

disjoint set ADT:

→ set  $u$ , set  $v$

→ Merge  $u \cup v$

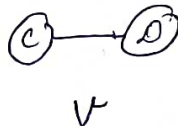
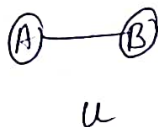
→ detect cycle.

2 operations

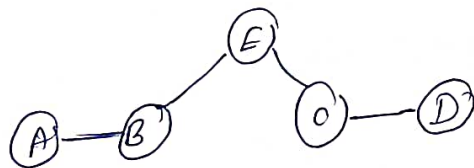
→ find

→ union

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→ two different graph  
connect these two by  
using another vertex  
called 'E'

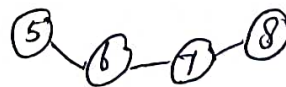
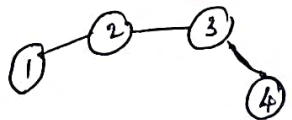


→ new vertex should  
not belongs to any set

eg-1

$u = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$

$v = \{5, 6, 7, 8\}$



→ find '5', its available in set 'v'

→ find '1', its available in set 'u'

→ Union operation

$$u \cap v = \emptyset$$

$u \cup v = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8\}$  → Connect (4, 8) to  
perform union.

→ find  $(4, 8)$  = its available in one set, we can  
know that its cycle.

eg, universal set  $u = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8\}$

Consider edge weight & joint vertices,  
form set

$$S_1 = \{1, 2\} \text{ weight } - 1$$

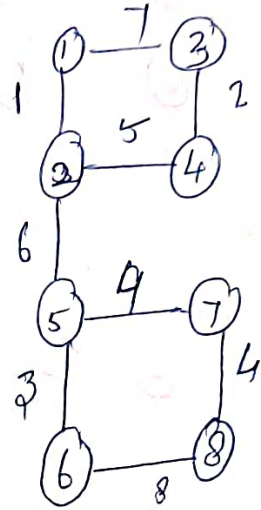
Remove 1, 2 from universal set

$\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8\}$

$$S_2 = \{3, 4\} - 2$$

$$S_3 = \{5, 6\} - 3$$

$$S_4 = \{7, 8\} - 4$$



→ Next weight '5' (2,4) its available in set 1 & 2, perform union

$$S_1 \cup S_2 = \{1, 2, 3, 4\} - 5_6$$

→ weight '6' (2,5), available in  ~~$S_1$~~  &  $S_3$

$$S_7 = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$$

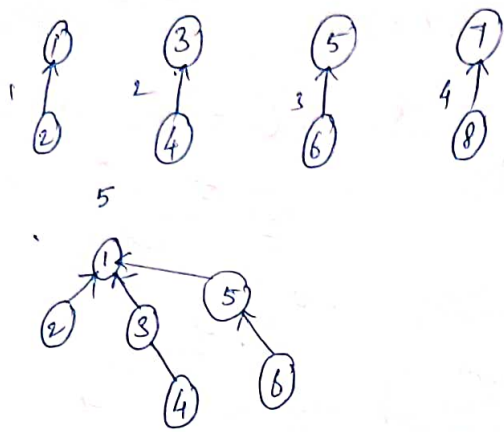
→ '7' (1,3) if we connect this it will form cycle because its available in same set.

→ '8'  $\{6, 8\}$ , its there in different set perform union

$$\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8\}$$

→ '9'  $\{5, 7\}$  its in same set so it will form cycle.

→ sentinel node.



## Dynamic Equivalence Problem:

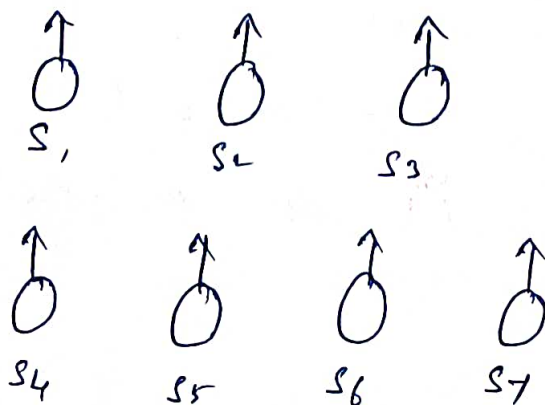
- DSP essentially support 3 operations on set of elements.
- Equivalence relation is defined by 3 operations.

- ① Make set
- ② find
- ③ Union.

### Makeset

→ This operation is used to create a set with element.

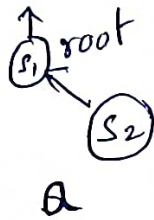
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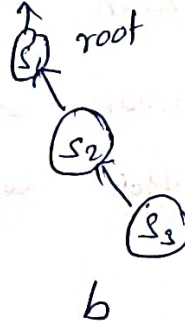
# Union:

→ which merges two equivalence set, and create new set.

①  $S_1 \cup S_2$



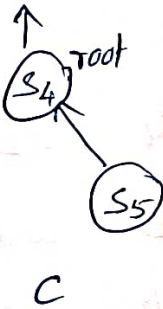
②  $S_2 \cup S_3$



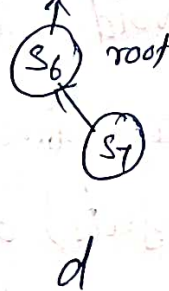
Note: Consider  $S_1, S_2$  having similar set of elements.

→ If the sets having different element, then it makes disjoint.

