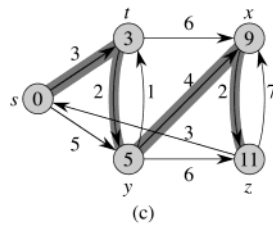
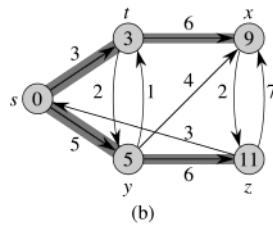
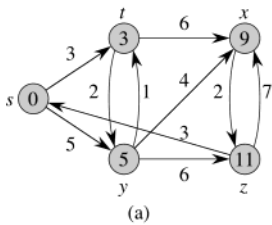


path :  $v_0 \rightarrow v_k$   $p = \langle v_0, v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k \rangle$

weight of path  $w(p) = \sum_{i=1}^k w(v_{i-1}, v_i)$

min-weight path  $\delta(u, v) = \begin{cases} \min \{w(p) : u \xrightarrow{p} v\} & \text{if there is a path } u \rightarrow v \\ \infty & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

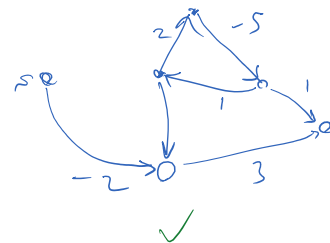
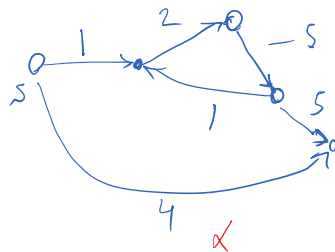


variants of shortest path problem:

- single-source
- single-destination
- single-pair
- all-pairs

Can we have negative-weight edges?

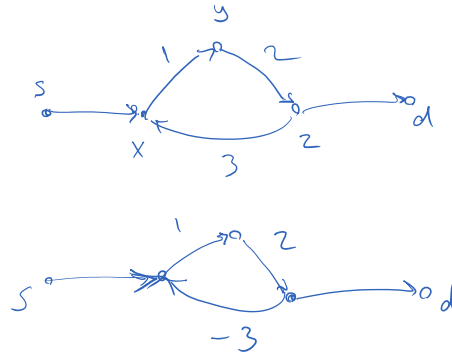
yes as long as we don't encounter a negative-weight cycle.



Lemma: Any subpath of a shortest path is itself a shortest path.

— shortest-paths cannot contain cycles:

- negative-weight cycle : X
- positive-weight cycle : must avoid the cycle
- zero-weight cycle : no need to contain it



$\delta(s, v)$  : shortest path weight

$v.d \longrightarrow$  eventually  $v.d = \delta(s, v)$

$\hookrightarrow$  initially  $v.d = \infty$

$\hookrightarrow$  always  $v.d \geq \delta(s, v)$

$v.\pi$  : predecessor of  $v$  on shortest path  $s \rightarrow v$

$\hookrightarrow$  initially,  $v.\pi = \text{NIL}$

**INIT-SINGLE-SOURCE( $G, s$ )**

**for each**  $v \in G.V$

$v.d = \infty$

$v.\pi = \text{NIL}$

$s.d = 0$

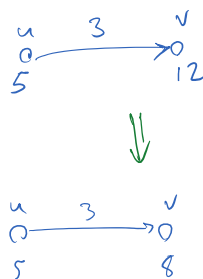
**RELAX( $u, v, w$ )**

**if**  $v.d > u.d + w(u, v)$

$v.d = u.d + w(u, v)$

$v.\pi = u$

Relaxing  $(u, v)$ :



if  $v.d > u.d + w(u, v)$ :

$v.d = u.d + w(u, v)$

$v.\pi = u$

shortest path properties:

- triangle inequality :  $\delta(s, v) \leq \delta(s, u) + w(u, v)$

- upper-bound property :  $v.d \geq \delta(s, v)$

- w-path property: if  $\delta(s, v) = \infty$ , then always  $v.d = \infty$

- convergence property: if  $s \rightarrow u \rightarrow v$  is a shortest path

$$u.d = \delta(s, u)$$

✓ call Relax( $u, v, w$ )

$$v.d = \delta(s, v)$$

- path relaxation property:

-  $p = \langle v_0, v_1, \dots, v_k \rangle$  be a shortest path from  $s = v_0$  to  $v_k$

