

CS 240 Homework 2

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TOTAL POINTS

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QUESTION 1

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QUESTION 5

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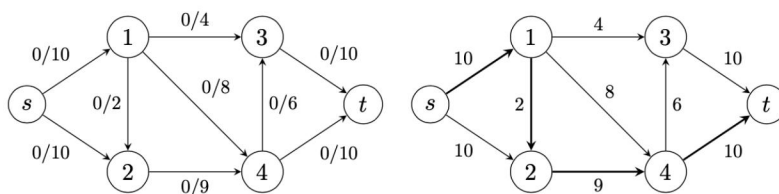
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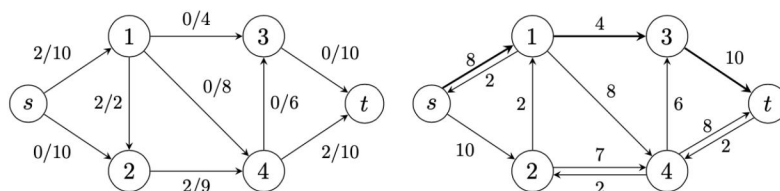
Solution

The process of running the algorithm can be shown as the following figures. The left hand side of the figures are the original graph, and the right hand side is the residual network.

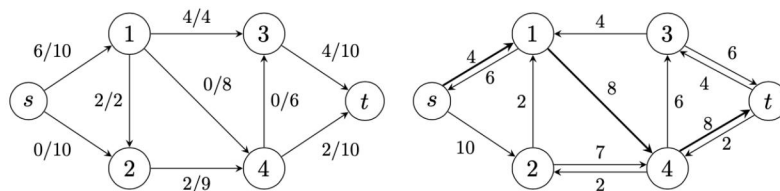
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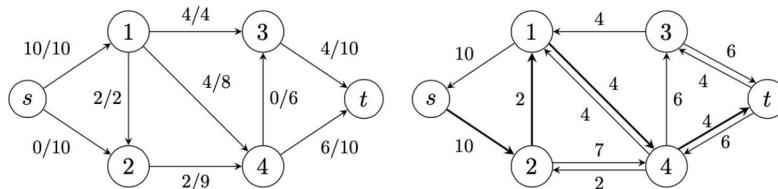
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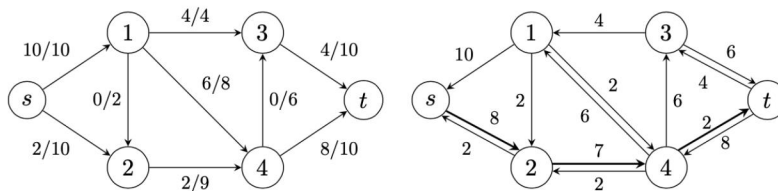
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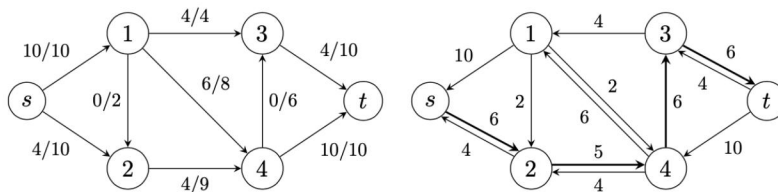
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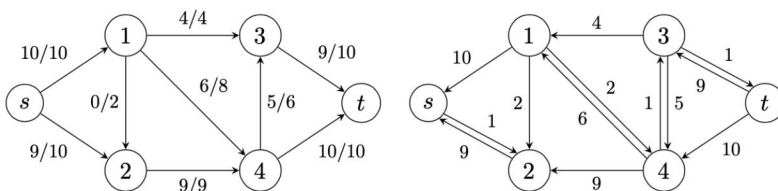
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Problem 2

