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In remembrance of Jean-Baptiste...

Abstract

Water supply remains a major issue in several countries. When designing a water supply network optimality is a priority. The aim of this project is to find optimal network structures using automation and machine learning. The development process is divided into several stages. During the first stage, network topology has been studied. A network has been designed using our software on real-world data.

Next stages will involve adding further parameters such as water velocity or pressure to the existing model. The project has a multidisciplinary nature. Using geographical data requires a certain level of acquaintance with different formats and software such as QGIS. On the other hand, mastering a programming language like Python is required to implement the different algorithms and libraries.

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Chapter 1

Introduction

Water supply remains one of the major issues in developing countries. Through this project we seek to improve the design of water supply networks. Designing water supply networks is an optimization problem in which engineers have to find the best balance between cost, transport efficiency and resistance to failure.

1.1 General Context and Objectives

This project is centered on the design of water supply networks. More specifically it focuses on the design of new networks in developing countries with no existing infrastructures. The aim is to develop a software able to design a complete network from the map of a given area. In order to do so the team examined several techniques that could be suited to solve the problem. Among these were Root Architecture and Neural Networks. Eventually, clustering techniques and a Minimum Spanning Tree (MST) algorithm were chosen given their simplicity. They enabled to draw a water supply network from geographical data. This data was downloaded from Open Street Maps (OSM) and analysed with QGIS. With regard to future developments, the project could be improved by focusing on water loss management, which is one of the major issues in water supply networks.

1.2 Brief description of the approach

The first step was to gather information on possible design techniques. Biologically-inspired models were examined. Prof Chloé Arson from GeorgiaTech provided very interesting information on root growth models and their applications to network design. Another path of research were Artificial Neural Networks. The idea was to explore the possibility of using this cutting-edge technology to draw a complete water supply network. However, it proved to be rather complex to master and not fully suited to the necessities. Finally, a more simple technique was retained. It uses a clustering and a Minimum Spanning Tree algorithm. The clustering algorithm allows to identify the villages on the map and the MST links them. The algorithms were implemented on Python using two libraries: "scikit-learn" and "NetworkX". The geographical data that was used as input of the algorithms was downloaded from Open Street Maps. Maps were processed using QGIS, an open-source geographical information system. QGIS allowed to select the most important data from the maps and save it as a

”shapefile”, a format supported by the NetworkX library.

1.3 Report Structure

The report is organised as follows. ?? covers the state-of-the-art in water supply network design. It is an overview of the current techniques. It also provides information on the current issues in this domain. ?? is a detailed description of the approach. The different techniques studied throughout the project are presented and discussed. ?? explains our solution which is based on clustering and MST algorithms. ?? gives an insight into the more technical aspects of the project. Details on the software used can be found in this section. Finally, ?? presents the results obtained with the technique described in ??.

Chapter 2

State of the art

A water supply system has two primary requirements: first, it needs to deliver adequate amounts of water to meet consumer consumption and fire requirements that must be available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. Second the quality of the water must meet the regulatory requirements to guarantee a human consumption. Nowadays water distribution systems can be divided into four main components:

- Water sources and intake works: the common sources for the untreated or raw water are surface water sources such as rivers, lakes, springs, and man-made reservoirs and groundwater sources such as bores and wells.
- Treatment works and storage: The intake structures and pumping stations are constructed to extract water from the water sources. The raw water is transported to the treatment plants for processing through transmission mains and is stored in clear water reservoirs after treatment. The degree of treatment depends upon the raw water quality and finished water quality requirements. The clear water reservoir provides a buffer for water demand variation as treatment plants are generally designed for average daily demand.
- Transmission mains: water is carried over long distances through transmission mains. If the flow of water in a transmission main is maintained by creating a pressure head by pumping, it is called a pumping main. On the other hand, if the flow in a transmission main is maintained by gravitational potential available on account of elevation difference, it is called a gravity main
- Distribution network: There are no intermediate withdrawals in a water transmission main. Similar to transmission mains, the flow in water distribution networks is maintained either by pumping or by gravitational potential. Generally, in a flat terrain, the water pressure in a large water distribution network is maintained by pumping; however, in steep terrain, gravitational potential maintains a pressure head in the water distribution system. A distribution network delivers water to consumers through service connections. Such a distribution network may have different configurations depending upon the layout of the area. Generally, water distribution networks have a looped and branched configuration of pipelines, but sometimes either looped or branched configurations are also provided depending upon the general layout plan of the city roads and streets.

The design problem of a looped network is one of the most difficult problems of optimisation, the main objective is to estimate design variables by minimizing total system cost subject to safety and system constraints. The essential parameters are the projection of water demand, peak flow factors, minimum and maximum commercial pipe size, pipe material and reliability consideration. These nonlinear programming problems can only be solved numerically and not mathematically.

section Water supply networks equations The equations that characterise a water supply networks are the continuity equation and the equation of motion in most of the case for a study flow, that come down to the Bernulli's equation.

The continuity equation for steady flow in a circular pipe of diameter D is

$$Q = \frac{\pi}{4} D^2 V \quad (2.1)$$

V = average velocity of flow Q = volumetric rate of flow, called discharge.

The equation of motion for steady flow is:

$$z_1 + h_1 + \frac{V_1^2}{2g} = z_2 + h_2 + \frac{V_2^2}{2g} + h_L \quad (2.2)$$

z1 and z2 = elevations of the centerline of the pipe, h1 and h2 = pressure heads, V1 and V2 = average velocities at sections 1 and 2, g = gravitational acceleration hL = head loss between sections 1 and 2. The head loss hL is composed of two parts: hf is head loss on account of surface resistance (also called friction loss), and hm is head loss due to form resistance, which is the head loss on account of change in shape of the pipeline (also called minor loss).

$$h_L = h_f + h_m \quad (2.3)$$

The term z + h is called the piezometric head; and the line connecting the piezometric heads along the pipeline is called the hydraulic gradient line.

The head loss on account of surface resistance is given by the Darcy-Weisbach equation

$$h_f = \frac{f L V^2}{2g D} \quad (2.4)$$

where L = the pipe length f = friction factor. The friction factors f = f(Re,) is function of the Reynolds number and the roughness projection . The form-resistance losses are due to bends, elbows, valves, enlargers, reducers. A form loss develops at a pipe junction where many pipelines meet. Similarly, form loss is also created at the junction of pipeline and service connection. All these losses, when added together, may form a sizable part of overall head loss. Form loss is expressed in the following form:

$$h_m = k_f \frac{V^2}{2g} \quad (2.5)$$

kf is form-loss coefficient that depend from the nature of the special piece.

section Water Sources

Most of the water supply networks use more than one type of water source. The most common water sources are:

Impounding Reservoir: Reservoirs created by placing dams across rivers, streams, or at the neck of a valley to capture runoff water

Fresh-Water Lakes: This is generally considered a functionally, inexhaustible supply of water, provided the intake lines are below the ice formation level, in order to prevent jamming at the inlet ports of the water supply system.

Wells: Driven or bored wells are excavated to the level of the water table. of well require low-lift or high-lift pumps depending on the depth of the water or the distance of the water from the surface. Larger municipalities may use a series of well fields, and usually pump up to gravity tanks to provide the required flow and pressure to the distribution system.

Water system classification There are some basic water system classifications that have been established to provide a basic reference for examining the adequacy and reliability of water systems.

High-level reservoir system: This classification refers to a water source that is at least 30 meter in elevation above the treatment facility in order to provide sufficient head pressure so that nonpumping station is required. (Figure). This type of system gives the opportunity to develop a very reliable water supply system. If there is sufficient elevation difference between the water intake source on the reservoir system and the distribution piping in the community, it is possible to design a water system that does not require one or more pumping stations. The head pressure for supplying water to the treatment plant and from the treatment plant to the distribution system is sufficient to meet both consumer demand and needed fire flows. This is also a very economical system since there is no substantial power requirement to run the water system beyond normal lighting requirements and requirements for establishing the level of water quality needed for the community. A gravity flow system that does not require a pump interface is considered the most reliable type of water system, since there is no mechanical component to break down or fail when the power source goes down. For the same reasons, it is the most economical type of water supply system to operate but also the less common.

