



# Partial Order Relations

## Recap

GLB/Meet, LUB/Join

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# Finding LUB, GLB of One element:

$$a \vee a = a \}$$

$$a \wedge a = a \}$$

$$a \vee a = \text{LUB } \{a\} = \text{LUB } \{a, a\} = a \vee a = a$$

$$a \wedge a = \text{GLB } \{a\} = \text{GLB } \{a, a\} = a \wedge a = a$$



# Finding LUB,GLB of Two elements:

When elements are Comparable:

If  $a \leq b$  then

$$a \vee b = b$$

$$a \wedge b = a$$





# Finding LUB, GLB of Two elements:

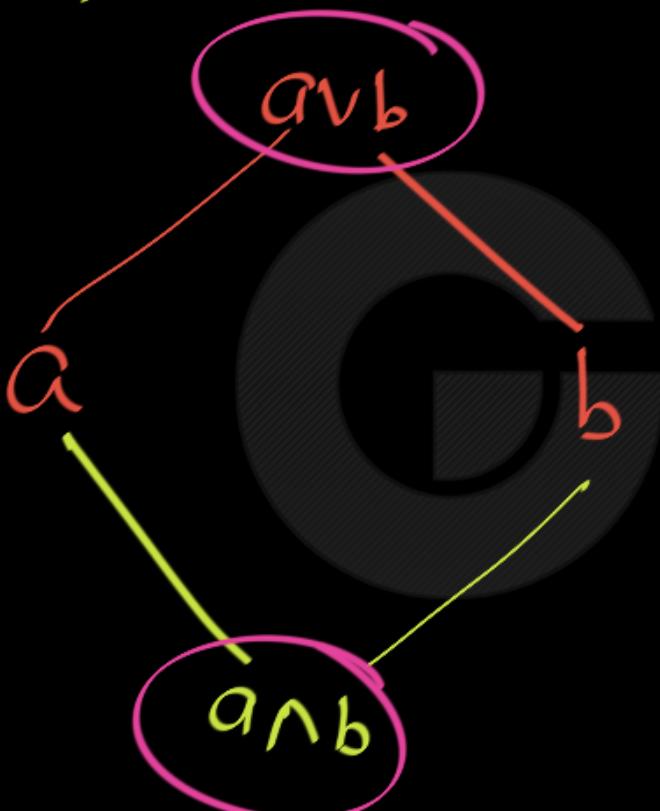
When elements are Incomparable:

For LUB, unique first joining point in upper direction.

For GLB, unique first meeting point in down direction.



$a R b, b R a$



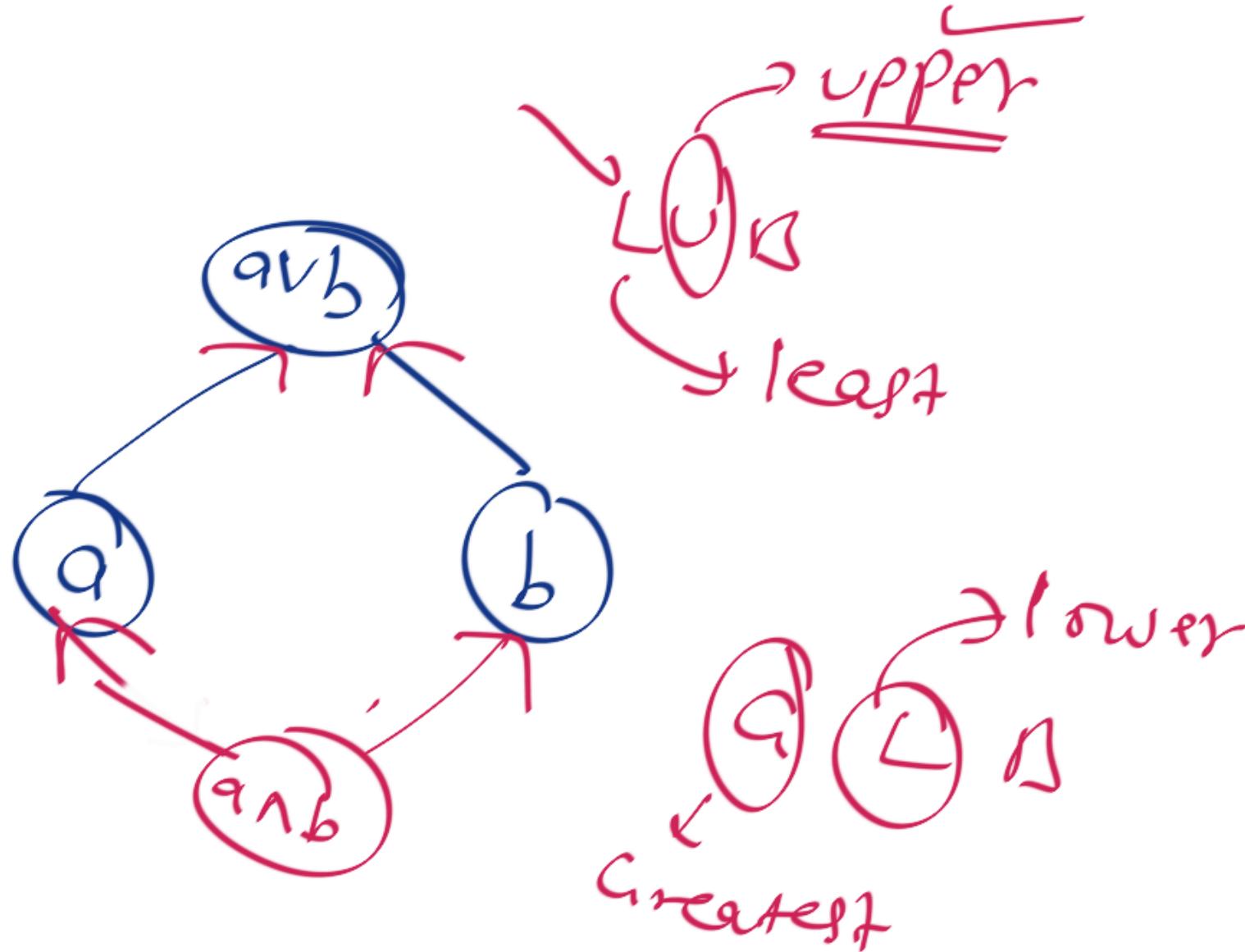
$a R (a \vee b)$

$b R (a \vee b)$

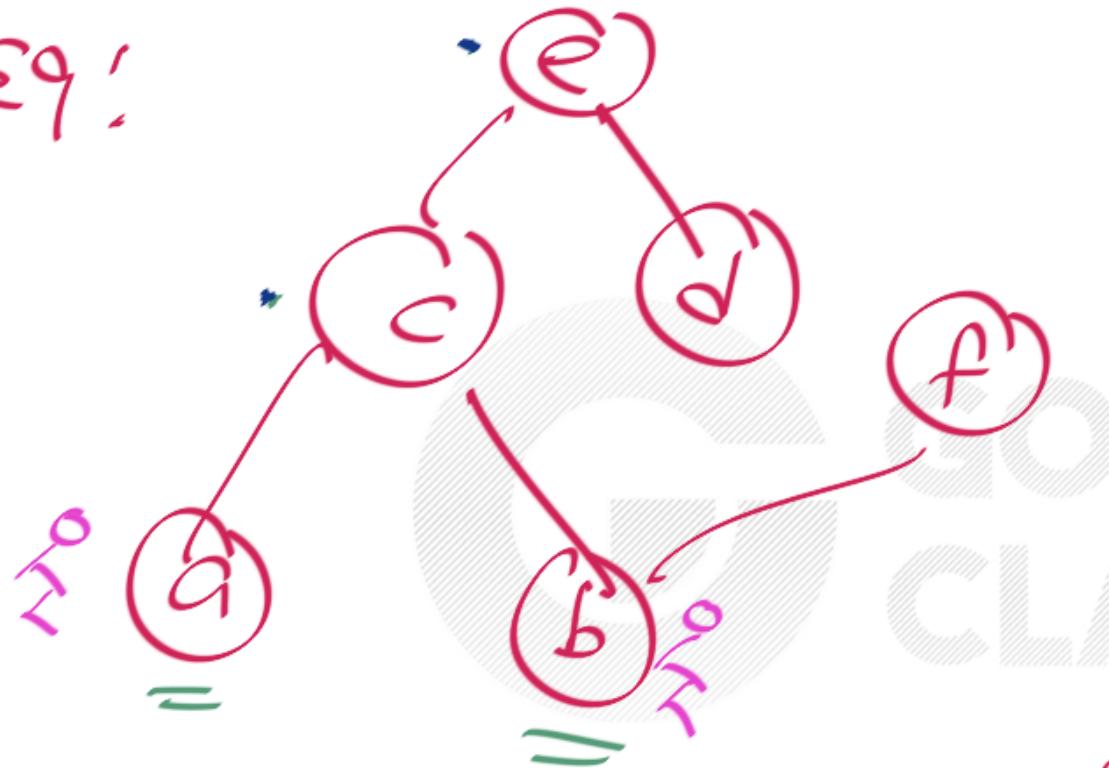
$(a \wedge b) R a$

$(a \wedge b) R b$

$(a \wedge b) R (a \vee b)$



Eq:



$$\vee \vee f = \text{DNE}$$

$$a \vee a = a$$

$$b \wedge b = b$$

$$\underline{a \vee b = c}$$

$$a \wedge b = \text{DNE}$$

$$c \vee d = e$$

$$c \wedge d = \text{DNE}$$

$$b \wedge e =$$

$$b \vee e = e$$

$$b \wedge e = b$$

$$\cup B\{a,b\}$$

$$= \{c, e\}$$



# Finding LUB, GLB of more than Two elements:

Method 1:

For LUB, find UB then in that UB, find Least element.

For GLB, find LB then in that

LB, find Greatest element.



# Finding LUB,GLB of more than Two elements:

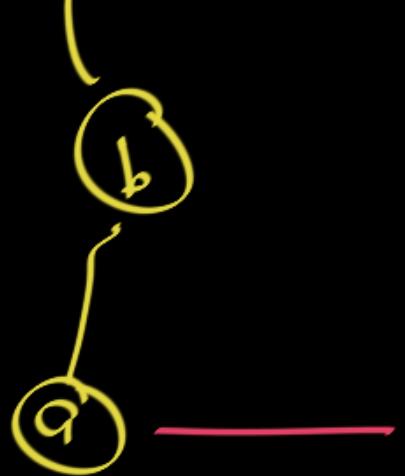
## Method 2:

Same as for “two elements”. For ex:

$\text{GLB}(S)$  = Unique first meeting point for ALL the elements S.

