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### Problem Set - 2

A1)  $G = (V, E)$  with a MST  $T$  and shortest Path  $\pi(s, t)$   
(between two vertices)  
 $s, t \in V$

(a) Weight of Edge is multiplied by a fixed const  $c > 0$

Let  $T$  be previous MST with total edge weight be  $w$ .  
 $T'$  be the new MST with total edge weight be  $w'$ ,  
before multiplying  $c$  to edge weight. Assume  
 $T \neq T'$ .

After Multiplying, as  $T'$  is MST

$$\therefore cw' < cw \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Before Multiplying  $T$  is MST

$$\therefore w < w' \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Multiplying both side by  $c$  ( $c > 0$  so the quality will not change)

$$\Rightarrow cw < cw' \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Seeing (1) & (3) they contradict each other which contradicts the assumption that  $T \neq T'$

$\therefore T = T'$ . Hence Proof hence MST will remain same.

for Shortest Path ( $\pi(s,t)$ ):

On multiplying with  $c$ ,  ~~$w \rightarrow cw$~~   
but relative weight between edges does not  
Change. Like if  $w > w'$  before multiplying  
 $cw > cw'$  still remain same after multiplying.

Therefore, Shortest Path ( $\pi(s,t)$ ) remains same.

(b) Weight of each edge is incremented by a fixed constant  $c > 0$

Effect on MST:

Logically speaking, if  $T$  was earlier MST. After adding  $c$ ,  $T$  is still spanning tree because it would still be connected and acyclic. Now let's talk for Minimum Spanning Tree. Let  $T'$  be new MST with total edge wt  $w'$  before adding. Let there are  $n$  vertices so spanning tree will contain all edges (i.e.  $n-1$ ). So total increment wld be  $c(n-1)$  for all spanning trees.

Before Adding,

$$cw < w' - \textcircled{1} [T \leftarrow \text{MST}]$$

After Adding,

$$w' + c(n-1) < w + c(n-1) [T' \leftarrow \text{MST}]$$

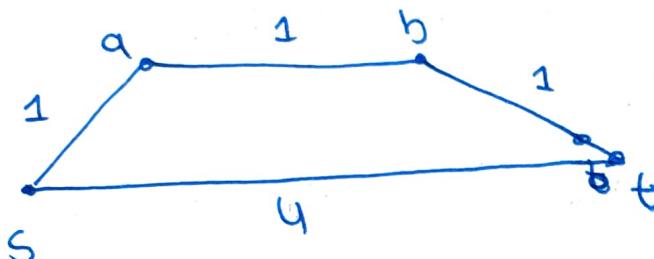
$$w' < w - \textcircled{2}$$

① & ② contradicts each other,  
which contradicts our assumption that  $T \neq T'$ .  
 $\therefore T = T' \Rightarrow$  MST will remain same.

### Effect on Shortest Path ?

Let's disprove with the help of a counter example.

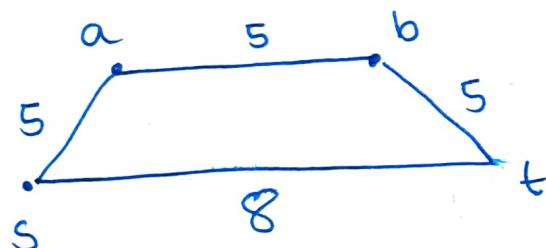
Let Graph,  $G$ , be



Shortest Path  $\pi(s, t)$  be  
 $s \rightarrow a \rightarrow b \rightarrow t$   
 $\pi = 3$ ,

After incrementing each edge by 4.

