★ LOCAL SEARCH

① Neighbor relation:

Current solution S ∈ C (Set of all possible solutions)

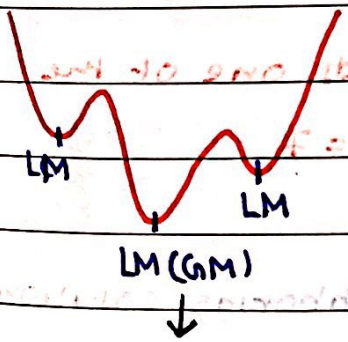
In a given step it chooses a neighbor S' of S then S' is current solution.

(S' can be obtained from S by a small modification)

→ Feasiblity graph:

Graph on set of all possible solutions with edges joining neighboring pairs of solutions.

② Analogy to Potential Energy



★ At every step we tend to move towards a good solution i.e. ↓ PE

★ When we are at a LOCAL minima the algorithm terminates.

★ Local minima may not be the global minima.

① Vertex Cover:

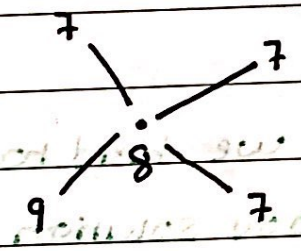
Objective function: Min. no of vertices such that all edges are covered.

Neighbor relation: V_1 is neighbor of V_2 if diff of only 1 vertex is there in 2 solutions

$\{1,2,5\}$

$\{1,2,4,5\}$ $\{1,5\}$

* Here the cost function is the no. of vertices in the set & at each vertex & we want to minimise it.



* We move towards one of the vertex with $|V| = 7$

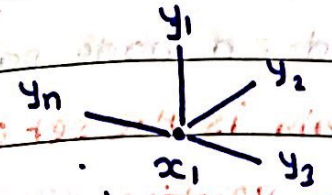
* Each vertex has at most n neighboring solutions where n is the no. of vertices in G.

* ALGO: Initialise set res = { } choose any vertex of the feasibility graph, consider set S = { all vertices of graph }

→ While S is not empty ↓ Vertex of feasibility graph

* Choose any vertex $v \in S$, add all u to res $\exists (u,v) \in G$ & remove v & u $\exists (u,v) \in G$ from S

① ★

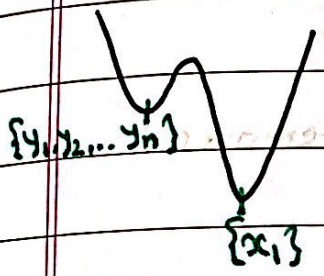


STAR

★ Start with the node $\{x_1, y_1, y_2, \ldots, y_n\}$ in feasibility graph

★ If we keep on removing y_i's $\{x_1\}$ as our local optimum.

★ Remove x_1 we have $\{y_1, y_2, \ldots, y_n\}$ as local minimum.



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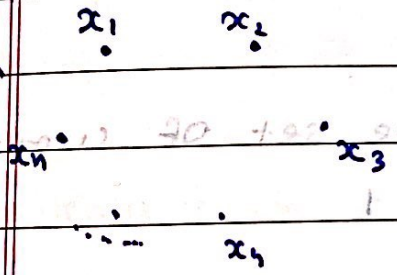

ZERO-EDGE

★ n: vertices , O: edges

$\{x_1, x_2, \ldots, x_n\}$

★ ϕ is the only local minima

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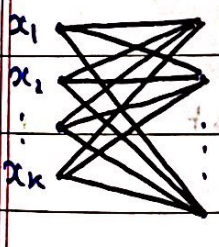


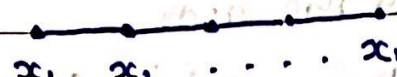
BIPARTITE

★ Complete bipartite graph with $l > k$

→ $\{x_1, x_2, \ldots, x_k\}$

$\{y_1, y_2, \ldots, y_l\}$ are the two local minimas with the former being deeper than the other.

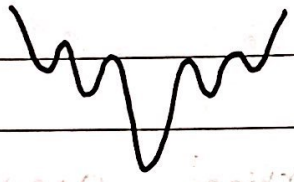
(# no. of vertices)

④ * 

* n is odd, n node path
* Global min is the set of all even vertices

→ But even if any one even vertex is removed we can reach the global min.

→ $\{x_2, x_3, x_5, x_6, x_8, x_9, \ldots\}$ is also local min. (1 mod 3 indices removed)



* At every step no. of vertices in the set of current vertex of Feasibility graph ↓ by 1

→ ∴ there are almost O(n) iterations (achieved in case of zero-edge graph)

* Time Complexity : O(V+E) (adjacency list format)

Feasible solution initially $\{x_1, x_2, \ldots, x_n\}$

* ~~Remove~~ Choose a vertex which is not marked.

