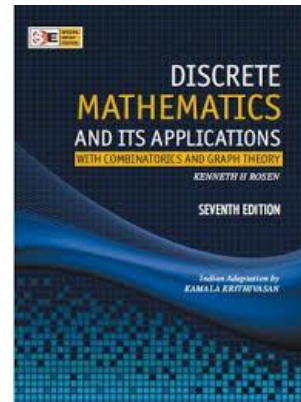




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# **Session 10**

## **Optimal Problem Solving on Graphs**

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# Finding the shortest path

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- Dijkstra algorithm
- Floyd algorithm

# Dijkstra Algorithm

Dijkstra's algorithm is used in problems relating to find the **shortest path** from **a** to **z** on the weighted graph  $G=(V,E,W)$ , including the label for each vertex (node).

Each node is given a **temporary label** denoting the length of the shortest path *from* the start node *so far*.

This label is **replaced** if another shorter route is found.

Once it is certain that **no other shorter paths** can be found, the temporary label becomes a **permanent label**. When vertex  $z$  has **permanent label**  $D_z$ , then  $D_z$  is the shortest path.

Eventually **all the nodes** have permanent labels.

At this point the shortest path is found by **retracing the path backwards**.

# Dijkstra Algorithm

- Step 1:  $T = V$ ;  $D_a = 0$ ;  $D_i = \infty$ ,  $v_i \neq a$ .
- Step 2: Repeat until  $z \notin T$ :
  - take vertex  $v_i$  (which has  $D_i$  is smallest) out of  $T$ .
  - labeled for all  $v_j$  in  $T$  and  $v_j$  adjacent to  $v_i$  following the formula:

$$D_j = \min\{D_j, D_i + W_{ij}\}$$

# Dijkstra Algorithm

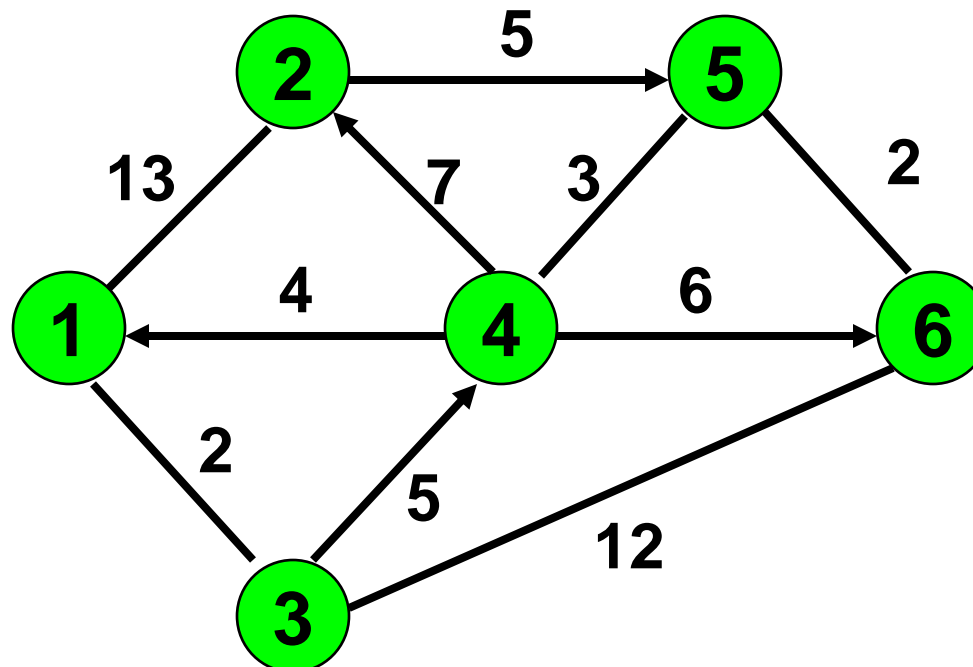
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The table has the following columns

- $T$ : set of vertices with temporary label
- $v_i$ : the vertex which take out of  $T$  at each step
- $D_j$ : length of shortest path  $a \rightarrow v_j$ .

# Weighted matrix

Example: given the graph  $G = (V, E, W)$ , find the shortest path from  $v_1$  to  $v_6$ .



# Dijkstra Algorithm

T	$V_i$	$D_1$	$D_2$	$D_3$	$D_4$	$D_5$	$D_6$
{1..6}	-	0	$\infty$	$\infty$	$\infty$	$\infty$	$\infty$
{2..6}	$v_1$	*	13	2	$\infty$	$\infty$	$\infty$
{2, 4..6}	$v_3$	-	13	*	7	$\infty$	14
{2,5,6}	$v_4$	-	13	-	*	10	13
{2, 6}	$v_5$	-	13	-	-	*	12
{2}	$v_6$	-	13	-	-	-	*



# Dijkstra Algorithm

Based on the above table, comeback from  $v_6$  to  $v_1$ , we have the shortest path.

$$P = v_6 \leftarrow v_5 \leftarrow v_4 \leftarrow v_3 \leftarrow v_1$$

The length of the shortest path is  $D_6 = 12$ .

# Dijkstra Algorithm

## Evaluation:

In order to obtain the shortest path from **a** to all vertices, replace the loop “repeat until  $z \notin T$ ” by “repeat until  $T = \emptyset$ ” (T: set of vertices with temporary label).

