

POSCAT Seminar 10 : Graph 3

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Topic

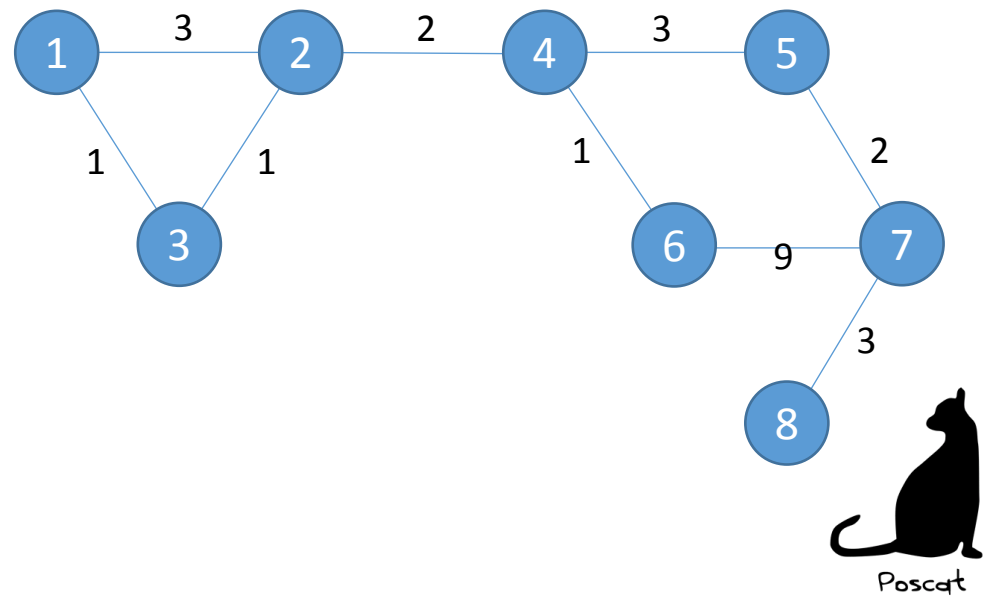
- Topic today
 - Minimum Spanning Tree
 - Cut Property
 - ~~Prim Algorithm~~
 - Kruskal Algorithm



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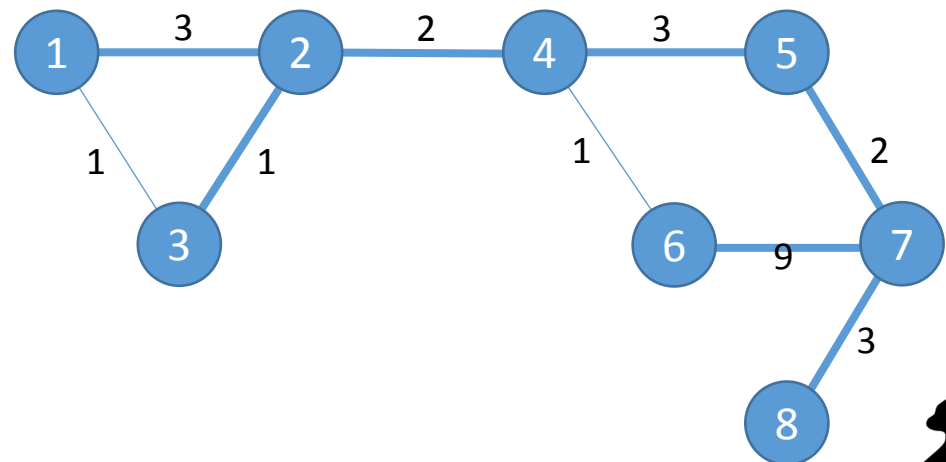
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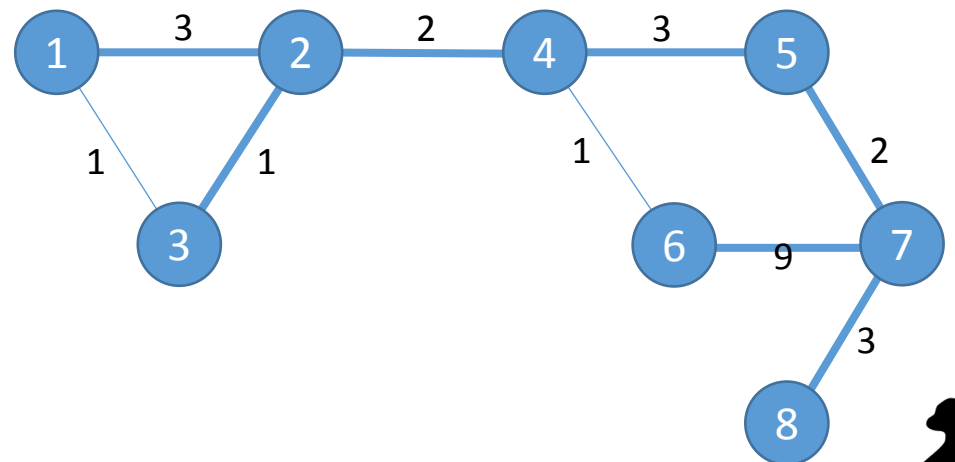
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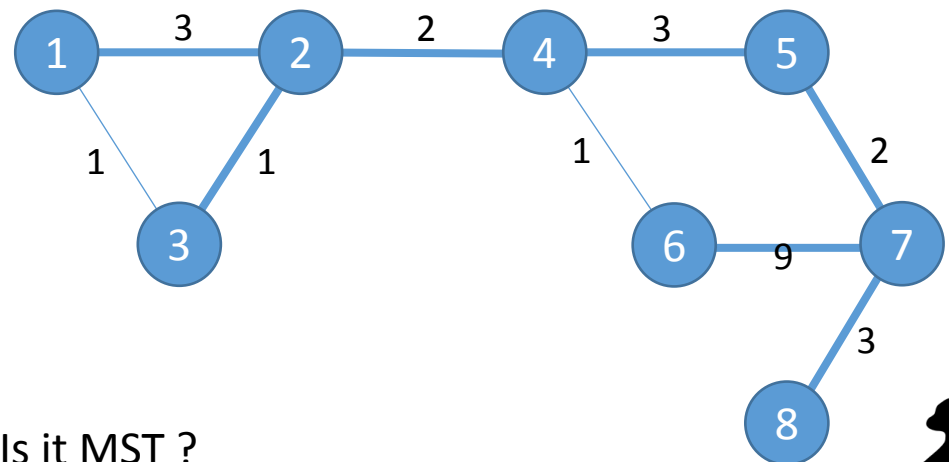
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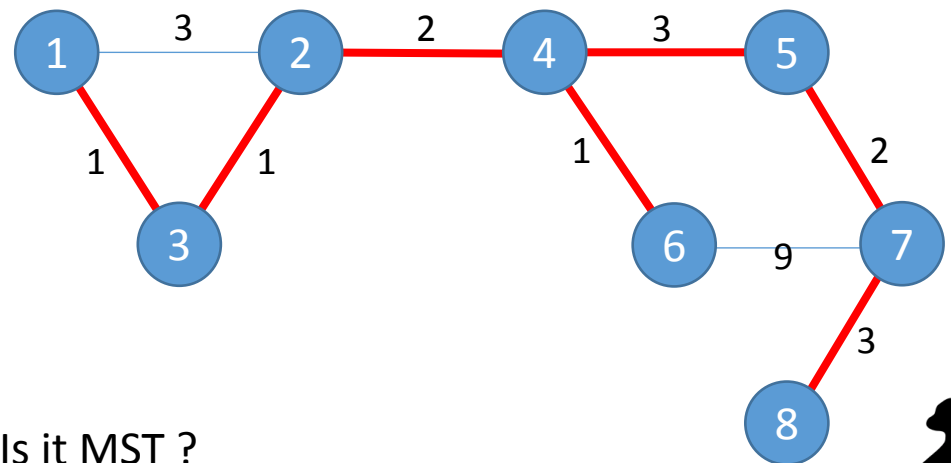
Is it MST ?



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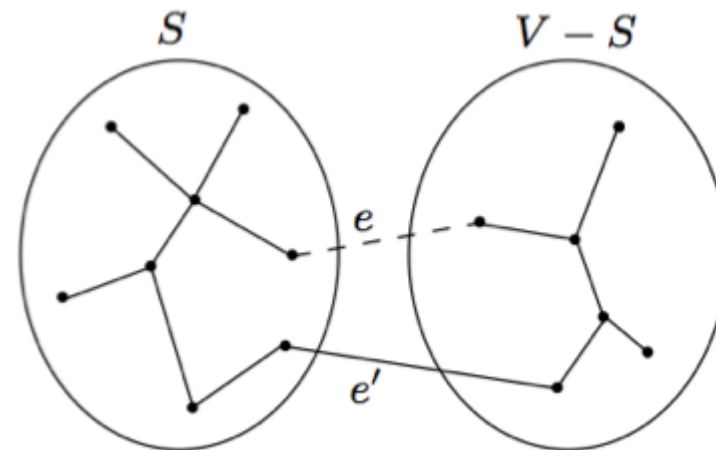
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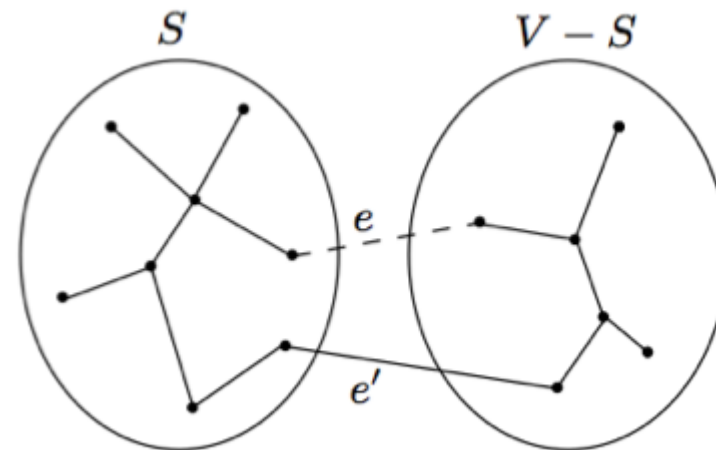
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Assume $e \notin T$. Then we can construct a different MST T' containing $X \cup \{e\}$ by altering T slightly.

