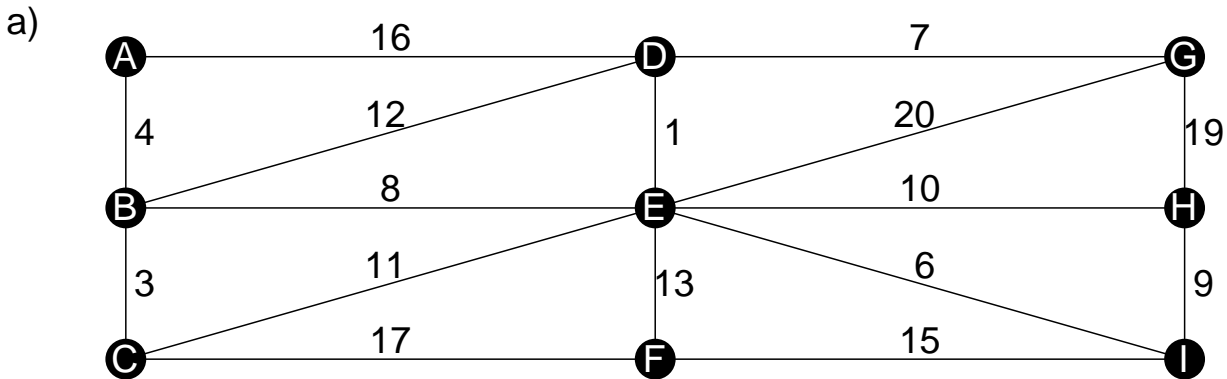


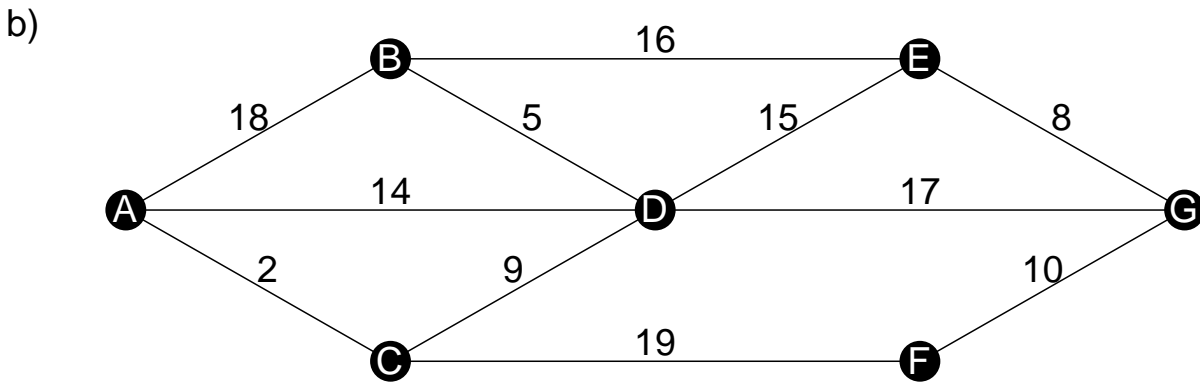
# Demo AS Discrete Questions

Please answer on file paper.

1: Find the Minimum Spanning Tree using Prim's Algorithm starting from vertex A:



Arcs/Length:



Arcs/Length:

2: Find the Minimum Spanning Tree using Prim's Algorithm starting from vertex A:

a)

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
A	-	19	12	17	23	21	30
B	19	-	7	11	20	10	4
C	12	7	-	1	8	9	3
D	17	11	1	-	13	6	25
E	23	20	8	13	-	26	22
F	21	10	9	6	26	-	18
G	30	4	3	25	22	18	-

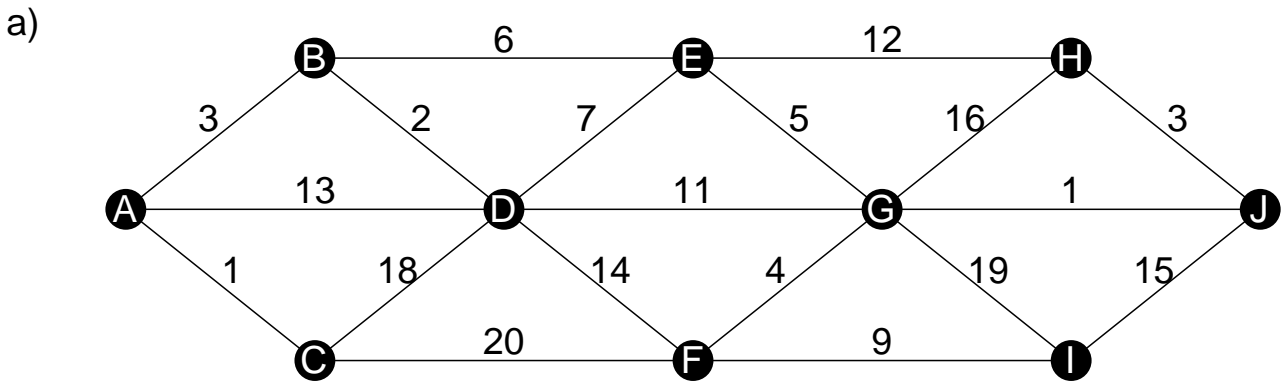
Arcs:  
Total length=

b)

