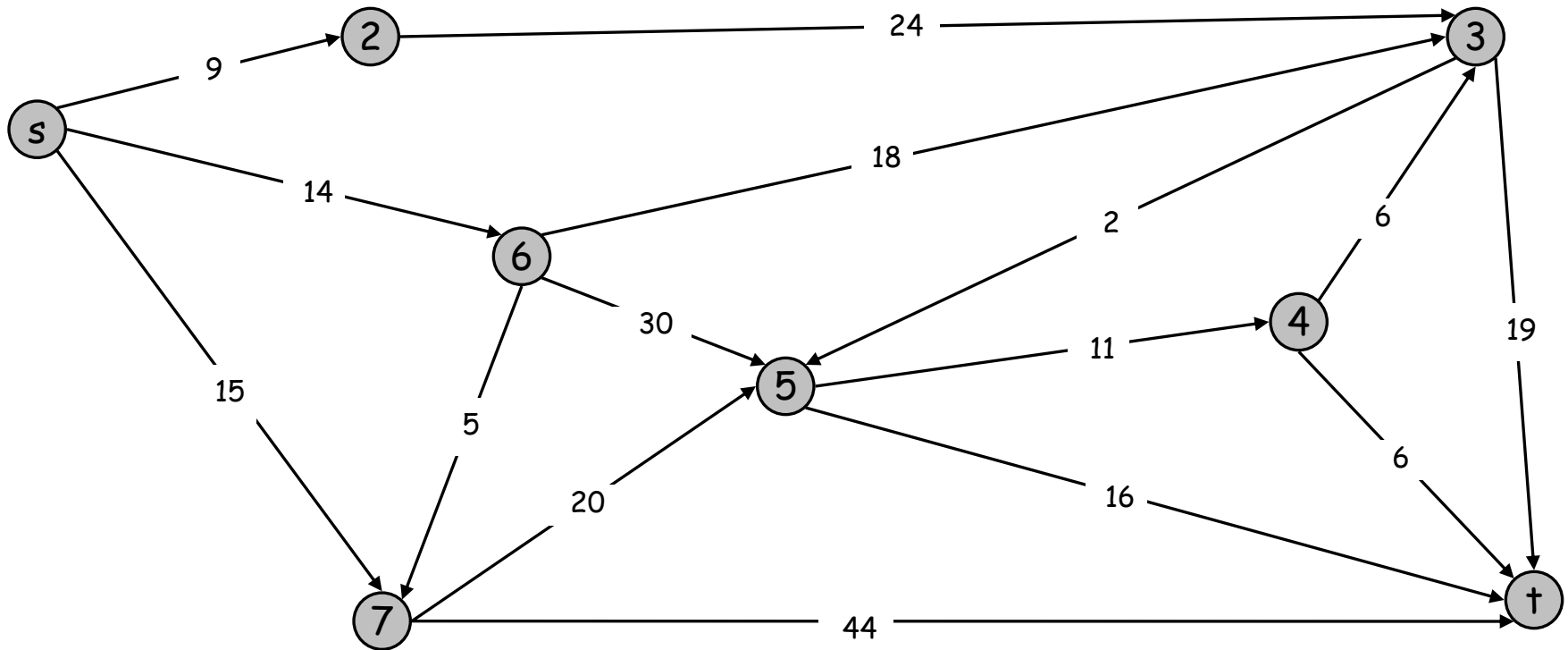


DIJKSTRA ALGORITHM

Solution to the single-source shortest path problem in graph theory

Dijkstras Shortest Path Algorithm

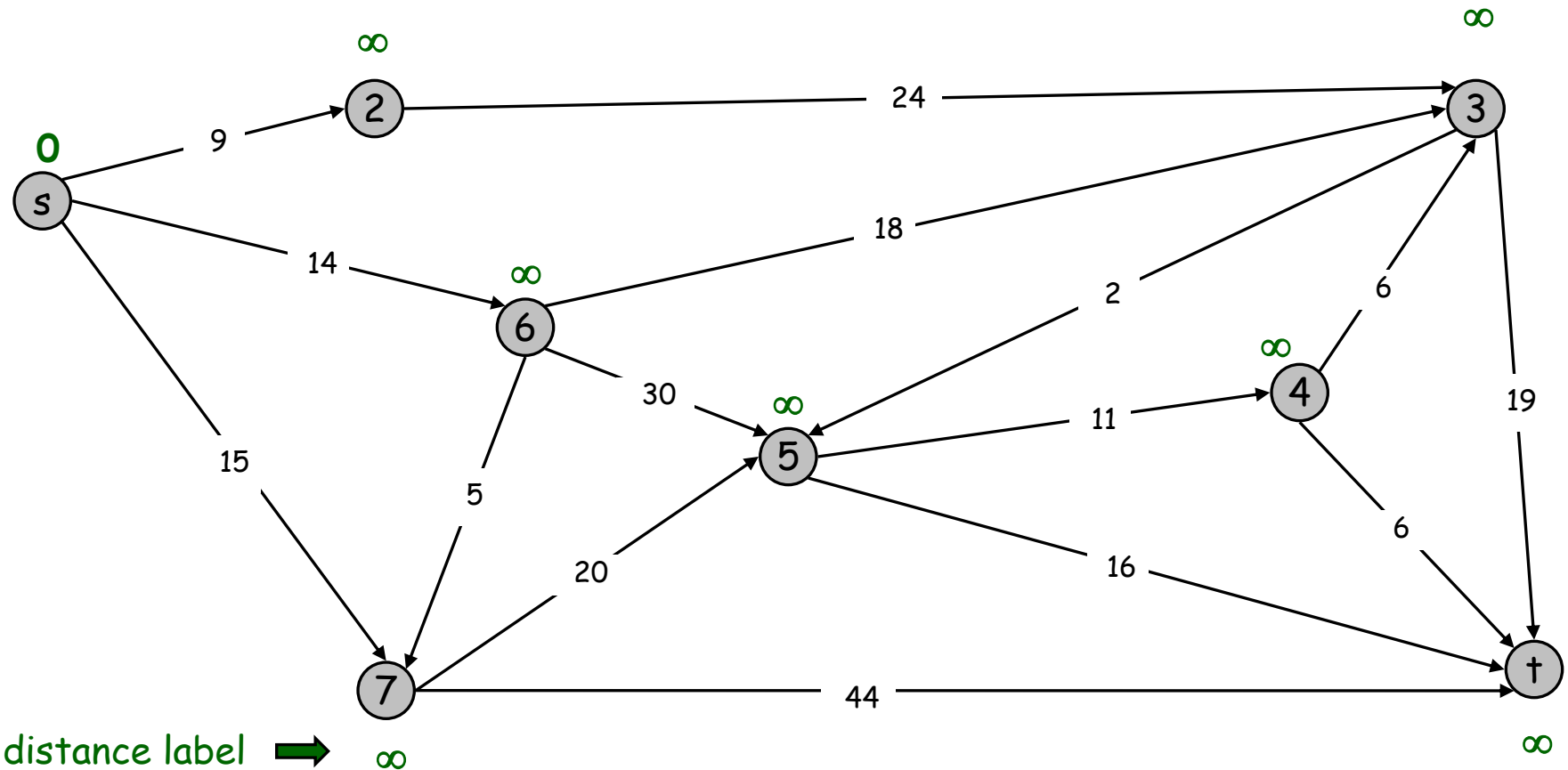
Find shortest path from s to t.



