

# Adjacency Matrices

Extensions:

- ▶ If  $G$  has non-zero weights on the edges, then we could let  $M_{i,j}$  denote the weight of the edge  $(v_i, v_j)$ .
- ▶ For directed graphs, we distinguish between edges from  $v_i$  to  $v_j$  and from  $v_j$  to  $v_i$ ; hence, we can get asymmetric matrices.

Note that this representation inherently requires  $\Theta(n^2)$  space, even for graphs that don't have many edges.

Given an adjacency matrix, checking if an edge  $(v_i, v_j)$  takes  $O(1)$  time.

See [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Adjacency\\_matrix](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Adjacency_matrix).