

Shortest Paths

March 19th/21st

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1. SSSP in DAGs: DP Algorithm
2. SSSP without Negative Edges: Dijkstra's Greedy Algorithm
3. SSSP with Negative Edges: Bellman Ford DP Algorithm
4. All pairs Shortest Paths: Floyd Warshall DP Algorithm

Shortest Paths Problems

- ◆ Input is $G(V, E)$ with edge weights
- ◆ Shortest Paths from a single source s to all/one destination in DAGs
(DP Solution)
- ◆ Shortest Paths from a single source s to all/one destination in
general graphs with no negative edge weights (Dijkstra: Greedy)
- ◆ Shortest Paths from all sources to all dests (Floyd Warshall: DP).

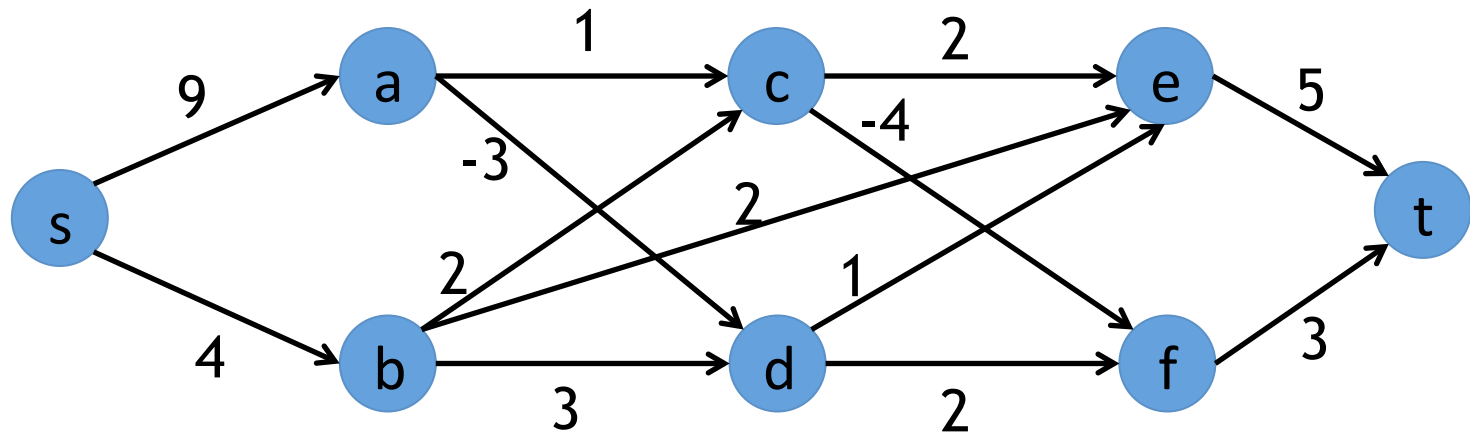
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Shortest Paths In DAGs

- ◆ Input: weighted DAG $G(V, E)$ with arbitrary edge weights and source s
 - ◆ Note edge weights can be negative
- ◆ Output: shortest paths from s to all vertices

Shortest Paths In DAGs



Q: Shortest path (distance) from s to e?

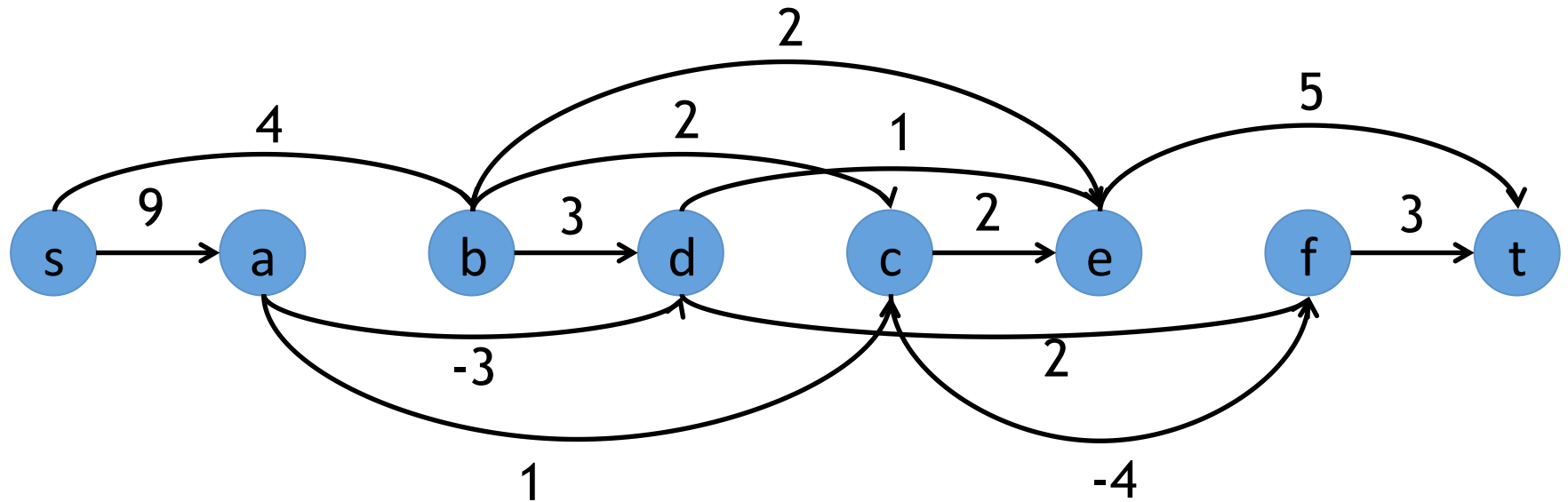
A: 6: s->b->e

Let's think of a DP solution.

Defining Subproblems

- ◆ Recall Linear IS:
 - Line graph was naturally ordered from left to right.
 - Subproblems could be defined as prefix graphs.
- ◆ Recall Sequence Alignment:
 - X, Y strands were naturally ordered strings.
 - Subproblems could be defined as prefix strings.
- ◆ Trick: Use the Topological ordering of G and solve shortest paths for “prefix graphs” again.

Defining Subproblems

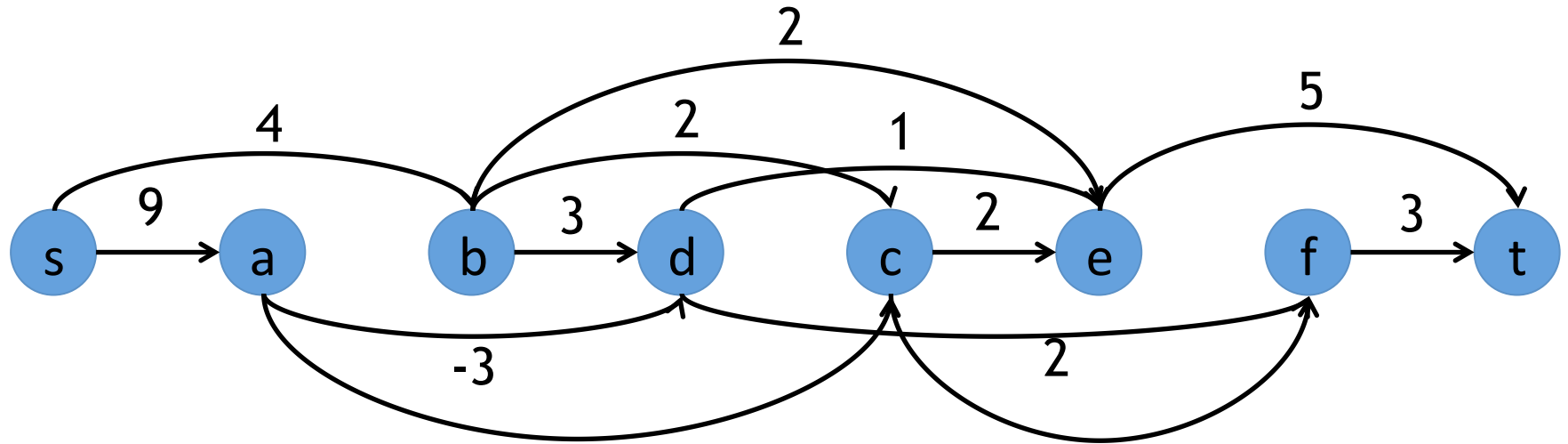


Let's solve a larger subproblem in terms of smaller subproblems.
For example distance to vertex e:

$$SD(e) = \min \begin{cases} SD(d) + w(d, e) \\ SD(c) + w(c, e) \\ SD(b) + w(b, e) \end{cases}$$

Idea: think of the last edge in path $s \rightsquigarrow e$

In General:



$$SD(v) = \min_{(u,v) \in E} \{ SD(u) + w(u, v) \}$$

B/c G is a DAG, we can find shortest paths
from left to right!

SSSP DAG DP

procedure ssspDAG(DAG $G(V, E)$):

topologically sort G $\leftarrow O(m + n)$

let $SD[s] = 0$; $SD[v] = +\infty$

for $v \in G$ in topologically sorted order:
 $SD[v] = \min_{(u,v) \in E} SD[u] + w(u, v)$

return D

$$\sum_{u \in V} \deg(u) = m$$

$O(n + m)$:

We loop over each vertex exactly once.

We look at each edge exactly once

Total Runtime: $O(n + m)$

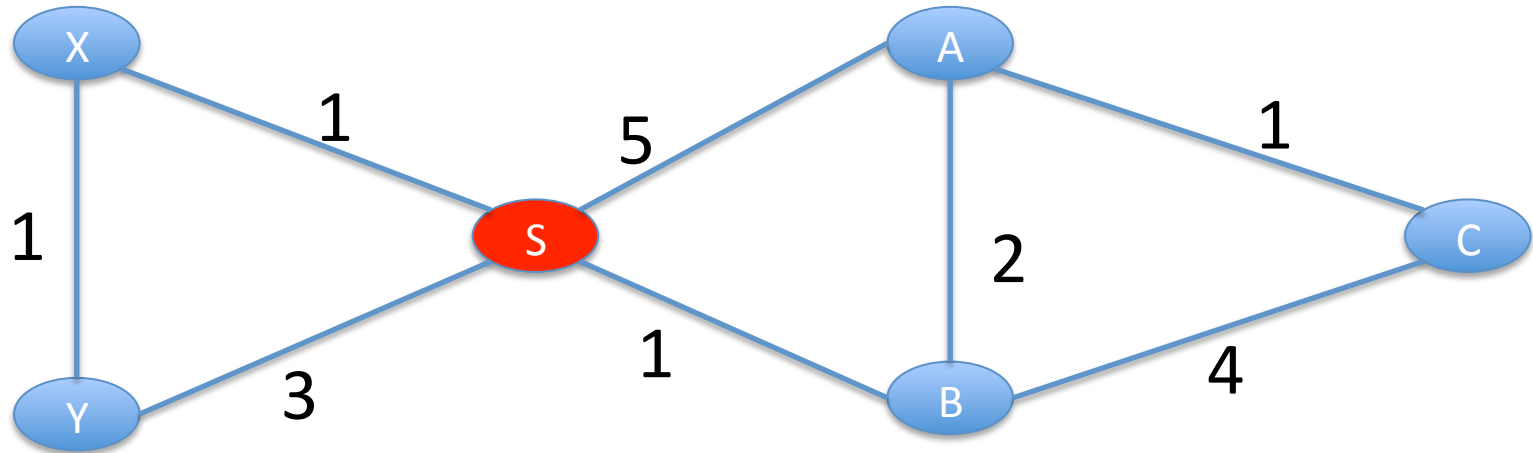
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SSSP In General Graphs Without Neg. Edges

◆ Input: A directed/undirected graph $G(V, E)$:

- n nodes (one is the source), m edges (u, v) and costs $c_{u,v}$

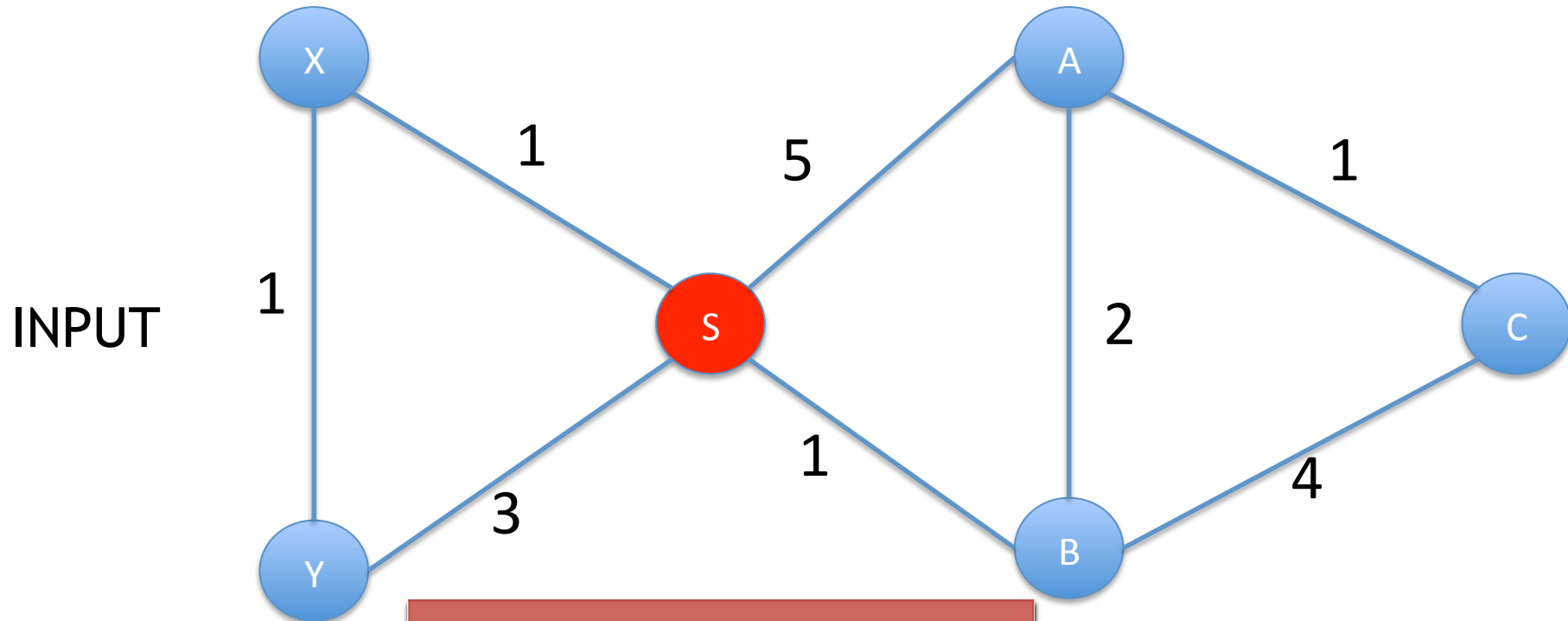


◆ Output: For each node v in the graph, shortest s - v path.