Dijkstras Shortest Path Algorithm

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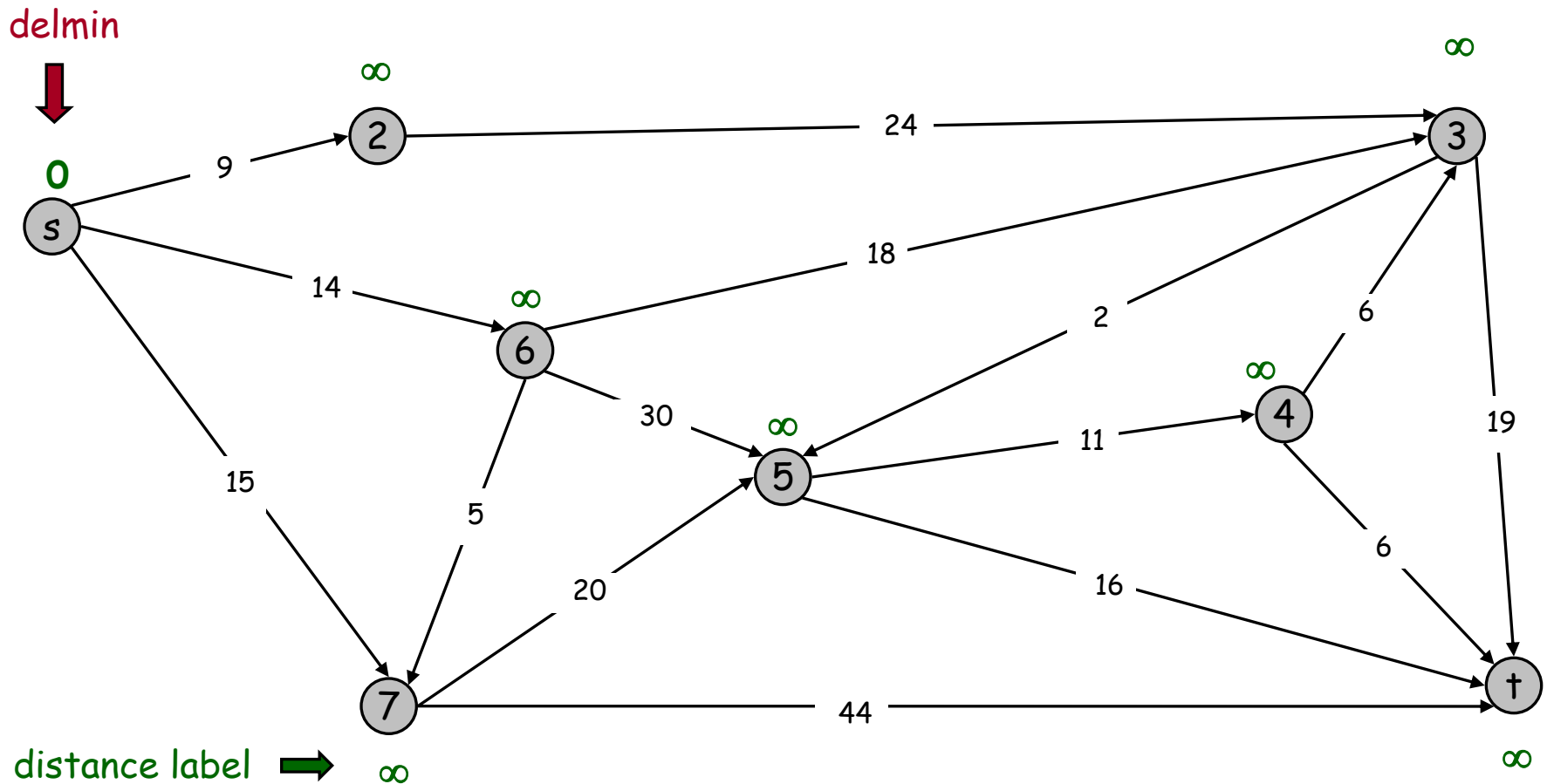
$PQ = \{ s, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, \dagger \}$



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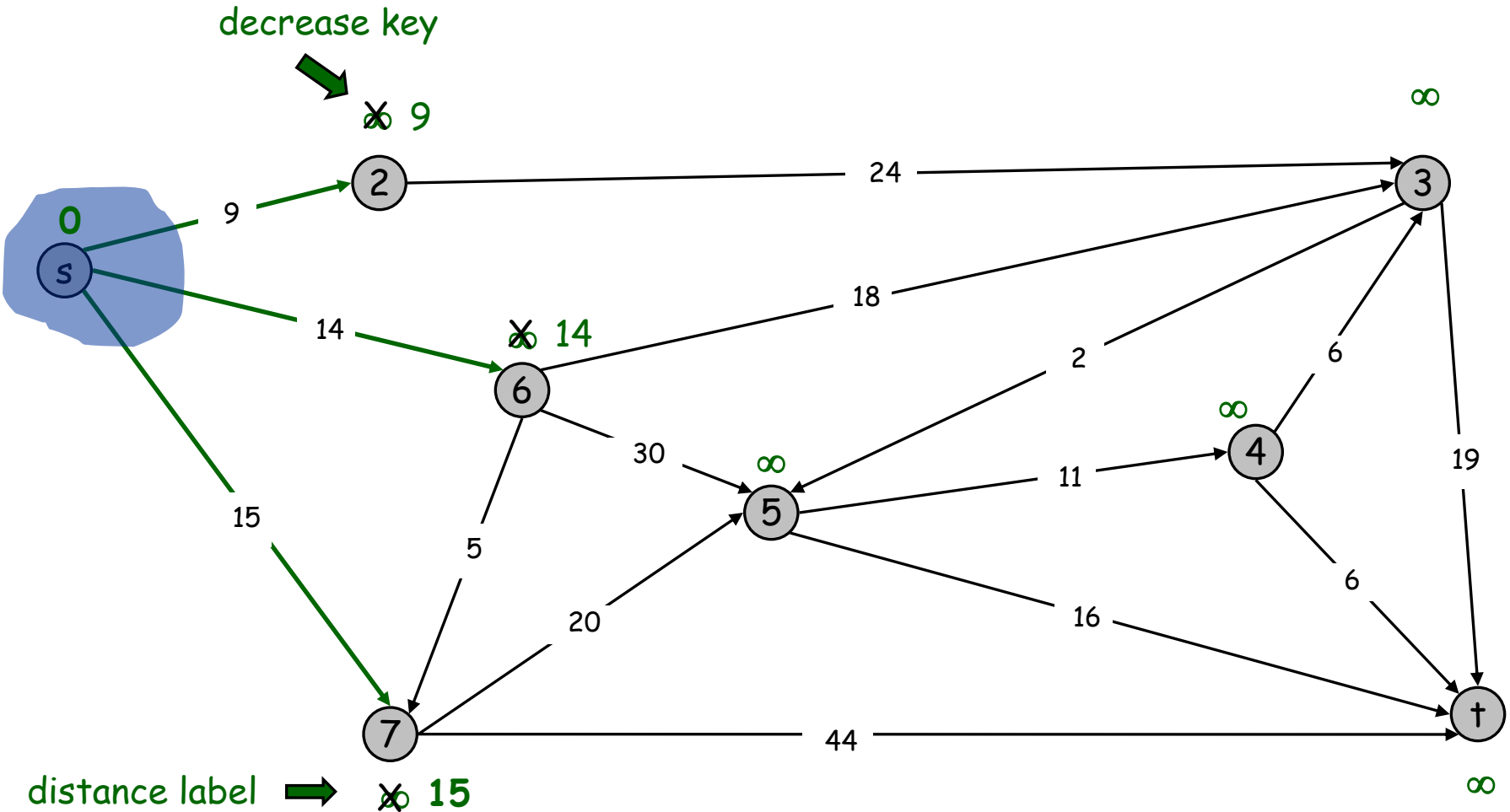
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decrease key



