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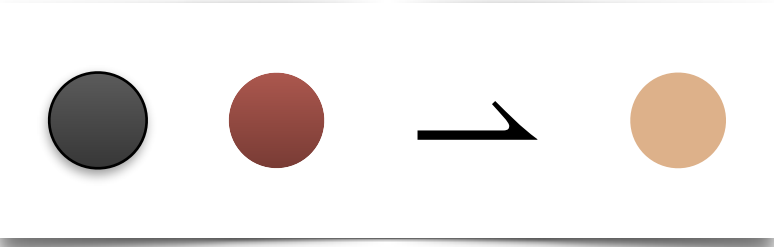


## Tracelet Hopf algebras and decomposition spaces

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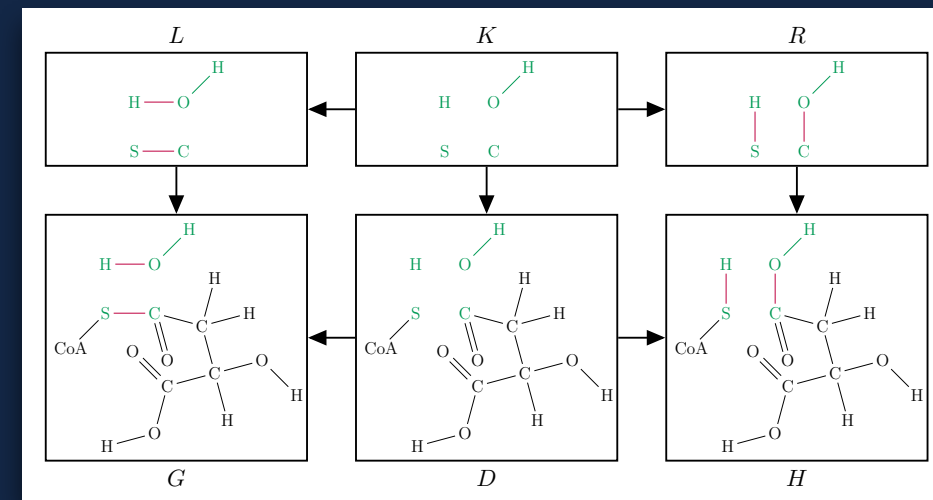
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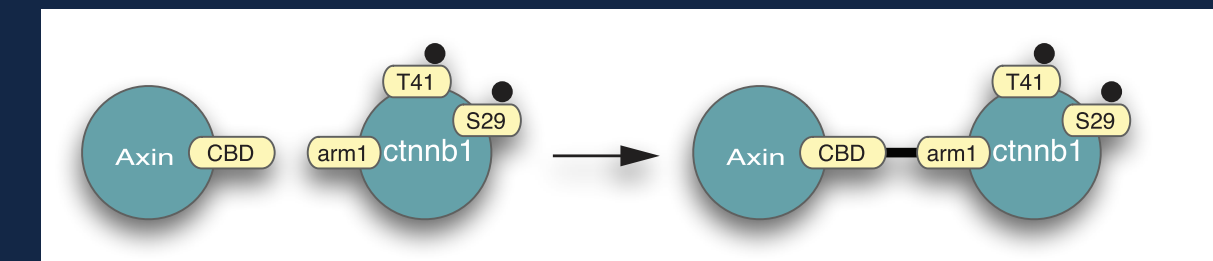
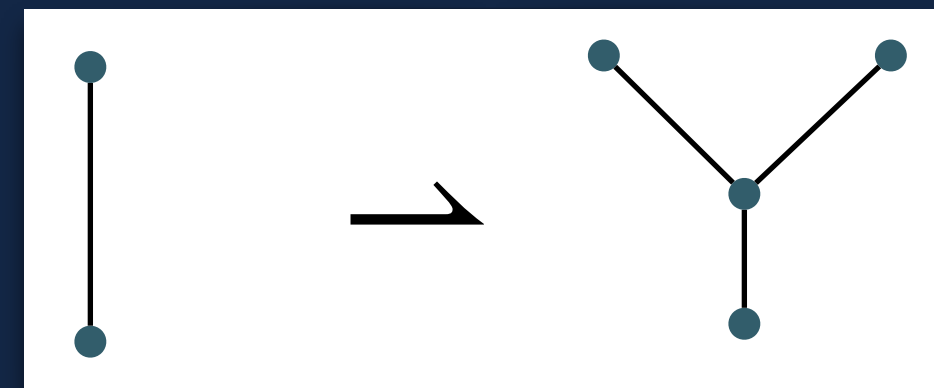


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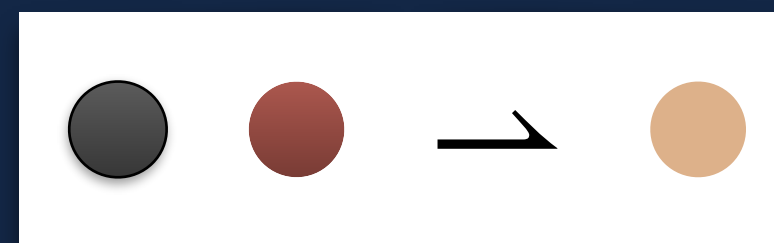
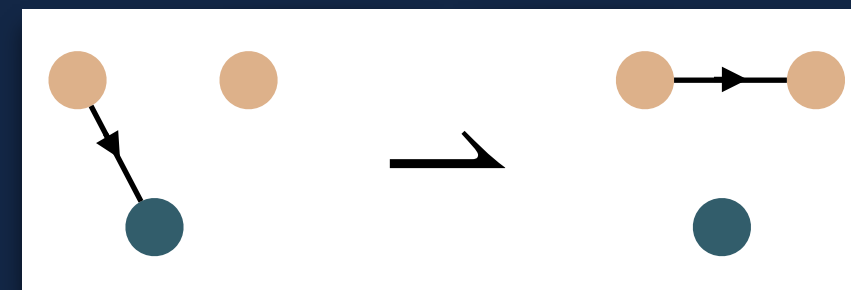
- **semantics** and **stochastic rewriting theory**
- **concurrency theory**
- **algorithms** for **bio-** and **organo-chemistry**



organic chemistry



biochemistry



**MATHEMATICAL PHYSICS**

- continuous-time Markov chains (CTMCS)
- statistical mechanics

**MATHEMATICS**

- enumerative/algebraic combinatorics
- theory of **M-adhesive categories**

# Plan of the talk

1. Discrete rewriting and diagram Hopf Algebras
2. Categorical rewriting theory
3. From rewriting to tracelets
4. Tracelet decomposition spaces
5. Tracelet Hopf algebras

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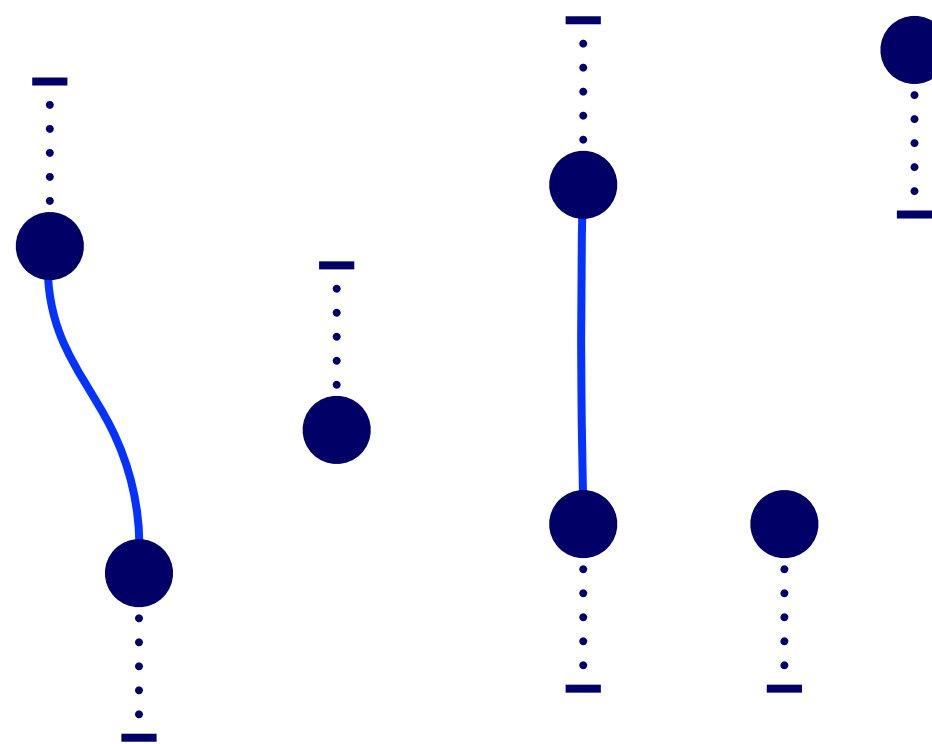
## Generic diagrams:

$$d = [(O, I, m)]_{\sim}$$

$O$  — set of **output** vertices

$I$  — set of **input** vertices

$m \subseteq O \times I$  — (one-to-one) binary relation



$$(O, I, m) \sim (O', I', m') \quad :\Leftrightarrow \quad \exists (\omega : O \xrightarrow{\cong} O'), (l : I \xrightarrow{\cong} I') : ((o, i) \in m \Leftrightarrow (\omega(o), l(i)) \in m')$$

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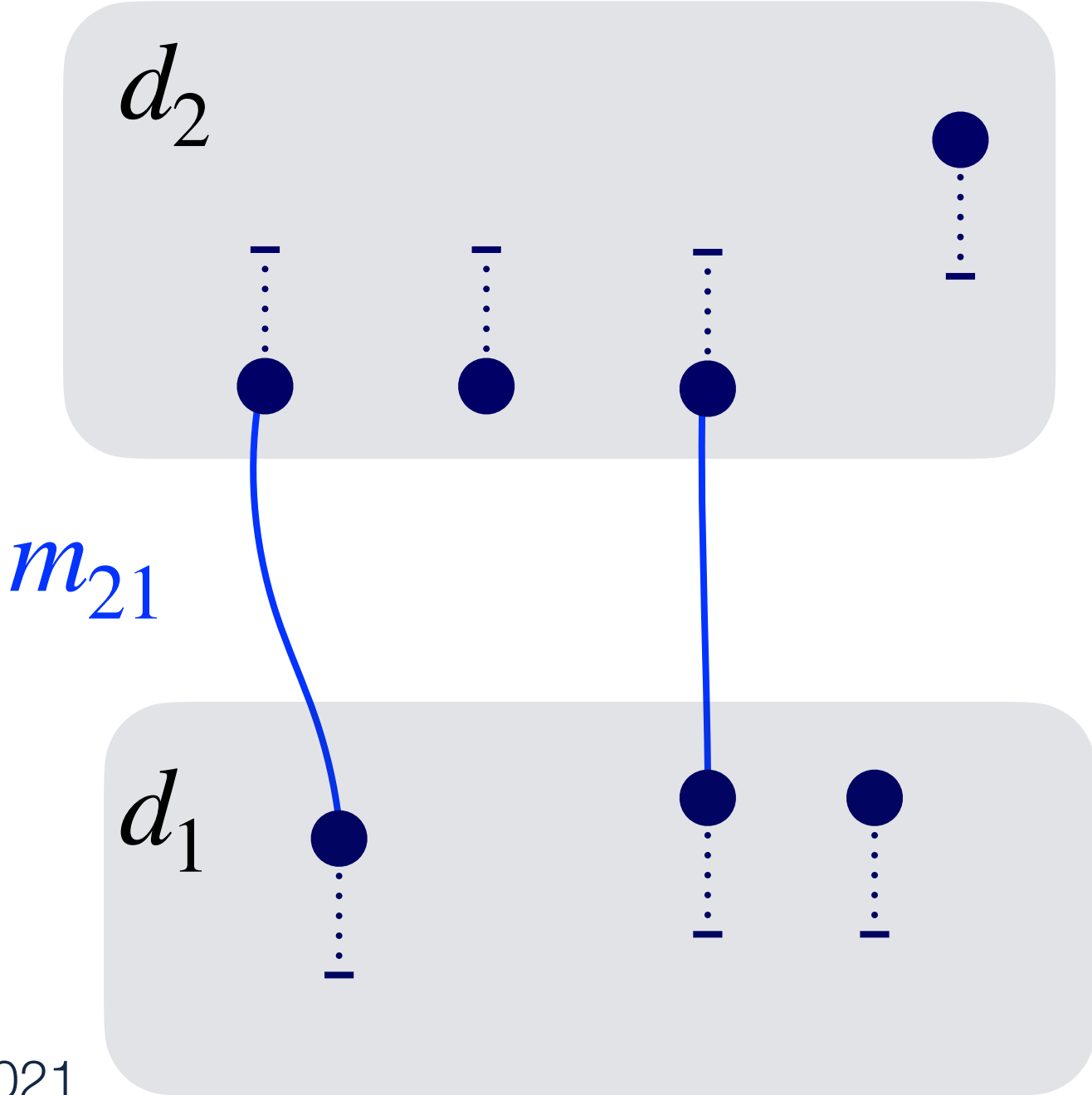
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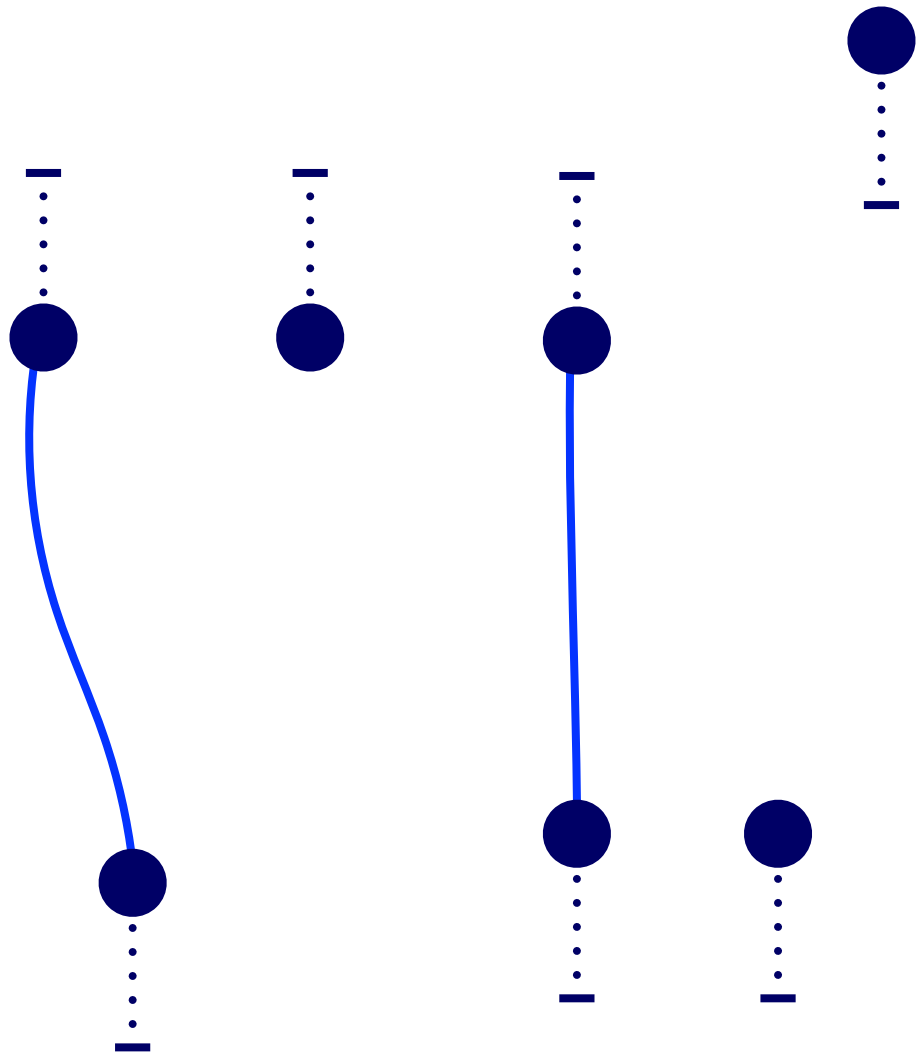
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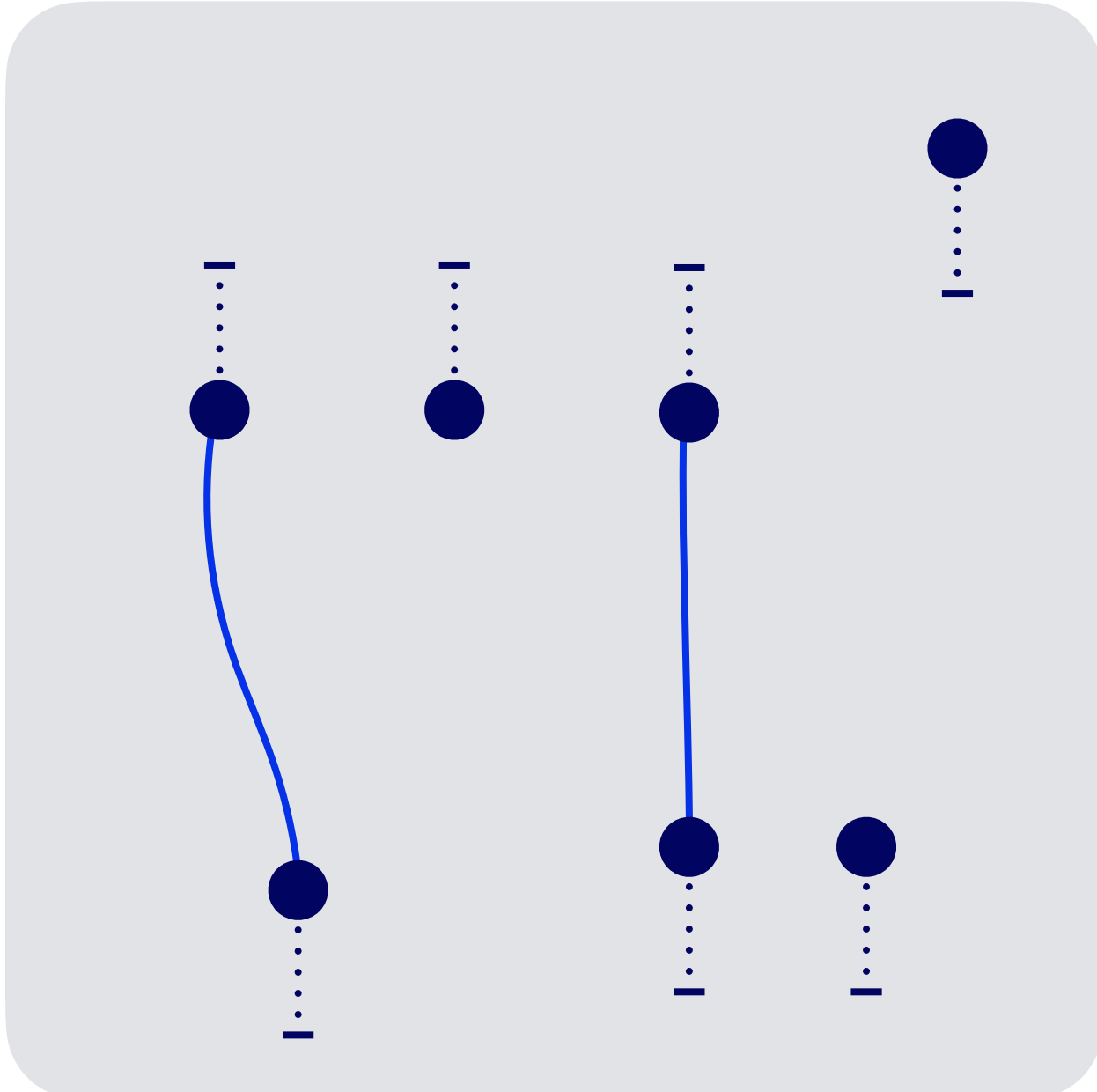
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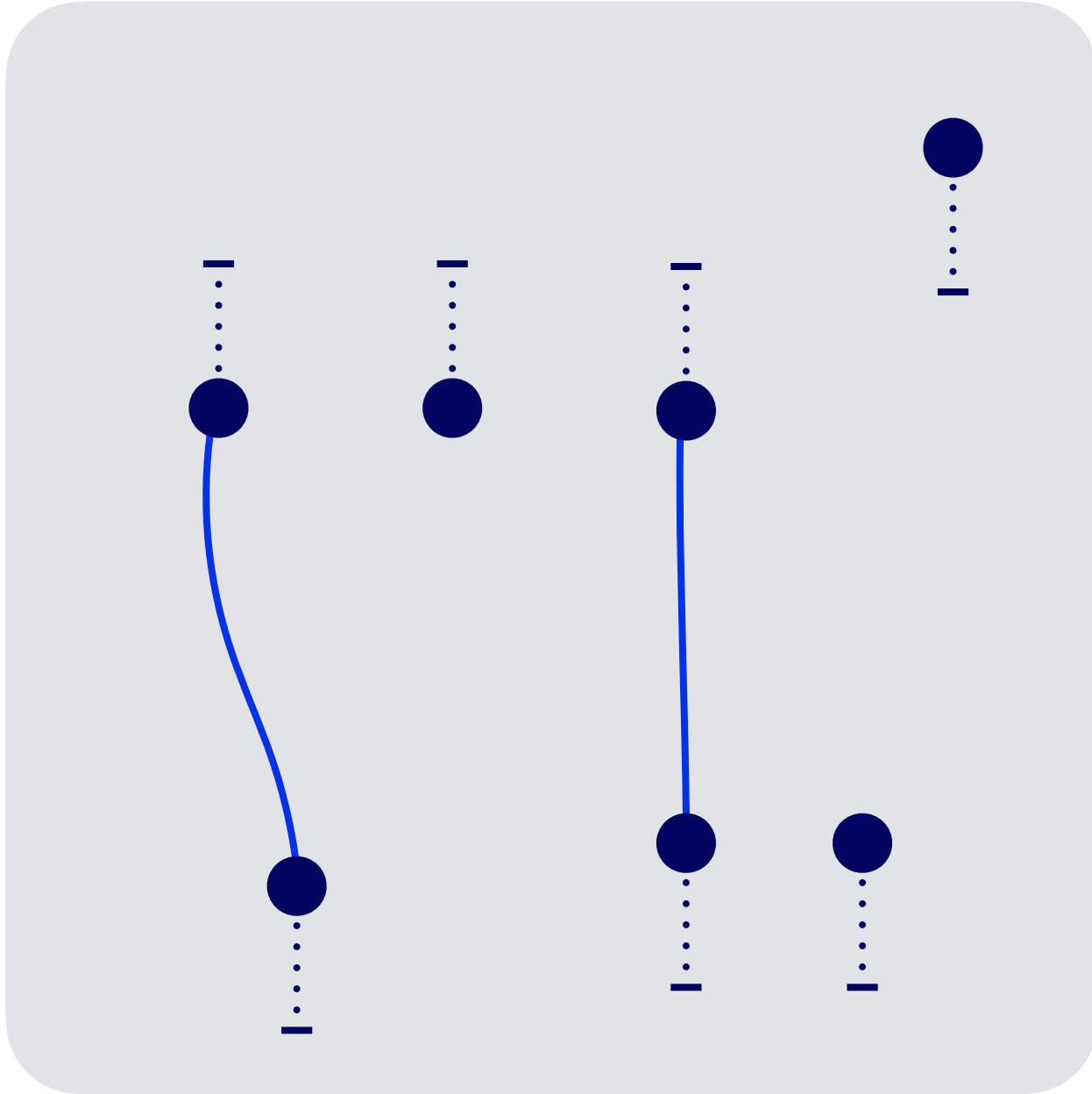
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**Theorem**

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$\Rightarrow$  every equivalence class  $d$  may be completely characterized by its “**connected components**”, in the sense that

$$\forall d \in D : \exists k, \ell, m \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0} : d = d_{k, \ell, m}, \quad d_{k, \ell, m} := v^{\dagger \uplus k} \uplus v^{\uplus \ell} \uplus e^{\uplus m}$$

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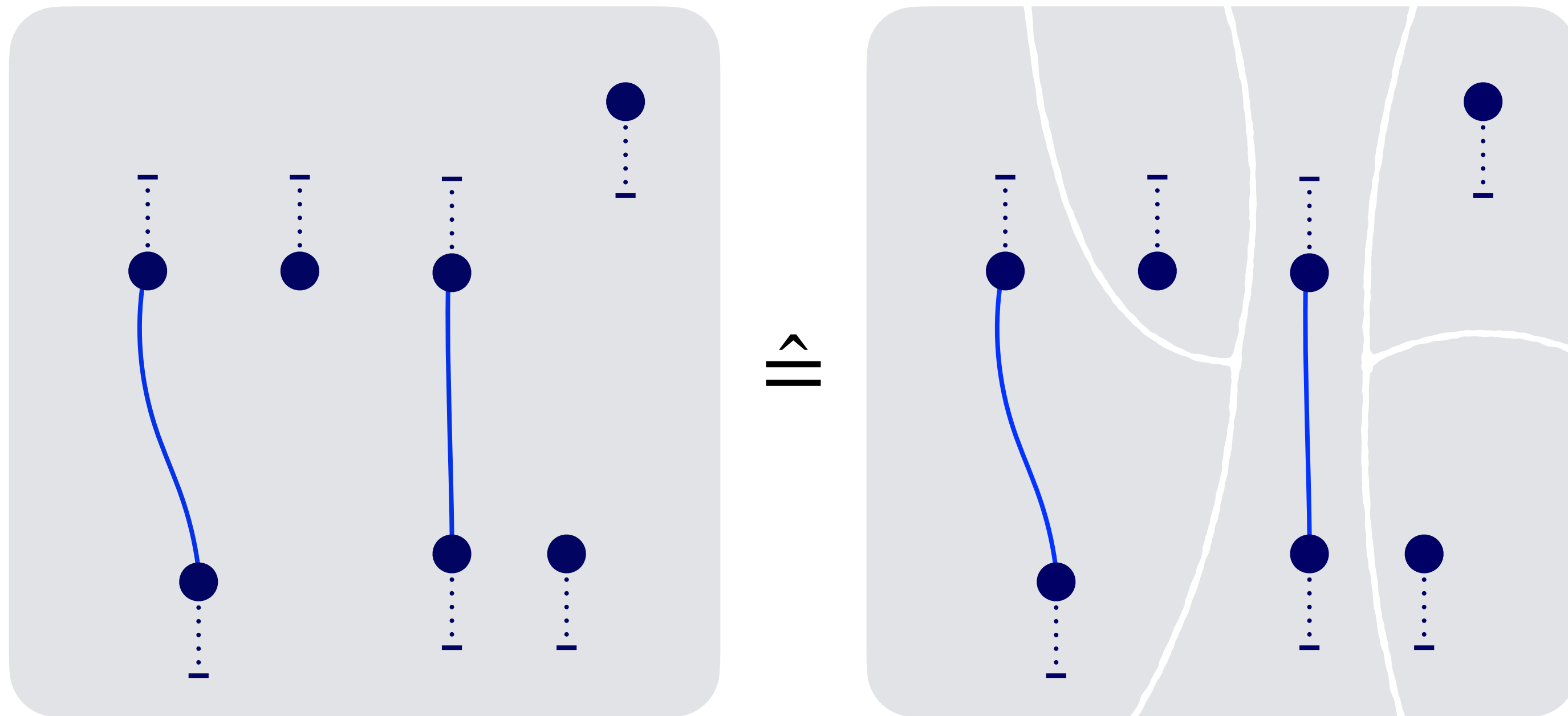
## Theorem [Behr et al. 2016]

There exists a **isomorphism of algebras**  $(\mathcal{D}, *_{\mathcal{D}}) \xrightarrow[\cong]{\varphi} \mathcal{U}(\mathcal{L}_{\mathcal{D}})$ , defined via  $\varphi(\delta(d_{k,\ell,m})) = U_{k,\ell,m}$ .

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**Interesting fact:** the universal enveloping algebra  $\mathcal{U}(\mathcal{L}_{\mathcal{D}})$  is a (non-commutative, co-commutative) **Hopf algebra**.

$\Rightarrow$  one may verify that the isomorphism  $\varphi$  extends to a **Hopf-algebra isomorphism** !



