

CPSC 535 – Advance Algorithms
Project 1 – Savvy Traveller
Report

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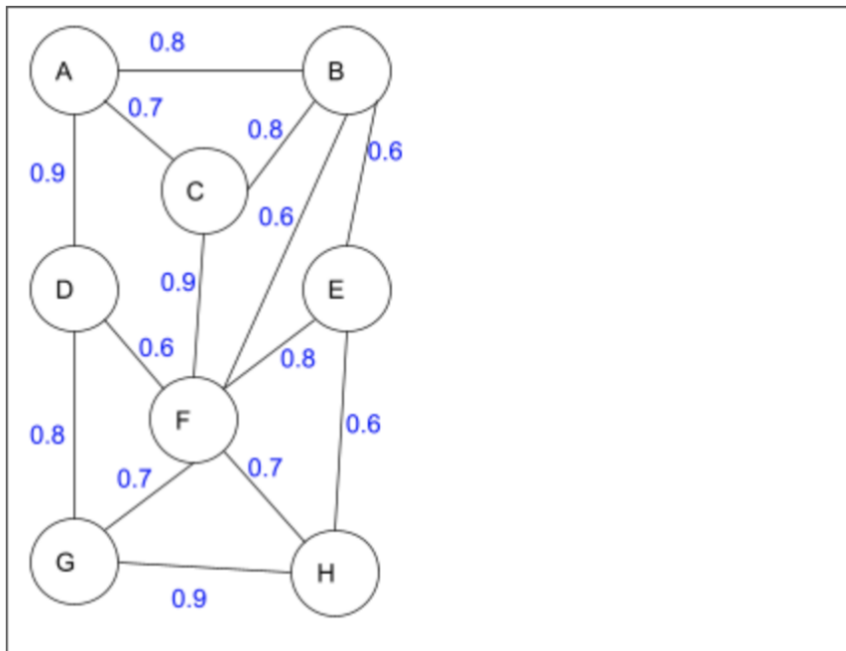
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Summary

This report contains details about the work done to solve the Savvy Traveller – a weighted directed graph problem as a part of our project. We were given a graph, denoting various cities a traveller could fly to from every other city with a certain probability of on-time arrival. We had to compute the path with the highest probability of on-time arrival and the most reliable travel destination.

We were provided with the below graph as one of the examples –



We were given to compute the following:

(i) what route will maximize the probability to arrive on time between any two cities, for example, city A and city F.

(ii) what city among {A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H} is the most reliable travel destination.

To compute (i), we considered all the routes that could lead to city F from city A. Below are the probable routes and their corresponding-

Path from city A to city F	Probability of on-time Arrival
A->B->C->F	0.576
A->B->E->F	0.384
A->B->E->G->D->F	0.0
A->B->E->G->F	0.0
A->B->E->G->H->F	0.0
A->B->E->H->F	0.2016
A->B->E->H->G->D->F	0.124416
A->B->E->H->G->F	0.18144

A->B->F	0.48
A->C->B->E->F	0.2688
A->C->B->E->G->D->F	0.0
A->C->B->E->G->F	0.0
A->C->B->E->G->H->F	0.0
A->C->B->E->H->F	0.14112
A->C->B->E->H->G->D->F	0.0870912
A->C->B->E->H->G->F	0.127008
A->C->B->F	0.336
A->C->F	0.63
A->D->F	0.54
A->D->G->F	0.504
A->D->G->H->E->B->C->F	0.1679616
A->D->G->H->E->B->F	0.139968
A->D->G->H->E->F	0.31104
A->D->G->H->F	0.4536

We see that the highest is that of A->C->F (highlighted) with a probability of 0.63. Hence the answer to the first question is A->C->F.

We firstly created a *graph1.txt* file which contains the on-time arrival probabilities of cities for their adjacent ones in a dictionary format. We provide this file name and then enter the source and destination vertex we want to find the best route for.