◆ Assumption 1: Graph is connected (all s - v paths exist)

◆ Assumption 2: Edge costs are non-negative, i.e., $w(u, v) \geq 0$

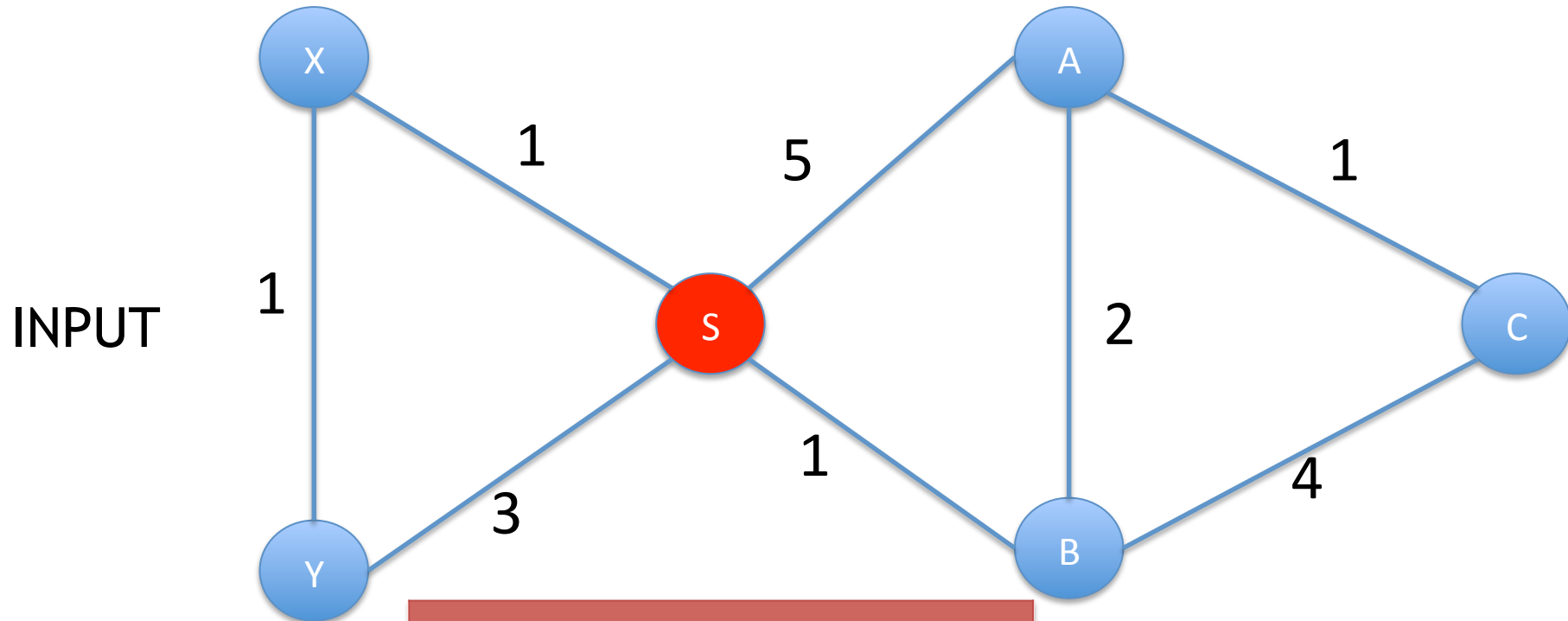
Shortest Path Example



OUTPUT

Dst	Path	Distance
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Y	S->X->Y	2
A	S->B->A	3
B	S->B	1
C	S->B->A->C	4

