

Dynamic Programming

- **Principle of optimality**
- **0/1 Knapsack**
- **Largest Common Subsequence**
- **Travelling Salesperson Problem**
- **Multistage Graph problem
(using Forward computation)**

Dynamic Programming

- Dynamic programming is typically applied to optimization problem.
- Dynamic Programming is an algorithm design method that can be used when the solution to a problem may be viewed as the result of a sequence of decisions

Why Dynamic Programming?

- **Divide-and-Conquer** : a top-down approach.
partitions a problem into independent subproblems
- **Greedy method** : only works with the local information
- **Dynamic programming** : a bottom-up approach.
Solutions for smaller instances are stored in a table for later use.

Comparison with divide-and-conquer

- Divide-and-conquer algorithms split a problem into separate subproblems, solve the subproblems, and combine the results for a solution to the original problem
 - Example: Quicksort
 - Example: Mergesort
 - Example: Binary search
- Divide-and-conquer algorithms can be thought of as **top-down** algorithms
- In contrast, a **dynamic programming algorithm** proceeds by solving small problems, then combining them to find the solution to larger problems
- Dynamic programming can be thought of as **bottom-up**

Comparison with Greedy Approach

- Greedy and Dynamic Programming are methods for solving optimization problems.
- However, often you need to use dynamic programming since the optimal solution cannot be guaranteed by a greedy algorithm.
- Dynamic Programming provides efficient solutions for some problems for which a brute force approach would be very slow.
- To use Dynamic Programming we need only show that the principle of optimality applies to the problem.

Elements of Dynamic Programming ...

- Principle of optimality

In an optimal sequence of decisions or choices, each subsequence must also be optimal.

- Memorization (for overlapping sub-problems)

- avoid calculating the same thing twice,
- usually by keeping a table of known results that fills up as sub-instances are solved.

Example: Fibonacci numbers

Fibonacci numbers: 0, 1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13, 21, 24

Computing the n^{th} fibonacci number using **bottom-up** iteration:

- $f(0) = 0$
- $f(1) = 1$
- $f(2) = 0+1 = 1$
- $f(3) = 1+1 = 2$
- $f(4) = 1+2 = 3$
- $f(5) = 2+3 = 5$
-
-
-
- $f(n-2) = f(n-3) + f(n-4)$
- $f(n-1) = f(n-2) + f(n-3)$
- $f(n) = f(n-1) + f(n-2)$

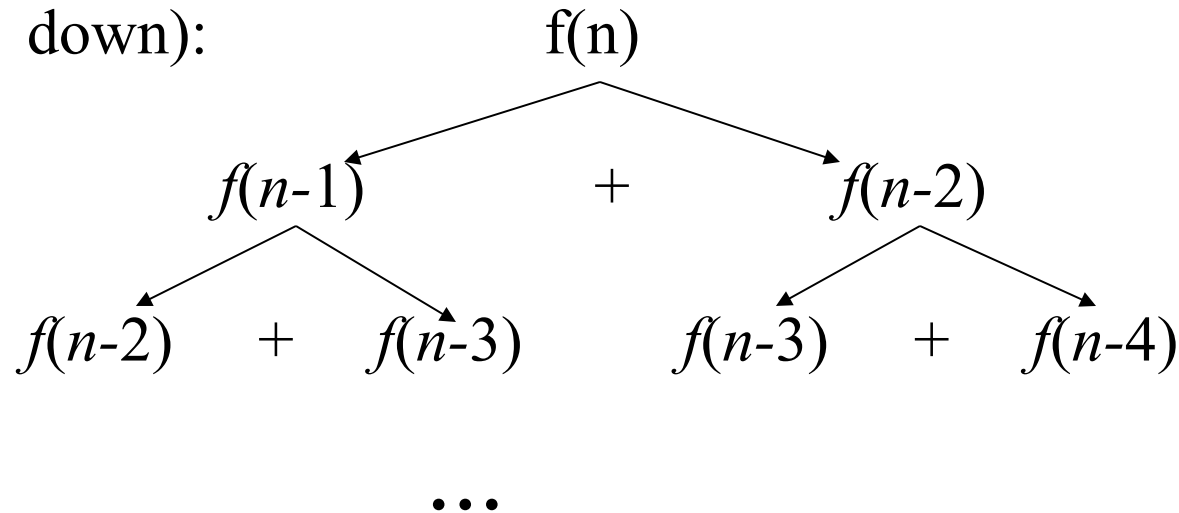
- Recall definition of Fibonacci numbers:

$$f(0) = 0$$

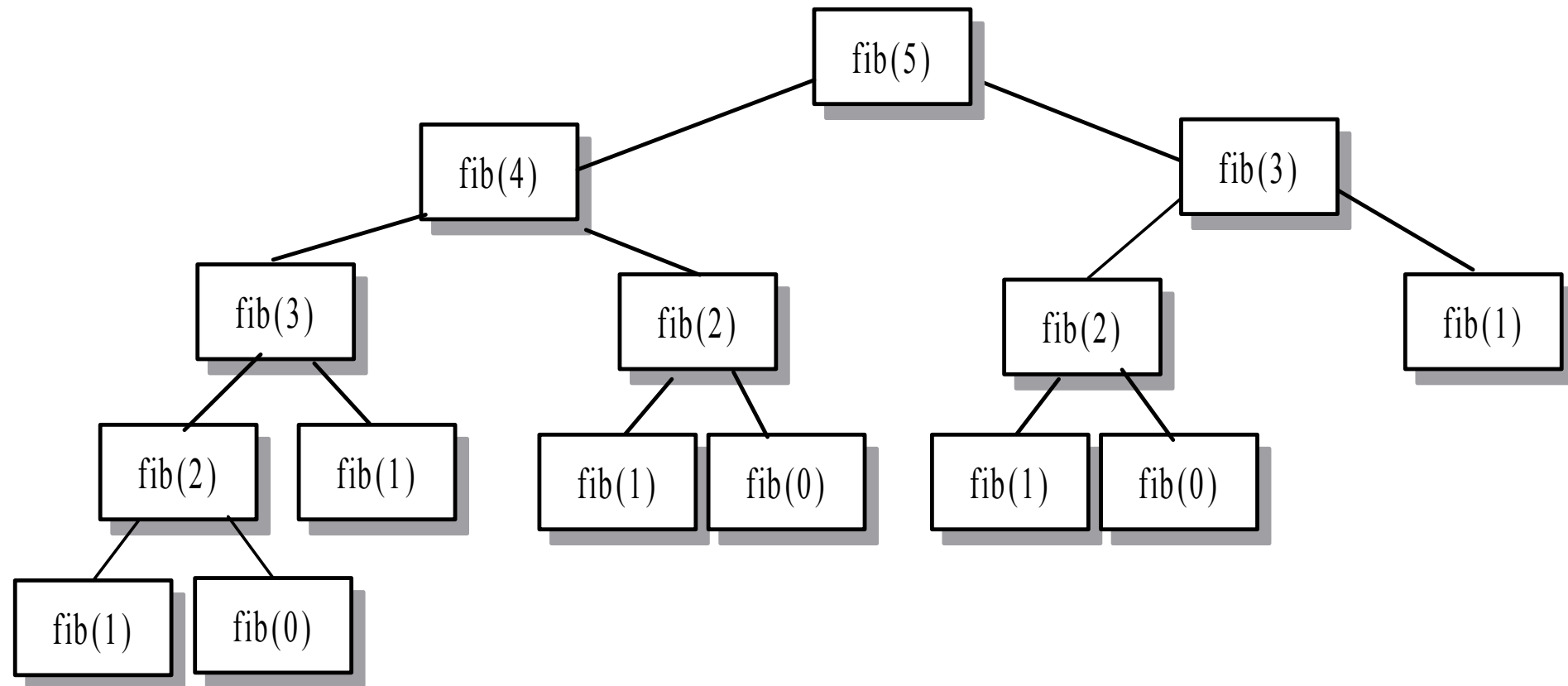
$$f(1) = 1$$

$$f(n) = f(n-1) + f(n-2) \quad \text{for } n \geq 2$$

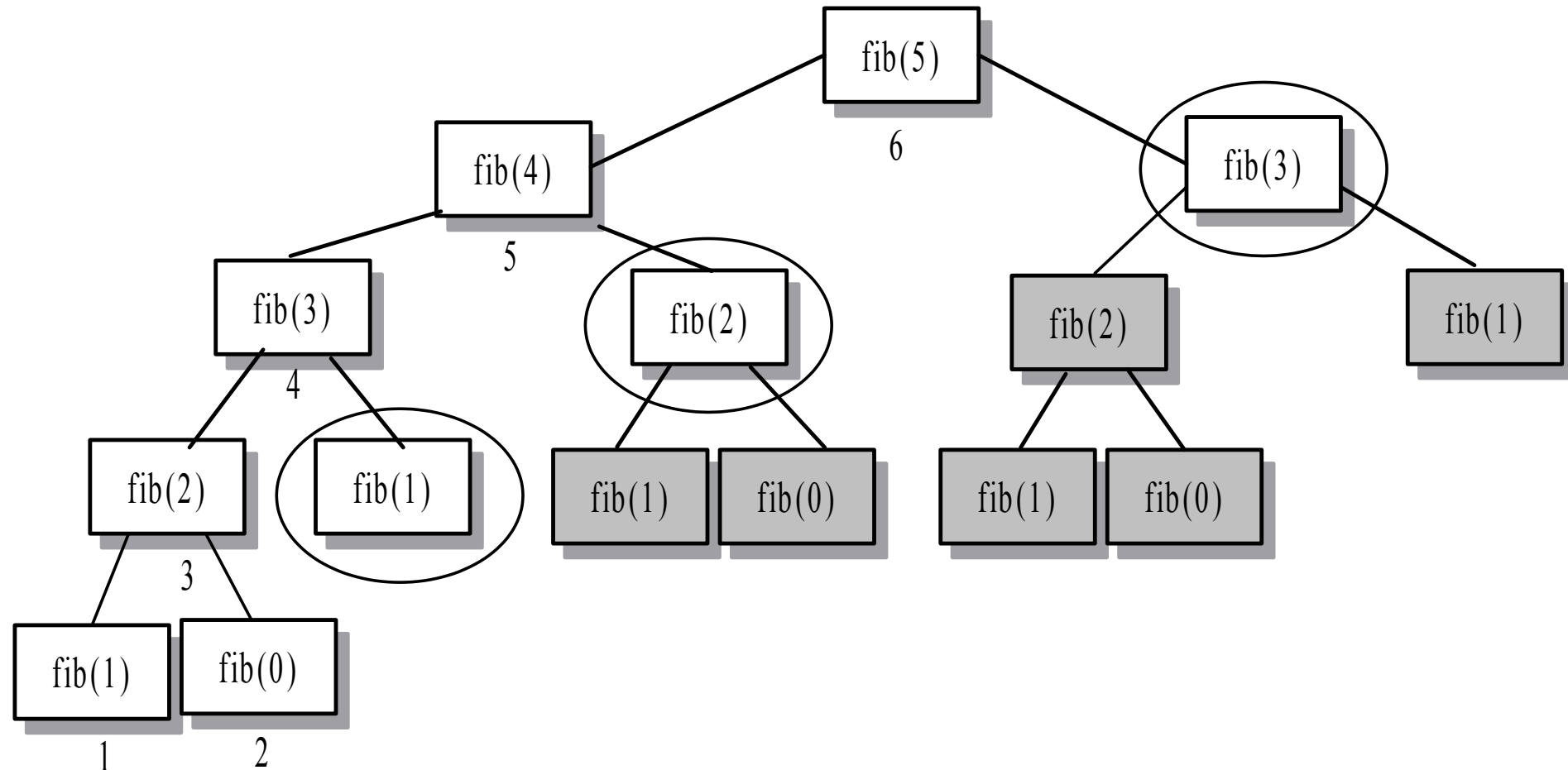
- Computing the n^{th} Fibonacci number recursively (top-down):



Recursive calls for fib



fib Using Dynamic Programming



Knapsack 0-1 Problem

- The difference between this problem and one is that you CANNOT take a fraction

- You can either take it or not.
- Hence the name Knapsack 0-1 problem.



Knapsack 0-1 Problem

- As we did before we are going to solve the problem in terms of sub-problems.
 - So let's try to do that...
- Our first attempt might be to characterize a sub-problem as follows:
 - Let S_k be the optimal subset of elements from $\{I_0, I_1, \dots, I_k\}$.
 - What we find is that the optimal subset from the elements $\{I_0, I_1, \dots, I_{k+1}\}$ may not correspond to the optimal subset of elements from $\{I_0, I_1, \dots, I_k\}$ in any regular pattern.
 - Basically, the solution to the optimization problem for S_{k+1} might NOT contain the optimal solution from problem S_k .

Knapsack 0-1 Problem

- Let's illustrate that point with an example:

<u>Item</u>	<u>Weight</u>	<u>Value</u>
I_0	3	10
I_1	8	4
I_2	9	9
I_3	8	11

- The maximum weight the knapsack can hold is 20.
- The best set of items from $\{I_0, I_1, I_2\}$ is $\{I_0, I_1, I_2\}$
- BUT the best set of items from $\{I_0, I_1, I_2, I_3\}$ is $\{I_0, I_2, I_3\}$.
 - In this example, note that this optimal solution, $\{I_0, I_2, I_3\}$, does NOT build upon the previous optimal solution, $\{I_0, I_1, I_2\}$.
 - (Instead it build's upon the solution, $\{I_0, I_2\}$, which is really the optimal subset of $\{I_0, I_1, I_2\}$ with weight 12 or less.)

Knapsack 0-1 problem

- So now we must re-work the way we build upon previous sub-problems...
 - Let $B[k, w]$ represent the maximum total value of a subset S_k with weight w .
 - Our goal is to find $B[n, W]$, where n is the total number of items and W is the maximal weight the knapsack can carry.

