

Branch and Bound : UNIT-4-I

Branch and Bound is a problem solving strategy similar Back tracking and generate ~~space~~ state space tree for solving this problems.

Branch and Bound is a general method for solving optimisation problems. This method is used for finding minimisation problems but not maximisation problems.

Comparison between Back tracking and Branch and Bound :

Back tracking	Branch and Bound
(1) This method is used to provide solutions to decision problems	This technique is used to solve the optimisation problems.
(2) In this technique depth first search method is used.	In this type breadth first search method is used.
(3) This method is used for solving n-queens problem, graph coloring	This method is used for solving Travelling

problem and sum of subsets problems.

(4) Here possibility to obtain bad solutions.

(5) A state space tree is not searched completely and search terminates as soon as solution is obtained.

sale person problem and job scheduling problems
No bad solutions are obtained

A state space tree is searched completely and possibility of obtaining optimum solution.

General Method:

The Branch and Bound method searches a state space tree using search mechanisms like BFS and DFS. In BFS, the state space tree search is called FIFO Search, the queue is used. In DFS, the state space tree search is called LIFO search, here stack is used.

The 3 types of search strategies in Branch and Bound are

(1) FIFO Search

(2) LIFO Search

(3) LC (least cost) search.

Branch & Bound

State Space Tree

- EX: (1). FIFO search
- (2). LIFO search

(1). FIFO search :

Breadth First Search with Queue based Branch and Bound is called FIFO Branch and Bound.

For example consider Job sequencing with dead lines problem

$$Jobs = \{J_1, J_2, J_3, J_4\}$$

$$P = \{10, 5, 8, 3\}$$

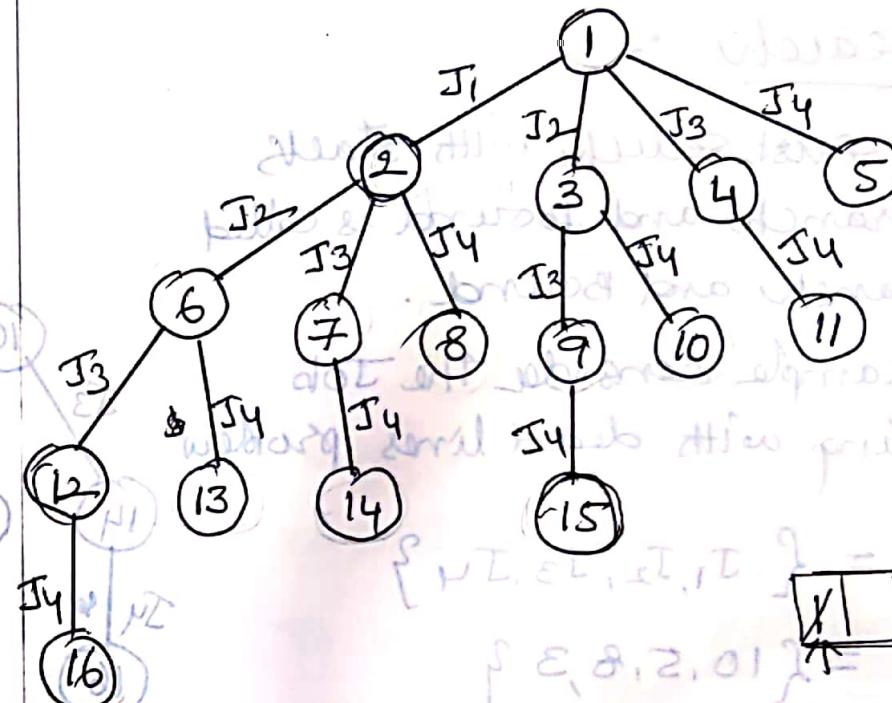
$$d = \{1, 2, 1, 2\}$$

The State space tree for the given problem is as follows.

Bound Function

Upper & lower bounds

Ex LC-search.



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X	3	4	5
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X	4	5	6	7	8
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X	5	6	7	8	9	10
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X	6	7	8	9	10	11
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X	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
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LIFO Search :-

Depth first search with static based Branch and Bound is called LIFO Branch and Bound.

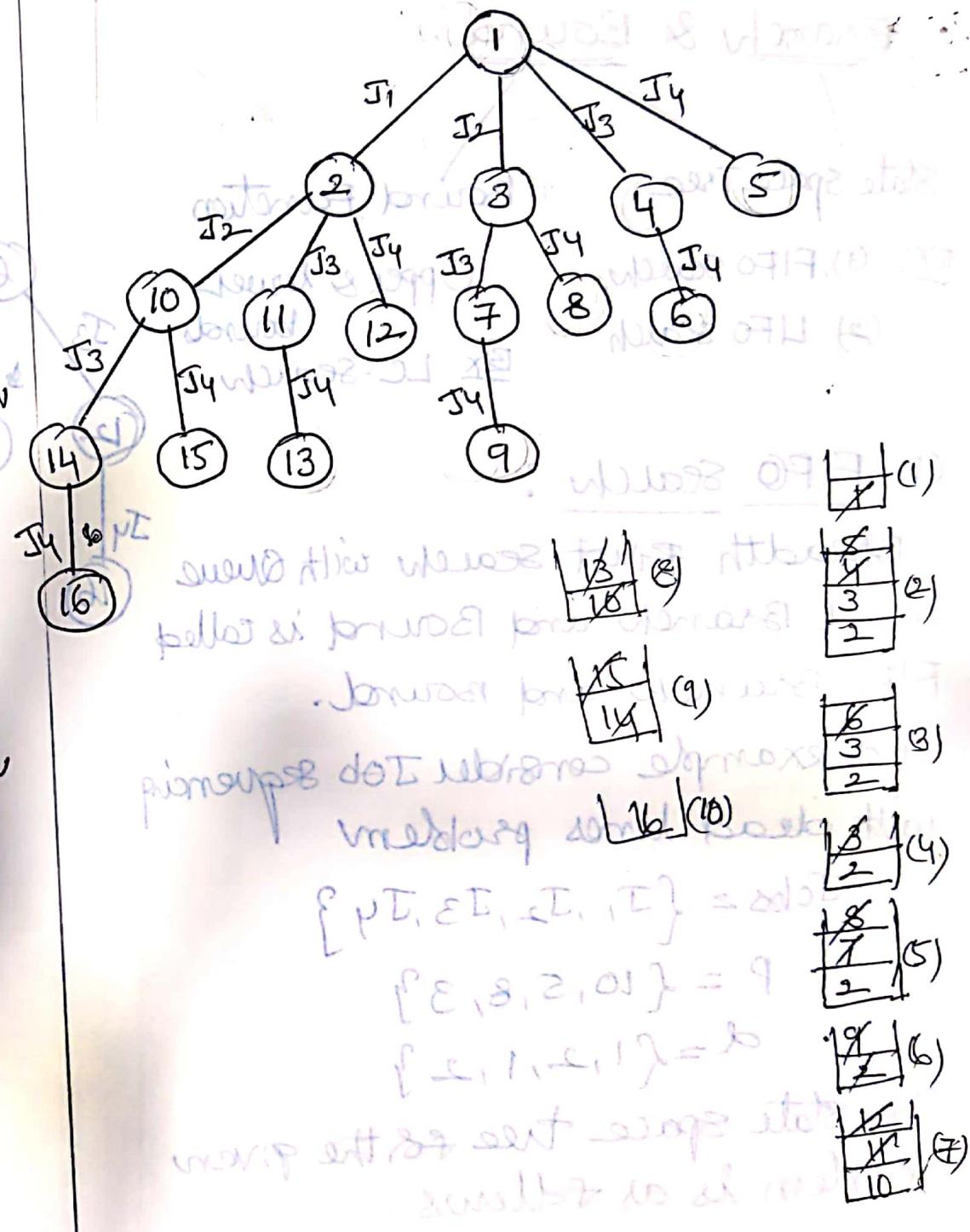
For example consider the Job sequencing with dead lines problem