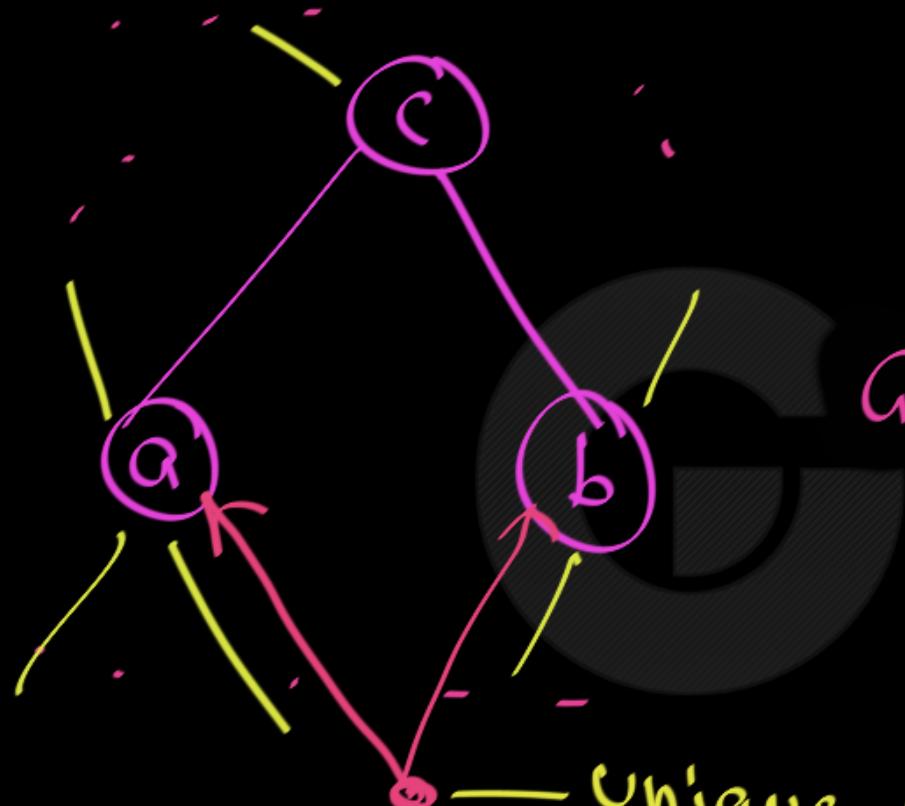
LUB  $\{a, b, c\} = ?$

$$a \vee b \vee c = \text{LUB } \{a, b, c\}$$



Case 1

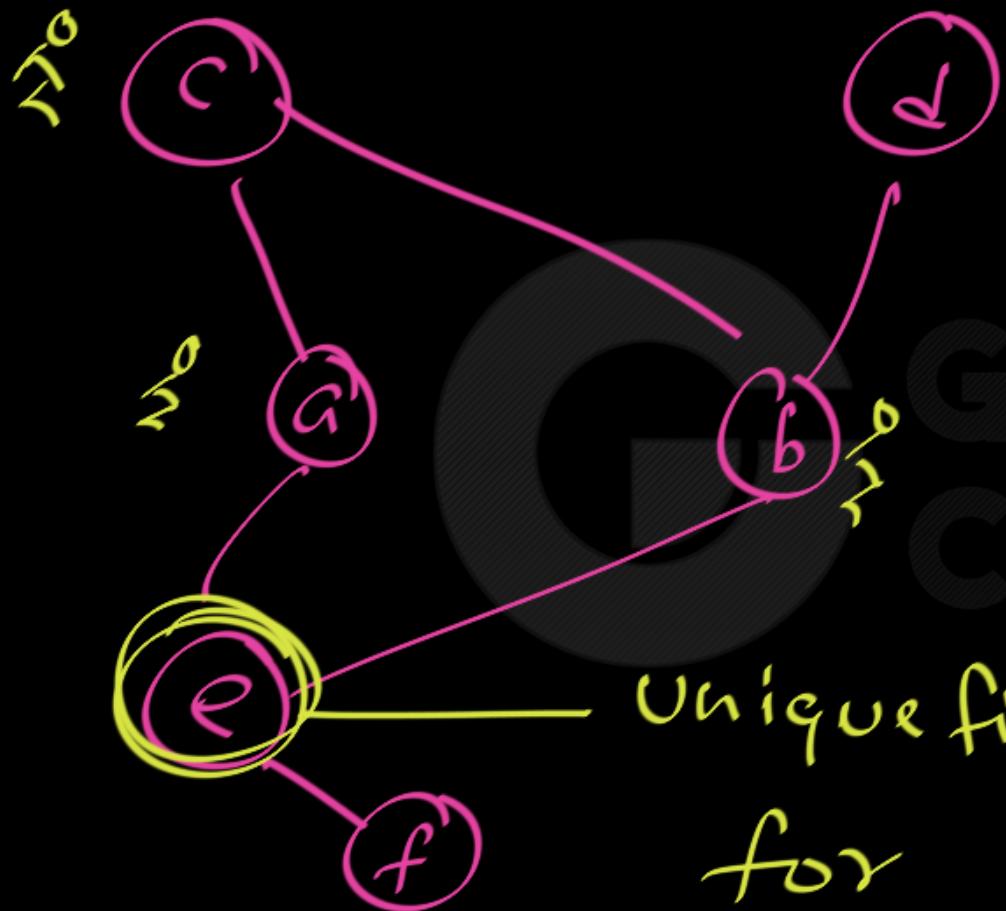
$a R b R c$



$$a \vee b \vee c = \text{LUB}\{a, b, c\}$$
$$= c$$

$$a \text{ LUB}\{a, b, c\} = a \wedge b$$
$$= \text{GLB}\{a, b\}$$

unique first meeting point for  
 $a, b, c$



$$a \wedge b = e$$

$$\begin{aligned} a \wedge b \wedge c &= \text{GLB}\{a, b, c\} \\ &= e \end{aligned}$$



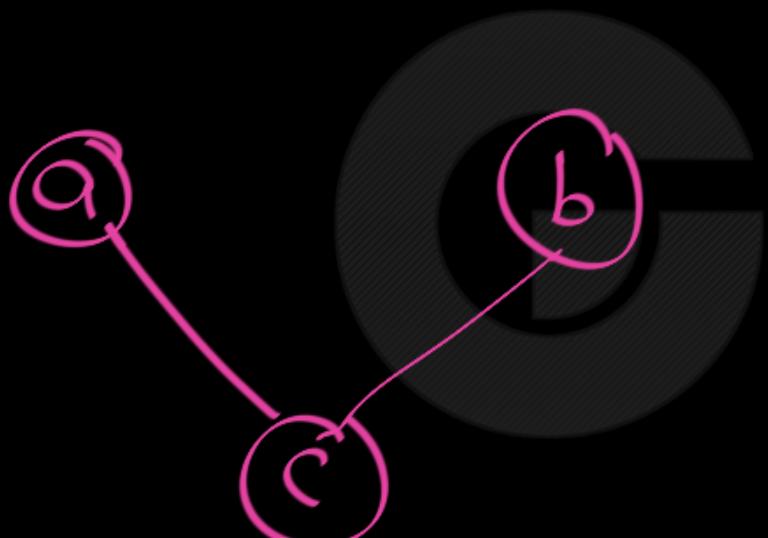
$$\text{LUB}\{a, b, c\} = a \vee b \vee c$$

$$= a \vee b$$

$$= \text{LUB}\{a, b\}$$

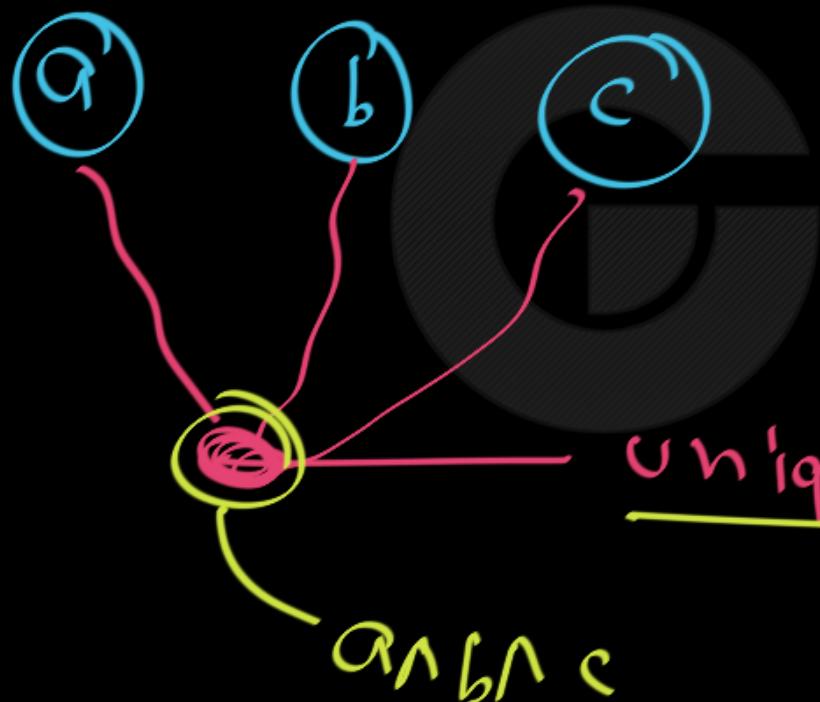
$$\text{GLB}\{a, b, c\} = a \wedge b \wedge c$$

$$= c$$





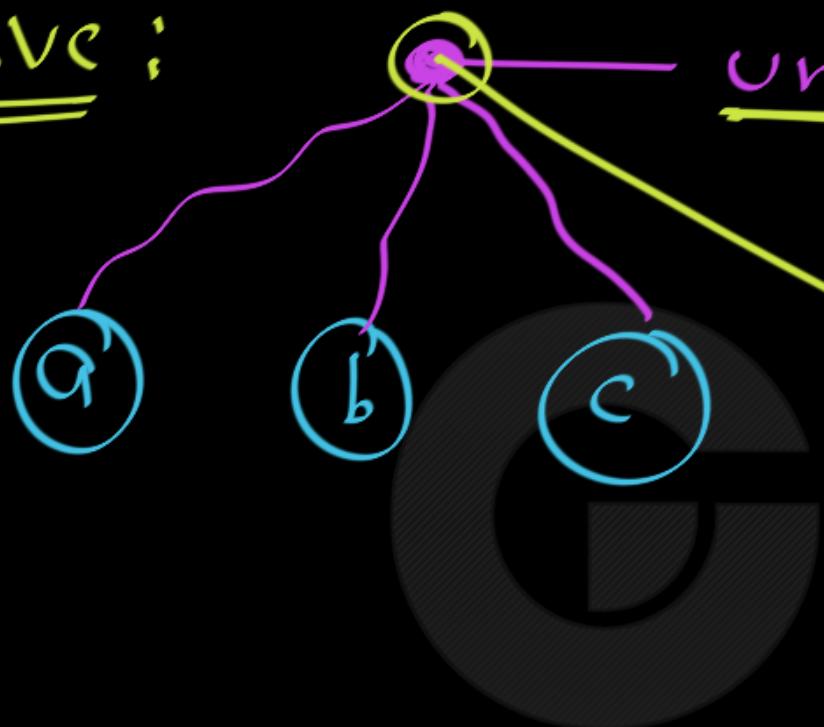
$a \wedge b \wedge c$  :



