

CSC 321: Data Structures

Fall 2018

Graphs & search

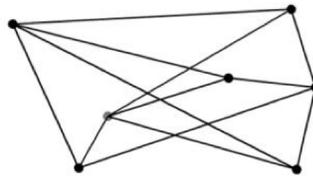
- graphs, isomorphism
- simple vs. directed vs. weighted
- adjacency matrix vs. adjacency lists
- graph traversals
 - depth-first search, breadth-first search
- finite automata

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Graphs

trees are special instances of the more general data structure: graphs

- informally, a graph is a collection of nodes/data elements with connections

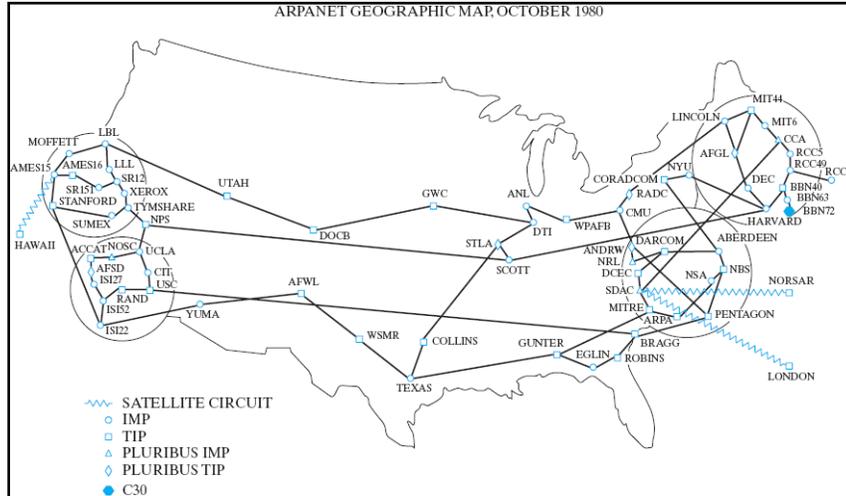


many real-world and CS-related applications rely on graphs

- the connectivity of computers in a network
- cities on a map, connected by roads
- cities on an airline schedule, connected by flights
- Facebook friends
- finite automata

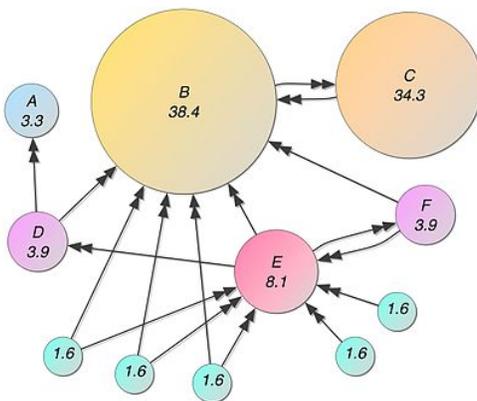
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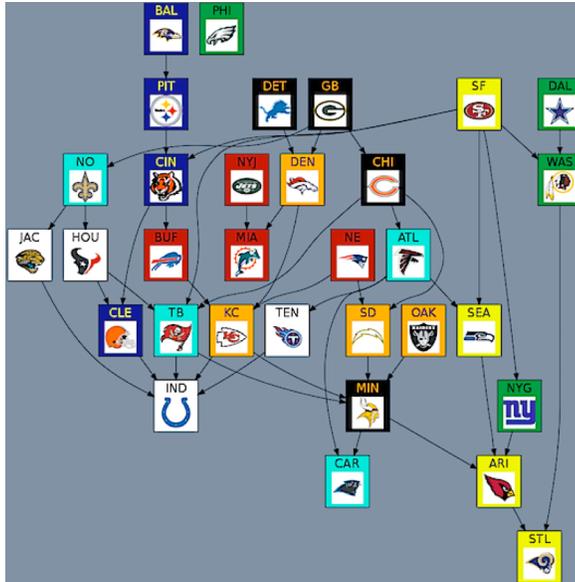
Google pagerank algorithm

- the pagerank of a page is based on the number of pages that link to it and their pageranks