## Coproduct of the diagram algebra

$$\delta(d) = \delta\left(\bigsqcup_{x \in X} d_x\right) \quad (d_x \in \{v^\dagger, v, e\})$$

$$\delta\left(\bigsqcup_{x \in \emptyset} d_x\right) := \delta(d_\emptyset)$$

$$\Delta(\delta(d)) := \sum_{Y \subseteq X} \delta\left(\bigsqcup_{y \in Y} d_y\right) \otimes \delta\left(\bigsqcup_{z \in X \setminus Y} d_z\right)$$

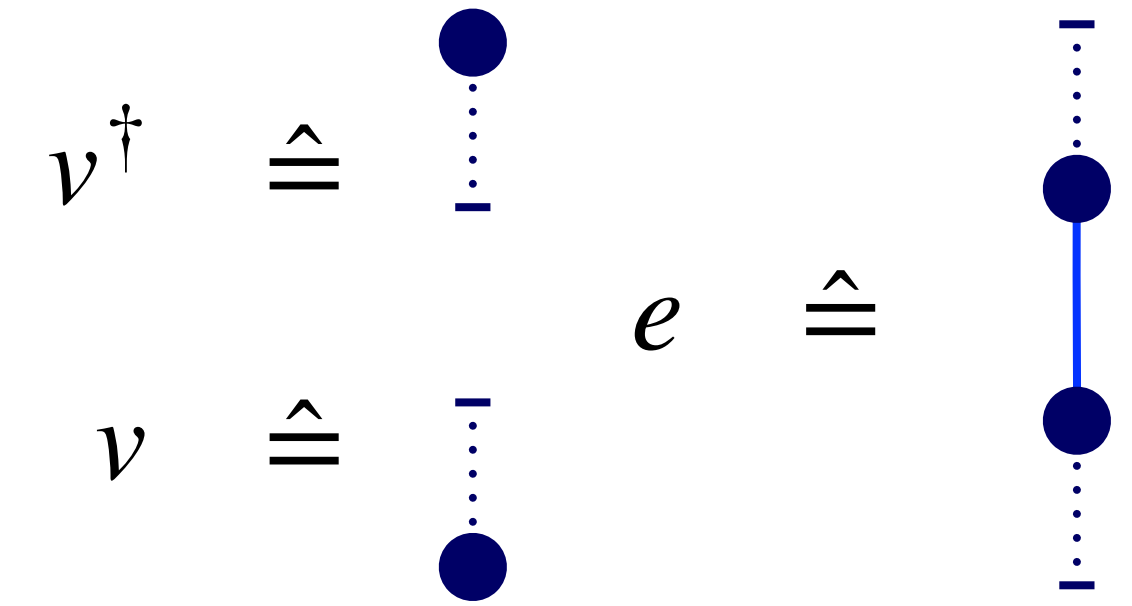
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$(\mathcal{D}, *_{\mathcal{D}}, \Delta)$  is a **Hopf algebra**, with **unit**  $\eta : \mathbb{K} \rightarrow \mathcal{D} : 1_{\mathbb{K}} \mapsto \delta(d_\emptyset)$  and **counit**  $\epsilon : \mathcal{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{K} : \delta(d) \mapsto \delta_{d, d_\emptyset}$

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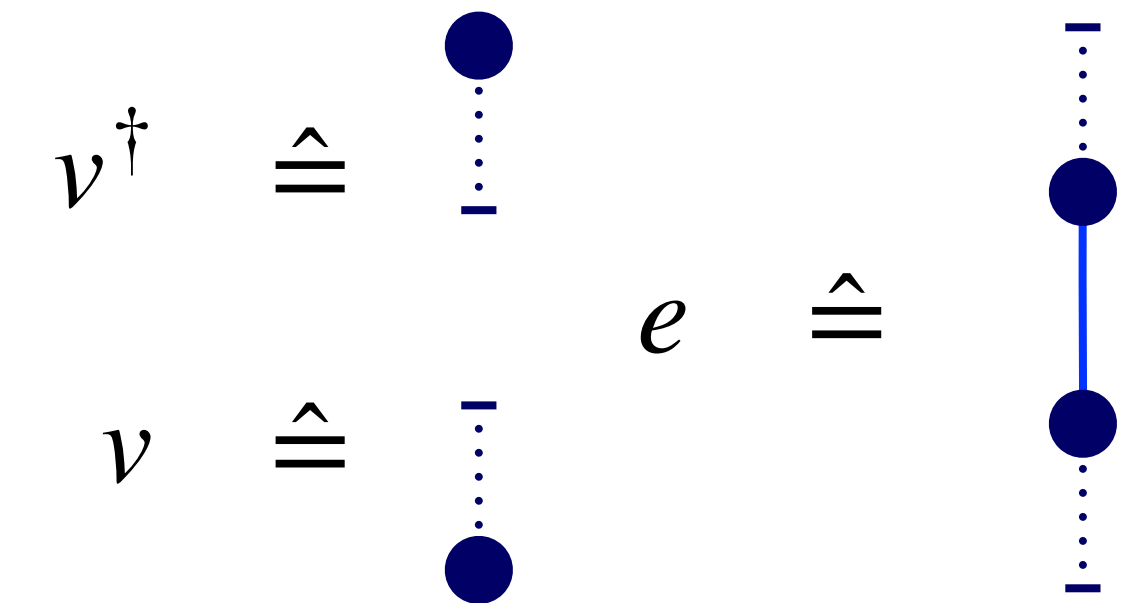
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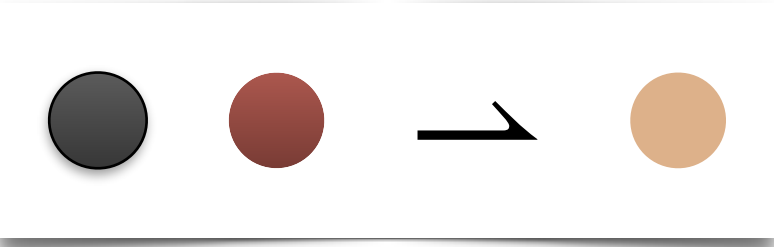
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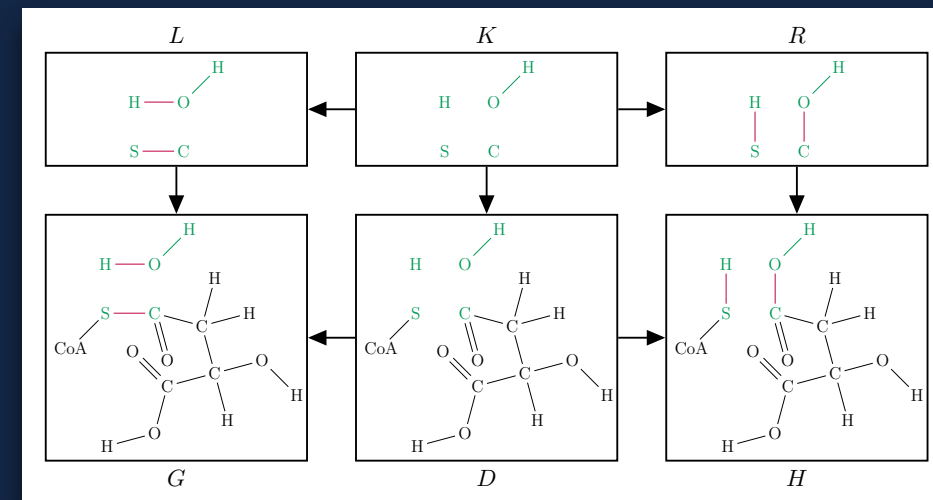
$$\delta(d_{k_2,\ell_2,m_2}) *_{\mathcal{D}} \delta(d_{k_1,\ell_1,m_1}) = \sum_{r \geq 0} \binom{\ell_2}{r} r! \binom{k_1}{r} \delta(d_{k_1+k_2-r,\ell_1+\ell_2-r,m_1+m_2+r})$$

# of ways to form  
 $r$  output-to-input “wirings”  
 (disregarding the order)

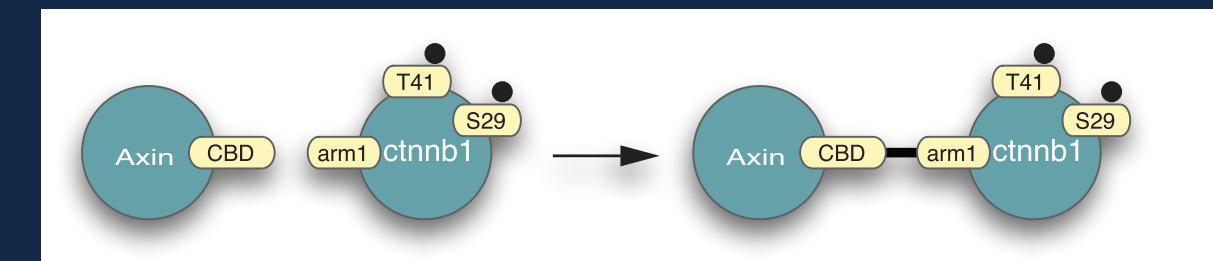
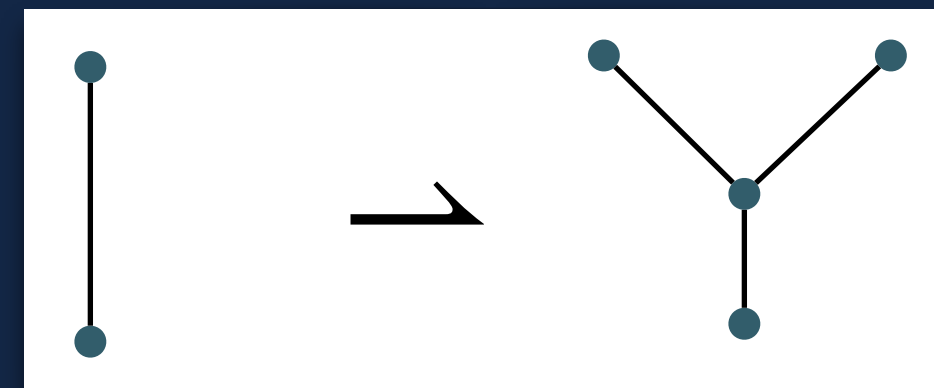


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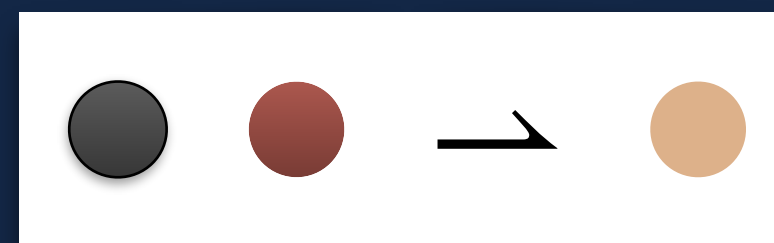
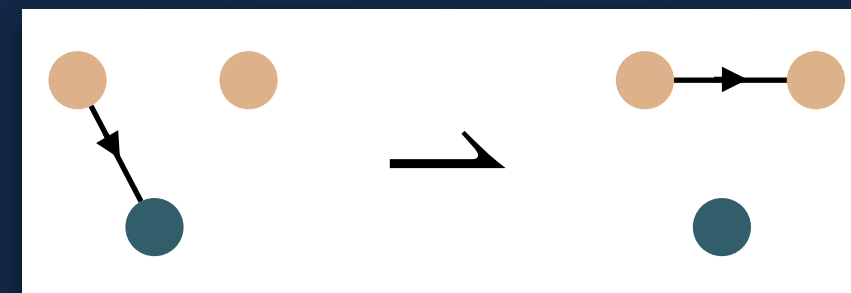
- **semantics** and **stochastic rewriting theory**
- **concurrency theory**
- **algorithms** for **bio-** and **organo-chemistry**



organic chemistry



biochemistry



**MATHEMATICAL PHYSICS**

- continuous-time Markov chains (CTMCS)
- statistical mechanics

**MATHEMATICS**

- enumerative/algebraic combinatorics
- theory of **M-adhesive categories**



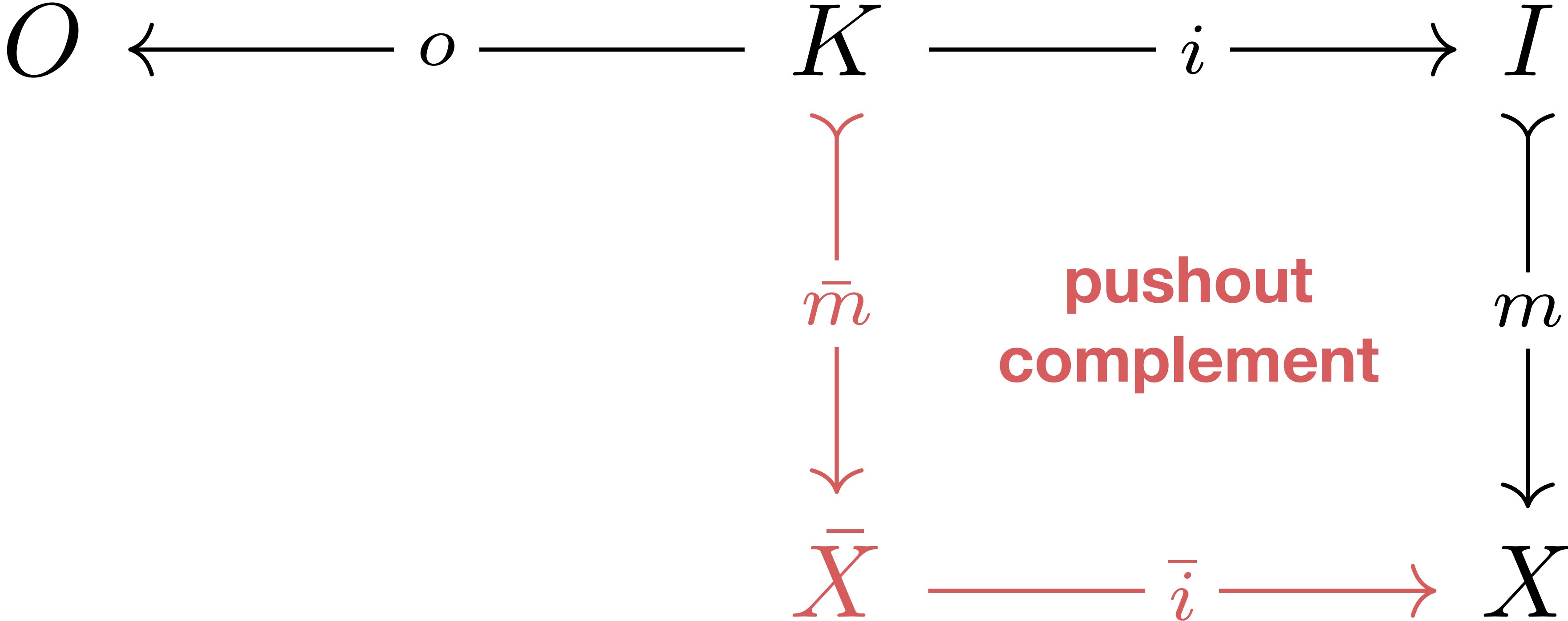
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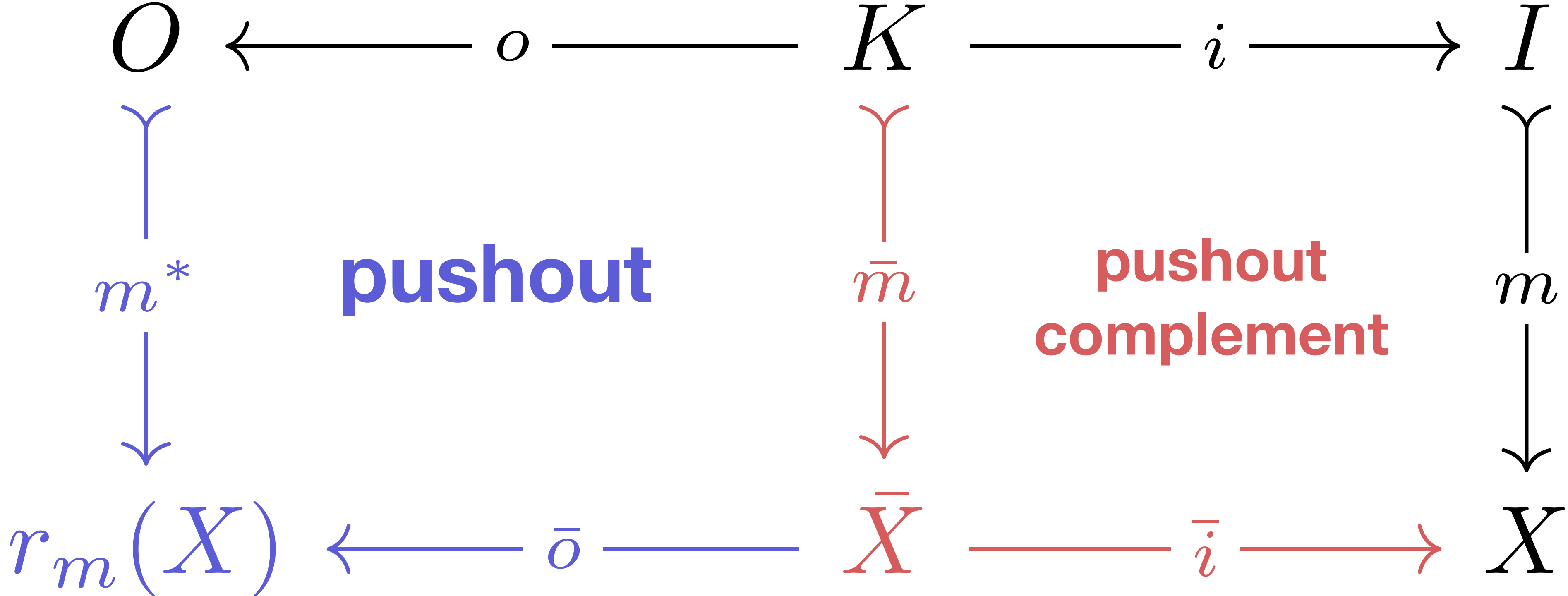
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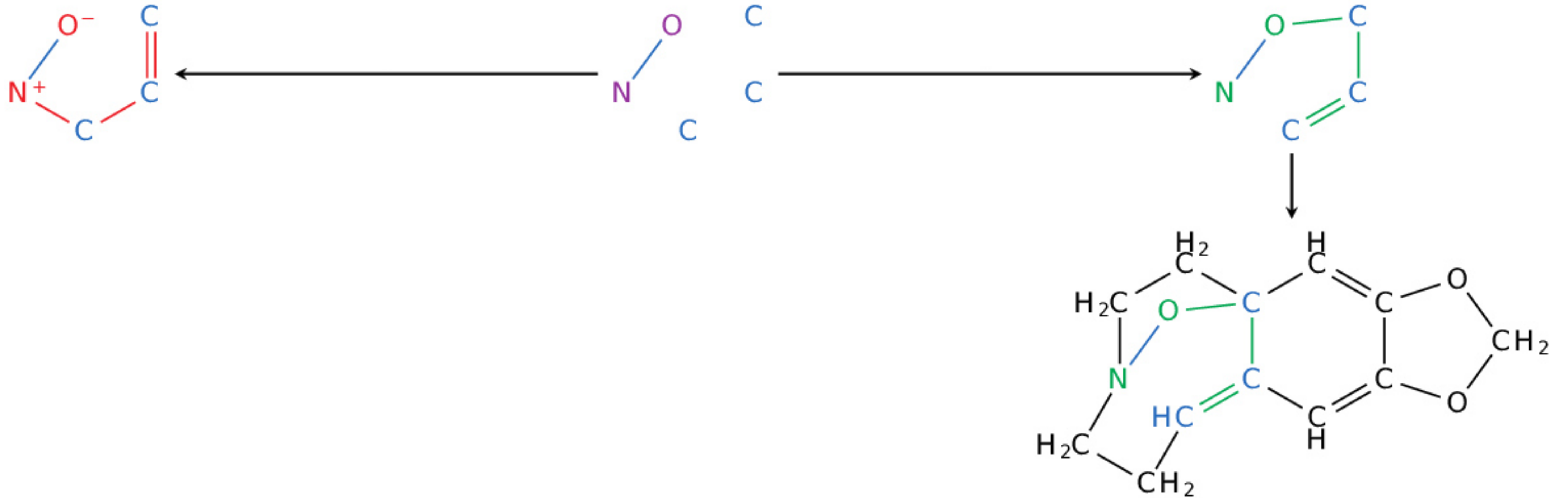
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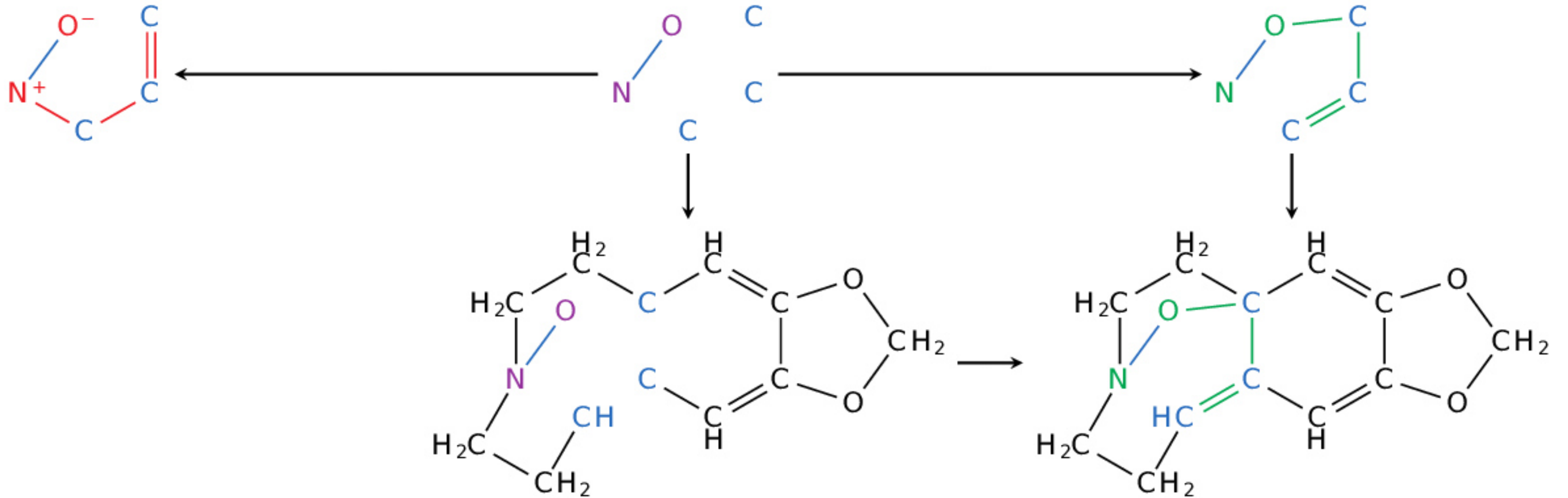