Compare the $\text{cost}(T')$ and $\text{cost}(T)$

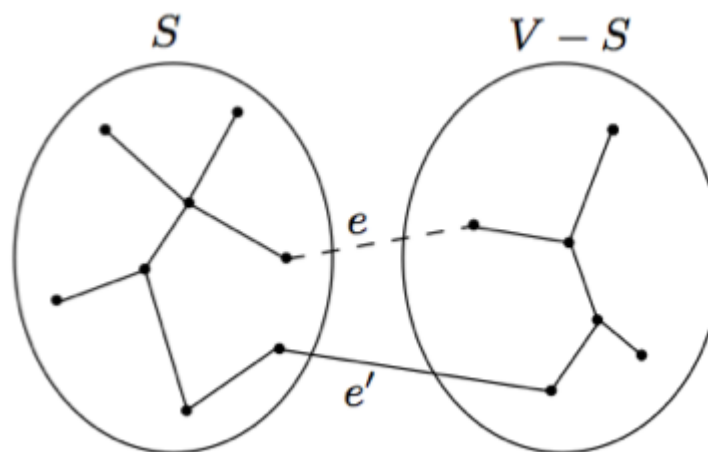


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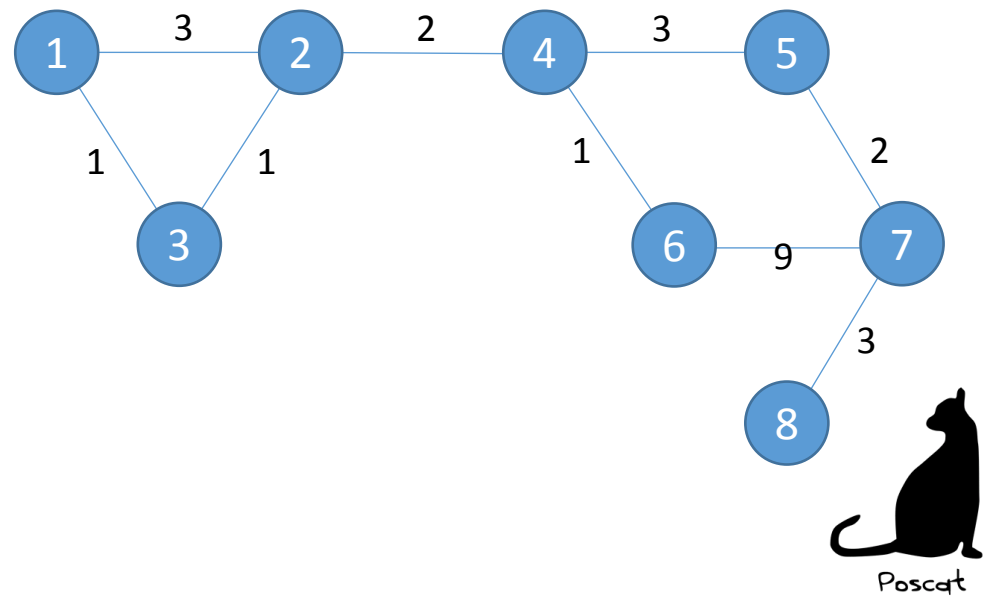
by cut property, we can derive beautiful greedy algorithm !



Kruskal Algorithm

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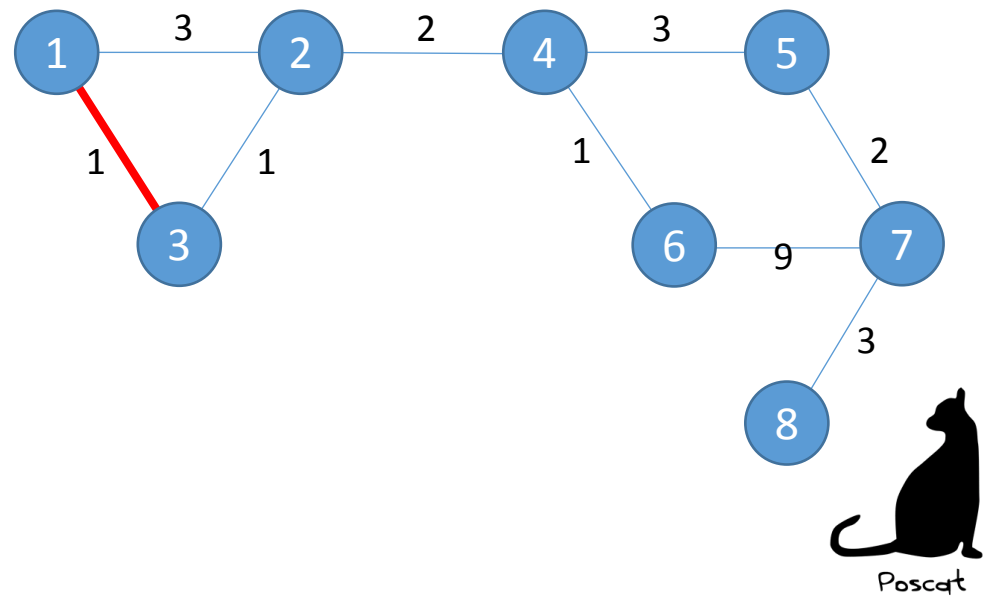
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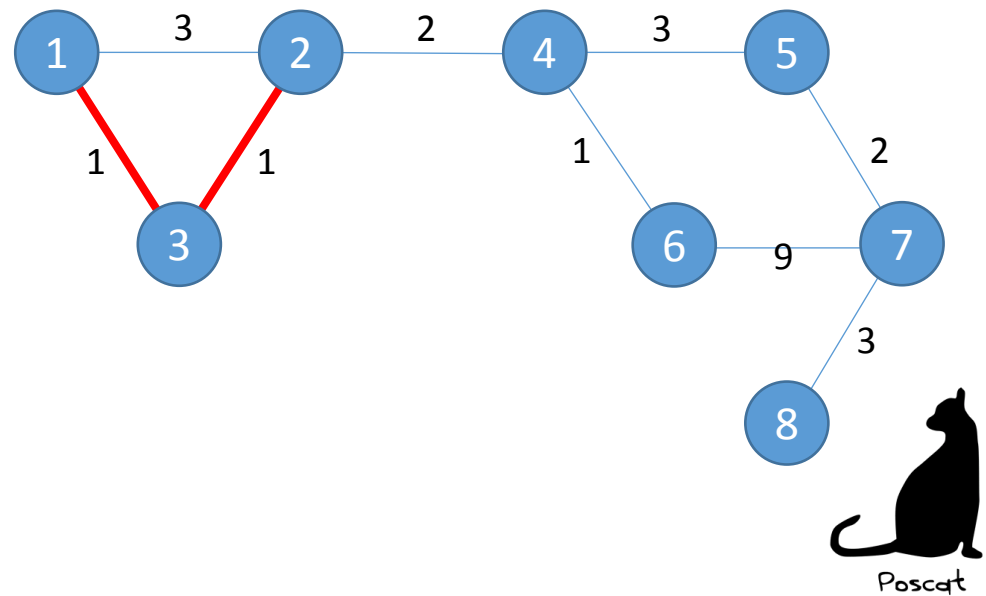
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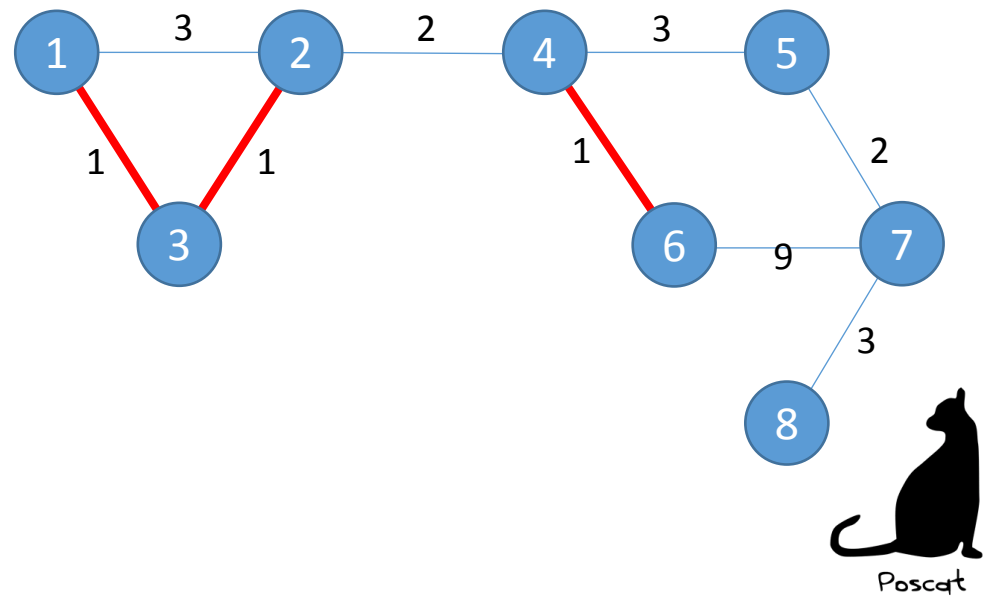
