

Lecture 9

All -Pairs Shortest Paths Problem

1. Matrix multiplication
2. Floyd-Warshall algorithm
3. Transitive closure
4. Johnson's algorithm

All-pairs shortest paths problem

- Problem: Given a directed graph $G=(V, E)$, and a weight function $w: E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, for each pair of vertices u, v , compute the shortest path weight $\delta(u, v)$, and a shortest path if exists.
 - No negative cycles!
 - Output: a $V \times V$ matrix $D=(d_{ij})$, where, d_{ij} contains the weight of a shortest path from vertex i to vertex j .
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Methods

- 1) Application of single source shortest path algorithms
 - 2) Direct methods to solve the problem:
 - 1) Matrix multiplication
 - 2) Floyd-Warshall algorithm
 - 3) Johnson's algorithm for sparse graphs
 - 3) Transitive closure (Floyd-Warshall algorithm)
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Motivation

- Computer network
 - Aircraft network (e.g. flying time, fares)
 - Railroad network
 - Table of distances between all pairs of cities for a road atlas
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Single source shortest path algorithms

If edges are non-negative:

Running the Dijkstra's algorithm n-times, once for each vertex as the source

running time: $O(V^2 \log V + VE)$ //using Fibonacci-heap

Single source shortest path algorithms

Negative-weight edges:

Bellman-Ford algorithm

Running time: $O(V^2 E)$

Dynamic Programming

- Characterize the structure of an optimal solution.
 - Recursively define the value of an optimal solution.
 - Compute the value of an optimal solution in a bottom-up fashion.
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Data structure

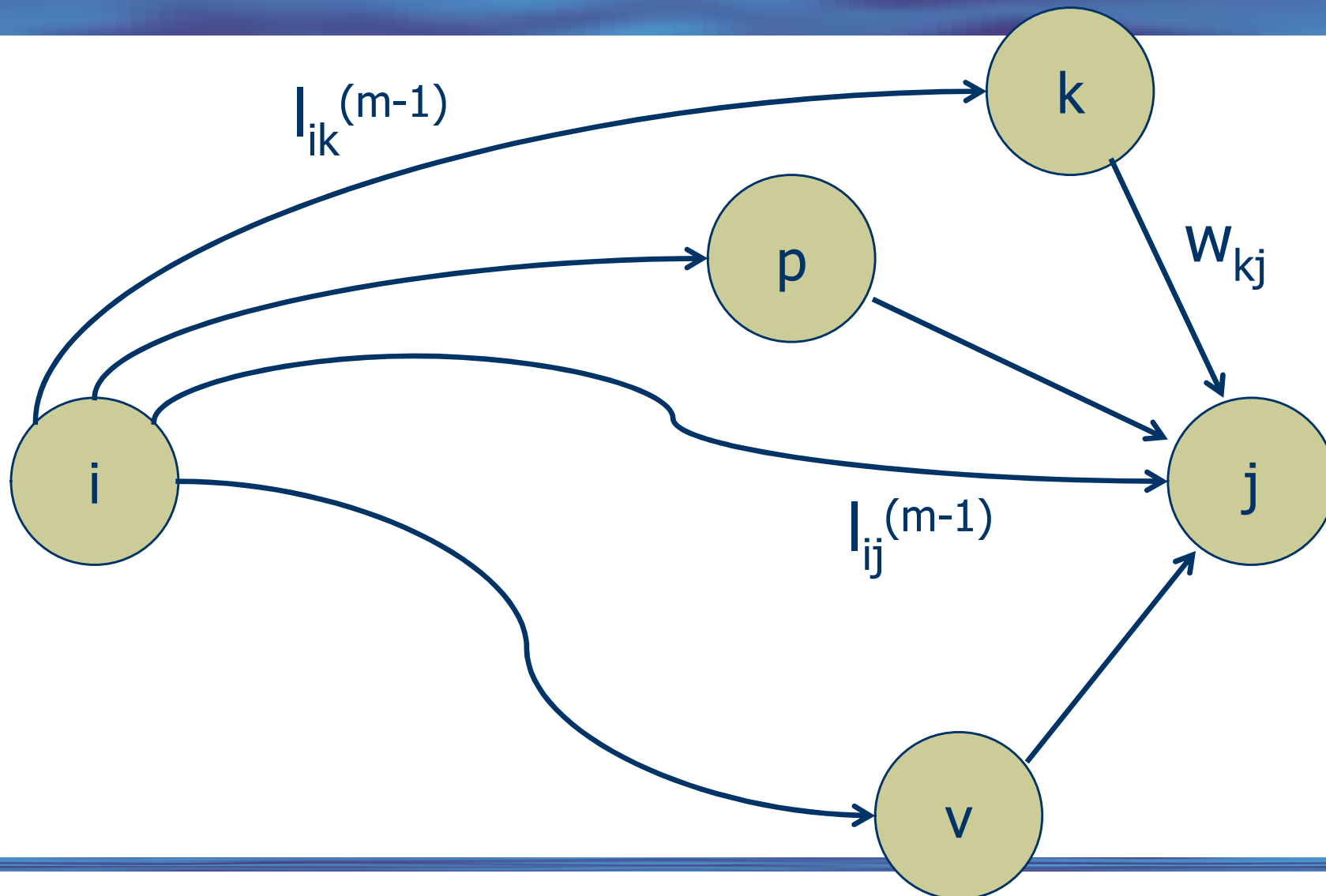
- Adjacency matrix
- $w: E \rightarrow \mathfrak{R}$ as $V \times V$ matrix W

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

Matrix multiplication (idea)

$l_{ij}^{(m)}$: minimum weight of any path from i to j
that contains at most m edges

Matrix multiplication (idea)



Matrix multiplication (idea)

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

↪ Check all possible predecessors k of j and compare!

Matrix multiplication (structure)

$$l_{ij}^{(1)} = w_{ij}$$

$$\begin{aligned} l_{ij}^{(m)} &= \min (l_{ij}^{(m-1)}, \min_{1 \leq k \leq n} \{l_{ik}^{(m-1)} + w_{kj}\}) \\ &= \min_{1 \leq k \leq n} \{l_{ik}^{(m-1)} + w_{kj}\} \end{aligned}$$

Matrix multiplication (structure)

