## Floyd-Warshall Algorithm

P is a shortest path P from  $v_i$  to  $v_j$  with MAX(P) = K.

We write P as the concatenation of  $P_1$  from  $v_i$  to  $v_K$  and  $P_2$  from  $v_K$  to  $v_j$ .

Note that  $MAX(P_1) \le K - 1$  and  $MAX(P_2) \le K - 1$ . Hence,

- $Cost(P_1) = M[i, K, K-1]$
- $Cost(P_2) = M[K, j, K-1]$
- ightharpoonup Cost(P) = M[i, K, K-1] + M[K, j, K-1].