

Parallel Maximal Independent Set

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Luby's Algorithm

Input: Graph $G = (V, E)$ (undirected)

Def $I \subseteq V$ is independent if no pair share an edge.

An Ind set I is

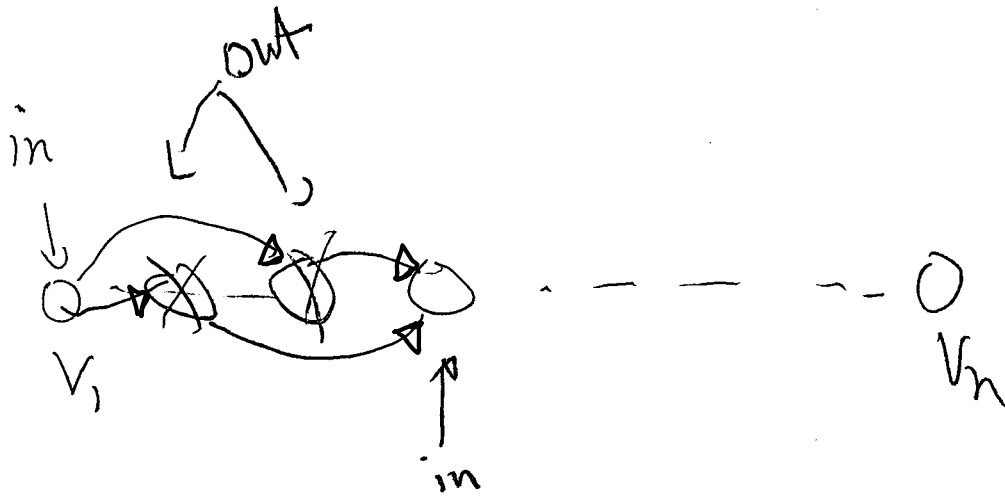
maximal if $\forall w \in V \setminus I$ $w \cup I$ is not ind.

Maximum If $\forall$ ind sets I' $|I| \geq |I'|$

Note Finding a maximum ind set is NP-Hard.

The simple greedy alg computes a maximal ind in $O(m+n)$ time.

Note Computing this ind set is P-Complete
(The lexicographically first MIS)



Note Our List-Rank & Parallel-Tree alg were of following form

- 1) Find a large independent set of nodes.
 - 2) Process them (remove them)
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Def MIS $\equiv$ Maximal Ind Set of G .

Goal: Parallel MIS Alg!

We consider Alg of form for $G=(V, E)$

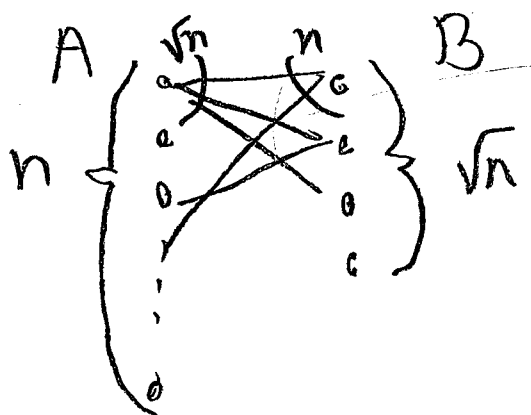
- 1) Each node v tries to join with prob(v).
 - 2) Break ties giving set $I \subseteq V$.
 - 3) Remove I & $N_{\text{eg}}(I)$ and all adj edges.
 - 4) Repeat
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Suppose $\text{Prob}(v) \approx \frac{1}{d_v}$ $d_v \equiv$ degree of v .

The hope After each round $|V'| \leq c|V|$ $c < 1$

Bad Example:

Input: $K_{n, \sqrt{n}}$



$$\text{Expect}(|I \cap A|) \approx n \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \right) \approx \sqrt{n}$$

$$\text{Expect}(|I \cap B|) \approx \sqrt{n} \left(\frac{1}{n} \right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}$$

$$|I \cap B| \approx 0$$

$$\text{Expect } |V'| \approx |V|$$

$$\text{But } E' \approx \emptyset$$

Note Edges out of B caused $E' \approx \emptyset$.

