

# Dynamic Programming

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- Dynamic Programming策略設計的概念
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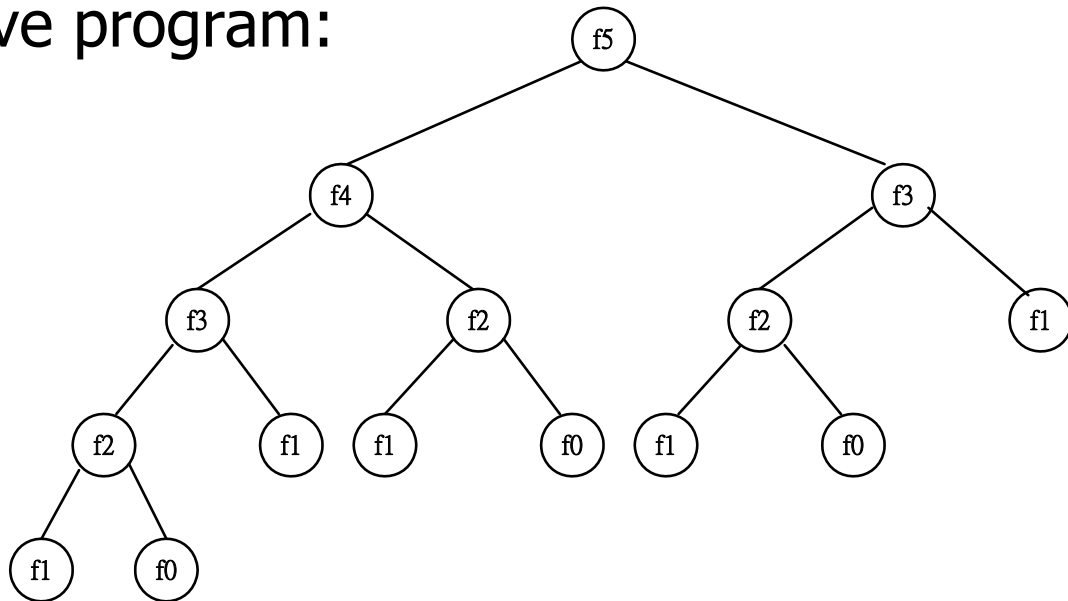
# Fibonacci sequence

- **Fibonacci sequence**: 0 , 1 , 1 , 2 , 3 , 5 , 8 , 13 , 21 , ...

$$F_i = i \quad \text{if } i \leq 1$$

$$F_i = F_{i-1} + F_{i-2} \quad \text{if } i \geq 2$$

- Solved by a recursive program:



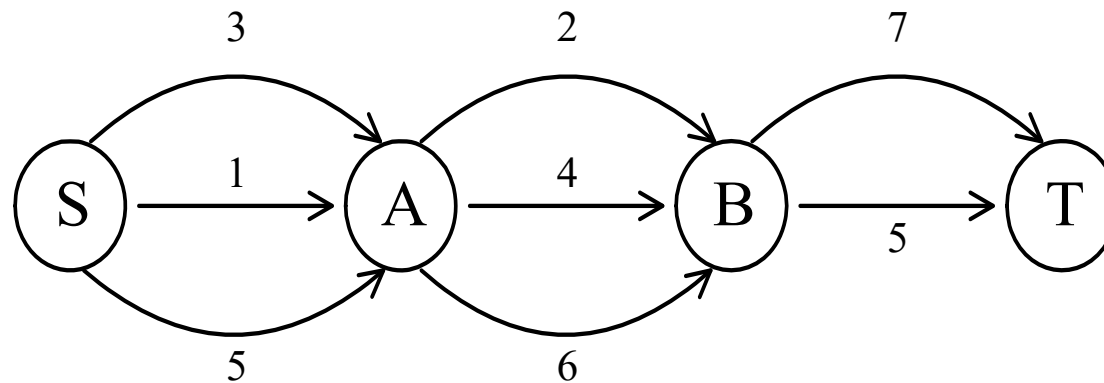
- Much replicated computation is done.
- It should be solved by a simple loop.

# Dynamic Programming

- Dynamic Programming is an algorithm design method that can be used when the solution to a problem may be viewed as the result of **a sequence of decisions**

# The shortest path

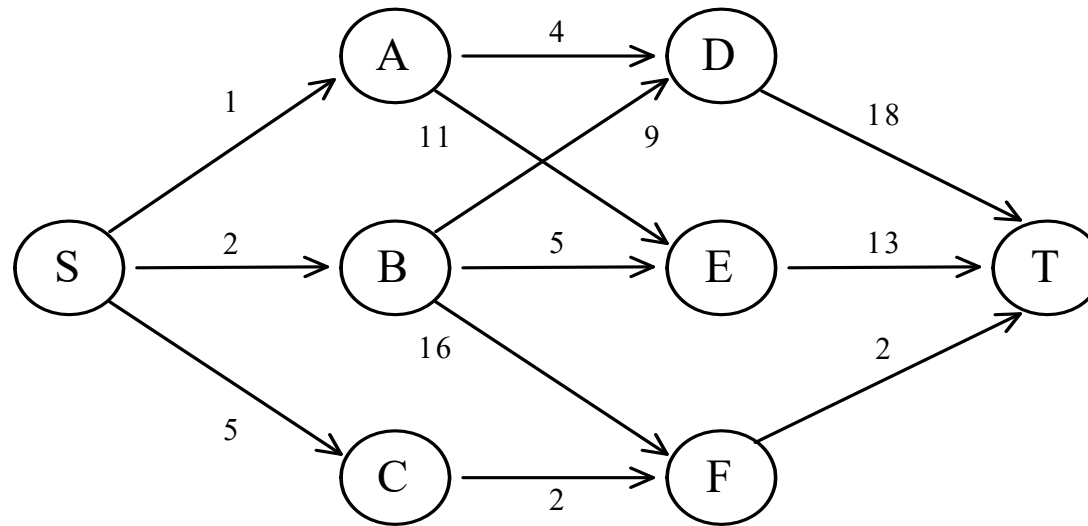
- To find a shortest path in a multi-stage graph



- Apply the greedy method :  
the shortest path from S to T :  
 $1 + 2 + 5 = 8$

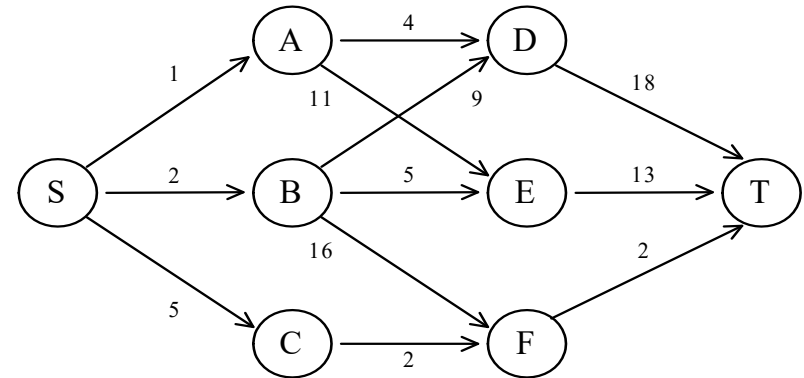
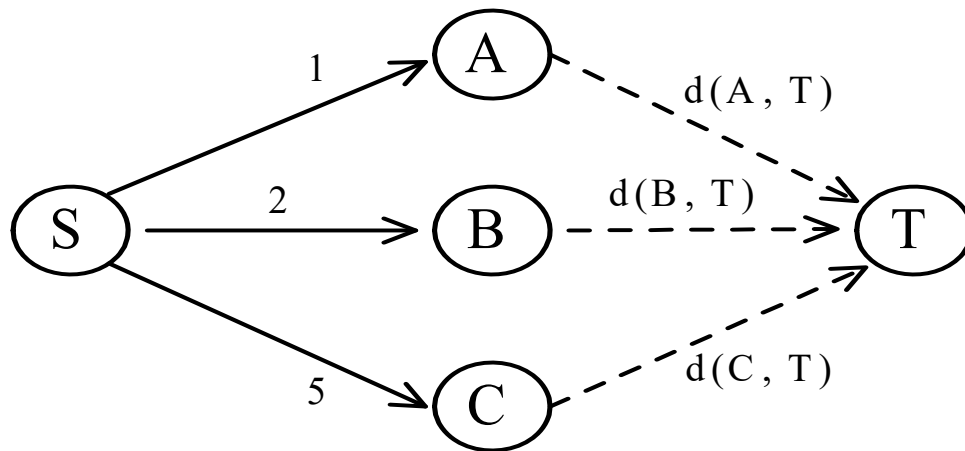
# The shortest path in multistage graphs

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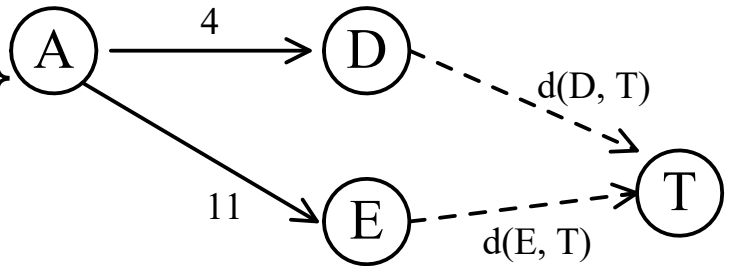
- The greedy method can not be applied to this case: (S, A, D, T)  $1+4+18 = 23$ .
- The real shortest path is:  
(S, C, F, T)  $5+2+2 = 9$ .

# Dynamic programming approach



- $d(S, T) = \min\{1+d(A, T), 2+d(B, T), 5+d(C, T)\}$

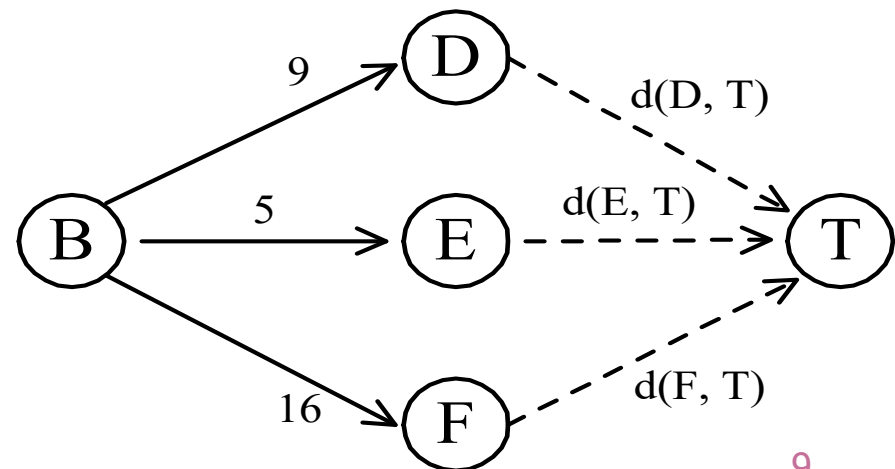
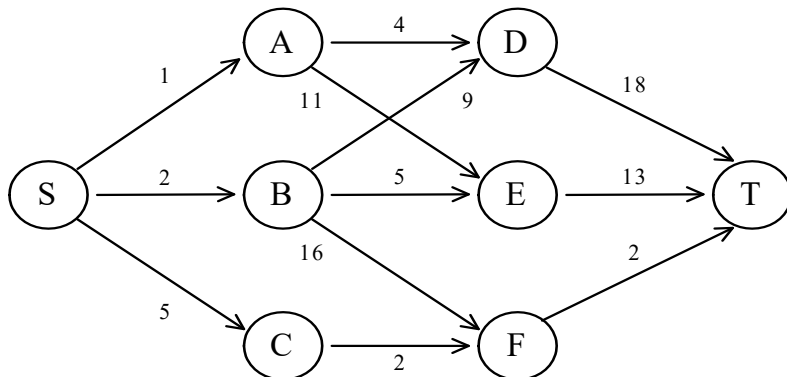
- $d(A, T) = \min\{4+d(D, T), 11+d(E, T)\}$   
 $= \min\{4+18, 11+13\} = 22.$



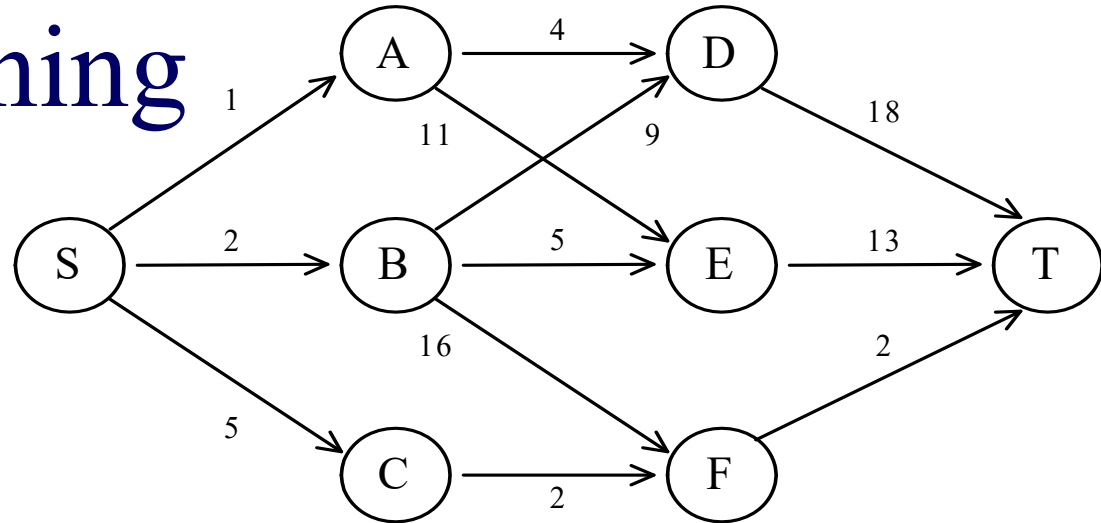


# Dynamic programming

- $d(B, T) = \min\{9+d(D, T), 5+d(E, T), 16+d(F, T)\}$   
 $= \min\{9+18, 5+13, 16+2\} = 18.$
- $d(C, T) = \min\{2+d(F, T)\} = 2+2 = 4$
- $d(S, T) = \min\{1+d(A, T), 2+d(B, T), 5+d(C, T)\}$   
 $= \min\{1+22, 2+18, 5+4\} = 9.$
- The above way of reasoning is called backward reasoning.



