

# CSCI-4470 HW-5

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## Homework 5

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**1.(10 points)** Let  $G = (V, E)$  be a weighted, directed graph. Assume that  $G$  is initialized using `Initialize-Single-Source( $G, s$ )`. Prove that if a sequence of relaxation steps ever sets  $s.\pi$  to a non-Nil value, then  $G$  contains a negative weight cycle.

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INITIALIZE-SINGLE-SOURCE( $G, s$ )
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1 for each vertex  $v \in G.V$ 
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2    $v.d = \infty$ 
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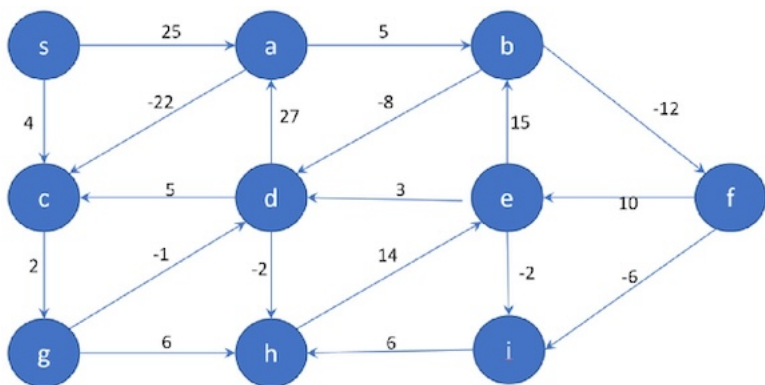
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3    $v.\pi = \text{NIL}$ 
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4  $s.d = 0$ 
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If  $s.\pi$  in a graph  $G$  is set to a non-NIL value after a sequence of relaxation steps, it implies the presence of a negative weight cycle in  $G$ . This is because:

1.  $s.\pi$  being non-NIL suggests a path back to the source  $s$ , which shouldn't exist in shortest-path contexts.
2. A cycle leading back to  $s$  and causing  $s.\pi$  to update must be reducing the distance to  $s$ , indicating negative total weight.
3. Therefore, a non-NIL  $s.\pi$  signifies a negative weight cycle in  $G$ .

**2. (20 points)** Consider the graph  $G$ :



Use **Bellman-Ford** to find the single source shortest path graph starting at vertex  $s$ . Please process the edges in the following order:

$(s, a), (a, b), (a, c), (s, c), (d, a), (d, c), (b, d), (e, d), (e, b), (b, f),$

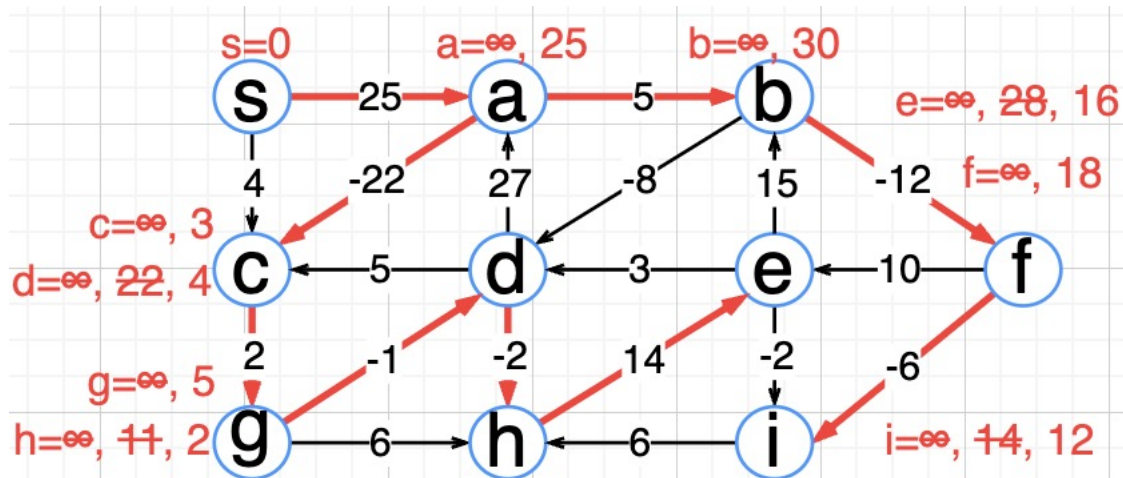
$(f, e), (c, g), (g, d), (g, h), (d, h), (h, e), (i, h), (e, i), (f, i).$

Draw the subgraph showing shortest path from  $s$  to all the other vertices.

