

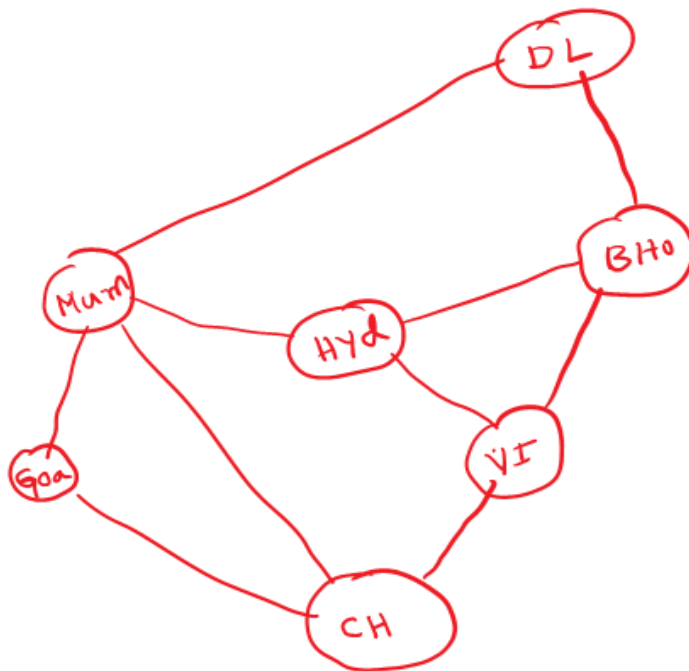
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Path between two cities

Question

You have built a new robot and placed it on a city road map of India. The map is shown below. You give two different cities names to the robot. You have assigned a task to the robot to check whether a road path exists or not between the two given cities. If a path exists ask the robot to display the path. Otherwise, display -1(no path between the cities) . Write an algorithm and subsequent code(any programming language) to do the task of the robot.



Code:-

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#include "iostream"
using namespace std;

int counter=0,cur=-1;

void print(int *parent,int i){
    if(parent[i]==i){
        cout<<i+1<<"←Origin"<<endl;
        return;
    }
    else{
        cout<<i+1<<"←"<<parent[i]+1<<endl;
        print(parent,parent[i]);
    }
}

void bfs(int **g,int v,int n,int *visited,int *list,int *parent,int
&c,int dest){
    for(int i=0;i<n;++i){
        if(g[v][i] && !visited[i]){
            parent[i]=v;
            list[++cur]=i;
            visited[i]=1;
            if(i==dest){
                c=1;
                return;
            }
        }
    }
    if(++counter<=cur)
        bfs(g,list[counter],n,visited,list,parent,c,dest);
}

int main(){
    int n,start,dest,c=0;
    cout<<"Number of cities: ";
    cin>>n;

    cout<<"Adjacency Matrix : \n";
    int **g=new int*[n];
    int *visited=new int[n];
    int *list=new int[n];
    int *parent=new int[n];
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for(int i=0;i<n;++i){
    g[i]=new int[n];
    visited[i]=0;
    parent[i]=0;
    for(int j=0;j<n;++j)
        cin>>g[i][j];
}

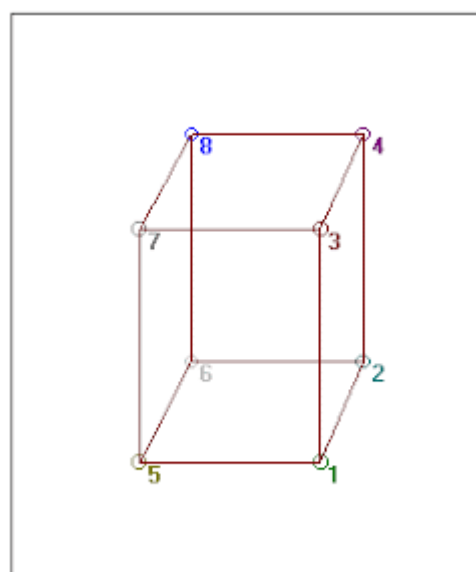
cout<<"Starting Point: ";
cin>>start;
cout<<"Destination Point: ";
cin>>dest;
start--;
dest--;
list[++cur]=start;
visited[start]=1;
bfs(g,start,n,visited,list,parent,c,dest);
if(c){
    cout<<"Path : \n";
    print(parent,dest);
}
else
    cout<<-1<<endl;
}

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Output

Sample Image

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
2	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
3	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
4	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1
5	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
6	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1
7	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1
8	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0



```

PS D:\C-C++\C++> g++ .\practice.cpp -o out
PS D:\C-C++\C++> ./out
Number of cities: 8
Adjacency Matrix :
0 1 1 0 1 0 0 0
1 0 0 1 0 1 0 0
1 0 0 1 0 0 1 0
0 1 1 0 0 0 0 1
1 0 0 0 0 1 1 0
0 1 0 0 1 0 0 1
0 0 1 0 1 0 0 1
0 0 0 1 0 1 1 0
Starting Point: 8
Destination Point: 1
Path :
1←2
2←4
4←8
8←Origin
PS D:\C-C++\C++> _

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Now adding a new city which not connected to any other city
(The 9th City)

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PS D:\C-C++\C++> ./out
Number of cities: 9
Adjacency Matrix :
0 1 1 0 1 0 0 0 0
1 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0
1 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0
0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 1
1 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0
0 1 0 0 1 0 0 1 0
0 0 1 0 1 0 0 1 0
0 0 0 1 0 1 1 0 0
0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Starting Point: 9
Destination Point: 2
-1
PS D:\C-C++\C++> _

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(The last row & column of the matrix is full of '0' because the 9th city is disconnected from every other city hence it cannot be reached. Therefore, output is '-1')