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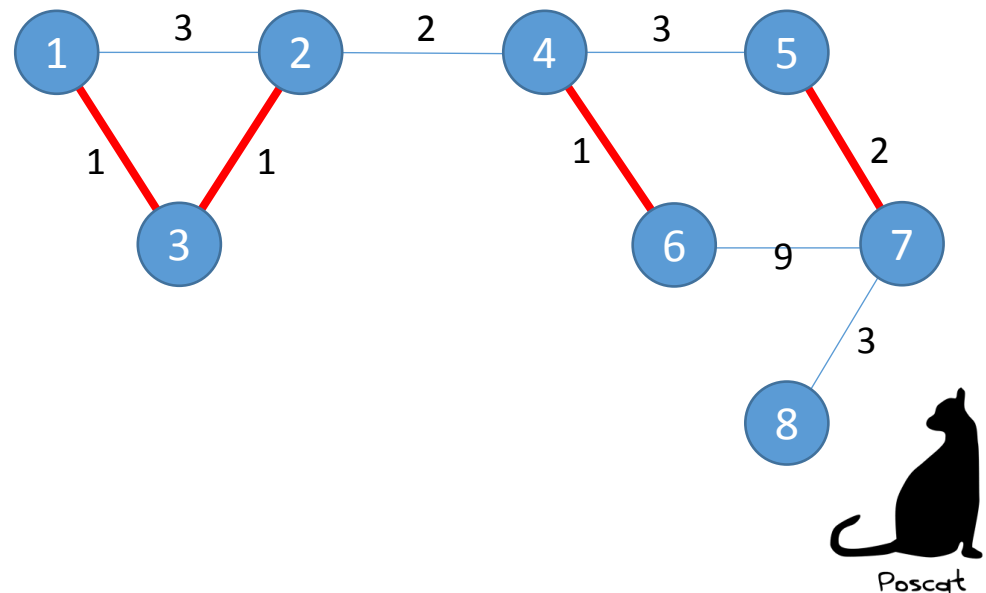
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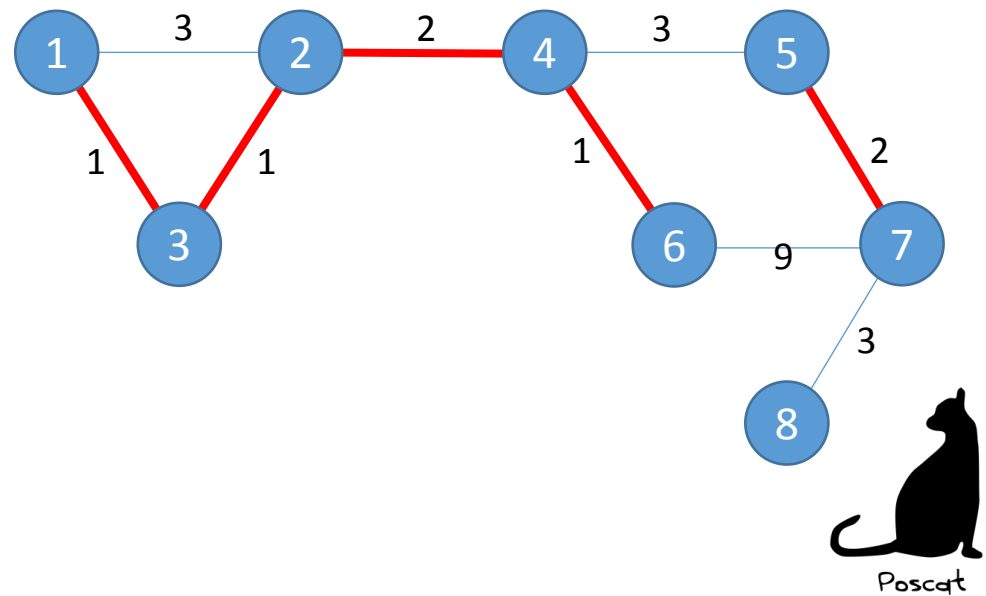
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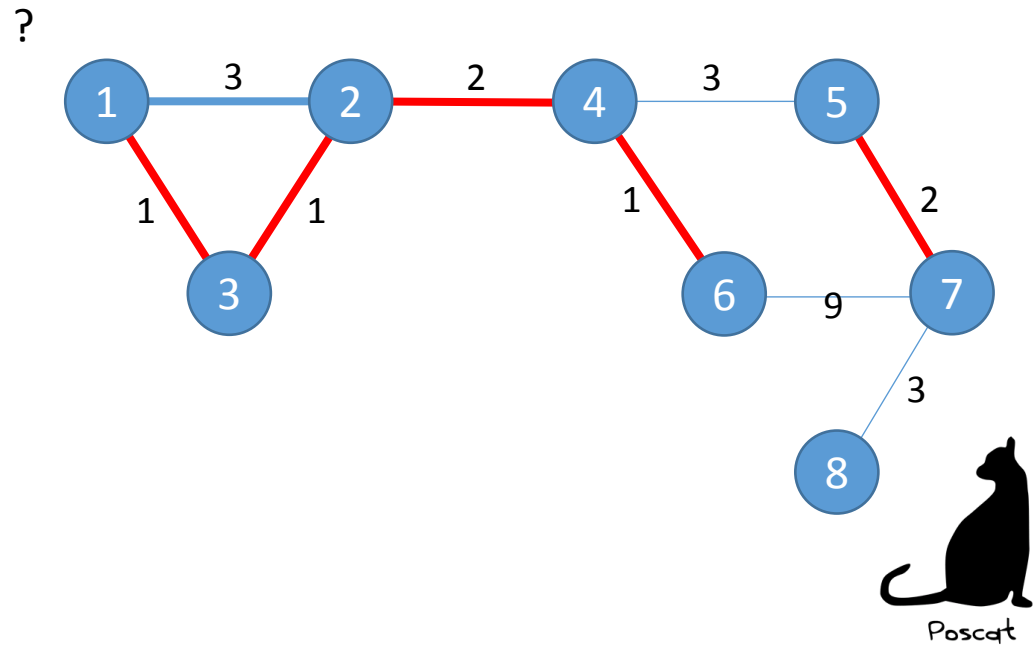
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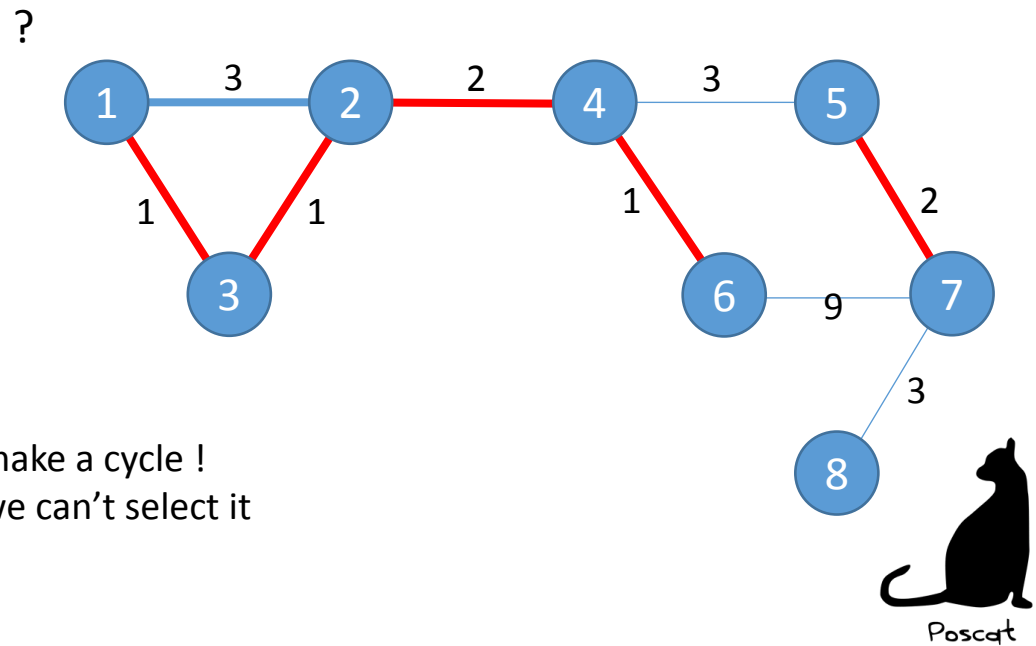
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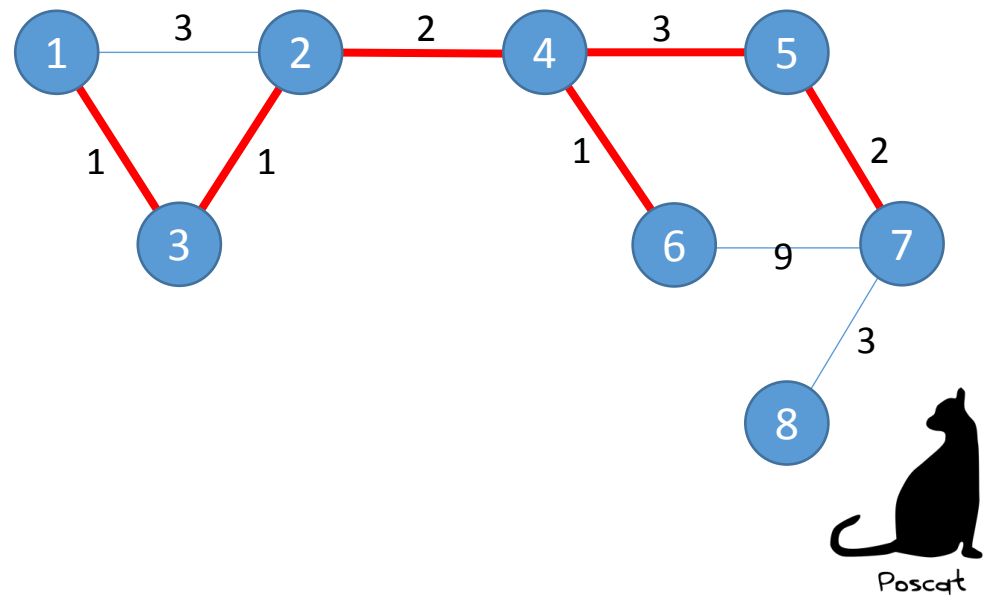
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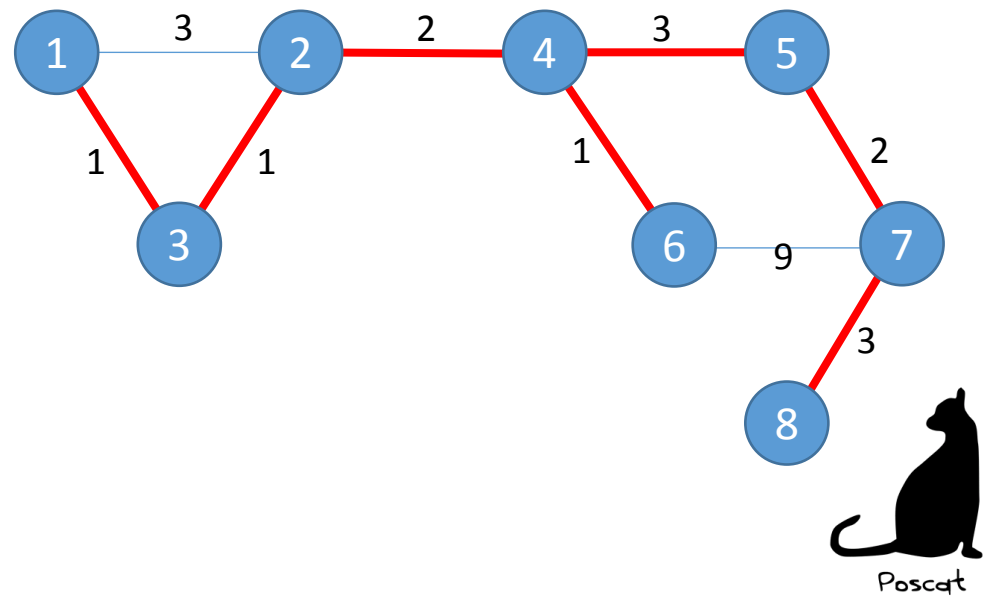
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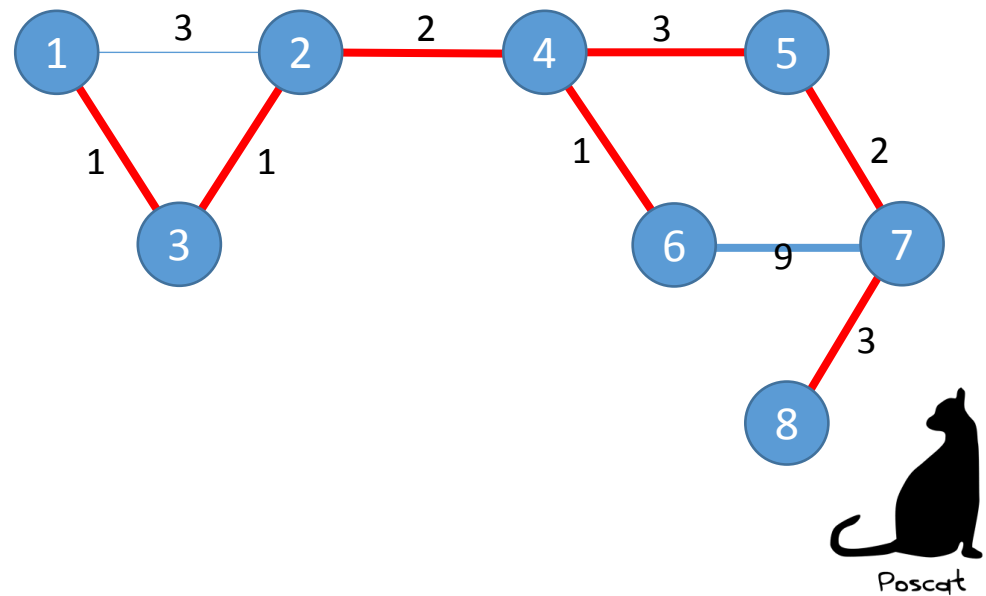
