

# ASSIGNMENT 4: SEARCHING WITH GRAPHS

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**Deadline:** 13:00 1/12/2022

**Grading:** The assignment will be graded on Submitty

**Questions:** You will be able to ask questions during the lab hours on 18/11/2022 and 25/11/2022 (after assignment 3 demonstrations)

**Submission:** Submit via Submitty. Include the files specified for each task, and the short assignment report in pdf, word, or text file.

The report should indicate for task 1 outputs you obtained. For task 2 it should document your approach and results.

## Goals:

- Learn how to implement a graph, weighted and unweighted, directed and undirected
- Become familiar and learn how to implement graph traversals
- Learn how to implement Dijkstra and use it on a real-world example

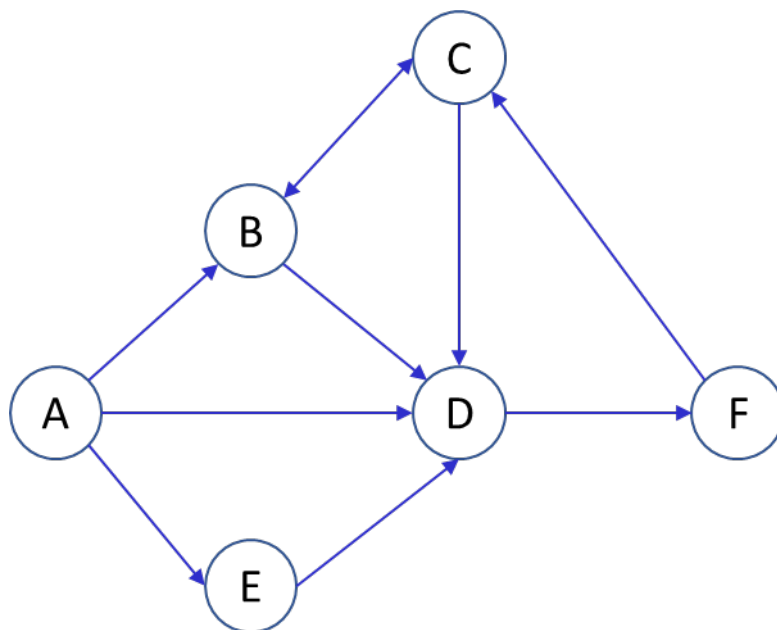
### Task 1 – BFS and DFS – 9 marks

Edit the `Graph` type in `t1.h` to represent graphs using **adjacency lists**, and create a file `t1.c` that implements the following functions:

- `Graph* create_graph(int num_nodes);` // creates a graph with `num_nodes` nodes, assuming nodes are stored in alphabetical order (A, B, C..)
- `void add_edge(Graph *g, int from, int to);` // adds a directed edge
- `void bfs(Graph* g, int origin);` //implements breath first search and prints the results
- `void dfs(Graph* g, int origin);` //implements depth first search and prints the results
- `void delete_graph(Graph* g);` // delete the graph and all its data structures.

For both `dfs` and `bfs`, when several node choices are available, use alphabetical order to choose a node to process. Print the nodes in the order you visit them.

Submitty will test your algorithms on the graph below, by performing both a Depth First Search and a Breath First search with A as the start vertex, as per the `t1_test.c` file. Note that Submitty might also test your code on other graphs!



Sample output:

DFS: A B C D F E

BFS: A B D E C F

- Submit the edited `t1.h` and your `t1.c` on Submitty for task 1 (you may submit other `.c` and `.h` files but do NOT submit the file which contains your `main`).

Task 1 mark allocations	
Building a graph with the functions above	1
Correct Depth First Search implementation	3
Correct Breadth First Search implementation	3
No memory loss	2

## Task 2 – On the buses – 6 marks

Dublin Bus now provides real-time updates on the location and expected time of arrival for their buses. Google Maps use this information to advise you on the best sequence of buses/trains to take in order to reach your desired destination in the shortest possible time. This is achieved by viewing Dublin as being comprised of a number of nodes in a graph (locations) and edges between those nodes (roads/bus routes/train tracks). Each edge has a weight which depends on how long it will take you to travel towards your intended destination via that route. Given nodes, edges and weights, Dijkstra's algorithm can be used to determine the optimal route to get you from where you are to where you want to be.

For this assignment you have been provided with two files – one contains a list of all bus stops in Dublin (nodes) and the other contains a list of routes between those bus stops (edges). The weights on each of the edges is the distance in metres between each bus stop.

(This is real data which is publicly available via a live API. You can grab more complete information from here if you are interested in extending this problem:

<https://data.smartdublin.ie/> )

Your task is to load the data from both files and use them to build a graph which models the public transport system of Dublin city. Then, using Dijkstra's algorithm on the graph, print the optimal sequence of bus stops from a given source to a given destination.

To do so, implement the functions in `t2.h`:

```
int load_edges ( char *fname ); //loads the edges from the CSV file of name
fname

int load_vertices ( char *fname ); //loads the vertices from the CSV file of name
fname

void shortest_path(int startNode, int endNode); // prints the shortest path
between startNode and endNode, if there is any

void free_memory ( void ); // frees up any memory that was used
```

The sample output below shows the route to get from stop 300 (Eden Quay) to stop 253 (Beaumont Hospital). Stops are provided with latitude and longitude information so you can actually check your route on Google Maps if you wish. Submittity will test with these values as per the `t2_test.c` file, and others.

Note that we are taking a very simplistic, unrealistic view of how the bus service in Dublin works. We don't account for how long you will need to wait at a stop before a bus arrives. We don't account for traffic. We assume that a bus follows the exact same route in both directions. Don't overcomplicate this for yourself. It can be implemented very naturally based on Dijkstra's shortest path algorithm.

Keep in mind that this is an **undirected** graph. So when you load an edge from the edges file, you must ensure that both nodes contain a reference to each other.

### Sample output from stop 300 (Eden Quay) to stop 253 (Beaumont Hospital)

Loaded 4806 vertices

Loaded 6179 edges

300 Eden Quay	53.348269	-6.255763
497 Amiens Street	53.350503	-6.250701
515 Amiens Street	53.353504	-6.248089
516 North Strand Rd	53.355680	-6.245662
4384 North Strand Rd	53.357671	-6.242686
519 North Strand Rd	53.360302	-6.239553
521 Annesley Bridge	53.361625	-6.237989
522 Marino Mart	53.363272	-6.235341
523 Marino Mart	53.364281	-6.231608
669 Malahide Road	53.366311	-6.228657
670 Malahide Road	53.368950	-6.226009
671 Malahide Road	53.370719	-6.224138
672 Malahide Road	53.373465	-6.221061
4382 Malahide Road	53.374900	-6.219600
1185 Collins Ave	53.376371	-6.221506
1186 Collins Ave	53.377642	-6.226322
1187 Collins Ave	53.378606	-6.231340
1188 Collins Ave	53.380014	-6.235577
1189 Collins Ave	53.380722	-6.237977
216 Beaumont Road	53.382329	-6.238176
217 Beaumont Road	53.384324	-6.236780
242 Beaumont Road	53.385650	-6.231992
243 Beaumont Road	53.385779	-6.229525
253 Beaumont Hospital	53.389942	-6.224379

- Submit the potentially edited `t2.h` and your `t2.c` on Submittity for task 3 (you may submit other `.c` and `.h` files but do NOT submit the file which contains your main).

Task 2 mark allocations	
Loading data from files (it's in CSV format so just use the parser we've already written), and able to choose locations based on stop ID	1
Printing the optimal route between two given bus stops	5