# Ordered Covers 

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- Strongly flat S-posets: are those $S$-posets which satisfy Conditions $(P)$ and $(E)$, and will be denoted by $\mathcal{S F}$.


## Cyclic S-posets satisfying Condition (P)

- Let $S$ be a pomonoid and let $B$ be a ordered left reversible subpomonoid of $S$ and let $\rho$ be the relation on $S$ defined by $s \rho t$ if and only if $s \sigma t \sigma s$ where $s \sigma t$ if there exists $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and $p_{1}, q_{1}, \cdots p_{n}, q_{n} \in B$ and $u_{1}, \cdots u_{n} \in S$ such that

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- Theorem: Consider the $S$-pomonomorphism $h: S / \sigma^{\prime} \rightarrow S / \sigma$ for some $u \in S$ as defined above, then $h$ is onto if and only if $S u \cap[1]_{\sigma} \neq \emptyset$.


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