

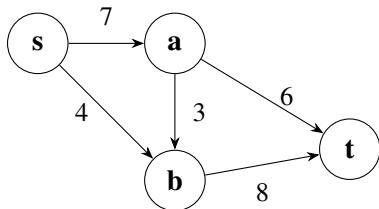
Lecture Section:

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1. (2 pts.) Using Ford-Fulkerson, what is the value of a maximum flow in the following flow network?



- (a) 9
- (b) 10
- (c) 11
- (d) 12

2. (2 pts.) In the network of question 1, what is the minimum cut with respect to the maximum flow you found?

- (a) $(\{s, a, b\}, \{t\})$
- (b) $(\{s, a\}, \{b, t\})$
- (c) $(\{s, b\}, \{a, t\})$
- (d) $(\{s\}, \{a, b, t\})$
- (e) $(\{s, t\}, \{a, b\})$

3. (2 pts.) If the augmenting $s - t$ paths are found by BFS, then the Ford-Fulkerson algorithm runs in polynomial time with respect to the number of vertices and edges in the graph.

- True
- False

4. (2 pts.) The Ford-Fulkerson algorithm can be adapted to work correctly when:

- (a) The graph contains cycles.
- (b) Edge capacities are rational numbers.
- (c) There are multiple source nodes.
- (d) All of the above.

5. (2 pts.) Every edge (u, v) in a flow network is converted into either a forward edge (u, v) or a backward edge (v, u) in Ford-Fulkerson's residual graph. In other words, (u, v) and (v, u) never exist simultaneously in the residual graph.

- True
- False