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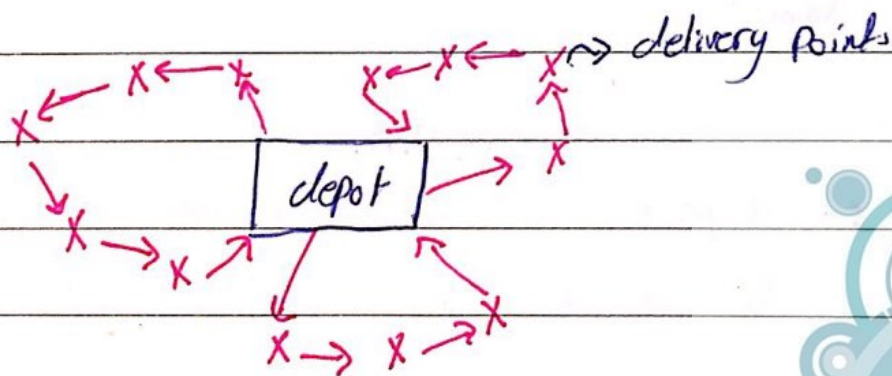
## \* Short haul Freight Transportation 8-

- Graph theory :- [<http://people.hofstra.edu/geotrans>]

Short haul : pickup / delivery of goods in relatively small area using fleet of vehicles

• unless stated otherwise, vehicles stational at single depot (مركز)

- Routes include several pickup and/or delivery points
- Routes performed in single work shift



operation problem





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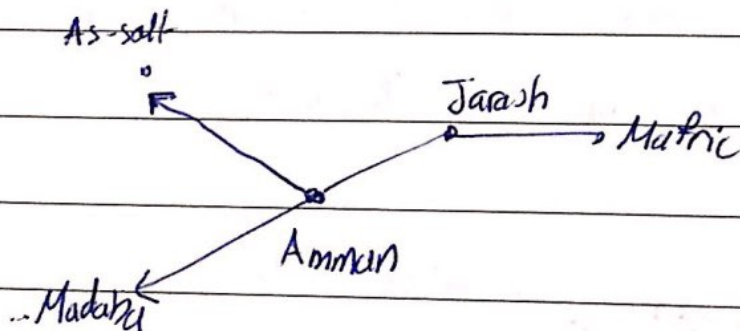
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## \* date knowledge :-

- Static vehicle routing problem :- all customer requests (location, amount of goods, ..) are known in advance.

- Dynamic vehicle routing problem :- all customer requests (location, amount of goods, ..) not all is known in advance

• Route  $\rightarrow$  planned for set of requests known in advance, dynamically updated to incorporate new requests



$G = (N, A)$

\* Graph def :- a graph  $G = (V, E)$  is a set of  $N$  vertices / nodes  $V$  connected by a set of edges / arcs  $A/E$

- vertex: terminal point, intersection point



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Represents city, customs location, depot, road intersection.

• Edge :- link between two vertices

$(i, j) \rightarrow$  connects vertex  $i$  to  $j$

• Arrow representation direction

Head node  $i$



موجه  $i$  إلى  $j$

Tail node  $j$



$\rightarrow$  bidirectional  
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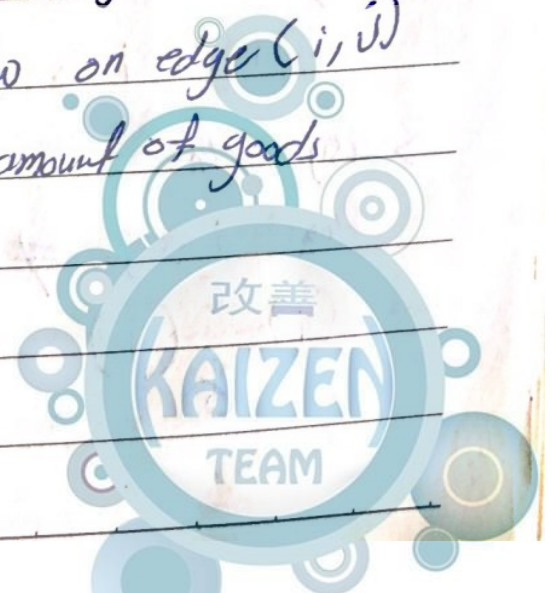
• Edge laces have number of characteristics

Cost  $C_{ij} \rightarrow$  cost (time, distance, money, ...) associated

with  $i$  to  $j$

capacity  $V_{ij} \rightarrow$  maximum flow on edge  $(i, j)$

traffic, amount of goods





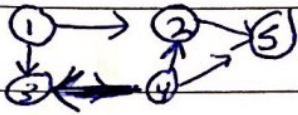
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\* order of a graph :- # of vertices  $|V|$   $\leftarrow$  nodes

\* size of a graph :- # of edges  $|E|$



$$V = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$$

$$E = \{(1, 2), (2, 5), (3, 4), (4, 3), (4, 2), (4, 5)\}$$

order = 5

size = 6

\* Structural properties of Graphs 8-

① undirected versus directed

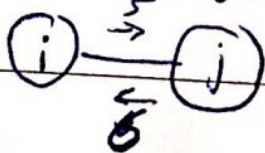
$\hookrightarrow$  connection between  $i$  &  $j$

implies connected between  $j$  &  $i$

$\rightarrow$  Symmetrical network / directed  $\Rightarrow$  Symmetrical  
flow in  $i$  to  $j$  is the same as  $j$  to  $i$

$\rightarrow$  asymmetric

flow  $i \rightarrow j \neq$  flow  $i \leftarrow j$

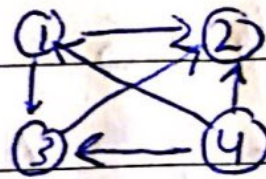


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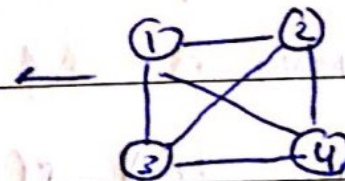


**completeness**: a graph is complete if an edge exists between every pair of vertices (regardless of direction)

all possible connections  
complete set



complete  
undirected



→ how many arcs/edges in complete undirection graph

$$\text{size} = (n-1) + (n-2) + (n-3) + \dots + (n-(n-1))$$

→ (n-1) term

$$\text{Avg edg} = \frac{n-1 + 1}{2} = \frac{n}{2}$$

# of edges to complete graph

✓ size variable

$$\text{total} = \frac{n(n-1)}{2}$$

## \* paths, cycles, Trees :-

For the following definitions, assume there are  $n$  vertices in  $V$  and  $m$  edges in  $E$

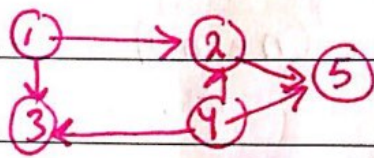
- path: a path in  $G$  is sequence of vertices  $\{i_1, i_2, i_3, \dots, i_p\}$

such that  $i_k \in V \quad \forall k=1, \dots, p$   $i_k$  unique

$i_k$  unique  $\forall k=1, \dots, p$  ← كل دة مرة واحدة

no vertex is visited more than

$(i_k, i_{k+1}) \text{ or } (i_{k+1}, i_k) \in E \quad \forall k=1, \dots, p-1$  ← on time



path from 1 to 5:  $\{1, 2, 5\}$

$\{1, 2, 4, 5\}$  ← با اتجاه الاتجاه

not path from 1 to 5:  $\{1, 3, 5\}$  ← حاد contradiction

$\{1, 2, 4, 3, 1, 2, 5\}$  ← حاد contradiction

→ Path not necessarily a sequence of feasible directions

## \* Directed path :-

additional condition  $(i_k, i_{k+1}) \in E \quad \forall k=1, \dots, p-1$

is a feasible sequence of decisions

$\{1, 2, 5\} \rightarrow$  directed path



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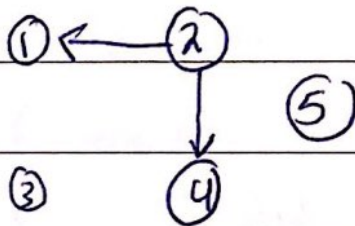
\* connectedness :-

\* connected : two vertices  $i$  &  $j$  are connected in  $G$  if there exists a path from  $i$  &  $j$

↳ regardless of direction

\* adjacency is a special case of connectedness

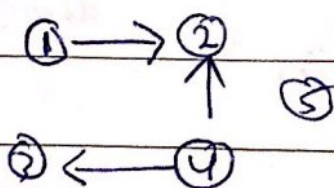
If  $i$  &  $j$  are connected by a path of ~~length~~ length 1  $\Rightarrow$   $i$  &  $j$  are adjacent



nodes 1 & 4 are connected

nodes 1 & 2 are adjacent  
connected  $\Rightarrow$  adjacent

a graph is connected if every pair of vertices in the graph are connected



✓ this graph is not connected



Cycle : set of edges that form a closed loop in Graph.

→ begin from a vertex follow only edges in the cycle regardless of their direction and then return to the same vertex

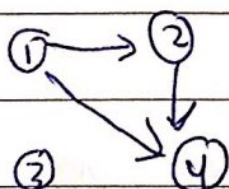
\* A cycle  $C$  in  $G$  is a sequence  $\{i_1, i_2, \dots, i_p, i_1\}$  such that :-

$$i_k \in V \quad k=1, \dots, p$$

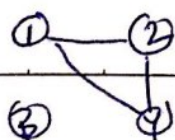
$$i_k \text{ unique } \forall k=1, \dots, p$$

→  $(i_k, i_{k+1})$  or  $(i_{k+1}, i_k) \in E \quad \forall k=1, \dots, p-1$   
 either  $(i_p, i_1)$  or  $(i_1, i_p) \in E$

\* directed network :-



it's cycle  $\{1, 2, 4, 1\}$  but Not Feasible



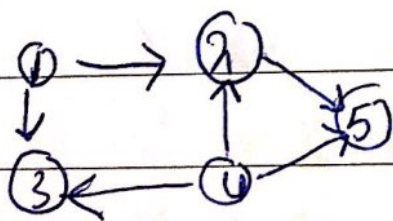
it's cycle  $\{1, 2, 4, 1\}$  and feasible

\* **Tree** - A tree is Graph is a collection of edges such that all vertices connected and no cycle exists

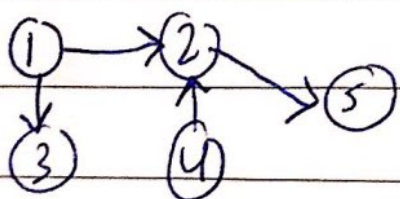
• **Equivalent definition**:-  $n$  vertices in the network.  
 → A tree is a set of  $n-1$  edges such that all vertices are connected

• **Important property of a tree**: there is a unique (not necessarily directed) path between each pair of vertices

directed network



it's not tree it's cycle "3 cycle"



it's tree

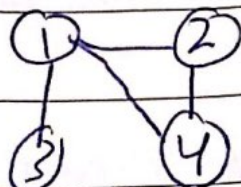


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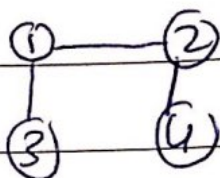
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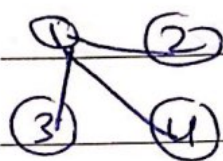
undirected



it's not tree it's cycle



it's tree, 3 edge



it's tree

• what happens if you remove an edge?

