



# Data Structures and Algorithms Design

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# ONLINE SESSION -PLAN



Sessions(#)	List of Topic Title	Text/Ref Book/external resource
10	Dynamic Programming - Design Principles and Strategy, Matrix Chain Product Problem, 0/1 Knapsack Problem, All-pairs Shortest Path Problem	T1: 5.3, 7.2

# The General Dynamic Programming Technique



- Applies to a problem that at first seems to require a lot of time (possibly exponential), provided we have:
  - **Simple subproblems:** the subproblems can be defined in terms of a few variables, such as  $j$ ,  $k$ ,  $l$ ,  $m$ , and so on.
  - **Subproblem optimality:** the global optimum value can be defined in terms of optimal subproblems
  - **Subproblem overlap:** the subproblems are not independent, but instead they overlap (hence, should be constructed bottom-up).

# All-Pairs Shortest Paths



- Problem: Given a weighted connected graph (undirected or directed), the *all-pairs shortest paths problem* asks to find the distances—i.e., the lengths of the shortest paths—from each vertex to all other vertices.
- Floyd's algorithm computes the distance matrix of a weighted graph with  $n$  vertices through a series of  $n \times n$  matrices:  $D(0), \dots, D(k-1), D(k), \dots, D(n)$ .

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- Each of these matrices contains the lengths of shortest paths with certain constraints on the paths considered for the matrix in question. )
- The element  $d(k)_{ij}$  in the  $i$ th row and the  $j$ th column of matrix  $D(k)$  ( $i, j = 1, 2, \dots, n, k = 0, 1, \dots, n$ ) is equal to the length of the shortest path among all paths from the  $i$ th vertex to the  $j$ th vertex with each intermediate vertex, if any, numbered not higher than  $k$ . }
- In particular, the series starts with  $D(0)$ , which does not allow any intermediate vertices in its paths, hence,  $D(0)$  is simply the weight matrix of the graph. ↘

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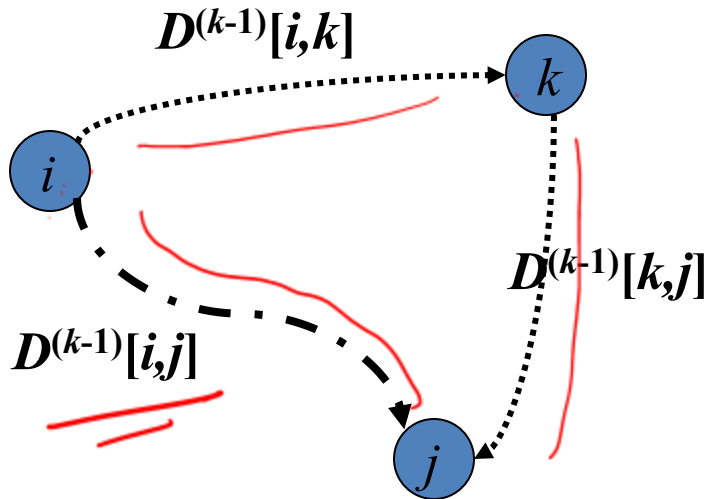


- The last matrix in the series,  $D(n)$ , contains the lengths of the shortest paths among all paths that can use all  $n$  vertices as intermediate and hence is nothing other than the distance matrix being sought.

