

# Shortest path

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## Dijkstra's Shortest path algorithm

- Single source shortest path algo.
- Only works for graphs with +ve edges.

Time complexity:  $O(E + \log V)$

- Dijkstra's algorithm is a greedy algo.

infinitely finds shorter path in case of -ve cycles

Code:

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1 '''
2 * check if curr node is in the distance hashset or not
3 * if not, create an entry and add the current cost
4 * if present, find minimum and add
5 * in this approach, we push the new cost in the heap
  regardless of it being best or worst value
6 * notice that we do not need the visited boolean array
  in this approach
7 '''
8
9 def dijkstra(edges, N, K):
10     q, d, adj = [(0, K)], {}, collections.defaultdict(list)
11     for u, v, w in edges:
12         adj[u].append((v, w))
13     while q:
14         cost, node = heapq.heappop(q)
15         if node not in d:
16             d[node] = cost
17             for v, w in adj[node]:
18                 heapq.heappush(q, (cost + w, v))
19     return d
20
21 ## normal implementation (more intuitive)
22 def dijkstra(edges, N, K):
23     q, d, adj, visited = [(0, K)], [10**8 for i in range(N+1)], collections.defaultdict(list), set()
24     for u, v, w in edges:
25         adj[u].append((v, w))
26     d[K] = 0
27     while q:
28         cost, node = heapq.heappop(q)
29         visited.add(node)
30
31         for v, w in adj[node]:
32             if v in visited: continue
33             if w + cost < d[v]:
34                 d[v] = w + cost
35                 heapq.heappush(q, (d[v], v))
36     return d
37
```

By property of heap.  
This will always be the best cost  
we directly push

## Bellman Ford SSP algo

- Better to use Dijkstra  $O(E + V \log V)$
- Used with graphs have -ve edges.  
↳ eg. performing arbitrage  
↳ convert currency.

- Essence is in performing relax for  $n-1$  times.

No. of nodes in the graph.

- A graph without -ve cycles, the node distances will not improve beyond  $(n-1)$  iterations.

↳ If that happens, the graph has a negative cycle.

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20 Algorithm:
21 1. Mark all initial distances for each node as infinity..
22 2. for n - 1 times, explore all edges in the graph
23 3. record all shorter paths to each node for every edge
24
25 In case of a complete graph (edge between every pair of nodes), there can be n*(n-1)/2 edges. The time complexity of Bellman Ford algorithm can be  $O(n^3)$  or  $O(E^2/V)$ 
26 */
27
28 void add_edge(int u, int v, int w){
29     edges[cnt][0] = u;
30     edges[cnt][1] = v;
31     edges[cnt][2] = w;
32     cnt++;
33 }
34
35 void bellmanFord(int src){
36     fill(dist, dist + N, INF);
37     dist[src] = 0;
38
39     for(int i = 0; i < n-1; i++){
40         for(int j = 0; j < cnt; j++){
41             if(dist[edges[j][0]] + edges[j][2] < dist[edges[j][1]]){
42                 dist[edges[j][1]] = dist[edges[j][0]] + edges[j][2];
43             }
44         }
45     }
46
47     // check for negative cycles
48     for(int i = 0; i < cnt; i++){
49         if(dist[edges[i][0]] + edges[i][2] < dist[edges[i][1]]){
50             cout << "Graph Contains Negative edge cycle !!\n";
51             return;
52         }
53     }
54
55     cout << "Distance of source \n";
56     for(int i = 0; i < n; i++){
57         cout << i << " " << dist[i] << "\n";
58     }
59 }
```

largest path without a cycle is of  $n-1$  edges.  
∴ we run  $n-1$  relaxations

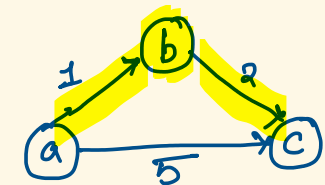
relaxation

$n^{th}$  iteration determines if there is -ve cycle.

- In Bellman Ford it is better to travel edges.

## Floyd Warshall algorithm

- Good for finding all pair shortest path
- Main idea is to find if there is an intermediate path between two nodes with less cost.



- Consider all intermediate paths  $O(V^3)$ .

```
9 void init(){
10     for(int i = 0; i < n; i++)
11         for(int j = 0; j < n; j++)
12             i == j ? adj_mat[i][j] = 0 : adj_mat[i][j] = INF;
13 }
14 void add_edge(int u, int v, int w){ adj_mat[u][v] = w; }
15
16 void floyd_warshall(){
17     for(int k = 0; k < n; k++){
18         for(int i = 0; i < n; i++){
19             for(int j = 0; j < n; j++){
20                 adj_mat[i][j] = min(adj_mat[i][j], adj_mat[i][k] + adj_mat[k][j]);
21             }
22         }
23     }
24 }
```

worse val if no direct edge

binding intermediate node

direct edge cost

- To find out if there is a -ve cycle.  
↳ Rerun the Floyd Warshall's algo.  
If there are still better paths are found, it means there is -ve cycle.