

# HONORS ALGORITHMS

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$(G, w, s)$

digraph      source (root)

$w: E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$       weight

Single-source min-cost paths  
weight



"shortest" - misnomer

# DIJKSTRA'S ALGORITHM

for  $v \in V$        $Q = \emptyset$

$\text{status}(v) = \text{WHITE}$

$p(v) = \text{NIL}$

$\text{cost}(v) = \infty$

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$\text{status}(s) := \text{GRAY}$

$\text{INSERT}(Q, s)$        $\text{cost}(s) = 0$

$p(s) := s$

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while       $Q \neq \emptyset$

$u \leftarrow \text{EXTRACT-MIN}(Q)$

for       $v \in \text{Adj}[u]$

if       $\text{status}(v) = \text{WHITE}$   
                 $\text{status}(v) := \text{GRAY}$

$\text{RELAX}(u, v)$

$\text{INSERT}(Q, v)$

elseif       $\text{status}(v) = \text{GRAY}$

$\text{RELAX}(u, v)$

endfor

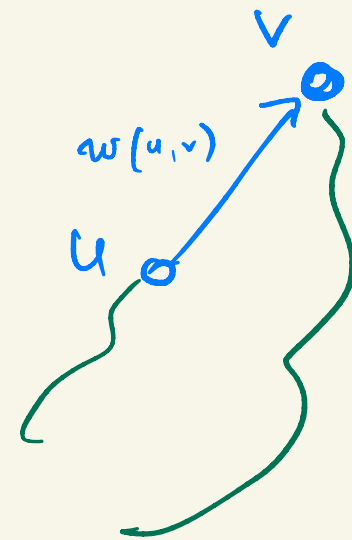
$\text{status}(u) := \text{BLACK}$

endwhile

$s \in V$  source

$Q$ : priority queue

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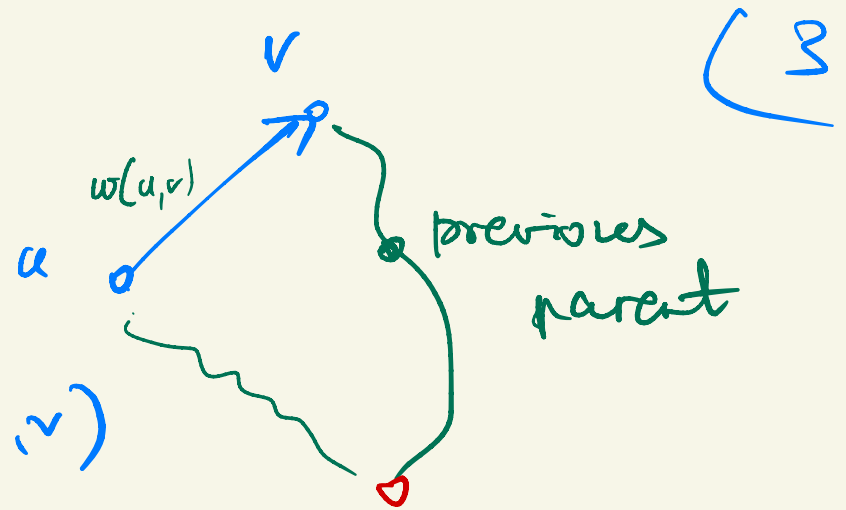
← updates parent cost

$u$  finished (explored)

RELAX ( $u, v$ )

if  $\text{cost}(v) > \text{cost}(u) + w(u, v)$

then  $\text{cost}(v) := \text{cost}(u) + w(u, v)$   
 $p(v) := u$



NOTE : if  $\text{status}(v)$  was WHITE  
then "if" not needed, answer always "YES"  
b/c LHS was  $\infty$

Dijkstra works for  $w(e) \geq 0$

non-negative weights

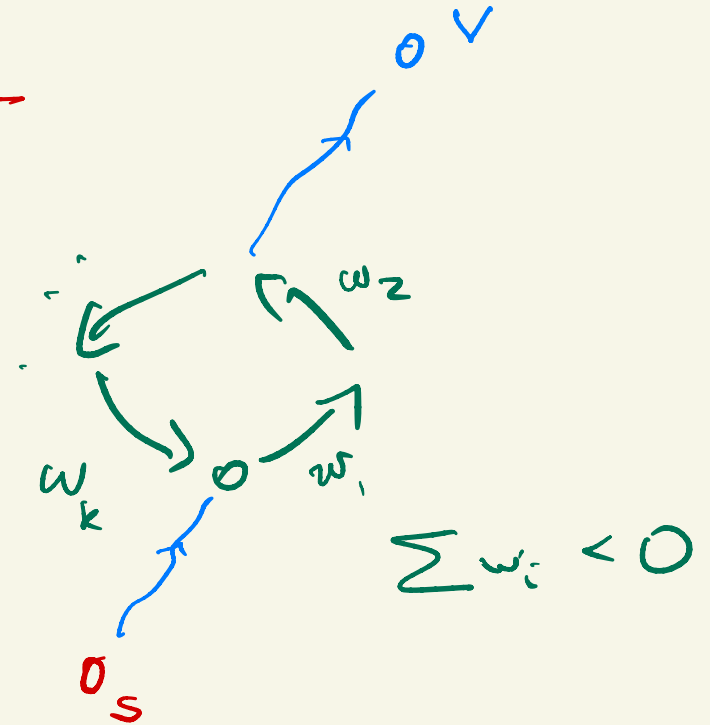
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What if  $\nexists$  no negative cycles

