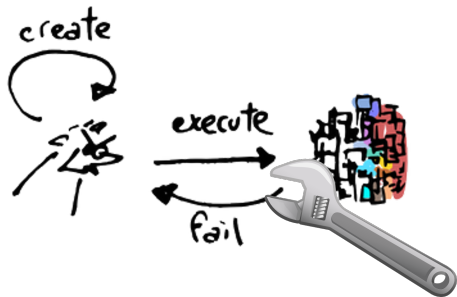


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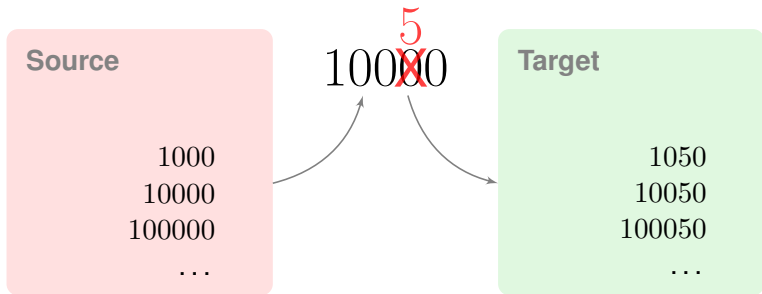
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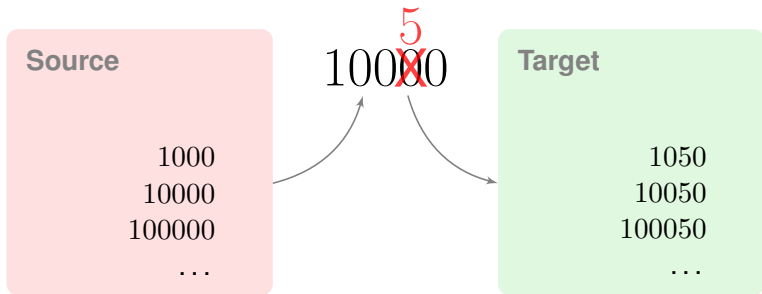
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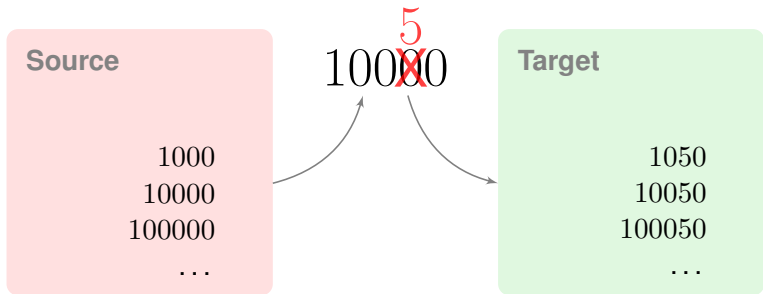
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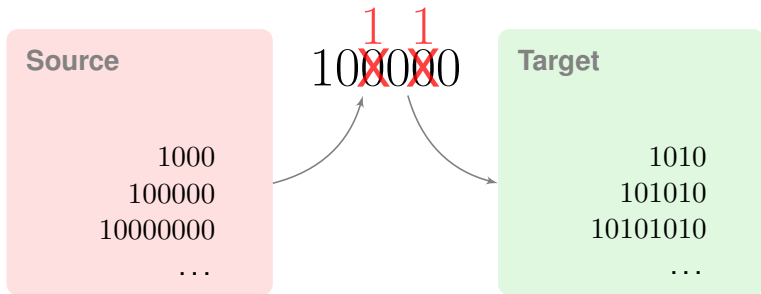
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- 1) characterization
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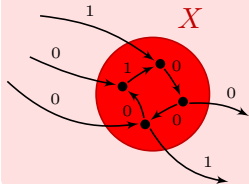
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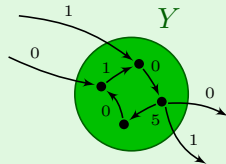
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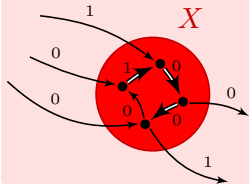


