



BASICS OF ALGORITHM ANALYSIS

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1. Stable matchings
2. Representative problems and typical complexities
3. Other problems

- The problem: n women, n men, each w/ a priority list of the members of the opposite sex. How to match them best? What's best? Simpler: find a *stable* matching.
- Let the women be $w_1, \dots, w_n$ and the men $m_1, \dots, m_n$ and let $r(m_i, w_j) \in [n]$ be the rank of woman w_j on m_i 's list.
- When is a matching *unstable*?



How to find a stable matching?

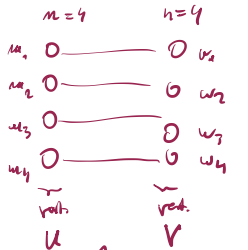
while not stable: switch

$\leadsto \tilde{n}$ precisa
convergir

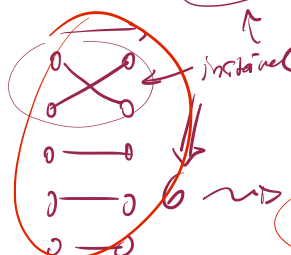
STABLE MATCHINGS

Ideias?

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Teste: está estável?
 $O(n^2)$



Força bruta:

$n=2$

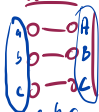


Emp. perfeito

$\Leftrightarrow$ Emp. grafos bipartidos

$\Leftrightarrow$ Permutações

$n=3$



ABC

ACB

CBA

BAC

BCA

CAB

$\{A, B, C\}$

Corr. = trivial

Complexidade: $O(n^2 n!) = O^*(n!)$

EXPONENCIAL $\log n$
 Stirling: $\pi (n/e)^n \approx \underline{\underline{n^n}}$

Main idea: Each man goes over his candidate list in order, and proposes to the next candidate, and then stops. The engaged pairs marry.

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while there's a free man m with a candidate do
  m proposes to its (current best) candidate w
  case w is free: (m,w) get engaged
  case w is engaged with m':
    if  $r(w,m) < r(w,m')$ 
      m' is set free
      (m,w) get engaged
    else
      m remains free
      (m',w) remain engaged
end
return the engaged pairs
  
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$O(x)$

$\#it. \leq n^2$
 $O(n^2 \cdot x)$
 $\Rightarrow O(n^2)$
 $\theta(n^2)$
 $\Omega(n^2)$
 $\Rightarrow ex.$

Conclusão:

- 1) O resultado é um emp. perfeito! ✓
- 2) O emp. perf. é estável.



ad 1) Obs. i) No final nenhuma mulher é livre, porque ela recebe pelo menos uma proposta, e mulheres sempre ficam em movimento.

ii) No final nenhum homem é livre.

i, ii) $\Rightarrow$ 1).

al 2) Prova por contradição: Supõe q/ exist uma prop. antes livre w
instabilidade

$$\left[\begin{array}{l} r(m, w) < r(m, w') \\ r(w, m) < r(w, m') \end{array} \right]$$

Diagram illustrating a contradiction in the Gale-Shapley algorithm. It shows a man m and a woman w with a green arrow labeled "prop." from m to w . Another man m' is shown with a red arrow labeled "prop." from m' to w . A woman w' is also shown. A lightning bolt symbol is drawn next to w . Handwritten notes on the right state: "livre w - não está com a) não é melhor me b) não pior q me → aceita".

Observations:

- Each proposal (m, w) happens at most once.
- There are at most n^2 pairs.
- Thus: the algorithm terminates in $O(n^2)$ iterations.

Cost of an iteration?

Obs O ranque de mulheres sempre melhora.
 do noivo (diminui)



Por iteraçõs

$L_i \subseteq V$

Homens $i \in [n]$:

(L_i) Candidata atual

Emparelhamento:

$m[i]$: mulher emp. ou $\emptyset$.

$w[i]$: homem emp. ou $\emptyset$.

$(\underline{m}_5, \underline{w}_7)$

$\Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} m[5] := 7 \\ w[7] := 5 \end{cases}$

(m_5, w_7)

$\begin{cases} m[5] := \emptyset \\ w[7] := \emptyset \end{cases}$

lista de homens livres $(L_i: \emptyset \cup \dots)$;

extrair um homem
livre $O(1)$.

Invariante:

Proposição

V/F

↳ Não existe estabilidade no
emp. parcial (n_o perfeito). ✓

1^a: V

2^a: V?



+ Obs 1
(perfeito)

⇒ Corr.

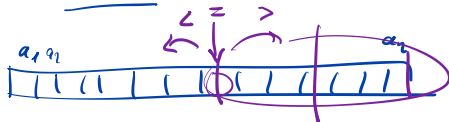
- There exist several stable matchings
- A pair (m, w) is valid if there's some stable matching containing (m, w)
 - For each man m we can define $\text{best}(m)$ as the best ranked woman such that $(m, \text{best}(m))$ is valid
 - Similarly we can define $\text{worst}(m)$, and the same for the women
 - Fact:** Our algorithm finds always $(m, \text{best}(m))$ for all men, and $(\text{worst}(w), w)$ for all women
 - If the women propose, this is inverted

Binary search

Complexidade de tempo:

- 1) Sublinear $O(n)$
 $\log n$ fator extra
- 2) Linear $O(n)$
 $n \log n$
- 3) Polynomials $O(n^k)$
 $= \underline{n}^{\underline{\alpha(k)}} \cdot \log n$
- 4) Exponencial ex.
 $\theta(2^n)$
 $\downarrow$
 $O(n^k)$

Busca binária



$$a_1 \leq a_2 \leq \dots \leq a_n$$

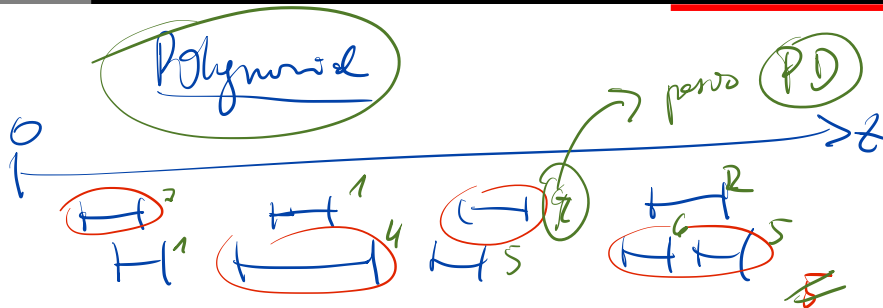
$\forall a?$ S

$$n \downarrow n/2 \downarrow n/4$$

$$n/2^d \leq 1$$

$$d = 0, 1, \dots \Leftrightarrow \lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor \leq d$$

$$\lceil \log_2 n \rceil$$



Sel. maior # intervalos sem
sobreposição.

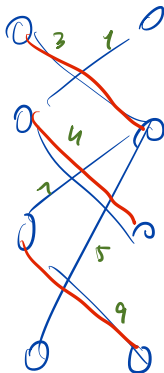
→ Greedy

$$3 + 4 + 9 + 6 + 5 = 27$$

Weighted interval scheduling

Bipartite matching

Grupos gerais



max # de arestas

(16)

menor peso total de arestas

Polynomial

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OTHER PROBLEMS

Shortest paths

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