$$\text{Jobs} = \{ J_1, J_2, J_3, J_4 \}$$

$$P = \{ 10, 5, 8, 3 \}$$

$$d = \{ 1, 2, 1, 2 \}$$

The state space tree for the given problem is as follows.



(3). Least cost (Lc) search.

Lc search is a kind of search in which least cost is involved for reaching the node. The bounding functions are used to avoid the generations of subtrees. In bounding lower bounds and upper bounds are generated at each node.

Q1 Knapsack problem using LCBB.:

Here Knapsack is a bag. we have 'n' no. of objects, each object having a profit ' p_i ', weight ' w_i ' and capacity ' m '.
The objective is to place the objects in a knapsack to get the maximum profit.

we get $\sum p_i x_i$ is max iff $-\sum p_i x_i$ is min.

$$\therefore \text{Min} - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \text{ subject to } \sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i \leq m$$

such that $\sum w_i x_i \leq m$ and $x_i = 0 \text{ or } 1$
 $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$.

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Knapsack Problem

The Knapsack problem is a maximisation problem. But the Branch and Bound problem is a minimisation problem. So to solve the knapsack problem, the process is converted into negatives.

To convert the problem into minimisation, take the negative signs for upper bounds and lower bounds.

Example :

$$n = 4 \text{ (no of objects)}$$

$$\text{Profit} - (p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4) = (10, 10, 12, 18)$$
$$\text{Weight} - (w_1, w_2, w_3, w_4) = (2, 4, 6, 9)$$

$$\text{Capacity} = m = 15$$

$$n=4, m=15$$

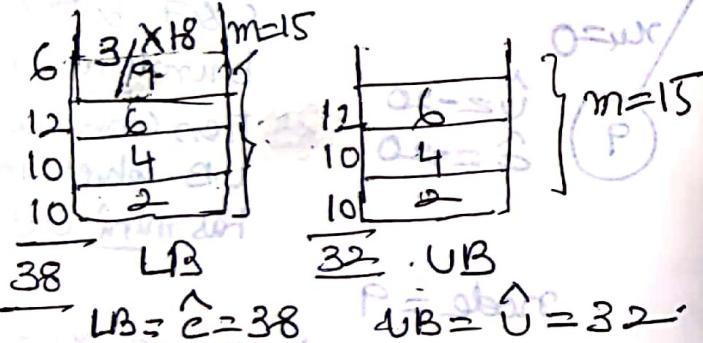
$$(P_1, P_2, P_3, P_4) = (10, 10, 12, 18)$$

$$(w_1, w_2, w_3, w_4) = (2, 4, 6, 9)$$

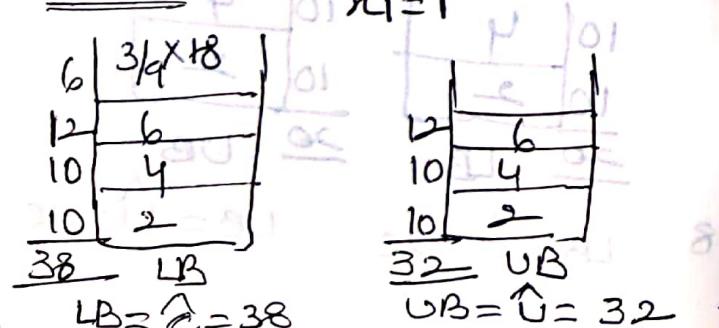
To solve this problem calculate the lower and upper bounds of each node.

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In lower bound - fractions allowed.
Upper bound - not allowed.