Some vertex is no longer connected, so

the graph become not connected

• what happens if you add an edge?

create a cycle





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## mainimum cost path models

\* Cost can be time, distance, \$, ...

### • Single - pair shortest path problem

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→ Find the shortest path between a single source node  $S$ , and a destination node  $t$ .

customer ←  $CD_1$      أو أي من  $CD_i$

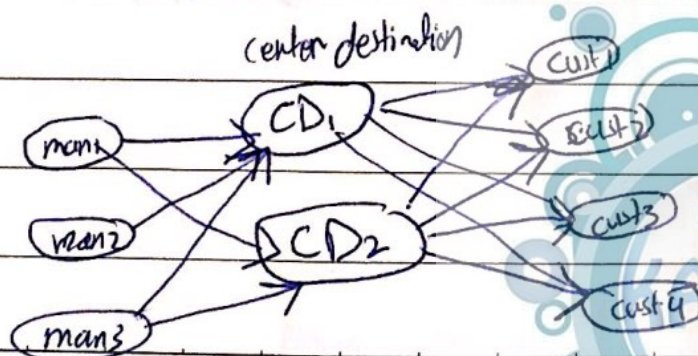
### • single - source shortest path problem

→ to find the shortest path between a single source node " $S$ ", and all other vertices node

customer 1,  $CD_2$ ,  $CD_1$      أي من  $CD_i$

### • single - destination shortest path problem

→ to find the shortest path between a single destination from all vertices



• All pairs Shortest path problem

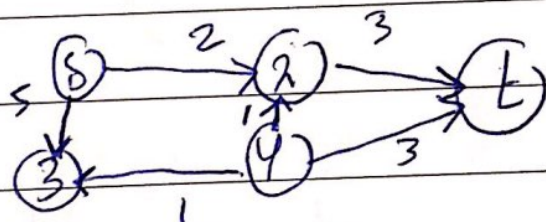
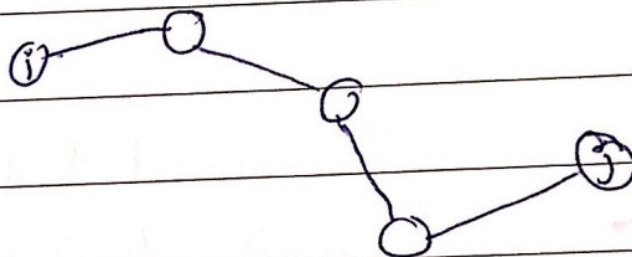
→ to find shortest path between all pairs of vertices

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\* Formulation:- cost of  $C_{ij}$  of  $(i, j) \in E$

Problem to find path "p" from s to t that minimize

$$\sum_{(k, j) \in p} C_{kj}$$



path from s to t  $\rightarrow \{s, 2, t\} \rightarrow \text{cost} = 5$  ✓ the best

$\{s, 3, 4, t\} \rightarrow \text{cost} = 9$





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\* Solving minimum cost path :-

1. Dijkstra's algorithm: single pair   
  $\swarrow$  Single source   
  $\searrow$  single destination

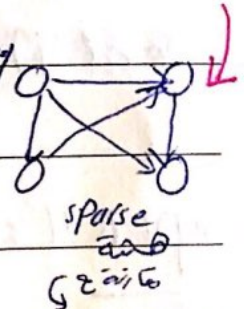
required  $c_{ij} \geq 0$

- pros:- Fast run times for dense networks  $m \rightarrow n^2$

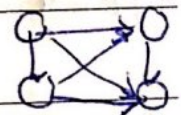
- can be truncated if you have the path of interest

2. Cons:- Alternative method faster for sparse networks

- efficient implementation requires programming



3. Bellman-Ford's modification



2. Bellman-Ford: single-source, allows  $c_{ij} \leq 0$

- pros:- Fast for sparse networks

- simple to implement

- Cons:- cannot be truncated

- may be slow on dense networks



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\* Dijkstra algorithm :- assumption  $c_{ij} \geq 0$   
it is a labeling algorithm in which at each iteration, a different vertex  $p$  is given a permanent label  $V(p)$  that indicates the cost of the shortest path from  $s$  to  $p$

Notation :-

- $V(j)$ : Label of vertex  $j$   $\rightarrow$  denotes the cost of path from  $s$  to  $j$
- $pred(j)$ : predecessor of node  $j$  on shortest path from  $s$  to  $j$
- $PERM$ : set of permanently labeled nodes
- $\overline{PERM}$ : not permanent

[I] \* Initialization

$$V(j) = \begin{cases} 0 & j = s \\ \infty & j \neq s \end{cases}$$

$$pred(j) = \begin{cases} 0 & j = s \\ -1 & j \neq s \end{cases}$$



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$$PERM = \{ \} \quad , \quad \overline{PERM} = V$$

2) \* Iterations :-

while  $\overline{PERM} \neq \emptyset$

1. let  $p \in \overline{PERM}$  be node for which  $V(p)$  is

$$V(p) = \min \{ V(j) \mid j \in \overline{PERM} \}$$

2.  $PERM \leftarrow PERM \cup \{p\}$

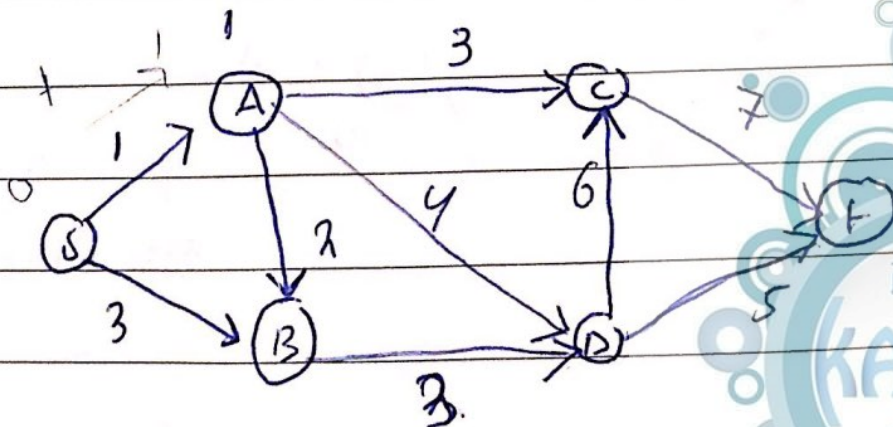
3.  $\overline{PERM} \leftarrow \overline{PERM} \setminus \{p\}$  لا يس له "ما لا يقبل"

4. For all  $(p, j) \in E$  s.t.  $j \in \overline{PERM}$  leading from  $p$   
if  $V(p) + C_{pj} < V(j)$  then

$$V(j) = V(p) + C_{pj}$$

$$pred(j) = p$$

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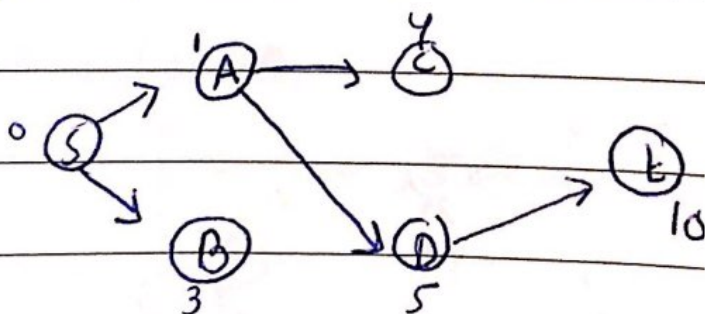


VGJ [ProVGJ]

| Iteration | S    | A            | B            | C               | D               | E               | P | PERK             | PERA             |
|-----------|------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|---|------------------|------------------|
| Init      | 0[0] | $\infty[-1]$ | $\infty[-1]$ | $\infty[-1]$    | $\infty[-1]$    | $\infty[-1]$    | - | {}               | S, A, B, C, D, E |
| 1         | 0[0] | 1[5]         | 3[5]         | <del>4[5]</del> | <del>5[5]</del> | <del>6[5]</del> | S | S                | A, B, C, D, E    |
| 2         |      |              |              | 4[4]            | 5[4]            |                 | A | S, A             | B, C, D, E       |
| 3         |      |              |              |                 |                 |                 | B | S, A, B          | C, D, E          |
| 4         |      |              |              |                 |                 |                 | C | S, A, B, C       | D, E             |
| 5         |      |              |              |                 |                 |                 | D | S, A, B, C, D    | E                |
| 6         | 0[0] | 1[5]         | 3[5]         | 4[4]            | 5[4]            | 10[10]          |   | S, A, B, C, D, E | -                |

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shortes Path from S to E





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## \* Bellman - Ford :-

Label - correcting algorithm

### Initialization

$$v(j) = \begin{cases} 0 & j = s \\ \infty & j \neq s \end{cases}$$

$$pred(j) = \begin{cases} 0 & j = s \\ -1 & j \neq s \end{cases}$$

$$LIST = \{s\}$$

### Iterations

• while  $LIST \neq \emptyset$

1. Remove node  $p$  from top of  $LIST$

2. for every  $(p, j)$  leading from  $p$

a. if  $v(p) + c_{pj} < v(j)$  then

i.  $v(j) = v(p) + c_{pj}$

ii.  $pred(j) = p$





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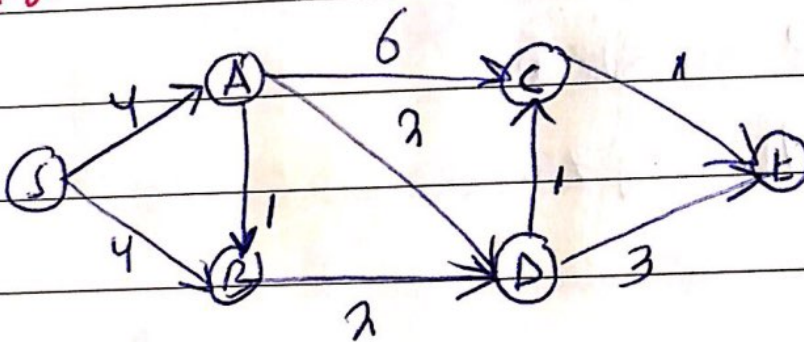
iii. IF  $j \notin \text{LIST} \Rightarrow \text{LIST} \leftarrow \text{LIST} + \{j\}$

Pop's modification if  $j \notin \text{LIST}$ , then

if  $j$  has never been in LIST but  $j$  at end of LIST

Else, put  $j$  at beginning of LIST

\* EX :-





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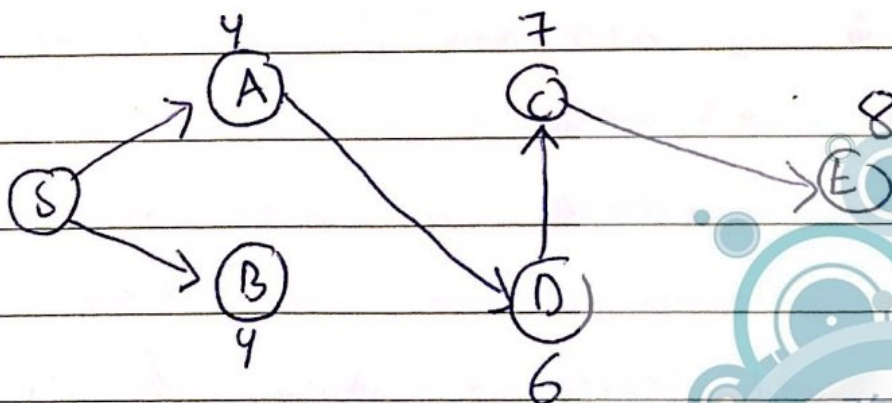
| iter | s    | A            | B            | C            | D            | E            | P | LIST    |
|------|------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---|---------|
| init | 0[0] | $\infty[-1]$ | $\infty[-1]$ | $\infty[-1]$ | $\infty[-1]$ | $\infty[-1]$ | - | S       |
| 1    |      | 4[S]         | 4[S]         |              |              |              | S | A, B    |
| 2    |      |              |              | 10[A]        | 6[A]         |              | A | B, C, D |
| 3    |      |              |              |              |              |              | B | C, D    |
| 4    |      |              |              |              |              | 11[C]        | C | D, E    |
| 5    |      |              |              | 7[D]         |              | 9[D]         | D | C, E    |
| 6    |      |              |              |              |              | 8[E]         | E |         |
| 7    | 0[0] | 4[S]         | 4[S]         | 7[D]         | 6[A]         | 8[E]         | E |         |

