

# Lab Task#11: Find the shortest path in a weighted graph

1. You are given a directed graph, a source from which you will start your journey and a target for which you have to print the path. You have to find the minimum cost/distance required to arrive at each of the reachable vertices and print the path as given in the output section in a sequence.
  - a. First will have the total number of nodes (**n**) and the total number of edges (**m**).
    - i. Nodes are numbered from **1** to **n**
    - ii. Next **m** lines will be followed by **m** pairs of integers denoting the directed edges.
      - iii. **a b w**
        1. It means there is a connection from **a** to **b** and
        2. The cost/distance from **a** to **b** is **w**
    - b. Then two integers **s** and **t** denoting the **source** node and the **target** node.
  2. Outputs:
    - a. Print the minimum distance required to reach a particular node from the source in a sequence from **1** to **n**.
    - b. Avoid printing the distance for the source node.
    - c. If a node is not reachable. Mention that.
    - d. Print the **path for the target** node only.
    - e. See the output format for more details
  3. Use the idea of **SSSP** to solve the problem.
  4. Try to solve the problem in paper first to understand how you might approach it.
  5. Implementation should be done in either C or C++ or Python or Java or javascript.
    - a. Explain your code in words if possible.
    - b. Also, if I ask you about your code, you better be able to answer. So please, understand the code before submitting it.
  6. **Assignment File Name:** AlgoLabAssign11\_SSSP-NNweights\_191-115-**ZZZ**
    - a. Replace **ZZZ** with your roll.
  7. Related material: <https://youtu.be/COM74cDxmp4>
  8. If You find any problem in the question, let me know. I will correct it.

<b>Input #1</b>	<b>Output#1</b>
<b>4 5</b> 1 2 1	Minimum distances from Source 1 to other nodes 2 1

1 3 4 2 3 2 2 4 6 3 4 3 <b>1 4</b>	3 3 4 6  Path to the target node: <b>4</b> Path taken: 1 2 3 4
<b>Input #2</b>	<b>Output#2</b>
<b>5 7</b> 2 4 3 2 5 6 1 5 1 3 4 7 3 2 2 3 1 6 4 5 5 <b>3 4</b>	Minimum distances from Source 3 to other nodes 1 6 2 2 4 5 5 7  Path to the target node: <b>4</b> Path taken: 3 2 4
<b>Input #3</b>	<b>Output#3</b>
<b>5 10</b> 1 2 10 1 4 5 2 3 1 2 4 2 3 5 4 4 2 3 4 3 9 4 5 2 5 1 7 5 3 6 <b>1 3</b>	<i>Minimum distances from Source 1 to other nodes</i> 2 8 3 9 4 5 5 7  <i>Path to the target node: <b>3</b></i> <i>Path taken: 1 4 2 3</i>
<b>Input #4</b>	<b>Output#4</b>
<b>5 9</b> 1 2 4 1 3 2 2 4 2 2 3 3 2 5 3 3 2 1 3 5 5 3 4 4 5 4 1 <b>1 5</b>	<u>Minimum</u> distances from Source 1 to other nodes 2 3 3 2 4 5 5 6  Path to the target node: <b>5</b> Path taken: 1 3 2 5