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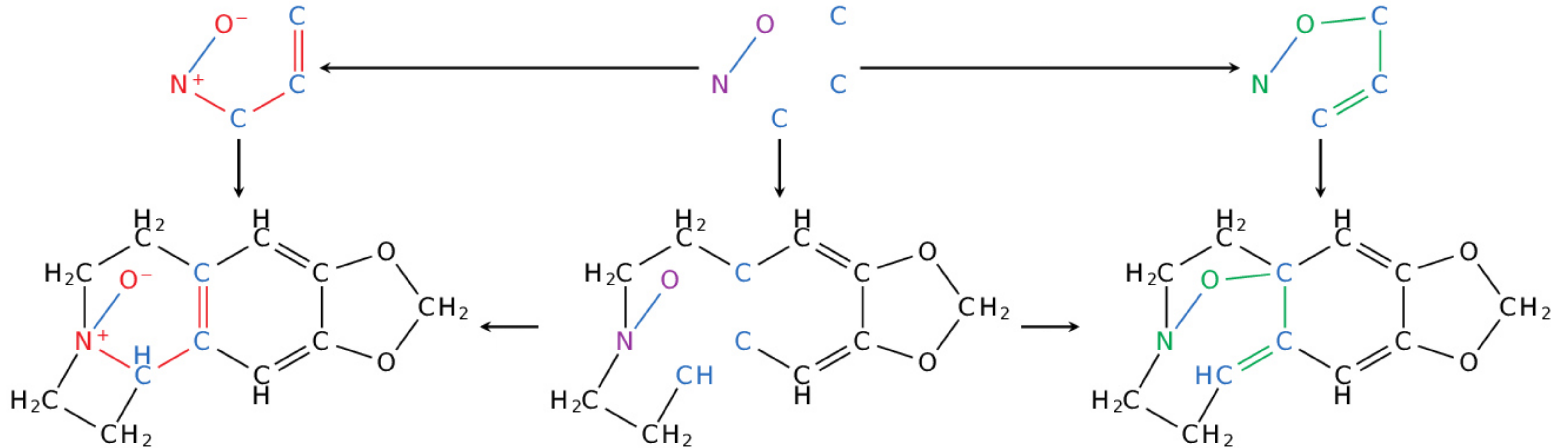
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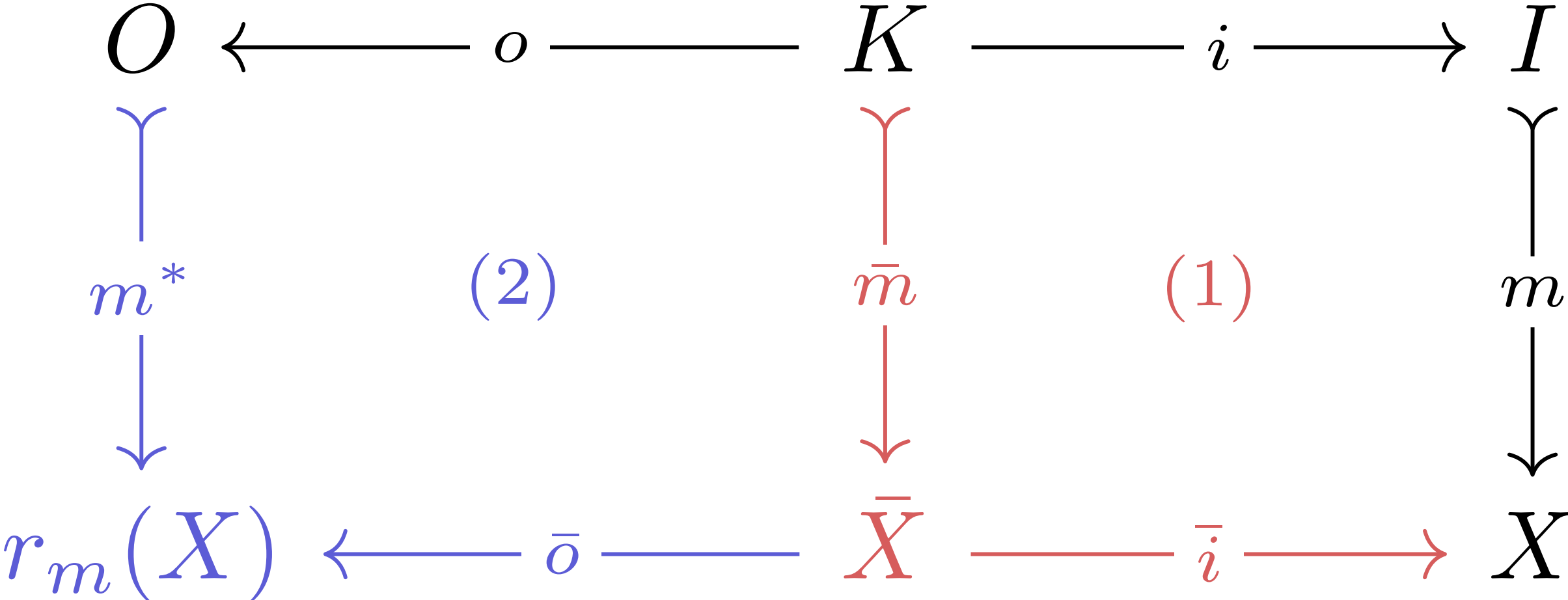
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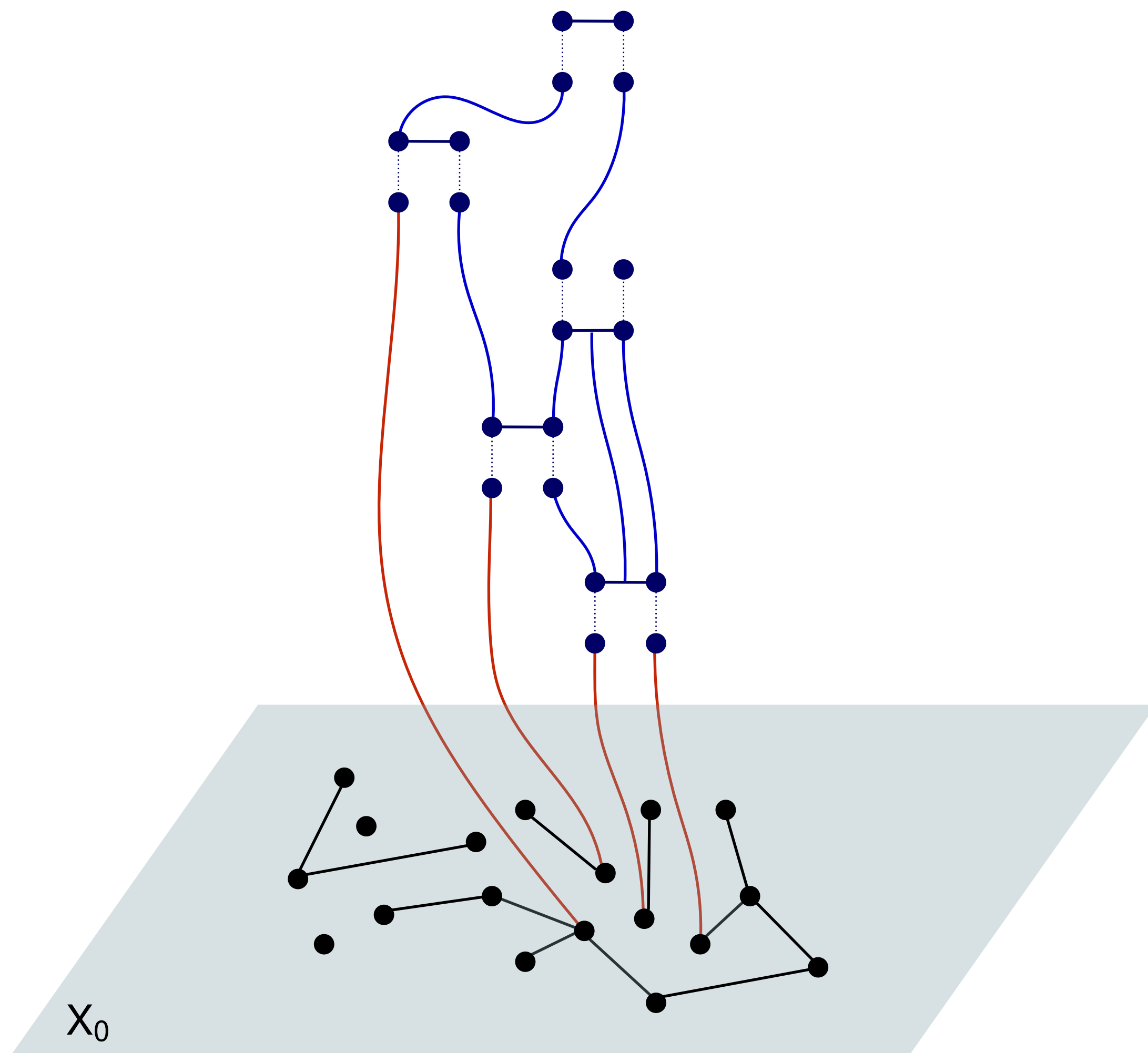
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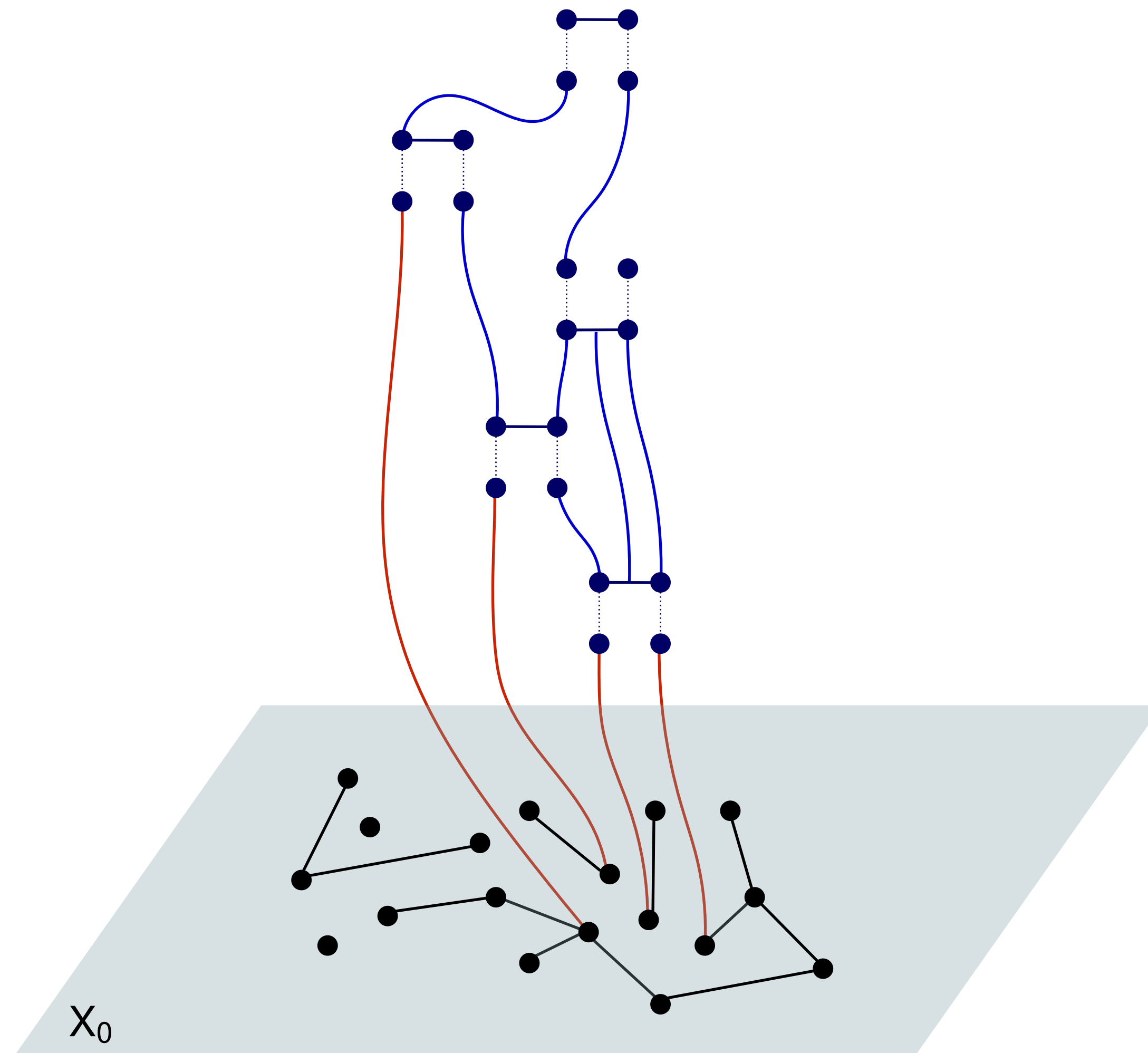
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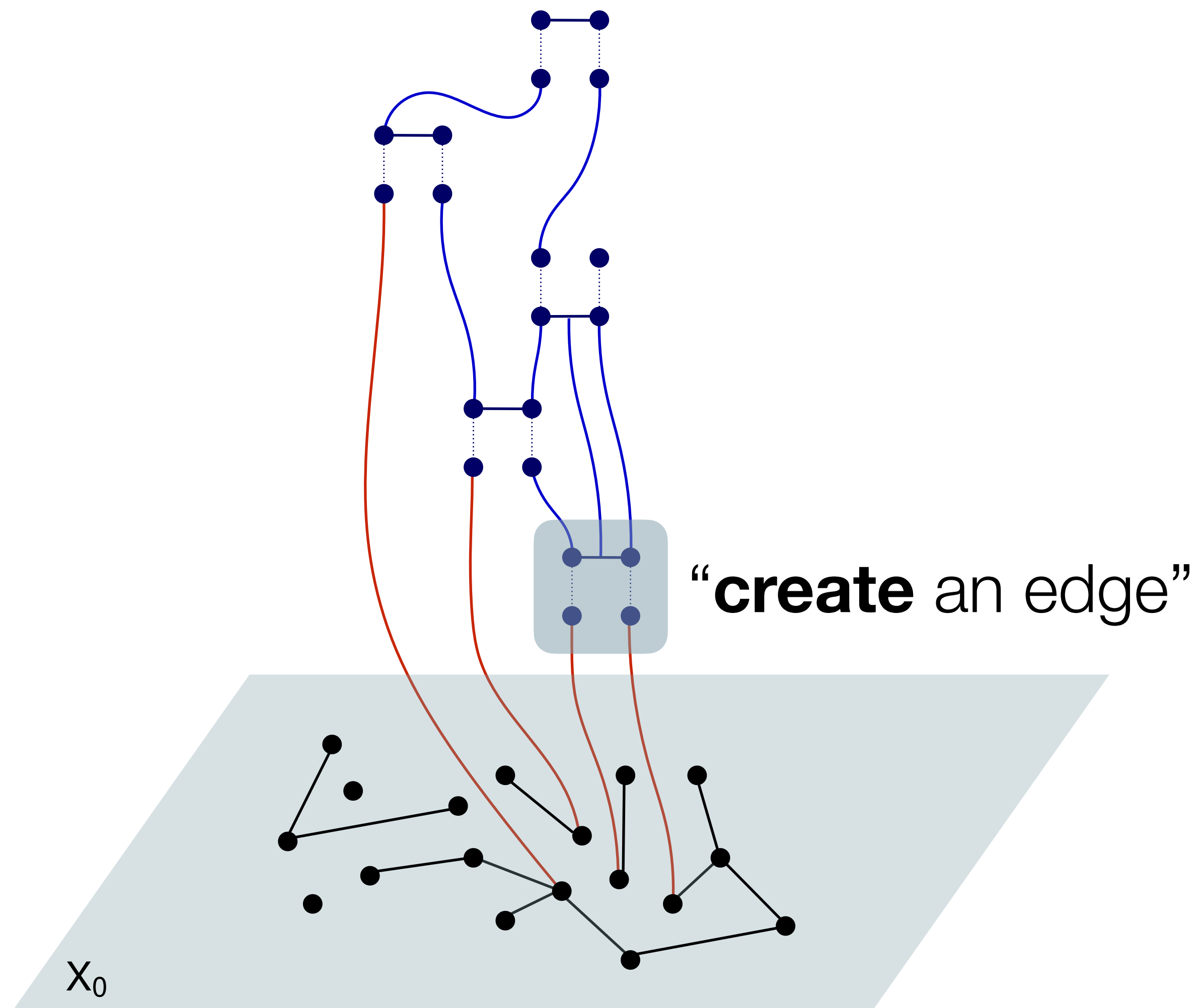


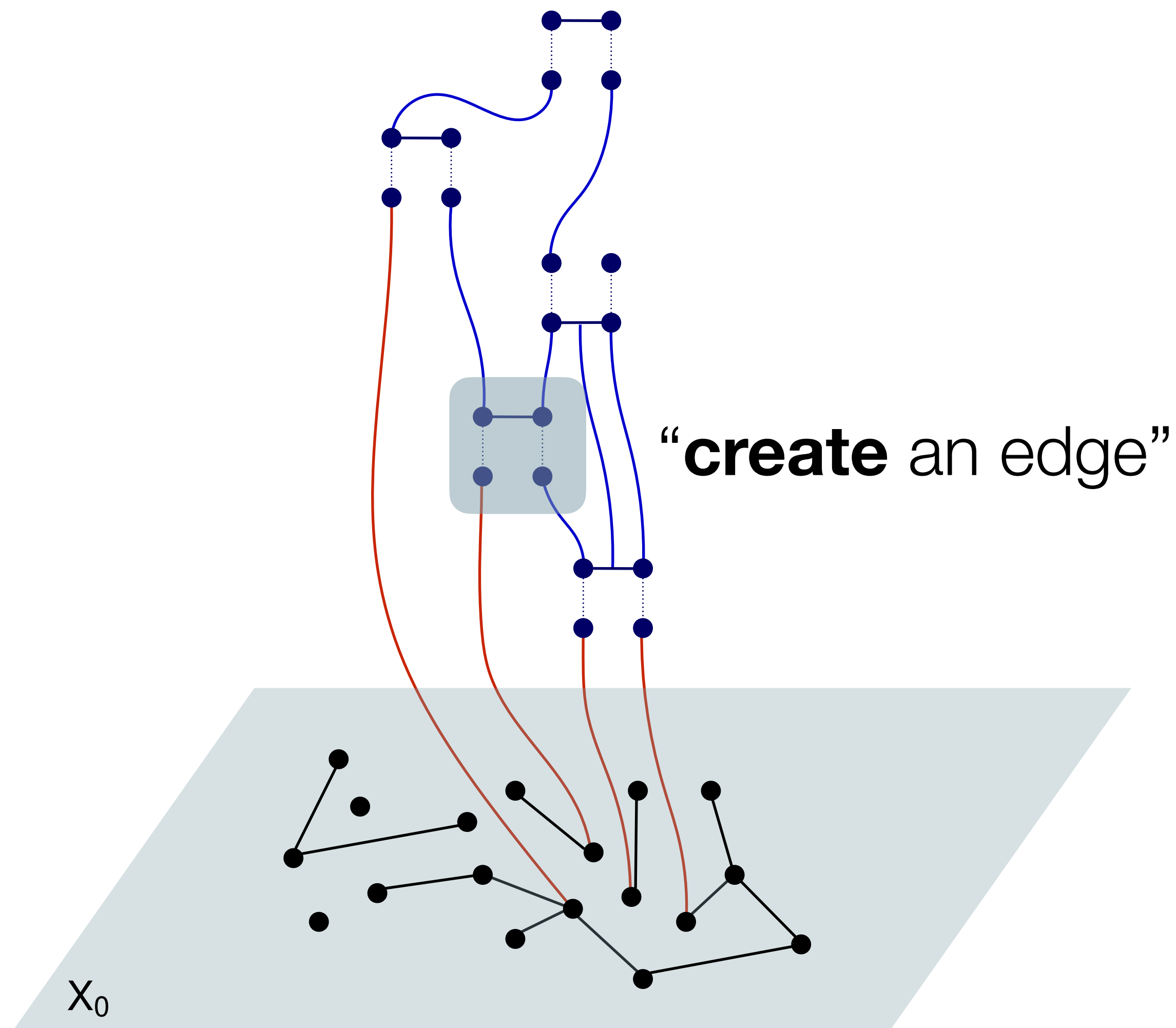
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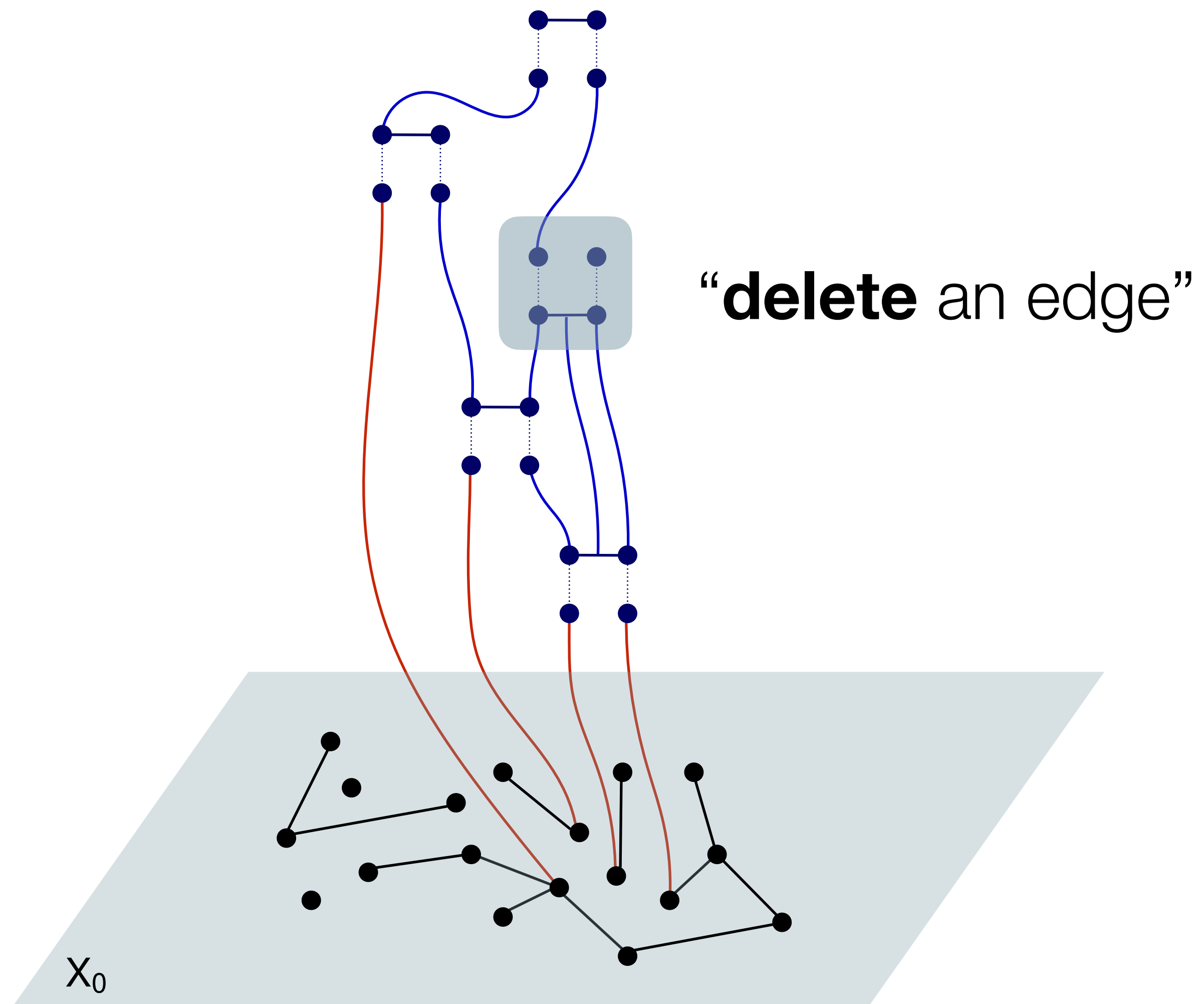


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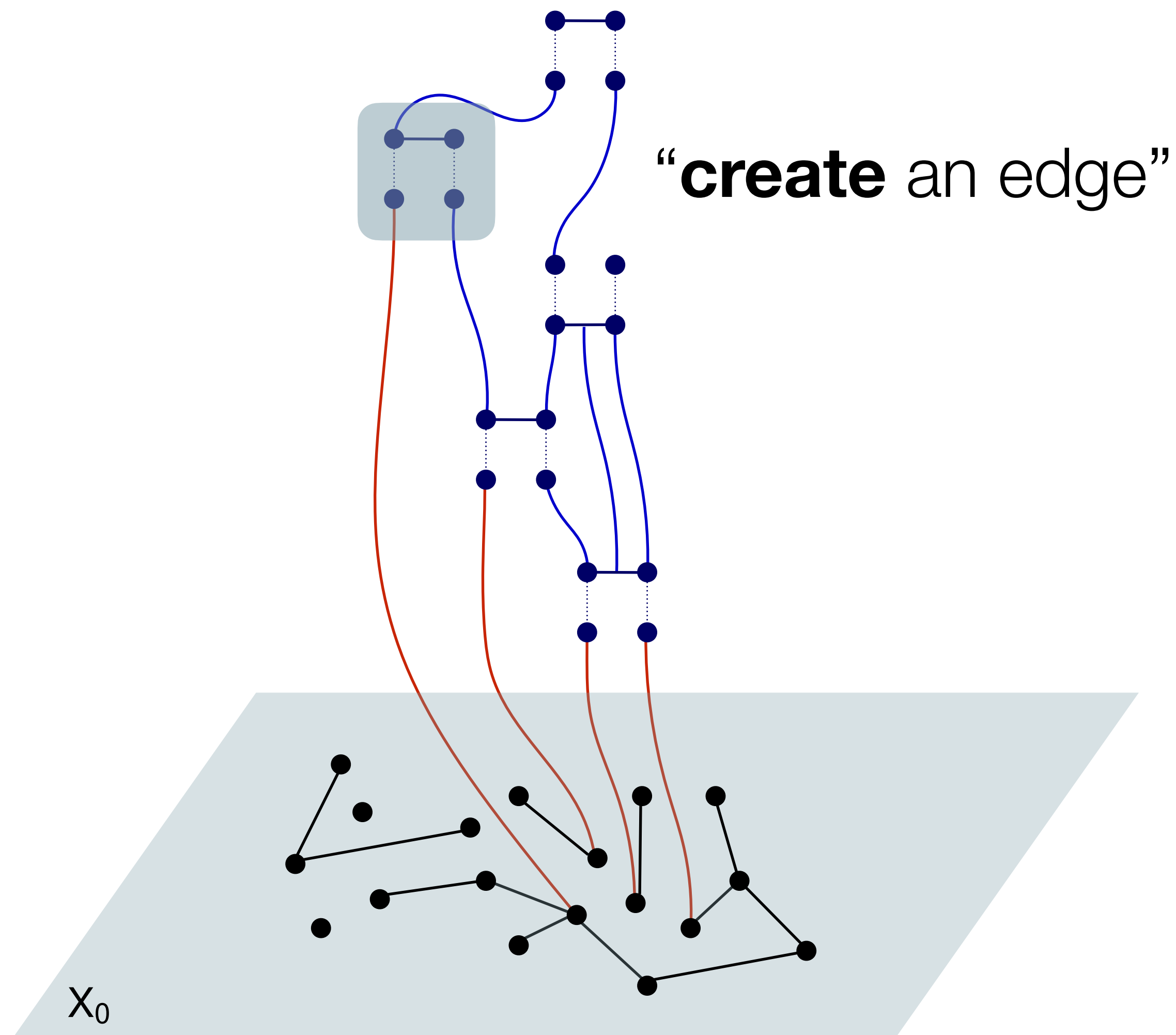


