Kruscal's Algorithm

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Objectives

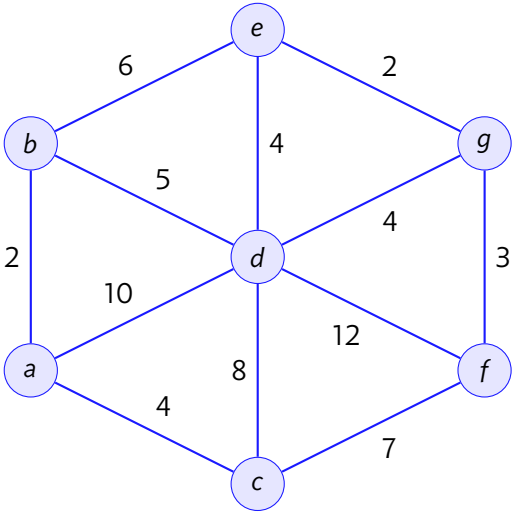
Your Objectives:

- Implement Kruscal's Algorithm

The Algorithm

- Insert all edges into a priority queue
- Initialize a disjoint set with all the edges
- While there are fewer than $|V| - 1$ edges in your MST:
  - Dequeue an edge.
  - If the incident vertices are not both part of the MST already, add the edge. (Use the disjoint set to keep track)

Example



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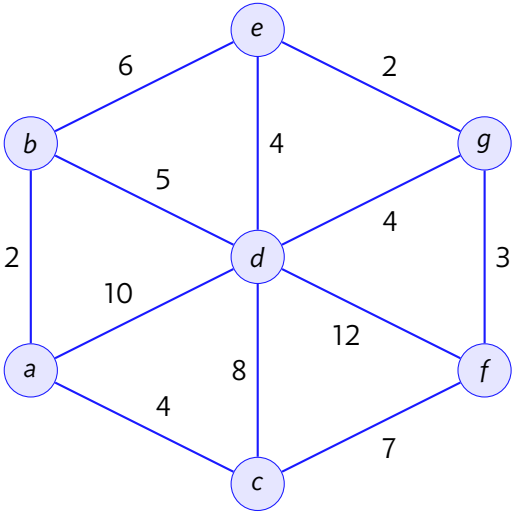

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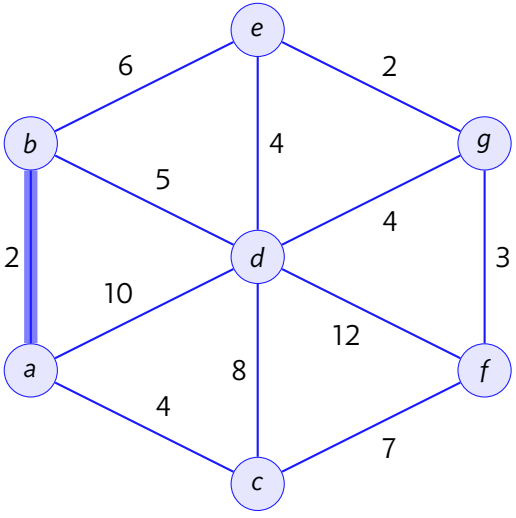

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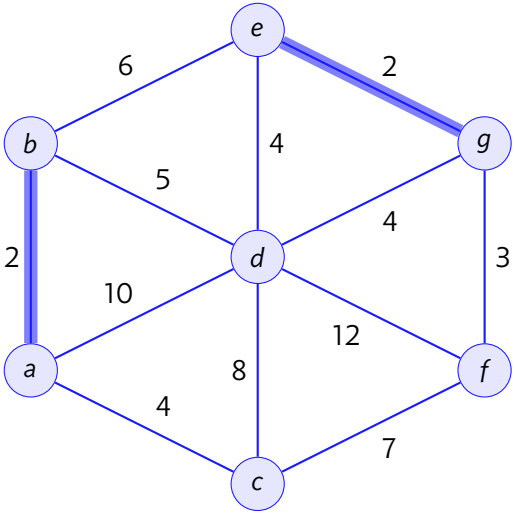

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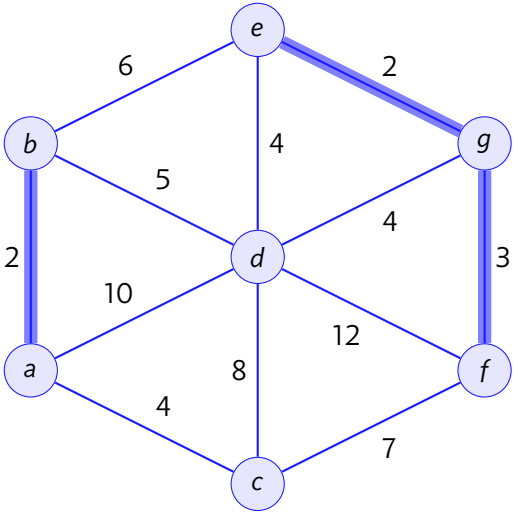