From the above table, add one more step, we have the shortest path from  $v_1$  to all vertices

# Dijkstra Algorithm

## Evaluation:

We can also label for each vertex  $v_j$ , a pair of labels  $[D_j, v_i]$  with:

$D_j$  is the length of shortest path  $a \rightarrow v_j$ .

$v_i$  is a vertex before  $v_j$  on the shortest path.

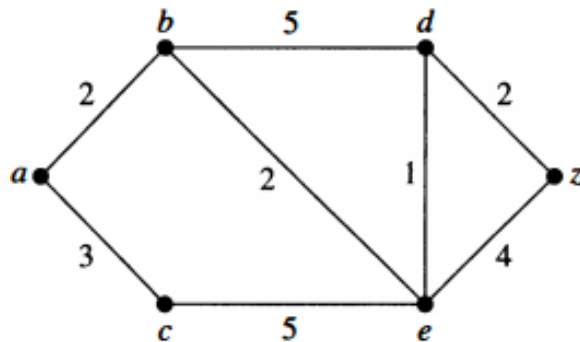
The second label to get the shortest path. With the above example, we have the table as follows:

# Dijkstra Algorithm

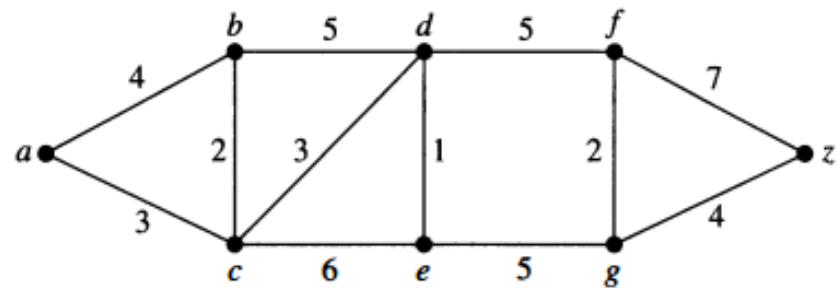
T	$v_1$	$v_2$	$v_3$	$v_4$	$v_5$	$v_6$
{1..6}	$[0, v_1]$	$[\infty, v_1]$	$[\infty, v_1]$	$[\infty, v_1]$	$[\infty, v_1]$	$[\infty, v_1]$
{2..6}	*	$[13, v_1]$	$[2, v_1]$	$[\infty, v_1]$	$[\infty, v_1]$	$[\infty, v_1]$
{2, 4..6}	-	$[13, v_1]$	*	$[7, v_3]$	$[\infty, v_1]$	$[14, v_3]$
{2, 5, 6}	-	$[13, v_1]$	-	*	$[10, v_4]$	$[13, v_4]$
{2, 6}	-	$[13, v_1]$	-	-	*	$[12, v_5]$
{2}	-	$[13, v_1]$	-	-	-	*

# Example:

Find the length of a shortest path between  $a$  and  $z$  in the following weighted graphs based on Dijkstra's algorithm



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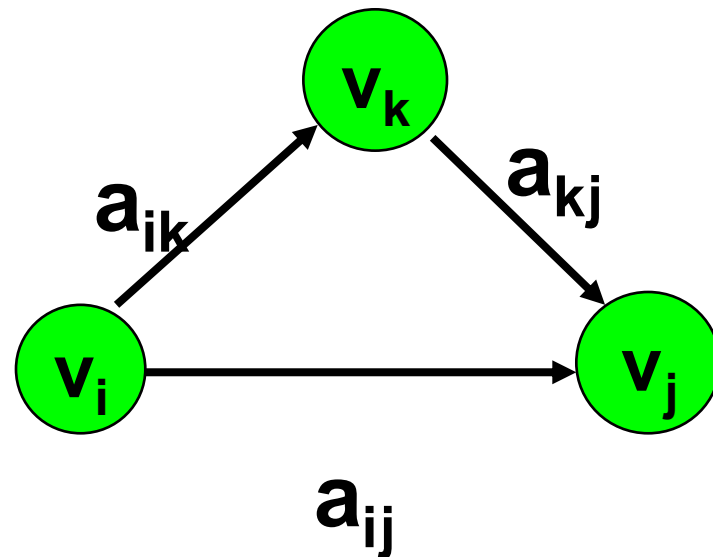


(b)

# Floyd Algorithm

In order to find the shortest path between a pair of vertices and store the length in a weighted matrix  $A = (a_{ij})_{n \times n}$

The algorithm perform  $n$  steps.



