

COL 351 : ANALYSIS & DESIGN OF ALGORITHMS

LECTURE 23

DYNAMIC PROGRAMMING II :

WEIGHTED INDEPENDENT SET (CONTD.) & KNAPSACK

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$$S := \emptyset$$

while $i \geq 1$ // scan from right to left

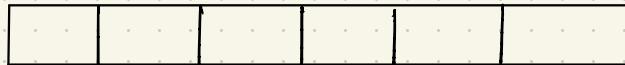
if $A[i-1] \geq A[i-2] + w_i$ // $v_i \notin \text{MWIS}$
 decrease i by 1

else // $v_i \in \text{MWIS}$

 add v_i to S , decrease i by 2

return S

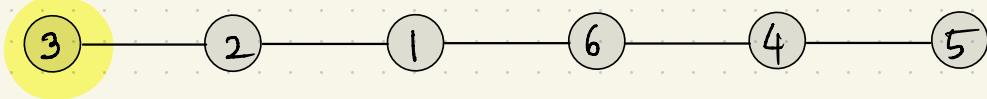
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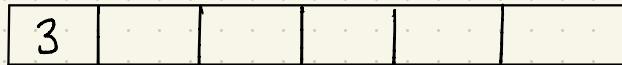
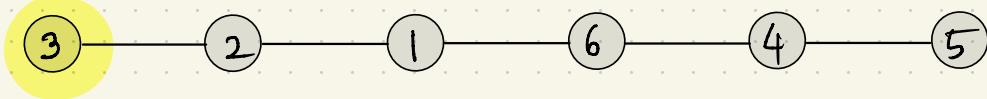
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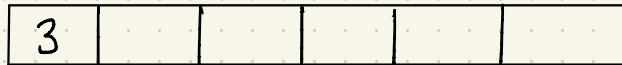
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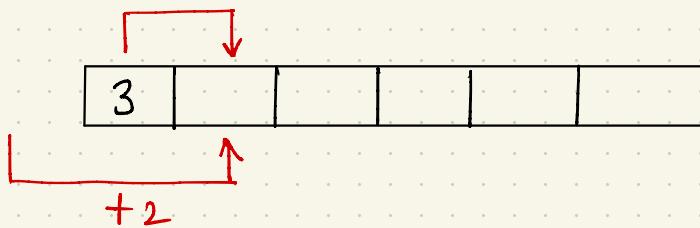
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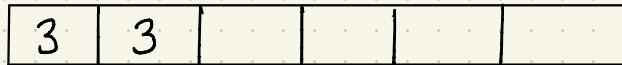
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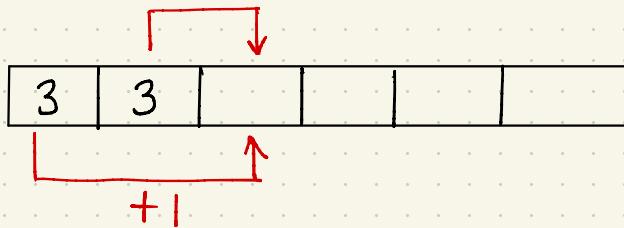
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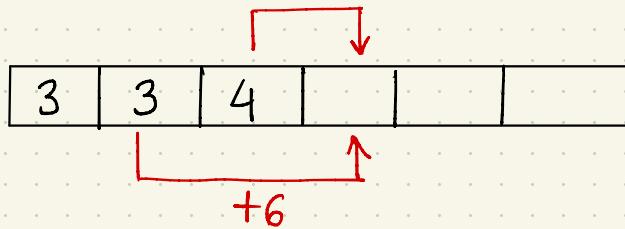
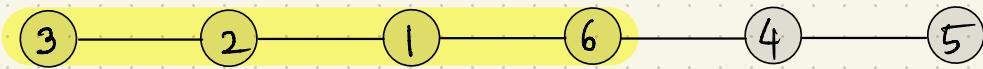


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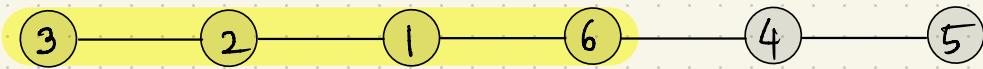


