

主題: All-pairs Shortest Paths

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基礎

- The all-pairs shortest paths problem
- Floyd-Warshall's algorithm
- Transitive closure

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The all-pairs shortest paths problem

- 給一個 directed weighted graph，對所有 pair (u, v) ，求 u 到 v 的 **shortest path**
- Input: the **weighted** adjacency-matrix W

$$w[i, j] = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i = j; \\ \text{length of } (i, j) & \text{if edge } (i, j) \text{ exists;} \\ \infty & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$
- 可以用 graph 中的每一個 vertex 當起始點來算 single-source shortest paths
 - $O(n^3)$

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Floyd-Warshall's algorithm

- 注意: 此方法適用於 **negative edges**，但不可以有 **negative cycles**

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D ← W
for k = 1 ~ n
  for i = 1 ~ n
    for j = 1 ~ n
      D[i, j] = min{D[i, j], D[i, k] + D[k, j]};
  
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- 注意 ∞ 的處理
- $O(n^3)$

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Floyd-Warshall vs. Dijkstra

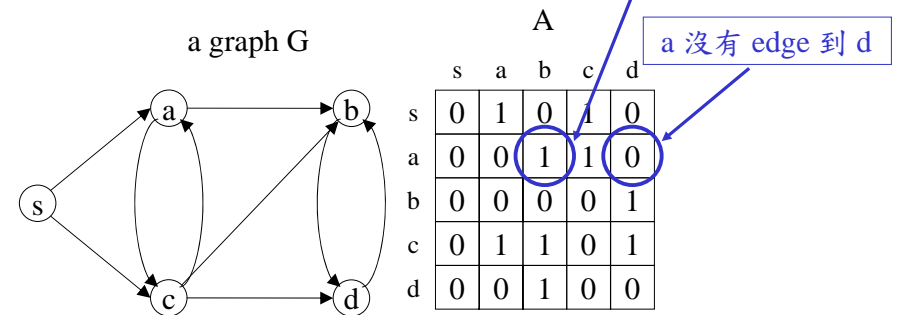
- Floyd-Warshall algorithm 雖然一樣可以做 backtracking 建出 shortest paths，但是 backtrack 的步驟比較麻煩 (這裏省略)，所以若需要建 shortest paths，建議使用 Dijkstra's algorithm n 次
- 由於 Floyd-Warshall algorithm 極易寫，所以當 n 在 300 以下而且不需 backtrack 時，即使是 single-source shortest paths problem，也可以考慮寫 Floyd-Warshall's all-pairs algorithm

只需距離且 $n \leq 300$ (???) \Rightarrow Floyd-Warshall!!!

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Transitive Closure

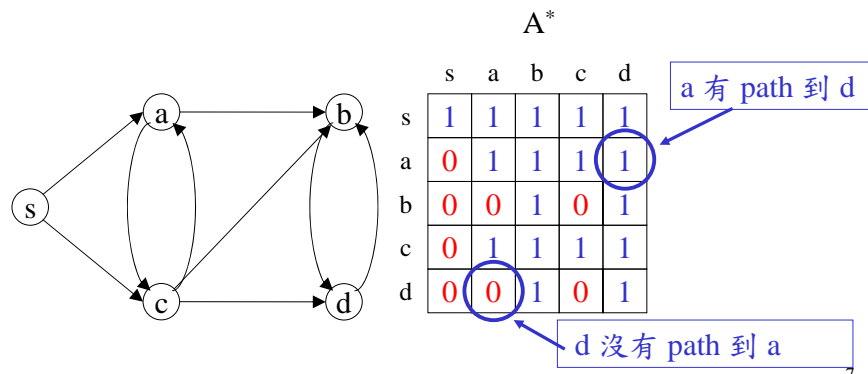
- 給一個 directed graph G 的 adjacency-matrix A ，計算 G 的 transitive closure A^*



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Transitive Closure (cont.)

- $A^*[i, j] = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } (i = j) \text{ or (there is a path from } i \text{ to } j); \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$



Method 1. Floyd-Warshall

- 將每條 edge 的 length 設為 1，沒有 edge 的部分則設為 ∞

$$w[i, j] = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i = j; \\ 1 & A[i, j] = 1; \\ \infty & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

- 用這組 W 去執行 Floyd-Warshall's algorithm，則：
 - $D[u, v] \neq \infty \Rightarrow A^*[u, v] = 1$
 - $D[u, v] = \infty \Rightarrow A^*[u, v] = 0$

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Method 2. DFS

- For a **directed** graph G

- A* 可以跑 n 次 DFS 來計算
 - $O(n \times (n + m)) = O(n^3)$

每次算一個 row
(row i: 由 i 出發 DFS)

- For an **undirected** graph G

- A* 可以只跑 一次 DFS 來計算
 - $O(n + m) = O(n^2)$

$A^*[i, j] = 1$ iff
i, j are in the same tree

- may be faster but slightly complicated

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應用

- 應用一: A.247 Calling Circles
- 應用二: AT2003D The Geodetic Set Problem
- 應用三: AT2001E Hinge Node Problem