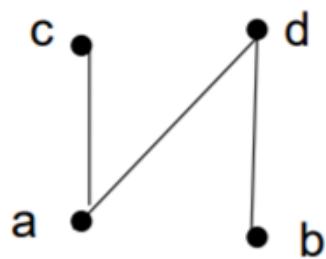
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unique first meeting point  
for  $a, b, c$

AVBVC :



unique first Joining Point  
for a, b, c in UP  
Direction



$$\left. \begin{array}{l} c \vee c = c \\ b \wedge b = b \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} c \vee d = d \\ c \wedge d = c \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} a \vee c = c \\ a \wedge c = a \end{array} \right\}$$

$a \not\sim c$   
a, c Comparable

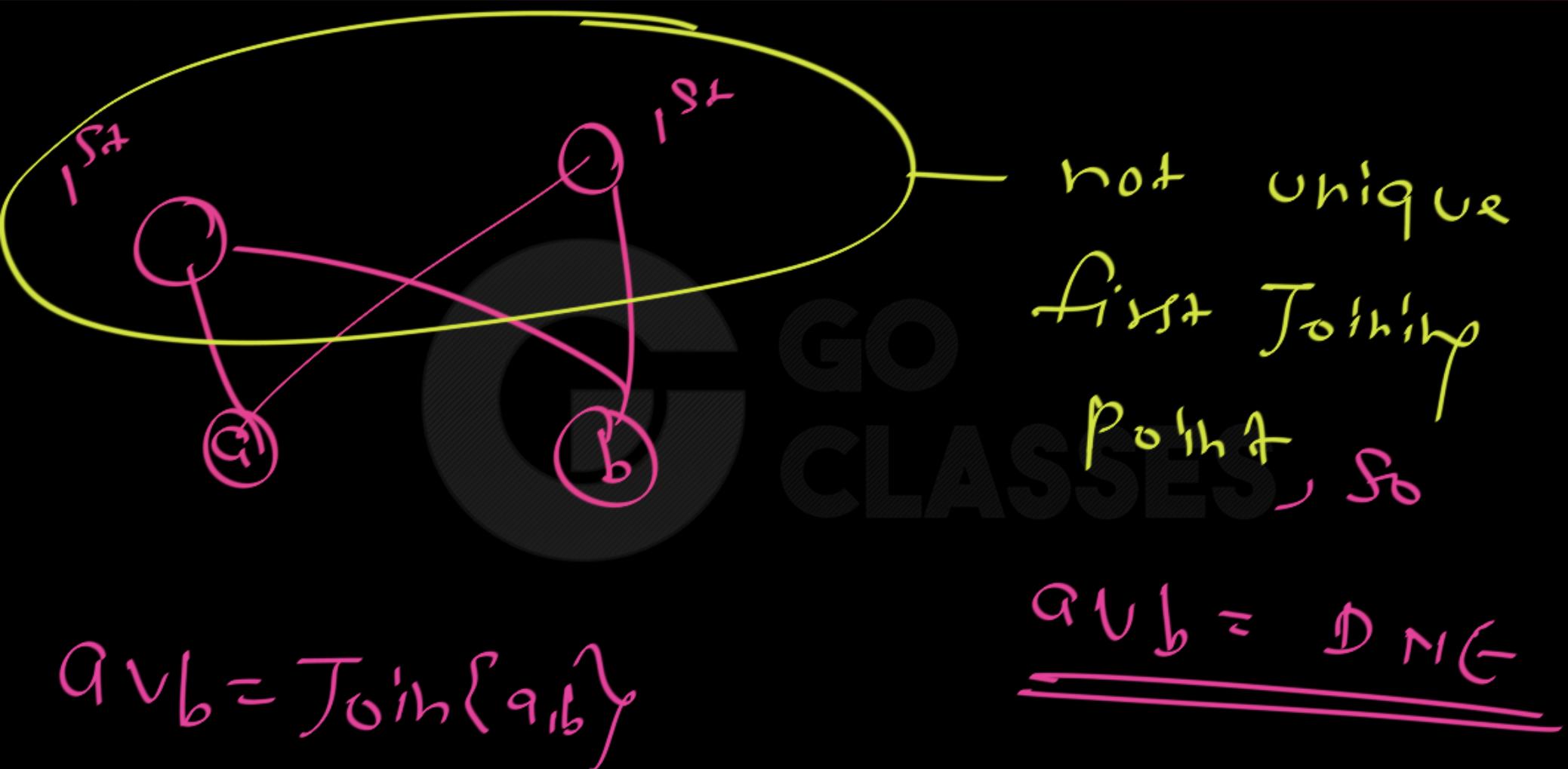
$$a \vee b = d$$

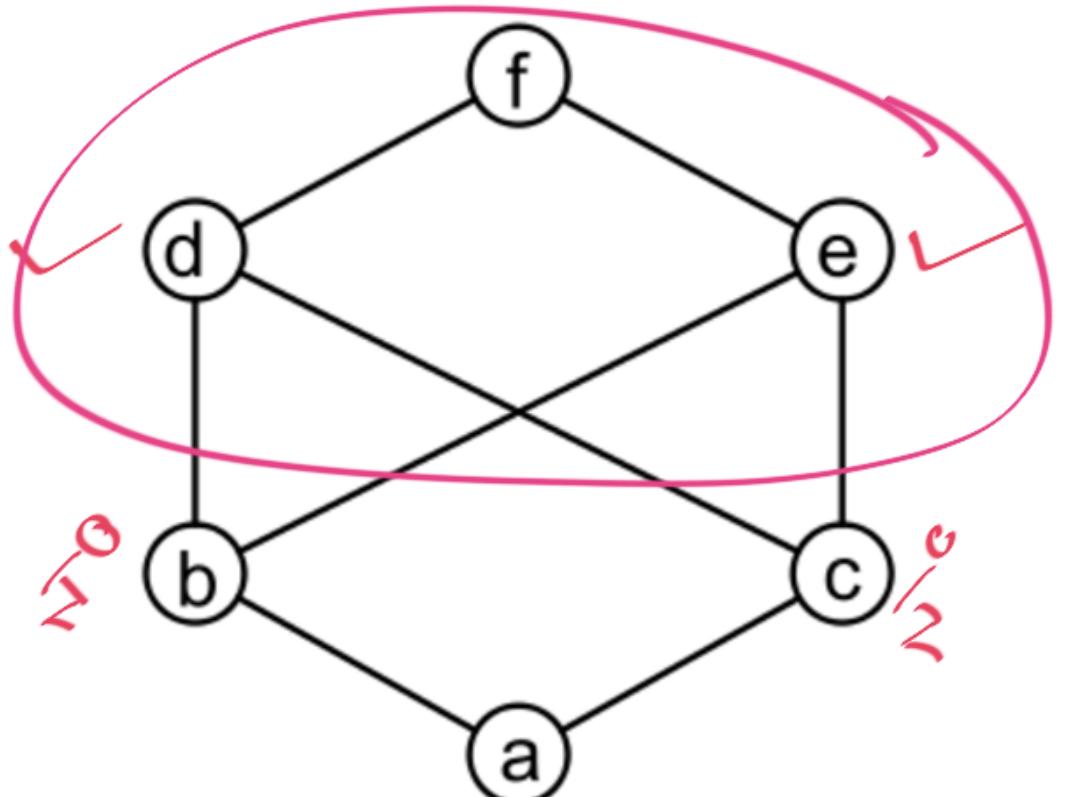
$$a \wedge b = \text{DNE}$$