New Graph  $G'$ ,



Shortest Path:  
 $s \rightarrow t$   
 $\pi = 8$

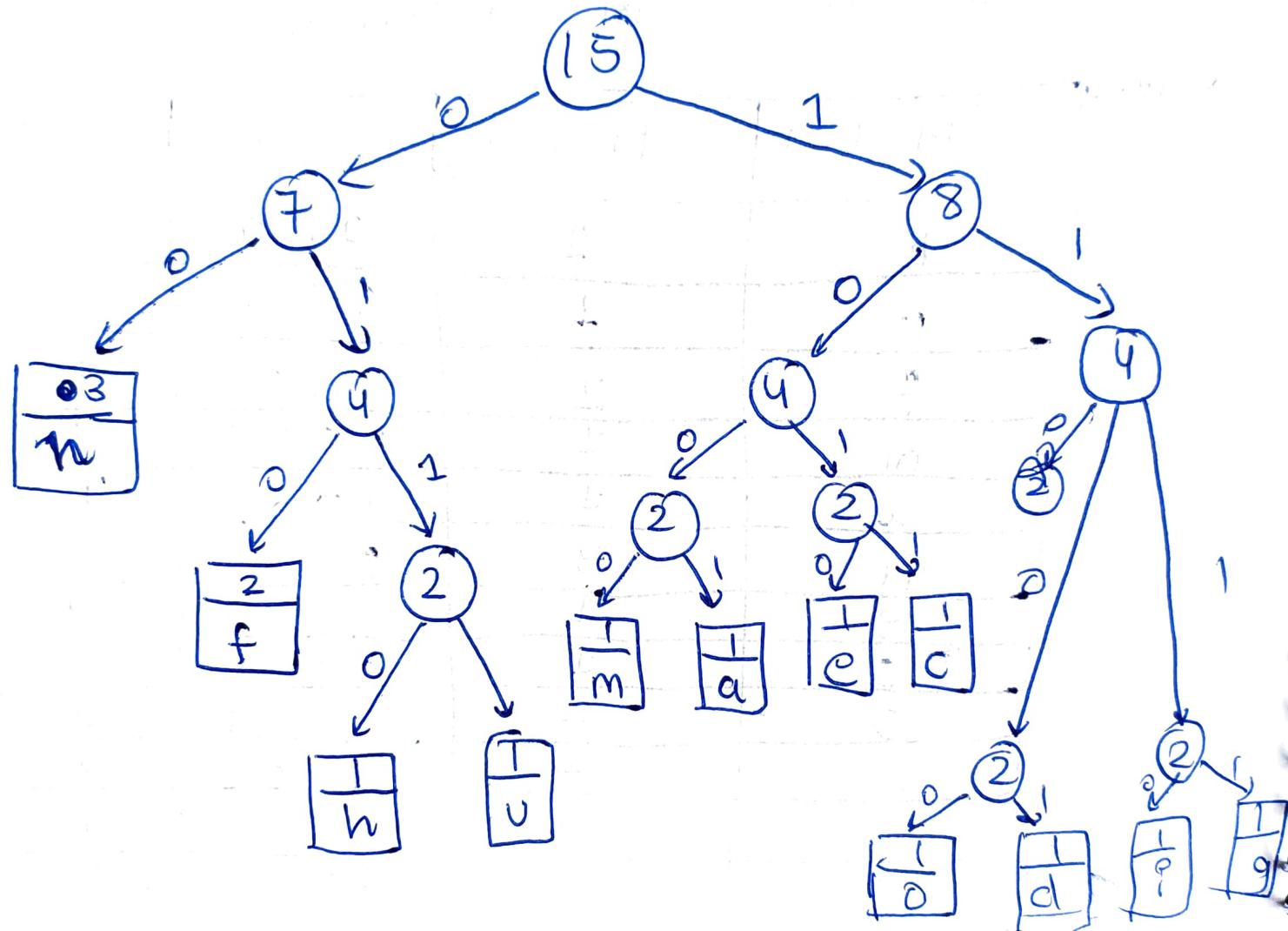
$\therefore$  Shortest Path will change

Ans2)

(a) Huffman Coding from "huffman encoding"

<del>Frequencies</del>	Alphabet	frequeng	Encoding	Cost
	h	1	0110	4
	u	1	0111	4
	f	2	010	6
	m	1	1000	4
	a	1	1001	4
	h	3	00	6
	e	1	1010	4
	c	1	1011	4
	o	1	1101	4
	d	1	1100	4
	i	1	1110	4
	g	1	1111	4

## Huffman tree:



message be :-

01100111 01001010001001001010001011100  
1101 1110001111

Length of number of bits = 52 bits Q

(b) Average bit length = Total Number of bits  
Total no of characters

$$\text{Avg Bit length} = \frac{52}{15} = 3.467 \text{ bits} \quad Q$$

Ans 3) ~~Given~~ Given: N houses.  $w_i$  be cost to build  
a well at house  $i$ , and it costs  $c_{i,j}$  to build pipe  
in between houses  $i \neq j$ .