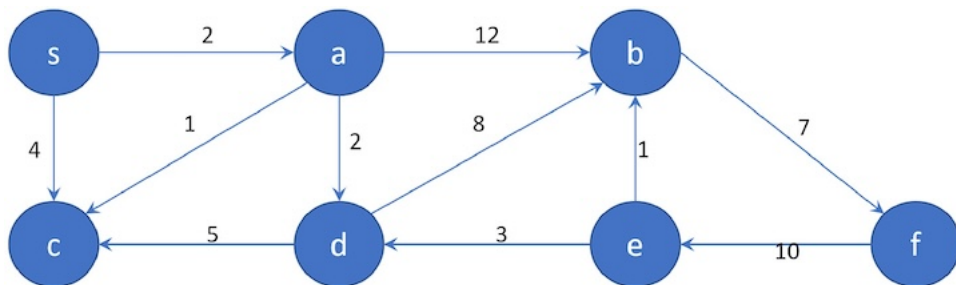
$(s, a), 0 + 25 = 25, \infty > 25$  (Relaxing).  $(a, b), 25 + 5 = 30, \infty > 30$  (Relaxing),  
 $(a, c), 25 + (-22) = 3, \infty > 3$  (Relaxing).  $(s, c), 0 + 4 = 4, 4 > 3$  (Relaxing),  
 $(d, a), \infty + 27 = \infty, \infty > 25$  (Relaxing).  $(d, c), \infty + 5 = \infty, \infty > 3$  (Relaxing),  
 $(b, d), 30 + (-8) = 22, \infty > 22$  (Relaxing).  $(e, d), \infty + 3 = \infty, \infty > 22$  (Relaxing),  
 $(e, b), \infty + 15 = \infty, \infty > 30$  (Relaxing).  $(b, f), 30 + (-12) = 18, \infty > 18$  (Relaxing),  
 $(f, e), 18 + 10 = 28, 28 > 16$  (Relaxing).  $(c, g), 3 + 2 = 5, \infty > 5$  (Relaxing),  
 $(g, d), 5 + (-1) = 4, 22 > 4$  (Relaxing).  $(g, h), 5 + 6 = 11, \infty > 11$  (Relaxing),  
 $(d, h), 4 + (-2) = 2, 11 > 2$  (Relaxing).  $(h, e), 2 + 14 = 16, 28 > 16$  (Relaxing),

$(i, h), \infty + 6 = \infty, \infty > 2$  (Relaxing).  $(e, i), 16 + (-2) = 14, \infty > 14$  (Relaxing).  
 $(f, i), 18 + (-6) = 12, 14 > 12$  (Relaxing).

Solution is:  $\{(s = 0), (a = 25), (b = 30), (c = 3), (d = 4), (e = 16), (f = 18), (g = 5), (h = 2), (i = 12)\}$



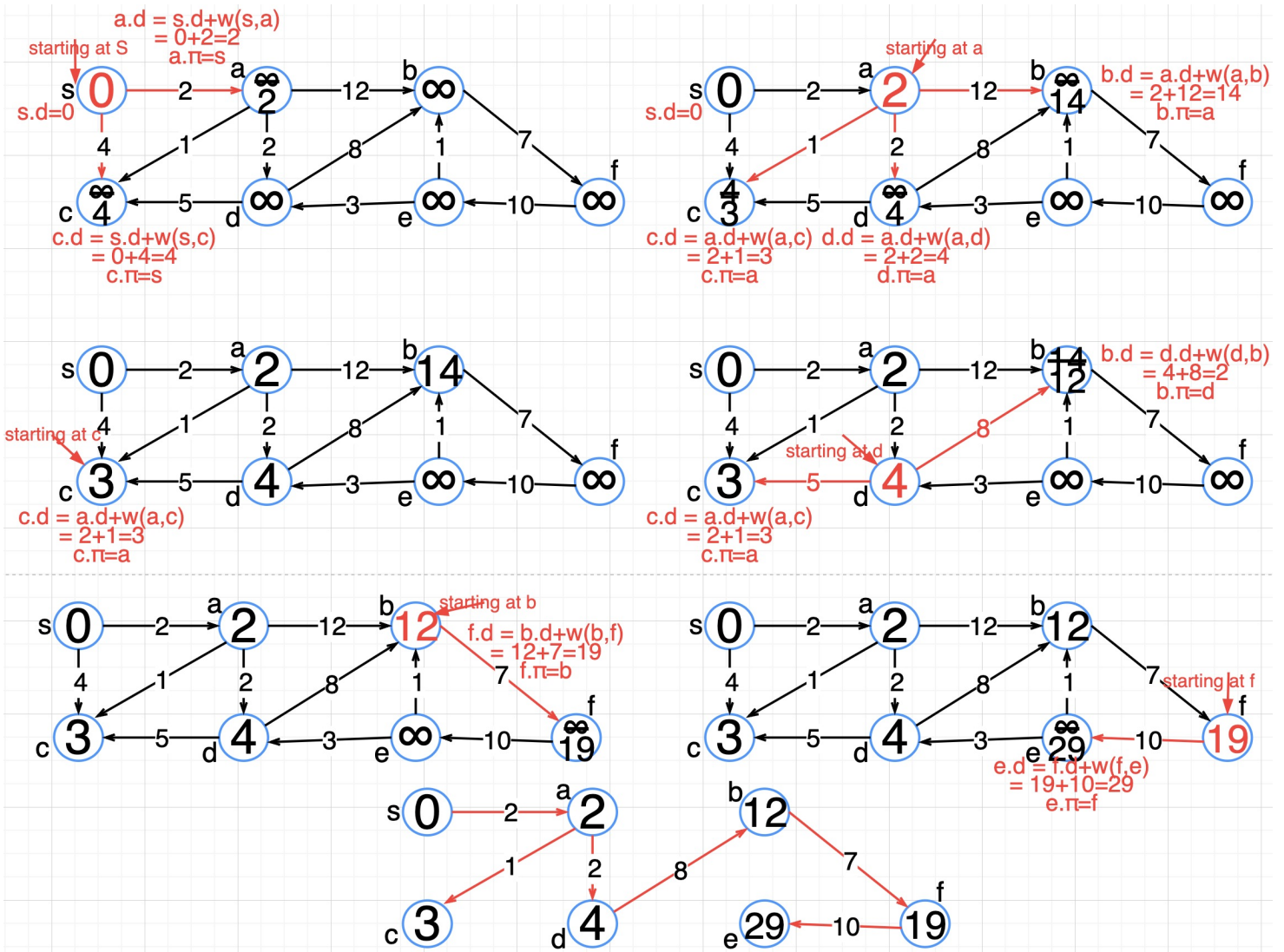
3. (20 points) Using  $s$  as the source, run Dijkstra's algorithm to find the SSSP sub-graph of the graph  $G$  shown below:



Specify the order in which vertices are added to  $S$  in the algorithm.

$V = \{s, a, b, c, d, e, f\}, E = \{(s, a, 2), (s, c, 4), (a, b, 12), (a, c, 1), (a, d, 2), (b, f, 7), (d, b, 8), (d, c, 5), (e, b, 1), (e, d, 3), (f, e, 10)\}$

- Starting from vertex  $s$ , Set  $s.d = 0$  (distance from source to source is 0). For all other vertices  $V$ , set  $V.d = \infty$  and  $V.\pi = \text{NIL}$ .
- $s.\pi$  is not defined as  $s$  is the starting point. The vertex  $s$  keeps tracking of all vertices that it has visited.



The shortest path is  $\{s = 0, a = 2, c = 3, d = 4, b = 12, f = 19, e = 29\}$

The order of vertices added to  $s$  is:  $\{s, a, c, d, b, f, e\}$

**4. (20 points)** Find a feasible solution or determine that no feasible solution exists, By the Linear objective function  $Ax \leq b, x \geq 0$ .  
for the following system of difference constraints: The given system of inequalities for all constraints  $X_j - X_i \leq b_k$

$$\text{subject to } \begin{cases} X_1 - X_5 \leq 2 \\ X_3 - X_4 \leq 0 \\ X_5 - X_2 \leq -4 \\ X_2 - X_3 \leq 2 \\ X_4 - X_1 \leq 11 \end{cases}$$

Include the graph constructed from the difference constraints model in your solution.

