

DATA STRUCTURES LABORATORY

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PART – B

Open-Ended Experiment

EXPERIMENT – 12

City Connectivity Analysis

Using Graph and DFS

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1. Aim

Aim

To develop a menu-driven C program using Graph data structure to represent cities and roads, display the graph, find reachable cities and check connectivity between two cities.

2. VTU Prescribed Experiment

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A transportation department wants to analyse connectivity between cities. Each city has a City Name and cities are interconnected (not necessarily all) with roads. Develop a menu-driven C program with the following operations:

- a. Create a graph representing N cities with interconnecting roads.
- b. Display the graph representation.
- c. Print all cities reachable by road from a given city.
- d. Check whether any two given cities are connected via road.

3. Suitable Data Structure

The suitable data structure is:

Graph

Here:

$Vertex = City$

and

$Edge = Road$

For easy implementation, we use:

Adjacency Matrix

4. Simple Theory

A graph consists of:

$$\boxed{Vertices + Edges}$$

In this problem:

$$\boxed{Cities = Vertices}$$

$$\boxed{Roads = Edges}$$

Example:

$$A \leftrightarrow B$$

means city A and city B are connected by road.

5. Adjacency Matrix

For three cities:

$$A, B, C$$

if roads are:

$$A - B, \quad B - C$$

then adjacency matrix is:

	<i>A</i>	<i>B</i>	<i>C</i>
<i>A</i>	0	1	0
<i>B</i>	1	0	1
<i>C</i>	0	1	0

Here:

$$\boxed{1 = Road\ Exists}$$

$$\boxed{0 = No\ Road}$$

6. DFS Traversal

To find all reachable cities, we use:

Depth First Search (DFS)

DFS:

1. Visit current city.
2. Mark it as visited.
3. Visit an unvisited connected city.
4. Continue recursively.

7. Algorithm

7.1. Create Graph

1. Read number of cities.
2. Read city names.
3. Initialize adjacency matrix to 0.
4. Read number of roads.
5. Read two city numbers for each road.
6. Set:

$$graph[u][v] = 1$$

and:

$$graph[v][u] = 1$$

7.2. Display Graph

1. Display city names.
2. Display each row of adjacency matrix.
3. Value 1 represents a road.
4. Value 0 represents no road.

7.3. Reachable Cities

1. Read starting city.
2. Set all visited values to 0.
3. Apply DFS from starting city.
4. Display every visited city.

7.4. Check Connectivity

1. Read source city.
2. Read destination city.
3. Perform DFS from source.
4. If destination becomes visited:

Connected

otherwise:

Not Connected

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Remember:

City = Vertex

Road = Edge

Graph = Adjacency Matrix

Reachability = DFS

$visited[destination] = 1 \Rightarrow Connected$

8. C Program – Easy Student Version

```
1 #include<stdio.h>
2 #include<string.h>
3
4 #define MAX 10
5
6 int graph[MAX][MAX];
7 int visited[MAX];
8 char city[MAX][20];
9 int n;
10
11 void dfs(int v)
12 {
13     int i;
14
15     visited[v]=1;
16     printf("%s ",city[v]);
17
18     for(i=0;i<n;i++)
19     {
20         if(graph[v][i]==1 && visited[i]==0)
21             dfs(i);
22     }
23 }
24
25 void createGraph()
26 {
27     int i,j,e,u,v;
28
29     printf("Enter number of cities: ");
30     scanf("%d",&n);
31
32     printf("Enter City Names:\n");
33
34     for(i=0;i<n;i++)
35         scanf("%s",city[i]);
36
37     for(i=0;i<n;i++)
38         for(j=0;j<n;j++)
39             graph[i][j]=0;
40
41     printf("Enter number of roads: ");
42     scanf("%d",&e);
43
44     printf("Enter road connections using city numbers\n");
45
46     for(i=0;i<e;i++)
47     {
48         scanf("%d%d",&u,&v);
49
50         graph[u][v]=1;
```

```
51     graph[v][u]=1;
52 }
53
54     printf("Graph Created\n");
55 }
56
57 void displayGraph()
58 {
59     int i,j;
60
61     printf("\nAdjacency Matrix:\n\n");
62
63     printf("    ");
64
65     for(i=0;i<n;i++)
66         printf("%s ",city[i]);
67
68     printf("\n");
69
70     for(i=0;i<n;i++)
71     {
72         printf("%s ",city[i]);
73
74         for(j=0;j<n;j++)
75             printf("%d ",graph[i][j]);
76
77         printf("\n");
78     }
79 }
80
81 void reachable()
82 {
83     int i,start;
84
85     printf("Enter Starting City Number: ");
86     scanf("%d",&start);
87
88     for(i=0;i<n;i++)
89         visited[i]=0;
90
91     printf("Reachable Cities: ");
92     dfs(start);
93
94     printf("\n");
95 }
96
97 void connected()
98 {
99     int i,source,destination;
100
101     printf("Enter Source City Number: ");
102     scanf("%d",&source);
103
```

```
104     printf("Enter Destination City Number: ");
105     scanf("%d",&destination);
106
107     for(i=0;i<n;i++)
108         visited[i]=0;
109
110     dfs(source);
111
112     printf("\n");
113
114     if(visited[destination])
115         printf("Cities are Connected\n");
116     else
117         printf("Cities are Not Connected\n");
118 }
119
120 int main()
121 {
122     int ch;
123
124     do
125     {
126         printf("\n1.Create Graph");
127         printf("\n2.Display Graph");
128         printf("\n3.Reachable Cities");
129         printf("\n4.Check Connectivity");
130         printf("\n5.Exit");
131
132         printf("\nEnter Choice: ");
133         scanf("%d",&ch);
134
135         switch(ch)
136         {
137             case 1:
138                 createGraph();
139                 break;
140
141             case 2:
142                 displayGraph();
143                 break;
144
145             case 3:
146                 reachable();
147                 break;
148
149             case 4:
150                 connected();
151                 break;
152
153             case 5:
154                 printf("Program Ended\n");
155                 break;
156
```



```
157         default:
158             printf("Invalid Choice\n");
159     }
160
161     }while(ch!=5);
162
163     return 0;
164 }
```

9. Simple Program Explanation

9.1. graph[][]

The array:

```
1 int graph[MAX][MAX];
```

stores the adjacency matrix.

If:

```
1 graph[i][j]=1;
```

there is a road.

If:

```
1 graph[i][j]=0;
```

there is no road.

9.2. city[][]

City names are stored using:

```
1 char city[MAX][20];
```

Example:

$0 = Tumkur, \quad 1 = Bengaluru, \quad 2 = Mysuru$

9.3. createGraph()

For an undirected road:

```
1 graph[u][v]=1;
2 graph[v][u]=1;
```

Both are required because:

$$A \leftrightarrow B$$

9.4. dfs()

First:

```
1 visited[v]=1;
```

marks the current city as visited.

Then:

```
1 if(graph[v][i]==1 && visited[i]==0)
2     dfs(i);
```

visits connected unvisited cities.

9.5. reachable()

It resets:

```
1 visited[i]=0;
```

and then calls:

```
1 dfs(start);
```

Hence all reachable cities are displayed.

9.6. connected()

DFS is started from source.