Randomized Parallel MIS

Init: $I = \emptyset$

While $E \neq \emptyset$ MIS($G=(V,E)$)

Proc MIS($G=(V,E)$)

0) Add all singletons to I

1) Inll each v picks random $P(x) \in [0,1]$ uniformly

2) Vertex v joins I if $P(v) < P(\text{Neigh}(v))$

3) Set $V' = V \setminus (I \cup \text{Neigh}(I))$

Set $E' = E \setminus \text{Edges}(I \cup \text{Neigh}(I))$

4) return $I \cup \text{MIS}(G'=(V',E'))$

Note Step 1 is equivalent

1') Pick random permutation $\rho: V \rightarrow \{1, \dots, n\}$

Thus v joins I with prob = $\frac{1}{d_v + 1}$

Implementation Details

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0) Assign a processor to each vertex and edge.

1) Each vertex proc generate $P(v)$.

2) [computing I]

a) Each edge (u, v) reads $P(u)$ & $P(v)$ (CR)

b) It marks $P(u)$ if $P(u) > P(v)$. (CW)

c) Vertex joins I if unmarked

3) Each edge (u, v) marks u for removal if $v \in I$.

4) Each edge (u, v) with removed endpoint removes itself.

5) Use Prescan to pack G' .

Consider Random Variables

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$Y = \# \text{ edges removed}$

$$Y_{uv} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } uv \in E \text{ is removed} \\ 0 & \text{o.w.} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Thus } 2Y = \sum_{uv \in E} Y_{uv}$$

Main Thm $2 \mathbb{E}[Y] \geq |E|$

ie Expected # edges removed $\geq |E|/2$.

Critical Random Variable: $uv \in E$

$$X_{uv} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } P(u) < P(\text{Neig}(u), \text{Neig}(v) \setminus u) \\ 0 & \text{o.w.} \end{cases}$$

Note: $X_{uv} = 1 \Rightarrow u \in I$ and v is out.

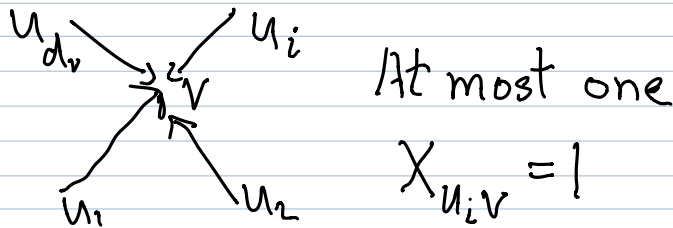
Claim $\mathbb{E}[X_{uv}] = \text{Prob}[X_{uv} = 1] \geq \frac{1}{d_u + d_v}$



$$\text{Claim A } \sum_{uv \in E} d_v X_{uv} \leq 2Y$$

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Consider all edges into $v \in V$.



$$\text{i.e. } \sum_{u \in \text{Neig}(v)} X_{uv} \leq 1$$

On the otherhand

$$X_{u_i v} = 1 \Rightarrow Y_{u_j v} = 1 \text{ for } \forall u_j \in \text{Neig}(v)$$

$$\text{Thus } \sum_{u \in \text{Neig}(v)} d_v X_{uv} \leq \sum_{u \in \text{Neig}(v)} Y_{uv}$$

$$\text{Finally } \sum_{uv \in E} d_v X_{uv} = \sum_{v \in V} \sum_{u \in N(v)} d_v X_{uv}$$

$$= \sum_{v \in V} \sum_{u \in N(v)} Y_{uv} \leq \sum_{uv \in E} Y_{uv} = 2Y$$

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From Claim A we get

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$$2Y \geq \sum_{\substack{(uv) \in E \\ \text{ordered} \\ \text{pairs}}} d_v X_{uv} = \sum_{\substack{(uv) \in E \\ \text{unordered} \\ \text{pairs}}} d_v X_{uv} + d_u X_{vu}$$