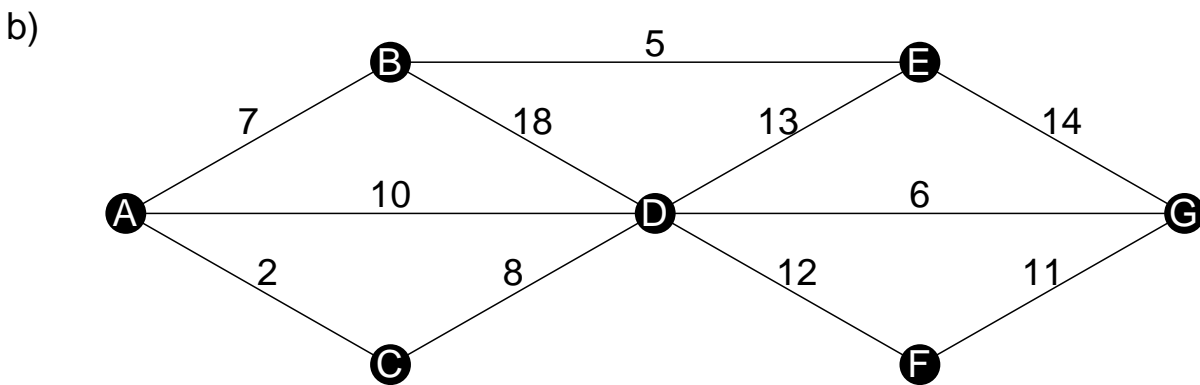
	A	B	C	D	E	F
A	-	2	27	14	24	16
B	2	-	15	5	29	28
C	27	15	-	11	3	12
D	14	5	11	-	4	21
E	24	29	3	4	-	9
F	16	28	12	21	9	-

Arcs:  
Total length=

3: Find the Minimum Spanning Tree using Kruskal's Algorithm:

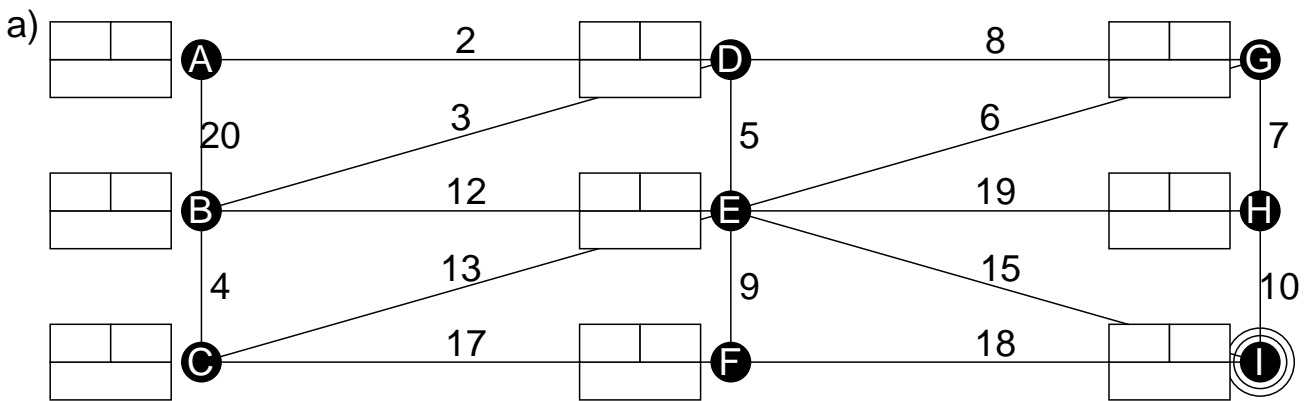


Arcs/Length:

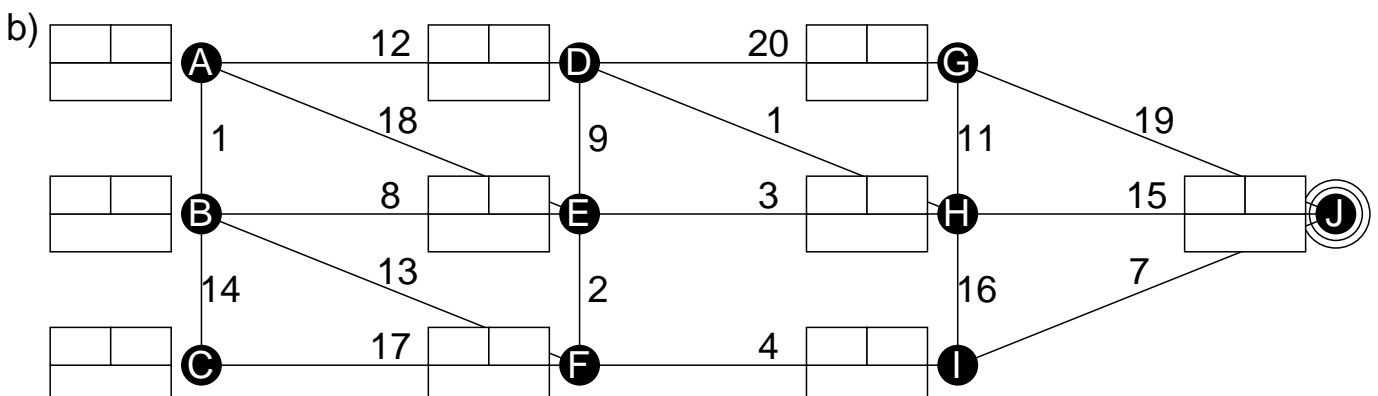


Arcs/Length:

4: Find the shortest route from A to the ringed vertex using Dijkstra's Algorithm:

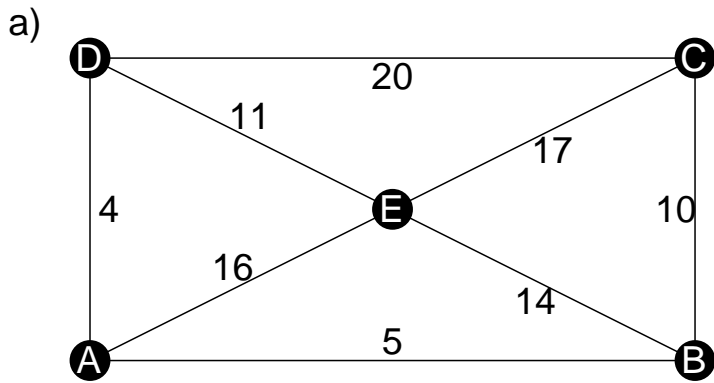


Route/Length:

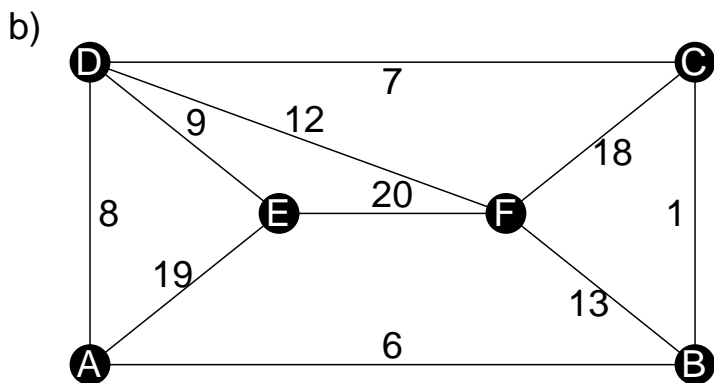


Route/Length:

5: Find the shortest route starting and finishing at A which includes every edge.

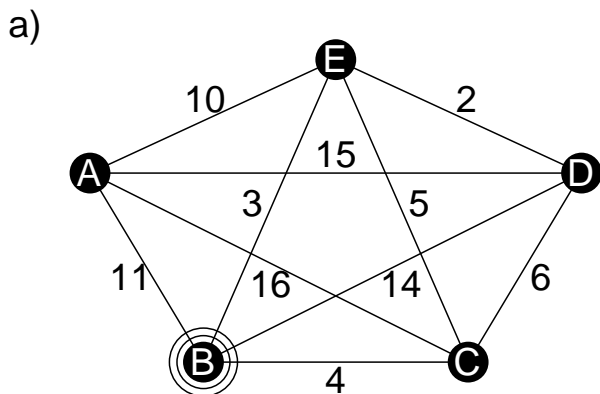


Pairings/Best solution:

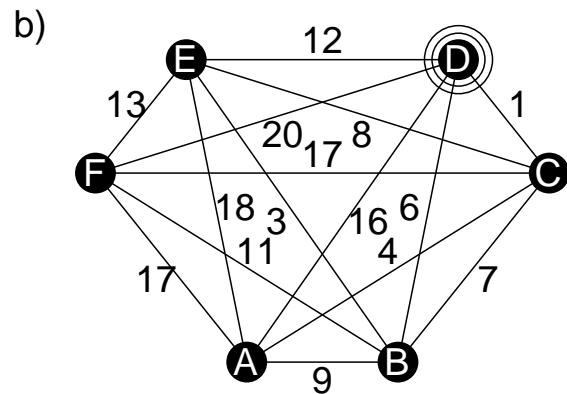


Pairings/Best solution:

6: Find a Hamiltonian cycle using the Nearest Neighbour algorithm (start at the ringed vertex):

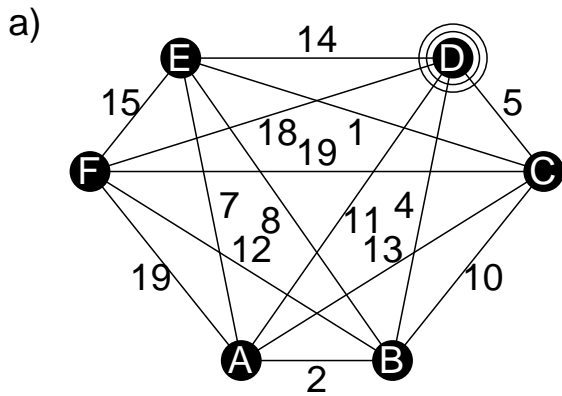


Cycle/Length:

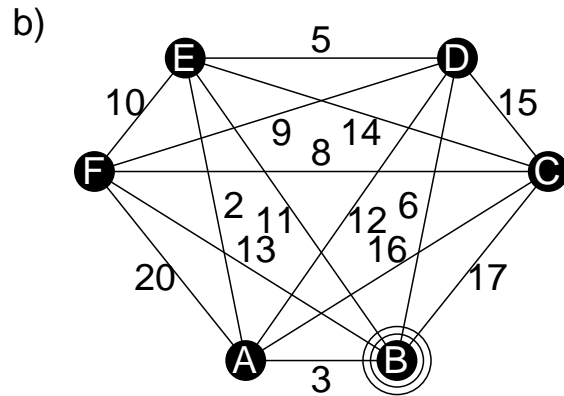


Cycle/Length:

7: Find a lower bound for the Travelling Salesperson Problem (remove the ringed vertex):



Lower Bound:



Lower Bound:

8: Use the first fit algorithm to pack these objects into bins:

a) 6 6 2 3 12 11 1 19  
(Bin size 20)

b) 2 1 1 9 6 7 4 6  
(Bin size 10)

9: Use the first fit decreasing algorithm to pack these objects into bins:

a) 8 14 14 4 4 3 8 2 4 2 13 8 6  
(Bin size 18)

b) 6 2 3 4 3 3 6 4 8 9  
(Bin size 12)

10: Use the full bin algorithm to pack these objects into bins:

a) 5 1 9 6 8 1 3  
(Bin size 11)

b) 5 6 4 3 2 1 1 8 9 6 13 8 7  
(Bin size 14)

11: Arrange the following lists in ascending order using Bubble Sort:

a) 3 6 2 7 13 10

b) 14 5 15 8 10 2 11

12: Arrange the following lists in ascending order using Shuttle Sort:

a) 7 3 5 13 10

b) 3 11 9 14 2 6

13: Find the order of each algorithm, given its efficiency:

a) Time taken =  $6^n + 19n^2 + n^4 + 20n^5 + 6n!$

b) Time taken =  $10n^9$

14: Solve the following:

a) An algorithm has order  $n$  and takes 5 seconds to solve a problem of size 1. Estimate the time taken to solve a problem of size 8.