↑  
لیست

↑  
top of the list

↑  
در لیست  
بالا قرار  
گرفته  
بعضی بارها

→ the shortest path





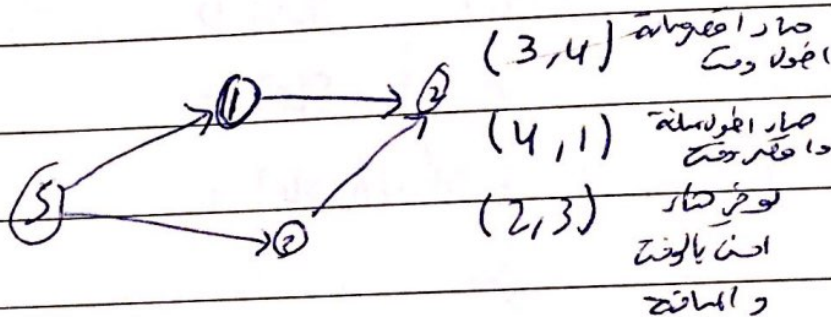
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## \* Multi-Label algorithm for shortest paths:-

- when balancing multiple objectives, distance & time
- vertices given labels with two components ( $d_k, t_k$ )
- ①  $d_k$ : first cost component e.g. total distance required to reach this vertex along some path from S
- ②  $t_k$ : second cost component e.g. total time



- ① Vertices may have multiple labels resulting from different paths
- ② one path to vertex may have longer distance but shorter time
- Instead of a vertex having a predecessor label, each cost component label ( $d_k, t_k$ ) has an associated predecessor label  $\rightarrow \text{pred}(k)$



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- ① only maintain non-dominated labels at each vertex.
- ② A label  $(d_q, t_q)$  is dominated by  $(d_k, t_k)$  if both  $d_q > d_k$  &  $t_q > t_k$

③ Maintain a LIST of labels instead of vertices:-

### \* Initialization :-

- origin vertex  $S$  given the label  $(0, 0)_1^S$  where  
indicates the vertex where the label exists      indicates label number  $k_s$

⇒ The predecessor of this label is 0  $\text{pred}(k) = \text{pred}(1) = 0$

④ No labels given to other vertices

•  $\text{LIST} = \{ (0, 0)_1^S \}$

⑤  $r = 2$  "keep track of number of next label generated"

### \* Iterations :-

⑥ while  $\text{LIST} \neq \{ \}$

⇒ 1. Remove label  $k$  from beginning of LIST

suppose label  $k$  has components such that it exists of vertex  $P$



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2. for every edge  $(p, j)$  leading from vertex  $p$ :

a. create a new label at vertex  $j$  where

$$(d_r, t_r) = (d_k + d_{pj}, t_k + t_{pj})$$

b. Define  $\text{pred}(r) = k$

c. Add label  $r$  to end of LIST

d. compare label  $r$  to each existing label  $(d_q, t_q)$  currently at vertex  $j$

i. If label  $r$  is dominated by label  $q$ , discard the new label  $r$  and remove it from LIST

$$d_r \geq d_q \text{ and } t_r \geq t_q$$

ii. Else, if label  $q$  is dominated by  $r$ , discard  $q$

iii. Else, retain both

e.  $r \neq \text{null}$

→ Stopping rule: when no labels in LIST

→ multi paths



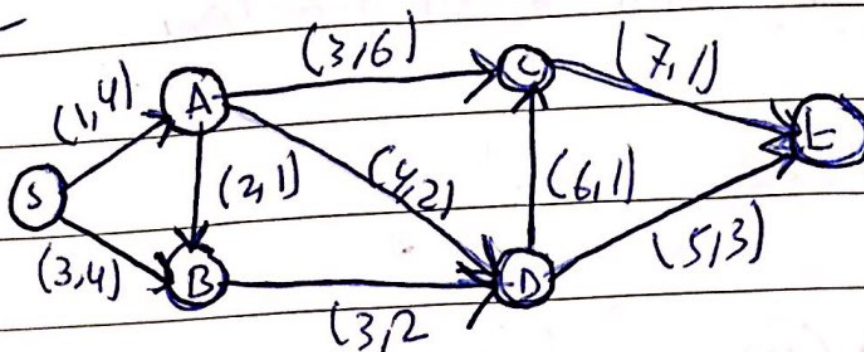


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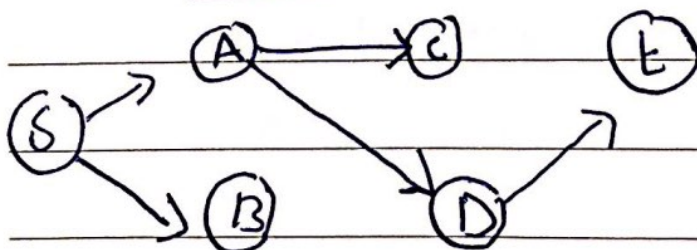
Ex:-



| S           | A           | B           | C            | D           | E               | LIST            | r  |
|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|-----------------|----|
| $(0,0)_0^S$ | $(1,4)_2^A$ | $(3,4)_3^B$ | $(4,10)_4^C$ | $(5,6)_5^D$ | $(11,11)_8^E$   | $(0,0)_1^S$     | 2  |
|             |             | $(3,5)_3^B$ | $(11,7)_9^C$ | $(6,6)_7^D$ | $(10,9)_{10}^E$ | $(1,4)_2^A$     | 3  |
|             |             |             |              |             | $(18,9)_{11}^E$ | $(3,4)_3^B$     | 4  |
|             |             |             |              |             |                 | $(4,10)_4^E$    | 5  |
|             |             |             |              |             |                 | $(5,8)_5^D$     | 6  |
|             |             |             |              |             |                 | $(3,5)_6^B$     | 7  |
|             |             |             |              |             |                 | $(6,6)_7^D$     | 8  |
|             |             |             |              |             |                 | $(11,11)_8^E$   | 9  |
|             |             |             |              |             |                 | $(11,7)_9^C$    | 10 |
|             |             |             |              |             |                 | $(10,9)_{10}^E$ | 11 |
|             |             |             |              |             |                 | $(18,8)_{11}^E$ |    |

First cost component: distance

Shortest distance path to all nodes from S





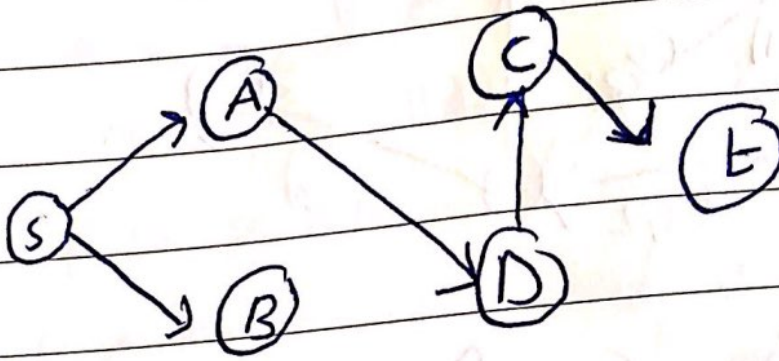
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Second cost compound : time

Shortest time path to all nodes from S





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## \* Minimum Spanning Tree :-

Definition of a tree:

a tree is a collection of  $n-1$  edges such that all vertices in  $G$  are connected, no cycles exist

A minimum spanning Tree (MST)  $T^*$  in  $G(V, E)$  is a tree such that the total cost of all arcs in the tree is minimize

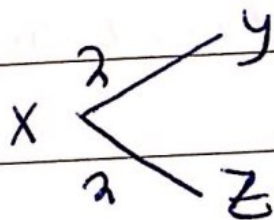
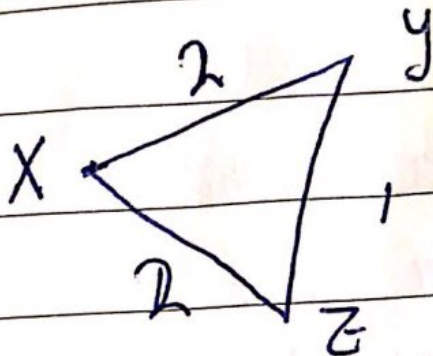
$$T^* = \arg \min_{T \in G} \left\{ \sum_{i,j \in T} c_{ij} \right\}$$

\* Question :- is MST the same as shortest path tree?

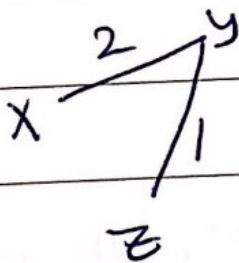
No, the 'SP tree' minimize length shortest path(s) from some origin node to all other nodes, while the MST minimize the total cost of all arcs in the tree



Ex 2



$\sum C_{ij} = 4$       ← SPT



$\sum C_{ij} = 3$       ← MST



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\* Two algorithms :- MST

- Kruskal's algorithm

- Prim's algorithm

→ Kruskal's algorithm

- Initialization :-

Tree = { }

- Iterations :-

sort arcs in order of non-decreasing  $C_{ij}$  in list

while  $|TREE| < n-1$

Remove  $(i, j)$  from top of LIST

\* add  $(i, j)$  to Tree if doing so does not create cycle  
at completion

$T^* = TREE$

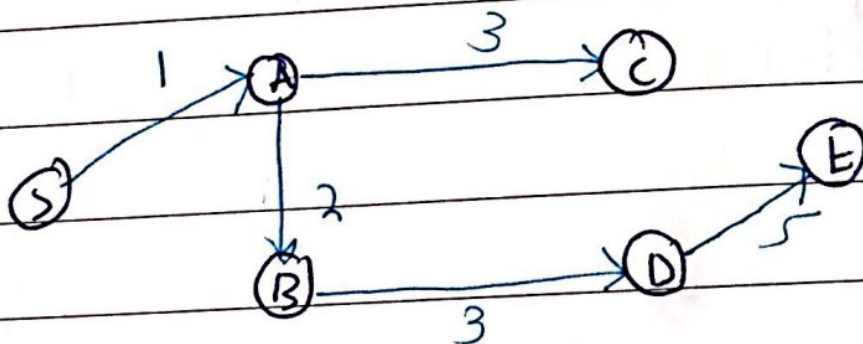
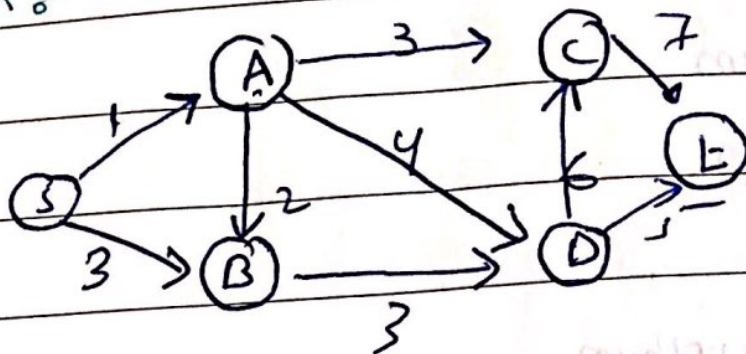
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Ex :-



