

Graph Theory



- Königsberg was a city in Germany in 18th century. There was a river named Pregel that divided the city into four distinct regions.
- There was a natural question for the people of Königberg :

'Is it possible to take a walk around the city that crosses each bridge exaactly once?'



- The problem was solved by Swiss mathematician Leonard Euler. His works are considered as the beginning of Graph Theory.
- Euler represented four distinct lands with four points (or nodes), and seven bridges with seven lines connecting those points.

'Can you find a path that includes every edge exactly once?' 'Is the given graph traversable?'



• If $(1,2) \in E$, 1 and 2 are adjacent vertices.





degⁱⁿ(5) = 1 deg^{out}(4) = 2



• a vertex v is called even vertex if deg(v) is even

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Cycle Graphs





a subgraph of a graph G = (V, E) is a graph H = (W, F) such that
 W⊆V and F⊆E.



 the subgraph induced by a subset W of the vertex set V is the graph (W, F) where the edge set F contains an edge in E if and only if both starting node and ending node of this edge are in W.





the subgraph induced by W={a, b, c, d}

this subgraph produced by removing the edge e

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H = \langle \{a, b, c, d\} \rangle
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 $G_1 = (V_1, E_1)$ $G_2 = (V_2, E_2)$ $G_1 \cup G_2 = (V_1 \cup V_2, E_1 \cup E_2)$







	<u>Adjacency List</u>	<u>Adjacency Matrix</u>
 retrieving all neighbors of a given node u 	O(deg(u))	O(IVI)
 given nodes u and v, checking if u and v are adjacent 	O(deg(u))	O(1)
• space	O(IEI+IVI)	O(IVI ²)

If graph is sparse, use adjacency list; if graph is dense, use adjacency matrix

Isomorphism

• Two simple graphs $G_1 = (V_1, E_1)$ and $G_2 = (V_2, E_2)$ are isomorphic if there exists a bijection f from V_1 to V_2 such that a and b are adjacent in G_1 if and only if f(a) and f(b) are adjacent in G_2 for all $a, b \in V_1$



• $f: V_1 \rightarrow V_2$, f(a) = 1, f(b) = 4, f(c) = 3, f(d) = 2

a and c are adjacent in G_1 , f(a) = 1 and f(c) = 3 are adjacent in G_2 a and d are adjacent in G_1 , f(a) = 1 and f(d) = 2 are adjacent in G_2 b and d are adjacent in G_1 , f(b) = 4 and f(d) = 2 are adjacent in G_2

Isomorphism

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- The degrees of the vertices in isomorphic graphs must be same



- G and H both have 5 vertices and 6 edges
- G has 3 vertices of degree two and 2 vertices of degree three H has 1 vertex of degree one, 2 vertices of degree two, 1 vertex of degree three, and 1 vertex of degree 4

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• G and H both have 8 vertices and 10 edges

- G has 4 vertices of degree two and 4 vertices of degree three H has 4 vertices of degree two and 4 vertices of degree three
- One of the odd vertices (s) in H has 2 adjacent odd vertices (w and x)
 We don't have such case in G

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- length of a path is the number of edges in the path

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- Given G = (V, E) and $H \subseteq G$, if there is no proper subgraph U of G ($U \subset G$) such that $H \subseteq U$, H is called a maximal subgraph of G.
- a connected component is a maximal subgraph where there is a path between any two nodes of it
- a graph can be made up of seperate connected components





- Consider a vertex v of a given graph G = (V, E), if removing v and all its inncident edges from the graph produces a subgraph with more connected components, v is called cut vertex (or cut vertices)
- Similarly, if removing an edge from a graph creates a subgraph with more connected components, it's called cut edge



Connectivity

- A subset W of the vertex set V of G = (V, E) is called a vertex cut or separating set, if G W is disconnected
- Similarly, a subset F of the edge set E of G = (V, E) is called a edge cut, if G F is disconnected



vertex cut: {b, c} or {f, e}
edge cut: {(b, f), (c, e)} or {(a, c), (a, b)}
no cut vertex and no cut edge



vertex cut: {c} edge cut: {(d, c), (c, e)} no cut edge



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edge

• Simi $\kappa(G)$: minimum number of vertices in a vertex cut $\lambda(G)$: minimum number of edges in a edge cut





- Isomorphic graphs must have same number of edges
- The degrees of the vertices in isomorphic graphs must be same
- They must have same amount of simple circuits of length k



- G and H both have 6 vertices and 8 edges
- G has 2 vertices of degree two and 4 vertices of degree three
 H has 2 vertices of degree two and 4 vertices of degree three
- G has two simple circuits of length three; however, H has no simple circuit of length three

Connectivity

How many paths of length two from a to c ?

a, b, c or a, d, c

• For a given graph G = (V, E), what are the number of different paths of length k from one vertex to another one ?

