

Computational Geometry

Winter term 2014/15

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Fast Access to Data Bases

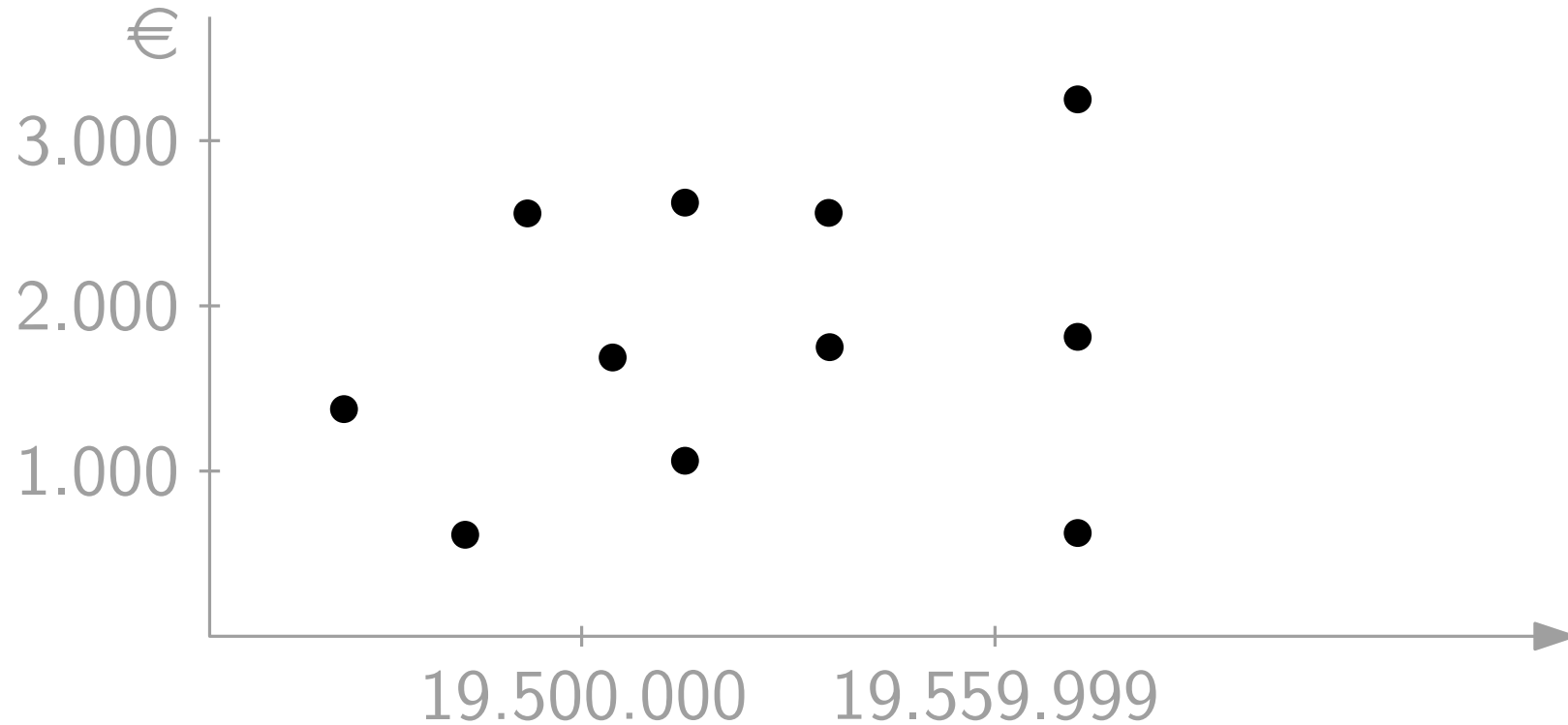
Lecture #5

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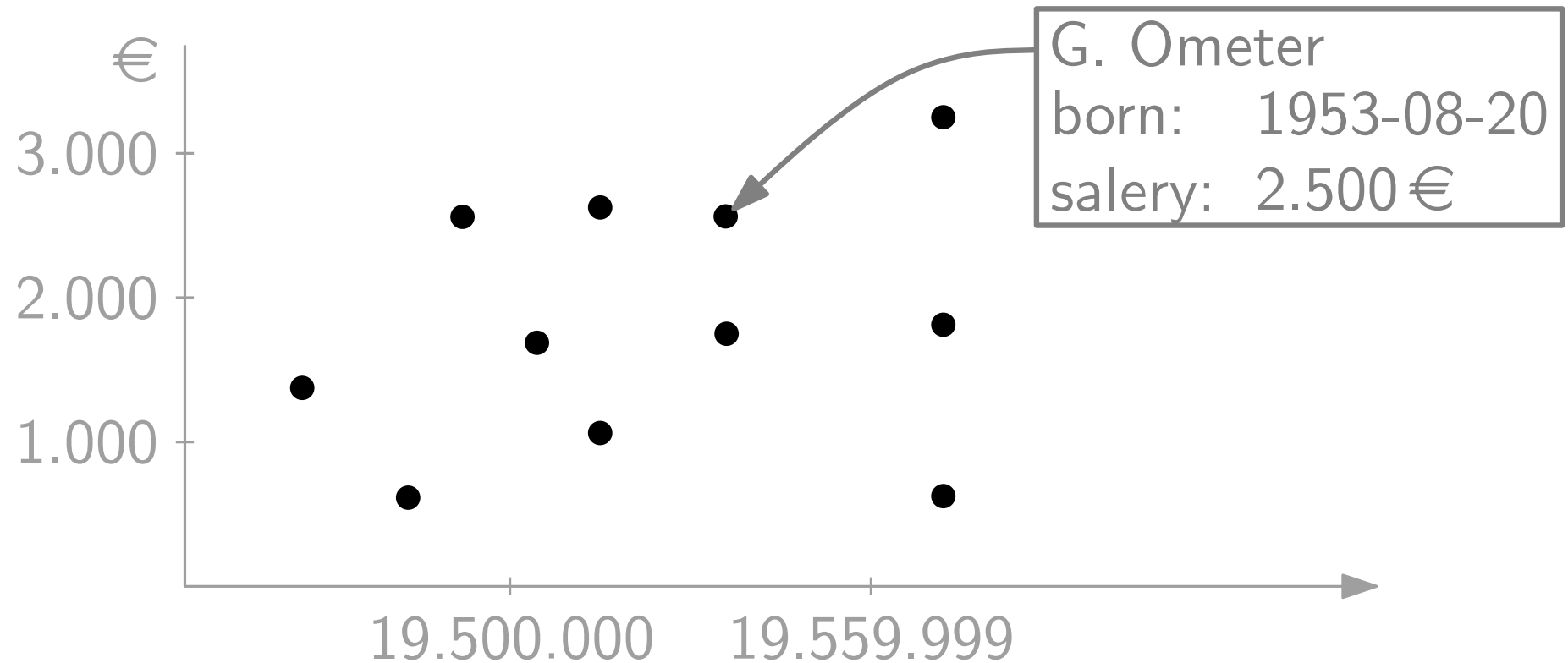
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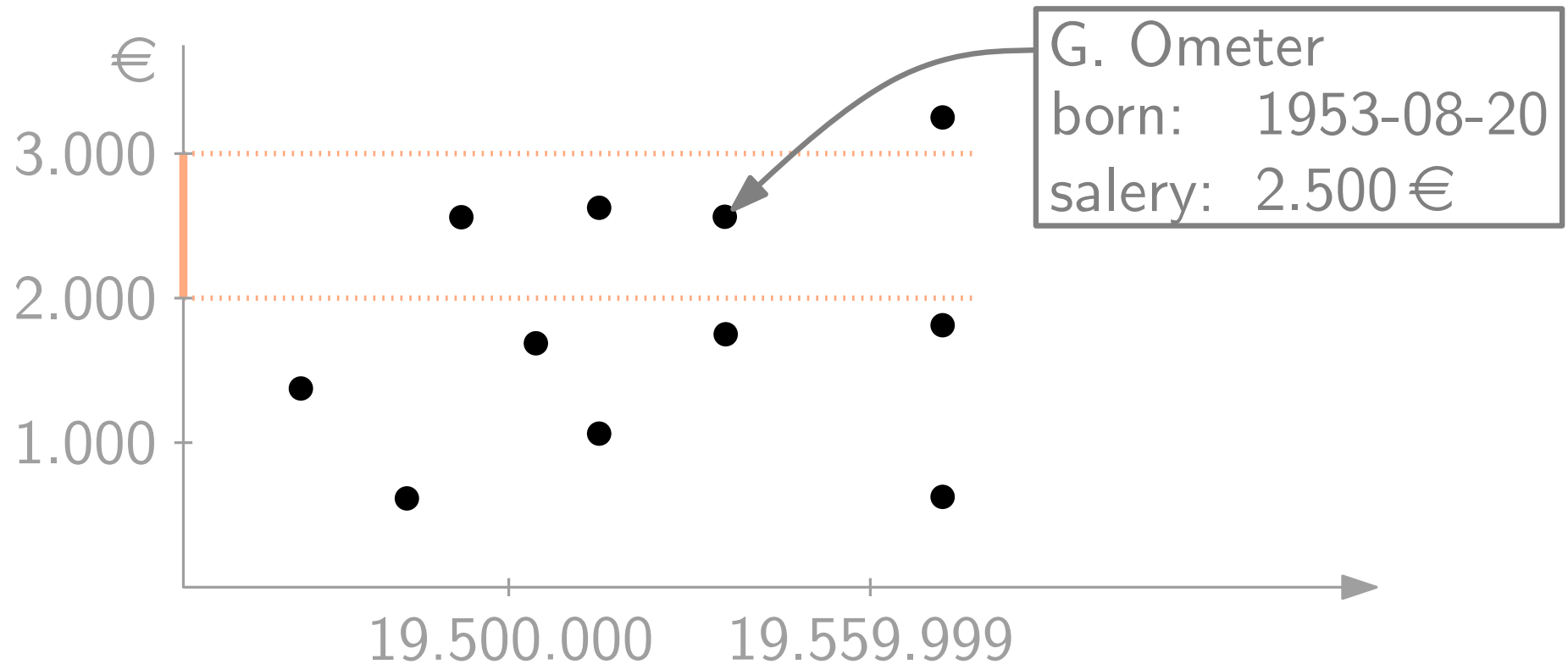
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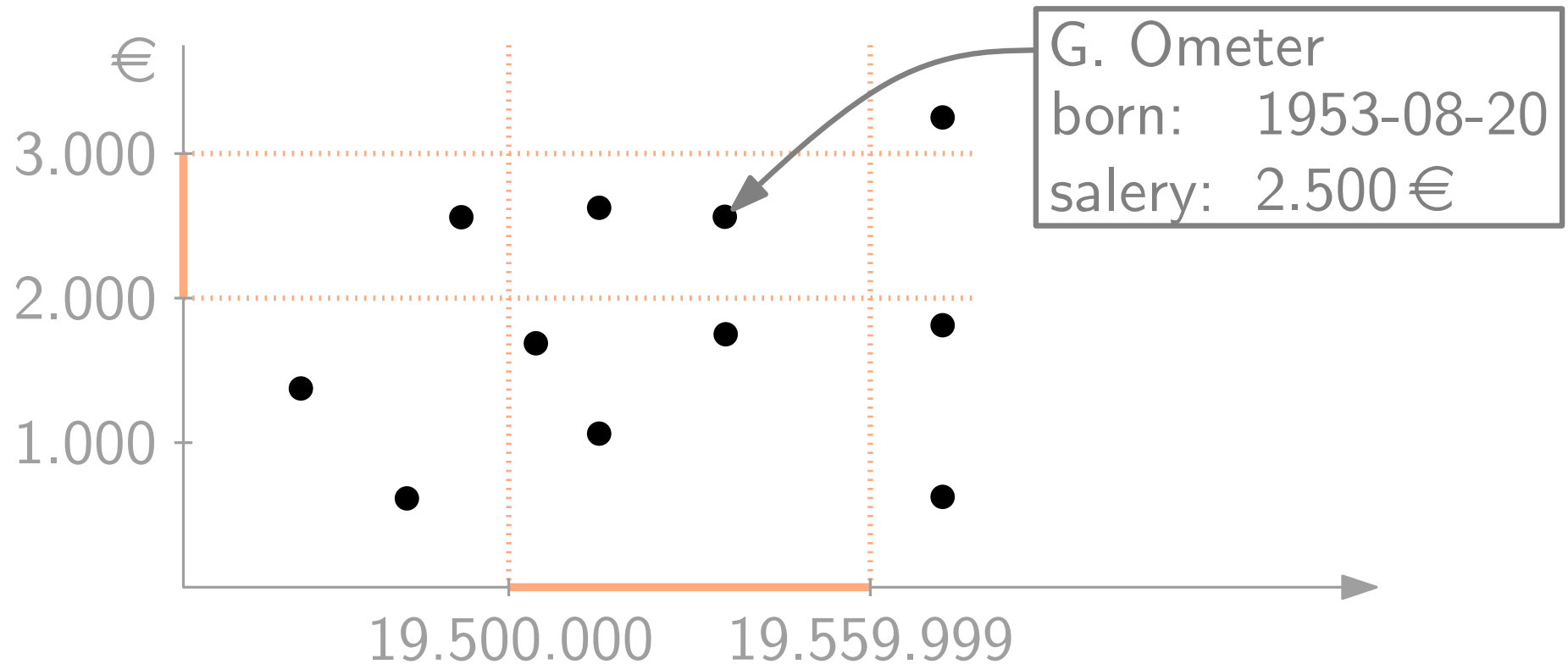
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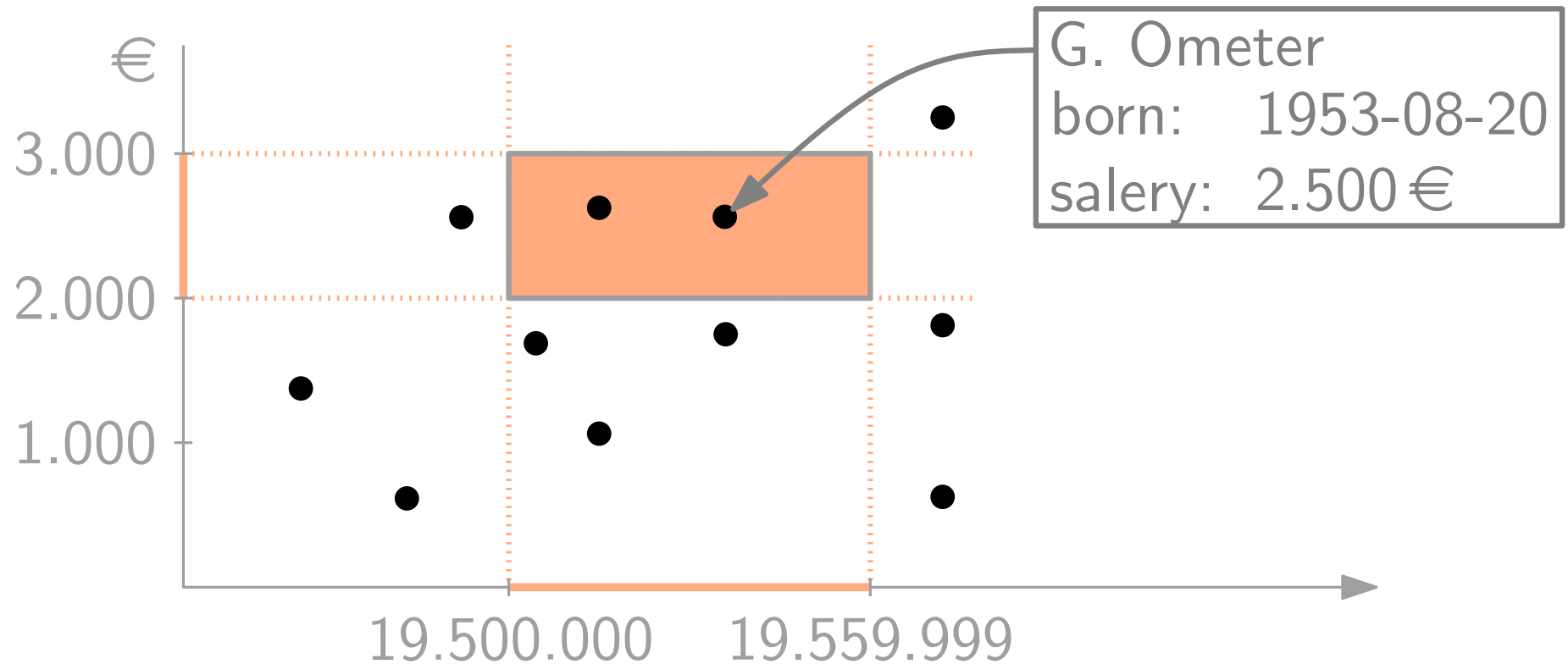
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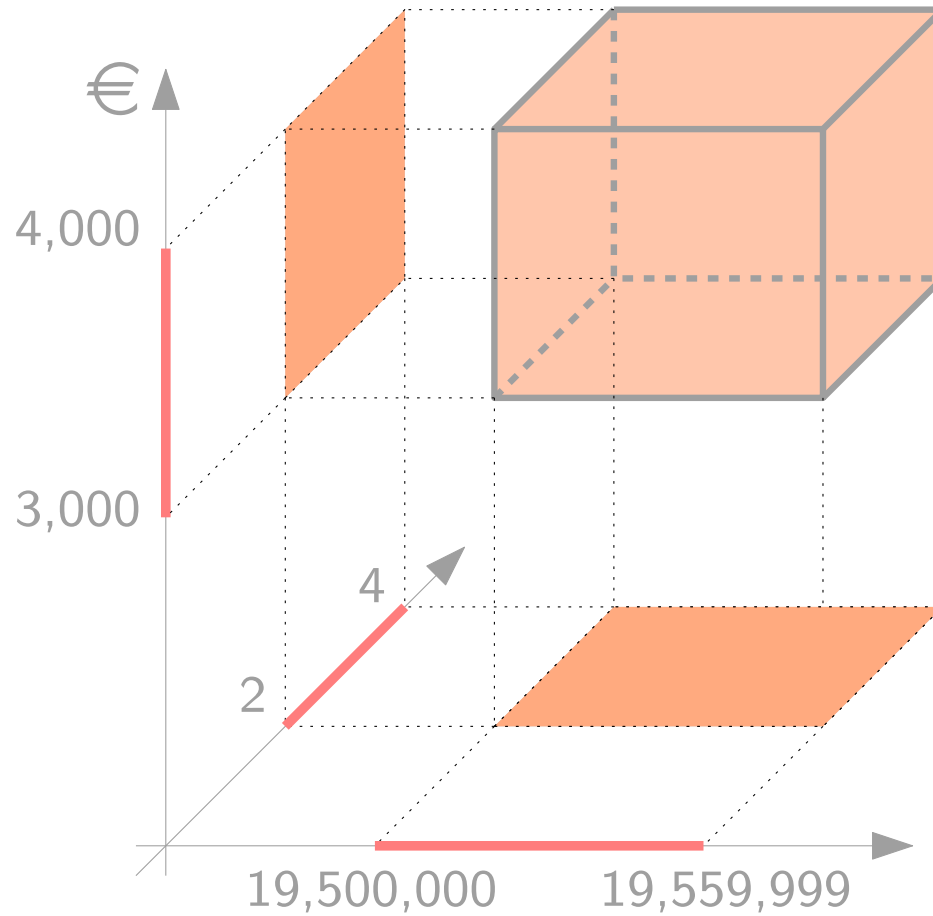
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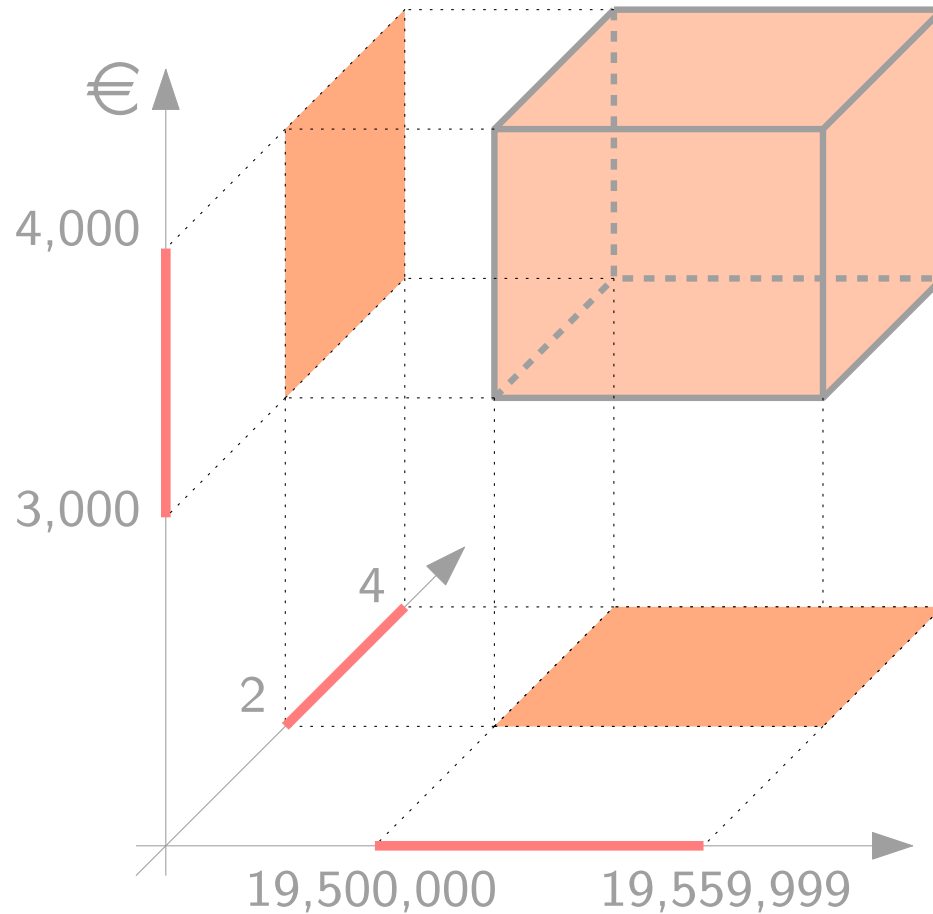
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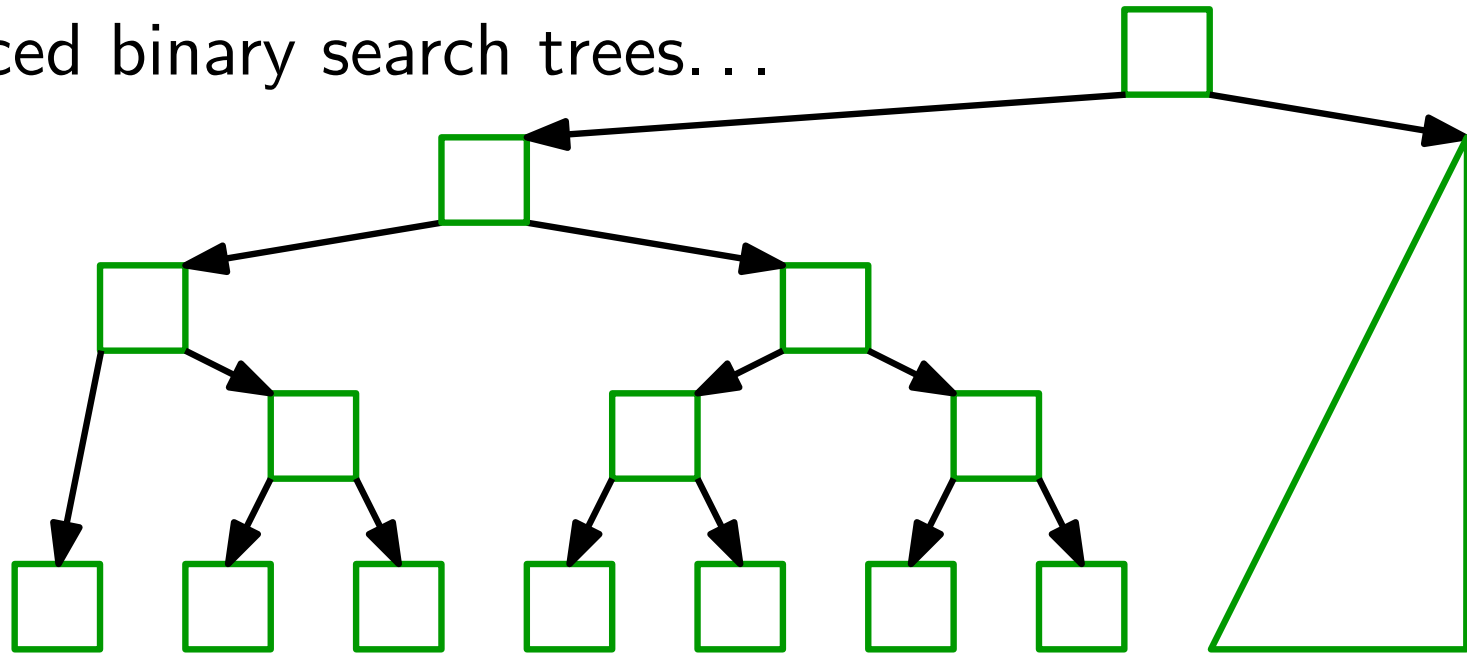
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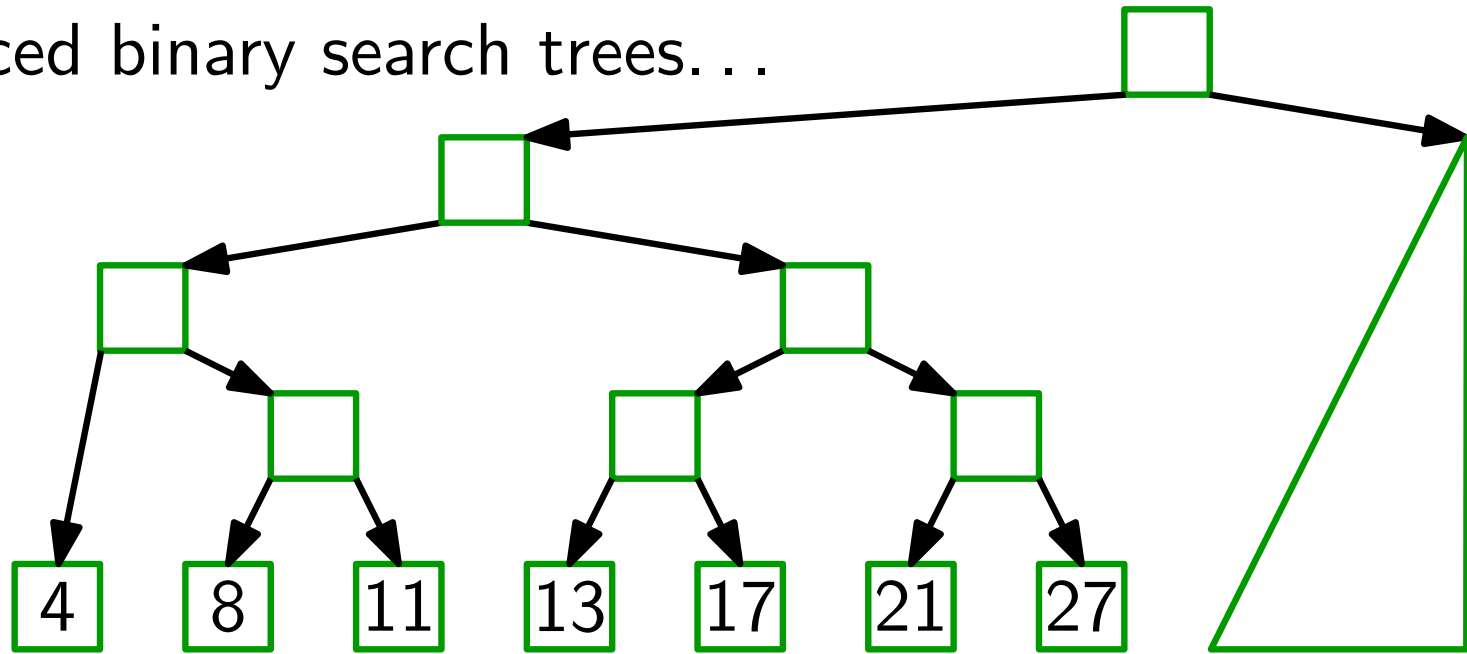
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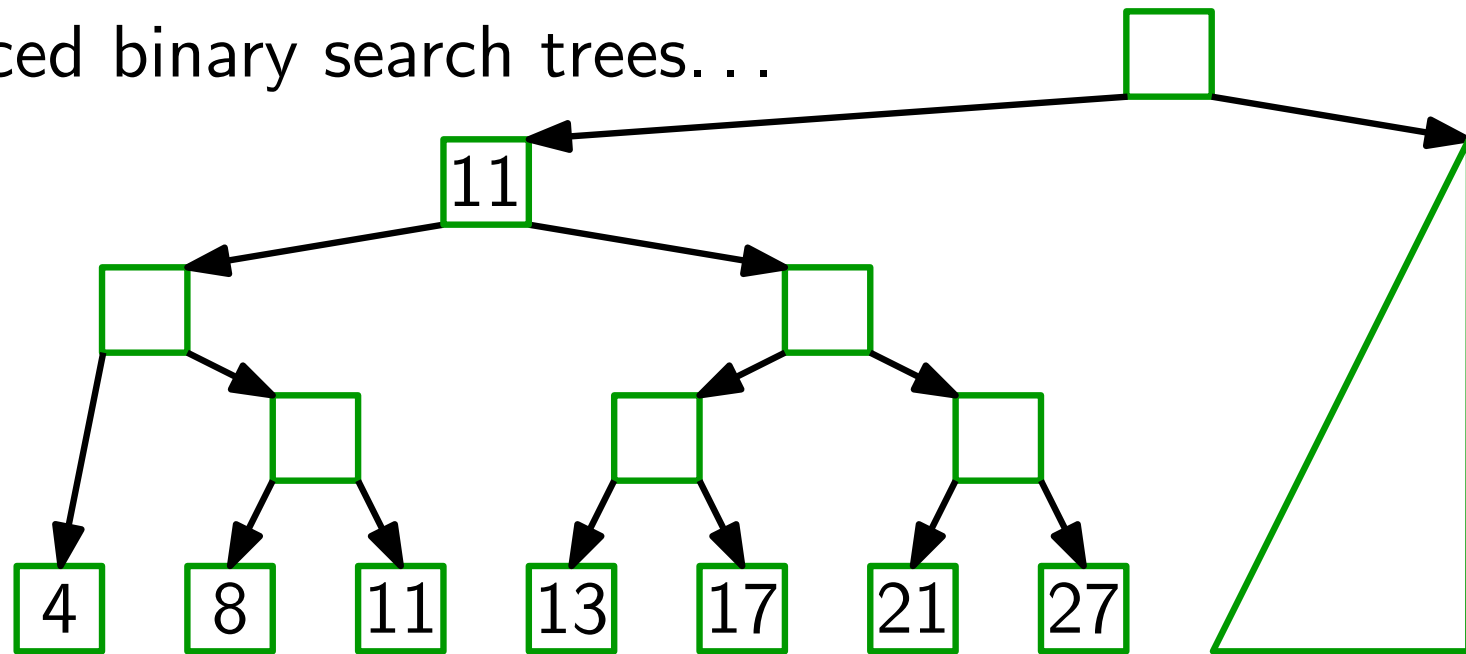