Step  $k$  let  $a_{ij} = \min\{ a_{ij}, a_{ik} + a_{kj} \}$

# Floyd Algorithm

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void Floyd( )  
{  
    for (k=0; k<n; k++)  
        for (i=0; i<n; i++)  
            for (j=0; j<n; j++)  
                if (a[i][k] + a[k][j] < a[i][j])  
                    a[i][j] = a[i][k] + a[k][j];  
}
```

# Full Floyd Algorithm

## ALGORITHM 2 Floyd's Algorithm.

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procedure Floyd( $G$ : weighted simple graph)
{ $G$  has vertices  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n$  and weights  $w(v_i, v_j)$ 
  with  $w(v_i, v_j) = \infty$  if  $(v_i, v_j)$  is not an edge}
  for  $i := 1$  to  $n$ 
    for  $j := 1$  to  $n$ 
       $d(v_i, v_j) := w(v_i, v_j)$ 
for  $i := 1$  to  $n$ 
  for  $j := 1$  to  $n$ 
    for  $k := 1$  to  $n$ 
      if  $d(v_j, v_i) + d(v_i, v_k) < d(v_j, v_k)$ 
        then  $d(v_j, v_k) :=$ 
           $d(v_j, v_i) + d(v_i, v_k)$ 
{ $d(v_i, v_j)$  is the length of a shortest path between  $v_i$ 
and  $v_j$ }
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# The minimum spanning tree

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- The Concepts and theorems
- Prim algorithm
- Kruskal algorithm

# The concepts

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- Tree is a connected undirected graph without cycles.