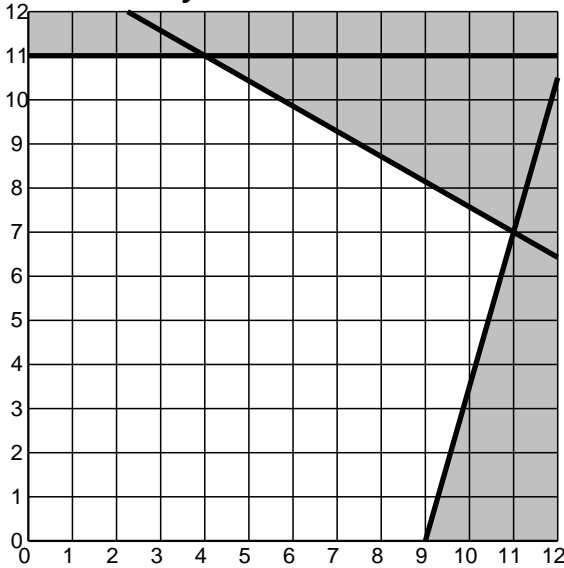
b) An algorithm has order  $3^n$  and takes 648 seconds to solve a problem of size 4. Estimate the time taken to solve a problem of size 10.

15: Give the following Linear Programming terms:

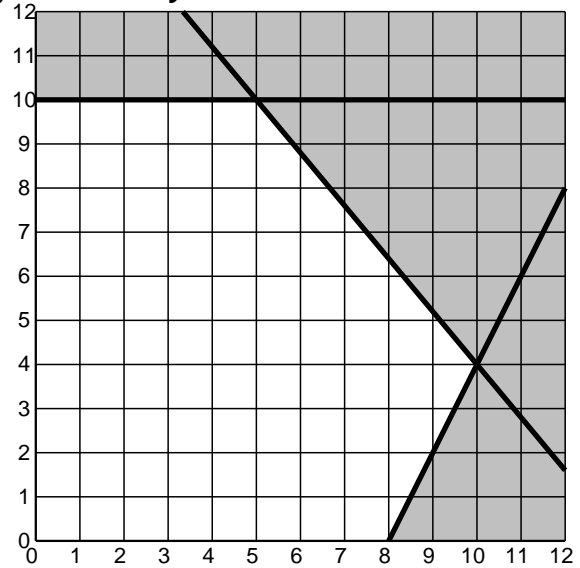
- a) Find the smallest value of
- b) The statement of a problem as a function to be optimised, with a set of inequalities
- c) The function to be optimised (minimised or maximised)
- d) A quantity that can be changed in the problem (e.g. representing a physical quantity)

16: Maximise each objective function:

a)  $P = 2x + 5y$



b)  $P = 2x + y$



17: Solve using the Simplex algorithm:

a)

$P$	$x$	$y$	$s$	$t$	value
0	-4	3	1	0	6
0	6	3	0	1	36
1	-36	-18	0	0	32

b)

$P$	$x$	$y$	$s$	$t$	value
0	2	8	1	0	64
0	6	-7	0	1	6
1	-18	-40	0	0	27

18: Solve using the Simplex algorithm:

a)

$P$	$x$	$y$	$z$	$s$	$t$	$u$	value
0	4	30	15	1	0	0	6
0	4	20	12	0	1	0	27
0	8	4	36	0	0	1	36
1	-6	-14	-9	0	0	0	36

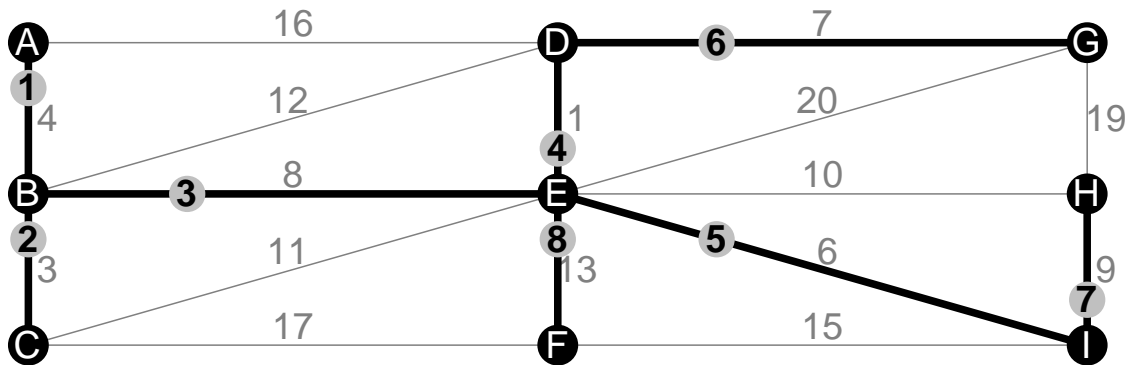
b)

$P$	$x$	$y$	$z$	$s$	$t$	$u$	value
0	10	24	10	1	0	0	40
0	16	24	40	0	1	0	2
0	9	10	9	0	0	1	21
1	-5	-15	-15	0	0	0	10