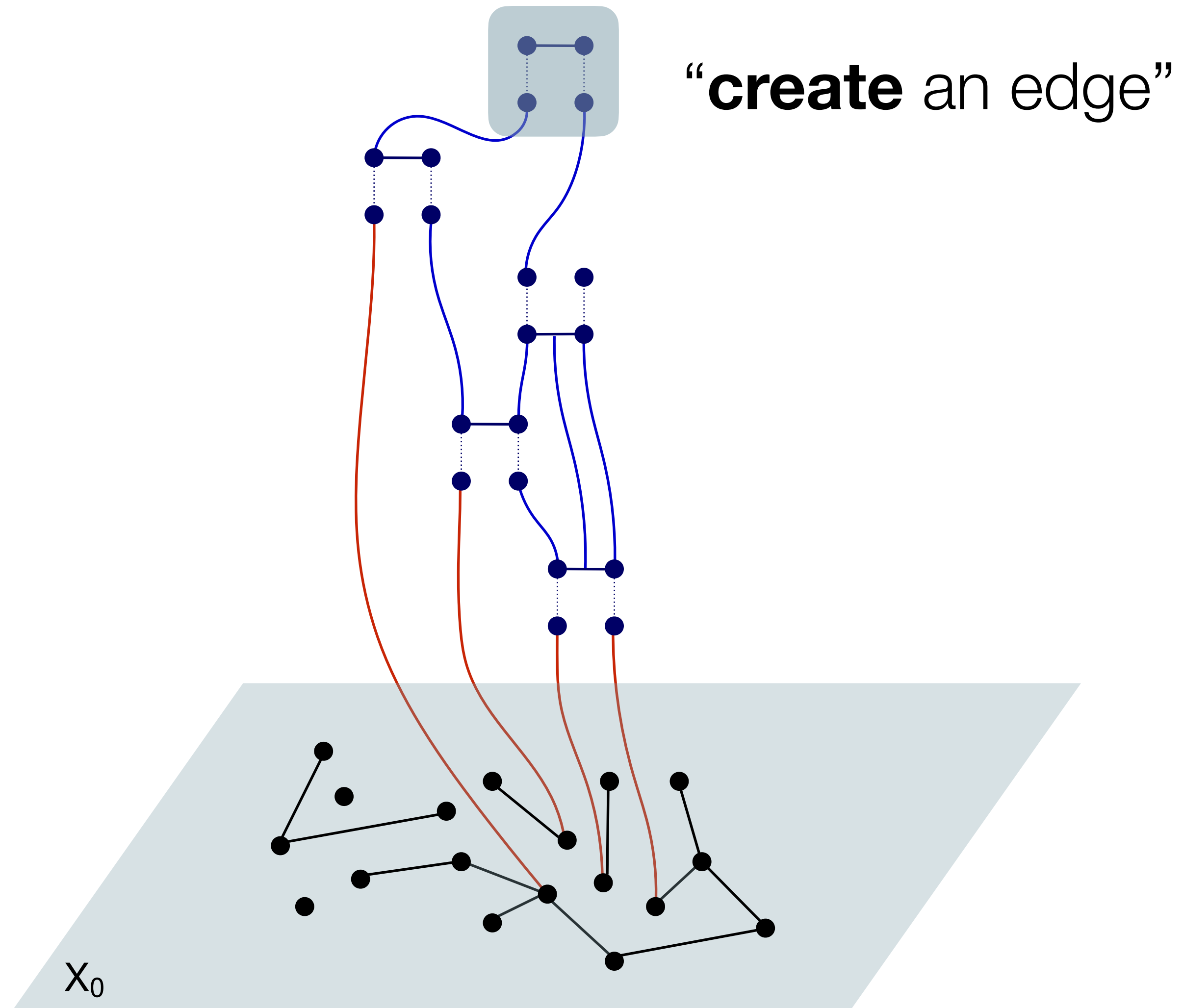


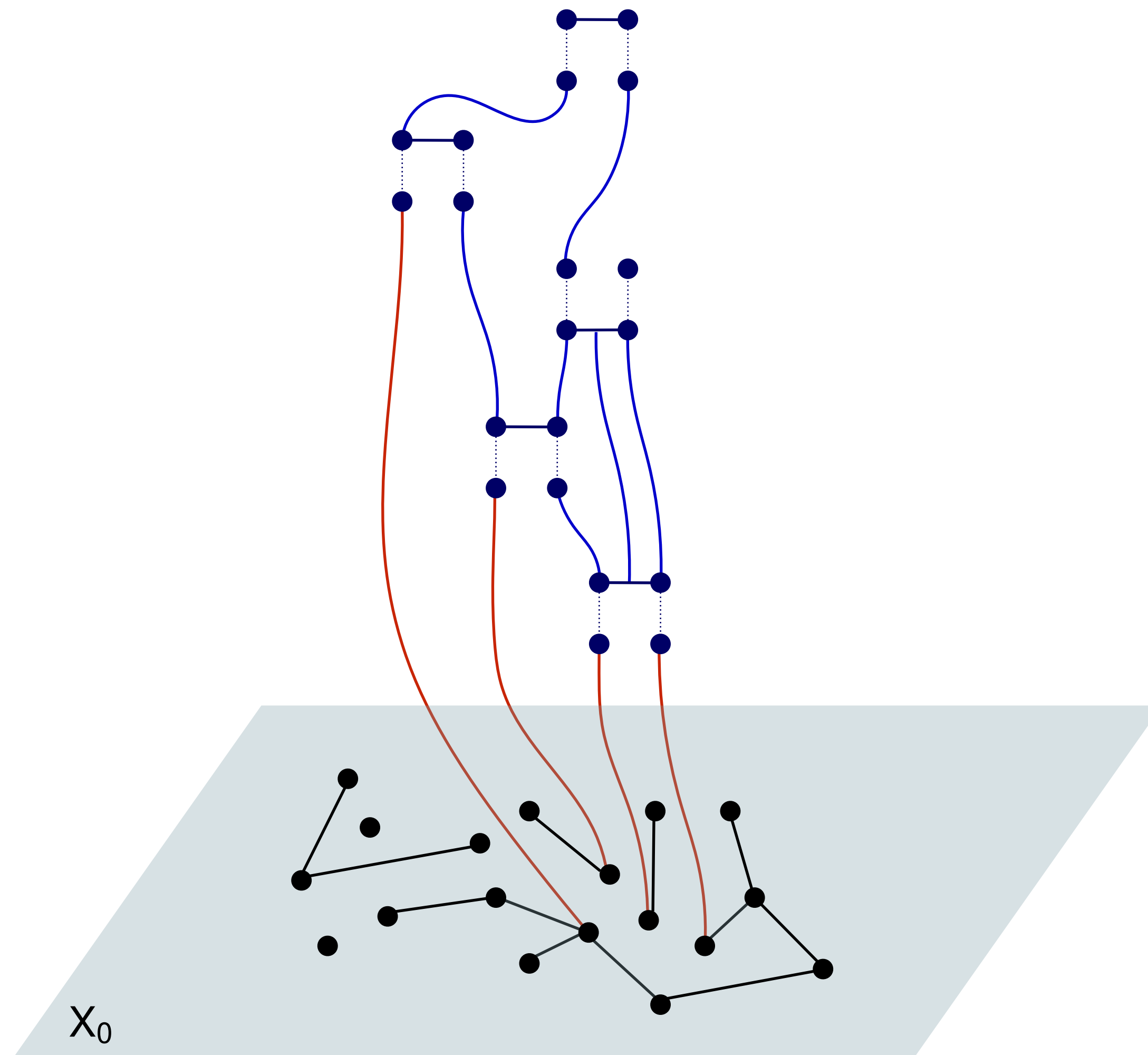


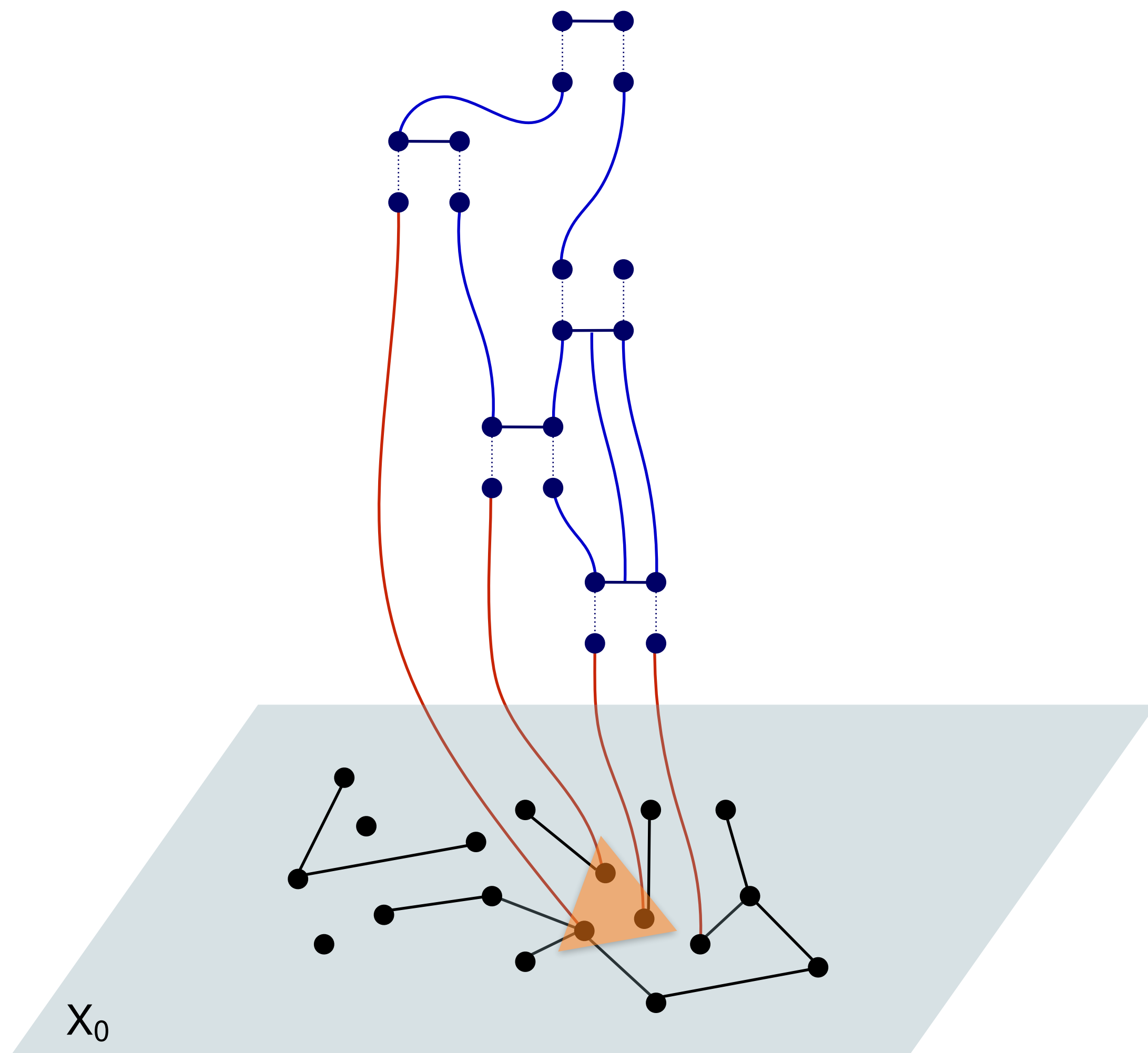


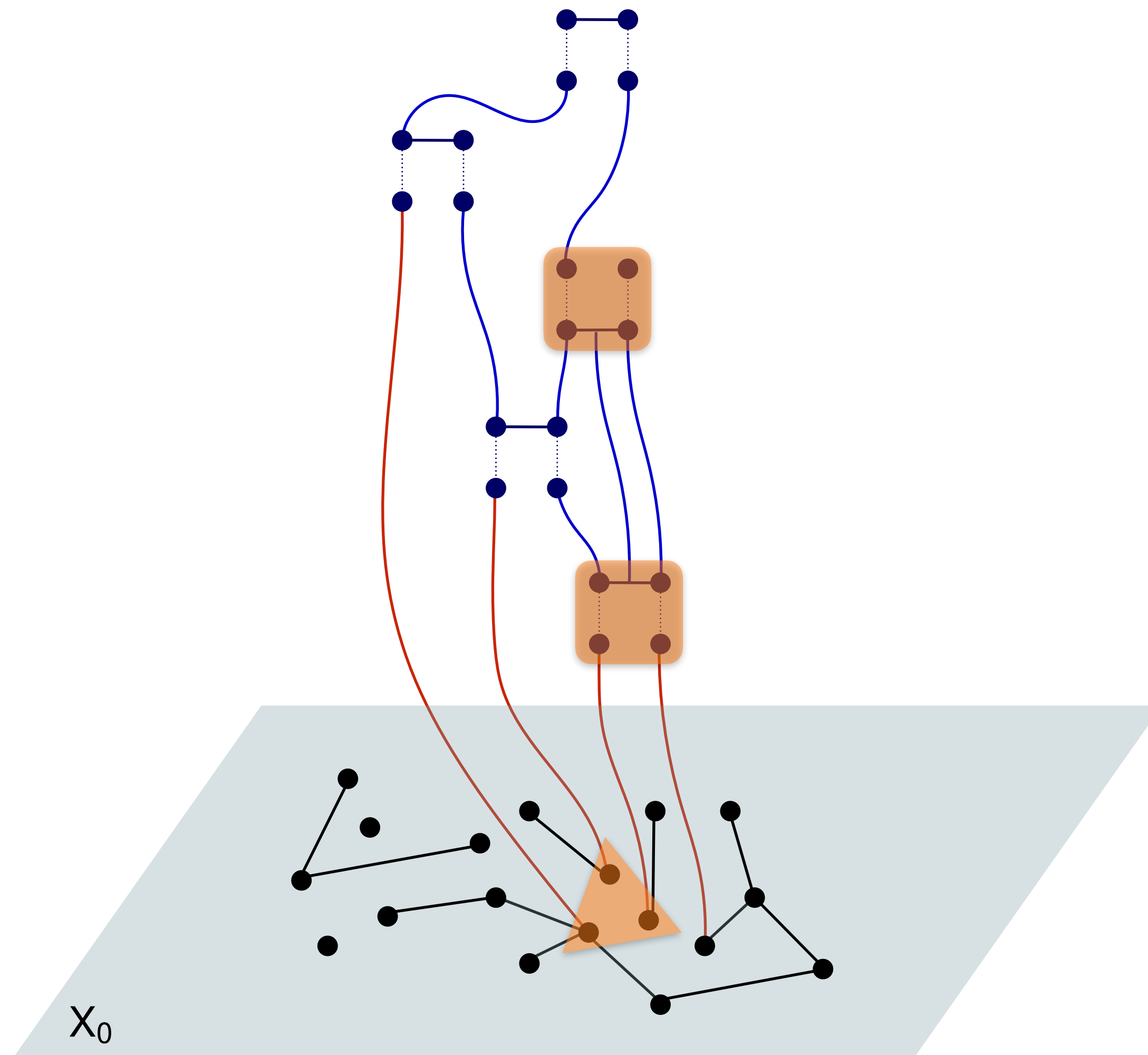


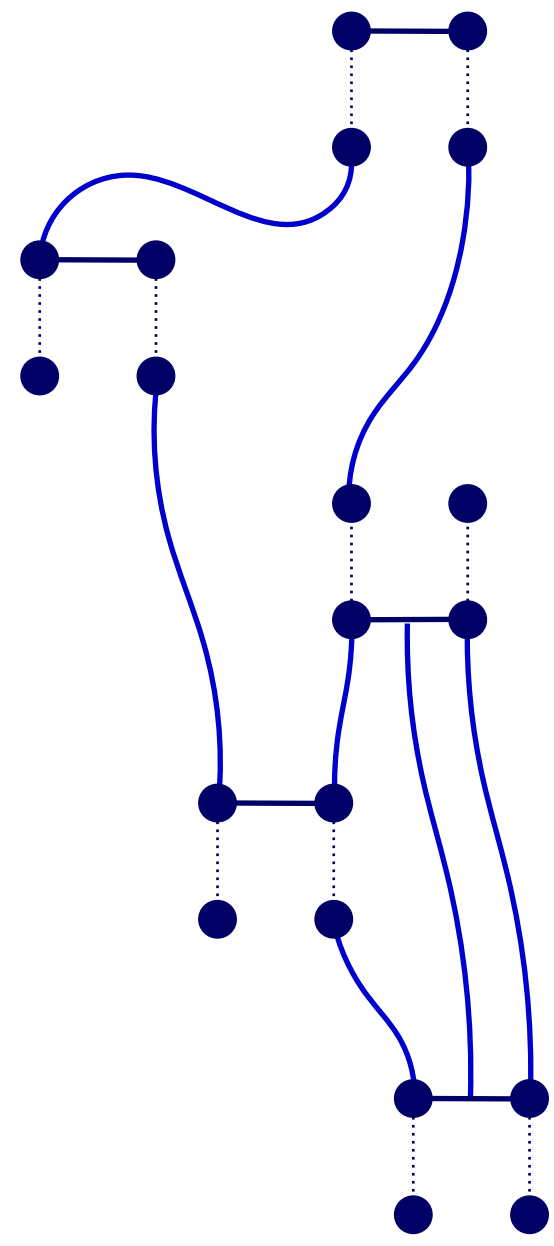


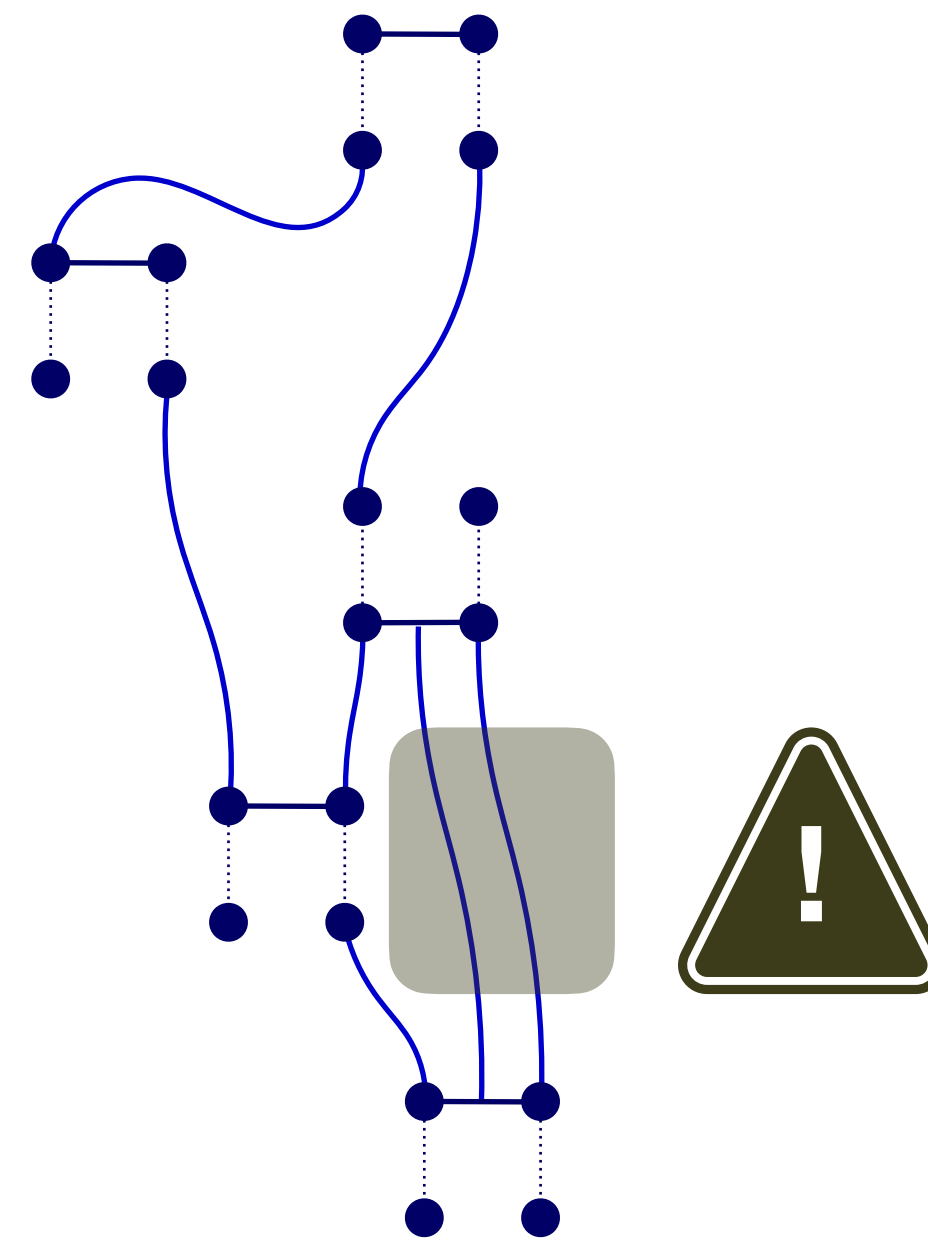


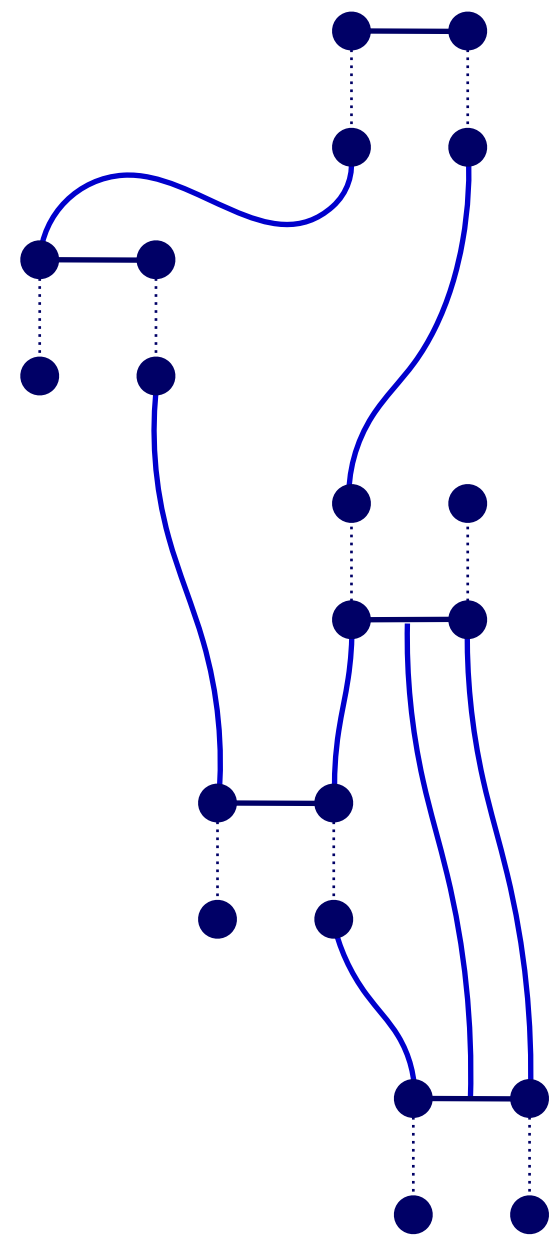




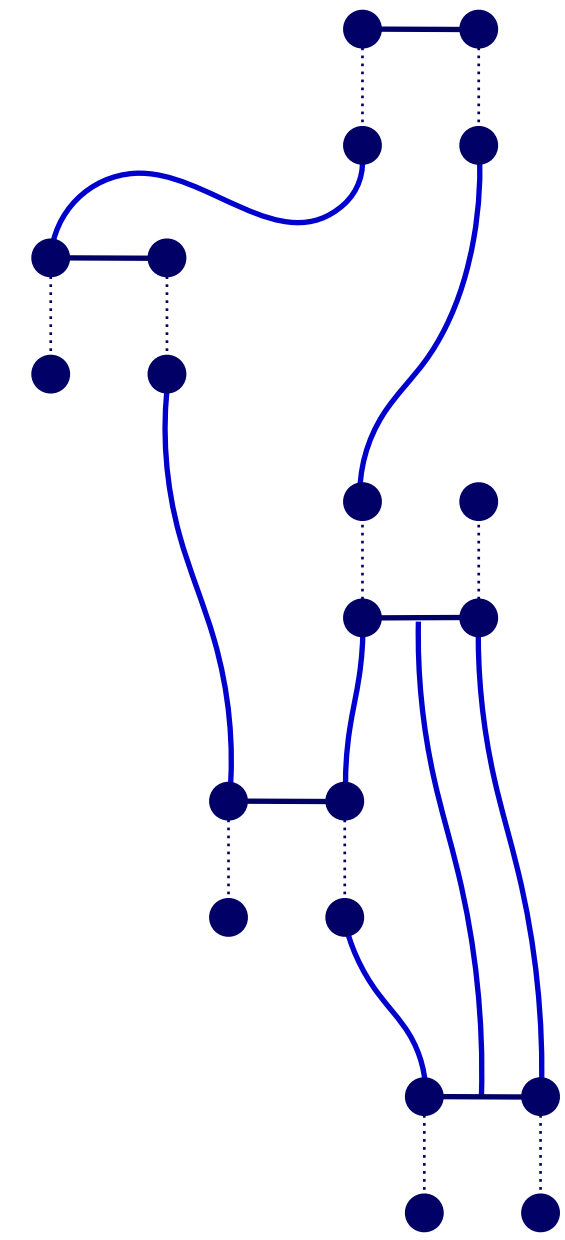












a **TRACELET**  
(of length 5)

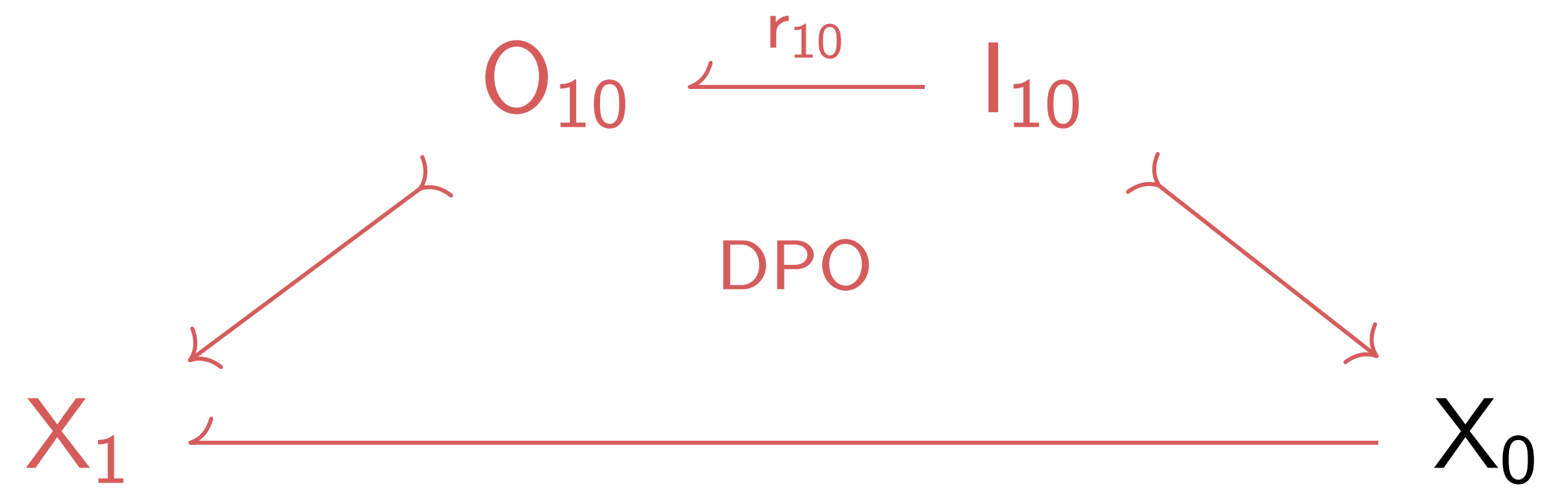
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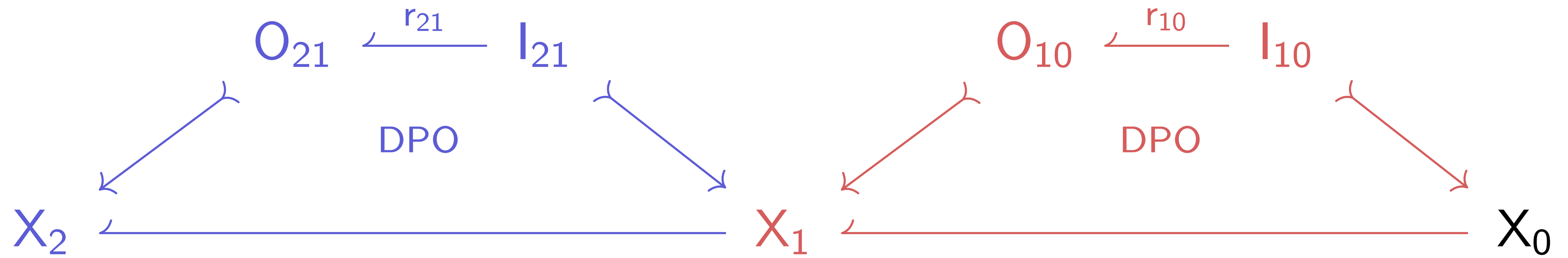
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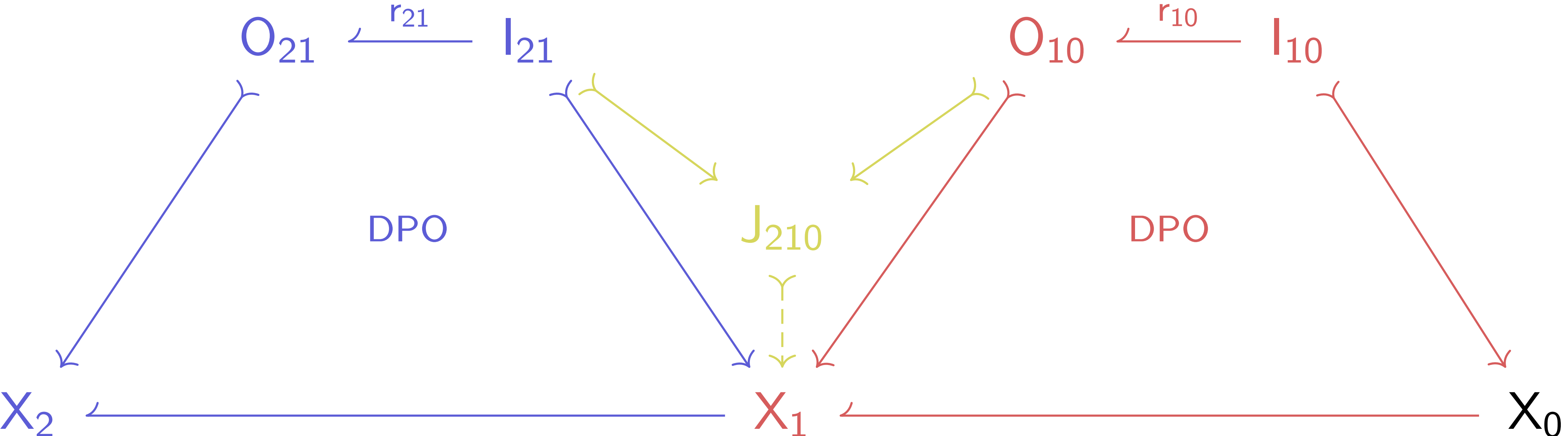
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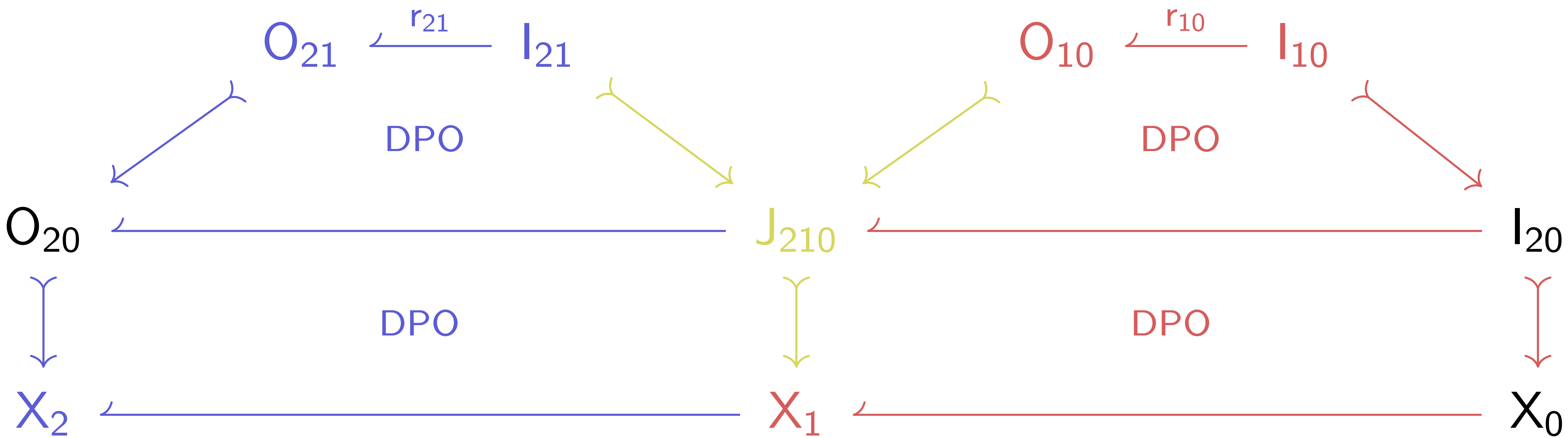
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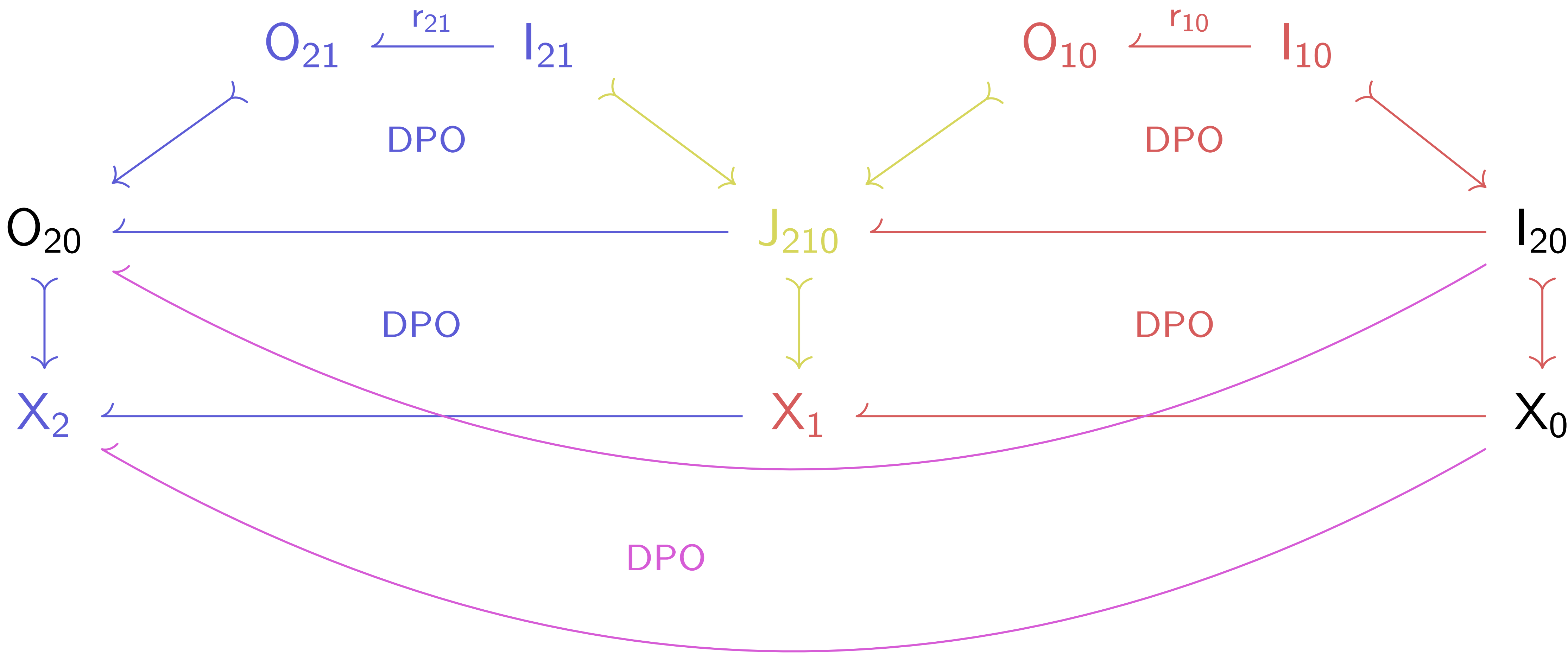
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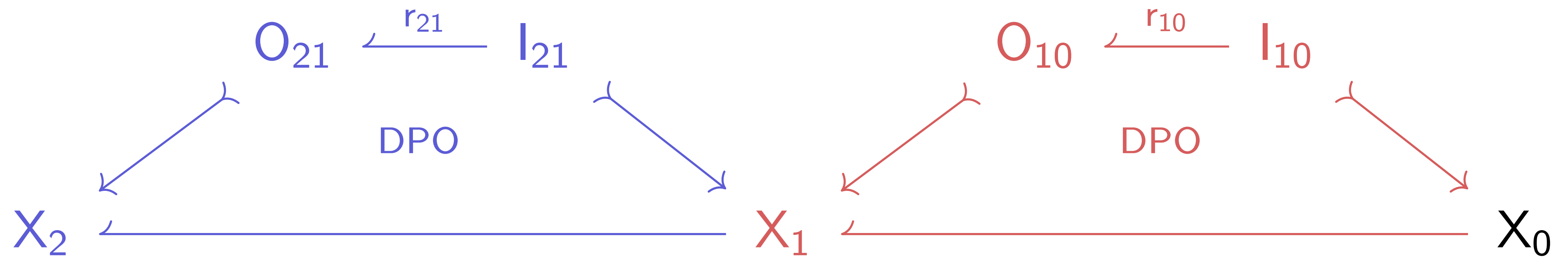


