

MATH1005 SUMMARY

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1 Sets

1.1 Power

The power set of A , denoted $\mathcal{P}(A)$ is the set of all subsets of A including \emptyset .

If A has n elements, \mathcal{A} has 2^n elements.

1.2 Partition

$\mathcal{A} = \{\{1\}, P, C\}$ $\{1\}, P, C$ are subsets of \mathcal{A}

Let S be a set and $\mathcal{A} \subseteq \mathcal{P}(S)$

\mathcal{A} is a set, the elements of which are subsets of S . \mathcal{A} is a partition of S if:

$\emptyset \notin \mathcal{A} \forall s \in S \exists A \in \mathcal{A} s \in A$ the sets in \mathcal{A} are pairwise disjoint.

2 A3: Relations and functions

2.1 Surjective

$$\forall b \in B \exists a \in A f(a) = b$$

Codomain and range are equal

2.2 Inverse function

$$aRb \Leftrightarrow bR^{-1}a$$

If and only if f is a **bijection** function from B to A

2.3 identity function

If $f : A \rightarrow B$ is a bijection, then $f^{-1} \circ f = i_A$ and $f \circ f^{-1} = i_B$

$$f^{-1} \circ f = A \rightarrow B \rightarrow A = i_A$$

$$f \circ f^{-1} = B \rightarrow A \rightarrow B = i_B$$

3 Digital Information

A digit is called a **bit**

A block of 8 bits called a **byte**

A block of 4 bits is called a **nibble**

3.1 Negative Integers

$(1d_1d_2d_3 \dots d_t)$ toggle all bits, add one, then negate.

3.2 Subtract

$x - y$ find the representation of $-y$, then use addition $x + (-y)$

3.3 Hexadecimal Multiplication

$$\begin{array}{r}
 \times 34E6 \\
 61 \\
 \hline
 34E6. \\
 13D564 \\
 \hline
 14D826.
 \end{array}$$

Figure 1: Hexadecimal Multiplication

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B3: Matrices

4.1 Definition: Matrix

Let S be a set, and $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$

An $m \times n$ *matrix* (over S) is a rectangular array of members of S , the array having m rows and n columns.

The set of all $m \times n$ *matrix* matrices over S is denoted by $M_{m \times n}(S)$

5 D1:Graph Theory

5.1 Definition of Graphs

A graph G is an ordered pair $G = (V(G), E(G))$ comprising:

- a set of vertices $V(G)$
- a multiset of edges $E(G)$, with each edge being a size-2 multiset of vertices.

5.2 Terminology

- An edge connects its **endpoints**.
- An edge with both endpoints the same is called a **loop**.
- Two edges may connect the same pair of endpoints, in which case they are said to be **parallel**.
- Two vertices are adjacent if they are connected by an edge; two edges are adjacent if they share an endpoint.
- An edge is **incident on** its endpoints.
- A vertex with no incident edges is **isolated**.
- The **order** of a graph is the number of vertices.

5.3 Isomorphisms

An **Isomorphism** between two graphs G_1 and G_2 is a bijection $f : V(G_1) \rightarrow V(G_2)$ such that $\{u, v\}$ appears in $E(G_1)$ exactly as many time as $\{f(u), f(v)\}$ appears in $E(G_2)$.

5.4 Digraphs

A directed graph is the same as a graph except that edges are ordered pairs of endpoints.

5.4.1 Niche Overlap Graphs

Application in ecology, each species is represented by a vertex. An undirected edge connects two vertices if and only if the species represented by these vertices compete for food.

6 Types of Graphs

- A simple graph is a graph that has no loops and no parallel edges.
- A simple digraph is a digraph that has no loops and no parallel edges.
NOTE: (a, b) and (b, a) is allowed.
- A complete graph on n vertices is a simple graph in which each pair of distinct vertices are adjacent.
A complete graph on n vertices is denoted by K_n .

$$\text{the number of edges} = \frac{n(n-1)}{2} = \binom{n}{2} \quad (1)$$

- A bipartite graph is a simple graph whose vertices can be partitioned into two disjoint sets A and B such that every edge of the graph connects a vertex in A to a vertex in B .
- A complete bipartite graph is a simple graph whose vertices may be partitioned into two sets A and B such that:
 $\forall a \in A$ and $\forall b \in B$, the edge $\{a, b\}$ belongs to the graph. If A has m vertices and B has n vertices, the complete bipartite graph on A and B is denoted $K_{m,n}$ with $m \times n$ edges.

6.1 Subgraph

A subgraph, S , of a graph G , is a graph whose vertices are a subset of $V(G)$ and whose edges are a subset of $E(G)$.

$$V(S) \subseteq V(G) \quad (2)$$

$$E(S) \subseteq E(G) \quad (3)$$

6.2 Degree

The degree of a vertex is the number of edges incident on it (each loop counted twice).