<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/PageRank>

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Interesting graphs



NFL 2011 @ week 11

▪ edges from one team to another show a clear beat path

▪ e.g., Chicago > Tampa > Indy

<http://beatpaths.com/>

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Formal definition

a *simple graph* G consists of a nonempty set V of vertices, and a set E of edges (unordered vertex pairs)

- can write simply as $G = (V, E)$

e.g., consider $G = (V, E)$ where $V = \{a, b, c, d\}$ and $E = \{\{a,b\}, \{a, c\}, \{b,c\}, \{c,d\}\}$

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graph terminology for $G = (V, E)$

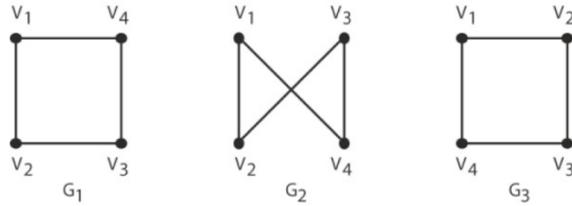
- vertices u and v are *adjacent* if $\{u, v\} \in E$ (i.e., connected by an edge)
- edge $\{u,v\}$ is *incident* to vertices u and v
- the *degree* of v is the # of edges incident with it (or # of vertices adjacent to it)
- $|V| = \#$ of vertices $|E| = \#$ of edges
- a path between v_1 and v_n is a sequence of edges from E :

$[\{v_1, v_2\}, \{v_2, v_3\}, \dots, \{v_{n-2}, v_{n-1}\}, \{v_{n-1}, v_n\}]$

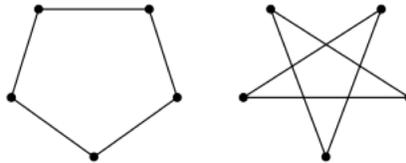
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Depicting graphs

you can draw the same set of vertices & edges many different ways



are these different graphs?

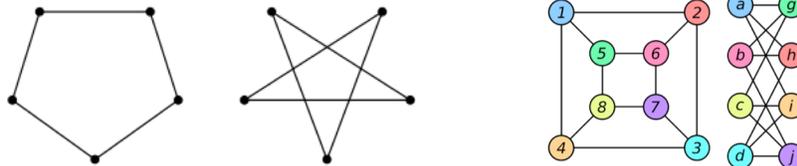


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Isomorphism

how can we tell if two graphs are the same?

- $G_1 = (V_1, E_1)$ and $G_2 = (V_2, E_2)$ are *isomorphic* if there is mapping $f: V_1 \rightarrow V_2$ such that $\{u, v\} \in E_1$ iff $\{f(u), f(v)\} \in E_2$
- i.e., G_1 and G_2 are *isomorphic* if they are identical modulo a renaming of vertices



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Simple vs. directed?

in a simple graph, edges are presumed to be bidirectional

- $\{u,v\} \in E$ is equivalent to saying $\{v,u\} \in E$

for many real-world applications, this is appropriate

- if computer c_1 is connected to computer c_2 , then c_2 is connected to c_1
- if person p_1 is Facebook friends with person p_2 , then p_2 is friends with p_1

however, in other applications the connection may be 1-way

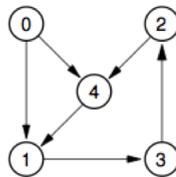
- a flight from city c_1 to city c_2 does not imply a return flight from c_2 to c_1
- roads connecting buildings in a town can be 1-way (with no direct return route)
- NFL beat paths are clearly directional

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Directed graphs

a *directed graph* or *digraph* G consists of a nonempty set V of vertices, and a set E of edges (ordered vertex pairs)

- draw edge (u,v) as an arrow pointing from vertex u to vertex v



e.g., consider $G = (V, E)$ where $V = \{a, b, c, d\}$ and $E = \{(a,b), (a, c), (b,c), (c,d)\}$