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distance label

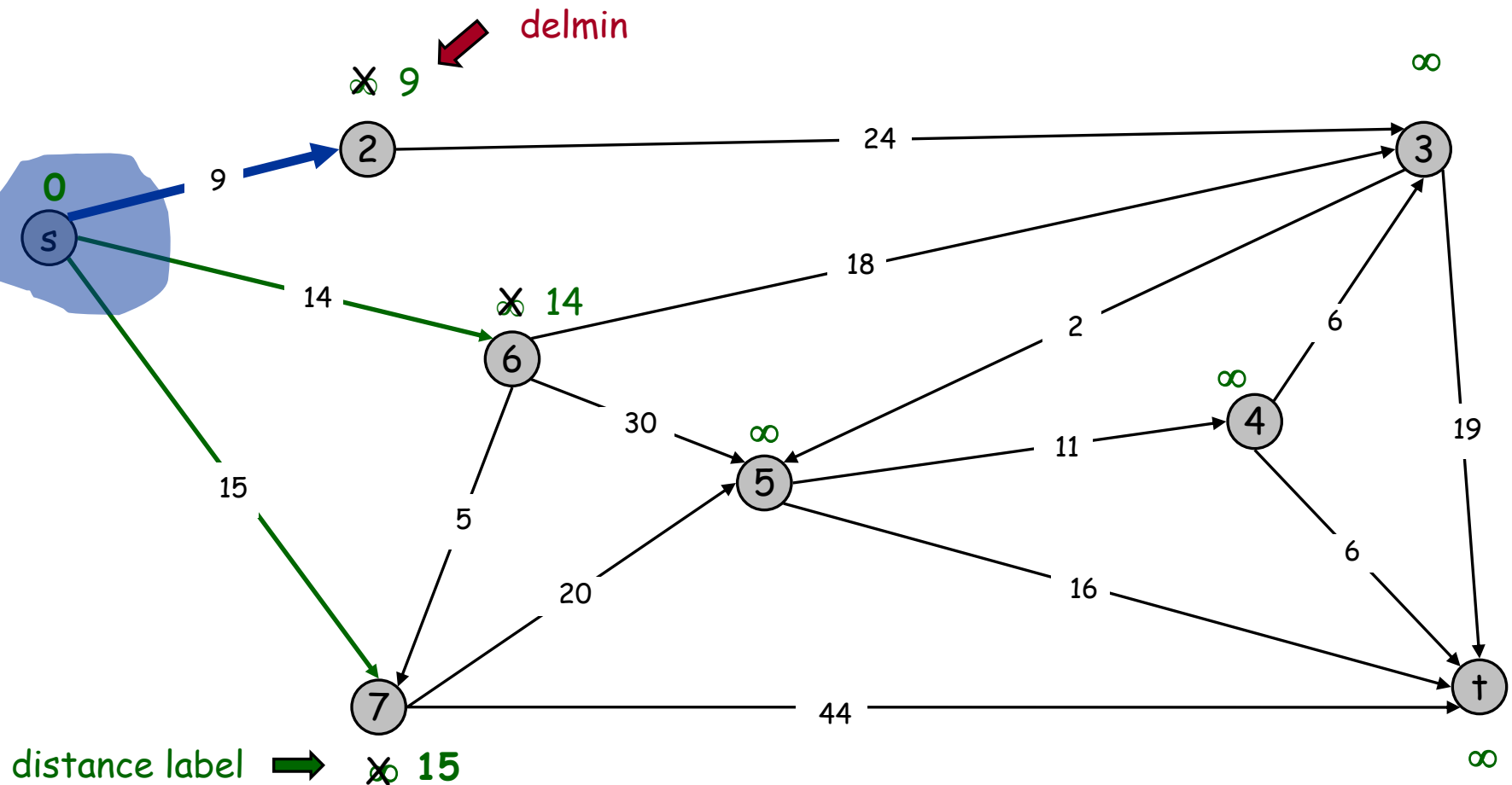


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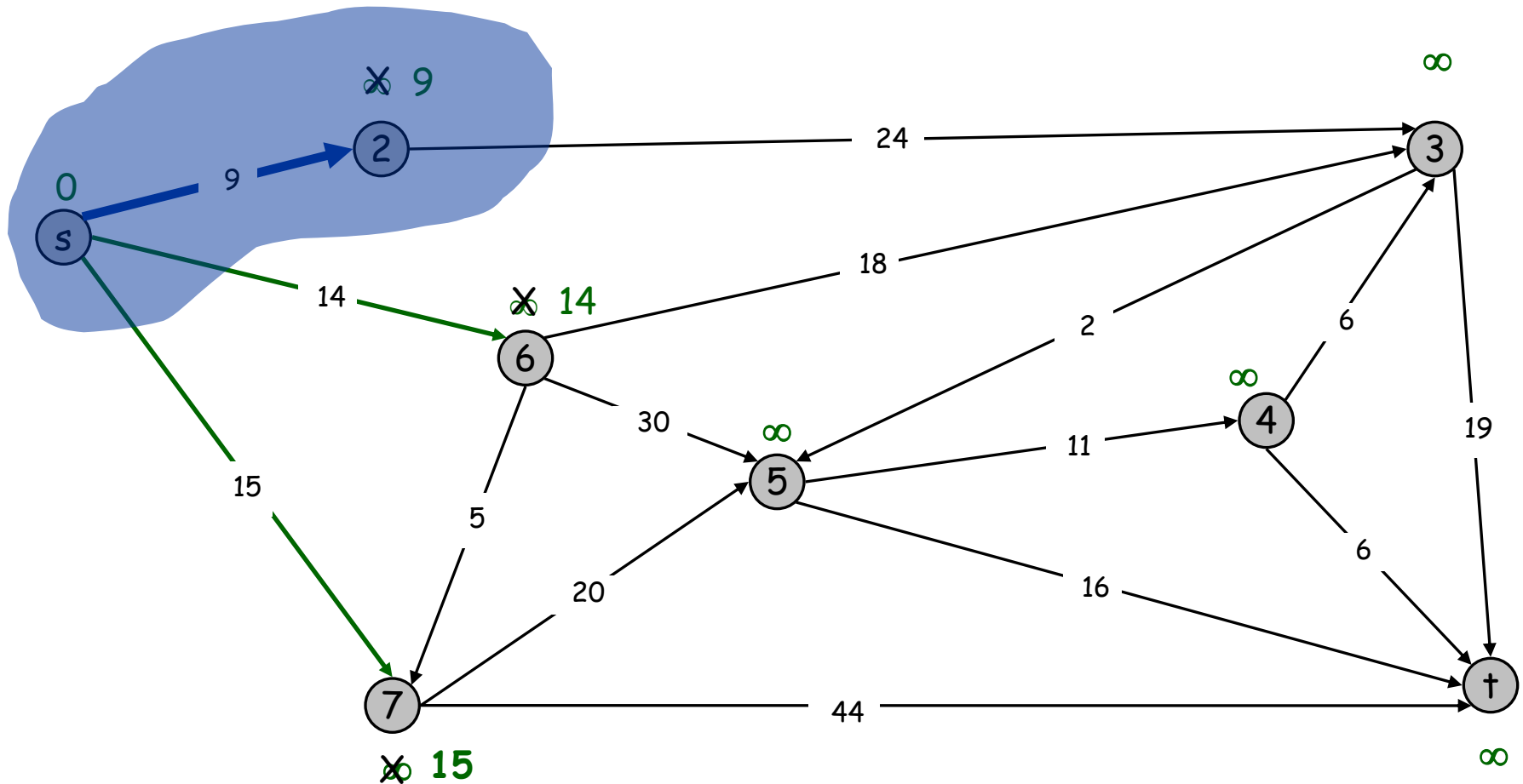
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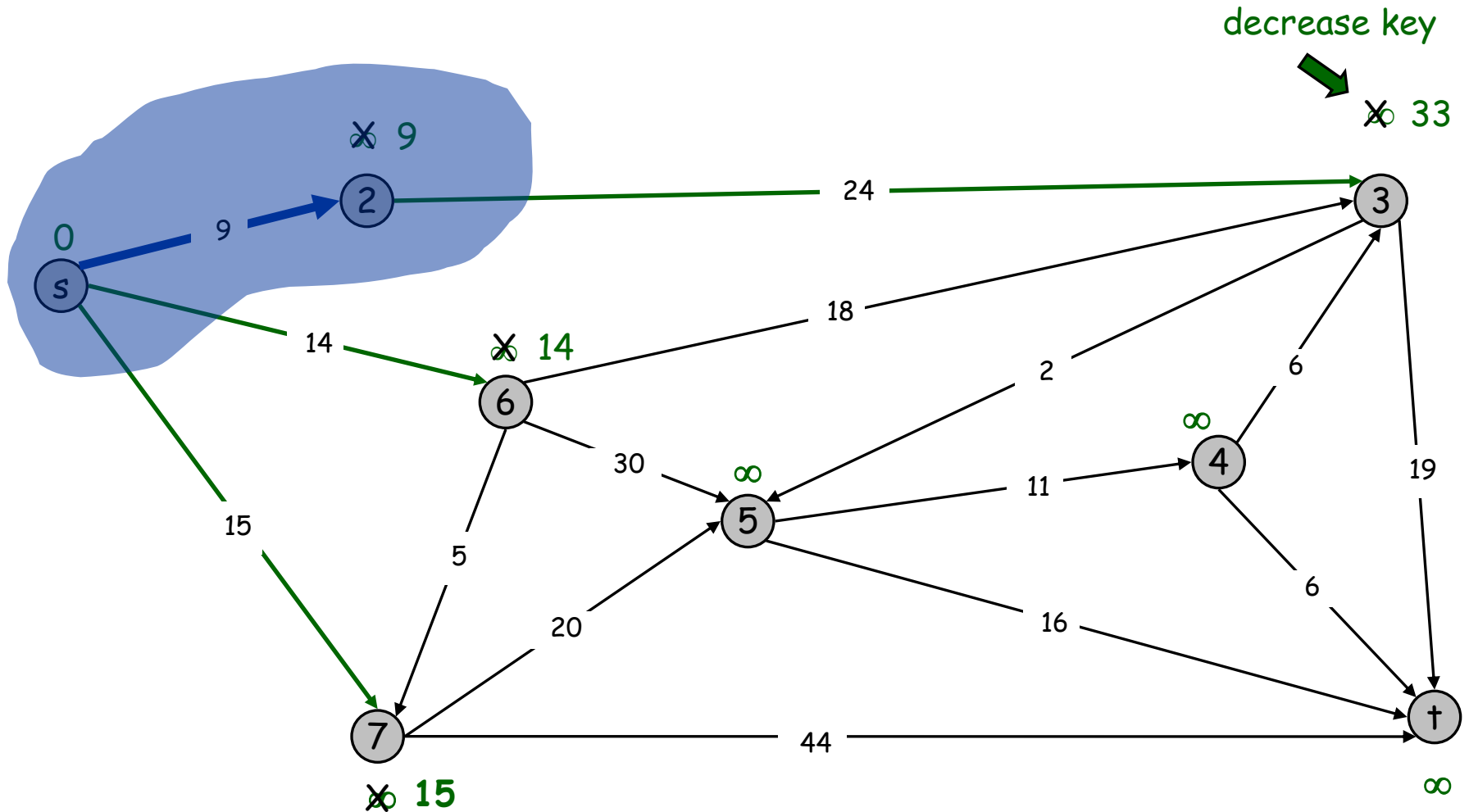
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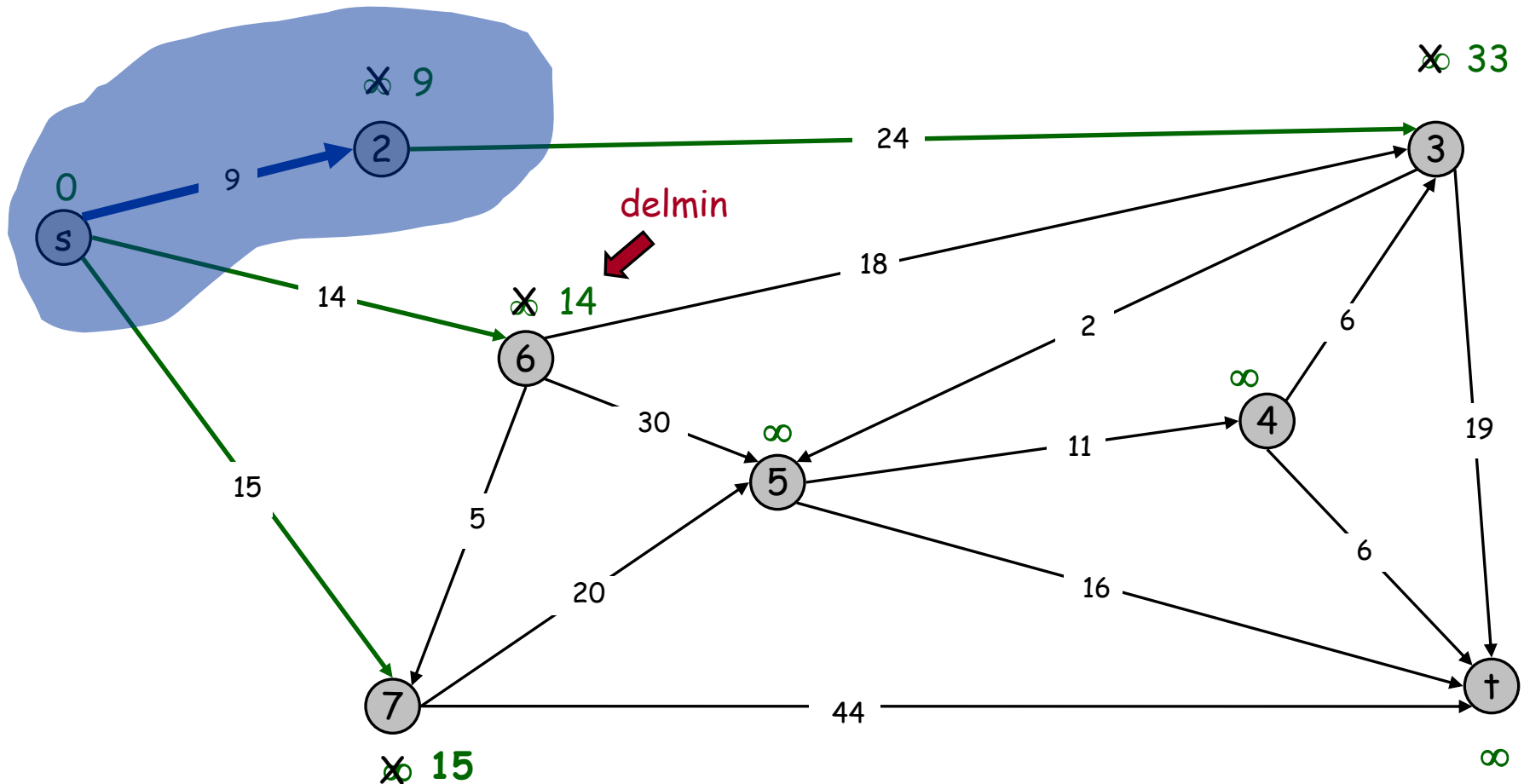