Low level reservoir systems: Low-level dams, usually up to about 6 meters high, are typically built on stream flow that is considered reliable year round. The reservoir basin may be bulldozed to form a small lake that will supply water to communities of populations up to about 25,000. A basic configuration for a low-level dam is depicted in Figure. Low-level retention dams typically require a pumping station to transport water to the treatment plant and, if the land area is relatively flat, a second pumping station to pump treated water directly to the distribution system or to elevated storage to provide the required pressure and volume to meet instantaneous flow demand. The elevated storage can be designed to minimize the direct pumping requirements.

Direct pumping systems: Figure illustrates how a direct pumping station feeds water to the treatment plant and then a second pumping system transports water to a storage holding

area, such as a clear well, to a standpipe storage tank that is maintained full as domestic consumption varies throughout a single day. This minimizes the time the pump or pumps actually have to run. The pumps also may be designed and arranged to pump the treated water directly into the distribution system when there is a high demand on the water system. This could occur when there is a major fire in the community.

Pumping station at well sites and gravity storage: In this type of supply system, one drilled well, or a field of wells, feed water to a ground-level pumping station. This concept is presented in Figure 4-5. The quality of the ground water in most of the case is so good that the only treatment necessary is chlorination through an injection method in the pipes that carry the non-potable water. In most cases, any other required water treatment generally is handled in a similar manner. The treated water either flows by gravity to the distribution system or is pumped to one or more elevated storage tanks. Potable water flows by gravity from the storage tank to the distribution system.

sectionMethod of water distribution

Water is dispersed throughout the distribution system in a number of different ways, depending on local conditions or on regulations and requirements that influence water system design. The common methods of water distribution to the pipe network are reviewed under the following titles.

Pumps and elevated storage: Through the use of pumps and elevated storage, the excess water pumped during periods of low consumption is stored in elevated tanks or reservoirs. During periods of high consumption, the stored water supplements the water that is being pumped. This method allows fairly uniform flow rates and pressures throughout the water system. Consequently, this method generally is economical because the pumps may be operated at their rated capacity. Since the stored water supplements the supply used for fires and system breakdowns, this method of operation is fairly reliable. However, it is necessary that fire department pumpers be available to boost the pressure from fire hydrant to delivery water through hose streams at the proper nozzle pressure to confine, control, and extinguish developing structural fires and other related fire events. A more complete understanding of these concepts is presented under **distribution storage** below.

Pumps without storage: When stationary pumps are used to distribute water, and no storage is provided on the distribution system, the pumps force water at the required volume and pressure directly into the mains. The outlet for the water is through domestic taps on the system or through fire hydrants. This is the least desirable type of distribution system because a power failure could interrupt the water supply. In addition, as consumption varies, the pressure in the water mains is most likely to fluctuate. To conform to varying rates, several pumps are made available to add water output when needed, a procedure requiring constant attention at the water plant. Another disadvantage is the fact that the peak power demand of the water plant is likely to occur during periods of high electric power consumption, thus increasing power costs to operate the water system. However, one advantage of direct pumping is that a large stationary fire pump may be used on demand for structure fires. This pump increases the residual pressure to any desired amount permitted by the construction of the water mains.

section Water demand rates Three historical or predicted water demand rates are involved in the discussion of water system demand and design flow rate criteria for both consumer consumption and needed fire flow. These are as follows: 1) Average daily consumption: This is the average of the total amount of water used each day during a 1-year period (usually expressed in million litres per day, MLD) 2) Maximum daily consumption: This is the maximum total amount of water used during any 24-hour period in a 3-year period. This number should consider and exclude any unusual and excessive identified use of water that would affect the calculation. Such abnormal uses would include a water main break, a large-scale fire, or an abnormal industrial demand. This is often referred to as the MDC rate. 3) Maximum hourly demand: This is the maximum amount of water used in any single hour, of any day, in a 3-year period. It is normally expressed in litres per day. It is determined in litres per day by multiplying the peak hours by 24.

section Distribution System Appurtenances Water systems typically have three classifications of pipe used to transport to demand points throughout a community. These are identified as follows:

1) Primary feeders: These are large pipes, usually with diameters ranging from 30 to 120 cm, based on the size of the population served. Primary feeders transport water from the water treatment plant to corporation line of the community and/or to major water storage locations within the community. 2) Secondary feeders: These are connected to the primary feeders to transport water along the major streets of the community. Secondary feeders need to be in place to supply all commercial property, public buildings, and private sector buildings that have a needed fire flow over 3500 litres. Secondary feeders typically are 20 to 40 cm in diameter. 3) Distributor mains: These are used to transport water from the secondary feeders to individual streets in the areas of the community that have small businesses like convenience stores and gas stations but, more importantly, along residential streets. The minimum pipe size should be 10 cm and, based on the system design, a possible dead-end pipe may need to be 20 or even 25 cm.

The sizes of pipe associated with the three classifications of pipe in a typical water system are approximations. The needed pipe size throughout the built-upon areas of a community is based on the hydraulic gradient of the community, consumer consumption profiles throughout the community, needed fire flow at representative locations throughout the community, and, quite importantly, the two methods for laying and connecting pipe throughout the community. The traditional pipe system design is referred to as a Single-Point Feed System. In this case, water moves from the treatment plant to the community corporation line with a single primary feeder. The primary feed, in turn, supplies the secondary feeders along the main streets of the community, and the distributor mains supply the block frontage along the residential streets. In the single-point feed system, the pipe sizes need to meet the maximum daily consumption demand plus the needed fire flow. This results in a larger pipe than is needed under normal daily usage, without any fires. The second major weakness of this type of system is that there may be a lot of dead-end mains in the residential areas and at the end of secondary mains. This leads to the stagnation of water which rapidly reduces the quality of water.

The more modern approach to water system design is to loop all the water mains, or cross-tie the mains, so that at any demand point the water is supplied from two directions. This

allows the designing engineer to develop a hydraulic model of the system and to determine mathematically the proper size of pipe according to flow paths to meet the consumer and needed fire flow demand points. It is important to note that many older water systems have been updated. By laying a primary feeder around the perimeter of the community to tie in all of the dead-end mains to improve both flow distribution and water pressures through the community.

Chapter 3

Approach

In this chapter we would like to show the approach we followed in the solution of the problem. We will give brief explanations of the techniques we investigated and justify the reasons why finally chose to use some of them and not others.

3.1 Root architecture

Biologically inspired models can provide interesting insights. Organisms that have gone through several rounds of evolutionary selection seem to be able to deliver efficient and nearly-optimal solutions. The use of such models seems to have produced satisfactory results for transport networks.

Reading Chloé Arson's presentation on bio-inspired geomechanics, we discovered the potential advantage of using root system architecture to design water lines. Prof. Arson conducted an experiment to compare the predictions of a root growth model with real water line networks. Root growth is a gene-controlled phenomenon. Therefore, different species may present different growth patterns. In addition, soil structure has also an influence on root structures. For example the presence of physical obstacles, such as boulders, alters geotropic growth. Prof. Arson also pointed out that a rocky soil would require a different model. Other characteristics like water and nutrient gradients or bacteria play a key role in root growth. Prof. Arson's experiment consisted in growing roots on a scale plastic model of the Georgia Tech campus. The results would allow to validate the accuracy of the mathematical model. Afterwards they could be compared to the existing water network and thus assess its efficiency. Prof. Arson also introduced leaf venation systems which bear certain resemblance to water line networks. Indeed, the growth of a leaf is governed by the presence of auxin (plant hormones) sources which can be seen as the nutrient sources of the root model.

