

- 教材讨论
 - JH第4章第3节第5小节

问题1： 算法4.3.5.1

- 算法的基本思路
- 算法近似比证明的基本思路
- 相对误差最坏的例子

Algorithm 4.3.5.1.

Input: A complete graph $G = (V, E)$, and a cost function $c : E \rightarrow \mathbb{N}^+$ satisfying the triangle inequality

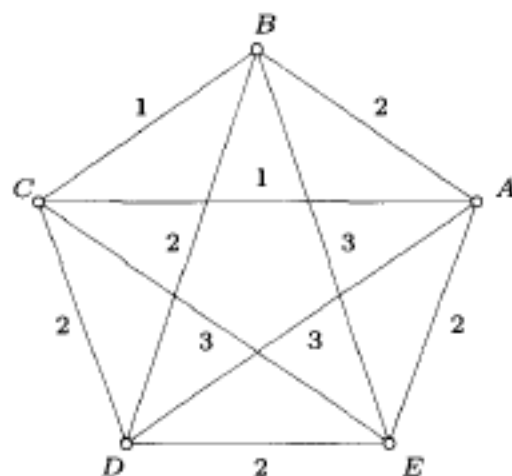
$$c(\{u, v\}) \leq c(\{u, w\}) + c(\{w, v\})$$

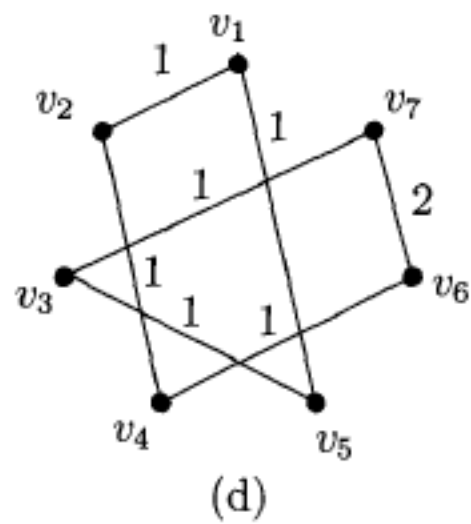
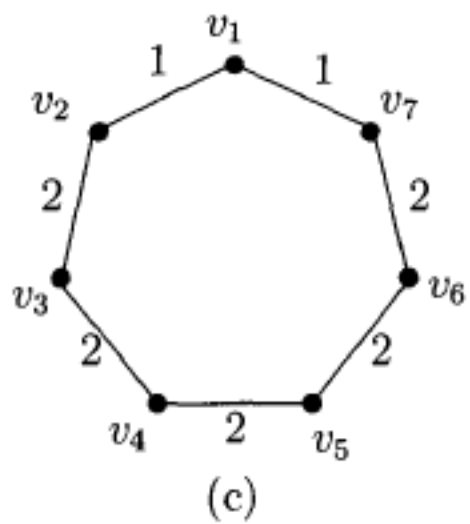
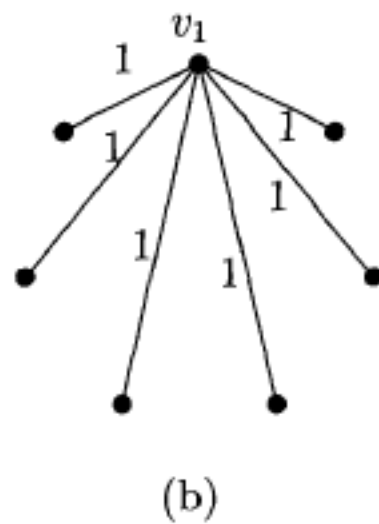
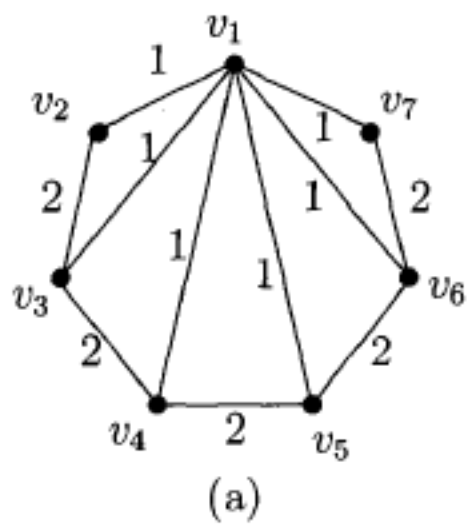
for all three different $u, v, w \in V$ {i.e., $(G, c) \in L_\Delta$ }.

