

1 Subgraphs and order embeddings

1.1 Transitivity

We are given that A is a subgraph of B and B is a subgraph of C.

The question is then if A is also a subgraph of C, which will now be shown.

The relations between the graphs can be formulated as below, which says that A is contained in B, and B is contained in C.

- $V_A \subseteq V_B$
- $V_B \subseteq V_C$

If we look at this we see that A is subset of B and B is a subset of C. Hence it can also be written out as this.

$$V_A \subseteq V_B \subseteq V_C$$

Which in essence says that A is also a subset contained in C.

Hence the Transitivity applies and given the initial information we know that $V_A \subseteq V_C$

1.2 Anti-symmetry

If A is a subgraph of B then it implies that $V_A \subseteq V_B$ meaning that the amount of nodes cannot be greater than B as that the entirety of A can be found in B.

Like wise if B is a subgraph of A then it implies that $V_B \subseteq V_A$ which also means B cannot be greater than A and that the entirety of B can be found in A.

For both of these conditions to uphold it means that they are the same graph i.e. $A = B$, which means that they are graph isomorphic to one another, as neither can be greater than the other.

1.3 Common subgraph

For X to be a subgraph of A it must hold that the embedding is element wise smaller than A i.e. $Z_X \preceq Z_A$.

Similarly it must hold that if X is a subgraph of B then $Z_X \preceq Z_B$.

For X to be a subgraph of both then it must hold for e.g. a 2 dimensional embedding then the following 4 conditions must hold.

1. $Z_X[0] < Z_A[0]$
2. $Z_X[0] < Z_B[0]$

$$3. Z_X[1] < Z_A[1]$$

$$4. Z_X[1] < Z_B[1]$$

If this is made more compact it means that

$$Z_X[0] < \min\{Z_A[0], Z_B[0]\} \text{ and } Z_X[1] < \min\{Z_A[1], Z_B[1]\}.$$

Which is the same as Z_X being element wise smaller than the smallest element in Z_A and Z_B i.e.

$$Z_X \preceq \min\{Z_A, Z_B\}$$

1.4 Order embeddings for graphs that are not subgraphs of each other

With the embedding relation given that $Z_A[0] > Z_B[0] > Z_C[0]$ and that they are all non isomorphic and not subgraphs of each other. Then this relation suggests a reverse relationship for the other dimension i.e. $Z_A[1] < Z_B[1] < Z_C[1]$, which ensures that none of the graphs are element wise smaller than another.

1.5 Limitation of 2 dimensional order embedding space

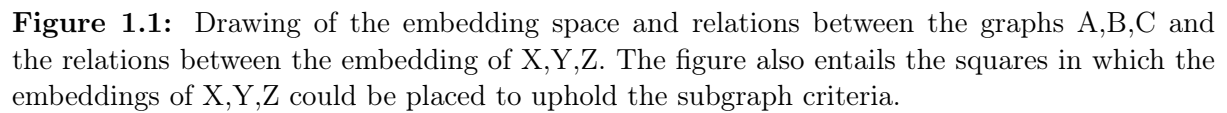
We consider the graph relation of $Z_A[0] > Z_B[0] > Z_C[0]$. From those we can show how graph A, B and C are visually placed in relations to each other, which is also illustrated on figure 1.1.

By using the following assignment we will find a relation that ensures $Z_X \preceq Z_Y$ and $Z_X \preceq Z_Z$ by formulated the relations that must apply between X, Y, Z and A, B, C in relation to their 2 dimensional embedding

- Graph X is a subgraph of A, B and C
- Graph Y is a subgraph of B and C
- Graph Z is a subgraph of A

With this scheme we find that a set of conditions apply to the relation between the graphs. Notably we consider the conditions of X, which can only be placed in the left bottom square on figure 1.1.

The placement of Y and Z could be anywhere that ensures the aforementioned condition of $\preceq Z_Y$ and $Z_X \preceq Z_Z$, and that stays within its subgraph boundaries induced by being a subgraph of the aforementioned graphs A, B, C. The exact criteria can also be seen on the figure.



- $Z_X[0] < \min\{Z_C[0], Z_Y[0], Z_Z[0]\}$
- $Z_X[1] < \min\{Z_A[1], Z_Y[1], Z_Z[1]\}$

- $Z_Y \preccurlyeq \min\{Z_B, Z_C\}$
- $Z_Z \preccurlyeq Z_A$