

Comp Sci 212

1. Boolean Hypercube

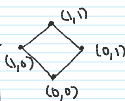
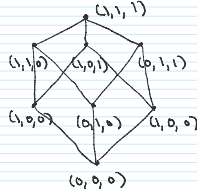
Announcements

- Homework 8 due November 30
- No office hours November 27/29 (Thanksgiving)

Boolean hypercube $G = (\{0,1\}^n, E)$

$$E = \{ \{v_1, v_2\} \mid v_1, v_2 \text{ differ in 1 coordinate} \}$$

$$2^n \text{ vertices} \quad \frac{n \cdot 2^n}{2} \text{ edges (degree each vertex is } n)$$

Ex. $n=2$  $n=3$ 

1st / color 1
2nd / color 2
3rd
4th

Fact: every vertex has degree n .Corollary: Adjacency matrix of G has $n \pm n$ as eigenvalues.

Thm: Hypercube is bipartite

Proof: $f: \{0,1\}^n \rightarrow \{1,2\}$

$$f(v) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } v \text{ has an odd \# of 1's} \\ 2 & \text{if } v \text{ has an even \# of 1's} \end{cases}$$

If $\{v_1, v_2\}$ one of v_1, v_2 must have an odd # of 1's, the other must have even #

 $n=0$, Adjacency matrix = $[0]$

1 vertex, no edges

 A_n is adjacency matrix for hypercube on $\{0,1\}^n$

$$A_{n+1} = \begin{bmatrix} A_n & I_n \\ I_n & A_n \end{bmatrix}$$

Top left block $\rightarrow$ represent edges between vertices that start w/ 0

Top right block $\rightarrow$ represent edges between vertex starting w/ 0 & vertex starting w/ 1

vertex starting w/ 0 $(0, 1, 1, 0, 0)$
vertex starting w/ 1 $(0, 1, 0, 0, 0)$

Let $V = \{0,1\}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^V$ $\rightarrow$ think about coordinates in binary

1 eigenvector per vertex

 $f_v \in \mathbb{R}^V \rightarrow$ eigenvector corresponding to vertex v .

$$(f_v)_u = (-1)^{\langle v, u \rangle} \quad \langle v, u \rangle = \sum_{i=1}^n v_i \cdot u_i$$

$$= \begin{cases} -1 & \text{if } \langle v, u \rangle \text{ is odd} \\ 1 & \text{if } \langle v, u \rangle \text{ is even} \end{cases}$$

Ex $v = (0, 0, 0, \dots, 0)$. $\langle v, u \rangle = 0$ for all u $(f_v)_u = 1$ for all u , f_v is all 1'svector. some eigenvector as $\uparrow$ in bipartite

$$v = (1, 1, 1, 1) \quad \langle v, u \rangle = \# \text{ of 1's in } u$$

$$(f_v)_u = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } u \text{ has a ven \# of 1's} \\ -1 & \text{if } u \text{ has an odd \# of 1's} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Thm. } A f_v = (n - 2 \cdot \# \text{ of 1's in } v) \cdot f_v$$

$$(n - 2 \cdot \# \text{ of 1's in } v) f_v$$

$$\text{Proof. } (A f_v)_u = \sum_{v \in \{0,1\}^n} A_{uv} \cdot (f_v)_v$$

$$= \sum_{v \in \{0,1\}^n} \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \{u,v\} \text{ is edge} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases} \cdot (-1)^{\langle v, u \rangle}$$

$$= \sum_{v \in \{0,1\}^n} (-1)^{\langle v, u \rangle} \quad \text{coordinate switched}$$

$$= \sum_{i \text{ s.t. } v_i = 1} (-1)^{\langle v, u \rangle} \quad (-1) + \sum_{i \text{ s.t. } v_i = 0} (-1)^{\langle v, u \rangle}$$

$$= -|V| \cdot (-1)^{\langle v, u \rangle} + (n - |V|) \cdot (-1)^{\langle v, u \rangle}$$

$$= (n - 2|V|) \cdot (-1)^{\langle v, u \rangle}$$

$$= (n - 2|V|) \cdot (f_v)_u$$

Thm. If $u \neq v$, $\langle f_u, f_v \rangle = 0$.

$$\text{Proof. } \sum_{w \in \{0,1\}^n} (f_u)_w \cdot (f_v)_w$$

$$= \sum_{w \in \{0,1\}^n} (-1)^{\langle u, w \rangle} \cdot (-1)^{\langle v, w \rangle}$$

$$= \sum_{w \in \{0,1\}^n} (-1)^{\langle u \oplus v, w \rangle}$$

$$\langle u, w \rangle = \sum_{i=1}^n u_i \cdot w_i, \quad \langle v, w \rangle = \sum_{i=1}^n v_i \cdot w_i$$

$$\langle u \oplus v, w \rangle = \sum_{i=1}^n (u_i \oplus v_i) \cdot w_i = \sum_{i=1}^n (u_i + v_i - 2u_i v_i) \cdot w_i = \langle u, w \rangle + \langle v, w \rangle - 2 \langle u \cdot v, w \rangle$$

Enough to prove $\langle u \oplus v, w \rangle$ is even for half of all w , odd for other half.Let i be s.t. $u_i \neq v_i$.Then one of $\langle u, w \rangle$ and $\langle v, w \rangle$ is odd, the other is even.

$(u \oplus v)_i = 1 \quad \langle u \oplus v, w \rangle = \langle u, w \rangle \oplus \langle v, w \rangle \pm 1$
essentially a bijection from set $\langle u, w \rangle$ is odd, and set $\langle v, w \rangle$ is even.

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