

Lab week 6

C++ Essentials

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Lab Exercise

Write a C++ program that computes reachability for a graph starting with -1, 0, and +1 labeled edges. This is the same problem as in the last lab.

However, we will use only **one** matrix. This is done by using the following technique.

Given the three $n \times n$ matrices $D^{(0)}$, $D^{(-1)}$ and $D^{(+1)}$ from the last lab, then compute the matrix C with elements

$$c_{i,j}^g \leftarrow (3(n+1))^{d_{i,j}^g}$$

where $g \in \{-1, 0, +1\}$.

This means

A 0 edge is represented as $(3(n+1))^0 = 1$

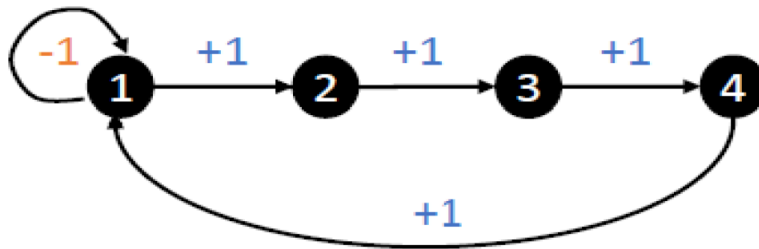
A 1 edge is represented as $(3(n+1))^1 = 3(n+1)$

A -1 edge is represented as $(3(n+1))^{-1} = \frac{1}{3(n+1)}$

That is, a -1 edge followed by a +1 edge is the product $(3(n+1))^{-1}(3(n+1))^1 = 1$ since the exponents add together. Try the other examples. Use 0 for infinity which means there is no edge.

This means we can use matrix multiplication to find exact zero cost paths.

For example



The **old representation** with matrix $D^{(0)}$ is

$D^{(0)}$	$D^{(-1)}$	$D^{(1)}$
0 2 2 2	-1 2 2 2	2 1 2 2
2 0 2 2	2 2 2 2	2 2 1 2
2 2 0 2	2 2 2 2	2 2 2 1
2 2 2 0	2 2 2 2	1 2 2 2

Our new representation gives a **new matrix A**:

0.066667	15	0	0
0	0	15	0
0	0	0	15
15	0	0	0

One matrix product $A \times A$ gives

0.004444	1	225	0
0	0	0	225
225	0	0	0
1	225	0	0

Note the two **1** values indicate we found the exact 0 path from node 1 to node 2 in cell **A[1][2]**. Similarly, we found an exact 0 path from node 4 to node 1 in **A[4][1]**.

Squaring this last matrix $(A \times A)^2 = A \times A \times A \times A$ gives

50625	0.004444	1	225
225	50625	0	0
1	225	50625	0
0.004444	1	225	50625

But some of the other numbers are a little challenging.

So, to start we must implement the following:

1. A matrix multiplication algorithm
2. Initialization algorithm to start
3. Normalization algorithm to remove some of the “strange numbers”

Initialization algorithm

For all $i, j : n \geq i, j \geq 1$, let

$$\begin{aligned}
 c_{i,j}^{-1} &\leftarrow \sum_{k=1}^n \left((3(n+1))^{d_{i,k}^0 + d_{k,j}^{-1}} + (3(n+1))^{d_{i,k}^{-1} + d_{k,j}^0} \right) \\
 c_{i,j}^0 &\leftarrow \sum_{k=1}^n \left((3(n+1))^{d_{i,k}^{-1} + d_{k,j}^{+1}} + (3(n+1))^{d_{i,k}^{+1} + d_{k,j}^{-1}} \right) \\
 c_{i,j}^{+1} &\leftarrow \sum_{k=1}^n \left((3(n+1))^{d_{i,k}^0 + d_{k,j}^{+1}} + (3(n+1))^{d_{i,k}^{+1} + d_{k,j}^0} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

Normalization algorithm is based on the functions

1. *detectNegativeOneEdge*(edge_cost, n)
2. check $\leftarrow 3(n+1) \times \text{fractional_part}(\text{edge_cost})$
3. **if** $2n \geq \text{check} \geq 1$ **then return** True
4. **else return** False

1. *detectPositiveOneEdge*(edge_cost, n)
2. check $\leftarrow \text{truncate}(\text{edge_cost}/3(n+1))$
3. **if** $2n \geq \text{check} \geq 1$ **then return** True
4. **else return** False

1. *detectZeroEdge*(edge_cost, n)
2. check $\leftarrow \text{truncate}(\text{edge_cost}) \bmod 3(n+1)$
3. **if** $3n \geq \text{check} > 0$ **then return** True
4. **else return** False

What to hand in

A single page document containing:

1. Your name and the Lab name: matrix based reachability
2. A github repo link
3. The github repo must be cloneable by the graders
4. The cloned code must run its unit tests after a compile
5. Any compiling instructions must be in your README file

You must include declaration files (H-files) and definition (CPP-files) as well as a **unit testing**.