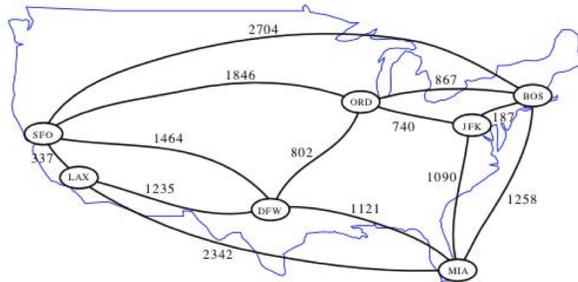
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Weighted graphs

a *weighted graph* $G = (V, E)$ is a graph/digraph with an additional weight function $\omega: E \rightarrow \mathcal{R}$

- draw edge (u, v) labeled with its weight



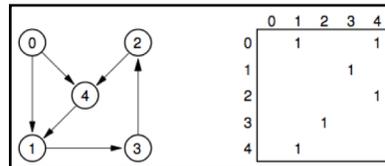
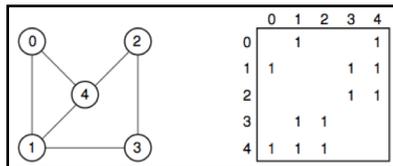
from *Algorithm Design* by Goodrich & Tamassia

- shortest path from BOS to SFO?
- does the fewest legs automatically imply the shortest path in terms of miles?

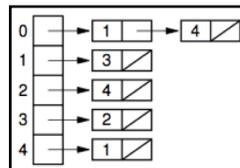
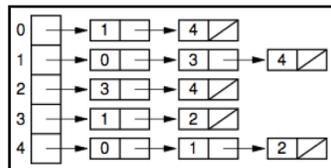
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Graph data structures

- an *adjacency matrix* is a 2-D array, indexed by the vertices
for graph G , $\text{adjMatrix}[u][v] = 1$ iff $\{u, v\} \in E$ (or weights in place of 1s)



- an *adjacency list* is an array of linked lists
for graph G , $\text{adjList}[u]$ contains v iff $\{u, v\} \in E$ (or weights in addition to vertex)



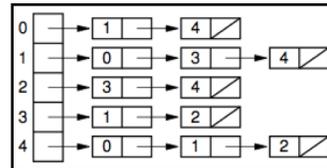
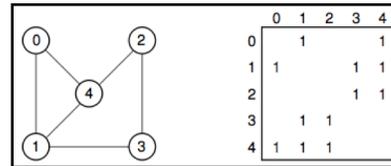
note: our HashMap of HashMaps was a smart implementation of an adjacency list

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Matrix vs. list

space tradeoff

- adjacency matrix requires $O(|V|^2)$ space
- adjacency list requires $O(|V| + |E|)$ space



which is better?

- it depends
- if the graph is sparse (few edges), then $|V|+|E| < |V|^2$ → adjacency list
- if the graph is dense, i.e., $|E|$ is $O(|V|^2)$, then $|V|^2 < |V|+|E|$ → adjacency matrix

many graph algorithms involve visiting every adjacent neighbor of a node

- adjacency list makes this efficient, so tends to be used more in practice

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Java implementations

to allow for alternative implementations, we will define a Graph interface

```
import java.util.Set;

public interface Graph<E> {
    public boolean isAdjacentTo(E v1, E v2);
    public Set<E> getAllAdjacent(E v);
}
```

many other methods are possible, but these suffice for now

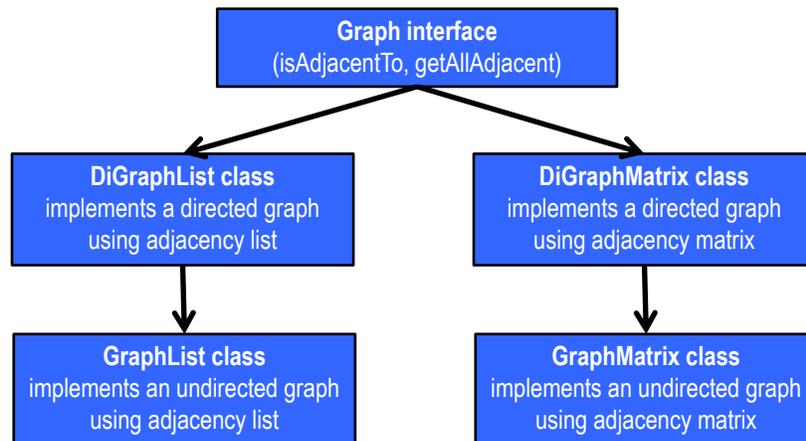
from this, we can implement simple graphs or directed graphs

