

Refinement based Algorithm Development with Isabelle/HOL

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Overview

- Refinement based approach to algorithm development
 - From pseudocode to implementation
- Everything verified within Isabelle/HOL
 - We do not trust any other tools
- Edmonds-Karp Maxflow algorithm as running example
 - Approach has been used for many formalizations. Highlights:
MUNTA: Timed Automata Model Checker
GRAT: SAT solver certification
CAVA: LTL model checker

Lecture Material:

http://www21.in.tum.de/~lammich/vtsa2018_isabelle.tgz

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- Archive of Formal Proofs <https://www.isa-afp.org/>
 - Large set of theories readily available
 - Maintained to run with latest Isabelle version

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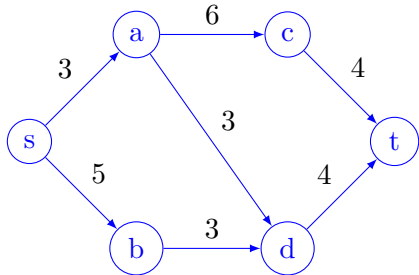
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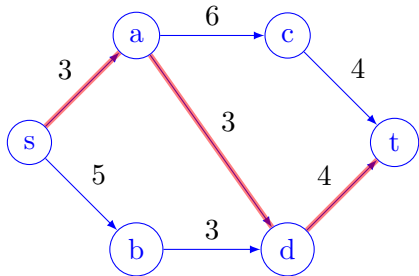
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 - Directed graph
 - Edges annotated with capacity
 - Distinguished source and sink node
- Flow
 - Generated only at source
 - Consumed only at sink
 - Must not exceed edge capacities

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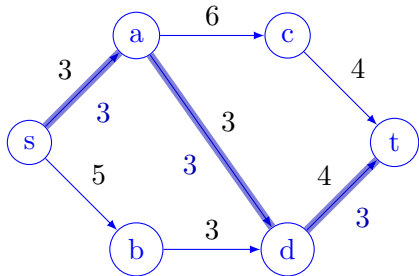
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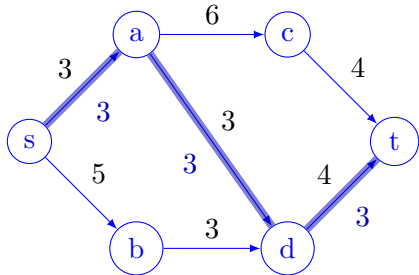
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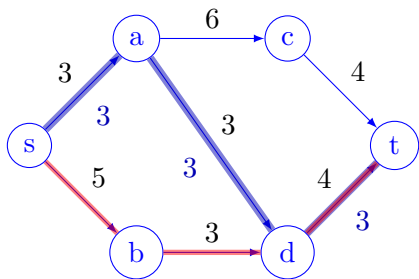
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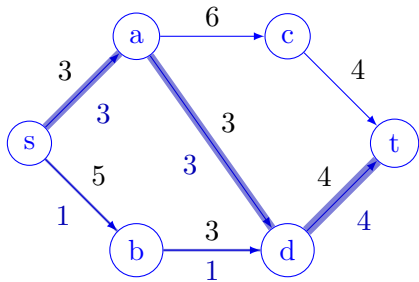
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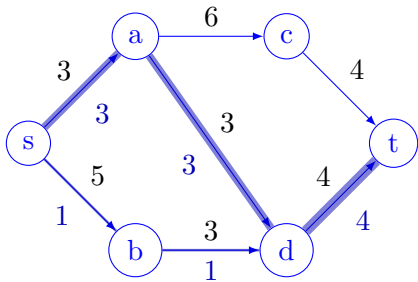
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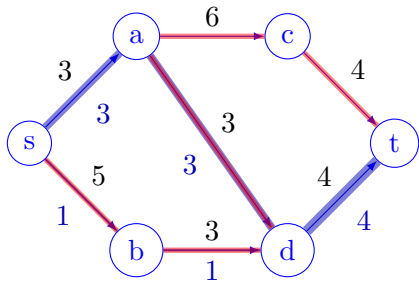
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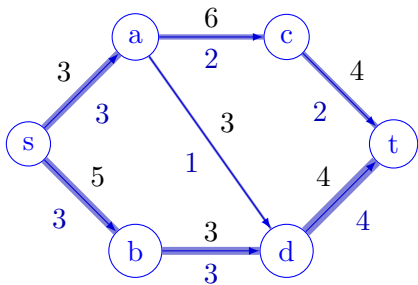
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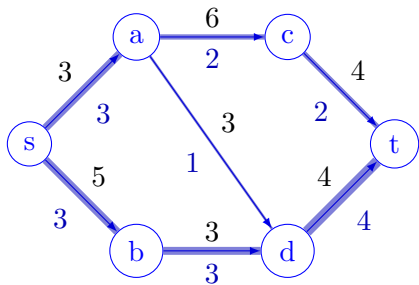
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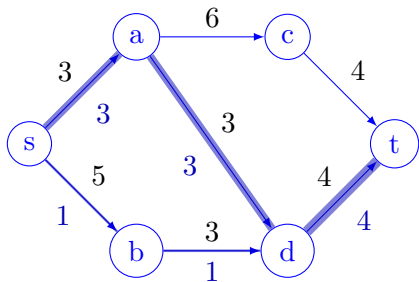