Check it's list if any element already removed we cant remove it. (if so mark it else remove it)

* Hence list of each vertex is traversed only once

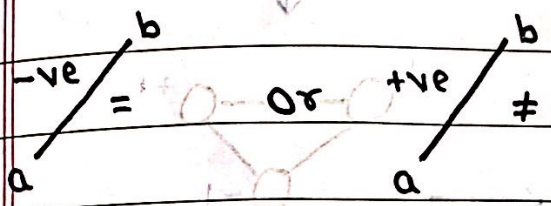
∴ T.C. O(V+E)

② Hopfield Neural Network

Undirected weighted graph

each node assigned +1 or -1

* Good edge

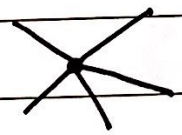


i.e. edge uv is good ⇔ $w_{uv} s_u s_v < 0$

w_{uv}: weight of the edge

s_i: sign of the vertex

* Happy Node



$$\sum_{\text{good}} |w_e| \geq \sum_{\text{bad}} |w_e|$$

* Stable config: all nodes are happy.

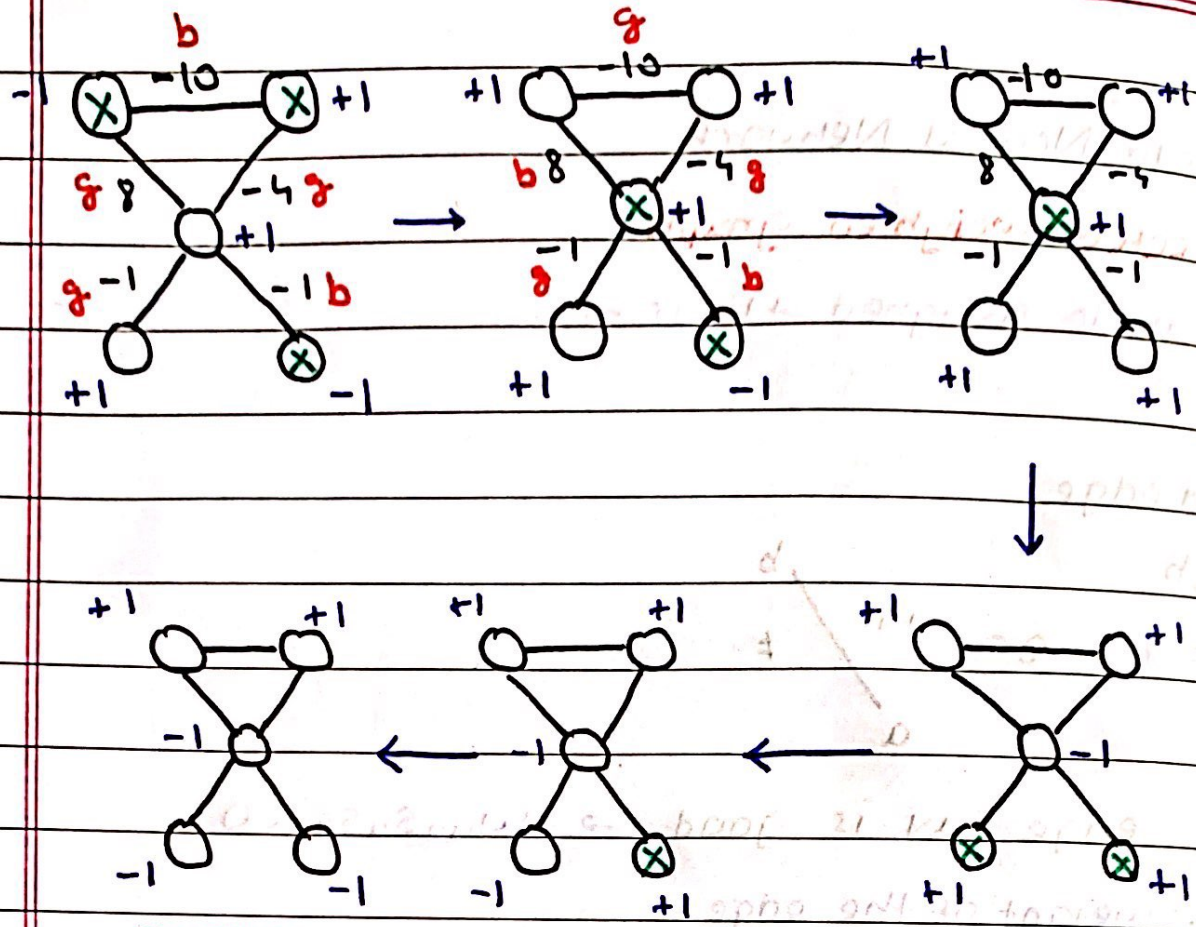
While the current config not stable

There must be an unsatisfied node

Chose that node u

Flip the state (sign) at u

End while.