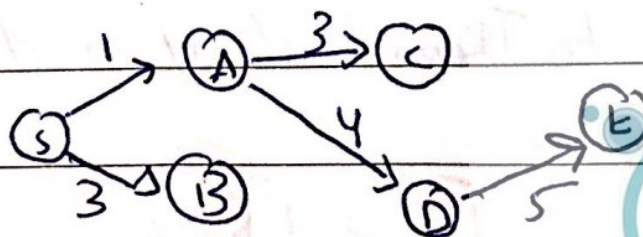
$$\text{arcs} = n - 1$$

$$= 6 - 1 = 5$$

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- (1) قائم اني ما تسمى cycle  
 (2) بروج كه اقل اقيم بختنا نظركه دو كاخ

SPT →



$$\text{cost} = 16$$

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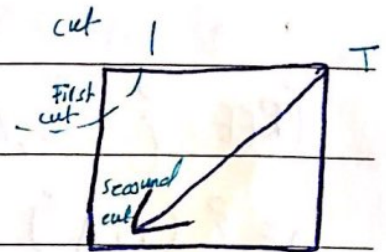
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## \* Prim's Algorithm :-

cut in a network: suppose vertices in  $G$  partitioned into two independent subsets  $S$  &  $T$ .

The cut set  $(S, T)$  is given by all arcs  $(i, j)$

such that:  $i \in S$  &  $j \in T$  or  
 $j \in S$  &  $i \in T$



## \* Algorithm:-

- Initialization  $\rightarrow$

$TREE = \{ \}$

$S = \{1\}$ ,  $T = V \setminus S$   $S$  is the vertex 1

- Iteration  $\rightarrow$

While  $|TREE| < n-1$

\* Find arc  $(i, j) \in (S, T)$  with minimum cost  $c_{ij}$

• add  $(i, j)$  to  $TREE$

• Remove  $j$  from  $T$  add to  $S$

$\rightarrow$  Stop when  $|TREE| = n-1$

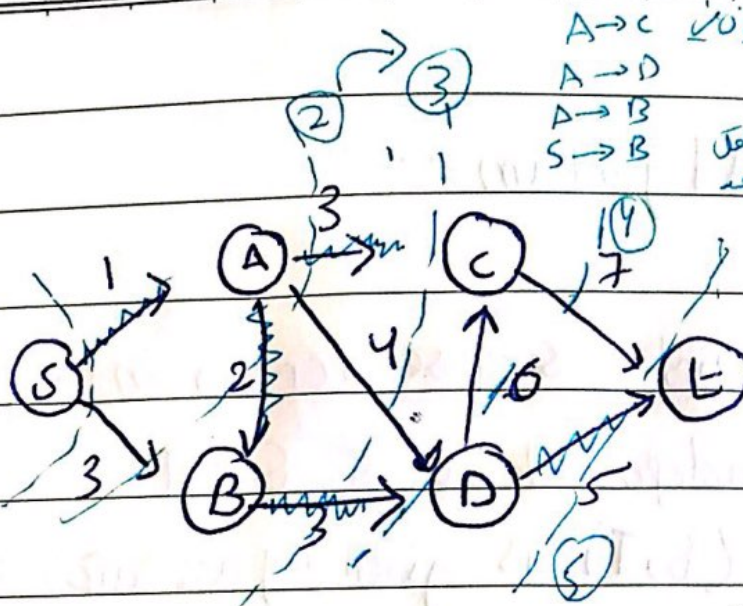


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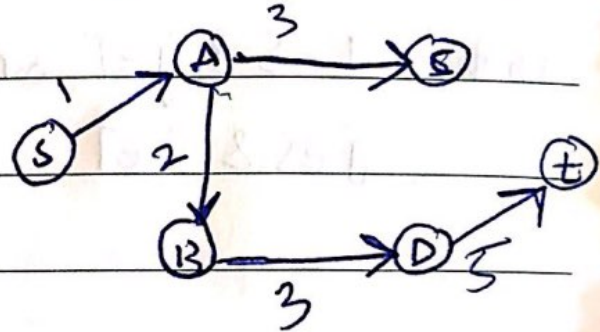


①

TREE = { (S, A) }

S = { 1, A }

T = { B, C, D, E }



② TREE = { (S, A), (A, B) }

S = { 1, A, B }

T = { C, D, E }

③ TREE = { (S, A), (A, B), (A, C) }

S = { 1, A, B, C }

T = { D, E }





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④ TREE =  $\{(s, A), (A, B), (A, C), (B, D)\}$

$S = \{1, A, B, C, D\}$

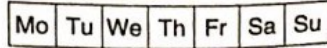
$T = \{1\}$

⑤ TREE =  $\{(s, A), (A, B), (A, C), (B, D), (D, E)\}$

$S = \{1, A, B, C, D, E\}$

$T = \{1\}$





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## \* useful applications of mini-max paths :-

### 1) Elevation change

very steep road segments ↑ fuel & ↑ maintenance

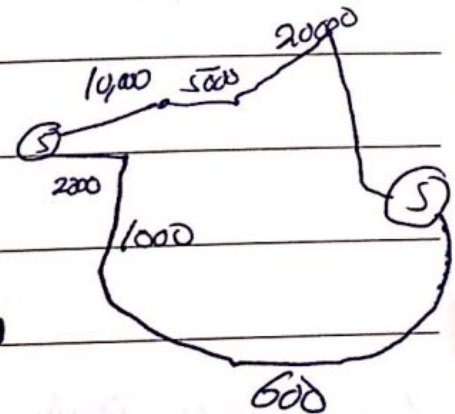
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⇒ A void road segment  
with a maximum elevation change

### 2) Hazardous materials

if material spilled population  
hazard → A void densely population

⇒ minimum max population exposed



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ولا بالكلية انا بقتم  
انه يكون في اقرب عدد سكان  
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\* The minimum path problem is solved by solving  
sp problem

\* The min-max problem is solved by solving minimum  
spanning tree problem



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## \* Vehicle Routing Problems :-

Vehicle departs from node  $s$  (link depot) visiting a number of locations  $(1, 2, \dots, P)$  and returning to node  $s$ . The objective is to choose the sequence of nodes  $1, 2, \dots, P$  which minimizes the cost of circuit.

Q: How is this different from routing problems we have been studying? It considers returning to the same starting point (cycle).

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When routing only a single vehicle,  $\rightarrow$  we refer to this problem as Traveling salesman problem TSP

When a number of vehicles route  $\rightarrow$  VRP general case

\* Triangle-inequality :- The first step in solving routing problems is to develop a complete undirected network  $G=(V, E)$  satisfying the triangle-inequality



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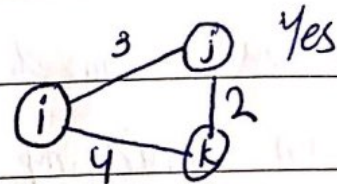
where  $V$  is limited to the nodes that will be visited (includes source  $s$ , &  $1, 2, \dots, p$ )

- A complete network  $G = (V, E)$  satisfies the  $\Delta$ -inequality if and only if "iff"  $\forall i, j, k \in V$ , the following relationship holds  $\rightarrow C_{ik} \leq C_{ij} + C_{jk}$

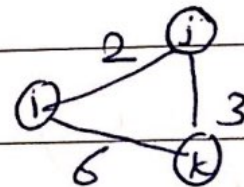
$$4 \stackrel{?}{\leq} 3 + 2 \quad \checkmark$$

$$2 \leq 4 + 3$$

$$3 \leq 2 + 4$$



$$6 \not\leq 2 + 3$$

No ULD  $\leftarrow$ 

\* Generating a complete undirected network satisfying the  $\Delta$ -inequality :-

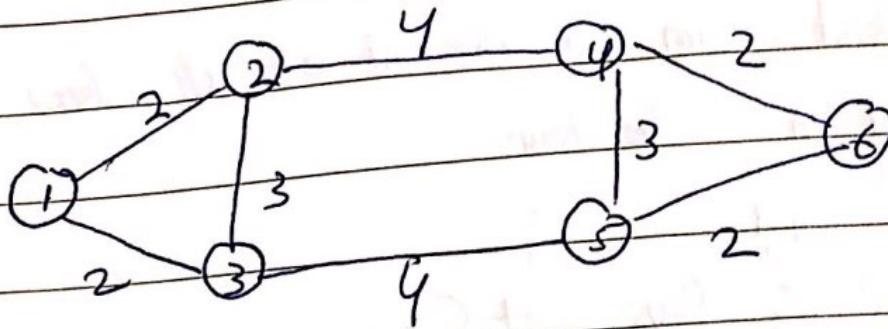
Assumption a path exists between all nodes in  $V'$  in  $G'$  and cost from  $i$  to  $j$  does not differ from the cost from  $j$  to  $i$



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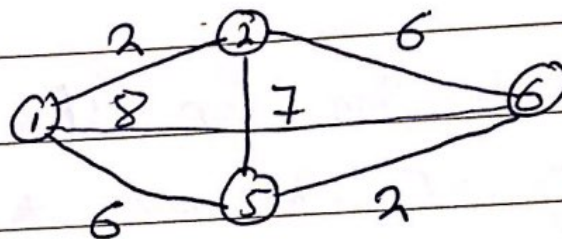
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$$G = \{V, E\}$$

$$V' = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\} \quad \text{و } V = \{1, 2, 5, 6\}$$



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Complete

\*TSP tour on a complete undirected (symmetric) network  $G(V, E)$  :- let  $n$  be the number of nodes in  $V$ . A TSP tour  $T$  is a sequence of all nodes in  $V$ ,  $T = \{i_1, i_2, \dots, i_n, i_1\}$  where  $i_k \in V$  and each  $i_k$  unique  $\forall k \neq l, 1 \leq k, l \leq n$ .

$$T = \{1, 2, 6, 5, 1\}$$

Tour cost: sum of the cost of all edges traversed in the tour

$$C(T) = \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} C_{v_i v_{i+1}} + C_{v_n v_1}$$

SP

optimal TSP tour:  $TSP = \arg \min_{T \in \mathcal{T}} C(T)$

\* An inefficient algorithm for TSP :-

- Enumerate every tour in the network
- choose the one the lowest cost

$$(n-1) * (n-2) * (n-3) \dots = (n-1)!$$

8 → 10 nodes

$$* \text{Tour} = 10! = 3,628,800$$

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→ Algorithm :- it guarantees to converge to a solution

→ Heuristic :- solution feasible



## \* Heuristic algorithms :-

- provides a feasible solution that may or may not be optimal
- Good heuristic
  - provide solutions close to optimal
  - Efficient in run time

### → Desirable property of heuristic

- Ability to compare quality of solutions produced by the heuristic to the optimal solution
- worst-case quality of solutions produce can be guaranteed

① These 'guarantees' (Maximum deviations from optimality) developed are produced using worst-case analysis.