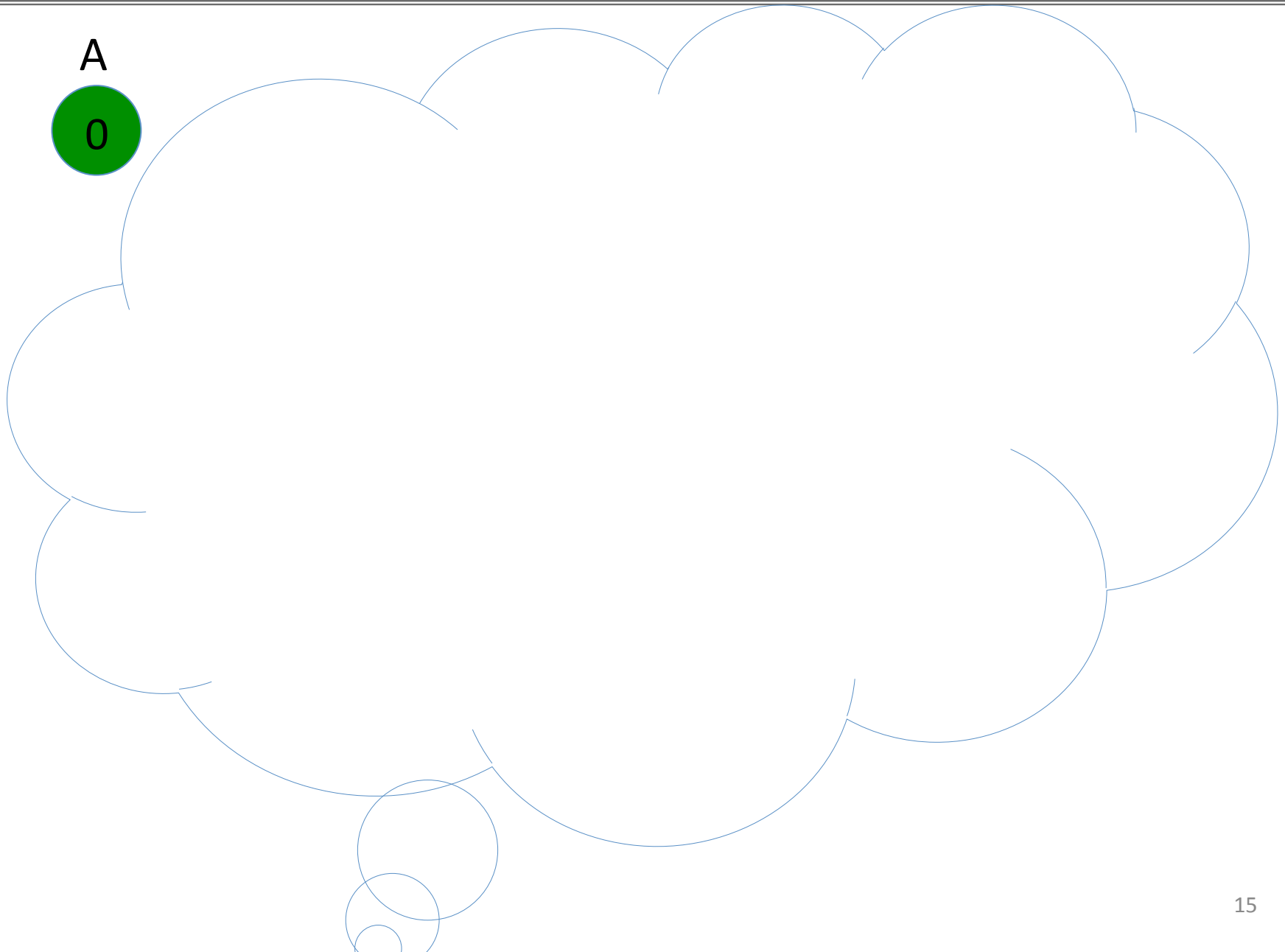
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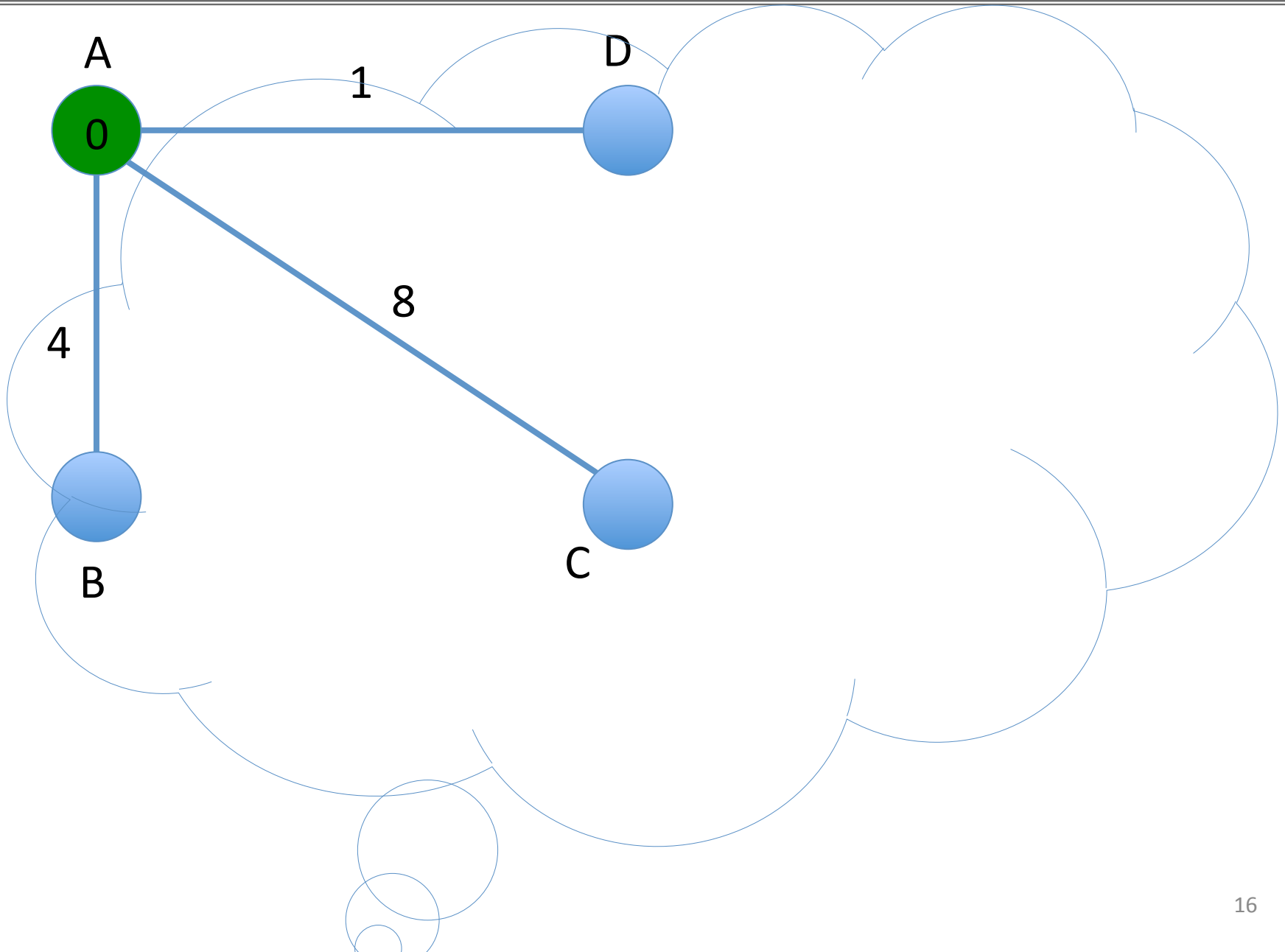
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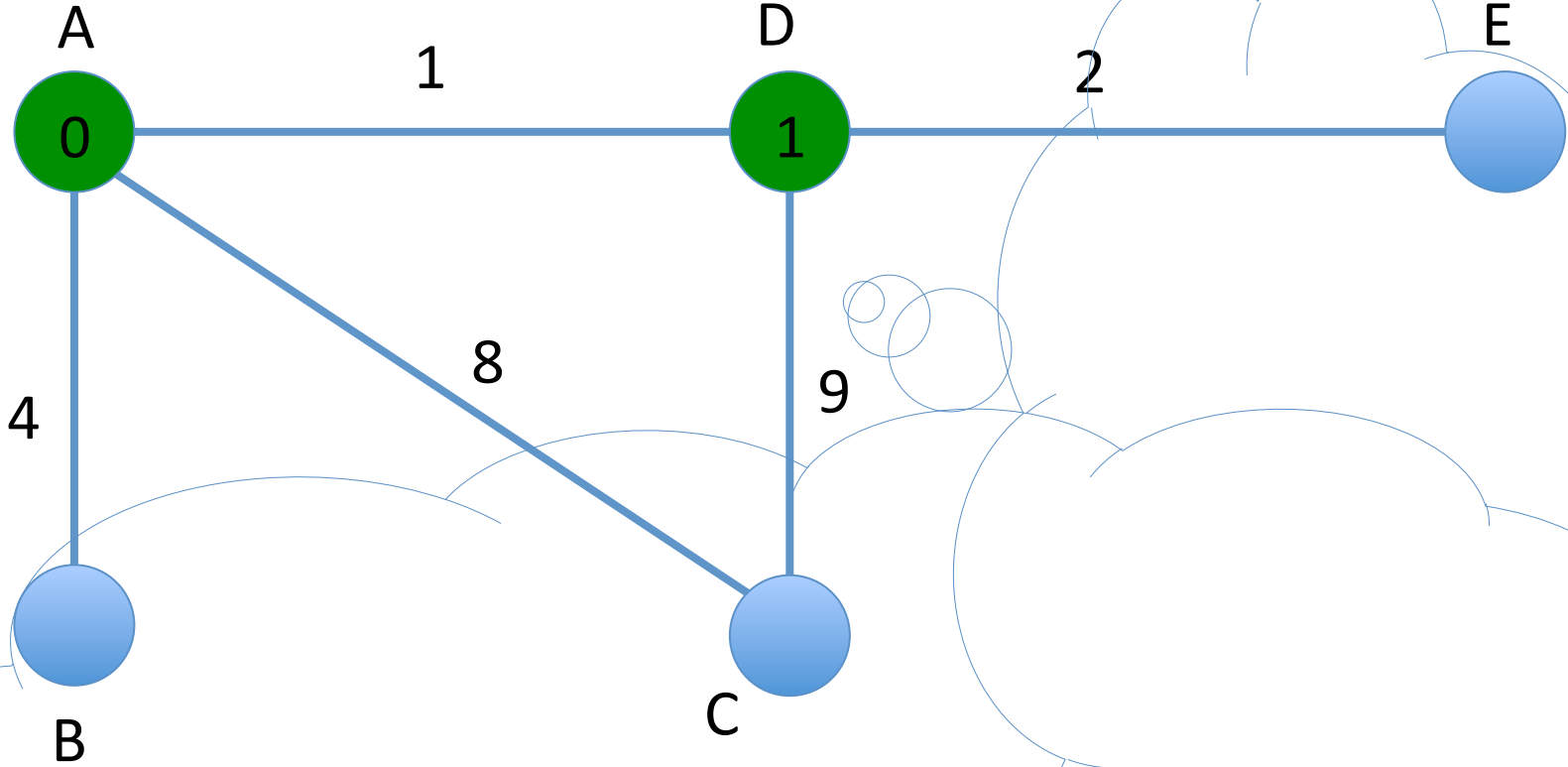
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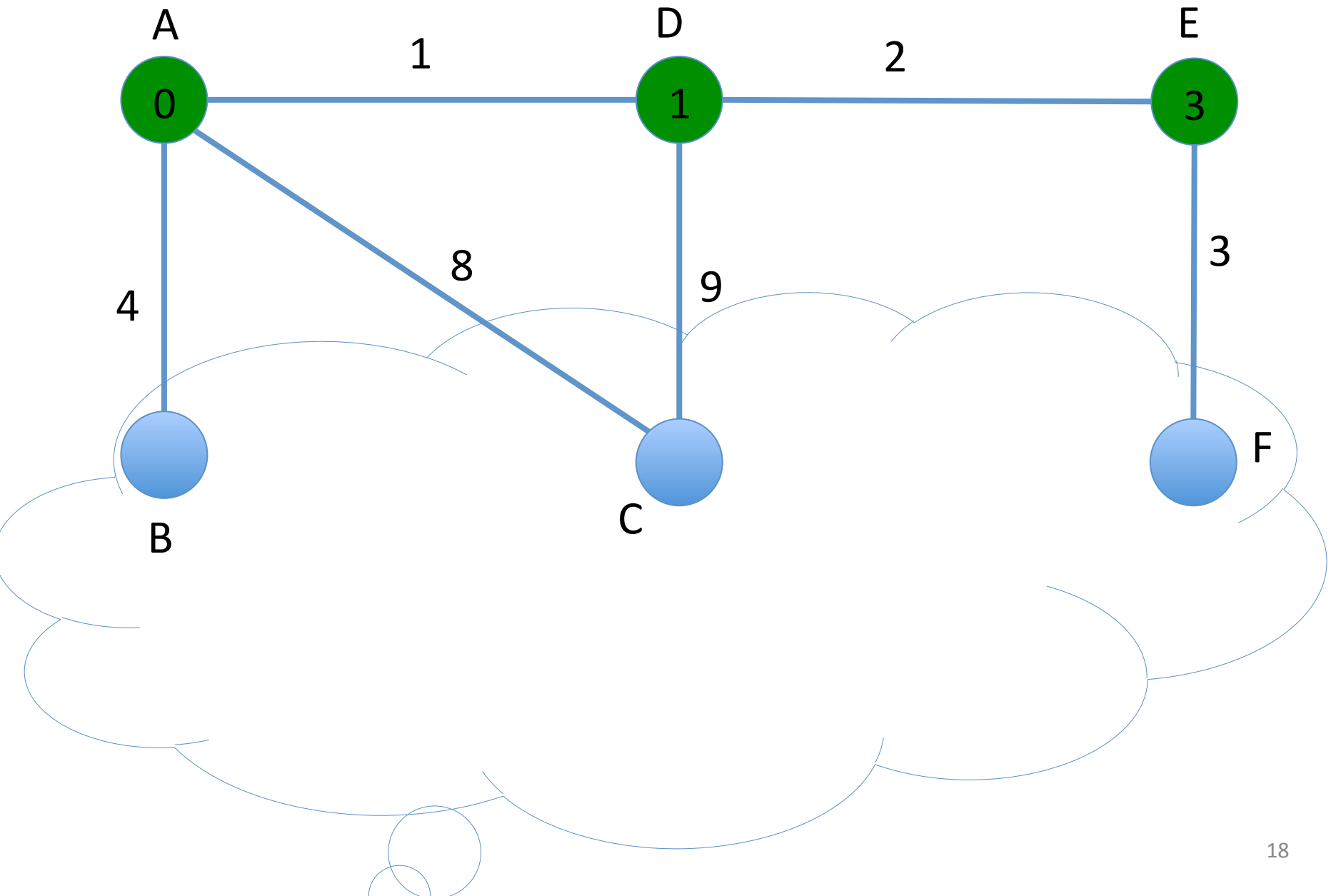
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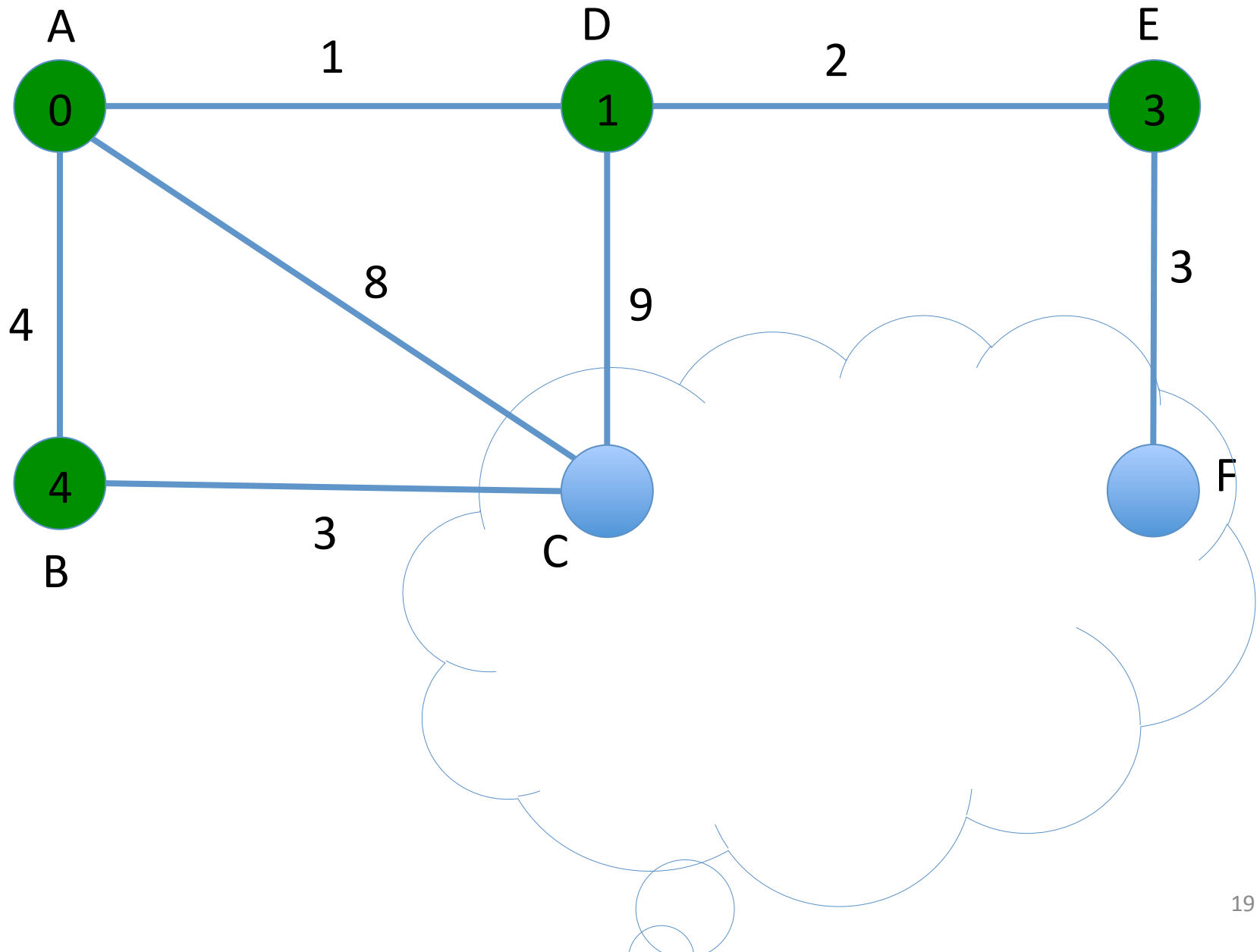
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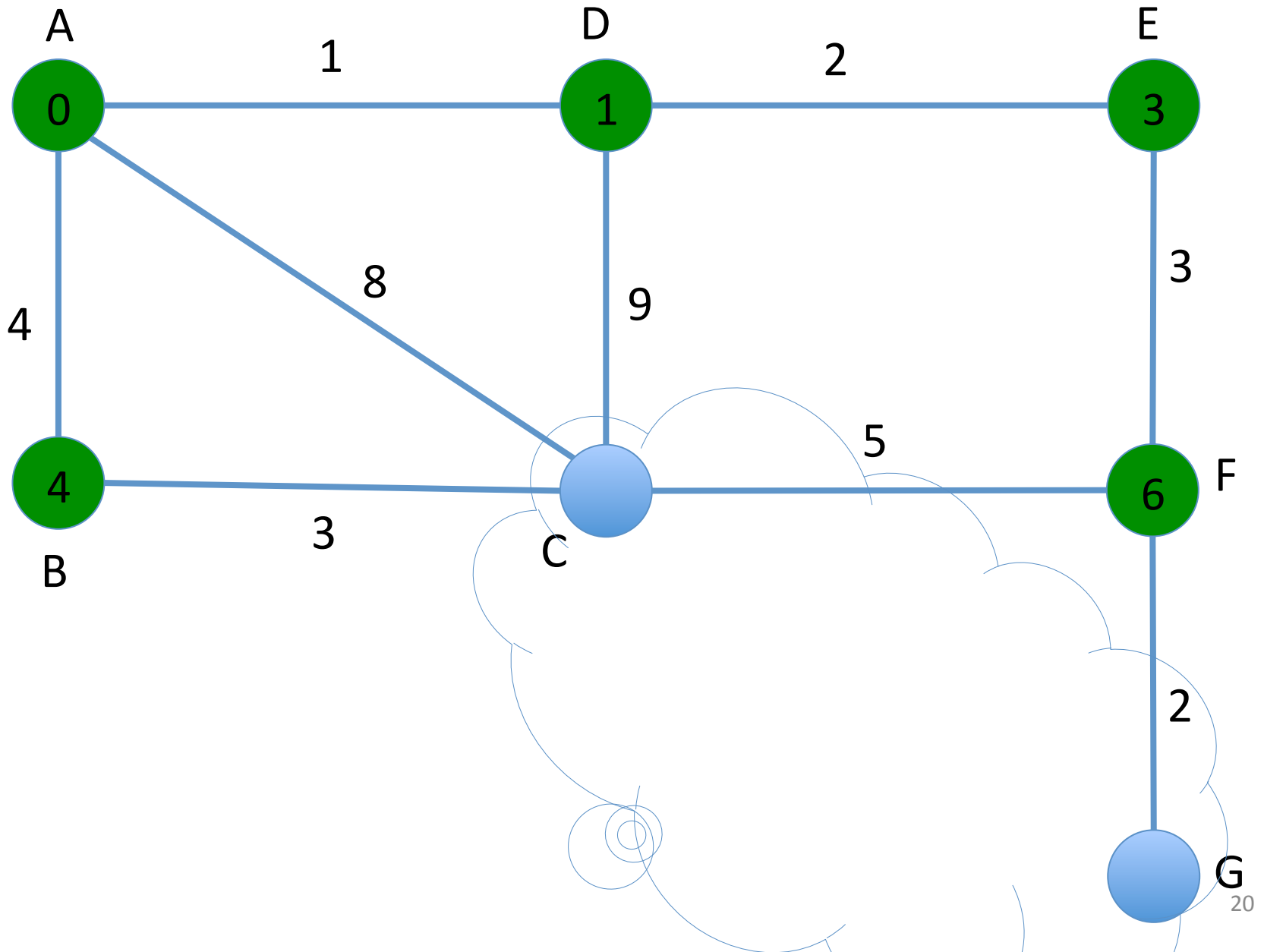
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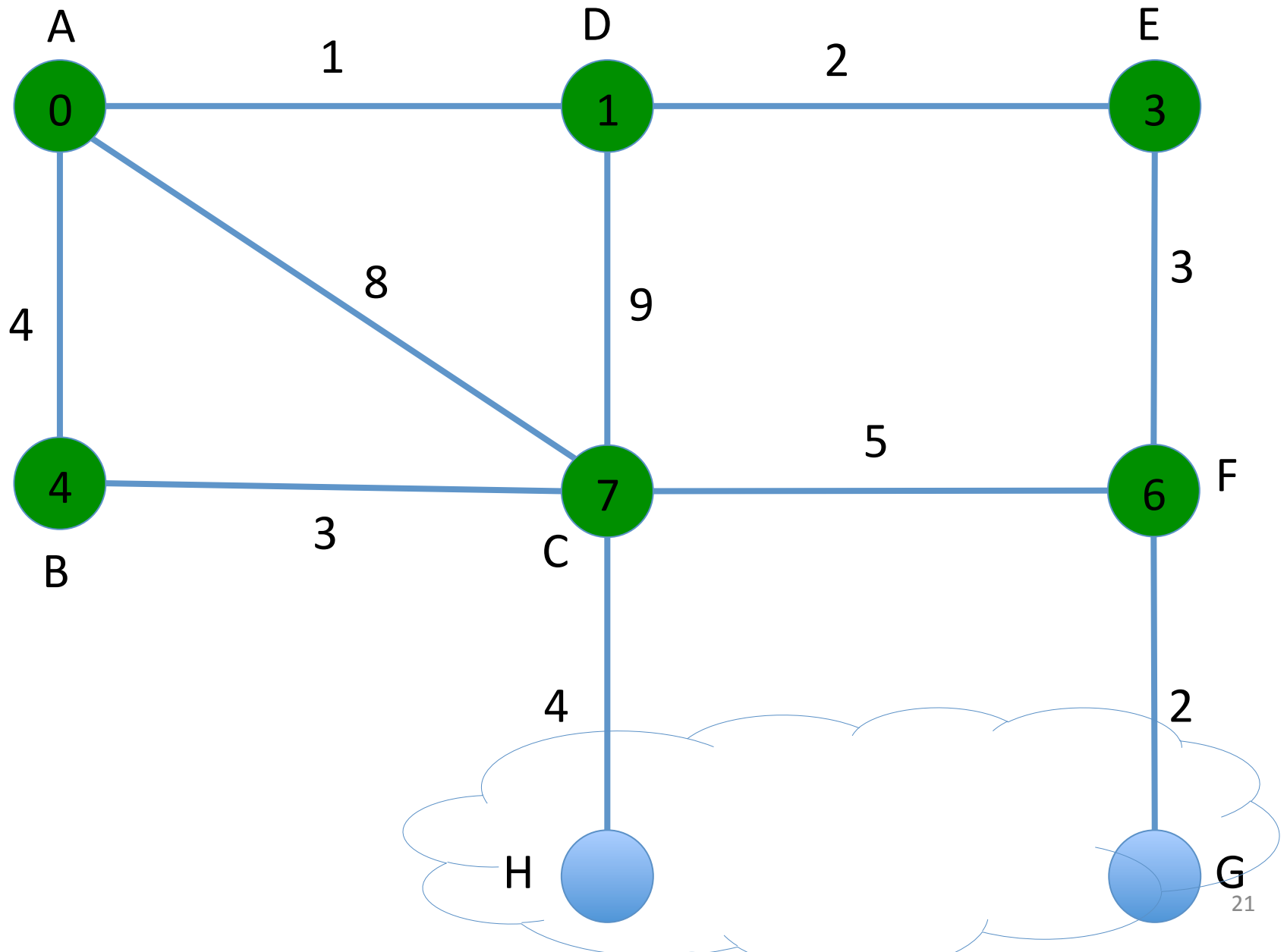
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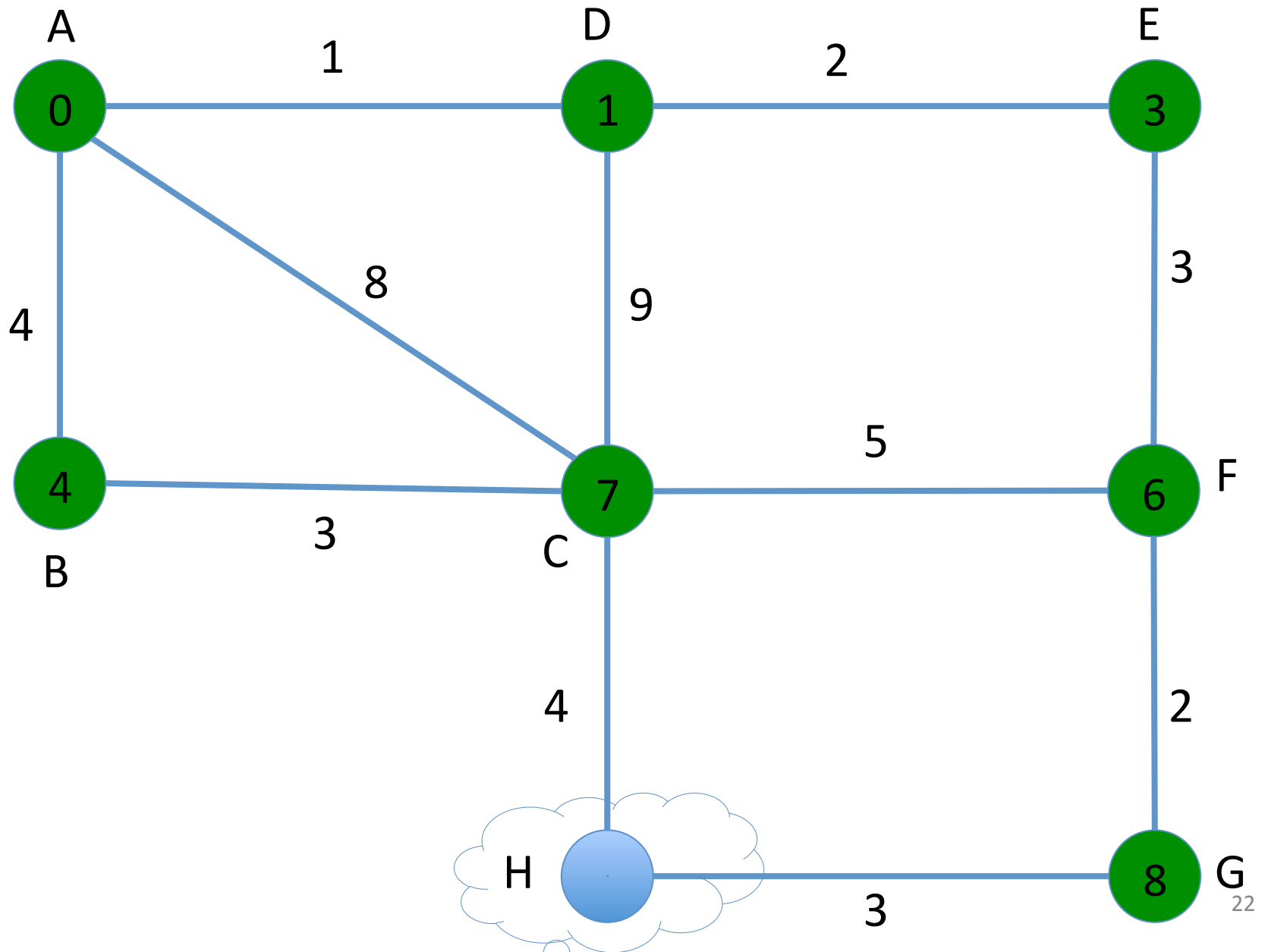
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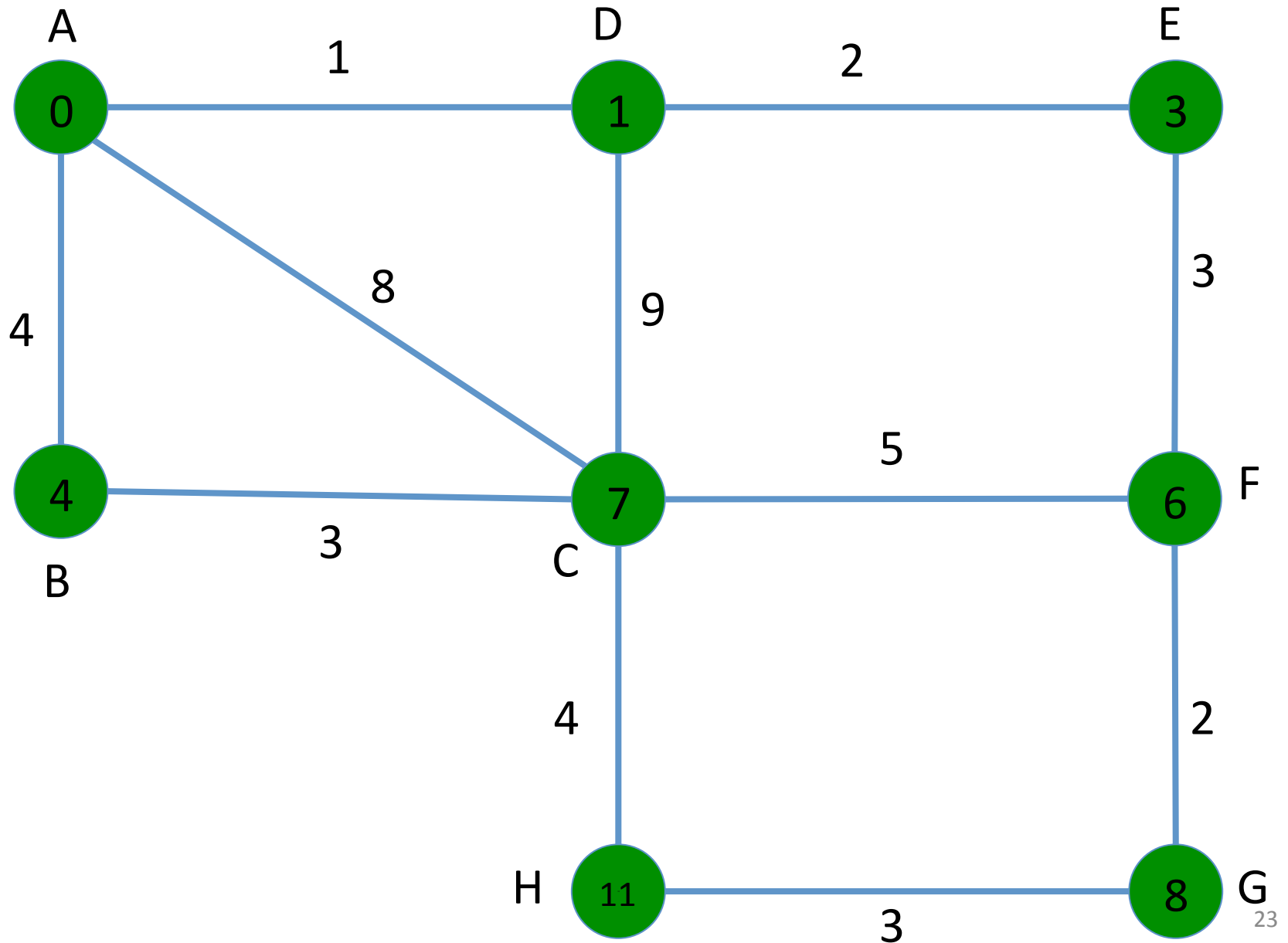
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procedure dijkstra( $G(V,E),s$ , weights  $w(u, v)$ ) :  
     $L = \{s\}$ ;  $R = V - \{s\}$   
    shortestDistL is an array initialized to null  
    parent is an array initialized to null  
    distSoFarR = priority queue of size  $n$   
    distSoFarR[s] = 0; distSoFarR[v] =  $+\infty$  for other  $v$   
    for  $i = 1$  to  $n-1$ :  
        let  $v^* = \text{extract-min from distSoFarR}$  ←  $O(\log(n))$   
        remove  $v^*$  from  $R$  and add to  $L$   
        shortestDistL[ $v^*$ ] = distSoFarR[ $v^*$ ] ←  $O(\log(n))$   
        for each ( $v^*, w$ ) s.t.  $w \in R$ :  
            decrement distSoFarR[ $w$ ] =  
                 $\min\{\text{distSoFarR}[w], \text{shortestDistL}[v^*] + w(v^*, w)\}$   
            if distSoFar[ $w$ ] decreased: set parent[ $w$ ] =  $v^*$   
    return shortestDist
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Run time: $O(m \log(n))$

Dijkstra's Correctness (1)

Induction on the # of iterations

Inductive Claim: at each iteration i:

$\forall v \in L$, $\text{shortestDist}[v]$ is correct (same for $\text{parent}[v]$)

$\forall v \in R$, $\text{shortestDist}[v]$ is shortest (s, v) path contained in L
(except last edge)

Base Case: L only contains s and $\text{shortestDist}[s]$ is 0 and true.