- Given an undirected graph  $G=(V,E)$ , spanning tree  $T$  of graph  $G$  is a sub-graph that includes all of the vertices of  $G$  and  $T$  is a tree.
- Given an undirected graph  $G=(V,E,W)$ , minimum spanning tree of graph  $G$  is spanning tree which has the smallest weight in all spanning of  $G$ .

# The theorems

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- Theorem 1: Suppose  $T=(V,E)$  is an undirected graph  $n$  vertices. The following propositions are equivalent:
  - $T$  is a tree;
  - $T$  has no cycles and has  $n-1$  edges;
  - $T$  connected and has  $n-1$  edges.
- Theorem 2:  $G$  has spanning tree if and only if  $G$  connected.

# Prim Algorithm

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- Step 1:  $T := \{v\}$ ; with any  $v$
- Step 2: Loop  $n-1$  times:
  - Find fringe vertex  $v$  with edge  $e$ , connect  $T$  with weight  $w(e)$  smallest.
  - Put  $e$  and  $v$  into  $T$ .

# Prim Algorithm

Example: given a graph with a weighted matrix as bellows:

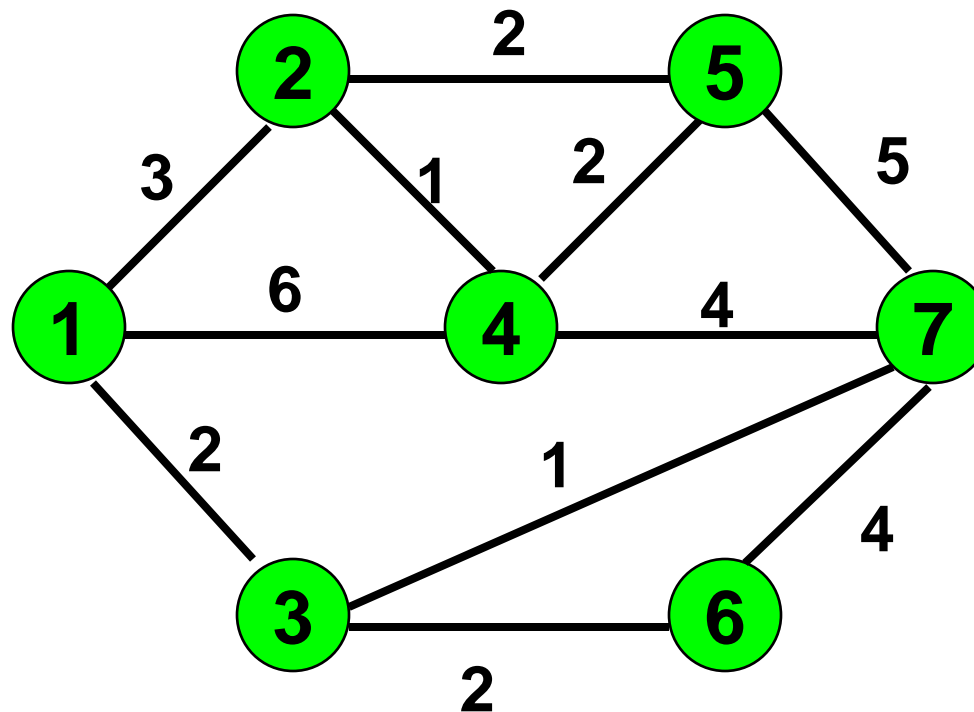
	v1	v2	v3	v4	v5	v6
v1	0	33	17	$\infty$	$\infty$	$\infty$
v2	33	0	18	20	$\infty$	$\infty$
v3	17	18	0	16	4	$\infty$
v4	$\infty$	20	16	0	9	8
v5	$\infty$	$\infty$	4	9	0	14
v6	$\infty$	$\infty$	$\infty$	8	14	0

# Prim Algorithm

$E_T$	v1	v2	v3	v4	v5	v6
-	*	[33,v1]	[17,v1]	$[\infty, v1]$	$[\infty, v1]$	$[\infty, v1]$
(1,3)	-	[18,v3]	*	[16,v3]	[4,v3]	$[\infty, v1]$
(3,5)	-	[18,v3]	-	[9,v5]	*	[14,v5]
(5,4)	-	[18,v3]	-	*	-	[8,v4]