# Forward reasoning



- $d(S, A) = 1$   
 $d(S, B) = 2$   
 $d(S, C) = 5$
- $d(S, D) = \min\{d(S, A) + d(A, D), d(S, B) + d(B, D)\}$   
 $= \min\{1 + 4, 2 + 9\} = 5$   
 $d(S, E) = \min\{d(S, A) + d(A, E), d(S, B) + d(B, E)\}$   
 $= \min\{1 + 11, 2 + 5\} = 7$   
 $d(S, F) = \min\{d(S, A) + d(A, F), d(S, B) + d(B, F)\}$   
 $= \min\{2 + 16, 5 + 2\} = 7$

- $$\begin{aligned} d(S,T) &= \min\{d(S, D)+d(D, T), d(S,E)+ \\ &\quad d(E,T), d(S, F)+d(F, T)\} \\ &= \min\{ 5+18, 7+13, 7+2 \} \\ &= 9 \end{aligned}$$

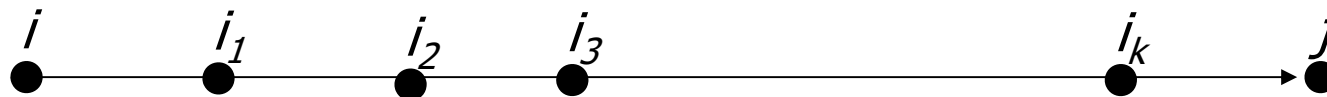
# Principle of optimality

- Principle of optimality: Suppose that in solving a problem, we have to make a sequence of decisions  $D_1, D_2, \dots, D_n$ . **If this sequence is optimal, then the last  $k$  decisions,  $1 < k < n$  must be optimal.**

- e.g. the shortest path problem

If  $i, i_1, i_2, \dots, j$  is a shortest path from  $i$  to  $j$ , then  $i_1, i_2, \dots, j$  must be a shortest path from  $i_1$  to  $j$

- In summary, if a problem can be described by a multistage graph, then it can be solved by dynamic programming.



# Dynamic programming

- Forward approach and backward approach:
  - Note that if the recurrence relations are formulated using the forward approach then the relations are solved backwards . i.e., beginning with the last decision
  - On the other hand if the relations are formulated using the backward approach, they are solved forwards.
- To solve a problem by using dynamic programming:
  - Prove the optimality
  - Find out the recurrence relations.
  - Represent the problem by a multistage graph.

# **The resource allocation problem**

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# The resource allocation problem

- m resources, n projects

**profit  $p(i, j)$**  : j resources are allocated to project

i.  $P(i, 0)=0$  for each  $i$

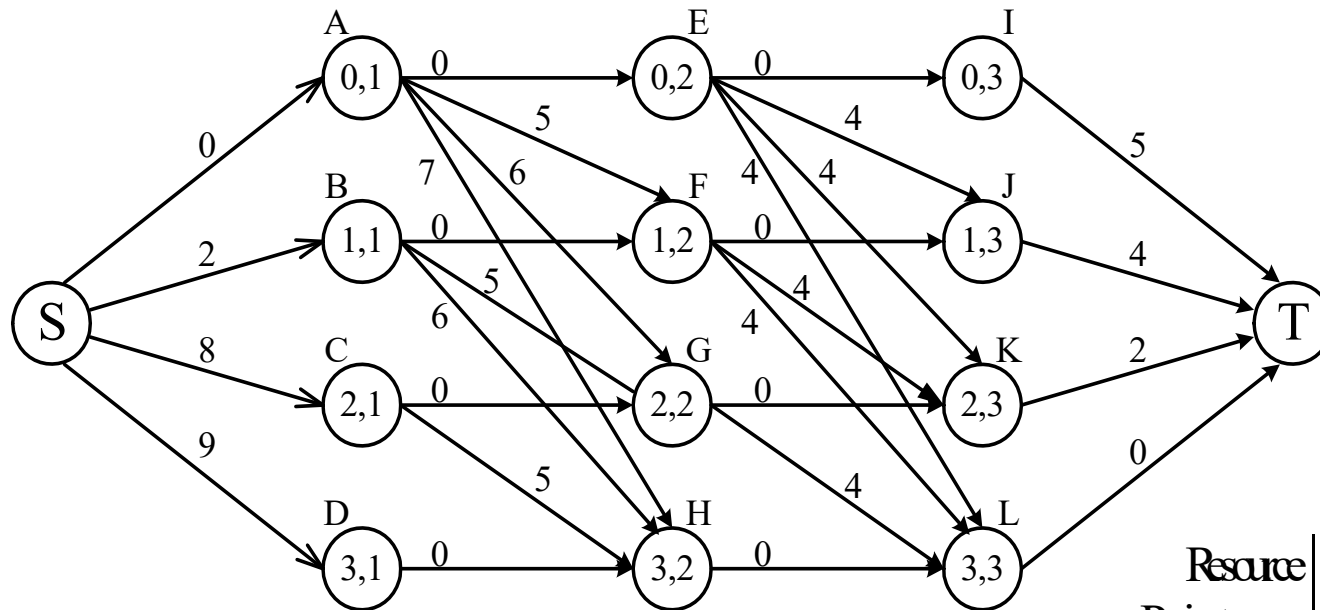
maximize the total profit.

Resource Project	1	2	3
1	2	8	9
2	5	6	7
3	4	4	4
4	2	4	5

To make a sequence of decision to determine the number Resources to be allocated to project  $i$ .



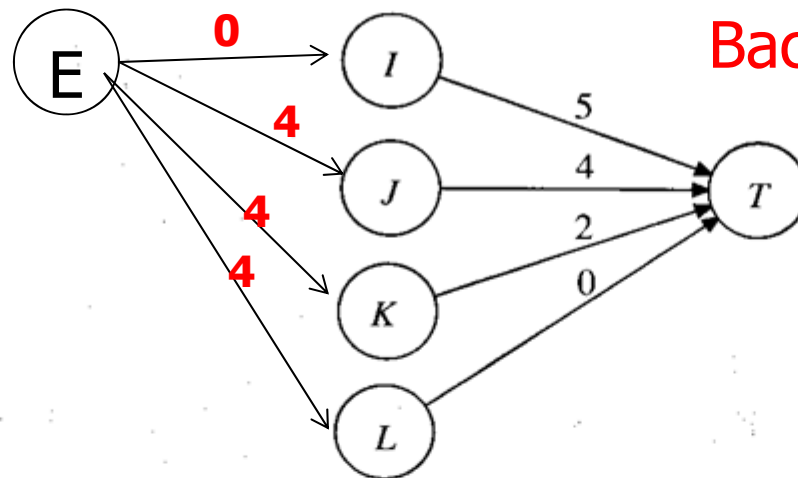
# The multistage graph solution



- The resource allocation problem can be described as a multistage graph.
- **$(i, j)$  :  $i$  resources allocated to projects 1, 2, ...,  $j$**   
e.g. node  $H=(3, 2)$  : 3 resources allocated to projects 1, 2.

Resource			
Project	1	2	3
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3	4	4	4
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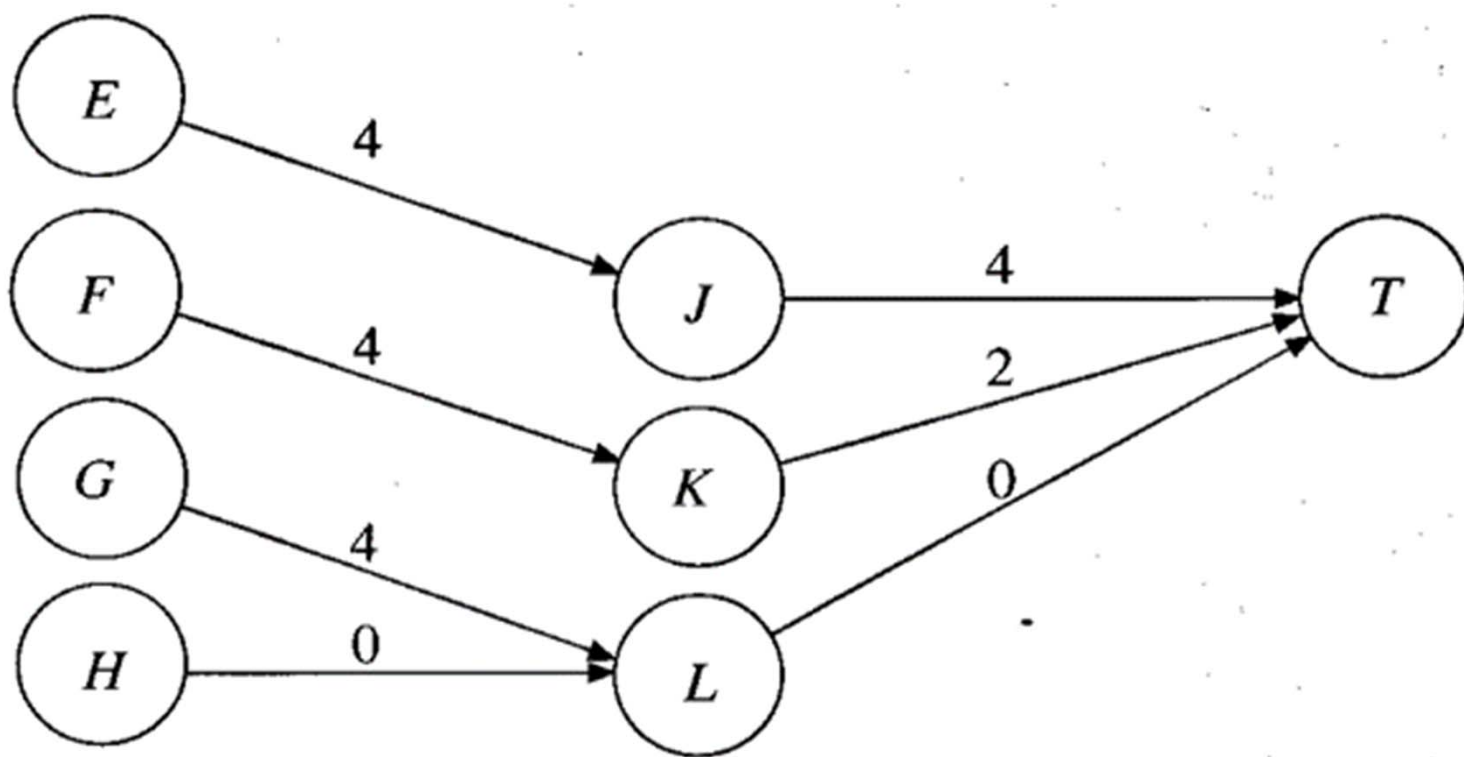
- To get the maximum profit = **find the longest path from S to T**.



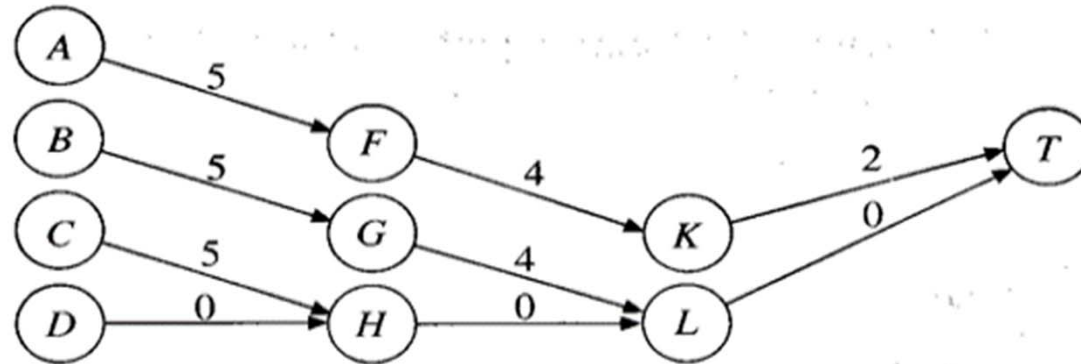
Backward reasoning approach

- 2) Having obtained the longest paths from  $I$ ,  $J$ ,  $K$  and  $L$  to  $T$ , we can obtain the longest paths from  $E$ ,  $F$ ,  $G$  and  $H$  to  $T$  easily. For instance, the longest path from  $E$  to  $T$  is determined as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
 d(E, T) &= \max\{d(E, I) + d(I, T), d(E, J) + d(J, T), \\
 &\quad d(E, K) + d(K, T), d(E, L) + d(L, T)\} \\
 &= \max\{0 + 5, 4 + 4, 4 + 2, 4 + 0\} \\
 &= \max\{5, 8, 6, 4\} \\
 &= 8.
 \end{aligned}$$



- (3) The longest paths from  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$  and  $D$  to  $T$  respectively are found by the same method and shown in Figure 1.



- (4) Finally, the longest path from  $S$  to  $T$  is obtained as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
 d(S, T) &= \max\{d(S, A) + d(A, T), d(S, B) + d(B, T), \\
 &\quad d(S, C) + d(C, T), d(S, D) + d(D, T)\} \\
 &= \max\{0 + 11, 2 + 9, 8 + 5, 9 + 0\} \\
 &= \max\{11, 11, 13, 9\} \\
 &= 13.
 \end{aligned}$$

The longest path is

$$S \rightarrow C \rightarrow H \rightarrow L \rightarrow T.$$

- Find the longest path from S to T :  
**(S, C, H, L, T), 8+5+0+0=13**  
2 resources allocated to project 1.  
1 resource allocated to project 2.  
0 resource allocated to projects 3, 4.

