



Nonparametric Bayesian Methods: Models, Algorithms, and Applications (Part II)

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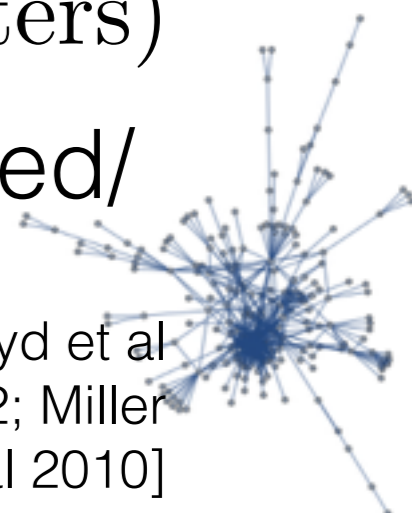
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Nonparametric Bayes

- Bayesian methods that are not parametric
- Bayesian

$$\mathbb{P}(\text{parameters}|\text{data}) \propto \mathbb{P}(\text{data}|\text{parameters})\mathbb{P}(\text{parameters})$$

- Not parametric (i.e. not finite parameter, unbounded/growing/infinite number of parameters)



[Lloyd et al 2012; Miller et al 2010]



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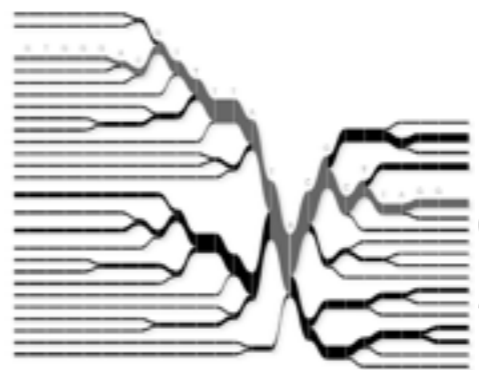
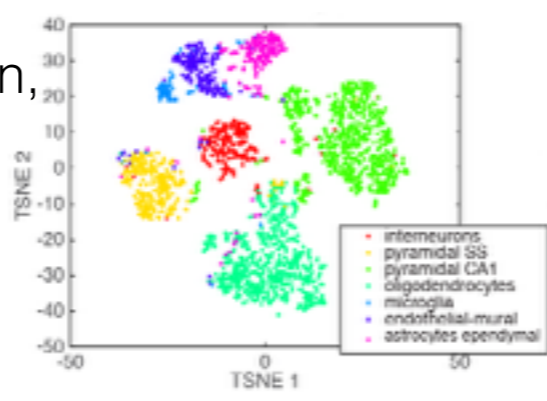


[Fox et al 2014]



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[Prabhakaran, Azizi, Carr, Pe'er 2016]

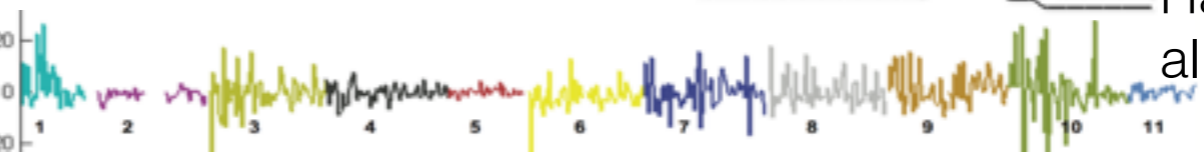


[Ewens 1972; Hartl, Clark 2003; Harris et al 2015]



[Del Pozzo et al 2017, 2018]

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[Xu et al 2015; Cassidy et al 2015]

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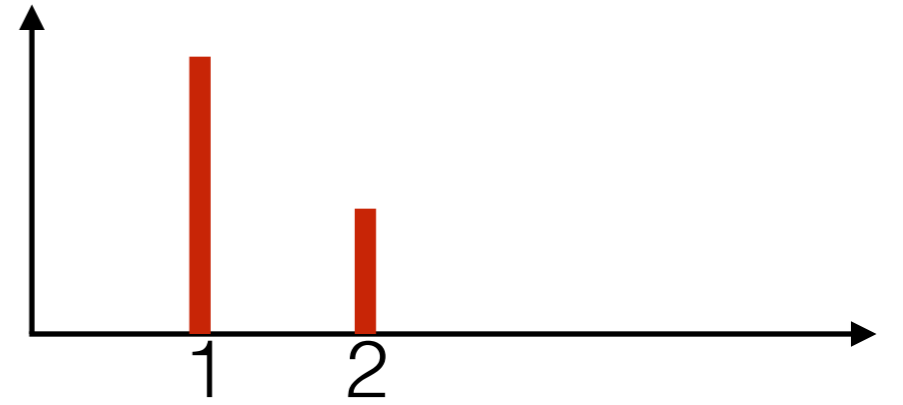
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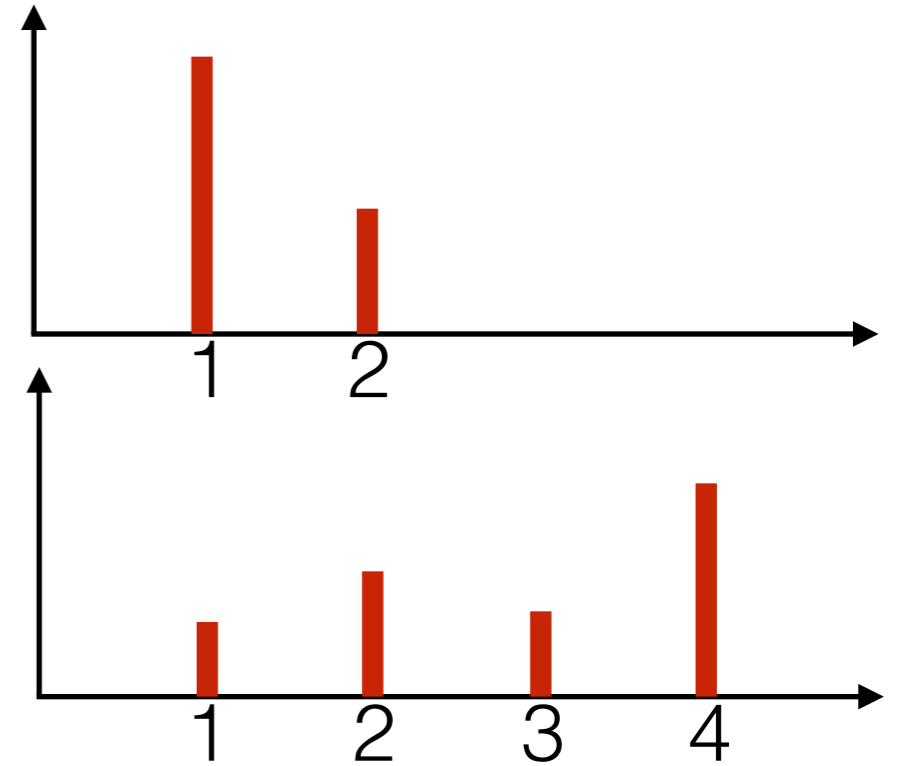
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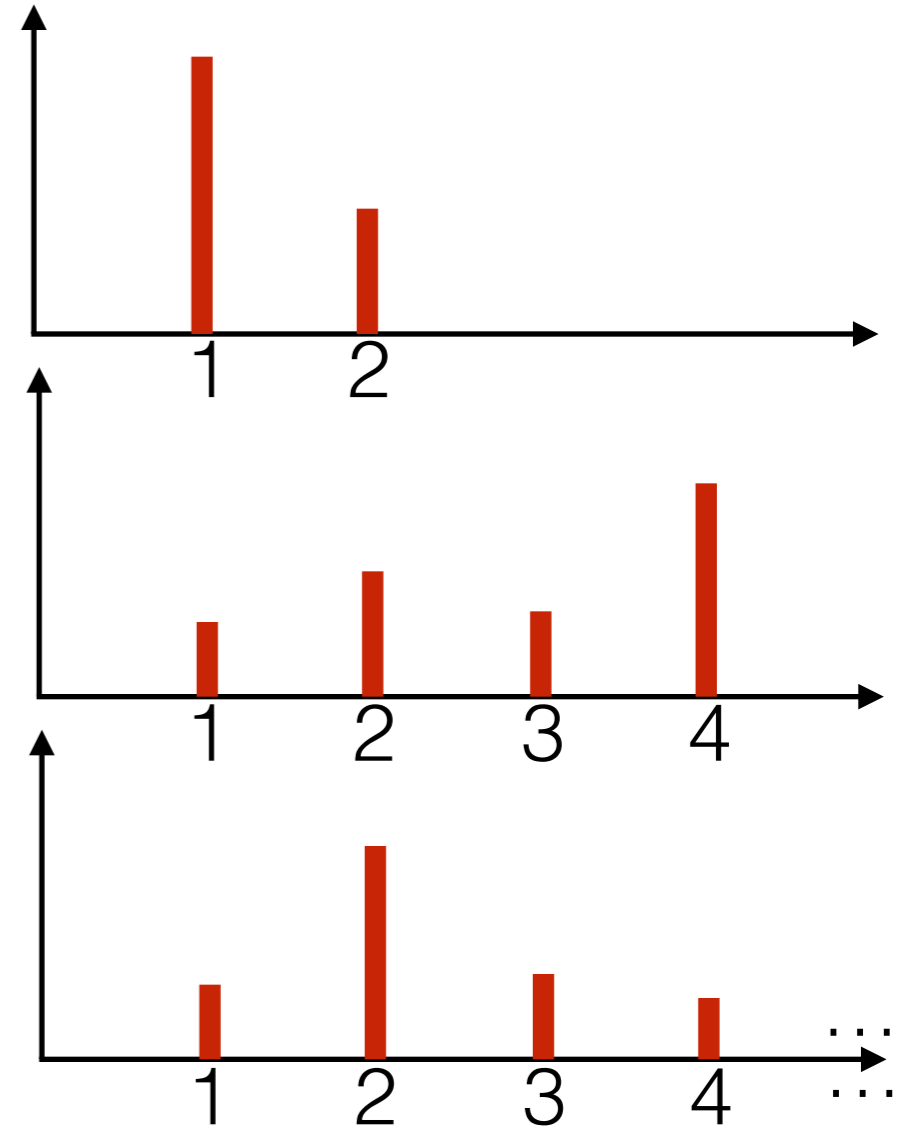
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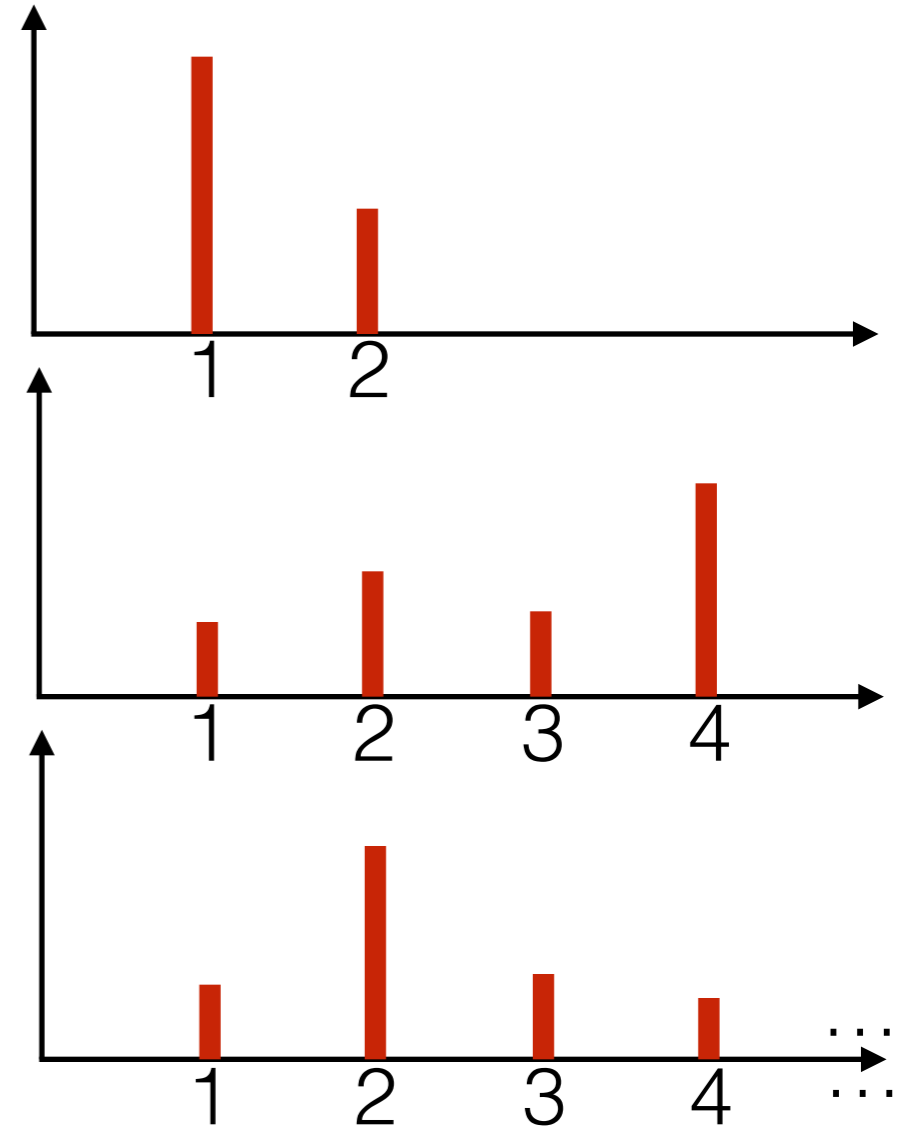
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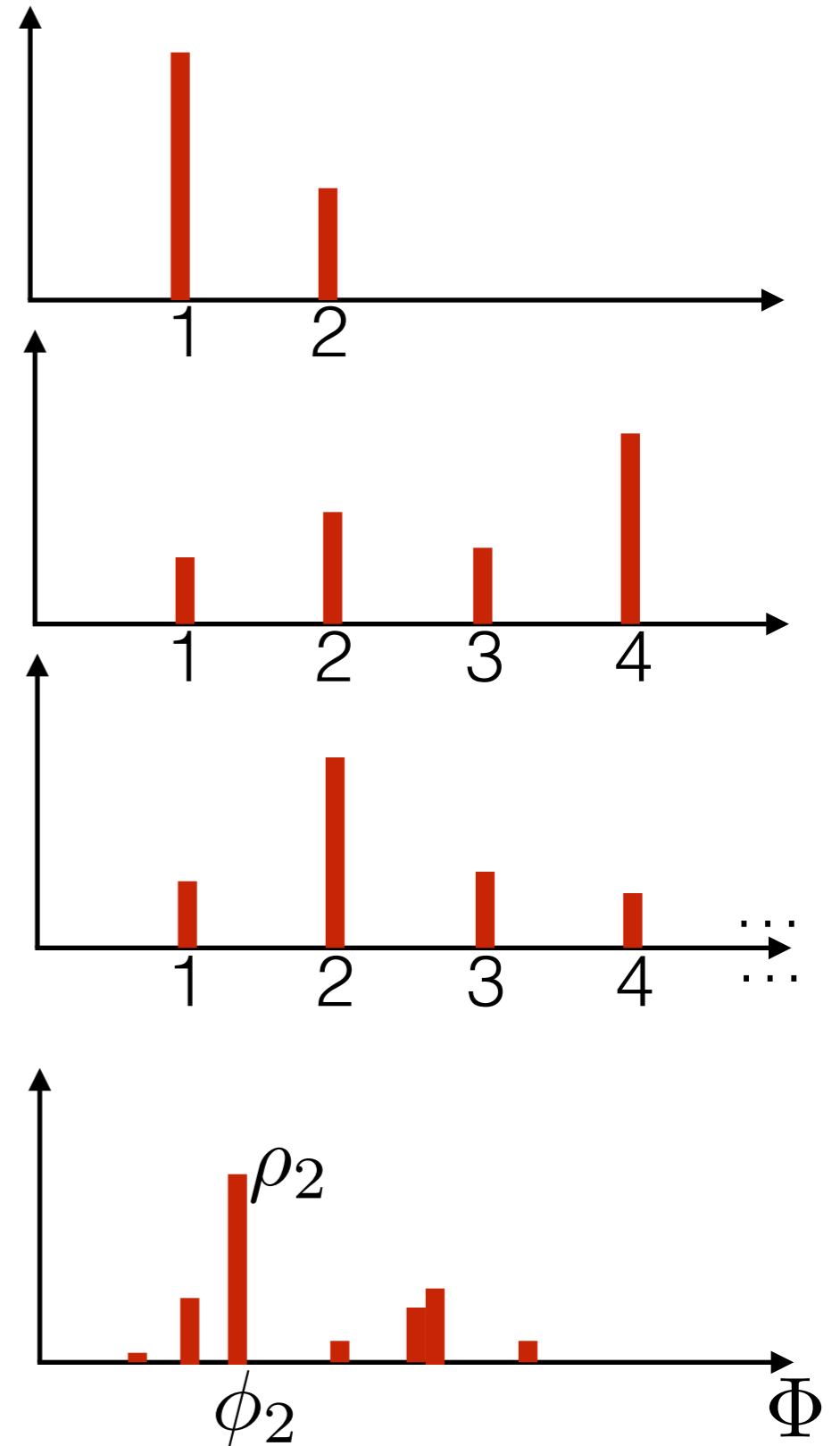
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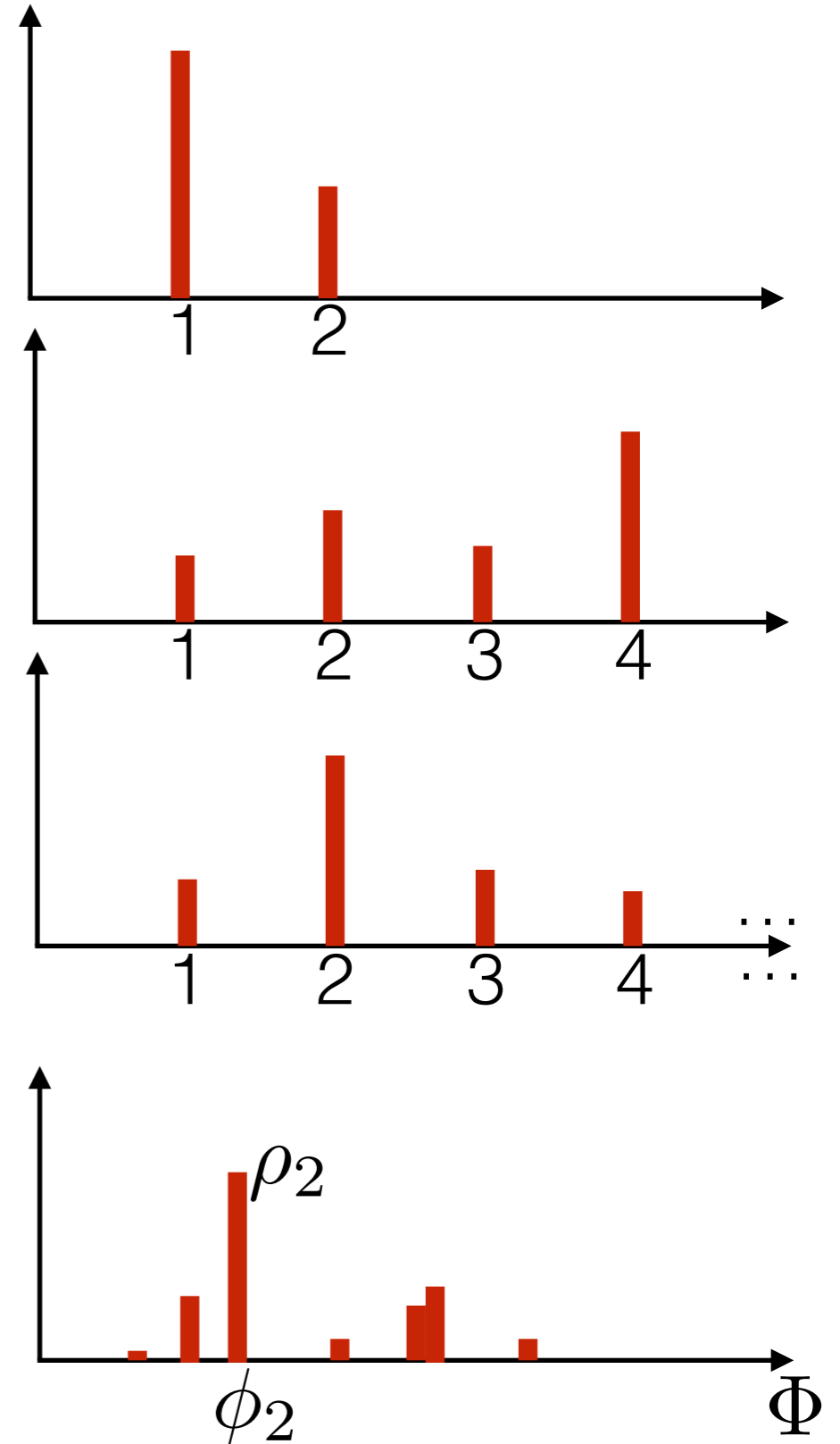
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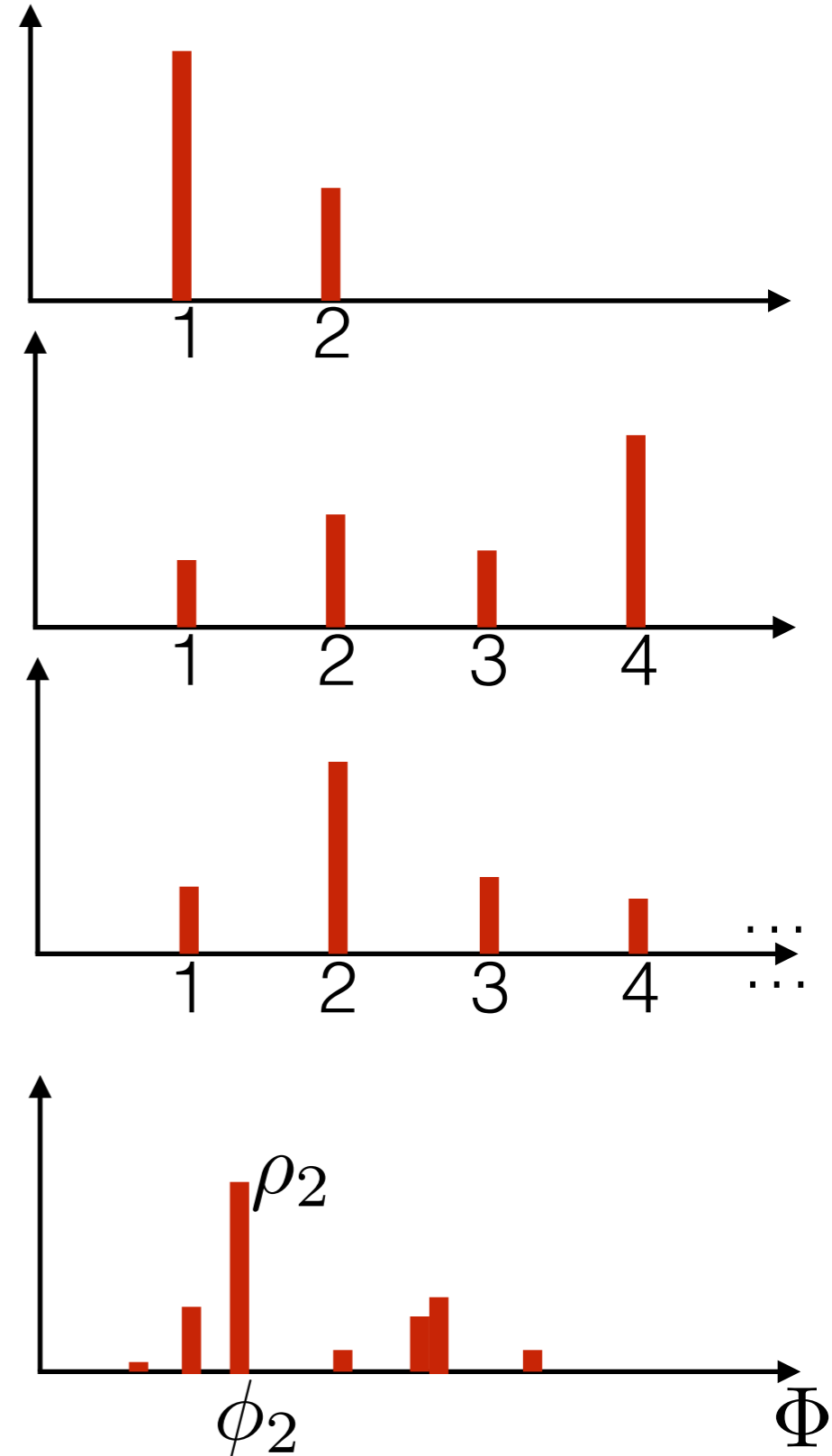
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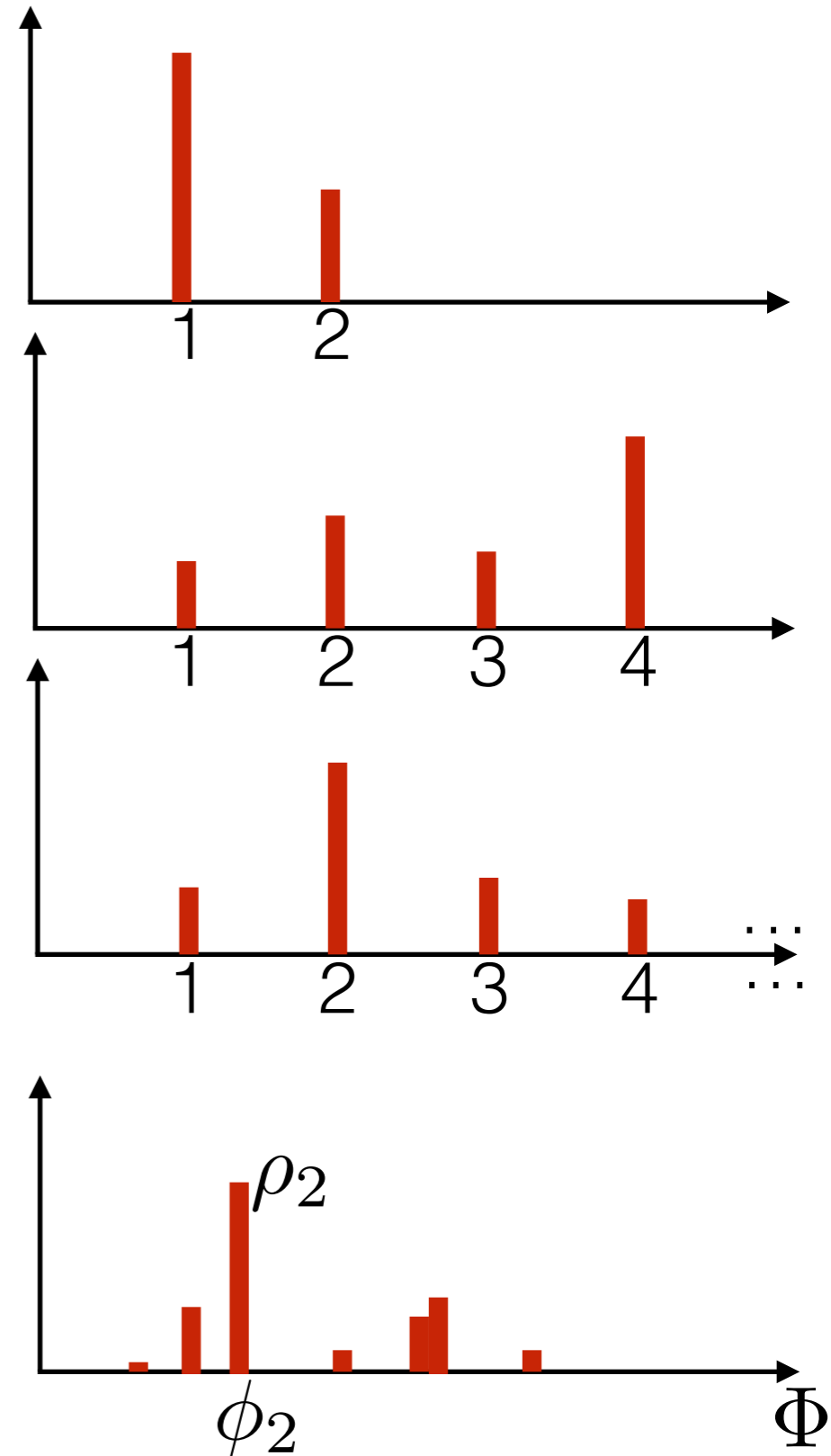


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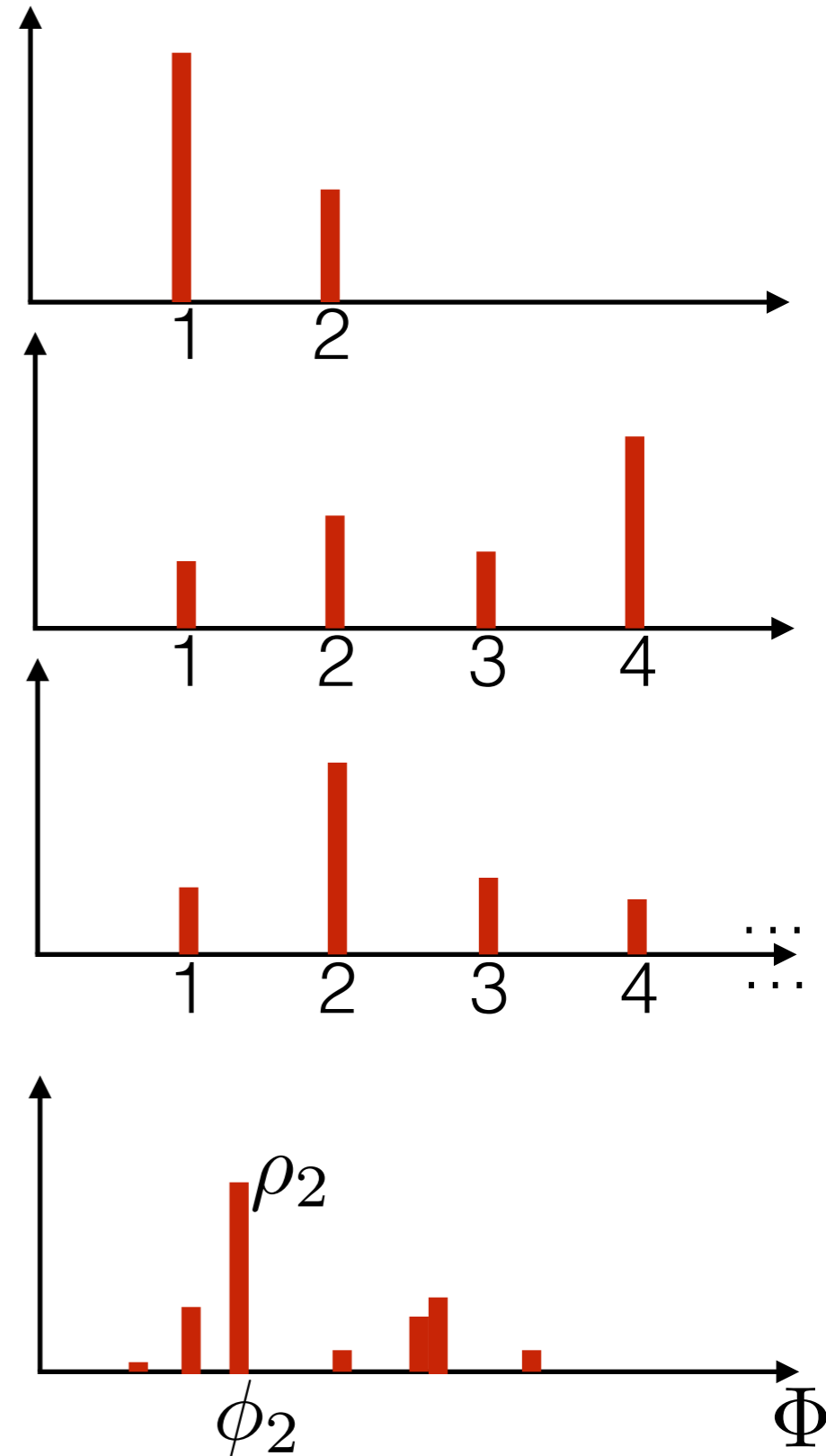
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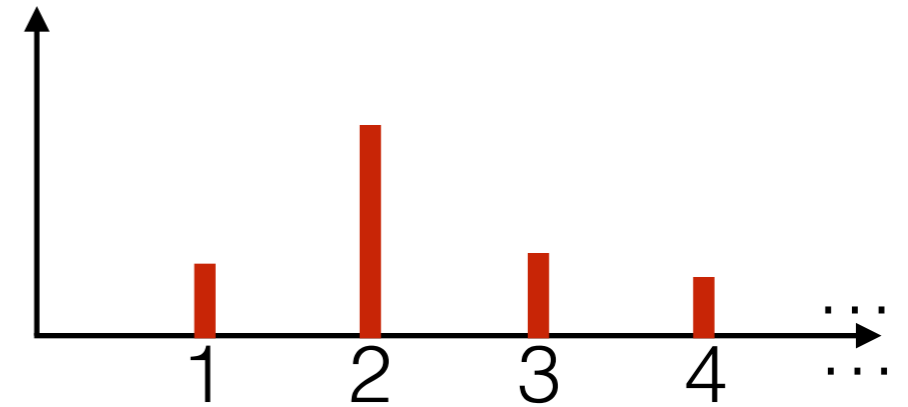
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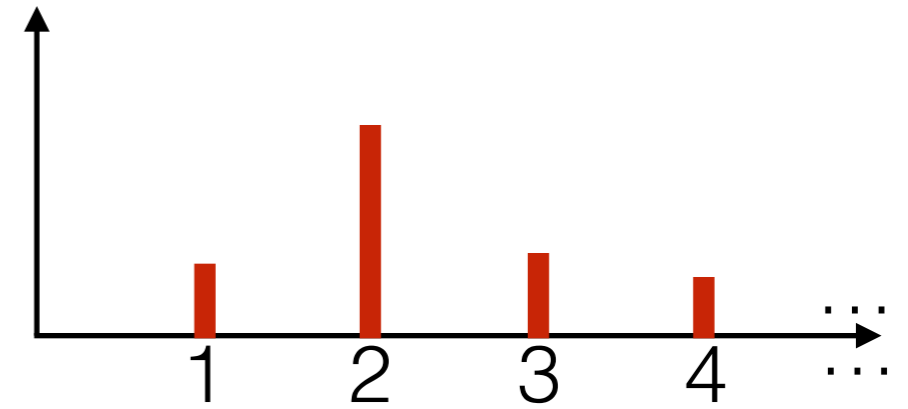


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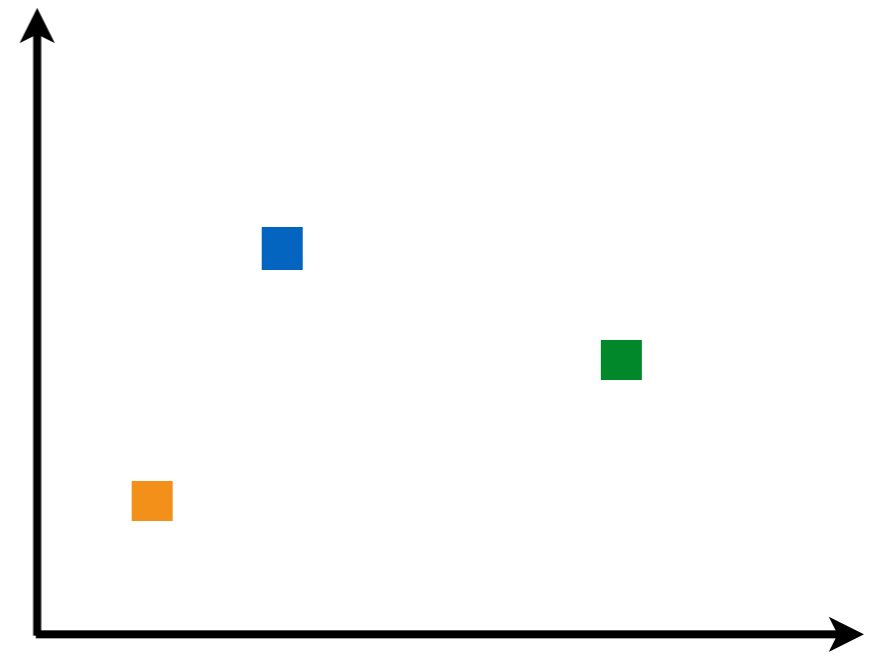
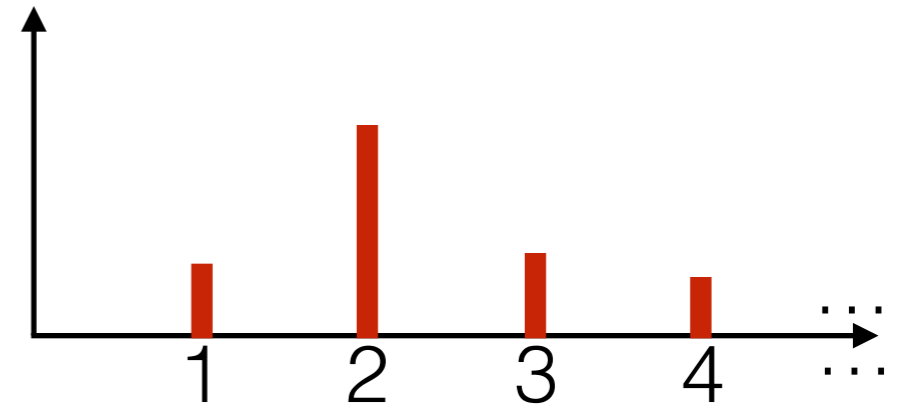


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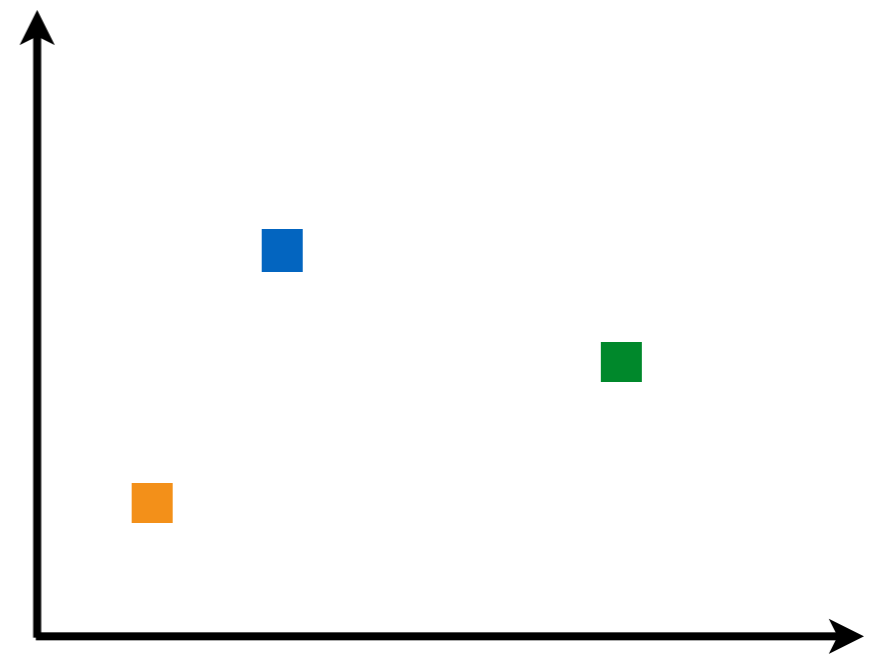
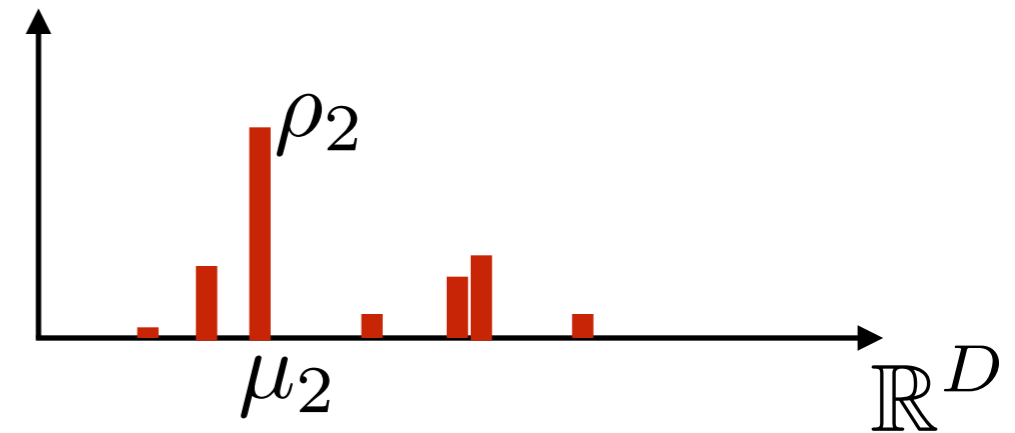
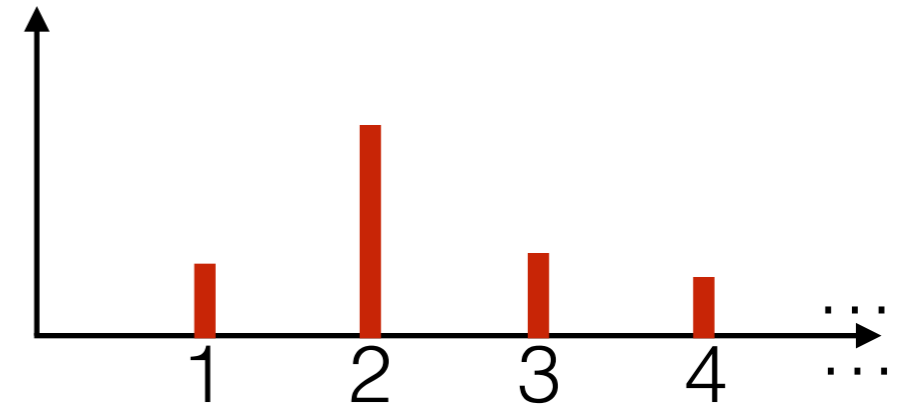


