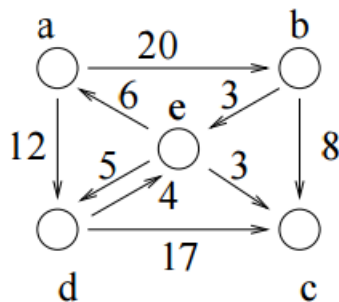


**ASSIGNMENT NO.:****PROBLEM STATEMENT:-**

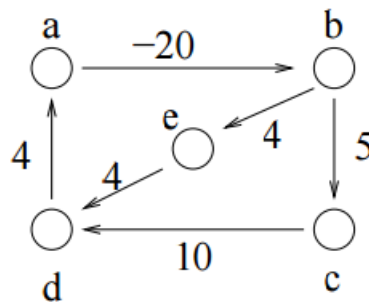
Programming in C to find the path matrix using Warshall's algorithm.

**THEORY:-**

This is a classical algorithm by which we can determine whether there is a path from any vertex  $v_i$  to another vertex  $v_j$  either directly or through one or more intermediate vertices. In other words, we can test the reachability of all the pairs of vertices in a graph. The path matrix can be computed from the adjacency matrix  $A$  by  $P = A + A^2 + A^3 + \dots + A^n$  where  $n$  = no. of vertices. This method is computationally not efficient at all. To compute the path matrix from a given graph, another elegant method is Warshall's algorithm. This algorithm treats the entries in the adjacency matrix as bit entries & performs AND ( $\wedge$ ) & OR ( $\vee$ ) Boolean operations on them. The heart of the algorithm is a trio of loops, which operates very much like the loops in the classic algorithms for matrix multiplication.

**Example :**

**Fig 1: Without negative cost cycle**



**fig 2: With negative cost cycle**

**ALGORITHM:-**

**Input:-** A graph  $G$  whose pointer to its adjacency matrix is **GPTR** & vertices are labeled as 1,2, ...,N; N being the number of vertices in the graph.

**Output:-** The path matrix **a**.

**Data structure:-** Matrix representation of graph  $G$  with pointer as **GPTR**.

**Algorithm for main() function:**

Step 1: Input "Enter number of vertices"

Step 2: Read  $n$

Step 3: Repeat through step 4 to step 8 for (  $i=0$  to  $n$  ) do

Step 4: Repeat through step 5 to step 7 for (  $j= 0$  to  $n$  ) do

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Step 5: Print the existence of path between vertices  
Step 6: Read a[i][j]  
Step 7: Next j  
    [End of inner for loop]  
Step 8: Next i  
    [End of outer for loop]  
Step 9: Call the method display (n,a)  
Step 10: Repeat through step 11 to step 16 for (k=0 to n) do  
Step 11: Repeat through step 12 to step 15 for (i=0 to n) do  
Step 12: Repeat through step 13 to step 14 for (j=0 to n) do  
Step 13: Set a[i][j]=a[i][j] OR (a[i][k] AND a[k][j])  
Step 14: Next j  
    [End of for loop]  
Step 15: Next i  
    [End of for loop]  
Step 16: Next k  
    [End of outer for loop]  
Step 17: Call the method display(n,a)  
Step 18: Stop

### **Algorithm for the method display():**

Step 1: Repeat through step 2 to step for (i=0 to n) do  
Step 2: Repeat through step 3 to step for (j=0 to n) do  
Step 3: Print a[i][j]  
Step 4: Next j  
    [End of inner for loop]  
Step 5: Next i  
    [End of outer for loop]  
Step 6: Stop

### **SOURCE CODE:-**

```
#include<stdio.h>
void display(int n,int a[20][20]); //prototype declaration
void main()
{
int a[20][20],i,j,k,n; //variable declaration
printf("\nEnter the total number of vertices:\t");
scanf("%d",&n);
printf("\nThe existence of path between every pair of vertices:\n");
printf("1->There is a path between vertices\n0->There is no path between vertices\n");
//loop for taking inputs of the matrix from the user
for(i=0;i<=n;i++)
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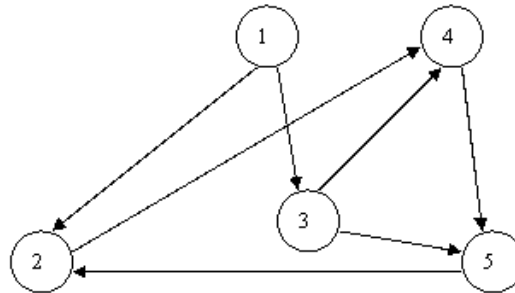
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{
for(j=0;j<=n;j++)
{
printf("\nEnter the existence of path between vertices  %d & %d:\t",i,j);
scanf("%d",&a[i][j]);
}
}
printf("\n\nThe adjacency matrix is:\n");
display(n,a); //calling method display
//loop for finding the minimum distance
for(k=0;k<=n;k++)
{
for(i=0;i<=n;i++)
{
for(j=0;j<=n;j++)
{
a[i][j]=a[i][j] || (a[i][k] && a[k][j]);
}
}
}
printf("\n\nThe minimum distance between every pair of vertices:\n");
display(n,a);
}
void display(int n,int a[20][20])
{ //method to display the matrix
int i,j;
for(i=0;i<=n;i++)
{
for(j=0;j<=n;j++)
{
printf(" %d ",a[i][j]);
}
printf("\n");
}
}
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## **INPUT-OUTPUT:-**

The given graph is:



Enter the total no. of vertices: 5

The existence of path between every pair of vertices:

1->There is a path between vertices

0->There is no path between vertices

Enter the existence of path between vertices 1&1:	0
Enter the existence of path between vertices 1&2:	1
Enter the existence of path between vertices 1&3:	1
Enter the existence of path between vertices 1&4:	0
Enter the existence of path between vertices 1&5:	0
Enter the existence of path between vertices 2&1:	0
Enter the existence of path between vertices 2&2:	0
Enter the existence of path between vertices 2&3:	0
Enter the existence of path between vertices 2&4:	1
Enter the existence of path between vertices 2&5:	0
Enter the existence of path between vertices 3&1:	0
Enter the existence of path between vertices 3&2:	0
Enter the existence of path between vertices 3&3:	0
Enter the existence of path between vertices 3&4:	1
Enter the existence of path between vertices 3&5:	1
Enter the existence of path between vertices 4&1:	0
Enter the existence of path between vertices 4&2:	0
Enter the existence of path between vertices 4&3:	0
Enter the existence of path between vertices 4&4:	0
Enter the existence of path between vertices 4&5:	1

**The adjacency matrix:**

```
0 1 1 0 0
0 0 0 1 0
0 0 0 1 1
0 0 0 0 1
0 1 0 0 0
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**The minimum distance between every pair of vertices:**

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

### **DISCUSSION:**

**A)** It is one of the most commonly used shortest path algorithm. A shortest path between two vertices is a path, which has the least no. of edges among several paths in between two vertices.

**B)** It is an iterative process. The first iteration consists of finding the existence of path from one vertex to another vertex either directly or indirectly via any intermediate vertex or pivot vertex say  $v_i$ . The second iteration finds the existence of path from one vertex to another vertex with  $v_1$  &  $v_2$  or both as pivot & so on.

**C)** It is the most efficient method to compute the shortest path between every pair of vertices. It requires  $N^3$  comparisons & has an order of complexity  $O(N^3)$ .

Floyd & Dijkstra are two other methods employed to determine the shortest path between vertices.