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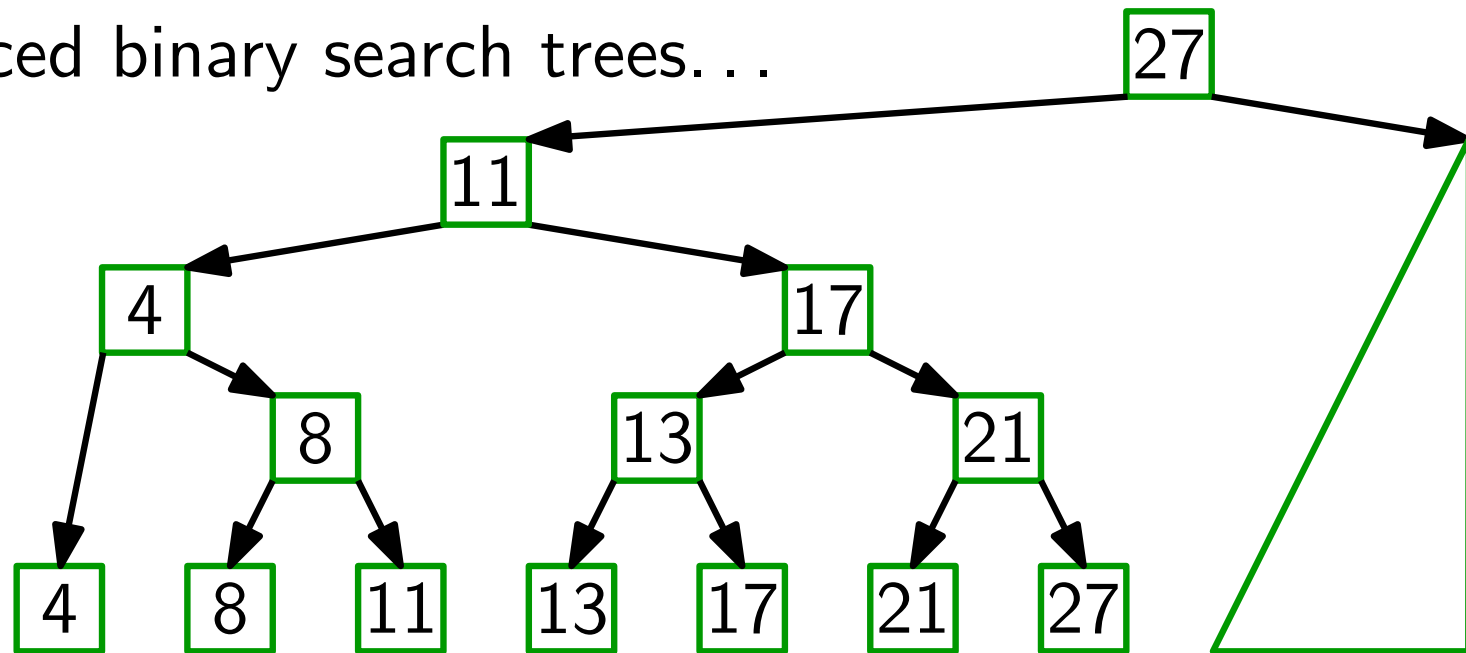
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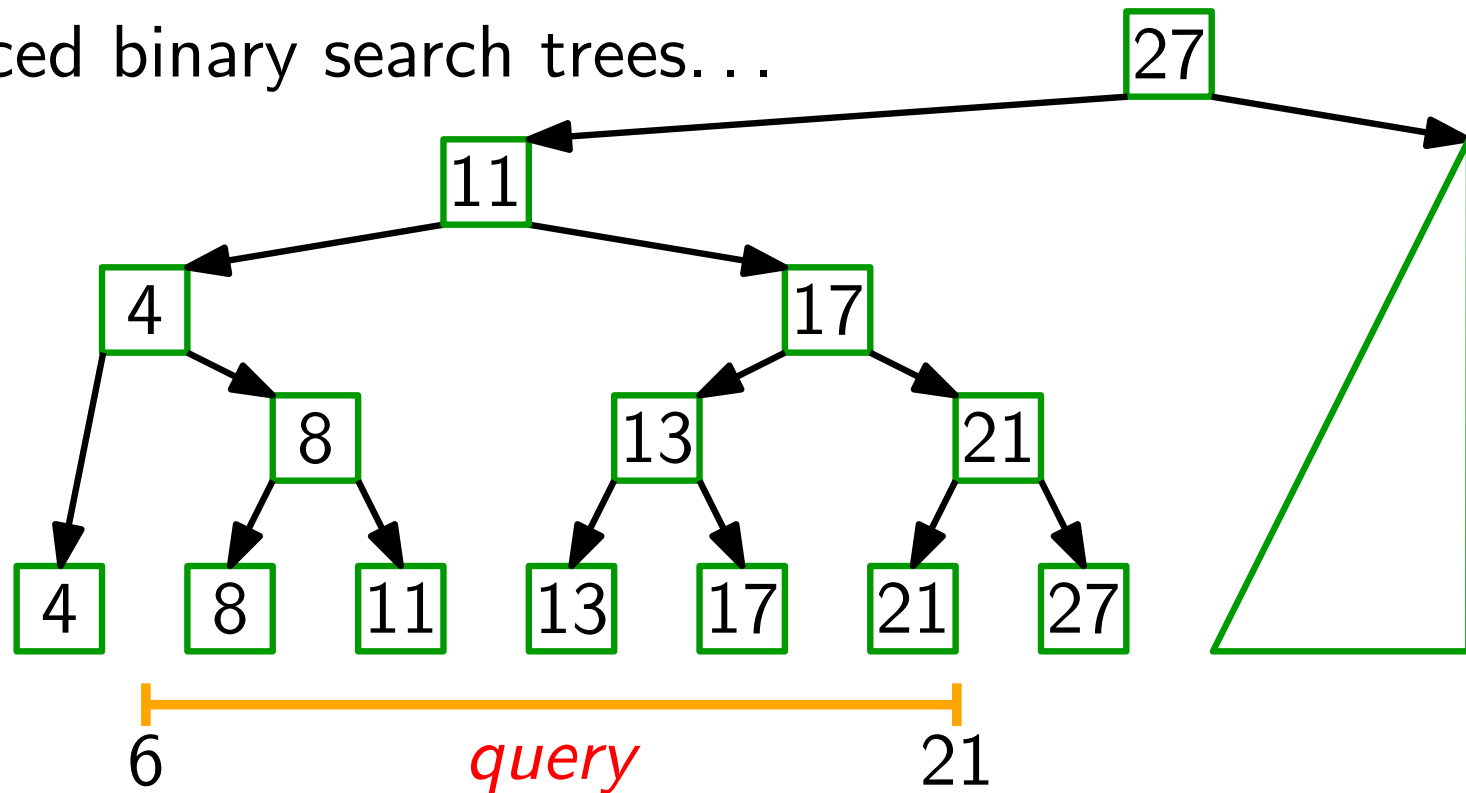
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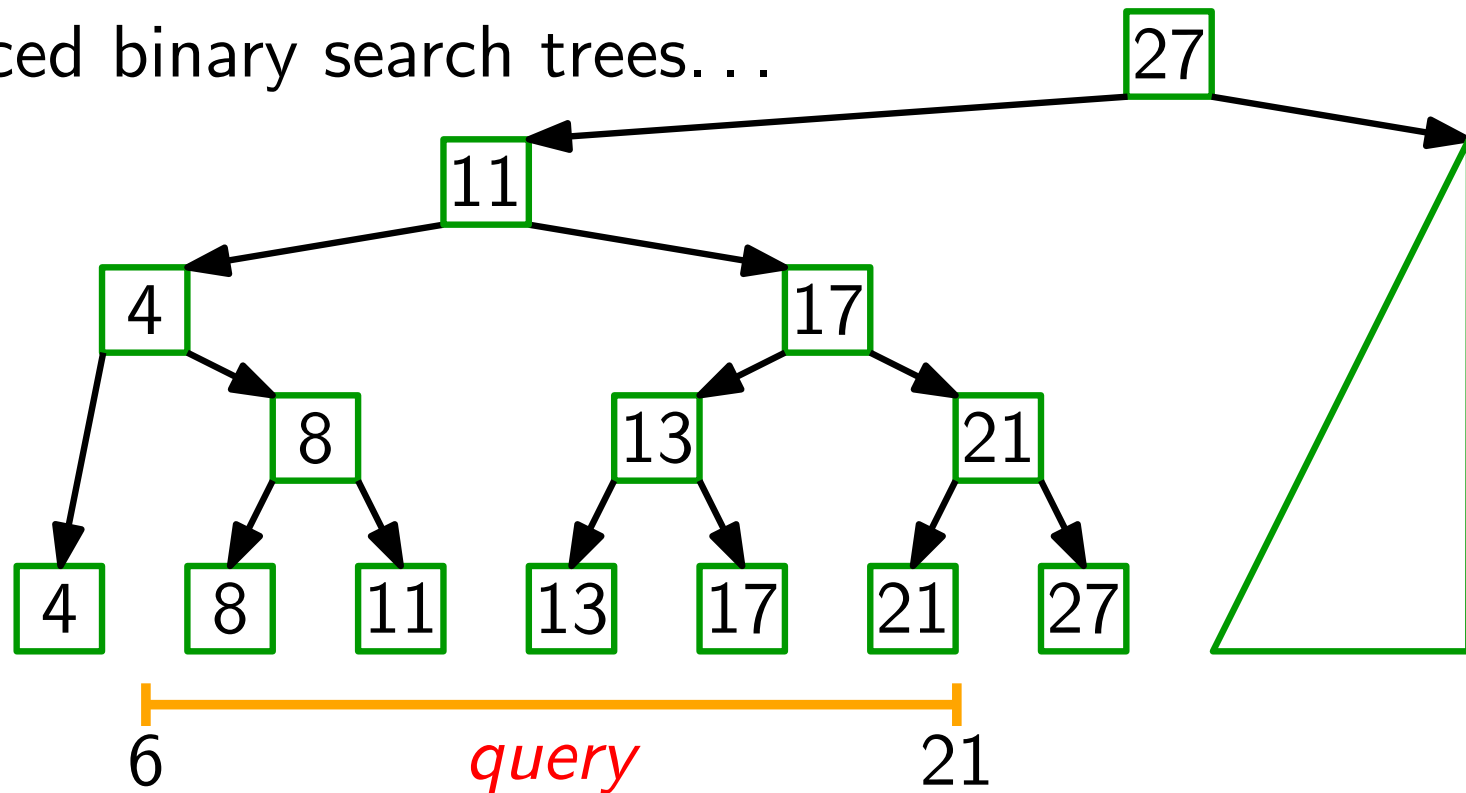
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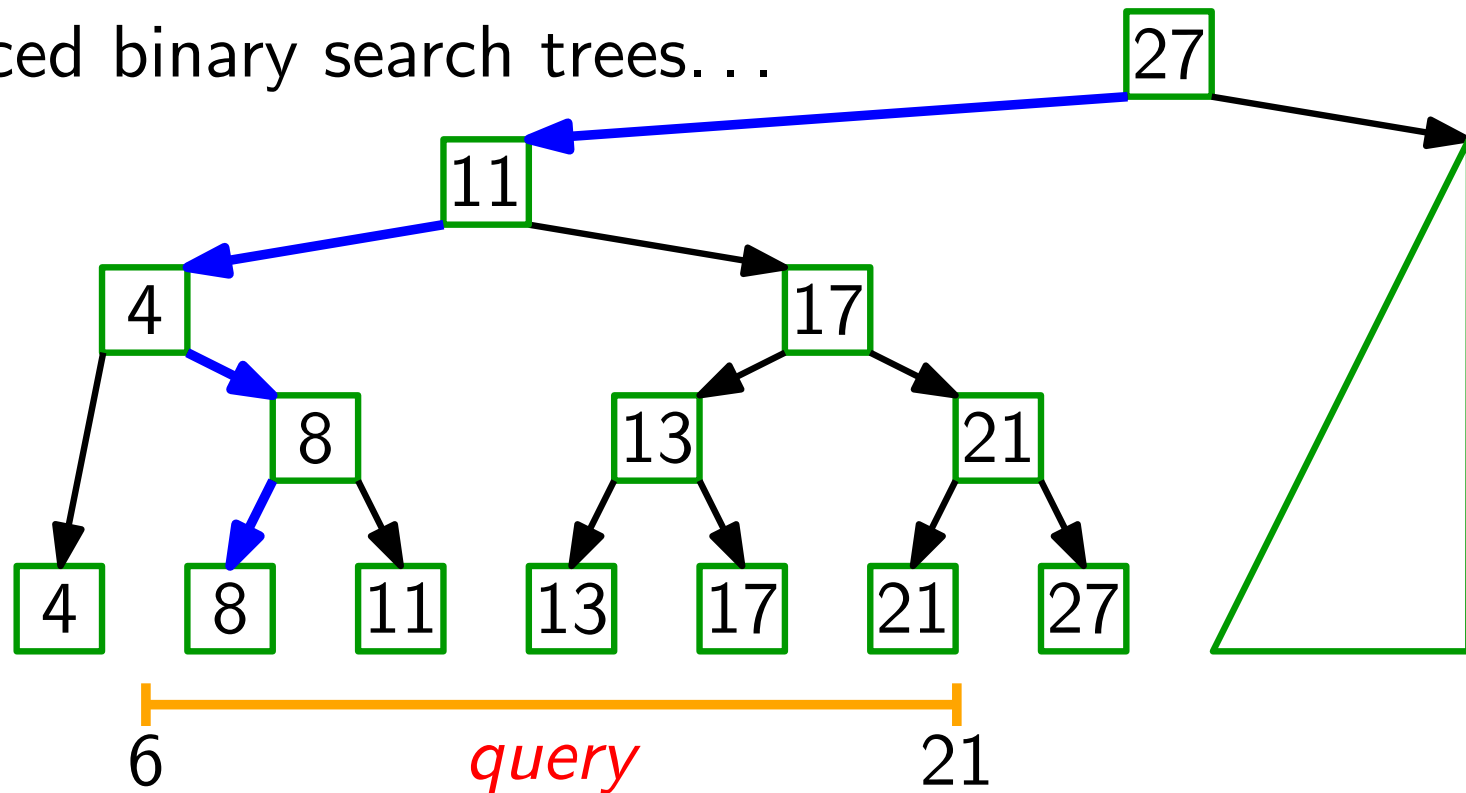
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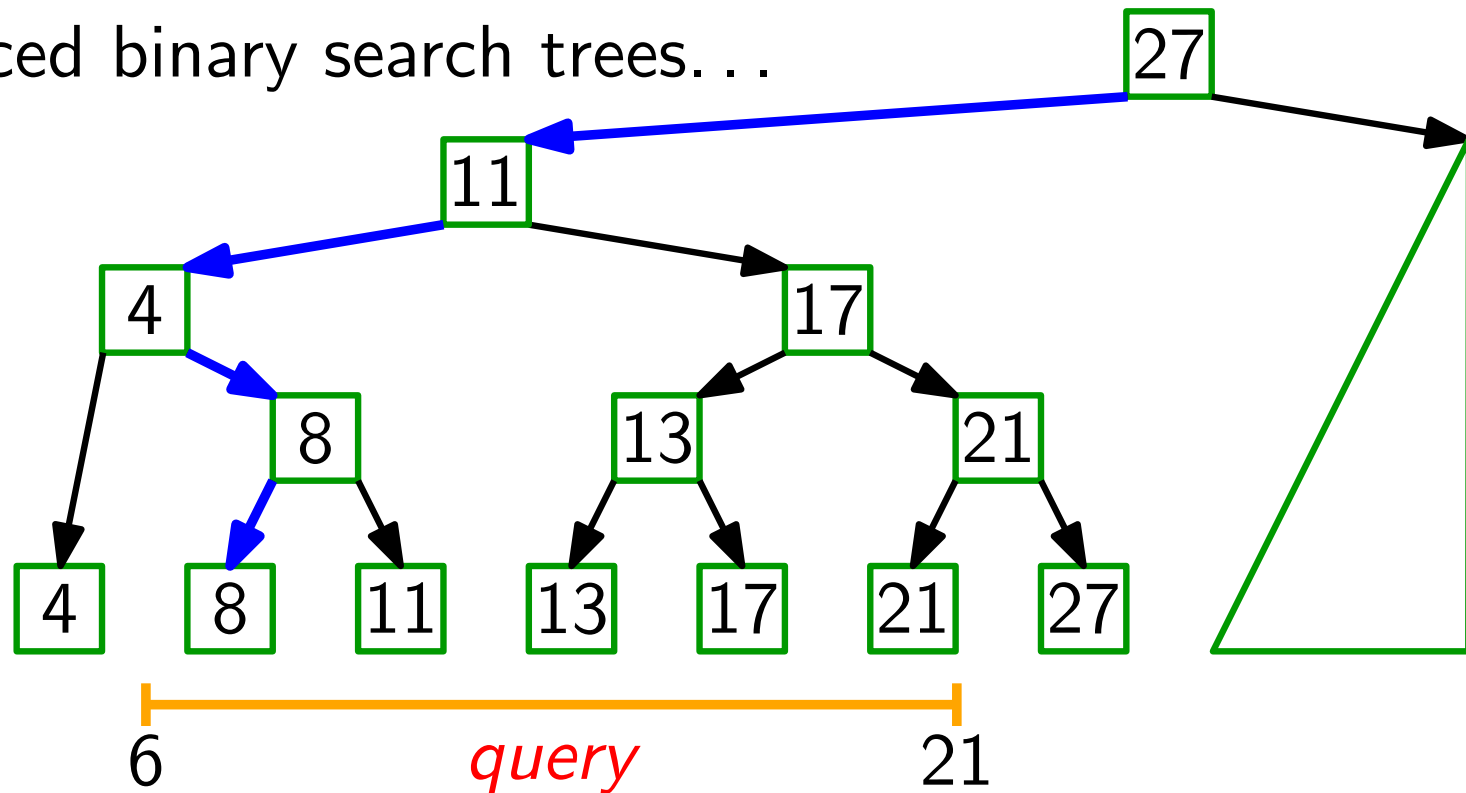
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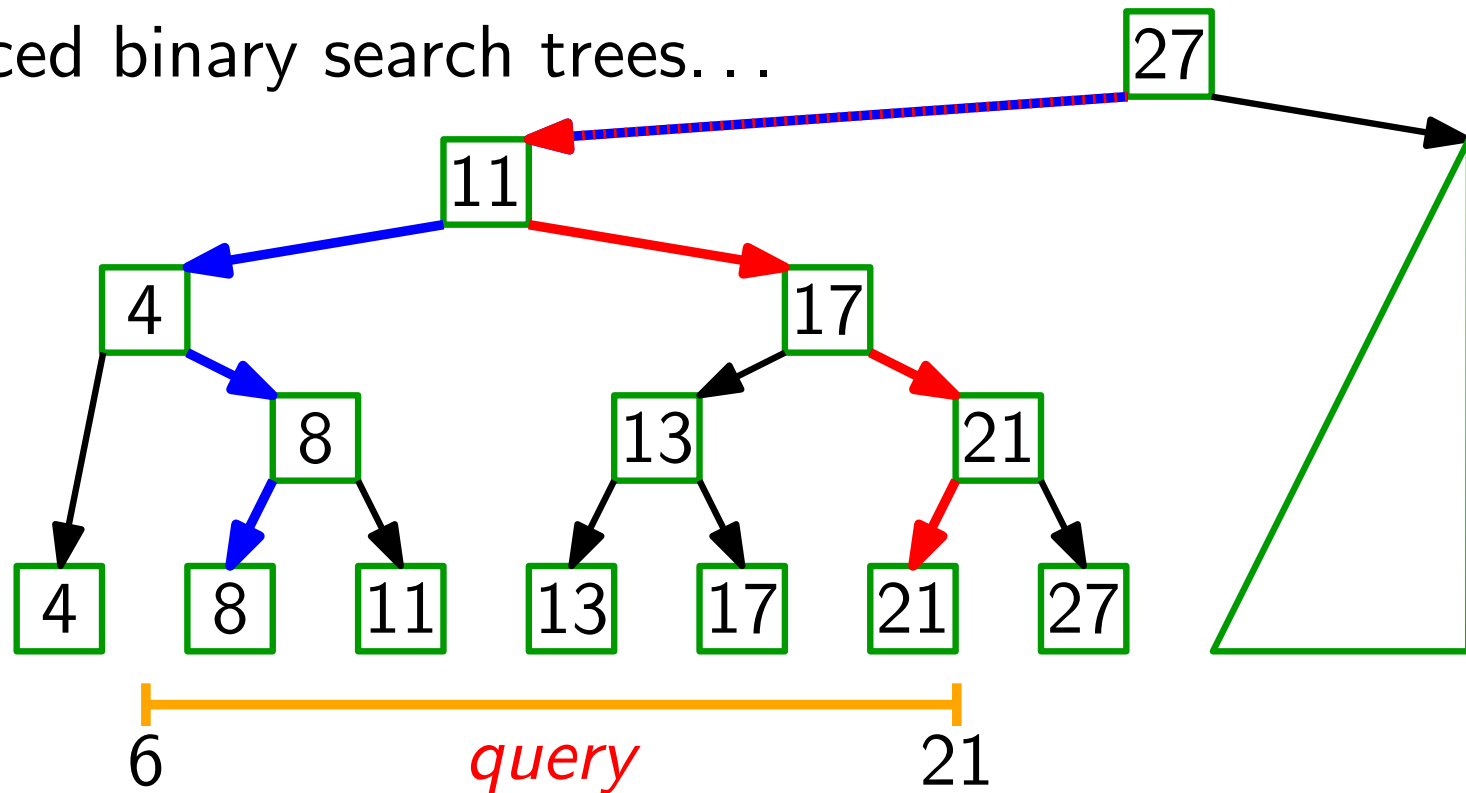
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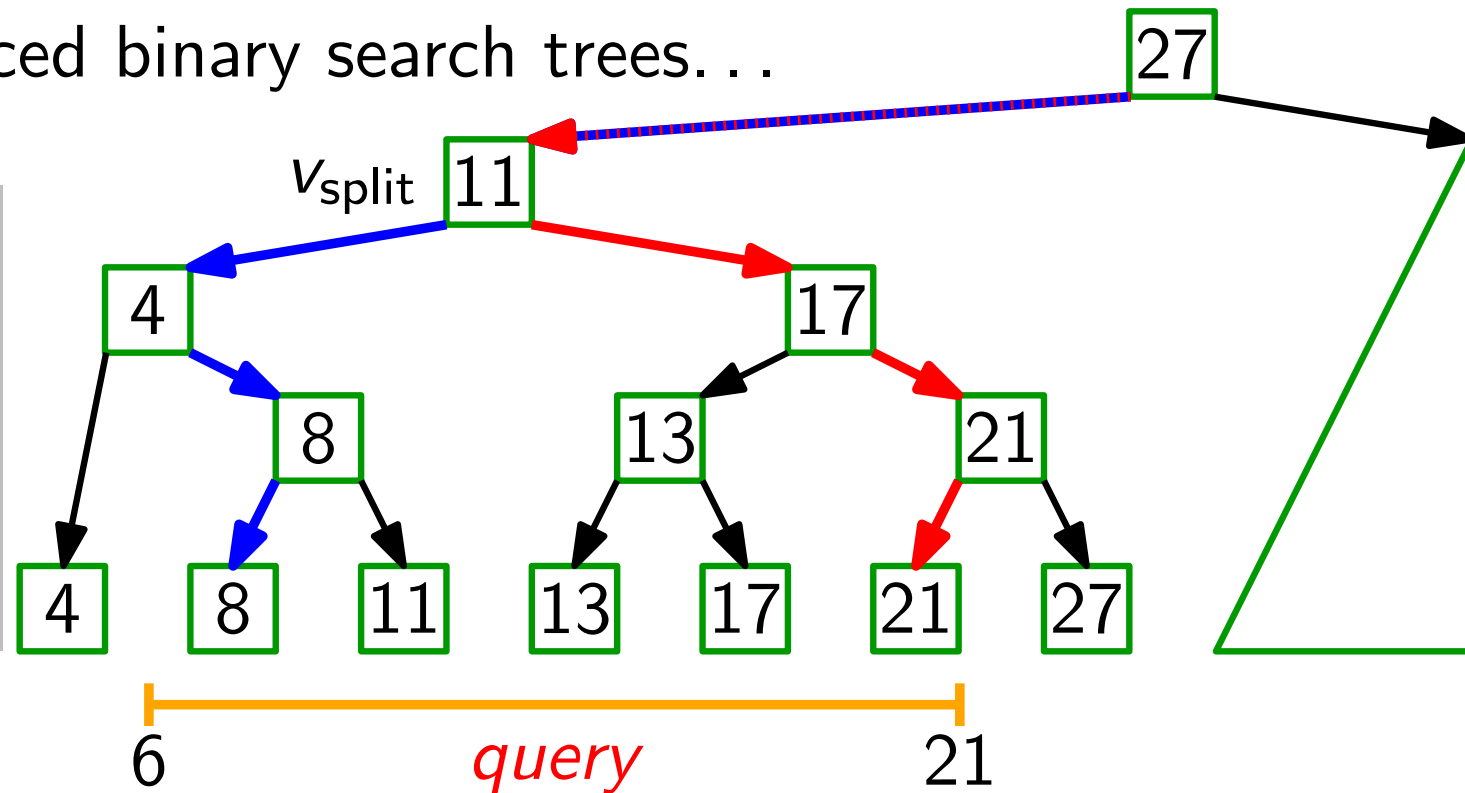
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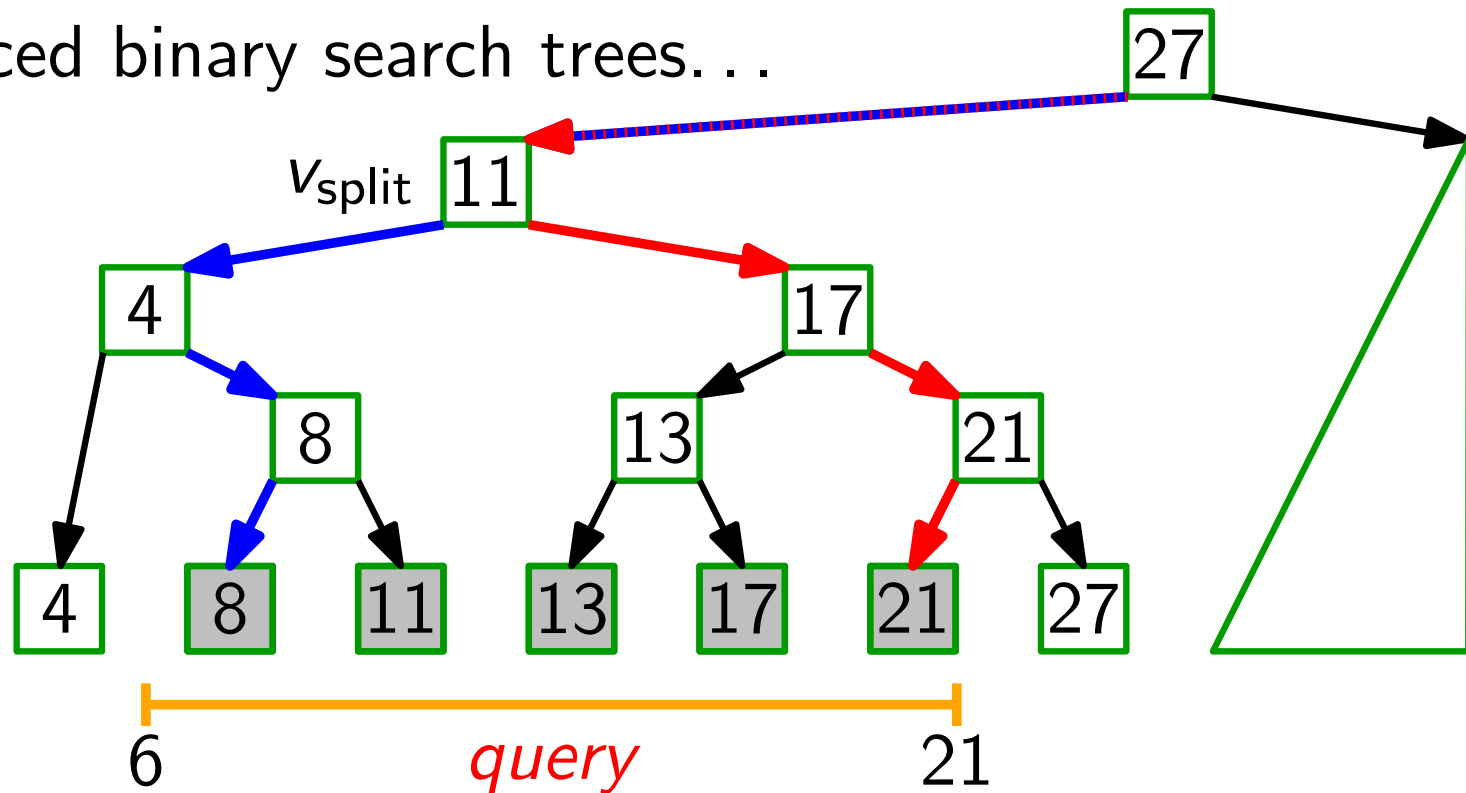
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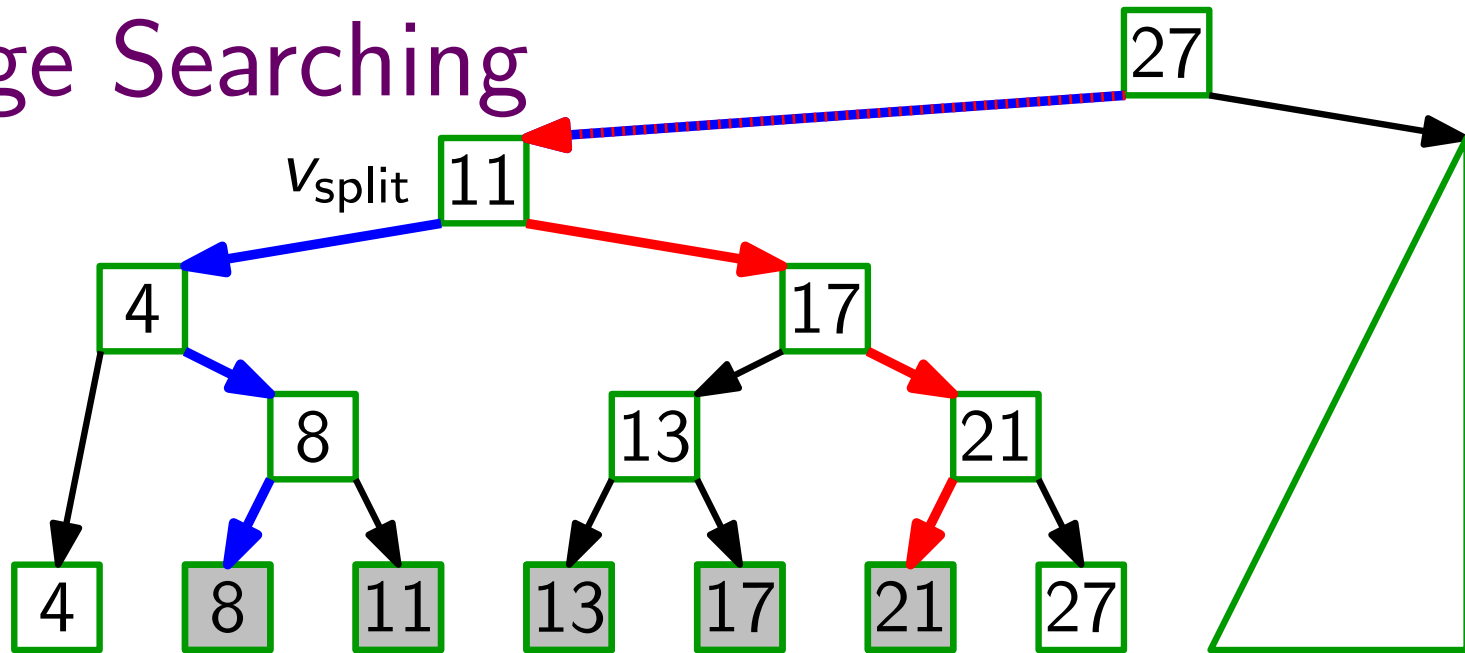
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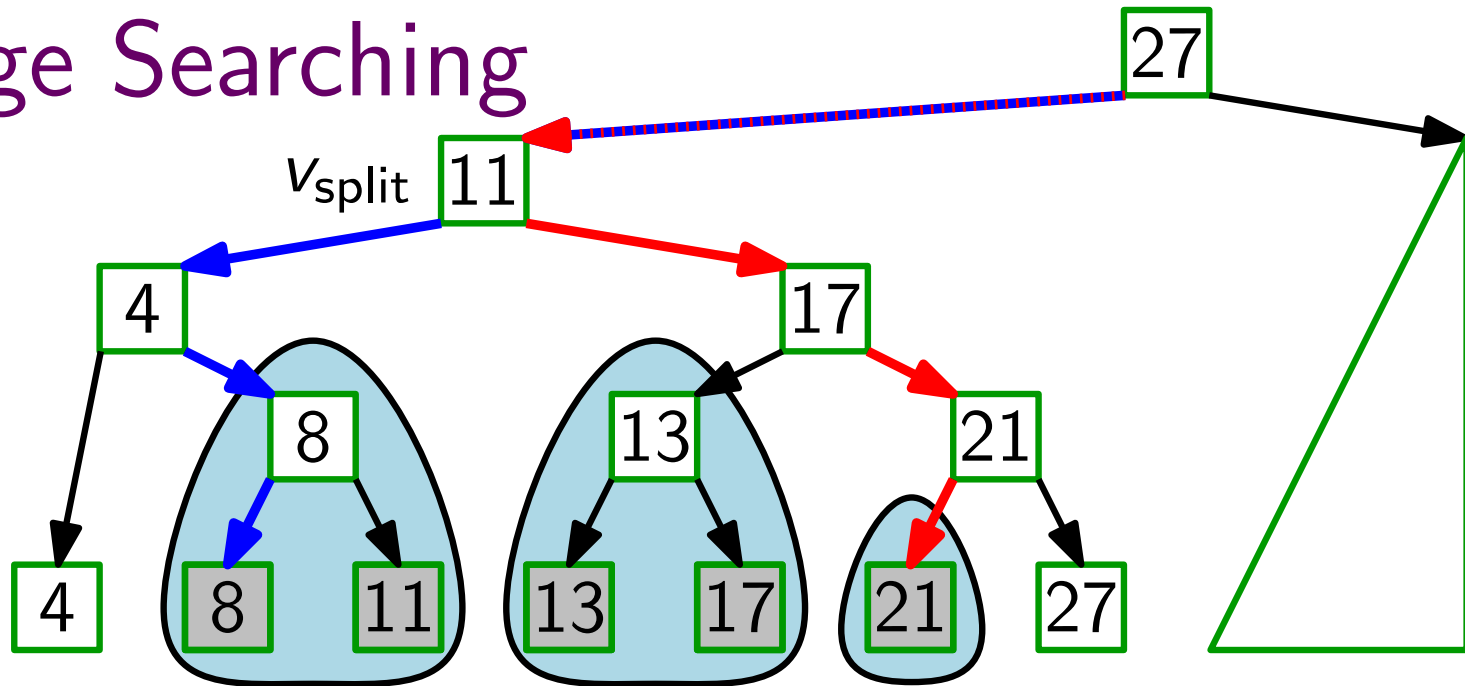
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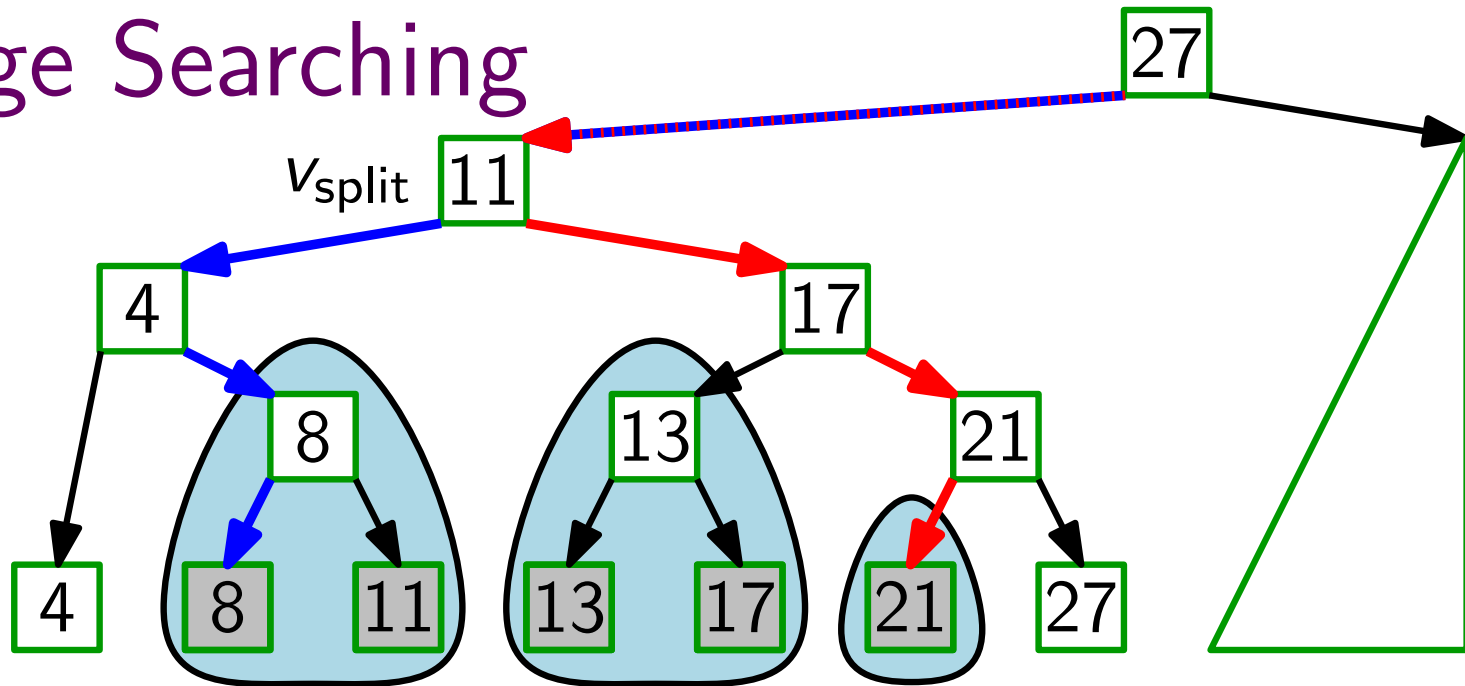
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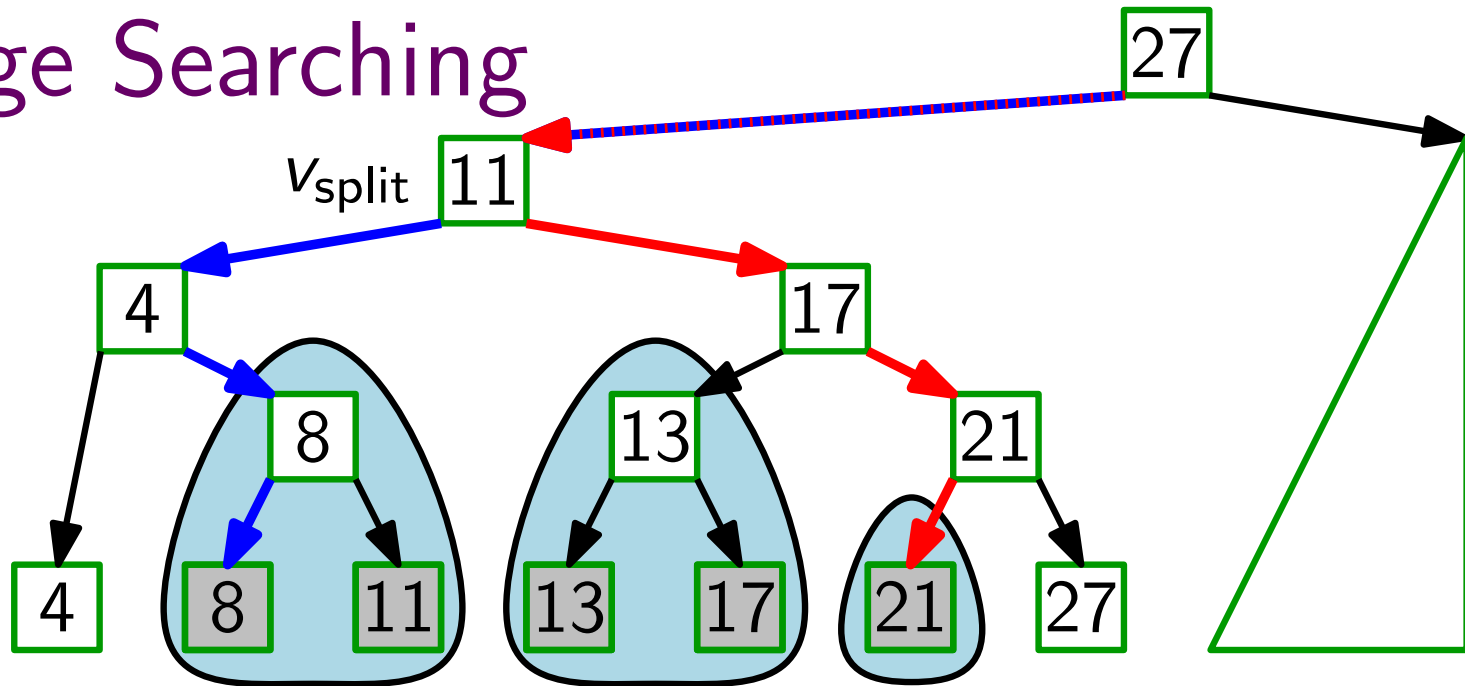


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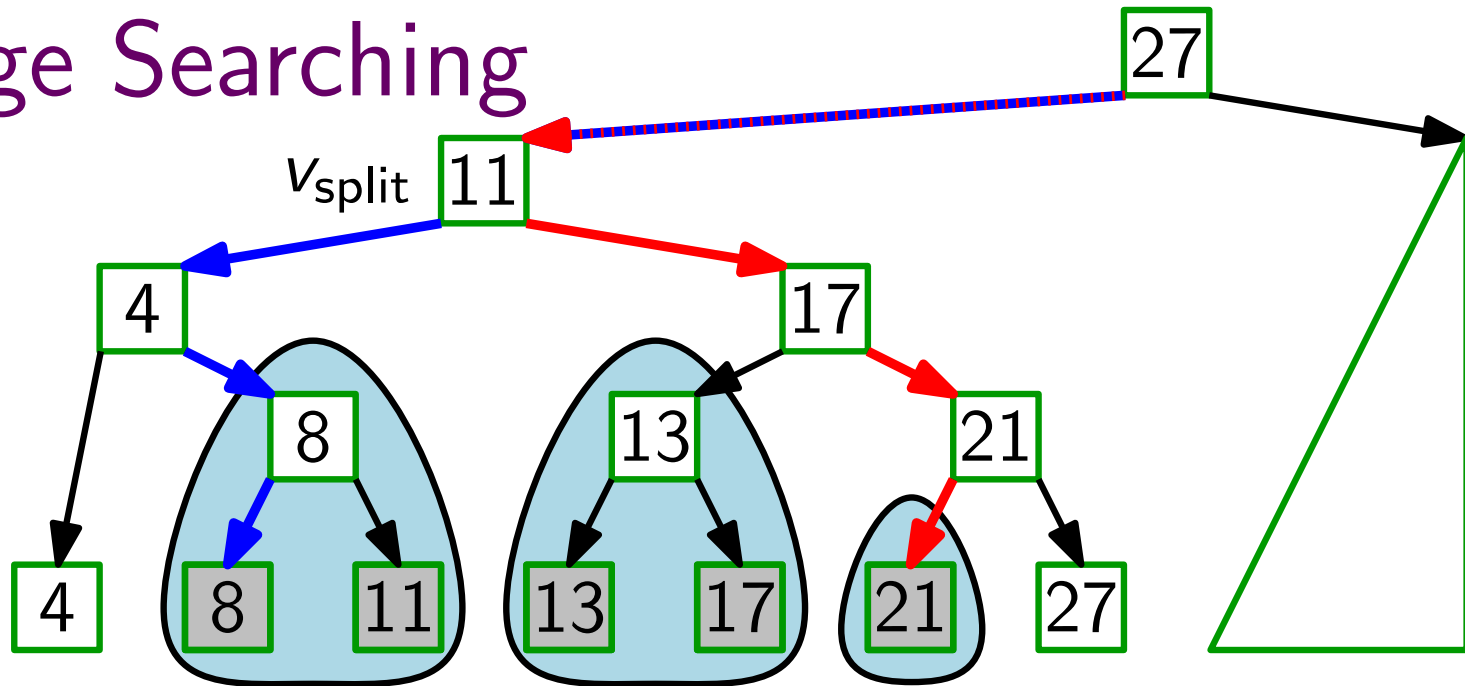
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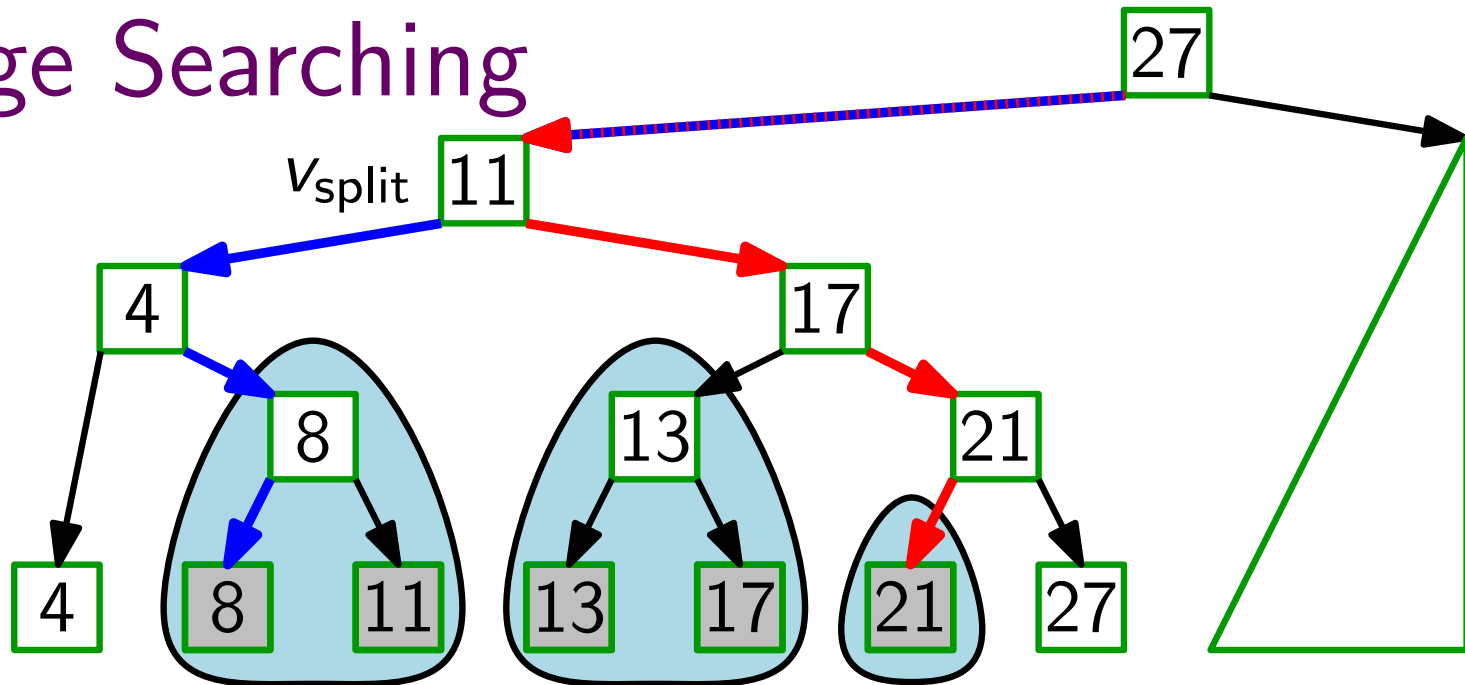
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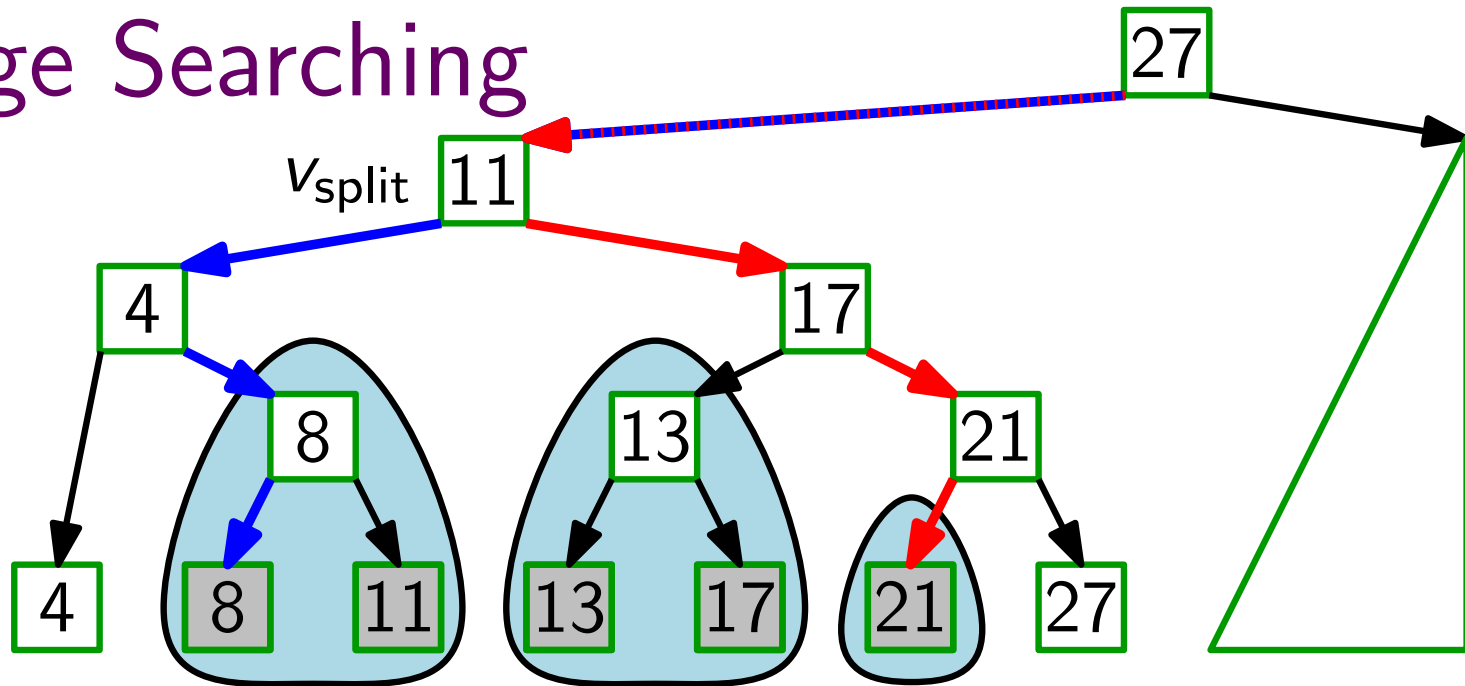
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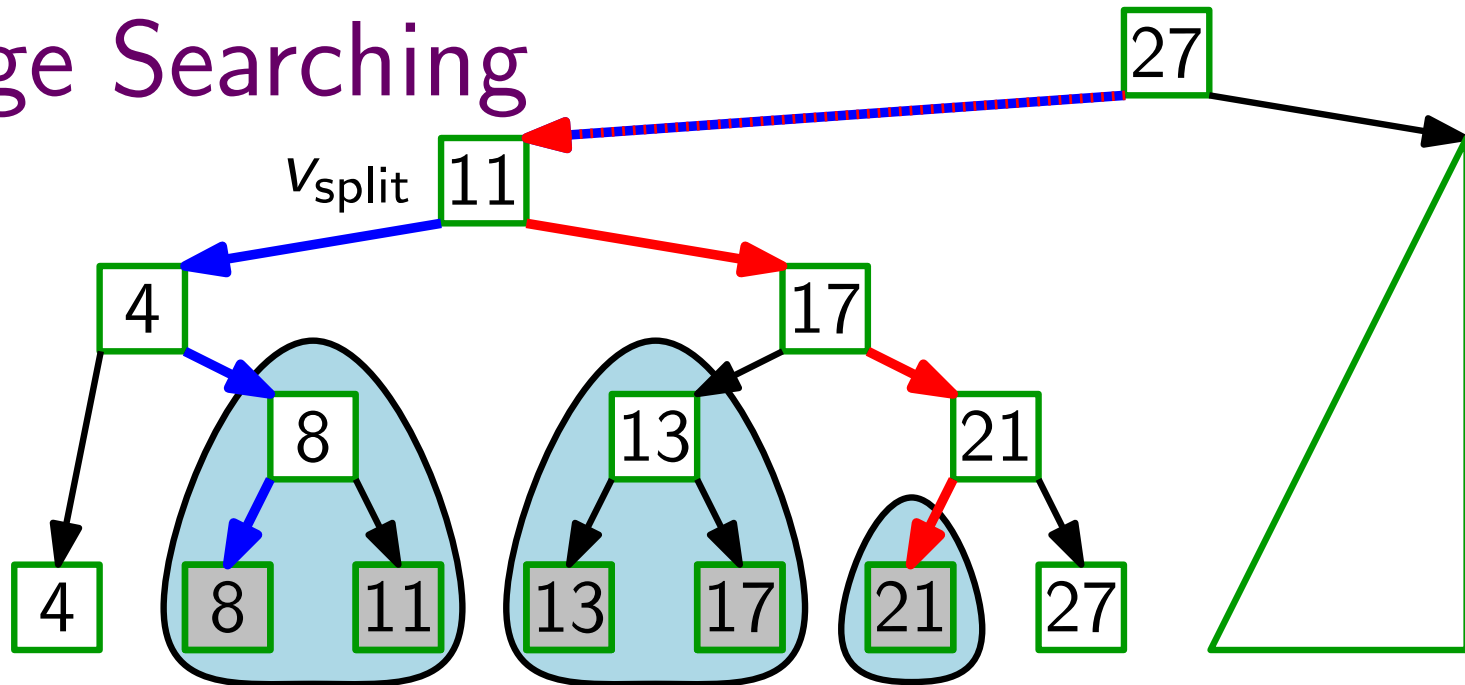
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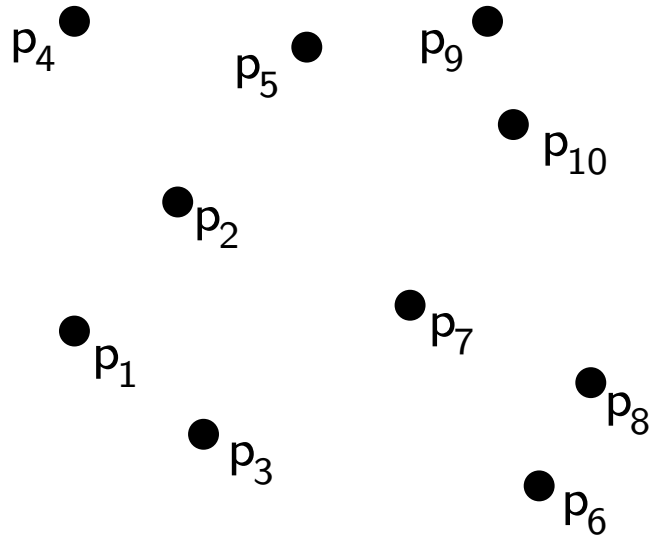
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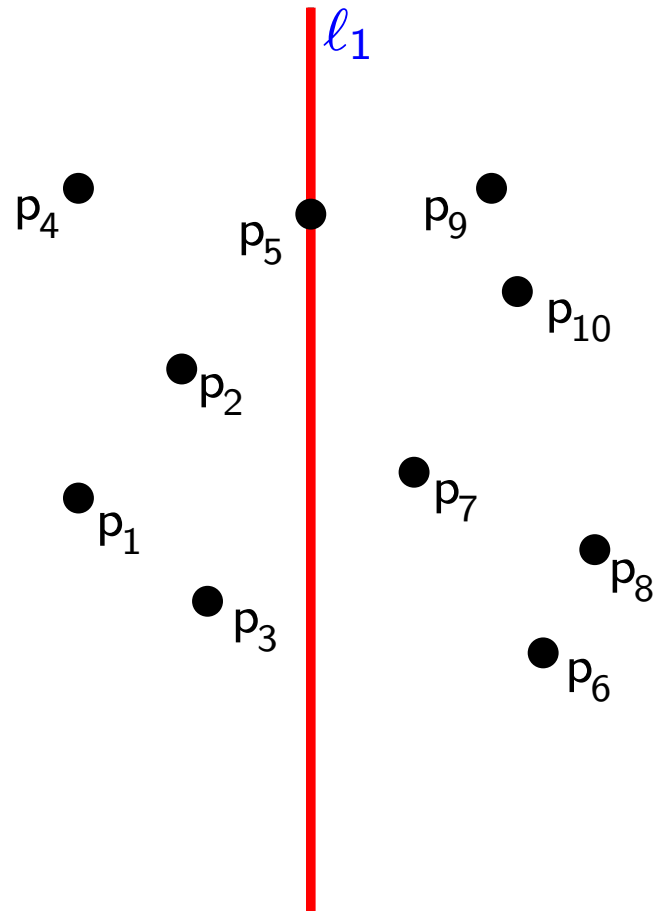
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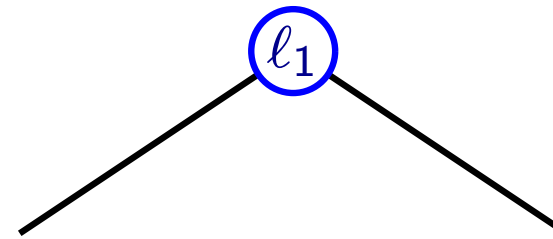
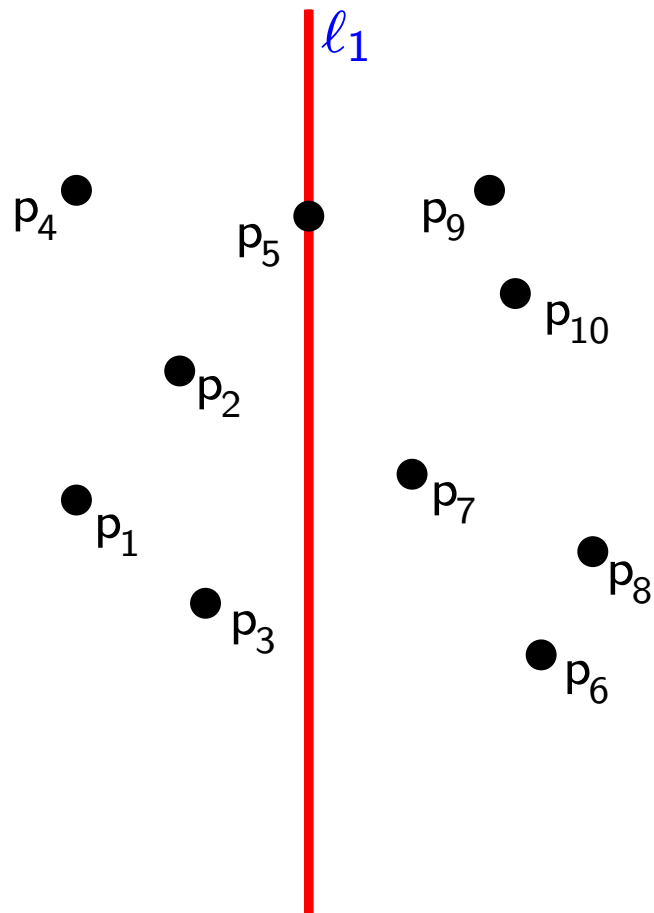


