

## Introduction

NN solver could be used after data format modification (I first created NN solver with custom vertex class and other login, then was BnC algorithm implementation with tsplib. **Compatibility is not purpose** in this case).

I would recommend to use `%matplotlib widget` command (interactive plots) instead of `%matplotlib inline`.

### Assumptions:

- TSP is symmetrical.
- Triangle inequality is satisfied

Terminology is aligned with tsplib library, e.g. `tour` is a list of node indexes, etc...

### References

- [tsplib](#) documentation
- base [guideline](#) for solution
- [lin prog with python](#)

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In [ ]: # %matplotlib widget # Recommended
%matplotlib inline

import os
import tsplib95

from pulp import LpMinimize, LpProblem, LpStatus, LpVariable, LpAffineExpression, GLPK, pulpTestAll, lpSum
from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
from collections import Counter
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In [ ]: # Make sure it run with no errors
# Install required sw to proceed
pulpTestAll()
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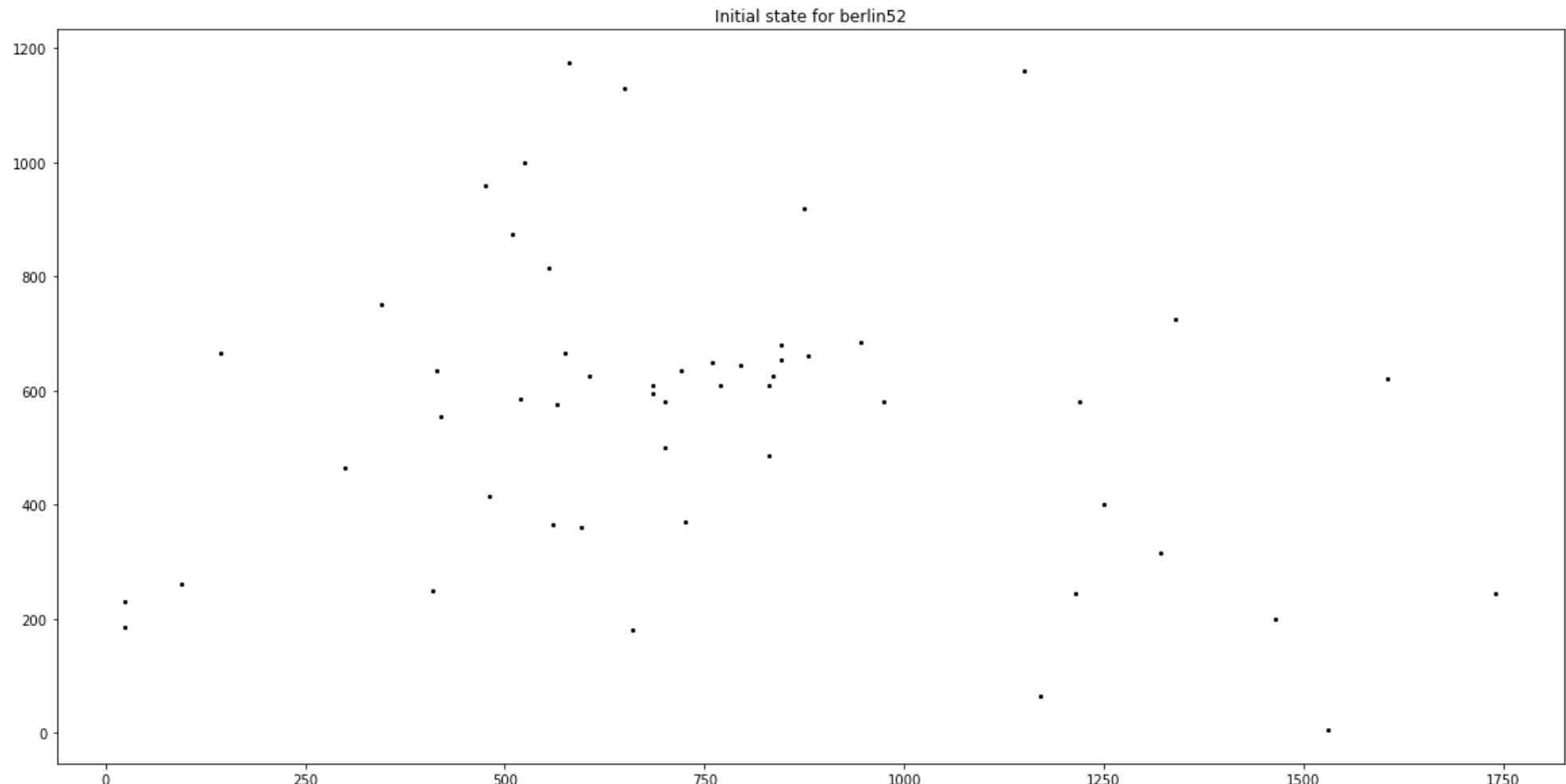
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In [ ]: VERBOSE = False
PLOT = True
DATA_SET = 'berlin52'
TSP_ROOT = './tsp/'
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In [ ]: problem = tsplib95.load(os.path.join(TSP_ROOT, f'{DATA_SET}.tsp'))

