

Improved Running Time using Priority Queue

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- 7: **for** each $v \in V \setminus S$ such that $(u, v) \in E$ **do**
- 8: **if** $d[u] + w(u, v) < d[v]$ **then**
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Recall: Prim's Algorithm for MST

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Running time:

$O(n) \times (\text{time for extract_min}) + O(m) \times (\text{time for decrease_key})$

Priority-Queue	extract_min	decrease_key	Time
Heap	$O(\log n)$	$O(\log n)$	$O(m \log n)$
Fibonacci Heap	$O(\log n)$	$O(1)$	$O(n \log n + m)$

Outline

- 1 Minimum Spanning Tree
 - Kruskal's Algorithm
 - Reverse-Kruskal's Algorithm
 - Prim's Algorithm
- 2 Single Source Shortest Paths
 - Dijkstra's Algorithm
- 3 Shortest Paths in Graphs with Negative Weights
- 4 All-Pair Shortest Paths and Floyd-Warshall

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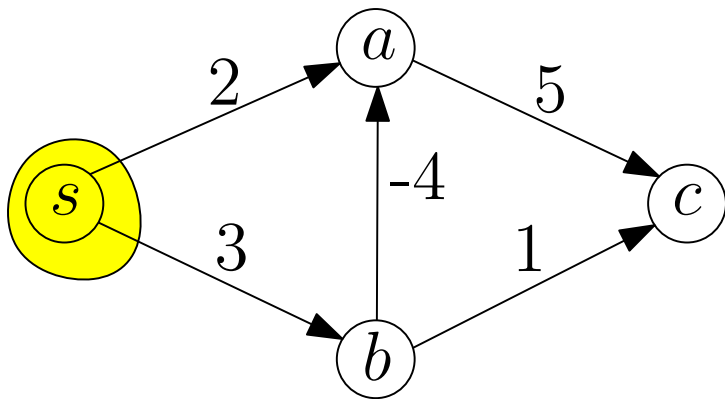
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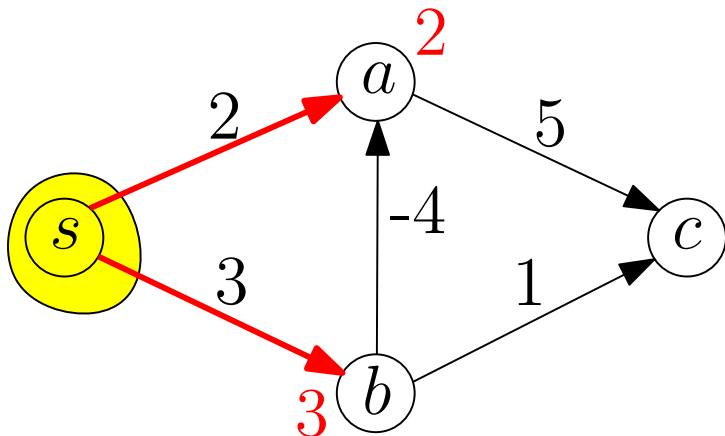
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- Dijkstra's algorithm does not work any more!

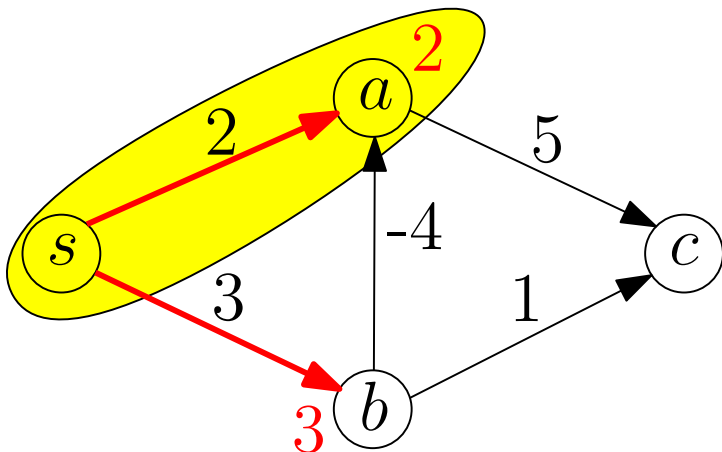
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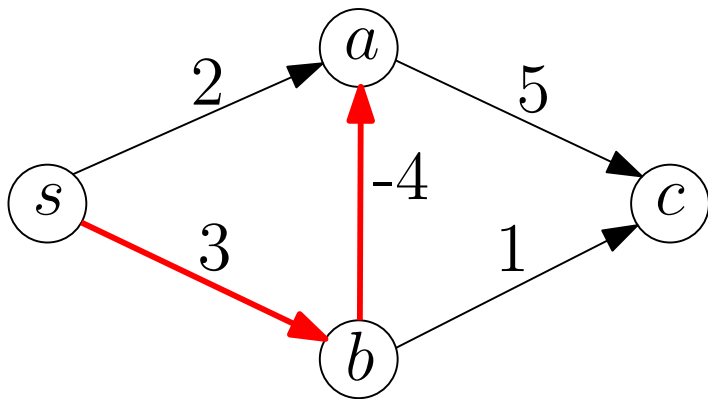
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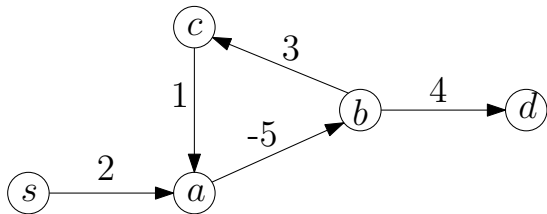


