

Lecture 10: Graph Algorithms (IV)

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HW2 Due Today through Email

□ Sample result

	Graph1	Graph2	Graph3	Graph4	Graph5	Graph6	Graph7	Graph8	Graph9	Graph10
Dijkstra Priority Queue	52ms	104ms	37ms	157ms	178ms	187ms	149ms	226ms	212ms	289ms
Dijkstra Min Heap	53ms	88ms	36ms	185ms	170ms	174ms	130ms	227ms	197ms	256ms
SPFA Queue	39ms	56ms	16ms	85ms	113ms	115ms	93ms	129ms	108ms	160ms
SPFA Stack	1005ms	5359ms	2238ms	27218ms	4600ms	10107ms	3579ms	24683ms	23578ms	30028ms

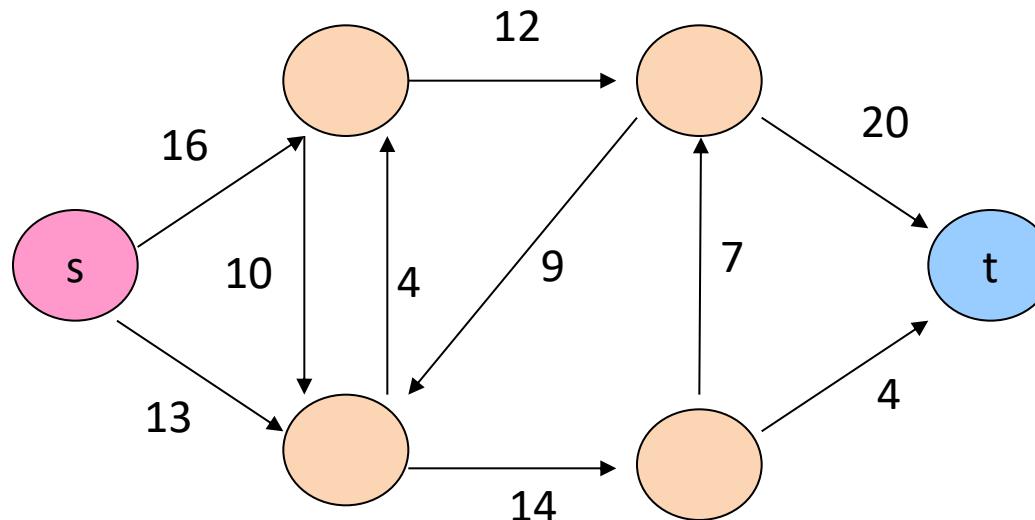
□ What is the lesson we learned?

- BFS-styled propagation works for problems with:
 - Optimal substructure
 - Wavefront computing patterns
- In shortest path, we maintain wavefront
 - Relaxation: $d[u] + w(u, v) < d[v]$

Recap: Maximum Flow Problem

□ Network flow problem

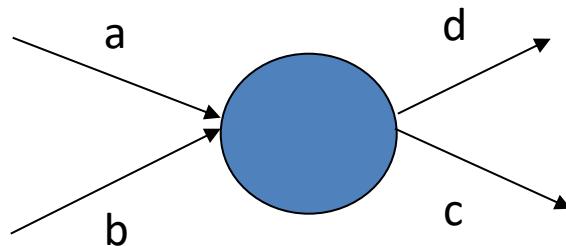
- A **flow network** $G=(V,E)$: a directed graph, where each edge $(u,v) \in E$ has a nonnegative **capacity** $c(u,v) \geq 0$.
- If $(u,v) \notin E$, we can assume that $c(u,v)=0$.
- two distinct vertices :a **source** s and a **sink** t .



Flow Constraint

- **$G=(V,E)$: a flow network with capacity function c .**
- **s -- the source and t -- the sink.**
- **A flow $f(u, v)$ in G must satisfy**
 1. **Capacity constraint**
 - For all $u, v \in V$, we require $f(u, v) \leq c(u, v)$.
 2. **Flow conservation**
 - For all $u \in V - \{s, t\}$, we require

$$\sum_{e.in.v} f(e) = \sum_{e.out.v} f(e)$$



$$a+b = d+c$$

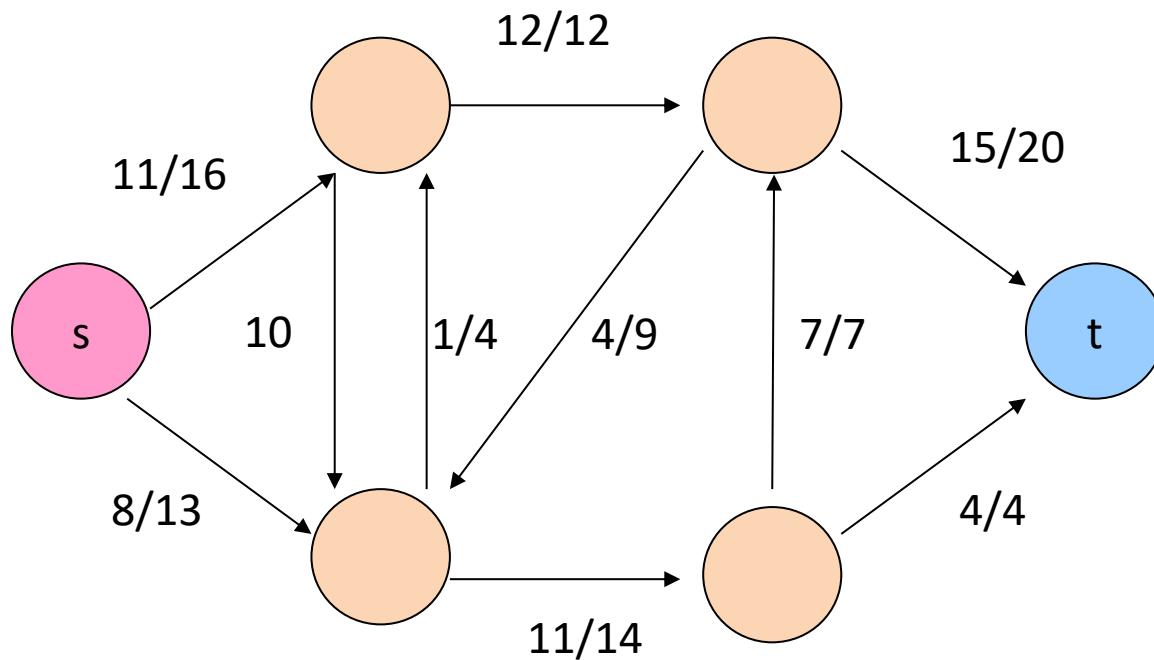
Objective

- The quantity $f(u, v)$ is called the **net flow** from vertex u to vertex v .
- The **value** of a flow is defined as

$$|f| = \sum_{v \in V} f(s, v)$$

- The total flow from source to any other vertices.
- The same as the total flow from any vertices to **the sink**.

Example



A flow f in G with value $|f| = 19$

Method to Compute Maximum Flow

FORD-FULKERSON-FRAMEWORK(G, s, t)

initialize flow f to 0

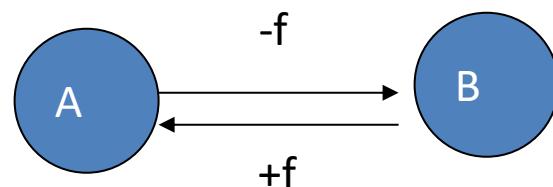
while there exists an *augmenting* path p

do *augment* flow f along p

return f

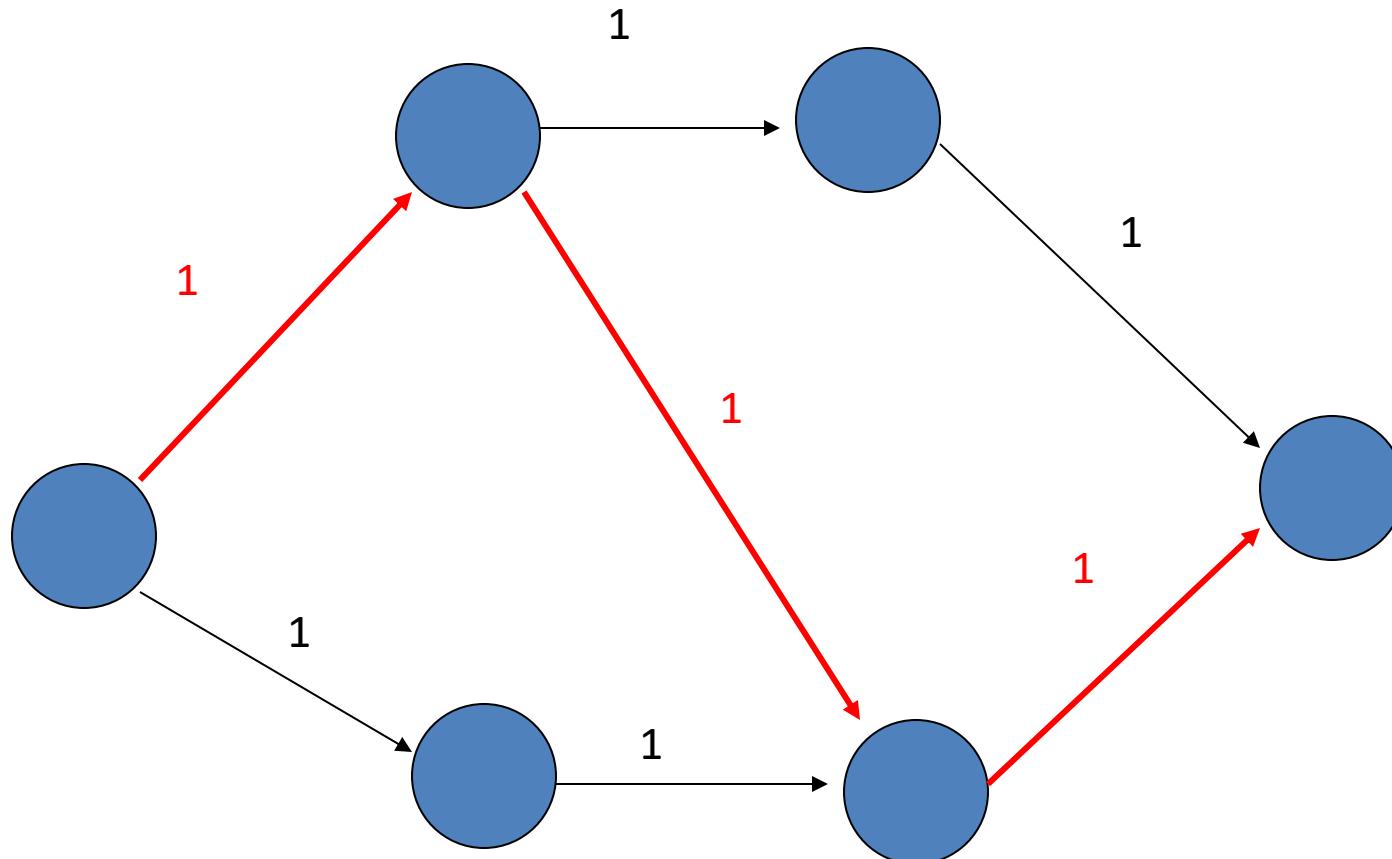
Residual Network

- Residual network defines edges to admit net flow
 - The amount of additional net flow from u to v before exceeding the capacity $c(u,v)$ is the **residual capacity** of (u,v) , given by:
 - In the regular direction: $c_f(u,v) = c(u,v) - f(u,v)$
 - In the opposite direction: $c_f(v, u) = c(v, u) + f(u, v)$.
- If you flow f from A to B
 - Subtract the regular direction capacity from f
 - Add f to the opposite direction capacity



