

streaming algorithm Written Assignment #1

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- $Pr[\text{some } s_i \text{ in } S \text{ has rank } r_A(s_i) \in [t-\sqrt{n}, t+\sqrt{n}]]$
 $= 1 - Pr[\bigcap_{s_i \in S} r_A(s_i) \notin [t-\sqrt{n}, t+\sqrt{n}]]$
 $= 1 - \prod_{s_i \in S} Pr[r_A(s_i) \notin [t-\sqrt{n}, t+\sqrt{n}]]$ (because s_i 's are chosen independently)
 $Pr[r_A(s_i) \notin [t-\sqrt{n}, t+\sqrt{n}]] < \frac{n-\sqrt{n}}{n}$ for all $s_i \in S$ because $|[t-\sqrt{n}, t+\sqrt{n}]| \geq \lfloor \sqrt{n} \rfloor + 1$ for all t .
 $\prod_{s_i \in S} Pr[r_A(s_i) \notin [t-\sqrt{n}, t+\sqrt{n}]] < (1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}})^k$
because $k = \Omega(\sqrt{n})$, $\exists c > 0$ and n_0 such that $n > n_0 \Rightarrow k > c\sqrt{n}$.
consider function $f(x) = (1 - \frac{1}{x})^x$ is increasing function when $x > 1$,
and $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (1 - 1/x)^{cx} = e^{-c}$.
so $n > n_0 \Rightarrow k > c\sqrt{n} \Rightarrow (1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}})^k < (1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}})^{c\sqrt{n}} < e^{-c}$.
 $n \leq n_0 \Rightarrow (1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}})^k < (1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}) < (1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{n_0}})$.
then pick $\delta = \min\{1 - e^{-c}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{n_0}}\}$, the proof is finished.
- S is a simple graph of average degree $n/3$.
for all nodes n_i , $0 \leq \deg(n_i) \leq n - 1$.
let x = ratio of nodes of degree at least $n/4$, $x = \frac{|\{n_i | \deg(n_i) \geq \frac{n}{4}\}|}{n}$, $1 - x$ = ratio of nodes of degree less than $n/4$.
we have $\frac{n}{3} \leq (n - 1)x + \frac{n}{4}(1 - x)$
 $(\frac{3}{4}n - 1)x \geq \frac{n}{12}$
 $x \geq \frac{1}{9}$ (consider $n \geq 4$)
 $|\{n_i, \deg(n_i) \geq \frac{n}{4}\}| \geq \frac{1}{9}n$
so $|\{n_i, \deg(n_i) \geq \frac{n}{4}\}| = \Omega(n)$.
- Let $X = |S_n|$, $X_k = 1$ if $k \in S$ (with probability $1/k$), $X_k = 0$ if $k \notin S$.
we have $X = \sum X_k$.
Let $\mu = E[X]$, $\mu = \sum_{k \in [1, n]} \frac{1}{k} = \Theta(\log n)$.
By Chernoff Bounds, we have
 $Pr[|X - \mu| \geq \delta\mu] \leq 2e^{-\mu\delta^2/3}$ for all $0 < \delta < 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \Pr[|S_n| = \Theta(\log n)] &\geq \Pr[|X - \mu| \leq 0.5\mu] \\ &\geq 1 - 2e^{-\mu 0.25/3} \geq 1 - \frac{1}{n^{\Omega(1)}} \end{aligned}$$

4. Let G_{abc} be a vertex-induced subgraph of G with three different nodes $a, b, c \in V(G)$.

$$\Pr[G_{abc} \text{ is triangle-free}] = 1 - \left(\frac{c}{n}\right)^3$$

$$\Pr[G \text{ is triangle-free}] = \Pr[\wedge_{G_{abc} \subseteq G} (G_{abc} \text{ is triangle-free})]$$

$$\geq \left(1 - \left(\frac{c}{n}\right)^3\right)^{\binom{3}{2}} \text{ (because " } G_{abc} \text{ is triangle-free" is monotone decreasing.)}$$

$$\geq \left(1 - \left(\frac{c}{n}\right)^3\right)^{n^3} \text{ if } n > c$$

$$\text{because } \left(1 - \left(\frac{c^3}{x}\right)\right)^x \text{ is increasing function when } c > 0,$$

$$\text{pick } n_0 > c \text{ and } \delta = \left(1 - \left(\frac{c}{n_0}\right)^3\right)^{n_0^3}$$

$$n > n_0 \Rightarrow \left(1 - \left(\frac{c}{n}\right)^3\right)^{n^3} > \delta \Rightarrow \Pr[G \text{ is triangle-free}] \geq \delta$$

5. (a) 一般解法 (不限制 space)：答案的兩個正方形在座標圖上有兩種排法—左上加右下，或左下加右上。因為任一個正方形的上邊必須剛好切過最高點 (y 值最大的點) 或是下邊必須剛好切過最低點。左邊必須切過 x 最小點，或是右邊必須切過 x 最大點。兩種排法分別找最小的正方形邊長，較小的則為解答。找極值：

$$\max\{x | (x, y) \in P\} = x_{\max} \text{ (P is the point set)}$$

$$\min\{x | (x, y) \in P\} = x_{\min}$$

$$\max\{y | (x, y) \in P\} = y_{\max}$$

$$\min\{y | (x, y) \in P\} = y_{\min}$$

假設目前考慮兩個正方形是左下加右上的排法，令 d = 最小的正方形邊長，使正方形可以蓋住目前已處理的點。把每一點 (x, y) 處理一遍：

$$d = \max(d, \min\{\max(x - x_{\min}, y - y_{\min}), \max(x_{\max} - x, y_{\max} - y)\})$$

其中 $\max(x - x_{\min}, y - y_{\min})$ 等於左下正方形要蓋住 (x, y) 所需的最小邊長，與右上正方形所需的最小邊長比較，較小者用來更新 d 。

限制 space 的解法：以機率 $p = d(1/\varepsilon)\log n/n$ (for some constant d) 取樣每個點，進行一般解法，得覆蓋範圍 R 。

space complexity 為 $O((1/\varepsilon)\log n)$, time complexity 為 $O(n + (1/\varepsilon)\log n)$.

$$\Pr[|R \cap P| \geq (1 - \varepsilon)n]$$

$$\geq 1 - \Pr[|R \cap P| < (1 - \varepsilon)n]$$

$$\geq 1 - O(n^3)(1/e^{\varepsilon p n})$$

$$\geq 1 - (1/n^{\Omega(n)}) \text{ when } d \text{ is sufficiently large.}$$