**Step 1. Create Vertices:** For each variable  $X_i$ , create a vertex  $V_i$  in the graph.

- **Vertices:**  $V_0, V_1, V_2, V_3, V_4, V_5$

**Step 2. Add a Source Vertex:** Add an additional vertex  $V_0$  which will act as a source vertex.

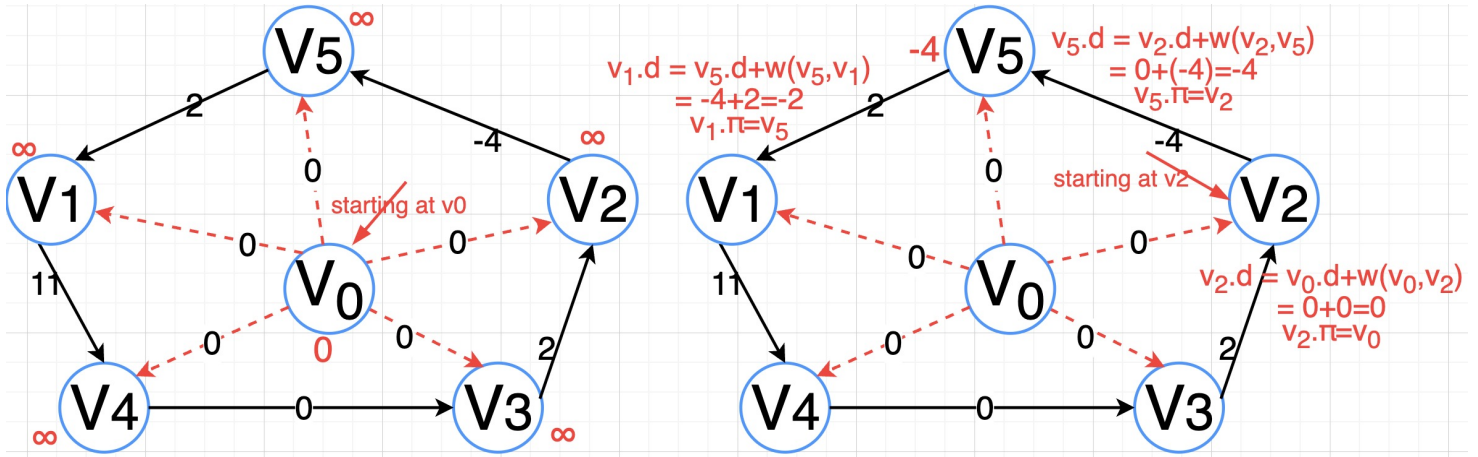
- A new Source Vertex  $V_0$

**Step 3. Connect Source to All Vertices:** Connect  $V_0$  to all other vertices  $V_i$  with edges of weight 0.

- **Connect  $V_0$  to All Vertices:** Add edges with weight 0 from  $V_0$  to  $V_1, V_2, V_3, V_4, V_5$ .

**Step 4. Add Edges for Constraints:** For each constraint  $X_j - X_i \leq b_k$ , add a directed edge from vertex  $V_i$  to vertex  $V_j$  with weight  $b_k$ .

- $X_1 - X_5 \leq 2$ : Add edge from  $V_5$  to  $V_1$  with weight 2.  $X_3 - X_4 \leq 0$ : Add edge from  $V_4$  to  $V_3$  with weight 0.
- $X_5 - X_2 \leq -4$ : Add edge from  $V_2$  to  $V_5$  with weight -4.  $X_2 - X_3 \leq 2$ : Add edge from  $V_3$  to  $V_2$  with weight 2.
- $X_4 - X_1 \leq 11$ : Add edge from  $V_1$  to  $V_4$  with weight 11.



The feasible solution for the given system is:

- $V_0.d = 0, V_1.d = -2, V_2.d = 0, V_3.d = 0, V_4.d = 0, V_5.d = -4$

5. (20 points) In class we have talked about **Extend** algorithm that computes the shortest path between pair of vertices. You can start with the following definition of Extend, if  $A = \text{Extend}(L, W)$  then

$$a_{ij}^{LW} = \min_{1 \leq k \leq n} (l_{ik} + w_{kj})$$

Prove that **Extend** is associative. In other words, if you have 3 matrices  $A, B$ , and  $C$ , then  $\text{Extend}(A, \text{Extend}(B, C)) = \text{Extend}((\text{Extend}(A, B), C))$ . Specifically, show if

- $D = \text{Extend}(A, B)$ ,  $E = \text{Extend}(D, C)$ ,  $F = \text{Extend}(B, C)$ , and  $G = \text{Extend}(A, F)$ , then  $E = G$ .

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EXTEND(L, W)
1. n = L.rows
2. Let L' = (l_{ij})' be a new n x n matrix
3. for i = 1 to n
4.   for j = 1 to n
5.     l_{ij}' = ∞
6.     for k = 1 to n
7.       l_{ij}' = min(l_{ij}', l_{ik} + w_{kj})
8. return L'

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1. **Definition of Extend:** The result of  $\text{Extend}(L, W)$  is a matrix where each element  $l'_{ij}$  is computed as the minimum of  $l_{ik} + w_{kj}$  over all  $k$ , for  $1 \leq k \leq n$ . This means  $l'_{ij}$  is the shortest path from  $i$  to  $j$  through an intermediate vertex.
2. **Computing D:** For  $d_{ij}$  in  $D$ , we have:

$$d_{ij} = \min_{1 \leq k \leq n} (a_{ik} + b_{kj})$$

This is the shortest path from  $i$  to  $j$  using matrices  $A$  and  $B$ .

3. **Computing E:** For  $e_{ij}$  in  $E$ , we have:

$$e_{ij} = \min_{1 \leq k \leq n} (d_{ik} + c_{kj}) = \min_{1 \leq k \leq n} \left( \min_{1 \leq m \leq n} (a_{im} + b_{mk}) + c_{kj} \right)$$

We substitute  $d_{ik}$  with its definition from step 2.

4. **Computing F:** For  $f_{ij}$  in  $F$ , we have:

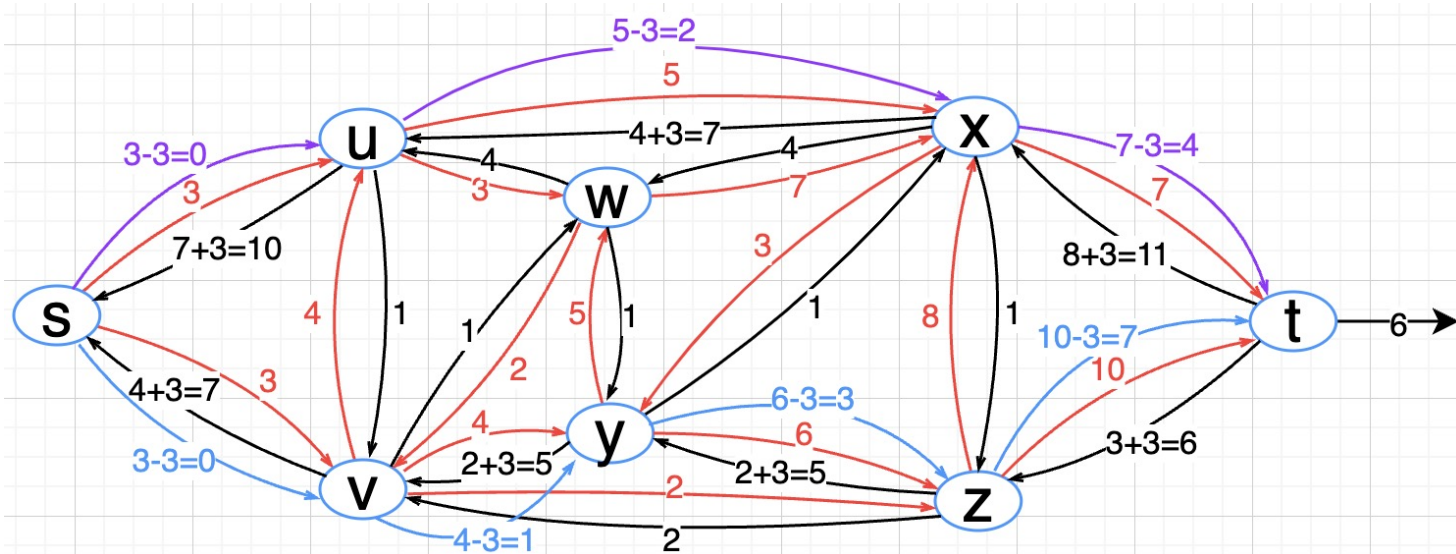
$$f_{ij} = \min_{1 \leq k \leq n} (b_{ik} + c_{kj})$$

This is the shortest path from  $i$  to  $j$  using matrices  $B$  and  $C$ .

5. **Computing G:** For  $g_{ij}$  in  $G$ , we have:

(b) Find an augmenting path that increases the flow across at least one edge and decreases the flow across another edge. Make the flow be as large as possible for the chosen path.