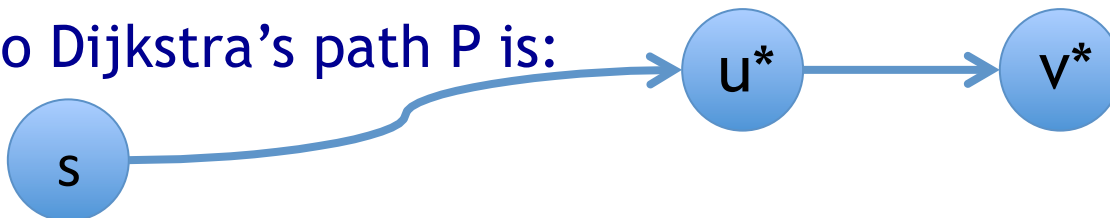
IH: Assume both claims hold for first k v's in L (i.e., for iteration k)

Let v^* be the picked vertex from R in iteration $k + 1$.

(i.e. $\text{distSoFar}[v^*]$ was the minimum over all vertices in R)

And let (u^*, v^*) be the edge that minimized v^* 's distSoFar .

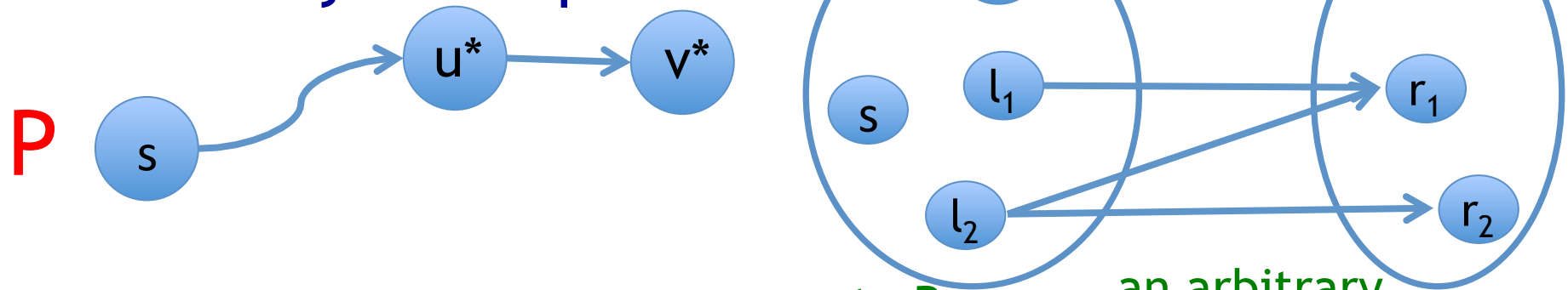
So Dijkstra's path P is:



**Claim: P is the
shortest path
from s to v*!**

Dijkstra's Correctness (2)

Consider any other path P'



$$\text{cost}(P') = (\geq \text{shortestDist}[l_1]) + w(l_1, r_1) + (\geq 0 \text{ cost})$$

$$\geq \text{distSoFar}[r_1] \geq \text{distSoFar}[v^*] = \text{cost}(P)$$

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Pros/Cons of Dijkstra's Algorithm

Pros: $O(m \log n)$ super fast & simple algorithm

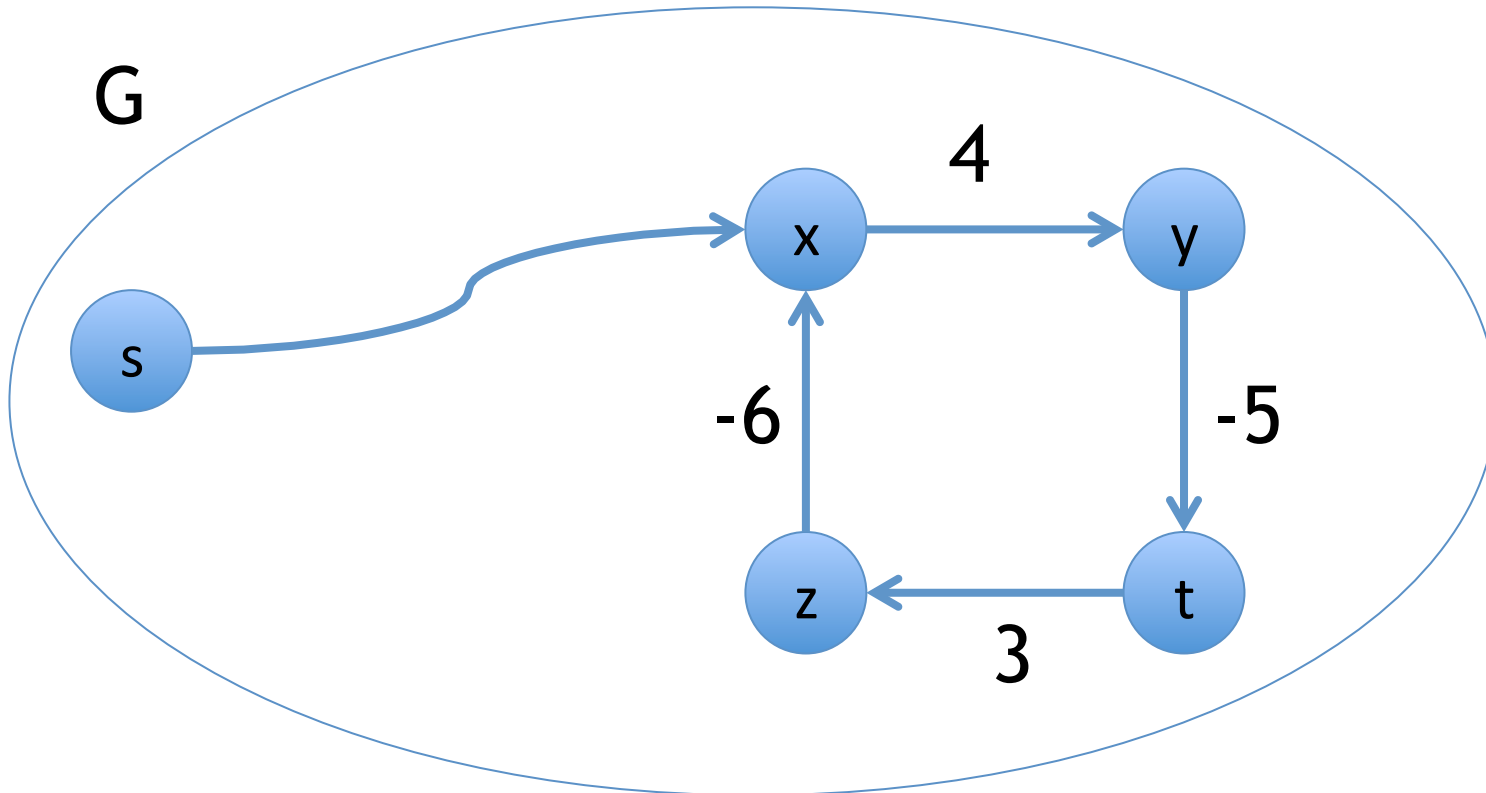
Cons:

1. Works only if $c_e \geq 0$
 - Sometimes need negative weights, e.g. (finance)
2. Not parallelizable:
 - Looks very “serial”

Bellman-Ford addresses both of these drawbacks

Preliminary: Negative Weight Cycles

Question: How to define shortest paths when G has negative weights cycles?

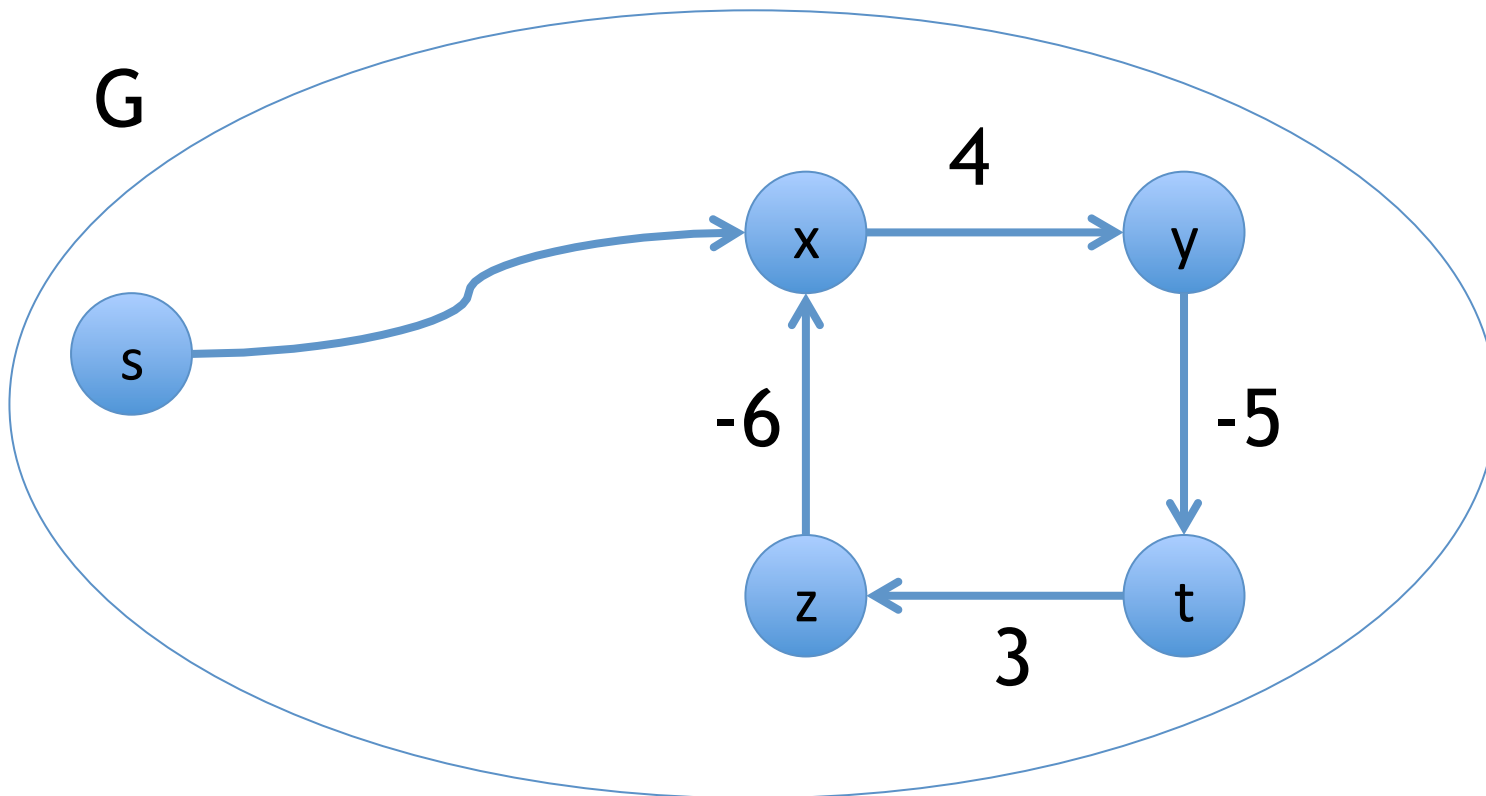


Possible Shortest $s \rightsquigarrow v$ Path Definition 1

Shortest path from s to v with cycles allowed.

Problem: Can loop forever in a negative cycle.

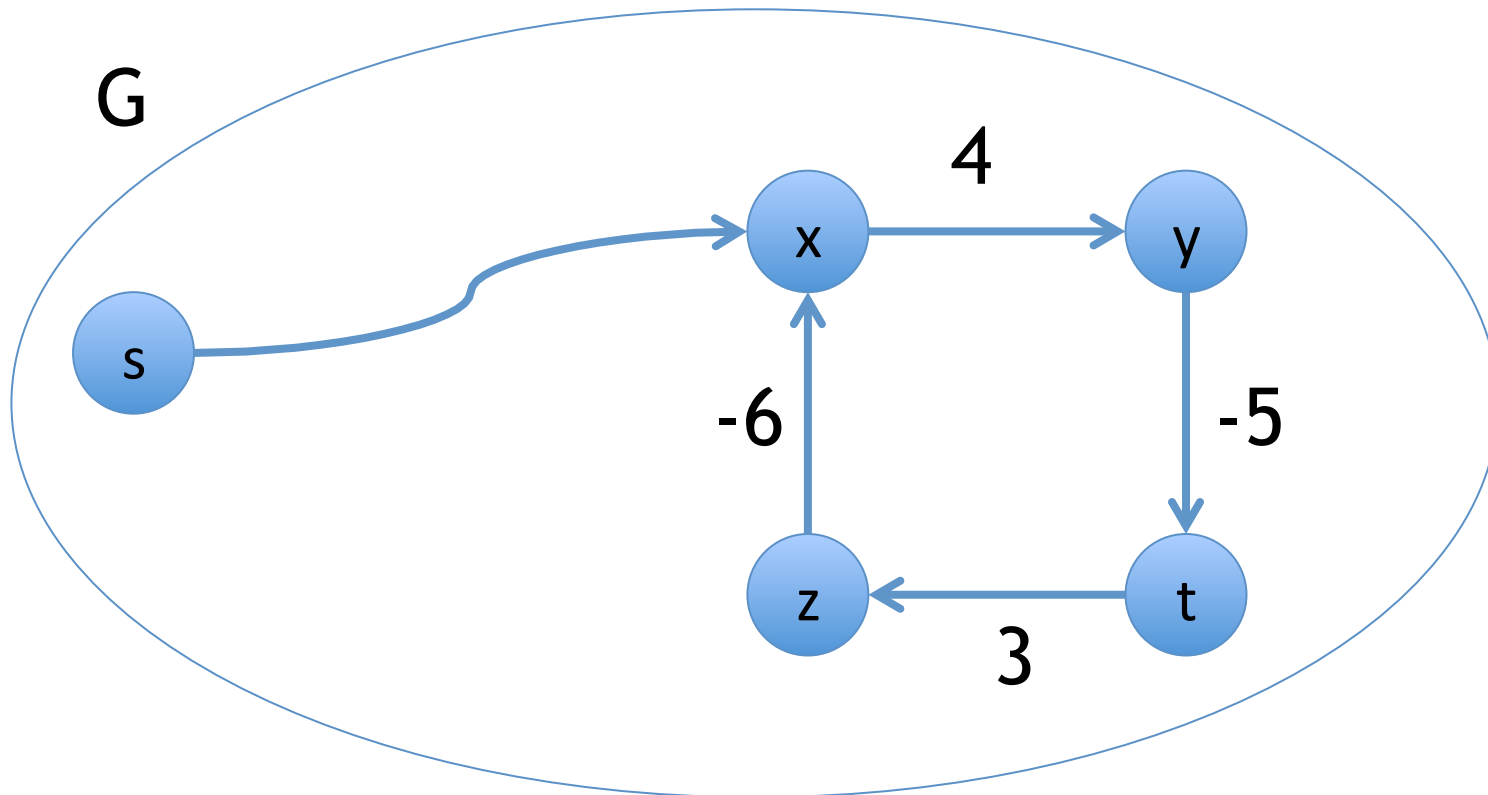
So there is no “shortest path”!



Possible Shortest $s \rightsquigarrow v$ Path Definition 2

Shortest path from s to v , cycles NOT allowed.

Problem: Now well-defined. But NP-hard. Don't expect a “fast” algorithm solving it exactly.