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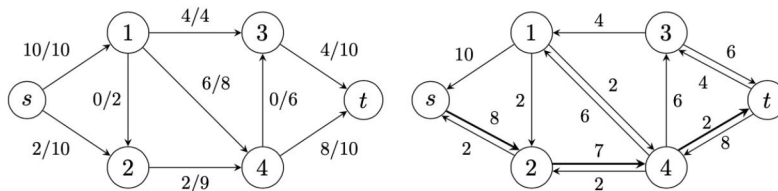
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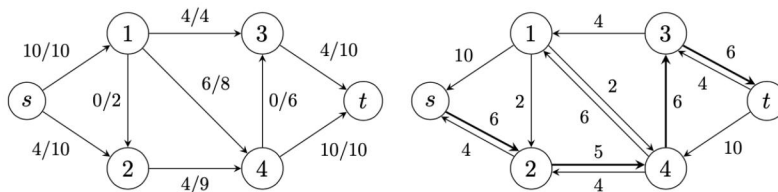
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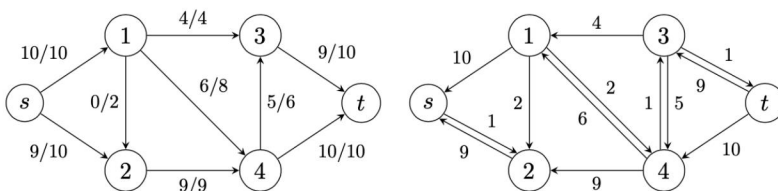
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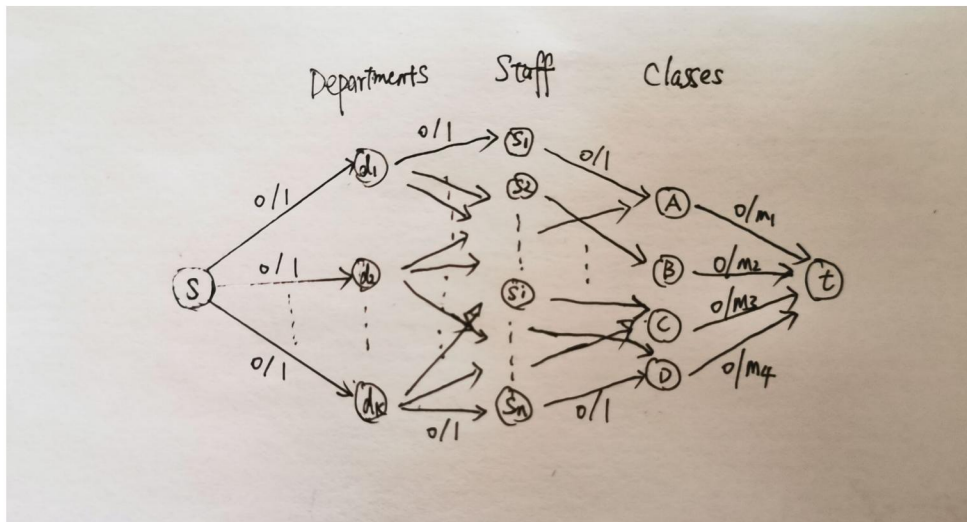
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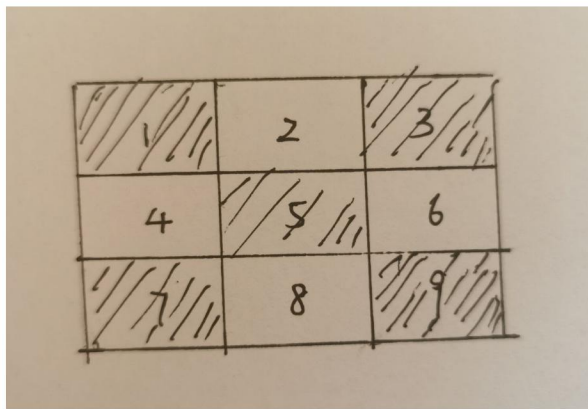