We contacted Prof. Arson who gave us a very interesting bibliography on the subject of root growth models. Prof. Pierret's article stresses the complex relationship between soil structure and soil biological activity. Soil is a habitat for many organisms and is also responsible for the movement and transport of resources which are necessary for their survival. Through their roots, plants play a key role in many soil processes. Soil properties affect root growth which in turn affects resource acquisition and therefore the plant's impact on its environment (soil). Interest for root systems architecture comes from the necessity in agriculture of increasing

productivity and minimizing water and nutrient losses. A good understanding of soil processes seems necessary to achieve this end. Moreover, Pierret points out that whereas soil biological and chemical processes have been carefully studied, physical processes need more attention. The article examines main biological factors that influence soil processes. It underlines the complex interactions between physical and chemical-biological processes and the impossibility to treat them separately. According to Pierret, roots are essential to study this complexity. In the second part of the article, the huge diversity of root classes is examined. This implies the necessity of using specific models for each species. The last part of the article discusses how modelling can provide clearer insights on the interactions between roots and soil.

Lionel Dupuy's article describes the evolution of root growth models. The first models appeared in the early 1970s and focused mainly on root length. However since the 1990s new complex models have emerged thanks to the use of more powerful computers. This phenomenon has been fostered by the need for predictive technologies at different scales. Dupuy suggests a new theoretical framework which takes into account individual root developmental parameters. He introduces "equations in discretized domains that deform as a result of growth". Simulations conducted by Dupuy have revealed some patterns in what seemed a complex and heterogeneous problem. More precisely, it seems that roots develop following travelling wave patterns of meristems.

V. M. Dunbabin also mentions the progress accomplished in the area of root growth modelling. The early models did not take into account the root growth in response to a heterogeneous soil environment. Nowadays, models must include soil properties and accurate descriptions of plant function. The aim of these simulations is again to provide a better understanding of the efficient acquisition of water and nutrients by plants. Resource availability has a clear impact on both the roots and the stem of the plant. For example, a low nutrient concentration diminishes shoot growth and therefore leaf and stem mass fractions as well. It has been observed that roots respond locally to soil properties. This characteristic allows the plant to forage with more precision and reduce metabolic cost. Three-dimensional models are able to seize the complexity of the problem. Previous models were rather simple and relied upon one-dimensional functions of rooting depth vs. time.

One of the most interesting articles is Atsushi Tero's "Rules for Biologically Inspired Adaptive Network Design". In order to solve the problem of transport networks efficiency, Tero created a mathematical model based on organisms that build biological networks. He explains that these biological networks have been honed by many rounds of evolutionary selection and that they can provide inspiration to design new networks. He praises their good balance between cost, transport efficiency and, above all, fault tolerance. One of such organisms is *Physarum polycephalum*, a type of slime mold. Tero let *Physarum* grow on a map of the Tokyo area where major cities were marked by food sources. A first network was obtained. In order to improve the results, the experiment was carried out a second time. However, illumination was used to introduce the real geographical constraints such as coastlines or mountains (illumination reduces *Physarum*'s growth). The results were very satisfactory and the biological network was very similar to the existing Tokyo transport network. Tero developed a mathematical model that tried to reproduce *Physarum*'s behavior. The principle of the model is that tube thickness depends on the internal flow of nutrients. Thus a high

rate tends to thicken a tube and a low rate leads to its decay. As shown by Prof. Arsons' paper "Bio-inspired fluid extraction model for reservoir rocks", slime mold growth can also be used to study the flow in a porous medium. The use of Root Architecture Models was abandoned in order to investigate the use of artificial intelligence techniques

3.2 Artificial intelligence

The growth of network usage and their increasing complexity, in particular for communication technologies application, drives towards the improvement of routing technique. One track of this research is the development of smart techniques for network design and management.

For our project we chose to follow this direction, combine sub-optimal AI algorithms to develop a possibly innovative solution. Lead by example, we will give an overview of the most edge braking applications in this field. This will allow us to introduce the main concepts and get down to the techniques we focused on.

AI is applied to many complex routing problems: one example is very large-scale integration (VLSI). The process of designing integrated circuits is hard due to the large number of often conflicting factors that affect the routing quality such as minimum area, wire length. Rostam Joobbani, a knowledge-based routing expert from Carnegie-Mellon University (1986), proved that an AI approach to the subject could dramatically improve performances.

A more recent example is the use of AI in Wireless Sensor Networks. WSNs are spatially distributed autonomous sensors to monitor physical or environmental conditions, such as temperature, sound, pressure, etc. and to cooperatively pass their data through the network to other locations. Management of those networks is particularly challenging because of the dynamic environmental conditions. J. Barbancho and al. (2007) wrote a review about the use of artificial intelligence techniques for WSNs for path discovery and other purposes. The study shows the potential of Artificial Neural Networks.

3.2.1 Artificial Neural Networks

ANNs learn to do tasks by considering examples, generally without task-specific programming. An ANN is based on a collection of connected units called artificial neurons. Each connection (synapse) between neurons can transmit a signal to another neuron. The receiving (postsynaptic) neuron can process the signal(s) and then signal downstream neurons connected to it.

N. Ahad, J. Quadir, N. Ahsan (2016) published a review focused on techniques and applications of artificial neural networks for wireless networks. The advantage of using ANN is that can make the network adaptive and able to predict user demand.

Concerning shortest path problems Michael Turcanik (2012) used a Hopfield neural network as a content-addressable memory for routing table look-up. A routing table is a database that keeps track of paths in a network. Whenever a node needs to send data to another node on a network, it must first know where to send it. If the node cannot directly connect to the destination node, it has to send it via other nodes along a proper route to the destination

node. Most nodes do not try to figure out which route(s) might work; instead, a node will send the message to a gateway in the local area network, which then decides how to route the package of data to the correct destination. Each gateway will need to keep track of which way to deliver various packages of data, and for this it uses a Routing Table. Turcanik replaced the table with an ANN. His study shows the performance of routing table look-up in terms of speed and adaptability.

This excursus gives an idea of the incredibly various applications of ANN in routing problems. We would like now to focus on the use of Hopfield Neural Network, which is the most classical solution for routing problems with ANN's. To finish we will explain the conclusions we came to regarding neural networks.

Hopfield (1984) proposed the use of his algorithm to give heuristic solutions to the travel salesman problem. TSP is a well known NP-hard minimization problem. As defined by Karl Menger the TSP is "the task to find, for finitely many points whose pairwise distances are known, the shortest route connecting the points". So having n cities, our travel salesman has to associate to each city X a position k in the tour so that:

$$\sum_X \sum_{Y \neq X} \sum_j d_{XY} y_{Xj} (y_{Y,j+1} + y_{Y,j-1})$$

is minimal, where d_{XY} is the distance between city X and Y .

E. Wacholder and al. (1989) developed a more efficient implementation of the Hopfield NN for the travel sales-man problem. The algorithm was successfully tested on many problems with up to 30 cities and five salesmen. For comparison a non-optimized brute-force approach would take billions of billions of years to return but optimal algorithms with record breaking performance can solve problems with more than 3000 cities.

Mustafa K. Mehmet Ali and Faouzi Kamoun (1993) considered modelling shortest path problem with Hopfield Neural Network for the first time. The researchers asserted that HNN can find shortest path effectively and sometimes it would be better to use such a network instead of classic algorithms such as Dijkstra. Please find in section ?? a thecnical explanation on how the Hopfield Neural Networks works, with particular attention to the TSP application

After a wide research in the field of Artificial Neural Networks and besides all the encouraging proofs we collected we concluded that are not the best suited tool to solve routing problems. ANN alone are less efficient in solving routing problems than optimal approaches. In addition, it is not possible to know whether the ANN will deliver a solution that will converge and whether this solution is optimal. Thus ANNs as a poorly efficient way to solve the problem. Nonetheless, machine learning can still be useful. Indeed, the interpretation of geographical information files can be done through clustering algorithms.

3.2.2 Clustering

Chapter 4

Progetto logico della soluzione del problema

4.1 Problem statement and modelisation

The overall idea of our software solution is to connect water sources and consumers to a network of pipes in the most efficient way possible. Indeed the definition of the best net is a key problem. Factors that makes an aqueduct the optimal one are not easily modeled. We can suppose that variables such length, height, water speed and pressure, viscosity ecc should be taken into account.