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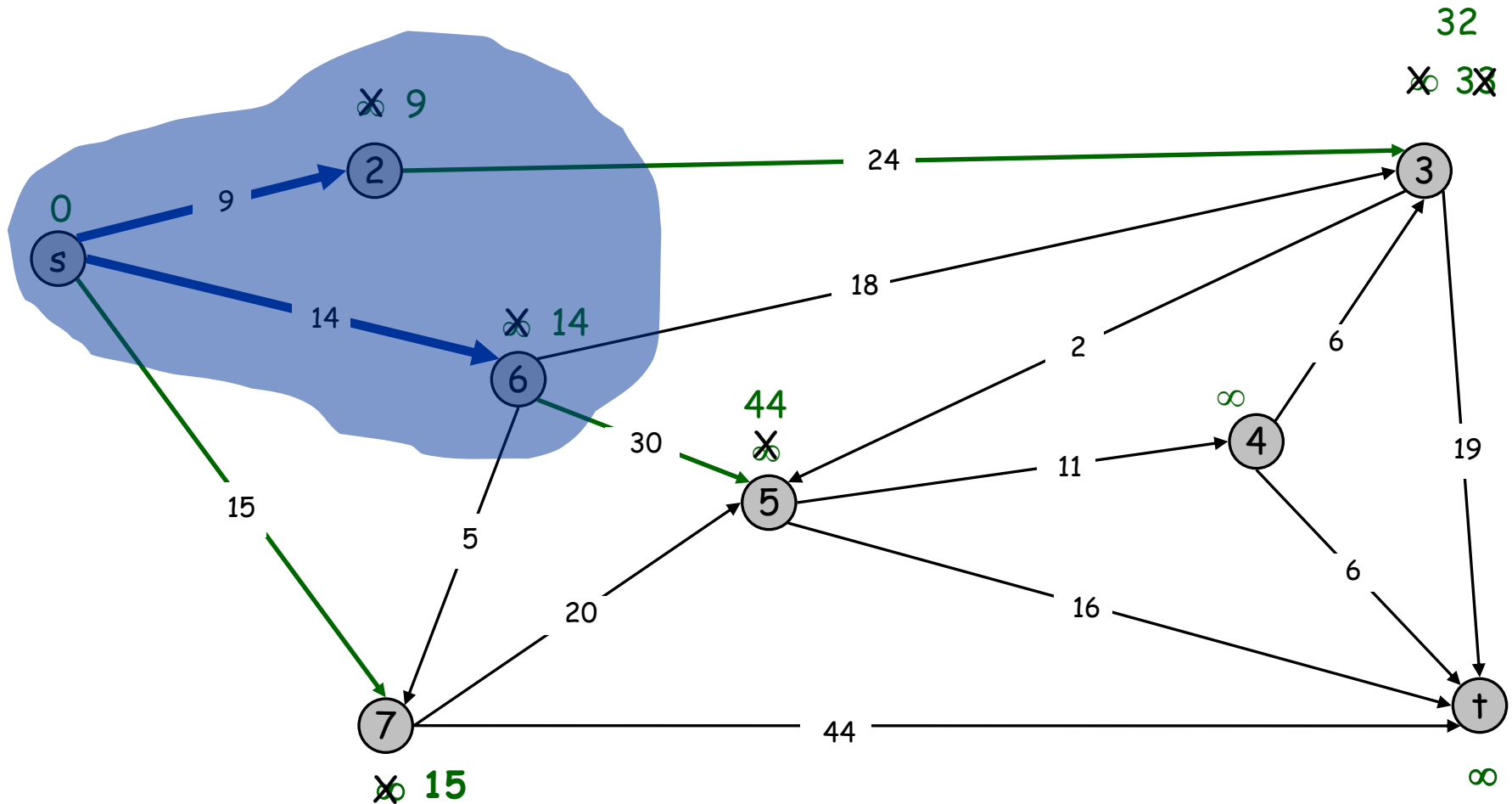
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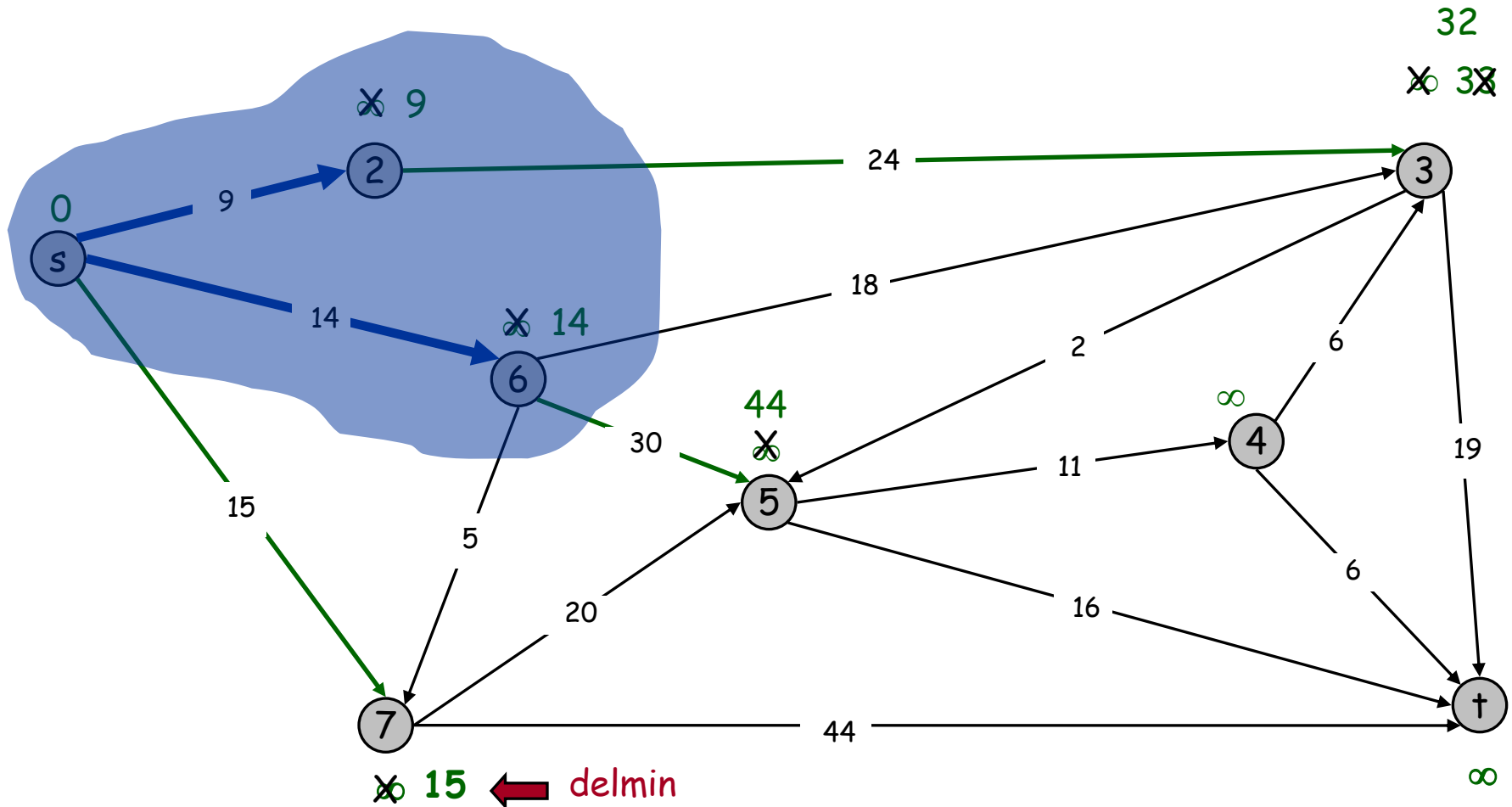
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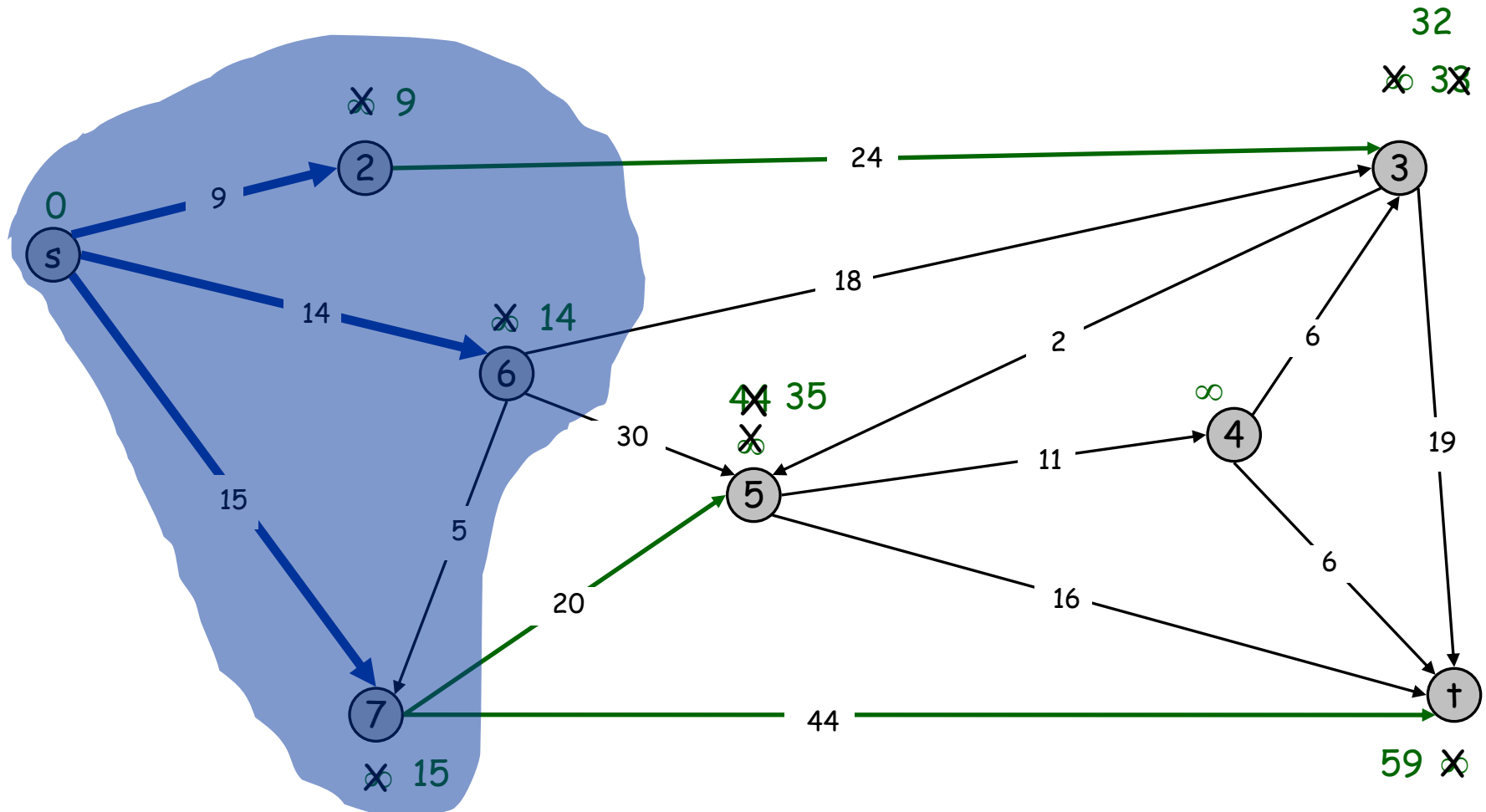
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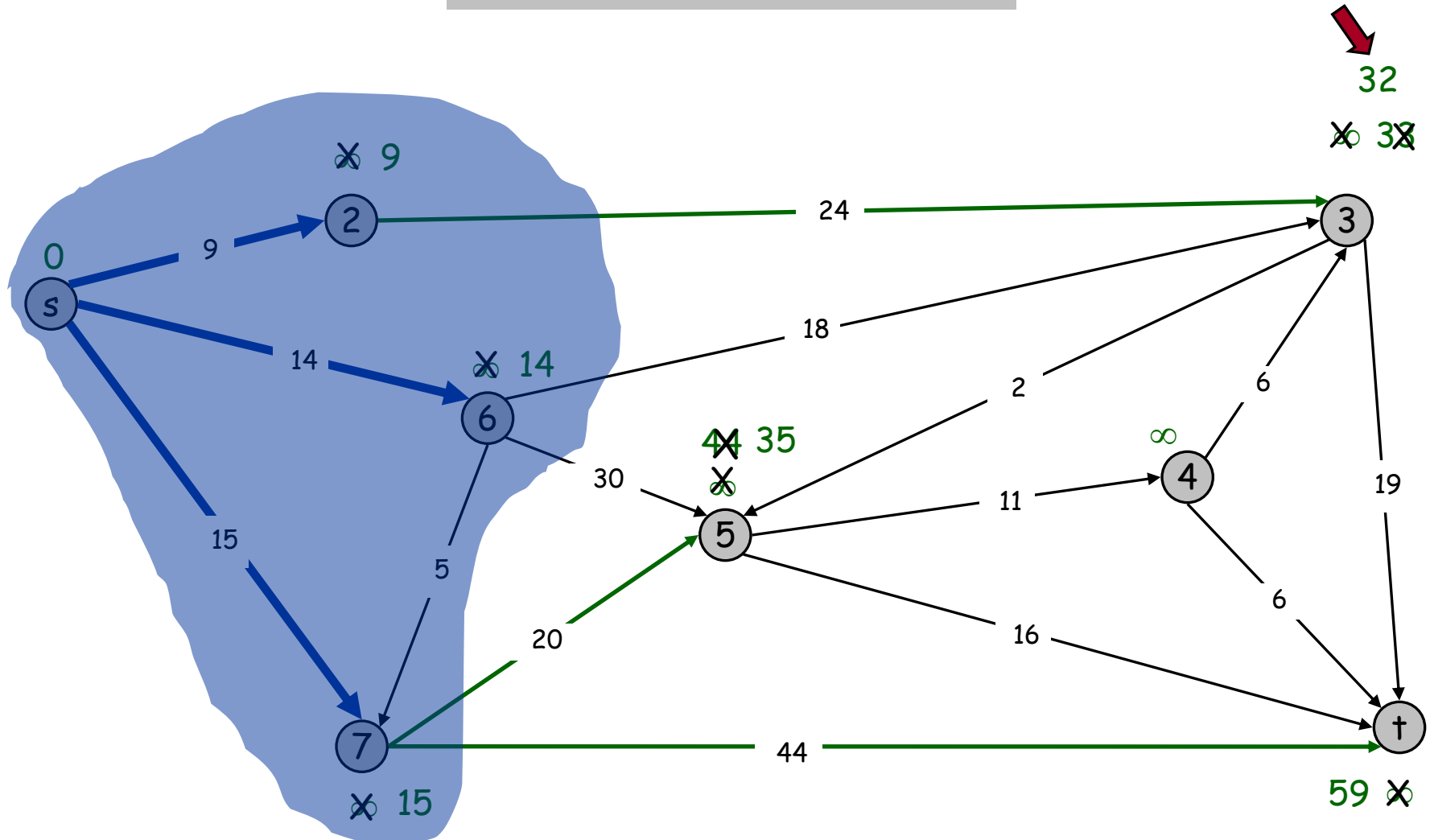
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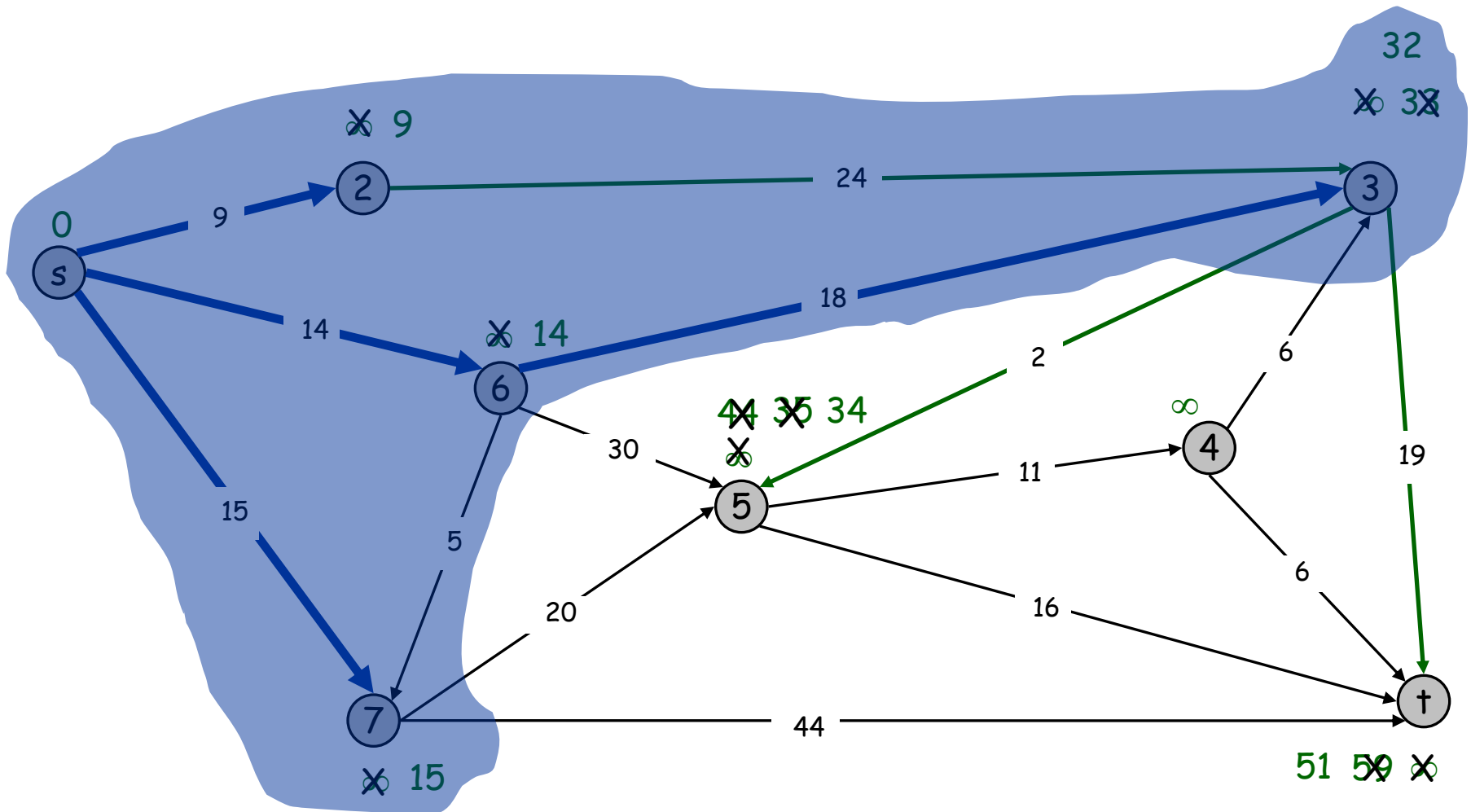