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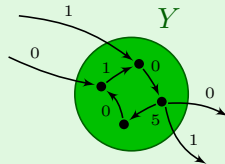


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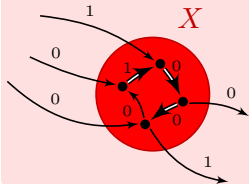


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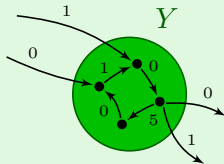


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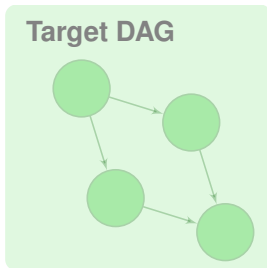
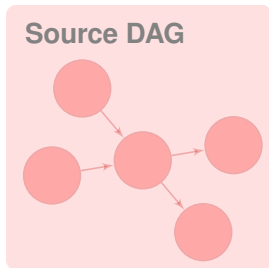
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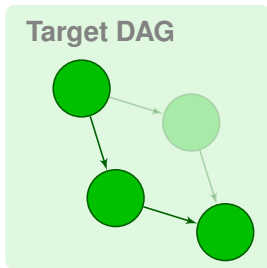
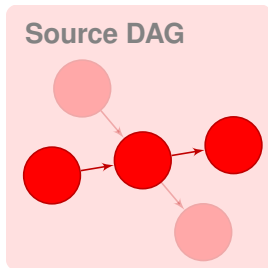


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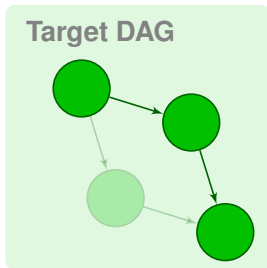
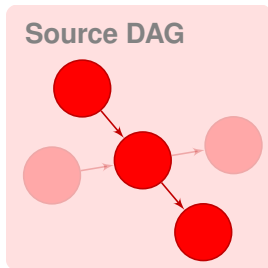
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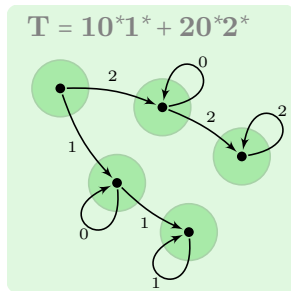
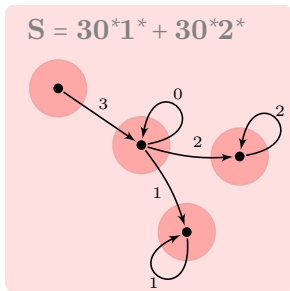
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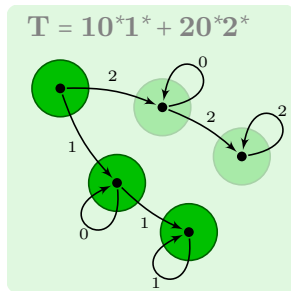
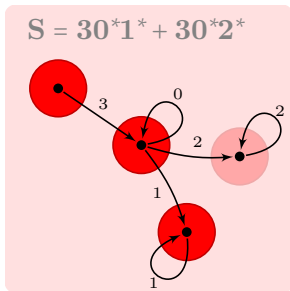
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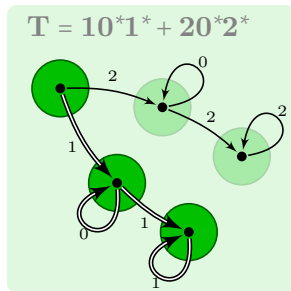
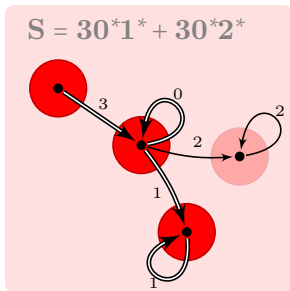
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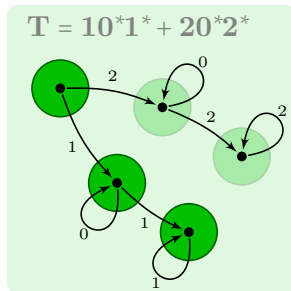
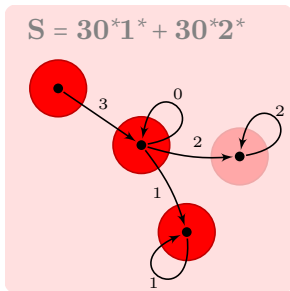
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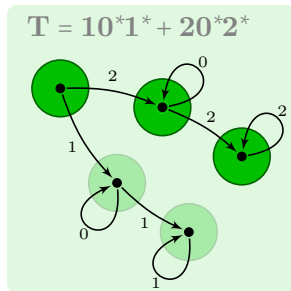
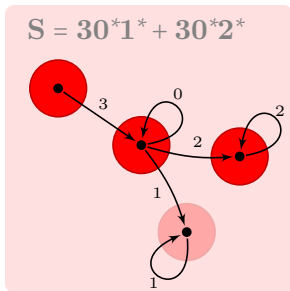
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Part B. New tools for a more general setting...

