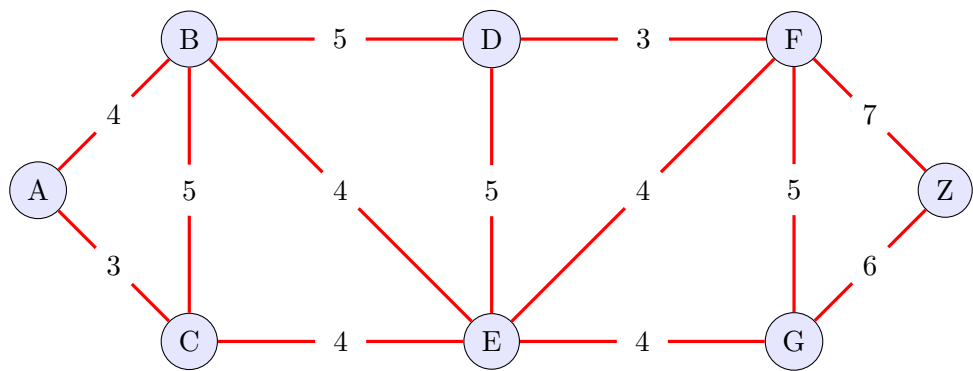


Data Sheet

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Graph *K*



Union by Rank

The current state *S* of the **union by rank** representation of disjoint subsets of the set of vertices {A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I} is given by

pi	A	B	D	D	B	F	D	A	F
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I

rank	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I

1 (9 pts) For the graph K use Kruskal's algorithm to find a **minimum**-cost spanning tree, and then determine the minimum cost. Use alphabetical ordering.

Construct a hash table using the lengths of the edges to store the edges.

Sort the edges in each bucket using alphabetical ordering.

Edge List (Hash Table)

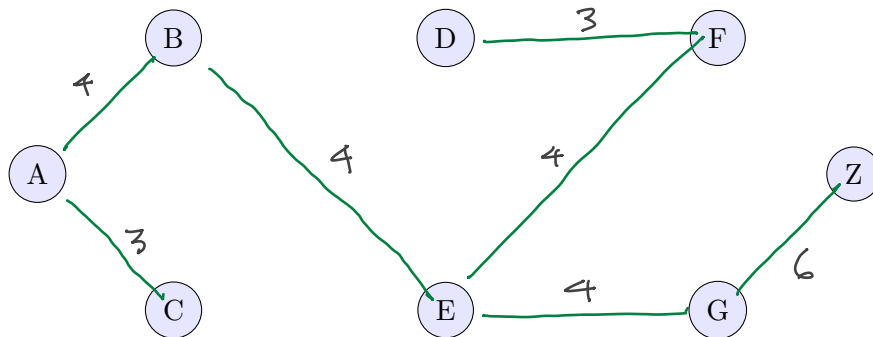
3	AC	DF			
4	AB	BE	EF	CE	EG
5	BD	BC	DE	FG	
6	GZ				
7	FZ				

Sorted Edge List (Hash Table)

3	AC	DF			
4	AB	BE	CE	EF	EG
5	BD	BC	DE	FG	
6	GZ				
7	FZ				

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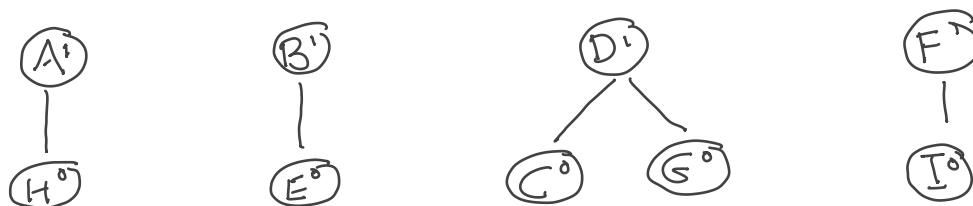
Construct a minimum cost spanning tree by using the edges in each bucket moving from left to right starting with bucket with the lowest value:



Minimum Cost

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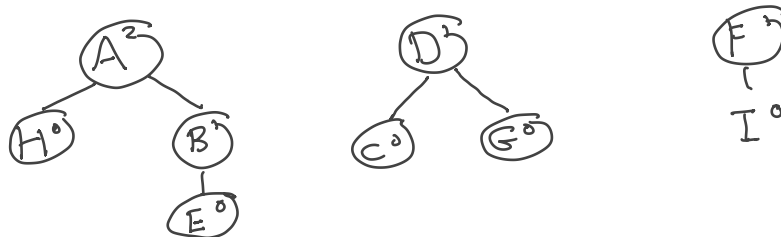
2 (11 pts) (a) For S, draw the corresponding trees representing the sets.



