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Metrical trees

music comparison, classification and composition

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Trees
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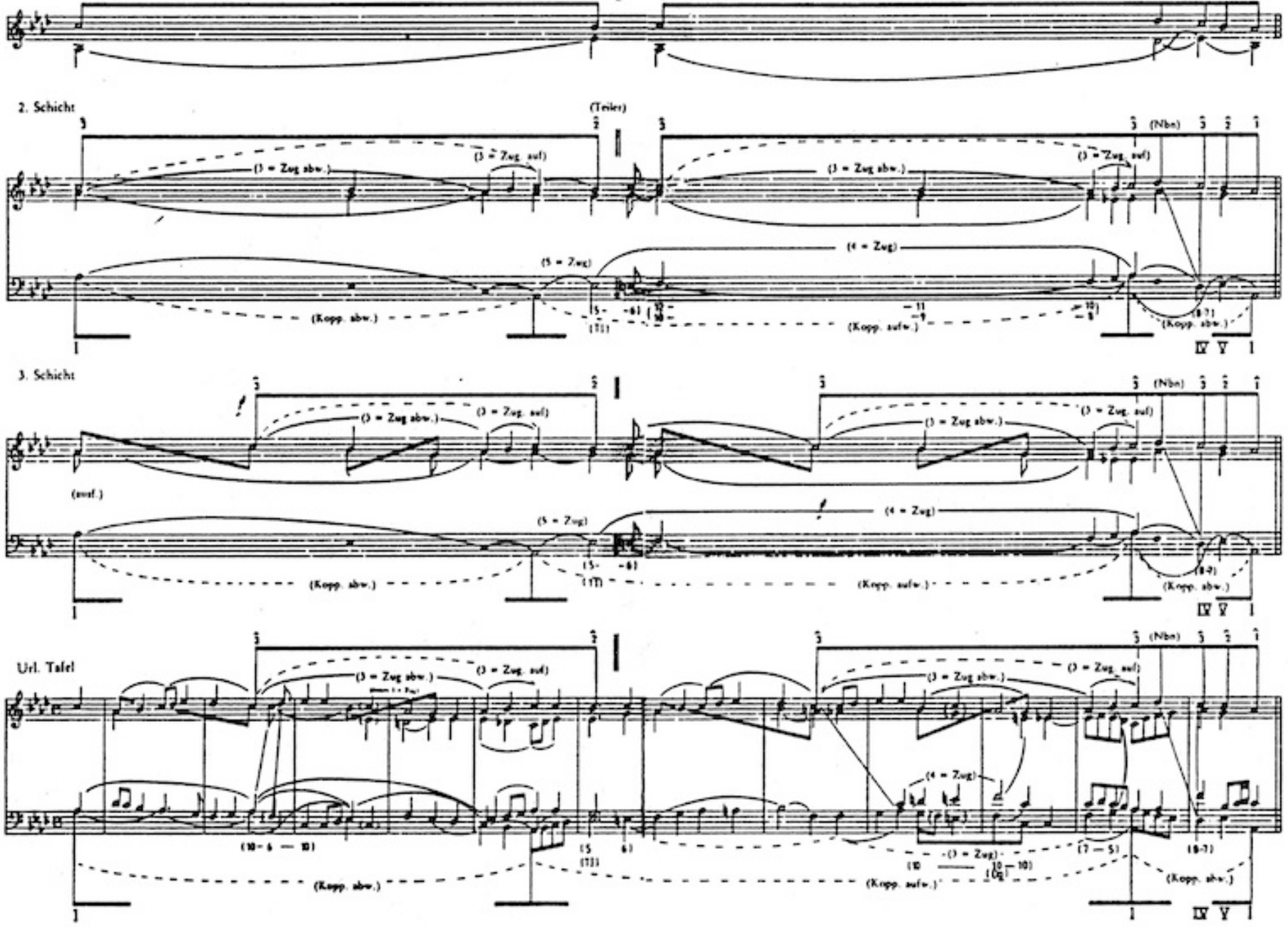
Newton Tree

Trees & Music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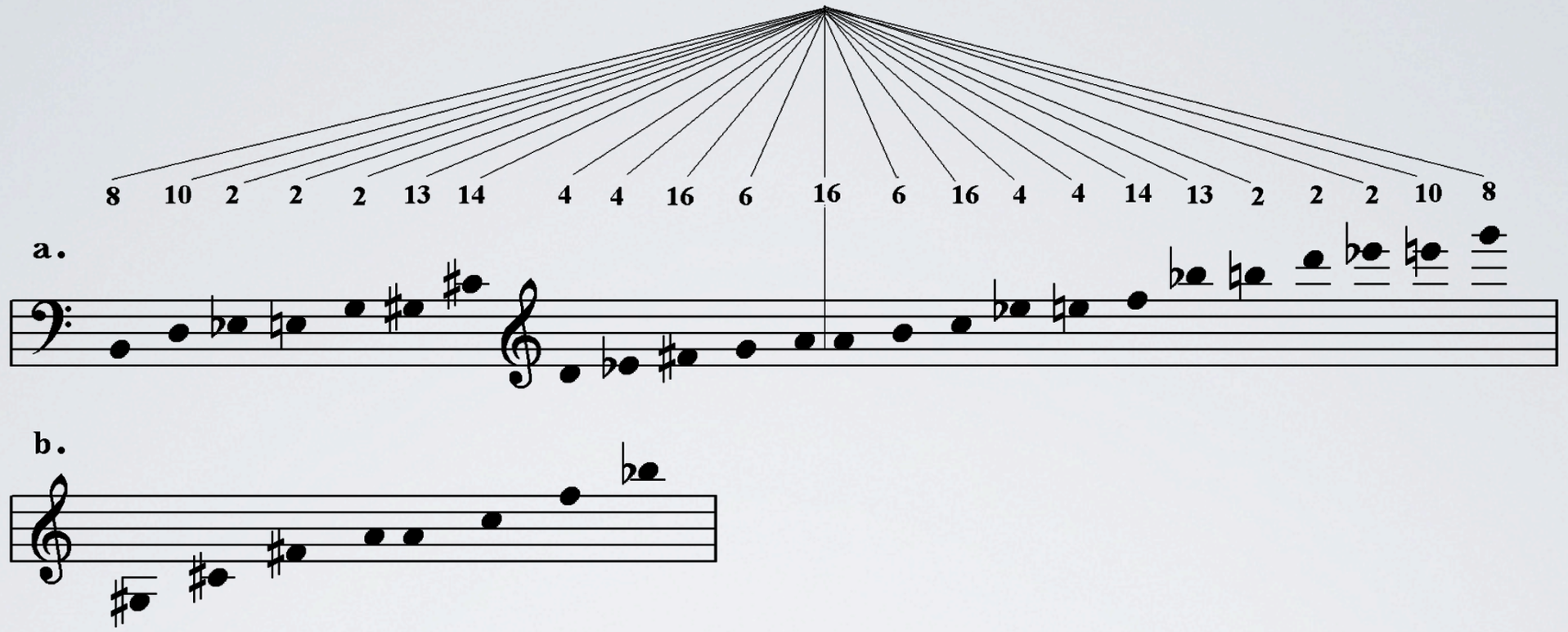

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TREE
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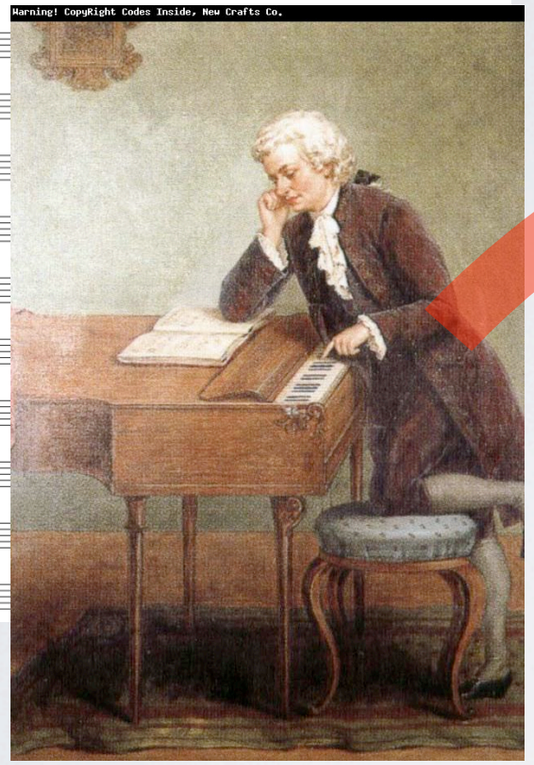

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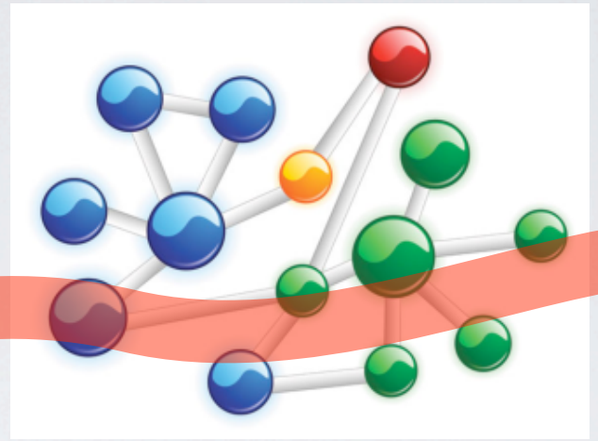

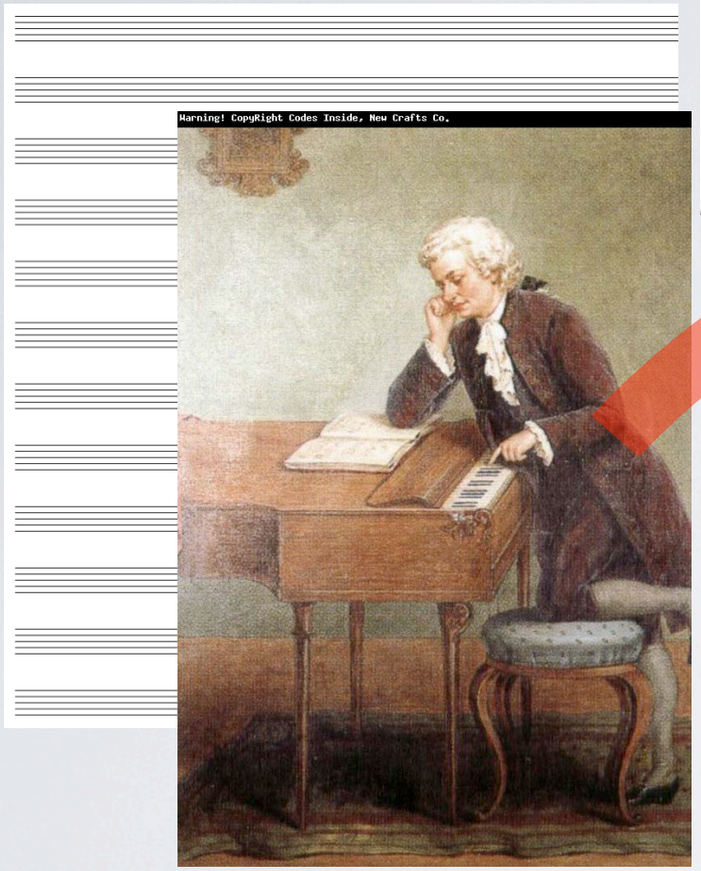

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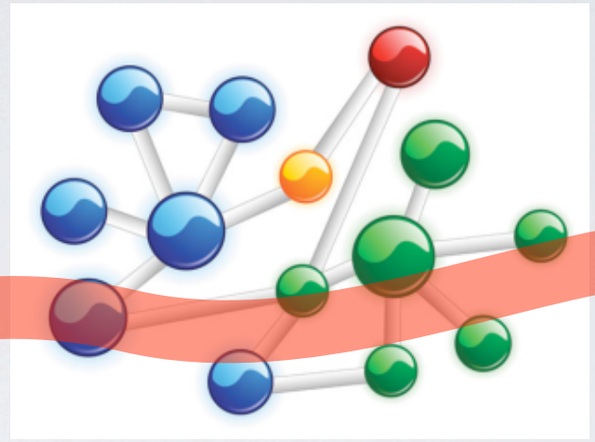

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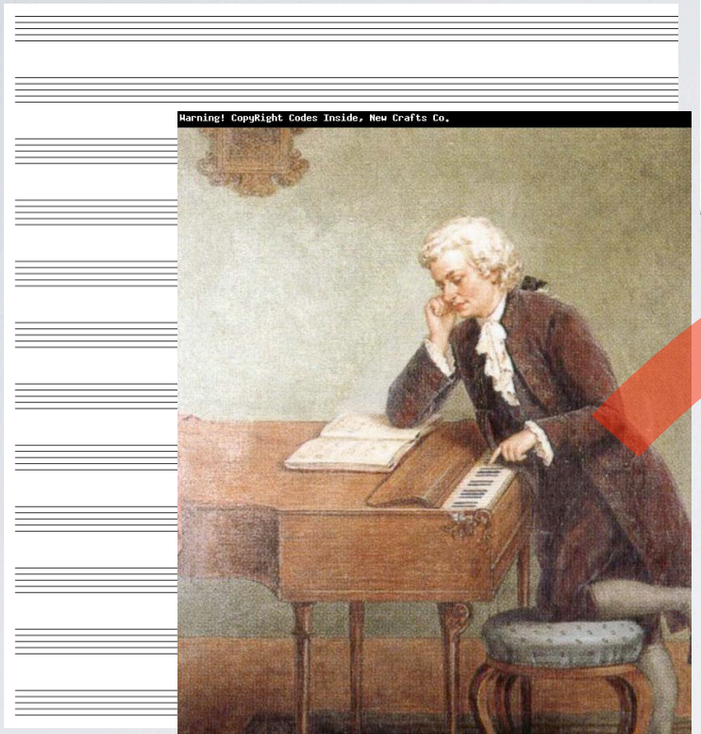

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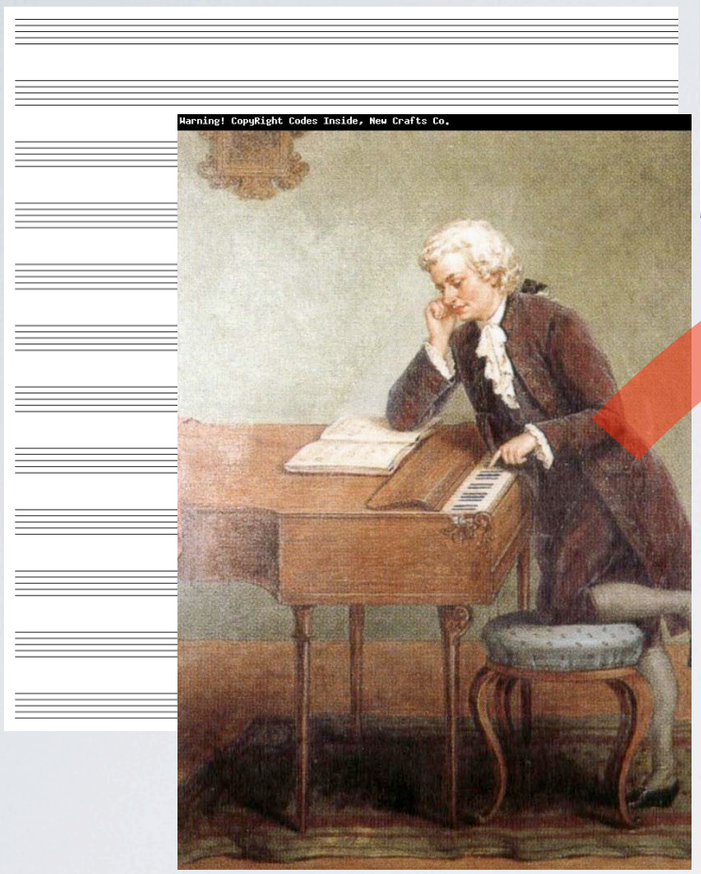

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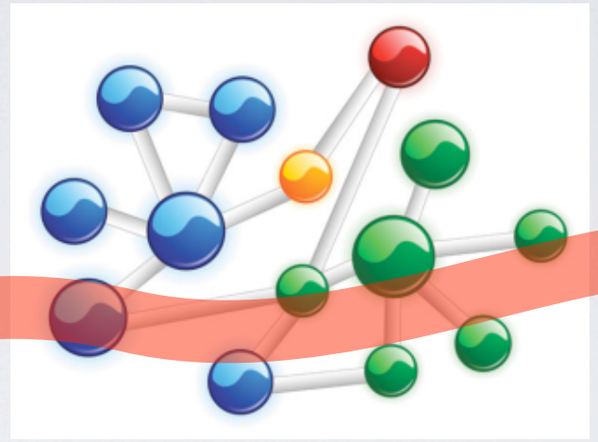

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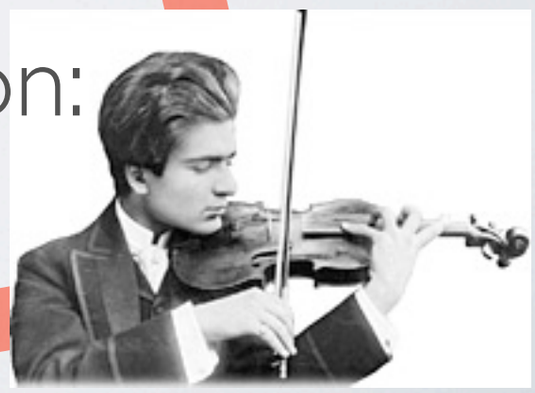

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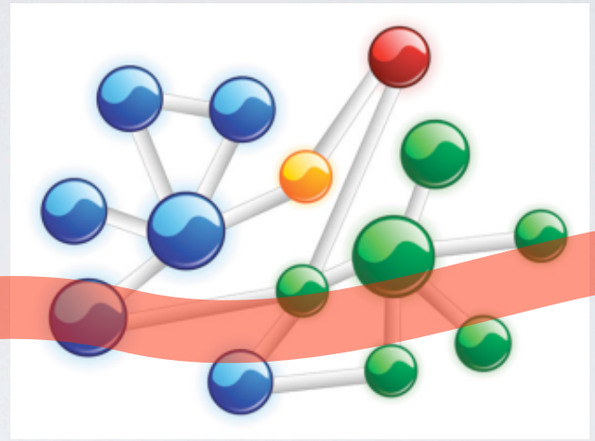

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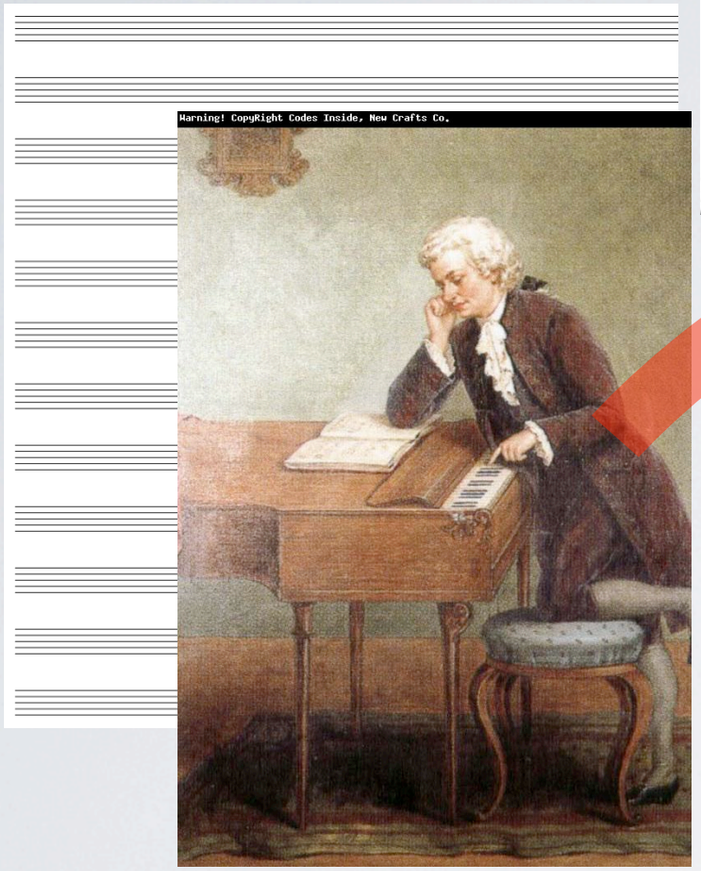

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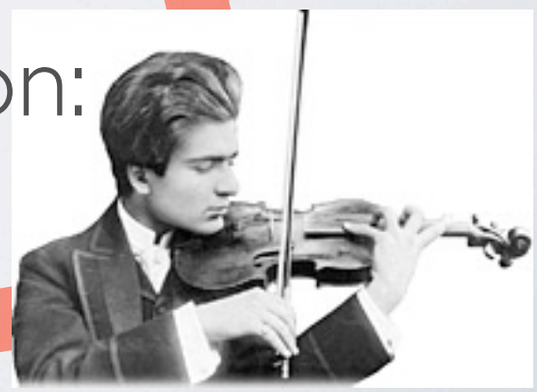

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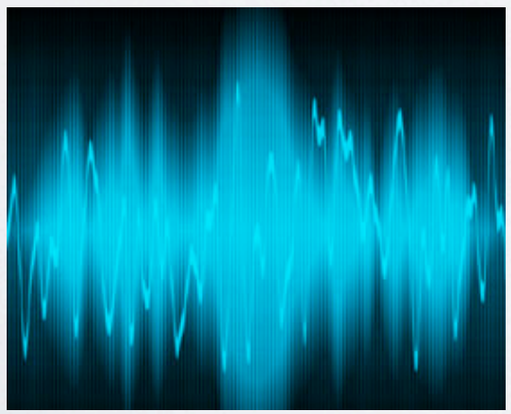

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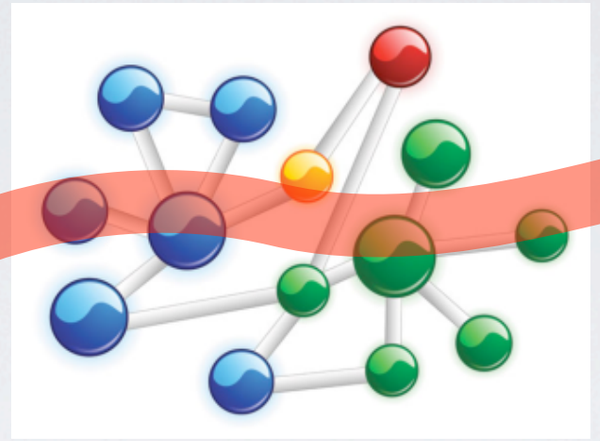

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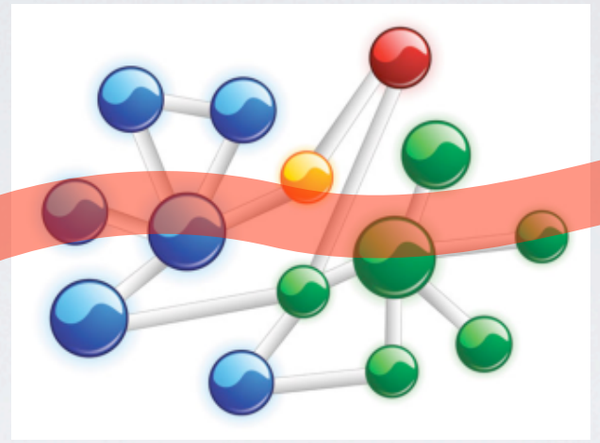

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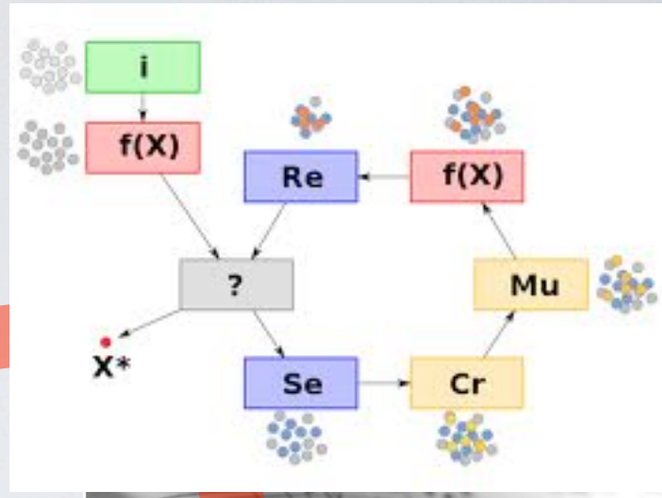

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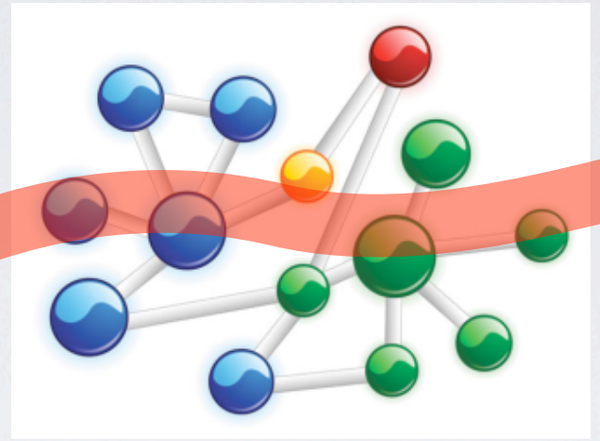

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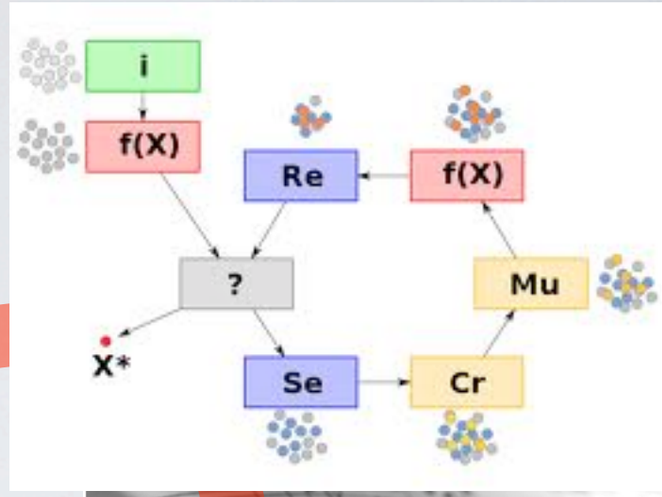

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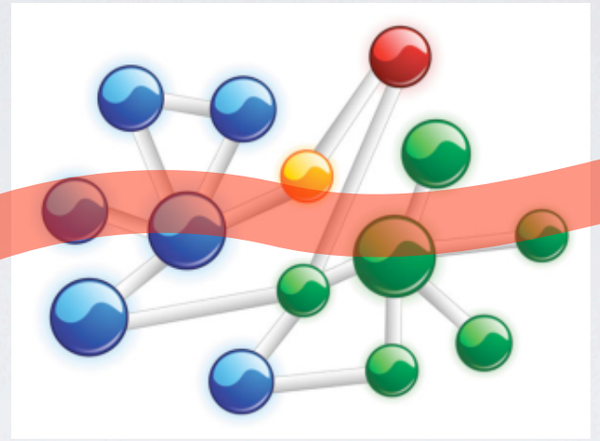

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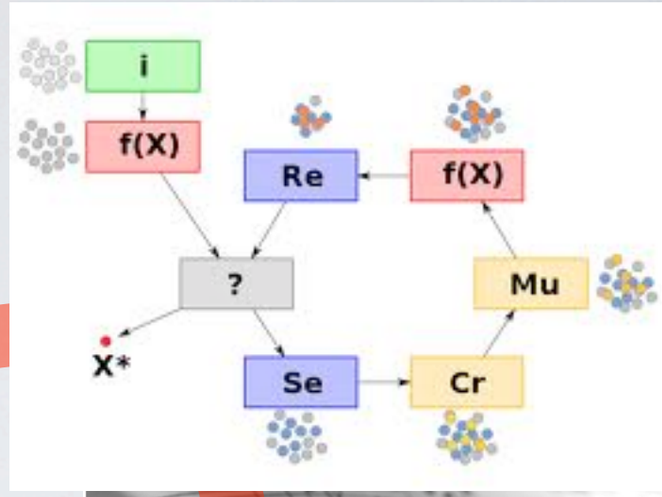

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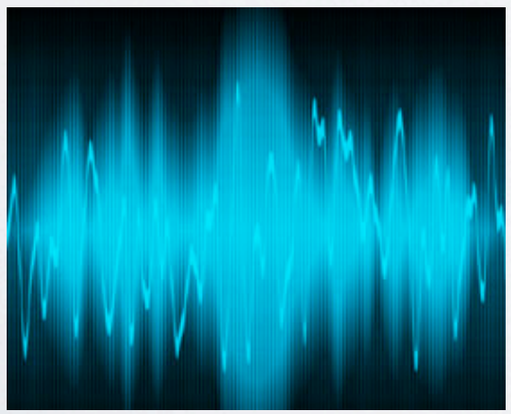

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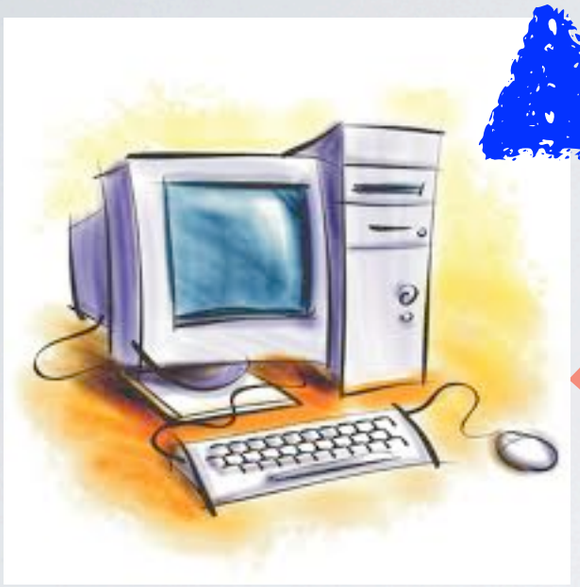

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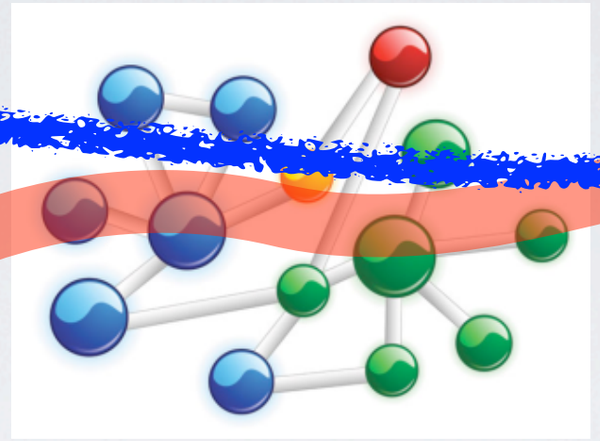

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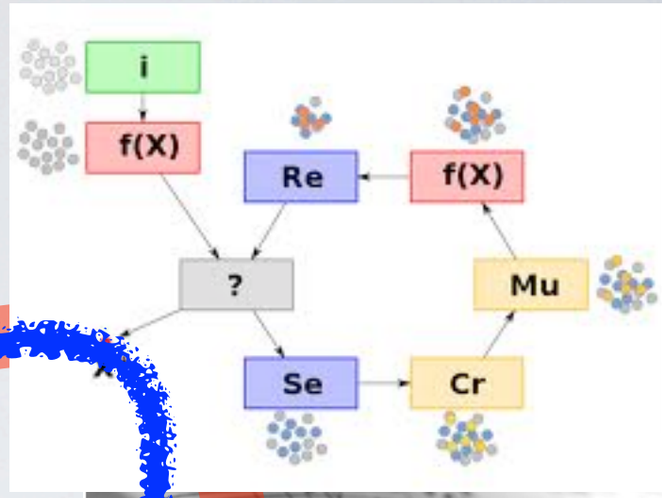

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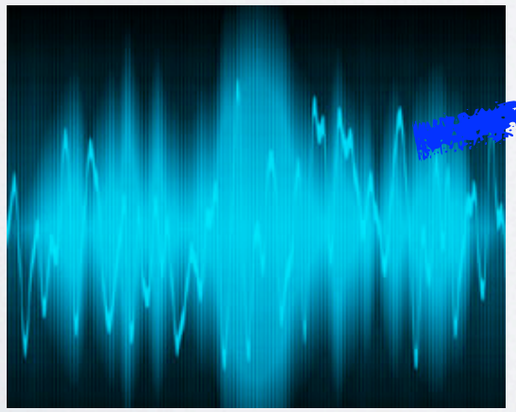

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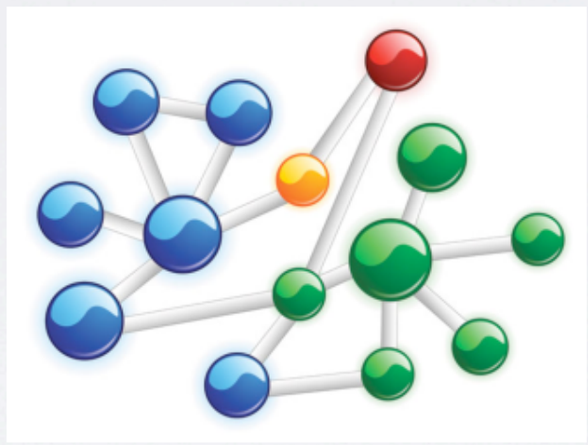

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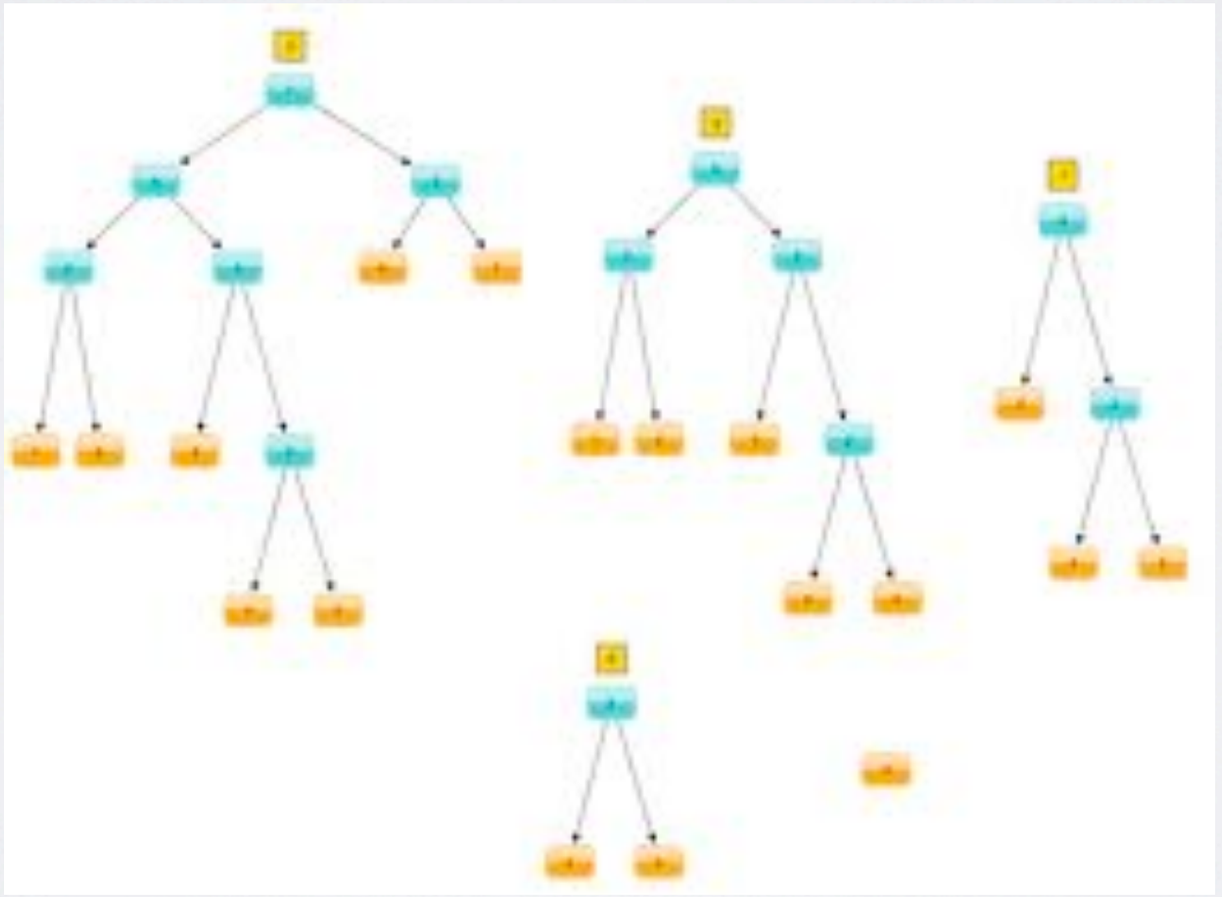

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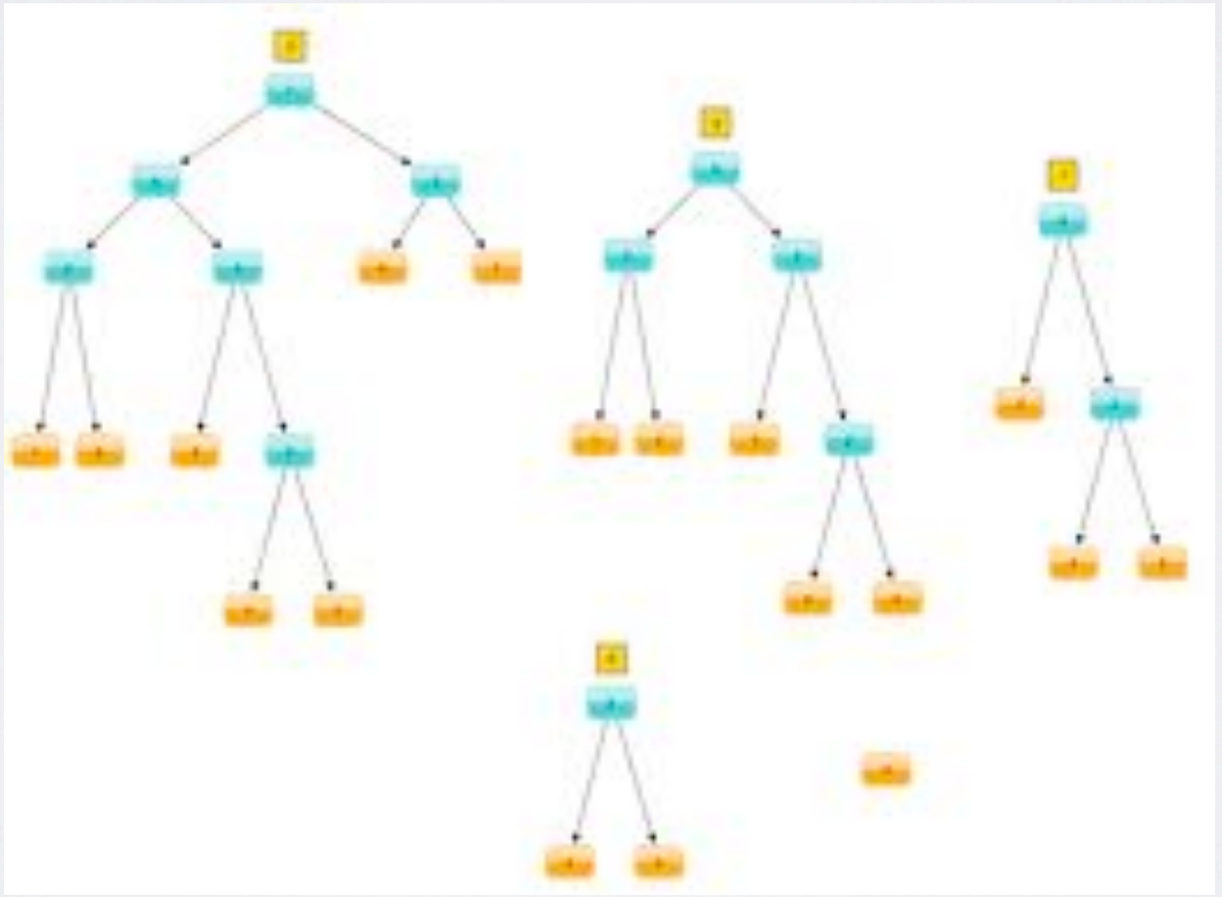

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SYMBOLIC REPRESENTATIONS

- **Strings**
- **n-grams**
- Graphs
- Point sets
- Geometric
- Hidden Markov Models
- Spiral arrays, etc....
- **Trees**

ABSTRACT DATA TYPE **TREE**

- **Suitable intermediate representation** for:
  - **music information retrieval** (MIR)
  - **composing**

OVERVIEW

- Background
  - Intermediate representations
- The origin: strings
- Previous uses of trees in computer music

- Our tree approach
  - metric tree construction
    - probabilistic k-testables
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  - classification and generation
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String = sequence of symbols

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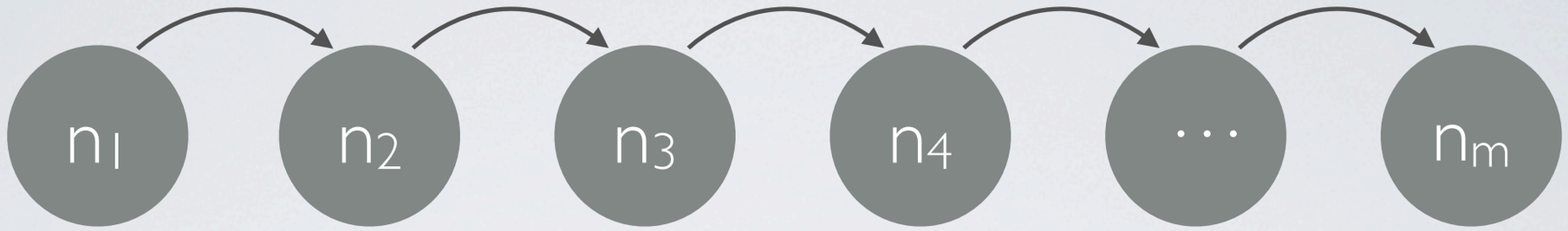

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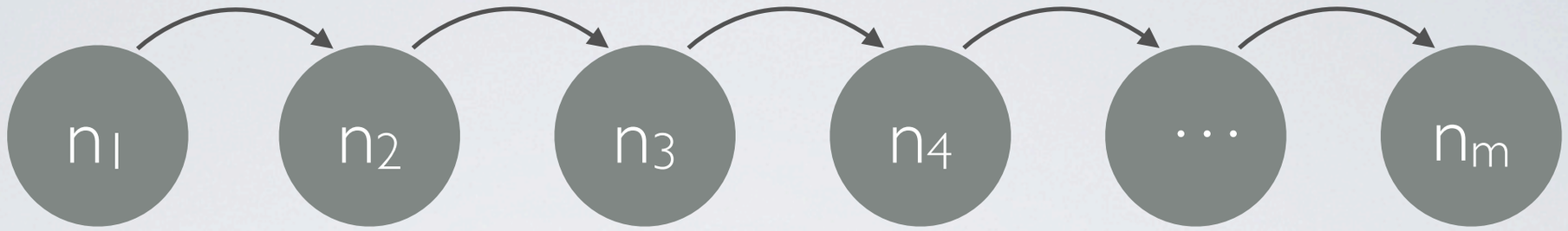

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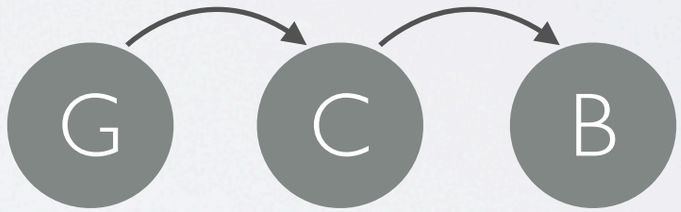

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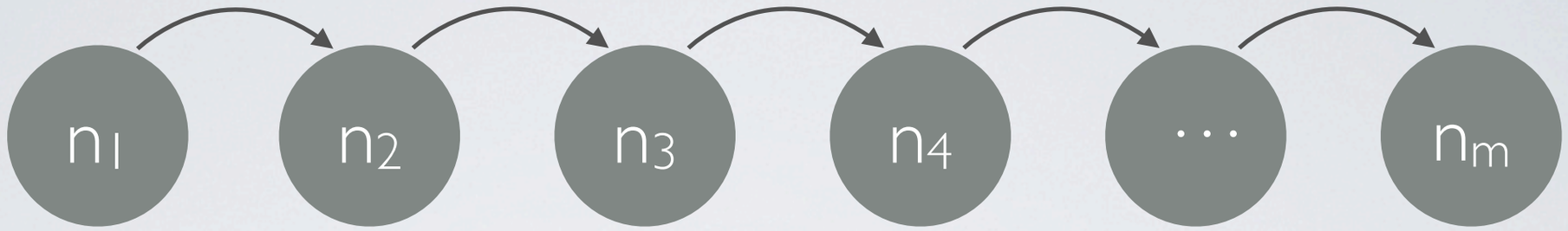

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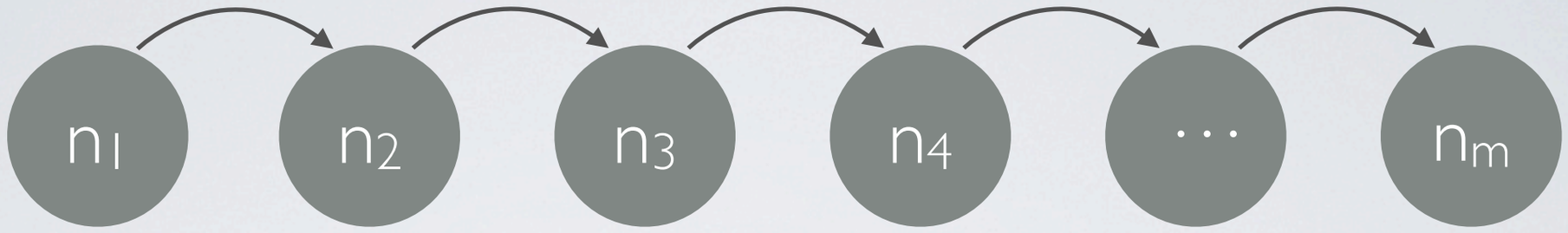

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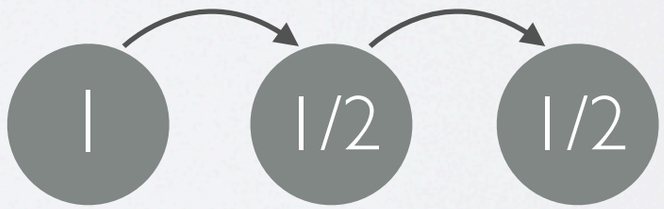

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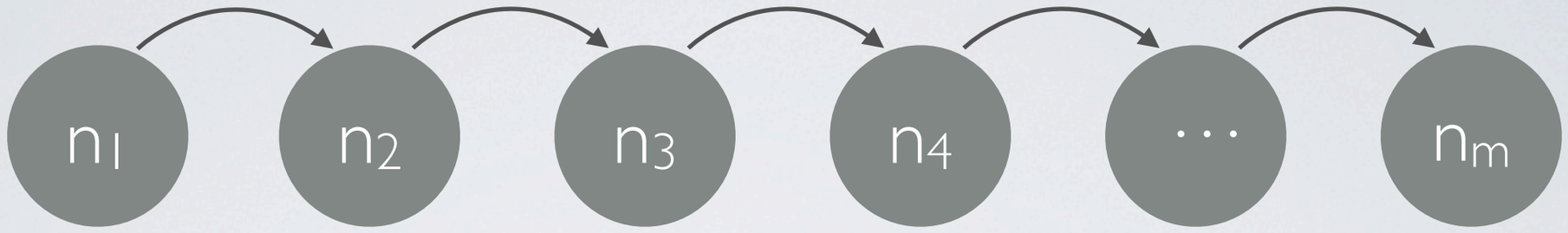

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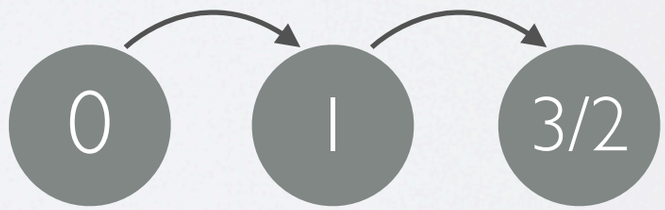

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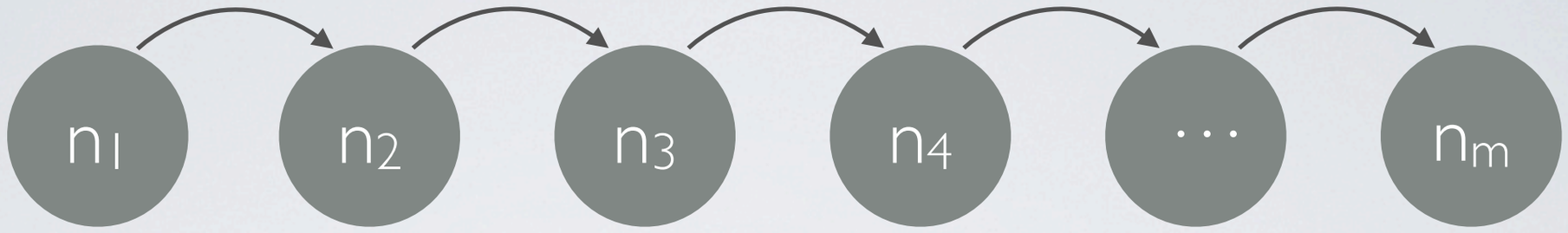

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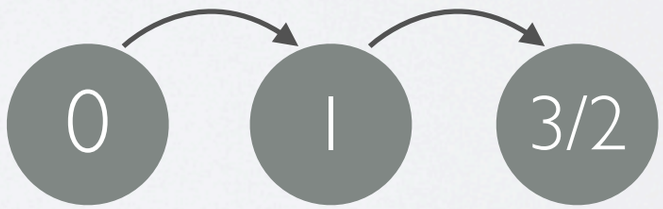

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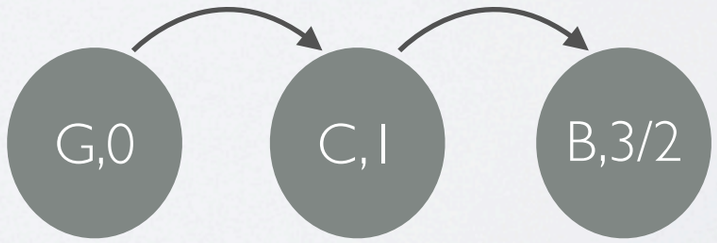