- So our recursive formula for subproblems:

$$\begin{aligned} B[k, w] &= B[k - 1, w], \text{ if } w_k > w \\ &= \max \{ B[k - 1, w], B[k - 1, w - w_k] + v_k \}, \text{ otherwise} \end{aligned}$$

- this means that the best subset of S_k that has total weight w is:
 - 1) The best subset of S_{k-1} that has total weight w , or
 - 2) The best subset of S_{k-1} that has total weight $w - w_k$ plus the item k

Knapsack 0-1 Problem – Recursive Formula

$$B[k, w] = \begin{cases} B[k-1, w] & \text{if } w_k > w \\ \max \{ B[k-1, w], B[k-1, w - w_k] + b_k \} & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

- The best subset of S_k that has the total weight w , either contains item k or not.
- **First case:** $w_k > w$
 - Item k can't be part of the solution! If it was the total weight would be $> w$, which is unacceptable.
- **Second case:** $w_k \leq w$
 - Then the item k can be in the solution, and we choose the case with greater value.

Knapsack 0-1 Algorithm

```
for w = 0 to W { // Initialize 1st row to 0's
    B[0,w] = 0
}
for i = 1 to n { // Initialize 1st column to 0's
    B[i,0] = 0
}
for i = 1 to n {
    for w = 0 to W {
        if  $w_i \leq w$  { //item i can be in the solution
            if  $v_i + B[i-1, w-w_i] > B[i-1, w]$ 
                 $B[i, w] = v_i + B[i-1, w-w_i]$ 
            else
                 $B[i, w] = B[i-1, w]$ 
        }
        else  $B[i, w] = B[i-1, w]$  //  $w_i > w$ 
    }
}
```


Knapsack 0-1 Problem

- Let's run our algorithm on the following data:
 - $n = 4$ (# of elements)
 - $W = 5$ (max weight)
 - Elements (weight, value):
(2,3), (3,4), (4,5), (5,6)

Knapsack 0-1 Example

i / w	0	1	2	3	4	5
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0					
2	0					
3	0					
4	0					

// Initialize the base cases

for w = 0 to W

$$B[0,w] = 0$$

for i = 1 to n

$$B[i,0] = 0$$

Knapsack 0-1 Example

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$w = 1$

$w - w_i = -1$

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$v_i = 3$

$w_i = 2$

$w = 4$

$w - w_i = 2$

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$w = 5$

$w - w_i = 3$

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1	0	0	3	3	3	3
2	0	0	3	4	4	7
3	0					
4	0					

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3	0	↓ 0	↓ 3	↓ 4		
4	0					

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$v_i = 5$

$w_i = 4$

$w = 1..3$

$w - w_i = -3..-1$

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$v_i = 6$

$w_i = 5$

$w = 1..4$

$w - w_i = -4..-1$

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We're DONE!!

The max possible value that can be carried in this knapsack is **\$7**

Knapsack 0-1 Algorithm

- This algorithm only finds the max possible value that can be carried in the knapsack
 - The value in $B[n,W]$
- To know the *items* that make this maximum value, we need to trace back through the table.

Knapsack 0-1 Algorithm

Finding the Items

- Let $i = n$ and $k = W$
 - if $B[i, k] \neq B[i-1, k]$ then
 - mark the i^{th} item as in the knapsack
 - $i = i-1, k = k-w_i$
 - else
 - $i = i-1$ // Assume the i^{th} item is not in the knapsack
 - // Could it be in the optimally packed knapsack?

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Knapsack:

i / w	0	1	2	3	4	5
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	3	3	3	3
2	0	0	3	4	4	7
3	0	0	3	4	5	7
4	0	0	3	4	5	7

$i = 4$

$k = 5$

$v_i = 6$

$w_i = 5$

$B[i,k] = 7$

$B[i-1,k] = 7$

$i = n, k = W$

while $i, k > 0$

if $B[i, k] \neq B[i-1, k]$ then

mark the i^{th} item as in the knapsack

$i = i-1, k = k-w_i$

else

$i = i-1$

Knapsack 0-1 Algorithm

Finding the Items

Items:

1: (2,3)
2: (3,4)
3: (4,5)
4: (5,6)

Knapsack:

i / w	0	1	2	3	4	5
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	3	3	3	3
2	0	0	3	4	4	7
3	0	0	3	4	5	7
4	0	0	3	4	5	7

$i = 3$

$k = 5$

$v_i = 5$

$w_i = 4$

$B[i,k] = 7$

$B[i-1,k] = 7$

$i = n, k = W$

while $i, k > 0$

if $B[i, k] \neq B[i-1, k]$ then

mark the i^{th} item as in the knapsack

$i = i-1, k = k-w_i$

else

$i = i-1$

Knapsack 0-1 Algorithm

Finding the Items

Items:

- 1: (2,3)
- 2: (3,4)
- 3: (4,5)
- 4: (5,6)

Knapsack:
Item 2

i / w	0	1	2	3	4	5
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	3	3	3	3
2	0	0	3	4	4	7
3	0	0	3	4	5	7
4	0	0	3	4	5	7

$$i = 2$$

$$k = 5$$

$$v_i = 4$$

$$w_i = 3$$

$$\mathbf{B}[i,k] = 7$$

$$B[i-1,k] = 3$$

$$k - w_i = 2$$

$$i = n, k = W$$

while $i, k > 0$

if $B[i, k] \neq B[i-1, k]$ then

mark the i^{th} item as in the knapsack

$$i = i-1, k = k - w_i$$

else

$$i = i-1$$

Knapsack 0-1 Algorithm

Finding the Items

i / w	0	1	2	3	4	5
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	3	3	3	3
2	0	0	3	4	4	7
3	0	0	3	4	5	7
4	0	0	3	4	5	7

$i = n, k = W$

while $i, k > 0$

if $B[i, k] \neq B[i-1, k]$ then

mark the i^{th} item as in the knapsack

$i = i-1, k = k - w_i$

else

$i = i-1$

Items:

1: (2,3)

2: (3,4)

3: (4,5)

4: (5,6)

Knapsack:

Item 2

Item 1

$i = 1$

$k = 2$

$v_i = 3$

$w_i = 2$

$B[i, k] = 3$

$B[i-1, k] = 0$

$k - w_i = 0$

Knapsack 0-1 Algorithm

Finding the Items

i / w	0	1	2	3	4	5
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	3	3	3	3
2	0	0	3	4	4	7
3	0	0	3	4	5	7
4	0	0	3	4	5	7

$k = 0$, so we're DONE!

The optimal knapsack should contain:

Item 1 and Item 2

Items:

1: (2,3)

2: (3,4)

3: (4,5)

4: (5,6)

Knapsack:

Item 2

Item 1

$i = 1$

$k = 2$

$v_i = 3$

$w_i = 2$

$B[i,k] = 3$

$B[i-1,k] = 0$

$k - w_i = 0$

Knapsack 0-1 Problem – Run Time

for $w = 0$ to W

$B[0,w] = 0$

$O(W)$

for $i = 1$ to n

$B[i,0] = 0$

$O(n)$

for $i = 1$ to n

Repeat n times

for $w = 0$ to W

< the rest of the code >

$O(W)$

What is the running time of this algorithm?

$O(n * W)$

Remember that the brute-force algorithm takes: $O(2^n)$

Brute-force search or **exhaustive search**, also known as **generate and test**, is a very general [problem solving](#) technique and [algorithmic paradigm](#) that consists of systematically enumerating all possible candidates for the solution and checking whether each candidate satisfies the problem's statement.