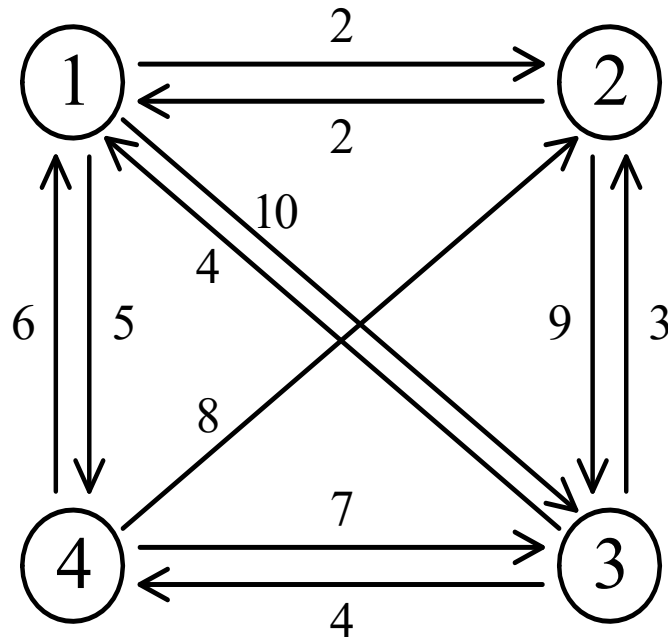
# **The traveling salesperson problem (TSP)**

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# The traveling salesperson problem (TSP)

- e.g. a directed graph :

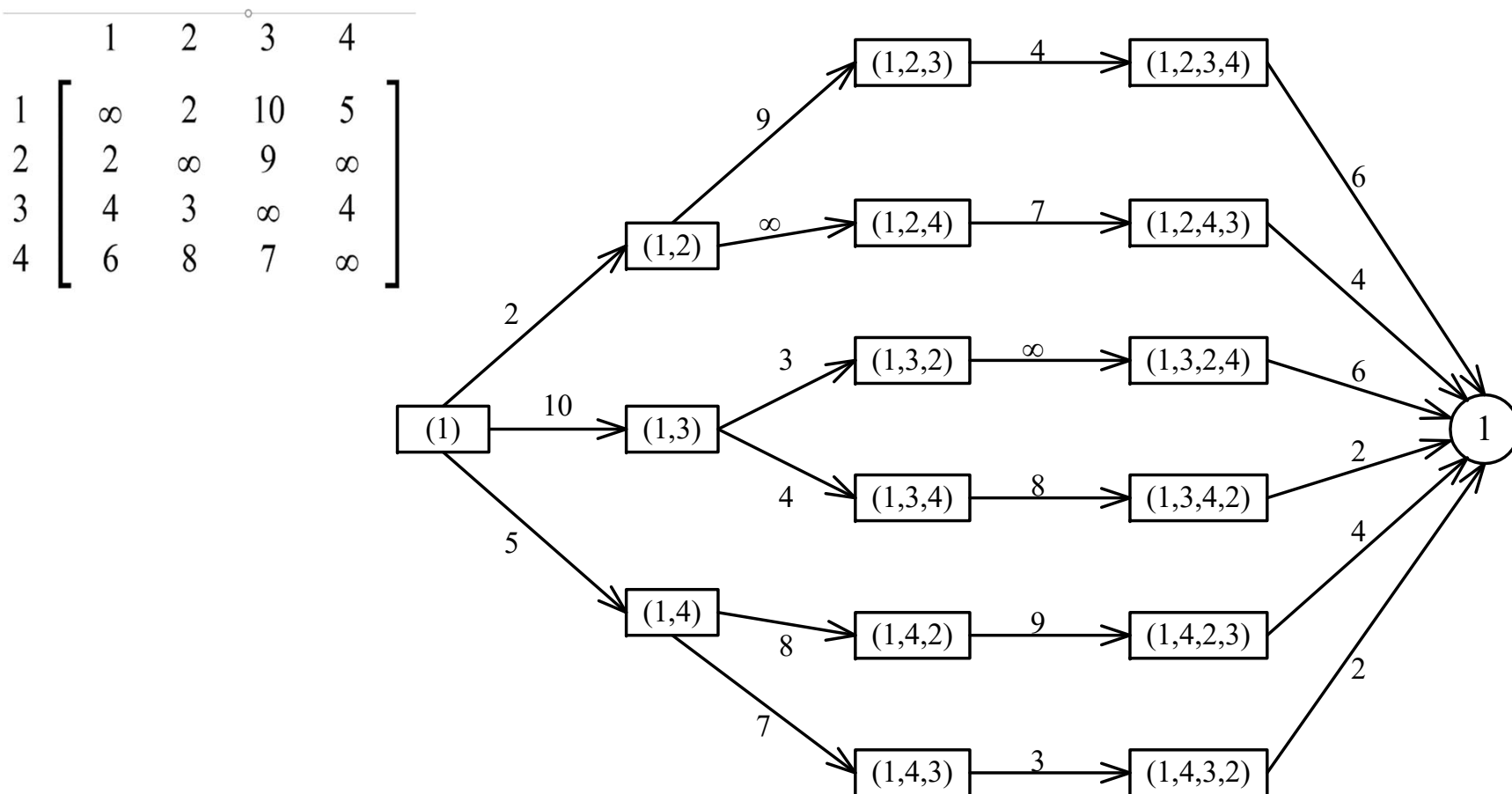


Cost matrix:

	1	2	3	4
1	$\infty$	2	10	5
2	2	$\infty$	9	$\infty$
3	4	3	$\infty$	4
4	6	8	7	$\infty$



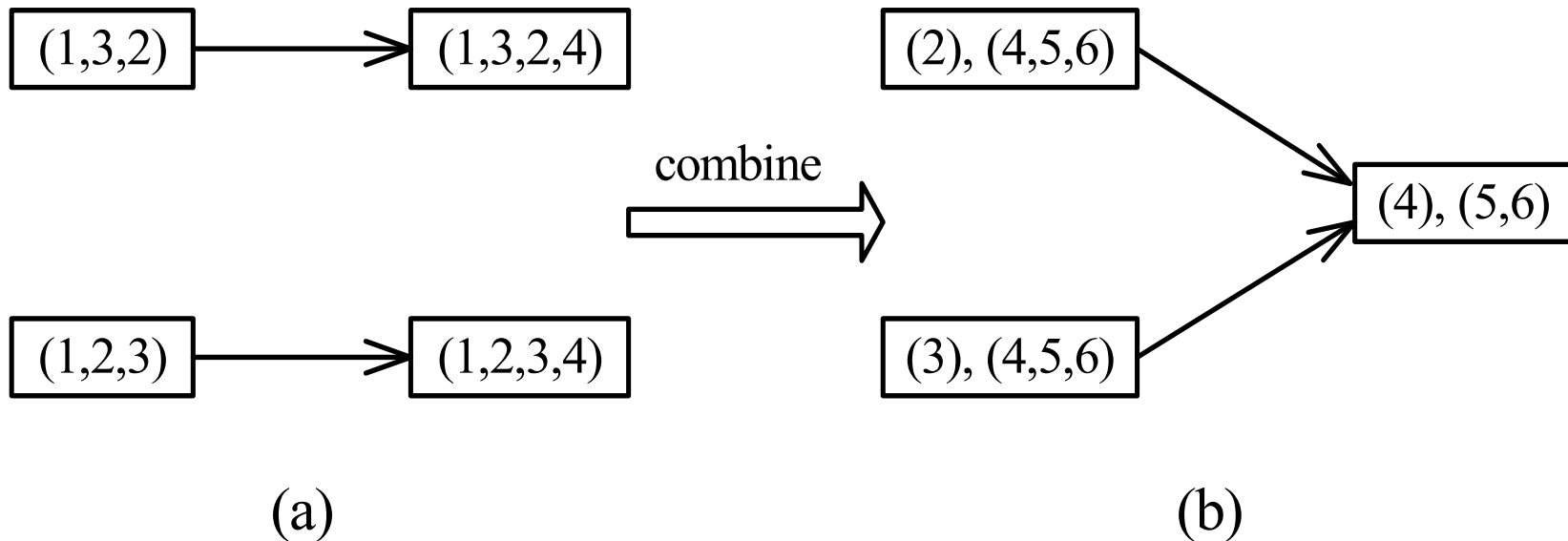
# The multistage graph solution



- A multistage graph can describe all possible tours of a directed graph.
- Find the shortest path:  
 $(1, 4, 3, 2, 1) \quad 5+7+3+2=17$

# The representation of a node

- Suppose that we have 6 vertices in the graph.
- We can combine  $\{1, 2, 3, 4\}$  and  $\{1, 3, 2, 4\}$  into one node.

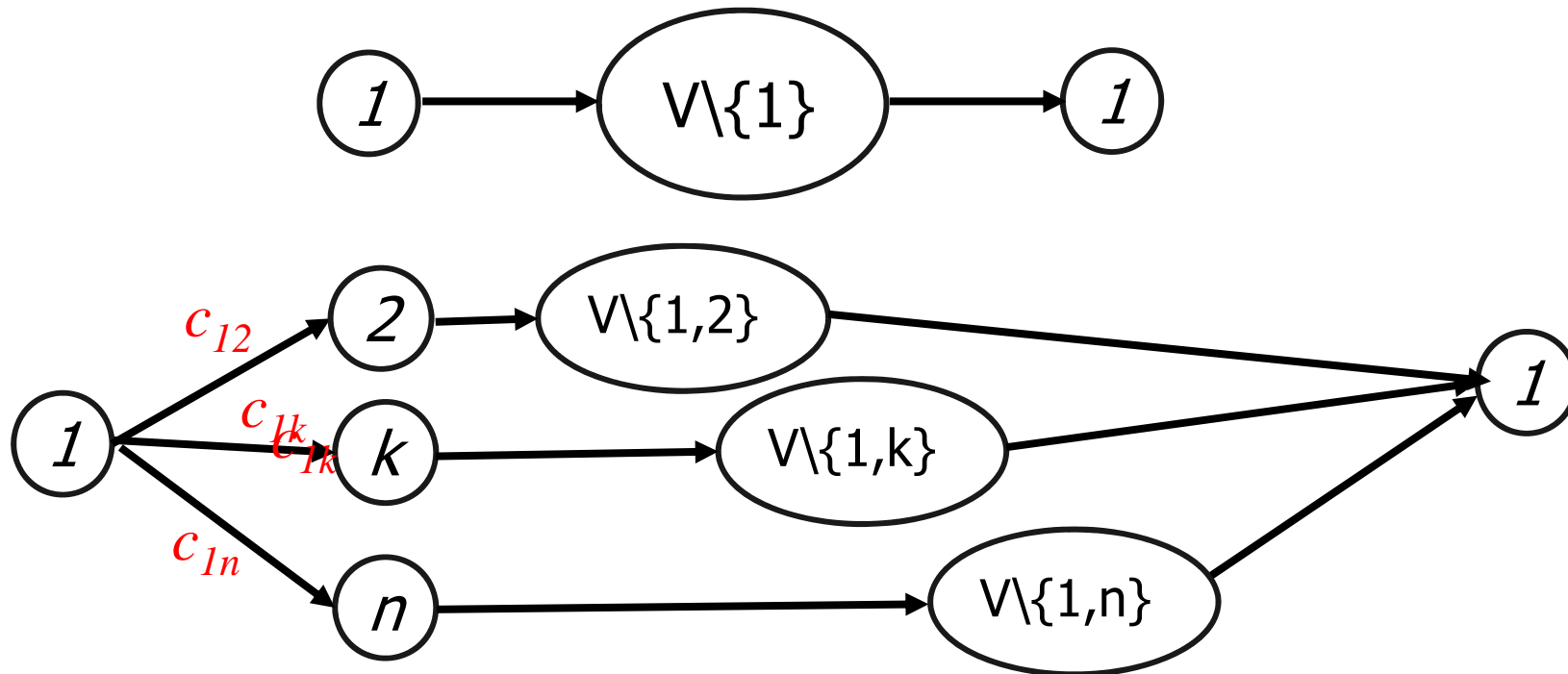


- $(3), (4,5,6)$  means that the **last vertex** visited is 3 and the remaining vertices **to be visited are (4, 5, 6)**.

# The dynamic programming approach

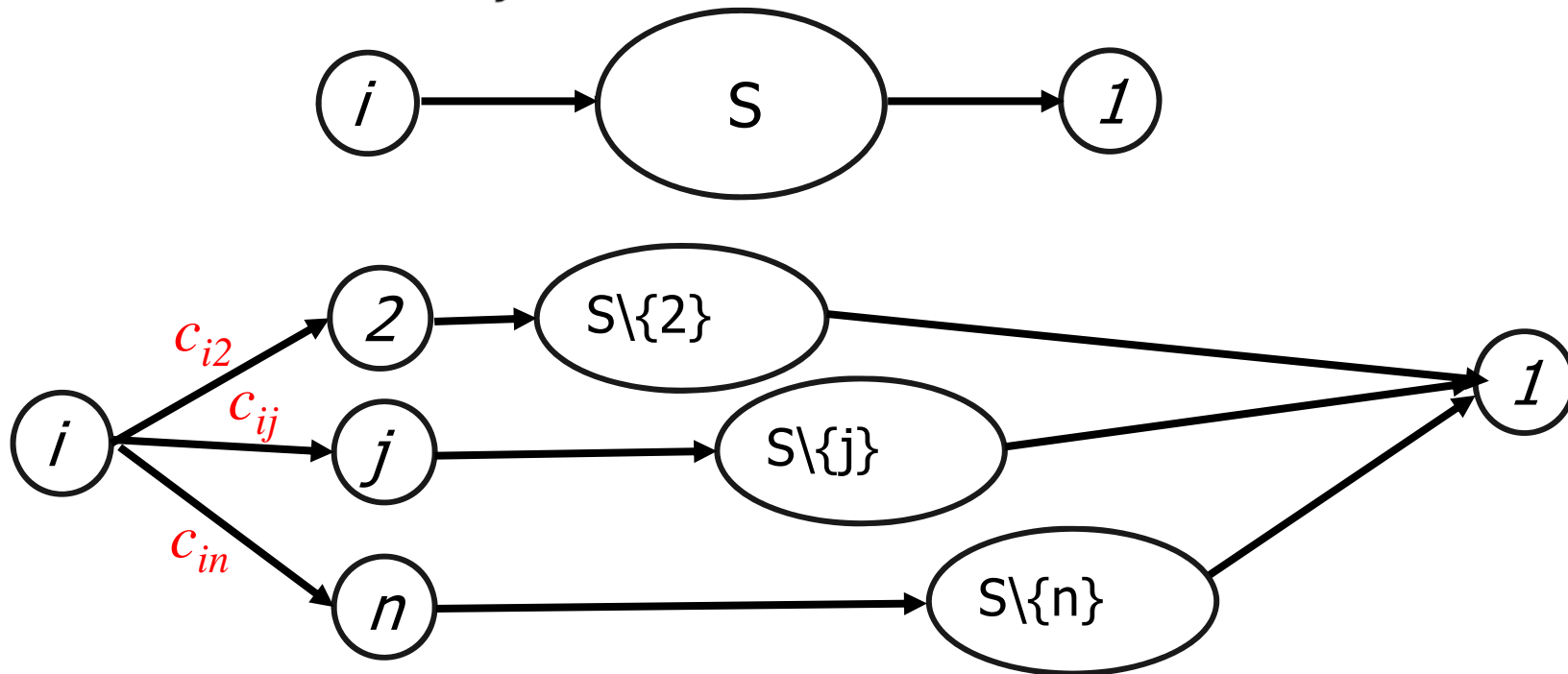
- Let  $g(i, S)$  be the length of a shortest path starting at vertex  $i$ , going through all vertices in  $S$  and terminating at vertex  $1$ .
- The length of an optimal tour :

$$g(1, V \setminus \{1\}) = \min_{2 \leq k \leq n} \{ c_{1k} + g(k, V \setminus \{1, k\}) \}$$



- The general form:

$$g(i, S) = \min_{j \in S} \{c_{ij} + g(j, S \setminus \{j\})\}$$



- Time complexity:

$$n + \sum_{k=2}^n (n-1) \binom{n-2}{n-k} (n-k)$$

$$= O(n^2 2^n)$$

$\binom{n-2}{n-k}$   
 $\uparrow$   
 $(n-1)$

$\binom{n-2}{n-k}$   
 $\uparrow$   
 $(n-k)$

# **The longest common subsequence (LCS) problem**

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# The longest common subsequence (LCS) problem

- A string :  $A = b\ a\ c\ a\ d$
- A subsequence of  $A$ : deleting 0 or more symbols from  $A$  (not necessarily consecutive).  
e.g.  $ad, ac, bac, acad, bacad, bcd$ .
- Common subsequences of  $A = \textcolor{red}{b\ a\ c\ a\ d}$  and  $B = \textcolor{red}{a\ c\ c\ b\ a\ d\ c\ b}$  :  $ad, ac, bac, acad$ .
- The longest common subsequence (LCS) of  $A$  and  $B$ :  $a\ c\ a\ d$ .

