

CSE 208: Data Structures and Algorithms II

Offline Assignment: Flow & Bipartite Matching

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Problem 1

In this problem, you are required to implement an algorithm to compute the maximum flow in a directed graph using the **Ford–Fulkerson method**.

You are given a directed graph $G=(V, E)$, where each edge $(u,v) \in E$ has a non-negative integer capacity $c(u,v)$. Two special vertices are designated as the source s and the sink t . The objective is to determine the maximum amount of flow that can be sent from s to t while respecting capacity constraints and flow conservation at intermediate vertices.

Task Requirements

1. You will implement the **Edmonds–Karp algorithm**, which uses breadth-first search to find augmenting paths and runs in $O(VE^2)$.
2. The program should output:
 - The maximum flow value
 - The final flow on each edge

Input Format

- The first line of input will have two space-separated non-negative integers N and M , the number of nodes and edges in the graph.
- In the next M lines, there will be three space-separated integers, u, v, c denoting a directed edge (u, v) and its capacity $c=c(u,v)$; ($0 \leq u, v < N$)

- The last line will contain two space-separated non-negative integers, s and t denoting a source and a sink respectively.

Output Format

- Print the maximum flow from s to t found by your algorithm in the given graph in the first line.
- In the following M lines, you need to print the flow through each edge where each line will contain four integers in the format u v f/c denoting the flow f through the edge (u, v) with capacity c.

Sample I/O

Input	Output
6 10 0 1 16 0 2 13 1 2 10 1 3 12 2 1 4 2 4 14 3 2 9 3 5 20 4 3 7 4 5 4 0 5	23 0 1 12/16 0 2 11/13 1 2 0/10 1 3 12/12 2 1 0/4 2 4 11/14 3 2 0/9 3 5 19/20 4 3 7/7 4 5 4/4

Problem 2

The Election Commission has two distinct lists of staff who need to be paired up for duty at polling stations.

- Presiding Officers (Group A)
- Polling Agents (Group B)

The Rule: Every polling station must have exactly one Presiding Officer and one Polling Agent. You are given a compatibility list showing which Officer can work with which Agent (based on location or language). Your goal is to form the maximum number of compatible pairs.

Simplifications:

- You do not need to check for validity. **The input is guaranteed to be bipartite.**
- **Nodes 0 to K-1** are always Presiding Officers.
- **Nodes K to N-1** are always Polling Agents.
- Connections only exist between an Officer and an Agent.

Input Format

- **Line 1:** Three space-separated integers: N, K, M.
 - N: Total number of staff.
 - K: Number of Presiding Officers (IDs 0 to K-1).
 - M: Number of compatibility entries.
- **Next M lines:** Two integers u, v.
 - This denotes that Officer u is compatible with Agent v.

Output Format

- **Line 1:** The maximum number of teams (pairs) you can form.
- **Following lines:** The specific pairs (u, v) for each team.

You have to solve this problem by reusing the maximum flow algorithm implemented in Problem 1.

Sample I/O

Input:

6 3 4
0 3
0 4
1 4
2 5

(Explanation: Total 6 people. 3 Officers (0, 1, 2). 3 Agents (3, 4, 5). Officer 0 can work with Agents 3 or 4)

Output:

3
0 3
1 4
2 5

Submission Guidelines

- Create a folder named with your 7-digit Student ID.
- Include your source files (e.g., .cpp, .java, or .py)
- Zip the folder into a single .zip file.
- Plagiarism will result in a 100% mark deduction. Ensure the work is your own.