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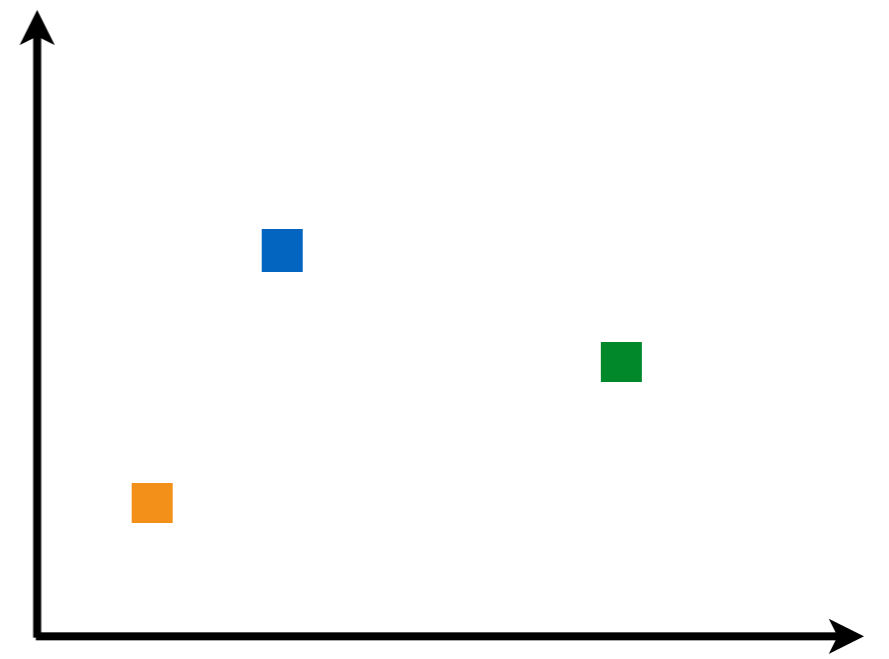
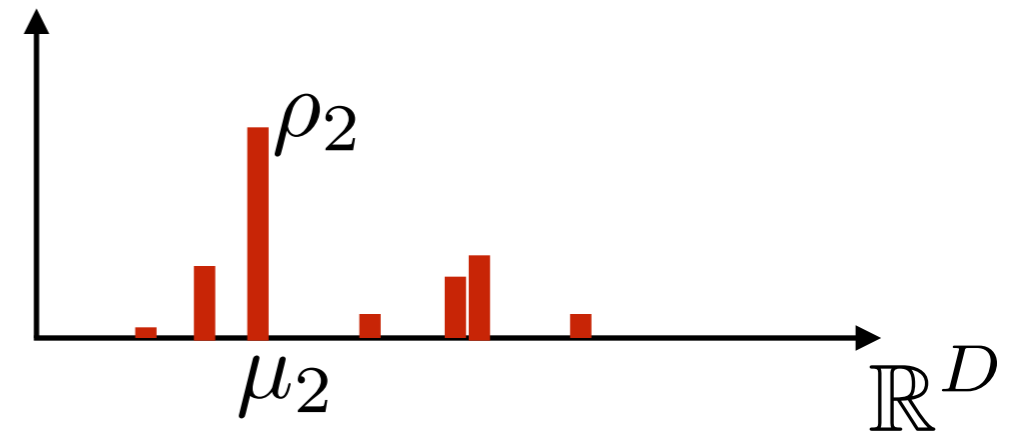
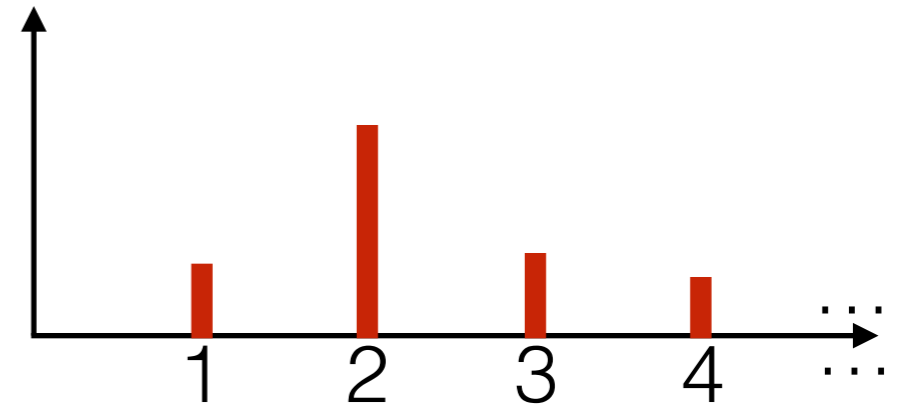
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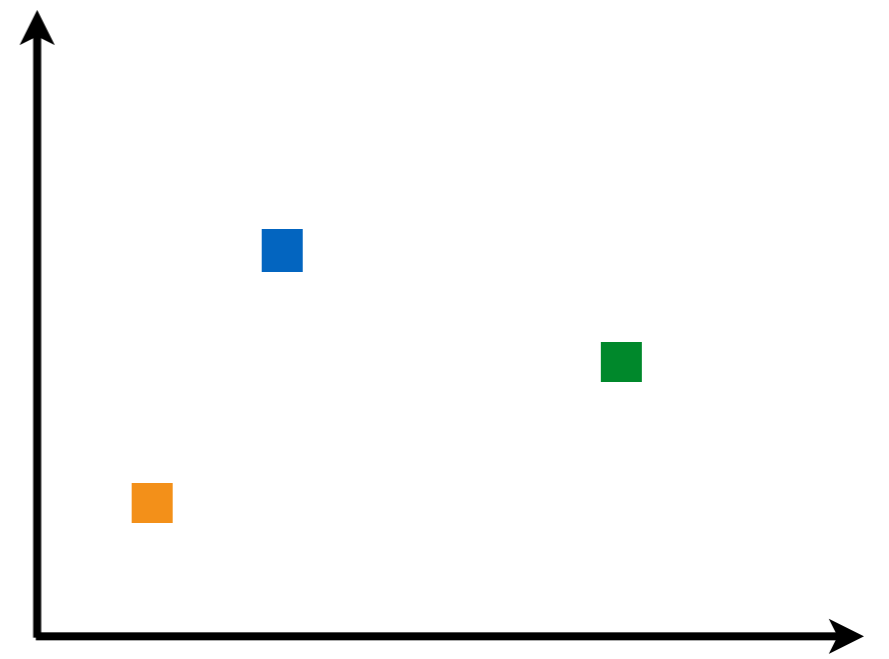
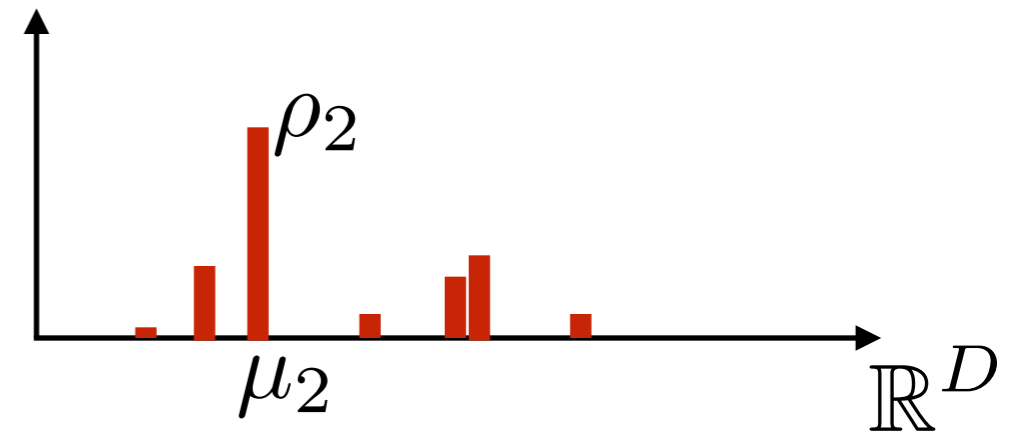
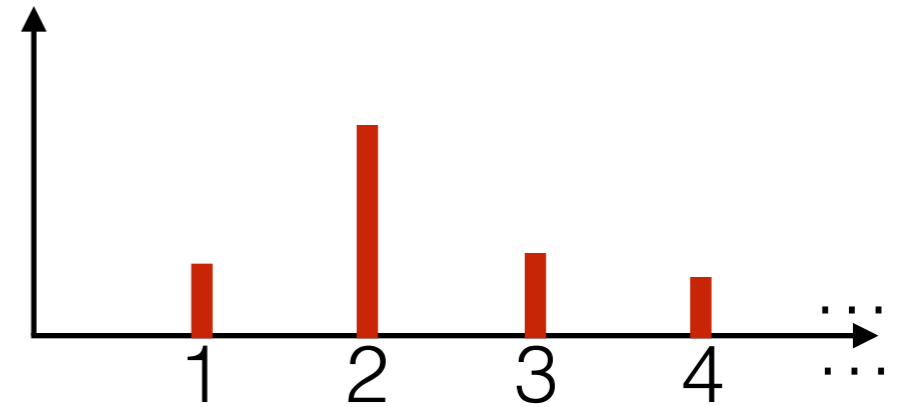
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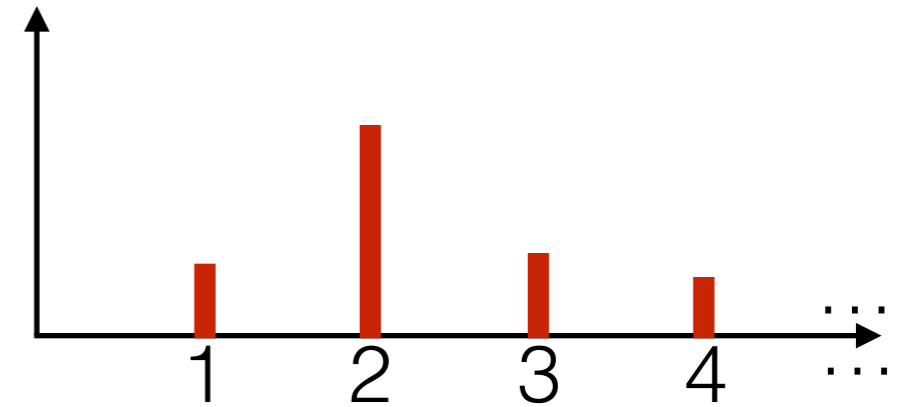
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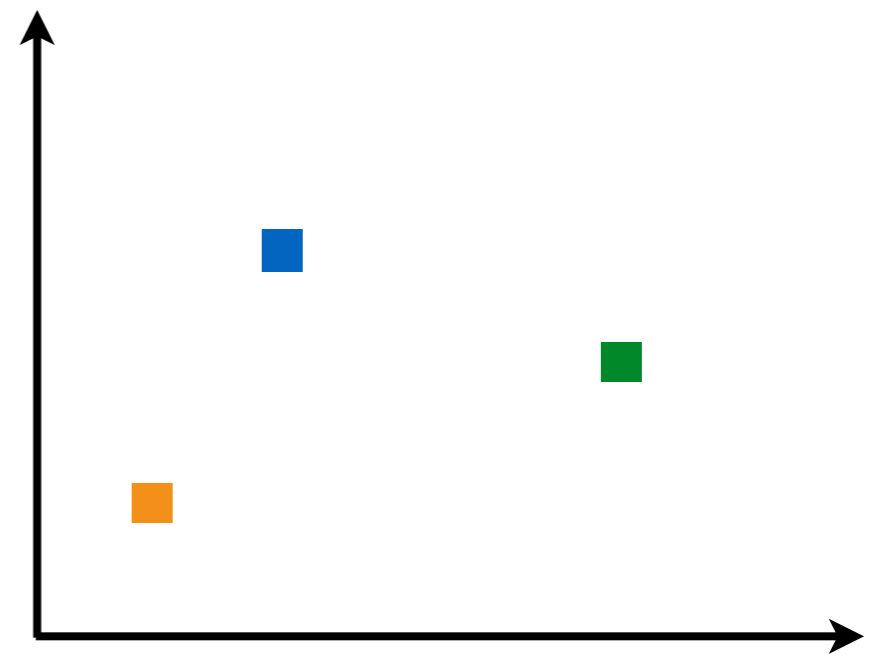
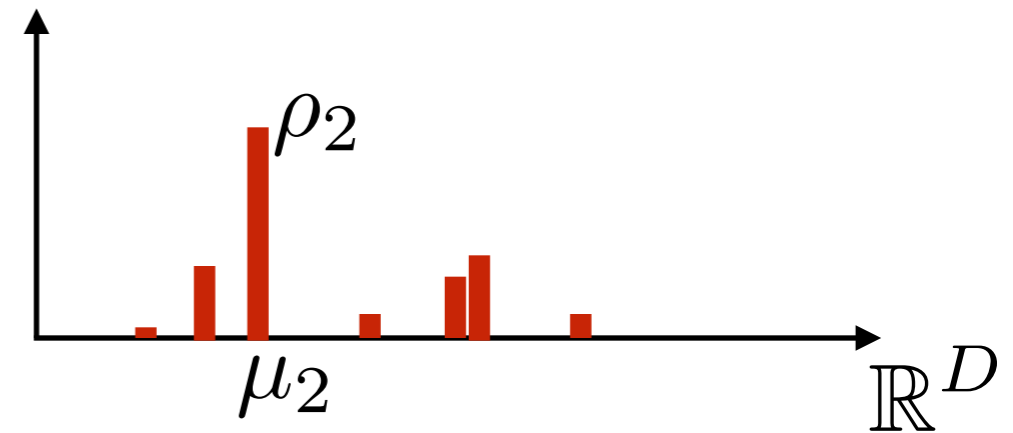
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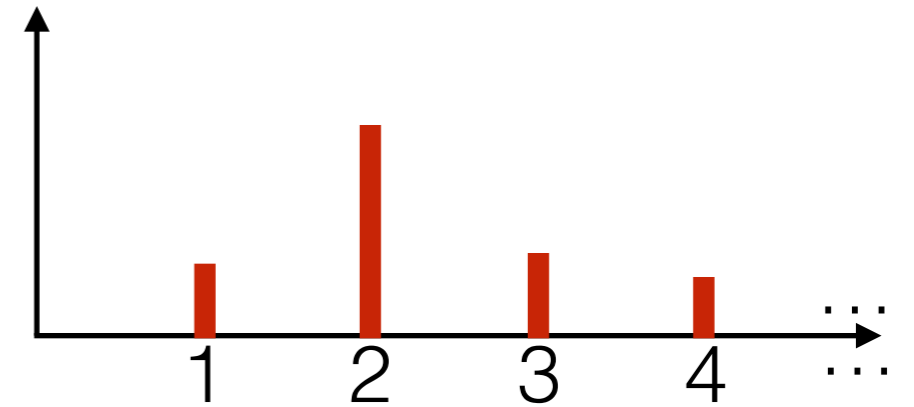
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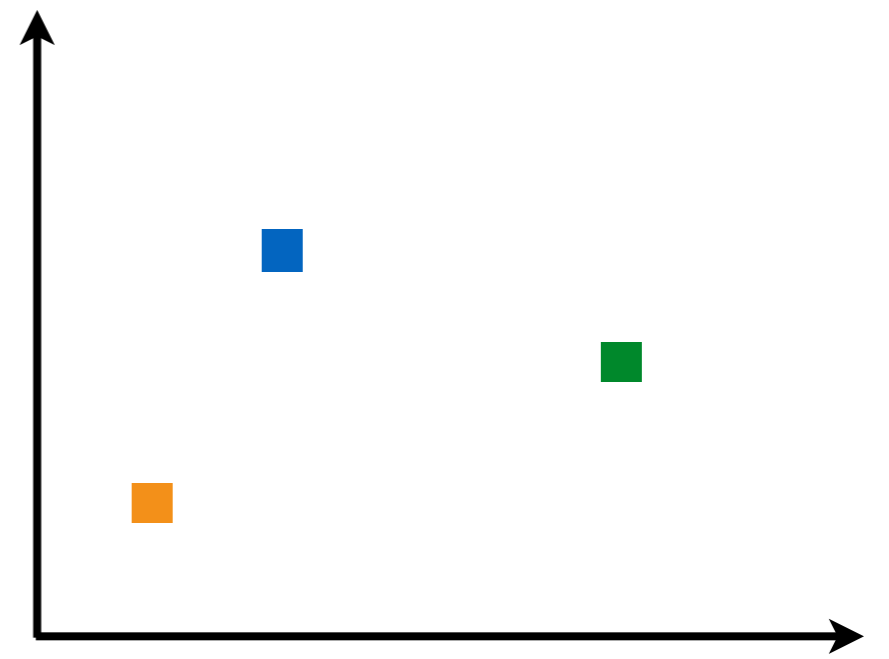
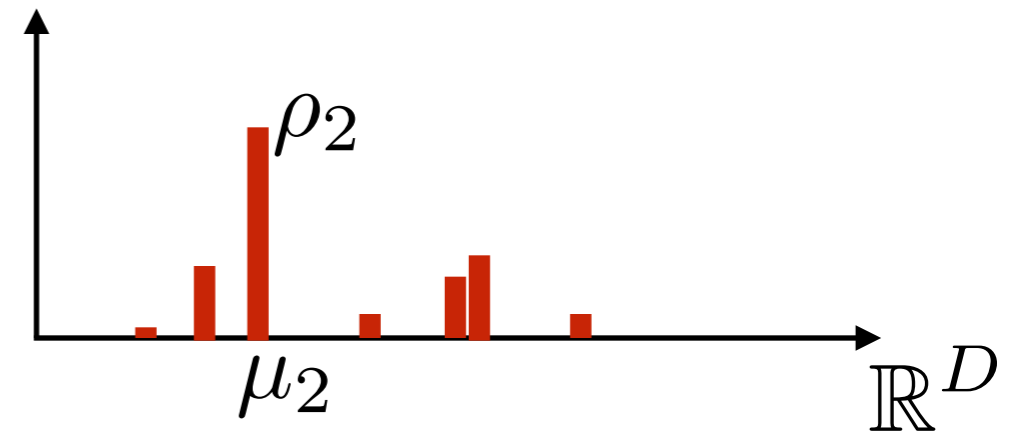
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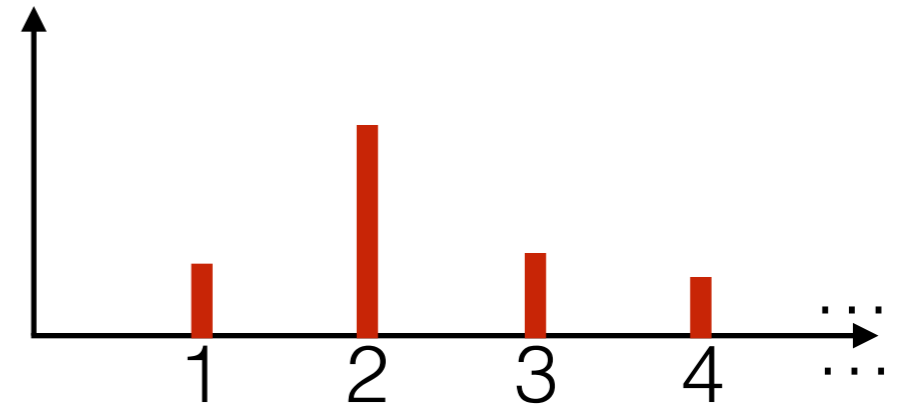
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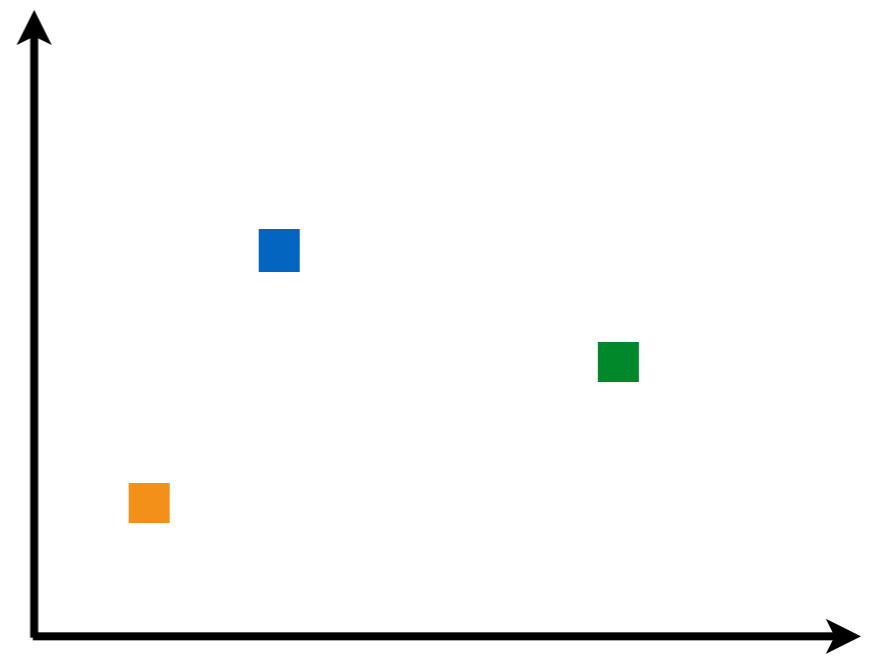
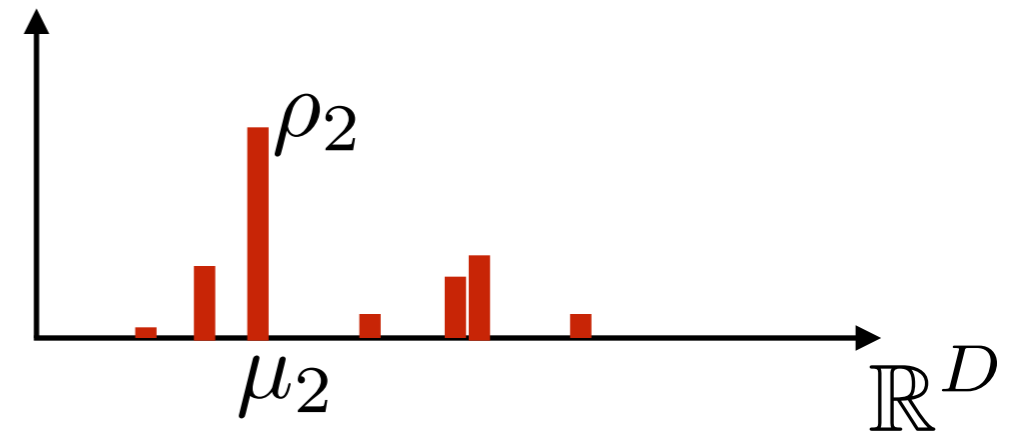
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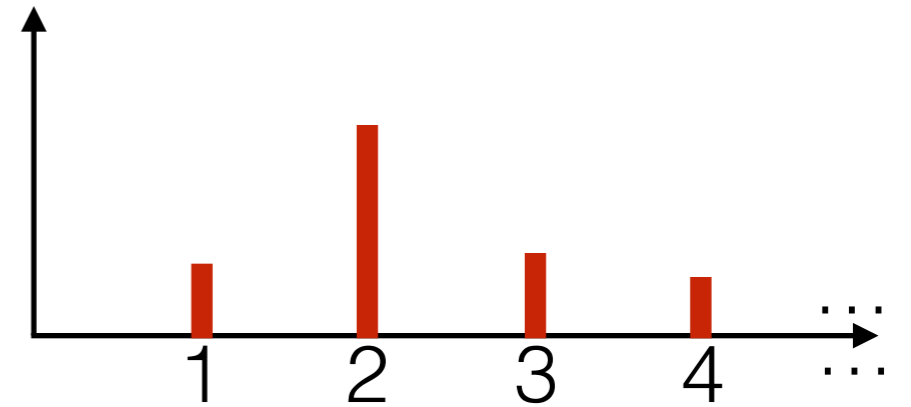
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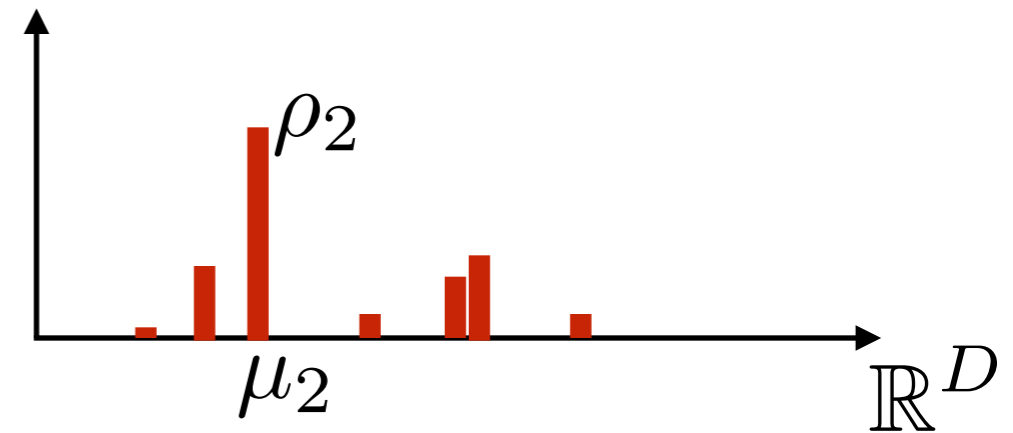
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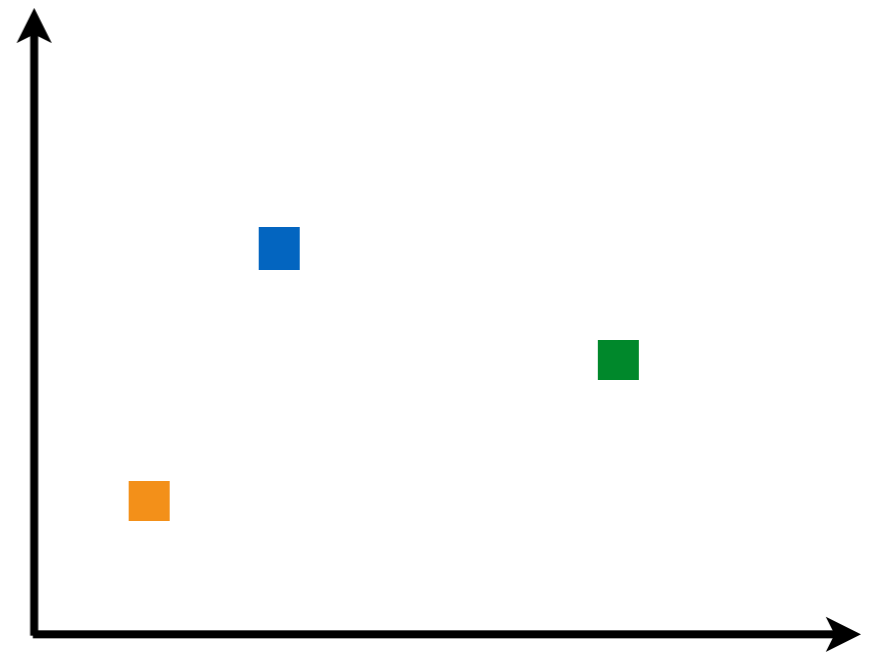
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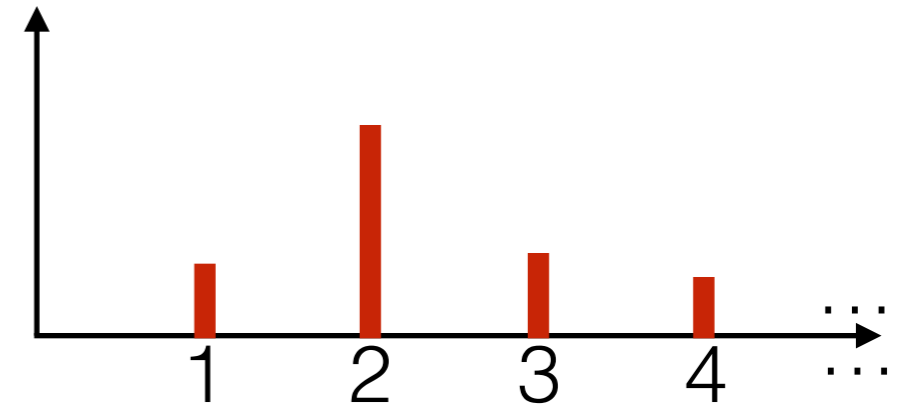
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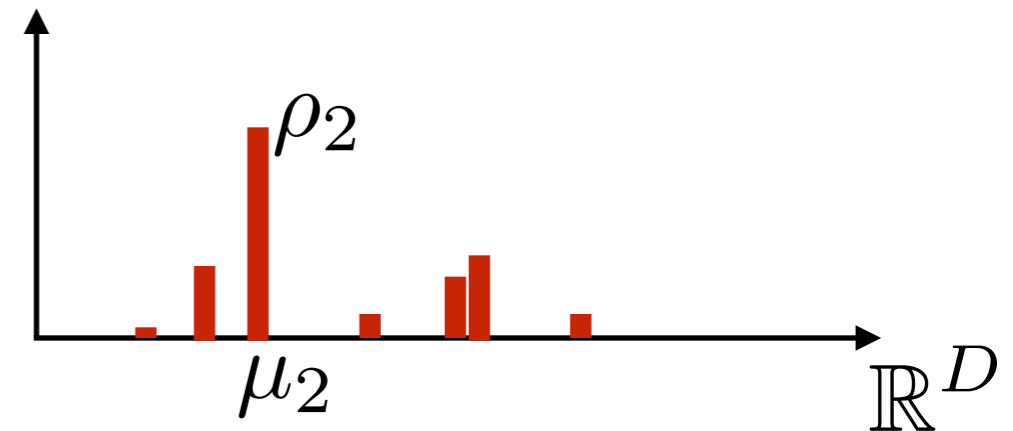
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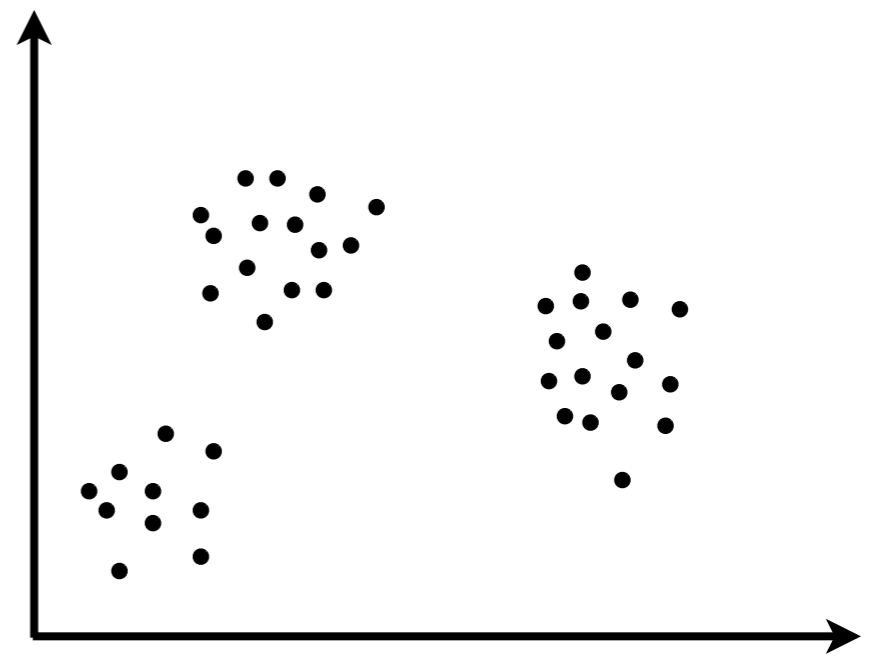
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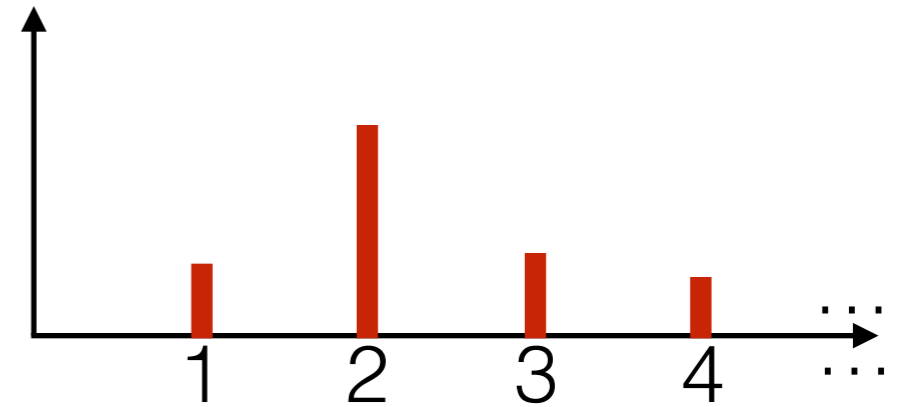
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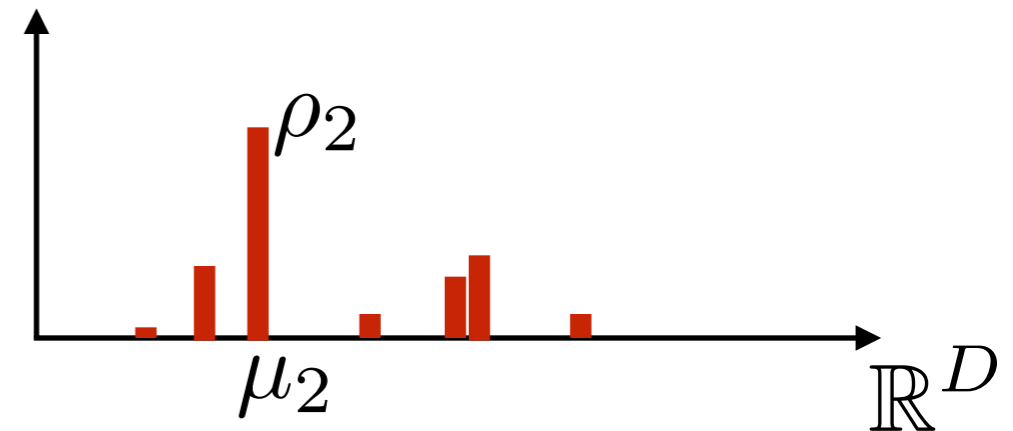
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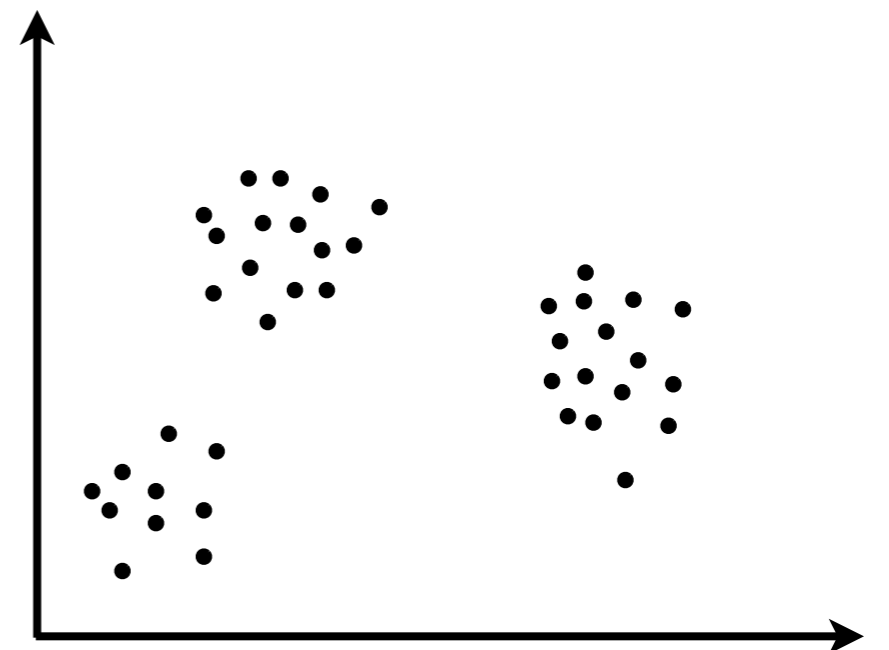
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[demo]