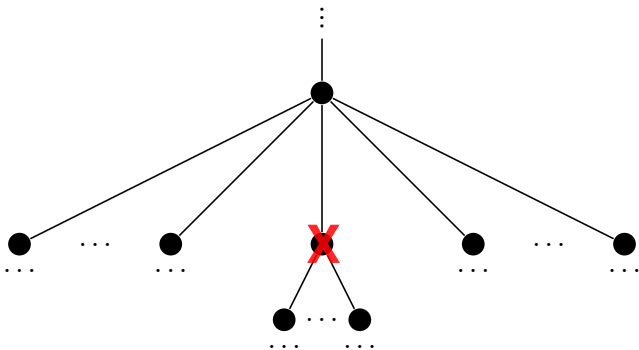
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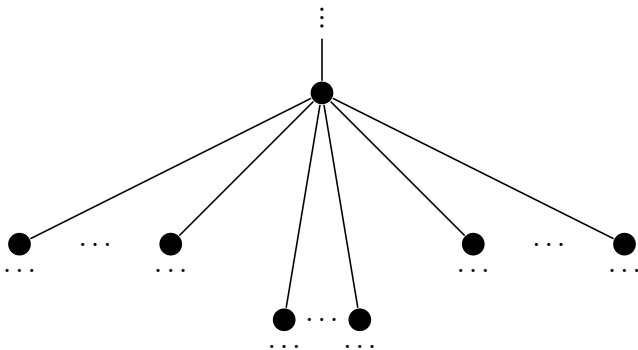
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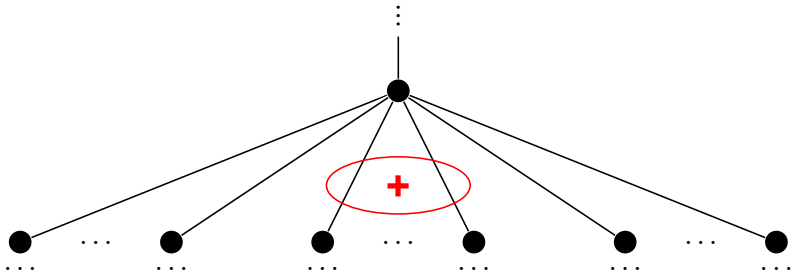
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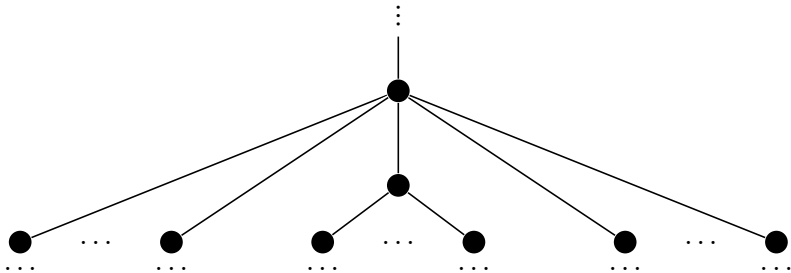
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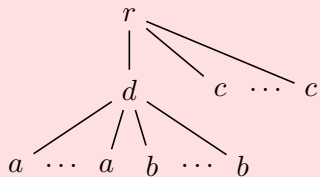