Step 1: Construct a minimal spanning tree T of G according to c .

Step 2: Choose an arbitrary vertex $v \in V$. Perform depth-first-search of T from v , and order the vertices in the order that they are visited. Let H be the resulting sequence.

Output: The Hamiltonian tour $\overline{H} = H, v$.



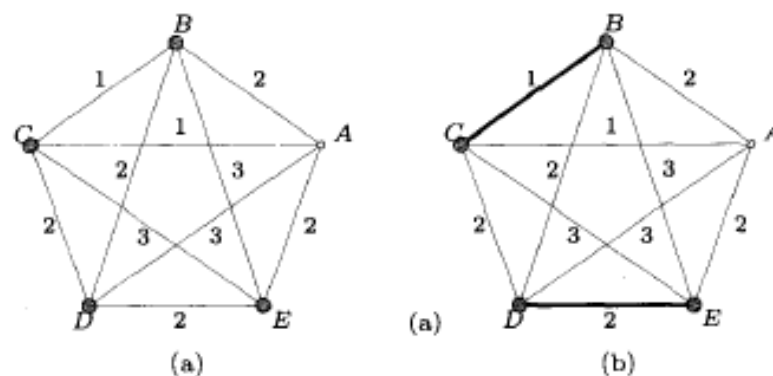
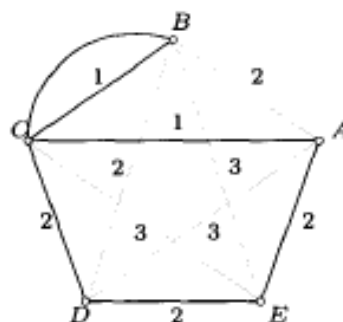


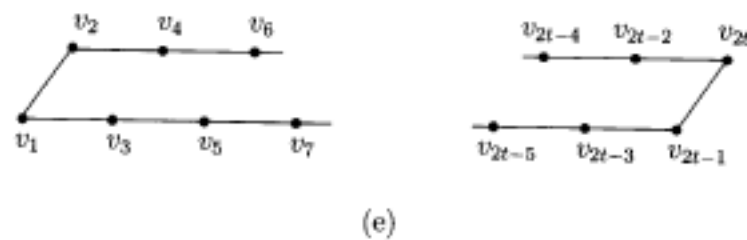
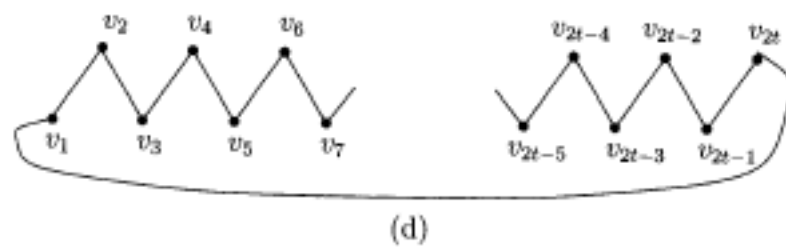
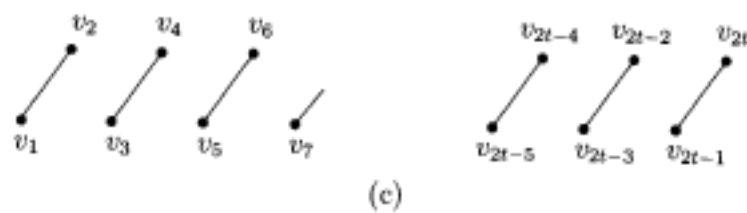
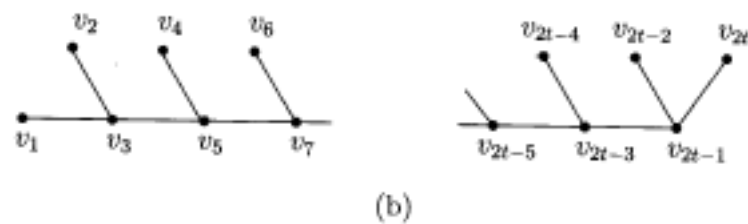
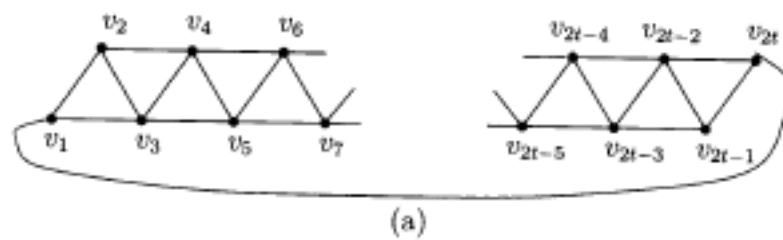
问题2： 算法4.3.5.4