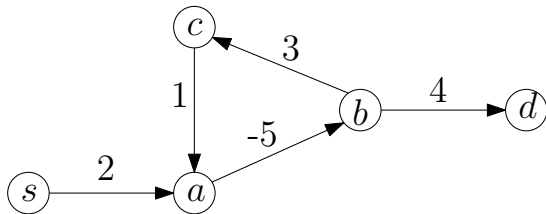
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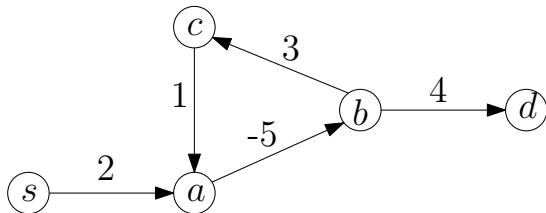
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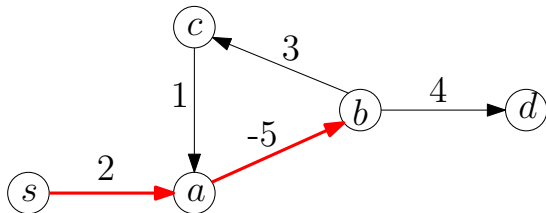


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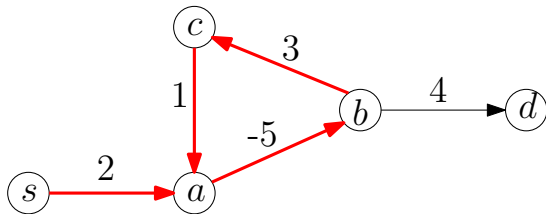
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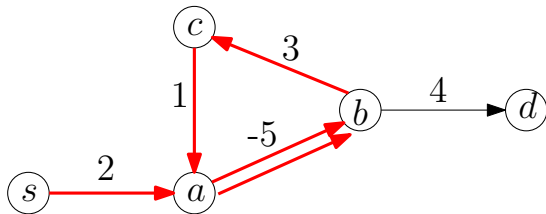
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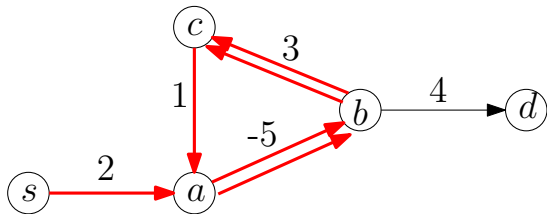
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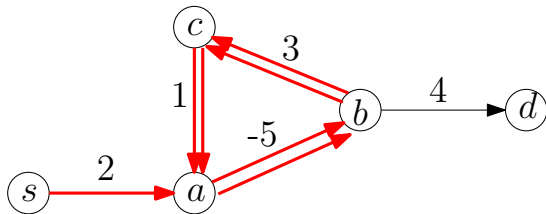
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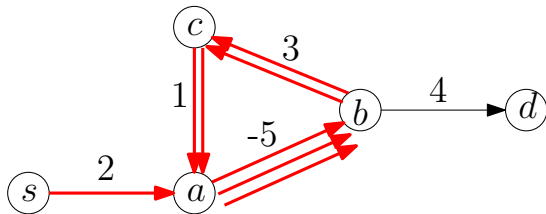
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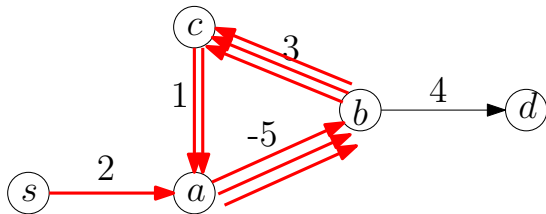
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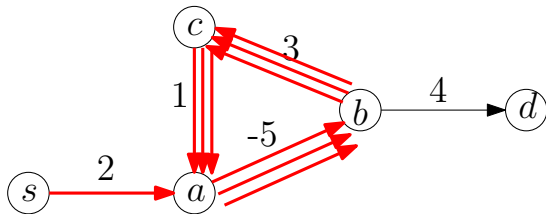
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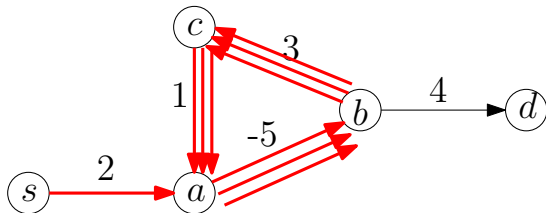
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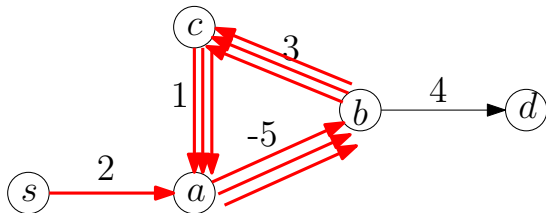
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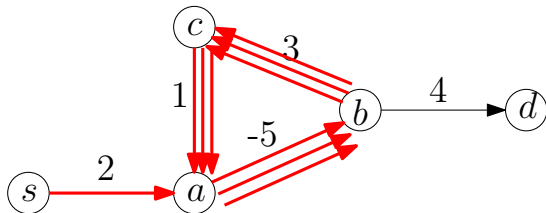