What if  $\exists$  negative cycles

if we allow  $s \rightarrow v$  walks  
cost  $= -\infty$

if we insist on PATH: NP-hard





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# IMPLEMENTING PRIORITY QUEUE

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create empty P.Q.

add item to P.Q.

EXTRACT-MIN

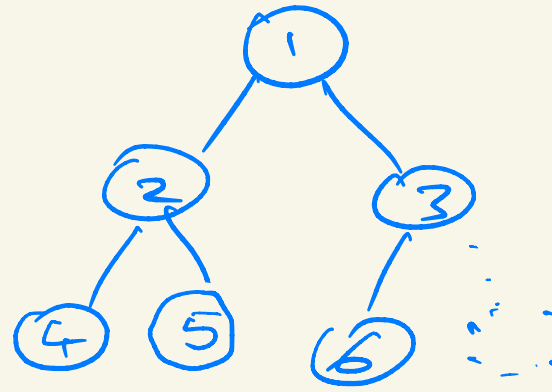
UPDATE (key) — INCREASE KEY  
                  \ DECREASE KEY

item = (ID, key)

min by key ←

balanced binary tree with  $n$  vertices

fill levels  
left to right  
→



given  $n$ , topology uniquely determined

$d$  = depth of balanced binary tree

$$2^d \leq n < 2^{d+1}$$

$$d \leq \log_2 n < d+1$$

$$d = \lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor$$

# HEAP - : implementation of PRIORITY QUEUE [8]

balanced binary tree, keys at nodes

HEAP CONDITION  $\text{key}(p(v)) \leq \text{key}(v)$

DECREASE-KEY( $v$ , newkey)

"bubbling up"

if newkey < key( $v$ )

key( $v$ ) := newkey

while key( $p(v)$ ) > key( $v$ )

swap  $v \leftrightarrow p(v)$

cost  $\leq d$  comparisons  
 $O(d)$  operations

INCREASE-KEY( $v$ , newkey) "bubbling down"

while key( $v$ ) > max(key(left child( $v$ ), right child( $v$ )))

if key(left child( $v$ )) > key(right child( $v$ ))

swap  $v \leftrightarrow$  right child( $v$ )

else swap  $v \leftrightarrow$  left child( $v$ )

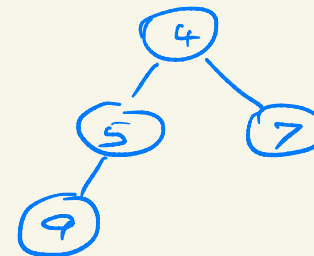
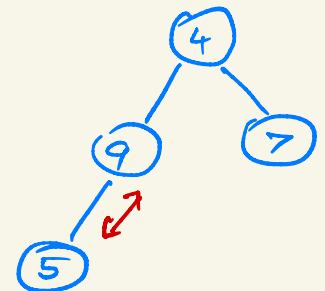
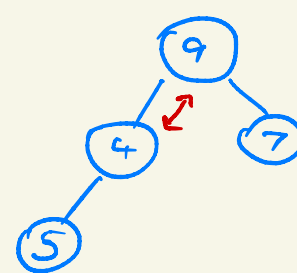
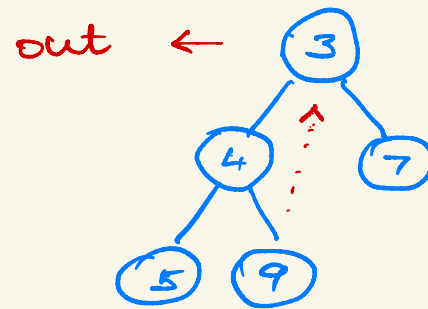
cost  $\leq 2d$  comparisons  
 $O(d)$  operation

## EXTRACT-MIN

$out := key(root)$   
 $key(root) := key(n)$   
 $n := n - 1$   
 $bubble\_down(root)$   
return out

## INSERT (newkey)

$n := n + 1$   
 $key(n) := newkey$   
 $bubble\_up(n)$



COST OF DIJKSTRAINSERT  $\leq n$  timesEXTRACT-MIN  $\leq n$  timesDECREASE-KEY  $\leq m$  times

using HEAP implementation of PRIORITY QUEUE

$$\# \text{ comparisons} \leq nd + n \cdot 2d + m \cdot d = (3n + m)d \leq (3n + m) \log_2 n$$

$$\text{total cost} \quad O((n + m) \log_2 n)$$