

PARTITION \leq LOAD BALANCING

$$X = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\} \longrightarrow n, m, t_1, \dots, t_n$$

Is there subset S

$$t_i = x_i \quad m \in 2$$

$$\text{s.t. } \sum_{i \in S} x_i = \sum_{i \notin S} x_i$$

$$\underbrace{\sum_{i \in S} x_i}_{\sum_{i \in S} x_i = \frac{\sum x_i}{2}} \Leftrightarrow \max\left(\sum_{i \in S} x_i, \sum_{i \notin S} x_i\right) = \frac{\sum x_i}{2}$$

$$\begin{matrix} 1, 2, 5 \\ 6, 3 \\ 4 \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} 7 \\ 6 \\ 6 \end{matrix} \Bigg] \quad 7$$

$$\sum t_i = 19$$

3 machines

$$\text{Opt}(X) \leq \text{Greedy}(X) \leq 2 \text{Opt}(X)$$

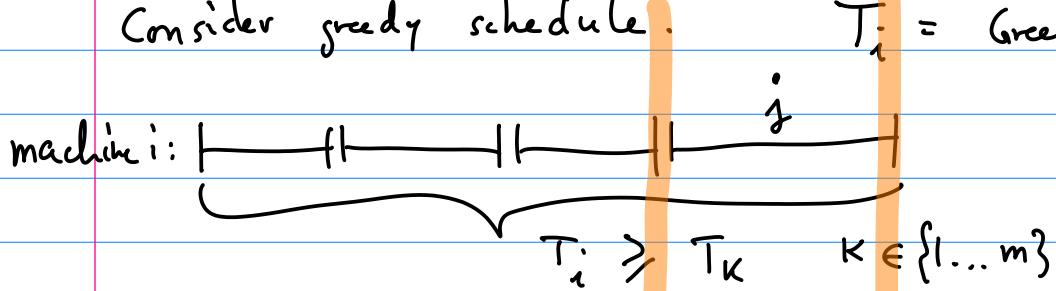
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$$\textcircled{1} \quad T^* \geq \max_j t_j$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad T^* \geq \frac{1}{m} \sum_j t_j$$

Consider greedy schedule.

$$T_i = \text{Greedy}(X)$$



$$\sum_k T_k \geq \sum_k (T_i - t_j) = m(T_i - t_j)$$

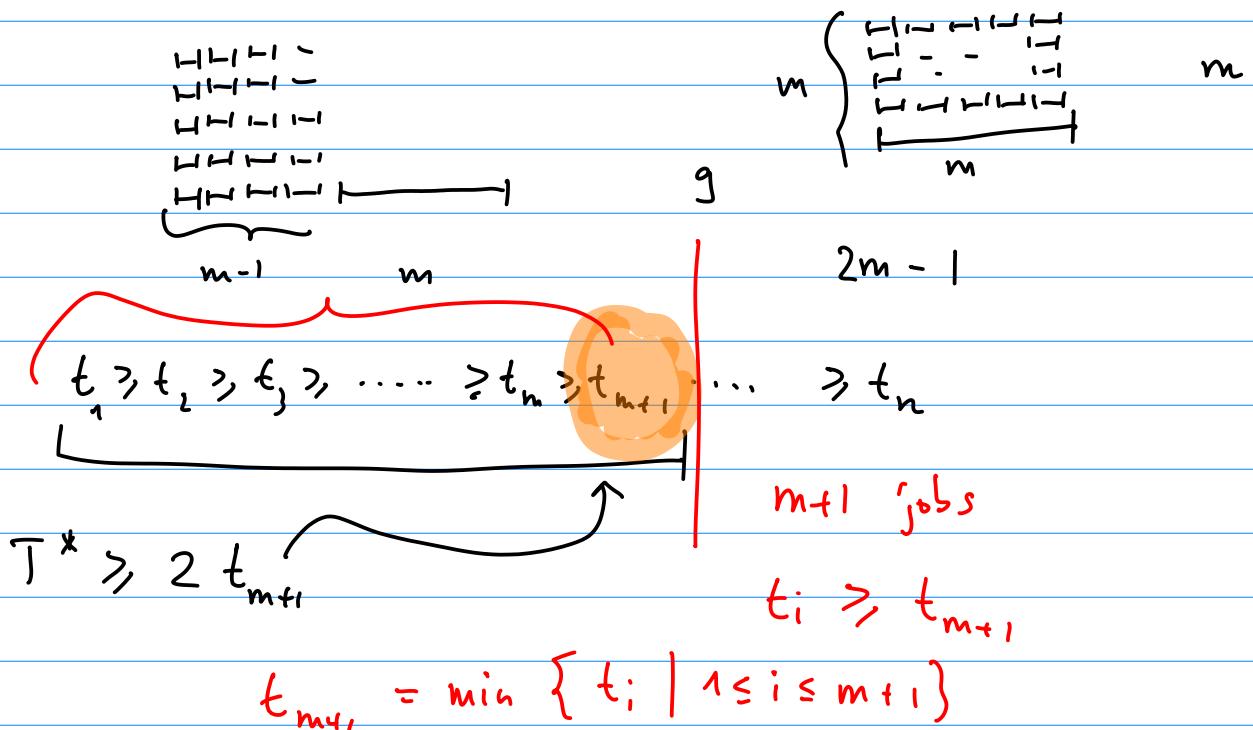
$$T_i \leq \frac{1}{m} \left(\sum_k T_k \right) + t_j$$