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$$c \vee b = \text{DNE}$$

$$c \wedge b = \text{DNE}$$





thematics  
GO Classes

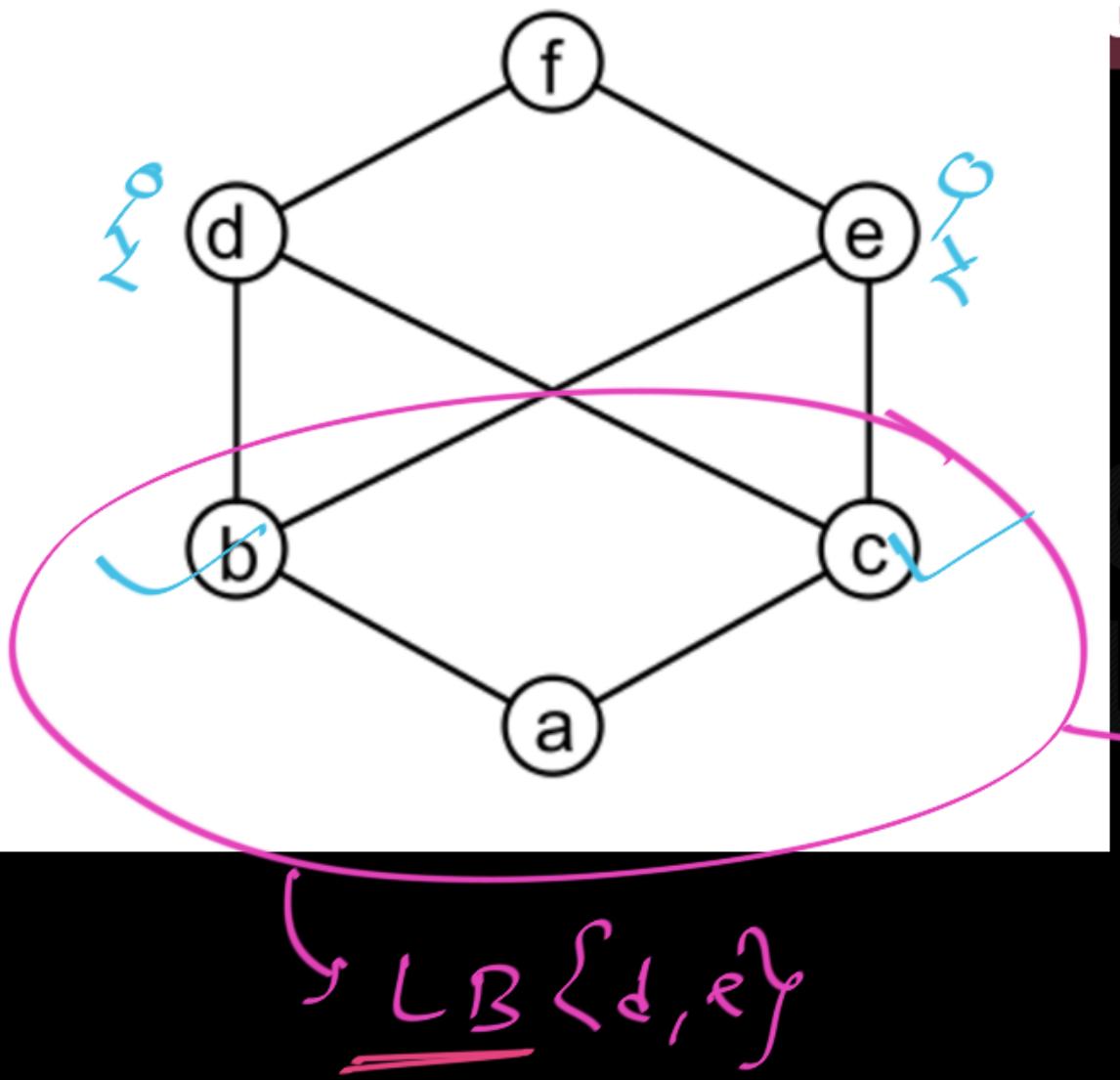
$$b \vee c = DNE$$

$$\cup B \{b, c\} = \boxed{\{d, e, f\}}$$

least element  
= DNE

$$b \wedge c = a ; \quad b \wedge a = a ; \quad d \wedge a = a$$

$$d \vee a = d$$

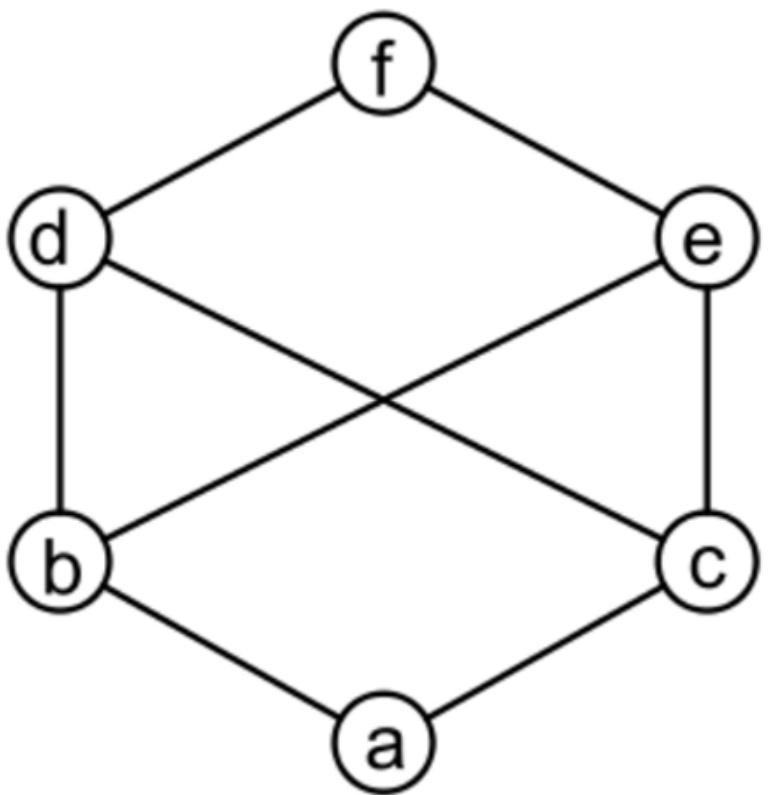


$$d \wedge e = \text{DNE}$$

$$\text{GLB}\{d, e\} = \text{DNE}$$

$$d \wedge e = \text{meet}\{d, e\}$$

In this, No  
Greatest Element



# thematics

GO Classes

$$d \vee c = d$$

$$d \wedge c = c$$

$$f \vee b = f$$

$$f \wedge b = b$$

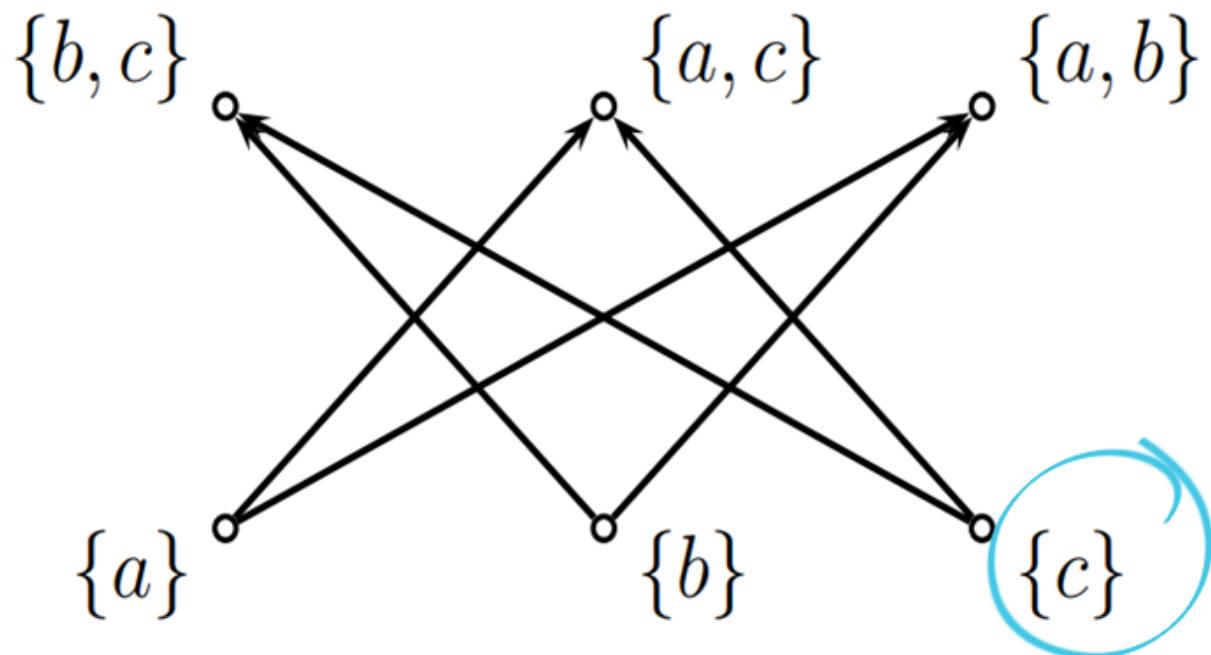
$$b \vee e = e$$

