

Paths in Graphs

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Dijkstra's algorithm for SSSP

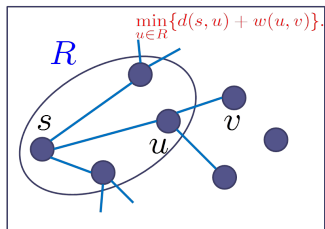
$$R \triangleq \{v \mid s \rightsquigarrow v \text{ is known}\}$$

Finding shortest paths from s to other nodes t in increasing order of $\text{dist}(s, t)$.

Theorem (Invariant)

$$\exists d : \begin{cases} \text{dist}(s, v) \leq l, & \forall v \in R, \\ \text{dist}(s, v) > l, & \forall v \notin R \end{cases}$$

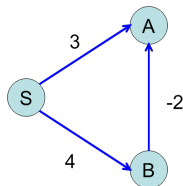
Dijkstra's algorithm for SSSP



Negative edges

Negative edges (Problem 6.16)

Dijkstra's algorithm may fail if $w(e) < 0$.



Negative edges

Negative edges from s (Problem 6.21)

All negative edges are from s .

$$\arg \min_{(s,v)} w(s, v)$$

Generalized shortest path problem

Generalized shortest path problem (Problem 6.20)

- ▶ digraph $G = (V, E)$, $l_e > 0$, $c_v > 0$, $s \in V$
- ▶ shortest paths from s

$$l'(u, v) = l(u, v) + c_v$$

Shortest paths among nodes

Shortest paths among nodes (Problem 6.27)

- ▶ $G = (V, E), w(e) \geq 0$
- ▶ $S, T \subseteq V$
- ▶ compute $\min\{d(s, t) : s \in S, t \in T\}$

$$V' = V + \{s_0, t_0\}$$

Shortest path through v_0

Shortest paths through v_0 (Problem 6.28)

- ▶ strongly connected digraph $G = (V, E), w(e) > 0$
- ▶ $v_0 \in V$
- ▶ find shortest paths $s \rightsquigarrow^{\text{SP}} t$ through v_0

$$s \rightsquigarrow^{\text{SP}} v_0 \rightsquigarrow^{\text{SP}} t$$

$$\#v'_0 s = 1$$

Shortest path in maze

Shortest paths in maze (Problem 6.24)

1. $w(e) = c > 0$ without obstacles
2. $w(e) = c > 0$ with obstacles
3. $w(e) > 0$
 - 3.1 \rightarrow, \downarrow ; in $O(n + m)$
 - 3.2 $\uparrow, \downarrow, \leftarrow, \uparrow$
4. $\exists e : w(e) < 0$ without negative cycles

$$(3.1) \ d[v] = \min_{u \in v} d[u] + w(u \rightarrow v)$$

Compute $\text{dist}[v]$ in topo. order.

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Dijkstra's algorithm

$$\text{dist}(v) = \min_{u \in N(v)} \{ \text{dist}(u) + l(u, v) \}$$

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for all  $v \in V$  do
     $\text{dist}[v] \leftarrow \infty$ 
 $\text{dist}[s] \leftarrow 0$ 

 $Q \leftarrow \text{MinPQ}(V)$ 

    while  $Q \neq \emptyset$  do
         $u \leftarrow \text{deleteMin}(Q)$ 
        for all  $(u, v) \in E \wedge v \in Q$  do
            if  $\text{dist}[v] > \text{dist}[u] + l(u, v)$ 
            then
                 $\text{dist}[v] \leftarrow \text{dist}[u] + l(u, v)$ 
                 $\text{decreaseKey}(Q, v)$ 

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$$O(n + (n + m) \log n) \implies O((n + m) \log n) \implies O(m \log n)$$

Dijkstra's algorithm

Prim's algorithm for MST:

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if  $\text{cost}[u] > w(u, v)$  then
     $\text{cost}[u] \leftarrow w(u, v)$ 
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BFS:

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 $Q \leftarrow \text{FIFO-Q}(s)$ 
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if  $\text{dist}[v] = \infty$  then
     $\text{dist}[v] \leftarrow \text{dist}[u] + 1$ 
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Unique shortest paths

Unique shortest paths (Problem 6.18)