# Answers: Demo AS Discrete Questions

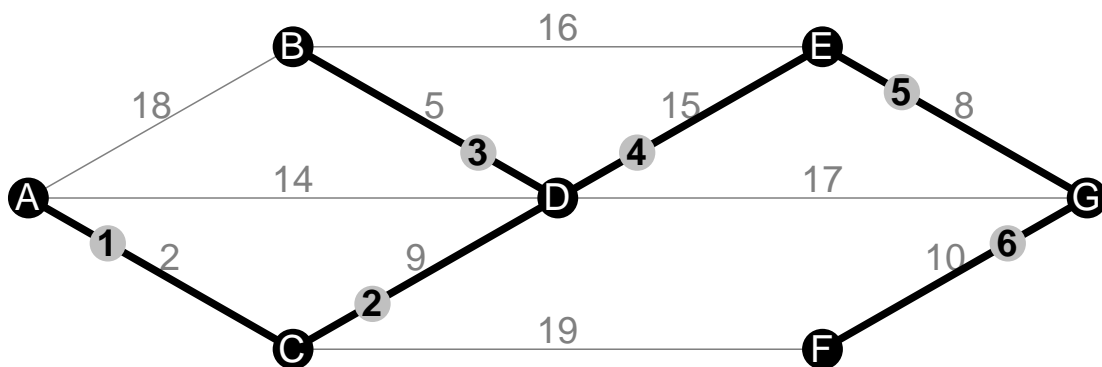
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1: a)



Arcs: AB, BC, BE, ED, EI, DG, IH, EF. Total length=51

b)



Arcs: AC, CD, DB, DE, EG, GF. Total length=49

2: a)

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
A	1	5	2	3	7	6	4
B	19	—	7	11	20	10	④
C	⑫	7	—	1	8	9	3
D	17	11	①	—	13	6	25
E	23	20	⑧	13	—	26	22
F	21	10	9	⑥	26	—	18
G	30	4	③	25	22	18	—

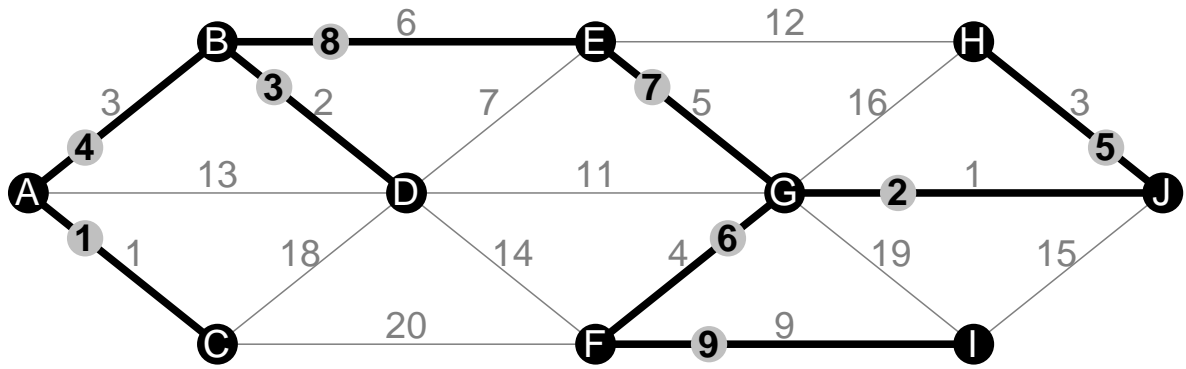
Arcs: AC, CD, CG, GB, DF, CE.  
Total length=34

b)

	A	B	C	D	E	F
A	1	2	5	3	4	6
B	②	—	15	5	29	28
C	27	15	—	11	③	12
D	14	⑤	11	—	4	21
E	24	29	3	④	—	9
F	16	28	12	21	⑨	—

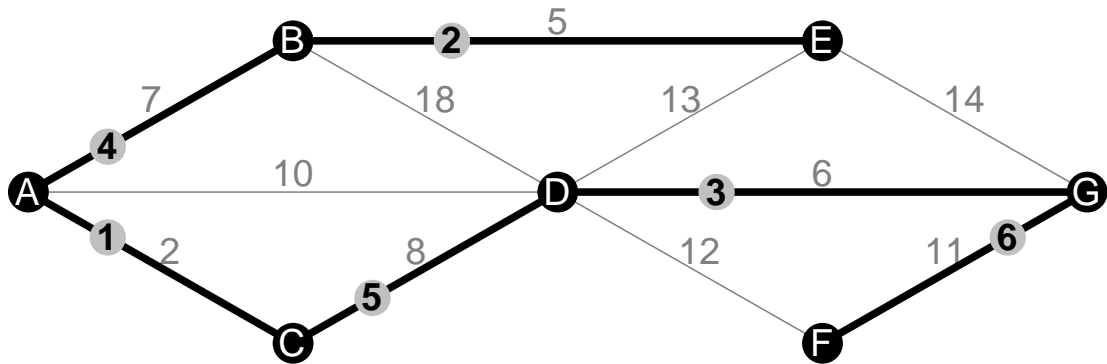
Arcs: AB, BD, DE, EC, EF.  
Total length=23

3: a)



