

# PRACTICAL NO 7

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## **Aim: Implement Hamiltonian Cycle using Backtracking.**

### **Problem Statement:**

The Smart City Transportation Department is designing a night-patrol route for security vehicles. Each area of the city is represented as a vertex in a graph, and a road between two areas is represented as an edge.

The goal is to find a route that starts from the main headquarters (Area A), visits each area exactly once, and returns back to the headquarters — forming a Hamiltonian Cycle.

If such a route is not possible, display a suitable message.

### 1) Adjacency Matrix

A B C D E

A 0 1 1 0 1

B 1 0 1 1 0

C 1 1 0 1 0

D 0 1 1 0 1

E 0 1 1 0 1

### 2) Adjacency Matrix

T M S H C

T 0 1 1 0 1

M 1 0 1 1 0

S 1 1 0 1 1

H 0 1 1 0 1

C 1 0 1 1 0

### **CODE:**

```
def check(b, a, c, d):
    if d[c[a - 1]][b] == 0:
        return False
    if b in c:
        return False
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return True

def go(a, c, d, e):
    if a == e:
        return d[c[a - 1]][c[0]] == 1

    for b in range(1, e): # start from 1 since 0 is fixed (start area)
        if check(b, a, c, d):
            c[a] = b
            if go(a + 1, c, d, e):
                return True
            c[a] = -1
    return False

def start(d, e, names):
    c = [-1] * e
    c[0] = 0 # start from the first area

    if go(1, c, d, e):
        print("\n Hamiltonian Cycle (Night Patrol Route):")
        for x in c:
            print(names[x], end=" → ")
        print(names[c[0]])
    else:
        print("\n No Hamiltonian Cycle found for the given city network.")

# ---- MAIN PROGRAM ----
e = int(input("How many areas? "))

# Input area names (e.g., A B C D E)
names = input("Enter area names (separated by spaces): ").split()

# Input adjacency matrix
print("\nEnter adjacency matrix (row by row):")
d = []
for i in range(e):
    row = list(map(int, input(f"{{names[i]}}: ").split()))
    d.append(row)

# Find Hamiltonian Cycle
start(d, e, names)

```

**OUTPUT:**

```
[5] ✓ 1m
d = []
for i in range(e):
    row = list(map(int, input(f"{names[i]}: ").split()))
    d.append(row)

# Find Hamiltonian Cycle
start(d, e, names)
```

How many areas? 5  
Enter area names (separated by spaces): A B C D E

Enter adjacency matrix (row by row):  
A: 0 1 1 0 1  
B: 1 0 1 1 0  
C: 1 1 0 1 0  
D: 0 1 1 0 1  
E: 0 1 1 0 1

☒ Hamiltonian Cycle (Night Patrol Route):  
A -> B -> D -> E -> C -> A

## 2 output:

```
[6] ✓ 1m
d = []
for i in range(e):
    row = list(map(int, input(f"{names[i]}: ").split()))
    d.append(row)

# Find Hamiltonian Cycle
start(d, e, names)
```

How many areas? 5  
Enter area names (separated by spaces): T M S H C

Enter adjacency matrix (row by row):  
T: 0 1 1 0 1  
M: 1 0 1 1 0  
S: 1 1 0 1 1  
H: 0 1 1 0 1  
C: 1 0 1 1 0

☒ Hamiltonian Cycle (Night Patrol Route):  
T -> M -> S -> H -> C -> T