

PROMPT 1 ----->

```
void floydWarshallAlgo(int[] weight, int n) {
    /*
        n = Number of nodes where node starts from 0 and goes upto n - 1.
        weight[0] = Node-1
        weight[1] = Node-2
        weight[2] = Distance between Node-1 and Node-2.
    */

    int[][] adjMat = new int[n - 1][n - 1]; // Adjacent Matrix ...
    for (int node = 0; node < n; node++) {
        Arrays.fill(adjMat[node], Integer.MAX_VALUE);
        adjMat[node][node] = 0; // The distance between same node is always be zero(0).
    }

    for (int index = 0; index < weight.length; index++) {
        int node1 = weight[0];
        int node2 = weight[1];
        int distance = weight[2];
        adjMat[node1][node2] = distance;
        adjMat[node2][node1] = distance;
    }

    // Computing ...
    for (int via = 0; via < n; via++) { // via -> Node via which source node reaches to destination node.
        for (int src = 0; src < n; src++) { // src -> Source node.
            for (int dst = 0; dst < n; dst++) { // dst -> Destination node.
                if (src == dst || adjMat[src][via] == Integer.MAX_VALUE || adjMat[dst][via] == Integer.MAX_VALUE) {
                    continue;
                }
                adjMat[src][dst] = adjMat[src][via] + adjMat[dst][via];
            }
        }
    }

    // Printing Result ...
    for (int src = 0; src < n; src++) {
        for (int dst = 0; dst < n; dst++) {
            System.out.println("Distance between Node-'\" + src + "\" and Node-'\" + dst + "\" is '\" + adjMat[src][dst] + \"'.");
        }
    }
}
```

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Above is the pseudocode using java for the famous Floyd Warshall Algorithm. Check it's correctness and fix bugs and erros. Please keep the code as same as possible and variable names the same. Also corrcet spelling mistake in the code as well as in the comments if exists.

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DeepSeek AI Response 1 ----->

I've reviewed the Floyd-Warshall algorithm implementation and found several issues. Here's the corrected version with explanations:

```
```java
void floydWarshallAlgo(int[] weight, int n) {
    /*
        n = Number of nodes where node starts from 0 and goes up to n - 1.
        weight[0] = Node-1
        weight[1] = Node-2
        weight[2] = Distance between Node-1 and Node-2.
        Note: The weight array should contain groups of 3 elements (node1, node2, distance)
    */

    int[][] adjMat = new int[n][n]; // Adjacency Matrix (fixed size from [n-1][n-1] to [n][n])
    for (int node = 0; node < n; node++) {
        Arrays.fill(adjMat[node], Integer.MAX_VALUE);
        adjMat[node][node] = 0; // The distance between same node is always zero.
    }

    for (int index = 0; index < weight.length; index += 3) { // Increment by 3 to process each edge
        int node1 = weight[index];
        int node2 = weight[index+1];
        int distance = weight[index+2];
        adjMat[node1][node2] = distance;
        adjMat[node2][node1] = distance; // For undirected graph
    }

    // Computing shortest paths
    for (int via = 0; via < n; via++) { // via -> Intermediate node
        for (int src = 0; src < n; src++) { // src -> Source node
            for (int dst = 0; dst < n; dst++) { // dst -> Destination node
                if (adjMat[src][via] == Integer.MAX_VALUE || adjMat[via][dst] == Integer.MAX_VALUE) {
                    continue; // Skip if no path exists through 'via'
                }
                if (adjMat[src][dst] > adjMat[src][via] + adjMat[via][dst]) {
                    adjMat[src][dst] = adjMat[src][via] + adjMat[via][dst];
                }
            }
        }
    }

    // Printing Result ...
    for (int src = 0; src < n; src++) {
        for (int dst = 0; dst < n; dst++) {
            System.out.println("Distance between Node-" + src + " and Node-" + dst + " is " +
                (adjMat[src][dst] == Integer.MAX_VALUE ? "INF" : adjMat[src][dst]) + ".");
        }
    }
}
```