$\underbrace{\sum_k T_k}_{\sum_j t_j} \leq \max t_j$

$$T_i \leq \frac{1}{m} \sum_j t_j + \max t_j \leq T^* + T^* = 2T^*$$

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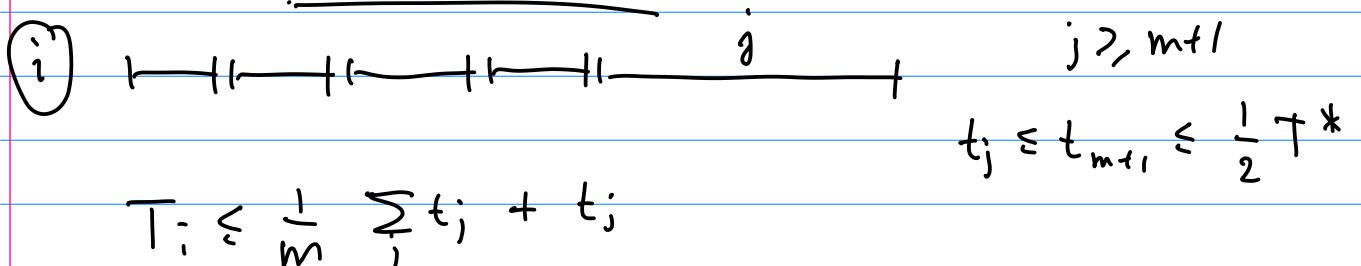
$$\begin{array}{lll} m(m-1) & \text{short jobs} & t_i = 1 \\ 1 & \text{long job} & t_n = m \end{array}$$



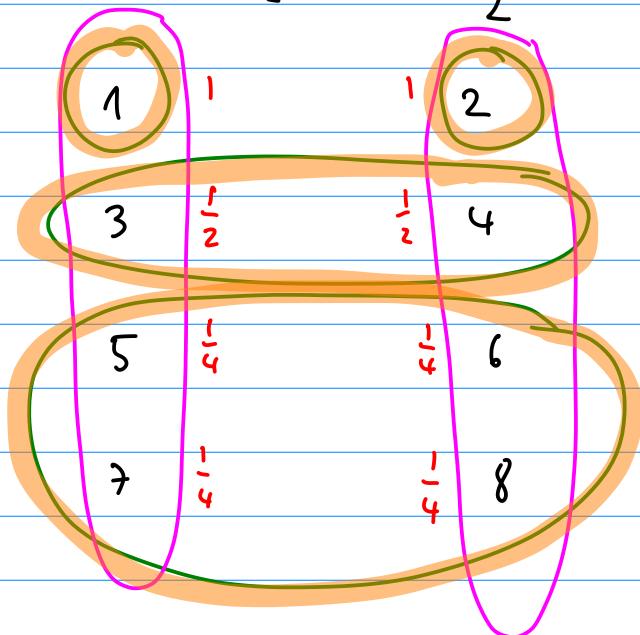
Some machine has at least 2 jobs of length $\geq t_{m+1}$,

$$\Rightarrow T^* \geq 2t_{m+1}$$

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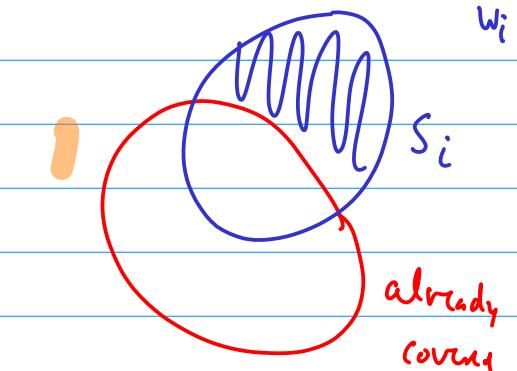


$$T_i \leq T^* + \frac{1}{2}T^* = \frac{3}{2}T^*$$



$w_1 = \text{weight } 1$

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Greedy $S^1 S^2 \dots S^k$ is a cover $\bigcup_{1 \leq i \leq k} S^i = U$

$s \in U$ S^i is first to cover s

$$c_s = \frac{w(S^i)}{|S^i \cap R|}$$

charging argument

$$H(n) = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i} \approx \ln n \quad \text{n th Harmonic number}$$

$$\boxed{\sum_{s \in S_k} c_s \leq H(|S_k|) \cdot w_k}$$

$S_k = \{s_1, s_j, s_d\}$ in order of being covered.
 $\subseteq R_{d-j+1}$

$$c_{s_j} \leq w_k / d-j+1$$

$$\sum_{s \in S_k} c_s \leq w_k \sum_{j=1}^d \frac{1}{d-j+1} = w_k \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \dots + \frac{1}{d}\right) = H(d) \cdot w_k$$

C = greedy cover C^* = optimal cover

$$w_i \geq \frac{1}{H(d^*)} \sum_{s \in S_i} c_s$$

$$OPT = w(C^*) = w^* = \sum_{i \in C^*} w_i \geq \sum_{i \in C^*} \frac{1}{H(d^*)} \sum_{s \in S_i} c_s$$

$$H(d^*) \cdot w^* \geq \sum_{i \in C^*} \sum_{s \in S_i} c_s \geq \sum_{s \in U} c_s = w(C)$$

$$d^* \leq n \quad \ln n - \text{approx}$$

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greedy
cover
weight