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Special case where  $d_i = 1$  for all  $i$  and  $c(e) = k$  for all edges  $e$ .

Since, for every edge  $e$ ,  $c(e) = k \geq \sum_i d_i$ , no congestion can occur. <sup>hence</sup> we only have to worry about maintaining ~~pseudo-flows~~ <sup>a valid family of  $k(s,t)$ -flows</sup> ~~pattern of demand  $d_i$  for every flow pair.~~

We claim that the following algorithm solves the problem optimally:

1. Perform updates  $U_{i,b:bi \text{ on } i\text{-Node}, v \in F_i^+ \cap b - Y(b)}(v, i)$  (if any) in a single round.
2. Perform updates  $U_{i,b:bi \text{ on } i\text{-Node}}(Y(b), i)$  in a single round.
3. Perform updates  $U_{i,b:bi \text{ on } i\text{-Node}, v \in b - F_i^+}(v, i)$  (if any) in a single round.

Proof.

Let  $i \in [k]$  and  $b$  be an  $i$ -Node. We need to show that our algorithm outputs a feasible

schedule. Optimality then follows from Lemma 4.1. Let  $U_1$  be the set of updates performed in  <sup>$U_1 \cup U_2 \cup U_3 = U: V(F_i^+ \cup F_i^-) \times \{i\}$</sup>  step 1 of our algorithm. Define  $U_2, U_3$  analogously. Then we need to show (1)  ~~$U_1 \cup U_2 \cup U_3 = V \times [k]$~~  and (2) (i)  ~~$U_1$  obeys the consistency rule,~~ (ii)  ~~$U_1 \cup U_2$  obeys the consistency rule,~~ and (iii)  ~~$U_1, U_2,$  and  $U_3$  are pairwise disjoint,~~ and (3) for every permutation of  $U_1$ , for every permutation of  $U_2$ , for every permutation of  $U_3$ ,  ~~$U_i$  satisfies~~ the consistency rule for every  $i \in [V \times [k]]$ .