- Compute a series of matrices

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

$$L^{(m)} = L^{(m-1)} \cdot W$$

- **Final matrix** $L^{(n-1)}$ contains the final shortest-path weights
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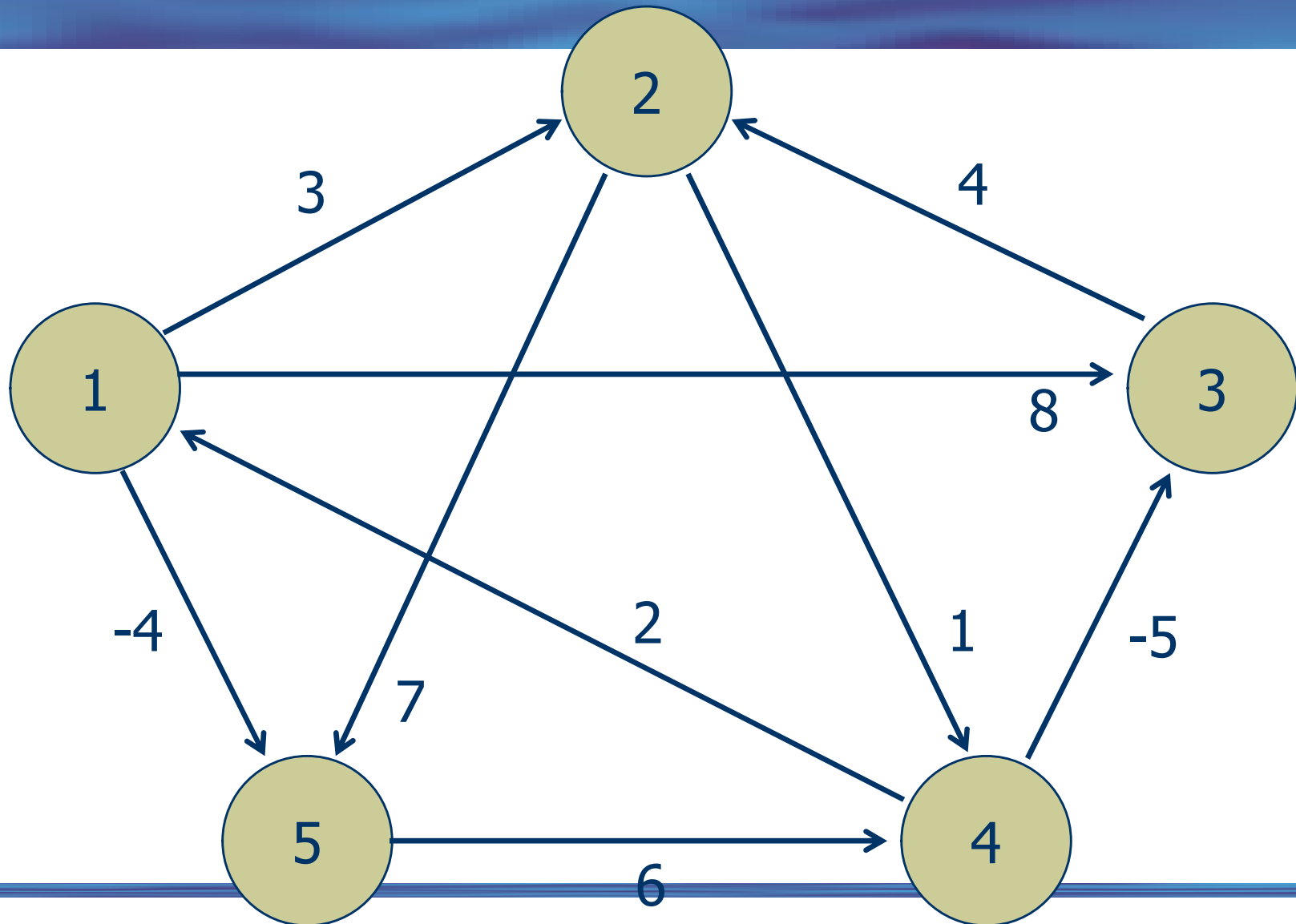
Matrix multiplication (pseudo-code)