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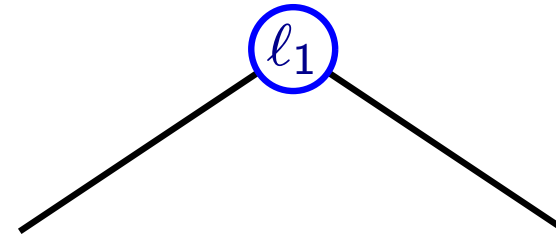
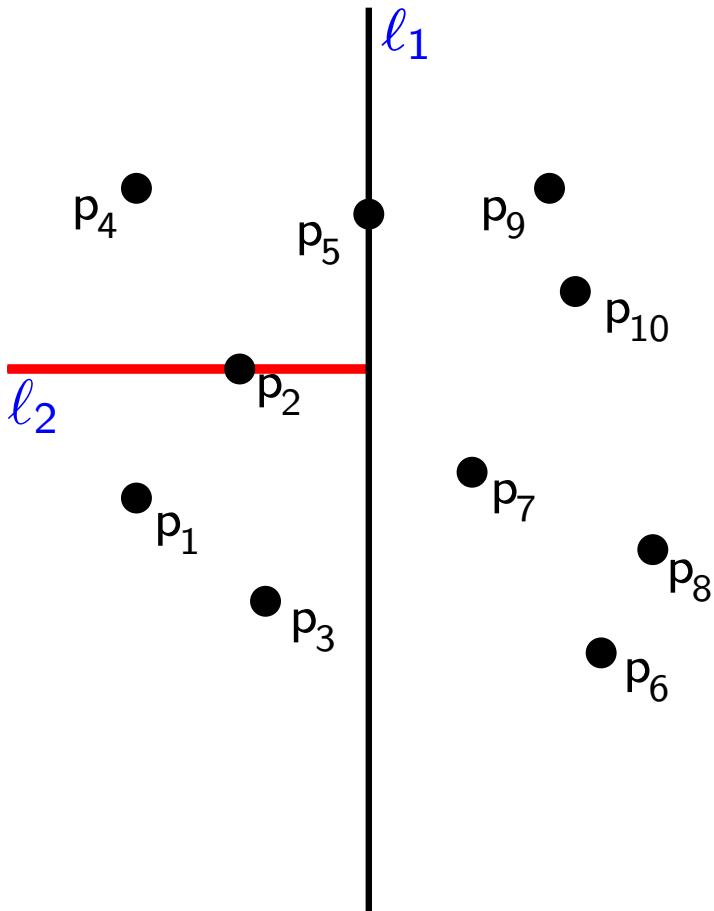
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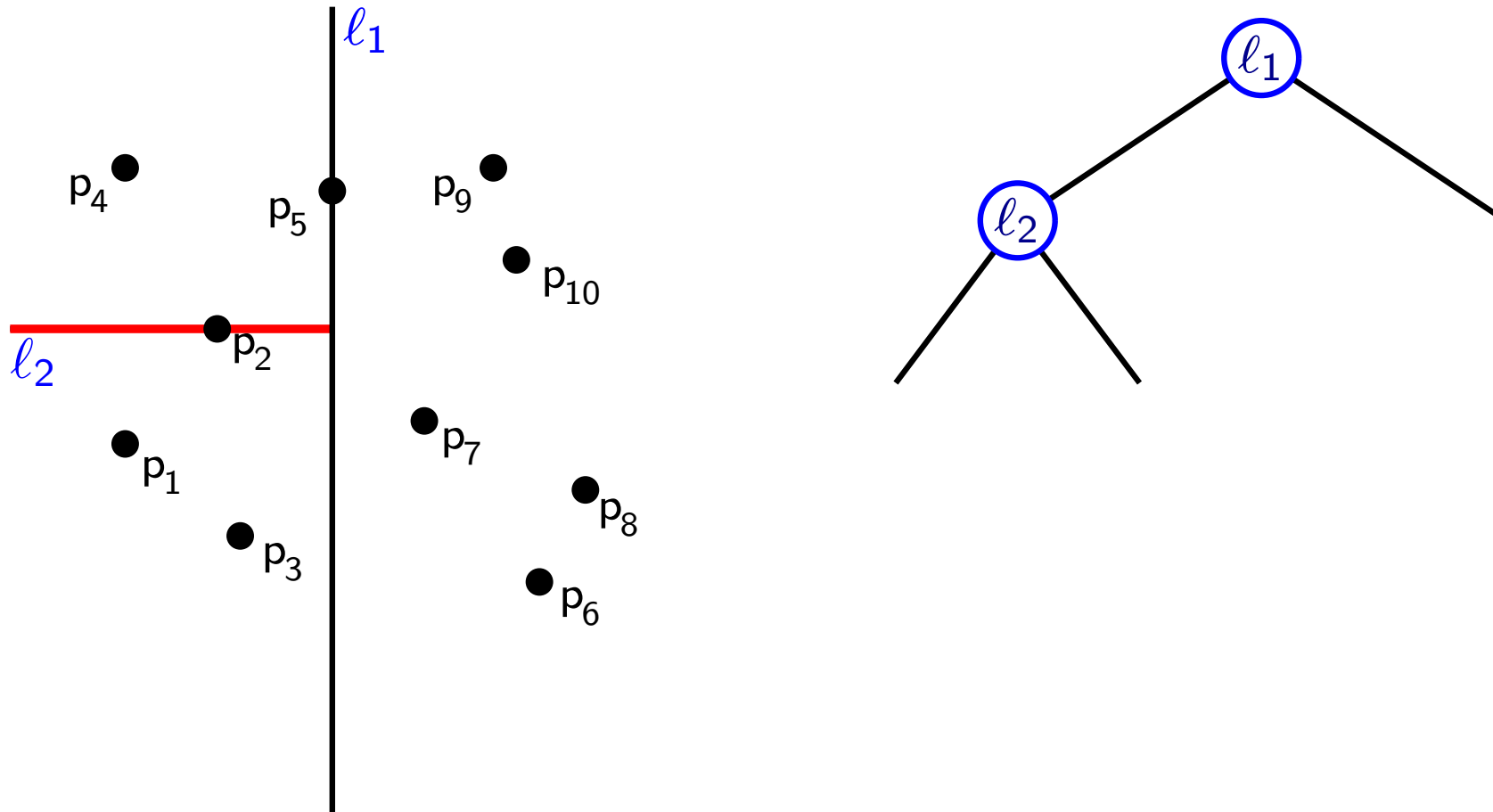
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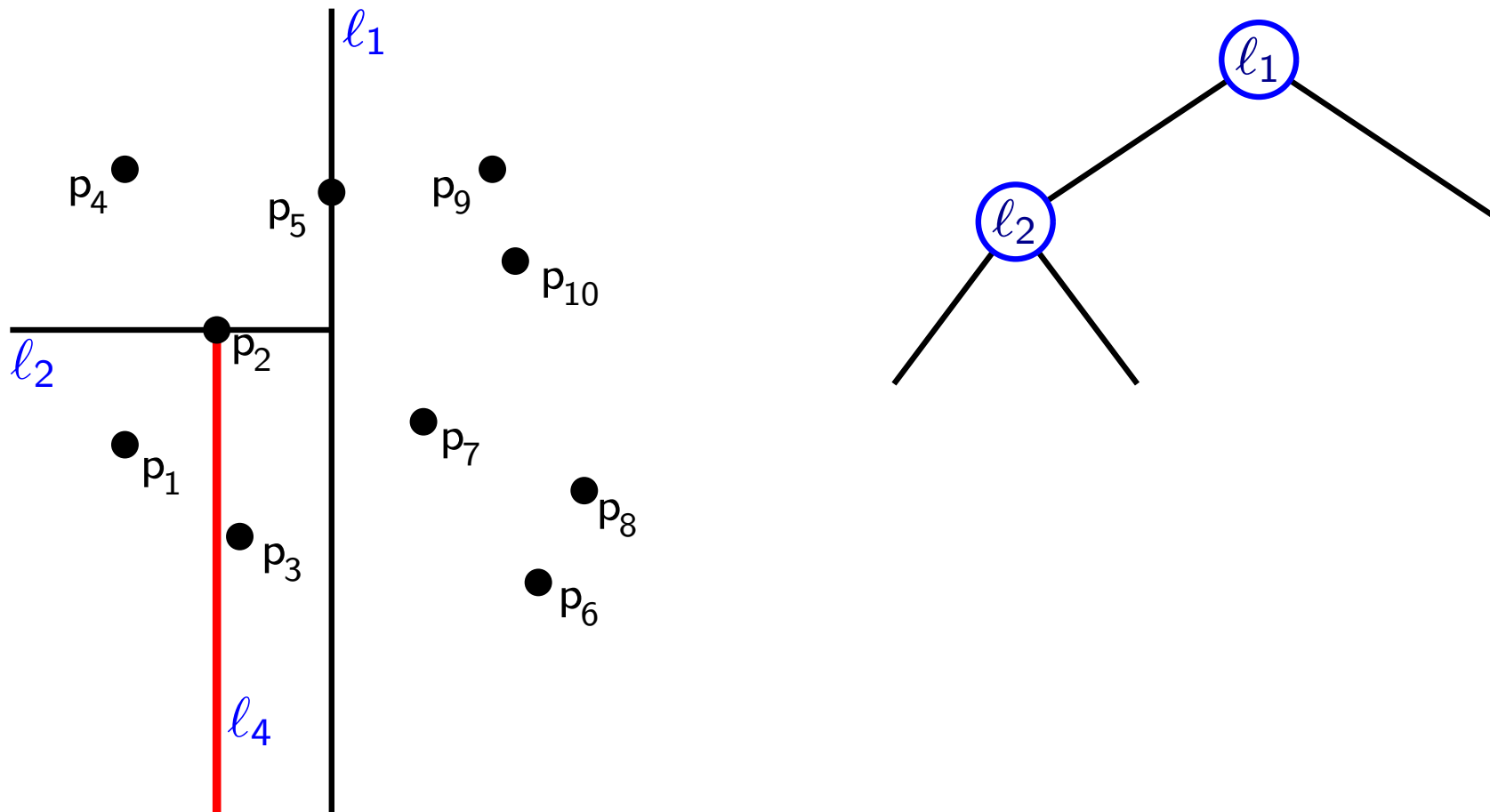
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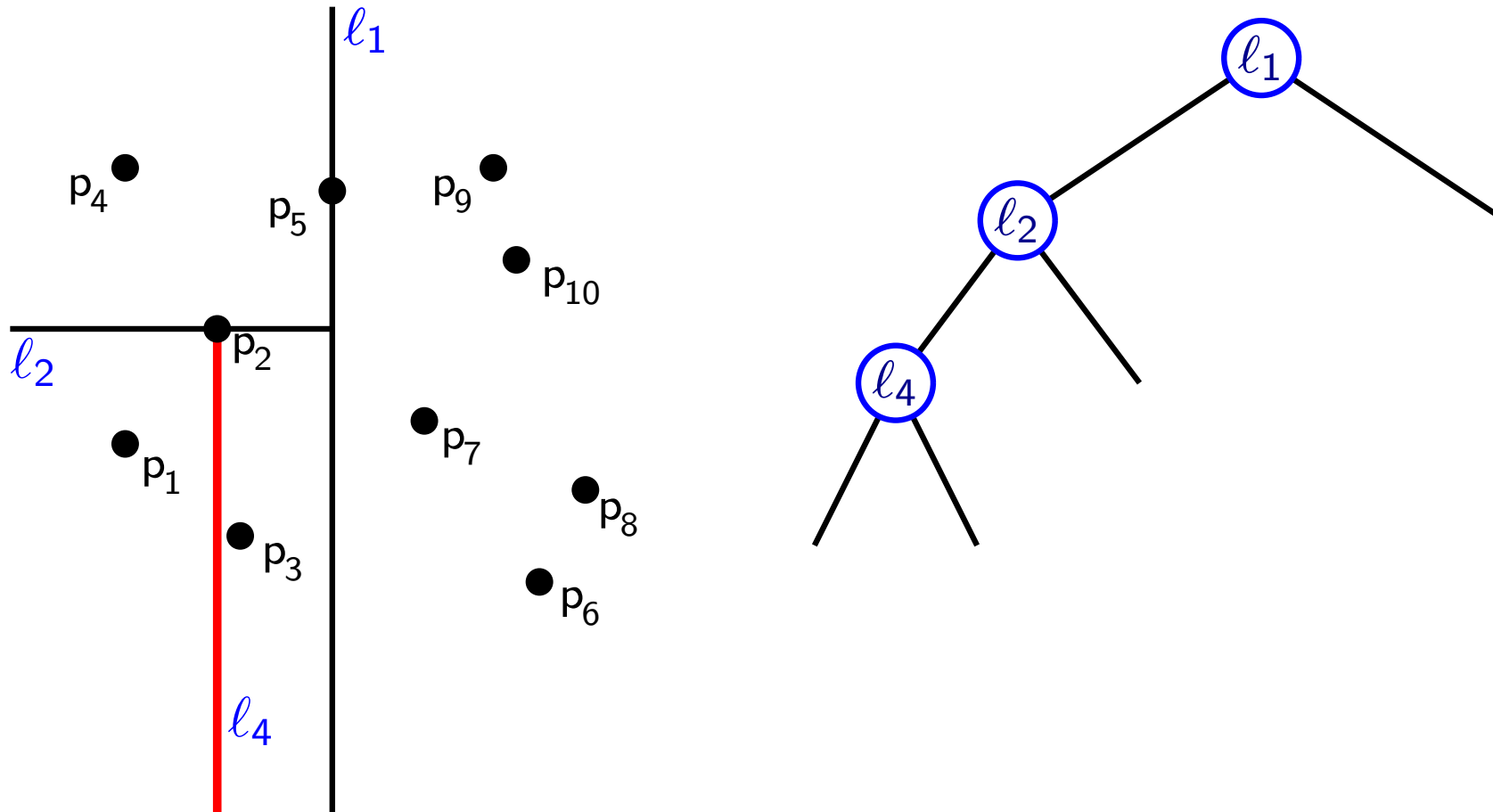
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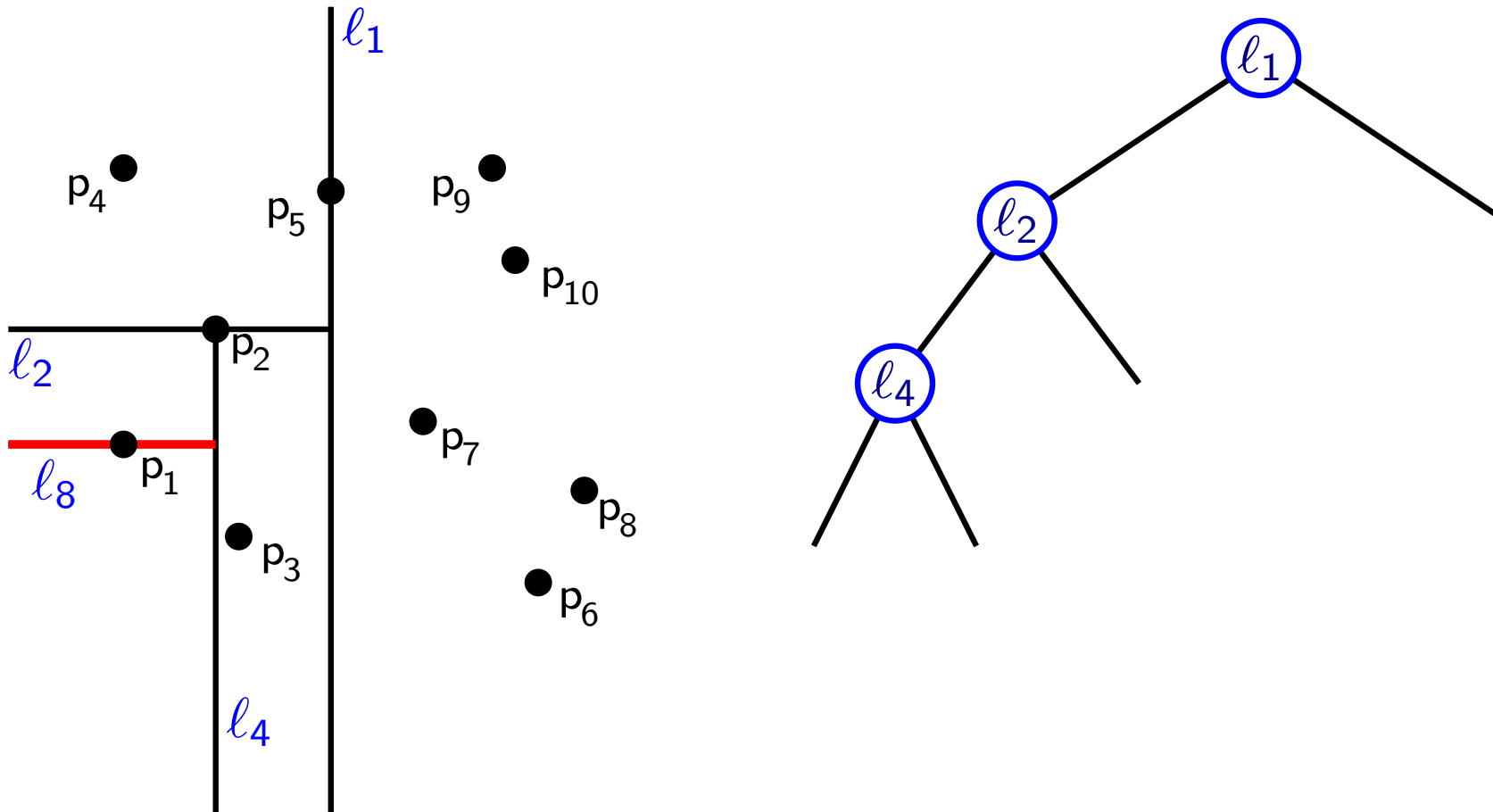


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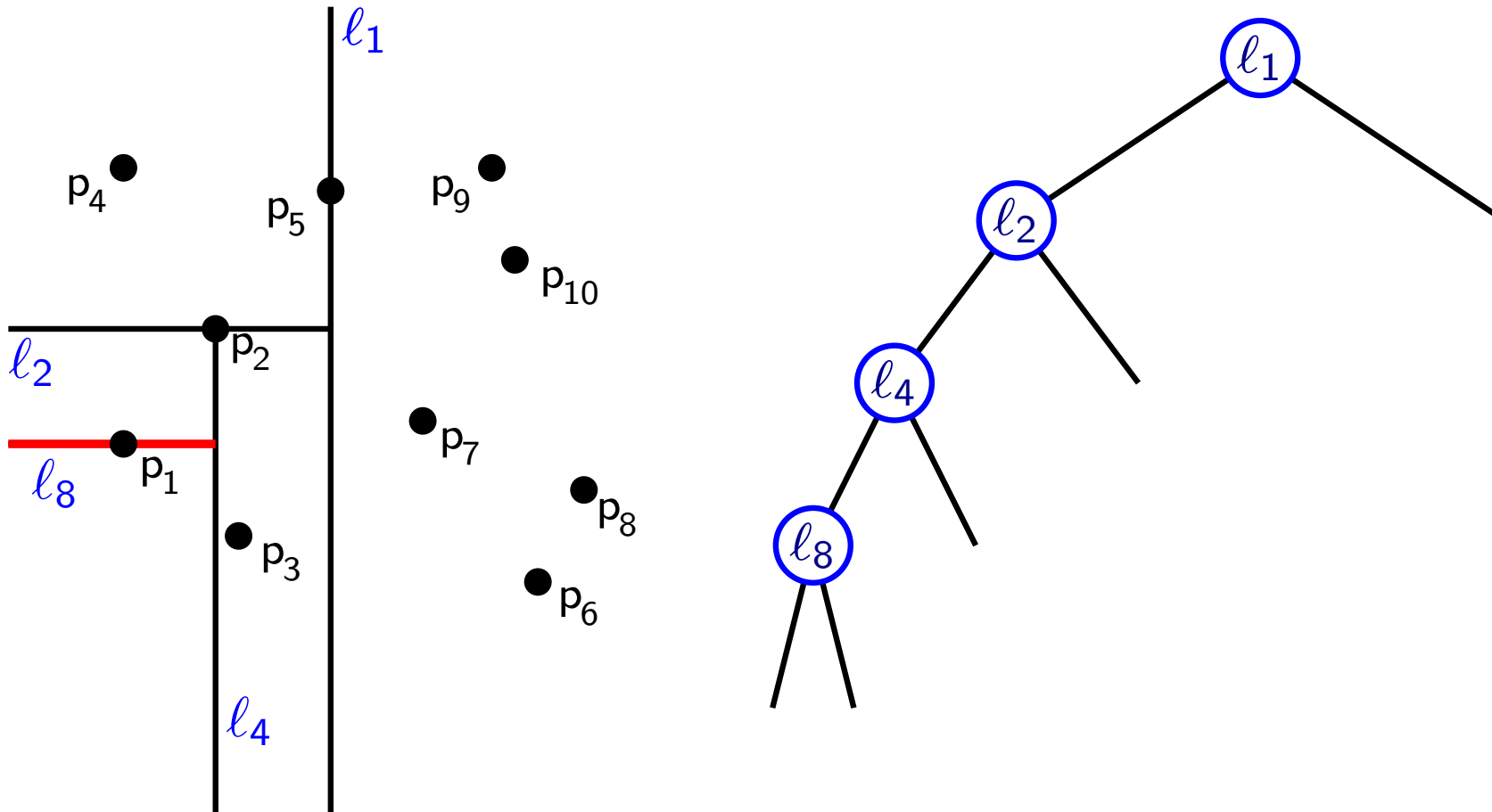
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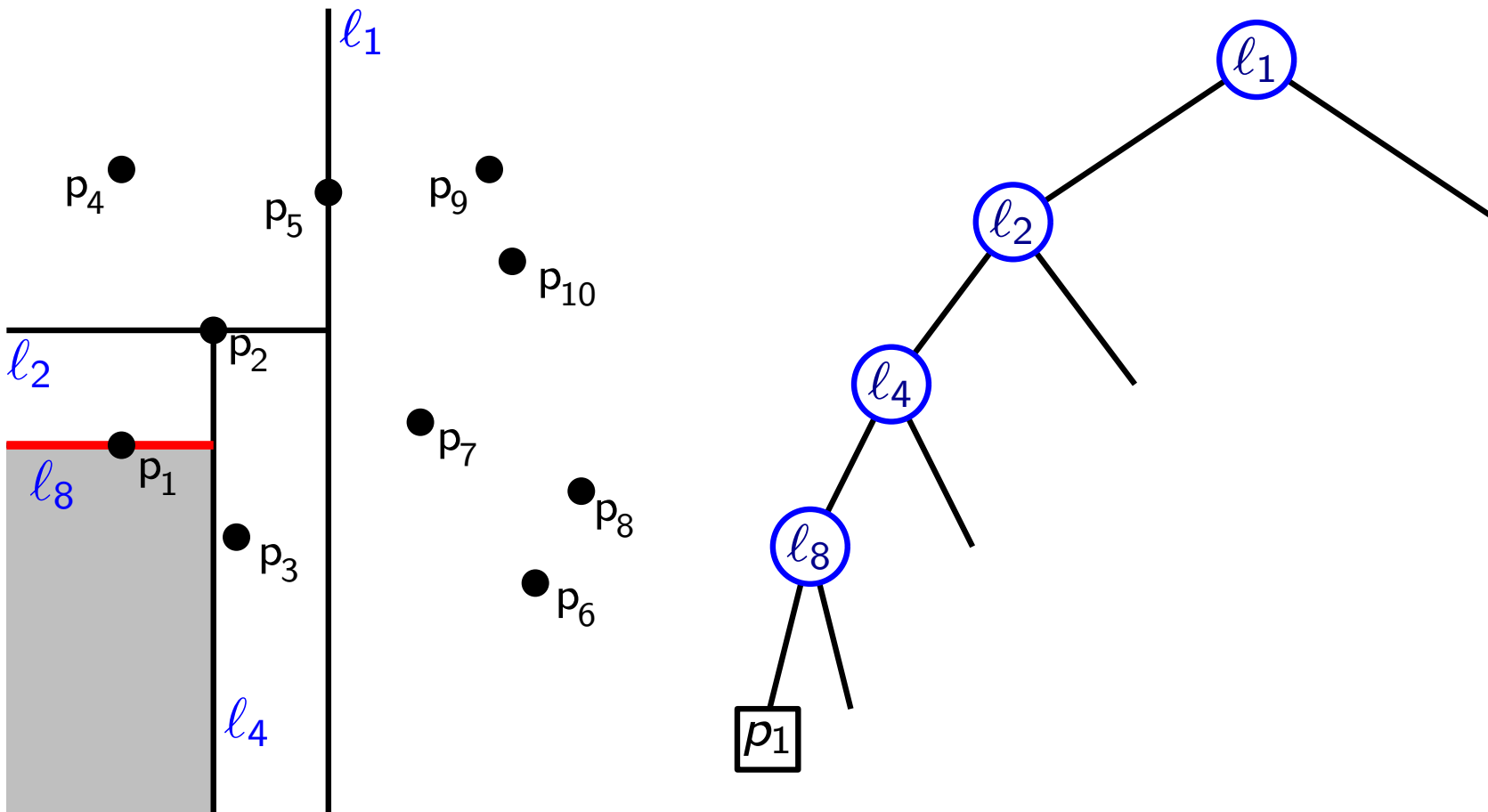
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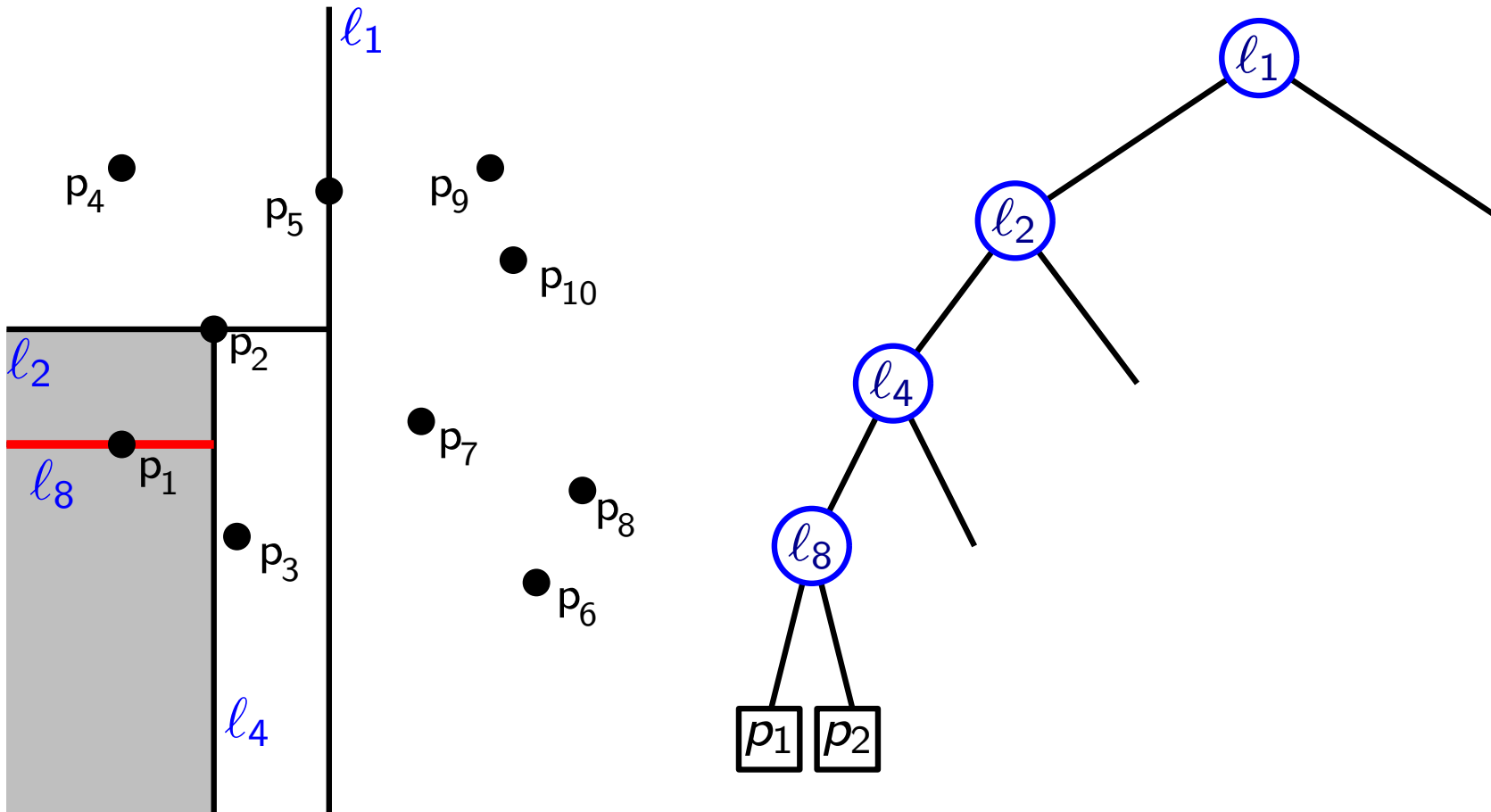