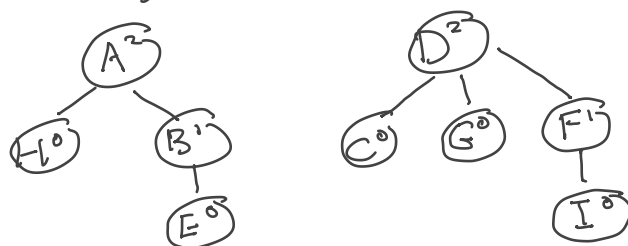
(b) Consider the following **SEQUENCE** of operations. Draw the corresponding tree(s) representing the sets after each of the operations has been executed (use alphabetical order):

- (i) $\text{union}(A, E)$ (ii) $\text{union}(F, G)$ (iii) $\text{union}(C, I)$ (iv) $\text{union}(E, F)$

$\text{union}(A, E)$ $\text{find}(A) = A, \text{find}(E) = B, \text{rank}(A) = 1, \text{rank}(B) = 1$ join B to A
 $\text{rank}(A) = 2$

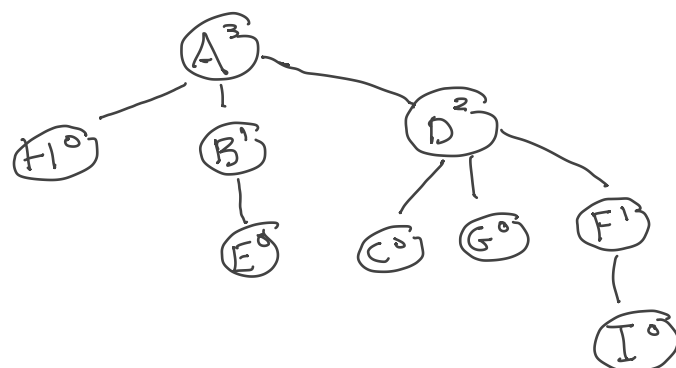


$\text{union}(F, G)$ $\text{find}(F) = F, \text{find}(G) = D, \text{rank}(F) = 1, \text{rank}(D) = 1$ join F to D
 $\text{rank}(D) = 2$



$\text{union}(C, I)$ $\text{find}(C) = D, \text{find}(I) = D$ cycle

$\text{union}(E, F)$ $\text{find}(E) = A, \text{find}(F) = D, \text{rank}(A) = 2, \text{rank}(D) = 2$ join D to A
 $\text{rank}(A) = 3$



(c) Specify the current state of **pi** and **rank** after the sequence has been executed.

pi	A	A	D	A	B	D	D	A	F
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I

rank	3	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	0
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I

(d) Use induction to show that if a subtree T constructed in the rank by union procedure has rank m , then T contains at least 2^m nodes.

Verify this result using the tree(s) drawn in (b)(iv).

rank	3	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	0
2^{rank}	8	4	1	4	1	2	1	1	1
nodes	9	2	1	5	1	2	1	1	1
Verified	T	T	T	T	T	T	T	T	T
root	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I

Base case: $m = 0$:

T has one node (root).

$$2^k = 2^0 = 1$$

So true in this case.

Inductive case: Assume true for $m = k$. Show true for $m = k + 1$

Let x be a node with $\text{rank}(x) = k + 1$

x promoted to rank $k + 1$ by joining y with rank k to x with rank k .

Before the union, the subtree with node x as root and the subtree with node y as root both have at least 2^k nodes.

But then after the union, the subtree with node x has at least $2^k + 2^k = 2^{k+1}$ nodes.

So true for $m = k + 1$.