To implement this task, we created a function named – *printBestRoute()* which takes source and destination cities as its parameters. This function prints the best route based on the maximum probability value computed by the function *BestRoute()* which takes the same source and destination parameters. The *BestRoute()* keeps a track of the visited cities and appends that to a list called '*path*'. It then checks if the source has reached its destination, if yes, it takes the probabilities of the cities that have been added to the '*path*' list and finds the product '*prod*'.

$$prod = prod * float(graph[self.path[i-1]][self.path[i]])$$

Once, this calculation is complete for one route, it pops the last element and finds another possible route to the destination from the same source. These probabilities of all the routes and the routes themselves are stored in a dictionary named '*list1*'.

When all probabilities of all the routes have been calculated, *printBestRoute()* provides the routes with the highest probability, in our case, it is A->C->F with a probability of 0.63.

To compute (ii), we find out the maximum probabilities of all cities from every other city and the city with the highest probability among all is considered to be the most reliable city. We do the same calculation as we did above for every city and then return the result. Below is the calculation for the given cities-

City A		
Source City	Max Probability	Max Prob Path
From B	0.8	B->A
From C	0.7	C->A
From D	0.9	D->A
From E	0.504	E->F->C->A
From F	0.63	F->C->A
From G	0.72	G->D->A
From H	0.648	H->G->D->A
Sum	4.902	

City C		
Source City	Max Probability	Max Prob Path
From A	0.7	A->C
From B	0.8	B->C
From D	0.63	D->A->C
From E	0.72	E->F->C
From F	0.9	F->C
From G	0.63	G->F->C
From H	0.63	H->F->C
Sum	5.01	

City E		
Source City	Max Probability	Max Prob Path
From A	0.504	A->C->F->E
From B	0.6	B->E
From C	0.72	C->F->E
From D	0.48	D->F->E
From F	0.8	F->E
From G	0.56	G->F->E
From H	0.6	H->E
Sum	4.264	

City B		
Source City	Max Probability	Max Prob Path
From A	0.8	A->B
From C	0.8	C->B
From D	0.72	D->A->B
From E	0.6	E->B
From F	0.72	F->C->B
From G	0.576	G->D->A->B
From H	0.51	H->G->D->A->B
Sum	4.726	

City D		
Source City	Max Probability	Max Prob Path
From A	0.9	A->D
From B	0.72	B->A->D
From C	0.63	C->A->D
From E	0.48	E->F->D
From F	0.6	F->D
From G	0.8	G->D
From H	0.72	H->G->D
Sum	4.85	

City F		
Source City	Max Probability	Max Prob Path
From A	0.63	A->C->F
From B	0.72	B->C->F
From C	0.9	C->F
From D	0.6	D->F
From E	0.8	E->F
From G	0.7	G->F
From H	0.7	H->F
Sum	5.05	

City G		
Source City	Max Probability	Max Prob Path
From A	0.72	A->D->G
From B	0.576	B->A->D->G
From C	0.63	C->F->G
From D	0.8	D->G
From E	0.56	E->F->G
From F	0.7	F->G
From H	0.9	H->G
Sum	4.886	

City H		
Source City	Max Probability	Max Prob Path
From A	0.648	A->D->G->H
From B	0.5184	B->A->D->G->H
From C	0.63	C->F->H
From D	0.72	D->G->H
From E	0.6	E->H
From F	0.7	F->H
From G	0.9	G->H
Sum	4.7164	

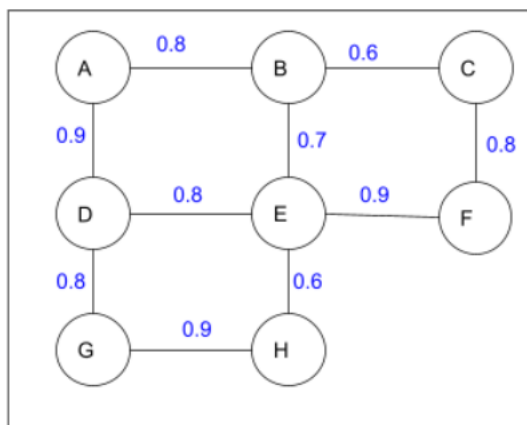
From these calculations, we see that city F is the most reliable destination to travel to from any other city.