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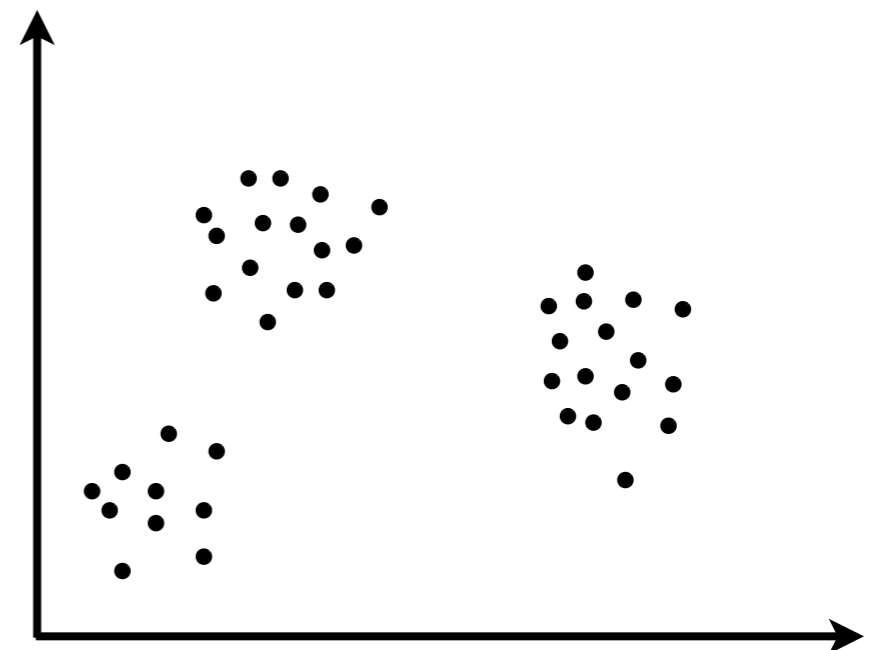
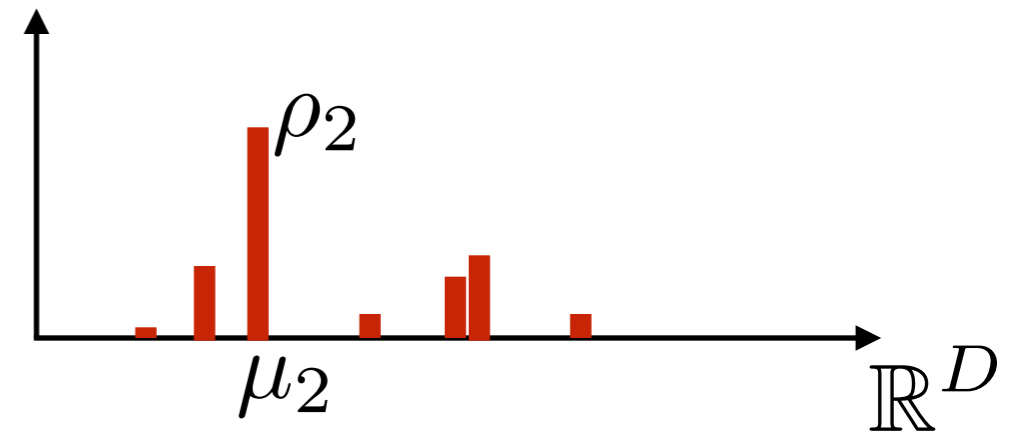
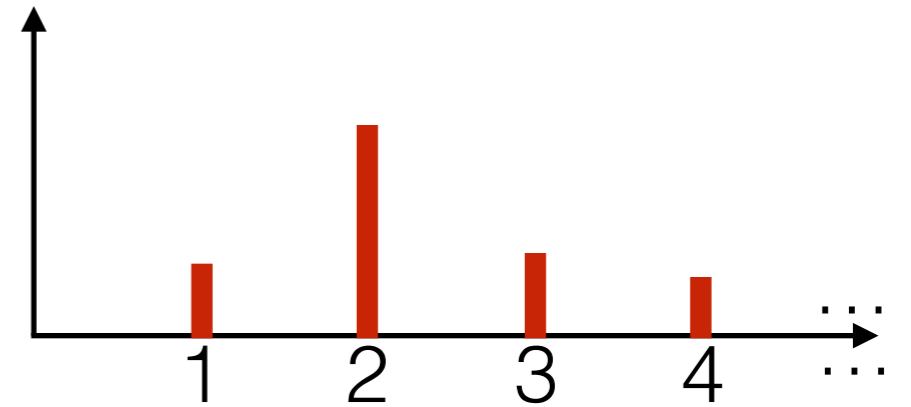
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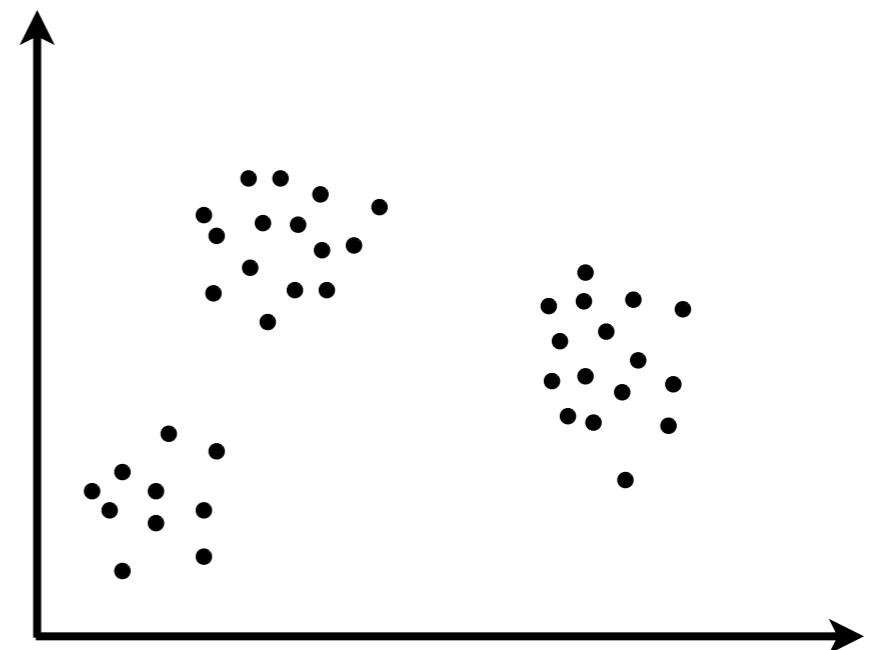
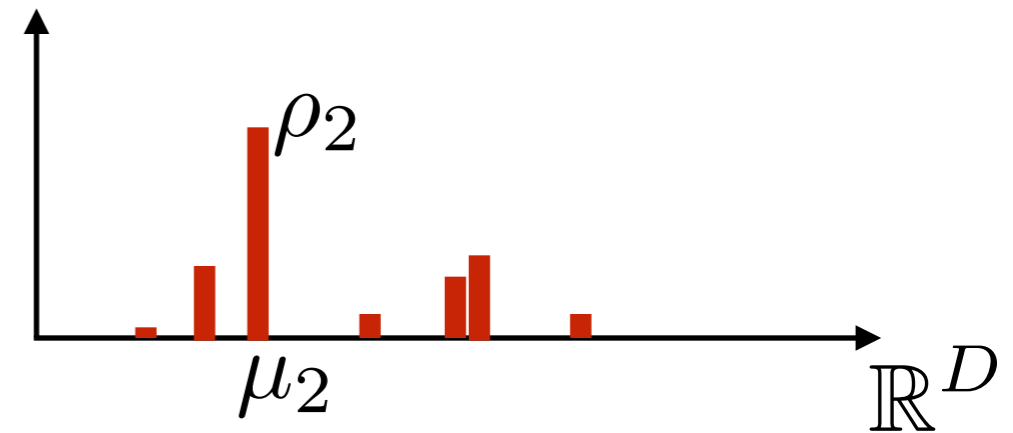
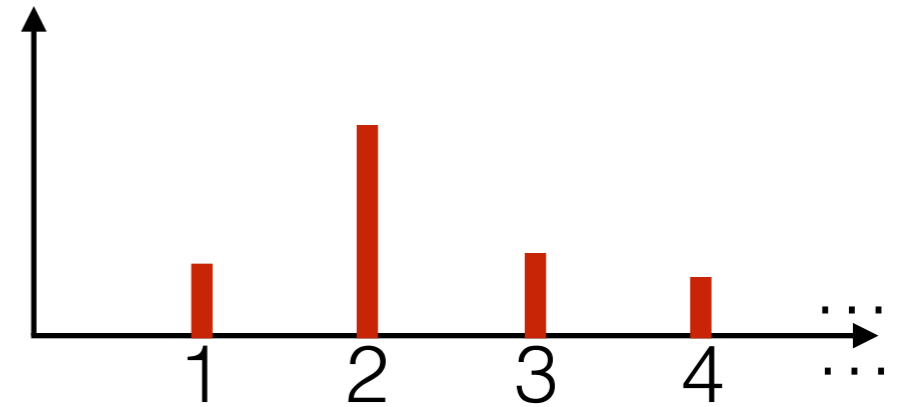
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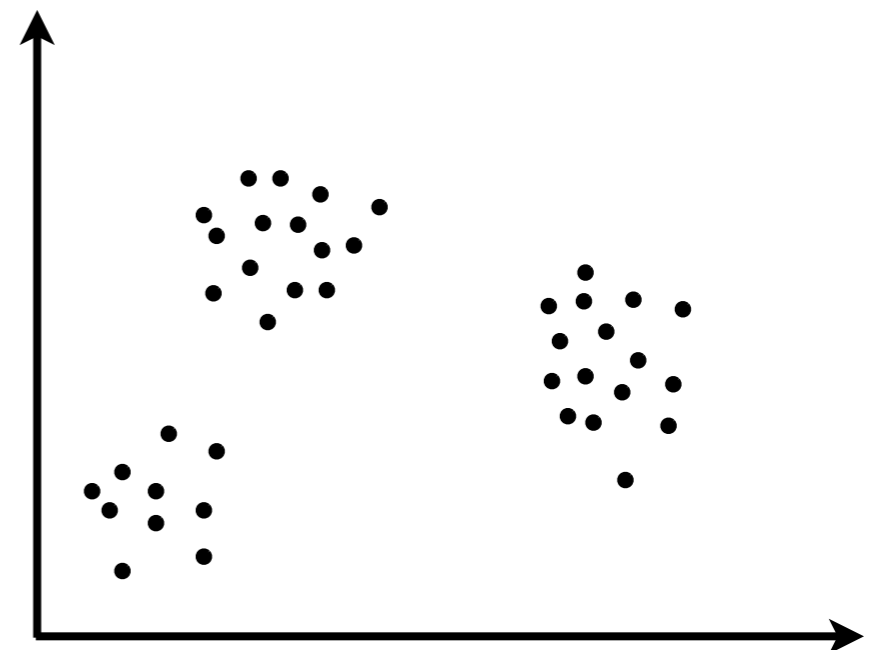
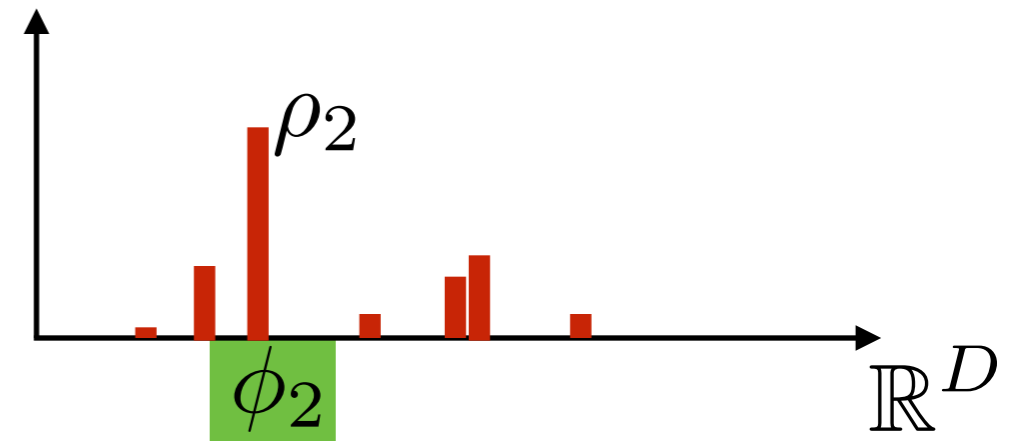
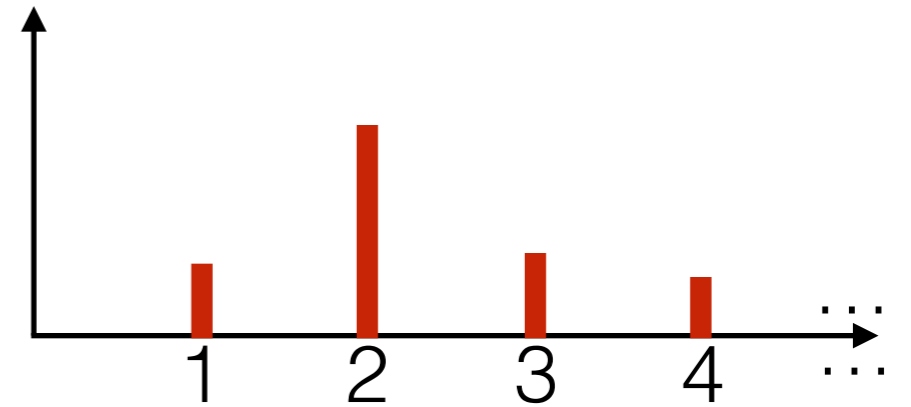
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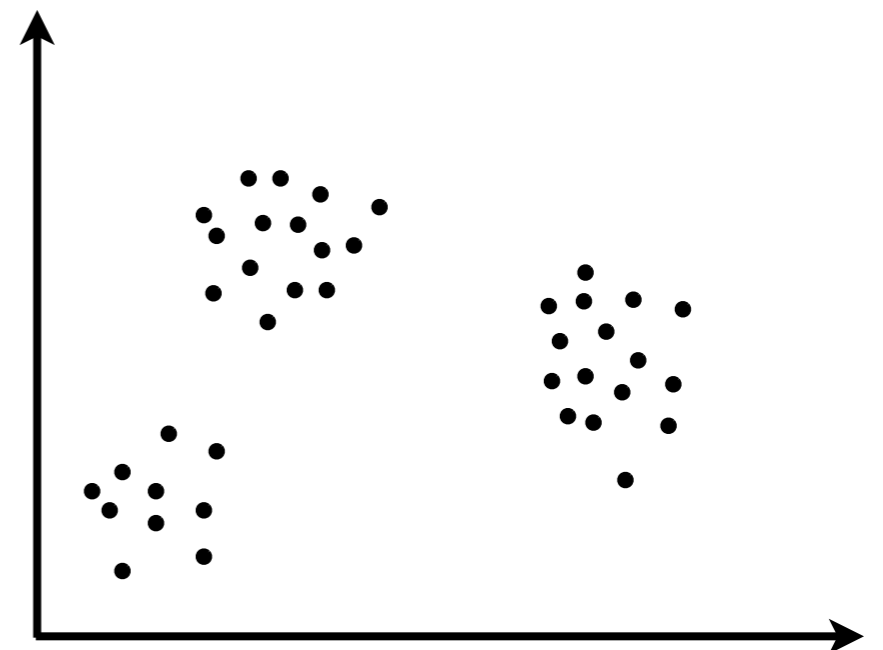
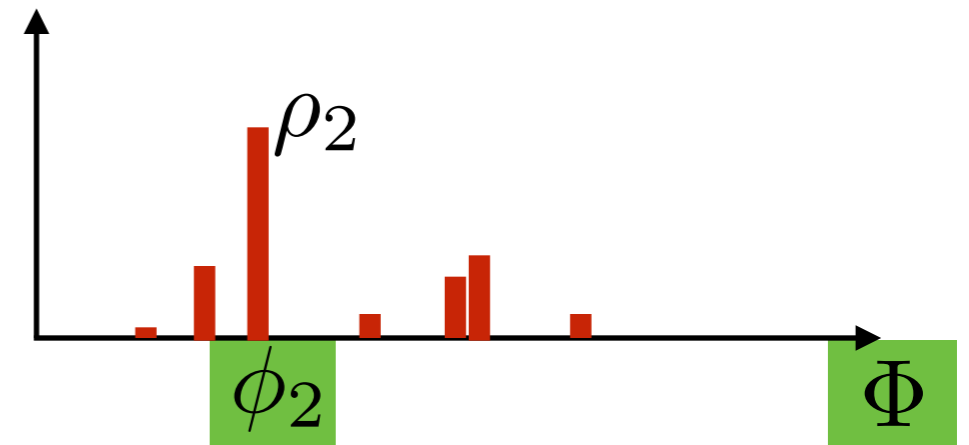
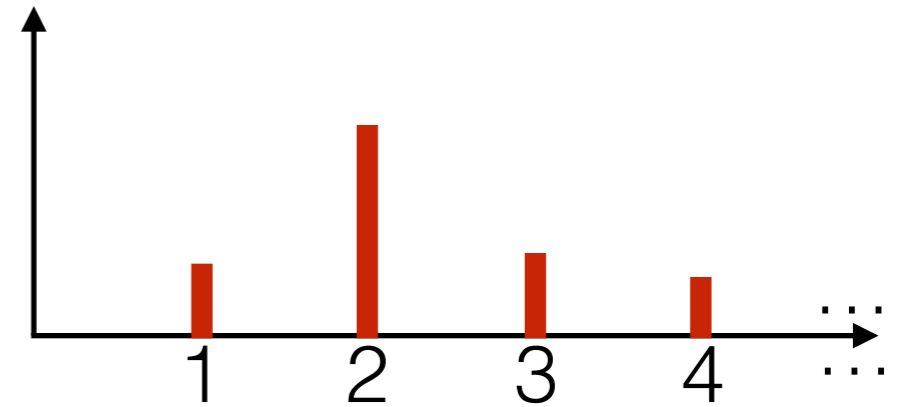
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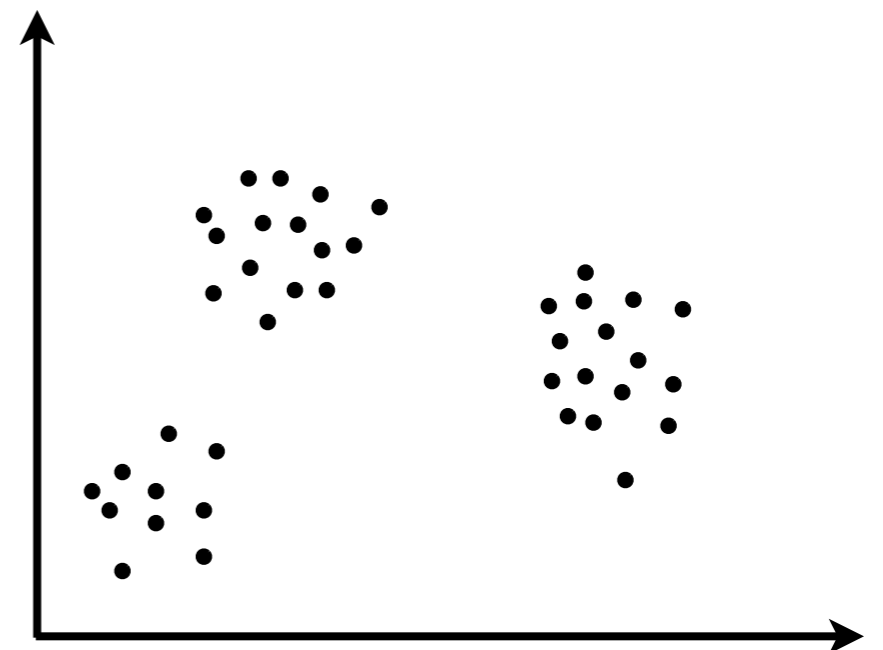
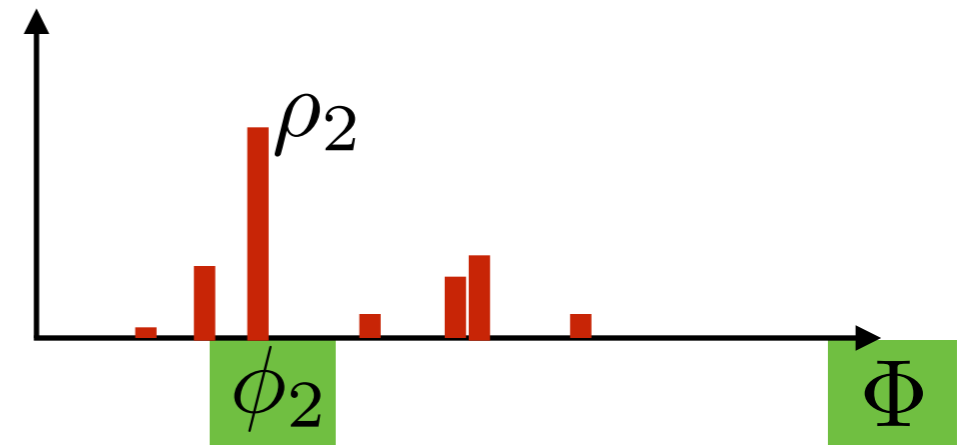
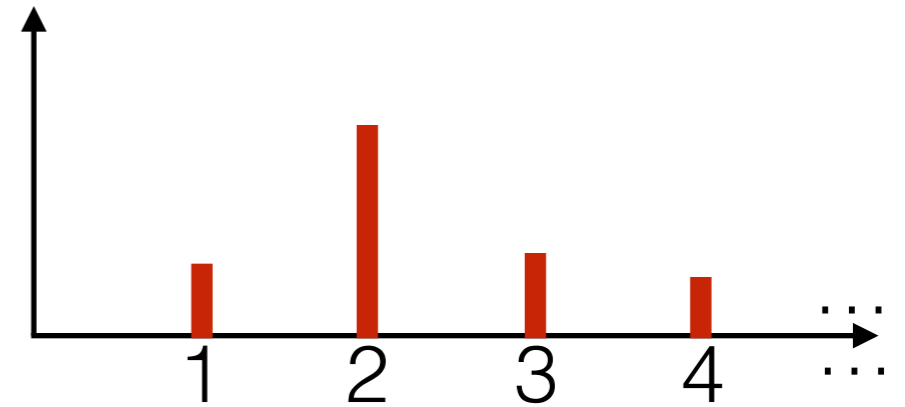
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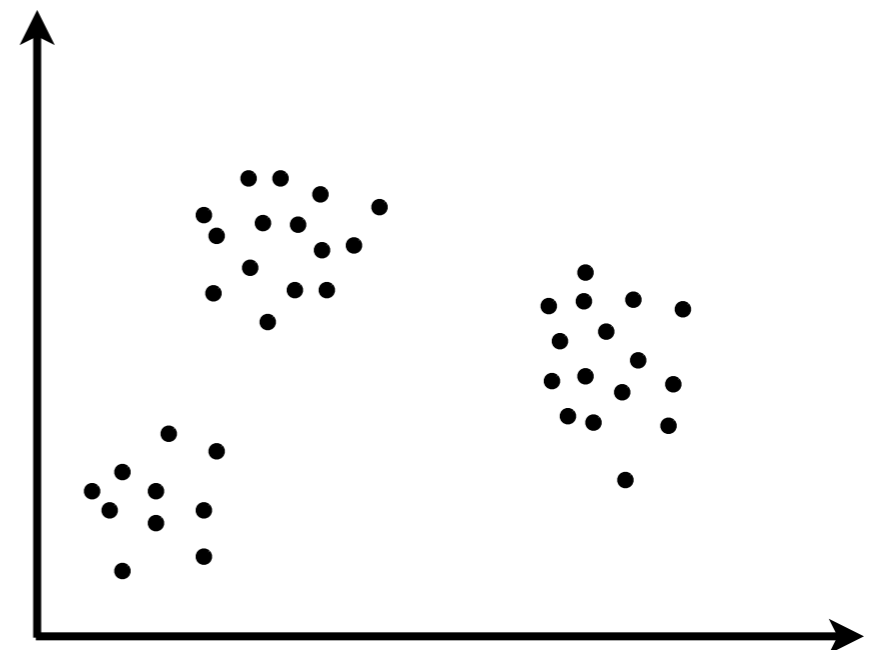
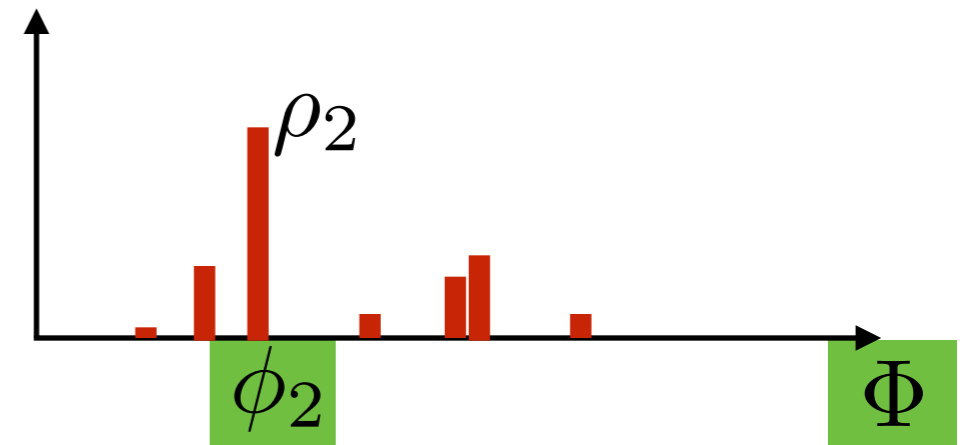
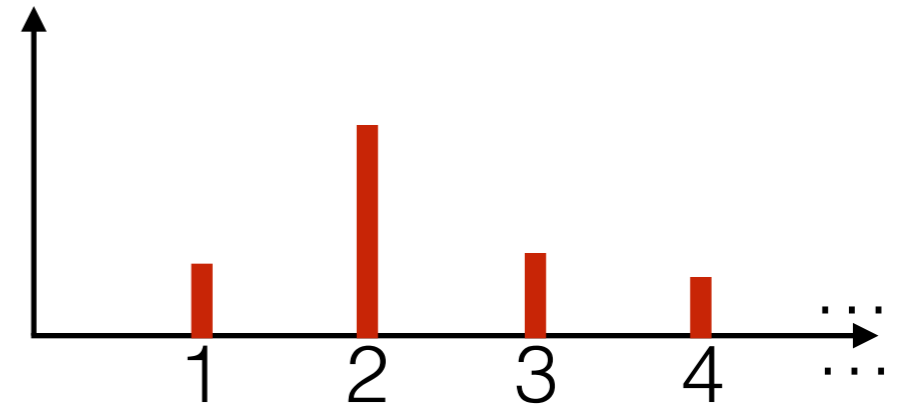
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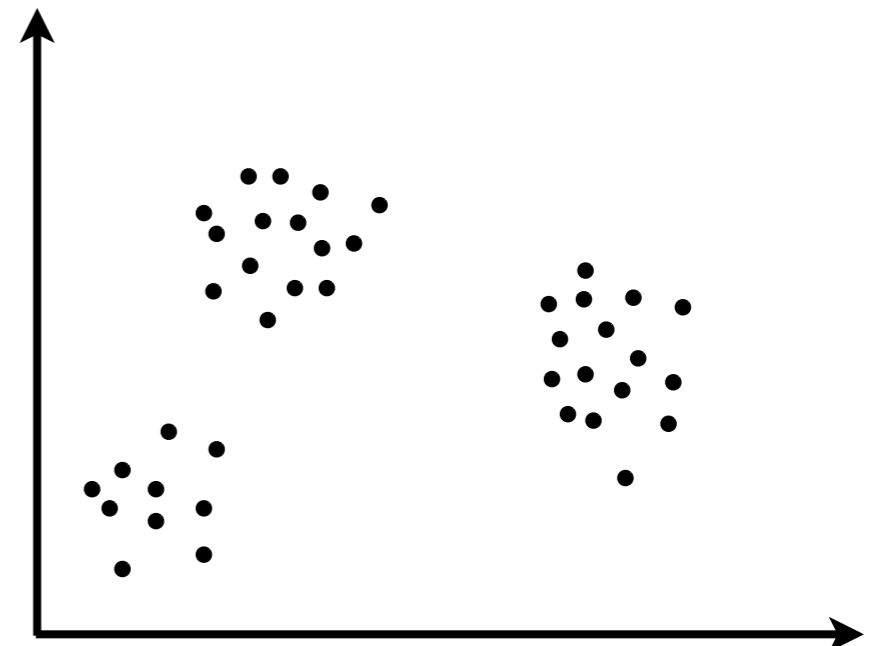
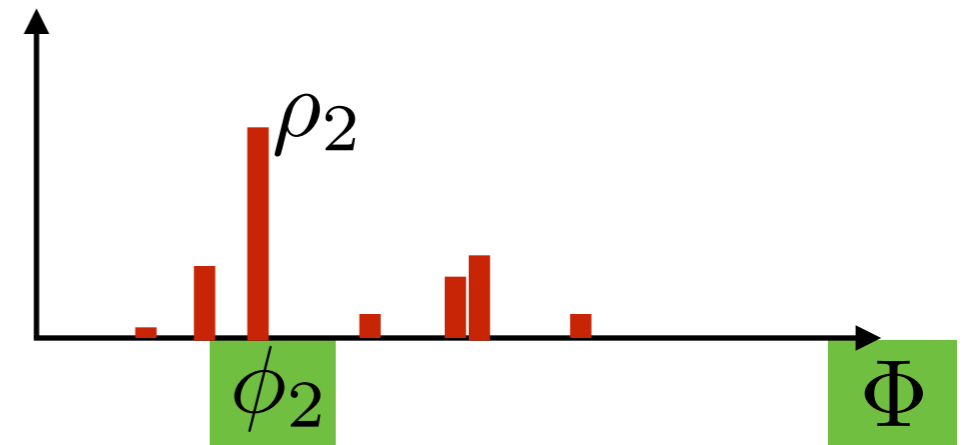
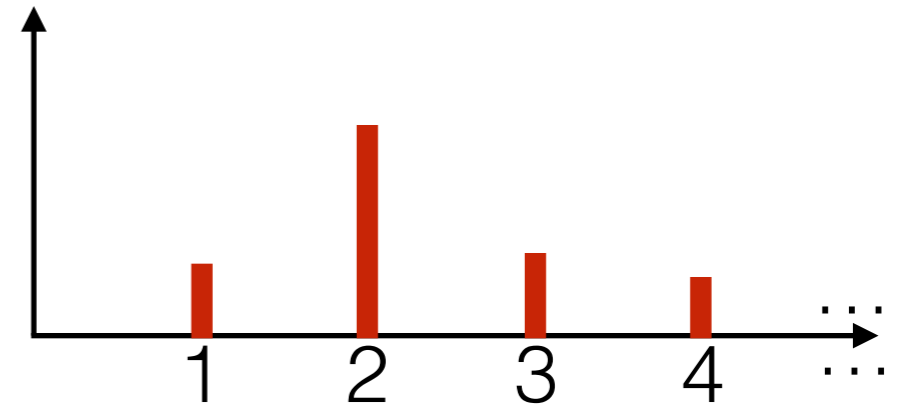
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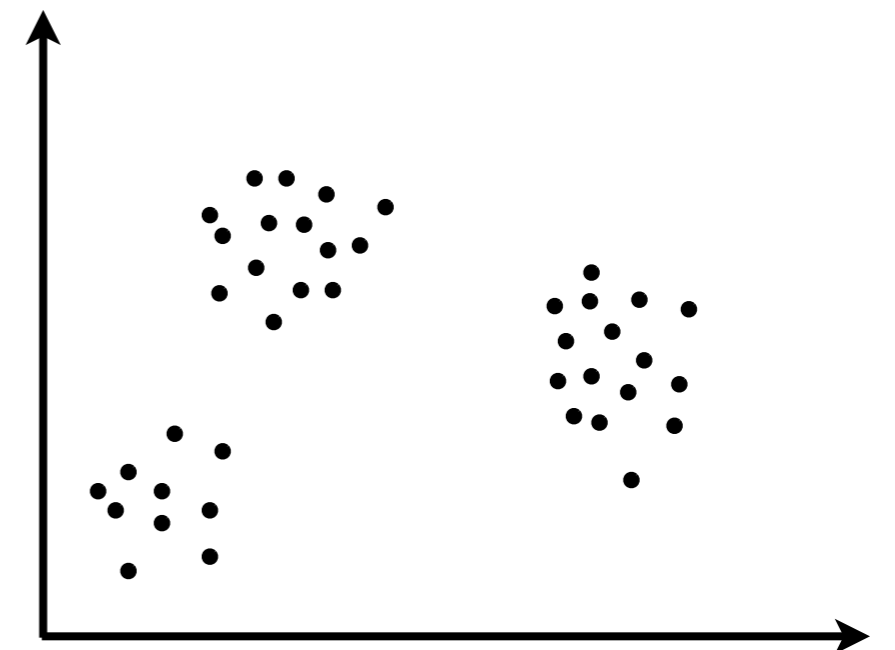
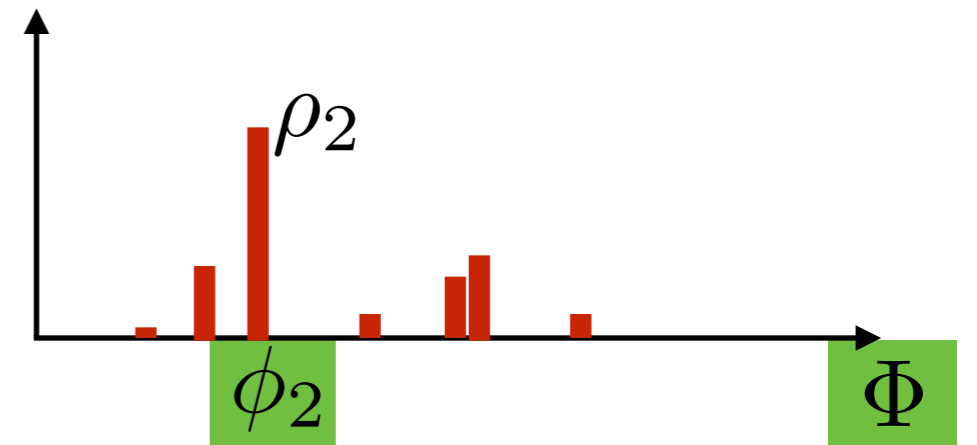
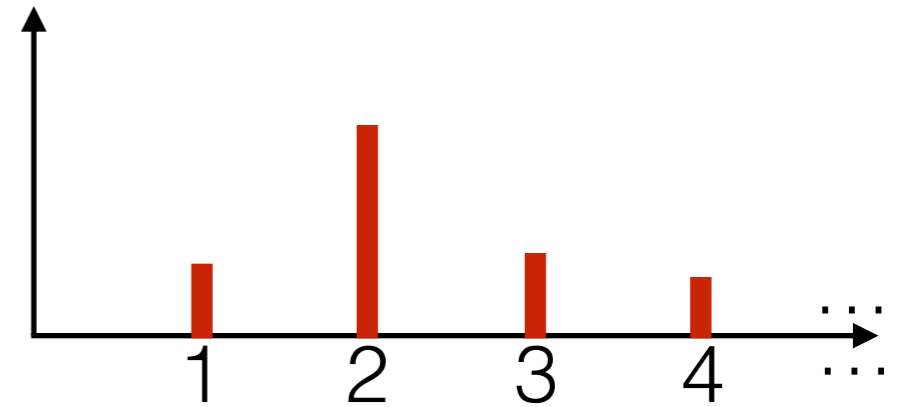
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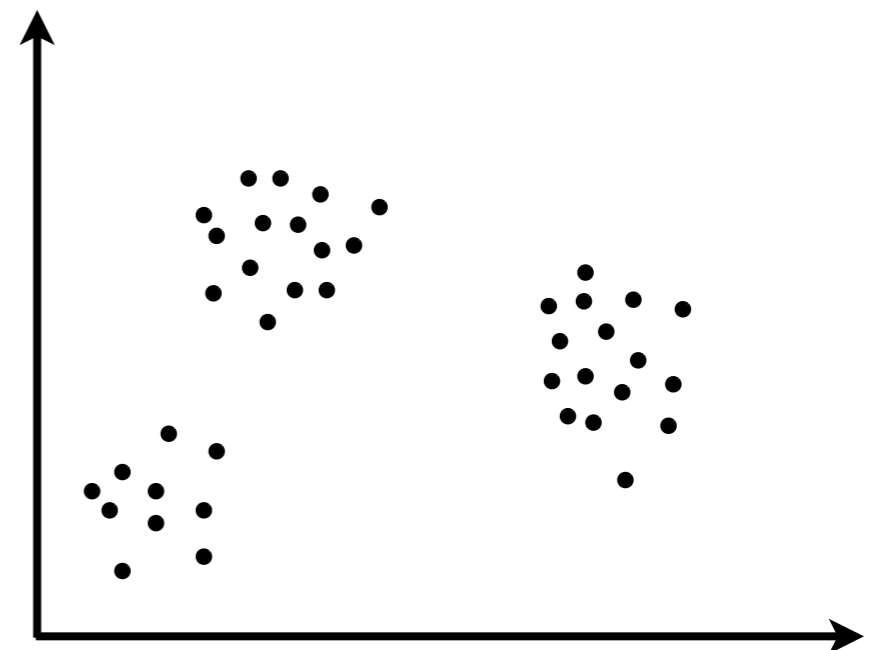
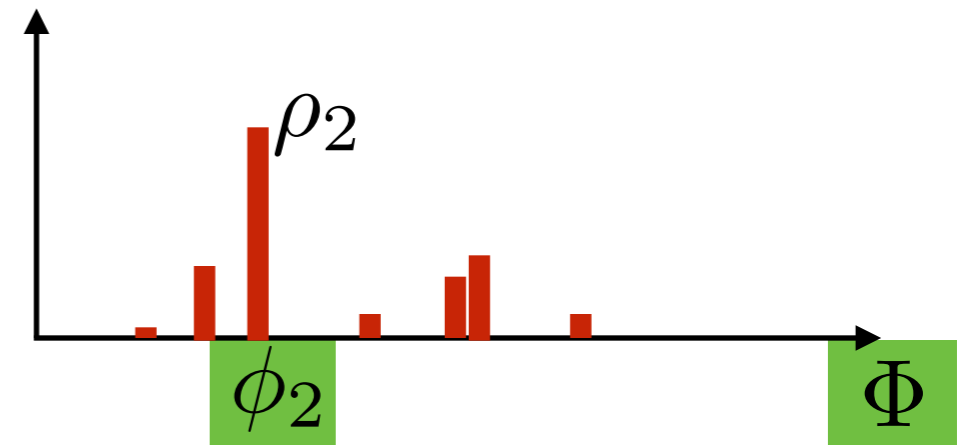
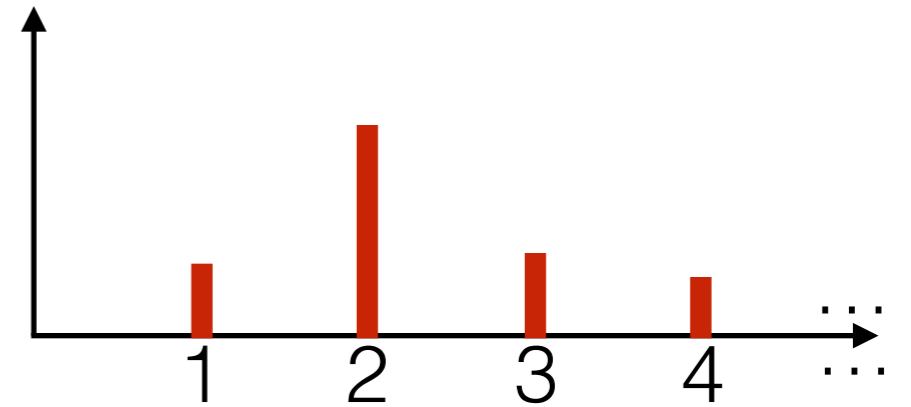
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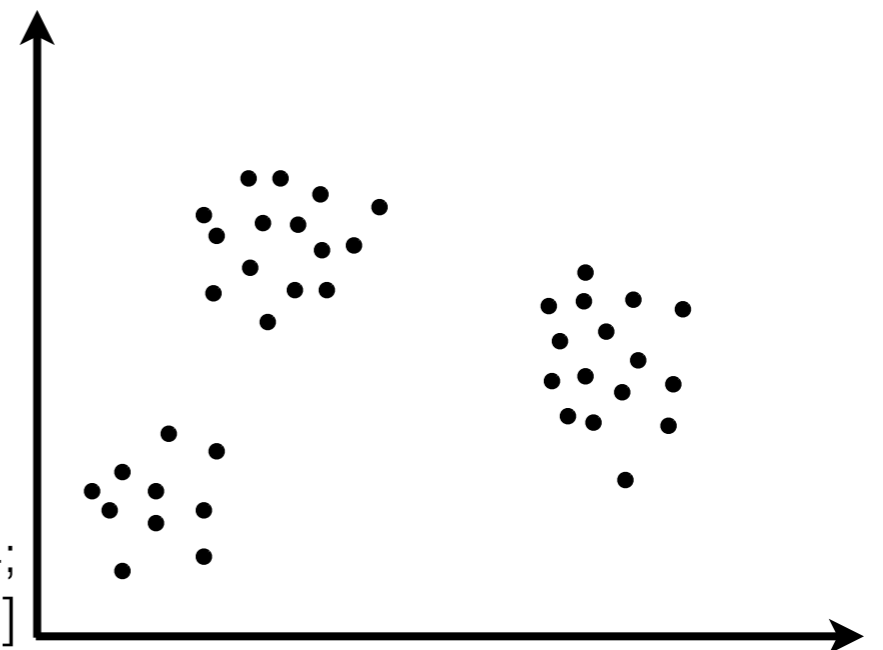
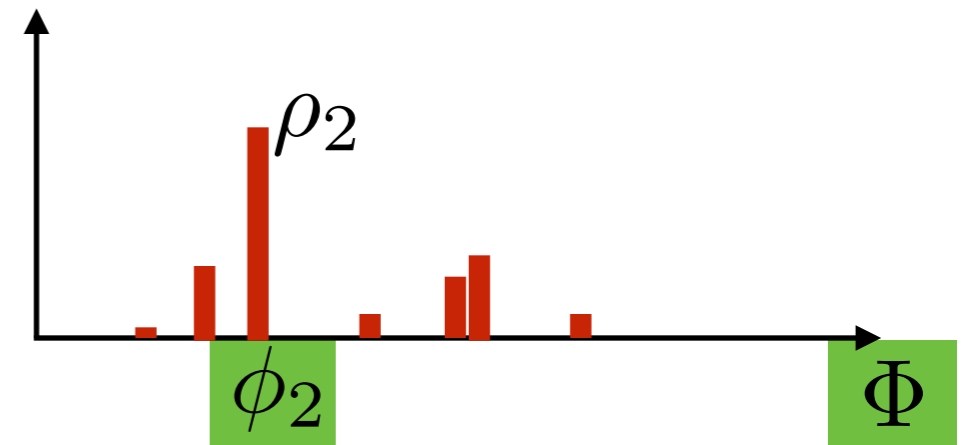
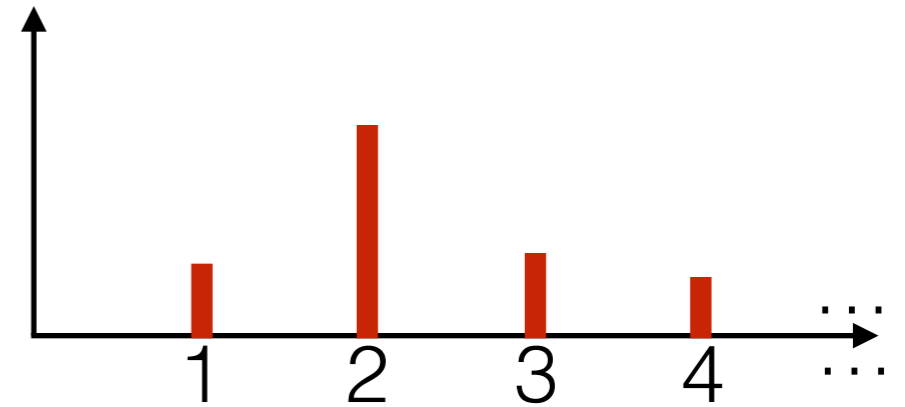
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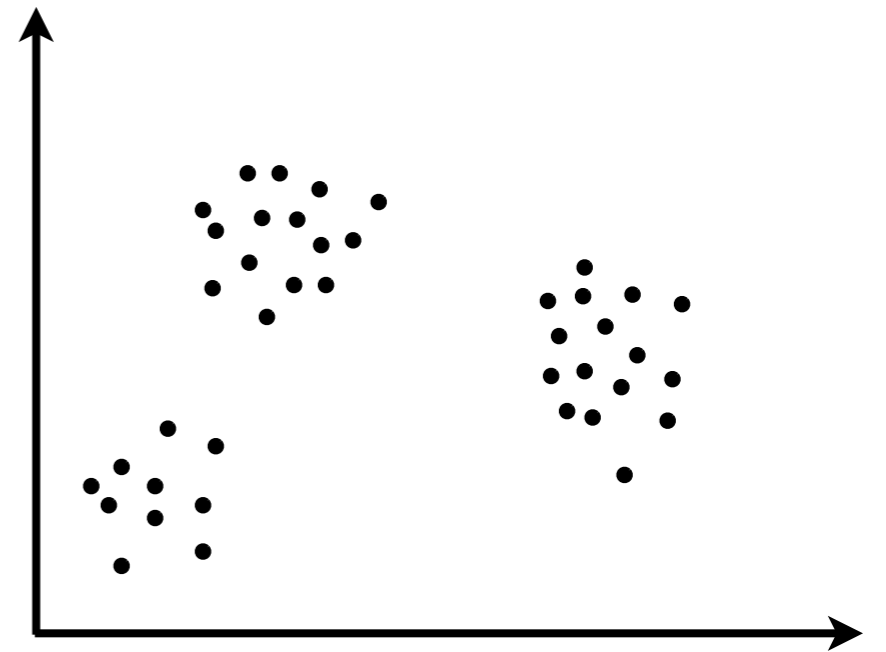
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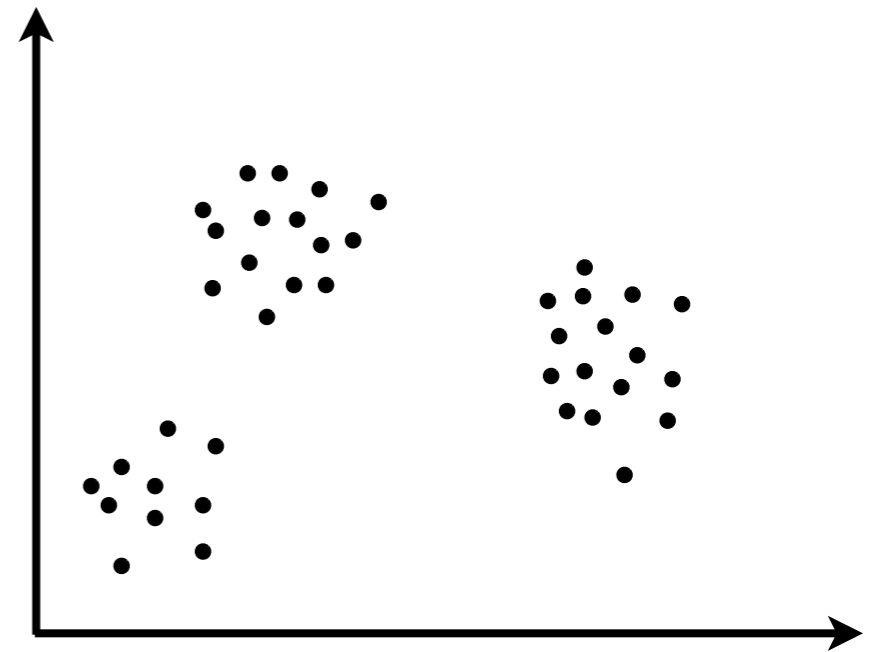
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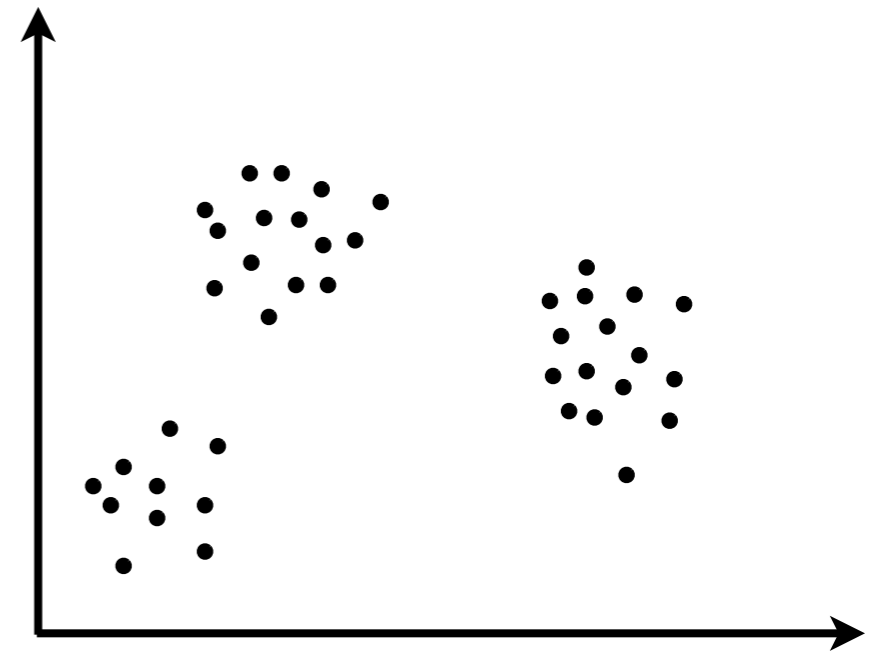
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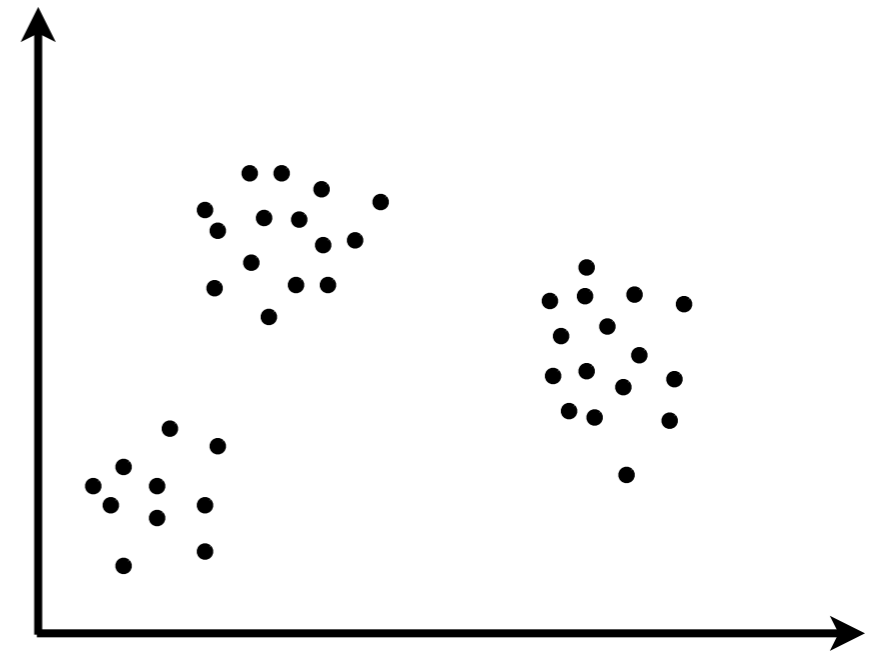
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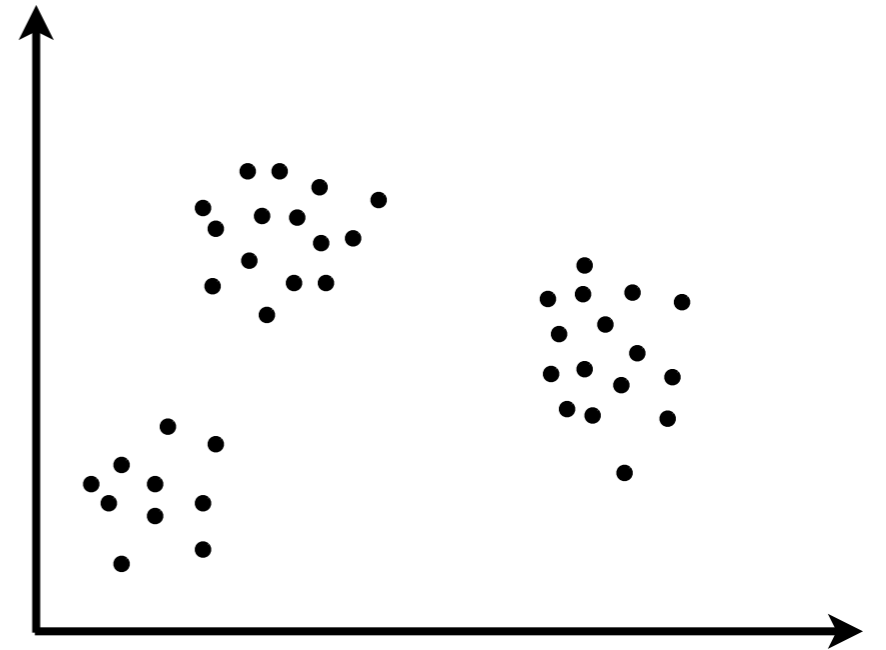


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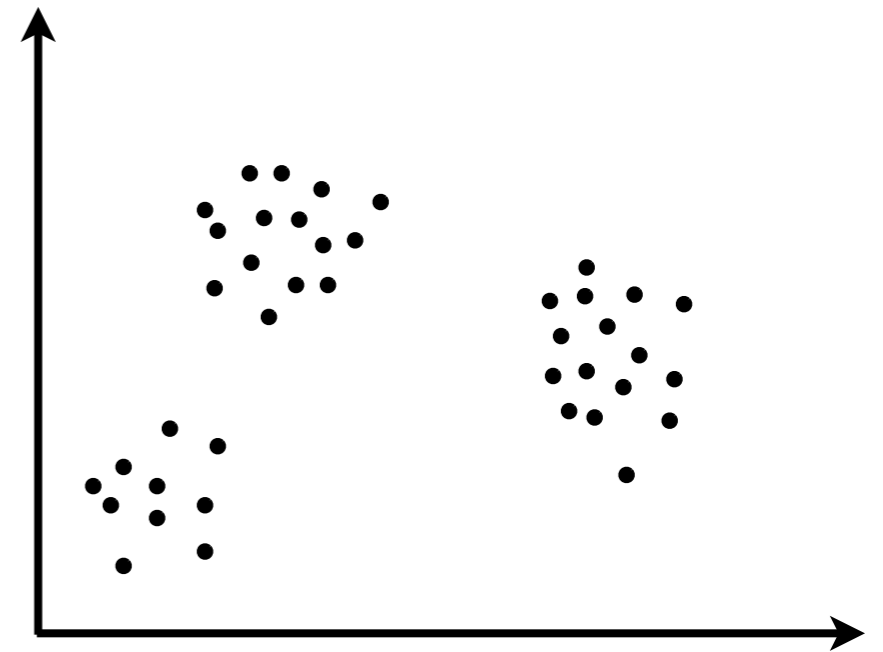
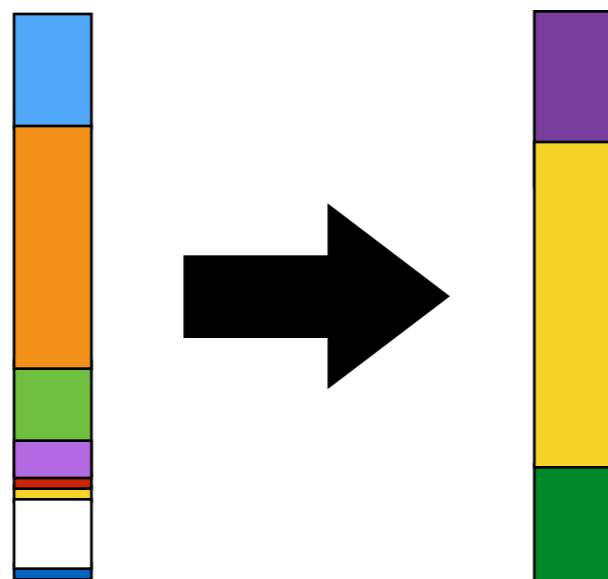
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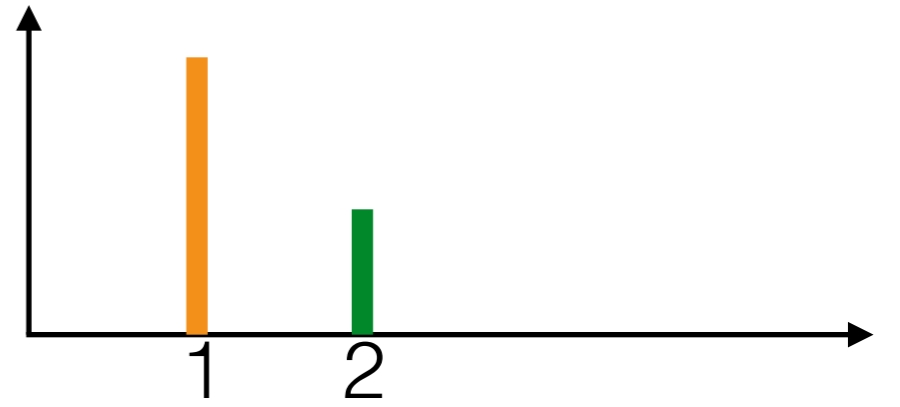
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- Example NPBayes model: Dirichlet process
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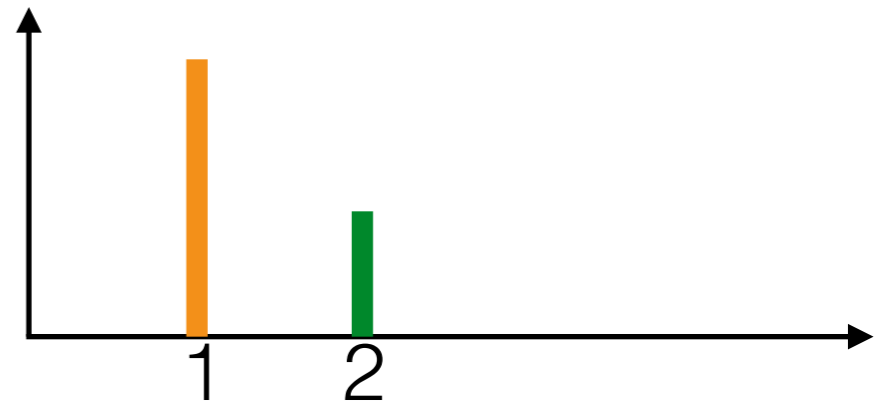
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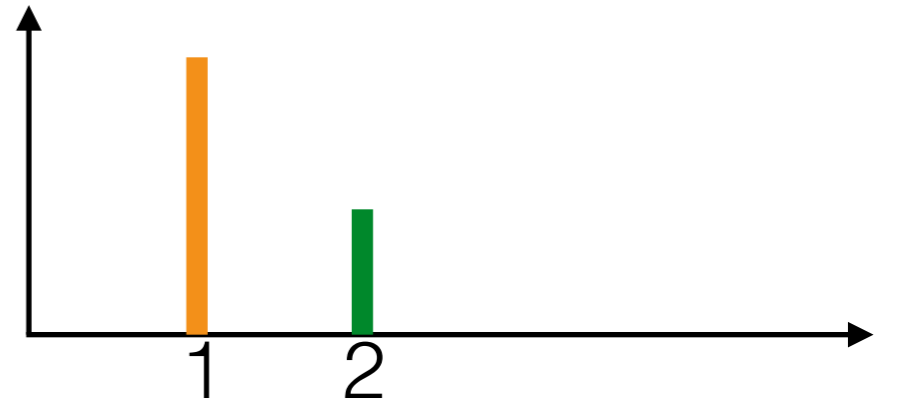


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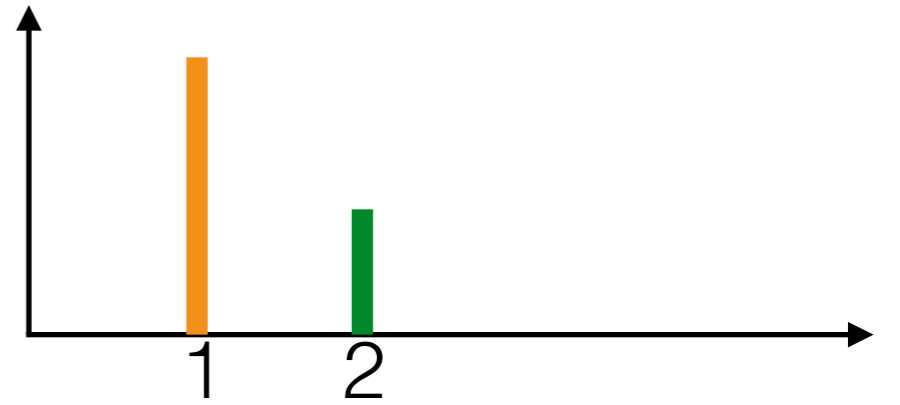