# Determine the length of the LCS

- Instead of finding the longest common subsequence, let us try to determine the **length of the LCS**.
- Then tracking back to find the LCS.
- Consider  $a_1a_2\dots a_m$  and  $b_1b_2\dots b_n$ .
- **Case 1:  $a_m = b_n$** . The LCS must contain  $a_m$ , we have to find the LCS of  $a_1a_2\dots a_{m-1}$  and  $b_1b_2\dots b_{n-1}$ .
- **Case 2:  $a_m \neq b_n$** . We have to find the LCS of  $a_1a_2\dots a_{m-1}$  and  $b_1b_2\dots b_n$ , and  $a_1a_2\dots a_m$  and  $b_1b_2\dots b_{n-1}$ .

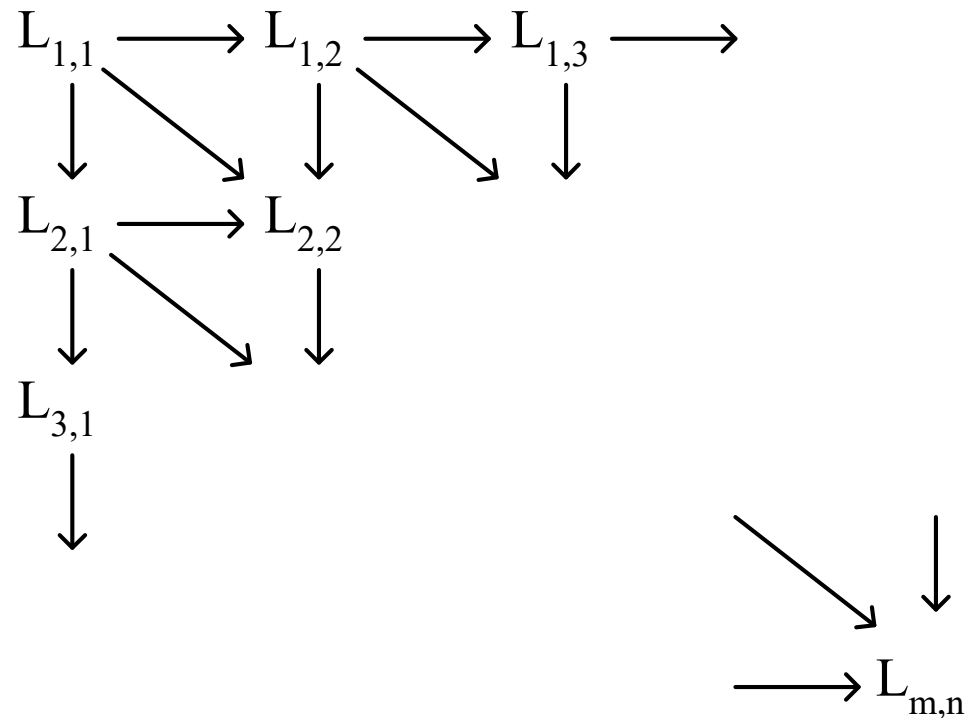


# The LCS algorithm

- Let  $A = a_1 a_2 \dots a_m$  and  $B = b_1 b_2 \dots b_n$
- Let  $L_{i,j}$  denote the length of the longest common subsequence of  $a_1 a_2 \dots a_i$  and  $b_1 b_2 \dots b_j$ .
- $$L_{i,j} = \begin{cases} L_{i-1,j-1} + 1 & \text{if } a_i = b_j \\ \max \{ L_{i-1,j}, L_{i,j-1} \} & \text{if } a_i \neq b_j \end{cases}$$
$$L_{0,0} = L_{0,j} = L_{i,0} = 0 \quad \text{for } 1 \leq i \leq m, 1 \leq j \leq n.$$

Solving approach: Find  $L_{1,1}$

- The dynamic programming approach for solving the LCS problem:



- Time complexity:  $O(mn)$

# Tracing back in the LCS algorithm

- e.g.  $A = b a c a d$ ,  $B = a c c b a d c b$

		B								
			a	c	c	b	a	d	c	b
A	b	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	a	0	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2
	c	0	1	2	2	2	2	2	3	3
	a	0	1	2	2	2	3	3	3	3
	d	0	1	2	2	2	3	4	4	4

Red arrows indicate the path from the bottom-right cell (4,4) back to the start (0,0), showing the sequence of matches: d, a, c, a, b.

- After all  $L_{i,j}$ 's have been found, we can trace back to find the longest common subsequence of A and B.

# **0/1 knapsack problem**

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# 0/1 knapsack problem

- n objects, weight  $W_1, W_2, \dots, W_n$

profit  $P_1, P_2, \dots, P_n$

capacity  $M$

maximize  $\sum_{1 \leq i \leq n} P_i x_i$

subject to  $\sum_{1 \leq i \leq n} W_i x_i \leq M$

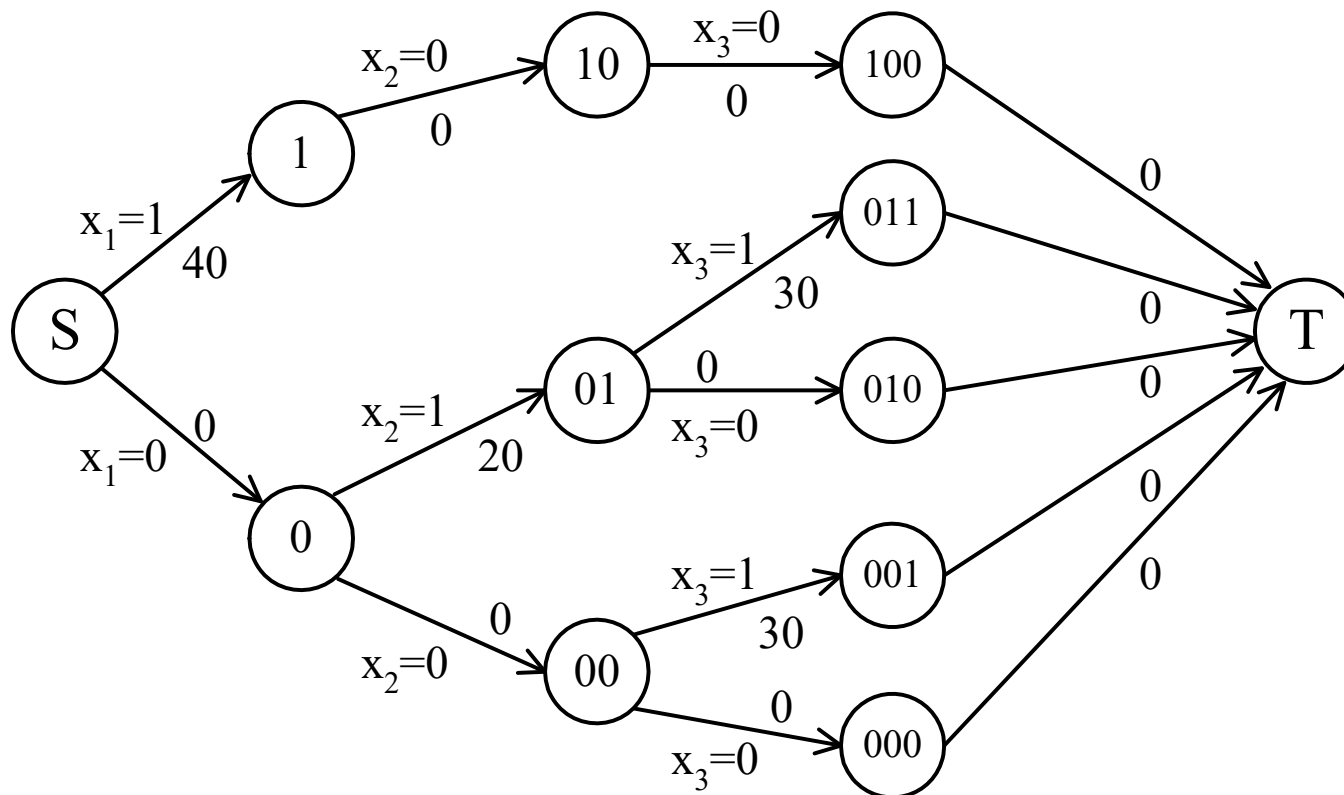
$x_i = 0$  or  $1, 1 \leq i \leq n$

- e. g.

i	$W_i$	$P_i$	M=10
1	10	40	
2	3	20	
3	5	30	

# The multistage graph solution

- The 0/1 knapsack problem can be described by a multistage graph.



# The dynamic programming approach

- The longest path represents the optimal solution:

$$x_1=0, x_2=1, x_3=1$$

$$\sum P_i x_i = 20+30 = 50$$

- Let  $f_i(Q)$  be the value of an optimal solution to objects 1, 2, 3, ..., i with capacity Q.
- $f_i(Q) = \max \{ f_{i-1}(Q), f_{i-1}(Q-W_i)+P_i \}$   
 $= \max \{ \text{第}i\text{個不選獲利}, \text{第}i\text{個必選獲利} \}$
- The optimal solution is  $f_n(M)$ .  
 $f_n(M) = \max \{ f_{i-1}(M), f_{i-1}(M-W_i) + P_i \}$



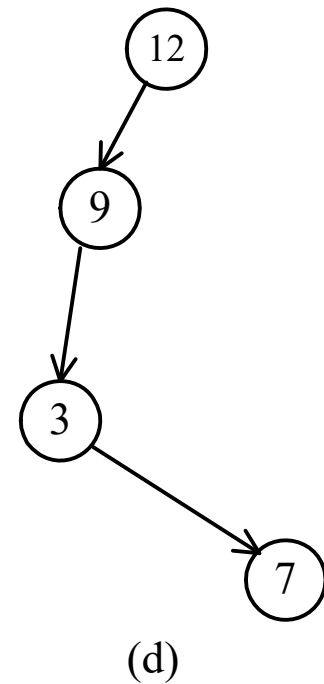
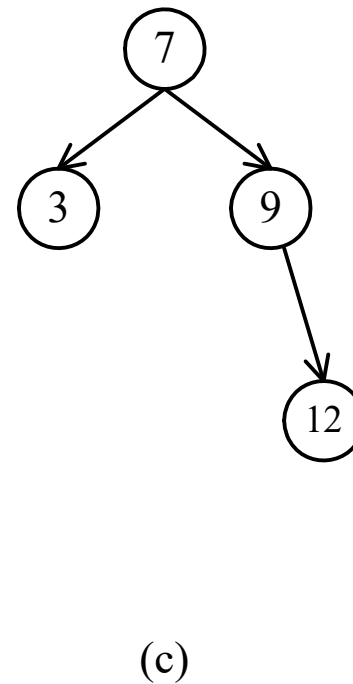
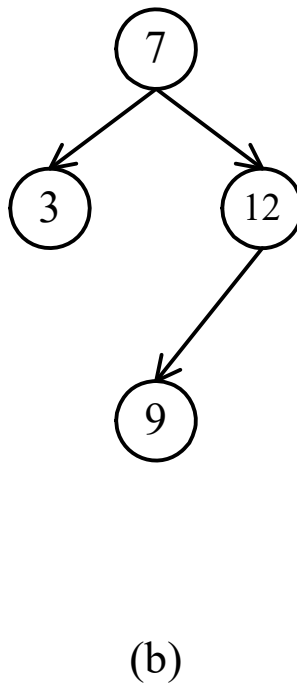
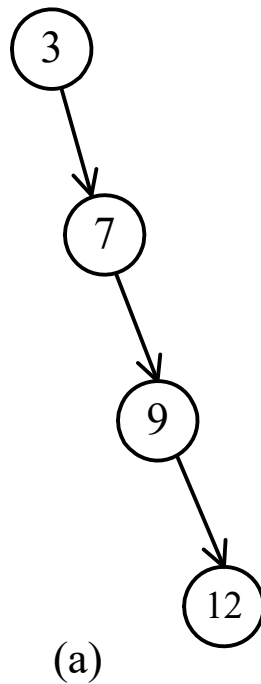
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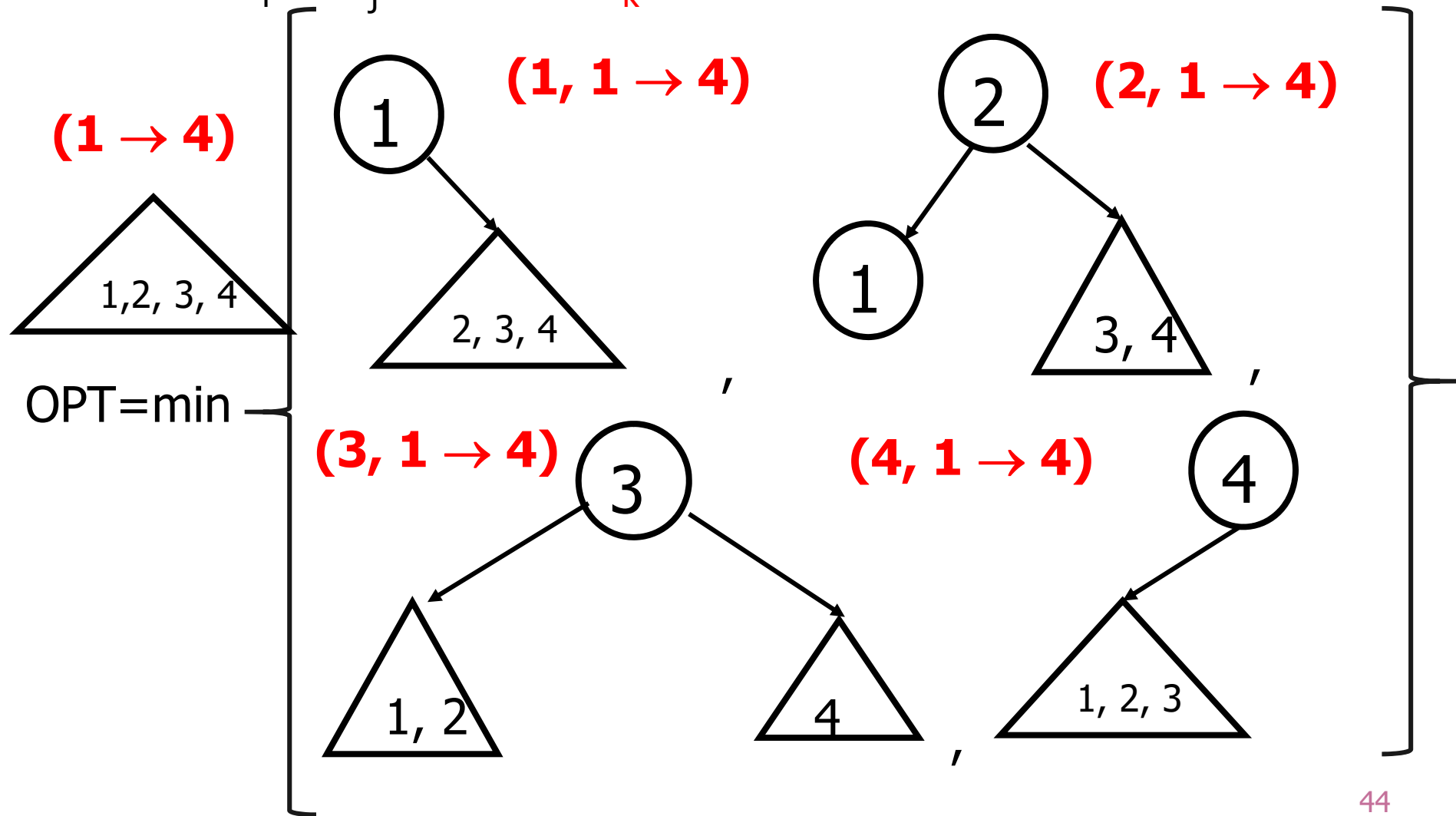
# Optimal binary search trees