- Consider the problem having weights and profits are:
- Weights: {3, 4, 6, 5}
- Profits: {2, 3, 1, 4}
- The weight of the knapsack is 8 kg
- The number of items is 4

The 0-1 knapsack problem

- A solution to the knapsack problem may be obtained by making a sequence of decisions on the variables x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n . A decision on variable x_i involves deciding which of the values 0 or 1 is to be assigned to it.
- Let $f_j(X)$ the value of an optimal solution to $\text{KNAP}(I, j, X)$. Since the principle of optimality holds, we obtain

$$f_n(M) = \max\{f_{n-1}(M), f_{n-1}(M - w_n) + p_n\}$$

- For arbitrary $f_i(X), i > 0$ equation generalizes to

$$f_i(X) = \max\{f_{i-1}(X), f_{i-1}(X - w_i) + p_i\}$$

- Equation may be solved $f_n(M)$ by beginning with the knowledge $f_0(X) = 0$ for all X and $f_i(x) = -\infty, x < 0$. f_1, f_2, \dots, f_n be successively computed using equation 2.

The 0-1 knapsack problem

(Ref. Horowitz Sahni , page no-

- Consider the knapsack instance $n = 3$, $(w_1, w_2, w_3) = (2, 3, 4)$, $(p_1, p_2, p_3) = (1, 2, 5)$ and $M = 6$.

Initially compute

$$S^0 = \{(0, 0)\}$$

Where $S^i = S^{i-1} \cup \{(P, W) | (P - p_i, W - w_i) \in S^{i-1}\}$ together S^{i-1} and s^{i-1}_1 .

Purging Rule: If s^{i+1}_1 contains (P_j, W_j) and (P_k, W_k) ; these two pairs such that $P_j \leq P_k$ and $W_j \geq W_k$, then (P_j, W_j) can be eliminated. This purging rule is also called as dominance rule. In short, remove the pair with less profit and more weight.

The 0-1 knapsack problem

$$S^0 = \{(0, 0)\}; S_1^1 = \{(1, 2)\}$$

$$S^1 = \{(0, 0), (1, 2)\}; S_1^2 = \{(2, 3), (3, 5)\}$$

$$S^2 = \{(0, 0), (1, 2), (2, 3), (3, 5)\}; S_1^3 = \{(5, 4), (6, 6), (7, 7), (8, 9)\}$$

$$S^3 = \{(0, 0), (1, 2), (2, 3), (5, 4), (6, 6), (7, 7), (8, 9)\}.$$

Note that the pair (3, 5) has been eliminated from S^3 as a result of the purging rule stated above. \square

The 0-1 knapsack problem

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line  procedure DKP(p, w, n, M)
1       $S^0 \leftarrow \{(0, 0)\}$ 
2      for i  $\leftarrow 1$  to n - 1 do
3           $S_1^i \leftarrow \{(P1, W1) \mid (P1 - p_i, W1 - w_i) \in S^{i-1} \text{ and } W1 \leq M\}$ 
4           $S^i \leftarrow \text{MERGE\_PURGE}(S^{i-1}, S_1^i)$ 
5      repeat
6          (PX, WX)  $\leftarrow$  last tuple in  $S^{n-1}$ 
7          (PY, WY)  $\leftarrow$  (P1 + pn, W1 + wn) where W1 is the largest W in
              any tuple in  $S^{n-1}$  such that  $W + w_n \leq M$ 
              //trace back for  $x_n, x_{n-1}, \dots, x_1$ //
8          if PX > PY then  $x_n \leftarrow 0$ 
9              else  $x_n \leftarrow 1$ 
10         endif
11         trace back for  $x_{n-1}, \dots, x_1$ 
12     end DKP
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Largest/Longest Common Subsequence (LCS)

(Ref. Parag Dave, page no-285)

A subsequence is a sequence that appears in the same relative order, but not necessarily contiguous. For example, "abc", "abg", "bdf", "aeg", "acefg", .. etc are subsequences of "abcdefg".

Problem:

Given two sequences $X = \langle x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m \rangle$ and $Y = \langle y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n \rangle$, Find the longest sub-sequence $Z = \langle z_1, \dots, z_k \rangle$ that is common to X and Y.

For example:

If $X = \langle A, B, C, B, D, A, B \rangle$ and $Y = \langle B, D, C, A, B, A \rangle$

then some common sub-sequences are:

{A} {B} {C} {D} {A,A} {B,B} {B,C,A} {B,C,A} {B,C,B,A} {B,D,A,B}

From which {B,C,B,A} {B,D,A,B} are the Longest Common sub-sequences.

$c[i, j]$ = length of LCS for $X[i]$ and $Y[j]$.

$C[i, j]$ = length of LCS for $X[i]$ and $Y[j]$



$$c[i, j] = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i = 0 \text{ or } j = 0 \\ c[i-1, j-1] + 1 & \text{if } i, j > 0 \text{ and } x_i = y_i \\ \max(c[i, j-1], c[i-1, j]) & \text{if } i, j > 0 \text{ and } x_i \neq y_i \end{cases}$$


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LCS ← Length(X, Y)
1  m ← length[X]
2  n ← length[Y]
3  for i ← 1 to m
4      do c[i, 0] ← 0
5  for j ← 0 to n
6      do c[0, j] ← 0
7  for i ← 1 to m
8      do for j ← 1 to n
9          do if xi = yj
10             then c[i, j] ← c[i − 1, j − 1] + 1
11                 b[i, j] ← “↖”
12             else if c[i − 1, j] ≥ c[i, j − 1]
13                 then c[i, j] ← c[i − 1, j]
14                     b[i, j] ← “↑”
15                 else c[i, j] ← c[i, j − 1]
16                     b[i, j] ← “←”
17  return c and b

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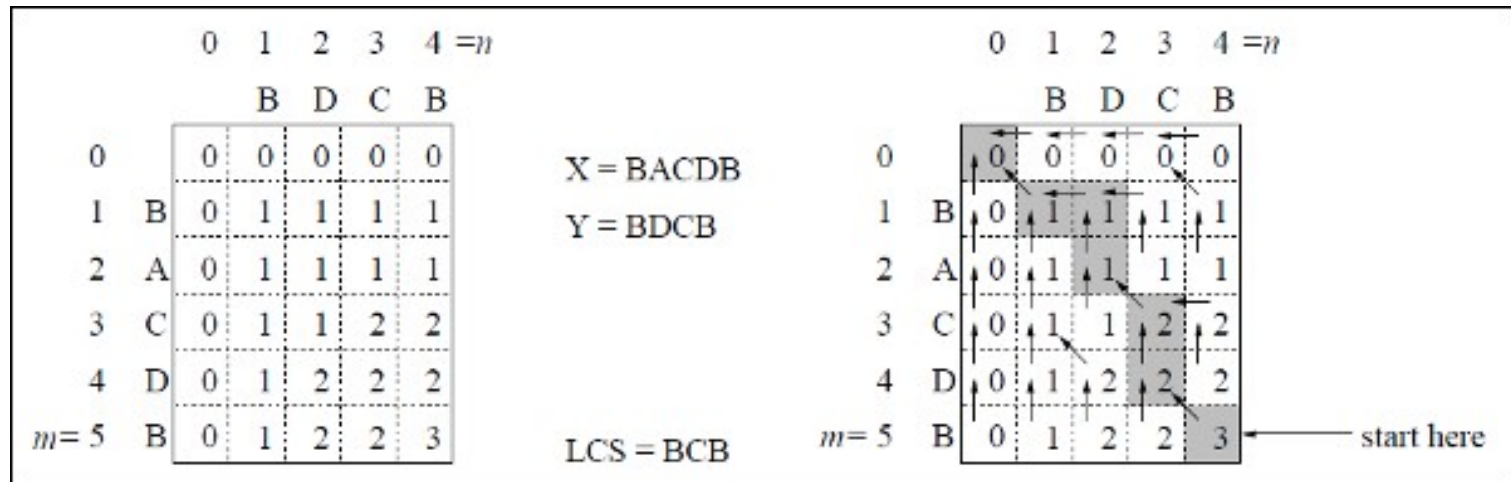
PRINT-LCS (b, x, i, j)