6.3 The Handshake Theorem

If G is any graph, then the total degree of G equals twice the number of edges of G .

$$\sum_{v \in V(G)} \deg(v) = 2|E(G)| \quad (4)$$

NOTE: It is impossible to have a graph has an even number of vertices of odd degree.

6.4 Closed Walks

A walk $v_0, e_1, v_1, e_2, \dots, e_n, v_n$ is called a closed walk when $v_0 = v_n$.

6.5 Paths

A path is a walk that does not repeat any edge.

A simple path is a path which does not repeat any vertex.

6.6 Circuits

A circuit is a closed path.

A simple circuit is a simple closed path.

6.7 Connected Graphs

A graph is connected if every pair of vertices can be connected by a walk.

A component of a graph is a maximal connected subgraph.

6.8 Bridges and Cut vertices

A bridge in a connected graph is an edge whose erasure disconnects the graph.

A cut vertex in a connected graph is a vertex whose erasure disconnects the graph.

6.9 Euler Paths and Circuits

Euler path: is a path passing through every edge.

Euler circuit: is a circuit passing through every edge.

Theorem 1 *A connected graph has an Euler circuit if and only if each of its vertices has even degree.*

Corollary 1 *A connected graph has an Euler path if and only if it has exactly two vertices of odd degree.*

6.10 Fleury's Algorithm for finding Euler Circuits

1. Pick any vertex of G as a starting point.
2. From that vertex choose any edge to traverse that does not cross a bridge of the current reduced graph, unless there is no choice.

6.11 Hamilton Paths and Circuits

A Hamilton path for a graph is a simple path which passes through every vertex. A Hamilton circuit for a graph is a simple circuit which passes through every vertex.

6.12 Trees

A tree is a connected graph with no circuits other than the trivial ones.

Theorem 2 *Let T be a graph with n vertices. The following statements are logically equivalent:*

1. T is a tree.
2. T has no simple circuits and $n-1$ edges.
3. T is connected and has $n-1$ edges.
4. T is connected and every edge is a bridge.
5. Any two vertices of T are connected by exactly one simple path.
6. T contains no non-trivial circuits, but the addition of any new edge creates a simple circuit.

6.13 Spanning Tree

A spanning tree for a graph G is a subgraph of G which is a tree and contains all the vertices of G .

Method: Initialize T to be the vertices of G but not edges, pick an edge and add to T if and only if it does not make a circuit in T .

7 D2:Weighted Graphs

A weighted graph is a graph G together with a weight function $\text{weight} : E(G) \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_+$.

Four types of problems in the weighted graphs:

1. Minimal spanning tree: Find a spanning tree of least possible total weight.
2. Find a Hamilton circuit of the least possible total weight.
3. Find a path between two given vertices that has the least possible total weight.
4. Maximum Flow

7.1 Kruskal's algorithm for minimal spanning tree

Input: Weighted connected graph G with n vertices.

Output: Minimal spanning tree T for G . Total weight W of this tree.

Method: Always select the minimum edge as long as there is no circuit formed when the new edge is added.

NOTE: This is an example of greedy algorithm and **always succeeds**.

7.2 The 'Nearest Neighbor' algorithm

Input: Weighted **complete** graph G with n vertices.

Output: Hamilton circuit for G as a list L of vertices. Total weight W of this circuit.

Method: Start with any vertex and choose a vertex v such that weight of the edge as small as possible. Repeat this step until all the vertices are included.

NOTE: This is an greedy algorithm and does not **always succeed**.

Example:

Question: There are 6 vertices and the graph is complete, how many possible Hamilton circuits exist?

With 6 vertices there are apparently $6! = 720$ circuits, but allowing for different starting points and directions of travel, only $5!/2 = 60$ are genuinely different.

7.3 Dijkstra's Algorithm

Input:

- Connected simple graph G . Vertices A, Z from G .
- Distance function $\text{dist}: E(G) \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}^+$

Output:

- Tree T containing A and Z as vertices.
- T is a subgraph of G . The unique path $A \rightarrow Z$ in T has minimal total distance of all paths $A \rightarrow Z$ in G .
- Labelling $L: V(T) \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_+; L(v) = \min.\text{dist}(A \rightarrow v)$.

Method: Start with the vertex A and find the adjacent vertices. If the vertex is unmarked, then mark them. If the vertex is marked select one with minimum value as the next current vertex.

NOTE: Vertex is locked in implies that we have found the path of minimum distance from the starting vertex A . The **fringe vertices** are those have been marked but not yet locked in. The spanning tree produced by Dijkstra's algorithm will not be minimal in general.

7.4 Transport Networks

Flow: The flow F is a function $E(D) \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_+$, where D is the digraph representing the network. However, each edge e has a fixed capacity $C(e)$ whereas its flow $F(e)$ can vary, subject to constraints:

1. Flow cannot exceed capacity. $[\forall e \in E(D) F(e) \leq C(e).]$
2. In each edge, flow direction = edge direction
3. Total flow into a node equals total flow out, except for nodes s, t (source, terminal).

$$[\forall v \in V(D) \setminus \{s, t\} \sum_{e \in v_{out}} F(e) = \sum_{e \in v_{in}} F(e)]$$

Input: Transport network D with capacity function C . **Output:** A Maximum flow function F_{MAX} for the network.