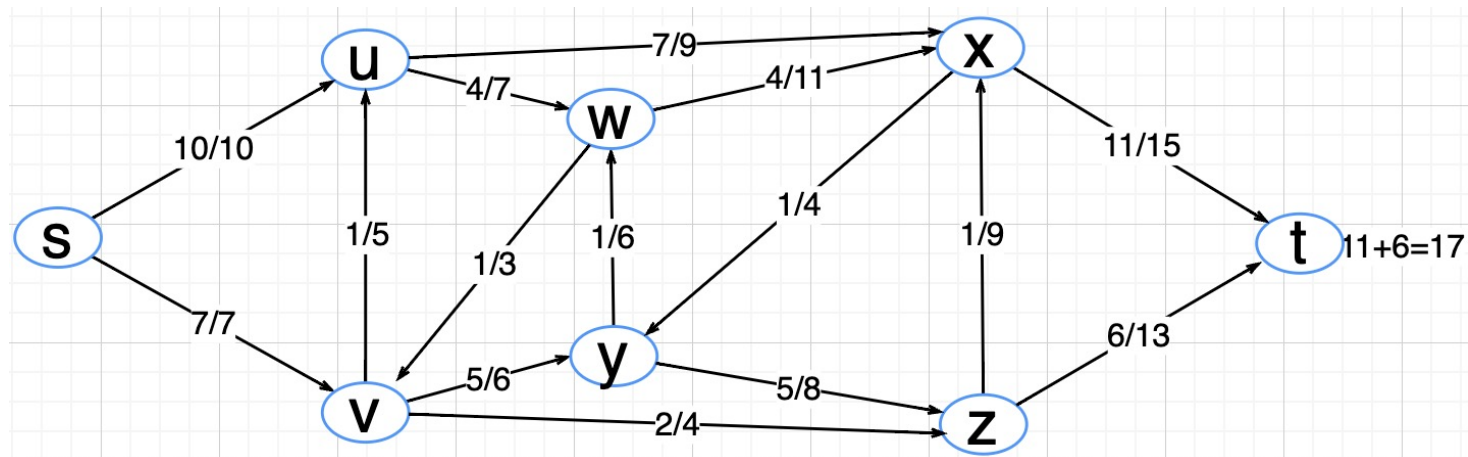




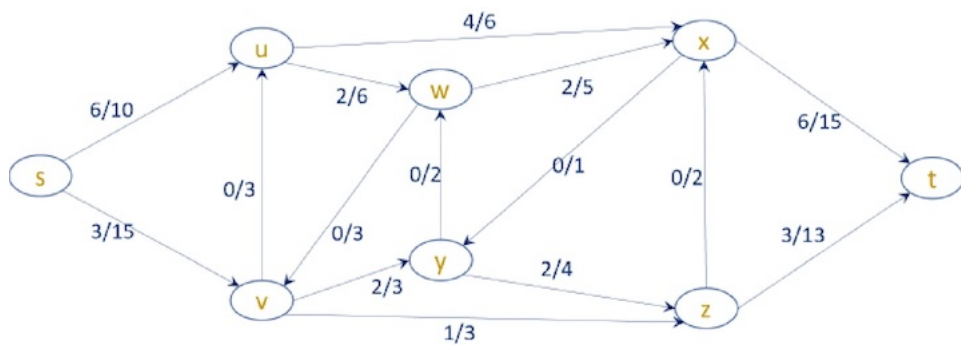
(c) Describe the augmenting path as a ordered list of vertices and state how much flow goes through it.

- $p_1 = \{s, u, x, t\}$ ,  $c_f(p_1) = 3$
- $p_2 = \{s, v, y, z, t\}$ ,  $c_f(p_2) = 3$

(d) Finally, draw a new flow graph with the augmented flow.

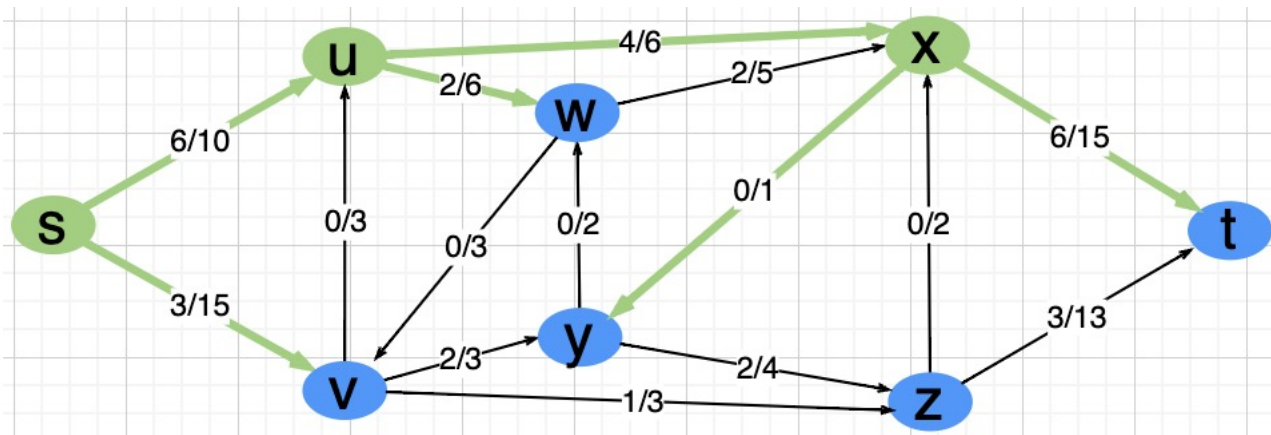


7. Consider the following flow network.



Let  $S = \{s, u, x\}$  and  $T = \{v, w, y, z, t\}$

(a) What is  $f(S, T)$ ?



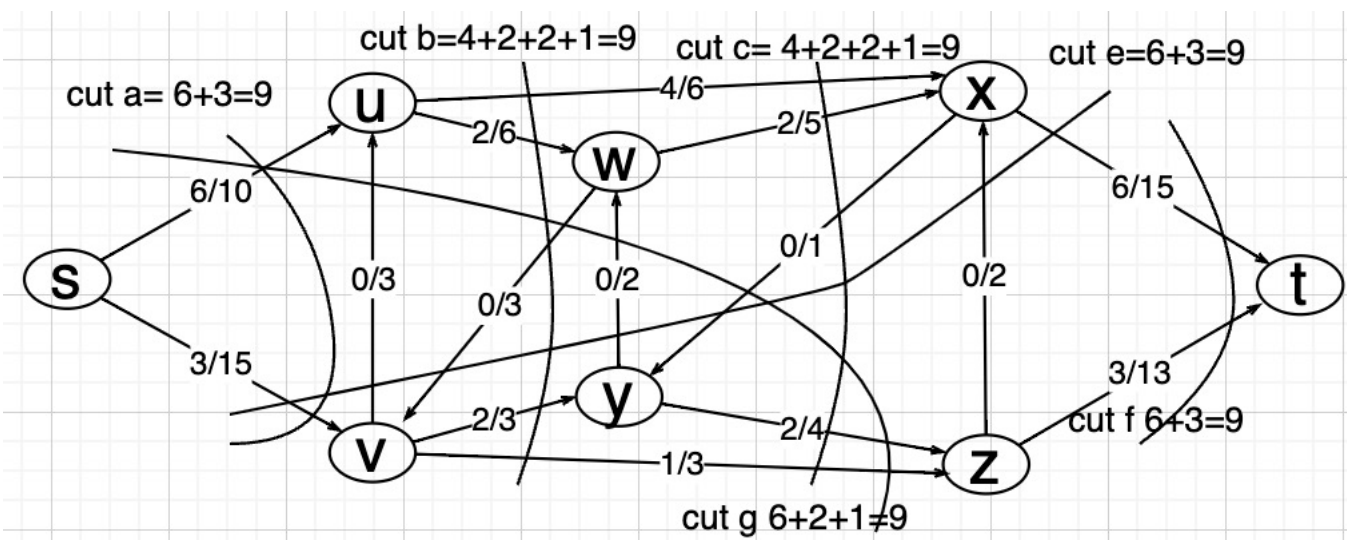
- $f(S, T) : 6 + 3 + 2 + 4 + 0 + 6 = 21$

