

1. Depth first search with backtracking can be used here. Keep an array of boolean values to keep track of whether you visited a node before. If you run out of new nodes to go to (without reaching a node you have already been), then just backtrack and try a different branch. Below is the pseudocode for this:

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**Algorithm 1:** findCycles

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**Data:** Graph  
**Result:** Print all cycles in the graph  
 $visited \leftarrow [NOT\_VISITED];$   
**for**  $vertex\ v \in Graph.vertices$  **do**  
    **if**  $visited[v] == NOT\_VISITED$  **then**  
         $stack \leftarrow [];$   
         $stack.push(v);$   
         $visited[v] \leftarrow IN\_STACK;$   
         $processDFSTree(Graph, stack, visited);$   
    **end**  
**end**

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**Algorithm 2:** processDFSTree

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**Data:** Graph, Stack, visited  
**Result:** Print all cycles in the current DFS Tree  
**for**  $vertex\ v$  **in**  $Graph.adjacent[Stack.top]$  **do**  
    **if**  $visited[v] == IN\_STACK$  **then**  
         $printCycle(Stack, v);$   
    **else if**  $visited[v] == NOT\_VISITED$  **then**  
         $Stack.push(v);$   
         $visited[v] \leftarrow IN\_STACK;$   
         $processDFSTree(Graph, Stack, visited);$   
    **end**  
 $visited[Stack.top] = DONE;$   
 $Stack.pop();$

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**Algorithm 3:** printCycle

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**Data:** Stack, v  
**Result:** print the cycle that lives in the stack starting from vertex v  
 $Stack2 \leftarrow [];$   
 $Stack2.push(Stack.top);$   
 $Stack.pop();$   
**while**  $Stack2.top \neq v$  **do**  
     $Stack2.push(Stack.top);$   
     $Stack.pop();$   
**end**  
**while**  $not\ Stack2.empty()$  **do**  
     $print(Stack2.top);$   
     $Stack.push(Stack2.top);$   
     $Stack2.pop();$   
**end**

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Time Complexity:  $O(V+E)$  same as the time complexity of DFS traversal.

2. To solve this question we will utilize the fact that the given graph is a DAG, and use DFS to sort the vertices in topological order, and then visit vertices in reverse topological order and increment a paths counter for each vertex as follows:

**Algorithm 1** PATHS( $G$ )

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1: topologically sort the vertices of  $G$ 
2: for each vertex  $u$ , taken in reverse topologically sorted order do
3:   for each vertex  $v \in G.Adj[u]$  do
4:      $u.paths = u.paths + 1 + v.paths$ 
5:   end for
6: end for

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Time Complexity:  $O(V + E)$  mostly due to topological sort.

3. The input is a graph, a source vertex, and the output of a single-source shortest path algorithm in the form of a  $d$  and a  $\pi$  array. The task is to provide an algorithm to verify if the  $d$  and  $\pi$  arrays are indeed valid outputs of a single-source shortest path algorithm.
  - (a) Verify that  $s.d = 0$  and  $s.\pi = \text{Null}$
  - (b) Verify that  $v.d = v.\pi.d + w(v.\pi, v) \forall v! = s$
  - (c) Verify that  $v.d = \infty$  if and only if  $v.\pi = \text{Null} \forall v! = s$
  - (d) If any of above verification tests fail, declare the output to be incorrect. Otherwise, run one pass of Bellman-Ford, i.e. relax each edge  $(u, v) \in E$  one time. If any values of  $v.d$  changes, then declare the output to be incorrect; otherwise, declare the output to be correct.

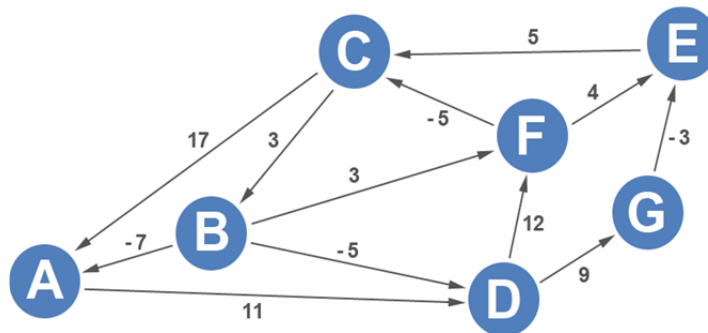
Time Complexity:  $O(V + E)$

4. Assume that  $\infty - \infty$  is undefined; in particular, it's not 0.

Let  $G = (V, E)$ , where  $V = t, u$ ,  $E = (u, t)$  and  $w(u, t) = 0$ . There is only one edge, and it enters  $t$ . When we run Bellman-Ford from  $t$ , we get  $h(t) = \delta(t, t) = 0$  and  $h(u) = \delta(t, u) = \infty$ . When we re-weight, we get  $\hat{w}(u, t) = 0 + \infty - 0 = \infty$ . We compute  $\hat{\delta} = \infty$ , and so we compute  $d_{ut} = \infty + 0 = \infty \neq 0$ , we get an incorrect answer

Johnson's algorithm avoids this problem by adding a new vertex  $s$  to the graph, with zero-weight edges going from  $s$  to every other vertex, but no edges going back into  $s$ . This addition does not change the shortest paths between any other pair of vertices, because there are no paths into  $s$ .

For example:



Johnson's algorithm starts by introducing a source vertex. The problem with choosing an existing vertex is that it might not be able to reach all the vertices in the graph. To guarantee that a single source vertex can reach all vertices in the graph, a new vertex is introduced. The new vertex,  $s$ , is introduced to all vertices in the graph with weight zero.

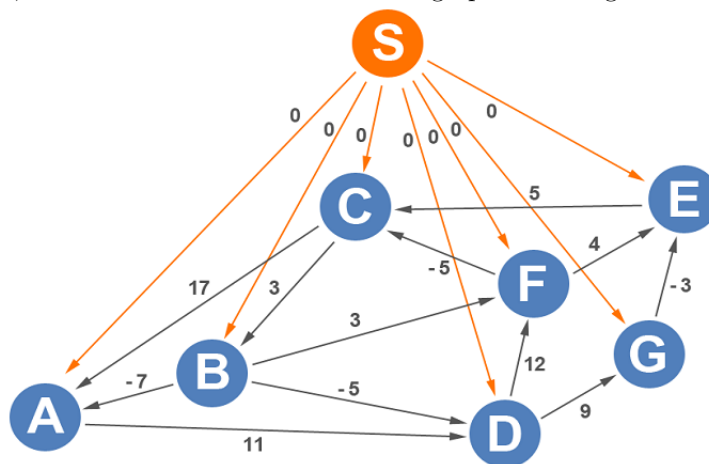


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5. If all the edge weights are non-negative, then the values computed as the shortest distance when running Bellman-Ford will be all 0. This is because when constructing  $G'$  on the first line of Johnson's algorithm, we place an edge of weight 0 from  $s$  to every other vertex. Since any path within the graph has no negative edges, its cost cannot be negative, and so, cannot beat the trivial path that goes straight from  $s$  to any given vertex. Since we have that  $h(u) = h(v)$  for every  $u$  and  $v$ , the re-weighting that occurs only adds and subtracts 0, and so we have that  $w(u, v) = \hat{w}(u, v)$ .