

# Applications to MM

## Transitive Closure

Given dir. graph  $G=(V,E)$ ,

$\forall s,t \in V$ , decide whether  $\exists$  path  $s \rightsquigarrow t$

naive algms -

$n$  DFSs/BFSs

$$\Rightarrow O(\underline{mn}) \leq O(n^3)$$

by DP (Warshall)

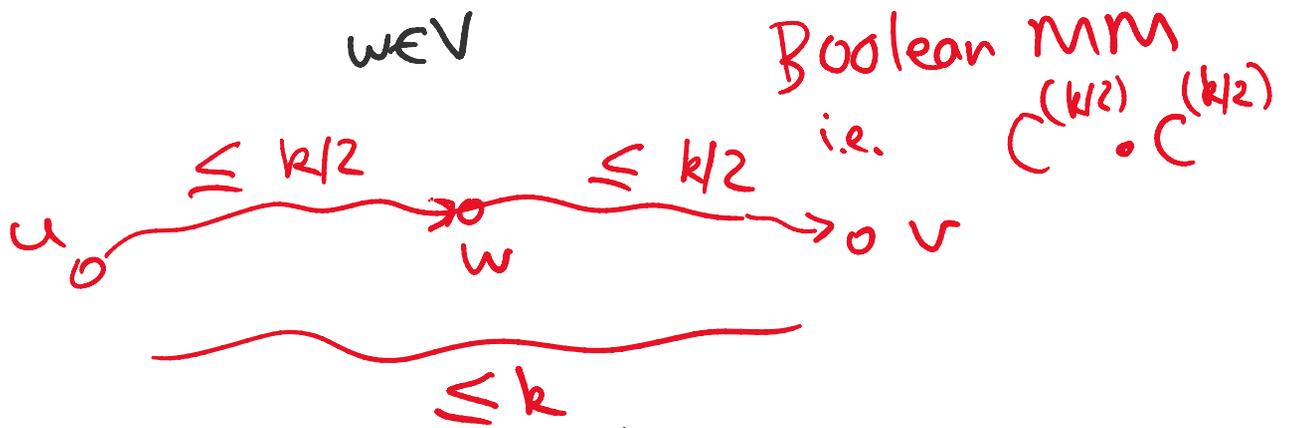
$$\Rightarrow O(n^3)$$

### Alg'm 1

repeated squaring

let  $c_{uv}^{(\leq k)}$  = true iff  $\exists$  path  $u \rightsquigarrow v$  with  $\leq k$  edges

$$c_{uv}^{(\leq k)} = \bigvee_{w \in V} (c_{uw}^{(k/2)} \wedge c_{wv}^{(k/2)})$$

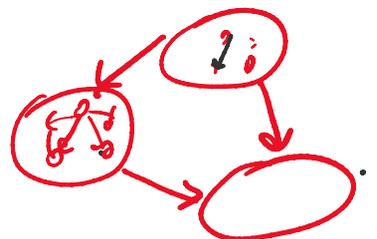


do  $k=1, 2, 4, 8, \dots$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{O(n^{\omega} \log n)} \leq O(n^{2.373})$$

### Alg'm 2: (Munro '71)

... assume  $G$  is a DAG



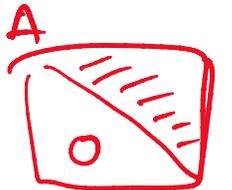
may assume  $G$  is a DAG  
 (by strongly conn. comps  
 & meta-graph)



topologically sort vertices  
 i.e. all edges are of the form  $(i, j)$  with  $i < j$



idea - D & C where  $n$  is decreased



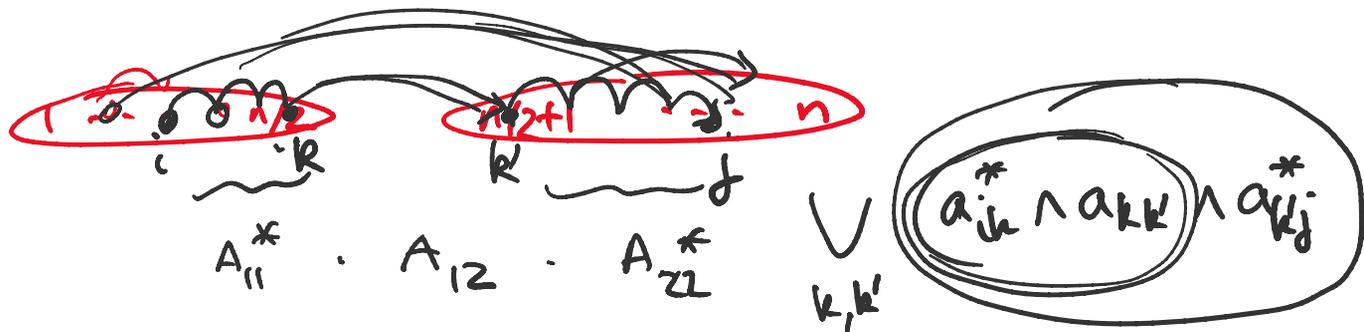
$$\text{let } a_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } (i, j) \in E \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