- if we relax in order  $(v_0, v_1), (v_1, v_2), \dots, (v_{k-1}, v_k)$

$$\text{then } v_k.d = \delta(s, v_k)$$

→ { supports negative edges  
return true if no negative-cycle reachable

**BELLMAN-FORD**( $G, w, s$ )

**INIT-SINGLE-SOURCE**( $G, s$ )

**for**  $i = 1$  to  $|G.V| - 1$

**for each edge**  $(u, v) \in G.E$

**RELAX**( $u, v, w$ )

**for each edge**  $(u, v) \in G.E$

**if**  $v.d > u.d + w(u, v)$

**return FALSE**

**return TRUE**

→  $\Theta(V E)$





DAG-SHORTEST-PATHS( $G, w, s$ )

topologically sort the vertices

INIT-SINGLE-SOURCE( $G, s$ )

for each vertex  $u$ , taken in topologically sorted order

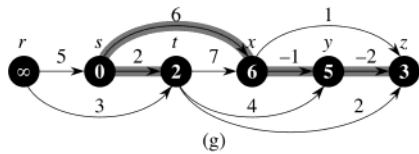
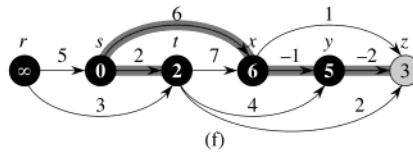
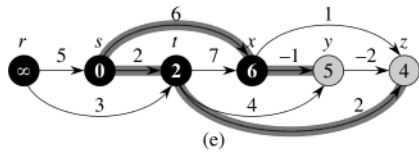
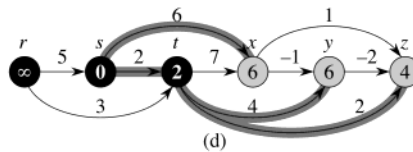
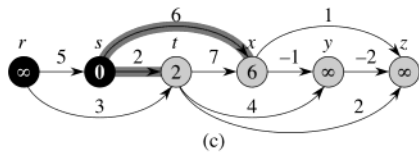
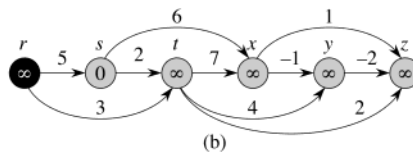
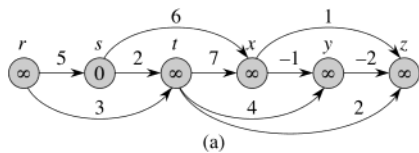
for each vertex  $v \in G.Adj[u]$

RELAX( $u, v, w$ )

$\theta(v)$

$\theta(v + E)$

$\theta(v + E)$



## Dijkstra's Algorithm

does not support negative edges

DIJKSTRA( $G, w, s$ )

INIT-SINGLE-SOURCE( $G, s$ )

$S = \emptyset$

for each vertex  $u \in G.V$

INSERT( $Q, u$ )

while  $Q \neq \emptyset$

$u = \text{EXTRACT-MIN}(Q)$

$S = S \cup \{u\}$

for each vertex  $v \in G.Adj[u]$

RELAX( $u, v, w$ )

$S$ : set of vertices for which shortest path has been determined

$Q$ : Priority queue for  $V - S$

use v.d

binary heap  $O(E \log V)$

1.  $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{4}$

has been determined

Q, Priority queue for V-S

↳ use v.d

binary heap  $\rightarrow O(E \lg V)$

$$\text{DECREASE-KEY}(Q, v, v.d)$$

$$x_j - x_i \leq b_k$$

vars      Constant

$$x_1 \quad x_2 \quad x_3 \quad x_4$$

one solution:  $x_5(0, -4, -5, -3)$

$\downarrow +3$

also a solution:  $x' = (3, -1, -2, 0)$

In general,  $x+d$  is a feasible solution  
if  $x$  is a feasible solution

$$x_4 - x_1 \leq -3$$

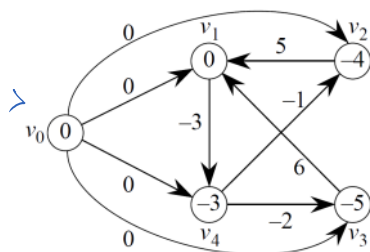
Solving it using constraint graph:

$V = \{v_0, v_1, \dots, v_n\} \rightarrow v_i$  corresponds to  $x_i$   
+ additional  $v_0$