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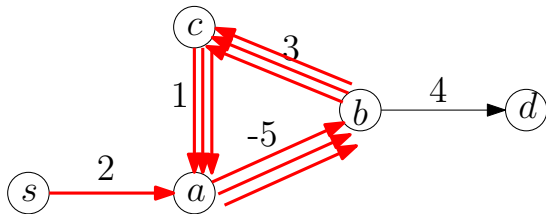
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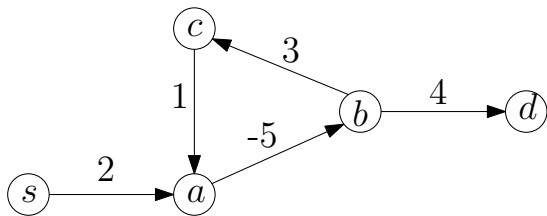
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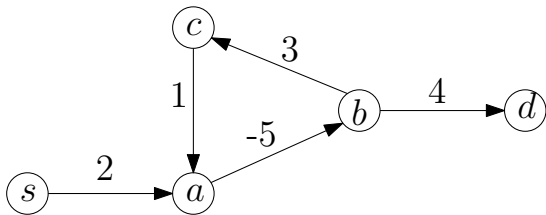
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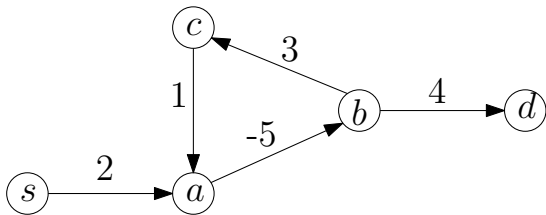
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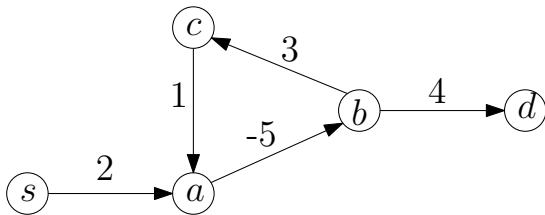


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- Unfortunately, computing the shortest simple path between two vertices is an **NP-hard** problem.

algorithm	graph	weights	SS?	running time
Simple DP	DAG	\mathbb{R}	SS	$O(n + m)$
Dijkstra	U/D	$\mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}$	SS	$O(n \log n + m)$
Bellman-Ford	U/D	\mathbb{R}	SS	$O(nm)$
Floyd-Warshall	U/D	\mathbb{R}	AP	$O(n^3)$

- DAG = directed acyclic graph U = undirected D = directed
- SS = single source AP = all pairs