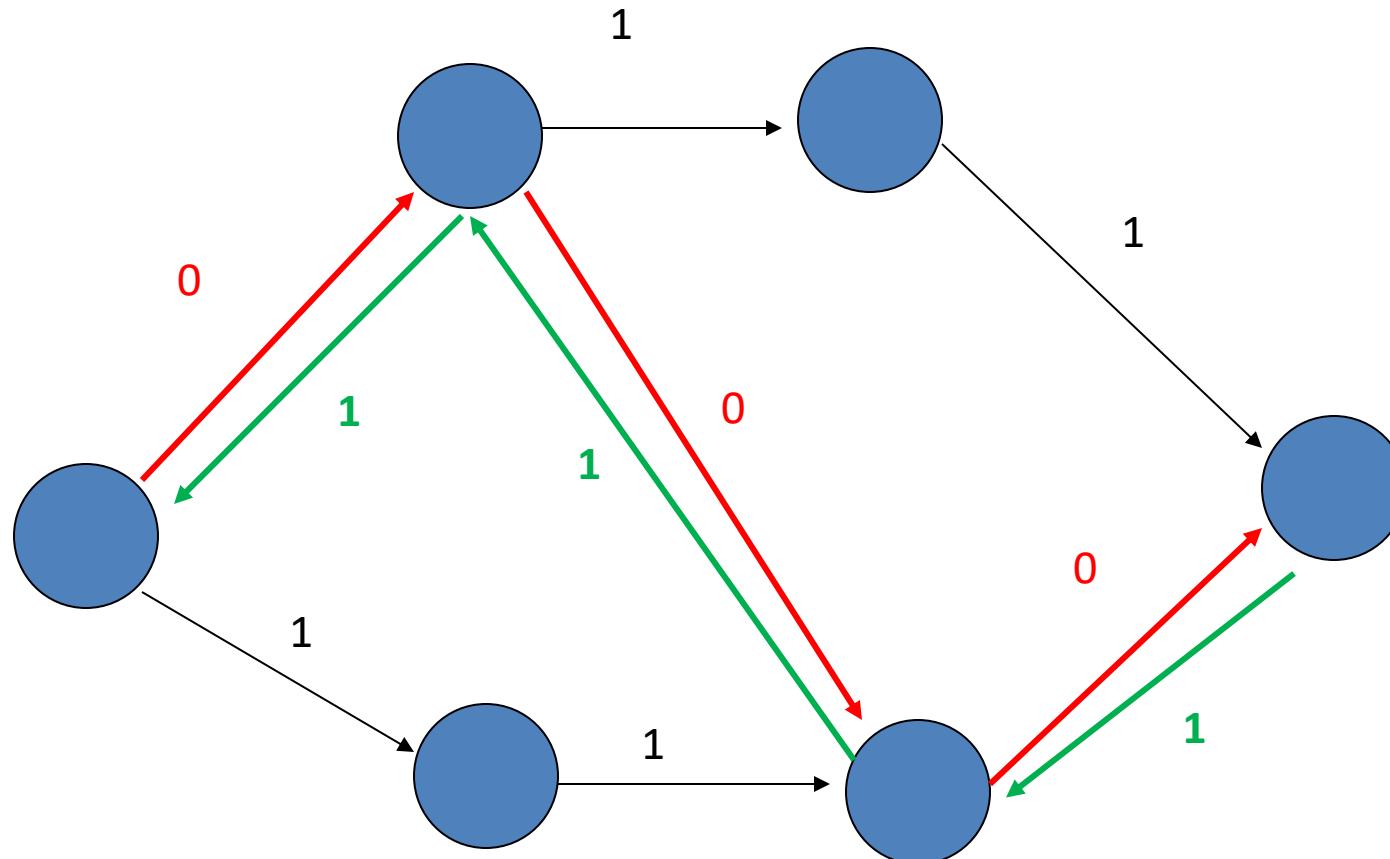
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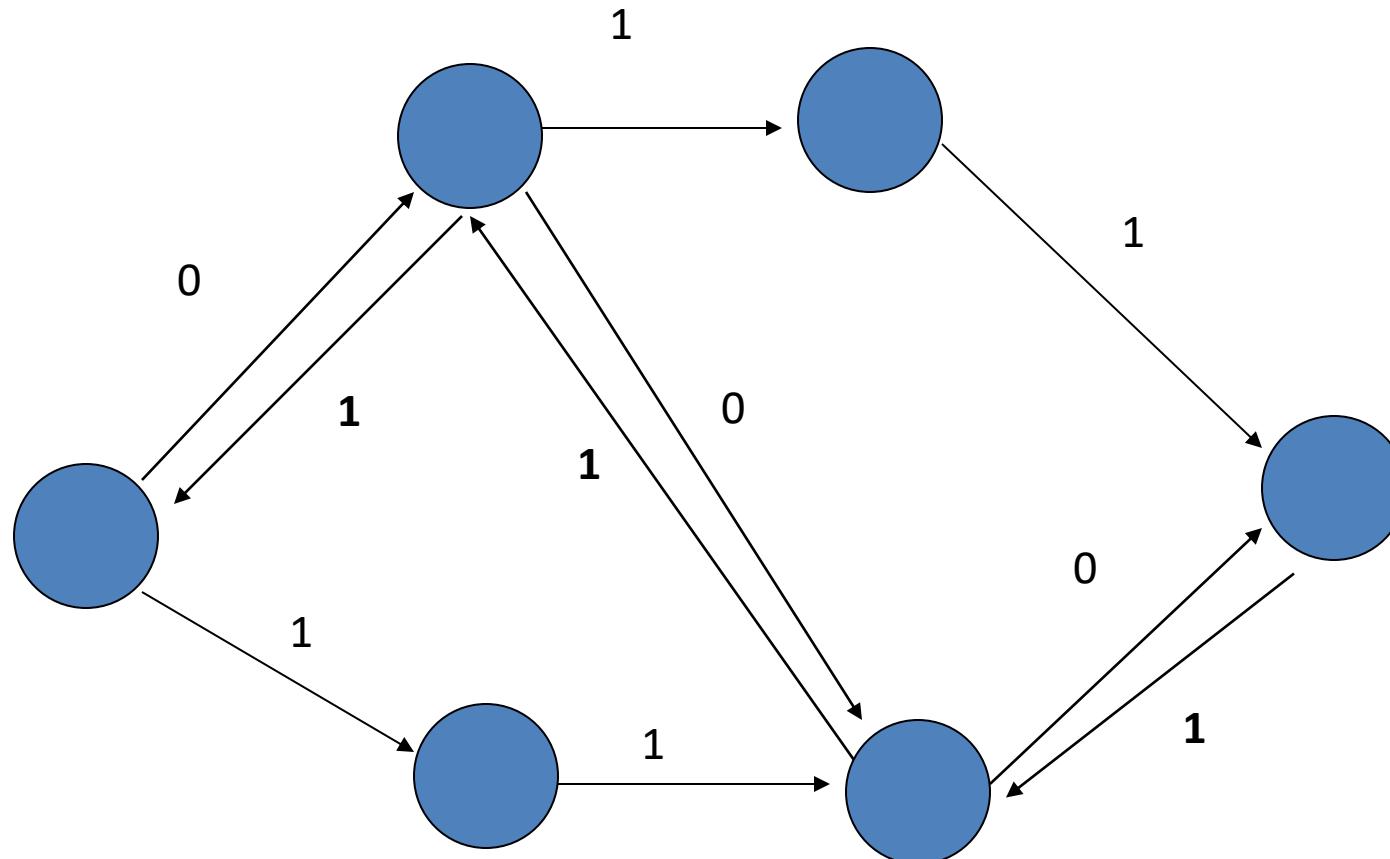
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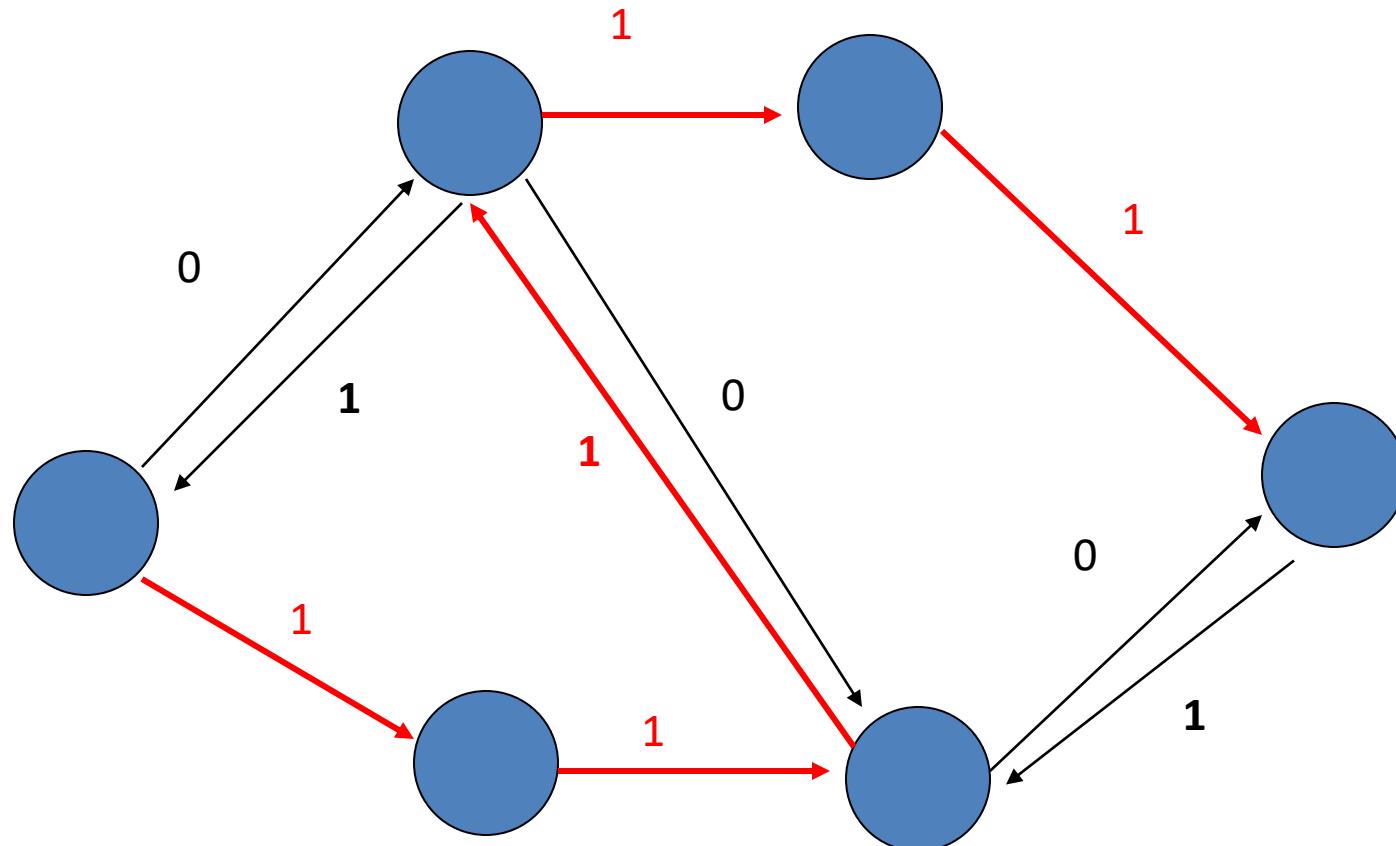
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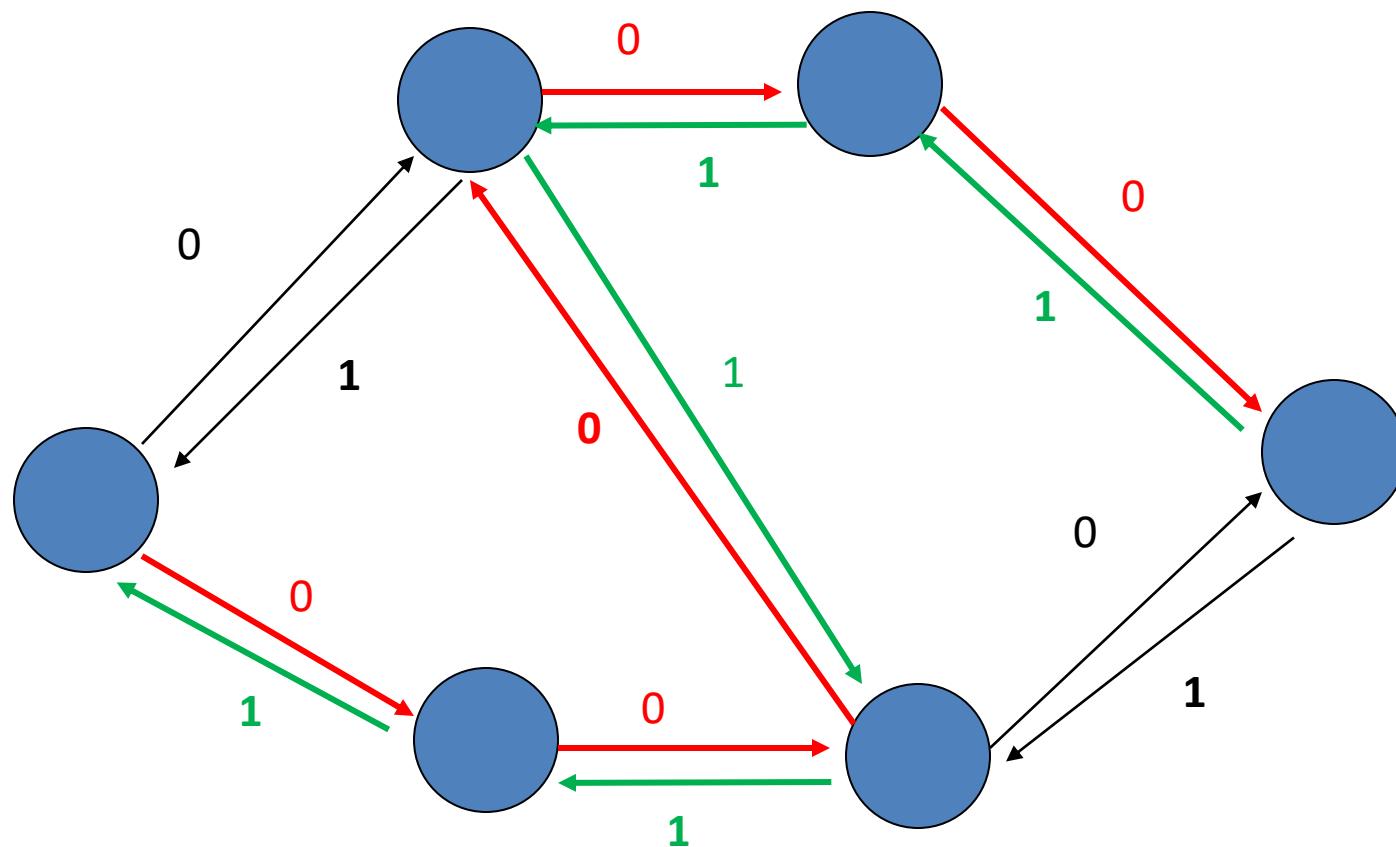
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- DFS augments another unit flow in the second iter



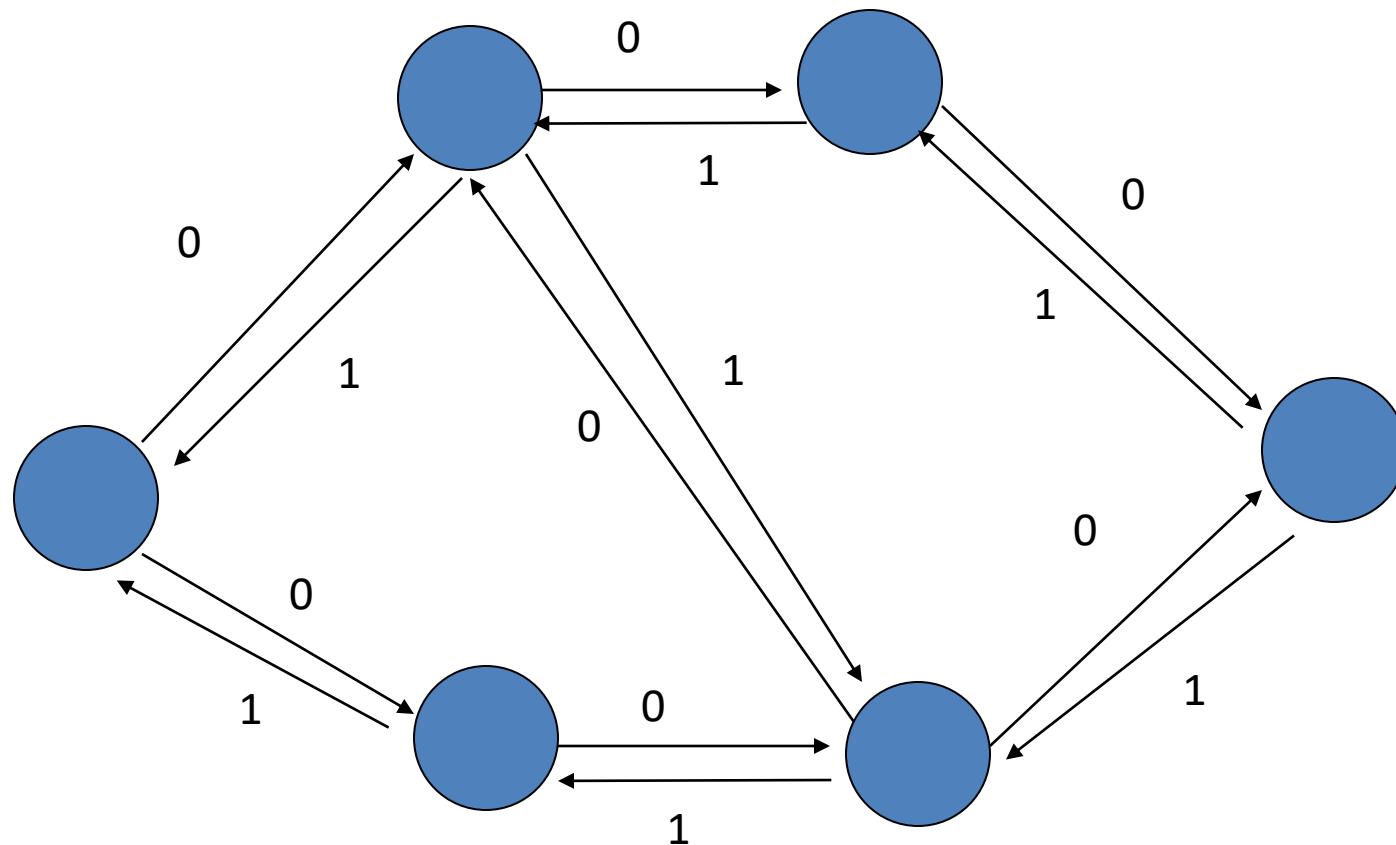
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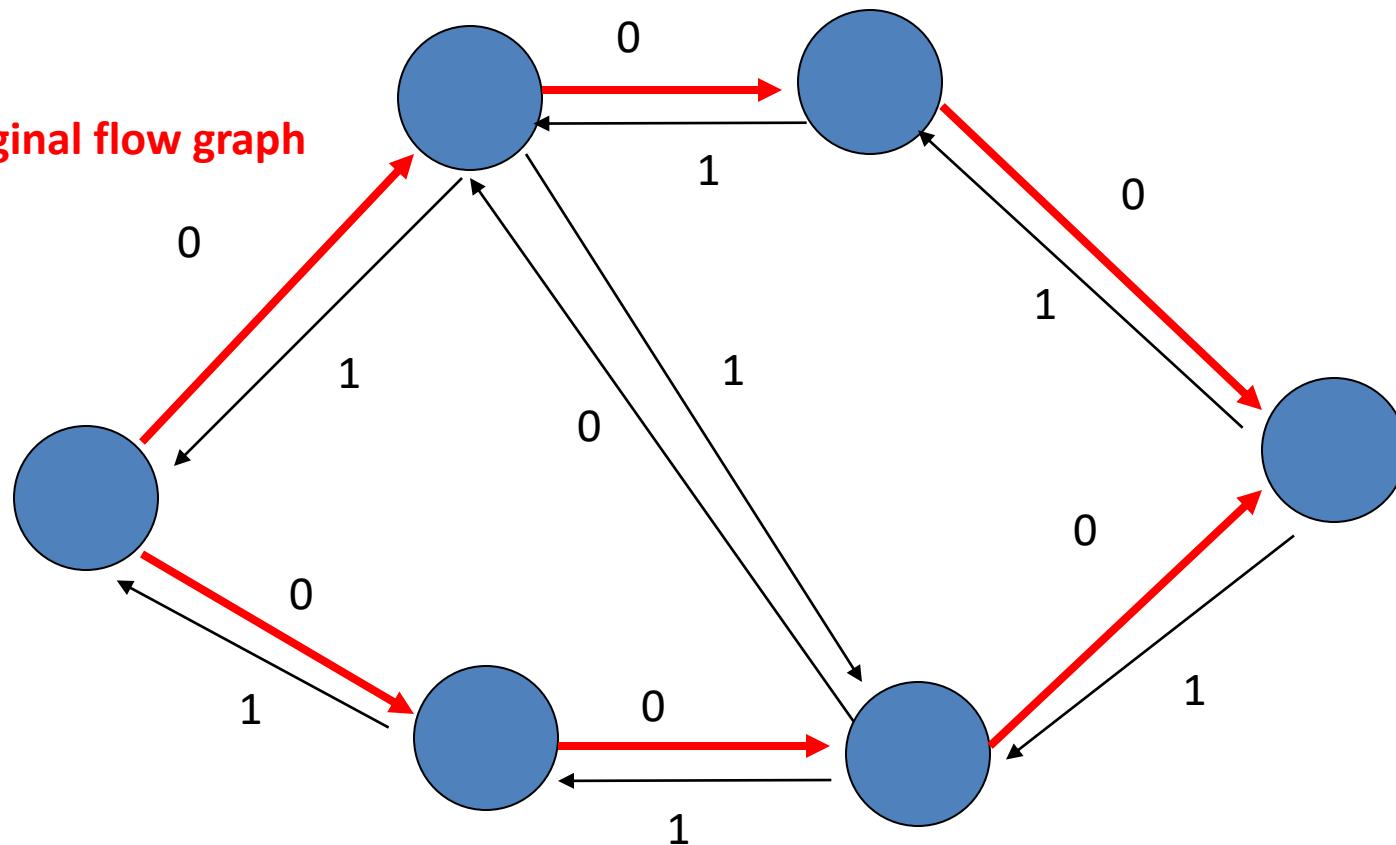
□ Maximum flow: 2



