Compromis pour le reroutage et jeu de capture

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Context

Circuit-switched networks

- Telephone: call repacking (70's)
- ATM
- WDM, MPLS

Motivation

- Optimize usage of resources (reduce blocking probability)
- Fault tolerance
- Maintenance operations







Our problem



Inputs: Set of connection requests

+ current and new routing

Output: Scheduling for rerouting connection requests from current to new routes

Objectives: Later

Constraint: Reroute requests one by one to their final routes





GMPLS

Make-before-break:

- Establish new path before switching the connection
- \implies Destination resources must be available

Break-before-make:

- Break connection before establishing the new path
- \implies Traffic stopped while new path not established

















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break request d

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put an agent on node d



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reroute request c

process node c







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process node b

reroute request b





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reroute request a

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process node a



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a c

route request d

process node d and remove agent

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- R_2 Process a vertex if all its out-neighbors are either processed or occupied by an agent
 - = (Re)route a connection when final resources are available
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(p, q)-process strategy = strategy to process D using p agents and q vertices covered by agents.

MIN-MAX-DISRUPTION = minimize p, pn(D)MIN-TOTAL-DISRUPTION = minimize q, mfvs(D)





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What is known?

Parameters related to pn

- Pathwidth, pw
- Node search number, *ns*
- Vertex separation, vs

Relations with pn

- pw(G) = vs(G) = ns(G) 1
- $vs(D) \leq pn(D) \leq vs(D) + 1$

Complexity

- NP-Hard (pn and mfvs)
- Not APX (pn and mfvs)
 - No polynomial time constant factor approximation algorithm
- Characterization of digraphs with process number 0, 1, 2

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Heuristic algorithms [Coudert, Huc, M, Nisse, Sereni, ONDM 09]

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- $\mu = \frac{pn_{mfvs}(D)}{pn(D)}$
- Smallest total number of occupied vertices such that the number of agents is minimum = mfvspn(D)
- $\lambda = \frac{mfvs_{pn}(D)}{mfvs(D)}$

Theorem

The problems of determining $pn_{mfvs}(D)$, $mfvs_{pn}(D)$, μ , and λ are NP-Complete and not APX.

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Some open questions

• Maximum value of $\lambda = \frac{mfvs_{pn}(D)}{mfvs(D)}$ for symmetric digraphs?

We have a graph with $\lambda > 3 - \varepsilon$ and we proved that $\lambda \leq pn(D)$.

Approximation and Heuristic algorithms for these parameters







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