(b) What is  $c(S, T)$ ?

- $c(S, T) : 10 + 15 + 6 + 6 + 1 + 15 = 53$

(c) Find a minimum cut for  $G$  (Hint: Add augmenting paths until no augmenting path can be found. Which edges are reachable from s in the  $G_f$ ?)

- **Minimum Cut == Maximum Flow**

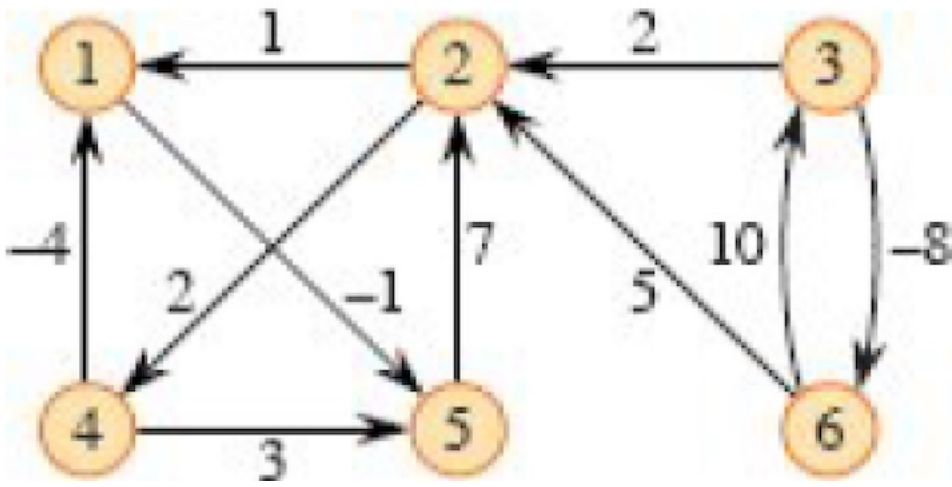


- From those cut sets, the minimum cut is 9.

**8. (30 points) Bonus question** Use Johnson's algorithm to find the shortest paths between all pairs of vertices in the graph below. Show the values of  $h$  and  $\hat{w}$  computed by the algorithm.

The graph  $G = (V, E)$ ,  $V = \{s, 1, 2, 4, 5, 6\}$ ,  $E =$

$\{(1, 5, -1), (2, 1, 1), (2, 4, 2), (3, 2, 2), (3, 6, -8), (4, 1, -4), (4, 5, 3), (5, 2, 7), (6, 2, 5), (6, 3, 10), (s, 1, 0), (s, 2, 0), (s, 3, 0), (s, 4, 0), (s, 5, 0), (s, 6, 0)\}$



**Step 1:** Apply Bellman-Ford, to find all  $h(1), h(2), h(3), h(4)$ , and  $h(5)$ , which are the shortest paths from source  $s$  to vertices.

$$h(1) = \delta(s, 1) = 0 + (-4) = -4$$

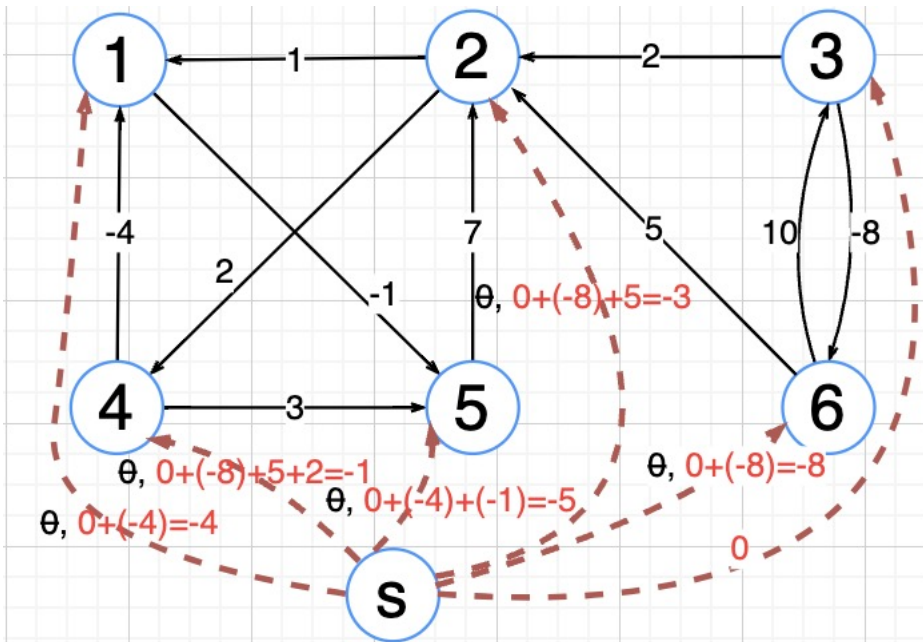
$$h(2) = \delta(s, 2) = 0 + (-8) + 5 = -3$$