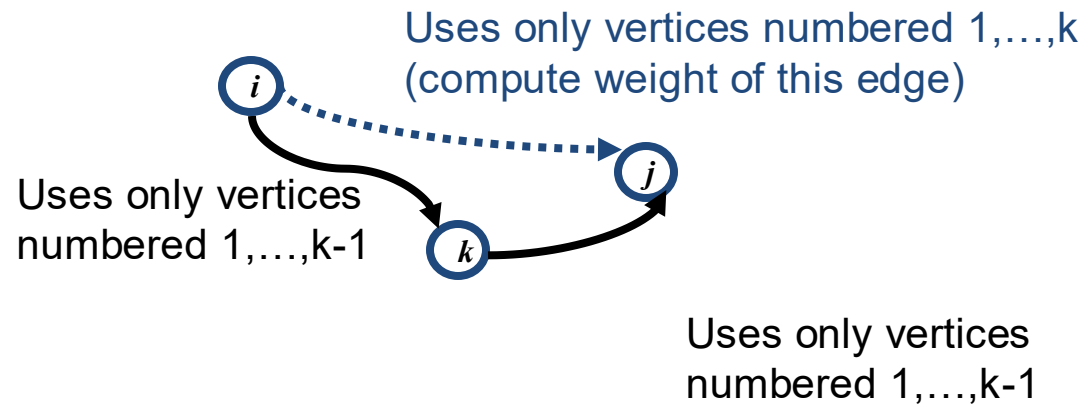
# All-Pairs Shortest Paths-Floyd's Algorithm



- On the k-th iteration, the algorithm determines shortest paths between every pair of vertices  $i, j$  that use only vertices among  $1, \dots, k$  as intermediate
- $D^{(k)}[i,j] = \min \{ \underbrace{D^{(k-1)}[i,j]}, \underbrace{D^{(k-1)}[i,k]} + \underbrace{D^{(k-1)}[k,j]} \}$

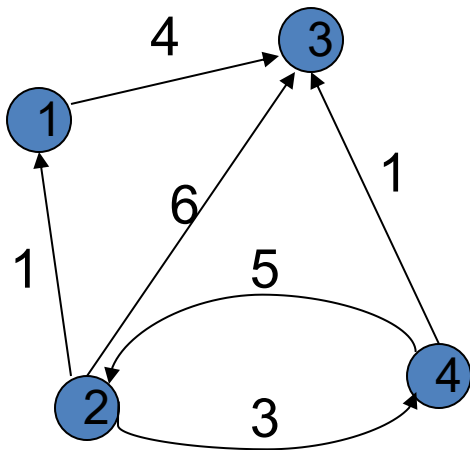


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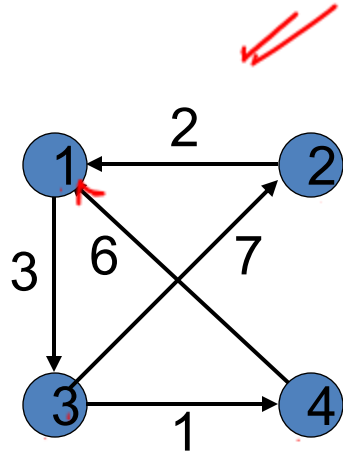
# All-Pairs Shortest Paths



$D^{(0)}$

	1	2	3	4
1	0	$\infty$	4	$\infty$
2	1	0	4	3
3	$\infty$	$\infty$	0	$\infty$
4	6	5	1	0

# All-Pairs Shortest Paths



$$D^{(0)} =$$

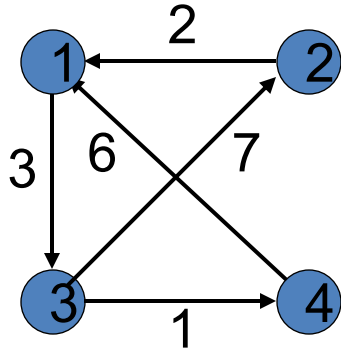
	1	2	3	4
1	0	$\infty$	3	$\infty$
2	2	0	$\infty$	$\infty$
3	$\infty$	7	0	1
4	6	$\infty$	$\infty$	0

$$D^{(1)} =$$

0	$\infty$	3	$\infty$
2	0	<b>5</b>	$\infty$
$\infty$	7	0	1
6	$\infty$	<u><b>9</b></u>	0

$$\left. \begin{array}{ll} (2,1) = 2 & (1,3) = 3 \\ (4,1) = 6 & (1,3) = 3 \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} (2,3) = 5 \\ (4,3) = \underline{9} \end{array}$$

