

# CS 170

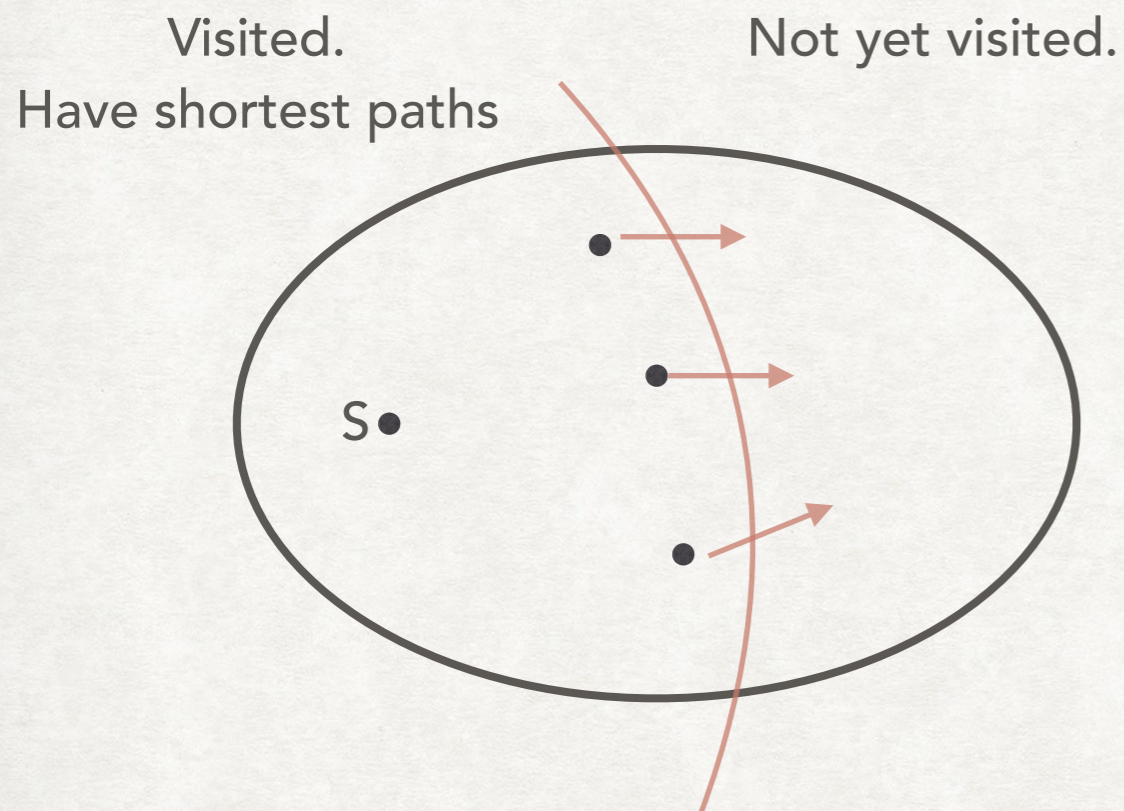
# DISCUSSION 5

SHORTEST PATHS AND SPANNING TREES

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# DIJKSTRA'S SHORTEST PATH

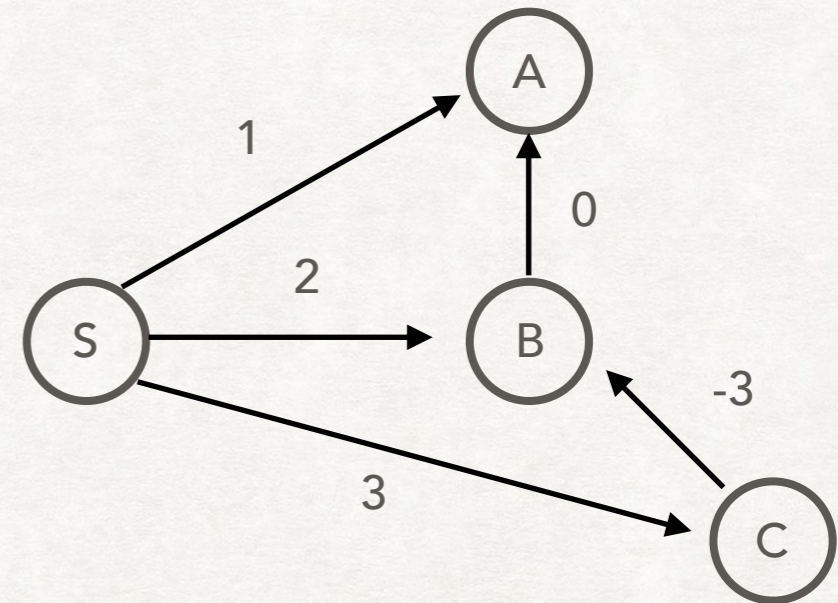
- Find shortest path from  $s$  to all other vertices.
- Once we have computed the shortest path to a vertex, we don't revisit it again.



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  prev[s] = s  
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  while PQ not empty:  
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    for edge (u, v):  
      if d[v] > d[u] + w(u, v):  
        d[v] = d[u] + w[u, v]  
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# NEGATIVE EDGE WEIGHTS

- Thus when we have negative edge weights. The negative weights won't propagate to other nodes if we have already visited nodes with incoming edges with negative cost.