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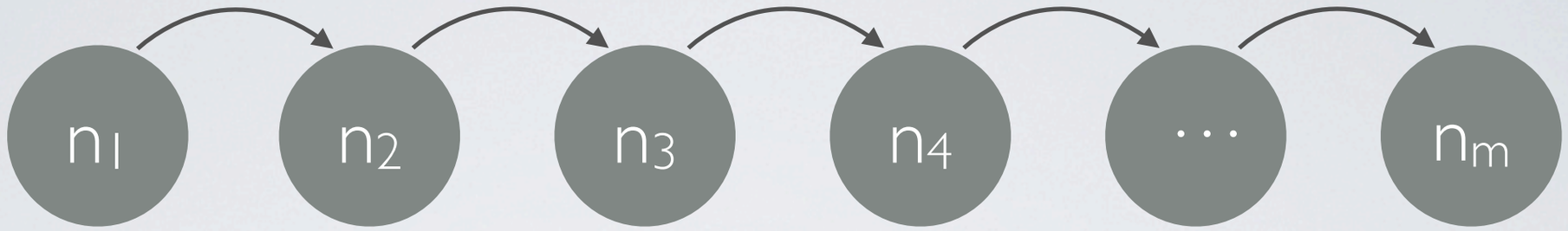

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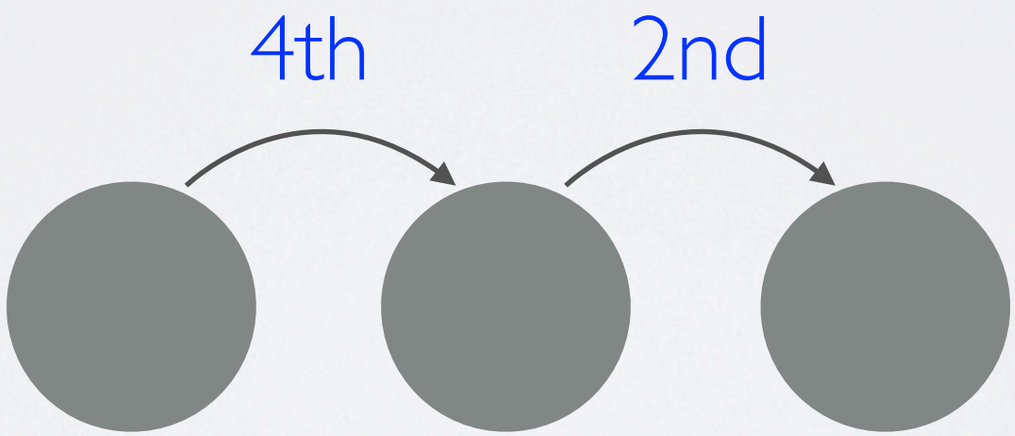

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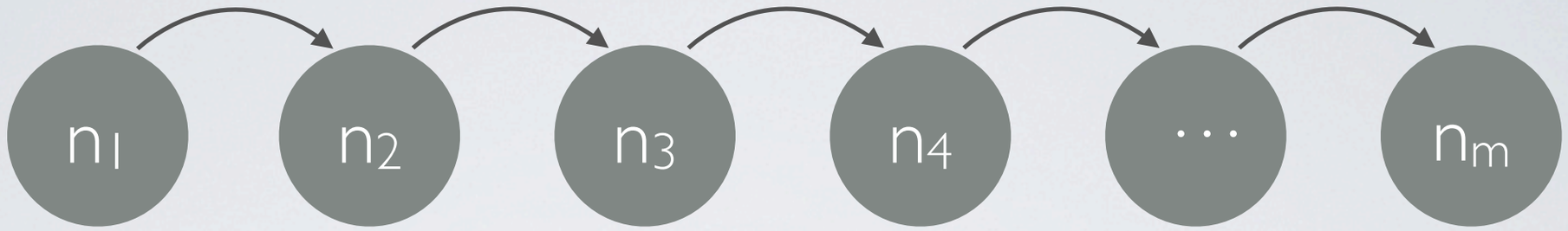

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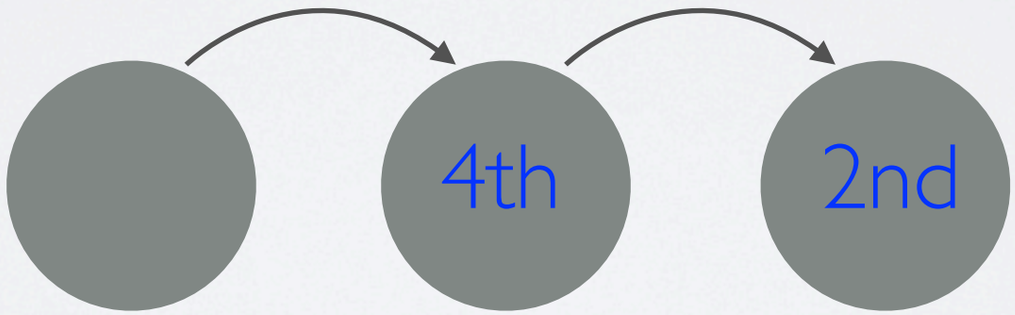

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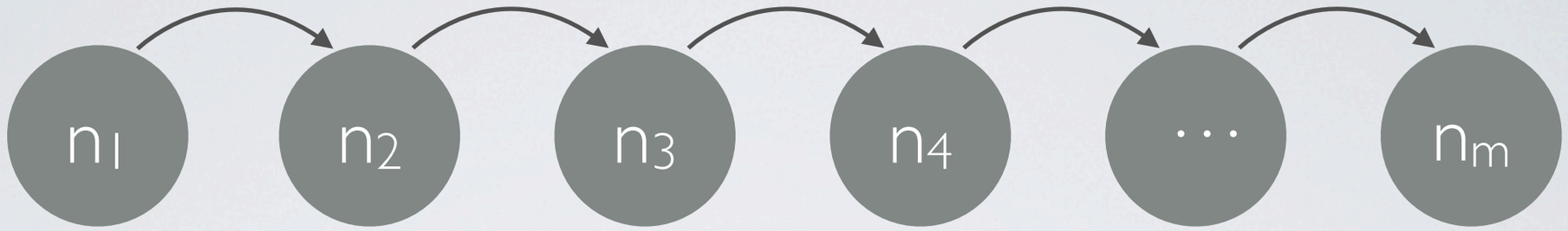

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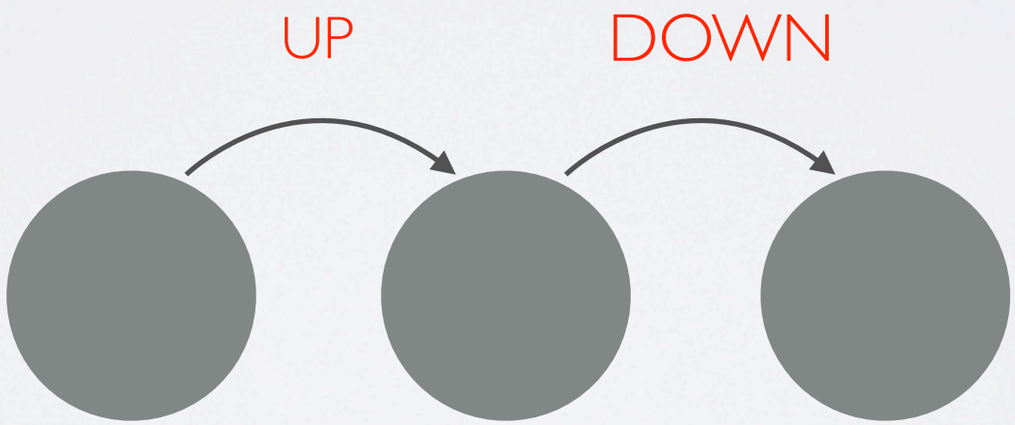

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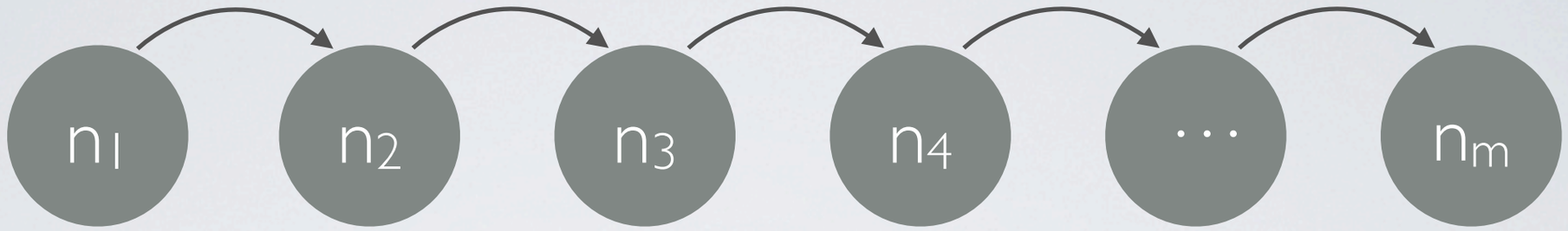

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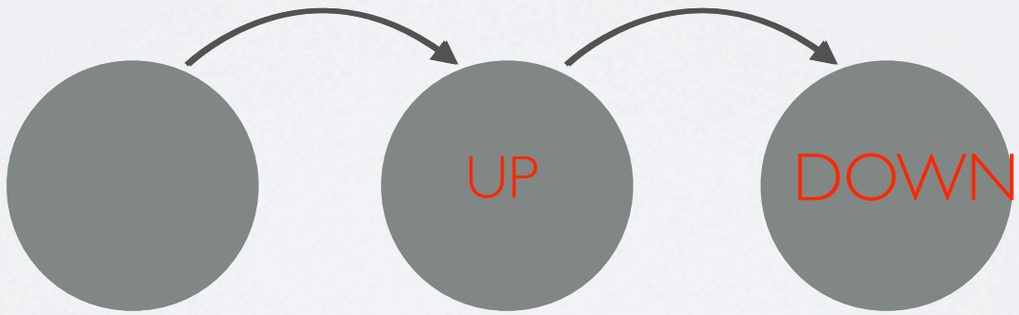

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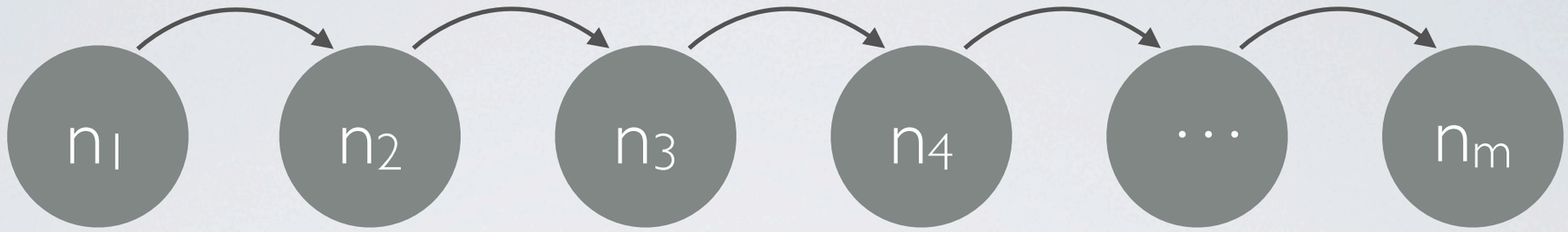

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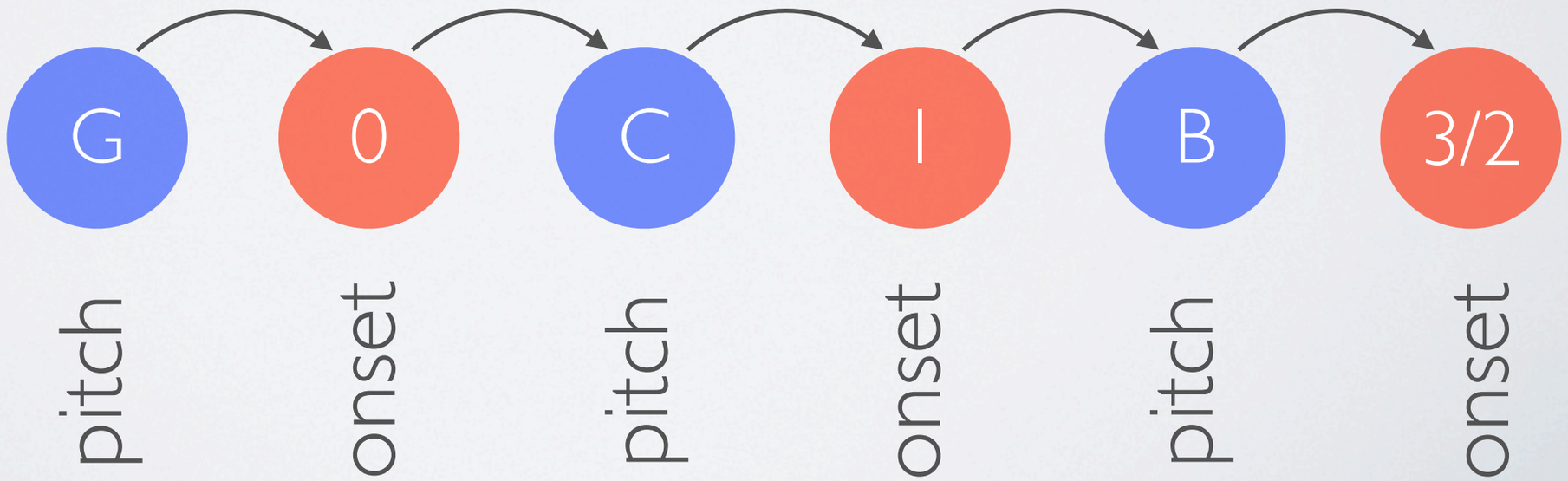

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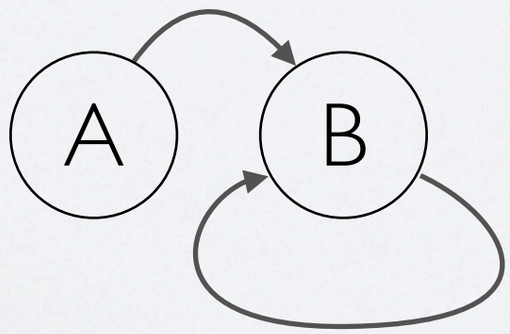

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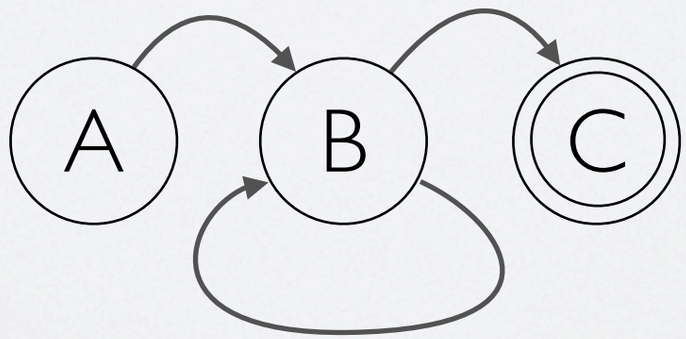

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$$IOI_n = o_{n+1} - o_n$$

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- Relation between IOIs (IORs): 1/2 1 2 2 1/4 1 4 x

$$IOR_n = IOI_{n+1}/IOI_n$$

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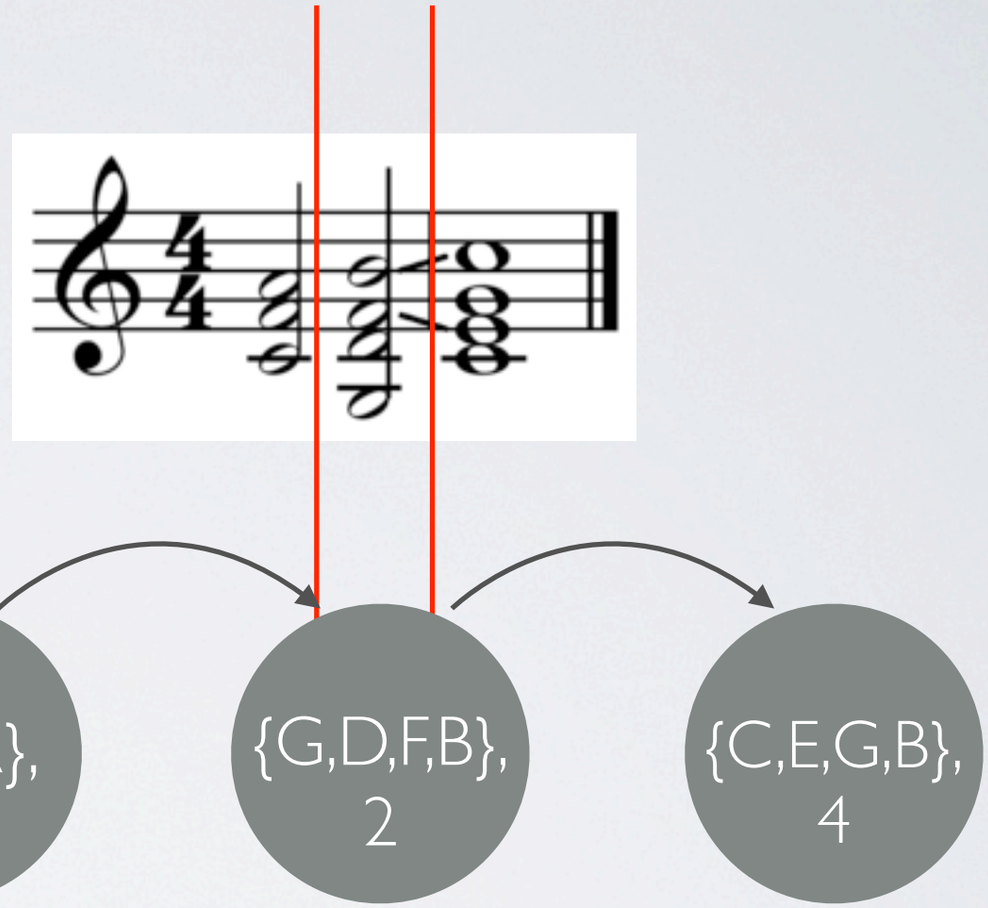

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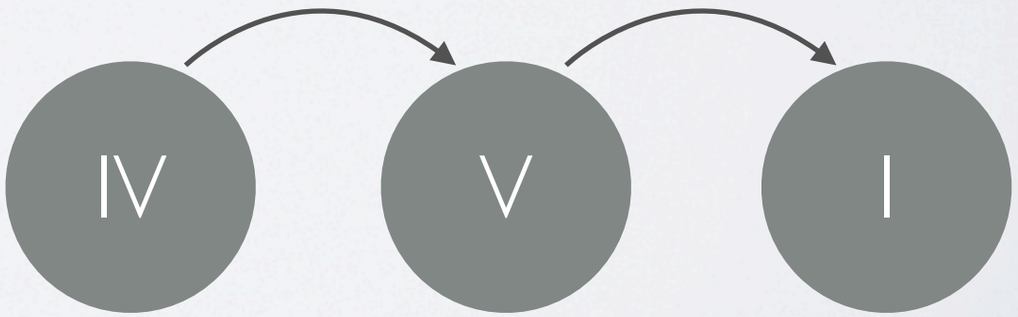

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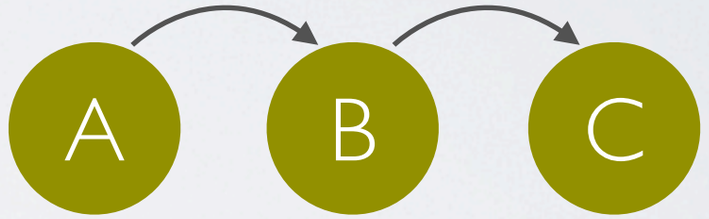

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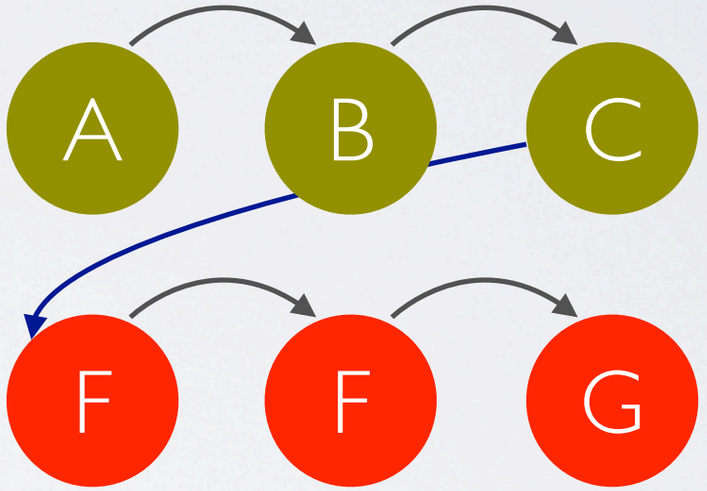

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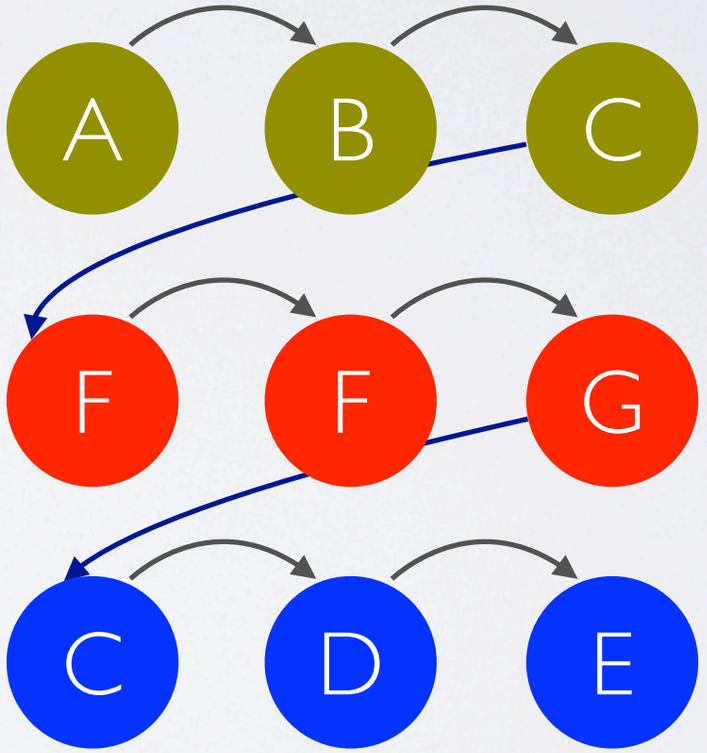

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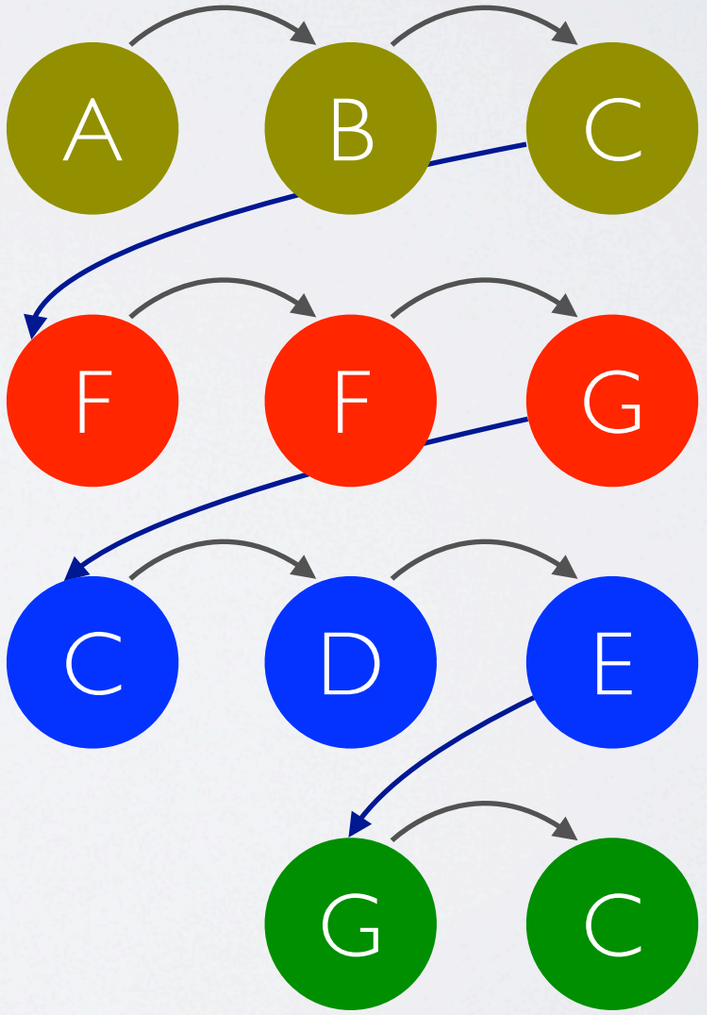

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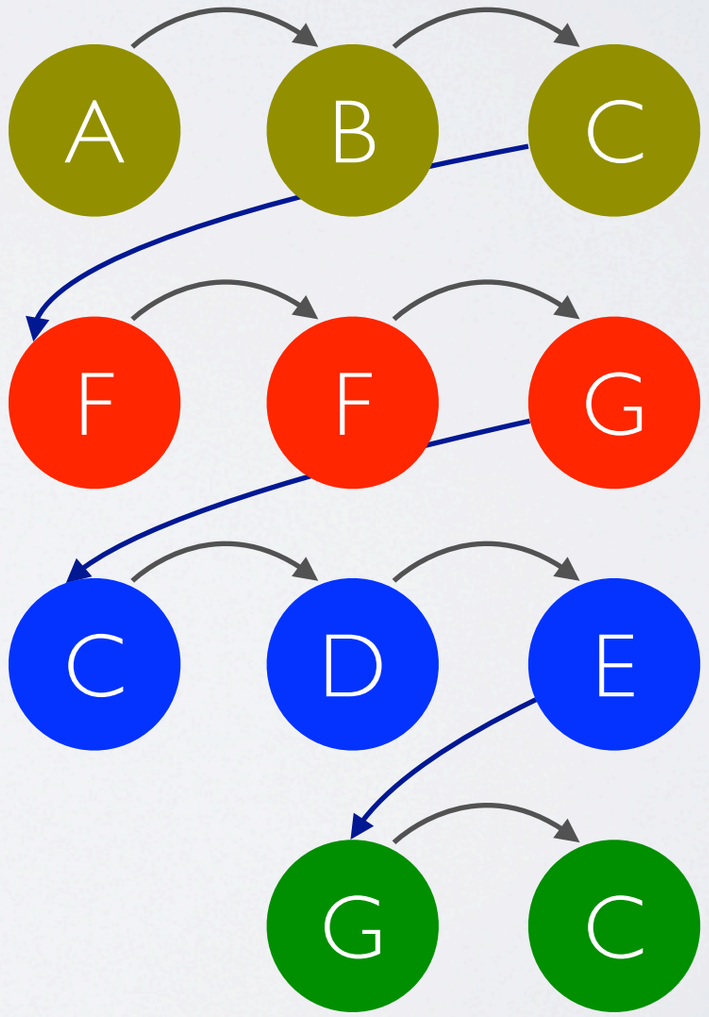

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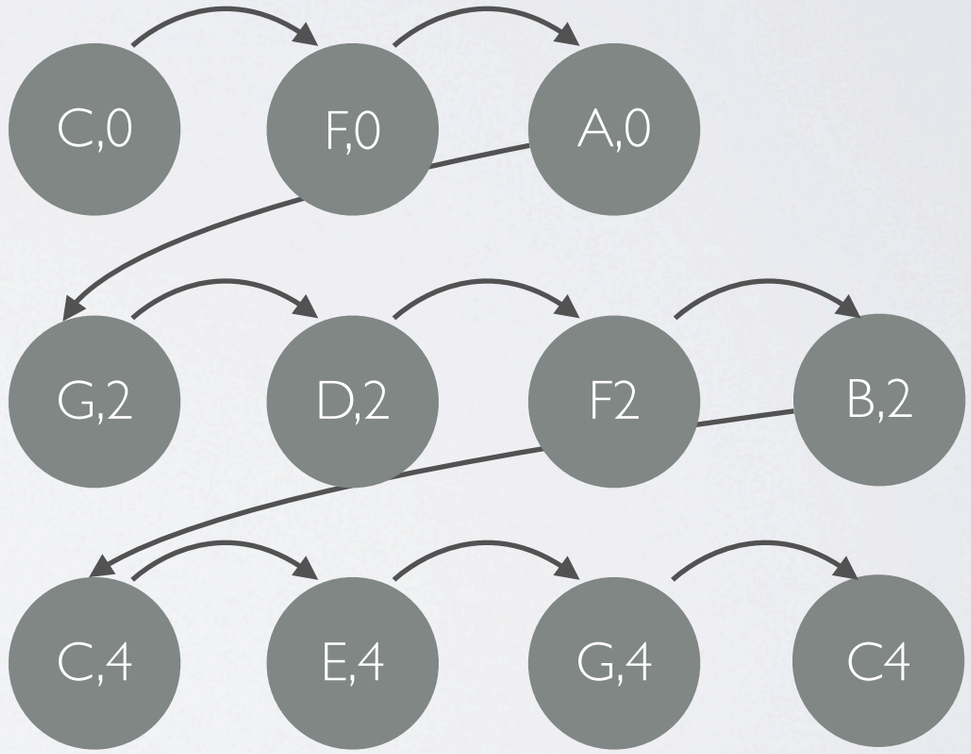

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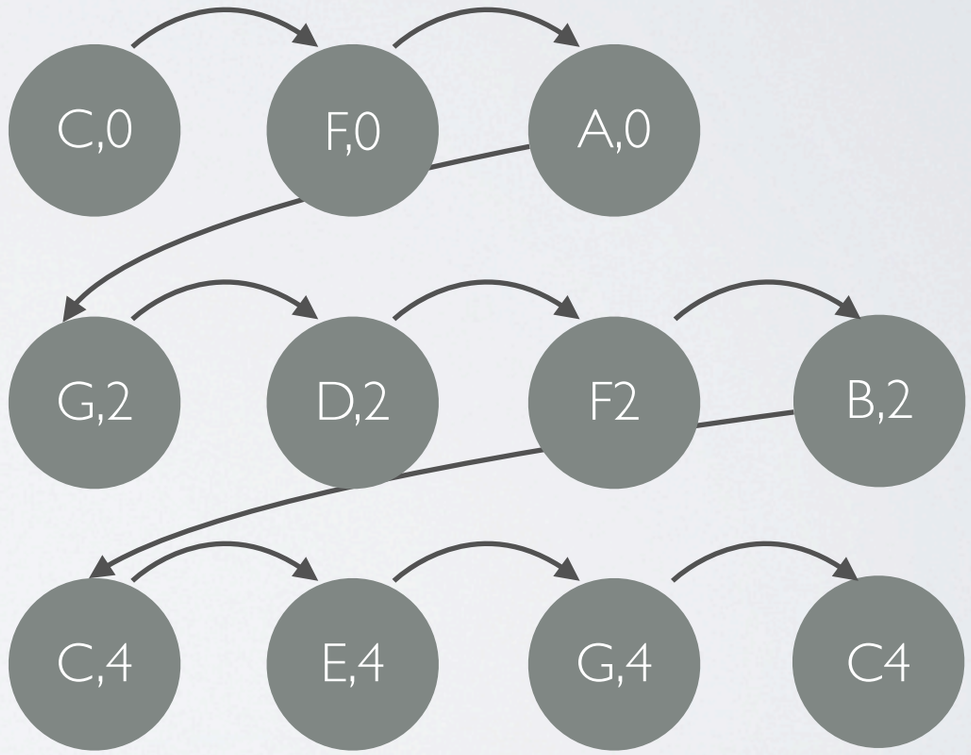

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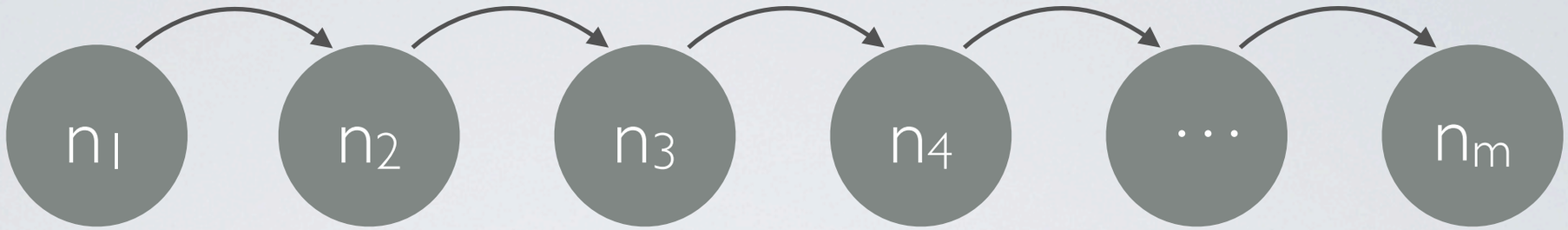

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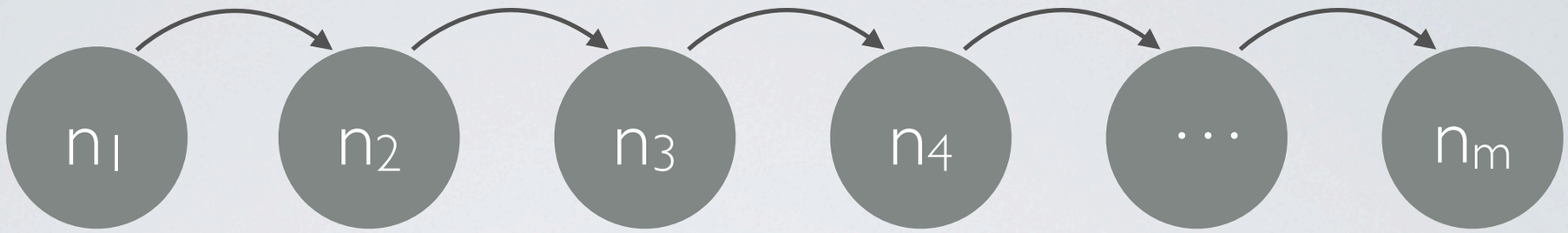

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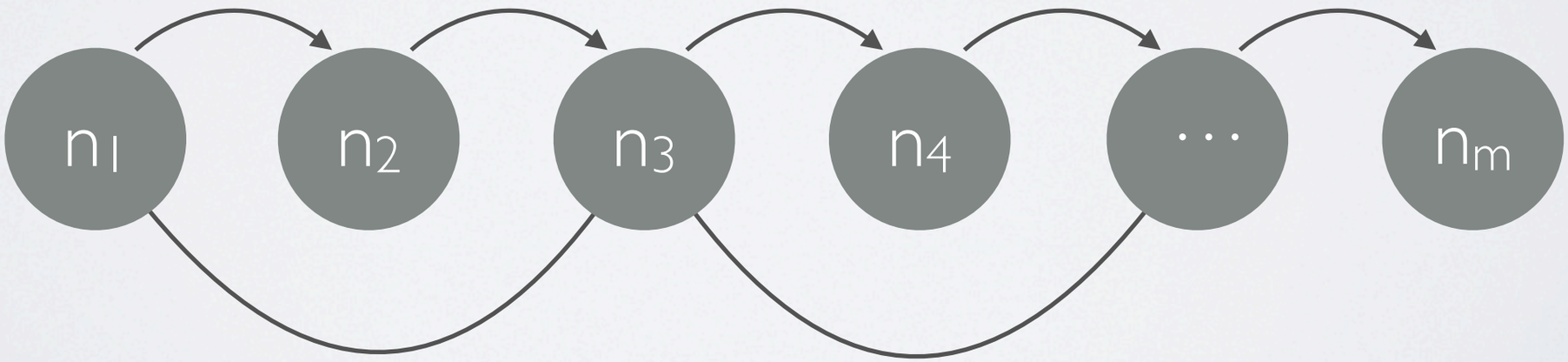

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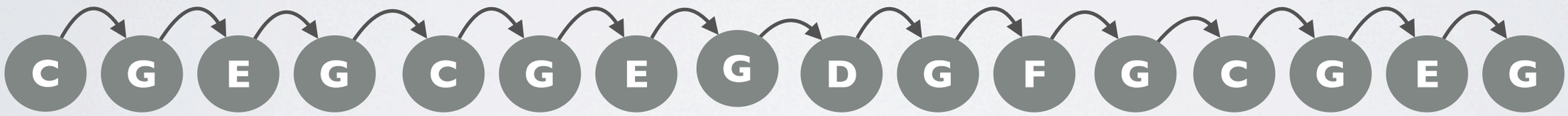

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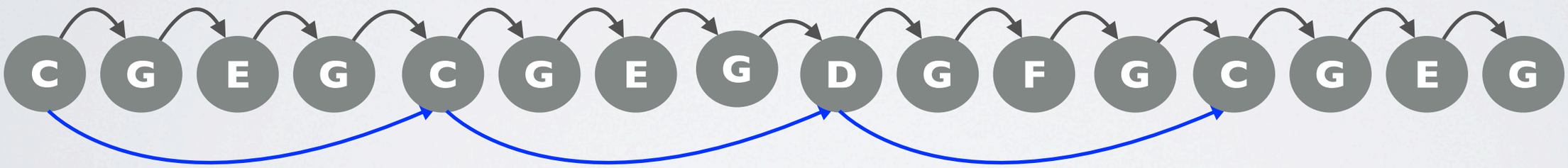

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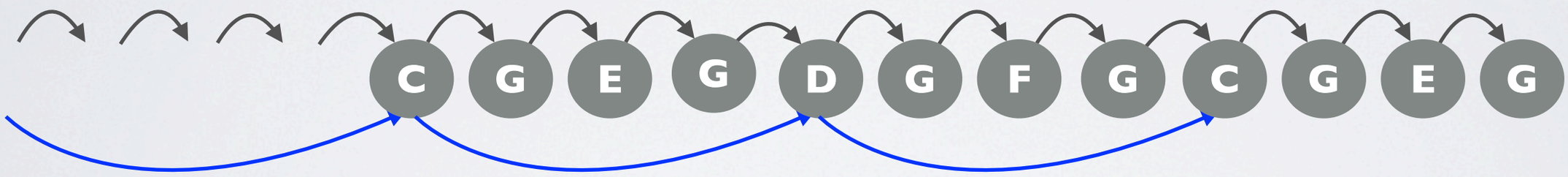

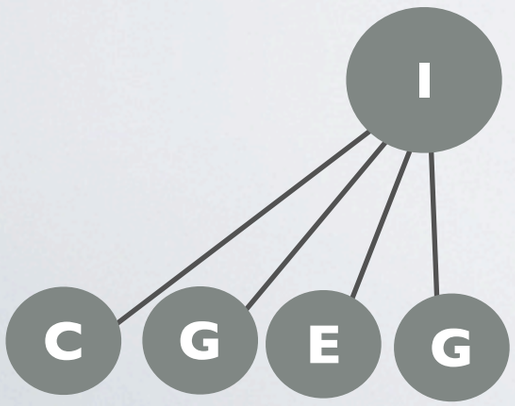

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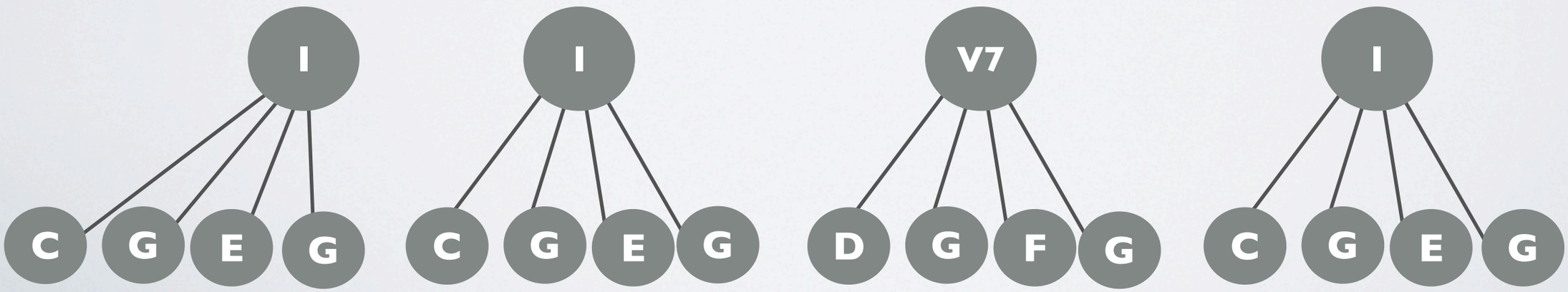

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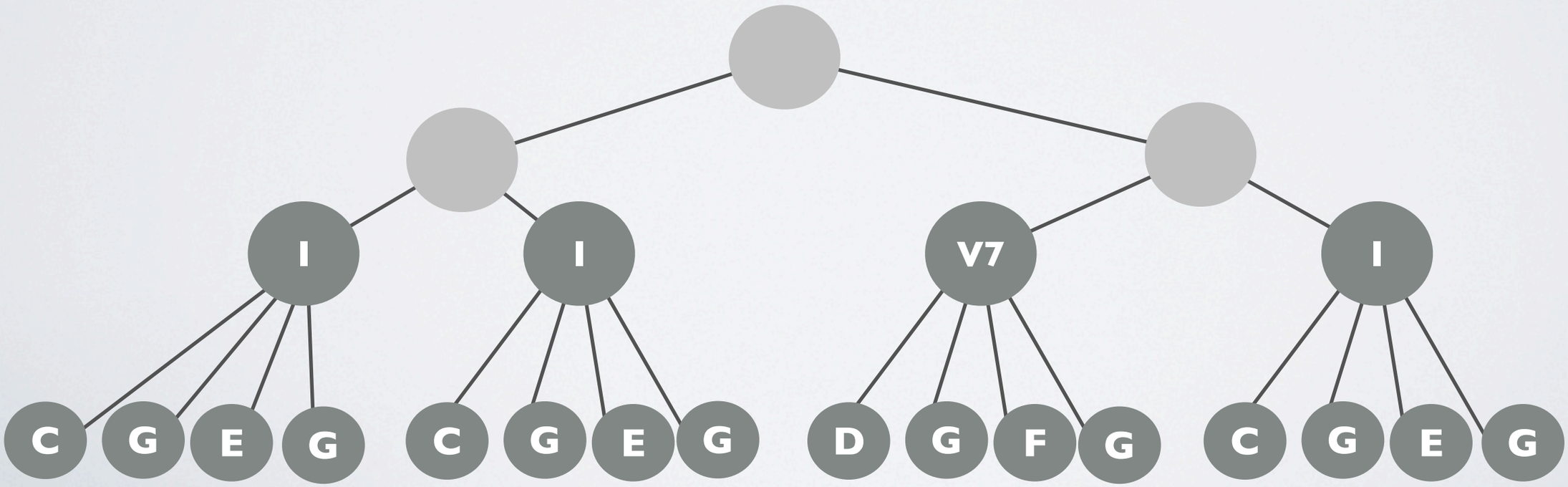

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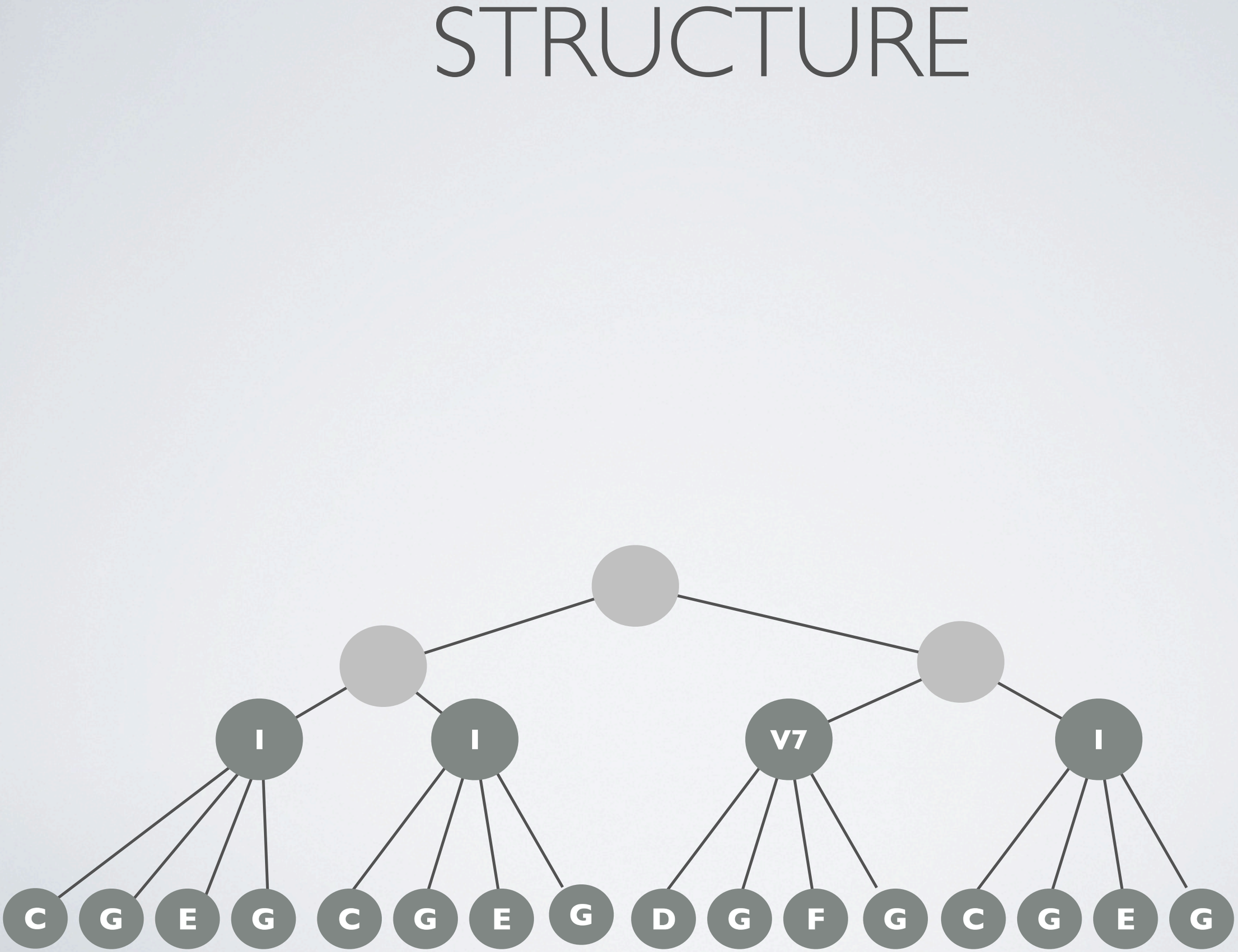

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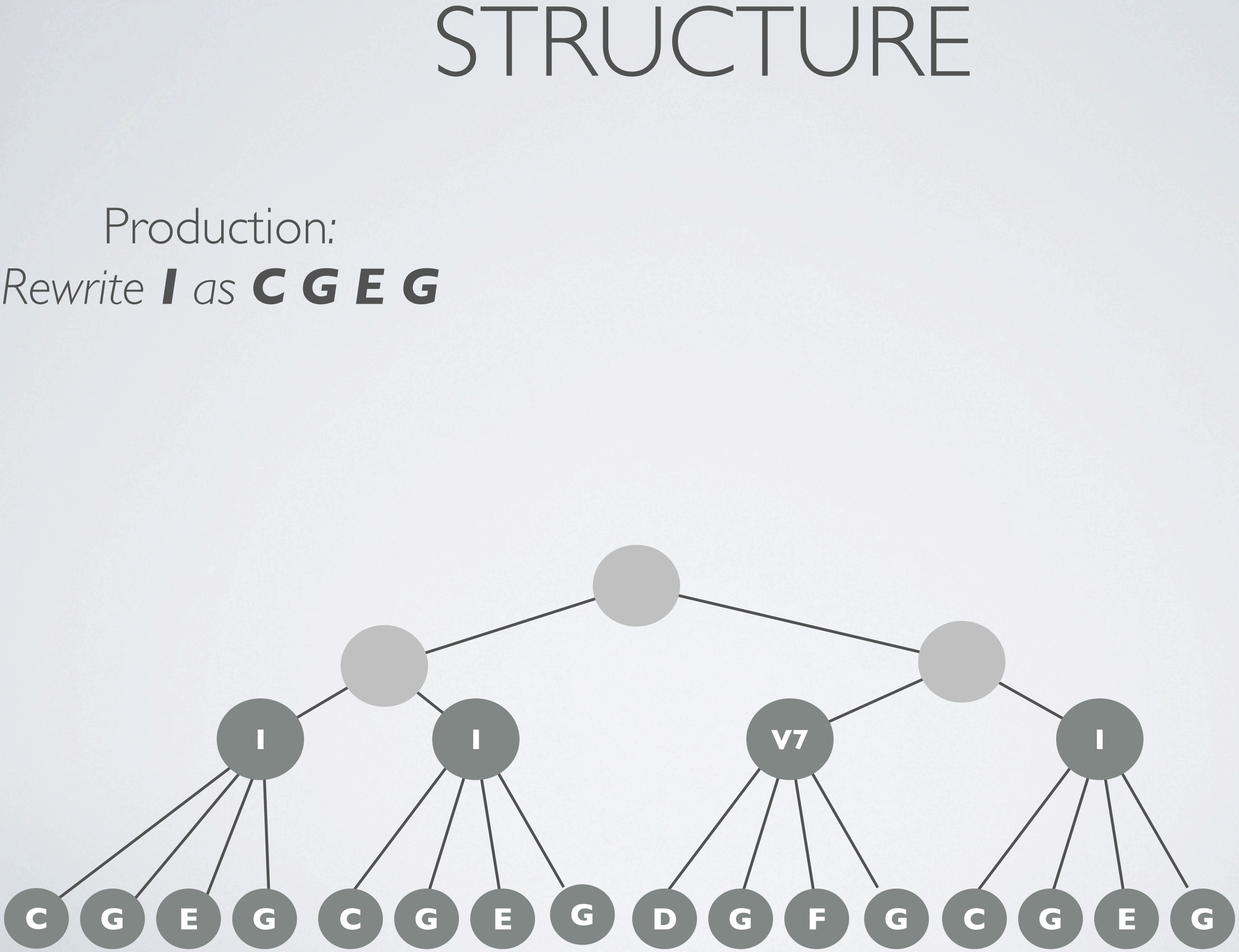