- can utilize an adjacency matrix or an adjacency list

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Class hierarchy

in addition to the Graph interface, can utilize inheritance to simplify the development of the graph variants



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DiGraphList

```
public class DiGraphList<E> implements Graph<E>{
    private Map<E, Set<E>> adjLists;

    public DiGraphList(List<Pair<E, E>> edges) {
        this.adjLists = new HashMap<E, Set<E>>();
        for (Pair<E, E> edgePair : edges) {
            this.addEdge(edgePair.getKey(), edgePair.getValue());
        }
    }

    protected void addEdge(E v1, E v2) {
        if (!this.adjLists.containsKey(v1)) {
            this.adjLists.put(v1, new HashSet<E>());
        }
        this.adjLists.get(v1).add(v2);
    }

    public boolean isAdjacentTo(E v1, E v2) {
        return this.adjLists.containsKey(v1) &&
            this.getAllAdjacent(v1).contains(v2);
    }

    public Set<E> getAllAdjacent(E v) {
        if (!this.adjLists.containsKey(v)) {
            return new HashSet<E>();
        }
        return this.adjLists.get(v);
    }
}
```

we could implement the adjacency list using a standard array of LinkedLists

- conceptually equivalent but simpler approach: use a HashMap to map each vertex to a Set of adjacent vertices
- (but it does waste memory)
- constructor takes a list of edges (stored as Pairs)
- helper method `addEdge` handles storing an edge in the map

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DiGraphMatrix

```
public class DiGraphMatrix<E> implements Graph<E>{
    private E[] vertices;
    private Map<E, Integer> lookup;
    private boolean[][] adjMatrix;

    public DiGraphMatrix(List<Pair<E, E>> edges) {
        Set<E> vertexSet = new HashSet<E>();
        for (Pair<E, E> edgePair : edges) {
            vertexSet.add(edgePair.getKey());
            vertexSet.add(edgePair.getValue());
        }

        this.vertices = (E[]) (new Object[vertexSet.size()]);
        this.lookup = new HashMap<E, Integer>();

        int index = 0;
        for (E nextVertex : vertexSet) {
            this.vertices[index] = nextVertex;
            lookup.put(nextVertex, index);
            index++;
        }

        this.adjMatrix = new boolean[index][index];

        for (Pair<E, E> edgePair : edges) {
            this.addEdge(edgePair.getKey(), edgePair.getValue());
        }
    }
    ...
}
```

adjacency matrix
implementation is tricky in
Java

- have to first determine the set of vertices in order to create the table
- since Java arrays are only accessible via indices, have to map to/from labels
- vertices array converts index → label
- lookup map converts label → index

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DiGraphMatrix

```
...

protected void addEdge(E v1, E v2) {
    Integer index1 = this.lookup.get(v1);
    Integer index2 = this.lookup.get(v2);
    if (index1 != null && index2 != null) {
        this.adjMatrix[index1][index2] = true;
    }
}

public boolean isAdjacentTo(E v1, E v2) {
    Integer index1 = this.lookup.get(v1);
    Integer index2 = this.lookup.get(v2);
    return index1 != null && index2 != null &&
        this.adjMatrix[index1][index2];
}

public Set<E> getAllAdjacent(E v) {
    Integer row = this.lookup.get(v);

    Set<E> neighbors = new HashSet<E>();
    if (row != null) {
        for (int c = 0; c < this.adjMatrix.length; c++) {
            if (this.adjMatrix[row][c]) {
                neighbors.add(this.vertices[c]);
            }
        }
    }
    return neighbors;
}
}
```

addEdge is easy

- lookup indices of vertices
- then store true in matrix at row/column

isAdjacentTo also easy

- lookup indices of vertices
- then access row/column

getAllAdjacent is more work

- lookup index of vertex
- traverse row
- collect all adjacent vertices in a set

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GraphMatrix & GraphList

can utilize inheritance to implement simple graph variants

- can utilize the same internal structures, just add edges in both directions

```
public class GraphList<E> extends DiGraphList<E> {
    public GraphList(List<Pair<E, E>> edges) {
        super(edges);
    }

    protected void addEdge(E v1, E v2) {
        super.addEdge(v1, v2);
        super.addEdge(v2, v1);
    }
}
```

constructors simply call the superclass constructors

override the `addEdge` methods so that they add edges in both directions (using the superclass `addEdge`)

```
public class GraphMatrix<E> extends DiGraphMatrix<E> {
    public GraphMatrix(List<Pair<E, E>> edges) {
        super(edges);
    }

    protected void addEdge(E v1, E v2) {
        super.addEdge(v1, v2);
        super.addEdge(v2, v1);
    }
}
```