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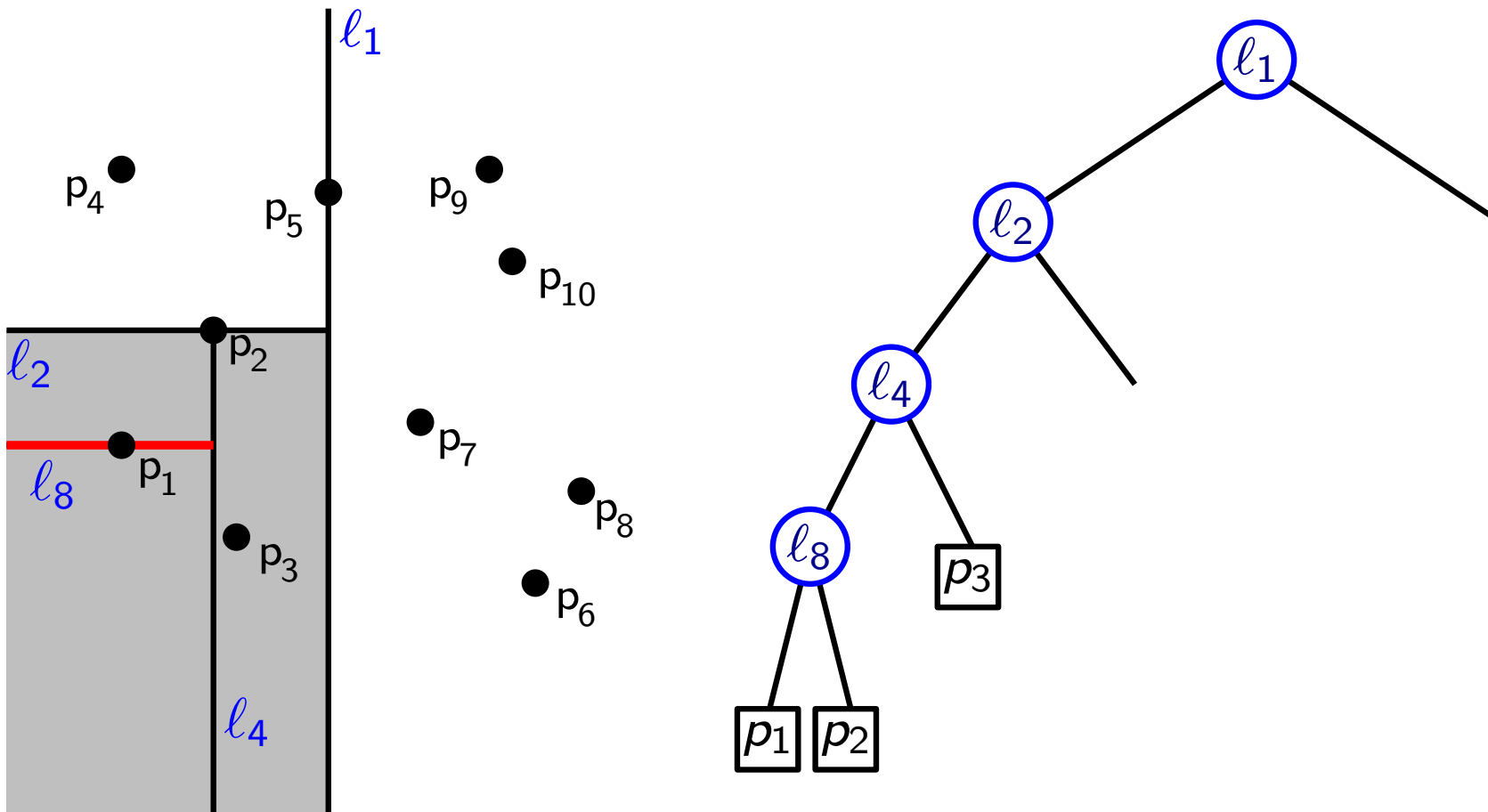
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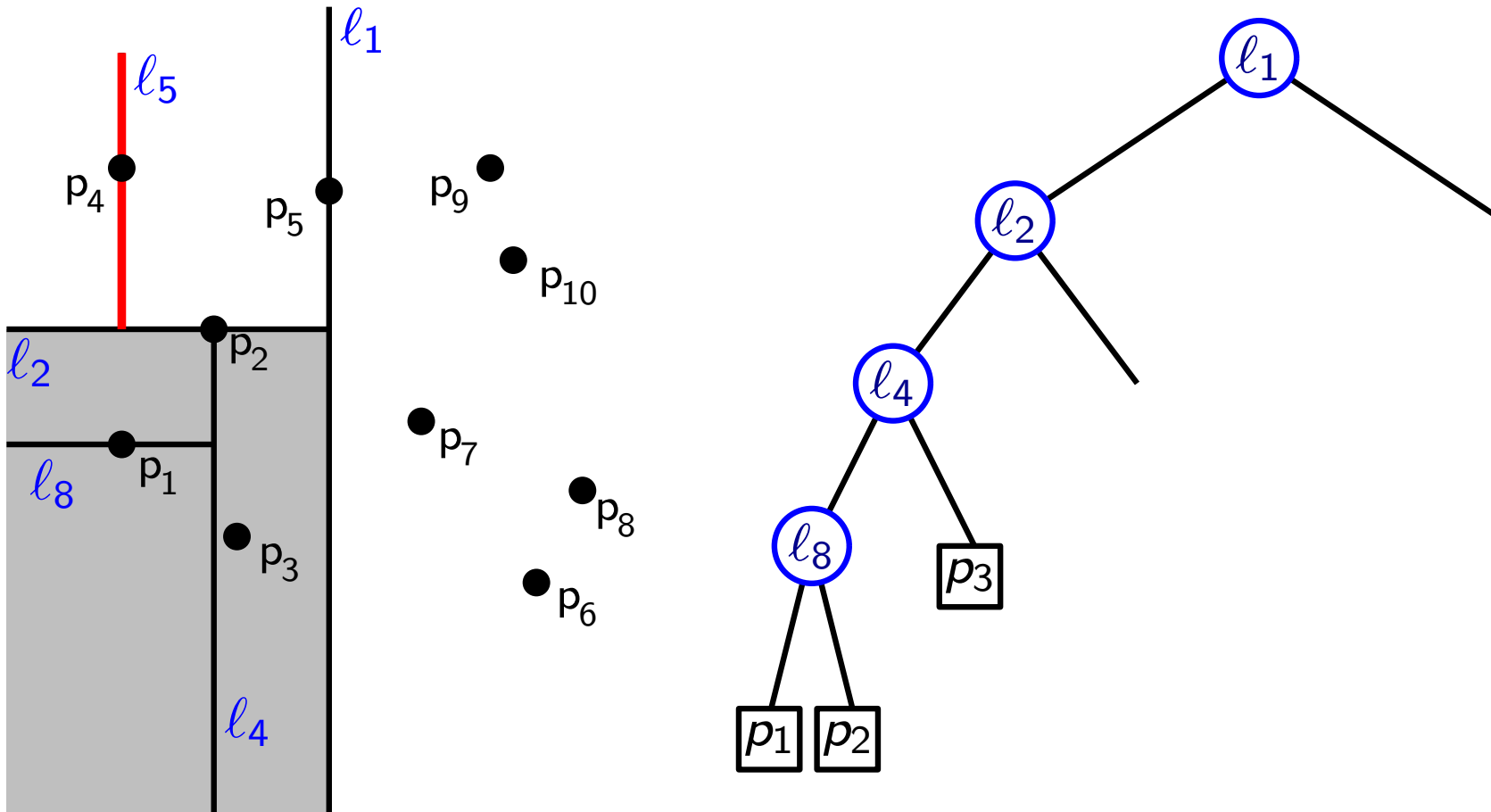
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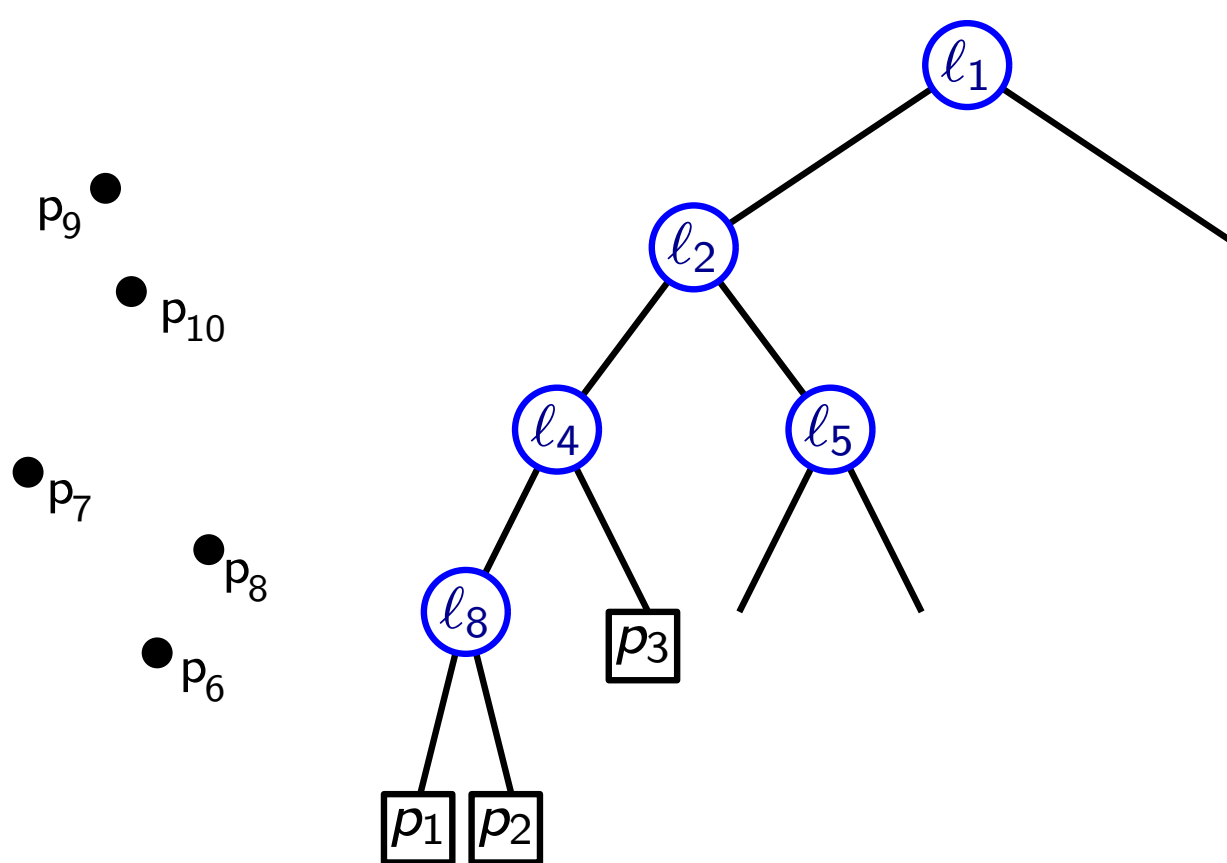
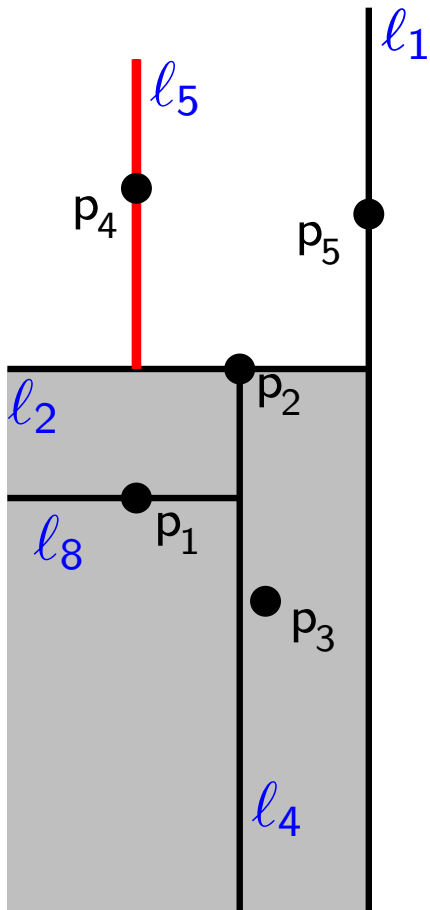
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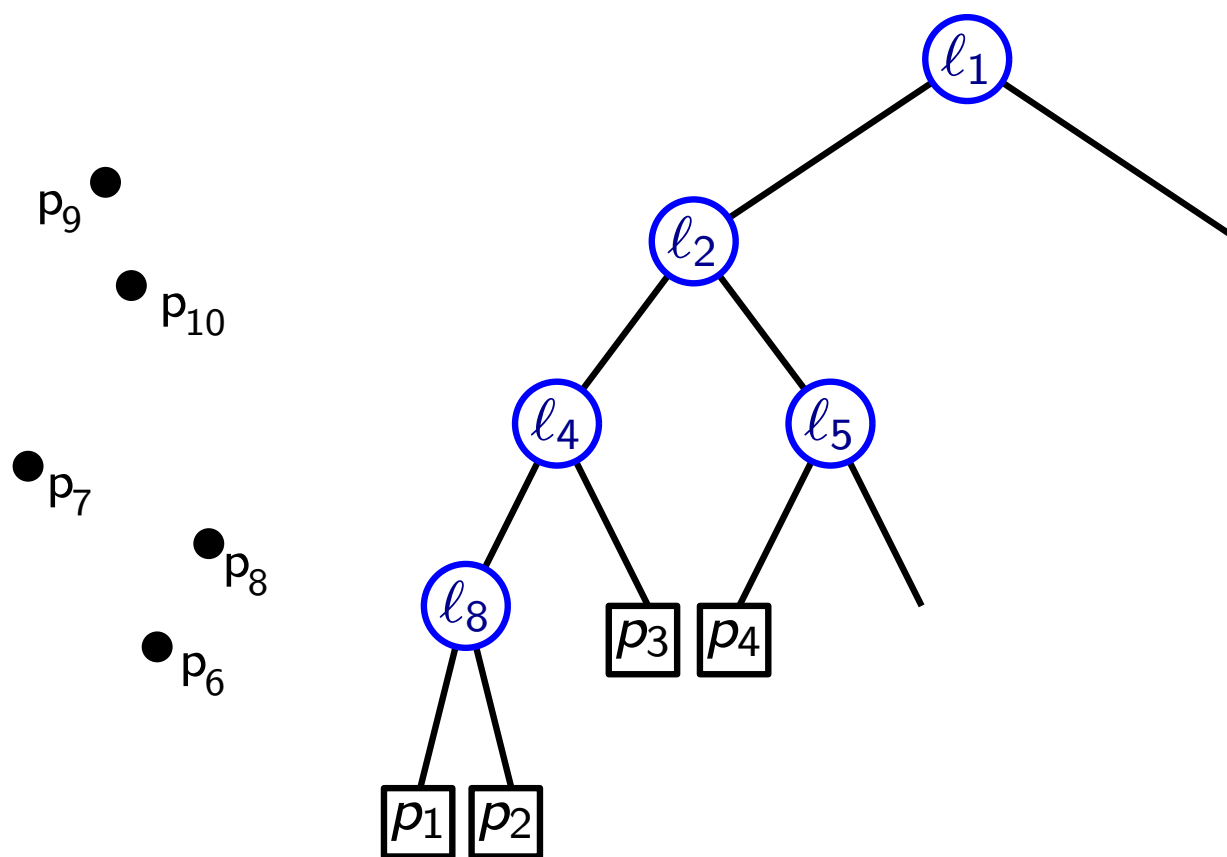
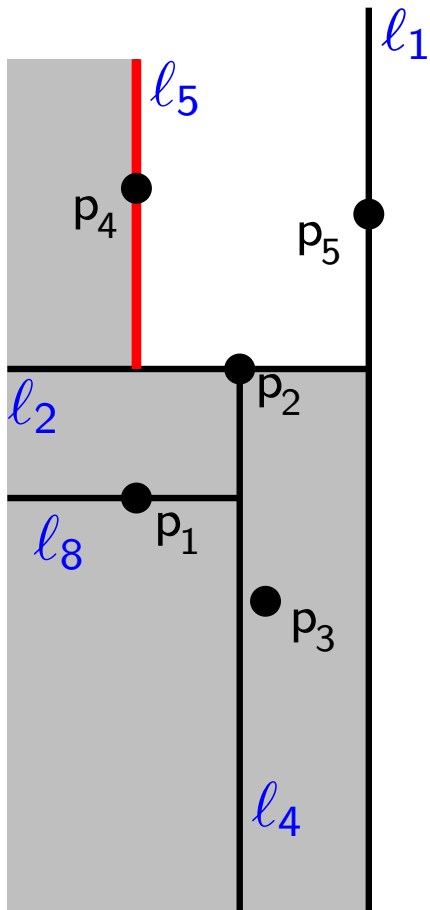
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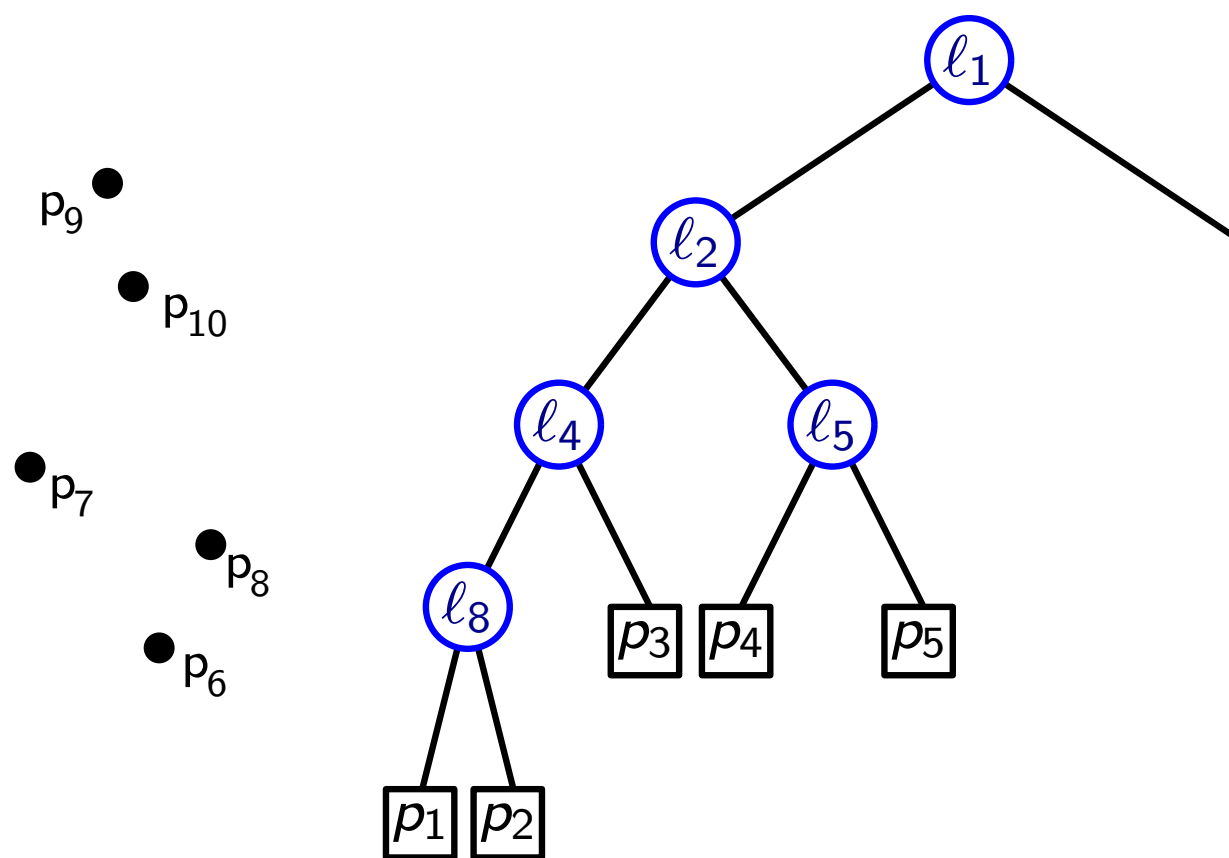
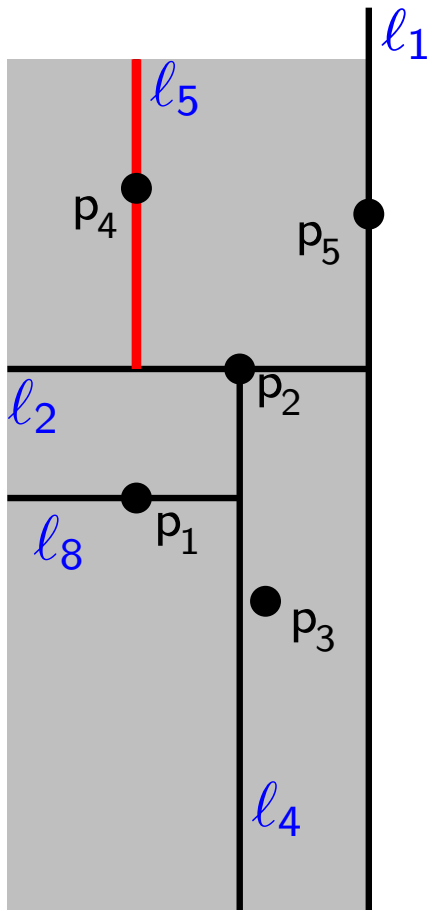
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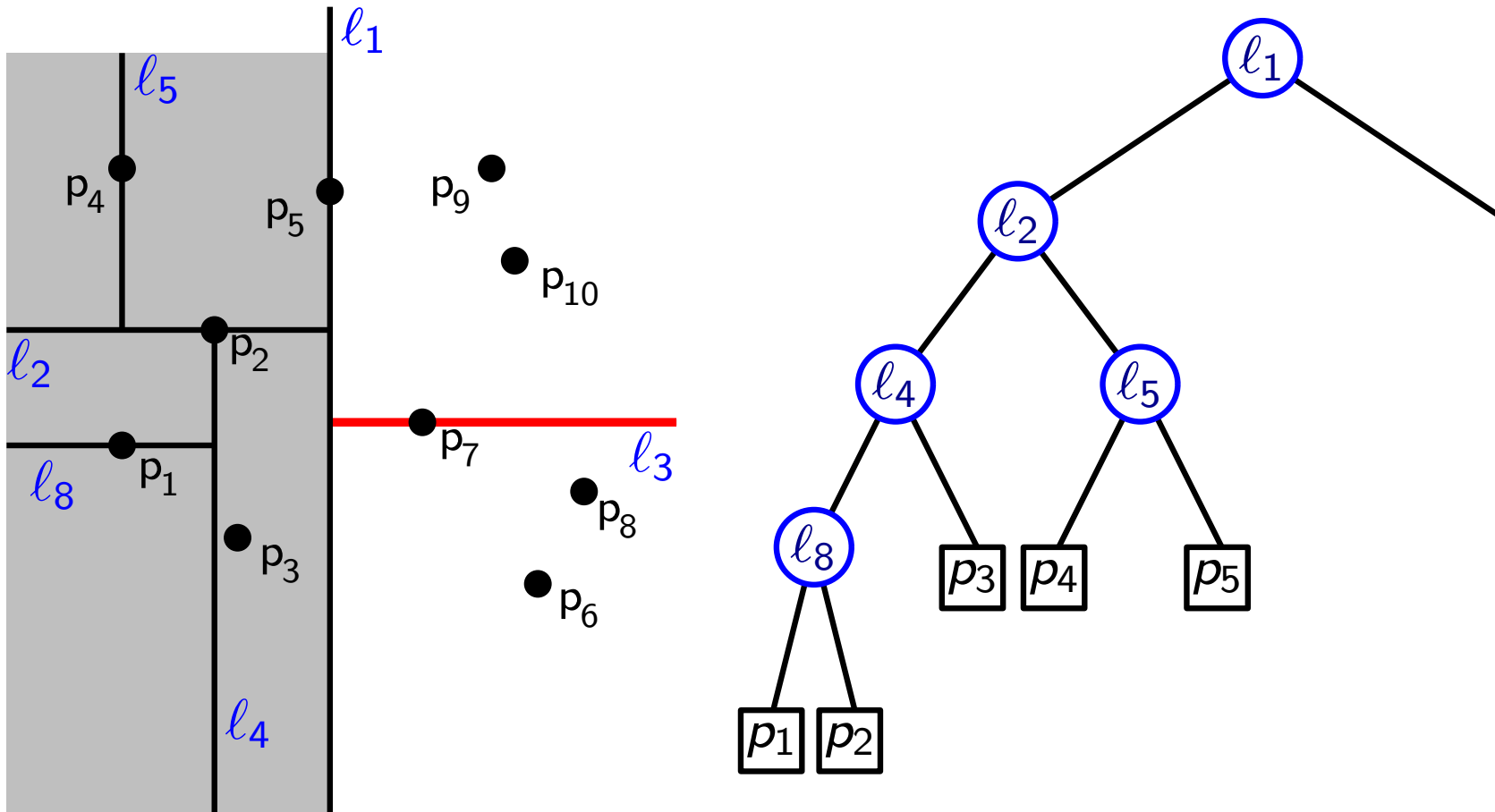