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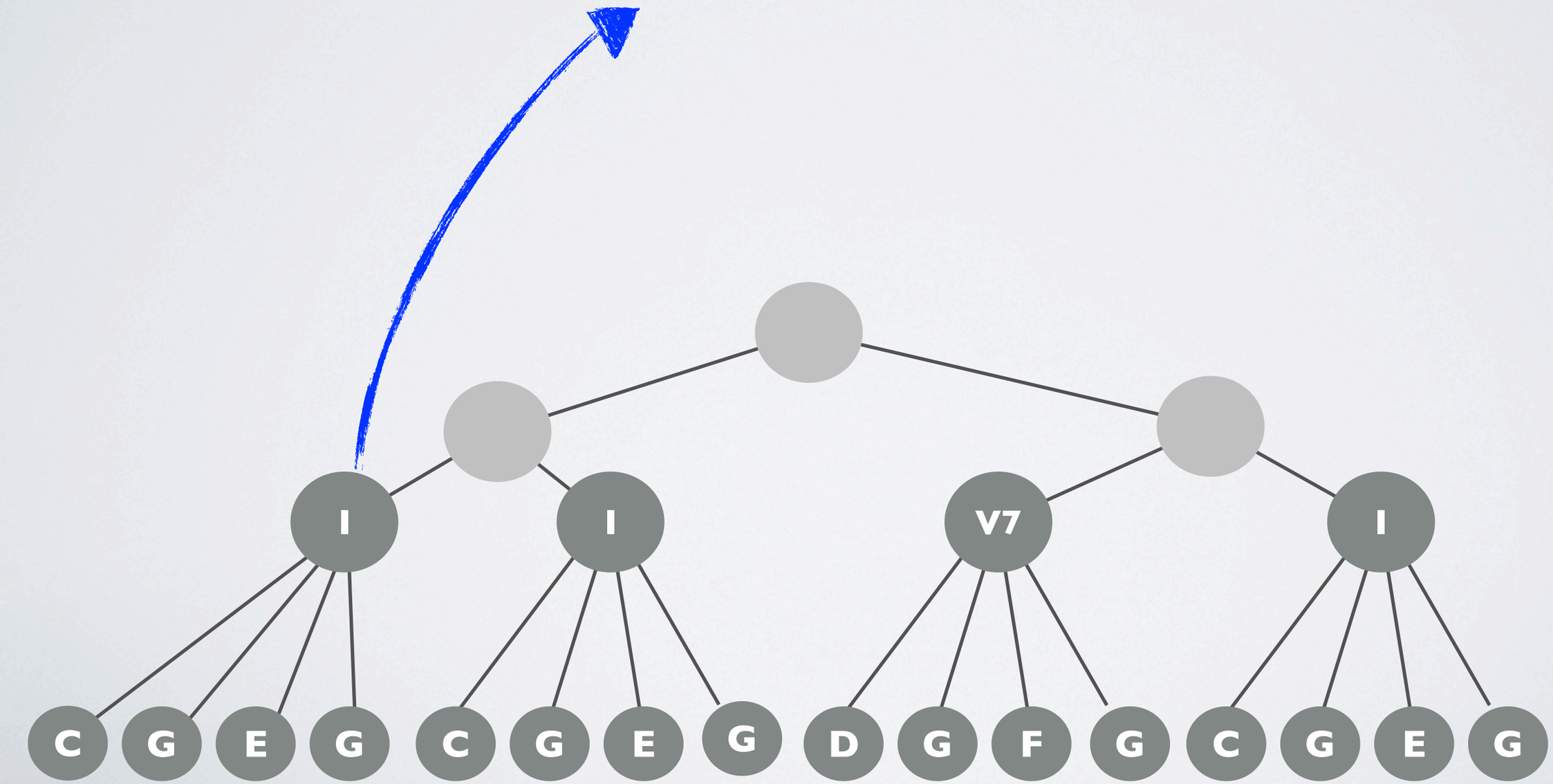

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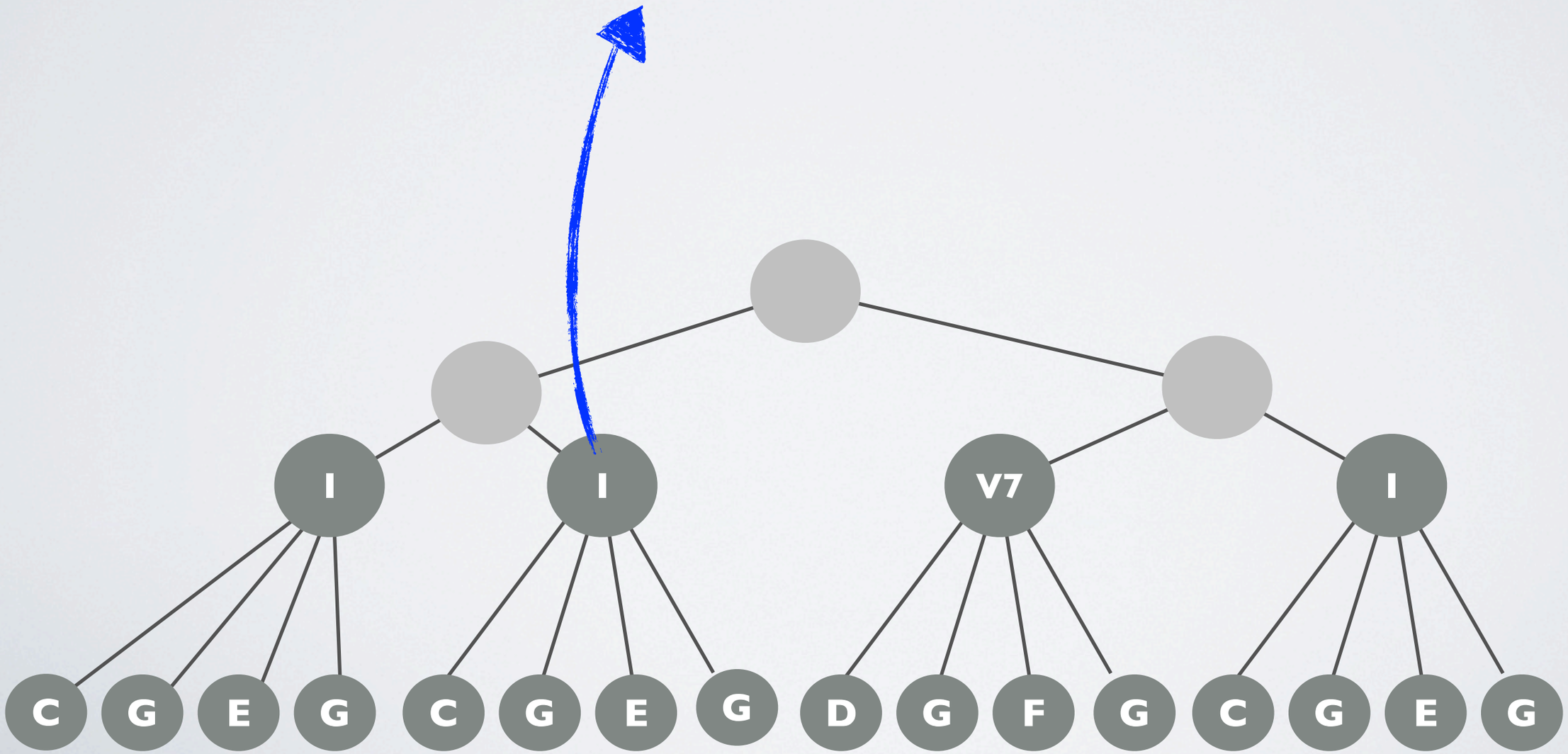

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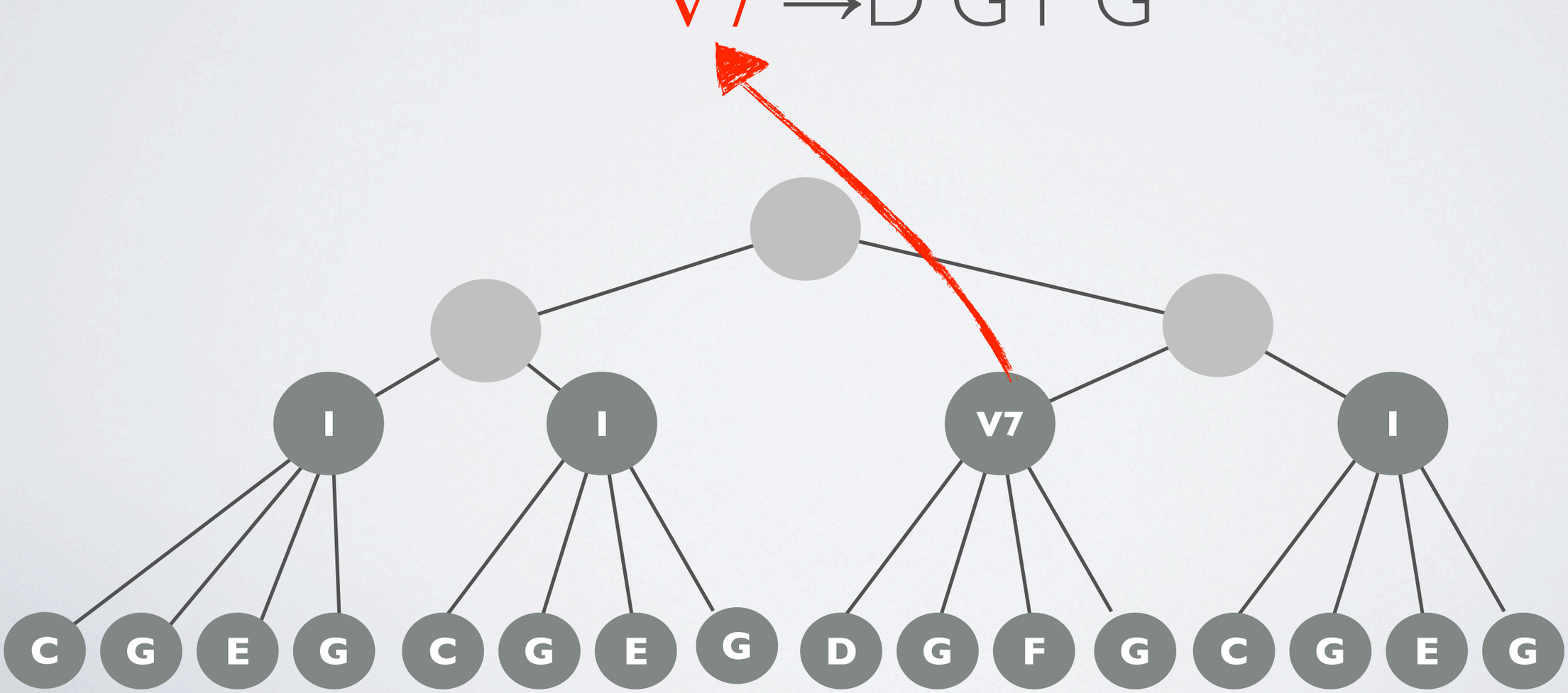

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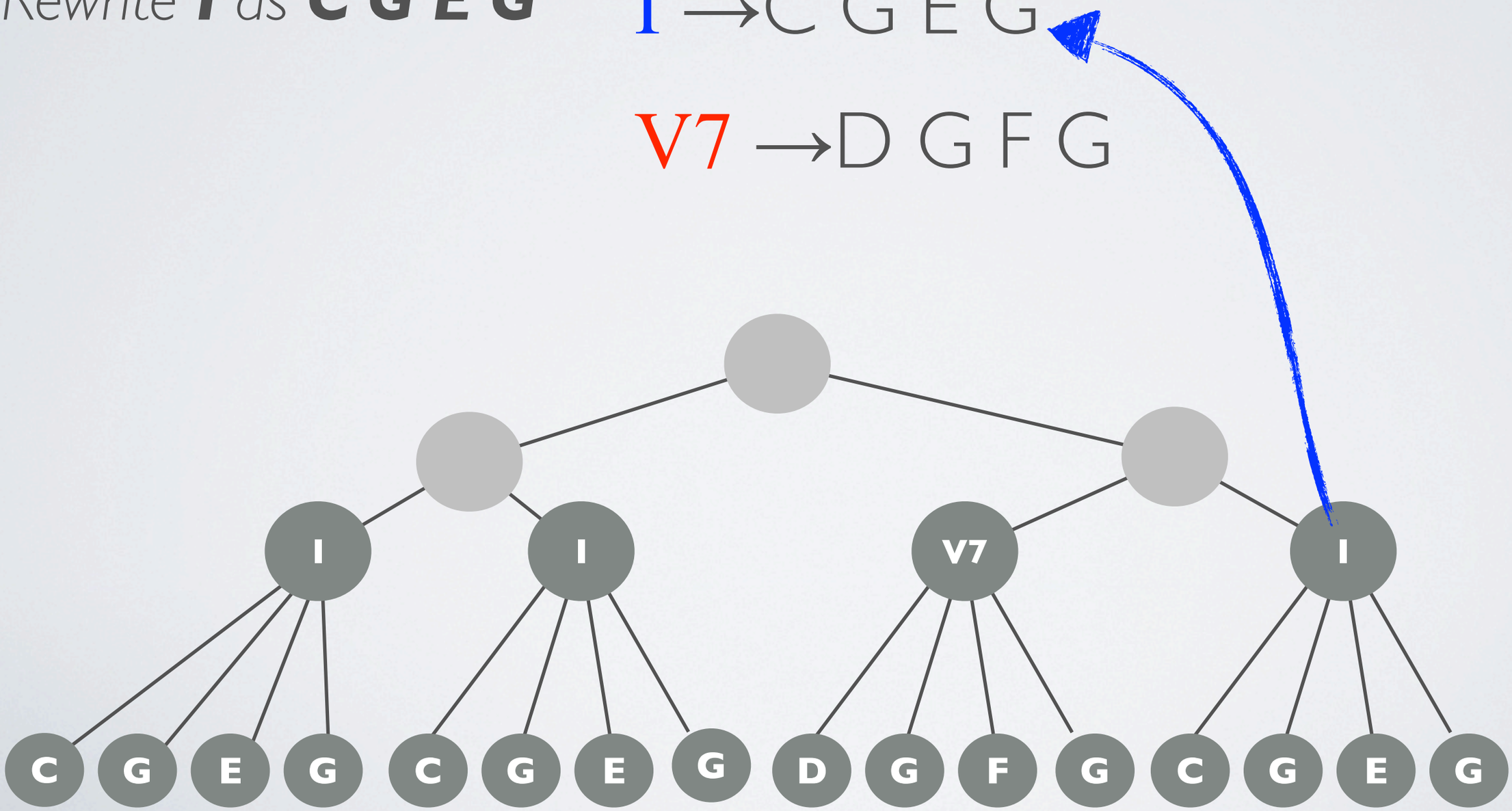

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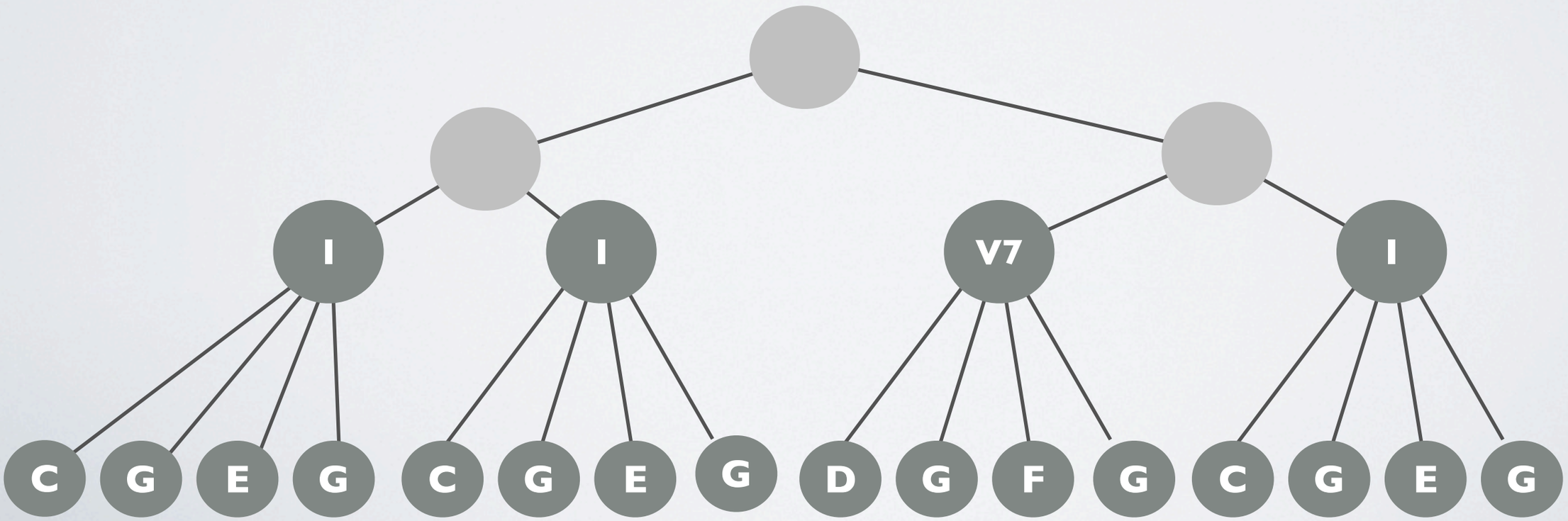

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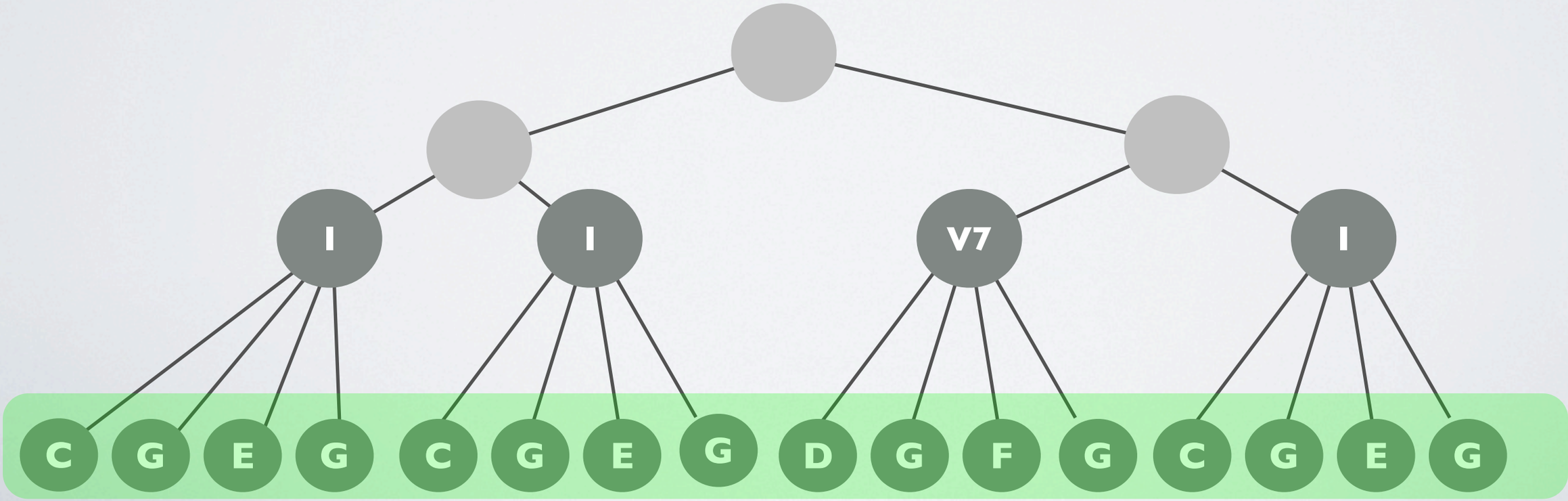

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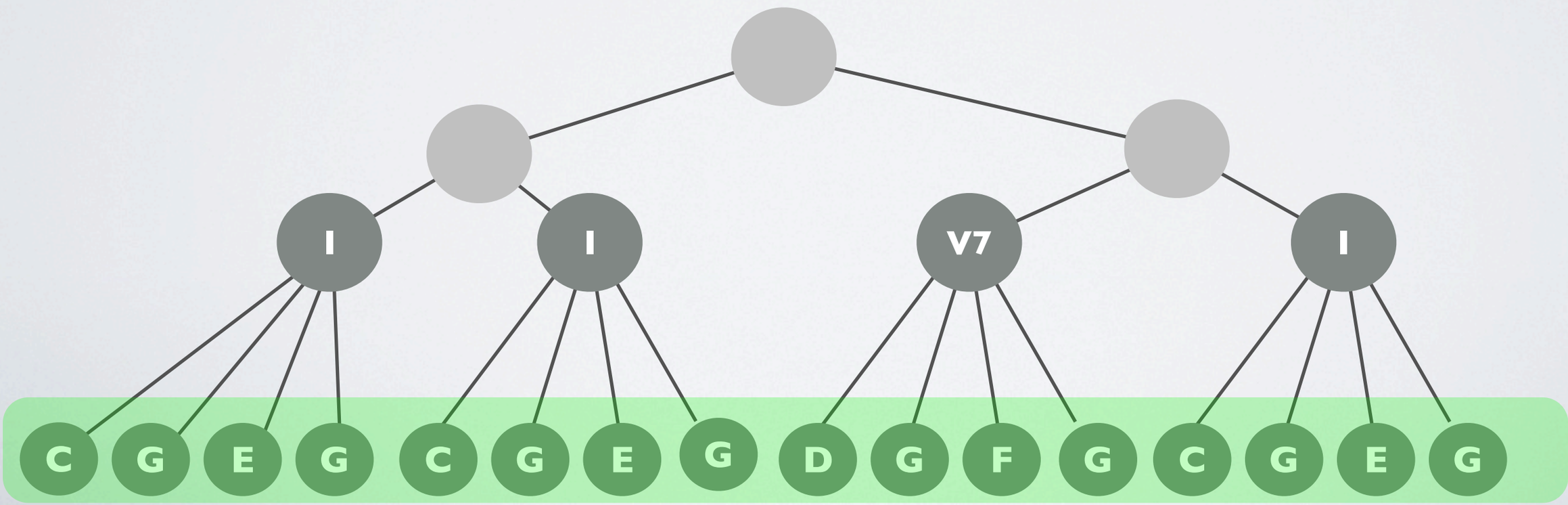

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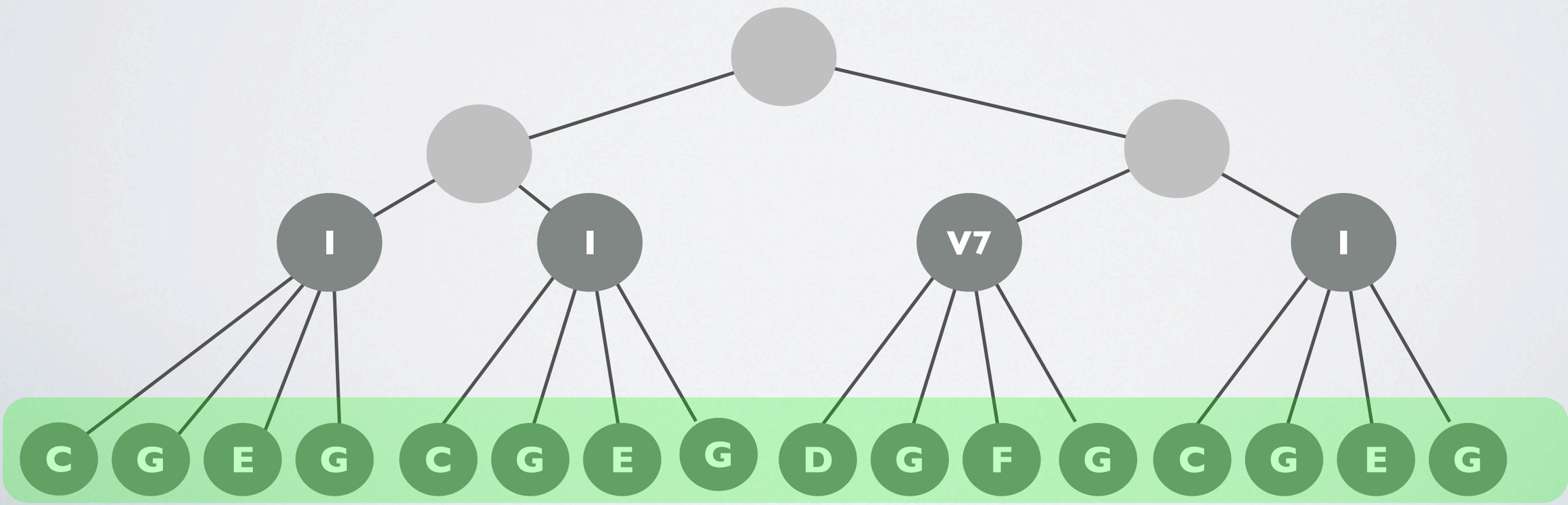

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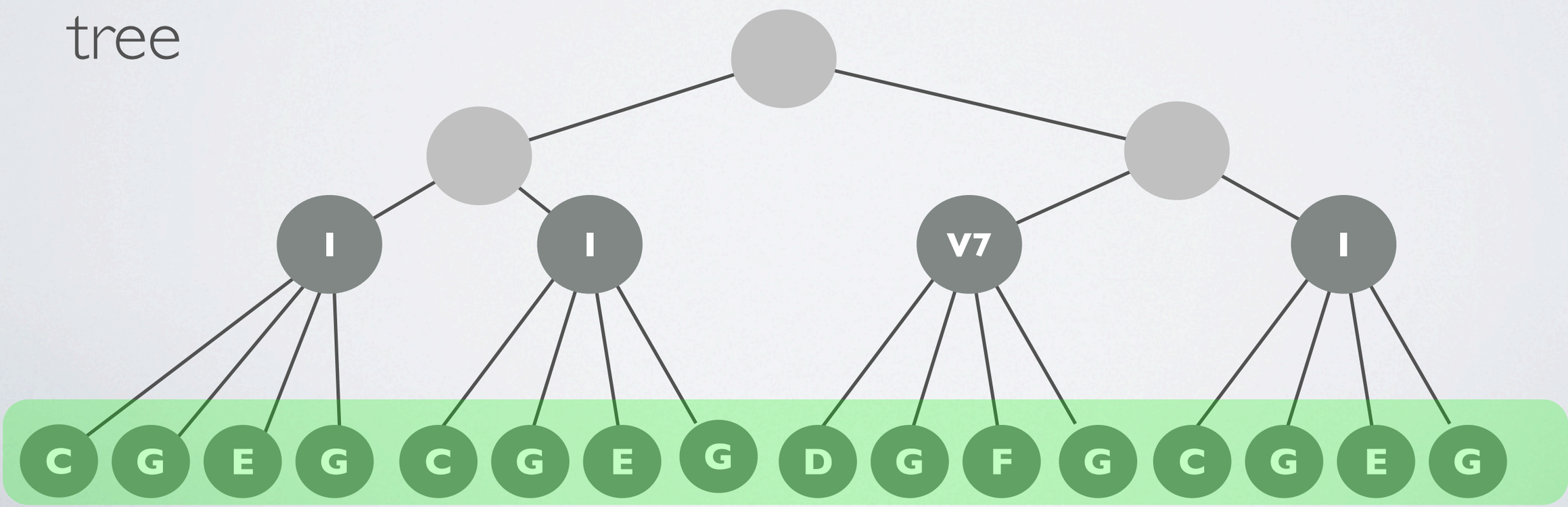

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TREE PROPERTY

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previous uses

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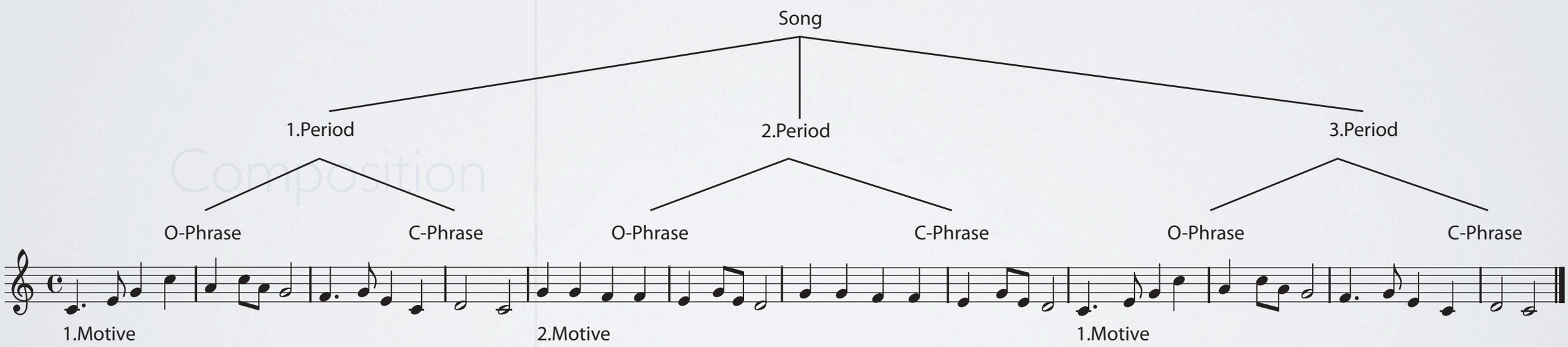

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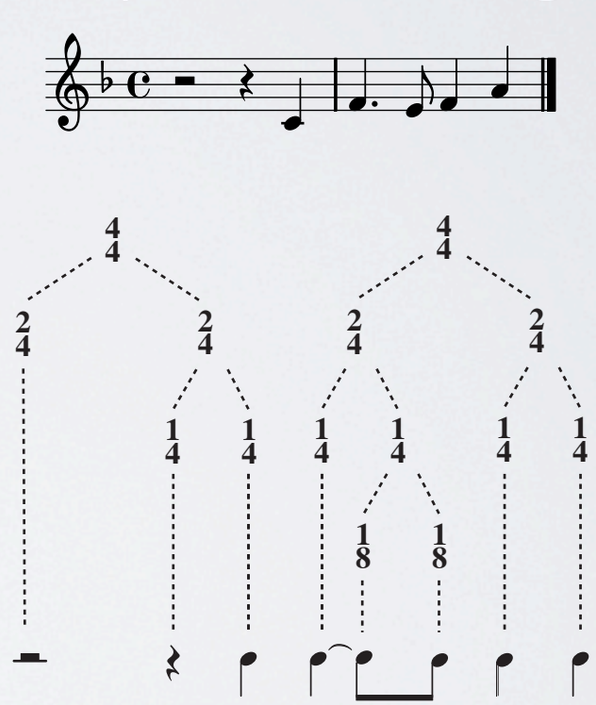

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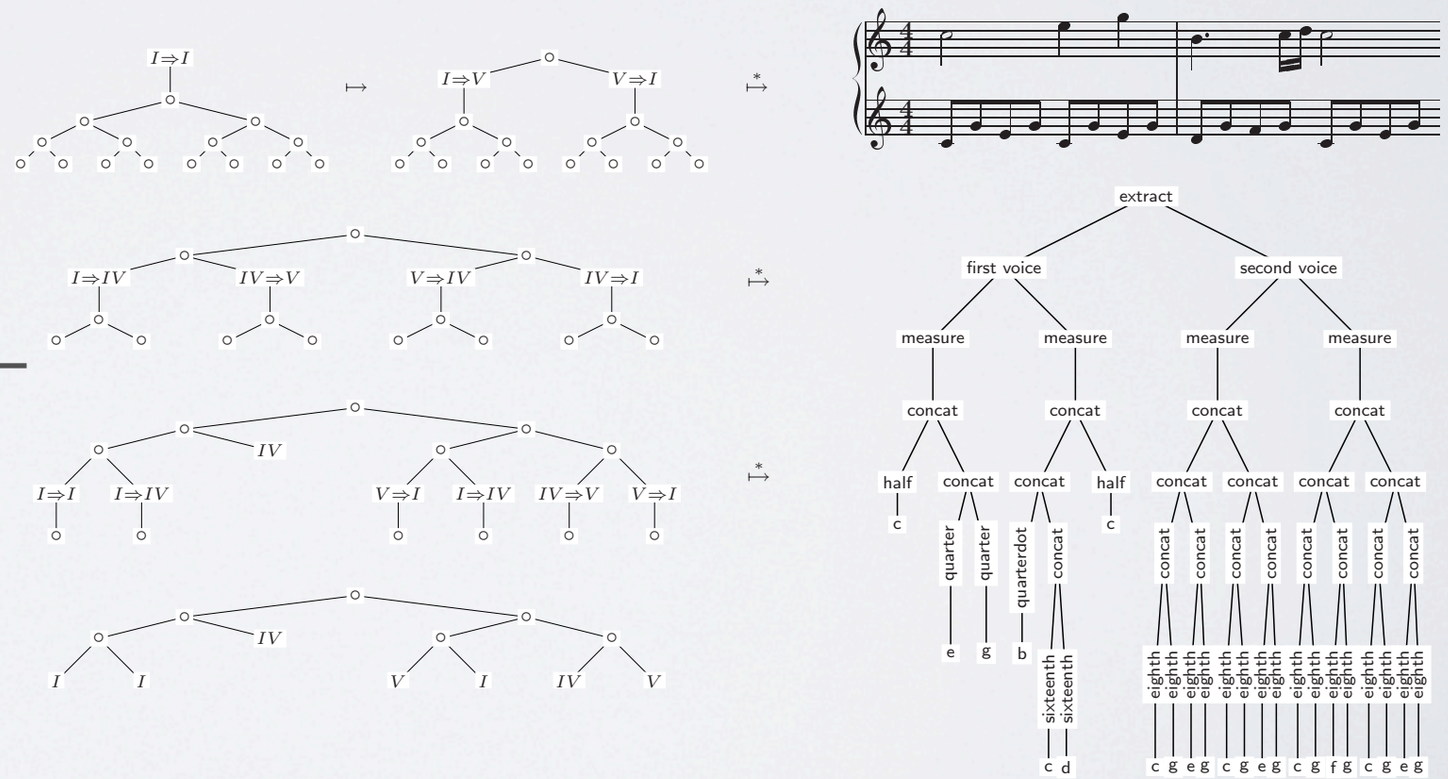

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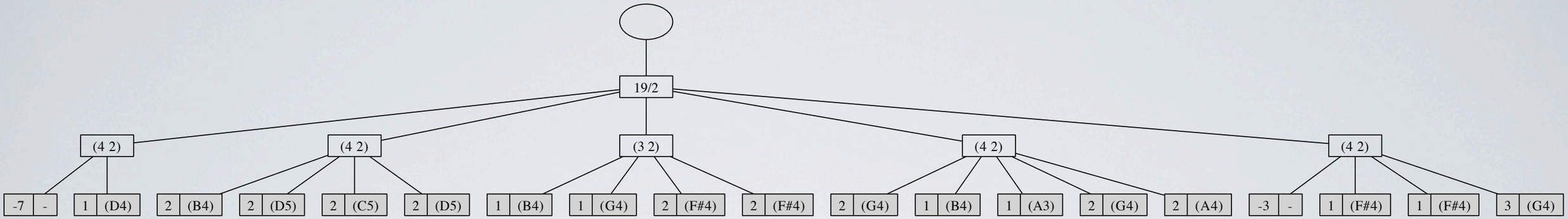

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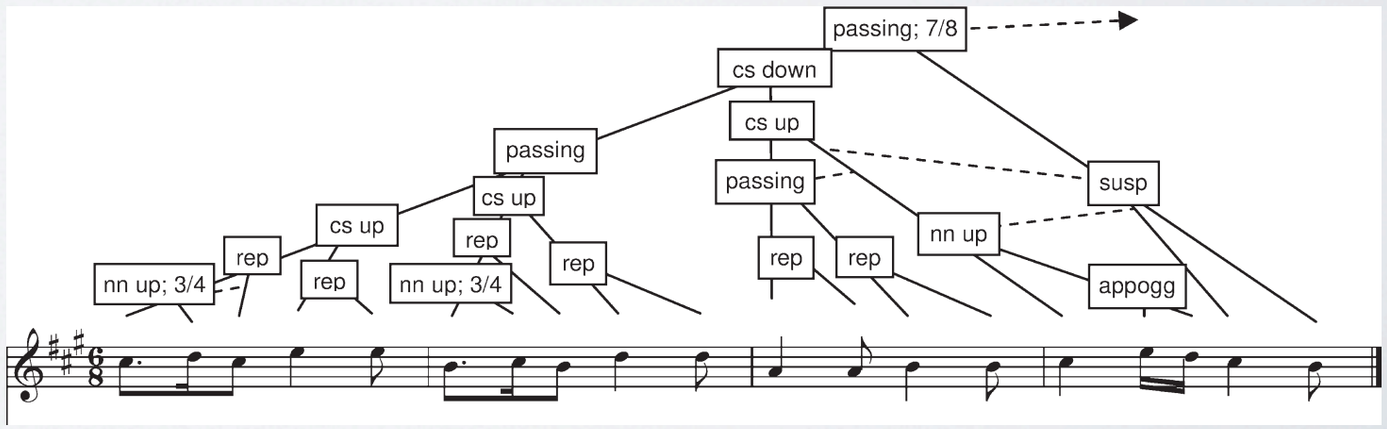

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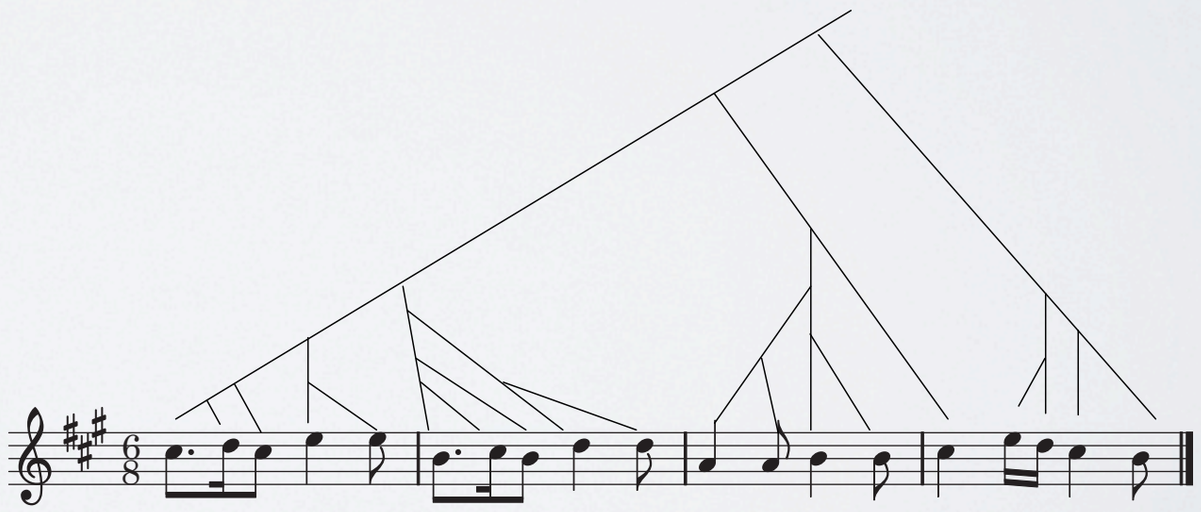

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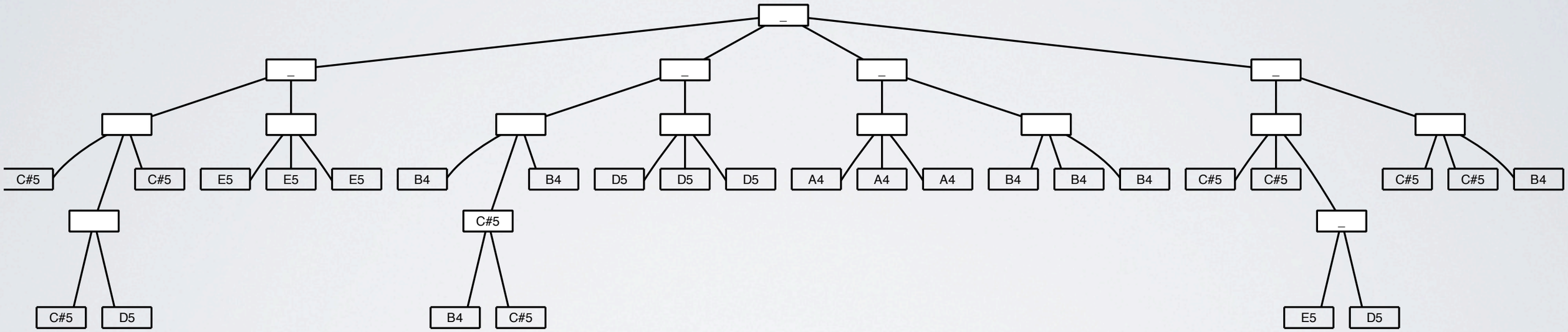

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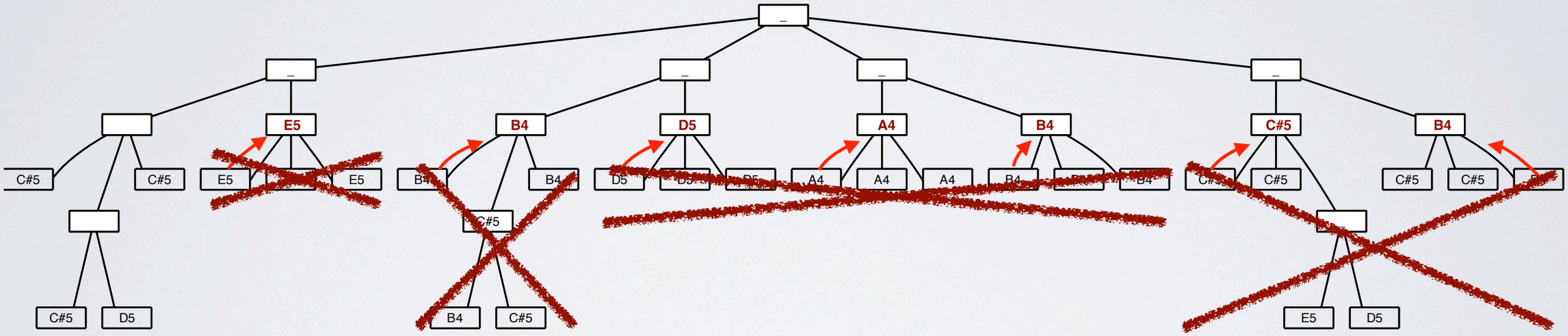

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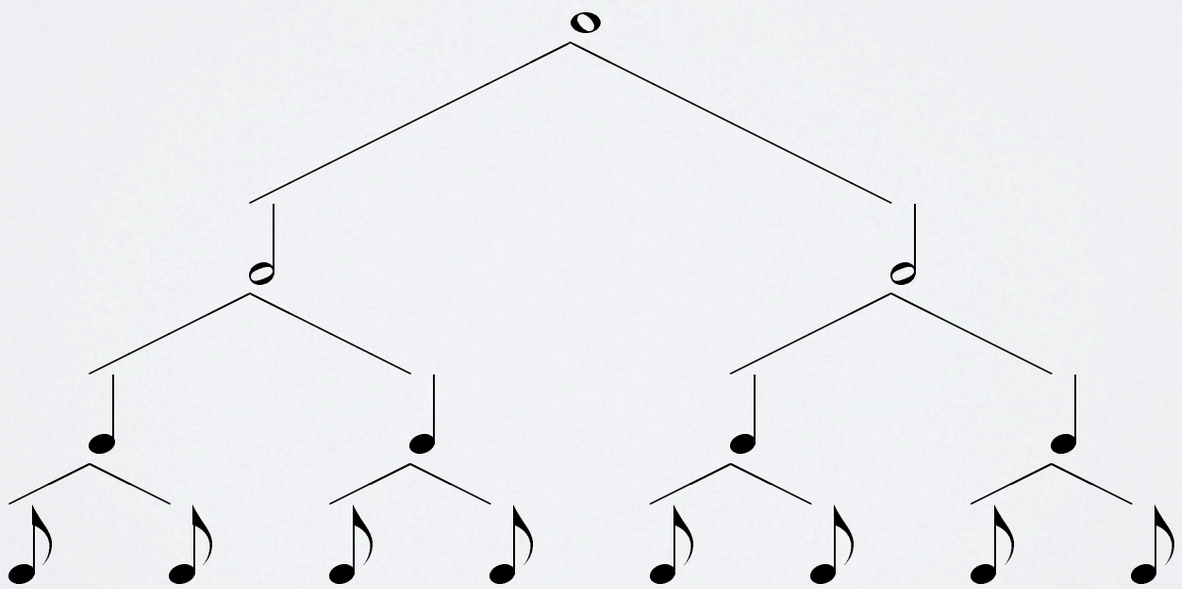

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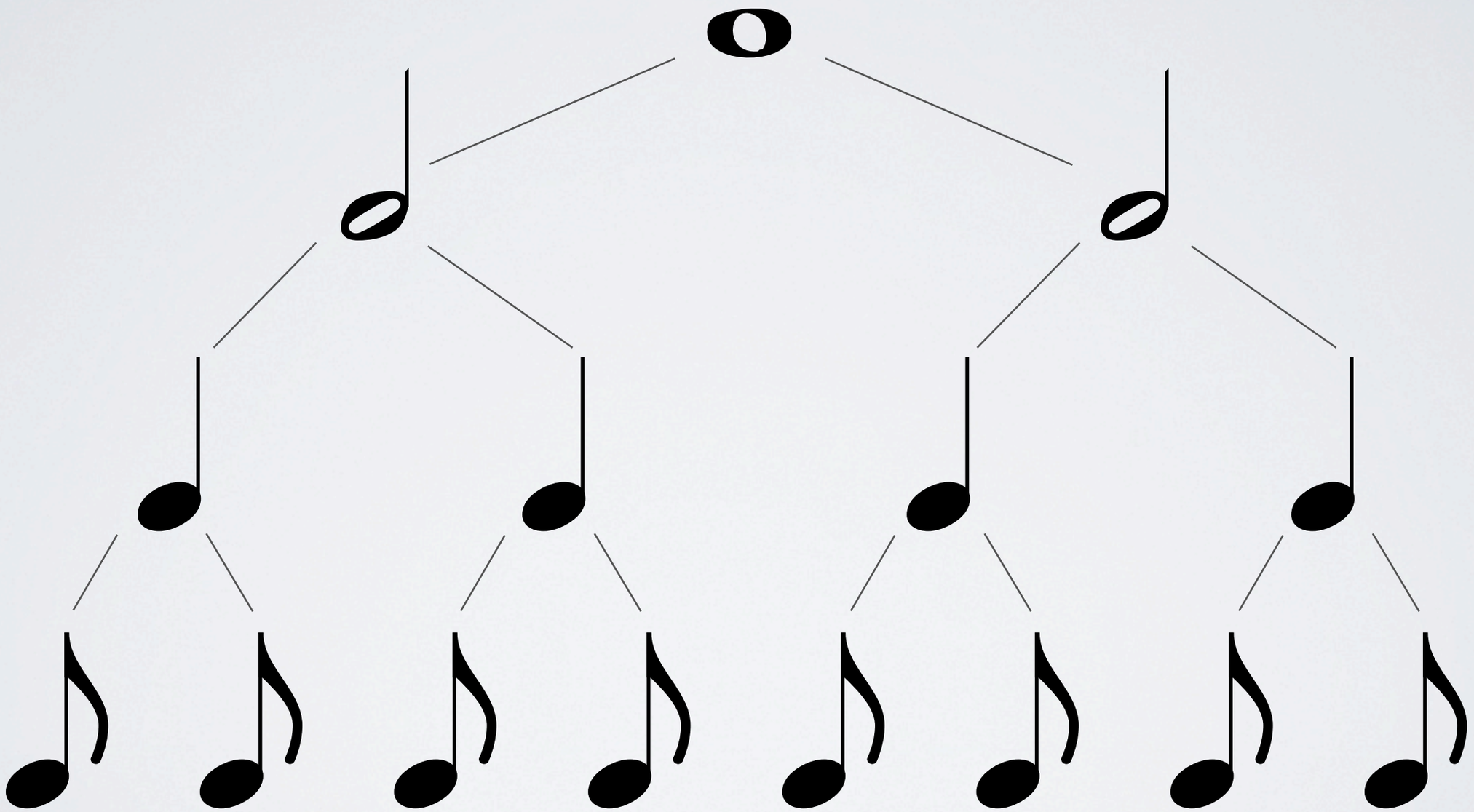

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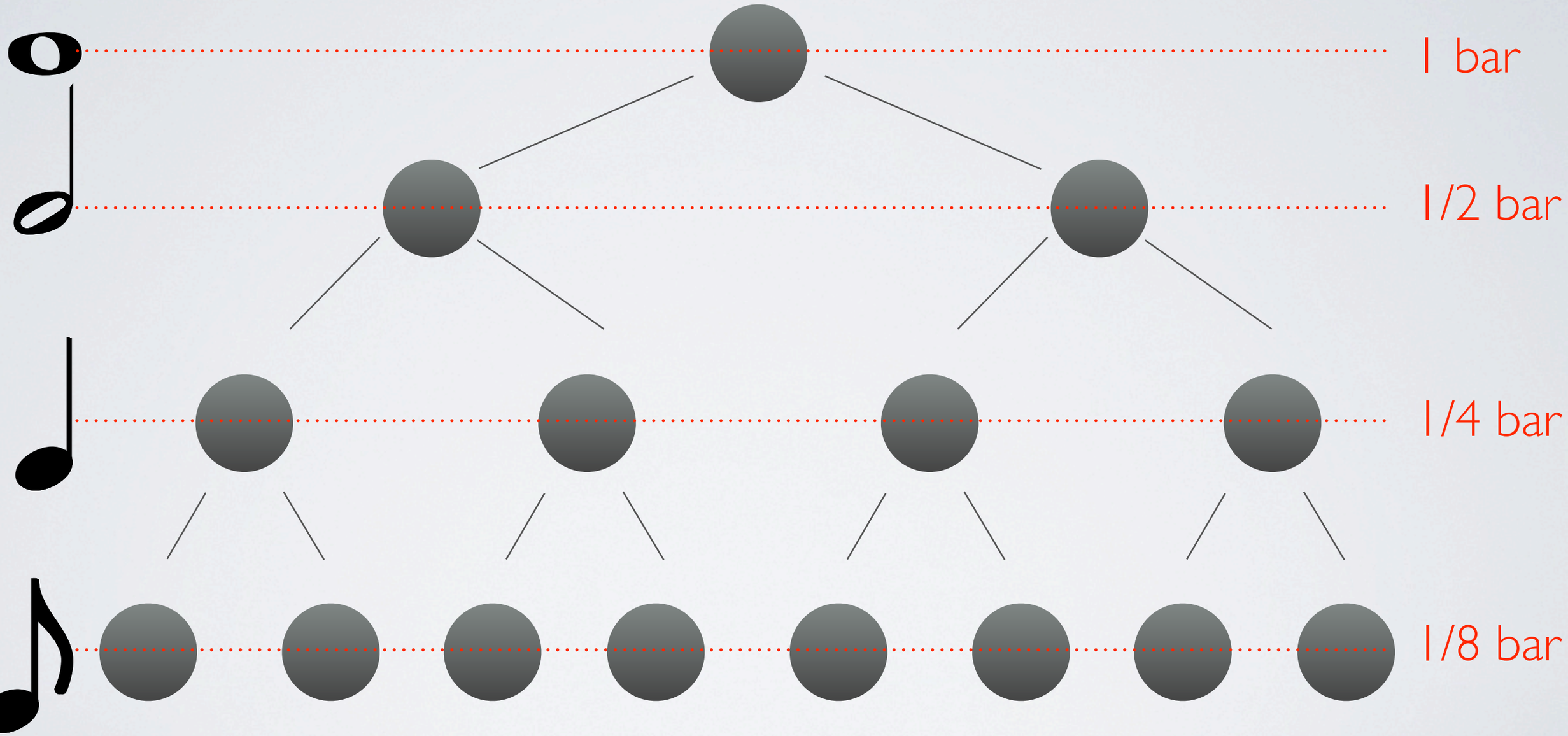