Taking expectation

$$2\mathbb{E}[Y] \geq \mathbb{E}\left[\sum_{\substack{uv \in E \\ \text{unordered}}} d_v X_{uv} + d_u X_{vu} \right]$$

$$= \sum_{uv \in E} d_v \mathbb{E}[X_{uv}] + d_u \mathbb{E}[X_{vu}]$$

$$\geq \sum_{uv \in E} \frac{d_v}{d_u + d_v} + \frac{d_u}{d_u + d_v} = \sum_{uv \in E} \frac{d_u + d_v}{d_u + d_v}$$

$$= \sum_{uv \in E} 1 = |E|$$

$$\text{ie } |E| \leq 2\mathbb{E}[Y]$$

Thm Random Parallel MIS terminates
in $O(\log n)$ rounds with high prob.

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Pf We use Chernoff bds.

Consider random variables

$$Z_i = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if round } i \text{ deletes at least } 1/3 \\ & \text{remaining edges.} \\ 0 & \text{o.w.} \end{cases}$$

Recall (Markov)

$$\text{If } X \geq 0 \text{ RV then } \text{Prob}[X \geq a] \leq \frac{\mathbb{E}(X)}{a}$$

Consider $\bar{Y} = |E| - Y$ (edge not deleted)

$$\text{Prob}[Z_i = 0] = \text{Prob}[\bar{Y} \geq 2/3|E|] \leq \frac{\mathbb{E}(\bar{Y})}{2/3|E|} \leq \frac{|E|/2}{2/3|E|} = 3/4$$

Thus $\text{Prob}[Z_i = 1] > 1/4$

Note Alg done if after r rounds $\sum_{i=1}^r Z_i \geq \log_{3/2} m$.

Claim [Chernoff Bds] After $8 \log_{3/2} m$ rounds

$$\text{Prob}\left[\sum_{i=1}^r Z_i < \log_{3/2} m\right] \leq n^{-1/4 \log_{3/2} e} \quad (*)$$

Pf Note the Z_i are not independent!

Chernoff bounds require independence!

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Let $Y_i = \{0, 1\}$ be iid RV $\text{Prob}[Y_i = 1] = 1/4$.

$$[\text{Chernoff}] \text{Prob}\left[\sum_{i=1}^r Z_i < \log_{3/2} m\right] \leq n^{-1/4 \log_{3/2} e}$$

Intuitively Claim (*) should be true

$$\text{Since } \text{Prob}[Z_i = 1] \geq \text{Prob}[Y_i = 1]$$

Unfortunately Claim (*) needs a proof.

We will use Coupling Argument!

Let $G_0, G_1, \dots, G_x$ be graphs generated by MIS

Let $P_i = \text{Prob}[Z_i = 1 | G_i]$ thus $P_i \geq 1/4$.

Goal Generate sequence of RV $X_1, \dots, X_x$

$$\text{st } \text{Prob}[Z_i = 1] = \text{Prob}[X_i = 1]$$

Consider If $Y_i = 1$ then $X_i = 1$

$$\text{If } Y_i = 0 \text{ then } X_i = 1 \text{ with prob } \frac{P_i - 1/4}{1 - 1/4}$$

$$\text{Note } \text{Prob}[X_i = 1] = 1/4 + \cancel{(1 - 1/4)} \left(\frac{P_i - 1/4}{\cancel{1 - 1/4}} \right) = P_i$$

$$\& X_i \geq Y_i$$

$$\text{Prob}\left[\sum_{i=1}^k Z_i < \mu\right] = \text{Prob}\left[\sum_{i=1}^k X_i < \mu\right] \leq \text{Prob}\left[\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i < \mu\right]$$

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