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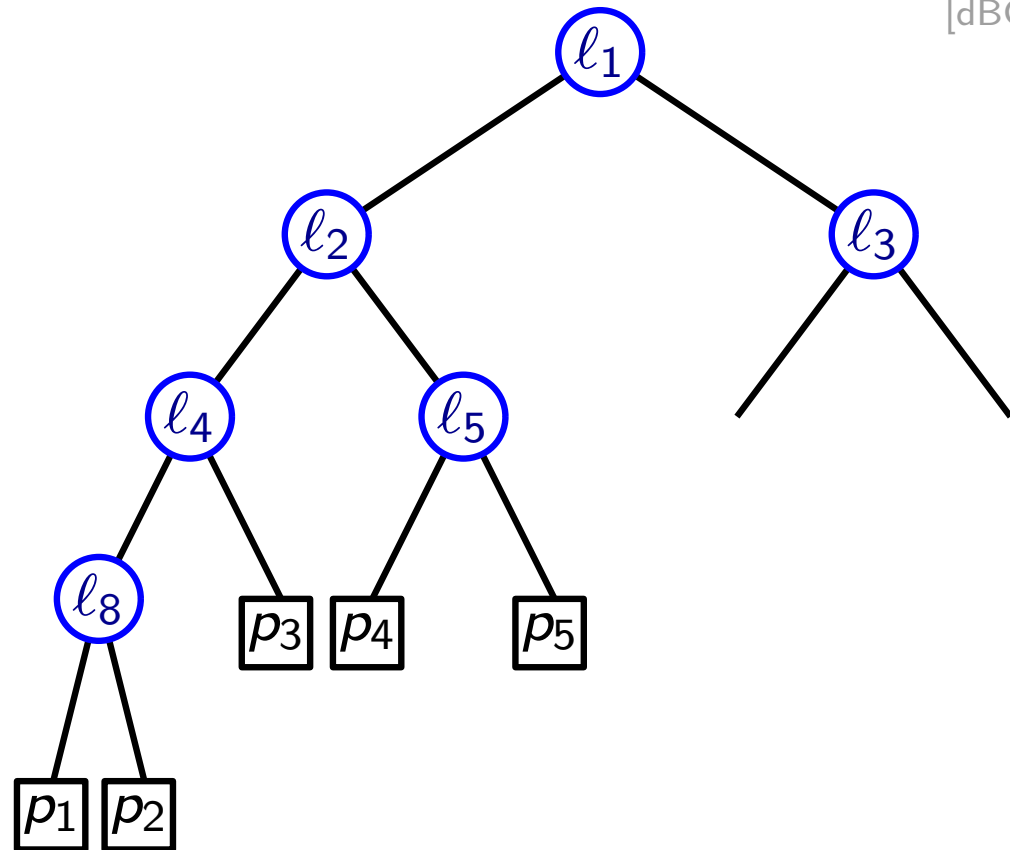
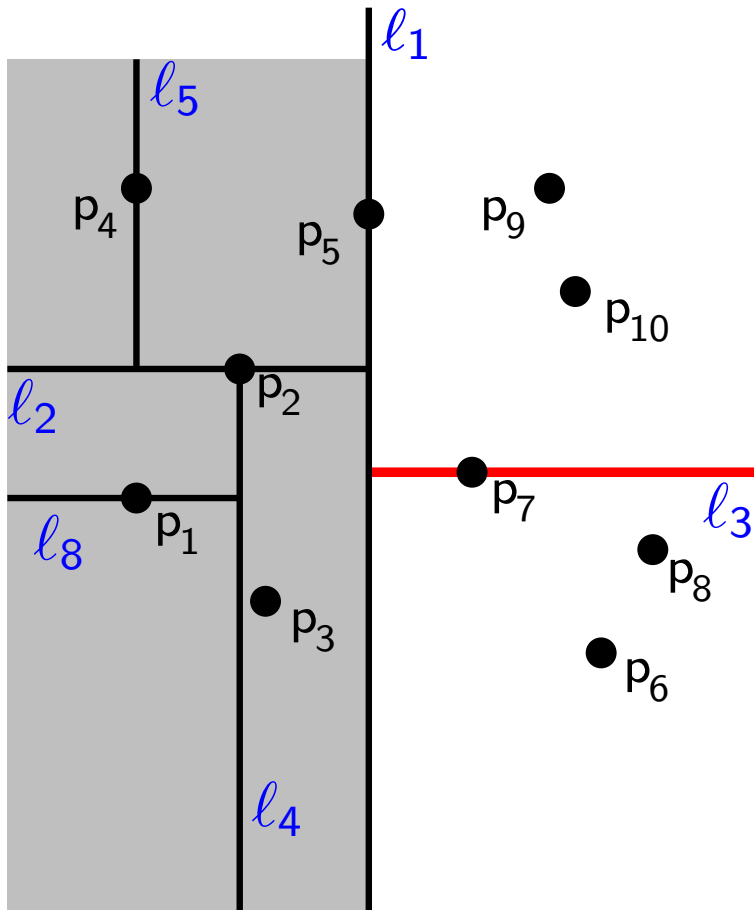
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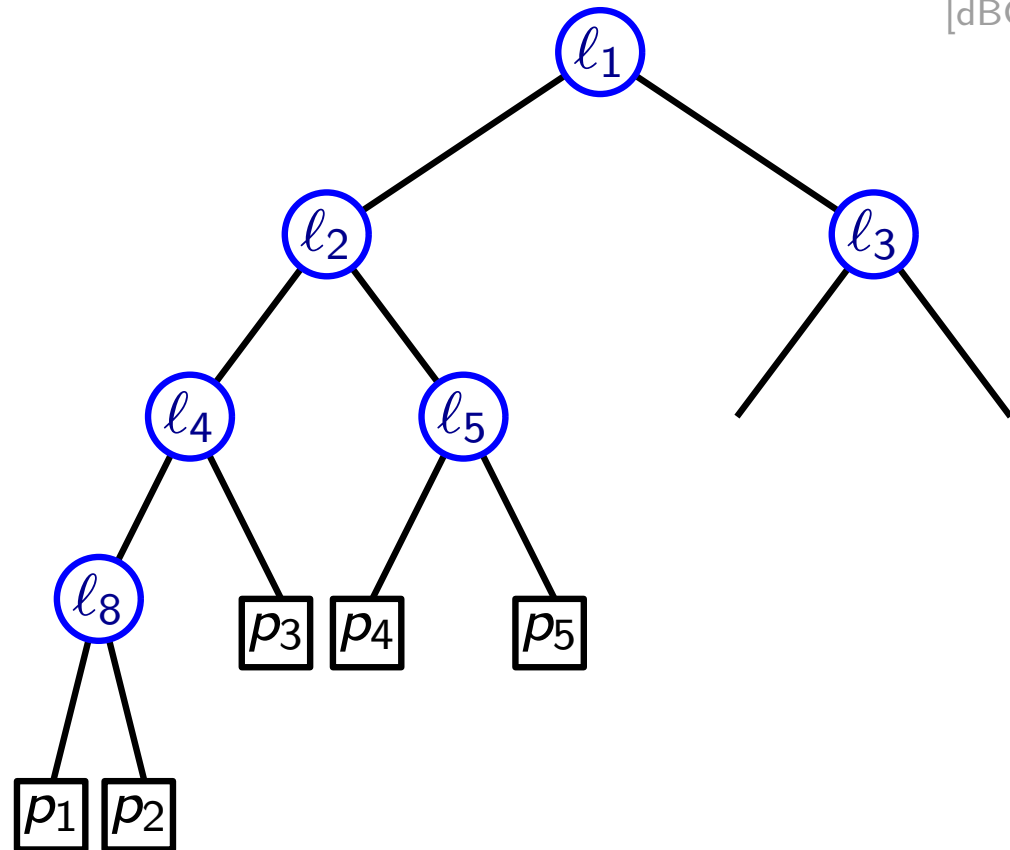
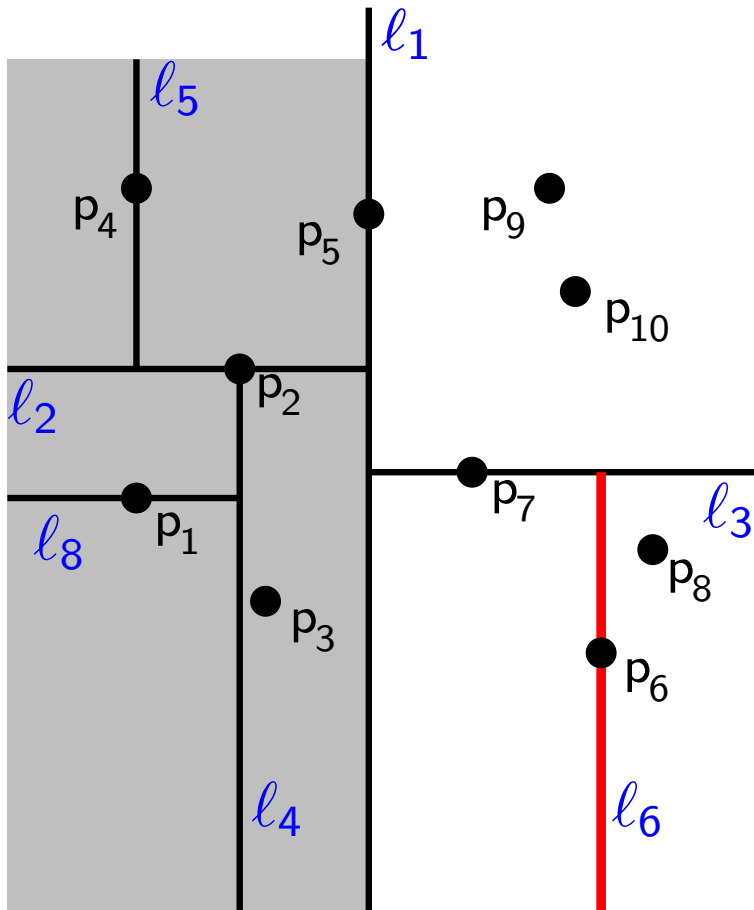
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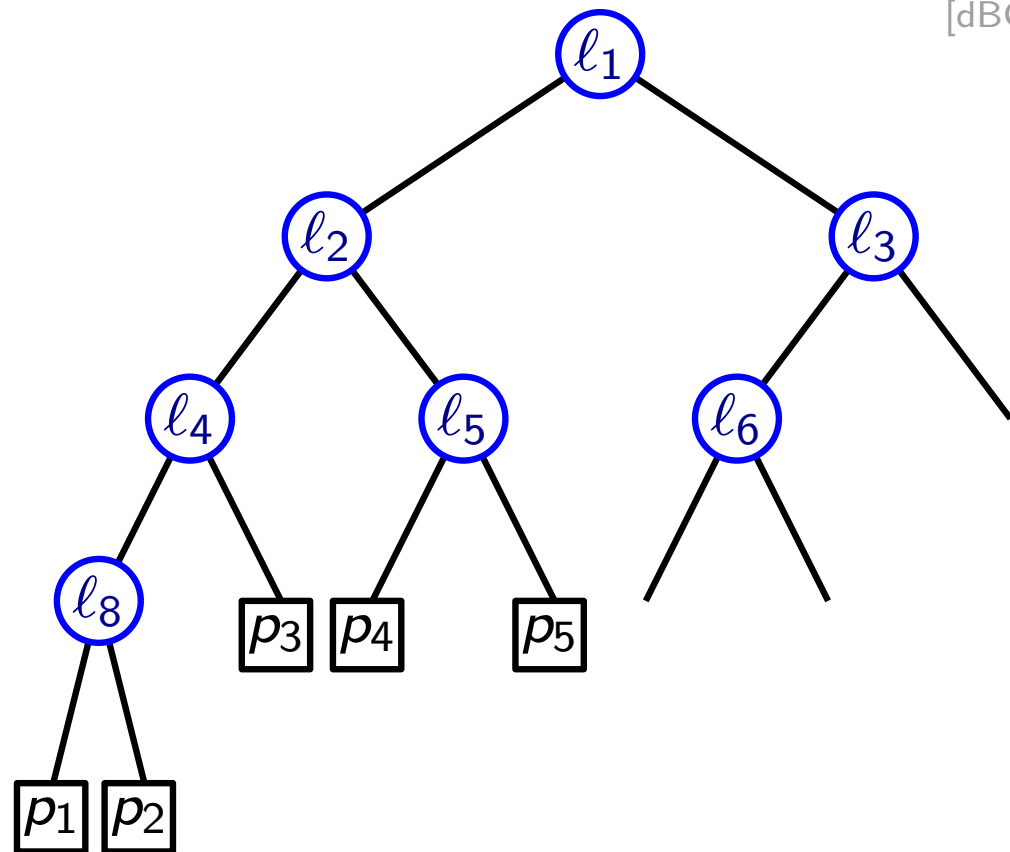
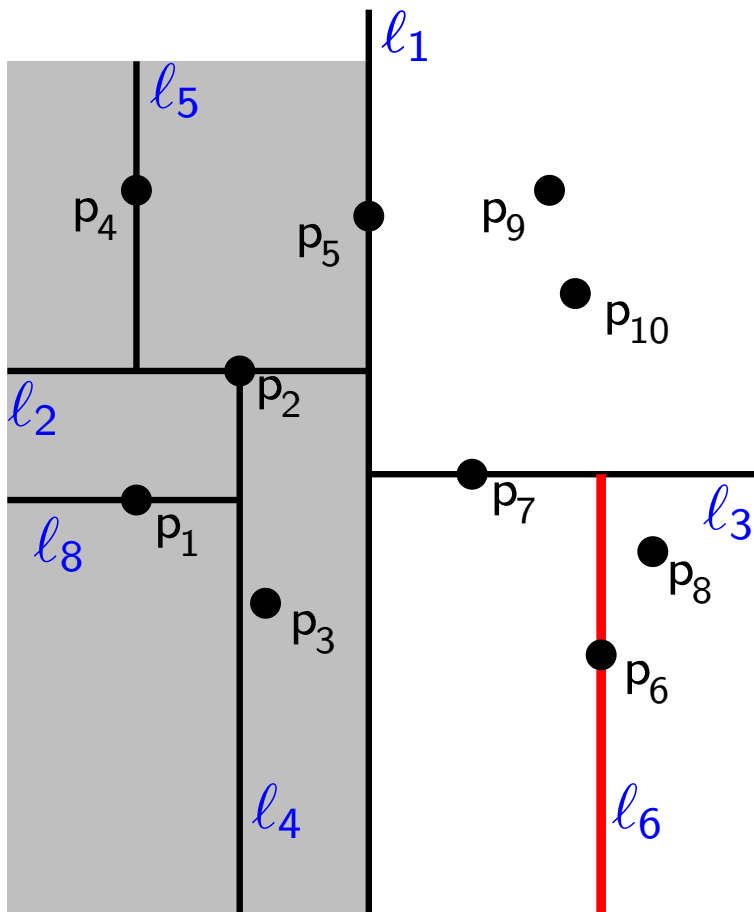
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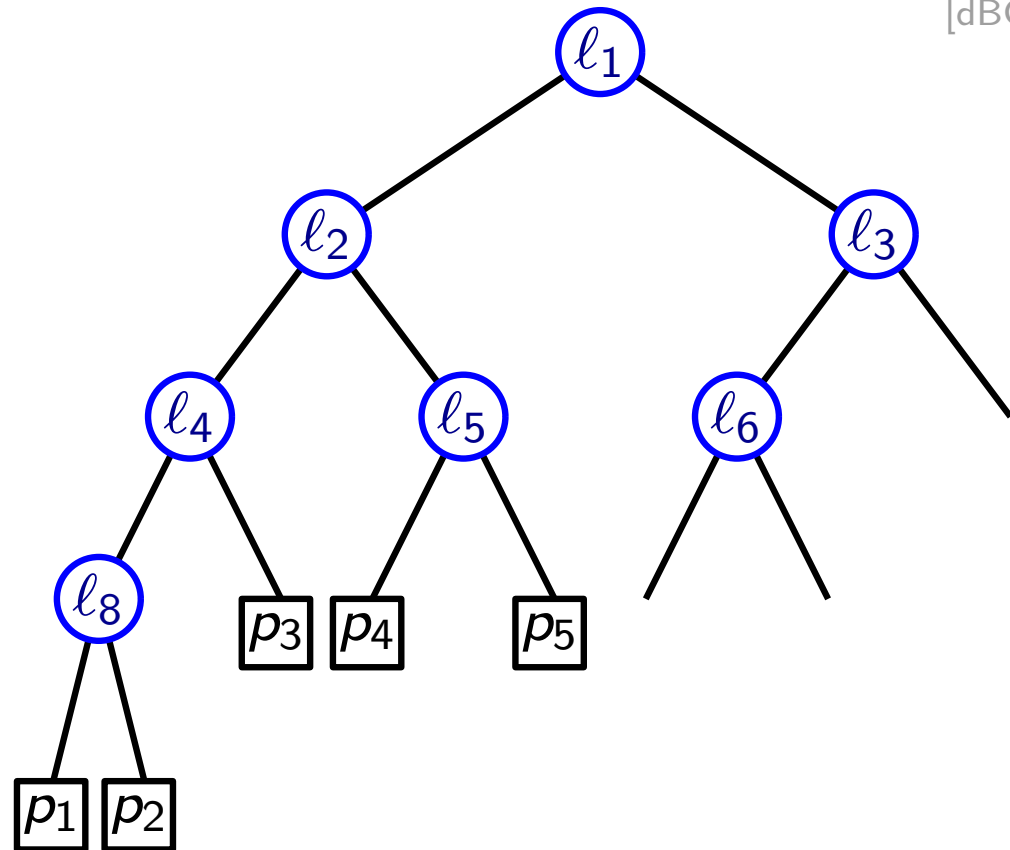
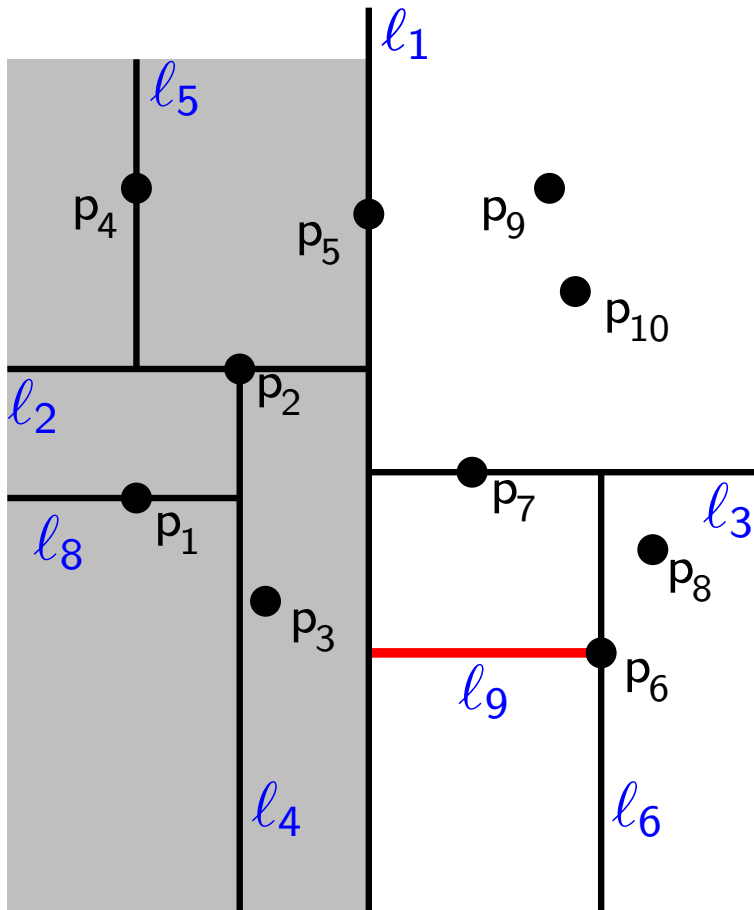
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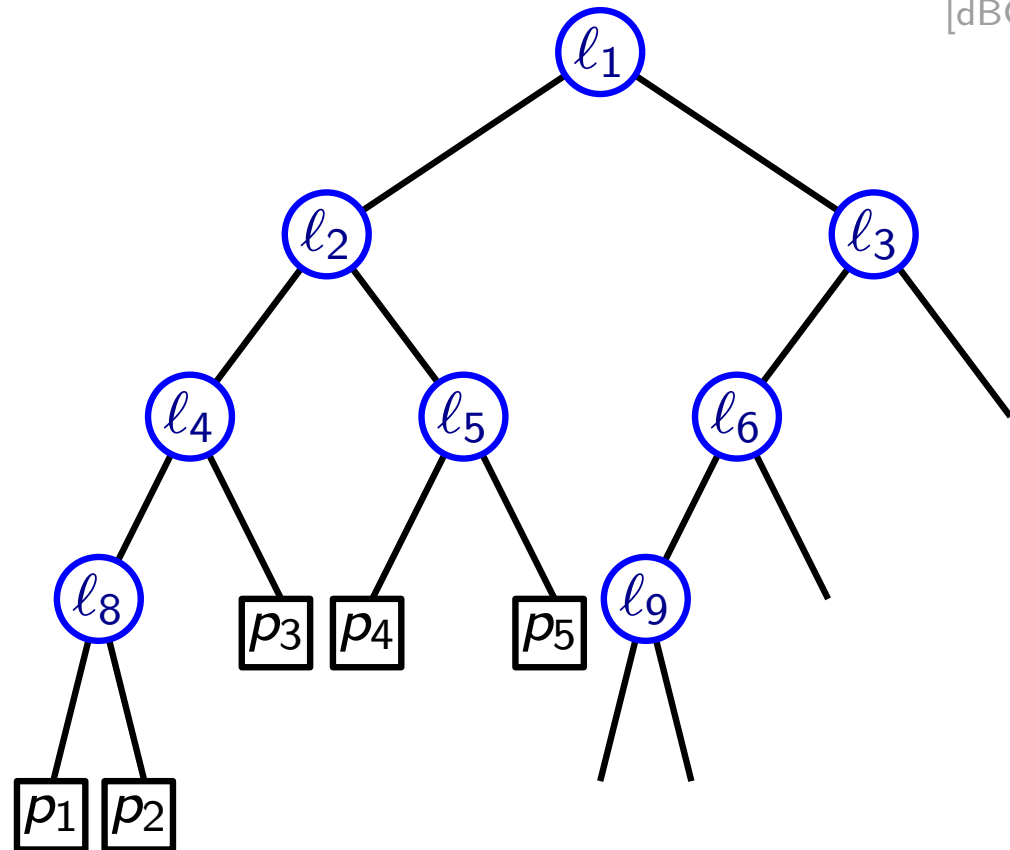
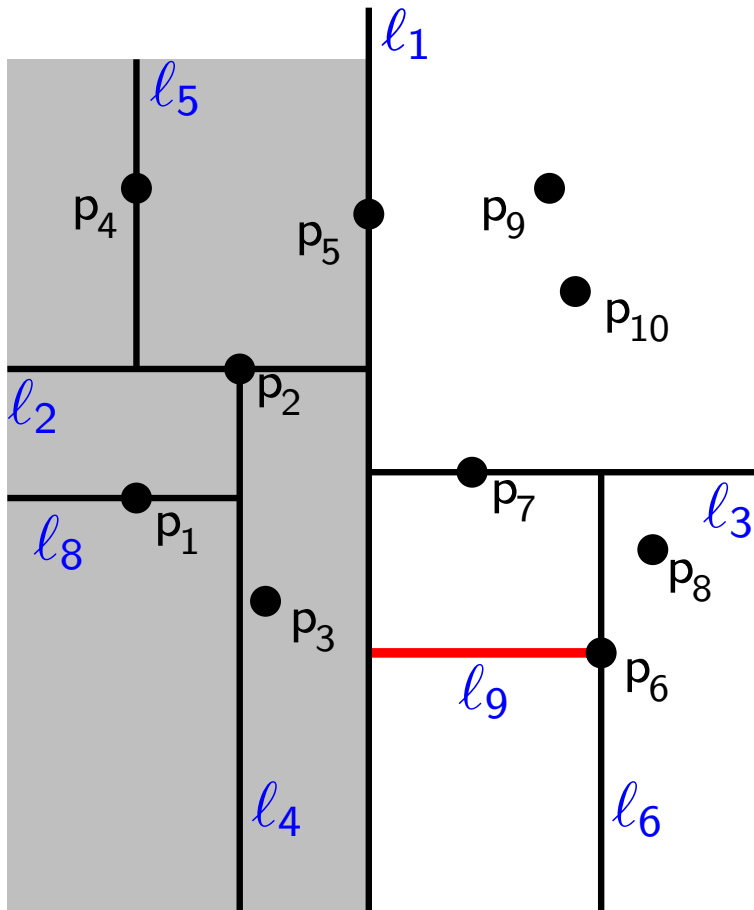
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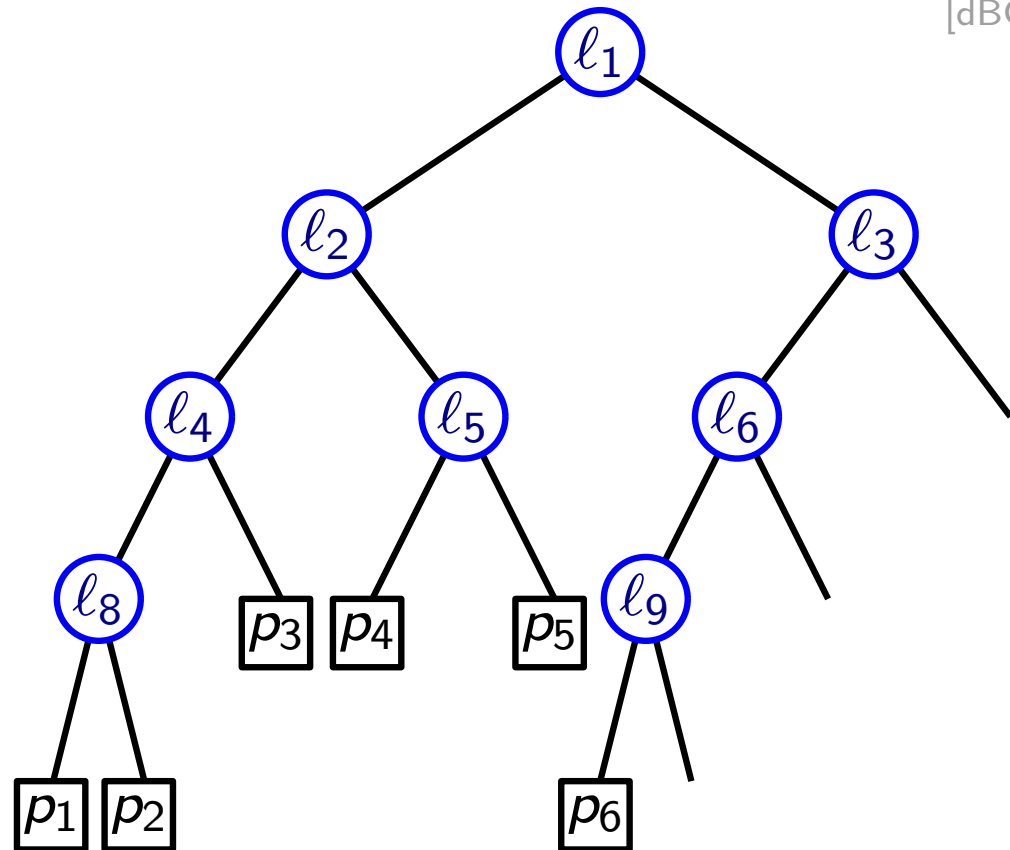
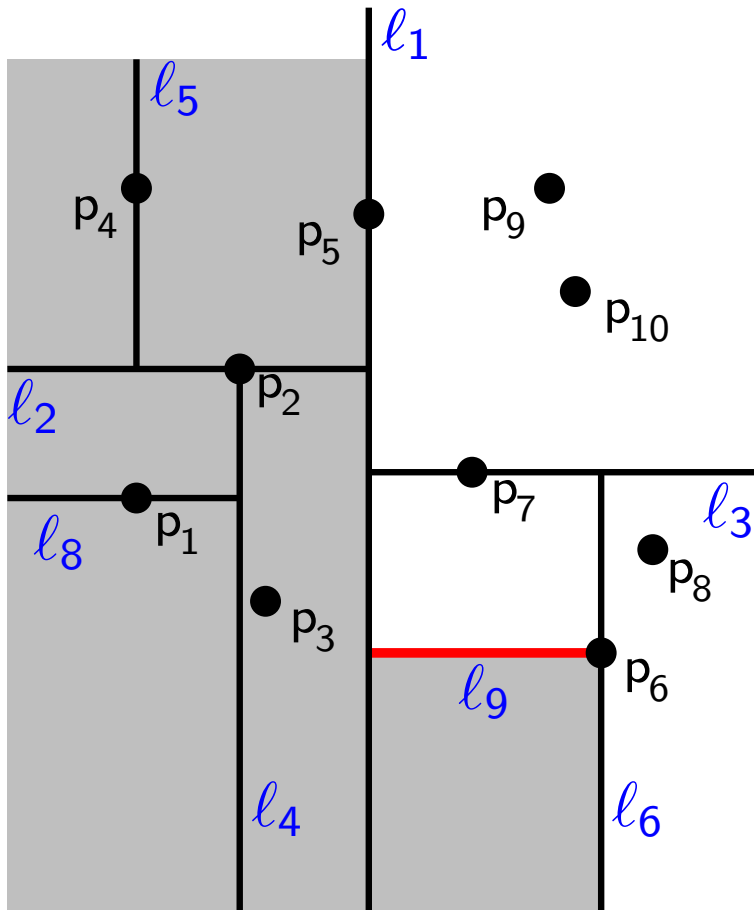
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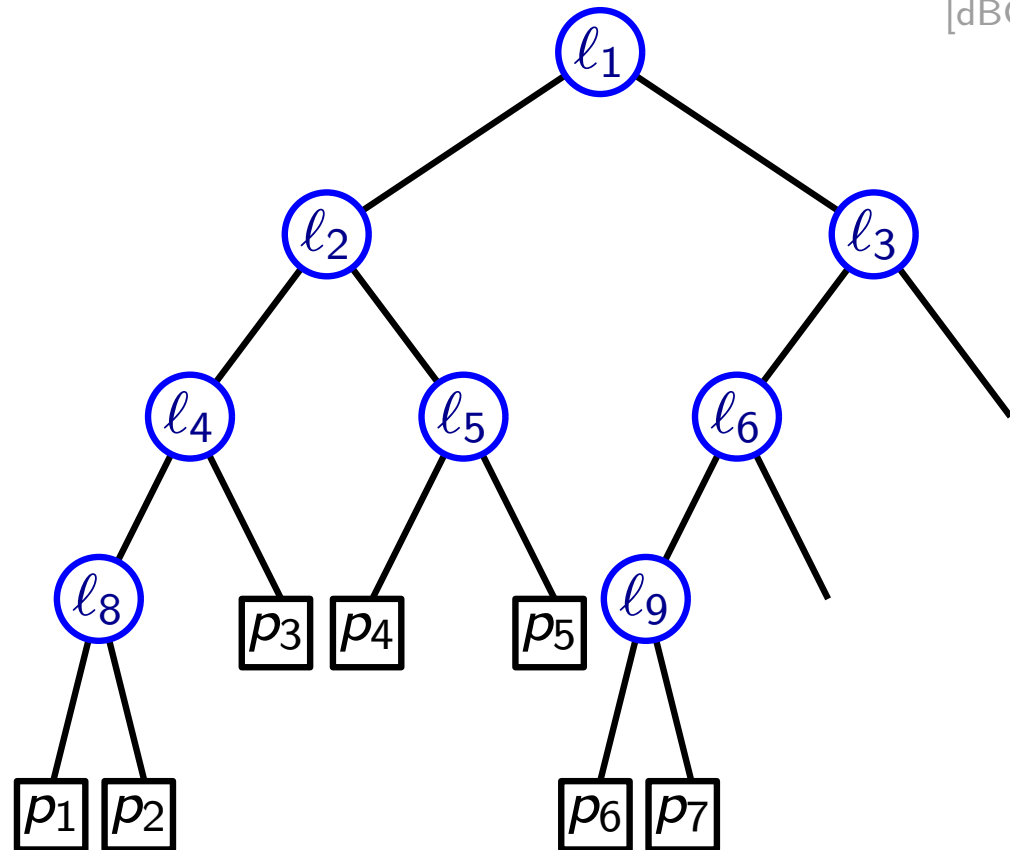
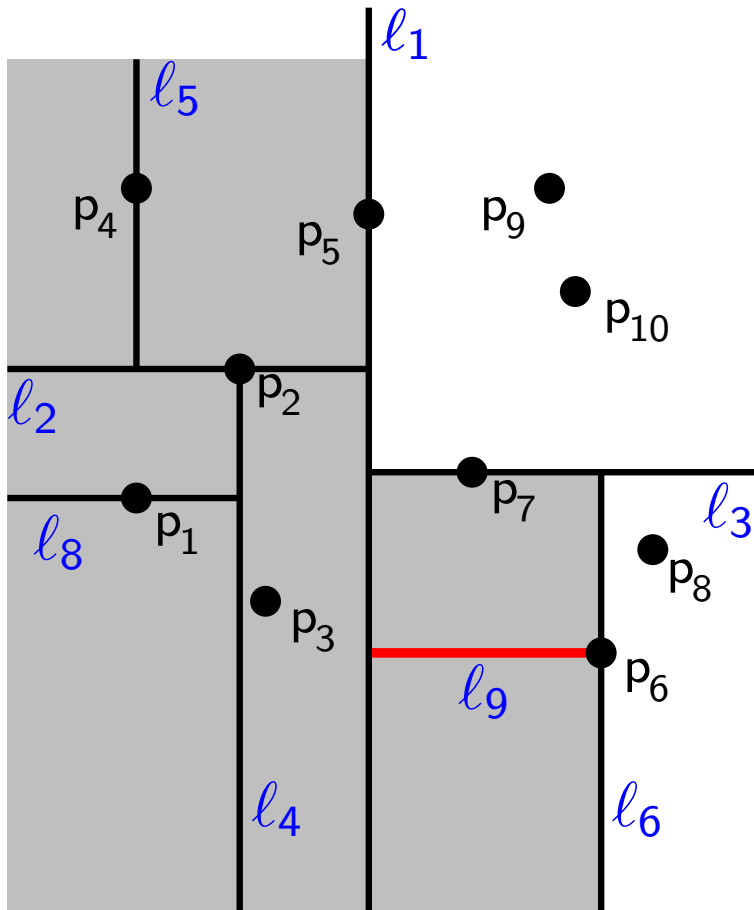
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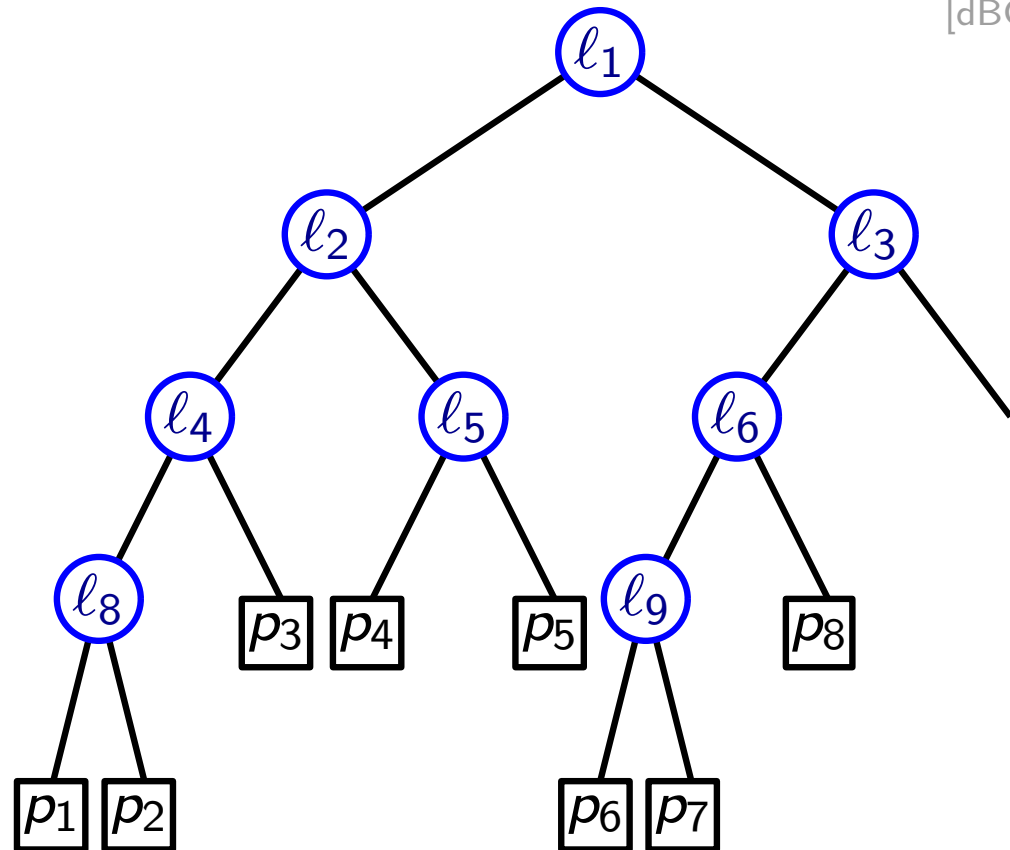
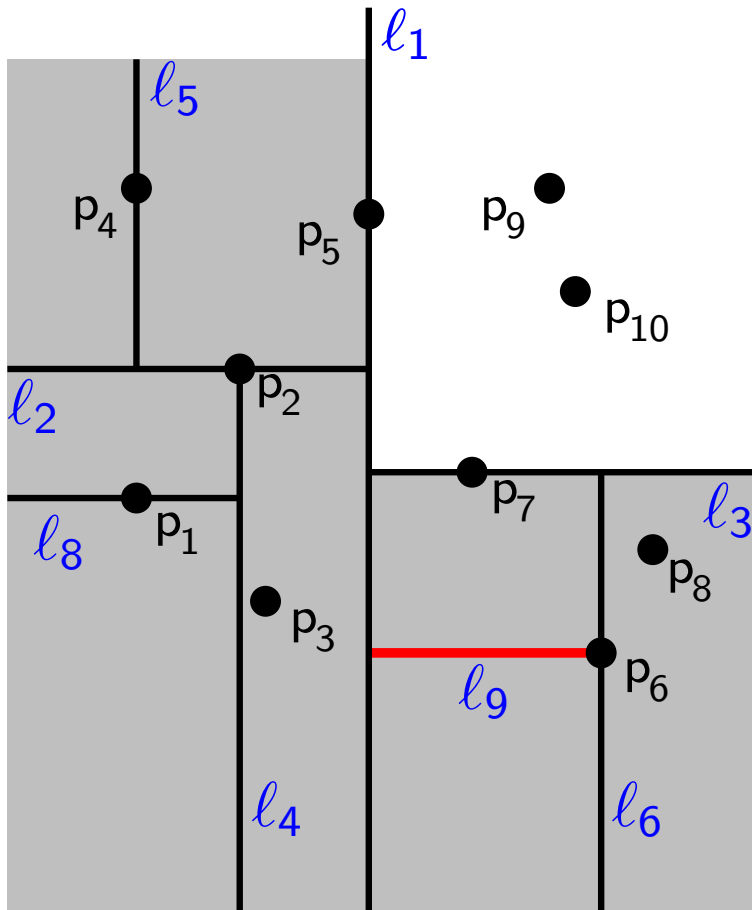
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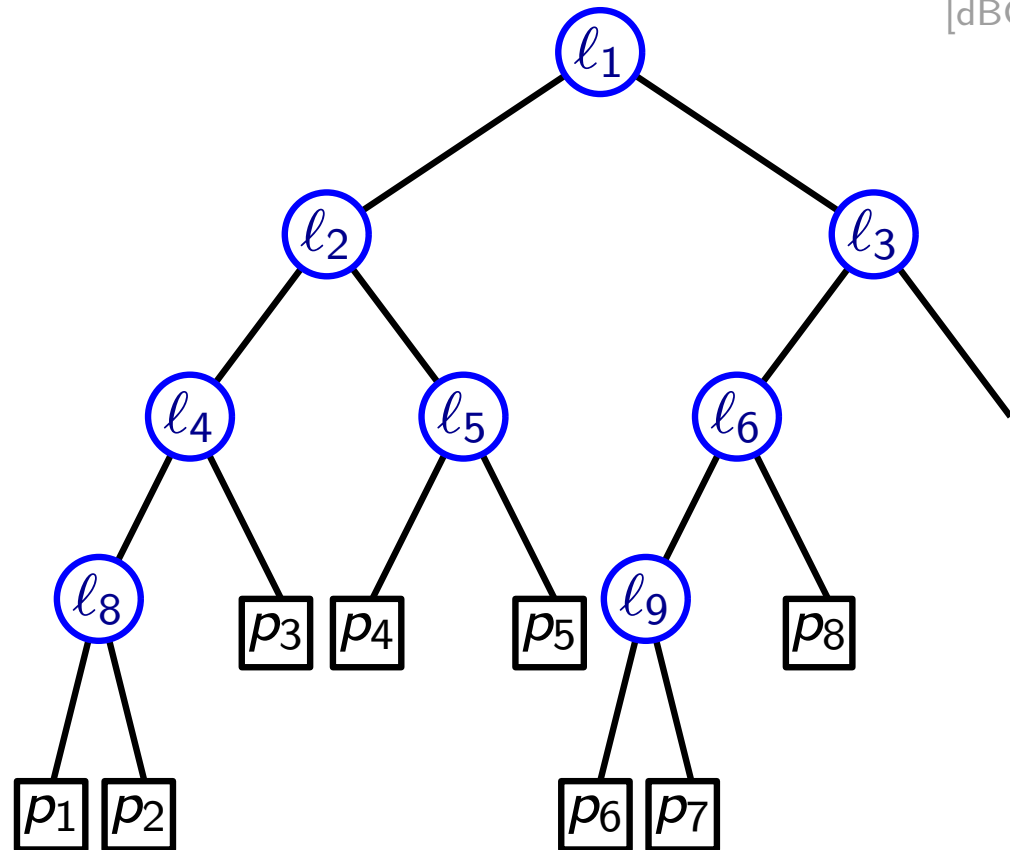
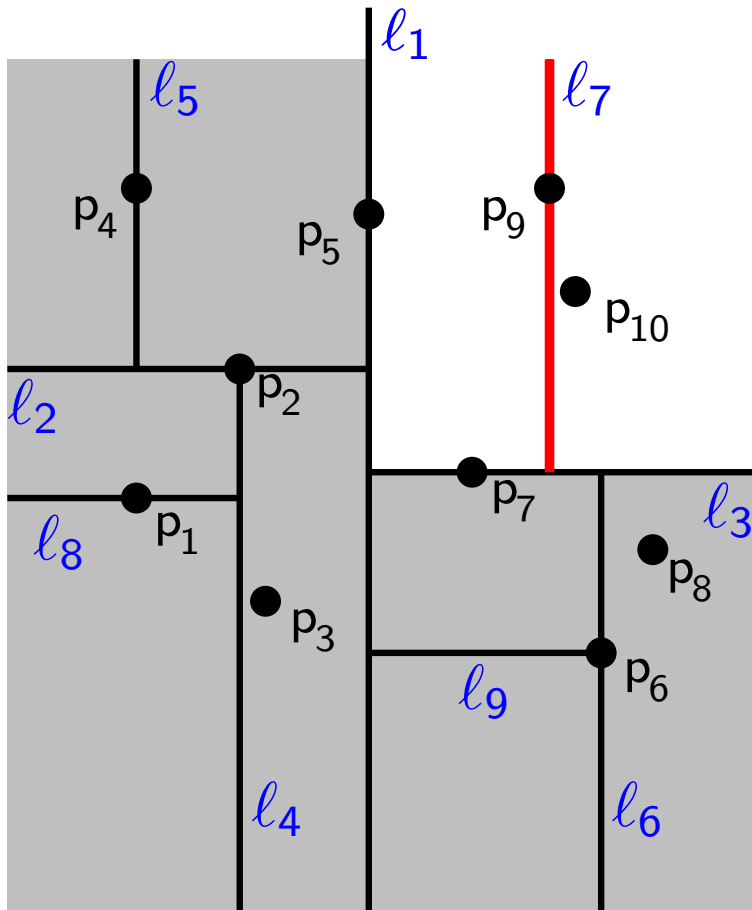
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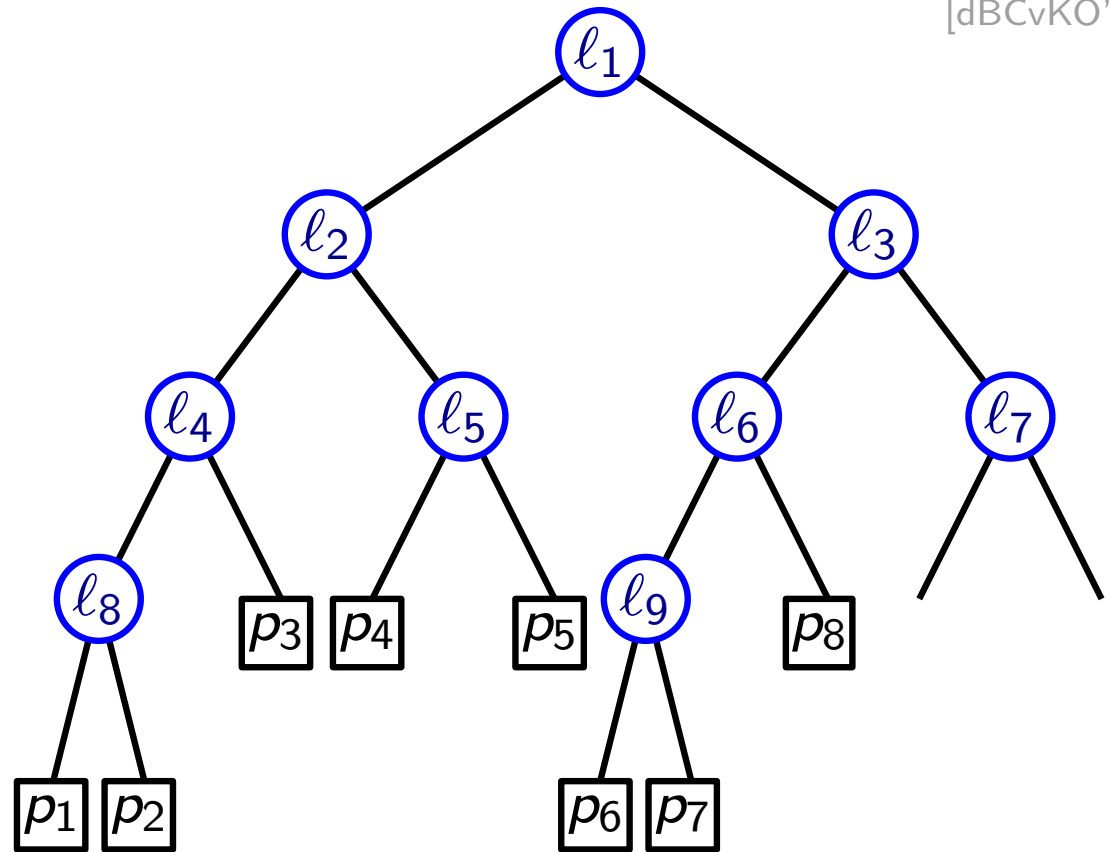
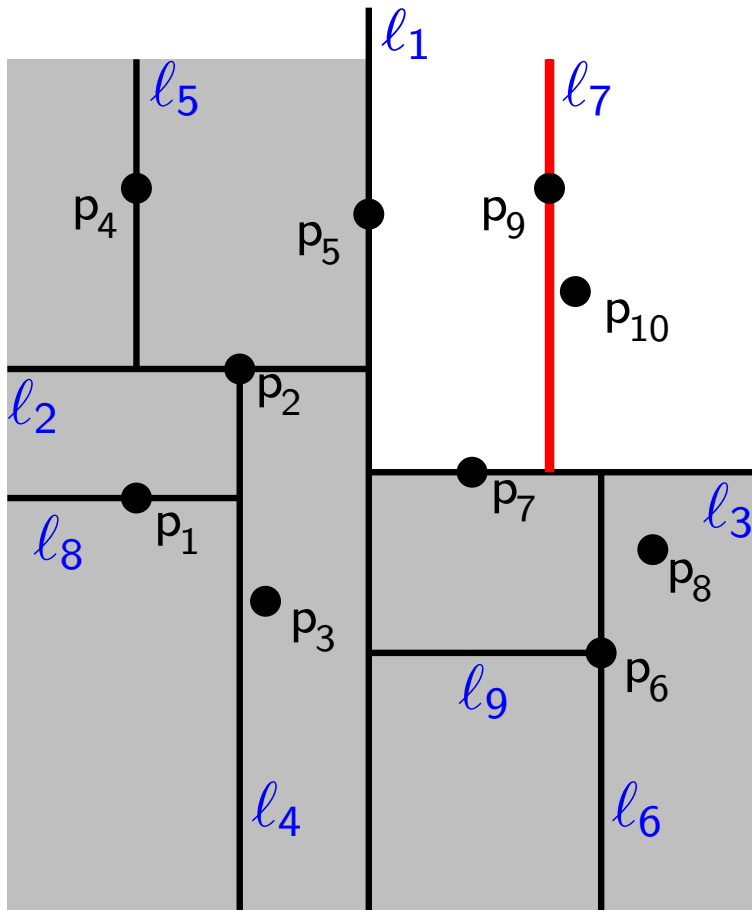
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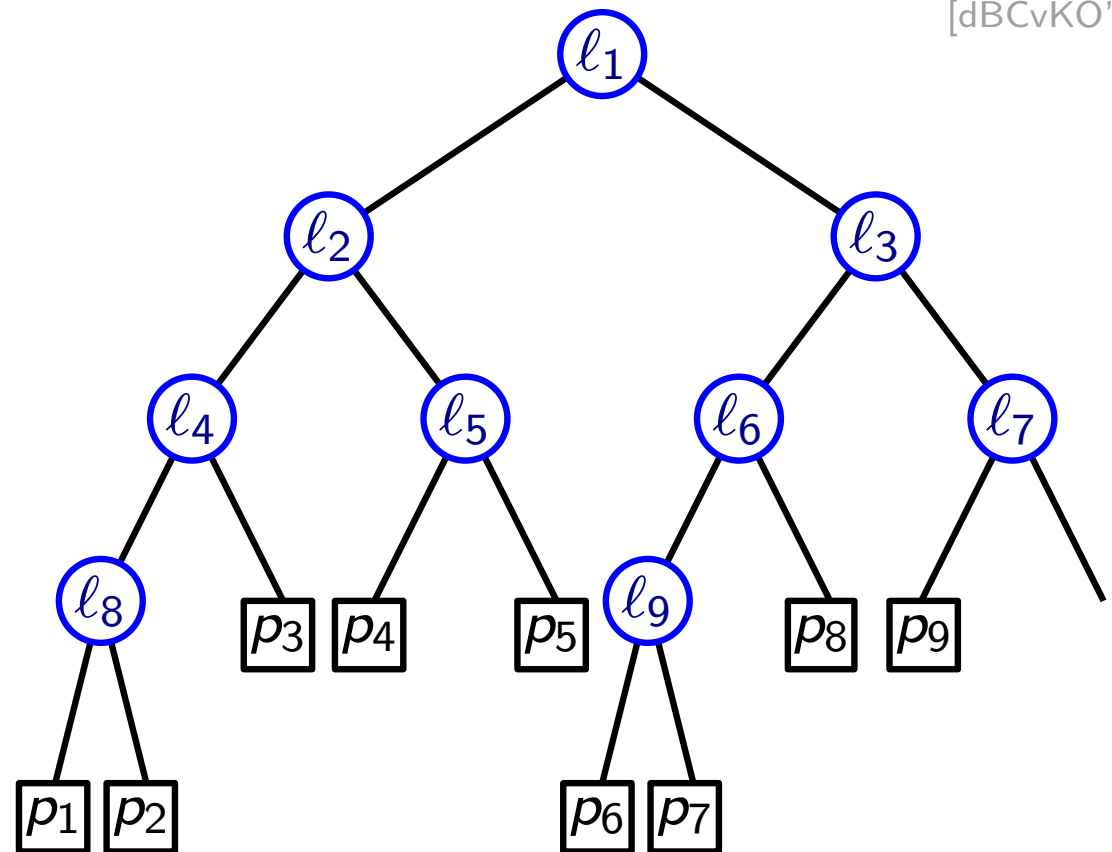
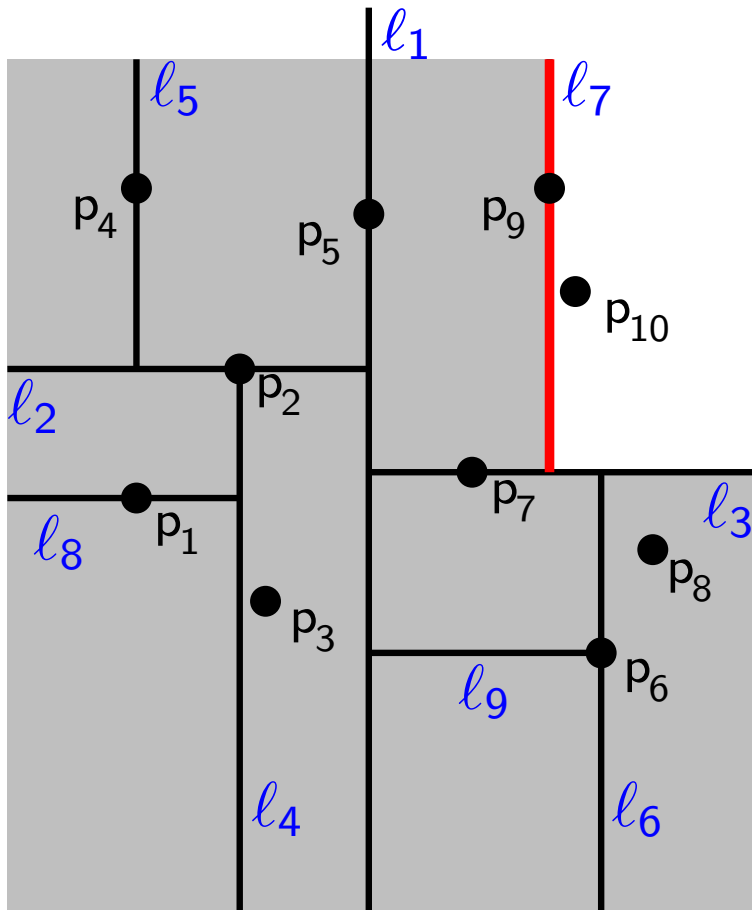
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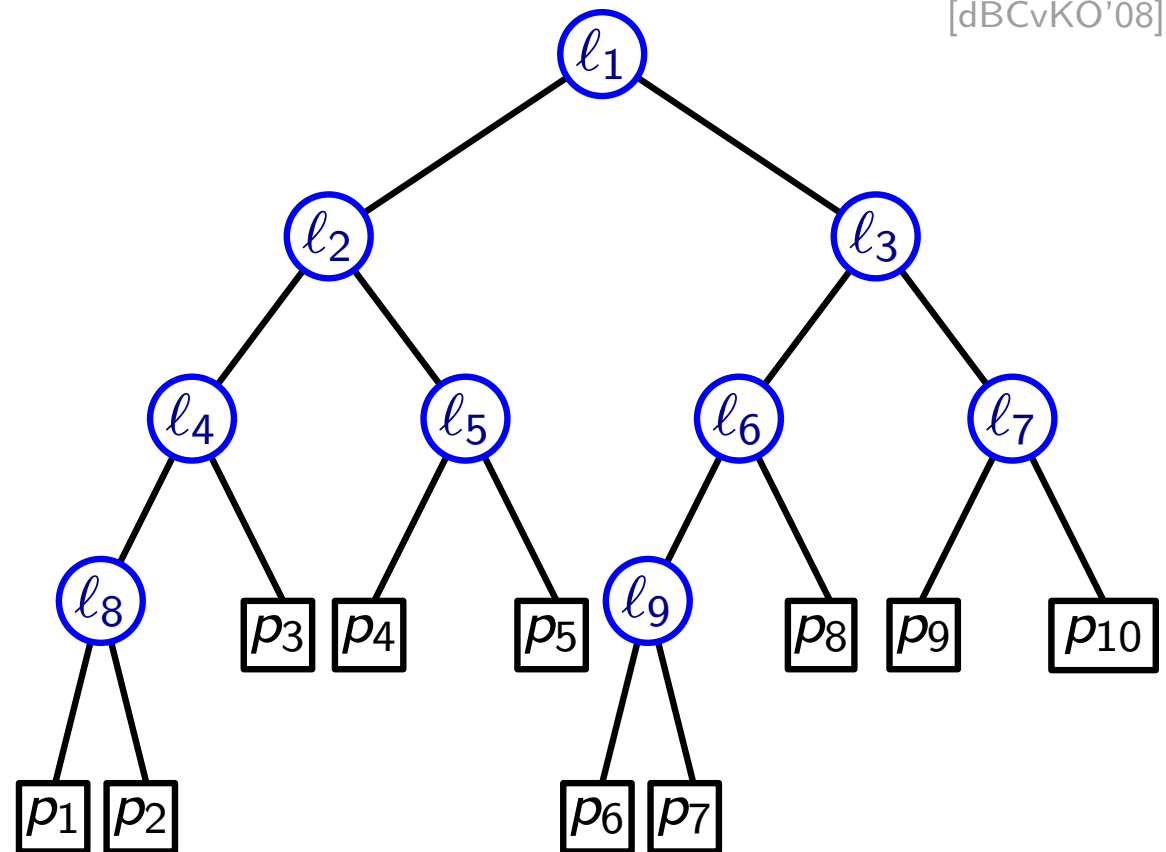
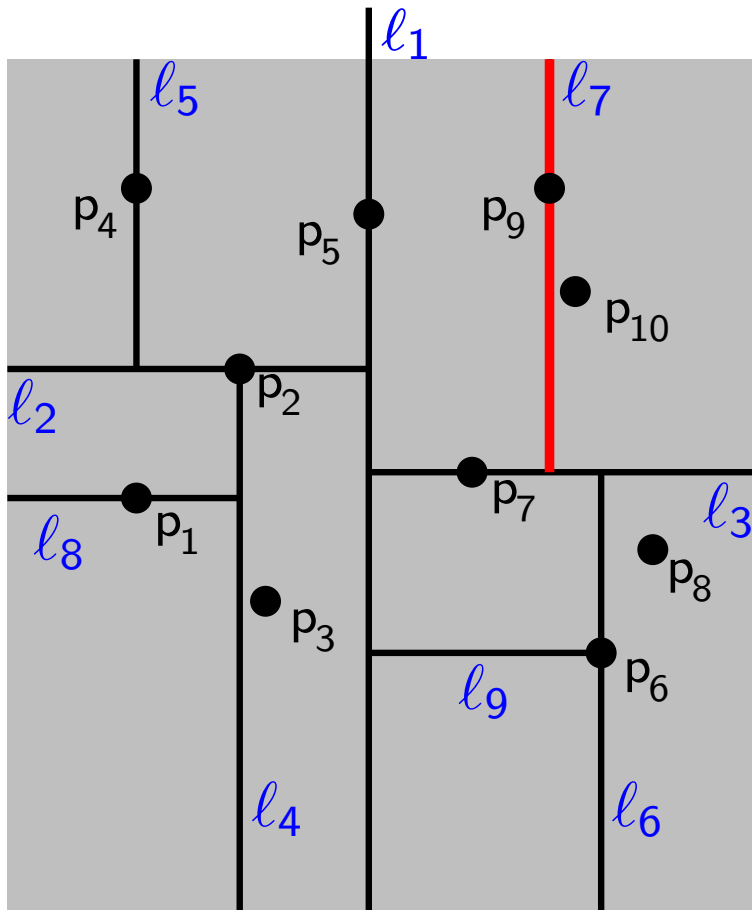
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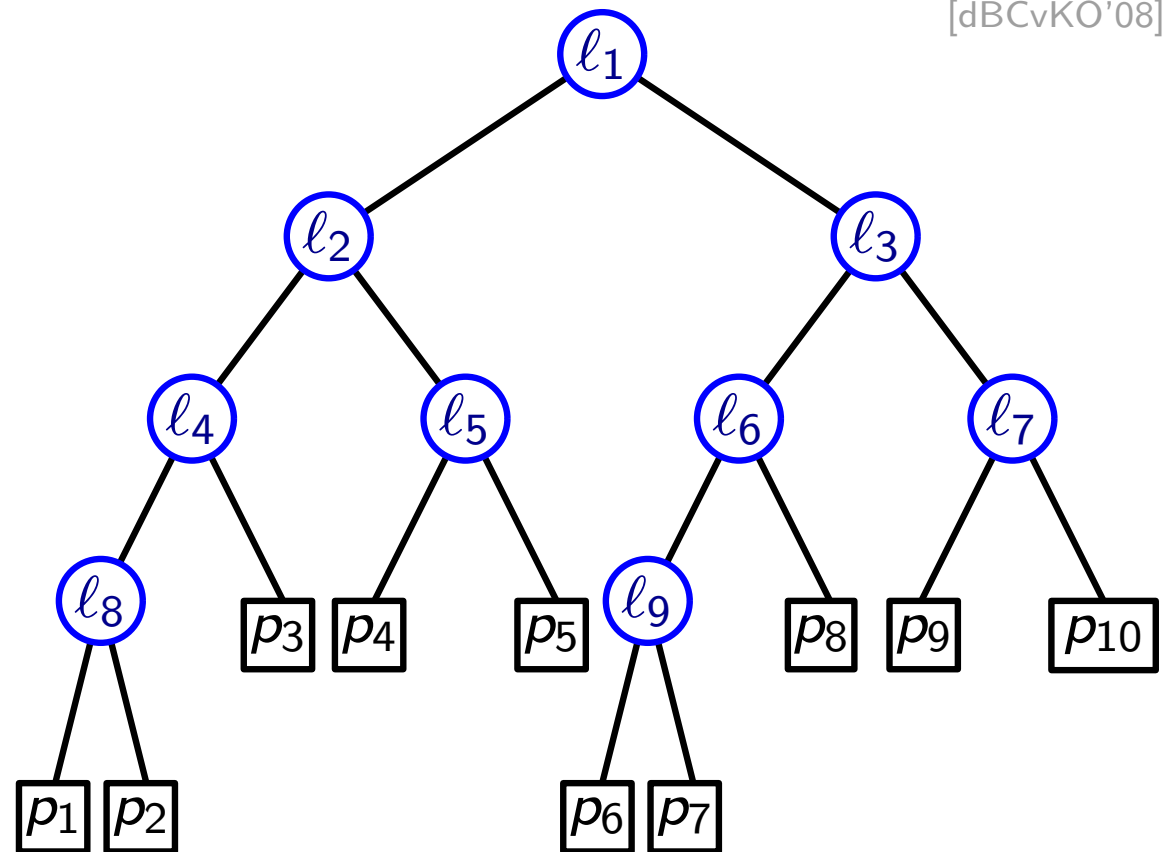
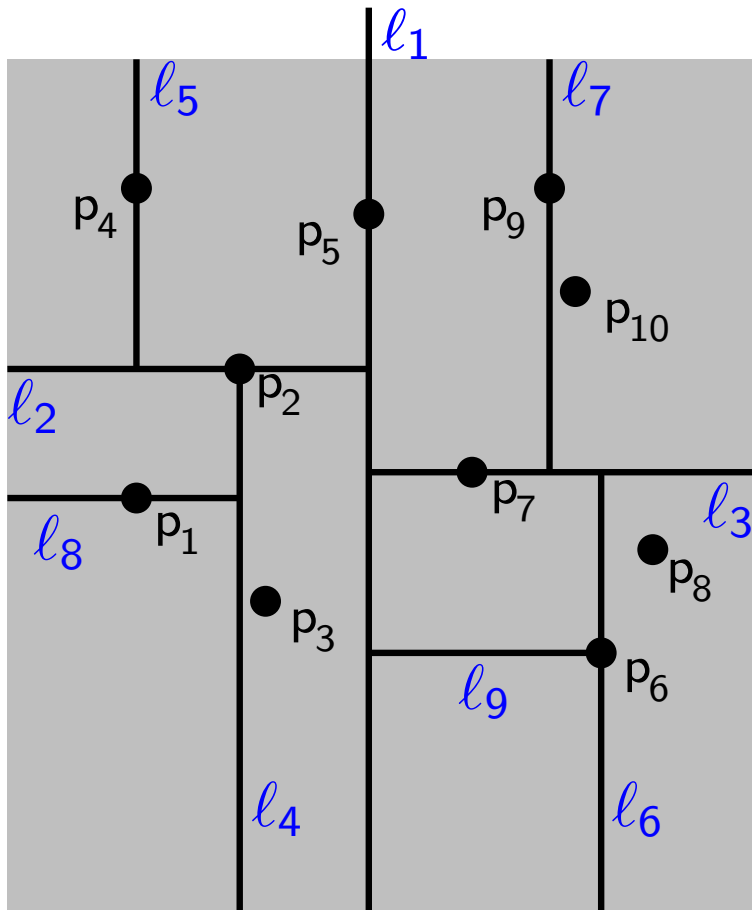
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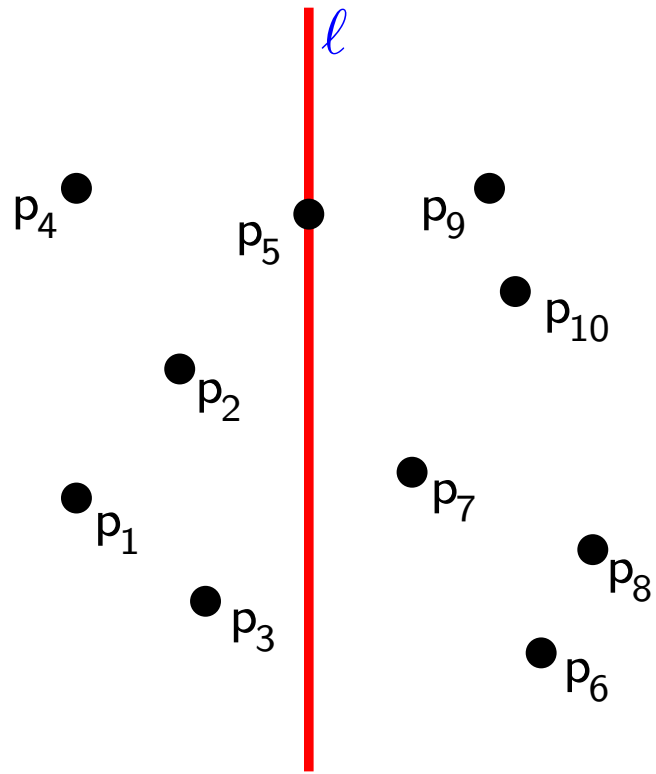
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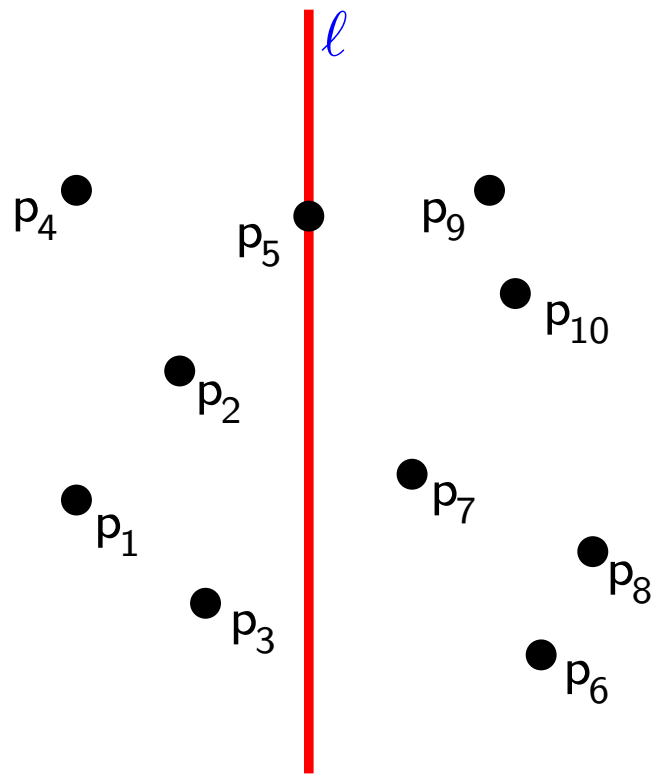


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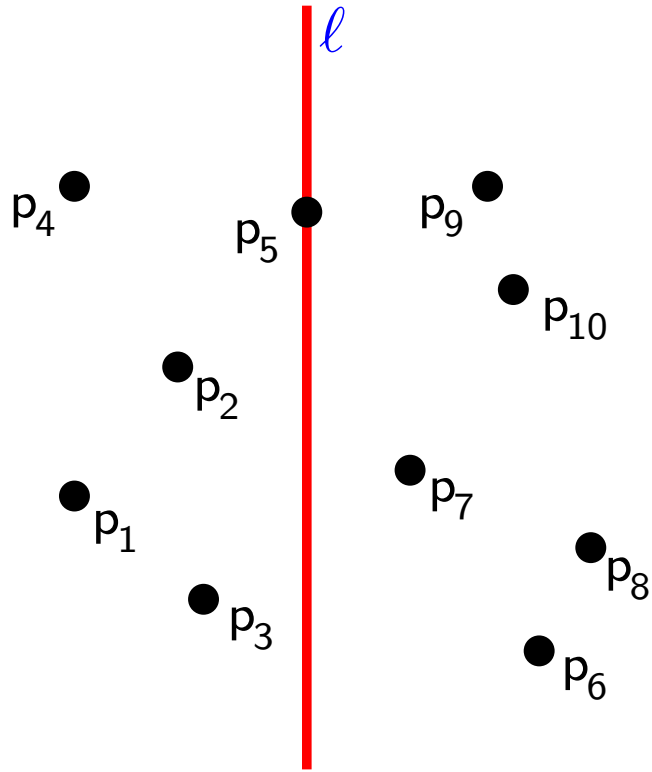


