# Lec 20: <br> Graphs and Trees II 

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## Graph Isomorphism

## Recall that pictures are malleable

The following are the same graph


## Figure 10.1.1

We say that the two graphs are isomorphic.

## Isomorphic Graphs

## Definition

Let $G=\{E, V\}$ and $G^{\prime}=\left\{E^{\prime}, V^{\prime}\right\}$ be two graphs with edges and vertices. We say that $G$ is isomorphic with $G^{\prime}$ if, and only if, there exists one-to-one correspondences $g: V \rightarrow V^{\prime}$ and $h: E \rightarrow E^{\prime}$, where $h$ preserves the edge endpoints of $E$ in $E^{\prime}$ based on the mapping of $g$.


Figure 10.4.3

## Exercise

Show that two graphs are isomorphic using an arrow diagram


## Isomorphism is an equivalence relation

## Prove it!

- Reflexive: A graph $G$ is isomorphic to itself by using the identity function for $g: V \rightarrow V$ and $h: E \rightarrow E$.
- Symmetric: If a graph $G$ is isomorphic to graph $G^{\prime}$, then $G^{\prime}$ is isomorphic to $G$. The premise provides that there must exists one-to-one correspondence $g$ and $h$ between $G$ and $G^{\prime}$. As one-to-one correspondence functions, they must have an inverse $g^{-1}$ and $h^{-1}$ between $G^{\prime}$ and $G$ which are also one-to-one correspondence functions.
- Transitive: If a graph $G$ is isomorphic to graph $G^{\prime}$, and $G^{\prime}$ is isomorphic to $G^{\prime \prime}$, then $G$ is isomorphic to $G^{\prime \prime}$. From the premise there are one-to-one correspondences $g$ and $h$ from $G$ to $G^{\prime}$, and $g^{\prime}$ and $h^{\prime}$ from $G^{\prime}$ to $G^{\prime \prime}$. Then the composition functions $g \circ g^{\prime}$ and $h \circ h^{\prime}$ are also one-to-one correspondence functions from $G$ to $G^{\prime \prime}$.


## Invariant of Graph Isomorphism

## Definition

A property $P$ is call an invariant for graph isomorphism if, and only if, given any graphs $G$ and $G^{\prime}$, if $G$ has property $P$ and $G^{\prime}$ is isomorphic to $G$, then $G^{\prime}$ has property $P$.

How many invariant properties can you name?

## Invariants

- has $n$ vertices
- has $m$ edges
- has a vertex of degree $k$
- has $m$ vertices of degree $k$
- has a circuit of length $k$
- has a simple circuit of length $k$
- has $m$ simple circuits of length $k$
- is connected
- has an Euler circuit
- has a Hamiltonian circuit


## Matrix Representation of Graphs

## Matrix (review)

Recall that a matrix is a 2-dimensional representation of a sequence. For example, a $n \times m$ matrix, A can be written as

$$
\mathrm{A}=\left[\begin{array}{cccccc}
a_{11} & a_{12} & \ldots & a_{1 j} & \ldots & a_{1 n} \\
a_{21} & a_{22} & \ldots & a_{2 j} & \ldots & a_{2 n} \\
\vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots \\
a_{i 1} & a_{i 2} & \ldots & a_{i j} & \ldots & a_{i n} \\
\vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots \\
a_{m 1} & a_{m 2} & \ldots & a_{m j} & \ldots & a_{m n}
\end{array}\right]
$$

The notation $a_{i j}$, refers to the element at the $i$ th row and $j$ th column.
The $i$ th row of the matrix is $\left[\begin{array}{llll}a_{i 1} & a_{i 2} & \ldots & a_{i n}\end{array}\right]$
The $j$ th column of the matrix is $\left[\begin{array}{c}a_{1 j} \\ a_{2 j} \\ \vdots \\ a_{m j}\end{array}\right]$

## Directed Graphs as a Matrix

Consider the following graph, on the left.


We can write that as matrix (right) of $|V| \times|V|$, were each $a_{i j}$ indicates the number of edges from $v_{i}$ to $v_{j}$.

## Exercise

Convert the following graph to a matrix.