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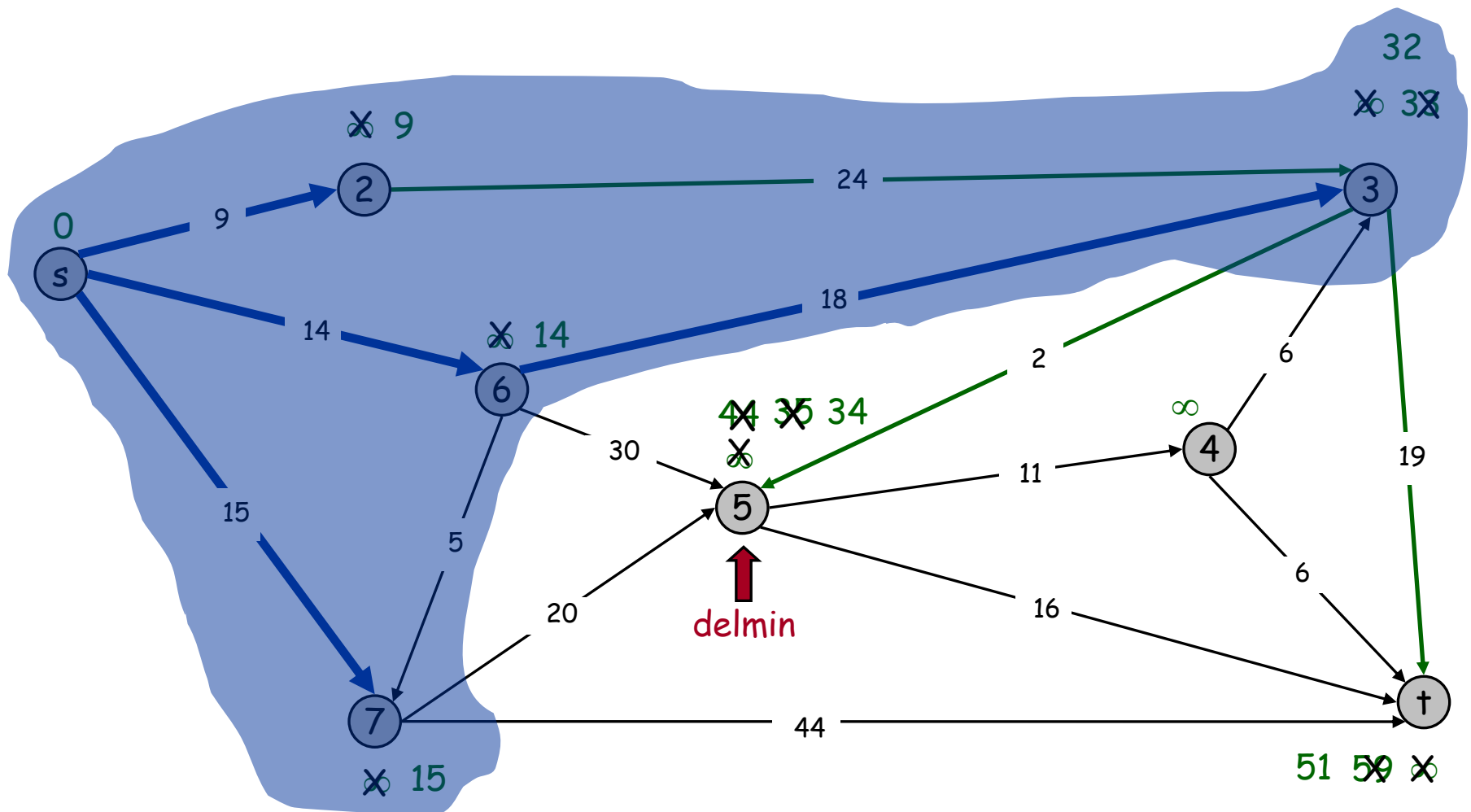
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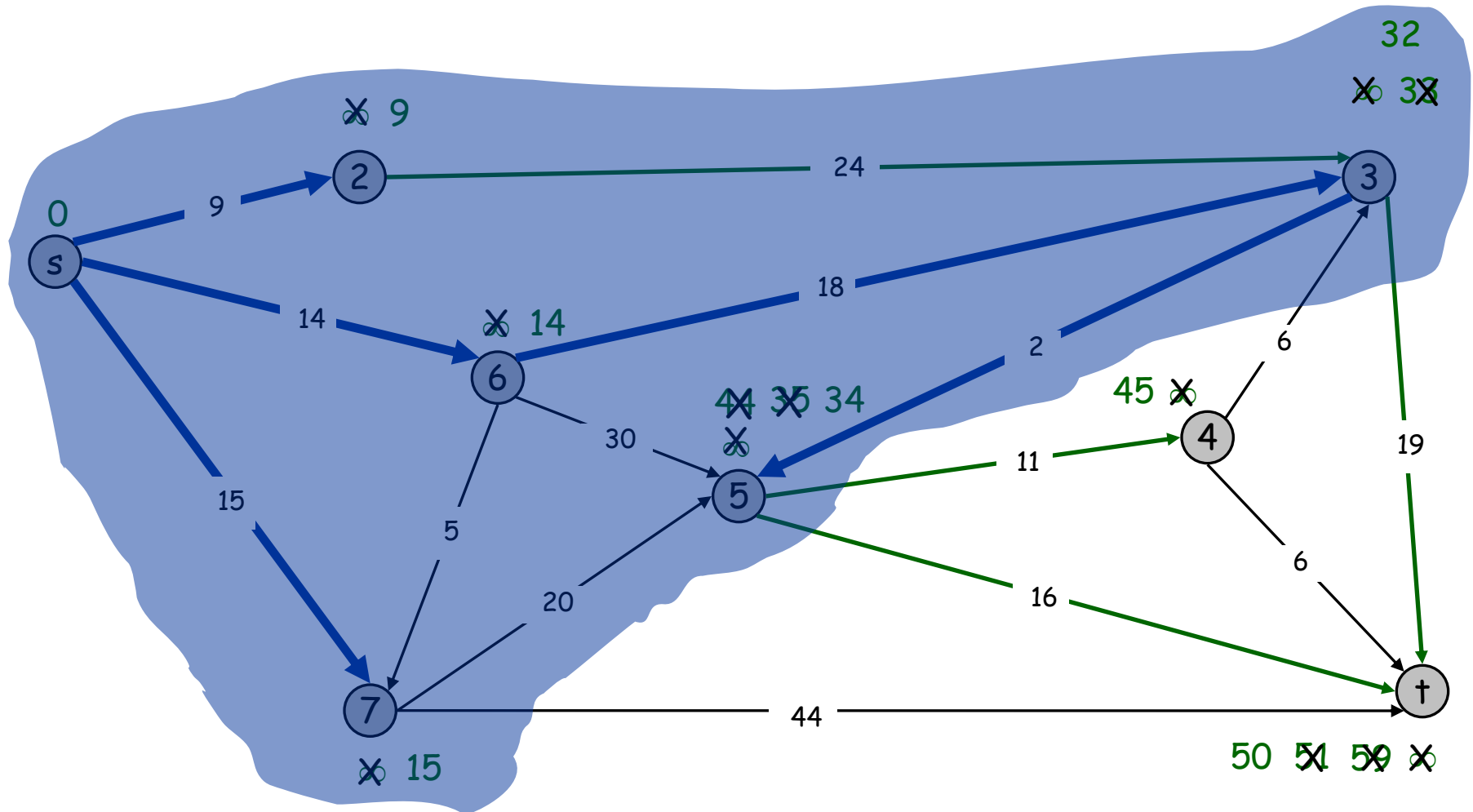
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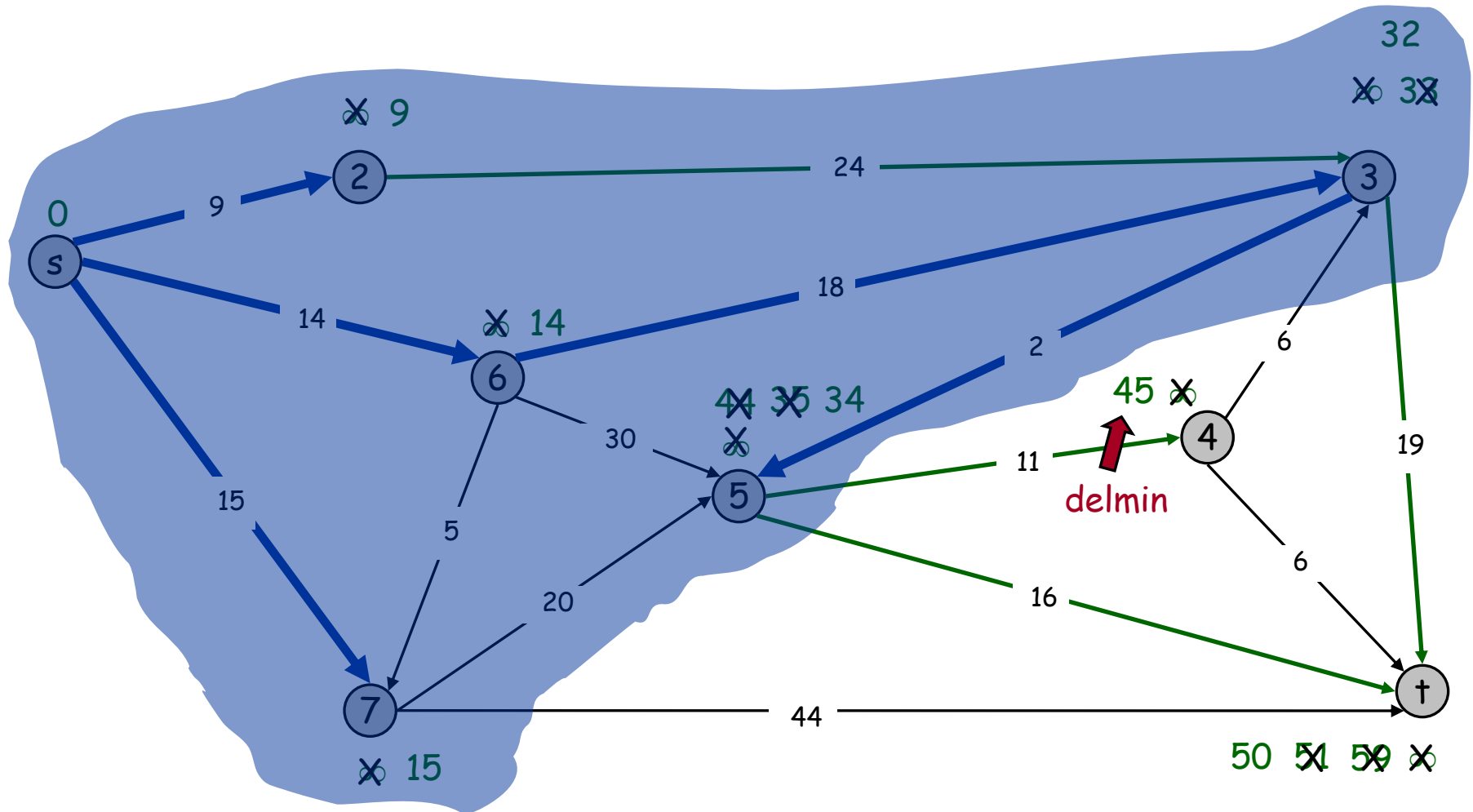
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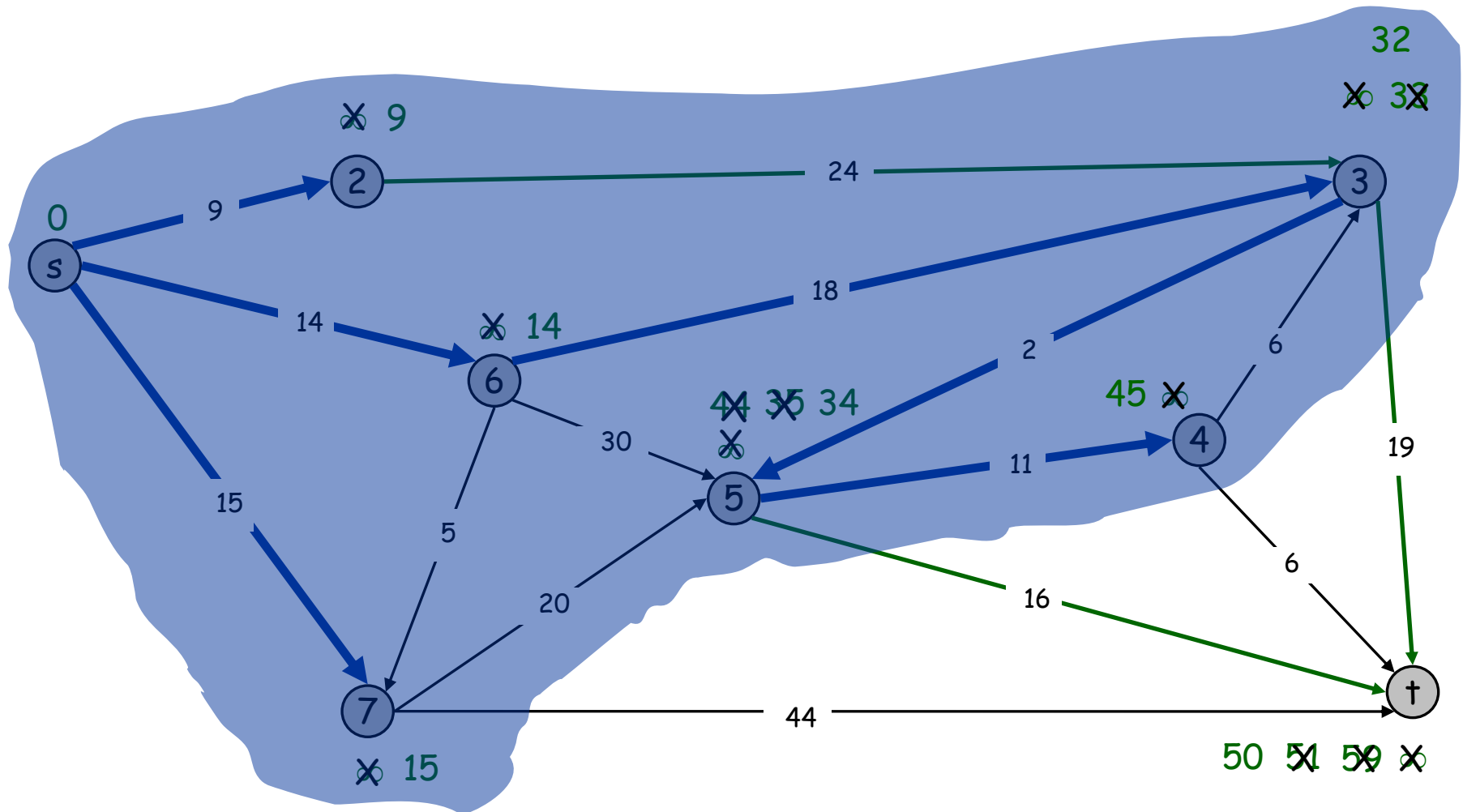
