

## All-Pairs Shortest Paths

**Input:** the adjacent matrix  $W$  of a weighted directed graph  $G=(V, E)$ , where

$$\omega_{ij} = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i = j \\ \text{the weight of edge } (i, j) & i \neq j \text{ and } (i, j) \in E \\ \infty & i \neq j \text{ and } (i, j) \notin E \end{cases}$$

(Negative weights can present. But,  $G$  contains no negative-weight cycles.)

**Output:** A matrix  $D=(d_{ij})$ , where  $d_{ij} = \delta(i, j)$

A predecessor matrix  $\Pi=(\pi_{ij})$ , where  $\pi_{ij}$  is the predecessor of  $j$  on some shortest path from  $i$ .

(Subgraph induced by row  $i$  of  $\Pi$  is a shortest-paths tree with root  $i$ .)

### 25.1 Shortest paths and multiplication

(A dynamic-programming approach)

**Optimal structure:** all subpaths of a shortest path are shortest paths.

**A recursive solution:**

Let  $d_{ij}^{(m)}$  be the minimum weight of any path from  $i$  to  $j$  that contains at most  $m$  edges.

$$d_{ij}^{(0)} = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i = j \\ \infty & \text{if } i \neq j \end{cases}$$

$$d_{ij}^{(m)} = \min_{1 \leq k \leq n} \{d_{ik}^{(m-1)} + \omega_{kj}\}$$

Since  $G$  contains no negative-weight cycles,

$$d_{ij} = \delta(i, j) = d_{ij}^{(n-1)} = d_{ij}^{(n)} = d_{ij}^{(n+1)} = \dots$$

$$* D^{(1)} = W$$

$$* D = D^{(n-1)} = D^{(n)} = D^{(n+1)} = \dots$$

### Computing $D^{(m)}$ from $D^{(m-1)}$

EXTEND-SHORTEST-PATHS( $D, W$ )

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1   $n \leftarrow \text{rows}[D]$ 
2  let  $D' = (d'_{ij})$  be an  $n \times n$  matrix
3  for  $i \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
4      do for  $j \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
5          do  $d'_{ij} \leftarrow \infty$ 
6              for  $k \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
7                  do  $d'_{ij} \leftarrow \min(d'_{ij}, d_{ik} + w_{kj})$ 
8  return  $D'$ 

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\*  $D$  for  $D^{(m-1)}$  and  $D'$  for  $D^{(m)}$

\* Time:  $\Theta(n^3)$

\* Similar to matrix multiplication  $C=A \times B$ :

$d_{ij}^{(m-1)} \rightarrow a_{ij}$        $w_{ij} \rightarrow b_{ij}$        $d_{ij}^{(m)} \rightarrow c_{ij}$   
 $\min \rightarrow +$        $+ \rightarrow *$

MATRIX-MULTIPLY( $A, B$ )

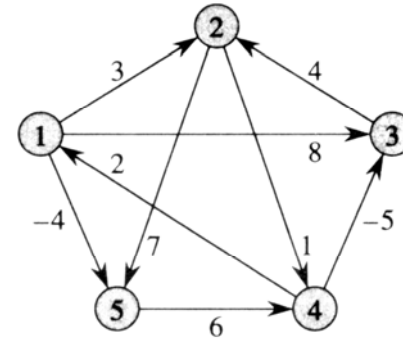
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1   $n \leftarrow \text{rows}[A]$ 
2  let  $C$  be an  $n \times n$  matrix
3  for  $i \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
4      do for  $j \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
5          do  $c_{ij} \leftarrow 0$ 
6              for  $k \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
7                  do  $c_{ij} \leftarrow c_{ij} + a_{ik} \cdot b_{kj}$ 
8  return  $C$ 

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$$* \quad D^{(1)} = D^{(0)} W = W \quad D^{(2)} = D^{(1)} W = W^2$$

$$D^{(3)} = D^{(2)} W = W^3 \quad \dots$$



$$D^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3 & 8 & \infty & -4 \\ \infty & 0 & \infty & 1 & 7 \\ \infty & 4 & 0 & \infty & \infty \\ 2 & \infty & -5 & 0 & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad D^{(2)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3 & 8 & 2 & -4 \\ 3 & 0 & -4 & 1 & 7 \\ \infty & 4 & 0 & 5 & 11 \\ 2 & -1 & -5 & 0 & -2 \\ 8 & \infty & 1 & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$D^{(3)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3 & -3 & 2 & -4 \\ 3 & 0 & -4 & 1 & -1 \\ 7 & 4 & 0 & 5 & 11 \\ 2 & -1 & -5 & 0 & -2 \\ 8 & 5 & 1 & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad D^{(4)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & -3 & 2 & -4 \\ 3 & 0 & -4 & 1 & -1 \\ 7 & 4 & 0 & 5 & 3 \\ 2 & -1 & -5 & 0 & -2 \\ 8 & 5 & 1 & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

SLOW-ALL-PAIRS-SHORTEST-PATHS( $W$ )

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1   $n \leftarrow \text{rows}[W]$ 
2   $D^{(1)} \leftarrow W$ 
3  for  $m \leftarrow 2$  to  $n - 1$ 
4      do  $D^{(m)} \leftarrow \text{EXTEND-SHORTEST-PATHS}(D^{(m-1)}, W)$ 
5  return  $D^{(n-1)}$ 

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- \* Time:  $n-2 \times O(n^3) = O(n^4)$ .
- \* Space:  $O(n^2)$   
(Note that only two matrix is really required.)