Undirected graph $G = (V, E)$, $w(e) > 0$, $s \in V$:

$$\text{usp}[v] = T \iff \exists! s \rightsquigarrow^{\text{SP}} v$$

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for all  $v \in V$  do
     $\text{usp}[v] \leftarrow F$ 
 $\text{usp}[s] \leftarrow T$ 
    if  $\text{dist}[v] > \text{dist}[u] + l(u, v)$  then
         $\text{dist}[v] \leftarrow \text{dist}[u] + l(u, v)$ 
         $\text{usp}[v] \leftarrow \text{usp}[u]$ 
    else if  $\text{dist}[v] = \text{dist}[u] + l(u, v)$  then
         $\text{usp}[v] \leftarrow F$ 
  
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Number of shortest paths

Number of shortest paths (Problem 6.31, 5.26)

$$\#s \rightsquigarrow^{\text{SP}} v$$

$$O(n + m) \text{ if } w(e) = 1$$

Min-max path problem

Min-max path problem (Problem 6.23)

- ▶ $G = (V, E)$: network of highways
- ▶ l_e : road length; L : tank capacity
- ▶ (1) Given L , $\exists? s \rightsquigarrow t$.
- ▶ (2) Given G , compute $\min L$.

$$L[v] = \min_{u \in N(v)} \max\{L[u], l(u, v)\}$$

for all $v \in V$ **do**

$L[v] \leftarrow \infty$

$L[s] \leftarrow 0$

if $L[v] > \max(L[u], l(u, v))$ **then**

$L[v] \leftarrow \max(L[u], l(u, v))$

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$O(\log m)$ binary searches for $\min L$

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Max-min path problem (Problem 6.26)

- ▶ $G = (V, E)$: network of oil pipelines
- ▶ $c(u, v)$: capacity of (u, v)
- ▶ (1) Given s , compute $\text{cap}(s, v)$.
- ▶ (2) Compute all-pair $\text{cap}(u, v)$.

$$\text{cap}[v] = \max_{u \in N(v)} \min(\text{cap}[u], c(u, v))$$

$$Q \leftarrow \text{MaxPQ}(V)$$

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Bellman-Ford algorithm

Bellman-Ford algorithm (Problem 6.30)

- ▶ digraph $G = (V, E), \exists e : w(e) < 0$
- ▶ $\forall s, t : |s \rightsquigarrow^{\text{SP}} t| \leq k$
- ▶ Given s, t , find $s \rightsquigarrow^{\text{SP}} t$.

$d(v, k)$: shortest path distance from s to v using $\leq k$ edges

$$s \rightsquigarrow^{\text{SP}; \leq k-1} u \rightarrow^1 v$$

$$d(v, k) = \min_{u \in N(v)} d(u, k-1) + w(u, v)$$

for all $i = 1 \rightarrow n - 1$ **do**
 for all $e \in E$ **do**
 update e

Floyd-Warshall algorithm

$$\text{dist}(i, j, k) = \min(\text{dist}(i, j, k-1), \text{dist}(i, k, k-1) + \text{dist}(k, j, k-1))$$

$$\#k's = 1 \implies \text{dist}(i, k, k-1)$$

Routing table

Routing table (Problem 6.25)

Construct routing table and extract shortest paths from it.

Init: $Go(i, j) \leftarrow \text{Null}$

$\forall (i, j) \in E : Go(i, j) \leftarrow j$

if ... then

$Go(i, j) \leftarrow Go(i, k)$

if $Go(i, j) = \text{Null}$ then

...

while $i \neq j$ do

$i \leftarrow Go(i, j)$

$Prev(i, j) \leftarrow Prev(k, j)$

$Intermediate(i, j) \leftarrow k$

Shortest cycle in digraph

Shortest cycle in digraph

Find shortest cycle in digraph $G = (V, E), w(e) > 0$.

Initialize $\text{dist}[v][v] \leftarrow \infty$ in Floyd-Warshall algorithm

$$\exists v : \text{dist}[v][v] < 0 \text{ vs. } \forall v : \text{dist}[v][v] = \infty$$

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- ▶ (2) Compute all-pair $\text{cap}(u, v)$.

$$\text{cap}(u, v, k) = \max(\text{cap}(u, v, k-1), \min(\text{cap}(u, k, k-1), \text{cap}(k, v, k-1)))$$

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Hamiltonian path in Tournament graph

Hamiltonian path in Tournament graph (Problem 6.22)

$$\begin{aligned}\forall u, v : (u \rightarrow v \vee v \rightarrow u) \\ \wedge \neg(u \rightarrow v \wedge v \rightarrow u)\end{aligned}$$

By mathematical induction on n .