Start at S

Process A.  $d[a] = 1$

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New distance for B, but B not in PQ

Won't update D

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- Solution: Update shortest path distances values for all vertices if we have found a shorter path.
- How many times to do this for?
- Furthest vertex from source vertex  $s$  (in terms of number of edges) can at most be  $|V| - 1$  edges away.
- Update only  $|V| - 1$  times.
- Demo

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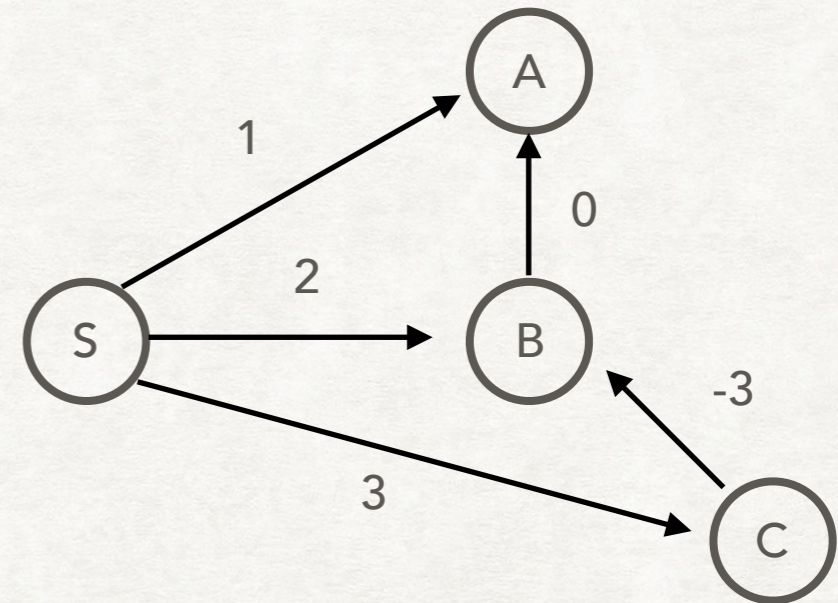
- Order of iteration on edges matter.
- Shortest paths could converge sooner or later.
- There exist a path from source  $s$  to  $u$  of length  $dist(u)$  (unless it's  $\infty$ )
- After  $i$  iterations, have found shortest path from  $s$  to  $u$  that uses  $i$  or fewer edges.

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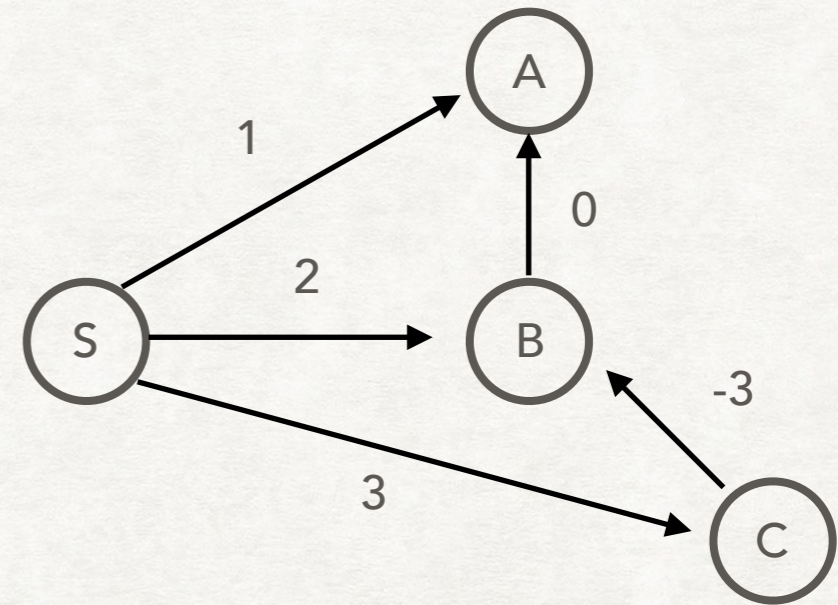
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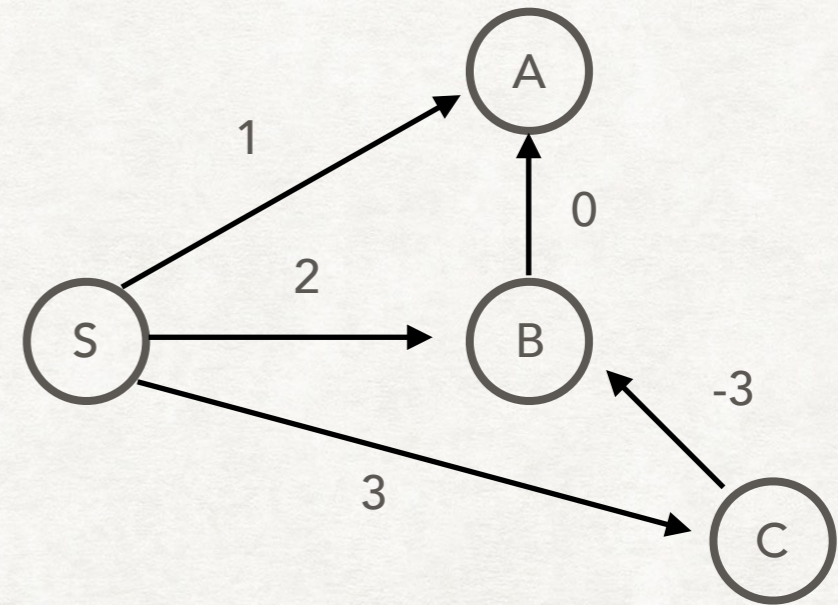