For our first approach, we decided to consider only the pipeline length so that we simplify aqueduct design to a classical routing problem. On this base, we will then be able to add complexity. We can now more formally define our problem. Being a topography a graph representing the meshed surface of a region, the problem of designing an aqueduct as the one of finding the recovering-graph on the topography graph connecting water consumers and sources. We will use the euclidian metric on a space with tree dimensions.

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Clustering

Water network

4.2 Data reading

In ?? is shown the procedure followed by our software. The input is composed of three geographical files: mesh represent the topology of the studied region, source-sinks contains the locations for each water source and consumer (called sink from now on). The last file describes the roads network in the area as the pipes should preferably run along roads for is cheaper to place them. For more information about the geographical data format, please refer to ?? Reading those input two graphs can be initialised: the topography and the aqueduct describing graphs. The first is a graph where nodes represent positions and edges the possible transitions between them. Transitions on roads will be preferable. The aqueduct graph is initialised with source and sinks as nodes and no edges. An insight of the data structure we used to represent graph is given in section ??

4.3 Clustering

Running classical algorithms such a brute-force TSP or a minimum spanning tree to link the nodes in the sink-source graph would not be feasible for computational reasons. Thanks to the particular nature of our problem a simplification is possible: we divide the aqueduct system in two layers: adduction and distribution nets. The adduction layer brings water from the source to the inhabited areas whereas the distribution segment is in charge of the "last kilometre" distribution. This two layer solution is commonly used in aqueduct design and network design in general: internet is an example. To achieve this need to recognise group of buildings such as villages or neighbourhoods. Those sets are called sink clusters. This approach carries multiple advantages. From the computational point of view reduce the dimension of the sets on which we run the routing algorithms. On the other side, once the two layers are identified we can use different strategies to connect the nodes, as we will see in the next paragraph. Efficient implementations of clusterings algorithms are provided in scikit-learn. Scikit-learn is a well-known machine learning library for Python and it features various classification, regression and clustering algorithms. After this operation sinks are labeled as part of they respective cluster. A more detailed explanation can be found at ??.

4.4 Routing

We now can design the water systems connecting the sinks. Let's first consider the distribution layer, which is to say the problem of connecting the sinks of a cluster. This operation is broken down in two tasks. First, find all the paths connecting sinks, than chose the smallest recovering graph, i.e. the smallest aqueduct satisfying the specifics. To

find the path connecting the sinks an optimal approach is used on the topography graph, in our case the Dijstrak algorithm. The length of those path and the traversed nodes are saved as attributes of edges of the aqueduct graph. Please pay attention to the fact that edges on the aqueduct graph are paths on the topography graph. This operation creates a complete graph for each cluster. Note that the set of those graph is a partition of the aqueduct graph.

The second stage consists in eliminating the redundant edges: to do this we run the Kruskal algorithm and calculate the minimum spanning tree. For more information read section ??. An other approach, favoured in classical aqueducts

design would be to calculate a partially connected graph where certain nodes are connected to exactly one other node whereas others are connected to two or more other nodes. This makes possible to have some redundancy without the expense and complexity required for a connection between every node in the network. At this first stage of the project this part is left for further investigation. Considering now the adduction system a very similar approach can be used: the clusters should be interlinked and connected to a source. Each distribution network, as is a tree, has a root node. We can initialise the adduction graph with all the cluster's roots nodes and the water sources. Finally this graph is connected with the technique previously used.

Chapter 5

Technical aspects

5.1 Geographical Data

The overall idea is to take maps and automatically trace an aqueduct on it, in order to do that, we start from the map's shapefile. Shapefile is a popular geospatial vector data format for geographic information systems software. It spatially describes geometries: points, polylines and polygons. These, for example, could represent water wells, roads or buildings. As those primitive geometrical data types come without any attributes to specify what they represent, a table of records to store attributes is provided. Websites like `osm2shp` or `Geofabrik` provide an immense database of shapefiles available for download. Moreover desktop software like `Qgis` provides shapefile editing tools. This way we can both download real-world maps and create our own. Then through `Qgis`' meshing plug-in `Gmsh` we can mesh the surfaces of the map and export the result in `vtk` format as seen in Fig. 3.1 However, shapefiles seldom have information on the elevation (that is the `Z` coordinate) of the objects they represent. It is therefore necessary to use another format: the Digital Elevation Model (DEM). Digital Elevation Models provide this missing piece of information that can subsequently be added to the shapefile's attribute table. DEMs can be converted into meshes thanks to software such as `SAGA`. Meshes saved as `vtk` files can easily be used in Python. `Vtk` files are a simple and efficient way to describe mesh-like data structures. The `vtk` file boils down to those two elements: points and cells. Points have 3D coordinates while cells are surfaces, expressed by the points delimiting them. Point and cell data (scalar or vector) can also be assigned. We have therefore a file representing a graph, a classical mathematical model on which many operations can be performed: routing and clustering among others. We now come to our software. Python has been chosen as easy to use, widespread programming language, good for rapid prototyping and rich in package and libraries. The problem is divided in two main tasks: modelling the data structure that represents the graph and the algorithmic part, the aqueduct design.

5.2 Data Structure

To implement the data-structure we chose to use `NetworkX`. `NetworkX` is a Python package for the creation, manipulation, and study of complex networks. The package provides classes for graph objects, generators to create standard graphs, IO routines for reading in existing

datasets, algorithms to analyze the resulting networks and some drawing tools. The software takes as input two shape files: the first describes the topology, the second the source and sinks. The topology is either a mesh, representing the geography of the region or a polyline with just the road network of the region. The roads are particularly important because aqueducts are built along roads for logistical reasons. The second file is a polygon file containing the buildings that should be served by the aqueduct and the water sources. From these data, a first graph is obtained. The graph has as nodes the points described in topology file plus the buildings. The coordinates of building-representing nodes are the average of the coordinates that also have the metadata associated. The edges are the edges described in the topology file plus the edges connecting the building to the nearest node of the network in order to obtain a connected graph.

5.3 Hopfield neural network

We will now explain what Hopfield Neural Networks are, with particular attention to the TSP application, although the definition we will give is general. It is a recurrent ANN, as opposed to feed forward NN, which means neurons interconnections forms a directed cycle, so neurons are both input and output. Hopfield nets are sets of nodes where $X \in [1, n]$ and $k \in [1, n]$ and the state is characterized by the binary activation values $y = (y_{Xj})$ of the nodes. A TSP problem with n cities can be modeled as an Hopfield net of dimension n^2 , where y_{Xj} is 1 if the city X is in the j -position of the tour.

The input $s_k(t+1)$ of the neuron k is:

$$s_k(t+1) = \sum_{j \neq k} y_j(t) w_{jk} + \theta_k$$

where w_{jk} is the weight of the connection between j and k and θ_k is the bias. The forward function is applied to the node input to obtain the new activation value at time $t+1$:

$$y_k(t) = \text{sgn}(s_k(t-1))$$

The energy function is as follows so that the optimal solution will minimize it:

$$E = \frac{A}{2} \sum_X \sum_j \sum_{k \neq j} y_{Xj} y_{Xk} + \frac{B}{2} \sum_j \sum_X \sum_{X \neq Y} y_{Xj} y_{Yj} + \frac{C}{2} \left(\sum_X \sum_j y_{Xj} - n \right)^2 + \frac{D}{2} \sum_X \sum_Y \sum_j d_{XY} y_{Xj} (y_{Y,j+1} + y_{Y,j-1})$$

The first two terms are null if and only if there is a maximum of one active neuron for each row and column respectively. The third term is null if and only if there are n active neurons. The last term takes in account the distance of the path, that should be minimized as well.

The Hebbian rule to update the weights is deduced from the energy function:

$$w_{Xj,Yk} = -A \delta_{XY} (1 - \delta_{jK}) - B \delta_{jk} (1 - \delta_{XY}) - C - D d_{XY} (\delta_{k,j+1} + \delta_{k,j-1})$$

where $k_j = 1$ if $j = k$ and zero otherwise. As in the energy function the first term inhibits connection within each row, the second within columns, the third is the global inhibition and the last term takes into account the distance between the cities.