assert problem.is_symmetric()
assert problem.edge_weight_type == 'EUC_2D'

if PLOT:
    plt.figure(figsize=(20, 10))
    ax = plt.subplot()
    ax.set_title(f'Initial state for {DATA_SET}')

    for x, y in problem.node_coords.values():
        ax.scatter(x, y, s=5, color='k')
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In [ ]: n = len(list(problem.get_nodes()))
model = LpProblem(name="tsp", sense=LpMinimize)

def get_edge_name(a, b):
    return f'x_{a}_{b}'

# Build xij variables - for each xi to each xj (exclude xi to xi)
edges = {}
for xi in problem.get_nodes():
    for xj in problem.get_nodes():
        if xi != xj:
            name = get_edge_name(xi, xj)
            edges[name] = (LpVariable(name, cat='Binary'), xi, xj)

# Build cost function
costs = []
for x, xi, xj in edges.values():
    cost = problem.get_weight(xi, xj)
    costs.append((x, cost))
model += (LpAffineExpression(costs), f'Cost x_{xi}_{xj}')

# Build local constraints
for j in range(1, n + 1):
    for e_x, xi, xj in edges.values():
        if xj == j:
            leave_x = []
            for l_x, xj, xk in edges.values():
                if xj == j and xk != xi:
                    leave_x.append((l_x, 1))
            leave_x.append((e_x, 1))
            model += (LpAffineExpression(leave_x) == 2, f'Visit once x_{xi}_{j}')
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model.solve(solver=GLPK(msg=False))

print(f"Status: {model.status}, {LpStatus[model.status]}")

if model.status == 1:

# Divide by 2 because xi-xj = xj-xi edge

print(f"Path length: {model.objective.value() / 2}")

if VERBOSE:

# Make sure all nodes are used twice as enter, twice as exit

# Each node should lead to other 2 and the same edges but in reverse directions should exist

ii = []

jj = []

for var in model.variables():

if var.value():

x, i, j = var.name.split('\_')

ii.append(i)

jj.append(j)

if VERBOSE:

print(f'Enter != 2 (should be empty): {[i for i in dict(Counter(ii)).values() if i != 2]}')

print(f'Leave != 2 (should be empty): {[j for j in dict(Counter(jj)).values() if j != 2]}')

if PLOT:

plt.figure(figsize=(20, 10))

ax = plt.subplot()

ax.set\_title(f'Partial solution for {DATA\_SET}')

for var in model.variables():

if var.value():

\_, xi, xj = edges[var.name]

[xi\_x, xi\_y], [xj\_x, xj\_y] = problem.get\_display(xi), problem.get\_display(xj)