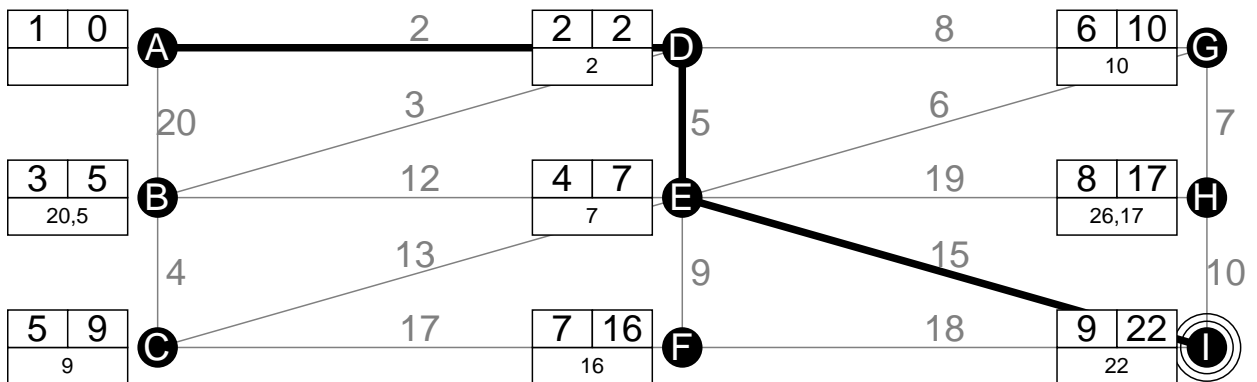
Arcs: AC, GJ, BD, AB, JH, GF, EG, BE, FI. Total length=34

b)



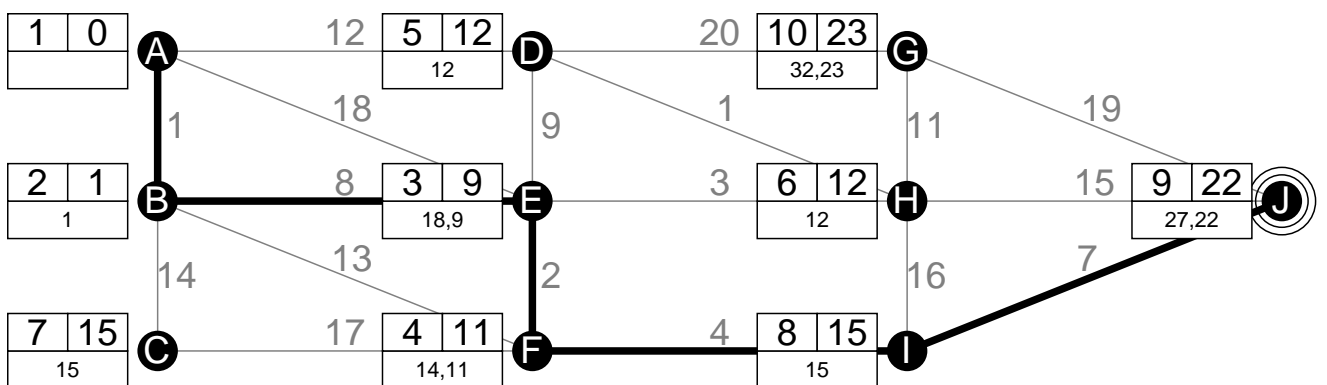
Arcs: AC, BE, DG, AB, CD, GF. Total length=39

4: a)



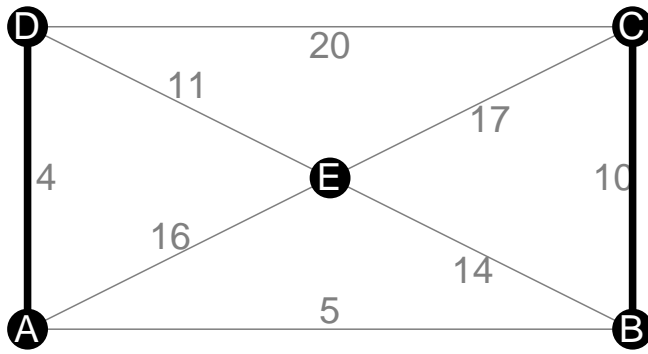
Route: ADEI. Length=22

b)



Route: ABEFIJ. Length=22

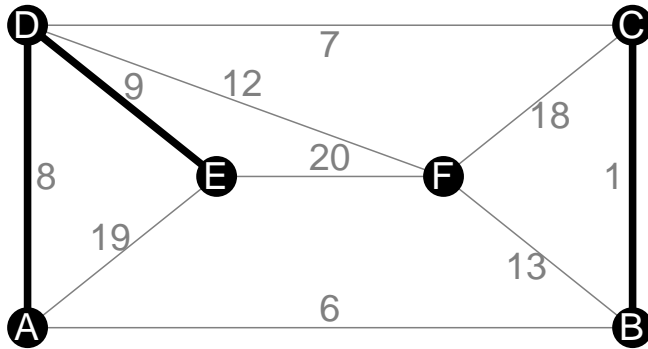
5: a)



Pairings: AB: 5    AC: 15    AD: 4  
 CD: 19    BD: 9    BC: 10  
 Tot: 24    Tot: 24    Tot: 14

Poss. route: ABCBEADCEDA  
 Length:  $97 + 14 = 111$

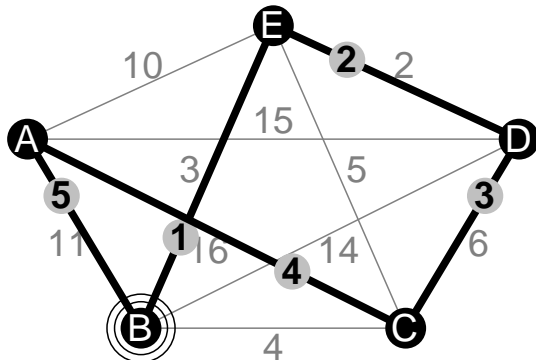
b)