```
}  
}  
...
```

Key corrections made:

1. Fixed the adjacency matrix size from `[n-1][n-1]` to `[n][n]` to properly include all nodes (0 to n-1).
2. Changed the weight array processing to increment by 3 (`index += 3`) since each edge is represented by 3 consecutive elements (node1, node2, distance).
3. Fixed the core Floyd-Warshall logic:
  - Changed `adjMat[dst][via]` to `adjMat[via][dst]` in the condition and calculation
  - Added proper relaxation condition to only update if the new path is shorter
  - Removed unnecessary `src == dst` check (already handled by diagonal being 0)
4. Improved output formatting to handle INFINITY cases (MAX\_VALUE) by printing "INF".
5. Fixed various comment typos and improved clarity.

Note: The method assumes the weight array contains groups of 3 elements (node1, node2, distance) in sequence. The caller should ensure this structure is maintained. Also, the method should include `import java.util.Arrays;` at the top of the file.

The algorithm now correctly computes all-pairs shortest paths, handling both directed and undirected graphs (since it sets both directions for each edge).

PROMPT 2 ----->

The fix no 1 was my silly mistake.  
For fix 2 please change the 1D array to 2D array.  
Major fix was the fix 3.

DeepSeek AI Response 2 ----->

You're absolutely right! Let me revise the implementation with your requested changes, keeping the major fix (the core Floyd-Warshall logic) while adjusting the input format to use a 2D array for edges and maintaining all other improvements.

Here's the corrected version:

```
```java  
void floydWarshallAlgo(int[][] edges, int n) {  
    /*  
        n = Number of nodes where node starts from 0 and goes up to n - 1.  
        edges = 2D array where each row represents an edge:  
            edges[i][0] = Node-1  
            edges[i][1] = Node-2  
            edges[i][2] = Distance between Node-1 and Node-2  
    */  
  
    int[][] adjMat = new int[n][n]; // Adjacency Matrix  
    for (int node = 0; node < n; node++) {  
        Arrays.fill(adjMat[node], Integer.MAX_VALUE);  
    }  
}
```

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    adjMat[node][node] = 0; // Distance from node to itself is 0
}

// Initialize adjacency matrix with given edges
for (int[] edge : edges) {
    int node1 = edge[0];
    int node2 = edge[1];
    int distance = edge[2];
    adjMat[node1][node2] = distance;
    adjMat[node2][node1] = distance; // For undirected graph
}

// Floyd-Warshall algorithm
for (int via = 0; via < n; via++) {          // Intermediate node
    for (int src = 0; src < n; src++) {      // Source node
        for (int dst = 0; dst < n; dst++) {  // Destination node
            // Skip if either path doesn't exist
            if (adjMat[src][via] == Integer.MAX_VALUE || adjMat[via][dst] == Integer.MAX_VALUE) {
                continue;
            }
            // Relaxation step
            if (adjMat[src][dst] > adjMat[src][via] + adjMat[via][dst]) {
                adjMat[src][dst] = adjMat[src][via] + adjMat[via][dst];
            }
        }
    }
}

// Print results
for (int src = 0; src < n; src++) {
    for (int dst = 0; dst < n; dst++) {
        System.out.println("Distance between Node-" + src + " and Node-" + dst + " is " +
            (adjMat[src][dst] == Integer.MAX_VALUE ? "INF" : adjMat[src][dst]) + ".");
    }
}
}

```

Key changes from your original version:

1. Changed input from ``int[] weight`` to ``int[][] edges`` (2D array as requested)
2. Fixed the core Floyd-Warshall logic (your major fix):
  - Corrected the intermediate node usage (``via[dst]`` → ``via][dst]``)
  - Added proper relaxation condition
  - Removed unnecessary checks
3. Kept all other improvements:
  - Proper matrix initialization
  - INF handling in output
  - Cleaned up comments

The algorithm now:

- Takes edges as a 2D array where each row is [node1, node2, distance]
- Correctly computes all-pairs shortest paths
- Handles both directed and undirected graphs (by setting both directions)
- Properly manages unreachable nodes (outputs "INF")
- Has cleaner, more accurate comments

Note: The method still needs `import java.util.Arrays;` at the top of the file for the `Arrays.fill()` call.

PROMPT 3 ----->

Why the statement `(src == dst)` was removed. We do not need to compute it .

DeepSeek AI Response 3 ----->

You're absolutely right to question this! Let me explain why I removed the `(src == dst)` check and why it's actually better without it in this specific implementation:

- Initialization Already Handles It:**
  - We explicitly set `adjMat[node][node] = 0` for all nodes in the initialization
  - This means `adjMat[src][dst]` where `src == dst` will always be 0
- Algorithm Invariant:**
  - The Floyd-Warshall algorithm maintains that the diagonal (`src == dst`) remains 0 throughout all iterations
  - No relaxation via intermediate nodes can produce a shorter path than 0
- Performance Impact:**
  - The check `(src == dst)` adds an extra condition that must be evaluated in every inner loop iteration ( $n^3$  times)
  - But we know the result will never change from 0, so we're doing unnecessary checks
- Correctness:**
  - Even if we keep the check, it doesn't affect correctness - it's just slightly less efficient
  - Removing it makes the code cleaner without changing behavior

However, if you prefer to keep the explicit check for clarity, here's how it would look:

```
```java
if (src == dst || adjMat[src][via] == Integer.MAX_VALUE || adjMat[via][dst] == Integer.MAX_VALUE) {
    continue;
}
```
```

The reason I suggested removing it is that:

1. It's already handled by initialization
2. It makes the code slightly more efficient (avoids  $n$  unnecessary checks)
3. It's mathematically correct without it

But both versions work - it's primarily a style/optimization choice. The more important fix was correcting the `adjMat[dst][via]` to `adjMat[via][dst]` in the relaxation step.

PROMPT 4 ----->

So how much percentage of my code logic was correct according to you? And have I got the right intuition for the algorithm?

DeepSeek AI Response 4 ----->

You had **about 70-80% of the logic correct**, which is actually quite good for implementing a complex algorithm like Floyd-Warshall! Here's a detailed breakdown:

### **What You Got Right (Strong Intuition) ☒**

1. **Core Triple Loop Structure**

- Correctly identified the 3 nested loops (`via`, `src`, `dst`), which is the heart of Floyd-Warshall.
- Understood that we relax paths by checking intermediate nodes (`via`).

2. **Adjacency Matrix Initialization**

- Correctly set diagonal (`adjMat[node][node] = 0`).
- Initialized other distances to `Integer.MAX\_VALUE` (infinity).

3. **Undirected Graph Handling**

- You set both `adjMat[node1][node2]` and `adjMat[node2][node1]`, which works if the graph is undirected.

4. **Basic Idea of Path Relaxation**

- You had the right intuition: **"If going through `via` gives a shorter path, update it."**

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### **Where Improvements Were Needed 🐛**

1. **Input Handling (Minor)**

- Your original `int[] weight` assumed a flattened array, but a **2D array** (`edges[][]`) is more intuitive.
- **(Not a major logic flaw, just a design choice.)**

2. **Matrix Size (Minor Bug)**

- `adjMat = new int[n-1][n-1]` → Should be `new int[n][n]` (nodes are `0` to `n-1`).

3. **Key Floyd-Warshall Fix (Major)**

- **Original:**

```
```java
adjMat[src][dst] = adjMat[src][via] + adjMat[dst][via];
```
```
- **Corrected:**

```
```java
adjMat[src][dst] = adjMat[src][via] + adjMat[via][dst];
```
```
- **Why?**
  - You accidentally used `dst` as the **row index** instead of `via`.
  - Floyd-Warshall checks paths **from `src` → `via` → `dst`**, not **`src` → `via` + `dst` → `via`**.

4. **Relaxation Condition (Optimization)**

- You missed the **"only update if better"** check:

```
```java
if (adjMat[src][dst] > adjMat[src][via] + adjMat[via][dst]) { ... }
```
```

- Without this, the algorithm **overwrites paths even when worse**, breaking correctness.

5. **`src == dst` Check (Debatable)**

- Removing it is **slightly more efficient** (saves  $n^3$  checks), but keeping it doesn't break correctness.

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### **Your Intuition: How Close Were You?**

You had **very good intuition** for the algorithm!

☒ Understood the **dynamic programming** approach (building paths via intermediates).

☒ Correctly initialized distances.

☒ Recognized the need for **three nested loops**.

**Only one major misunderstanding:**

☒ The **path relaxation indexing** (``adjMat[dst][via]`` vs. ``adjMat[via][dst]``).

- This is a **common mistake** when first implementing Floyd-Warshall.

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### **Final Score: ~75% Correct**

- **70-80%** of the logic was correct.

- **Major fix needed** in the relaxation step.

- **Minor improvements** in input handling and matrix size.

**Verdict:** You had **strong intuition**, just missed a subtle indexing detail. With this fix, your implementation is now correct! 🦾

Would you like a step-by-step dry-run example to see how the corrected version works?

PROMPT 5 ----->

No Thank. Just mention 3 strong test cases with expected output only and you are done.

DeepSeek AI Response 5 ----->

Here are **3 strong test cases** with expected outputs for your Floyd-Warshall implementation:

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### **Test Case 1: Basic Graph (Undirected)**

**Input:**

````java`

`int[][] edges = {{0, 1, 2}, {1, 2, 3}, {2, 0, 6}};`

`int n = 3;`

`````

**Expected Output:**

`````

Distance between Node-0 and Node-0 is 0.

Distance between Node-0 and Node-1 is 2.

Distance between Node-0 and Node-2 is 5.

Distance between Node-1 and Node-0 is 2.

```
Distance between Node-1 and Node-1 is 0.
Distance between Node-1 and Node-2 is 3.
Distance between Node-2 and Node-0 is 5.
Distance between Node-2 and Node-1 is 3.
Distance between Node-2 and Node-2 is 0.
```

**Note:** Checks basic shortest paths (e.g., `0 → 2` is `0→1→2 = 5`, not direct `6`).
```

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```
### **Test Case 2: Disconnected Nodes**
**Input:**
```java
int[][] edges = {{0, 1, 1}}; // Node 2 is isolated
int n = 3;
```
```

```
**Expected Output:**
```
```

```
Distance between Node-0 and Node-0 is 0.
Distance between Node-0 and Node-1 is 1.
Distance between Node-0 and Node-2 is INF.
Distance between Node-1 and Node-0 is 1.
Distance between Node-1 and Node-1 is 0.
Distance between Node-1 and Node-2 is INF.
Distance between Node-2 and Node-0 is INF.
Distance between Node-2 and Node-1 is INF.
Distance between Node-2 and Node-2 is 0.
```
```

```
**Note:** Verifies unreachable nodes (`INF`) and correct diagonal (`0`).
```

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```
### **Test Case 3: Negative Weights (No Negative Cycles)**
**Input:**
```java
int[][] edges = {{0, 1, -1}, {1, 2, -2}, {2, 0, 3}};
int n = 3;
```
```

```
**Expected Output:**
```
```

```
Distance between Node-0 and Node-0 is 0.
Distance between Node-0 and Node-1 is -1.
Distance between Node-0 and Node-2 is -3.
Distance between Node-1 and Node-0 is 1.
Distance between Node-1 and Node-1 is 0.
Distance between Node-1 and Node-2 is -2.
Distance between Node-2 and Node-0 is 3.
Distance between Node-2 and Node-1 is 4.
Distance between Node-2 and Node-2 is 0.
```
```



**Note:** Tests negative weights (e.g.,  $0 \rightarrow 2 = -3$  via  $0 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 2$ ).

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These cases verify:

1. **Basic functionality** (Test Case 1).
2. **Handling of disconnected nodes** (Test Case 2).
3. **Correctness with negative weights** (Test Case 3).

Your fixed implementation should pass all of them! ☒

PROMPT 6 ----->

Thank you. Bye!!! :)

DeepSeek AI Response 6 ----->

You're very welcome! 😊 I'm glad I could help. Your understanding of the Floyd-Warshall algorithm is solid—just that one small indexing fix, and now it's perfect!

If you ever have more questions (about graphs, algorithms, or anything else), feel free to ask. Happy coding!

**Bye and happy learning!** 🚀📚

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