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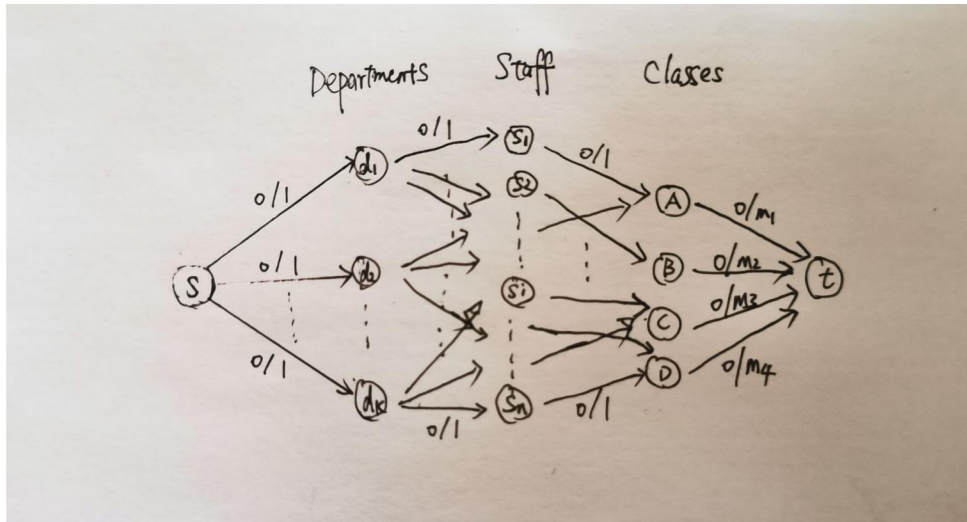
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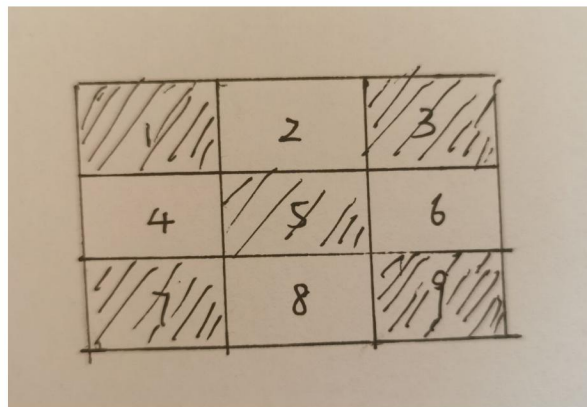


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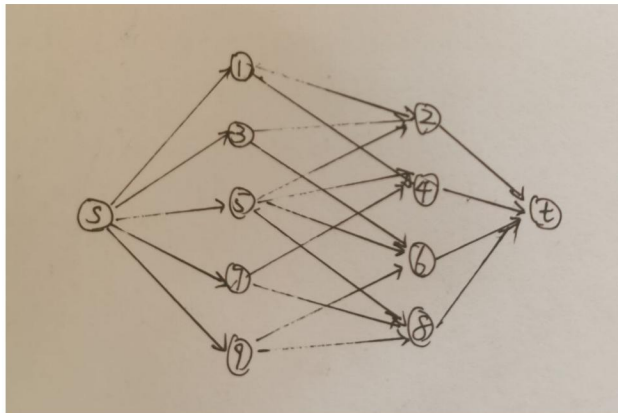