Solution: Assume No Negative-Weight Cycles

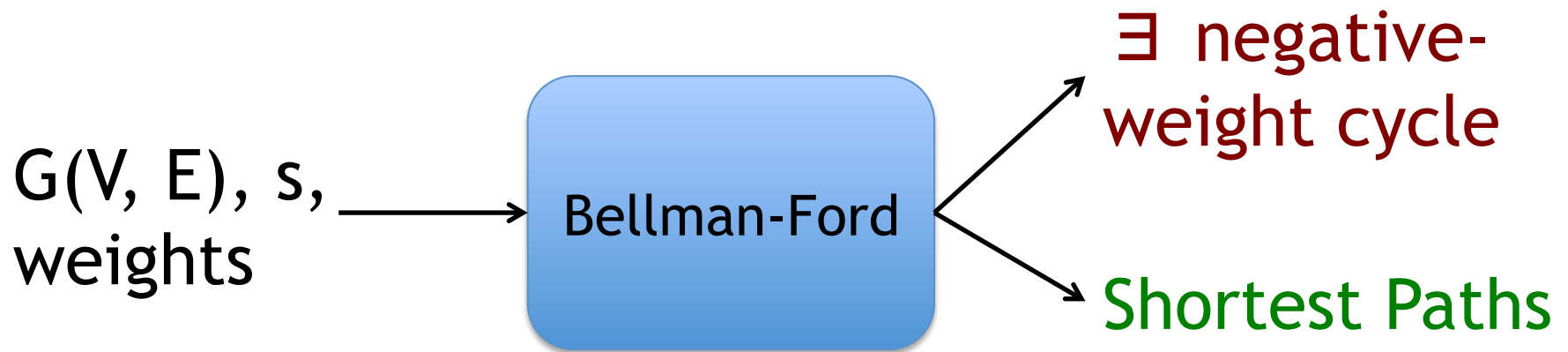
Q: Now, can shortest paths contain cycles?

A: No. Assume P is shortest path from s to v ,
with a cycle.

$P = s \rightsquigarrow x \rightsquigarrow x \rightsquigarrow v$. Then since $x \rightsquigarrow x$ is a cycle,
and we assumed no negative weight cycles, we
could get $P' = s \rightsquigarrow x \rightsquigarrow v$, and get a shorter path.

Upshot: Bellman-Ford's Properties

Note: Bellman-Ford will be able to detect if there is a negative weight cycle!



Both outputs computed in reasonable amount of time.

Challenge of A DP Approach

Need to identify some sub-problems.

◆ Linear IS:

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◆ Sequence Alignment:

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*****Shortest Paths' Input G Has No Natural Ordering*****

High-level Idea Of Subproblems

But the Output Is Paths & Paths Are Sequential!

Trick: Impose an Ordering Not On G but on Paths.

Larger Paths Will Be Derived By Appending New

Edges To The Ends Of Smaller (Shorter) Paths.

Subproblems

Input: $G(V, E)$ no negative cycles, s , c_e arbitrary weights.

Output: $\forall v$, global shortest paths from s to v .

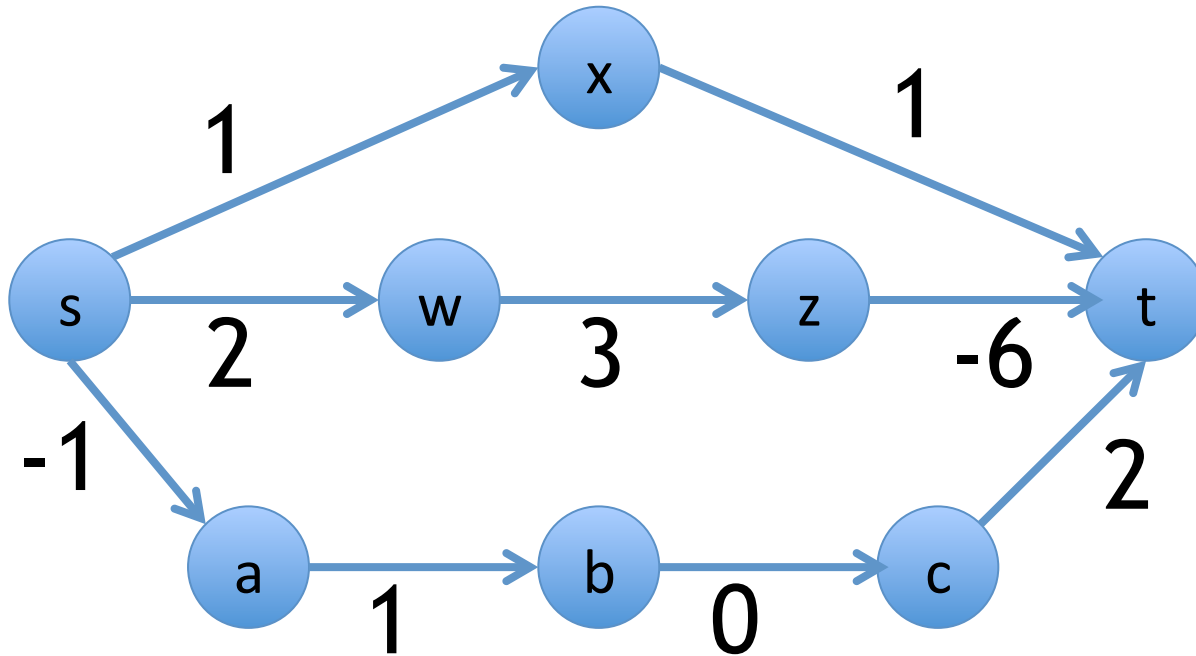
Q: Max possible # hops (or # edges) on the
shortest paths?

A: $n-1$ (**since there are no negative cycles**)

$P_{(v, i)}$ = *Shortest path from s to v with at most i edges (& no cycles).*

Example

Let $P_{(v, i)}$ be the shortest s-v path with $\leq i$ edges.

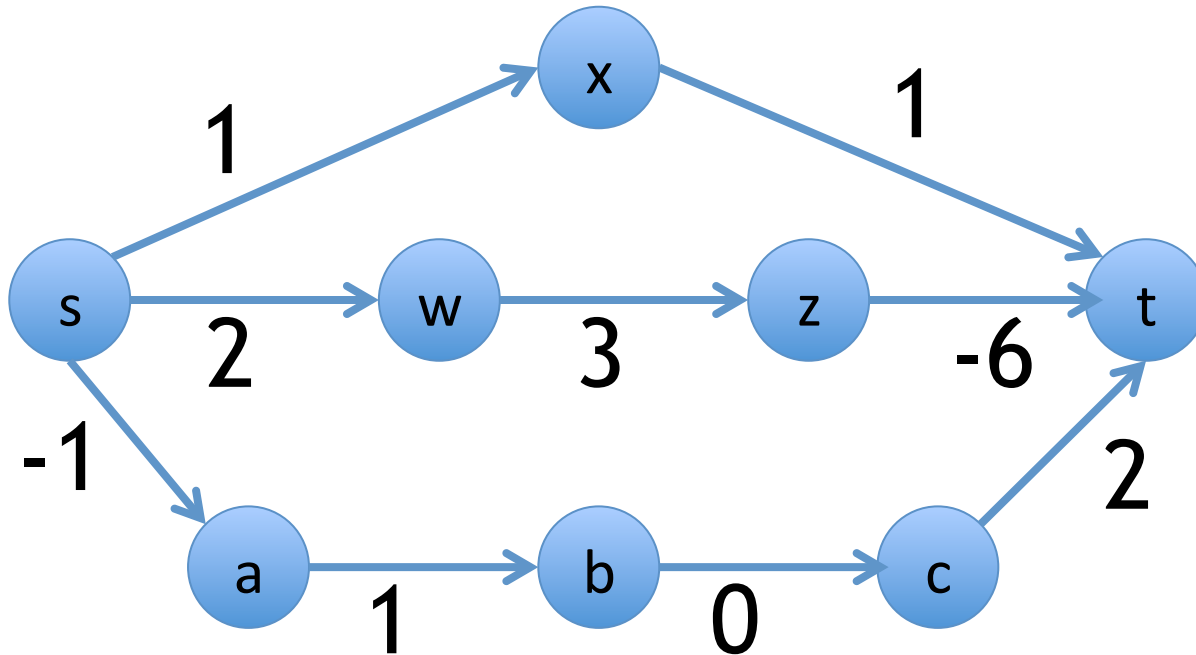


Q: $P_{(t, 1)}$?

A: Does not exist (assume such paths have ∞ weights.)

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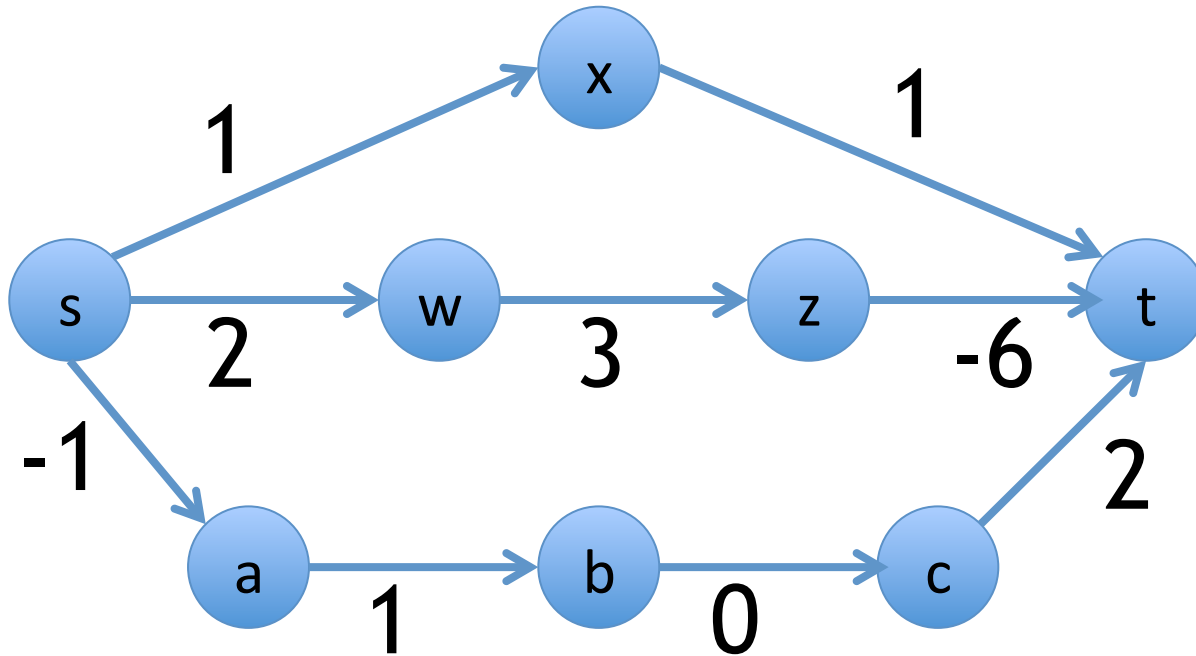


Q: $P_{(t, 2)}$?

A: s->x->t with weight 2.

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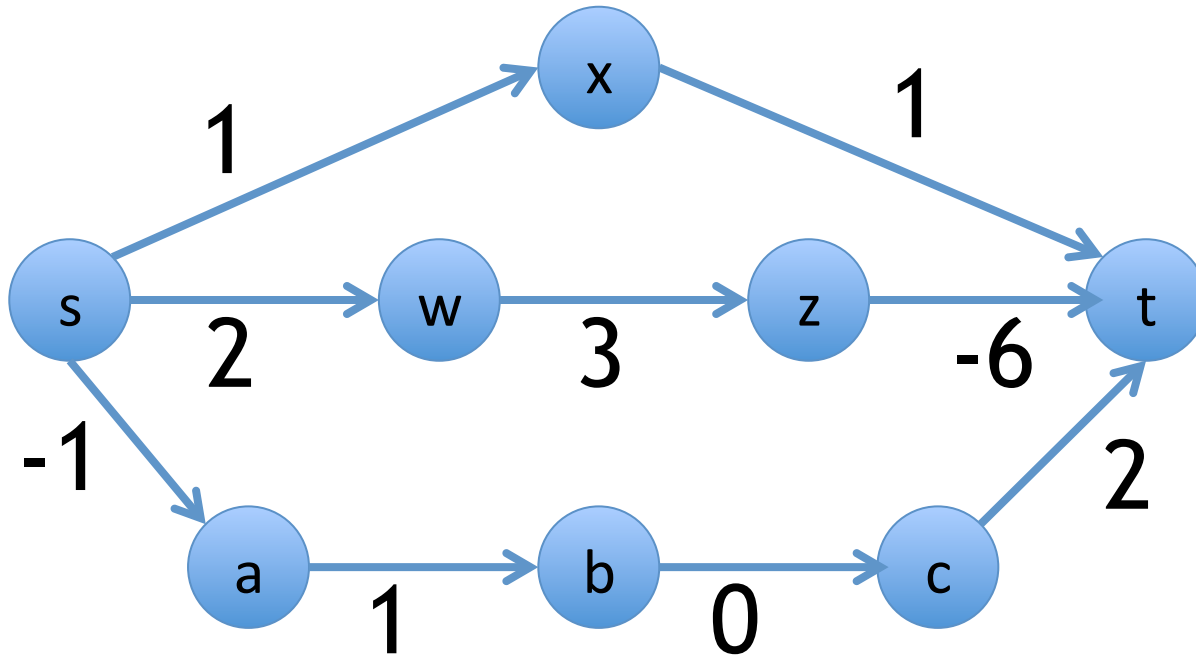


Q: $P_{(t, 3)}$?

A: s->w->z->t with weight -1.

Example

Let $P_{(v, i)}$ be the shortest s-v path with $\leq i$ edges.



Q: $P_{(t,4)}$?

A: s->w->z->t with weight -1.

Solving $P_{(v,i)}$ In Terms of “Smaller” Subproblems

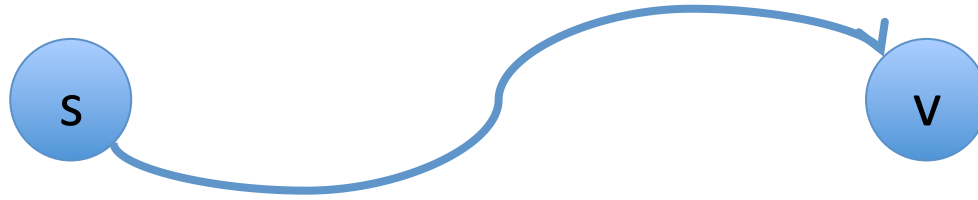
Let $P=P_{(v, i)}$ be the shortest s-v path with $\leq i$ edges

Note: For some v, an s-v path with $\leq i$ edges may not exist. Assume v has such a path.

A Claim that does not require a proof:

$$|P| \leq i-1 \text{ OR } |P| = i$$

Case 1: $|P=P_{(v, i)}| \leq i-1$

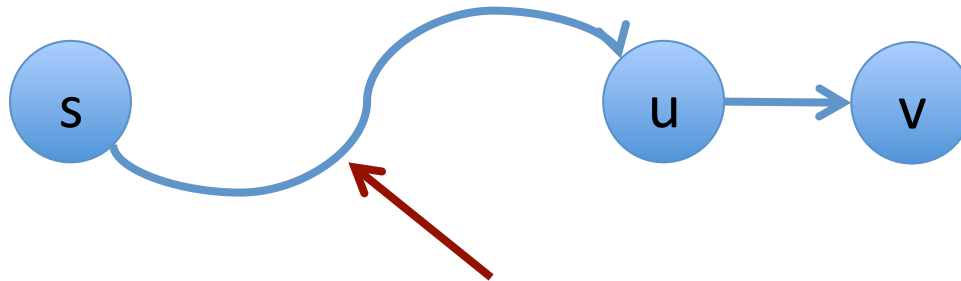


Q: What can we assert about $P_{(v, i-1)}$?

A: $P_{(v, i-1)} = P_{(v, i)}$ (by contradiction)

$(P_{(v, i)})$ is also the shortest $s \rightsquigarrow v$ path with at most $i-1$ edges)

Case 2: $|P = P_{(v, i)}| = i$



$$P' \Rightarrow |s \rightsquigarrow u| = i-1$$

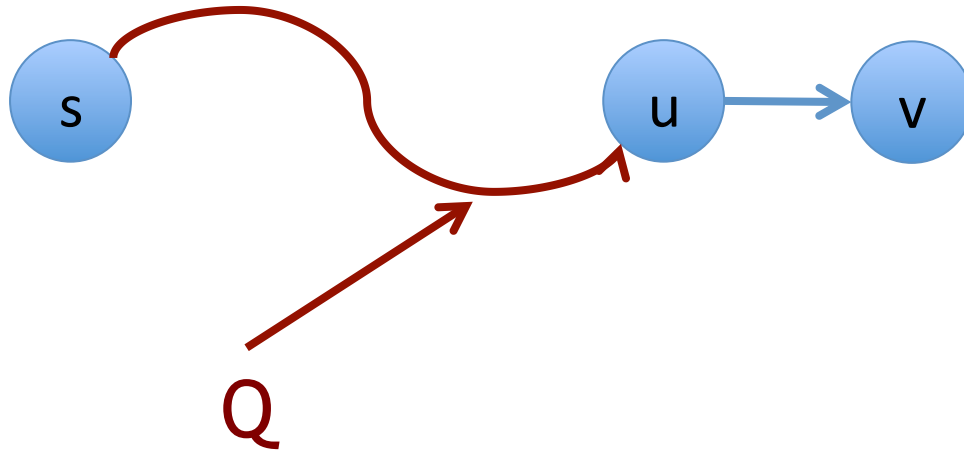
Q: What can we assert about P' ?