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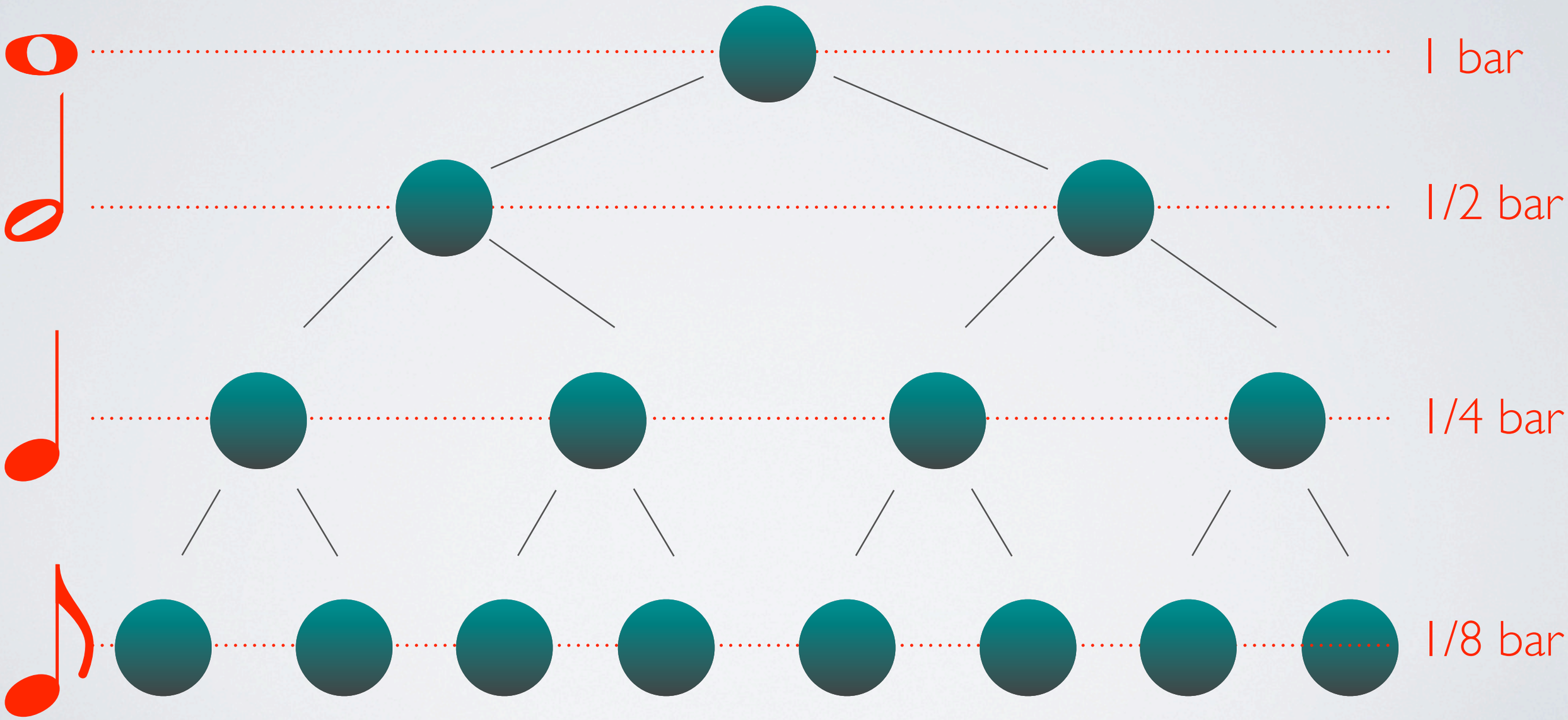

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Leaves are labeled using the pitch

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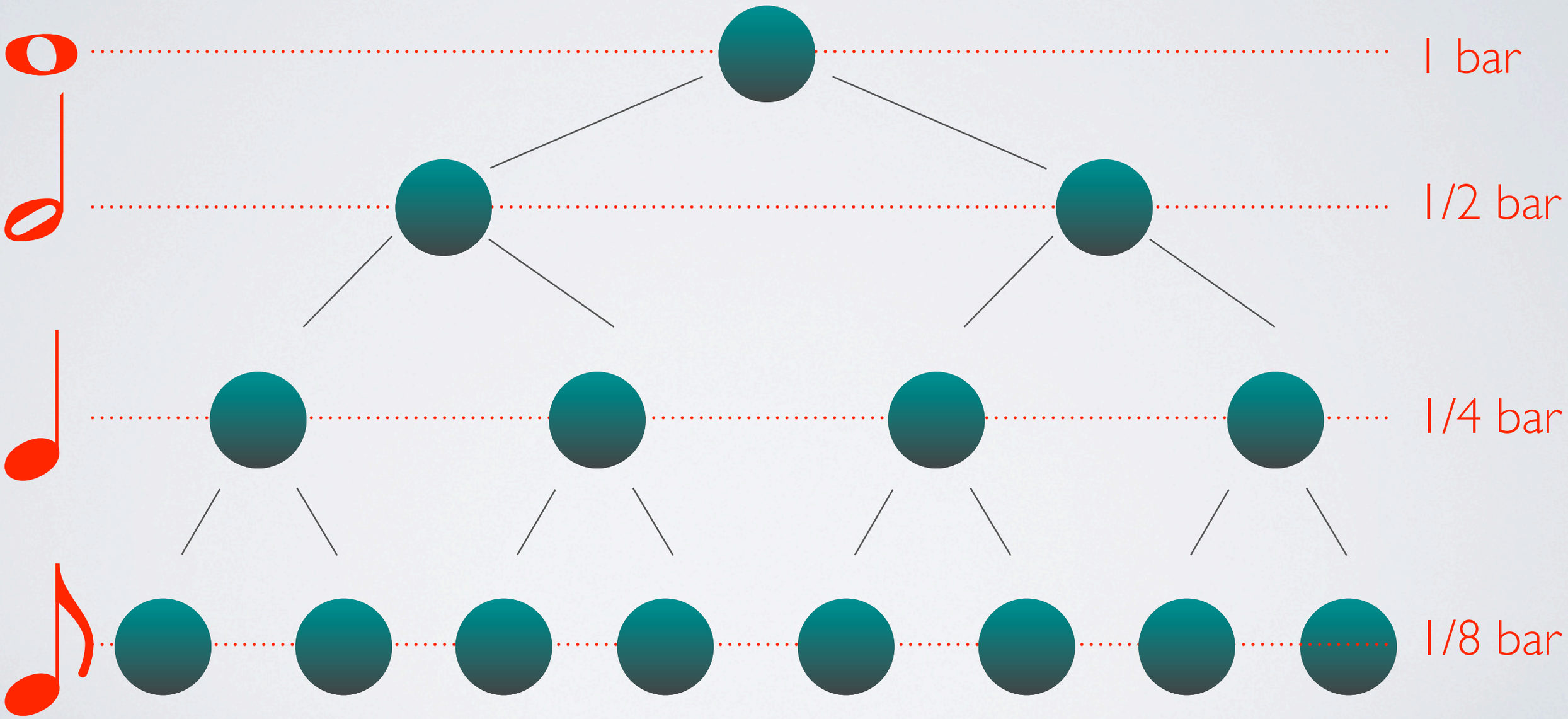

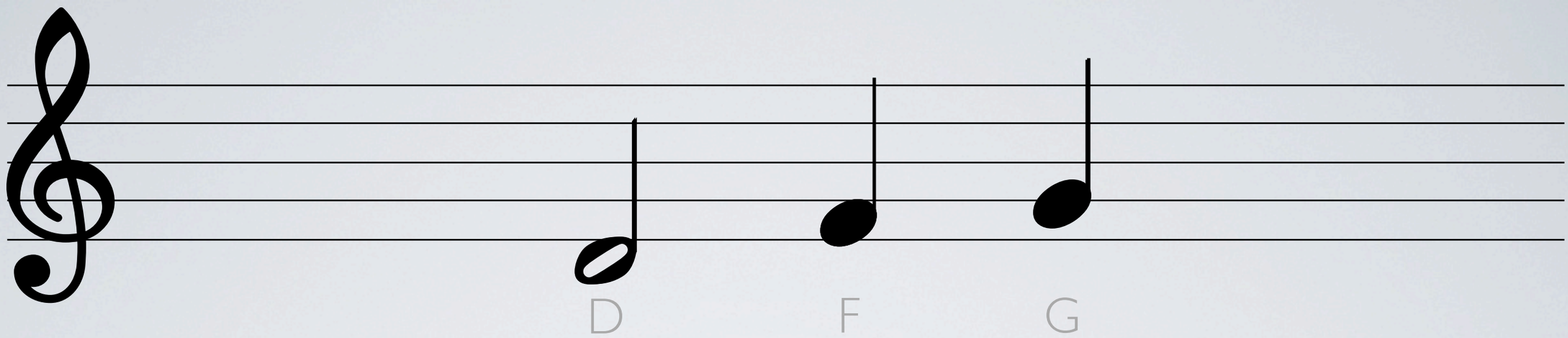

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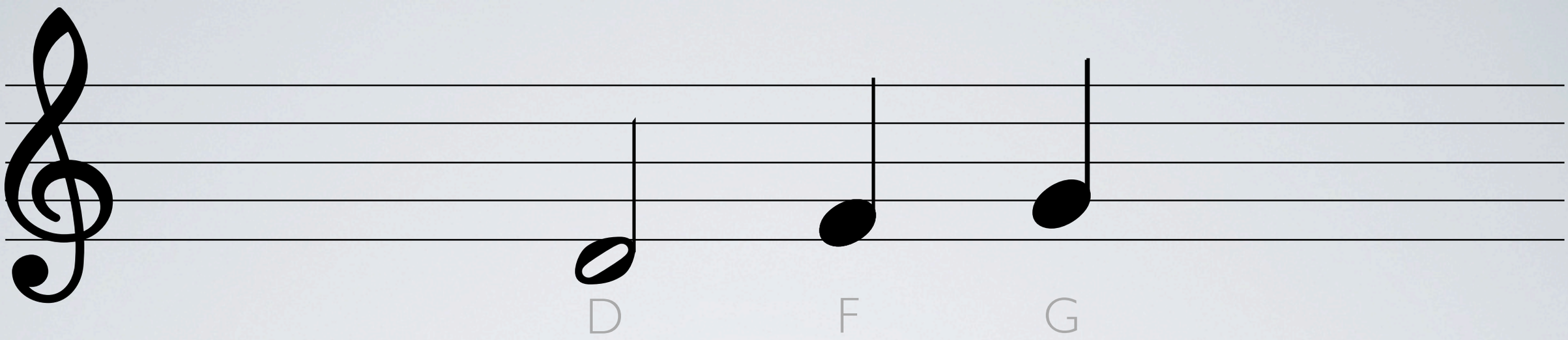
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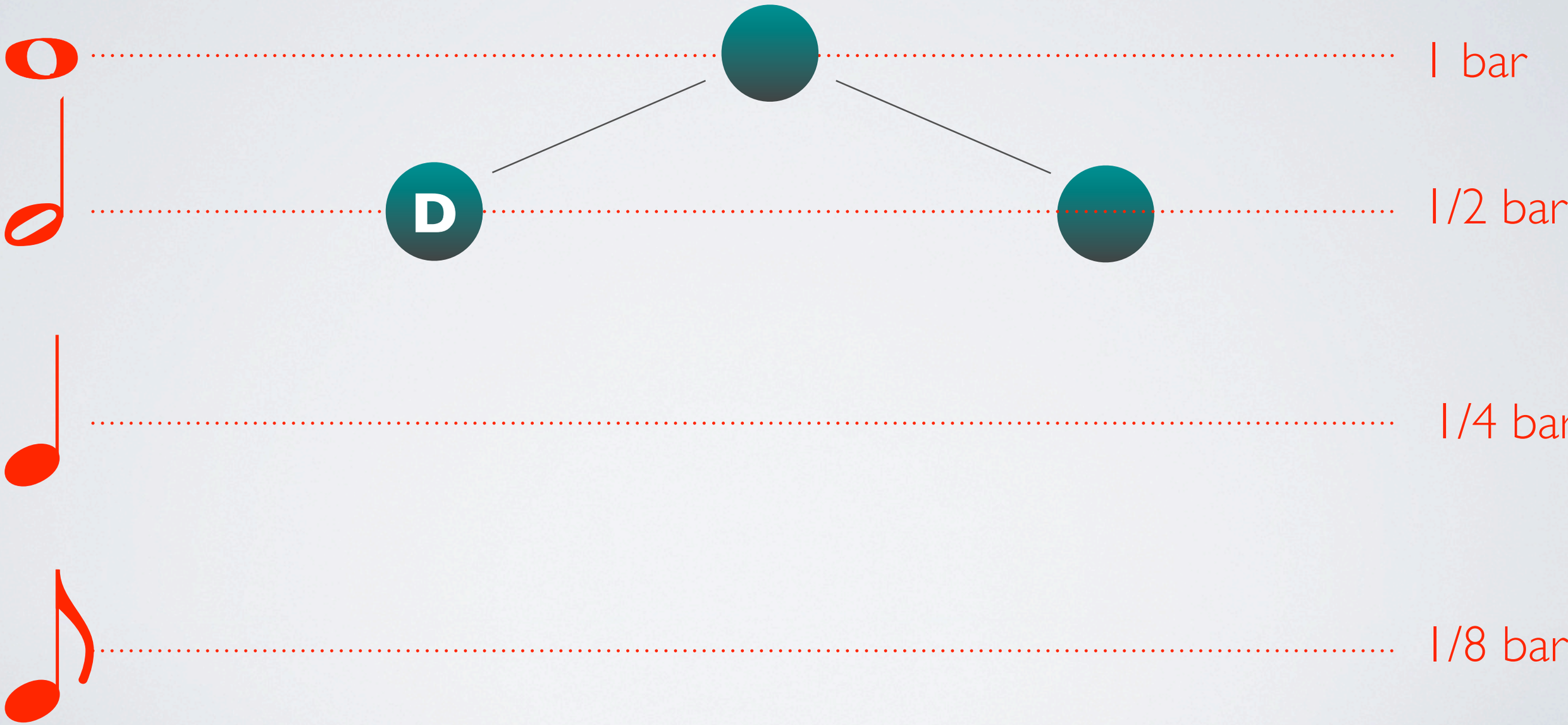
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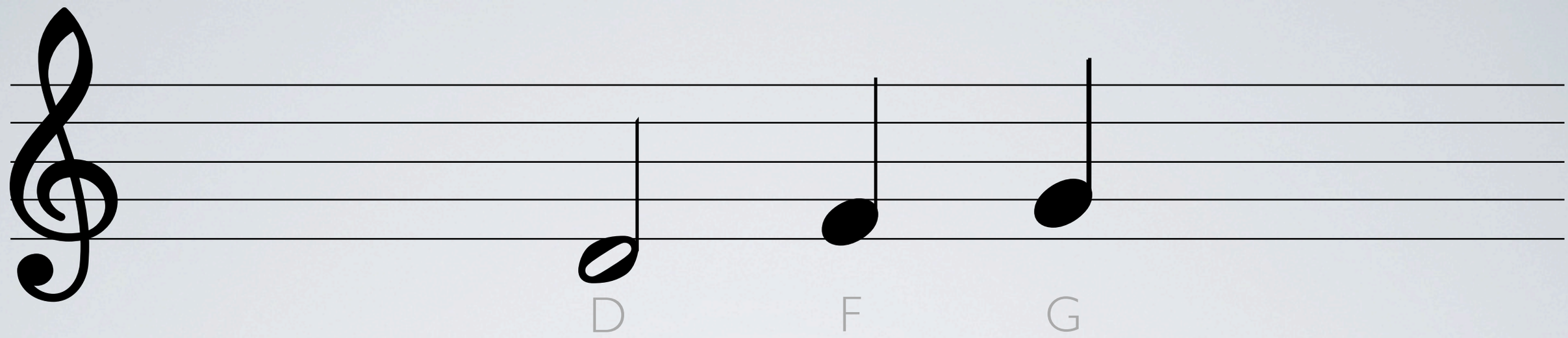
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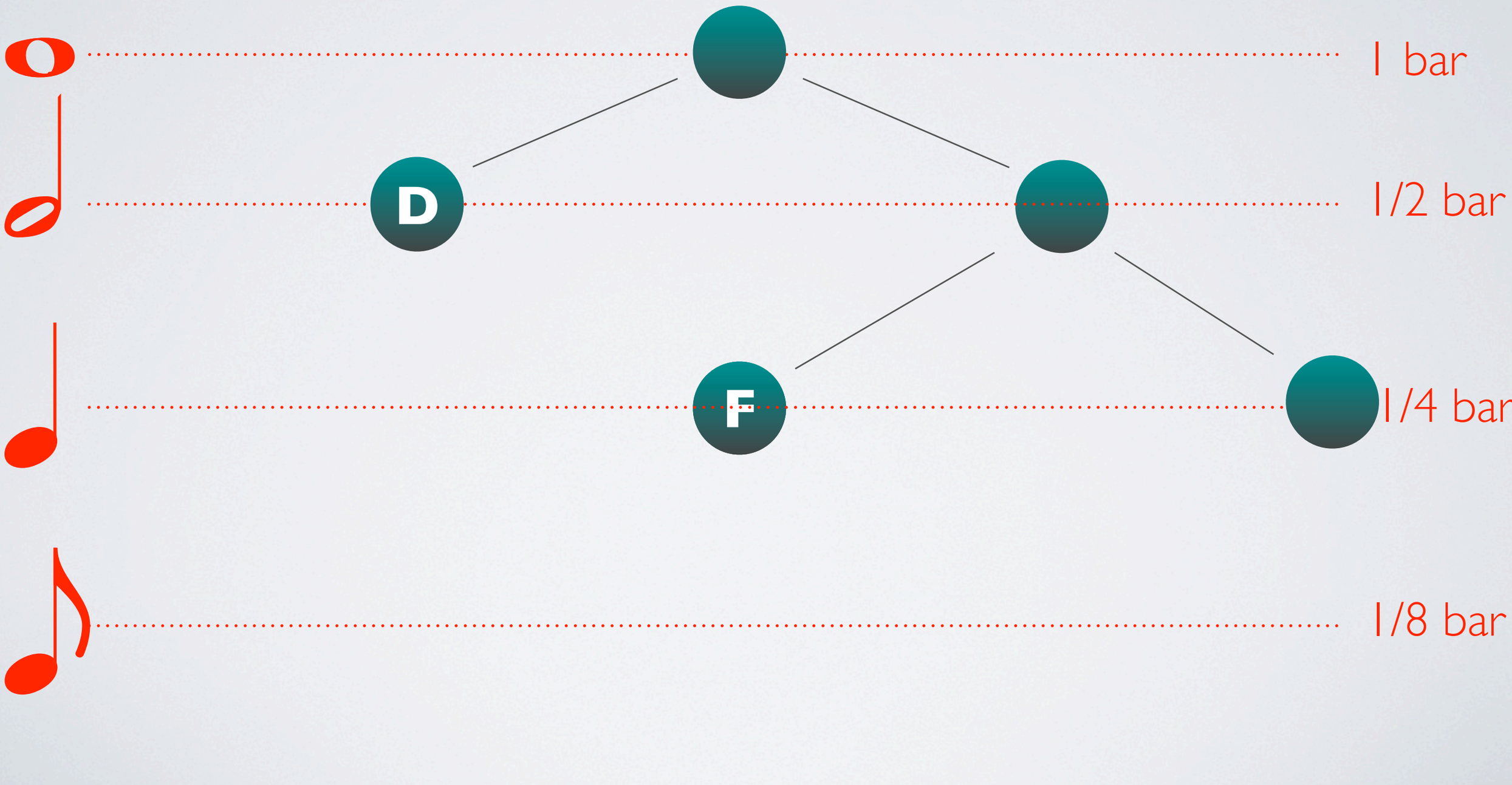
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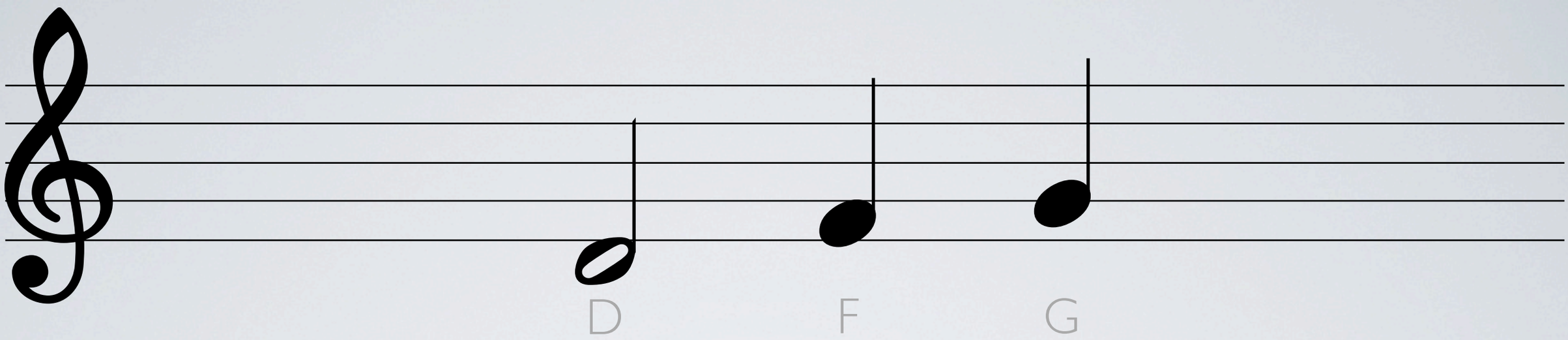
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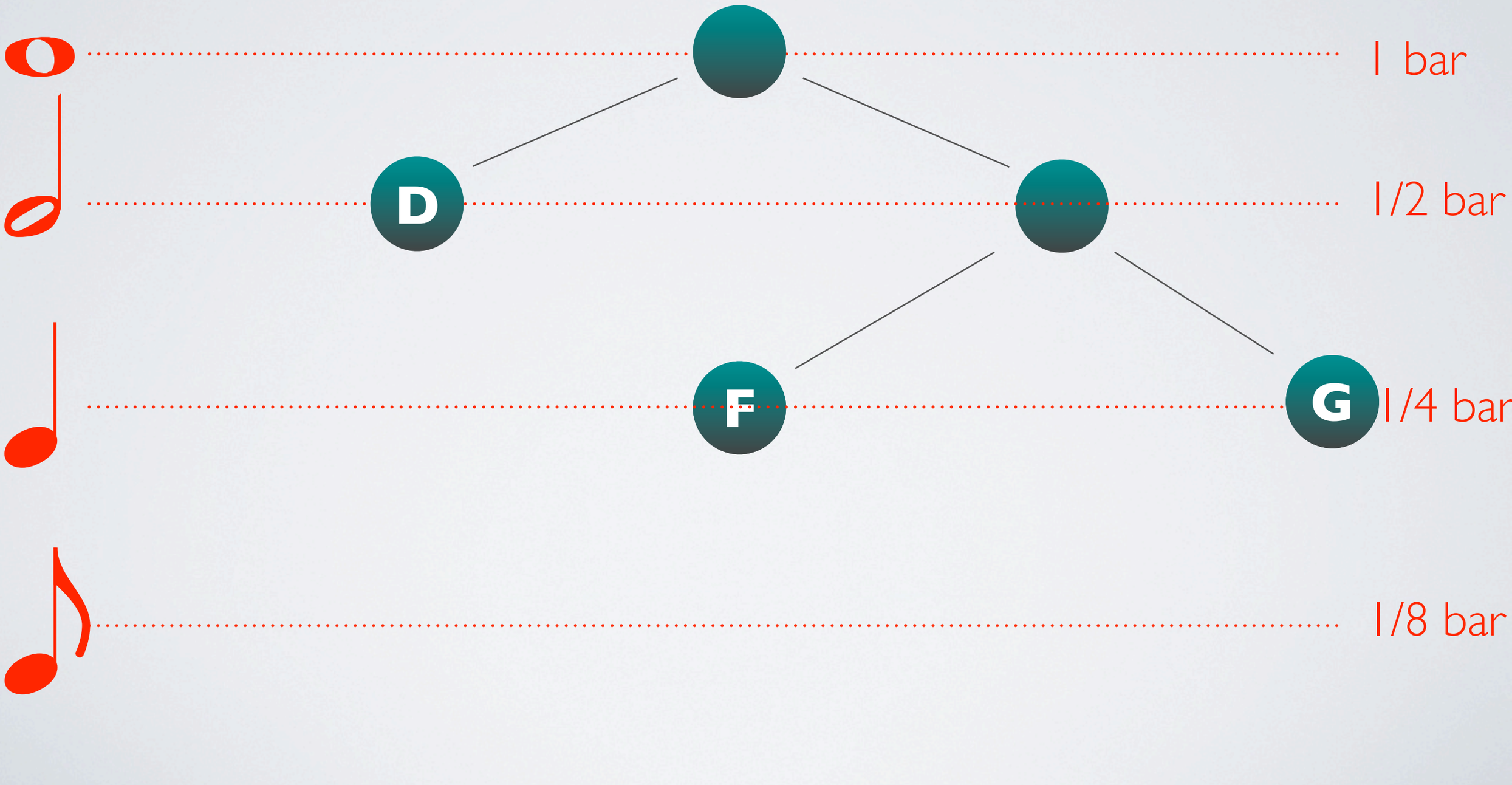
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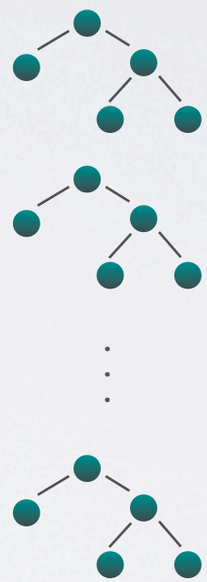

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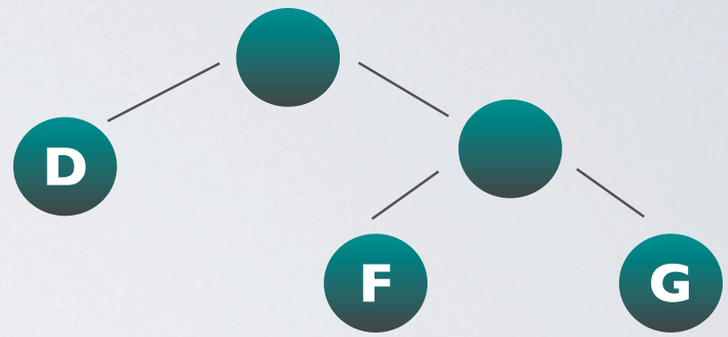

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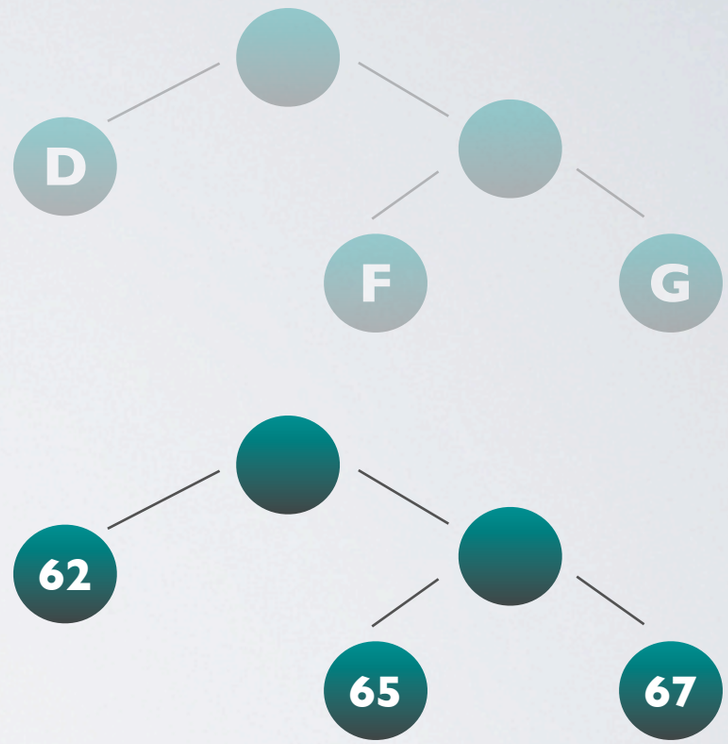

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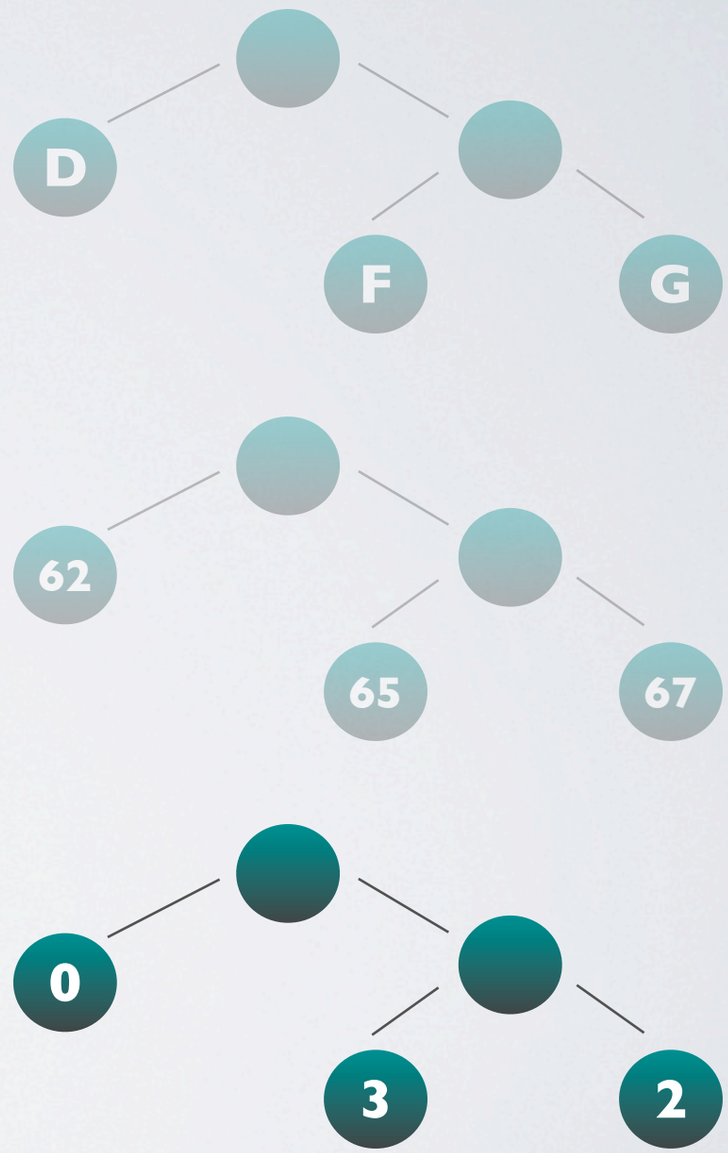

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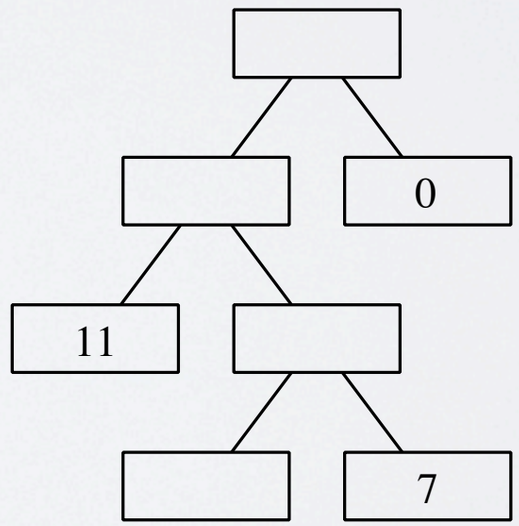

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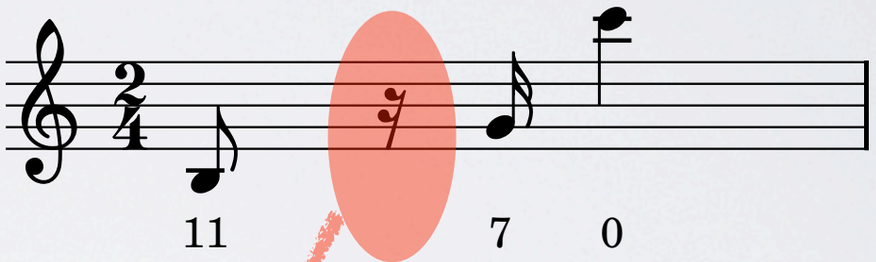

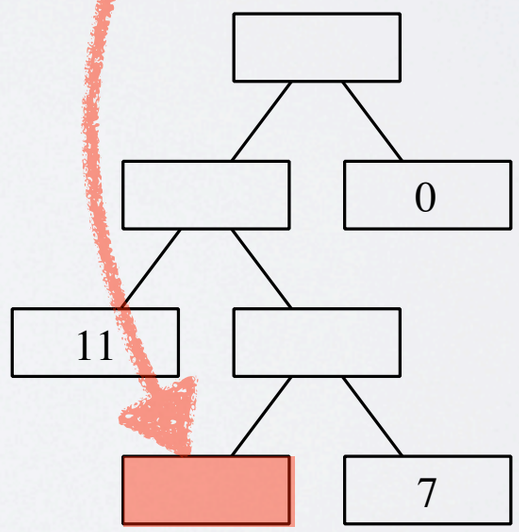

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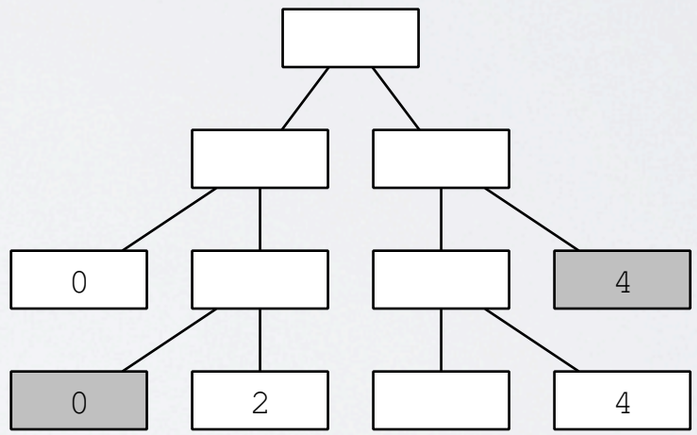

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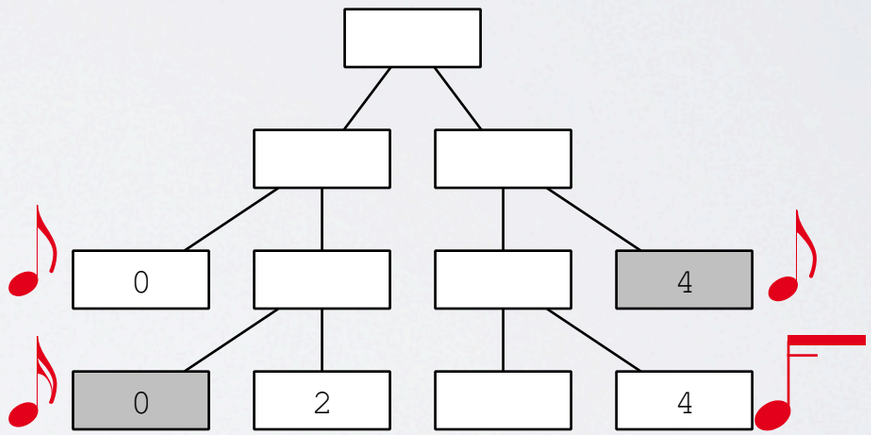

Continuation nodes are shaded

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Meter numerator determines the tree first levels structure

Simple meters

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$\frac{3}{4}$

$\frac{4}{4}$

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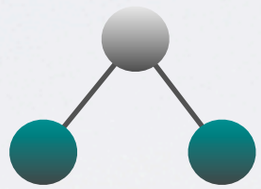

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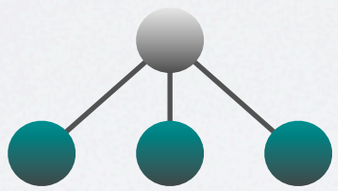

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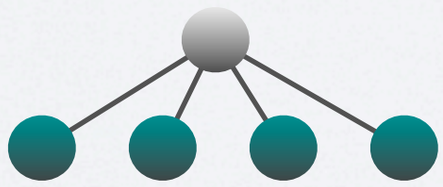

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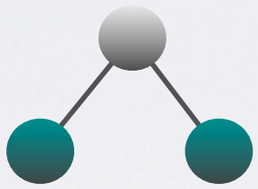

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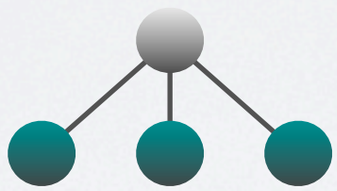

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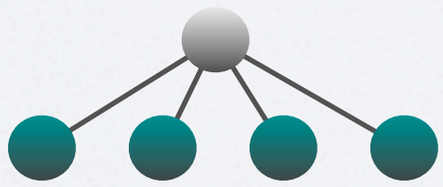

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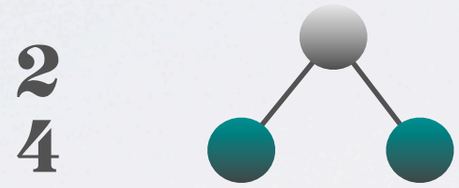

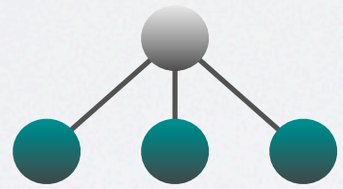

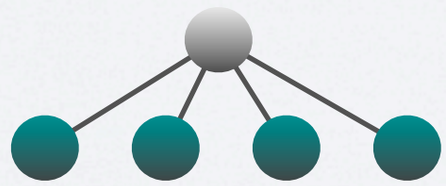

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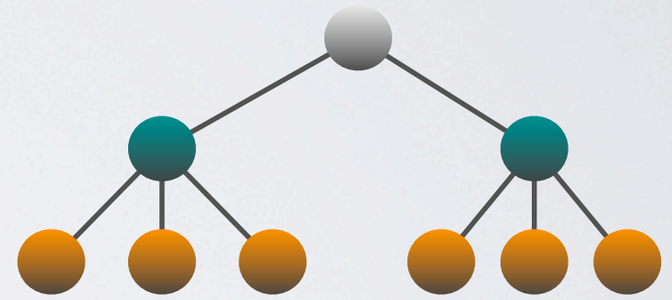

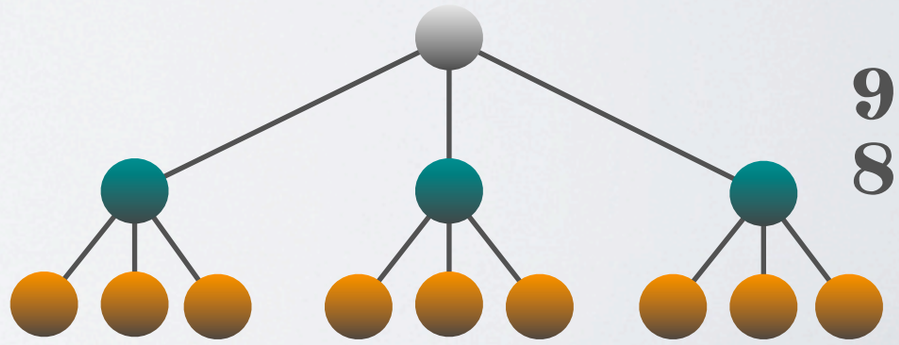

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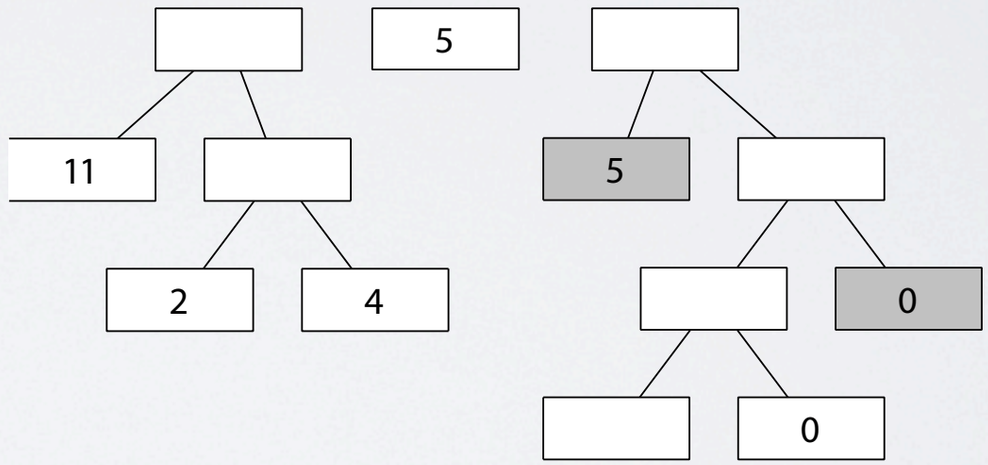

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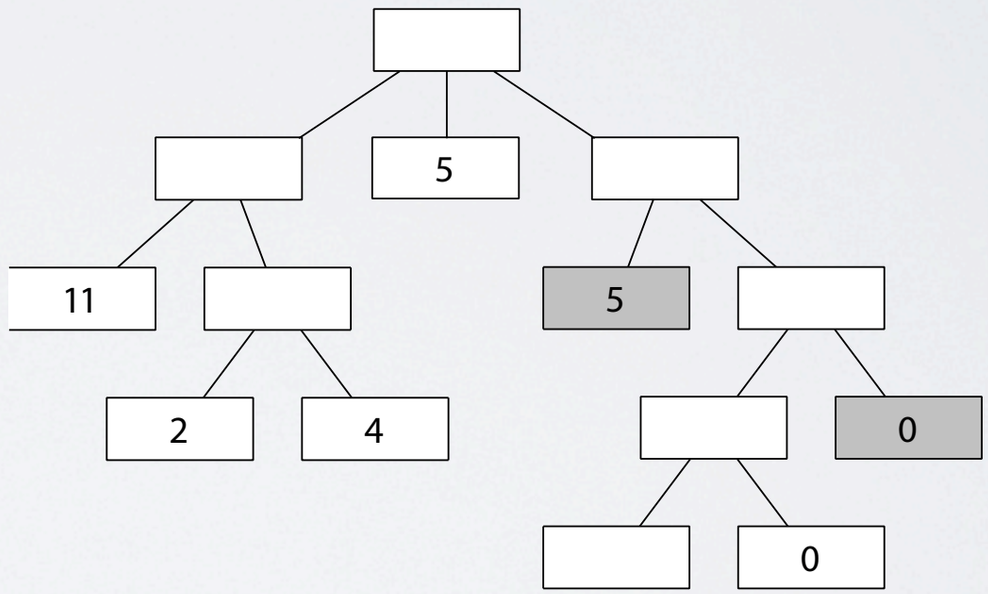

Linked to a common root

SOME FACTS

- Initially only leaves contain note information $\sum_p$
- This is not a parsing tree
  - actually it does not represent a grammar
    .... but could represent it
- Note no rhythm alphabet $\sum_p$ is required
  - rhythm encoded implicitly in tree structure

MUSIC SUMMARIZATION

Mozart's K331 variations

Manual summarization

Theme

Variation 1

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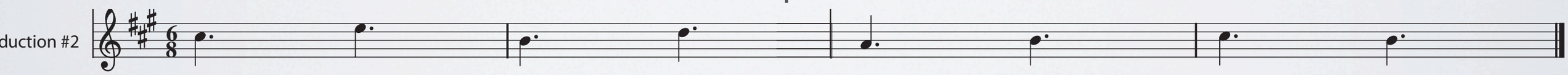

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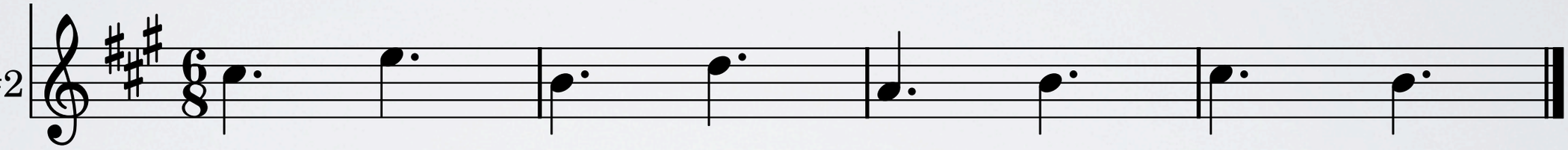
Reduce to 8th notes

Reduction #1

Same reduction to dotted quarter notes for both melodies

Reduction #2



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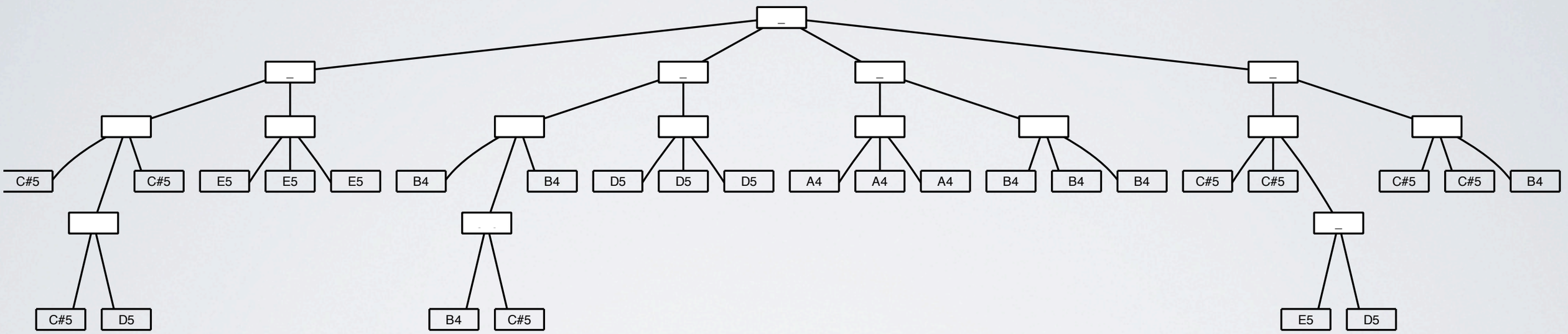

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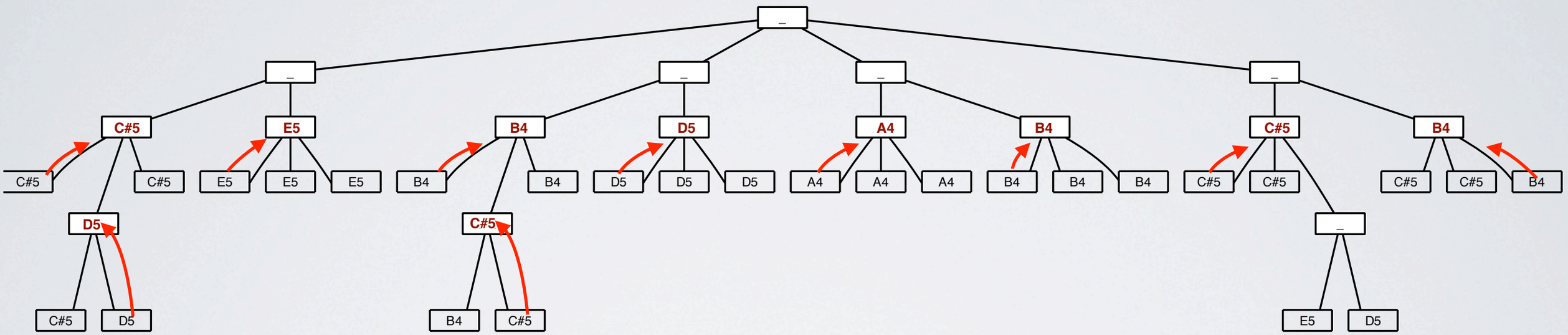

Propagate bottom-up important notes

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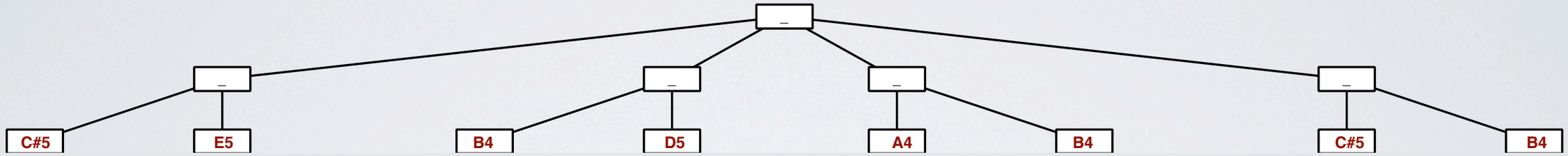

Reduction #2

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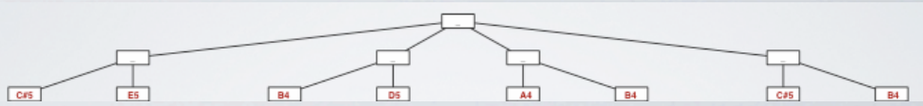