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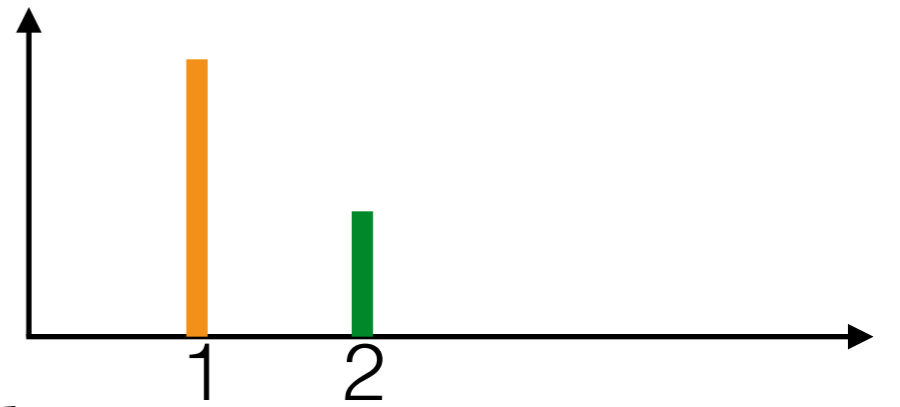
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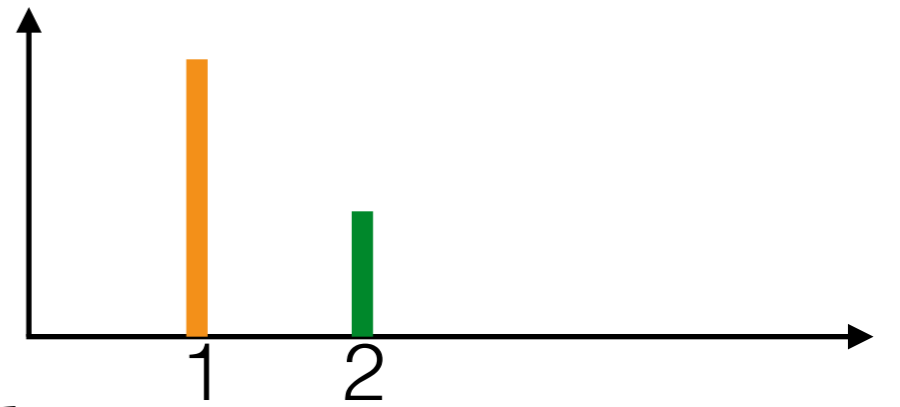
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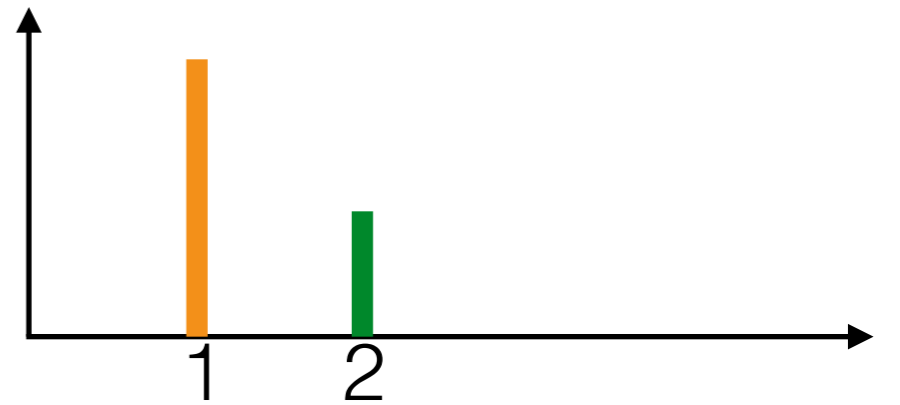
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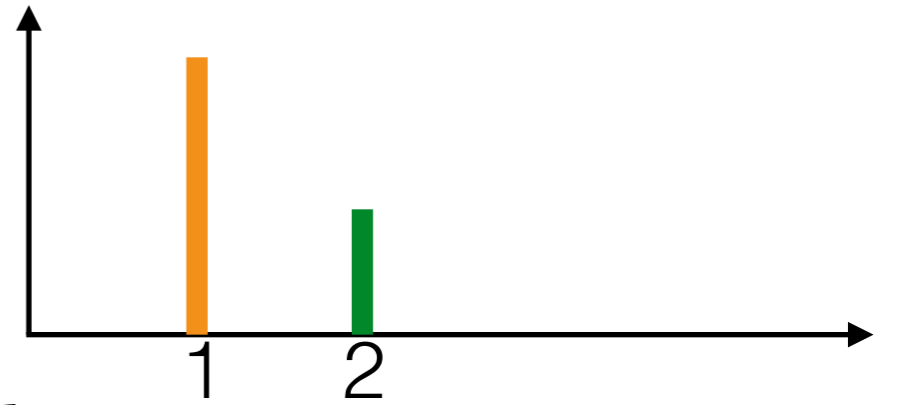
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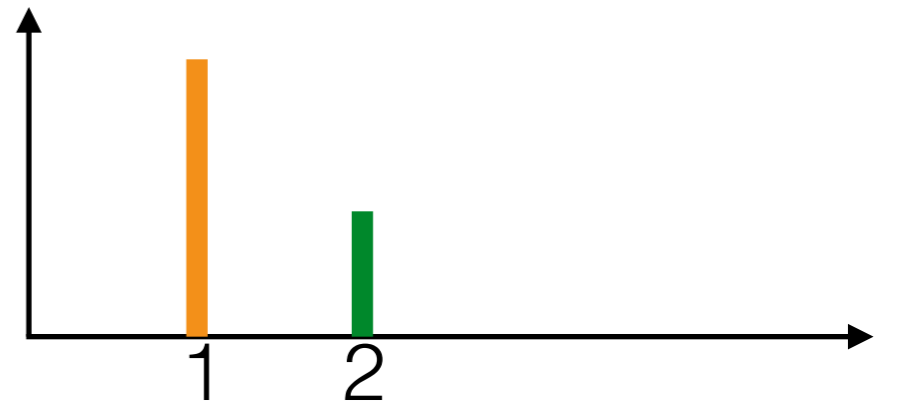
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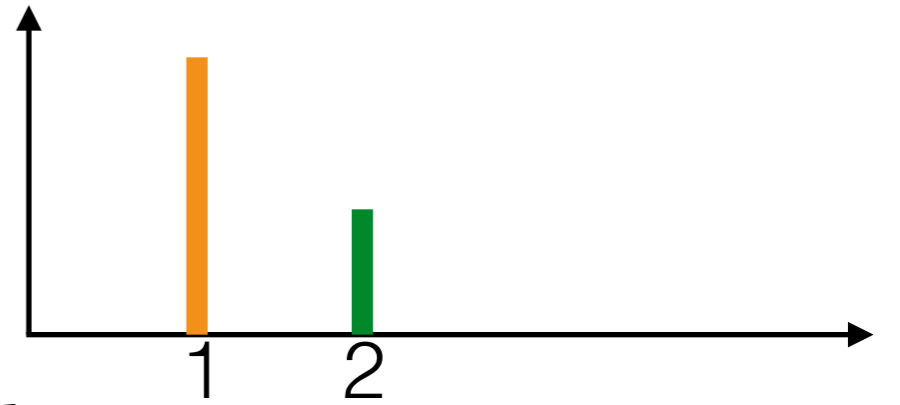
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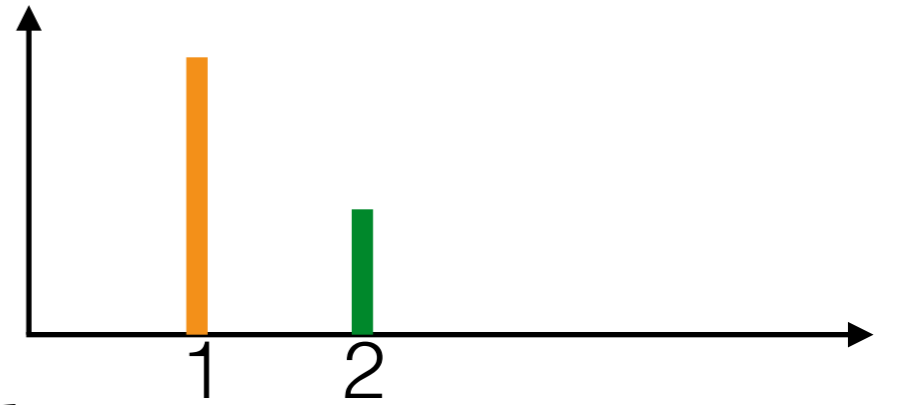
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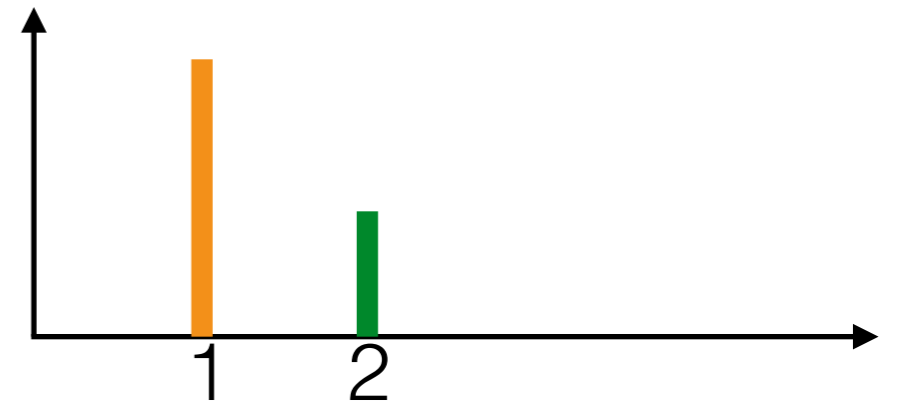
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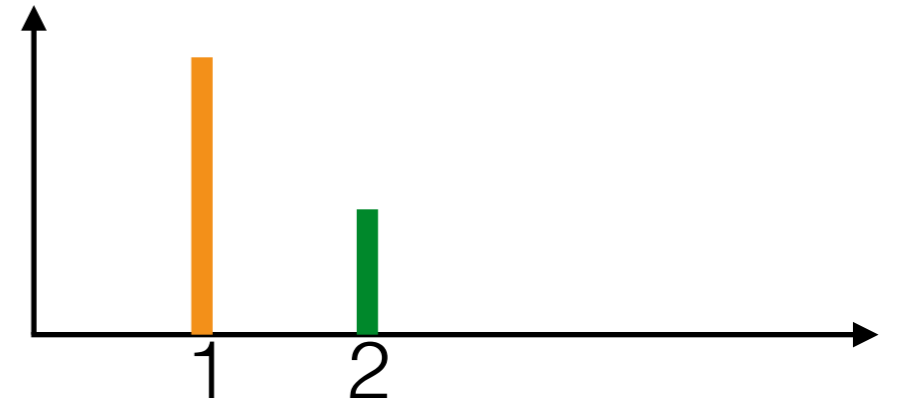
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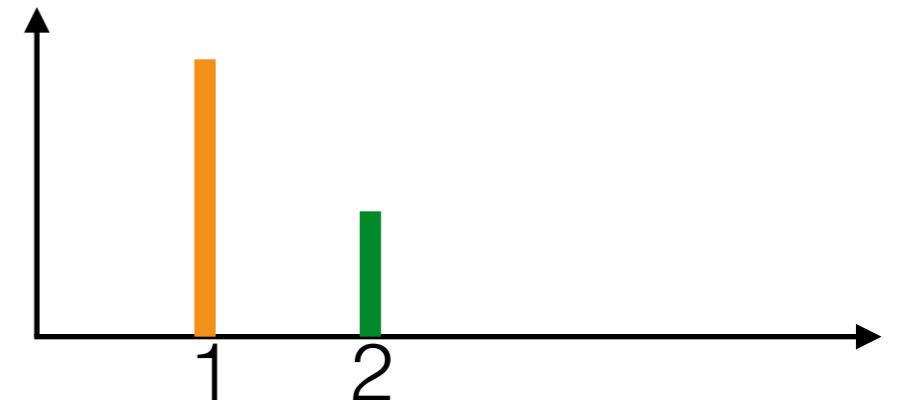
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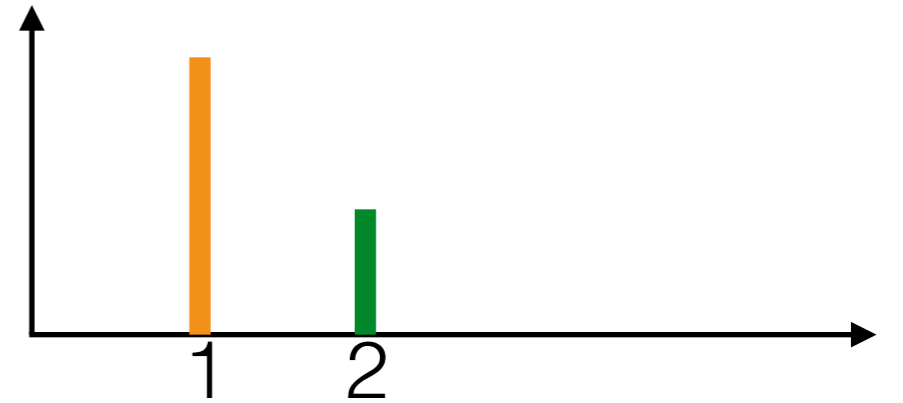
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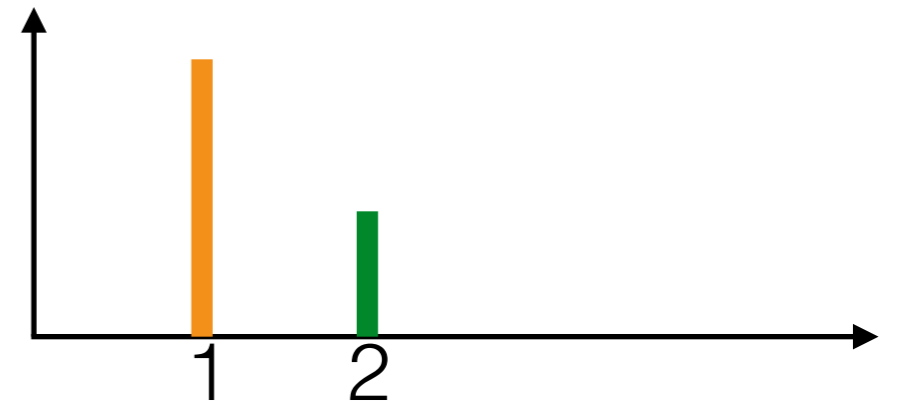
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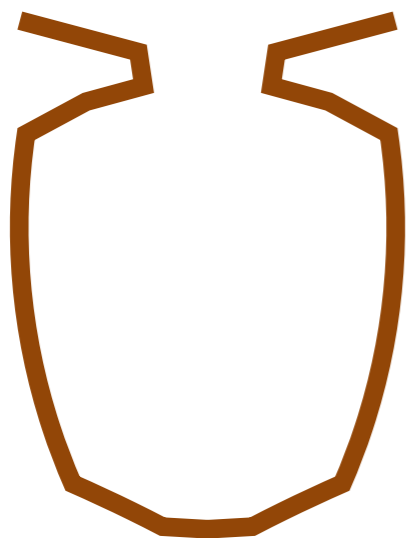
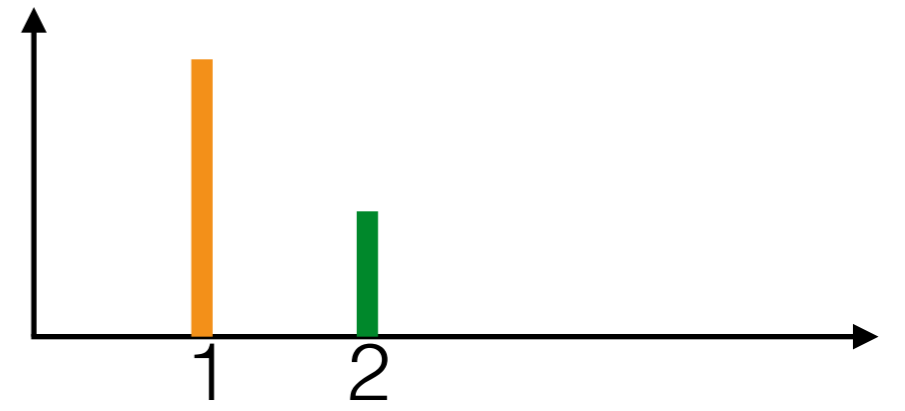
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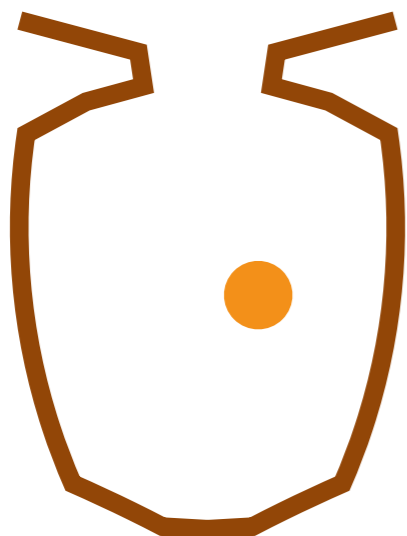
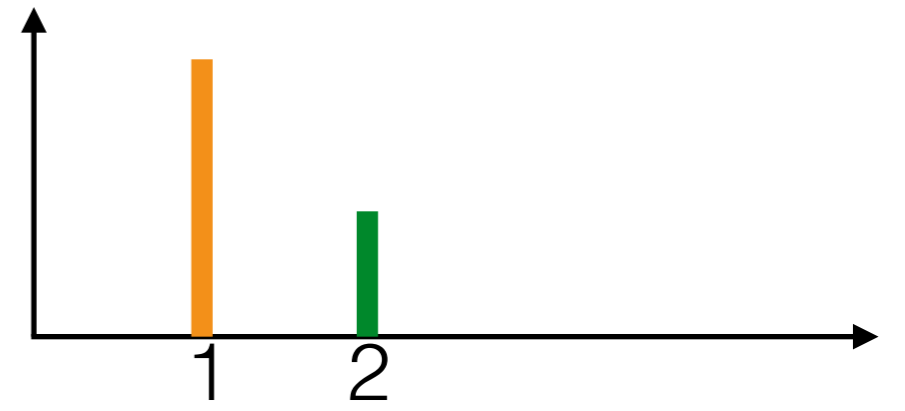
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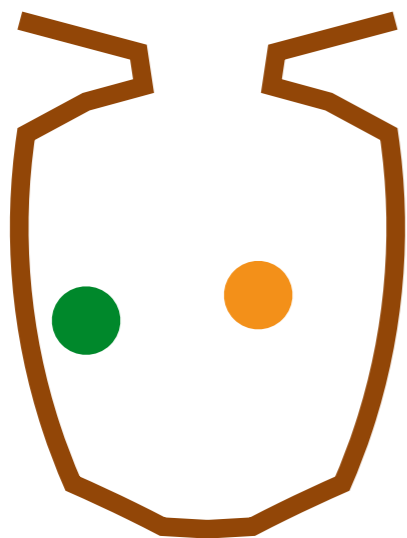
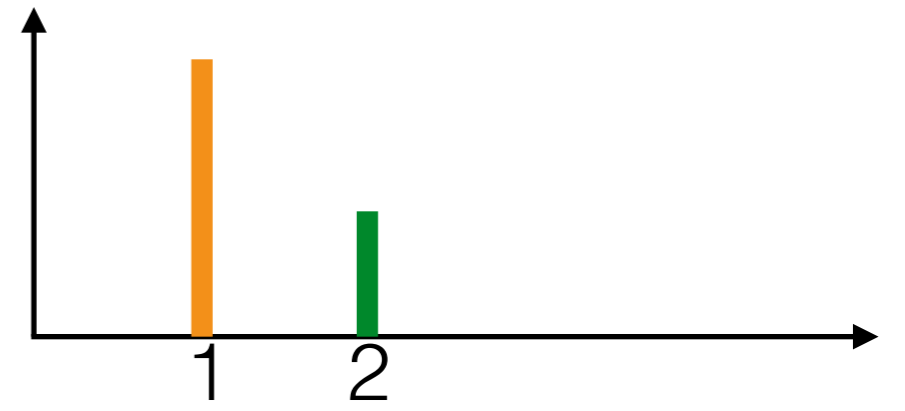
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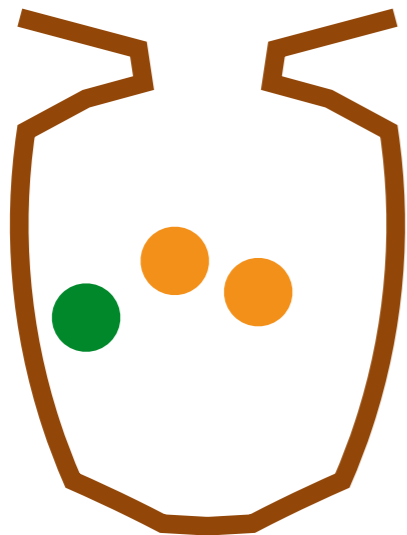
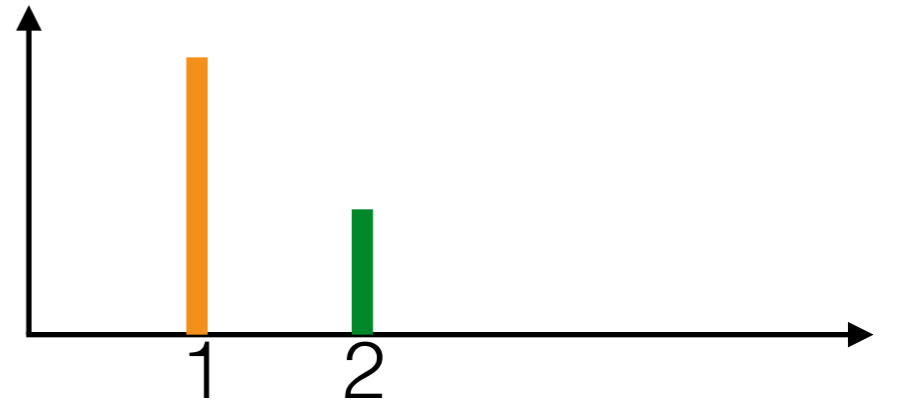
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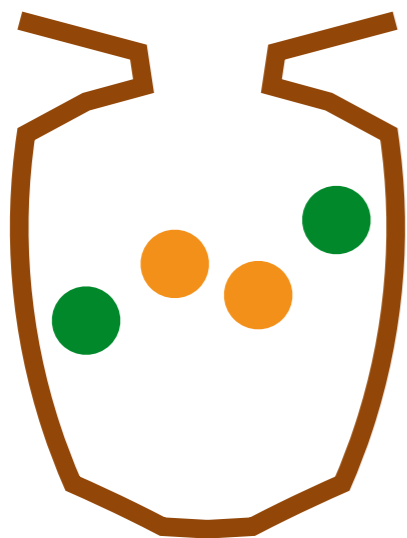
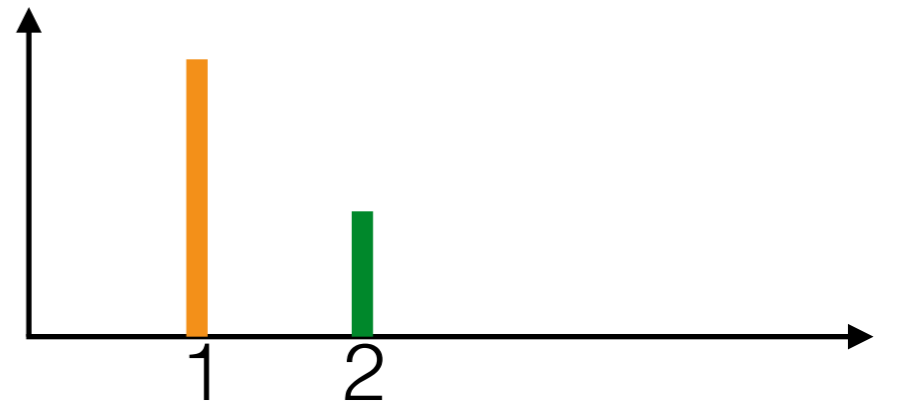
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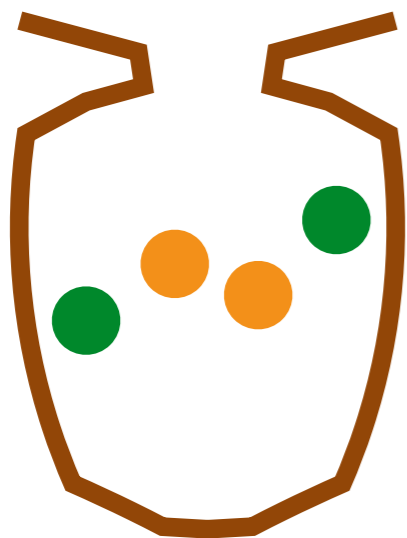
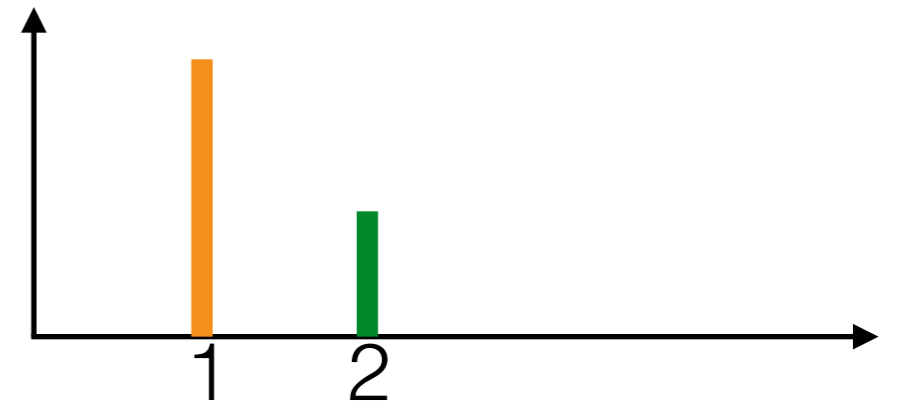
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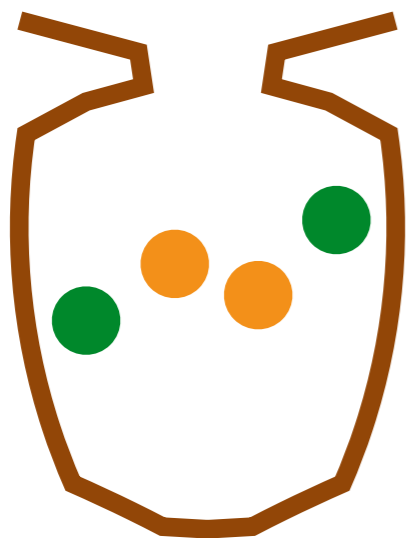
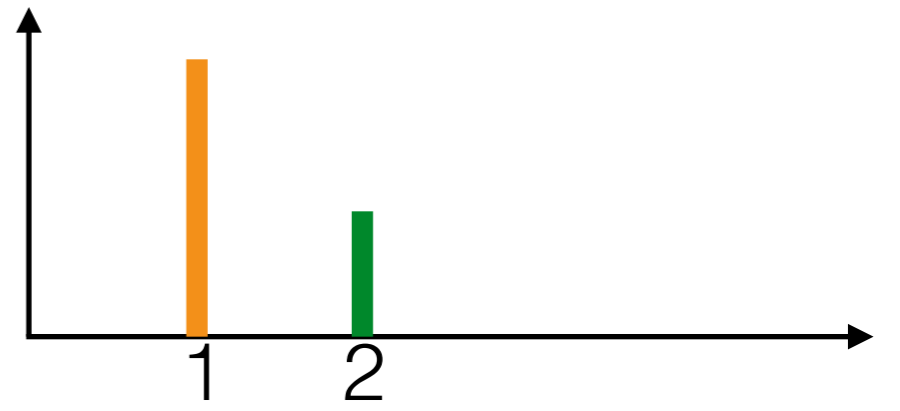
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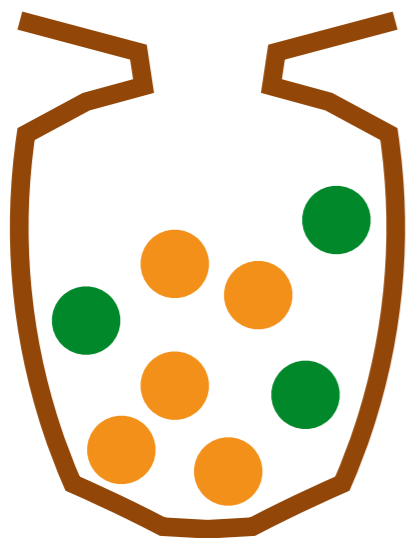
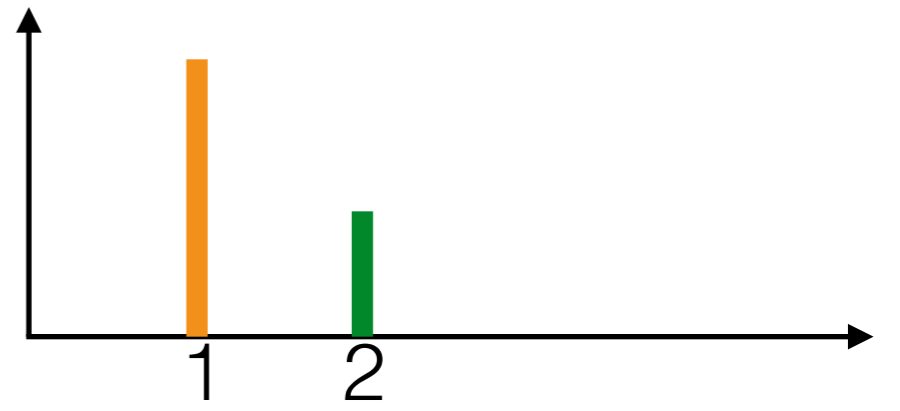
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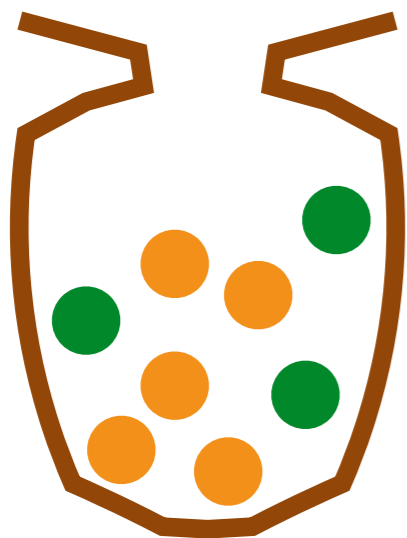
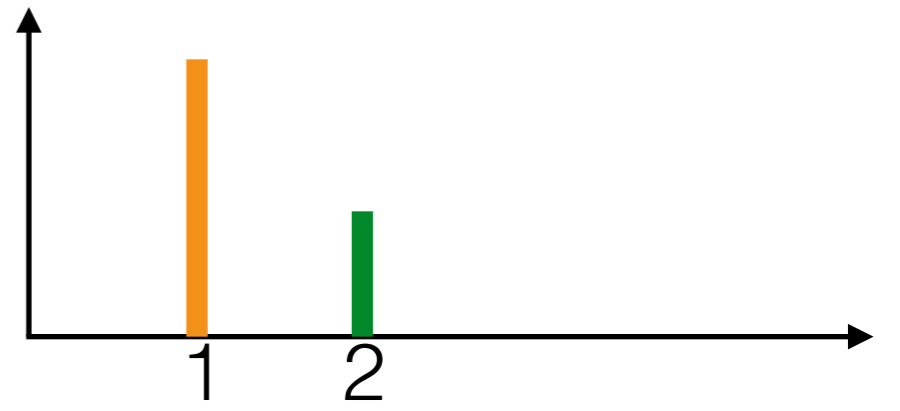
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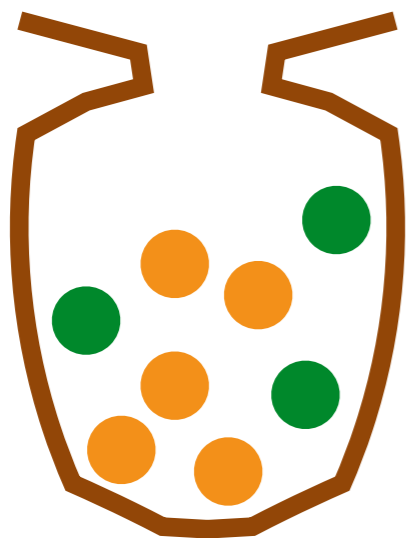
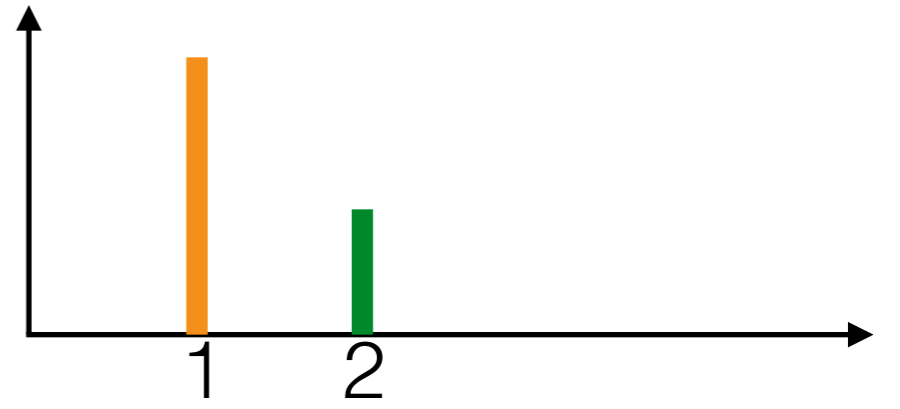
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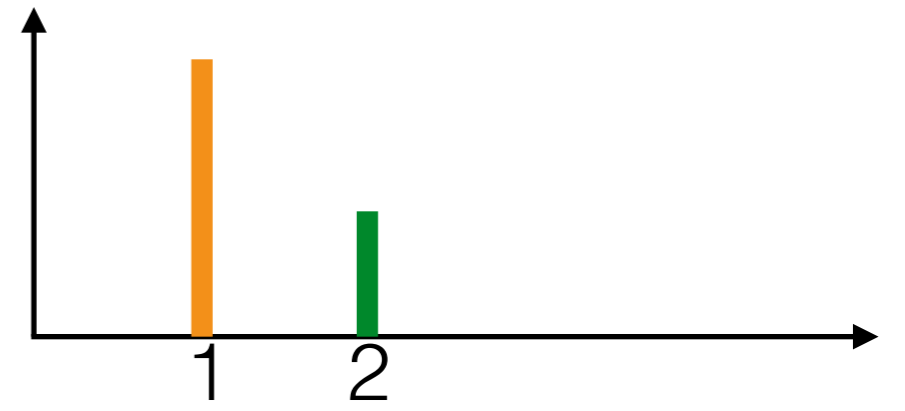
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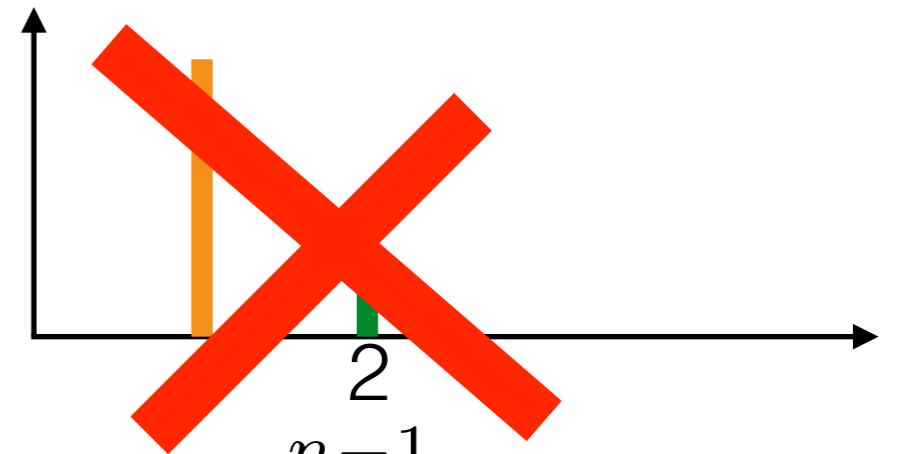
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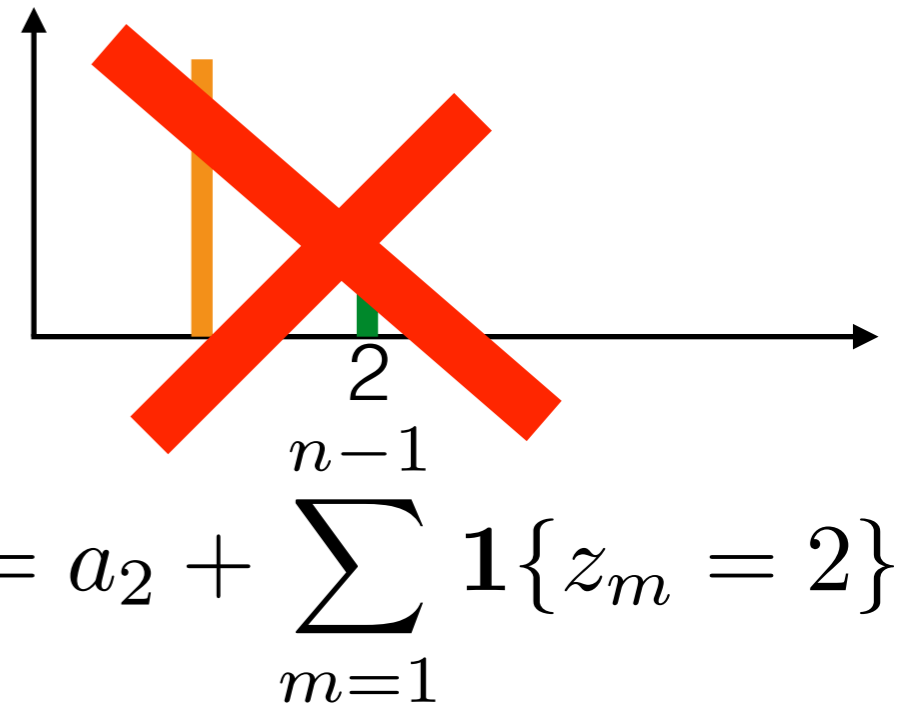
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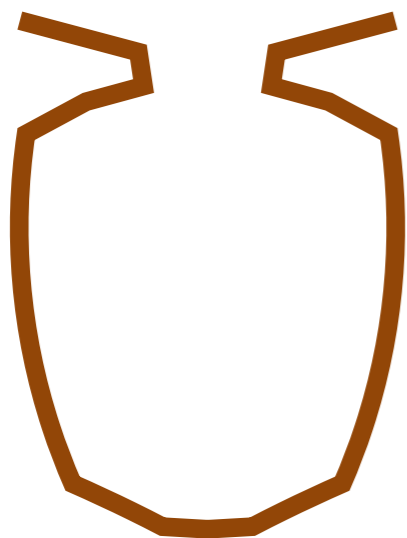
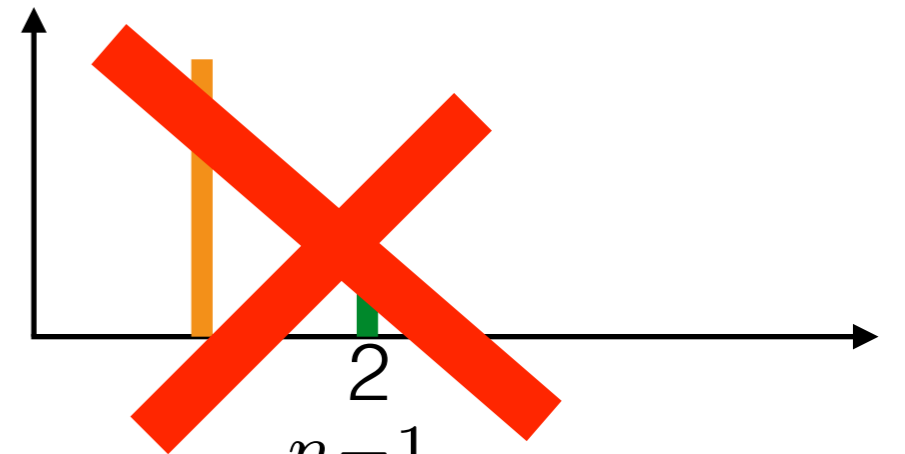
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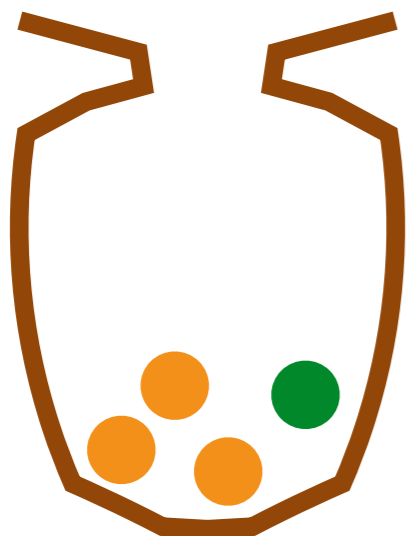
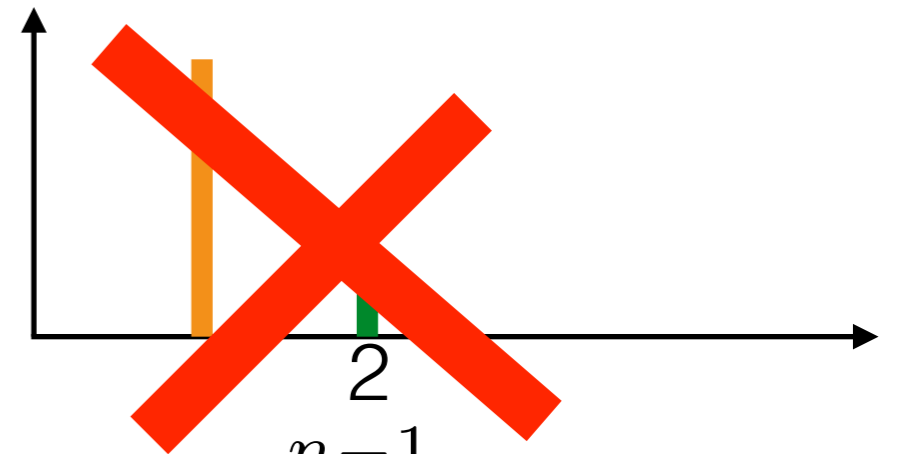
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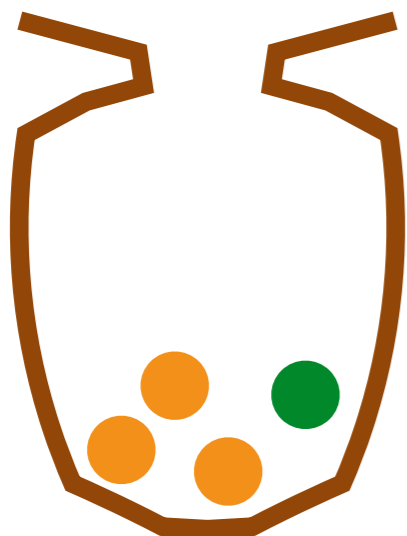
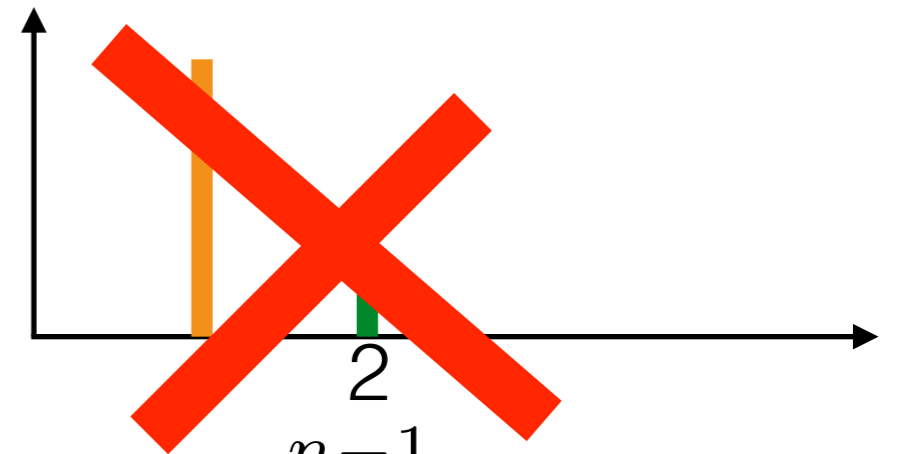
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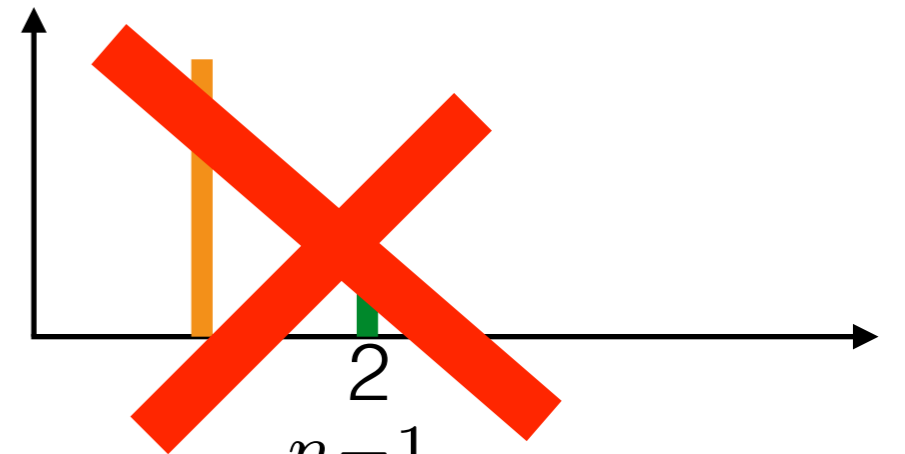
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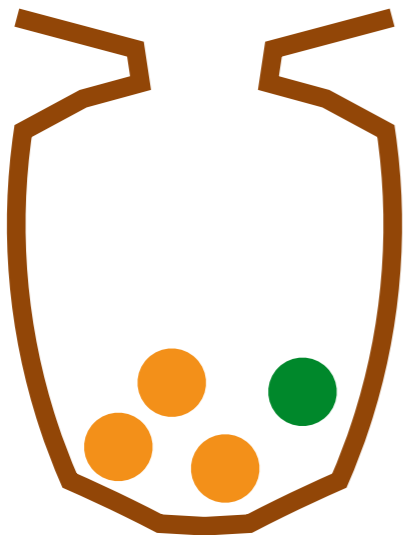
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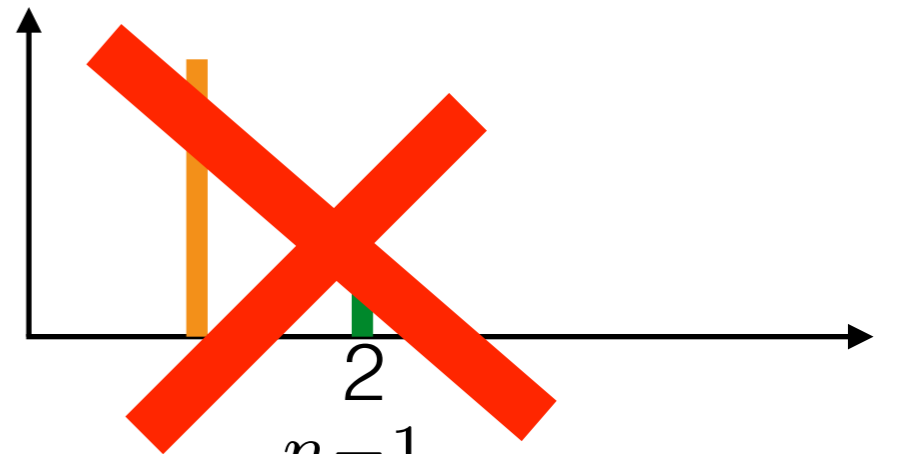


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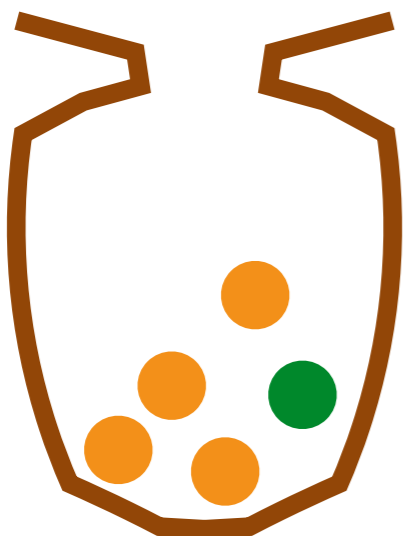
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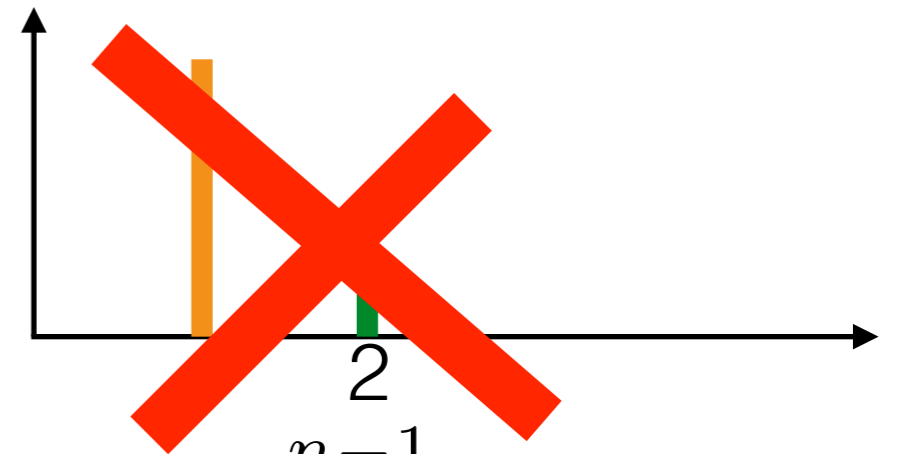


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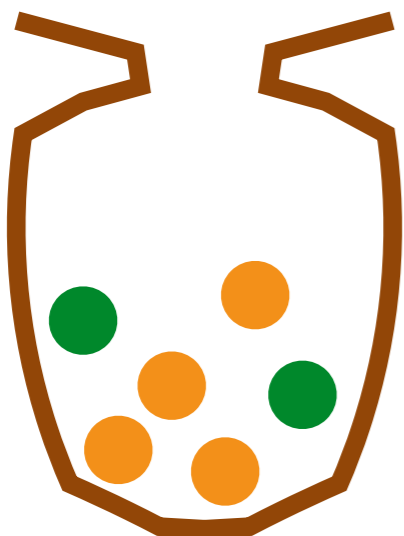
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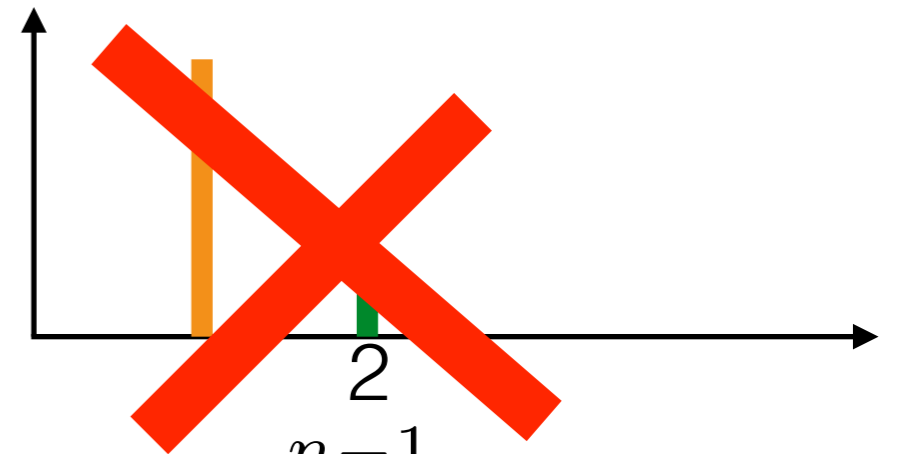


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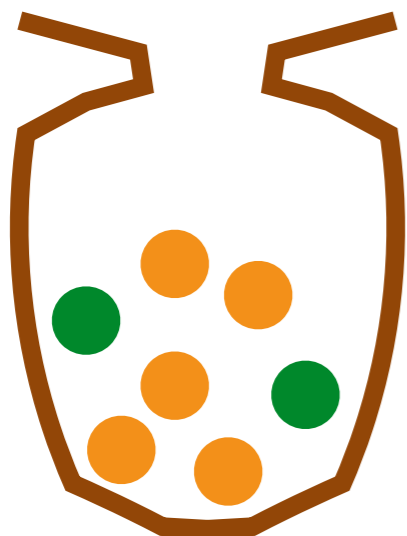
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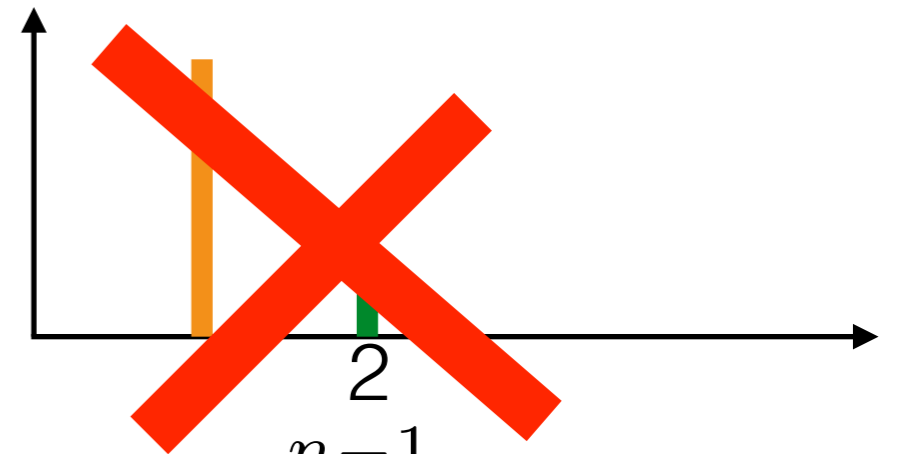


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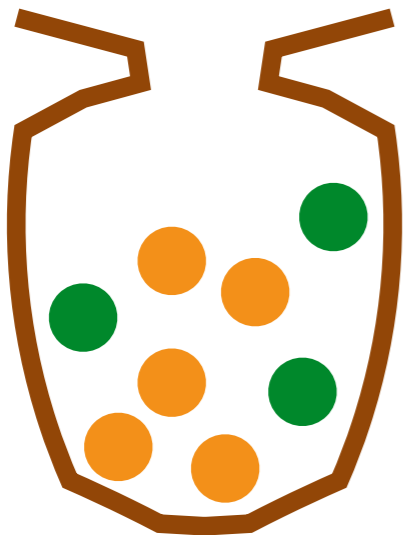
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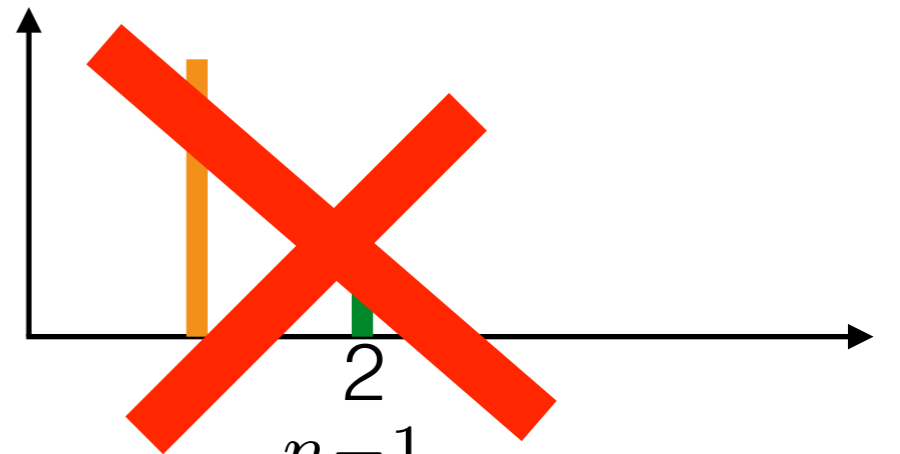
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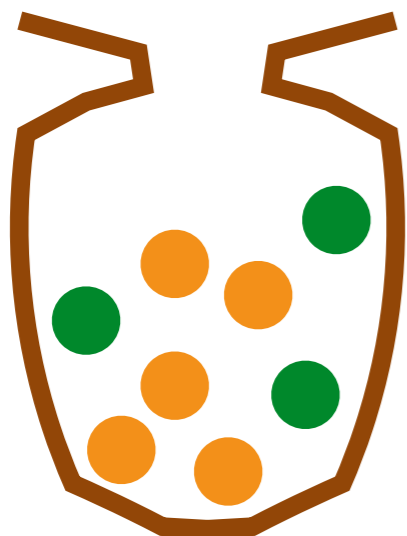
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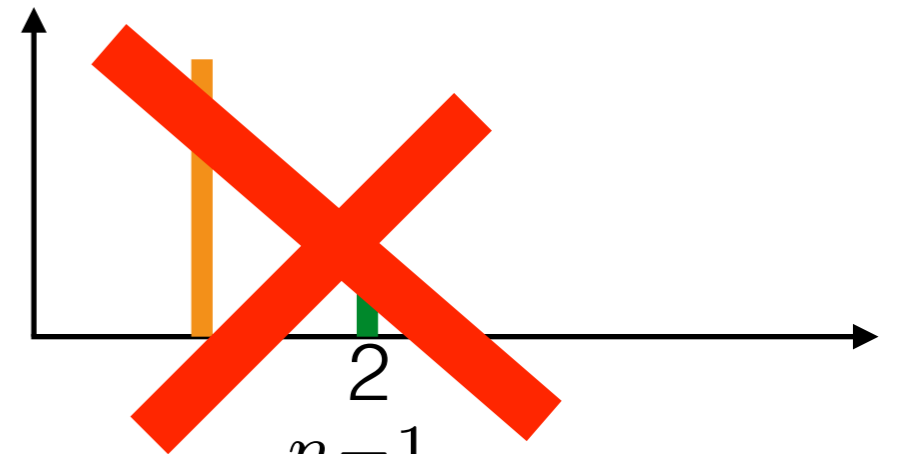
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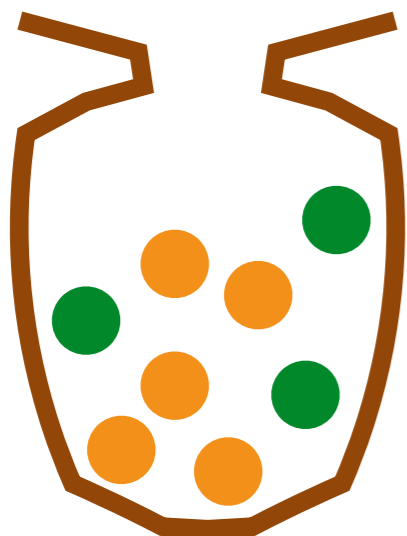
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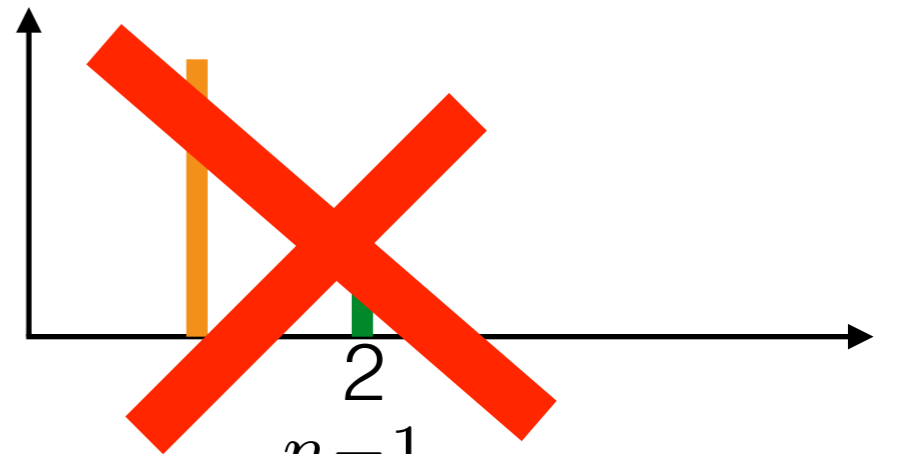
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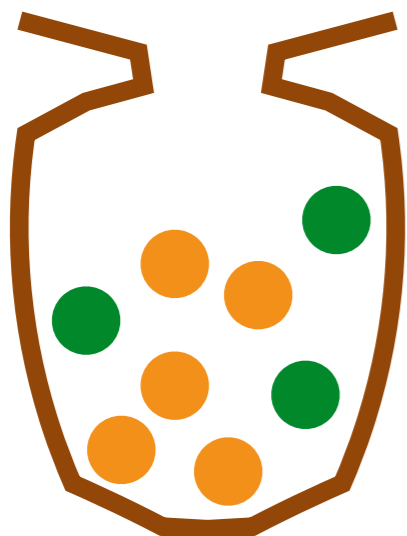
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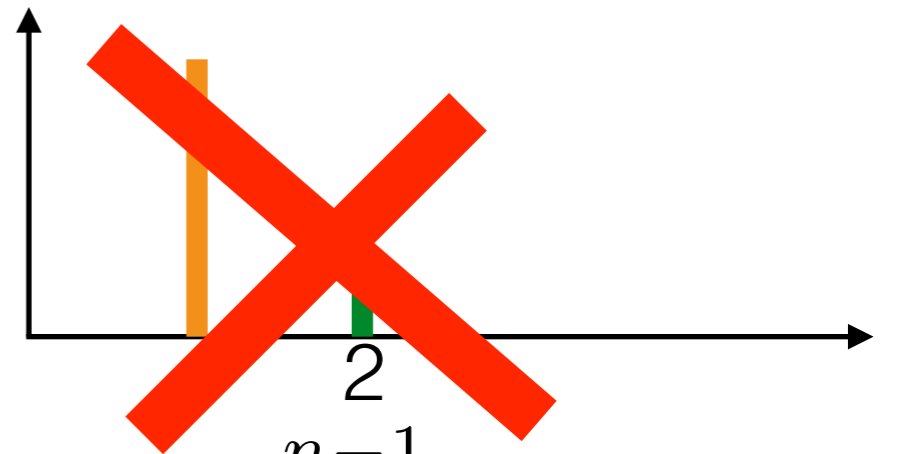
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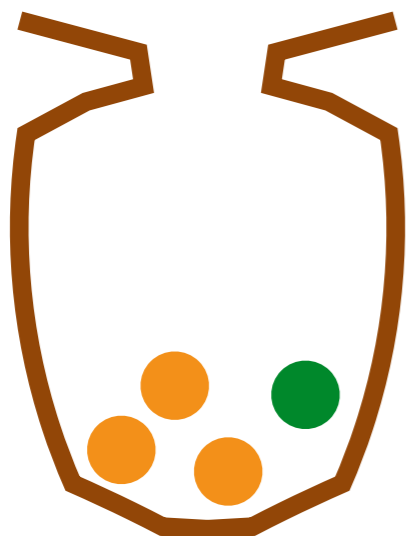
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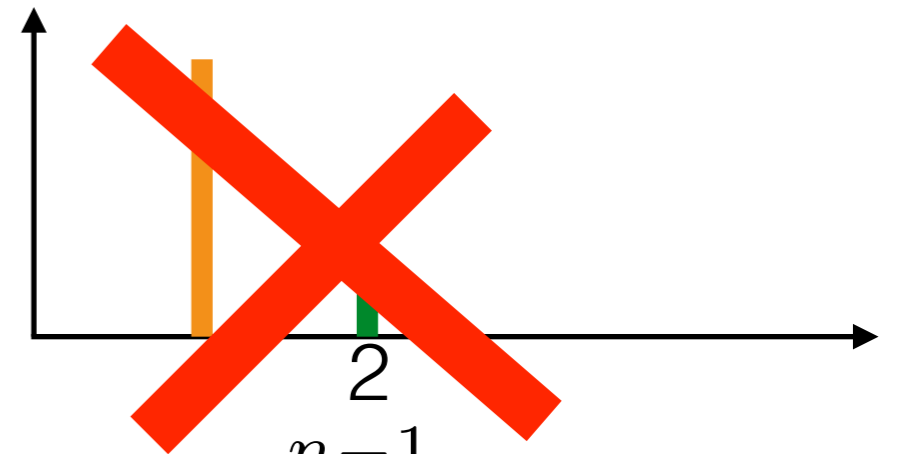
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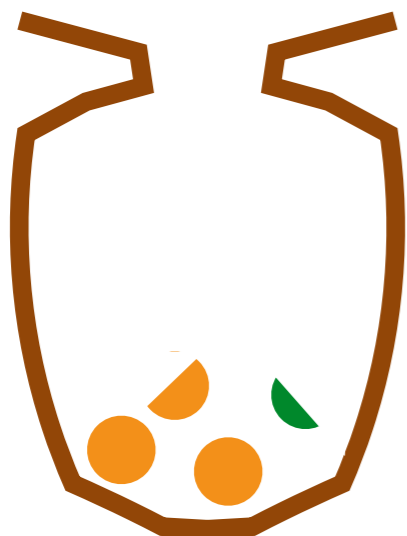
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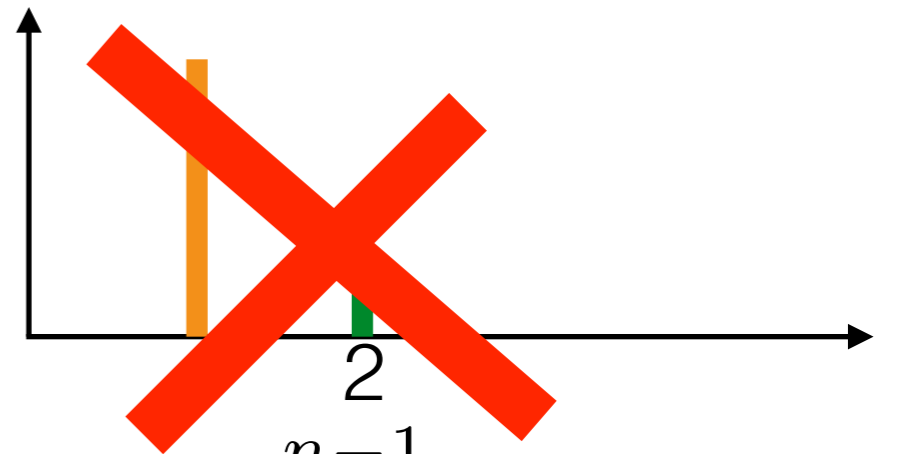
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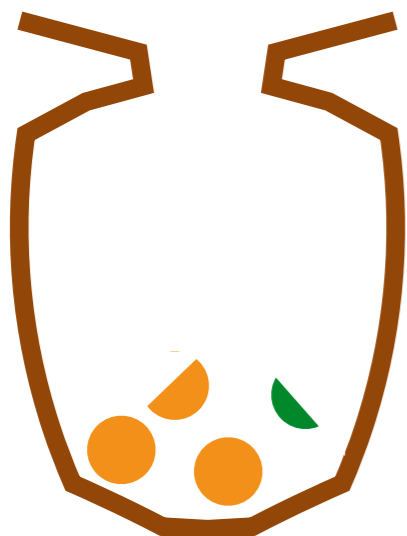
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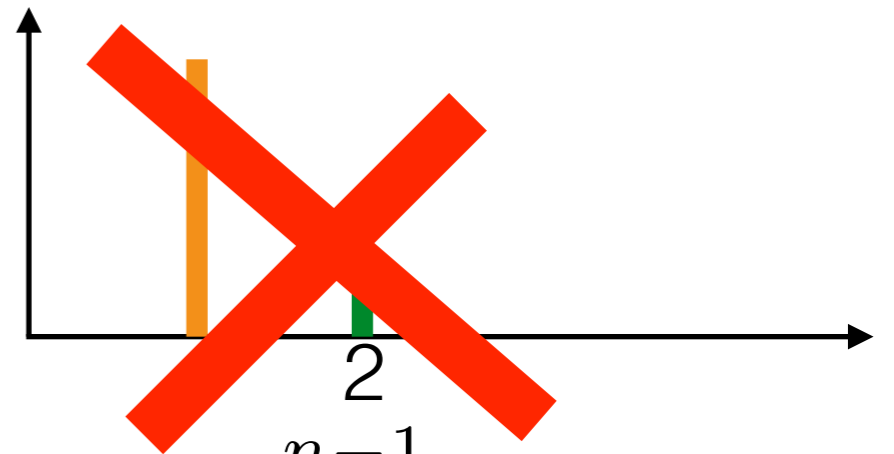
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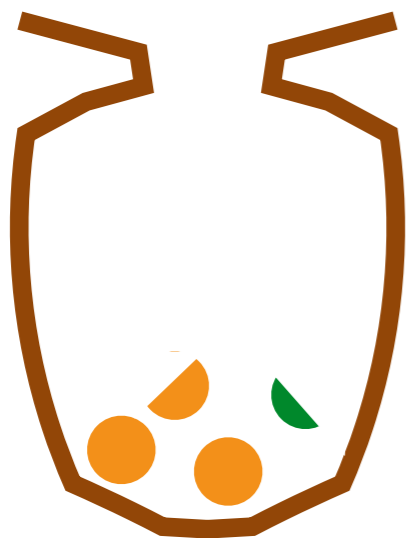
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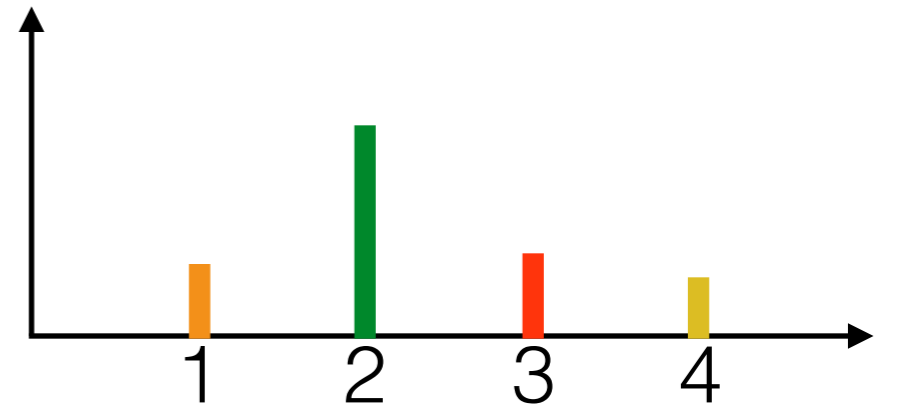