② If the cost of optimal solution is  $C^*$ , then heuristic finds a solution with cost no greater than  $\alpha C^*$  (minimization problem)

## \* Heuristics for TSP :-

[1] Christofides heuristic

[2] Constructive heuristic

- nearest neighbor
- nearest insertion
- farthest insertion
- cheapest insertion

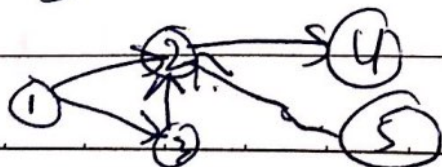
[3] Improvement heuristics : 2-opt  
k-opt

### ⇒ Christofides heuristic :-

• Assumption complete network satisfying the  $\Delta$ -inequality

→ few definitions

• Node degree, def the degree of a node  $i \in V$  with respect to an edge set  $E$  ( $\rightarrow$  how many edge enter / leave  $i$ ) is the number of edge in  $E$  having  $i$  as an edge point



\* perfect node matching def:

Give a set of nodes  $S$  such that the number of nodes in  $S$  is given, a perfect node matching  $w$  is a set of  $|S|/2$  node pairings such that each node in  $S$  is in exactly one pairing

→ in a complete network, each node pairing represent an arc  $(i, j)$

→ Christofides heuristic

- Iterations:-

→ Given an undirected complete network  $G = (V, E)$  satisfying the  $\Delta$ -inequality, find a minimum spanning tree ( $MST^*$ ) on  $G$

→ let  $S$  be the nodes of  $G$  with odd degree with respect  $MST^*$

\* Find the minimum cost perfect node matching  $w^*$  of the nodes in  $S$

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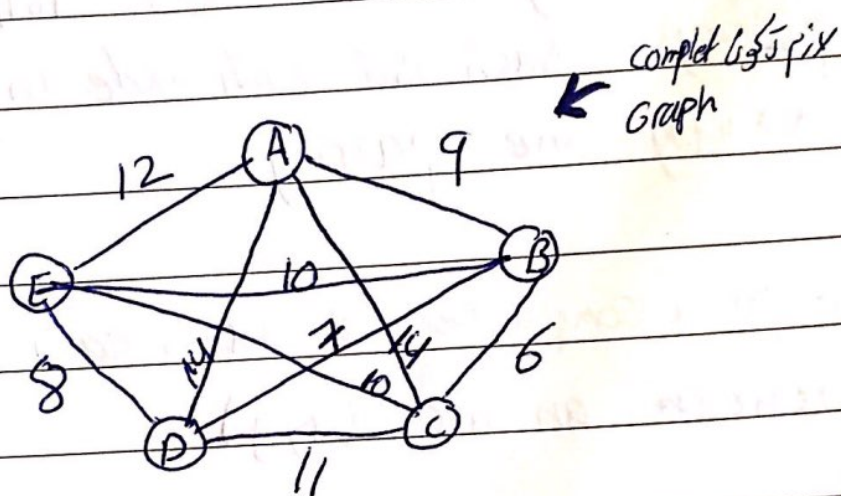
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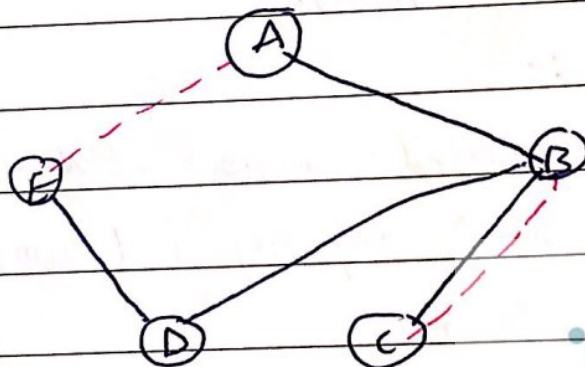
\* find  $R = W^* \cup MST^*$

\* Generate a tour  $T^c$  of the nodes using each of the arcs in the set  $MST^* \cup W^*$

Ex:-



① ~~A~~ MST



② nodes with odd degree with respect to MST

A, B, C, E

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(3)

$$\begin{array}{r} AB \quad 9 \\ CE \quad 10 \\ \hline 19 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} AC \quad 14 \\ BE \quad 10 \\ \hline 24 \end{array}$$

W\*

$$\begin{array}{r} AE \quad 12 \\ BC \quad 6 \\ \hline 18 \end{array}$$

(4) W\* U MST\*

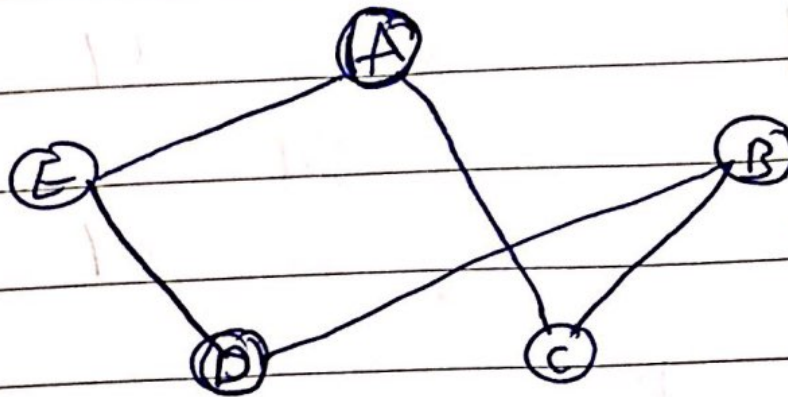
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(5) A - E - D - B - C - ~~B~~ - A →

$E T = \{A, E, D, B, C, A\}$

Final answer →  
Tour





$$C(T) \leq 47$$

→ let  $T^c$  be a tour produced by a Christofides.

Theorem, worst-case performance bound for Christofides

$$\text{Cost}(T^c) \leq \frac{3}{2} C(TSP^*)$$



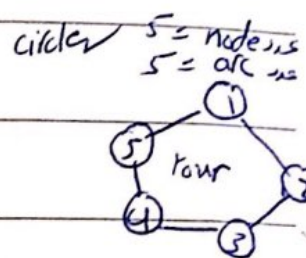
# ① A Nearest neighbor heuristic :-

Assumption :- complete undirected network

satisfying  $\Delta$ -inequality

→ Initialization : 2-options

• let  $P = \{i, j, i\}$  where  $C_{ij} = \min_{(i,j) \in E} C_{ij}$



OR

• let  $i$  be arbitrary start node, find  $j \in V \setminus \{i\}$  such that  $C_{ij}$  minimized → let  $P = \{i, j\}$

→ Iterations :-

• while  $|P| < n$

- let  $s$  be the beginning node of the path and  $t$  to be the end

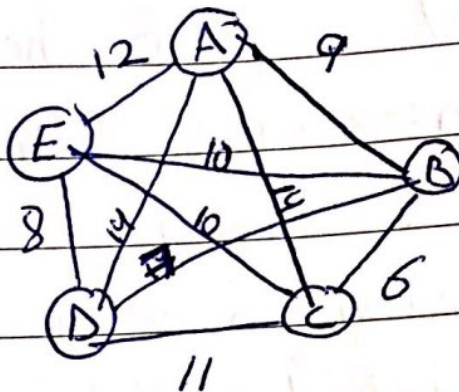
- choose the node  $k \in V \setminus P$  to enter the path:

• let  $k$  be such that  $C_{tk}$  or  $C_{ks}$  is minimized

- The new path is either  $P + \{k\}$  or  $\{k\} + P$



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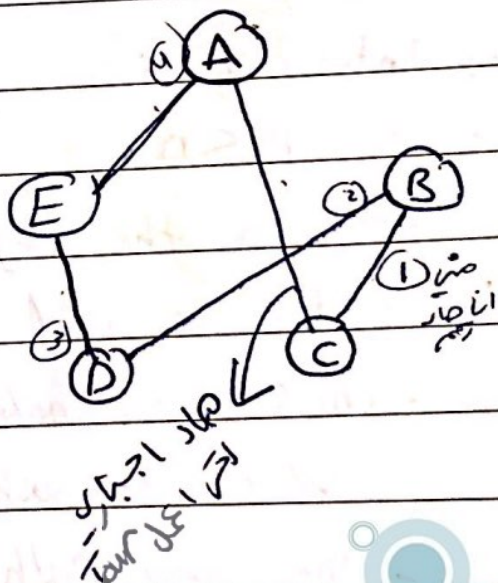
→ Initialization:-

①  $\min C_{ij} \Rightarrow B-C$        $P = \{B-C\}$

→ Iter 1

B: closest is D 7 ✓

C: closest is E 10



②  $P = \{D-B-C\}$

→ Iter 2

D: closest is E 8 ✓

C: closest is E 10

③  $P = \{E-D-B-C\}$



← iter 3 P ملاقات، انیمنڈ کی وجہ سے P

E: Closest is A 12 ✓

C: Closest is A 14

④ P, { A - E - D - B - C }

∴ T = { A - E - D - B - C - A }

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 nodes  
 arc

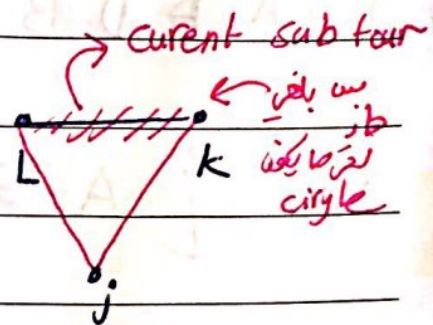
C = 47



## ② Nearest Insertion Heuristic :-

Insertions cost, def. :- inserting node  $j$  between nodes  $L$  &  $k$  where  $L$  &  $k$  are a pair of successive nodes in a tour has a cost =  $c_{Lj} + c_{jk} - c_{Lk}$

⇒ Assumption: undirected network  $G = (V, E)$  satisfying  $\Delta$ -inequality



### ⇒ Initialization :-

Find arc  $(i, j)$  with min cost in  $E \Rightarrow T = \{i, j, i\}$



### ⇒ Iterations :-

• while  $|T| < n+1$

- Find the node not in tour closest to a node in the tour

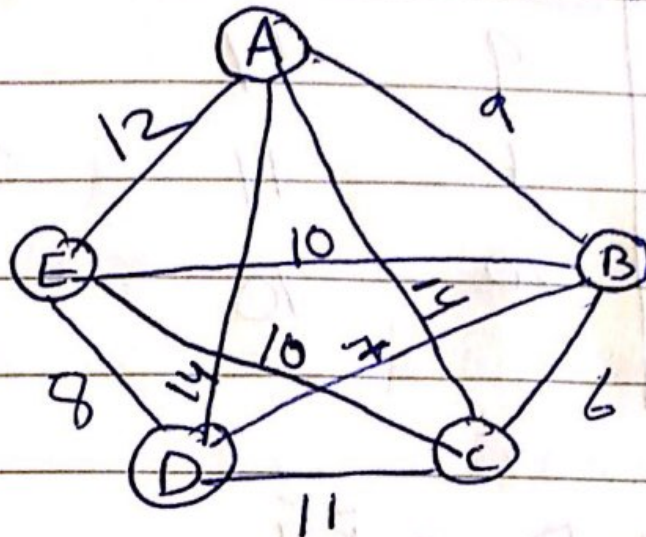
⇒ let  $c_j(T)$  be min  $c_{ij}$  for all nodes  $j \notin T$