$$b \wedge e = b$$



$$\text{LUB}\{\{c\}\} = \{c\}$$

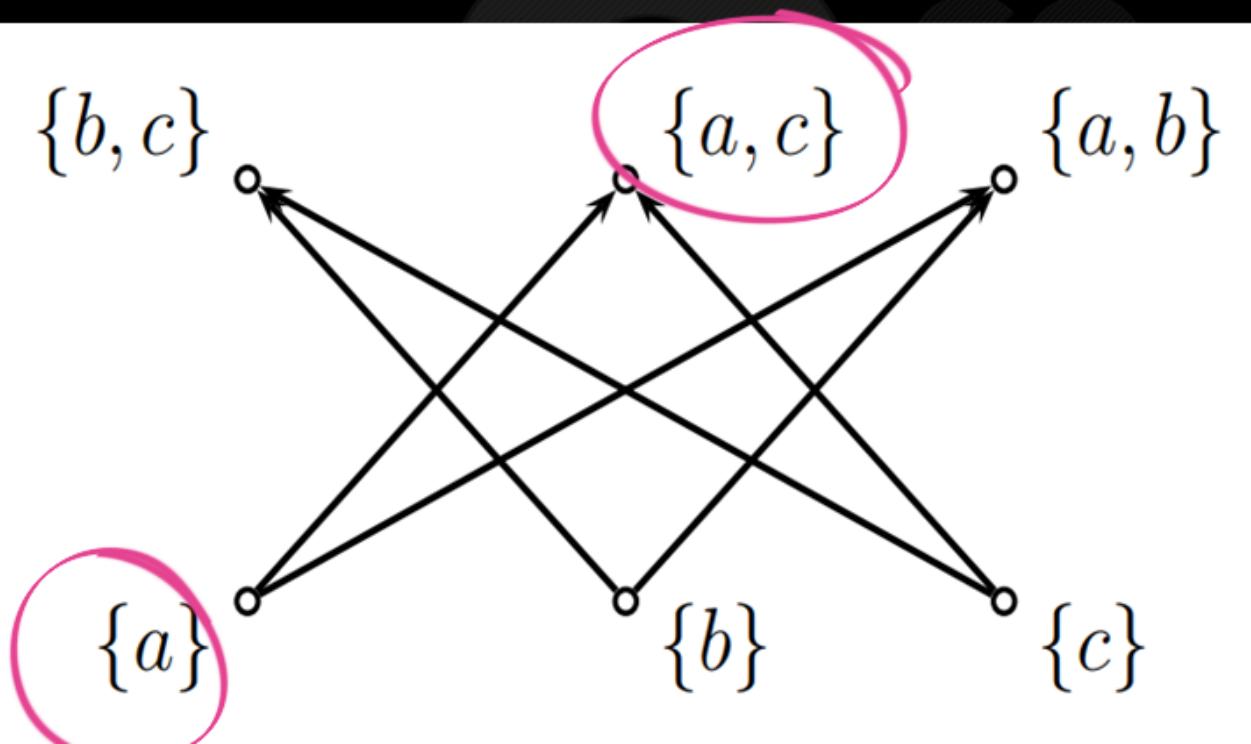
$$\text{GLB}\{\{c\}\} = \{c\}$$



$$\text{LUB}\{ \{a,c\}, \{a\} \} = \{a, c\}$$

$$\text{GLB}\{ \{a,c\}, \{a\} \} = \{a\}$$

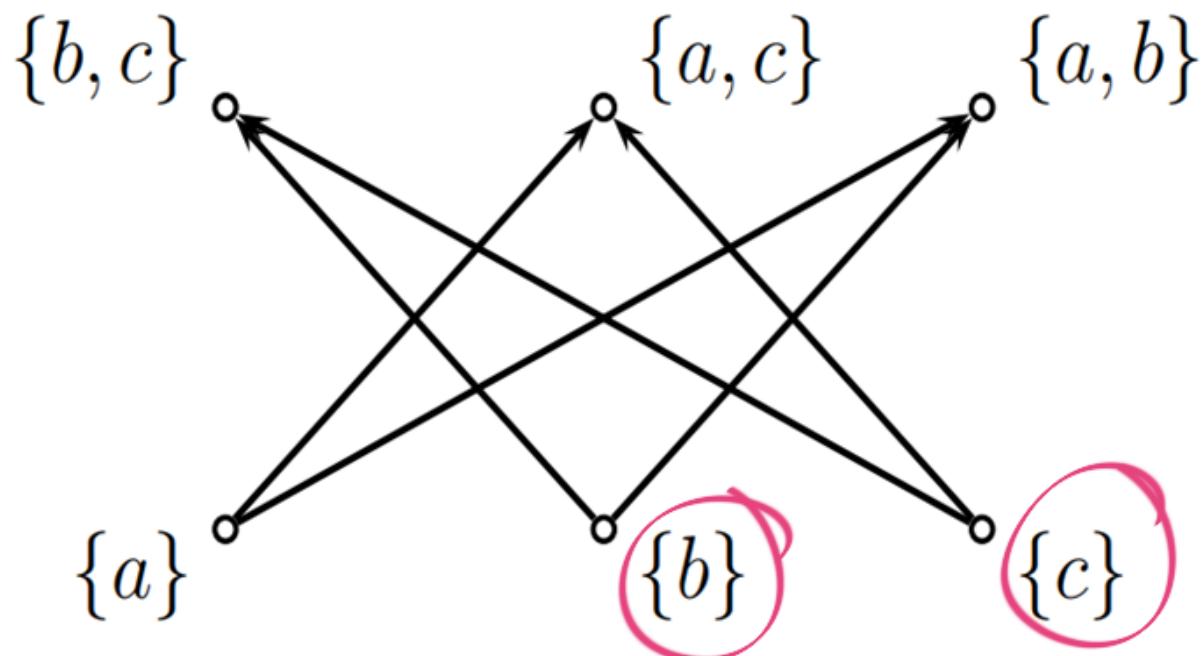
$$\{a\} R \{a, c\}$$





$$\text{LUB}\{\{b\}, \{c\}\} = \{b, c\}$$

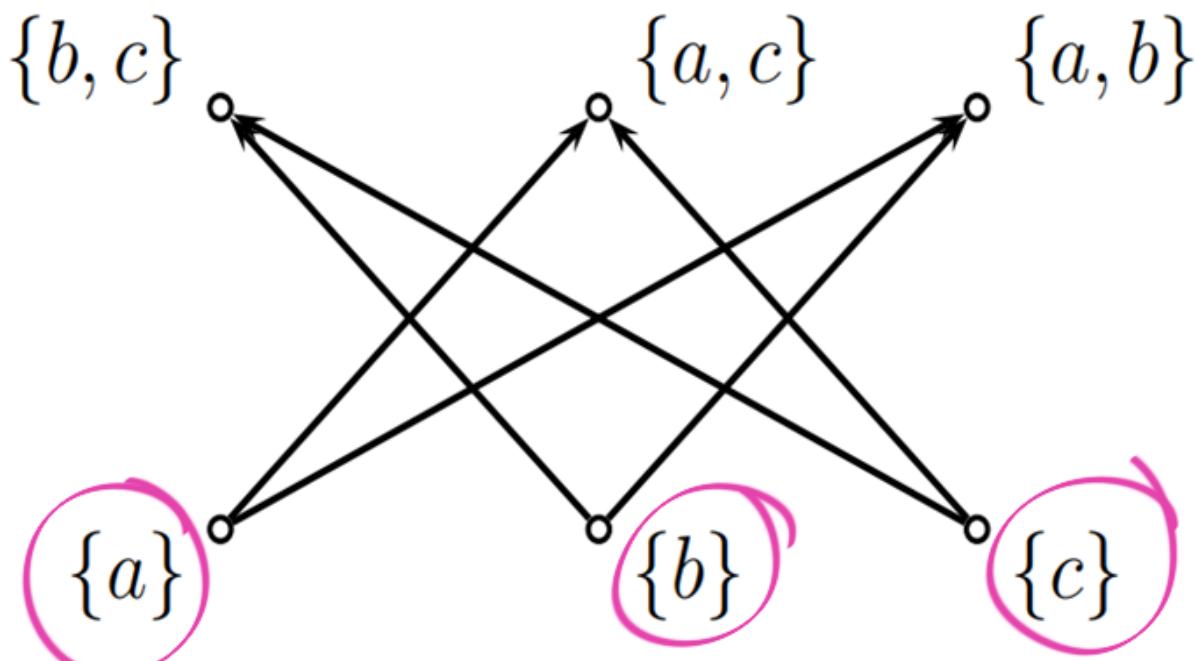
$$\text{GLB}\{\{b\}, \{c\}\} = \text{DNE}$$

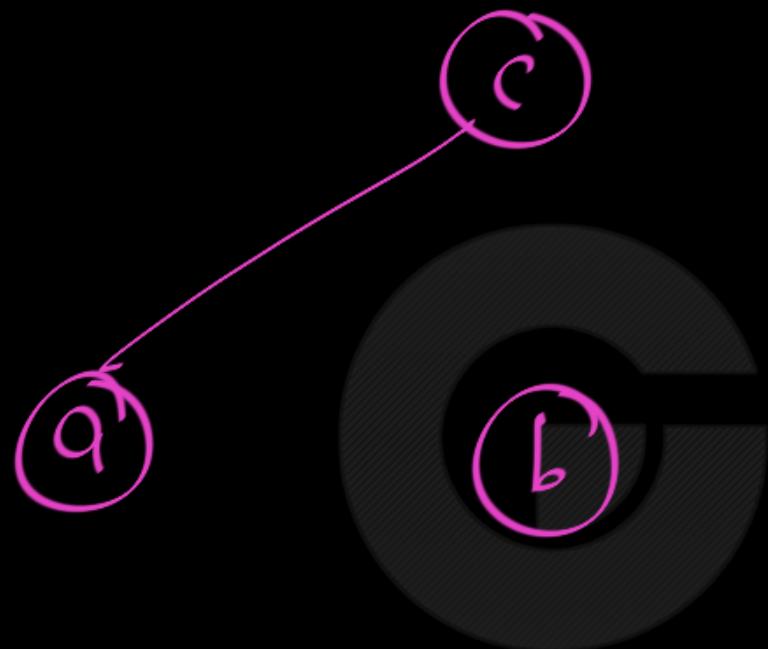




LUB{ {a},{b},{c} } =  $\emptyset$  N E

GLB{ {a},{b},{c} } =  $\emptyset$  N E

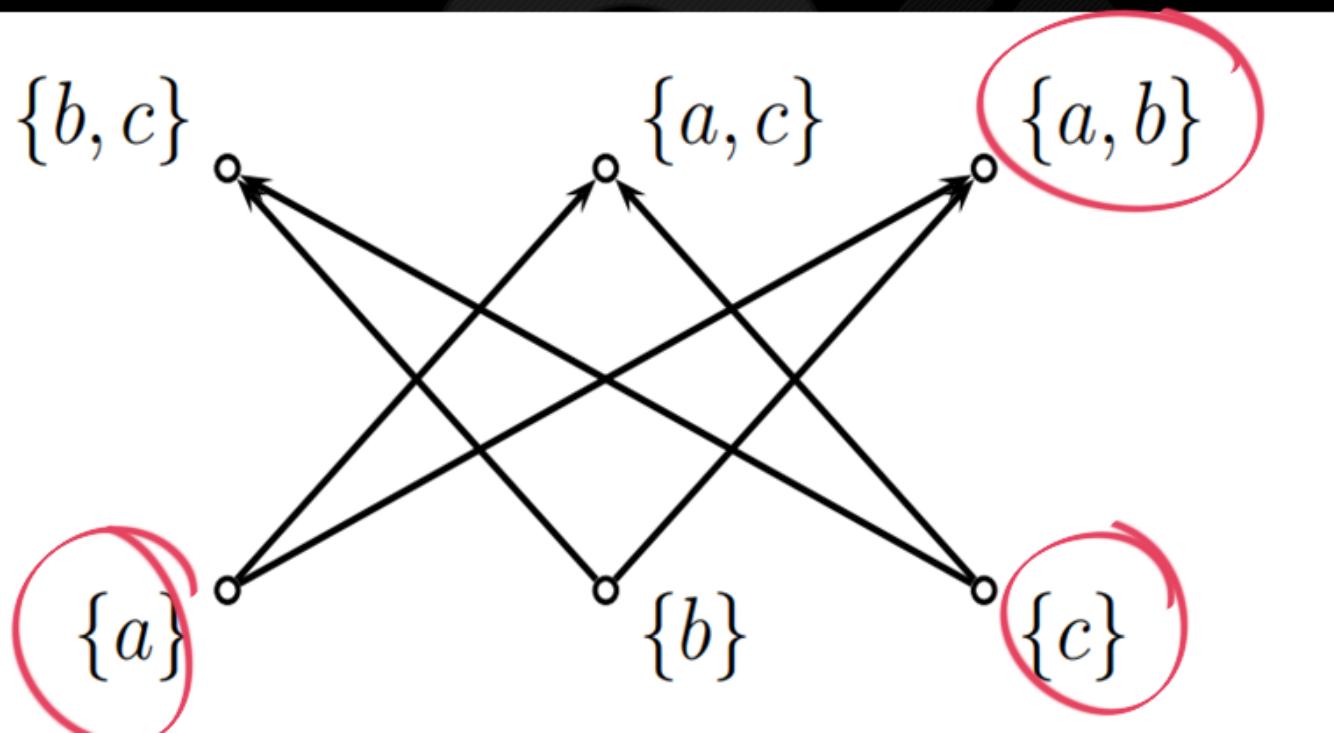




$$\text{LUB}\{a, b, c\} = \text{LUB}\{c, b\}$$
$$\text{GLB}\{a, b, c\} = a \wedge b$$

