

All-Pair-Shortest-Paths (APSP)

I/P: Given a weighted directed graph $G = (V, E)$ with a weight fun $w: E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$.

Q: find, for every pair of vertices $u, v \in V$, a shortest weighted path from u to v

Q How Single source shortest path Problem is related (or can be used) APSP?

Q How many invocations of a SSSP subroutine are needed to solve the apsp? [n : # of Vertices]

A We can solve APSP Problem by running a SSSP algorithm n times, once for each vertex as the source.

→ if all edge weights are non-negative

We can use Dijkstra's algorithm, n times.

Running time = $O(nm \log n)$ [using heap implementation]

if G is sparse ie, $m = O(n)$ then $O(n^2 \log n)$

if G is dense ie, $m = \Theta(n^2)$ then $\Theta(n^3 \log n)$

→ we need at $\Omega(n^3)$ time find APSP

→ if the graph has negative edge weights
we can use Bellman-Ford algorithm once
from each vertex.

$$\text{Running time} = O(n^2 m)$$

$$\begin{array}{cc} & \swarrow \quad \searrow \\ O(n^3) & O(n^4) \end{array}$$

if $m = \theta(n)$ if $m = \theta(n^2)$

Q: Can we do better?

A YES [Floyd-Warshall algorithm]



— $O(n^3)$ algorithm even on graphs
with negative edge lengths

— uses Dynamic Programming

Basic Notation

→ We use adjacency matrix representation of the graph.

- We assume that the vertices are numbered

$1, 2, \dots, n$.

W - weight matrix - $n \times n$
 $= (w_{ij})$

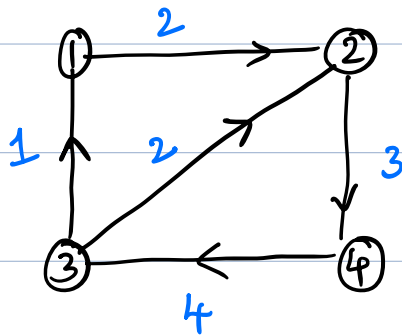
$$w_{ij} = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i=j \\ \text{weight of the edge} & \text{if } i \neq j, (i,j) \in E \\ \infty & \text{if } i \neq j, (i,j) \notin E \end{cases}$$

We allow negative -weighted edges

but we assume, graph has no negative weighted cycles.

The output of the APSP algorithm is an $n \times n$ matrix $D = (d_{ij})$, where entry d_{ij} contains the weight of a shortest path from vertex i to vertex j . ie, $d_{ij} = \delta(i, j)$

Example:



$$W = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & 0 & \infty & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & 9 & 5 \\ 8 & 0 & 7 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 & 5 \\ 5 & 6 & 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Structure of a Shortest Path :

Q: What is the Maximum length of any shortest Path in a graph with n -vertices.

A: $n-1$.

Consider a path P from i to j

P contains at most m -edges

if $i \neq j$

$$i \overset{P'}{\rightsquigarrow} k \longrightarrow j$$

Where P' contains at most $m-1$ edges

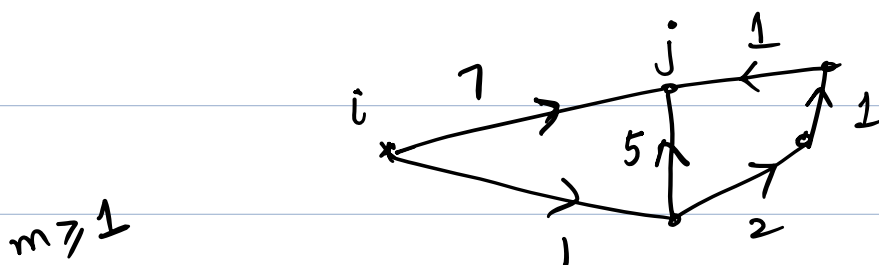
↳ it is a shortest path from i to k

So
$$\delta(i, j) = \delta(i, k) + w_{kj}$$

A Recursive solution:

Let $l_{ij}^{(m)} \rightarrow$ minimum weight of any path from i to j that contains at most m edges

$$l_{ij}^{(0)} = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i=j \\ \infty & \text{if } i \neq j \end{cases}$$



$$\begin{aligned} l_{ij}^{(m)} &= \min \left(l_{ij}^{(m-1)}, \min_{1 \leq k \leq n} \{ l_{ik}^{(m-1)} + w_{kj} \} \right) \\ &= \min_{1 \leq k \leq n} \{ l_{ik}^{(m-1)} + w_{kj} \} \quad (w_{jj} = 0) \end{aligned}$$

Remark: $\delta(i,j) = l_{ij}^{(n-1)} = l_{ij}^{(n)} = \dots$
because $\delta(i,j) \leq n-1$

Computing Shortest Path weights bottom UP.

EXTEND-SHORTEST-PATHS(L, W)

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1   $n = L.rows$ 
2  let  $L' = (l'_{ij})$  be a new  $n \times n$  matrix
3  for  $i = 1$  to  $n$ 
4      for  $j = 1$  to  $n$ 
5           $l'_{ij} = \infty$ 
6          for  $k = 1$  to  $n$ 
7               $l'_{ij} = \min(l'_{ij}, l_{ik} + w_{kj})$ 
8  return  $L'$ 
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$$W = w_{ij}$$

$$L^{(1)}, L^{(2)}, \dots, L^{(n-1)}$$

$$L^{(m)} = (l^{(m)}_{ij})$$

The final matrix $L^{(n-1)}$ contains the actual Shortest-path weights.

$$L^{(1)} = W$$

The above algorithm, Given two matrices $L^{(m-1)}$ & W , returns $L^{(m)}$.

$$\text{Running time} = \Theta(n^3)$$

$$L^{(1)} = L^{(0)} \cdot W = W$$

$$L^{(2)} = L^{(1)} \cdot W = W^2$$

$$L^{(3)} = \quad \quad \quad = W^3$$

$$L^{(n-1)} = L^{(n-2)} \cdot W = W^{n-1}.$$

SLOW-ALL-PAIRS-SHORTEST-PATHS(W)

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1   $n = W.rows$ 
2   $L^{(1)} = W$ 
3  for  $m = 2$  to  $n - 1$ 
4      let  $L^{(m)}$  be a new  $n \times n$  matrix
5       $L^{(m)} = \text{EXTEND-SHORTEST-PATHS}(L^{(m-1)}, W)$ 
6  return  $L^{(n-1)}$ 

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} $\Theta(n^4)$

Improving the Running time:

$$L^{(1)} = W$$

$$L^{(2)} = W^2$$

$$L^{(4)} = W^4$$

$$L^{2^{\lceil \log(n-1) \rceil}} = W^{2^{(\log(n-1))}}$$

FASTER-ALL-PAIRS-SHORTEST-PATHS(W)

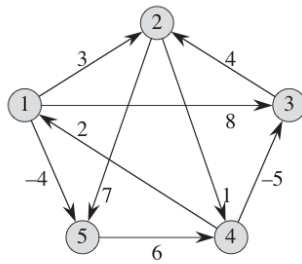
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1   $n = W.rows$ 
2   $L^{(1)} = W$ 
3   $m = 1$ 
4  while  $m < n - 1$ 
5      let  $L^{(2m)}$  be a new  $n \times n$  matrix
6       $L^{(2m)} = \text{EXTEND-SHORTEST-PATHS}(L^{(m)}, L^{(m)})$ 
7       $m = 2m$ 
8  return  $L^{(m)}$ 

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} $\Theta(n^3 \log n)$

Example :-



$$L^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3 & 8 & \infty & -4 \\ \infty & 0 & \infty & 1 & 7 \\ \infty & 4 & 0 & \infty & \infty \\ 2 & \infty & -5 & 0 & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad L^{(2)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3 & 8 & 2 & -4 \\ 3 & 0 & -4 & 1 & 7 \\ \infty & 4 & 0 & 5 & 11 \\ 2 & -1 & -5 & 0 & -2 \\ 8 & \infty & 1 & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$L^{(3)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3 & -3 & 2 & -4 \\ 3 & 0 & -4 & 1 & -1 \\ 7 & 4 & 0 & 5 & 11 \\ 2 & -1 & -5 & 0 & -2 \\ 8 & 5 & 1 & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad L^{(4)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & -3 & 2 & -4 \\ 3 & 0 & -4 & 1 & -1 \\ 7 & 4 & 0 & 5 & 3 \\ 2 & -1 & -5 & 0 & -2 \\ 8 & 5 & 1 & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