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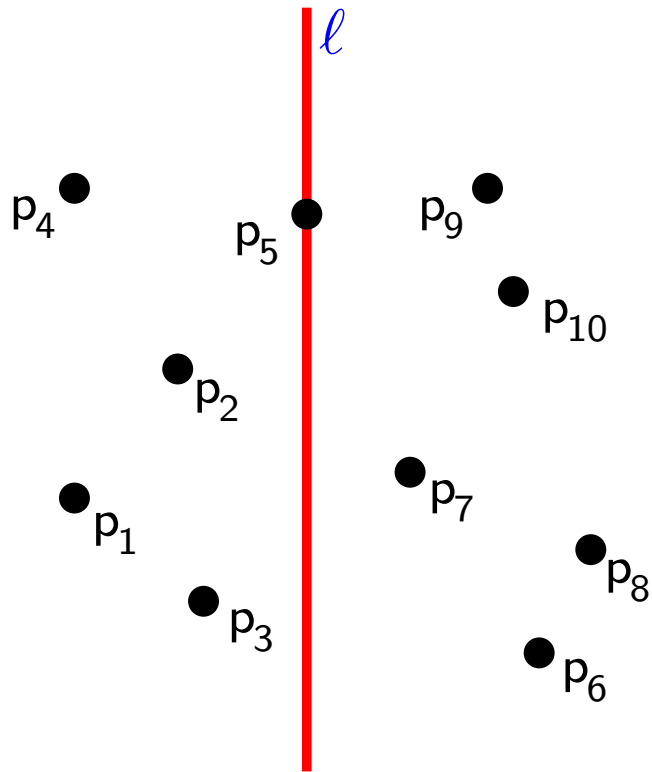
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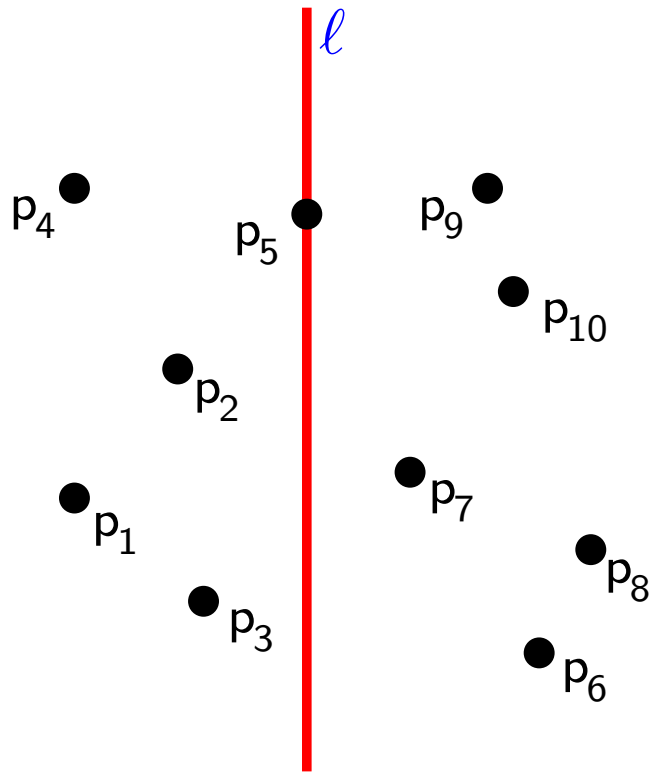
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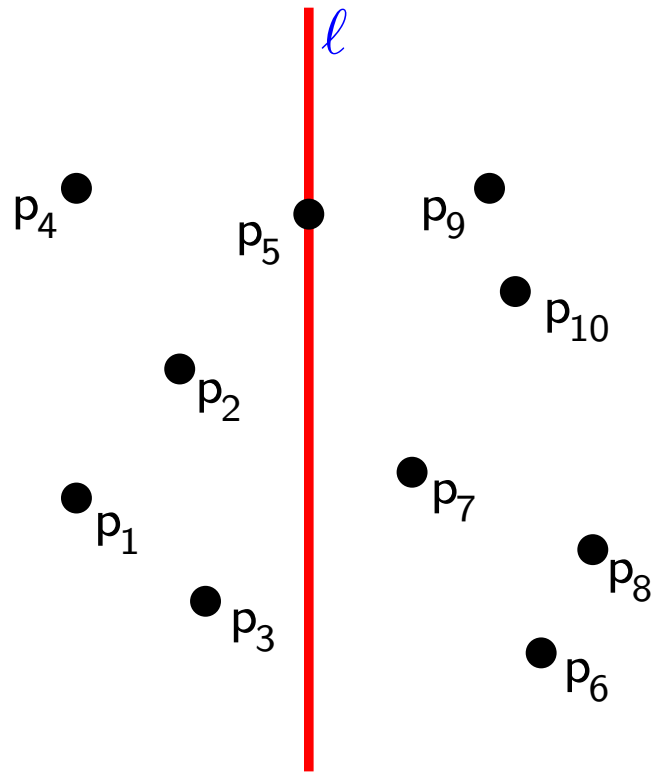
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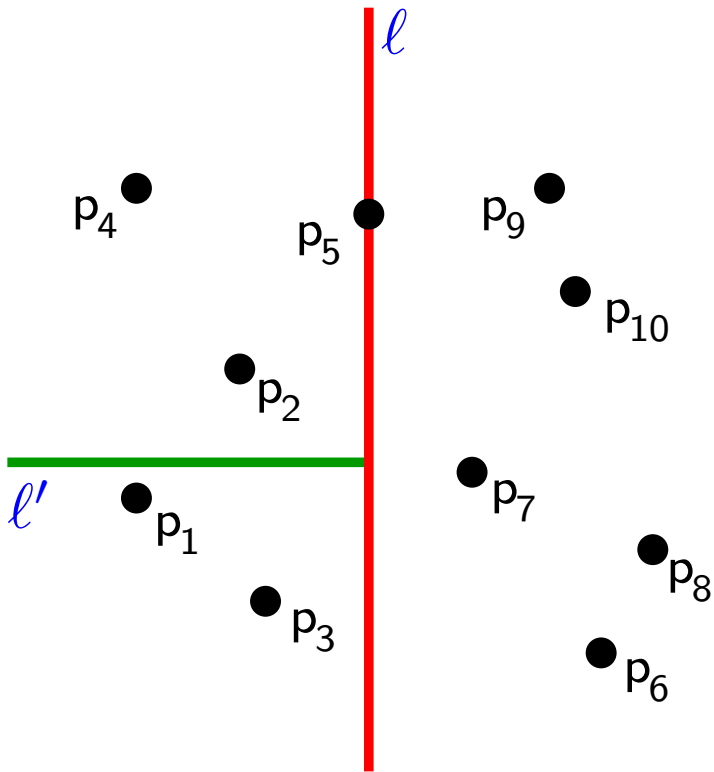


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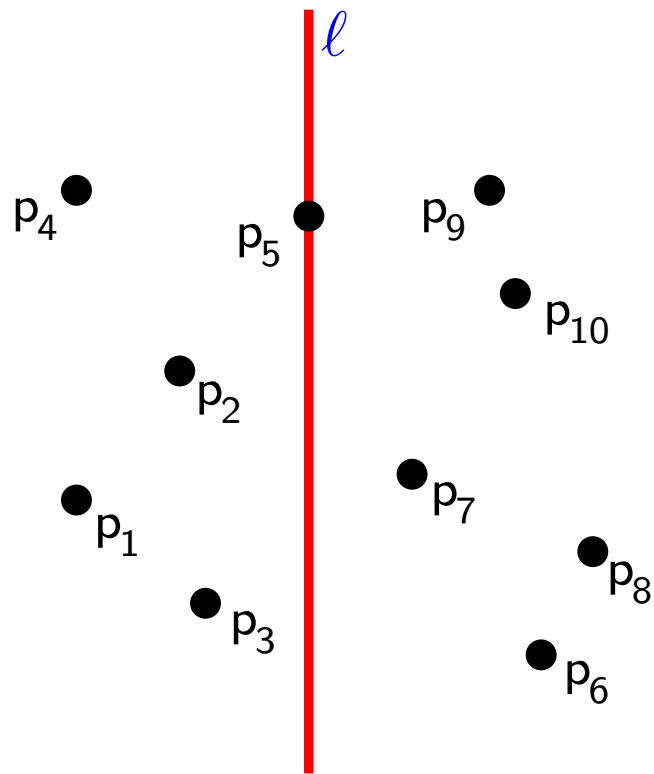


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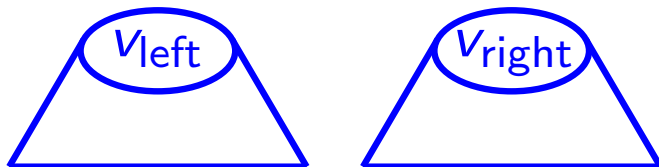
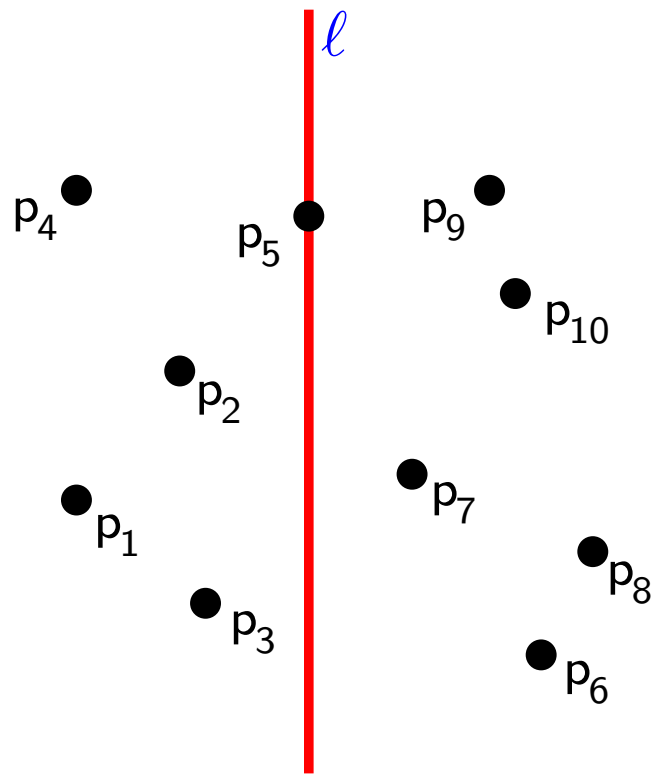


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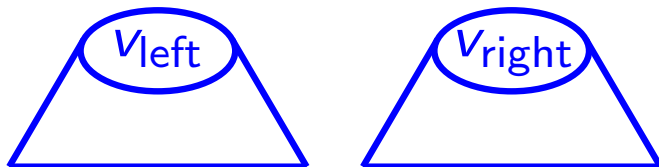
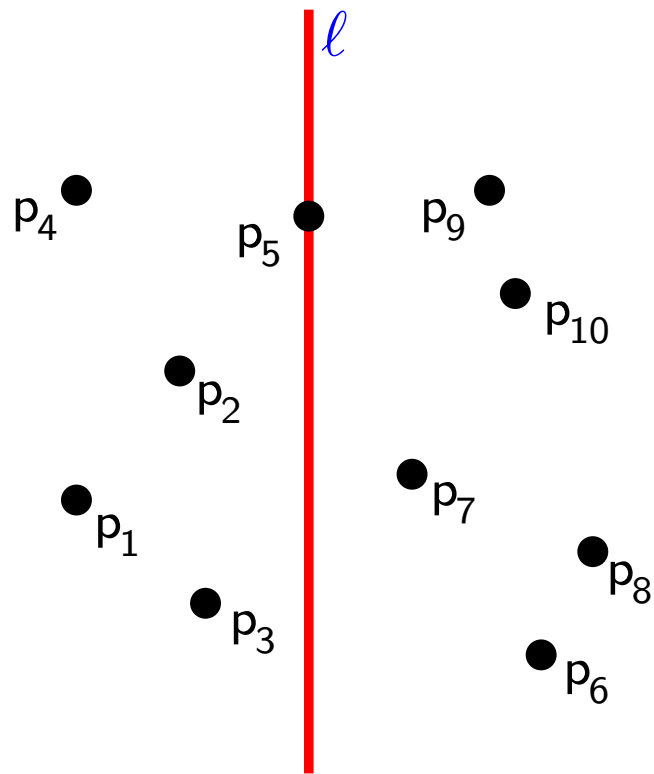


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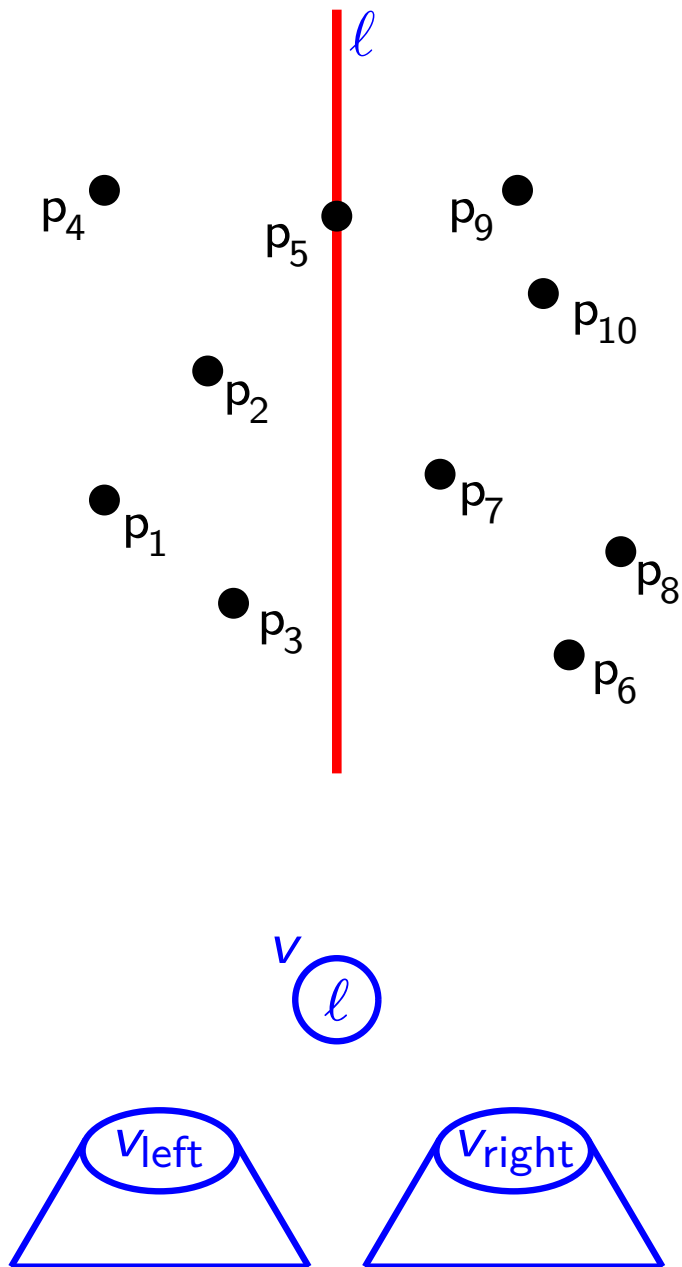


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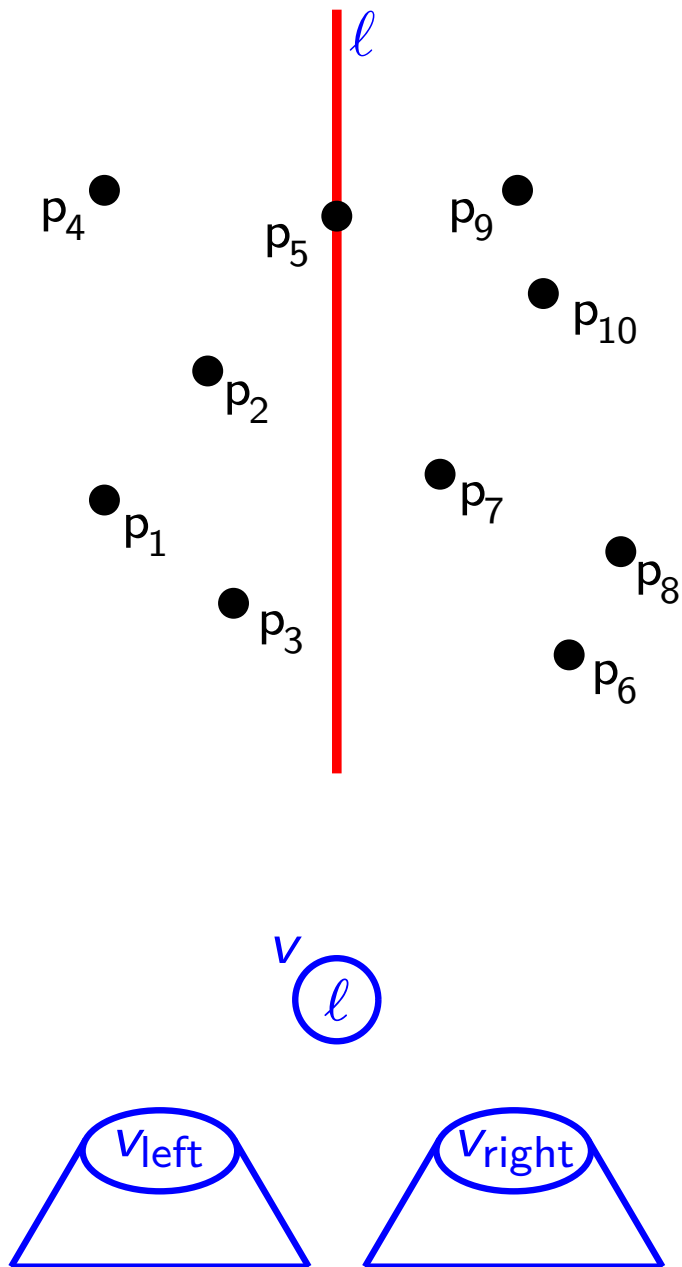


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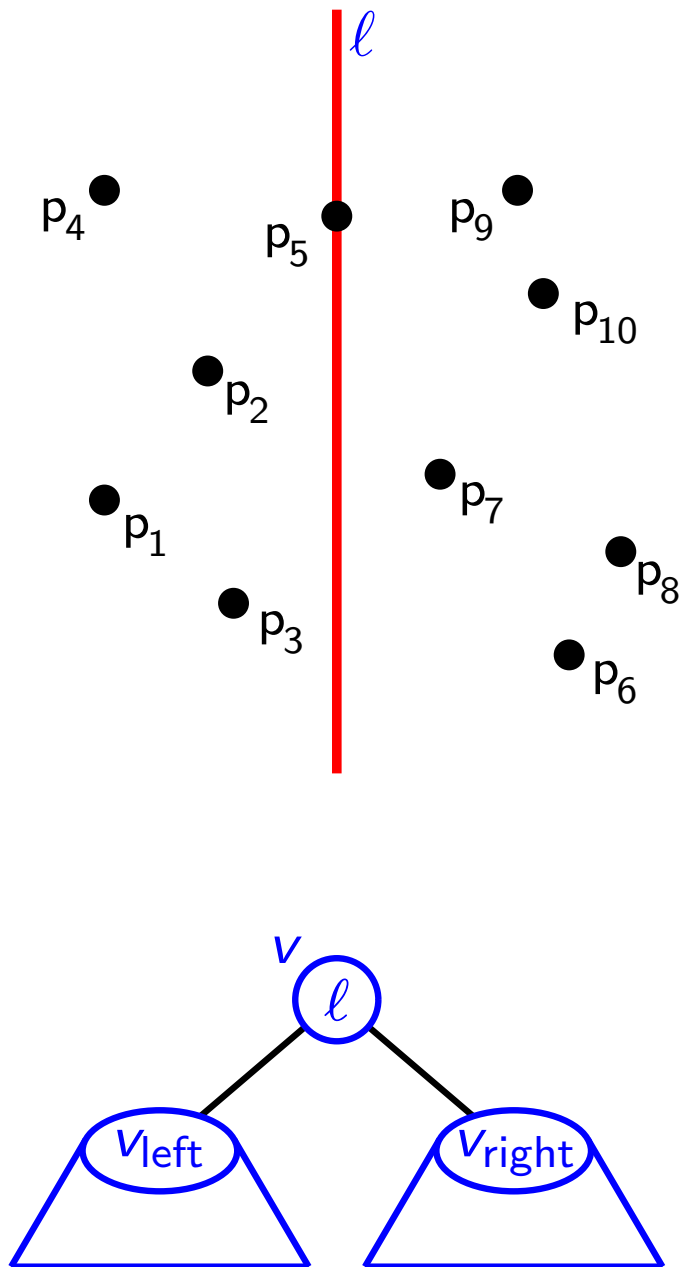


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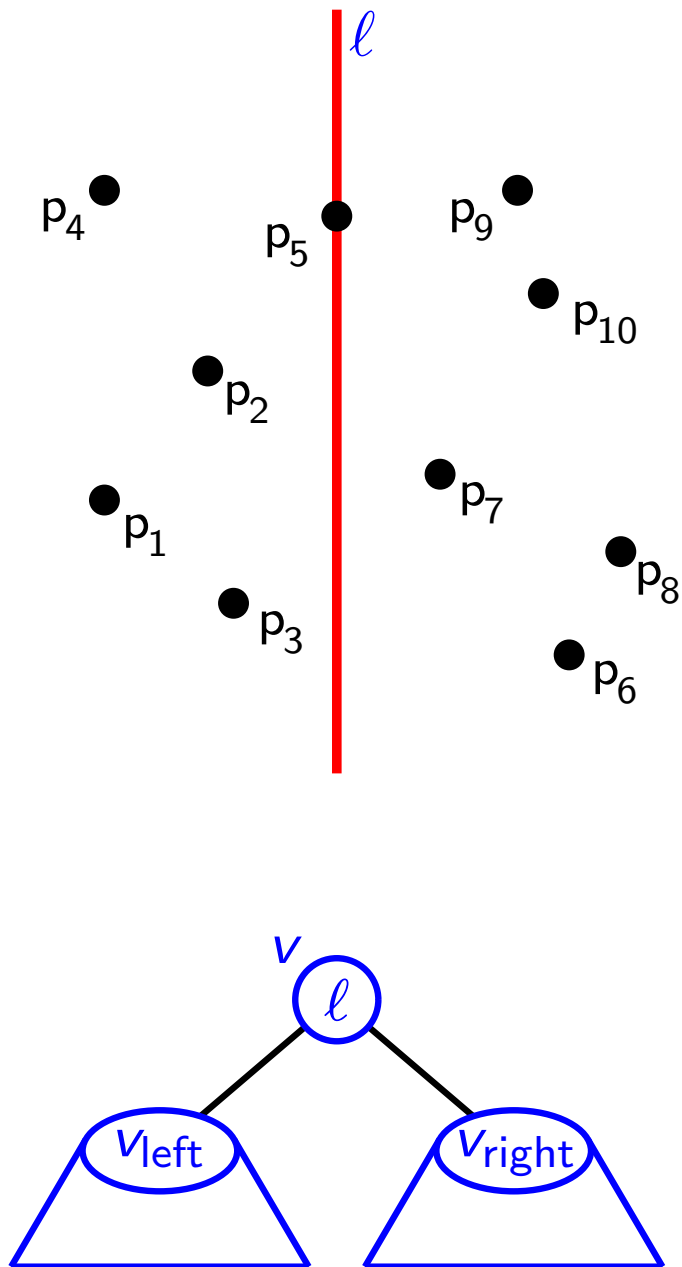


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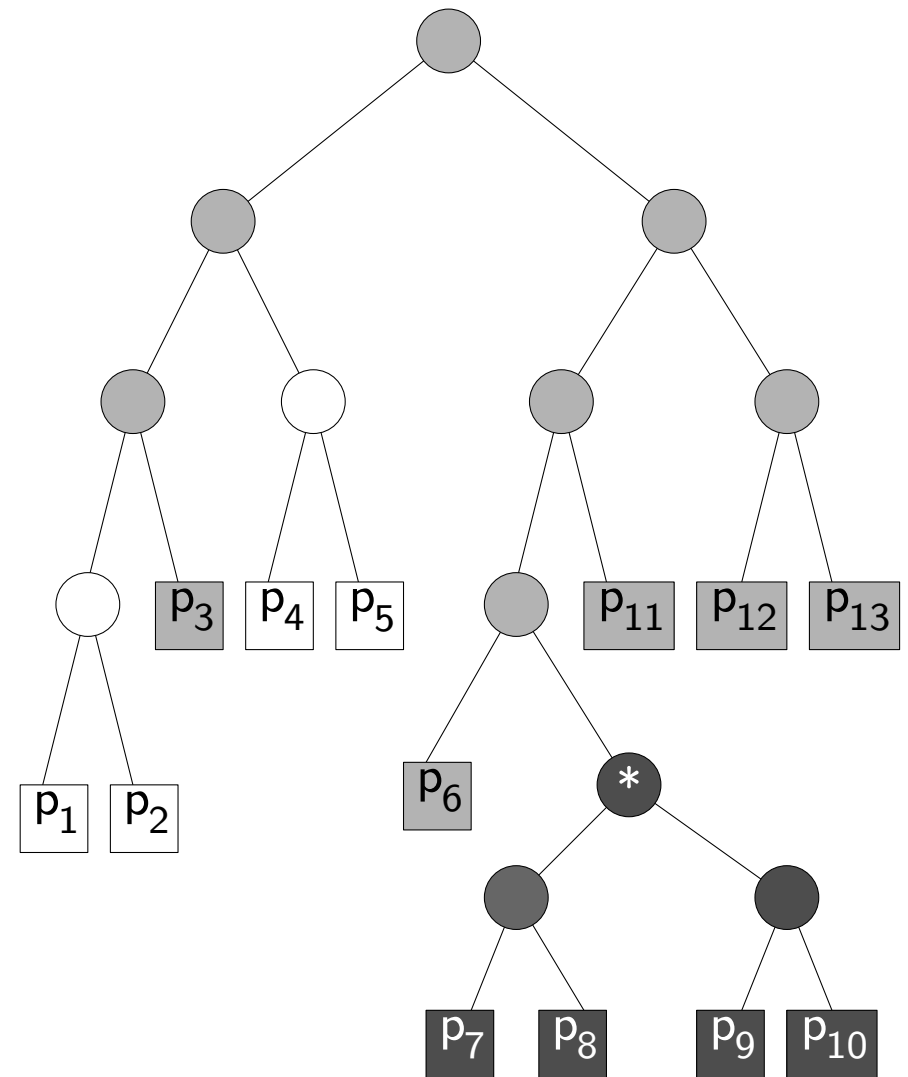
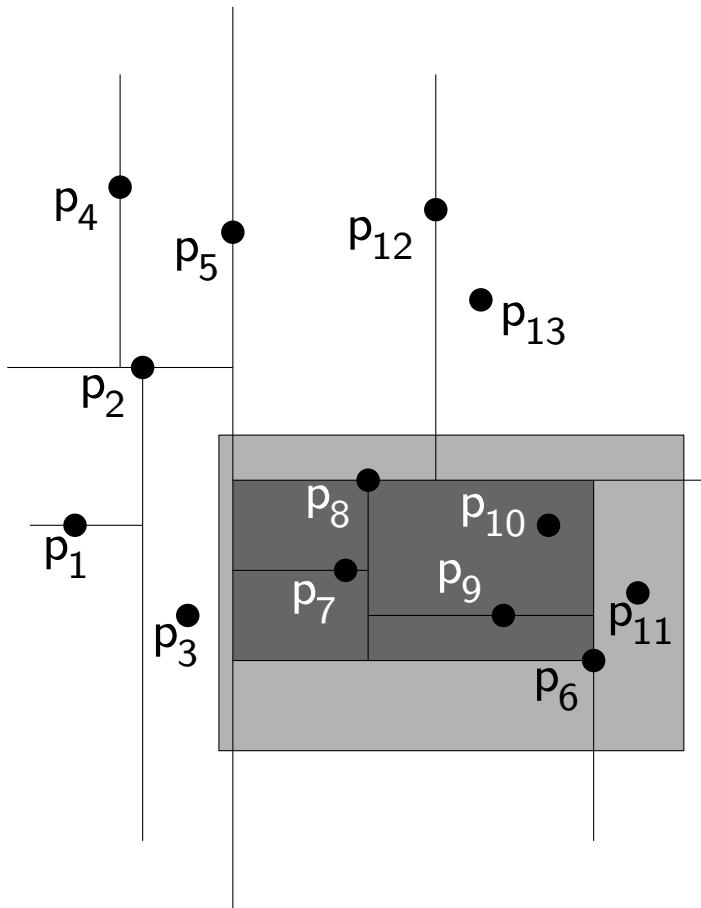
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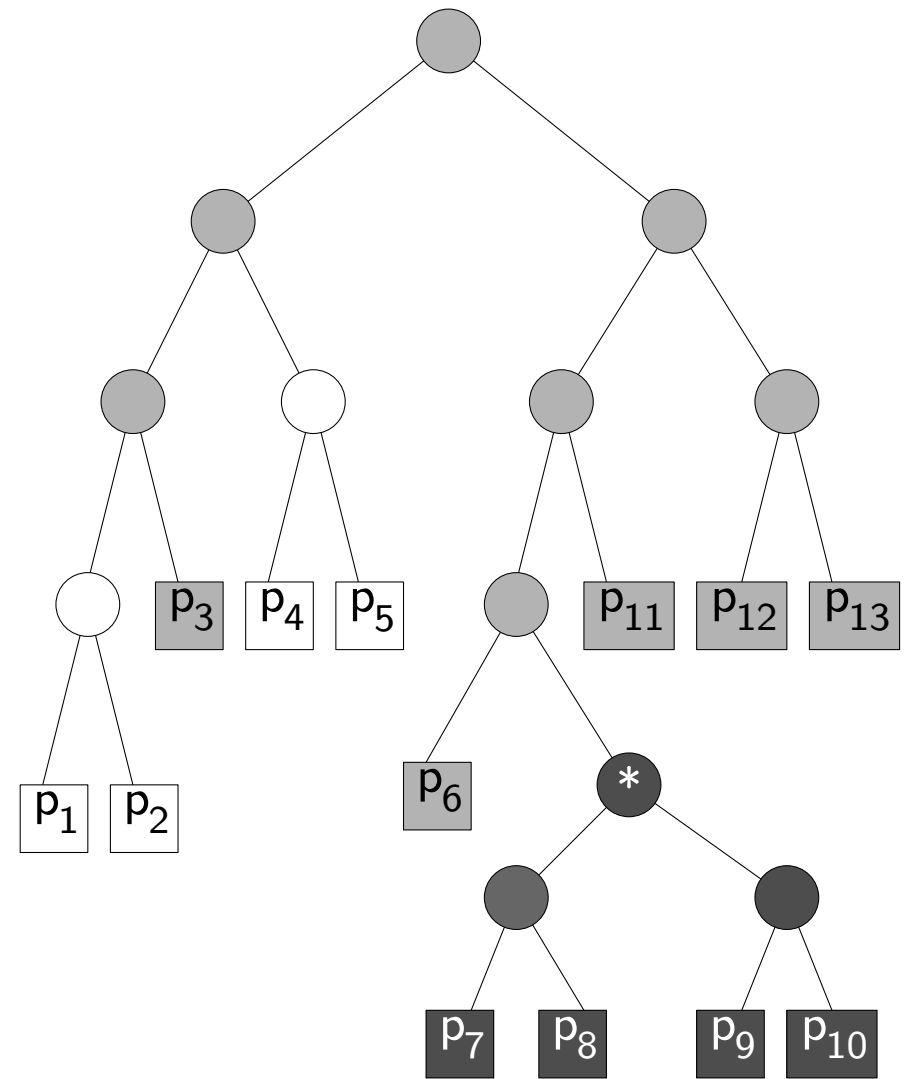
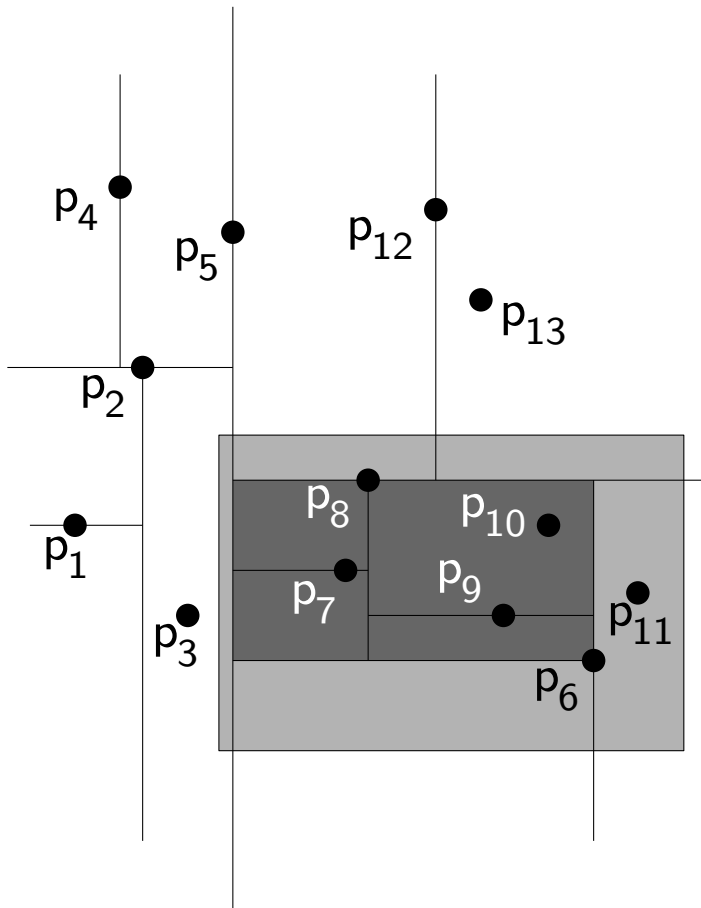
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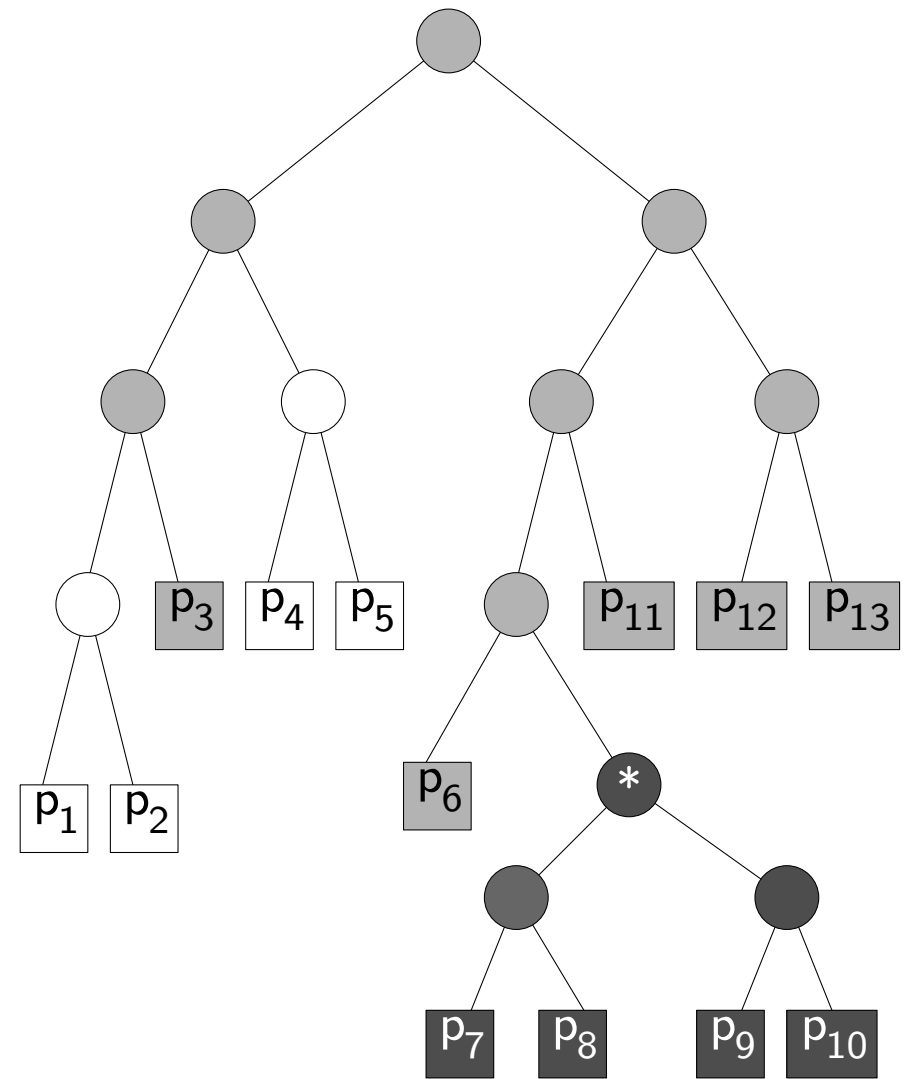
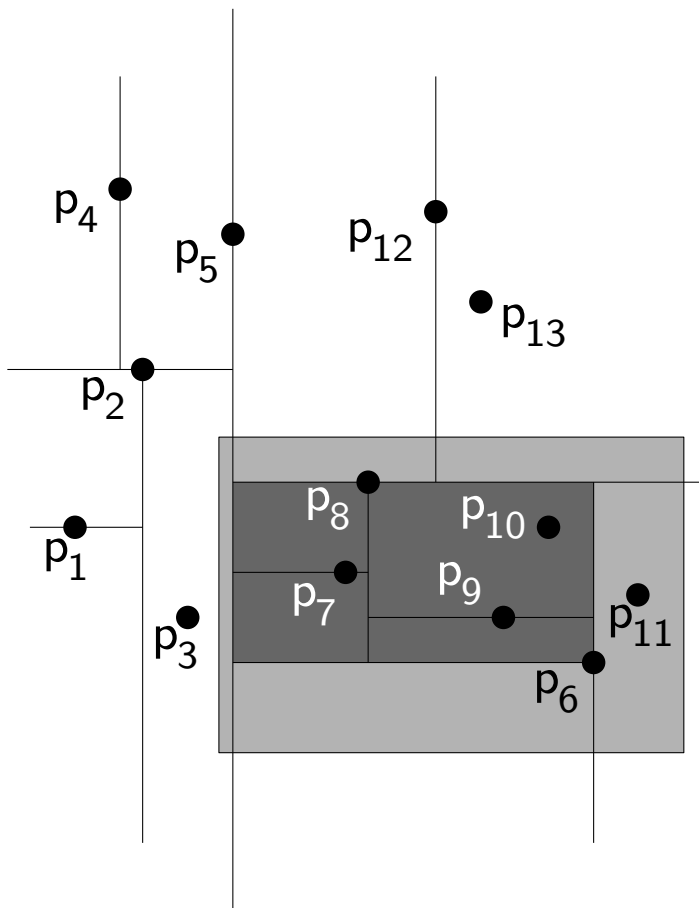


