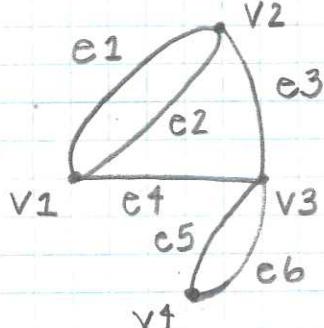


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Graph Theory Terms



Walk: Sequence of vertices and edges that begin and end at a vertex.

length =

3 e's \rightarrow Ex: v₁, e₁, v₂, e₃, v₃, e₅, v₄

start and end in different places are "open walk."

- 4 vertices
- 6 edges
- Not a simple graph

v₁, e₁, v₂, e₃, v₃, e₅, v₄

start & end = same spot: "closed walk."

Path: Walk with no repeated edges.

Length: Number of edges in a walk, path, etc.

Distance: Length of the shortest path between two vertices.

Ex: What is the distance between v₁ and v₄? 2 e's

Diameter: Maximum distance between any two vertices. 2 e's
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