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4	6	$\infty$	<u>9</u>	0

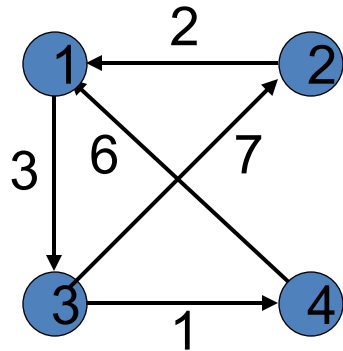
$$(3,4) = 7 \quad (2,1) = 2 \quad \therefore (3,1) = 9$$

$$(3,2) = 7 \quad (2,3) = 5 \quad \therefore (3,3) = X$$

$$D^{(2)} =$$

0	$\infty$	3	$\infty$
2	0	5	$\infty$
<u>9</u>	<u>7</u>	0	1
<u>6</u>	<u><math>\infty</math></u>	<u>9</u>	<u>0</u>

# All-Pairs Shortest Paths



$D^{(3)} =$

0	10	3	4
2	0	5	6
9	7	0	1
6	16	9	0

$D^{(2)} =$

	1	2	3	4
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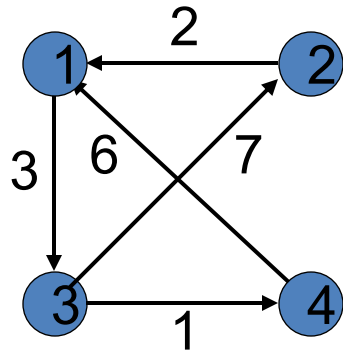
Handwritten calculations for  $D^{(2)}$ :

- $(4,3) = 9$   $(3,1) = 9$   $(4,1) = X$
- $(4,2) = 9$   $(3,2) = 7$   $(4,2) = 16$
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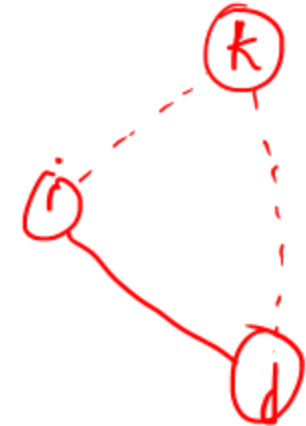
- $(1,3) = 3$   $(3,1) = 9$   $(1,1) = X$
- $(1,3) = 3$   $(3,2) = 7$   $(1,2) = 10$
- $(1,3) = 3$   $(3,4) = 1$   $(1,4) = 4$
- $(2,3) = 5$   $(3,1) = 9$   $(2,1) = X$
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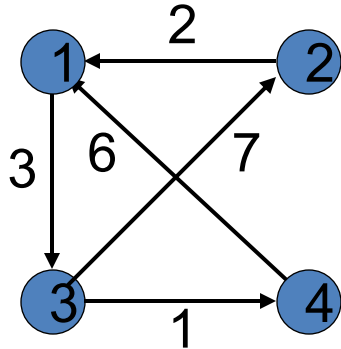
	1	2	3	4
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4	6	16	9	0



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1	0	10	3	4
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3	7	7	0	1
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# All-Pairs Shortest Paths



$D^{(0)} =$

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2	0	$\infty$	$\infty$
$\infty$	7	0	1
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$D[i, j] \leftarrow \min\{D[i, j], D[i, k] + D[k, j]\}$

**return**  $D$

# All-Pairs Shortest Paths

- Find the distance between every pair of vertices in a weighted directed graph  $G$ .
- We can make  $n$  calls to Dijkstra's algorithm (if no negative edges), which takes  $O(n \log n)$  time.
- Likewise,  $n$  calls to Bellman-Ford would take  $O(n^2m)$  time.
- We can achieve  $O(n^3)$  time using dynamic programming (similar to the Floyd-Warshall algorithm).