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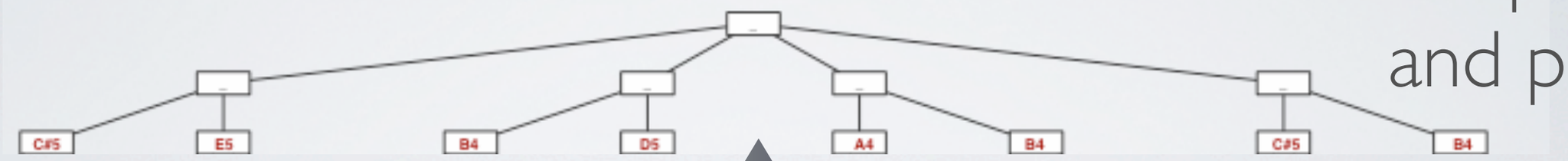

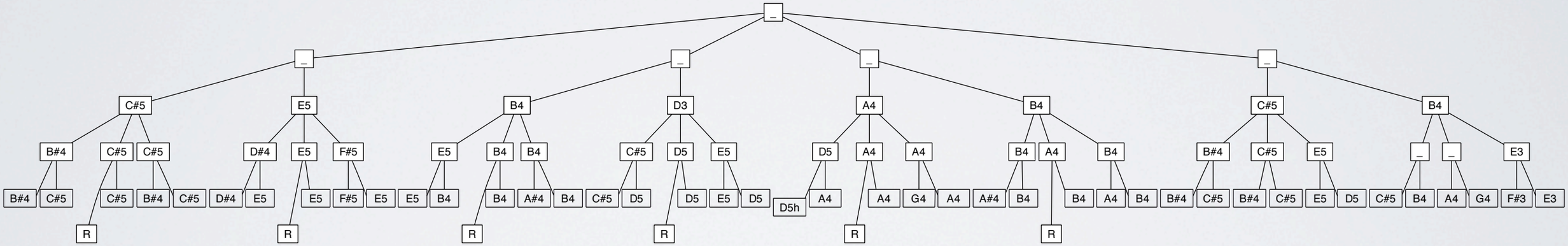

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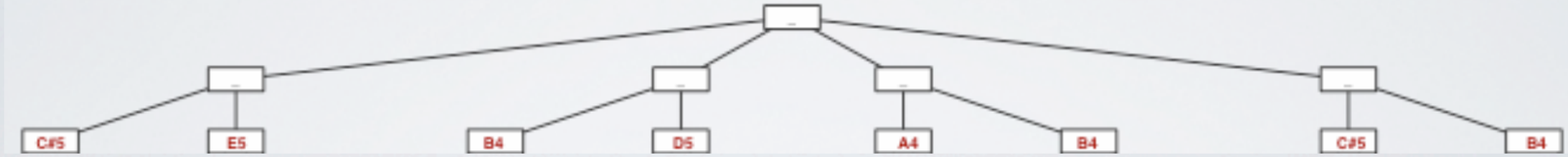

Theme tree = Variation tree

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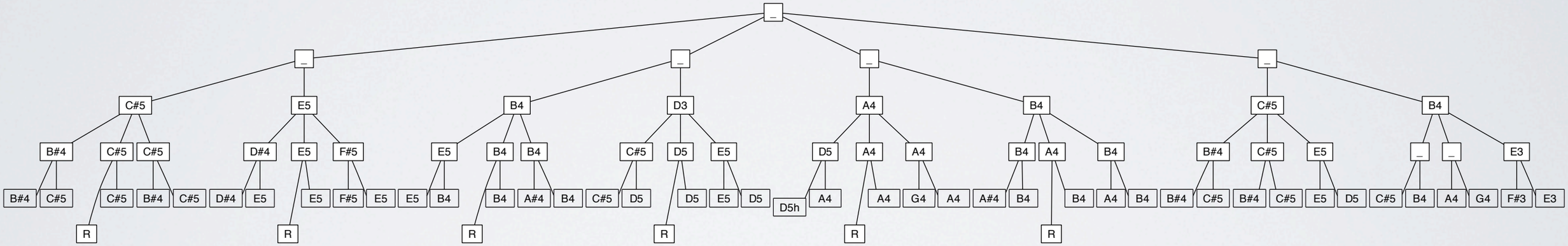

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  - Two decisions must be taken

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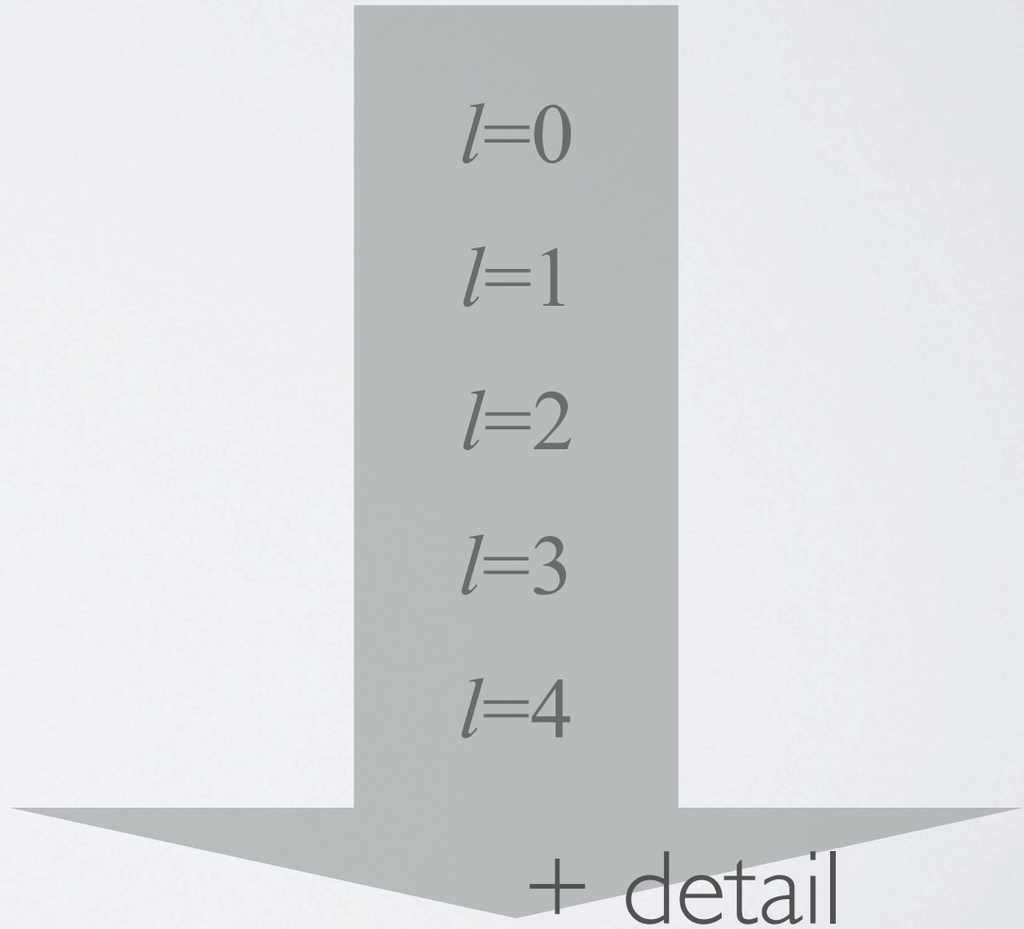

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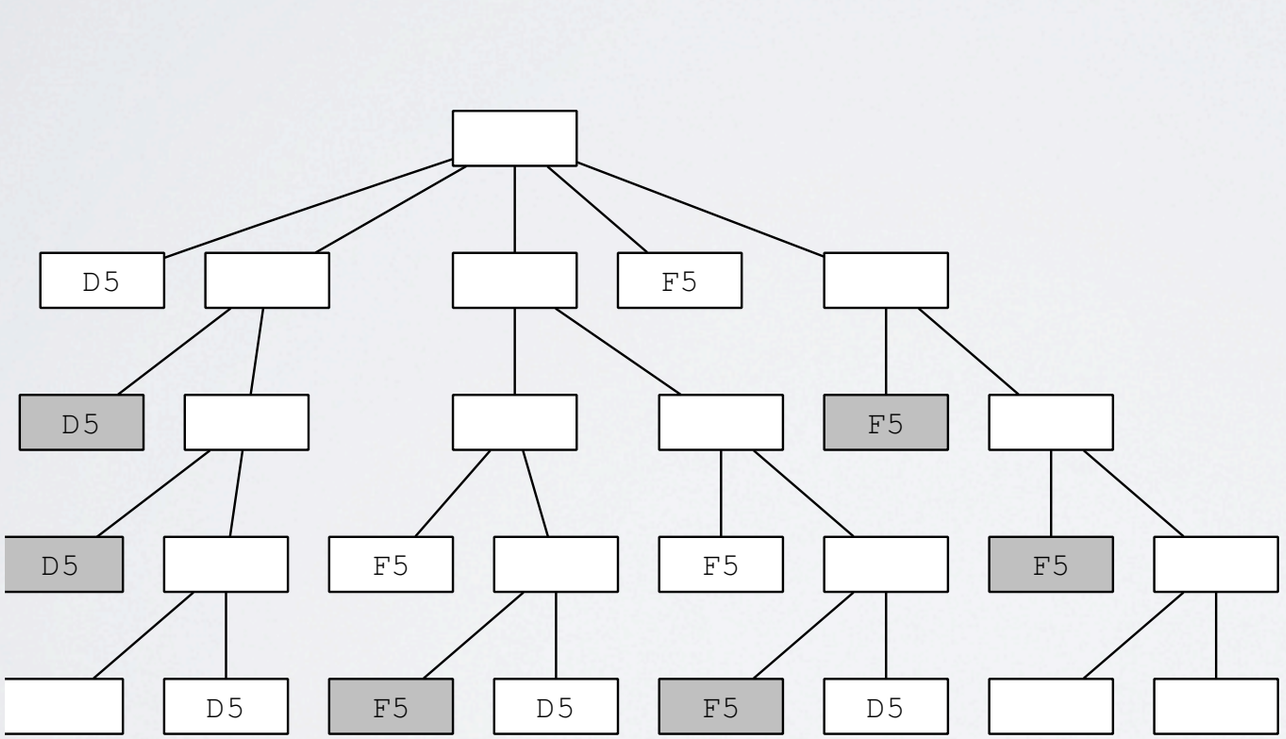

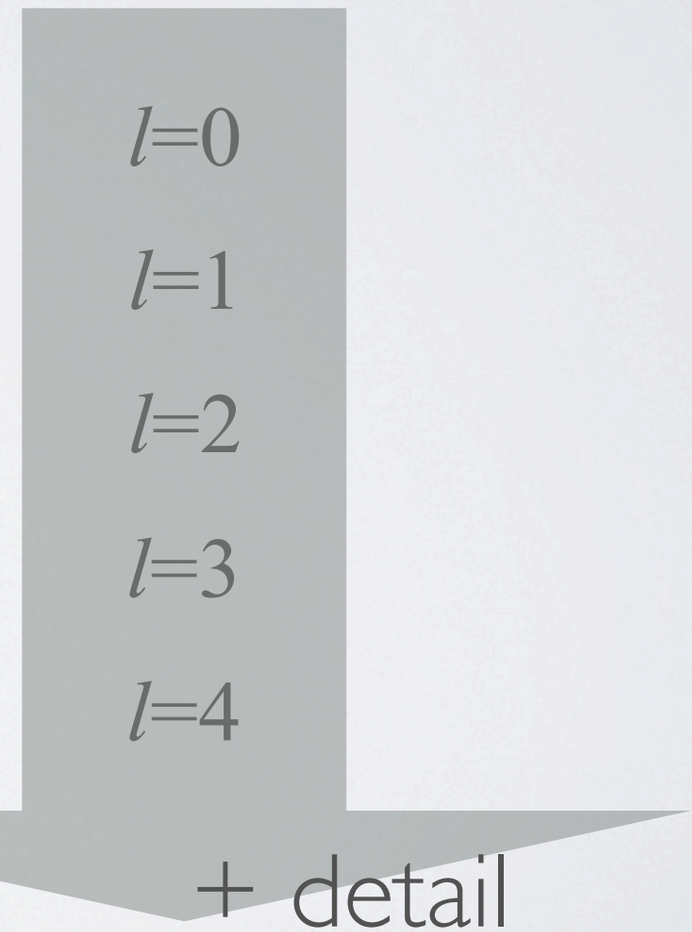

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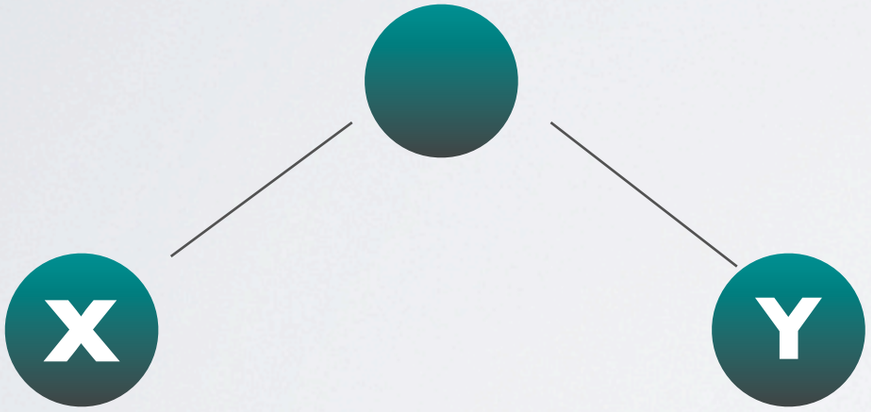

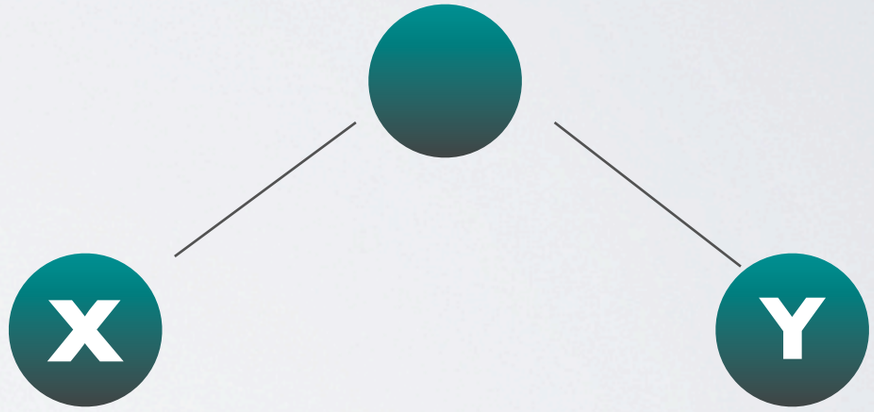

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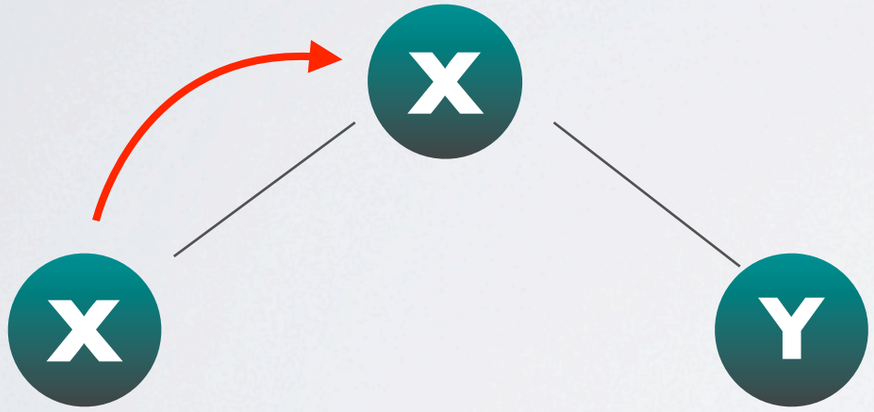

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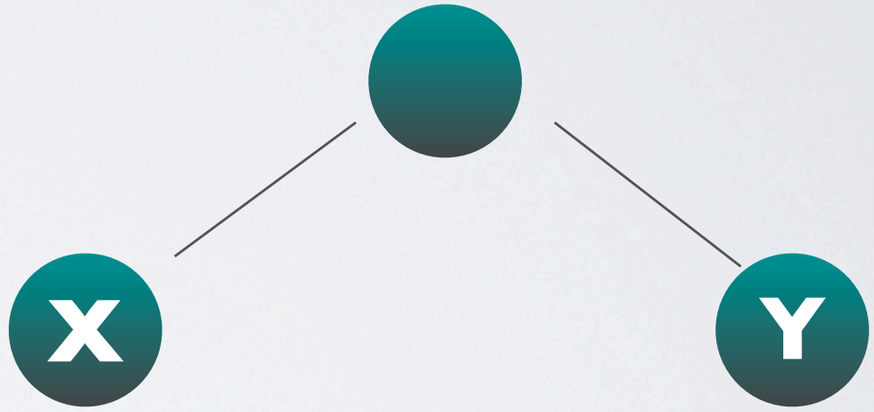

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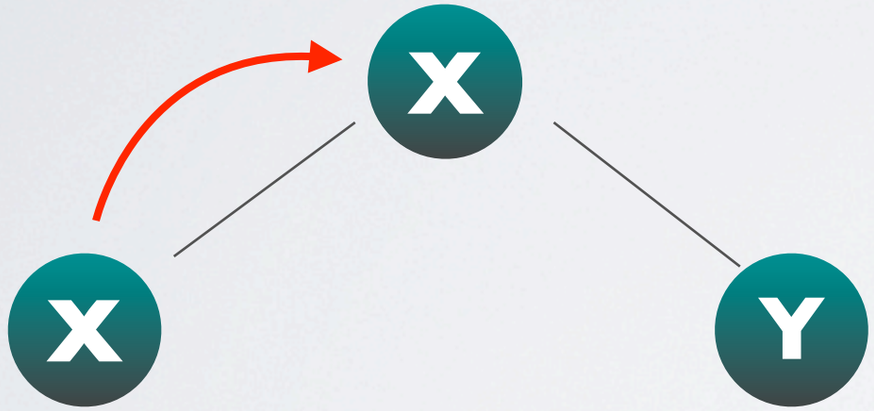

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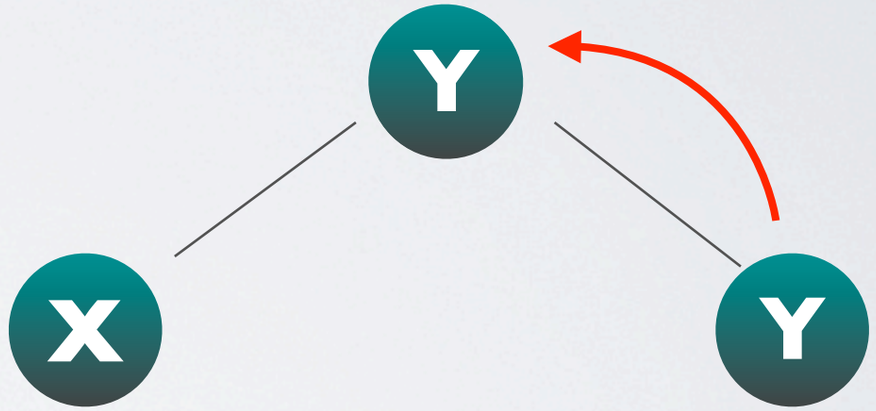

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Several propagation schemes are proposed:

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  * *Partial propagation*
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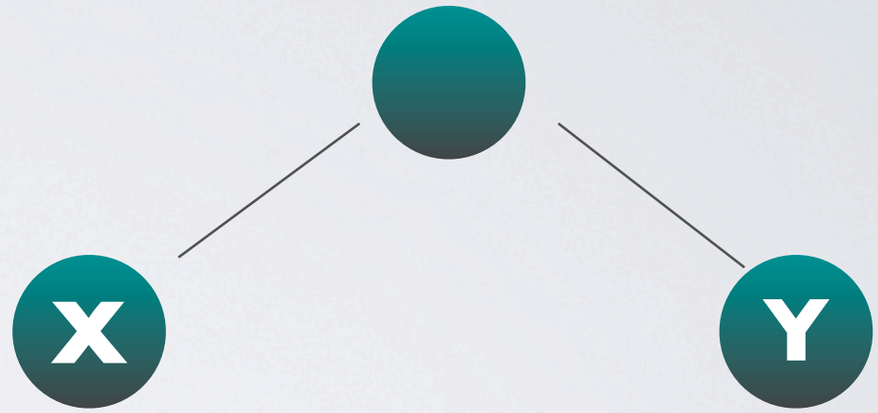

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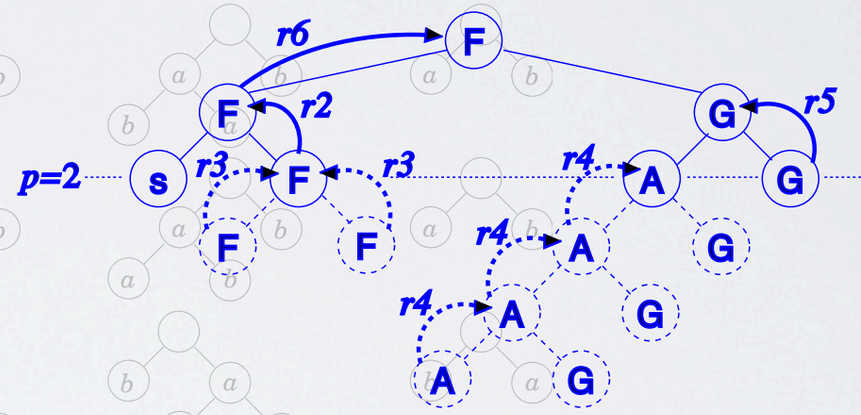

Consolidate repeated,

remove **rests**,

long notes over very short

left (strong) over right (weak)

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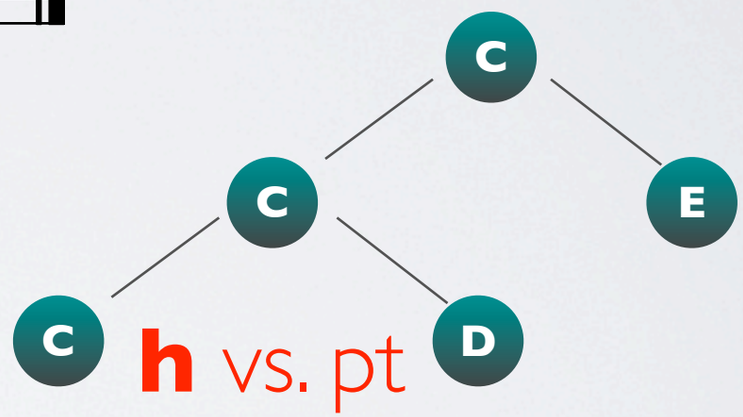

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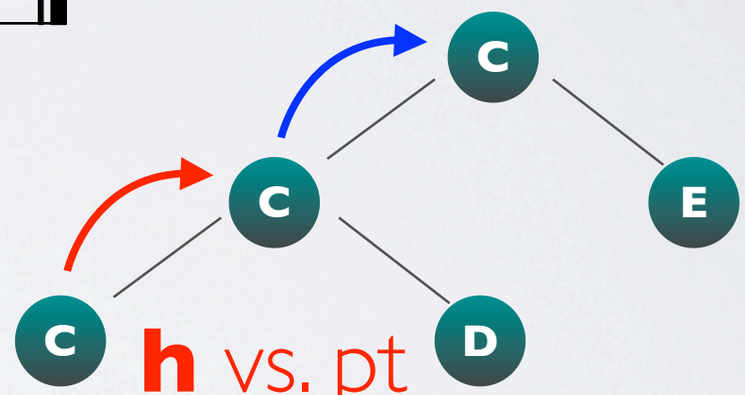

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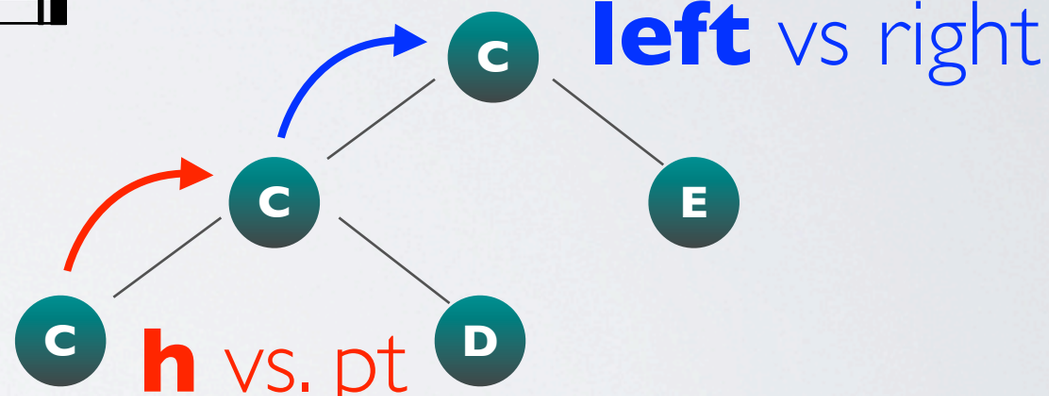

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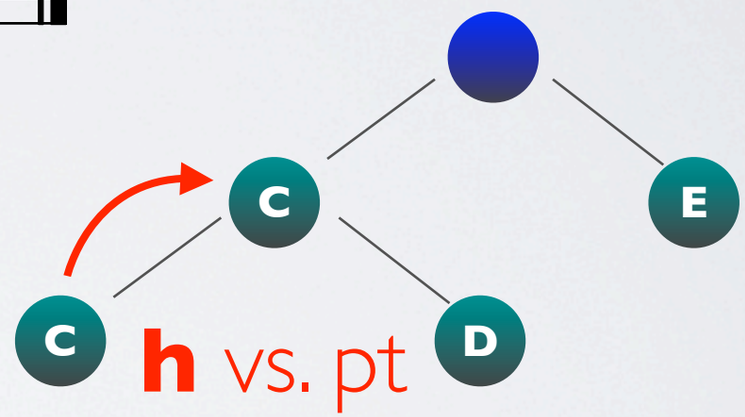

When both are harmonic,
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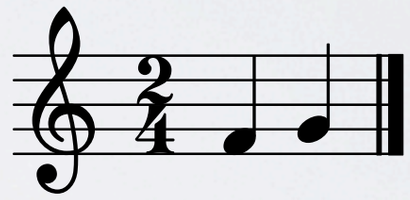
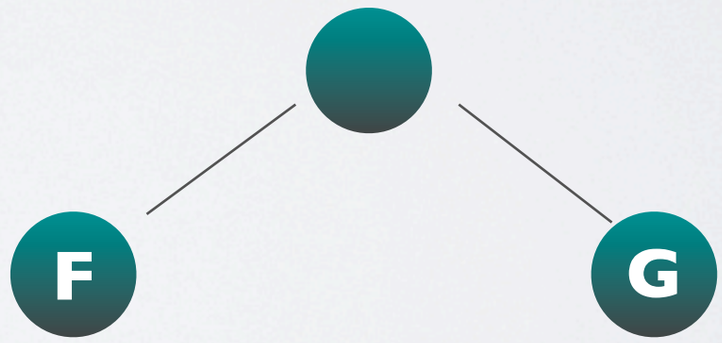
Left over right

Importance to stronger notes





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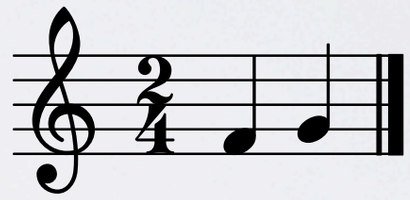

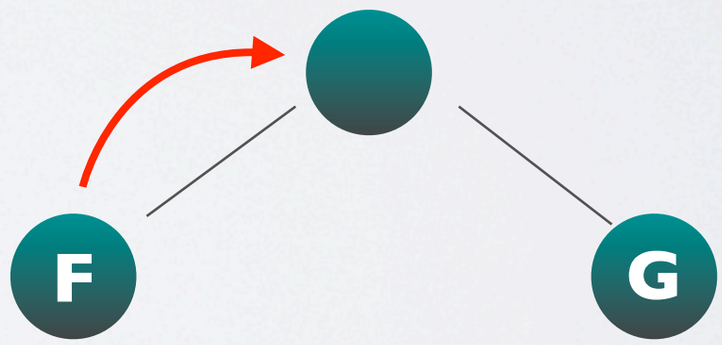

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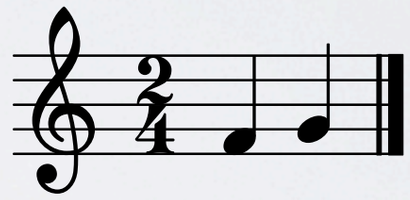

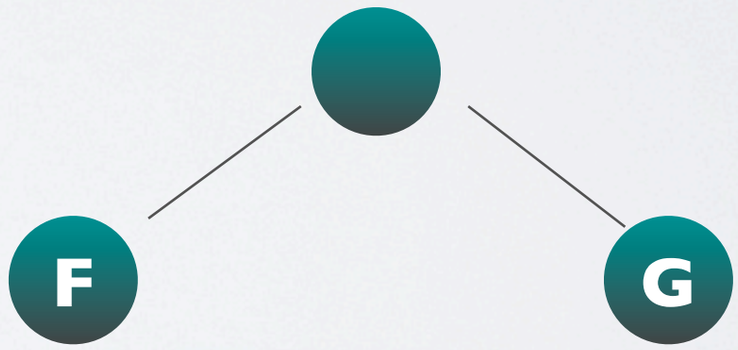

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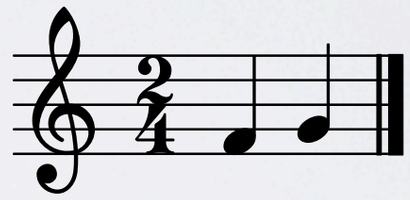

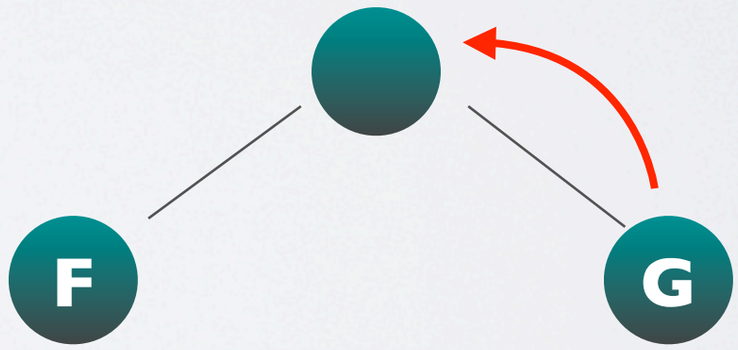

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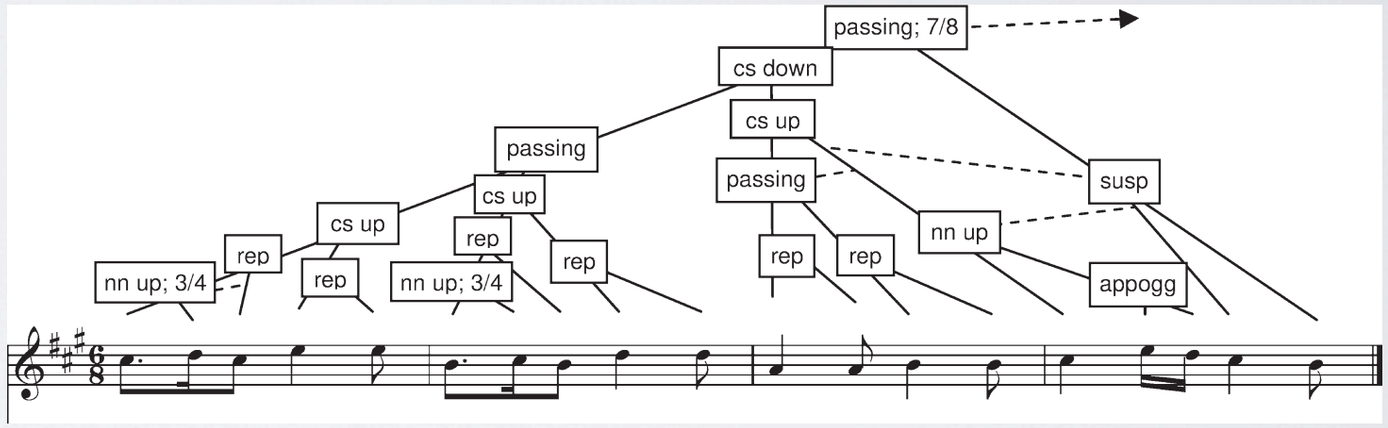

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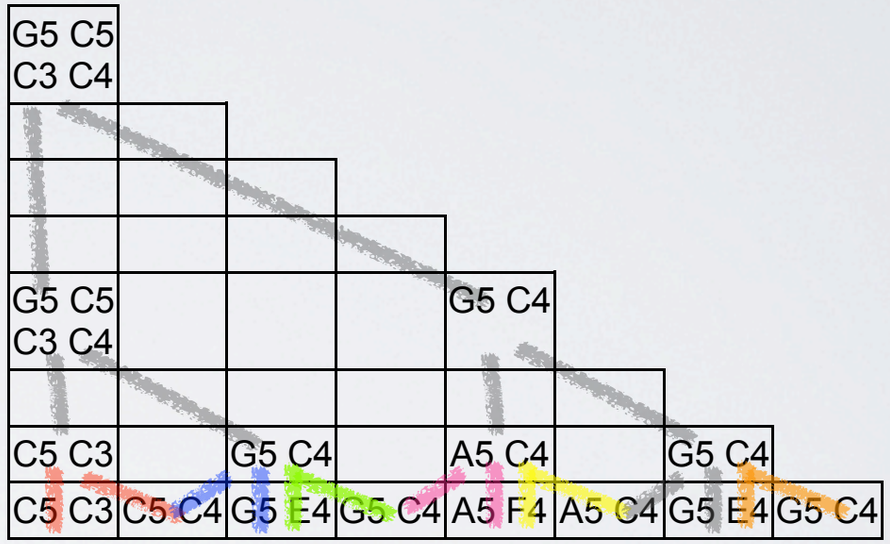

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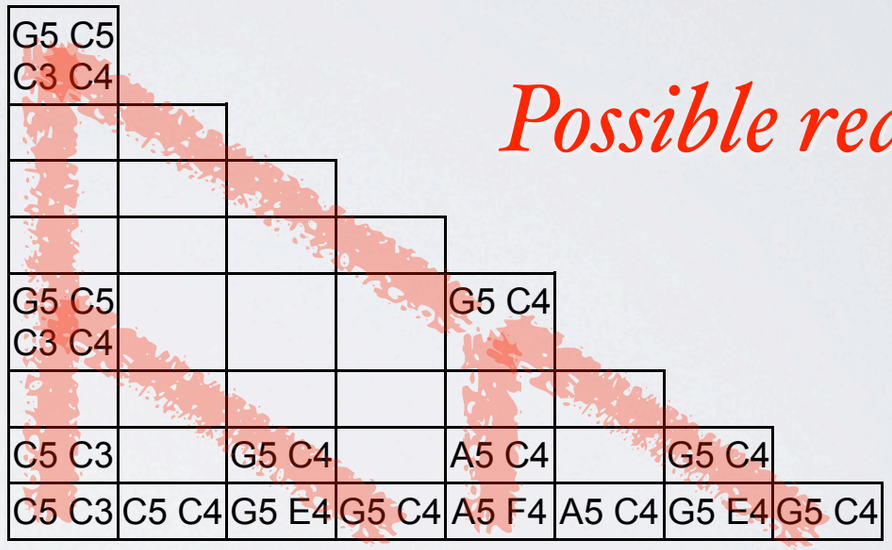

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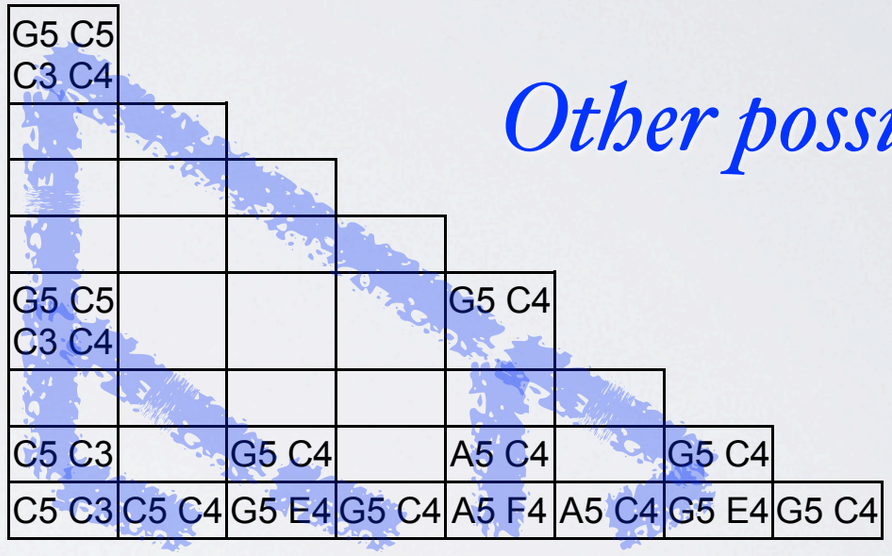

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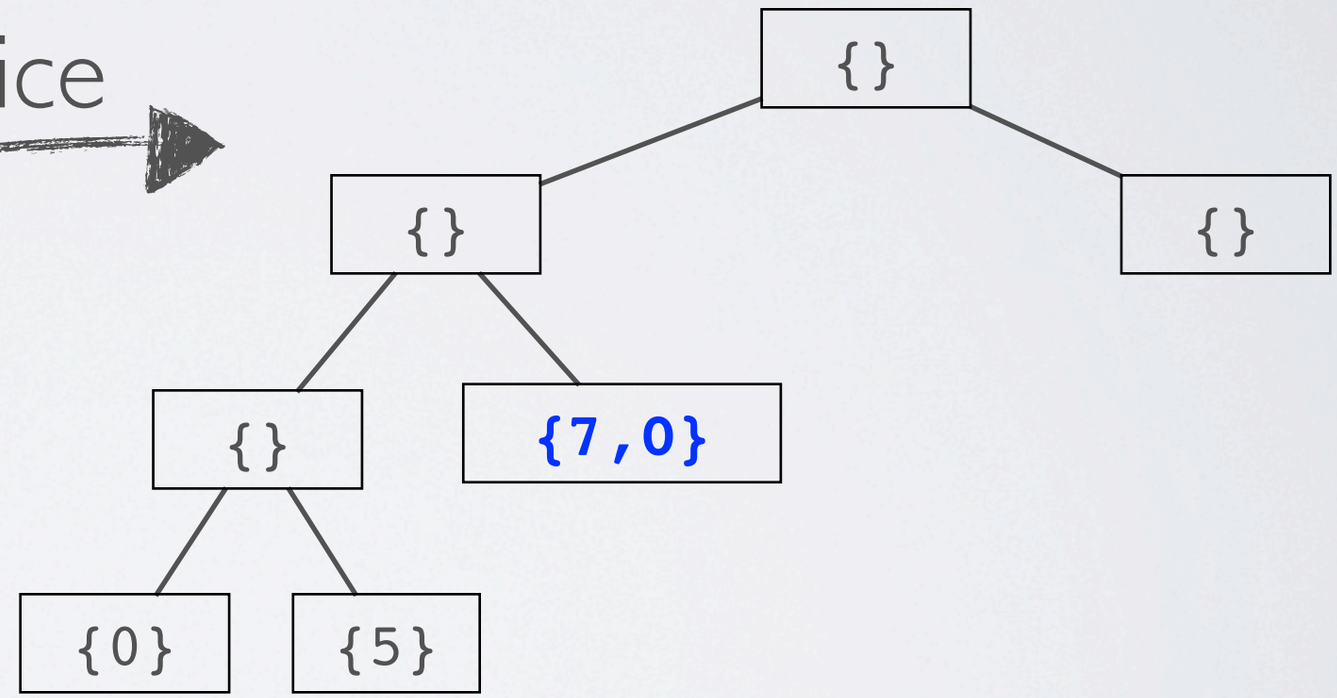

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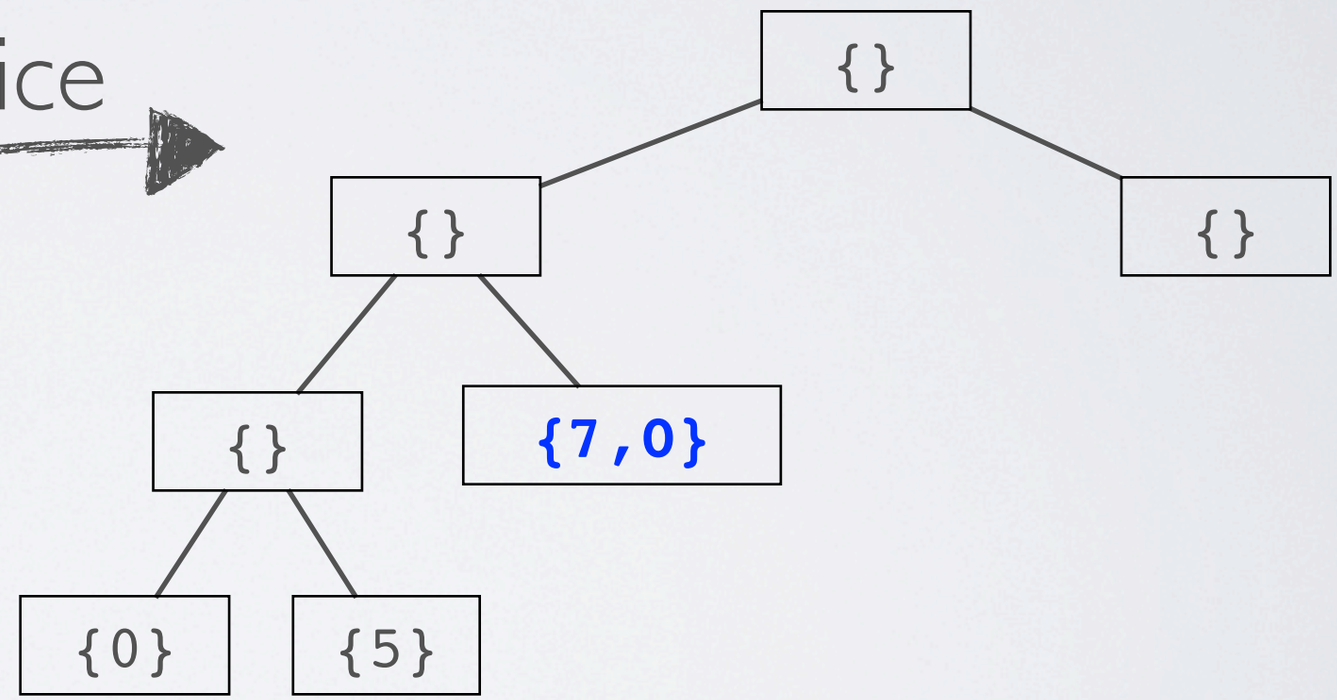

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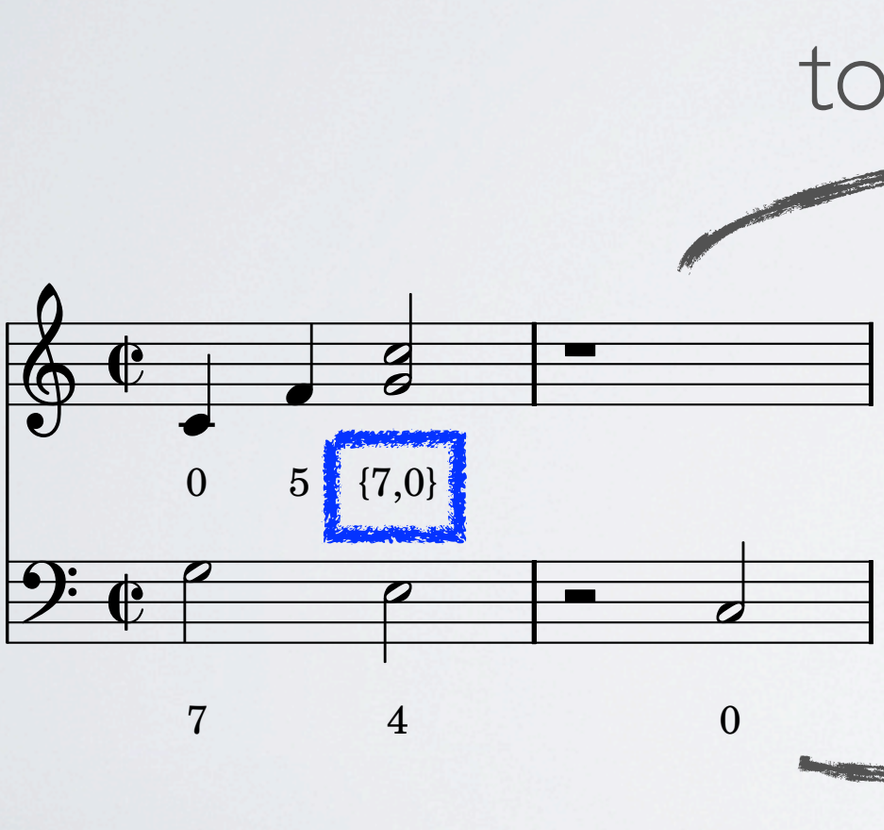

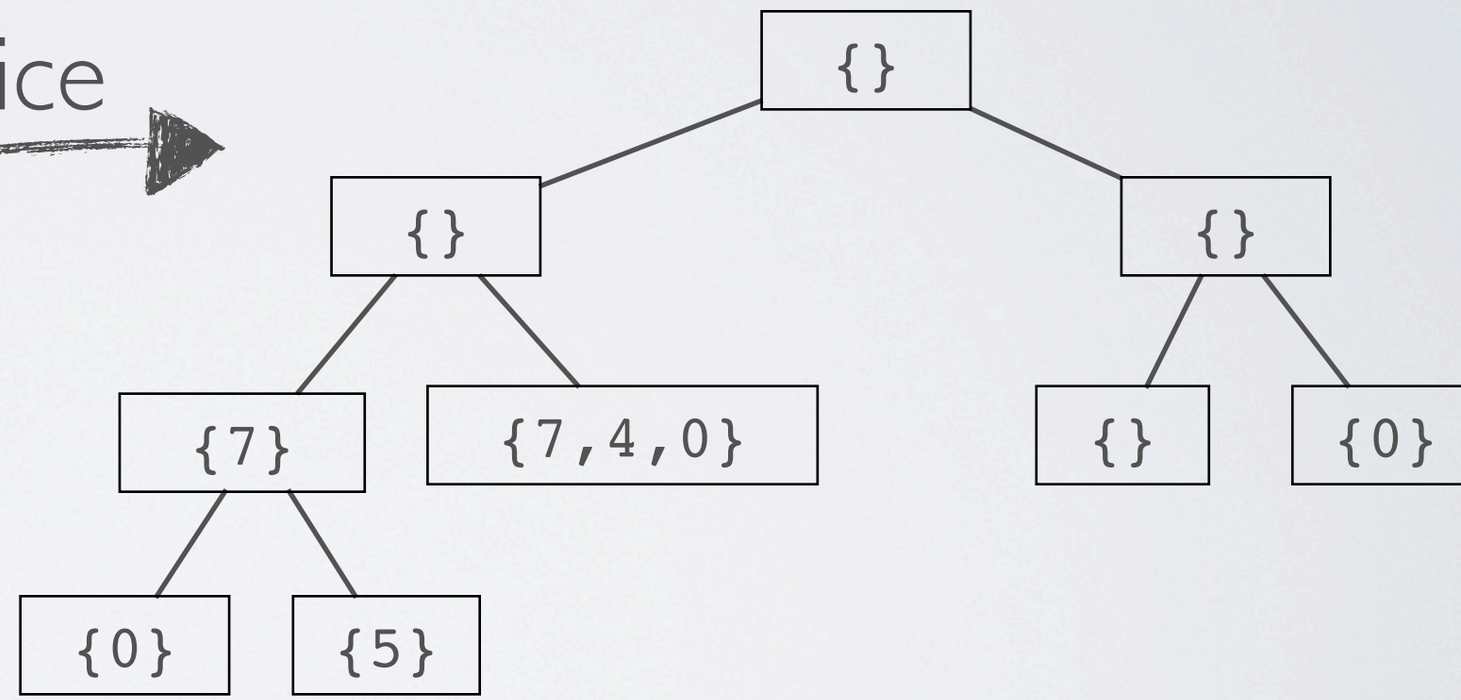

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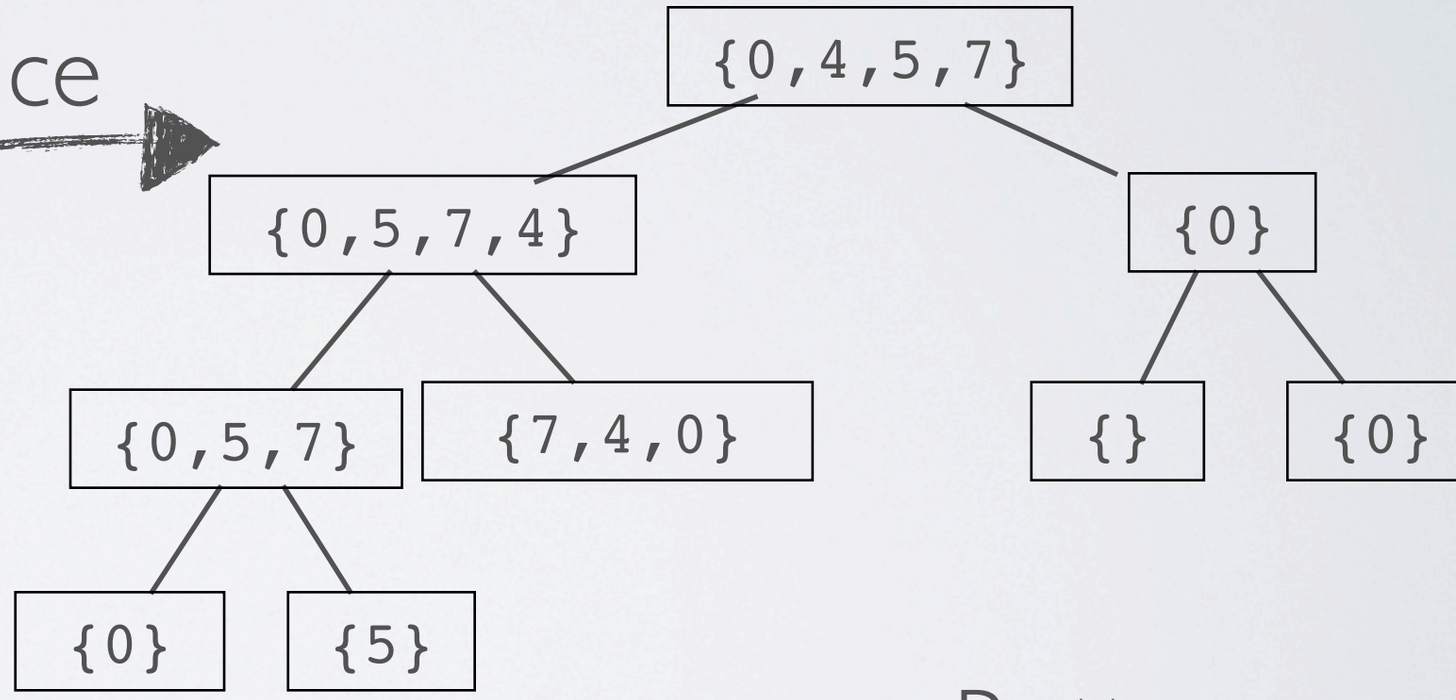