Example

- Residual network gives us a way to circle flow back

The original flow graph



Push-Relabel Algorithm

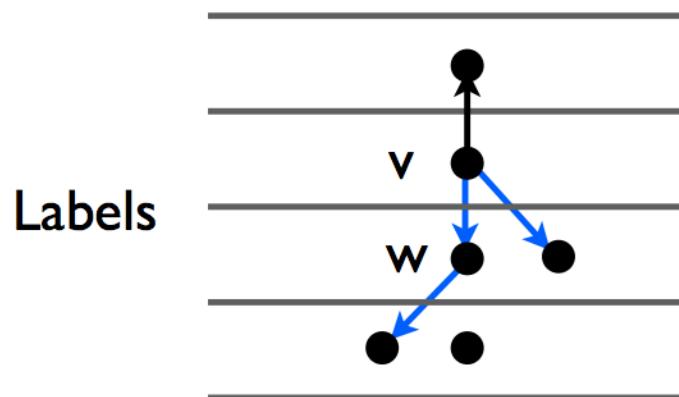
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    while there exists an augmenting path  $p$ 
        do augment flow  $f$  along  $p$ 
    return  $f$ 
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□ Main idea

- Don't want complexity to depend on the max flow value
- Each node has a label $h[v]$ of a potential (or height)
- Route flow from high to low potential

□ We augment a flow "downhill" (blue edge)

- $h[u] \rightarrow h[v]$ if there is "flowable" units from u



Push-Relabel Algorithm Terminology

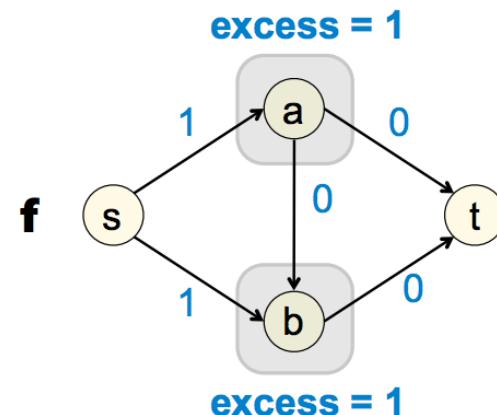
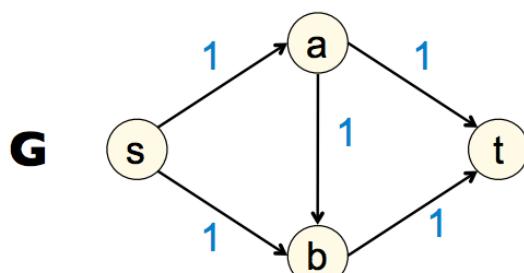
Preflow: A function $f: E \rightarrow R$ is a preflow if:

1. **Capacity Constraints:** $0 \leq f(e) \leq c(e)$
2. Instead of conservation constraints:

$$\sum_{e \text{ into } v} f(e) - \sum_{e \text{ out of } v} f(e) \geq 0$$

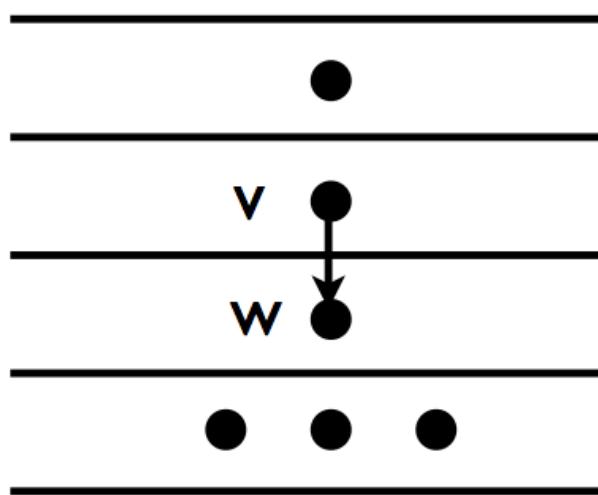
$$\text{Excess}(v) = \sum_{e \text{ into } v} f(e) - \sum_{e \text{ out of } v} f(e)$$

Example



Iterate Two Operations

- **Push(v, w): applies if $\text{excess}(v) > 0$, $h(w) < h(v)$**
 - $f = \min(\text{excess}(v), c_f(v, w))$
 - Add f to $f(v, w)$ and update residual network
- **Relabel(v): applies if $\text{excess}(v) > 0$ and no $h(w) < h(v)$**
 - Increase $h(v)$ by 1



Algorithm (V. Goldberg and R. Tarjan)

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While there is a node (other than t) with positive excess

Pick a node v with $\text{excess}(v) > 0$

If there is an edge (v, w) in E_f such that $\text{push}(v, w)$ can be applied

Push(v, w)

Else

Relabel(v)

Push(v, w): Applies if $\text{excess}(v) > 0, h(w) < h(v), (v, w)$ in E_f

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Add q to $f(v, w)$

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Increase $h(v)$ by 1

Two Giants ...

Andrew V. Goldberg

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

Andrew Vladislav Goldberg (born 1960) is an American computer scientist working primarily on design, analysis, and experimental evaluation of algorithms. He also worked on mechanism design, computer systems, and complexity theory.^[2] Currently he is a Senior Principal Scientist at Amazon.com.

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Education and career [edit]

Goldberg did his undergraduate studies at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, graduating in 1982. After earning a master's degree at the University of California, Berkeley, he returned to MIT, finishing his doctorate there in 1987 with a thesis on the *Efficient graph algorithms for sequential and parallel computers*^[3] supervised by Charles E. Leiserson.^{[G87][1]}

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Andrew Goldberg Robert Tarjan

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

Robert Endre Tarjan (born April 30, 1948) is an American computer scientist and mathematician.

He is the discoverer of several graph algorithms, including Tarjan's off-line lowest common ancestors algorithm, and co-inventor of both splay trees and Fibonacci heaps. Tarjan is currently the James S. McDonnell Distinguished University Professor of Computer Science at Princeton University, and the Chief Scientist at Intertrust Technologies Corporation.^[1]

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Early life and education [edit]

He was born in Pomona, California. His father was a child psychiatrist specializing in mental retardation, and ran a state hospital.^[2] As a child, Tarjan read a lot of science fiction, and wanted to be an astronomer. He became interested in mathematics after reading Martin Gardner's mathematical games column in *Scientific American*. He became seriously interested in math in the eighth grade, thanks to a "very stimulating" teacher.^[3]

While he was in high school, Tarjan got a job, where he worked IBM punch card collators. He first worked with real computers while studying astronomy at the Summer Science Program in 1964.^[2]

Tarjan obtained a Bachelor's degree in mathematics from the California Institute of Technology in 1969. At Stanford University, he received his master's degree in computer science in 1971 and a Ph.D. in computer science (with a minor in mathematics) in 1972. At Stanford, he was supervised by

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Robert Endre Tarjan



Born	April 30, 1948 (age 71)
Citizenship	American
Alma mater	California Institute of Technology (BS) Stanford University (MS, PhD)
Known for	Algorithms and data structures
Awards	Paris Kanellakis Award (1999) Turing Award (1986)

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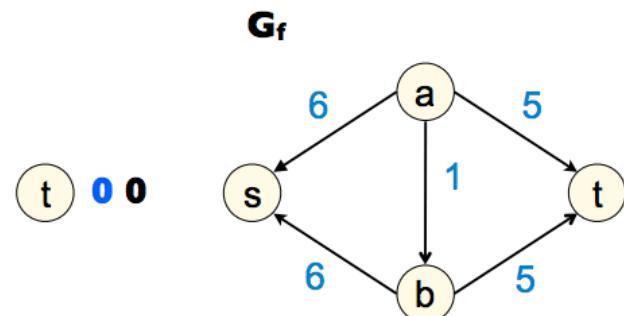
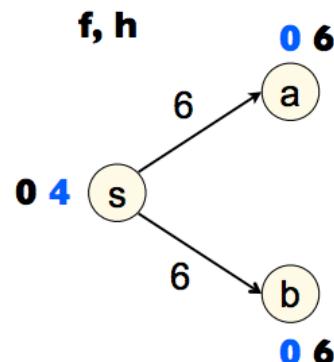
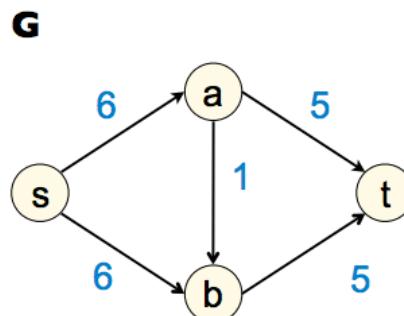
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Labels

Excesses

Preflow from source and select a in iteration 1

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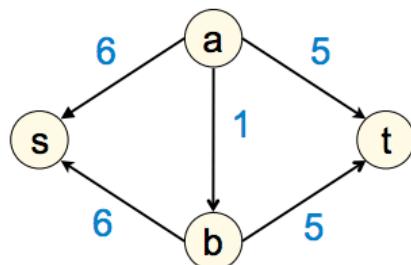
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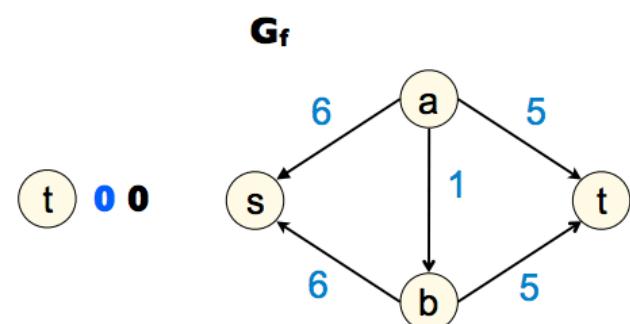
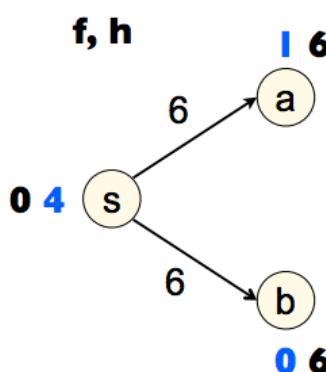
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G_f (before)



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Relabel(a) to increase $h[a]$ by one

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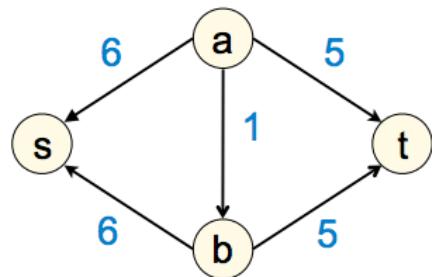
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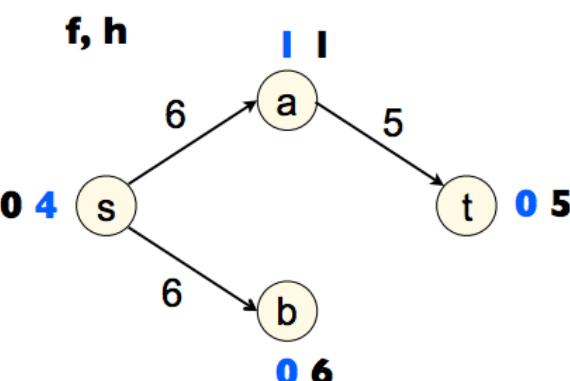
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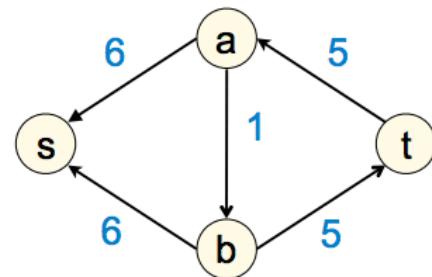
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Push(a, t) to add 5 flow along a → t

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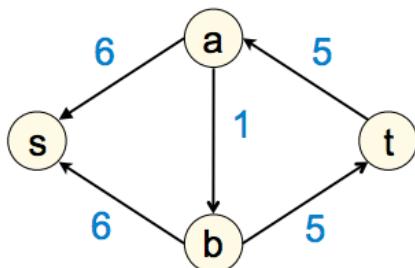
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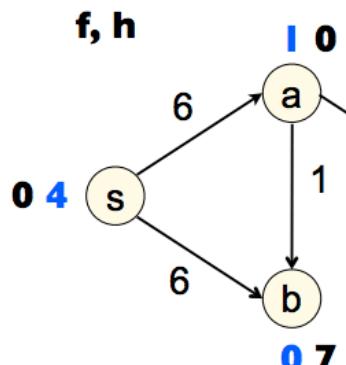
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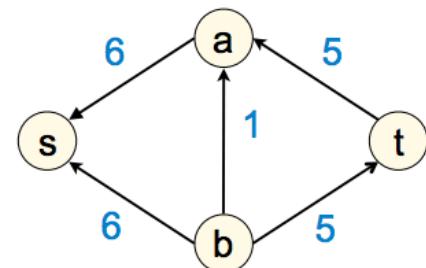
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Push(a, b) to add 1 flow along $a \rightarrow b$

