

COL 351: Analysis and Design of Algorithms

Lecture 23

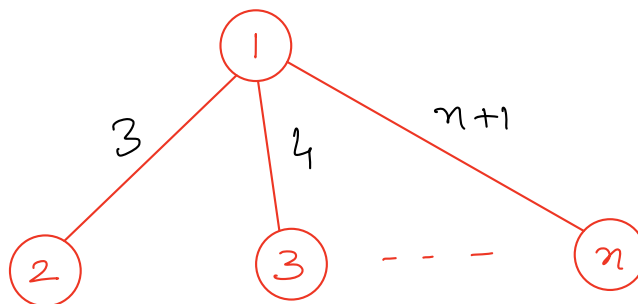
Q1(a): Design an algorithm that verifies whether a given undirected graph (not necessarily connected) with n vertices and m edges is acyclic or not in $O(n)$ time.

Perform DFS traversal of G and stop if

{ i — all vertices are visited, or

1 extra edge. { ii — you find a back edge / a vertex is visited "twice"
DFS

Q1(b): Let $G = K_n$ be a complete graph on n vertices where for any distinct $i, j \in [1, n]$ $weight(i, j) = i + j$. Find an MST of G .



$$wt(MST) = 3 + 4 + \dots + n + n+1$$

Reasoning:

$$i \rightarrow wt \text{ is } (i+1)$$

all other edges incident to " i " have $wt > (i+1)$.

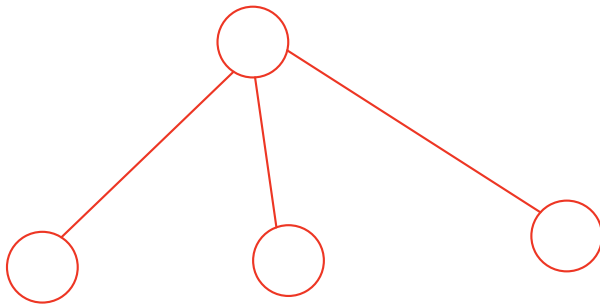
Q1(b): Let $G = K_n$ be a complete graph on n vertices where for any distinct $i, j \in [1, n]$ $weight(i, j) = |i - j|$. Find an MST of G .



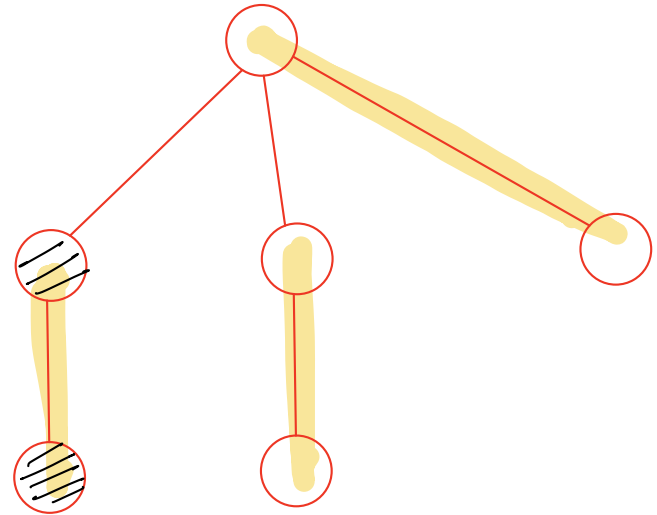
$$wt(MST) = 1 \times (n-1) = n-1$$

Reasoning: We choose $n-1$ edges of wt 1.
All other edges have $wt > 1$.

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No

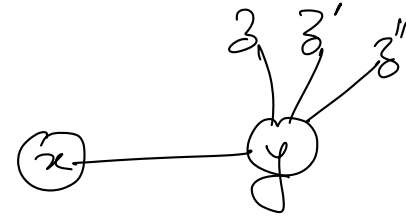


Yes

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$X_0 \leftarrow$ Vertices of degree 0 in F

$X_1 \leftarrow$ Vertices of degree 1 in F



While ($V(F)$ is non-empty)

{
 If $|X_0| > 0$ Return False

Else

$x \leftarrow$ any vertex of deg 1.

$y \leftarrow$ neighbor of x .

Remove x, y from $V(F)$

For $z \in N(y) \setminus x$: $\deg(z) = \deg(z) - 1$.

If $\deg(z) = 0$: add z to X_0

— = 1 : add z to X_1

}

Return True.

Q3: Given is a sequence $X = (x_1, \dots, x_n)$. Design an $O(n^2)$ time algorithm to find the minimum number of characters that needs to be inserted in X to get a palindrome.

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$OPT(i, j)$ = solⁿ for substring $X[i, j]$

$$OPT(i, j) = -\infty \quad j < i$$

$$OPT(i, i) = 0, \quad \forall i$$

$$OPT(i, j) = \begin{cases} OPT(i+1, j-1) \\ \min \left\{ \begin{aligned} &1 + OPT(i, j-1) \\ &1 + OPT(i+1, j) \end{aligned} \right\} \end{cases}$$

$$x_i = x_j$$

$$O/w.$$

$O(1)$
time
for
single
 (i, j)

Imp Ques: In which order should you visit vertex pairs?