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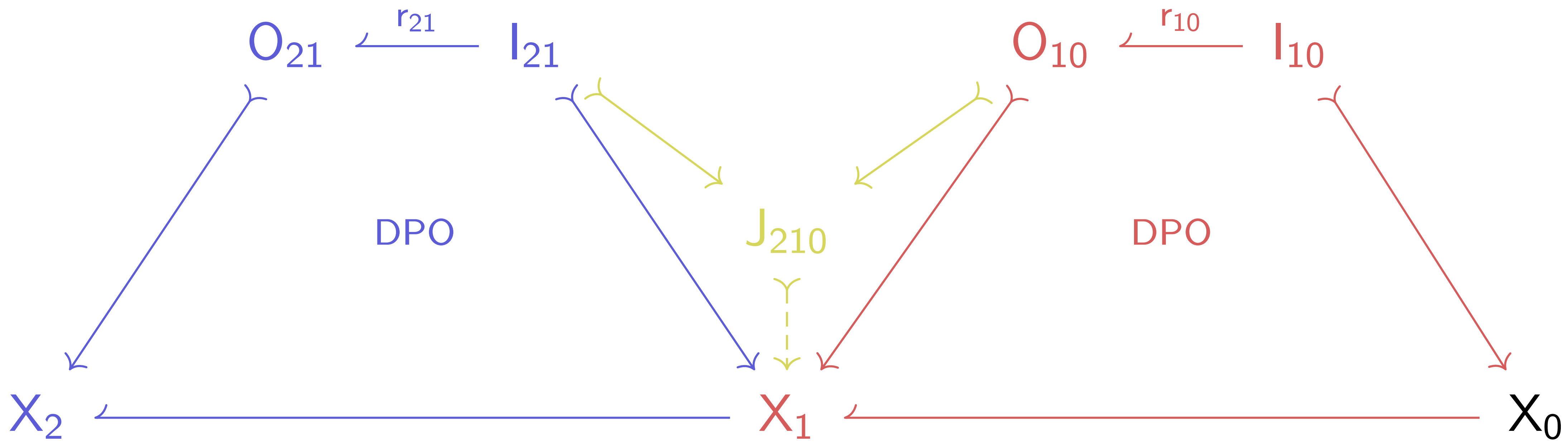




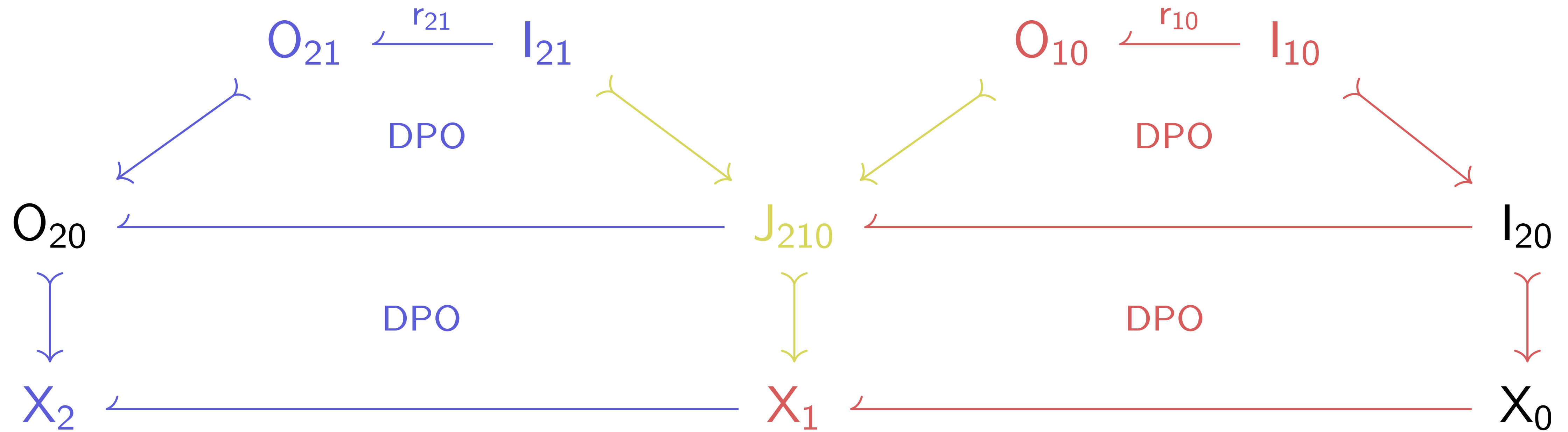
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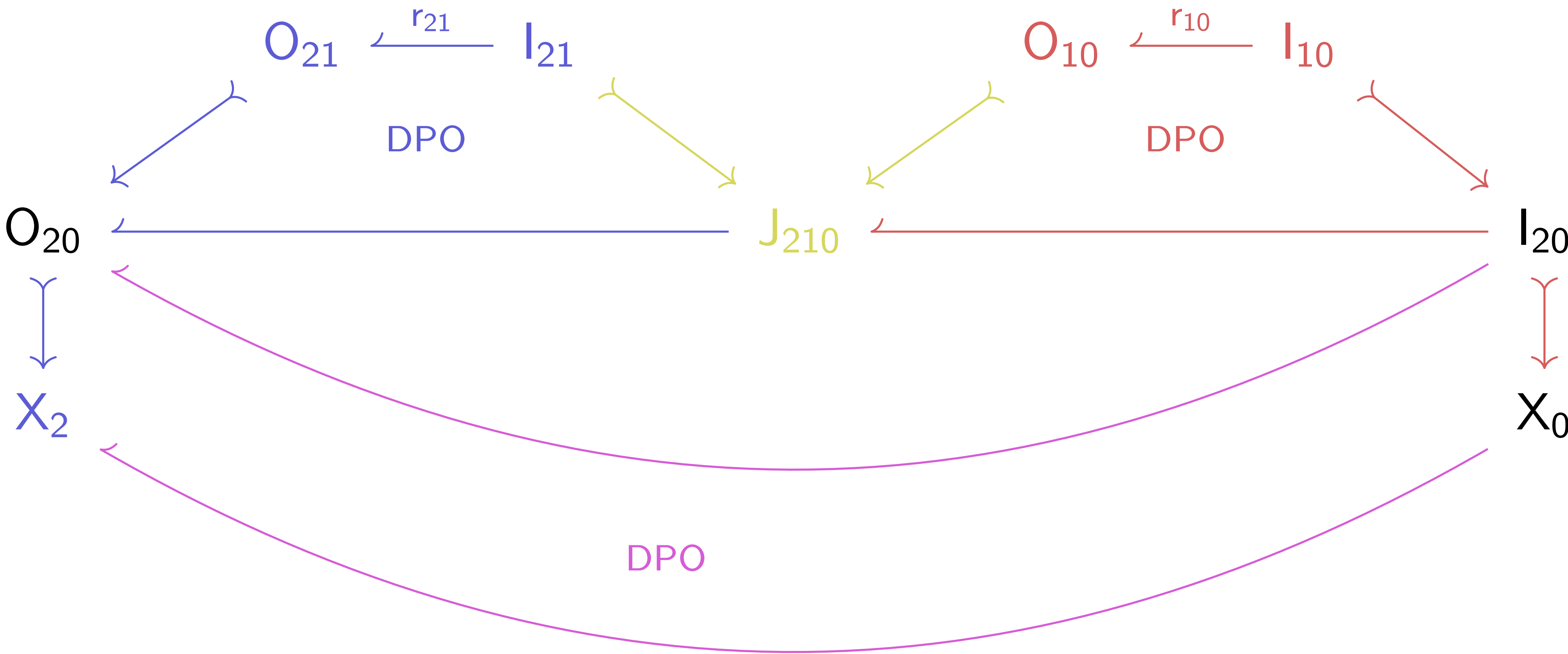
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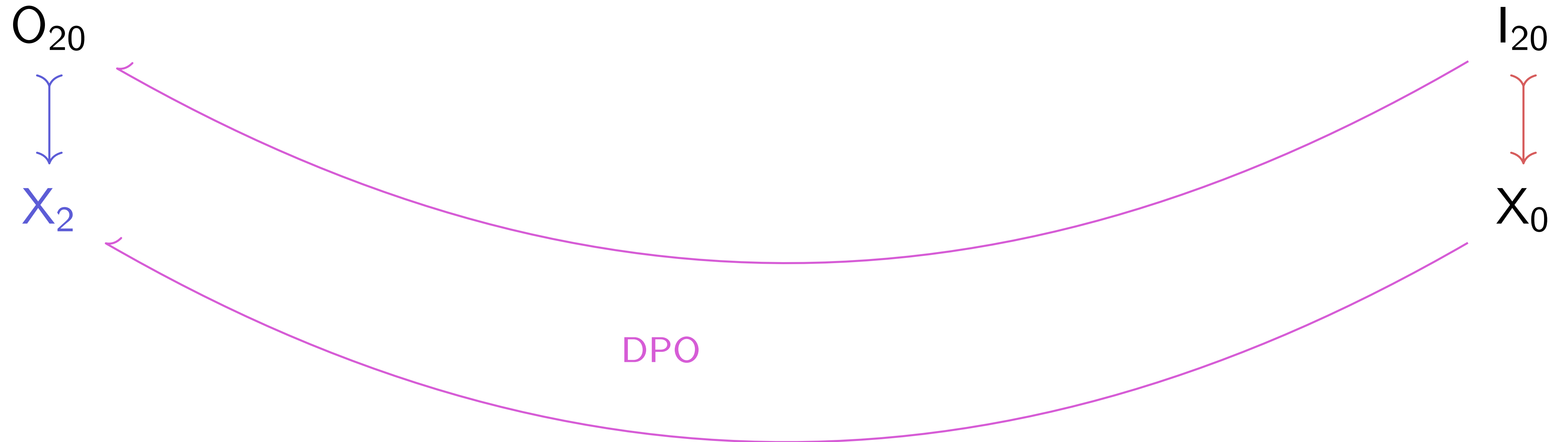
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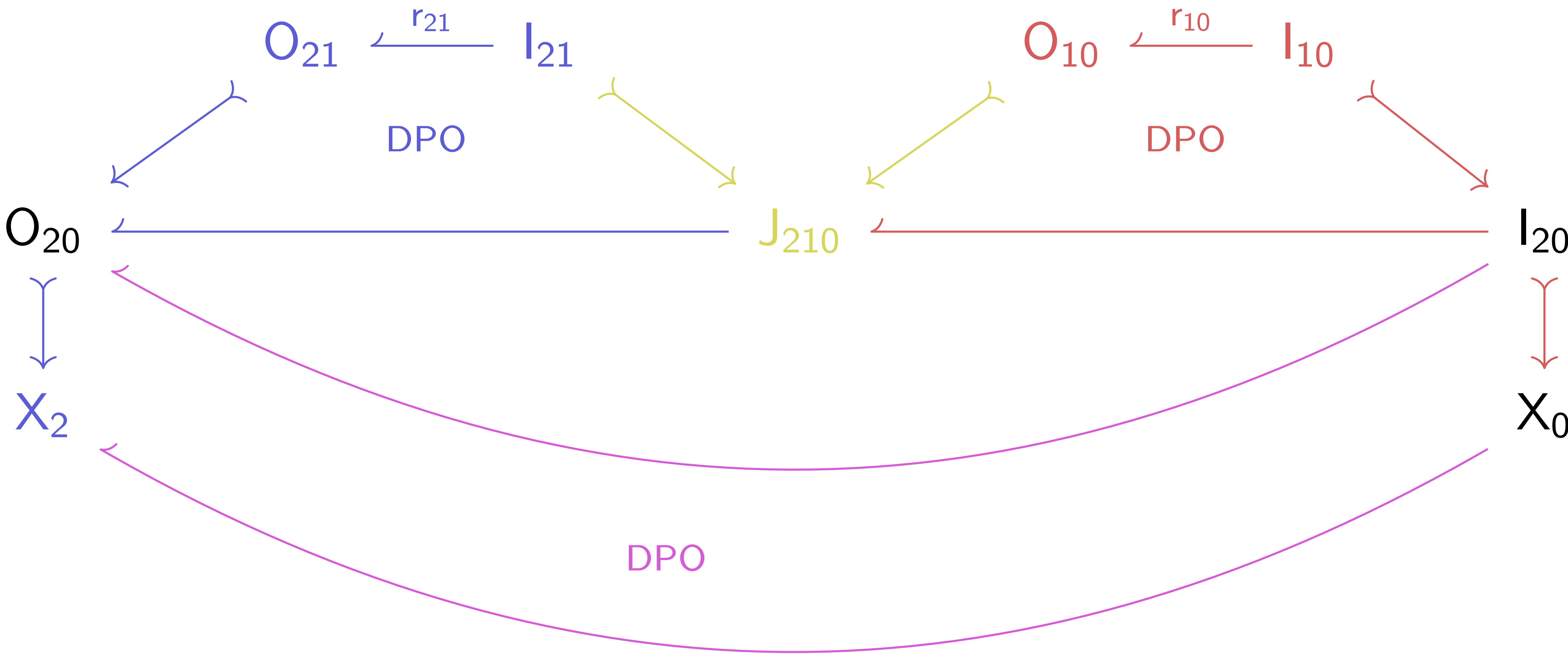
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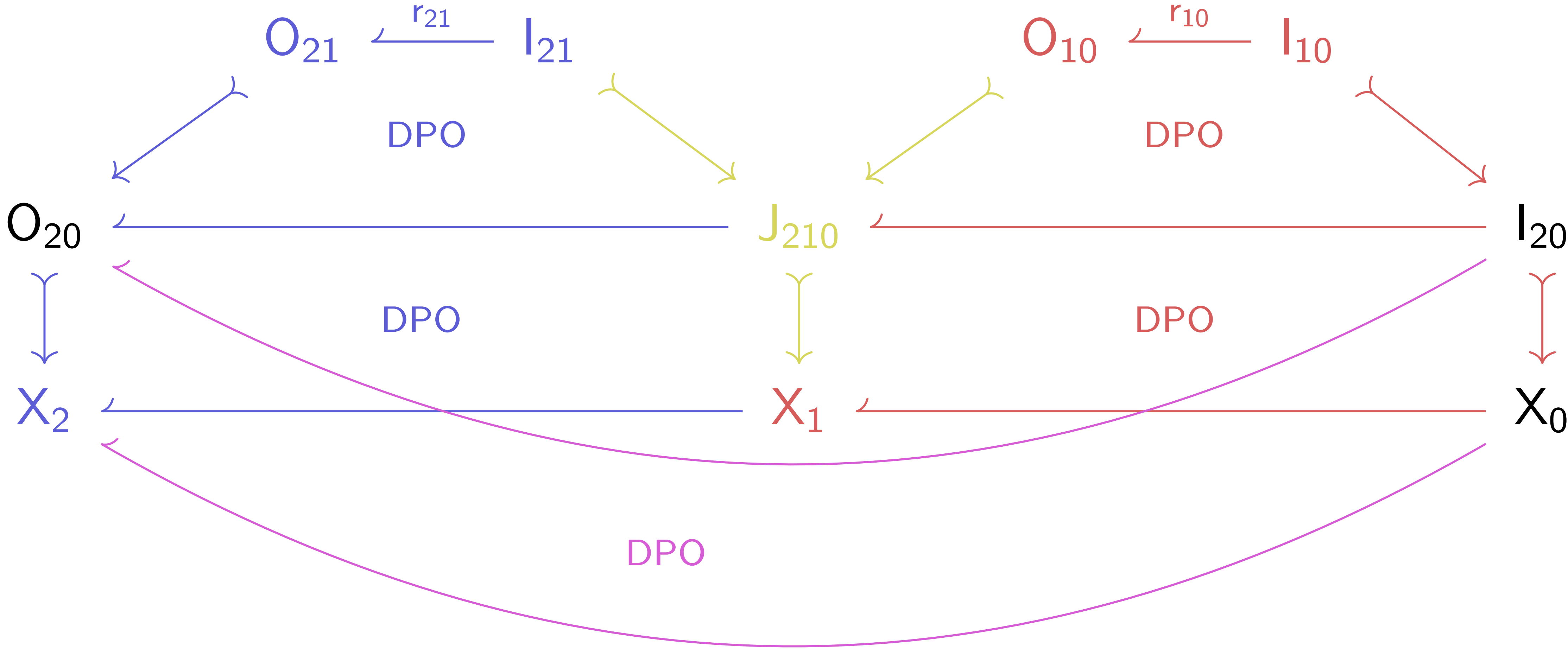
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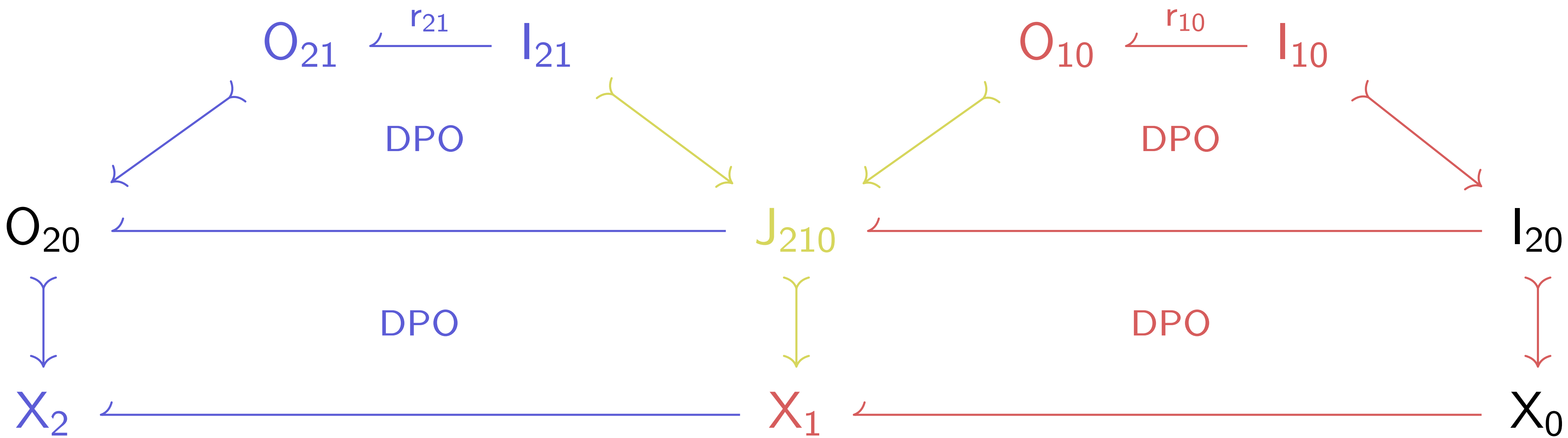
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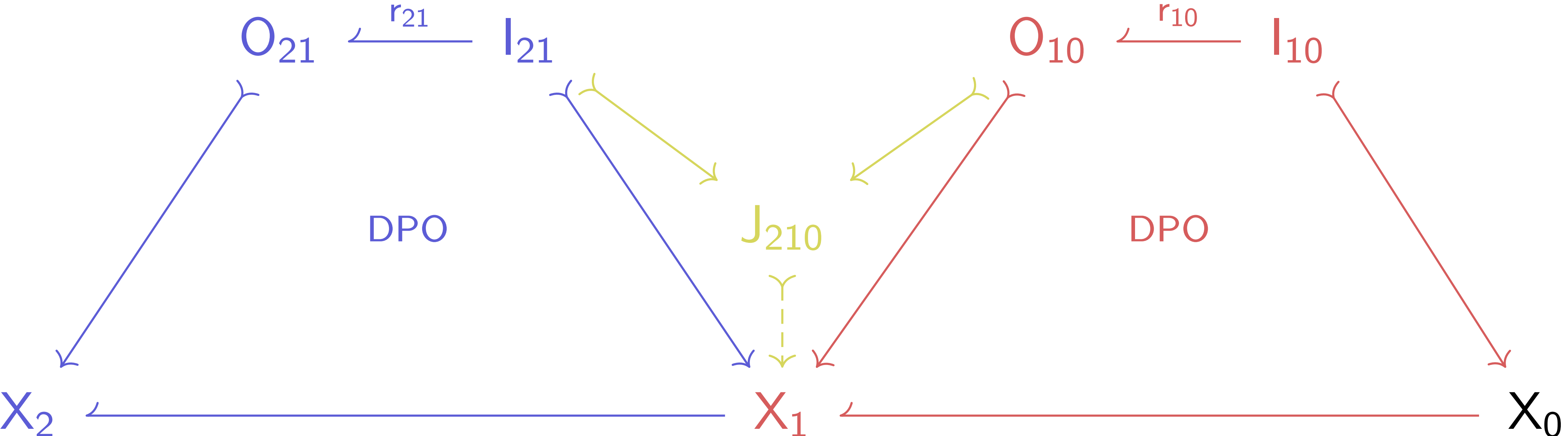


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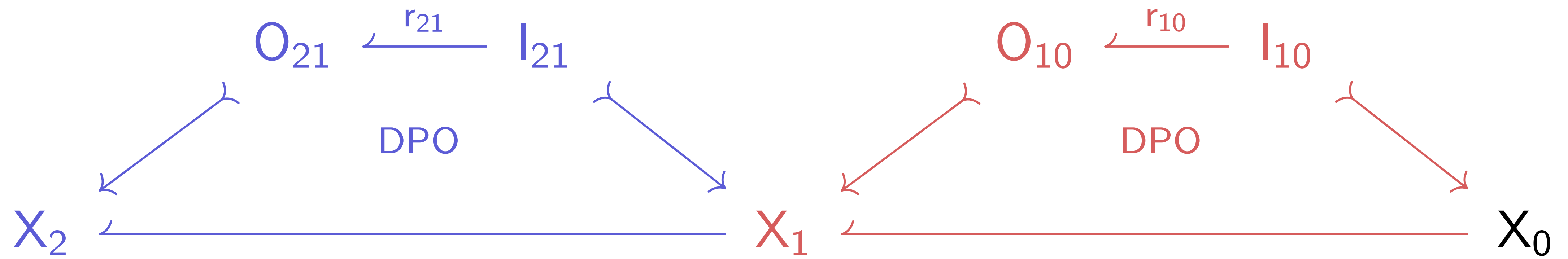




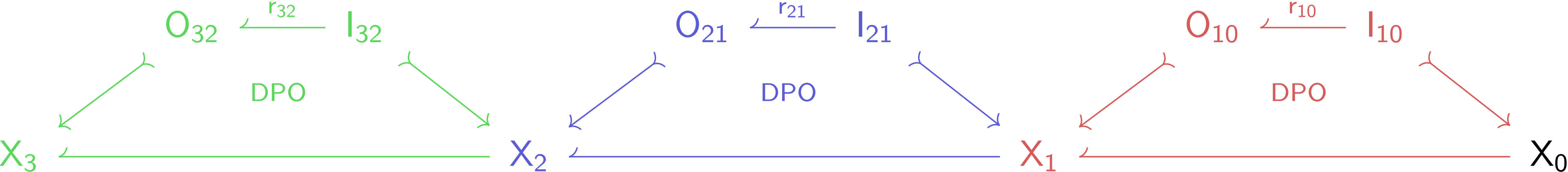
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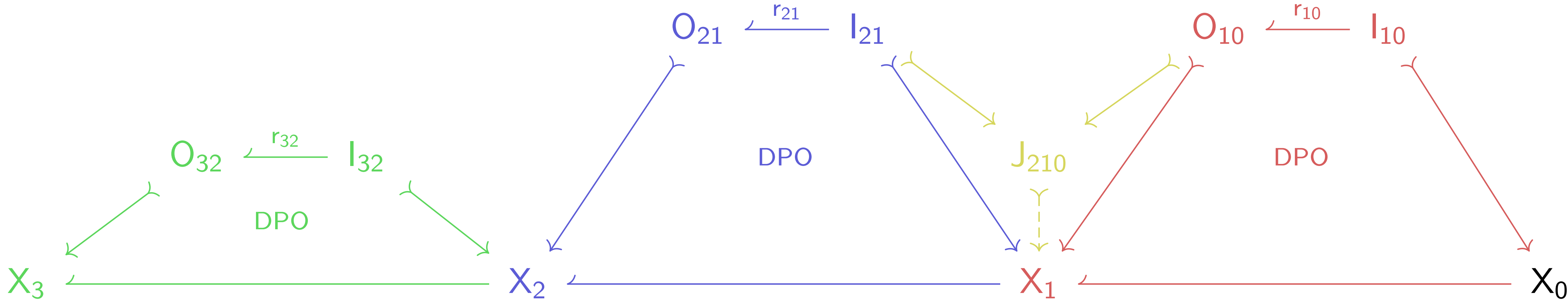
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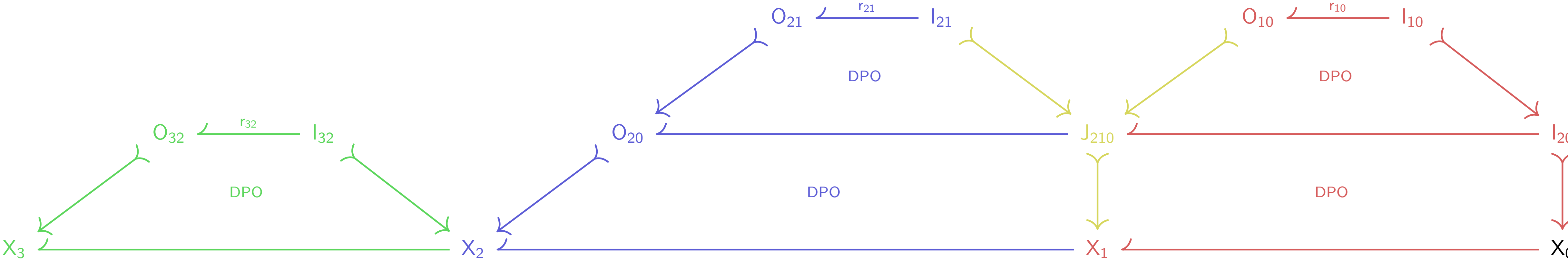
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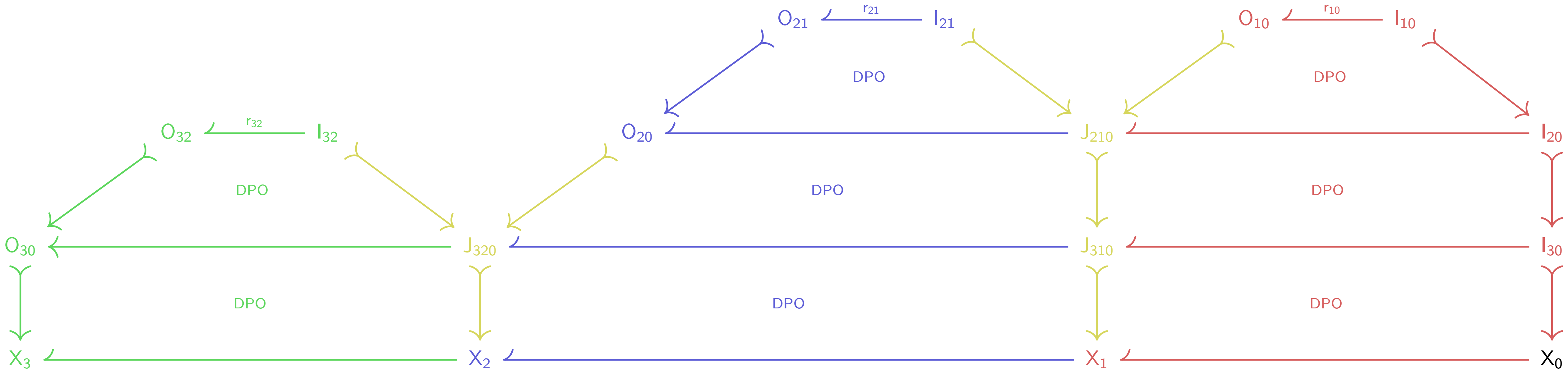
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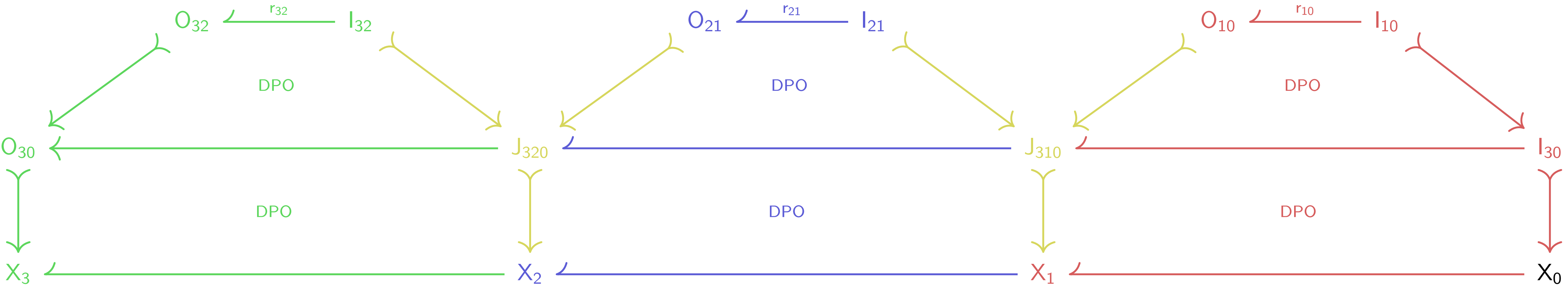
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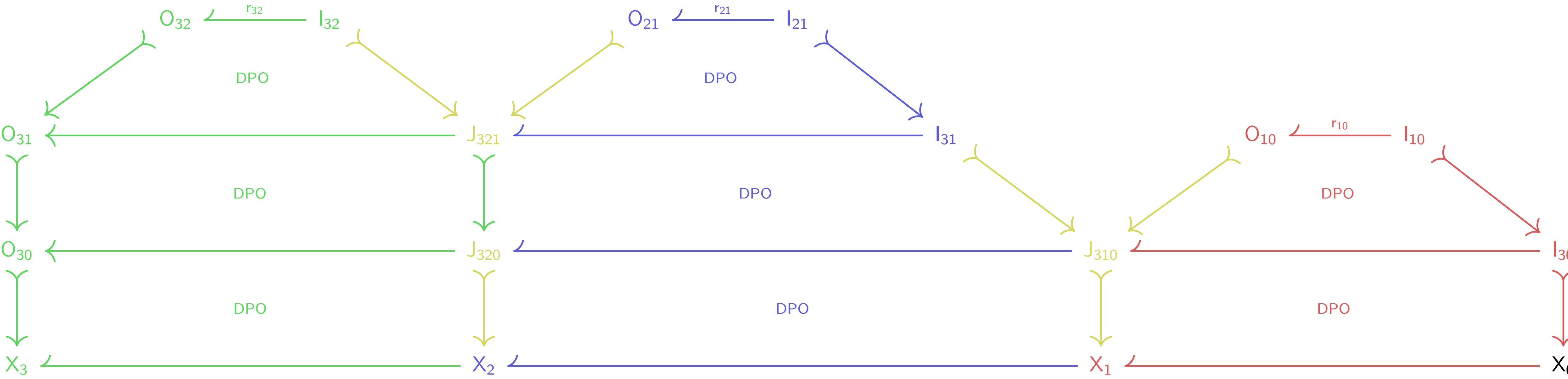
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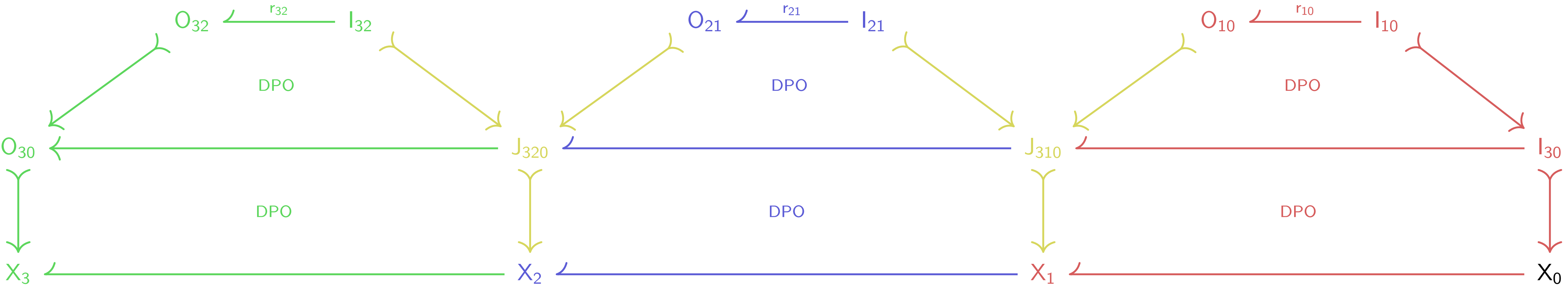


