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$$M[0] = 0$$

for $j = 1 \dots n$

$$M[j] = \max \{ v_j + M[p(j)], M[j-1] \}$$

return $M[n]$

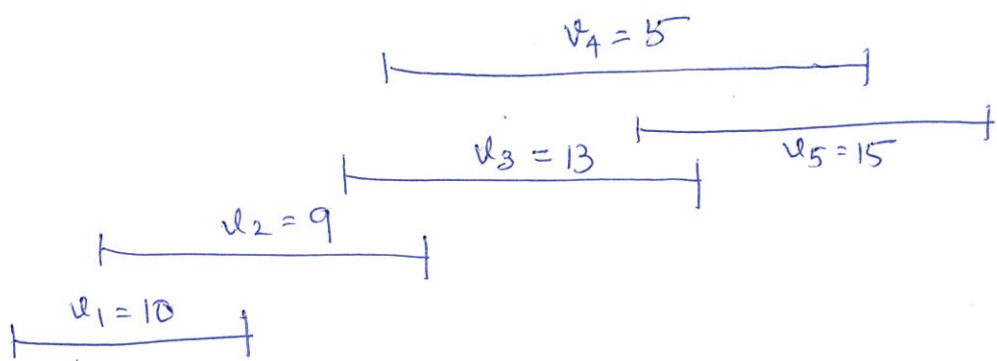
$$M[0 \dots n+1]$$

$j \in \emptyset_j$

$j \notin \emptyset_j$

$$(f_1 \leq f_2 \leq \dots \leq f_n)$$

n=5



- $p(5) = 4$
- $p(4) = 1$
- $p(3) = 1$
- $p(2) = 0$
- $p(1) = 0$

	0	1	2	3	4	5
$j=0$	0					
$j=1$	0	10				
$j=2$	0	10	10			
$j=3$	0	10	10	23		
$j=4$	0	10	10	23	23	
$j=5$	0	10	10	23	23	25

$$M[0] = 0$$

$$M[1] = \max \{ v_1 + M[0], M[0] \} = \max \{ 10 + 0, 0 \} = 10$$

$$M[2] = \max \{ v_2 + M[0], M[1] \} = \max \{ 9 + 0, 10 \} = 10$$

$$M[3] = \max \{ v_3 + M[1], M[2] \} = \max \{ 13 + 10, 10 \} = 23$$

$$M[4] = \max \{ v_4 + M[1], M[3] \} = \max \{ 5 + 10, 23 \} = 23$$

$$M[5] = \max \{ v_5 + M[2], M[4] \} = \max \{ 15 + 10, 23 \} = 25$$

Compute an optimal solution:

$\{5, 13\}$

$$25 > 23 \Rightarrow 5 \in \emptyset_5$$

Now consider $\emptyset_5 \setminus \{5\} = \emptyset_2 \subseteq [2]$

$$2 \in \emptyset_2 \quad 9 < 10 \Rightarrow 2 \notin \emptyset_2$$

Now consider $\emptyset_1 = \emptyset_2 \Rightarrow 1 \in \emptyset_1 \quad 10 + 0 > 0$

M-schedule $(n; M, p)$

if $n=0$ return \emptyset

if $v_n + M[p(n)] > M[n-1] \rightarrow$ return $\{n\} \cup$ M-schedule $(p(n); M, p)$

else return M-schedule $(n-1; M, p)$

$\emptyset_j \rightarrow$ is an optimal solution $[j]$

$$OPT(j) = v(\emptyset_j)$$

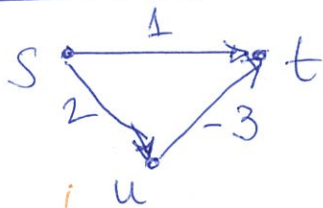
$$\Rightarrow 1 \in \emptyset_1$$

Shortest path problem

Input: (*) Directed graph $G = (V, E)$, $\forall e \in E$, $\text{cost } c_e$
 (but c_e can be < 0)
 BUT no negative cycle
 (*) $t \in V$

Output: $\forall s \in V$, output a shortest $s-t$ path
 $C(\text{CP}) = \sum_{e \in P} c_e$

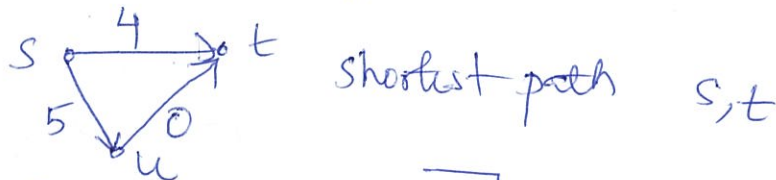
ATTEMPT 1: Run Dijkstra for each $s \in V$



\rightarrow start Dijkstra at s
 it'll pick s, t as the shortest $s-t$ path
 BUT actual shortest $s-t$ path
 s, u, t

ATTEMPT 2: Add a large enough +ve number to all edge costs & run Dijkstra on the new instance.

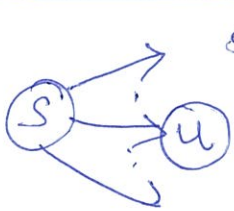
3 to all edge cost



\rightarrow No known Greedy / D&C algo

Assume: we are interested in cost of shortest path

ATTEMPT 3: $\text{OPT}(s) = \text{cost of shortest } s-t \text{ path}$.



shortest $s-t$ path takes edge (s, u)

$$\text{OPT}(s) = C(s, u) + \text{OPT}(u)$$

$$\text{OPT}(s) = \min_{u: (s, u) \in E} \{ C(s, u) + \text{OPT}(u) \}$$

- ① Are there poly many subproblems
- ② Is there a recursion?
- ③ Is there an ordering among sub-problems?