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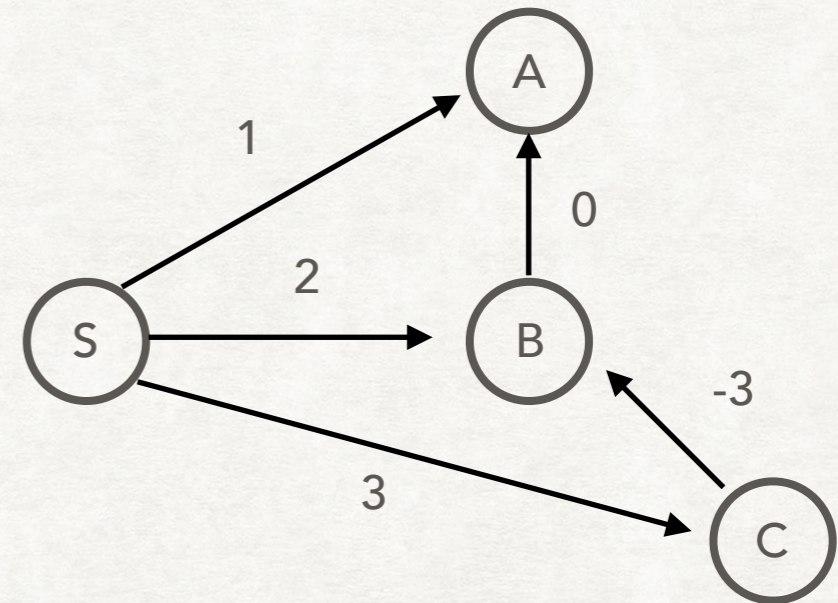
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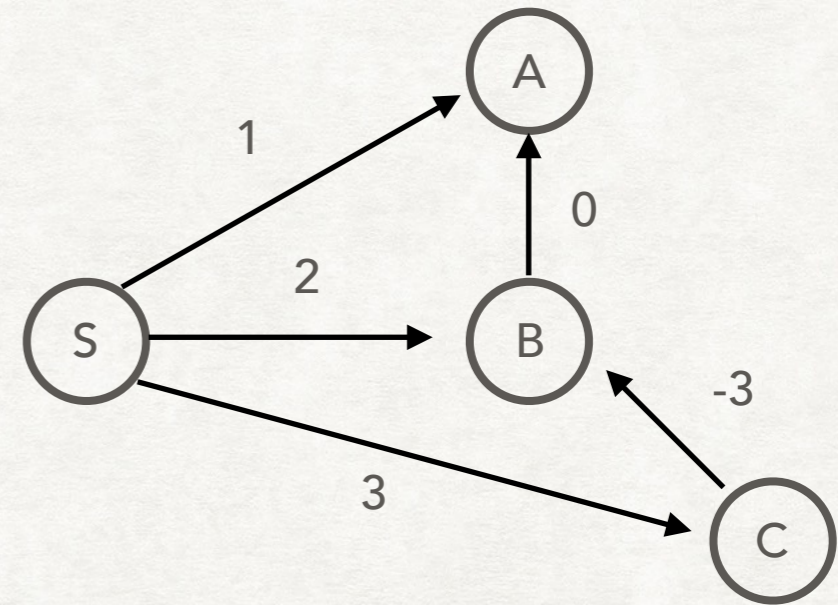
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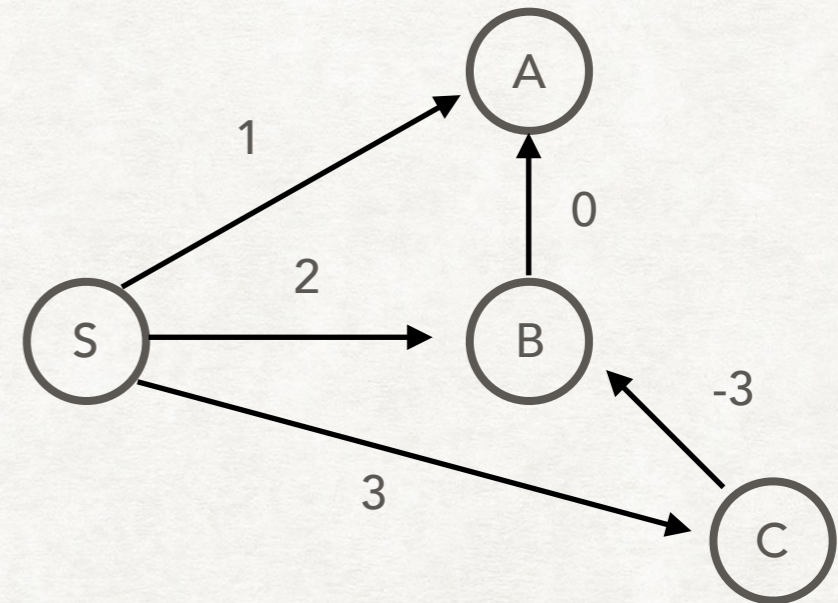
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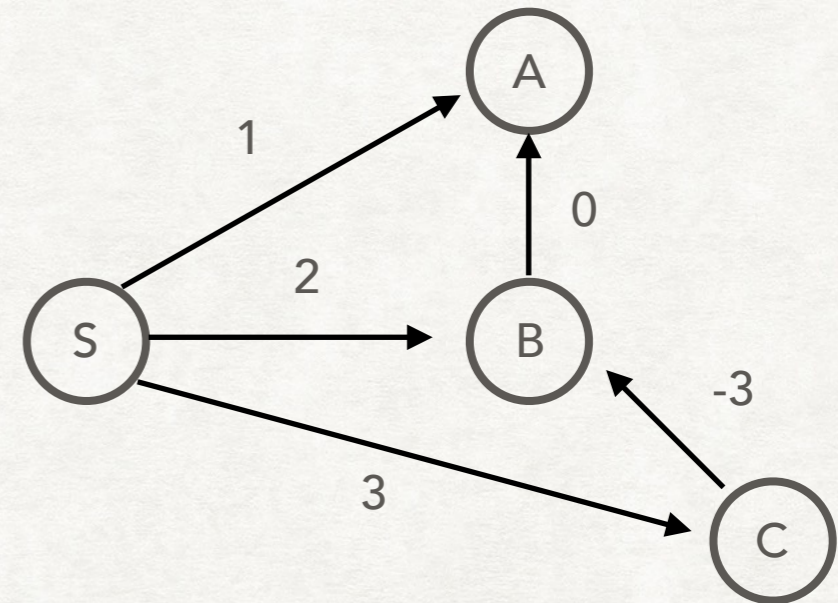