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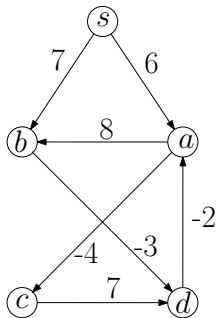
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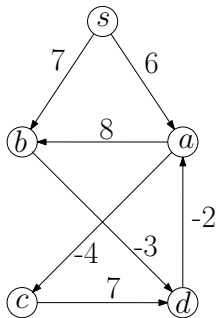
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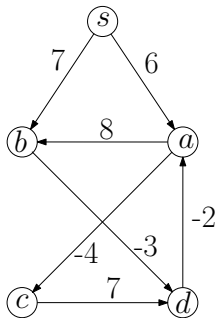
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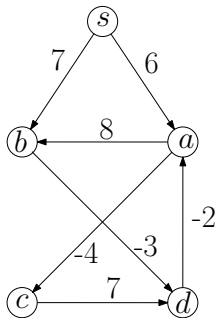
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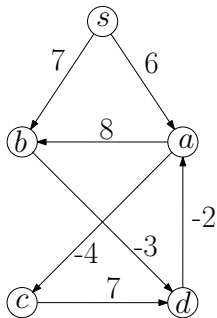
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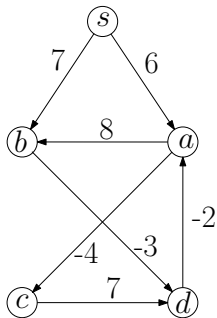
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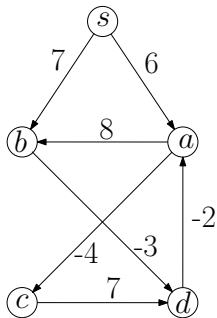
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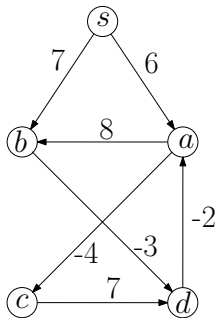
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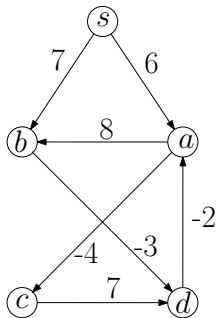
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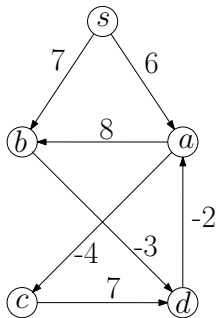
