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## What is the common feature?

#### Graphs and Graph Drawings



#### **Objectives of Graph Drawings**





structure of the graph is difficult to understand

structure of the graph is easy to understand

• To obtain a nice representation of a graph so that the structure of the graph is easily understandable.

#### Objectives of Graph Drawings





Ancient beauty





Modern beauty

## **Objectives of Graph Drawings**

#### Diagram of an electronic circuit





not suitable for single layered PCB

suitable for single layered PCB

 The drawing should satisfy some criterion arising from the application point of view.



## • Convex drawing



## **Drawings of Plane Graphs**



Box-rectangular drawing

Orthogonal drawing









http://www.nishizeki.ecei.tohoku.ac.jp/nszk/saidur/gdbook.html







Straight line drawing





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Each vertex is drawn as a point.





Straight line drawing

Each vertex is drawn as a point.

Each edge is drawn as a single straight line segment.



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## Straight Line Grid Drawing





Straight line grid drawing.

Plane graph

In a straight line grid drawing each vertex is drawn on a grid point.



## Straight Line Grid Drawing



Plane graph

de Fraysseix et al. '90

 $W \leq 2n$ 



Straight line grid drawing.

 $W \times H \leq 2n^2$ 



## Schnyder '90



$$W \times H \leq n^2$$

Upper bound

What is the minimum size of a grid required for a straight line drawing?

#### Lower Bound



A restricted class of plane graphs may have more compact grid drawing.

## Triangulated plane graph

3-connected graph

#### 4-connected ?



disconnected

not 4-connected

# How much area is required for 4-connected plane graphs?

Straight line grid drawing

Miura et al. '01

Input: 4-connected plane graph G Output: a straight line grid drawing Grid Size :  $W, H \le \frac{n}{2}$ Area:  $W \times H \le \frac{n^2}{4}$ 



Schnyder '90 plane graph *G* 

#### Miura et al. '01

#### 4-connected plane graph *G*



Area $\doteq n^2$ 

Area $\leq n^2/4$ 

## The algorithm of Miura *et al*. is best possible



Triangulate all inner faces Step1: find a 4-canonical ordering





#### **Convex Drawing**





Tutte 1963

Every 3-connected planar graph has a convex drawing. A necessary and sufficient condition for a plane graph to have a convex drawing. Thomassen '80



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#### Convex Grid Drawing

Chrobak and Kant '97 Input: 3-connected graph Output: convex grid drawing



Grid Size

Area  $W \times H \leq n^2$ 

**Convex Grid Drawing** 

Miura et al. 2000

Input : 4-connected plane graph Output: Convex grid drawing

Grid Size

Half-perimeter  $W + H \le n - 1$ Area  $W \times H \le \frac{n^2}{4}$ 



Chrobak and Kant '97 3-connected graph Miura *et al*. 2000 4-connected graph


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Interconnection graph



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#### VLSI floorplan



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Interconnection graph



Dual-like graph



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Add four corners



Interconnection graph



Dual-like graph



Rectangular drawing

VLSI floorplan



Add four corners

Rectangular Drawings



Plane graph G of  $\Delta \le 3$ Input





• Each vertex is drawn as a point.



- Each vertex is drawn as a point.
- Each edge is drawn as a horizontal or a vertical line segment.



- Each vertex is drawn as a point.
- Each edge is drawn as a horizontal or a vertical line segment.
- Each face is drawn as a rectangle.

## Not every plane graph has a rectangular drawing.



Thomassen '84,

Necessary and sufficient condition Rahman, Nakano and Nishizeki '98 Linear-time algorithms

Rahman, Nakano and Nishizeki '02

Linear algorithm for the case where corners are not designated in advance

- *G* plane graph
  - four vertices of degree 2 are designated as corners
- G has a rectangular drawing if and only if
  - every 2-legged cycle in *G* contains at least two designated vertices; and
  - every 3-legged cycle in *G* contains at least one designated vertex.



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2-legged cycles

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2-legged cycles 3-legged cycles

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2-legged cycles 3-legged cycles























Bad cycle























Rectangular drawing







Rectangular drawing

Miura, Haga, N. '03, Working paper

# Rectangular drawing of plane graph G with $\Delta \leq 4$

perfect matching in G<sub>d</sub>








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Interconnection graph



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Unwanted adjacency

Not desirable for MCM floorplanning and for some architectural floorplanning.





MCM Floorplanning Sherwani Architectural Floorplanning Munemoto, Katoh, Imamura



























Box-Rectangular drawing



dead space





Box-Rectangular Drawing



# Box-Rectangular Drawing







• Each vertex is drawn as a rectangle.



- Each vertex is drawn as a rectangle.
- Each edge is drawn as a horizontal or a vertical line segment.



- Each vertex is drawn as a rectangle.
- Each edge is drawn as a horizontal or a vertical line segment.
- Each face is drawn as a rectangle.

## Rahman et al. 2000

- A necessary and sufficient condition for a plane multigraph to have a box-rectangular drawing.
- A linear-time algorithm.
- $W + H \le m + 2$ , where *m* is the number of edges in G.



Algorithm of Rahman et al.

