#### **CIS 431 Exercises on Graphs**

#### Minimum Spanning Tree

- 1. Find the minimum spanning tree using the Dijkstra-Prim algorithm for the each of the graphs in group A. The starting node is A. Please show all steps.
- 2. Find the minimum spanning tree using the Kruskal algorithm for the each of the graphs in group A. Please show all steps.
- 3. Prove that if there is one edge with a weight smaller than all of the other edges, that edge will be part of every minimum spanning tree.
- 4. Prove that if a connected graph has edge weights that are all distinct, i.e., no two edges share the same weight, there is only one minimum spanning tree.

#### **Shortest Path**

5. Execute the shortest path algorithm for the each of the graphs in group B. The starting node is A. Please create the short-path tree for each of them.

#### **Bi-connected** Component

6. Determine the bi-connected component for the each of the graphs in group C.

### **Topological Ordering**

- 7. Prove if a directed graph G has a topological ordering, then G is a DAG.
- 8. Prove for every DAG G, there is a node *v* with no incoming edge.
- 9. Use #8 to prove every DAG G has a topological ordering. Hint: use mathematical induction.
- 10. Find all topological orderings for the following two DAGs.



## Group A

# Group B



## Group C