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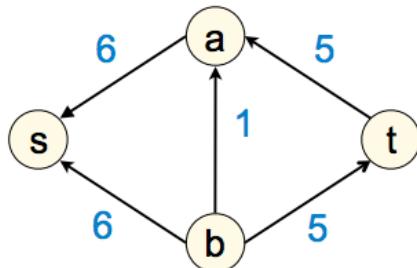
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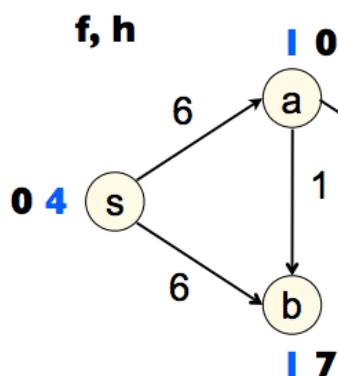
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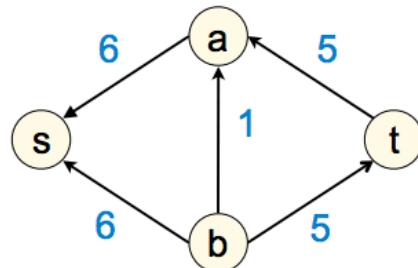
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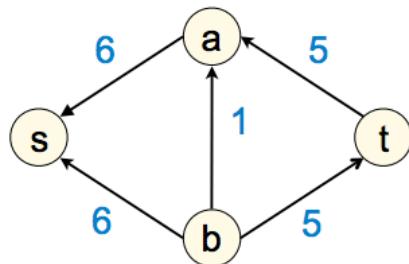
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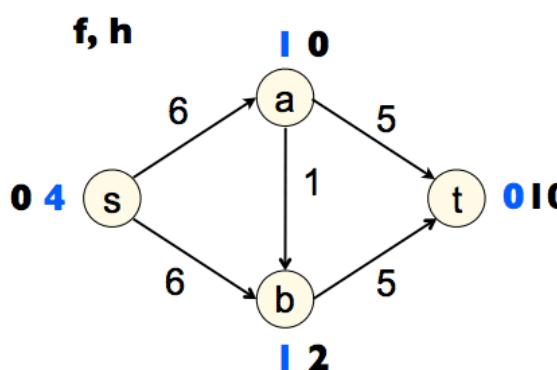
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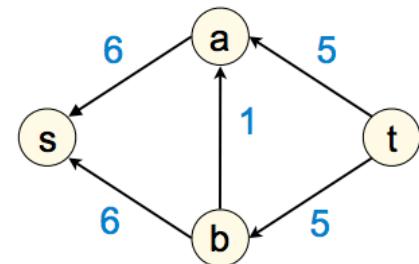
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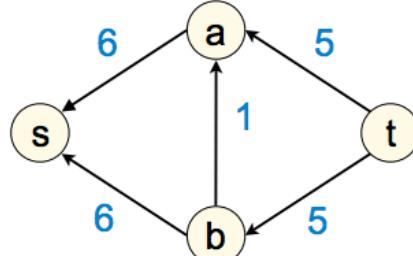
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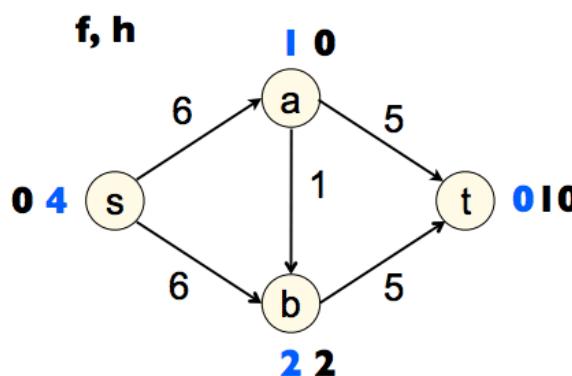
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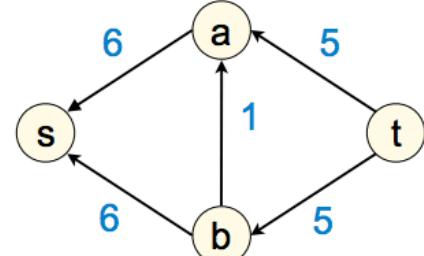
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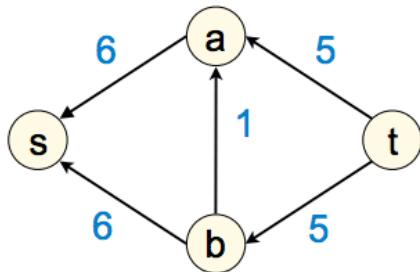
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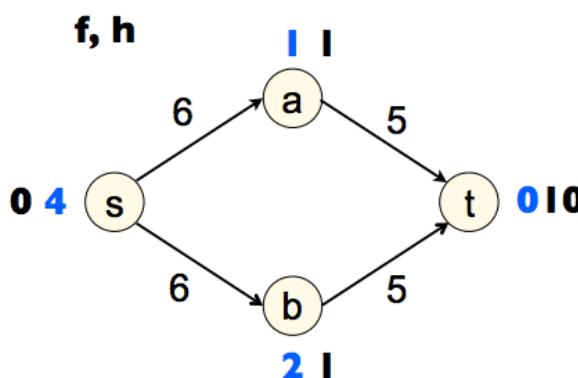
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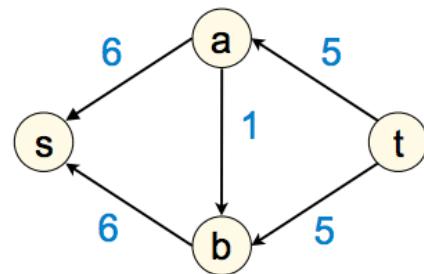
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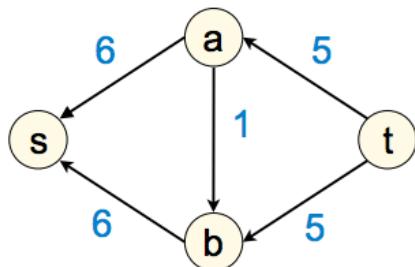
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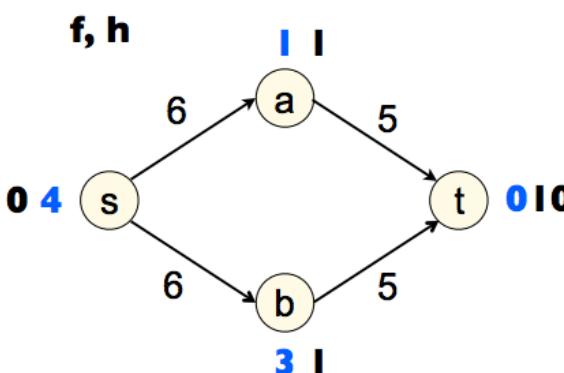
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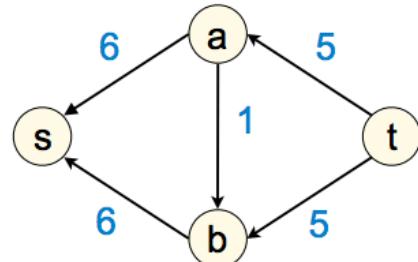
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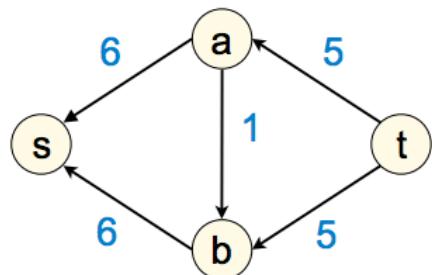
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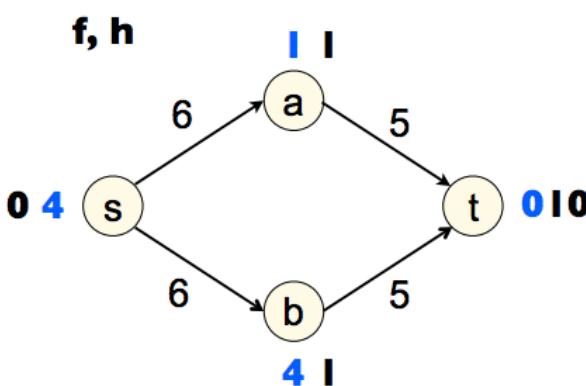
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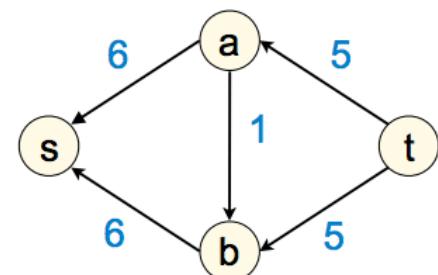
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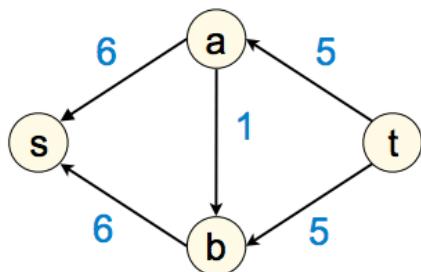
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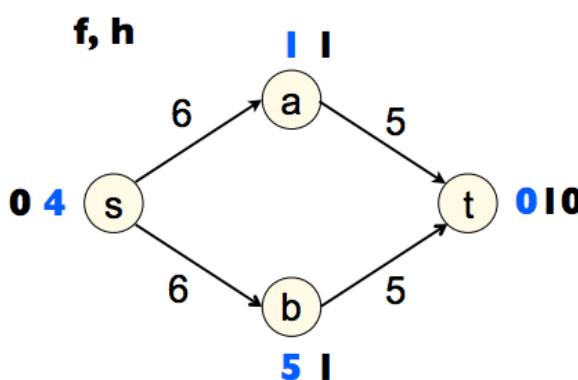
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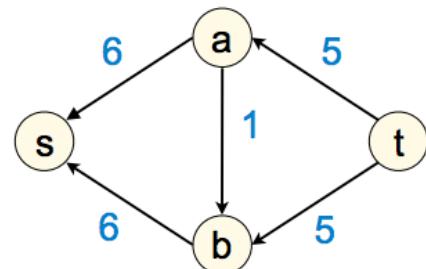
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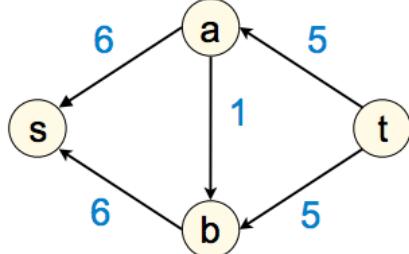
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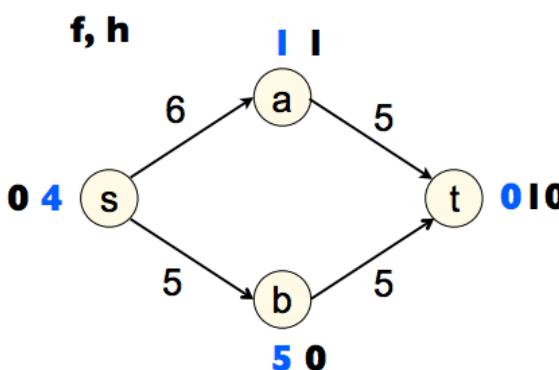
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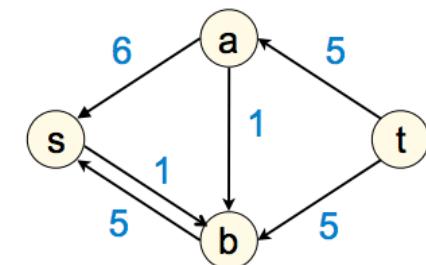


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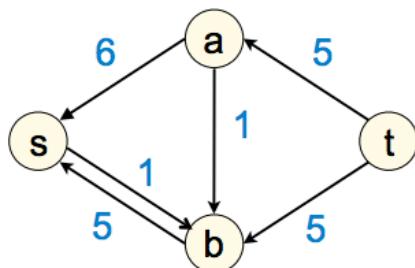
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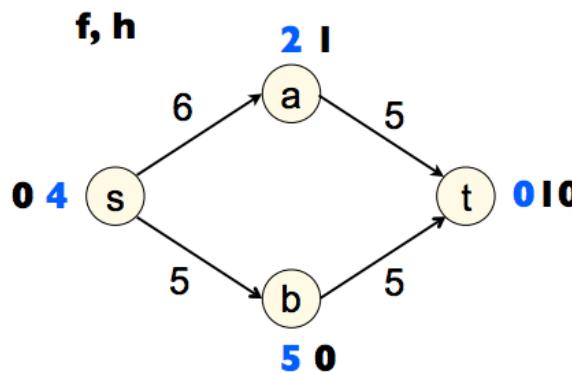
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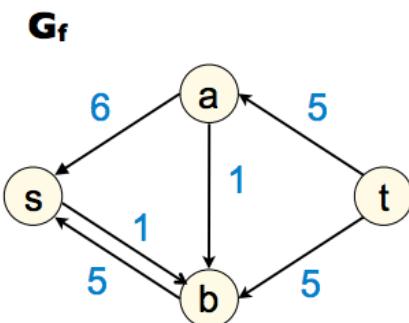


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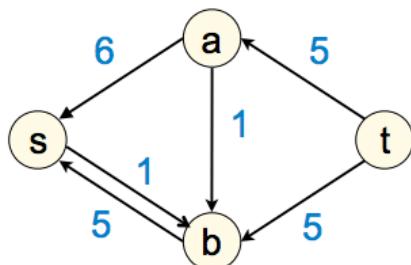
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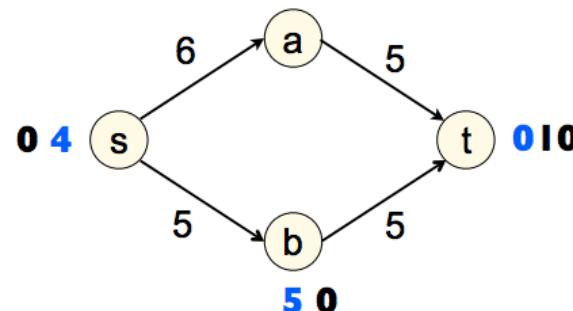
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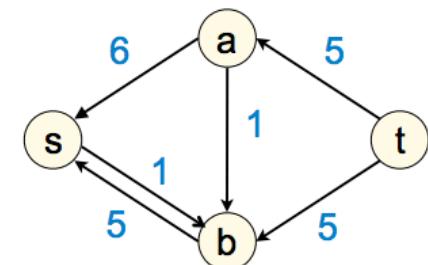
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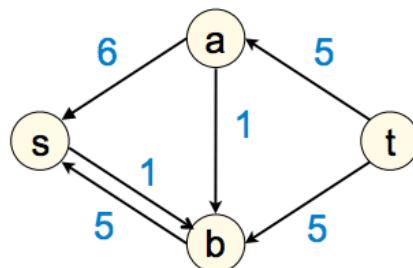
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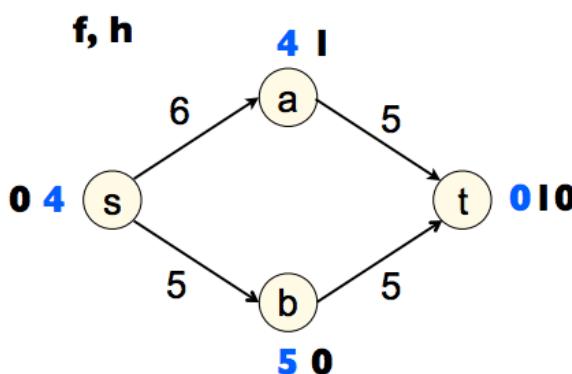
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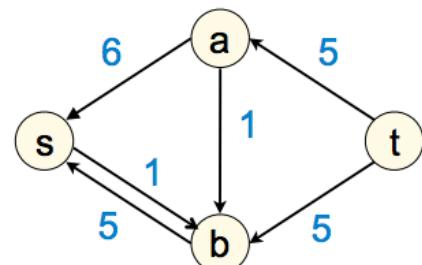
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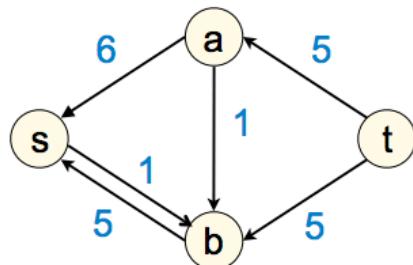
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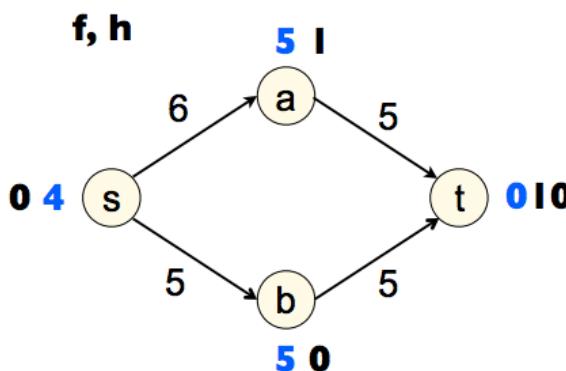
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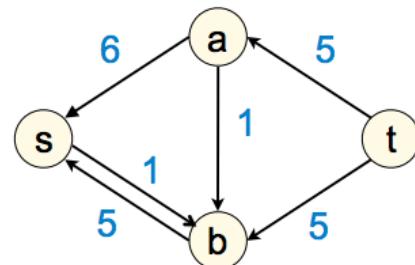


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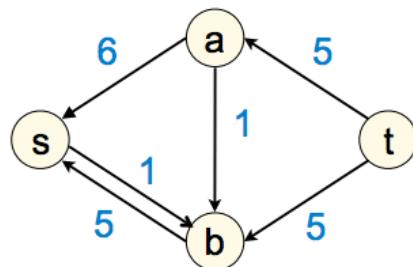
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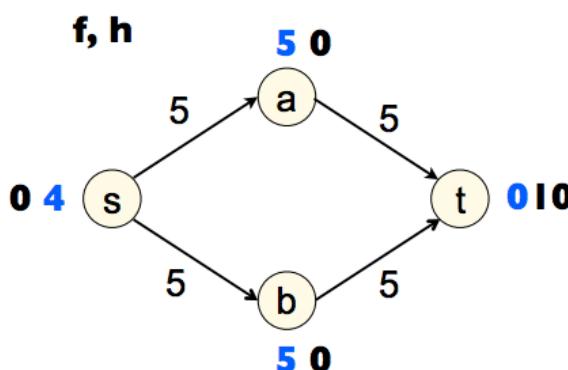
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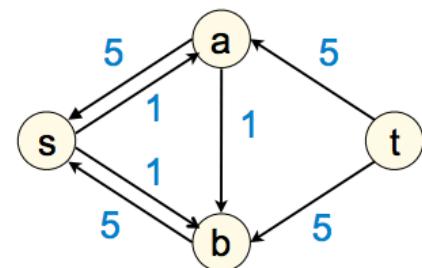


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Time Complexity

- How many push/relabel operations?
 - Bound the maximum value of $h(v)$ for any node v
 - Bound the number of relabel operations

Min-cost Flow

Goal: Build a **cheapest** network that satisfies the flow constraint

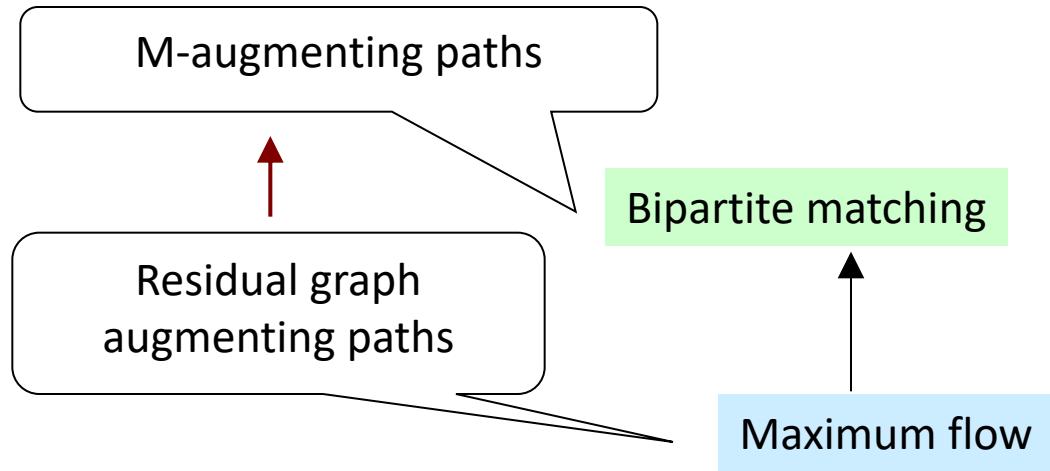
Input:

- ⊕ A directed graph G
- ⊕ A source vertex s
- ⊕ A sink vertex t
- ⊕ A capacity function c on the edges, i.e. $c: E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$
- ⊕ A cost function w on the edges, i.e. $w: E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

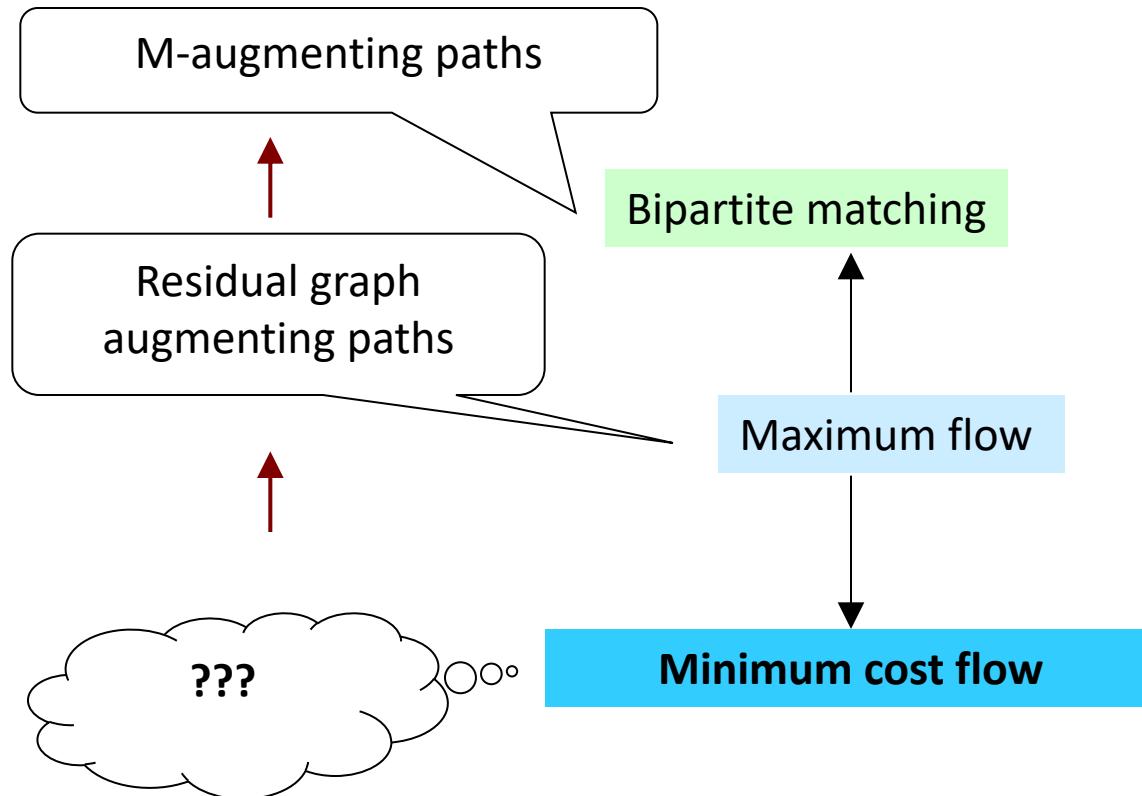
Output: a **maximum $s-t$ flow f** which **minimizes** $\sum f(e) w(e)$

Concept: There can exist multiple maxflow solutions and we want to find the one with the minimum cost

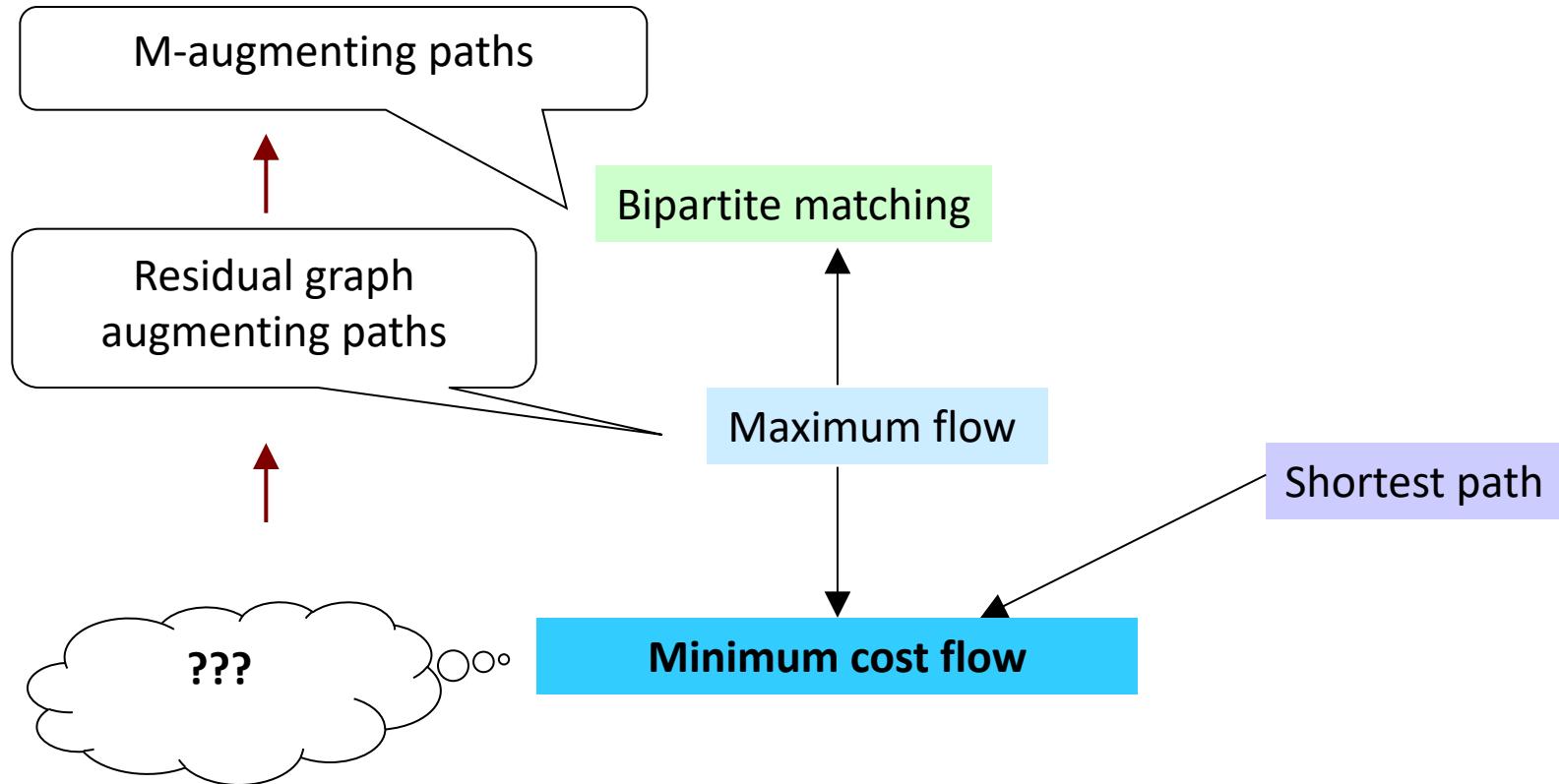
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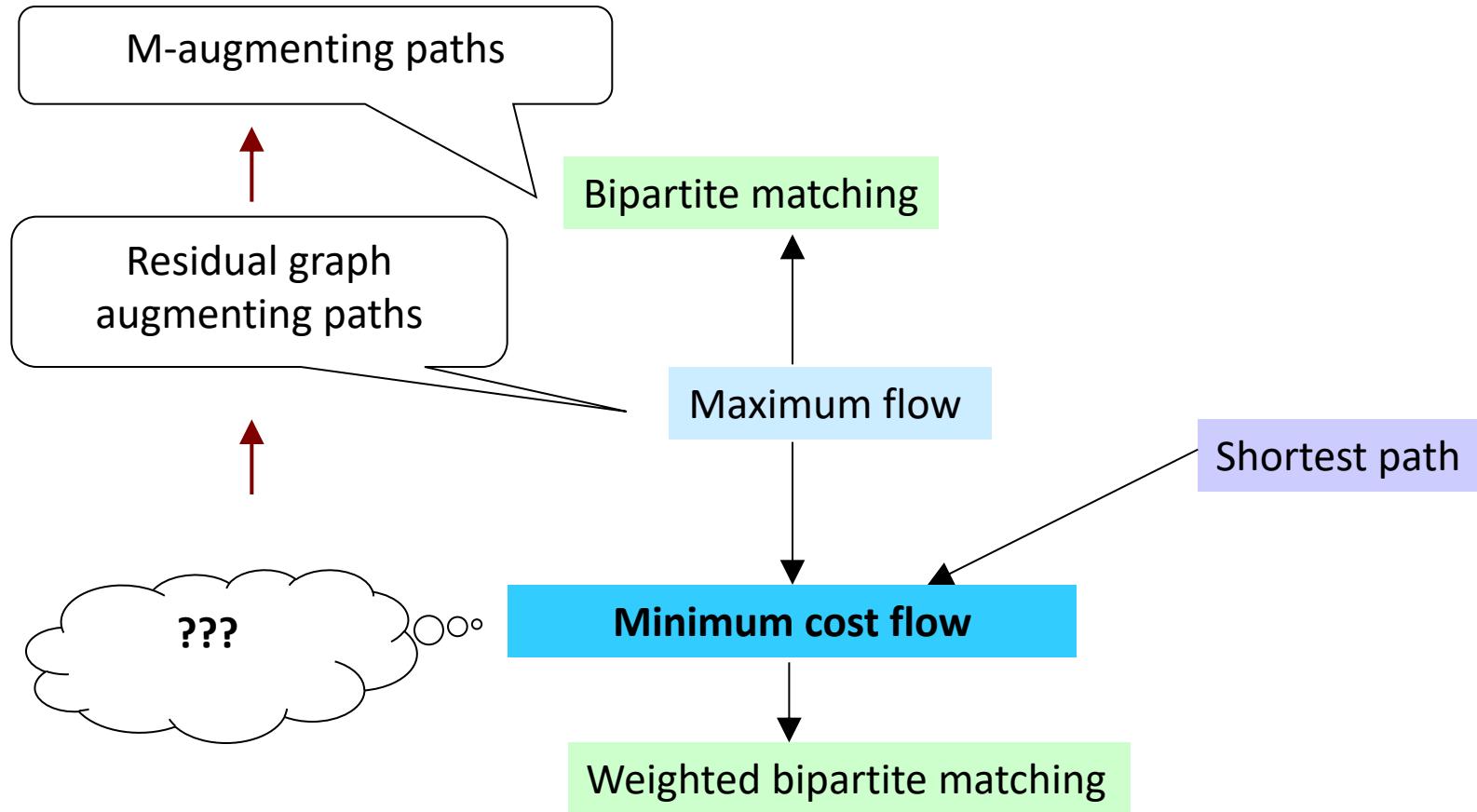
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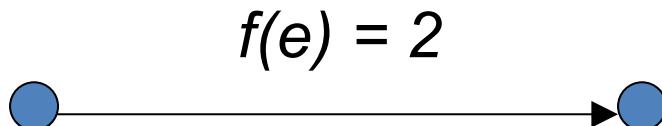
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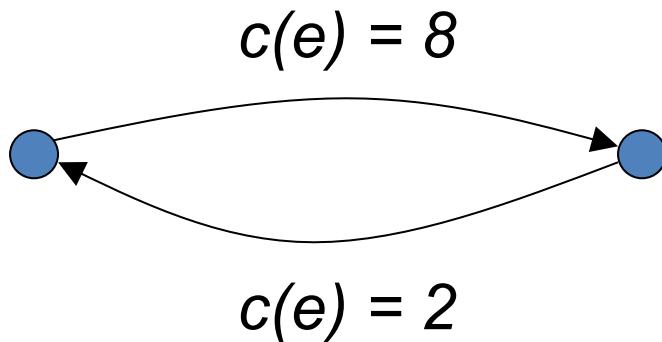
Algorithm?

- Two parameters: **value** and **cost** of the flow
 - Value: maxflow value
 - Cost: the cost of the maxflow value
- Each edge is associated with two values **c** and **w**
 - **c** is the capacity and **w** is the cost per unit flow
- What is the residual network structure?

Residual Network

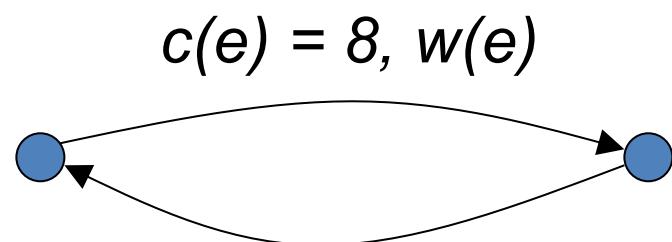
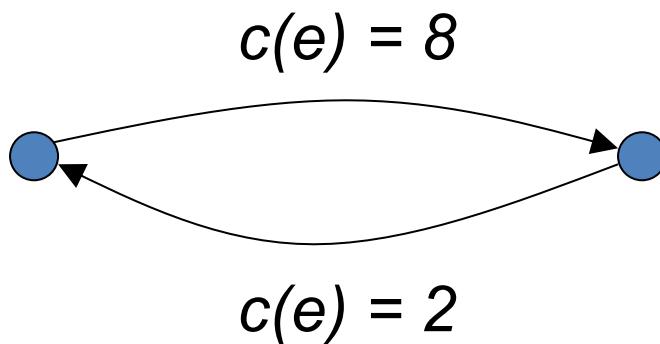
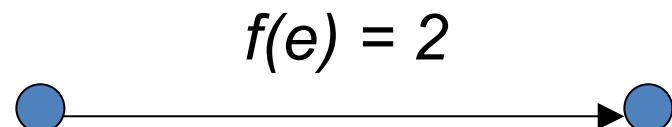
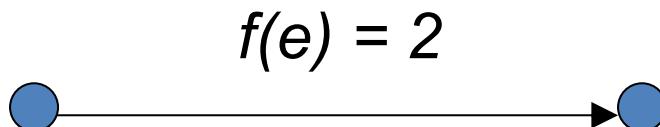