- e.g. binary search trees for 3, 7, 9, 12;

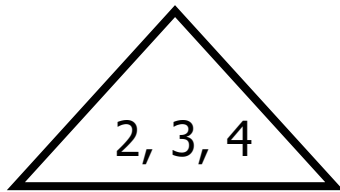


**$(a_i \rightarrow a_j)$  denote the optimal binary tree containing identifiers  $a_i$  to  $a_j$ .**

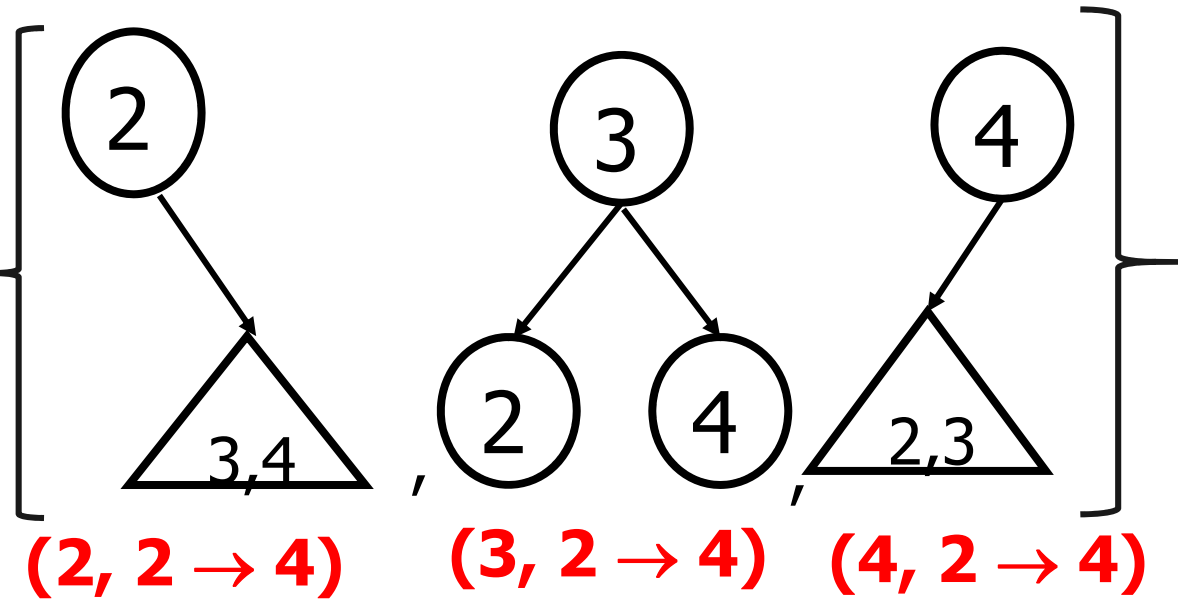
**$(a_k, a_i \rightarrow a_j)$  denote an optimal binary tree containing identifier  $a_i$  to  $a_j$  and with  $a_k$  as its root.**



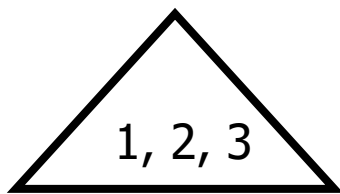
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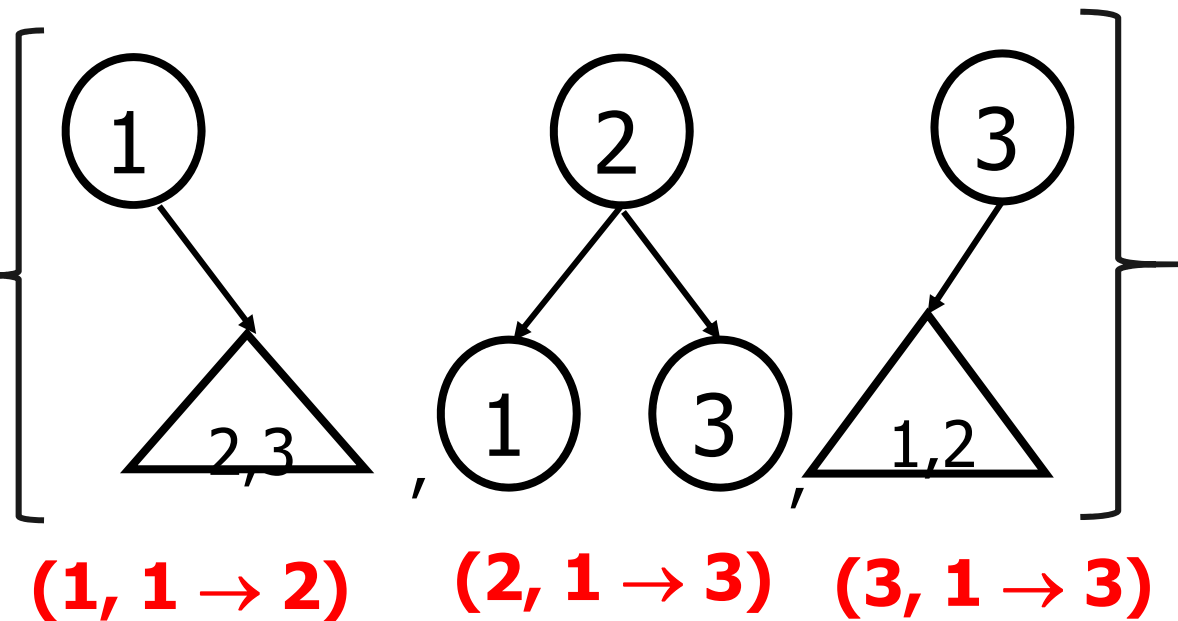
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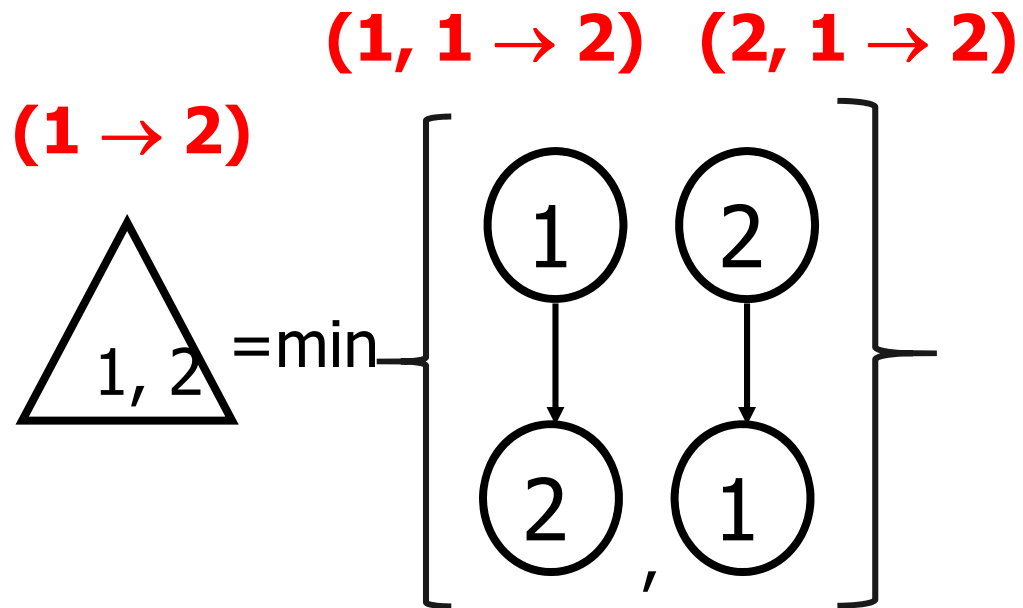


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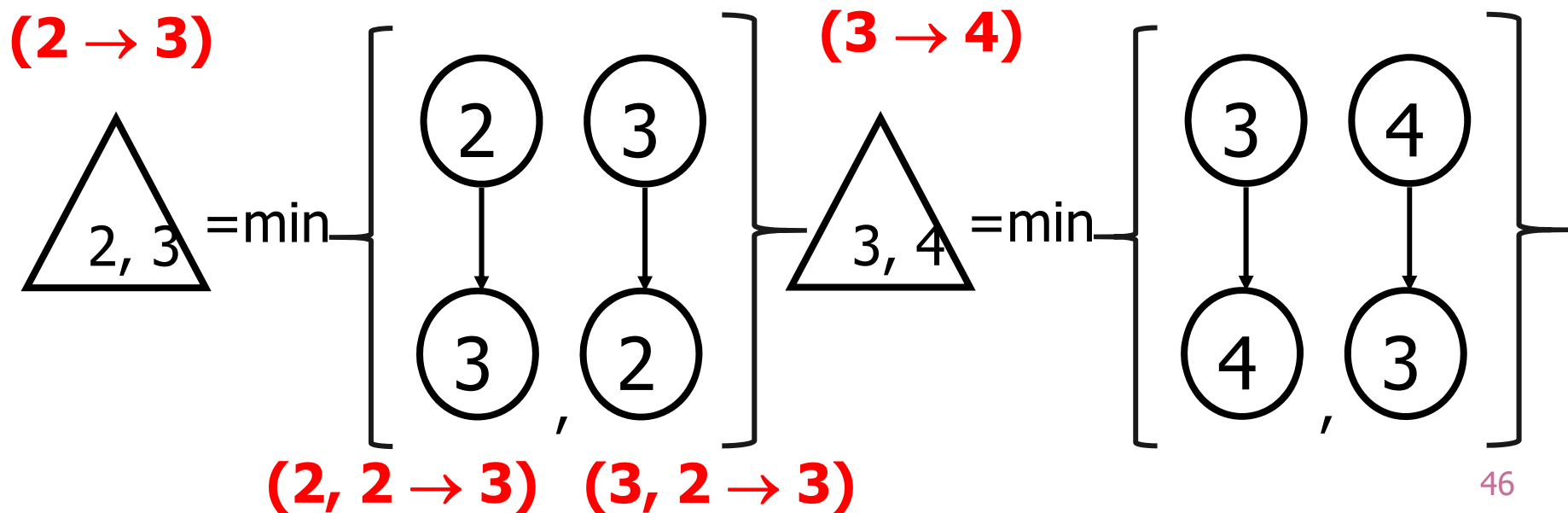


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# Optimal binary tree

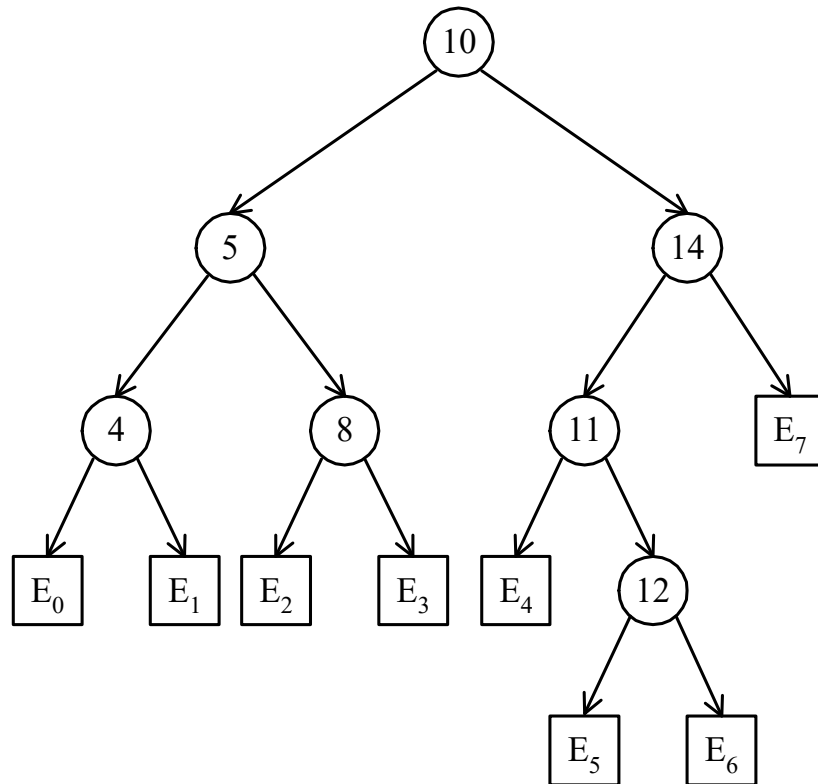
- Identifiers stored close to the root of the tree can be searched rather quickly.
- For each identifier  $a_i$ , associated with probability  $P_i$ .
- For each identifier not stored in tree also given probability  $Q_i$ .