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應用一: A.247 Calling Circles

- 電話公司對 users 撥打電話有完整的紀錄，用 $A \rightarrow B$ 表示 A 曾打電話給 B
- 如果存在一條由 X 到 Y 的 **call path**，同時存在一條由 Y 到 X 的 **call path**，則我們說 X, Y 在同一個 **calling circle** 上
- 給 users 撥打電話的完整紀錄，請將所有的 calling circles 找出來
- $n \leq 25$ users

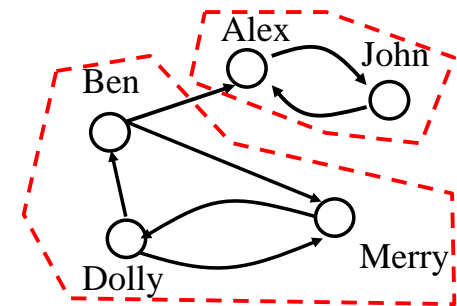
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Example

Sample input \rightarrow 5 users and 7 calls

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Ben Alex
Merry Dolly
John Alex
Alex John
Dolly Ben
Dolly Merry
Ben Merry



共兩個 calling circles
(strongly connected components)

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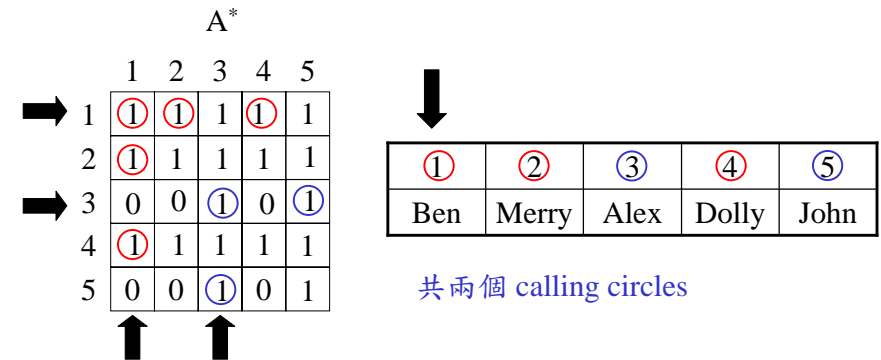
Strongly connected components

- Let G be a **directed** graph
- Let A^* be the transitive closure of G .
- Two vertices i, j are of the same **strongly connected component** iff $(A^*[i, j] = 1) \& (A^*[j, i] = 1)$

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Solution

- Step 1: Computing A^*
- Step 2: Output circles (strongly connected component)



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Pseudo code for Step 2

for ($i = 0; i < n; i++$) $\text{flag}[i] = 1;$ ← Initialization

for ($i = 0; i < n; i++$)

if ($\text{flag}[i] == 1$) { ← 找到一個尚未輸出的 vertex i

$\text{flag}[i] = 0;$

$\text{printf}("%s", \text{name}[i])$

 for ($j = i + 1; j < n; j++$)

 if ($((A^*[i, j] == 1) \& (A^*[j, i] == 1))$)

$\text{flag}[j] = 0;$

$\text{printf}(", %s ", \text{name}[j])$

$\text{printf}("\n");$

}

只需由 $i + 1$
開始拉人

← 輸出 i 的
calling circle

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Analysis

- $O(n^3)$ /* $n \leq 25$ */
- 註: strongly connected components 用 DFS 有 $O(n+m)$ time 的作法 (course of Algorithms)

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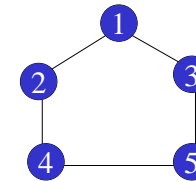
應用二: AT2003D

The Geodetic Set Problem

- 給一個 unweighted graph G ($n \leq 40$)
 - 給兩個 nodes x, y , $I(x, y) = \{z \mid x, y \text{ 有一條 shortest path 通過 } z\}$
 - For a vertex-set S , $I(S) = \bigcup_{x,y \in S} I(x, y)$
 - If $I(S) = V(G)$, S is called a *geodetic set* (測量點集合)
- 給 G 和 (S_1, S_2, \dots, S_q) , 請判斷每一個 S_i 是否為 geodetic set

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Example



- $I(2, 3) = \{1, 2, 3\}$
- $S_1 = \{3, 4, 5\} \Rightarrow \text{No, since } 1, 2 \notin I(\{3, 4, 5\})$
- $S_2 = \{1, 3, 4\} \Rightarrow \text{Yes}$

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Solution

- Step 1. 計算 $D[i, j]$ (all-pairs shortest paths)
- Step 2. 暴力檢查 all v, x, y , 看 v 是否在 x - y shortest path 上