(4,6)	-	[18,v3]	-	-	-	*
(3,2)	-	*	-	-	-	-

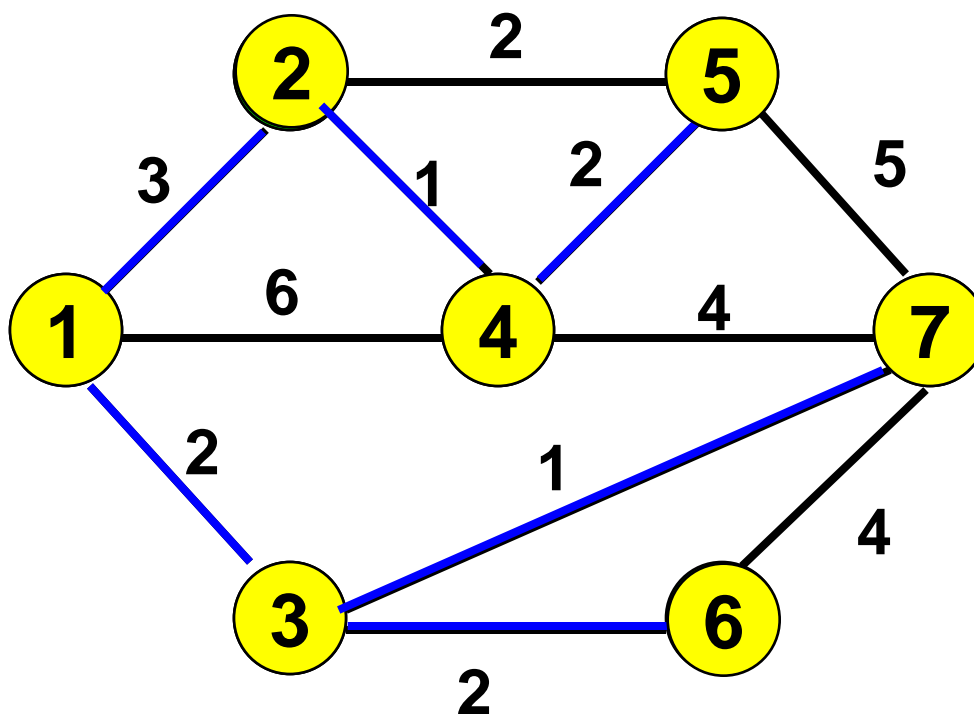
# Prim Algorithm

Example: we can present as below figure:



# Prim Algorithm

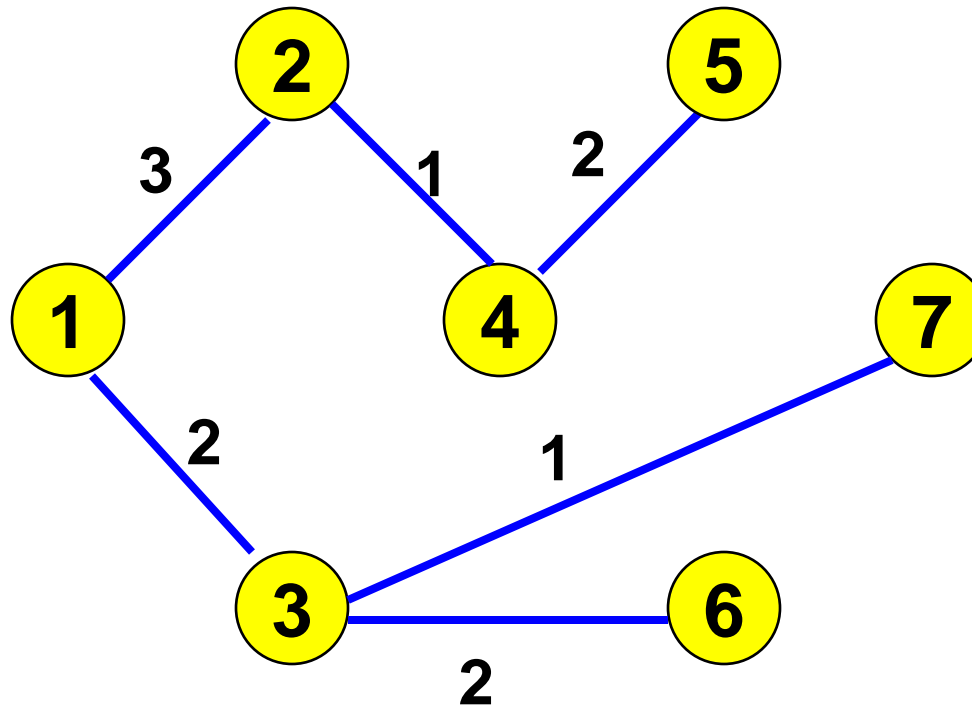
Example: we can present as below figure:





# Prim Algorithm

The smallest spanning tree  $T$  with  $W(T) = 11$



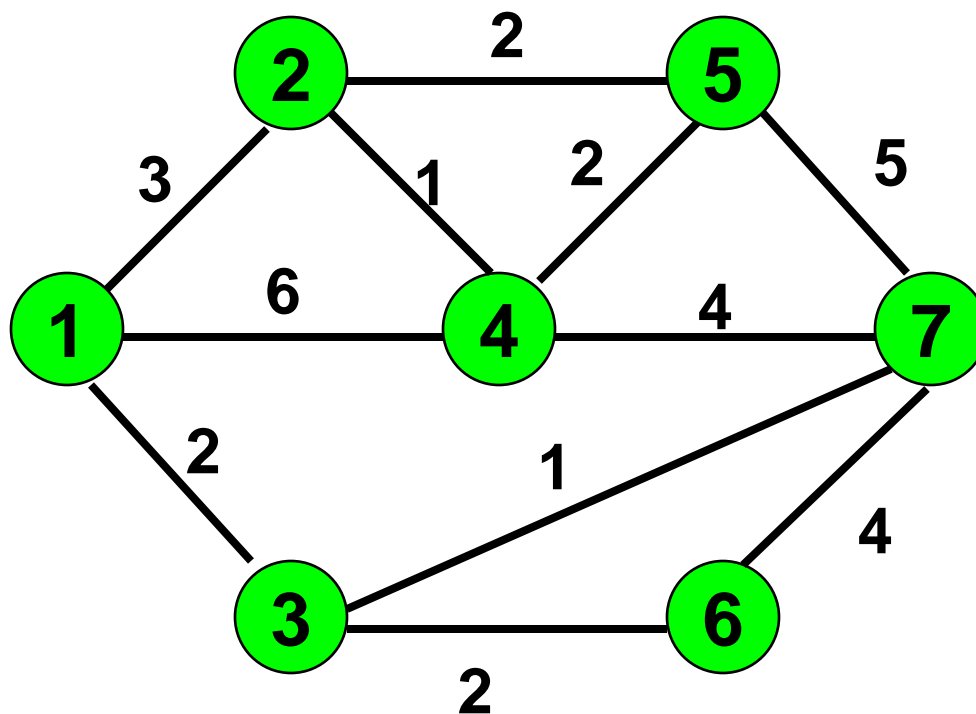
# Kruskal Algorithm

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- *Step 1*       $T := V$ ;  $T$  has no edge
- *Step 2*      Loop  $n-1$  times:
  - Find edge  $e$  which has the smallest weight and put into  $T$  without creating cycles.
  - Put  $e$  into  $T$
  - Starting, sort the edges increasing of the weights

# Kruskal Algorithm

*Example:*



# Kruskal Algorithm

Sort the edges increasing of the weights.

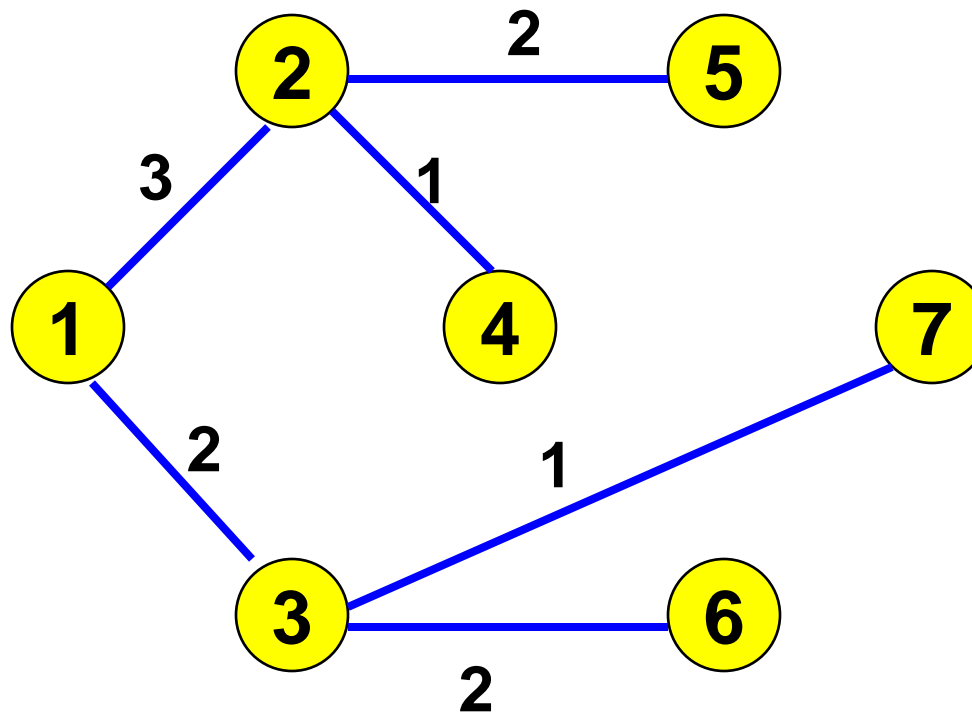
<b>e</b>	(2,4)	(3,7)	(1,3)	(2,5)	(3,6)	(4,5)	(1,2)	(4,7)	(6,7)	(5,7)	(1,4)
<b>w<sub>e</sub></b>	1	1	2	2	2	2	3	4	4	5	6
<b>e<sub>T</sub></b>	1	2	3	4	5	-	6	-	-	-	-

The tree T includes 6 edges as follows:

(2,4), (3,7), (1,3), (2,5), (3,6), (1,2).

# Kruskal Algorithm

The smallest spanning tree  $T$  with  $W(T) = 11$



# Finding the maximum flow

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Extend to self-study:

- The concepts
- Ford-Fulkerson algorithm

# Concepts

- Network is a weighted, directed graph,  $G = (V, E, C)$ :
  - $G$  is weak connected graph (if remove direction then it is connected).