### Improving the running time by repeated squaring

$$W^2 = W \times W \quad W^4 = W^2 \times W^2$$

$$W^8 = W^4 \times W^4 \quad \dots$$

$$W^{2^{\lceil \lg(n-1) \rceil}} = W^{2^{\lceil \lg(n-1) \rceil - 1}} \times W^{2^{\lceil \lg(n-1) \rceil - 1}} = D$$

(Note that  $D = W^{n-1} = W^n = W^{n+1} = \dots$ )

#### FASTER-ALL-PAIRS-SHORTEST-PATHS( $W$ )

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1   $n \leftarrow \text{rows}[W]$ 
2   $D^{(1)} \leftarrow W$ 
3   $m \leftarrow 1$ 
4  while  $n - 1 > m$ 
5      do  $D^{(2m)} \leftarrow \text{EXTEND-SHORTEST-PATHS}(D^{(m)}, D^{(m)})$ 
6           $m \leftarrow 2m$ 
7  return  $D^{(m)}$ 
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**Time:**  $\Theta(n^3 \lg n)$

## 25.2 The Floyd-Warshall algorithm

(A dynamic-programming approach)

### A recursive solution:

Let  $d_{ij}^{(k)}$  be the weight of a shortest path from  $i$  to  $j$  with all **intermediate** vertices in  $\{1, 2, \dots, k\}$ .

$$d_{ij}^{(0)} = \omega_{ij}$$

$$d_{ij}^{(k)} = \min\{d_{ij}^{(k-1)}, d_{ik}^{(k-1)} + d_{kj}^{(k-1)}\} \quad \text{for } k \geq 1$$

(since  $G$  contains no negative-weight cycles)

$$* \quad d_{ij} = \delta(i, j) = d_{ij}^{(n)}.$$

#### FLOYD-WARSHALL( $W$ )

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1   $n \leftarrow \text{rows}[W]$ 
2   $D^{(0)} \leftarrow W$ 
3  for  $k \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
4      do for  $i \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
5          do for  $j \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
6              do  $d_{ij}^{(k)} \leftarrow \min(d_{ij}^{(k-1)}, d_{ik}^{(k-1)} + d_{kj}^{(k-1)})$ 
7  return  $D^{(n)}$ 
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**Time:**  $\Theta(n^3)$

**Constructing a shortest path:** Refer to textbook

***Transitive closure of a directed graph G***

$$G^* = (V, E^*),$$

where  $E^* = \{(i, j) \mid \text{if there is a path from } i \text{ to } j \text{ in } G\}$ .

**Method 1:** assign a weight 1 to each edge of  $G$  and then perform Floyd-Warshall algorithm. We have  $(i, j)$  in  $E^*$  iff  $d_{ij} < n$ .

**Method 2:** (Save time and space in practice)

Define  $t_{ij}^{(k)} = 1$  if there is a path from  $i$  to  $j$  with all **intermediate** vertices in  $\{1, 2, \dots, k\}$ .

$$t_{ij}^{(0)} = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i \neq j \text{ and } (i, j) \notin E \\ 1 & \text{if } i = j \text{ or } (i, j) \in E \end{cases}$$

$$t_{ij}^{(k)} = t_{ij}^{(k-1)} \vee (t_{ik}^{(k-1)} \wedge t_{kj}^{(k-1)})$$

**TRANSITIVE-CLOSURE( $G$ )**

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1   $n \leftarrow |V[G]|$ 
2  for  $i \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
3      do for  $j \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
4          do if  $i = j$  or  $(i, j) \in E[G]$ 
5              then  $t_{ij}^{(0)} \leftarrow 1$ 
6              else  $t_{ij}^{(0)} \leftarrow 0$ 
7  for  $k \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
8      do for  $i \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
9          do for  $j \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
10             do  $t_{ij}^{(k)} \leftarrow t_{ij}^{(k-1)} \vee (t_{ik}^{(k-1)} \wedge t_{kj}^{(k-1)})$ 
11 return  $T^{(n)}$ 
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\* **Time:**  $\Theta(n^3)$

\* Only 1 bit is required for each  $t_{ij}^{(k)}$ .

\*  $G^*$  can be used to determine the strongly connected components of  $G$ .

**Homework:** Ex. 25.1-5, 25.1-6, 25.1-10, 25.2-3, 25.2-4, 25.2-8, Pro. 25-1.