EXPERIMENT - 5

Data Structures

Aim

Implementation of stack using linked list.

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AIM: Implement sparse matrix using array.

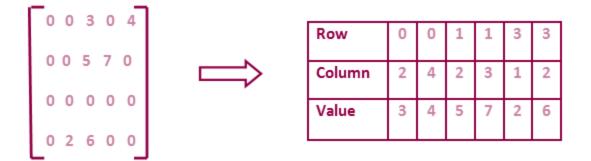
THEORY

A matrix is a two-dimensional data object made of m rows and n columns, therefore having total m x n values. If most of the elements of the matrix have 0 value, then it is called a sparse matrix.

Representing a sparse matrix by a 2D array leads to wastage of lots of memory as zeroes in the matrix are of no use in most of the cases. So, instead of storing zeroes with non-zero elements, we only store non-zero elements. This means storing non-zero elements with triples- (Row, Column, value).

2D array is used to represent a sparse matrix in which there are three rows named as

- Row: Index of row, where non-zero element is located
- Column: Index of column, where non-zero element is located
- Value: Value of the non zero element located at index (row,column)



Source code:

#include<stdio.h>

int main(){

// my info

printf("\n\n Name - Syeda Reeha Quasar \n Roll No. - 14114802719 \n Group - 3C7 \n\n");

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// sparse matrix of class 5x6 with 6 non-zero values
int sparseMatrix[5][6] =
  {0,0,0,0,9,0},
  \{0, 8, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0\},\
  {4,0,0,2,0,0},
  \{0,0,0,0,0,5\},\
  {0,0,2,0,0,0}
};
// Finding total non-zero values in the sparse matrix
printf("Sparse Matrix used:\n");
int size = 0;
for (int row = 0; row < 5; row++) {
  for (int column = 0; column < 6; column++) {
    printf(" %d ", sparseMatrix[row][column]);
    if (sparseMatrix[row][column] != 0) {
       size++;
    }
    }
    printf("\n");
    }
// Defining result Matrix
int resultMatrix[3][size];
// Generating result matrix
int k = 0;
for (int row = 0; row < 5; row++)
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    for (int column = 0; column < 6; column++)
       if (sparseMatrix[row][column] != 0)
         resultMatrix[0][k] = row;
         resultMatrix[1][k] = column;
         resultMatrix[2][k] = sparseMatrix[row][column];
         k++;
      }
  // Displaying result matrix
  printf("\n\nTriplet Representation : \n");
  for (int row=0; row<3; row++) {
      if (row == 0) {
                    printf("row ");
             }
              else if (row == 1) {
                    printf("column");
             }
              else {
                    printf("value");
             }
    for (int column = 0; column<size; column++) {
       printf("%d", resultMatrix[row][column]);
             }
    printf("\n");
  }
  return 0;
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}

OUTPUT

Viva Questions

Q1. What are different ways of representing sparse matrix in memory?

Ans 1.

Sparse Matrix Representations can be done in many ways following are two common representations:

- 1. Array representation / Triplet Representation
- 2. Linked list representation

Other representations:

As a Dictionary where row and column numbers are used as keys and values are matrix entries. This method saves space but sequential access of items is costly.

As a list of list. The idea is to make a list of rows and every item of list contains values. We can keep list items sorted by column numbers.

Q2. What is the advantage of representing only non-zero values in sparse matrix?

Ans2.

Storing only the nonzero elements of the matrix, together with their indices. Reduce computation time by eliminating operations on zero elements.

- Memory: less memory is needed to store the matrix, since the zero elements are not stored
- Efficiency: using a sparse matrix can speed up process

Q3. Which data structure is used to implement a matrix?

Ans3.

An array is used to implement matrix.

Q4. What are various types of representation of matrix?

Ans4.

Matrix representation is a method used by a computer language to store matrices of more than one dimension in memory. Fortran and C use different schemes for their native arrays. Fortran uses "Column Major", in which all the elements for a given column are stored contiguously in memory. C uses "Row Major", which stores all the elements for a given row contiguously in memory. LAPACK defines various matrix representations in memory. There is also Sparse matrix representation and Morton-order matrix representation.

Mainly:

- 1) Row-Major
- 2) Column-Major