

**EE225**  
**Assignment**

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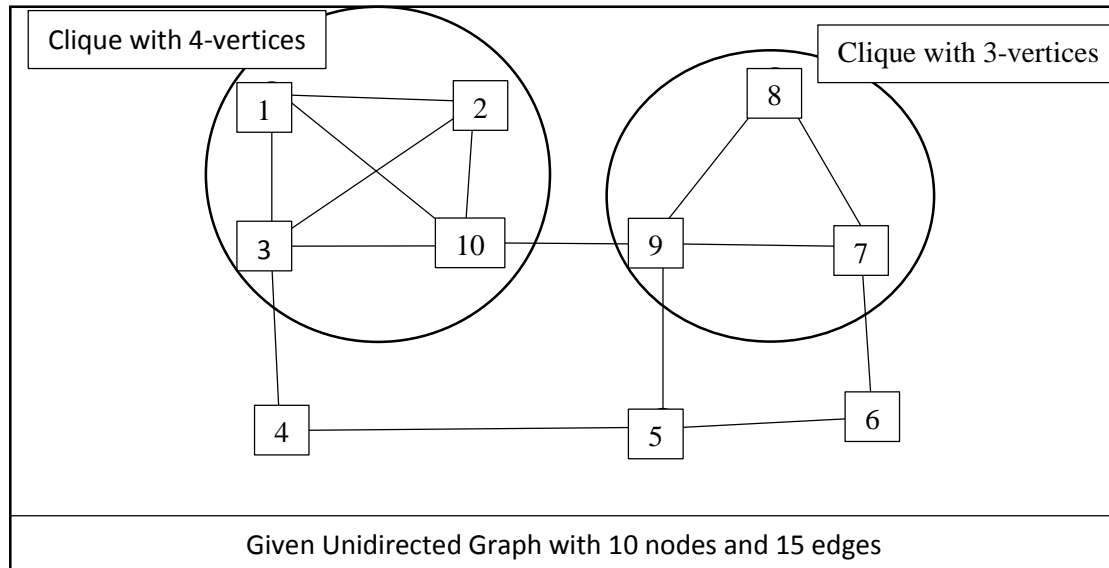
**Aim :**

Finding the 'Cliques' in a given Unidirected Graph using algorithm that uses brute force, and building a program ( in C++ ) which reports the vertices of the Cliques( with number of vertices greater than 3).

**Description :**

A Clique is the Subgraph of the Unidirected graph that has a Complete Graph, i.e. all the vertices of a clique are connected to every other vertices by an edge. So for a clique with  $n$  vertices (nodes) , it will have  $\frac{n(n-1)}{2}$  number of edges.

For Example



**Assumptions:**

Given Unidirected Graph is a connected graph with no isolated node. Represented in a suitably numerically representable format with nodes indexed from 1,2, ...,  $N$  , where  $N$  is the number of Nodes (strictly)

**Algorithm:**

1. Write the given graph in a suitable representable format.  
eg : `int Graph[][2] = { {1,2},{1,3},{1,10},{2,3},{2,10},{3,10},{3,4},{4,5},{5,6},  
                          {5,9},{6,7},{7,8},{7,9},{8,9},{10,9},{1,11},{11,12}};`  
where each of the braces represent the edge connection.
2. Pick  $i^{th}$  node
3. Find all adjacent nodes for  $i^{th}$  node

4. Check all possible combinations if they are clique or not ( with minimum 3 nodes , to avoid edges being interpreted as cliques)
    - a. For checking whether it is a clique or not , every edge connection is checked.
  5. If found a clique, report it.
  6. Else go for  $i + 1^{th}$  node ( follows to step 2).
- Order of this algorithm can be roughly exponential, as it checks all the combinations, but not exactly.