Convert the following matrix, to a graph.

$$
\left[\begin{array}{lllll}
0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\
2 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\
1 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\
1 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 0
\end{array}\right]
$$

## Un-directed graphs as matrix

We can use the same rules to represent an un-directed graph as a matrix


## Matrix Symmetry

For a directed graph, the matrix representation is symmetric, $a_{i j}=a_{j i}$,


In an un-directed graph, an edge from $v_{i}$ to $v_{j}$ is also an edge from $v_{j}$ to $v_{i}$

## Dot Product

The scaler product or dot product of a row of matrix A with a column of matrix $B$, is the sum of the pairwise multiplication of each element in a row to the column.

$$
\left[\begin{array}{llll}
a_{i 1} & a_{i 2} & \ldots & a_{i n}
\end{array}\right]\left[\begin{array}{c}
b_{1 j} \\
b_{2 j} \\
\vdots \\
b_{n j}
\end{array}\right]=a_{i 1} b_{1 j}+a_{i 2} b_{2 j}+\ldots a_{i n} b_{n j}
$$

Note the number of elements in the row of $A$ must equal the number of elements in the column of $B$.

Example Dot Product

$$
\begin{aligned}
& {\left[\begin{array}{llll}
3 & 4 & -2 & -2
\end{array}\right] \cdot\left[\begin{array}{l}
-1 \\
2 \\
3 \\
0
\end{array}\right]=} \\
& 3 \cdot(-1)+4(2)+-2(3)+2(0)=-1
\end{aligned}
$$

## Matrix Multiplication

The multiplication of two matrices $A$ and $B$ is the row-by-column dot product.


Exercise: complete the matrix multiply above.

## Graph Multiplication as way to compute walks

Consider the following graph and its matrix representation


$$
\left[\begin{array}{lll}
0 & 1 & 0 \\
1 & 1 & 2 \\
0 & 2 & 0
\end{array}\right]
$$

How many walks of length 1 between each node? It's encoded in the matrix!

How many walks of length 2 between each node? Or circuits from $v_{2}$ ?

## Squaring the Matrix

If we take the adjacency matric, squared. What does a value in it compute?

$$
\left.\begin{array}{rl}
{\left[\begin{array}{lll}
0 & 1 & 0 \\
1 & 1 & 2 \\
0 & 2 & 0
\end{array}\right] \cdot\left[\begin{array}{lll}
0 & 1 & 0 \\
1 & 1 & 2 \\
0 & 2 & 0
\end{array}\right]} & =v_{2}\left[\begin{array}{c}
v_{2} \\
\vdots \\
\cdots
\end{array}\right] \\
A & \frac{0}{a_{22}}
\end{array}\right]
$$

Look at $a_{22}$. The dot product represents the number of ways to get $v_{2}$ to another vertices multiplied by the way to get back to $v_{2}$

$$
a_{u}=\left[\begin{array}{ll}
1 & 1
\end{array}\right]\left[\begin{array}{l}
1 \\
1 \\
1 \\
2
\end{array}\right]=\underset{\substack{v_{1} \rightarrow v_{2} \\
\vdots \\
v_{1} \rightarrow v_{2}}}{\substack{1 \cdot 10 \\
v_{2}}}
$$

## Walks of length 2

The number of walks of length 2 , from $v_{2}$ and back to $v_{2}$, is $6=a_{22}^{2}$.

$$
\begin{gathered}
{\left[\begin{array}{lll}
0 & 1 & 0 \\
1 & 1 & 2 \\
0 & 2 & 0
\end{array}\right]}
\end{gathered} \cdot\left[\begin{array}{lll}
0 & 1 & 0 \\
1 & 1 & 2 \\
0 & 2 & 0
\end{array}\right]=\left[\begin{array}{lll}
1 & 1 & 2 \\
1 & 6 & 2 \\
2 & 2 & 4
\end{array}\right]
$$

The number of walks from $v_{3}$ to $v_{2}$ of length 2 , is $2=a_{32}^{2}$

Go from $v_{3}$ to $v_{2}$ by either edge by one loop on $v_{2}$. There is no way to get from $v_{3}$ to either $v_{1}$ (or in reverse) in one step. So they don't count.

## Exercise

How many circuits of length 3 exist in the following graph?


Recall that a circuit is a walk that begins and ends on the same vertex