Claim: $P' = P_{(u, i-1)}$

(P' is shortest $s \rightsquigarrow u$ path in with $\leq i-1$ edges)

Proof that $P' = P_{(u, i-1)}$

Assume \exists a better $s \rightsquigarrow u$ path Q with $\leq i-1$ edges



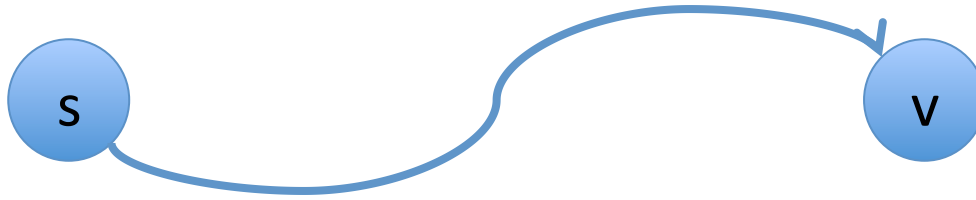
Q had $\leq i-1$ edges, then $Q \cup (u, v)$ has $\leq i$ edges.

$\text{cost}(Q) < \text{cost}(P')$, $\text{cost}(Q \cup (u, v)) < \text{cost}(P)$.

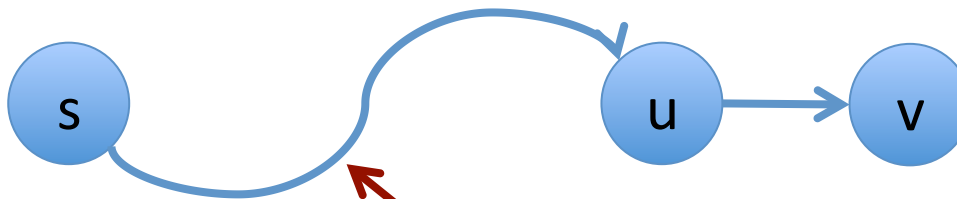
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Summary of the 2 Cases

Case 1: $|P_{(v, i)}| \leq i-1 \Rightarrow P_{(v, i-1)} = P_{(v, i)}$



Case 2: $|P_{(v, i)}| = i \Rightarrow P' = P_{(u, i-1)}$



$P' \Rightarrow |s \rightsquigarrow u| = i-1$

Our Subproblems Agains

$\forall v$, and for $i=\{1, \dots, n\}$

$P_{(v, i)}$: shortest $s \rightsquigarrow v$ path with $\leq i$ edges (or null)

$L_{(v, i)}$: $w(P_{(v, i)})$ (and $+\infty$ for null paths)

$$L_{(v, i)} = \min \left\{ \begin{array}{l} L_{(v, i-1)} \\ \min_{u: \exists (u,v) \in E} : L_{(u, i-1)} + c_{(u,v)} \end{array} \right.$$

Bellman-Ford Algorithm

$L_{(v, i)}: w(P_{(v, i)})$

Let A be an $n \times n$ 2D array.

$A[i][v]$ = shortest path to vertex v with $\leq i$ edges.

procedure Bellman-Ford($G(V, E)$, weights C):

Base Cases: $A[0][s] =$

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$A[0][j] = +\infty$ where $j \neq s$

for $i = 1, \dots, n-1$:

for $v \in V$:

$A[i][v] = \min \{A[i-1][v]$
 $\min_{(u, v) \in E} A[i-1][u] + c_{(u, v)}$

Correctness of BF

By induction on i and correctness of the
recurrence for $L_{(v, i)}$ (exercise)

Runtime of BF

entries in A is n^2 .

Q: How much time for computing each $A[i][v]$?

A: $\text{in-deg}(v)$

For each i , total work for all $A[i][v]$ entries is: $\sum_{v \in V} \text{in-deg}(v)$

Total Runtime: $O(nm)$

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for i = 1, ..., n-1:
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Runtime Optimization: Stopping Early

Suppose for some $i \leq n$:

$$A[i][v] = A[i-1][v] \quad \forall v.$$

Q: What does this mean?

A: Values will not change in any later iteration

=> We can stop!

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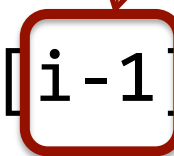
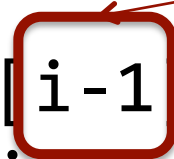
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Values only depend on the previous iteration!



Negative Cycle Checking

Consider any graph $G(V, E)$ with arbitrary edge weights.

=> There may be negative cycles.

Claim: If BF stabilizes at some iteration $i > 0$, then
G has no negative cycles.

(i.e., negative cycles implies BF never stabilizes!)

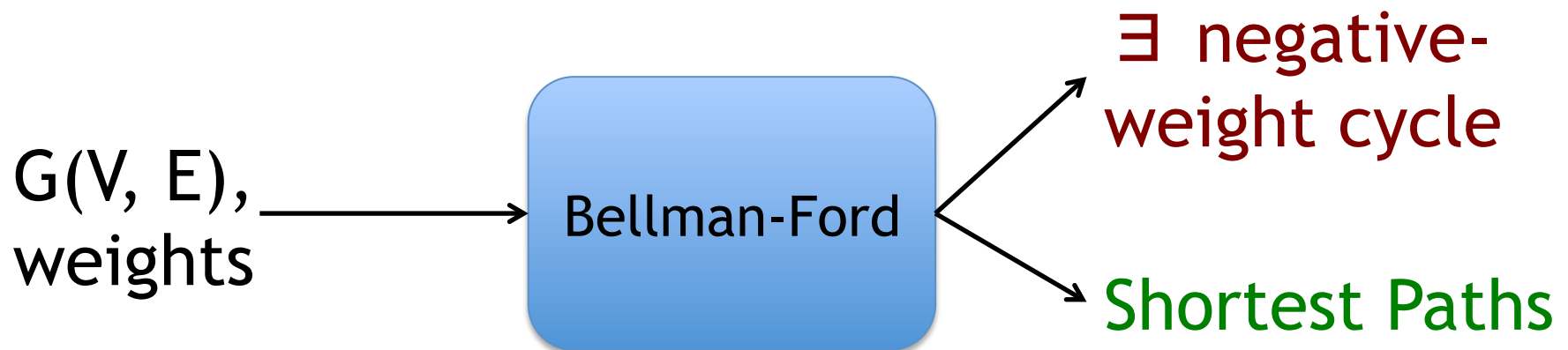
How To Check For Cycles If Claim is True

Run BF just one extra iteration!

Check if $A[n][v] = A[n-1][v]$ for all v .

If so, no negative cycles, o.w. there is a negative cycle.

Running n iterations is the general form of BF:



Proof of Claim:

BF Stabilizes \Rightarrow G has no negative cycles

Assume BF has stabilized in iteration i.

Notation: $d(v) = A[i][v] = A[i-1][v]$ (by above assumption)

$$A[i][v] = \min \left\{ A[i-1][v], \min_{(u,v) \in E} A[i-1][u] + c_{(u,v)} \right\}$$

$$d(v) = \min \left\{ d(v), \min_{(u,v) \in E} d(u) + c_{(u,v)} \right\}$$

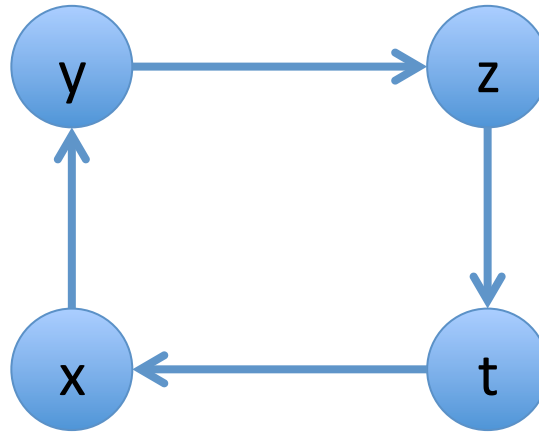
$$d(v) \leq d(u) + c_{(u,v)}$$

Let's argue that every cycle C has non-negative weight...

Proof of Claim (continued)

$$d(v) \leq d(u) + c_{(u,v)}$$

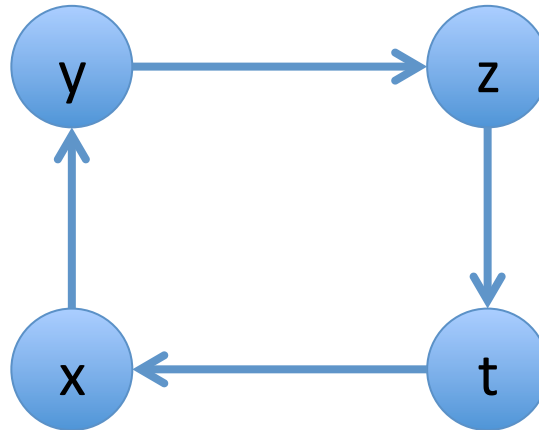
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Proof of Claim (continued)

$$d(v) \leq d(u) + c_{(u,v)} \Rightarrow d(v) - d(u) \leq c_{(u,v)}$$

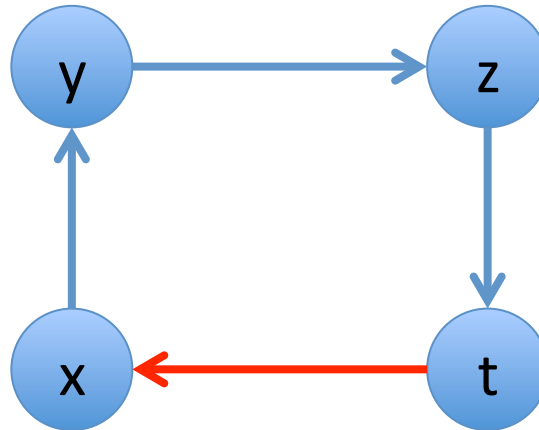
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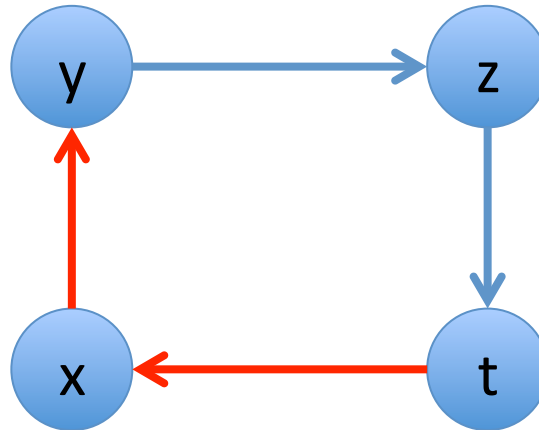


$$d(x) - d(t) \leq c_{(t,x)}$$

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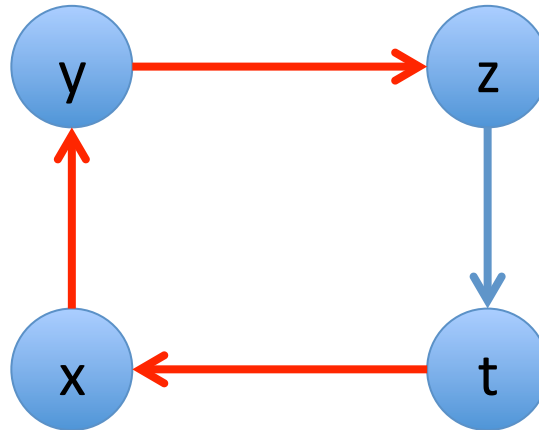
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$$d(y) - d(x) \leq c_{(x,y)}$$

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Fix a cycle C:



$$d(x) - d(t) \leq c_{(t,x)}$$

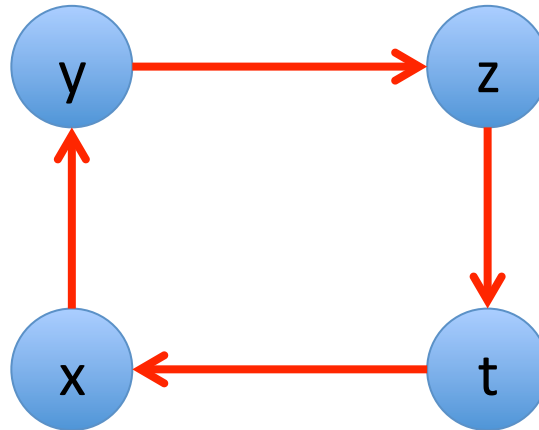
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$$d(z) - d(y) \leq c_{(y,z)}$$

$$d(t) - d(z) \leq c_{(z,t)}$$

$$0 \leq w(C)$$

*Same algebra and result
for any cycle (exercise).*

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Space Optimization (1)

Only need $A[i-1][v]$'s to compute $A[i][v]$ s.

⇒ Only need $O(n)$ space; i.e., $O(1)$ per vertex.

Q: By throwing things out, what do we lose in general?

A: Reconstruction of the actual paths.

*But with only $O(n)$ more space, we can actually
reconstruct the paths!*

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for i = 1, ..., n-1:
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  for v ∈ V:
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    A[i][v] = min {A[i-1][v]  
                  min(u,v) ∈ E A[i-1][u] + c(u,v)}
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Space Optimization (1)

Fix: Each v stores a predecessor pointer (initially null)

Whenever $A[i][v]$ is updated to $A[i-1][u] + c_{(u,v)}$, we set the $\text{Pred}[v]$ to u .

Claim: At termination, tracing pointers back from v yields the shortest s - v path.

(Details in the book, by induction on i)

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for $i = 1, \dots, n-1$:

for $v \in V$:

$A[i][v] = \min \{ A[i-1][v], \min_{(u,v) \in E} A[i-1][u] + c_{(u,v)} \}$

Summary of BF

Runtime: $O(nm)$, not as fast as Dijkstra's $O(m \log n)$.

But works with negative weight edges.

And is distributable/parallelizable.

Might see its distributed version last lecture of class.

Outline For Today

1. SSSP in DAGs: DP Algorithm
2. SSSP without Negative Edges: Dijkstra's Greedy Algorithm
3. SSSP with Negative Edges: Bellman Ford DP Algorithm
4. All pairs Shortest Paths: Floyd Warshall DP Algorithm

All-Pairs Shortest Paths (APSP)

Input: Directed $G(V, E)$, arbitrary edge weights.

Output: $\forall u, v, d(u, v)$: shortest (u, v) path in G .

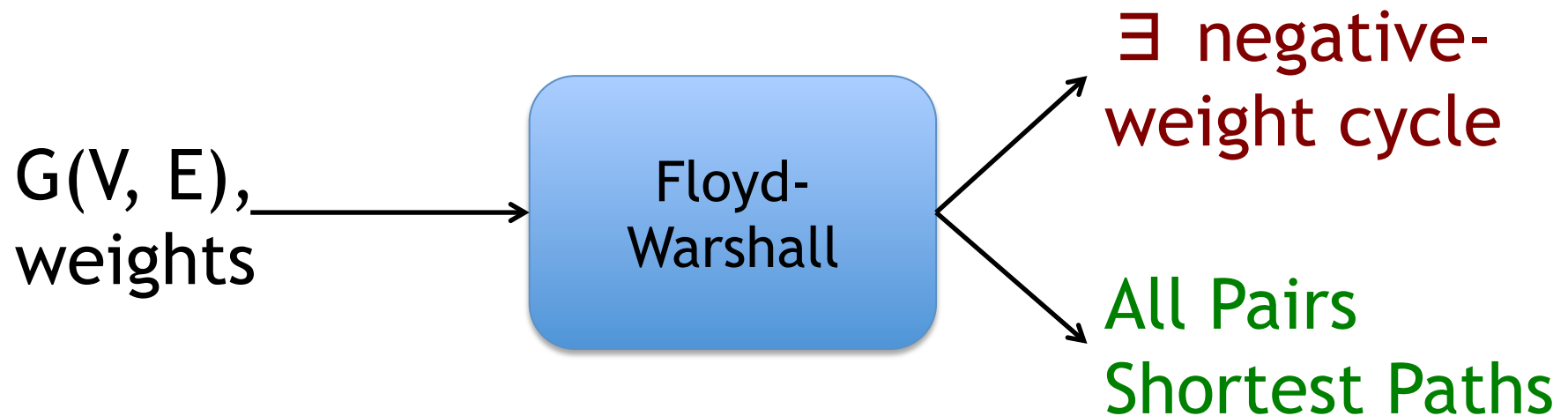
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Q: What's a lower-bound to solve APSP?

A: $O(n^2)$ b/c there are $O(n^2)$ outputs

Upshot: Floyd-Warshall's Properties

Note: Floyd-Warshall will be able to detect if there is a negative weight cycle!



Both outputs computed in asymptotically the same amount of time.