**Program Code:**

- Written in C++ with compiler TDM-GCC 4.8.1 64-bit Release (Dev C++)

```
#include <iostream>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <vector>
#include <algorithm>
using namespace std;

//enter the Unigraph here
// each bracket represents the connected set of edges
//-----
int Graph[][2] = { {1,2},{1,3},{1,10},{2,3},{2,10},{3,10},{3,4},{4,5},{5,6},
                  {5,9},{6,7},{7,8},{7,9},{8,9},{10,9},{1,11},{11,12}};
//-----

void dispVector(vector<int> v)
{
    cout<<"Vector("&<<v.size()<<" ) : ";
    cout<<"("&<<v[0];
    for(int i =1;i<v.size();i++)
    {
        cout<<","<<v[i];
    }
    cout<<")";
}

int getNumberOfEdges()
{
    return sizeof(Graph)/sizeof(int)/2;
}

int getNumberOfNodes()
{
    int nE = getNumberOfEdges();
    int maxNum = 0;
    for(int i=0;i<nE;i++)
    {
        if(Graph[i][0]>maxNum)maxNum=Graph[i][0];
    }
}
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        if(Graph[i][1]>maxNum)maxNum=Graph[i][1];
    }
    return maxNum;
}
bool checkIfConnected(int node1, int node2)
{
    int nE = getNumberOfEdges();
    for(int i=0;i<nE;i++)
    {
        if(Graph[i][0]==node1)if(Graph[i][1]==node2)return true;
        if(Graph[i][1]==node1)if(Graph[i][0]==node2)return true;
    }
    return false;
}

vector<int> getAdjacentNodes(int initialNode)
{
    vector<int> adjacentNodes;
    int nE = getNumberOfEdges();
    for(int i=0;i<nE;i++)
    {
        if(Graph[i][0]==initialNode)adjacentNodes.push_back(Graph[i][1]);
        else if
        (Graph[i][1]==initialNode)adjacentNodes.push_back(Graph[i][0]);
    }
    return adjacentNodes; // returns adjacent Nodes
}
bool checkIfClique(vector<int> nodes)
{
    for(int i=0;i<nodes.size()-1;i++)
    {
        for(int j=i+1;j<nodes.size();j++)
        {
            if(!checkIfConnected(nodes[i],nodes[j]))return false;
        }
    }
    return true;
}
void getClique(int node)          // prints the clique at the corresponding node
{
    vector<int> adjNodes = getAdjacentNodes(node);
    adjNodes.push_back(node);    // also add the original node
    if(adjNodes.size(<3)// all cliques less than 3 nodes are either edges or
nodes itself
    {
        cout<<"\n\r\t Edge Clique";
        return;
    }
    //brute Force

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int N = adjNodes.size();
bool foundClique = false;
vector<bool> v(N);
vector<int> testNodes;
for(int choose=1;choose<=N;choose++)
{
    foundClique=false;
    fill(v.begin() +N- choose, v.end(), true);
    testNodes.clear();
    do {
        for(int i=0; i<N; i++)
        {
            if(v[i])testNodes.push_back(adjNodes[i]);
        }
    } while ( next_permutation(v.begin(), v.end()));

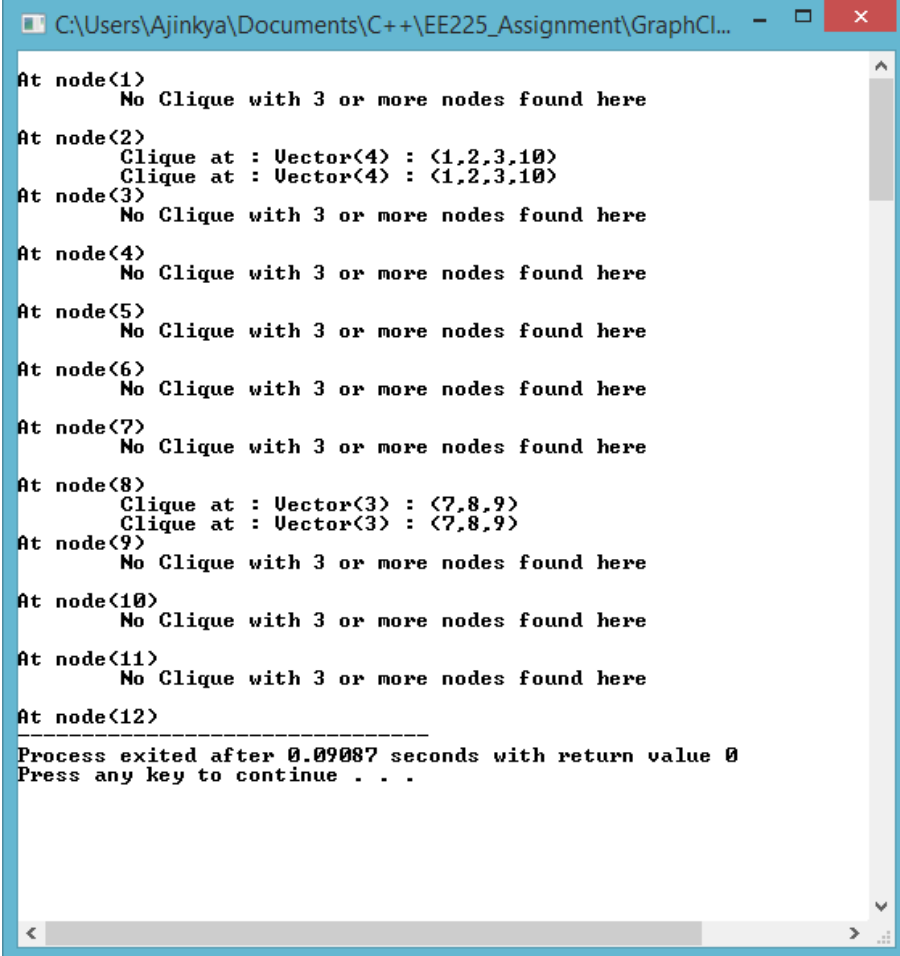
    if(checkIfClique(testNodes))
    {
        sort(testNodes.begin(),testNodes.end());
        cout<<"\n\r\t*Clique at : ";dispVector(testNodes);
        foundClique = true;
    }

}
if(foundClique==false)
{
    cout <<"\n\r\tNo Clique with 3 or more nodes found here "
<<endl;
}
}
int main()
{
    for(int i=1;i<=getNumberOfNodes();i++)
    {
        cout<<"\n\rAt node("<<i<<" )";
        getClique(i);
    }
}