  - There is only one vertex **s** without input arcs called “**output vertex**” and only one vertex **t** without output arcs called “**input vertex**”.
  - Each arc  $(i, j)$  is assigned a number  $c_{ij} \geq 0$  called “**able to through**” of arc  $(i, j)$

# Concepts

- Flow  $F=(f_{ij})$  on network  $G=(V,E,C)$  is the assignment for each arc  $(i,j)$  a number  $f_{ij}$  which has satisfied:
  - Every arc  $(i,j)$  has:  $0 \leq f_{ij} \leq c_{ij}$
  - Every vertex  $v_i$  different from  $s$  and  $t$  has the total number of input flows = output flows.
  - Therefore, the total number of output flows from  $s$  = the total number of input flows  $t$  called “flow value”, noted  $v_F$
  - Maximum flow on network  $G$  is the flow which has the largest value in all flows on  $G$ .



# Ford-Fulkerson Algorithm

- Step 1:  $F=0$  //initial flow 0,  $\forall(i,j)$  has  $f_{ij} = 0$
- Step 2: Repeat until out of the paths for increasing flow:
  - Find the path for increasing flow  $P$  from  $s$  to  $t$ , with the increasing number  $\partial$
  - Increase the flow following  $P$  a number  $\partial$ .

# Ford-Fulkerson Algorithm

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The obtained path of increasing flow  $P$  as bellows:

$P: s \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow i \rightarrow j \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow t$  ( $i, j$  is a positive arc)