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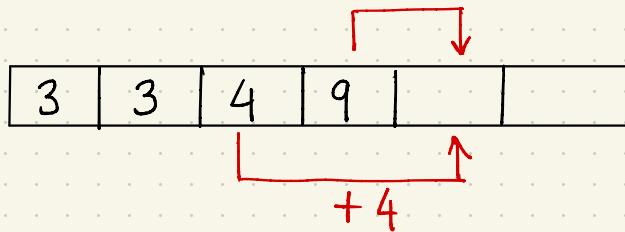
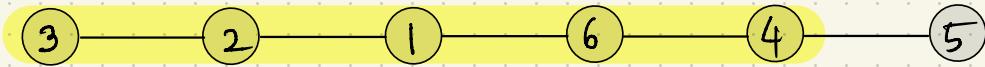


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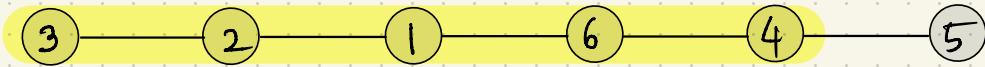


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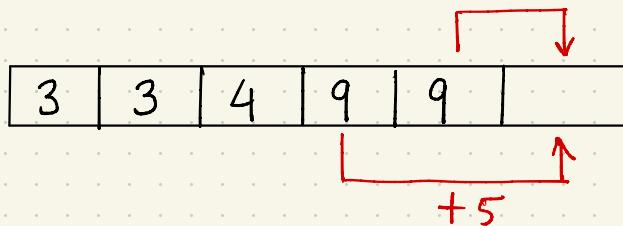
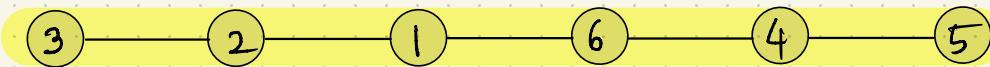


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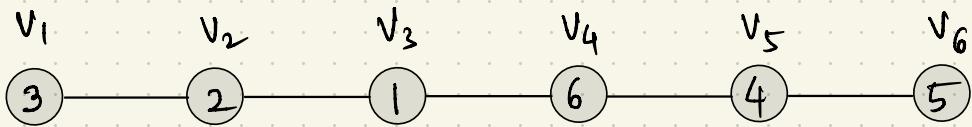


