





## |E| and |V|

How many edges |E| in a graph with |V| vertices?

What if the graph is directed?

What if it is undirected and connected?

Can the following bounds be simplified?

- Arbitrary graph: O(|E| + |V|)
- Arbitrary graph: O(|E| + |V|<sup>2</sup>)
- Undirected, connected: O(|E| log|V| + |V| log|V|)

Some (semi-standard) terminology:

- A graph is *sparse* if it has O(|V|) edges (upper bound).

– A graph is *dense* if it has  $\Theta(|V|^2)$  edges.



























## Lemma: If a graph is acyclic, it has a vertex with in degree 0

Proof:

Pick a vertex  $v_1$ , if it has in-degree 0 then done If not, let  $(v_2, v_1)$  be an edge, if  $v_2$  has in-degree 0 then done

If not, let  $(v_3,v_2)$  be an edge . . . If this process continues for more than n steps, we have a repeated vertex, so we have a cycle