

1. A dual is a powerful mathematical concept, in optimization problems, the identification of a dual problem is almost always coupled with the discovery of a polynomial-time algorithm. Duality often helps provide a proof of optimality. The original problem is a primal problem when referring to a dual problem.
2. The adjacency list is a set of edge sets adjacent to each vertex in the graph, where the set refers to the unordered set. When we attach an attribute to an adjacency list, this representation can be used to represent a weighted graph. The weights of edges can be described as lists of pairs.
3. Get result from Johnson's algorithm  
return  $D(u, v)$
4. There are two properties
  - ① Optimal substructure
  - ② Overlapping sub-problems
  - Optimal substructure giving an optimization problem that can be constructed from optimal solution of its subproblem. Optimal substructure is usually used to determine the usefulness of dynamic programming and greedy algorithms.
  - Overlapping sub-problems is occurring when the problem can be broken down into subproblems that are reused several times.
5.  $R$  is in  $P$ , yes  $R$  in  $P$ , and  $R$  in  $NP$  as well.

6. a. Algorithm: using modify merge sort and merge.

Merge\_sort (int arr [], int left, int right)

if (left < right)

int m = left + (right - 1) / 2 ;

Merge\_sort (arr, left, m);

Merge\_sort (arr, m+1, right);

Merge (arr, left, m, right);

Merge (int arr [], int left, int m, int right)

int i;

int j;

int count, int k = left;

for i = 0 to m - left + 1

left[i] = arr[left + i];

for j = 0 to right - m

right[j] = arr[m + 1 + j];

while (i < m - left + 1 & j < right - m)

if (left[i] > right[j])

count++;

arr[k] = right[j];

j++;

else

arr[k] = left[i];

i++;

k++;

while (i < m - left + 1)

arr[k] = left[i];

i++;

k++;

while (j < right - m)

arr[k] = right[j];

j++;

k++;

return count;

since this algorithm is  
modifying from merge sort.  
the time complexity is the  
same as merge sort that  
is  $O(n \log n)$ .

b. Every <sup>graph</sup> acyclic has  $n-1$  edges. Thus the sum of the degrees of all the vertices of any tree have to  $2(n-1)$ . However if there are  $n \geq 2$  vertices has at least two vertices with degree 1, then the sum of the degrees of all the vertices must be at least  $2(n-1) + 1$ , this is lead to a contradiction. //

C. Algorithm:

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    A[1...n];  
    int i;  
    int j;  
    int count = 0;  
    for i = 0 to n-1  
        int value = value + A[i];  
        if value < 0  
            count ++;  
            value = A[i];  
    Return count;
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using greedy algorithm as above

e. Algorithm:

exchange vertex constraint to an edge

modified\_ford-Fulkerson( $G, s, t$ )

for each vertex  $v$  in  $G$ . vertex

$v.\text{flow} = 0$

while there is a path  $p$  from  $s$  to  $t$  in residual network  $G_f$

$C_f(p) = \min \{C_f(v): v \text{ is in } p\}$

for each vertex  $v$  in  $p$

if  $v$  is in  $G$  vertex

$v.\text{flow} = v.\text{flow} - C_f(p);$

$t.\text{flow} = t.\text{flow} + C_f(p);$

$s.\text{flow} = s.\text{flow} - C_f(p);$

return  $t.\text{flow}$ .

We find a path from residual network, return the maximum flow as  $t.\text{flow}$ , the running time is  $O((V+E)|f^*|)$ .