# Optimal binary search trees

- $n$  identifiers :  $a_1 < a_2 < a_3 < \dots < a_n$   
 $P_i$ ,  $1 \leq i \leq n$  : the probability that  $a_i$  is searched.  
 $Q_i$ ,  $0 \leq i \leq n$  : the probability that  $x$  is searched  
where  $a_i < x < a_{i+1}$  ( $a_0 = -\infty$ ,  $a_{n+1} = \infty$ ).

$$\sum_{i=1}^n P_i + \sum_{i=1}^n Q_i = 1$$



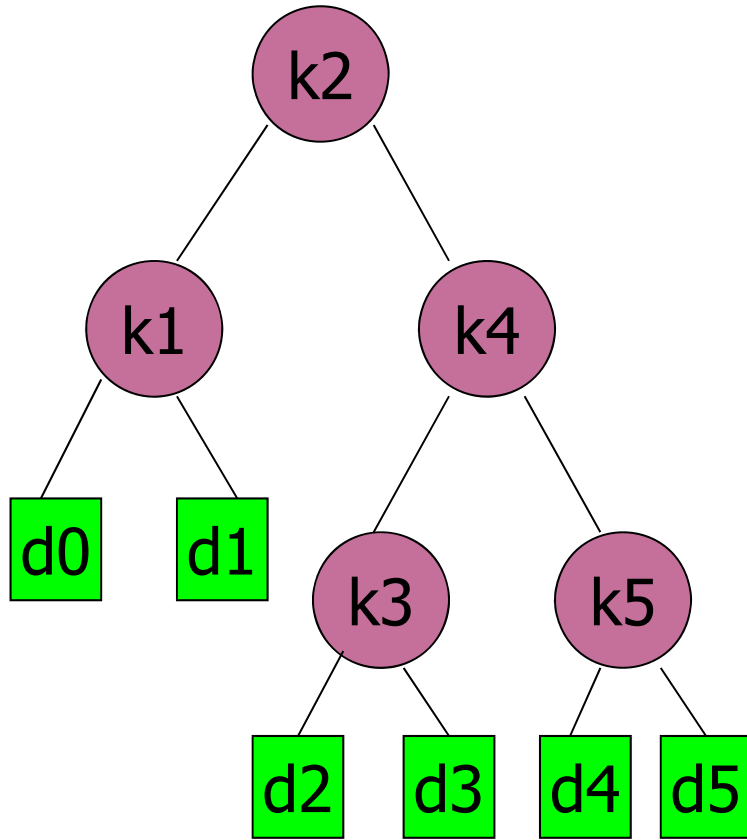


- Identifiers : 4, 5, 8, 10, 11, 12, 14
- **Internal node** : successful search,  $P_i$
- **External node** : unsuccessful search,  $Q_i$

- The **expected cost** of a binary tree:

$$\sum_{n=1}^n P_i * \text{level}(a_i) + \sum_{n=0}^n Q_i * (\text{level}(E_i) - 1)$$

- The level of the root : 1
- The optimal binary tree is a tree with minimal cost.

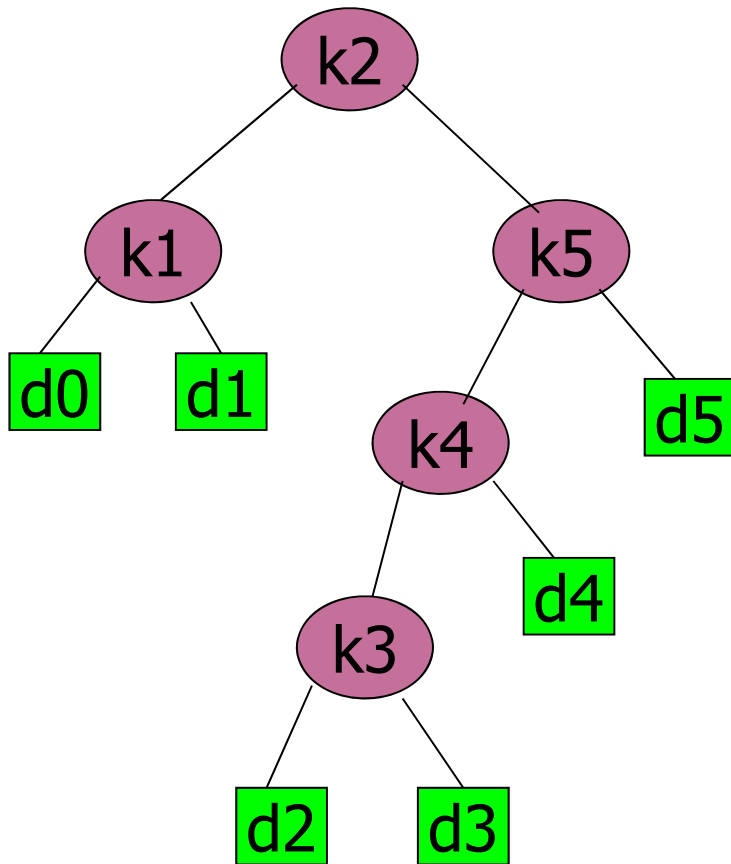


$$\sum_{n=1}^n P_i * \text{level}(a_i) + \sum_{n=0}^n Q_i * (\text{level}(E_i) - 1)$$

Node	level	probability	cost
k1	2	0.15	0.30
k2	1	0.10	0.10
k3	3	0.05	0.15
k4	2	0.10	0.20
K5	3	0.20	0.60
d0	3	0.05	0.10
d1	3	0.10	0.20
d2	4	0.05	0.15
d3	4	0.05	0.15
d4	4	0.05	0.15
d5	4	0.10	0.30

i	0	1	2	3	4	5
P <sub>i</sub>		0.15	0.10	0.05	0.10	0.20
Q <sub>i</sub>	0.05	0.10	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.10

Total cost=2.7



Node	level	probability	cost
k1	2	0.15	0.30
k2	1	0.10	0.10
k3	4	0.05	0.20
k4	3	0.10	0.30
K5	2	0.20	0.40
d0	3	0.05	0.10
d1	3	0.10	0.20
d2	5	0.05	0.20
d3	5	0.05	0.20
d4	4	0.05	0.15
d5	3	0.10	0.20

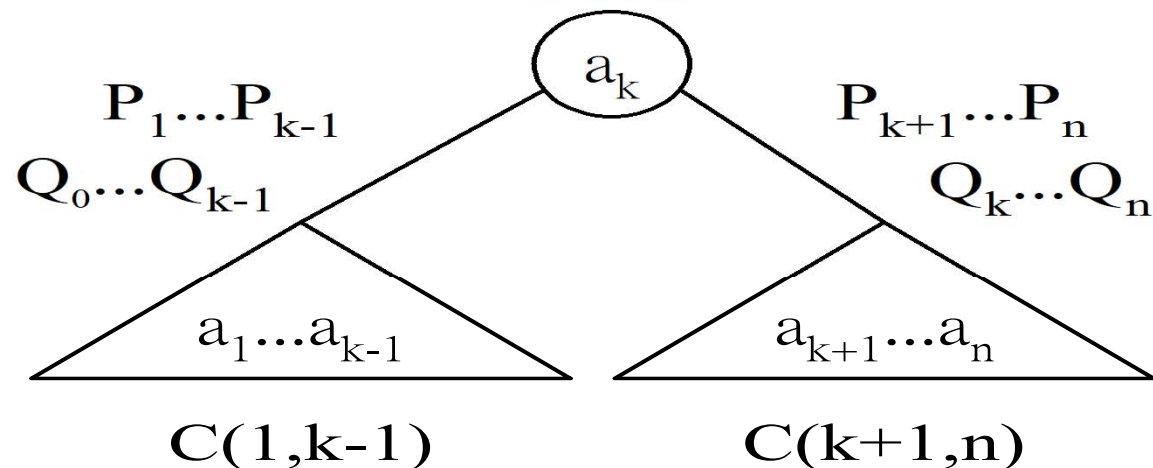
i	0	1	2	3	4	5
$P_i$		0.15	0.10	0.05	0.10	0.20
$Q_i$	0.05	0.10	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.10

Total cost=2.35

# The dynamic programming approach

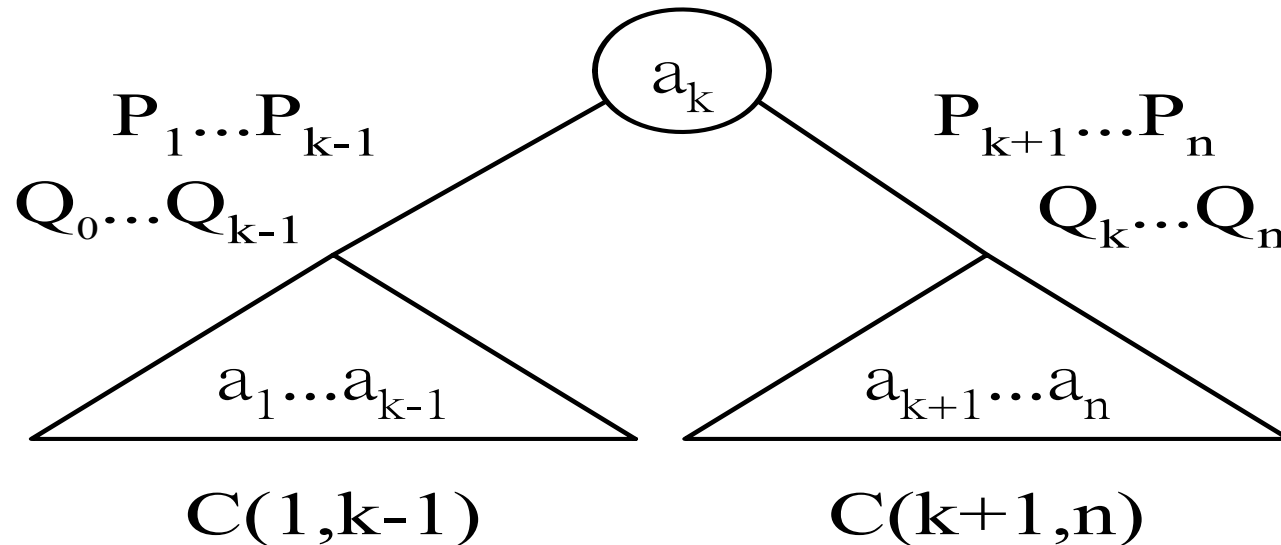
- Select an identifier,  $a_k$ , to be the root of the tree, all identifier  $< a_k$  ( $> a_k$ ) will constitute the left (right) descendant.
- Let  $C(i, j)$  denote the cost of an optimal binary search tree containing  $a_i, \dots, a_j$ .
- The cost of the optimal binary search tree with  $a_k$  as its root :

$$C(1, n) = \min_{1 \leq k \leq n} \left\{ P_k + \left[ Q_0 + \sum_{i=1}^{k-1} (P_i + Q_i) + C(1, k-1) \right] + \left[ Q_k + \sum_{i=k+1}^n (P_i + Q_i) + C(k+1, n) \right] \right\}$$



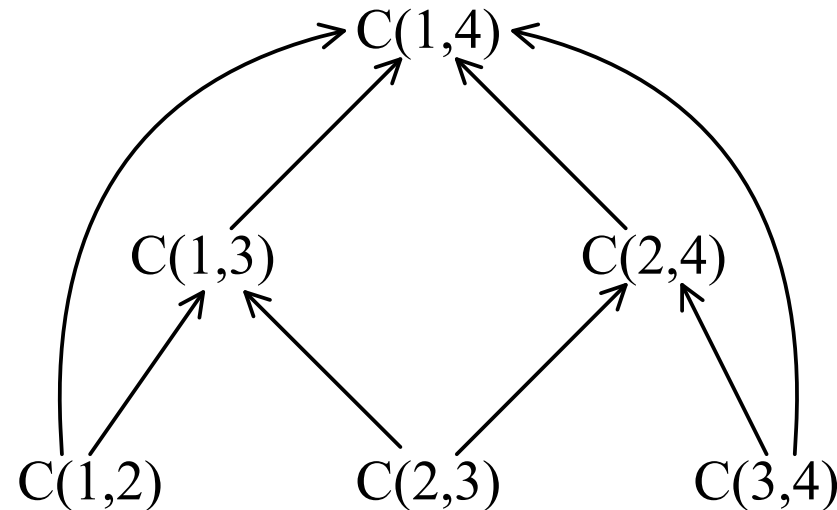
# General formula

$$\begin{aligned}
 C(i, j) &= \min_{i \leq k \leq j} \left\{ P_k + \left[ Q_{i-1} + \sum_{m=i}^{k-1} (P_m + Q_m) + C(i, k-1) \right] \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \left[ Q_k + \sum_{m=k+1}^j (P_m + Q_m) + C(k+1, j) \right] \right\} \\
 &= \min_{i \leq k \leq j} \left\{ C(i, k-1) + C(k+1, j) + Q_{i-1} + \sum_{m=i}^j (P_m + Q_m) \right\}
 \end{aligned}$$



# Computation relationships of subtrees

- e.g.  $n=4$



- Time complexity :  $O(n^3)$   
when  $j-i=m$ , there are  $(n-m)$   $C(i, j)$ 's to compute.  
Each  $C(i, j)$  with  $j-i=m$  can be computed in  $O(m)$  time.

$$O\left(\sum_{1 \leq m \leq n} m(n-m)\right) = O(n^3)$$

Find the optimal binary search tree for  $N = 6$ , having keys  $k_1 \dots k_6$  and weights  $p_1 = 10, p_2 = 3, p_3 = 9, p_4 = 2, p_5 = 0, p_6 = 10$ ;  $q_0 = 5, q_1 = 6, q_2 = 4, q_3 = 4, q_4 = 3, q_5 = 8, q_6 = 0$ . The following figure shows the arrays as they would appear after the initialization and their final disposition.

