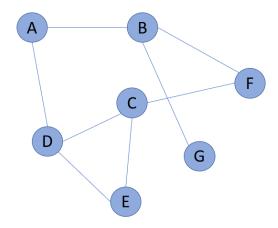
## Assignment: Graph Algorithms – I

Note: The problem 2 is to be discussed as part of the Group Assignment. (Check this week's Group Assignment on Canvas for details).

The questions asked in this assignment – code implementation and time complexity of your code should be done individually based on the problem-solving strategy discussed within your group.

1. Write BFS and DFS for a graph: What would be BFS and DFS traversal for the below graphs. Write the nodes for BFS and DFS. Start at node A.



## 2. Apply BFS/DFS to solve a problem

You are given a 3-D puzzle. The length and breadth of the puzzle is given by a 2D matrix puzzle[m][n]. The height of each cell is given by the value of each cell, the value of puzzle[row][column] give the height of the cell [row][column]. You are at [0][0] cell and you want to reach to the bottom right cell [m-1][n-1], the destination cell. You can move either up, down, left, or right. Write an algorithm to reach the destination cell with minimal effort. How effort is defined: The effort of route is the maximum absolute difference between two consecutive cells.

If a route requires us to cross heights: 1, 3, 4, 6, 3, 1 The absolute differences between consecutive cells is: |1-3| = 2, |3-4|=1, |4-6|=2, |6-3|=3, |3-1|=2; this gives us the values:  $\{2, 1, 2, 3, 2\}$ . The maximum value of these absolute differences is 3. Hence the effort required on this path will be: 3.

Example:

Input: puzzle[][] = [[1, 3, 5], [2, 8, 3], [3, 4, 5]]

Output: 1

Explanation: The minimal effort route would be [1, 2, 3, 4, 5] which has an effort of value 1. This is better than other routes for instance, route [1, 3, 5, 3, 5] which has an effort of 2.

1	3	5
2	8	3
3	4	5

- a. Implement the algorithm. Name your function **minEffort(puzzle)**; puzzle will be in the form of an 2D matrix as shown in the above example. Name your file **MinPuzzle.py**
- b. What is the time complexity of your implementation?
- 3. **Analyze Dijkstra with negative edges**: Analyze with a sample graph and show why Dijkstra does not work with negative edges. Give the sample graph and write your explanation why Dijkstra would not work in this case.
- 4. (Extra Credit): What would be BFS and DFS traversal in below puzzle. Start at node A.

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