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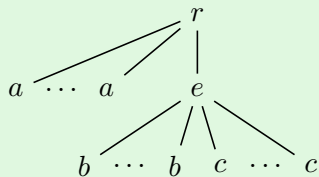


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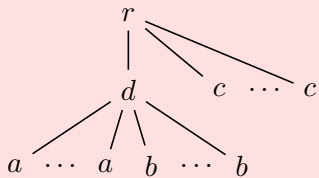


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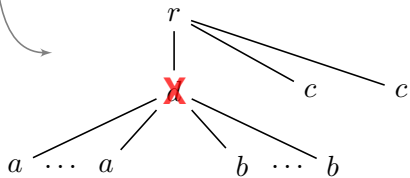
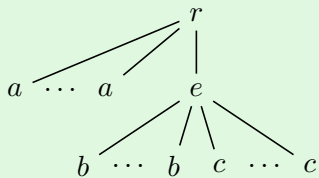


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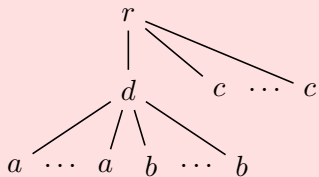


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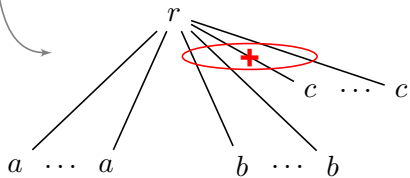
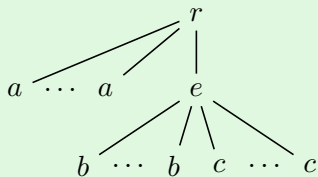


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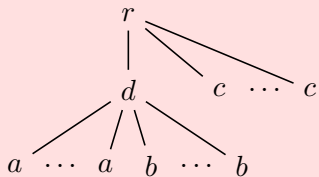


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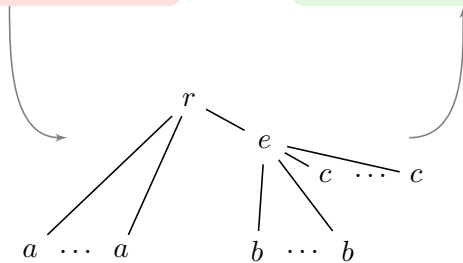
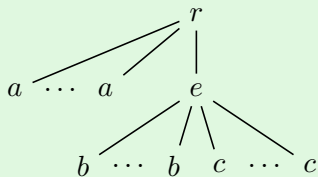


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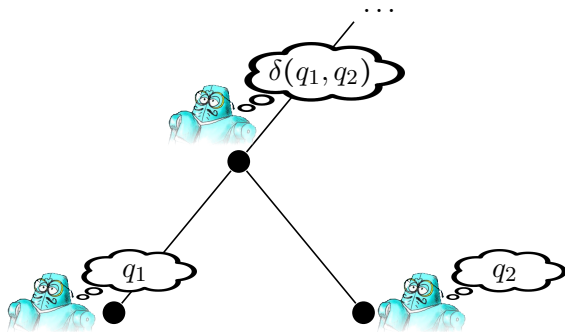
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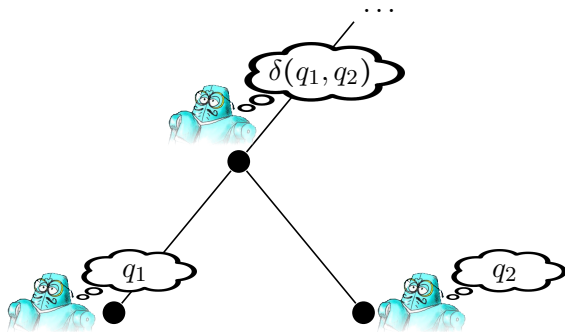


