

## 0/1 Knapsack Problem

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Given  $N$  items where each item has some weight and profit associated with it and also given a bag with capacity  $W$ . The task is to put the items into the bag such that the sum of profits associated with them is the maximum possible.

Example  $N = 3$ , Max capacity ( $W$ ) = 4, profits  $[\ ] = \overset{\textcircled{1} \textcircled{2} \textcircled{3}}{\{ 1, 2, 3 \}}$   
weights  $[\ ] = \{ 4, 5, 1 \}$

Output will be 3. [Note: We either need to take an item completely or leave it behind]

Explanation: ① There are two items for which weight  $\leq 4$ .

→ if we choose item ( $w=4$ ), profit = 1

→ if we choose item ( $w=1$ ), profit = 3

② Among them, maximum possible profit is 3.

[Because we cannot put both the items as it will exceed ④]