```

## Results :

- Snapshot of the output from the program for given graph with 10 nodes.



```
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At node<1>
    No Clique with 3 or more nodes found here
At node<2>
    Clique at : Vector<4> : <1,2,3,10>
    Clique at : Vector<4> : <1,2,3,10>
At node<3>
    No Clique with 3 or more nodes found here
At node<4>
    No Clique with 3 or more nodes found here
At node<5>
    No Clique with 3 or more nodes found here
At node<6>
    No Clique with 3 or more nodes found here
At node<7>
    No Clique with 3 or more nodes found here
At node<8>
    Clique at : Vector<3> : <7,8,9>
    Clique at : Vector<3> : <7,8,9>
At node<9>
    No Clique with 3 or more nodes found here
At node<10>
    No Clique with 3 or more nodes found here
At node<11>
    No Clique with 3 or more nodes found here
At node<12>
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Process exited after 0.09087 seconds with return value 0
Press any key to continue . . .
```

## Applications:

- 'Cliques' can be used to reduce the amount of space required to store the graph.  
For eg : Graph with  $= \{ \{1,2\}, \{1,3\}, \{1,10\}, \{2,3\}, \{2,10\}, \{3,10\}, \{3,4\}, \{4,5\}, \{5,6\}, \{5,9\}, \{6,7\}, \{7,8\}, \{7,9\}, \{8,9\}, \{10,9\} \}$  can be represented as combinations of 8 cliques as  $\{1,2,3,10\}, \{7,8,9\}, \{9,10\}, \{3,4\}, \{4,5\}, \{5,9\}, \{5,6\}, \{6,7\}$  of which , one 4-vertex clique, one 3-vertex clique, and six 2-vertex clique.
- Can be used to reduce the network to clusters which are highly interlinked ( in cliques fashion) .

## Links :

Project code can be found at github repository

[https://github.com/ajinkyagorad/MyC/tree/master/EE225\\_Assignment](https://github.com/ajinkyagorad/MyC/tree/master/EE225_Assignment)

Resources: [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Clique\\_%28graph\\_theory%29](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Clique_%28graph_theory%29) for understanding of cliques