

The Bellman-Ford algorithm

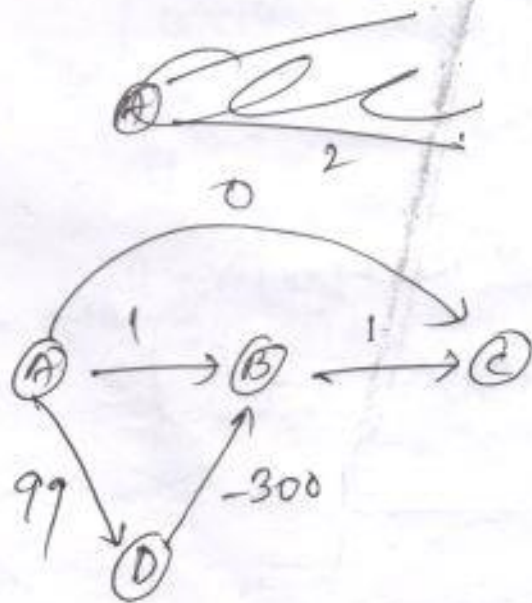
→ Dijkstra algorithm works only on non-negative weight where as Bellman-ford can work with -ve weight.

→ In case of -ve cycle Bellman-ford algorithm ~~can~~ fails but it can detect the if there is -ve cycle in the graph.

→ Dijkstra algorithm is greedy approach while Bellman-ford is dynamic approach.

⇒ worst case time complexity of Dijkstra is $(V \log V)$ where as for Bellman-ford it is $O(V^3)$

⊛ Why Dijkstra can not handle -ve weight?



3 Here we want to find shortest path tree from source node A. If you run Dijkstra algorithm on this, we get the minimum weight of path to C to be which should instead be -200. In this case graph does not adhere to greedy property.

BELLMAN-FORD(G, W, S)

1. INITIALIZE-SINGLE-SOURCE(G, S)

2. for $i = 1$ to $|G.V| - 1$

3. for each edge $(u, v) \in G.E$

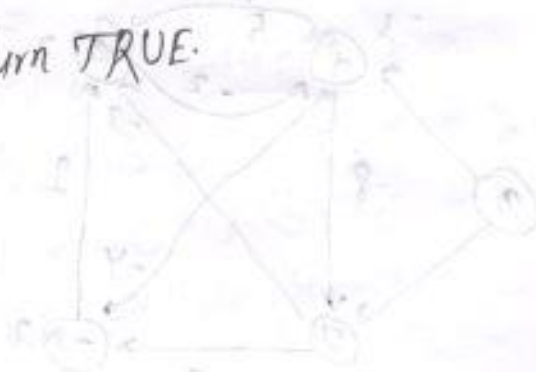
4. RELAX(u, v, w)

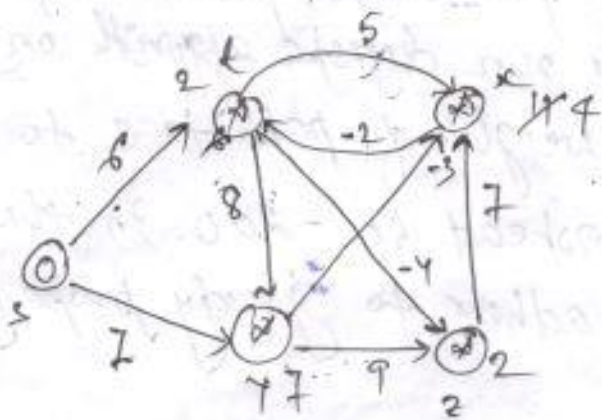
5. for each edge $(u, v) \in G.E$

6. if $v.d > u.d + w(u, v)$

7. return FALSE.

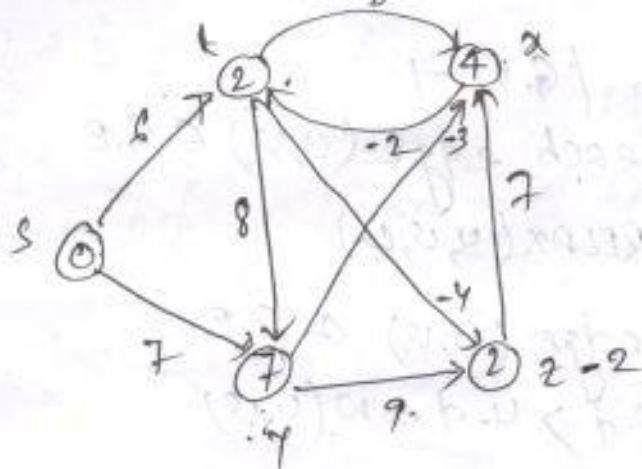
8. ~~return~~ return TRUE.





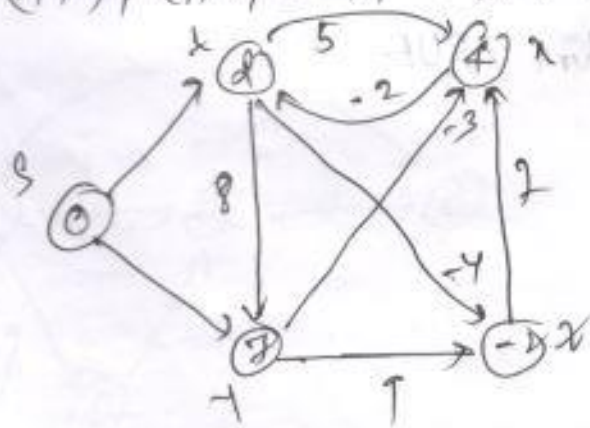
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$(3,1), (3,2), (1,1), (1,2), (1,3), (2,1), (2,2), (2,3), (3,1), (3,2)$
 $4, 7, 2, 2, 11, 2, 4, 2$