consider
node = 1

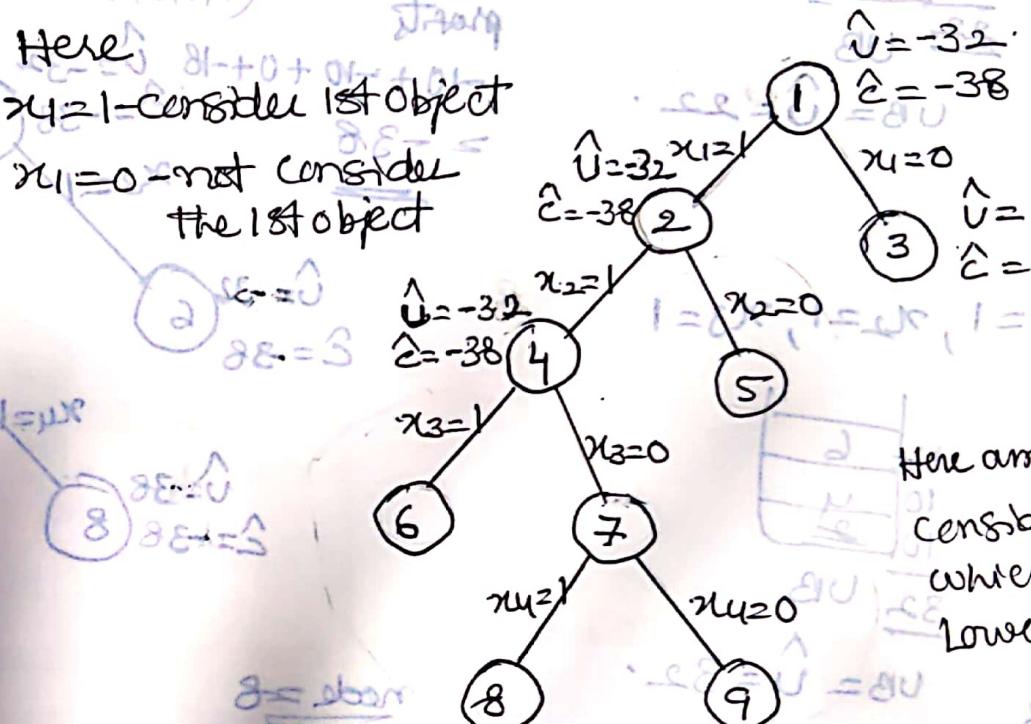


node = 2



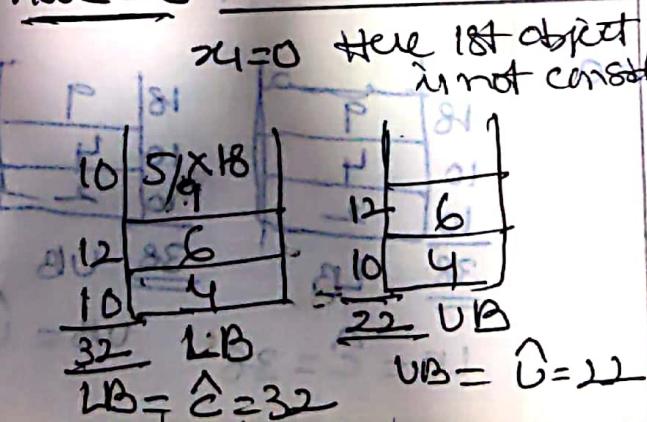
Example: Draw the portion of the state space tree generated by LCBB for the following 0/1 knapsack problem $n=4$, $(P_1, P_2, P_3, P_4) = (10, 10, 12, 18)$, $(w_1, w_2, w_3, w_4) = (2, 4, 6, 9)$, and $m=15$.

Here
 $x_4=1$ consider 1st object
 $x_1=0$ - not consider the 1st object

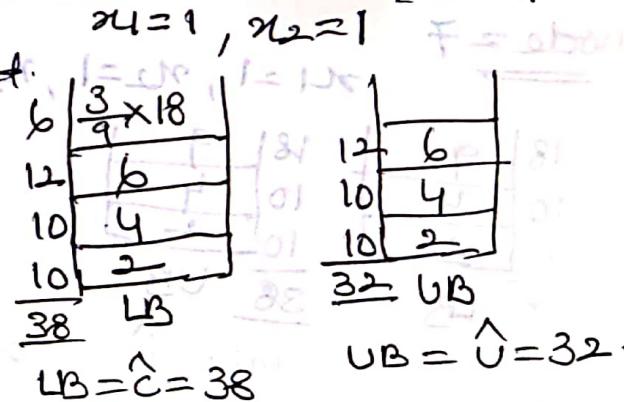


Here among nodes 2 & 3 consider the node which has the min. lower bound.

node = 3



node = 4



node = 5

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{solution of step 5} \\ \text{Knapsack instance} \\ \text{is } (x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) \\ = (1, 1, 0, 1) \end{array}$$

14	$\frac{7}{9}x_{18}$	$m=15$
12	6	
10	2	
36	$\underline{\underline{LB}}$	

$x_1=1, x_2=1, x_3=0, x_4=1$

$UB = \hat{U} = 22$

$LB = \hat{C} = 36$

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solutions of step 3

Knapsack instance
is (x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4)
profits

$$\begin{aligned} & -10 + -10 + 0 + 18 \\ & = -38 \end{aligned}$$

$U = -32$
 $C = -38$

node = 6

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{solution of step 6} \\ \text{Knapsack instance} \\ \text{is } (x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) \\ = (1, 1, 1, 0) \end{array}$$

6	$\frac{3}{9}x_{18}$	
12	6	
10	4	
10	2	
38	$\underline{\underline{LB}}$	

$UB = \hat{U} = 32$

$LB = \hat{C} = 38$

8

node = 8

$x_1=1, x_2=1, x_3=0, x_4=1$

18	9	
10	4	
10	2	
38	$\underline{\underline{LB}}$	

$UB = \hat{U} = 38$

8

node = 8

$x_1=1, x_2=1, x_3=0, x_4=1$

18	9	
10	4	
10	2	
38	$\underline{\underline{LB}}$	

$UB = \hat{U} = 38$

node = 7

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{solution of step 7} \\ \text{Knapsack instance} \\ \text{is } (x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) \\ = (1, 1, 1, 0) \end{array}$$