# All-Pairs Shortest Paths-Negative Cycles



- Negative-weight edges may be present,
- But no negative-weight cycles. Why?

# All-Pairs Shortest Paths-Negative Cycles



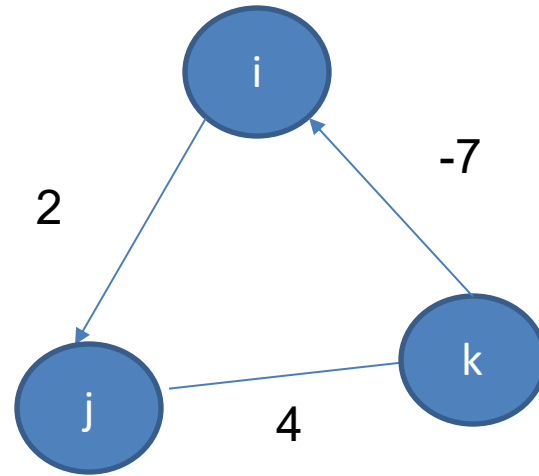
- A negative cycle is a cycle whose edges sum to a negative value.
- There is no shortest path between any pair of vertices  $i, j$  which form part of a negative cycle, because path-lengths from  $i$  to  $j$  can be arbitrarily small (negative)

# All-Pairs Shortest Paths-Negative Cycles



- Given a graph, suppose to have a cycle given by Nodes  $i$ ,  $j$ ,  $k$  of negative cost.

- Example:

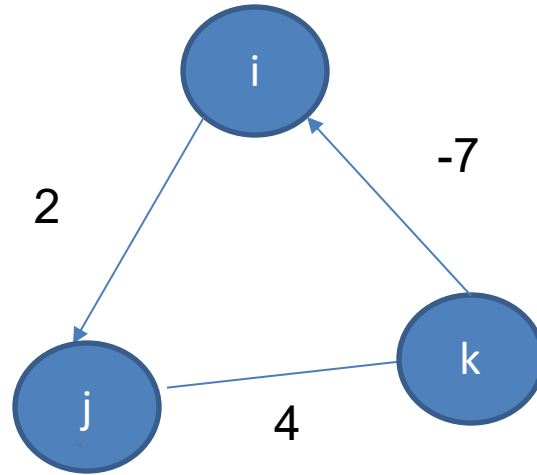


- Suppose you want to find the shortest path between  $i$  and  $j$

# All-Pairs Shortest Paths-Negative Cycles



- You have  $P=\{(i,j)\}$  with  $\text{cost}(P)=2$ .
- But you can loop through the negative cycle and have:



- $P'=\{(i,j),(j,k),(k,i),(i,j)\}$  with  $\text{cost}(P')=1$
- $P''=\{(i,j),(j,k),(k,i),(i,j),(j,k),(k,i),(i,j)\}$  with  $\text{cost}(P'')=0$  and so on.

# All-Pairs Shortest Paths-Negative Cycles



- Nevertheless, if there are negative cycles, the algorithm can be used to detect them.
- The intuition is as follows:
  - The Floyd's algorithm iteratively revises path lengths between all pairs of vertices  $(i,j)$ , including where  $i=j$
  - Initially, the length of the path  $(i,i)$  is zero;
  - A path  $\{i,k,\dots,i\}$  can only improve upon this if it has length less than zero, i.e. denotes a negative cycle;
  - Thus, after the algorithm,  $(i,i)$  will be negative if there exists a negative-length path from  $i$  back to  $i$ .

