

Q1(a) $G = (V, E)$

let edges be sorted & arranged in ascending order

$$[e_i = e_{u,v} \text{ s.t. } e_i \leq e_{i+1} \mid \forall i \in \{1, \dots, |E| - 1\}]$$

Using Kruskal's algorithm on G , ~~that~~we get MST T with $(|V| - 1) = k$ edgesThus, we keep choosing e_i unless it creates a cycle.Thus, ~~some~~ e_i is omitted from $\{MST T \equiv (V_T, E_T)\} \subseteq E$

~~Let $e_j = e_i$~~ Let $e_j \leq e_{i+1}$ holds because $\{e_j \in E_T\}$
 $e_i \leq e_{i+1}$ holds & only minimums
 are chosen at every pt.

Let e_i be $e_i \in E_i, i \in [1:k]$ When $E' = \{e_i\}$ we know $e_1 < e_2 < \dots < e_k$

$$\Rightarrow c e_1 < c e_2 < \dots < c e_k \quad (c > 0)$$

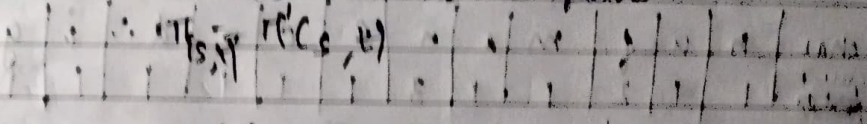
~~choosing the same~~using Kruskal's we again arrange it taking min
until edge creates cycle.we also know $e_1 < e_2 < \dots < e_k$

$$\Rightarrow c e_1 < c e_2 < \dots < c e_k \quad (c > 0)$$

since ordering holds, we get same MST T when edges are multiplied by c \therefore MST remains same. $\Pi(s, t)$ remains same because of the same argument
of ordering e_i remaining same.let not be t contradictionlet us assume $\Pi(s, t) \neq \Pi(s, t)$ \hookrightarrow new shortest pathWe know, $\Pi(s, t) = \sum e_i$ for some $i \in [1: |E|]$ let $\Pi'(s, t) = \sum c e_j$ for some $j \in [1: |E|]$
s.t. that not all $j \neq i$ We know, $\sum e_i < \sum c e_j$ because $\Pi(s, t)$ was
shortest path

$$\Rightarrow \pi(s, t) < \pi'(s, t)$$

thus π' is not shortest path.



(b) MST Same argument as (a) using Kruskal's algorithm
 $E_1 < E_2 < \dots < E_k$ [for MST T]
 $\rightarrow E_1 + c < E_2 + c < \dots < E_k + c$

Since ordering holds

$$\& \text{ also } c_1 + c < c_2 + c < \dots < c_k + c$$

Since ordering is the only thing that matters in Kruskal's apart from cycles (and no new cycles are created due to edge set remaining constant) \therefore

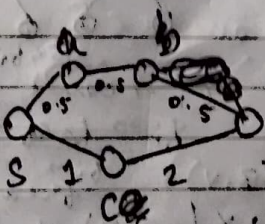
MST remains ordering remains same

$\rightarrow T$ is still an MST

$\pi(s, t)$

will not be shortest distance

Counter example

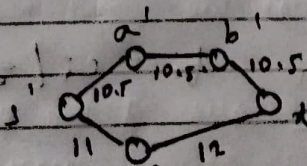


$$\pi(s, t) \in E(V, E)$$

$$= \{(s, 1), (1, 2), (2, t), (s, t)\}$$

1.5 is length

$$\text{For } c = 10,$$



length of shortest path = 23

Shortest

path here is $s' \rightarrow 1' \rightarrow 2' \rightarrow t'$

but $s' \rightarrow t'$

hence not true

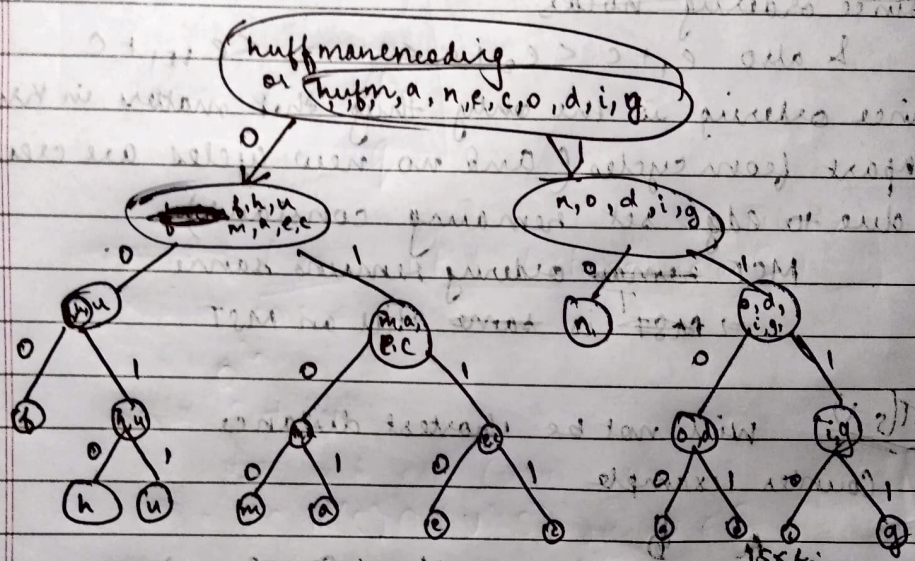
{where $i' = i + c$ }

2(a) Huffman Encoding

char	n	u	g	m	a	n	e	c	o	d	i	g
count	1	1	2	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1