18	9	
10	4	
10	2	
38	$\underline{\underline{LB}}$	

$UB = \hat{U} = 38$

8

node = 8

$x_1=1, x_2=1, x_3=0, x_4=1$

18	9	
10	4	
10	2	
38	$\underline{\underline{LB}}$	

$UB = \hat{U} = 38$

8

node = 8

$x_1=1, x_2=1, x_3=0, x_4=1$

18	9	
10	4	
10	2	
38	$\underline{\underline{LB}}$	

$UB = \hat{U} = 38$

8

node = 8

$x_1=1, x_2=1, x_3=0, x_4=1$

18	9	
10	4	
10	2	
38	$\underline{\underline{LB}}$	

$UB = \hat{U} = 38$

8

node = 8

$x_1=1, x_2=1, x_3=0, x_4=1$

18	9	
10	4	
10	2	
38	$\underline{\underline{LB}}$	

$UB = \hat{U} = 38$

8

node = 8

$x_1=1, x_2=1, x_3=0, x_4=1$

18	9	
10	4	
10	2	
38	$\underline{\underline{LB}}$	

$UB = \hat{U} = 38$

8

node = 8

$x_1=1, x_2=1, x_3=0, x_4=1$

18	9	
10	4	
10	2	
38	$\underline{\underline{LB}}$	

$UB = \hat{U} = 38$

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node = 8

$x_1=1, x_2=1, x_3=0, x_4=1$

18	9	
10	4	
10	2	
38	$\underline{\underline{LB}}$	

$UB = \hat{U} = 38$

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node = 8

$x_1=1, x_2=1, x_3=0, x_4=1$

18	9	
10	4	
10	2	
38	$\underline{\underline{LB}}$	

$UB = \hat{U} = 38$

8

node = 8

$x_1=1, x_2=1, x_3=0, x_4=1$

18	9	
10	4	
10	2	
38	$\underline{\underline{LB}}$	

$UB = \hat{U} = 38$

8

node = 8

$x_1=1, x_2=1, x_3=0, x_4=1$

18	9	
10	4	
10	2	
38	$\underline{\underline{LB}}$	

$UB = \hat{U} = 38$

8

node = 8

$x_1=1, x_2=1, x_3=0, x_4=1$

18	9	
10	4	
10	2	
38	$\underline{\underline{LB}}$	

$UB = \hat{U} = 38$

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node = 8

$x_1=1, x_2=1, x_3=0, x_4=1$

18	9	
10	4	
10	2	
38	$\underline{\underline{LB}}$	

$UB = \hat{U} = 38$

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node = 8

$x_1=1, x_2=1, x_3=0, x_4=1$

18	9	
10	4	
10	2	
38	$\underline{\underline{LB}}$	

$UB = \hat{U} = 38$

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node = 8

$x_1=1, x_2=1, x_3=0, x_4=1$

18	9	
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$UB = \hat{U} = 38$

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node = 8

$x_1=1, x_2=1, x_3=0, x_4=1$

18	9	
10	4	
10	2	
38	$\underline{\underline{LB}}$	

$UB = \hat{U} = 38$

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node = 8

$x_1=1, x_2=1, x_3=0, x_4=1$

18	9	
10	4	
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$UB = \hat{U} = 38$

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node = 8

$x_1=1, x_2=1, x_3=0, x_4=1$

18	9	
10	4	
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38	$\underline{\underline{LB}}$	

$UB = \hat{U} = 38$

8

node = 8

$x_1=1, x_2=1, x_3=0, x_4=1$

18	9	
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Example 2 :

draw the portion of the state space tree generated by LCBB for the following 0/1 knapsack problem $n=5$

$$(P_1, P_2, P_3, P_4, P_5) = (10, 15, 6, 8, 4)$$

$$(w_1, w_2, w_3, w_4, w_5) = (4, 6, 3, 4, 2)$$

$$\text{and } m = 12.$$

node = 1

4	$\frac{2}{3} \times 6$
15	6
10	4
$\underline{\underline{29}}$	LB
$\therefore LB = \hat{C} = 29$	

15	6
10	4
$\underline{\underline{25}}$	UB
$\therefore UB = \hat{U} = 25$	

node = 2 $\Rightarrow x_1 = 1$

4	$\frac{2}{3} \times 6$
15	6
10	4
$\underline{\underline{29}}$	LB
$\therefore LB = \hat{C} = 29$	

$$\therefore LB = \hat{C} = 29 \therefore UB = \hat{U} = 25$$

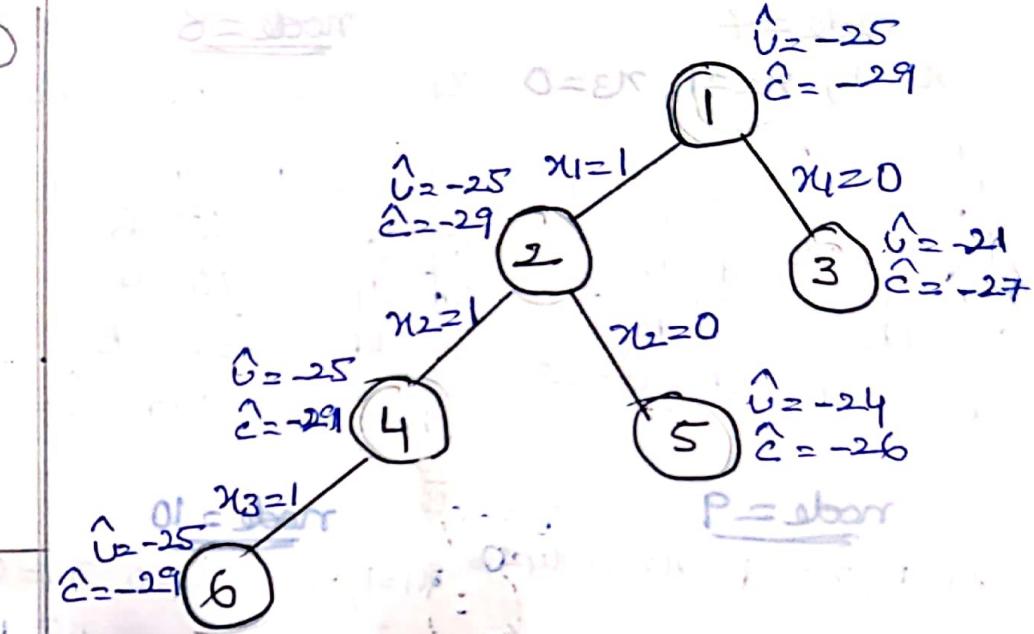
node = 3

$$x_1 = 0$$

6	$\frac{3}{4} \times 8$
6	3
$\underline{\underline{15}}$	LB
$\therefore LB = \hat{C} = 27$	