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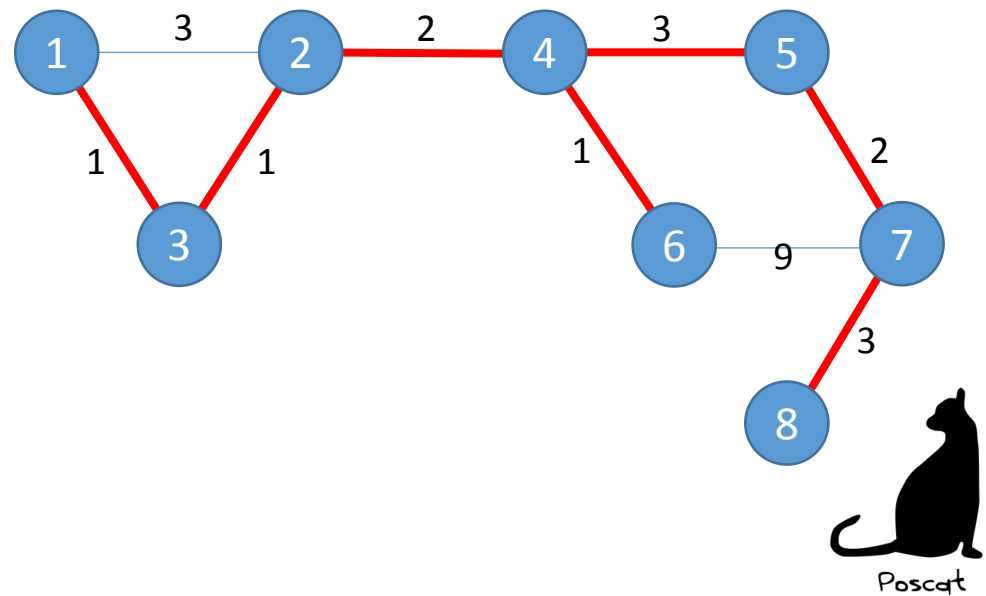
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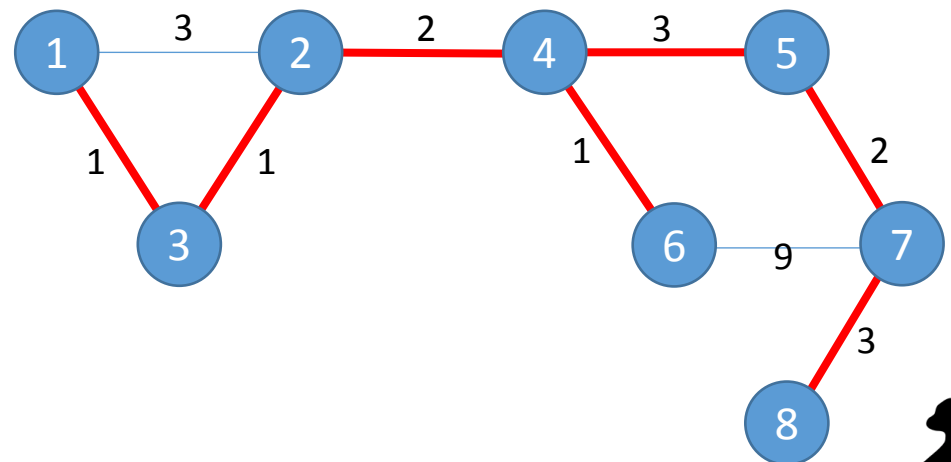
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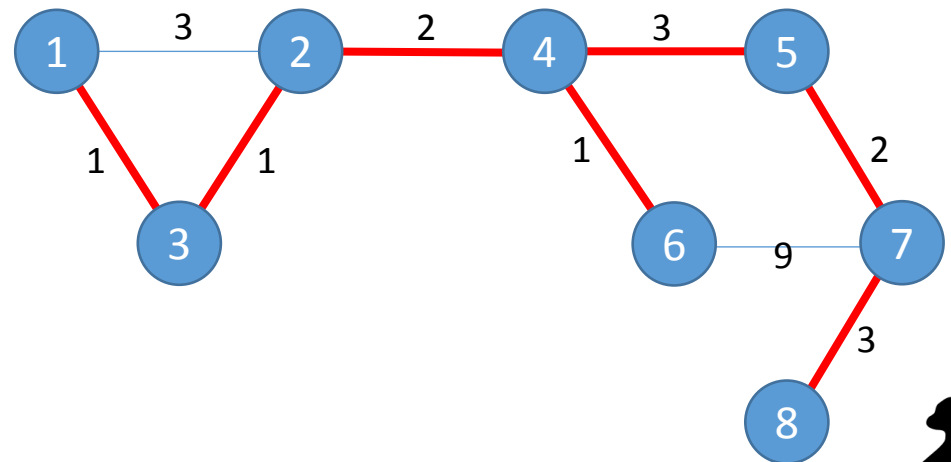
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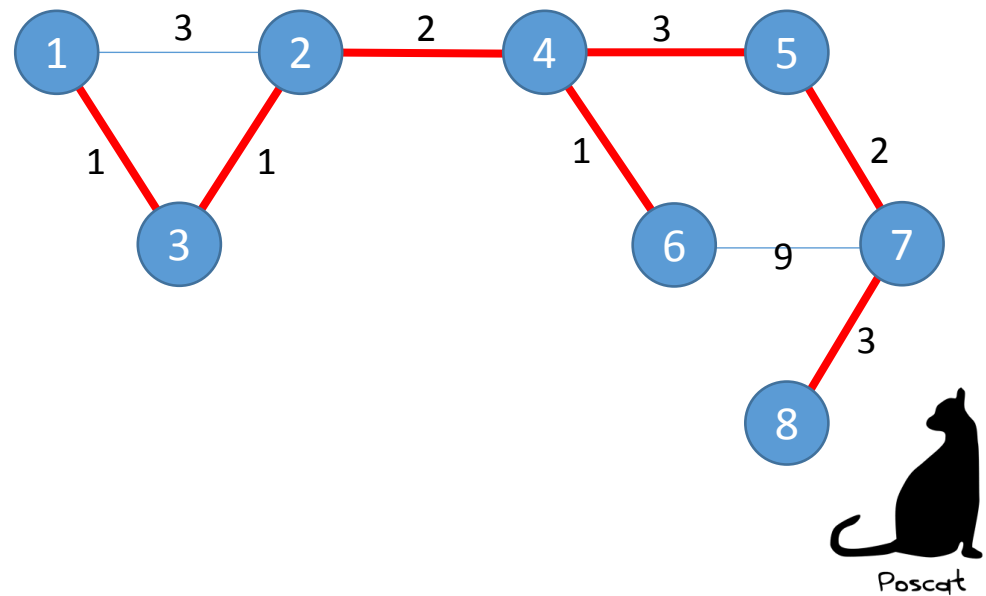
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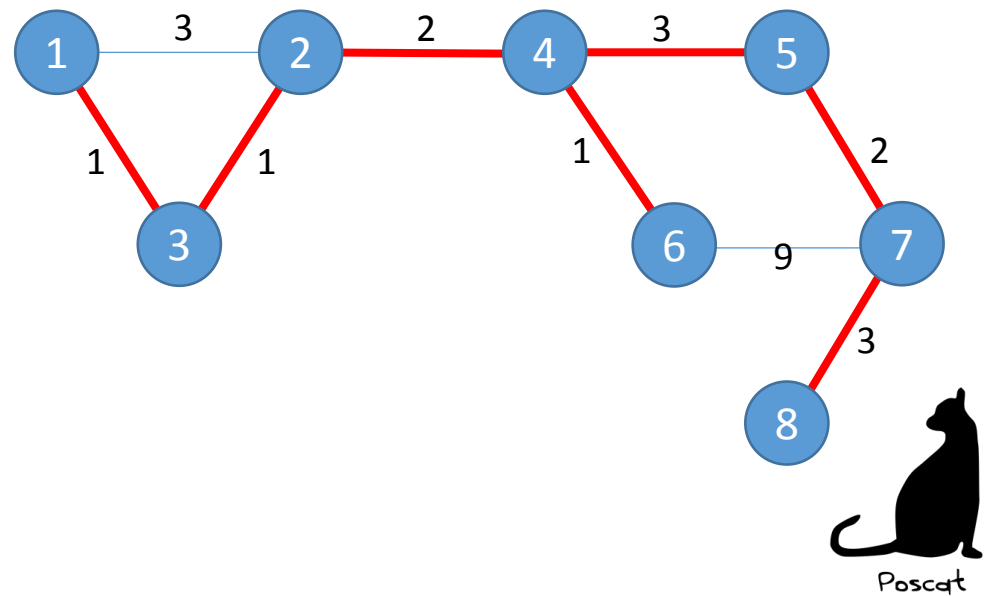
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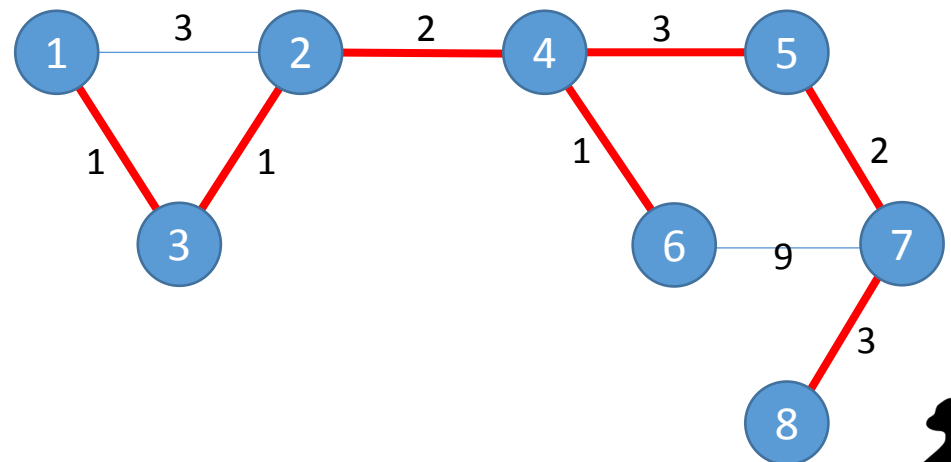