freq = count / Σ count Σ count = 15 here

Combining the least frequency characters, we create the final tree



Total Bitlength = $\sum f_i d_i$

$= 10 \times (1 \times 4) + 1 \times (2 \times 3) + 1 \times (3 \times 2)$

$= \boxed{52} \text{ AM}$

(b) Avg bit length = $\frac{\sum f_i d_i}{\sum f_i}$

$= \frac{52}{15}$

≈ 3.46

3. ~~Algorithm~~ ~~for~~ ~~the~~ ~~problem~~ ~~is~~ ~~as~~ ~~follows~~ ~~:~~

We have to handle water supply problem, which looks a lot like the MST problem, with an additional 'well' part. We make the following observations ^{conditions} that are:

- ① Water supply must have at least 1 well (source of water)
- ② Every house must receive water either by well or pipe.
- ③ Cost must be minimised

We can hence model the problem with $H_i, i \in N$, $i \in [1, N]$

denoting the N Houses. To this set of vertices (of a graph we are about to create), we add vertex H_0 (which would denote well). We know that every $(i, j) \in V \times V$, $i, j \in N$, $i \neq j$, $k \in M$

Assuming c_{ij} are all finite,

we know c_{uv} exist $\forall u, v \in V$.

E_G is a complete graph.

$\therefore G = (V_G, E_G)$ is a complete graph.

Our problem reduces to finding an MST for this graph,

~~not~~ because this ensures: ① (V_G contains H_0)

& ② (V_G contains H_i), ③ MST is minimum

cost.

~~Formally,~~

$E = \{e_{ij} \mid e_{ij} \text{ is edge b/w } H_i \text{ & } H_j, i \neq j\}$
 $\text{but } (e_{0,i}) = wt(w_i)$
 $\& \text{ } wt(e_{i,j}) = c_{i,j} \quad \forall i \neq j, i \in N$

Now, we can use any MST algorithm, say Prim's to find MST: ~~(Ref)~~

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cost ← 0
V ← {H0}
V ← ∅
while |V| < N+1
    q ← min(|E|)
    u, v ← edge (u, v)
    V ← V ∪ {v}
    cost ← cost + q
  
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~~Algo~~ (Ref. Lectures notes for Prim's) (similar)

~~cost~~ cost ← 0

S = {H₀}

while S ≠ V

Pick u, v and edge (u, v) s.t. that

• $v \in N(S) \cap (V \setminus S)$ and $u \in S$

• $wt(u, u') \leq wt(u', v') \forall u' \in S, v' \in N(S) \cap (V \setminus S)$

② S ← S ∪ {v}

cost ← cost + wt(edge (u, v))

return cost

(The path is not stored because we want only the cost, improving space complexity)

This algorithm is true because of the known property that Prim's algorithm is an optimal way to find MST (derived from the cut property) for non-negative edge-weighted graphs [$c_{ij} \geq 0$ & $w_k \geq 0$]

Let $G = (V, E)$, $n \rightarrow |V|$

Algo (Ref web.stanford.edu)

$d[s] \leftarrow 0$

for all $u \in V \setminus \{s\}$

$d[u] \leftarrow \infty$

~~for $k = 1$ to $n-1$~~

$d^k[v] = \text{None} \ \forall v \in V, k \in [1:n-1]$

for $k = 1, \dots, n-1$ do

$d^k[v] \leftarrow d^{k-1}[v]$

for $(u, v) \in E$

$d^k[v] \leftarrow \min \{ d^k[v], d^{k-1}[u] + \text{wt.}(e_{u,v}) \}$

$d^{k-1}[v] \neq \text{None} \ \forall v \in V$

visit $\leftarrow \{s\}$
~~return~~

for $(u, v) \in E$

if $d^{n-1}[v] \neq \infty$ and $d^{n-1}[u] + \text{wt.}(e_{u,v}) < d^n[v]$
 $d[v] = -\infty$

~~$d[v] = -\infty$~~ for $(u, v) \in E, u \in N(d), v \in V \cap \text{visit}$
 $d[v] = -\infty, \text{visit} \leftarrow \text{visit} \cup v$

~~return d~~

return $d^{n-1}[v] \ \forall v \in V$

"This uses a Bellman - Ford sort of implementation & uses the fact that by n^{th} iteration, if shortest path

is not found, ~~as~~ it must have a -ve cycle, hence ~~all~~
~~is equal~~ vertices ~~in that~~ reachable from the path
 are $-\infty$

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