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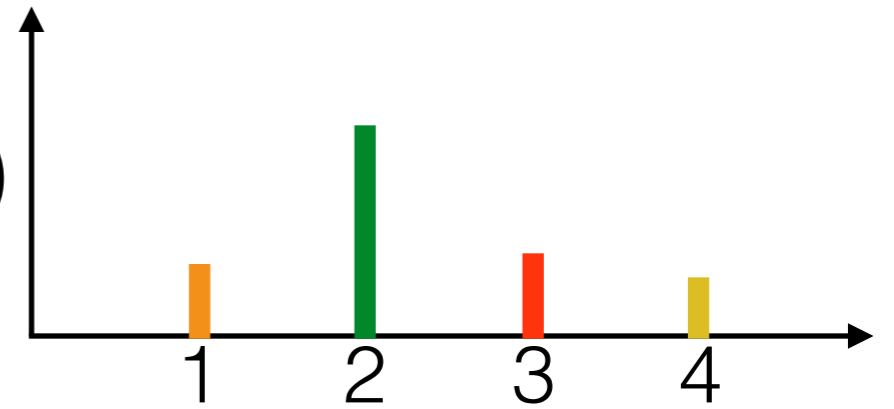
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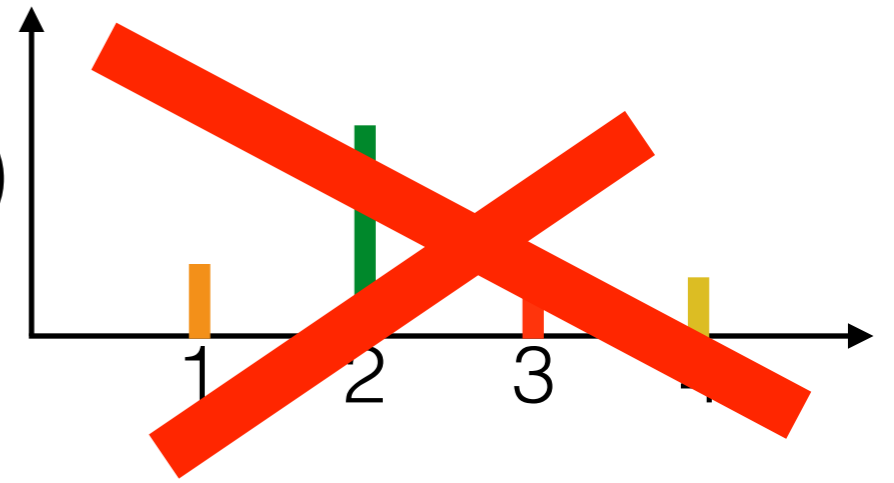


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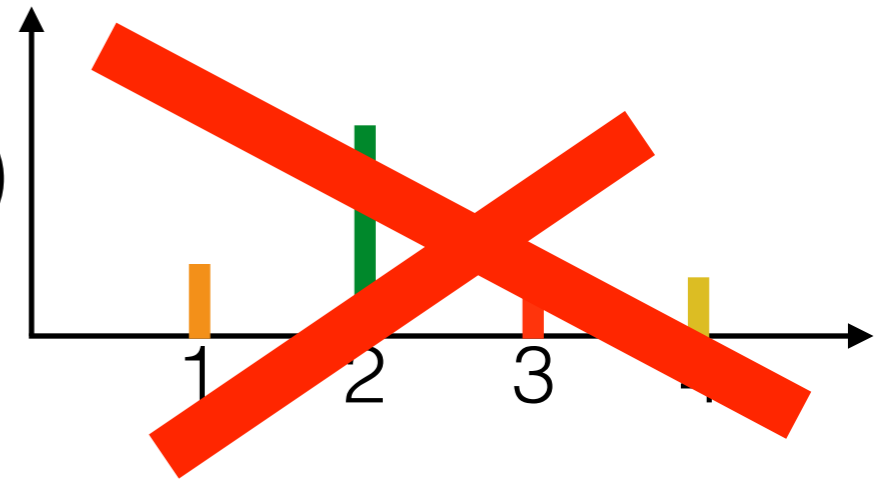
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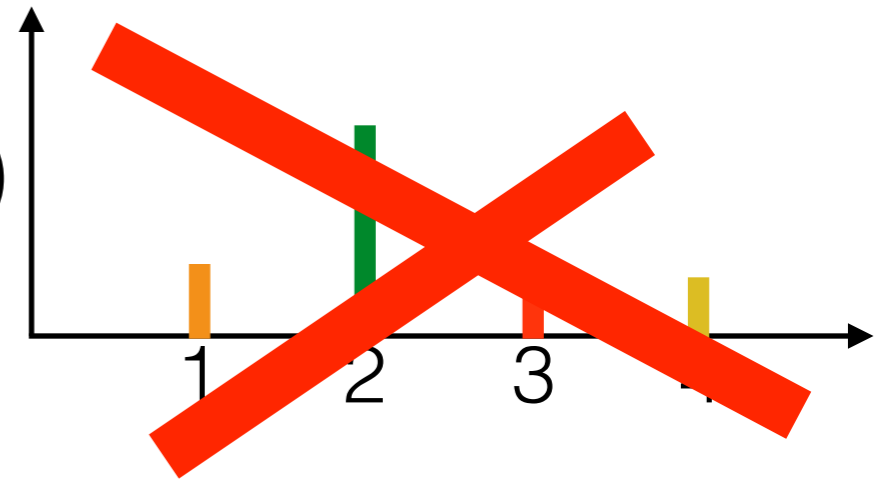
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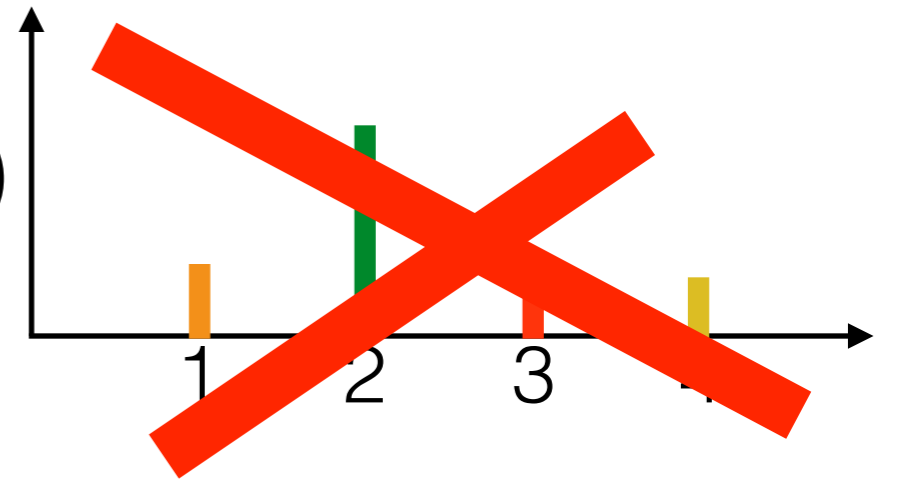
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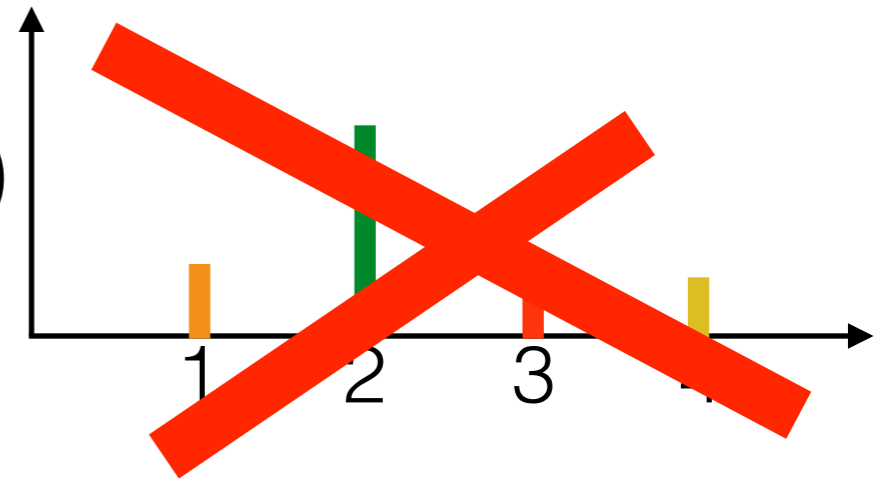
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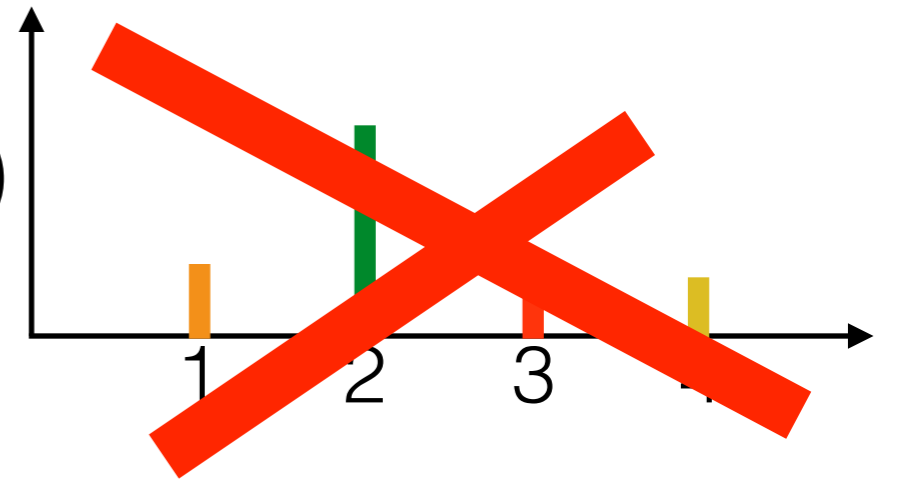
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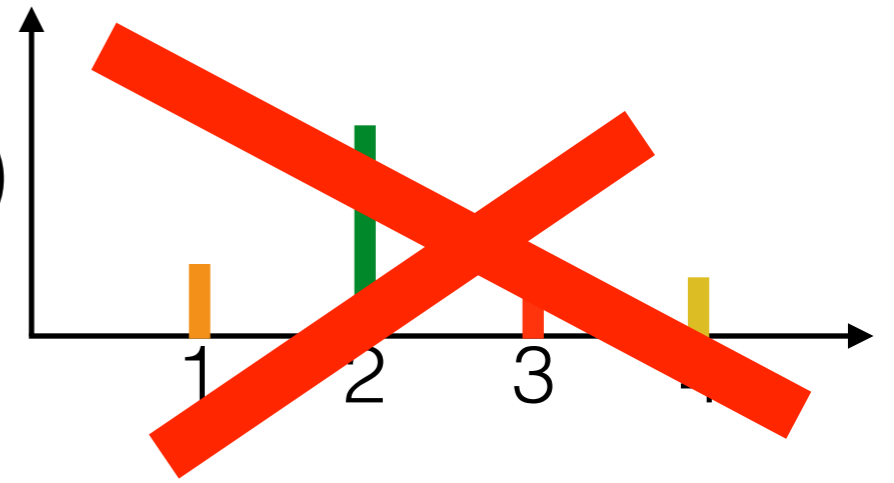
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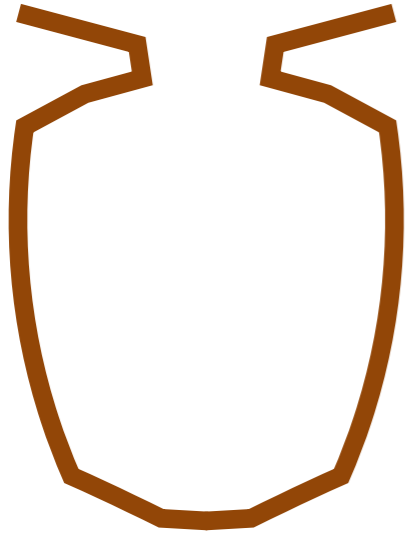
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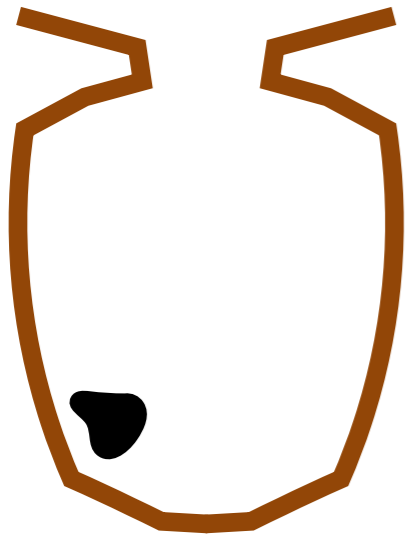
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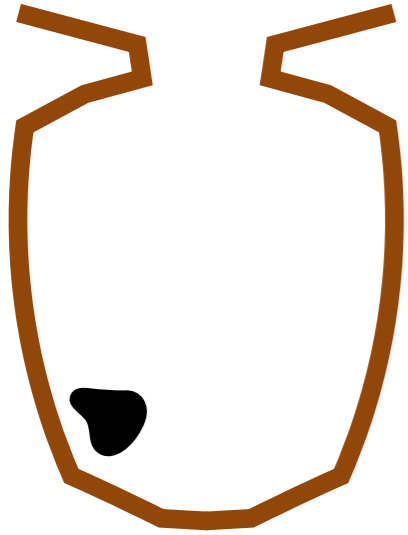
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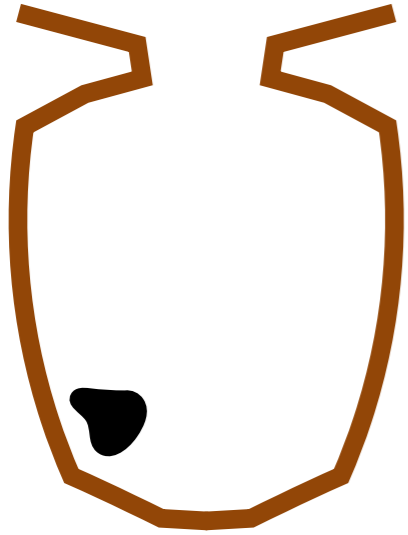
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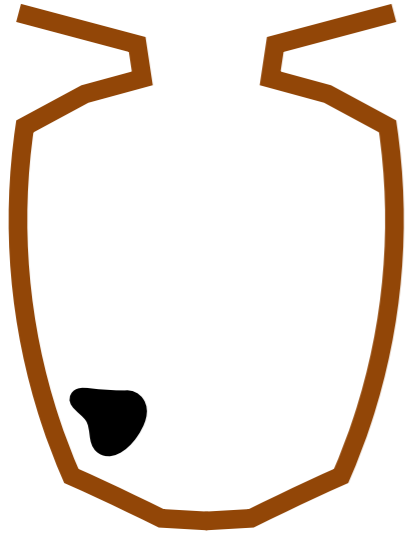
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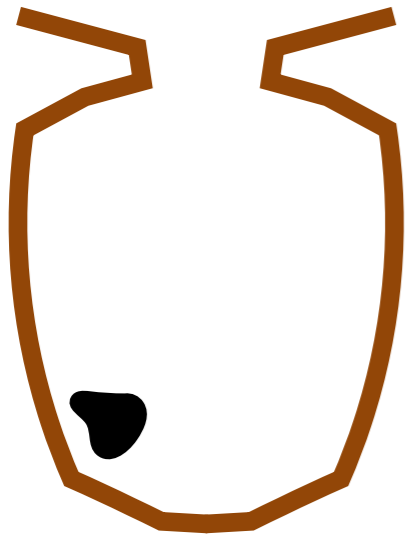
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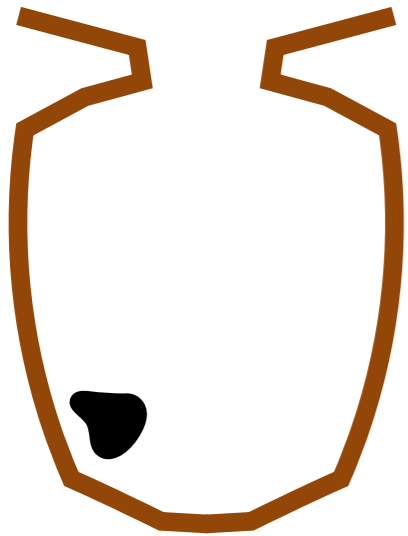
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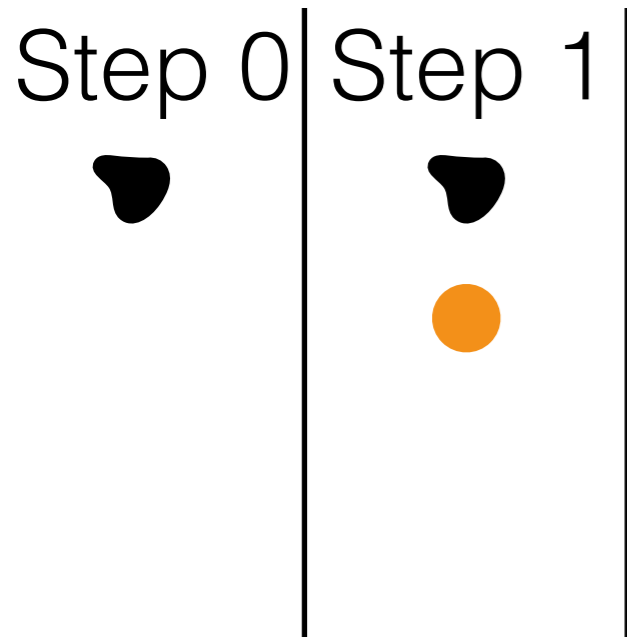


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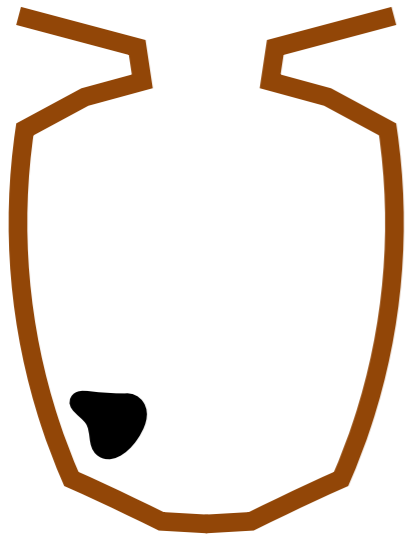


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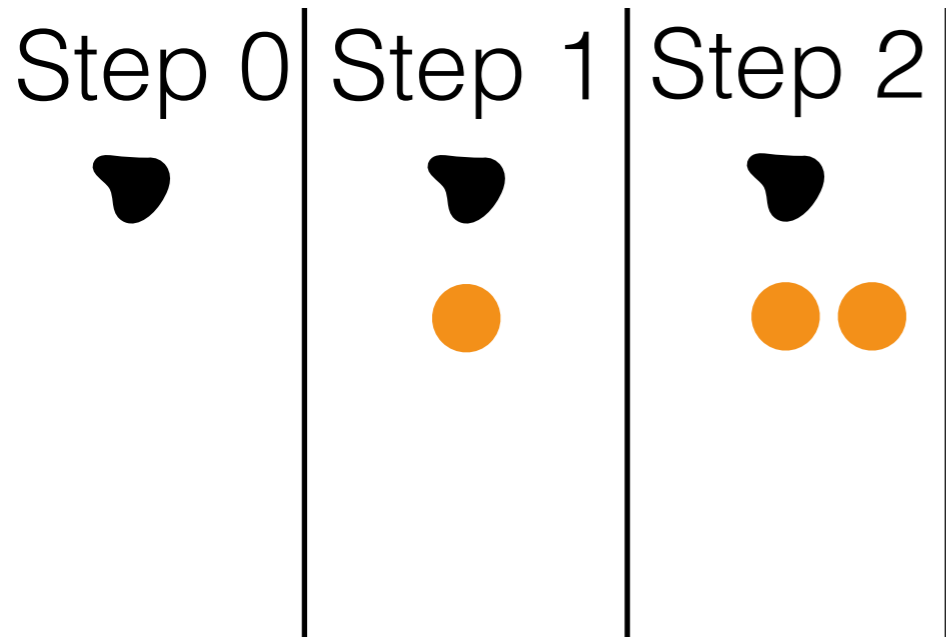


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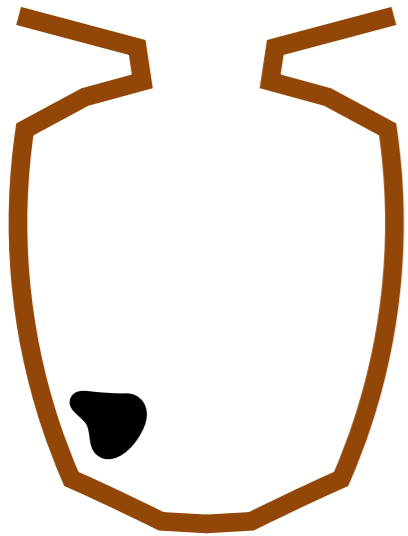


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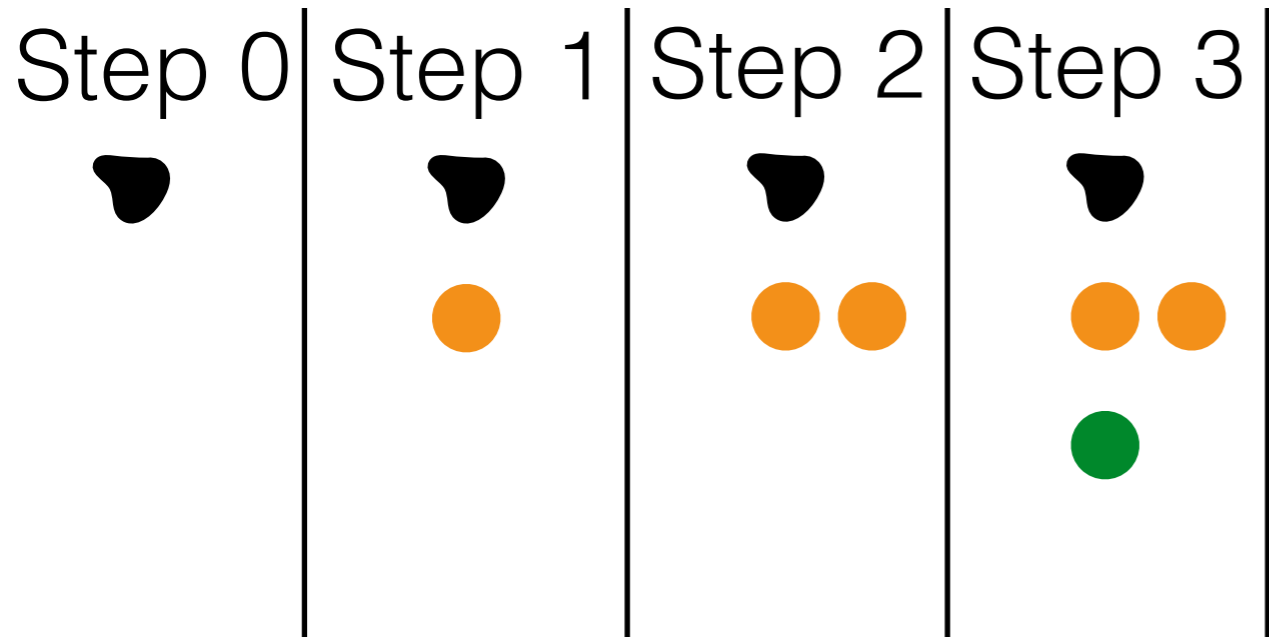


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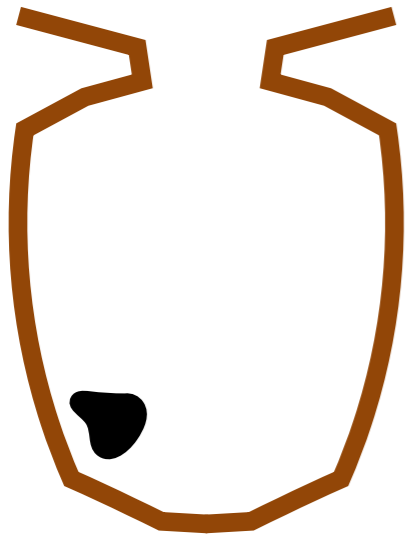


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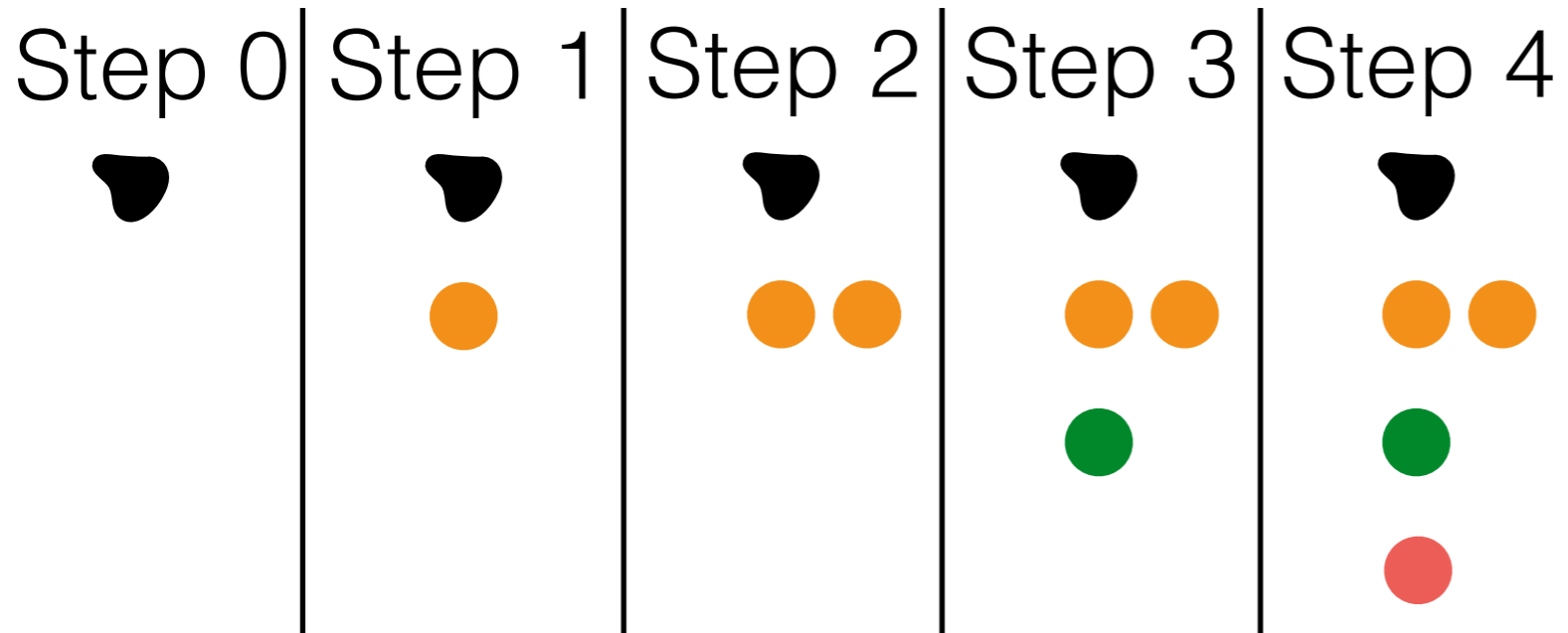


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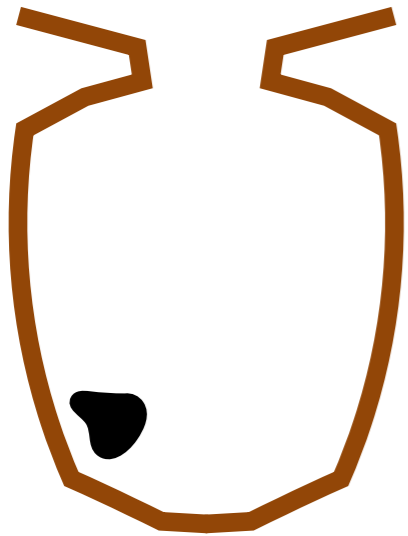


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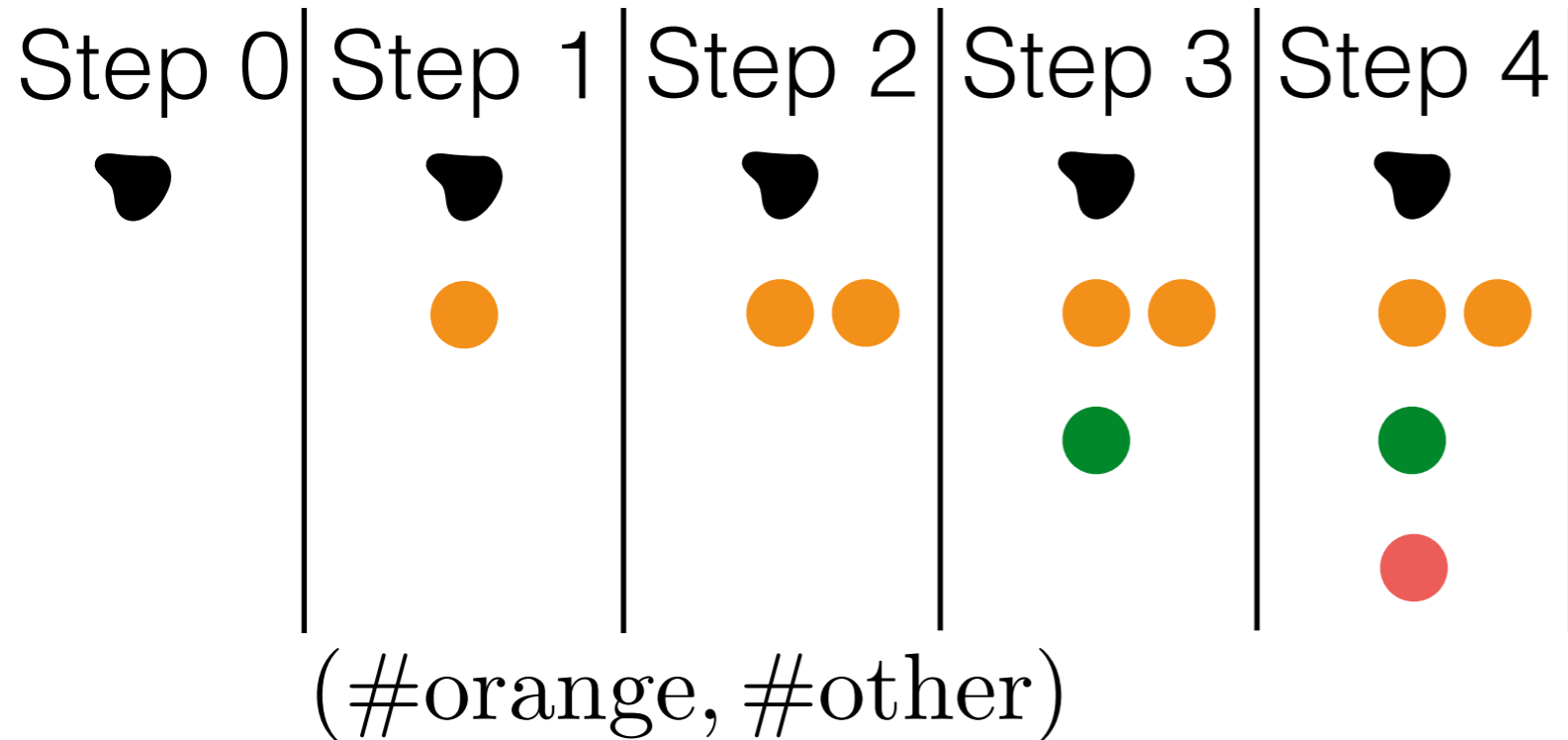


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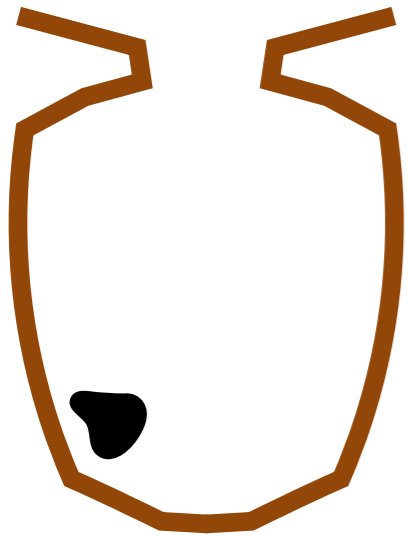


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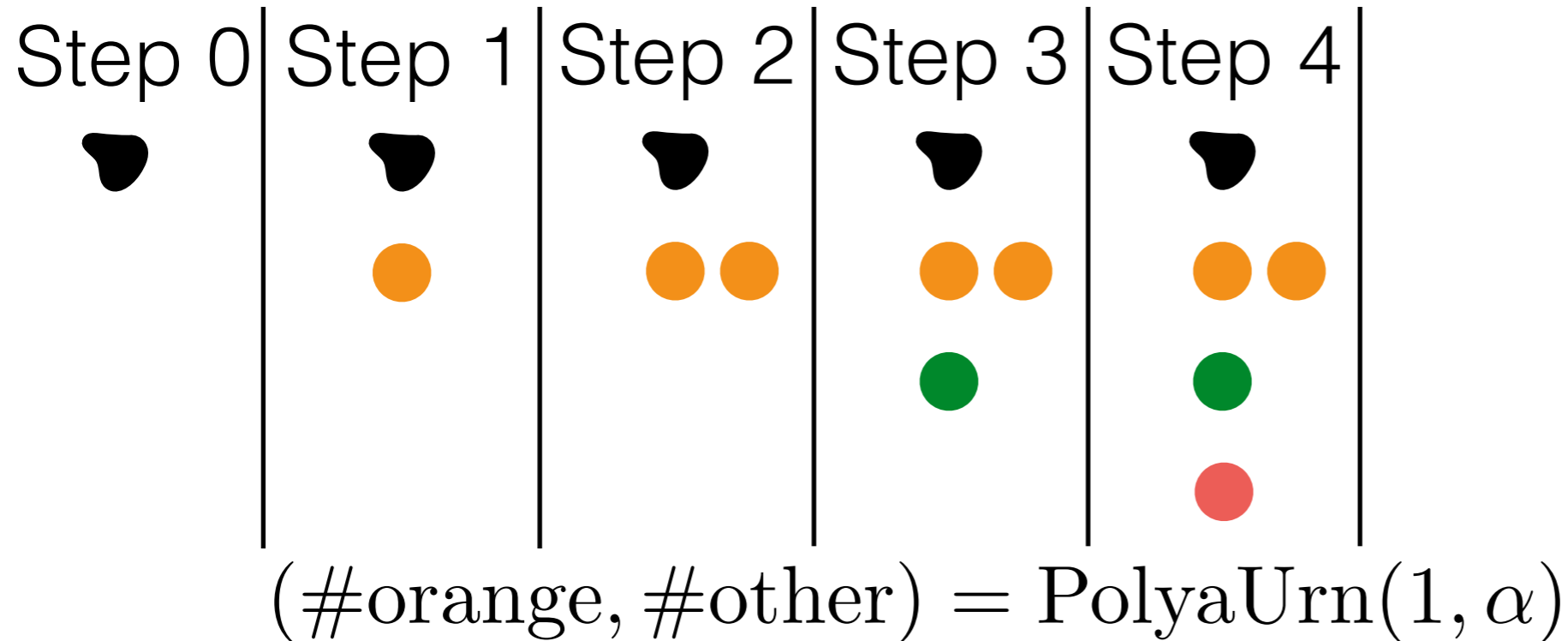


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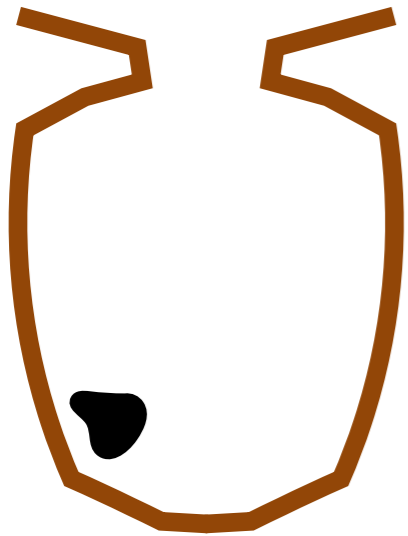


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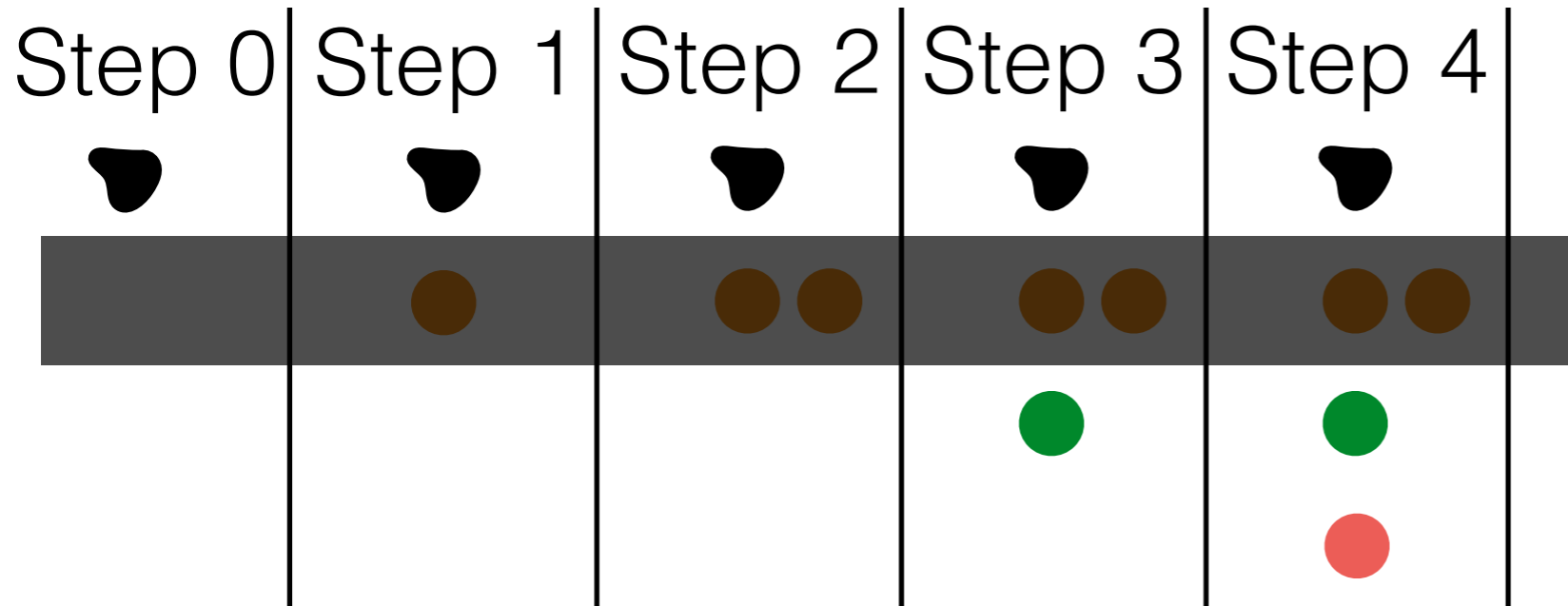


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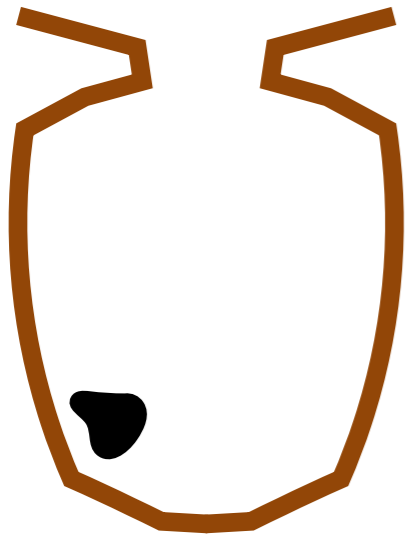
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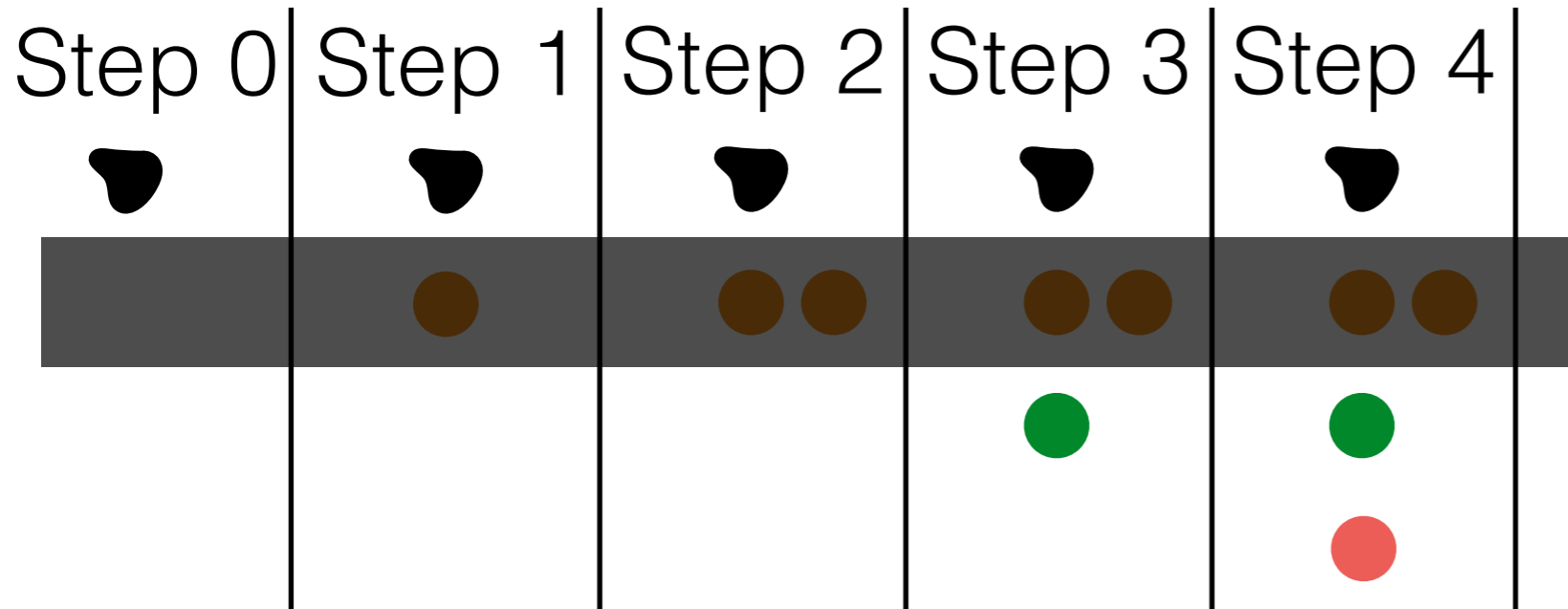
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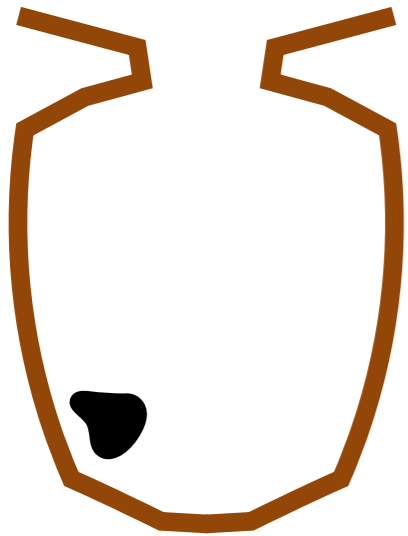


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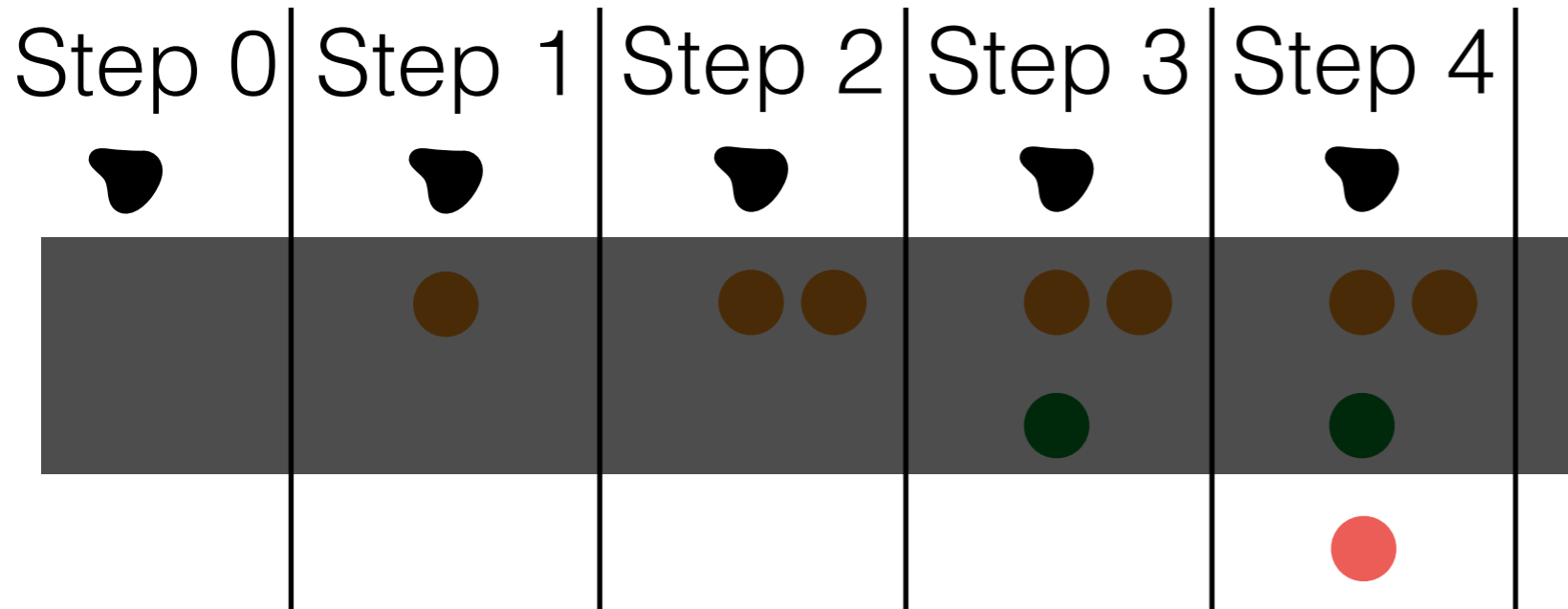
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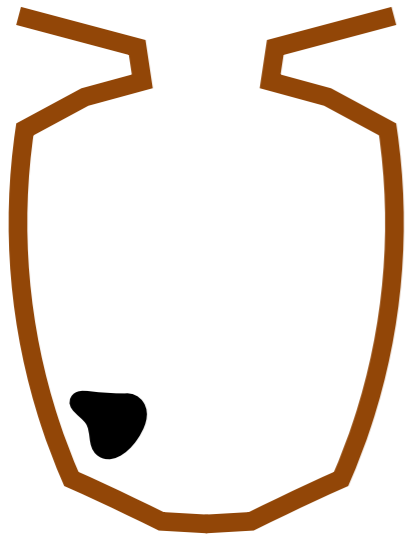