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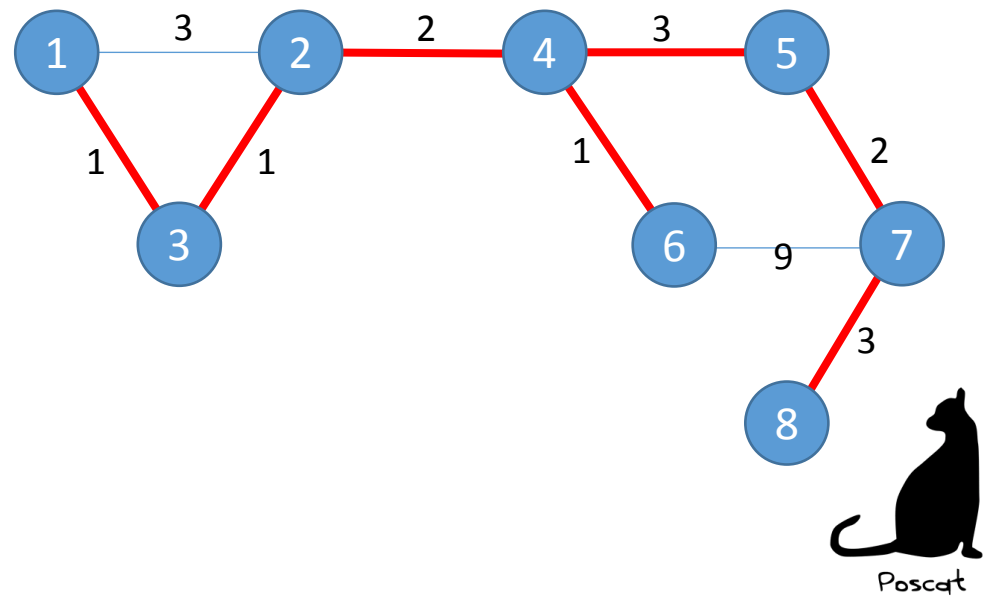


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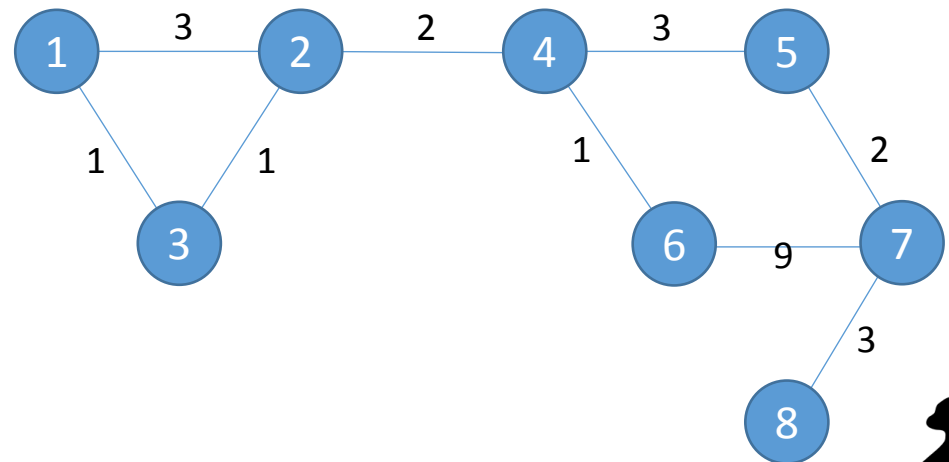
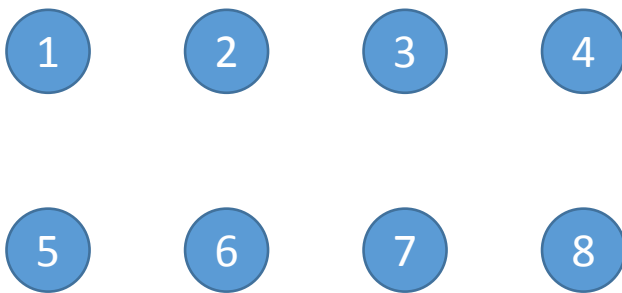
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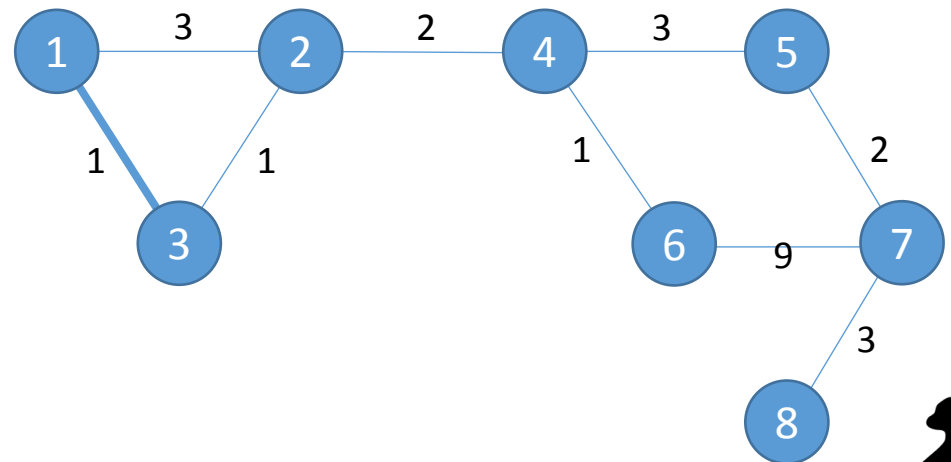
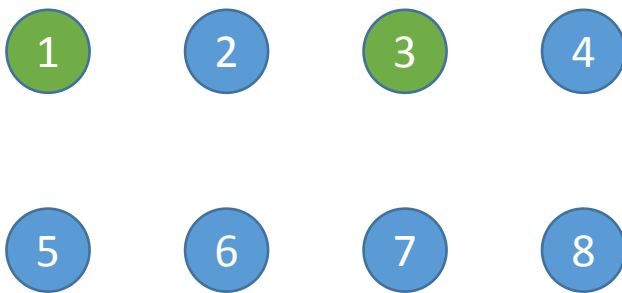
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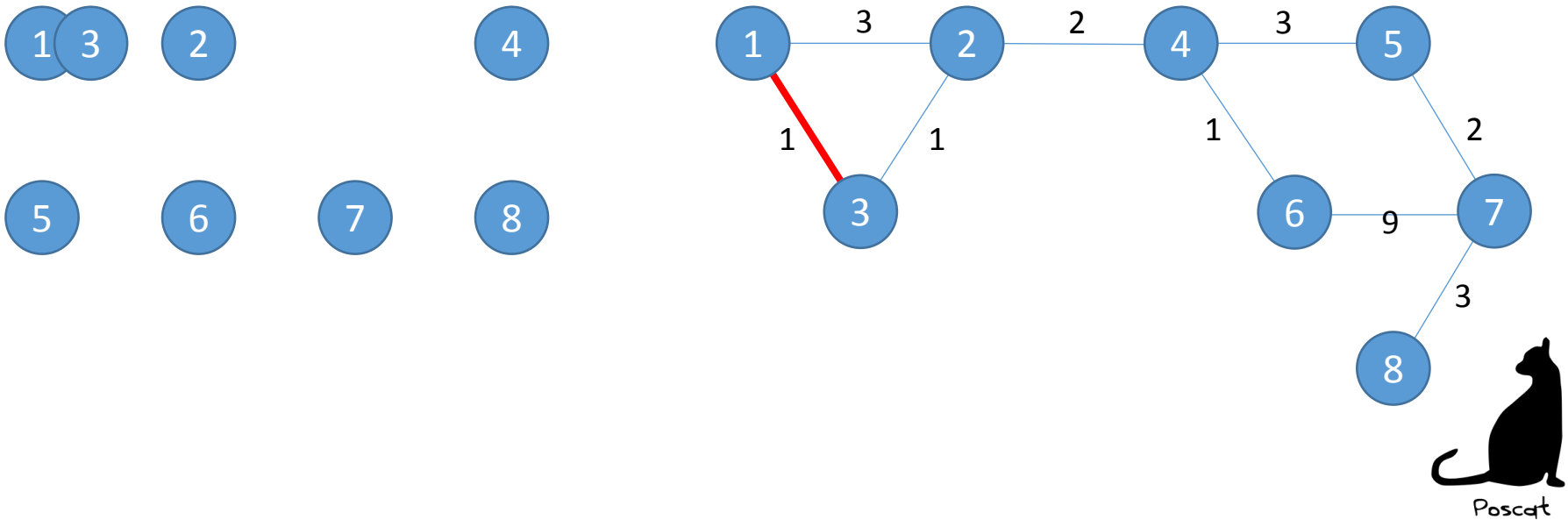
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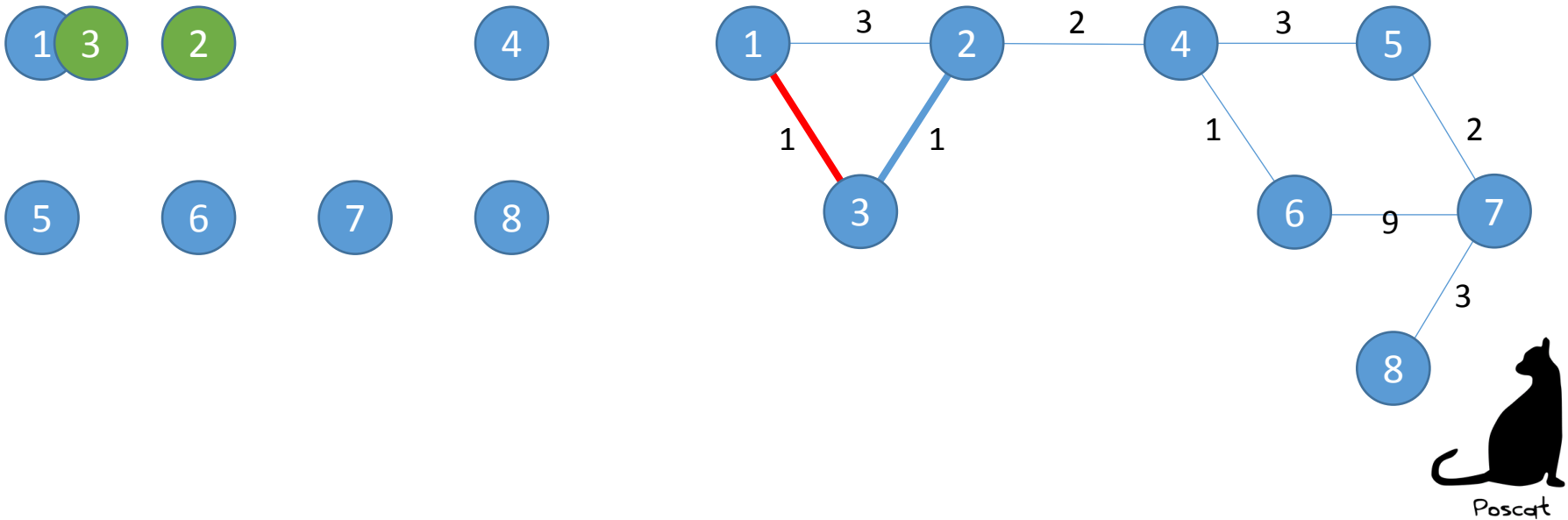
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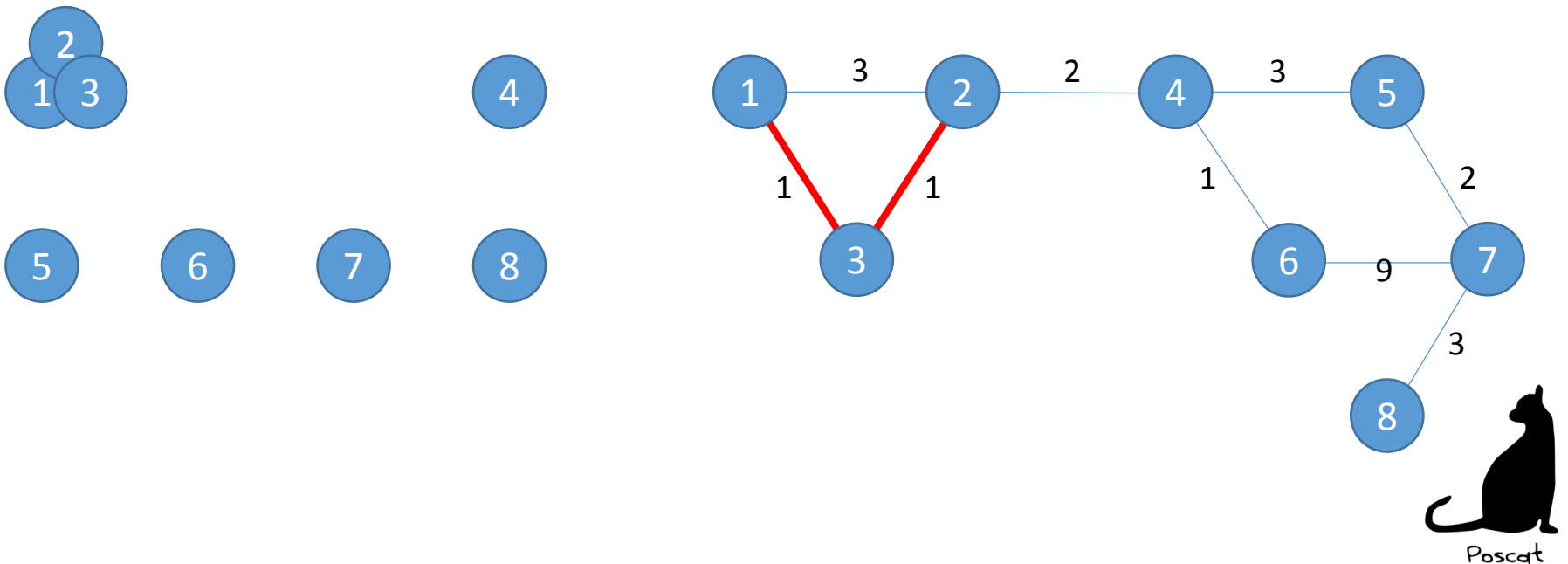
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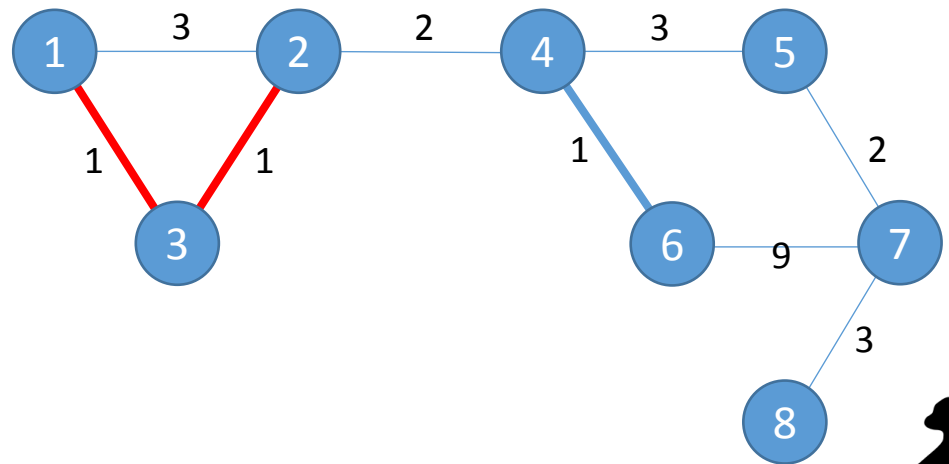
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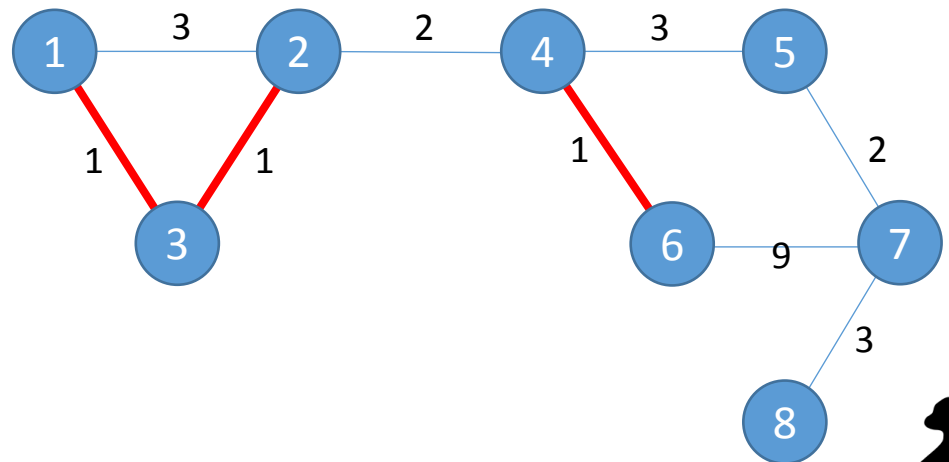
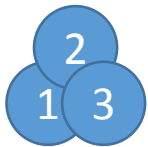
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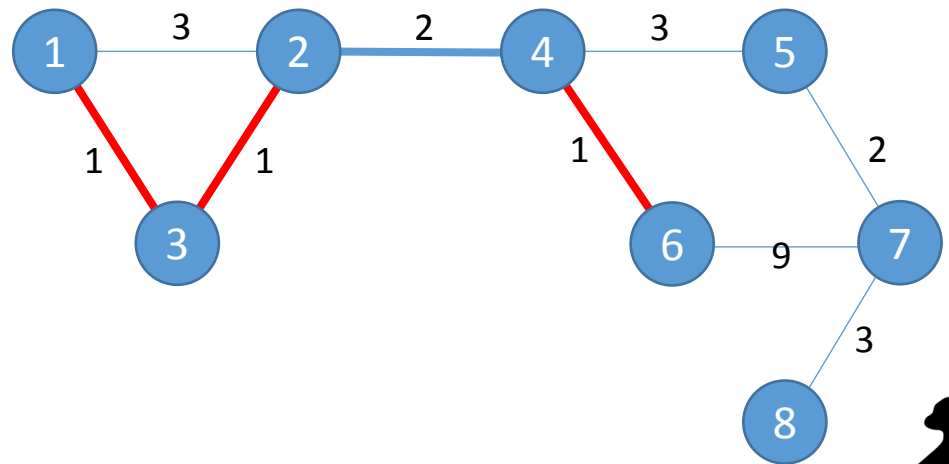
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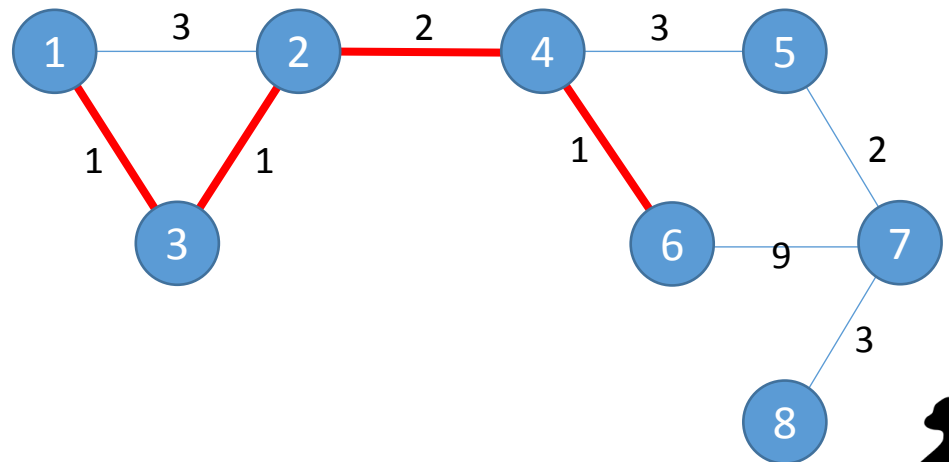
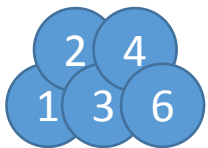
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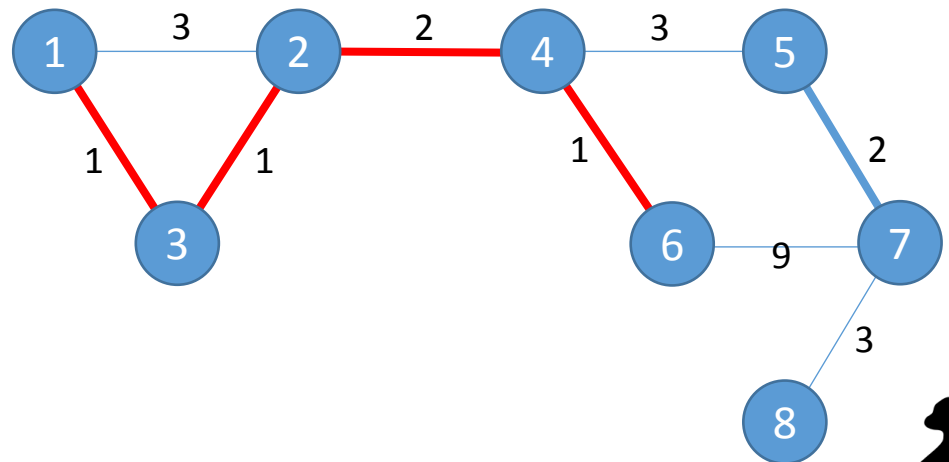
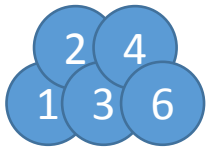
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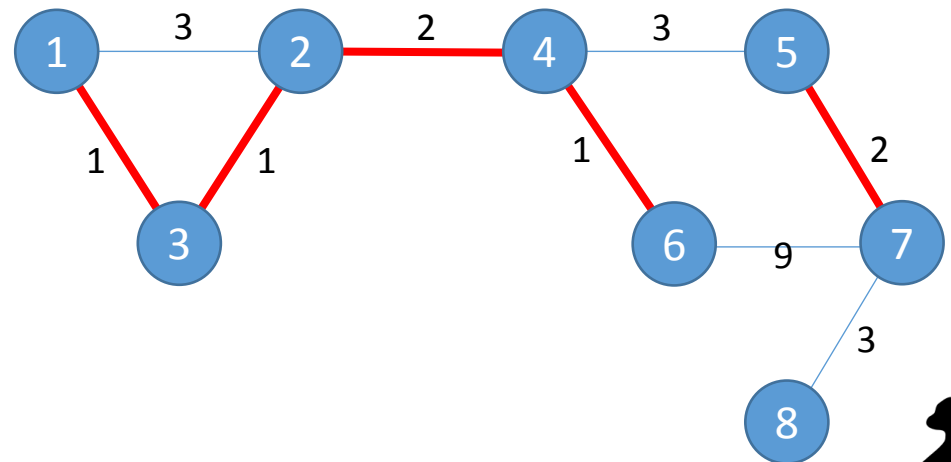
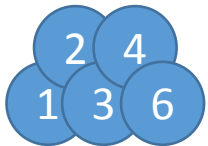
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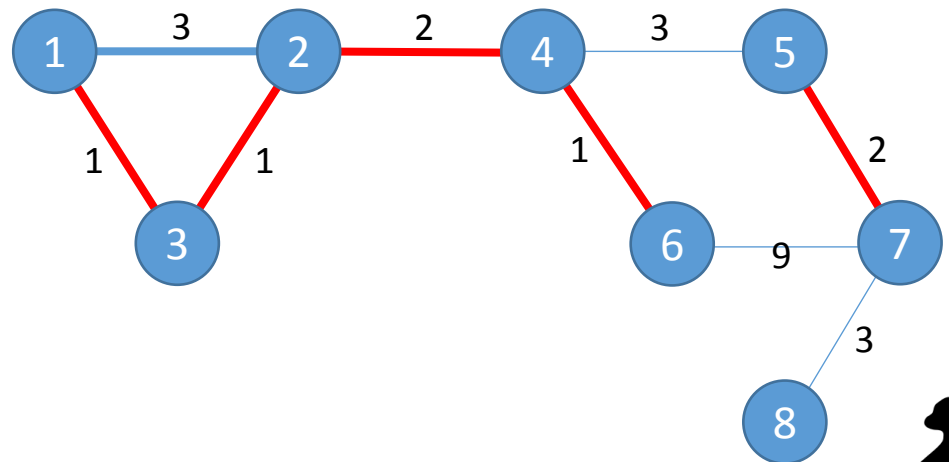
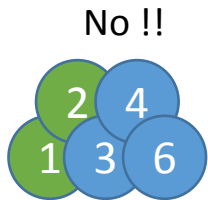
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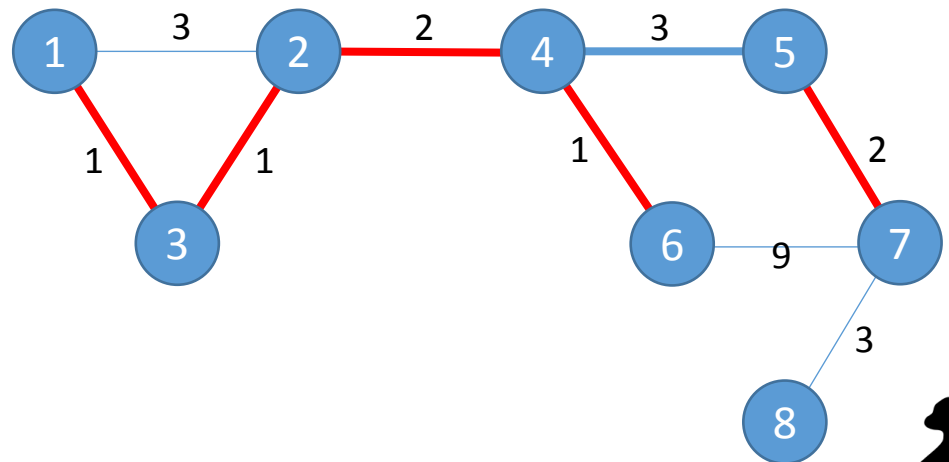
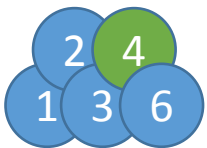
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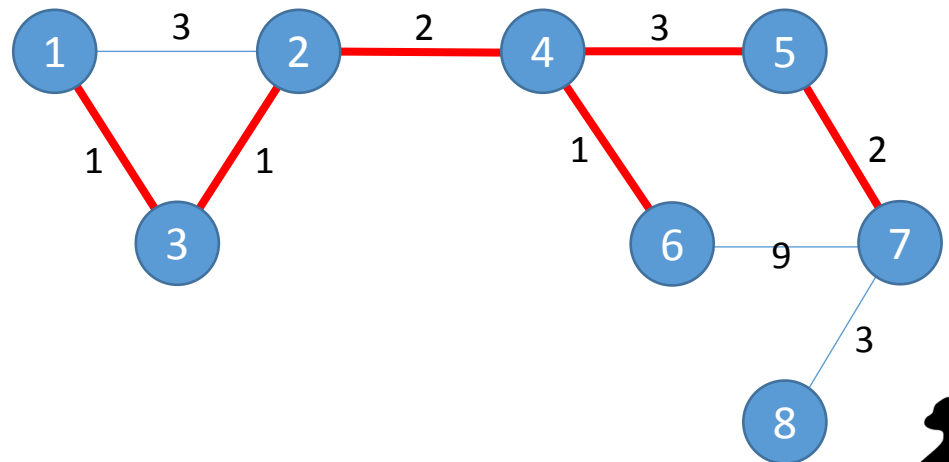
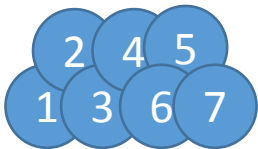
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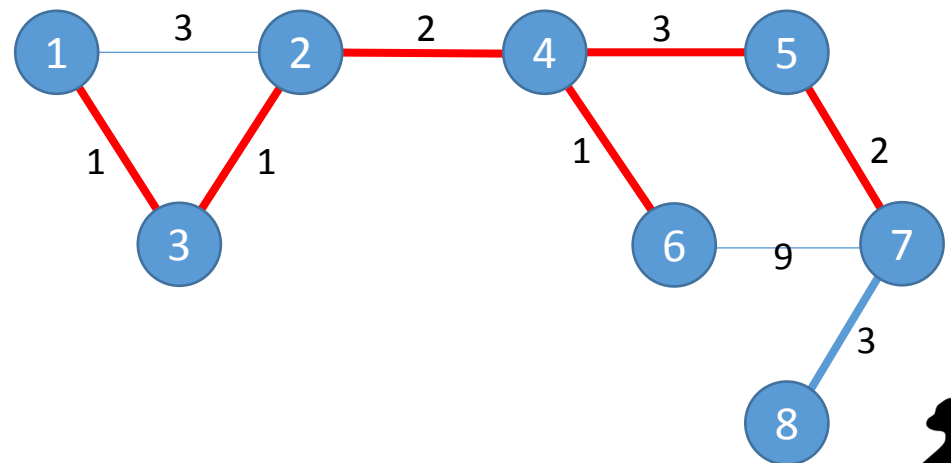
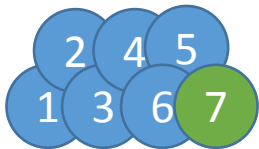
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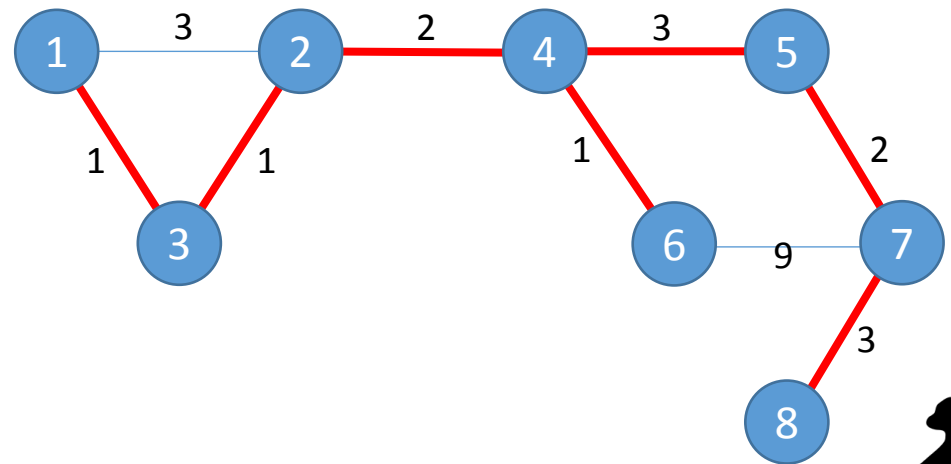
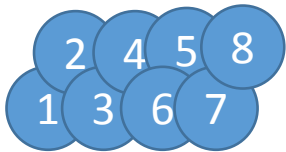
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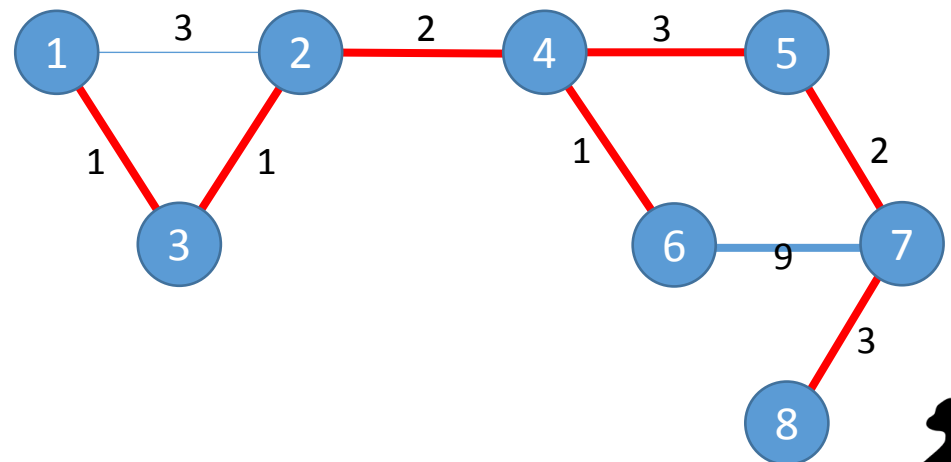
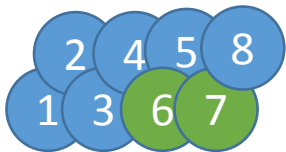
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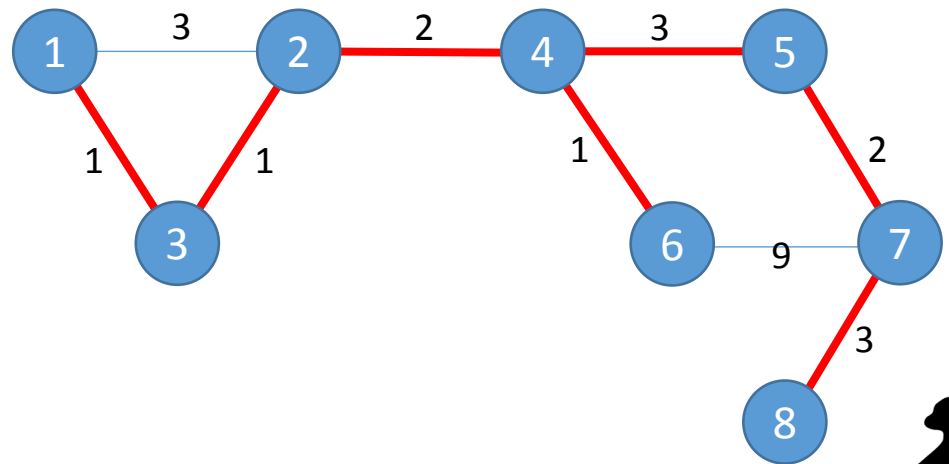
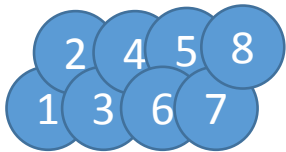
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