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Graph traversal

many applications involve systematically searching through a graph

- starting at some vertex, want to traverse the graph and inspect/process vertices along paths

e.g., list all the computers on the network

e.g., find a sequence of flights that get the customer from BOS to SFO (perhaps with some property?)

similar to tree traversals, we can follow various patterns

- recall for trees: inorder, preorder, postorder

for arbitrary graphs, two main alternatives

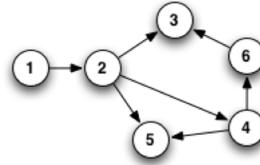
- depth-first search (DFS): boldly follow a single path as long as possible
- breadth-first search (BFS): tentatively try all paths level-by-level

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DFS vs. BFS

consider the following digraph

- suppose we wanted to find a path from 1 to 5



depth-first search would:

- start with the starting vertex
- select an adjacent vertex from there
- select an adjacent vertex from there
- dead-end, so back up
- select a different adjacent vertex
- select an adjacent vertex from there

1
 1 → 2
 1 → 2 → 3
 1 → 2
 1 → 2 → 4
 1 → 2 → 4 → 5

breadth-first search would:

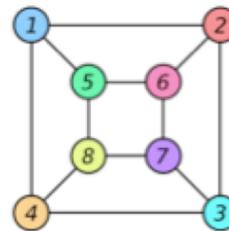
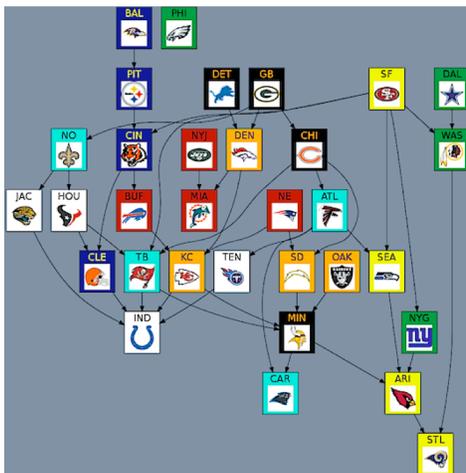
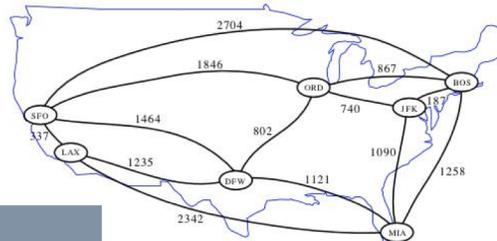
- start with the starting vertex
- expand to length-1 paths
- expand to length-2 paths

1
 1 → 2
 1 → 2 → 3
 1 → 2 → 4
 1 → 2 → 5

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Bigger examples

DFS? BFS?



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DFS implementation

DFS can be implemented recursive backtracking (more in CSC421)

```
public static <E> List<E> DFSrec(Graph<E> g, E start, E goal) {
    List<E> path = new ArrayList<E>();
    path.add(start);
    if (GraphSearch.DFSrec(g, path, goal)) {
        return path;
    }
    return null;
}

private static <E> boolean DFSrec(Graph<E> g,
    List<E> pathSoFar, E goal) {
    E lastVertex = pathSoFar.get(pathSoFar.size()-1);
    if (lastVertex.equals(goal)) {
        return true;
    }
    else {
        for (E adj : g.getAllAdjacent(lastVertex)) {
            if (!pathSoFar.contains(adj)) {
                pathSoFar.add(adj);
                if (GraphSearch.DFSrec(g, pathSoFar, goal)) {
                    return true;
                }
                pathSoFar.remove(pathSoFar.size()-1);
            }
        }
        return false;
    }
}
}
```