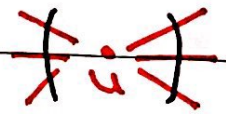
STABLE

* $W = \Sigma_e |w_e|$

* $\sum_{good e} |w_e| \leq \Sigma_e |w_e| = W$

→ At every stage (flip) $\sum_{good e} |w_e|$ increases

* Let node u be unhappy



$|w_{ug}| < |w_{ub}|$ ... before

after flip

$|w_{ug}| > |w_{ub}|$ ... after

∵ good ↔ bad ∴ sum ↑

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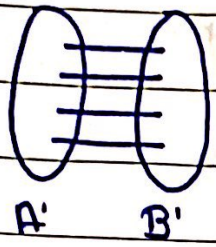
* T.C. $O(W \cdot Poly(m, n))$ (n: vertices, m: edges)

$2^{\log W}$ = $2^{\text{no. of bits to encode input } W}$

→ Such algo "Pseudo Polynomial Time"

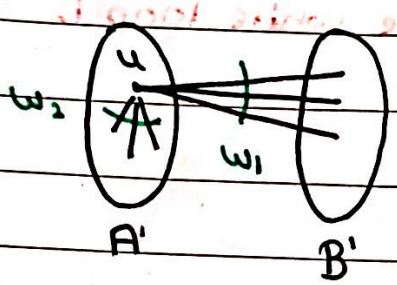
(∵ max no. of iterations of the while loop is W)

③ Max Cut



maximise $W(A',B') = \sum_{u \in A', v \in B'} w(u,v)$

(Cut weight)



If $w_2 > w_1$

Move u from A' to B'

* Neighbor Relation: Change of 1 vertex in partition.

→ At every iteration $W(A',B')$ ↑

* At local optima:

$$\forall u \in A \quad \sum_{v \in A} w(u,v) \leq \sum_{v \in B} w(u,v)$$

$$\forall u \in B \quad \sum_{v \in B} w(u,v) \leq \sum_{v \in A} w(u,v)$$

} n equations

$$\Rightarrow 2 \sum_{u,v \in A} w(u,v) + 2 \sum_{u,v \in B} w(u,v) \leq 2W(A,B)$$

$$\Rightarrow W \leq 2W(A,B)$$

↓

~~Total weight~~

But $W(A,B) \leq OPT \leq W$

$\therefore \frac{1}{2} OPT \leq W(A,B) \leq OPT$

$\therefore$ our algo outputs a soln between $1/2$ OPT & OPT

* This is an approximation algo.

Time: $O(W \text{poly}(m,n))$: Psuedo Polynomial Time algo

* n : input given

O(n): Psuedo poly

O(log n): Weakly poly (# gcd.)

O(1): Strongly poly

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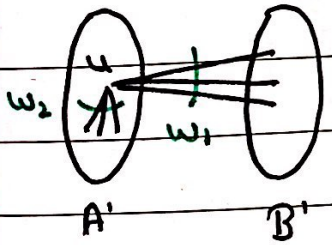

* move u from A' to B'

if $w_2 > w_1(1 + \epsilon/n)$

* At local optima:

$\forall u \in A \quad \sum_{v \in A} w(u,v) \leq \sum_{v \in B} w(u,v) + \frac{\epsilon}{n} W(A,B)$

$\forall u \in B \quad \sum_{v \in B} w(u,v) \leq \sum_{v \in A} w(u,v) + \frac{\epsilon}{n} W(A,B)$

Adding n equations $\therefore 2\sum_{u,v \in A} w(u,v) + 2\sum_{u,v \in B} w(u,v) \leq 2w(A,B) + \epsilon(w(A,$

$\Rightarrow W \leq 2w(A,B) + \frac{\epsilon}{2} w(A,B)$

$\Rightarrow W \leq (2 + \epsilon/2)\, w(A,B)$

$\therefore \frac{OPT}{(2+\epsilon/2)} \leq w(A,B) \leq OPT$

where $\epsilon > 0$

Initially $w(A',B')$

$(1+\epsilon/n)\, w(A',B')$

$(1+\epsilon/n)^2\, w(A',B')$

$\vdots$

$(1+\epsilon/n)^{n/\epsilon}\, w(A',B')$

$\because (1+1/x)^x \geq 2$ for $x \geq 1$

$\therefore (1+\epsilon/n)^{n/\epsilon} \geq 2$

$\therefore$ Objective function ↑ by atleast 2 every n/ϵ flips or transitions.

$\because w(A',B') \leq W$

$\therefore$ T.C. is $O\left(\frac{n}{\epsilon}(\log W)\,\text{poly}(n,m)\right)$: Weakly poly.

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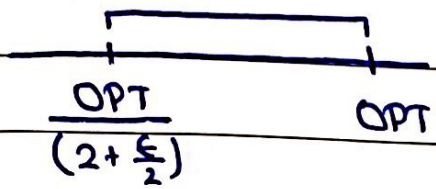
* Polynomial Time approximation Scheme (PTAS)



* As $\epsilon \uparrow$, T.C. $\downarrow$, approx range $\uparrow$