To Find: Find algorithm to find min. ~~time~~ amount  
of money needed to supply every house with water.

Soln:

MST looks very similar to the problem we need to give connection to every house by ensuring minimum cost. But all edges can't be same because there are of two type  $c_{ij}$  &  $w_i$  for  $i$  (may be self loop). To solve this let's introduce one more vertex which is connected to vertex  $i$  with edge weight as  $w_i$  for all  $i \in N$ . Now let special vertex be  $N^*$ .

$e(i, N^*)$  depicts that we are building a well on  $i$ th house with cost  $w_i$ . To find least pipes cost we connect every  $i, j$  with edge of weight  $c_{ij}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore e(i, j) &= c_{ij} \quad \forall i, j \in N \\ e(i, N^*) &= w_i \quad \forall i \in N \end{aligned} \quad \left[ \begin{array}{l} \text{Graph} \\ \text{edges.} \end{array} \right]$$

Now we can use any <sup>optimal</sup> algorithm for finding MST of this Graph. Total cost of ~~that~~ MST would be minimum amount of money needed to supply every house with water.

Now we have a graph  $G(V, E)$  with  $N+1$  vertices. All edges are already defined above with their weights.

We will make a Adjacency List ~~for~~ this.

To find MST any ~~optimal~~ algorithm like Prim's and Kruskal's can be used.

Proof that MST is the Required Solution :

→ First formally define our graph  $G(V, E)$ .

$$V = \{1, 2, \dots, N, N^*\}$$

Each house rep<sup>n</sup> by Node from 1 to N.

Each edge from special node to house represent well is built on that house with cost  $w_i$  & each edge b/w house rep<sup>n</sup> pipes with cost  $c_{ij}$ .

Claim: Any spanning tree is a valid solution.

Any spanning tree including node  $N^*$  ensures that every house is either directly connected to node  $N^*$  (implies we built a well) or indirectly connected to node  $N^*$  via some another house (means it receives water through pipe).

Claim: MST is the most optimal solution (least cost)

For any valid config. such that water is supplied to all houses it can relate to Spanning Tree. Let MST be  $T$  & Required Ans is  $T'$  (Span. Tree)  $C_T \neq C_{T'}$

As  $T'$  is with minimum total cost i.e  $(\text{Total cost})_{T'} < (\text{Total cost})_T$

But by def<sup>n</sup> of MST, T' should be MST

$\therefore T = T'$   $\therefore$  MST is the solution.

Let's use Prims Algorithm for finding MST  
(Assume  $M^k = 0$ )

Min Cost to Supply ( $N$ , wells, pipes) :

| G  $\leftarrow$  new List [ $N+1$ ]  
| edgesUsed  $\leftarrow 0$  cost  $\leftarrow 0$

| For i from 1 to N :

| | G.add ((0, i, wells[i]))

| | for each (u, v, cost) in pipes :

| | | G.add ((u, v, cost))

| | inMST  $\leftarrow$  Bool Array [ $N+1$ ]

| | minHeap  $\leftarrow$  new Priority Queue

| | minHeap.push ((0, 0, 0))

| while minHeap not empty  $\wedge$  edgesUsed  $< N$ :

| | (cost', u, v)  $\leftarrow$  minHeap.pop()

| | If inMST[v] then

| | | Continue

| | inMST[v]  $\leftarrow$  True

| | cost  $\leftarrow$  cost'

| | edgesUsed  $\leftarrow +1$

for each edge  $(v, \text{neighbor}, \text{edgeCost})$  in graph  
Connected to  $v$  do :  
If not inMST [neighbor] :  
| minHeap.push ((edgeCost, v, Neighbor))

return Cost

Time Complexity =  $O(|E| \log(|V|))$

# As Replied by TA's I am not proving correctness  
of Prim's Algorithm but can be easily done with the  
help of CUT Property

Ans 4) This is a normal example of Bellmanford algorithm  
In cases where we get negative edge weights  
we use Bellmanford algorithm to find shortest & cycle detection.