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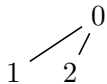
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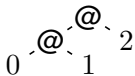
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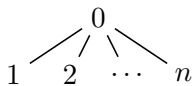
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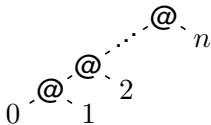
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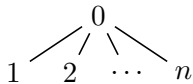
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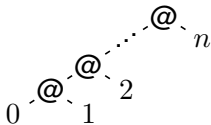
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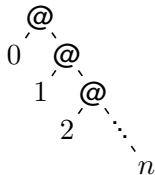
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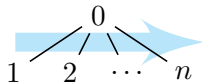
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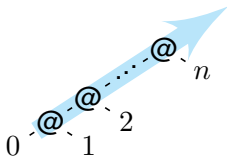
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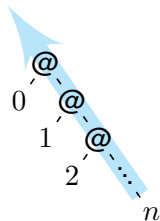
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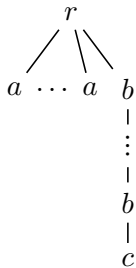


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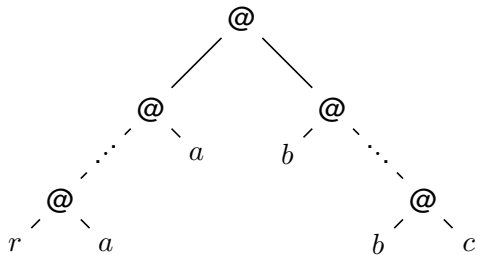