Under the hypothesis $w_{Xj,Yk} = w_{Yk,Xj}$ the method can be proved to have stable points. At each iteration the net updates his parameters according to the Hebbian rule and the evolution of the state can be proved to be monotonically nonincreasing with respect of the energy function. Performing then a gradient descent, after a certain number of repetition the state converge to a stable point that is a minima of the energy function.

5.4 Clustering

In this section we will explain the different routing techniques used.
Dijstrak

Dijkstra's algorithm is an algorithm for finding the shortest paths between two nodes in the graph. Here is the pseudo-code

```
function Dijkstra(Graph, source):
2 3 create vertex set Q
4 5 for each vertex v in Graph: //
Initialization
6 dist[v] ← INFINITY // Unknown distance from source to v
7 prev[v] ← UNDEFINED // Previous node in optimal path from source
8 add v to Q // All nodes initially in Q (unvisited nodes)
9 10 dist[source] ← 0 // Distance from source to source
11 12 while Q is not empty:
13 u ← vertex in Q with min dist[u] // Node with the least distance
14 // will be selected first
15 remove u from Q
16 17 for each neighbor v of u: // where v is still in Q.
18 alt ← dist[u] + length(u, v)
19 if alt < dist[v]: // A shorter path to v has been found
20 dist[v] ← alt
21 prev[v] ← u
22 23 return dist[], prev[]
```

5.5 Travelling salesman problem

Chapter 6

Presentation and validation of experimental results

The clustering algorithm and the MST were executed on a shapefile obtained from a map of Limitone, near Potenza in southern Italy. The network obtained is shown in Fig??. Several sub-networks can be distinguished. The main one is the adduction network which carries the water to every village. The other ones are distribution networks which distribute water within every village. This test showed that the clustering algorithm was able to identify villages from a shapefile that only displayed the buildings of the area. In addition, it also showed that it was possible to build a MST linking all the villages and buildings.

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Chapter 7

Conclusions

7.1 Summary of Thesis Achievements

Si mostrano le prospettive future di ricerca nell'area dove si è svolto il lavoro. Talvolta questa sezione può essere l'ultima sottosezione della precedente. Nelle conclusioni si deve richiamare l'area, lo scopo della tesi, cosa è stato fatto, come si valuta quello che si è fatto e si enfatizzano le prospettive future per mostrare come andare avanti nell'area di studio.

7.2 Applications

7.3 Future work

Appendix A

Documentazione del progetto logico

Documentazione del progetto logico dove si documenta il progetto logico del sistema e se è il caso si mostra la progettazione in grande del SW e dell'HW. Quest'appendice mostra l'architettura logica implementativa (nella Sezione 4 c'era la descrizione, qui ci vanno gli schemi a blocchi e i diagrammi).

Appendix B

Documentazione della programmazione

Documentazione della programmazione in piccolo dove si mostra la struttura ed eventualmente l'albero di Jackson.

Appendix C

Listato

Il listato (o solo parti rilevanti di questo, se risulta particolarmente esteso) con l'autodocumentazione relativa.

```
1  # -*- coding: utf-8 -*-
3  import networkx as nx
   import math
5  import sys
7  # sys.setdefaultencoding('utf8 ')
9  """
   Created on Mon Dec  4 22:57:30 2017
11
   @author: Conrad
13  """
15
   class Router(object):
17     #
   -----
19     # -- CLASS ATTRIBUTES
   #
   -----
21     # Class description
   CLASS_NAME = "Router"
23     CLASS_AUTHOR = "Marcello Vaccarino"
25
   # Attributes
   graph = nx.Graph()
27     sinksource_graph = nx.Graph()
   acqueduct = nx.Graph()
29     #
   -----
31     # -- INITIALIZATION
   #
```

```

33 def __init__(self, topo_file=None, building_file=None):
34
35     if topo_file != None and building_file != None:
36         try:
37             # [TODO] this function does not read building but single points
38             self.read_shp(topo_file, building_file)
39         except Exception as e:
40             raise e
41     elif building_file != None:
42         try:
43             self.read_shp_bilding(building_file)
44         except Exception as e:
45             raise e
46     elif topo_file != None:
47         try:
48             self.read_vtk(topo_file)
49         except Exception as e:
50             raise e
51
52     #
53
54     # -- CLASS ATTRIBUTES
55     #
56
57     def avg(self, node_list):
58         x = 0
59         y = 0
60         for node in node_list:
61             x += node[0]
62             y += node[1]
63         x /= len(node_list)
64         y /= len(node_list)
65         return (x, y)
66
67     def read_shp_bilding(self, file_name):
68
69         try:
70             import shapefile
71         except ImportError:
72             raise ImportError("read_shp requires pyshp")
73
74         sf = shapefile.Reader(file_name)
75         fields = [x[0] for x in sf.fields]
76
77         for shapeRecs in sf.iterShapeRecords():
78             shape = shapeRecs.shape
79             for cell in self.row_chuncker(shape.points, shape.parts):
80                 center_coord = self.avg(cell)
81                 attributes = dict(zip(fields, shapeRecs.record))
82                 attributes['pos'] = center_coord

```

```

81         self.graph.add_node(center_coord)

83     # chunker: see compressed row storage
84     def row_chunker(self, array, p_array):
85         p_array.append(len(array))
86         return [array[p_array[i]:p_array[i+1]]
87                 for i in range(len(p_array)-1)]

89     def read_shp(self, file_name, point_file=None):
90         """Generates a networkx.DiGraph from shapefiles. Point geometries are
91         translated into nodes, lines into edges. Coordinate tuples are used as
92         keys. Attributes are preserved, line geometries are simplified into
93         start and end coordinates. Accepts a single shapefile or directory of
94         many shapefiles.

95         "The Esri Shapefile or simply a shapefile is a popular geospatial
96         vector data format for geographic information systems software."

97         Parameters
98         -----
99         path : file or string
100             File, directory, or filename to read.

101         simplify: bool
102             If "True", simplify line geometries to start and end coordinates.
103             If "False", and line feature geometry has multiple segments, the
104             non-geometric attributes for that feature will be repeated for each
105             edge comprising that feature.

106         Returns
107         -----
108         G : NetworkX graph

109         Examples
110         -----
111         >>> G=nx.read_shp('test.shp') # doctest: +SKIP

112         References
113         -----
114         .. [1] http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Shapefile
115         """
116         try:
117             import shapefile
118         except ImportError:
119             raise ImportError("read_shp requires pyshp")

120         sf = shapefile.Reader(file_name)
121         fields = [x[0] for x in sf.fields]

122         for shapeRecs in sf.iterShapeRecords():

123             shape = shapeRecs.shape
124             if shape.shapeType == 1: # point
125                 attributes = dict(zip(fields, shapeRecs.record))
126                 attributes["pos"] = shape.points[0]