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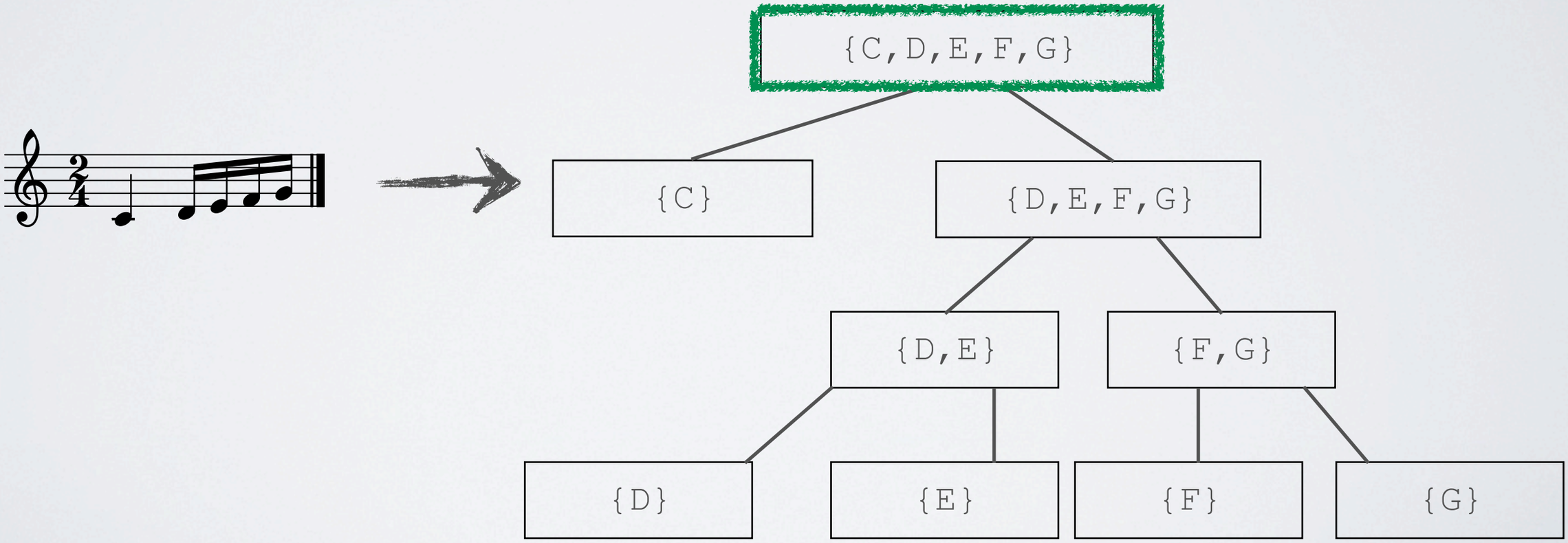

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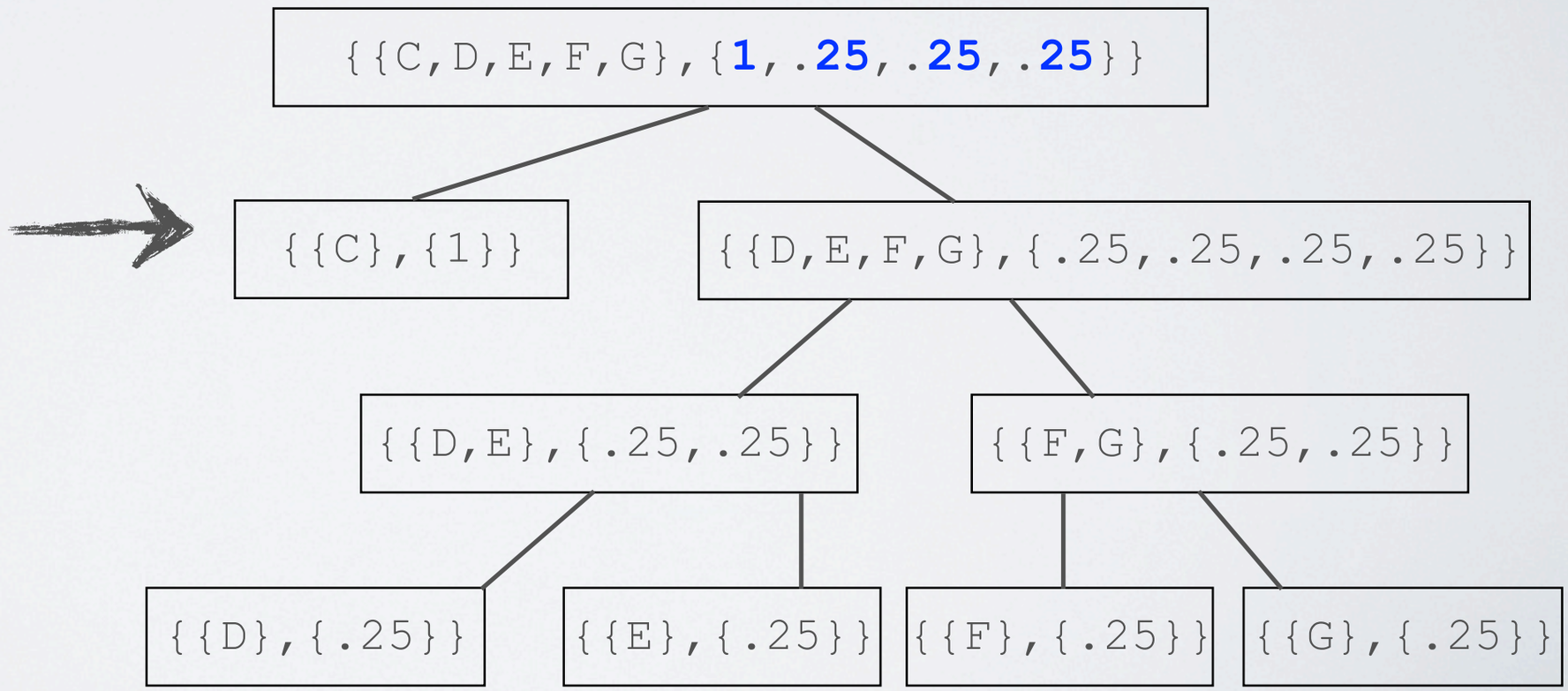

PROBABILISTIC K-TESTABLE TREE LANGUAGES

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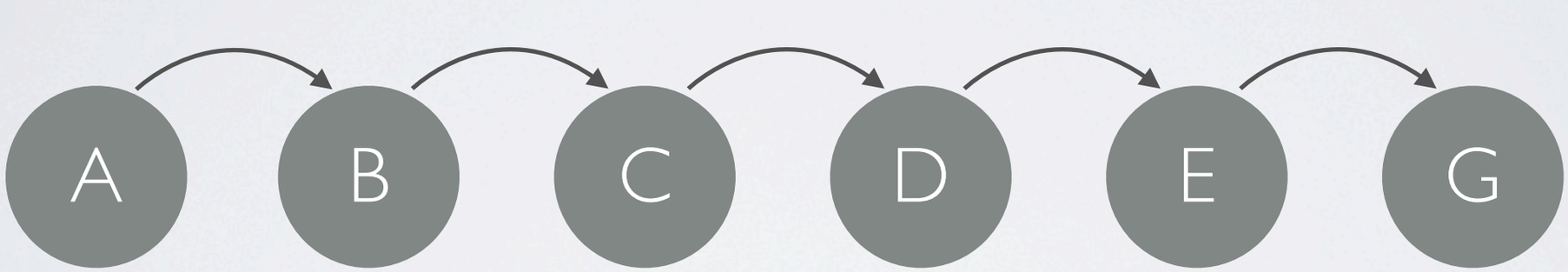

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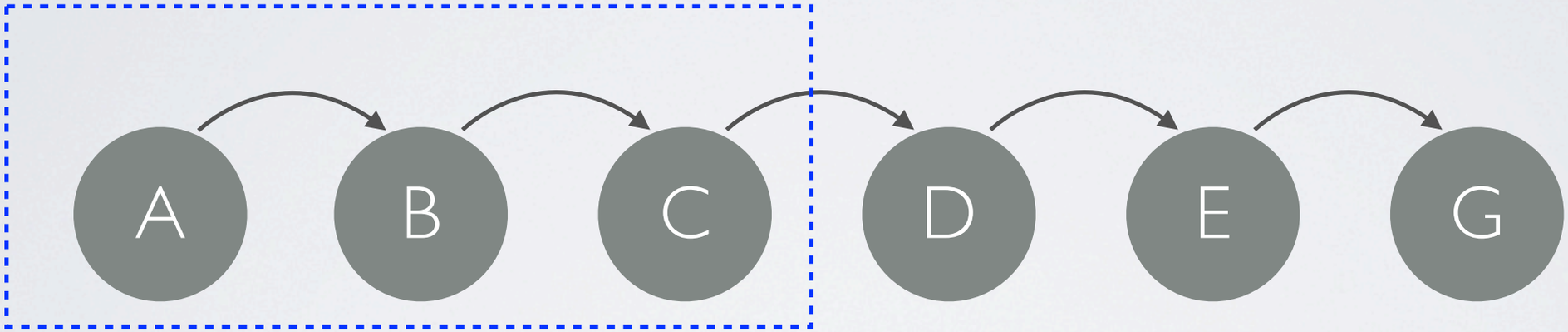

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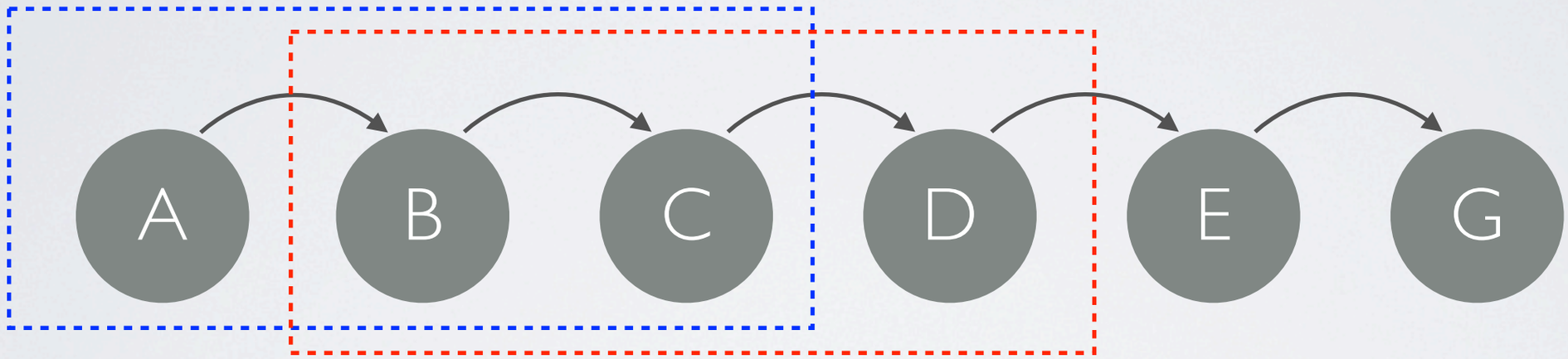

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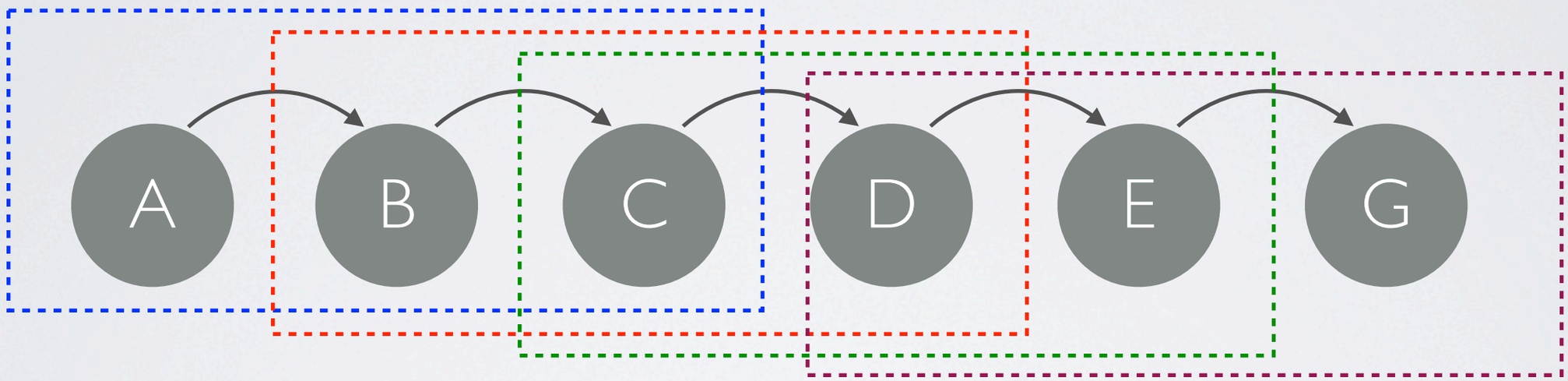

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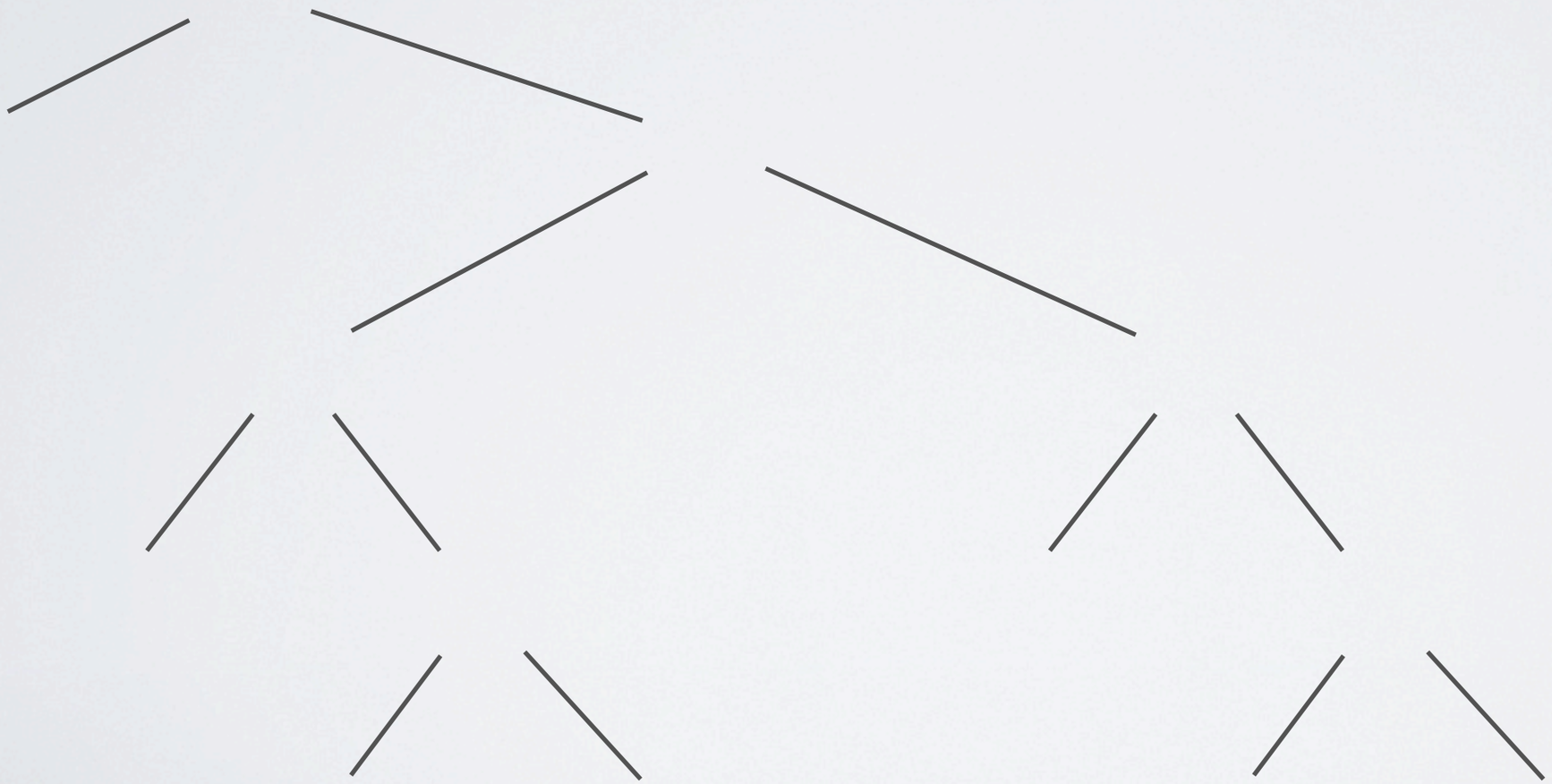

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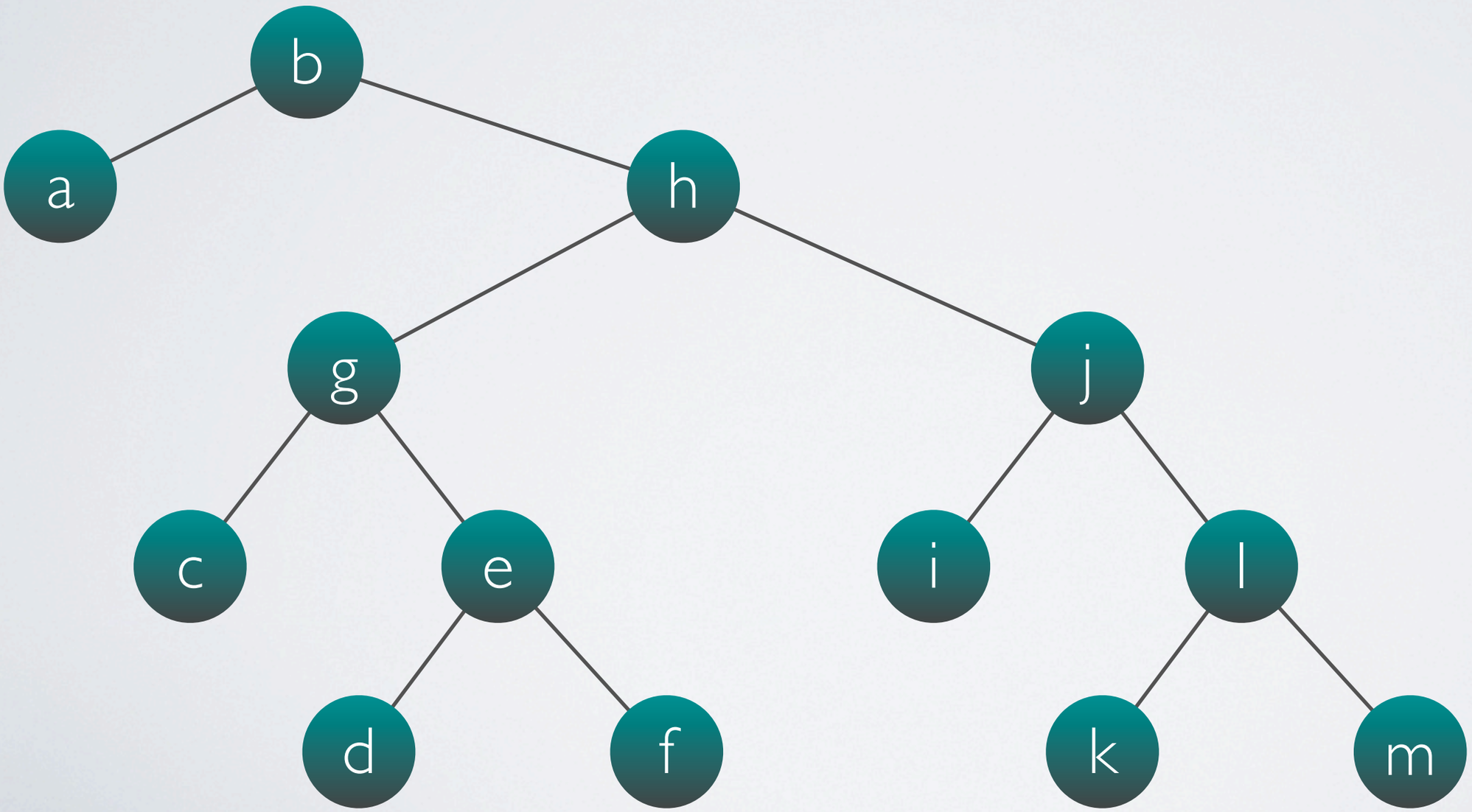

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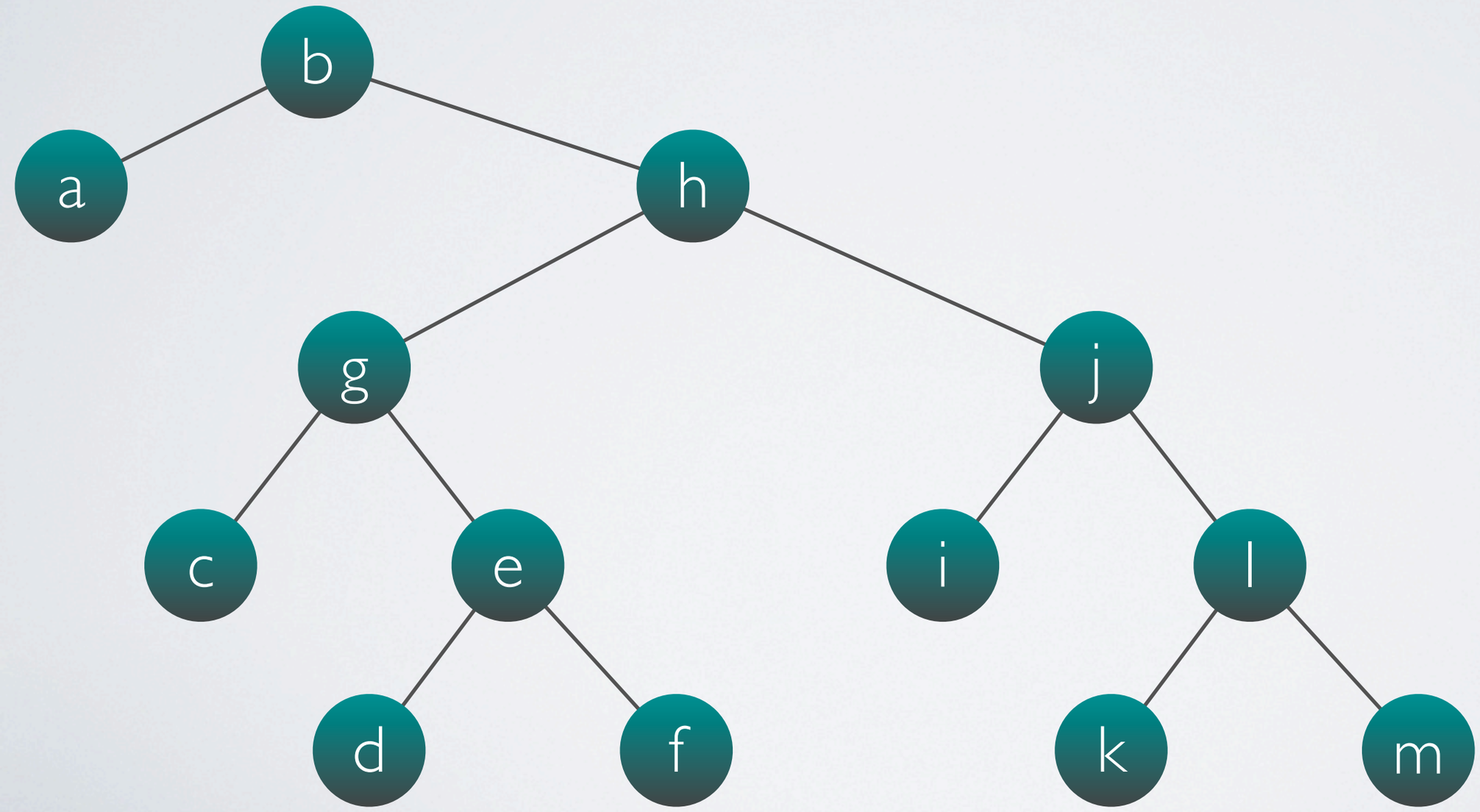

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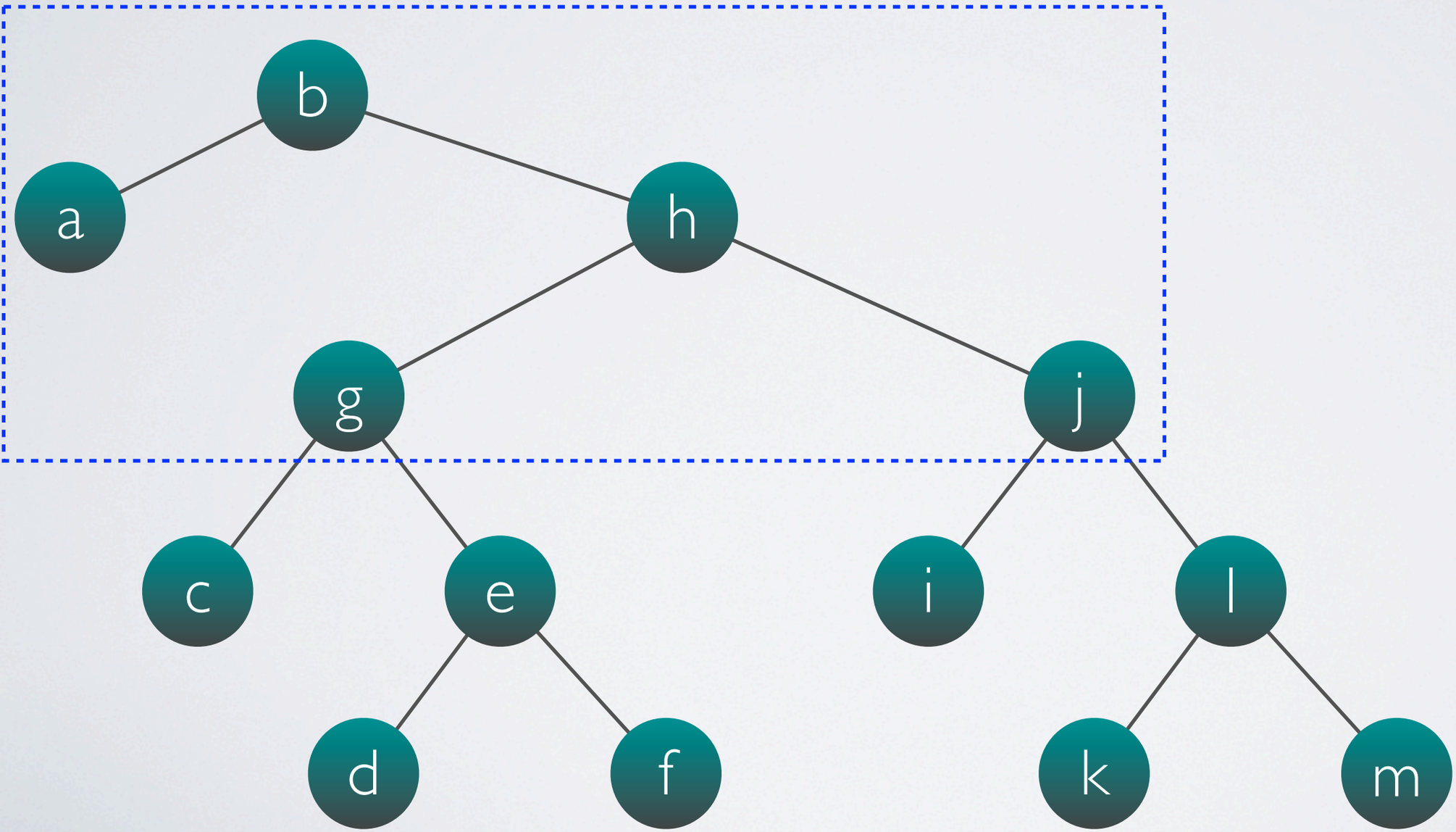

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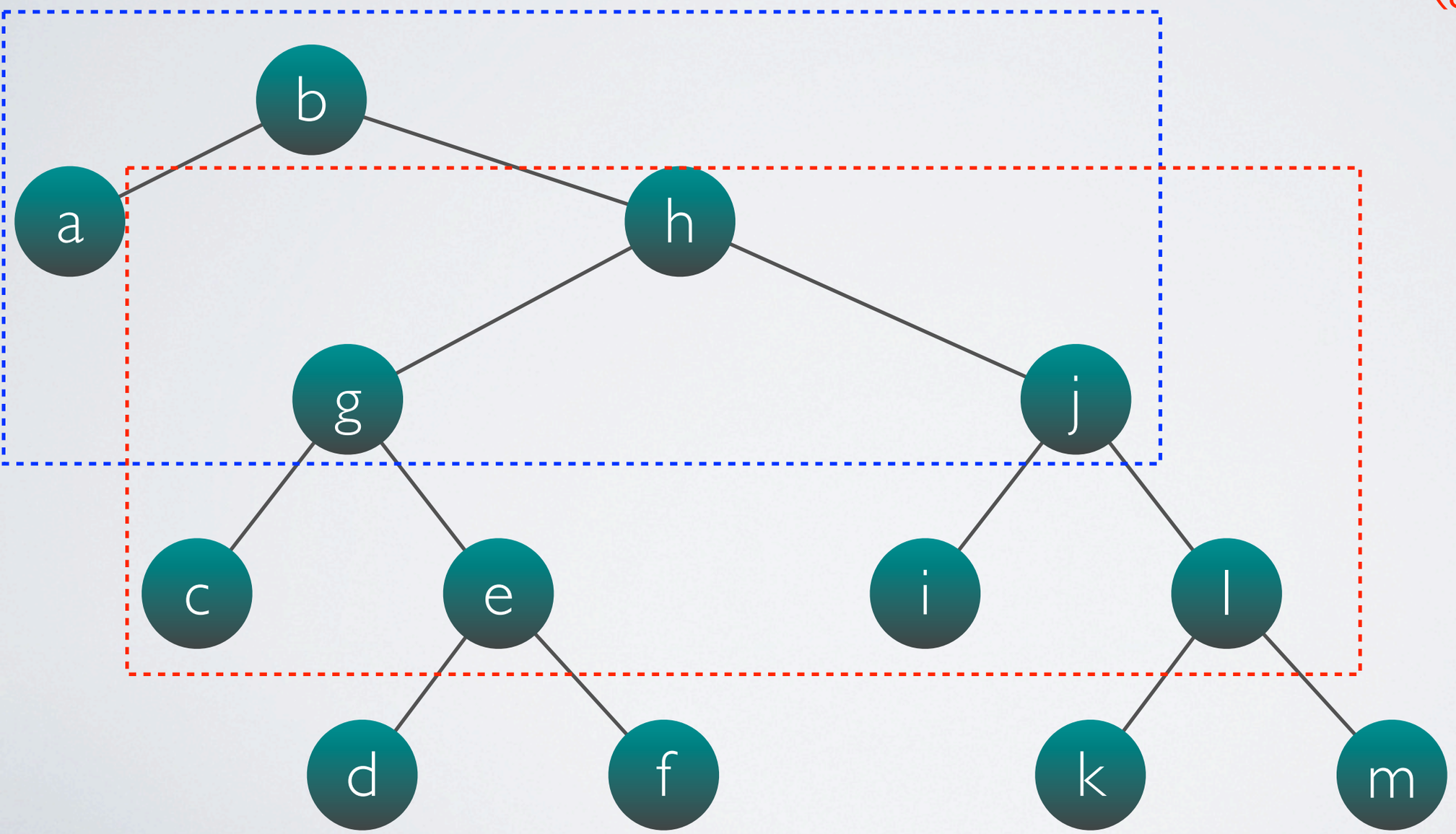

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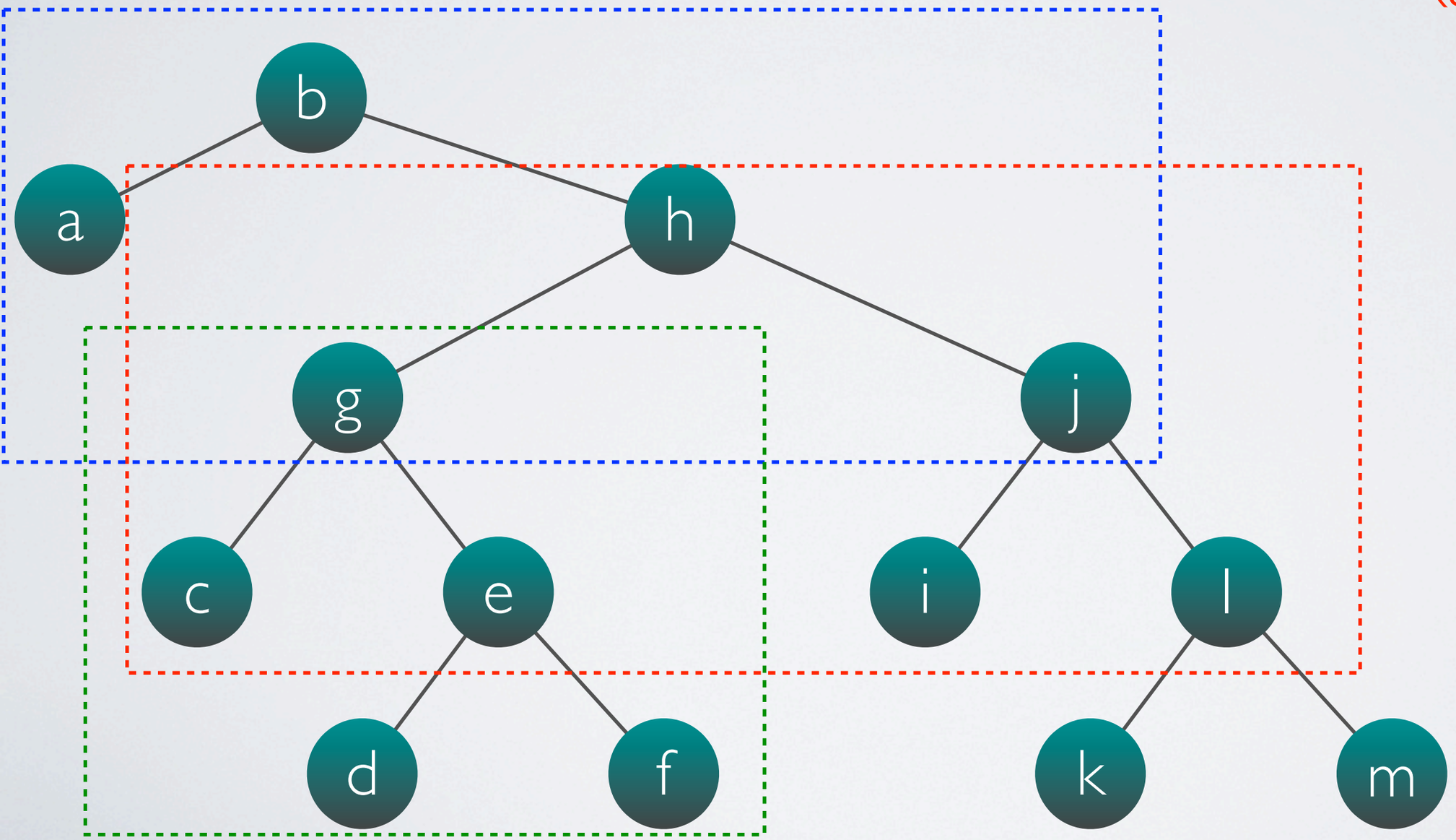

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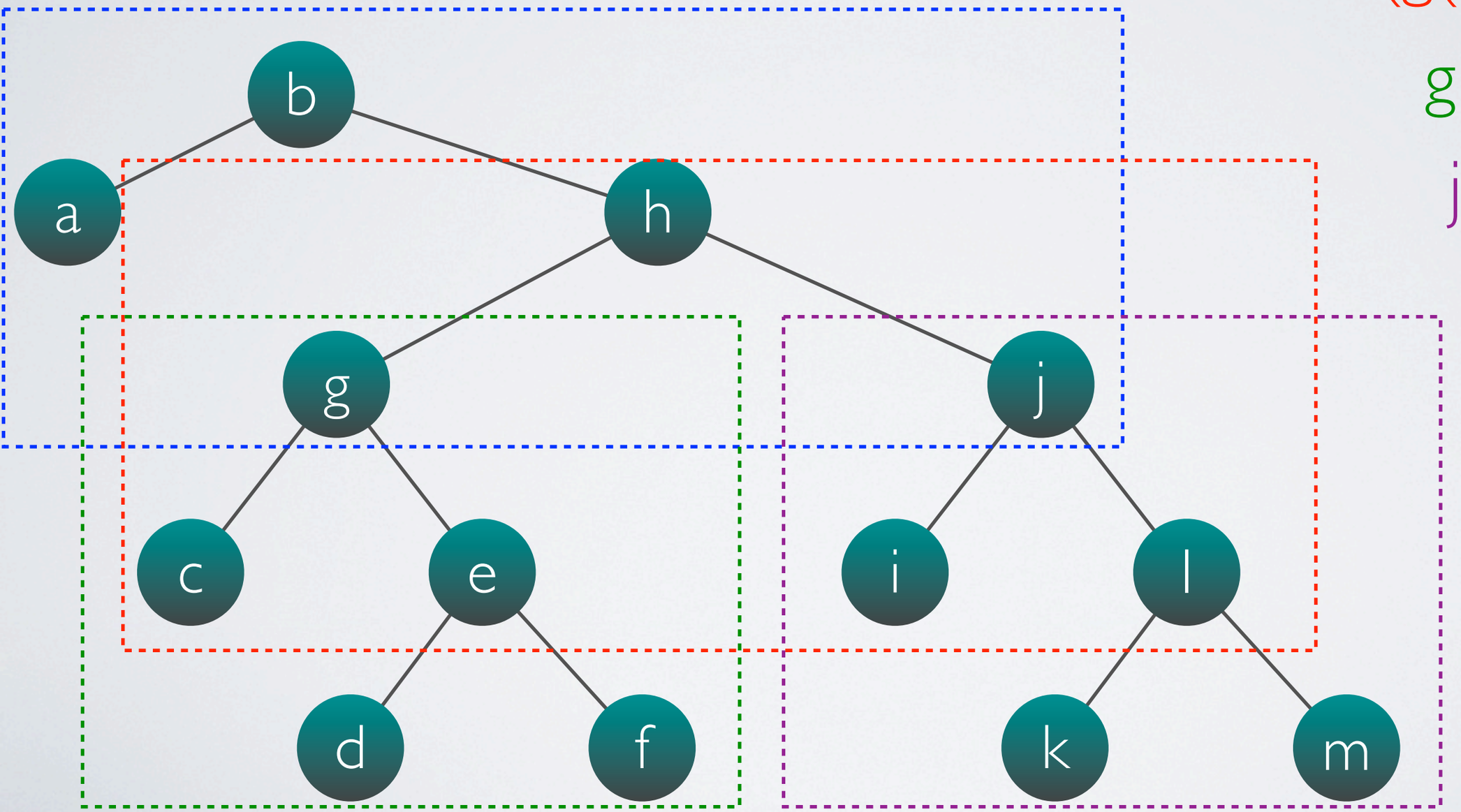

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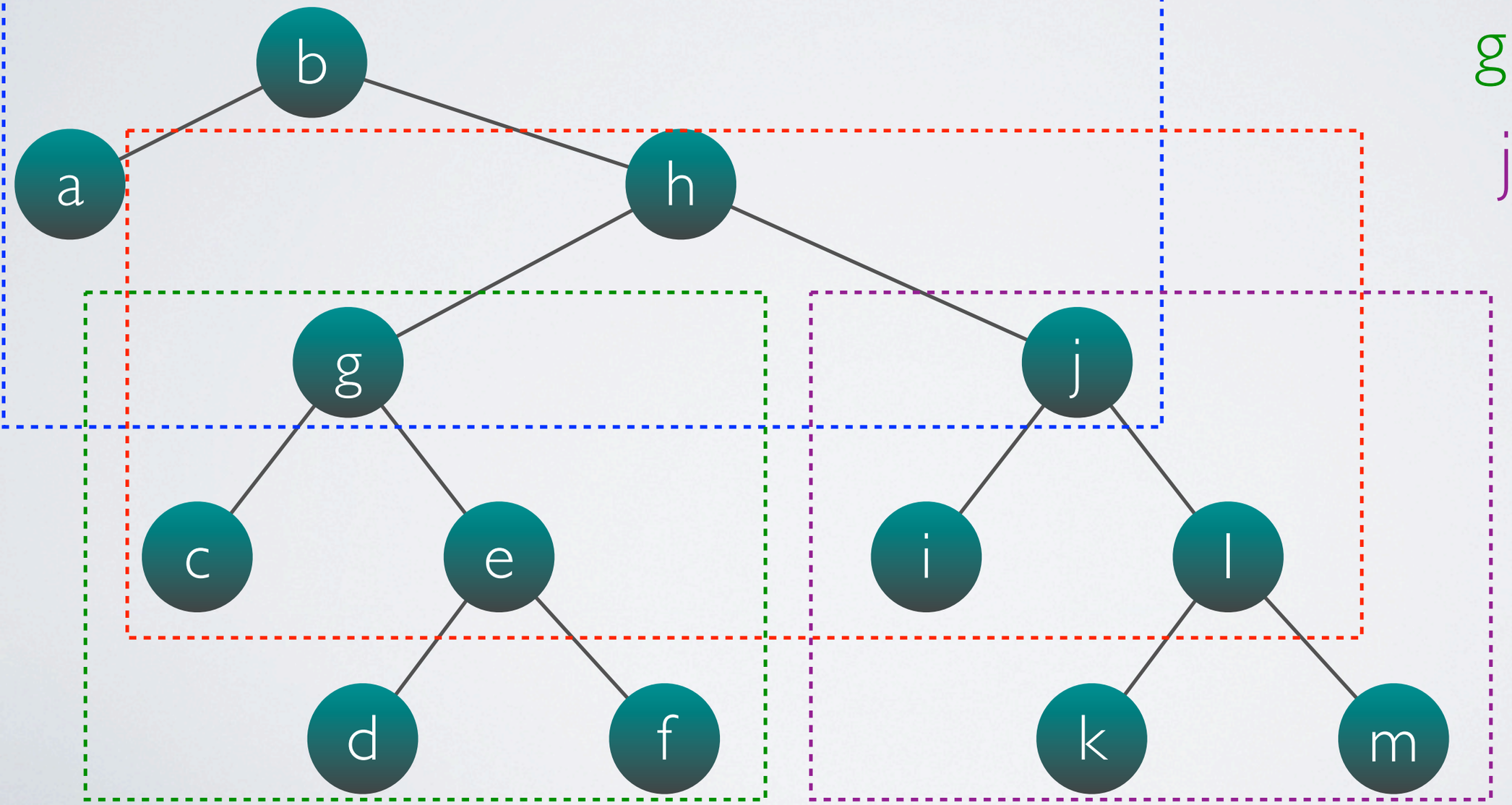

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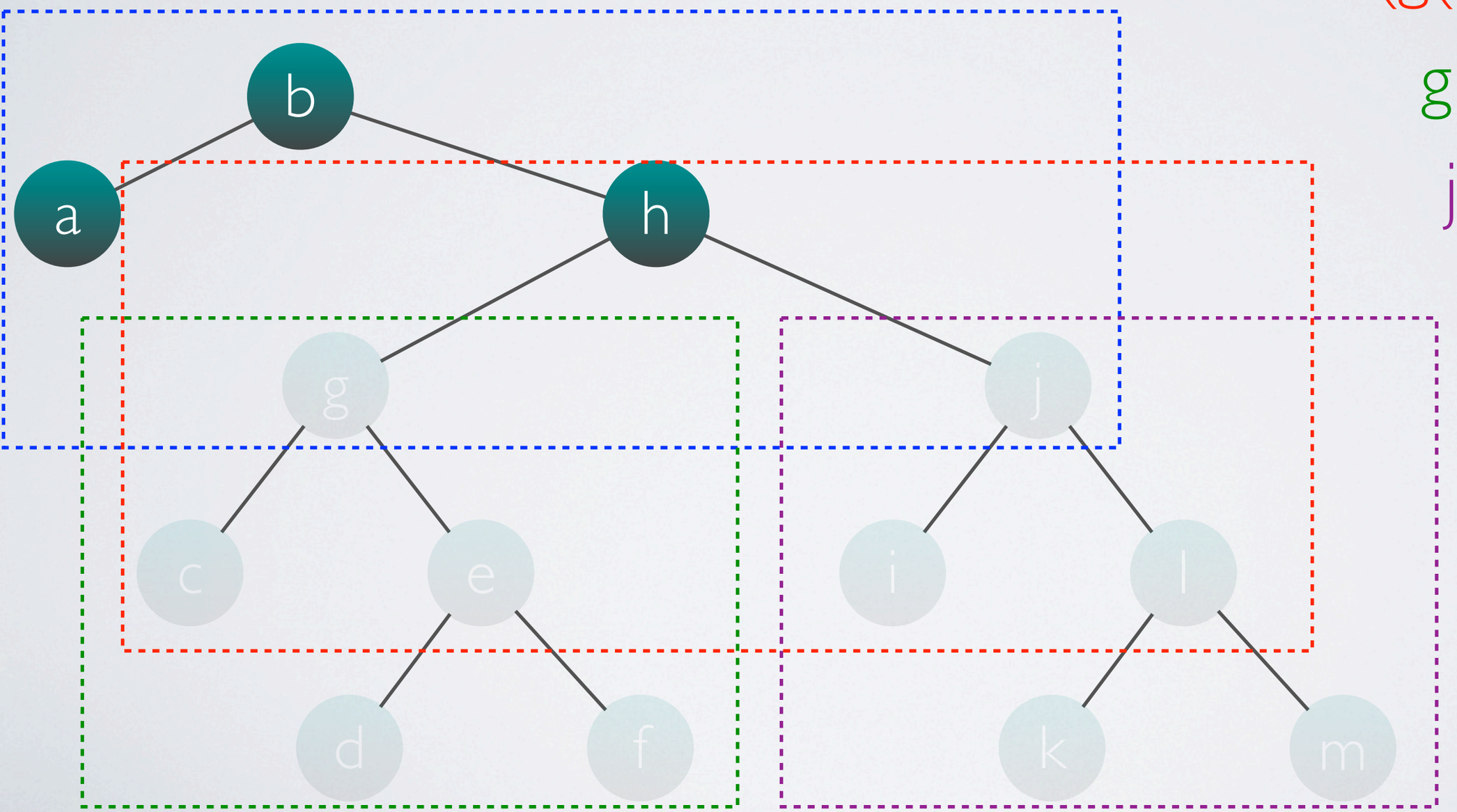

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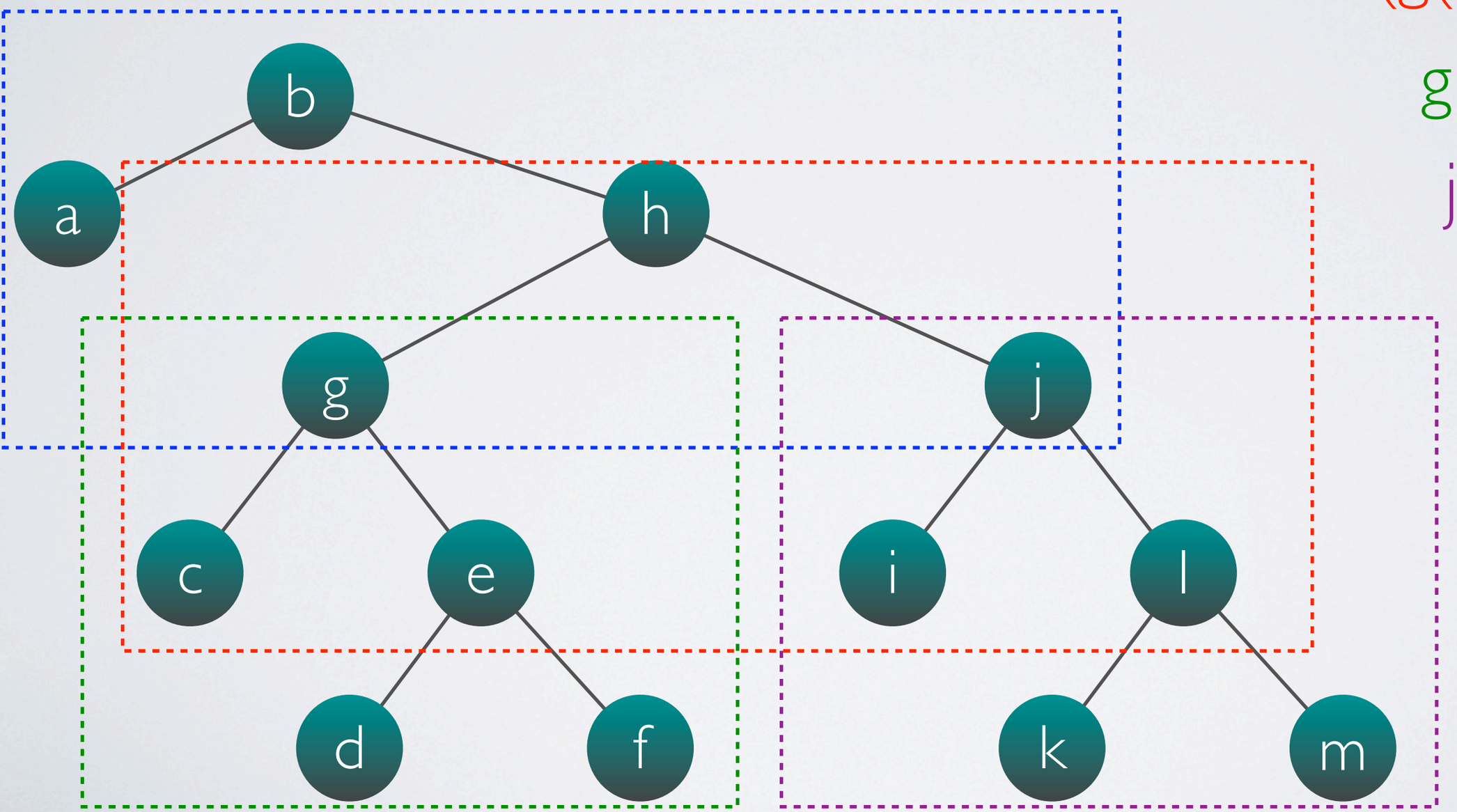

