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Problem Set 4

1. Mathematical Calculations
2. We prove this by induction on the number of vertices in the graph. To ground the induction, consider the graph with one vertex and no edges. It has chromatic number 1 and largest eigenvalue 0. Now, assume the theorem is true for all graphs on n − 1 vertices, and let G be a graph on n vertices. By Lemma that is greater or equal than the average degree of a vertex and smaller or equal than the maximum degree of a vertex in G, G has a vertex of degree at most .

Let v be such a vertex and let G − {v} be the graph obtained by removing this vertex. By our induction hypothesis, G− {v} has a coloring with at most colors. Let c be any such coloring. We just need to show that we can extend c to v. As v has at most neighbors, there is some color in that does not appear among its neighbors, and which it may be assigned. Thus, G has a coloring with colors.

1. First, I initialize node number to the graph as following:

1

0

2

4

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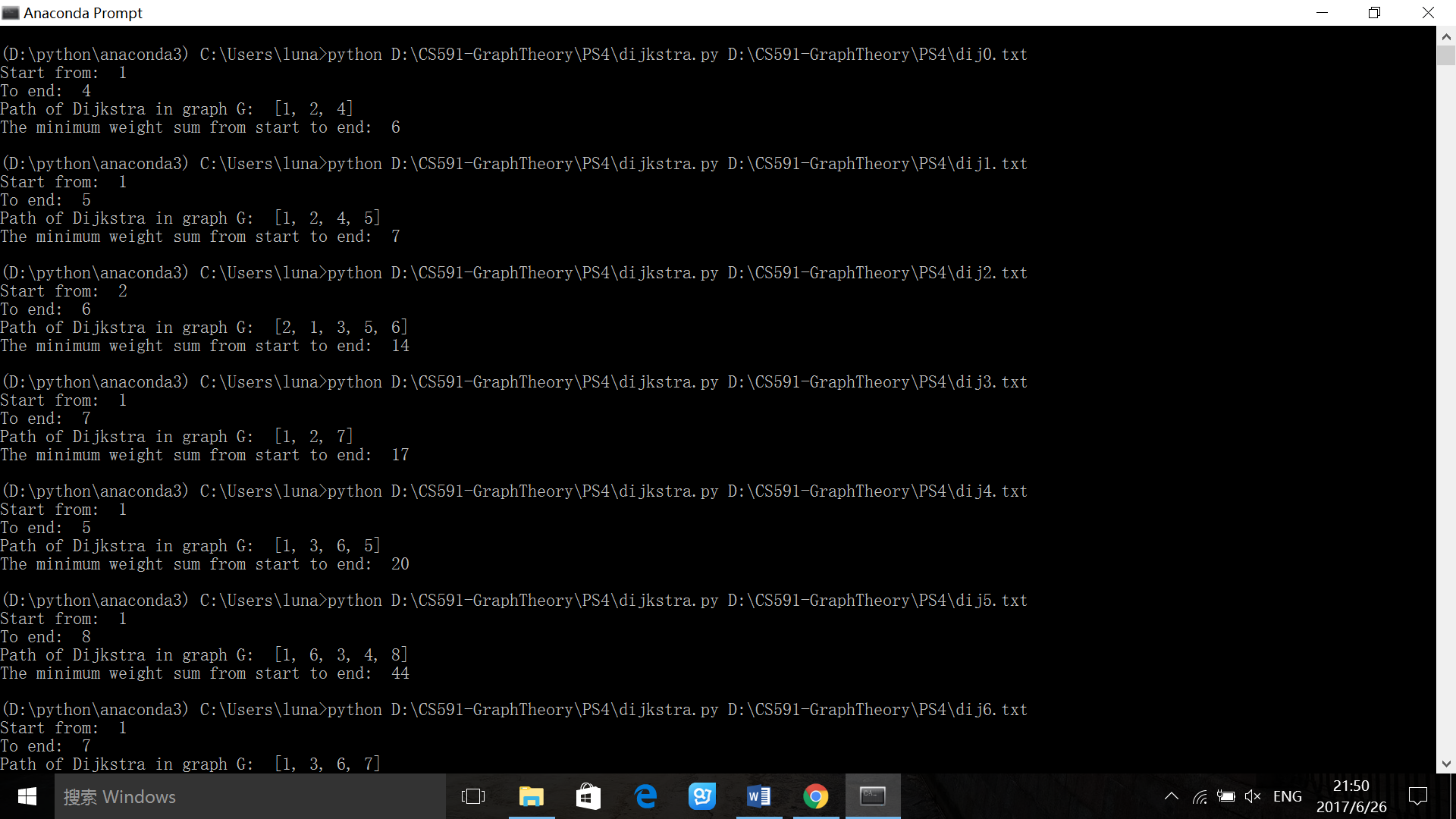
According to the graph, I get the following adjacent matrix:

After that, I can derive the eigenvalues from the adjacent matrix, and eigenvalues are -1.7757, -1, -0.5892, 0.7237 and 2.6412.

1. Let be an unit eigenvector of A(H) with . Because H is an induced subgraph of G, we have the following deduction.

So .

1. Programming

Here is my execution results image. Also, each example has an output text file.