1. if $i=0$ or $j=0$
2. then return
3. if $b[i,j] = '\nwarrow'$
4. then PRINT-LCS (b,x,i-1,j-1)
5. print x_i
6. else if $b[i,j] = '\uparrow'$
7. then PRINT-LCS (b,X,i-1,j)
8. else PRINT-LCS (b,X,i,j-1)

Largest/Longest Common Subsequence (LCS)

Example:

Given two strings are $X = \mathbf{BACDB}$ and $Y = \mathbf{BDCB}$
find the longest common subsequence.



Travelling Salesman Problem

(Ref. Horowitz Sahni , page no-319)

In the traveling salesman problem, a map of cities is given to the salesman and he has to visit all the cities only once and return to his starting point to complete the tour in such a way that the length of the tour is the shortest among all possible tours for this map.

Clearly starting from a given city, the salesman will have a total of $(n-1)!$ Different sequences:

If $n = 2$, A and B, there is no choice.

If $n = 3$, i.e. he wants to visit three cities

inclusive of the starting point, he has $2!$ Possible routes and so on.

Travelling Salesman Problem

(Ref. Horowitz Sahni , page no-319)

The Dynamic Programming proceeds as follows:-

Step-1

Consider the given travelling salesman problem in which he wants to find that route which has shortest distance.

Step-2

Consider set of 0 element, such that

$$g(2, \Phi) = c_{21}$$

$$g(3, \Phi) = c_{31}$$

$$g(4, \Phi) = c_{41}$$

Step-3

After completion of step-2, consider sets of 1 elements, such that

Set {2}: $g(3, \{2\}) = c_{32} + g(2, \Phi) = c_{32} + c_{21}$

$$g(4, \{2\}) = c_{42} + g(2, \Phi) = c_{42} + c_{21}$$

Set {3}: $g(2, \{3\}) = c_{23} + g(3, \Phi) = c_{23} + c_{31}$

$$g(4, \{3\}) = c_{43} + g(3, \Phi) = c_{43} + c_{31}$$

Set {4}: $g(2, \{4\}) = c_{24} + g(4, \Phi) = c_{24} + c_{41}$

$$g(3, \{4\}) = c_{34} + g(4, \Phi) = c_{34} + c_{41}$$

Step-4

After completion of step-3, consider sets of 2 elements, such that

Set {2,3}: $g(4, \{2,3\}) = \min \{c_{42} + g(2, \{3\}), c_{43} + g(3, \{2\})\}$

Set {2,4}: $g(3, \{2,4\}) = \min \{c_{32} + g(2, \{4\}), c_{34} + g(4, \{2\})\}$

Set {3,4}: $g(2, \{3,4\}) = \min \{c_{23} + g(3, \{4\}), c_{24} + g(4, \{3\})\}$

Step-5

After completion of step-4, Find the length of an optimal tour:

$$f = g(1, \{2,3,4\}) = \min \{c_{12} + g(2, \{3,4\}), c_{13} + g(3, \{2,4\}), c_{14} + g(4, \{2,3\})\}$$

Step-6

After completion of step-5, Find the Optimal TSP tour

Travelling Salesman Problem

(Ref. Horowitz Sahni , page no-319)

Solve the TSP problem for given Distance matrix.

$$g(2, \Phi) = c_{21} = 1$$

$$g(3, \Phi) = c_{31} = 15$$

$$g(4, \Phi) = c_{41} = 6$$

Distance matrix

0	2	9	10
1	0	6	4
15	7	0	8
6	3	12	0

$k = 1$, consider sets of 1 element:

Set {2}: $g(3, \{2\}) = c_{32} + g(2, \Phi) = c_{32} + c_{21} = 7 + 1 = 8$

$$g(4, \{2\}) = c_{42} + g(2, \Phi) = c_{42} + c_{21} = 3 + 1 = 4$$

Set {3}: $g(2, \{3\}) = c_{23} + g(3, \Phi) = c_{23} + c_{31} = 6 + 15 = 21$

$$g(4, \{3\}) = c_{43} + g(3, \Phi) = c_{43} + c_{31} = 12 + 15 = 27$$

Set {4}: $g(2, \{4\}) = c_{24} + g(4, \Phi) = c_{24} + c_{41} = 4 + 6 = 10$

$$g(3, \{4\}) = c_{34} + g(4, \Phi) = c_{34} + c_{41} = 8 + 6 = 14$$

$k = 2$, consider sets of 2 elements:

Set {2,3}: $g(4, \{2,3\}) = \min \{c_{42} + g(2, \{3\}), c_{43} + g(3, \{2\})\} = \min \{3+21, 12+8\} = \min \{24, 20\} = 20$

Set {2,4}: $g(3, \{2,4\}) = \min \{c_{32} + g(2, \{4\}), c_{34} + g(4, \{2\})\} = \min \{7+10, 8+4\} = \min \{17, 12\} = 12$

Set {3,4}: $g(2, \{3,4\}) = \min \{c_{23} + g(3, \{4\}), c_{24} + g(4, \{3\})\} = \min \{6+14, 4+27\} = \min \{20, 31\} = 20$

Length of an optimal tour:

$$f = g(1, \{2,3,4\}) = \min \{c_{12} + g(2, \{3,4\}), c_{13} + g(3, \{2,4\}), c_{14} + g(4, \{2,3\})\}$$