- 算法的基本思路
- 算法近似比证明的基本思路
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Algorithm 4.3.5.4. CHRISTOFIDES ALGORITHM

- Input: A complete graph $G = (V, E)$, and a cost function $c : E \rightarrow \mathbb{N}^+$ satisfying the triangle inequality.
- Step 1: Construct a minimal spanning tree T of G according to c .
- Step 2: $S := \{v \in V \mid \deg_T(v) \text{ is odd}\}$.
- Step 3: Compute a minimum-weight²¹ perfect²² matching M on S in G .
- Step 4: Create the multigraph $G' = (V, E(T) \cup M)$ and construct an Eulerian tour ω in G' .
- Step 5: Construct a Hamiltonian tour H of G by shortening ω (i.e., by removing all repetitions of the occurrences of every vertex in ω in one run via ω from the left to the right).
- Output: H .

**Fig. 4.10.****Fig. 4.11.**



- Δ -TSP (metric TSP) 的不可近似性
 - Papadimitriou and Vempala (2006): 220/219
 - Lampis (2014): 185/184
 - Karpinski, Lampis, and Schmied (2015): 123/122
- (gap)
- – Christofides (1976): 3/2

问题3： 算法4.3.5.18

- 算法的基本思路
- 算法近似比证明的基本思路
- 算法的意义（尽管近似比并不很好）

Algorithm 4.3.5.18. SEKANINA'S ALGORITHM

- Input: A complete graph $G = (V, E)$, and a cost function $c : E \rightarrow \mathbb{N}^+$.
- Step 1: Construct a minimal spanning tree T of G according to c .
- Step 2: Construct T^3 .
- Step 3: Find a Hamiltonian tour H in T^3 such that $P_T(H)$ contains every edge of T exactly twice.
- Output: H .

Theorem 4.3.5.19. SEKANINA'S ALGORITHM is a polynomial-time 2-approximation algorithm for Δ -TSP.

Proof. Obviously, Step 1 and 2 of SEKANINA'S ALGORITHM can be performed in time $O(n^2)$. Using Lemma 4.3.5.17 one can implement Step 3 in time $O(n)$. Thus, the time complexity of SEKANINA'S ALGORITHM is in $O(n^2)$.

Let H_{Opt} be an optimal solution for an input instance (G, c) of Δ -TSP. Following the inequality (4.32) we have $cost(T) \leq cost(H_{Opt})$. The output H of SEKANINA'S ALGORITHM can be viewed as shortening the path $P_T(H)$ by removing repetitions of vertices in $P_T(H)$. Since $P_T(H)$ contains every edge of T exactly twice,

$$cost(P_T(H)) = 2 \cdot cost(T) \stackrel{(4.32)}{\leq} 2 \cdot cost(H_{Opt}). \quad (4.51)$$

Since H is obtained from $P_T(H)$ by exchanging simple subpaths by an edge, and c satisfies the triangle inequality,

$$cost(H) \leq cost(P_T(H)). \quad (4.52)$$

Combining (4.51) and (4.52) we obtain $cost(H) \leq 2 \cdot cost(H_{Opt})$. \square

问题4: TSP问题实例的划分

- 如何对TSP问题的所有实例进行划分?
 - dist
 - p -strengthen triangle inequality

$$c(\{u, v\}) \leq p \cdot [c(\{u, w\}) + c(\{w, v\})]$$