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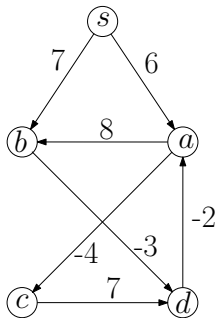
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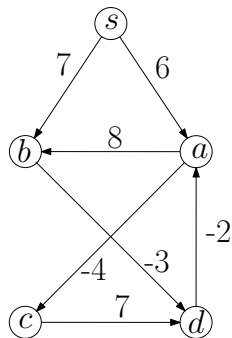
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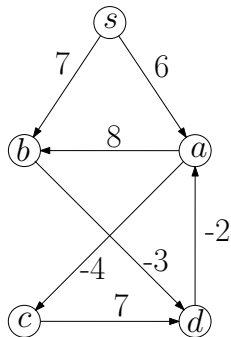
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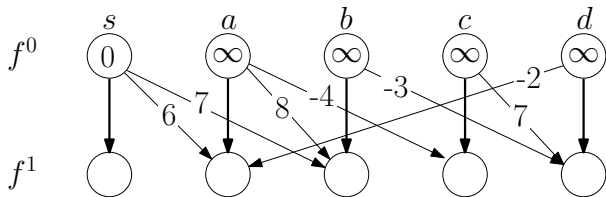
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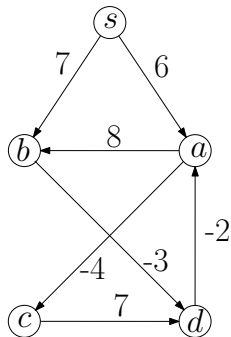
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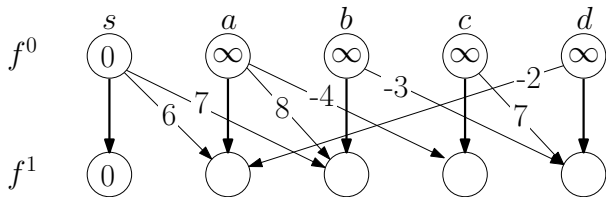
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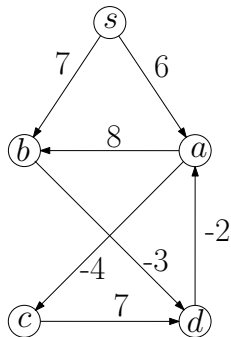
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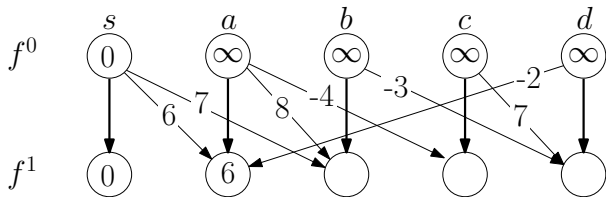
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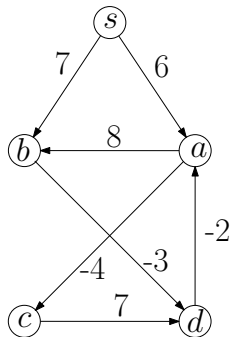
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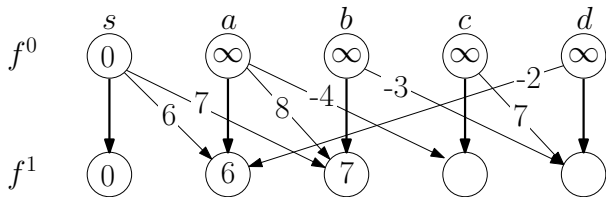
