

Project 7: (Java) Given a connected graph, $G = \langle N, E \rangle$, the task is find a minimum spanning tree of G , using the Kruskal's algorithm.

Language: Java

Project points: 10pts

Due Date: Soft copy (*.zip) and hard copies (*.pdf):

10/10 on time: 11/19/2020 Thursday before midnight
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-5/10: does not pass compilation
0/10: program produces no output
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*** Follow "Project Submission Requirement" to submit your project.

Include in your hard copy:

- cover page
- draw the diagrams for the construction of MST
- source code
- print debugFile
- print MSTfile

I. Input:

inFile (args [0]): A text file contains a connected undirected graph, represented by a list of edges with costs, $\langle n_i, n_j, c \rangle$, where the first text line is the number of nodes, N , in G , follows by a list of triplets, $\langle n_i, n_j, cost \rangle$; $n_i > 0$ and $n_j > 0$.

For example:

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5 // there are 5 nodes in the graph
1 5 10 // an undirected edge: i.e., an edge <1, 5, 10> and an edge <5, 1, 10>
2 3 5 // an undirected edge: i.e., an edge <2, 3, 5> and an edge <3, 2, 5>
1 2 20 // an undirected edge: i.e., an edge <1, 2, 20> and an edge <2, 1, 20>
3 5 2 // an undirected edge: i.e., an edge <3, 5, 2> and an edge <5, 3, 2>
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II. Outputs:

a) MSTfile (args [1]):

A text file contain a minimum spanning tree (MST) of G , represented by a list of undirected edges with costs where the first text line is the number nodes, N , the same as N in G , follows by the list of edges with costs in MST of G ; at the end of the list, print the total cost of the MST.

For example:

*** A Kruskal's MST of the input graph is given below: ***

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5
2 3 5
3 5 2
:
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*** The total cost of a Kruskal's MST is:

b) debugFile (args[2]) : For all debugging outputs.

III. Data structure:

1) An edgeNode class

- Ni (int) // an integer 1 to N
- Nj (int) // an integer 1 to N
- cost (int) // a positive integer > 0
- next (edgeNode)

Methods:

- printNode (node) // print node.Ni, node.Nj, node.cost, node.next
- constructor (n1, n2, cost) // to create a new edgeNode of given data: n1, n2, cost and next set to null.

2) A KruskalMST class

- numNodes (int) //number of nodes in G
- inWhichSet (int[]) // a 1-D array, size of N+1; inWhichSet[i] means node i belongs to set of inWhichSet[i]
// to indicate which set each node belongs; dynamically allocated, and set to itself initially.
// as a singleton set.
- numSets (int) // to indicate the remaining number of sets in the computation, initially set to numNodes.
- totalMSTCost (int) // initially set to zero
- listHeadEdge (edgeNode) //This linked list (with a dummy node) is to store all the edges in the graph G.
// for constructing the MST of G.
// the list is sorted in ascending order with respect to the cost of edges in the list.
// the dummy node is set to <0,0,0, null> when created.
- listHeadMST (edgeNode) // This linked list (with a dummy node) is to store the list of edgeNode in MST
// the list is sorted in ascending order with respect to the cost of edges in the list.
// the dummy node is set to <0,0,0, null> when created.

Method:

- insert (node, listHead)
// insert the given node into the given list, using insert sort, in ascending order w.r.t. the edge. cost.
- (edgeNode) removedEdge (listHead) // removes *and* returns the front node of the given linked list.
- merge2Sets (node1, node2) // if node1 < node2
inWhichSet (node2) \leftarrow node1
Else
inWhichSet (node1) \leftarrow node2
- printAry (...) // print inWhichSet array to debugFile, with proper caption.
- printList (listHead, file) // print the given linked list, listHead, to a given file
// Format: listHead \rightarrow <0, 0, 0> \rightarrow <N1, N1, edgeCost> \rightarrow <N2, N2, edgeCost> ...

IV. main(...)

Step 0: numNodes \leftarrow inFile
numSets \leftarrow numNodes
inWhichSet \leftarrow allocate space, size of numNodes_1, set inWhichSet[i] to i, i from 1 to numNodes+1
listHeadEdge \leftarrow create a linked list of edgeNode with a dummy node
listHeadMST \leftarrow create a linked list of edgeNode with a dummy node
totalMSTCost \leftarrow 0

printAry(...)

Step 1: $\langle Ni, Nj, cost \rangle \leftarrow$ read from inFile
newEdge \leftarrow get a new edgeNode (Ni, Nj, cost)

Step 2: insert (newEdge, listHeadEdge)

Step 3: printList (listHeadEdge, debugFile)

Step 4: repeat step 1 to step 3 while inFile is not empty

Step 5: nextEdge \leftarrow removedEdge (listHeadEdge)

Step 6: repeat Step 5 if inWhichSet [nextEdge.Ni] == inWhichSet [nextEdge.Nj] // Ni and Nj are in the same set

Step 7: insert(nextEdge, listHeadMST)
totalMSTCost += nextEdge.cost
merge2Sets (Ni, Nj) // now, Ni, Nj are in the same set
numSets --

Step 8: printAry(inWhichSet)

Step 9: printList (listHeadMST, debugFile)
printList (listHeadEdge, debugFile)

Step 10: repeat step 5 – step 8 while numSets is > 1

Step 11: printList (listHeadMST, MSTfile)

Step 12: close all files.