

Enhancing Graph Database Indexing By Suffix Tree Structure

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Outline



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- Experimental results (GIndex, Gcoding, GraphGrep, Ctree, SING)



Motivations

- Many applications in industry, science, and engineering share the same problem: given a subgraph, find its occurrences in a database of graphs.
 - Prediction of the functionality of new natural or synthesized compounds
 - Make a compound Q more active
 - Find fragment with the same function among different species
 - Predict protein function, Predict protein interaction





Biological Networks







Gene Ontologies

Graph indexing system

- Graph-to-graph matching algorithms can be used, efficiency considerations suggest the use of specific techniques to reduce the search space and the time complexity.
- In a preprocessing phase, each graph of the database is analyzed in order to extract and store its discriminatory properties, features.
- In the filtering phase, the graph database index is compared with the query index in order to discard graphs of the database not containing some features present in the query graph.

GraphGrep

Graphs searching is an NP-problem



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GraphGrep: Index building

For each graph in DB:

- Find all paths of length from 1 to L (4,10)
- Save the paths in a Berkeley DB
- Count how many occurrences of each path in each graph
- Save the occurrences in an hash table indexed by the strings of the paths

GraphGrep: Index building



(b) Fingerprint Berkeley DB HashTable

GraphGrep: Filtering and Matching



GraphGrep: Matching VF_lib

(Cordella et al. IEEE PAMI 2004, http://amalfi.dis.unina.it/graph/db/vflib-2.0/doc/vflib.html)

- Extension of Ullmann matching algorithm (Journal of the ACM, 1976)
- The process of finding the mapping function can be suitably described by means of a TREE called State Space Representation (SSR)
- Each node is a state s of the partial matching process
- Transition from a generic state s to a successor s' represents the addition of a pair matched nodes.
- k-look-ahead rules for checking in advance if a consistent state s has no consistent successors after k steps + Semantic rules

Realize a compact representation of the index by making use of Suffix trees



"Algorithms on Strings, Trees, and Sequences" by Dan Gusfield











GraphGrepSX

- Preprocessing phase
 - replaces the hash table index by a suffix tree index
- Filtering phase
 - Build a query index tree
 - The candidate set is constructed by matching the query index tree and the database index
- This results in a more flexible graph indexing system
 - different ways to build the query index
 - an efficient technique to reduce redundant checks

















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Experimental analysis on molecular dataset



AIDS antiviral screening database

http://dtp.nci.nih.gov/docs/aids/

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Total index size label-paths table + hashtable

Index fingerprint size hashtable only



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GraphGrepSX: Filtering phase-Query tree index structure construction

- Discard graphs from the database which do not match the query by analyzing only the maximal paths
- the query tree nodes representing these maximal paths are marked



Red nodes represent End-points of Maximal Paths













Experimental analysis

Molecular dataset of 42000 graphs



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Candidates

Experimental analysis: CTree, GCoding, GraphGrep, GraphGrepSX

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Query time





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Filtering time

Matching time

