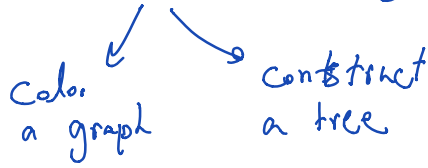


So far Use induction to design algorithms (induction on n)



Induction on steps of ALG.

$\mathcal{P}(t)$ holds \rightarrow $\mathcal{P}(t+1)$ holds

\mathcal{P} is a property of ALG.

Claim: At any time in ALG for any tree if root has label $k \Rightarrow$ there are at least 2^k nodes.

PF: Induction on step of ALG.

Suppose at time t , for any tree there are $\geq 2^{\text{root-label}}$ nodes in tree.

Say at time $t+1$ we merge two trees T_1, T_2

By IH: $|T_1| \geq 2^{k_1}$, $|T_2| \geq 2^{k_2}$.

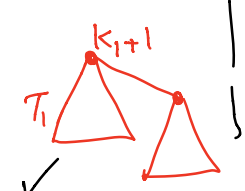
Case 1: $k_1 > k_2$.

The new tree has $2^{k_1} + 2^{k_2} \geq 2^{k_1}$ ✓



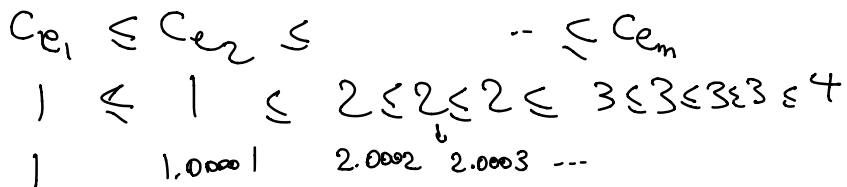
Case 2: $k_1 = k_2$

new tree has $\geq 2^{k_1} + 2^{k_2} = 2 \cdot 2^{k_1} = 2^{k_1+1}$ ✓



In both cases the new tree has $\geq 2^{\text{label-root}}$ nodes

T is output of kruskal on $C_{e_1} - C_{e_m}$, T^* is OPT.(G)



$$c'_i = c_i + i \cdot \epsilon$$

\downarrow
 $\epsilon = 0.0001$

Run Kruskal on $(c'_1, \dots, c'_n) \Rightarrow$ give same tree T .

B/C Kruskal only uses the order not the cost

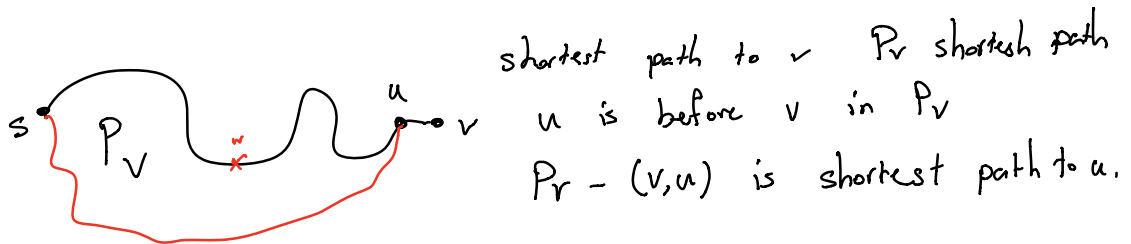
For contradiction

$c(T^*) < c(T)$ then if $\epsilon < \frac{c(T) - c(T^*)}{m^2}$

$$c'(T^*) \leq c(T^*) + m^2 \epsilon < c(T) \leq c'(T)$$

$\Rightarrow c'(T^*) < c'(T) \Rightarrow T$ is not OPT for c' .

Dijkstra's ALG.



$$P_u \quad c(P_u) < c(P_v - (v,u))$$

$\Rightarrow c(P_u + (u,v)) < c(P_v)$ contradiction