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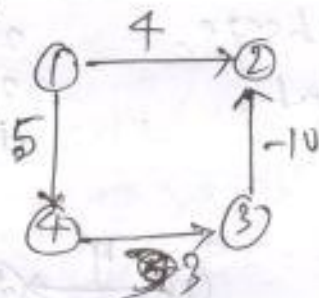


(3) $(5, 1), (3, 4), (4, 4), (4, 2), (4, 3), (4, 2), (4, 1), (4, 2)$

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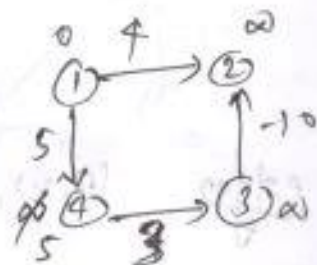
Since the state is not changing, so we can stop here, But algorithm will run for $|V|-1$ times.

Practice

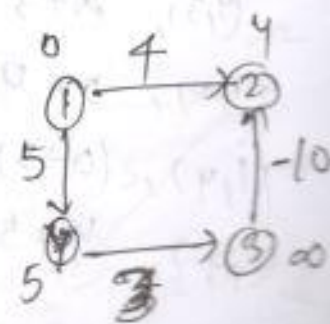


edges, $(1, 2), (1, 4), (3, 2), (4, 3), (1, 4), (1, 2)$

1st for $(3, 2), \infty - 10 < \infty = \infty$
 $(4, 3), \infty + 3 < \infty = \infty$
 $(1, 4), 0 + 5 < \infty = 5$
 $(1, 2), 0 + 4 < \infty = 4$



2nd for $(3, 2), \infty - 10 = \infty = \infty$
 $(4, 3), 5 + 3 < \infty = 8$
 $(1, 4), 0 + 5 < 5 = 5$
 $(1, 2), 0 + 4 < 4 = 4$

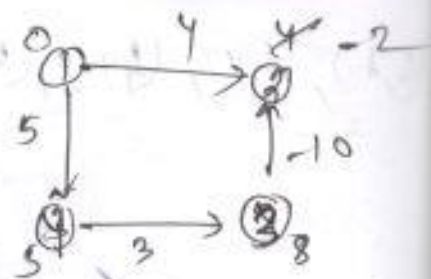


3rd for (3,2), $8-10 < 4 = -2$

for (4,3), $5+3 < 8 = 8$

for (1,4), $0+5 < 5 = 5$

for (1,2), $0+4 < -2 = -2$

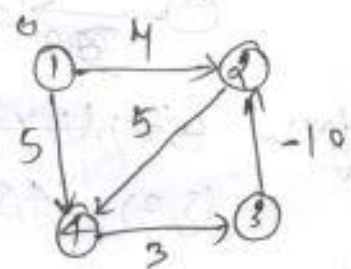


shortest path

Relax one more time,
there will be no change,
so answer is perfect

- 1 - 0
- 2 - (-2)
- 3 - 8
- 4 - 5

ex 2



edges (3,2), (4,3), (1,4), (1,2), (2,4)

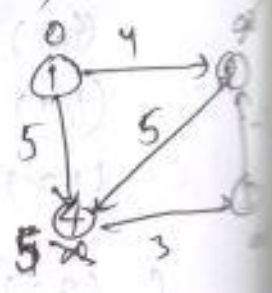
for (3,2), $\infty - 10 < \infty = \infty$

(4,3), $\infty + 3 < \infty = \infty$

(1,4), $0 + 4 < \infty = 4$

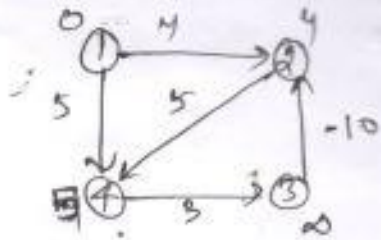
(1,2), $(0+5) < \infty = 5$

(2,4), $4 + 5 < 4 = 4$



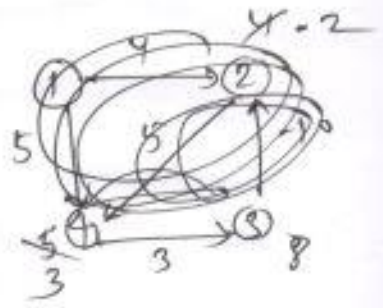
2nd
for

- (3,2) $8-10 < 4 = 4$
- (4,3) $5+3 < 8 = 8$
- (1,2) $0+4 < 4 = 4$
- (1,4) $0+5 < 5 = 5$
- (2,4) $4+5 < 5 = 5$

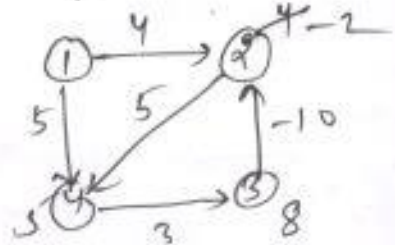


3rd

- ~~(3,2) $8-10 < 4 = -2$~~
- ~~(4,3) $-2+5 < 5 = 3$~~
- ~~(1,2) $0+4 < -2 = -2$~~
- ~~(1,4)~~



- for (3,2) $8-10 < 4 = -2$
- (4,3) $5+3 < 8 = 8$
- (1,2) $0+4 < -2 = -2$
- (1,4) $0+5 < 5 = 5$
- (2,4) $-2+5 < 5 = 3$



Done, do one more time.

- for (3,2) $8-10 < -2 = -2$
- (4,3) $3+3 < 8 = 6$ *changing again*
- (1,2) $0+4 < -2 = -2$
- (1,4) $0+5 < 3 = 3$
- (2,4) $-2+5 < 3 = 3$

