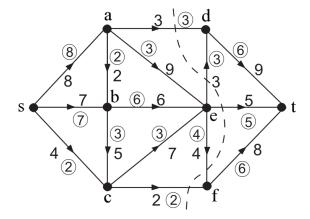
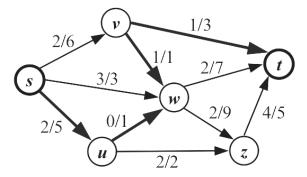
## 3. Network flows

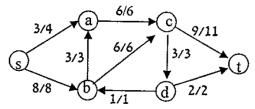
- 1. Consider the network in the figure (s is the source, t is the sink; the capacity of an edge is the number on the edge which is NOT in a circle).
  - a) Check that the numbers in cycles determine a feasible flow.
  - b) Determine the capacity of the [S, T]-cut for  $S = \{s, a, b, c, e\}$  and  $T = \{d, f, t\}$ .
  - c) Determine the value of the given flow.
  - d) Is this flow value maximal? Justify your answer.



- 2. Consider the network in the figure.
  - a) Check that the first numbers on edges determine a feasible flow.
  - b) Check that the path *suwvt* is an augmenting path, and using that, find a feasible flow with greater flow value.
  - c) Find a maximum flow in the network, and prove its maximality.



**3.** Consider the network in the figure.



- a) Determine the value of the given flow.
- b) Find an augmenting path, and augment the flow along it.
- c) Is the obtained flow is a maximum flow? (Justify your answer.)