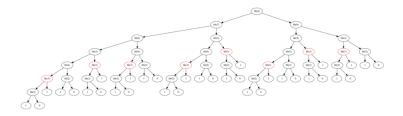
CPSC 5031 Homework 6 (5 pts) Visualizing Graphs

Let's write more code!

Remember this image?



Per the post in Announcements, this was generated using a toolkit called GraphViz (http://www.graphviz.org/). It's a very handy tool to have in your personal toolkit. You can download/install it from these directions: http://www.graphviz.org/download/

Assignment

Write a program that can take an adjacency matrix file and generate a GraphViz "dot file". Run the dot files through dot (one of the GraphViz command line tools) and generate a PNG file.

Example command line:

dot -Tpng myfile.dot -o myfile.png

OH, ONE LITTLE DETAIL:

You must determine if the adjacency file could be a digraph. If it is, use the digraph command in your dot file. Otherwise, use graph. Remember, unless it's a directed graph, there shouldn't be two edges connecting the same two vertices.

What you need to turn in:

- 1. Your code. (I don't need the dot files.)
- 2. An explanation of the test cases you used.
- 3. The images generated for each adjacency matrix included in the homework.

FAQ

How do I use GraphViz?

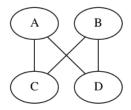
Read the directions. Here's the reference: http://www.graphviz.org/pdf/dotguide.pdf

What are some example dot files I can look at?

Check out https://graphs.grevian.org/example

How about a little hint?

Okay, the graph for adj1.txt should look like this:



Do I need test cases for this?

Always! See #2 of the checklist of things you need to turn in. ©