CS2023 - Inclass Lab

Week 10 - Graphs

Note: You are required to answer the below questions and submit a PDF to the submission link provided under this week before the deadline (no extensions will be provided). You can either write / type your answers, but either way your answers should be readable.

Add the link to the GitHub repository

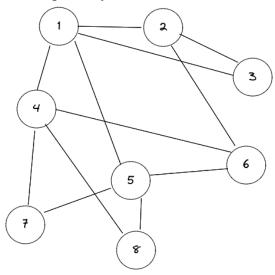


Figure 1: Graph for Section 1

Lab instruction

Please download the lab materials from the lab 10 section We will be implementing a Graph Abstract Data Type (ADT) in section 1 and section 2 we will be working a problem of link prediction. Section 1 requires coding, Section 2 DO NOT require coding.

Section 1: Implementing Graph ADT

Expected submission

- 1. Write the adajaceny list representation for the graph in Fig1
- 2. By using comments provided in the code, complete the following *Node (struct), intializenodes, addedge, print functions*
- 3. Create graph object and add the graph in Fig.1.
- 4. Print the adjacency list using the *print* function you implemented and take screenshot.
- 5. What is the change you will make in the *addedge* function so that Graph ADT could accept directed graphs.(Instead of accepting undirected graph, we need to accept directed graph). Write addedge altered function as your answer below.

Section 2: Working out link prediction, no coding required

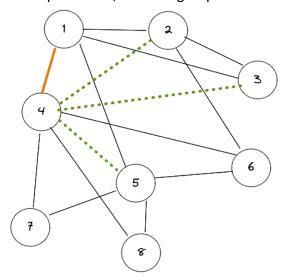


Figure 2: Graph for Section 2

To predict whether two nodes may have edge between them in the future, we must define a similarity score between the 2 nodes. Use the following similarity equation to calculate the similarity between 2 nodes,

$$Sim(a,b) = \frac{\text{\# of shared neighbours between a,b}}{\text{Total neighbours in a,b}} = \frac{a \cap b}{a \cup b}$$

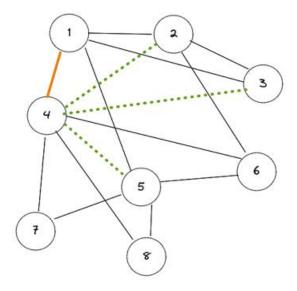
Refer graph in Fig.2 to answer the question below.

Lets assume graph in Fig.2 is a social network graph of a social media platform, where nodes denote people and edges between them indicate that they are connected as friends. Node 1 and Node 4 just became friends, which of the neighbours of Node 1 will you suggest for Node 4 (in other word predict which neighbour of Node 1 can have a edge with Node 4). Utilize the similarity function provided to justify the answer.

Answers

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Section 1:
1)
   1: [2,3,4,5]
   2: [1,3,6]
   3: [1,2]
   4: [1,6,7,8]
   5: [1,6,7,8]
   6: [2,4,5]
   7: [4,5]
   8: [4,5]
2)
3)
4)
      Output
    /tmp/wh11Nlt883.o
    1 -> 2,3,4,5,
    2 -> 1,3,6,
    3 -> 1,2,
    4 -> 1,6,7,8,
    5 -> 1,6,7,8,
    6 -> 2,4,5,
    7 -> 4,5,
    8 -> 4,5,
5)
void addedge(int u, int v){
    //select node u and push v into u's neighbour
    nodes[u].neighbours.push_back(v);
}
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Section 2:



- Neighbors of 1 -> 2,3,5,(4)
- Let's calculate similarities between 4 and neighbors of 1.

$$Sim(4,2) = \frac{2}{5}$$

$$Sim(4,3) = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$Sim(4,5) = \frac{4}{4}$$

• The highest similarity is between 4 and 5. Hence 5 is the best suggestion.