$P: s \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow i \leftarrow j \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow t$  ( $j, i$  is a negative arc)

# Ford-Fulkerson Algorithm

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The step of finding flow increasing  $P$  can use the way to label as follows:

- ❖ Set the label  $s$  is  $\infty$
- ❖ Repeat until  $t$  has label  $\partial t$ : when vertex  $v_i$  has just labeled, then labeled for all  $v_j$  (adjacent to  $v_i$ ) if satisfy one of the two cases bellows:

# Ford-Fulkerson Algorithm

- ❖ If there is arc( $i, j$ ) and  $c_{ij} - f_{ij} > 0$  then set  $\partial_j = \min\{\partial_i, c_{ij} - f_{ij}\}$ , input positive arc( $i, j$ ) into  $P$ .
- ❖ If there is arc( $j, i$ ) and  $f_{ji} > 0$  then set  $\partial_j = \min\{\partial_i, f_{ji}\}$ , input negative arc( $j, i$ ) into  $P$ .

When  $t$  has label  $\partial_t$ , the number of flow increasing  $\partial = \partial_t$ . After increase flow, delete label.

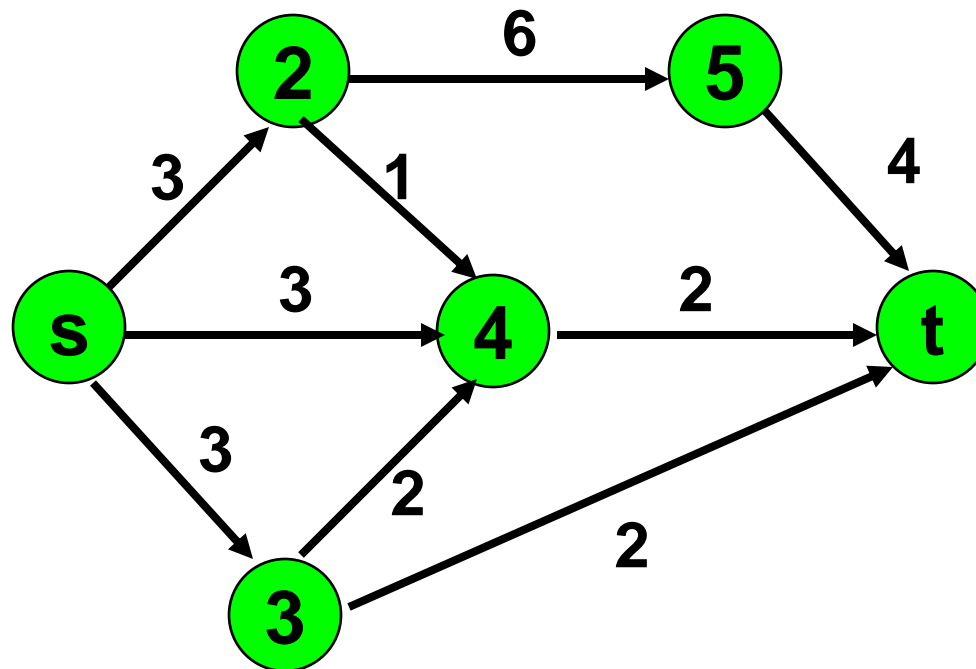
# Ford-Fulkerson Algorithm

Increase flows following  $P$  a number of  $\partial$  based on formula bellows:

$F_{ij}' = F_{ij} + \partial$	If arc(i,j) is a positive arc
$F_{ij}' = F_{ij} - \partial$	If arc(i,j) is a negative arc
$F_{ij}$	If arc(i,j) out of $P$

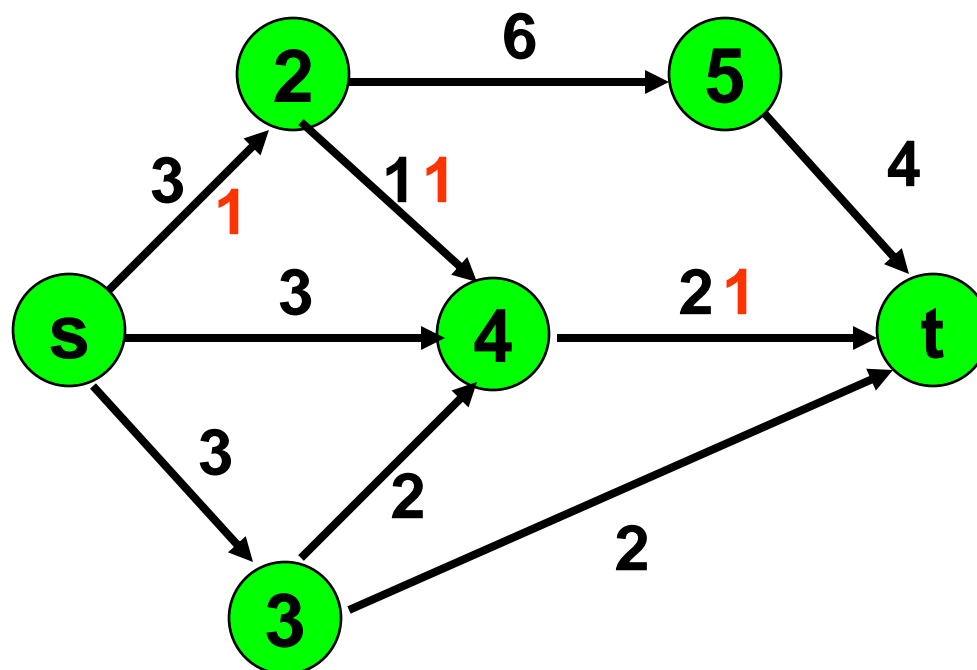
# Ford-Fulkerson Algorithm

Example: given a network  $G = (V, E, C)$