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*for*  $i = 1$  *to*  $n$  *do*

*if*  $D[i, i] < 0$  *then return* ('graph contains a negative cycle')

*return*  $D$

# Transitive Closure



**ALGORITHM** Warshall( $A[1..n, 1..n]$ )

//Implements Warshall's algorithm for computing the transitive closure

//Input: The adjacency matrix  $A$  of a digraph with  $n$  vertices

//Output: The transitive closure of the digraph

$R^{(0)} \leftarrow A$

**for**  $k \leftarrow 1$  **to**  $n$  **do**

**for**  $i \leftarrow 1$  **to**  $n$  **do**

**for**  $j \leftarrow 1$  **to**  $n$  **do**

$R^{(k)}[i, j] \leftarrow R^{(k-1)}[i, j]$  **or** ( $R^{(k-1)}[i, k]$  **and**  $R^{(k-1)}[k, j]$ )

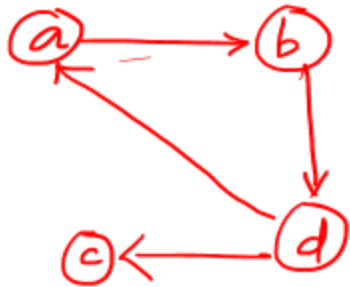
**return**  $R^{(n)}$

1	1	0	1
0	1	1	0
0	0	1	1
0	0	0	1



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# Example



	a	b	c	d
a	0	1	0	0
b	0	0	0	1
c	0	0	0	0
d	1	0	1	0

$D(a)$

	a	b	c	d
a	0	<u>1</u>	0	0
b	0	0	0	1
c	0	0	0	0
d	<u>1</u>	0	1	0

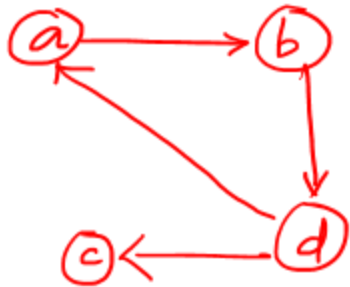


	a	b	c	d	✓
a	0	1	0	0	
b	0	0	0	1	
c	0	0	0	0	
d	1	<u>1</u>	1	0	

$$(d, a) = 1 \quad (a, b) = 1 \therefore (d, b) = 1$$



# Example



	a	b	c	d
a	0	1	0	0
b	0	0	0	1
c	0	0	0	0
d	1	1	1	0

	a	b	c	d
a	0	1	0	0
b	0	0	0	1
c	0	0	0	0
d	1	1	1	0

$$(a,b)=1 \quad (b,d)=1 \quad \therefore (a,d)=1$$

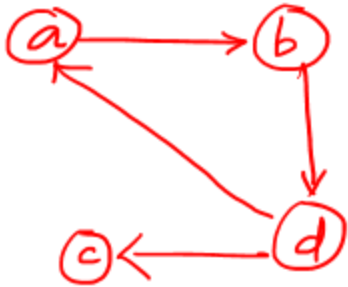
$D(b)$



	a	b	c	d
a	0	1	0	1
b	0	0	0	1
c	0	0	0	0
d	1	1	1	1

$$(d,b)=1 \quad (b,d)=1 \quad \therefore (d,d)=1$$

# Example



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a	0	1	0	1
b	0	0	0	1
c	0	0	0	0
d	1	1	1	1

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b	0	0	0	1
c	0	0	0	0
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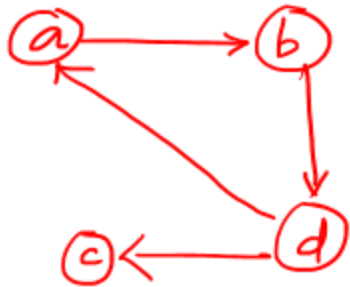
$D^{(c)}$



	a	b	c	d
a	0	1	0	1
b	0	0	0	1
c	0	0	0	0
d	1	1	1	1

✓

# Example



	a	b	c	d
a	0	1	0	1
b	0	0	0	1
c	0	0	0	0
d	1	1	1	1

	a	b	c	d
a	0	1	0	1
b	0	0	0	1
c	0	0	0	0
d	1	1	1	1



D(d)

	a	b	c	d
a	1	1	1	1
b	1	1	1	1
c	0	0	0	0
d	1	1	1	1



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