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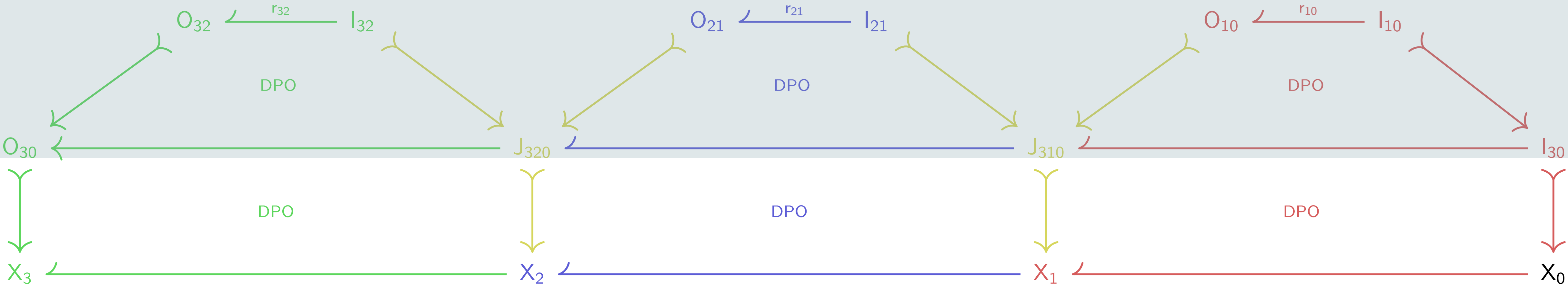


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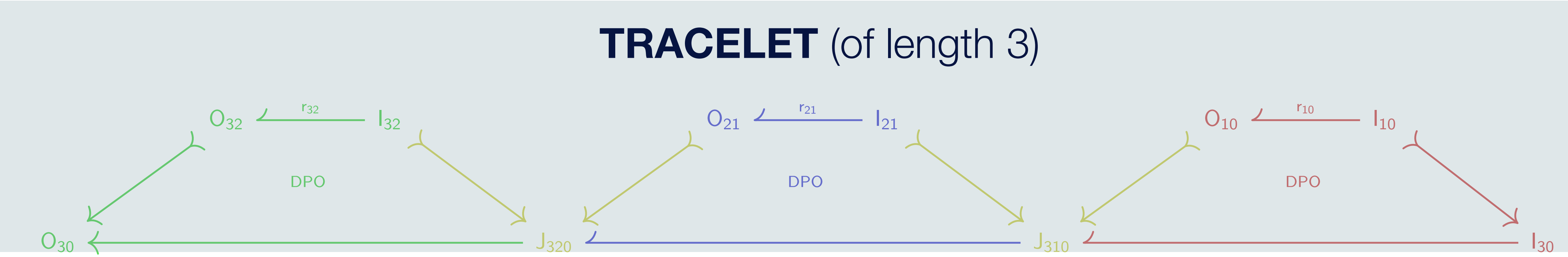
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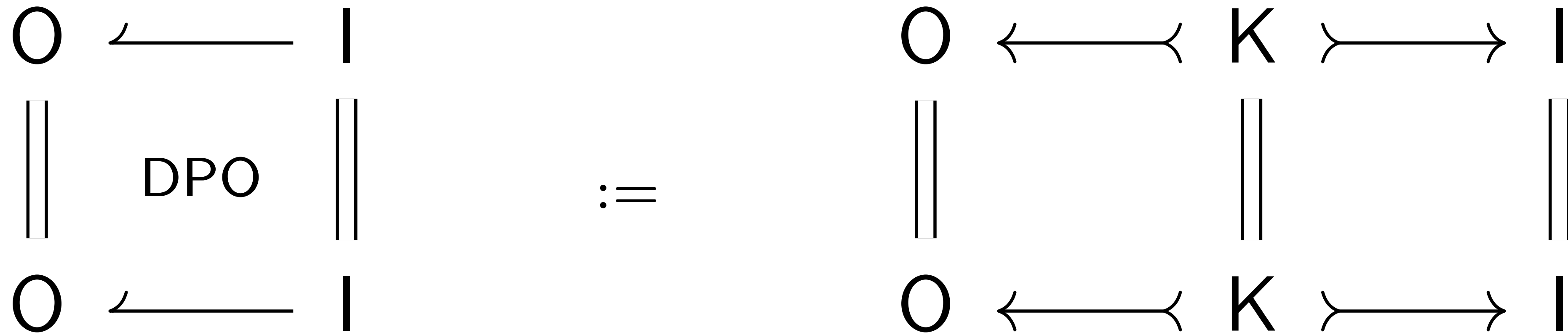
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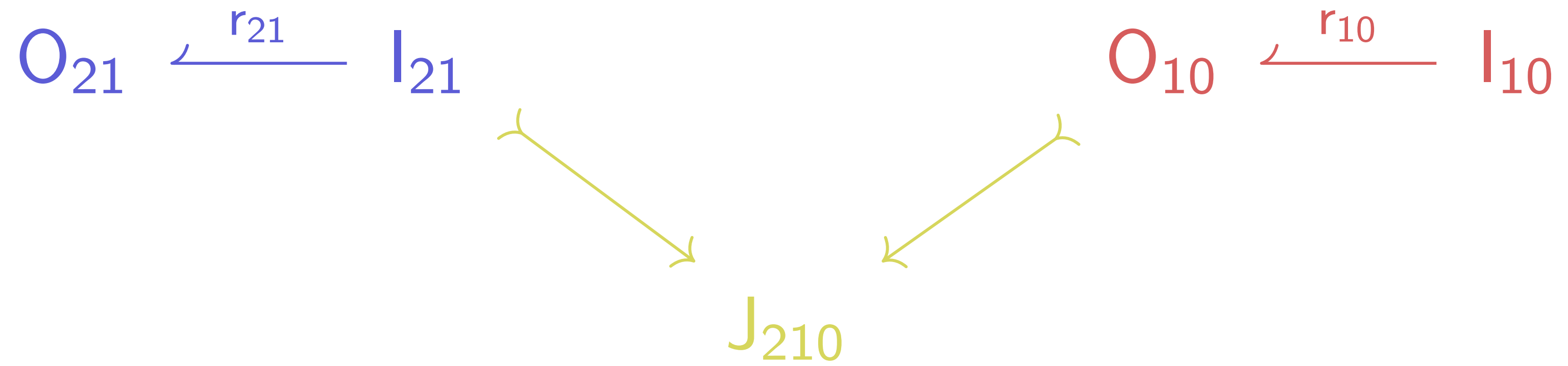
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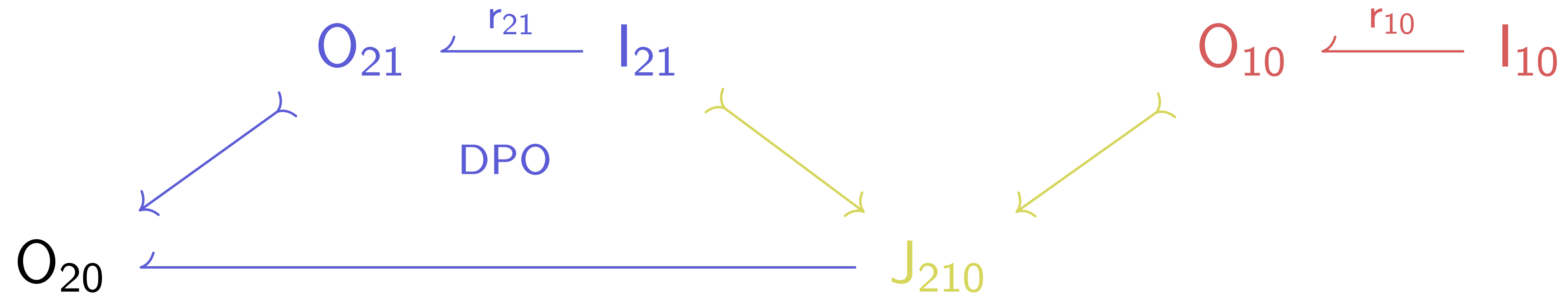
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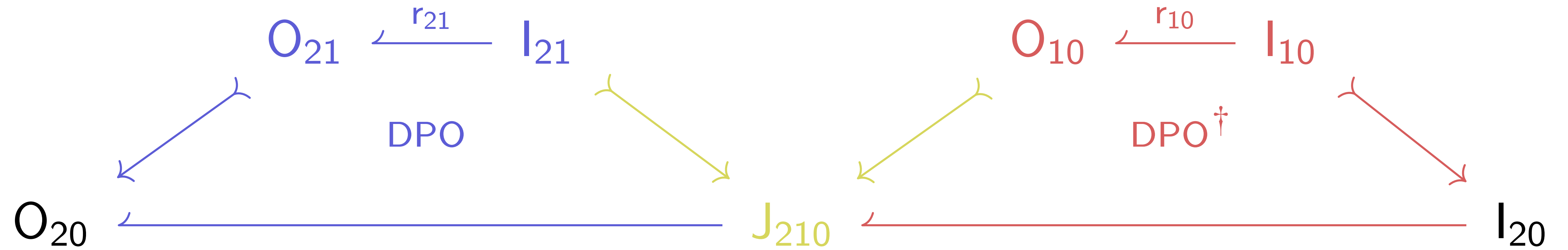
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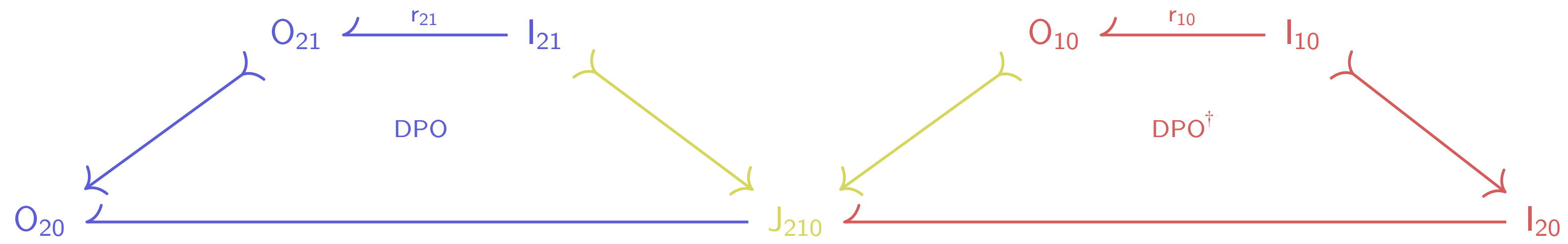
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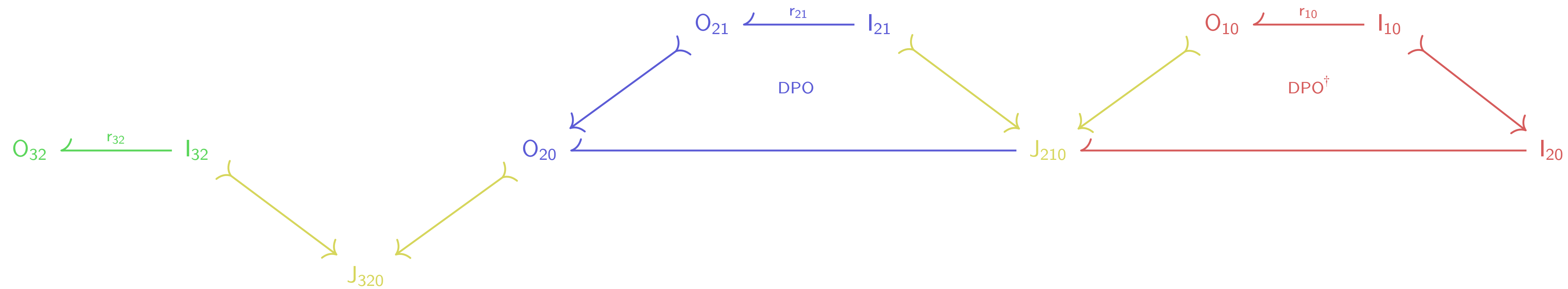
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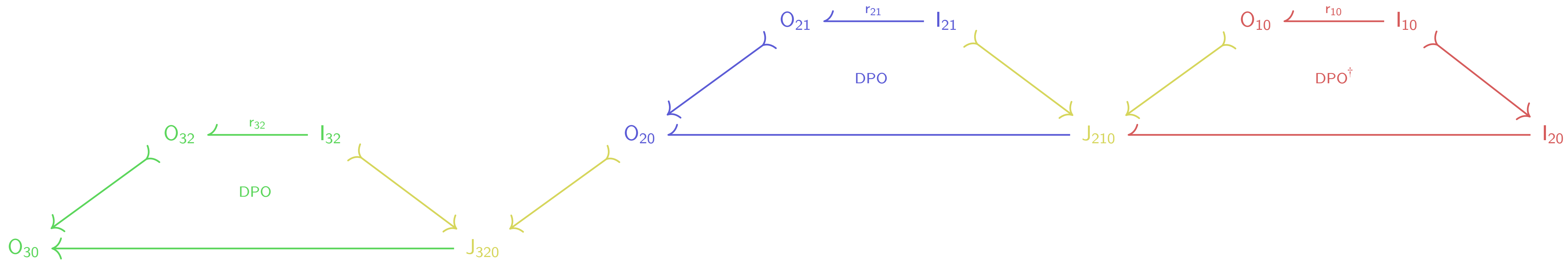
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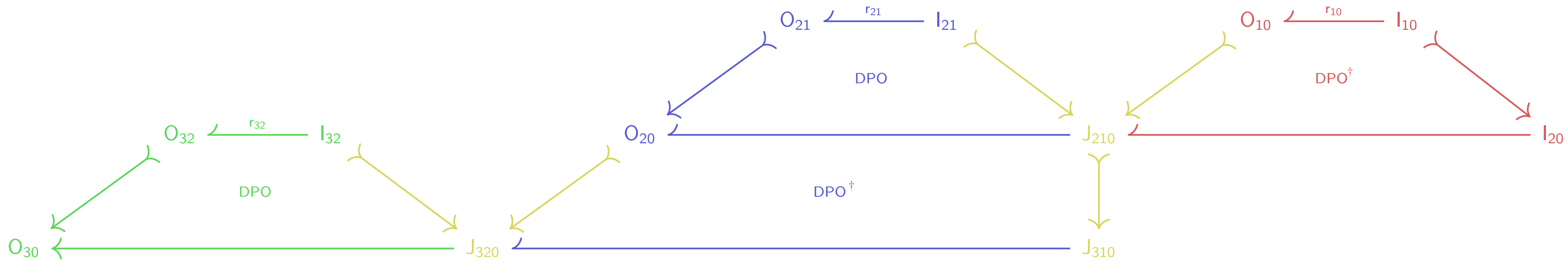
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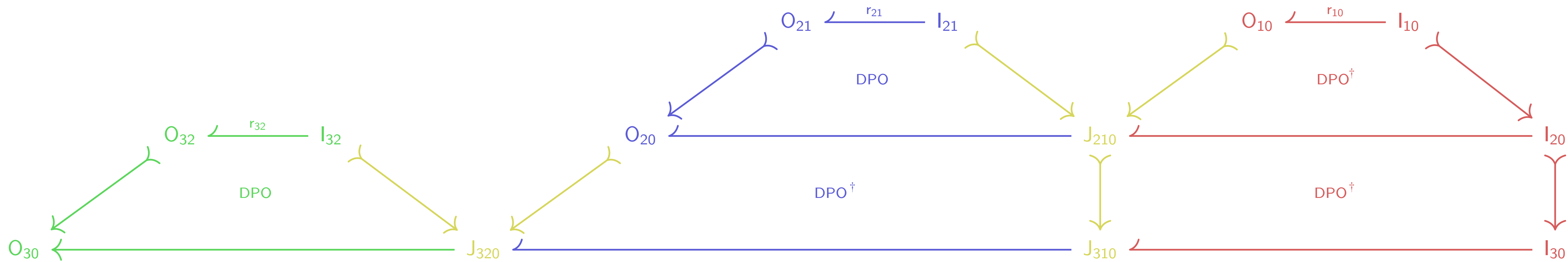
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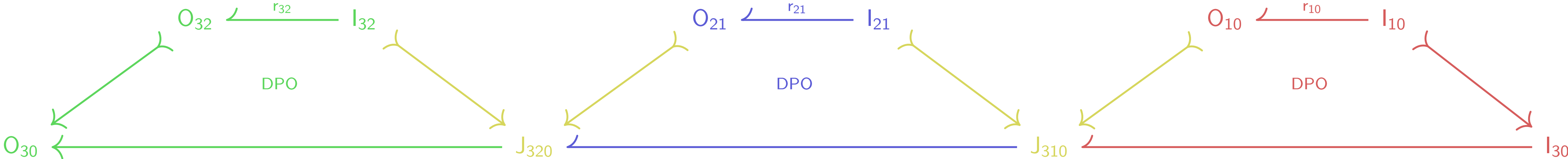
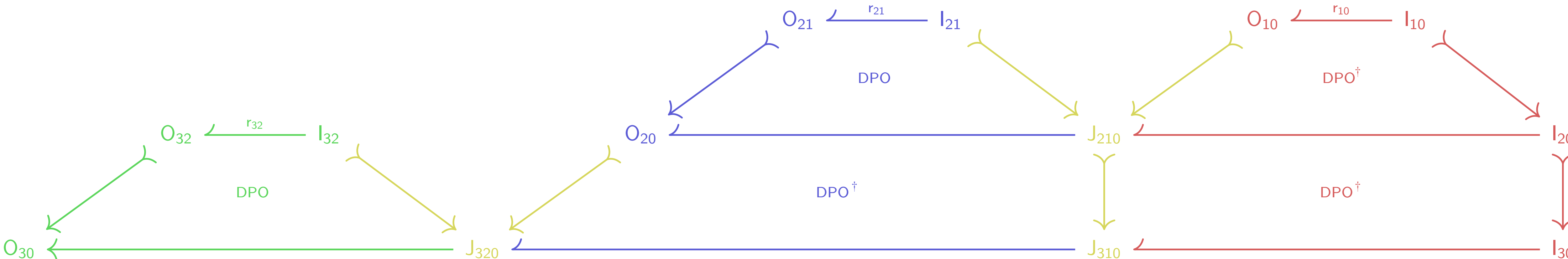
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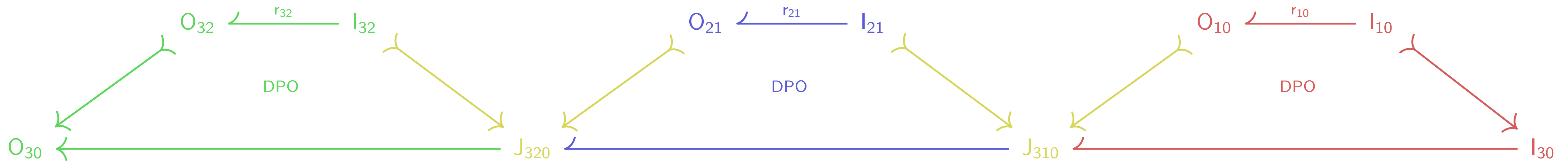
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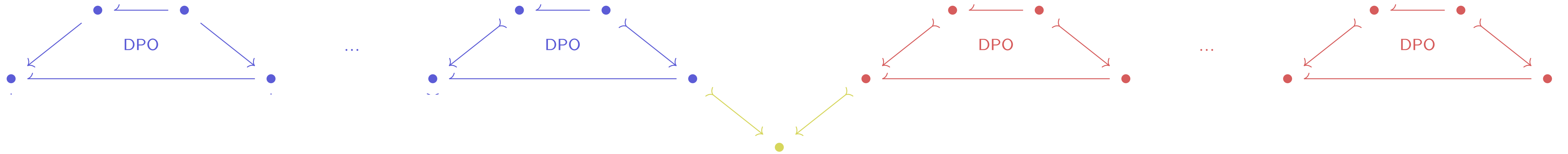


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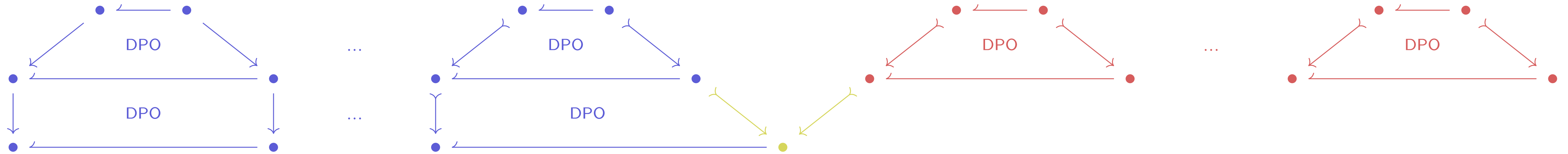




