

3-7 Relax! We are SSSP Algorithms.

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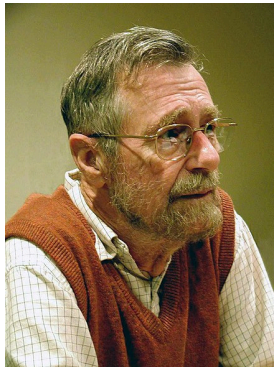
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Q : What about undirected graphs?



*For fundamental contributions to **programming** as a high, intellectual challenge;*

*for eloquent insistence and practical demonstration that programs should be composed correctly, not just debugged into **correctness**;*

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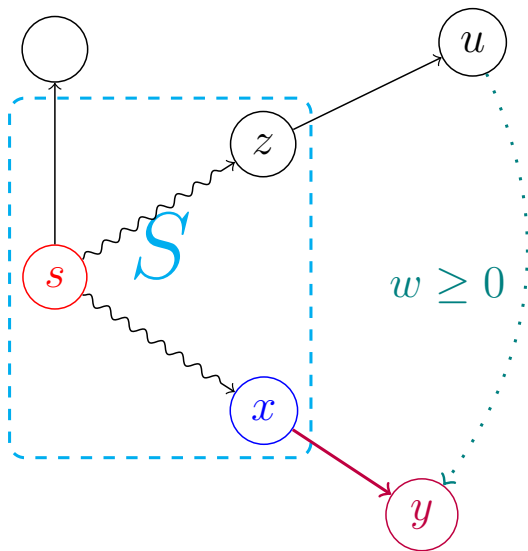
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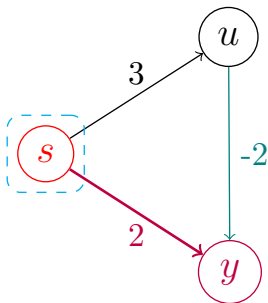
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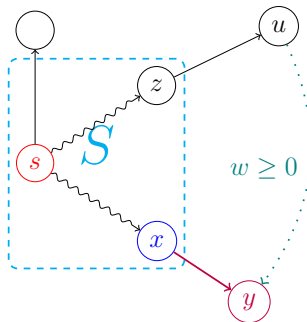


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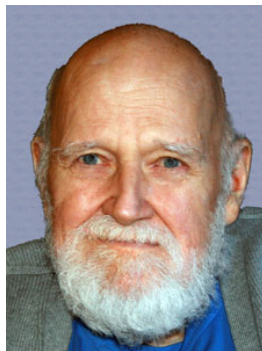
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Little Modification to DAG-SSSP (Problem 24.2-2)

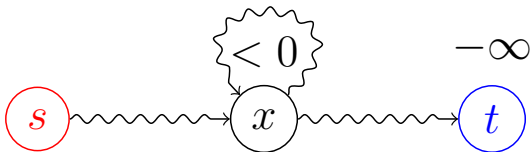
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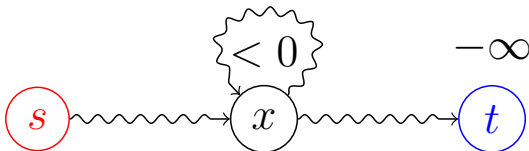
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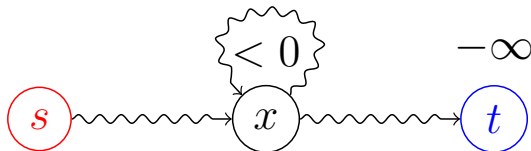


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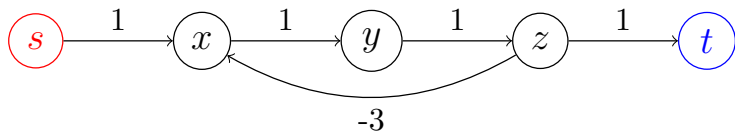


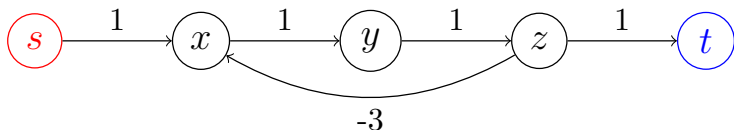
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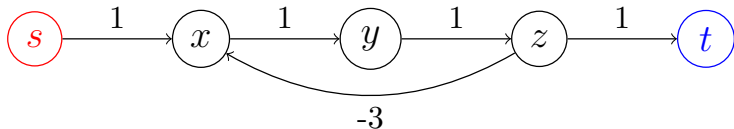
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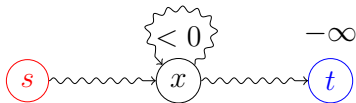
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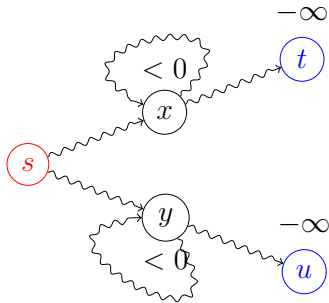
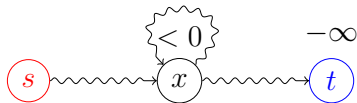
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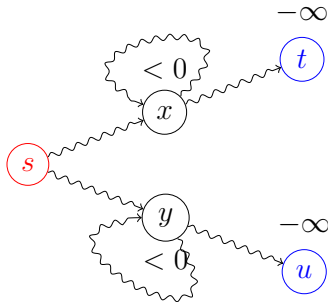
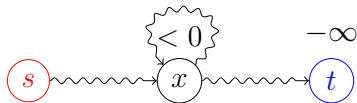
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Theorem (The $|V|$ -th Pass of Bellman-Ford Algorithm)

For *every* reachable negative-weight cycle, *at least one edge* of it has been relaxed in the $|V|$ -th pass.

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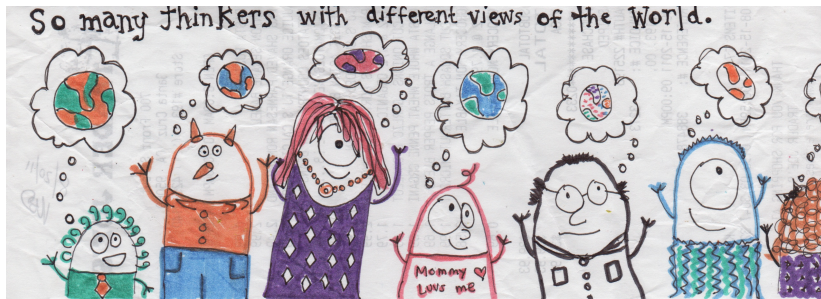
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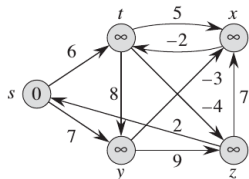
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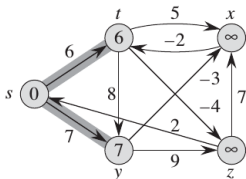
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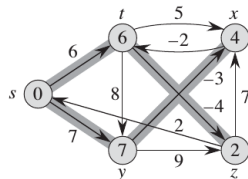
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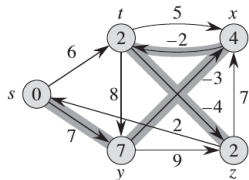
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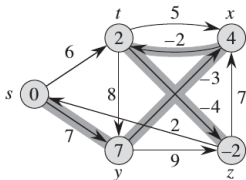
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$$Q : d[i, v] \implies d[v]?$$





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