EXTEND-SHORTEST-PATHS (L, W)

```
1   $n \leftarrow \text{rows}[L]$ 
2  let  $L' = (l'_{ij})$  be an  $n \times n$  matrix
3  for  $i \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
4      do for  $j \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
5          do  $l'_{ij} \leftarrow \infty$ 
6              for  $k \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
7                  do  $l'_{ij} \leftarrow \min(l'_{ij}, l_{ik} + w_{kj})$ 
8  return  $L'$ 
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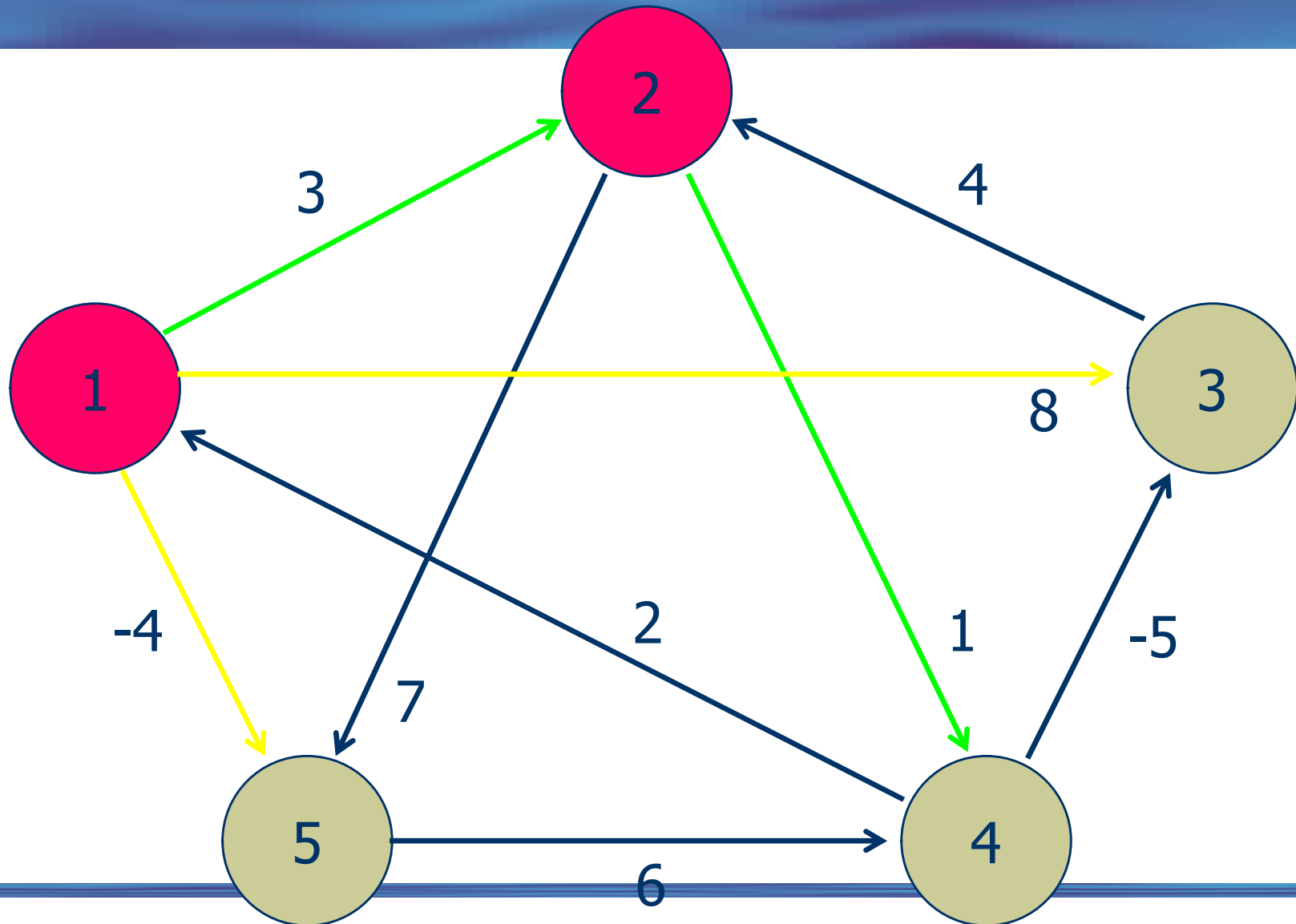
Matrix multiplication (example)

$L_{14}^{(2)}$



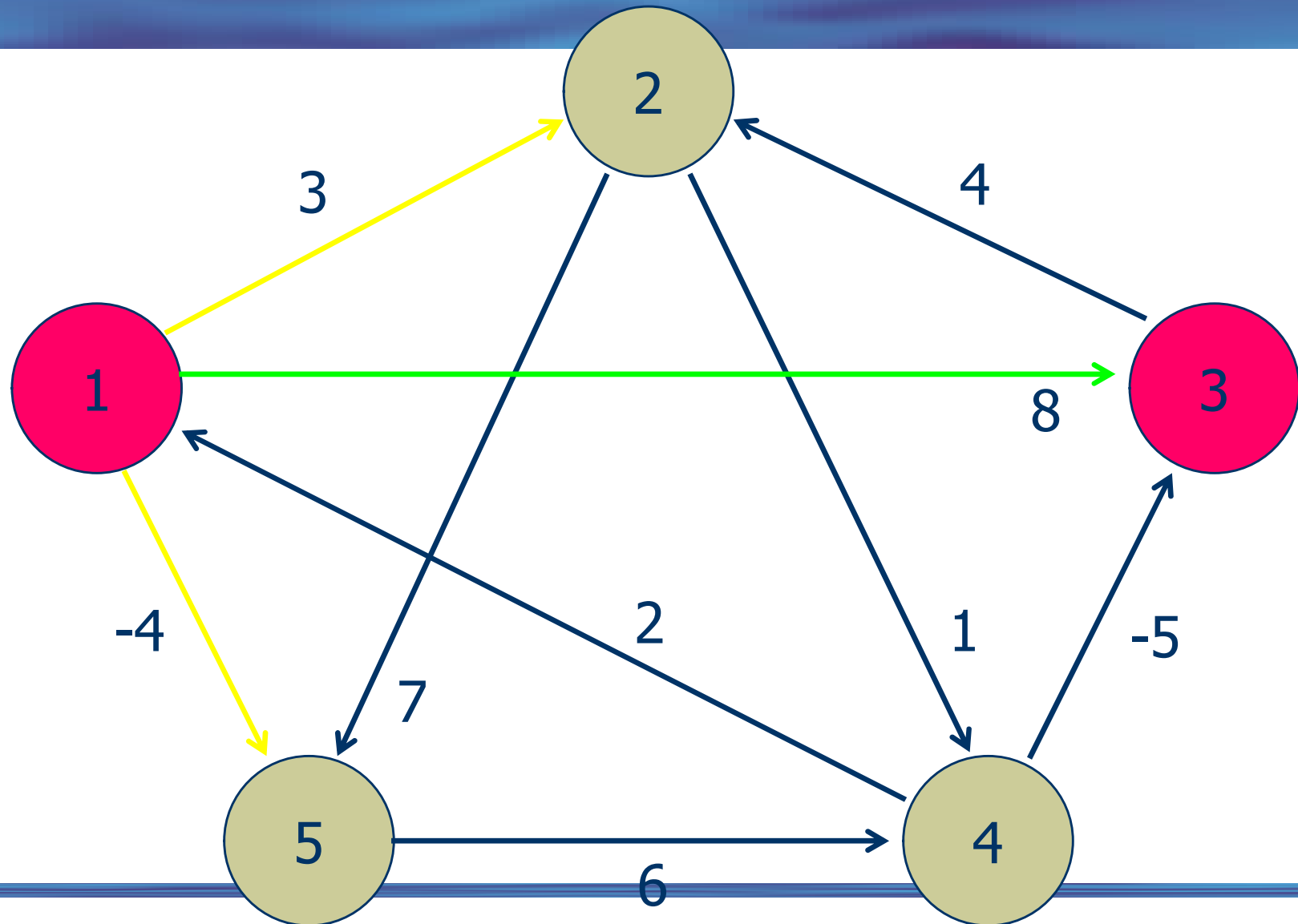
Matrix multiplication (example)

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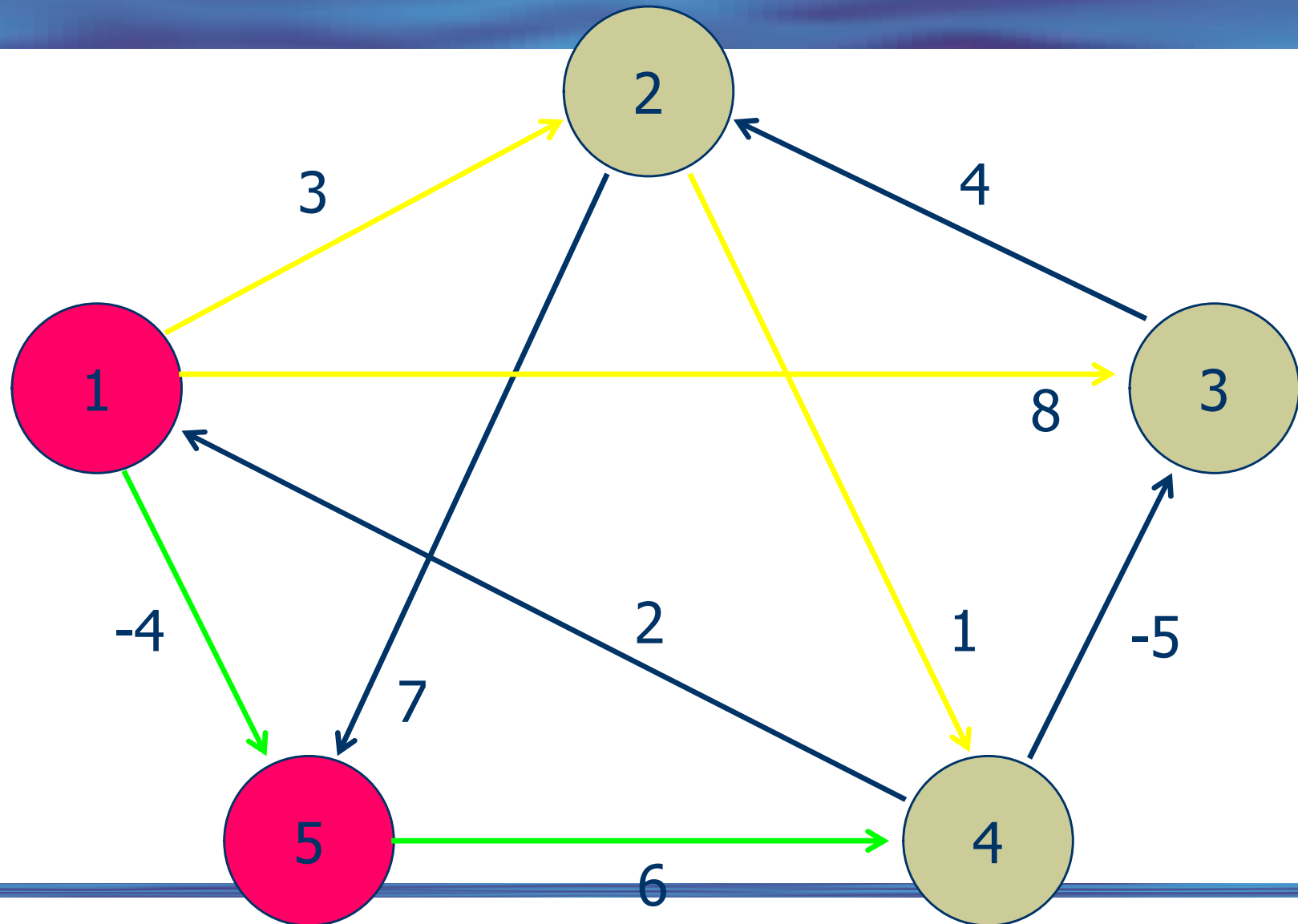
matrix multiplication (example)

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matrix multiplication (example)

$L_{14}^{(2)}$



matrix multiplication (example)

$$l_{14}^{(2)} = (0 \ 3 \ 8 \ \infty \ -4) \bullet$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \infty \\ 1 \\ \infty \\ 0 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \min (\infty, 4, \infty, \infty, 2)$$

$$= 2$$

Relation to matrix multiplication

$$C = A \cdot B$$

$$\Rightarrow c_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^n a_{ik} \cdot b_{kj}$$

compare:

$$L^{(m)} = L^{(m-1)} \cdot W$$

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

Relation to matrix multiplication

MATRIX-MULTIPLY(A, B)

```
1   $n \leftarrow \text{rows}[A]$ 
2  let  $C$  be an  $n \times n$  matrix
3  for  $i \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
4      do for  $j \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
5          do  $c_{ij} \leftarrow 0$ 
6              for  $k \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
7                  do  $c_{ij} \leftarrow c_{ij} + a_{ik} \cdot b_{kj}$ 
8  return  $C$ 
```

Matrix multiplication (pseudo-code)

EXTEND-SHORTEST-PATHS (L, W)

```
1   $n \leftarrow \text{rows}[L]$ 
2  let  $L' = (l'_{ij})$  be an  $n \times n$  matrix
3  for  $i \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
4      do for  $j \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
5          do  $l'_{ij} \leftarrow \infty$ 
6              for  $k \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
7                  do  $l'_{ij} \leftarrow \min(l'_{ij}, l_{ik} + w_{kj})$ 
8  return  $L'$ 
```

Matrix multiplication

Compute the sequence of $n-1$ matrices:

$$L^{(1)} = L^{(0)} \cdot W = W,$$

$$L^{(2)} = L^{(1)} \cdot W = W^2,$$

$$L^{(3)} = L^{(2)} \cdot W = W^3,$$

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$$L^{(n-1)} = L^{(n-2)} \cdot W = W^{n-1}$$

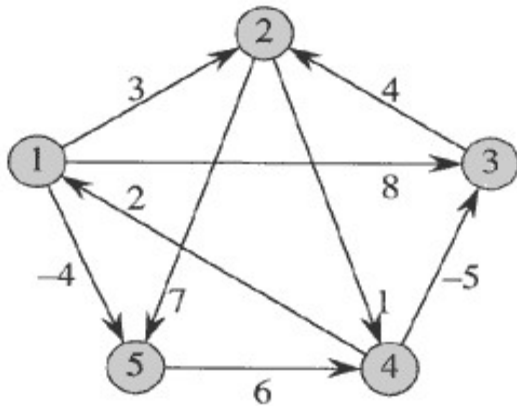
Matrix multiplication (pseudo-code)

SLOW-ALL-PAIRS-SHORTEST-PATHS(W)

```
1   $n \leftarrow \text{rows}[W]$ 
2   $L^{(1)} \leftarrow W$ 
3  for  $m \leftarrow 2$  to  $n - 1$ 
4      do  $L^{(m)} \leftarrow \text{EXTEND-SHORTEST-PATHS}(L^{(m-1)}, W)$ 
5  return  $L^{(n-1)}$ 
```

How much space needed? Can you improve?

Matrix multiplication(example)



$$L^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3 & 8 & \infty & -4 \\ \infty & 0 & \infty & 1 & 7 \\ \infty & 4 & 0 & \infty & \infty \\ 2 & \infty & -5 & 0 & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad L^{(2)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3 & 8 & 2 & -4 \\ 3 & 0 & -4 & 1 & 7 \\ \infty & 4 & 0 & 5 & 11 \\ 2 & -1 & -5 & 0 & -2 \\ 8 & \infty & 1 & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$L^{(3)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3 & -3 & 2 & -4 \\ 3 & 0 & -4 & 1 & -1 \\ 7 & 4 & 0 & 5 & 11 \\ 2 & -1 & -5 & 0 & -2 \\ 8 & 5 & 1 & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad L^{(4)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & -3 & 2 & -4 \\ 3 & 0 & -4 & 1 & -1 \\ 7 & 4 & 0 & 5 & 3 \\ 2 & -1 & -5 & 0 & -2 \\ 8 & 5 & 1 & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Figure 25.1 A directed graph and the sequence of matrices $L^{(m)}$ computed by SLOW-ALL-PAIRS-SHORTEST-PATHS. The reader may verify that $L^{(5)} = L^{(4)} \cdot W$ is equal to $L^{(4)}$, and thus $L^{(m)} = L^{(4)}$ for all $m \geq 4$.

Matrix multiplication (running time)

- $O(n^4)$

Improving the running time:

- compute not all $L^{(m)}$ matrices

interested only in $L^{(n-1)}$, which is equal to $L^{(m)}$ for all integers $m \geq n-1$

Improving the running time

Compute the sequence

$$L^{(1)} = W,$$

$$L^{(2)} = W^2 = W \cdot W,$$

$$L^{(4)} = W^4 = W^2 \cdot W^2,$$

$$L^{(8)} = W^8 = W^4 \cdot W^4$$

...

$$L^{(2^{\lceil \log(n-1) \rceil})} = W^{(2^{\lceil \log(n-1) \rceil})} = W^{2^{\lceil \log(n-1) \rceil - 1}} \bullet W^{2^{\lceil \log(n-1) \rceil - 1}}$$

We need only $\lceil \log(n-1) \rceil$ matrix products

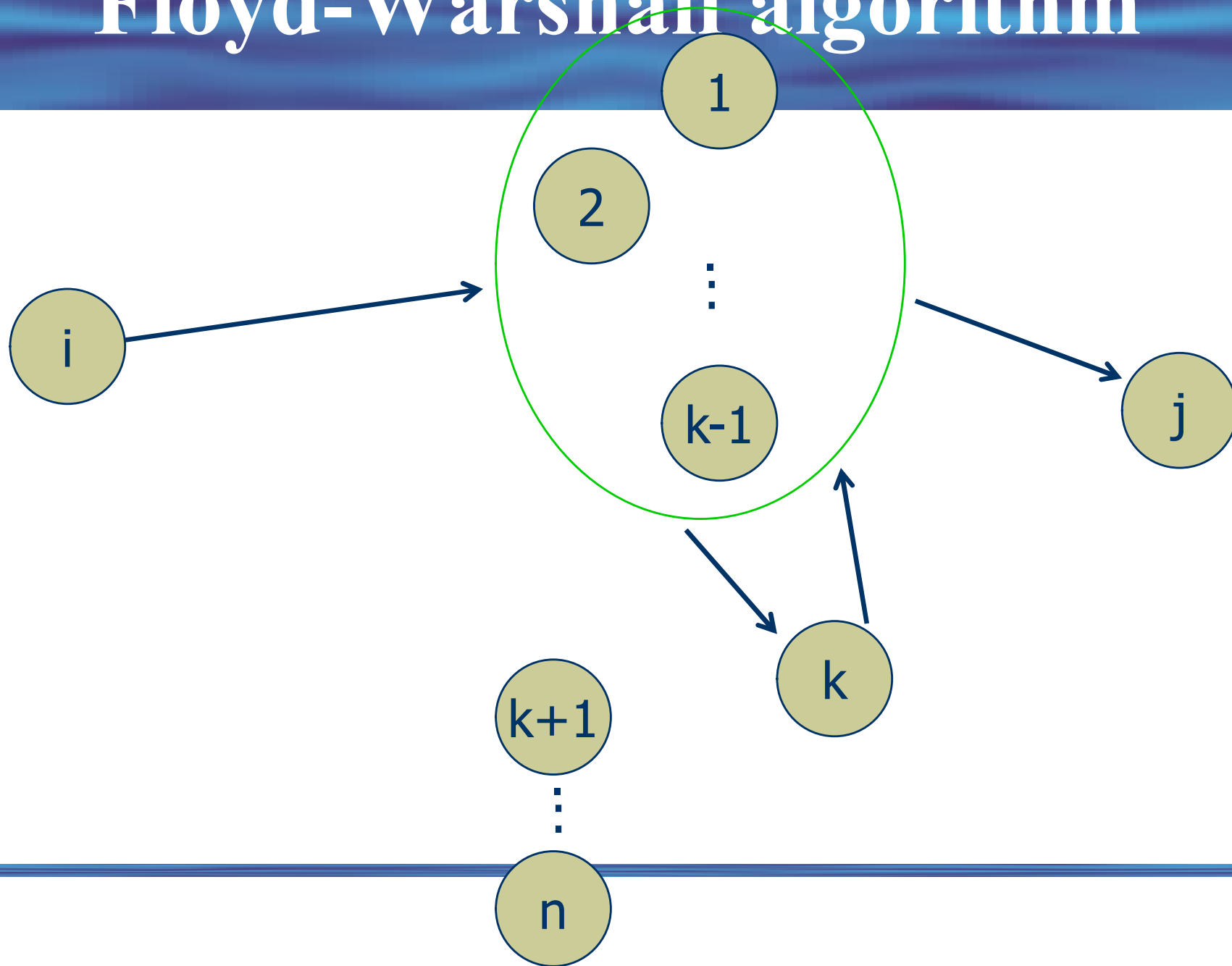
$$\bullet O(n^3 \log n)$$

Improving running time

FASTER-ALL-PAIRS-SHORTEST-PATHS(W)

```
1   $n \leftarrow \text{rows}[W]$ 
2   $L^{(1)} \leftarrow W$ 
3   $m \leftarrow 1$ 
4  while  $m < n - 1$ 
5      do  $L^{(2m)} \leftarrow \text{EXTEND-SHORTEST-PATHS}(L^{(m)}, L^{(m)})$ 
6           $m \leftarrow 2m$ 
7  return  $L^{(m)}$ 
```

Floyd-Warshall algorithm



Floyd-Warshall algorithm

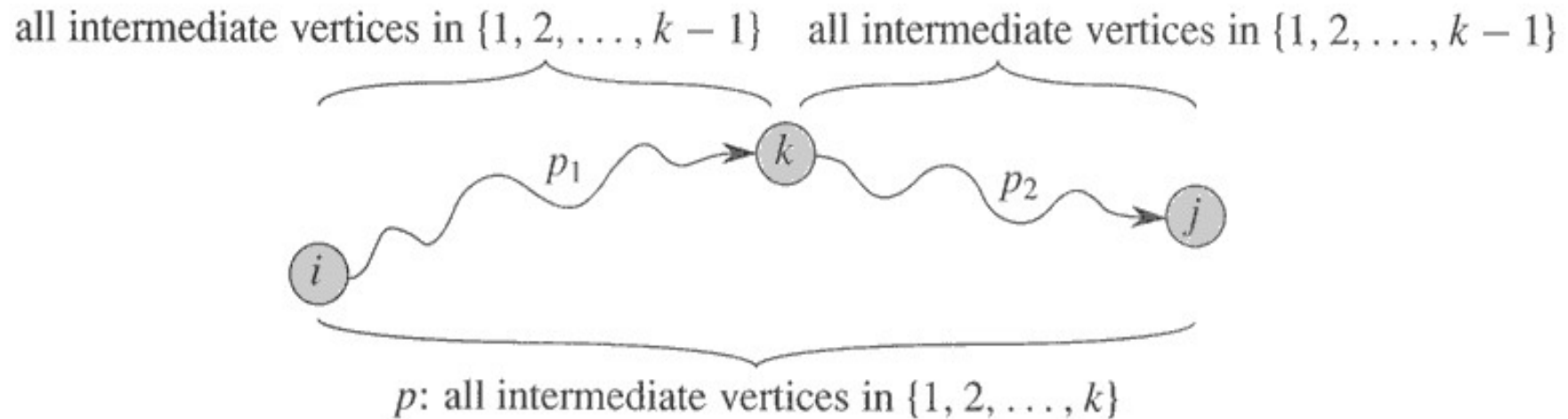


Figure 25.3 Path p is a shortest path from vertex i to vertex j , and k is the highest-numbered intermediate vertex of p . Path p_1 , the portion of path p from vertex i to vertex k , has all intermediate vertices in the set $\{1, 2, \dots, k-1\}$. The same holds for path p_2 from vertex k to vertex j .

Floyd-Warshall algorithm

$d_{ij}^{(k)}$: shortest path weight from i to j with intermediate vertices in the set $\{1, 2, \dots, k\}$

