

immediately:

$$\text{dist}(u, v, \ell) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } \ell = 0 \text{ and } u = v \\ \infty & \text{if } \ell = 0 \text{ and } u \neq v \\ \min \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{dist}(u, v, \ell - 1) \\ \min_{x \rightarrow v} (\text{dist}(u, x, \ell - 1) + w(x \rightarrow v)) \end{array} \right\} & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

recursive formula

Turning this recurrence into a dynamic programming algorithm is straightforward; the resulting algorithm runs in $O(V^2E) = O(V^4)$ time.

For each ℓ , we have a 2D array. $\ell = 0$ is base case.

$\forall \ell$, as long as we have the table for $\ell - 1$, we can compute the table for ℓ .

Alg 1:

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SHIMBELAPSP(V, E, w):
1: for all vertices u
2:   for all vertices v
3:     if u = v
4:       dist[u, v, 0] ← 0
5:     else
6:       dist[u, v, 0] ← ∞
7: for ℓ ← 1 to V - 1
8:   for all vertices u
9:     for all vertices v ≠ u
10:      dist[u, v, ℓ] ← dist[u, v, ℓ - 1]
11:      for all edges x → v
12:        if dist[u, v, ℓ] > dist[u, x, ℓ - 1] + w(x → v)
13:          dist[u, v, ℓ] ← dist[u, x, ℓ - 1] + w(x → v)

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initially, we know no paths (of length 0)

trying to have x be the last stop before v.

This algorithm was first sketched by Alfonso Shimbel in 1954.⁵ Just like Bellman's formulation of Bellman-Ford, we don't need the inner loop over vertices v or the iteration index ℓ . The modified algorithm is shown below.

Alg 2:

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ALLPAIRSBELLMANFORD(V, E, w):
1: for all vertices u
2:   for all vertices v
3:     if u = v
4:       dist[u, v] ← 0
5:     else
6:       dist[u, v] ← ∞
7: for ℓ ← 1 to V - 1
8:   for all vertices u
9:     for all edges x → v
10:      if dist[u, v] > dist[u, x] + w(x → v)
11:        dist[u, v] ← dist[u, x] + w(x → v)

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No ℓ there!

ℓ is used to bound how many times we make updates.

⁵Shimbel assumed the input was a complete $V \times V$ matrix of distances, so his original algorithm actually runs in $O(V^4)$ time no matter how many edges the graph has.

In groups: How are these algorithms working? Try it out on a small example.

alg. 1 line 11, alg. 2 line 9

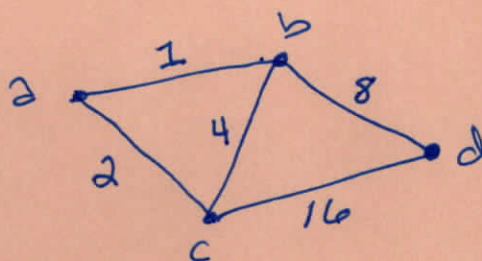
→ what exactly does this set of edges look like?
 $l=2, l-1=1$

I'm computing:

①

$l-1$	a	b	c	d
a	0	1	2	∞
b	1	0	4	8
c	2	4	0	16
d	∞	8	16	0

$l=2$	a	b	c	d
a		1		
b				
c				
d				



line 7: $l=2$. I see my table for $l-1=1$ above (left)

line 8: $u=a$ (my options: a, b, c, d)

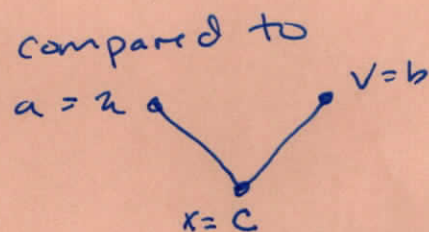
line 9: $v=b$ (my options were: b, c, d)

line 10: all edges $x \rightarrow b$: this set / my options are
 $\{a \rightarrow b, c \rightarrow b, d \rightarrow b\}$

lets' choose edge $c \rightarrow b$.

line 12: checkind $\text{dist}[\hat{u}, \hat{v}, l] > \text{dist}[\hat{u}, \hat{x}, l-1] + w(\hat{x} \rightarrow \hat{v})$

$u \rightarrow v=b$



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2 + 4

FALSE

②

What is a flow?