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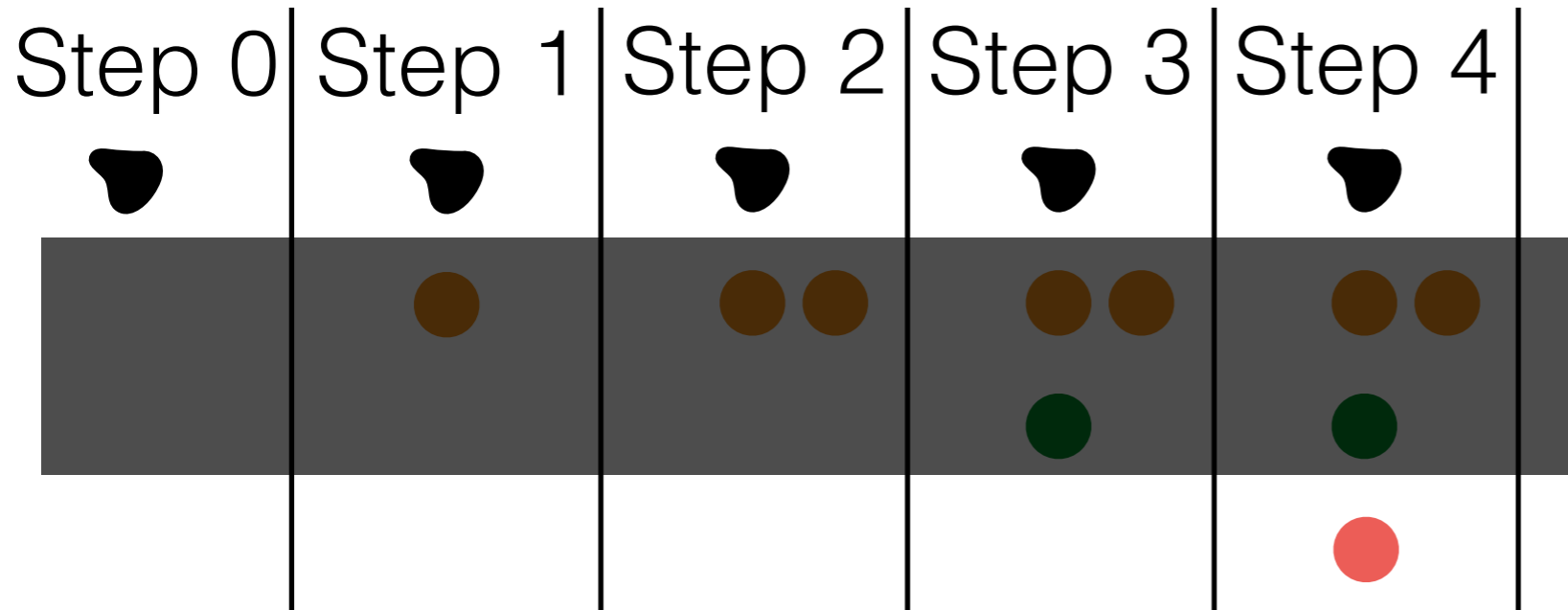
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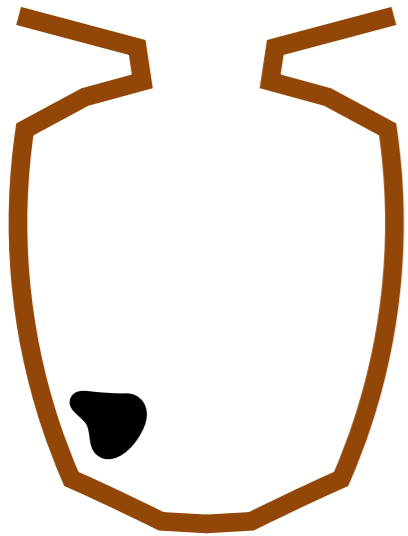


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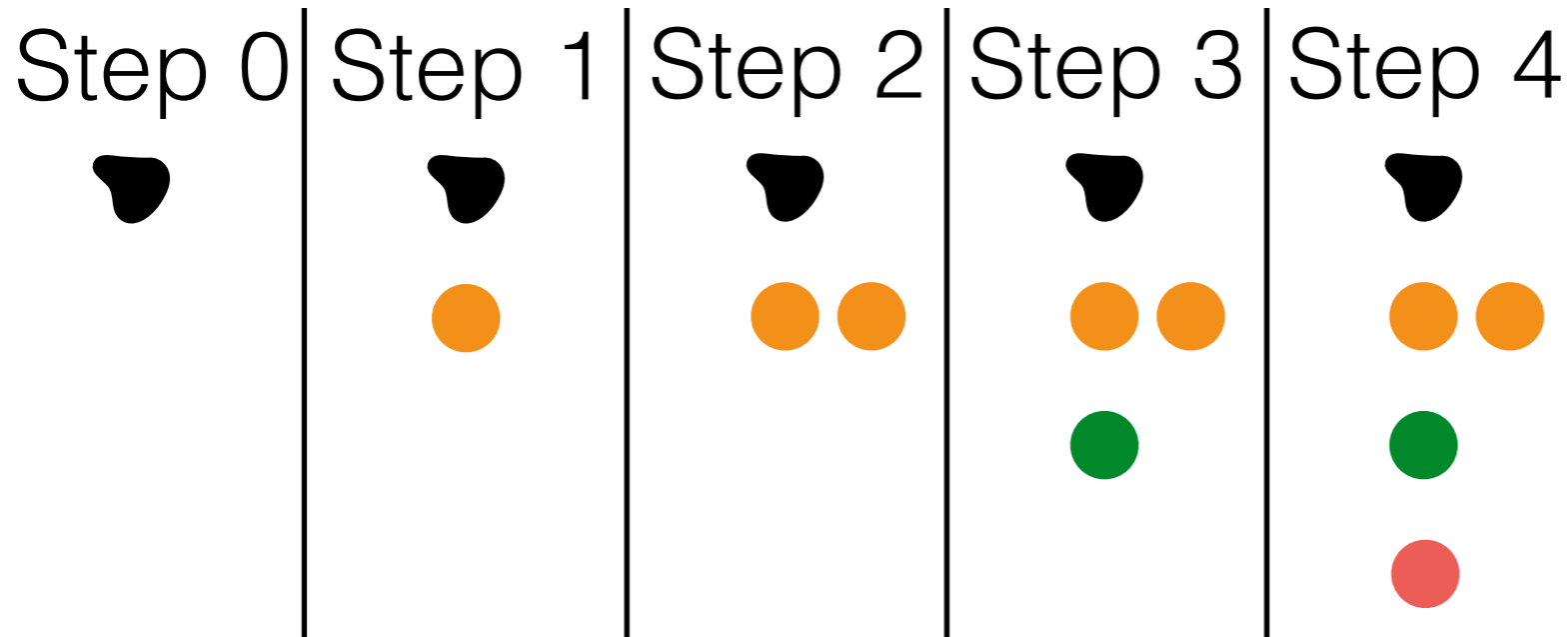
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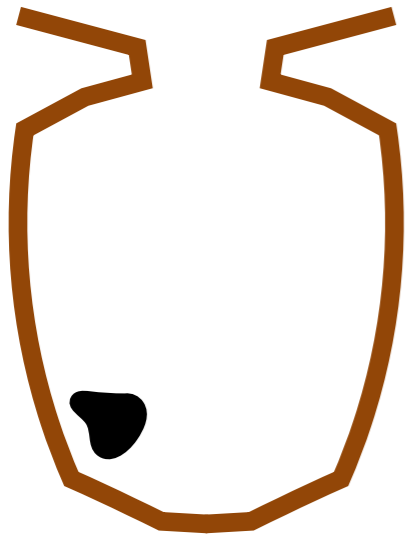


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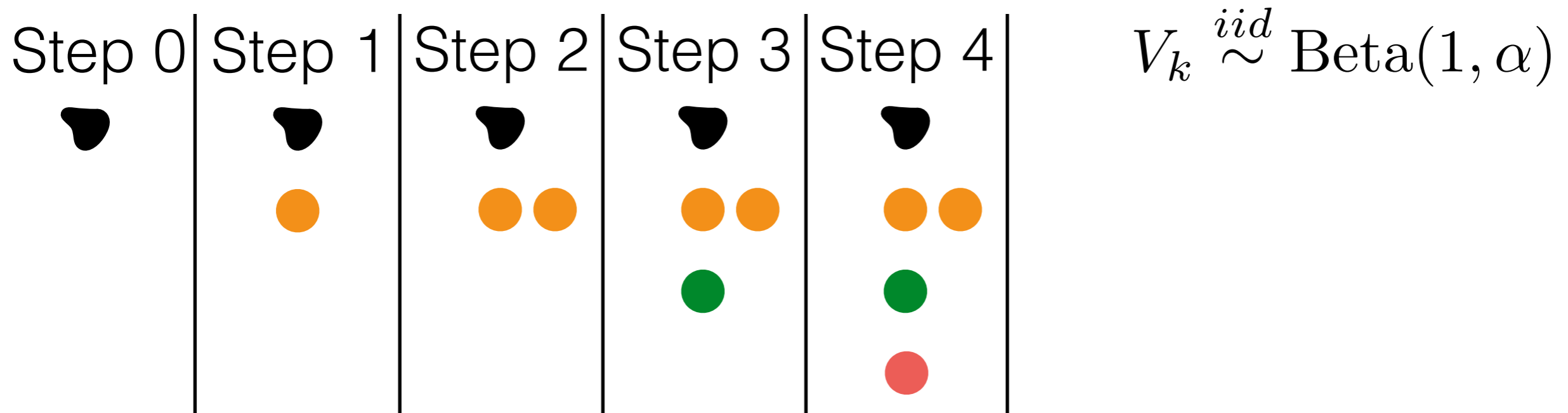
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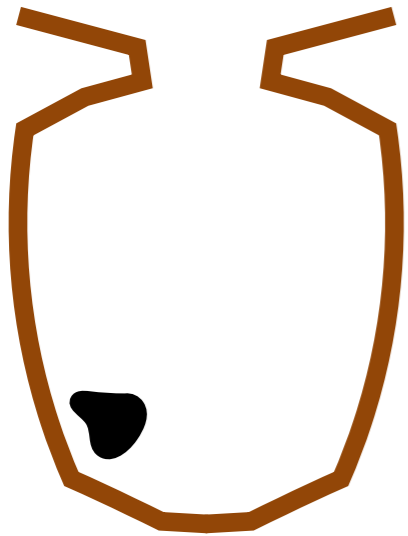


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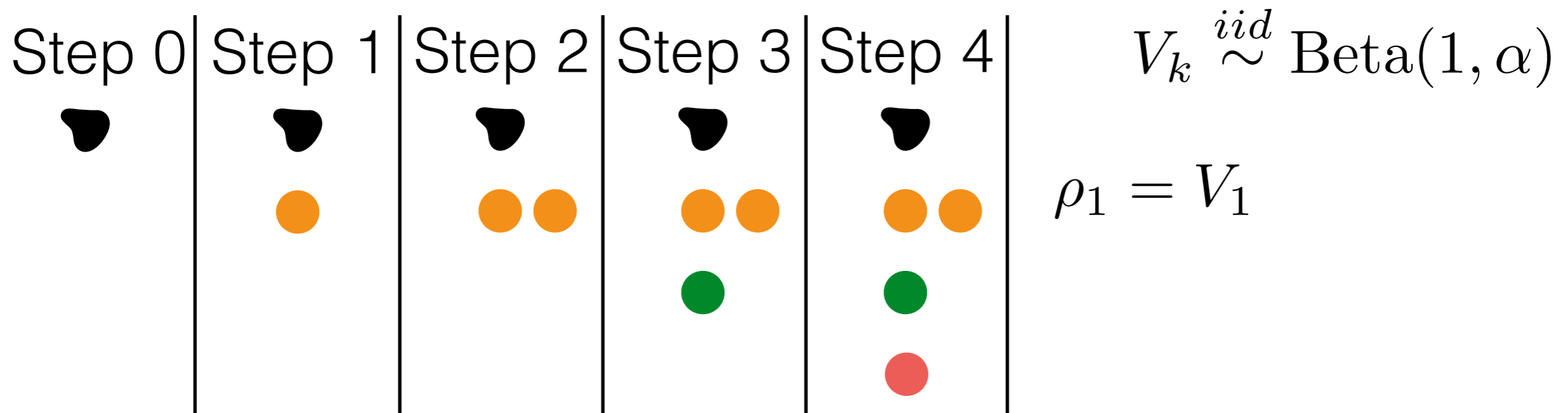
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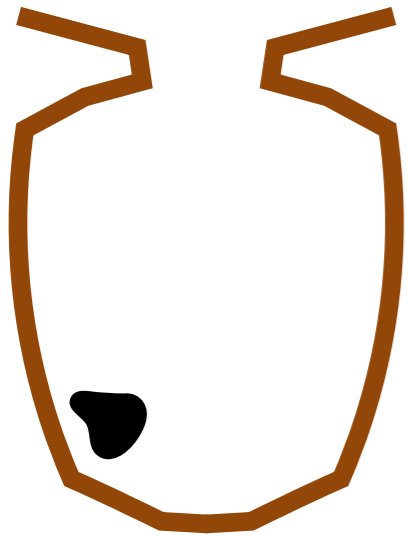


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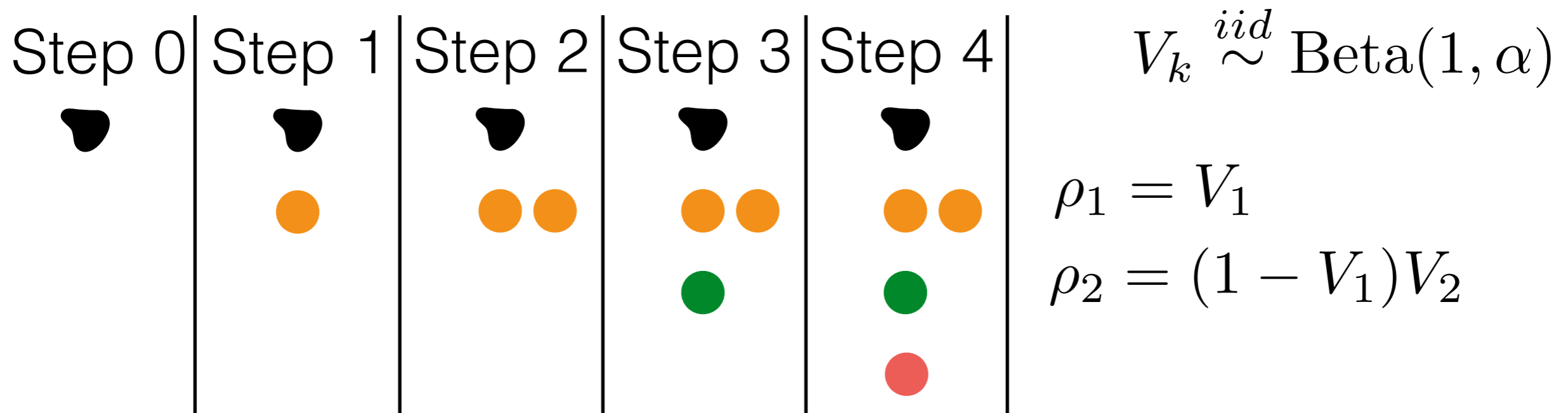
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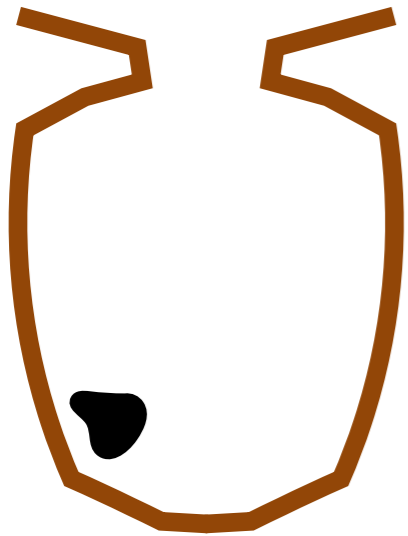


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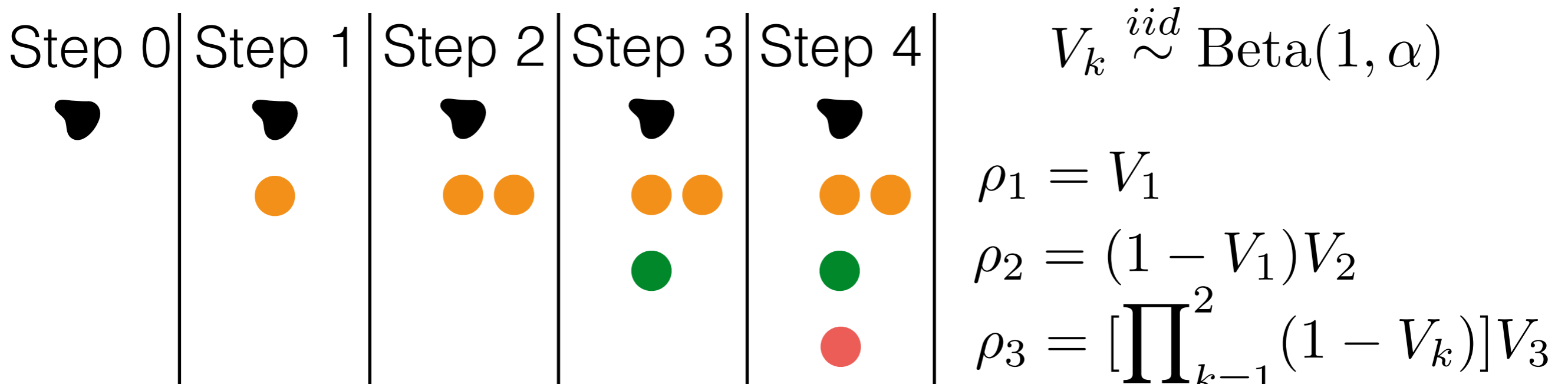
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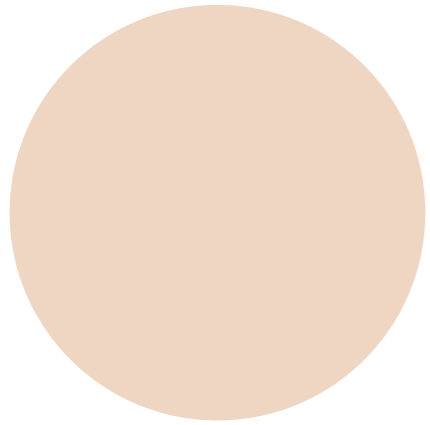
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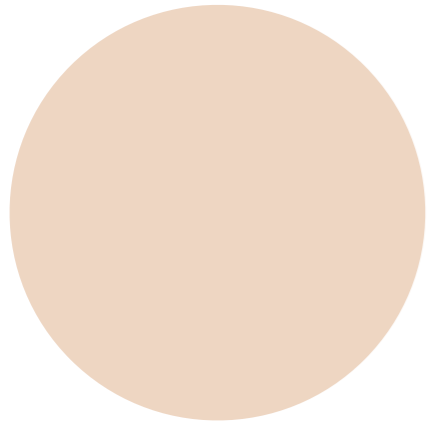
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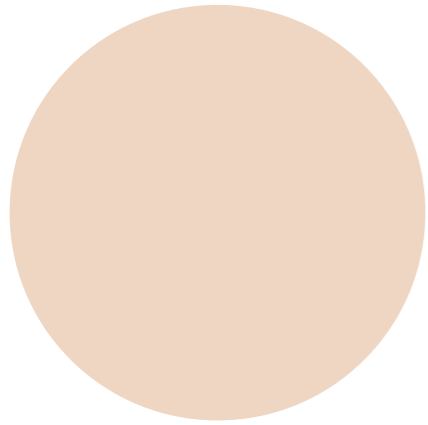


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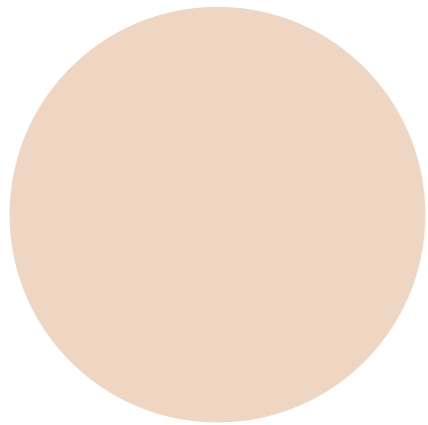
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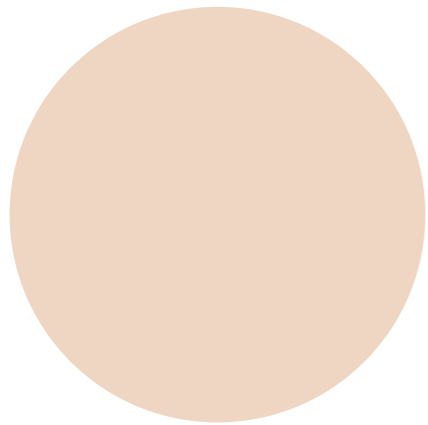
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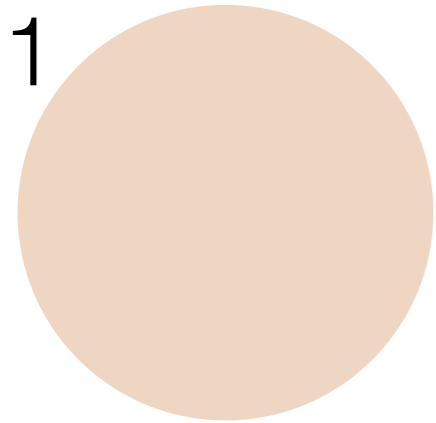
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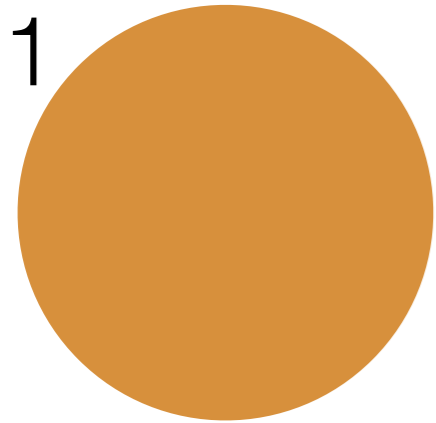
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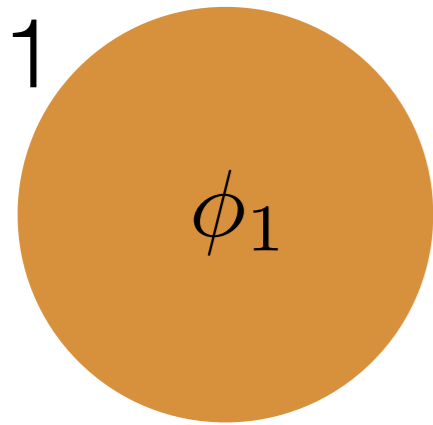
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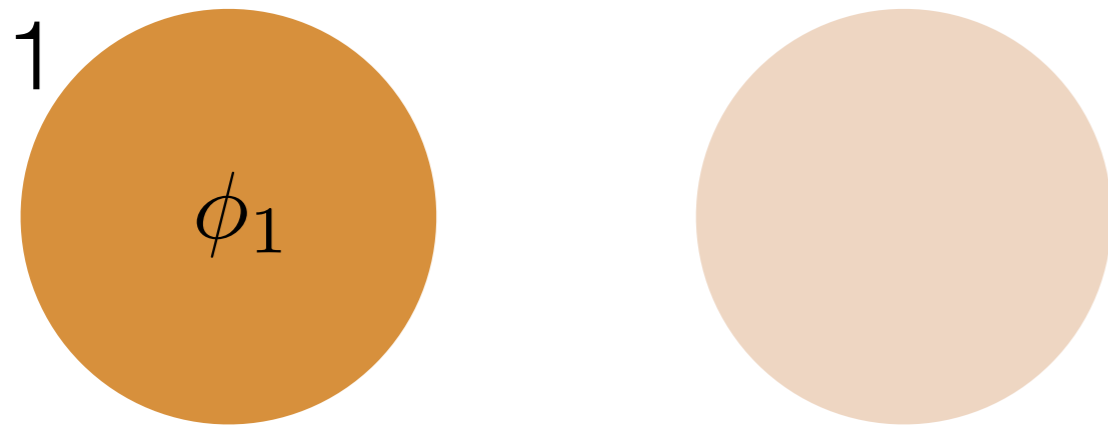
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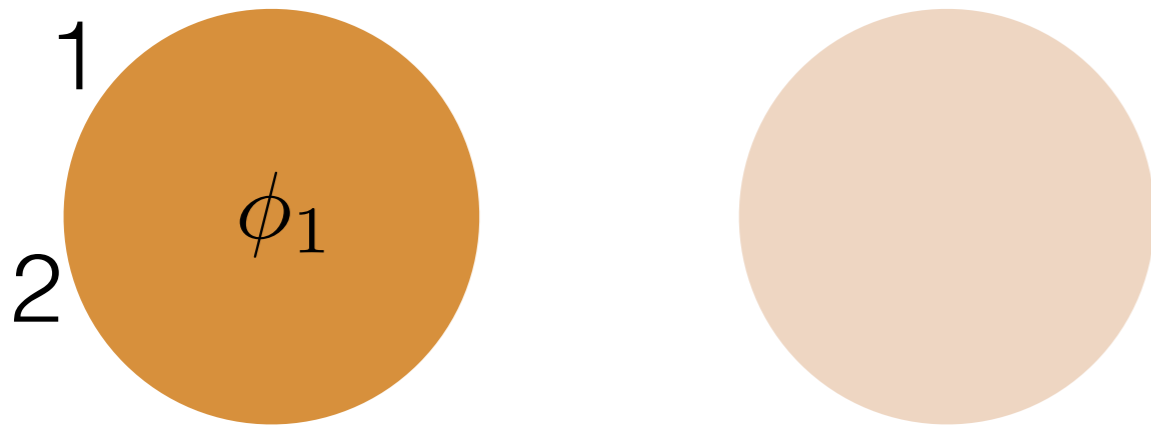
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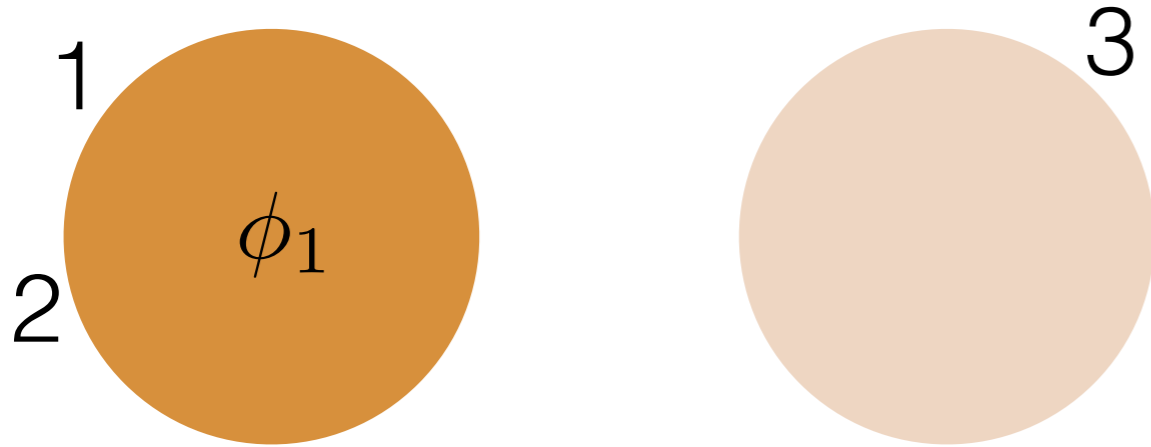
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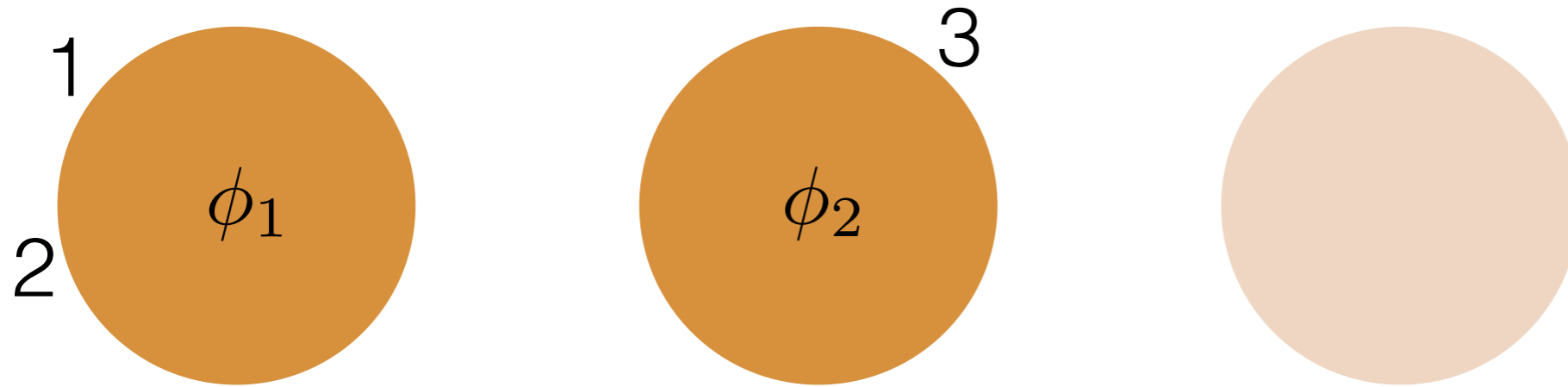
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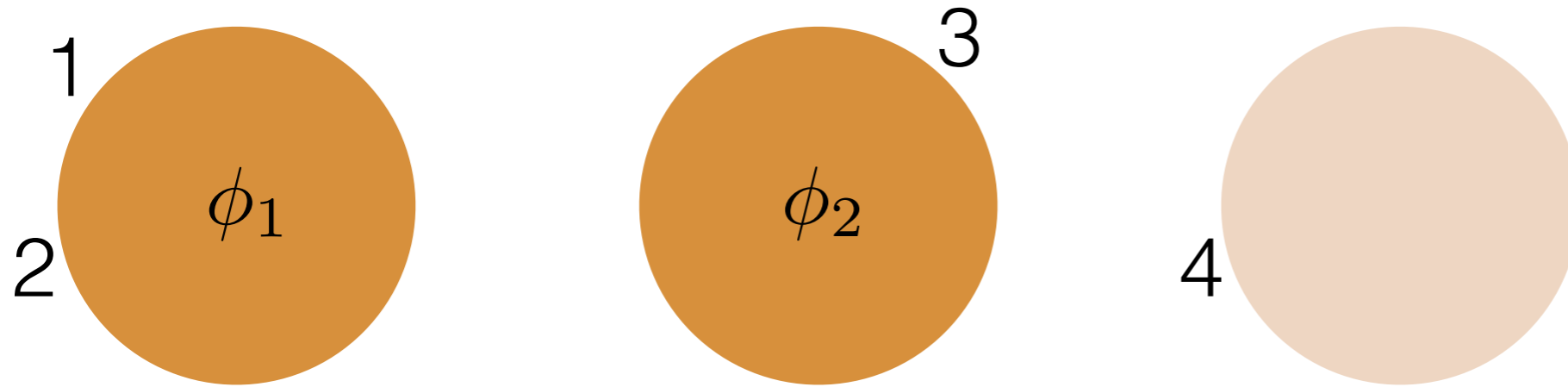
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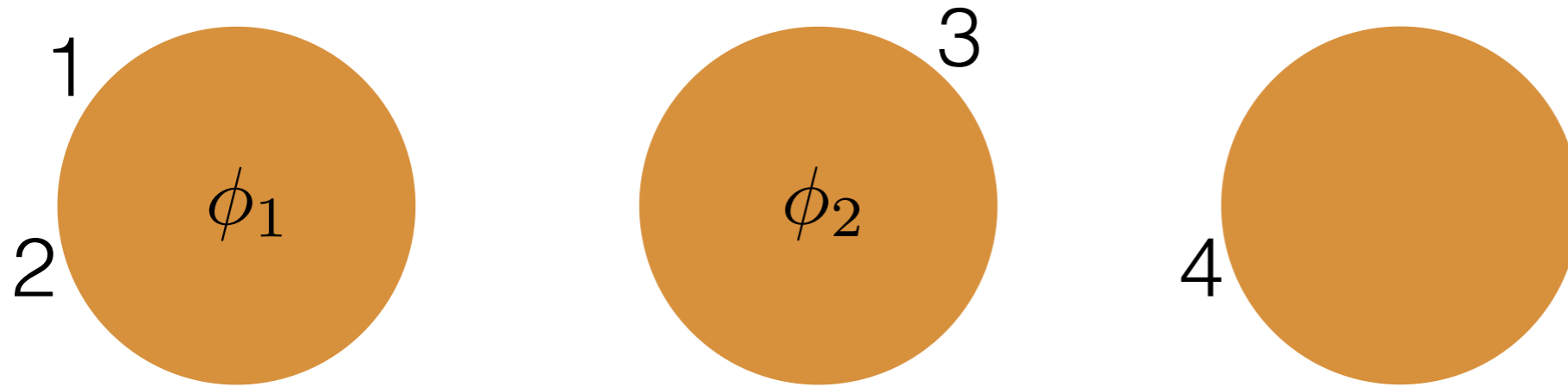
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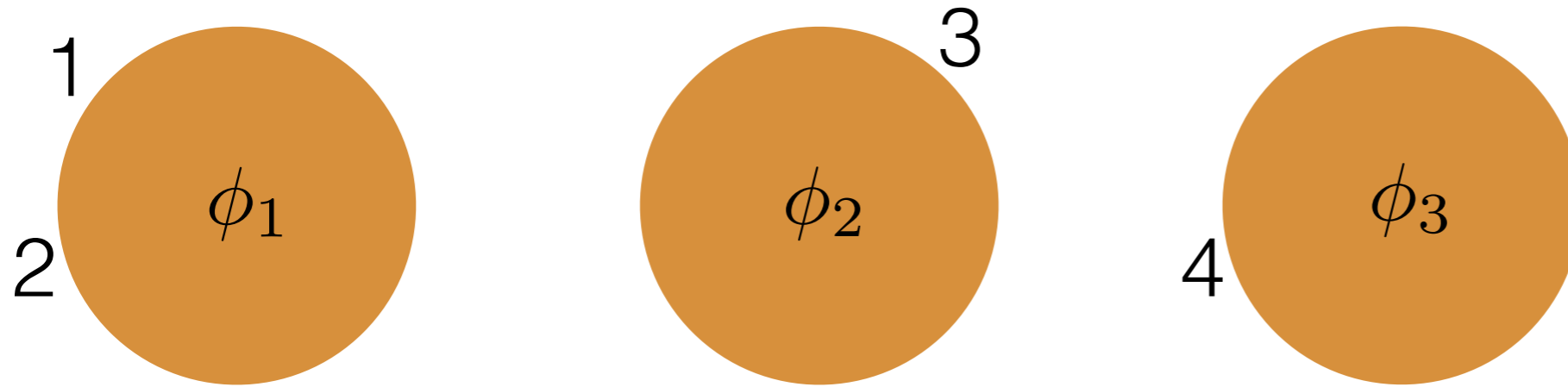
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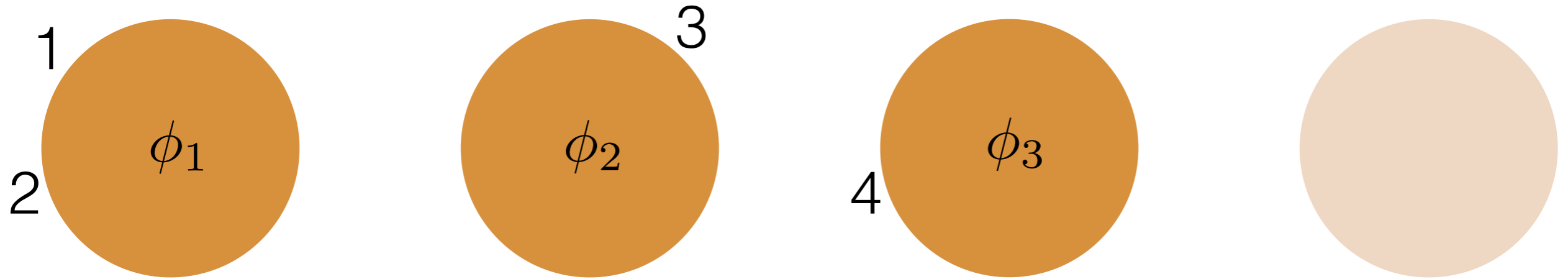
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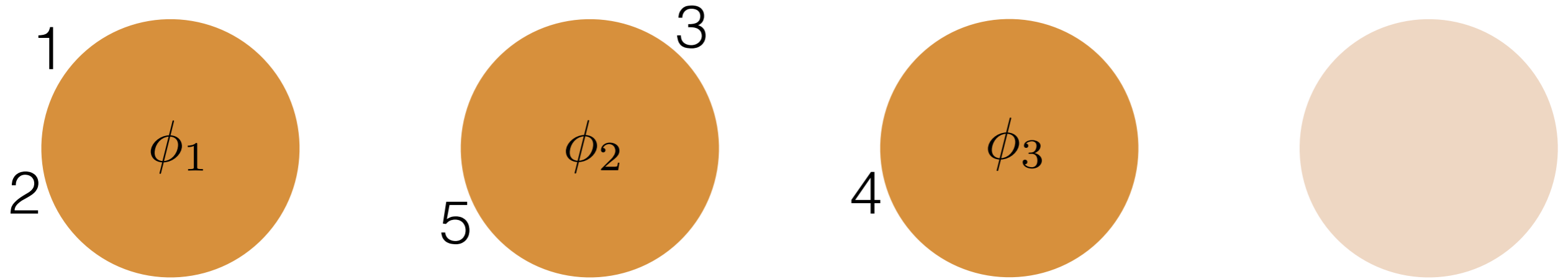
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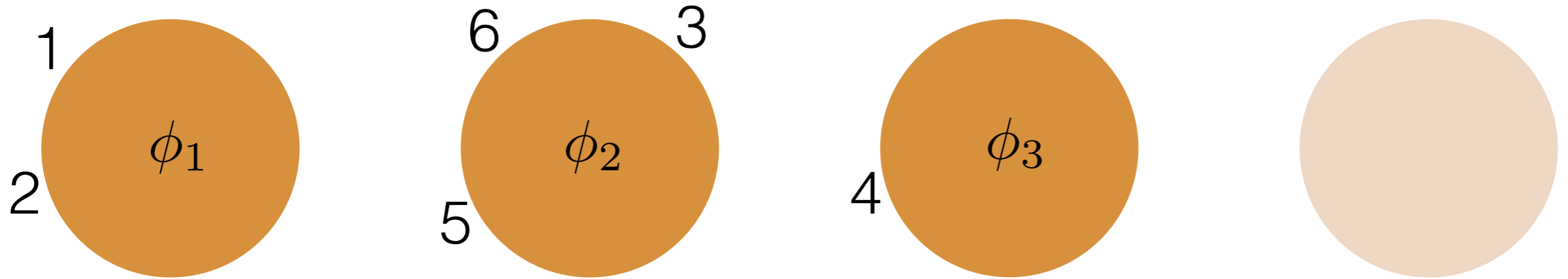
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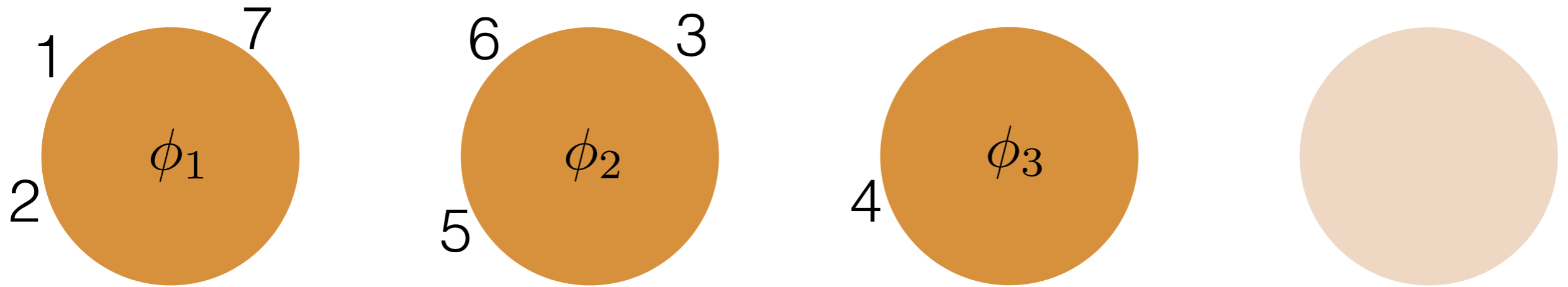
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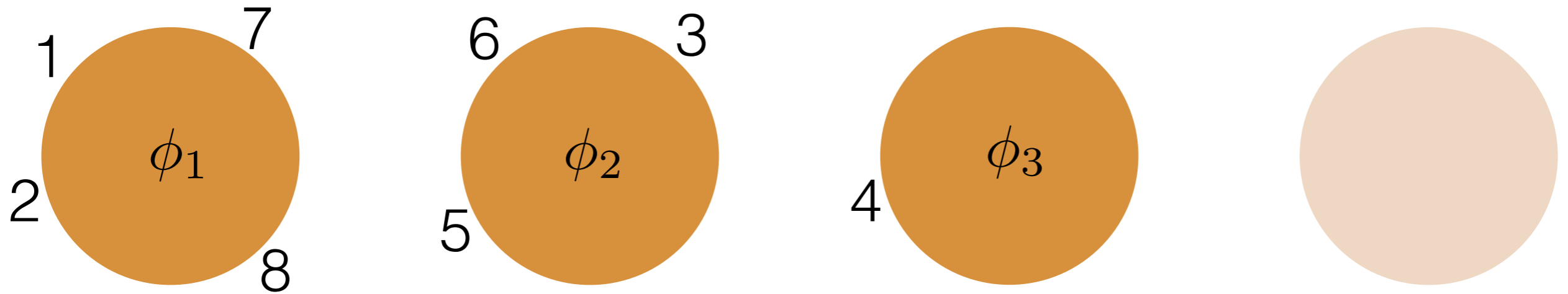
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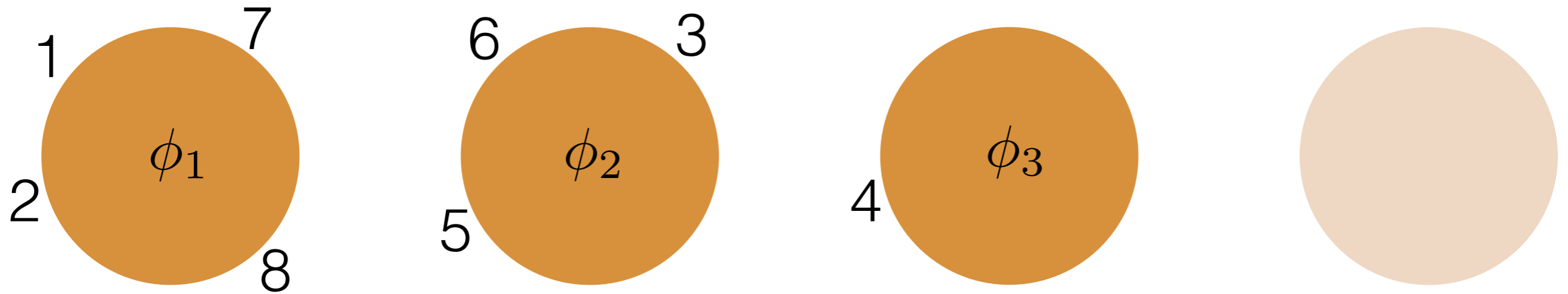
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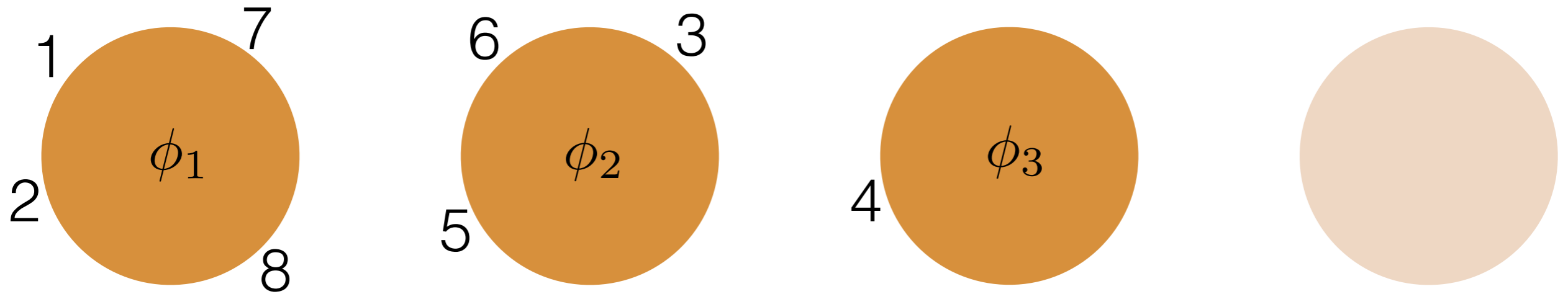
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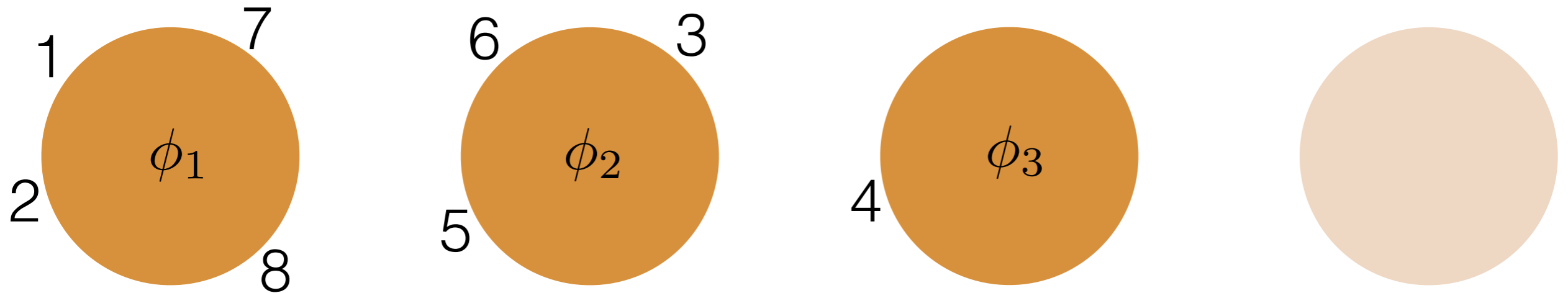
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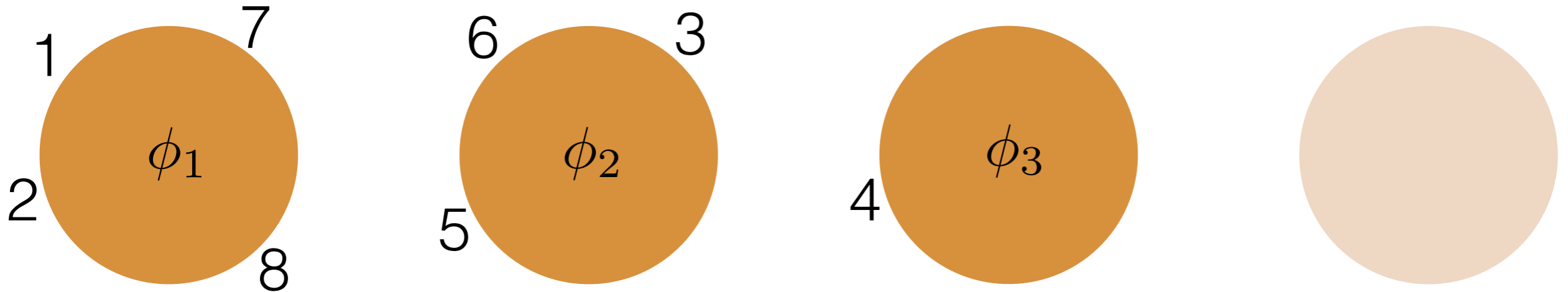
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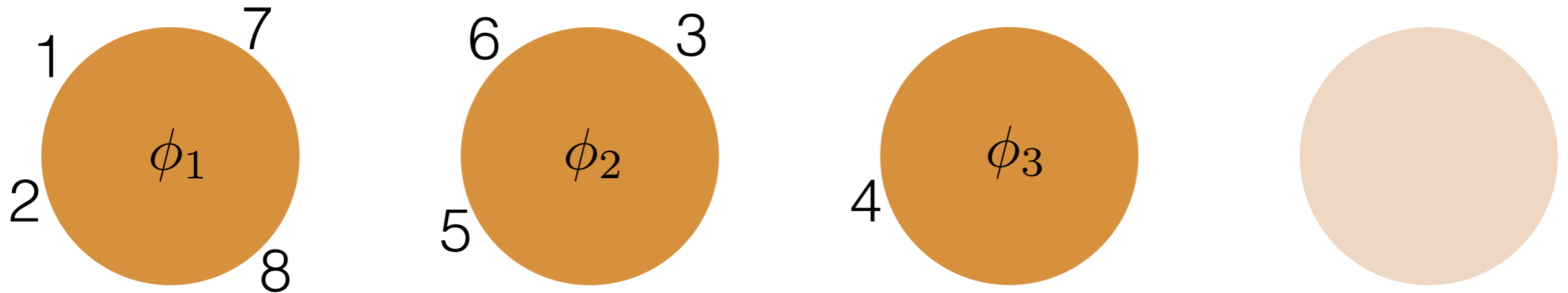
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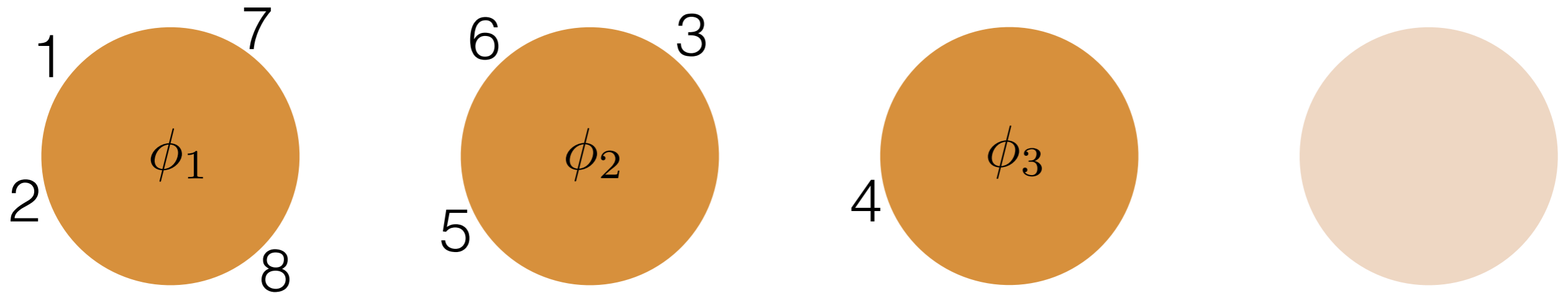
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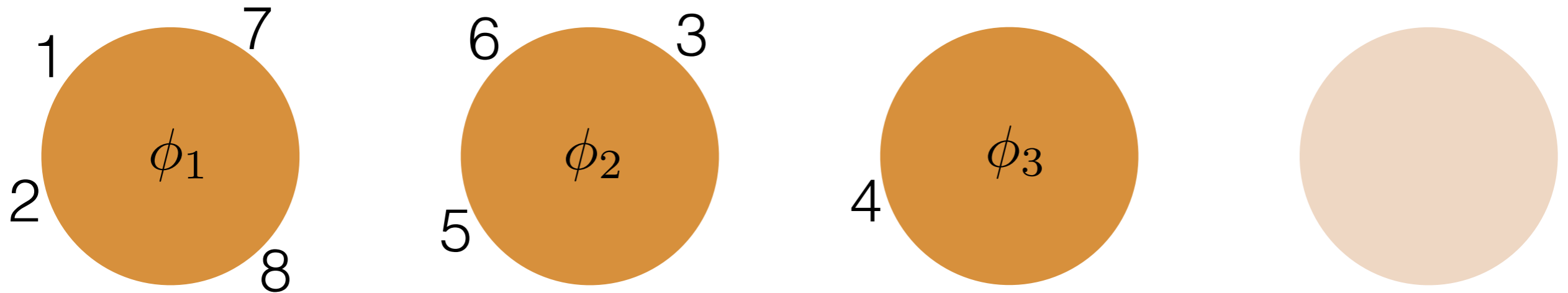
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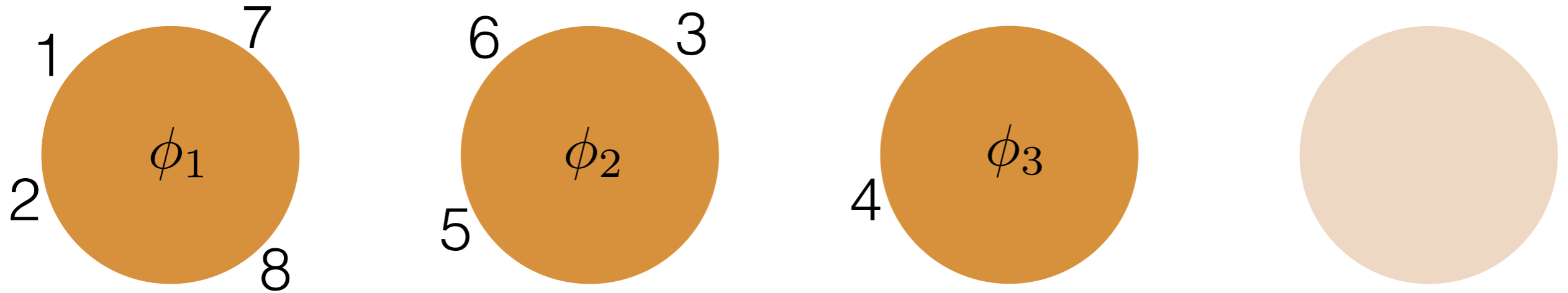
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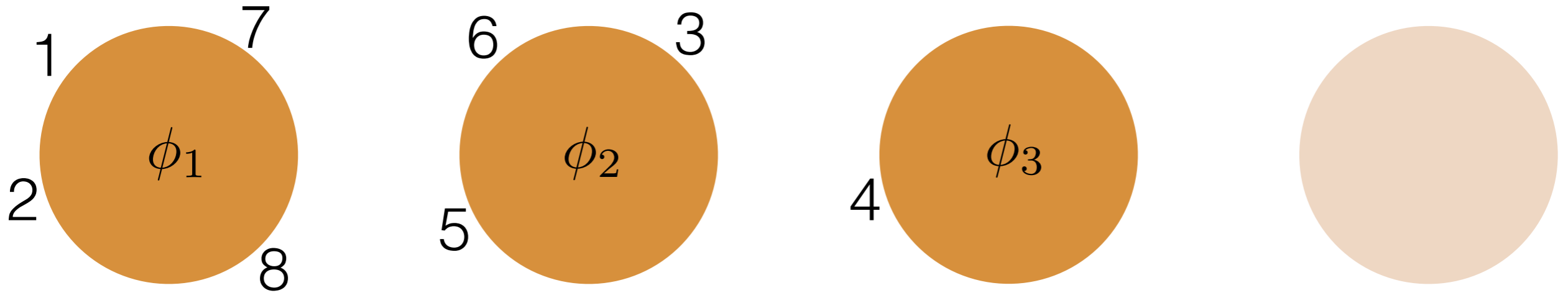
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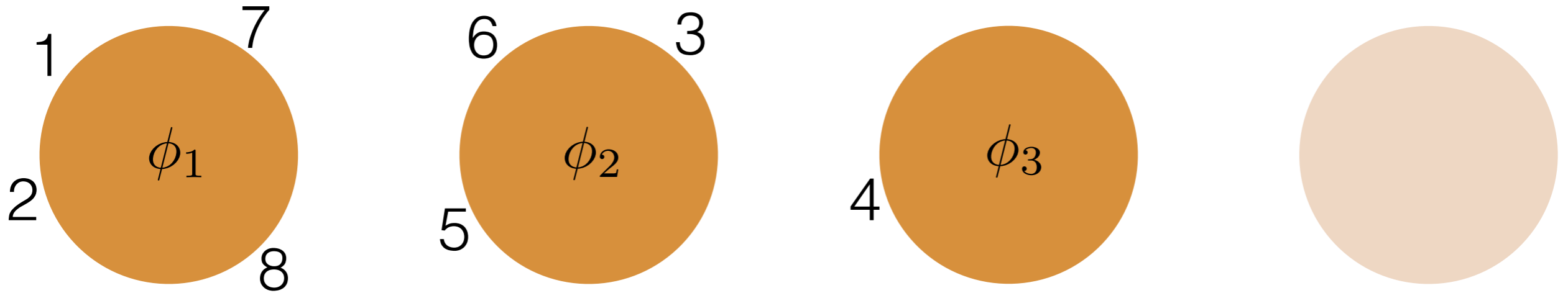
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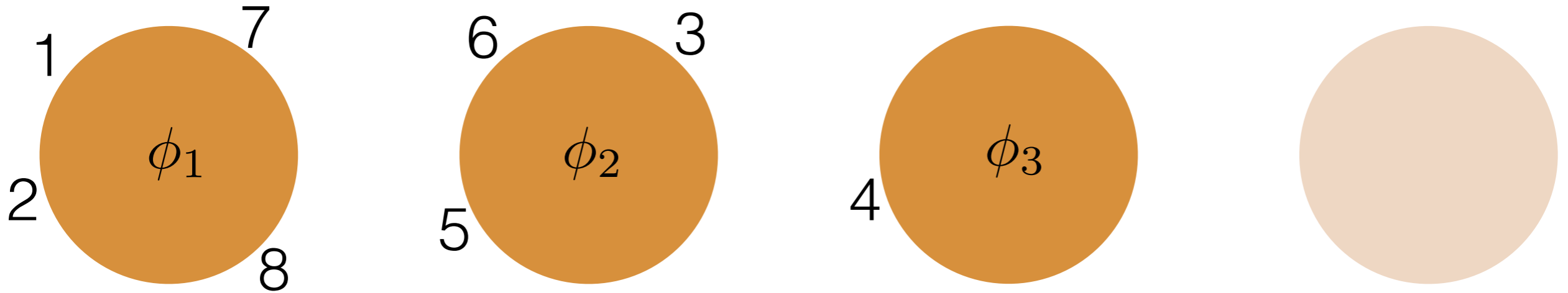
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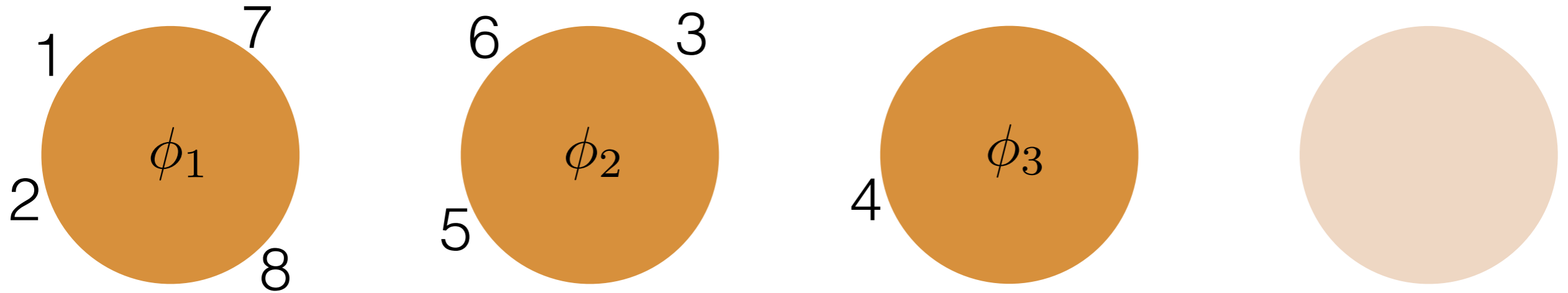
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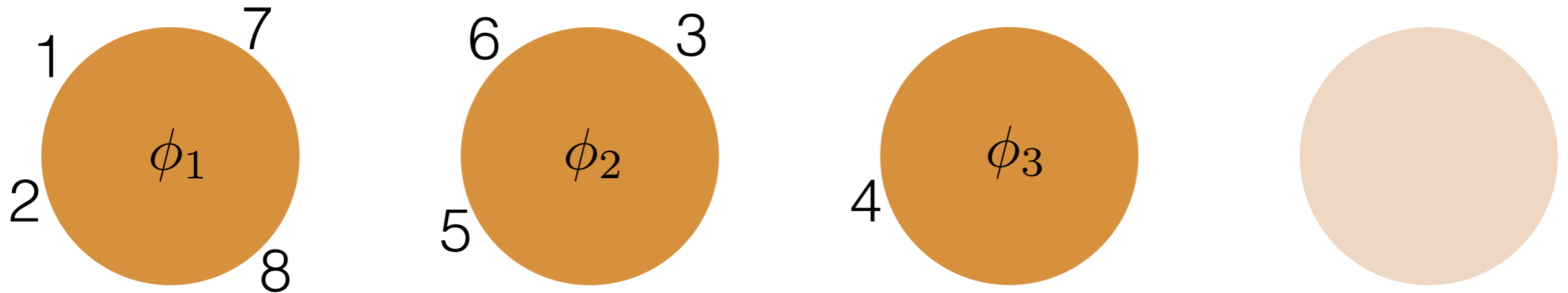
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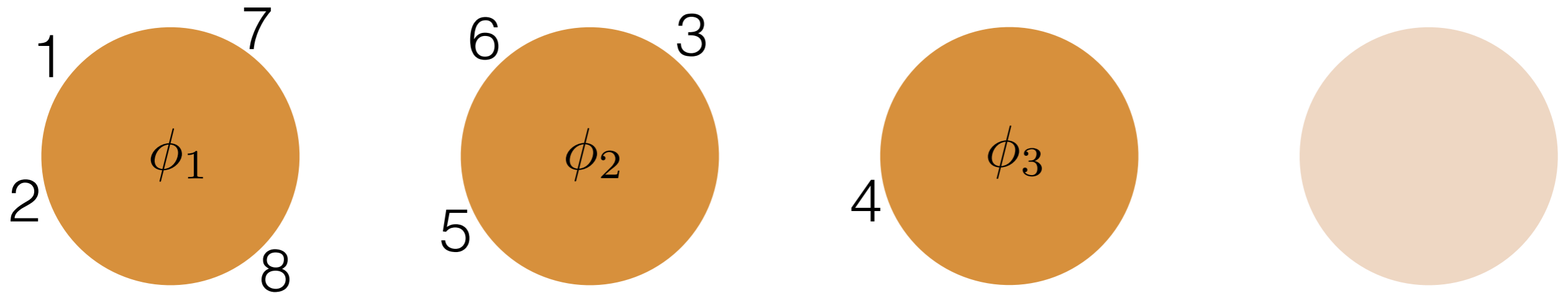
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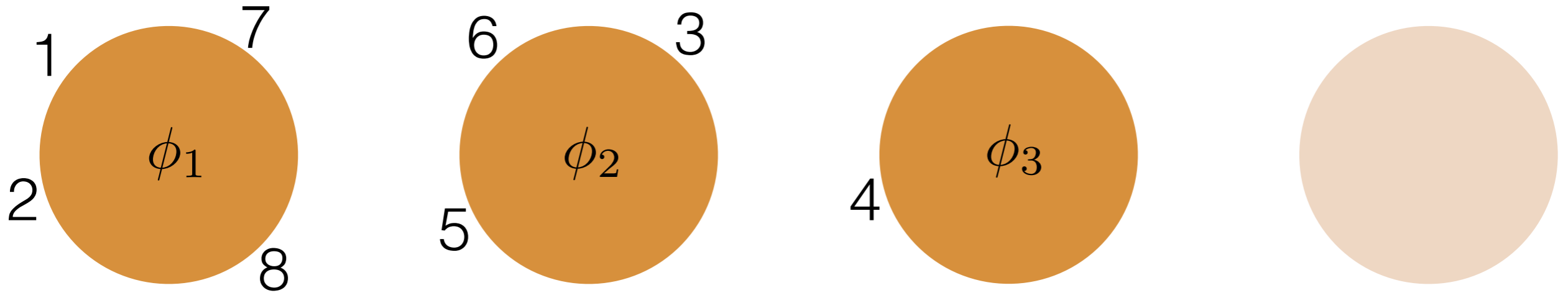
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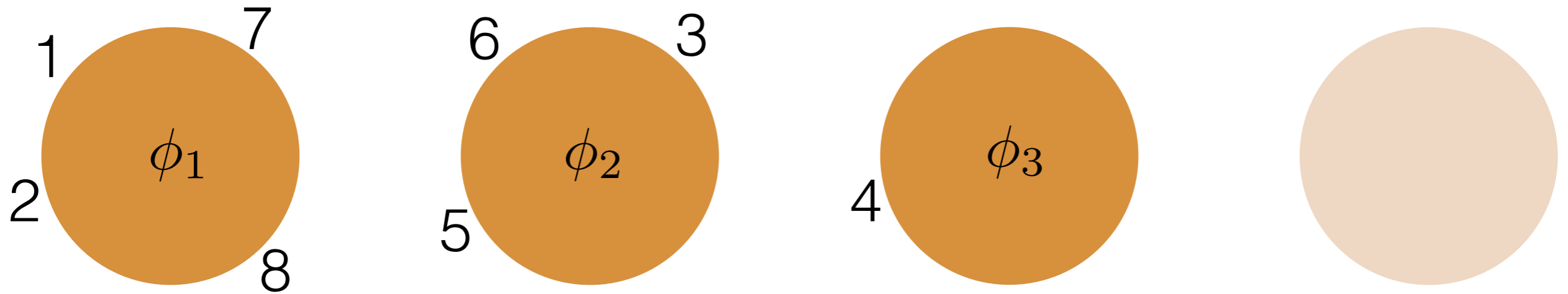
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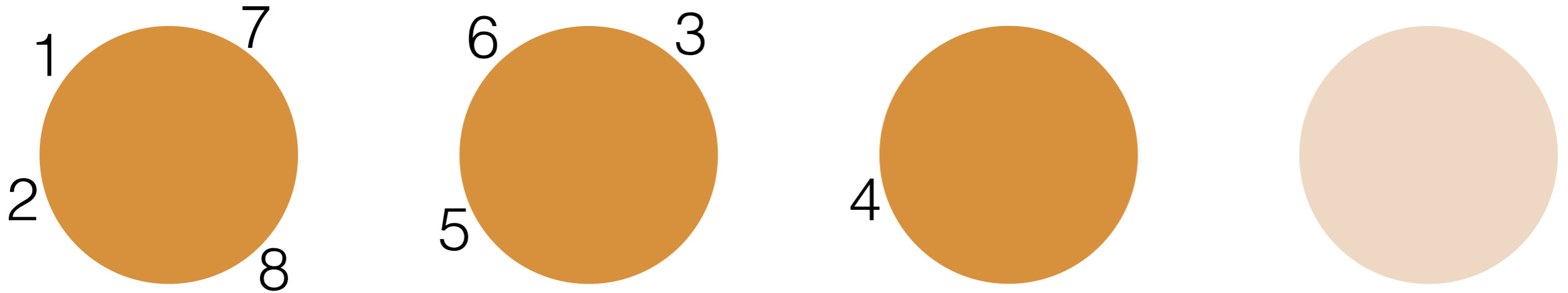
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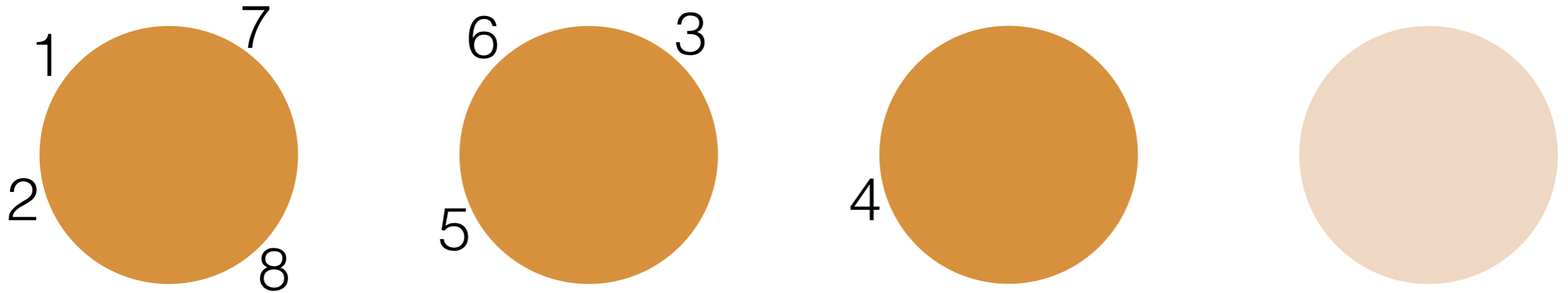