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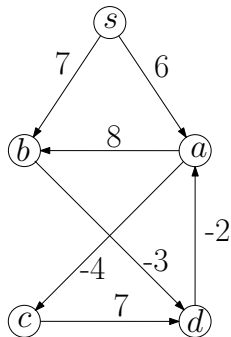
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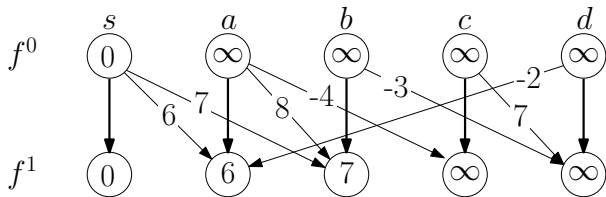
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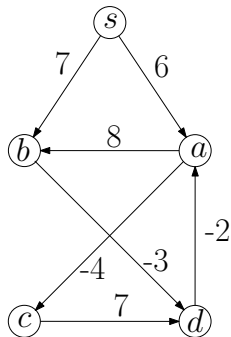
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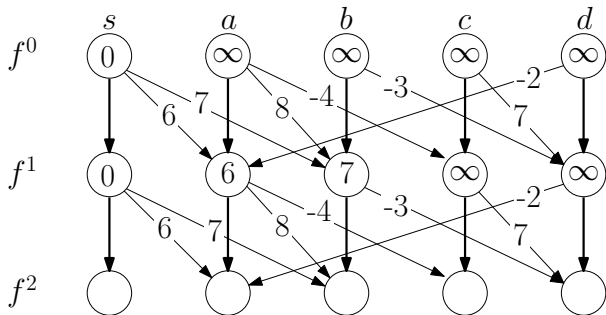
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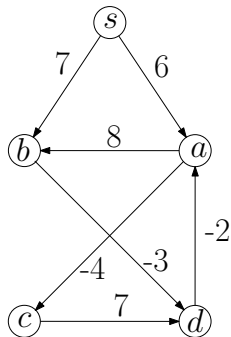
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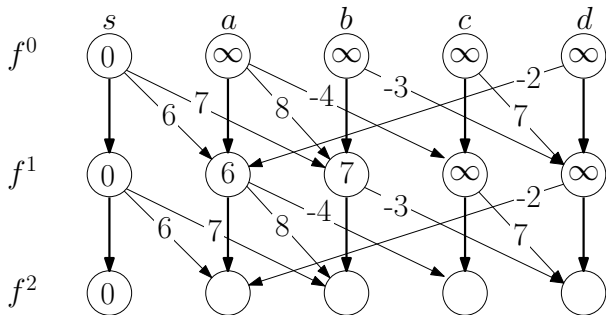
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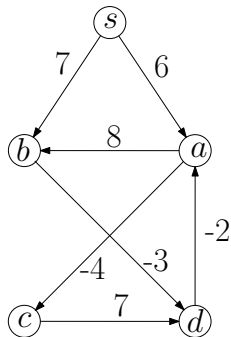
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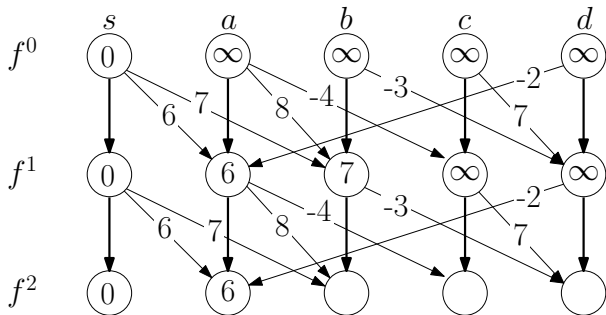
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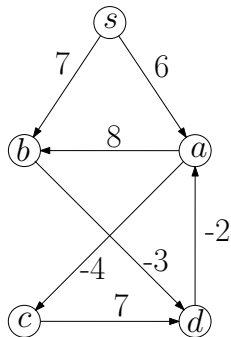
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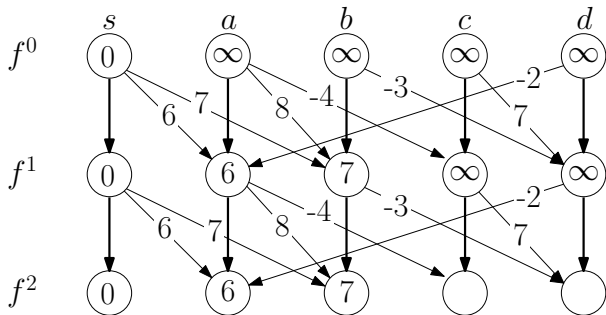