Index	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>k</b>		3	7	10	15	20	25
<b>p</b>	-	10	3	9	2	0	10
<b>q</b>	5	6	4	4	3	8	0

R	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
0		1					
1			2				
2				3			
3					4		
4						5	
5							6
6							

W	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
0	5	21	28	41	46	54	64
1		6	13	26	31	39	49
2			4	17	22	30	40
3				4	9	17	27
4					3	11	21
5						8	18
6							0

C	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
0							
1							
2							
3							
4							
5							
6							

- To help our discussion, we define
- $C_{ij}$  = expected time searching keys in  $(k_i, k_{i+1}, \dots, k_j; d_{i-1}, d_i, \dots, d_j)$
- $w_{ij}$  = sum of the probabilities of keys in  $(k_i, k_{i+1}, \dots, k_j; d_{i-1}, d_i, \dots, d_j)$

$$w_{i,j} = \sum_{s=i+1}^j P_s + \sum_{t=i}^j Q_t$$

$$C_{i,j} = \min_{i < k \leq j} \{C_{i,k-1} + C_{k,j}\} + w_{i,j}$$

$$C_{i,i} = w_{i,i}$$



# Notations for example

- OBST( $i, j$ ) denotes the optimal binary search tree containing the keys  $k_i, k_{i+1}, \dots, k_j$ ;
- $W_{i,j}$  denotes the weight matrix for OBST( $i, j$ )
- $W_{i,j}$  can be defined using the following formula:

$$W_{i,j} = \sum_{k=i+1}^j p_k + \sum_{k=i}^j q_k$$

- $C_{i,j}, 0 \leq i \leq j \leq n$  denotes the cost matrix for OBST( $i, j$ )
- $C_{i,j}$  can be defined recursively, in the following manner:

$$C_{i,i} = W_{i,i}$$

$$C_{i,j} = W_{i,j} + \min_{i < k \leq j} (C_{i,k-1} + C_{k,j})$$

- $R_{i,j}, 0 \leq i \leq j \leq n$  denotes the root matrix for OBST( $i, j$ )

The values of the weight matrix have been computed according to the formulas previously stated, as follows:

$$W(0, 0) = q_0 = 5$$

$$W(1, 1) = q_1 = 6$$

$$W(2, 2) = q_2 = 4$$

$$W(3, 3) = q_3 = 4$$

$$W(4, 4) = q_4 = 3$$

$$W(5, 5) = q_5 = 8$$

$$W(6, 6) = q_6 = 0$$

--- and so on ---  
until we reach:

$$W(5, 6) = q_5 + q_6 + p_6 = 18$$

$$W(0, 1) = q_0 + q_1 + p_1 = 5 + 6 + 10 = 21$$

$$W(0, 2) = W(0, 1) + q_2 + p_2 = 21 + 4 + 3 = 28$$

$$W(0, 3) = W(0, 2) + q_3 + p_3 = 28 + 4 + 9 = 41$$

$$W(0, 4) = W(0, 3) + q_4 + p_4 = 41 + 3 + 2 = 46$$

$$W(0, 5) = W(0, 4) + q_5 + p_5 = 46 + 8 + 0 = 54$$

$$W(0, 6) = W(0, 5) + q_6 + p_6 = 54 + 0 + 10 = 64$$

$$W(1, 2) = W(1, 1) + q_2 + p_2 = 6 + 4 + 3 = 13$$

$$C(0, 0) = W(0, 0) = 5$$

$$C(1, 1) = W(1, 1) = 6$$

$$C(2, 2) = W(2, 2) = 4$$

$$C(3, 3) = W(3, 3) = 4$$

$$C(4, 4) = W(4, 4) = 3$$

$$C(5, 5) = W(5, 5) = 8$$

$$C(6, 6) = W(6, 6) = 0$$

C	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
0	5						
1		6					
2			4				
3				4			
4					3		
5						8	
6							0

Figure 5. Cost matrix after first step

$$C(0, 1) = W(0, 1) + (C(0, 0) + C(\mathbf{1}, 1)) = 21 + 5 + 6 = 32$$

$$C(1, 2) = W(0, 1) + (C(1, 1) + C(\mathbf{2}, 2)) = 13 + 6 + 4 = 23$$

$$C(2, 3) = W(0, 1) + (C(2, 2) + C(\mathbf{3}, 3)) = 17 + 4 + 4 = 25$$

$$C(3, 4) = W(0, 1) + (C(3, 3) + C(\mathbf{4}, 4)) = 9 + 4 + 3 = 16$$

$$C(4, 5) = W(0, 1) + (C(4, 4) + C(\mathbf{5}, 5)) = 11 + 3 + 8 = 22$$

$$C(5, 6) = W(0, 1) + (C(5, 5) + C(\mathbf{6}, 6)) = 18 + 8 + 0 = 26$$

\*The bolded numbers represent the elements added in the root matrix.

C	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
0	5	<b>32</b>					
1		6	<b>23</b>				
2			4	<b>25</b>			
3				4	<b>16</b>		
4					3	<b>22</b>	
5						8	<b>26</b>
6							0

R	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
0		<b>1</b>					
1			<b>2</b>				
2				<b>3</b>			
3					<b>4</b>		
4						<b>5</b>	
5							<b>6</b>
6							

$$C(0, 2) = W(0, 2) + \min(C(0, 0) + C(1, 2), C(0, 1) + C(2, 2)) = 28 + \min(28, 36) = 56$$

$$C(1, 3) = W(1, 3) + \min(C(1, 1) + C(2, 3), C(1, 2) + C(3, 3)) = 26 + \min(31, 27) = 53$$

$$C(2, 4) = W(2, 4) + \min(C(2, 2) + C(3, 4), C(2, 3) + C(4, 4)) = 22 + \min(20, 28) = 42$$

$$C(3, 5) = W(3, 5) + \min(C(3, 3) + C(4, 5), C(3, 4) + C(5, 5)) = 17 + \min(26, 24) = 41$$

$$C(4, 6) = W(4, 6) + \min(C(4, 4) + C(5, 6), C(4, 5) + C(6, 6)) = 21 + \min(29, 22) = 43$$

C	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
0	5	32	56				
1		6	23	53			
2			4	25	42		
3				4	16	41	
4					3	22	43
5						8	26
6							0

R	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
0		1	1				
1			2	3			
2				3	3		
3					4	5	
4						5	6
5							6
6							

Final array values:

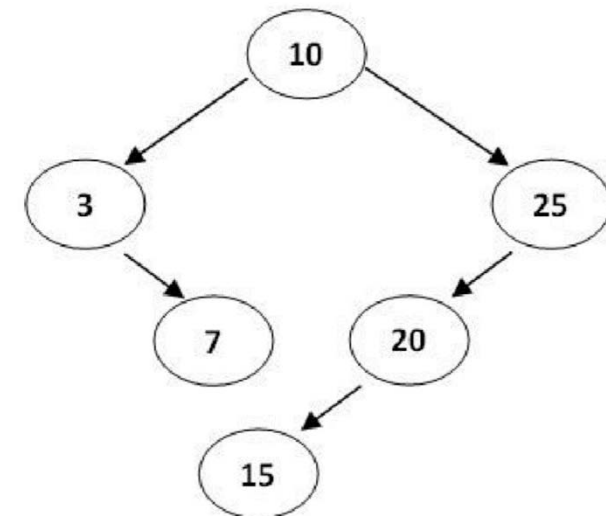
C	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
0	5	32	56	98	118	151	188
1		6	23	53	70	103	140
2			4	25	42	75	108
3				4	16	41	68
4					3	22	43
5						8	26
6							0

R	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
0	0	1	1	2	3	3	3
1		0	2	3	3	3	3
2			0	3	3	3	4
3				0	4	5	6
4					0	5	6
5						0	6
6							0

The resulting optimal tree is shown in the bellow figure and has a weighted path length of 188.

Computing the node positions in the tree:

- The root of the optimal tree is  $R(0, 6) = k_3$ ;
- The root of the left subtree is  $R(0, 2) = k_1$ ;
- The root of the right subtree is  $R(3, 6) = k_6$ ;
- The root of the right subtree of  $k_1$  is  $R(1, 2) = k_2$
- The root of the left subtree of  $k_6$  is  $R(3, 5) = k_5$
- The root of the left subtree of  $k_5$  is  $R(3, 4) = k_4$



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# Matrix Chain-Products



# 學習目標

- Matrix Chain-Products問題定義
- 設計Dynamic Programming演算法解決Matrix Chain-Products
- 演算法時間複雜度分析

# Matrix Chain-Products

- **Dynamic Programming** is a general algorithm design paradigm.
  - Rather than give the general structure, let us first give a motivating example:
  - **Matrix Chain-Products**

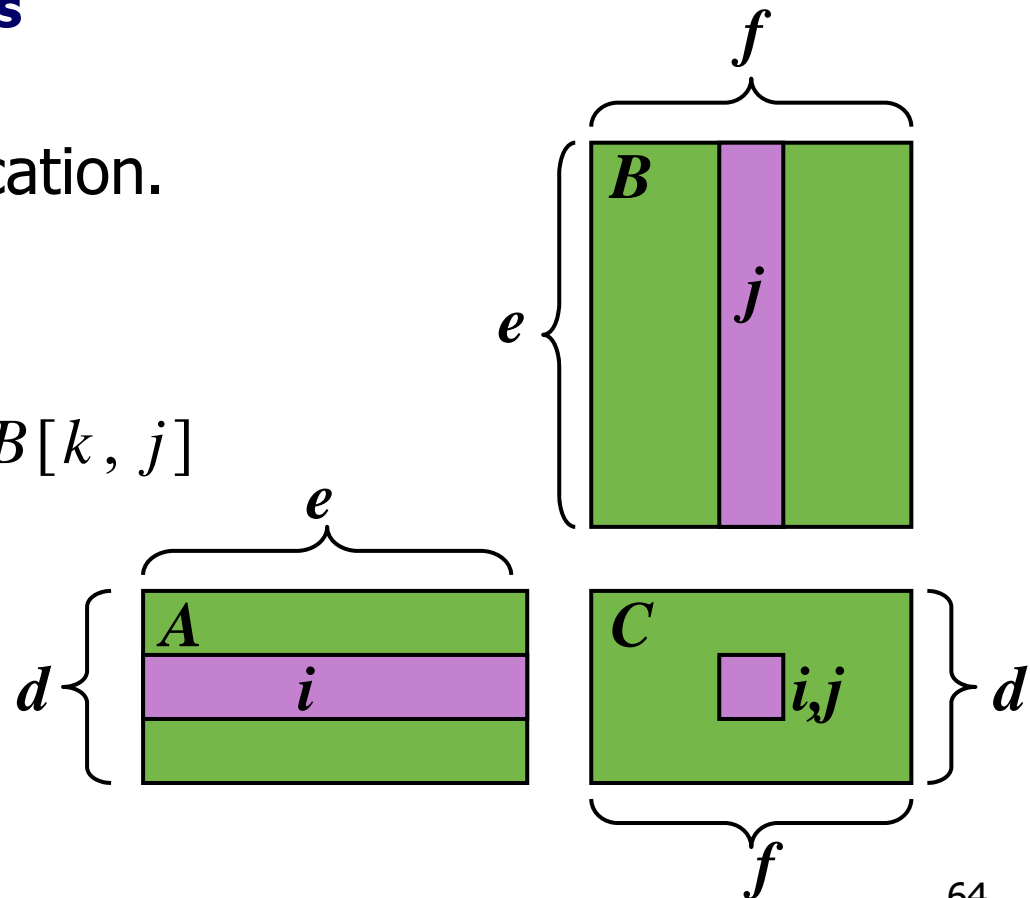
- **Review: Matrix Multiplication.**

- $C = A * B$

- $A$  is  $d \times e$  and  $B$  is  $e \times f$

$$C[i, j] = \sum_{k=0}^{e-1} A[i, k] * B[k, j]$$

- $O(def)$  time





# Matrix-chain multiplication

- $n$  matrices  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n$  with size

$$p_0 \times p_1, p_1 \times p_2, p_2 \times p_3, \dots, p_{n-1} \times p_n$$

To determine the multiplication order such that # of scalar multiplications is minimized.

- To compute  $A_i \times A_{i+1}$ , we need  $p_{i-1}p_i p_{i+1}$  scalar multiplications.

e.g.  $n=4$ ,  $A_1: 3 \times 5$ ,  $A_2: 5 \times 4$ ,  $A_3: 4 \times 2$ ,  $A_4: 2 \times 5$

$((A_1 \times A_2) \times A_3) \times A_4$ , # of scalar multiplications:

$$3 * 5 * 4 + 3 * 4 * 2 + 3 * 2 * 5 = 114$$

$(A_1 \times (A_2 \times A_3)) \times A_4$ , # of scalar multiplications:

$$3 * 5 * 2 + 5 * 4 * 2 + 3 * 2 * 5 = 100 *$$

$(A_1 \times A_2) \times (A_3 \times A_4)$ , # of scalar multiplications:

$$3 * 5 * 4 + 3 * 4 * 5 + 4 * 2 * 5 = 160$$

◆ **Note:**  $n$ 個matrix相乘有  $C_{n-1} = \frac{\binom{2(n-1)}{n-1}}{n}$  種可能的配對組合 (括號方式)

■ **Ex:** 以下有四個矩陣相乘:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} A & \times & B & \times & C & \times & D \\ 20 \times 2 & & 2 \times 30 & & 30 \times 12 & & 12 \times 8 \end{array}$$

由**Note**得知共有五種不同的相乘順序，不同的順序需要不同的乘法次數：

$$\begin{array}{ll} A(B(CD)) & 30 \times 12 \times 8 + 2 \times 30 \times 8 + 20 \times 2 \times 8 = 3,680 \\ (AB)(CD) & 20 \times 2 \times 30 + 30 \times 12 \times 8 + 20 \times 30 \times 8 = 8,880 \\ A((BC)D) & 2 \times 30 \times 12 + 2 \times 12 \times 8 + 20 \times 2 \times 8 = 1,232 \\ ((AB)C)D & 20 \times 2 \times 30 + 20 \times 30 \times 12 + 20 \times 12 \times 8 = 10,320 \\ (A(BC))D & 2 \times 30 \times 12 + 20 \times 2 \times 12 + 20 \times 12 \times 8 = 3,120 \end{array}$$

其中，以第三組是最佳的矩陣相乘順序。

# An Enumeration Approach

## ■ Matrix Chain-Product Alg.:

- Try all possible ways to parenthesize  $A=A_1*A_2*\dots*A_n$
- Calculate number of ops for each one
- Pick the one that is best

## ■ Running time:

- The number of paranthesizations is equal to the number of binary trees with n nodes
- This is **exponential**!
- It is called the **Catalan number**, and it is almost  $4^n$ .
- This is a terrible algorithm!

# Catalan number

$$C_n = \frac{1}{n+1} \binom{2n}{n} = \frac{(2n)!}{(n+1)!n!}$$

## Recursive formula

$$C_0 = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad C_{n+1} = \sum_{i=0}^n C_i C_{n-i} \quad \text{for } n \geq 0.$$

它也滿足

$$C_0 = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad C_{n+1} = \frac{2(2n+1)}{n+2} C_n,$$

這提供了一個更快速的方法來計算卡塔蘭數。

卡塔蘭數的漸近增長為

$$C_n \sim \frac{4^n}{n^{3/2} \sqrt{\pi}}$$

- ◆ 六個矩陣相乘的最佳乘法順序可以分解成以下的其中一種型式：

$$A = A_1 * (A_2 * A_3 * A_4 * A_5 * A_6)$$

$$A = (A_1 * A_2) * (A_3 * A_4 * A_5 * A_6)$$

$$A = (A_1 * A_2 * A_3) * (A_4 * A_5 * A_6)$$

$$A = (A_1 * A_2 * A_3 * A_4) * (A_5 * A_6)$$

$$A = A_1 * (A_2 * A_3 * A_4 * A_5 * A_6)$$

- ◆ 第**k**個分解型式所需的乘法總數，為前後兩部份（一為**A<sub>1</sub>**, **A<sub>2</sub>**, ..., **A<sub>k</sub>** 和 **A<sub>k+1</sub>**, ..., **A<sub>6</sub>**）各自所需乘法數目的最小值相加，再加上相乘這前後兩部份矩陣所需的乘法數目。

$$M_{1,6} = \min_{1 \leq k < 6} \{M_{i,k} + M_{k+1,6} + p_i p_{k+1} p_{j+1}\}$$

# A “Recursive” Approach

- Define **subproblems**:
  - Find the best parenthesization of  $A_i * A_{i+1} * \dots * A_j$ .
  - Let  $M_{i,j}$  (or  $M[i][j]$ ) denote the number of operations done by this subproblem.
  - The optimal solution for the whole problem is  $M_{1,n}$ .
- **Subproblem optimality**: The optimal solution can be defined in terms of optimal subproblems
  - There has to be a final multiplication (root of the expression tree) for the optimal solution.
  - Say, the final multiply is at index  $i$ :  $(A_1 * \dots * A_i) * (A_{i+1} * \dots * A_n)$ .
  - Then the optimal solution  $M_{1,n}$  is the sum of two optimal subproblems,  $M_{1,i}$  and  $M_{i+1,n}$  plus the time for the last multiply.
  - If the global optimum did not have these optimal subproblems, we could define an even better “optimal” solution.