$$= \min \{2 + 20, 9 + 12, 10 + 20\}$$

$$= \min \{22, 21, 30\} = 21$$

Successor of node 1: $c_{13} + g(3, \{2,4\}) = 3$

Successor of node 3: $= c_{34} + g(4, \{2\}) = 4$

Successor of node 4: $g(4, \{2\}) = 2$

Successor of node 2: back to starting node 1

Optimal TSP tour: 1 → 3 → 4 → 2 → 1 with minimum cost= 21

Dynamic Programming

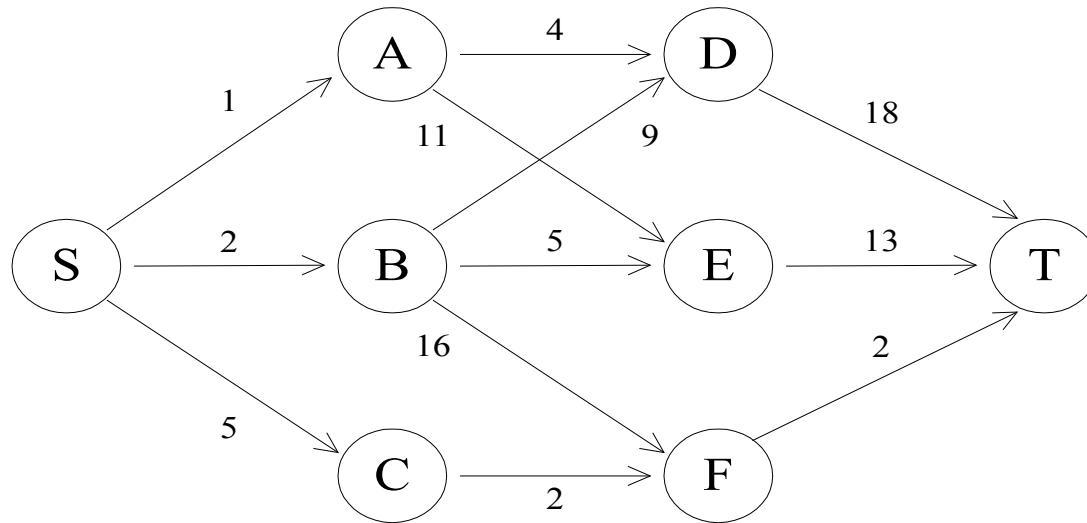
- [Dynamic Programming](#) is an algorithm design method that can be used when the solution to a problem may be viewed as the result of a sequence of decisions

Multi-stage graph

- A multistage graph is a directed graph in which the vertices are partitioned into $k \geq 2$ disjoint sets V_i , $1 \leq i \leq k$.
- $\langle u, v \rangle$ is an edge in E , then $u \in V_i$ and $v \in V_{i+1}$ for some i , $1 \leq i \leq k$.
- The sets V_1 and V_k are such that $|V_1| = |V_k| = 1$
- s and t are the vertices in V_1 and V_k respectively.
- The vertex s is the source and t is the sink
- The multi stage graph is to find a minimum cost path from s to t .

The shortest path in multistage graphs

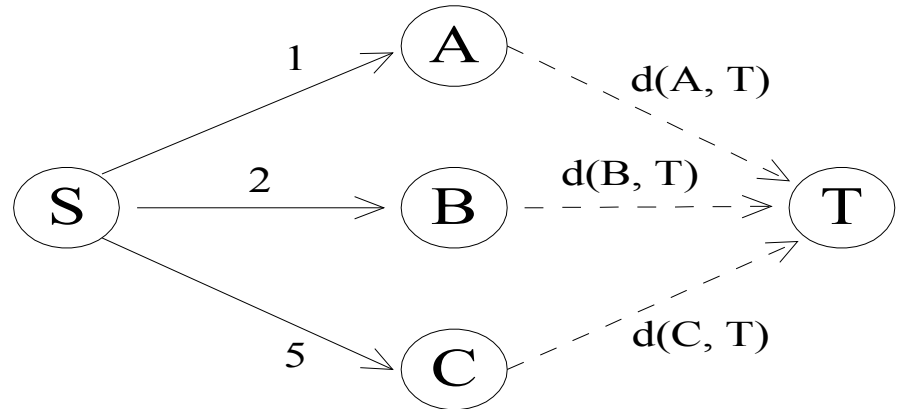
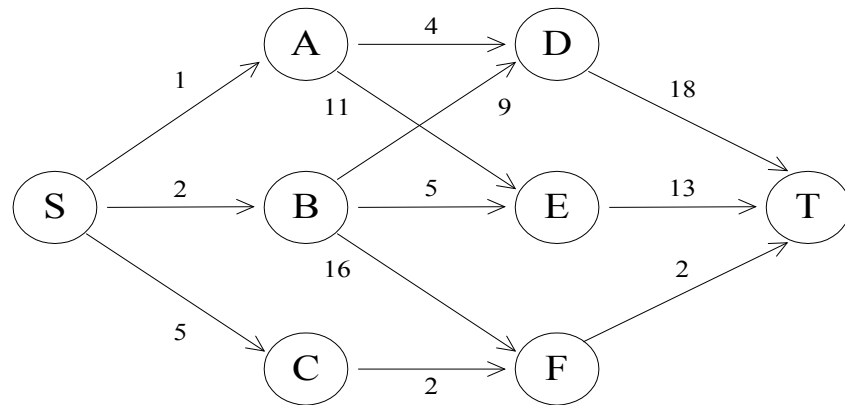
- e.g.



- The greedy method can not be applied to this case:
(S, A, D, T) $1+4+18 = 23$.
- The real shortest path is:
(S, C, F, T) $5+2+2 = 9$.

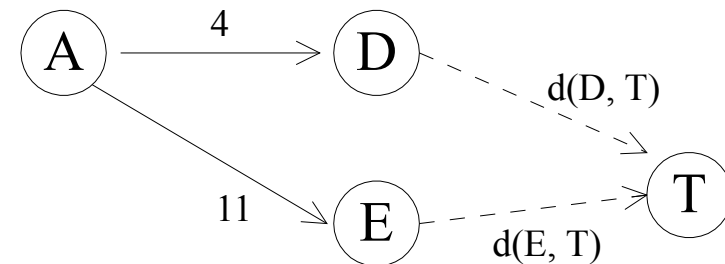
Dynamic programming approach

- Dynamic programming approach ([forward approach](#)):

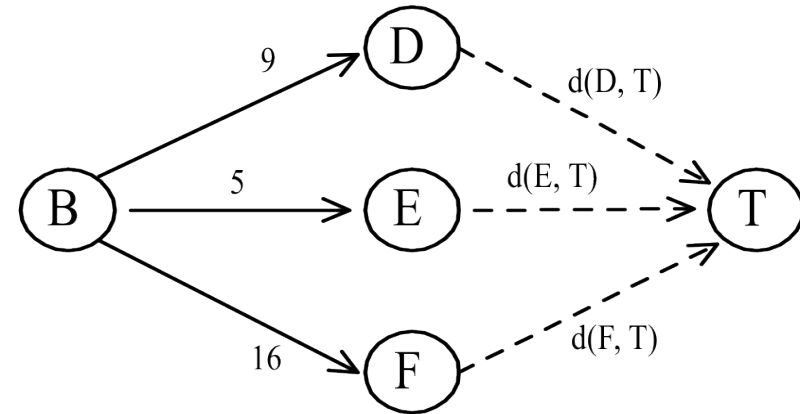
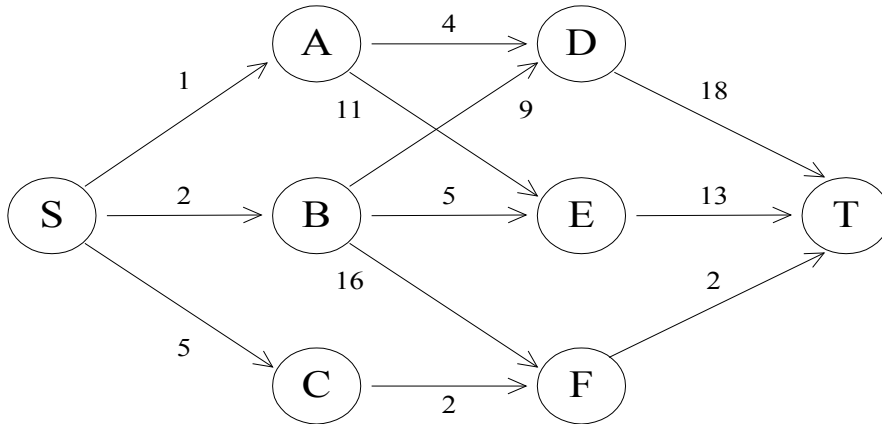


- $d(S, T) = \min\{1+d(A, T), 2+d(B, T), 5+d(C, T)\}$

- $d(A, T) = \min\{4+d(D, T), 11+d(E, T)\}$
 $= \min\{4+18, 11+13\} = 22.$



- $d(B, T) = \min\{9+d(D, T), 5+d(E, T), 16+d(F, T)\}$
 $= \min\{9+18, 5+13, 16+2\} = 18.$



- $d(C, T) = \min\{ 2+d(F, T) \} = 2+2 = 4$
- $d(S, T) = \min\{1+d(A, T), 2+d(B, T), 5+d(C, T)\}$
 $= \min\{1+22, 2+18, 5+4\} = 9.$
- The above way of reasoning is called [backward reasoning](#).

