

Data Structure(Graph)

Graph's Definition: Graphs are non-linear data structures made up of two major components

Graph's Components: 1.Vertices: are entities in a graph
2.Edges: represent the relationship between the vertices in the graph

Graph's Goal: Used to visualize organized data and to represent places and the distance between them.

Types of Graphs: 1.Based on Direction: Undirected Graphs: $\text{edge}(x,y) == \text{edge}(y,x)$ Directed Graphs: $\text{edge}(x,y) \neq \text{edge}(y,x)$
2.Based on Weights: Weighted Graphs: every edge has a value Unweighted Graphs: does not have a value associated with every edge.
3.Special Graphs: Trees Directed Acyclic Graphs Complete Graphs

Implementation: Graphs are easily built out of lists and dictionaries as in figure(1).

This graph has six nodes (A-F) and eight edges as in figure(2).

figure(1)

```
graph = {'A': ['B', 'C'],  
        'B': ['C', 'D'],  
        'C': ['D'],  
        'D': ['C'],  
        'E': ['F'],  
        'F': ['C']}
```

figure(2)

```
A -> B  
A -> C  
B -> C  
B -> D  
C -> D  
D -> C  
E -> F  
F -> C
```



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