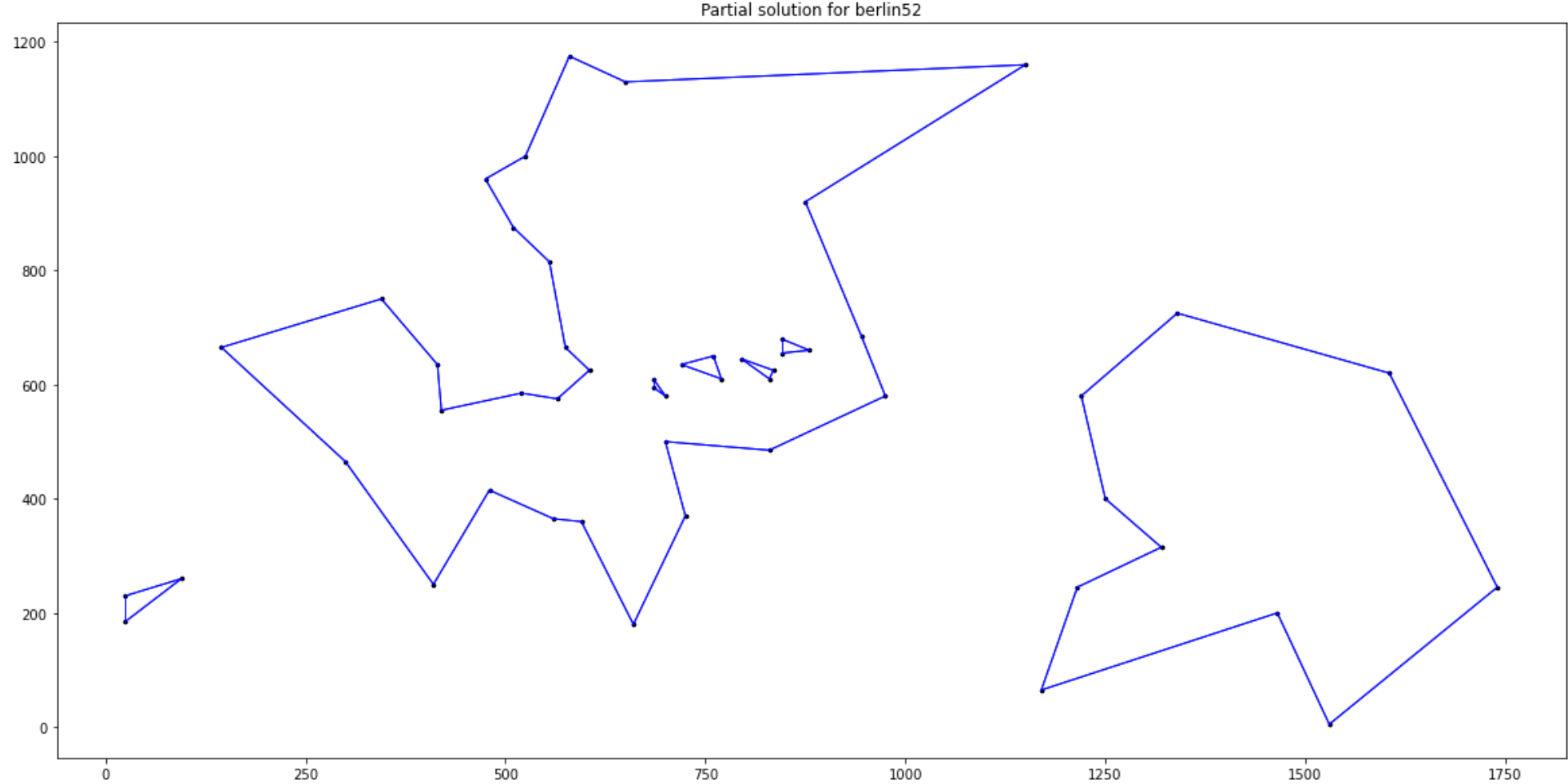
ax.scatter(xi\_x, xi\_y, s=5, color='k')

ax.scatter(xj\_x, xj\_y, s=5, color='k')

ax.plot([xi\_x, xj\_x], [xi\_y, xj\_y], linewidth=1, color='b')

Status: 1, Optimal

Path length: 7164.0



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In [ ]: def detect_tour(m: LpProblem, verbose=VERBOSE):
    # Start at random point and go from i to j, if original i encountered - return tour
    tour = set()
    tour_variables = []

    tour_next_index = None
    tour_prev_index = None
    tour_orig_index = None

    for var in m.variables():
        if var.value():
            x, xi, xj = edges[var.name]

            if verbose:
                print(f'start: {xi} -> {xj}')

            tour_prev_index = tour_orig_index = xi
            tour_next_index = xj
            # Add all points that belong to tour
            tour.add(xi)
            tour.add(xj)
            break

    while True:
        for var in m.variables():
            if var.value():
                x, xi, xj = edges[var.name]

