

Annotation

- A-sort,
- Sparse polynomials and matrices,
- Low-level Access to Memory,
- Hashing,
- Heaps,
- Arithmetic expressions, notations and conversion between them,
- Graphs and their representation,
- Graph-algorithms.

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Example of GetMem/FreeMem

We create an array of uncertain length

```
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    tarr=array[1..10000] of longint;  
var arr:parr;  
begin  
    GetMem(arr,500);{get 500 bytes}  
    arr^[10]:=1000;{This is OK}  
    arr^[500]:=1024;{Problem -- array too small!}  
    FreeMem(arr,500);{FreeMem(arr); should suffice}  
end.
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- If we know the size of the data, we may try to implement *perfect hashing*, i.e., hashing without collisions. Hashing should be in more detail explained in the lecture of Algorithms and Data Structures (proofs)

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- Yes, e.g., using the tree.

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We use recursion: function evaluate:integer;
begin
    if (we read a number) then
        evaluate:=value_of_the_input_number
    else
        begin operator:=read_operator();
            arg1:=evaluate;
            arg2:=evaluate;
            evaluate:=perform(operator, arg1, arg2);
        end;
    end;
end;
```


Tree from the prefix notation

```
function pref_tree:tree;
begin
    if (we read a number) then
        pref_tree:=leaf(value_of_input);
    else
        begin tmp:=inner_node(operator);
            tmp.arg1:=evaluate;
            tmp.arg2:=evaluate;
            evaluate:=tmp;
        end;
    end;
end;
function leaf creates a leaf,
function inner_node creates a node of out_deg 2,
vertex of out_deg 2 has sons arg1 a arg2.
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- Even always we visit left son before the right one, **thus the only change is the time of outputting the operator!**

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procedure gen_pref(v:tree);  
begin  
    if(leaf(v)) then  
        output(v);  
    else  
begin output(v);  
        gen_pref(v.arg1);  
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    end;  
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...towards the solution

Revision of our knowledge:

Buffer is a data structure equipped by operations:

- `push` – insert onto the buffer-top,
- `pop` – remove from the buffer-top,
- i.e., last in, first out.

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```
function eval_post:integer;
begin
  while not eof do
    begin if (we read a number) then
      push(number);
      if (we read an operator) then
        begin arg2:=pop;
          arg1:=pop;
          push(operator(arg1,arg2));
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      end;
    end;
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should be clear, but let's go:

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Converting A_G to B_G and back

```
init_with_0s( $B_G$ );
edge_index:=1;
for i:=1 to n do begin
    for j:=i+1 to n do begin
        if( $A_G[i,j]=1$ ) then
            begin
                 $B_G[i,edge\_index]:=1$ ;
                 $B_G[j,edge\_index]:=1$ ;
                inc(edge_index);
            end;
    end;
end;
```

B_G to A_G

Either we analyze the incidence matrix (in a similar way) or:

$$A_G := B_G \times B_G^T;$$

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$$A_G[i, i] := 0;$$

Důkaz.

Exercise in Combinatorics and Graph Theory I



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    unvisit(i); {so far we visited nothing}
i:=start_vertex;
queue:={i};{for reachable vertices}
while nonempty(queue) do begin
    visit(i);
    queue:=queue+unvisited_neighbors(i);
end;
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for i in vertices do begin
    if unvisited(i) then
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A graph has a cycle if we return to a particular vertex while searching the graph.

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cycle:=false; {so far no cycle}
for i in vertices do unvisit(i);
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  if unvisited(i) then{new component}
  begin queue:={i};
    while(nonempty(queue)) do
      begin dequeue_from_queue_and_assing_into(i);
if(visited(i)) then
      cycle:=true;
    else for j in neighbors(i) do
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Looks for the shortest path from a given vertex into all other vertices

Input: Graph with nonnegatively evaluated edges.

- We keep the "queue" for vertices ordered by the shortest so far found path.
- At the beginning we initialize the distances to all vertices [except start] by infinity [large-enough value], distance to start is 0.
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- Remove the first vertex of the "queue" and inspect its neighbors.
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When extending the path, for a vertex v in distance $d(v)$ we try for each edge $\{v, w\}$ whether

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