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ROUTING VERSUS FORWARDING.

Which of the following statements correctly identify the differences between routing and forwarding. Select one or more statements.

- ☐ Forwarding refers to determining the route taken by packets from source to destination, and is implemented in the control plane.
- ☐ Forwarding refers to determining the route taken by packets from source to destination, and is implemented in the data plane.
- ☒ Forwarding refers to moving packets from a router's input to appropriate router output, and is implemented in the data plane.
- ☒ Routing refers to determining the route taken by packets from source to destination, and is implemented in the control plane.
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That's Correct!

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APPROACHES TOWARDS IMPLEMENTING THE CONTROL PLANE.

Match the name of the approach towards implementing a control plane with a description of how this approach works.

QUESTION LIST:

Per-router control plane.

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Software-defined networking (SDN).

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ANSWER LIST:

- A. A (typically) remote controller gathers information from routers, and then computes and installs the forwarding tables in routers.
- B. Individual routing algorithm components - with a component operating in each and every router - interact with each other in the control plane. The individual routing algorithm component executing in a given router computes the local forwarding table for that router.
- C. The network operator installs forwarding tables using the Simple Network Management Protocols (SNMP).

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WHAT'S A "GOOD" PATH?

What is the definition of a "good" path for a routing protocol? Chose the best single answer.

- ☐ A low delay path.
- ☒ Routing algorithms typically work with abstract link weights that could represent any of, or combinations of, all of the other answers.
- ☐ A path that has little or no congestion.
- ☐ A high bandwidth path.
- ☐ A path that has a minimum number of hops.

That's Correct!

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DIJKSTRA'S LINK-STATE ROUTING ALGORITHM.

Consider Dijkstra's link-state routing algorithm that is computing a least-cost path from node a to other nodes b, c, d, e, f. Which of the following statements is true. (Refer to Section 5.2 in the text for notation.)

- ☐ Following the initialization step, if nodes b and c are directly connected to a, then the least cost path to b and c will never change from this initial cost.
- ☒ The values computed in the vector $D(v)$, the currently known least cost of a path from a to any node v, will never increase following an iteration.
- ☐ The values computed in the vector $D(v)$, the currently known least cost of a path from a to any node v, will always decrease following an iteration.
- ☒ Suppose nodes b, c, and d are in the set N' . These nodes will remain in N' for the rest of the algorithm, since the least-cost paths from a to b, c, and d are known.
- ☒ In the initialization step, the initial cost from a to each of these destinations is initialized to either the cost of a link directly connecting a to a direct neighbor, or infinity otherwise.

That's Correct!



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WHAT TYPE OF ROUTING?

Match the name of a general approach to routing with characteristics of that approach.

QUESTION LIST:

Centralized, global routing.

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Decentralized routing.

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Static routing.

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Dynamic routing.

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ANSWER LIST:

A. Routing changes quickly over time.

B. An iterative process of computation, exchange of informatoin with neighbors. Routers may initially only know link costs to directly-attached neighbors.

C. All routers have complete topology, and link cost information.

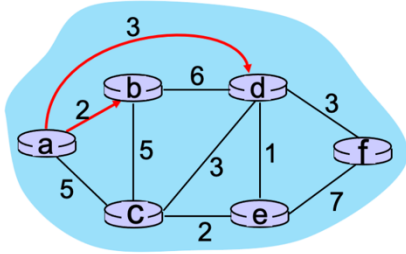
D. Routes change slowly over time.

That's Correct!



DIJKSTRA'S LINK-STATE ROUTING ALGORITHM (PART 1).

Consider the graph shown below and the use of Dijkstra's algorithm to compute a least cost path from a to all destinations. Suppose that nodes b and d have already been added to N'. What is the next node to be added to N' (refer to the text for an explanation of notation).



[Note: You can find more examples of problems similar to this [here](#).]

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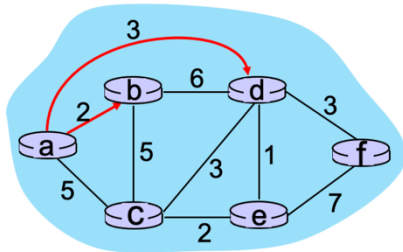
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That's Correct!



DIJKSTRA'S LINK-STATE ROUTING ALGORITHM (PART 2).

Consider the graph shown below and the use of Dijkstra's algorithm to compute a least cost path from a to all destinations. Suppose that nodes b and d have already been added to N'. What is the *path cost* to the next node to be added to N' (refer to the text for an explanation of notation).



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ROUTING WITHIN OR AMONG NETWORKS.

Match the terms "interdomain routing" and "intradomain routing" with their definitions. Recall that in Internet parlance, an "AS" refers to "Autonomous System" – a network under the control of a single organization.

QUESTION LIST:

Interdomain routing.

Intradomain routing.

ANSWER LIST:

- A. Forwarding packets between two interfaces in different but adjacent subnetworks.
- B. Routing among different ASes ("networks").
- C. Routing among routers within same AS ("network").
- D. Forwarding packets between two physically connected interfaces in a common subnetwork.

That's Correct!

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OPEN SHORTEST PATH FIRST (OSPF).

Check the one or more of the following statements about the OSPF protocol that are true.

- ☐ The Open Shortest Path First (OSPF) Internet routing protocol implements a Bellman-Ford distance-vector routing algorithm.
- ☒ OSPF is an intra-domain routing protocol.
- ☒ OSPF implements hierarchical routing
- ☐ OSPF is an interdomain routing protocol.
- ☒ OSFP uses a Dijkstra-like algorithm to implement least cost path routing.

That's Correct!



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OPEN SHORTEST PATH FIRST (OSPF).

Consider the OSPF routing protocol. Which of the following characteristics are associated with OSPF (as opposed to BGP)?

- ☐ Is an inter-domain routing protocol.
- ☒ Finds a least cost path from source to destination.
- ☐ Policy, rather than performance (e.g., least cost path), determines paths that used.
- ☒ Is an intra-domain routing protocol.
- ☒ Floods link state control information.

That's Correct!



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ICMP: INTERNET CONTROL MESSAGE PROTOCOL.

Which of the statements below about ICMP are true?

- ☒ ICMP is used by hosts and routers to communicate network-level information.
- ☐ ICMP communicates information between hosts and routers by marking bits in the IP header.
- ☐ ICMP messages are carried in UDP segments using port number 86.
- ☒ ICMP messages are carried directly in IP datagrams rather than as payload in UDP or TCP segments.
- ☒ The TTL-expired message type in ICMP is used by the traceroute program.

That's Correct!



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