The final iteration computes $L^{(n-1)}$ by actually computing $L^{(2m)}$ for some $n-1 \leq 2m \leq 2n-2$

But $L^{(2m)} = L^{(n-1)}$

Next, we study a different DP formulation to solve APSP, known as Floyd-warshall algorithm runs in $\Theta(n^3)$ time.

Optimal Substructure

Main Idea: $V(G) = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, n\}$

Let $V^{(k)} = \{1, 2, \dots, k\}$

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- No negative cycles , negative weight edges may
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Structure of the Shortest Path:

An intermediate vertex of a simple path $P = \langle v_1, v_2, \dots, v_l \rangle$ is any vertex P other than v_1 & v_l .

Algorithm relies on the following observation

Recall $V = \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$

Consider a subset $\{1, 2, \dots, k\}$ of vertices, for some k

For any pair of vertices $i, j \in V$, consider all paths from i to j whose intermediate vertices are all drawn from $\{1, 2, \dots, k\}$

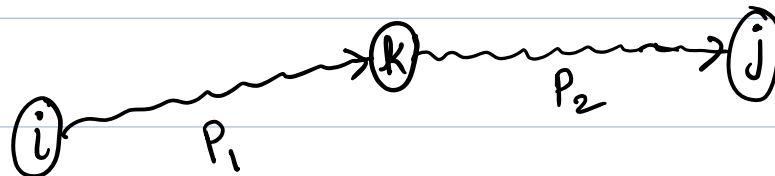
Let P be a minimum weight path among them

Q: What is the relationship b/w P and shortest paths from i to j with all intermediate vertices are from $\{1, 2, \dots, k-1\}$

① If k is not an intermediate vertex of path p , then all intermediate vertices of path p are in the set $\{1, 2, \dots, k-1\}$. Thus, a shortest path from vertex i to vertex j with all intermediate vertices in the set $\{1, 2, \dots, k-1\}$ is also a shortest path from i to j with all intermediate vertices in the set $\{1, 2, \dots, k\}$.

② If k is an intermediate vertex of path p , then we decompose p into $i \xrightarrow{p_1} k \xrightarrow{p_2} j$, as Figure 25.3 illustrates. By Lemma 24.1, p_1 is a shortest path from i to k with all intermediate vertices in the set $\{1, 2, \dots, k\}$. In fact, we can make a slightly stronger statement. Because vertex k is not an intermediate vertex of path p_1 , all intermediate vertices of p_1 are in the set $\{1, 2, \dots, k-1\}$. There-

fore, p_1 is a shortest path from i to k with all intermediate vertices in the set $\{1, 2, \dots, k-1\}$. Similarly, p_2 is a shortest path from vertex k to vertex j with all intermediate vertices in the set $\{1, 2, \dots, k-1\}$.



p : all intermediate vertices in $\{1, 2, \dots, k\}$
 p_1, p_2 : all " " " " $\{1, 2, \dots, k-1\}$

A Recursive solution to APSP:

(k)

d_{ij} = weight of a Shortest Path from i to j
for which all intermediate vertices are in
the Set $\{1, 2, \dots, k\}$

Base case :

$$d_{ij}^{(0)} = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i = j \\ w_{ij} & \text{if } ij \in E(G) \\ \infty & \text{if } ij \notin E(G), i \neq j \end{cases}$$

$$d_{ij}^{(k)} = \begin{cases} \text{ } & \text{if } k = 0, \\ \min(d_{ij}^{(k-1)}, d_{ik}^{(k-1)} + d_{kj}^{(k-1)}) & \text{if } k \geq 1. \end{cases}$$

For any path, all intermediate vertices are in the set $\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$,

$d_{ij}^{(n)} = \delta(i, j)$ for all $i, j \in V$ - Final answer

Computing the Shortest-Path weights bottom UP:

FLOYD-WARSHALL(W)

1 $n = W.\text{rows}$

2 $D^{(0)} = W$

3 **for** $k = 1$ **to** n

4 let $D^{(k)} = (d_{ij}^{(k)})$ be a new $n \times n$ matrix

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

6 **for** $j = 1$ **to** n

7 $d_{ij}^{(k)} = \min(d_{ij}^{(k-1)}, d_{ik}^{(k-1)} + d_{kj}^{(k-1)})$

8 **return** $D^{(n)}$

↓
Case 1

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Case 2

Running time = $\Theta(n^3)$

Q1 How to check if input graph G has a negative cycle?

Ans: $d_{li}^{(n)} < 0$ for at least one $i \in V(G)$ at the end of the algorithm.

Q2 How to construct a shortest i - j Path?

Ans (See next page)



Idea is to compute max label of an internal node on a shortest i - j Path.

Constructing a Shortest Path:

We can compute the Predecessor matrix Π while the algorithm computes the matrices $D^{(k)}$

$$\Pi^{(0)}, \Pi^{(1)}, \dots, \Pi^{(n)},$$

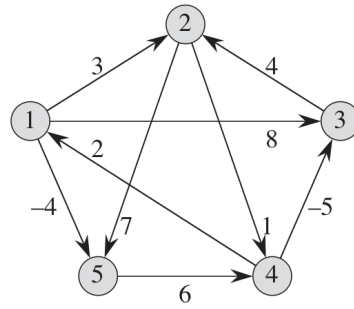
where $\Pi_{ij}^{(k)}$ as the Predecessor of vertex j on a Shortest ij path with all intermediate vertices in the set $\{1, 2, \dots, k\}$

$$\pi_{ij}^{(0)} = \begin{cases} \text{NIL} & \text{if } i = j \text{ or } w_{ij} = \infty, \\ i & \text{if } i \neq j \text{ and } w_{ij} < \infty. \end{cases}$$

$$i \rightsquigarrow k \rightsquigarrow j \quad k \neq j \quad \{1, 2, \dots, k\}$$

$$\pi_{ij}^{(k)} = \begin{cases} \pi_{ij}^{(k-1)} & \text{if } d_{ij}^{(k-1)} \leq d_{ik}^{(k-1)} + d_{kj}^{(k-1)}, \\ \pi_{kj}^{(k-1)} & \text{if } d_{ij}^{(k-1)} > d_{ik}^{(k-1)} + d_{kj}^{(k-1)}. \end{cases}$$

Example:



$$D^{(0)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3 & 8 & \infty & -4 \\ \infty & 0 & \infty & 1 & 7 \\ \infty & 4 & 0 & \infty & \infty \\ 2 & \infty & -5 & 0 & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \Pi^{(0)} = \begin{pmatrix} \text{NIL} & 1 & 1 & \text{NIL} & 1 \\ \text{NIL} & \text{NIL} & \text{NIL} & 2 & 2 \\ \text{NIL} & 3 & \text{NIL} & \text{NIL} & \text{NIL} \\ 4 & \text{NIL} & 4 & \text{NIL} & \text{NIL} \\ \text{NIL} & \text{NIL} & \text{NIL} & 5 & \text{NIL} \end{pmatrix}$$

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$$D^{(5)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & -3 & 2 & -4 \\ 3 & 0 & -4 & 1 & -1 \\ 7 & 4 & 0 & 5 & 3 \\ 2 & -1 & -5 & 0 & -2 \\ 8 & 5 & 1 & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \Pi^{(5)} = \begin{pmatrix} \text{NIL} & 3 & 4 & 5 & 1 \\ 4 & \text{NIL} & 4 & 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 3 & \text{NIL} & 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 3 & 4 & \text{NIL} & 1 \\ 4 & 3 & 4 & 5 & \text{NIL} \end{pmatrix}$$

How to

Exercise 1: Construct shortest paths using the matrix

$\pi^{(k)}$?

Exercise 2: How can we use the OP of FW algorithm

to detect the presence of a negative-weight cycle?

HINT: There is a negative weight cycle if and

only if $d_{ii}^{(n)} < 0$ for some i

[Write the proof]