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Greedy Methods

Scheduling with Deadlines

• Problem


- Let $J = \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ be a set of jobs to be served.
- Each job takes one unit of time to finish.
- Each job has a **deadline** and a **profit**.
 - If the job starts before or at its deadline, the profit is obtained.
- Schedule the jobs so as to **maximize** the total profit (not all jobs have to be scheduled).



• Example:

Job	Deadline	Profit
1	2	30
2	1	35
3	2	25
4	1	40



Schedule	Total Profit
[1, 3]	$30 + 25 = 55$
[2, 1]	$35 + 30 = 65$
[2, 3]	$35 + 25 = 60$
[3, 1]	$25 + 30 = 55$
[4, 1]	 $40 + 30 = 70$
[4, 3]	$40 + 25 = 65$

- **A greedy approach**

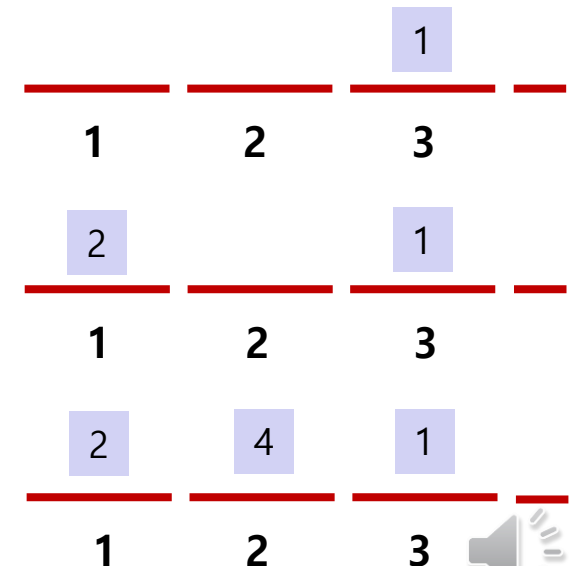
- Sort the jobs in **non-increasing order by profit**.
- Scan each job in the sorted list, adding it to the schedule if possible.

- **Example**

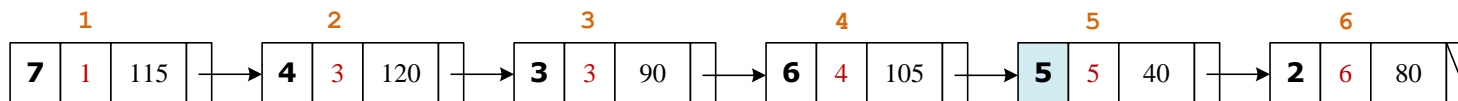
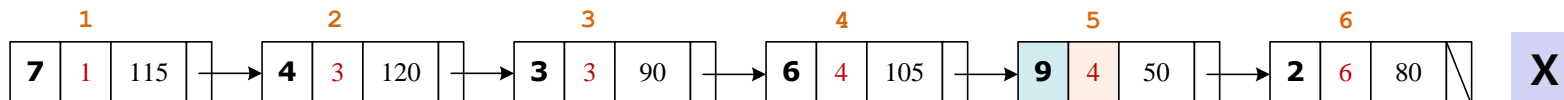
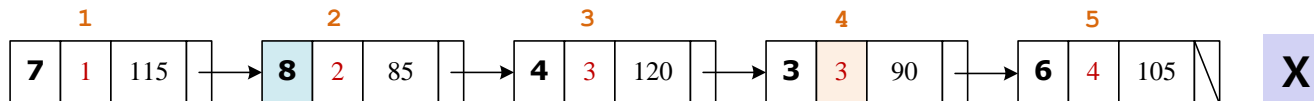
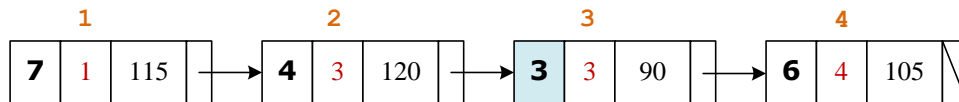
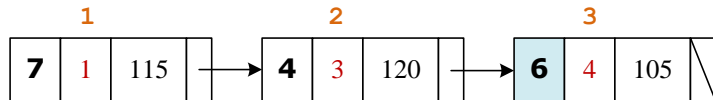
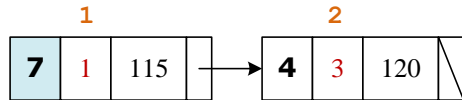
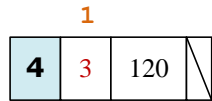
- $S = \text{EMPTY}$
- Is $S = \{1\}$ OK?
 - Yes: $S \leftarrow \{1\}$ ([1])
- Is $S = \{1, 2\}$ OK?
 - Yes: $S \leftarrow \{1, 2\}$ ([2, 1])
- Is $S = \{1, 2, 3\}$ OK?
 - No.
- Is $S = \{1, 2, 4\}$ OK?
 - Yes: $S \leftarrow \{1, 2, 4\}$ ([2, 1, 4] or [2, 4, 1])
- Is $S = \{1, 2, 4, 5\}$ OK?
 - No.
- Is $S = \{1, 2, 4, 6\}$ OK?
 - No.
- Is $S = \{1, 2, 4, 7\}$ OK?
 - No.