③  $S_4 \cup S_5$

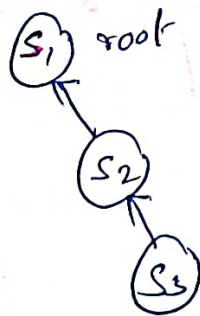


④  $S_6 \cup S_7$

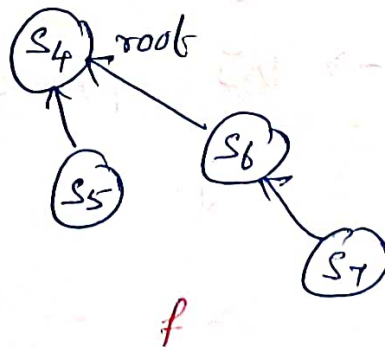


$$S_1 \cup S_2 = \emptyset$$

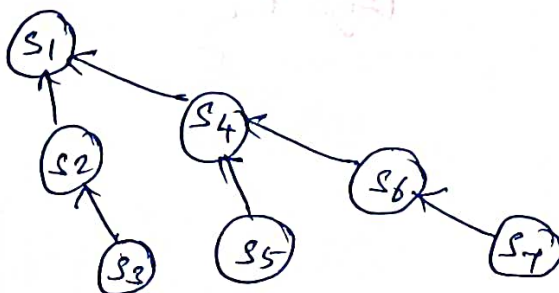
⑤  $a \cup b$



⑥  $c \cup d$



⑦  $e \cup f$



$$\{S_1, S_2, S_3\} \quad \{S_1, S_4, S_5\} \quad \{S_1, S_4, S_6, S_7\}$$

## ~~Quick find~~

→ Approaches to solve DFP:

① Quick find

② Quick union

↳ smart Union

→ Path Compression

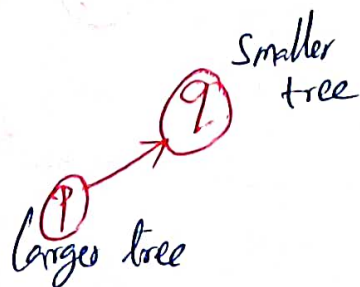
## smart Union: Algorithms:

→ Avoid tall trees.

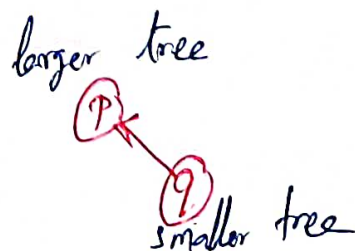
→ keep track of the size (i.e. no of objects) of each tree and always to link the root of smaller tree to root of larger tree, breaking ties by any method.

→ This approach is called **Union by size**.

Eg:



(or)



# Union by height

which tracks the height instead size

Eg. 1

large heighted tree

(P) root

(9)

small tree

Eg. (e ∪ f)

(S4) root

(S1)

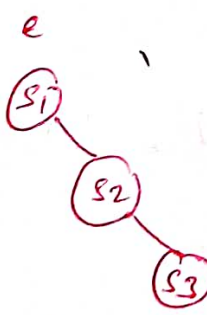
(S5)

(S6)

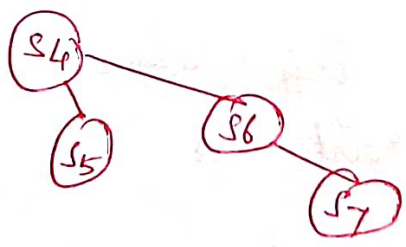
(S7)

(S2)

(S3)



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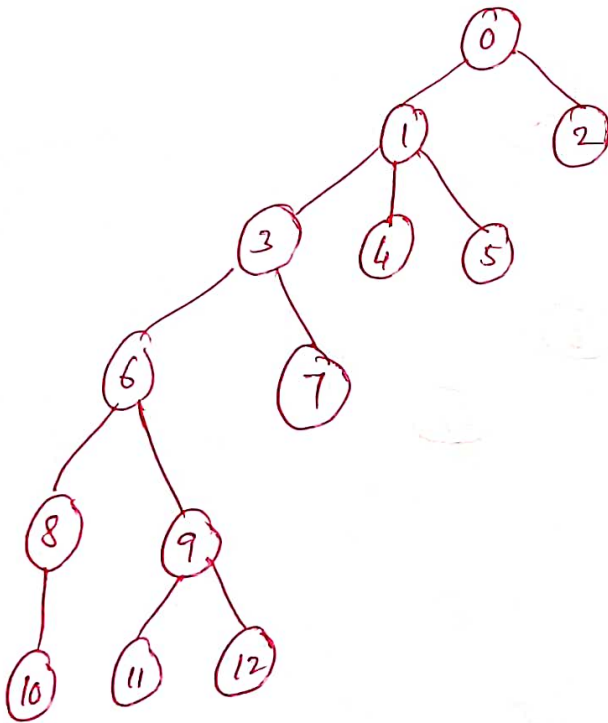


In this above sets  $e \neq f$ ,  $e$  is having 3 sets,  $f$  is having 4 sets, so 'f' is having highest height when comparing with 'e', so  $S_4$  in set  $f$  is considered as root, and rest of the tree is connected with root ' $S_4$ '.

## Path Compression:

→ This operation is performed during find.

Eg,



→ In this above tree find(9), perform call disjoint set

→ Path to reach '9' is  $[0, 1, 3, 6, 9]$

→ all the nodes are connected directly to the root node, after finding '9', disconnected all the subtrees.

