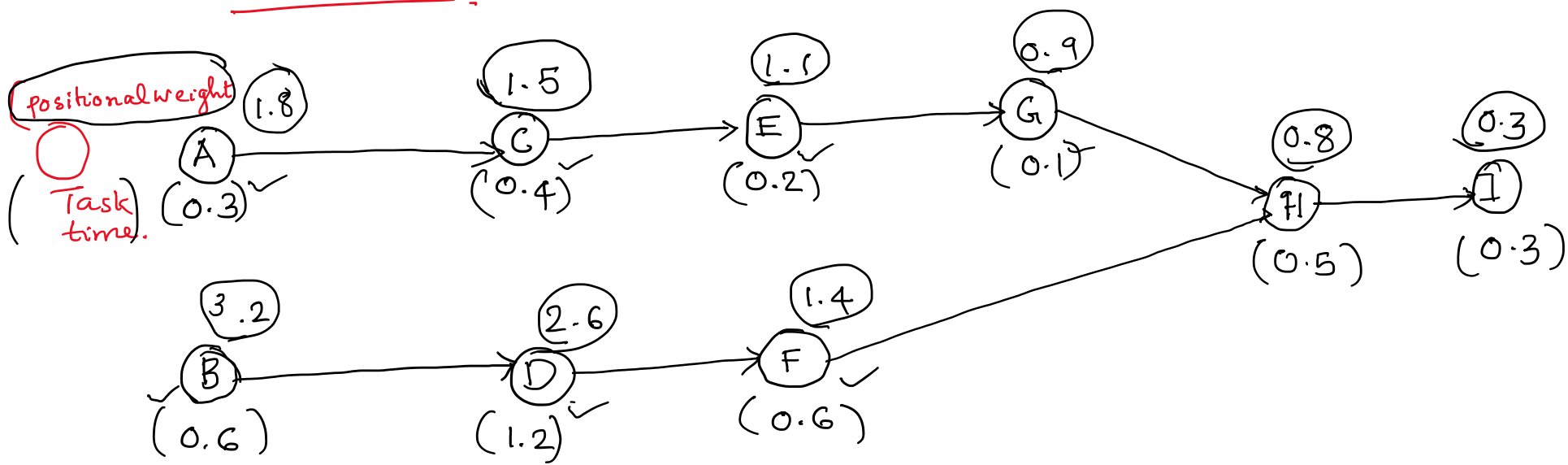


Assembly line

raw the precedence diagrams.



Cycle time = $\frac{\text{Operating time/day}}{\text{Desired output/day}} = \frac{440}{275} = 1.6 \text{ minutes.}$

Total task time = 4.2 minutes.

$N_{\text{Theo.}} = N_{\text{min}} = \frac{4.2}{1.6} = 2.625.$

Work station	Time remaining	Eligible.	Will Fit	Assign task (time)	Station Idle time
1	1.6	A, B	A, B	B (0.6)	0.
	1.0	A, D	A	A (0.3)	
	0.7	C, D	C	C (0.4)	
	0.3	D, E	E	E (0.2)	
	0.1	G, D	G	G (0.1)	
	0	-	-	-	
2	1.6	D	D	D (1.2)	0.4
	0.4	F	-	-	
3.	1.6	F	F	F (0.6)	0.2.
	1.0	H	H	H (0.5)	
	0.5	I	I	I (0.3)	
					0.6.

$N_{\text{actual}} = 3.$

Balancing Efficiency = $\frac{\sum \text{task time}}{N_{\text{actual}} \times \text{Cycle time}} = \frac{4.2}{3 \times 1.6} = \frac{4.2}{4.8} = 0.875 = 87.5\%.$

Balance delay = $100 - 87.5 = 12.5\%.$

= $\frac{\text{Idle time}}{(N_{\text{actual}} \times \text{Cycle time})} = \frac{0.6}{4.8} = 0.125 = 12.5\%.$