<After sorting by profit>

Job	Deadline	Profit
1	3	40
2	1	35
3	1	30
4	3	25
5	1	20
6	3	15
7	2	10



Example



Job	Deadline	Profit
1	1	100
2	6	80
3	3	90
4	3	120
5	5	40
6	4	105
7	1	115
8	2	85
9	4	50

Implementation Issues

- **A key operation in the greedy approach**
 - Determine if a set of jobs S is **feasible**.
 - ✓ **Fact:** S is feasible if and only if the sequence obtained by ordering the jobs in S according to nondecreasing deadlines is feasible.
 - Example
 - Is $S = \{1, 2, 4\}$ OK? $\rightarrow [2(1), 1(3), 4(3)] \rightarrow$ Yes!
 - Is $S = \{1, 2, 4, 7\}$ OK? $\rightarrow [2(1), 7(2), 1(3), 4(3)] \rightarrow$ No
- **An $O(n^2)$ implementation**
 - Sort the jobs in non-increasing order by profit.
 - For each job in the sorted order,
 - See if the current job can be scheduled together with the previously selected jobs, using a *linked list* data structure.
 - If yes, add it to the list of feasible sequence.
 - Otherwise, reject it.
- ✓ **Time complexity**
 - When there are $i-1$ jobs in the sequence,
 - at most $i-1$ comparisons are needed to add a new job in the sequence, and
 - at most i comparisons are needed to check if the new sequence is feasible

$$O(n \log n) + \sum_{i=2}^n \{ (i-1) + i \} = O(n^2)$$

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- Is the time complexity always $O(n^2)$?

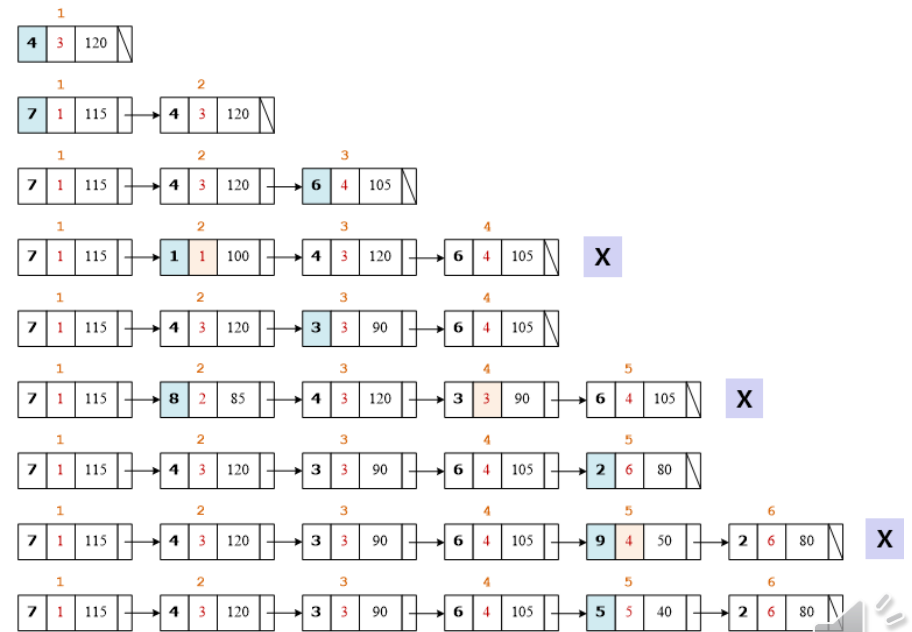
- What if $n \gg d_{max}$?

- $O(n \log n + n d_{max})$

- What if $n \gg d_{max}$ and $n \gg k_{scanned}$?

- $O(n + k_{scanned} \log n + k_{scanned} d_{max}) = O(n) \leftarrow$ Is this complexity achievable when a max heap data structure is employed?

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Correctness of the Greedy Method

- Left as an exercise.

Data Structures for Disjoint Sets

- **Partition**

- A partition of a set X is a set of non-empty subsets of X such that every element x in X is in exactly one of these subsets.
- **Example:** $X = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\} \rightarrow \{ \{1, 3, 5\}, \{2\}, \{4, 6\} \}$

- **Disjoint-set data structure (union-find data structure)**

- Used to effectively manage a collection of subsets that partition a given set of elements.

- **Basic operations on disjoint sets**

- **Makeset(x)**
 - Make a set containing only the given element x .
- **$S = \text{Find}(x)$**
 - Determine which set the particular element x is in.
 - Typically return an element that serves as the subset's representative.
 - May be used to determine if two elements are in the same subset.
- **Union(x, y)** (or Merge(x, y))
 - Merge two subsets into a single subset.