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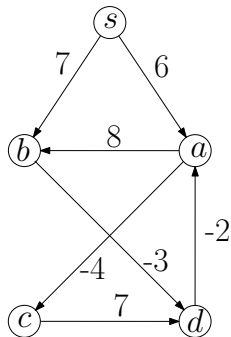
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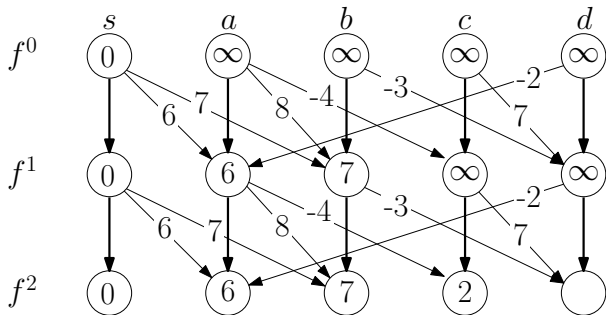
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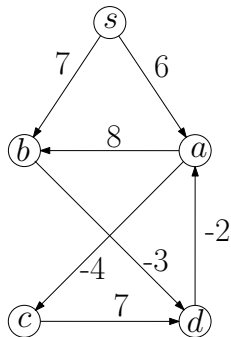
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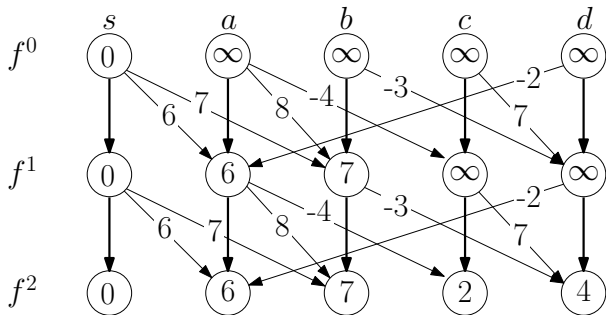
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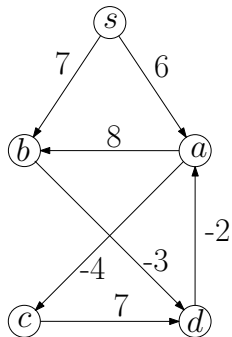
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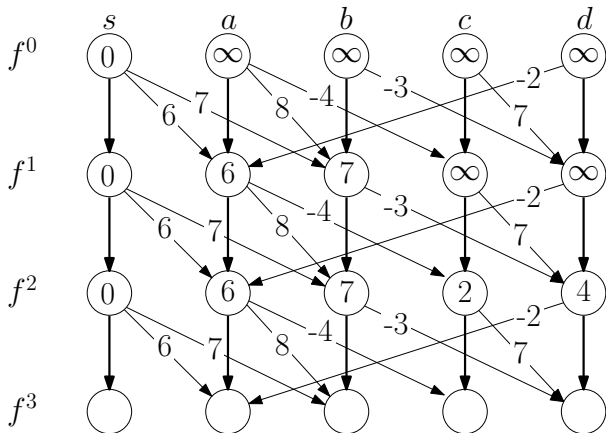
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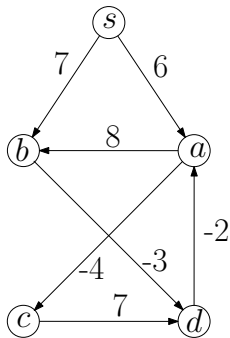
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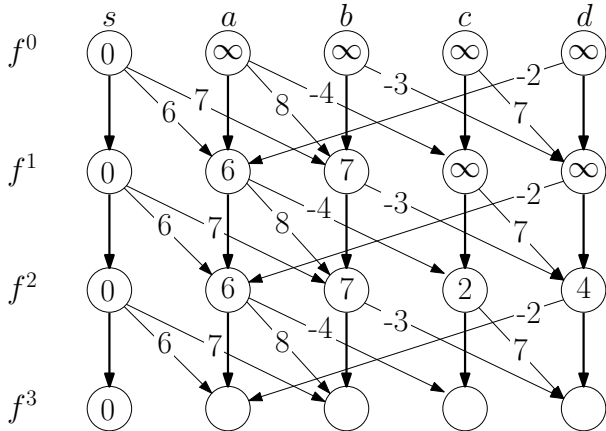
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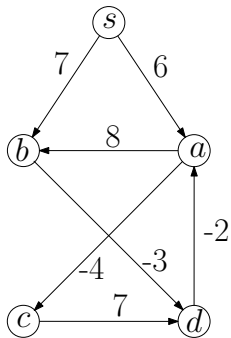
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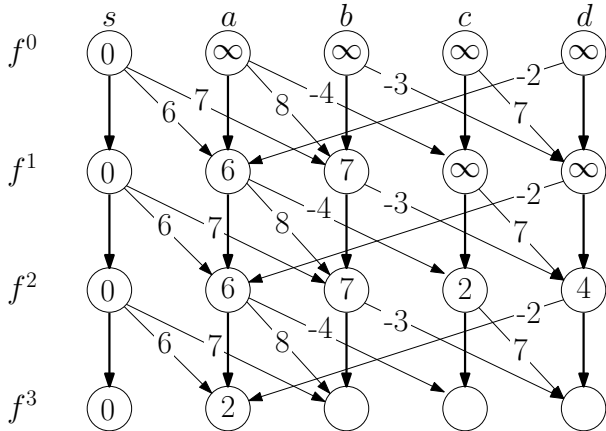
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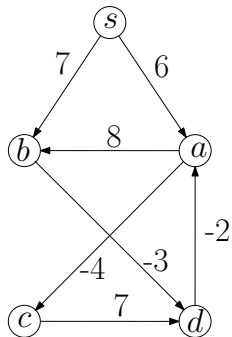