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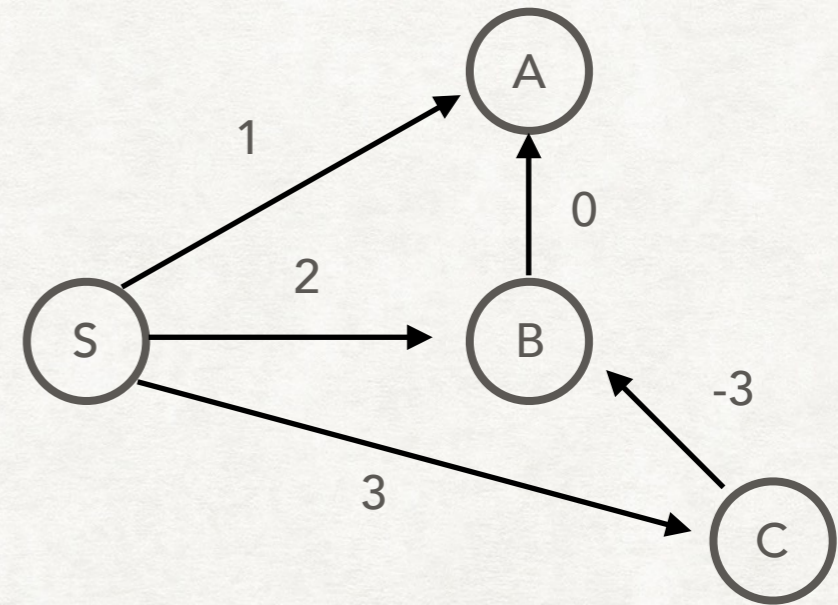
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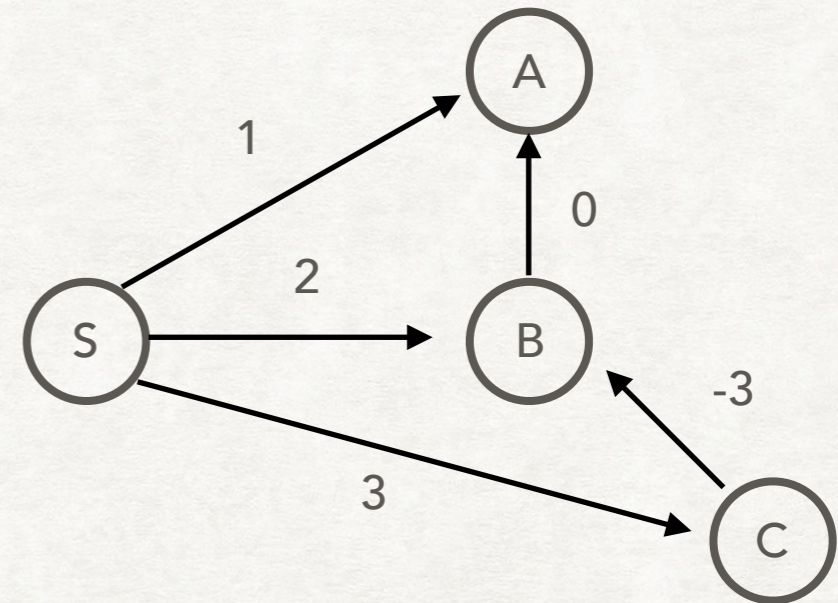
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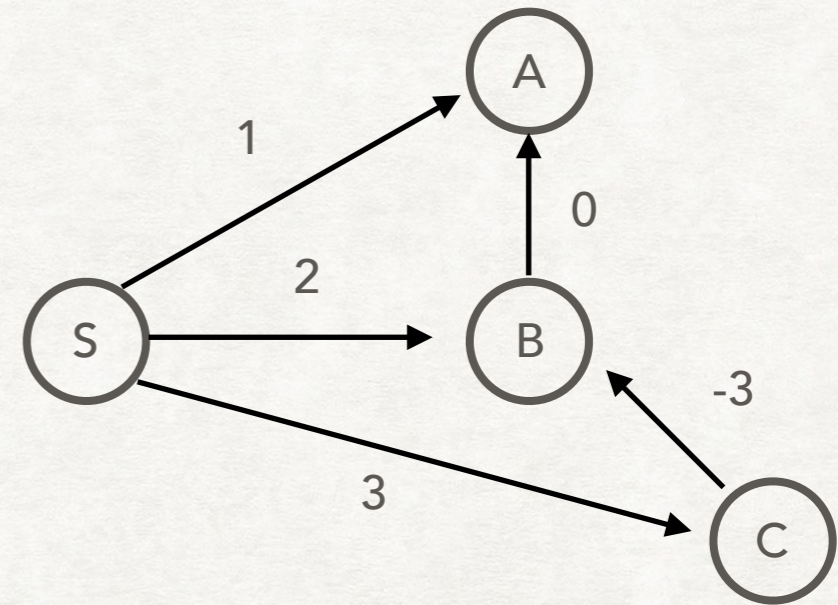
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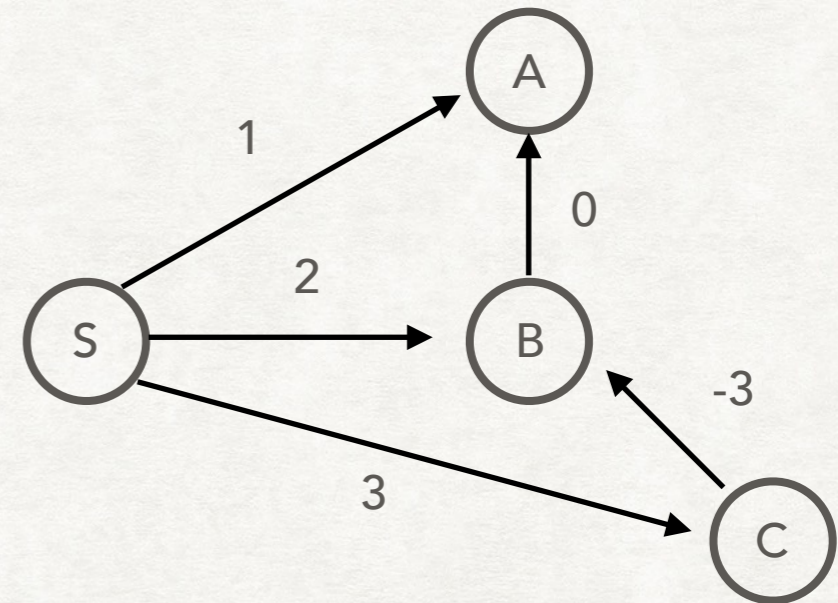