Given: weighted ^{directed} graph $G = (V, E, c)$
 \uparrow capacity fn.

Source seV
Sink teV

Def'n: A (feasible) (s, t) -flow in G is a
fcn on the edges $f: E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ s.t.

① capacity constraint: $\forall e \in E$ $\left. \begin{array}{l} 0 \leq f(e) \leq c(e) \end{array} \right\} \textcircled{1}$

② conservation of flow: $\forall v \in V \setminus \{s, t\}$

$$\underbrace{\sum_{u \in V} f(u \rightarrow v)}_{\text{the flow into } v} = \underbrace{\sum_{w \in V} f(v \rightarrow w)}_{\text{the flow out of } v}$$

where if $a \rightarrow b \notin E$, $f(a \rightarrow b) := 0$.

⊕ w/out capacity constraint, we have a flow that is not feasible.

Def'n: If $e \in E$ and $f(e) = c(e)$, then we say that f saturates e .

say that f satisfies ϵ .

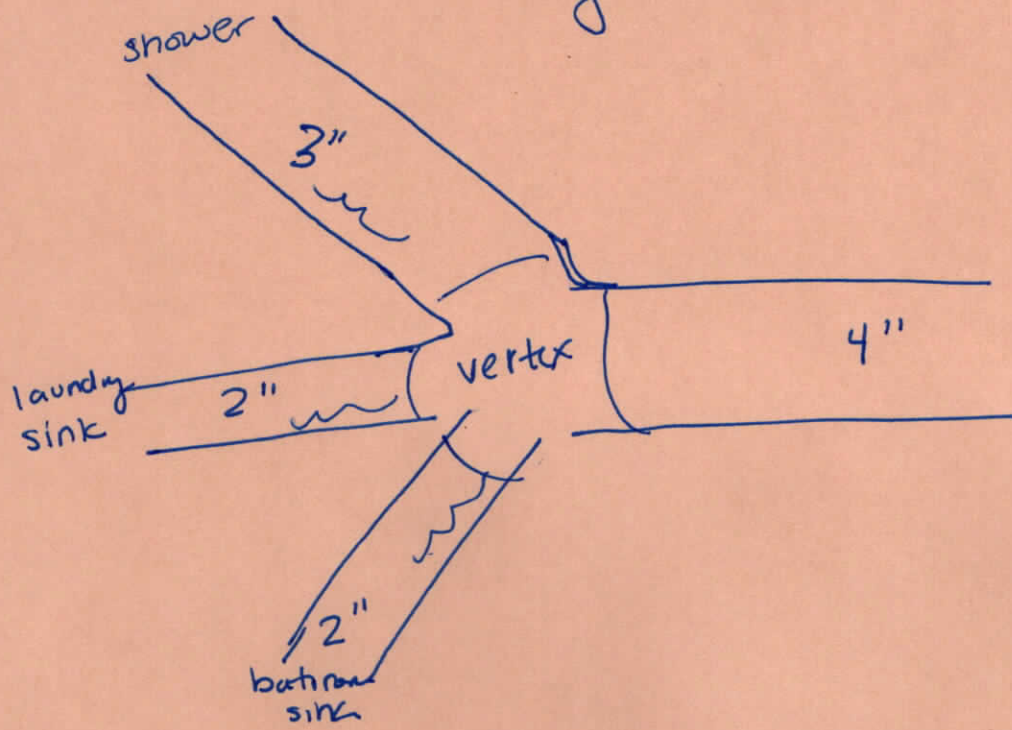
Def'n: The value of a flow $|f| := \sum_{u \in V} f(s \rightarrow u) - \sum_{w \in V} f(w \rightarrow s)$ (3)

Groups

① Draw a graph with at least 5 verts.

② Create at least 3 feasible flows

- identify value of flow
- identify saturated edges



OK to send less
not ok to send more

In computer networks, how fast can bits travel