Pairings: AB: 6    AC: 7    AE: 17  
 CE: 16    BE: 17    BC: 1  
 Tot: 22    Tot: 24    Tot: 18

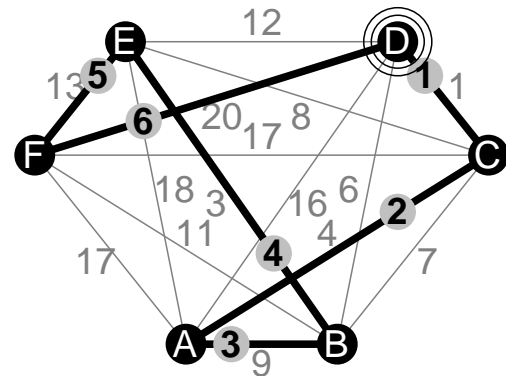
Poss. route: ABCBFCD A E D E D F E A  
 Length:  $113 + 18 = 131$

6: a)



Cycle: BEDCAB. Length=38

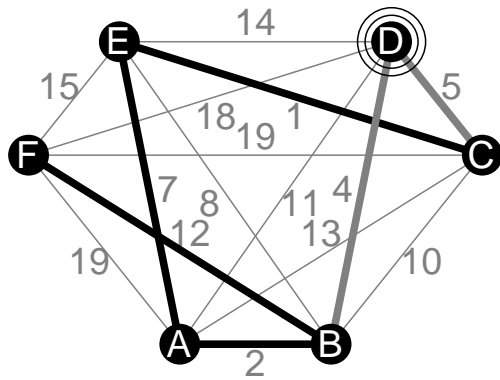
b)



Cycle: DCABEFD. Length=50

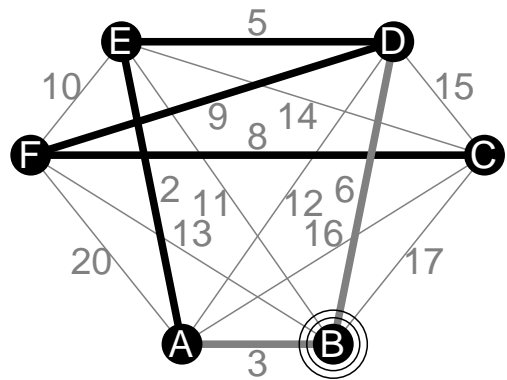


7: a)



Length =  $9 + 22 = 31$

b)



Length =  $9 + 24 = 33$

8: a) 6 6 2 3 12 11 1 19

(Bin size 20)

Bin 1: 6 6 2 3 1 [18]

Bin 2: 12 [12]

Bin 3: 11 [11]

Bin 4: 19 [19]

b) 2 1 1 9 6 7 4 6

(Bin size 10)

Bin 1: 2 1 1 6 [10]

Bin 2: 9 [9]

Bin 3: 7 [7]

Bin 4: 4 6 [10]

9: a) 14 14 13 8 8 8 6 4 4 4 3 2 2

(Bin size 18)

Bin 1: 14 4 [18]

Bin 2: 14 4 [18]

Bin 3: 13 4 [17]

Bin 4: 8 8 2 [18]

Bin 5: 8 6 3 [17]

Bin 6: 2 [2]

b) 9 8 6 6 4 4 3 3 3 2

(Bin size 12)

Bin 1: 9 3 [12]

Bin 2: 8 4 [12]

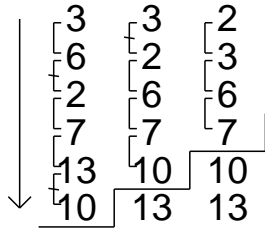
Bin 3: 6 6 [12]

Bin 4: 4 3 3 2 [12]

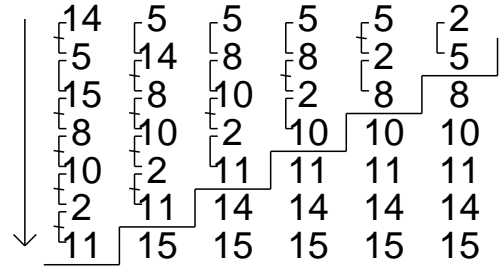
10: a) 8 3 1 1 9 6 5  
 (Bin size 11)  
 Bin 1: 8 3 [11]  
 Bin 2: 1 1 9 [11]  
 Bin 3: 6 5 [11]

b) 13 1 8 6 5 2 7 4 1 9 8 6 3  
 (Bin size 14)  
 Bin 1: 13 1 [14]  
 Bin 2: 8 6 [14]  
 Bin 3: 5 2 7 [14]  
 Bin 4: 4 1 9 [14]  
 Bin 5: 8 6 [14]  
 Bin 6: 3 [3]

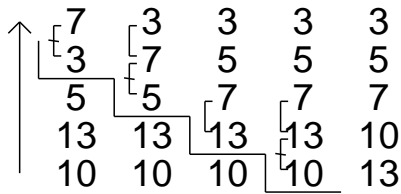
11: a)



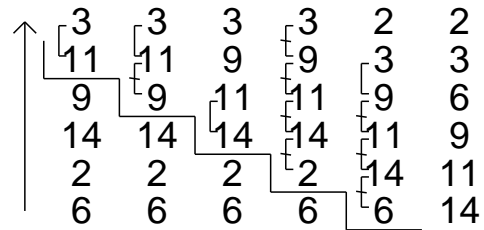
b)



12: a)



b)



