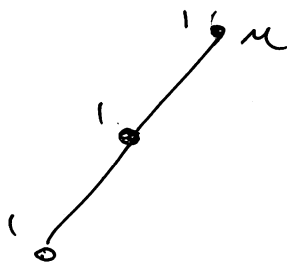


$r \in \text{OPT}$

$$w(r) + w(\text{VC}(T_1)) + w(\text{VC}(T_2))$$

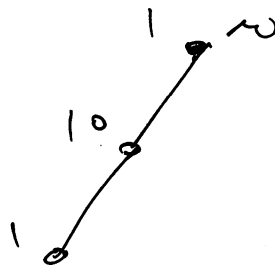
$r \notin \text{OPT}$

$$w(\text{VC}(T_1) \text{ that uses root}) + w(\text{VC}(T_2) \text{ that uses root})$$



$$L^{\text{in}}[n] = 2$$

$$L^{\text{out}}[n] = 1$$



$$L^{\text{in}}[n] = 2$$

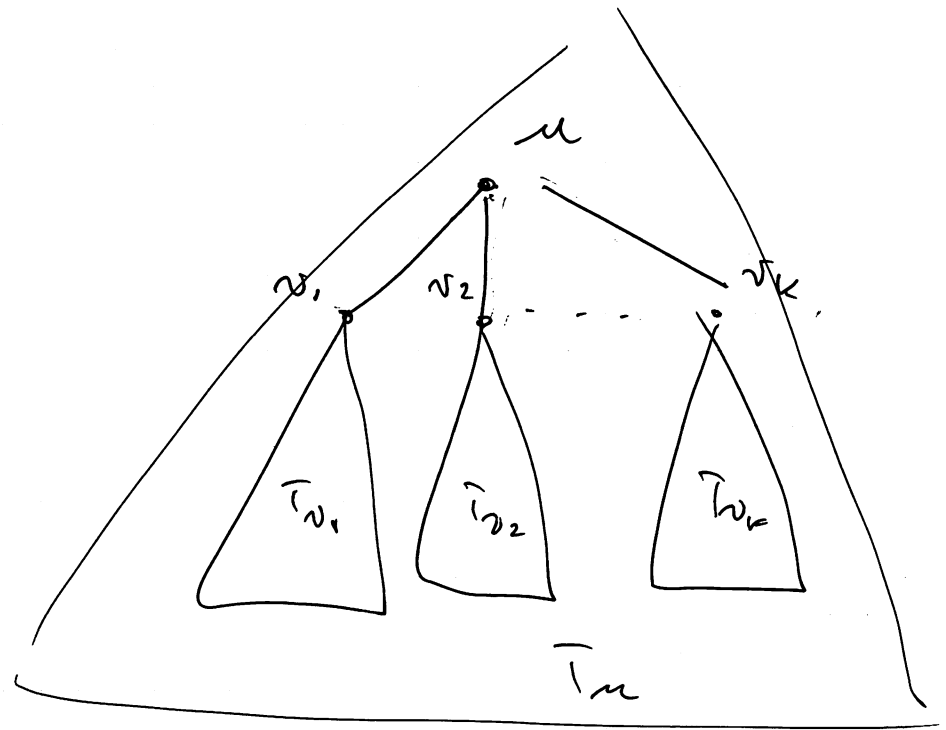
$$L^{\text{out}}[n] = 10$$

Let  $T_u$  rooted at  $u$

$$L^{\text{out}}[u] = \sum_{v: \text{child of } u} L^{\text{in}}[v]$$

$$L^{\text{in}}[u] = w(u) +$$

$$\sum_{v: \text{child of } u} \min(L^{\text{out}}[u]; L^{\text{in}}[v])$$



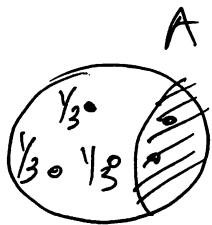
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# DP states =  $2n$

each takes =  $O(n)$

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total takes =  $O(n^2)$  time



A is chosen by Greedy

If  $u$  is now covered by A

$$\text{bill}(u) = \frac{1}{\# \text{ newly covered elements}}$$

Obs:  $\sum_{u \in U} \text{bill}(u) = \text{cost of Greedy}$

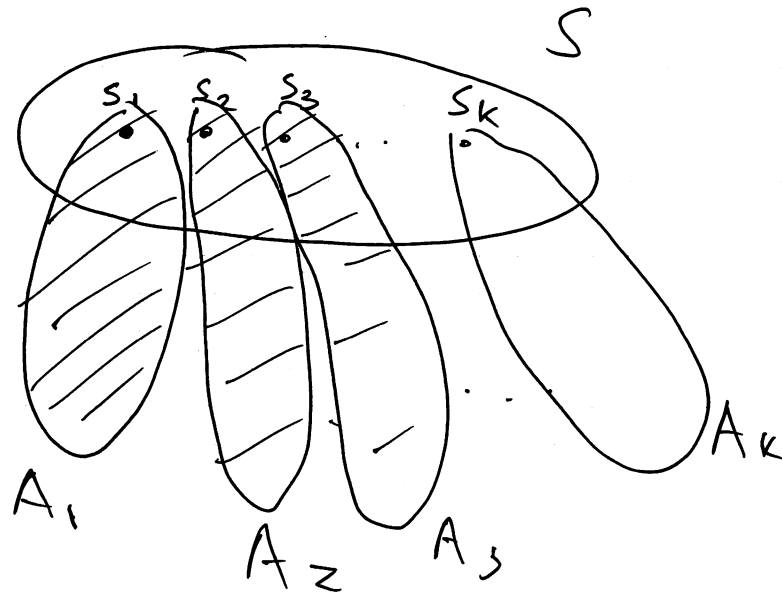
claim:  $\sum_{u \in S} \text{bill}(u) \leq 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \dots + \frac{1}{|S|} \quad \forall S \in \text{OPT}$

$$\text{cost of greedy} = \sum_{u \in U} \text{bill}(u) \leq \sum_{S \in \text{OPT}} \sum_{u \in S} \text{bill}(u) \leq \sum_{S \in \text{OPT}} H_{|S|}$$

$$\leq \sum_{S \in \text{OPT}} H_{|U|} = H_{|U|} \sum_{S \in \text{OPT}} 1 = H_{|U|} |\text{OPT}|$$

Claim:  $\sum_{u \in S} \text{bill}(u) \leq 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \dots + \frac{1}{|S|}$

$\forall S \in \text{OPT}$



$$\text{bill}(s_1) \leq \frac{1}{k}$$

$$\text{bill}(s_2) \leq \frac{1}{k-1}$$

$$\text{bill}(s_3) \leq \frac{1}{k-2}$$

⋮

$$\text{bill}(s_k) \leq 1$$

Write IP for Vertex Cover Problem

Variables: for each vertex  $u$   
create a variable  $x_u \in \{0, 1\}$

Constraints: for each edge  $(u, v)$

$$x_u + x_v \geq 1$$

Objective:  $\min \sum_{u \in V} x_u$

Write IP for knapsack

Variables : for each item  $i$   
 $x_i \in \{0, 1\}$

Constraint : 
$$\sum_{\text{item } i} w_i x_i \leq W$$

Objective : 
$$\max \sum_{\text{item } i} v_i x_i$$