- **Applications**

- **Tracking the connected components of an undirected graph**

- Decide if two vertices belong to the same component, or if adding an edge between them would result in a cycle.
 - Useful for implementing **the Kruskal's algorithm for finding minimum spanning tree**

- **Scheduling with deadlines**

- Computing shorelines of a terrain
 - Classifying a set of atoms into molecules or fragments.
 - Connected component labeling in image analysis

- **Example**

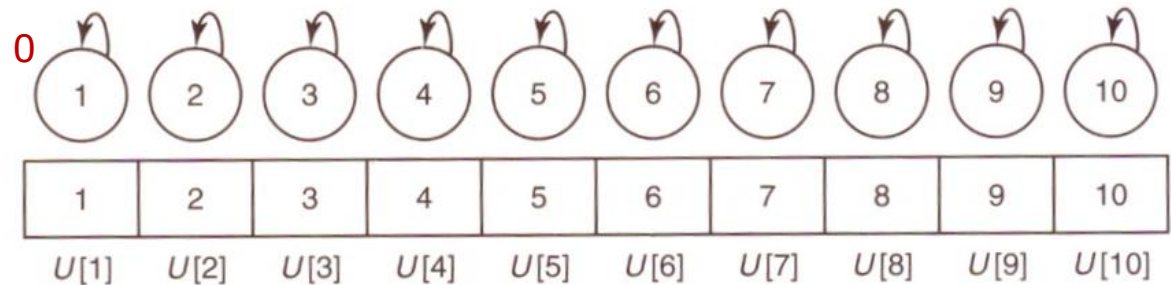
- $U = \{a, b, c, d, e\}$
- For (each x in U) **Makeset**(x); $\rightarrow \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{e\}$
- **Union**(a, c); $\rightarrow \{a, c\}, \{b\}, \{d\}, \{e\}$
- $\{a, c\} = \text{Find}(a)$;
- **Union**(c, e); $\rightarrow \{a, c, e\}, \{b\}, \{d\}$

- **Implementation of disjoint sets using *reversed trees***

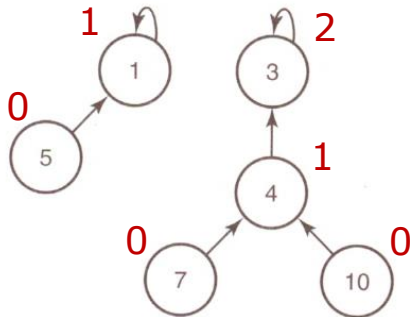
- **Makeset(x)**

```
Makeset(x) {  
    parent(x) := x  
    rank(x) := 0  
}
```

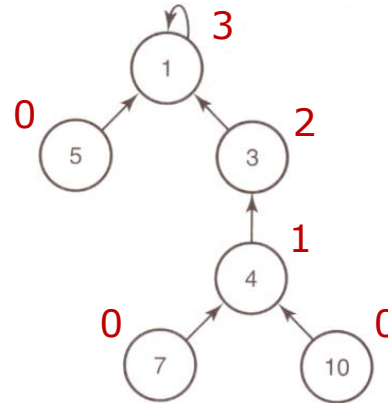
Time complexity: $O(1)$



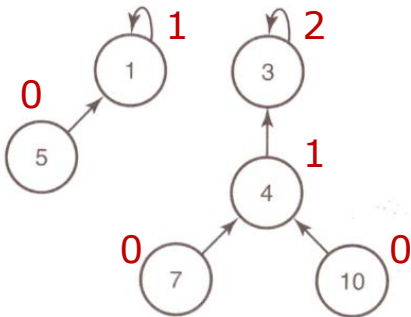
• Two ways of implementing the Union operation



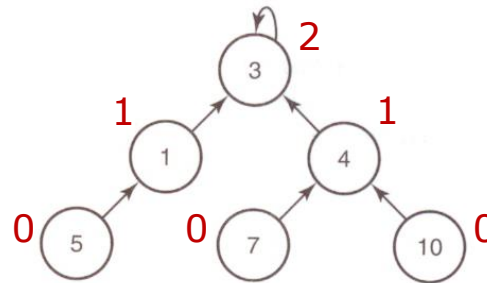
merge
Old



Time complexity: $O(n)$



merge
New



Time complexity: $O(\log n)$

Union by rank

- Always attach the smaller tree to the root of the larger tree.
- The **rank** increases by one only if two trees of the same rank are merged.
 - ✓ The rank of a one-element tree is zero.
- The Union and Find operations can be done in $O(\log n)$ in the worst case.
 - ✓ The number of elements in a tree of rank r is at least 2^r . (Proof by induction)
 - ✓ The maximum possible rank of a tree with n elements is $O(\log n)$.

- **S = Find(x)**

```
Find(x) {
    while (x != parent(x))
        x := parent(x)
    return x
}
```

Time complexity: $O(\text{depth of } x \text{ in the tree})$

```
Find(x) {
    if (x == parent(x))
        return x
    else
        return Find(parent(x))
}
```

- **Union(x, y)**

```
Union(x, y) {
    x0 := Find(x)
    y0 := Find(y)
    if (x0 == y0)
        return
    if (rank(x0) > rank(y0))
        parent(y0) := x0
    else
        parent(x0) := y0
        if (rank(x0) == rank(y0))
            rank(y0) := rank(y0) + 1
}
```

Time complexity:

2 Find op's + $O(1)$