

# Project #3: Router

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This project will be in Python, but based closely on the authors' assignment:

[Implementing a Distributed, Asynchronous Distance Vector Routing Algorithm](https://media.pearsoncmg.com/aw/aw_kurose_network_3/labs/lab6/lab6.html)

([https://media.pearsoncmg.com/aw/aw\\_kurose\\_network\\_3/labs/lab6/lab6.html](https://media.pearsoncmg.com/aw/aw_kurose_network_3/labs/lab6/lab6.html))

Follow the instructions for the Java version of the assignment, but do it in Python. There may be a few small changes in names, etc., but go by what's in the python zip file provided here: [p3.zip](#)

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Note that you may only modify `student_entities.py` and that is the **only** file you hand in here on Canvas.



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the submitted file that you are claiming it. Extra credit is only granted on projects that have a score of 70 or above on the basic assignment.

This assignment is now finalized and complete.

To run the program invoke `project.py` and answer the prompts.

Here is the beginning of a run with a correct solution:

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```
/Library/Frameworks/Python.framework/Versions/3.11/bin/python3 /Users/klundeen/Library/CloudStorage/OneDrive-SeattleUniversity/SeattleU/CPSC551
Network Simulator v1.0
Enter trace level (>= 0): [0]
Trace level set to 0
Will the link change (Yes/No)? [No]
Link will change: No
Enter random seed: [random]
Random seed: 40199157557755

Simulator started at t = 0.0

entity 0: initializing
node: 0
[0, 1, 3, 7]
[inf, inf, inf, inf]
[inf, inf, inf, inf]
[inf, inf, inf, inf]

entity 1: initializing
node: 1
[inf, inf, inf, inf]
[1, 0, 1, inf]
[inf, inf, inf, inf]
[inf, inf, inf, inf]

entity 2: initializing
node: 2
[inf, inf, inf, inf]
[inf, inf, inf, inf]
[3, 1, 0, 2]
[inf, inf, inf, inf]

entity 3: initializing
node: 3
[inf, inf, inf, inf]
[inf, inf, inf, inf]
[inf, inf, inf, inf]
[7, inf, 2, 0]

node 0: update from 1 received
changes based on update
node: 0
[0, 1, 2, 7]
[1, 0, 1, inf]
[inf, inf, inf, inf]
[inf, inf, inf, inf]

sending mincost updates to neighbors
node 2: update from 1 received
changes based on update
node: 2
[inf, inf, inf, inf]
[1, 0, 1, inf]
[2, 1, 0, 2]
[inf, inf, inf, inf]
```

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and here is the end of that run a few moments later:

```
[1, 0, 1, 3]
[2, 1, 0, 2]
[5, 3, 2, 0]
```

```
node 0: update from 3 received
  no changes in node 0, so nothing to do
node: 0
[0, 1, 2, 4]
[1, 0, 1, 3]
[2, 1, 0, 2]
[4, 3, 2, 0]
```

```
node 2: update from 3 received
  no changes in node 2, so nothing to do
node: 2
[0, 1, 2, 4]
[1, 0, 1, 3]
[2, 1, 0, 2]
[5, 3, 2, 0]
```

```
node 1: update from 0 received
  no changes in node 1, so nothing to do
node: 1
[0, 1, 2, 4]
[1, 0, 1, 3]
[2, 1, 0, 2]
[inf, inf, inf, inf]
```

```
node 3: update from 0 received
  no changes in node 3, so nothing to do
node: 3
[0, 1, 2, 7]
[inf, inf, inf, inf]
[2, 1, 0, 2]
[4, 3, 2, 0]
```

```
node 2: update from 3 received
  no changes in node 2, so nothing to do
node: 2
[0, 1, 2, 4]
[1, 0, 1, 3]
[2, 1, 0, 2]
[4, 3, 2, 0]
```

```
node 3: update from 0 received
  no changes in node 3, so nothing to do
node: 3
[0, 1, 2, 4]
[inf, inf, inf, inf]
[2, 1, 0, 2]
[4, 3, 2, 0]
```

Simulator terminated at t = 24.366285208120345 -- no packets in medium.

Process finished with exit code 0

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## Version

- Last updated: 25-May-2023 - uploaded a new p3.zip with code for extra credit fixed: added line 38 in network\_simulator.py:

```
NetworkSimulator.event_list.add(Event(20000.0, LINK_CHANGE, 0))
```

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This assignment includes extra credit. Please note that 2 versions of `common_link_cost_change` are implemented. Both versions are functional. The regular version does not use routing table (at a given node, for each the graph,

where the next hop (must be one of the neighbors) should be).

Version #2 does use routing table.

By default, regular version will be called to execute the assignment you wish to

try out version #2, please simply go into each class to call the corresponding version #2 of

functions.

`COST/graph` is included as global variable to reduce the length of code. This allows

me to move most initialization codes to `common_init`. Please note that `ONLY` has

access to its corresponding cost vector (DV). For example, node 0 can access `cost[0]`!

NOTE: rarely, when version #2 is executed, node0's final answer when it is changed from

20 to 1 (at the bottom of the console output) can be printed in the console. This is due

to the randomness of Async nature of this algo based on my observation and debugging.

To be specific, node0's right answer can be printed before the last appearance on the

console output. This happens very rarely and if it does happen, feel free to restart the program.

This will always fix the problem. Again, this is due to the randomness because of

any error associated with the implementation.

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