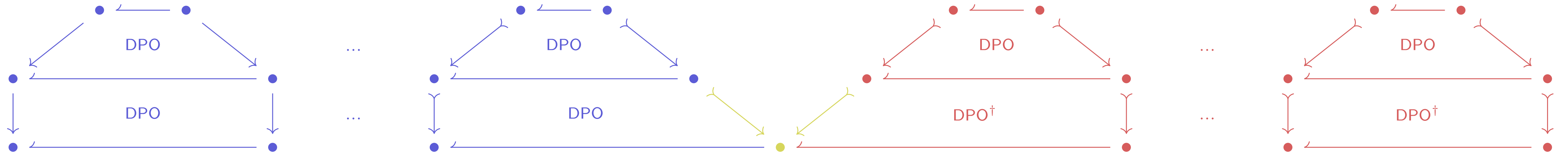
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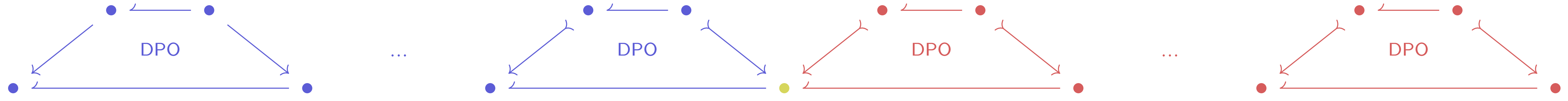
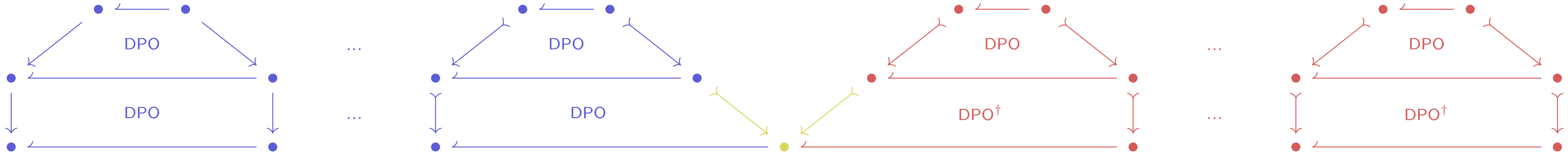
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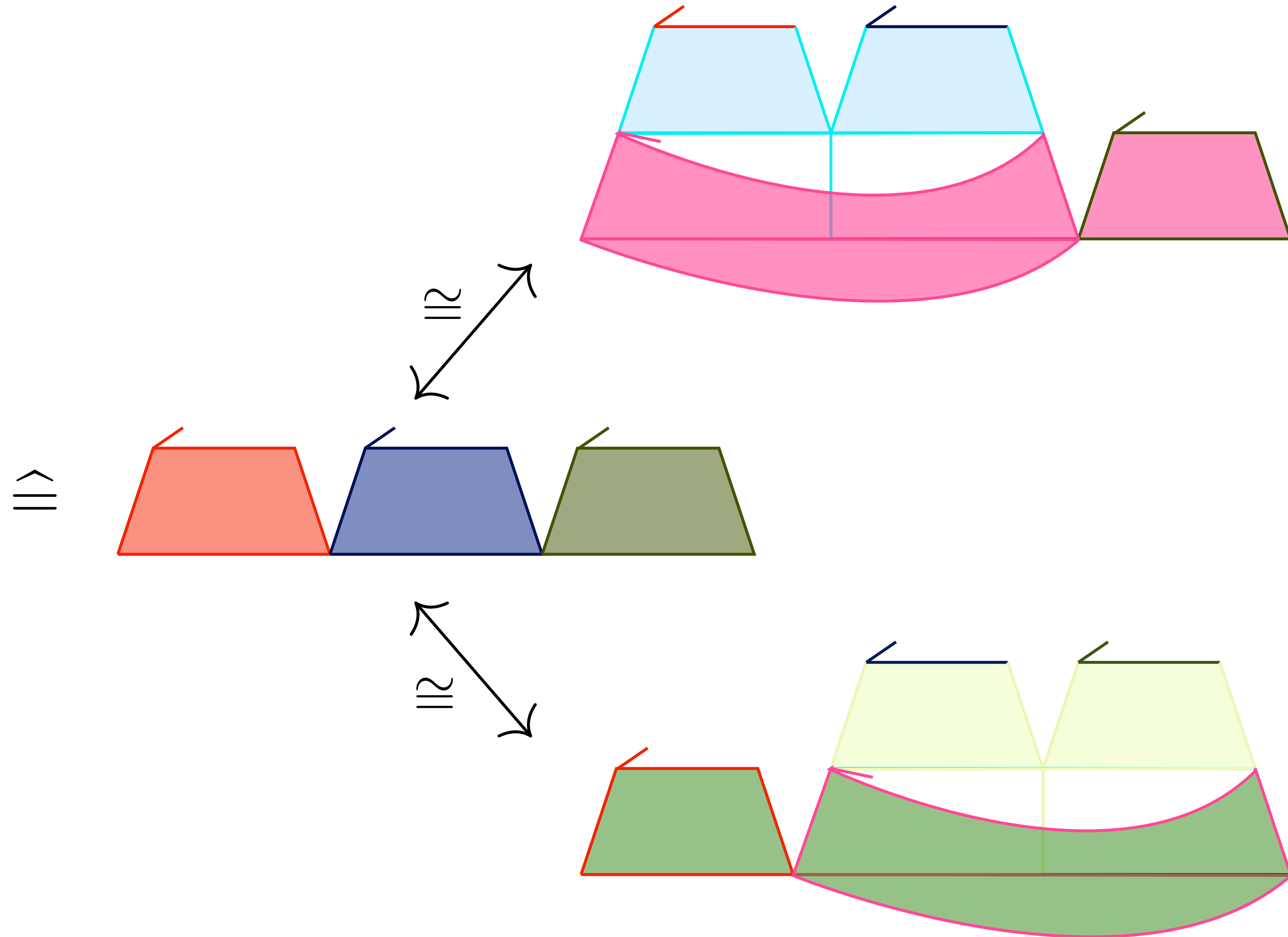
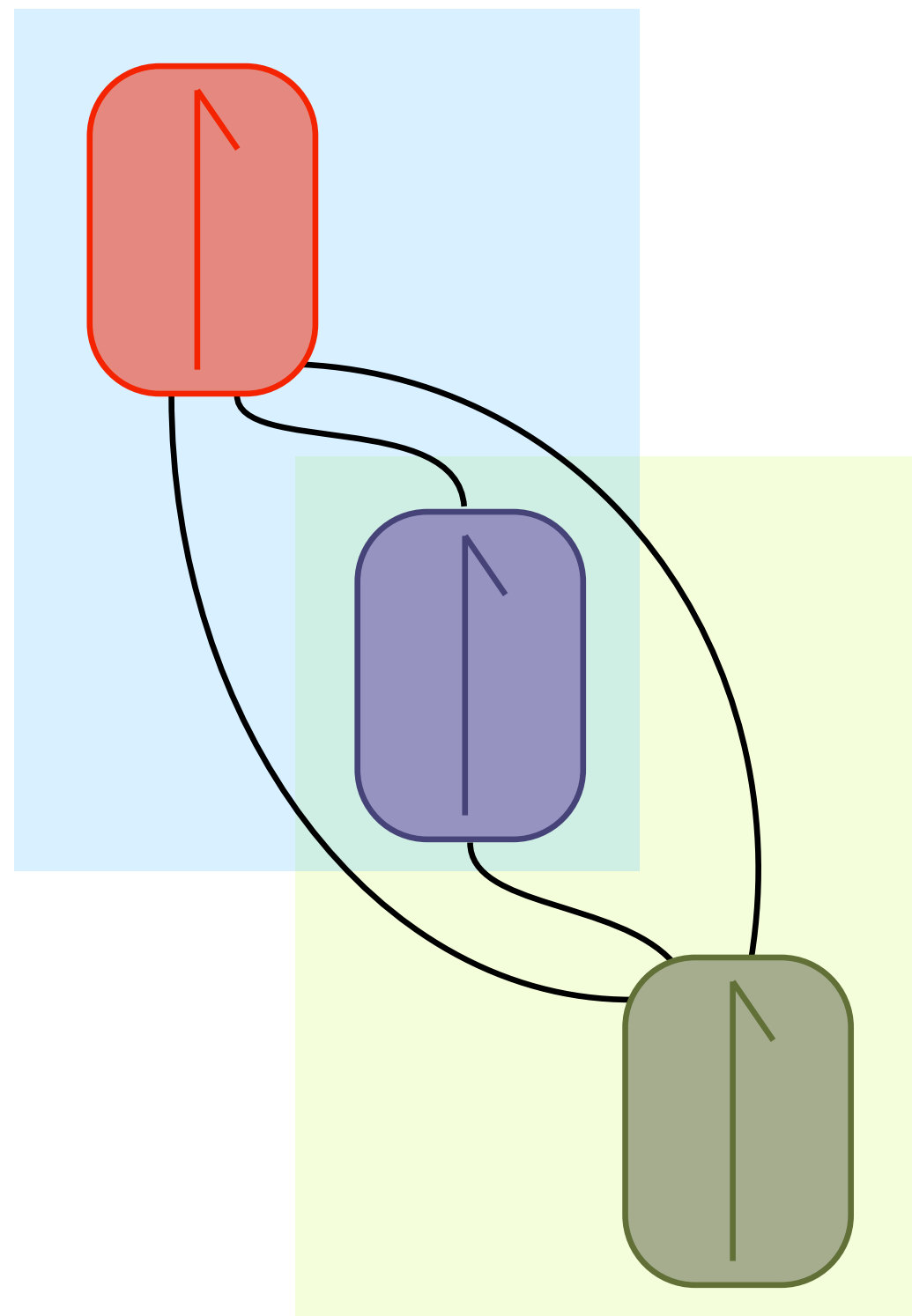
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# Motivation: key property of compositional rewriting theory



# Construction of a suitable **decomposition space**

## Tracelet Hopf algebras and decomposition spaces

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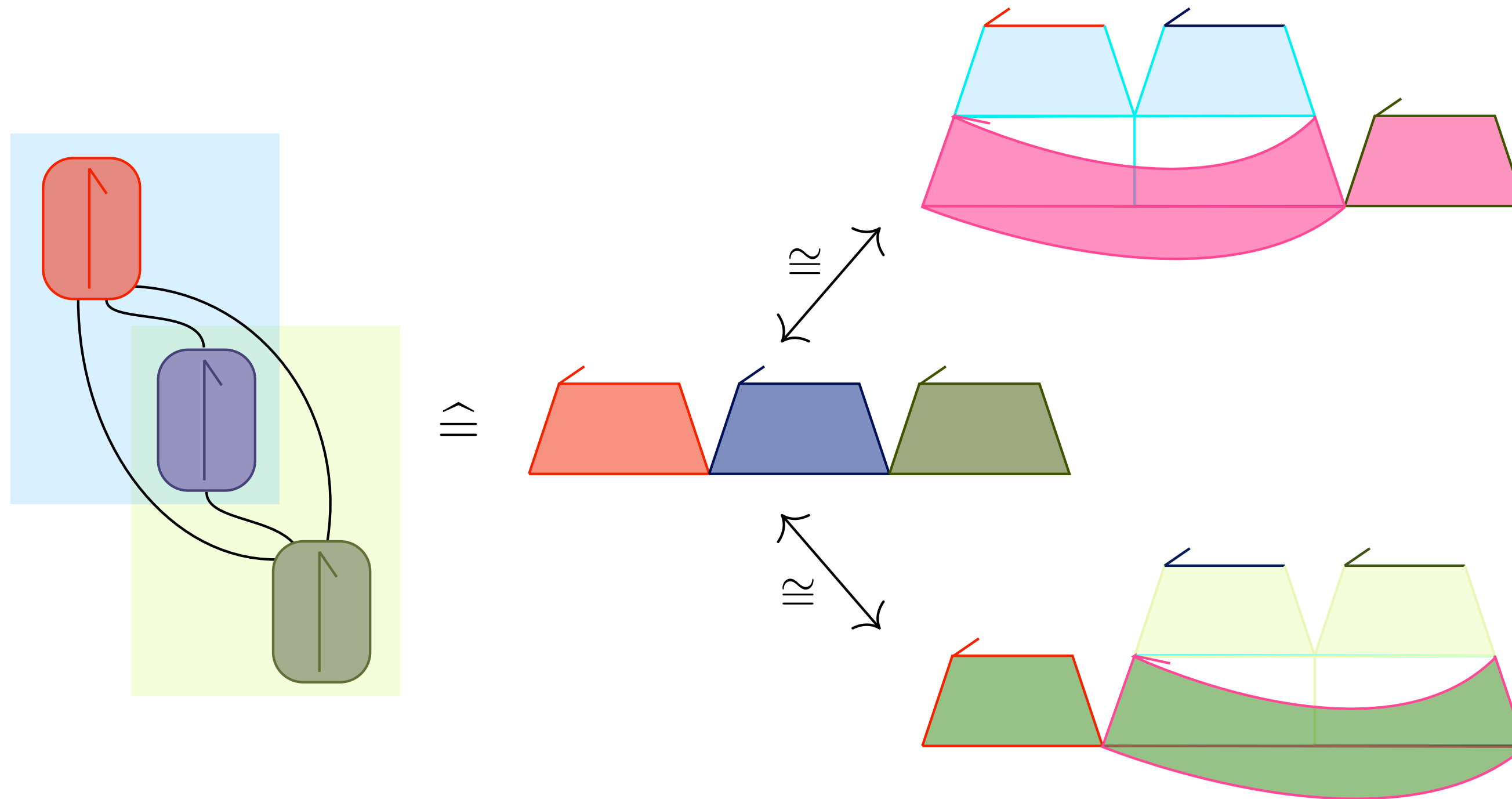
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$$\begin{array}{c}
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 \xrightarrow{s_0} \quad \xrightarrow{s_1} \quad \xrightarrow{s_2} \\
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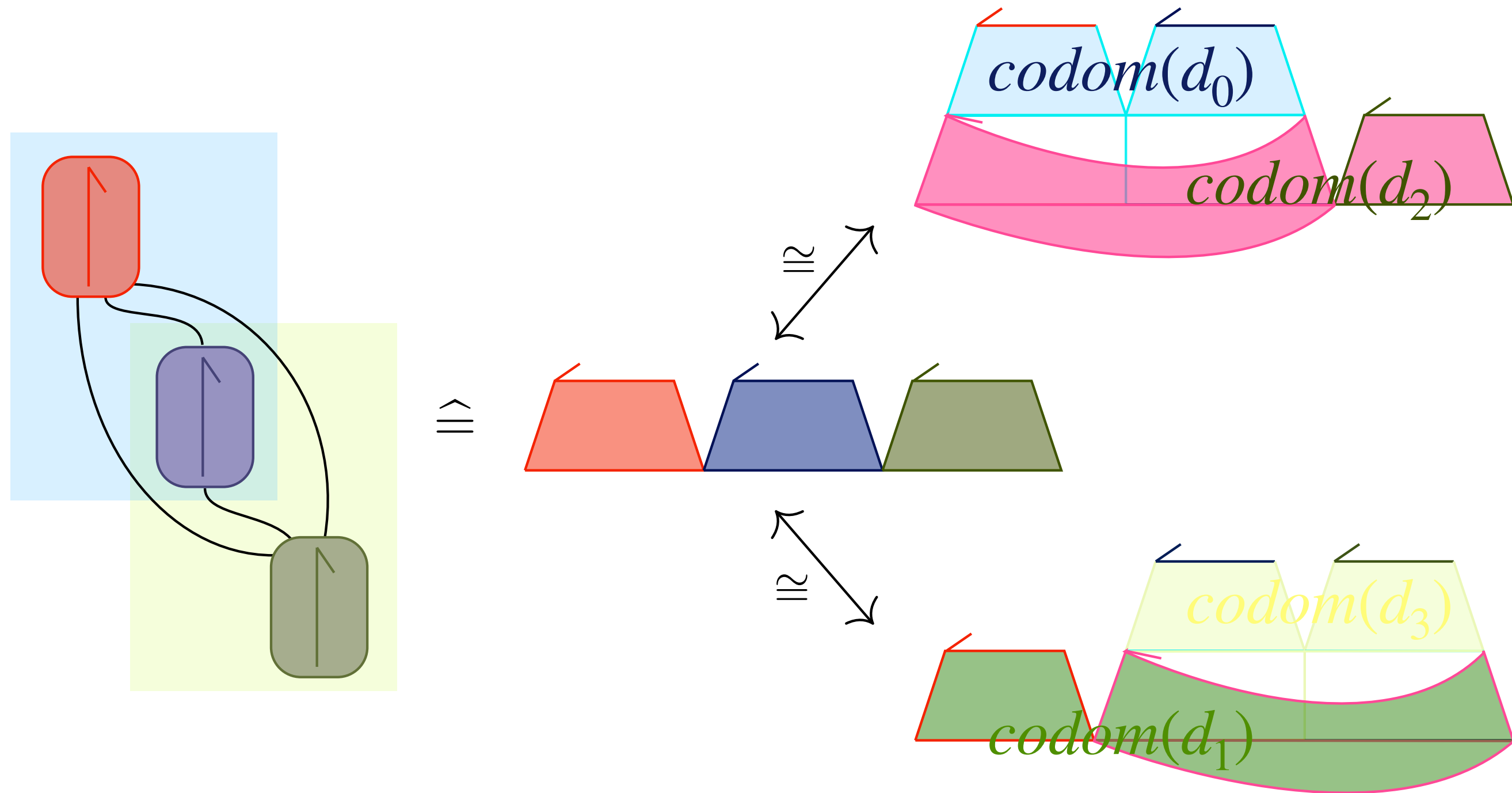
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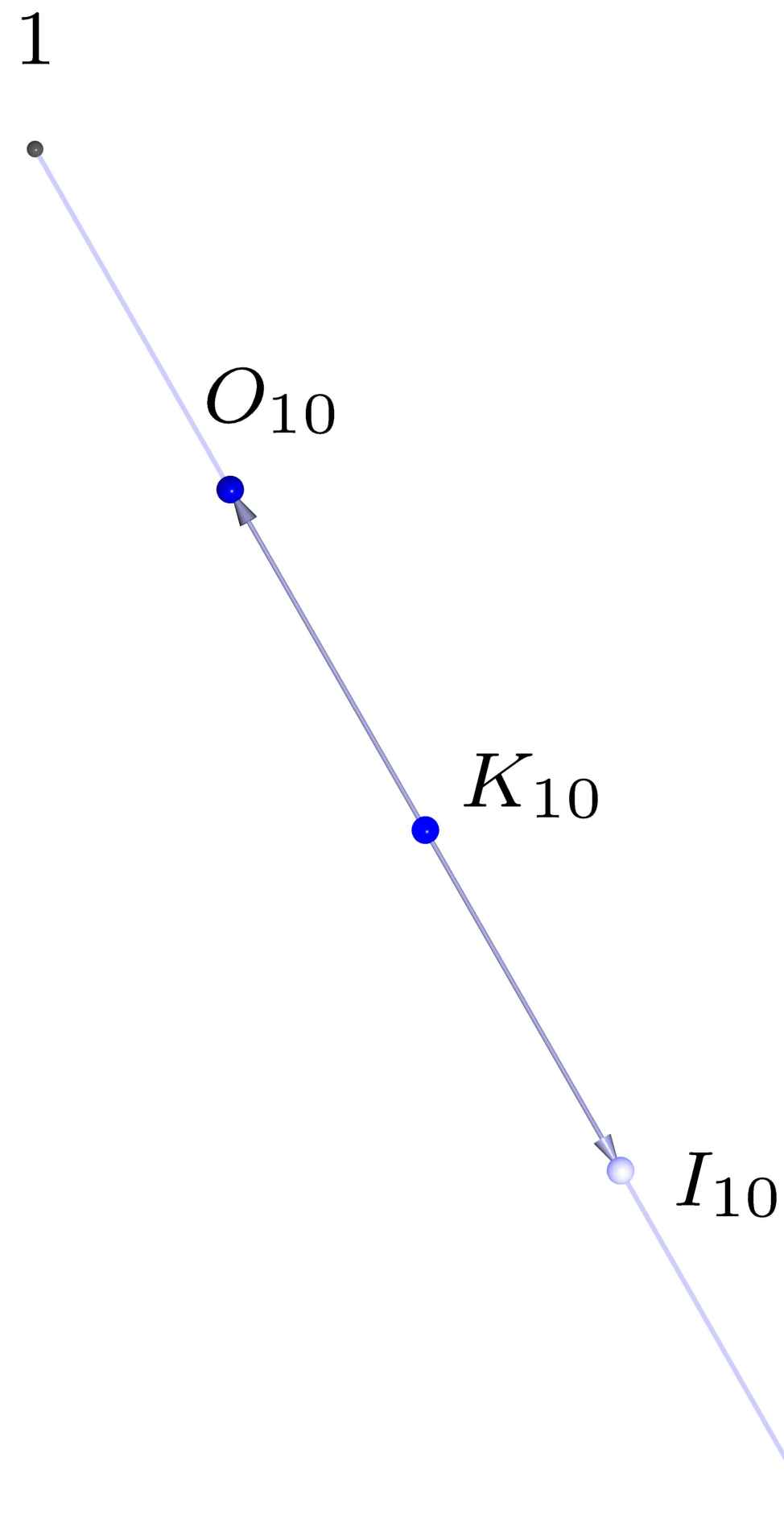
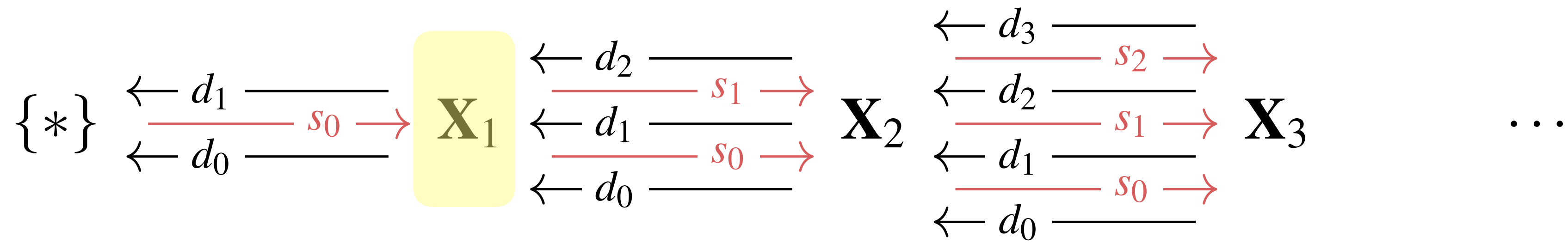
**First hint:** at **length 3**, the top and bottom diagrams in the equivalence suggest **four “forgetful” mappings**, which are the candidates for the **face maps**  $d_0, \dots, d_3$