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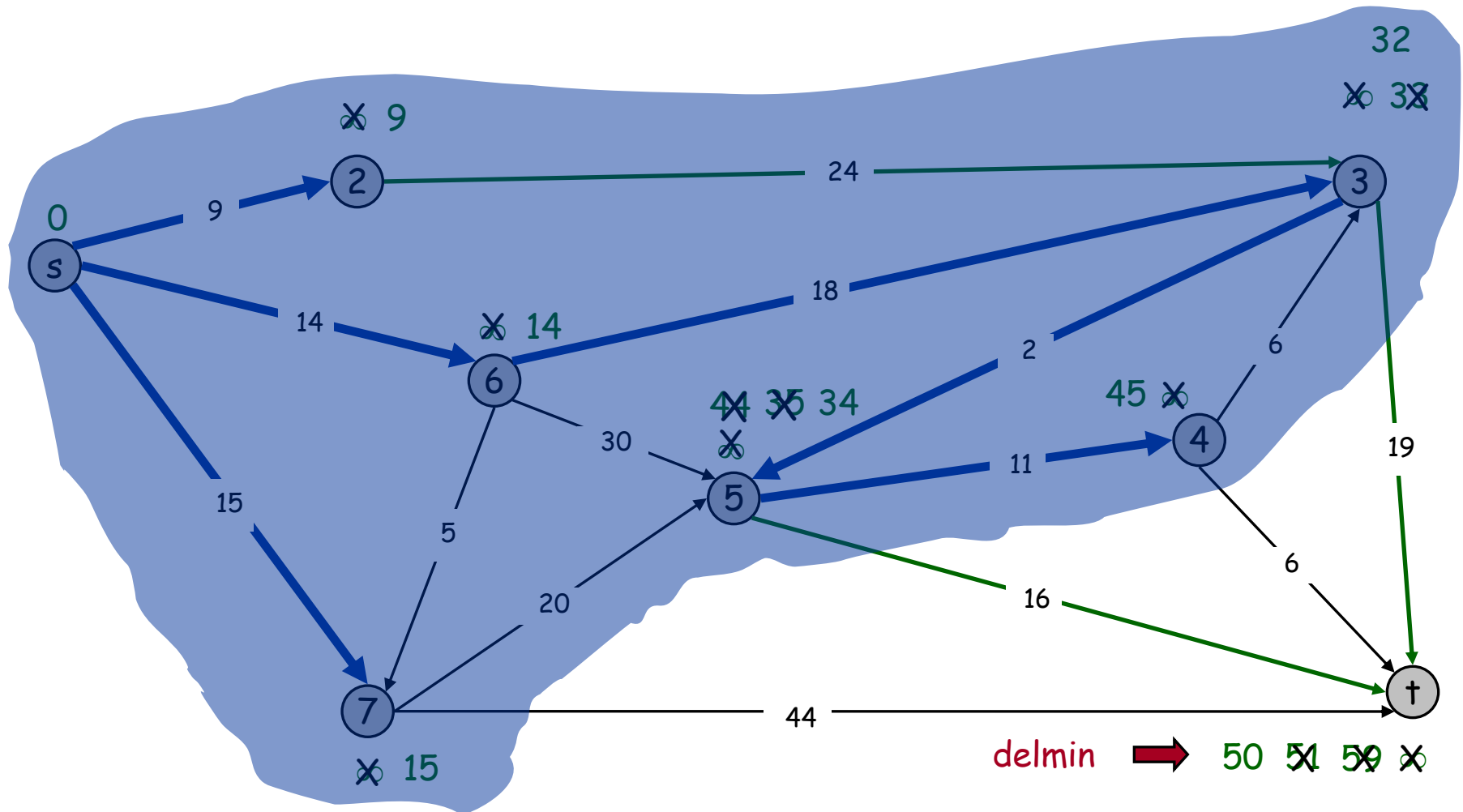
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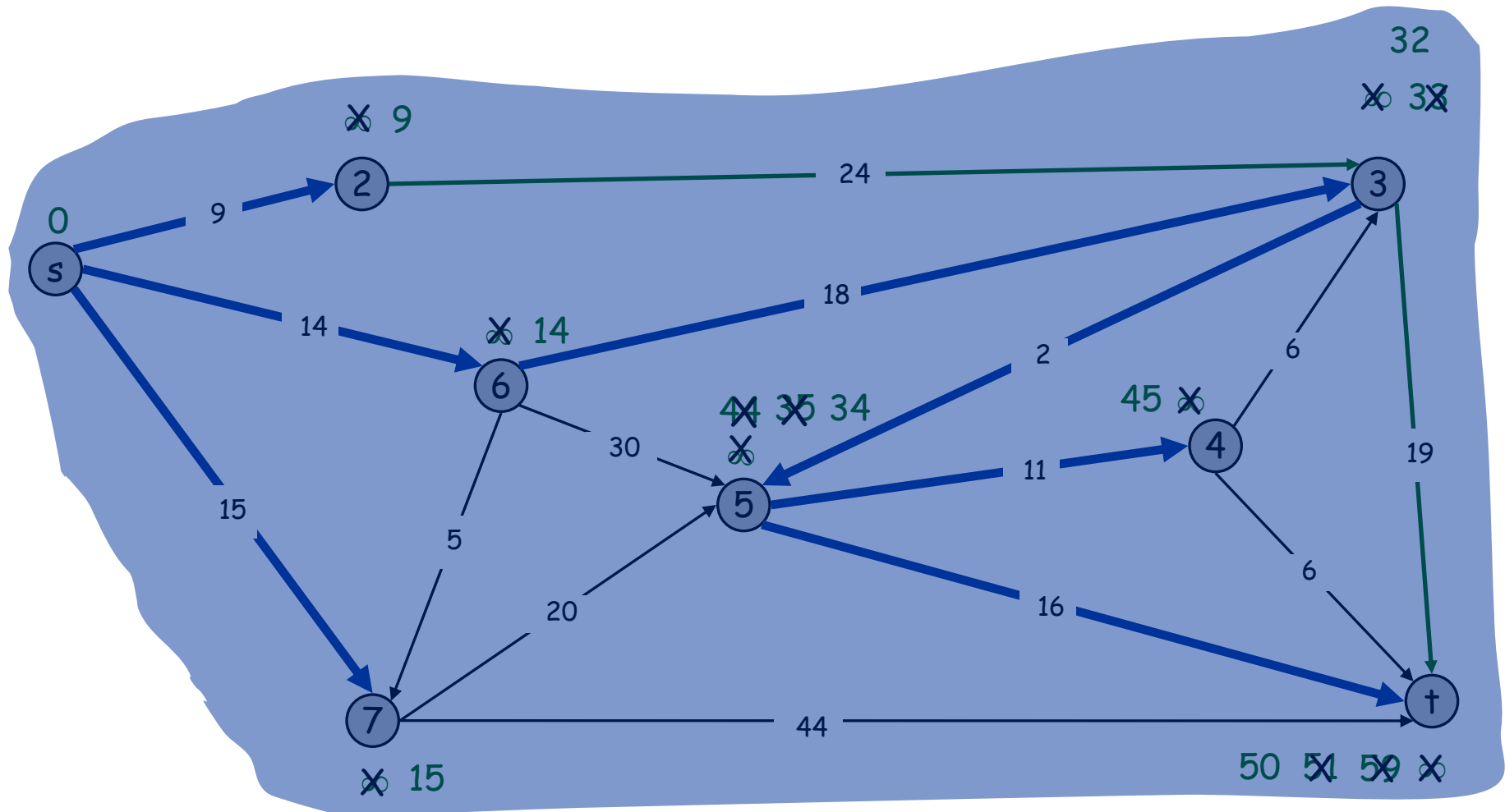
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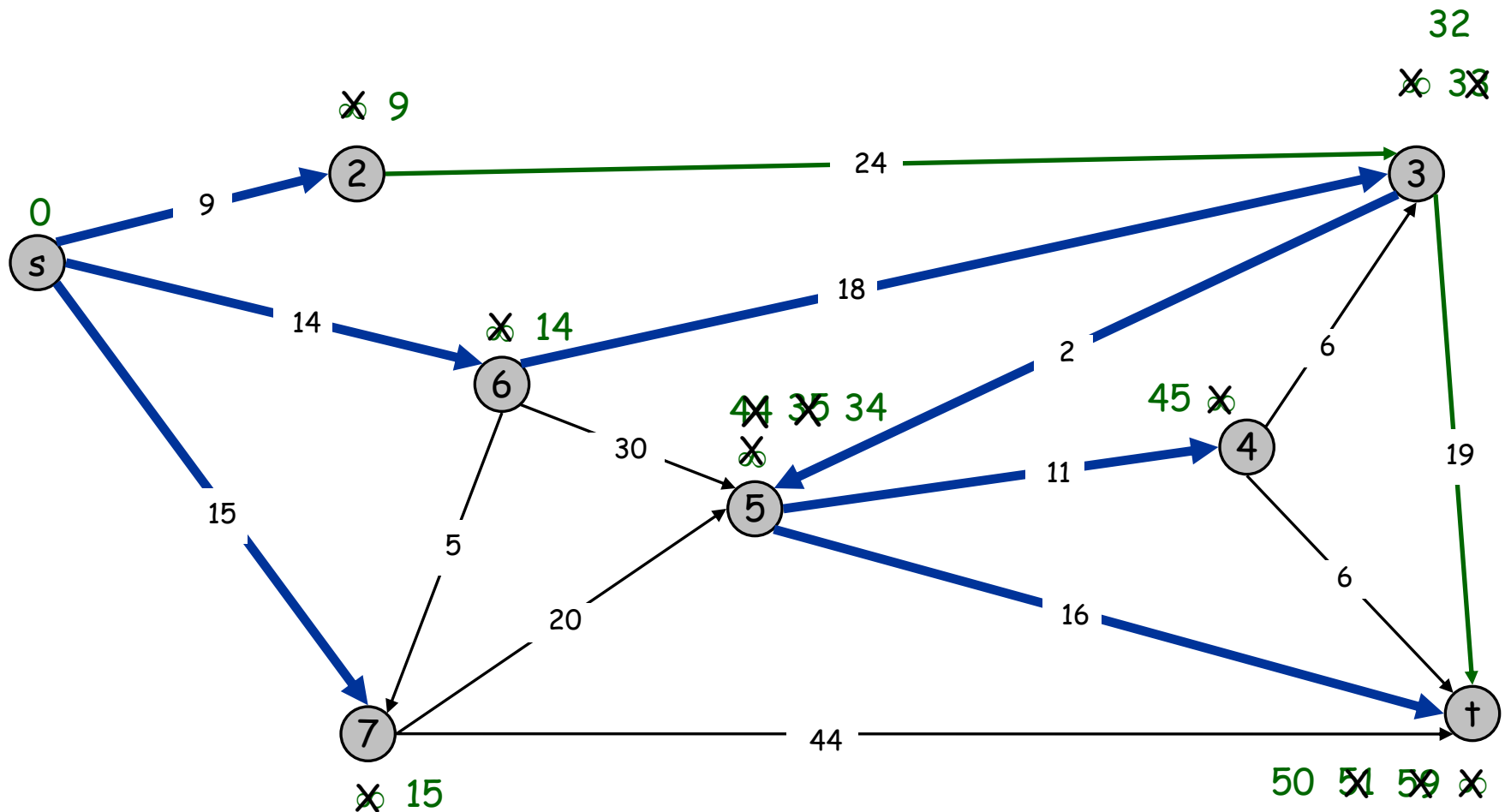
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Why do we use Dijkstras Algorithm?

Algorithms for calculating shortest path from source to sink about as computationally expensive as calculating shortest paths from source to any vertex.

Pseudocode

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dist[s] ← 0
for all v ∈ V - {s}
  do dist[v] ← ∞
S ← ∅
Q ← V
while Q ≠ ∅
  do u ← mindistance(Q, dist)
  S ← S ∪ {u}
  for all v ∈ neighbors[u]
    do if dist[v] > dist[u] + w(u, v)
       then d[v] ← d[u] + w(u, v)

Return dist
```

(distance to source vertex is zero)

(set all other distances to infinity)

(S, the set of visited vertices is initially empty)

(Q, the queue initially contains all vertices)

(while the queue is not empty)

(select the element of Q with the min. distance)

(if new shortest path found)

(set new value of shortest path)

(if desired, add traceback code)