- Find insertion location in tour with min  $\{i \in T \mid \text{insertion cost}\}$

Find arc  $(L, k)$  in tour with min  $c_{Lj} + c_{jk} - c_{Lk}$

Insert 1 between 1 & k

EX :-



① initial

(A)

$W(T) = \{B-C-B\}$

$C(T) = 12$

(E)

(D)



② Iter 1

$T = \{B - C - B\}$

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| $i \in T$<br>$j \in T$ | B  | C  |
|------------------------|----|----|
| A                      | 9  | 14 |
| D                      | 7  | 11 |
| E                      | 10 | 10 |

Cost of insertion

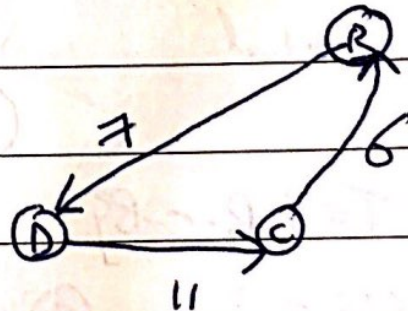
$$C_{BD} + C_{DC} - C_{BC} = 7 + 11 - 6 = 12$$

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$T = \{B - D - C - B\}$

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$$C(T) = 12 + 12 = 24$$



③ Iter 2

| $i \in T$<br>$j \in T$ | B  | C  | D  |
|------------------------|----|----|----|
| A                      | 9  | 14 | 14 |
| E                      | 10 | 10 | 8  |

| $i \in T$<br>$j \in T$ | B  | C  | D  |
|------------------------|----|----|----|
| A                      | 9  | 14 | 14 |
| E                      | 10 | 10 | 8  |



$$T = \{B \rightarrow D \rightarrow C \rightarrow B\}$$

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Insertion:

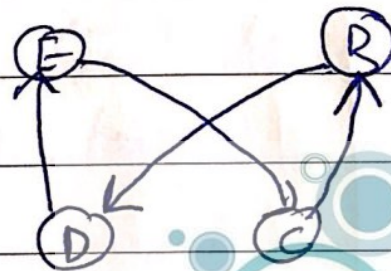
$$(B, D) = C_{BE} + C_{ED} - C_{BD} = 10 + 8 - 7 = 11$$

$$(D, C) = C_{DE} + C_{EC} - C_{DC} = 8 + 10 - 11 = 7$$

$$(C, B) = C_{CE} + C_{EB} - C_{CB} = 10 + 10 - 6 = 14$$

$$T = \{B \rightarrow D \rightarrow E \rightarrow C \rightarrow B\}$$

$$C(T) = 24 + 7 = 31$$



4 iter 3 لا يوجد حل A insertion.



$$T = \{B \rightarrow D \rightarrow E \rightarrow C \rightarrow B\}$$



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## Insertion

$$(B \rightarrow D) = C_{BA} + C_{AD} - C_{BD} = \underline{16}$$

$$(D \rightarrow E) = C_{DA} + C_{AE} - C_{DE} = 18$$

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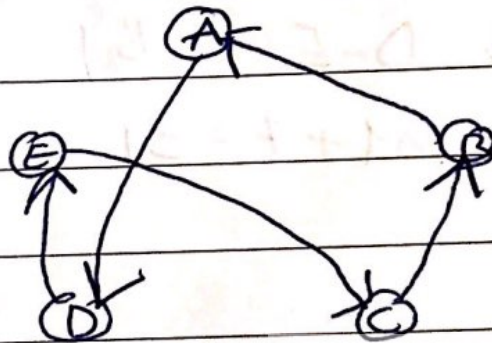
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$$(E \rightarrow C) = C_{EA} + C_{AC} - C_{EC} = \underline{16}$$

$$(C \rightarrow B) = C_{CA} + C_{AB} - C_{CB} = 17$$

$$T = \{B - A - D - E - C - B\}$$

$$C(T) = 16 + 31 = 47$$





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### ③ Farthest Insertion Heuristic

Assumption: undirect

→ Initialization:

Find arc  $(i, j)$  with Maximum cost in  $E$

$T = \{i, j, i\}$  "Max  $C_{ij}$ "

⇒ Iterations:

Identical to nearest insertion, except when choosing the node to enter the tour in each iteration, use the following criteria

- For every node  $j$  not in the tour, Find minimum distance edge  $(j, i)$  connecting node  $j$  to a node in the tour

that is:

let  $c_j(T)$  be  $\min C_{ij}$  for  $j \notin T, i \in T$

Pick node  $j$  for which  $c_j(T)$  is Maximized

→ The node to insert is the node with maximum  $c_j(T)$

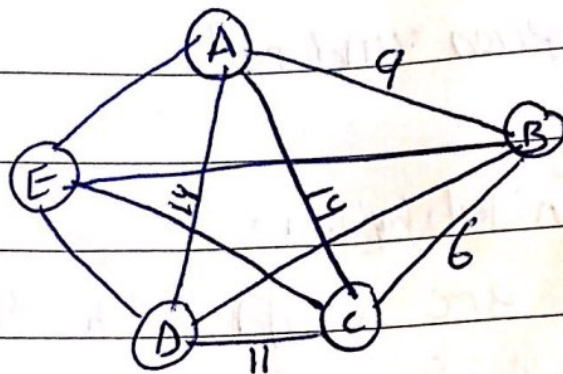


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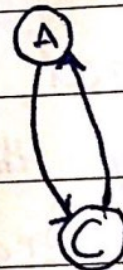
Ex :-



Initial :-

$T = \{A-C-A\}$  بتاً حله اقله واحد

$C(T) = 28$



Iter. 1 :-

| $\begin{matrix} \text{set} \\ \text{set} \end{matrix}$ | A  | C         | بأخذ أقل قيمة بعد حذف وحدة واحدة | Find min in each row then max |
|--------------------------------------------------------|----|-----------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| B                                                      | 9  | <u>6</u>  | من بين 9 و 6 أصغرهما 6           |                               |
| D                                                      | 14 | <u>11</u> | من بين 14 و 11 أصغرهما 11        |                               |
| E                                                      | 12 | <u>10</u> | من بين 12 و 10 أصغرهما 10        |                               |

insertion

$$(A, C) \rightarrow C_{AD} + C_{DC} - C_{AC} = 11$$

$T = \{A-D-C-A\}$

$$C(T) = 11 + 28 = 39$$



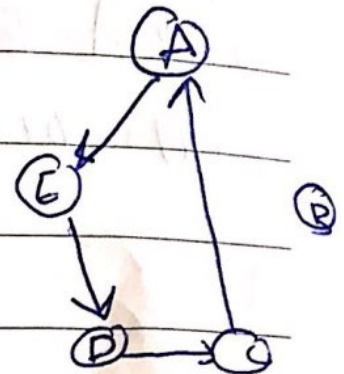
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Iter 2:

| i \ j | A  | <del>B</del> | D        |
|-------|----|--------------|----------|
| B     | 9  | <u>6</u>     | 7        |
| E     | 12 | 10           | <u>8</u> |



insertion

$$(A, D) \rightarrow C_{AE} + C_{ED} - C_{AD} = 12 + 8 - 14 = 6$$

$$(D, C) \rightarrow C_{DE} + C_{EC} - C_{DC} = 10 + 8 - 11 = 7$$

$$(C, A) \rightarrow C_{CE} + C_{EA} - C_{CA} = 8 + 12 - 14 = 6$$

$$T = \{A + E + D + C - A\}$$

$$C(T) = 39 + 6 = 45$$

iter 3:- B n jo

insertion

$$(A-E) \rightarrow C_{AB} + C_{EB} - C_{AE} =$$

$$(E-D) \rightarrow C_{EB} + C_{BD} - C_{ED} =$$

$$(D-C) \rightarrow C_{DB} + C_{BC} - C_{DC} =$$

$$(C-A) \rightarrow C_{CB} + C_{BA} - C_{CA} =$$



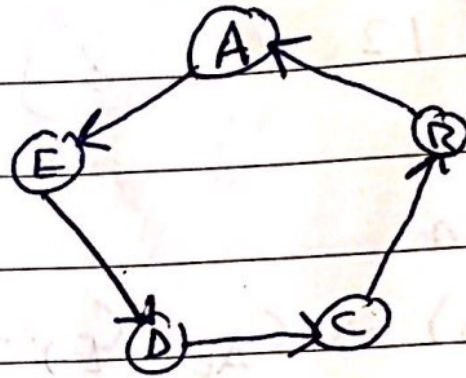
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Is [A-E-D-C-B-A]?

C(T) = 4571546



## ④ ~~X~~ cheapest insertion Heuristic :-

Assumptions: undirected complete graph,  
satisfying Triangle inequality

initial:- Find Min  $a_{ij}$  with min  
cost  $c_{ij} \Rightarrow T = \{i, j\}$

Iterations:-

while  $|T| < n+1$

- Find  $j$  not in tour  $\Rightarrow$  Find insertion cost  
for all possible insertion locations
- Pick min insertion cost

| insertion<br>location<br>k $\in$ T | (B-C)                      | (C-D)                      | (D-B)                      |
|------------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| A                                  | $C_{BA} + C_{AC} - C_{BC}$ | $C_{CA} + C_{AD} - C_{CD}$ | $C_{DA} + C_{AB} - C_{DB}$ |
| E                                  | $C_{BE} + C_{EC} - C_{BC}$ | $C_{CE} + C_{CD}$          |                            |





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## \* Mathematical formulation of TSP :-

The symmetric TSP is for multatoli

note that  $i < j$   $(i, j) \rightarrow$

$E = \{ (1,2), (1,3), (1,4),$

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

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

$(4,5) \}$

variable :-

binary  $\rightarrow$  ①  $X_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } (i,j) \text{ is include in tour} \\ 0 & \text{o.w.} \end{cases}$

②  $C_{ij}$

$$\textcircled{1} \min \sum_i \sum_j C_{ij} X_{ij} = \min \sum_{(i,j) \in E} C_{ij} X_{ij}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \text{ s.t. } \sum_{i \in V: (i,j) \in E} X_{ij} + \sum_{i \in V: (j,i) \in E} X_{ji} = 2$$

$$\forall j \in V \quad \textcircled{2}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \sum_{(i,j) \in E: i \in S, j \notin S} x_{ij} + \sum_{(j,i) \in E: j \in S, i \notin S} x_{ji} \geq 2$$

$$\forall S \subset V \neq \emptyset$$

$$(i,j) \in E: i \in S, j \notin S \quad (j,i) \in E: j \in S, i \notin S$$

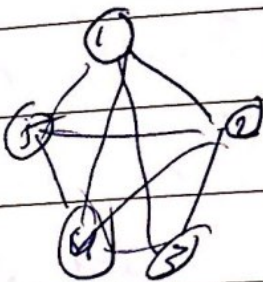
$$2 \leq |S| \leq \frac{|V|}{2}$$

$$x_{ij} \in \{0, 1\}$$

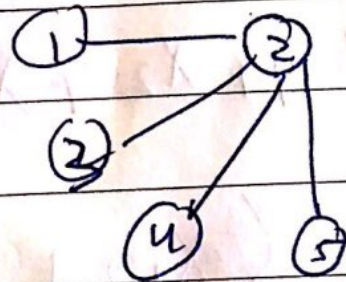
• objective (1): minimize total cost of included arcs