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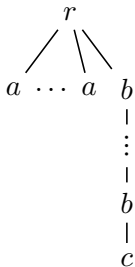
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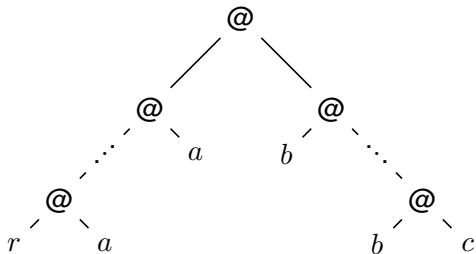
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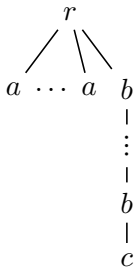
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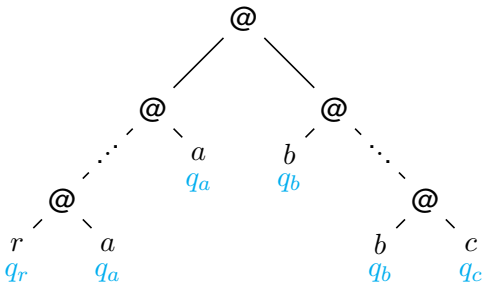
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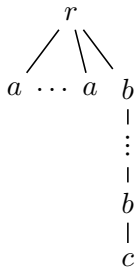
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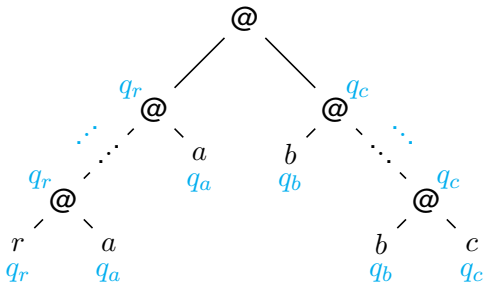
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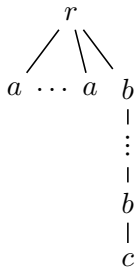
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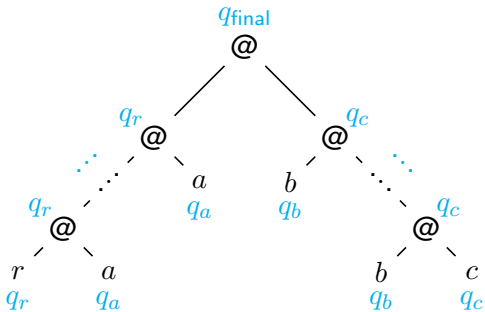
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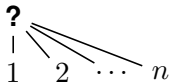
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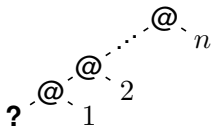
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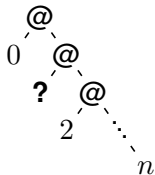
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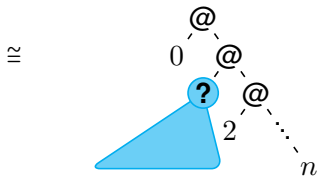
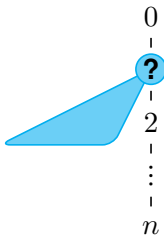
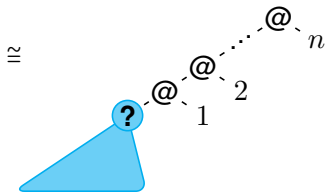
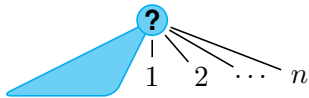
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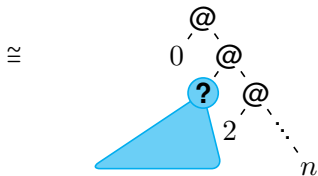
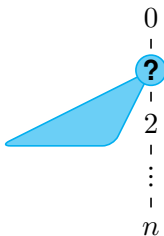
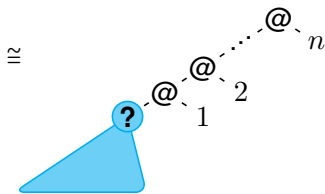
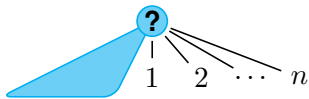
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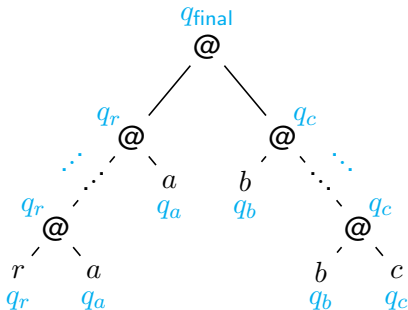
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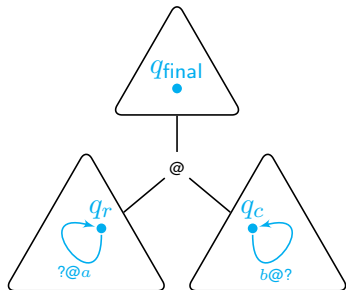
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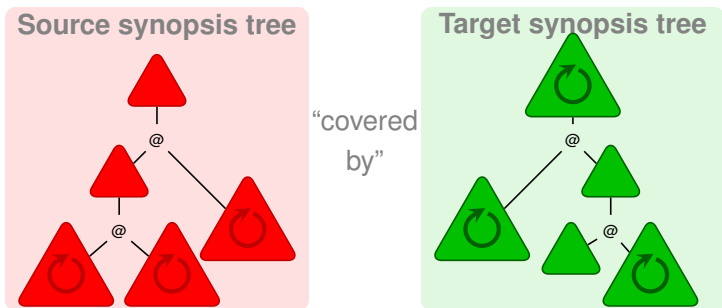