$d_{ij}^{(0)} = w_{ij}$
(no intermediate vertices at all)

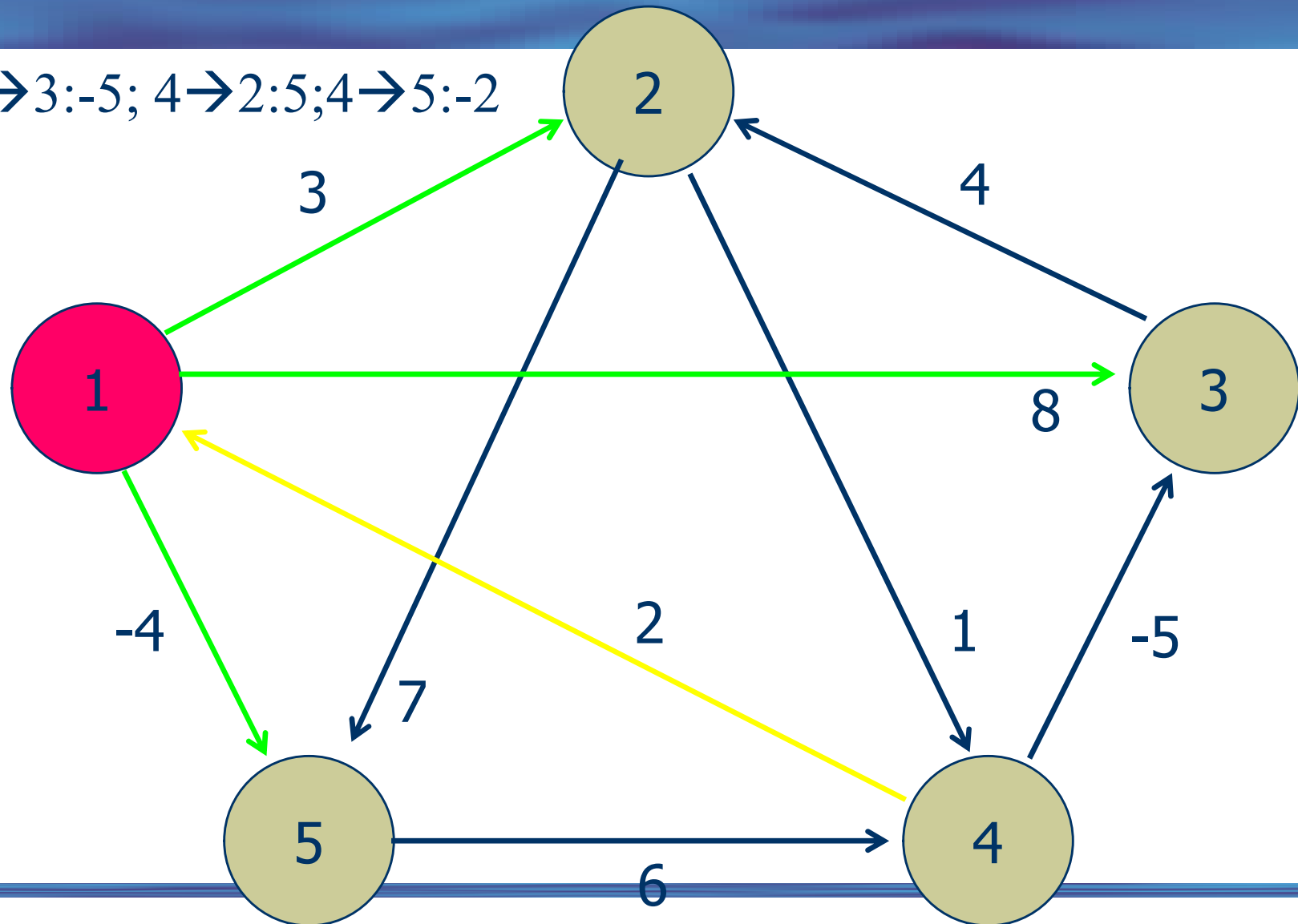
$$d_{ij}^{(k)} = \min(d_{ij}^{(k-1)}, d_{ik}^{(k-1)} + d_{kj}^{(k-1)}) \quad \text{if } k \geq 1$$

Result: $D^{(n)} = (d_{ij}^{(n)}) = d(i, j)$

(because all intermediate vertices are in the set $\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$)

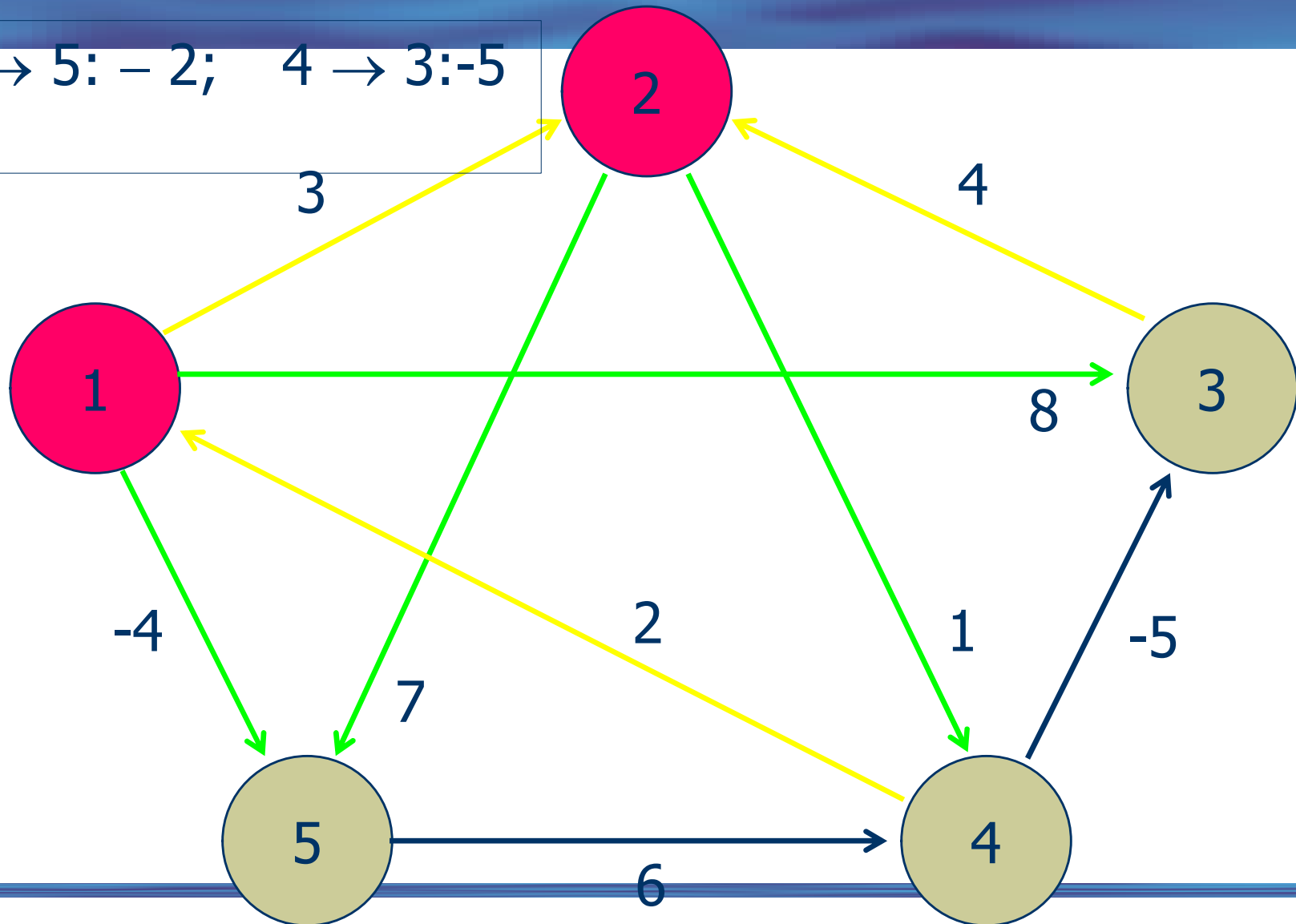
Floyd-Warshall algorithm

$k=1: 4 \rightarrow 3: -5; 4 \rightarrow 2: 5; 4 \rightarrow 5: -2$



Floyd-Warshall algorithm

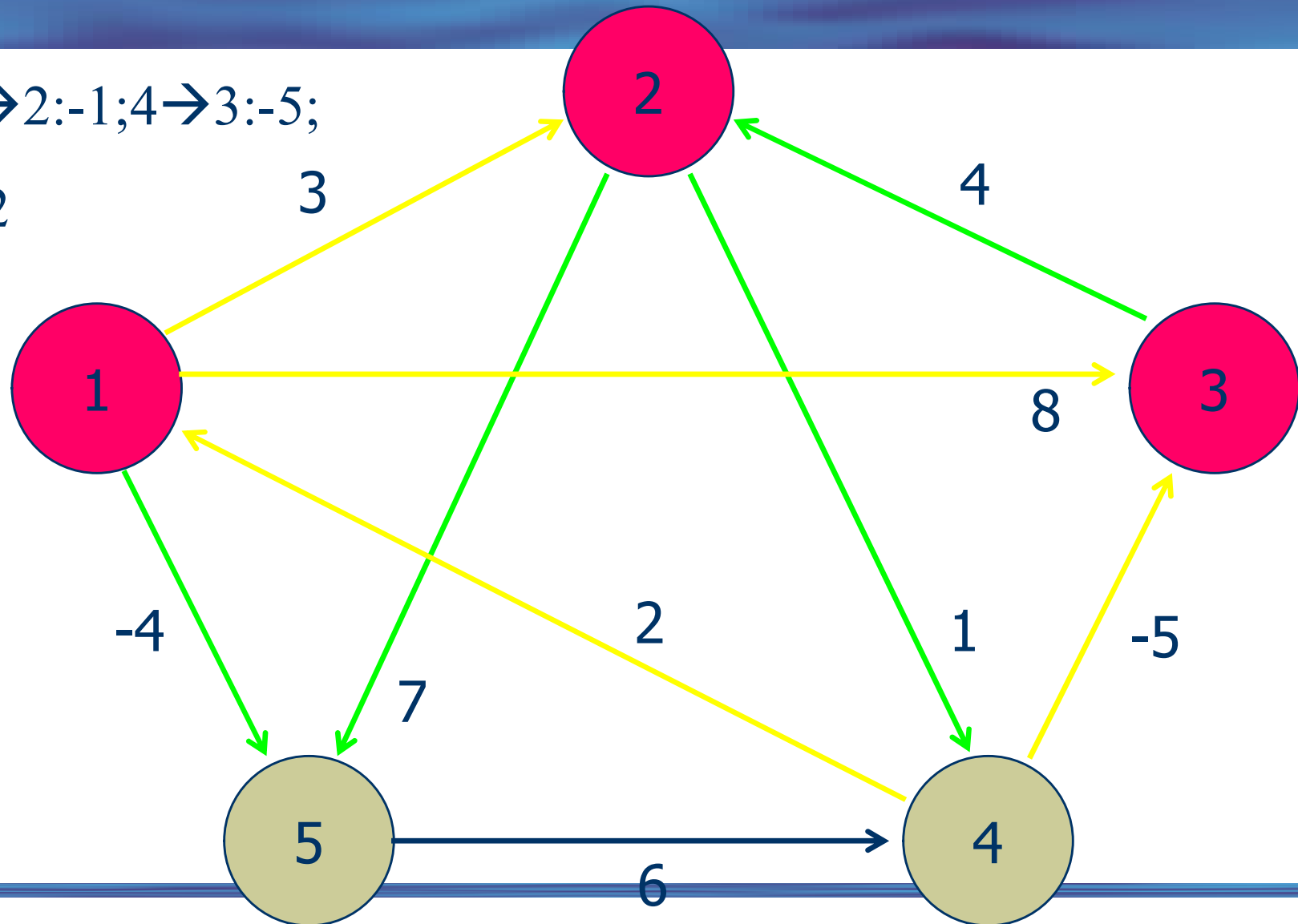
k=2: 4 → 5: -2; 4 → 3: -5
4 → 2: 5



Floyd-Warshall algorithm

$k=3: 4 \rightarrow 2: -1; 4 \rightarrow 3: -5;$

$4 \rightarrow 5: -2$



Floyd-Warhsall algorithm (pseudo-code)

FLOYD-WARSHALL(W)