upper triangular

$$\text{to compute } a_{ij}^* = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \exists \text{ path } i \rightsquigarrow j \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Write } A = \begin{pmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ 0 & A_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{Then } A^* = \begin{pmatrix} A_{11}^* & A_{11}^* \cdot A_{12} \cdot A_{22}^* \\ 0 & A_{22}^* \end{pmatrix}$$



2 recursive calls + 2 MMS

$$\Rightarrow T(n) = 2T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + O(n^{\omega})$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{O(n^{\omega})} \quad \text{without extra logs}$$

Rmk. without top. sort, 4 recursive calls...

## All-Pairs Shortest Paths (APSP)

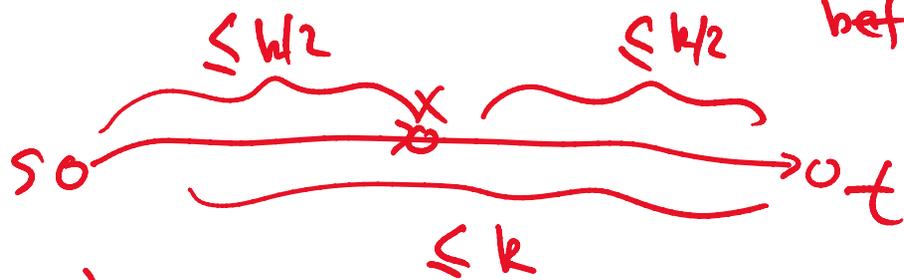
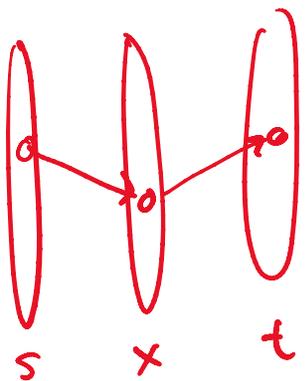
Given  $G=(V,E)$ , with edge wts,  
 $\forall s,t \in V$ , compute  $d(s,t)$  = shortest path dist from  $s$  to  $t$ .

repeated squaring generalizes...

Munro generalizes (w/o top sort)...

$$d^{(\leq k)}(s,t) = \min_{x \in V} \left( d^{(\leq k/2)}(s,x) + d^{(\leq k/2)}(x,t) \right)$$

↑  
computed before



$(\min, +)$ -MM  
 also called distance product  
 OPEN

will consider unweighted case  
 or small integer weight case  
 i.e. all wts are in

$$[c] \cup \{\infty\}$$

=  $\{1, \dots, c\}$

## Zwick's Alg'm (02)

Lemma Given  $n \times n$  matrices  $A, B$   
 where all entries are in  $[c] \cup \{\infty\}$ .

can compute  $(\min, +)$ -MM

$$c_{ij} = \min_k (a_{ik} + b_{kj})$$

in  $\tilde{O}(cn^{\omega})$  time.

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Pf: Let  $a'_{ik} = \underline{M}^{a_{ik}}$ ,  $b'_{kj} = \underline{M}^{b_{kj}}$

Compute standard MM for  $A', B'$

$$c'_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^n a'_{ik} \cdot b'_{kj}$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^n M^{a_{ik} + b_{kj}}$$

$$= \underline{\text{Something}} \times M^{\max_k (a_{ik} + b_{kj})} + \dots$$

lower-order terms

$\Rightarrow$  get (max,+) - MM.

$\Rightarrow$  get (min,+) - MM

Set  $M = n+1$ .

$c - a_{ik}$

$c - b_{kj}$

$\Rightarrow$  need to work with numbers in  $[(n+1)^c]$

$O(c \log n)$  - bit

each arithmetic op takes  $\tilde{O}(c)$  time.

by FFT.  $\square$