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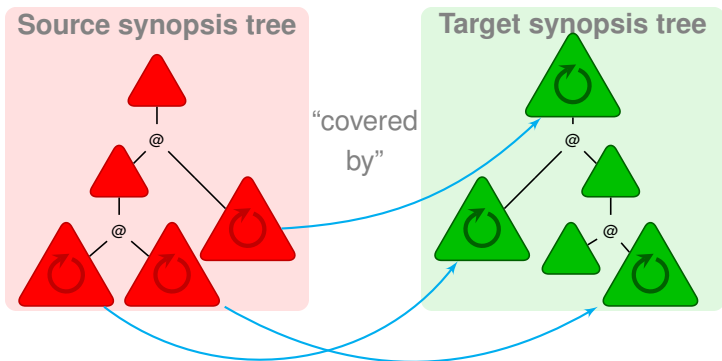
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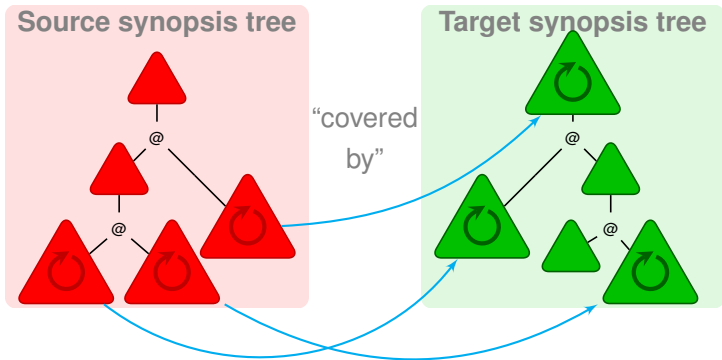
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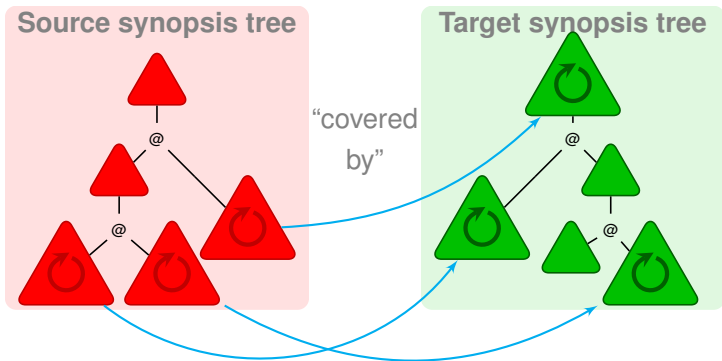
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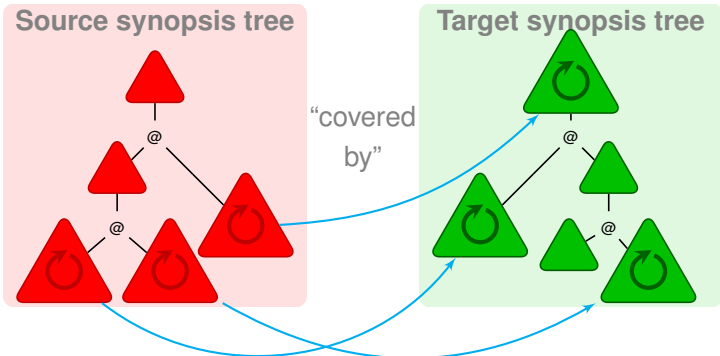