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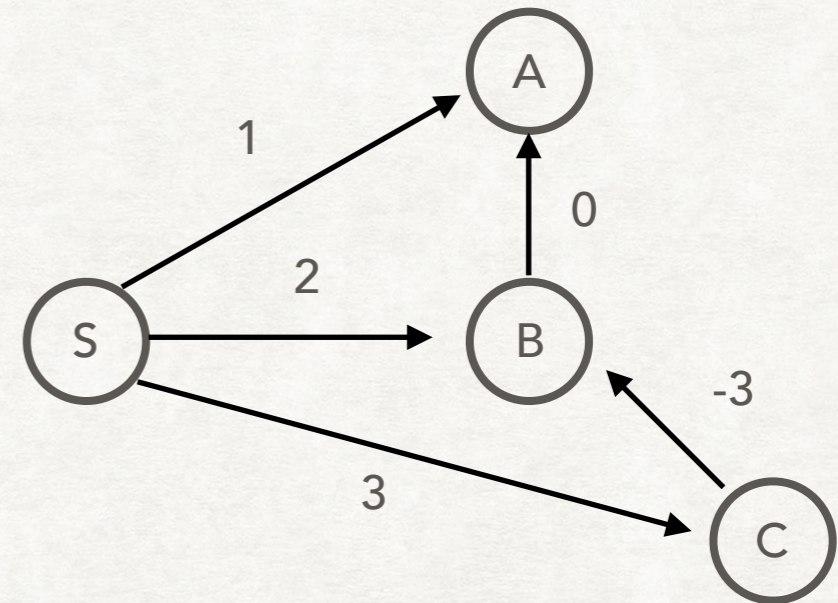
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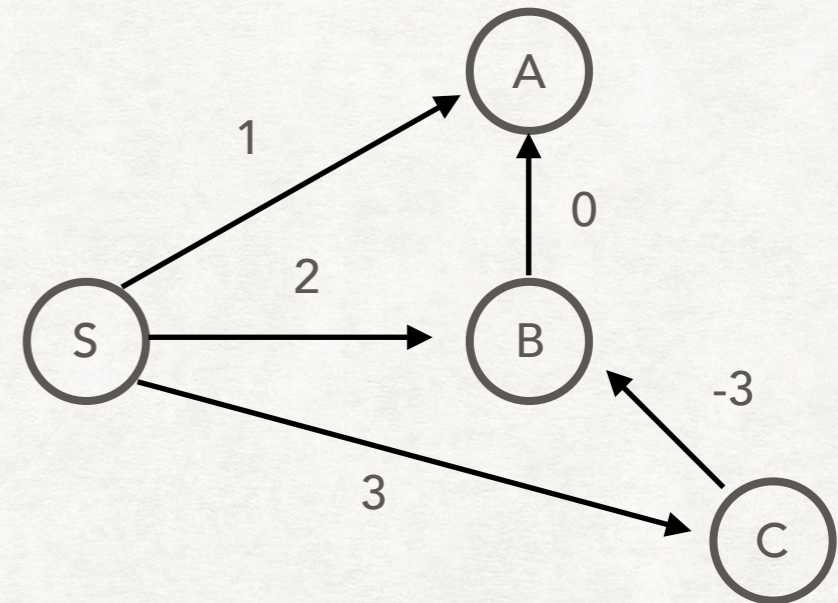
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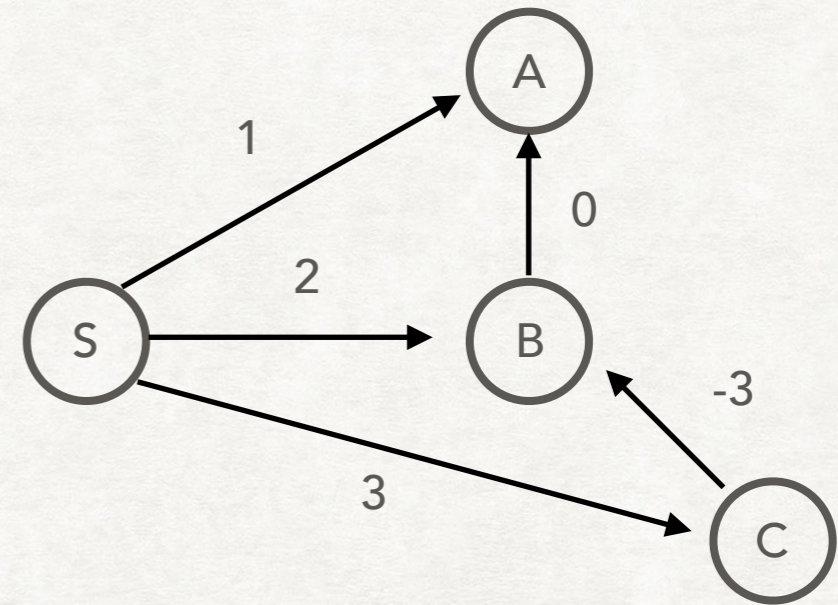
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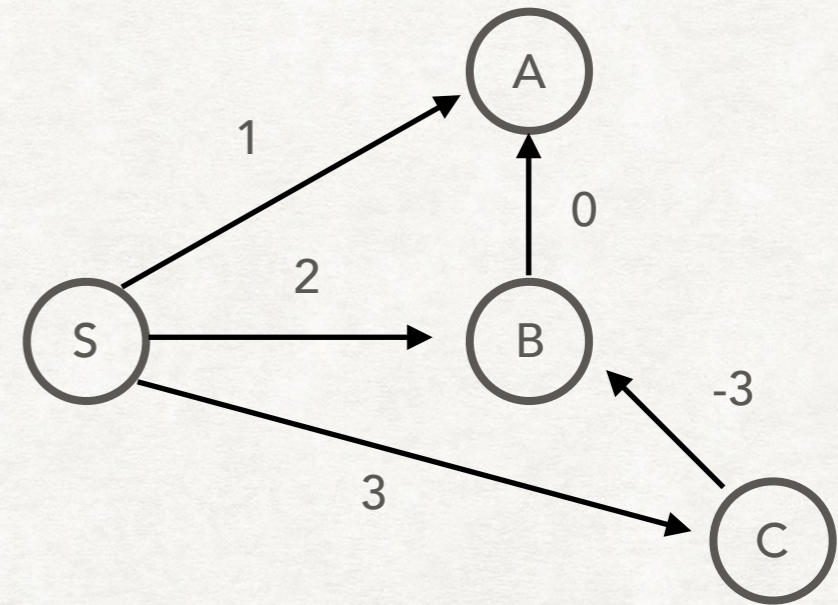