To implement this, we used a function named – *ReliableDest()* which does the computation shown above for every city. This function declares a dictionary ‘dict’ and a list ‘vertices’. The ‘vertices’ stores all the cities present in the graph. A nested ‘for loop’ is then run over all the cities in the ‘vertices’. The inner ‘for loop’ runs the *BestRoute()* function to compute the maximum probability between any two cities. Once, the entire loop runs for a particular source and destination, it computes the maximum of all probabilities computed for the different routes between a specific source and destination and stores it in a variable called ‘sum’. As already mentioned, the probabilities of all the routes and the routes themselves are stored in a dictionary named ‘list1’. Below is the computation of ‘sum’ we are doing -

$$sum = sum + max(self.list1.values())$$

This maximum sum of probabilities for all possible routes from a specific source is then stored in the ‘dict’ dictionary. In the end, we print the maximum probabilities with which all other cities can be reached from a particular source city.

Considering **example 2** given below -

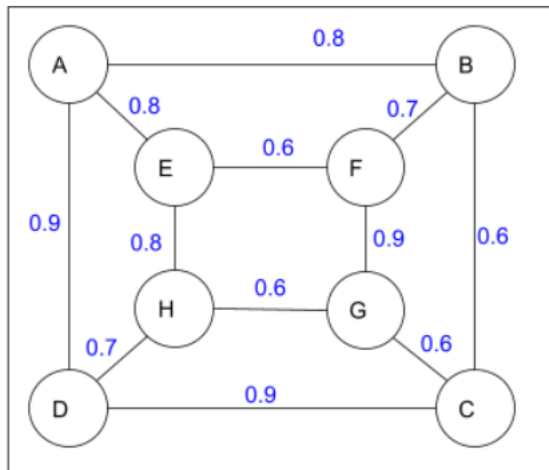


- (i) what route will maximize the probability to arrive on time between C and A, and
- (ii) what city among {A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H} is the most reliable travel destination.

With the same implementation as discussed for example 1, we get the answer to (i) as - path C->F->E->D->A with a probability of probability 0.5184 and city D as the highest reliable city among all for (ii)

For **example 3** below, we compute the following -

- (i) what route will maximize the probability to arrive on time between E and C, and
- (ii) what city among {A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H} is the most reliable travel destination.



With the same implementation, the answer to (i) is path E-A-D-C with a probability of 0.648 and for (ii) city A is the most reliable city.

Pseudocode -

create a *Graph* class

initialize the class with *graph* and empty *list1{}*, *path[]*, *visited{}*

set the *visited* list = *False* for all other vertices

define a function *printGraph(self)*:

print *graph*

define function *BestRoute(self, src, dest)*:

set the *visited[i]* for the *src* = *True*

append this *src* in *path[]*

set *prod* = 1

if the *dest* is found:

for *i* in the range 0 to *length(path)*:

prod = *prod* * probability of the path between the current and
previous city

store the *prod* and the path in *list1{}*

set *prod* = 1

else:

for city in *graph[src]*:

if *visited[src][city]* = *False* and *graph[src][city]* is not = 0:
BestRoute(city, dest)

pop the last element from the *path[]*

set *visited[src]* = *False*

define *printBestRoute(src, dest)*:

call *BestRoute(src, dest)*

print *list1* containing the path and probability

retrieve the maximum probability and its corresponding path in *max_path* and
max_value

print *max_path* and *max_value*

define function *ReliableDest(self)*:

create empty dictionary *dict{}* and list *vertices[]*

store the *cities* from *graph* into *vertices[]* to access them

for *i* in the range 0 to *length(vertices)*: # Access destination in *vertices[]*

set *sum* = 0

for *j* in the range 0 to *length(vertices)*: # Access source in *vertices[]*

if destination is present in *dict* of source and *i* is not = *j*:

call *BestRoute(vertices[j], vertices[i])*

store the maximum probability for the paths obtained in
list1{} in *sum*

set the *visited[]* list for source cities traversed as *False*

empty *list1{}* and *path[]*

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        store the sum in dict[dest]  
    print dict  
    print the most reliable city dict.get with the maximum dict.values()
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inside the *main()* function