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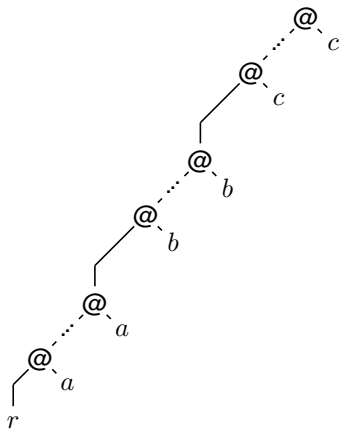
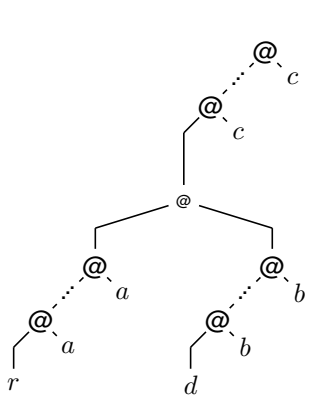
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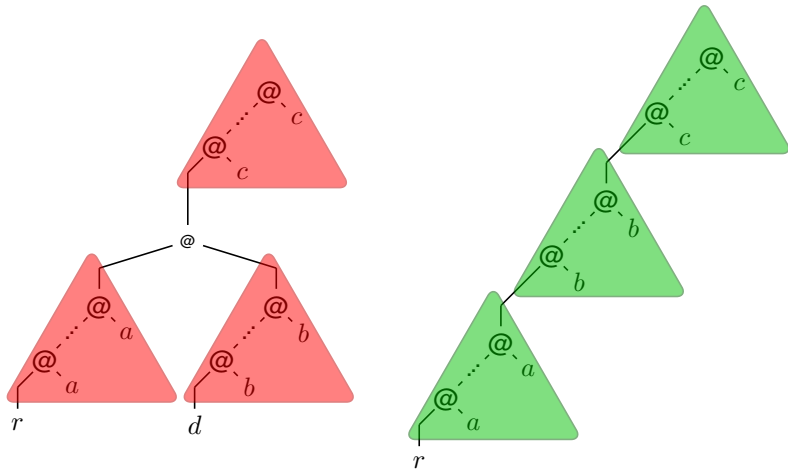
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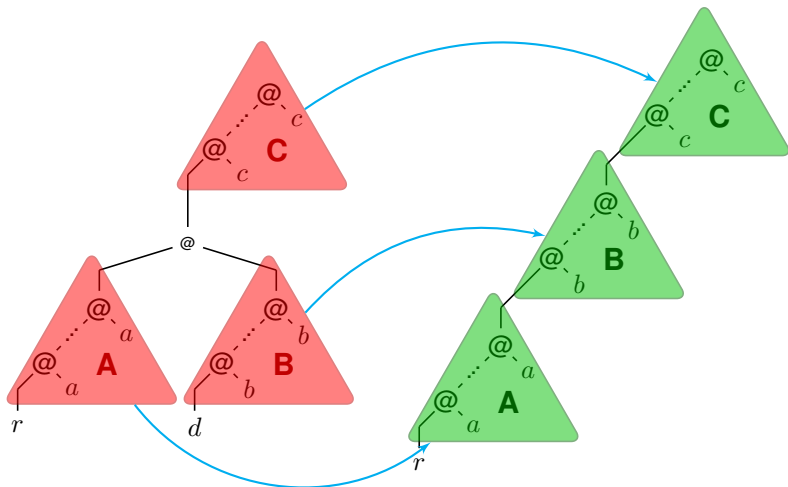
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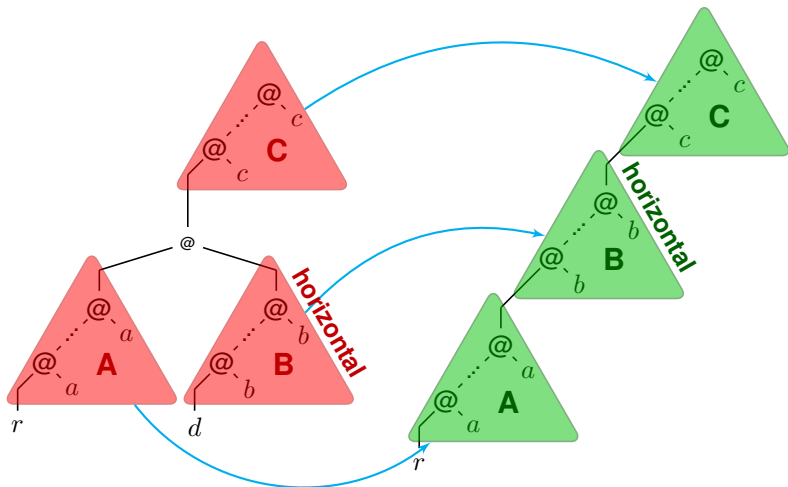
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