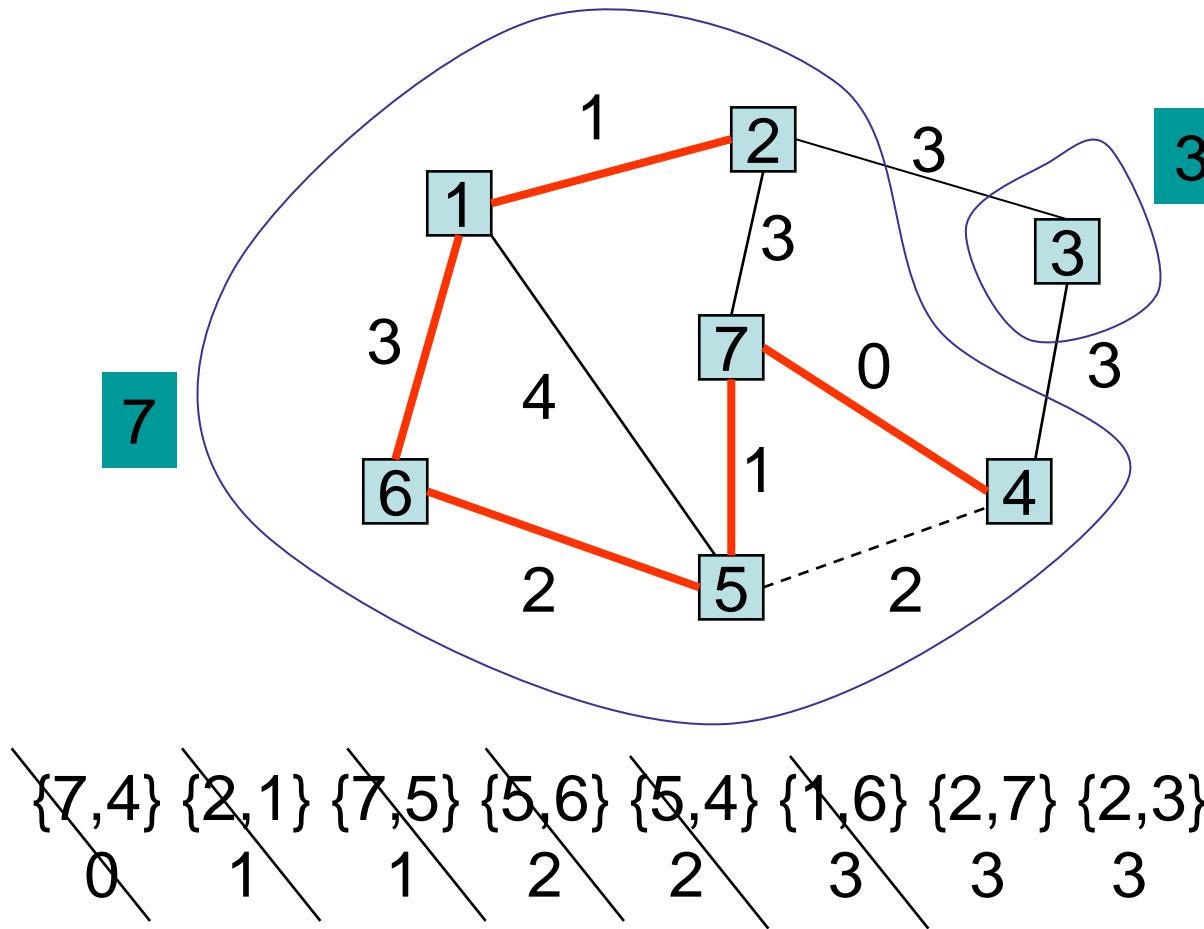


# Example of DU/F 2



# Example of DU/F 3

Union(1,7)



# Kruskal's Algorithm with DU / F

```
Sort the edges by increasing cost;  
Initialize A to be empty;  
for each edge {i,j} chosen in increasing order do  
    u := Find(i);  
    v := Find(j);  
    if not(u = v) then  
        add {i,j} to A;  
        Union(u,v);
```

# Kruskal code

```
void Graph::kruskal(){
    int edgesAccepted = 0;
    DisjSet s(NUM_VERTICES);

    while (edgesAccepted < NUM_VERTICES) {
        e = smallest weight edge not deleted yet;
        // edge e = (u, v)
        uset = s.find(u);
        vset = s.find(v);
        if (uset != vset){
            edgesAccepted++;
            s.unionSets(uset, vset);
        }
    }
}
```

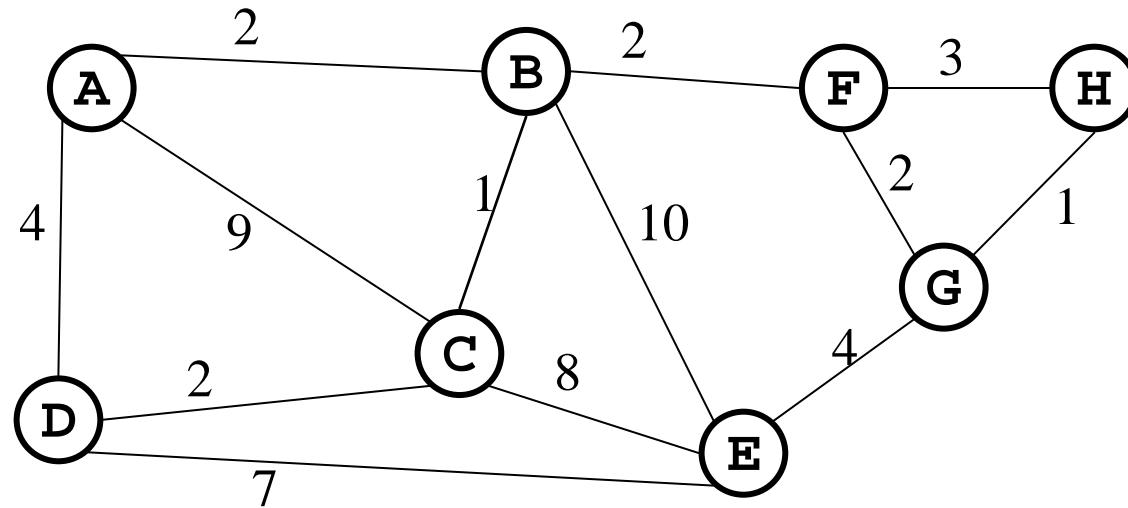
|E| heap ops

1)

2|E| finds

|V| unions

# Find MST using Kruskal's



**Total Cost:**

- Now find the MST using Prim's method.
- Under what conditions will these methods give the same result?