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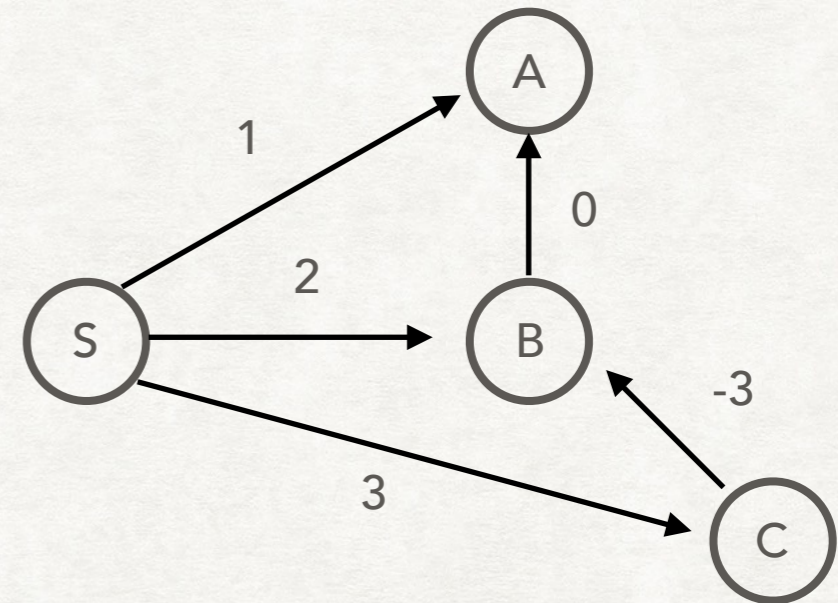
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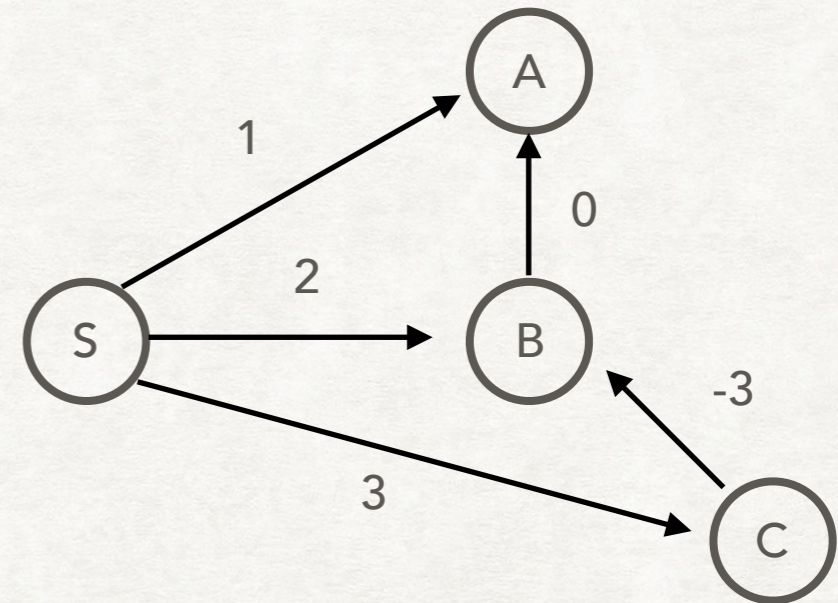
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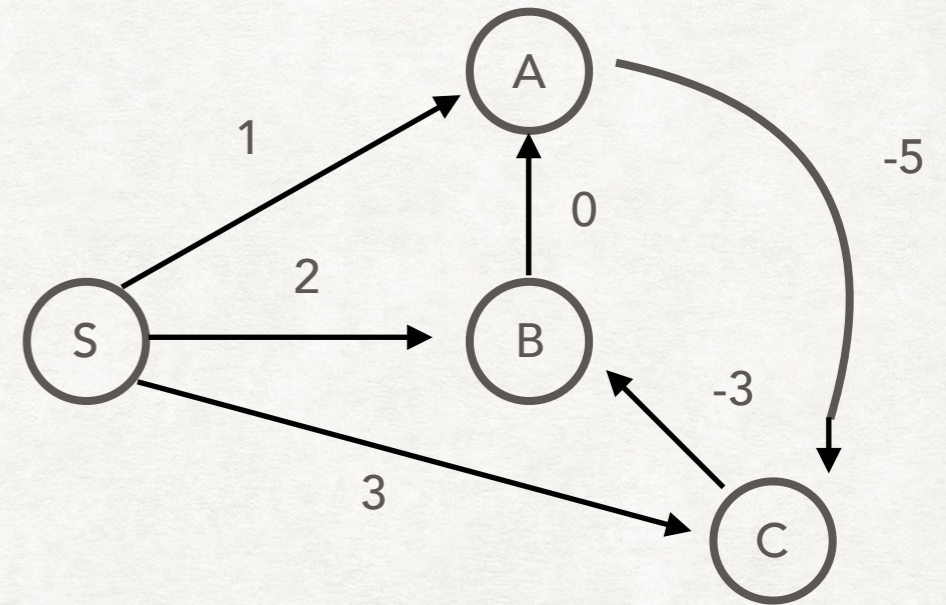
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- Negative Cycle A - C - B - A
- Perform 1 more iteration to see if any nodes have a shorter distance