Main Idea: Reduction to a rectangular drawing problem

#### Outline





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# **Orthogonal Drawings**



Input





 Each edge is drawn as an alternating sequence of horizontal and vertical line segments.



- Each edge is drawn as an alternating sequence of horizontal and vertical line segments.
- Each vertex is drawn as a point.





**Circuit schematics** 

Minimization of bends reduces the number of "vias" or "throughholes," and hence reduces VLSI fabrication costs.



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minimum number of bends.

**Bend-Minimum Orthogonal Drawing** 

Garg and Tamassia '96  $O(n^{7/4} \log^{1/2} n)$  time for plane graph of  $\Delta \leq 4$ 

Idea reduction to a minimum cost flow problem

# Rahman, Nakano and Nishizeki '99

Linear for 3-connected cubic plane graph

Idea reduction to a rectangular drawing problem.

# Rahman and Nishizeki '02

**Linear** for plane graph of  $\Delta \leq 3$ 

#### Outline of the algorithm of [RNN99]











Open Problems and Future Research Direction

• More area-efficient straight-line or convex drawing algorithms.

 $W \times H \leq \left(\frac{2}{3}n\right)^2$  for every planar graph?

- Linear algorithm for rectangular drawings of plane graphs of  $\Delta \leq 4$ .
- Linear algorithm for bend-minimal orthogonal drawings of plane graphs of  $\Delta \leq 4$ .
- Drawing of plane graphs with constraints like

Practical<br/>ApplicationsPrescribed face areasPrescribed length of some edges<br/>Prescribed positions of some vertices



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# ISAAC in Sendai, Tohoku

Probably 2007





Properties of a drawing of G(C)



## Main idea



4-canonical decomposition

# Main idea





Add a group of vertices one by one.

# Main idea





Add a group of vertices one by one.













 $U_1$ 

















 $U_1$ 













 $U_1$ 

















horizontal and vertical line segments.

• Each vertex is drawn as a point.

### Applications

Circuit schematics, Data-flow diagrams, Entityrelationship diagrams [T87, BK97]. Objective

To minimize the number of bends in an orthogonal drawing.



## Known Result

Garg and Tamassia [GT96]

 $O(n^{7/4} \log^{1/2} n)$  time algorithm for finding an orthogonal drawing of a plane graph of  $\Delta \leq 4$  with the minimum number of bends.

Idea reduction to a minimum cost flow problem

## Rahman, Nakano and Nishizeki [RNN99]

A linear time algorithm to find an orthogonal drawing of a 3-connected cubic plane graph with the minimum number of bends.

Idea reduction to a rectangular drawing problem.

## Rahman and Nishizeki [RN02]

A linear time algorithm to find an orthogonal drawing of a plane graph of  $\Delta \leq 3$  with the minimum number of bends.

#### Idea reduction to a no-bend drawing problem.

## Outline of the algorithm of [RNN99]





### Rectangular Drawing Algorithm of [RNN98]





Input

Partition-pair





Partition-pair



rectangular drawing of each subgraph



**Rectangular Drawings** 





Modification of drawings patching



- Each vertex is drawn as a (possibly degenerated) rectangle on an integer grid.
- Each edge is drawn as a horizontal or a vertical line segment along grid line without bend.
- Each face is drawn as a rectangle. Rahman, Nakano and Nishizeki [RNN00]
  - A necessary and sufficient condition.
  - A linear-time algorithm.

Reduce the problem to a rectangular drawing problem.

Conclusions

We surveyed the recent algorithmic results on various drawings of plane graphs.

## **Open Problems**

Rectangular drawings of plane graphs of  $\Delta \leq 4$ .



Efficient algorithm for bend-minimal orthogonal drawings of plane graphs of  $\Delta \le 4$ 



Parallel algorithms for drawing of plane graphs.



VLSI floorplanning



Interconnection Graph

Floor plan



Dual-like graph



Insertion of four corners



## st-numbering[E79](2-connected graph)

(1) (1,n) is an edge of G
(2) Each vertex k, 2 ≤ k ≤ n-1, has at least one neighbor and at least one upper neighbor



Step 1: 4-canonical ordering [KH97] (4-connected graph)

(a generalization of *st*-numbering)



(1) (1,2) and (n,n-1) are edges on the outer face

(2) Each vertex  $k, 3 \leq k \leq n-2$ , has at least two lower neighbors and has at least two upper neighbors

### Step 2: Divide G into G'and G"







1:外周上の辺の傾きは高々1 2:外周上で点1から2へ時計回りに進む<mark>道</mark>の描画はx-単調

各点の座標の決め方



Initialization:

各点  $k, 4 \leq k \leq n/2$ 



1:外周上の辺の傾きは高々1 2:外周上で点1から2へ時計回りに進む<mark>道</mark>の描画はx-<mark>単調</mark> The drawing of the path passing through all *k*'s neighbors is "weakly convex"



The rightmost neighbor of k is higher than the leftmost neighbor

Case 1: k has exactly one highest neighbor


The rightmost neighbor of k is higher than the leftmost neighbor

Case 2: k has exactly two or more highest neighbor

































Shift one time for each vertex









x-単調





The algorithm is best possible







an orthogonal drawing with the minimum number of bends.

To minimize the number of bends in an orthogonal drawing.