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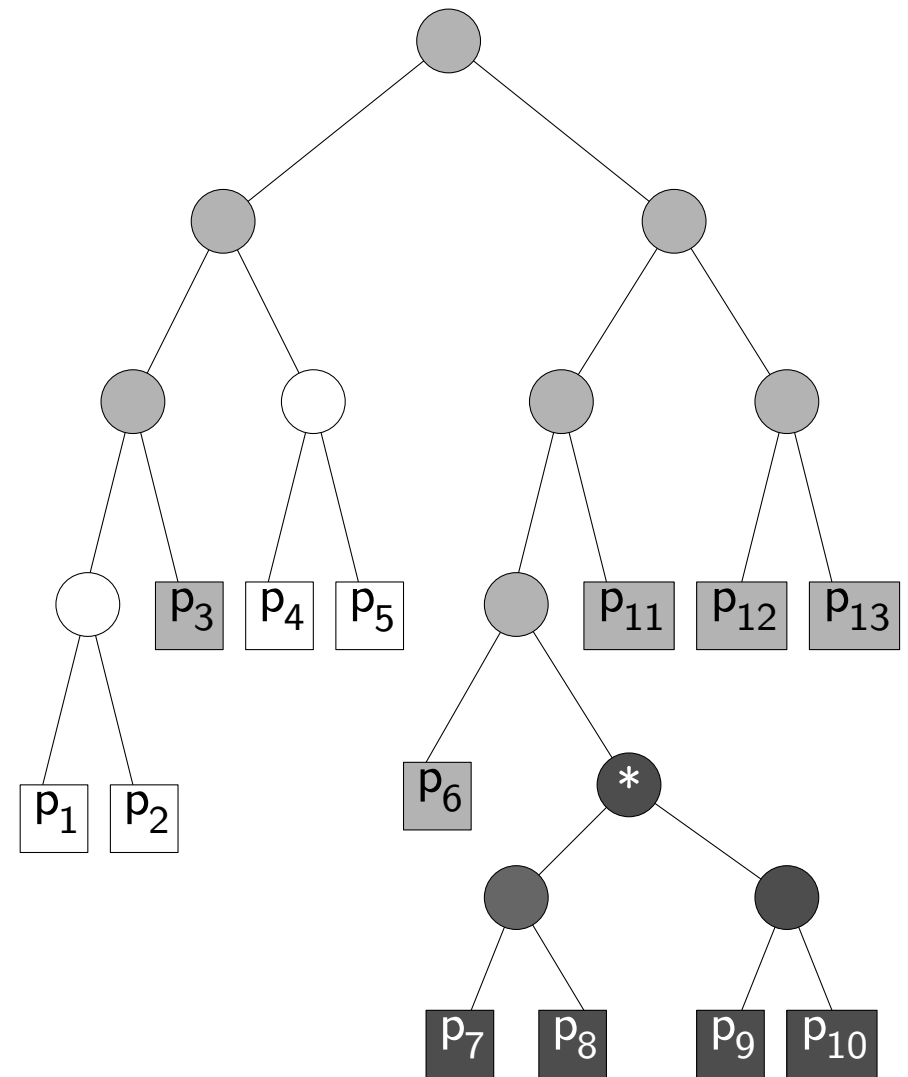
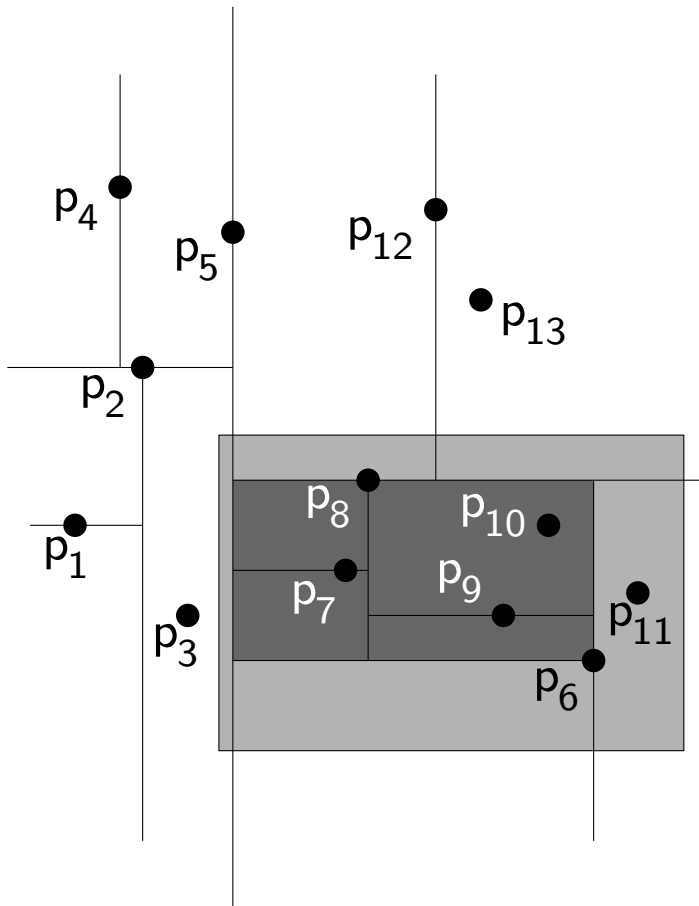
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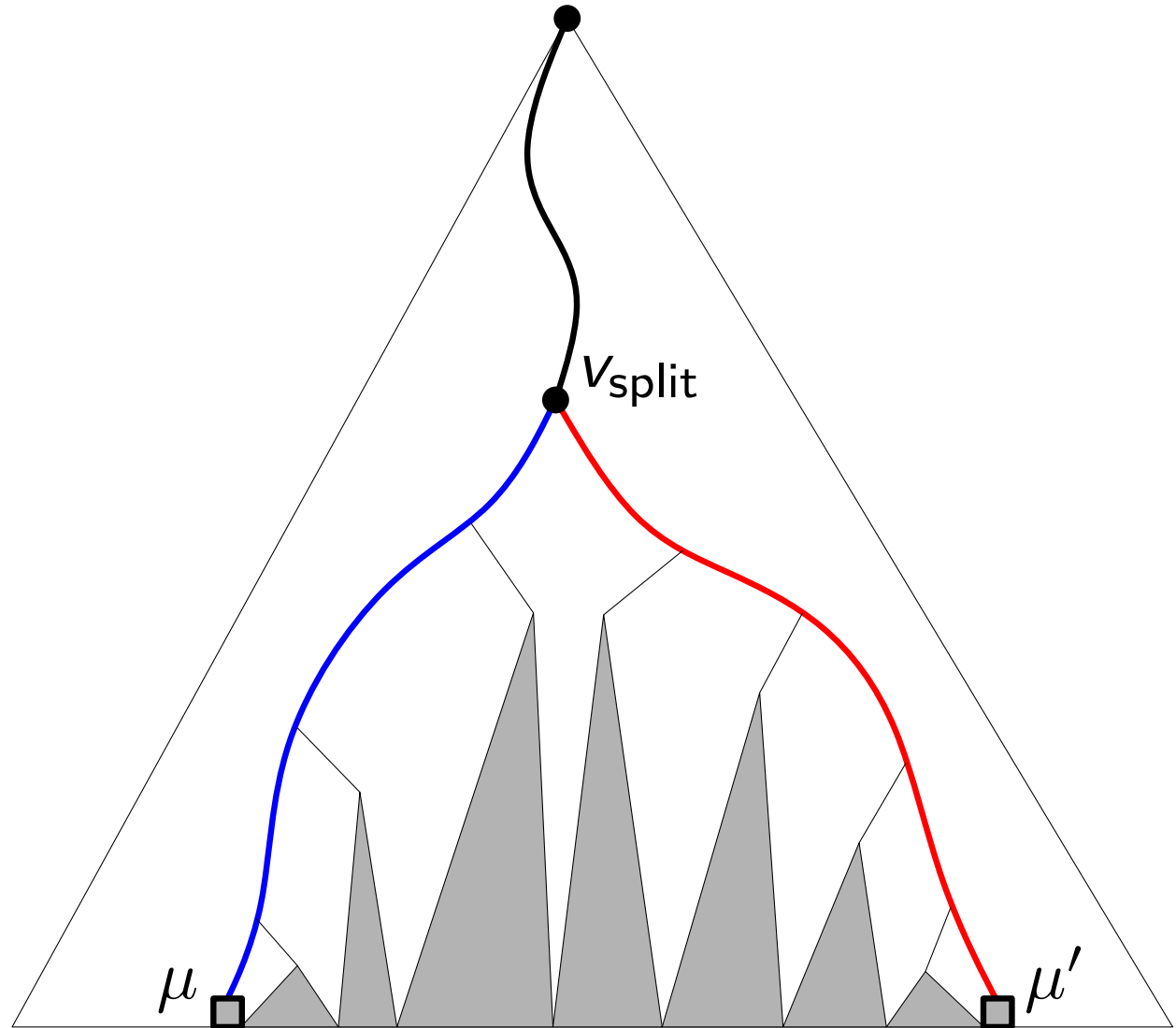
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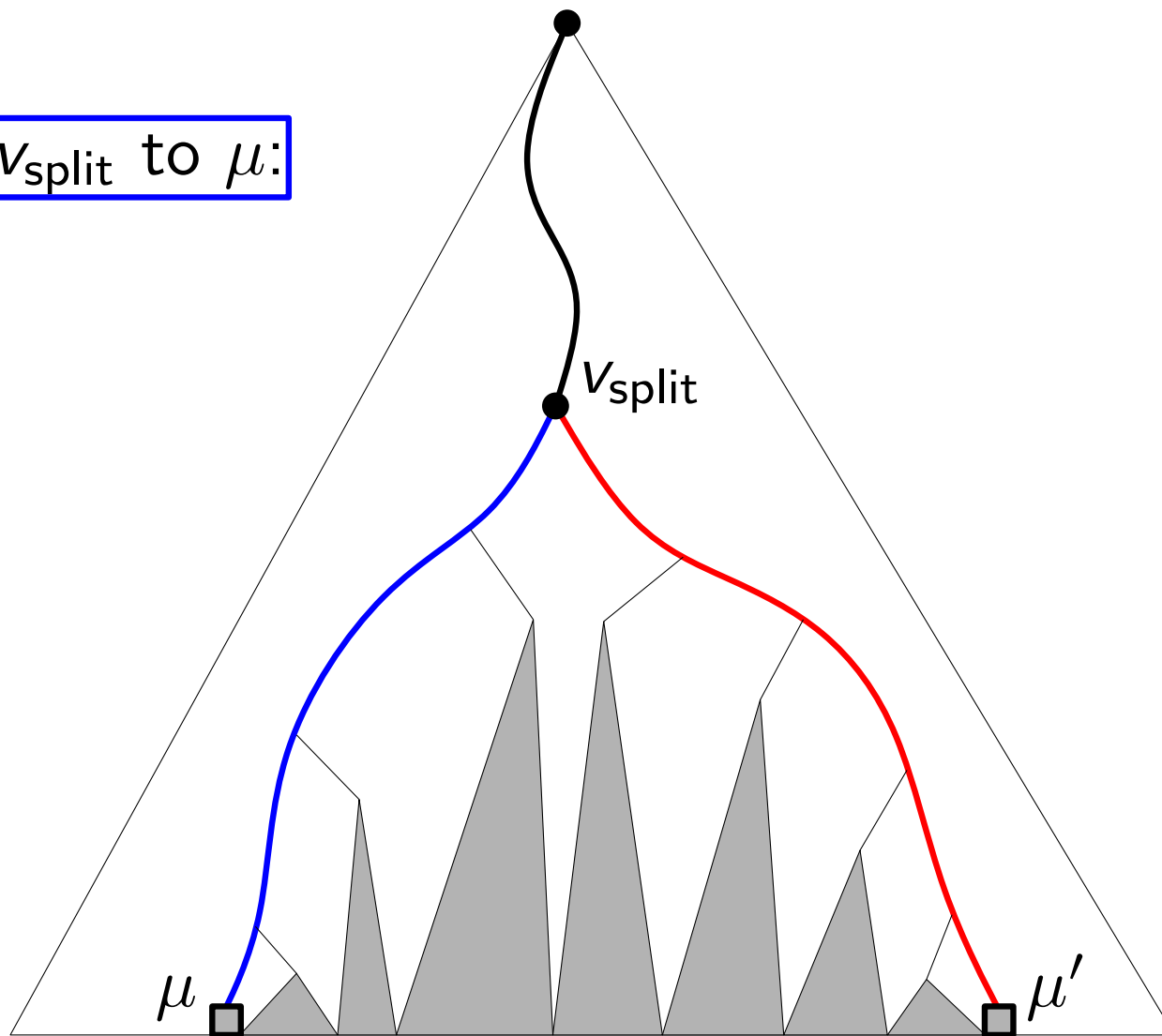
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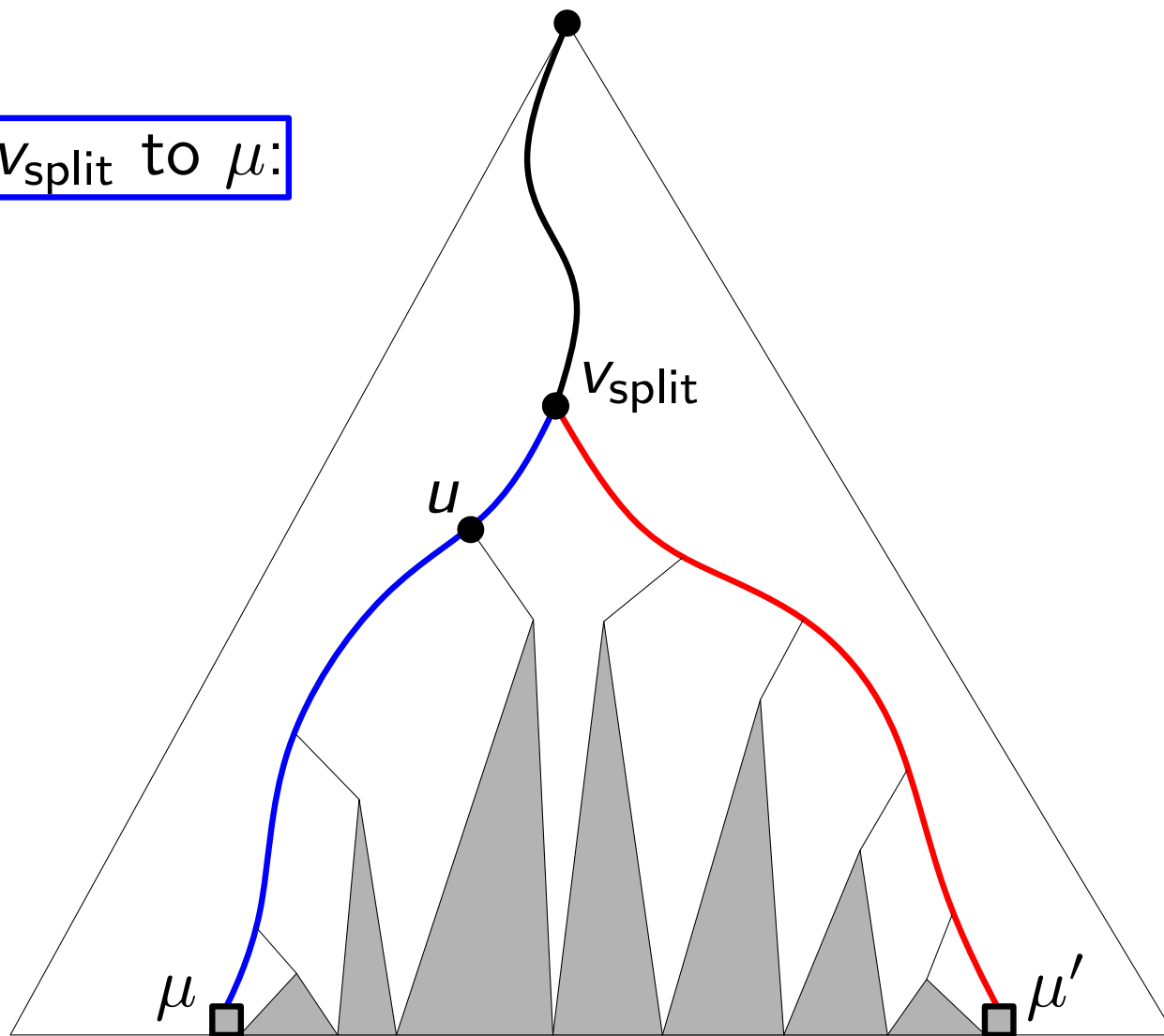
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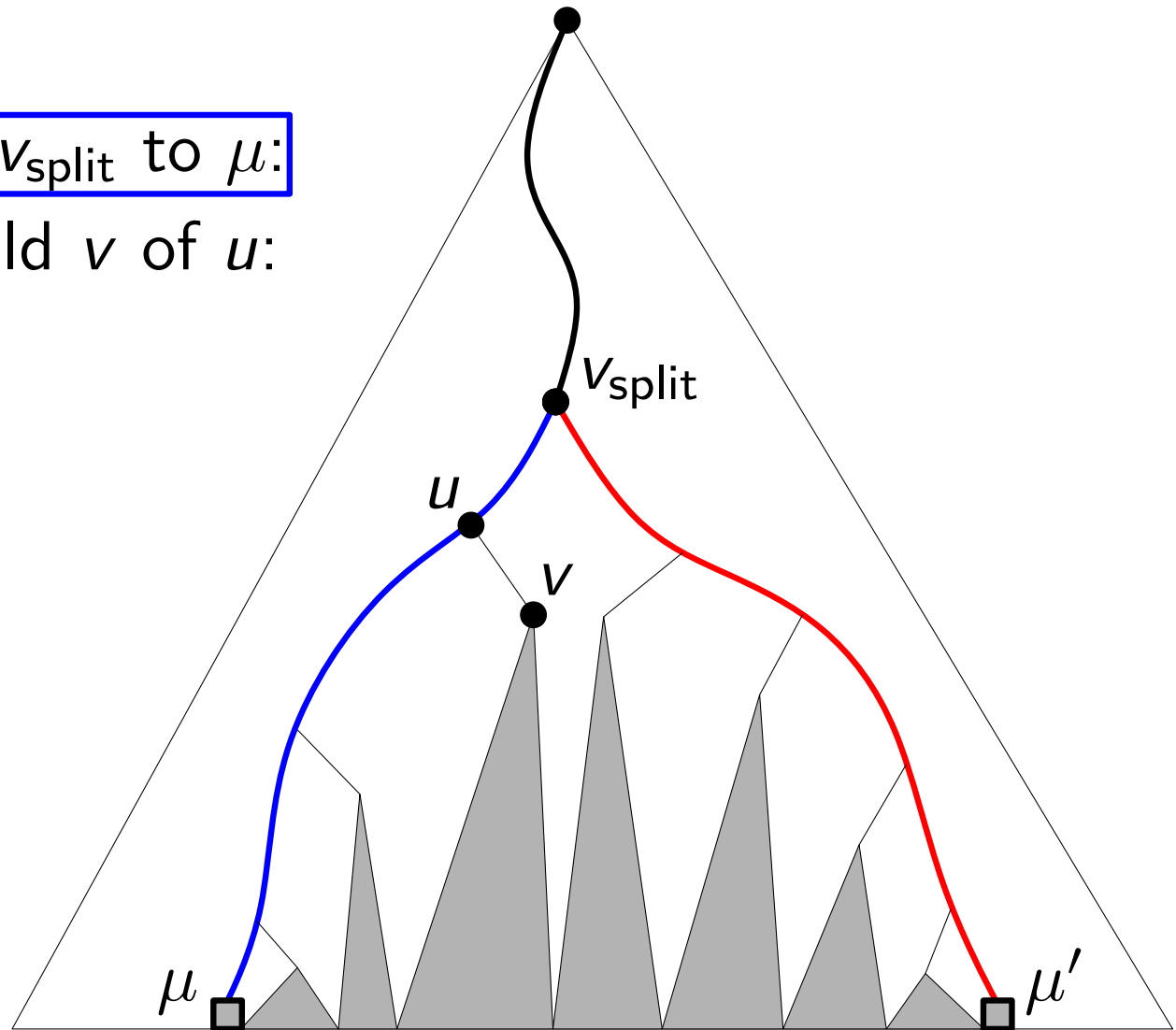
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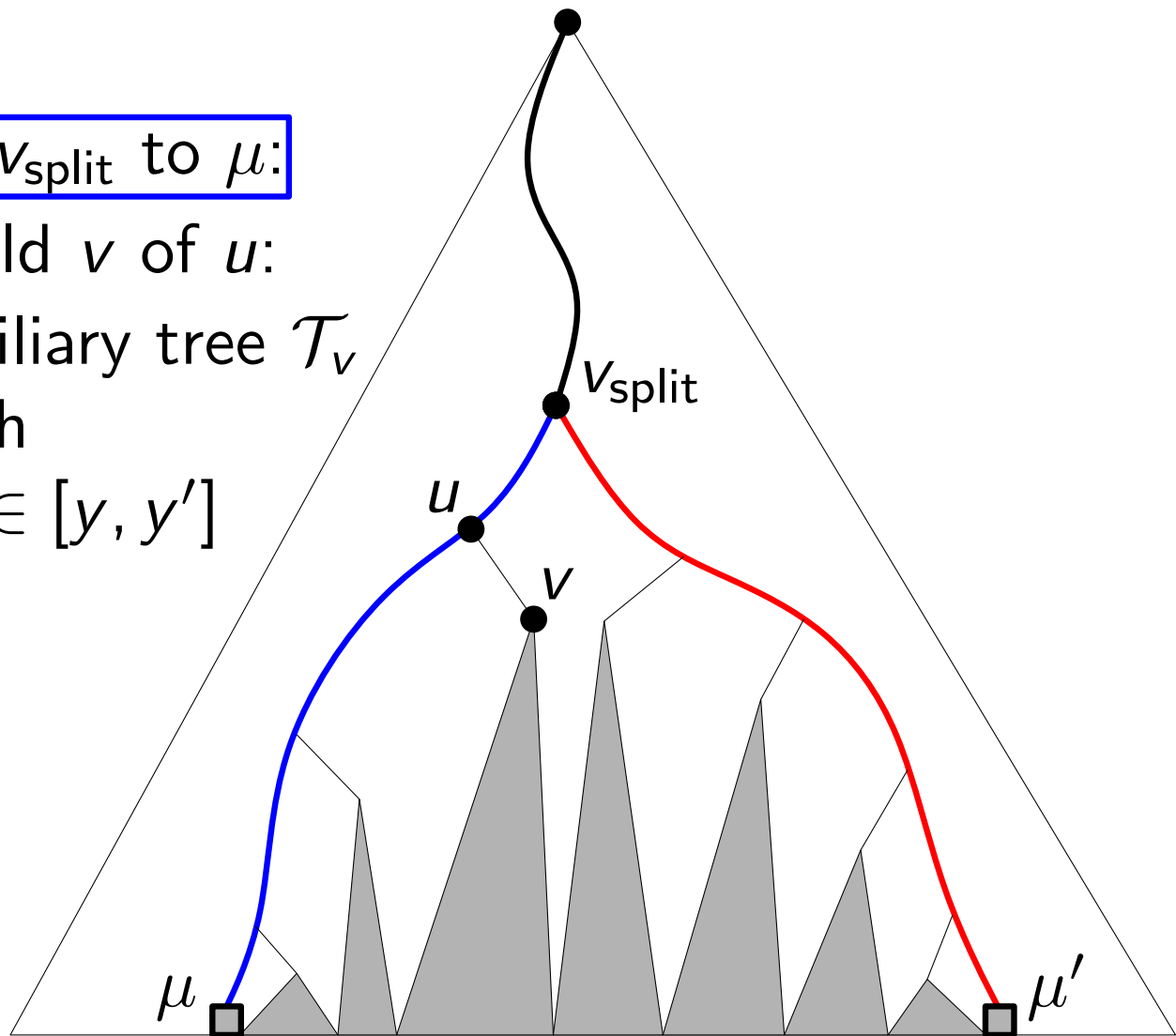


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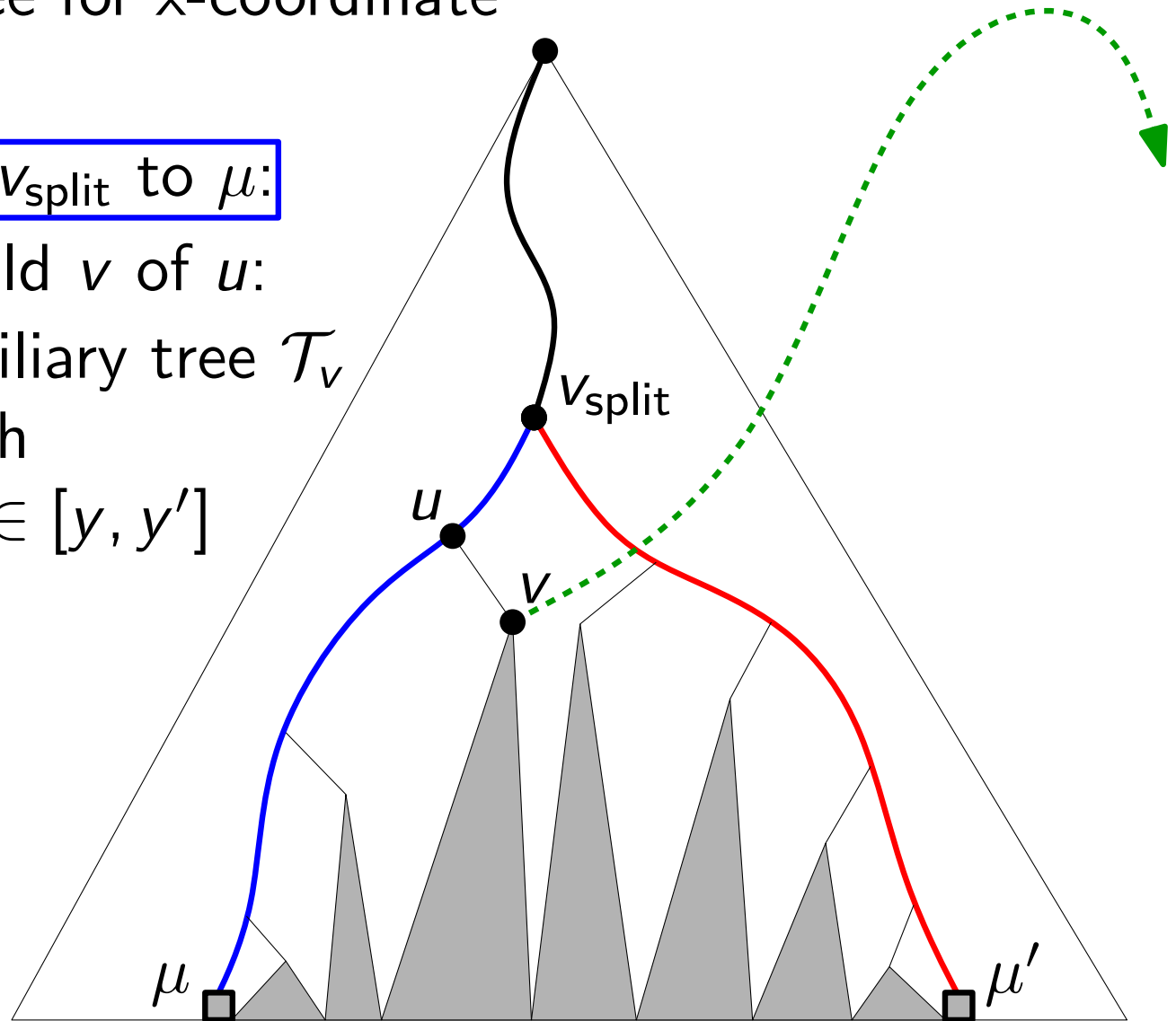


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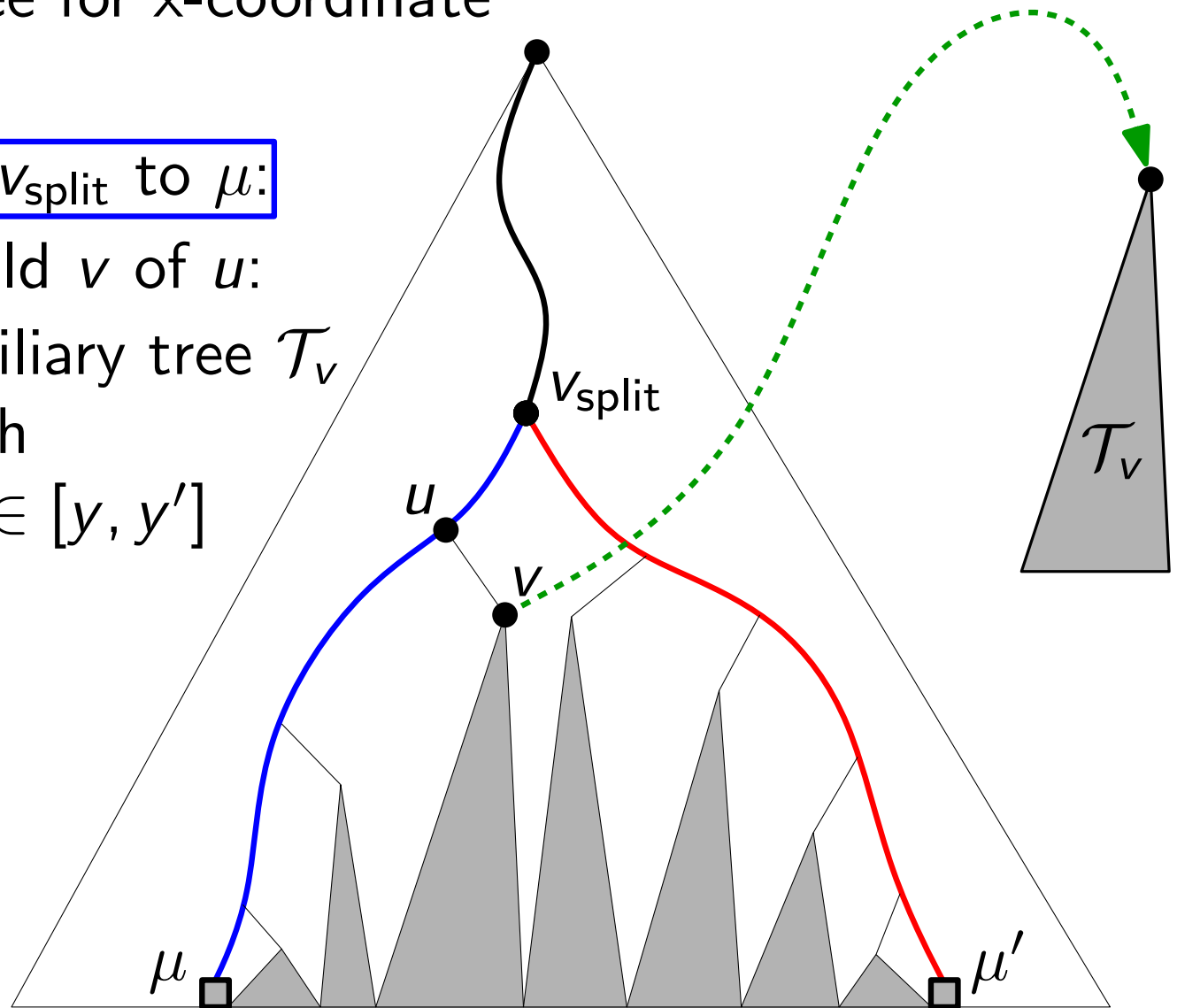


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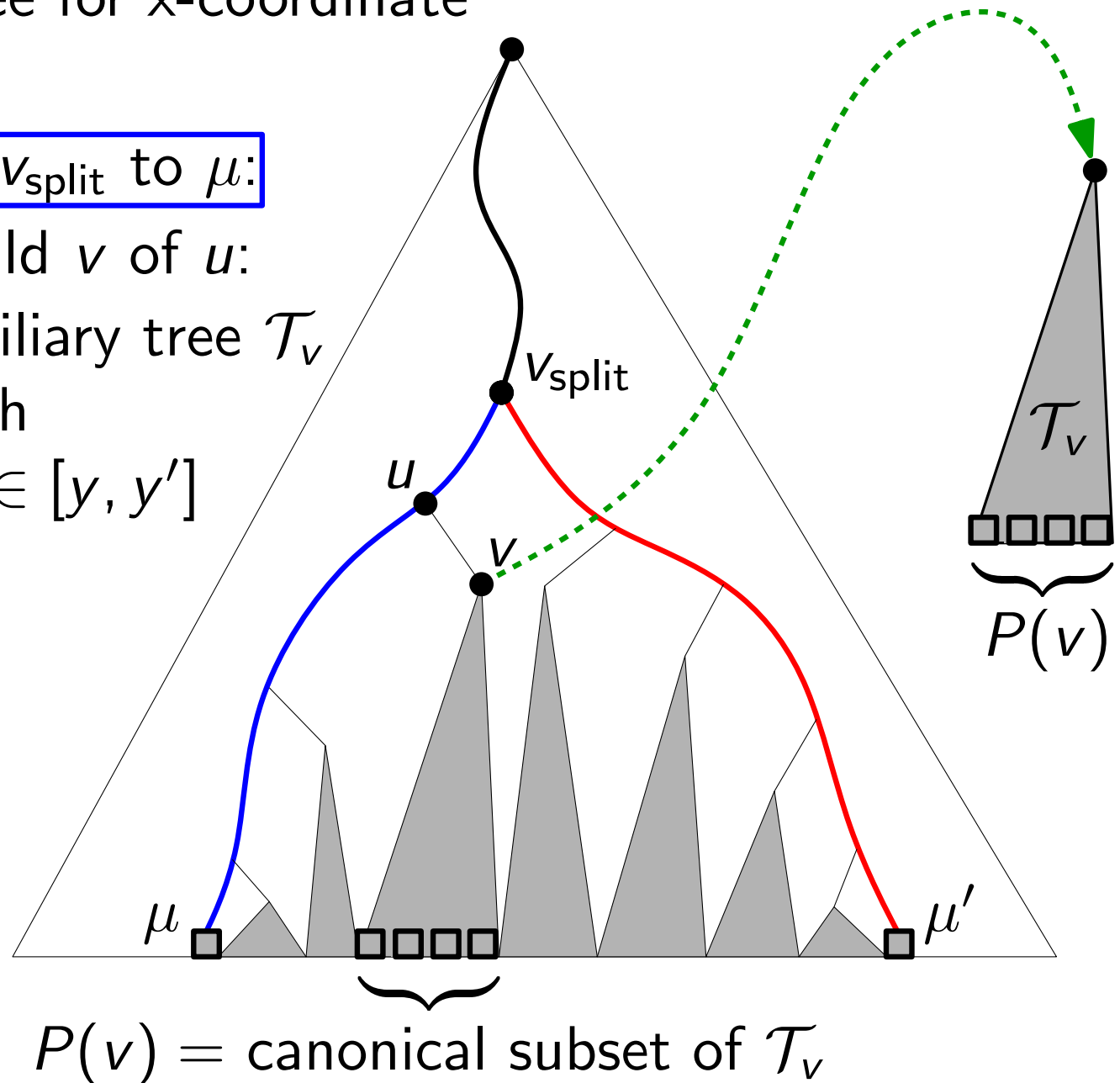