```

```

self.graph.add_node(shape.points[0], attributes)

137
if shape.shapeType == 3:    # polylines
139     attributes1 = dict(zip(fields, shapeRecs.record))
    attributes2 = dict(zip(fields, shapeRecs.record))
141     for i in range(len(shape.points) - 1):
        '''
143         attributes1["pos"] = shape.points[i]
        n1 = self.add_node_unique(shape.points[i], attributes1)
145         attributes2["pos"] = shape.points[i + 1]
        n2 = self.add_node_unique(shape.points[i + 1], attributes2)
147         attribute = {'dist': self.distance(n1, n2)}
        print '{0}: {1}, {2}'.format(i, n1, n2)
149         self.graph.add_edge(n1, n2, attribute) '''
        attributes1["pos"] = shape.points[i]
151         n1 = shape.points[i]
        self.graph.add_node(n1, attributes1)
153         attributes2["pos"] = shape.points[i + 1]
        n2 = shape.points[i + 1]
155         self.graph.add_node(n2, attributes2)
        attribute = {'dist': self.distance(n1, n2)}
157         self.graph.add_edge(n1, n2, attribute)

159
if shape.shapeType == 5:    # polygraph
    # chunker: see compressed row storage
161     def chunker(array, p_array):
        p_array.append(len(array))
163         return [array[p_array[i]:p_array[i+1]]
                for i in range(len(p_array)-1)]

165
    # given a cell returns the edges (node tuple) implicitly
defined in it
167     def pairwise(seq):
        return [seq[i:i+2] for i in range(len(seq)-1)]

169
    for cell in chunker(shape.points, shape.parts):
171         for n1, n2 in pairwise(cell):
            attributes1 = dict(zip(fields, shapeRecs.record))
173             attributes1["pos"] = n1
            attributes2 = dict(zip(fields, shapeRecs.record))
175             attributes2["pos"] = n2
            # add nodes of the shape to the graph
177             n1 = self.add_node_unique(n1, attributes1)
            n2 = self.add_node_unique(n2, attributes2)
179             attribute = {'dist': self.distance(n1, n2)}
            # add edge
181             self.graph.add_edge(n1, n2, attribute)

183
if point_file != None:
    sf = shapefile.Reader(point_file)
185     new_fields = [x[0] for x in sf.fields]
    nodes2attributes = {node: data \
187                     for node, data in self.graph.nodes(data=1)}
    for shapeRecs in sf.iterShapeRecords():
189         shape = shapeRecs.shape

```



```

191         if shape.shapeType != 1:      # point
192             raise ValueError("point-file must be of type 1: points")
193         new_attributes = dict(zip(new_fields, shapeRecs.record))
194         nodes = [tuple(point) for point in shape.points]
195         for node in nodes:
196             # print node in nodes2attributes, new_attributes
197             nodes2attributes[node].update(new_attributes)
198         for node, data in self.graph.nodes(data=1):
199             data.update(nodes2attributes[node])
200         # nx.set_node_attributes(self.graph, nodes2attributes)
201
202     def write2shp(self, G, filename):
203         try:
204             import shapefile
205         except ImportError:
206             raise ImportError("read_shp requires pyshp")
207
208         w = shapefile.Writer(shapeType=3)
209         #w.field("DC_ID", "LENGHT", "NODE1", "NODE2", "DIAMETRE", "ROUGHNESS",
210         "MINORLOSS", "STATUS", "C")
211
212         w.fields = [(("DeletionFlag", "C", 1, 0), ("DC_ID", "N", 9, 0),
213                     ("LENGHT", "N", 18, 5), ("NODE1", "N", 9, 1), ("NODE2", "N", 9, 0),
214                     ("DIAMETRE", "N", 18, 5), ("ROUGHNESS", "N", 18, 5), ("MINORLOSS",
215                     "N", 18, 5),
216                     ("STATUS", "C", 1, 0))]
217
218         i = 0
219         lenghts = nx.get_edge_attributes(G, 'dist')
220         print(lenghts)
221         for edge in lenghts:
222             line = [edge[0], edge[1]]
223             w.line(parts=[line])
224             w.record(i, lenghts[(edge[0], edge[1])],
225                     1, 2, 100, 0.1, 0, "1")
226             i+=1
227         w.save(filename)
228
229     def write2vtk(self, G):
230
231         # import sys
232         # sys.path = ['..'] + sys.path
233         import pyvtk
234
235         points = [list(node) for node, data in G.nodes(data=True)]
236         line = []
237         for edge in G.edges():
238             for i, node in enumerate(G.nodes()):
239                 if node == edge[0]:
240                     n1 = i
241             for i, node in enumerate(G.nodes()):
242                 if node == edge[1]:
243                     n2 = i
244             line.append([n1, n2])

```

```

243     vtk = pyvtk.VtkData(pyvtk.UnstructuredGrid(points, line=line))
244     vtk.tofile('example1', 'ascii')
245
246 def add_node_unique(self, new_node, new_attributes):
247     """
248     grants that the node added is unique with respect to the pos
249     attribute equality relationship
250     """
251     for node in self.graph.nodes(True):
252         if node[1]["pos"] == new_attributes["pos"]:
253             return node[0]
254     self.graph.add_node(new_node, new_attributes)
255     return new_node
256
257 def read_vtk(self, file_name):
258     import numpy as np
259     try:
260         from mesh import Mesh
261     except ImportError:
262         raise ImportError("read_vtk requires pymesh")
263
264     # initialize the vtk reader
265     reader = Mesh()
266
267     # read the vtk
268     reader.ReadFromFileVtk(file_name)
269
270     # add nodes to the graph
271     for index, node in enumerate(reader.node_coord):
272         self.graph.add_node(index, pos=reader.node_coord[index])
273
274     '''
275     chunker
276     Principe bas sur le stockage CSR ou CRS (Compressed Row Storage)
277     dont voici une illustration :
278     Soient six nuds num roles de 0 5 et quatre el ements form
279     es par
280     les n uds (0, 2, 3) pour l' el ement 0, (1, 2, 4) pour l'element ,
281     (0, 1, 3, 4) pour l el e - ment 2 et (1, 5) pour l el
282     ement 3.
283     Deux tableaux sont utilis es , l un pour stocker de fa con contigu
284     e
285     les listes de n uds qui composent les el ements (table 1),
286     l autre
287     pour indiquer la position, dans ce tableau, ou' commence chacune de
288     ces listes (table 2).
289     Ainsi, le chiffre 6 en position 2 dans le tableau p elem2node indique
290     que le premier n ud de l el ement 2 se trouve en position 6 du
291     tableau elem2node. La derni ere valeur dans p elem2node correspond au
292     nombre de cellules (la taille) du tableau elem2node.
293
294     elem2node
295     0 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 5
296     1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
297     ^ ^ ^ ^ ^

```

```

295     p_elem2node
296     0 | 3 | 6 | 10 | 12
297     1  2  3  4  4
298     ',,'
299
300     def chunker(array, p_array):
301         return [array[p_array[i]:p_array[i+1]]
302                 for i in range(len(p_array)-1)]
303
304     # given a cell returns the edges implicitly defined in it
305     def pairwise(seq):
306         return [seq[i:i+2] for i in range(len(seq)-2)] + \
307                [[seq[0], seq[len(seq)-1]]]
308
309     datas = np.asarray([data['pos']
310                         for _, data in self.graph.nodes(data=True)])
311
312     def distance3D(u, v, datas):
313         xi = datas[u][0]
314         yi = datas[u][1]
315         zi = datas[u][2]
316         xj = datas[v][0]
317         yj = datas[v][1]
318         zj = datas[v][2]
319         return math.sqrt((xi-xj)*(xi-xj) +
320                           (yi-yj)*(yi-yj) + (zi-zj)*(zi-zj))
321
322     # add edges to the graph
323     for cell in chunker(reader.elem2node, reader.p_elem2node):
324         for u, v in pairwise(cell):
325             if u not in self.graph[v]:
326                 self.graph.add_edge(u, v, weight=distance3D(u, v, datas))
327
328     def distance(self, nodei, nodej):
329         xi = nodei[0]
330         yi = nodei[1]
331         xj = nodej[0]
332         yj = nodej[1]
333         if len(nodei) == 3 and len(nodej) == 3:
334             zi = nodei[2]
335             zj = nodej[2]
336             return math.sqrt((xi-xj)*(xi-xj) + (yi-yj)*(yi-yj) +
337                               (zi-zj)*(zi-zj))
338         return math.sqrt((xi-xj)*(xi-xj)+(yi-yj)*(yi-yj))
339
340     # cartesian norme in 2D
341     def distance2D(self, nodei, nodej):
342         xi = self.graph.nodes(data=True)[nodei][1]['pos'][0]
343         yi = self.graph.nodes(data=True)[nodei][1]['pos'][1]
344         xj = self.graph.nodes(data=True)[nodej][1]['pos'][0]
345         yj = self.graph.nodes(data=True)[nodej][1]['pos'][1]
346         return math.sqrt((xi-xj)*(xi-xj)+(yi-yj)*(yi-yj))
347
348     # cartesian norme in 3D