# A Characterizing Equation

- The global optimal has to be defined in terms of optimal subproblems, depending on where the final multiply is at.
- Let us consider all possible places for that final multiply:
  - Recall that  $A_i$  is a  $p_i \times p_{i+1}$  dimensional matrix.
  - So, a characterizing equation for  $M_{i,j}$  is the following:

$$M_{i,j} = \min_{1 \leq k < j} \{M_{i,k} + M_{k+1,j} + p_i p_{k+1} p_{j+1}\}$$

- Note that subproblems are not independent--the **subproblems overlap**.

# A Dynamic Programming Algorithm

- Since subproblems overlap, we don't use recursion.
- Instead, we construct optimal subproblems “bottom-up.”
- $M_{i,i}$ 's are easy, so start with them
- Then do length 2,3,... subproblems, and so on.
- Running time:  $O(n^3)$

**Algorithm** *matrixChain*( $S$ ):

**Input:** sequence  $S$  of  $n$  matrices to be multiplied

**Output:** number of operations in an optimal paranethization of  $S$

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

$M_{i,i} \leftarrow 0$

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

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

$j \leftarrow i+b$

$M_{i,j} \leftarrow +\text{infinity}$

**for**  $k \leftarrow i$  **to**  $j-1$  **do**

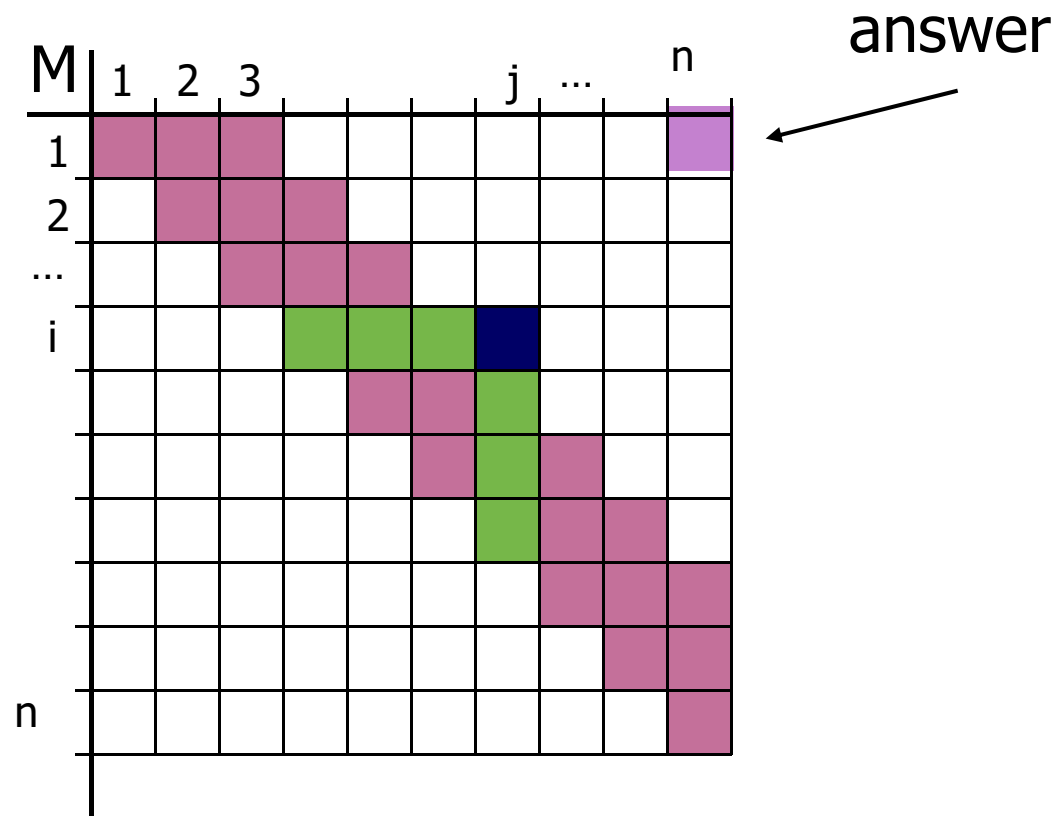
$M_{i,j} \leftarrow \min\{M_{i,j}, M_{i,k} + M_{k+1,j} + p_i p_{k+1} p_{j+1}\}$



# A Dynamic Programming Algorithm Visualization

$$M_{i,j} = \min_{1 \leq k < j} \{M_{i,k} + M_{k+1,j} + p_i p_{k+1} p_{j+1}\}$$

- The bottom-up construction fills in the M array by diagonals
- $M_{i,j}$  gets values from pervious entries in i-th row and j-th column
- Filling in each entry in the M table takes  $O(n)$  time.
- Total run time:  $O(n^3)$
- Getting actual parenthesization can be done by remembering "k" for each M entry

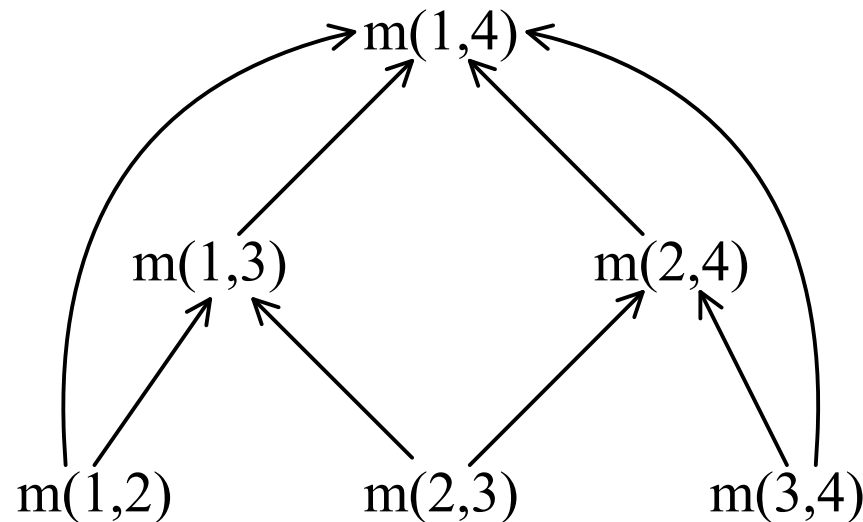


- Let  $M(i, j)$  denote the minimum cost for computing

$$A_i \times A_{i+1} \times \dots \times A_j$$

$$m(i, j) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i = j \\ M_{i,j} = \min_{1 \leq k < j} \{M_{i,k} + M_{k+1,j} + p_i p_{k+1} p_{j+1}\} & \text{if } i < j \end{cases}$$

- Computation sequence :



- Time complexity :  $O(n^3)$

◆ Matrix Chain的遞迴式

$$M_{ij} = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } i = j \\ \min_{1 \leq k < j} \{M_{i,k} + M_{k+1,j} + p_i p_{k+1} p_{j+1}\}, & \text{if } i < j \end{cases}$$

◆ Example:  $A^1_{3 \times 3}$ ,  $A^2_{3 \times 7}$ ,  $A^3_{7 \times 2}$ ,  $A^4_{2 \times 9}$ ,  $A^5_{9 \times 4}$ , 求此五矩陣的最小乘法次數。

Sol:

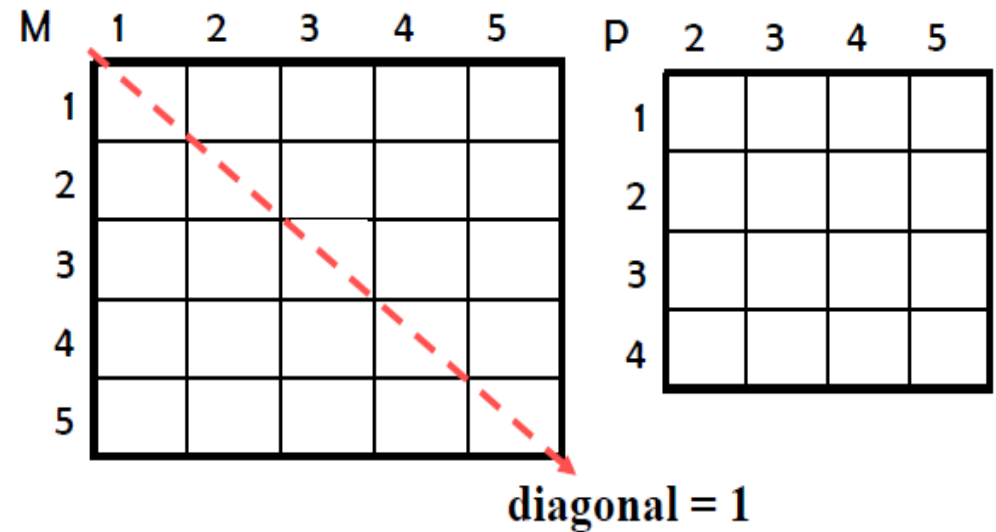
建立兩陣列  $M[1...5, 1...5]$  及  $P[1...4, 2...5]$

M	1	2	3	4	5
1					
2					
3					
4					
5					

P	2	3	4	5
1				
2				
3				
4				

### Case ① (When diagonal = 1)

- **diagonal = 1**， $\therefore$ 只有1個矩陣， $\therefore$ 不會執行乘法動作
- 陣列**M**的中間對角線為**0**，陣列**P**則不填任何數值



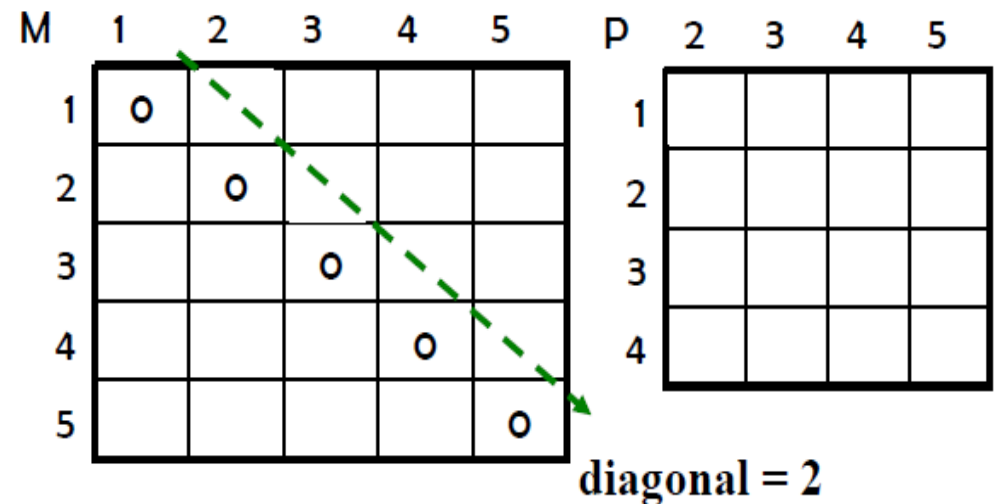
### Case ② (When diagonal > 1)

- **diagonal = 2**，有2個矩陣相乘
- 當  $i = 1$  及  $j = 2$ ，為  $A^1$  及  $A^2$  矩陣相乘，此時：

$$M[1, 2] = M[1,1] + M[2,2] + 3 \times 3 \times 7 = 63,$$

其中  $A^1$  及  $A^2$  的分割點  $k$  如下：

$$\begin{array}{c} A^1 \times A^2 \\ \uparrow \\ \text{分割點 } k = 1 \end{array}$$



## Case ② (When diagonal > 1)

- diagonal = 3，有3個矩陣相乘
- 當  $i = 2$  及  $j = i + \text{diagonal} - 1 = 2 + 3 - 1 = 4$ ，為  $A^2$  至  $A^4$  間的所有矩陣相乘，此時：

$$M[2,4] = \min \begin{cases} M[2,2] + M[3,4] + 3 \times 7 \times 9 = 315, \text{ 分割點 } k = 2 \\ M[2,3] + M[4,4] + 3 \times 2 \times 9 = 96, \text{ 分割點 } k = 3 \end{cases}$$

M	1	2	3	4	5
1	0	63	60		
2		0	42	96	
3			0	126	128
4				0	72
5					0

diagonal = 3

P	2	3	4	5
1	1	1		
2		2	3	
3			3	3
4				4

## Case ② (When diagonal > 1)

- diagonal = 4，有4個矩陣
- 當  $i = 1$  及  $j = 4$ ，為  $A^1$  至  $A^4$  間的所有矩陣相乘，此時：

M	1	2	3	4	5
1	0	63	60	114	
2		0	42	96	138
3			0	126	128
4				0	72
5					0

diagonal = 4

P	2	3	4	5
1	1	1	3	
2		2	3	3
3			3	3
4				4

$$M[1,4] = \min \begin{cases} M[1,1] + M[2,4] + 3 \times 3 \times 9 = 177, \text{ 分割點 } k = 1 \\ M[1,2] + M[3,4] + 3 \times 7 \times 9 = 378, \text{ 分割點 } k = 2 \\ M[1,3] + M[4,4] + 3 \times 2 \times 9 = 114, \text{ 分割點 } k = 3 \end{cases}$$

## Case ② (When diagonal > 1)

- diagonal = 5，有5個矩陣
- 當  $i = 1$  及  $j = 5$ ，為  $A^1$  至  $A^5$  間所有矩陣相乘，此時：

M	1	2	3	4	5
1	0	63	60	114	156
2		0	42	96	138
3			0	126	128
4				0	72
5					0

diagonal = 5

P	2	3	4	5
1	1	1	3	3
2		2	3	3
3			3	3
4				4

$$M[1,5] = \min \begin{cases} M[1,1] + M[2,5] + 3 \times 3 \times 4 = 174, \text{ 分割點 } k = 1 \\ M[1,2] + M[3,5] + 3 \times 7 \times 4 = 275, \text{ 分割點 } k = 2 \\ M[1,3] + M[4,5] + 3 \times 2 \times 4 = 156, \text{ 分割點 } k = 3 \\ M[1,4] + M[5,5] + 3 \times 9 \times 4 = 222, \text{ 分割點 } k = 4 \end{cases}$$

◆ [Note] 此演算法的概念如下:

