

Taking Stock

IE170: Algorithms in Systems Engineering: Lecture 26

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Last Time

- Flows

This Time

- Review!



Stuff We Learned

- Dynamic Programming (15.[1,3])
- Greedy Algorithms (16.[1,2])
- Graphs and Search (22.*)
- Spanning Trees (23.*)
- (Single Source) Shortest Paths (24.[1,2,3])
- (All Pairs) Shortest Paths (25.[1,2])
- Max Flow (26.[1,2,3])



Dynamic Programming

Dynamic Programming in a Nutshell

- 1 Characterize the structure of an optimal solution
- 2 Recursively define the value of an optimal solution
- 3 Compute the value of an optimal solution “from the bottom up”
- 4 Construct optimal solution (if required)

Examples

- Assembly Line Balancing
- Lot Sizing



Assembly Line Balancing

- Let $f_i(j)$ be the fastest time to get through $S_{ij} \forall i = 1, 2 \forall j = 1, 2, \dots, n$

$$f^* = \min(f_1(n) + x_1, f_2(n) + x_2)$$

$$f_1(1) = e_1 + a_{11}$$

$$f_2(1) = e_2 + a_{21}$$

$$f_1(j) = \min(f_1(j-1) + a_{1j}, f_2(j-1) + t_{2,j-1} + a_{1j})$$

$$f_2(j) = \min(f_2(j-1) + a_{2j}, f_1(j-1) + t_{1,j-1} + a_{2j})$$

Lot Sizing

- Let $f_t(s)$: be the minimum cost of meeting demands from $t, t+1, \dots, T$ (t until the end) if s units are in inventory at the beginning of period t

$$f_t(s) = \min_{x \in \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}} \{c_t(x) + h_t(s + x - d_t) + f_{t+1}(s + x - d_t)\}.$$



Greedy

- Greedy is not always optimal!
- But it sometimes works:

Activity Selection

- Let $S_{ij} \subseteq \mathcal{A}$ be the set of activities that start **after** activity i needs to finish and **before** activity j needs to start:

$$S_{ij} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \{k \in S \mid f_i \leq s_k, f_k \leq s_j\}$$

- Let's assume that we have sorted the activities such that

$$f_1 \leq f_2 \leq \dots \leq f_n$$

- Schedule jobs in $S_{0,n+1}$



- c_{ij} be the size of a maximum-sized subset of mutually compatible jobs in S_{ij} .
- If $S_{ij} = \emptyset$, then $c_{ij} = 0$
- If $S_{ij} \neq \emptyset$, then $c_{ij} = c_{ik} + 1 + c_{kj}$ for some $k \in S_{ij}$. We pick the $k \in S_{ij}$ that maximizes the number of jobs:

$$c_{ij} = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } S_{ij} = \emptyset \\ \max_{k \in S_{ij}} c_{ik} + c_{kj} + 1 & \text{if } S_{ij} \neq \emptyset \end{cases}$$

- Note we need only check $i < k < j$

To Solve S_{ij}

- Choose $m \in S_{ij}$ with the earliest finish time. **The Greedy Choice**
- Then solve problem on jobs S_{mj}



Graphs!

- Adjacency List, Adjacency Matrix
- Breadth First Search
- Depth First Search

BFS

- Input:** Graph $G = (V, E)$, source node $s \in V$
- Output:** $d(v)$, distance (smallest # of edges) from s to $v \forall v \in V$
- Output:** $\pi(v)$, predecessor of v on the shortest path from s to v



BFS

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BFS( $V, E, s$ )
1  for each  $u$  in  $V \setminus \{s\}$ 
2  do  $d(u) \leftarrow \infty$ 
3      $\pi(u) \leftarrow \text{NIL}$ 
4   $d[s] \leftarrow 0$ 
5   $Q \leftarrow \emptyset$ 
6  ADD( $Q, s$ )
7  while  $Q \neq \emptyset$ 
8  do  $u \leftarrow \text{POLL}(Q)$ 
9     for each  $v$  in  $\text{Adj}[u]$ 
10    do if  $d[v] = \infty$ 
11        then  $d[v] \leftarrow d[u] + 1$ 
12             $\pi[v] = u$ 
13            ADD( $Q, v$ )

```



DFS

DFS

- **Input:** Graph $G = (V, E)$
- **Output:** Two timestamps for each node $d(v), f(v)$,
- **Output:** $\pi(v)$, predecessor of v
 - **not** on shortest path necessarily

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DFS( $V, E$ )
1  for each  $u$  in  $V$ 
2  do  $\text{color}(u) \leftarrow \text{GREEN}$ 
3      $\pi(u) \leftarrow \text{NIL}$ 
4   $\text{time} \leftarrow 0$ 
5  for each  $u$  in  $V$ 
6  do if  $\text{color}[u] = \text{GREEN}$ 
7     then DFS-VISIT( $u$ )

```



DFS (Visit Node—Recursive)

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DFS-VISIT( $u$ )
1   $\text{color}(u) \leftarrow \text{YELLOW}$ 
2   $d[u] \leftarrow \text{time}++$ 
3  for each  $v$  in  $\text{Adj}[u]$ 
4  do if  $\text{color}[v] = \text{GREEN}$ 
5     then  $\pi[v] \leftarrow u$ 
6         DFS-VISIT( $v$ )
7
8   $\text{color}(u) \leftarrow \text{RED}$ 
9   $f[u] = \text{time}++$ 

```



Classifying Edges in the DFS Tree

Given a DFS Tree G_π , there are four type of edges (u, v)

- 1 **Tree Edges:** Edges in E_π . These are found by exploring (u, v) in the DFS procedure
- 2 **Back Edges:** Connect u to an ancestor v in a DFS tree
- 3 **Forward Edges:** Connect u to a descendent v in a DFS tree
- 4 **Cross Edges:** All other edges. They *can* be edges in the same DFS tree, or can cross trees in the DFS forest G_π



Modifying DFS to Classify Edges

- DFS can be modified to classify edges as it encounters them...
- Classify $e = (u, v)$ based on the **color** of v when e is first explored...
- **GREEN**: Indicates Tree Edge
- **YELLOW**: Indicates Back Edge
- **RED**: Indicates Forward or Cross Edge



Stuff You Can Do with DFS

Topological Sort: The Whole Algorithm

- 1 DFS search the graph
- 2 List vertices in order of **decreasing** finishing time

Strongly Connected Components

- 1 Call $\text{DFS}(G)$ to topologically sort G
- 2 Compute G^T
- 3 Call $\text{DFS}(G^T)$ but consider vertices in topologically sorted order (from G)
- 4 Vertices in each tree of depth-first forest for SCC



Spanning Tree

Kruskal's Algorithm

- 1 Start with each vertex being its own component
- 2 Merge two components into one by choosing the light edge that connects them
- 3 Scans the set of edges in increasing order of weight

Prim's Algorithm

- Builds one tree, so A is always a tree
- Let V_A be the set of vertices on which A is incident
- Start from an arbitrary root r
- At each step find a light edge crossing the cut $(V_A, V \setminus V_A)$



Kruskal's Algorithm

```

KRUSKAL( $V, E, w$ )
1   $A \leftarrow \emptyset$ 
2  for each  $v$  in  $V$ 
3  do MAKE-SET( $v$ )
4  SORT( $E, w$ )
5  for each  $(u, v)$  in (sorted)  $E$ 
6  do if FIND-SET( $u$ )  $\neq$  FIND-SET( $v$ )
7     then  $A \leftarrow A \cup \{(u, v)\}$ 
8     UNION( $u, v$ ) return  $A$ 
  
```



Pseudocode for Prim

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PRIM( $V, E, w, r$ )
1   $Q \leftarrow \emptyset$ 
2  for each  $u \in V$ 
3  do  $key[u] \leftarrow \infty$ 
4      $\pi[u] \leftarrow \text{NILINSERT}(Q, u)$ 
5      $key[r] = 0$ 
6  while  $Q \neq \emptyset$ 
7  do  $u \leftarrow \text{EXTRACT-MIN}(Q)$ 
8     for each  $v \in \text{Adj}[u]$ 
9     do if  $v \in Q$  and  $w_{uv} < key[v]$ 
10         then  $\pi[v] \leftarrow u$ 
11              $key[v] = w_{uv}$ 

```



Shortest Paths

- (Single Source) shortest-path algorithms produce a label:
 $d[v] = \delta(s, v)$.
- Initially $d[v] = \infty$, reduces as the algorithm goes, so always
 $d[v] \geq \delta(s, v)$
- Also produce labels $\pi[v]$, predecessor of v on a shortest path from s .

Relax!



- The algorithms work by improving (lowering) the shortest path estimate $d[v]$
- This operation is called **relaxing** an edge (u, v)
- Can we **improve** the shortest-path estimate for v by going through u and taking (u, v) ?

RELAX(u, v, w)

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1  if  $d[v] > d[u] + w_{uv}$ 
2  then  $d[v] \leftarrow d[u] + w_{uv}$ 
3      $\pi[v] \leftarrow u$ 

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Lemma, Lemma, Lemma

Path Relaxation Property

Let $P = \{v_0, v_1, \dots, v_k\}$ be a shortest path from $s = v_0$ to v_k . If the edges (v_0, v_1) , (v_1, v_2) , (v_{k-1}, v_k) are relaxed **in that order**, (there can be other relaxations in-between), then $d[v_k] = \delta(s, v_k)$

Bellman-Ford Algorithm

- Works with Negative-Weight Edges
- Returns **true** if there are no negative-weight cycles reachable from s , **false** otherwise

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BELLMAN-FORD( $V, E, w, s$ )
1  INIT-SINGLE-SOURCE( $V, s$ )
2  for  $i \leftarrow 1$  to  $|V| - 1$ 
3  do for each  $(u, v)$  in  $E$ 
4     do RELAX( $u, v, w$ )
5  for each  $(u, v)$  in  $E$ 
6  do if  $d[v] > d[u] + w_{uv}$ 
7     then return False
8
9  return True

```



Dijkstra

```

DIJKSTRA( $V, E, w, s$ )
1  INIT-SINGLE-SOURCE( $V, s$ )
2   $S \leftarrow \emptyset$ 
3   $Q \leftarrow V$ 
4  while  $Q \neq \emptyset$ 
5  do  $u \leftarrow$  EXTRACT-MIN( $Q$ )
6      $S \leftarrow S \cup \{u\}$ 
7     for each  $v \in \text{Adj}[u]$ 
8     do RELAX( $u, v, w$ )

```

- Dijkstra's Algorithm Runs in $O(E \lg V)$, with a binary heap implementation.



SSSP Dag

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DAG-SHORTEST-PATHS( $V, E, s, w$ )
1  INIT-SINGLE-SOURCE( $V, s$ )
2  topologically sort the vertices
3  for each  $u$  in topologically sorted  $V$ 
4  do for each  $v \in \text{Adj}[u]$ 
5     do RELAX( $u, v, w$ )

```

All Pairs Shortest Paths

- The output of an all pairs shortest path algorithm is a matrix $D = (d)_{ij}$, where $d_{ij} = \delta(i, j)$
- DP: $\ell_{ij}^{(m)}$ be the shortest path from $i \in V$ to $j \in V$ that uses $\leq m$ edges

$$\ell_{ij}^{(m)} = \min_{1 \leq k \leq n} (\ell_{ik}^{(m-1)} + w_{kj})$$

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EXTEND( $L, W$ )
1  create  $(n \times n)$  matrix  $L'$ 
2  for  $i \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
3  do for  $j \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
4     do  $\ell'_{ij} \leftarrow \infty$ 
5     for  $k \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
6     do  $\ell'_{ij} \leftarrow \min(\ell'_{ij}, \ell_{ik} + w_{kj})$ 

```

- This is just like matrix multiplication.
- We can speed this up.



Faster All-Pairs-Shortest-Paths

APSP2(W)

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1   $L^{(1)} = W$ 
2   $m \leftarrow 1$ 
3  while  $m \leq n - 1$ 
4  do  $L^{(2m)} = \text{EXTEND}(L^m, L^m)$ 
5      $m \leftarrow 2m$ 
6  return  $L^{(m)}$ 

```

- OK to “overshoot” $n - 1$, since shortest path labels don't change after $m = n - 1$ (since no negative cycles)
- “Repeated squaring” is a technique used to improve the efficiency of lots of other algorithms
- **Analysis:**



Floyd Warshall

- **Floyd-Warshall Labels:** Let $d_{ij}^{(k)}$ be the shortest path from i to j such that all intermediate vertices are in the set $\{1, 2, \dots, k\}$.
- This simple observation, immediately suggests a DP recursion

$$d_{ij}^{(k)} = \begin{cases} w_{ij} & k = 0 \\ \min(d_{ij}^{k-1}, d_{ik}^{k-1} + d_{kj}^{k-1}) & k \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

- We look for $D^{(n)} = (d_{ij}^{(n)})$



Floyd-Warshall

FLOYD-WARSHALL(W)

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1   $D^{(0)} = W$ 
2  for  $k \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
3  do for  $i \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
4     do for  $j \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
5         do  $d_{ij}^{(k)} \leftarrow \min(d_{ij}^{k-1}, d_{ik}^{k-1} + d_{kj}^{k-1})$ 
6     return  $D^{(n)}$ 

```



Flows

- A **net flow** is a function $f : V \times V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{|V| \times |V|}$ that satisfies three conditions:

- 1 **Capacity Constraints:**

$$0 \leq f(u, v) \leq c(u, v)$$

- 2 **Skew Symmetry:**

$$f(u, v) = -f(v, u) \quad \forall u \in V, v \in V$$

- 3 **Flow Conservation:**

$$\sum_{v \in V} f(u, v) = 0 \quad \forall u \in V \setminus \{s, t\}$$

The Maximum Flow Problem

Given $G = (V, E)$. source node $s \in V$, sink node $t \in V$, edge capacities c . Find a flow whose value is maximum.



Phlow Phacts

- For any cut (S, T) , $f(S, T) = |f|$
- Residual capacity of arcs given flow:

$$c_f(u, v) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} c(u, v) - f(u, v) \geq 0.$$

- Give flow f , we can create a **residual network** from the flow.
 $G_f = (V, E_f)$, with

$$E_f \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \{(u, v) \in V \times V \mid c_f(u, v) > 0\},$$

so that each edge in the residual network can admit a positive flow.



Max-Flow Min-Cut Theorem

The following statements are equivalent

- 1 f is a maximum flow
- 2 f admits no augmenting path. (No (s, t) path in residual network)
- 3 $|f| = c(S, T)$ for some cut (S, T)

FORD-FULKERSON(V, E, c, s, t)

- 1 **for** $i \leftarrow 1$ **to** n
- 2 **do** $f[u, v] \leftarrow f[v, u] \leftarrow 0$
- 3 **while** \exists augmenting path P in G_f
- 4 **do** augment f by $c_f(P)$

Analysis of this? Do better algorithms exist?



Maximum Bipartite Matching

- A graph $G = (V, E)$ is **bipartite** if we can partition the vertices into $V = L \cup R$ such that all edges in E go between L and R
- A **matching** is a subset of edges $M \subseteq E$ such that for all $v \in V$, ≤ 1 edge of M is incident upon it.

Maximum Bipartite Matching

Given (undirected) bipartite graph $G = (L \cup R, E)$, find a matching M of G that contains the most edges



Stuff To Know: EVERYTHING!

DP and Greedy

- Develop (and potentially solve small) problems via DP
- Activity Selection (or related problems): Greedy Works

Graphs

- BFS, DFS, and Analysis.
- Classifying edges in directed and undirected graphs
- Topological Sorting
- Finding Strongly Connected Components

Spanning Trees

- Kruskal's Algorithm (and analysis)
- Prim's Algorithm (and analysis)



More Stuff To Know...

Single Source Shortest Paths

- Distance Labels and RELAX
- Path Relaxation Property
- Bellman-Ford Algorithm
 - How to do it
 - When (Why?) it works
 - Analysis
- SSSP Dag
 - How to do it
 - When (Why?) it works
 - Analysis
- Dijkstra's Algorithm
 - How to do it
 - When (Why?) it works
 - Analysis



Even More Stuff To Know...

All Pairs Shortest Paths

- Analogue to Matrix Multiplication
- Floyd-Warshall
 - How to do it?
 - When (Why?) it works?
 - Analysis

Flows

- What is a flow?
- What is a cut?
- What is MFMC Theorem?
- How to create residual graph G_f ?
- How to do Augmenting Paths algorithm (Ford Fulkerson/Edmonds Karp)
- Analysis



Next Time

- **Quiz!** April 4
- No Class: Friday April 6. Have a nice holiday! We start numerical methods on Monday