recursive method is passed path so far and goal state

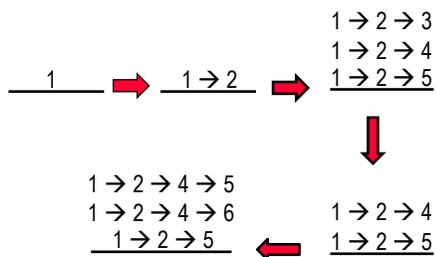
- BASE CASE: when path so far ends in goal state
- RECURSIVE: extend the path for each adjacent vertex and recurse
- to avoid cycles, don't extend if the adjacent vertex is already in the path

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Stacks & Queues

DFS can alternatively be implemented using a stack of paths

- initially contains a single path (w/ start)
- at each step, pop the path at the top of the stack
- extend that path for each adjacent vertex, and push that extended path on the stack



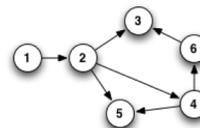
BFS is most naturally implemented using a queue of paths

- initially contains a single path (w/ start)
- at each step, remove the path at the front of the queue
- extend that path for each adjacent vertex, and add that extended path to the back of the queue

[1]

[1 → 2]

[1 → 2 → 5, 1 → 2 → 4, 1 → 2 → 3]



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Implementations

```
public static <E> List<E> DFS(Graph<E> g, E start, E goal) {
    List<E> startPath = new ArrayList<E>();
    startPath.add(start);

    Stack<List<E>> paths = new Stack<List<E>>();
    paths.push(startPath);

    while (!paths.isEmpty()) {
        List<E> pathToExtend = paths.pop();
        E current = pathToExtend.get(pathToExtend.size()-1);
        if (current.equals(goal)) {
            return pathToExtend;
        }
        else {
            for (E adj : g.getAllAdjacent(current)) {
                if (!pathToExtend.contains(adj)) {
                    List<E> copy = new ArrayList<E>(pathToExtend);
                    copy.add(adj);
                    paths.push(copy);
                }
            }
        }
    }
    return null;
}
```

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Implementations

```
public static <E> List<E> BFS(Graph<E> g, E start, E goal) {
    List<E> startPath = new ArrayList<E>();
    startPath.add(start);

    Queue<List<E>> paths = new LinkedList<List<E>>();
    paths.add(startPath);

    while (!paths.isEmpty()) {
        List<E> pathToExtend = paths.remove();
        E current = pathToExtend.get(pathToExtend.size()-1);
        if (current.equals(goal)) {
            return pathToExtend;
        }
        else {
            for (E adj : g.getAllAdjacent(current)) {
                if (!pathToExtend.contains(adj)) {
                    List<E> copy = new ArrayList<E>(pathToExtend);
                    copy.add(adj);
                    paths.add(copy);
                }
            }
        }
    }
    return null;
}
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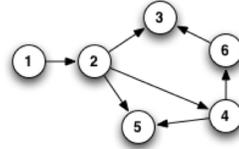
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DFSrec vs. DFS vs. BFS

```
public static void main(String[] args) throws java.io.FileNotFoundException {
    List<Pair<Integer, Integer>> edges = new ArrayList<Pair<Integer, Integer>>();
    edges.add(new Pair<Integer, Integer>(1, 2));
    edges.add(new Pair<Integer, Integer>(2, 3));
    edges.add(new Pair<Integer, Integer>(2, 4));
    edges.add(new Pair<Integer, Integer>(2, 5));
    edges.add(new Pair<Integer, Integer>(4, 5));
    edges.add(new Pair<Integer, Integer>(4, 6));
    edges.add(new Pair<Integer, Integer>(6, 3));

    Graph<Integer> g = new DiGraphList<Integer>(edges);

    System.out.println("DFSrec " + GraphSearch.DFSrec(g, 1, 3));
    System.out.println("DFSrec " + GraphSearch.DFSrec(g, 1, 5));
    System.out.println();
    System.out.println("DFS " + GraphSearch.DFS(g, 1, 3));
    System.out.println("DFS " + GraphSearch.DFS(g, 1, 5));
    System.out.println();
    System.out.println("BFS " + GraphSearch.BFS(g, 1, 3));
    System.out.println("BFS " + GraphSearch.BFS(g, 1, 5));
}
```