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- In any path of a DAG, vertices appear in increasing linearized order.
- Topological sort, and then visit vertices in sorted order.
- Update distance to neighbor.

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update((u, v)):  
    dist(v) = min(dist(v), dist(u) + w(u, l))
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```
dag_shortest_path (G, s):  
    d[v] = infinity  
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    Linearize G  
    do vertex u in linearized order:  
        for edge (u, v):  
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- When you reach a vertex  $v$ , you have already found shortest path to it.
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- Find longest path by negating all edge lengths.
- Negative edge weights work.
- No need to propagate them forward.

- Visit each vertex in turn.

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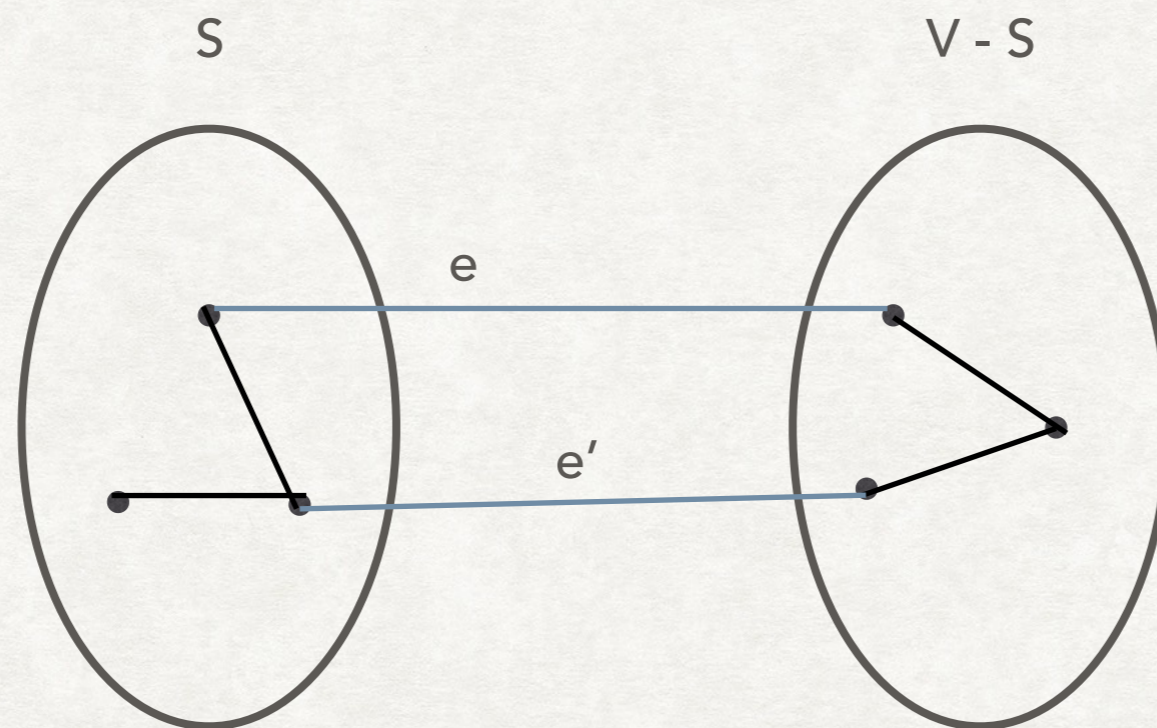
- Spanning Tree is some tree of the graph.
- All vertices connected if graph is connected.
- Minimum Spanning Tree takes edges with lowest total cost.

