

## BOA - Experiment 7

➤ Aim: To study and implement page rank algorithm using PySpark.

### ➤ Theory:

- Page Rank is an algorithm used by Google to rank web pages in search engine results.
- Web pages are considered as nodes in a directed graph, and hyperlinks b/w pages represent edges.
- Page Rank of a web page depends on the number and quality of links pointing to it.

• Formula for Page Rank:

$$PR(A) = \frac{1-d}{N+d \sum [PR(T_i)]} + \frac{d}{L(T_i)} \sum [PR(T_i)]$$

N: Total number of pages

d: damping factor

$PR(T_i)$ : Page Rank score of page  $T_i$

$L(T_i)$ : Number of outbound links of page  $T_i$

- Each page distributes a fraction 'd' of its page rank to pages it links to '1-d' is distributed evenly among all pages.

➤ Conclusion: Page Rank Algorithm has been implemented using PySpark.