

## Project 1 algo eng

### Note

Need to find a leader or a parent | something to have another pair with

```
function find(a):  
    if parent[a] != a:  
        parent[a] = find(a)  
    return parent[a]
```

### Summary

A recursive function in order to find a leader or a origin to the first pair to later find the next one for it.

### Note

We need a function in order to find the leaders of a group such that a and b belong to. If they don't match each other then we can merge them. By doing this we can make the rootA a child of rootY

```
def union(a, y):  
    rootA = find(a)  
    rootB = find(b)  
    if rootA != rootB:  
        parent[rootA] = rootB
```

#### Note ▾

We need to declare the size of our row. Such as n. and we need to set a parent list. This parent list will store such that each person has it's own parent.

```
n = len(row) // 2 # this is so the len = 6 / 2 = 3 couples
parent[i for i in range(n)]
```

#### Note ▾

We then need to iterate through the rows but we need to so in pairs. as we find the pairs we union them.

```
for i in range(0, len(row), 2):
    union(row[i] // 2, row[i+1] // 2)
```

#### Summary ▾

```
row[i] // 2 = 0 / 2 = 0
row[i+1] // 2 = 2/2 = 0 ##This is assuming that the second index of the row list is 1
```

#### Note ▾

Then we want to count how many "people" are their own. then this shows the number of couples are there.. We then can calculate the total number of swaps needed

```
count = sum([1 for i, a in enumerate(parent) if i == find(a)])
return n - count
```

## Summary

1 for i essentially builds a list of 1's but only for the elements where the index of i is equal to find(a). It adds a 1 to the list for each element that is its own representative.

a in enumerate essentially is an iterator that is 0, 0 or 1, 1 or 2, 3. The i is the index and the a is the value.

when comparing to i == find(a)  
if we are assuming the parent is [0, 1, 2, 0, 1]

find(a):  
find(0) -> 0  
find(1) -> 1  
find(2) -> 2  
find(3) -> 0  
find(4) -> 1

Code Section.	Description	Time complexity	Space Complexity
def find(a): if root[a] != a: root[a] = find(root[a]) return root[a]	A recursive function in order to find a leader or a origin to the first pair to later find the next one for it.	$O(\alpha(n))$ amortized	$O(\log n)$
def union(a, b): rootA = find(a) rootB = find(b) if rootA != rootB: parent[rootA] = rootB	A function to find a the leaders of a group that x and y belong to, if they don't match we merge them	<b><math>O(\alpha(n))</math></b> (amortized)	$O(1)$
n = len(row) // 2	n will be the length of the row divided by 2 in order to find how many couples we have in the list	$O(1)$	$O(1)$
parent = [i for i in range(n)]	Initializes an array where each parent elements is its own parent	$O(n)$	$O(n)$
for i in range(0, len(row), 2): union(row[i] // 2, row[i + 1] // 2)	Looping through couples whilst making them pairs and then	$O(n * \alpha(n))$	$O(1)$ per iteration

Code Section.	Description	Time complexity	Space Complexity
2)	performs a union to pair them.		
count = sum([1 for i, a in enumerate(parent) if i == find(a)])	Counts the numbers of disjoints (non couple) by checking each element of its own parent	$O(n * \alpha(n))$	$O(1)$ per iteration
return n - count	returning the final statement to justify how many swaps have to be made to pair all the couples	$O(1)$	$O(1)$

## Calculating the Big O efficiency class. using step counts

### find(a)

```
function find(a):
    if root[a] != a:
        root[a] = find(a)
    return root[a]
```

1. if parent[a] != a, we call find(root(a))
  1. When we call the find(a) it will check root[a] != a every time
  2. This is a recursive call until we find the root
2. return root[a]
  1. 1 step

It all really depends on the how close the desired number is so  $O(n)$

✓ **Big O:  $O(\alpha(n))$**  ✓

Since it is an amortized due to recursive and the length of the root

### union(a, b)

```
def union(a, b):
    rootA = find(a)
    rootB = find(b)
    if rootA != rootB:
        parent[rootA] = rootB
```