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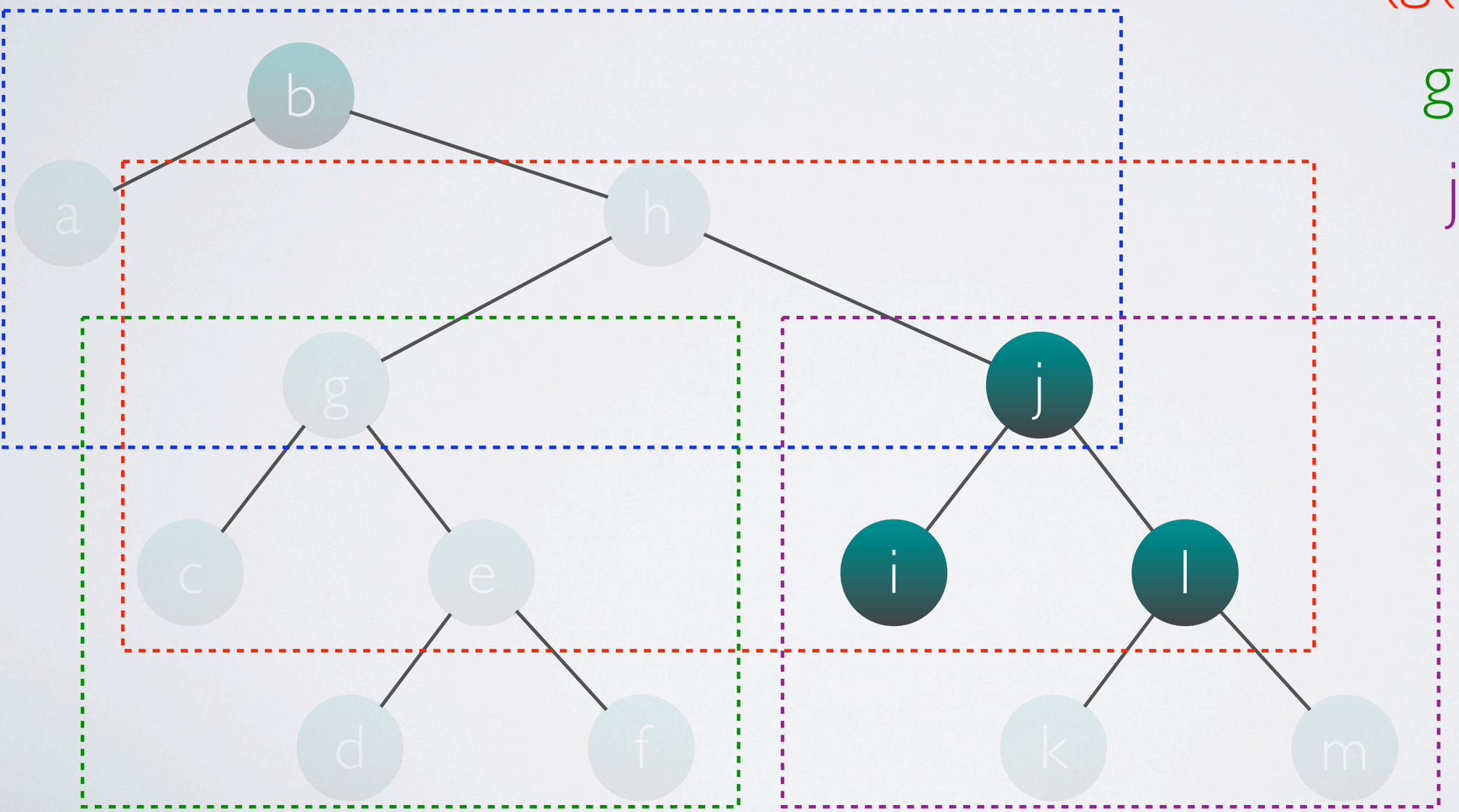

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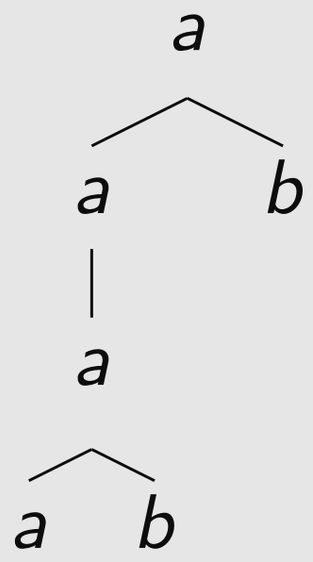

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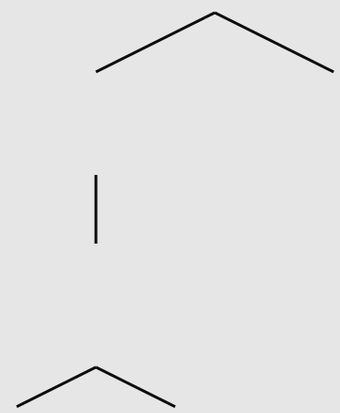

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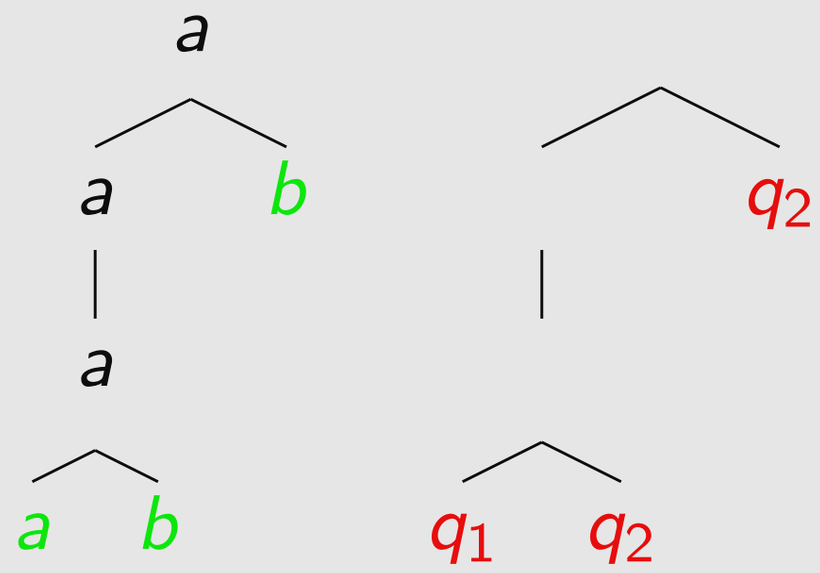

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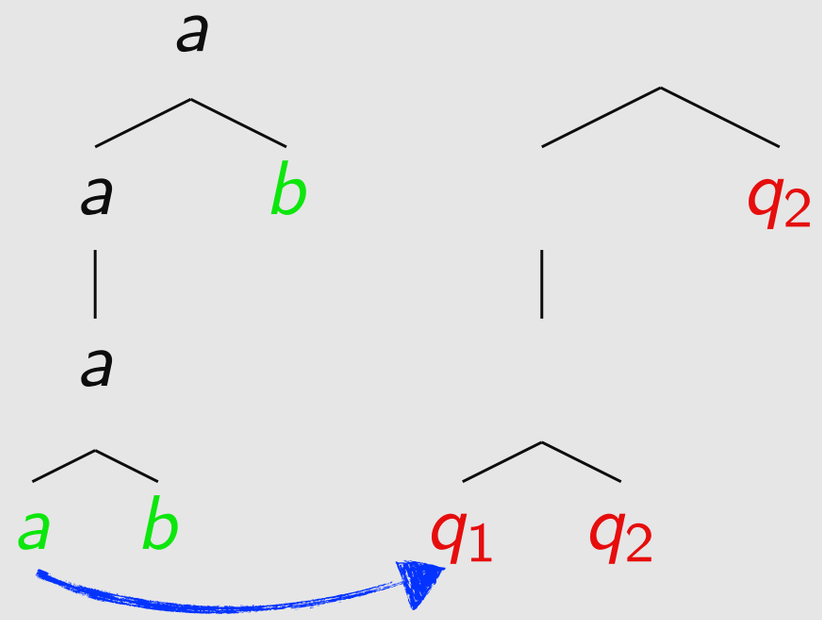

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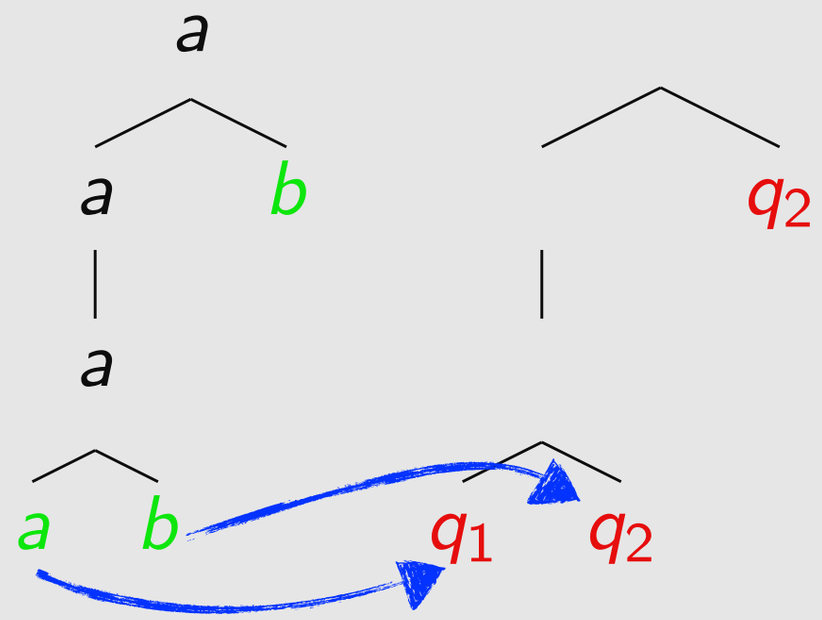

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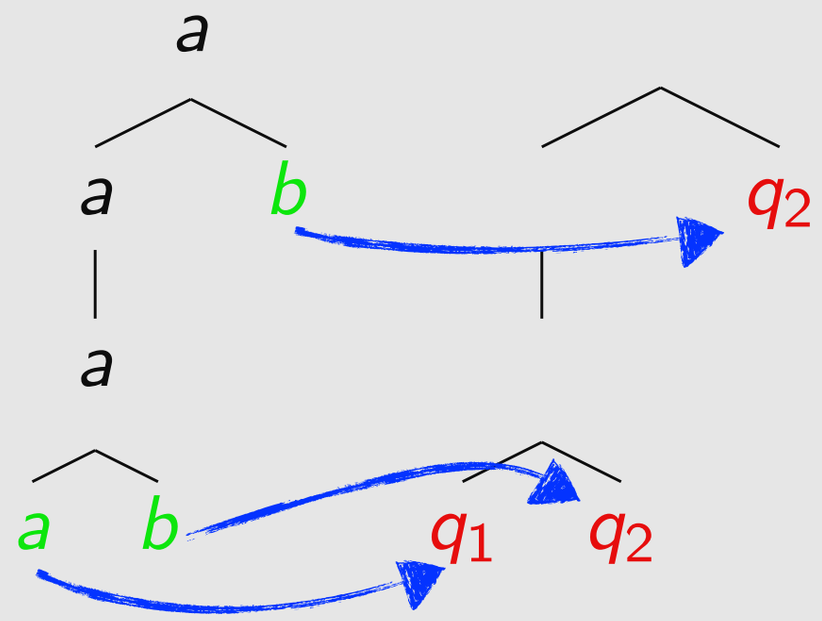

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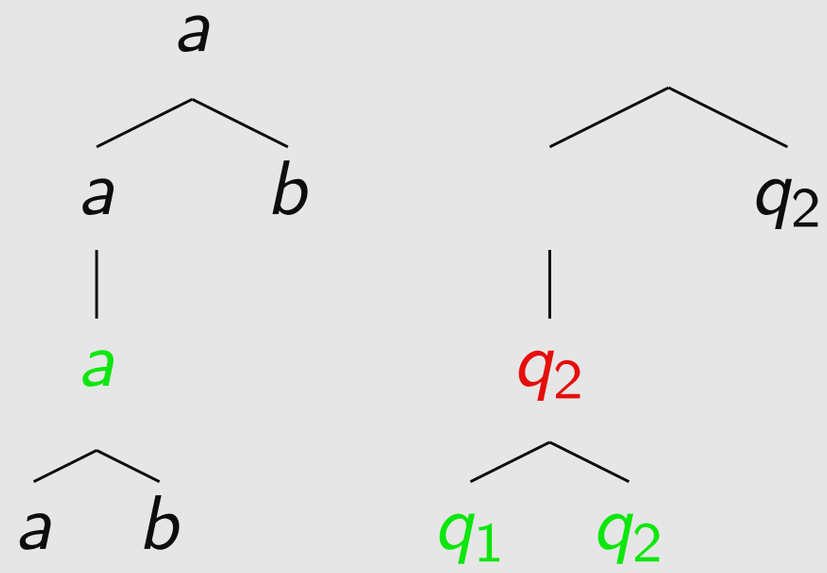

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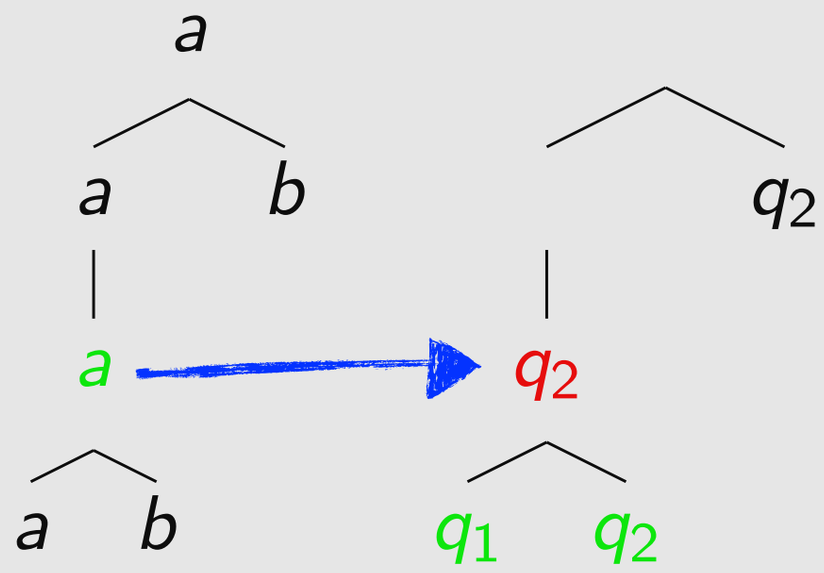

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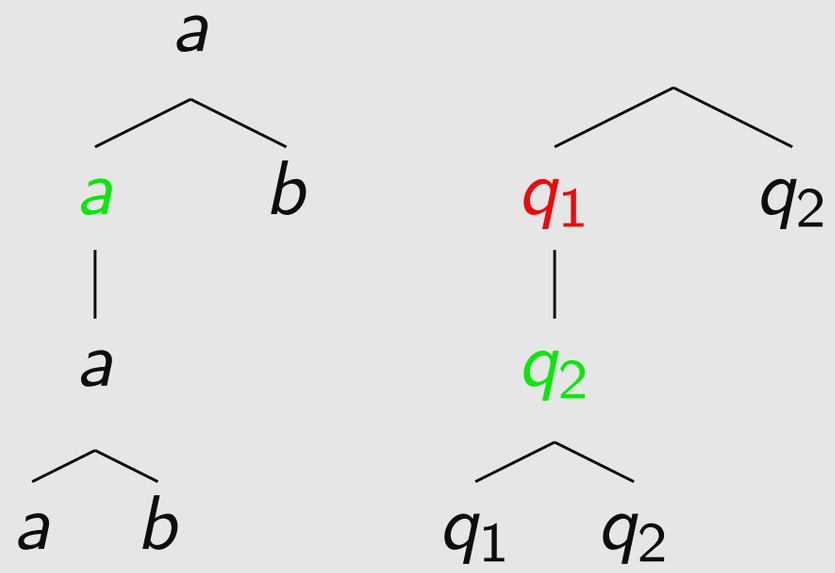

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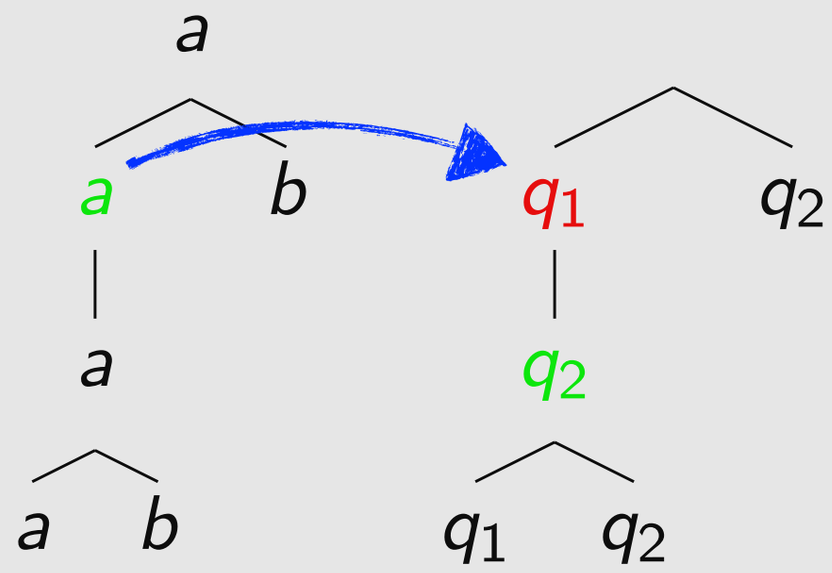

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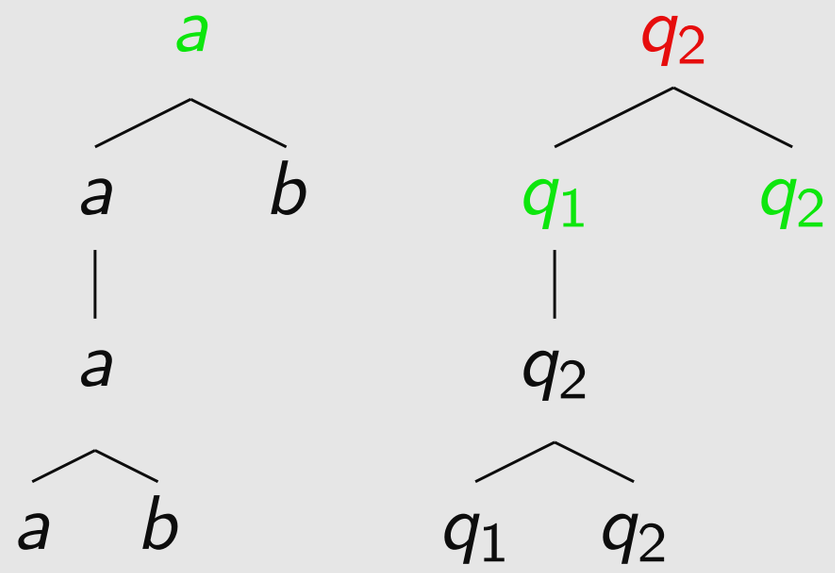

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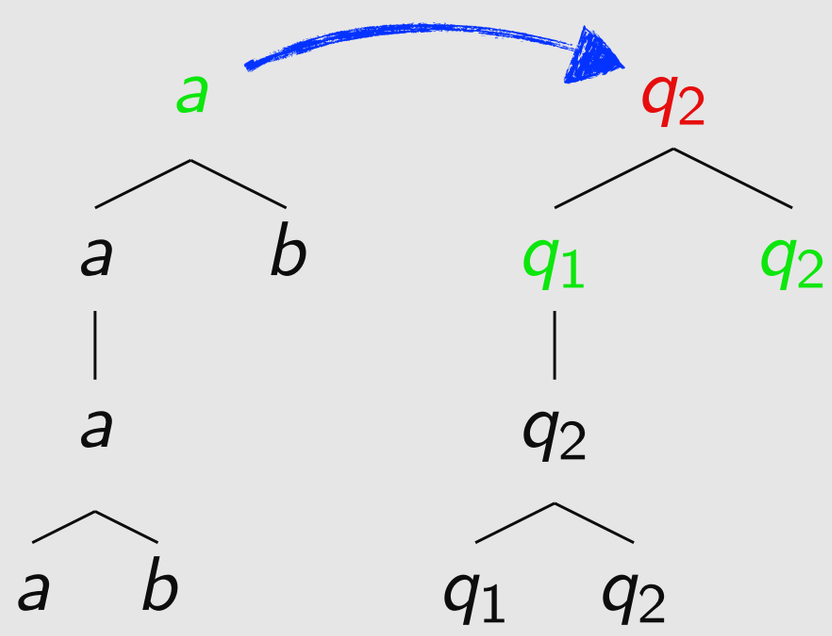

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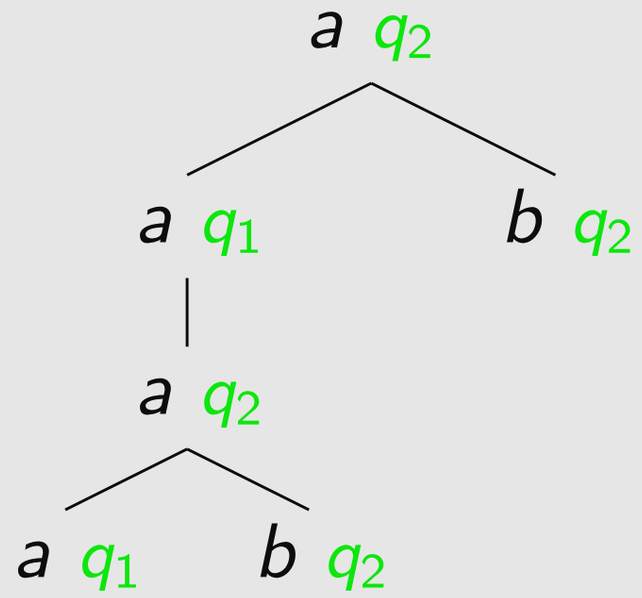

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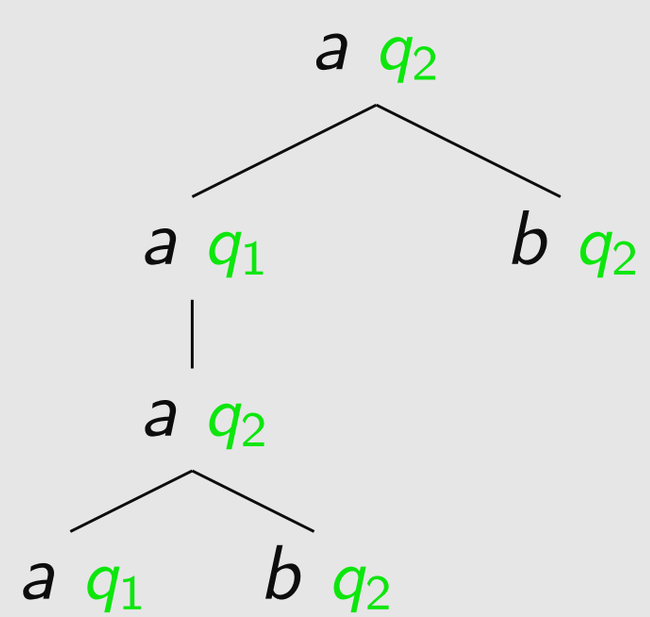

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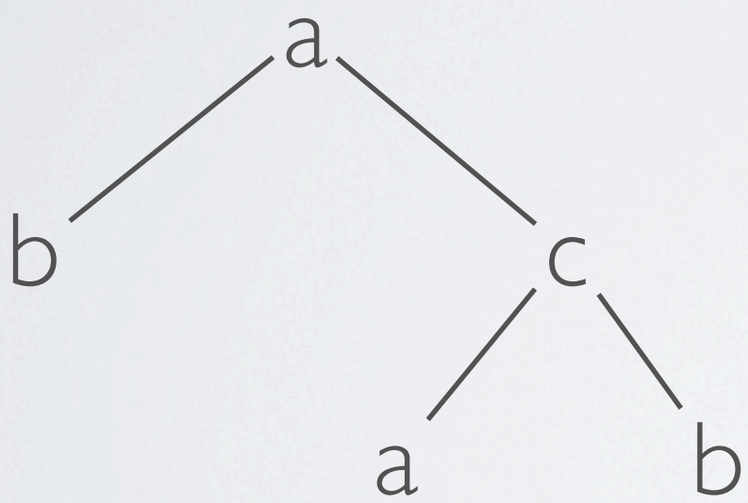

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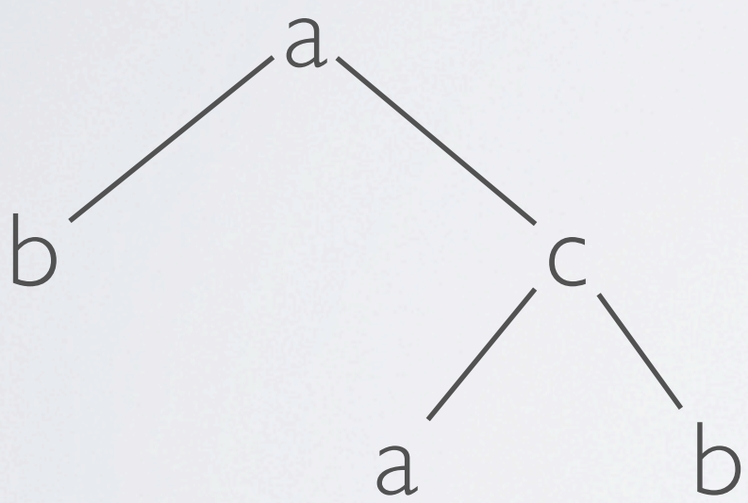

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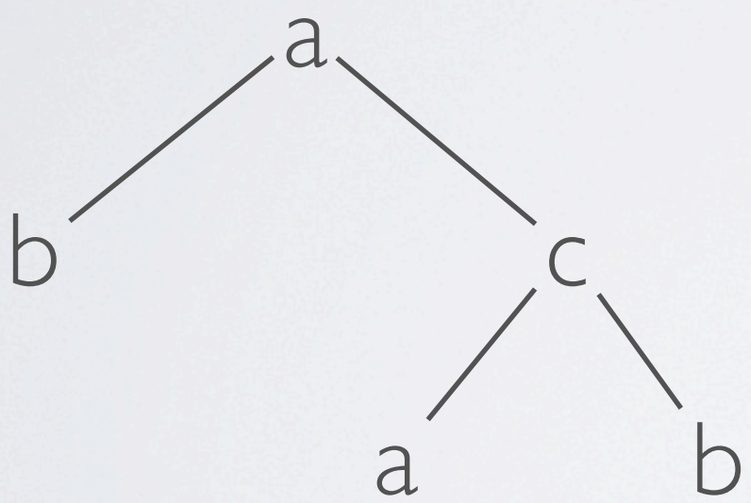

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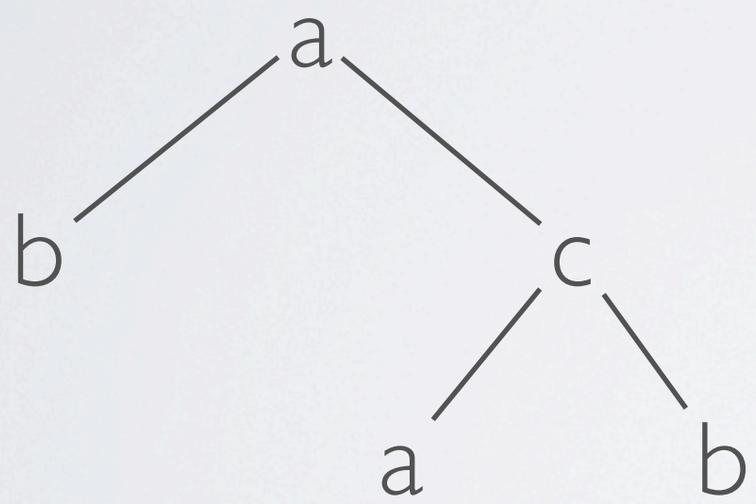

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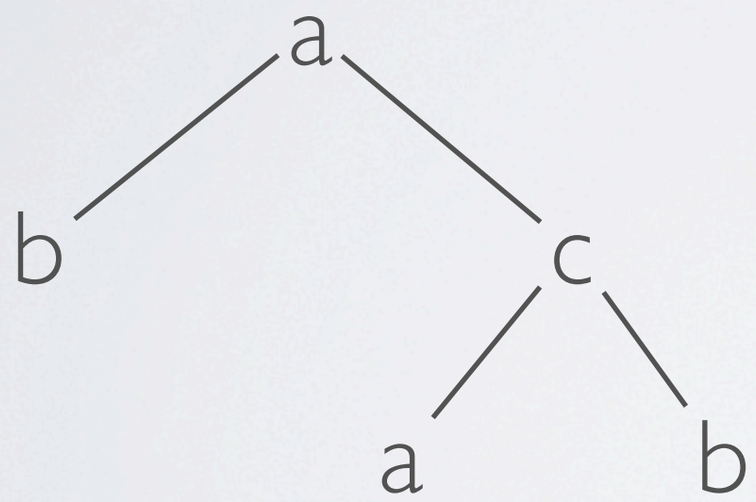

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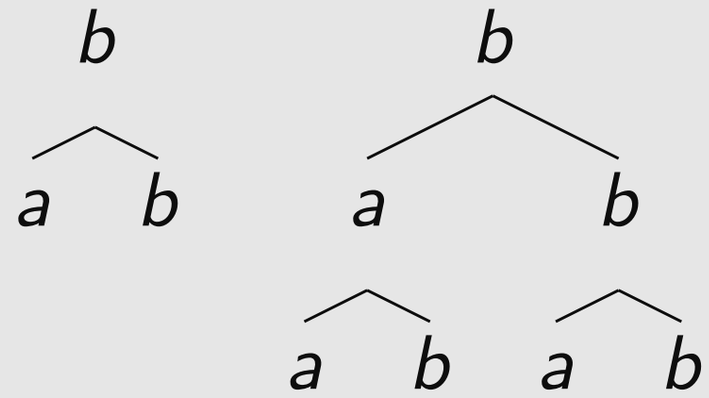
States = { a(b,c), c(a,b) }

K=2 TREE PROBABILITIES LEARNING

EXAMPLE : k=2

Training samples



q	$\rho(q)$	δ	$p(\delta)$

Root state probability
= State / TotalStates

Transition probability

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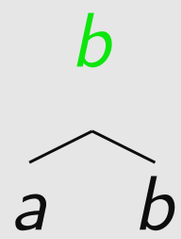
First training tree



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b	$1/1$		

Recall that states are named
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they represent (k-1 root = 1-root)

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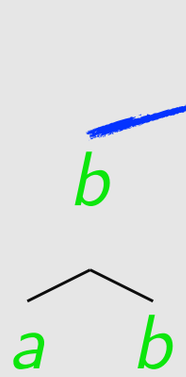

a is not root

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a	0		

Both states a and b
input b

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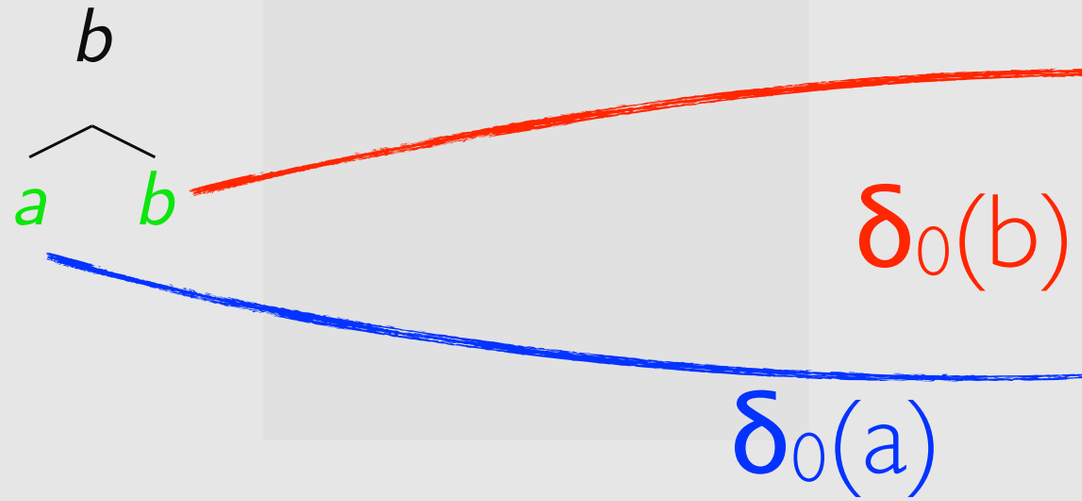

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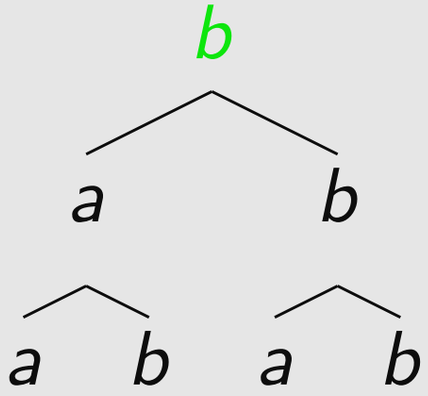
Second training tree



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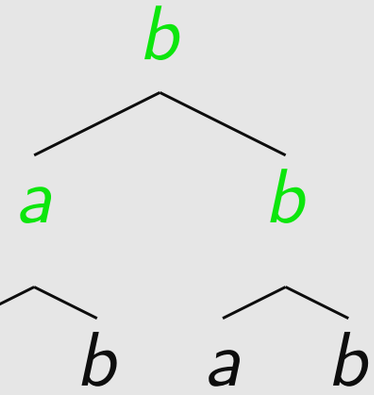

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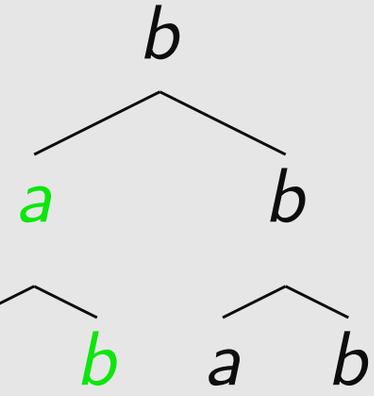

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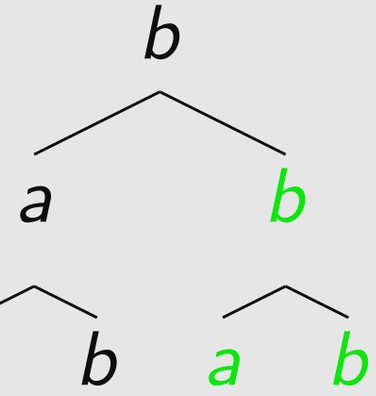

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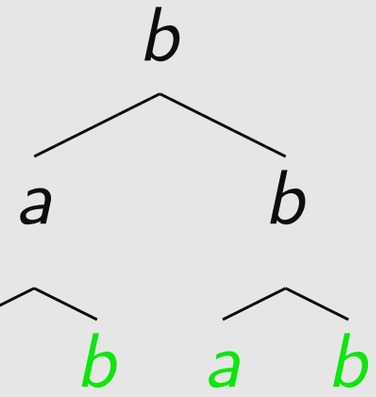

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b	2/2	b, a, b	3/6
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Probabilities are computed online
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SMOOTHING

- The problem occurs when parsing a tree, a transition is found never seen in the training set
  - therefore with a zero probability
- Solution: follow a back-off scheme similar to strings approach
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- Then: all $1 \leq k \leq K$ models are built

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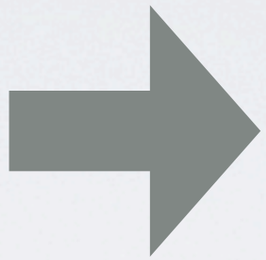

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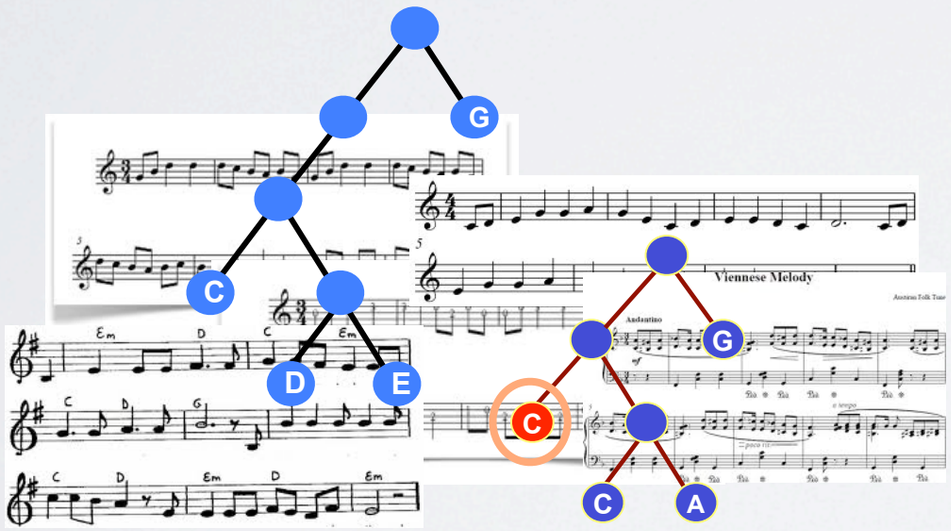

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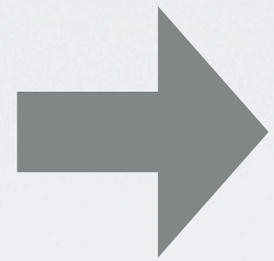

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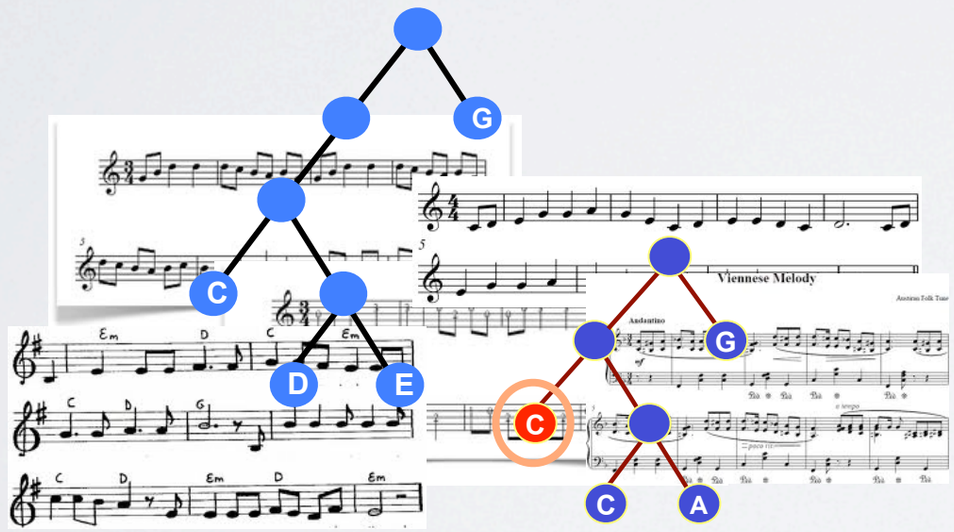

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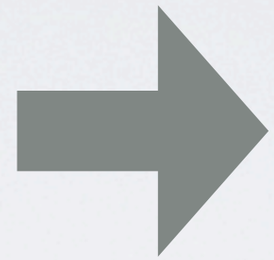

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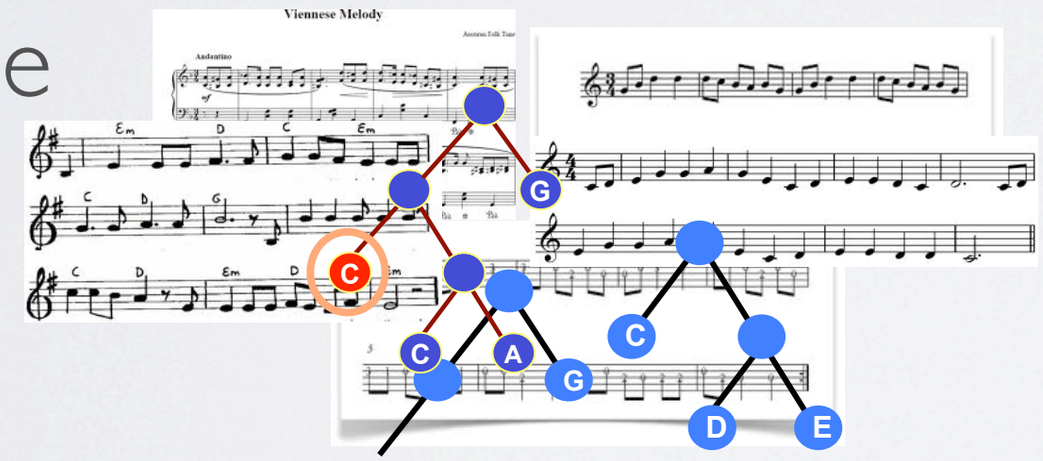

$$A_{baro} = (Q, \Sigma, \Delta, P_{bar}, \rho_{baro})$$

$$P_{baro} = \{$$
$$p0(a) = 0.2,\ p1(b) = 0.2,$$
$$p1(a, q3) = 0.1,$$
$$p2(b, q1, q1) = 0.9$$
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$$\rho_{jazz}(q2) = 1$$

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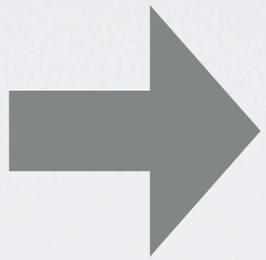

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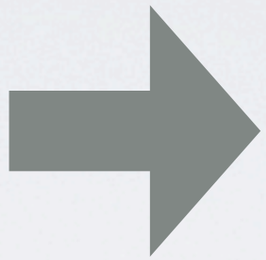

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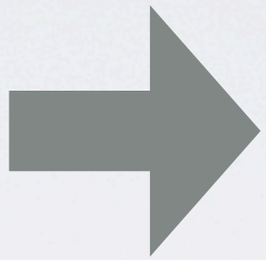

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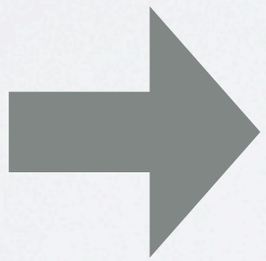

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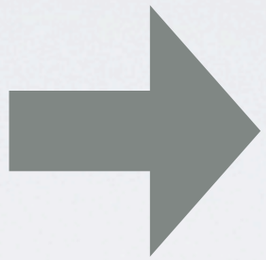

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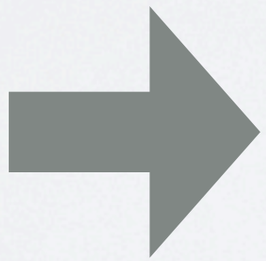

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Classify as **highest probability class**

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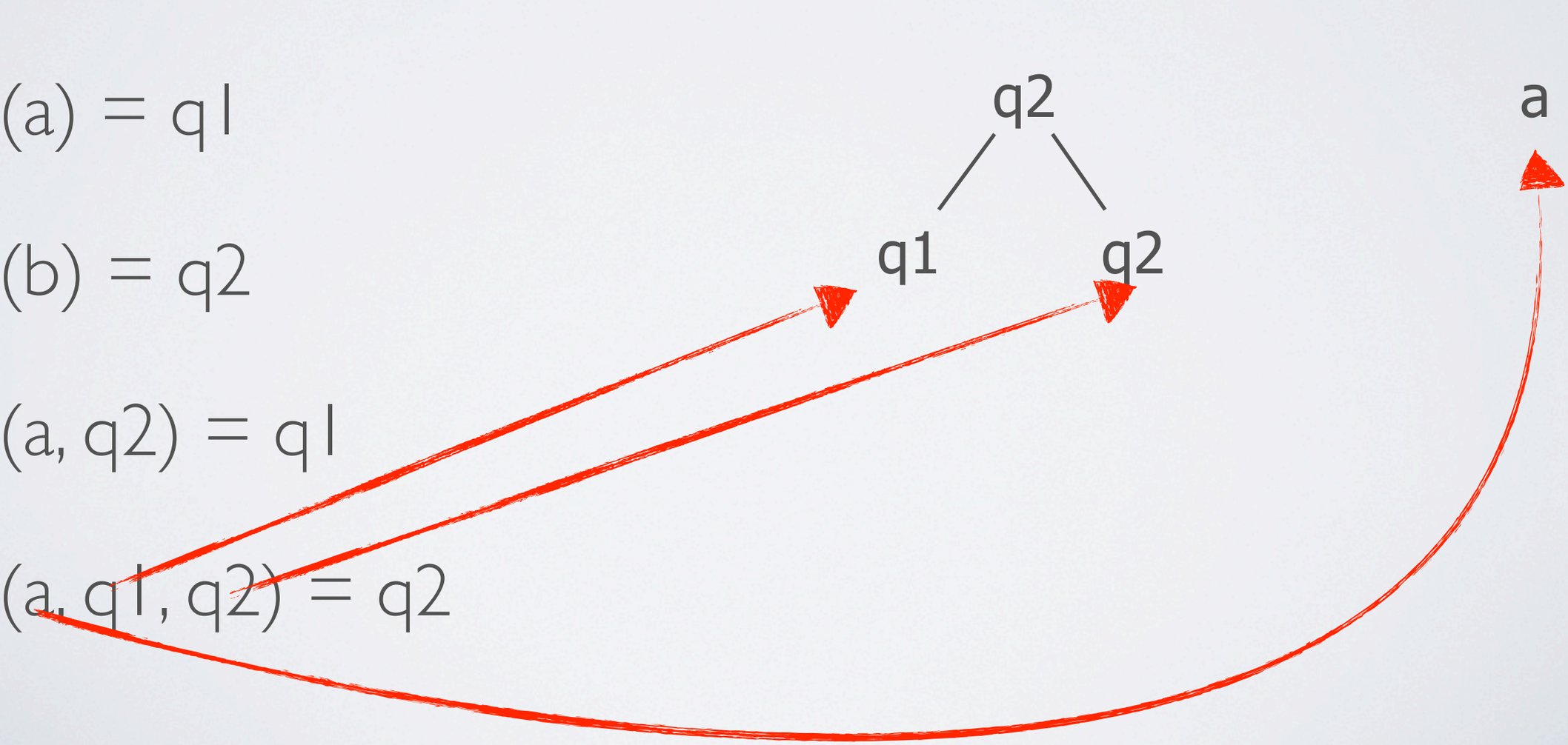

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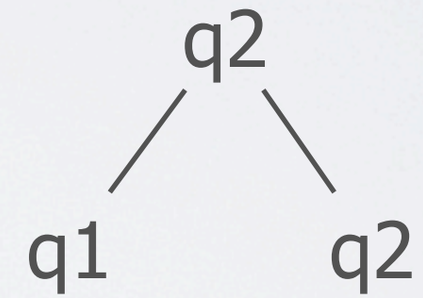

Now repeat operation
for each state: q1 and q2

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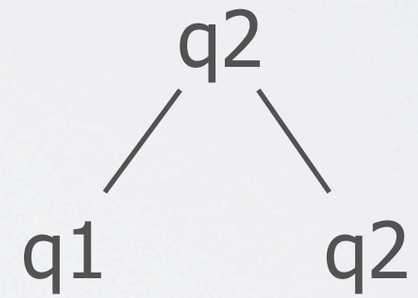

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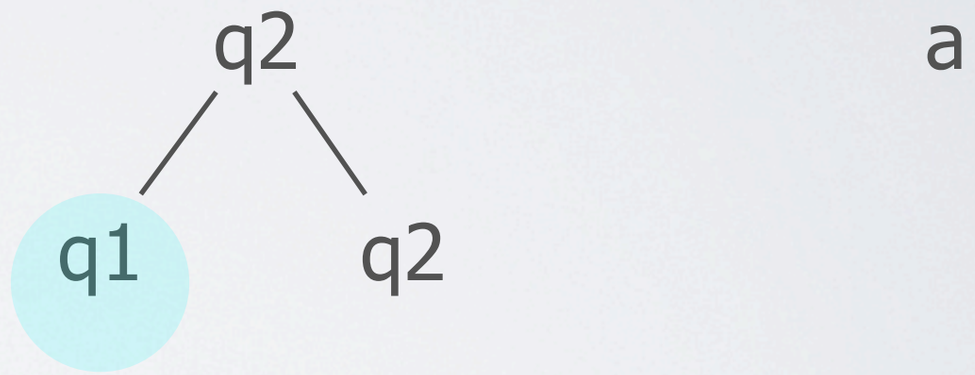

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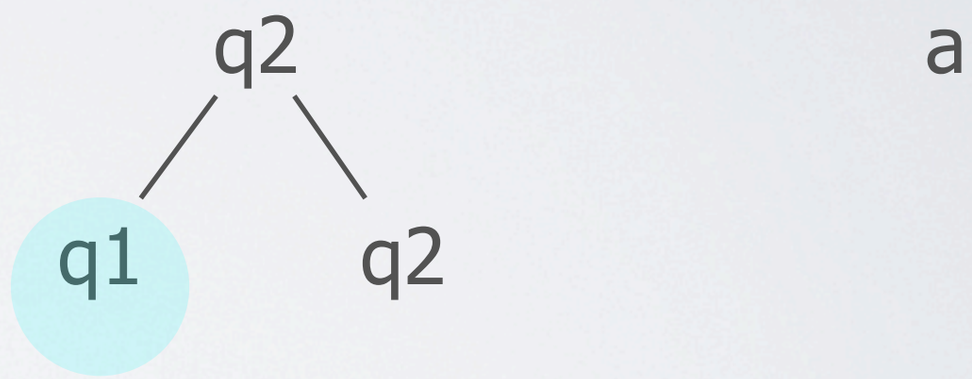