15	6
10	4
$\underline{\underline{25}}$	UB
$\therefore UB = \hat{U} = 21$	

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node = 5

$$x_1 = 1, x_2 = 0$$

2	$\frac{1}{2} \times 4$
8	4
6	3
10	4
$\underline{\underline{26}}$	LB

$$\therefore LB = \hat{C} = 26$$

8	4
6	3
10	4
$\underline{\underline{24}}$	UB

$$\therefore UB = \hat{U} = 24$$

node = 6

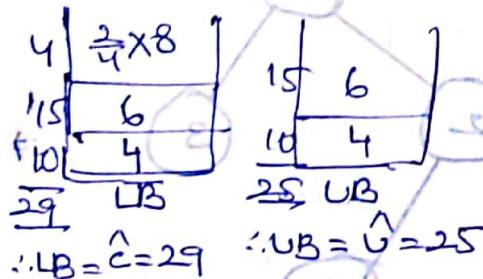
$$x_1 = 1, x_2 = 1, x_3 = 1$$

4	$\frac{2}{3} \times 6$
15	6
10	4
$\underline{\underline{25}}$	UB

$$\therefore LB = \hat{C} = 29 \therefore UB = \hat{U} = 25$$

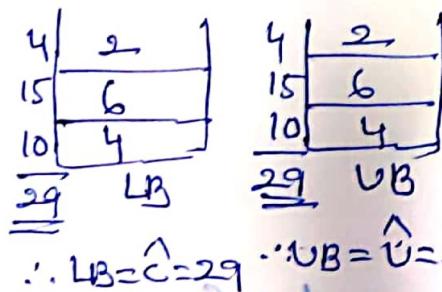
node = 7

$$x_4=1, x_2=1, x_3=0$$



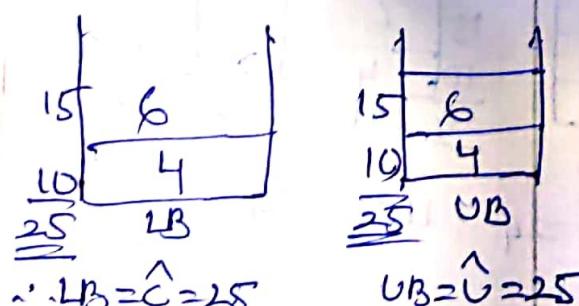
node = 9

$$x_1=1, x_2=1, x_3=0, x_4=0$$



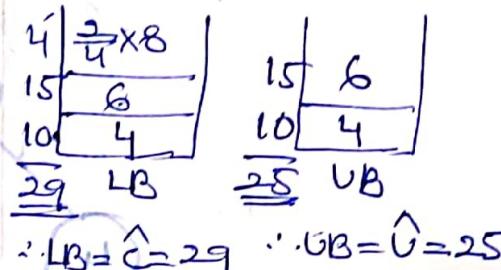
node = 11

$$x_4=1, x_2=1, x_3=0, x_4=0, x_5=0$$



node = 8

$$x_4=1, x_2=1, x_3=0, x_4=1$$



(2)

set usage state off to 0 position off ward
into previous
2 \rightarrow adding 2000
 $\hat{U} = -25, \hat{C} = -29$

$$(H, 8, 25, 29) = (2, H, 29, -29, 19)$$

$$(L, H, 8, 29) = (2w, L, 29, 0, 1w)$$

$\therefore c_1 = m$ free

$\therefore c_2 = m$ free

$\therefore c_3 = m$ free

$\therefore c_4 = m$ free

$\therefore c_5 = m$ free

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① Travelling sales person problem using LBB

In travelling sales person problem starting at first vertex and visit all the vertices of the graph exactly once. Finally reach the first vertex with minimum cost.

Example : solve the following instance of travelling sales person problem using LBB.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \infty & 20 & 30 & 10 & 11 \\ 15 & \infty & 16 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 & \infty & 2 & 4 \\ 19 & 6 & 18 & \infty & 3 \\ 16 & 4 & 7 & 16 & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

To solve this problem first convert the matrix into Reduced Matrix. A RM is one in which the matrix contains at least one zero in each row and column.

Row reduction is performed to make at least one 'zero' in each row.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \infty & 20 & 30 & 10 & 11 \\ 15 & \infty & 16 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 & \infty & 2 & 4 \\ 19 & 6 & 18 & \infty & 3 \\ 16 & 4 & 7 & 16 & \infty \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{Row Reduction}} \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 2 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

∴ Row reduction is

∴ column reduction is



~~Row reduction~~

Reduction matrix $\equiv A =$

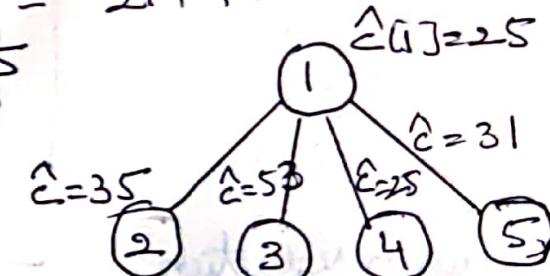
$$\begin{bmatrix} \infty & 10 & 17 & 0 & 1 \\ 12 & \infty & 11 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & \infty & 0 & 2 \\ 15 & 3 & 12 & \infty & 0 \\ 11 & 0 & 0 & 12 & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

∴ Total reduction cost = Row reduction cost + Column reduction cost

$$= 21 + 4 = 25$$

$$\therefore C = 25$$

Now calculate path (i,j) by replacing row i and column j to 0 and position (j,i) to 03.



consider path(1,2)

1st row $\rightarrow \infty$

2nd column $\rightarrow \infty$

$(2,1) \rightarrow \infty$

∞	∞	∞	∞	∞	0
∞	∞	11	2	0	0
0	∞	∞	0	2	0
15	∞	12	∞	0	0
11	∞	0	12	∞	0
\downarrow	\downarrow	\downarrow	\downarrow	\downarrow	0
0	0	0	0	0	= 0

Reduction cost } = $r = 0$

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{c}[2] &= \hat{c}[1] + A(1,2) + r \\ &= 25 + 10 + 0 = 35 \\ \hat{c}[2] &= 35\end{aligned}$$

path (1,3)

1st row $\rightarrow \infty$

3rd col $\rightarrow \infty$

$(3,1) \rightarrow \infty$

column reduction:

∞	∞	∞	∞	∞
1	∞	∞	2	0
2	3	∞	0	2
4	3	∞	∞	0
0	0	∞	12	∞

∞	∞	∞	∞	∞	0
12	∞	∞	2	0	0
0	3	∞	0	2	0
15	3	∞	∞	0	0
11	0	∞	12	∞	0
\downarrow	\downarrow	\downarrow	\downarrow	\downarrow	0
11	0	0	0	0	= 11

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Reduction cost at 3rd col} &= \\ \therefore \hat{c}[3] &= \hat{c}[1] + A(1,3) + r \\ &= 25 + 17 + 11 = 53 \\ \hat{c}[3] &= 53\end{aligned}$$

path (1,4)

1st row $\rightarrow \infty$

4th col $\rightarrow \infty$

$(4,1) \rightarrow \infty$

∞	∞	∞	∞	∞	0
12	∞	11	2	0	0
0	3	∞	∞	2	0
15	3	12	∞	0	0
11	0	0	∞	0	0
\downarrow	\downarrow	\downarrow	\downarrow	\downarrow	0
0	0	0	0	0	= 0

$\therefore r = 0$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \hat{c}[4] &= \hat{c}[1] + A(1,4) + r \\ &= 25 + 0 + 0 = 25 \\ \hat{c}[4] &= 25\end{aligned}$$

path (1,5)

1st row $\rightarrow \infty$

5th col $\rightarrow \infty$

$(5,1) \rightarrow \infty$

∞	∞	∞	∞	∞	0
12	∞	11	2	∞	2
0	3	∞	0	∞	0
15	3	12	∞	0	3
12	0	0	12	∞	0
\downarrow	\downarrow	\downarrow	\downarrow	\downarrow	5

Row reduction:

∞	∞	∞	∞	∞
10	∞	9	0	∞
0	3	∞	0	∞
12	0	9	∞	∞
∞	0	0	12	∞

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore r &= 5 + 0 = 5 \\ \hat{c}[5] &= \hat{c}[1] + A(1,5) + r \\ &= 25 + 1 + 5 \\ \hat{c}[5] &= 31\end{aligned}$$

Now consider the matrix that occurs
at path $(1,4)$. (3)

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 12 & \infty & 11 & \infty & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & \infty & \infty & 2 \\ \infty & 3 & 12 & \infty & 0 \\ 11 & 0 & 0 & \infty & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

path $(4,2)$:

4th row $\rightarrow \infty$

2nd col $\rightarrow \infty$

$(2,1)$ $\rightarrow \infty$

$$\hat{c}(2) = \hat{c}(4) + A(4,2)$$

$$= 25 + 3 + 0 \\ = 28$$

path $(4,3)$:

4th row $\rightarrow \infty$

3rd col $\rightarrow \infty$

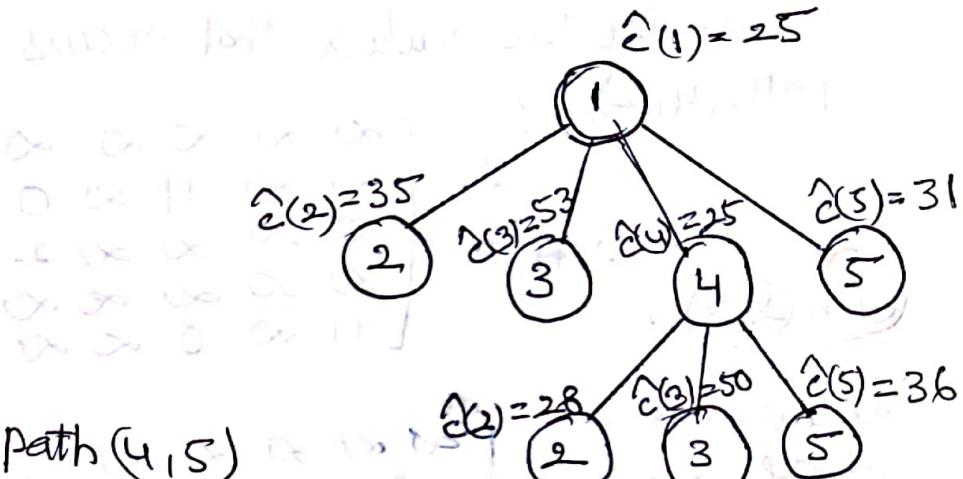
$(3,1)$ $\rightarrow \infty$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & 11 & \infty & 0 \\ 0 & \infty & \infty & \infty & 2 \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & 0 \\ 11 & \infty & 0 & \infty & \infty \\ \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 12 & \infty & 11 & \infty & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & \infty & \infty & 2 \\ \infty & 3 & 12 & \infty & 0 \\ 11 & 0 & 0 & \infty & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{c}(3) = \hat{c}(4) + A(4,3) + \gamma$$

$$= 25 + 12 + 13 \\ = 50$$



path $(4,5)$:

4th row $\rightarrow \infty$

5th col $\rightarrow \infty$

$(5,1)$ $\rightarrow \infty$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 12 & \infty & 11 & \infty & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & \infty & \infty & 2 \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & 0 \\ \infty & 0 & 0 & \infty & \infty \\ \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 12 & \infty & 11 & \infty & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & \infty & \infty & 2 \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & 0 \\ \infty & 0 & 0 & \infty & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore \gamma = 11 + 0 = 11$$

$$\hat{c}(5) = \hat{c}(4) + A(4,5) + \gamma$$

$$= 25 + 0 + 11$$

$$= 36$$

Now consider the matrix that occurs at path $(4,2)$ ④

$$\therefore A = \begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & 11 & \infty & 0 \\ 0 & \infty & \infty & \infty & 2 \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 11 & \infty & 0 & \infty & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

Path $(2,3)$:

2nd row $\rightarrow \infty$

3rd col $\rightarrow \infty$

$$(3,1) \rightarrow \infty \quad A =$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & 2 \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & 2 \\ 11 & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

$\downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow$

$$r = 2 + 11 = 13 + 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{c}(3) &= \hat{c}(2) + A(2,3) + r \\ &= 28 + 11 + 0 = 39 \\ &= 28 + 11 + 13 = 52 \end{aligned}$$