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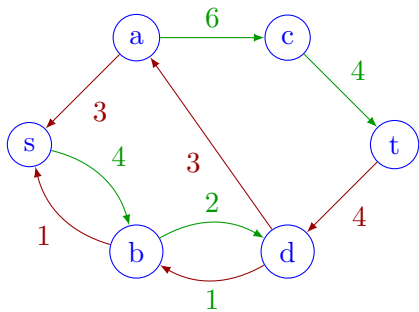
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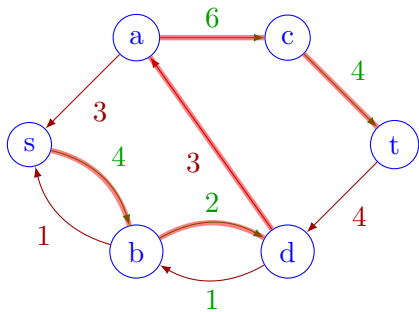
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- Edmonds/Karp: choose shortest augmenting path
 - $O(VE)$ iterations for real-valued capacities
 - Using BFS to find path: $O(VE^2)$ algorithm

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 - Could use predecessor map directly
 - but converting to list gives cleaner interface, and is no bottleneck

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 - Cannot determine actual shortest path in abstract algorithm
 - There may be many, and implementation details of BFS decide which one is returned
 - Abstractly: nondeterministically choose among all possibilities

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- Any HOL function, and its syntax

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do {  
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  else if  $x = 0$  then return  $0$  ;  
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Workset_Demo.thy

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- where $\langle P \rangle c \langle \lambda r. Q r \rangle_t$ is Hoare-triple for Imperative/HOL programs

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d — destroy

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  assert ( $Q \neq \{\}$ );  
   $v \leftarrow$  spec  $x. x \in Q \wedge (\forall y \in Q. x \leq y)$ ;  
  case  $m \ v$  of  
    None  $\Rightarrow$  return ( $m(v \rightarrow \text{True})$ )  
  | Some  $_ \Rightarrow$  return  $m$   
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Assert becomes no-op

```
do {  
  (* assert ( $Q \neq \{\}$ ); *)  
  < minheap  $Q_i$   $Q$  * hashmap  $mi$   $m$  > |  $Q \neq []$   
   $v \leftarrow pq\_get\_min$   $Q$ ;  
   $t_1 \leftarrow$  return (map_lookup  $v$   $m$ )  
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$(\text{minheap_get_min}, \text{pq_get_min}) \in \text{minheap}^k \rightarrow \text{int}$

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Result now also bound.

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Split: Translate both branches separately

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      return ( $\text{map\_update } v \ t_2 \ m$ )  
    }  
    | Some  $\_ \Rightarrow$   
       $\langle \text{minheap } Q \ Qi * \text{hashmap } m \ mi * \text{int } v \ vi * \text{bool } t_3 \ ti_3 \rangle \mid Q \neq [],$   
 $t_1 = \text{Some } t_3$   
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Synthesis of Program

$(\text{return True}, \text{return True}) \in - \rightarrow \text{bool}$

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Synthesis of Program

Pass on m_i as result. No aliasing, so m_i no longer valid!

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```

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Merge.

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Merge. ti_2 goes out of scope.

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Sepref_Demo.thy

Toy Example with Hashtable and Min-Heap

Workset_Demo_Impl.thy

Implementing the Workset Algorithm

Edka_Impl_Demo.thy

Implementation of Edmonds-Karp

Summary

- Select (imperative) data structures
- Synthesize Imperative/HOL program
- Generate ML/OCaml/Haskell/Scala program

Lecture Conclusions

- Prove algorithmic ideas on abstract level
 - No need to bother with implementation details
- Prove/reuse data-structures and sub-algorithms (independently)
 - Lot's of stuff has already been done: reuse, adapt, extend
- Use refinement to relate abstract with more concrete algorithms
 - Multiple steps. Step-size is a trade-off.
- Finally: Use Sepref to go to Imperative/HOL, generate code

Remarks on Learning Curve

- Should learn basic Isabelle first
 - E.g. Concrete Semantics book by Nipkow and Klein
- Then Refinement Framework (Look for tutorials in AFP)
 - Works quite smoothly
- Then Sepref Tool (Tutorial in AFP)
 - Can have quite subtle errors, needs some experience