

Intro

- Stable Matching** (perfect matching with No unstable pairs).
- Stability** (no incentive for some pair of participants to undermine assignment by joint action)
- Propose & Reject Algorithm (Gale-Shapley)**

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Initialize each person to be free.
while (some man is free and hasn't proposed to every woman) {
  Choose such a man m
  w = 1st woman on m's list to whom m has not yet proposed
  if (w is free)
    assign m and w to be engaged
  else if (w prefers m to her fiancé m')
    assign m and w to be engaged, and m' to be free
  else
    w rejects m
}

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$O(n^2)$

• [Proofs; by Contradiction/ just ()]

Scheduling

(nlogn - greedy)

• mx[Weighted Interval Scheduling] (nlogn - dynamic)

• mx [Bipartite Matching]

(n^k max-flow algs)

• mx [Independent Set]

(NP-Complete)

Analysis

• $O(n)$, upper bound

• $\Omega(n)$, lower bound

• $\Theta(n)$, tight bounds

• Linear Time - $O(n)$

• $O(n \log n)$ (from div&con)

• Quadratic T - $O(n^2)$

• Cubic T - $O(n^3)$

• Polynomial T - $O(n^k)$ [Enumerate All Subsets of K Nodes] (e.g. there are k nodes such that no 2 are joined by an edge)

$$\binom{n}{k} = \frac{n(n-1)(n-2) \dots (n-k+1)}{k(k-1)(k-2) \dots (2)(1)} \leq \frac{n^k}{k!}$$

• Exponential T - $O(2^n)$ [Enumerate All Subsets] (e.g. max size of indi. set)

Graphs

• **BFS** - $L_0(S)$ - L_1 (neighbors of L_0)++

$O(n^2) > O(m+n)$ - when we consider node u, there are $\deg(u)$ incident edges (u, v) - total time processing

edges is $\sum_{u \in V} \deg(u) = 2m$

• An undirected $G=(V,E)$ is **Bipartite** if nodes can be colored red/blue such that every Edge has 1 red/blue end. • bipartite graphs cannot contain an Odd length cycle.

• A graph is **Strongly Connected**, if every node is reachable from s, and s is reachable from every node.

• A **DAG (Directed Acyclic Graph)** contains no directed cycle, has a **topological order/s**.

FIND Topological Order of DAG: $O(m+n)$

BY: maintaining list of nodes with no i/o.

Greedy Algorithms

• **Interval Partitioning:**

Greedy algorithm. Consider lectures in increasing order of start time: assign lecture to any compatible classroom.

Sort intervals by starting time so that $s_1 \leq s_2 \leq \dots \leq s_n$.
 $d = 0$ ← number of allocated classrooms

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for j = 1 to n {
  if lecture j is compatible with some classroom k
    schedule lecture j in classroom k
  else
    allocate a new classroom d + 1
    schedule lecture j in classroom d + 1
    d ← d + 1
}

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• **Paths:**

Dijkstra's algorithm.

• Maintain a set of explored nodes S for which we have determined the shortest path distance d(u) from s to u.

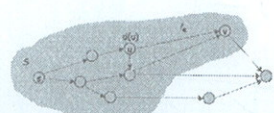
• Initialize $S = \{s\}$, $d(s) = 0$.

• Repeatedly choose unexplored node v which minimizes

$$\pi(v) = \min_{u \in S} d(u) + c_{uv}$$

add v to S, and set $d(v) = \pi(v)$.

shortest path to some u in explored set, followed by a single edge (u, v)



• **MST:**

can hv -ve edge weights
Kruskal's algorithm. Start with $T = \emptyset$. Consider edges in ascending order of cost. Insert edge e in T unless doing so would create a cycle.

Reverse-Delete algorithm. Start with $T = E$. Consider edges in descending order of cost. Delete edge e from T unless doing so would disconnect T.

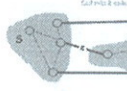
Prim's algorithm. Start with some root node s and greedily grow a tree T from s outward. At each step, add the cheapest edge e to T that has exactly one endpoint in T.

works for undirected
 $O(n^2)$ w/ Array, $O(m \log n)$ w/ Binary Heap

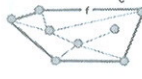
Simplifying Assumption: All edge Costs (C_e) are distinct.

Cut property. Let S be any subset of nodes, and let e be the min cost edge with exactly one endpoint in S. Then the MST contains e.

Cycle property. Let C be any cycle, and let f be the max cost edge belonging to C. Then the MST does not contain f.



e is in the MST



f is not in the MST

Claim: A cycle & a cutset intersect in an EVEN number of edges.

Pfs. Cut/Cycle Properties; Exchange Argument (Contradiction)

Implementation: Kruskal's Algorithm

Implementation. Use the union-find data structure.

• Build set T of edges in the MST.

• Maintain set for each connected component.

• $O(n \log n)$ for sorting and $O(m \alpha(n, n))$ for union-find.

(new edges added w/in independent components)

usually DFS/BFS = Cycle Tests

Kruskal(G, c).

Sort edges weights so that $c_1 \leq c_2 \leq \dots \leq c_m$.

$T \leftarrow \emptyset$

foreach (u, v) in E make a set containing singleton u

for i = 1 to m

if (u, v) is in T

if (u and v are in different sets) {

$T \leftarrow T \cup \{e_i\}$

merge the sets containing u and v

return T

merge two components

To remove the assumption that all edge costs are distinct: perturb all edge costs by tiny amounts to break any ties.

^ (for Prim's / Kruskal's.)