• Given a graph G = (V, E) together with the adjacency matrix A, the number of different paths of length m from v_i to v_j will be the (i, j)-th entry of A^m

<u>Basis Step</u> (k = 1) For $A = (a_{ij})$, a_{ij} will be the number of different path of length 1 from v_i to v_j (true)

<u>Inductive Step</u> Assume it's true for k, i.e. the number of different paths of length k from v_i to v_j will be the (i, j)-th entry of A^k . v_u

For k + 1, $A^{k+1} = A^k \cdot A$ $A^{k+1} = \begin{pmatrix} b_{11} & \cdots & b_{1n} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ b_{n1} & \cdots & b_{nn} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{pmatrix}$ $c_{ij} = b_{i1} \cdot a_{1j} + b_{i2} \cdot a_{2j} + \dots + b_{in} \cdot a_{nj}$



 c_{ij} : the number of different paths of length (k+1) from v_i to v_j



Euler Paths and Circuits



- Euler circuit is a simple circuit that contains every edge of G.
- Euler path is a simple path that contains every edge of G
- Does this graph have an Euler path or Euler circuit?



- when you pass a vertex, you add two to the degree of it.
- the degree of starting node and ending node just one or odd number
- the graph has a Euler path or Euler circuit if if it has no odd vertex or exactly two odd vertices.





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F-B-A-C-B-D-F-E-D-C-E

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Hamilton Paths and Circuits

- Hamilton circuit is a simple circuit that contains every vertex of G exactly once except the starting vertex.
- Hamilton path is a simple circuit that contains every vertex of G exactly once



 Does G contain a Hamilton path or circuit ?

> a – b – c – d no Hamilton circuit

• There is no easy way to determine a given graph has a Hamilton circuit or Hamilton path

a graph with a vertex of degree one cannot have a Hamilton circuit

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 V, find the shortest path from s to every other vertex in V
- Three cases :
 - the weight of each edge fixed as 1
 --BFS--
 - the weight of each edge non-negative
 -Dijkstra—
 - the weight of each can be negative --Belmann/Ford--

<u>Relaxation</u>

- For each vertex v in V, initialize two parameters :
 - parent pointer indicates the predecessor of the vertex in the shortest path from s to v
 - distance indicates the shortest-path estimate from vertex to the source

<u>Initialize (G, s)</u>

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for each vertex v i V
v.dis = ∞
v.par = nil
s.dis = 0
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<u>Relaxation</u>

 relaxing an edge (u,v) : testing whether the shortest path to the vertex v can be improved by going through the vertex u

<u>Relax(u, v)</u>

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if v.dis > u.dis + w(u,v)
v.dis = u.dis + w(u,v)
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<u>Relaxation</u>

- Let $\delta(s,v)$ be the weight of the shortest path from source to the vertex v (after the termination of the program)
- For any edge (u,v) in E,

 $\delta(s,v) \leq \delta(s,u) + w(u,v)$

• For all vertices v in V,

v.dis ≥ δ(s,v)



• If there is no path from s to v, then

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for each u of V
                               Initialize(G,s)
       u.key = ∞
                                   O(IVI)
       u.par = nil
  s.key = 0
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  create a minimum priority Q on V
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  while Q \neq \{\}
                                                O(|V|.|og|V|)
       u = ExtractMin(Q)
       S = S \cup \{u\}
       for each v of Adj(u)
           if v.dis > u.dis + w(u,v)
                                            O(IEI.logIVI)
               v.dis = u.dis + w(u,v)
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            update Q
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  O(1)
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<u>Dijkstra's Algorithm</u>

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 $S = \{H,F,G,E,C,D,B,A\}$

Bipartite Graphs

• a simple graph G is called bipartite if its vertex set V can be partitioned into two disjoint subsets V_1 and V_2 such that every edge in the graph connects a vertex in V_1 and a vertex in V_2 (there is no edge (a,b) such that a and b are elements of same partition)





• a graph G is called planar if it can be drawn in the plane without any edge crossing.

this drawing is called planar representation of the graph



Graph Coloring





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 $\chi(K_4) = 4$

