Algorithms 2021/22

Degree in Computer Science Engineering

Practical 4

Submission deadline: Tuesday, 7th December 2021 at 23:59

Prim's Algorithm:

```
function Prim ( M[1..n, 1..n] )
   T := \emptyset ; /* T is initially empty */
   MinimumDistance[1] = -1;
   for i := 2 to n do
       Closest[i] := 1 ;
       MinimumDistance[i] := M[i,1]
    end for ;
    repeat n-1 times /* greedy loop */
       min := \infty;
        for j := 2 to n do
            if 0 <= MinimumDistance[j] < min then</pre>
               min := MinimumDistance[j] ;
               k := j
            end if
        end for;
        T := T \cup \{(Closest[k], k)\};
       MinimumDistance[k] := -1;
        for j := 2 to n do
            if M[j, k] < MinimumDistance[j] then</pre>
                MinimumDistance[j] := M[j, k] ;
                Closest[j] := k
            end if
        end for
   end repeat ;
    return T
end function
```

1. Implement this algorithm in C in such a way that it returns the edges that form the minimum spanning tree (figure 1) in a queue.

Create a array-based circular implementation of the queue, as seen in the theory class.

- 2. Check that the algorithm works correctly. Three test cases are proposed in figures 2, 3 and 4.
- 3. Using the functions of figure 5 to randomly generate complete undirected graphs, calculate the computational complexity of the algorithm empirically for the calculation of the spanning tree.
- 4. Submit the files with the C source code and the report (.txt) by means of the task *Practical 4 Submission* at the Algorithms page in https://campusvirtual.udc.gal. Remember that the deadline to complete the task is Tuesday, 7th December, at 23:59 and, once uploaded, files cannot be changed. All the members of each team must submit the work.

```
#define MAX_SIZE 1600
typedef int ** matrix;
typedef struct {
 int x, y, weight;
} edge;
typedef edge element_type;
typedef struct {
 int front_index, rear_index, size;
 element_type vector[MAX_SIZE];
} queue;
void create_queue(queue *);
int empty_queue(queue);
void enqueue(element_type, queue *);
element_type dequeue(queue *);
element_type front(queue);
void show_queue(queue);
void prim(matrix m, int nodes, queue *edges) {
  /\star calculate the minimum spanning tree returning
     the edges of the tree in the 'edges' queue \ensuremath{^{\star}/}
 int min, i, j, k=0;
 edge a;
 int *closest = (int *) malloc(nodes*sizeof(int));
 int *minDistance = (int *) malloc(nodes*sizeof(int));
 create_queue (edges);
 minDistance[0] = -1;
 for(i = 1; i < nodes; i++) {
   closest[i] = 0;
   minDistance[i] = m[i][0];
  }
 free(closest);
 free(minDistance);
```

Figure 1: Part of the implementation of function prim

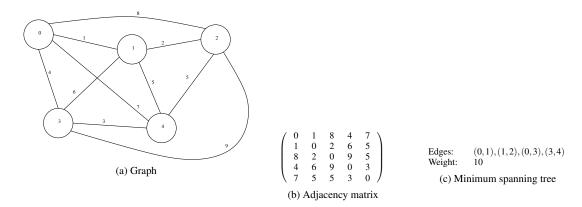


Figure 2: First example

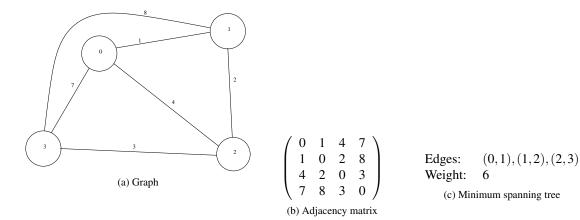


Figure 3: Second example

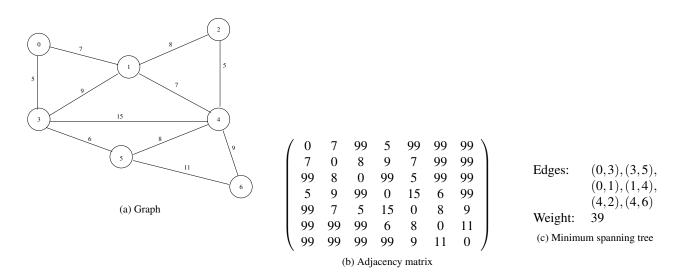


Figure 4: Third example

```
matrix create_matrix(int n) {
 int i;
 matrix aux;
 if ((aux = malloc(n*sizeof(int *))) == NULL)
   return NULL;
  for (i=0; i<n; i++)
   if ((aux[i] = malloc(n*sizeof(int))) == NULL)
     return NULL;
 return aux;
void init_matrix(matrix m, int n) {
 /* Creates an undirected complete graph with random values between 1 y n */
 int i, j;
  for (i=0; i<n; i++)
   for (j=i+1; j<n; j++)
      m[i][j] = rand() % n + 1;
  for (i=0; i<n; i++)
   for (j=0; j<=i; j++)
     if (i==j)
       m[i][j] = 0;
      else
       m[i][j] = m[j][i];
}
void free_matrix(matrix m, int n) {
  for (i=0; i<n; i++)
   free(m[i]);
 free(m);
}
```

Figure 5: Functions create_matrix, init_matrix and free_matrix