

**Master Networks-IoT.  
Operations Research.**

**Quiz  
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In the following, we consider that the number of edges (resp. arcs) in an undirected (resp. directed) graph is  $m$ , and the number of vertices is  $n$ .

1. Consider an undirected graph with  $n$  vertices. Assume that the graph is connected. What are the minimum and maximum numbers of edges, respectively, that the graph could have?
  - A)  $n - 1$  and  $\frac{n(n-1)}{2}$
  - B)  $n - 1$  and  $n^2$
  - C)  $n$  and  $2^n$
  - D)  $n$  and  $n^n$

**Solution: A**

2. How many edges does a tree with  $n$  vertices contain?
  - A)  $n$
  - B)  $n - 1$
  - C) It depends on the trees
  - D)  $\frac{n(n-1)}{2}$

**Solution: B**

3. We consider two algorithms A and B solving the same problem on a graph  $G$ . A is in  $O(n+m)$  and B is in  $O(n \log n)$ . Which algorithm to use if  $G$  is a tree?
  - A) Algorithm A
  - B) Algorithm B

**Solution: A**

4. We consider two algorithms A and B solving the same problem on a graph  $G$ . A is in  $O(n+m)$  and B is in  $O(n \log n)$ . Which algorithm to use if  $G$  is a complete graph?
  - A) Algorithm A

B) Algorithm B

**Solution: B**

5. How much space does the adjacency list representation of a graph require?

- A)  $O(n)$
- B)  $O(m)$
- C)  $O(n + m)$
- D)  $O(n^2)$

**Solution: C**

6. How much space does the adjacency matrix of a graph require?

- A)  $O(n)$
- B)  $O(m)$
- C)  $O(n + m)$
- D)  $O(n^2)$

**Solution: D**

7. What is the time complexity of a graph search algorithm (choose the most accurate possible answer)?

- A)  $O(n^2)$
- B)  $O(m)$
- C)  $O(n + m)$

**Solution: C**

8. In the graph  $G_1$ , what is  $\{A, B\}$ ?

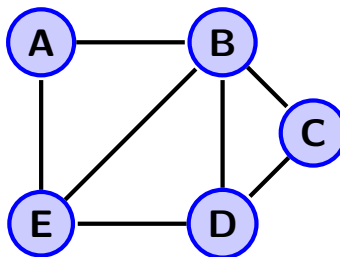


Figure 1: Graph  $G_1$ .

A) an arc

- B) an edge
- C) a path

**Solution: B**

9. In the graph  $G_2$ , propose the list of explored nodes in BFS order starting from  $E$ ?

**Solution:**  $(E, A, B, C, D)$  or  $(E, B, A, C, D)$

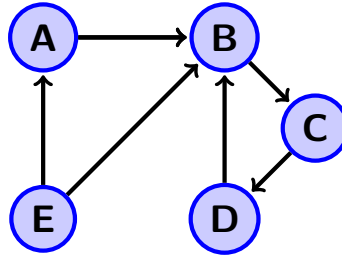


Figure 2: Graph  $G_2$ .

10. In the graph  $G_2$ , propose a list of explored nodes in DFS order starting from  $E$ .

**Solution:**  $(E, A, B, C, D)$  or  $(E, B, C, D, A)$

11. In the graph  $G_2$ , the number of strongly connected components is:

- A) 1
- B) 2
- C) 3
- D) 5

**Solution: C**

12. In the graph  $G_2$ , the number of connected components is:

- A) 1
- B) 2
- C) 3
- D) 5

**Solution: A**

13. Consider a undirected graph  $G$  represented by an adjacency matrix. Given a vertex  $v$ , how many operations are required to identify the edges incident to  $v$ ?

- A)  $O(1)$
- B)  $O(k)$  where  $k$  is the degree of  $v$
- C)  $O(n)$
- D)  $O(m)$

**Solution: C**

14. Consider a directed connected graph  $G$  represented by adjacency lists (each storing the outgoing arcs of a vertex). Given a vertex  $v$ , how many operations are required to identify the incoming arcs of  $v$ ?

- A)  $O(1)$
- B)  $O(k)$  where  $k$  is the degree of  $v$
- C)  $O(n)$
- D)  $O(m)$

**Solution: D**