

Algorithm

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Shortest Path

- $\delta(s, v)$ for all v
- $\delta(s, v) = \min_{(u, v) \in E} (\underbrace{\delta(s, u)}_{\text{recursive call}} + w(u, v))$
- Is this good algorithm?
- Subproblem dependencies should be acyclic.
- Time?
 - $\Theta(V^3)$
 - but actually? $\Theta(VE)$ ► Bellman-Ford

Bellman-Ford

- **Generic shortest path algorithm.**
- **Analysis**
- **Correctness**

Bellman-Ford Algorithm

```
// r : starting vertex
Bellman-Ford(G, r) {
    for( $u \in V$ )
         $d[u] = \infty$ ;
     $d[r] = 0$ ;
    // Calculate shortest path :  $T(V, E) = O(|V| * |E|)$ 
    for(int  $i=1$ ;  $i \leq |V|-1$ ;  $i++$ )
        for( $(u, v) \in E$ )
            if( $d[u] + w(u, v) < d[v]$ ) {
                 $d[v] = d[u] + w(u, v)$ ;
                 $prev[v] = u$ ; }
    // Check the negative weighted cycle :  $T(V, E) = O(|E|)$ 
    for( $(u, v) \in E$ )
        if( $d[u] + w(u, v) < d[v]$ )
            print "A negative weighted cycle exists."; }
```

Verification

- **Pigeonhole Principle**

- Birthday problem

- **Theorem**

After the for loop ($i = m$), which is the m th iteration, ends, the shortest path that can be obtained using up to m edges is calculated.

► **Induction? Do this with me.**

Easy Dynamic Programming

- Three main items: guess, recursion, and memorization
- Remember

$$\text{Time} = (\# \text{ subprobs}) \times (\text{time} / \text{subprob})$$

- Five generic (easy!) steps:
 1. Define subproblems
 2. Guess your possible choices
 3. Ideate subproblems
 4. Apply recursion and memorization
 5. Solve the original problem

Fill in the Blank

	Fibonacci	Shortest Path	Knapsack
1 Define subprob.			
2 Guess			
3 Ideate			
4 Rec + memo			
5 Solve orig.			

Time Complexity

- Pseudopolynomial

= (Polynomial in the problem size)

x (the numbers in the input)