Floyd-Warshall Idea

Linear IS: input graph naturally ordered sequentially

Seq. Alignment: strings naturally ordered sequentially

SSSP in DAGs: topological ordering

FW imposes sequentiality on the vertices

⇒ order vertices from 1 to n

⇒ only use the first i vertices in each subproblem

(Same idea works for SSSP, but not very efficient)

Floyd-Warshall Subproblems

$V = \{1, \dots, n\}$, ordered completely arbitrarily

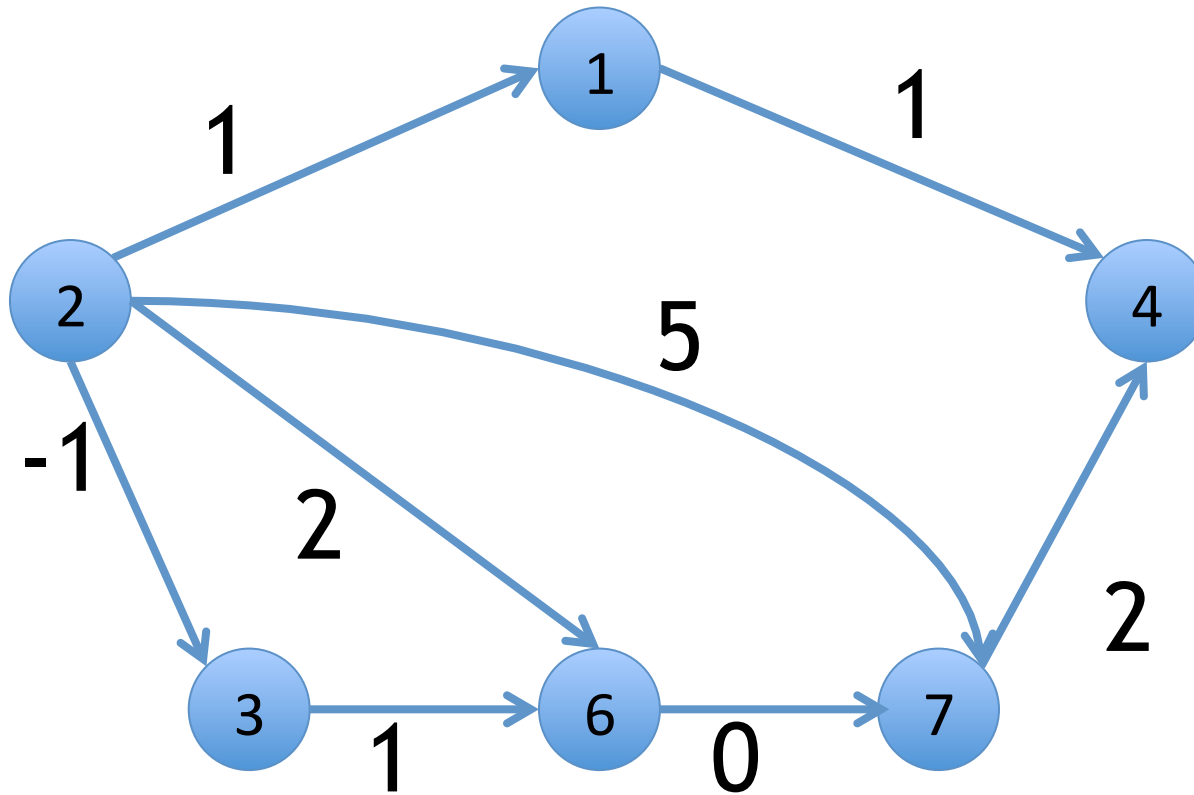
$V^k = \{1, \dots, k\}$

Original Problem: $\forall (u, v)$ shortest u, v path.

We need to define the subproblems.

Subproblem $P_{(i, j, k)}$ = shortest i, j path that uses only V^k as intermediate nodes (excluding i and j).

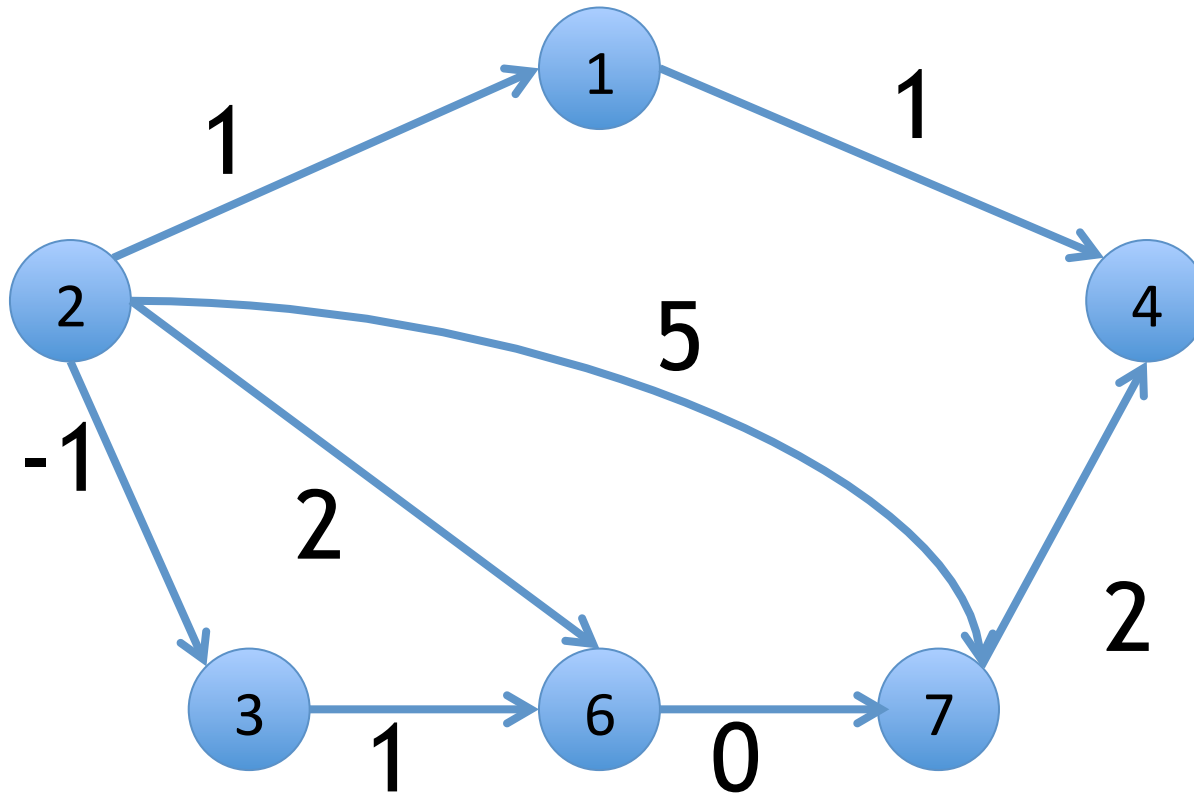
Floyd-Warshall Subproblems



Q: $P_{(6,4,1)}$?

A: null (weight of $+\infty$)

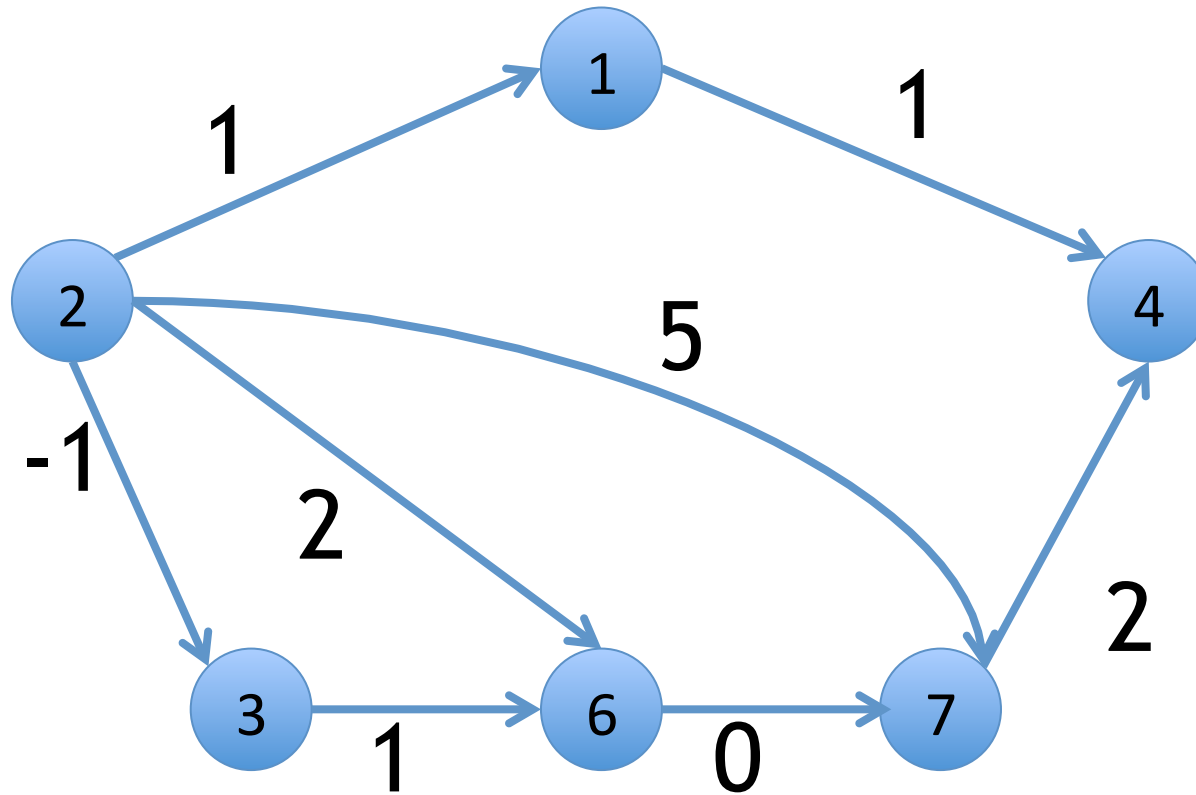
Floyd-Warshall Subproblems



Q: $P_{(2,4,1)}$?

A: 2->1->4 (weight of 2)

Floyd-Warshall Subproblems

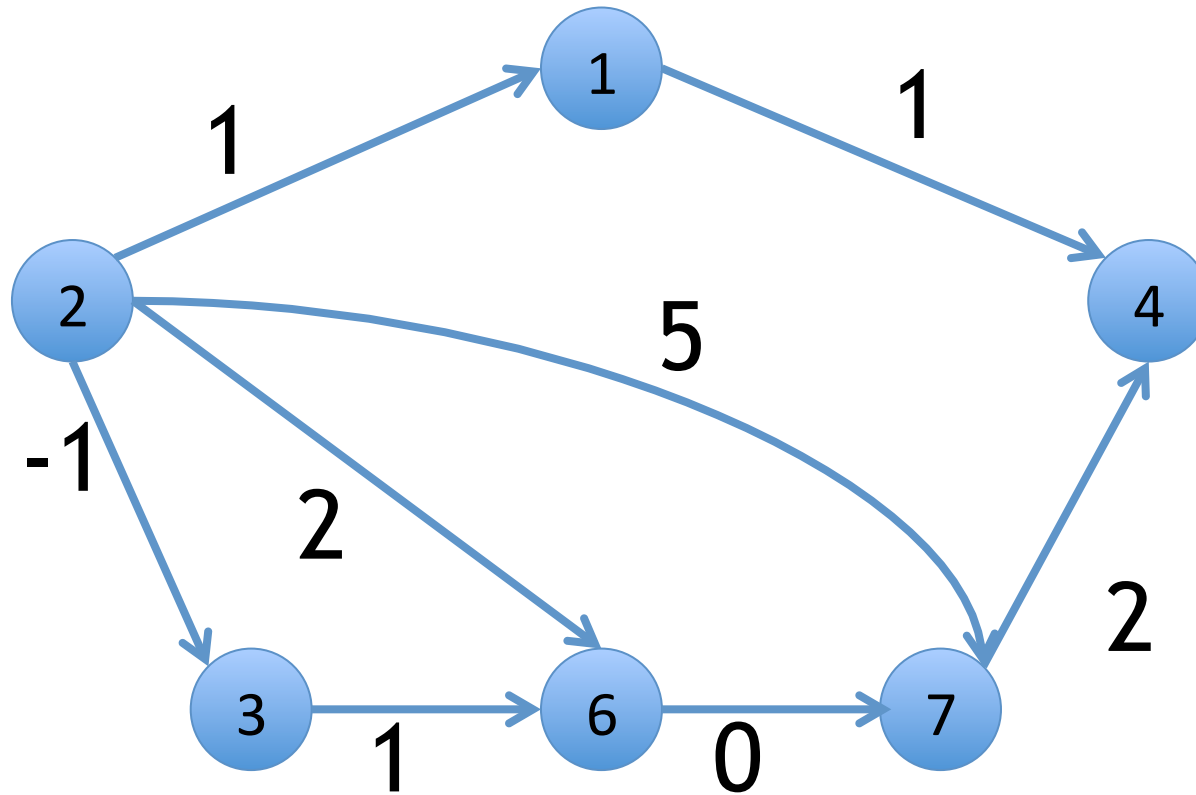


Q: $P_{(2,6,0)}$?

A: 2-6 (weight of 2)

(no intermediate nodes needed)

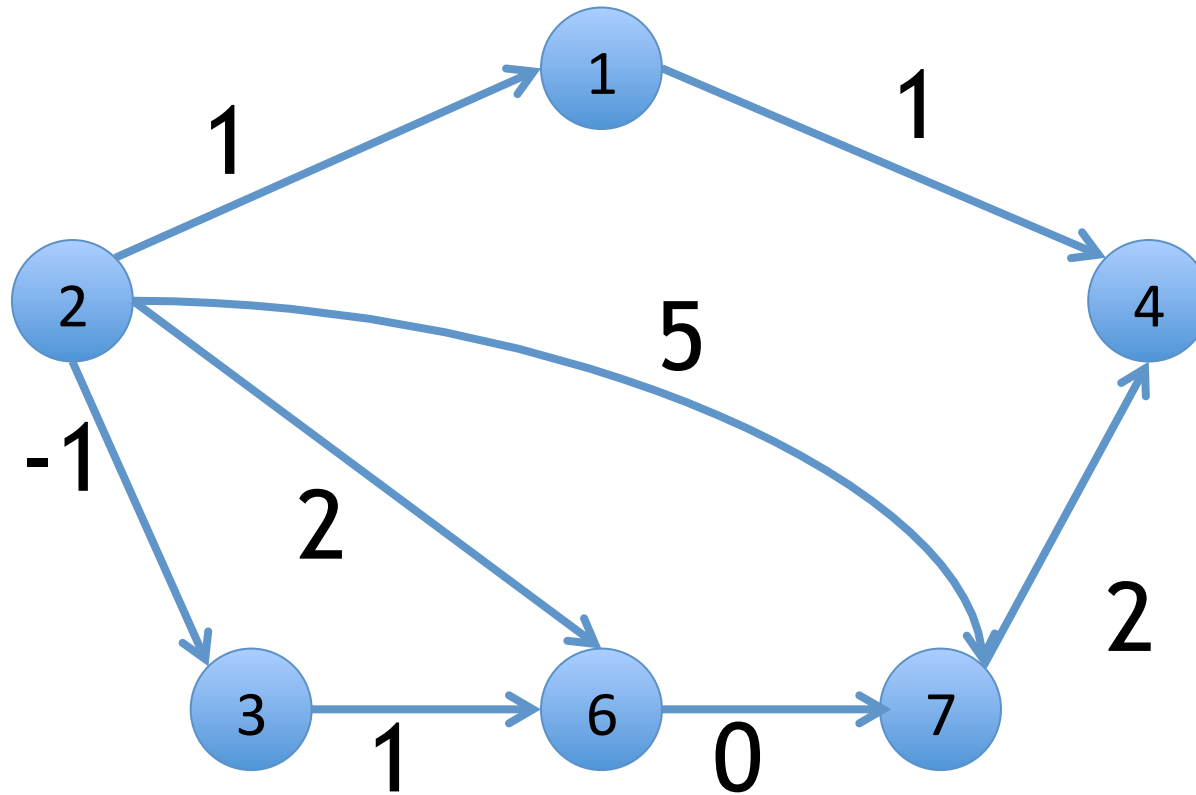
Floyd-Warshall Subproblems



Q: $P_{(2,6,1)}$?