                if xi == tour_next_index and xj != tour_prev_index:
                    if verbose:
                        print(f'next: {xi} -> {xj}')
                    tour_prev_index = xi
                    tour_next_index = xj
                    tour.add(xi)
                    tour.add(xj)
                    break

                else:
                    break

            if xj == tour_orig_index:
                break

        for var in m.variables():
            if var.value():
                x, xi, xj = edges[var.name]

                if xi in tour or xj in tour:
                    tour_variables.append(x)

    return tour, tour_variables
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In [ ]: tour, variables = [], []
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while True:
    tour, variables = detect_tour(model)
    if len(tour) == n:
        print('No subtours found, abort!')
        break

    tour_str = ' '.join([str(t) for t in tour])
    print(f'Solving fou tour: {tour_str}, length: {len(tour)}')
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leave\_from\_tour = []

for i in tour:

leave\_from\_i = []

for name, (x, xi, xj) in edges.items():

if i == xi and xj not in tour:

leave\_from\_i.append(x)

leave\_from\_tour.extend(leave\_from\_i)

model += (lpSum(leave\_from\_tour) >= 1, f'Leave tour {tour\_str}')

model.solve()

Solving fou tour: 1\_3\_4\_8\_9\_10\_16\_17\_18\_19\_20\_21\_22\_23\_25\_29\_30\_31\_32\_33\_41\_43\_44\_45\_46\_49\_50, length: 27

Solving fou tour: 1\_3\_4\_5\_6\_8\_9\_10\_15\_16\_17\_18\_19\_20\_21\_22\_23\_24\_25\_29\_30\_31\_32\_33\_34\_35\_36\_37\_38\_39\_40\_41\_43\_44\_45\_4\_6\_48\_49\_50, length: 39

Solving fou tour: 1\_3\_4\_5\_6\_8\_9\_10\_11\_12\_13\_14\_15\_16\_17\_18\_19\_20\_21\_22\_23\_24\_25\_26\_27\_28\_29\_30\_31\_32\_33\_34\_35\_36\_37\_3\_8\_39\_40\_41\_43\_44\_45\_46\_47\_48\_49\_50\_51\_52, length: 49

Solving fou tour: 1\_2\_3\_4\_7\_8\_9\_10\_16\_17\_18\_19\_20\_21\_22\_23\_25\_29\_30\_31\_32\_33\_41\_42\_43\_44\_45\_46\_49\_50, length: 30

Solving fou tour: 1\_2\_3\_4\_5\_6\_7\_8\_9\_10\_15\_16\_17\_18\_19\_20\_21\_22\_23\_24\_25\_29\_30\_31\_32\_33\_34\_35\_36\_37\_38\_39\_40\_41\_42\_43\_44\_45\_46\_48\_49\_50, length: 42

No subtours found, abort

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In [ ]: print(f"Status: {model.status}, {LpStatus[model.status]}")

if model.status == 1:
    # Divide by 2 because xi-xj = xj-xi edge
    print(f"Path length: {model.objective.value() / 2}")

    if VERBOSE:
        # Make sure all nodes are used twice as enter, twice as exit
        # Each node should lead to other 2 and the same edges but in reverse directions should exist

        ii = []
        jj = []

        for var in model.variables():
            if var.value():
                x, i, j = var.name.split('_')
                ii.append(i)
                jj.append(j)

        print(f'Enter != 2 (should be empty): {[i for i in dict(Counter(ii)).values() if i != 2]}')

print(f'Leave != 2 (should be empty): {[j for j in dict(Counter(jj)).values() if j != 2]}')



if PLOT:



plt.figure(figsize=(20, 10))



ax = plt.subplot()



for var in model.variables():



if var.value():



_, xi, xj = edges[var.name]



[xi_x, xi_y], [xj_x, xj_y] = problem.get_display(xi), problem.get_display(xj)



ax.scatter(xi_x, xi_y, s=5, color='k')



ax.scatter(xj_x, xj_y, s=5, color='k')



ax.plot([xi_x, xj_x], [xi_y, xj_y], linewidth=1, color='b')



ax.set_title(f'Full solution for {DATA_SET}')


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Status: 1, Optimal

Path length: 7542.0