• constraint set (2): Exactly 2 edges incident to each vertex

لازم ان كل عقدة و لها 2 حواف فقط  
كل عقدة 3 حواف



for  $j \leq 2$



for  $j \leq 2$

$$x_{12} + x_{23} + x_{24} + x_{25} = 2$$

$\sum x_{ij}$   
فقط اربعة حواف

$\sum x_{ji}$   
فقط اربعة حواف

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Complete graph

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sets training D-metality

نو کاٹ جی  $\sum x_{ij}$  کی 1 = 0

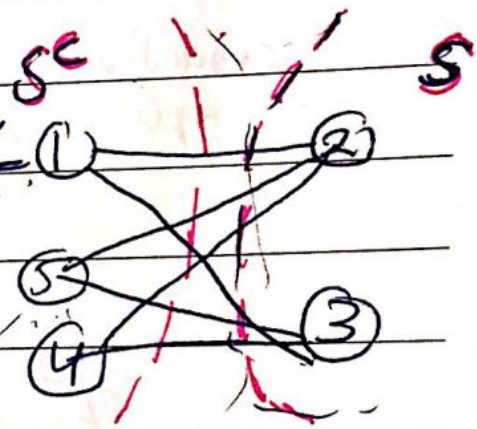
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$x_{ij} = 0$

Constraint (3): Connectivity constraints

we should have one constraint for each possible subset of size 2 or 3

For  $s \in \{2, 3\} \forall s \in \{1, 4, 5\}$



$(x_{24} + x_{25} + x_{34} + x_{35}) +$

$(x_{12} + x_{13}) \geq 2$

Sub-Tour

Ex:  $s = \{1, 2, 3\}$ ,  $s^c = \{4, 5\}$

$(x_{14} + x_{15} + x_{24} + x_{25} + x_{34} + x_{35}) +$

$(0) \geq 2$

$$\lfloor 2.4 \rfloor \rightarrow 2$$

$$\lfloor 2.5 \rfloor \rightarrow 3$$

$$\lfloor 2.5 \rfloor \rightarrow 2$$

$$\lceil 2.4 \rceil \rightarrow 3$$

$$\lceil 2.3 \rceil \rightarrow 3$$

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• constraint set (3) : continued :-

it is only necessary to formulate a constraint of type (3) for subsets of size  $2 \leq |S| \leq \lfloor \frac{|V|}{2} \rfloor$

↳ why not subsets of size 1?

constraint (2) takes care of it

→ for subsets of size  $> \lfloor \frac{|V|}{2} \rfloor$

the subsets are complements to some subsets of size  $< \lfloor \frac{|V|}{2} \rfloor$

↳ why not subset of size  $|V|$ ? it is what we looking for

(4) constraint set (4) : Introduce here :-

is an alternative <sup>or</sup> for constraint set (3)

↳ would replace constraint set (3)

$$\sum_{(i,j) \in E: i \in S, j \notin S} x_{ij} \leq |S| - 1$$

$\forall S \subseteq V$

$$2 \leq |S| \leq \lfloor \frac{|V|}{2} \rfloor$$

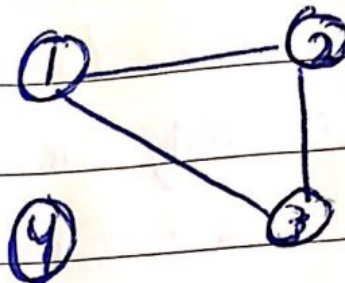
EX:- For  $\delta = \{1, 2, 3\}$

arc  $\leftarrow$

$$x_{12} + x_{13} + x_{23} \leq |\delta| - 1$$

$$3 - 1$$

$$x_{12} + x_{13} + x_{23} \leq 2$$



sub tour elimination

line 16

constant 4

## \* Vehicle Routing Problem "VRP"

TSP: all customers request are served by a single vehicle "tour"

→ In VRP,  $m$  vehicles are based at a depot, and the problem is to find the set of  $m$  least-cost tours, based at the depot serving all (or subset of) customer request

## \* Common operational Constraints in "VRP"

- Number of vehicles in

↳ can be Fixed or Variable

- capacitated vehicles

↳ Capacity  $Q$  # of, weight of, volume of that can fit in a trucks

- work shift duration

↳ capacity constrained

- Time windows of customers



\* The classic VRP:-

suppose homogeneous fleet of vehicles.

They have to serve  $n$  customers based in a depot  $\leftarrow \parallel \rightarrow$  each with capacity  $Q$

\* Each of  $n$  customers demands. customer demand  $q_i$ ,  $i=1, \dots, n$  \* demand cannot be split  $\rightarrow$  one

\* Travel cost between locations  $i$  &  $j$  is  $C_{ij}$

The VRP is to find a set of vehicles tours, each beginning and ending at the depot such that each customer's demand is served, no vehicle violates capacity constraint, and total cost is minimized

$\rightarrow$  "total travel cost"

\* which problem that we have studied is a special case of the VRP?

~~\* SP  $\Rightarrow m=1$   $Q=\infty$~~

\* Another problem with important applications in transportation & logistics is a special case of VRP

Bin Packing Problem

→ Bin packing problem: assumes  $c_{ij} = 0$  for all  $(i, j)$  + TSP = VRP  
capacity constraint remains

$$BPP + TSP = VRP$$

$c_{ij} = 0$        $q_i = 0$

BPP:

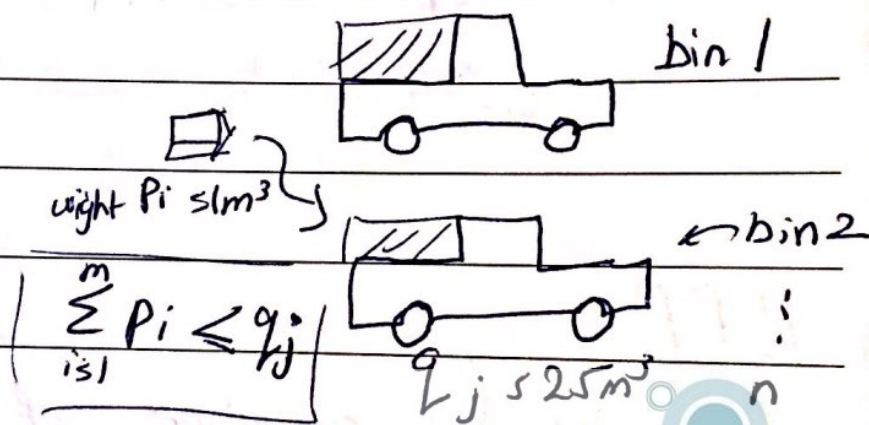
- let  $m$  be a number of items to be loaded
- &  $n$  be the number of bins
- let  $p_i$  is  $1, \dots, m$  be the weight of item  $i$

let  $q_j, j=1, \dots, n$  be the capacity of bin  $j$

Item cannot be split between bins

\* The problem is to assign each item to a bin such that

• total weight of items in bin  $j \leq q_j$



• smallest # of bins used

# \* mathematical formulation of BPP :-

let  $Y_j = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if bin } j \text{ is used} \\ 0 & \text{o.w} \end{cases}$  بسته بندی

let  $X_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if item } i \text{ is assigned to bin } j \\ 0 & \text{o.w} \end{cases}$

min  $\sum_{j=1}^n Y_j$  --- [1]

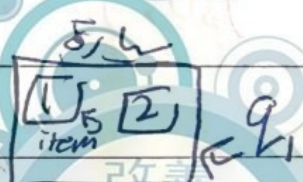
s.t  $\sum_{j=1}^n X_{ij} = 1 \quad \forall i = 1, \dots, m$  --- [2]

مجموعه های از اشیاء را به بکسها اختصاص دهیم

مثلاً  $X_{11} + X_{12} + \dots = 1$  ← bin 1

$\sum_{i=1}^m P_i X_{ij} \leq q_j \quad \forall j = 1, \dots, n$  --- [3]

$P_1 \times X_{11} + P_2 \times X_{21} + P_3 \times X_{31} \leq q_1$



مثلاً  $X_{11} + X_{12} + \dots = 1$

•  $X_{ij} \leq Y_j \quad \forall i=1, \dots, m$   
 $j=1, \dots, n$

$X_{ij}, Y_j \Rightarrow \{0, 1\}$

الهدف من هذا التقييد هو التأكد من أن كل item assigned إلى bin واحد فقط (لا يمكن أن يكون في أكثر من bin واحد)

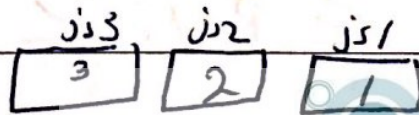
\* objective(1): - minimize #of bins

• Constraint set (2): Each item is assigned to exactly one bin

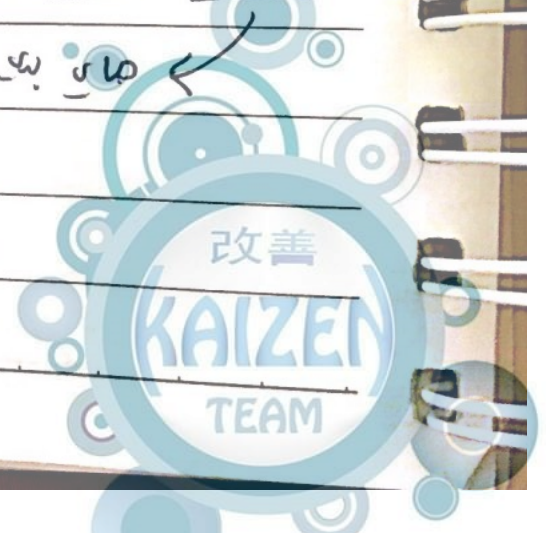
هذا يعني أن كل item يجب أن يكون في bin واحد فقط (لا يمكن أن يكون في أكثر من bin واحد)  
أي  $0 < X_{ij} < 1$

• Constraint set (3): bin capacity is not violated

• Constraint set (4): we can't assign an item to a bin unless bin is opened



هذا يعني أننا لا يمكننا تعيين item إلى bin ما لم يكن bin مفتوحاً (أي  $y_1, y_2, y_3 = 1$ )



## \* Lower bounds for BPO :-

Assume  $q = Q$  for all  $j = 1, \dots, n$

lower bound on the # of bins required

$$LB = \left\lceil \frac{\sum p_i}{Q_L} \right\rceil$$

←  $Q_L$  هو أقصى سعة للـ bin  
 يعني ما يقد يتسع  
 حصة بـ bin عام

$Q_{\text{bin}} = 50$   
 $\sum p_i = 200$   
 $LB = \frac{200}{50} = 4$

← سعة البكس من صريح  
 ليتم اننا نأخذ بـ bin  
 تكون مناسبة... يعني ممكن

يكون للـ bin سعة 50 يعني  
 وزعم كان 4 كم صفة ما تـ bin

if  $(q_j) \neq Q \rightarrow$  largest capacity  $\sim$   
 (نأخذ bin أكبر)

max cap.

$$LB = \left\lceil \frac{\sum p_i}{\sim} \right\rceil$$

## \* Heuristic solution approaches:

online problem أدوية

→ next Fit (NF) و 2-opt.