$O(n \times |S_i|^2)$

- for each $v \in V$
 - for all $x, y \in S_i$
 - check whether $v \in I(x, y)$ How ???
- Step 3. If there is a vertex $v \notin I(x, y)$ for all $x, y \in S_i$, S_i is not a geodetic set
- $O(n \times |S_i|^2) = O(n^3)$ for check an S_i , where $n = 40$
 $\Rightarrow O(q \times n^3)$ (good for $q < 10^3$)

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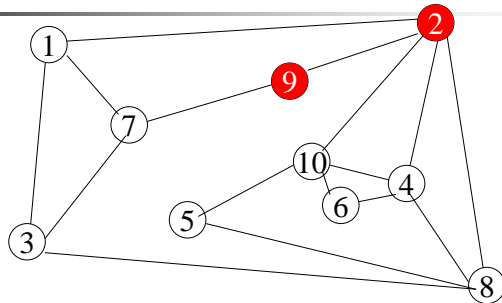
應用三: AT2001E

Hinge Node Problem

- 給一個 graph G ($3 \leq n \leq 100$)
 - all edges have unit length (unweighted)
 - 給一個 node g , 如果拿掉 g 後有某兩個 vertices x, y 的 shortest path 變長, 則稱 g 為 *hinge node* (關鍵點)
- 找出 G 的所有 hinge nodes
- $q < 6$ 組測資

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Example



- 2 is a hinge node, since $d_{G-\{2\}}(8, 9) = 3 > d_G(8, 9) = 2$
- 9 is not a hinge node, since $d_{G-\{9\}}(x, y) = d_G(x, y)$ for all x, y

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Solution 1

- Step 1. 計算 $D[x, y]$ (all-pairs shortest paths)
- Step 2. For each $v \in V$, 拔掉 v 看有無 x, y 的 distance 增加
 - Compute $D_{G-\{v\}}[x, y]$
 - Compare $D[x, y]$ and $D_{G-\{v\}}[x, y]$
- $O(n^3)$ for checking a node v
 - $O(n \times (n + m))$ if using adjacency-lists and BFS
- $O(n^4) \approx 10^8$ for a graph ($n = 100$)
- $O(q \times n^4) \approx 5 \times 10^8$ in total (Pass ???)

How???

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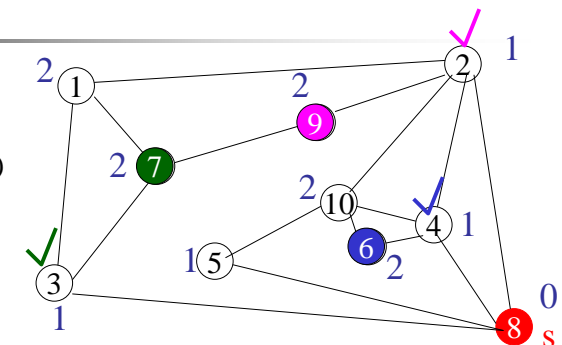
Solution 2

- 固定一個 node s , 找出所有 $s-v$ shortest paths 上的 hinge nodes
- Step 1. 利用 BFS (或 single-source shortest paths) 計算所有 $d(s, v)$
- Step 2. for each u with $d(s, u) = k \geq 2$
 - if u has only one neighbor g with $d(s, g) = k-1$, mark g as a hinge node

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Example

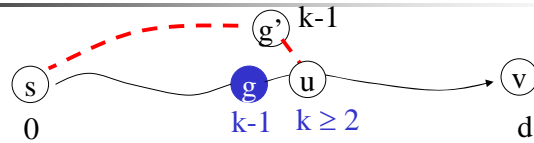
- 計算所有 $d(s, v)$



- 6 marks 4 as a hinge node
- 7 marks 3
- 9 marks 2
- 1, 10 do not mark any node

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Correctness



- 假設 g 是 s - v shortest path 上的 hinge node
- 令 u 為 g 的下一個 vertex, depth 是 k
- g 的 depth 是 $k - 1$
- g 是 u 的 neighbors 中, 唯一 $\text{depth} = k - 1$ 的 node
- g 必然也是 s - u shortest path 上的 hinge node
- 如何推廣到 weighted graph ???

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Analysis

- $O(n^2)$ for checking a node s
- $O(n^3) \approx 10^6$ for a graph ($n = 100$)
- $O(q \times n^3) \approx 5 \times 10^6$ in total

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Solution 3

- modify Solution 2, 用 all-pairs shortest paths 取代 n 次 BFS
 - Step 1. 利用 BFS 計算所有 $d(s, v)$ (single-source)
 - ⇒ 計算 $D[x, y]$ (all-pairs shortest paths)
 - Step 2. for each node s
 - 找出所有 s - v shortest paths 上的 hinge nodes
 - (⇒ row s of D , $D[s, \cdot]$, stores all shortest s - v paths)
- $O(n^3) \approx 10^6$ for a graph
- $O(q \times n^3) \approx 5 \times 10^6$ in total

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b1 this problem is more suitable for DP
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