```

```

349 def distance3D(self, nodei, nodej):
350     xi = self.graph.nodes(data=True)[nodei][1]['pos'][0]
351     yi = self.graph.nodes(data=True)[nodei][1]['pos'][1]
352     zi = self.graph.nodes(data=True)[nodei][1]['pos'][2]
353     xj = self.graph.nodes(data=True)[nodej][1]['pos'][0]
354     yj = self.graph.nodes(data=True)[nodej][1]['pos'][1]
355     zj = self.graph.nodes(data=True)[nodej][1]['pos'][2]
356     return math.sqrt((xi-xj)*(xi-xj) + (yi-yj)*(yi-yj) + (zi-zj)*(zi-zj))
357
358 # returns 2D coordinates of the nodes of self.graph
359 def coord2D(self, G):
360     coord2D = {}
361     for key, value in nx.get_node_attributes(G,
362                                             'pos').iteritems():
363         coord2D[key] = [value[0], value[1]]
364     return coord2D
365
366 # display the mesh using networkx function
367 def display_mesh(self):
368     nodelist = []
369     node_color = []
370     for node in self.graph.nodes(data=1):
371         node_type = node[1]['FID']
372         if not node_type == '':
373             nodelist.append(node[0])
374             node_color.append('r' if node_type == 'sink' else 'b')
375     try:
376         nx.draw_networkx(self.graph, pos=self.coord2D(), nodelist=nodelist,
377                         with_labels=0, node_color=node_color)
378     except:
379         pass
380
381 # display the mesh with a path marked on it
382 def display_path(self, path):
383     nodelist = []
384     node_color = []
385     for node in self.graph.nodes(data=1):
386         node_type = node[1]['FID']
387         if not node_type == '':
388             nodelist.append(node[0])
389             node_color.append('r' if node_type == 'sink' else 'b')
390
391     color = {edge: 'b' for edge in self.graph.edges()}
392     # returns an array of pairs, the elements of seq two by two
393     def pairwise(seq):
394         return [seq[i:i+2] for i in range(len(seq)-2)]
395     # colors the edges
396     for u, v in pairwise(path):
397         if (u, v) in color:
398             color[(u, v)] = 'r'
399         if (v, u) in color:
400             color[(v, u)] = 'r'
401
402 # makes an array of the dictionary, the order is important!
403 array = []

```

```

    for edge in self.graph.edges():
        array += color[edge]
    nx.draw_networkx(self.graph, pos=self.coord2D(),
        nodelist=nodelist, with_labels=0,
        node_color=node_color, edge_color=array)

def shortest_path(self, node1, node2):
    """
    Calculates the shortest path on self.graph.
    Path is a sequence of traversed nodes
    """
    try:
        path = nx.shortest_path(self.graph, source=node1, target=node2,
            weight="weight")
    except:
        pass
    return path

def path_lenght(self, path):
    """
    given a path on the graph returns the lenght of the path in the
    unit the coordinats are expressed
    """
    if path is None:
        return float("inf")
    lenght = 0.0
    # given the path (list of node) returns the edges contained
    path_edges = [path[i:i+2] for i in range(len(path)-2)]
    # iterate to edges and calculate the weight
    for u, v in path_edges:
        lenght += self.distance(u, v)
    return lenght

def TSP(self, cities):
    """
    declaring the adjacency matrix
    T = numpy.empty(shape=(len(cities),len(cities)))
    for u, i in cities:
        for v, j in itertools(cities):
            uv_path = shortest_path(u, v)
            T[i][j] = path_lenght(shortest_path)

    start = timeit.default_timer() #start timer
    paths = []
    for combo in itertools.permutations(range(1,len(T[0]))):
        lenght = 0
        prev = 0
        path = []
        path += [0]
        for elem in combo:
            lenght += T[prev][elem]
            prev = elem
            path += [elem]
        lenght += T[combo[len(combo)-1]][0]
        path += [0]

```

```

459         paths.append((path, lenght))
460         stop = timeit.default_timer() # stop timer
461         time = stop - start
462         return paths, time
463     '''

464 def is_sourcesink(self, node):
465     '''given a node as in the networkx.Graph.nodes(data=1)
466     returns 1 if the node is a sink or a source, 0 elsewhere'''
467     if not node[1]['FID'] == '':
468         return 1
469     return 0

470 def compute_source_matrix(self):
471     for node in self.graph.nodes(data=1):
472         if self.is_sourcesink(node):
473             self.sinksources_graph.add_node(node[0], node[1])

474     for n1 in self.sinksources_graph.nodes():
475         for n2 in self.sinksources_graph.nodes():
476             if n1 is not n2:
477                 path = self.shortest_path(n1, n2)
478                 if path is not None:
479                     self.sinksources_graph.add_edge(n1, n2,
480                                                         {'dist': self.path_lenght(path),
481                                                         'path': path})

482 def design_minimal_aqueduct(self, G):
483     minimal = nx.minimum_spanning_tree(G, weight='dist')
484     return minimal

485 def display_recouvring_graph(self, G):
486     path = []
487     for edge in G.edges(data=True):
488         path += edge[2]['path']
489     self.display_path(path)

490 def complete_graph(self, G):
491     for n1 in G.nodes():
492         for n2 in G.nodes():
493             if n1 != n2:
494                 # attributes = {'path': [n1, n2], 'dist': self.distance(n1,
495 n2)}
496                 G.add_edge(n1, n2)
497                 G.edges[n1, n2]['dist'] = self.distance(n1, n2)
498                 G.edges[n1, n2]['path'] = [n1, n2]

499 def mesh_graph(self, G, weight):
500     """complexity (len(G.nodes))^3"""
501     distances = nx.get_edge_attributes(G, weight)
502     # condition to create the gabriel relative neighbour graph
503     def neighbors(p, q):
504         for r in G.nodes:
505             if r != q and r != p:
506                 def dist(n1, n2):

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513         if (n1, n2) in distances:
514             return distances[(n1,n2)]
515         else:
516             return distances[(n2,n1)]
517         if max(dist(p,r), dist(q,r)) < dist(p,q):
518             return False
519     return True

521 # connect graph
522 gabriel_graph = nx.Graph()
523 for n1 in G.nodes():
524     for n2 in G.nodes():
525         if n1 != n2:
526             if neighbors(n1, n2):
527                 gabriel_graph.add_edge(n1, n2)
528 return gabriel_graph

529
530 def graphToEdgeMatrix(self, G):
531     node_dict = {node: index for index, node in enumerate(G)}

532
533     # Initialize Edge Matrix
534     edgeMat = [[0 for x in range(len(G))] for y in range(len(G))]
535
536     # For loop to set 0 or 1 ( diagonal elements are set to 1)
537     for i, node in enumerate(G):
538         tempNeighList = G.neighbors(node)
539         for neighbor in tempNeighList:
540             edgeMat[i][node_dict[neighbor]] = 1
541         edgeMat[i][i] = 1

542
543     return edgeMat

544
545 def clusters(self, G):
546     """
547     Finds the clusters
548     """
549     # imports from a machine learning package skit-learn
550     from sklearn.cluster import MeanShift, estimate_bandwidth

551
552     # creates a array with the 2D coordinats for each node
553     X = [[node[0], node[1]] for node in G.nodes()]
554     # estimates the dimensions of single clusters
555     bandwidth = estimate_bandwidth(X, quantile=0.1,
556                                   random_state=0, n_jobs=1)

557     # find clustes
558     ms = MeanShift(bandwidth=bandwidth)
559     ms.fit(X)

560
561     # labels is an array indicating, for each node, the cluster number
562     labels = {node: ms.labels_[i] for i, node in enumerate(G.nodes())}

563
564     # ——— ADDUCTION ———
565     """
566     # add cluster centers to the graph
567     for node in cluster_centers:

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        attribute = {'label': 'water tower', 'pos': node}
569     G.add_node(node, attribute)
        attribute = {'type': 'sink'}
571     self.sinksources_graph.add_node(node, attribute)
    ...,

573     addition = nx.Graph()
    cluster_centers = [(node[0], node[1]) for node in ms.cluster_centers_]
575     for node in cluster_centers:
        addition.add_node(node)
577     self.complete_graph(addition)
    addition = self.mesh_graph(addition, weight='dist')
579
    print(len(addition.edges()))
581
    nx.draw_networkx(addition)
583     # coord = {elem[0]: [elem[0][0], elem[0][1]] for elem in addition.
nodes(data=True)}
    # nx.draw_networkx(addition, pos=coord, label=False)
585     self.write2shp(addition, "addition_network")
    self.acqueduct.add_edges_from(addition.edges())
587
    # ——— DISTRIBUTION ———
589     # add label info to the graph
    nx.set_node_attributes(G, labels, 'label')
591     # initialize distribution graphs
    distribution = [nx.Graph() for cluster in cluster_centers]
593     for node in labels:
        cluster = labels[node]
595         distribution[cluster].add_node(node)
    ...,

597     # connect each node with his the cluster center
    node_list = []
599     for index, node in enumerate(G):
        node_list.append(node)
601         labels = nx.get_node_attributes(G, 'label')
        label = labels[node]
603         if label is not 'water tower':
            G.add_edge(node, cluster_centers[label])
605     ...,

    for dist_graph in distribution:
607         self.complete_graph(dist_graph)
        dist_graph = nx.minimum_spanning_tree(dist_graph, weight='dist')
609         self.acqueduct.add_edges_from(dist_graph.edges())

611 def route_vesuvio(self, n1, n2):
    try:
613         import shapefile
    except ImportError:
615         raise ImportError("read_shp requires pyshp")
    # route
617     path = self.shortest_path(n1, n2)

619     # turn path into acqueduct graph
    datas = [data['pos'] for _, data in self.graph.nodes(data=True)]
621     path_coord = [tuple(datas[node]) for node in path]

