

Hand in your solutions electronically on Gradescope (except for coding problems, which should be submitted as indicated in the question). Your submission should be typeset (except for hand-drawn figures). Collaboration is encouraged while solving the problems, but:

1. list the NetID's of those in your group;
2. you may discuss ideas and approaches, but you should not write a detailed argument or code outline together;
3. notes of your discussions should be limited to drawings and a few keywords; you must **write up the solutions and write code on your own**.

Remember that when a problem asks you to design an algorithm, you must also prove the algorithm's correctness and analyze its running time, i.e., the running time must be bounded by a polynomial function of the input size.

**(1) (10 points)** Recall that in homework 5 Question 1(c), you are given a flow network  $G = (V, E)$ , and each vertex  $v \in V$  is assigned a score  $r_v$ . The goal was to find a minimum capacity cut  $(A, B)$  such that the total score in  $A$ ,  $\sum_{v \in A} r_v$ , is maximized. In this coding question, we ask you to implement a program which solves HW5 Q1(c). For this coding version, you only need to output the maximum total score  $\sum_{v \in A} r_v$  (instead of the cut  $(A, B)$ ).

The input format (passed via stdin, terminated by a newline) is as follows:

- The first line contains two positive integers  $n, m$  (separated by a space), which represents the number of nodes and edges in  $G$  respectively. The nodes are labeled by numbers  $1, \dots, n$ . In addition, 1 is the source, and  $n$  is the sink.
- The second line contains  $n$  integers  $r_1, r_2, \dots, r_n$ , where each  $r_i$  is the score assigned to node  $i$ .
- The following  $m$  lines are the  $m$  edges in  $G$ . Each of the  $m$  lines contains three integers  $u_j, v_j, c_j$  (separated by spaces), which represents an edge from  $u_j$  to  $v_j$  with capacity  $c_j$ .

Your program should output, to stdout, one line:

- $\max_A (\sum_{u \in A} r_u)$  where the maximum is taken over all the minimum capacity cut  $(A, V - A)$ .
- Your output should be terminated by a newline.

The input is guaranteed to satisfy the following constraints:

- $3 \leq n \leq 2000$
- $m \leq 10000$
- No edge enters the source 1, and no edge leaves the sink  $n$
- $1 \leq c_i \leq 1000$
- The maximum flow value of  $G$  is at most 20000
- $-10 \leq r_i \leq 10$  for every  $i \in [n]$
- In at least 20% of the test cases,  $r_i = -1$  for every  $i \in [n]$ .

**Sample Input:**

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4 3
-1 -1 -1 -1
1 2 2
2 3 1
3 4 1
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**Sample Output:**

-2

The sample input above corresponds to a path  $1 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow 4$ , where the edge  $1 \rightarrow 2$  has capacity 2 and the edges  $2 \rightarrow 3$  and  $3 \rightarrow 4$  have capacity 1. There are two possible minimum cuts in this example,  $(\{1, 2\}, \{3, 4\})$  and  $(\{1, 2, 3\}, \{4\})$  (both of which have cut capacity 1). The first cut has score  $-2$ , and the second cut has score  $-3$ . Therefore your output should be the larger score,  $-2$ .

**(2) (1+9=10 points)** Let  $\phi$  be a 3CNF formula on  $n$  variables. An  $\neq$ -assignment  $z \in \{0, 1\}^n$  to the variables of  $\phi$  is such that each clause contains two literals that evaluate to unequal truth values (under the assignment  $z$ ).

1. Show that the negation of any  $\neq$ -assignment to  $\phi$  is also an  $\neq$ -assignment.
2. Let  $\neq\text{SAT}$  be the collection of 3CNF formulas that have an  $\neq$ -assignment. Prove that  $\neq\text{SAT}$  is NP-complete.