→ First Fit (FF) و 1.7-optimal



→ Best Fit (BF) is 1.7-optimal

• offline problem *خارجی مسئلہ جس کی تمام date*

→ next Fit Decreasing (NFD)

→ First Fit Decreasing (FFD) is 1.5-optimal

→ Best Fit Decreasing (BFD) is 1.5-optimal

⇒ offline: all item sizes are known in advance

⇒ on line: Input data is revealed over time

→ Data is sorted in a decreasing order

4, 9, 5, 7, 10, 3, 2, 11

11, 10, 9, 7, 5, 4, 3, 2

\* In each of the heuristics let  $L$  be the list of item weights  $L = \{p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n\}$

→ All example we will assume the

$L = \{16, 10, 14, 12, 4, 8, 3, 12, 7, 14, 9, 6, 13\}$

$q_j = 3$   $Q = 20$



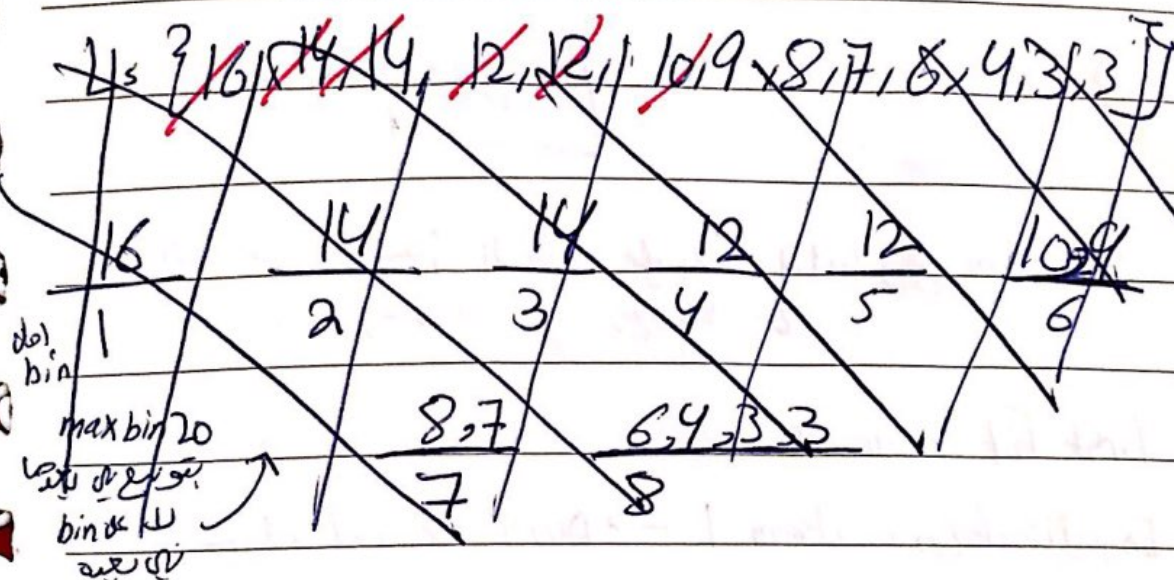
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$$LB = \left\lceil \frac{\sum P_i}{20} \right\rceil = \left\lceil \frac{118}{20} \right\rceil = 6 \text{ bin} \leftarrow \text{ALB (best lower bound)}$$

① next Fit (NF) "online problem"

Advantage :- allows immediate ~~dis~~ dispatch of bin) once bin  $j+1$  is opened



\* Initialization : place item 1 in bin 1 and remove from  $L$ , let  $j=1$ ,  $i=2$

- Iterations:

• If item  $i$  fits in bin  $j$ , place  $i$  in  $j$ , other wise open a new bin  $j+1$  and place  $i$  in  $j+1$

- Remove  $i$  from  $L \rightarrow$  let  $i \geq i+1$
- While items remain in  $L$ , Repeat

Solution Under on very first line

$\frac{16}{1} \quad \frac{10}{2} \quad \frac{14}{3} \quad \frac{12}{4} \quad \frac{9}{5} \quad \frac{12}{6} \quad \frac{14}{7}$

$\frac{9,6,3}{8}$

8 bins

ہم کو ان اشیاء کے order پر دیکھنا پڑے گا جو پہلے دیا گیا ہے  
ہم کو یہ دیکھنا پڑے گا کہ ان اشیاء کو کتنے بکسوں میں رکھنا پڑے گا

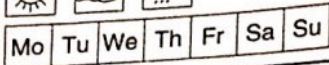
② → First Fit heuristic

Initialization: item 1  $\rightarrow$  bin 1  $\rightarrow j=1, i=2$

Iteration: place item  $i$  in the lowest numbered bin for which it fits, IF item  $i$  does not fit in any open bin, open bin  $j+1$  & 'Place  $i$ '

- Remove  $i$  from  $L \rightarrow i \geq i+1$
- while item remain  $L$  Repeat





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هو الذي ما افصح bin صديقه  
ما اخلاصه

10  
وہ بیکار، وہ بے روزگار  
۱۱

$$\frac{10.8}{2}$$
$$\begin{array}{r} 14,303 \\ \hline 3 \end{array}$$

~~21 bap, 22 bap~~  
22 bap

$$\frac{12,6}{5}$$
$$\frac{14}{6}$$
$$\frac{9}{7}$$

$\frac{1}{2}$  bin  $\frac{1}{2}$  bin  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  bin  $\frac{1}{2}$  bin  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  bin  $\frac{1}{2}$  bin

7 bins

4  
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Iterations: Find the bin  $j$  whose content (total weight of items) are maximum but not greater

If item  $i$  does not fit in any open bin  
open a new bin  $\rightarrow j+1 \leftarrow i$

• Remove  $i$  from  $L$   $\therefore i \leq i+1$

- while item in L, repeat

$L = \{16, 10, 14, 12, 4, 8, 3, 12, 7, 14, 9, 6, 3\}$

Solution:

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max weight

$\frac{16, 4}{1} \quad \frac{10, 9}{2} \quad \frac{14, 3, 3}{3} \quad \frac{12, 8}{4}$

$\frac{12, 7}{5} \quad \frac{14, 6}{6}$

6 bin

هون انا شوق من weight  
اكبر بيا بوسع انا اول اول  
لا من شوق اكبر weight ...

شروط ممكن  
الحد ممكن

if bin  $j$  is full

if specific bin has been passed

Q: 20  
16 و 4  
16 و 4  
16 و 4

\* Practice: NFD

8 bin

FFD

as offline

6 bin

BFD

6 bin

لا من شوق اكبر weight

$L = \{16, 14, 14, 12, 12, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 4, 3, 3\}$

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## \* Recall in the VRP :-

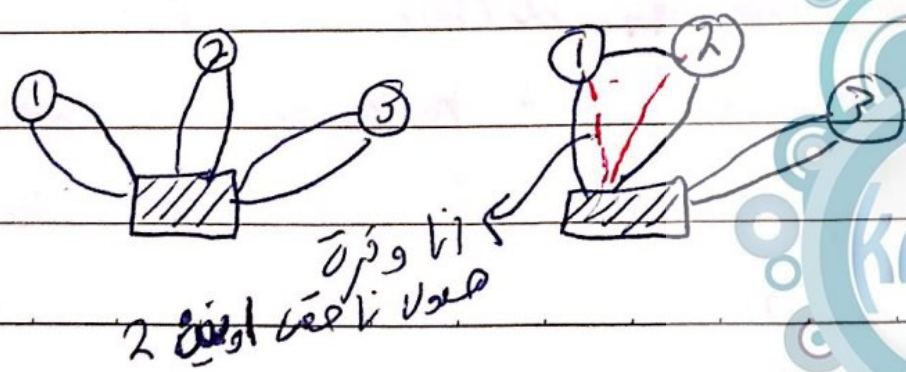
- Fleet of homogeneous vehicles, each with capacity  $Q$  based at depot
- $n$  customer with demand  $q_i$ ,  $i=1, \dots, n$   $\sum q_i \leq Q$
- Find least cost set of vehicle tours

## → Heuristics For VRP

1. Clark - Wright savings heuristics
2. Route - first cluster - second heuristic (RFCs)
3. cluster - first Route - second heuristic (CFRS)

## \* Clark - Wright savings heuristics :-

Begins with a separate tour for each customer  
Then combined tours, if feasible with respect to demand and if saving result





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let  $T_i$  and  $T_j$  be two tours, and let  $\text{end}(i)$  denotes the end of tour  $i$  and  $\text{begin}(j)$  denotes the beginning of tour  $j$ .

savings:  $\delta_{ij} = C_{\text{end}(i), 0} + C_{0, \text{begin}(j)} - C_{\text{end}(i), \text{begin}(j)}$

~~Steps~~

⇒ 1. For each node  $i \in N$ , construct a tour  $T_i$  beginning at the depot, traveling to node  $i$  and returning to the depot. Set of tours.

2. calculate the savings  $\delta_{ij}$  for each pair of nodes  $i, j \rightarrow \delta_{ij} = C_{0j} + C_{0i} - C_{ij}$

3. Sort the savings in non-increasing (Decreasing) order

4. walk down the saving combination list and find the next feasible pair  $(i, j)$  such that:

A.  $i$  and  $j$  are in different tours:

and  $i$  is the last node on its tour  $T_i$  and  $j$  is the first node on its tour  $T_j$

B.  $\delta_{ij} \geq 0$



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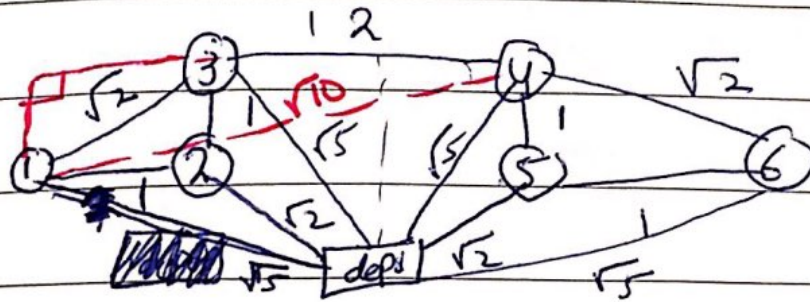
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$$c. \sum_{k \in T_i, v_j} q_k \leq Q$$

کی demand  
الوجہ سے T الود  
و T و

EX:

$$c_{14} = \sqrt{3^2 + 1^2}$$



Vehicle capacity is 5, demand at customer 1,2,3 is 3  
demand at customer 4,5,6 is 2

$$LB = \left\lceil \frac{\sum q}{Q} \right\rceil = \frac{15}{5} = 3$$

$$T_1 = \{0-1-0\}$$

$$T_2 = \{0-2-0\}$$

$$T_3 = \{0-3-0\}$$

$$T_4 = \{0-4-0\}$$

$$T_5 = \{0-5-0\}$$

$$T_6 = \{0-6-0\}$$

$$\delta_{12} = \sqrt{5} + \sqrt{2} - 1 \leq 2.65$$

$$\delta_{13} = \sqrt{5} + \sqrt{5} - \sqrt{2} \leq 3.06$$

$$\delta_{14} = \sqrt{5} + \sqrt{5} - \sqrt{10} = 1.31$$

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$$\delta_{12}, \delta_{13}, \delta_{23}$$

مخالو

$$\delta_{15} = \sqrt{5} + \sqrt{2} - 3 = 0.65$$

$$\delta_{16} = \sqrt{5} + \sqrt{5} - 4 =$$

$$\delta_{46} = 2 = 3.06$$

بعد از بختار أكبر و بیا که من

$$\delta_{13} = 3 + 3 > 5 \quad X$$

$$\delta_{46} = 2 + 2 \leq 5 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\rightarrow \delta = T_1, T_2, T_3, T_{46}, T_5$$

$$\delta = T_1, T_2, T_{35}, T_{46}$$

