1 Compile and Run

1.1 How to Compile

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To compile the code:
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g++ main.cpp fiduccia_mattheyses_algorithm.cpp -Wall -03 -std=c++17 -o fm
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1.2 How to Execute

To execute the code:

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./fm [input file path] [output file path]
Example:
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./fm input_pa1/input_0.dat output_0.dat

2 Partition Results

- Environment: CAE Machine
- ssh [id]]@best-tux.cae.wisc.edu

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running test data 0
2
     duration: 123919 ms
3
     [Check] Cut size = 4873 matched!
     [Check] Balance passed:: 60300(min) < 60301(G1), 90449(G2) <
       90450(max)
     -----
6
     Congratulations! Legal Solution!!
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10
     running test data 1
     duration: 10.4528 ms
12
     [Check] Cut size = 1257 matched!
13
     [Check] Balance passed:: 1485(min) < 1486(G1), 1514(G2) < 1515(max
     ______
15
     Congratulations! Legal Solution!!
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19
     running test data 2
20
     duration: 22.5366 ms
21
     [Check] Cut size = 2243 matched!
     [Check] Balance passed:: 3430(min) < 3568(G1), 3432(G2) < 3570(max
       )
     Congratulations! Legal Solution!!
26
     running test data 3
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duration: 522.675 ms
30
     [Check] Cut size = 28472 matched!
31
     [Check] Balance passed:: 29999.7(min) < 30002(G1), 36664(G2) <
32
       36666.3(max)
     Congratulations! Legal Solution!!
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36
     running test data 4
38
     duration: 1118.42 ms
39
     [Check] Cut size = 46298 matched!
     [Check] Balance passed:: 74621.2(min) < 76126(G1), 74624(G2) <
41
       76128.8(max)
     _____
42
     Congratulations! Legal Solution!!
43
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45
     46
     running test data 5
47
     duration: 5103.88 ms
     [Check] Cut size = 147292 matched!
49
     [Check] Balance passed:: 189332(min) < 193156(G1), 189333(G2) <
50
       193157(max)
     51
     Congratulations! Legal Solution!!
52
     53
     55
     running test data 6
56
     duration: 0.041938 ms
57
     [Check] Cut size = 1 matched!
     [Check] Balance passed:: 3e-08(min) < 1(G1), 5(G2) < 6(max)
59
     _____
60
     Congratulations! Legal Solution!!
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Listing 1: Test Results

3 Encountered Challenges

- 1. Initially, I thought I had to wait until the algorithm reached its maximum optimization, which may cause my program to exceed the time limitation. Later, I consulted with a TA and found I could manually select the number of PASS to execute.
- 2. When I initially ran the algorithm on our laboratory machine, the program only took about three minutes to run the code. However, it took roughly 7 minutes to complete when executed on the CAE machine. Consequently, I did some optimization in this heuristic algorithm. I thought that not all cells contributed to every PASS, so I established a threshold. If, during a PASS, the number of locked cells exceeded this threshold, the PASS would be terminated, and the next PASS would start, thereby enhancing program execution speed.