



Chapter 3

① How many topological orderings does it have?

6.

② Explain how you get computed it.

Find a node v with no incoming edges and order it first,
Delete the node v from the graph G , add v into the order T .
Recursively compute the rest of G' whose node set is $G - \{v\}$.
and append the following deleted node after previous nodes in T .

③ List the topological order.

a → b → c → d → e → f

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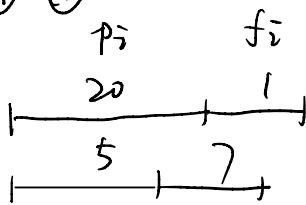
a → d → e → b → c → f

Chapter 4: Scheduling

I design 4 possible handling ideas.

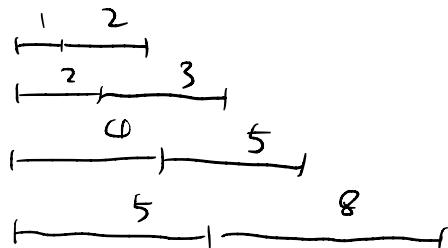
- ① Sort the jobs in a descending order of $p_i + f_i$
- ② Sort the jobs in an ascending order of $p_i + f_i$
- ③ Sort the jobs in a descending order of f_i right!!
- ④ Sort the jobs in an ascending order of f_i

① ④ :

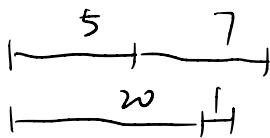


$$20 + 5 + 7 = 32 \text{ (not optimal)}$$

②

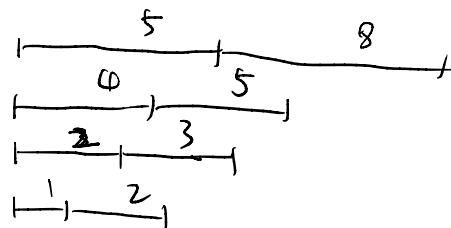


$$1+2+4+5+8 = 20 \text{ (not optimal)}$$



$$5 + 20 + 1 = 26 \text{ (optimal)}$$

① and ④ are false.



$$\begin{aligned} & 5 + 4 + 2 + 1 + 2 \\ & = 14 \text{ (optimal)} \end{aligned}$$

② is false.

a)
Algorithm:

Input: A list of jobs with the index $0, \dots, n-1$

Use the quick sort to sort all the jobs in an descending order of $J[i].f$.

From index $i = 0 \dots n-1$, feed a job to the super-computer wait for the job to finish pre-processing and send the job to any PC.

b) the running time is $O(n \log n)$.

The time complexity of sort part is $O(n \log n)$.

And the traverse part is $O(n)$

The total time complexity is $O(n \log n)$

We can use an efficient sorting algorithm, like quick sort.

Hence, the algorithm is easily seem to be a polynomial time algorithm.

(C) A: sort the jobs in a descending order of f_i .

Theorem: Greedy schedule A is optimal.

Pf. we define the inversion in schedule is a pair of jobs i and j such that: $J_{[i]} \cdot f_i < J_{[j]} \cdot f_j$ but i scheduled before j.

And we assume DPT to be an optimal schedule.

Absolutely, OPT has no idle time to ensure the earliest completion time.

• If DPT has no inversions, then $A = OPT$

• If OPT has inversions, let (i, j) be the inversion pair. Because $\sum_{k=1}^j p_k + f_i < \sum_{k=1}^j p_k + f_j$, $\sum_{k=1}^i p_k + f_j$

$< \sum_{k=1}^j p_k + f_j$, if we swap i and j, the former bigger completion

$\sum_{k=1}^j p_k + f_j$ will be replaced by $O = \max(\sum_{k=1}^j p_k + f_i, \sum_{k=1}^i p_k + f_j)$.

And $O < \sum_{k=1}^j p_k + f_j$.

Through swapping i and j, we won't increase the maximum completion time. If we strictly decrease the number of inversions, we will finally transform DPT to no inversions (the schedule A)

• Therefore A is optimal.