Finally:

```
1 if(visited[destination])
```

then:

Cities are Connected

Otherwise:

Cities are Not Connected

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Main functions:

createGraph()

displayGraph()

dfs()

reachable()

connected()

Remember:

Create → Display → DFS → Reachable → Connected

10. Sample Input and Output

Consider four cities:

0 = *Tumkur*

1 = *Bengaluru*

2 = *Mysuru*

3 = *Hassan*

Roads:

0 – 1

1 – 2

0 – 3

Sample execution:

```
1
2 1.Create Graph
3 2.Display Graph
4 3.Reachable Cities
5 4.Check Connectivity
6 5.Exit
7
8 Enter Choice: 1
9
10 Enter number of cities: 4
11
12 Enter City Names:
13 Tumkur
14 Bengaluru
15 Mysuru
16 Hassan
17
18 Enter number of roads: 3
19
20 Enter road connections using city numbers
21 0 1
22 1 2
23 0 3
24
25 Graph Created
```

11. Graph Representation

```
1
2 Enter Choice: 2
3
4 Adjacency Matrix:
5
6           Tumkur Bengaluru Mysuru Hassan
7 Tumkur      0      1      0      1
8 Bengaluru   1      0      1      0
9 Mysuru      0      1      0      0
10 Hassan     1      0      0      0
```

12. Reachable Cities Example

Input:

```
1
2 Enter Choice: 3
3
4 Enter Starting City Number: 0
```

Output:

```
1
2 Reachable Cities:
3 Tumkur Bengaluru Mysuru Hassan
```

13. Connectivity Example

Input:

```
1
2 Enter Choice: 4
3
4 Enter Source City Number: 0
5
6 Enter Destination City Number: 2
```

Output:

```
1
2 Tumkur Bengaluru Mysuru Hassan
3
4 Cities are Connected
```

14. Relevant Test Cases

Test	Operation	Expected Result
1	Create 4 cities	Graph is created successfully.
2	Display graph	Adjacency matrix is displayed.
3	Reachable from city 0	All connected cities are displayed.
4	Check connected cities	Displays “Cities are Connected”.
5	Check disconnected cities	Displays “Cities are Not Connected”.

15. Performance

Using an adjacency matrix:

$$Space = O(n^2)$$

DFS traversal:

$$O(n^2)$$

for adjacency matrix representation.

Connectivity is checked using DFS.

16. Result

Result

Thus, a menu-driven C program using Graph data structure was successfully implemented to analyse city connectivity.

The program performs:

- Creation of graph for N cities and roads.
- Display of graph representation.
- Display of all cities reachable from a given city.
- Connectivity checking between two cities.

17. Important Viva Questions

Important Viva Questions

1. What is a graph?

A graph is a collection of vertices and edges.

2. What represents a vertex in this experiment?

A city.

3. What represents an edge?

A road between two cities.

4. Which graph representation is used?

Adjacency Matrix.

5. What does 1 indicate in an adjacency matrix?

It indicates that an edge or road exists.

6. What does 0 indicate?

There is no direct road.

7. Which traversal is used in this program?

Depth First Search.

8. What is DFS?

DFS visits a vertex and continues deeply through connected unvisited vertices.

9. Why is visited[] required?

It prevents a city from being visited repeatedly.

10. What does visited[i]=1 mean?

The city has already been visited.

11. Why are both graph[u][v] and graph[v][u] set to 1?

Because roads are treated as undirected connections.

12. How are reachable cities obtained?

By performing DFS from the starting city.

13. How do we check connectivity?

Perform DFS from source and check whether destination is visited.

14. What is an adjacency matrix?

It is a two-dimensional array used to represent edges between vertices.

15. What is the space complexity of adjacency matrix?

$$O(n^2)$$

18. 1-Minute Exam Revision

Easy Exam Memory

Graph

Cities + Roads

Vertex

City

Edge

Road

Representation

Adjacency Matrix

Reachability

DFS

Connected

visited[destination] == 1

19. Easy Code Memory Map

Remember

Remember code in this order:

`graph[][]`



`visited[]`



`dfs()`



`createGraph()`



`displayGraph()`



`reachable()`



`connected()`

Most important condition:

`graph[v][i] == 1 && visited[i] == 0`

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City Connectivity Analysis

Graph Using Adjacency Matrix and DFS

**Create Graph → Display → DFS → Reachability →
Connectivity**

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