Need to handle (i, j) pairs in increasing order of
value of $|i - j|$.

Q4: Let G be a DAG with vertex-set $\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ and topological ordering $(1, 2, \dots, n)$. For each pair (x, y) , let $N(x, y)$ denote the number of distinct paths from x to y in G .

Let \cong be an equivalence relation on vertex-pairs of G , such that $(a, b) \cong (c, d)$ iff $N(a, b) = N(c, d)$.

(a) Provide a recursive relation to compute $N(x, y)$ from $N(x_1, y), \dots, N(x_t, y)$, where x_1, \dots, x_t are out-neighbours of x in G .

$\mathcal{P} =$ Collection of ALL $(x \rightsquigarrow y)$ paths in G

$\mathcal{P}_i =$ Collection of ALL $(x \rightarrow x_i \rightsquigarrow y)$ paths in G (successor of x is x_i)

edge path

$$N(x, y) = \sum_{i=1}^t N(x_i, y)$$

← Here we assume $N(x, x) = 1$

If someone has defined

$N(x, x) = 0$, then eqns will change

Q4(a) Part 2: show how to compute $N(x,y)$, for all pairs (x,y) in G .

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \bullet \text{ Initialize } N(x,x) = 1, \forall x \\ \bullet \text{ Set } N(x,y) = 0 \text{ whenever } y < x \end{array} \right.$

\bullet Finally use the recursive relation to compute $N(x,y)$.

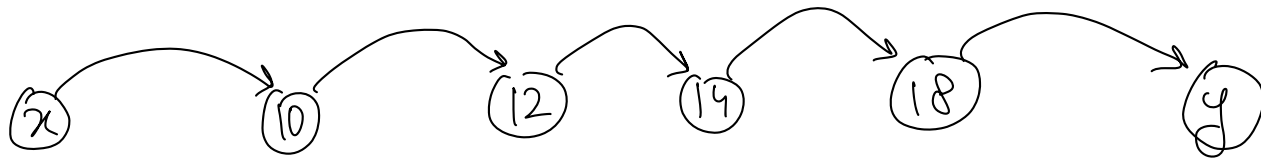
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(b) Argue that for any (x, y) , $N(x, y) \leq 2^n$. Next show that for any two pairs (a, b) , (c, d) the no. of prime factors of $|N(a, b) - N(c, d)|$ is at most n .

Assume $x < y$.

Each $x \rightsquigarrow y$ path in G corresponds to subset of $\{x+1, \dots, y-1\}$



$\{10, 12, 14, 18\}$ a subset of $[x+1, y-1]$

$2^n \leftarrow$ possible # of subsets

4(b) Part 2

$$\text{let } X = |N(a,b) - N(c,d)| \leq 2^n$$

$$X = p_1 p_2 p_3 \dots p_\alpha \quad (p_i \geq 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha \leq n$$

$$\text{So, no of prime factors} \leq n$$

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(c) Design an $O(mn)$ time algorithm that computes with probability $(1 - 1/n)$ the equivalence classes under equivalence relation \cong .

let $p = \text{random prime in range } [2, n^7]$.

let $H: x \rightarrow (x) \bmod p$ be a hash function.

Note: If x_1, \dots, x_t are out-neighbors of x , then

$$H(N(x, y)) = H(N(x_1, y)) + \dots + H(N(x_t, y)) \bmod p$$

$O(t)$

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} - O(m) \text{ time for single } y \\ - O(mn) \end{array} \right\} \quad \forall y$

We say $(a,b) \equiv (c,d)$ iff $H(N(a,b)) = H(N(c,d))$

Take 2 pairs (a,b) , (c,d) with $N(a,b) \neq N(c,d)$

$$\text{Prob} \left(H(N(a,b)) = H(N(c,d)) \right) =$$

$$\text{Prob} \left(p \text{ divides } N(a,b) - N(c,d) \right) \leq \frac{n}{\Theta(n^7 / \log n^7)} \leq \frac{1}{n^5}$$

By union bound

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Prob of error in} \\ \text{entire algo} &= \frac{\# \text{ of choices for } (a,b), (c,d)}{n^5} \leq \frac{n^4}{n^5} \leq \\ &\leq 1/n \end{aligned}$$

Fact: For number of size n^C

we can $+$, $-$, $*$, mod .

in $O(1)$ time

WORD RAM Model

works with n, n^2

bus size = $O(\log_2 n)$

64 bits



$O(1)$ time

Fix a y

$$H(N(x, y)) = \left(H(N(x_1, y)) + \dots + H(N(x_t, y)) \right) \pmod{b}.$$

Fix a y

$$\text{Time} = O\left(\sum_x |\text{out-neighbor}(x)|\right) = O(m)$$

$\forall y$

$$O(m \cdot n)$$