Graph  $\rightarrow G(V, E)$  also  $n = |V|$  &  $e = |E|$

Pseudocode :-

~~for~~ for every vertex  $v \in V$ :

$d[v] \leftarrow \infty$

$d[S] \leftarrow 0$

for  $i$  from 1 to  $n - 1$ :

For every edge  $e \in E$ :

if ( $d[e.\text{source}] \neq \infty$  &  $d[e.\text{source}] + w_e < d[e.\text{destination}]$ )

then

$$d[e \cdot \text{dest}] = d[e \cdot \text{source}] + w_e$$

# detecting Negative Cycle

for every edge  $e \in E$ :

if  $(d[e \cdot \text{source}] \neq \infty \text{ } \& \text{ } d[e \cdot \text{source}] + w_e < d[e \cdot \text{dest}])$

then :

$$d[\cancel{e} \cdot \text{destination}] \leftarrow -\infty$$

Time Complexity :  $O(V \times E)$

It is less efficient than Dijkstra Algo for graphs with non-negative weights.

Let's try to optimise it :-

See Dijkstra is efficient but it works for <sup>non-</sup>negative edge weights. Here ~~as~~ all edge weights are negative

we can replace  $w_e \rightarrow -w_e$ . But still issue of negative cycles is there which can't be detected by

Dijksta. We will use the concept of TopoSort.

for any vertex in Negative Cycle or reachable from negative cycle we can't make its indegree to 0.

Algo :-

~~Graph G~~ Graph  $G' \leftarrow G$  // Copying Graph

$\text{indeg}[v] \leftarrow$  Put no of incoming edge to v.

DFS( $s$ , visited)

for every vertex,  $v \in V$  but  $v \notin$  visited:

$d[v] \leftarrow \infty$

~~Set~~  $S \leftarrow$  new Set $\{\}$

for every  $u \in V$ :

if  $\text{indeg}[u] = 0$  then:  
 $S \leftarrow S \cup \{u\}$

while  $S$  is not empty:

for  $u \in S$ :

~~for all edge between (u, v)~~  
 $S \leftarrow S \setminus \{u\}$

~~for all edge between (u, v)~~  
 $E \leftarrow E \setminus \{(u, v)\}$

for ~~all~~  $v$  that is edge between  $(u, v)$ :

$E \leftarrow E \setminus \{(u, v)\}$

$\text{indeg}[v] \leftarrow \text{indeg}[v] - 1$

~~for all  $y \in V$  if  $\text{indeg}[y] = 0$  then:  
|  $S \leftarrow S \cup \{y\}$~~

for  $v \in V$  and  $v \notin S$ :

$d[v] \leftarrow -\infty$

// Run Dijkstra (Standard algo like in Book).

Dijkstra( $G'$ ,  $s$ )

// Find other distances.

## Approach -

- 1) First, we will find the indegree of all vertices as the no of edges incident on a vertex.
- 2) By Running DFS now from start node, we can find unreachable vertex and mark their distance as  $\infty$ .
- 3) Now we will do Topo Sort:-
  - \* Store all vertices with indegree 0 in visited set.
  - \* for each vertex  $v$  in this visited set, we will remove its edge with any vertex  $u$  in  $V - S$  & reduce its indegree. After this we remove this vertex,  $v$ .
  - \* We will continue this until Visited set ( $S$ ) does not become empty.
- 4) After this all vertex which are not in the Visited set, are marked with distance as  $\infty$ .
- 5) These are the vertices which are in negative cycle or reachable from Negative Cycles.
- 6) After that we can ~~not~~ restore the edges of all the vertices in the Visited set. And on this new leftover graph we can run Dijkstra algorithm to compute their minimum distances.

Runtime Analysis:  $O(E \log V)$

TopoSort  $\geq$  DFS -  $O(E + V)$

Dijkstra -  $O(E \log V)$

Overall -  $O(E + V + E \log V)$

$$= O(E \cancel{V \log V})$$

which is way better than  $O(E \cdot V)$  of Bellman Ford.