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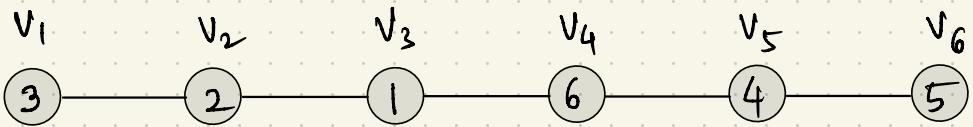
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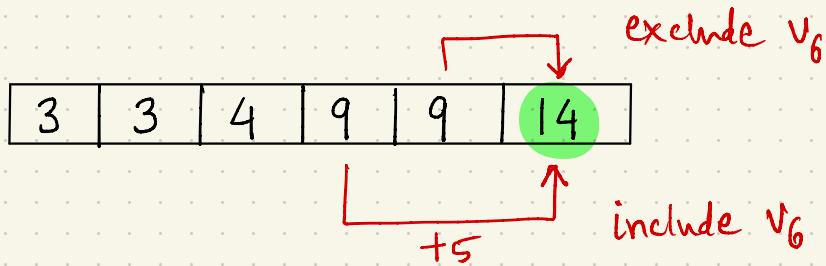
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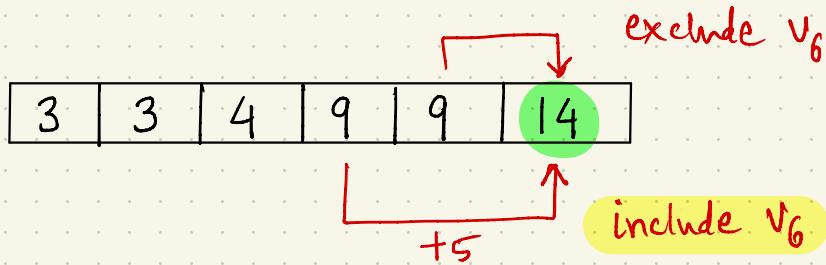
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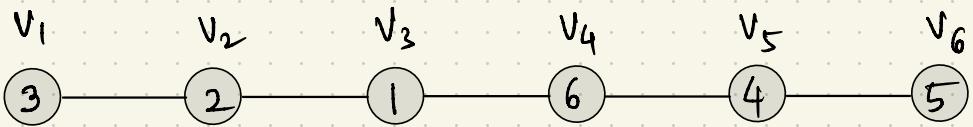
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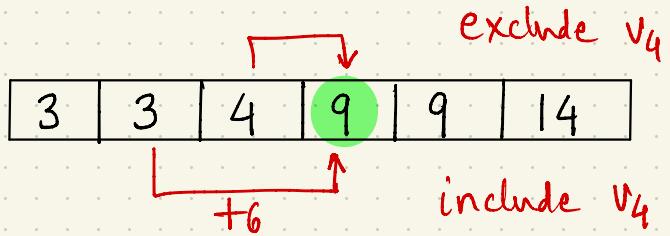
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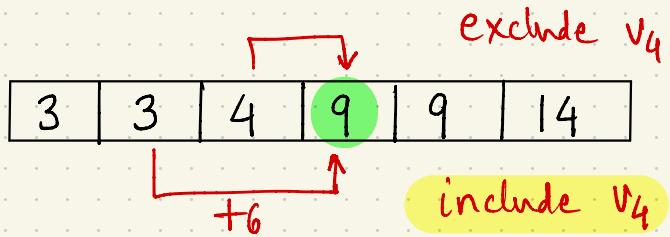
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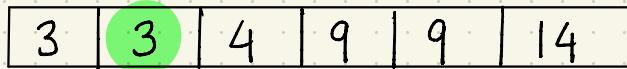
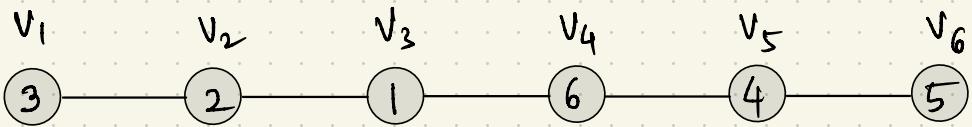
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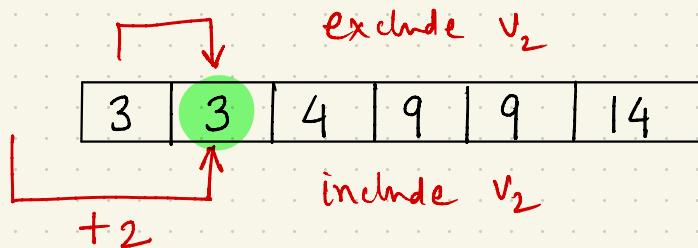
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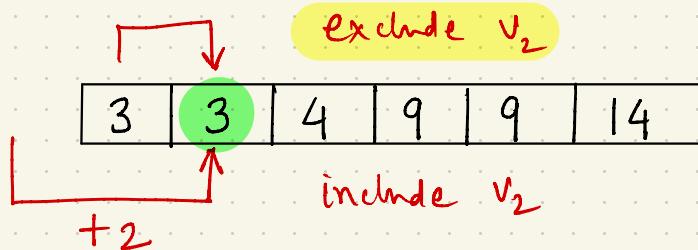
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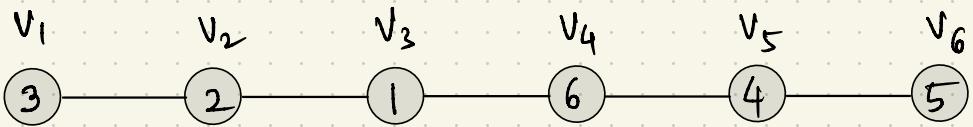
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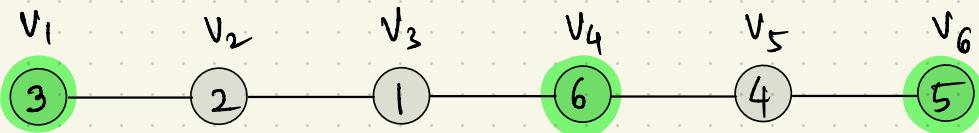
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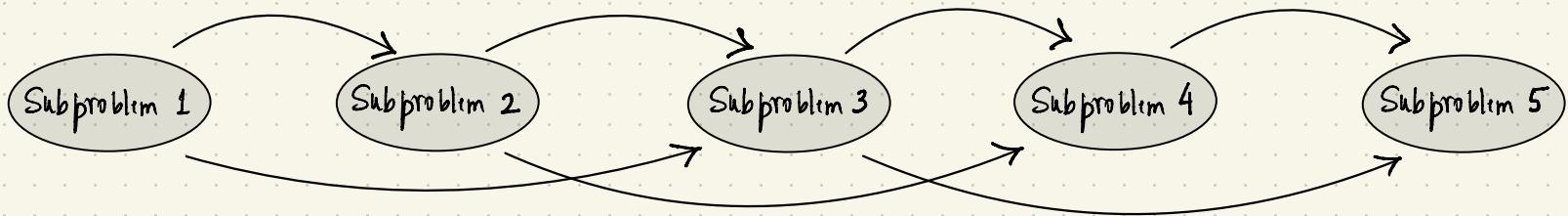
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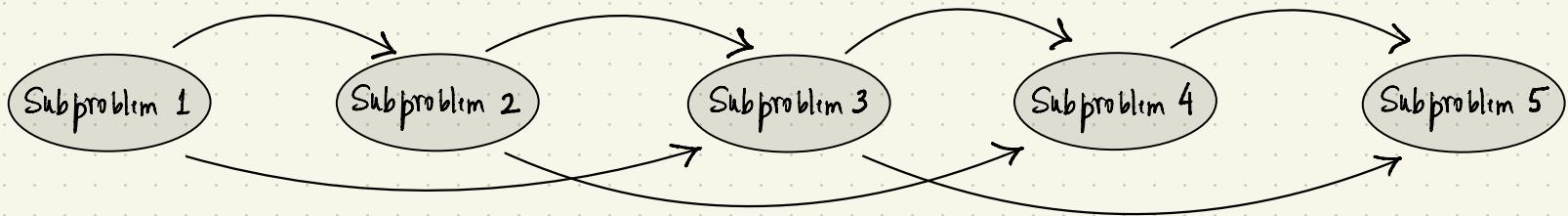
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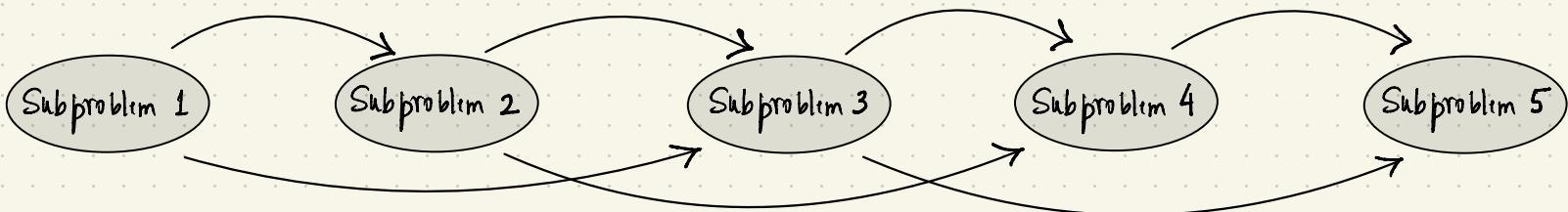
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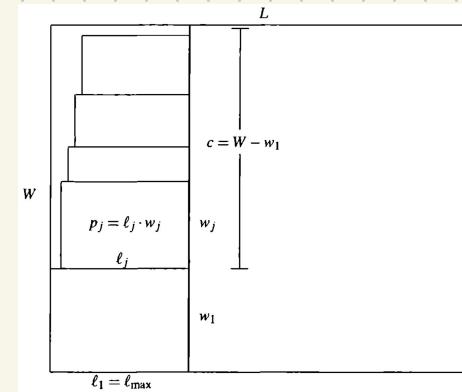
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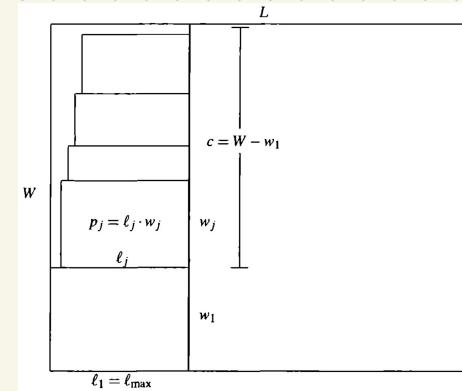


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OPTIMAL SUBSTRUCTURE

Let $S :=$ a max value solution of given knapsack instance

Case I : item $n \notin S$

$\Rightarrow S$ must be optimal for the first $(n-1)$ items
and residual capacity C .

Case II : item $n \in S$

$\Rightarrow S \setminus \{n\}$ must be optimal for the first $(n-1)$ items
and residual capacity $C - s_n$.

buffer for item n