MST Algorithms: Theory: Deterministic Comparison Based Algs:

• $O(m \log n)$

[Jarník, Prim, Dijkstra, Kruskal, Boruvka]

Divide & Conquer

• Brute= n^2 , D&C= $n \log n$

• Merge Sort: +Array into 2, Recursively sort each half, merge two halves. • $O(n \log n)$

• Counting Inversions: $O(n \log n)$

• Closest Pair Algorithm: $O(n \log n)$

Dynamic Programming

• **Weighted Interval Scheduling:** • [Greedy Algorithm can fail (alot) if arbitrary weights are allowed] • [Brute Force, Recursion, Fails due to Redundant Sub-Probs - Exponential Algs.] • Soln: Memorization

• **Binary Choice:**

$OPT(j) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } j=0 \\ \max \{ v_j + OPT(p(j)), OPT(j-1) \} & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

Take *leave*

next available

Weighted Interval Scheduling: Running Time

Claim. Memoized version of algorithm takes $O(n \log n)$ time.

• Sort by finish time: $O(n \log n)$.

• Computing $p(j)$: $O(n)$ after sorting by start time.

• **M-Compute-Opt(j):** each invocation takes $O(1)$ time and either

- (i) returns an existing value $M[j]$

- (ii) fills in one new entry $M[j]$ and makes two recursive calls

• **Progress measure $\Phi = \#$ nonempty entries of M :**

- Initially $\Phi = 0$, throughout $\Phi \leq n$.

- (ii) increases Φ by 1 \Rightarrow at most $2n$ recursive calls.

• Overall running time of **M-Compute-Opt(n)** is $O(n)$.

Remark. $O(n)$ if jobs are pre-sorted by start and finish times.

^ (unwind recursion)

Input: $n, s_1, \dots, s_n, f_1, \dots, f_n, v_1, \dots, v_n$

Sort jobs by f_1, f_2, \dots, f_n

Compute $p(1), p(2), \dots, p(n)$

Iterative-Compute-Opt

$M[0] = 0$

for $j = 1$ to n

$M[j] = \max \{ v_j + M[p(j)], M[j-1] \}$

}

Segmented Least Squares:

• Find a line $y = ax + b$ that minimizes the sum of the squared error:

$$SSE = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - ax_i - b)^2$$

$$OPT(j) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } j=0 \\ \min_{1 \leq i < j} \{ c(i, j) + c + OPT(i-1) \} & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Segmented Least Squares: Algorithm

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INPUT: n, p_1, ..., p_n, c
Segmented-Least-Squares() {
  M[0] = 0
  for j = 1 to n
    for i = 1 to j-1
      compute the least square error e_{ij} for the segment p_i, ..., p_j
  for j = 1 to n
    M[j] = min_{1 <= i < j} { e_{ij} + c + M[i-1] }
  return M[n]
}

```

Running time: $O(n^3)$. can be improved to $O(n^2)$ by pre-computing various statistics

• **Bottleneck** = computing $c(i, j)$ for $O(n^2)$ pairs, $O(n)$ per pair using previous formula.

• **Knapsack**

$$OPT(i, w) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i=0 \\ \max \{ OPT(i-1, w), v_i + OPT(i-1, w-w_i) \} & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Knapsack Problem: Bottom-Up

Knapsack. Fill up an n-by-W array.

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Input: n, w_1, ..., w_n, v_1, ..., v_n
for w = 0 to W
  M[0, w] = 0
for i = 1 to n
  for w = 1 to W
    if (w_i > w)
      M[i, w] = M[i-1, w]
    else
      M[i, w] = max { M[i-1, w], v_i + M[i-1, w-w_i] }
return M[n, W]

```

Running time: $\Theta(nW)$.

• **Not polynomial in input size!**

• "Pseudo-polynomial."

• **Decision version of Knapsack is NP-complete.**

• **Shortest Paths:**

$$OPT(i, v) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i=0 \\ \min_{(i-1, v) \in E} \{ OPT(i-1, w) + c_{vw} \} & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Shortest Paths: Implementation

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Shortest-Path(G, t) {
  foreach node v in V
    M[0, v] = ∞
  M[0, t] = 0
  for i = 1 to n-1
    foreach edge (v, w) in E
      M[i, v] ← min { M[i-1, v], M[i-1, w] + c_{vw} }
}

```

Analysis: $\Theta(mn)$ time, $\Theta(n^2)$ space.

Finding the shortest paths. Maintain a "successor" for each table entry.

Important: maintain only 1 array M[v] = our shortest path

Overall Impact:

• **Memory:** $O(m \cdot n)$.

• **Running time:** $O(mn)$ worst case, but substantially faster in practice.

Bellman-Ford Efficient Implementation

(-ve paths: ✓)
(dijkstra: ✗)

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Push-Based-Shortest-Path(G, s, t) {
  foreach node v in V
    M[v] = ∞
  M[s] = 0
  for i = 1 to n-1
    foreach node w in V {
      if (M[w] has been updated in previous iteration) {
        foreach node v such that (v, w) in E {
          if (M[v] > M[w] + c_{vw}) {
            M[v] ← M[w] + c_{vw}
            successor[v] ← w
          }
        }
      }
    }
  If no M[w] value changed in iteration i, stop.
}

```

Detecting Negative Cycles: Summary

Bellman-Ford. $O(mn)$ time, $O(m \cdot n)$ space.

• Run Bellman-Ford for n iterations (instead of n-1).

• Upon termination, Bellman-Ford successor variables trace a negative cycle if one exists.

(n-1) passes