$E = \{(v_i, v_j) : x_j - x_i \leq b_k\} \cup \{(v_0, v_1), \dots, (v_0, v_n)\}$

$w(v_i, v_j) \leq b_k$

$w(v_0, v_i) = 0$  parameters,  $\begin{cases} n: \# x_s \\ m: \# b_s \end{cases}$



- ① Build constraint graph  $\begin{cases} n+1 \text{ vertices} \\ m+n \text{ edges} \\ \theta(m+n) \end{cases}$
- ② need to run BF Alg.

$$\hookrightarrow O((n+1)(m+n)) = O(n^2 + nm)$$

Theorem If  $G$  has no negative cycle then  $x = (\delta(v_0, v_1), \dots, \delta(v_0, v_n))$  is a feasible solution  
otherwise, there is no feasible solution

proof: if no negative cycle

show:  $x_j - x_i \leq b_k \rightarrow w(v_i, v_j)$

$$\hookrightarrow x_i = \delta(v_0, v_i)$$

$$\hookrightarrow x_j = \delta(v_0, v_j)$$

triangle inequality:  $\delta(v_0, v_j) \leq \delta(v_0, v_i) + w(v_i, v_j)$

$$x_j \leq x_i + b_k$$

$$\underline{x_j - x_i \leq b_k}$$

You can also show that if we have negative cycle there is no feasible solution.

## All-pairs Shortest Paths

Goal: calculate  $\delta(i, j)$  for all  $i \& j$

Use Bellman-Ford: run it for each vertex (as source)  
 $O(V \cdot E) \rightarrow O(V^2 \cdot E)$   $\xrightarrow{\text{dense graph } V \sim n^2} O(V^4)$

Use Dijkstra:  $O(V^2E)$   $\xrightarrow[\substack{\text{dense graph} \\ V = O(E^2)}]{}$   $O(V^4)$

Use Dijkstra: run for every vertex  
 $O(VE \lg V)$   $\xrightarrow{\text{dense graph}}$   $O(V^3 \lg V)$

Can we do better? ( $O(V^3)$ )

Use dynamic programming for all-pairs shortest-path

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

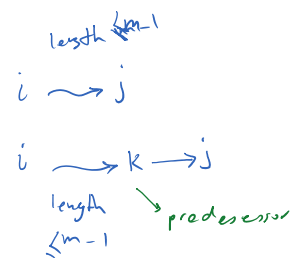
$l_{ij}^{(m)}$  = weight of shortest path between  $i$  and  $j$  of length  $\leq m$

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

$$m \geq 1 \longrightarrow l_{ij}^{(m)} = \min \left( l_{ij}^{(m-1)}, \min_{1 \leq k \leq n} \{ l_{ik}^{(m-1)} + w_{kj} \} \right)$$

$$= \min_{1 \leq k \leq n} \{ l_{ik}^{(m-1)} + w_{kj} \}$$

← when  $k=j$



$$\begin{aligned} l_{ij}^{(1)} &= \min_{1 \leq k \leq n} \{ l_{ik}^{(0)} + w_{kj} \} \\ &= l_{ii}^{(0)} + w_{ij} \\ &= w_{ij} \end{aligned}$$

$\implies (l_{ij}^{(1)})$  is the weight matrix

What is the max length of any shortest path?

simple path that has no cycle

~~$|E|$~~   
 ~~$|E|-1$~~





~~$|E| - 1$   
if  $|E| > |V|$~~

$\downarrow$   
 $|V| - 1$

$$\delta(i, j) = \begin{matrix} (n-1) \\ 2_{ij} \end{matrix} \quad \left( = \begin{matrix} (n) \\ 4_{ij} \end{matrix} = \begin{matrix} (n+1) \\ 4_{ij} \end{matrix} \dots \right)$$

EXTEND( $L, W, n$ )

let  $L' = (l'_{ij})$  be a new  $n \times n$  matrix

for  $i = 1$  to  $n$

for  $j = 1$  to  $n$

$l'_{ij} = \infty$

for  $k = 1$  to  $n$

$l'_{ij} = \min(l'_{ij}, l_{ik} + w_{kj})$

return  $L'$

$\rightarrow \theta(n^3)$

SLOW-APSP( $W, n$ )