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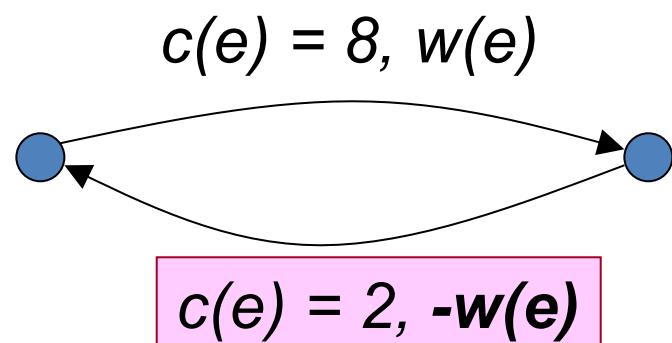
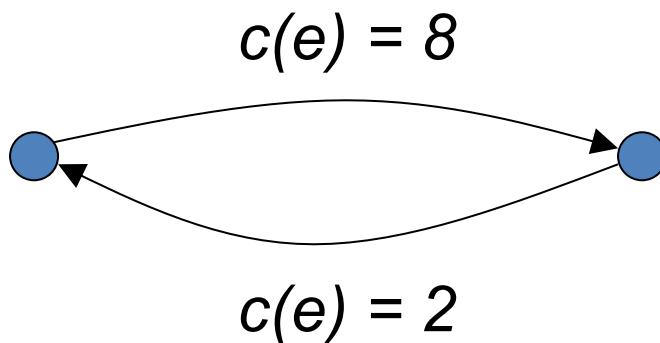
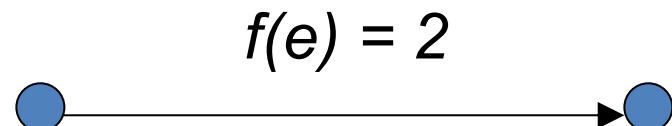
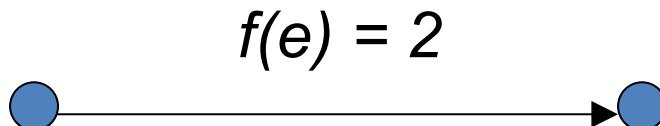
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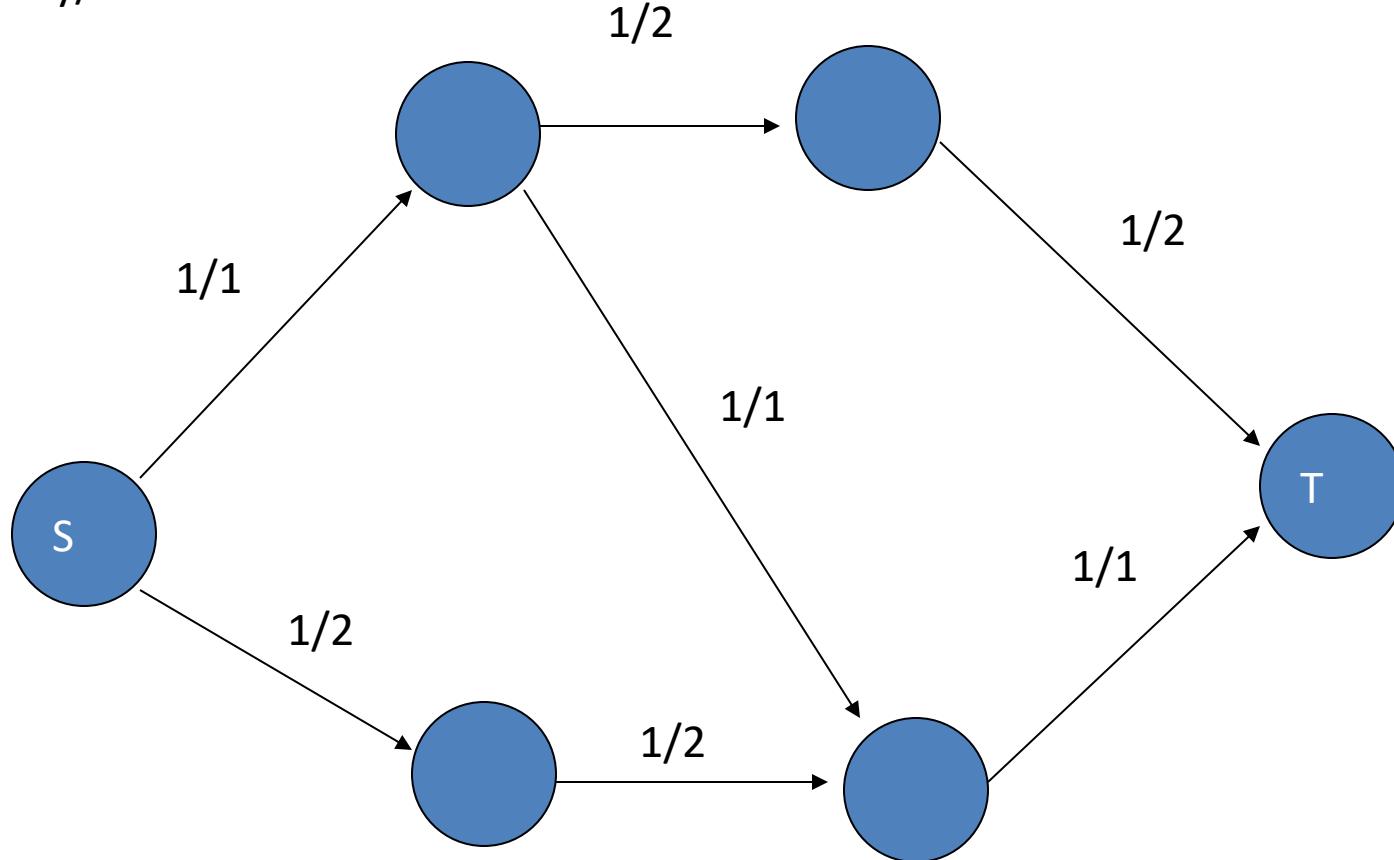


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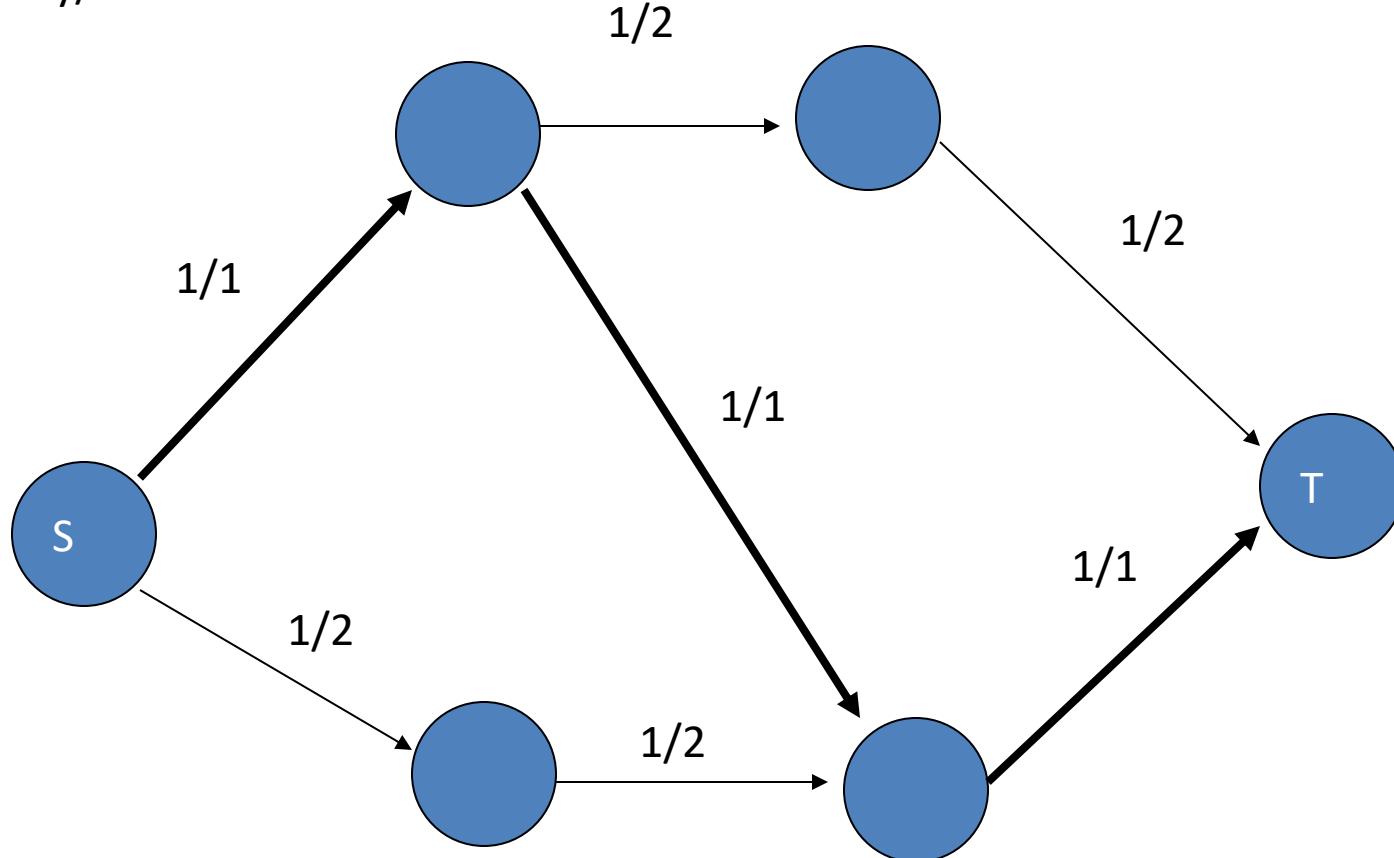
Example

Capacity/Cost



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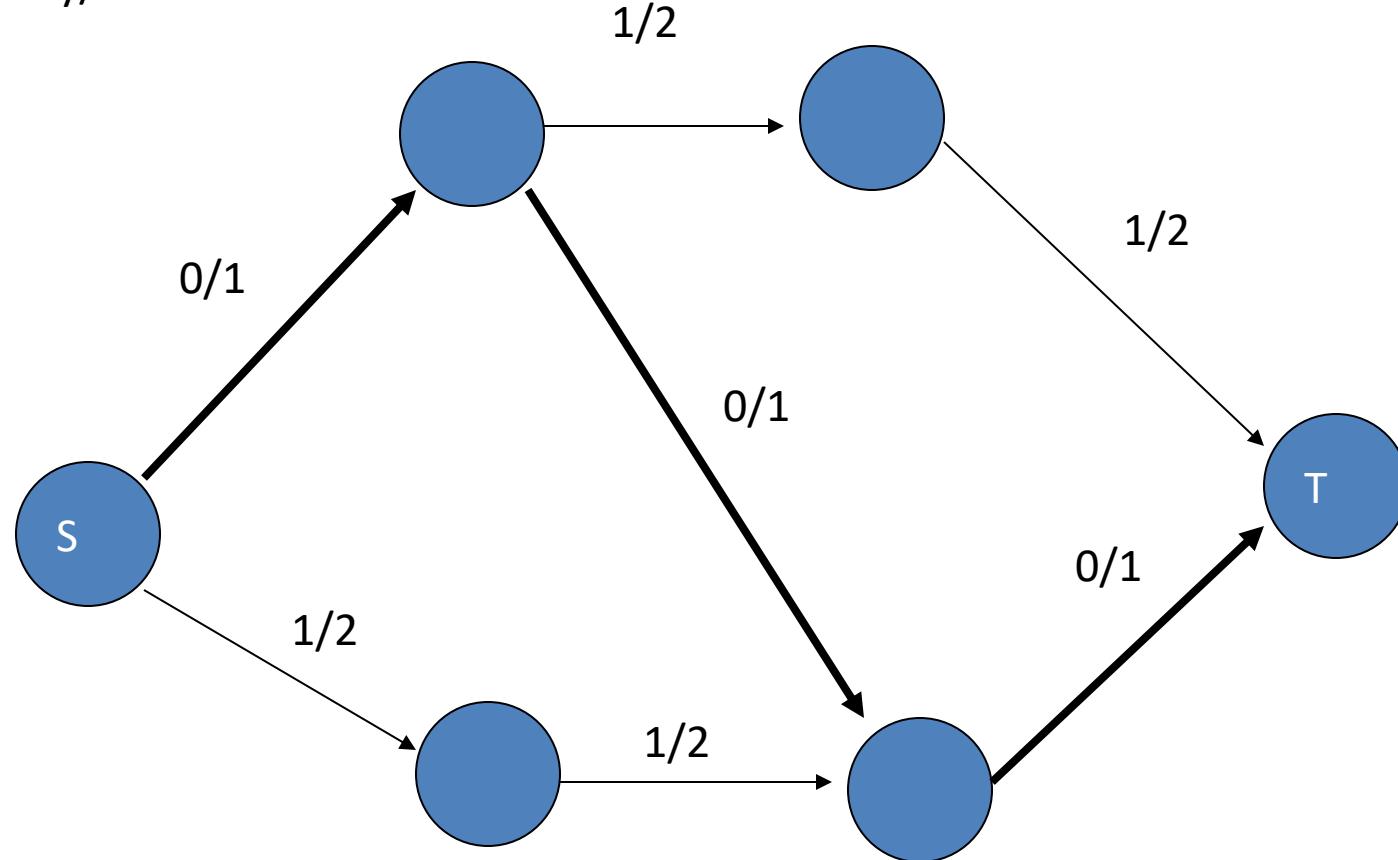
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Find the shortest path

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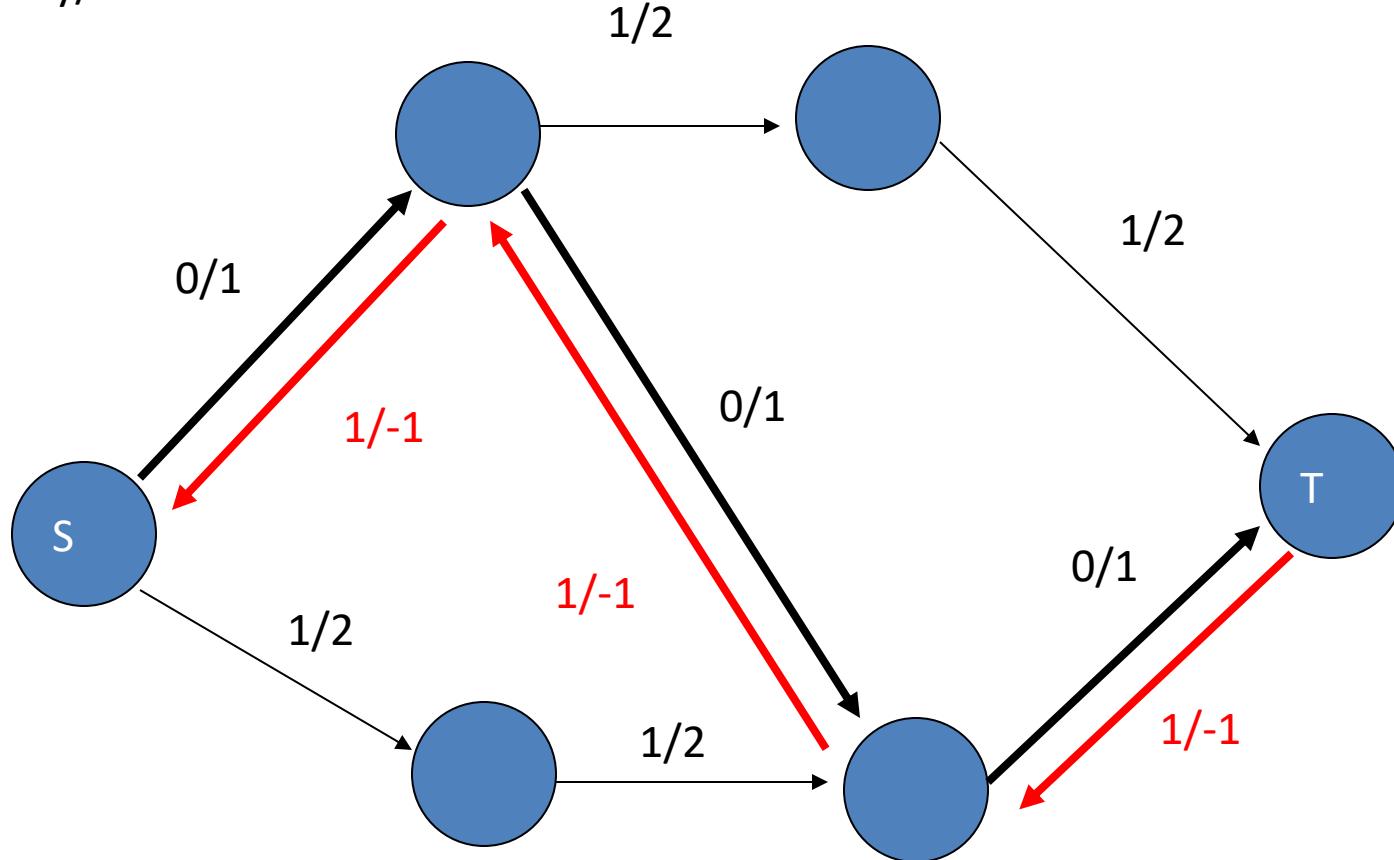
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Flow=1, cost=3