Path $(2,5)$

2nd row $\rightarrow \infty$

5th col $\rightarrow \infty$

$$(5,1) \rightarrow \infty$$

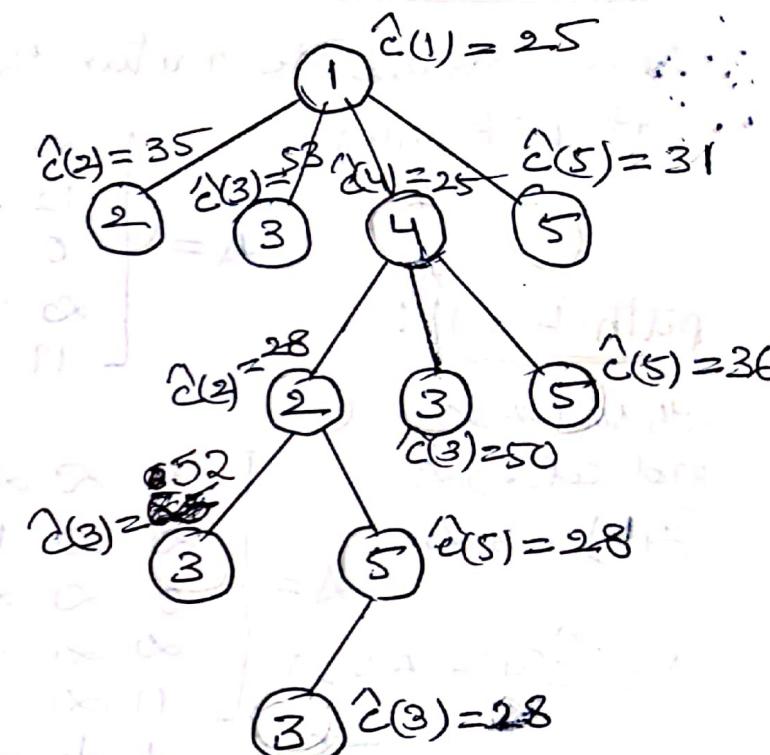
$$\begin{aligned} \hat{c}(5) &= \hat{c}(2) + A(2,5) + r \\ &= 28 + 0 + 0 \\ &= 28 \end{aligned}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 0 & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & 0 & \infty & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

$\downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow$

$$r = 0$$

$$\therefore r = 0$$



Now consider the path $(5,3)$

5th row $\rightarrow \infty$

3rd col $\rightarrow \infty$

$$(3,1) \rightarrow \infty \quad \therefore A =$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & 0 & \infty & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

$\downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow$

$$r = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{c}(3) &= \hat{c}(5) + A(5,3) + r \\ &= 28 + 0 + 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= 28 \\ &\approx 28 \end{aligned}$$

Final solution path of the matrix is

1 - 4 - 2 - 5 - 3 - 1

Travelling sales person problem using LCBB :-

Example 2 :-

Solve the following instance of travelling sales person problem using LCBB.

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \text{row reductions} \\
 \text{reduces} \\
 \text{matrix} \\
 \text{A} =
 \end{array}
 \left[\begin{array}{ccccccccc}
 \infty & 7 & 3 & 12 & 8 & \rightarrow 2 \\
 3 & \infty & 6 & 14 & 9 & \rightarrow 3 \\
 5 & 8 & \infty & 6 & 18 & \rightarrow 5 \\
 9 & 3 & 5 & \infty & 11 & \rightarrow 3 \\
 18 & 14 & 9 & 8 & \infty & \rightarrow 8
 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \text{row} \\
 \text{reductions} \\
 \text{matrix} \\
 \text{A} =
 \end{array}
 \left[\begin{array}{ccccccccc}
 \infty & 7 & 3 & 12 & 8 & \rightarrow 3 \\
 3 & \infty & 6 & 14 & 9 & \rightarrow 3 \\
 5 & 8 & \infty & 6 & 18 & \rightarrow 5 \\
 9 & 3 & 5 & \infty & 11 & \rightarrow 3 \\
 18 & 14 & 9 & 8 & \infty & \rightarrow 8
 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \text{column} \\
 \text{reduces} \\
 \text{matrix} \\
 \text{A} =
 \end{array}
 \left[\begin{array}{ccccccccc}
 \infty & 4 & 0 & 9 & 5 & \\
 0 & \infty & 3 & 11 & 6 & \\
 6 & 3 & \infty & 1 & 13 & \\
 6 & 0 & 2 & \infty & 8 & \\
 10 & 6 & 1 & 0 & \infty
 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \text{Reductions} \\
 \text{matrix} \\
 \text{A} =
 \end{array}
 \left[\begin{array}{ccccccccc}
 \infty & 4 & 0 & 9 & 0 & \\
 0 & \infty & 3 & 11 & 1 & \\
 0 & 3 & \infty & 1 & 8 & \\
 6 & 0 & 2 & \infty & 3 & \\
 6 & 0 & 1 & \infty & 0
 \end{array} \right]$$

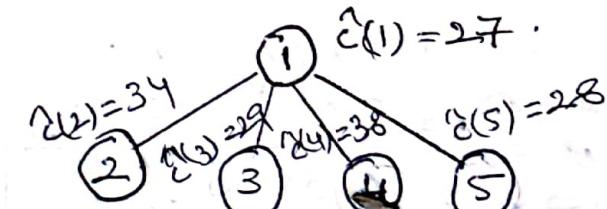
$$\therefore r = 22 + 5 = 27$$

path(1,2)

1st row $\rightarrow 0$

2nd col $\rightarrow 0$

(2,1) $\rightarrow 0$



$$A = \left[\begin{array}{ccccc}
 \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\
 0 & \infty & 3 & 11 & 1 \\
 0 & \infty & 0 & 1 & 8 \\
 6 & 0 & 2 & \infty & 3 \\
 10 & 6 & 1 & 0 & \infty
 \end{array} \right] \quad \begin{array}{l}
 \xrightarrow{1} \\
 \xrightarrow{2} \\
 \xrightarrow{3}
 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c}
 \infty \infty \infty \infty \infty \\
 0 \infty 3 11 1 \\
 0 \infty 0 1 8 \\
 4 \infty 0 \infty 1 \\
 10 6 1 0 \infty
 \end{array} = 0$$

$$\therefore r = 3 + 0 = 3$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \hat{c}(2) &= \hat{c}(1) + A(1,2) + r \\
 &= 27 + 4 + 3 = 34
 \end{aligned}$$

path(1,3)