$L^{(1)} = W$

for  $m = 2$  to  $n - 1$

let  $L^{(m)}$  be a new  $n \times n$  matrix

$L^{(m)} = \text{EXTEND}(L^{(m-1)}, W, n)$

return  $L^{(n-1)}$

$L^{(1)} \rightarrow L^{(2)} \rightarrow L^{(3)} \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow L^{(n-1)}$

$\rightarrow \theta(n^4)$

pseudocode for matrix multiplication  $C = A \times B$

for  $i = 1$  to  $n$

for  $j = 1$  to  $n$

$c_{ij} = 0$   $\rightarrow \infty$

for  $k = 1$  to  $n$

$c_{ij} = c_{ij} + a_{ik} \cdot b_{kj}$   
 $\downarrow$  min  $\rightarrow +$

Extend is similar to  
matrix multiplication

$$A^{50} = A \times A^{49} = \dots$$

$$A^2 = A \times A \rightarrow A^4 = A^2 \times A^2 \rightarrow A^8 = A^4 \times A^4 \rightarrow A^{16} = A^8 \times A^8 \rightarrow A^{32} = A^{16} \times A^{16} \rightarrow A^{64} = A^{32} \times A^{32}$$

$L^{(1)} \rightarrow L^{(2)} \rightarrow L^{(3)} \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow L^{(n-1)}$

$L^{(1)} \rightarrow L^{(2)} \rightarrow L^{(4)} \rightarrow L^{(8)} \rightarrow \dots$

how many steps?

if  $(n-1) = 50 \rightarrow$  looking for  $L^{(50)}$   
 if we perform this 6 times  $\rightarrow L^{(64)}$

FASTER-APSP( $W, n$ )

$L^{(1)} = W$

$m = 1$

**while**  $m < n - 1$

  let  $L^{(2m)}$  be a new  $n \times n$  matrix

$L^{(2m)} = \text{EXTEND}(L^{(m)}, L^{(m)}, n)$

$m = 2m$

**return**  $L^{(m)}$

loop  $\rightarrow \theta(y^n)$

Totals  $\theta(n^3 y^n)$

## Floyd-Warshall algorithm

$d_{ij}^{(k)}$  = shortest path weight of any path  $i \rightarrow j$   
 with all intermediate vertices in  $\{1, \dots, k\}$

shortest path  $p: i \xrightarrow{p} j$  with all intermediate nodes in  $\{1, \dots, k\}$

$\rightarrow$   $\begin{cases} -p \text{ does not pass through } k \\ \quad \hookrightarrow \text{all intermediate vertices are in } \{1, \dots, k-1\} \\ -p \text{ passes through } k \end{cases}$



intermediate v.s. sub-shortest paths are in  $\{1, \dots, k-1\}$

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

goal:  $D^{(n)} = (d_{ij}^{(n)})$

FLOYD-WARSHALL( $W, n$ )

$D^{(0)} = W$

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

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

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

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

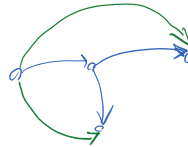
$d_{ij}^{(k)} = \min(d_{ij}^{(k-1)}, d_{ik}^{(k-1)} + d_{kj}^{(k-1)})$

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

$$\theta(n^3) = \theta(V^3)$$

Transitive Closure

$G = (V, E)$



$G^* = (V, E^*)$        $E^* = \{(u, v) : \text{there is a path } u \rightsquigarrow v \text{ in } G\}$

Calculating  $E^*$ ,

- assign weight 1 to all edges

run Floyd-warshall

if  $d_{uv}^{(n)} < \infty$  then  $(u, v) \in E^*$

otherwise  $d_{uv}^{(n)} = \infty$  and  $(u, v) \notin E^*$

we can calculate it using simpler operations (using binary logic):

TRANSITIVE-CLOSURE( $G, n$ )

let  $T^{(0)} = (t_{ij}^{(0)})$  be a new  $n \times n$  matrix

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

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

**if**  $i = j$  **or**  $(i, j) \in G.E$

$t_{ij}^{(0)} = 1$

**else**  $t_{ij}^{(0)} = 0$

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

let  $T^{(k)} = (t_{ij}^{(k)})$  be a new  $n \times n$  matrix

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

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

$t_{ij}^{(k)} = t_{ij}^{(k-1)} \vee (t_{ik}^{(k-1)} \wedge t_{kj}^{(k-1)})$

**return**  $T^{(n)}$

} initialization

binary ops are much cheaper

(min)      (+)