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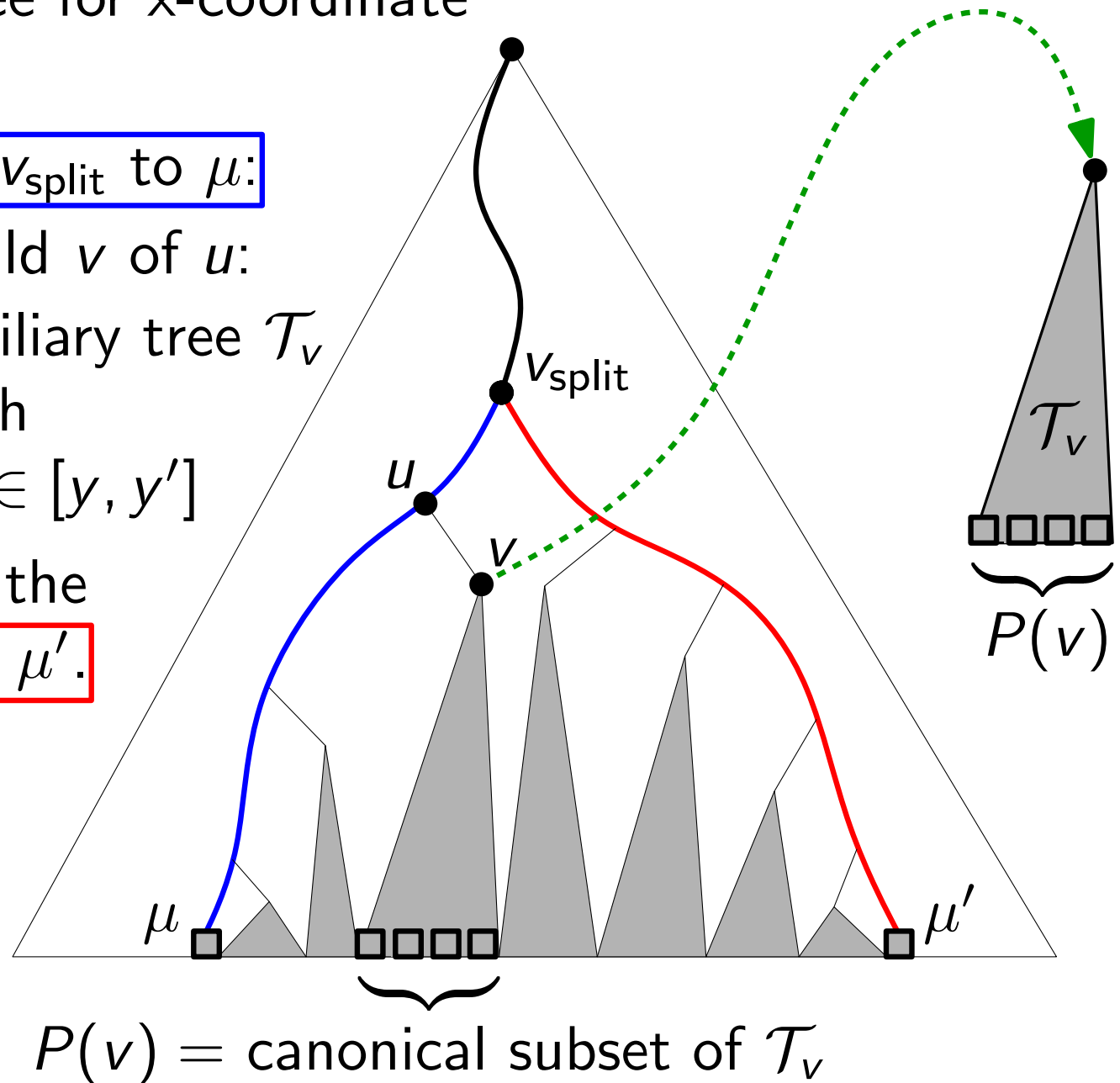
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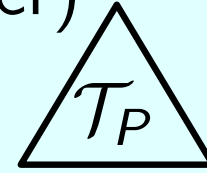
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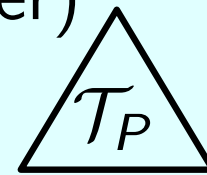
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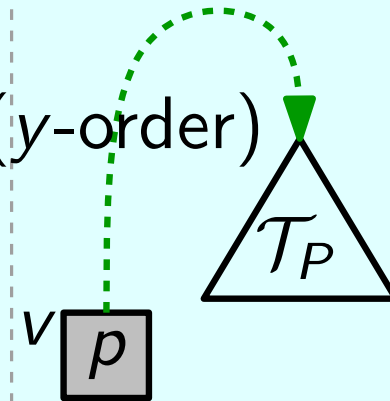
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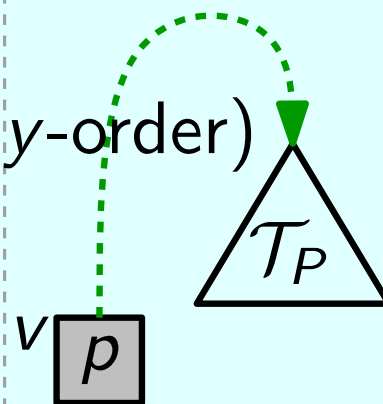
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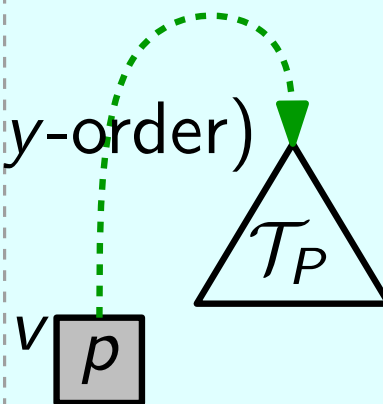
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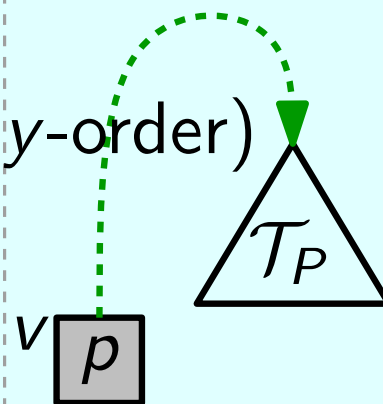
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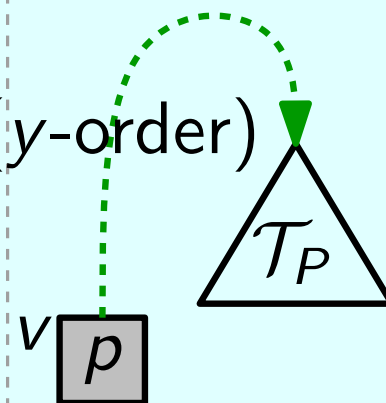
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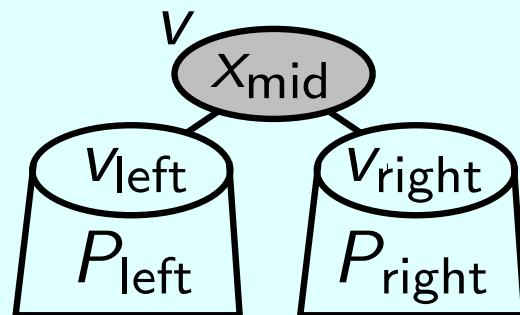
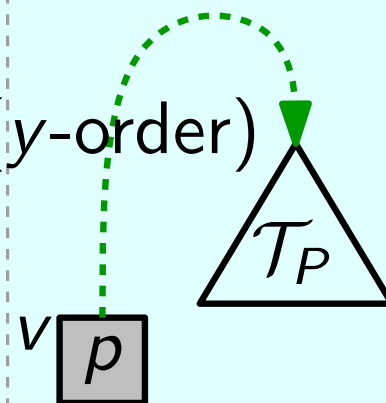
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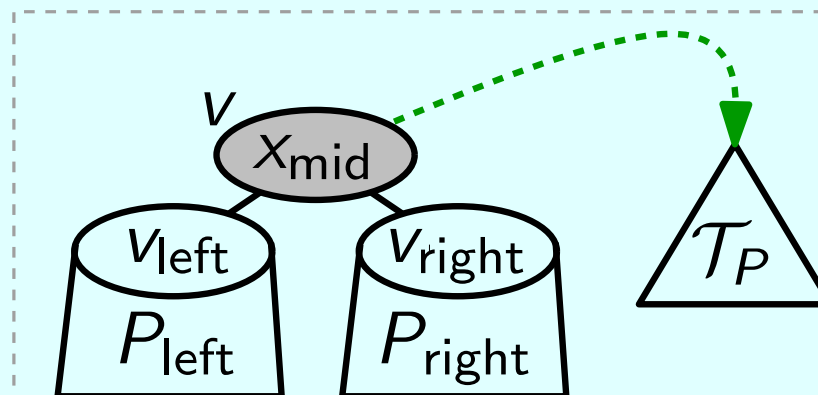
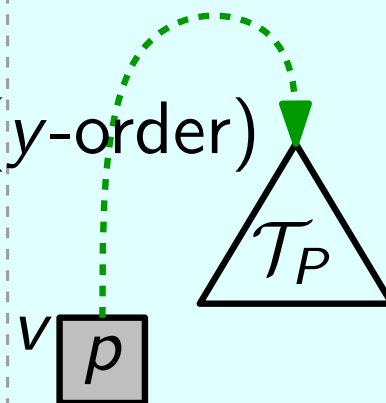
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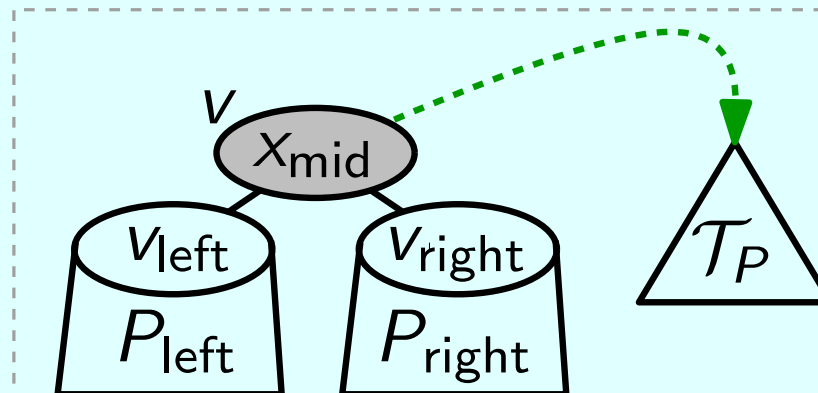
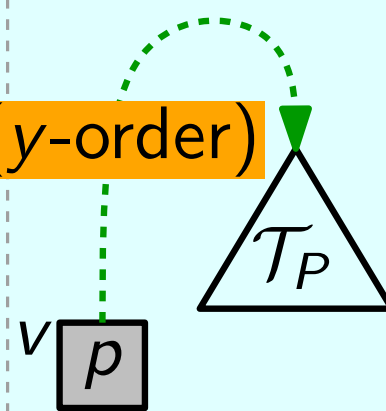
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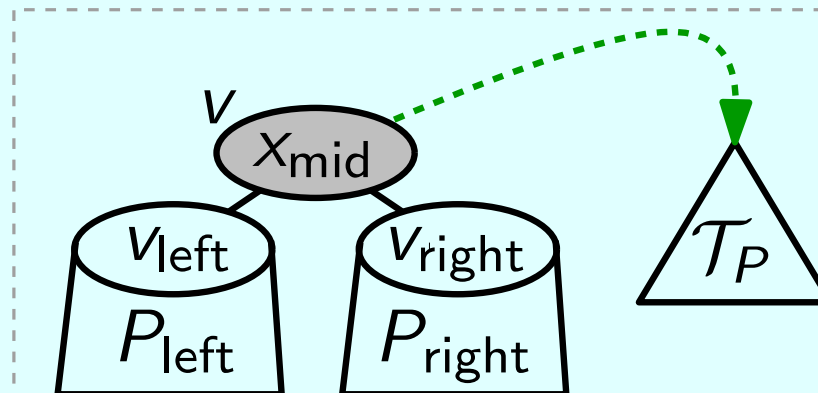
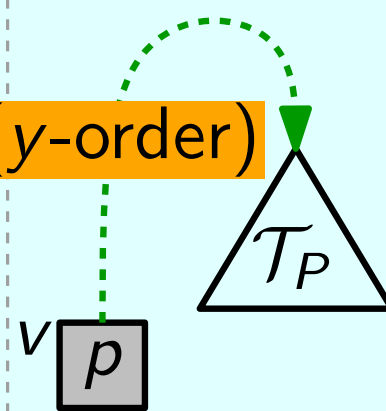
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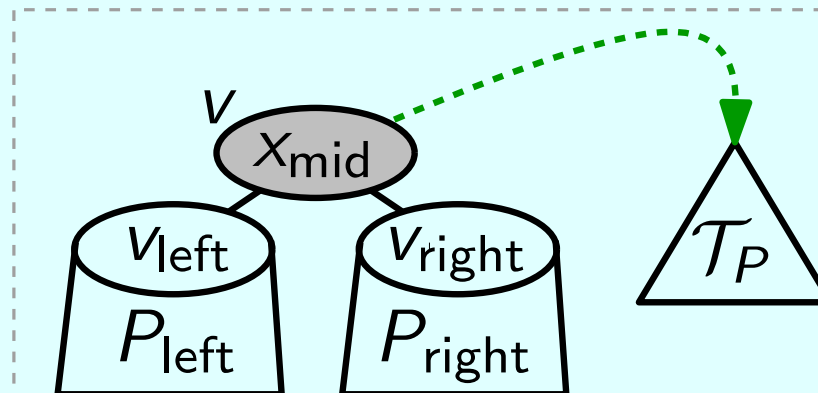
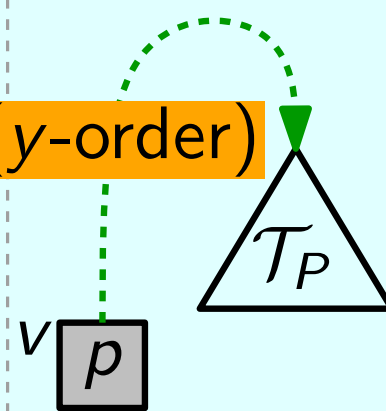
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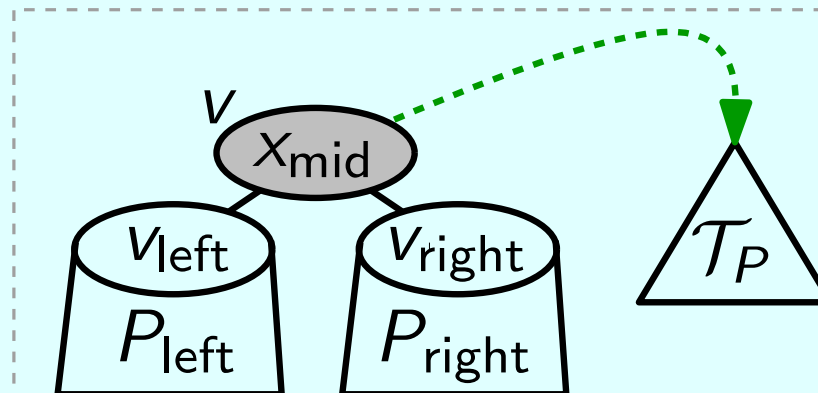
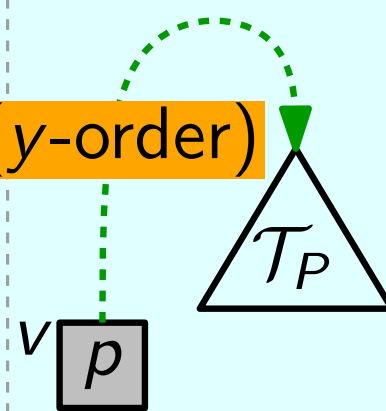
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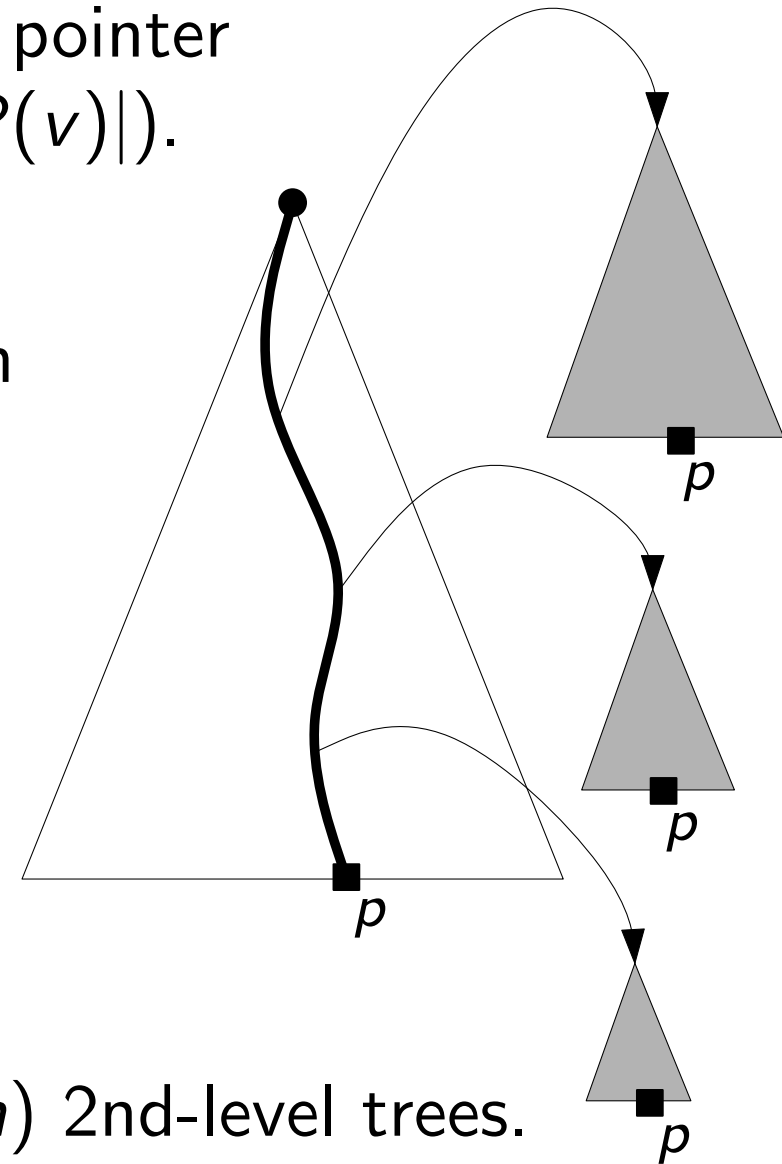
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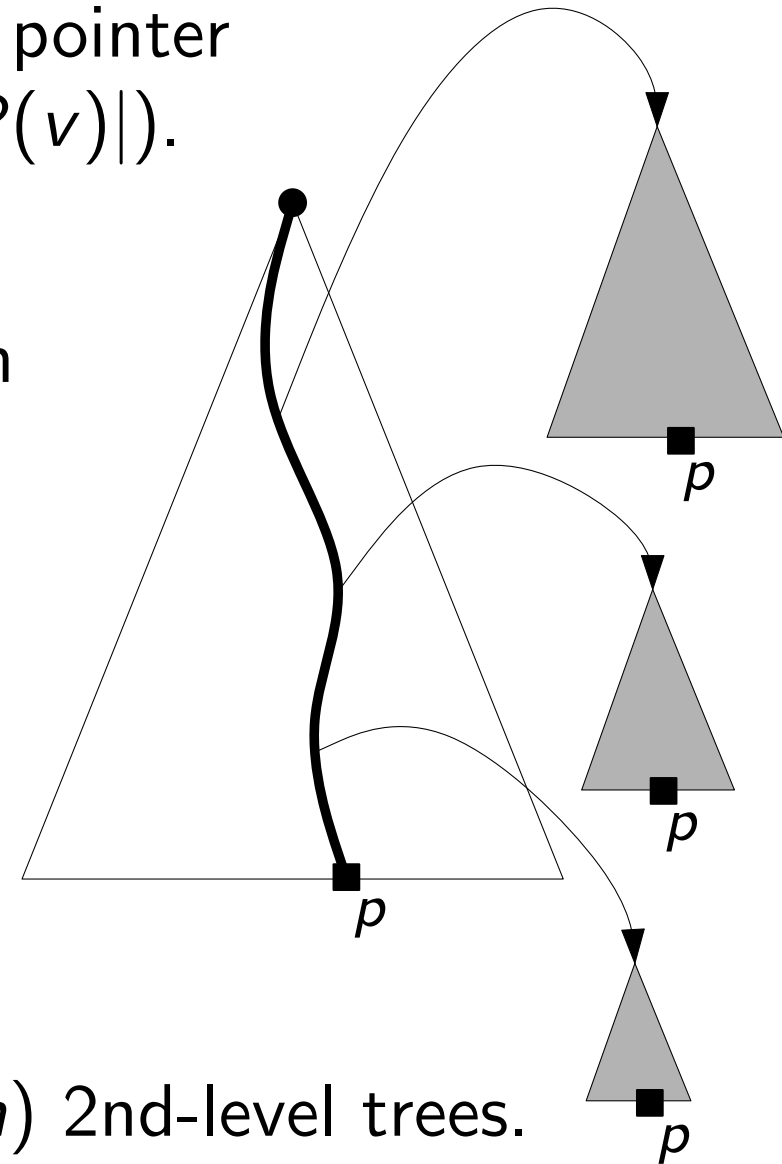
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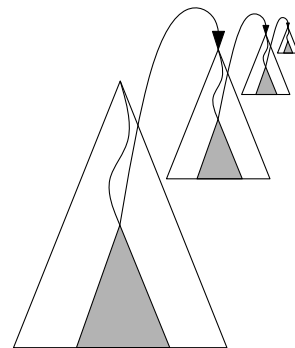
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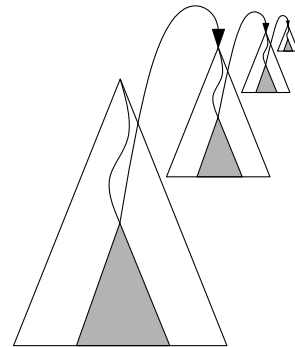
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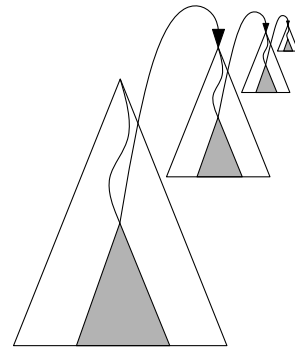
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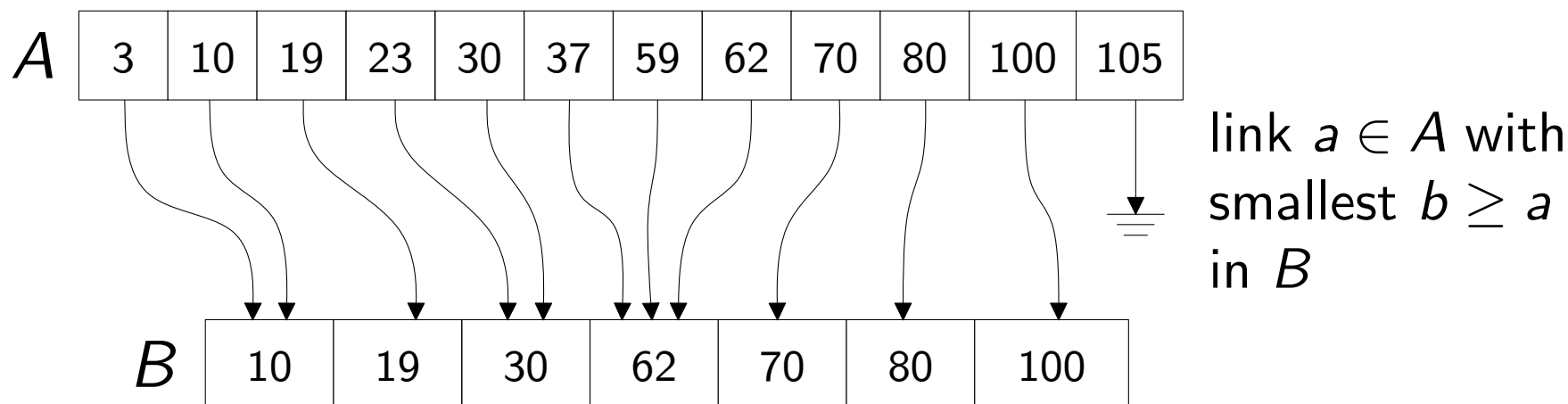
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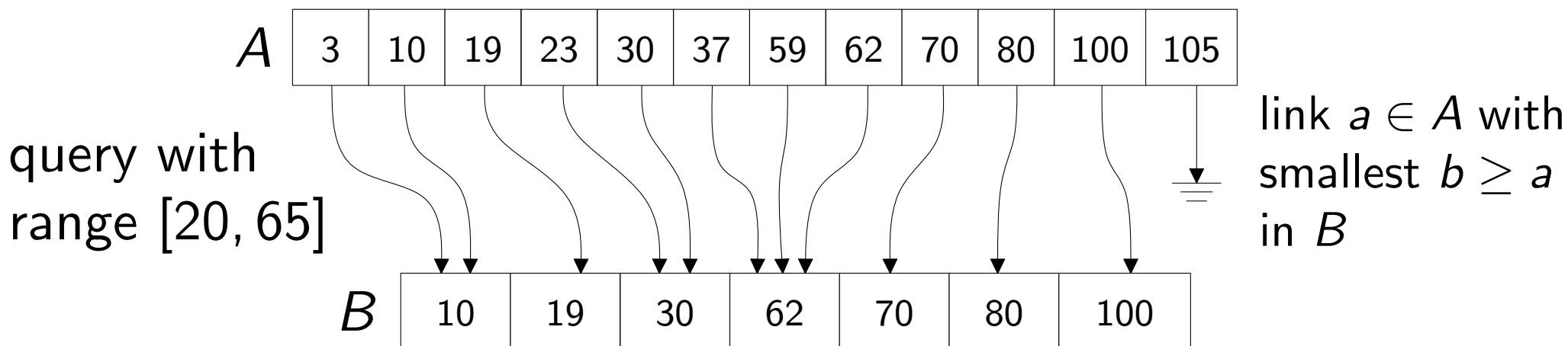


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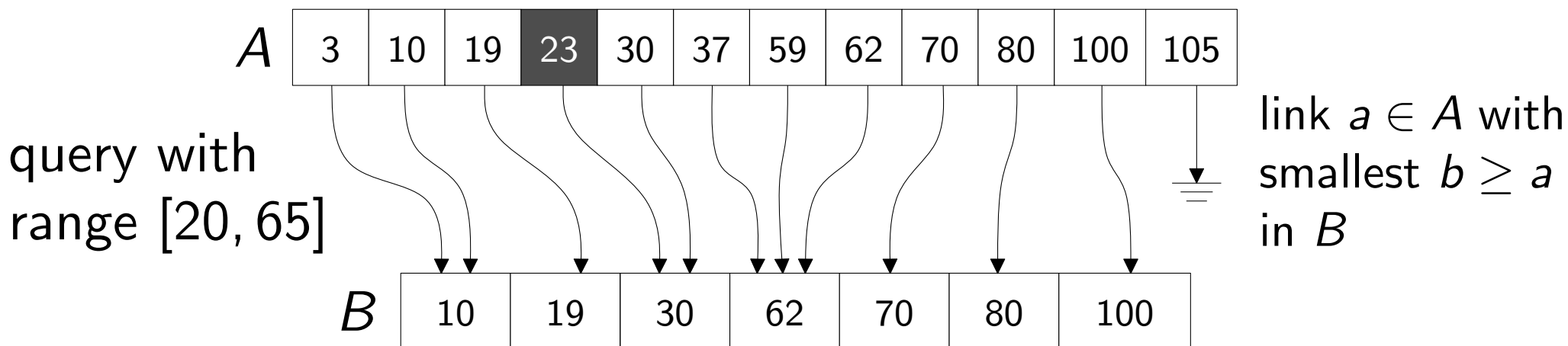


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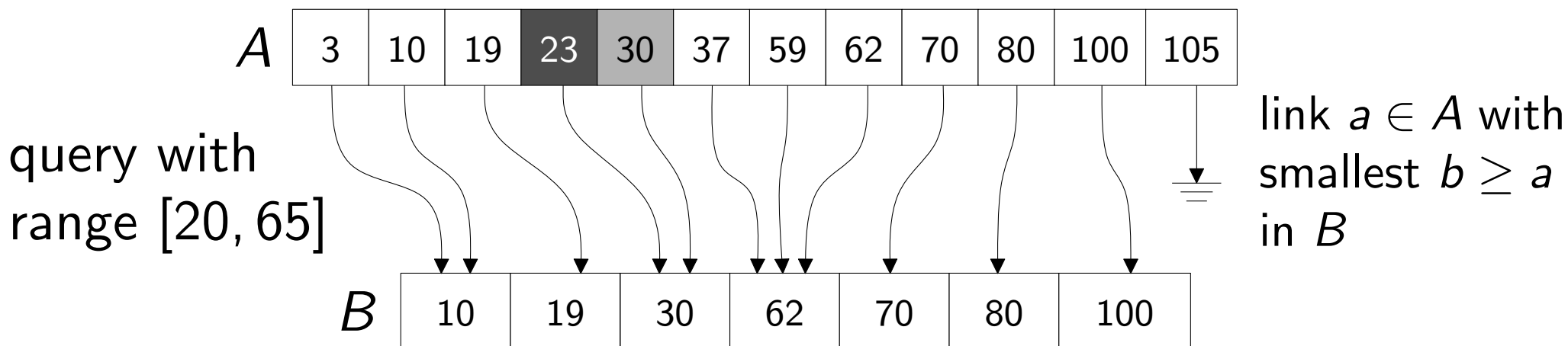


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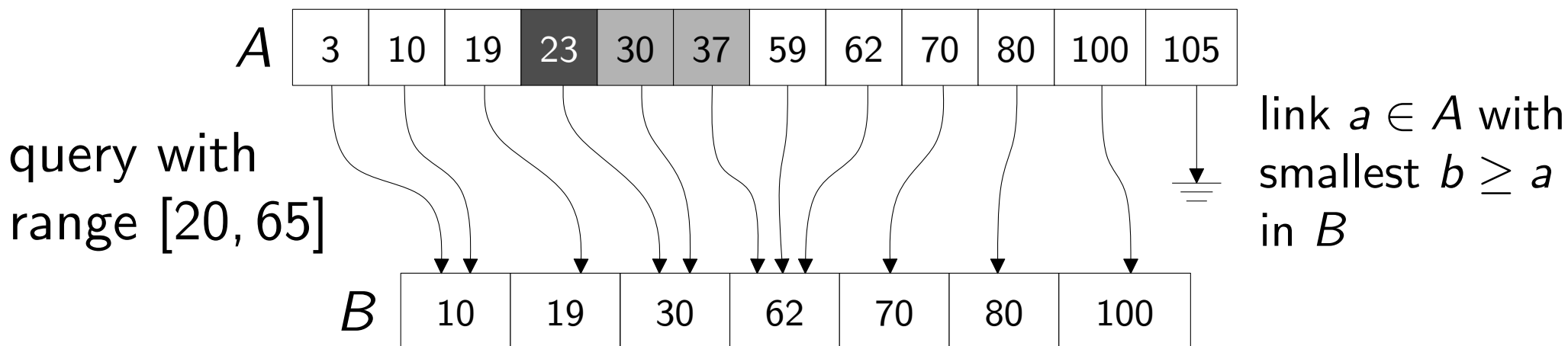


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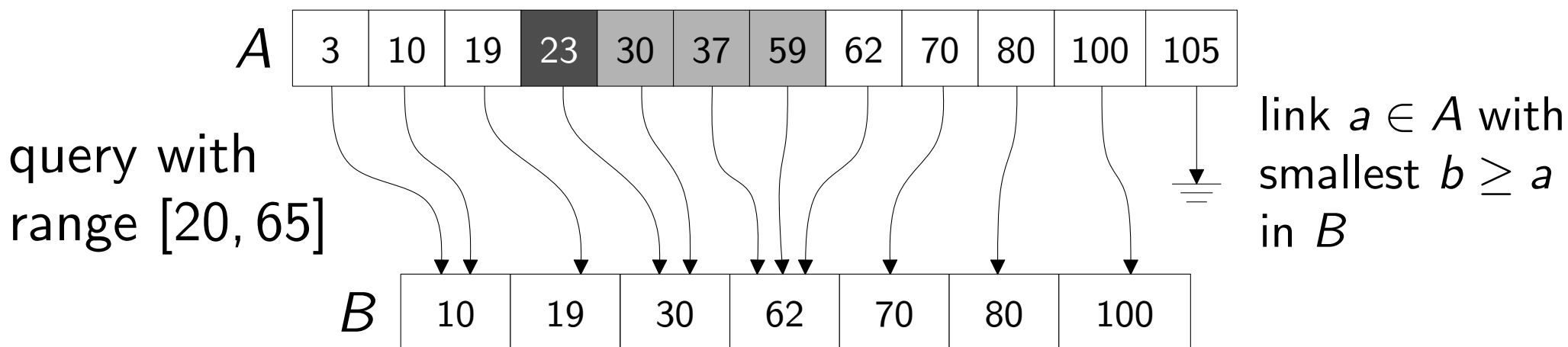


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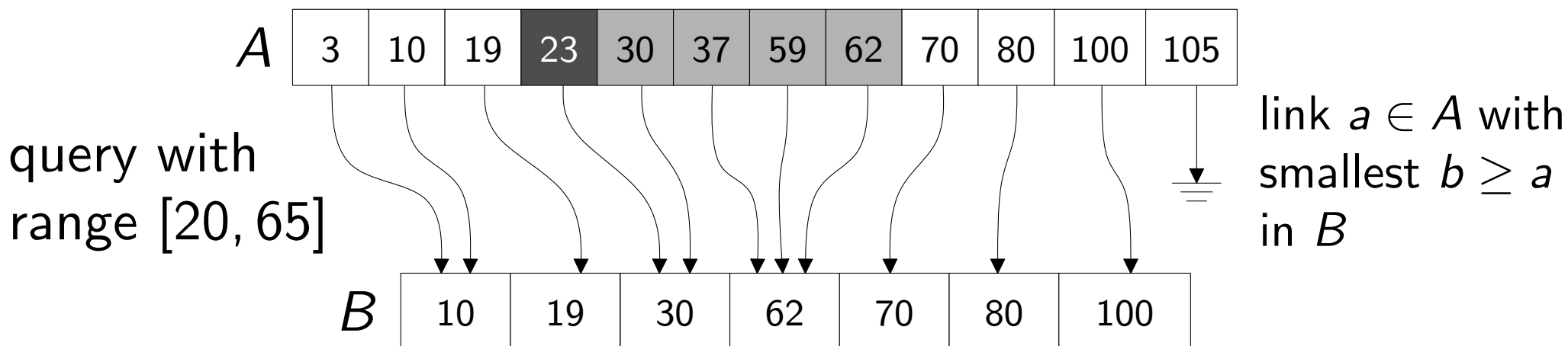


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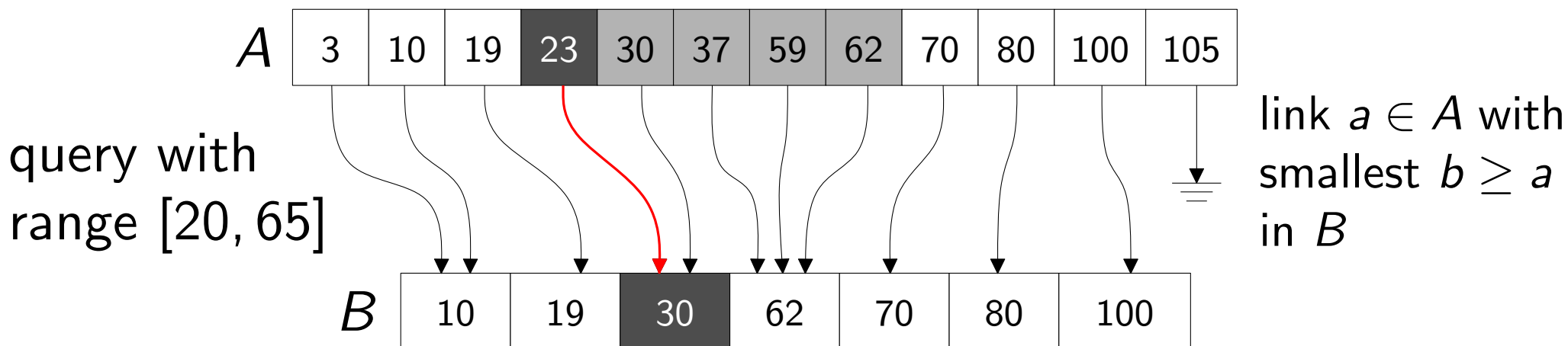


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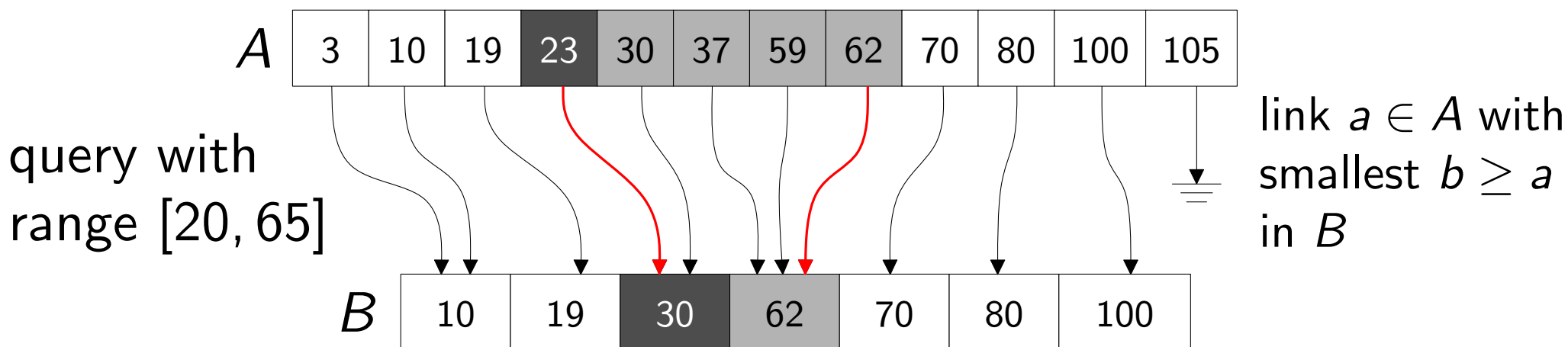


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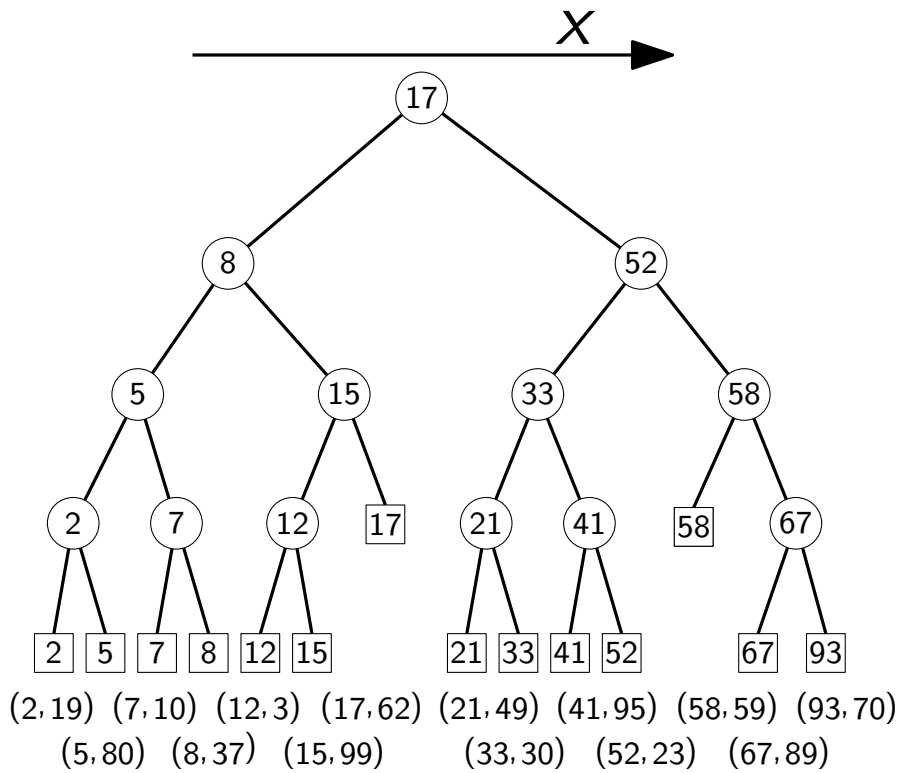
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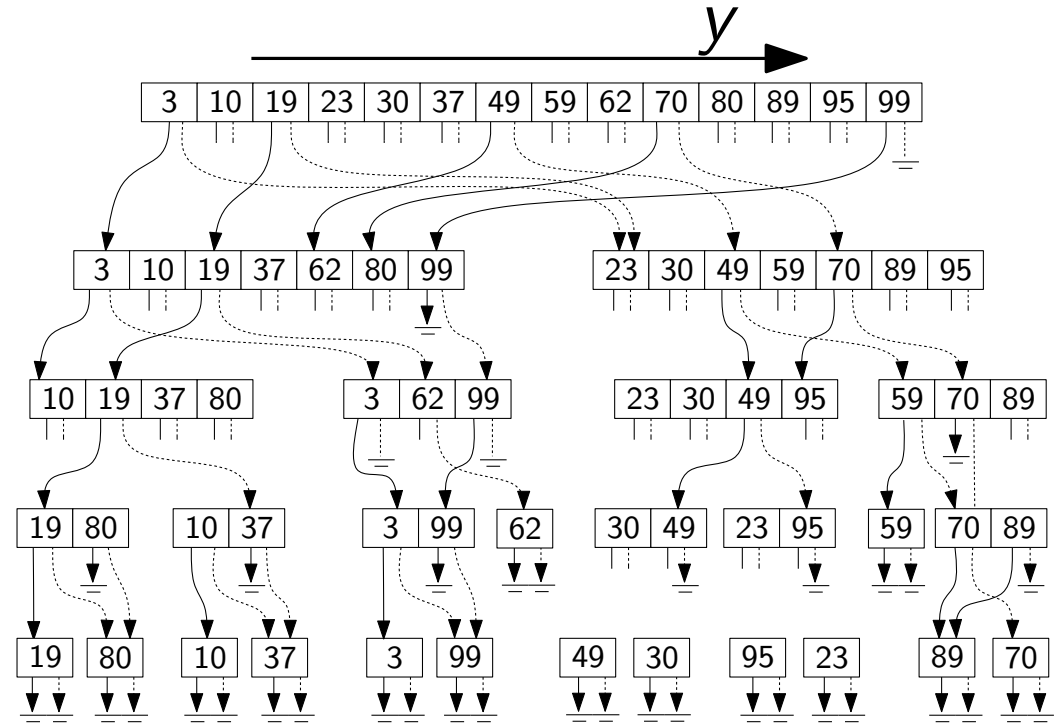
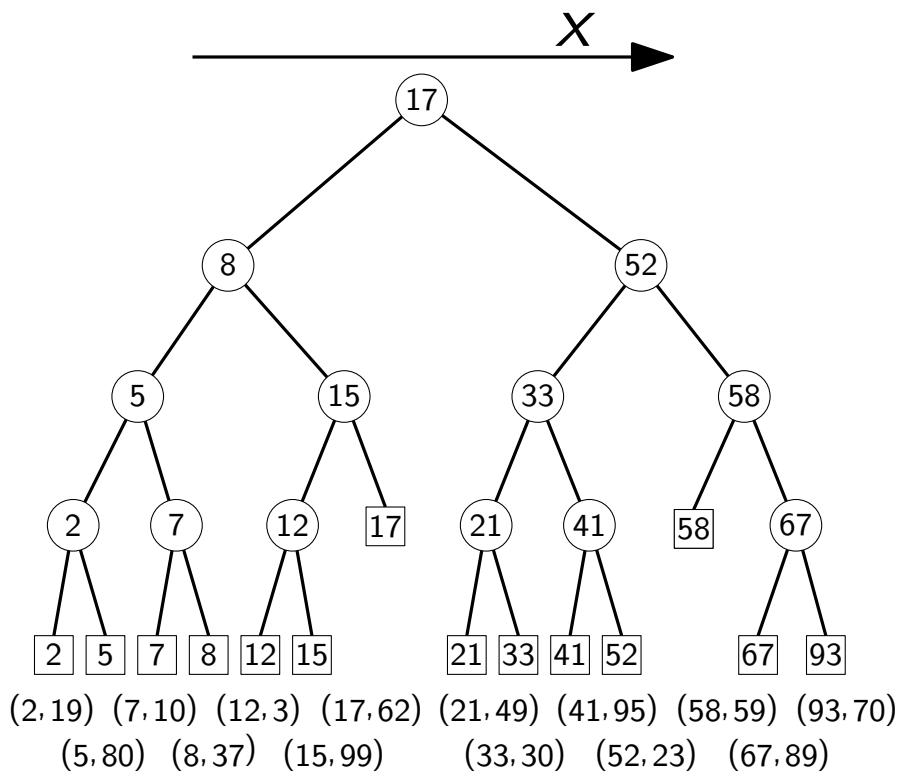
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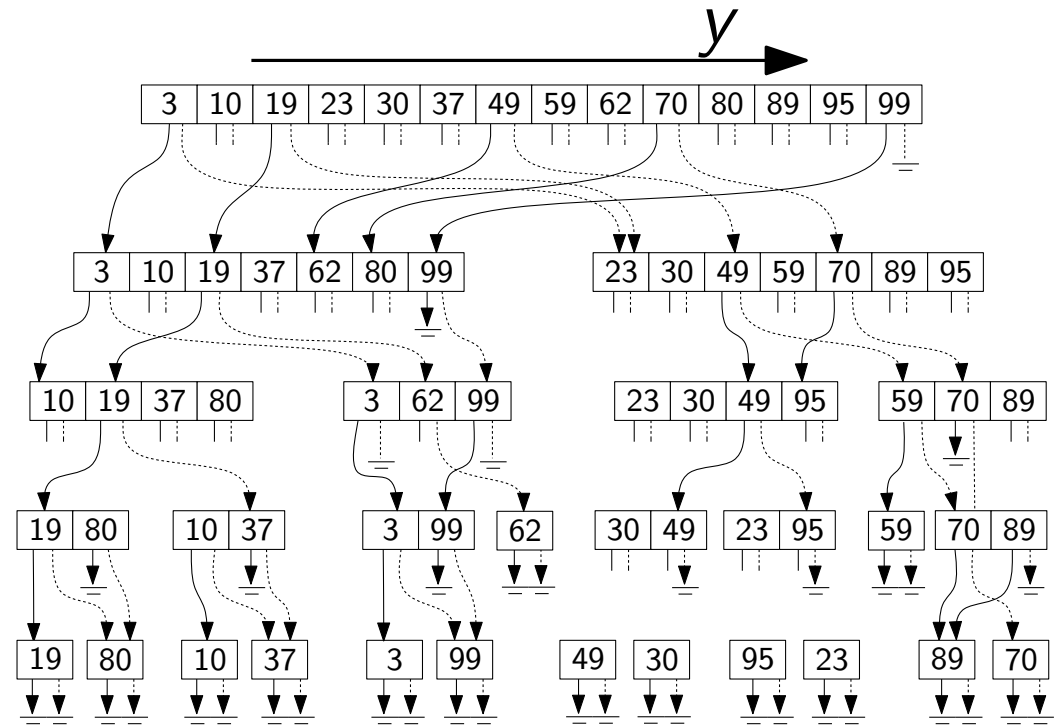
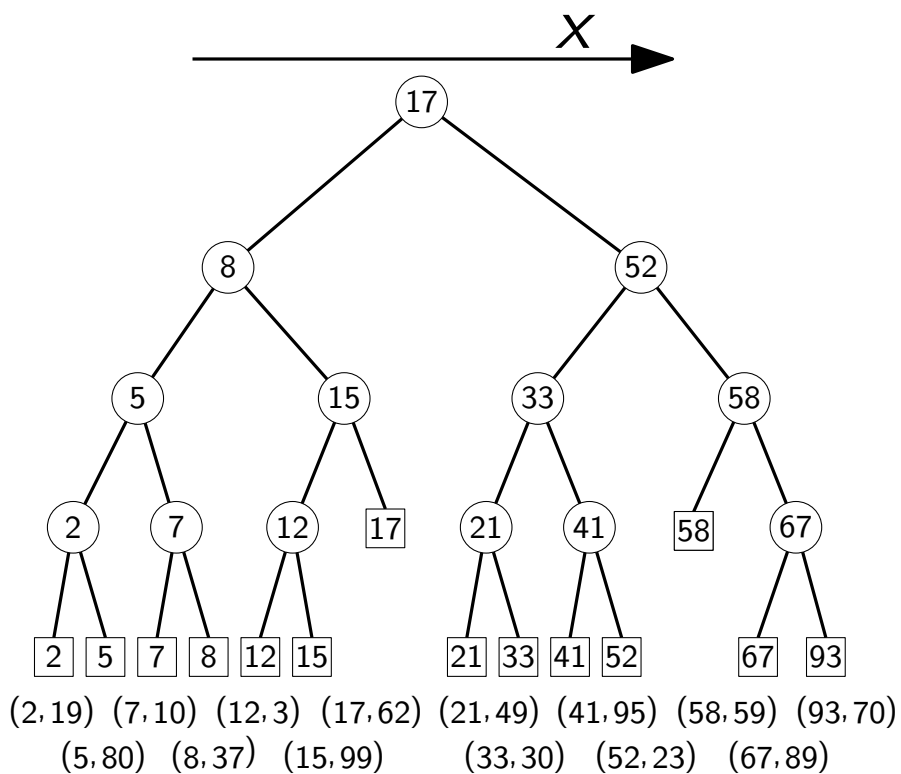
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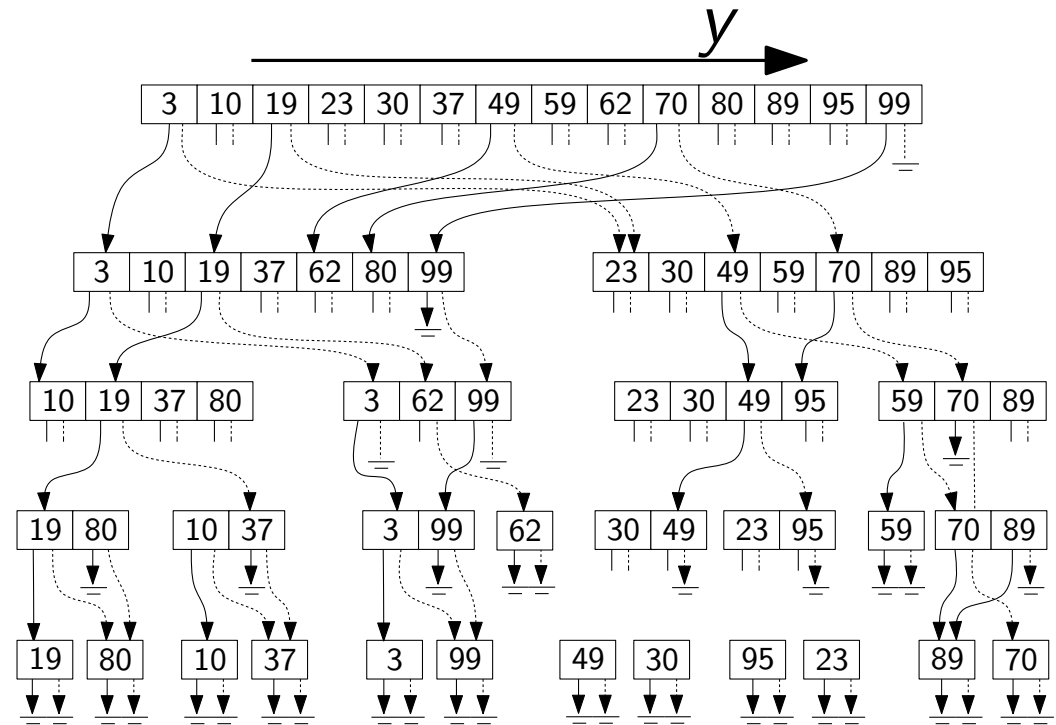
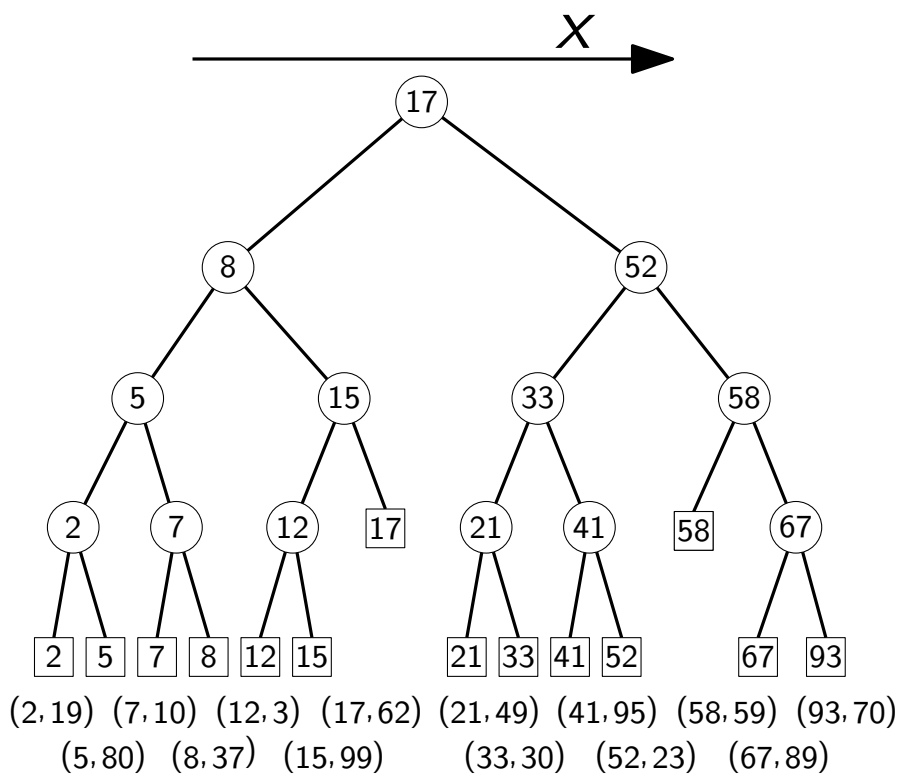
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