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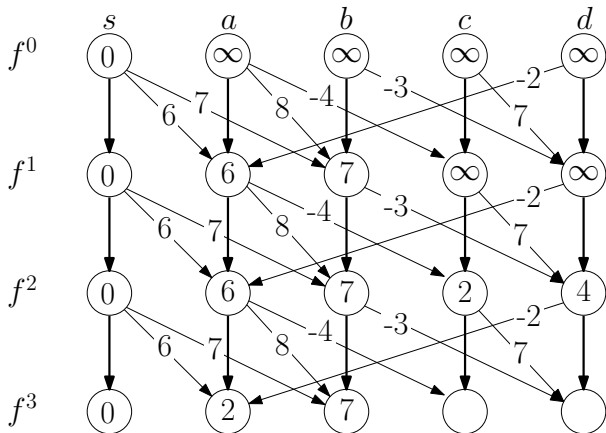
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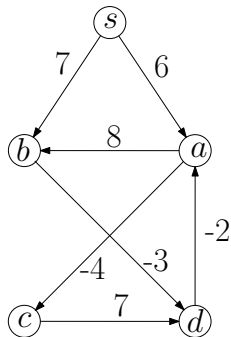
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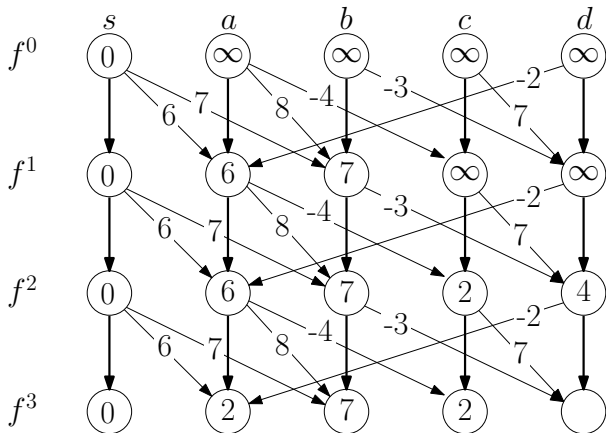
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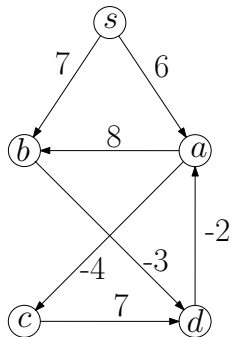
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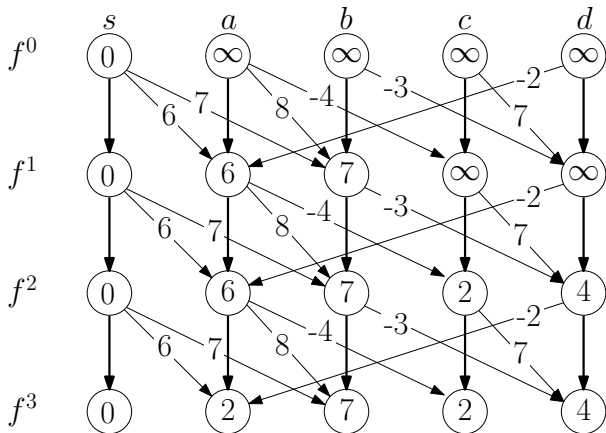
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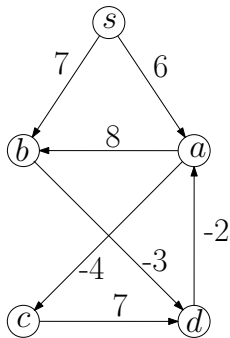
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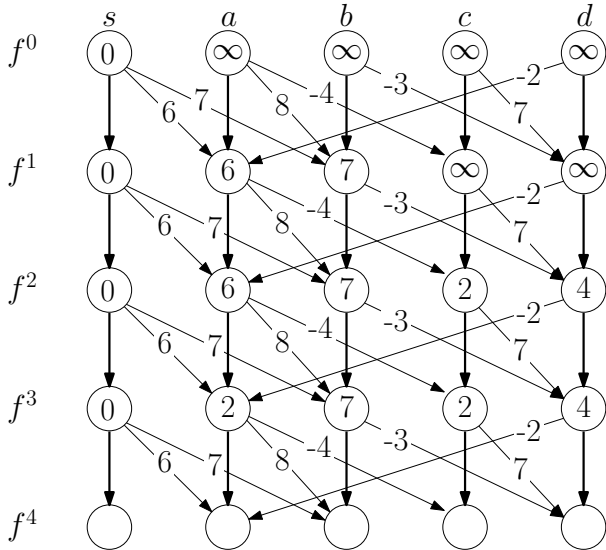
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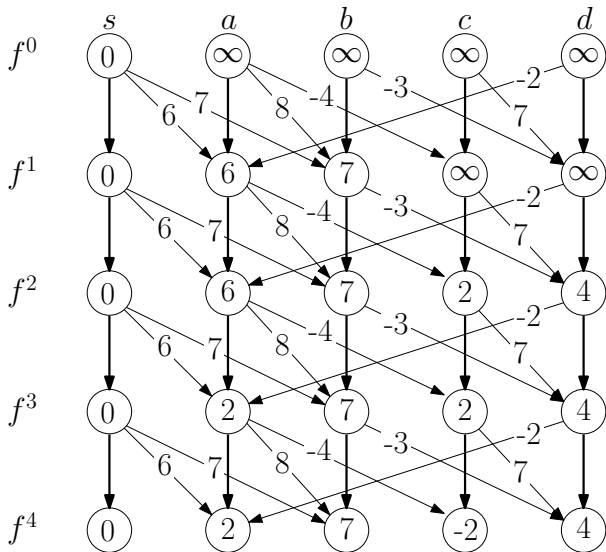
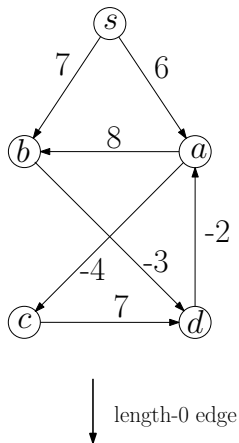
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Proof.

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