```



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        path_edges = [path_coord[i:i + 2] for i in range(len(path_coord) - 2)]
623     self.acqueduct.add_edges_from(path_edges)

625     # write shp
        def write2shape():
627         w = shapefile.Writer(shapeType=3)
            w.field("name", "C")
629             line = path_edges
            w.line(parts=line)
631             w.record('path')
            w.save('path')
633
def render_vtk(file_name):
635
637     import vtk

639     # Read the source file.
        reader = vtk.vtkUnstructuredGridReader()
        reader.SetFileName(file_name)
641         reader.Update() # Needed because of GetScalarRange
        output = reader.GetOutput()
643         scalar_range = output.GetScalarRange()

645         # Create the mapper that corresponds the objects of the vtk.vtk file
        # into graphics elements
        mapper = vtk.vtkDataSetMapper()
647         mapper.SetInputData(output)
        mapper.SetScalarRange(scalar_range)
649

651         # Create the Actor
        actor = vtk.vtkActor()
653         actor.SetMapper(mapper)

655         # Create the Renderer
        renderer = vtk.vtkRenderer()
657         renderer.AddActor(actor)
        renderer.SetBackground(1, 1, 1) # Set background to white
659

661         # Create the RenderWindow
        renderer_window = vtk.vtkRenderWindow()
        renderer_window.AddRenderer(renderer)
663

665         # Create the RenderWindowInteractor and display the vtk_file
        interactor = vtk.vtkRenderWindowInteractor()
        interactor.SetRenderWindow(renderer_window)
667         interactor.Initialize()
        interactor.Start()
669

def tsp_example():
671     return 0

673 def clustering_example():
        return 0
675

def template_clustering(path_sample, eps, minpts, amount_clusters=None,

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visualize=True, ccore=False):
677     sample = read_sample(path_sample);

679     optics_instance = optics(sample, eps, minpts, amount_clusters, ccore);
    (ticks, _) = timedcall(optics_instance.process);

681     print("Sample: ", path_sample, "\t\tExecution time: ", ticks, "\n");

683     if (visualize is True):
685         clusters = optics_instance.get_clusters();
        noise = optics_instance.get_noise();

687         visualizer = cluster_visualizer();
689         visualizer.append_clusters(clusters, sample);
        visualizer.append_cluster(noise, sample, marker = 'x');
691         visualizer.show();

693         ordering = optics_instance.get_ordering();
        analyser = ordering_analyser(ordering);

695         ordering_visualizer.show_ordering_diagram(analyser, amount_clusters);

697 def vesuvio_example():
699     router = Router(topo_file="vtk/Vesuvio")
    router.route-vesuvio(32729, 31991)
701     # write to vtk
    router.write2vtk(router.acqueduct)
703     # render-vtk("vtk/Vesuvio")

705 def paesi_example():
    router = Router(building_file="geographycal_data/paesi_elev/paesi_elev")
707     router.clusters(router.graph)
    router.write2shp(router.acqueduct, "acqueduct1")
709

711 def cluster_simple_example():
    import random;

713     from pyclustering.cluster import cluster_visualizer;
    from pyclustering.cluster.optics import optics, ordering_analyser,
    ordering_visualizer;

715     from pyclustering.utils import read_sample, timedcall;

717     from pyclustering.samples.definitions import SIMPLE_SAMPLES, FCPS_SAMPLES;

719     template_clustering(SIMPLE_SAMPLES.SAMPLE_SIMPLE1, 0.5, 3);

721     paesi_example()
723     # National_Hydrography_Dataset_NHD_Points_Medium_Resolution/
    National_Hydrography_Dataset_NHD_Points_Medium_Resolution
    # National_Hydrography_Dataset_NHD_Lines_Medium_Resolution/
    National_Hydrography_Dataset_NHD_Lines_Medium_Resolution
725     # Railroads/Railroads
    # Routesnaples/routesnaples
727     # "shapefiles/Domain", "shapefiles/pointspoly"

```

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# "shapeline/shapeline", "shapeline/points"
729 # nx.draw_networkx(router.sinksources_graph, pos=router.coord2D(), with_labels
    =0)
    # router.design_minimal_aqueduct()
731 # router.display_path(path)
    # nx.draw_networkx_nodes(router.graph, pos=router.coord2D())
733 # router.display_mesh()
    # print nx.clustering(router.graph)
735 # print nx.floyd_warshall_numpy(router.graph, weight='dist')
    # runfile('/Users/Conrad/Documents/EC/Course deuxieme ann e/Project Inno/
        Projet_P5C006/router.py', wdir='/Users/Conrad/Documents/EC/Course
        deuxieme ann e/Project Inno/Projet_P5C006')
```


Appendix D

Il manuale utente

Manuale utente per l'utilizzo del sistema

D.1 Instructions for installation

The following instructions allow to install the environment to run our applications. First open in terminal the folder in which you wish to create the dedicated environment: `cd /path/to/folder/folder_`. Then create a virtual environment using `venv`, python `--version >= 3` is required `python -m venv my-virtualenv`

Activate the environment `source my-virtualenv/bin/activate`

Finally install all the requested packages `pip install -r requirements.txt`

Appendix E

Use case scenario

In this section will be presented a couple of use case scenarios, from the easier to the more complex ones.

E.1 Simple 3D routing

In this example a simple 3D routing is computed and rendered. Calling the command `vesuvio_example()` in the python shell will execute the following instructions

```
2   router = Router(topo_file="vtk/Vesuvio")
      router.route-vesuvio(32729, 31991)
4   router.write2vtk(router.acqueduct)
      render_vtk("vtk/Vesuvio")
```

The topography of the Vesuvio and surrounding areas is loaded from a vtk file into a networkx graph data structure of the router python class. The shortest path is computed using the Dijkstra algorithm between two points. This path is then exported as a vtk file. Finally the two vtk, the topography and the path are rendered using the vtk library. The result is shown in figure

E.2 Clustering

E.3 Travel Salesman Problem

E.4 Minimum Spanning Tree

E.5 Automatic design

Executing the command `paesi_example()` will reproduce the case studied in ???. The following instructions are executed. A shape file representing the buildings position

are loaded. Then clusters and paths are computed as above. The result is exported as shape file, named "aqueduct".

Appendix F

Datasheet

Eventuali Datasheet di riferimento.