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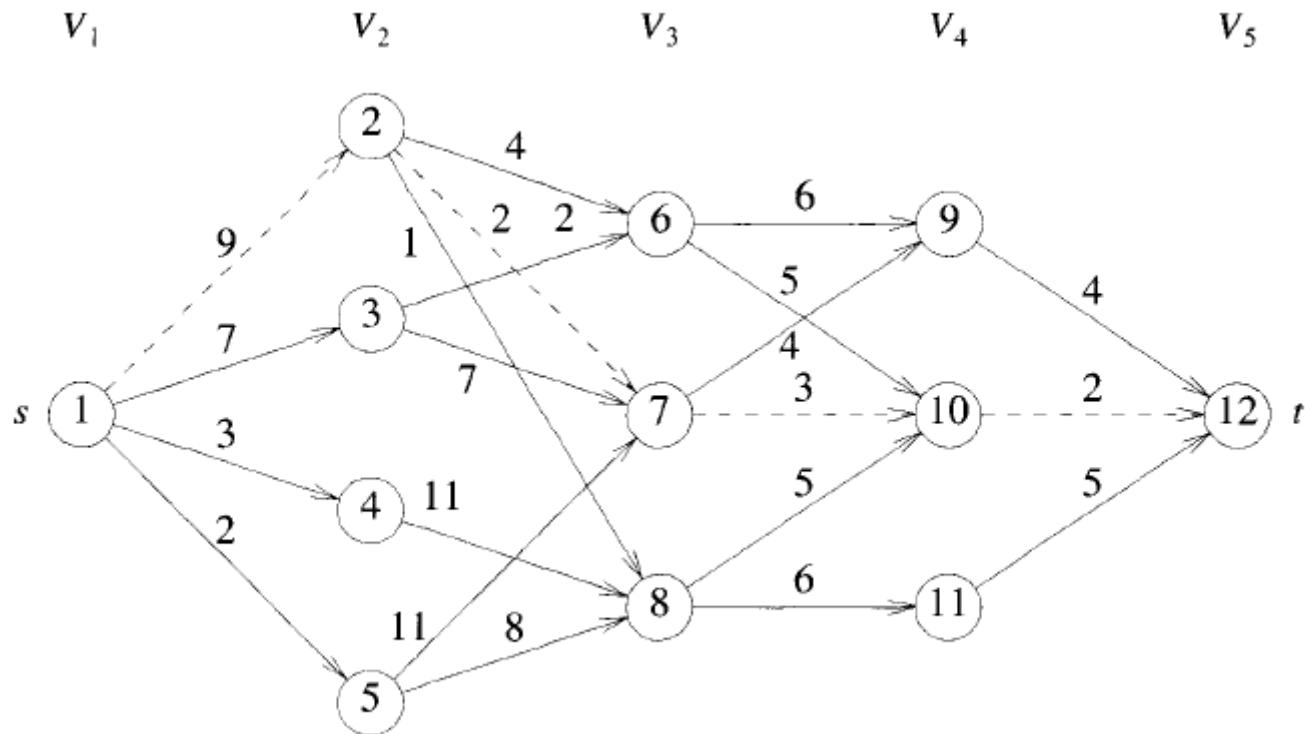
Algorithm Fgraph(G,k,n,p)
//input is k stage graph  $G=(V,E)$  with n vertices
//indexed in order of stages
// E set of edges,  $c[i][j]$  is cost of  $\langle i,j \rangle$ 
//  $p[1..k]$  is a minimum cost path
{
    fcost[n] = 0.0;
    For j= n-1 to 1 step -1 do
    { // compute fcost[j]
        Let r be the vertex such that  $\langle j, r \rangle$  is an edge
        of G and  $c[j][r] + \text{fcost}[r]$  is minimum;
        fcost[j] =  $c[j][r] + \text{fcost}[r]$ ;
        d[j]=r ;
    }
    p[1]=1; p[k] = n;
    for j= 2 to k-1 do p[j] = d[p[j-1]];
}

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Complexity

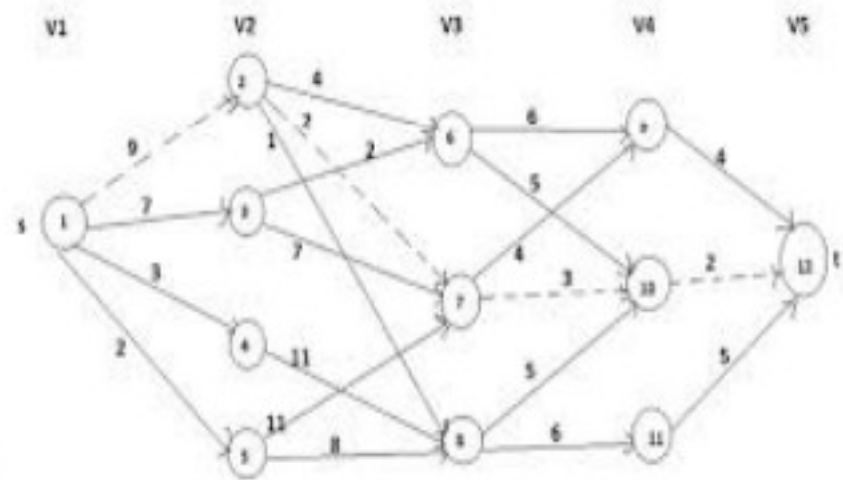
- G represented using adjacency list
- Vertex r can be found in time proportional to the degree of vertex j .
- If G has $|E|$ edges, the total time required is $\Theta(|V| + |E|)$
- Additional space required for $\text{cost}[], d[], p[]$

Multi-stage graph



Multistage Graph-forward approach

- $\text{Cost}(i, j) = \min \{ c(j, l) + \text{cost}(i+1, l) \mid l \in V_{i+1}, \langle j, l \rangle \in E \}$



