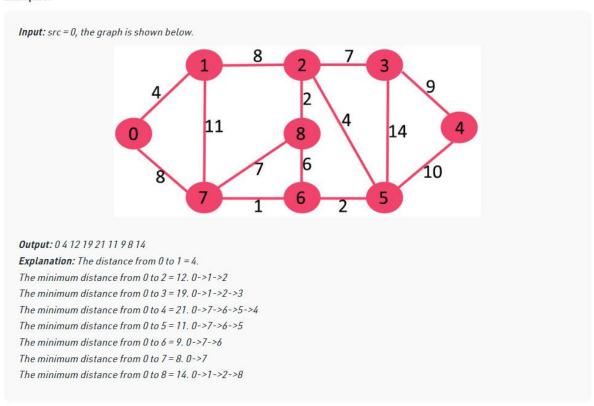
## **DIJKSTRA ALGORITHM**

Problem Statement: Given a graph and a source vertex in the graph, find the shortest paths from the source to all vertices in the given graph.

## Examples:



Follow the steps below to solve the problem:

- Create a set sptSet (shortest path tree set) that keeps track of vertices included in the shortest-path tree, i.e., whose minimum distance from the source is calculated and finalized. Initially, this set is empty.
- Assign a distance value to all vertices in the input graph. Initialize all
  distance values as INFINITE. Assign the distance value as 0 for the source
  vertex so that it is picked first.
- While sptSet doesn't include all vertices
  - Pick a vertex u which is not there in sptSet and has a minimum distance value.
  - Include u to sptSet.
  - Then update distance value of all adjacent vertices of u.
    - To update the distance values, iterate through all adjacent vertices.
    - For every adjacent vertex v, if the sum of the distance value of u (from source) and weight of edge u-v, is

less than the distance value of v, then update the distance value of v.

Note: We use a boolean array sptSet[] to represent the set of vertices included in SPT. If a value sptSet[v] is true, then vertex v is included in SPT, otherwise not. Array dist[] is used to store the shortest distance values of all vertices.

Explanation: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Gd92jSu\_cZk">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Gd92jSu\_cZk</a>