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A Simplified Approach to Data Structures

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- Finding the reachability
- Finding the shortest path
- Spanning Trees



A labeled simple graph:-Vertex set *V* = {2,3,5,7,8,9,10,11} Edge set *E* = {{3,8}, {3,10}, {5,11},{7,8}, {7,11}, {8,9}, {11,2},{11,9},{11,10}}.

Reachability

•It means that whether a particular vertex is reachable from other vertices of the graph or not.

•With the help of reachability matrix of a graph,we can find which vertex of a graph is reachable from which vertex of a graph by 2 ways:-

- ✤ Matrix Multiplication Method
- ✤ Warshall's Algorithm

Adjacency Matrix and Adjacency List

Adjacency Matrix:-

The standard adjacency matrix stores a matrix as a 2-D array with each slot in A[i][j] being a 1 if there is an edge from vertex i to vertex j, or storing a 0 otherwise.



An undirected graph and its adjacency matrix representation.



An undirected graph and its adjacency list representation.

Matrix Multiplication Method



Matrix-Multiplication Algorithm

•Consider the multiplication of the weighted adjacency matrix with itself.

•The product of weighted adjacency matrix with itself returns a matrix that contains shortest paths of length 2 between any pair of nodes.

•It follows that A^n contains all shortest paths.

Matrix-Multiplication Based Algorithm



$A^1 = \left($	$\left(\begin{array}{cccccc} 0 & 2 & 3 & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & 0 & \infty & \infty & \infty & 1 & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & 0 & 1 & 2 & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & 0 & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & 0 & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty$	$A^{2} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 3 & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & 0 & \infty & \infty & \infty & 1 & 3 & 4 & 3 \\ \infty & \infty & 0 & 1 & 2 & \infty & 3 & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & 0 & 3 & \infty & 2 & 3 & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & 0 & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & 0 & 0 & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & 0 & 0 & \infty \\ \infty & 0 & \infty \\ \infty & 0 & \infty \\ \infty & 0 & \infty \end{pmatrix}$
$A^4 = \left($	$\left(\begin{array}{ccccccccccc} 0 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 3 & 5 & 6 & 5 \\ \infty & 0 & \infty & \infty & 4 & 1 & 3 & 4 & 3 \\ \infty & \infty & 0 & 1 & 2 & \infty & 3 & 4 & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & 0 & 3 & \infty & 2 & 3 & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & 0 & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & 0 & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & 0 & 1 & \infty \\ \infty & 0 & \infty \\ \infty & 0 & \infty \\ \infty & 1 & 0 \end{array}\right)$	$A^{8} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 3 & 5 & 6 & 5 \\ \infty & 0 & \infty & \infty & 4 & 1 & 3 & 4 & 3 \\ \infty & \infty & 0 & 1 & 2 & \infty & 3 & 4 & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & 0 & 3 & \infty & 2 & 3 & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & 0 & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & 0 & 0 & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & 0 & 0 & \infty \\ \infty & 0 & \infty \\ \infty & 0 & \infty \end{pmatrix}$

- • A^n is computed by doubling powers i.e., as A, A^2, A^4, A^8 , and so on.
- •We need log *n* matrix multiplications, each taking time $O(n^3)$.
- •The serial complexity of this procedure is $O(n^3 \log n)$.
- •This algorithm is not optimal, since the best known algorithms have complexity $O(n^3)$.

Path Matrix

Let G be a graph with m edges,u and v vertices. The path matrix P(u, v) =[pij]q×m, where q is the number of different paths between u and v. pij =1, if jth edge lies in the ith path, 0, otherwise .



The different paths between the vertices v_3 and v_4 are

$$p_1 = \{e_8, e_5\}, p_2 = \{e_8, e_7, e_3\}$$
 and $p_3 = \{e_8, e_6, e_4, e_3\}$.

The path matrix for v_3 , v_4 is given by

$$P(v_3, v_4) = \begin{bmatrix} e_1 & e_2 & e_3 & e_4 & e_5 & e_6 & e_7 & e_8 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Warshall's Algorithm

• Warshall's Algorithm is used to compute the existence of paths within a digraph using Boolean operators and matrices.

• It is used for finding shortest paths in a weighted graph with positive or negative edge weights (but with no negative cycles) and also for finding transitive closure of a relation R .

•Complexity of the algorithm is O(IN^3I),where N is number of nodes of the graph.