1. rootA = find(a)
  1. since it is calling find(a) | we know that find(a) is  $O(\alpha(n))$
2. rootB = find(a)
  1. same goes here |  $O(\alpha(n))$
3. if rootA != rootB:
  1. 1 step
4. parent[rootA] = rootB
  1. 1 step


✓  $O(\alpha(n))$  ✓

since the steps for finding roots is  $O(\alpha(n)) + O(\alpha(n)) = O(2\alpha(n)) = O(\alpha(n))$

Steps are  $1 + 1 = 2$

total is

$O(\alpha(n)) + 1 + 1 = O(\alpha(n))$

  $n = \text{len}(\text{row}) // 2$

```
n = len(row) // 2
```

1. len(row)

1. finding length of a list is  $O(1)$
2. `// 2`
  1. basic arithmetic operation so  $O(1)$
3. This is 2 step

✓  $O(1)$  ✓

Since both of these produce only 2 steps

$1 + 1 = 2 \Rightarrow O(1)$  which is constant time

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 `parent = [i for i in range(n)]`

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```

1. `range(n)`
  1. sets up an iterable number so  $O(1)$  | doesn't make a list yet
2. `i for i in range(n)`
  1. iterating  $n$  times to get each integer from 0 to  $n - 1$
  2. then, for each integer  $i$ , adding  $i$  to the new list
  3. this loops runs  $n$  times

✓  $O(n)$  ✓

Total steps =  $1 + n = n + 1 \Rightarrow O(n)$

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 `for i in range(0, len(row), 2): union(row[i] // 2, row[i+1] // 2)`

1. `range(0, len(row), 2)`
  1. as this creates an iterator from 0 to `len(row)` with a step of 2
  2. this is just  $O(1)$
2. Since this is a pair, we do run the `len(row)` two times since we take a two step
  1. the input list is  $2n$
  2. loop increments `i` by 2 each time resulting in  $n$  iteration
  3. the loop runs  $n$  time
3. inside the loop `| union row[i] // 2`
  1. calls `find` and that is like `rootA = find(row[i] // 2)`
  2. we know that `find =  $O(\alpha(n))$`
4. same goes for the `row[i + 1] // 2`
  1. calls `find` `rootB = find(row[i + 1] // 2)`
  2. we know that `find =  $O(\alpha(n))$`

✓  $O(n * \alpha(n))$  ✓

Total steps =  $O(\alpha(n)) + O(\alpha(n)) + 1 + 1 = O(2\alpha(n)) + 2 = O(\alpha(n))$

entire loop

total steps including the for loop

total =  $n O(\alpha(n)) = O(n \alpha(n))$

 `count = sum([1 for i, a in enumerate(parent) if i == find(a)])`

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count = sum([1 for i, a in enumerate(parent) if i == find(a)])
```

1. `enumerate(parent)`
  1. creates iterator which is  $O(1)$
2. `1 for i, a in enumerate(parent) if i == find(a)`
  1. iterates through `parent`

2. if the  $i == \text{find}(a)$  | we run for  $n$  iterations
3. The  $i == \text{find}(a)$  calls  $\text{find}(a)$ 
  1. we know that  $\text{find}(a) = O(\alpha(n))$
4. adding to the list
  1. when condition is met, we add 1 to the list
  2.  $O(1)$

✓  $O(\alpha(n))$  ✓


total steps:  $O(\alpha(n)) + 1 + 1 = O(\alpha(n)) + 2 = O(\alpha(n))$

for the complete line of code

$O(n \alpha(n)) + O(n) = O(n \alpha(n))$

This is because of the for loop that we have.

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 **return n - count**

```
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```

1. Basic arithmetic operation
  1.  $O(1)$  time | 1 step

✓  $O(1)$  ✓

Total steps:  $1 = O(1)$

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✓ **Overall Complexity** ✓



Total time complexity:  $O(1) + O(n) + O(n \alpha(n)) + O(n \alpha(n)) + O(1) = O(n * \alpha(n))$