Chapter 4 - Trees on Graphs

$$(a) S = \{A\}$$

$$A: V-S = \{B, C, D, E, F\}$$

B	C	D	E	F
5	6	4	∞	∞

use $A \rightarrow D$ to shorten other distances.

$$A: S = \{A, D\} \quad V-S = \{B, C, E, F\}$$

B	C	D	E	F
5	6	4	∞	8

use $A \rightarrow B$ to shorten other distances.

$$A: S = \{A, D, B\} \quad V-S = \{C, E, F\}$$

B	C	D	E	F
5	6	4	∞	8

use $A \rightarrow C$ to shorten other distances.

$$A: S = \{A, D, B, C\} \quad V-S = \{E, F\}$$

B	C	D	E	F
5	6	4	11	8

use $A \rightarrow E$ to shorten other distances

$$A: S = \{A, B, D, C, E\} \quad V-S = \{F\}$$

B	C	D	E	F
5	6	4	11	8

use $A \rightarrow F$ to shorten other distances

$$A: S = \{A, B, D, C, F, E\} \quad V-S = \{\}$$

B	C	D	E	F
5	6	4	11	8

The result for node A

to all other nodes is .

Dis Route

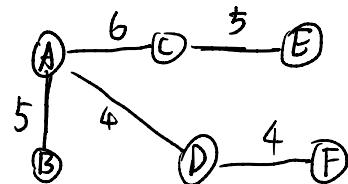
$A \rightarrow B : 5$ $A \rightarrow B$

$A \rightarrow C : 6$ $A \rightarrow C$

$A \rightarrow D : 4$ $A \rightarrow D$

$A \rightarrow E : 11$ $A \rightarrow C \rightarrow E$

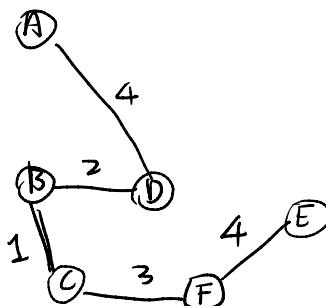
$A \rightarrow F : 8$ $A \rightarrow D \rightarrow F$



(b) Use kruskal algorithm to find the minimum spanning tree.
Follow an ascending order to sort all the edges.

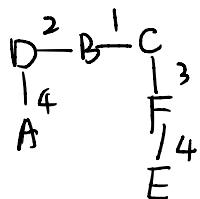
Num	Name	Dis
1	B-C	1
2	B-D	2
3	C-D	2
4	C-F	3
5	A-D	4
6	D-F	4
7	E-F	4
8	A-B	5
9	C-E	5
10	A-C	6

The spinning tree is

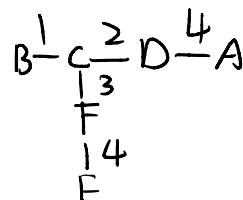


The cost of the minimum spanning tree:
 $4+2+1+3+4 = 14$

(c) The minimum spanning tree of this graph isn't unique.



(a)



(b)

For graph (a) and graph (b), the sum of edge weights are the same while the trees in graph (a) and graph (b) have different structure.

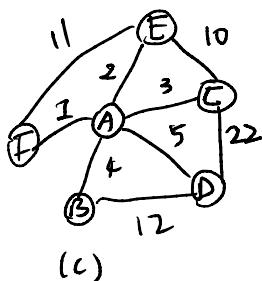
$$(a) d_{SPT}^{\text{avg}} = (5+6+4+11+8) \cdot \frac{1}{5} \\ = 6.8$$

$$d_{MST}^{\text{avg}} = (4+6+7+10+14) \cdot \frac{1}{5} \\ = 8.2$$

which one is greater , d_{SPT}^{avg} or d_{MST}^{avg} ?

d_{MST}^{avg} is greater .

Does the same answer hold for any graph $G = (V, E)$..?



Sometimes $d_{MST}^{\text{avg}} = d_{SPT}^{\text{avg}}$, but
 $d_{MST}^{\text{avg}} \geq d_{SPT}^{\text{avg}}$ is always true ; the
average d_{SPT}^{avg} is always the smallest .