Warshall's Algorithm



Begin by creating an adjacency matrix A for Graph E - instead of using weights, we will use Boolean operators. If there is a path, enter a 1 in matrix A, and enter 0 if no path exists.

Continue..

•This matrix tells us whether or not there is a path p of length 1 between two adjacent nodes.

•Building upon matrix A, we will create a new matrix A^1 , for which we will choose 1 vertex to act as a *pivot* - an intermediate point between 2 other vertices.

•Initially, we will chose vertex 1 as pivot for A^1 .

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•For vertices v_i and v_j,

p^{(1)}_{ij} is 1, if there exists an edge between vertices v_i and v_j, or if there is a

path of length \ge 2 from v_i to v_1 and from v_1 to v_j.

else 0, if there is no path.
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Matrix A¹

•Begin by scanning column 1 of matrix A; only vertex 5 connects v_i to v_1 .

•Now scan row 1,the only path from \mathbf{v}_1 to \mathbf{v}_j is to vertex 3.

•So, path of length 2 lies between \mathbf{v}_5 and \mathbf{v}_3 , we update matrix \mathbf{A}^1 accordingly.

A ¹	1	2	3	4	5
1	0	0	1	0	0
2	0	0	0	1	0
3	0	1	0	0	1
4	0	1	0	0	0
5	1	0	1	0	0

Matrix A²

•Next create matrix A^2 , using vertex 2 as the pivot point.

•Begin by scanning *column 2* of matrix **A**; the v_i which connect to v_2 are vertices 3 and 4.

•Now scan *row 2*; only 1 path from v_2 exists to v_j = vertex 4.

•Newly added paths have been highlighted in gray.

A ²	1	2	3	4	5
1	0	0	1	0	0
2	0	0	0	1	0
3	0	1	0	1	1
4	0	1	0	1	0
5	1	0	1	0	0

Matrix A³

•Matrix A³use vertex 3 as the pivot point.

•Vertices 1 and 5 have a path to 3.

•Now, scanning row $3, v_3$ connects to vertices 2, 4, 5. Paths established :-

 v_1 to v_2 v_1 to v_4 v_1 to v_5 v_5 to v_2 v_5 to v_4 v_5 to v_5

A ³	1	2	3	4	5
1	0	1	1	1	1
2	0	0	0	1	0
3	0	1	0	1	1
4	0	1	0	1	0
5	1	1	1	1	1

Matrix A⁴

Some paths have exceeded length 2 because the newly established paths are not using just 3 as a pivot point, but also the previous pivots points.

•Now, we will be creating 2 more adjacency matrices, A^4 and A^5 .

•For A^4 , first scan column 4.

•All vertices now have a path to vertex 4.

•Scanning row 4, we see that 4 has a path only to vertex 2, indicating that all vertices have a path to 2.

•The only vertex which doesn't already have a path to vertex 2 is 2 itself.

A ⁴	1	2	3	4	5
1	0	1	1	1	1
2	0	1	0	1	0
3	0	1	0	1	1
4	0	1	0	1	0
5	1	1	1	1	1

If a graph has *n*vertices, it will require *n* matrices to produce $A^n = P^n$, where P^n is the path matrix.

Matrix A⁵

•Now, scan column 5 to see that vertices 1, 3 and 5 all have paths to vertex 5.

• Scanning row 5 indicates that 5 has a path to all other vertices.

•Consequently, we add 1's to rows 1, 3 and 5 to reflect that vertices 1, 3 and 5 have paths to all other vertices.

A ⁵	1	2	3	4	5
1	1	1	1	1	1
2	0	1	0	1	0
3	1	1	1	1	1
4	0	1	0	1	0
5	1	1	1	1	1

This completes the path matrix for Graph E.

Warshall's Algorithm for computing a path matrix

procedure Warshall

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(A: BoolMatrix;
                         /*Input, the adjacency matrix of a given graph*/
var P: BoolMatrix; /*Output, the path matrix of the graph*/
n: integer);
                     /*Input, the size of the matrix (i.e., the number of
vertices)*/
int i, j, k;
Begin
for i :=1 to n do
   for j := 1 to n do
                          /*Step 1: Copy adjacency into path matrix*/
      P[i, j] := A[i, j];
for k := 1 to n do
                           /*Step 2: Allow vertex k as a pivot point*/
                           /*Step 3: Process rows*/
for i := 1 to n do
 for j := 1 to n do /*Step 4: Process columns*/
P[i, j] := P[i, j] or (P[i, k] and P[k, j]) /*Step 5*/
end;
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