1st row $\rightarrow 0$

3rd col $\rightarrow 0$

(3,1) $\rightarrow 0$

$$A = \left[\begin{array}{ccccc}
 \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\
 0 & \infty & 2 & 11 & 1 \\
 0 & 3 & 0 & 1 & 8 \\
 6 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 \\
 10 & 6 & 0 & 0 & 0
 \end{array} \right] \quad \begin{array}{l}
 \xrightarrow{1} \\
 \xrightarrow{2} \\
 \xrightarrow{3}
 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c}
 \infty \infty \infty \infty \infty \\
 0 \infty 2 11 1 \\
 0 3 0 1 8 \\
 6 0 0 0 3 \\
 10 6 0 0 0
 \end{array} = 0$$

$$r = 1 + 1 = 2$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \hat{c}(3) &= \hat{c}(1) + A(1,3) + r \\
 &= 27 + 0 + 2 = 29
 \end{aligned}$$

path(1,4)

1st row $\rightarrow 0$

4th col $\rightarrow 0$

(4,1) $\rightarrow 0$

$$A = \left[\begin{array}{ccccc}
 \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\
 0 & \infty & 3 & 0 & 1 \\
 0 & 3 & \infty & 0 & 8 \\
 0 & 0 & 2 & \infty & 3 \\
 10 & 6 & 1 & 0 & \infty
 \end{array} \right] = \left[\begin{array}{ccccc}
 \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\
 0 & \infty & 3 & 0 & 1 \\
 0 & 3 & \infty & 0 & 8 \\
 0 & 0 & 2 & \infty & 3 \\
 9 & 5 & 0 & \infty & 0
 \end{array} \right] \quad \begin{array}{l}
 \xrightarrow{1} \\
 \xrightarrow{2} \\
 \xrightarrow{3}
 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c}
 \infty \infty \infty \infty \infty \\
 0 \infty 3 0 1 \\
 0 3 \infty 0 8 \\
 0 0 2 \infty 3 \\
 9 5 0 \infty 0
 \end{array} = 0$$

$$r = 1 + 1 = 2$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \hat{c}(4) &= \hat{c}(1) + A(1,4) + r \\
 &= 27 + 9 + 2 = 38
 \end{aligned}$$

path(1,5)

1st row $\rightarrow \infty$

5th col $\rightarrow \infty$

(5,1) $\rightarrow \infty$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 0 & \infty & 3 & 11 & \infty \\ 0 & 3 & \infty & 1 & \infty \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & 6 & 1 & 0 & \infty \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{r=0+1=1} \begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 0 & \infty & 2 & 11 & \infty \\ 0 & 3 & \infty & 1 & \infty \\ 6 & 0 & 1 & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & 6 & 0 & 0 & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{c}(5) = \hat{c}(1) + A(1,5) + r \\ = 27 + 0 + 1 = 28$$

consider path (1,5) matrix as

path (5,2):

5th row $\rightarrow \infty$

2nd col $\rightarrow \infty$

(2,1) $\rightarrow \infty$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 0 & \infty & 2 & 11 & \infty \\ 0 & 3 & \infty & 1 & \infty \\ 6 & 0 & 1 & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & 6 & 0 & 0 & \infty \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{r=0+1=1} \begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & 0 & 9 & \infty \\ 0 & \infty & \infty & 1 & \infty \\ 5 & \infty & 0 & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{r=3+1=4} \begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & 0 & 9 & \infty \\ 0 & \infty & \infty & 1 & \infty \\ 5 & \infty & 0 & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 0 & \infty & 0 & 8 & \infty \\ 0 & 3 & \infty & 0 & \infty \\ 5 & 8 & 0 & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \end{bmatrix} \quad \hat{c}(2) = \hat{c}(5) + A(5,2) + r \\ = 28 + 6 + 4 = 38$$

path (5,3):

5th row $\rightarrow \infty$

3rd col $\rightarrow \infty$

(3,1) $\rightarrow \infty$

$$\hat{c}(3) = \hat{c}(5) + A(5,3) + r \\ = 28 + 0 + 1 = 29$$

1 2'(1)=27

2(2)=34

2(3)=29

2(4)=38

2(5)=28

2(6)=38

2(7)=29

2(8)=29

path (5,4):

5th row $\rightarrow \infty$

4th col $\rightarrow \infty$

(4,1) $\rightarrow \infty$

A =

$$\begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 0 & \infty & 2 & \infty & \infty \\ 0 & 3 & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & 0 & 1 & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 0 & \infty & 1 & \infty & \infty \\ 0 & 3 & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & 0 & 0 & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{c}(4) = \hat{c}(5) + A(5,4) + r \\ = 28 + 0 + 1 = 29$$

consider the path matrix (5,3) as

path (3,2):

3rd row $\rightarrow \infty$

2nd col $\rightarrow \infty$

(2,1) $\rightarrow \infty$

A =

$$\begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 0 & \infty & 2 & \infty & \infty \\ 0 & 3 & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 6 & \infty & 0 & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{r=2+1=3} \begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 0 & \infty & 0 & 1 & \infty \\ 0 & 3 & \infty & 0 & \infty \\ 6 & \infty & 0 & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{r=1+0=0} \begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 0 & \infty & 0 & 1 & \infty \\ 0 & 3 & \infty & 0 & \infty \\ 0 & \infty & 0 & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

$\hat{c}(2) = \hat{c}(3) + A(3,2) + r$

= 29 + 2 + 17 = 48

path (3,4):

3rd row $\rightarrow \infty$

4th col $\rightarrow \infty$

(4,1) $\rightarrow \infty$

A =

$$\begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 0 & \infty & 0 & \infty & \infty \\ 0 & 3 & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 0 & 0 & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{r=2+0=2} \begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 0 & \infty & 0 & \infty & \infty \\ 0 & 3 & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 0 & 0 & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

$\hat{c}(4) = \hat{c}(3) + A(3,4) + r$

= 29 + 0 + 0

= 29