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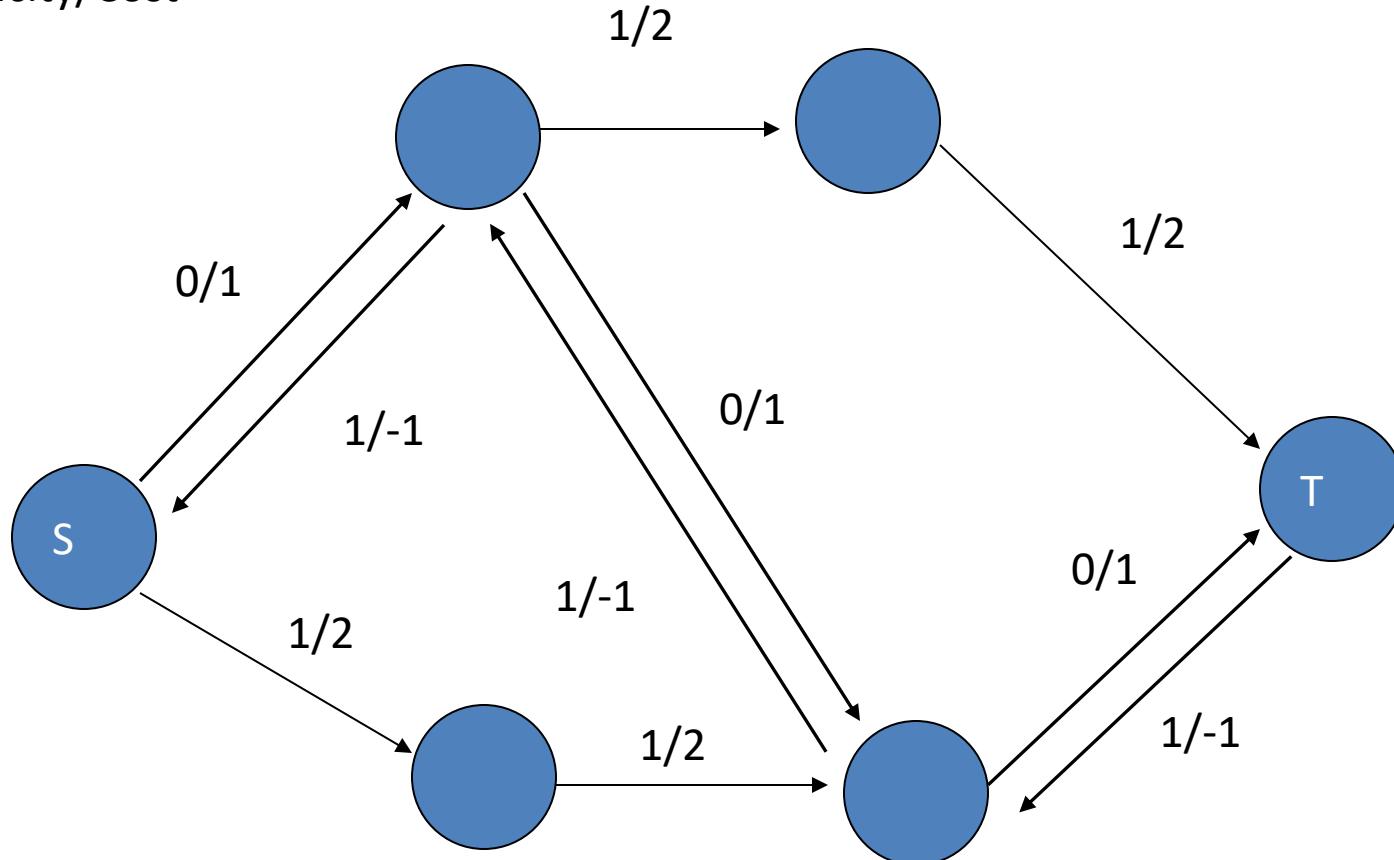
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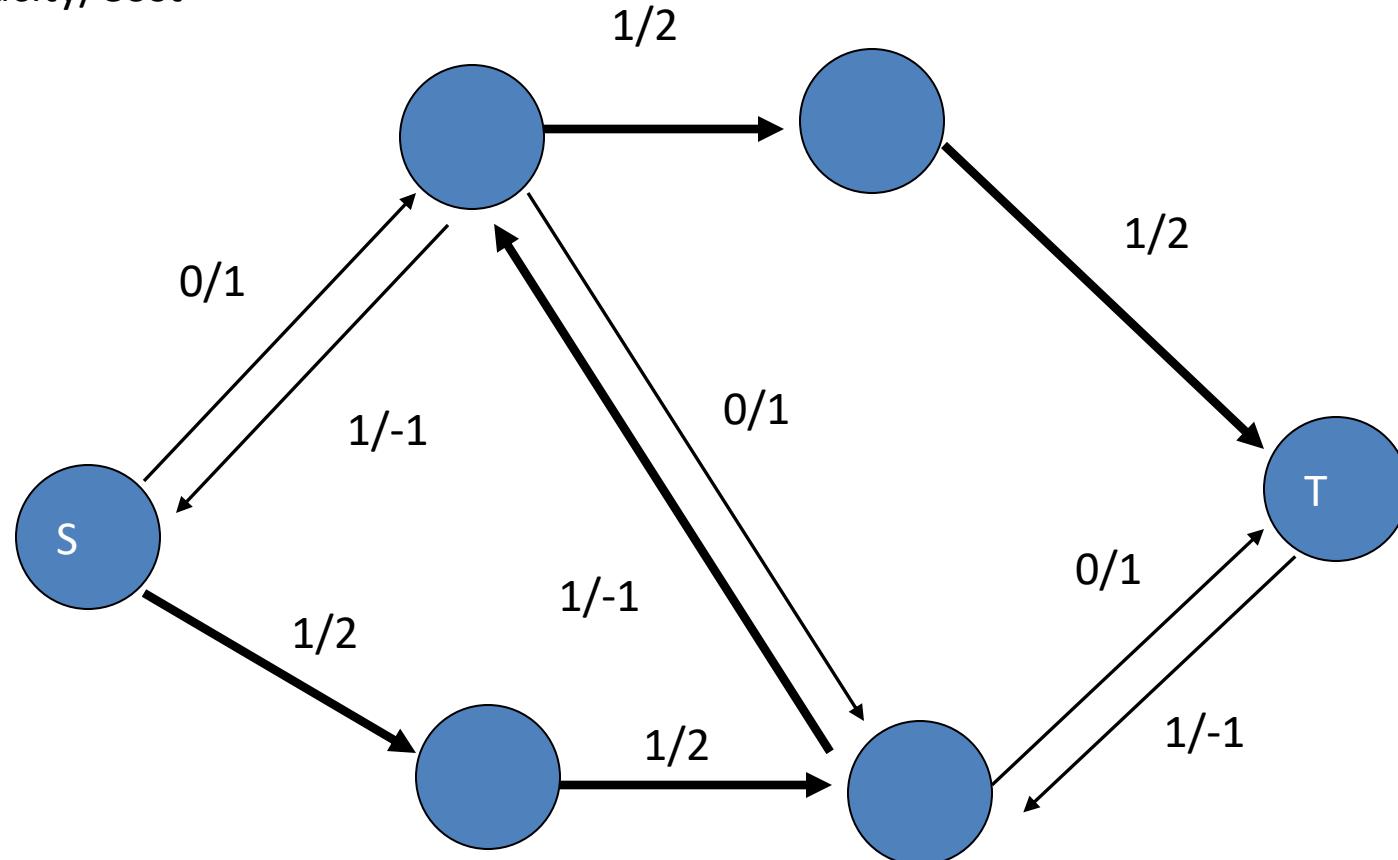
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Find another shortest path

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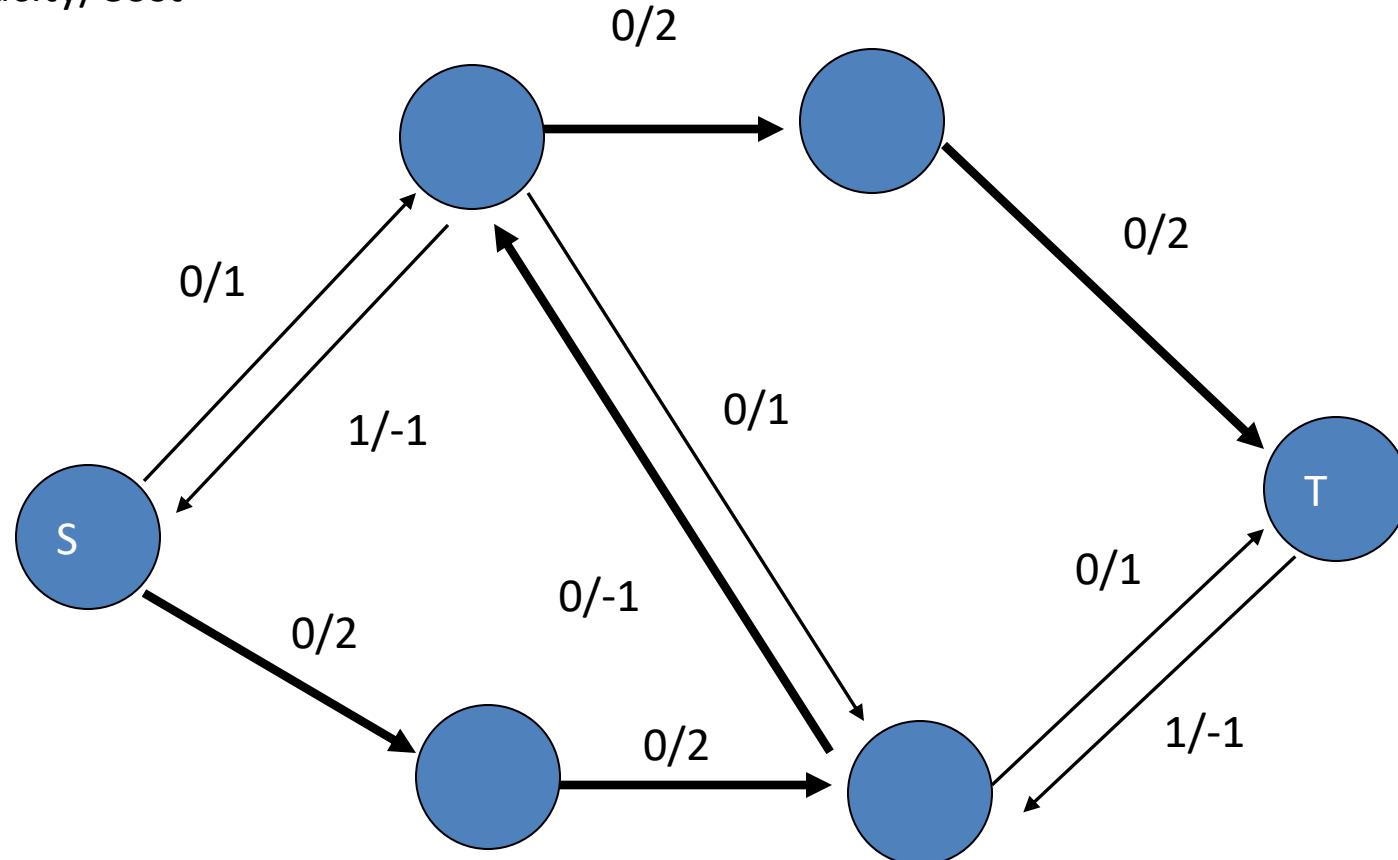
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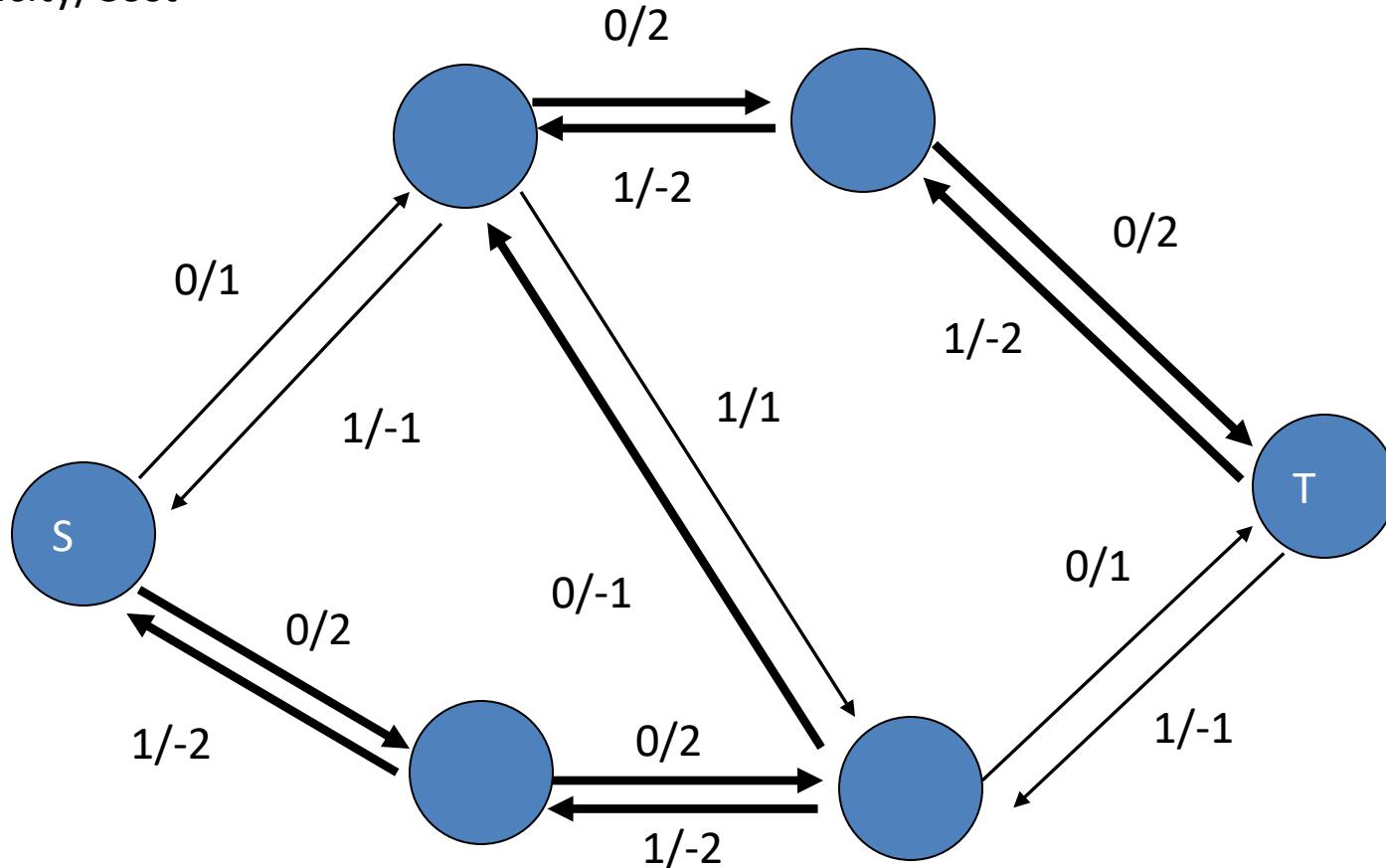
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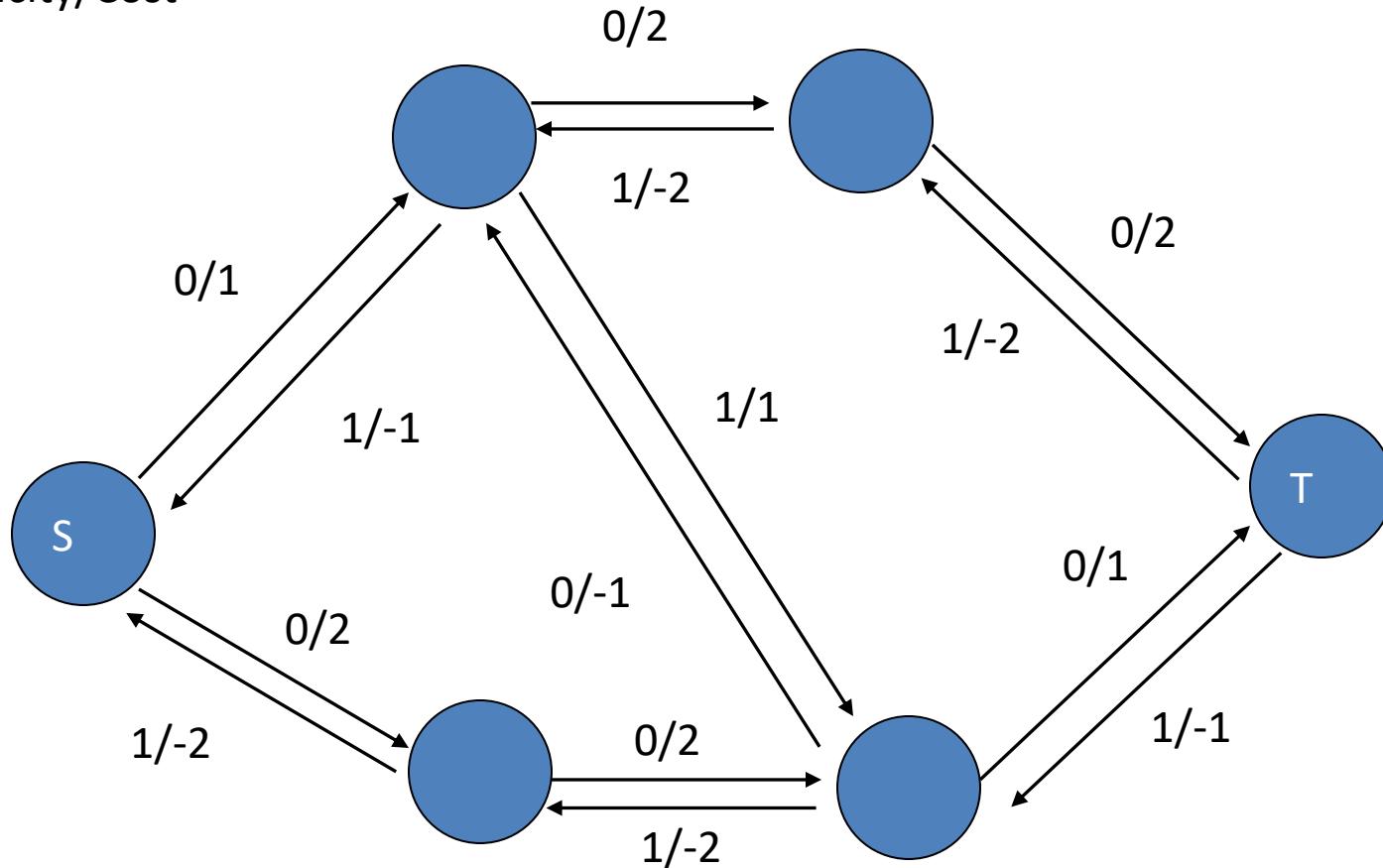
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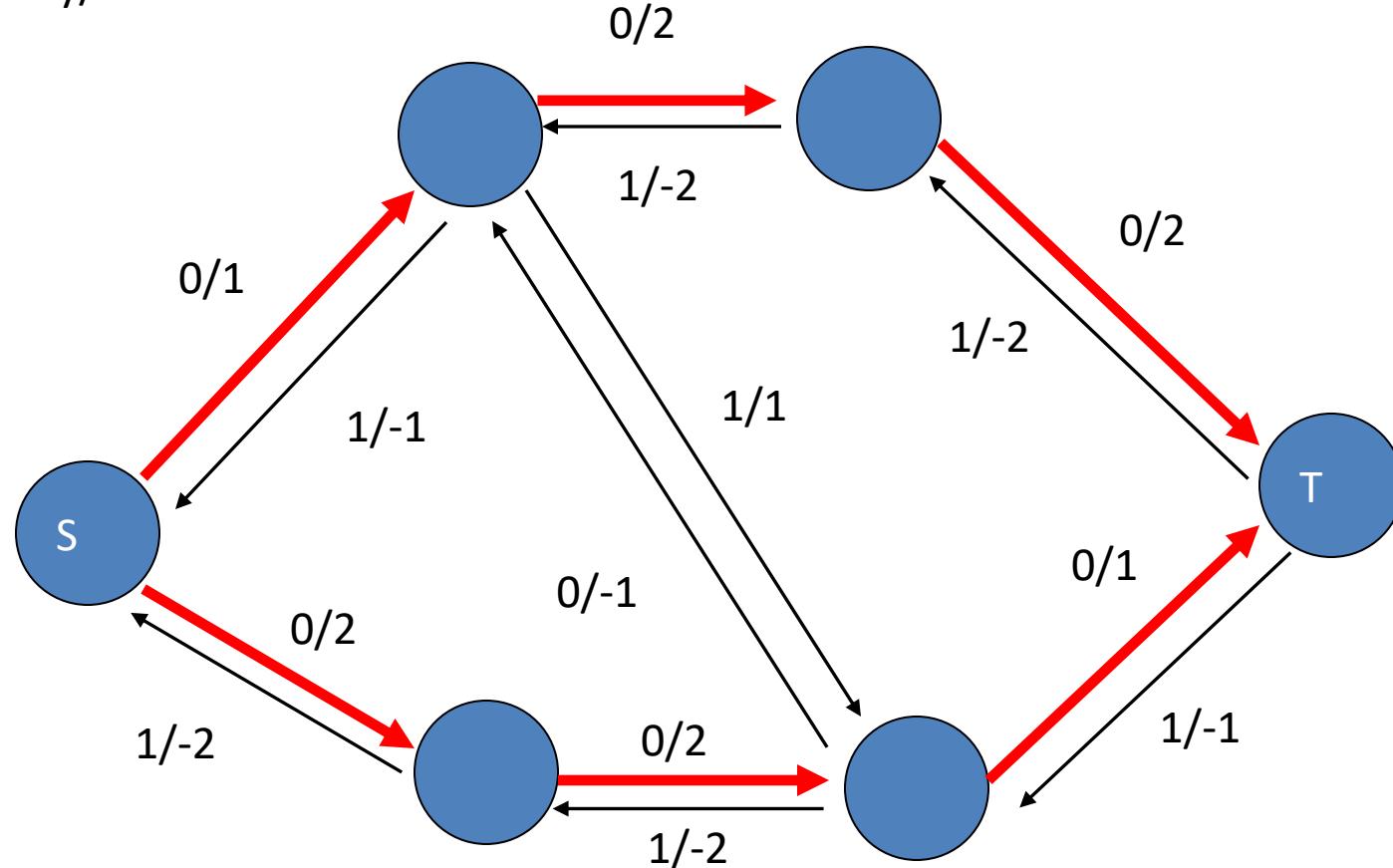
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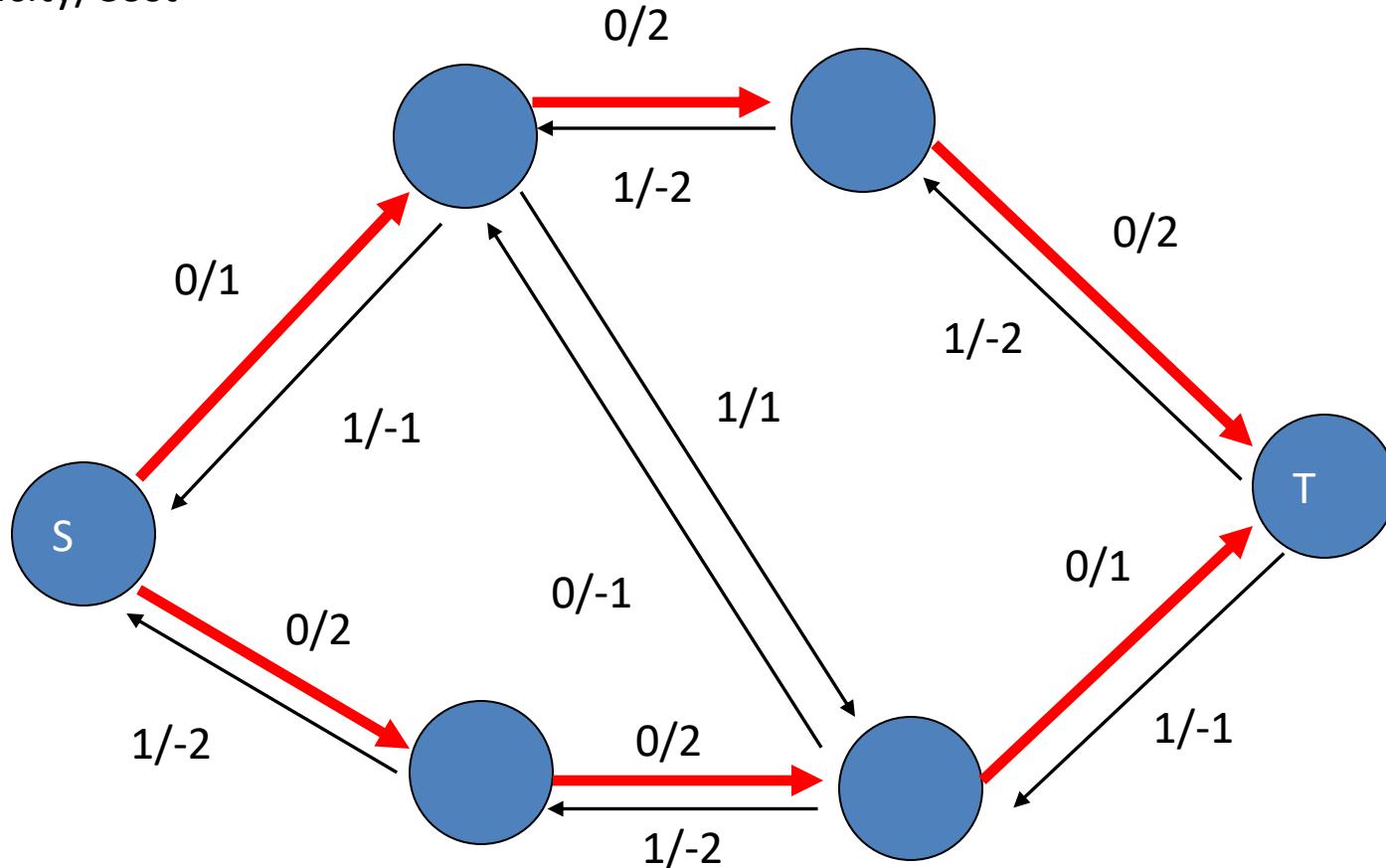
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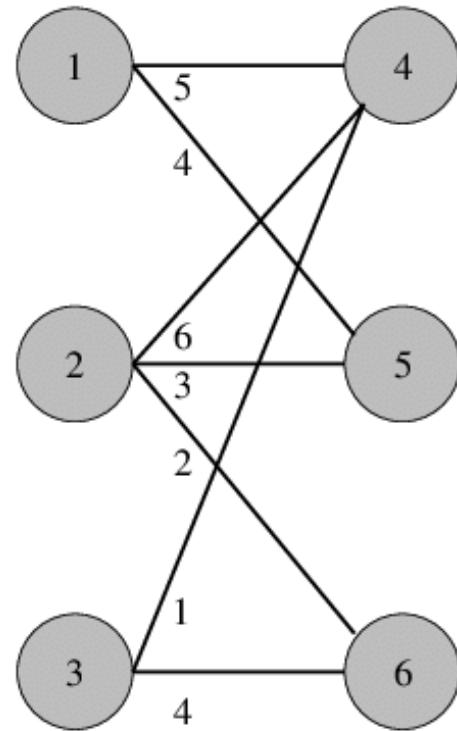
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Flow = 2, cost=10