```
1   $n \leftarrow \text{rows}[W]$ 
2   $D^{(0)} \leftarrow W$ 
3  for  $k \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
4      do for  $i \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
5          do for  $j \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
6              do  $d_{ij}^{(k)} \leftarrow \min(d_{ij}^{(k-1)}, d_{ik}^{(k-1)} + d_{kj}^{(k-1)})$ 
7  return  $D^{(n)}$ 
```

$$d_{ik}^k = \min\{d_{ik}^{k-1}, d_{ik}^{k-1} + d_{kk}^{k-1}\} = d_{ik}^{k-1}$$

Notice that: $d_{kj}^k = \min\{d_{kj}^{k-1}, d_{kk}^{k-1} + d_{kj}^{k-1}\} = d_{kj}^{k-1}$

Floyd-Warhsall algorithm (less space)

FLOYD-WARSHALL' (W)

```
1   $n \leftarrow \text{rows}[W]$ 
2   $D \leftarrow W$ 
3  for  $k \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
4      do for  $i \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
5          do for  $j \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
6              do  $d_{ij} \leftarrow \min(d_{ij}, d_{ik} + d_{kj})$ 
7  return  $D$ 
```

Constructing a shortest path

- For $k=0$

$$\pi_{ij}^{(0)} = \begin{cases} \text{NIL} & \text{if } i = j \text{ or } w_{ij} = \infty \\ i & \text{if } i \neq j \text{ and } w_{ij} < \infty \end{cases}$$

- For $k \geq 1$

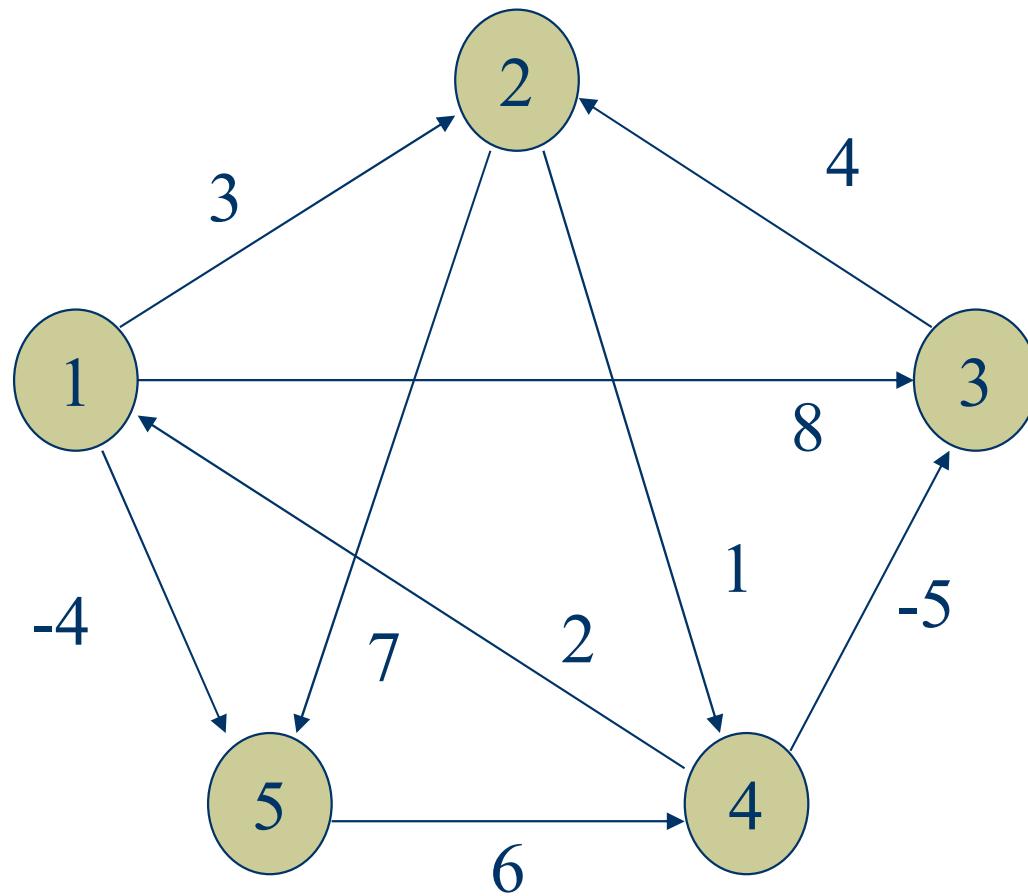
$$\pi_{ij}^{(k)} = \begin{cases} \pi_{ij}^{(k-1)} & \text{if } d_{ij}^{(k-1)} \leq d_{ik}^{(k-1)} + d_{kj}^{(k-1)} \\ \pi_{kj}^{(k-1)} & \text{if } d_{ij}^{(k-1)} > d_{ik}^{(k-1)} + d_{kj}^{(k-1)} \end{cases},$$

Print all-pairs shortest paths

PRINT-ALL-PAIRS-SHORTEST-PATH(Π, i, j)