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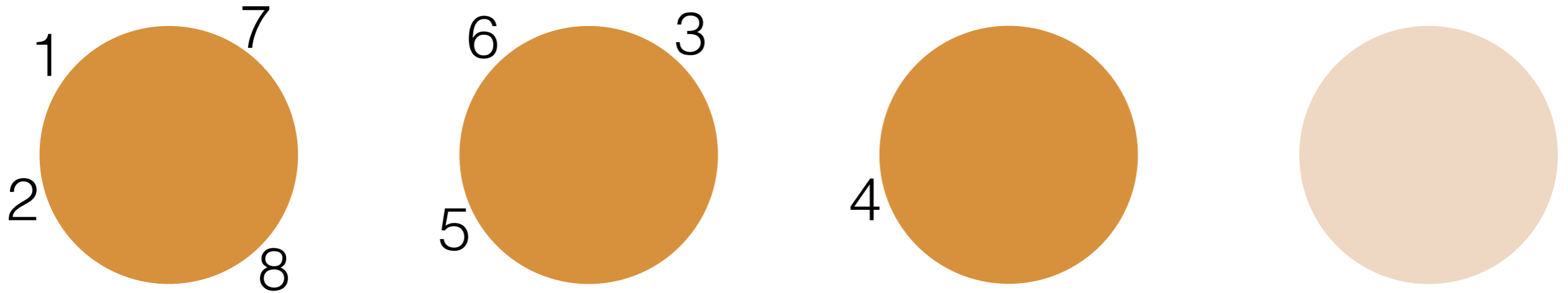


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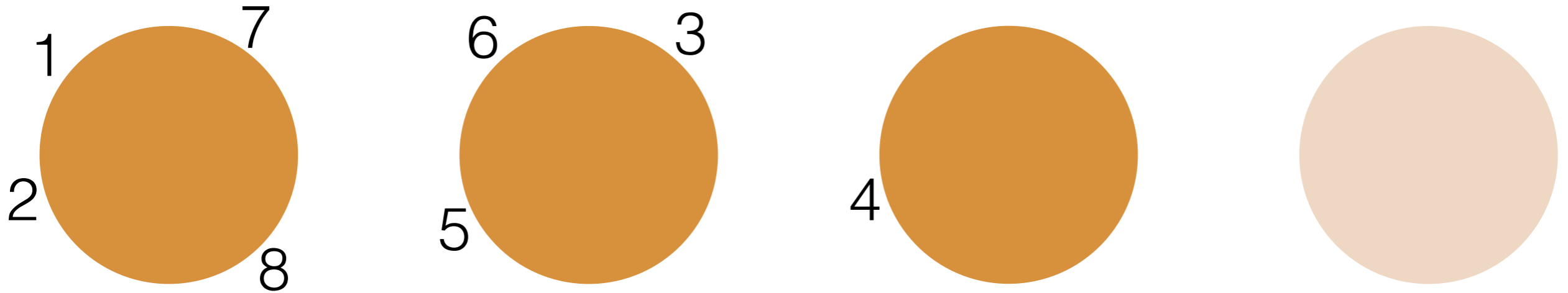
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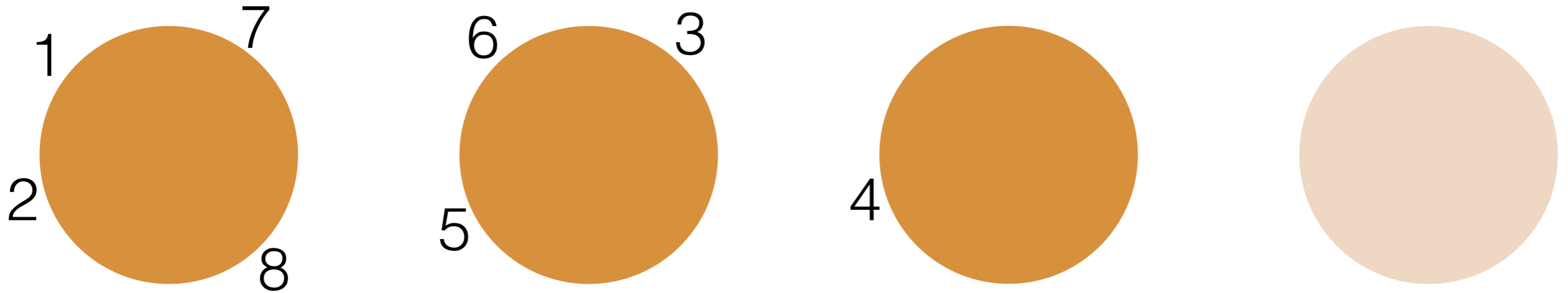
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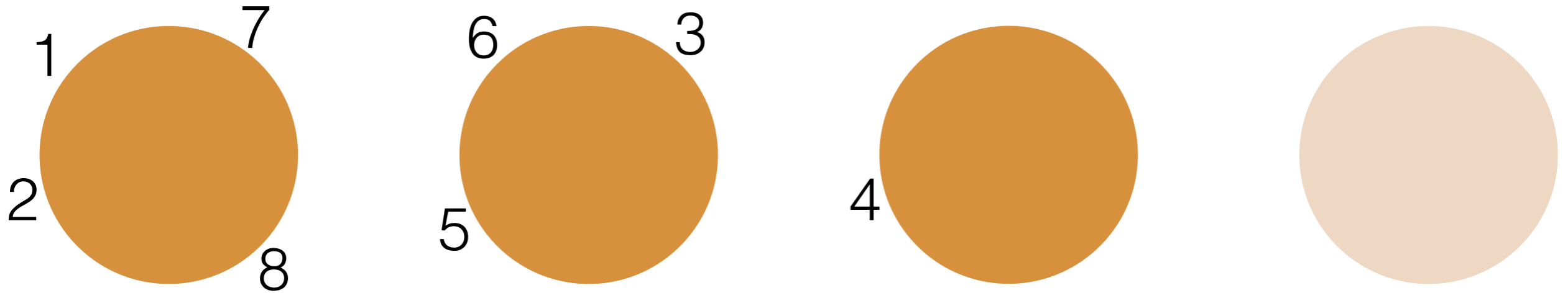
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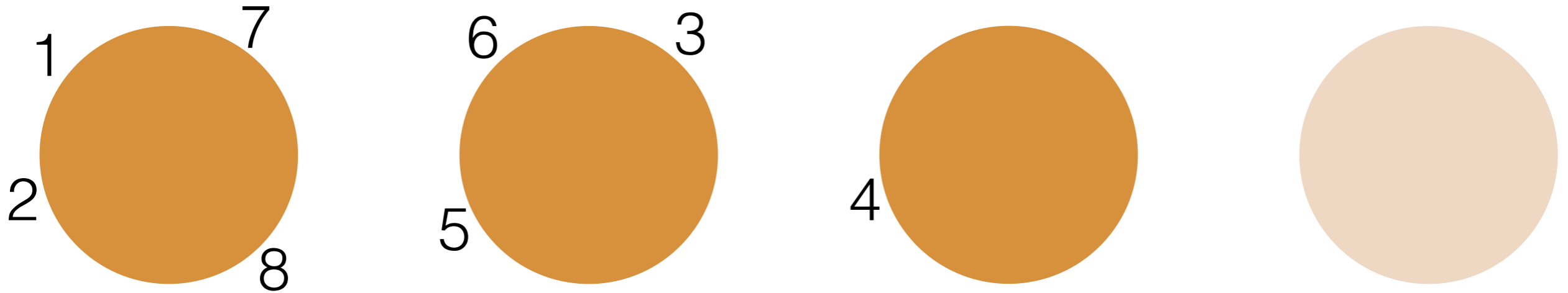
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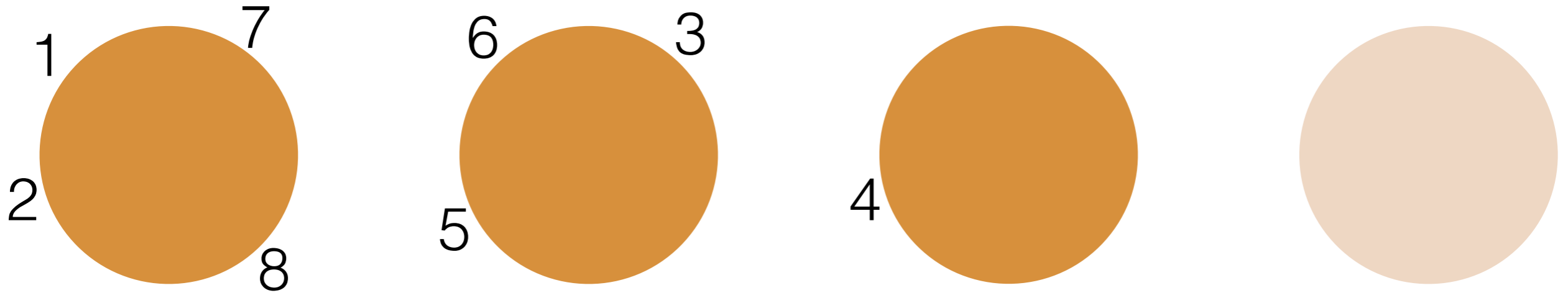
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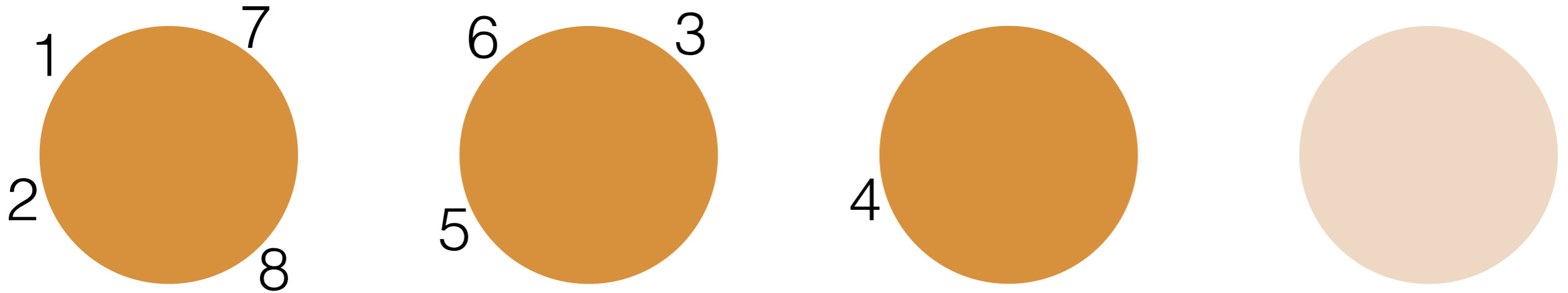
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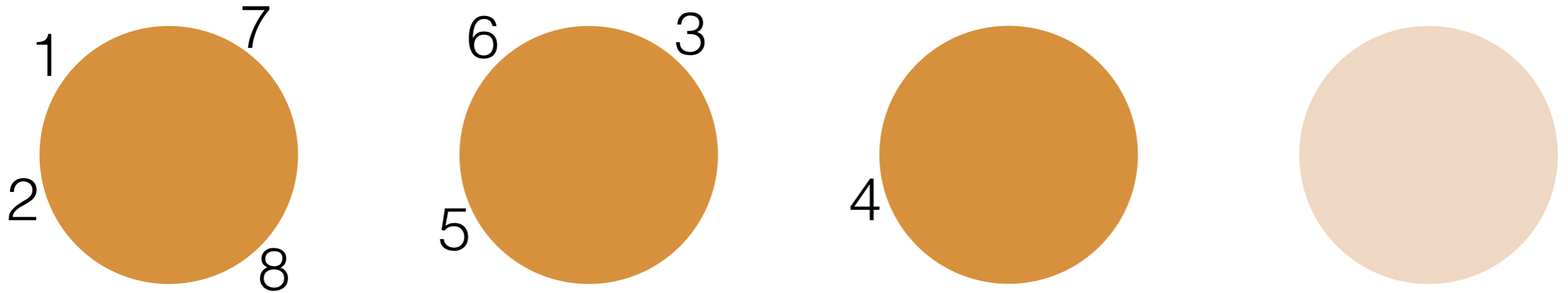
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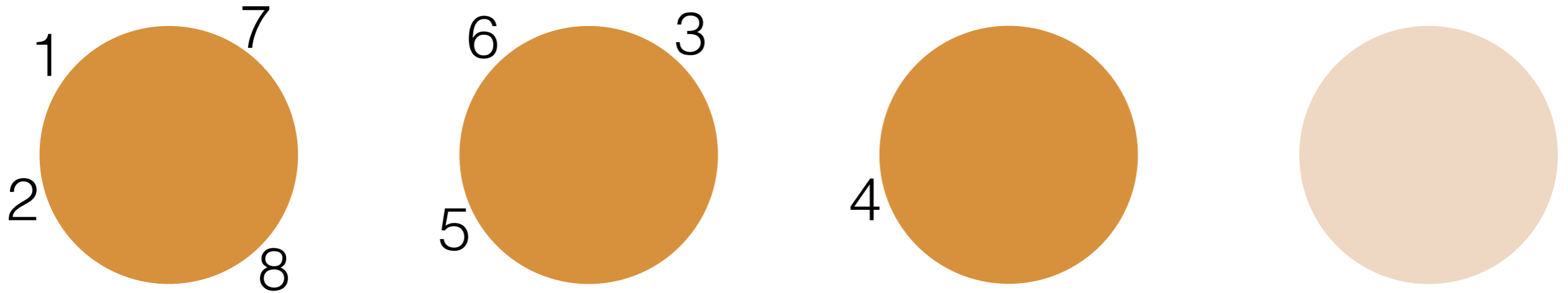
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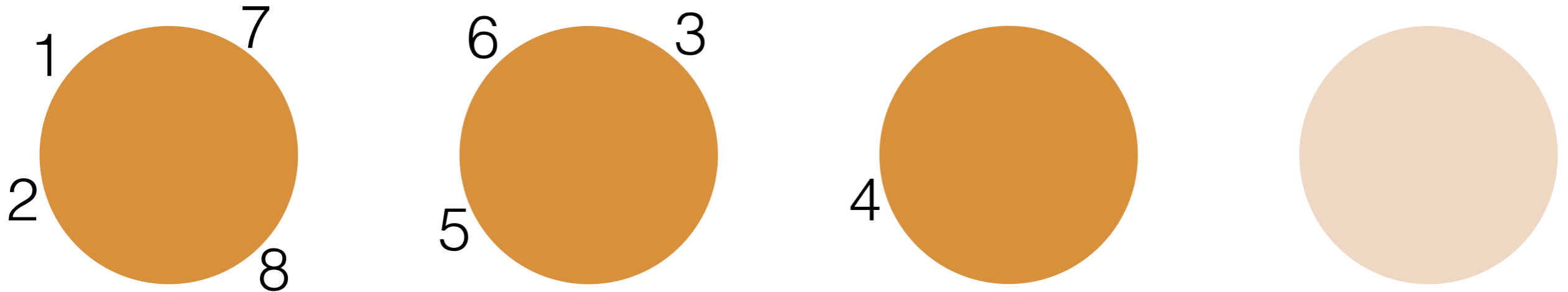
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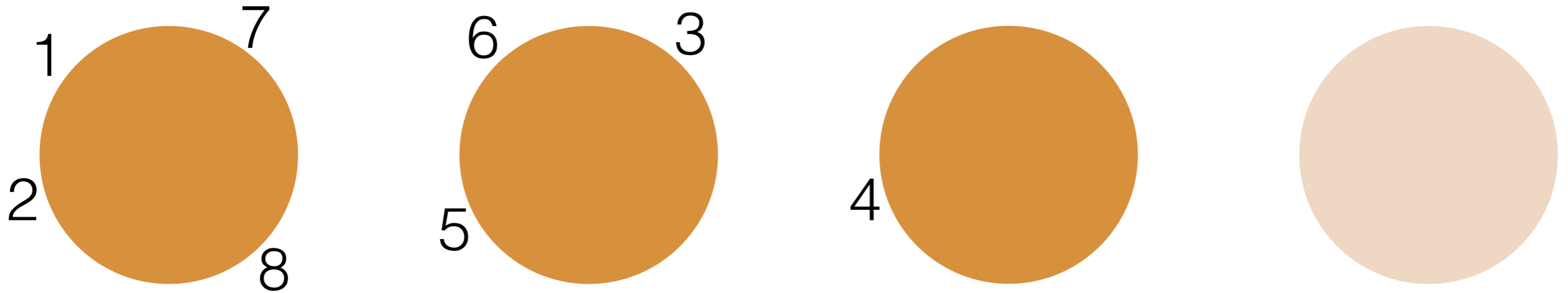
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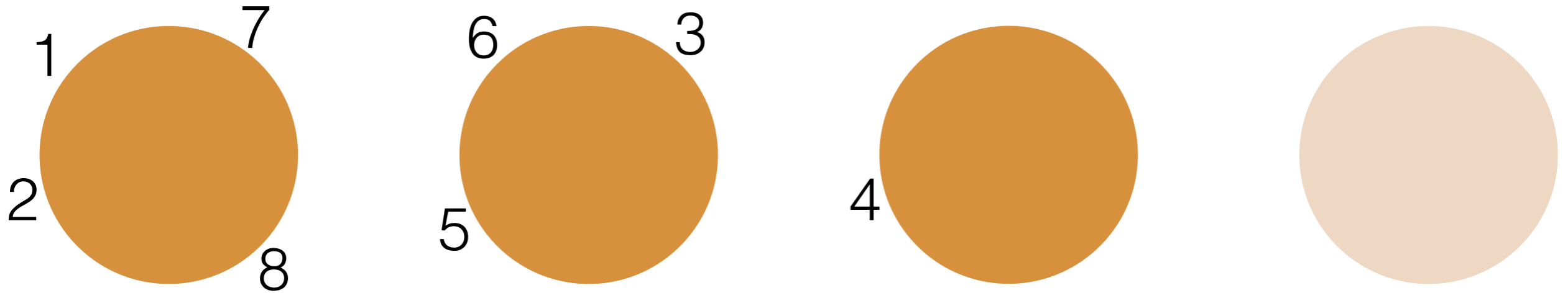
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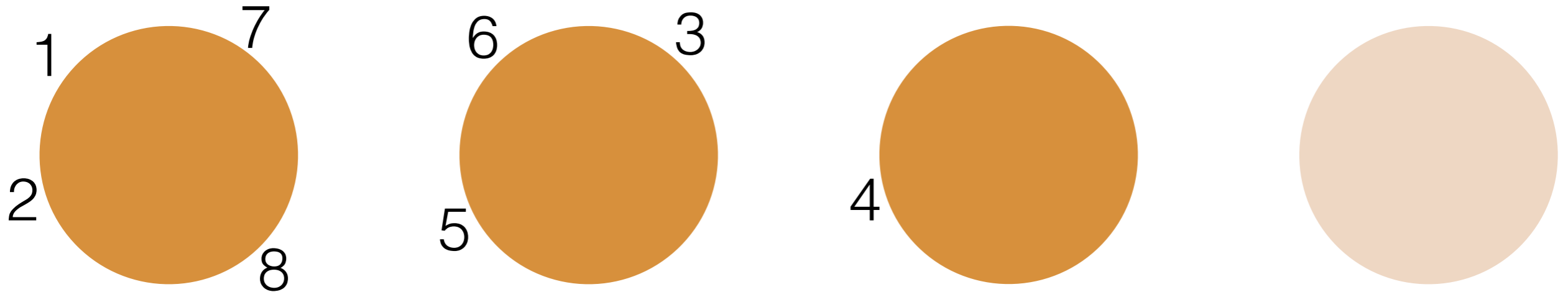
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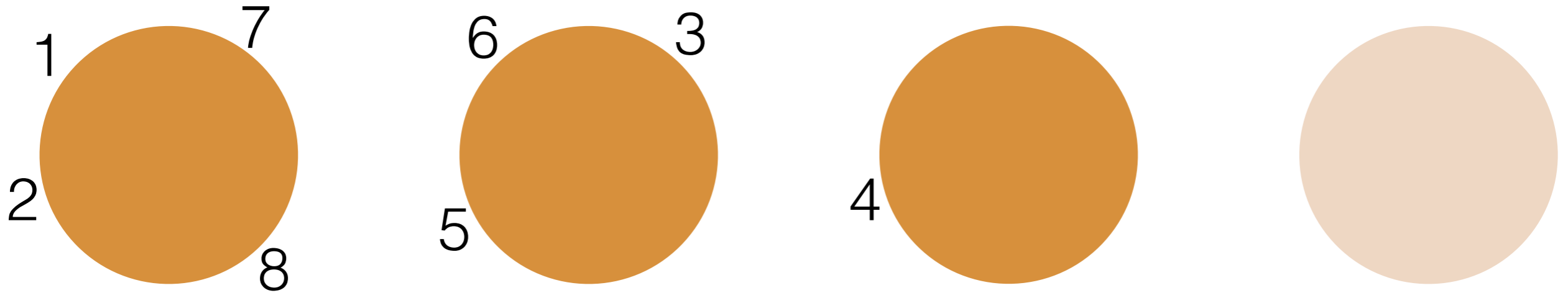
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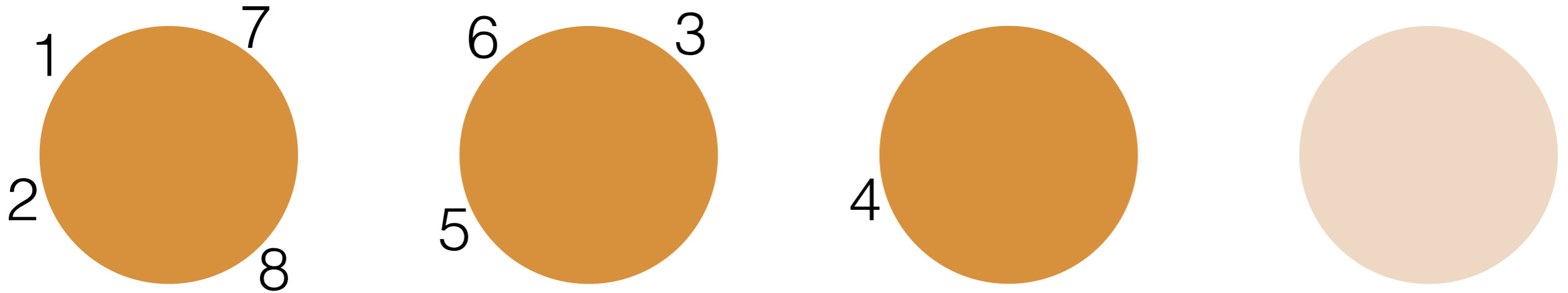


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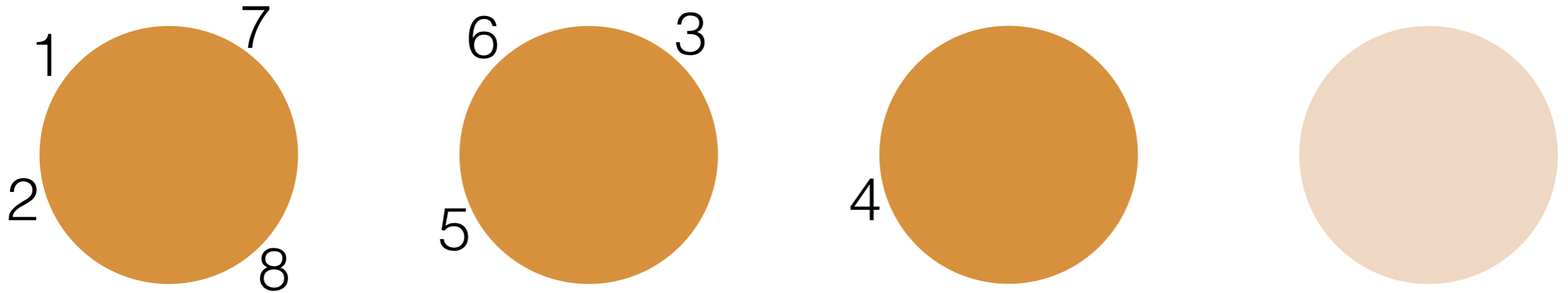


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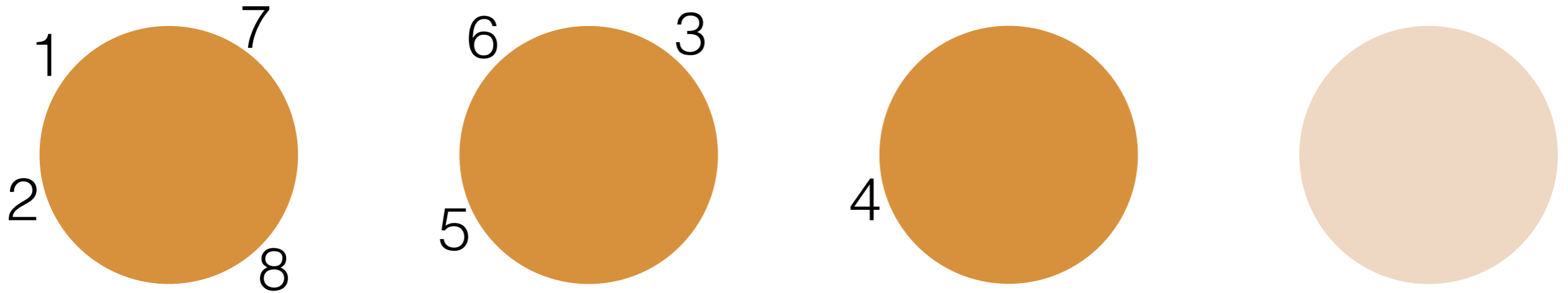


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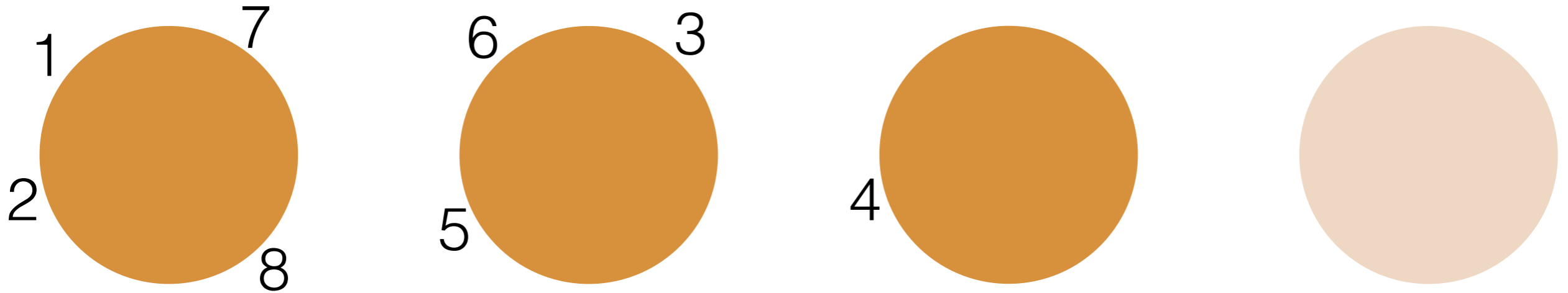


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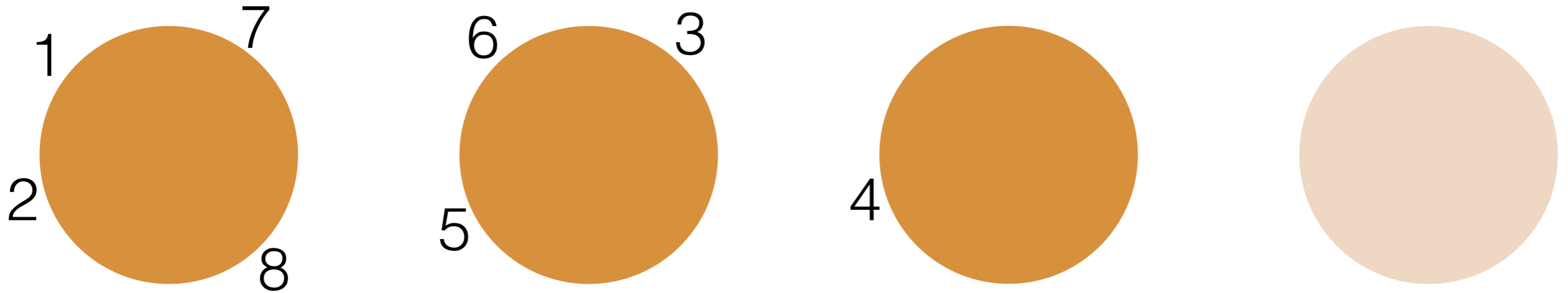


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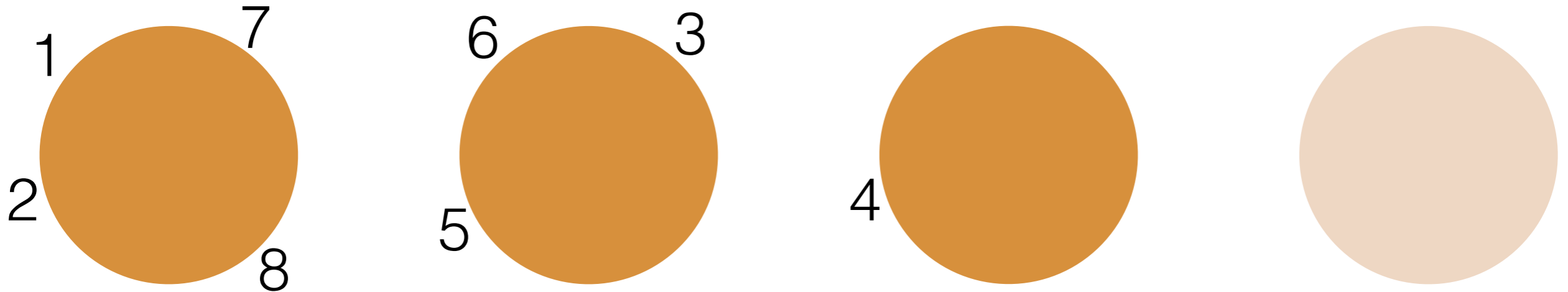
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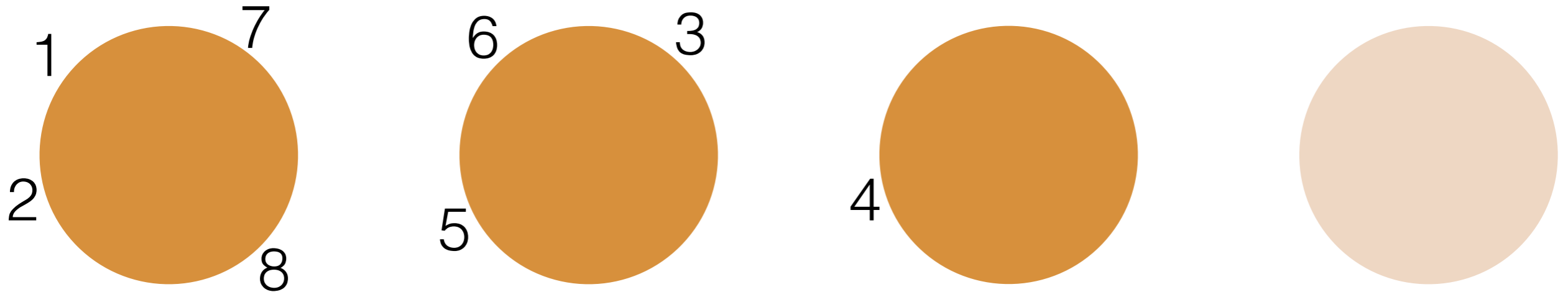