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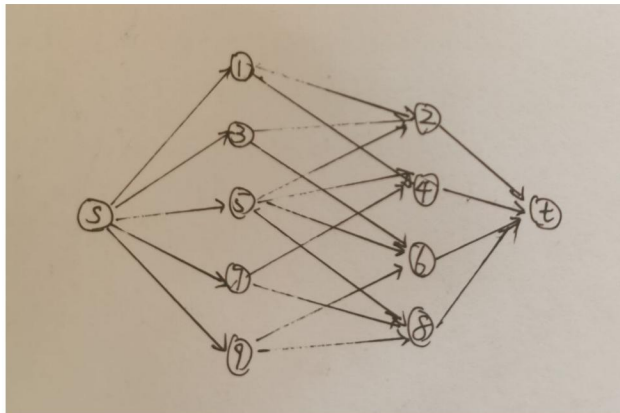
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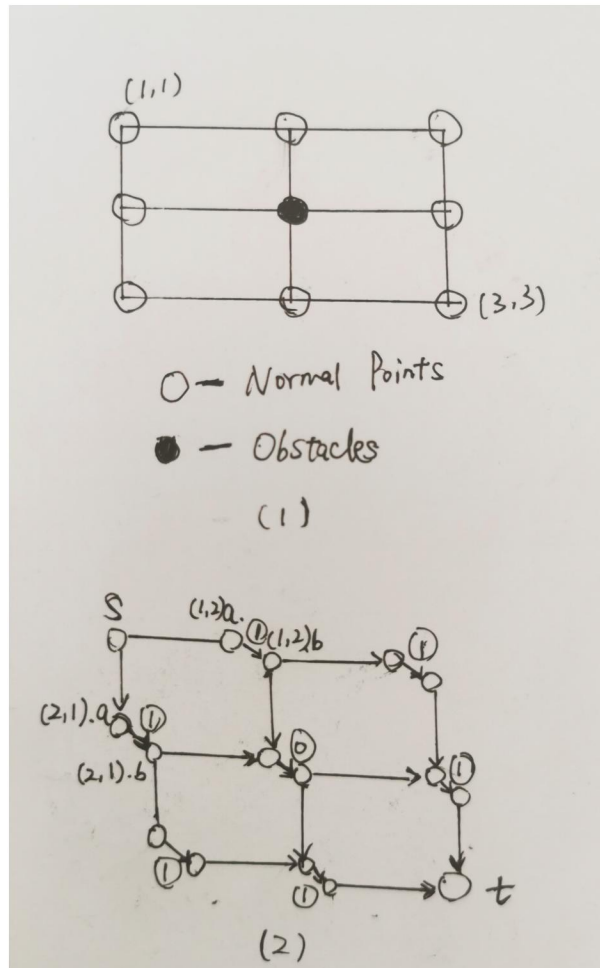
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Problem 5

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We can construct a graph: Let $(1,1)$ be the source s and (m,n) be t . For each point (i,j) , excepts $(0,0)$ and (m,n) , we split it into two points $(i,j).a$ and $(i,j).b$, where $(i,j).a$ only connects to $(i,j).b$, and $(i,j).b$ connects to $(i,j+1).a$ and $(i+1,j).a$. Then, if (i,j) is not an obstacle, set the capacity of edge $(i,j).a \rightarrow (i,j).b$ to 1, otherwise set $(i,j).a \rightarrow (i,j).b$ to 0. The capacity of other edges are all set to 1 (actually any positive integer is OK). Then run Ford-Fulkerson algorithm on this graph, and find the maximum flow. The capacity of the max-flow is the number of obstacles needed. For example, in following case (1), the graph that we construct is shown in (2):



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1. We can solve this problem by using dynamic programming algorithm. Let $DP[i]$ be the length of longest ascending subsequence in x_1, \dots, x_i . Obviously the solution L we want to find is $DP[n]$. Consider the base case, there is only one item x_1 , then, we can get $DP[1] = 1$ easily. Then we can obtain this recursive function:

$$DP[i + 1] = \max \{DP[j] + 1, \text{For all } 1 \leq j \leq i \text{ and } x_j < x_{i+1}\}$$

Hence, by the base case and recursive function, we can get $DP[n]$ in $O(n^2)$ time.

2. First, we should use dynamic programming algorithm described in (1) to find an array DP . Then, we can construct a graph by following steps:
 - (a) Add source s and terminal t , use p_i represent i^{th} point.
 - (b) For all $1 \leq i \leq n$, split p_i into 2 points $p_i.a$ and $p_i.b$, link $p_i.a$ and $p_i.b$ with an edge with $capacity = 1$.
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Run Ford-Fulkerson algorithm on this graph, to find the max-flow. And the capacity of the max flow is the number of non-overlapping longest ascending subsequence.

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