Like graph (c) , the shortest path tree is the same with
the minimum spanning tree .

Chapter 4 - (Midterm, Fall 2019)

(a) USE the kruskal Algorithm, first sort all the edges in an ascending order.

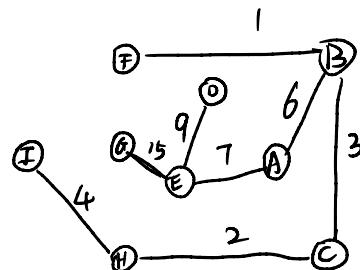
Num Name Dis

1	B-F	1
2	H-C	2
3	B-C	3
4	I-H	4
5	F-I	5
6	A-B	6
7	A-E	7
8	E-C	8
9	D-E	9
10	F-D	10
11	D-B	11
12	D-A	12
13	A-C	13
14	E-H	14
15	G-E	15
16	D-G	16
17	F-G	17
18	I-G	18
19	G-H	19

USE the Union - find.

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
A	B	C	D	E	B	G	H	I
A	B	H	D	E	B	G	H	I
A	B	B	D	E	B	G	B	I
A	B	B	D	E	B	G	B	B
B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B

② TREE



③ cost = (1+2+3+4+6+7+9+15)

= 47

(b) The MST for this graph is unique.

Proof: Because all the edges in G (graph presented) are distinct.

1. Assume the contrary, there are two different MSTs $A = (V, E_1)$ and $B = (V, E_2)$

2. Although A and B contain the same nodes, there is at least one edge that belongs to one but not the other.

$D = \{E_1 - E_2\} \cup \{E_2 - E_1\}$ is the edge which meets the standard. We then assume e_1 is the one with least weight; the choice is unique because all the edges in D are distinct and we assume e_1 is in MST A .

3. Because B is MST, $\{e_1\} \cup B$ must contains a cycle C .

4. It is evident there should be an edge in C which isn't in A , let's call the edge e_2 .

5. we previously choose the lowest-weight edge in D , what's more, e_1 and e_2 are all in D .

6. According the "cycle property" — Let C be any cycle, and let f be the max cost edge belonging to C . Then the MST doesn't contain f .

So replacing e_2 with e , in MST_B will make the total cost of MST_B lower.

7. This conclusion contradicts the assumption that B is a MST. Hence, MST_A equals MST_B and the MST for this graph (with distinct edges) is unique.

Chapter 4 — Combinatorial Structure of Spanning Trees

It's true that the resulting H is always connected. Let $G = (V, E)$ be a connected graph, and $T = (V, E_1)$ and $T' = (V, E_2)$.

The conclusion is the k is the different edges' number, then there will be a path of length k from T to T' in H . So any two distinct spanning trees will have at least one edge different, those two spanning trees will have a path, so H is connected.

Theorem: If $\text{spanning } T = (V, E_1)$ and $\text{spanning tree } T' = (V, E_2)$ have k different edges, there will be a path of length k from T to T' in H .

For case: $k=1$. We assume T' has exactly one edge not in T .

Then they are neighbours. From the definition of how H is constructed, we can know one edge is connected between the two nodes in H .

For case $k=n$, we assume this is true.

For case $k=n+1$, if $T' = (V, E_2)$ and $T = (V, E_1)$ have $n+1$ edges different, that is to say $|E_1 - E_2| = n+1$.

We randomly choose an edge e that is in E_2 but is not in E_1 .

Then $T \cup \{e\}$ will have a cycle (Because adding an edge to a MST will generate a cycle). T' will absolutely have e' which ^{is} included in E_1 but isn't included in E .

$T'' = T \cup \{e\} - \{e'\} = (V, E_3)$, T'' is also a spanning tree. $|E_2 - E_3| = 1$

We have hypothesized that there is a path of length n from T to T'' in H . Because $|E_1 - E_3| = 1$, there is a path of length 1 from T to T' . So there is a path of length $n+1$ from T to T' .

In conclusion, every node on graph H is reachable to other nodes. Hence, graph H is always connected.