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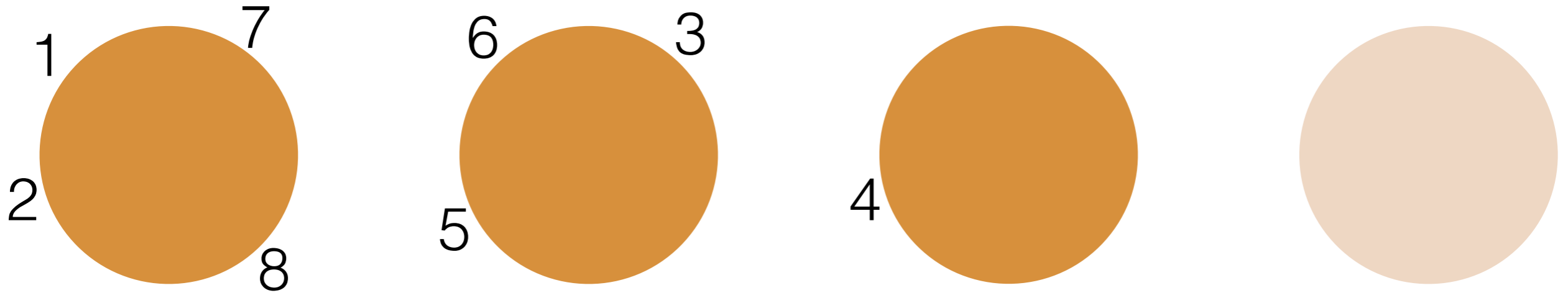


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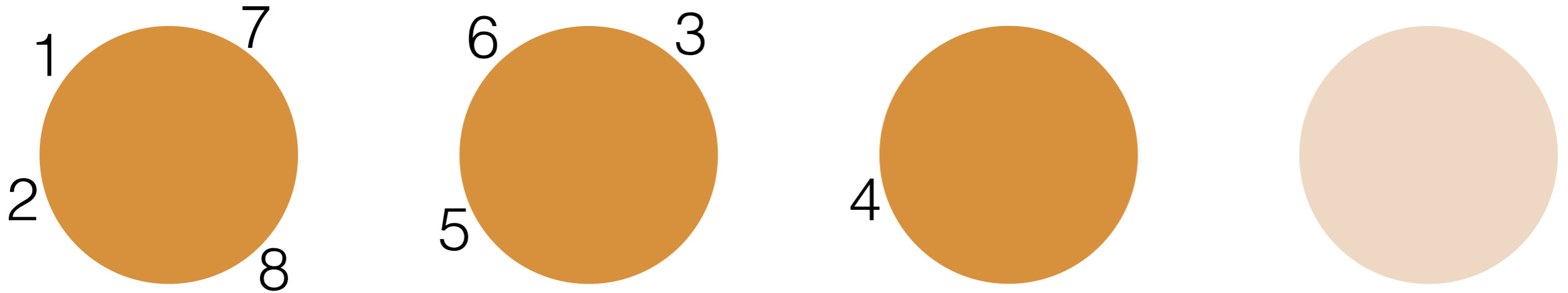
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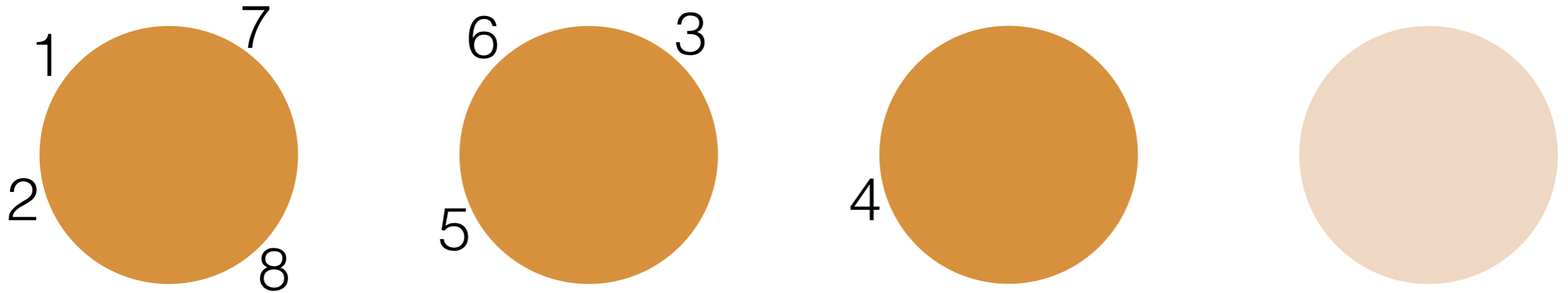
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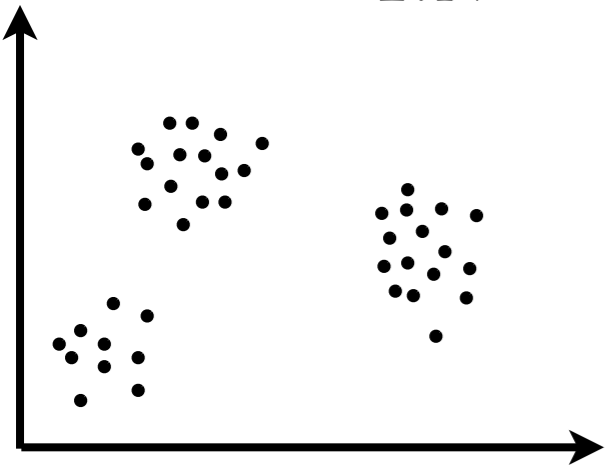
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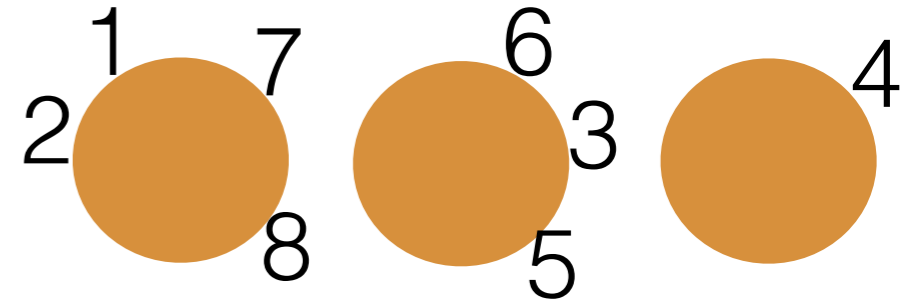
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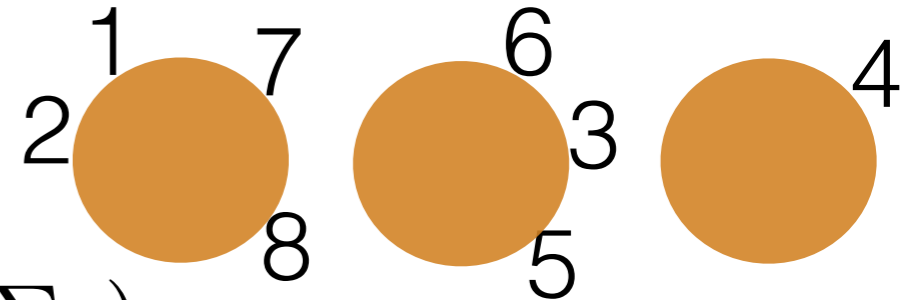
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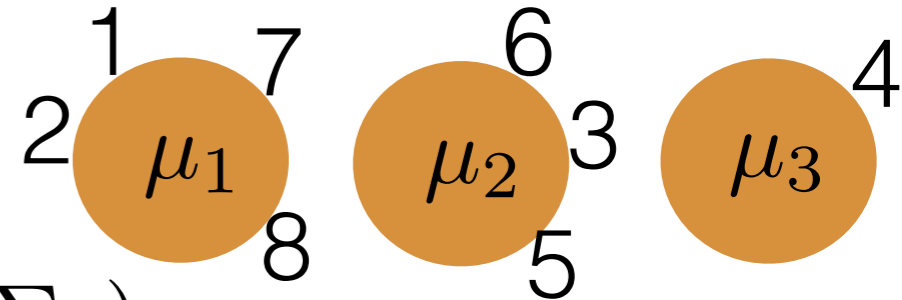
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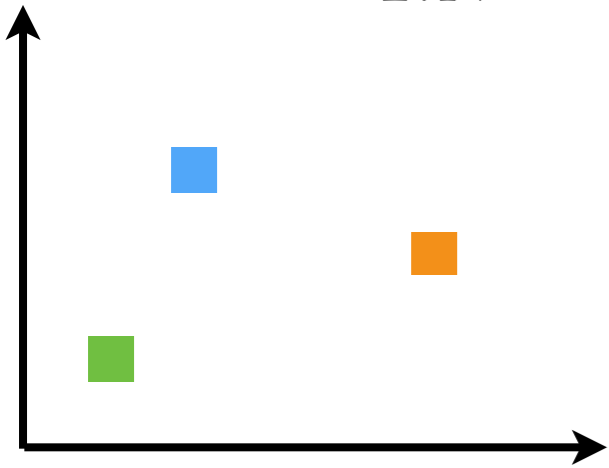
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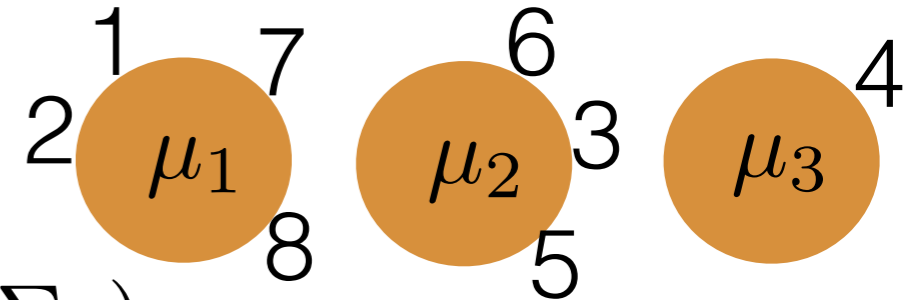
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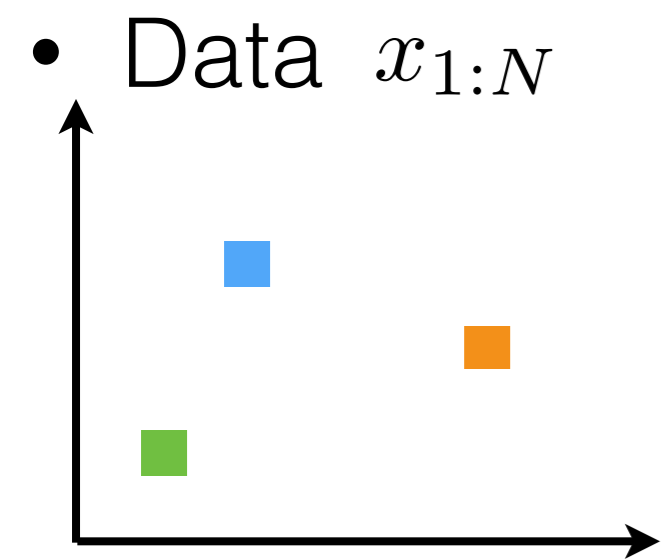
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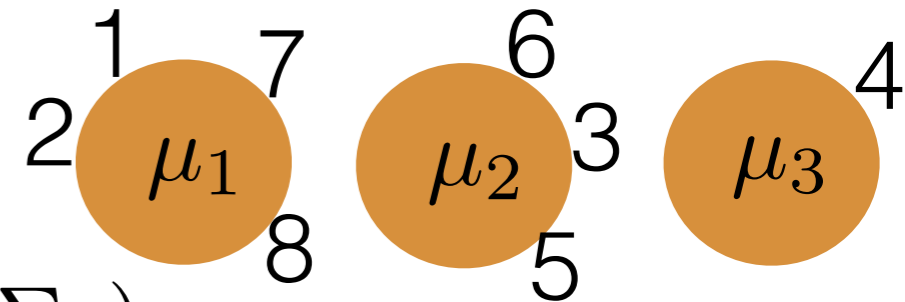


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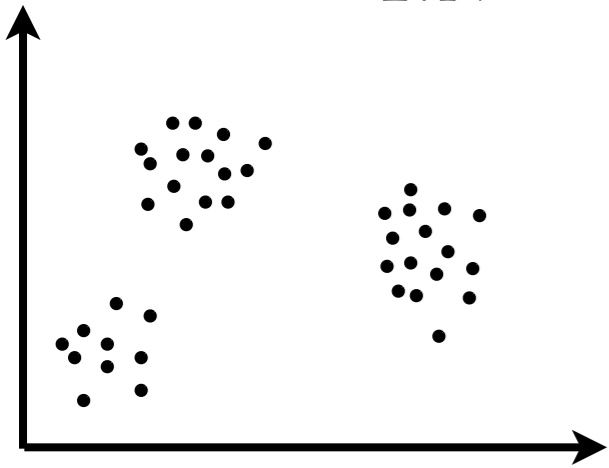
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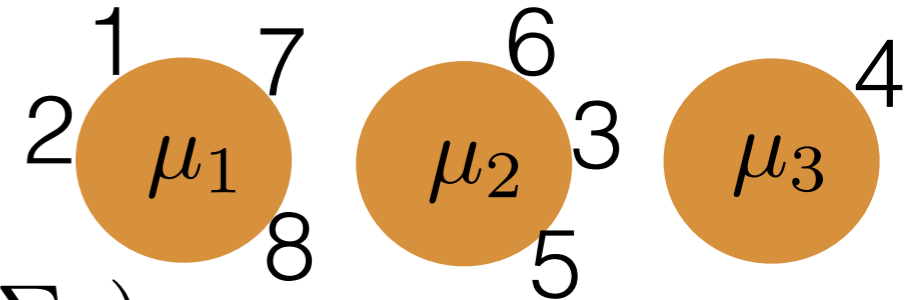


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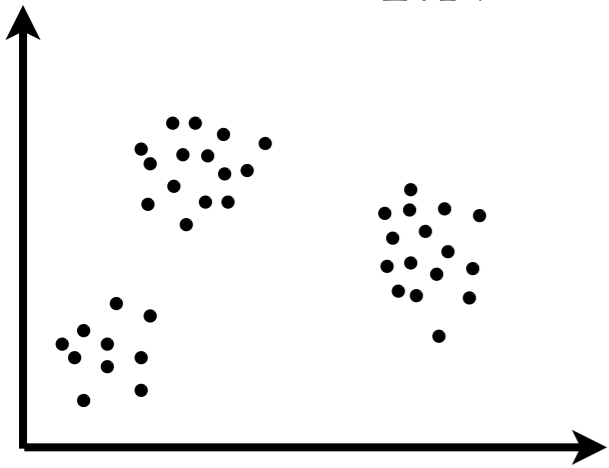
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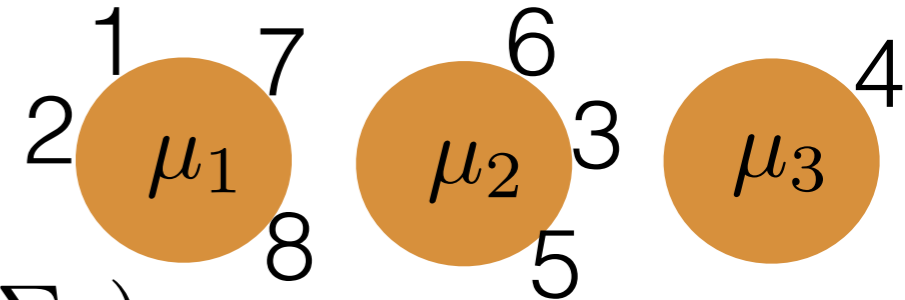


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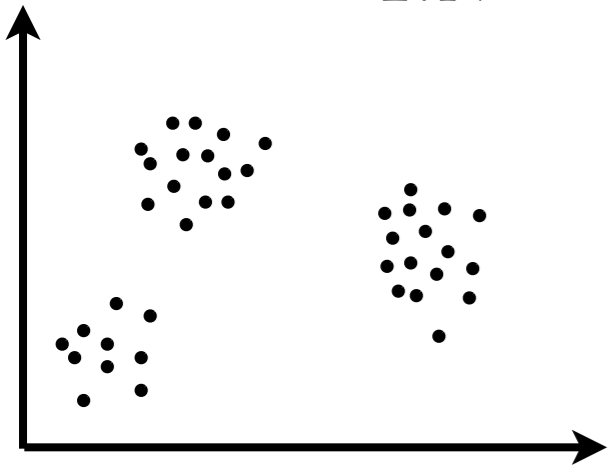
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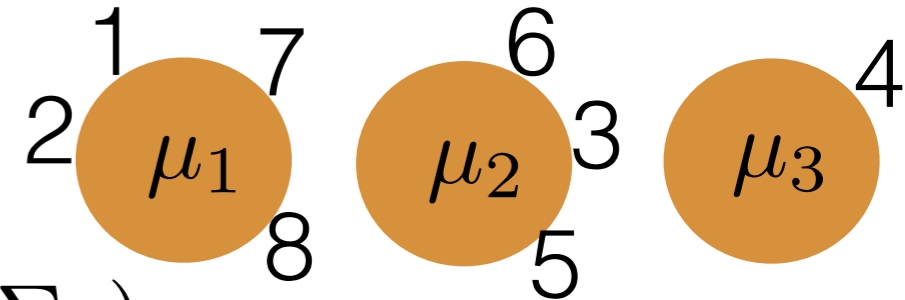


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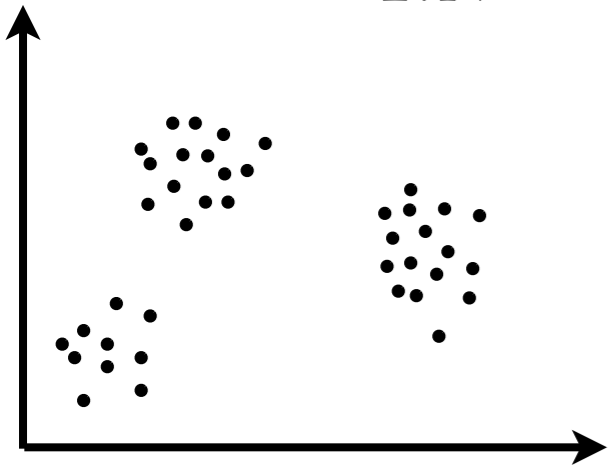
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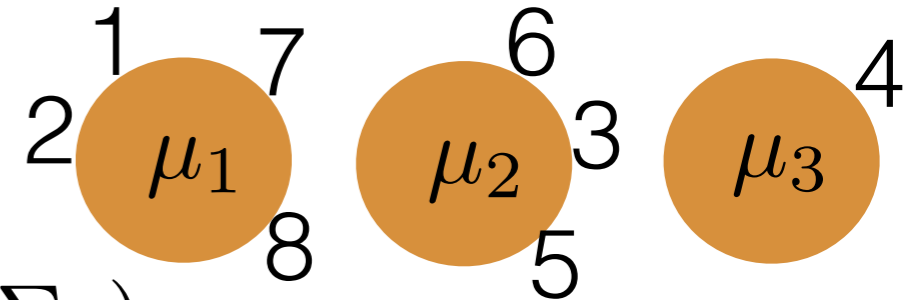


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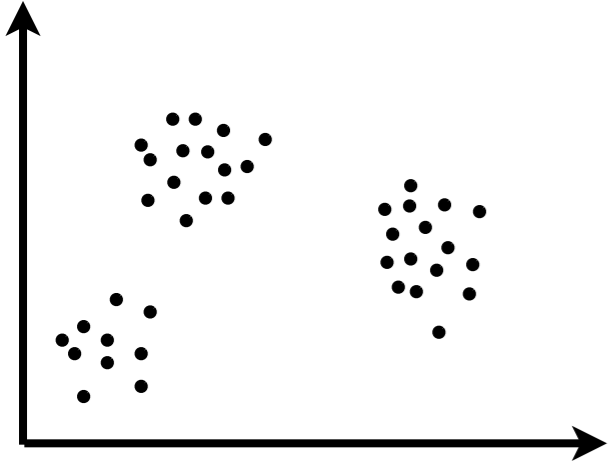
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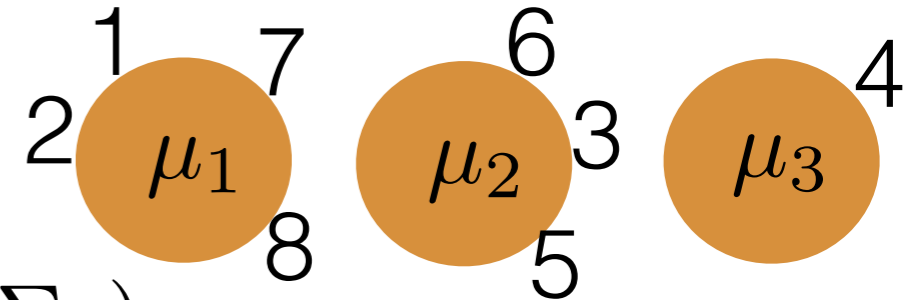


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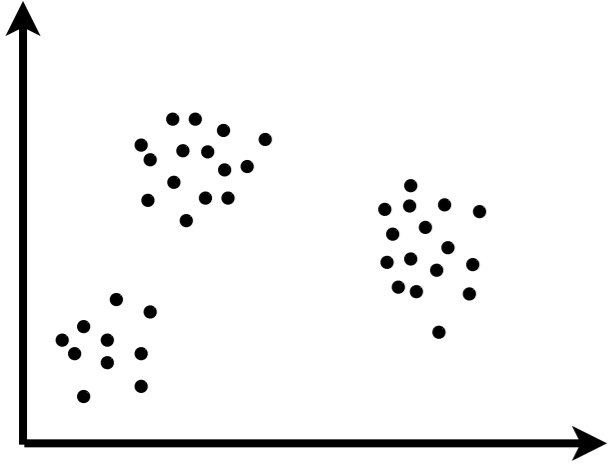
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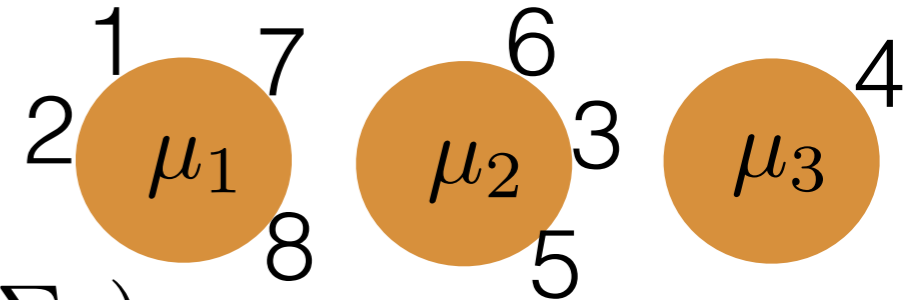


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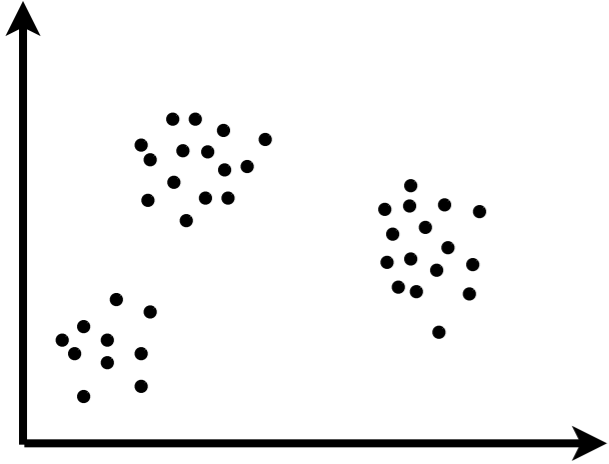
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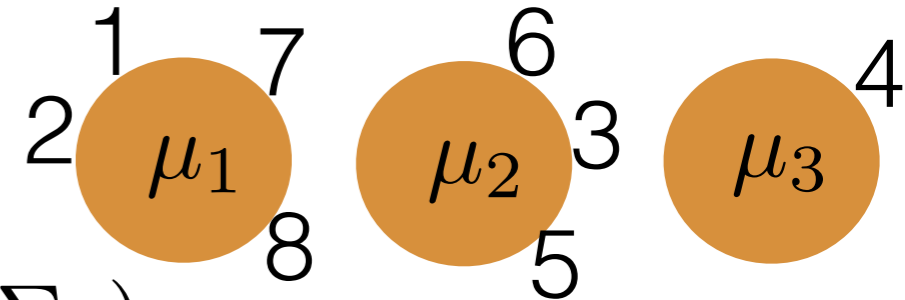


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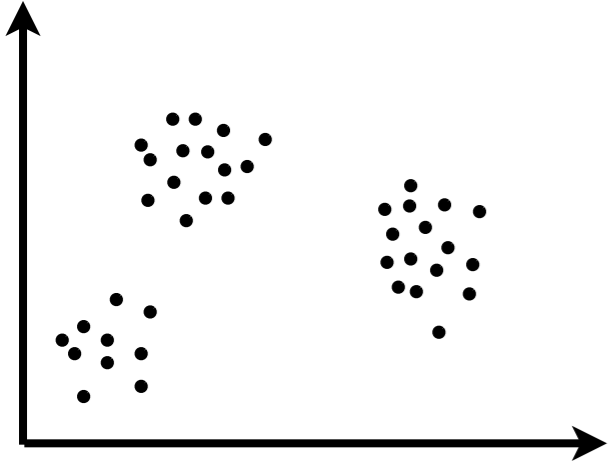
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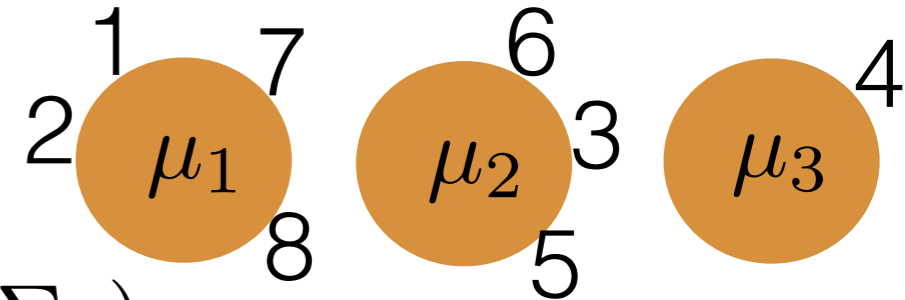


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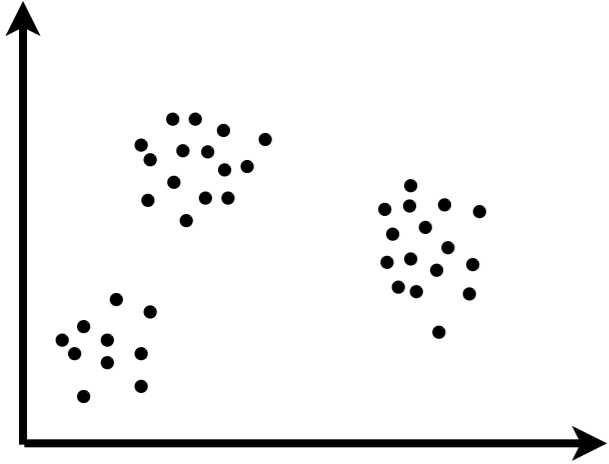
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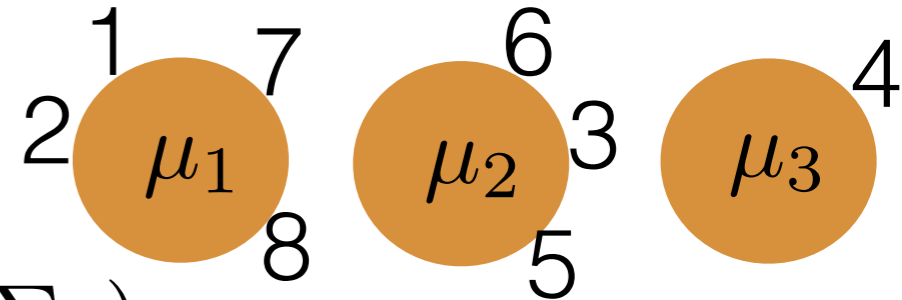


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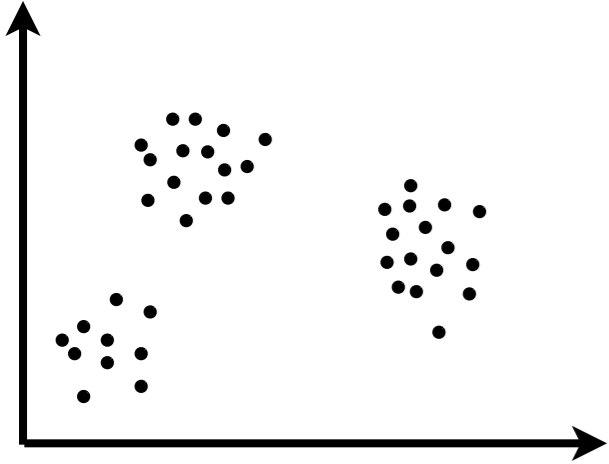
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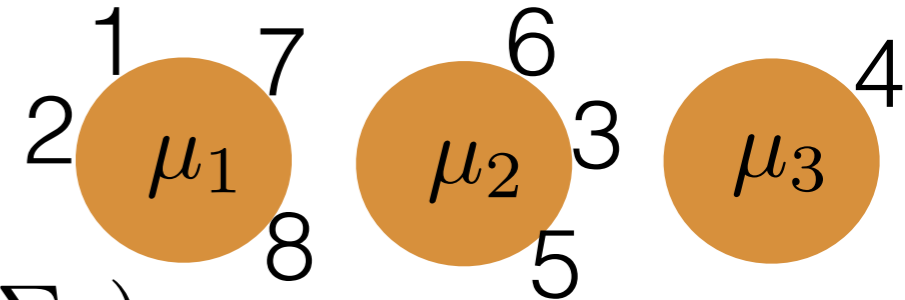


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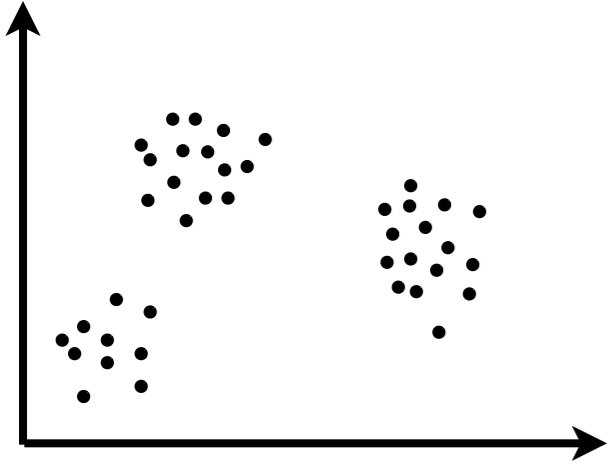
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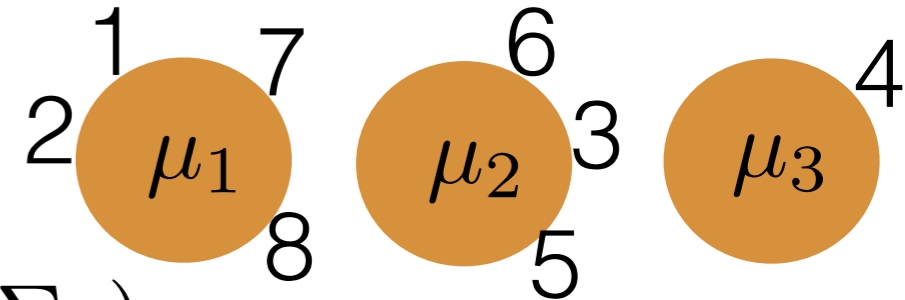


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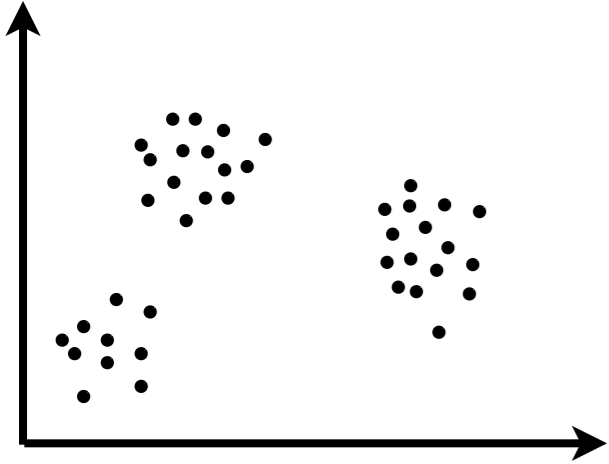
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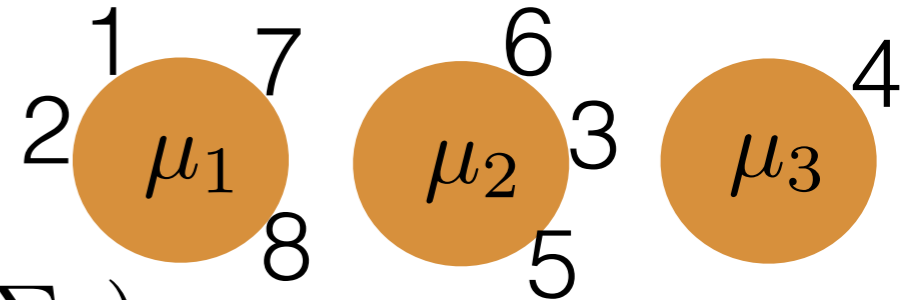


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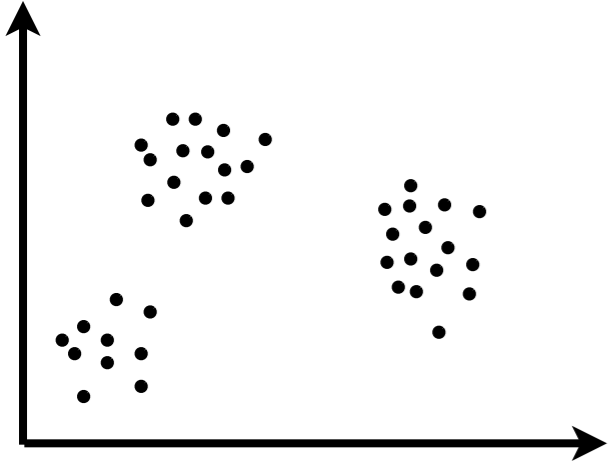
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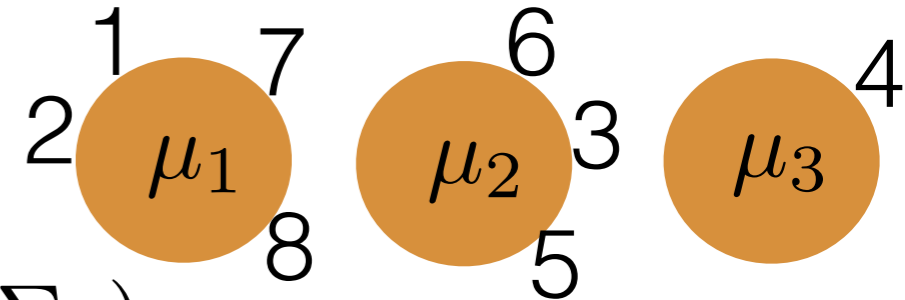


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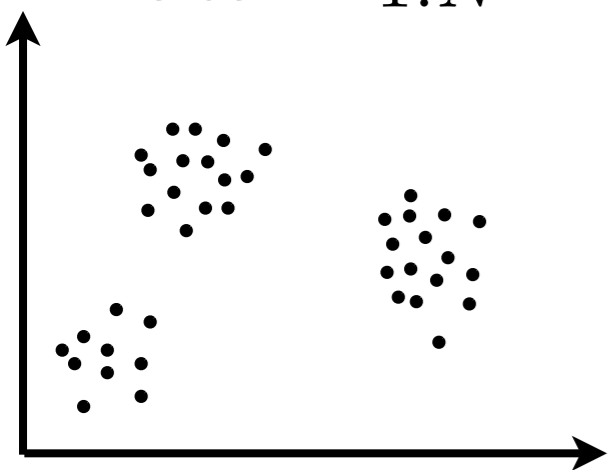
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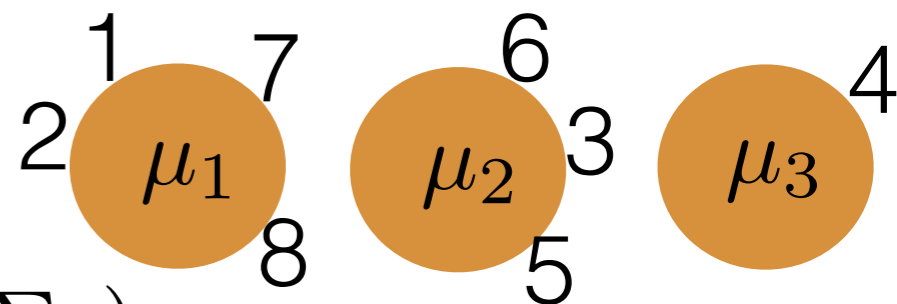


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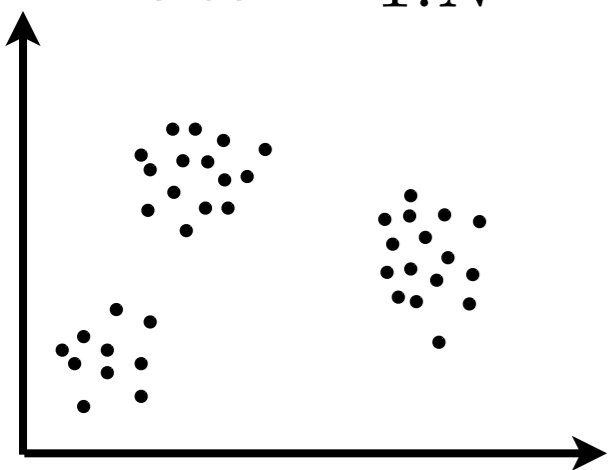
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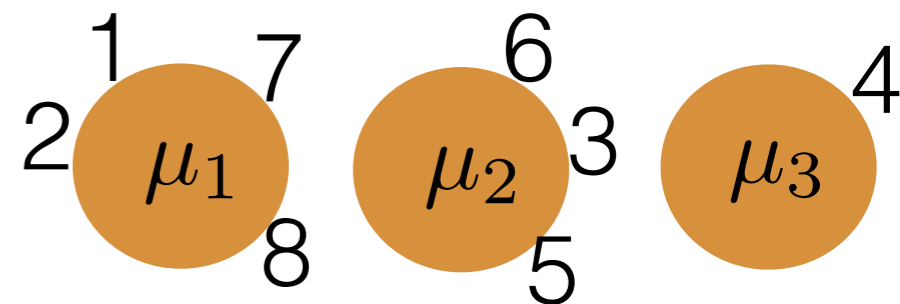


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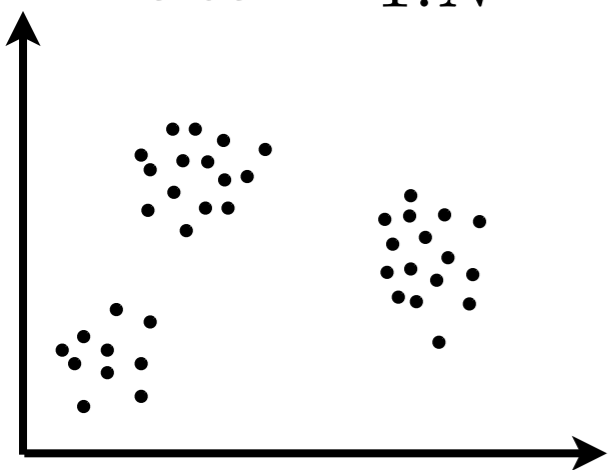
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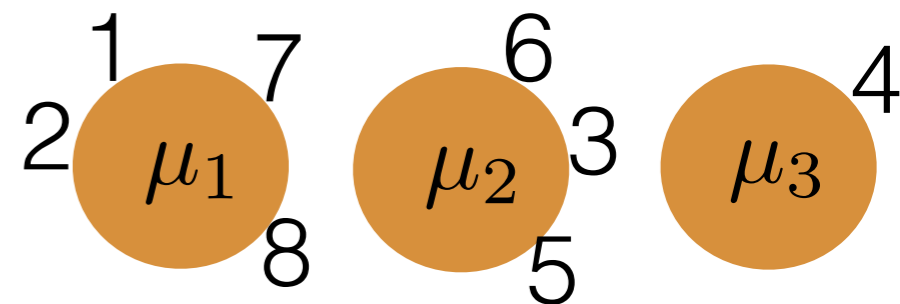


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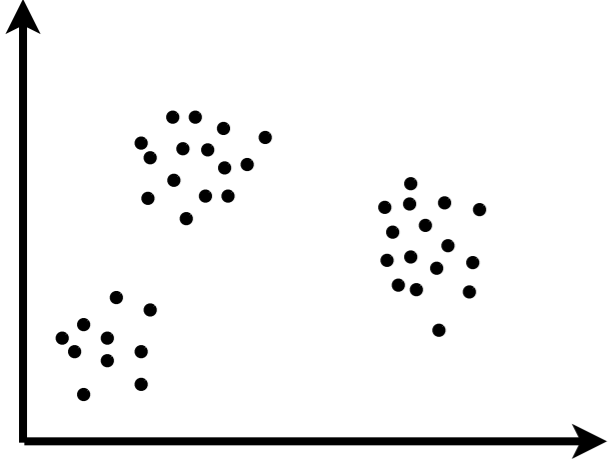
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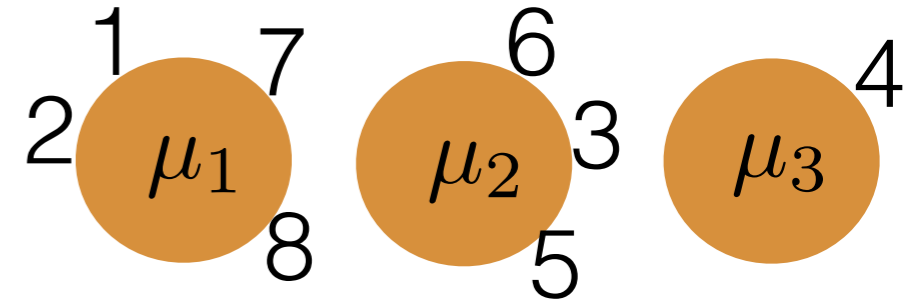


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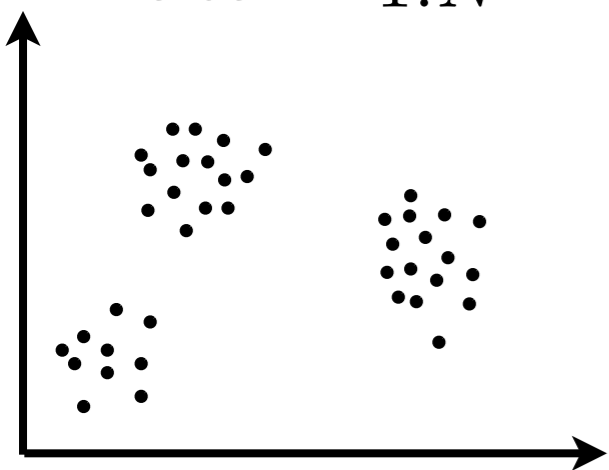
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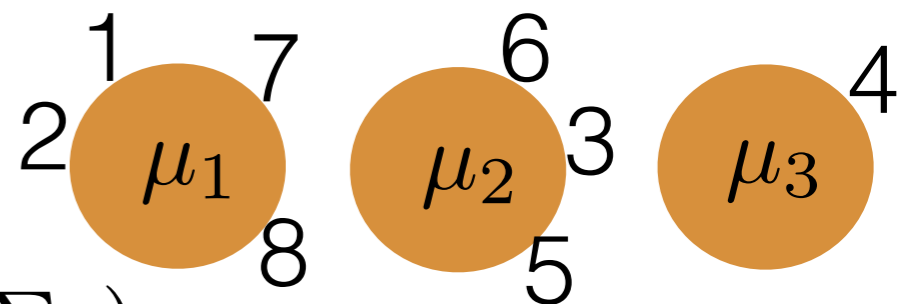


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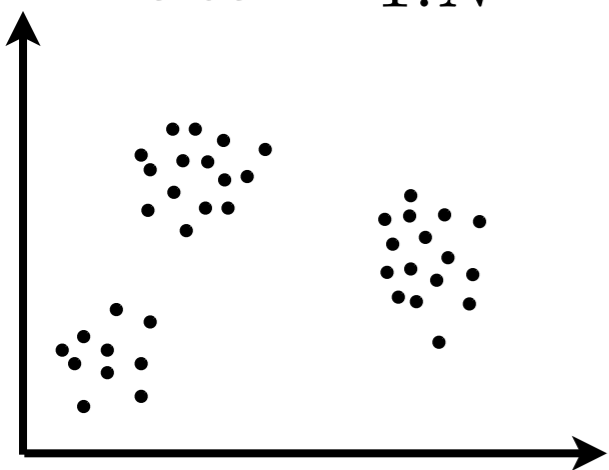
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CRP mixture model: inference

- Data $x_{1:N}$

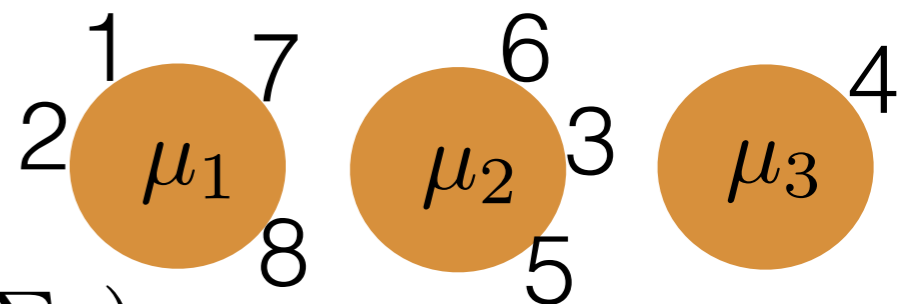


- Generative model

$$\Pi_N \sim \text{CRP}(N, \alpha)$$

$$\forall C \in \Pi_N, \mu_C \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \mathcal{N}(\mu_0, \Sigma_0)$$

$$\forall C \in \Pi_N, \forall n \in C, x_n \stackrel{indep}{\sim} \mathcal{N}(\mu_C, \Sigma)$$



- Want: posterior $p(\Pi_N | x_{1:N})$

- Gibbs sampler:

$$p(\Pi_N | \Pi_{N,-n}, x) \propto \begin{cases} \frac{\#C}{\alpha + N - 1} p(x_{C \cup \{n\}} | x_C) & \text{if } n \text{ joins cluster } C \\ \frac{\alpha}{\alpha + N - 1} p(x_{\{n\}}) & \text{if } n \text{ starts a new cluster} \end{cases}$$

- For completeness: $p(x_{C \cup \{n\}} | x_C) = \mathcal{N}(\tilde{m}, \tilde{\Sigma} + \Sigma)$

$$\tilde{\Sigma}^{-1} := \Sigma_0^{-1} + (\#C)\Sigma^{-1}$$

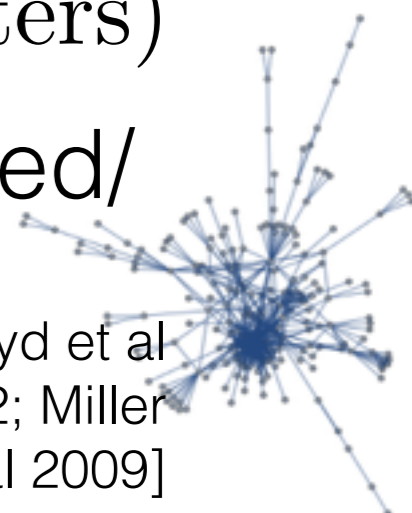
$$\tilde{m} := \tilde{\Sigma} \left(\Sigma^{-1} \sum_{m \in C} x_m + \Sigma_0^{-1} \mu_0 \right) \quad [\text{demo}]$$

Nonparametric Bayes

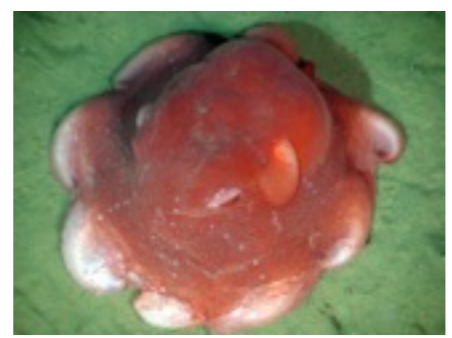
- Bayesian methods that are not parametric
- Bayesian

$$\mathbb{P}(\text{parameters}|\text{data}) \propto \mathbb{P}(\text{data}|\text{parameters})\mathbb{P}(\text{parameters})$$

- Not parametric (i.e. not finite parameter, unbounded/growing/infinite number of parameters)



[Lloyd et al 2012; Miller et al 2009]



[Ed Bowlby, NOAA]

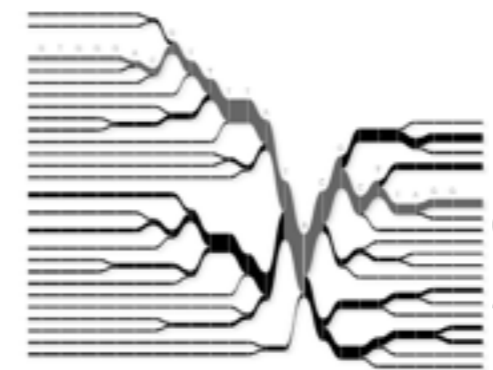
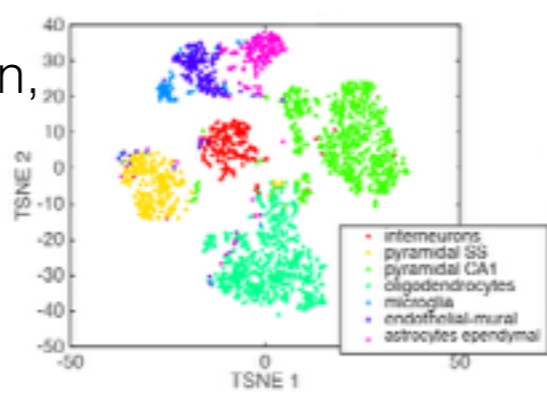


[Fox et al 2014]



[Lan et al 2015]

[Prabhakaran, Azizi, Carr, Pe'er 2016]



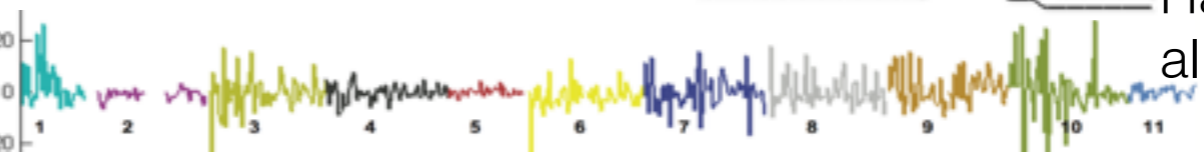
[Ewens 1972; Hartl, Clark 2003; Harris et al 2017]



[Xu et al 2015]



[Saria et al 2010]



[Cassidy et al 2015]

Roadmap

[slides, code:
www.tamarabroderick.com/tutorials.html]

- Example problem: clustering
- Example NPBayes model: Dirichlet process
- Chinese restaurant process
- Inference
- Venture further into the wild world of Nonparametric Bayes
- Big questions
 - Why NPBayes? Learn more as acquire more data
 - What does an infinite/growing number of parameters really mean (in NPBayes)? Components vs. clusters; latent vs. realized
 - Why is NPBayes challenging but practical? Infinite dimensional parameter, but finitely many parameters realized

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