```
1  if  $i = j$ 
2    then print  $i$ 
3    else if  $\pi_{ij} = \text{NIL}$ 
4        then print “no path from”  $i$  “to”  $j$  “exists”
5        else PRINT-ALL-PAIRS-SHORTEST-PATH( $\Pi, i, \pi_{ij}$ )
6        print  $j$ 
```

Example:



$$D^{(0)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3 & 8 & \infty & -4 \\ \infty & 0 & \infty & 1 & 7 \\ \infty & 4 & 0 & \infty & \infty \\ 2 & \infty & -5 & 0 & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Pi^{(0)} = \begin{pmatrix} NIL & 1 & 1 & NIL & 1 \\ NIL & NIL & NIL & 2 & 2 \\ NIL & 3 & NIL & NIL & NIL \\ 4 & NIL & 4 & NIL & NIL \\ NIL & NIL & NIL & 5 & NIL \end{pmatrix}$$

$$D^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3 & 8 & \infty & -4 \\ \infty & 0 & \infty & 1 & 7 \\ \infty & 4 & 0 & \infty & \infty \\ 2 & 5 & -5 & 0 & -2 \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Pi^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} NIL & 1 & 1 & NIL & 1 \\ NIL & NIL & NIL & 2 & 2 \\ NIL & 3 & NIL & NIL & NIL \\ 4 & 1 & 4 & NIL & 1 \\ NIL & NIL & NIL & 5 & NIL \end{pmatrix}$$



$$\mathbf{D}^{(2)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3 & 8 & 4 & -4 \\ \infty & 0 & \infty & 1 & 7 \\ \infty & 4 & 0 & 5 & 11 \\ 2 & 5 & -5 & 0 & -2 \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{\Pi}^{(2)} = \begin{pmatrix} NIL & 1 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\ NIL & NIL & NIL & 2 & 2 \\ NIL & 3 & NIL & 2 & 2 \\ 4 & 1 & 4 & NIL & 1 \\ NIL & NIL & NIL & 5 & NIL \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{D}^{(3)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3 & 8 & 4 & -4 \\ \infty & 0 & \infty & 1 & 7 \\ \infty & 4 & 0 & 5 & 11 \\ 2 & -1 & -5 & 0 & -2 \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{\Pi}^{(3)} = \begin{pmatrix} NIL & 1 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\ NIL & NIL & NIL & 2 & 2 \\ NIL & 3 & NIL & 2 & 2 \\ 4 & 3 & 4 & NIL & 1 \\ NIL & NIL & NIL & 5 & NIL \end{pmatrix}$$



$$\mathbf{D}^{(4)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3 & -1 & 4 & -4 \\ 3 & 0 & -4 & 1 & -1 \\ 7 & 4 & 0 & 5 & 3 \\ 2 & -1 & -5 & 0 & -2 \\ 8 & 5 & 1 & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

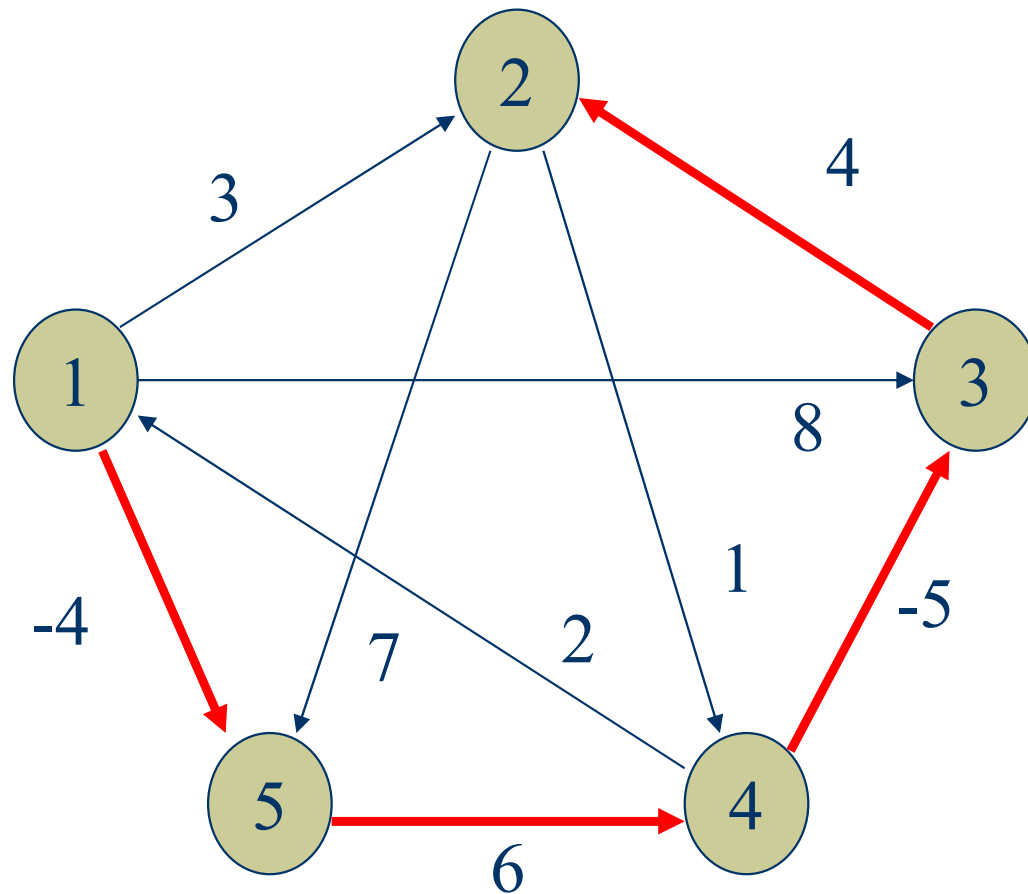
$$\mathbf{\Pi}^{(4)} = \begin{pmatrix} \textit{NIL} & 1 & 4 & 2 & 1 \\ 4 & \textit{NIL} & 4 & 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 3 & \textit{NIL} & 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 3 & 4 & \textit{NIL} & 1 \\ 4 & 3 & 4 & 5 & \textit{NIL} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{D}^{(5)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & -3 & 2 & -4 \\ 3 & 0 & -4 & 1 & -1 \\ 7 & 4 & 0 & 5 & 3 \\ 2 & -1 & -5 & 0 & -2 \\ 8 & 5 & 1 & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{\Pi}^{(5)} = \begin{pmatrix} \textit{NIL} & 3 & 4 & 5 & 1 \\ 4 & \textit{NIL} & 4 & 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 3 & \textit{NIL} & 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 3 & 4 & \textit{NIL} & 1 \\ 4 & 3 & 4 & 5 & \textit{NIL} \end{pmatrix}$$



Shortest path from 1 to 2 in $\Pi^{(5)}$

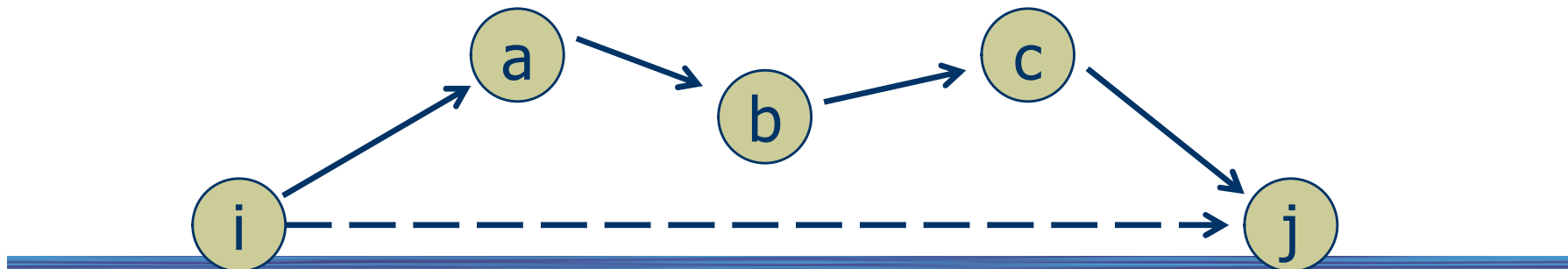


Transitive closure (the problem)

- Find out *whether* there is a path from i to j and compute

$$G^* = (V, E^*),$$

where $E^* = \{(i, j): \text{there is a path from } i \text{ to } j \text{ in } G\}$



Transitive closure

- One way:

set $w_{ij} = 1$ and

run the Floyd-Warshall algorithm

- *running time* $O(n^3)$



transitive closure

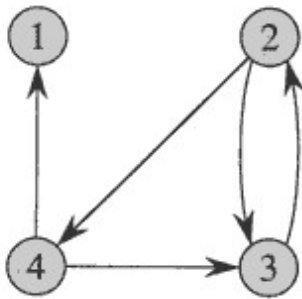
- Another way:
substitute “+” and “min” by AND and OR
in Floyd’s algorithm
 - *running time* $O(n^3)$
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Transitive closure (pseudo-code)

TRANSITIVE-CLOSURE(G)

```
1   $n \leftarrow |V[G]|$ 
2  for  $i \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
3      do for  $j \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
4          do if  $i = j$  or  $(i, j) \in E[G]$ 
5              then  $t_{ij}^{(0)} \leftarrow 1$ 
6              else  $t_{ij}^{(0)} \leftarrow 0$ 
7  for  $k \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
8      do for  $i \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
9          do for  $j \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ 
10             do  $t_{ij}^{(k)} \leftarrow t_{ij}^{(k-1)} \vee (t_{ik}^{(k-1)} \wedge t_{kj}^{(k-1)})$ 
11  return  $T^{(n)}$ 
```

Transitive closure



$$T^{(0)} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad T^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad T^{(2)} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$T^{(3)} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad T^{(4)} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Figure 25.5 A directed graph and the matrices $T^{(k)}$ computed by the transitive-closure algorithm.

Table of running times

algorithm	running time
Dijkstra's	$O(n^2 \log n + nm)$
Bellman-Ford	$O(n^2 m)$
matrix multiplication	$O(n^4)$
improved matrix mult.	$O(n^3 \log n)$
Floyd-Warshall	$O(n^3)$
Johnson's	$O(n^2 \log n + nm)$
Transitive closure	$O(n^3)$

Homework

- 25.2-1 (not compulsory)
 - 25.2-5
 - 25.2-8
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