DM69 — Lecture 13

Lecture 13 — May 4

- Overview of matroid partitioning (Korte and Vygen 13.6).
- Greedy approaches to scheduling (Atallah 35.1–35.3). It is a good idea to familiarize yourself with the various scheduling models (described in Section 35.1) before the lecture.
- Matching and linear programming applied to scheduling (Atallah 35.4).

Problems for May 6

- 1. Problem 16.5-2 in Cormen.
- 2. Problem 16-1 in Cormen.
- 3. Problems 31.7-1 and 31.7-3 in Cormen.
- 4. Problem 31.8-1 in Cormen.
- 5. Problems 13 and 17 in Korte and Vygen.

Exam questions

For the material we have covered so far, the following are the possible main questions.

- 1. Shortest paths in weighted graphs
- 2. The maximum (s, t)-flow problem and the minimum (s, t)-flow problem
- 3. Polynomial algorithms for maximum flows
- 4. Minimum cost flows
- 5. Matchings: characterizations and algorithms
- 6. The primal-dual algorithm for the transportation and the assignment problem
- 7. The RSA cryptosystem
- 8. Matroids and the greedy algorithm
- 9. Matroid intersection and partitioning