$\text{LUB}\{\{a\}, \{a,b\}, \{c\}\} = \text{LUB}\{\{a,b\}, \{c\}\} = \text{DNE}$

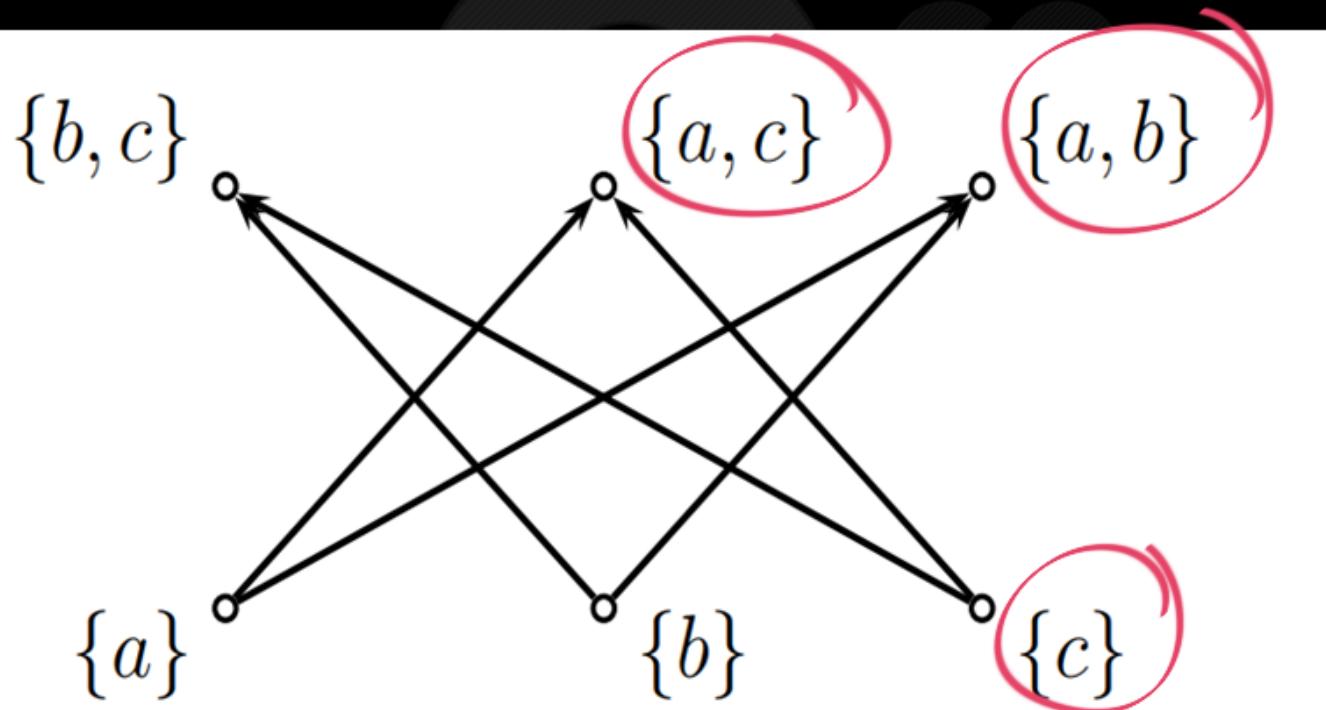
$\text{GLB}\{\{a\}, \{a,b\}, \{c\}\} = \text{DNE}$

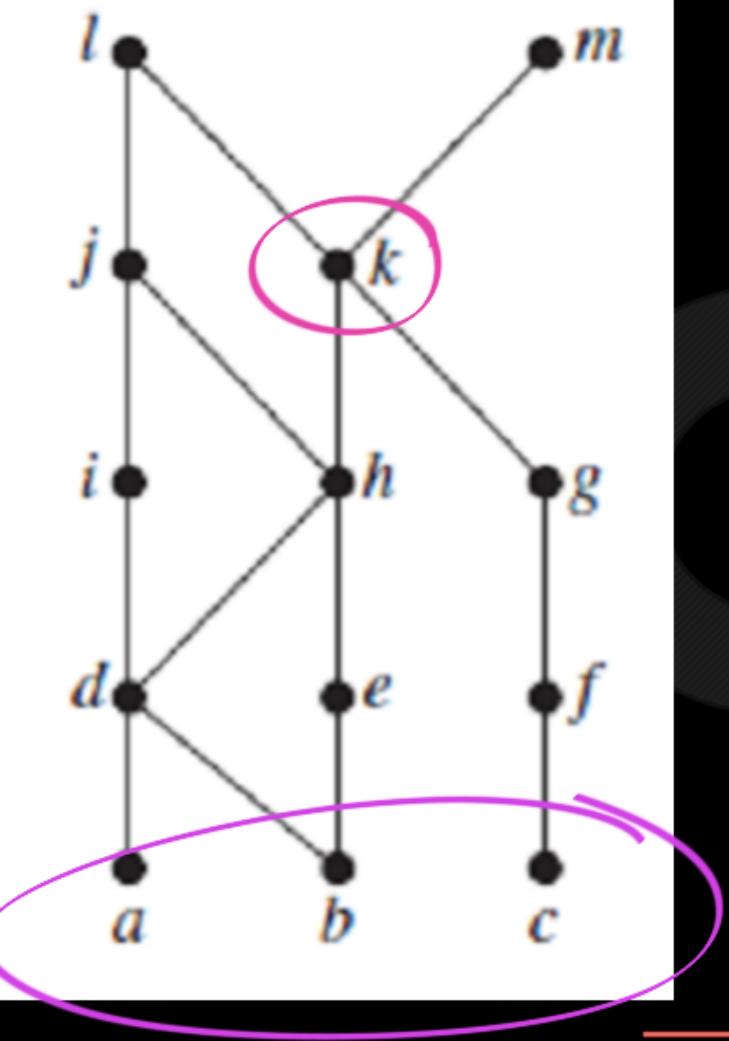




LUB{ {a,c},{a,b},{c} } = DNE

GLB{ {a,c},{a,b},{c} } = DNE



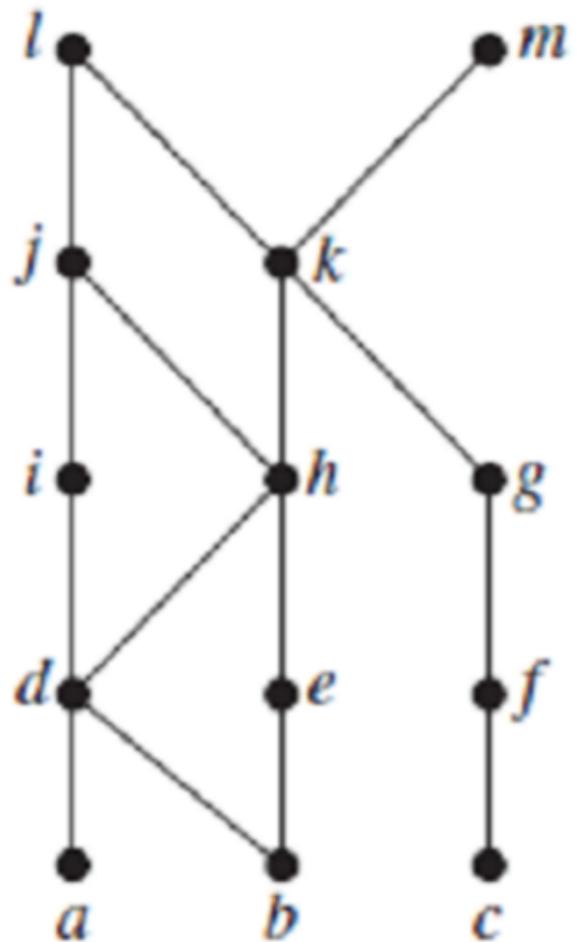


$$\begin{aligned} k \wedge k &= k \\ k \vee k &= k \end{aligned} \quad \boxed{\quad}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \emptyset \vee k &= k \\ \emptyset \wedge k &= \emptyset \end{aligned} \quad \boxed{\quad}$$

$$a \vee b \vee c = \text{LUB}\{a, b, c\}$$

$$= \boxed{k}$$



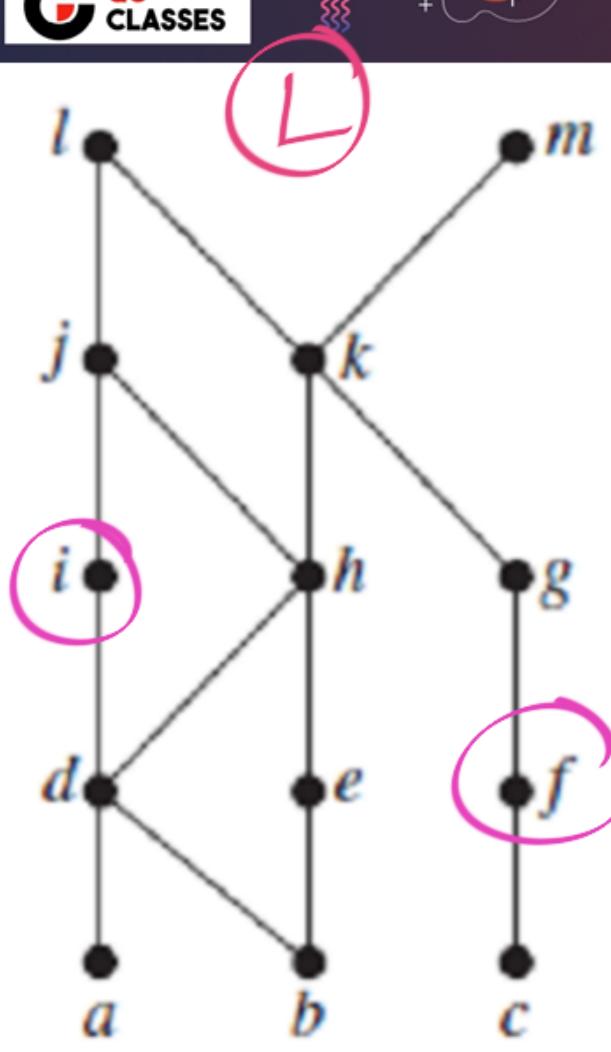
$$a \wedge b \wedge c = \text{GLB}\{a, b, c\}$$
$$= \text{DNE}$$

$$a \vee c \vee d = l$$

$$a \wedge c \wedge d = a$$

$$b \vee h \vee k = k$$

$$b \wedge h \wedge k = b$$



$$a \vee d \vee i \vee f = i \vee f \\ = \lambda$$

$$a \wedge d \wedge i \wedge f = a \wedge f = \text{DNE}$$

$$\vee L = \text{DNE}$$

$$\wedge L = \text{DNE}$$



Q: Poset  $P$ ;