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- Cut Property
  - Set of edges whose removal disconnects the graph.
  - For any partition of vertices  $V$ ,  $(S, V - S)$ , set of edges that crosses the two partitions.
- Any edge of minimal weight in a cut is in some MST.
- If it is unique, it must be in the MST.

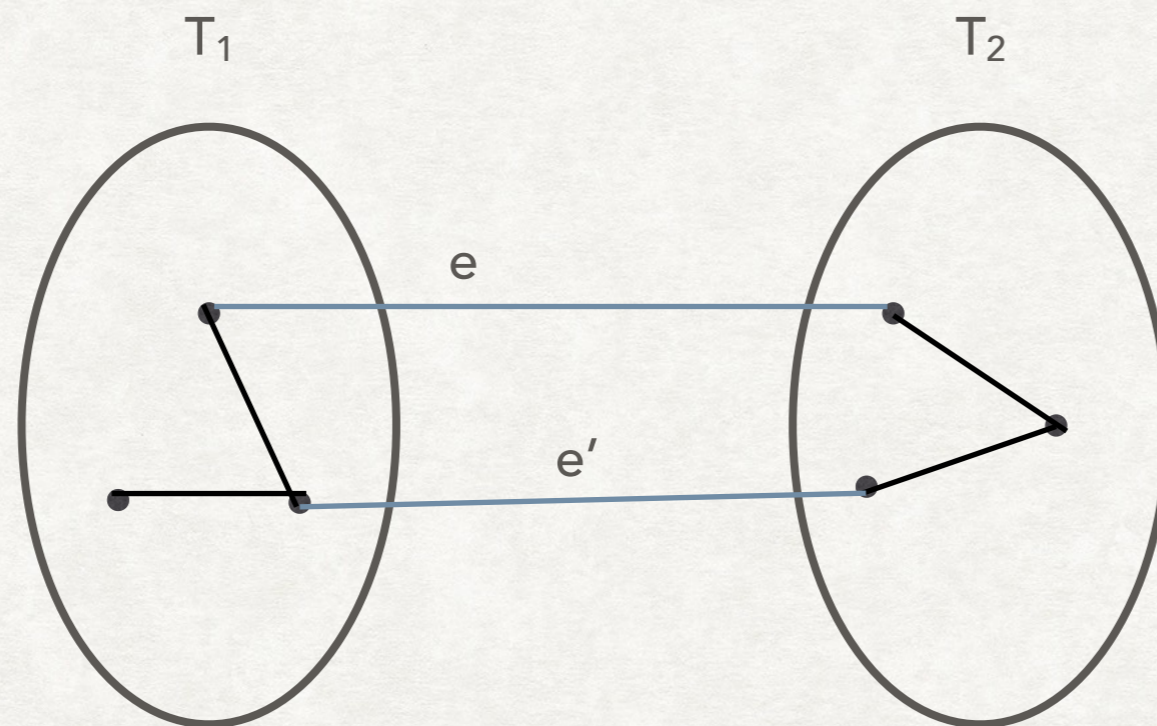
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- Suppose we have two MSTs  $T_1$  and  $T_2$ .
- Edge  $e$  crosses the  $\{T_1, T_2\}$  cut. Adding edge  $e'$  creates a cycle.
- Removing the largest edge in this cycle keeps  $T_1$  and  $T_2$  connected, and creates a spanning tree of  $T_1$  and  $T_2$ .
- Since  $T_1$  and  $T_2$  were both MSTs, and removing largest edge creates another spanning tree,  $\{T_1, T_2\}$  is a MST.



# KRUSKAL'S ALGORITHM

- Choose lightest edge that does not form a cycle.
- $O(|E| \log |E| + |E| \log |V|) = O(|E| \log |E|) = O(|E| \log |V|)$
- Demo

```
kruskal(G):  
  sort edges  
  for each edge in sorted order:  
    if no cycle:  
      add edge
```



# PRIM'S ALGORITHM

- Grow tree similar to Dijkstra's algorithm.
- Take lightest edge that connects existing tree to unseen vertex.
- $O((|V| + |E|) \log |V|)$  with binary heap
- $O(|E| + |V| \log |V|)$  with Fibonacci heap
- Demo

```
generic_MST(G):  
  start S = v:  
    find lightest edge (x, y)  
    in crossing (S, V - S)  
    S = S union {y}
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prim (G, s):  
  c[v] = infinity  
  c[s] = 0  
  prev[s] = s  
  PriorityQueue.add(G.V, c)  
  while PQ not empty:  
    u = PQ.DeleteMin()  
    add (u, prev(u)) to T  
    for edge (u, v):  
      if w(u, v) < c(v):  
        c(v) = w(u, v)  
        prev(v) = u  
        PQ.DecreaseKey(v, c[v])
```

# MST NEGATIVE WEIGHTS

- Both Kruskal's and Prim's work with negative weights.
- Smallest edge is defined the same for positive or negative weights.
- Kruskal's candidate edge is least weight edge that connects two distinct components.
- Prim's candidate edge is least weight edge connecting to seen set to an unseen vertex.