13: a) Order  $n!$

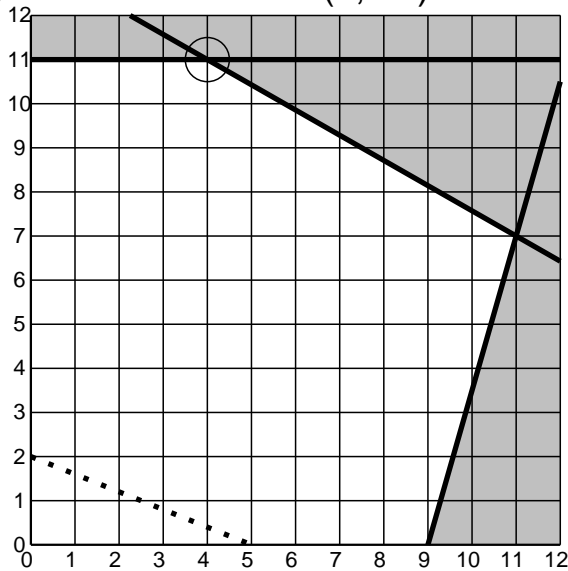
b) Order  $n^9$

14: a) 40 seconds

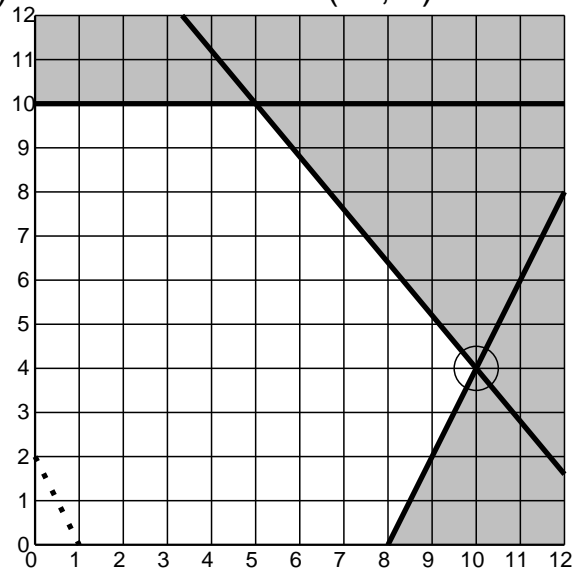
b) 472392 seconds

- 15: a) Minimise  
 b) Linear Programming (LP) formulation  
 c) Objective function  
 d) Control variable

16: a) Max value = 63 at (4, 11)



b) Max value = 24 at (10, 4)



17: a) Iteration 1:

$P$	$x$	$y$	$s$	$t$	value
0	-4	3	1	0	6
0	6	3	0	1	36
1	-36	-18	0	0	32

Optimal solution:

$P$	$x$	$y$	$s$	$t$	value
0	0	5	1	$\frac{2}{3}$	30
0	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	$\frac{1}{6}$	6
1	0	0	0	6	248

$$P = 248, x = 6, y = 0$$

b) Iteration 1:

$P$	$x$	$y$	$s$	$t$	value
0	2	8	1	0	64
0	6	-7	0	1	6
1	-18	-40	0	0	27

Iteration 2:

$P$	$x$	$y$	$s$	$t$	value
0	$\frac{1}{4}$	1	$\frac{1}{8}$	0	8
0	$7\frac{3}{4}$	0	$\frac{7}{8}$	1	62
1	-8	0	5	0	347

Optimal solution:

$P$	$x$	$y$	$s$	$t$	value
0	0	1	$\frac{3}{31}$	$-\frac{1}{31}$	6
0	1	0	$\frac{7}{62}$	$\frac{4}{31}$	8
1	0	0	$5\frac{28}{31}$	$1\frac{1}{31}$	411

$$P = 411, x = 8, y = 6$$

18: a) Iteration 1:

$P$	$x$	$y$	$z$	$s$	$t$	$u$	value
0	4	30	15	1	0	0	6
0	4	20	12	0	1	0	27
0	8	4	36	0	0	1	36
1	-6	-14	-9	0	0	0	36

Iteration 2:

$P$	$x$	$y$	$z$	$s$	$t$	$u$	value
0	$\frac{2}{15}$	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{30}$	0	0	$\frac{1}{5}$
0	$1\frac{1}{3}$	0	2	$-\frac{2}{3}$	1	0	23
0	$7\frac{7}{15}$	0	34	$-\frac{2}{15}$	0	1	$35\frac{1}{5}$
1	$-4\frac{2}{15}$	0	-2	$\frac{7}{15}$	0	0	$38\frac{4}{5}$

Optimal solution:

$P$	$x$	$y$	$z$	$s$	$t$	$u$	value
0	1	$7\frac{1}{2}$	$3\frac{3}{4}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	0	0	$1\frac{1}{2}$
0	0	-10	-3	-1	1	0	21
0	0	-56	6	-2	0	1	24
1	0	31	$13\frac{1}{2}$	$1\frac{1}{2}$	0	0	45

$$P = 45, x = 1\frac{1}{2}, y = 0$$

b) Iteration 1:

$P$	$x$	$y$	$z$	$s$	$t$	$u$	value
0	10	24	10	1	0	0	40
0	16	24	40	0	1	0	2
0	9	10	9	0	0	1	21
1	-5	-15	-15	0	0	0	10

Optimal solution:

$P$	$x$	$y$	$z$	$s$	$t$	$u$	value
0	-6	0	-30	1	-1	0	38
0	$\frac{2}{3}$	1	$1\frac{2}{3}$	0	$\frac{1}{24}$	0	$\frac{1}{12}$
0	$2\frac{1}{3}$	0	$-7\frac{2}{3}$	0	$-\frac{5}{12}$	1	$20\frac{1}{6}$
1	5	0	10	0	$\frac{5}{8}$	0	$11\frac{1}{4}$

$$P = 11\frac{1}{4}, x = 0, y = \frac{1}{12}$$