$\vee p$  = LUB of all elements

= greatest element

Q:  $\wedge p$  = least element



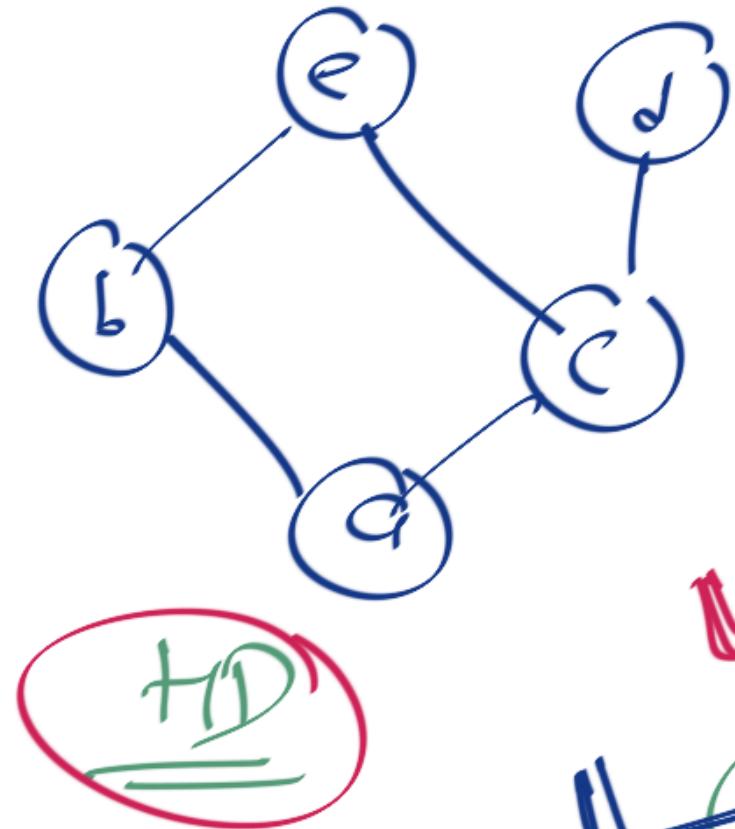
# Partial Order Relations

Next Topic:

Hasse Diagram of Total Order Relations

Total Order/TOSET/Chain/Linear Order

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~~JKC~~

which is true? ~~CRd~~

~~(1)~~ aRa

~~(2)~~ bRa

~~(3)~~ aRd

~~(4)~~ aRs

~~(5)~~ eRd

~~(6)~~ bRd

~~(7)~~ bRe

~~(8)~~ eRb

~~(9)~~ bRc

 $(\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}, \geq)$ 

1  
2  
3  
4  
5

$$\begin{array}{ll} 5 R 4 & 5 \geq 4 \\ 4 R 3 & 4 \geq 3 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} 2 R 5 X & \\ 5 R 2 \checkmark & \end{array}$$

Total order

~~$\forall a, b$~~ ;  $a, b$  are  
Comparable

Straight Line / Linear  
order

Chain

( $\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$ ,  $\leq$ ) — Total order

5  
4  
3  
2  
1

Chain

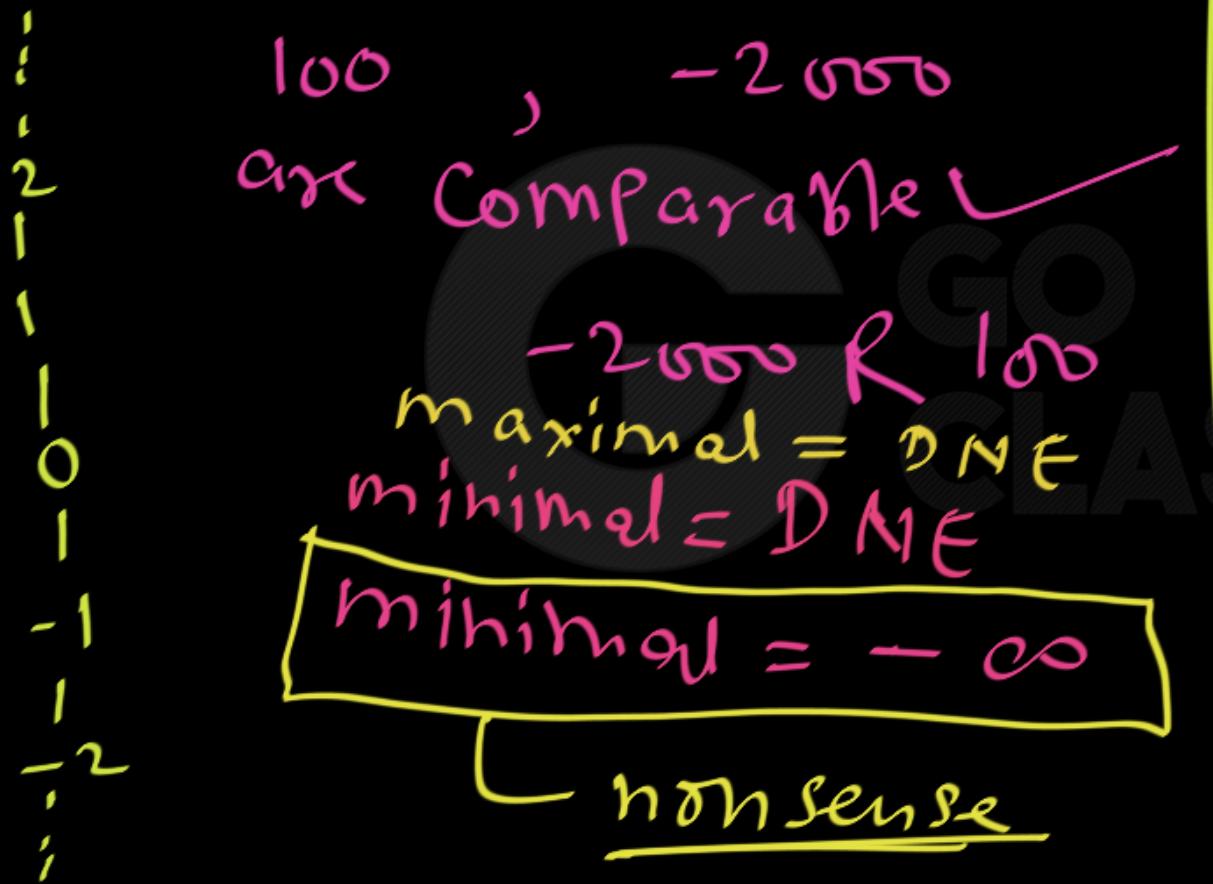
2 R 5 ✓

3, 1 are Comparable

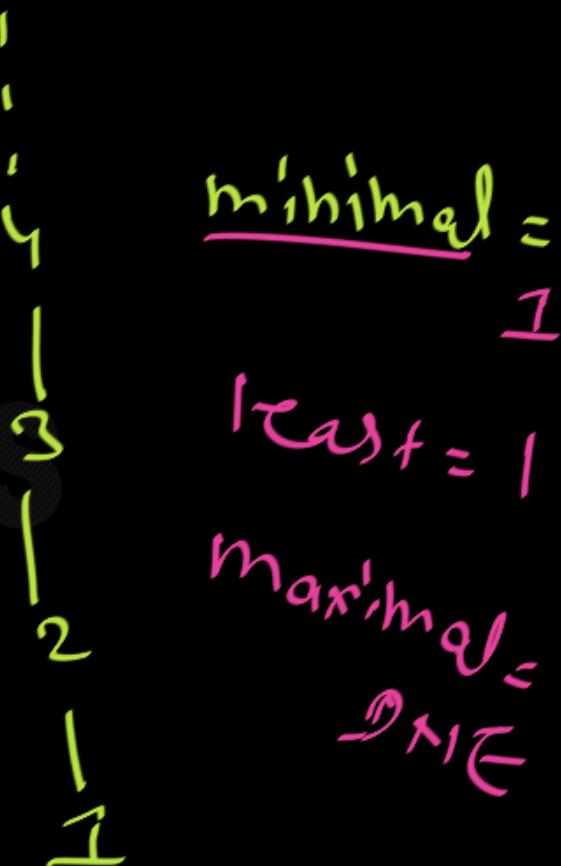
1 R 3  
Straight line

Linear order

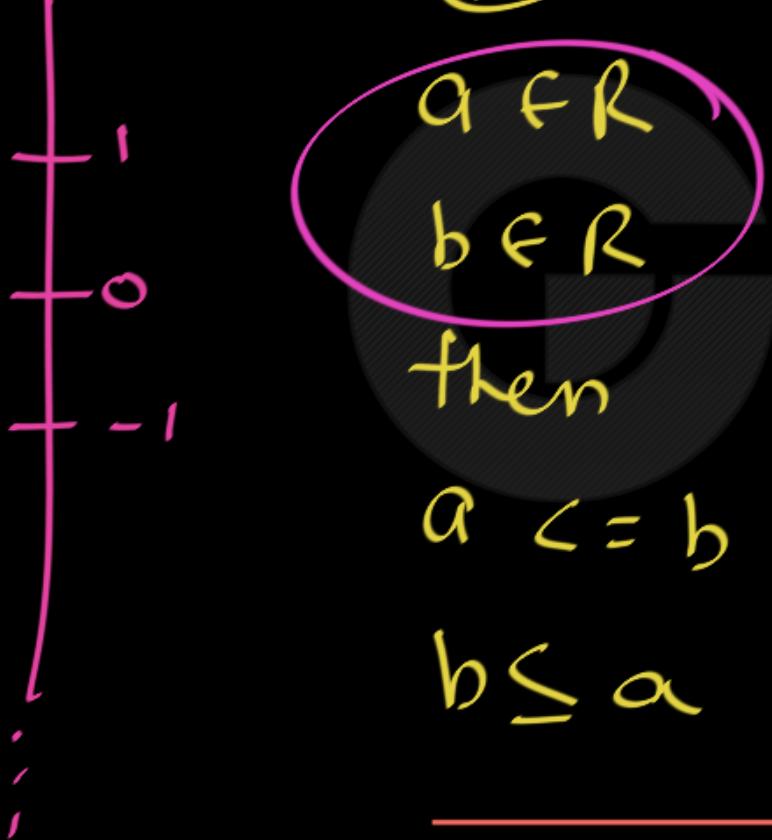
( $\mathbb{Z}, \leq$ ) - T or ✓



( $\mathbb{N}, \leq$ ) - T or ✓



$(R, \leq) - \frac{\text{TO R}}{\text{JL}}$



$\pi, e$   
 $e \in \pi$   
 $e \leq \pi$

$(Z^-, \leq) - \text{TO R}$

maximal = -1

-1  
 |  
 -2  
 |  
 -3  
 ;  
 ;  
 ;

largest = -1

least = DNE



( [0,1],  $\leq$  ) — T O R ✓

maximal — 1 — greatest

minimal — 0 — least



( (0,1],  $\leq$  )

Greatest = 1 ✓

Least = DNE





( [0,1),  $\leq$  ) — Tor ✓

Greatest = DNE

Least = 0

0 !  
|  
|  
|  
|

( (0,1) ,  $\leq$  )

Greatest = DNE

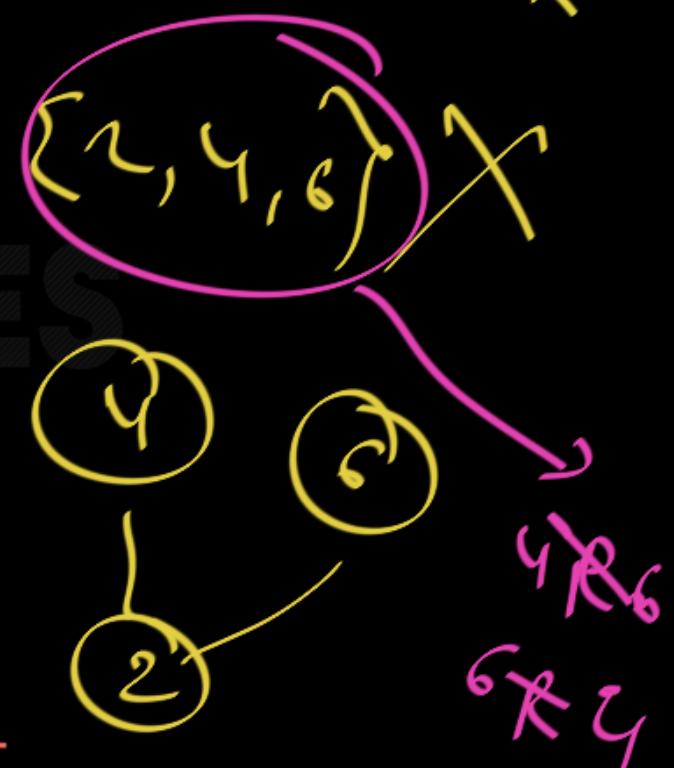
Least = "

0 . 6  
—  
0 . 5  
|  
|  
|  
|

 $(A, |)$ 

Give set A such that  $(A, |)$  is T0R.

$$A = \{ 2, 4, 8, 16, 32 \}$$



(N,  $\sqsupseteq$ ) — not TOr

$$5 \vee 105 = 105$$

2, 3 are not Comparable.

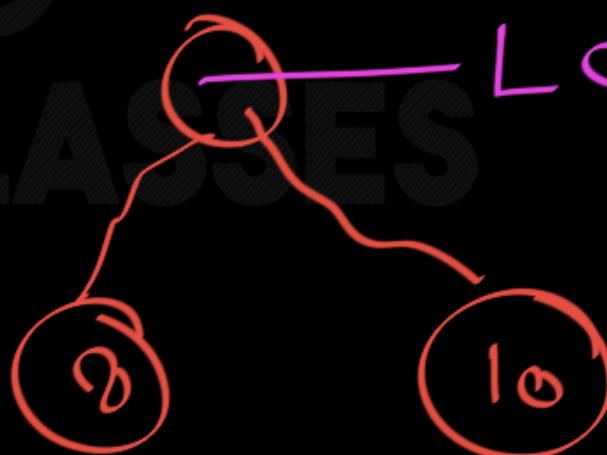
$$2 \vee 3 = 6$$

$$10 \vee 8 = 40$$

$$10 \wedge 8 = 2$$

$$5 \wedge 105 = 5$$

$$\text{Lcm}\{8, 10\}$$





L C M

↳ least Common Multiple

G C D

↳ Greatest Common Divisor

(A, Subset) Given A, |A| = 4, such that

(A,  $\subseteq$ ) is ToR.

$$\cancel{A = \{a, b, c, d\}}$$

$$\checkmark A = \left\{ \{\{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, b, c, d\}\} \right\}$$

(A,  $\subseteq$ ) is ToR ✓

$\{q, b, c\}$

$\{q, b, c\}$

|

$\{q, b\}$

|

$\{q\}$

( set of sets ,  $\subseteq$  )

( { ↓ , ] , [ , } , - - - } ,  $\subseteq$  )

Set      Set      Set

$(P(A), \subseteq)$  is T<sub>oR</sub> iff  $|A| \leq 1$

$A = \emptyset$       Base set

HD:

$\emptyset$

T<sub>oR</sub> ✓

$A = \{a\}$       Non-empty base set

HD:

$\subseteq$   
T<sub>oR</sub>

$\{a\}$   
 $\emptyset$

$(P(A), \subseteq)$

not TOr.

$\{a\}, \{b\}$  are not comparable.

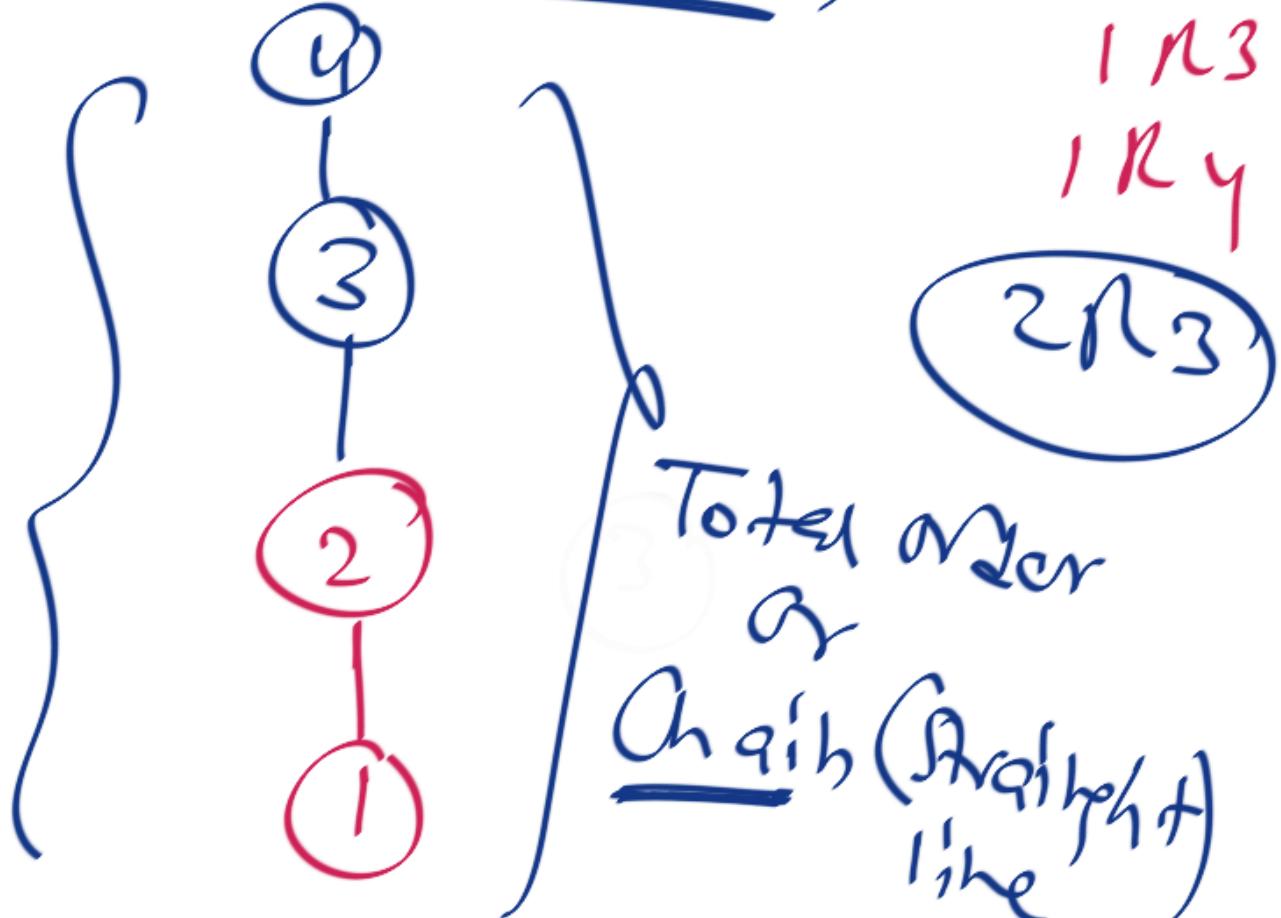
$A = \{a, b\}$

$A = \{a, b, c\}$

$|A| \geq 2$

$(P \setminus \{a, b, c, d\}, \subseteq)$  is NOT ToR

$\{\bar{a}\}$ ,  $\{\bar{b}\}$  are not Comparable.

$$(\{1, 2, 3, 4\}, \leq)$$

$$\{1, 2, 3, 4\} \quad | R_2 \quad | R_3 \quad | R_4$$
$$(\{1, 2, 3, 4\}, \leq)$$

Poset  
and  
Every two  
elements are  
Comparable.

Toset  
=

Total Order  $\equiv$  Chain  $\equiv$  linear order

PoSet +

+

Every two  
elements  
Comparable

Because

HD of Tosest

ALL elements  
in single line

$\equiv$  Tosest



To R  $\longrightarrow$  HD is Chain.

$\{a, b, c\}$  ————— All pairs are Comparable



TOR  $\equiv$  Chain  $\equiv$  Linear Order  
 $\equiv$  Straight Line





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Lattices

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