

APPLICATION OF SEMI-LOCAL LCS TO STRING APPROXIMATE MATCHING*

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1. Introduction. Approximate string matching is an important task in many fields such as computational biology, signal processing, text retrieval and etc. It also refers to a duplicate detection subtask.

In general form it formulates as follows: Given some pattern p and text t need to find all occurrences of pattern p in text t with some degree of similarity.

There are many algorithms that solve the above problem. Nonetheless, the number of algorithms sharply decreases when the algorithm needs to meet some specific requirements imposed by running time, space complexity or specific criterion for the algorithm itself. For example, recently there was developed an approach for interactive duplicate detection for software documentation [1]. The core of this approach is an algorithm that detects approximate clones of a given user pattern with a specified degree of similarity. The main advantage of the algorithm is that it meets a specific requirement of completeness. Nonetheless, it has an unpleasant time complexity.

The algorithm for approximate detection utilizes mainly algorithm for solving the longest commons subsequence (LCS) problem. The longest common subsequence is a well-known fundamental problem in computer science that also has many applications of its own. The major drawback of it that it shows only the global similarity for given input strings. For many tasks, it's simply not enough. The approximate matching is an example of it.

There exist generalization for LCS called *semi-local LCS* [2] which overcome this constraint. The effective theoretical solutions for this generalized problem found applications to various algorithmic problems such as bla bla add cited. For example, there has been developed algorithm for approximate matching in the grammar-compressed strings [3].

Although the algorithms for *semi-local LCS* have good theoretical properties, there is unclear how they would behave in practice for a specific task and domain.

To show the applicability of semi-local lcs on practice we developed several algorithms based mainly on it and the underlying algebraic structure. As well as developing new algorithms we improve and significantly outperform the existing one for interactive duplicate detection for software documentation [4]. It should be noted that improvement preserves all properties of this algorithm. Do we need to state that ant algo is slow for current strucute of algorithm

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The paper is organized as follows. Blablabla
 section 2, our new algorithm is in section 3, experimental results are in section 4,
 and the conclusions follow in section 6.

2. Main results. We interleave text filler with some example theorems and theorem-like items.

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Here we state our main result as Theorem 2.1; the proof is deferred to ??.

THEOREM 2.1 (*LDL^T Factorization [1]*). *If $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ is symmetric and the principal submatrix $A(1:k, 1:k)$ is nonsingular for $k = 1:n-1$, then there exists a unit lower triangular matrix L and a diagonal matrix*

$$D = \text{diag}(d_1, \dots, d_n)$$

such that $A = LDL^T$. The factorization is unique.

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THEOREM 2.2 (*Mean Value Theorem*). *Suppose f is a function that is continuous on the closed interval $[a, b]$. and differentiable on the open interval (a, b) . Then there exists a number c such that $a < c < b$ and*

$$f'(c) = \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a}.$$

In other words,

$$f(b) - f(a) = f'(c)(b - a).$$

Observe that Theorems 2.1 and 2.2 and Corollary 2.3 correctly mix references to multiple labels.

COROLLARY 2.3. *Let $f(x)$ be continuous and differentiable everywhere. If $f(x)$ has at least two roots, then $f'(x)$ must have at least one root.*

Proof. Let a and b be two distinct roots of f . By Theorem 2.2, there exists a number c such that

$$f'(c) = \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a} = \frac{0 - 0}{b - a} = 0. \quad \square$$

Note that it may require two L^AT_EX compilations for the proof marks to show.

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$$(2.1) \quad S = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Equation (2.1) shows some example matrices.

We calculate the Fréchet derivative of F as follows:

$$(2.2a) \quad F'(U, V)(H, K) = \langle R(U, V), H\Sigma V^T + U\Sigma K^T - P(H\Sigma V^T + U\Sigma K^T) \rangle \\ = \langle R(U, V), H\Sigma V^T + U\Sigma K^T \rangle$$

$$(2.2b) \quad = \langle R(U, V)V\Sigma^T, H \rangle + \langle \Sigma^T U^T R(U, V), K^T \rangle.$$

Equation (2.2a) is the first line, and (2.2b) is the last line.

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Our analysis leads to the algorithm in Algorithm 3.1.

Algorithm 3.1 Build tree

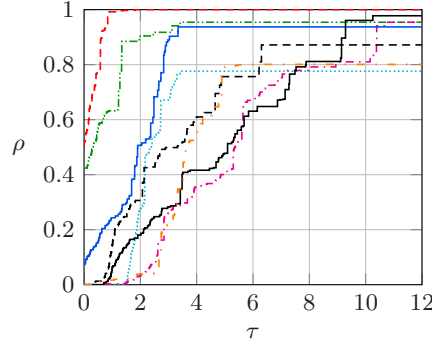
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Define  $P := T := \{\{1\}, \dots, \{d\}\}$ 
while  $\#P > 1$  do
  Choose  $C' \in \mathcal{C}_p(P)$  with  $C' := \operatorname{argmin}_{C \in \mathcal{C}_p(P)} \varrho(C)$ 
  Find an optimal partition tree  $T_{C'}$ 
  Update  $P := (P \setminus C') \cup \{\bigcup_{t \in C'} t\}$ 
  Update  $T := T \cup \{\bigcup_{t \in \tau} t : \tau \in T_{C'} \setminus \mathcal{L}(T_{C'})\}$ 
end while
return  $T$ 
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Figure 1 shows some example results. Additional results are available in the supplement in ??.

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6. Conclusions. Some conclusions here.

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LEMMA A.1. *Test Lemma.*

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