A: 2-6 (still weight of 2)
(without intermediate nodes)

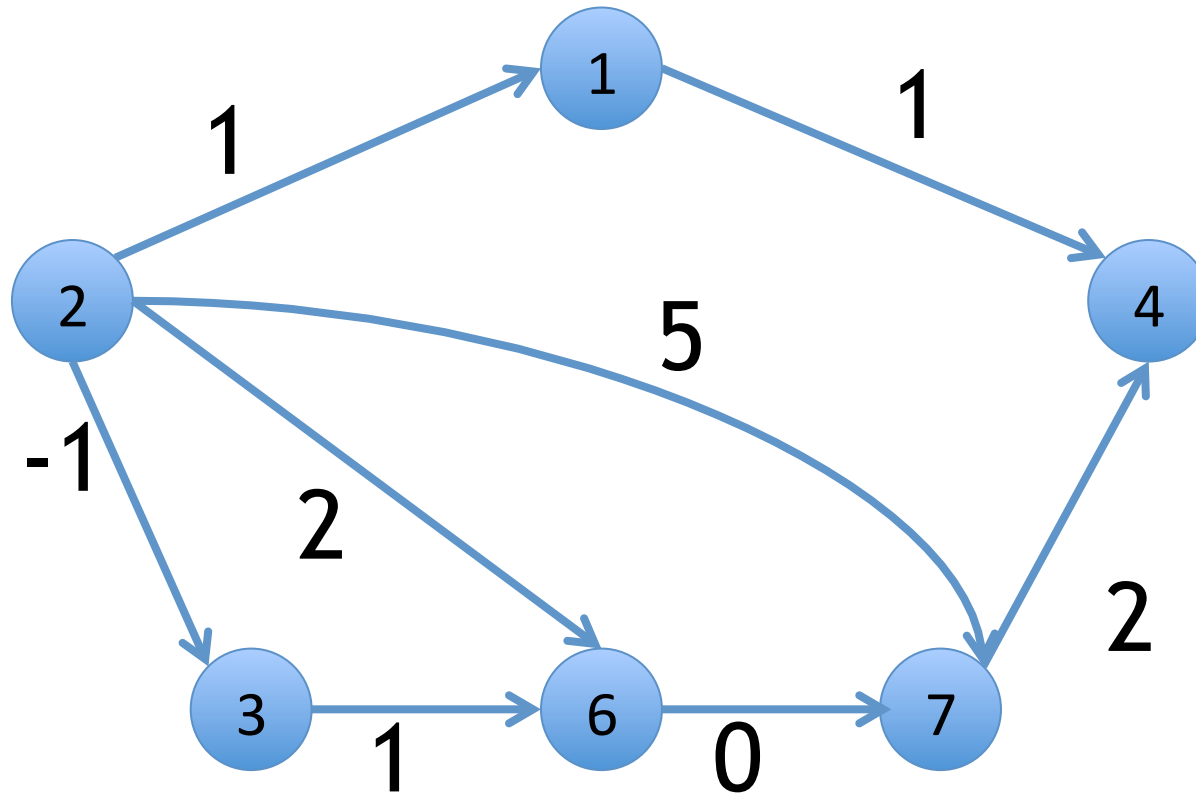
Floyd-Warshall Subproblems



Q: $P_{(2,6,2)}$?

A: 2-6 (still weight of 2)
(without intermediate nodes)

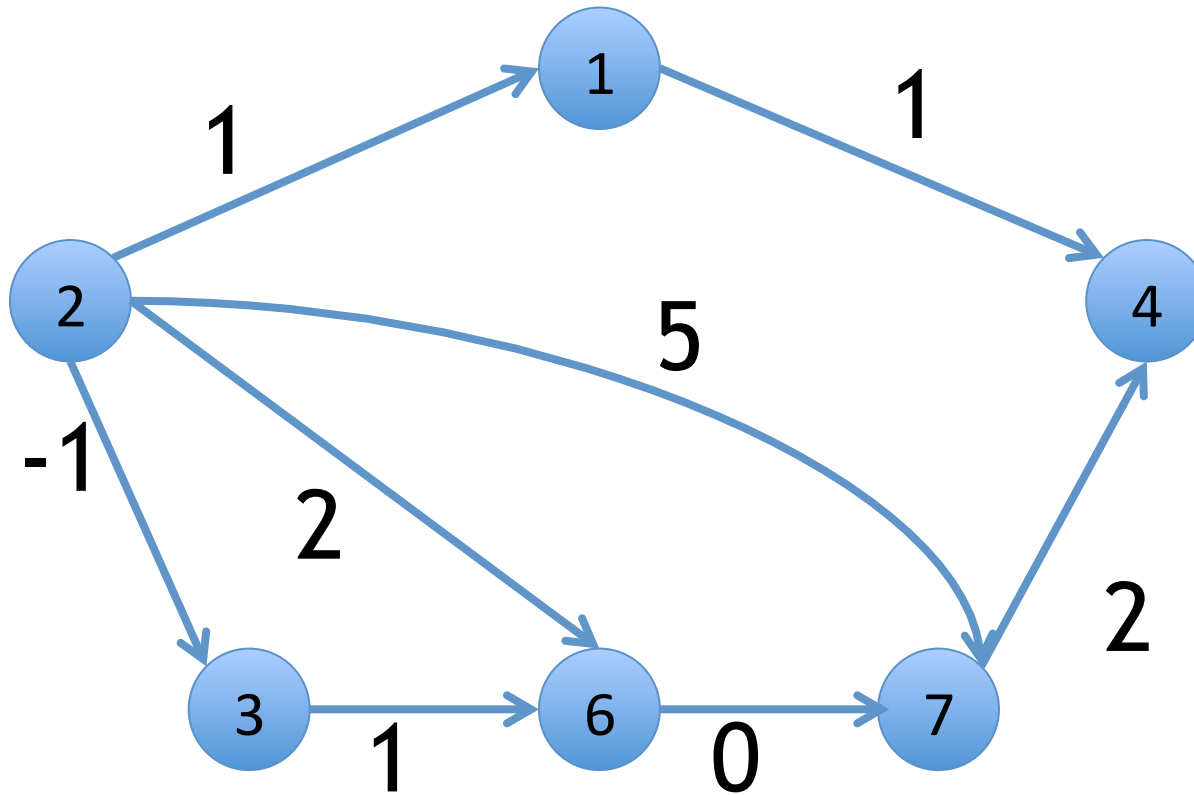
Floyd-Warshall Subproblems



Q: $P_{(2,6,3)}$?

A: 2->3->6 (weight of 0)
(now with intermediate node 3)

Floyd-Warshall Subproblems

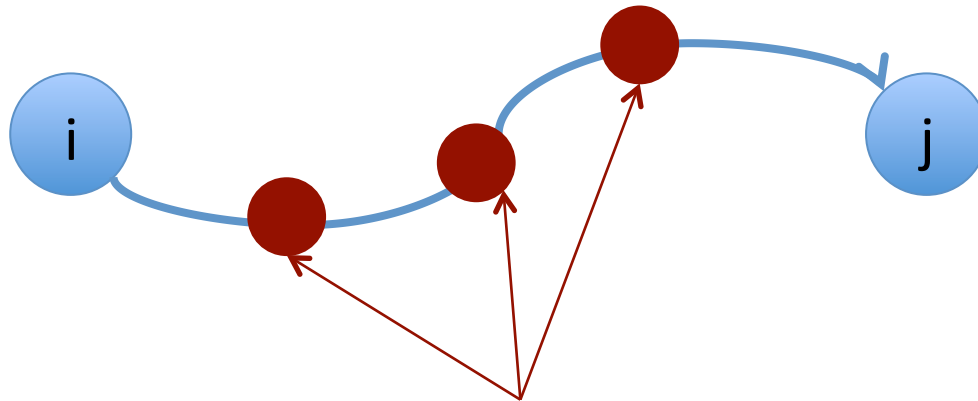


*Final shortest $i \leadsto j$ path is $P_{(i, j, n)}$
when we're allowed to use any vertices
as intermediate nodes.*

Claim That Doesn't Require A Proof

Fix source i , and destination j . Consider $P_{(i, j, k)}$:

$$k \notin P_{(i, j, k)} \text{ OR } k \in P_{(i, j, k)}$$

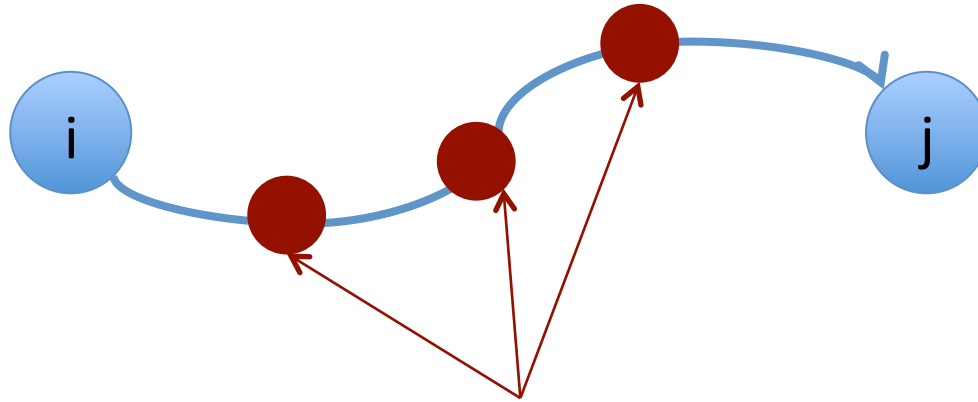


(either one of the intermediate vertices is k or it's not)

Case 1: $k \notin P_{(i, j, k)}$

Then all internal nodes are from $1, \dots, k-1$.

Q: What can we assert about $P_{(i, j, k)}$?



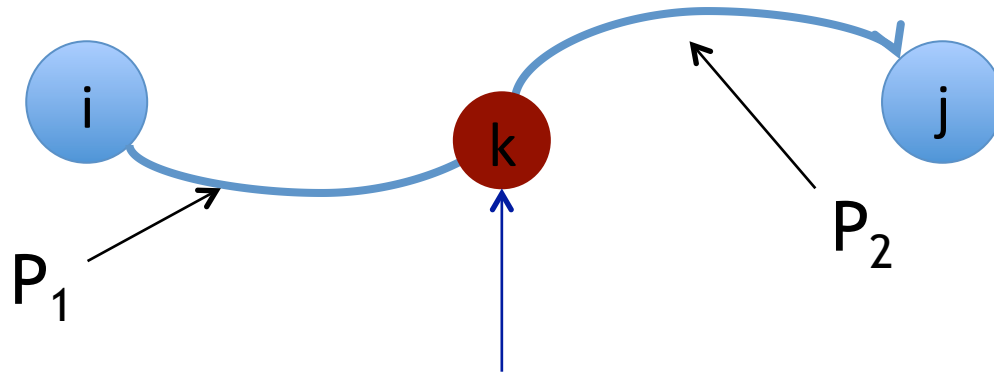
all intermediate vertices are from V^{k-1}

A: $P_{(i, j, k)} = P_{(i, j, k-1)}$

(proof by contradiction)

Case 2: $k \in P_{(i, j, k)}$

Q: What can we assert about P_1 and P_2 ?



one (and only one) of the int. nodes is k. (why only one?)

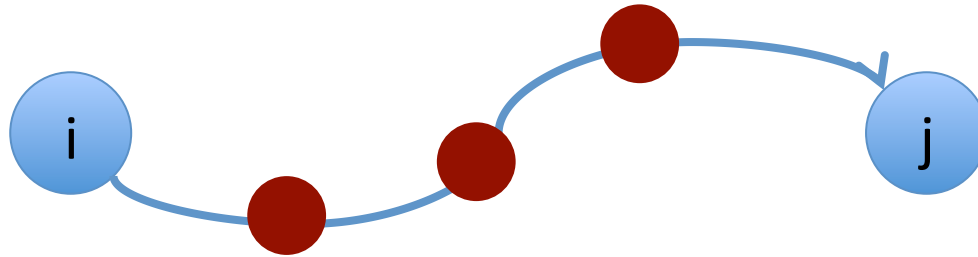
A1: P_1 & P_2 only contain int. nodes $1, \dots, k-1$

A2: $P_1 = P_{(i, k, k-1)}$ & $P_2 = P_{(k, j, k-1)}$

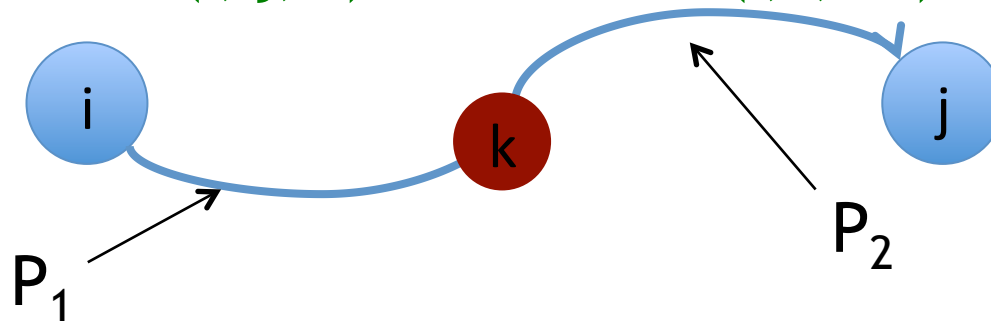
(proof by contradiction)

Summary of the 2 Cases

Case 1: $k \notin P_{(i, j, k)} \Rightarrow P_{(i, j, k)} = P_{(i, j, k-1)}$



Case 2: $k \in P_{(i, j, k)} \Rightarrow P_1 = P_{(i, k, k-1)} \ \& \ P_2 = P_{(k, j, k-1)}$



Recurrence for Larger Subproblems

$\forall i, j, k$ and where $i, j, k = \{1, \dots, n\}$

$P_{(i, j, k)}$: shortest $i \rightsquigarrow j$ path with all intermediate nodes from $V^k = \{1, \dots, k\}$ (or null)

$L_{(i, j, k)}$: $w(P_{(i, j, k)})$ (and $+\infty$ for null paths)

$$L_{(i, j, k)} = \min \left\{ \begin{array}{l} L_{(i, j, k-1)} \\ L_{(i, k, k-1)} + L_{(k, j, k-1)} \end{array} \right.$$

With appropriate base cases.

Floyd-Warshall Algorithm

Let A be an $n \times n \times n$ 3D array.

$A[i][j][k]$ = shortest $i \rightsquigarrow j$ path with V^k as intermediate nodes

procedure Floyd-Warshall($G(V, E)$, weights C):
Base Cases: $A[i][i][0]$

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procedure Floyd-Warshall($G(V, E)$, weights C):

Base Cases: $A[i][i][0] = 0$

$A[i][j][0] =$

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Base Cases: $A[i][i][0] = 0$

$A[i][j][0] = C_{i,j}$ if $(i, j) \in E$
 $+\infty$ if $(i, j) \notin E$

for $k = 1, \dots, n$:

for $i = 1, \dots, n$:

for $j = 1, \dots, n$:

$A[i][j][k] = \min \{A[i][j][k-1],$
 $A[i][k][k-1] + A[k][j][k-1]\}$

Correctness & Runtime

Correctness: induction on i, j, k & correctness of recurrence

Runtime: $O(n^3)$ (b/c n^3 subproblems, $O(1)$ for each one)

procedure Floyd-Warshall($G(V, E)$, weights C):

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Detecting Negative Cycles

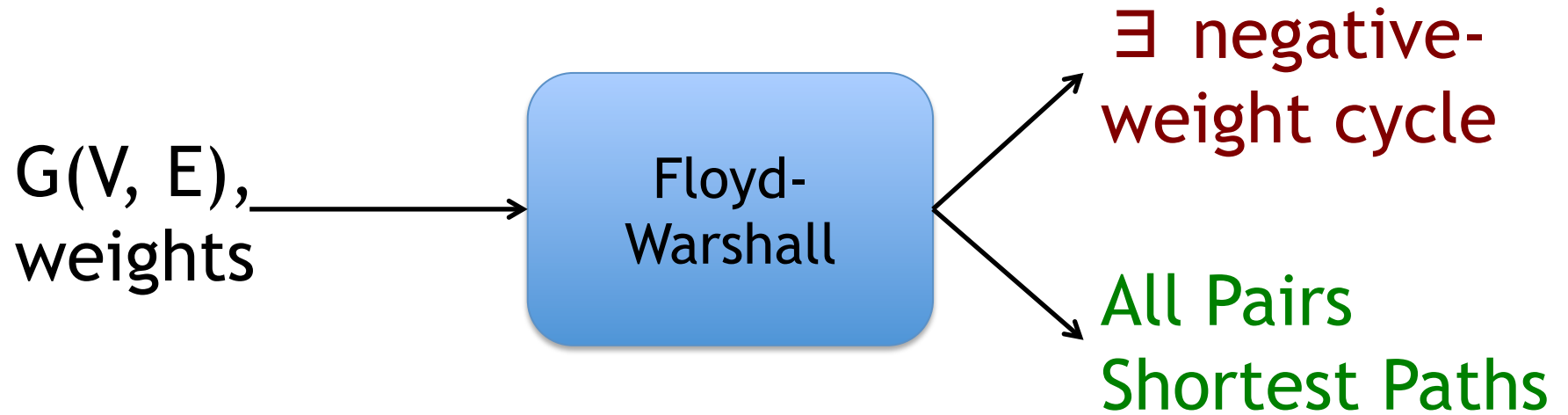
Just check the $A[i][i][n]$ for each i !

Let C be a negative cycle with l the largest
ID vertex on C

\Rightarrow for any vertex j on C , $A[j][j][l] \leq 0$

\Rightarrow therefore $A[j][j][n]$ will be negative

As Promised



Path Reconstruction

Keep successors for each $i \rightarrow j$ path in an array $S[i][j]$.

Initially, $S[i][j] = \text{null}$ or j if (i,j) exists.

If $A[i][j][k] = A[i][k][k-1] + A[k][j][k-1]$

then update $S[i][j]$ to $S[i][k]$.

E.g: Suppose at termination $S[i][j] = w$.

Then we look at $S[w][j] = z$

Then we look at $S[z][j] \dots$ until we hit j .

SSSP DAG, Dijkstra, FW

	SSSP DAG	Dijkstra	Bellman- Ford	FW
Single-Source / All Pairs	Single-Source	Single-Source	Single Source	All Pairs
Run-time	$O(n + m)$	$O(m \log(n))$	$O(mn)$	$O(n^3)$
Negative Edges	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Negative Cycles	No	No	No, but can detect	No, but can detect

Next Week: Intractability, P vs NP &
What to Do for NP-hard Problems?
Especially don't miss the first lecture!