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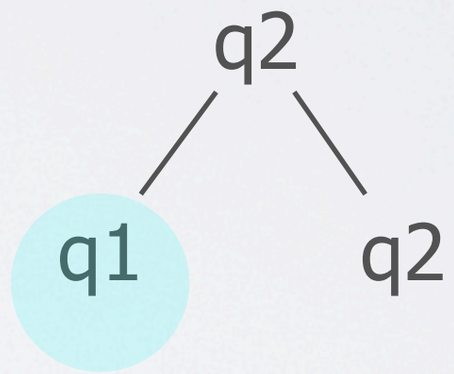

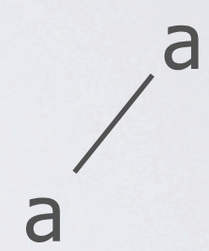

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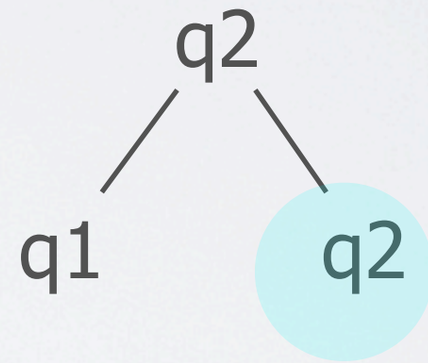

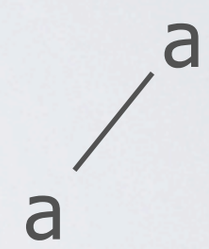

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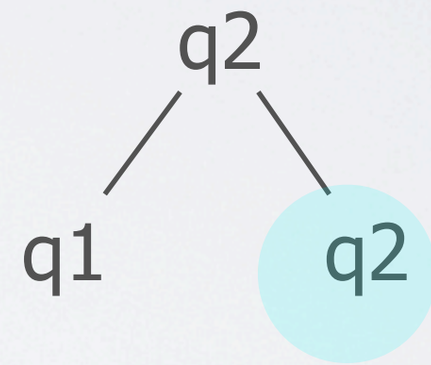

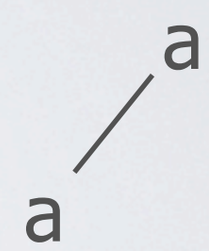

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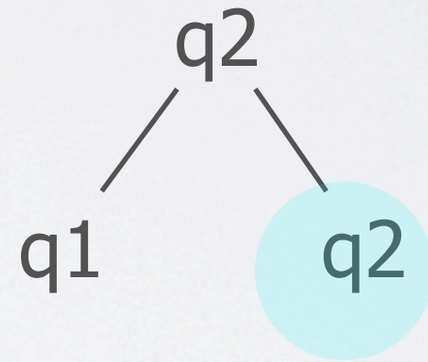

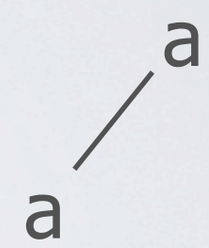

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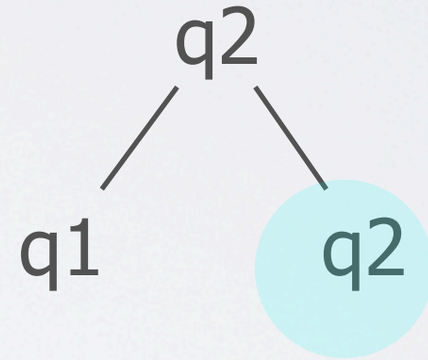

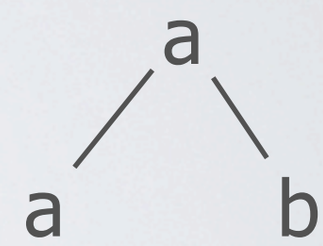

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LEARNING ⇒GENERATION

- Style = just set of trees
  - learnt using probabilistic k-testable tree languages
- Generate new trees that belong to that style

METRIC TREE COMPARISON

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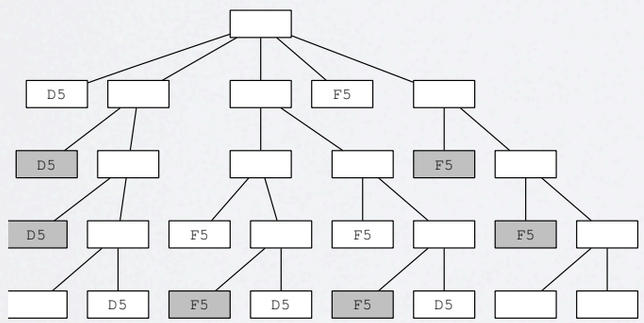
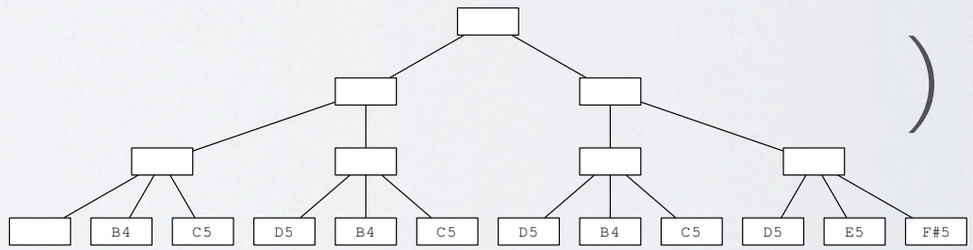
`similarity(` 

`,` 

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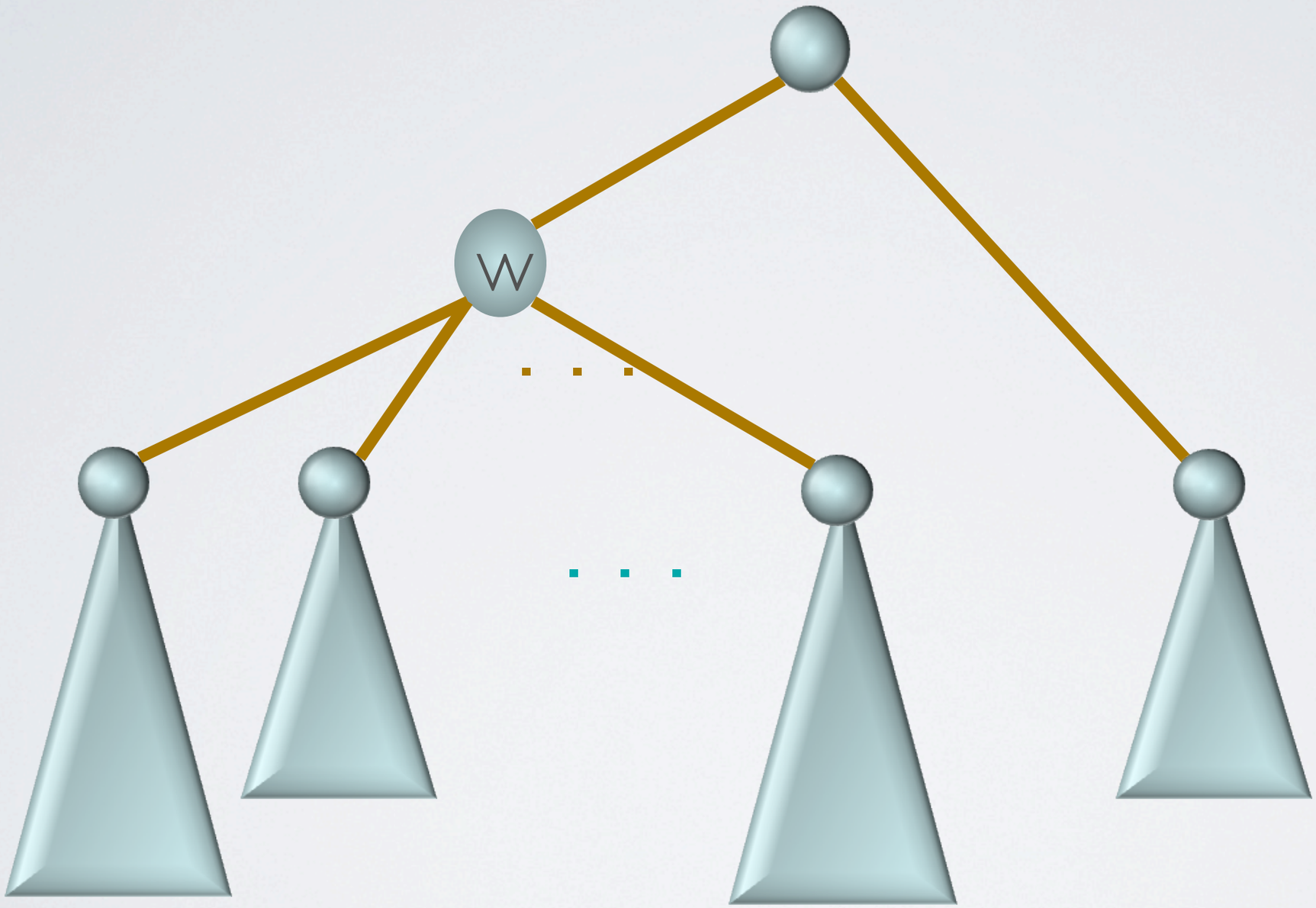

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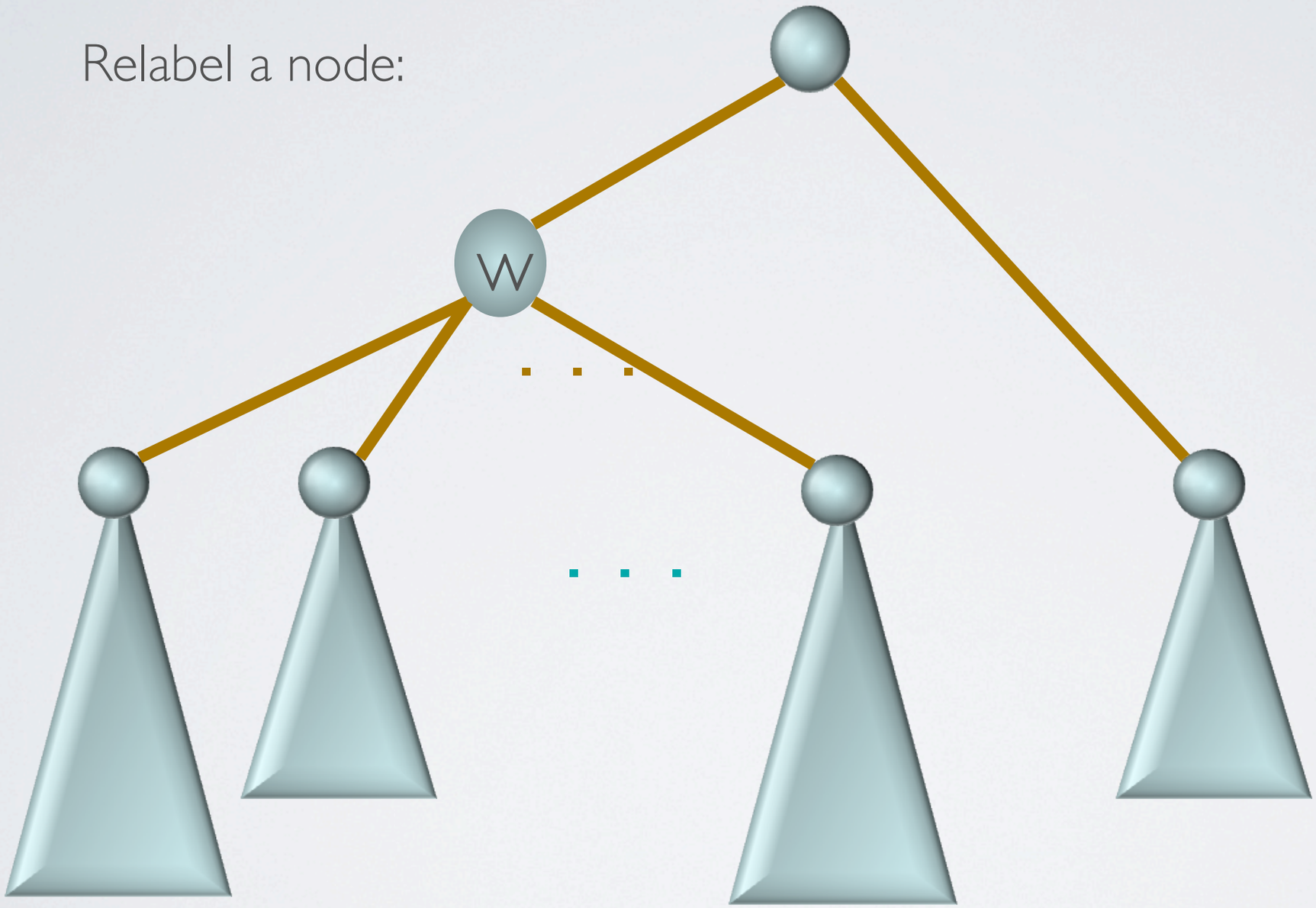

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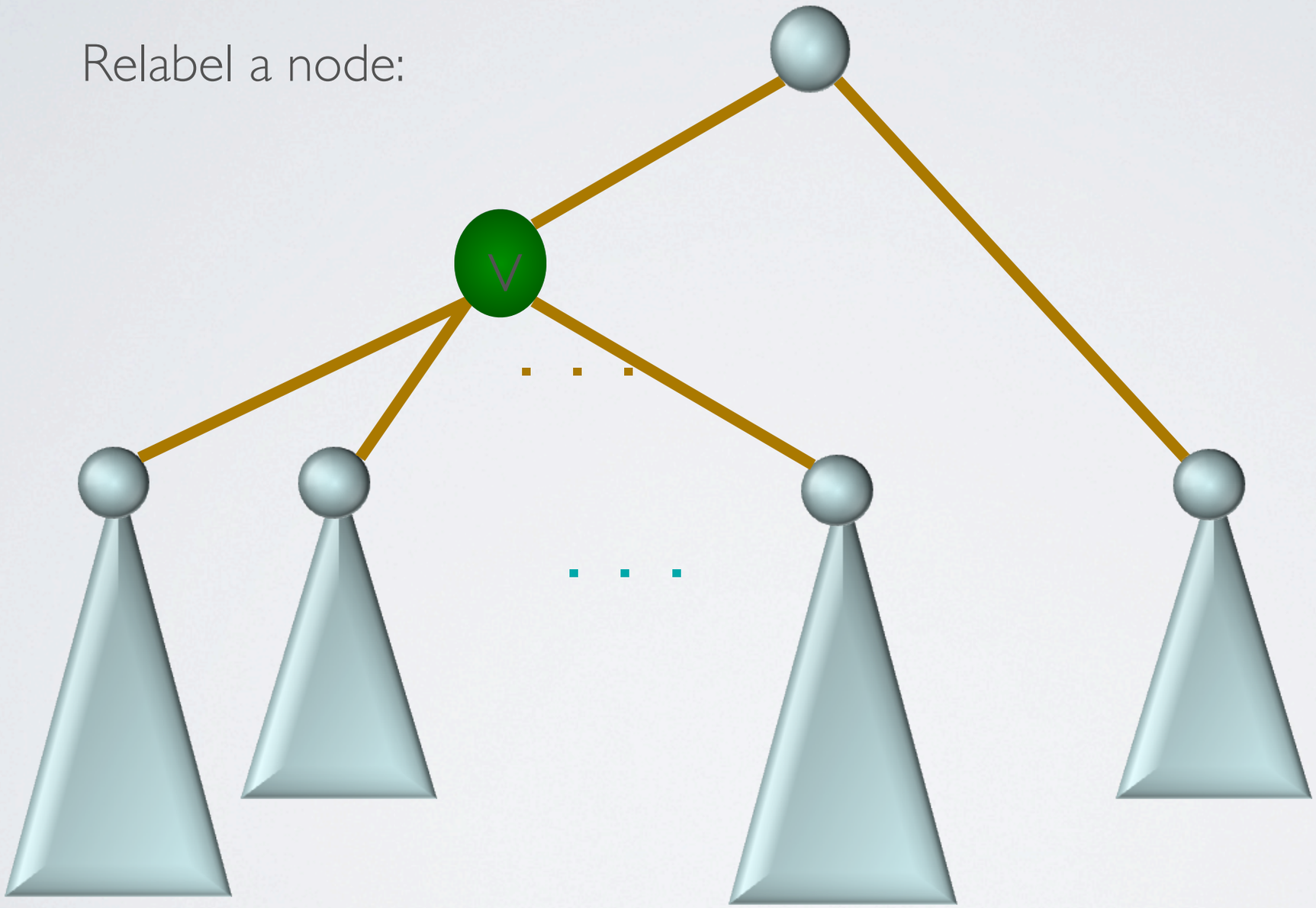

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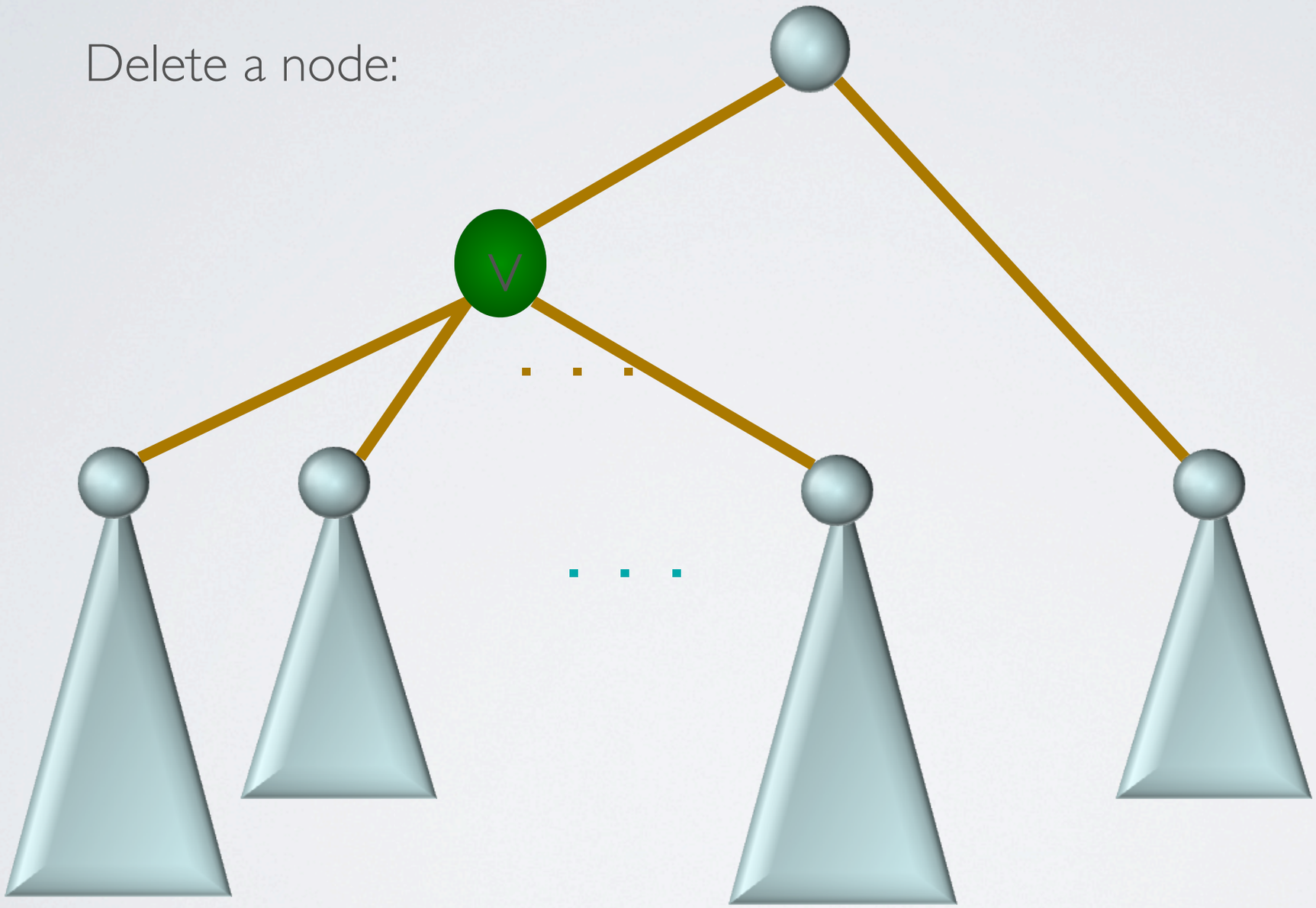

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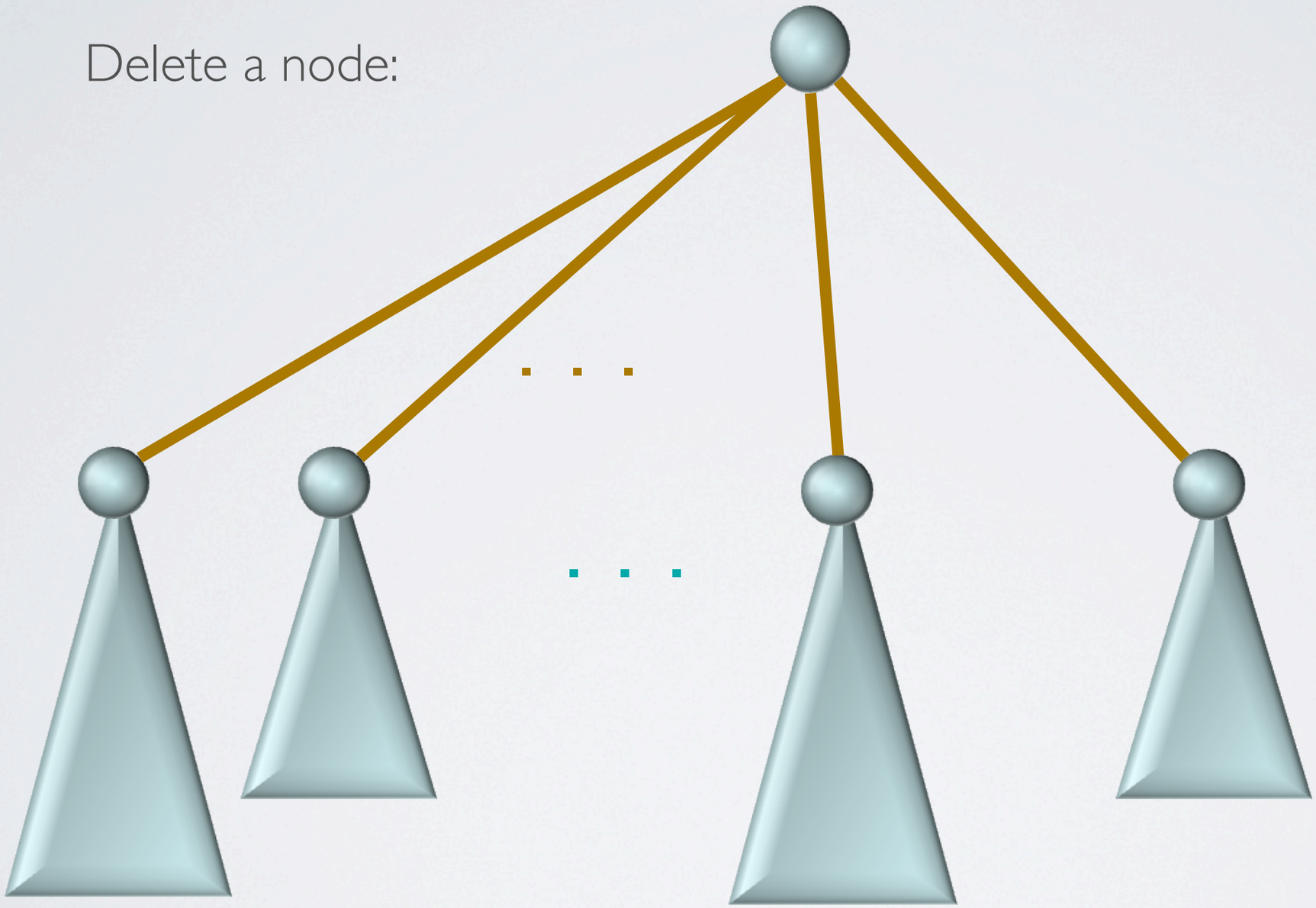

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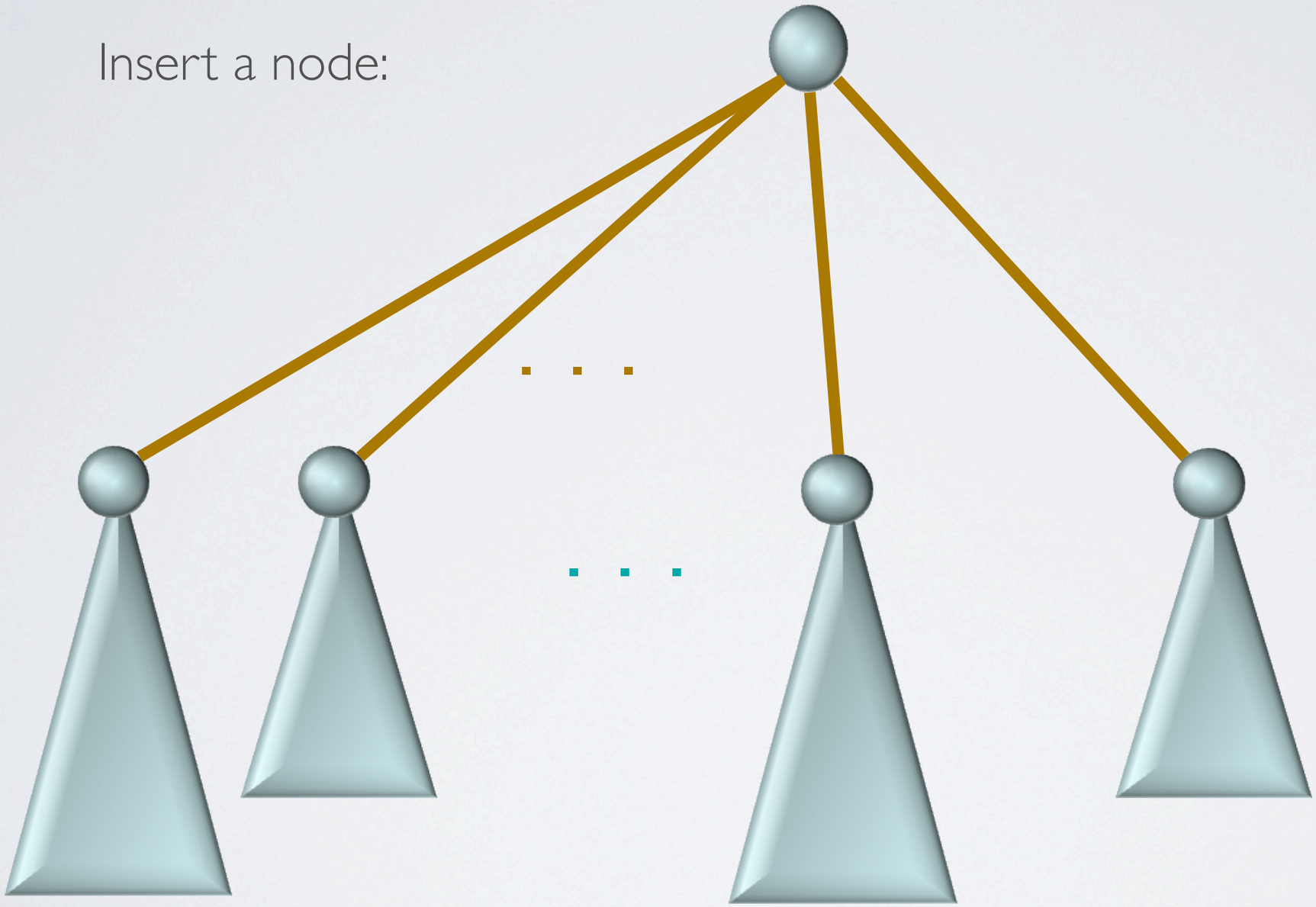

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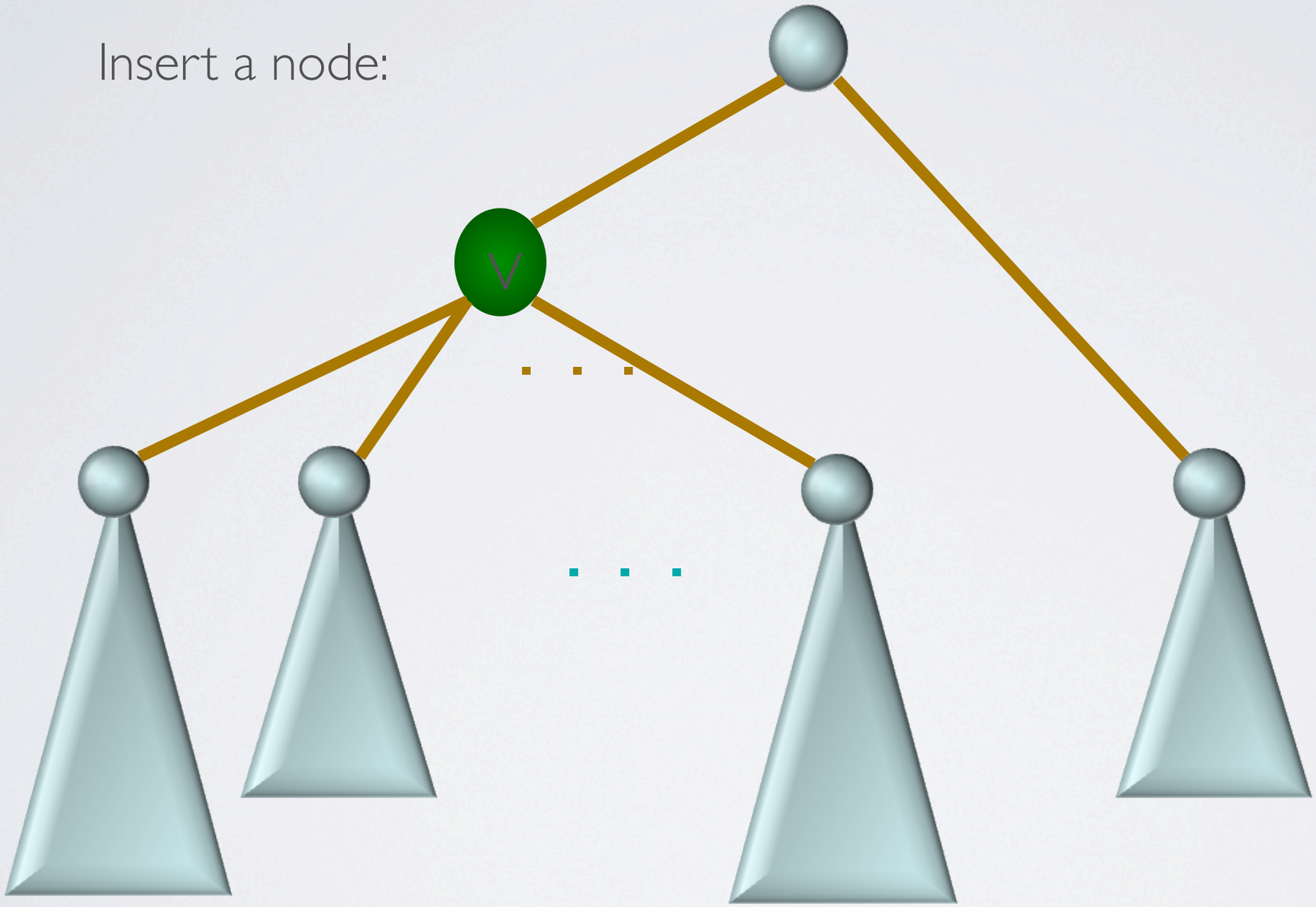

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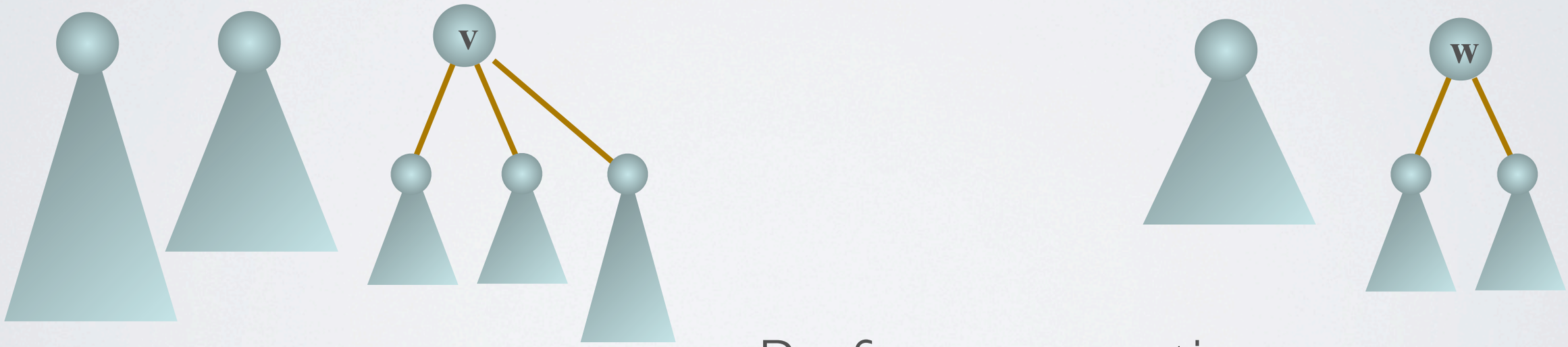
Recurs on the rightmost root:

$$d(F,G) = \min \begin{cases} \text{Delete v} \\ \text{Delete w} \\ \text{Match v and w} \end{cases}$$



Perform operations **recursively** and keep **lowest cost** edit sequence

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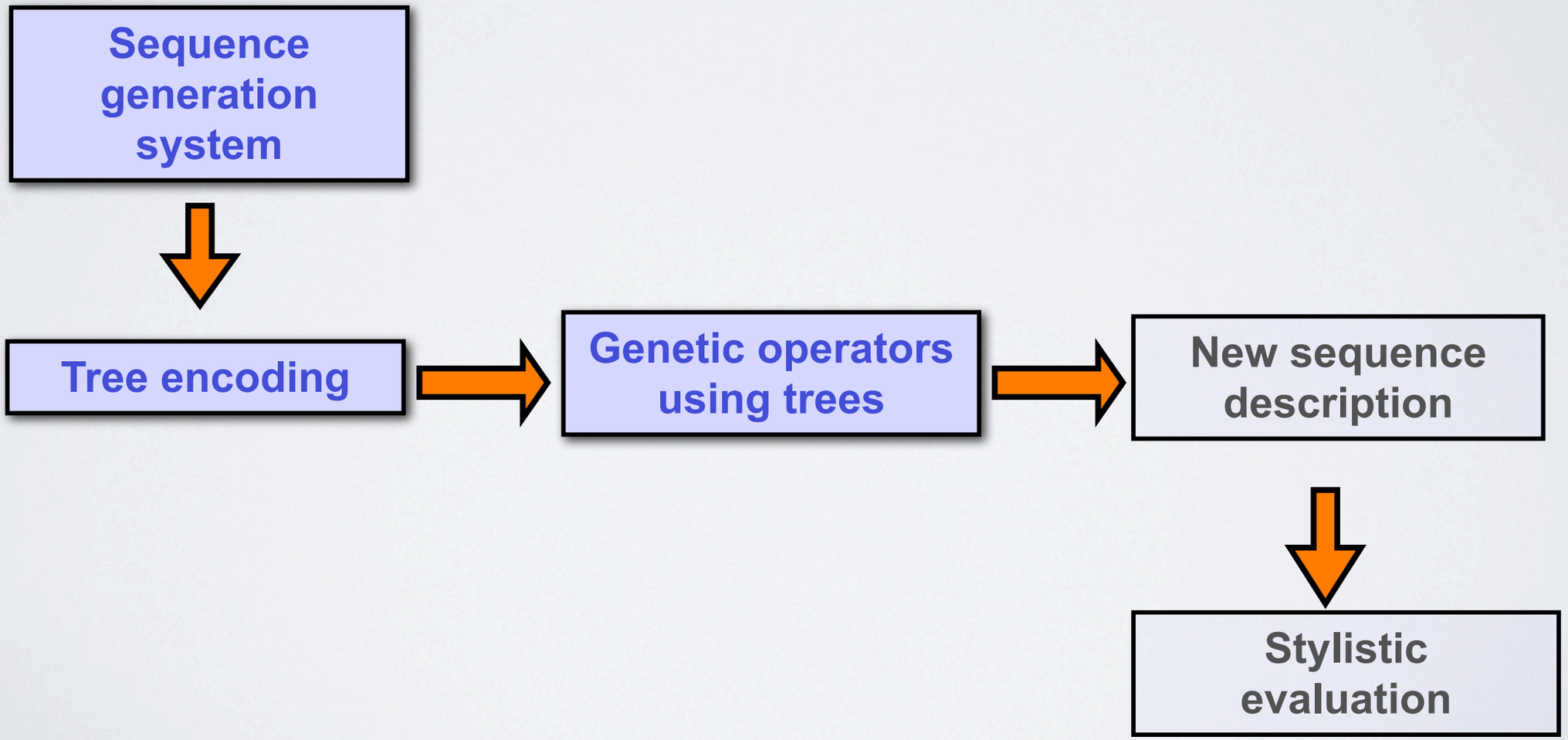

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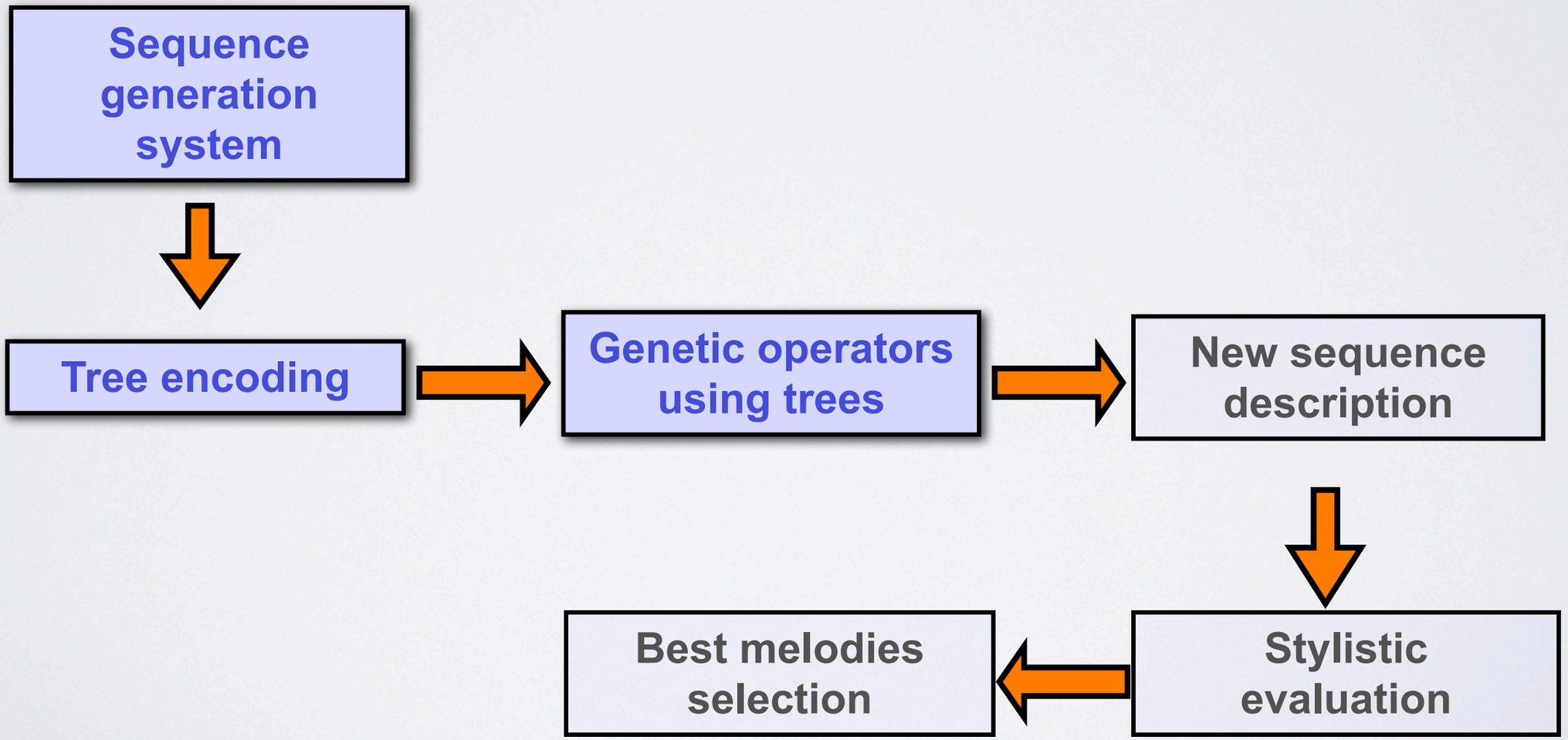

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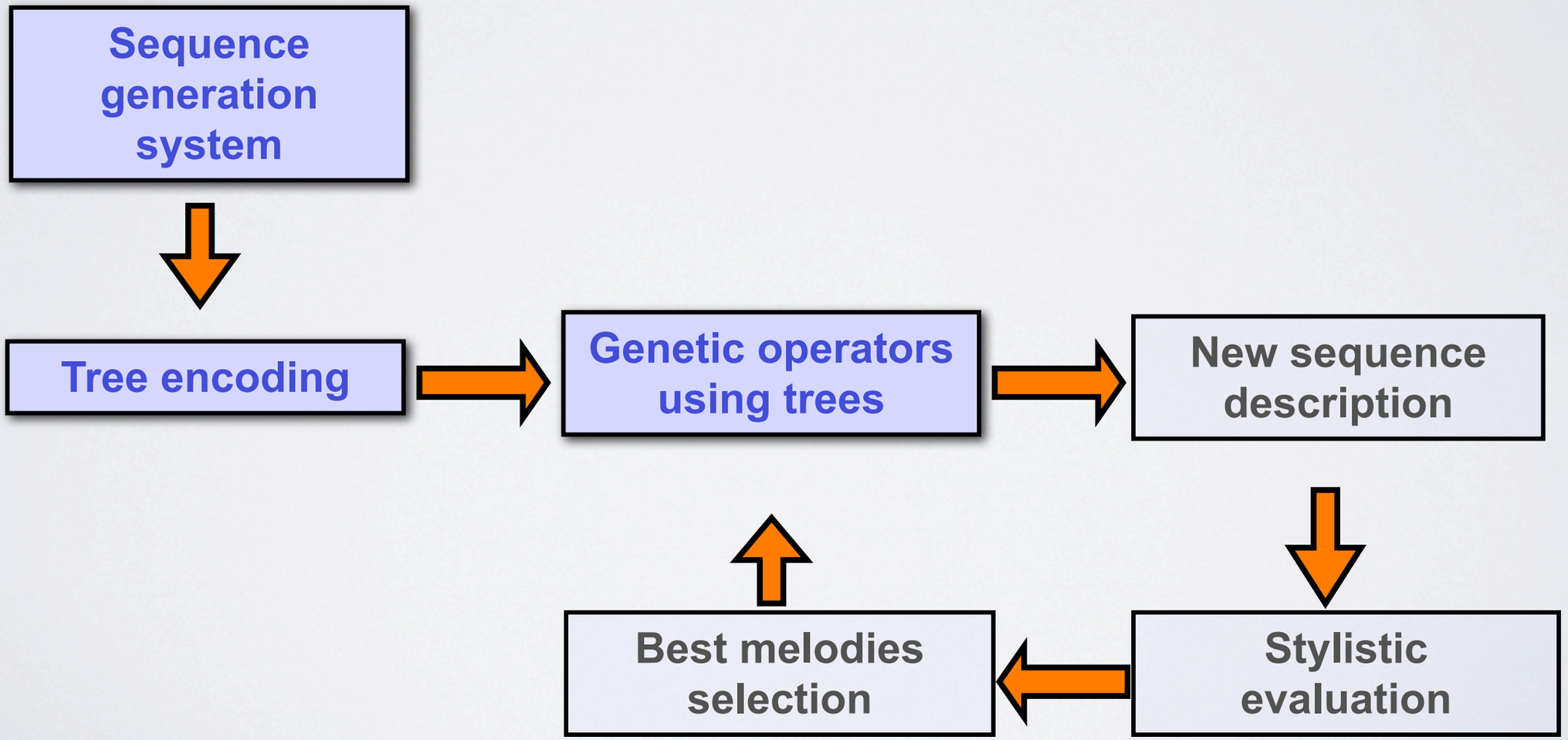

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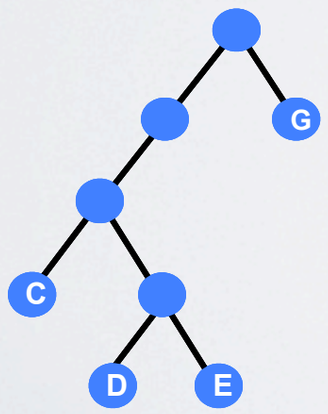

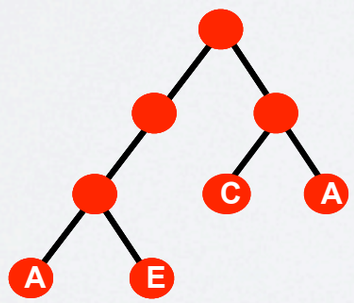

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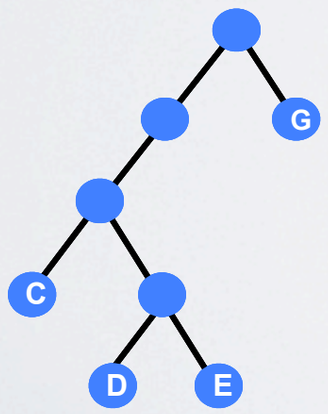

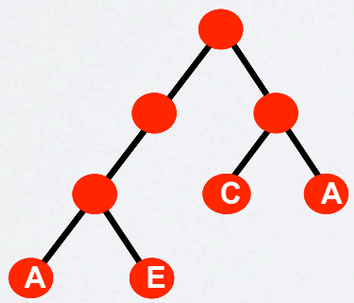

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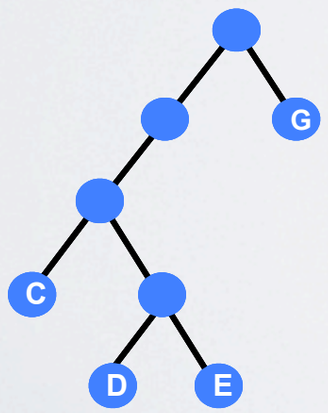

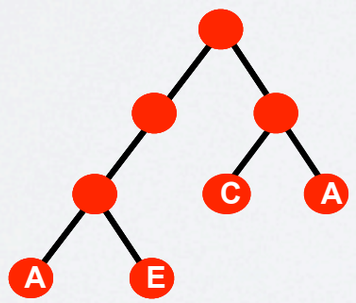

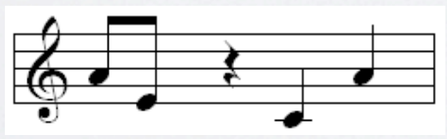

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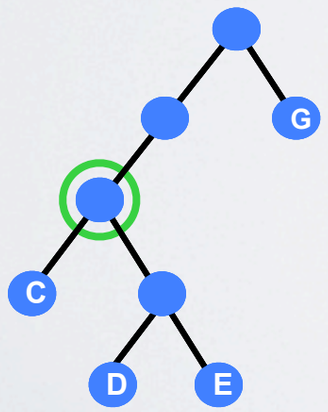

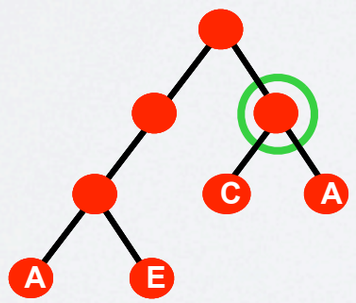

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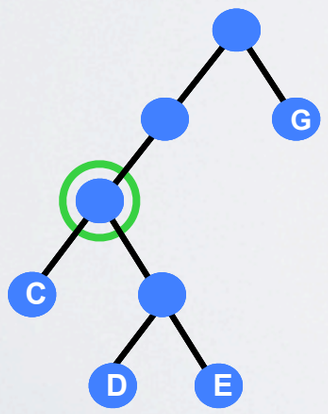

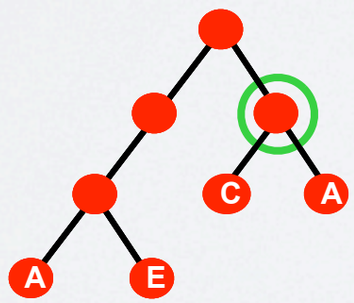

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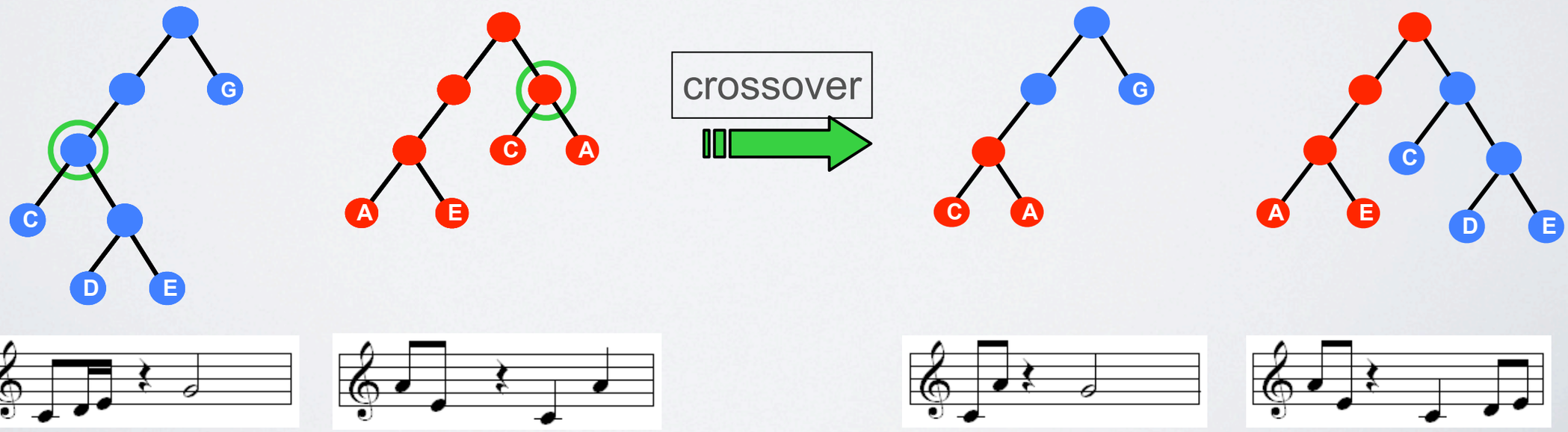

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