

Lab #8

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1 Highlighting vertices in a graph

When plotting a graph, it is possible to color certain vertices with another color. This can be achieved with `highlight` function as presented in the following example:

```
1 clear; close all;
2
3 A = [
4     0 1 0 1;
5     1 0 1 0;
6     0 1 0 1;
7     1 0 1 0
8 ]; % Adjacency matrix
9
10 C = [1, 3]; % Vertices to highlight
11
12 figure;
13 G = graph(A);
14 h = plot(G);
15 highlight(h, C, 'NodeColor', 'r'); % 'r' for red, 'g'
    for green, 'b' for blue, etc.
```

2 Task #15

- Write a program which creates an edge list representation of an adjacency matrix. Test the program on several graphs from Homework 1.
- In the same program write code which converts the resulting edge list from part 1 of the task back to an adjacency matrix. Check that the original adjacency matrix and the resulting one are the same. Plot the graphs.

Hint: if you want to create a new matrix of the same size as an existing one and fill it with zeros, you can use the following code, where **A** is the existing matrix.

```
1 new_A = zeros(size(A));
```

3 Task #16

Write a program which for a given subset of vertices I of the graph $G = (V, E)$ checks whether I is an independent set of G . Plot the graph and highlight the vertices which are in the IS.

You can base your code on the following pseudocode that uses an adjacency matrix representation of G :

Algorithm 1: Test for independence

Input : Adjacency matrix A , set of vertices I

Output: Boolean value t (true if I is an independent set and false otherwise)

```
1 Function is_independent_set ( $A, I$ )
2    $t := \text{true};$ 
3   if  $\text{length}(I) > 1$  then
4     for  $v_{\text{index}} = 1$  TO  $\text{length}(I)-1$  do
5        $v := I[v_{\text{index}}];$ 
6       for  $w_{\text{index}} = v_{\text{index}} + 1$  TO  $\text{length}(I)$  do
7          $w := I[w_{\text{index}}];$ 
8         if  $A[v][w] == 1$  then
9            $t := \text{false};$ 
10        end
11      end
12    end
13  end
14  return  $t;$ 
15 end
```