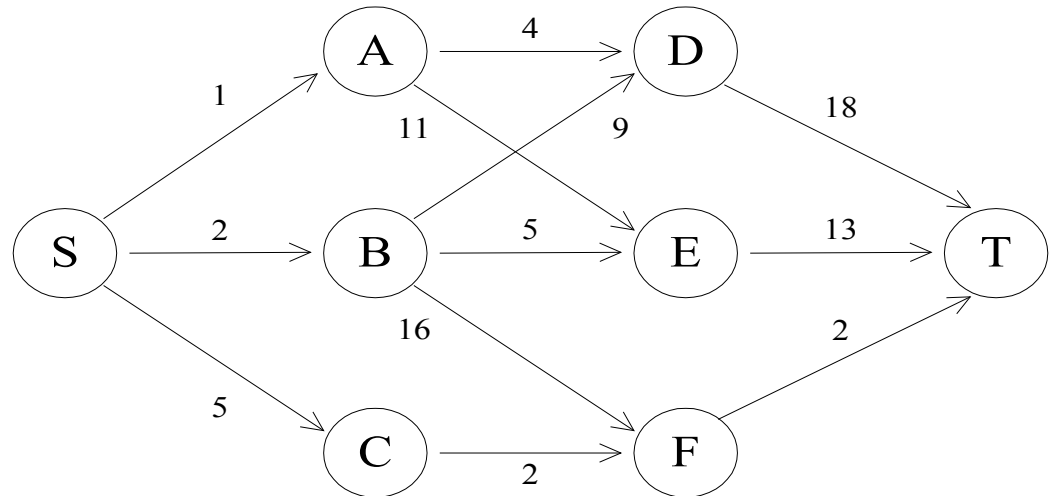
MULTI STAGE GRAPH

- $\text{Cost}(5,12)=0$;
- $\text{Cost}(4,9)=4+ \text{Cost}(5,12)=4$;
- $\text{Cost}(4,10)=2+ \text{Cost}(5,12)=2$;
- $\text{Cost}(4,11)=5+ \text{Cost}(5,12)=5$;
- $\text{Cost}(3,6)=\min\{6+\text{cost}(4,9), 5+\text{cost}(4,10)\}=\min\{10,7\}=7$
- $\text{Cost}(3,7)=\min\{4+\text{cost}(4,9), 3+\text{cost}(4,10)\}=\min\{8,5\}=5$
- $\text{Cost}(3,8)=\min\{5+\text{cost}(4,10), 6+\text{cost}(4,11)\}=\min\{7,11\}=7$
- $\text{Cost}(2,2)=\min\{4+\text{cost}(3,6), 2+\text{cost}(3,7), 1+\text{cost}(3,8)\}=\min\{11,7,8\}=7$
- $\text{Cost}(2,3)=\min\{2+\text{cost}(3,6), 7+\text{cost}(3,7)\}=\min\{9,12\}=9$
- $\text{Cost}(2,4)=11+\text{cost}(3,8)=18$
- $\text{Cost}(2,5)=\min\{11+\text{cost}(3,7), 8+\text{cost}(3,8)\}=\min\{16,15\}=15$
- $\text{Cost}(1,1)=\min\{9+\text{cost}(2,2), 7+\text{cost}(2,3), 3+\text{cost}(2,4), 2+\text{cost}(2,5)\}$
 $=\min\{16,16,21,17\}=16$

Shortest path 1-2-7-10-12

$\text{Cost}(i, j)=\min \{ c(j, l) +\text{cost} (i+1,l)\} \mid l \in V_{i+1}, \langle j,l\rangle \in E$

Backward approach (forward reasoning)

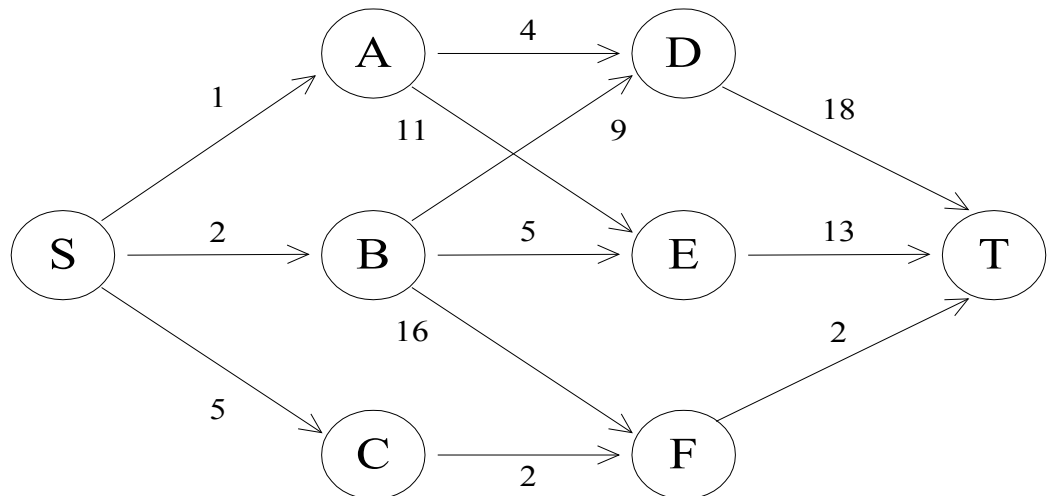


- $d(S, A) = 1$
 $d(S, B) = 2$
 $d(S, C) = 5$
- $d(S, D) = \min\{d(S, A) + d(A, D), d(S, B) + d(B, D)\}$
 $= \min\{1 + 4, 2 + 9\} = 5$
 $d(S, E) = \min\{d(S, A) + d(A, E), d(S, B) + d(B, E)\}$
 $= \min\{1 + 11, 2 + 5\} = 7$
 $d(S, F) = \min\{d(S, B) + d(B, F), d(S, C) + d(C, F)\}$
 $= \min\{2 + 16, 5 + 2\} = 7$

- $$d(S,T) = \min\{d(S, D)+d(D, T), d(S,E)+d(E,T), d(S, F)+d(F, T)\}$$

$$= \min\{ 5+18, 7+13, 7+2 \}$$

$$= 9$$



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Algorithm Bgraph(G,k,n,p)
//input is k stage graph G=(V,E) with n vertices
//indexed in order of stages
// E set of edges, c[i][j] is cost of <i,j>
// p[1..k] is a minimum cost path
{
    bcost[1] = 0.0;
    For j=2 to n do
    { // compute bcost[j]
        Let r be the vertex such that <r, j> is an edge
        of G and bcost[r] + c[r][j] is minimum;
        bcost[j] = bcost[r] + c[r][j];
        d[j]=r ;
    }
    p[1]=1; p[k] = n;
    for j= k-1 to 2 do p[j] = d[p[j+1]];
}

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Principle of optimality

- Principle of optimality: Suppose that in solving a problem, we have to make a sequence of decisions D_1, D_2, \dots, D_n . If this sequence is optimal, then the last k decisions, $1 < k < n$ must be optimal.
- e.g. the shortest path problem
If i, i_1, i_2, \dots, j is a shortest path from i to j , then i_1, i_2, \dots, j must be a shortest path from i_1 to j
- In summary, if a problem can be described by a multistage graph, then it can be solved by dynamic programming.

Dynamic programming

- Forward approach and backward approach:
 - Note that if the recurrence relations are formulated using the forward approach then the relations are solved backwards . i.e., beginning with the last decision
 - On the other hand if the relations are formulated using the backward approach, they are solved forwards.
- To solve a problem by using dynamic programming:
 - Find out the recurrence relations.
 - Represent the problem by a multistage graph.

The End