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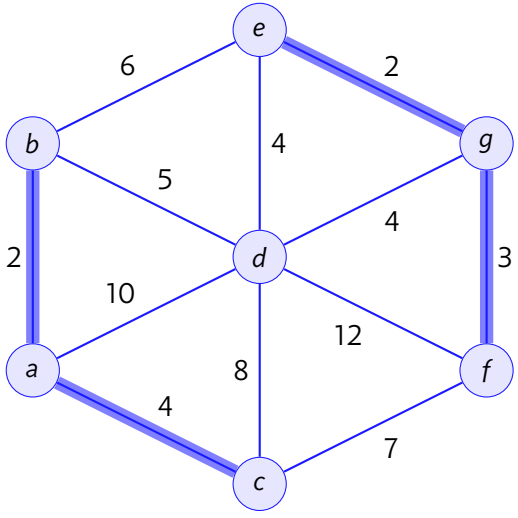

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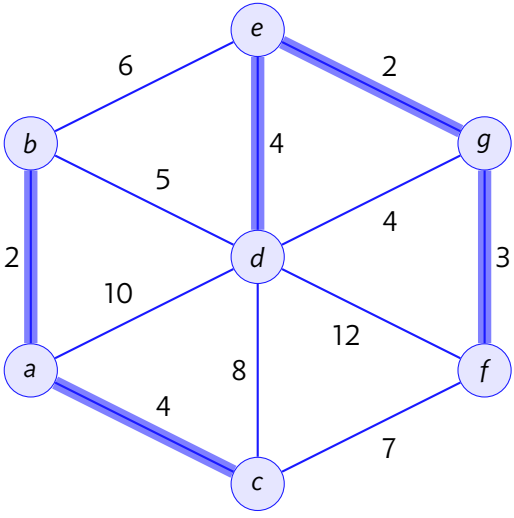

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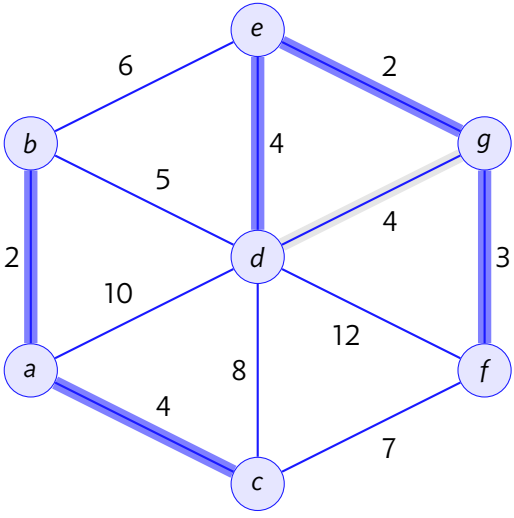

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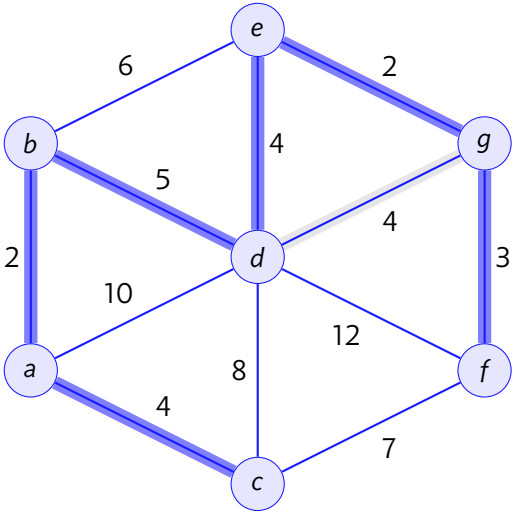

Implementation (from the textbook)

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0 vector< pair<int, ii> > EdgeList;
1 for (int i = 0; i < E; i++) {
2    scanf("%d %d %d", &u, &v, &w);
3    EdgeList.push_back(make_pair(w, ii(u, v)));
4 }
5 sort(EdgeList.begin(), EdgeList.end());
6 int mst_cost = 0;
7 UnionFind UF(V);
8 for (int i = 0; i < E; i++) {
9    pair<int, ii> front = EdgeList[i];
10   if (!UF.isSameSet(front.second.first, front.second.second)) {
11      mst_cost += front.first;
12      UF.unionSet(front.second.first, front.second.second);
13 } }
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