Method:

NOTE: Always go through the minimum terminal labelling first.

7.4.1 Applications of Transport Network in Matching Problems

To the arrow diagram for the relation add an extra node s , the ‘super source’, and a link from s to each member of the domain of the relation. Then add another extra node t , the ‘super sink’ (super target), and a link to t from every member of the codomain of the relation. Now give all links a capacity of 1. A maximum flow now gives a maximal matching by picking all arrows from domain to codomain that have non-zero flow. Remarks (not necessary for the answer to this question but relevant to the presentation of the solutions to the remaining questions):

1. Since all links have capacity 1, it is not necessary to display capacities.
2. Since a link with capacity 1 is either fully used or not used at all, rather than show spare capacity and flow we can show used/unused.
3. Similarly, there is no need to show potential flow values on vertex labels.
4. My convention will be show used links by heavy lines.
5. When a link AZ from domain to codomain is used, the links sA and Zt must also be used, so there is no logical need to mark them. However, marking them helps to avoid making mistakes in annotating vertices, so I will still mark them, but less thickly.

NOTE: Start with codomain in alphabetical order.

8 D3: Random Walks on Graphs

8.1 Definition: Random Walks

Let G be a digraph with n vertices $V = V(G) = \{1, \dots, n\}$ and directed edge set $E = E(G)$.

A square matrix with non-negative entries such that the entries in each row sum to 1 is called a stochastic matrix.

Basis vectors : elementary vectors. For any given n , let B_n denote the set of basis vectors $\{e_1, \dots, e_n\}$ where e_i is the $n \times 1$ vector with 1 as the i -th entry and all other entries zero.

For $X_0 = e_i \in B_n$ the sequence $(X_k)_{k \in \mathbb{N}^+}$ specified by G and T is called the random walk on G starting at vertex i with transition matrix T .

Then $X_k = (T')^k e_i = (q_j)_{1 \leq j \leq n}$ say gives, for $1 \leq j \leq n$, the probability q_j of being at the vertex j after k steps, starting from vertex i .

9 Method of Calculating Steady States

1. Write out the transition matrix T .
2. Transpose the matrix T to T' .
3. Subtract the identity matrix from the transposed matrix T' .
4. Add columns with all entries 0 after the last column of matrix.
5. **Replace** the last row with all 1's
6. Apply the row operations to reduce the matrix to row reduced echelon form and the last column is the steady states.

9.1 HYPOTHESES OF THE MODEL

1. Each link to W is saying that W is a bit awesome.
2. A link to W from an awesome page is saying more than a link to W from a less awesome page.

9.2 The Structure of an Internet

Represent an internet as a digraph called **webgraph**. The vertices represent of the web, and there is a directed edge from vertex X to vertex Y if and only if there is a hyperlink from the page corresponding to X to the page corresponding to Y .

9.3 Introduce Damping Factor

1. With the probability α , the RS will type in the URL of a randomly chosen page(unforced teleporting).
2. With probability $(1 - \alpha)$ the RS will proceed as follows: if there is at least one hyperlink on the current page, the RS will choose at random one of the these hyperlinks and click on it; if there is no hypoerlink on the current page, then the RS will choose a new page at random(forced teleporting).

9.4 PageRank

Let $P = (p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n)$ be the steady state vector for the random walk on W using the transition matrix M . For each $i \in \{1, \dots, p_i\}$, p_i is the PageRank of page i .

9.5 Modified Probability for Transition from vertex i to j

$$m_{ij} = \alpha/n + (1 - \alpha)t_{ij} \quad (5)$$

$$M = (m_{ij})_{1 \leq i, j \leq n} = (\alpha/n + (1 - \alpha)t_{ij})_{1 \leq i, j \leq n} \quad (6)$$

$$= (\alpha/n)U + (1 - \alpha)T \quad (7)$$

9.6 Calculating PR

$$(I - (1 - \alpha)T')PR = (\alpha/n)1 \quad (8)$$

9.7 iterative Approximation Method

$$P_0 = (1/n)1; P_k = \alpha P_0 + (1 - \alpha)T'P_{k-1}, k \geq 1. \quad (9)$$

10 C3:Markov Process

It is closely related with the above topic.

10.1 Steady State vector

$$T'v = v \quad (10)$$

Theorem 3 Let $T = (T_{ij})_{1 \leq i, j \leq k}$ be the transition matrix for a k state Markov process with state vectors $x_n, n \in \mathbb{N}$. Then $\forall n \leq 1$:

1. $x_n = T^n x_0$
2. $(T^n)_{ij}$ is the n -step i -to- j transition probability.
3. $x_n = (T^n) x_0$