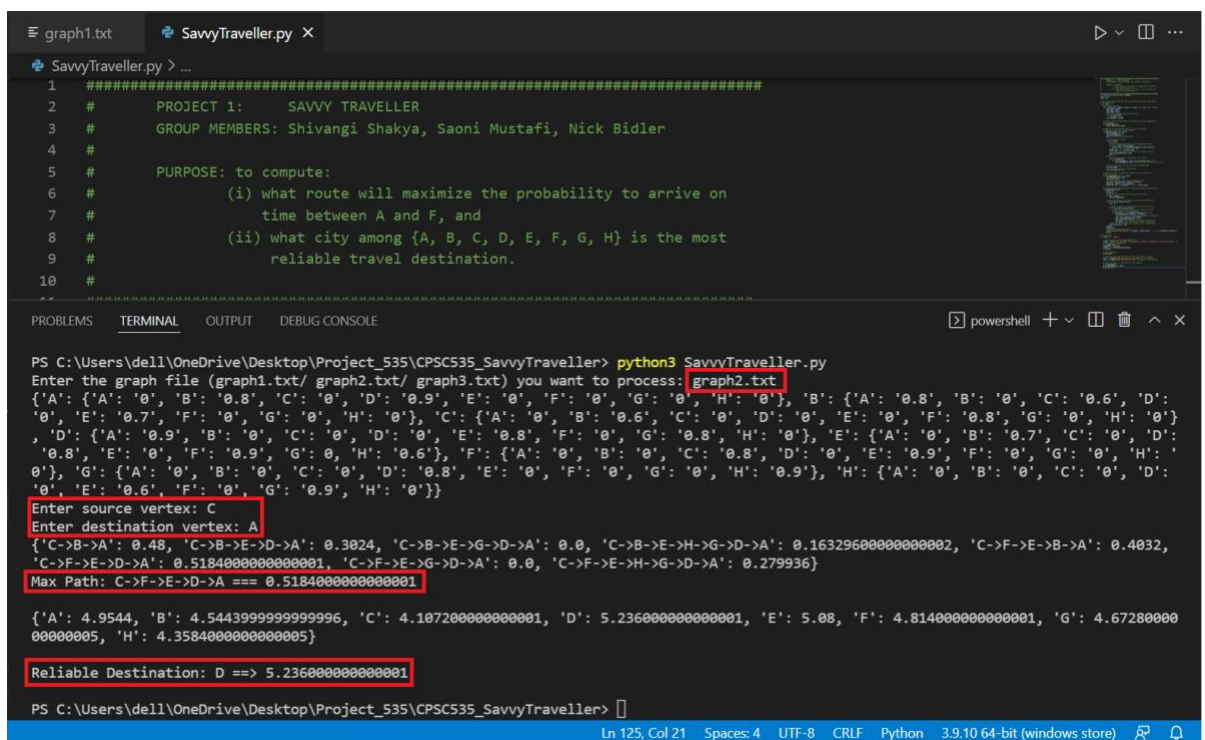
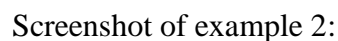
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    take the file name as input from the user  
    read the content of the input file  
    close the file and print the file content  
    take the source city src as input from the user for the graph  
    take the destination city dest as input from the user for the graph  
    create an object of the graph and call the functions printBestRoute(src, dest) and  
    ReliableDest()
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Instructions to run the Code:

The code has been implemented in Python. The name of the file is '*SavvyTraveller.py*'. The three examples have been incorporated in three separate files – *graph1.txt* (for example1), *graph2.txt* (for example 2), and *graph3.txt* (for example 3).

