# More on HW7: The Two Traveling Salesmen Problem 

## Hints:

## Examples:

Let $G$ have $n$ vertices, named $1,2, \ldots n$, in topological order. Thus, there is no edge $(i, j)$ if $i \geq j$.
Example 1: Let $n=20$, and let $G$ be a complete acyclic directed graph, i.e., there is an edge from $i$ to $j$ if and only if $i<j$. Let the weights $\{W(i, j)\}$ be given by the following table; for example, $W(1,2)=5$. A blank entry means that $W(i, j)$ is undefined, or $\infty$ if you prefer.

|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
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| 1 |  | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 6 | 8 | 5 | 8 | 4 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 9 | 1 | 9 | 3 | 4 |
| 2 |  |  | 5 | 8 | 8 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 4 | 9 | 8 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 4 | 8 | 9 | 8 |
| 3 |  |  |  | 2 | 8 | 8 | 9 | 5 | 8 | 8 | 5 | 5 | 8 | 7 | 2 | 7 | 6 | 6 | 2 | 5 |
| 4 |  |  |  |  | 9 | 7 | 5 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 7 | 7 | 5 | 2 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 3 |
| 5 |  |  |  |  |  | 6 | 2 | 6 | 3 | 6 | 4 | 9 | 9 | 7 | 5 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 9 | 7 |
| 6 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 1 | 9 | 7 | 6 | 7 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 7 | 3 | 6 | 4 |
| 7 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3 | 6 | 1 | 4 | 6 | 9 | 9 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 6 | 2 | 9 |
| 8 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 6 | 6 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 3 | 6 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 7 |
| 9 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 6 | 3 | 2 | 8 | 2 | 9 | 4 | 6 | 8 | 1 | 1 |
| 10 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 6 | 8 | 7 | 1 | 9 | 9 | 8 | 5 | 5 | 9 |
| 11 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 6 | 5 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 9 |
| 12 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2 | 4 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 7 | 3 | 8 |
| 13 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4 | 9 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 6 | 6 |
| 14 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8 | 3 | 5 | 5 | 9 | 1 |
| 15 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 9 | 6 | 1 | 9 | 3 |
| 16 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3 | 1 | 7 | 8 |  |
| 17 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2 | 6 | 7 |  |  |
| 18 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8 | 3 |  |  |
| 19 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3 |  |
| 20 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

When I ran my progam with this input, I got the following output:

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Start at 1
Move to 2 at cost 5
Move to 3 at cost 5
Move to 4 at cost 2
Move to 8 at cost 1
Move to 9 at cost 6
Move to 11 at cost 3
Move to 12 at cost 1
Move to 13 at cost 2
Move to 16 at cost 1
Move to 17 at cost 3
Move to 19 at cost 6
Move to 20 at cost 3
Start at 1
Move to 5 at cost 8
Move to 6 at cost 6
Move to 7 at cost 1
Move to 10 at cost 1
Move to 14 at cost 1
Move to 15 at cost 8
Move to 18 at cost 1
Move to 20 at cost 3
Total cost: 67
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