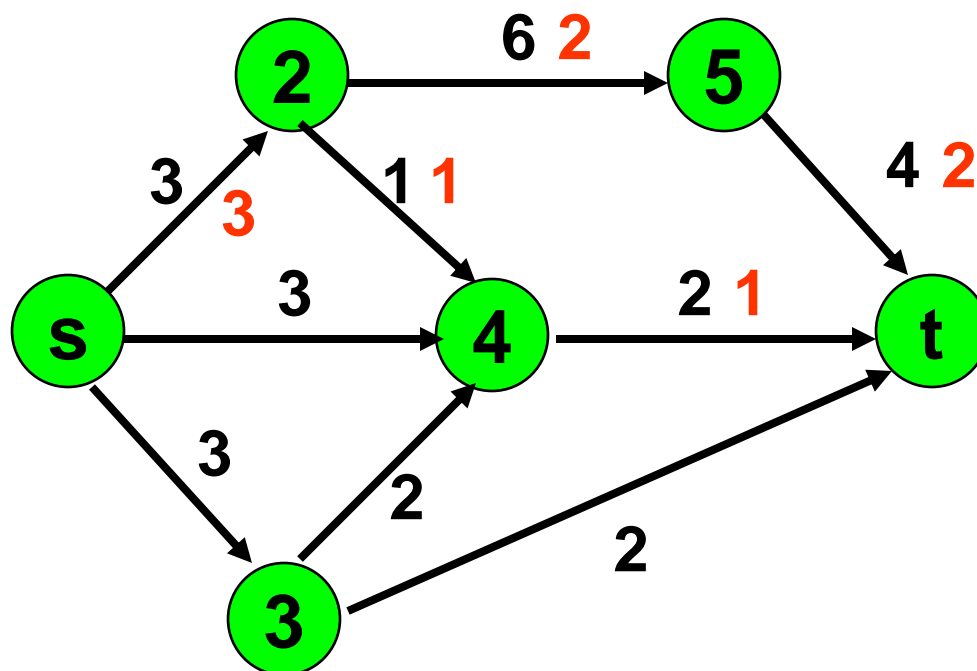
# Ford-Fulkerson Algorithm

$P_1: s \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 4 \rightarrow t, \partial_1 = 1$



# Ford-Fulkerson Algorithm

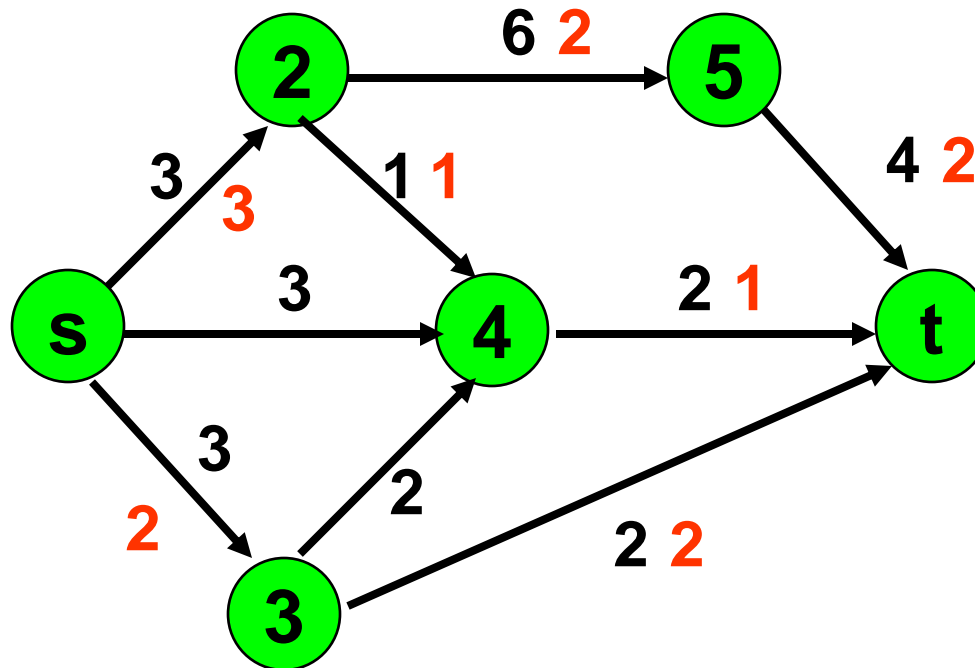
$P_2: s \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 5 \rightarrow t, \partial_2 = 2$





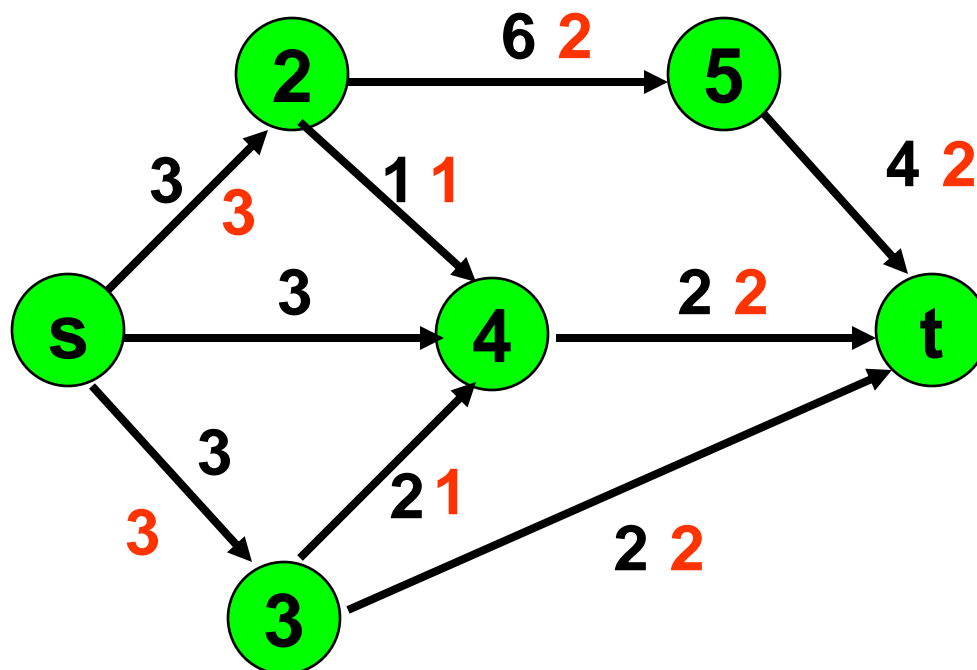
# Ford-Fulkerson Algorithm

$P_3: s \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow t, \partial_3 = 2.$



# Ford-Fulkerson Algorithm

$P_4: s \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow 4 \rightarrow t, \partial_4 = 1.$

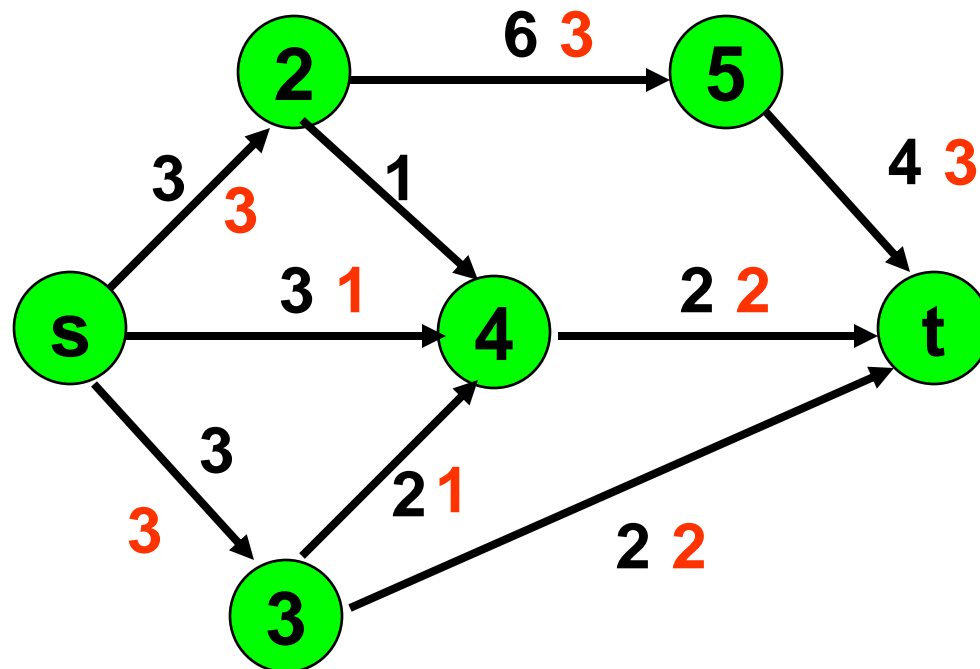


# Ford-Fulkerson Algorithm

$P_5: s \rightarrow 4 \leftarrow 2 \rightarrow 5 \rightarrow t, \partial_5 = 1.$

Out of flow increasing path,  $F_{\max} = 7.$

Minimum cut:  $V_1 = \{s, 3, 4\}, V_2 = \{t, 2, 5\}.$



## Homework(deadline: Nov 29<sup>th</sup>)

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1. Implement the Dijkstra's algorithm in C/C++ with the following requirements:

- Enter the number of vertices
- The adjacent matrix is entered from keyboard
- Input the start vertex
- Input the stop vertex
- Show the shortest path between start and stop vertex.

2. Exercises: 4(page 655)

3. Study yourself the Ford-Fulkerson algorithm

Refer: <http://www.geeksforgeeks.org/ford-fulkerson-algorithm-for-maximum-flow-problem/>