```
DFSrec [1, 2, 3]
DFSrec [1, 2, 4, 5]

DFS [1, 2, 4, 6, 3]
DFS [1, 2, 5]

BFS [1, 2, 3]
BFS [1, 2, 5]
```

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HW6: Pathfinder

```
public List<StateLabel> findPath(StateLabel startState, StateLabel endState) {
    List<StateLabel> startPath = new ArrayList<StateLabel>();
    startPath.add(startState);

    Queue<List<StateLabel>> paths = new LinkedList<List<StateLabel>>();
    paths.add(startPath);

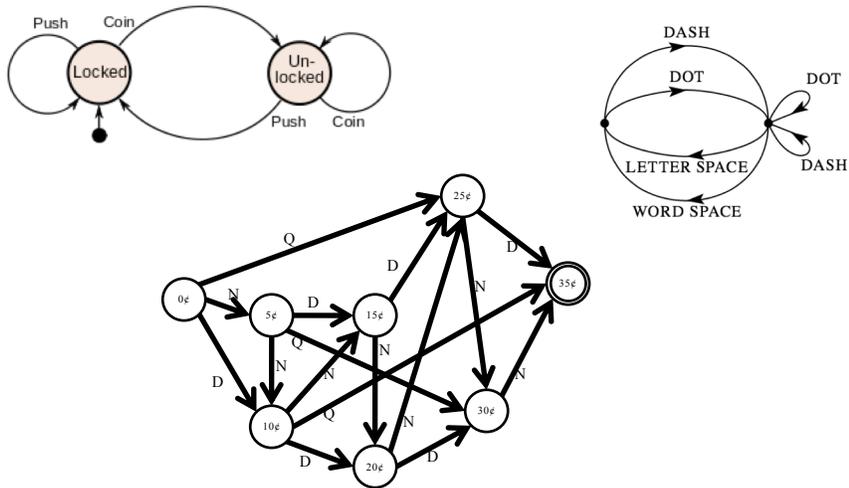
    while (!paths.isEmpty()) {
        List<StateLabel> shortestPath = paths.remove();
        StateLabel current = shortestPath.get(shortestPath.size()-1);
        if (current.equals(endState)) {
            return shortestPath;
        }
        else {
            for (StateLabel s : this.getAllAdjacentStates(current)) {
                if (!shortestPath.contains(s)) {
                    List<StateLabel> copy = new ArrayList<StateLabel>(shortestPath);
                    copy.add(s);
                    paths.add(copy);
                }
            }
        }
    }
    return null;
}
```

HW6 utilizes a modified BFS to find shortest paths in a FSM

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Finite State Machines (revisited)

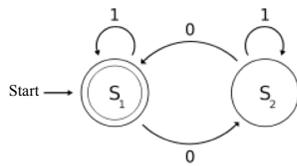
recall: a *Finite State Machine* (a.k.a. *Finite Automaton*) defines a finite set of states (i.e., vertices) along with transitions between those states (i.e., edges)



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Recognition/acceptance

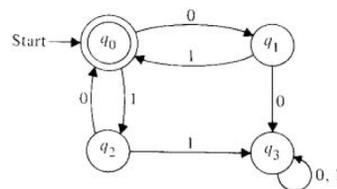
we say that a FSM *recognizes a pattern* if all sequences that meet that pattern terminate in an accepting state (drawn with double circle)



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in general?



accepts

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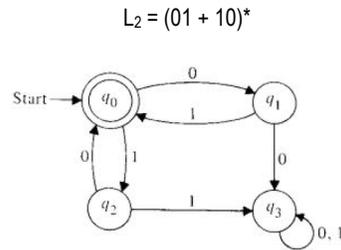
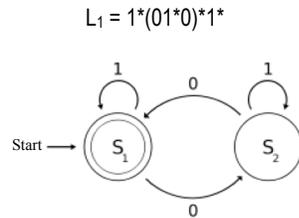
in general?

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Regular expressions

alternatively, we say that a FSM *defines a language* made up of the sequences accepted by the FSM

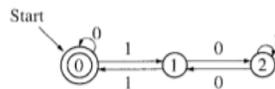
- a language is known as a *regular language* if there exists a FSM that accepts it
- a *regular expression* denotes a regular language using * for arbitrary repetition and + for OR



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Old GRE CS exam – sample question

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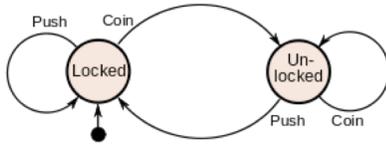
State 0 is both the starting state and the accepting state.

Each of the following is a regular expression that denotes a subset of the language recognized by the automaton above EXCEPT

- (A) $0^*(11)^*0^*$ (B) $0^*1(10^*1)^*1$ (C) $0^*1(10^*1)^*10^*$
 (D) $0^*1(10^*1)0(100)^*$ (E) $(0^*1(10^*1)^*10^* + 0^*)^*$

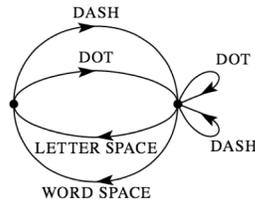
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Regular language examples



if locked is initial state and unlocked is goal state:

$\text{Coin (Push Push}^* \text{Coin)}^* \text{Coin}^*$



if betweenLetters is initial and goal state:

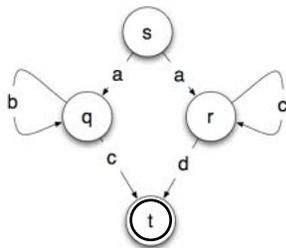
$((\text{Dot} + \text{Dash}) (\text{Dot} + \text{Dash})^* (\text{Lspace} + \text{Wspace}))^*$

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Deterministic vs. nondeterministic

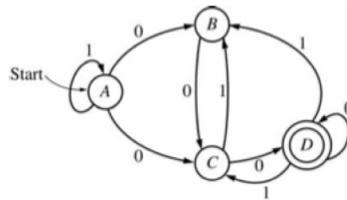
the examples so far are *deterministic*, i.e., each transition is unambiguous

- a FSM can also be *nondeterministic*, if there are multiple transitions from a state with different labels/weights
- a nondeterministic FSM accepts a sequence if there exists a path that accepts
- nondeterministic FSMs are especially useful for defining complex regular languages



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MFT CS exam – sample question



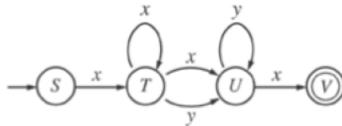
1. If D is the accepting state of the nondeterministic finite automaton above, which of the following does the automaton accept?

(A) 001
 (B) 1101
 (C) 01100
 (D) 000110
 (E) 100100

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GRE CS exam – sample question

Consider the following nondeterministic finite state automaton over alphabet $\{x, y\}$ with start state S .



4. Which of the following is the regular expression corresponding to the automaton above?

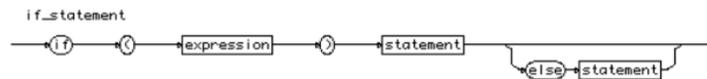
(A) $xx + yyx$
 (B) x^3y^2x
 (C) x^*y^*x
 (D) $xx^*(x + y)y^*x$
 (E) x^*xy^*x

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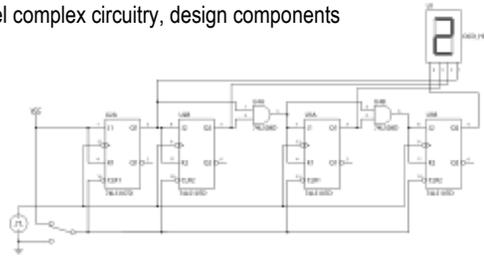
Uses of FSM

FSM machines are useful in many areas of CS

- designing software for controlling devices (e.g., vending machine, elevator, ...) first identify states, constructing a table of state transitions, then implement in code
- parsing symbols for programming languages or text processing may define the language using rules or via a regular expression, then build a FSM to parse the characters into tokens & symbols



- designing circuitry commonly used to model complex circuitry, design components



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