$$h(3) = \delta(s, 3) = 0$$

$$h(4) = \delta(s, 4) = 0 + (-8) + 5 + 2 = -1$$

$$h(5) = \delta(s, 5) = 0 + (-4) + (-1) = -5$$

$$h(6) = \delta(s, 6) = 0 + (-8) = -8$$



**Step 2:** Reweighting Edges  $\hat{w}(u, v) = w(u, v) + h(u) - h(v)$

$$\hat{w}(1, 5) = -1 + (-4) - (-5) = 0$$

$$\hat{w}(2, 1) = 1 + (-3) - (-4) = 2$$

$$\hat{w}(2, 4) = 2 + (-3) - (-1) = 0$$

$$\hat{w}(3, 2) = 2 + (0) - (-3) = 5$$

$$\hat{w}(3, 6) = -8 + (0) - (-8) = 0$$

$$\hat{w}(4, 1) = -4 + (-1) - (-4) = -1$$

$$\hat{w}(4, 5) = 3 + (-1) - (-5) = 7$$

$$\hat{w}(5, 2) = 7 + (-5) - (-3) = 5$$

$$\hat{w}(6, 2) = 5 + (-8) - (-3) = 0$$

$$\hat{w}(6, 3) = 10 + (-8) - (0) = 2$$

$$\hat{w}(s, 1) = 0 + (0) - (-4) = 4$$

$$\hat{w}(s, 2) = 0 + (0) - (-3) = 3$$

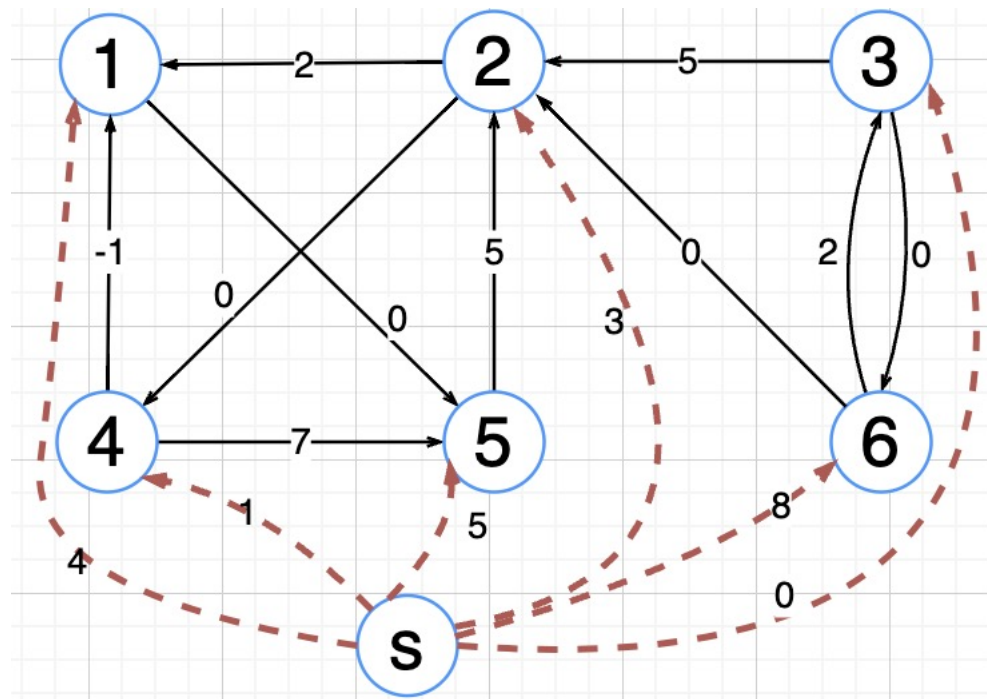
$$\hat{w}(s, 3) = 0 + (0) - (0) = 0$$



$$\hat{w}(s, 4) = 0 + (0) - (-1) = 1$$

$$\hat{w}(s, 5) = 0 + (0) - (-5) = 5$$

$$\hat{w}(s, 6) = 0 + (0) - (-8) = 8$$



Since There is a negative weight in the reweighted graph, Dijkstra's Algorithm can be performance.