1. Save the *SavvyTraveller.py*, *graph1.txt*, *graph2.txt*, and *graph3.txt* in your desired location.
2. In the terminal, change the directory to the folder where you have saved these files using the command *cd <pathname>*.
3. Type '*python3 SavvyTravller.py*'.
4. Enter the file name you want to run the program for – '*graph1.txt*' to execute for the graph provided in example 1, '*graph2.txt*' for example 2 graph and '*graph3.txt*' for graph in example 3.
5. Enter source city and destination city for the graph you just provided as input.

Screenshot of example 1:



Screenshot of example 3:

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1 #####
2 # PROJECT 1: SAVVY TRAVELLER
3 # GROUP MEMBERS: Shivangi Shakya, Saoni Mustafi, Nick Bidler
4 #
5 # PURPOSE: to compute:
6 # (i) what route will maximize the probability to arrive on
7 # time between A and F, and
8 # (ii) what city among {A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H} is the most
9 # reliable travel destination.
10 #
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Enter the graph file (graph1.txt/ graph2.txt/ graph3.txt) you want to process: **graph3.txt**

{'A': {'A': '0', 'B': '0.8', 'C': '0', 'D': '0.9', 'E': '0.8', 'F': '0', 'G': '0', 'H': '0'}, 'B': {'A': '0.8', 'B': '0', 'C': '0.6', 'D': '0', 'E': '0', 'F': '0.7', 'G': '0', 'H': '0'}, 'C': {'A': '0', 'B': '0.6', 'C': '0', 'D': '0.9', 'E': '0', 'F': '0', 'G': '0.6', 'H': '0'}, 'D': {'A': '0.9', 'B': '0', 'C': '0.9', 'D': '0', 'E': '0', 'F': '0', 'G': '0', 'H': '0.7'}, 'E': {'A': '0.8', 'B': '0', 'C': '0', 'D': '0', 'E': '0', 'F': '0.6', 'G': '0', 'H': '0.8'}, 'F': {'A': '0', 'B': '0.7', 'C': '0', 'D': '0', 'E': '0', 'F': '0.9', 'G': '0', 'H': '0.6'}, 'G': {'A': '0', 'B': '0', 'C': '0.6', 'D': '0', 'E': '0', 'F': '0.9', 'G': '0', 'H': '0.6'}, 'H': {'A': '0', 'B': '0', 'C': '0', 'D': '0.7', 'E': '0.8', 'F': '0', 'G': '0.6', 'H': '0'}}

Enter source vertex: E

Enter destination vertex: C

{'E->A->B->C': 0.38400000000000006, 'E->A->B->F->G->C': 0.24192000000000002, 'E->A->B->F->G->H->D->C': 0.1524096, 'E->A->D->C': 0.6480000000000001, 'E->A->D->H->G->C': 0.18144, 'E->A->D->H->G->F->B->C': 0.11430719999999998, 'E->F->B->A->D->C': 0.27216, 'E->F->B->A->D->H->G->C': 0.07620479999999999, 'E->F->B->C': 0.252, 'E->F->G->C': 0.324, 'E->F->G->H->D->A->B->C': 0.0979776, 'E->F->G->H->D->C': 0.20412, 'E->H->D->A->B->C': 0.24192, 'E->H->D->A->B->F->G->C': 0.1524096, 'E->H->D->C': 0.504, 'E->H->G->C': 0.288, 'E->H->G->F->B->A->D->C': 0.19595520000000002, 'E->H->G->F->B->C': 0.18144}

Max Path: E->A->D->C == 0.6480000000000001

{'A': 5.014000000000001, 'B': 4.65, 'C': 4.776, 'D': 4.984000000000001, 'E': 4.748, 'F': 4.343999999999999, 'G': 4.314, 'H': 4.422}

Reliable Destination: A ==> 5.014000000000001

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Screenshot of the Group:

