

Nonparametric Bayes and Exchangeability: Part II

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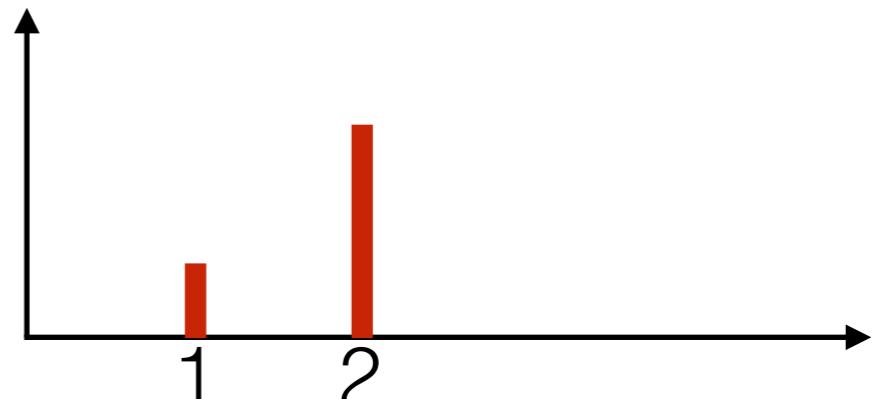
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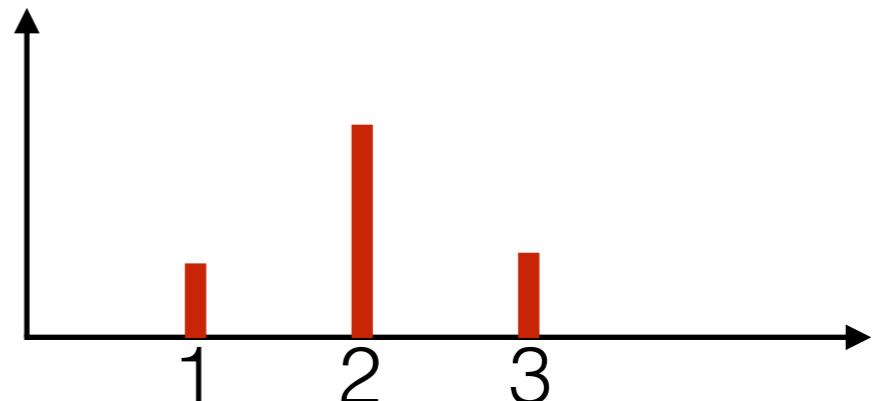
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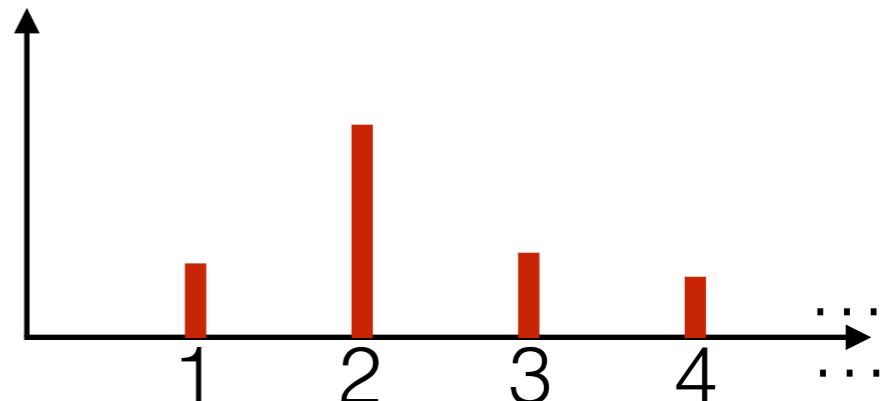
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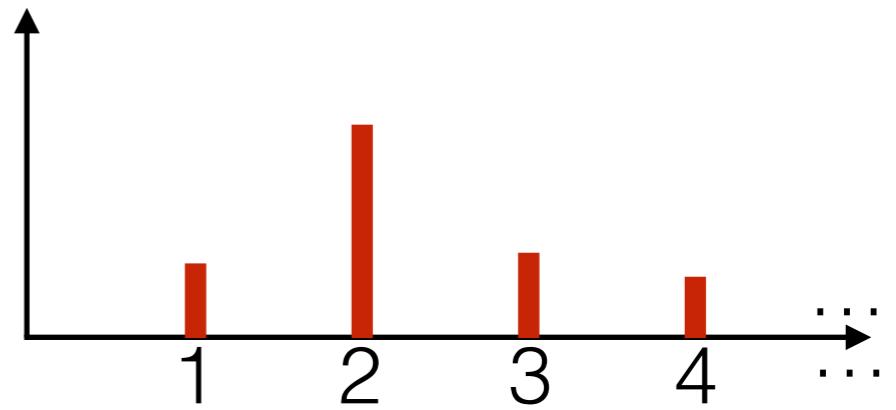


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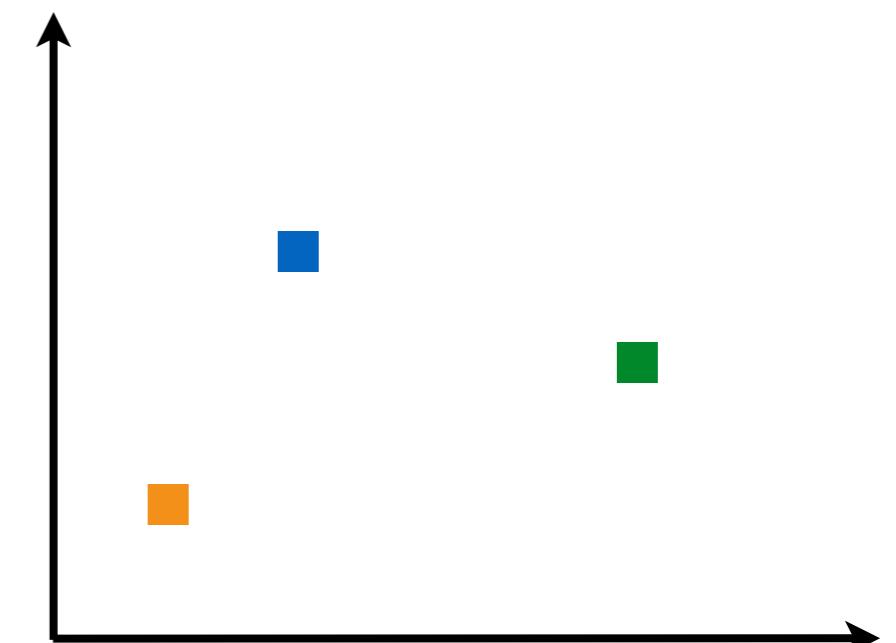
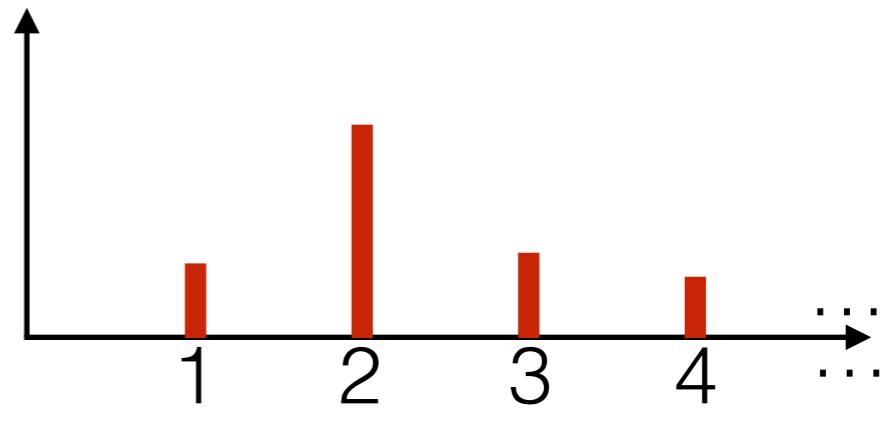


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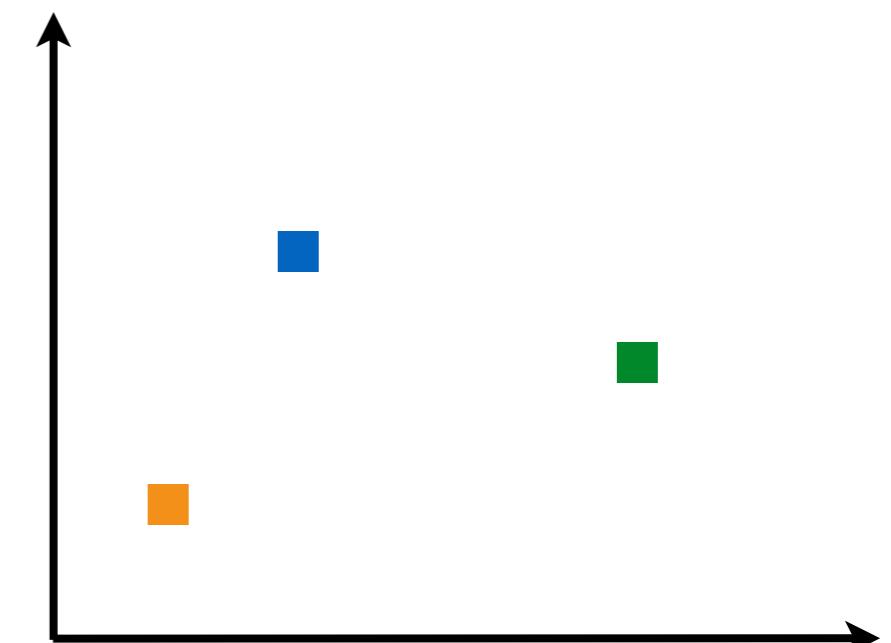
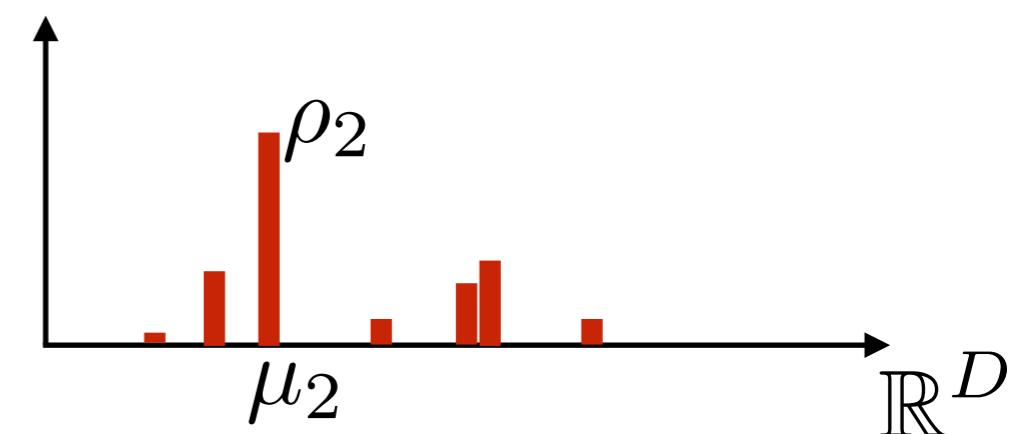
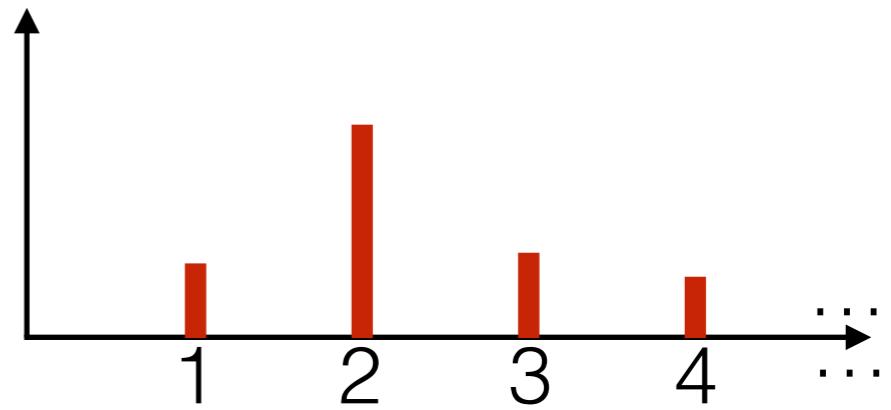


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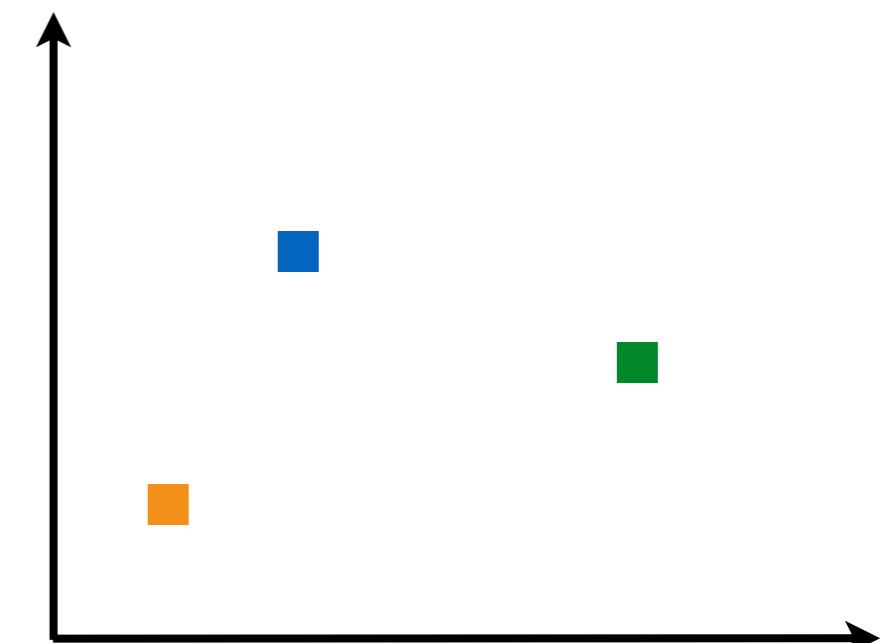
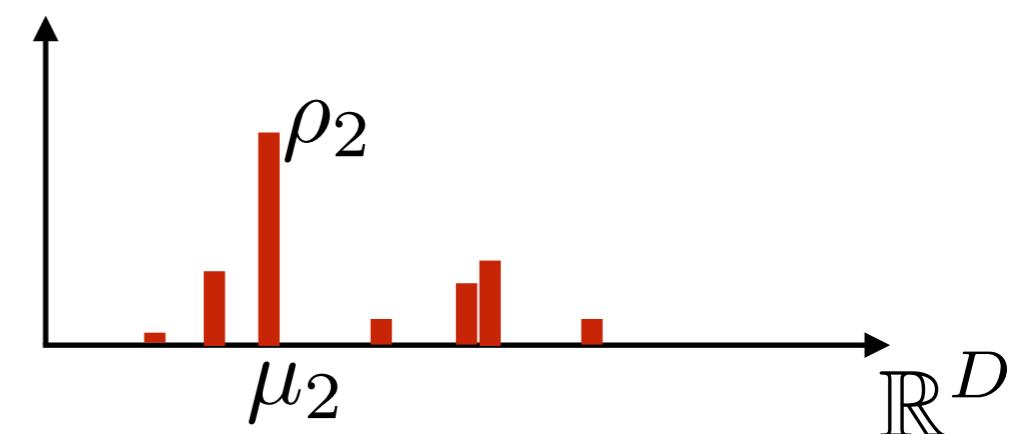
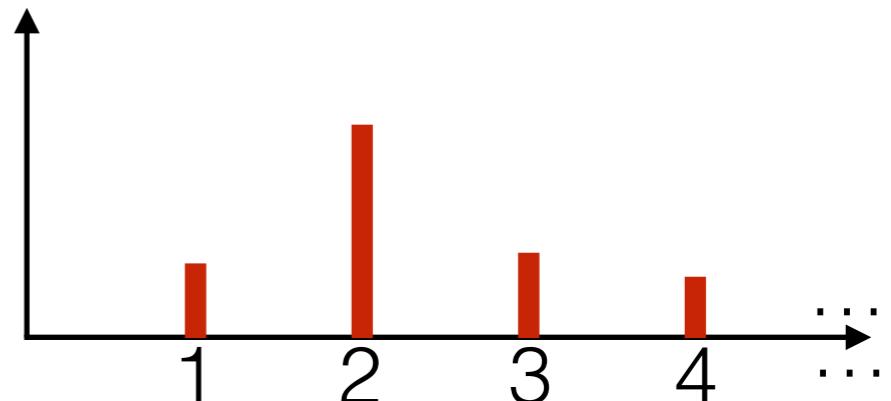
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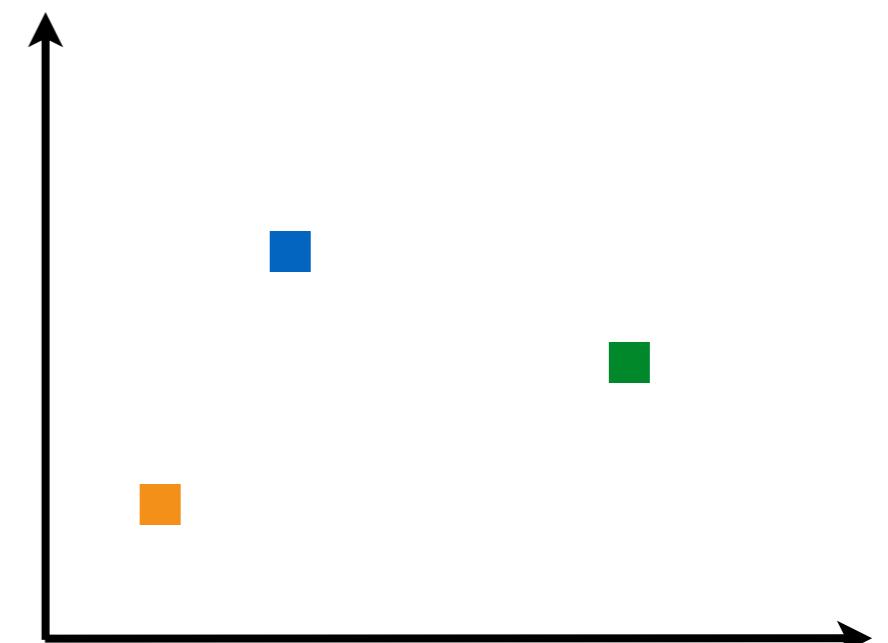
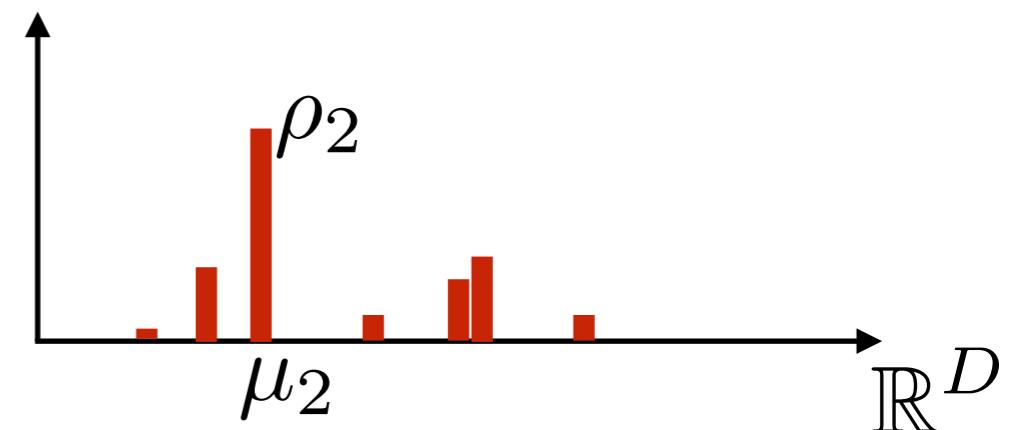
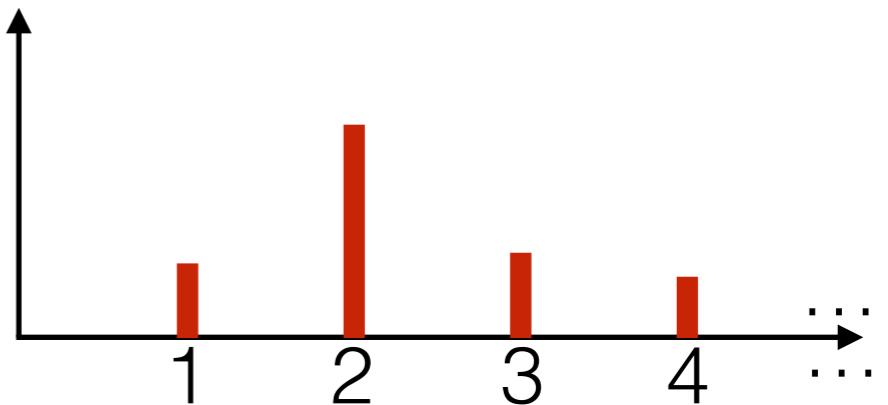
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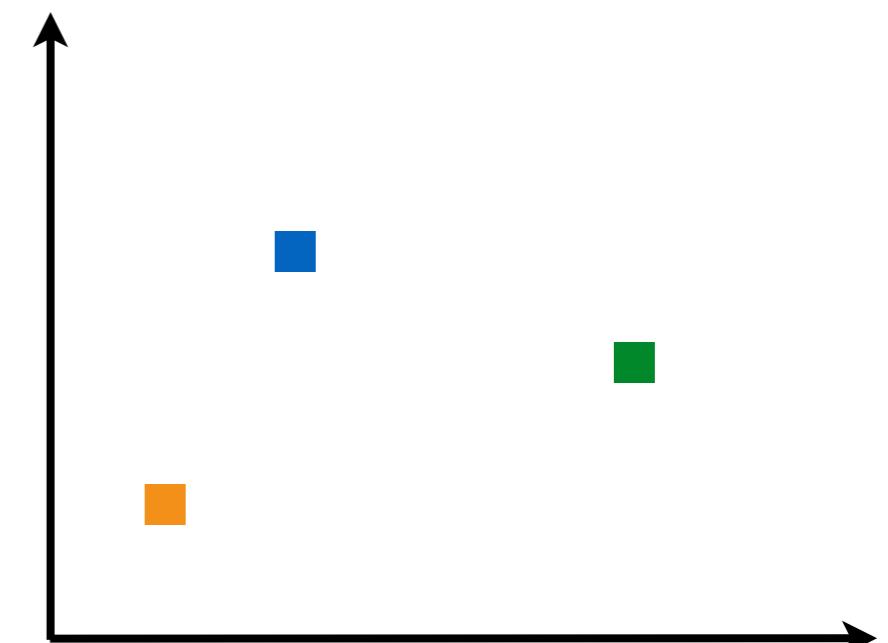
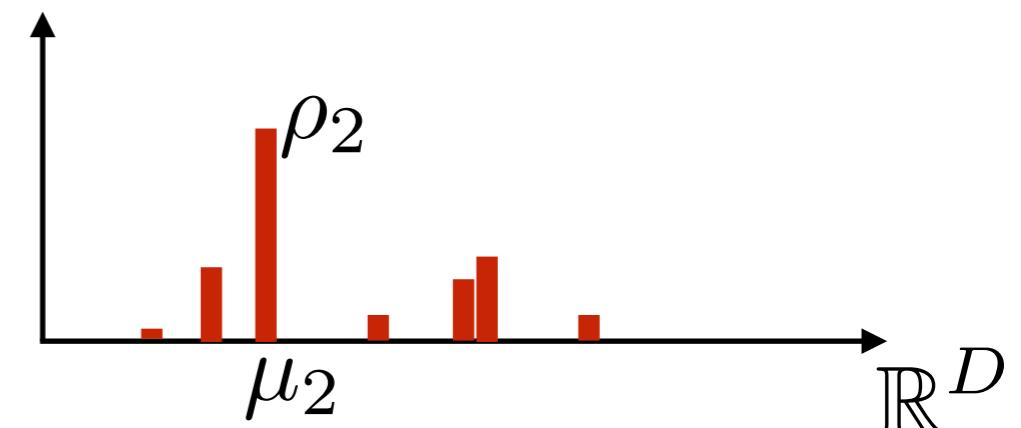
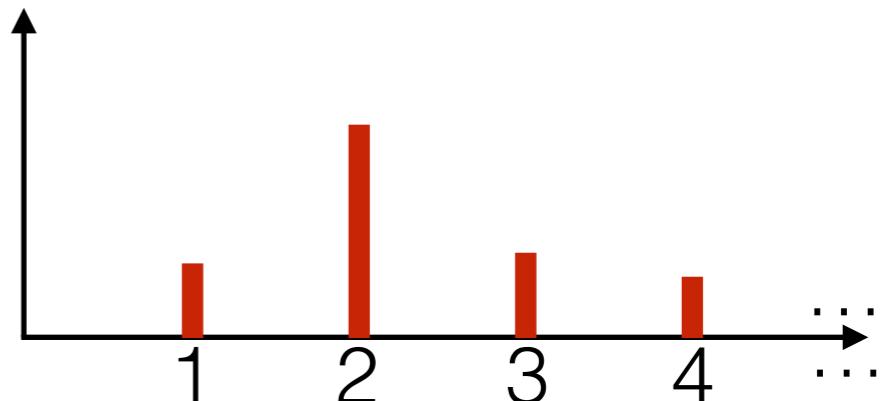
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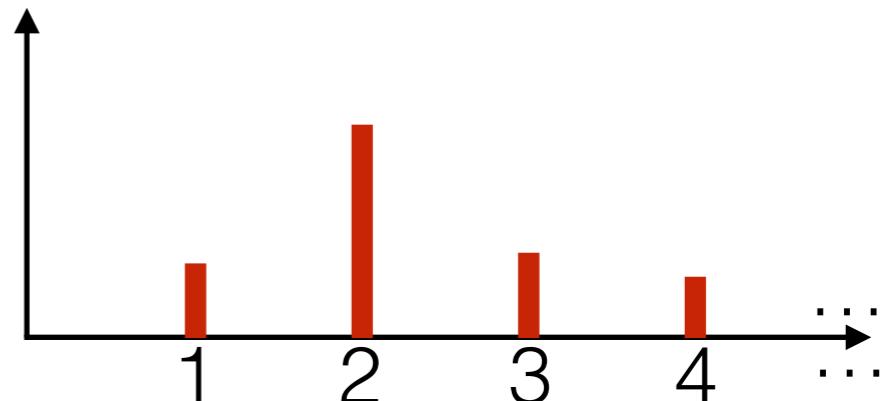
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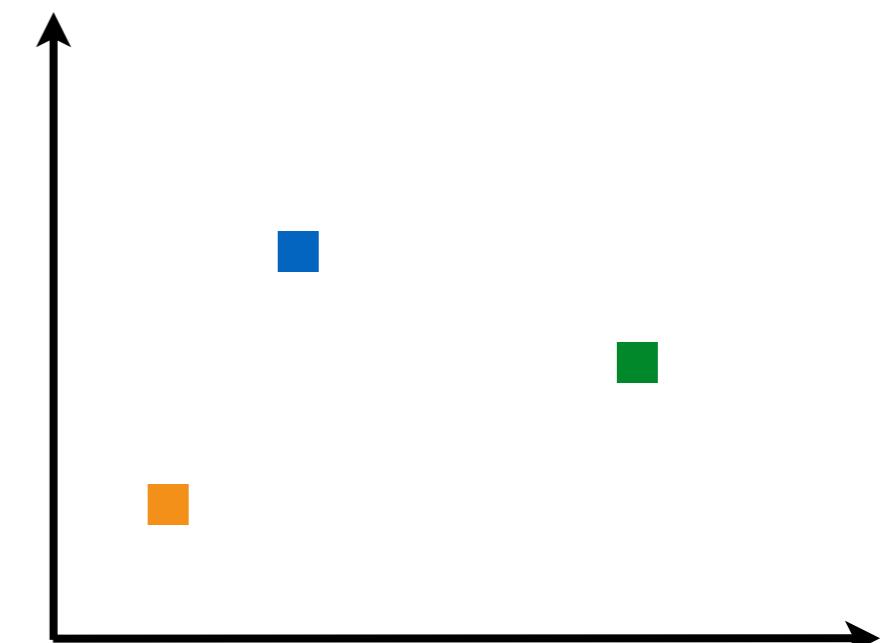
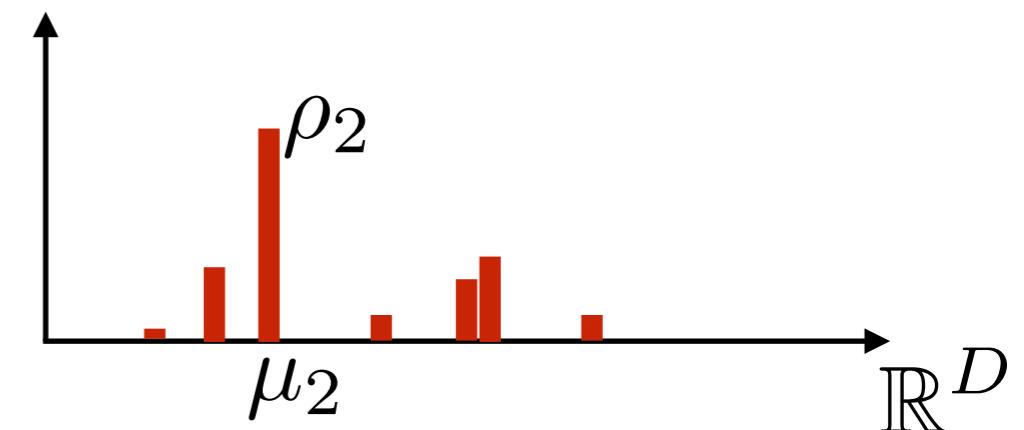
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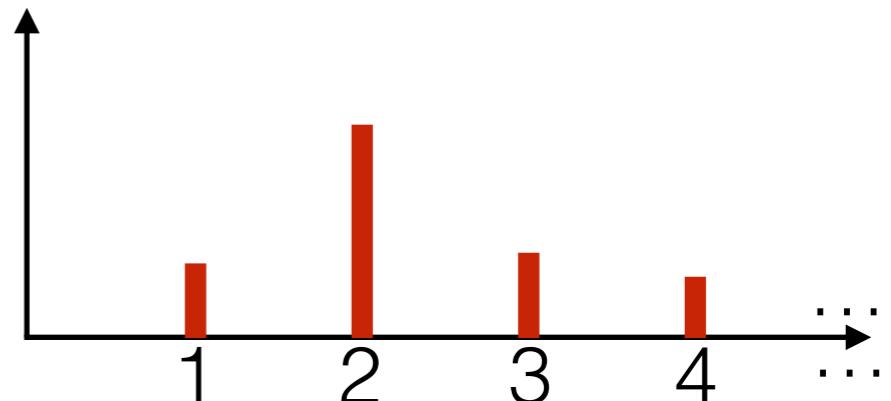
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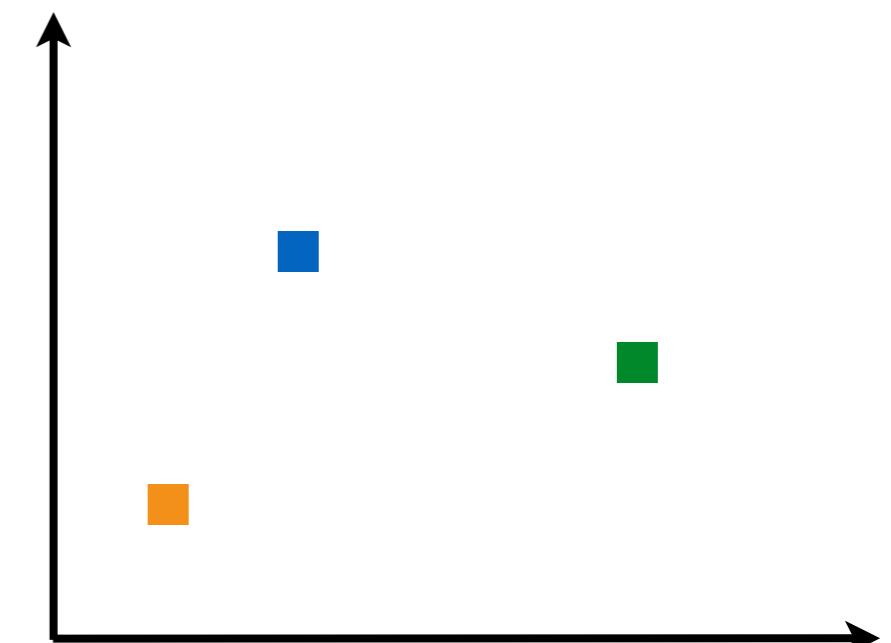
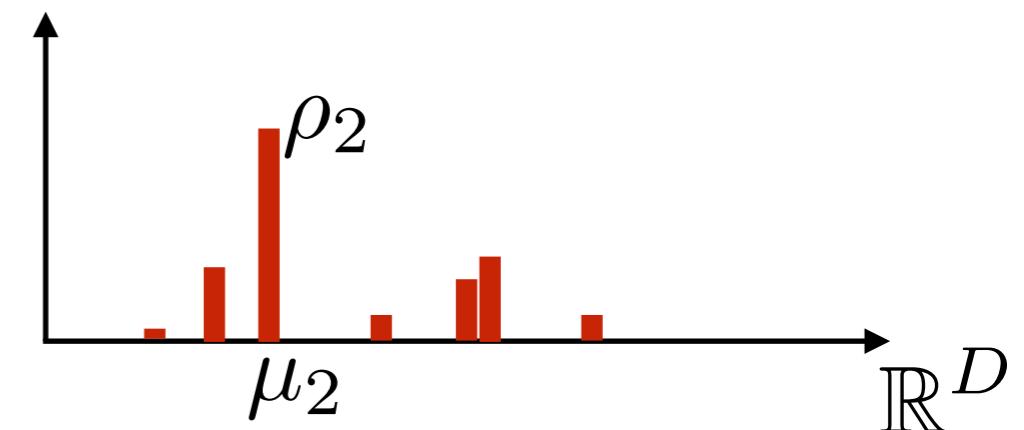
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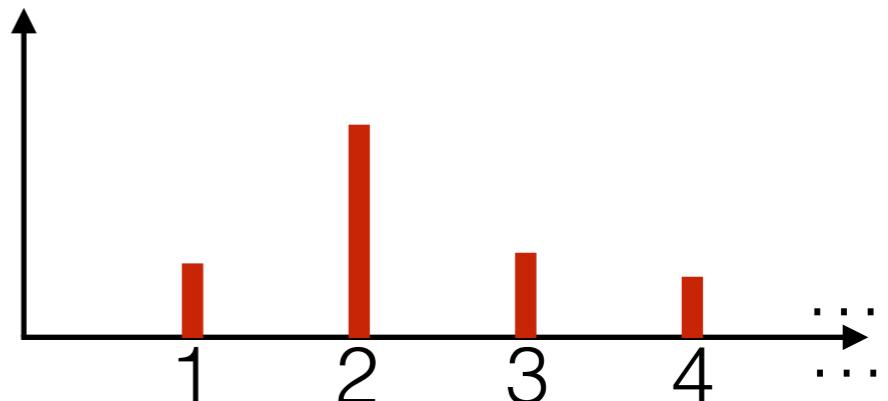
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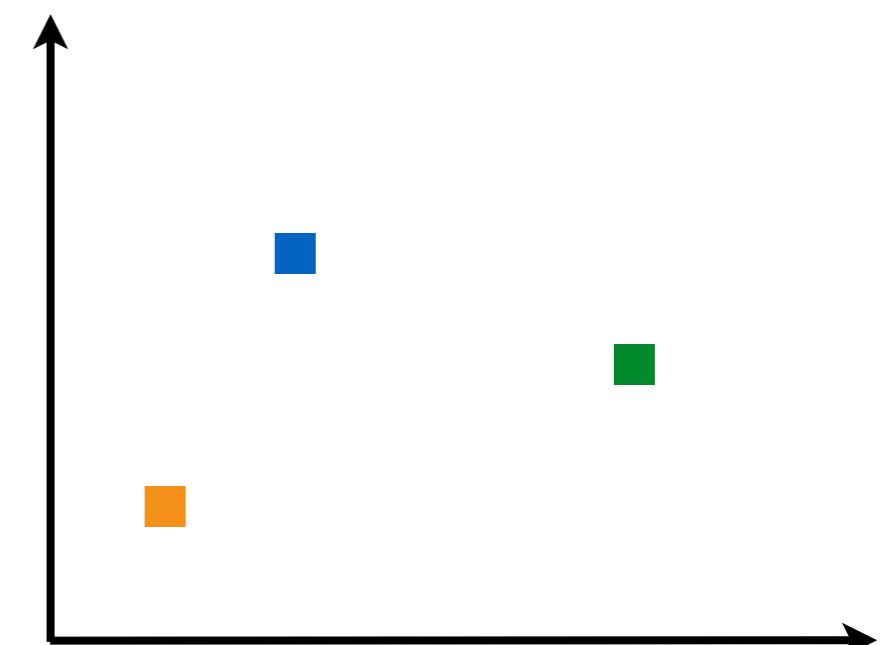
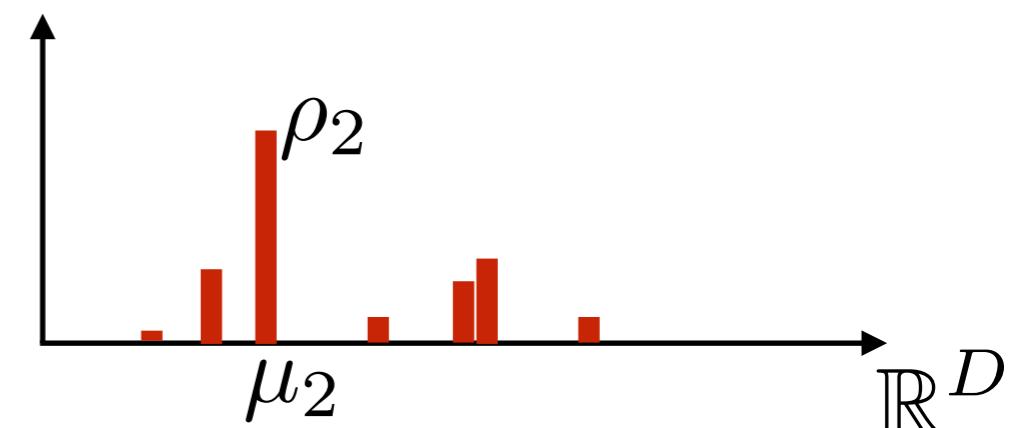
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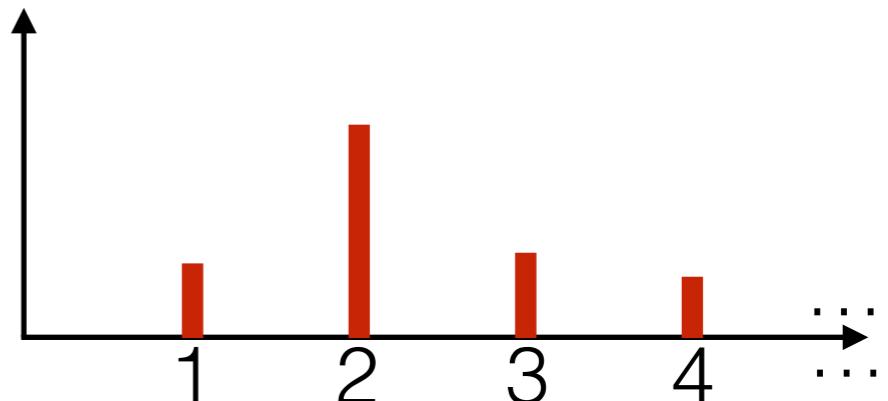
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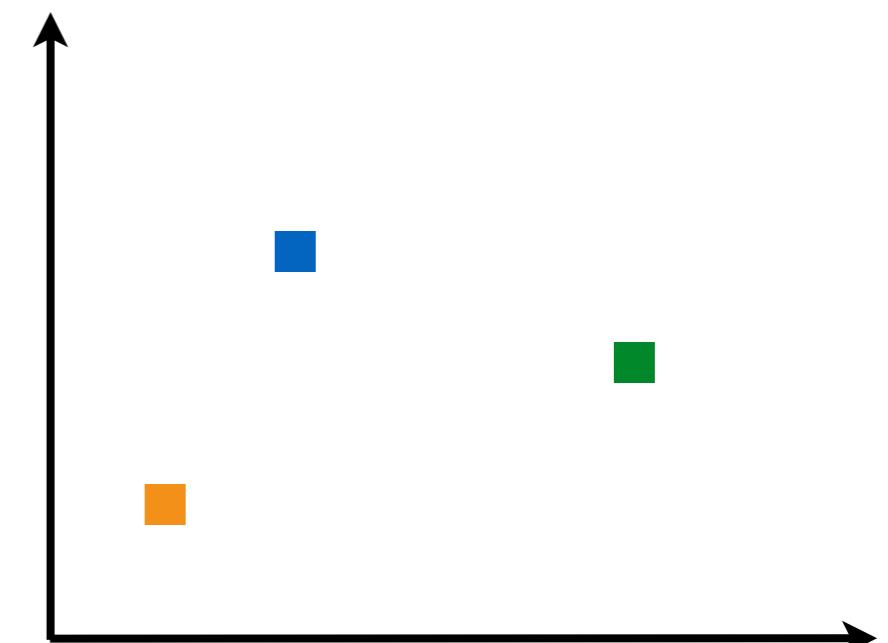
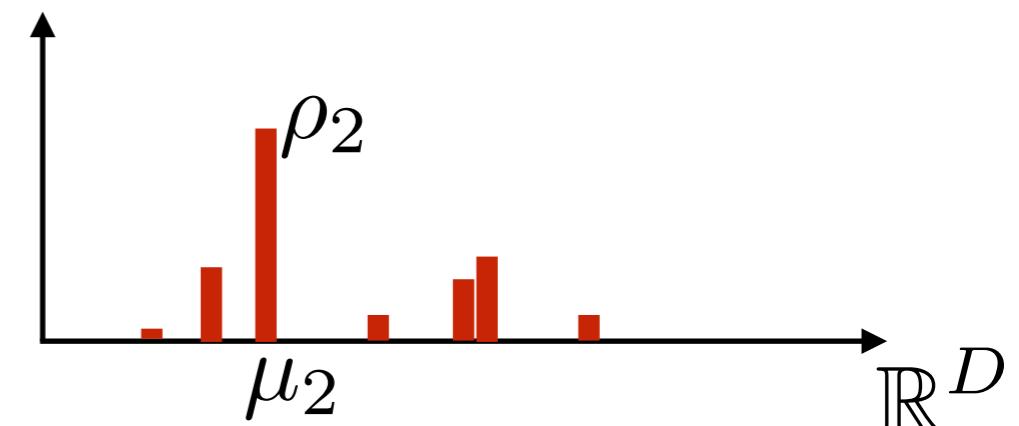


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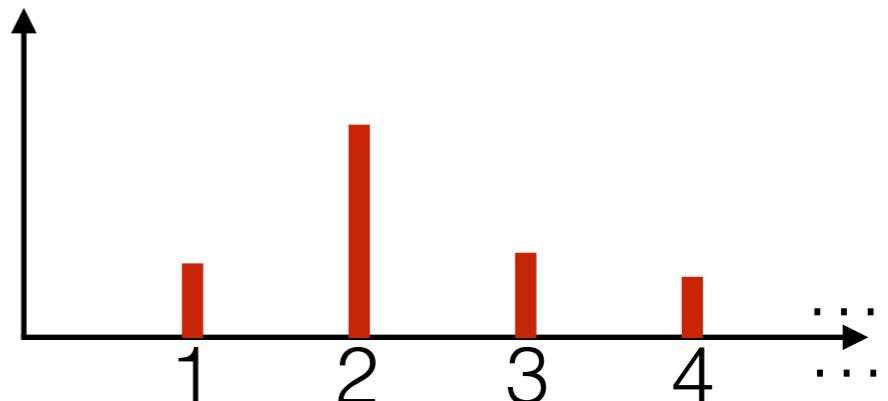
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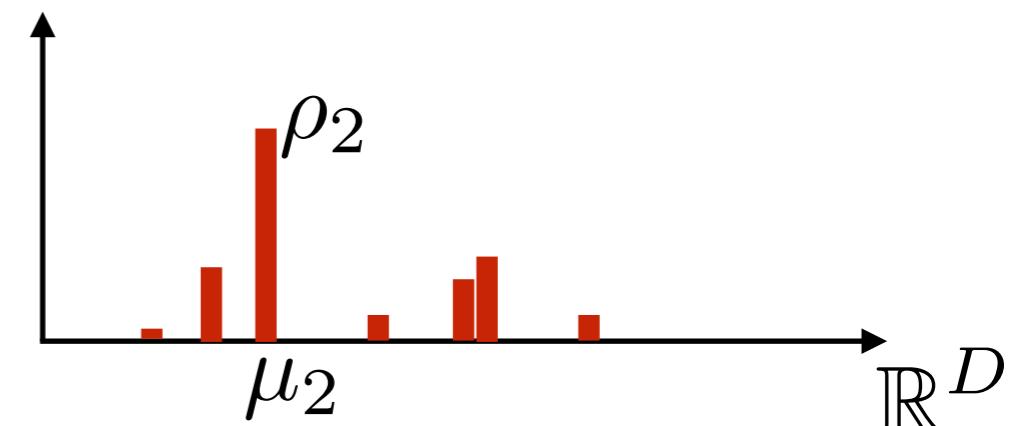
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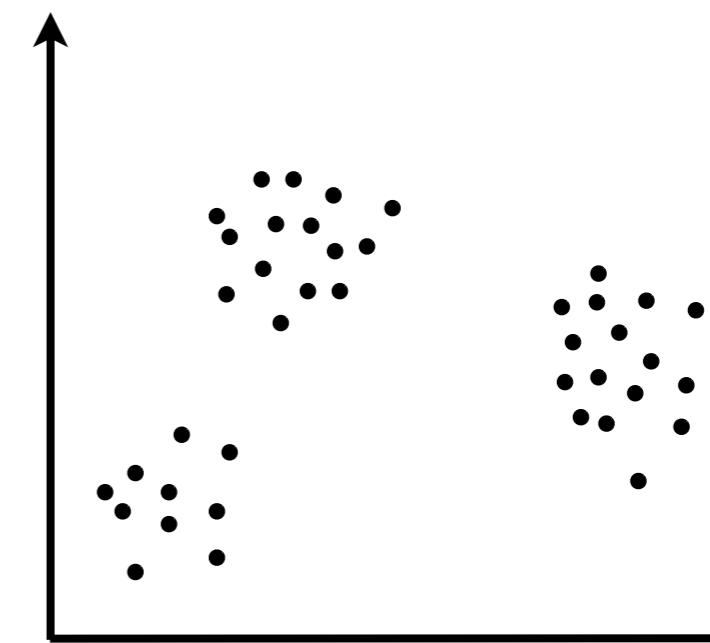
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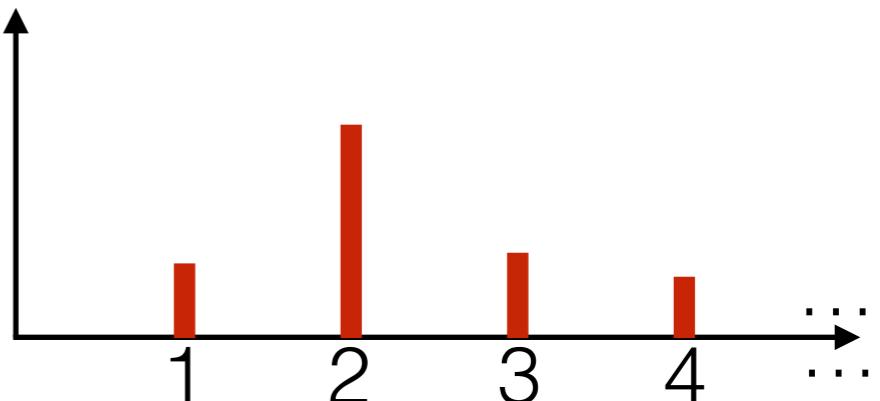
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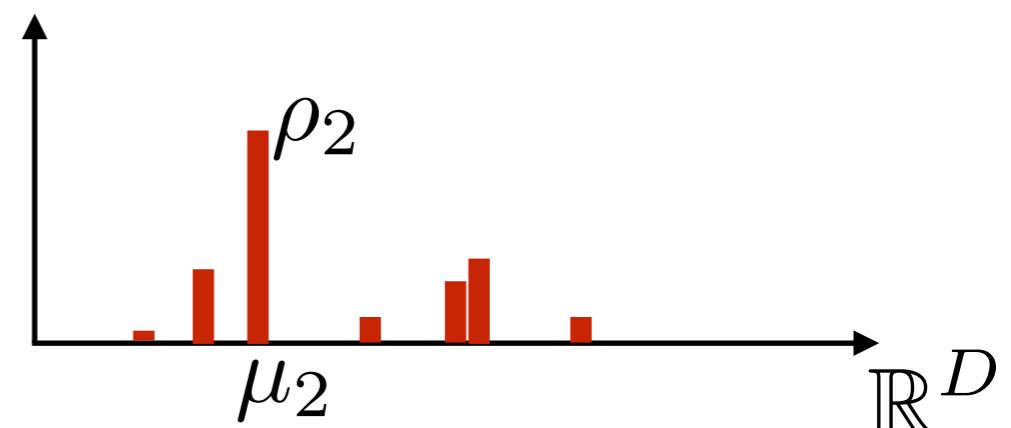
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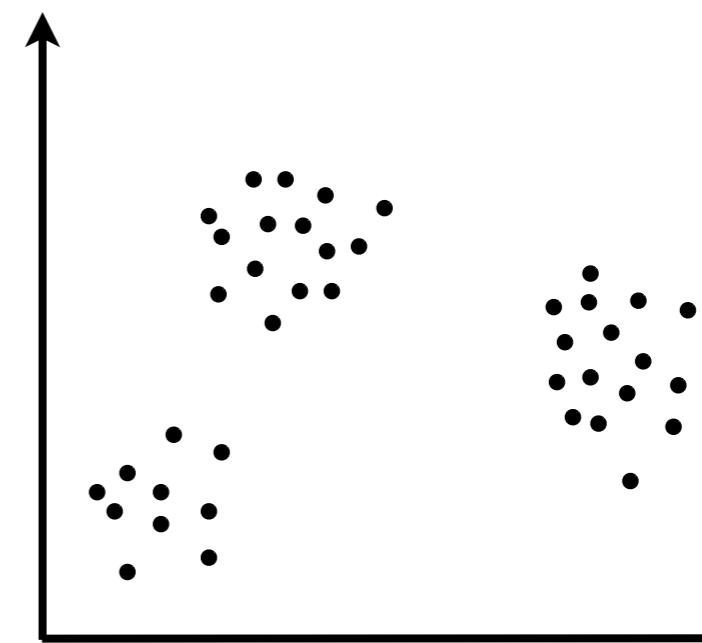
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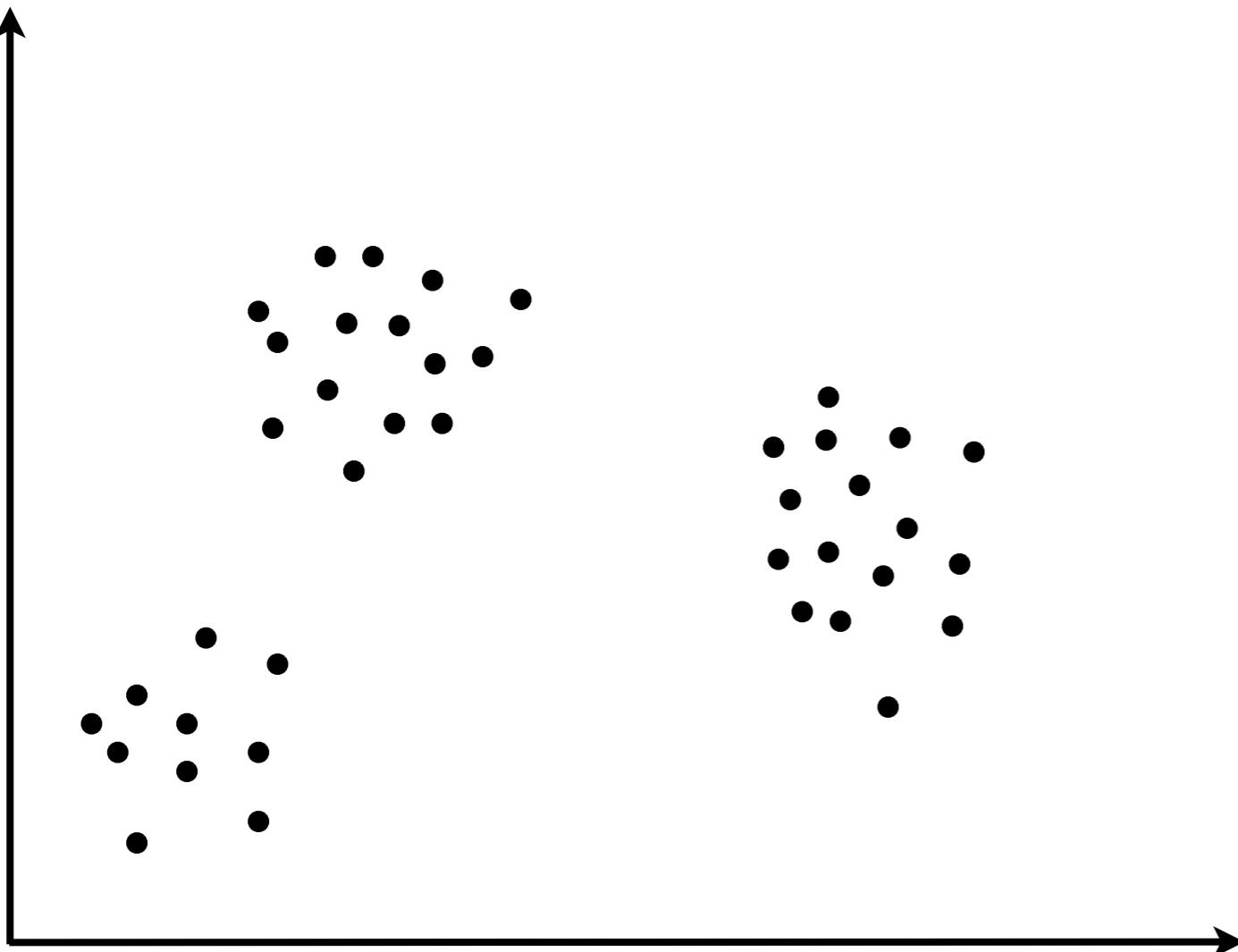
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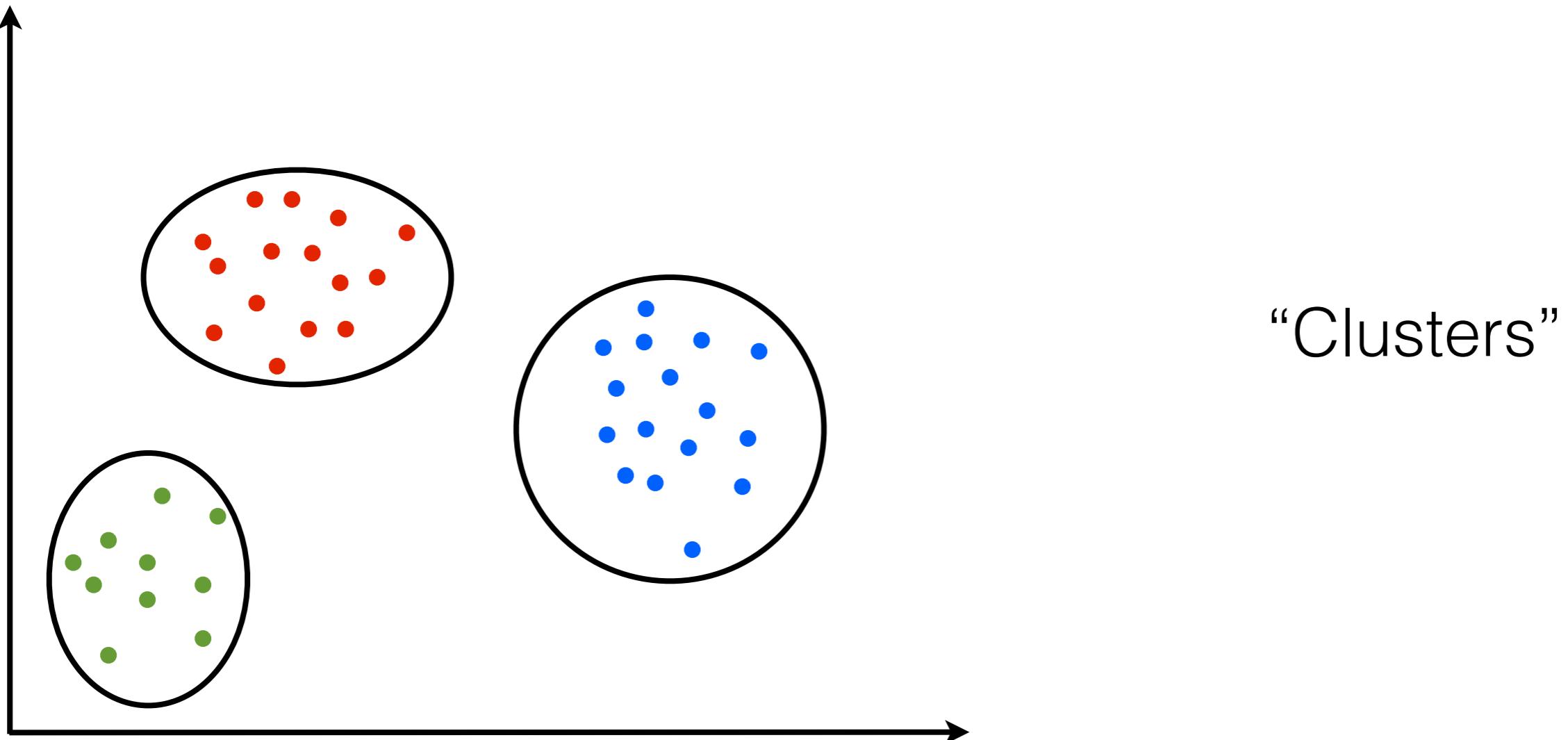
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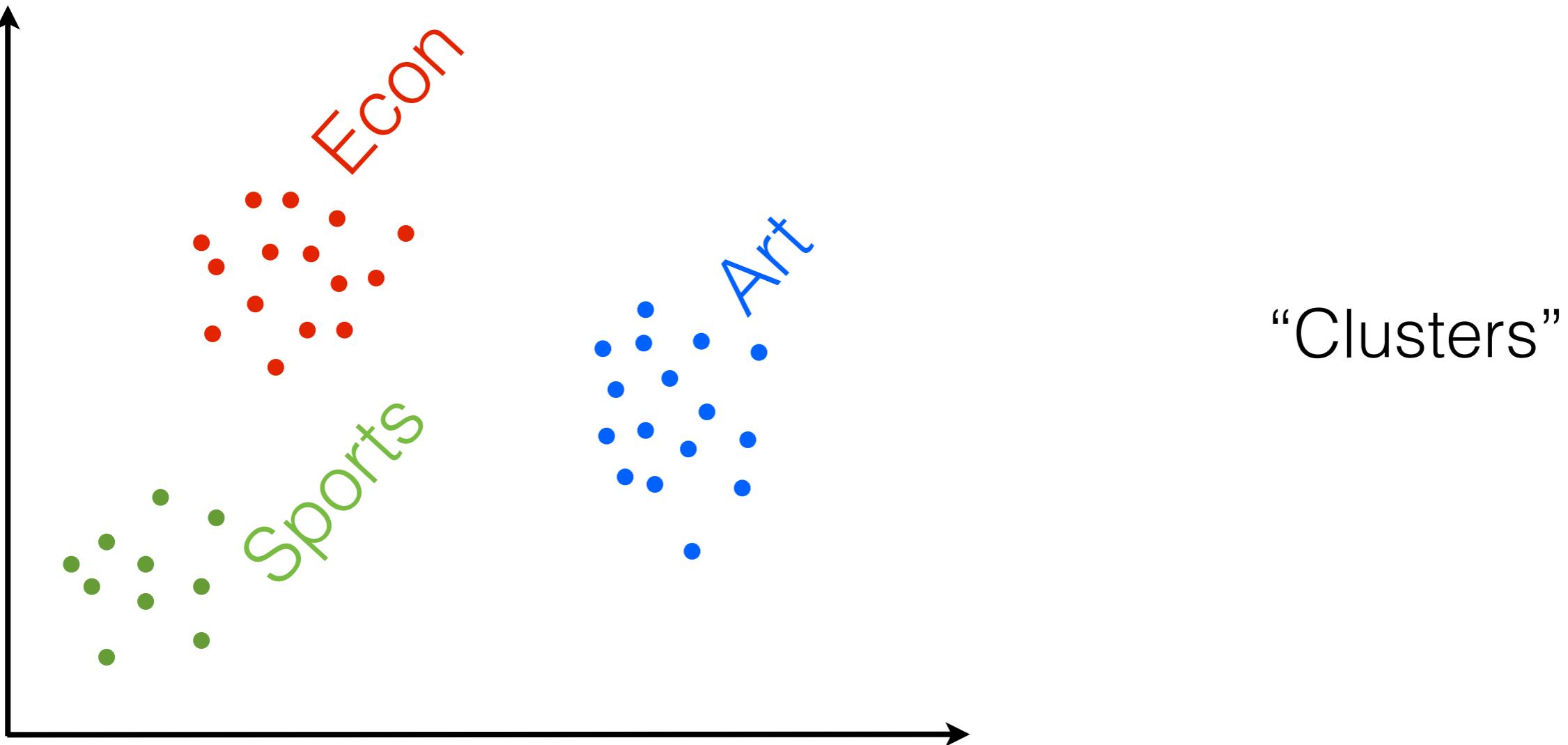
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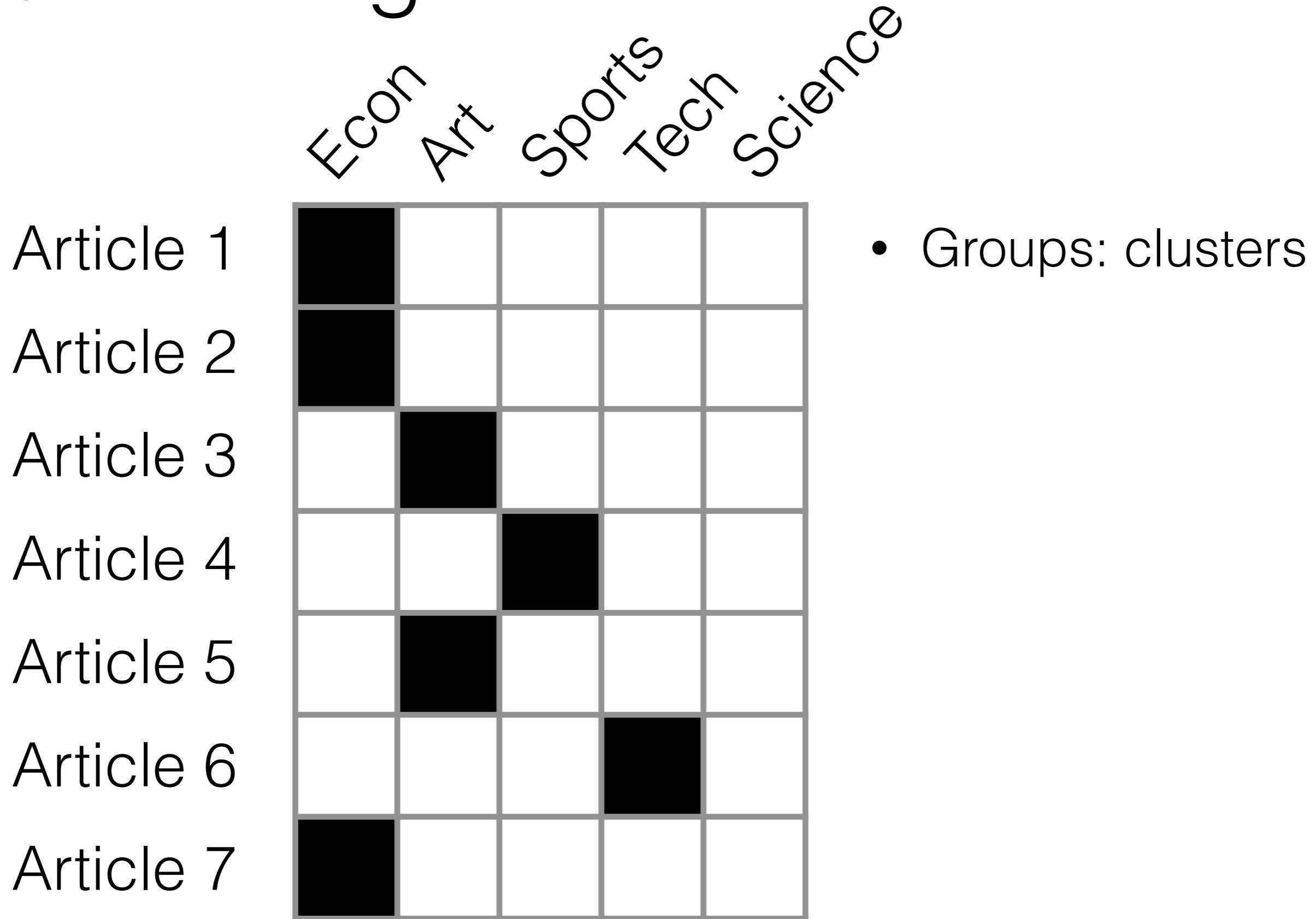
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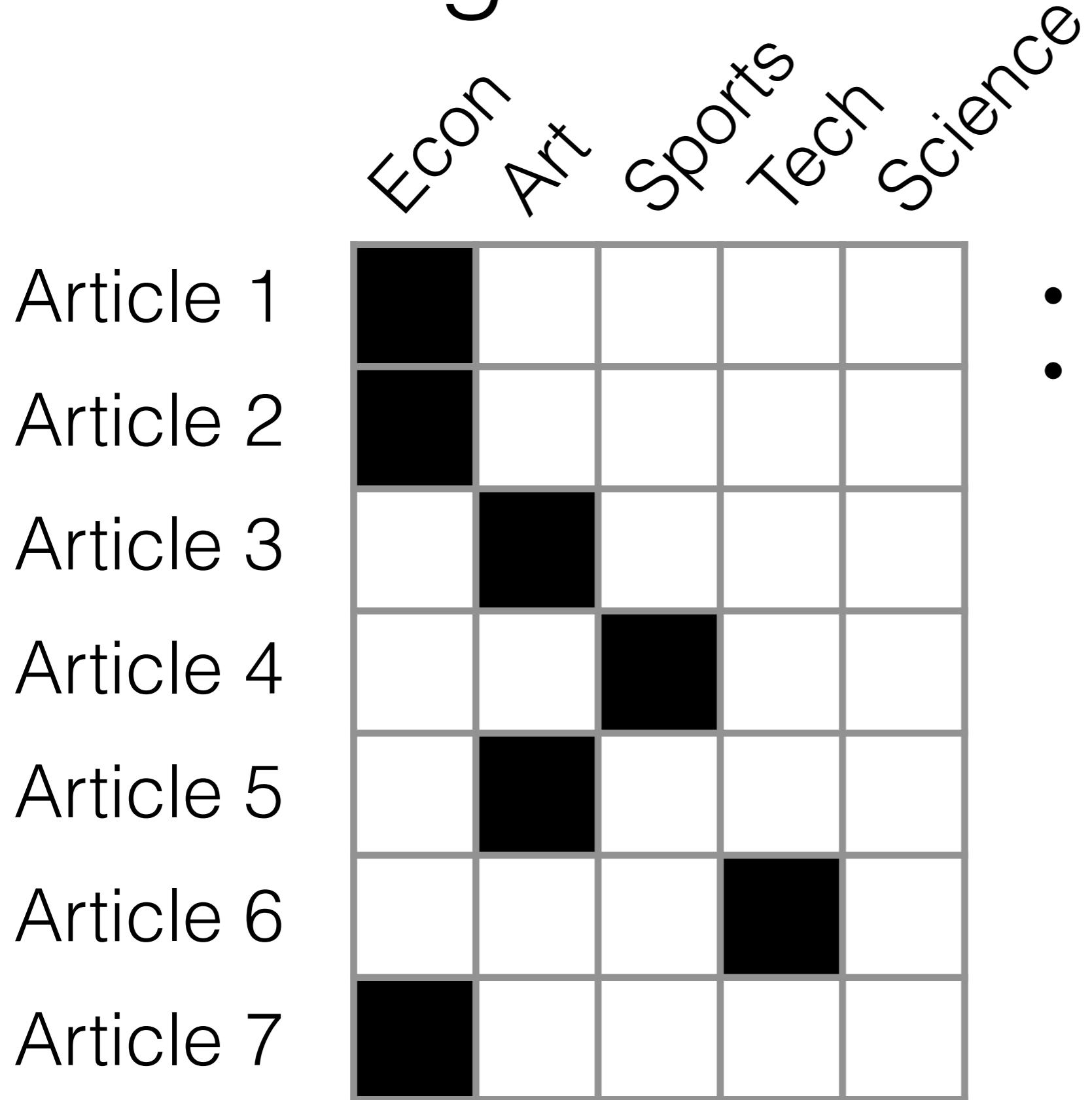
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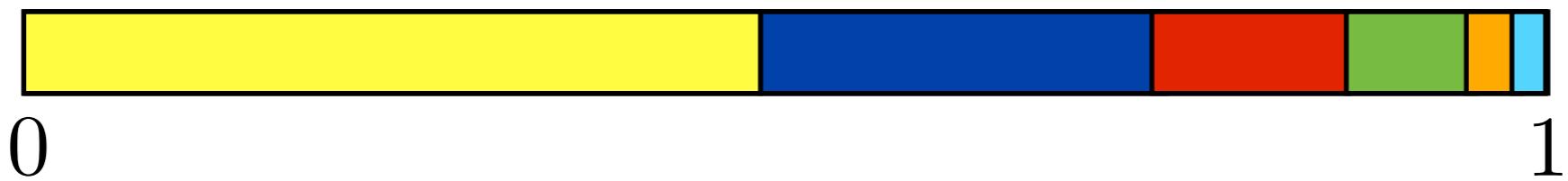


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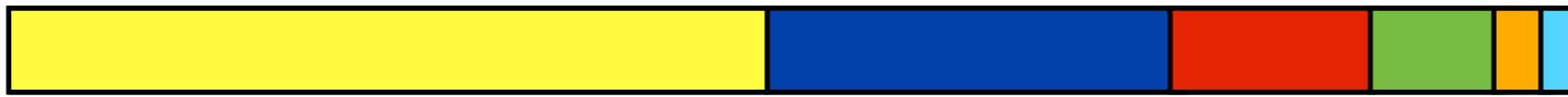
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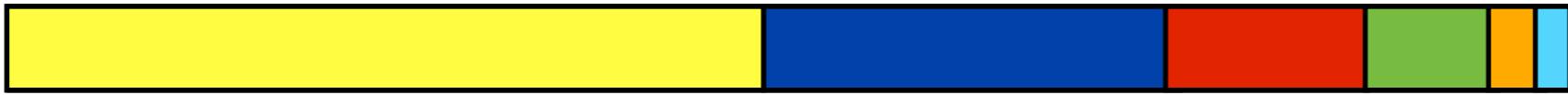
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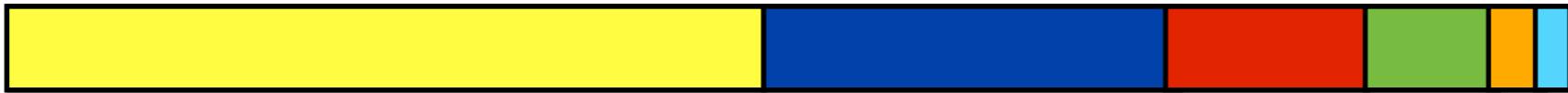


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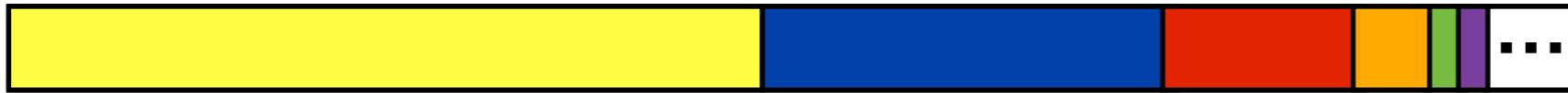
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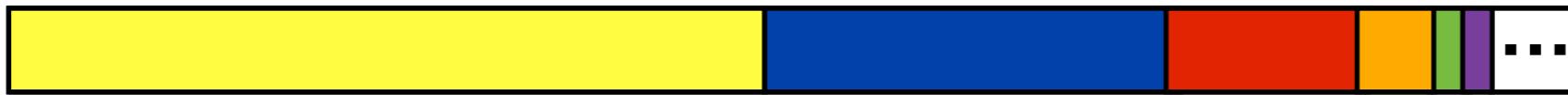
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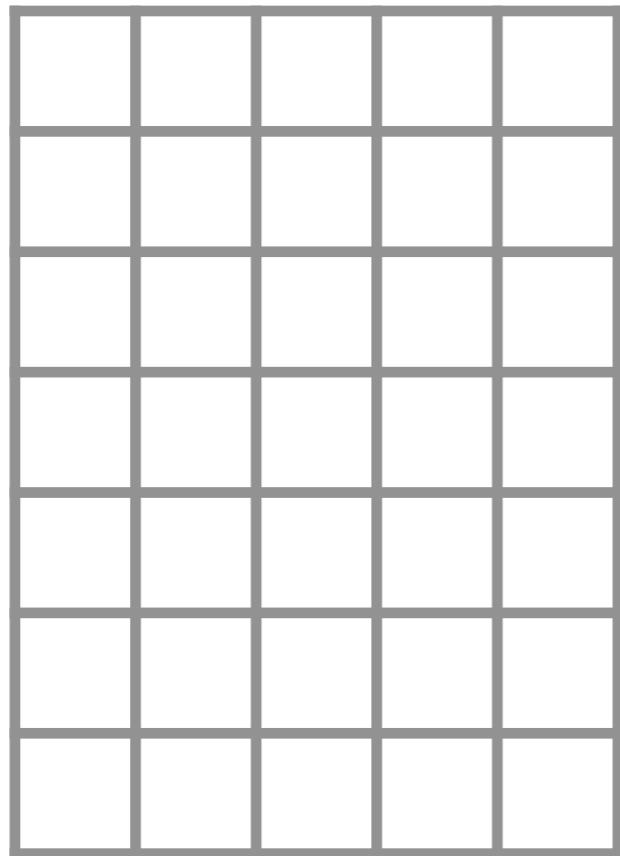
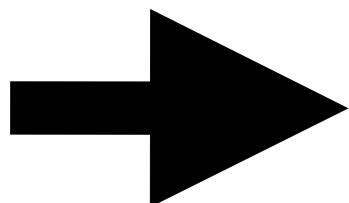


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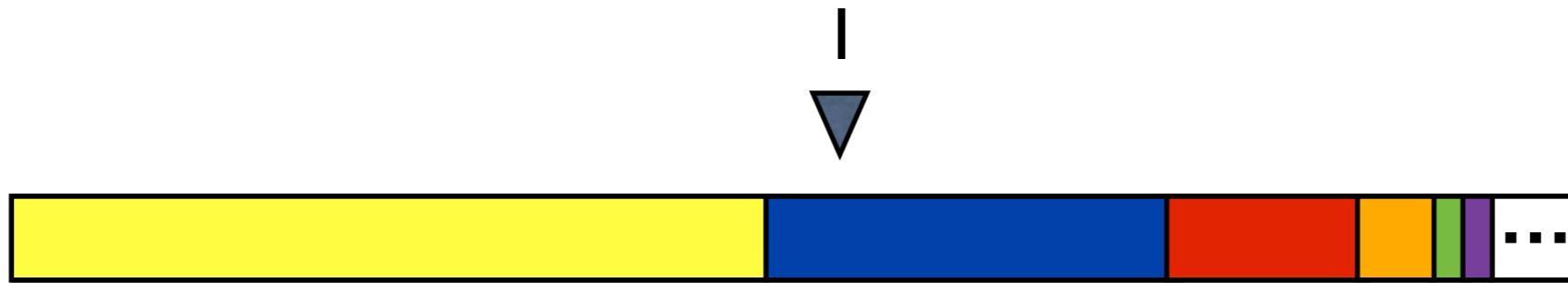
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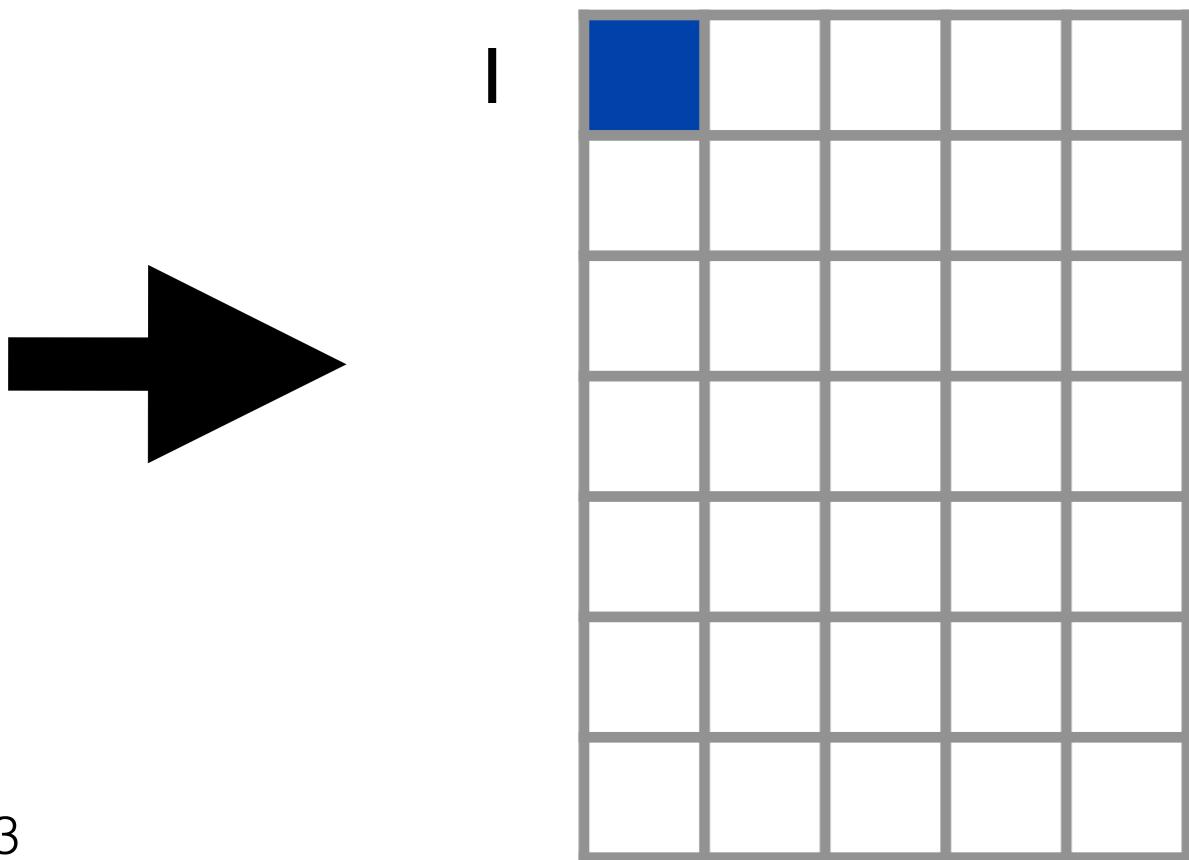
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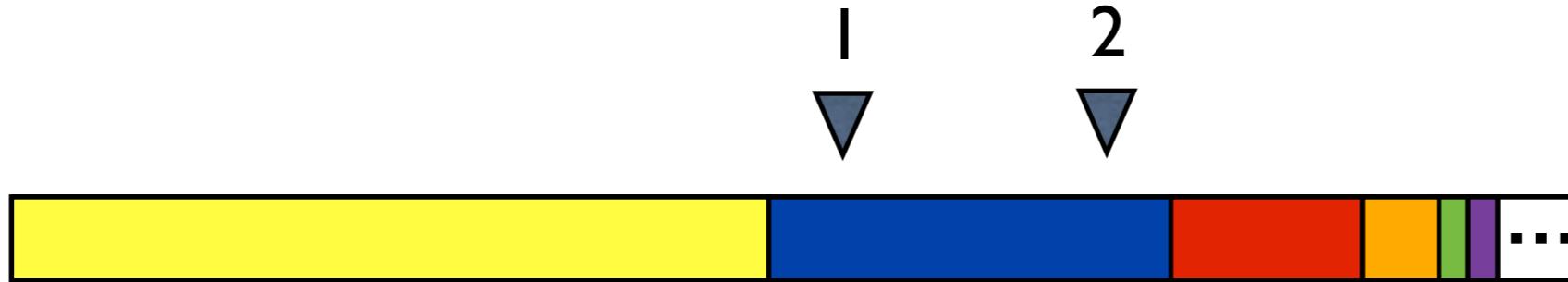
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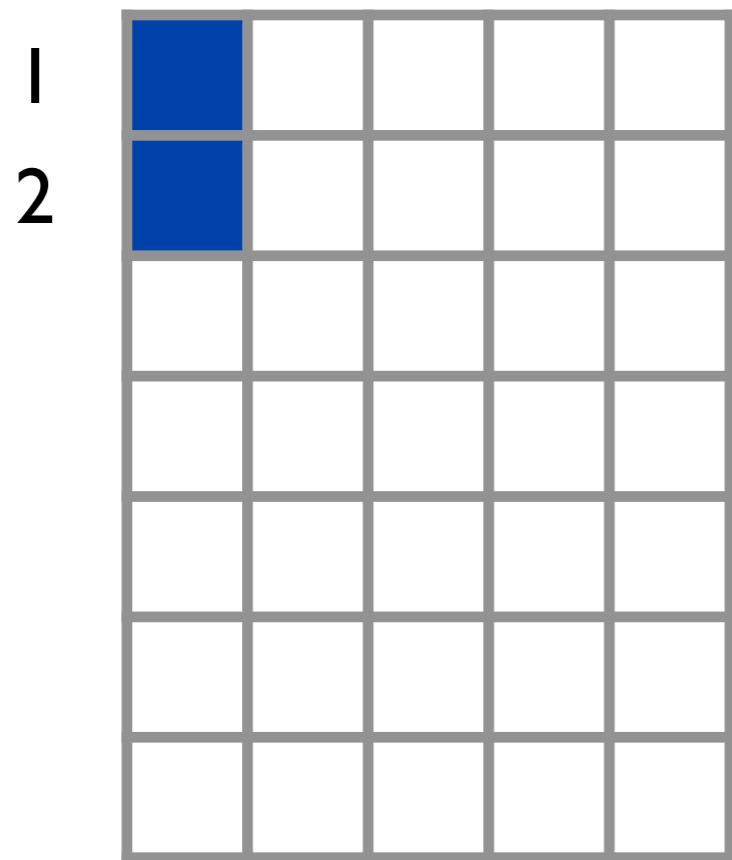
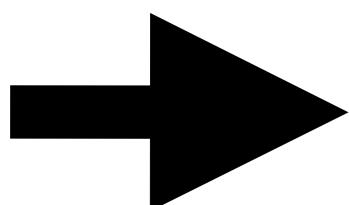
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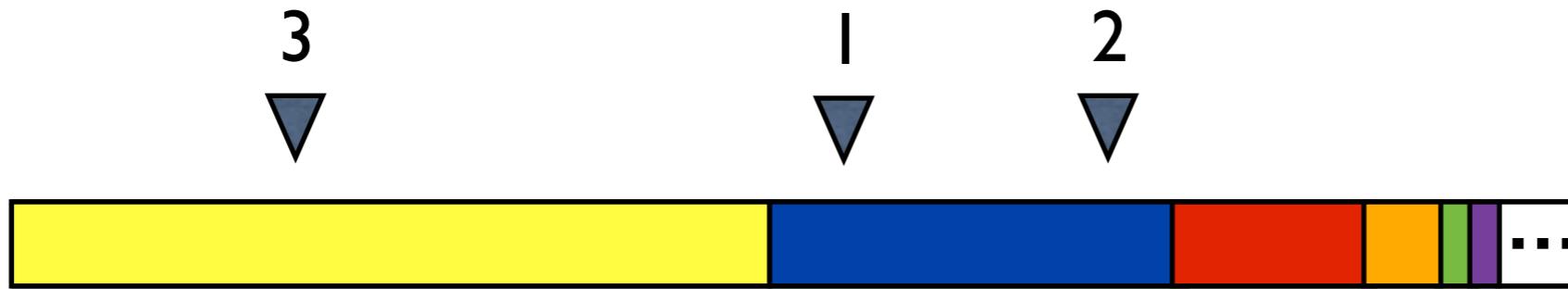
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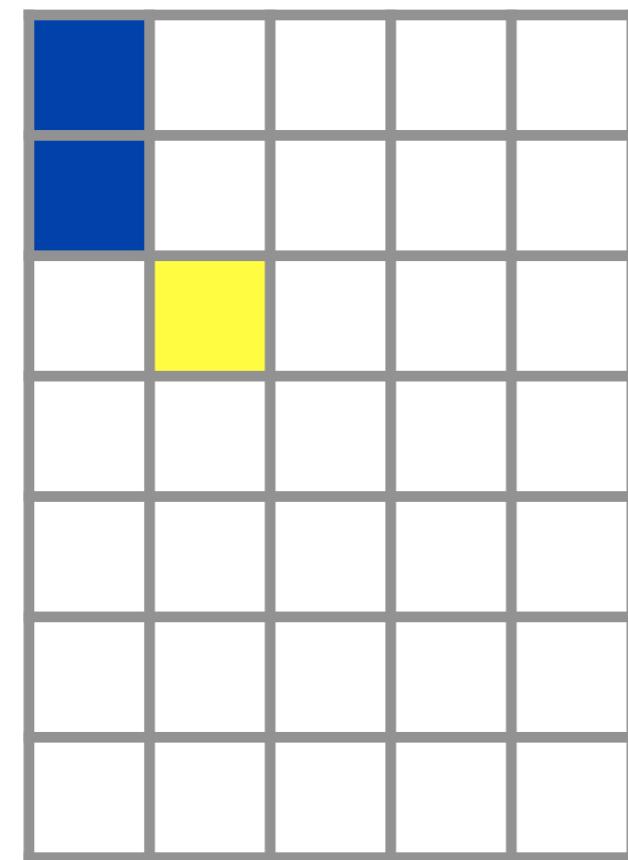
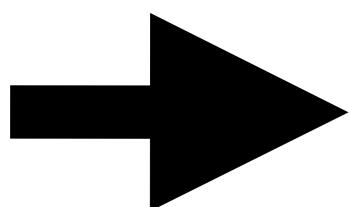
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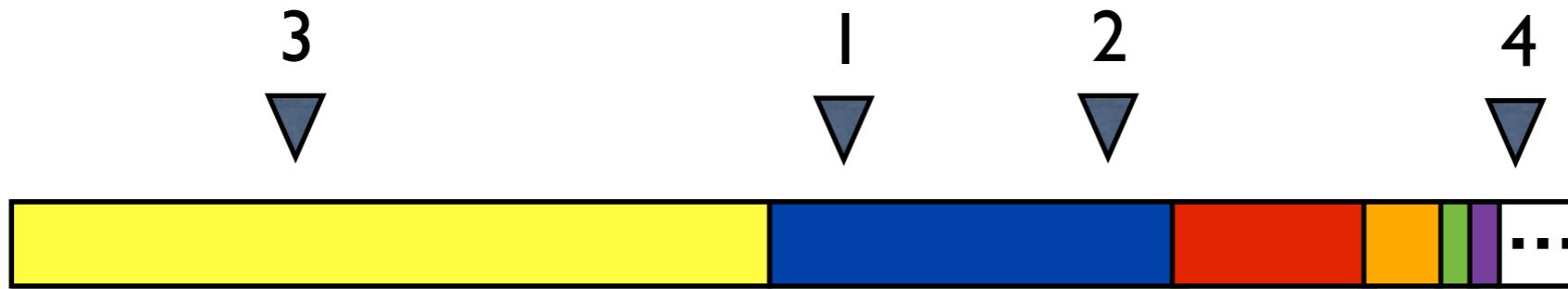
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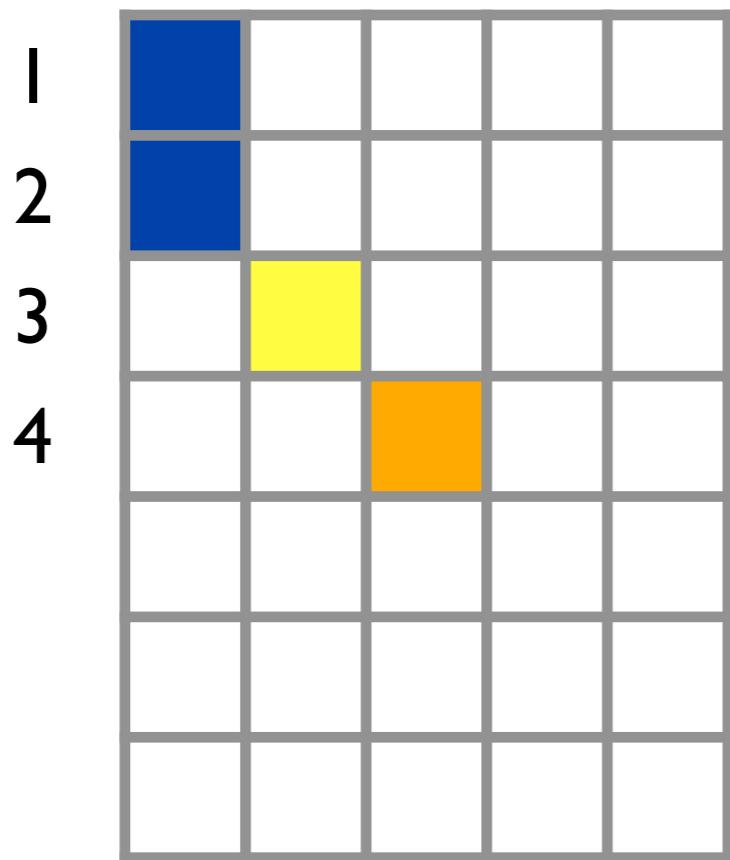
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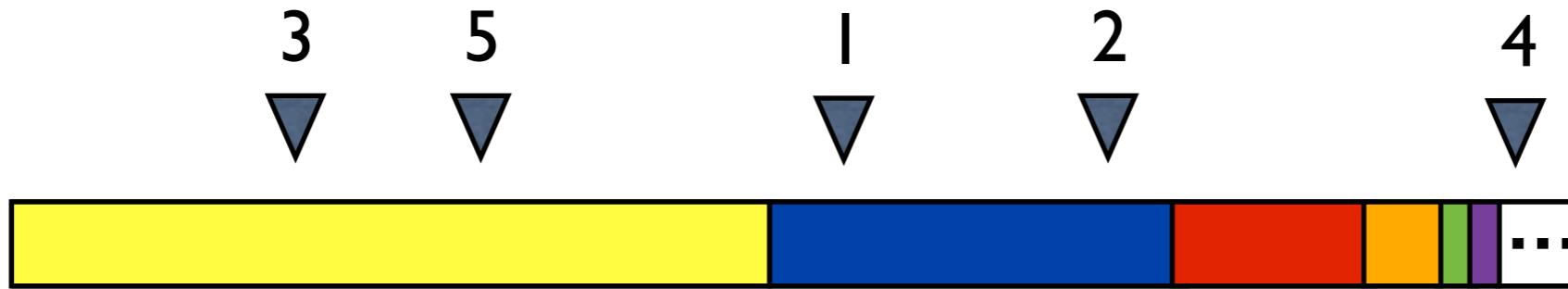
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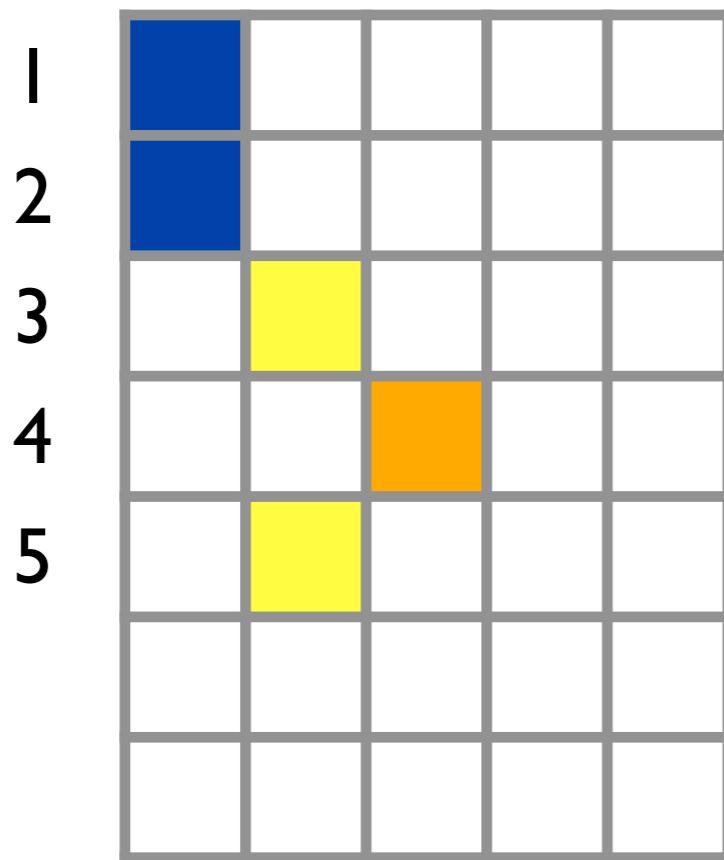
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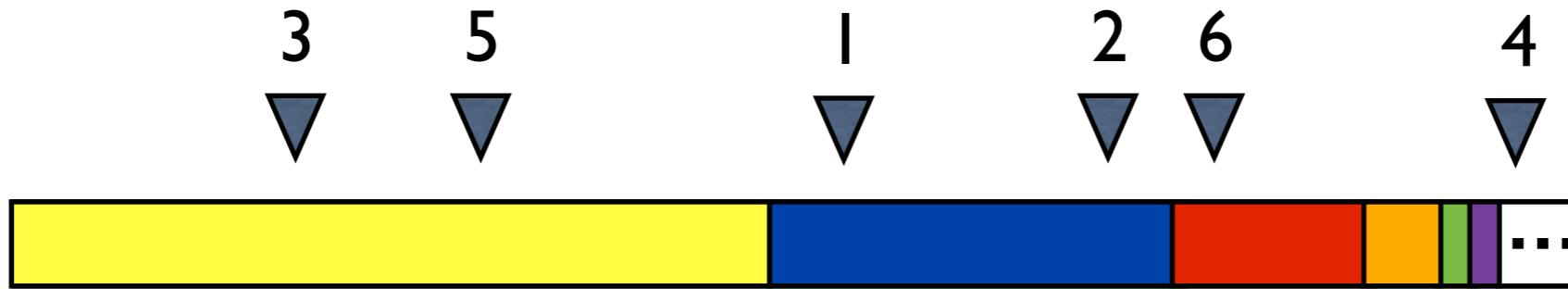
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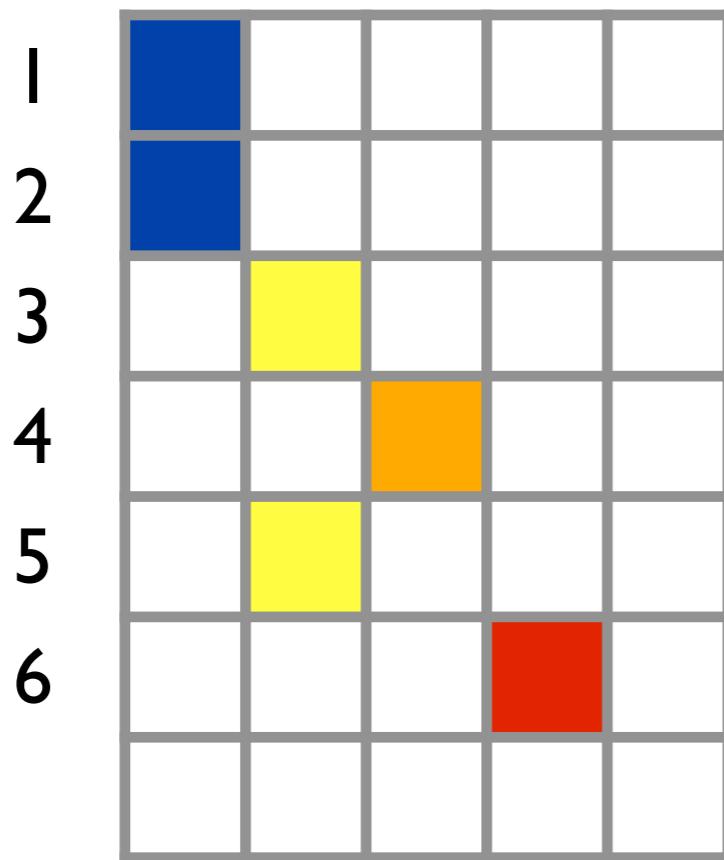
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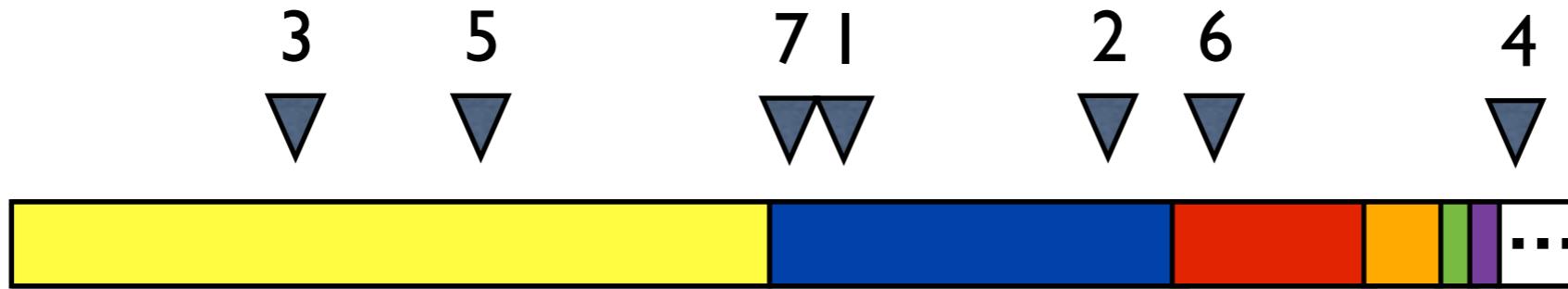
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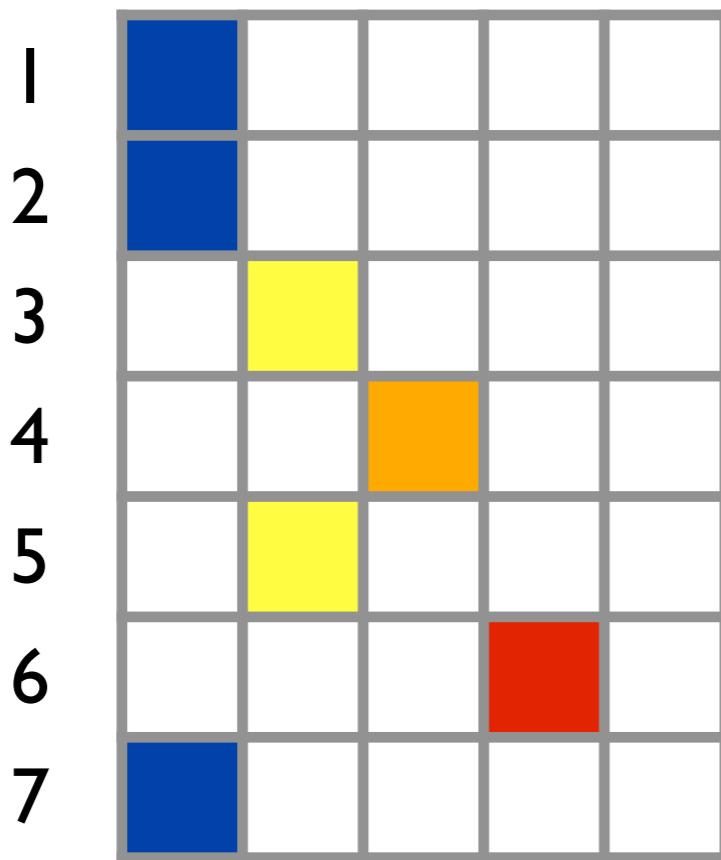
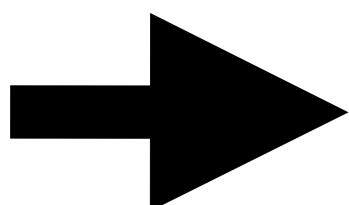
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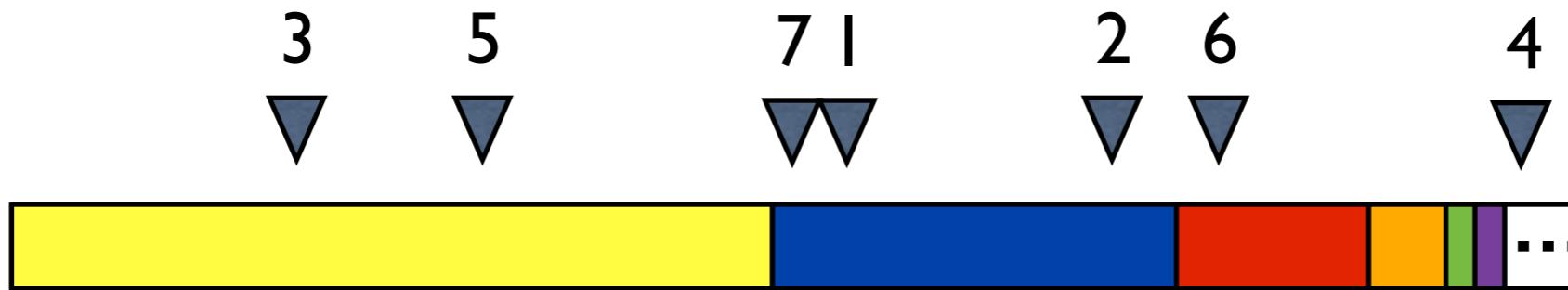


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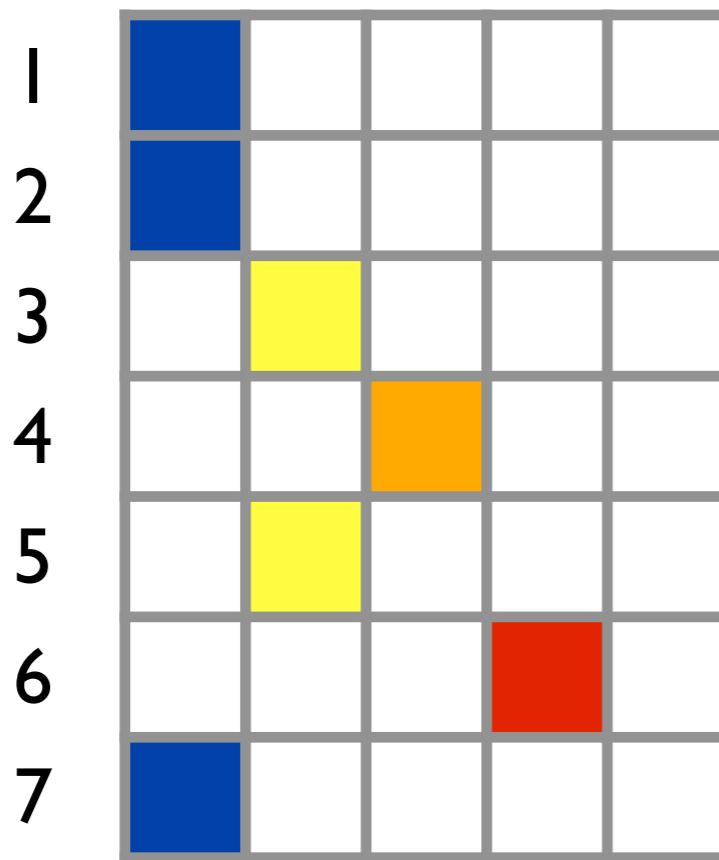


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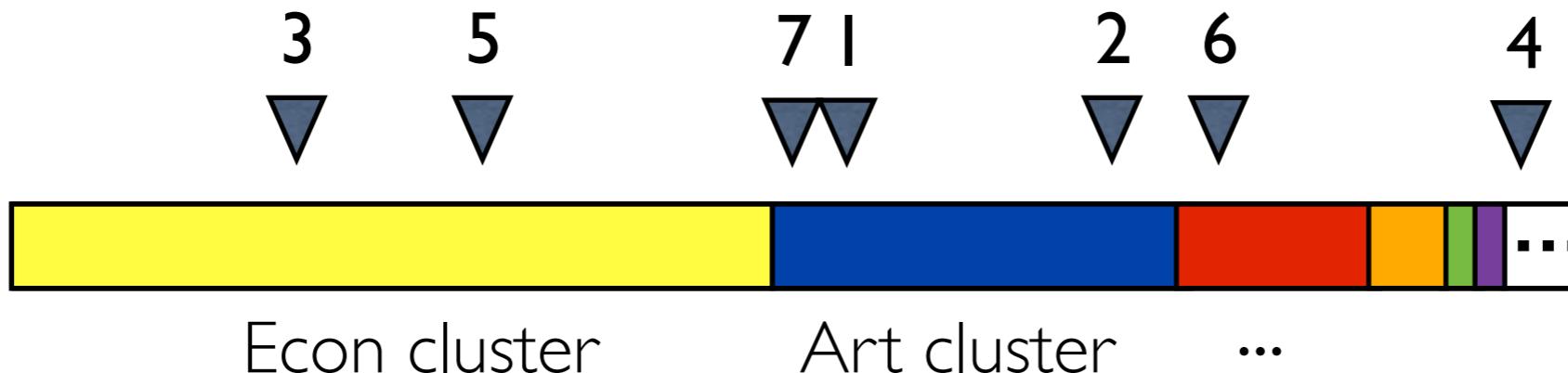


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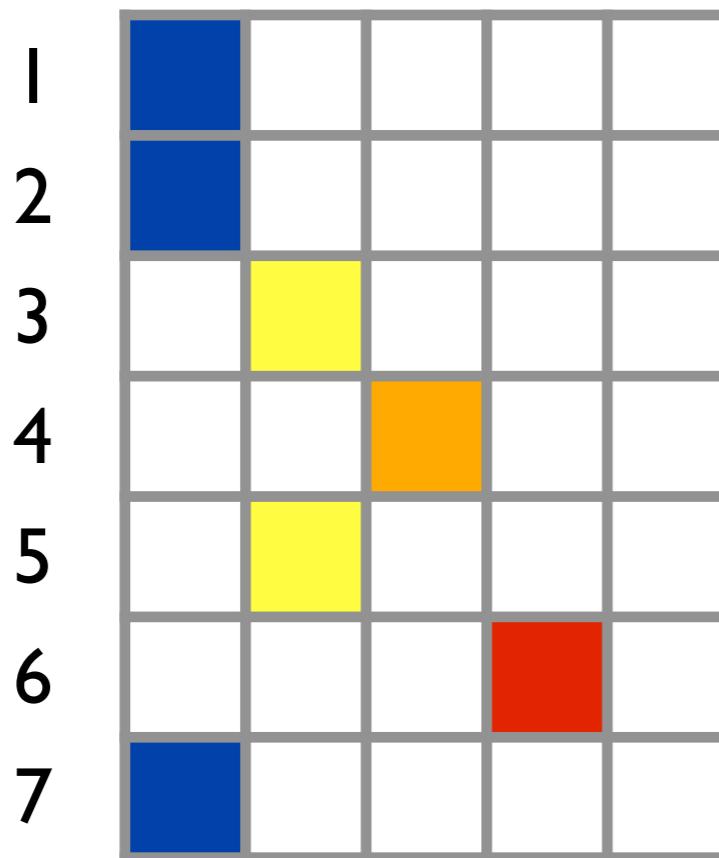


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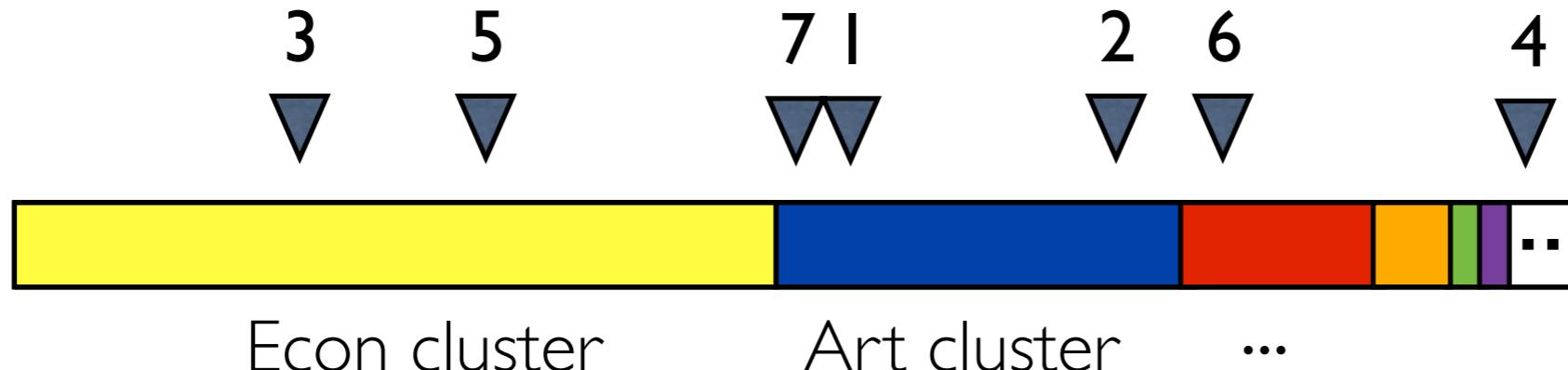


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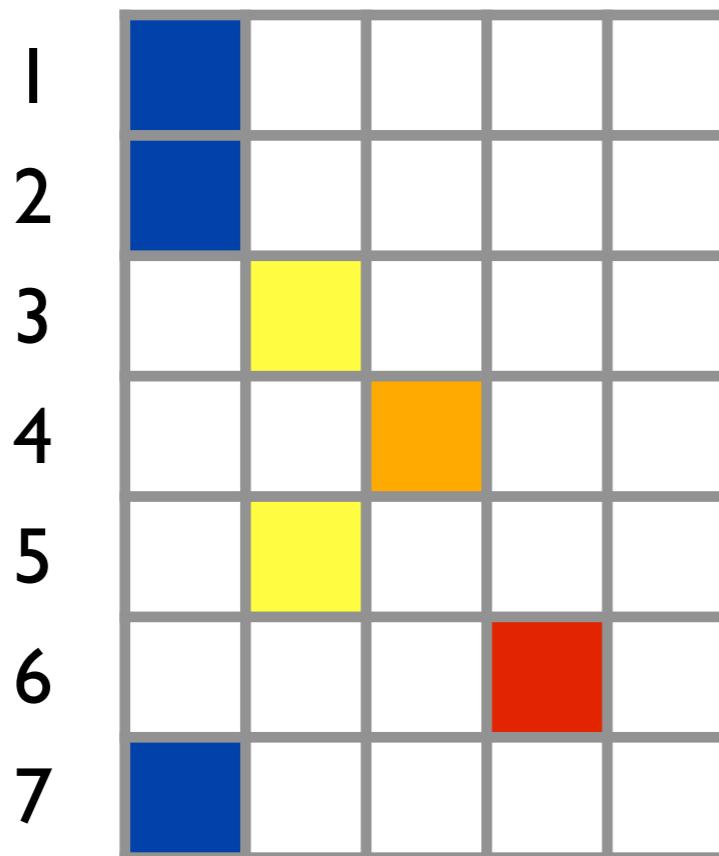
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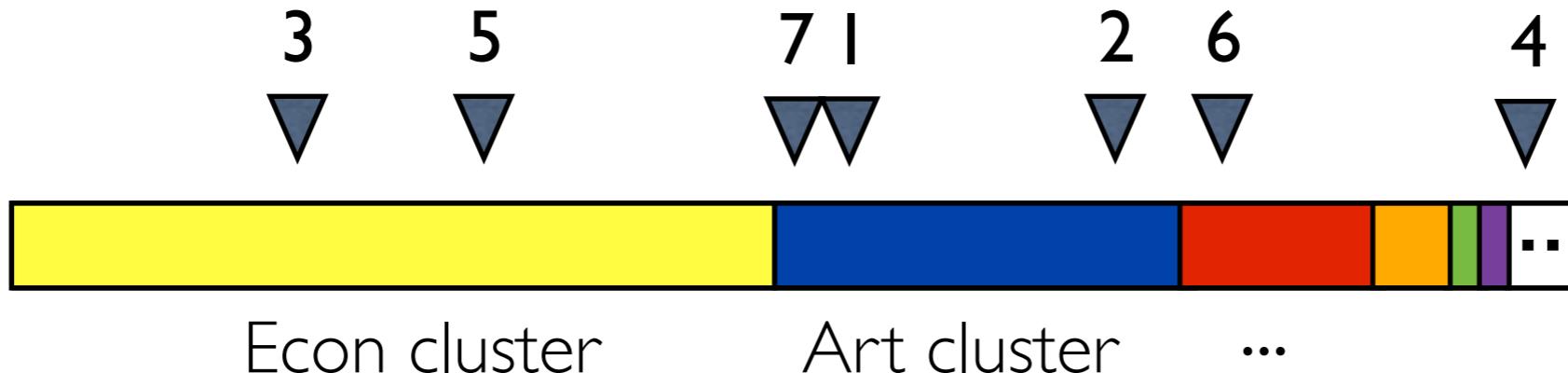
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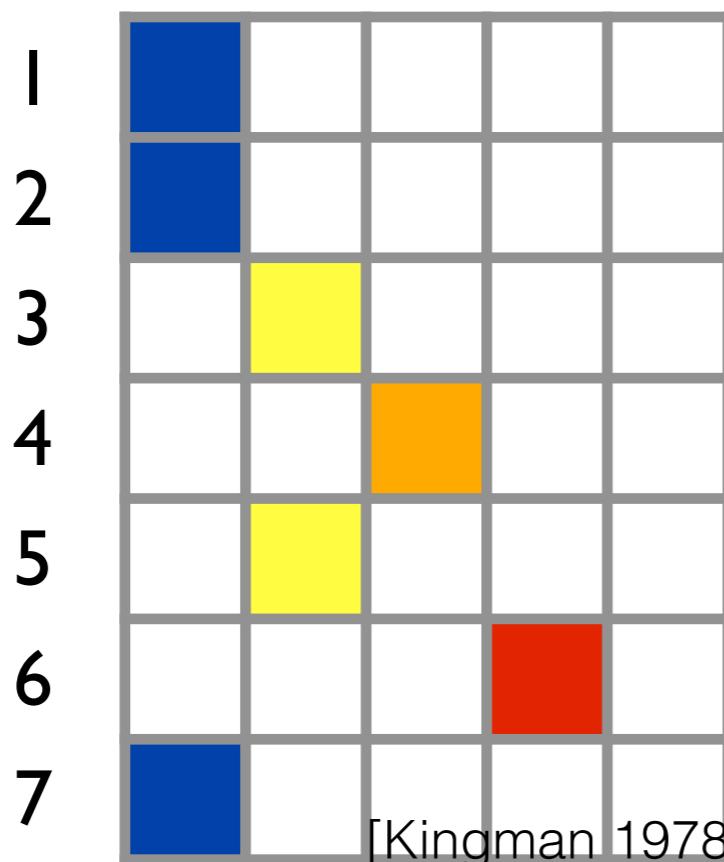
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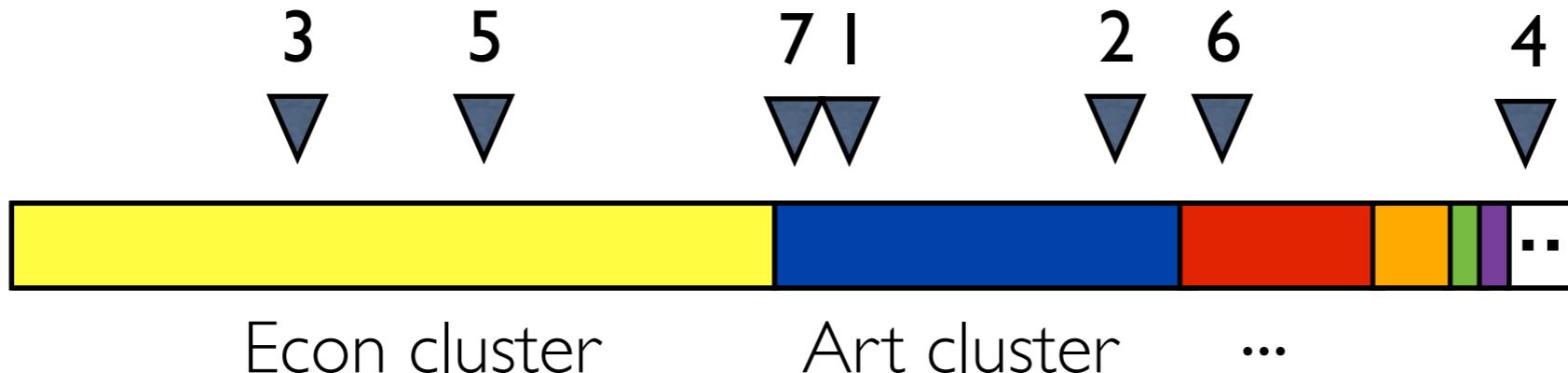
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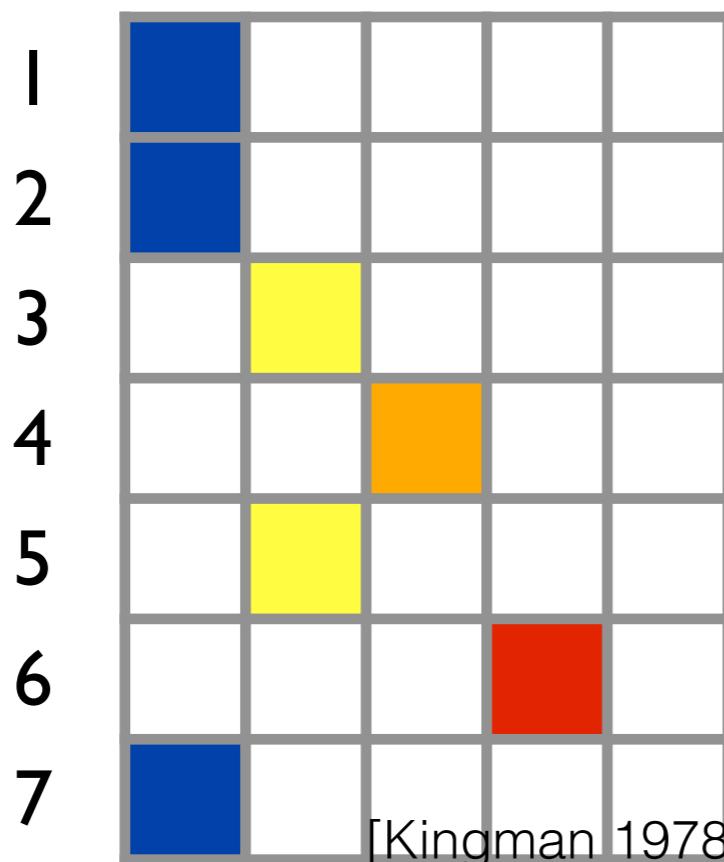
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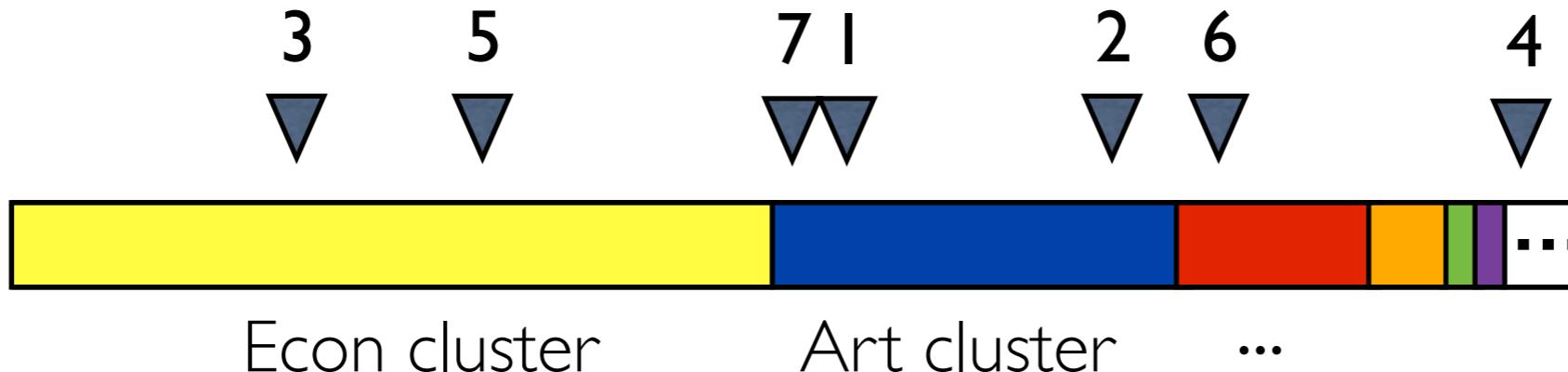
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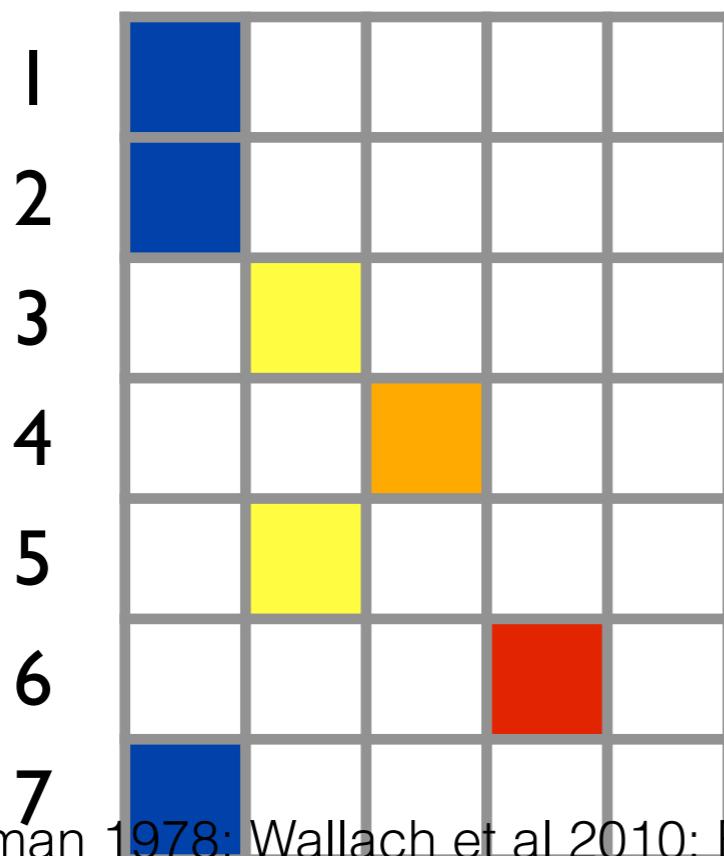
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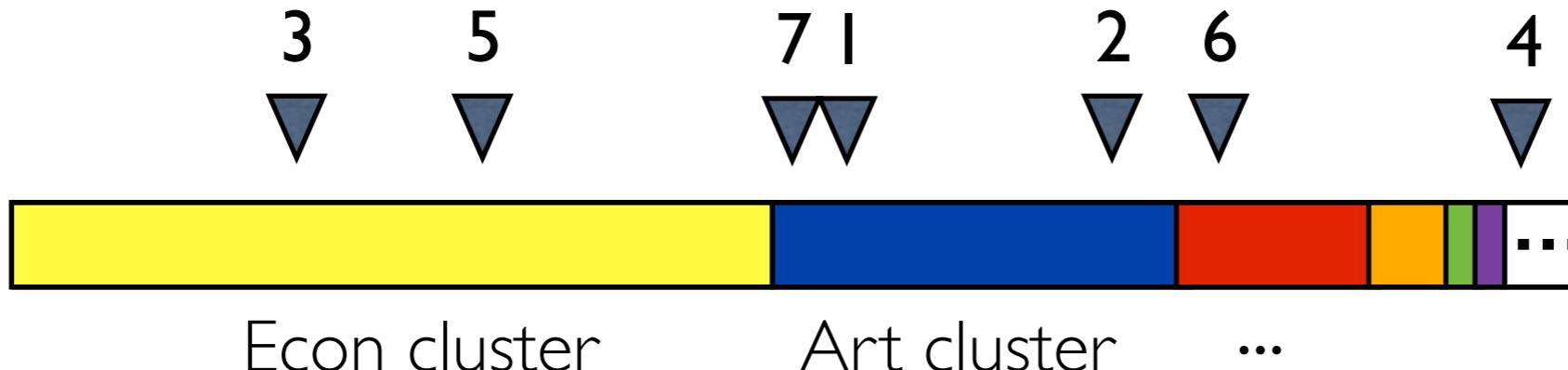
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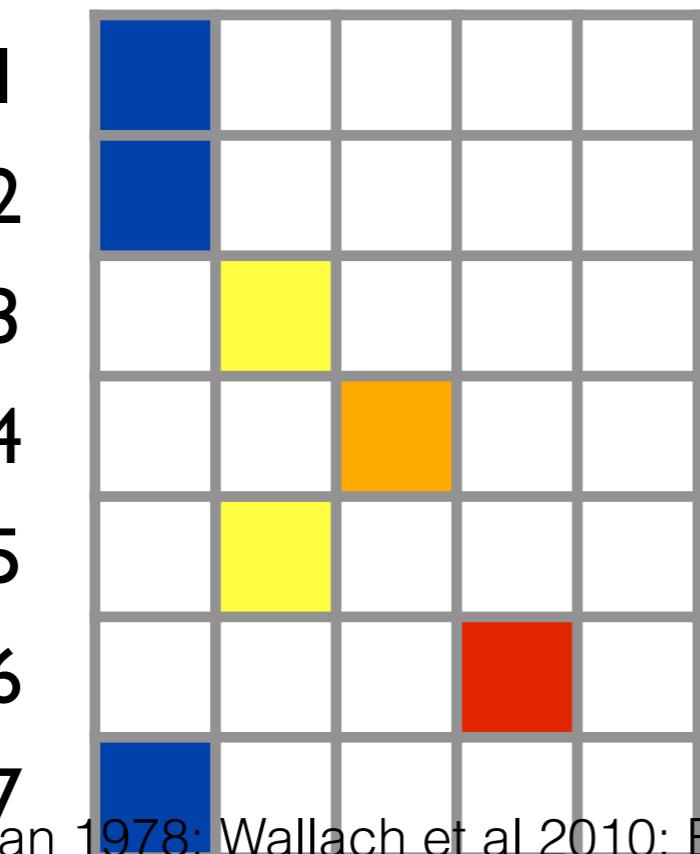
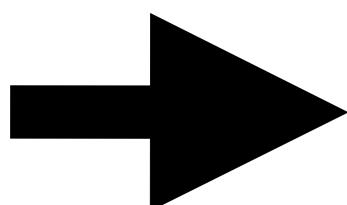
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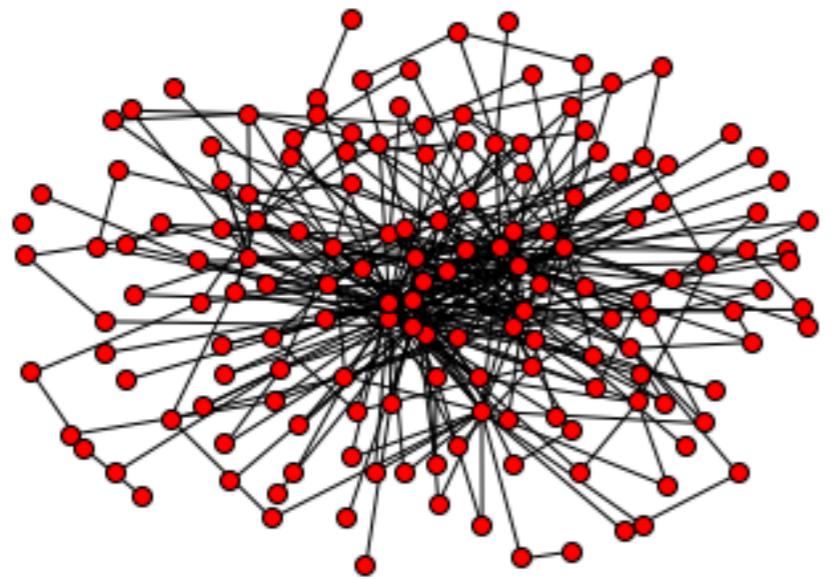


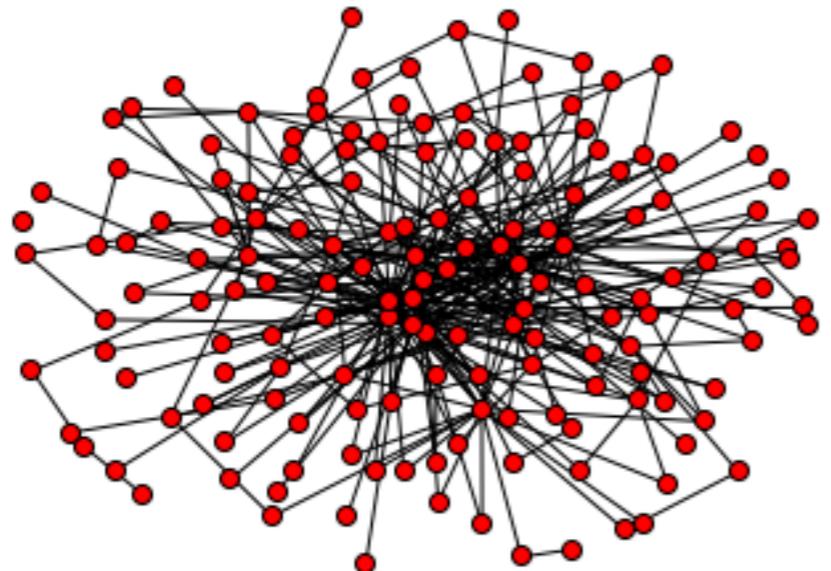
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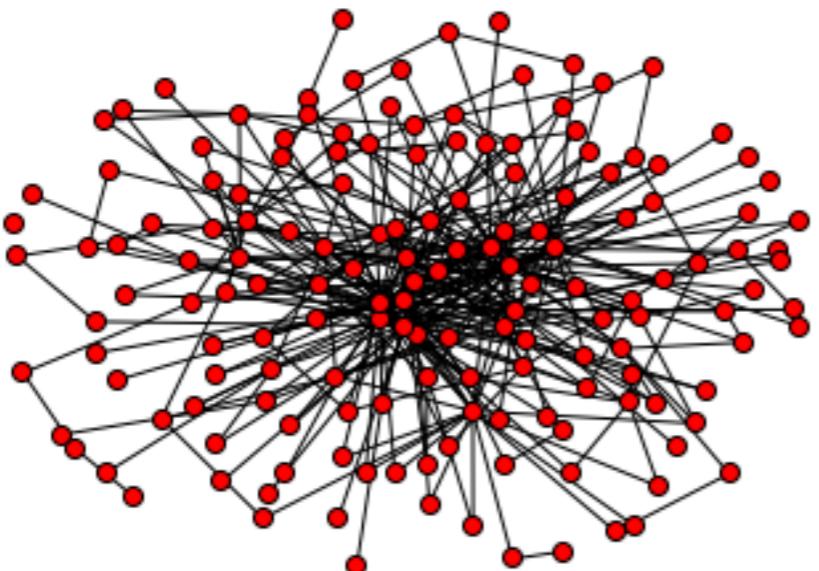
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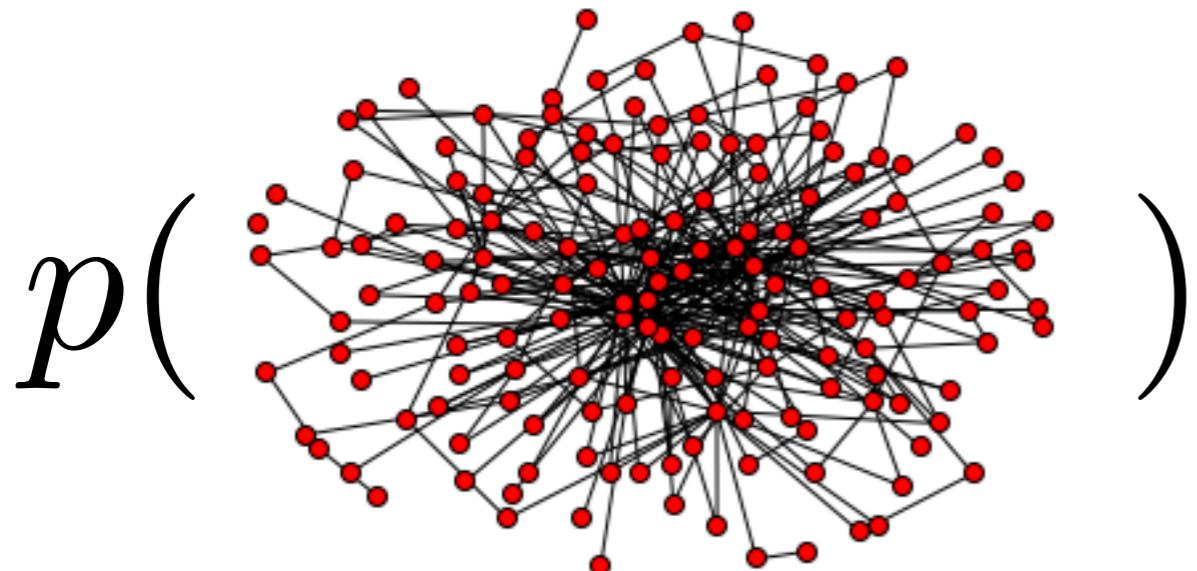
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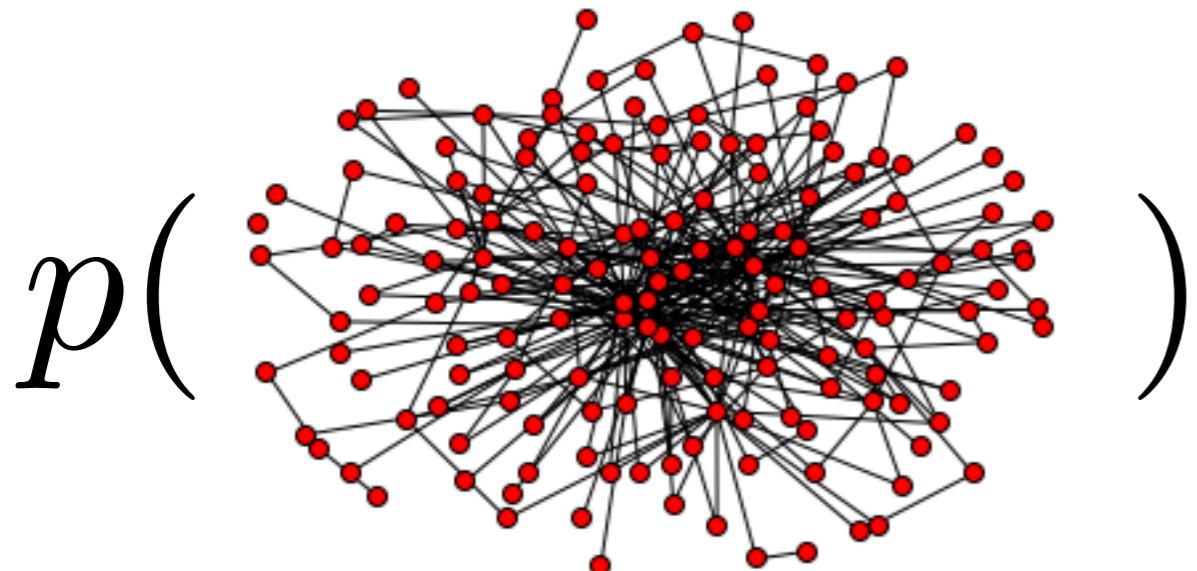
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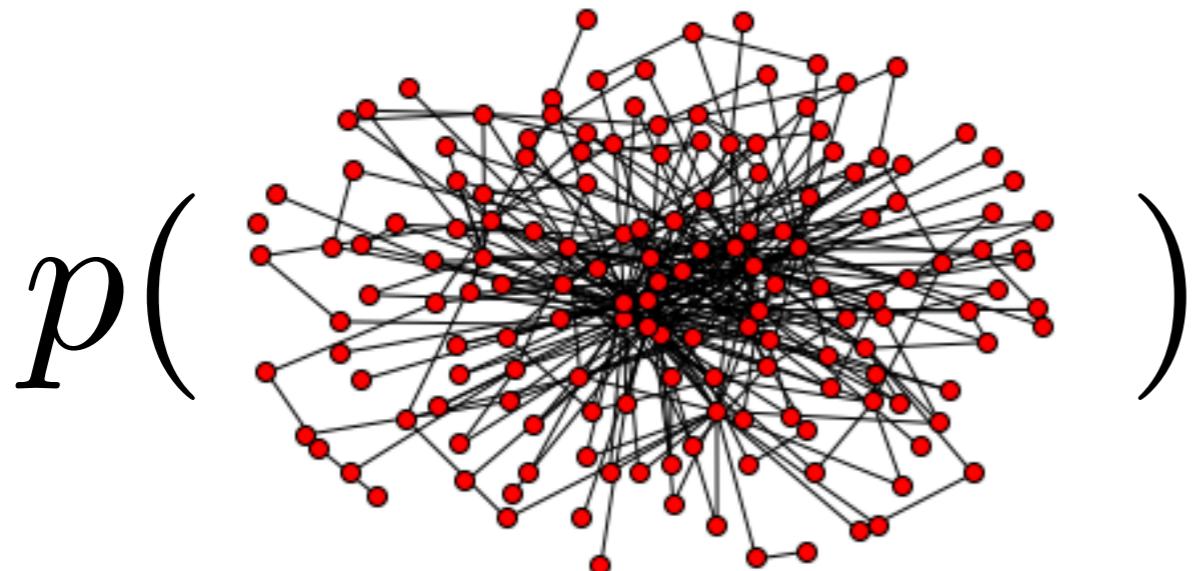
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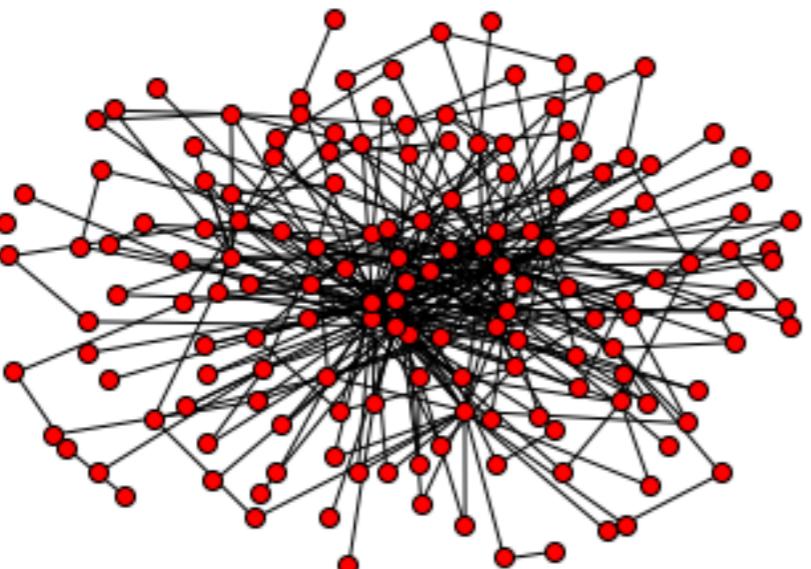
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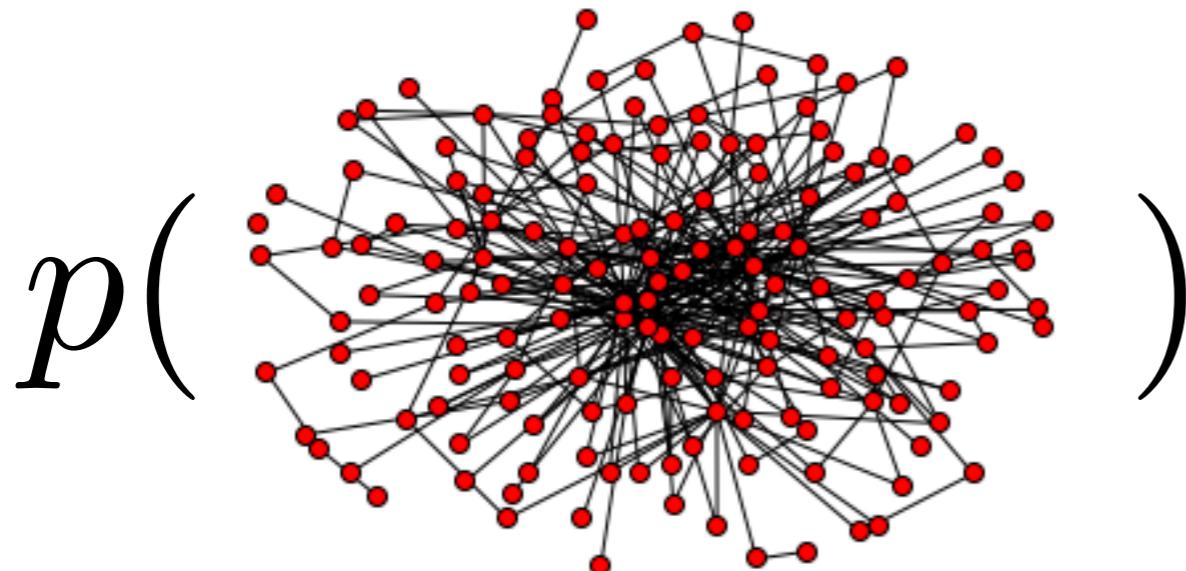
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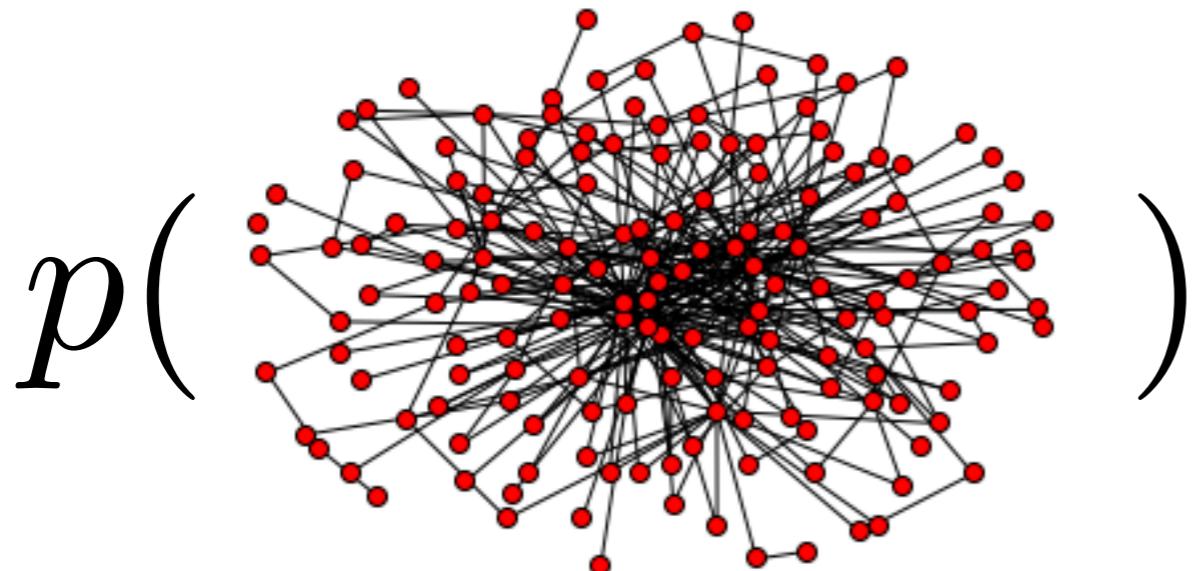
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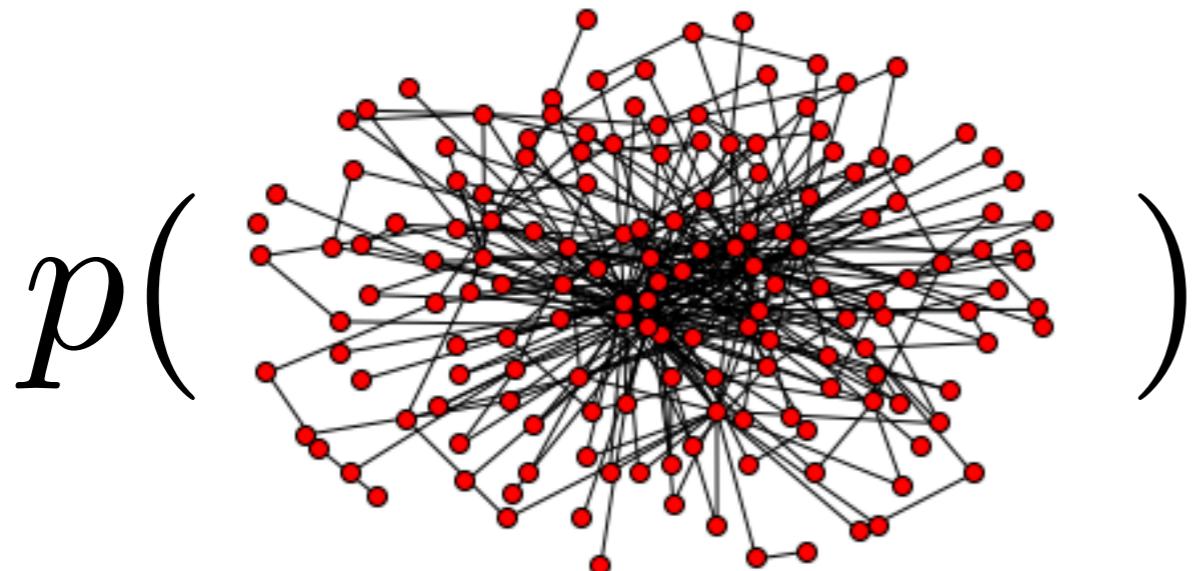
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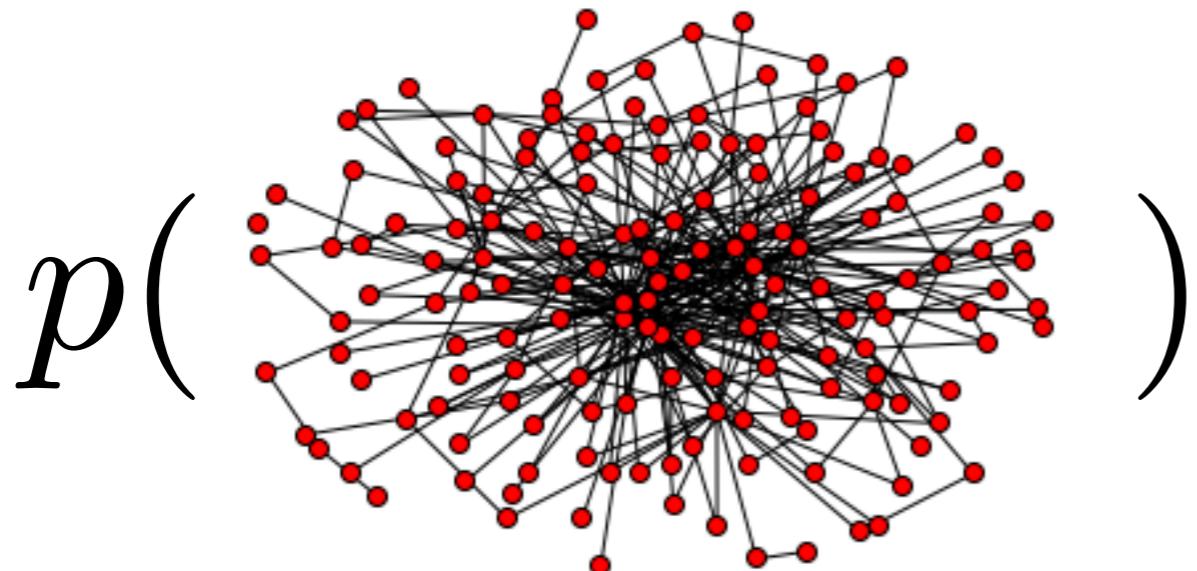
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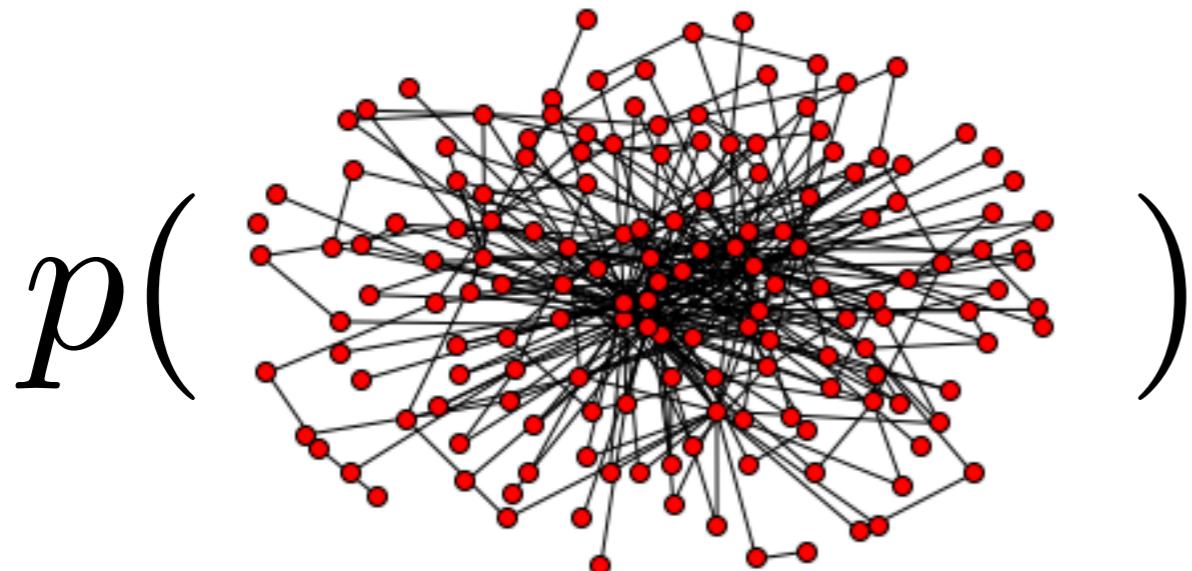
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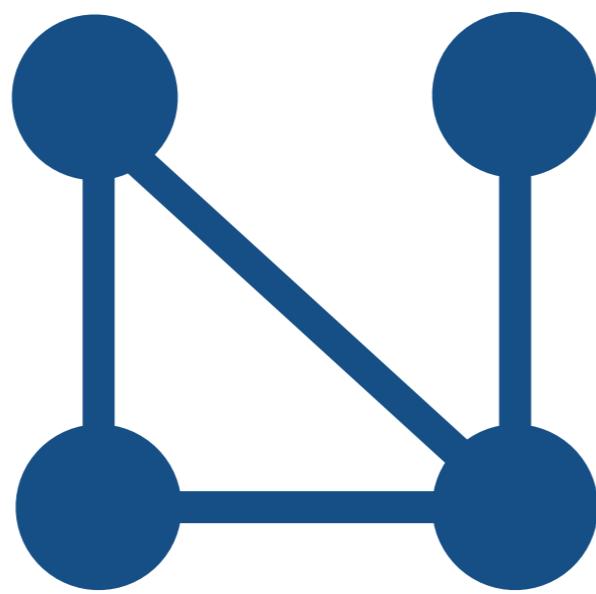
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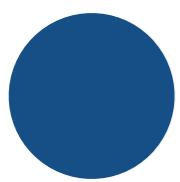
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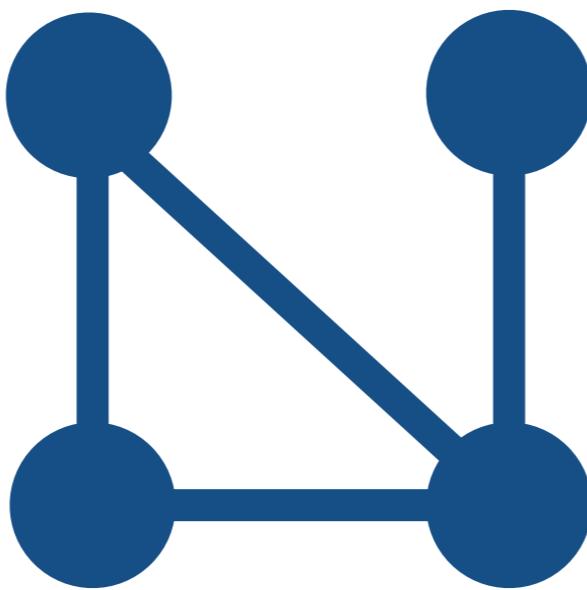


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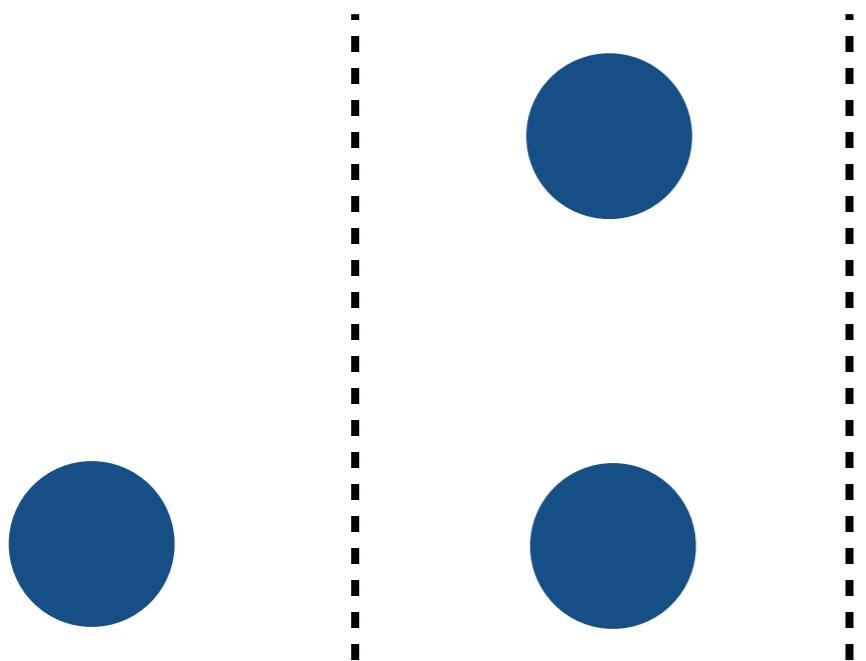


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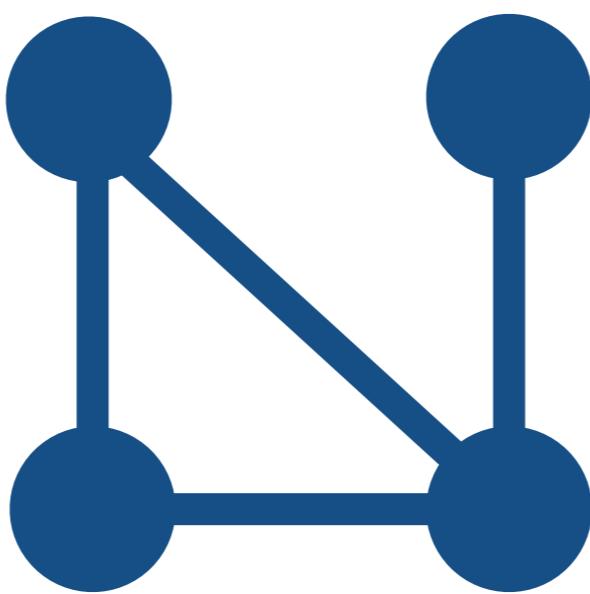
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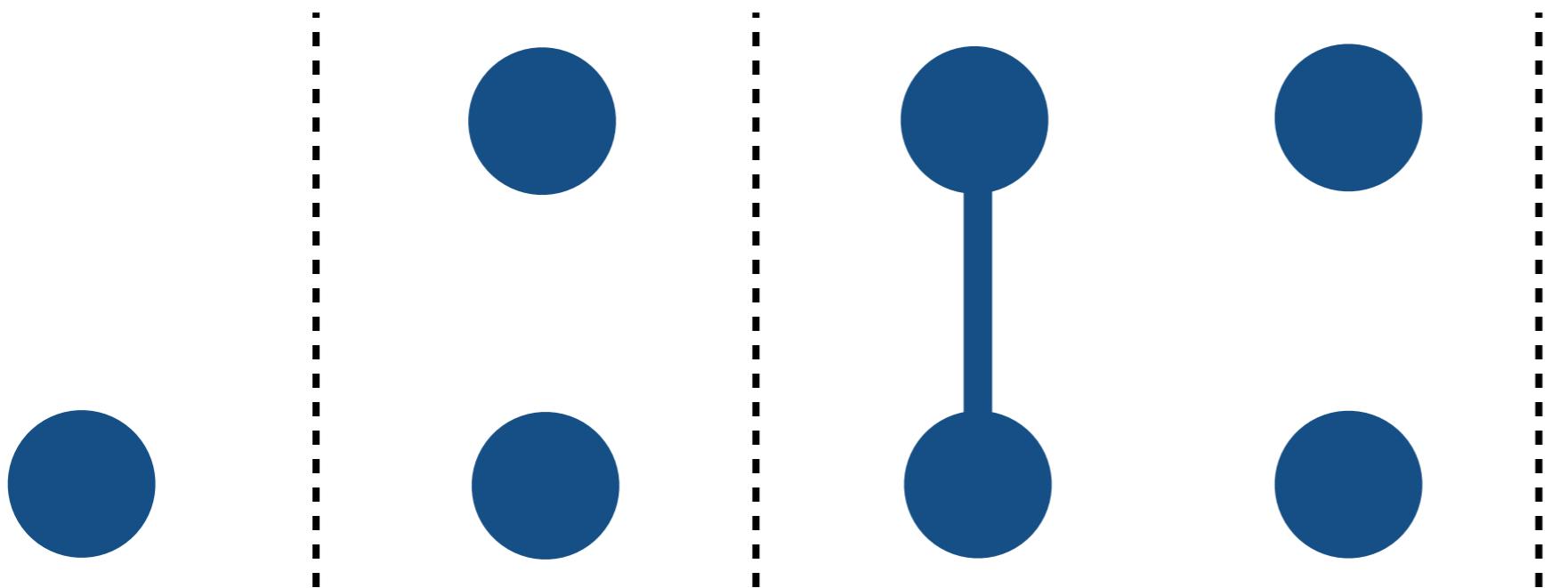
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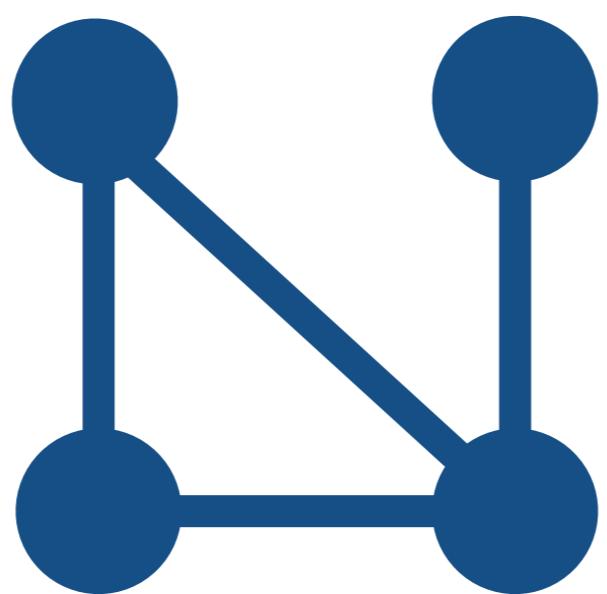
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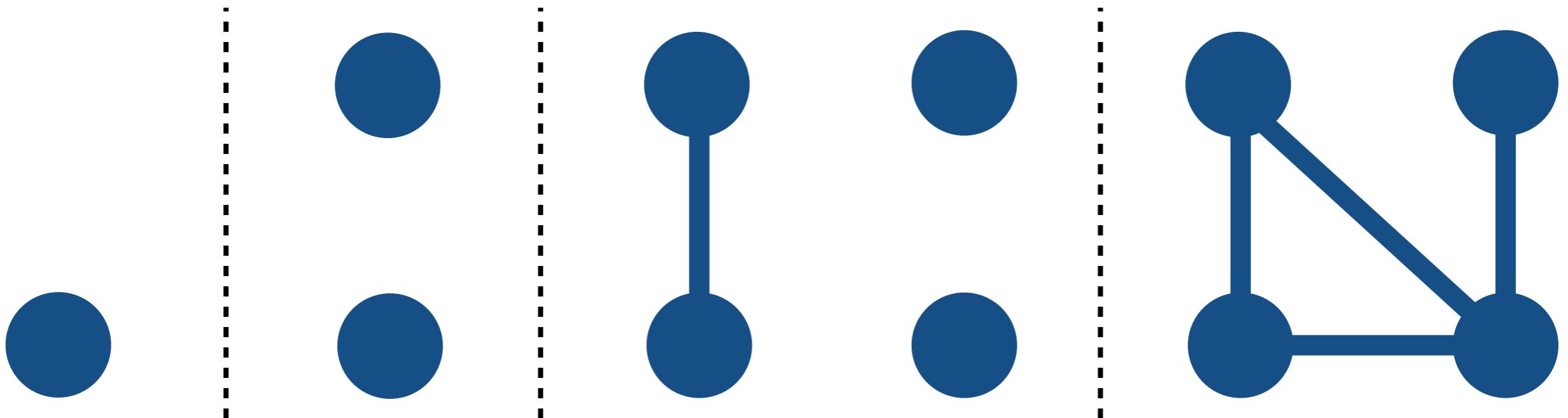
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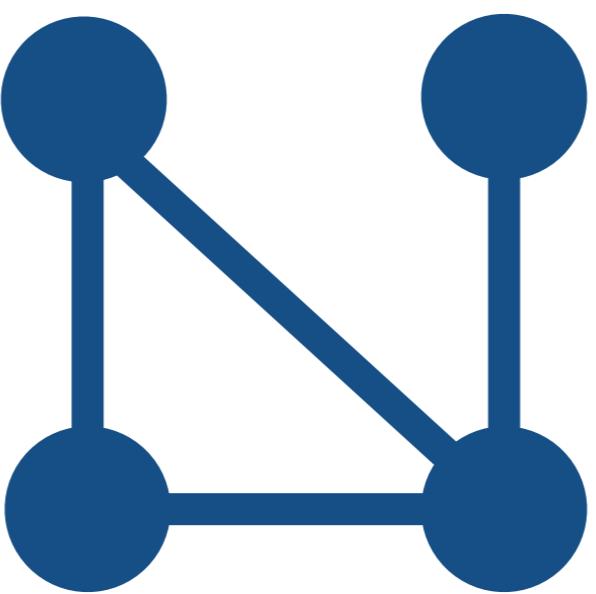


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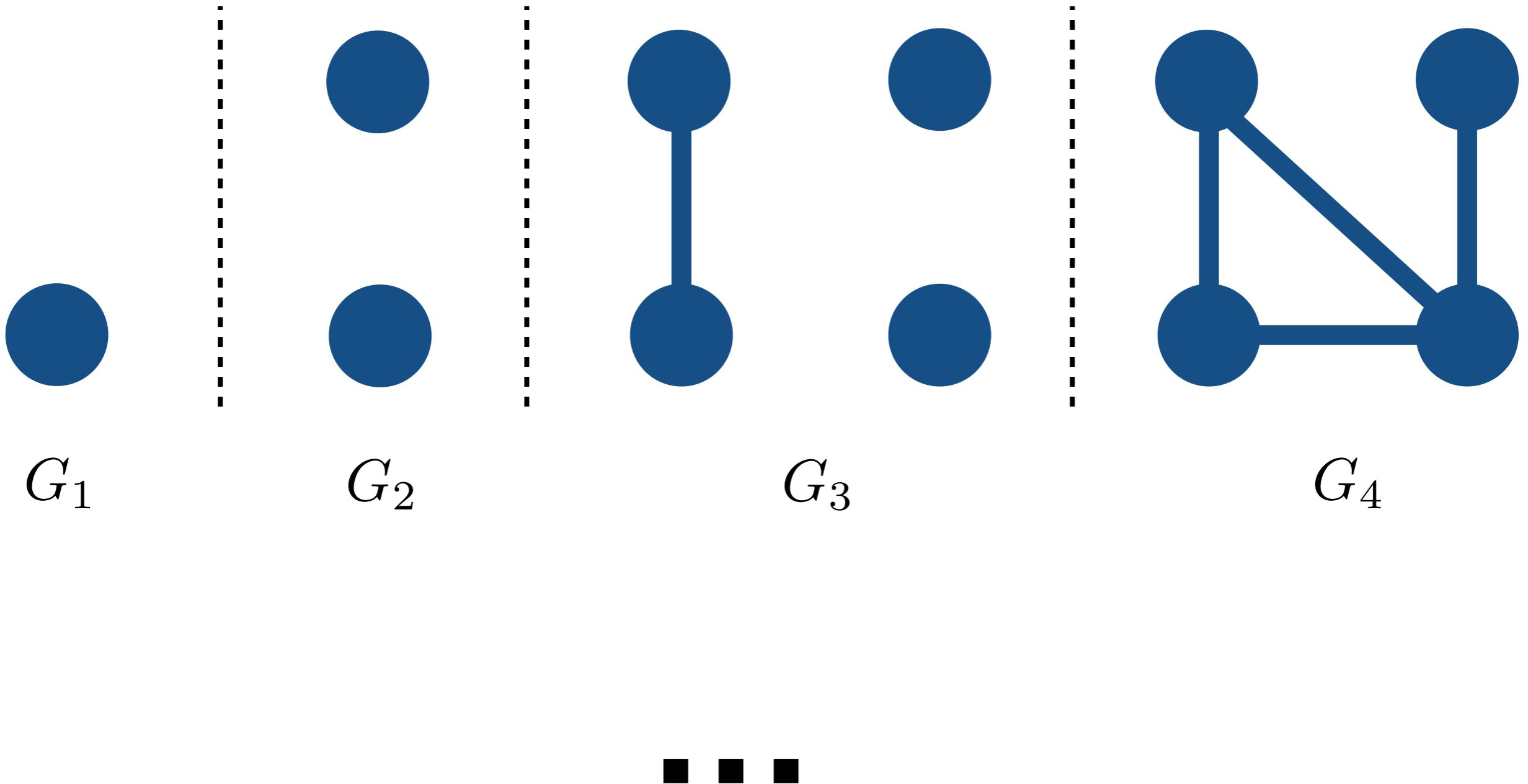
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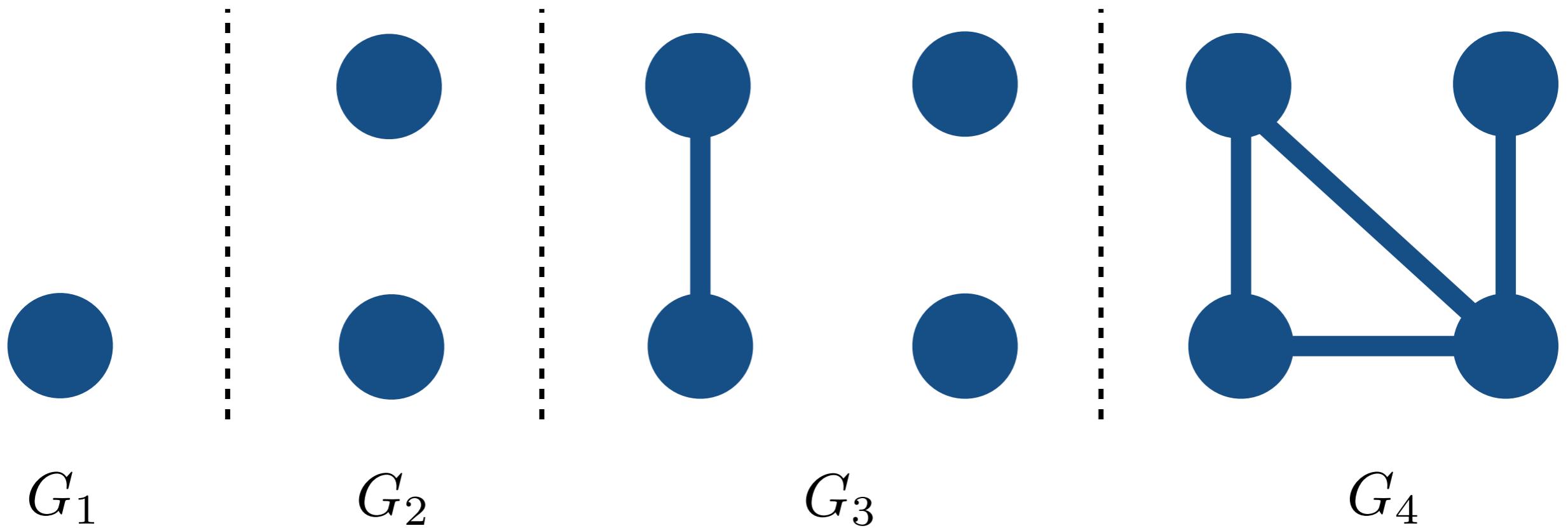


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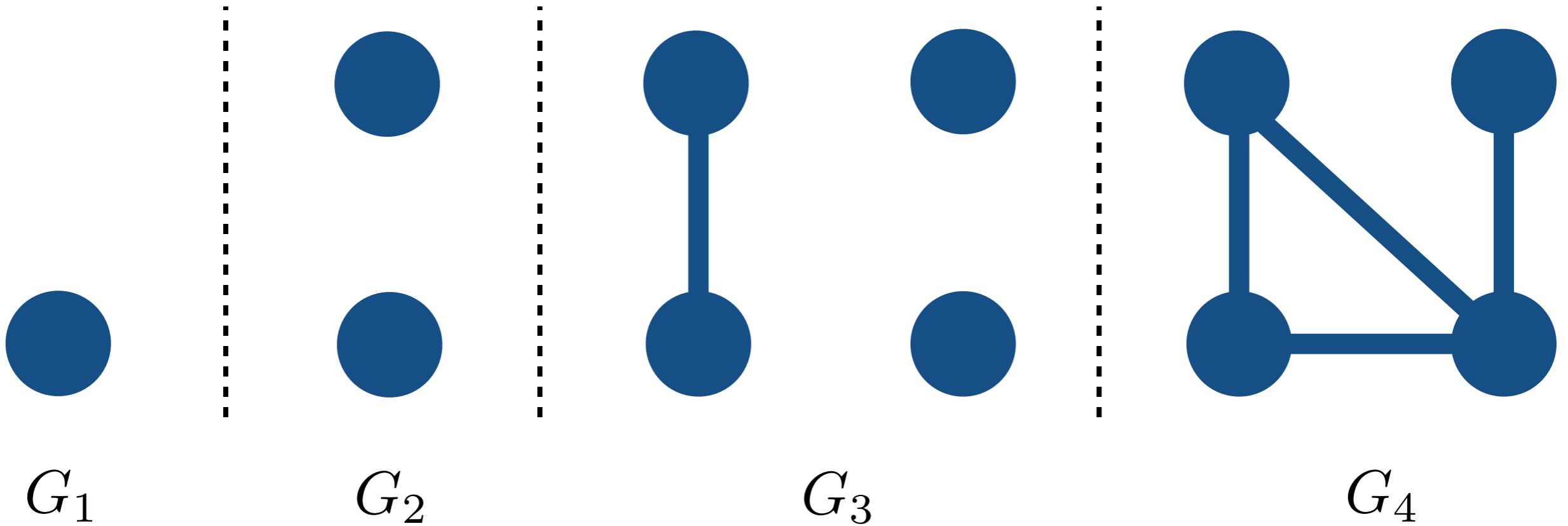


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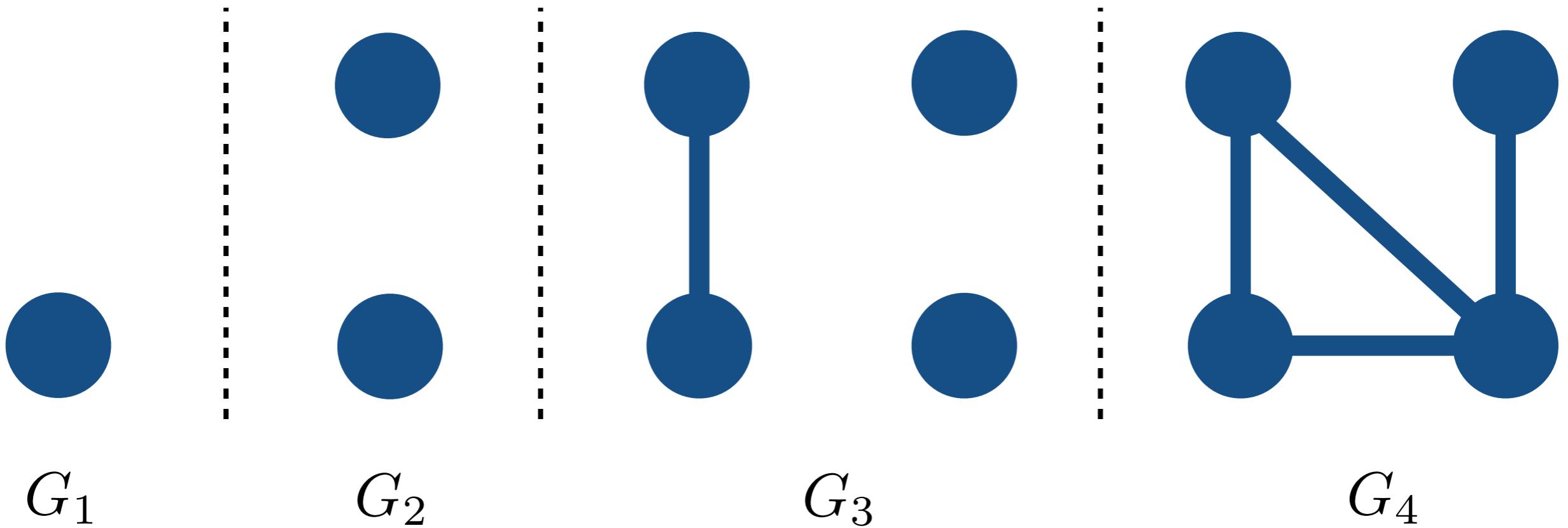
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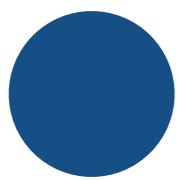
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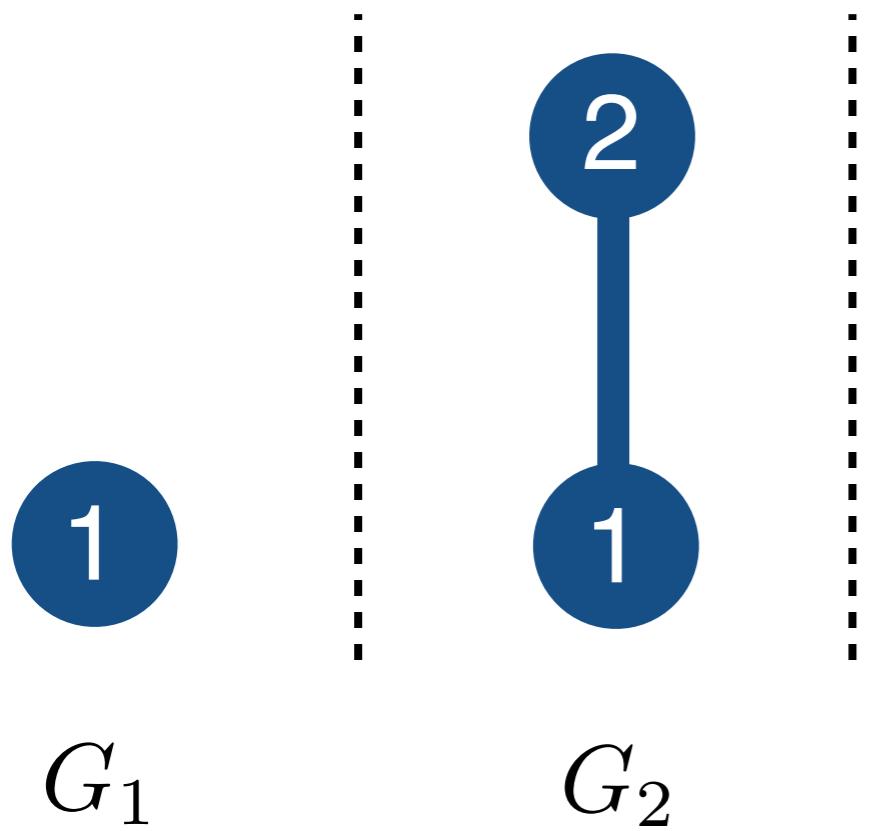
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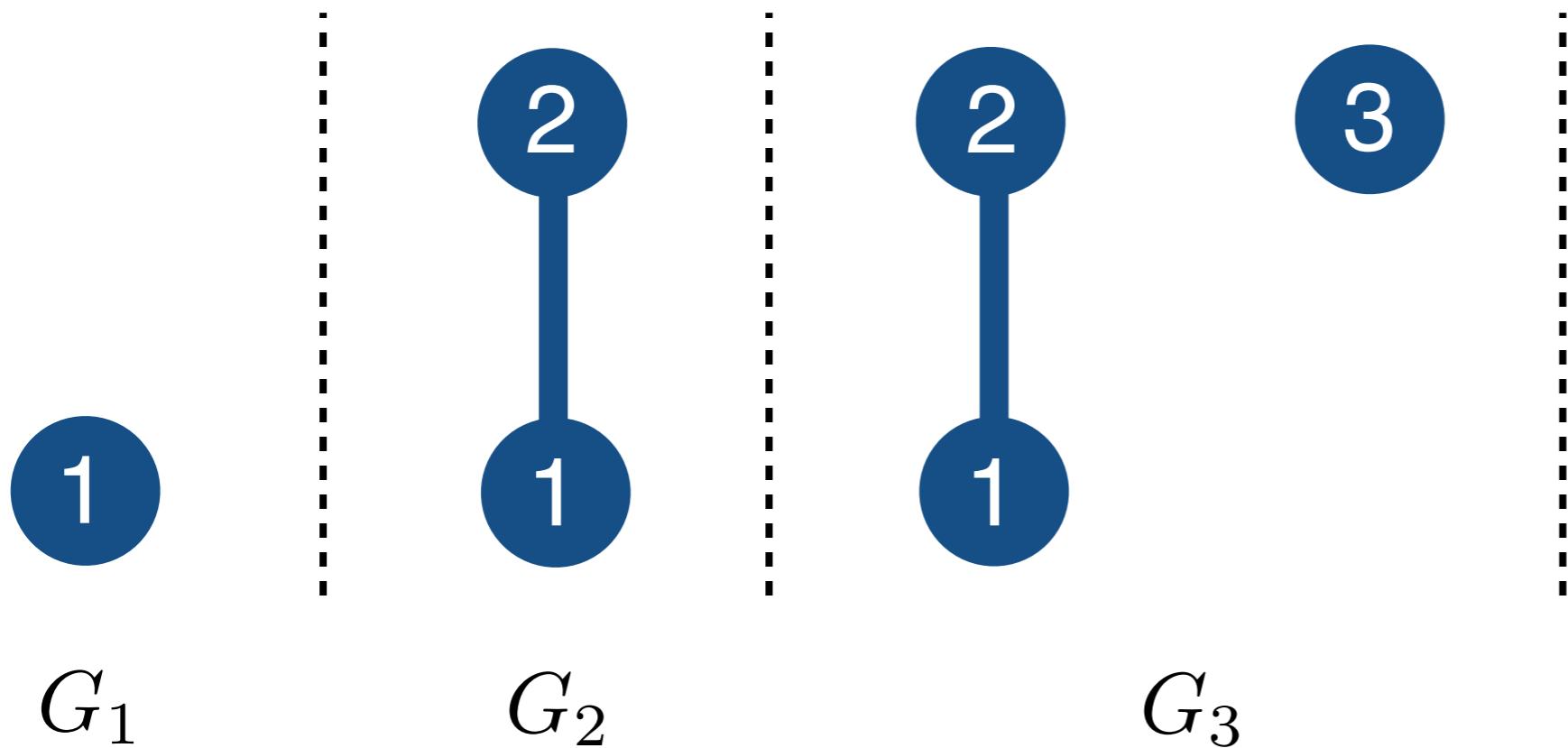
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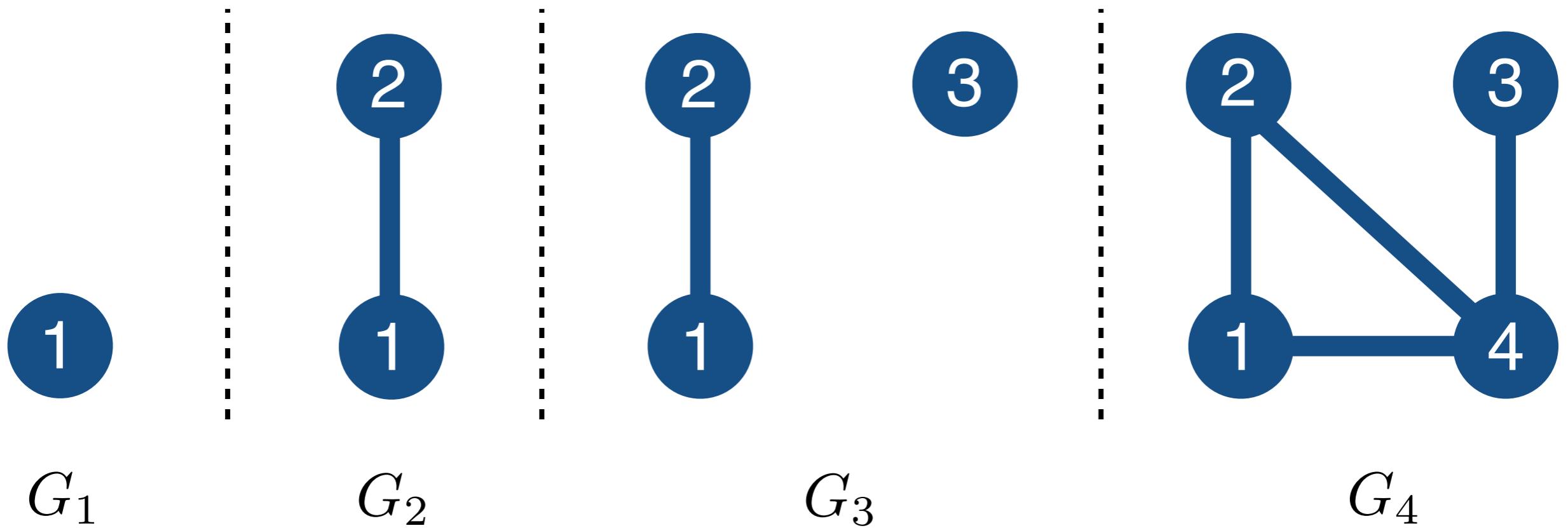
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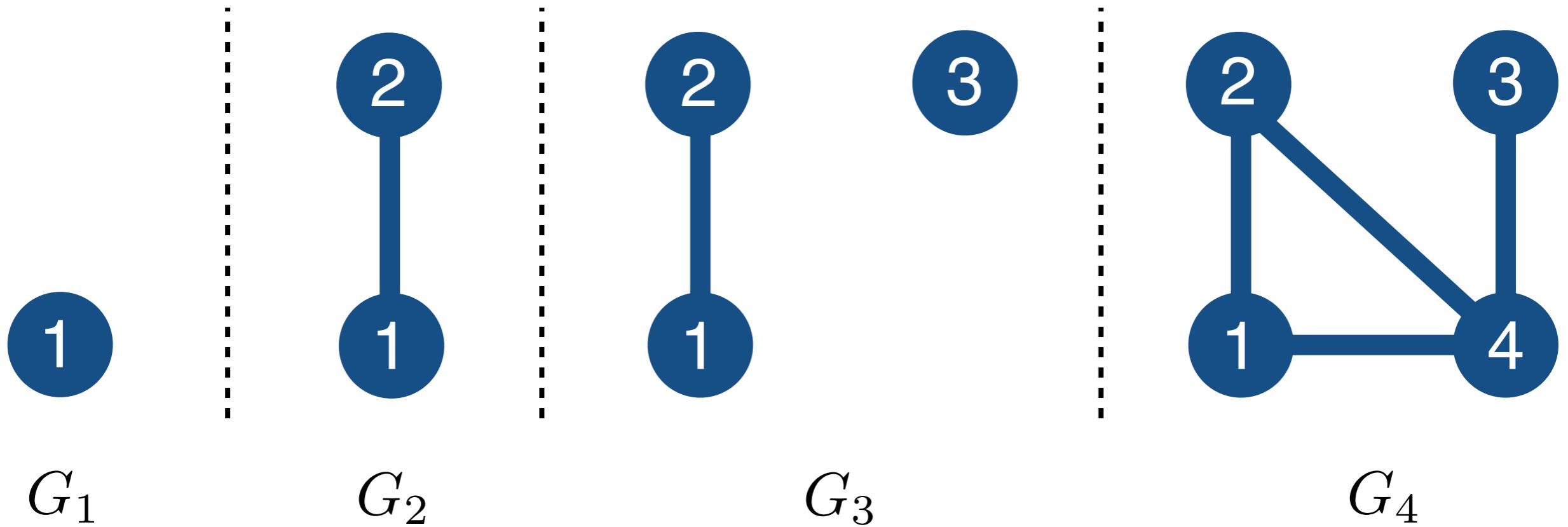
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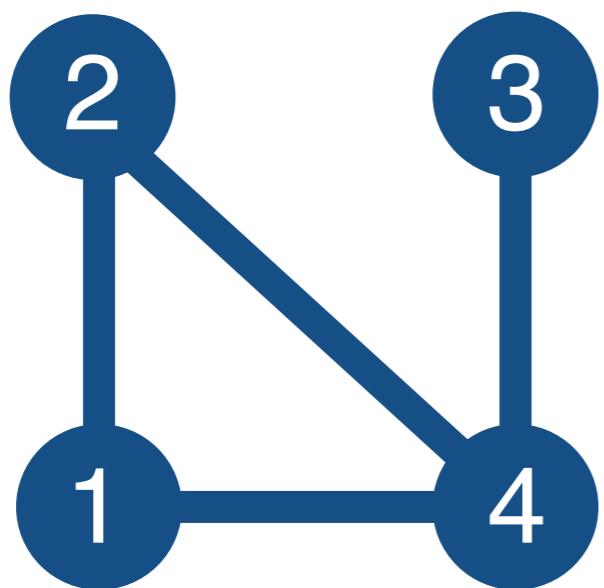
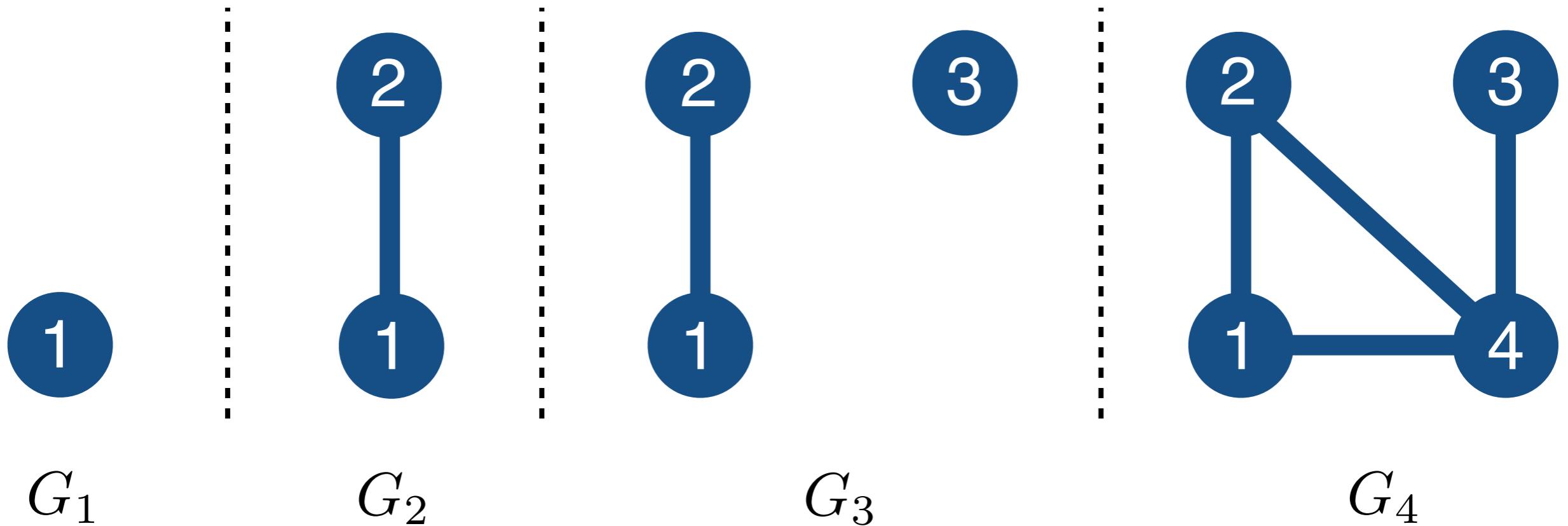
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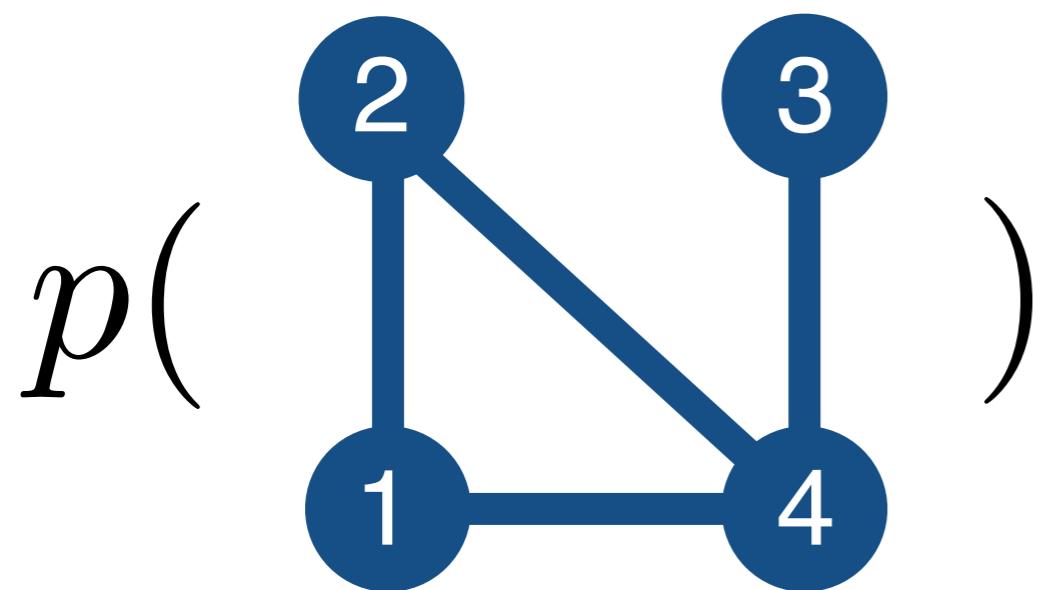
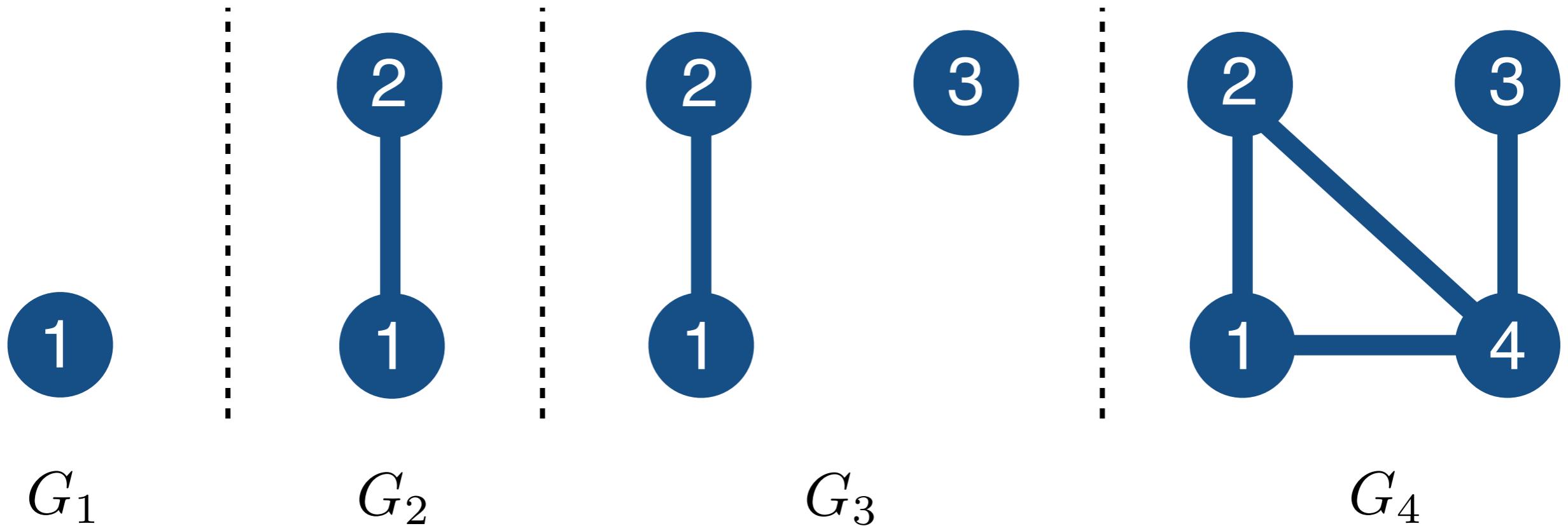
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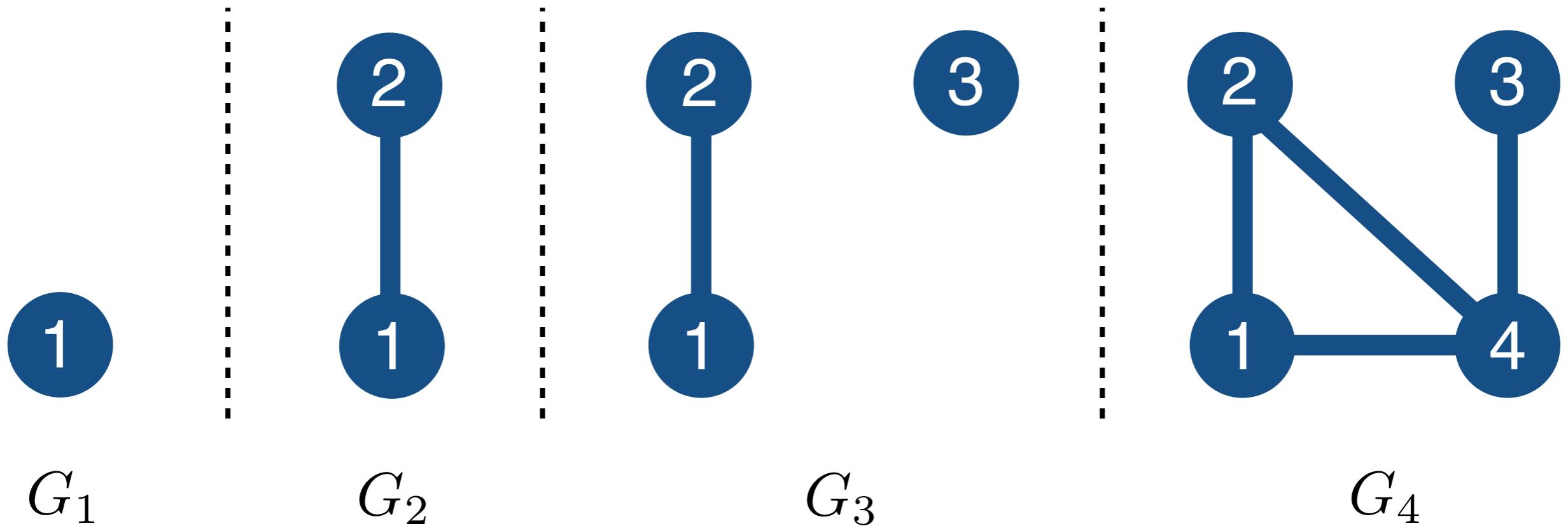
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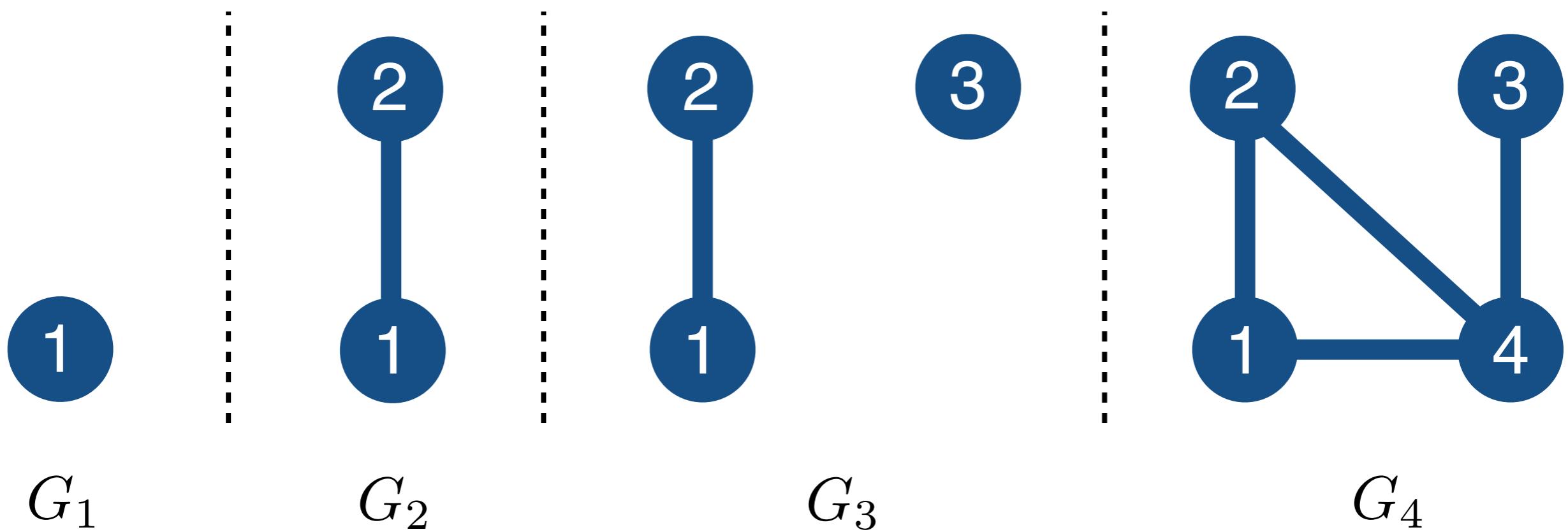
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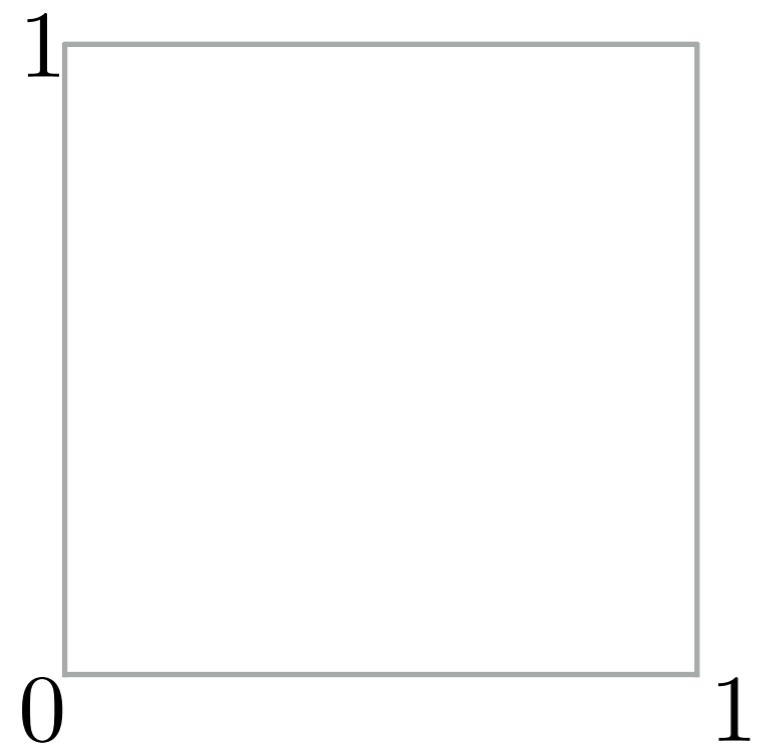
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The Old Way: Node exchangeability

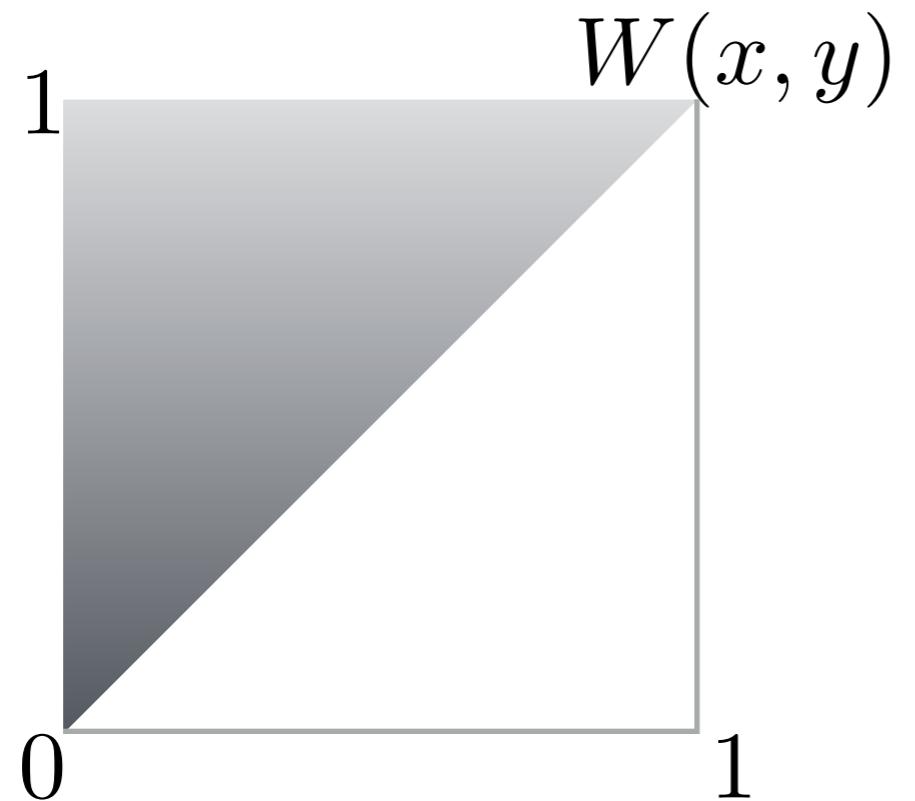


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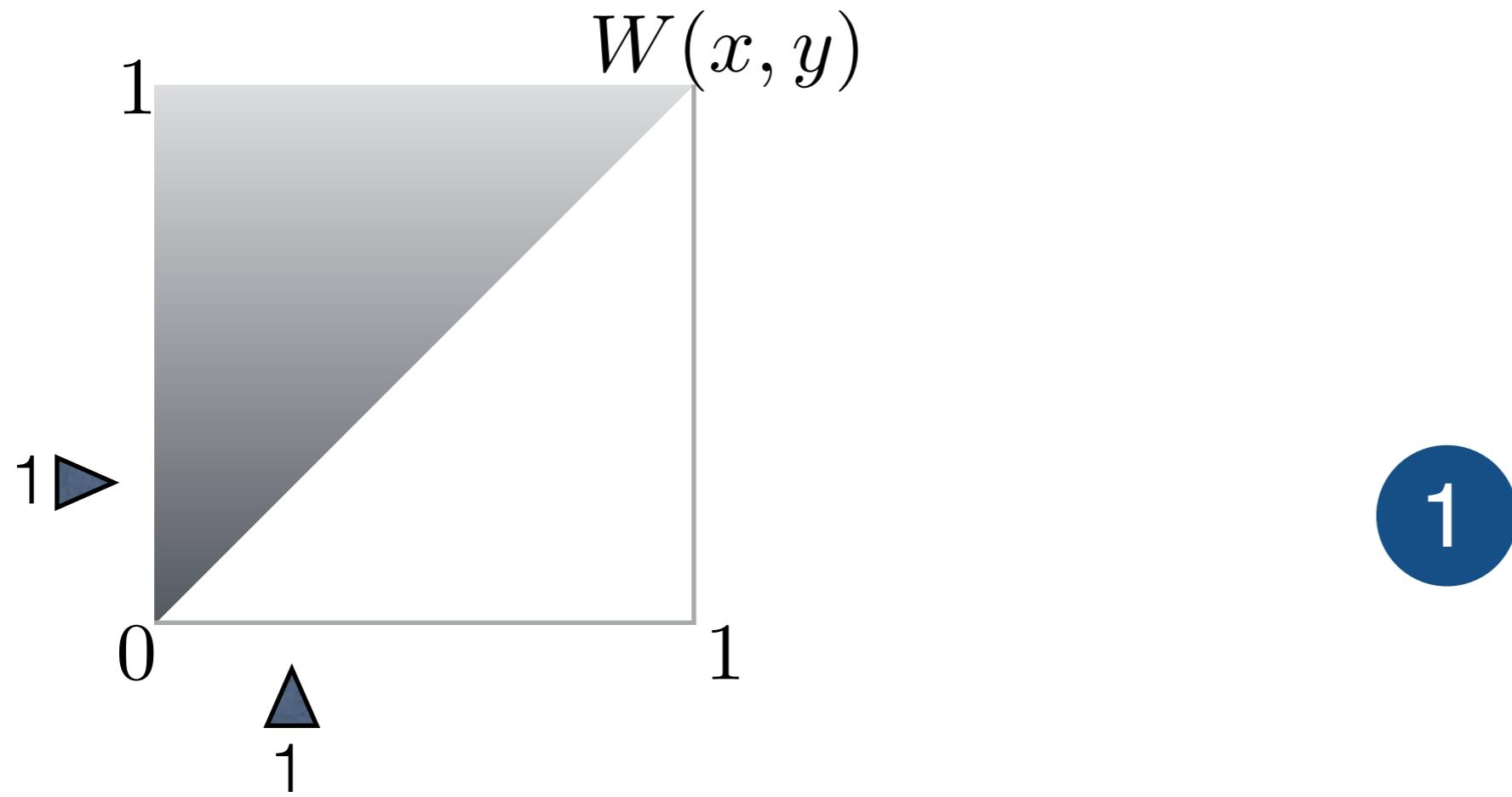
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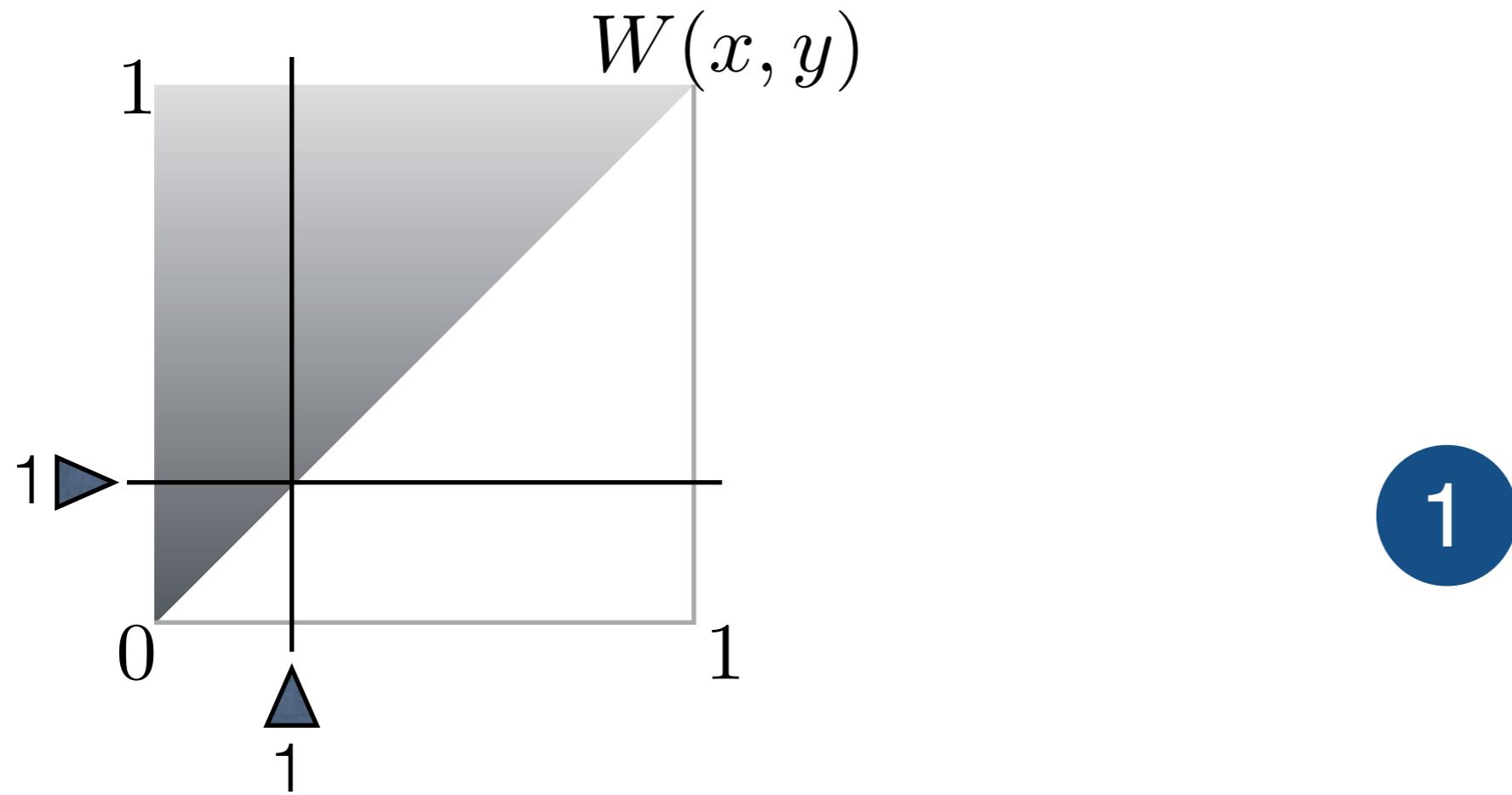
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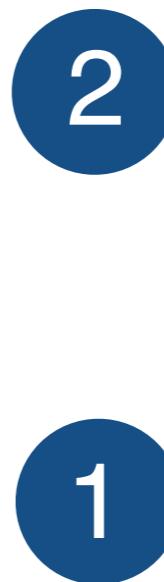
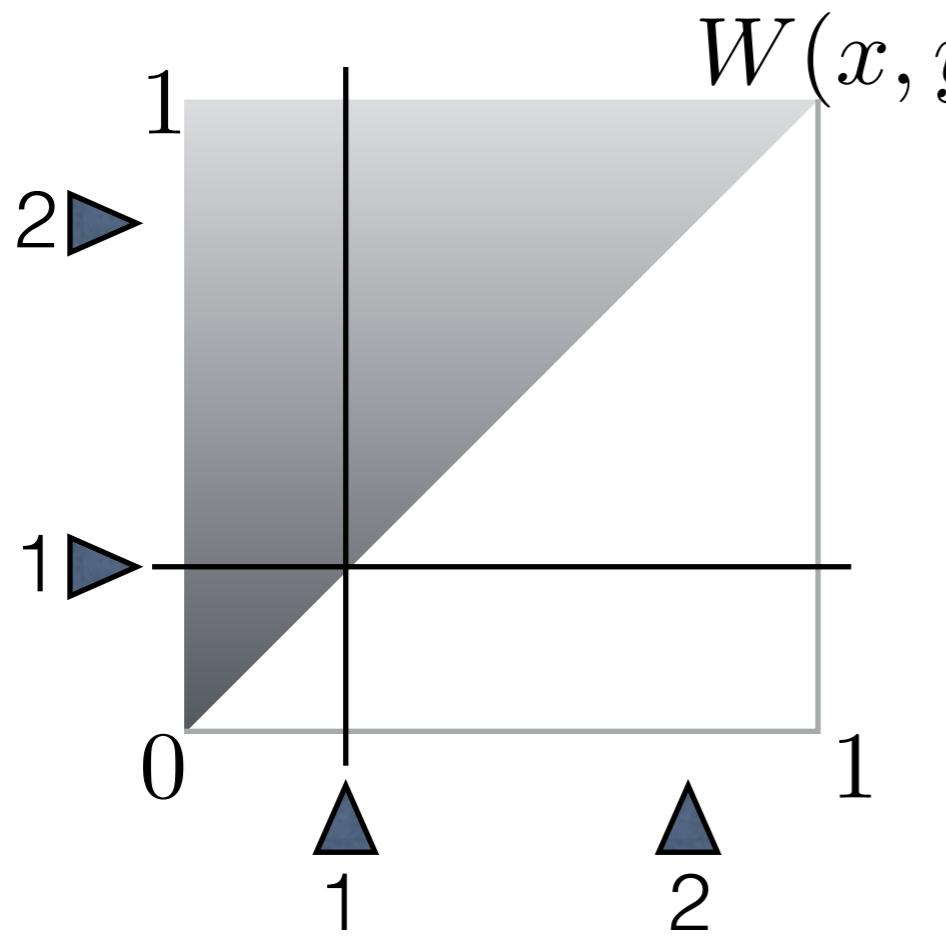
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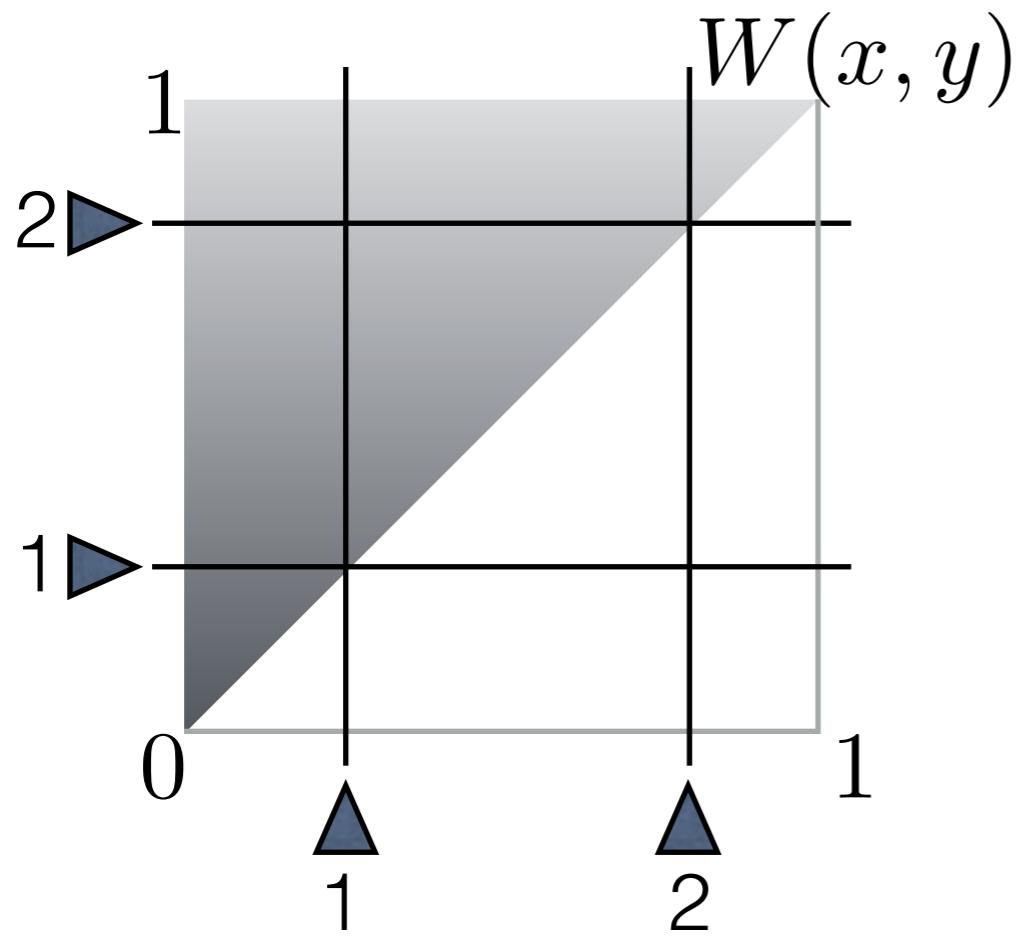
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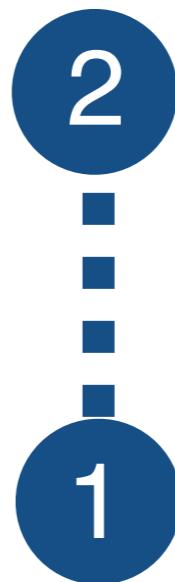
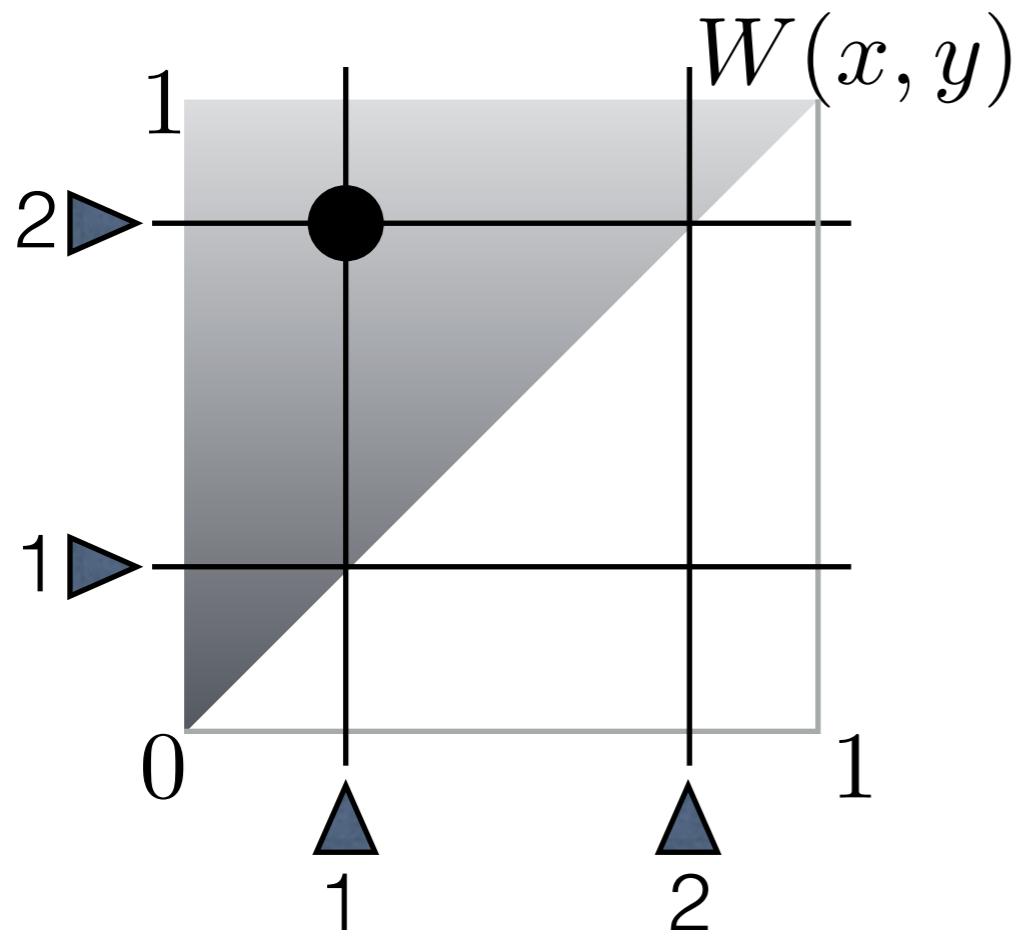
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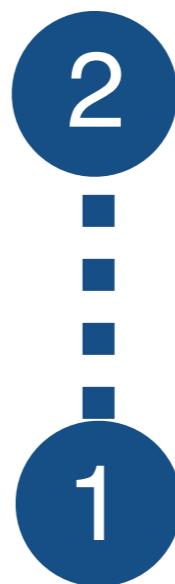
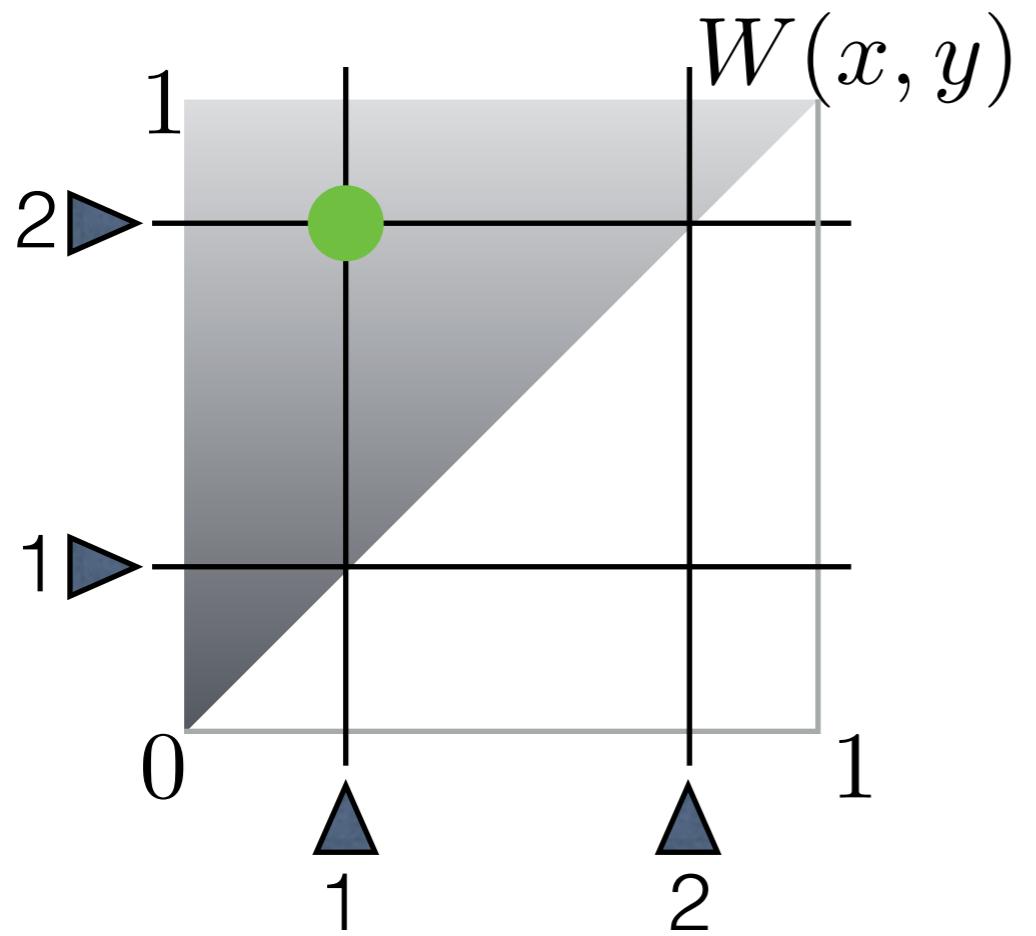
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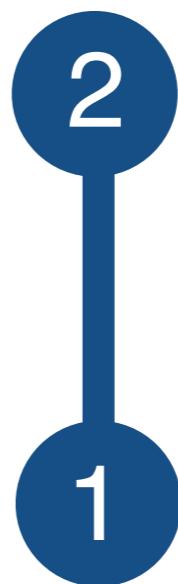
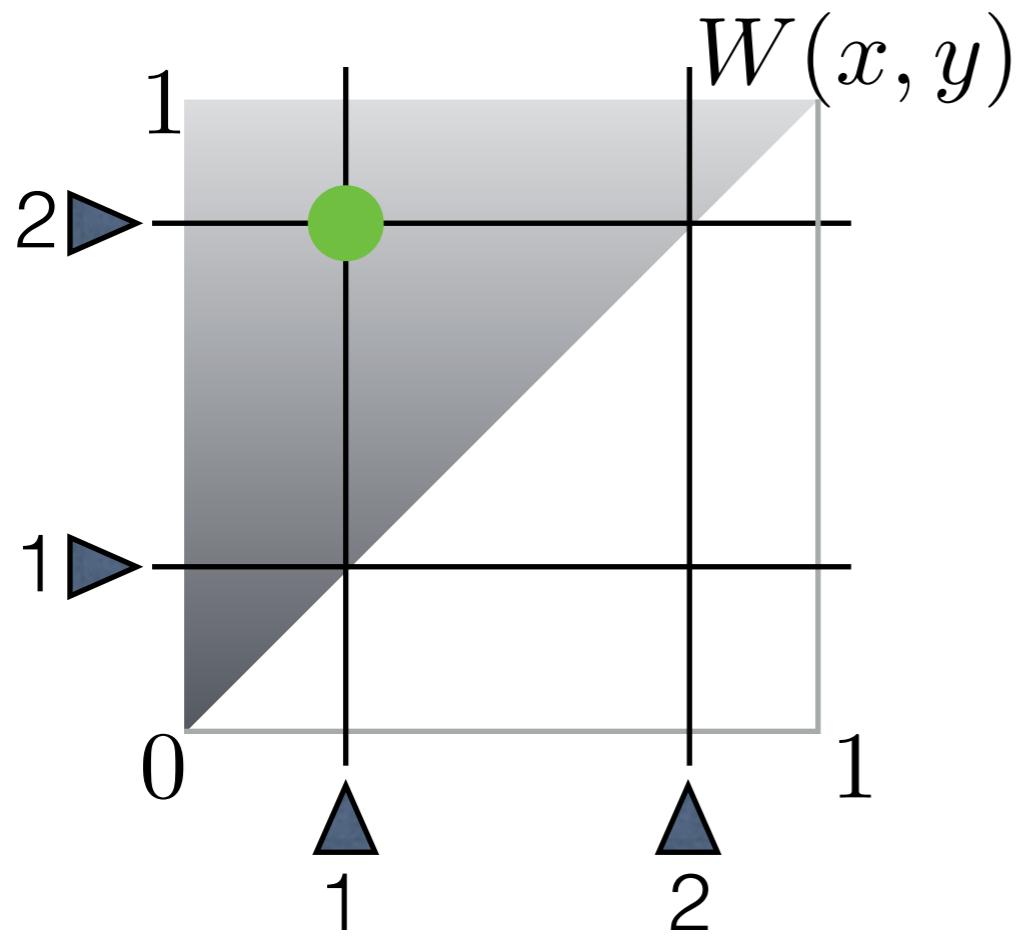
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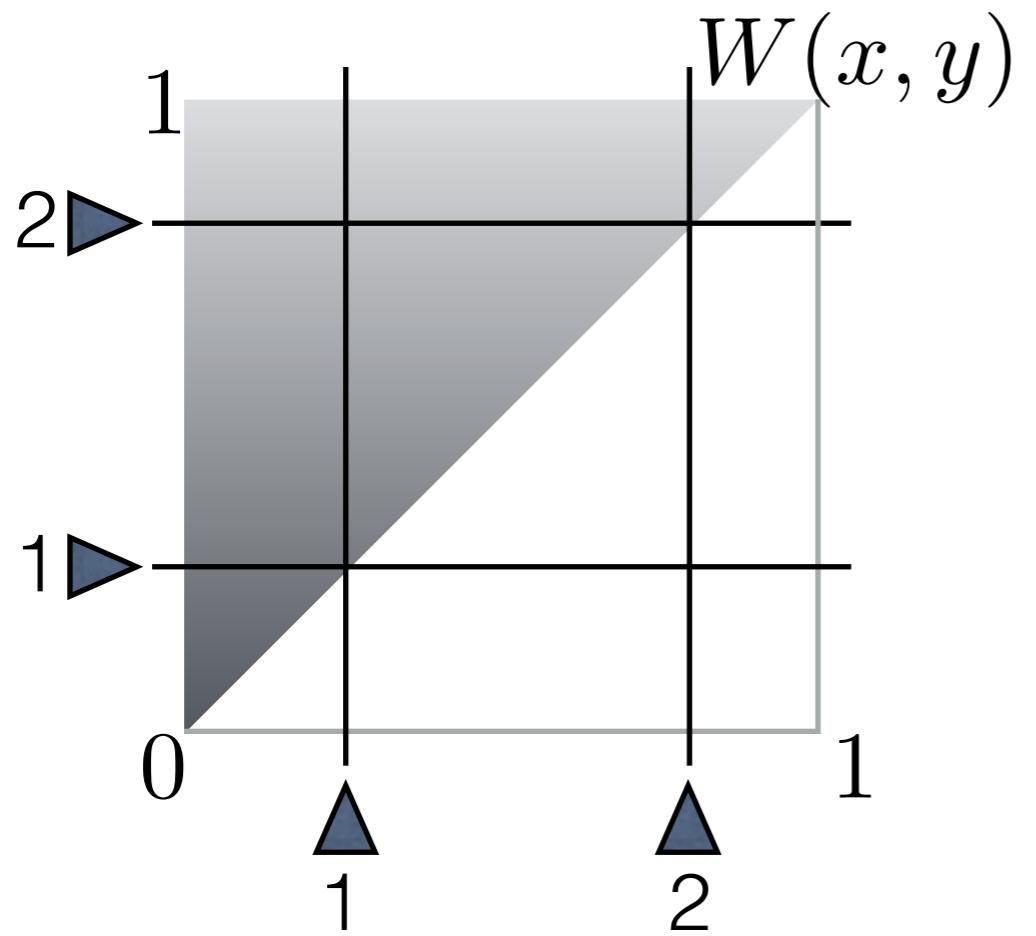
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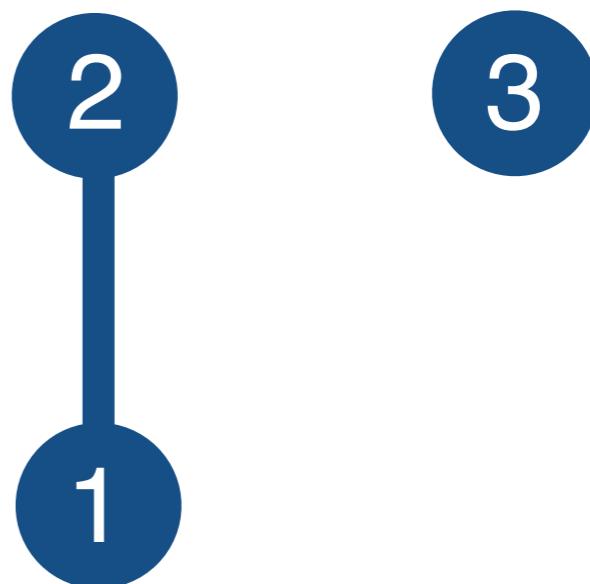
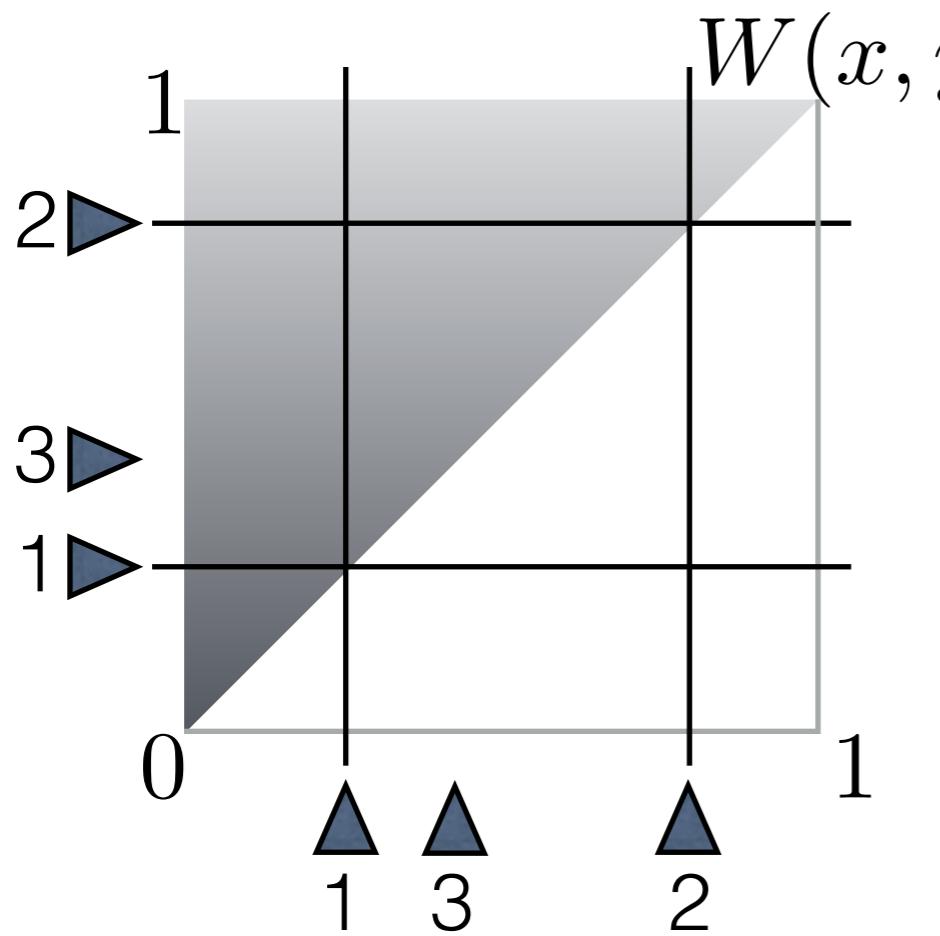
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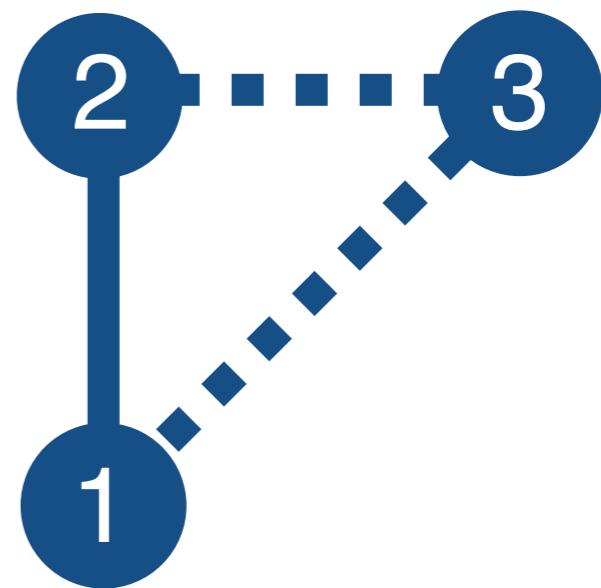
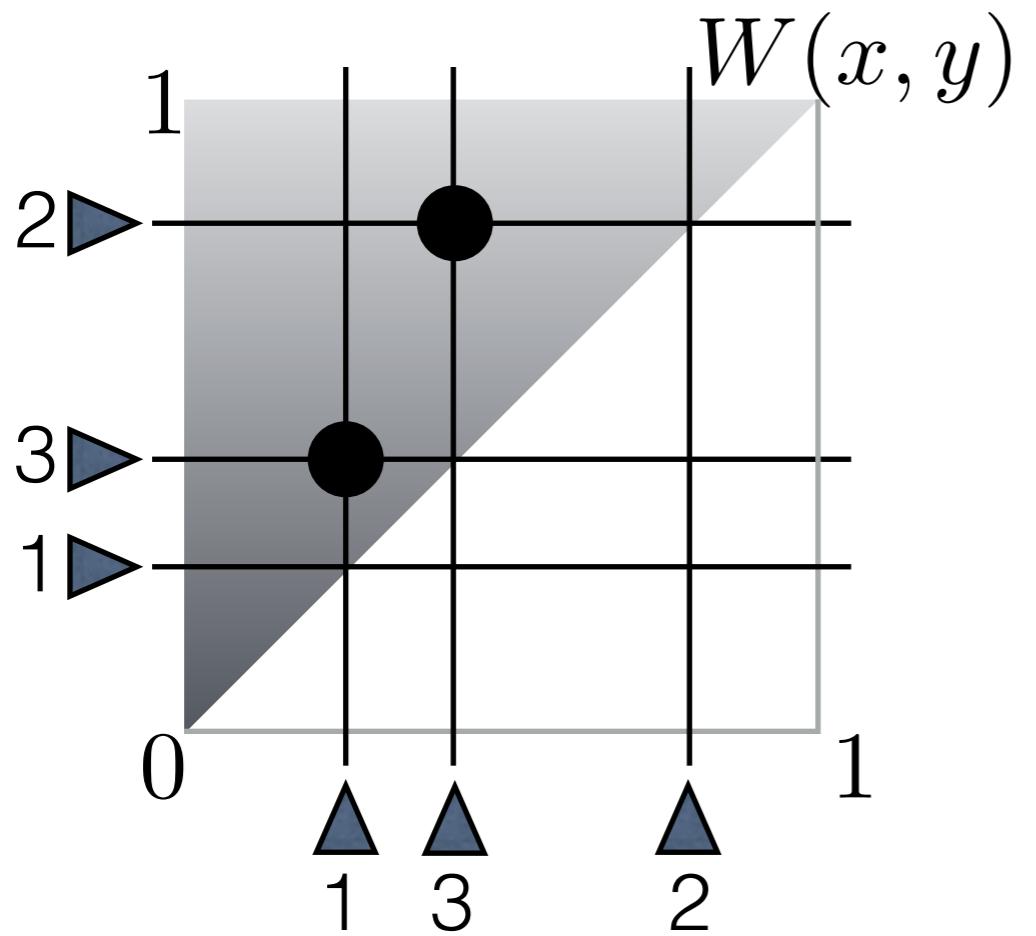
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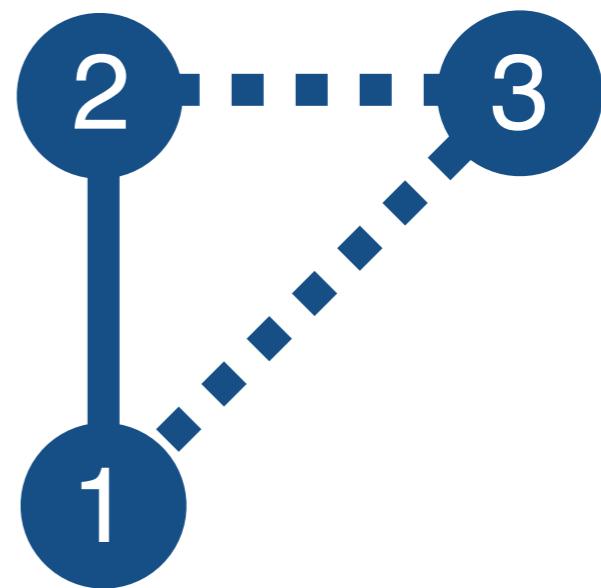
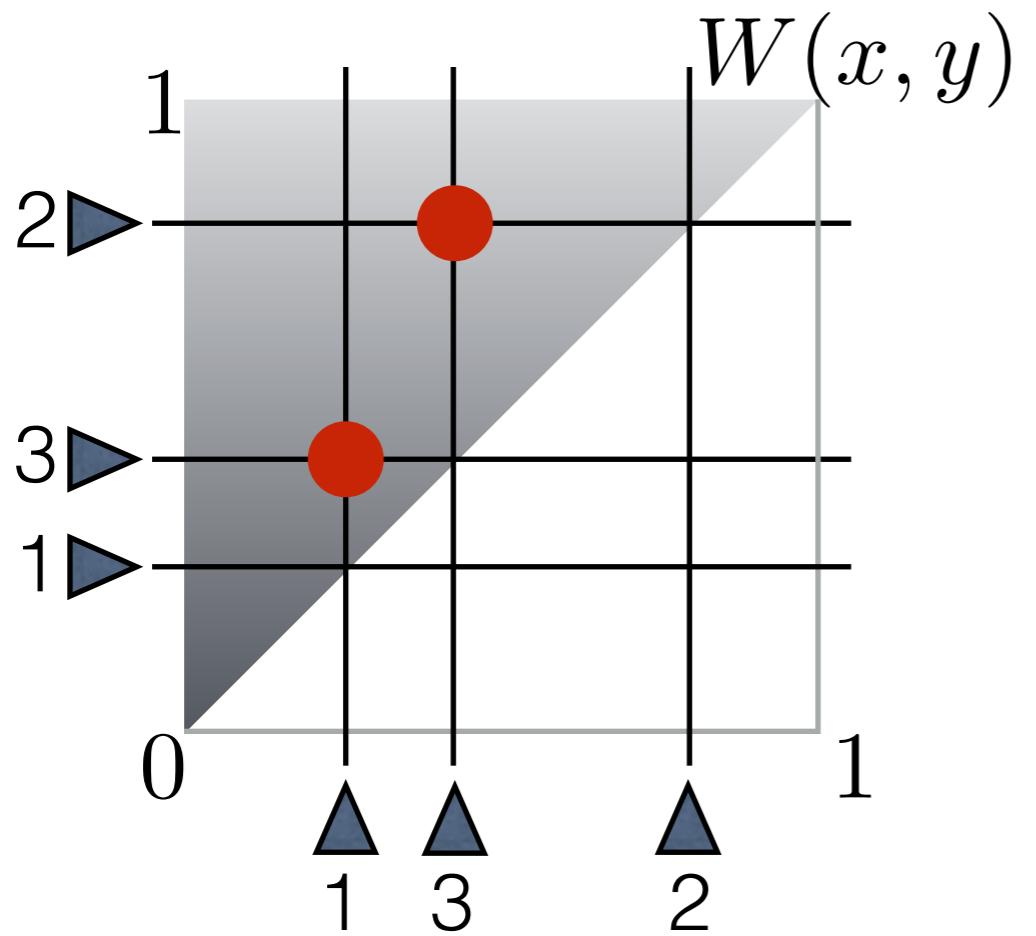
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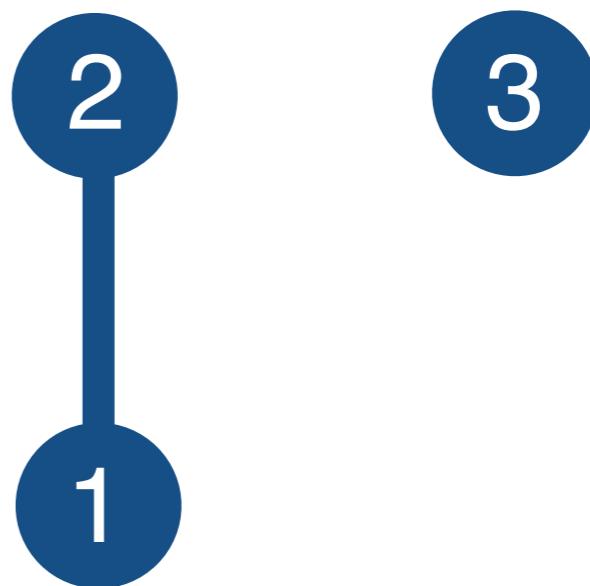
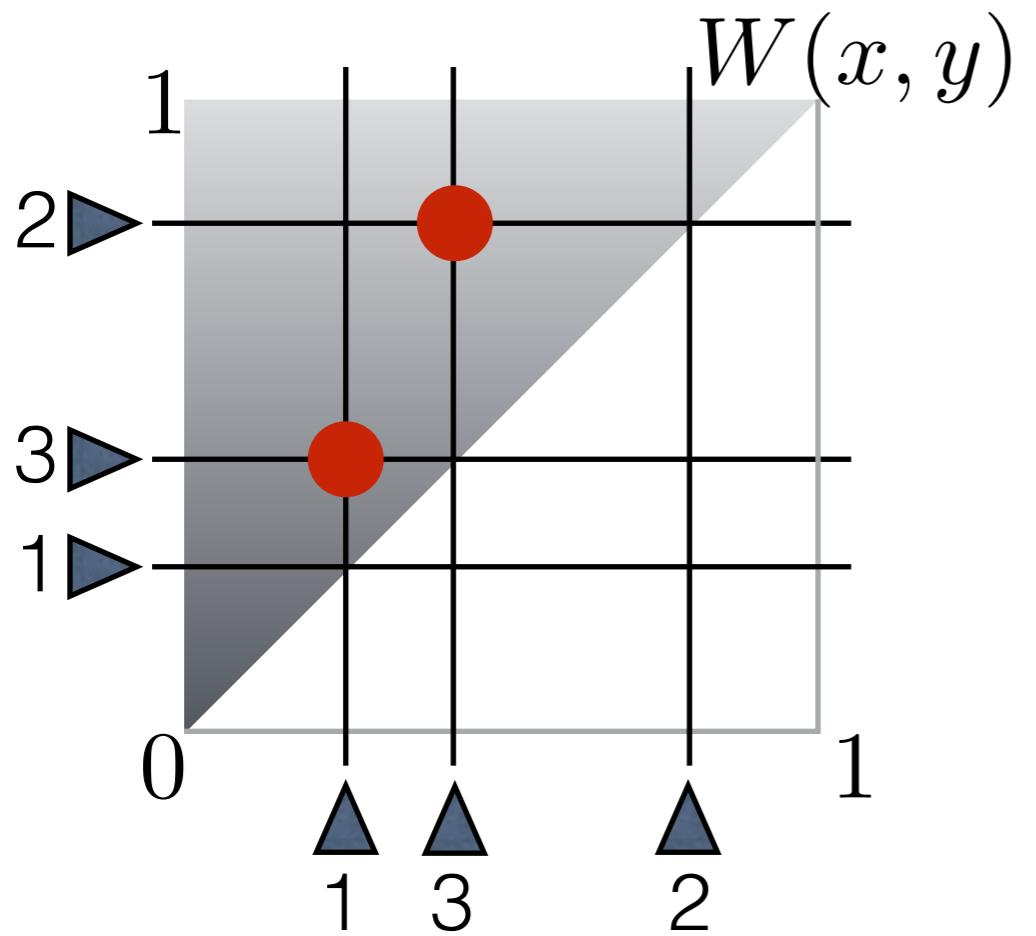
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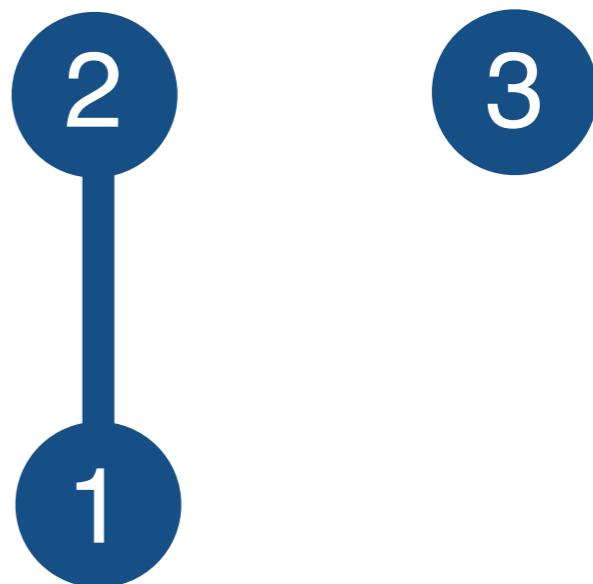
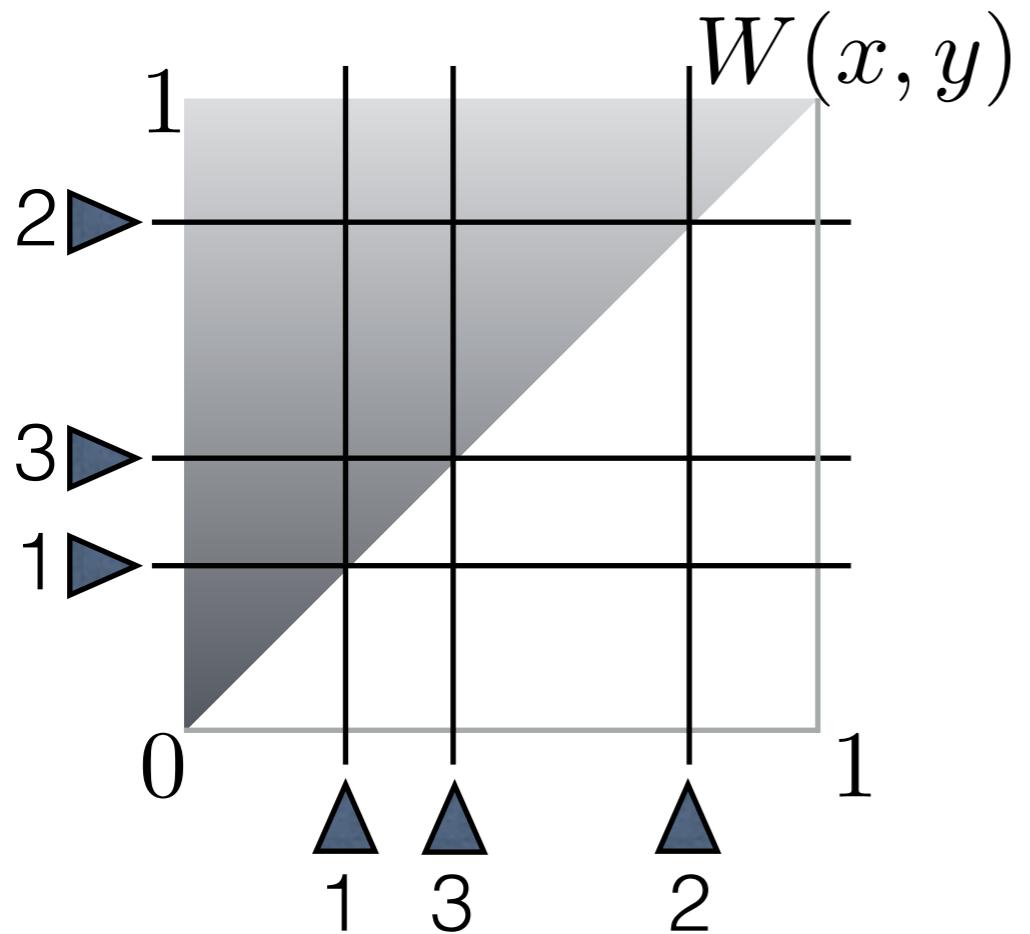
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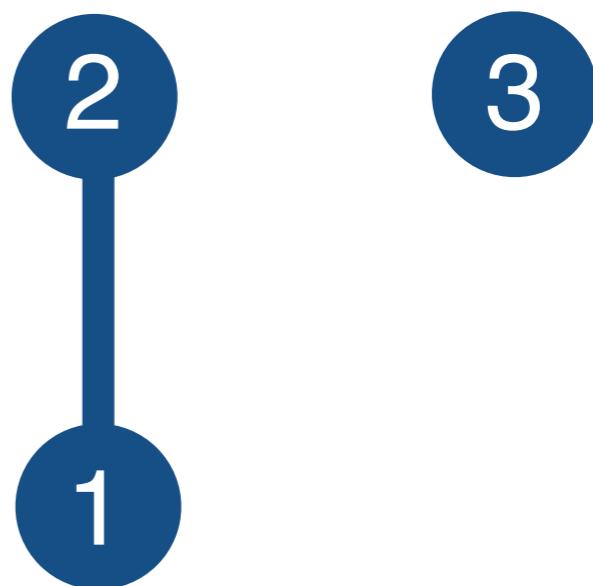
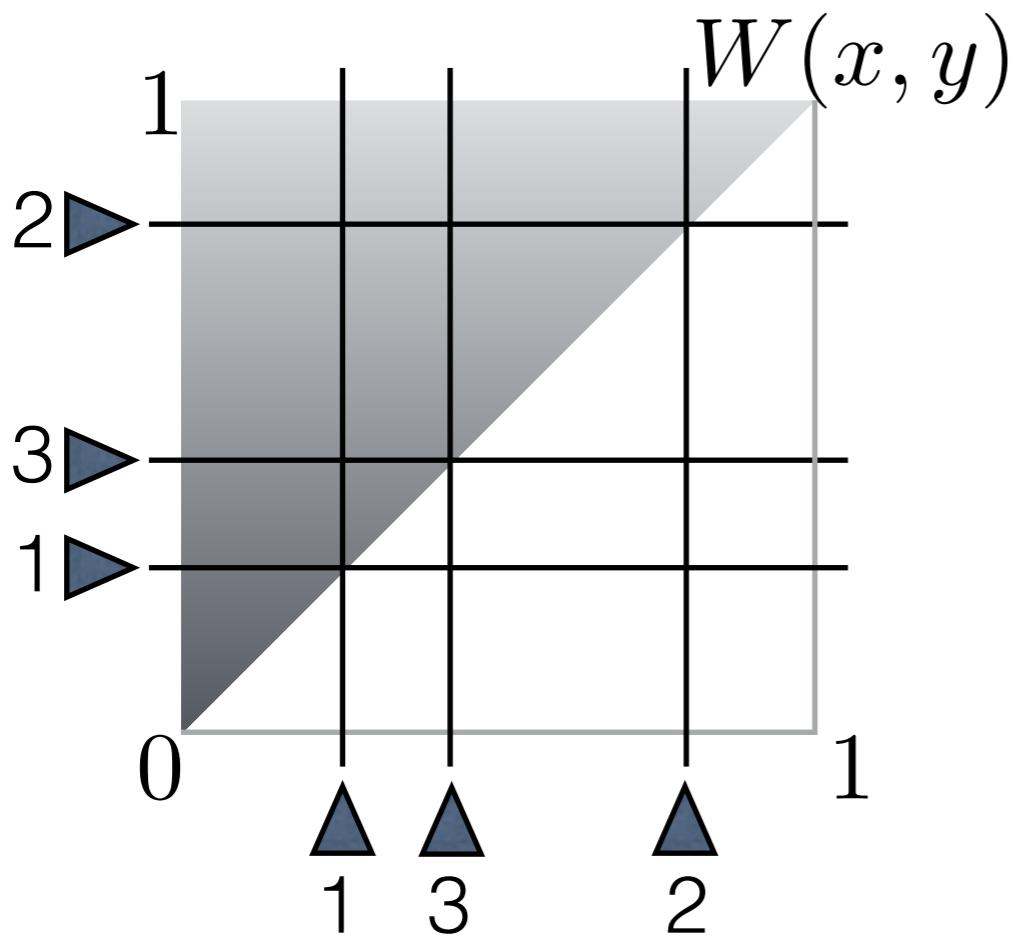
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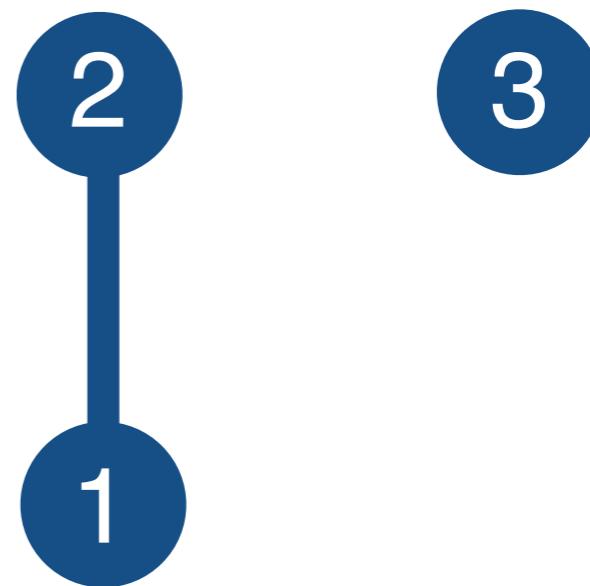
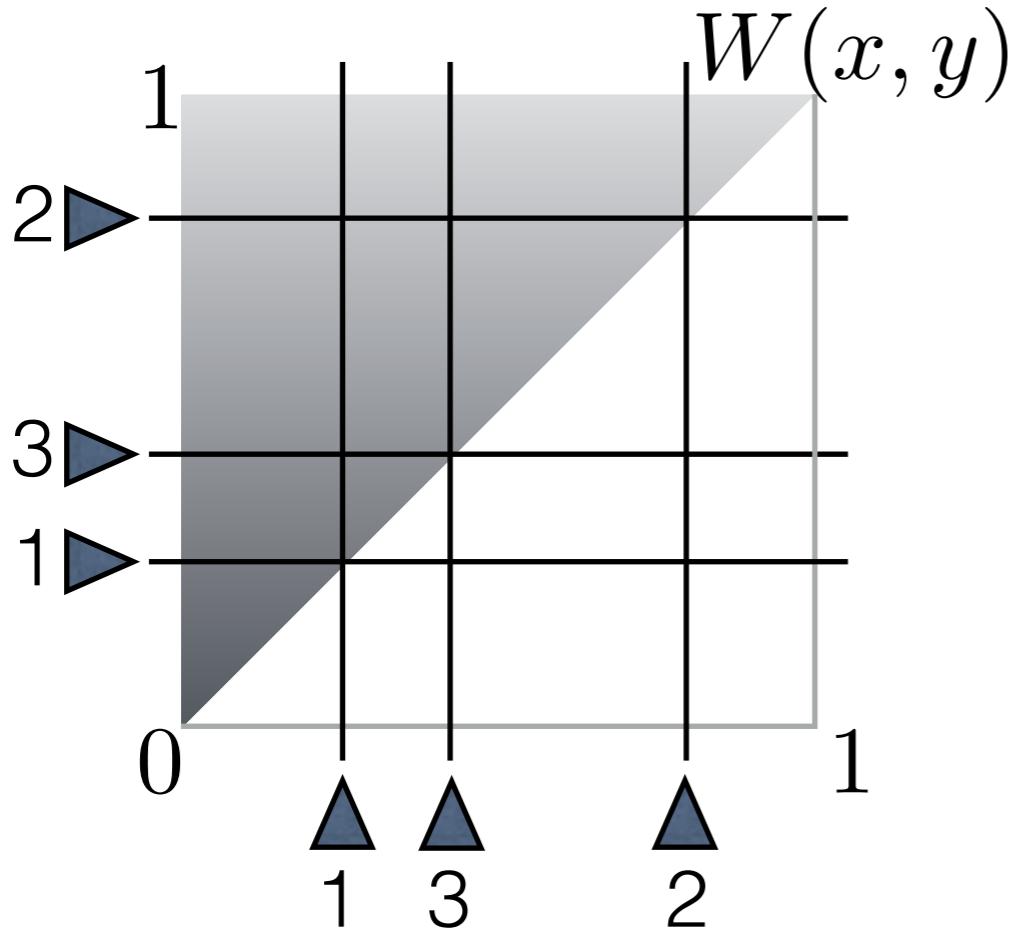


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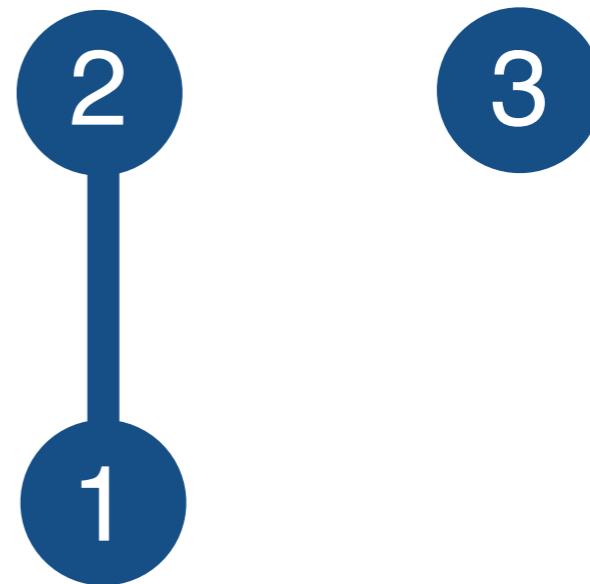
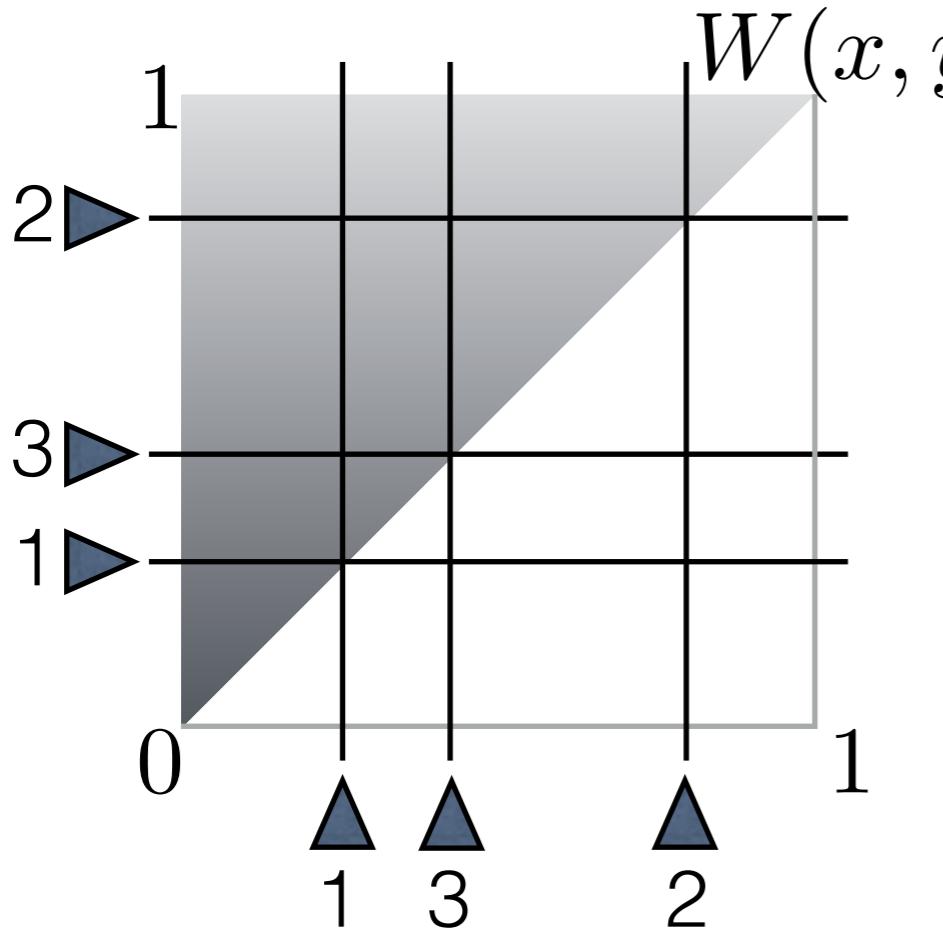
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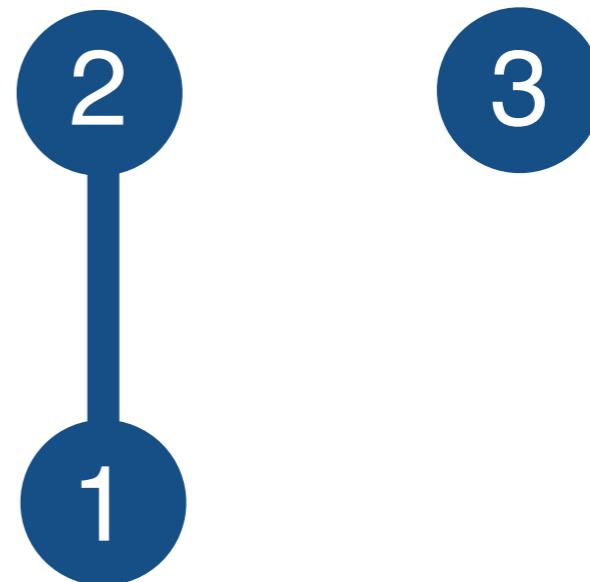
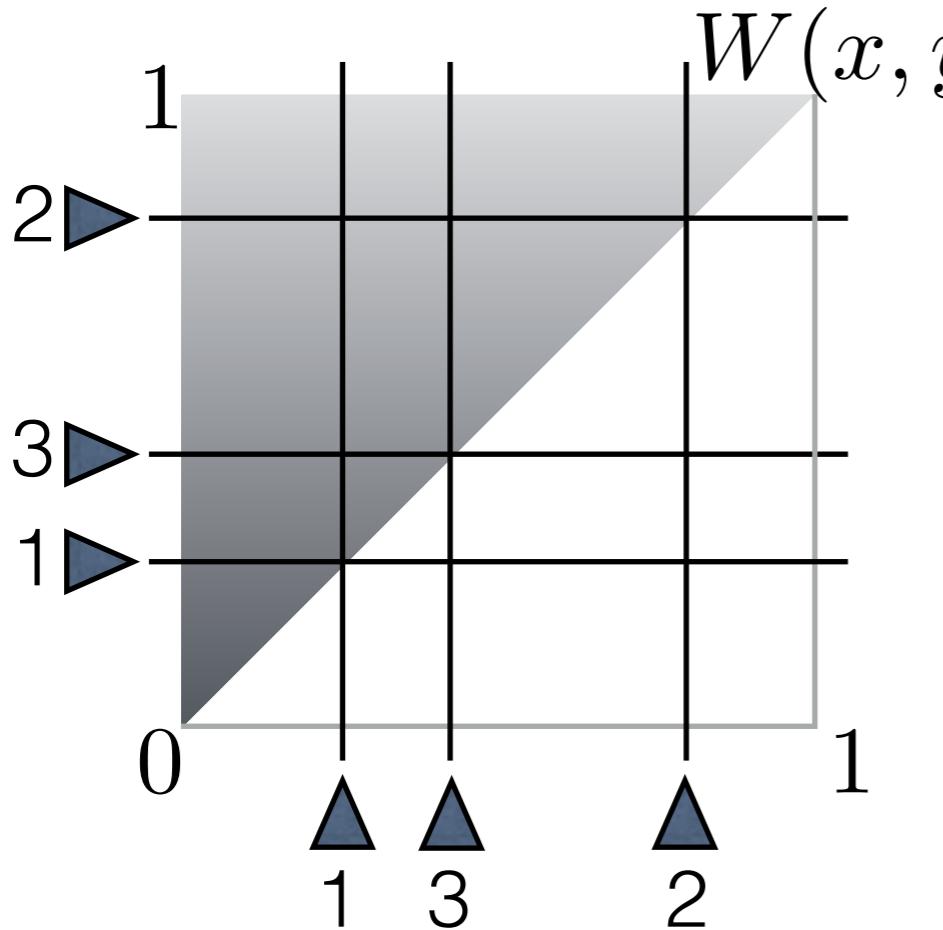
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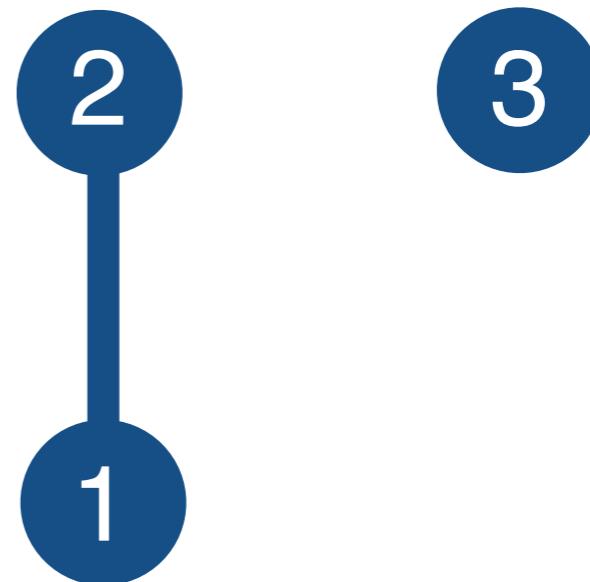
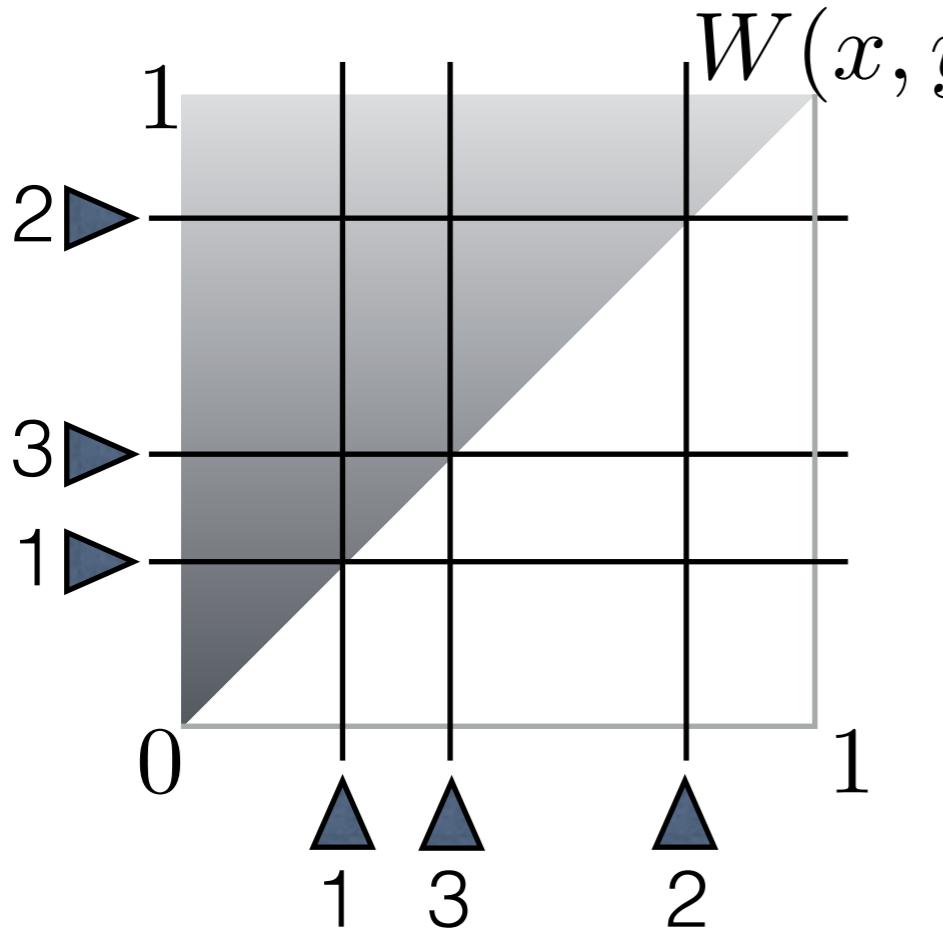
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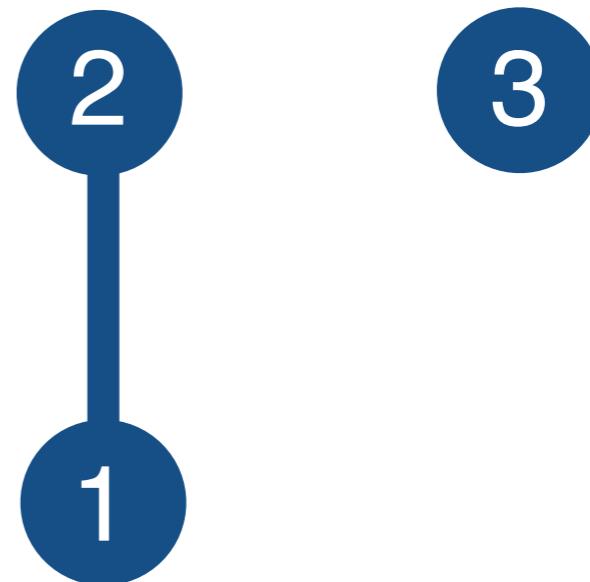
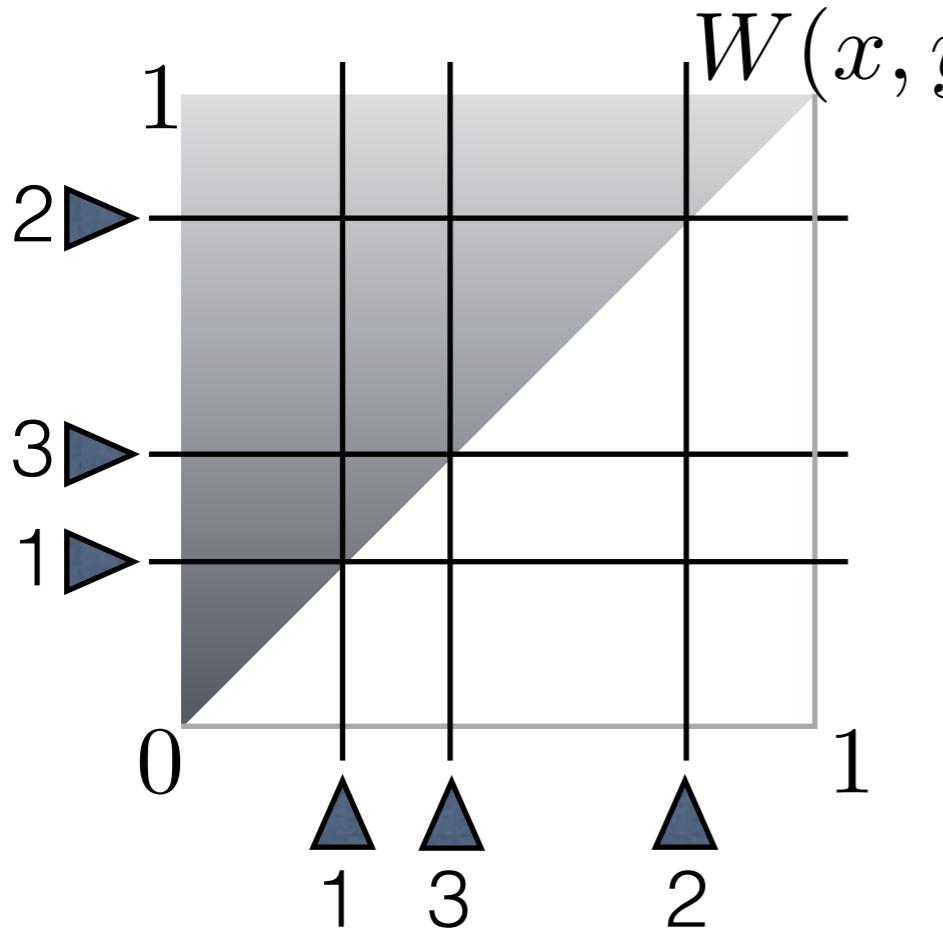
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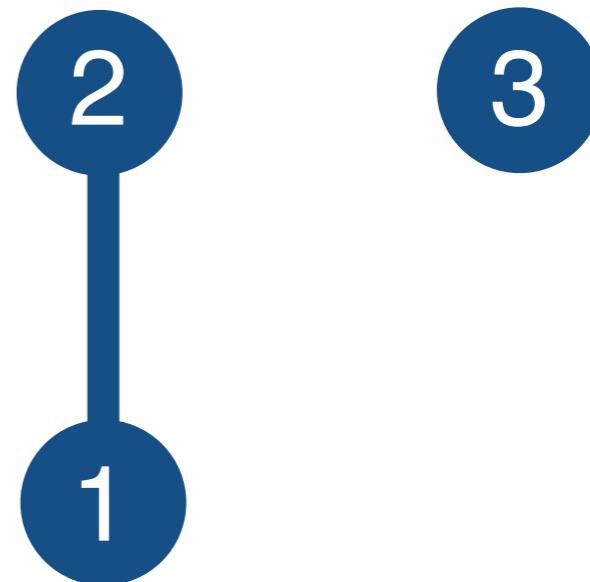
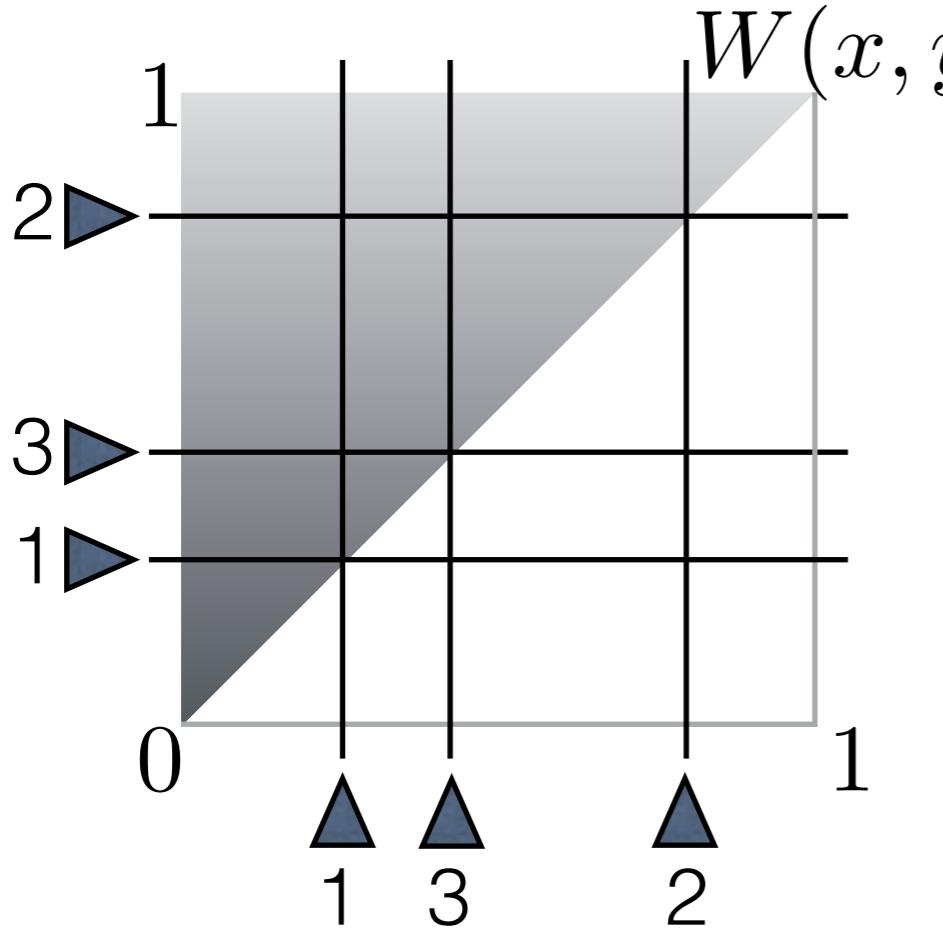
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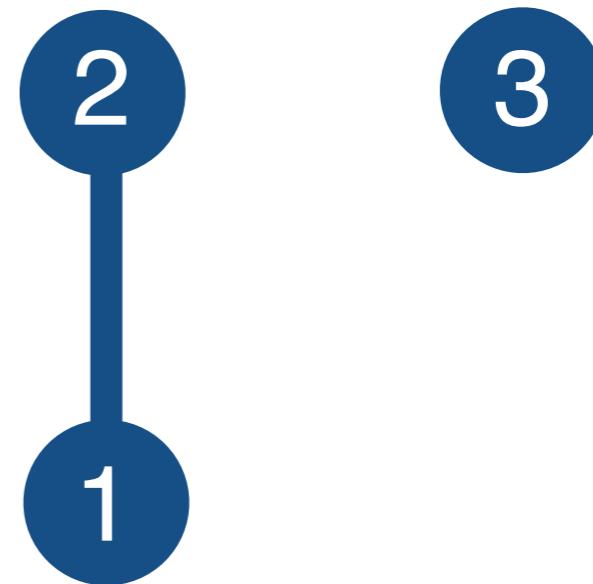
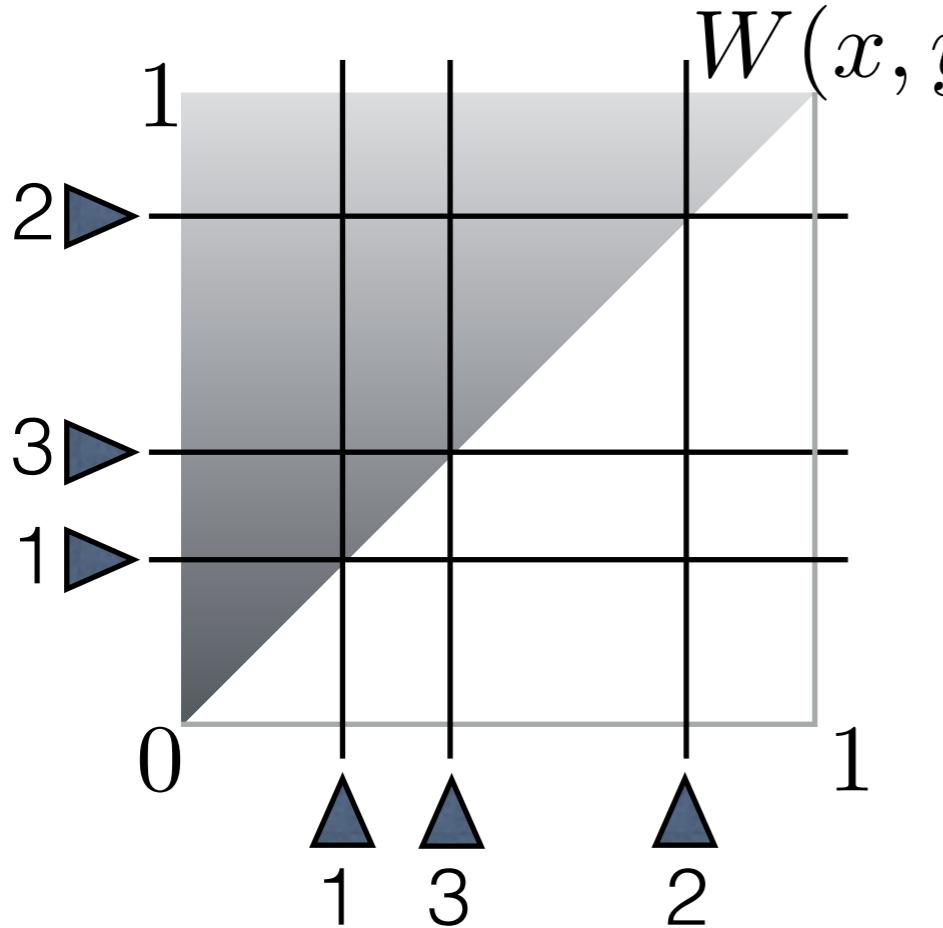


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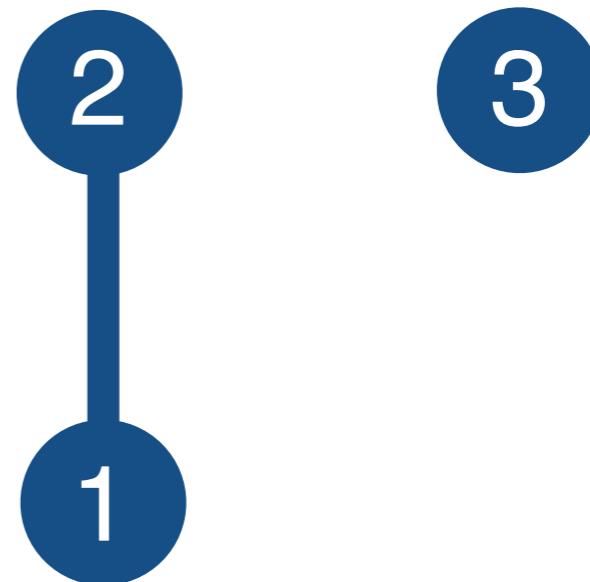
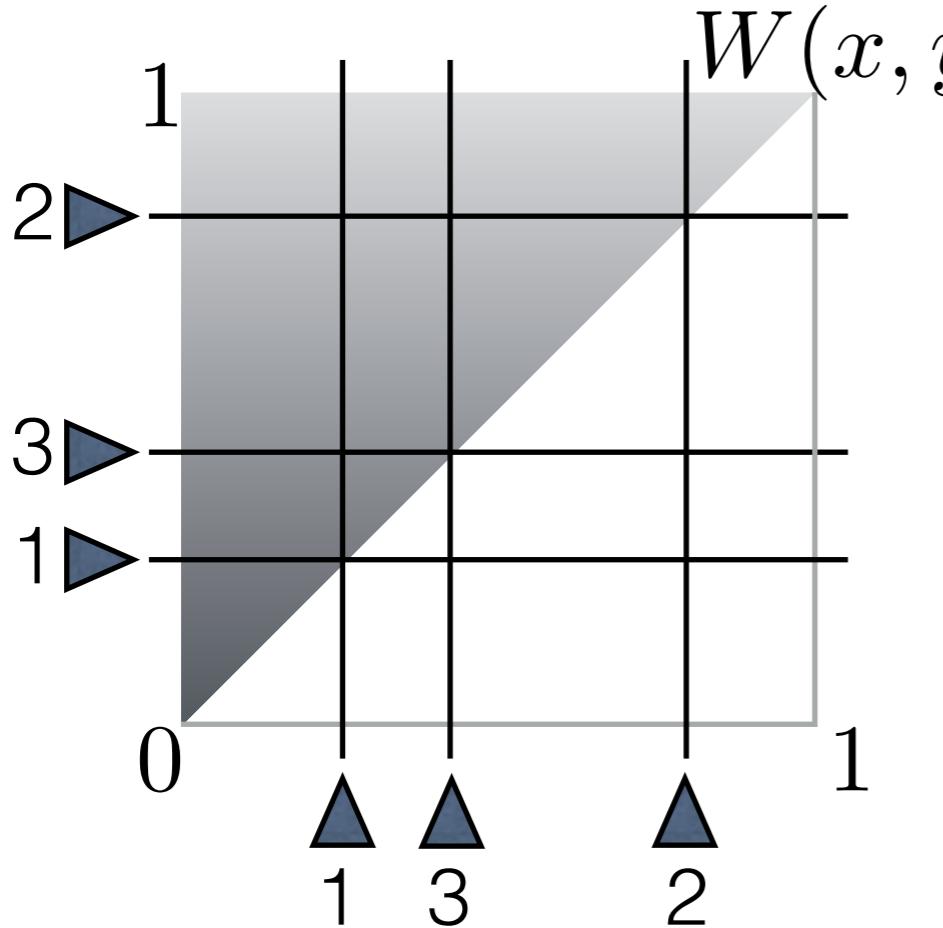
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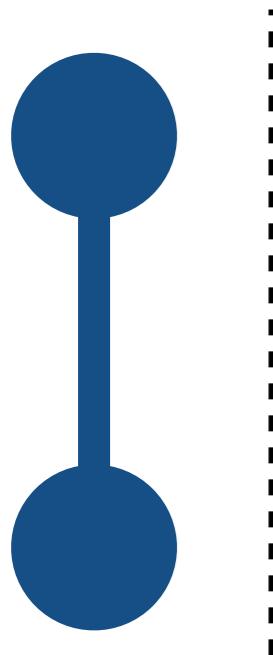
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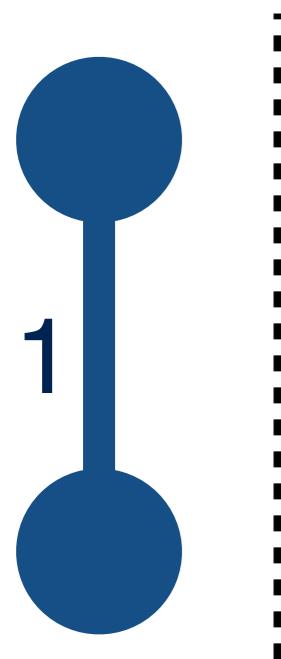
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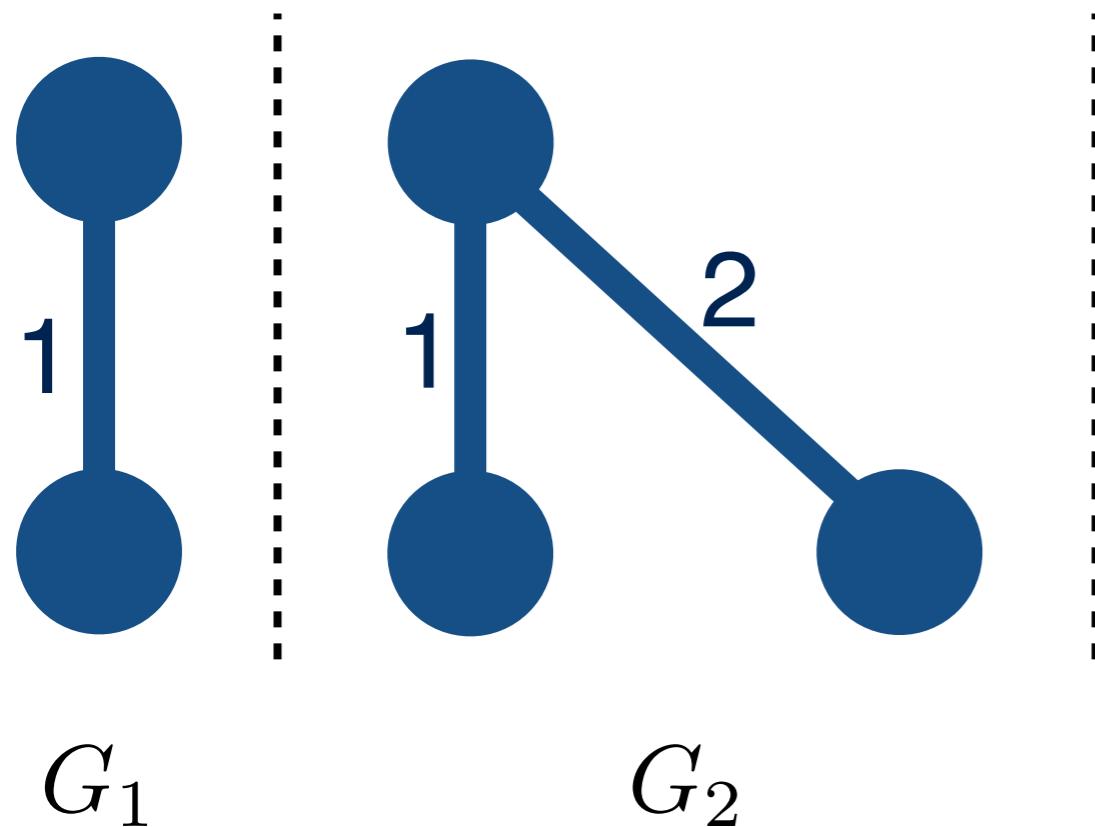
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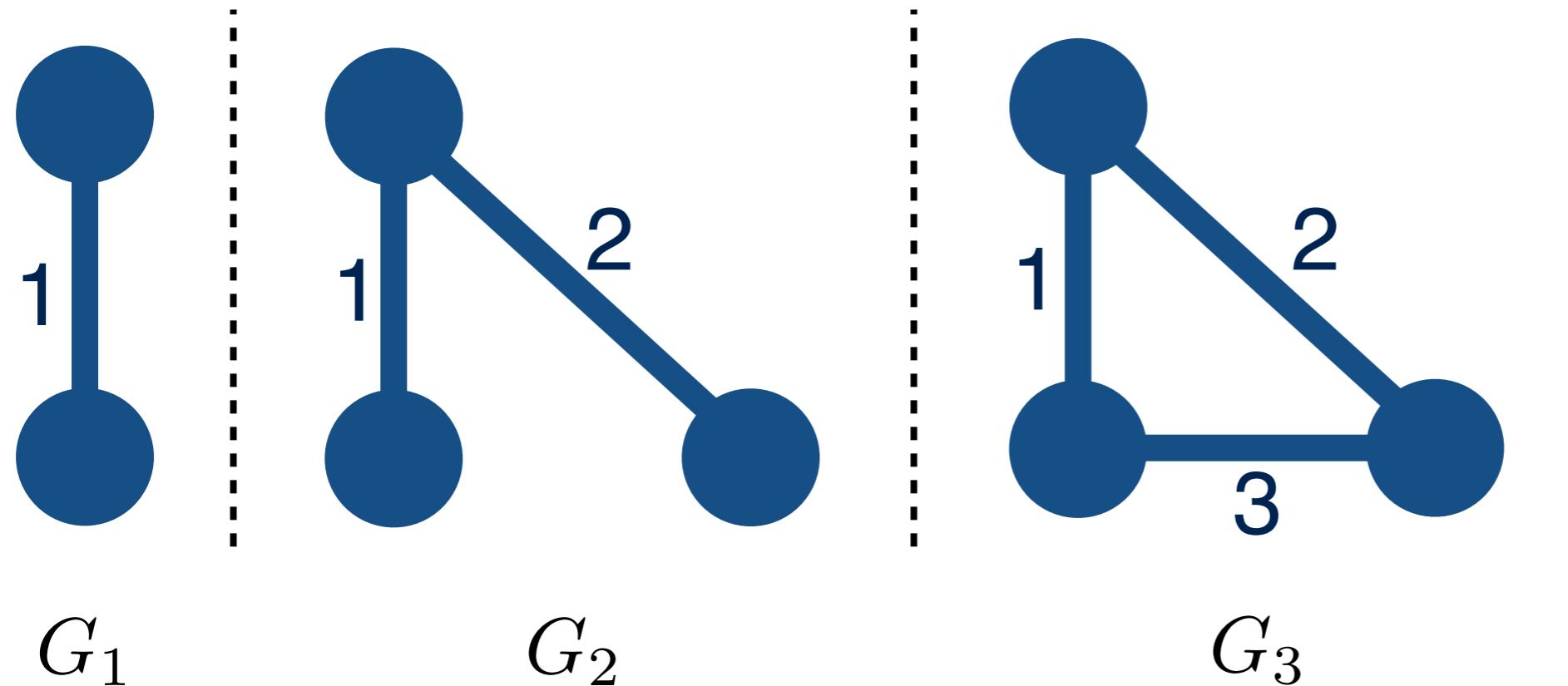


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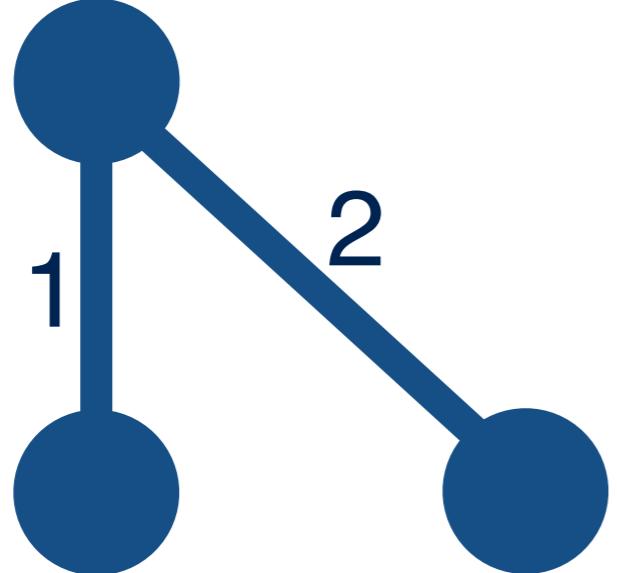
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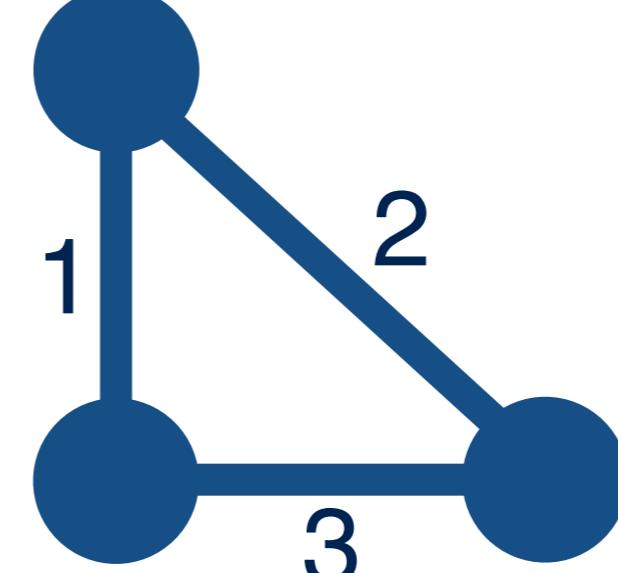
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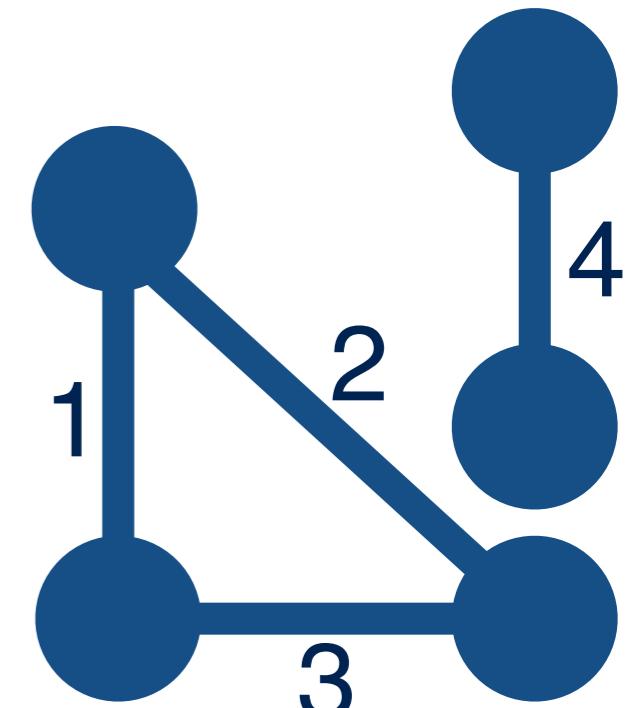
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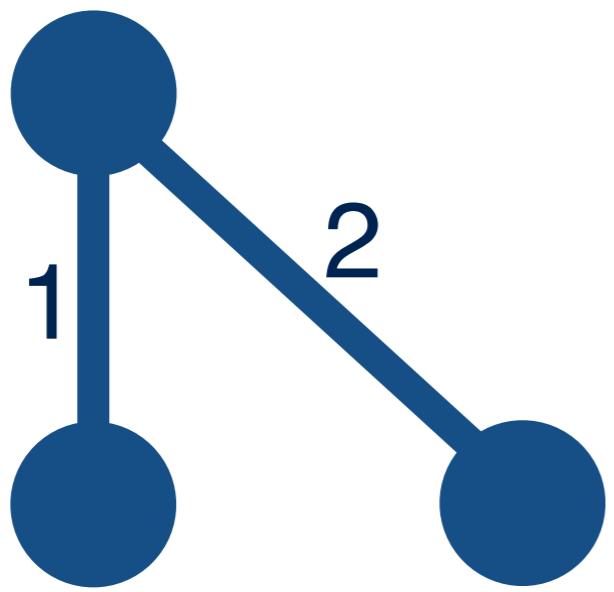


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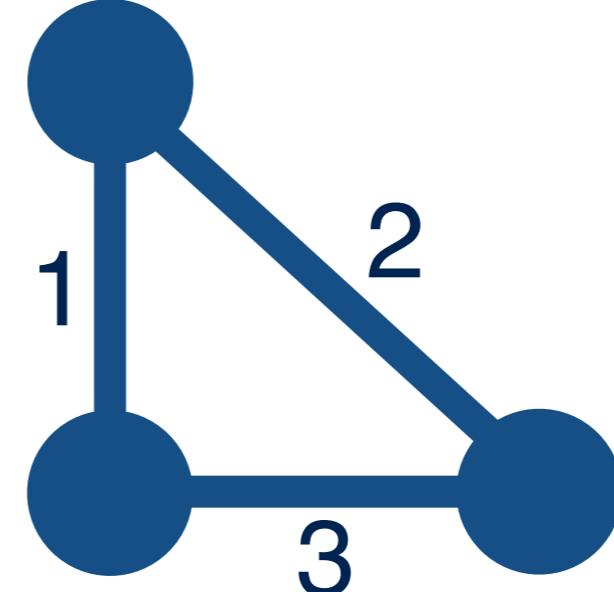
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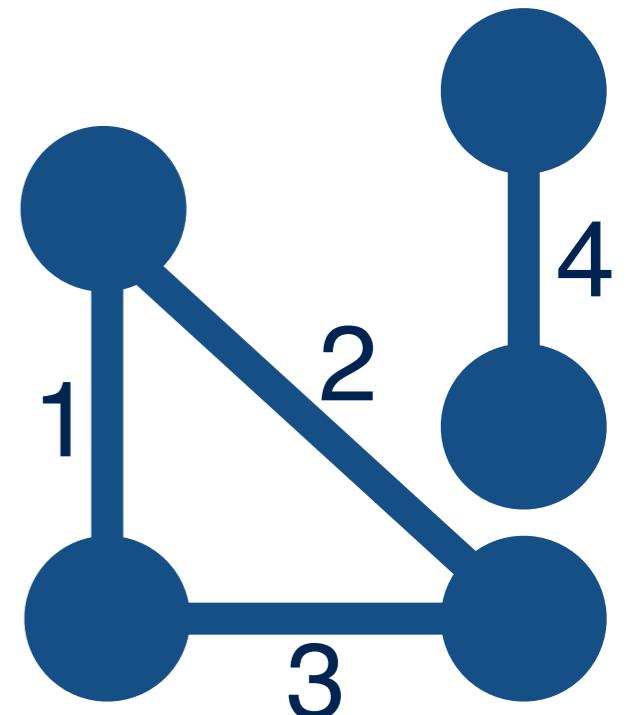
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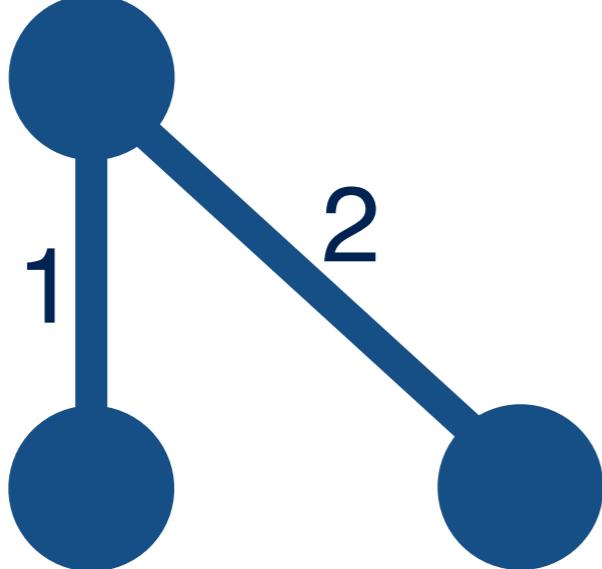
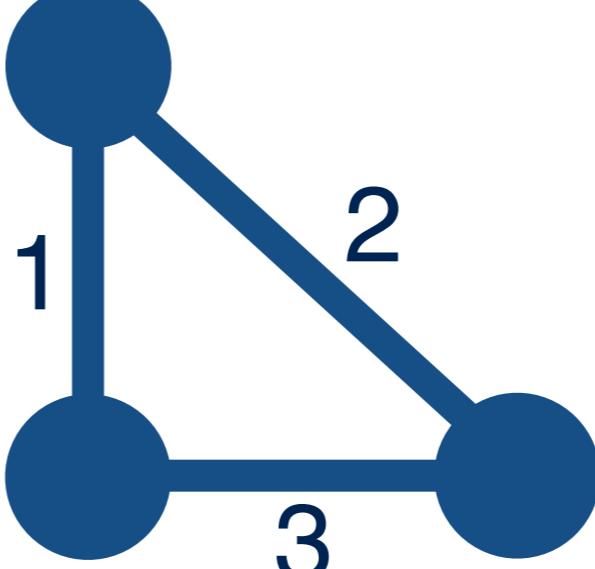
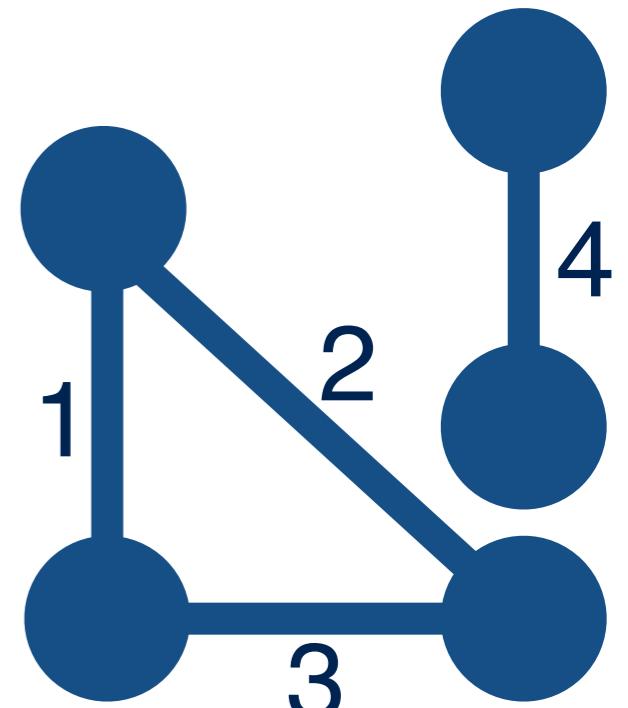
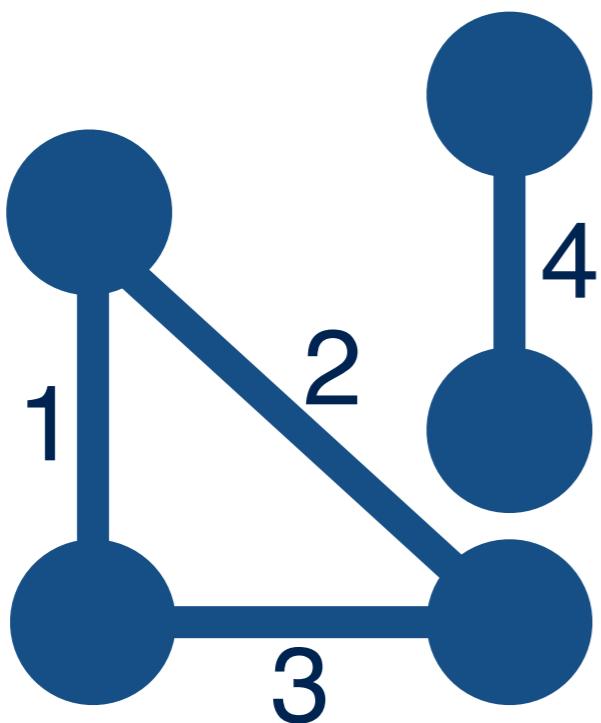


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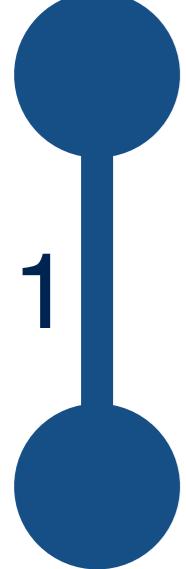


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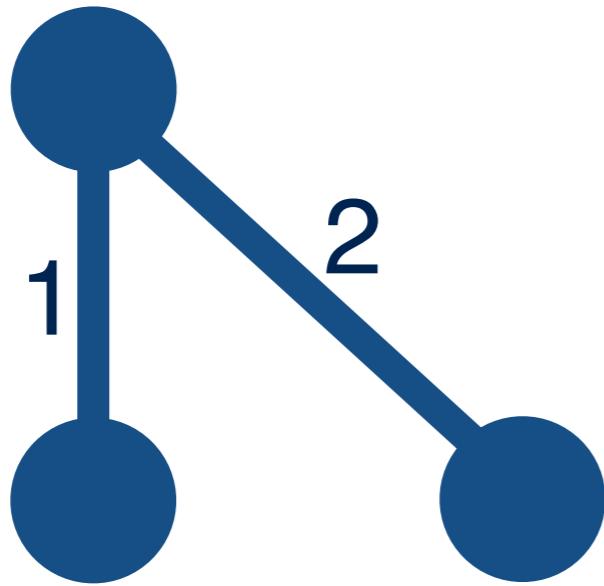
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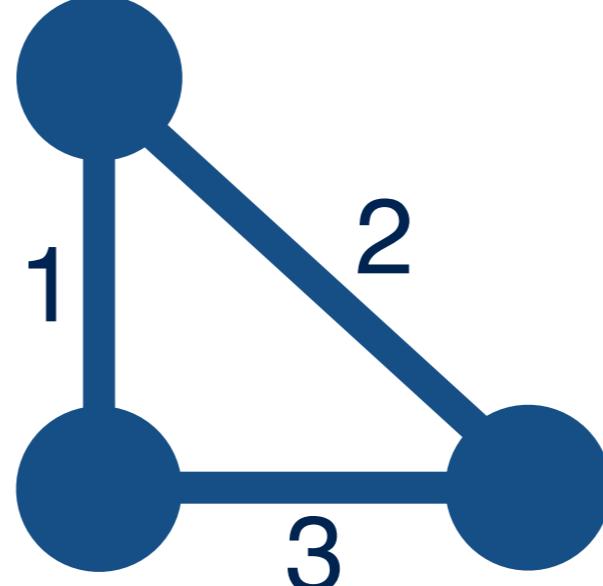
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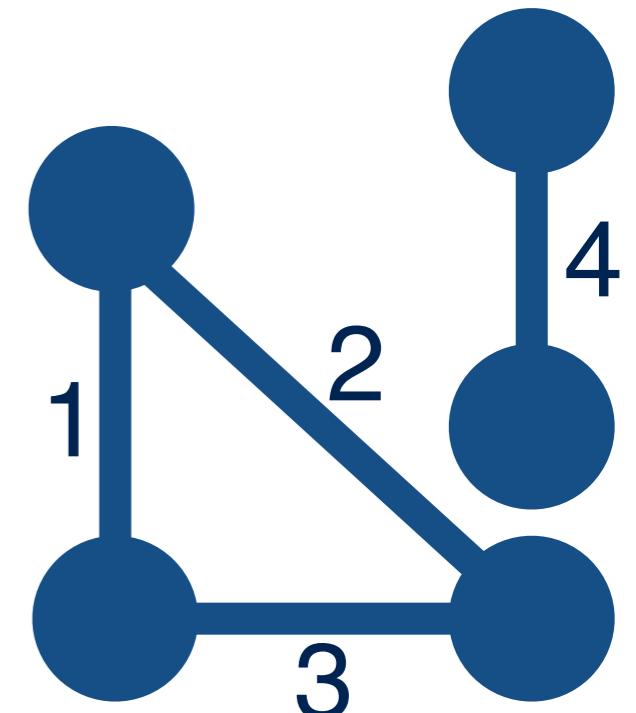
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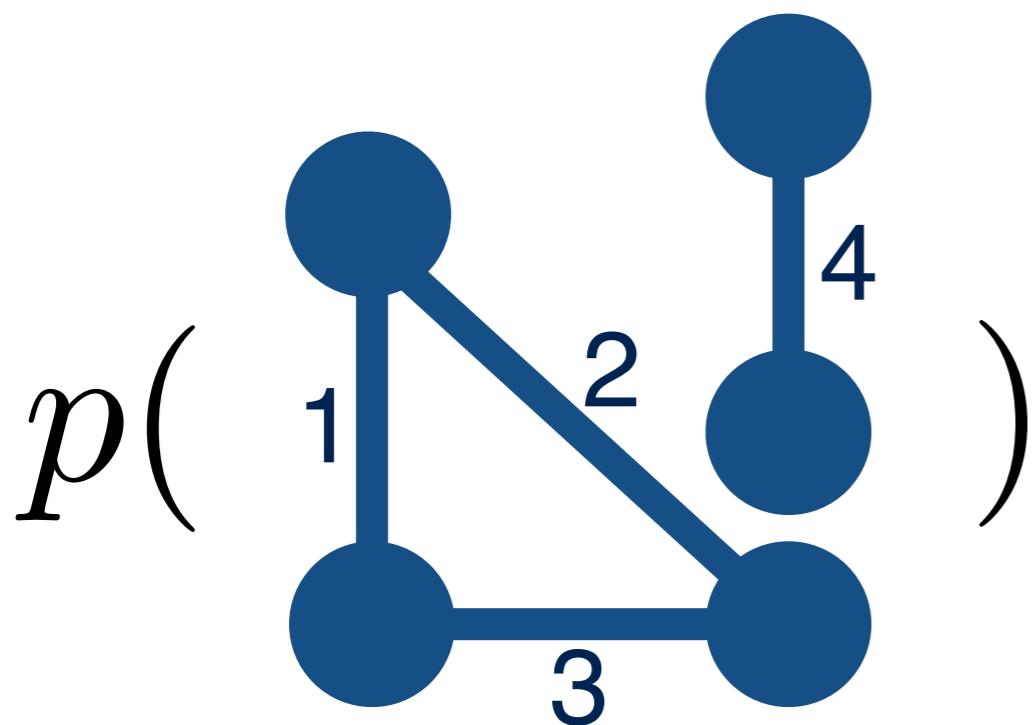
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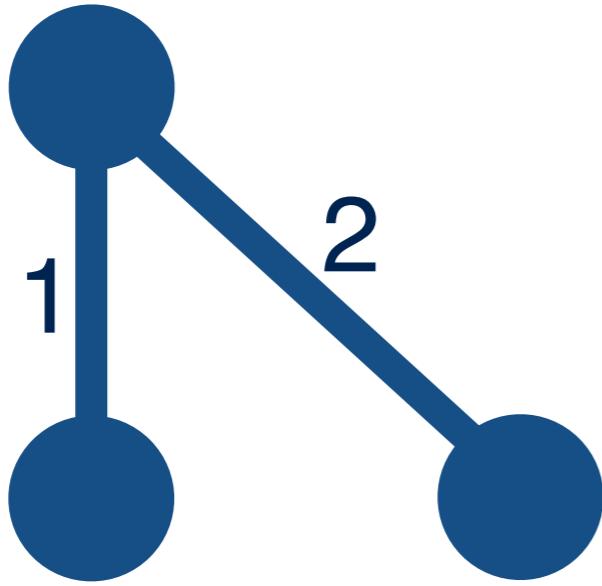
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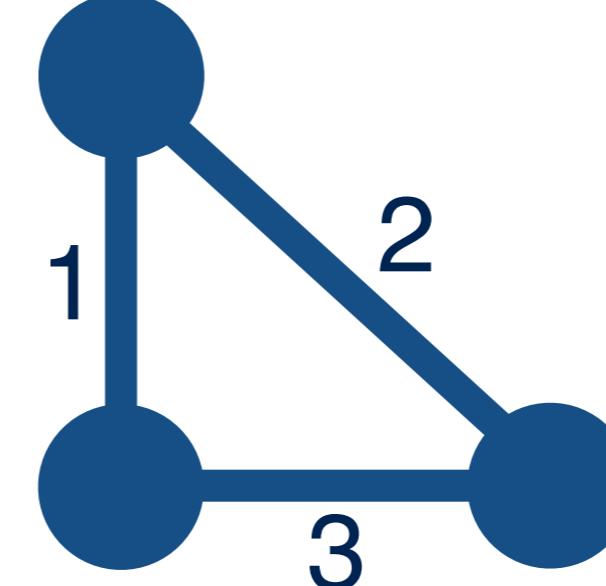
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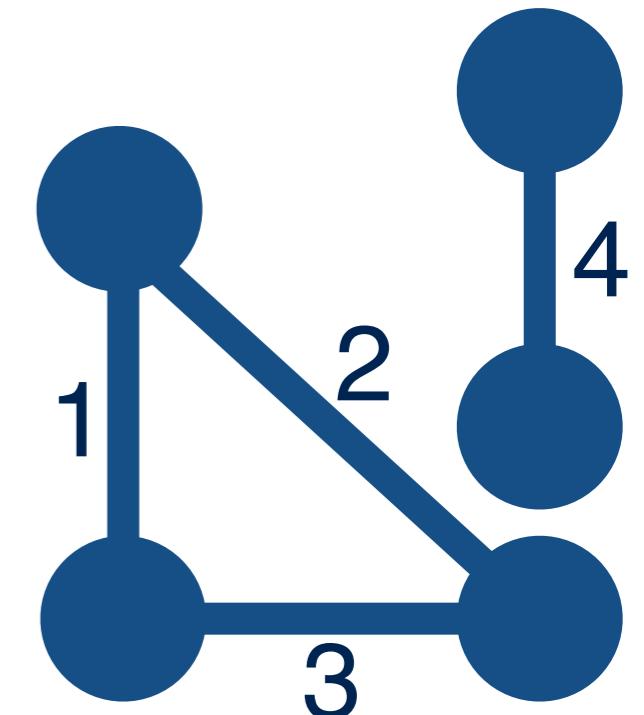
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Edge exchangeability

Thm. A wide class of edge-exchangeable graph models yields sparse graph sequences

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Roadmap

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- Example NPYBayes model: Dirichlet process (DP)
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