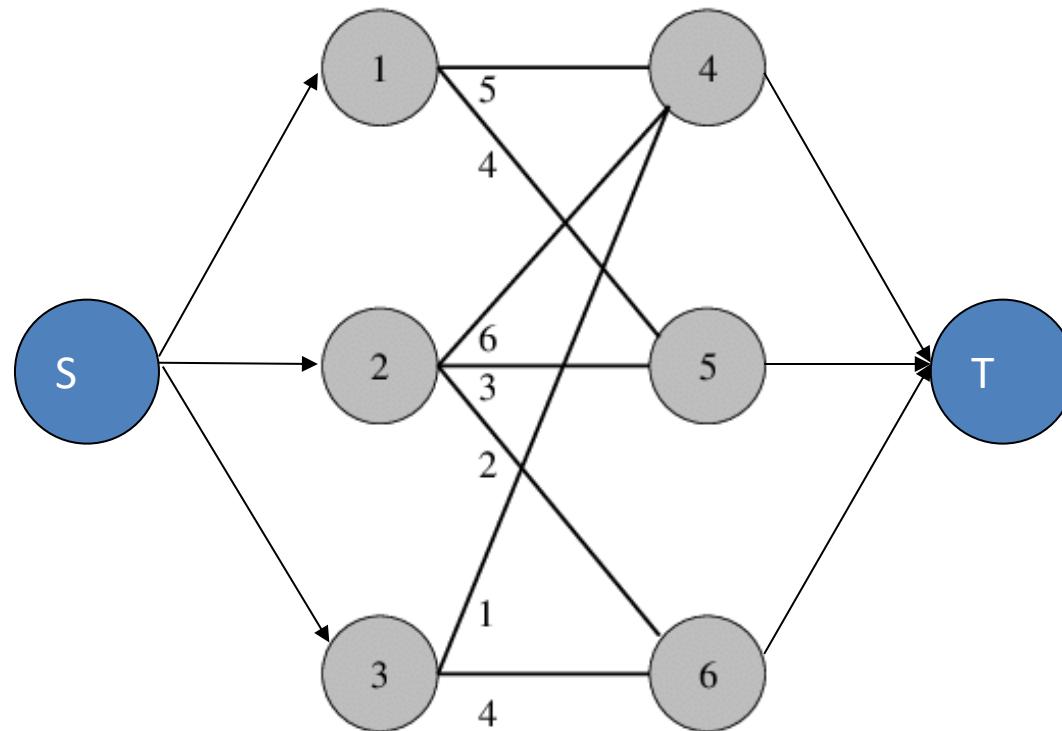
Minimum Weight Matching (MWM)

- Similar to bipartite matching but with weight



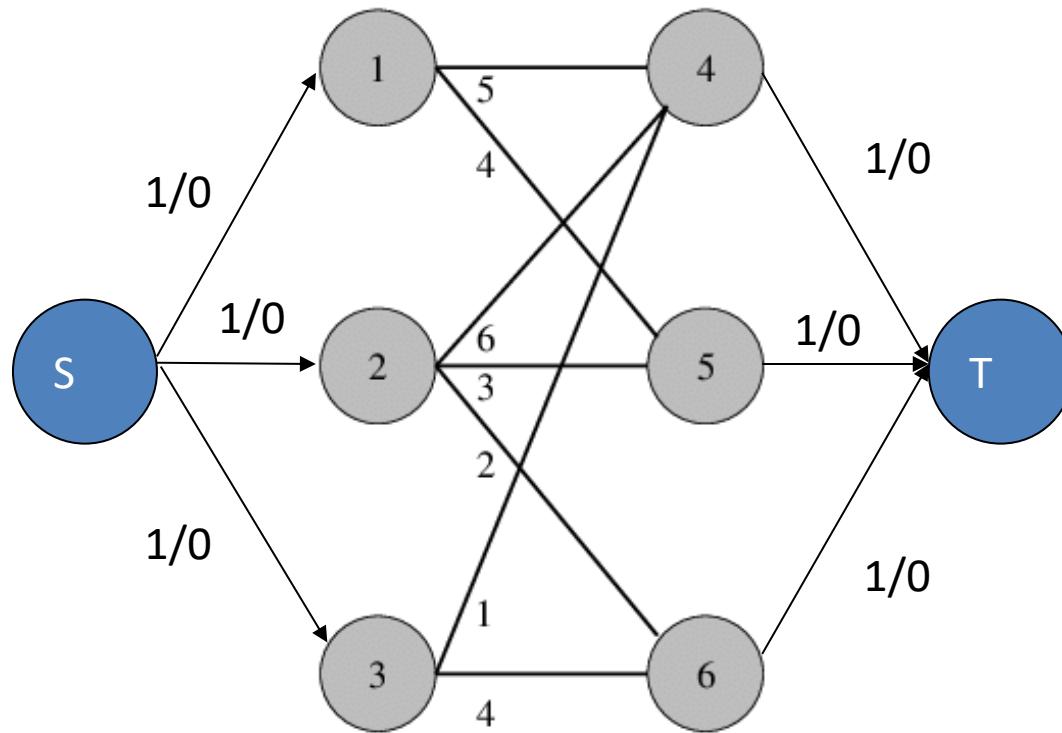
Minimum Weight Matching (MWM)

- Transform to a flow network with cost



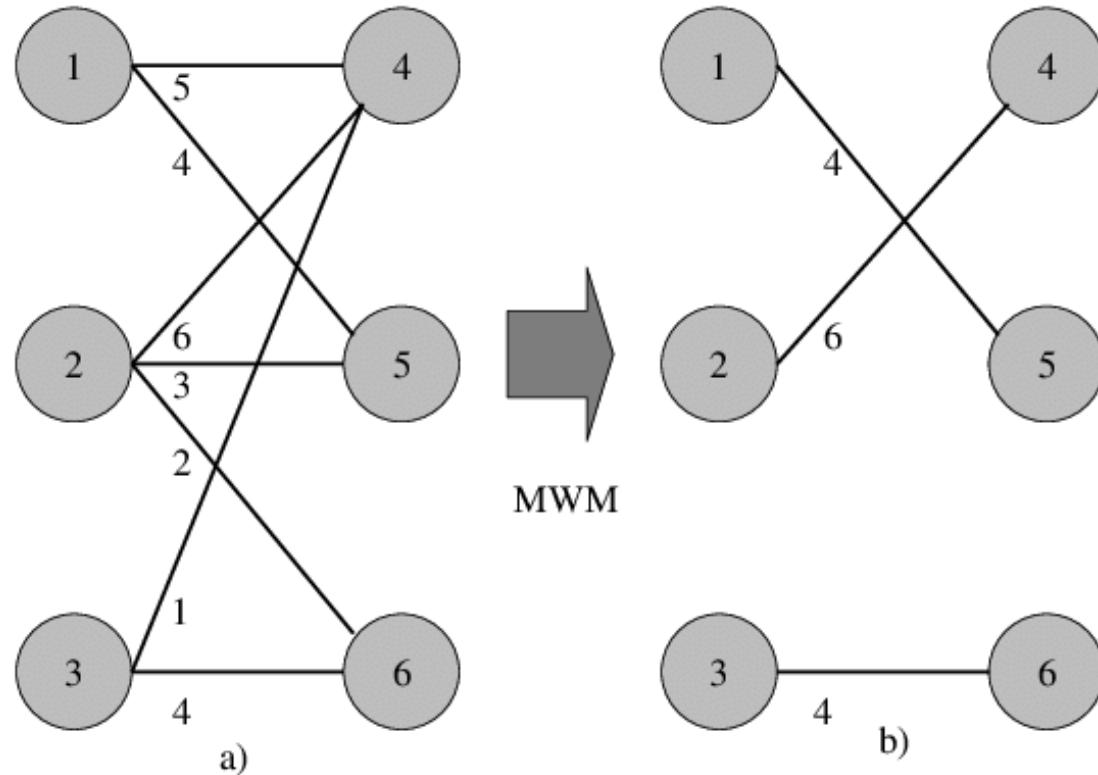
Minimum Weight Matching (MWM)

- Attach capacity and weight



Minimum Weight Matching (MWM)

- Min-cost flow equals MWM



Summary

- Debrief on HW2
- Maximum flow Ford-Fulkerson algorithm recap
 - Iterative, simple to implement
 - Complexity depends on the unknown “maxflow” value
- Maximum flow push-relabel algorithm
 - Iterative with relaxed conservation constraints
 - Time complexity is $O(N^3)$
- Minimum cost maximum flow algorithm