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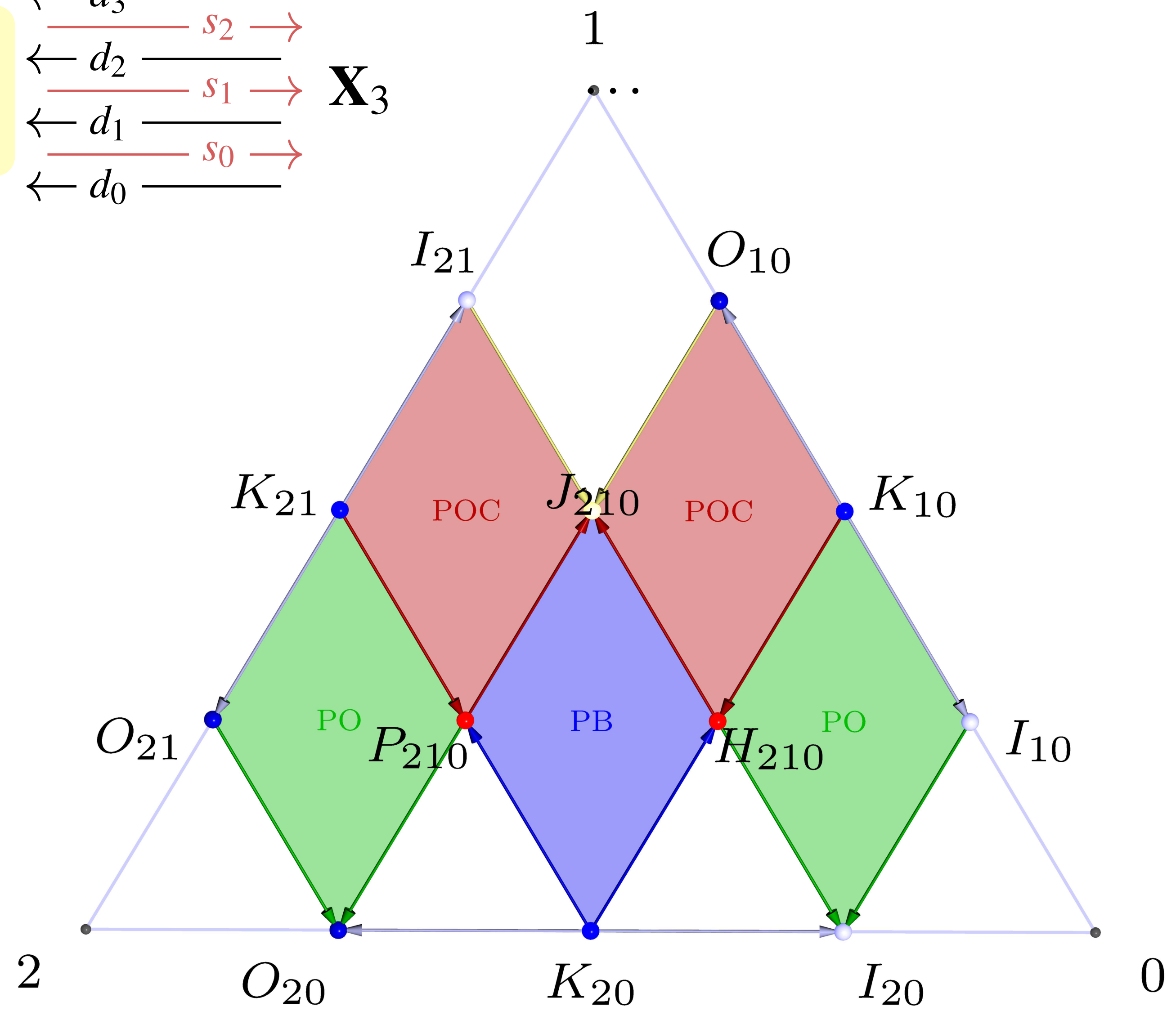
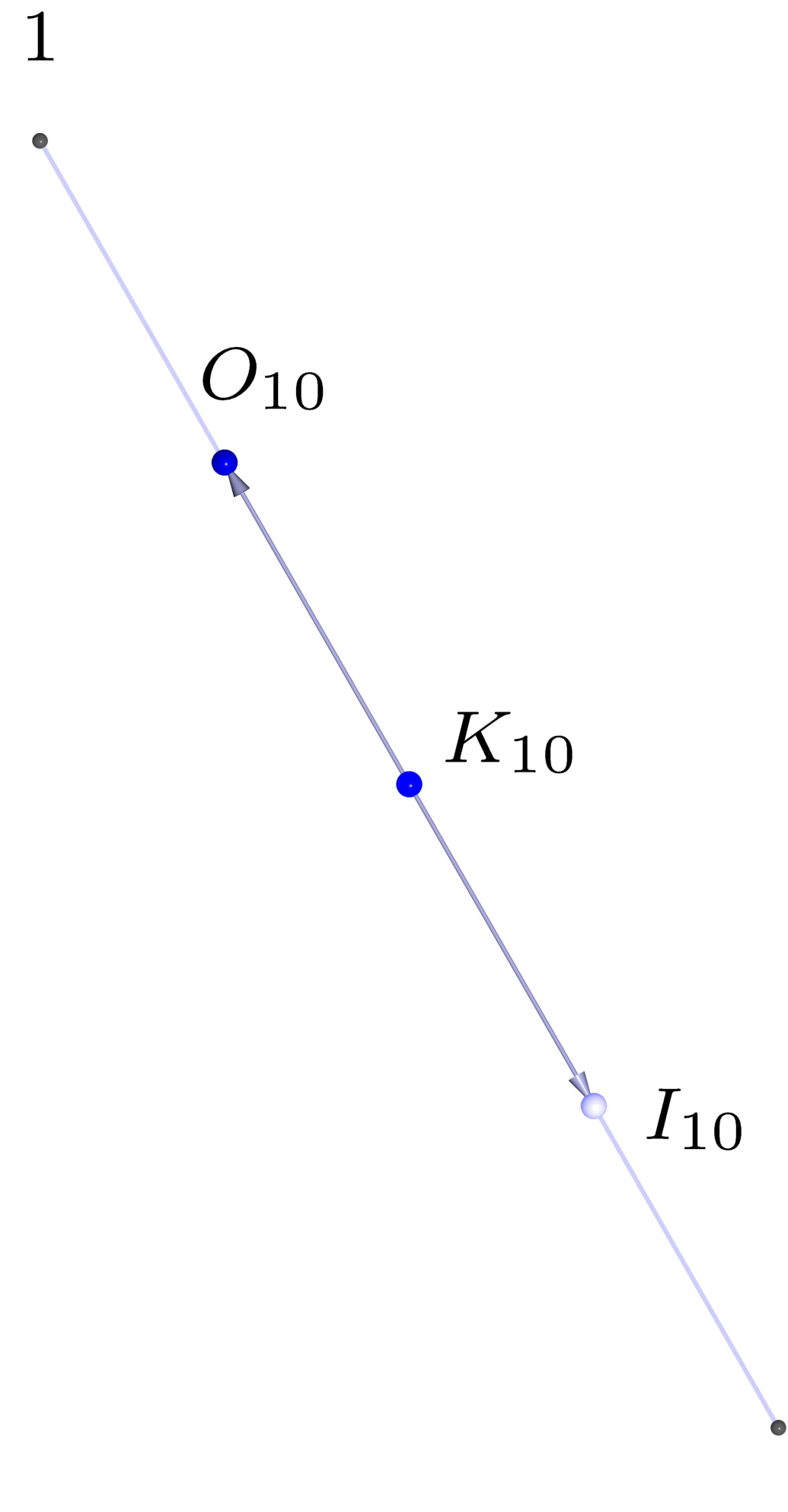
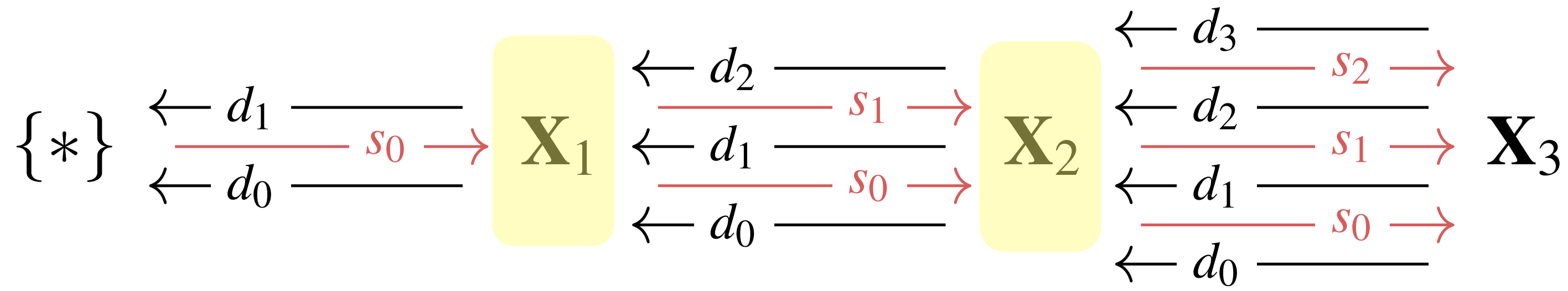
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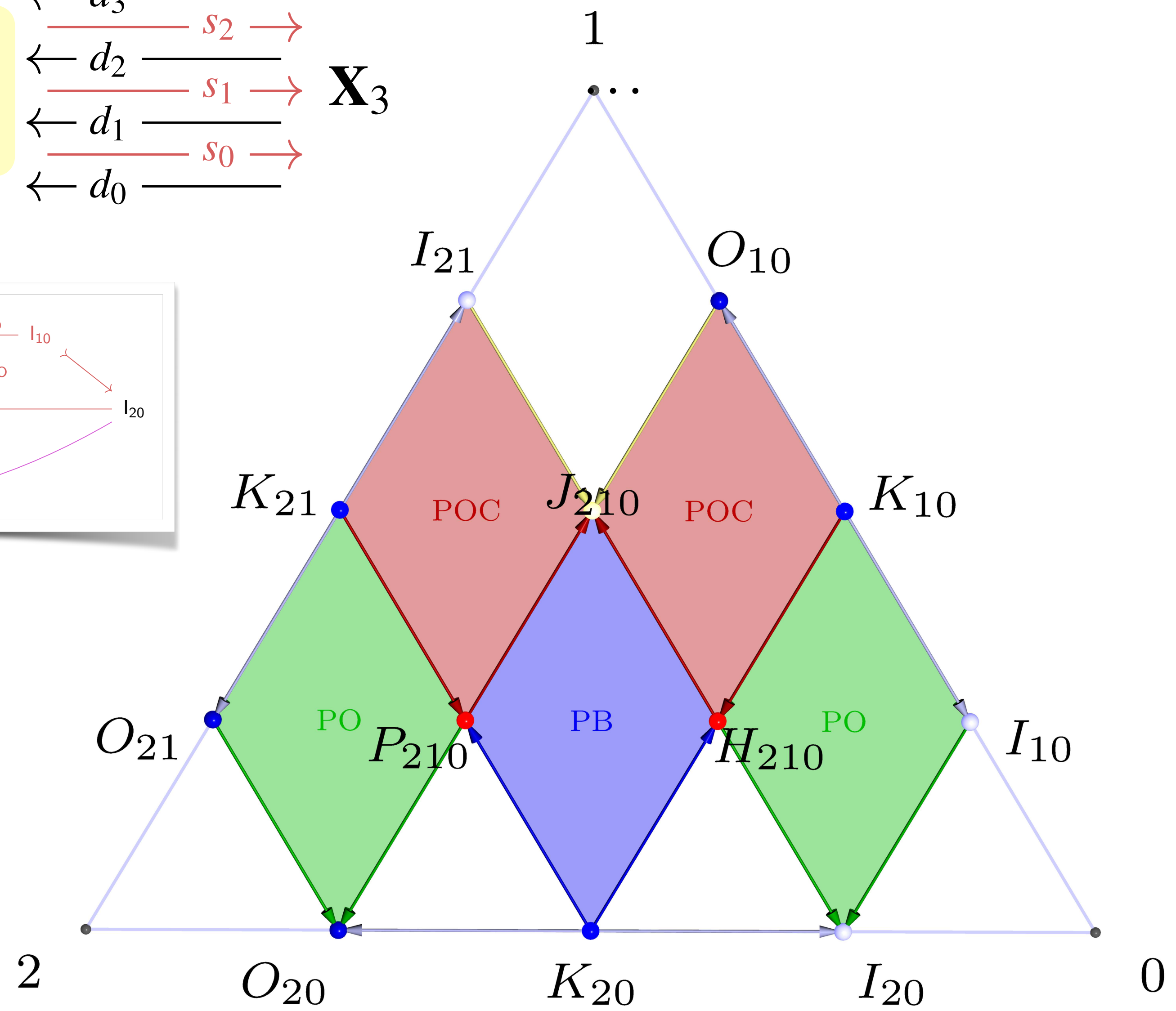
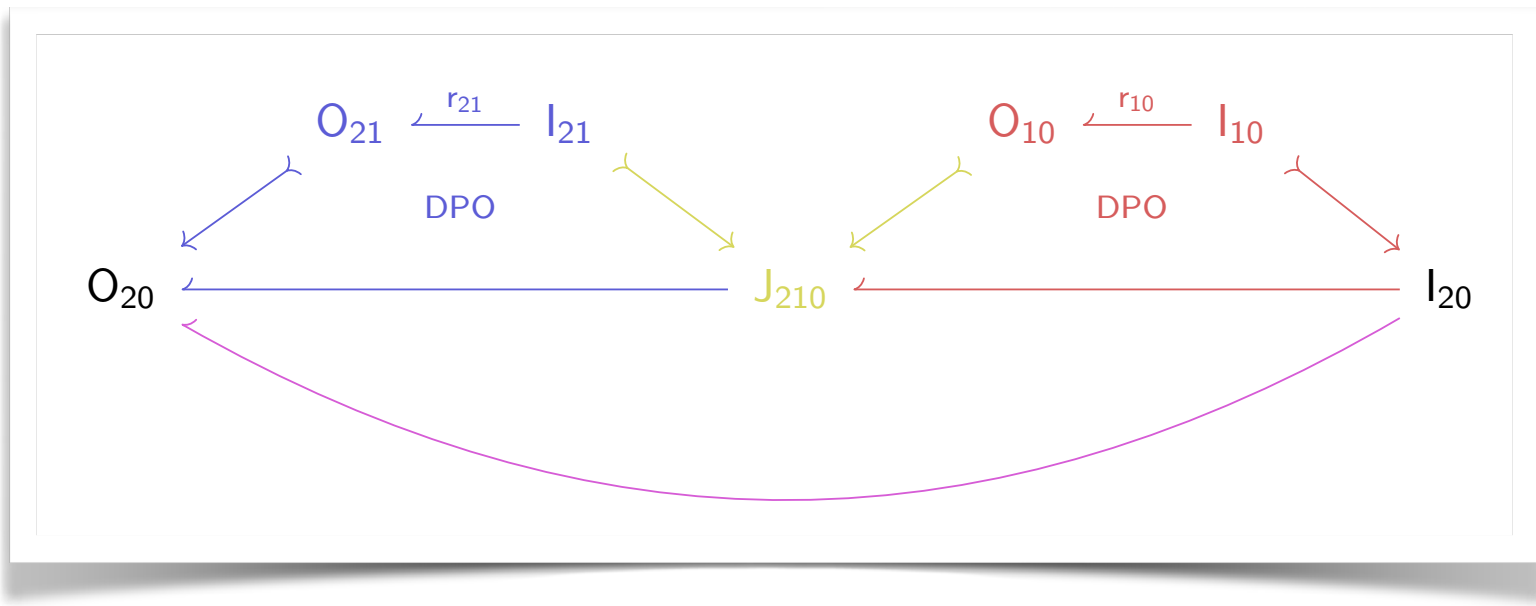
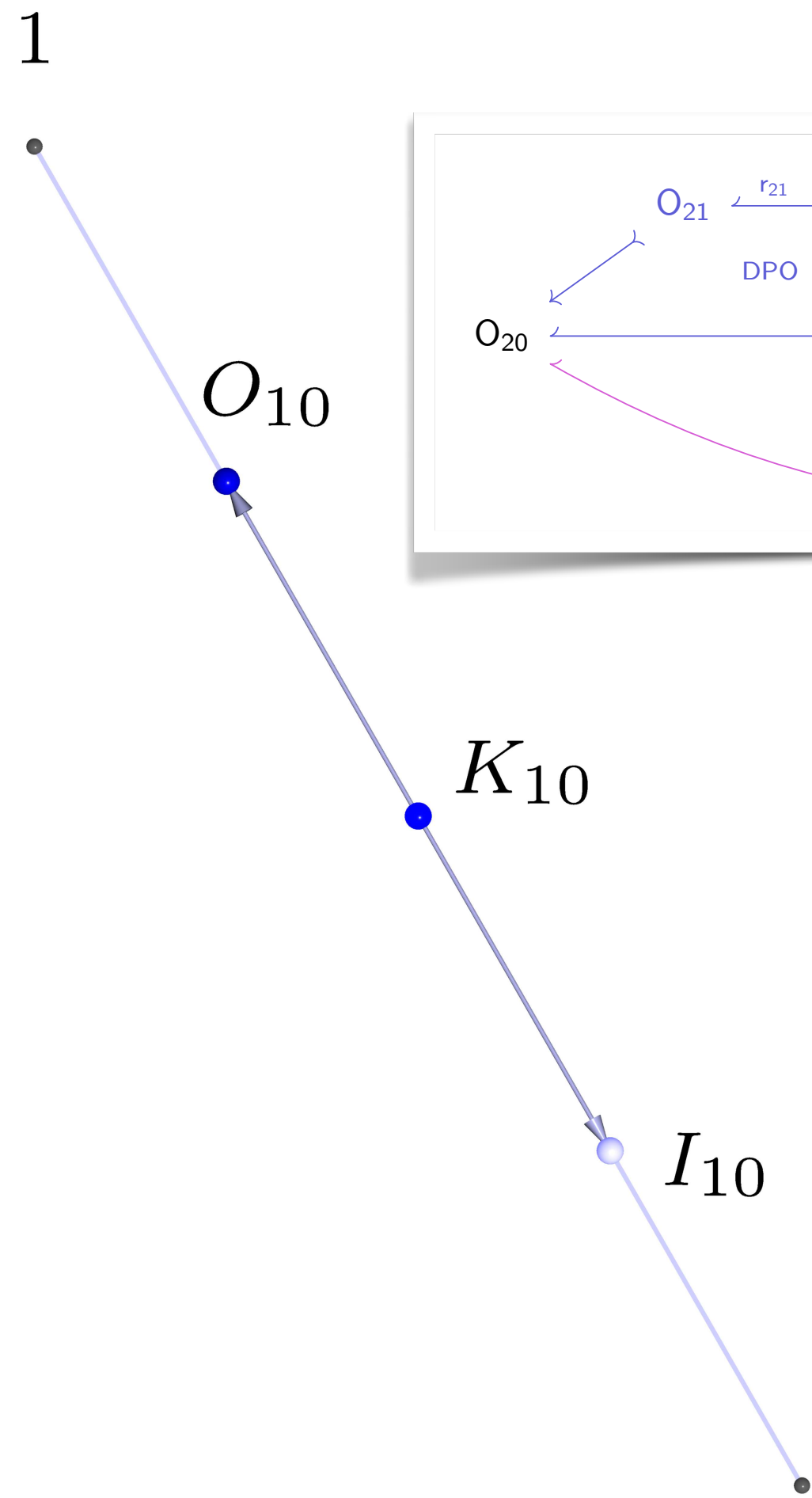
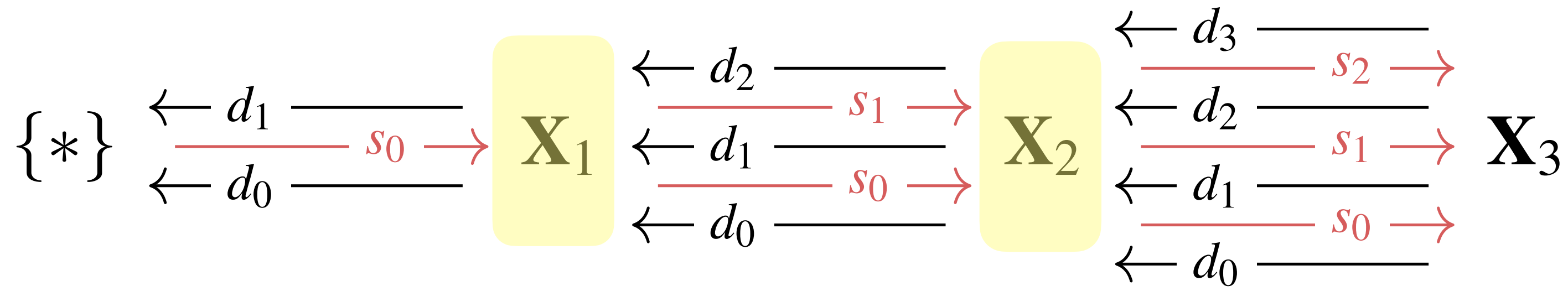
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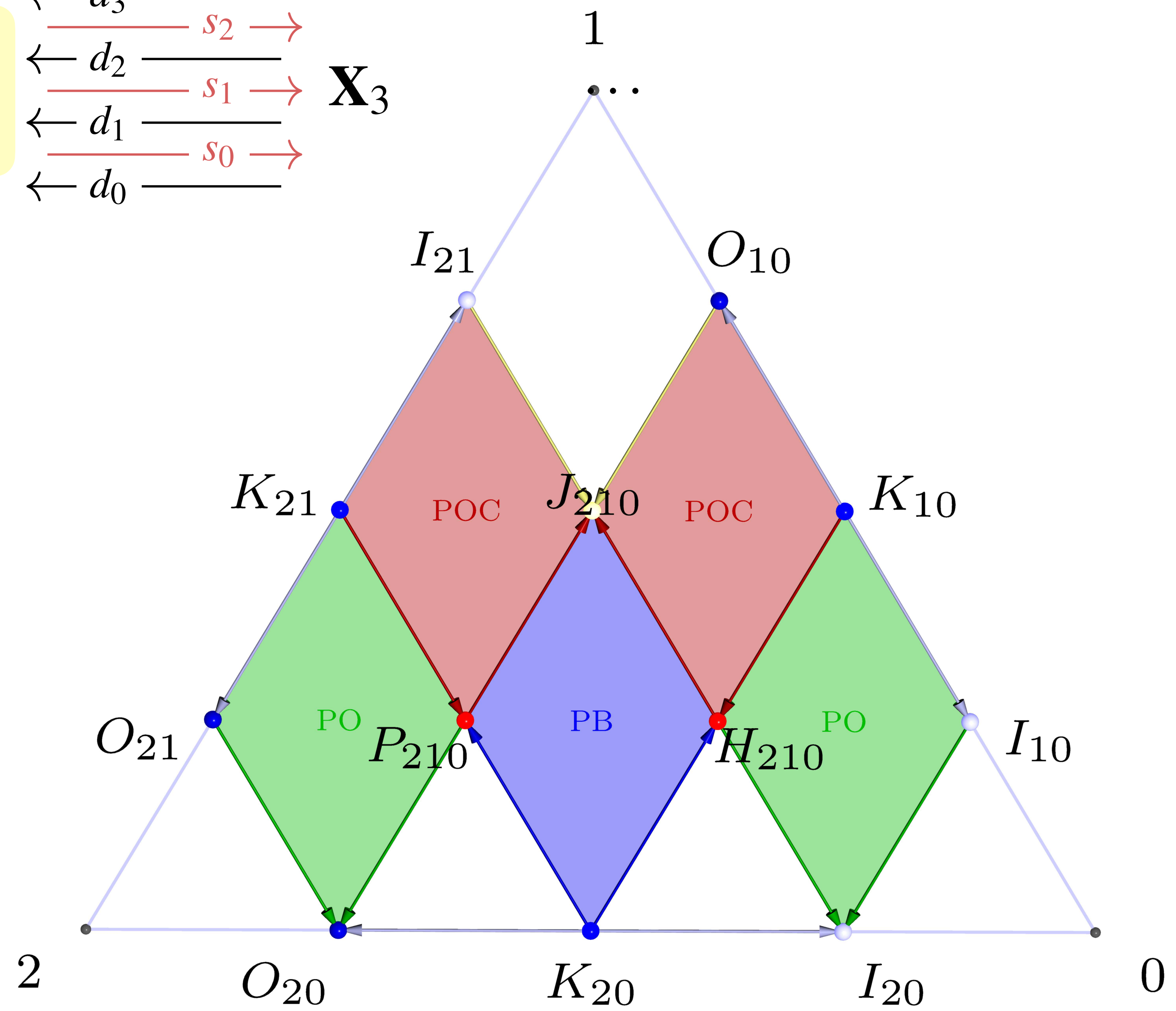
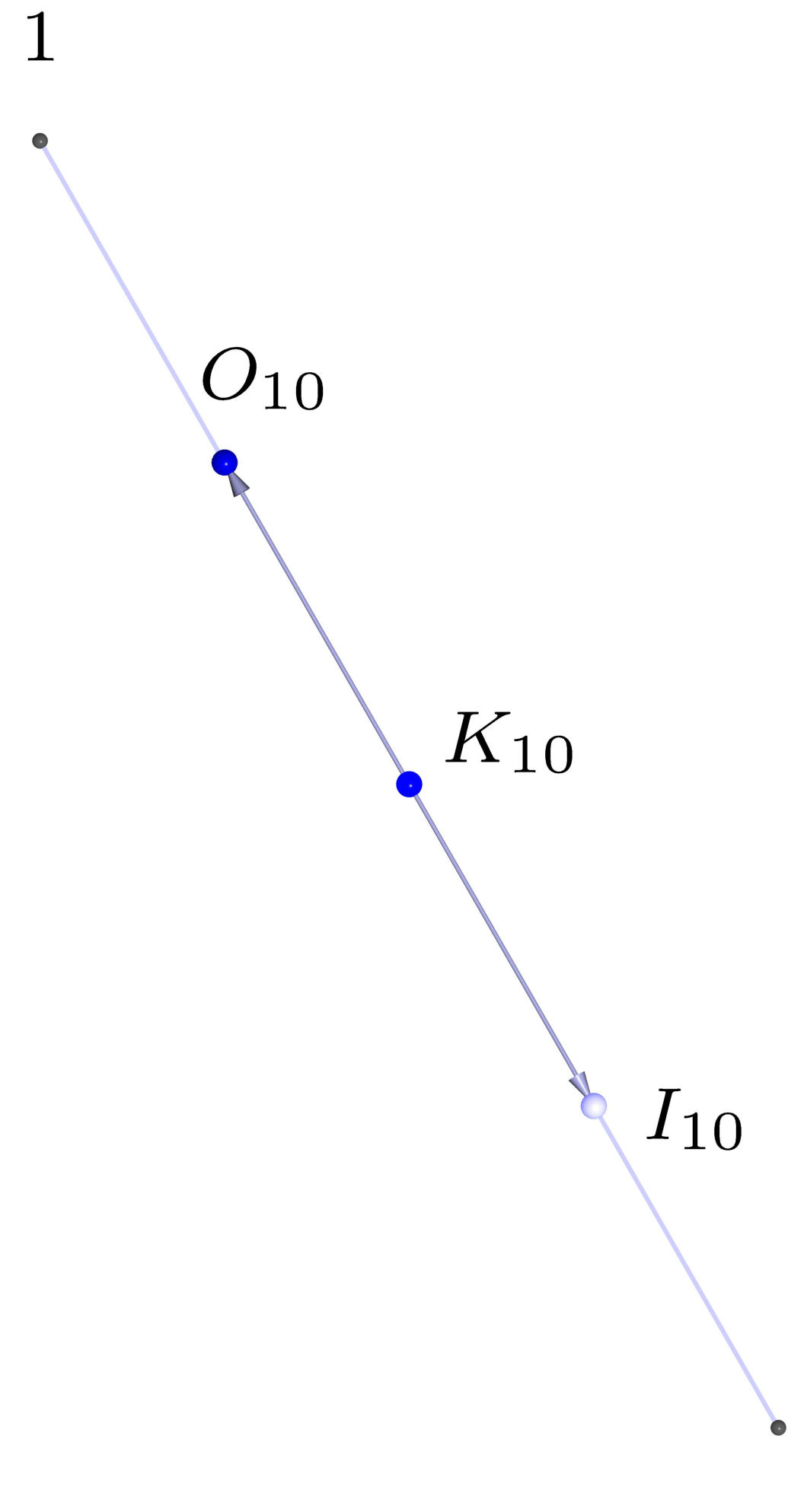
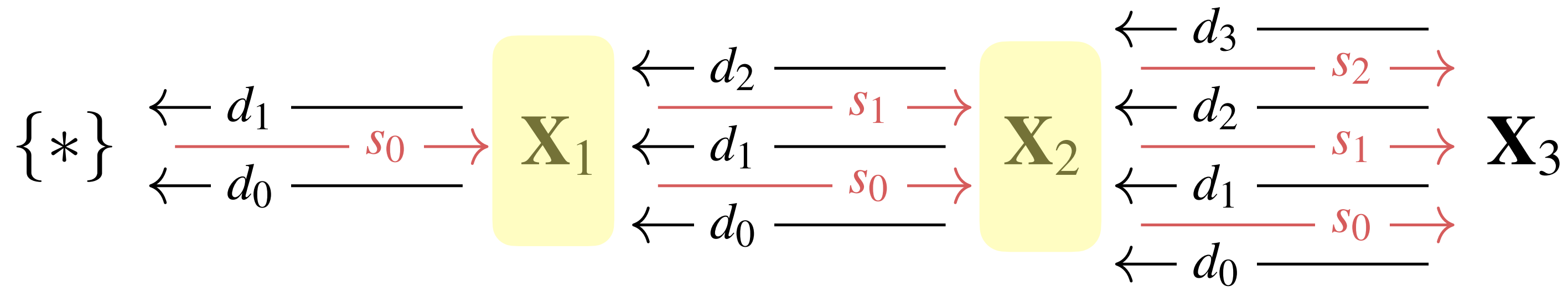
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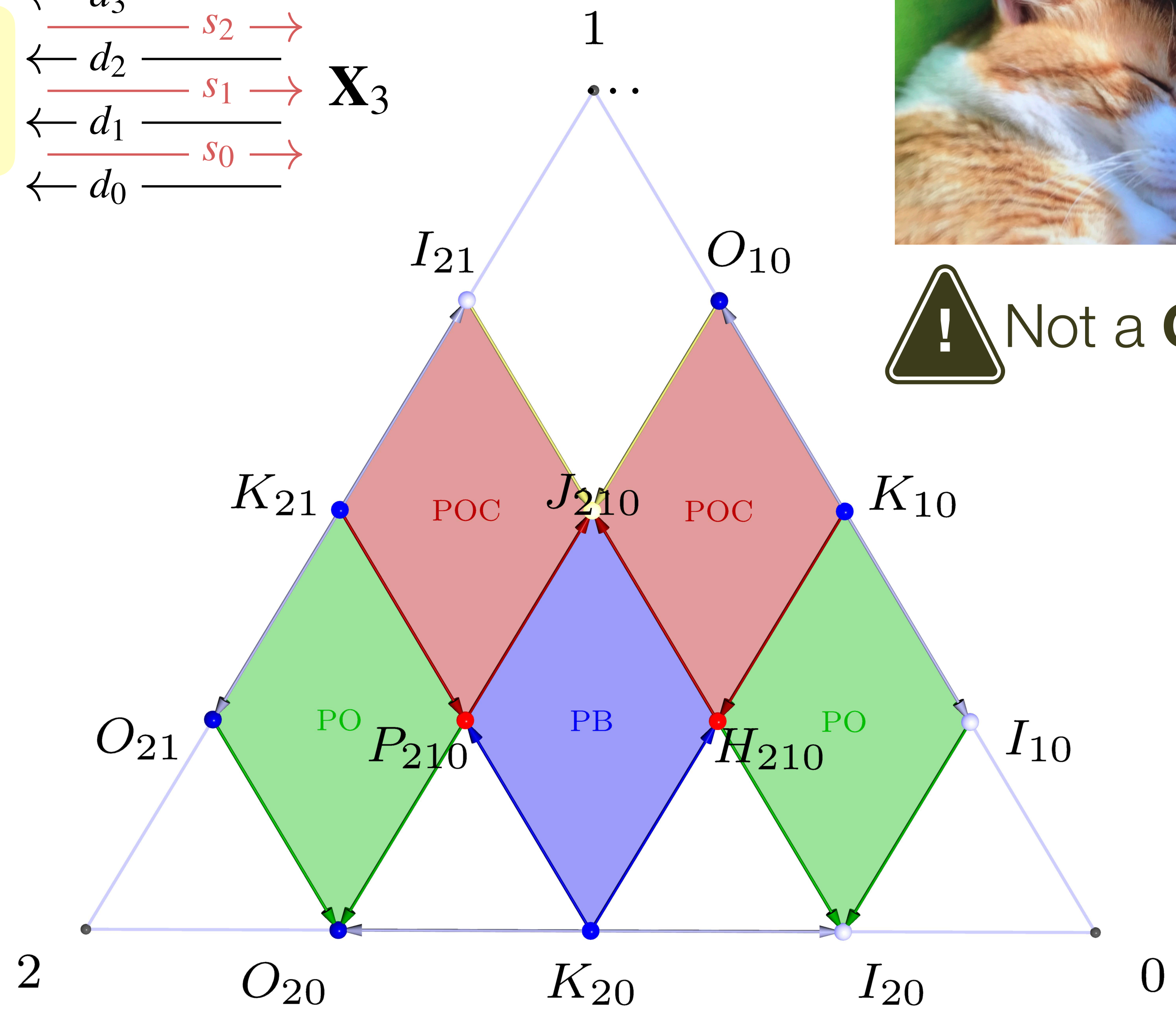
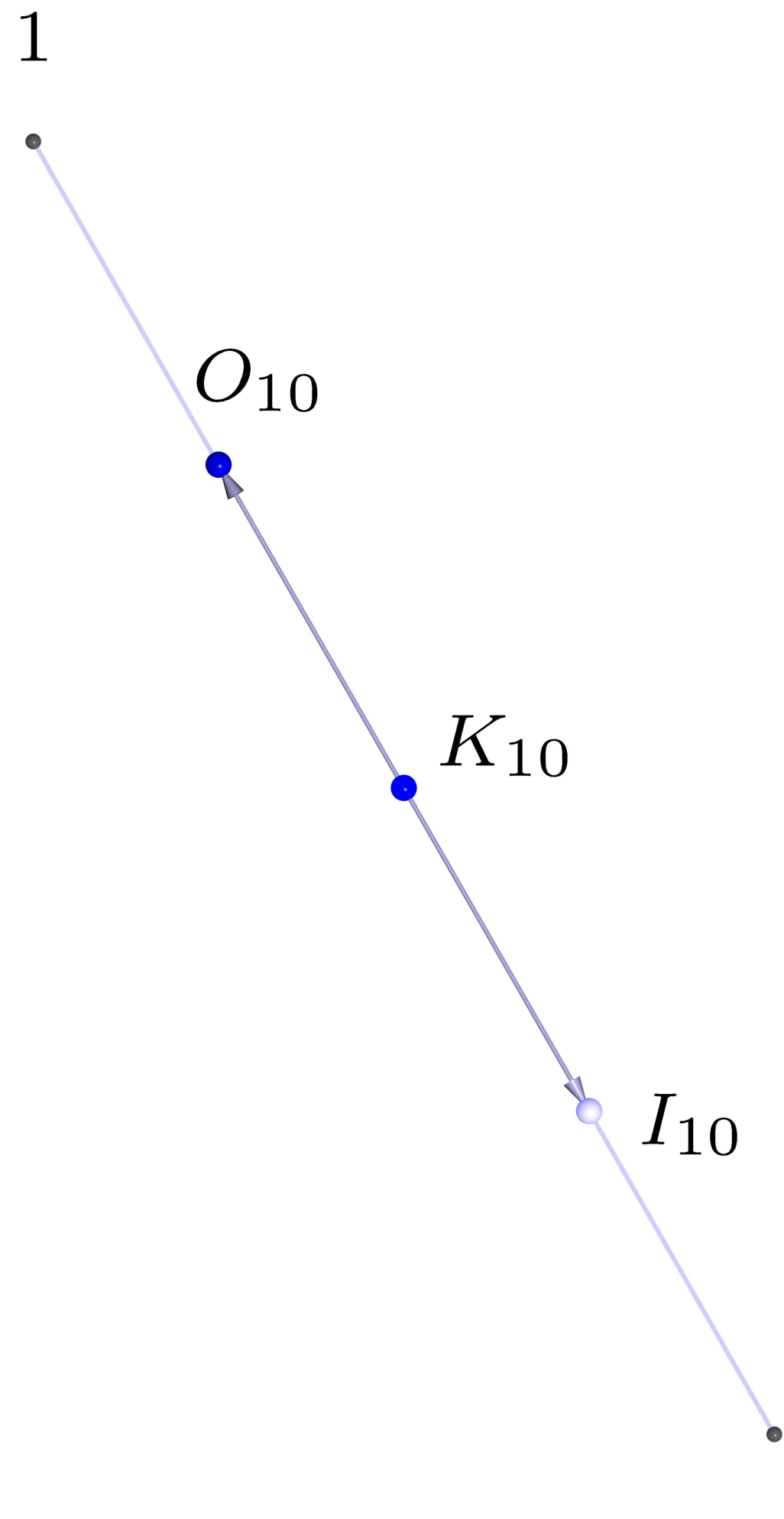
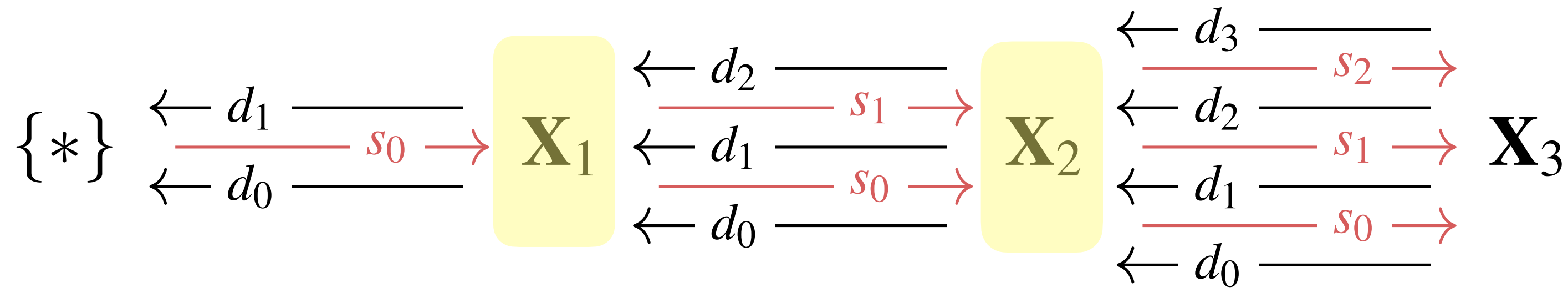
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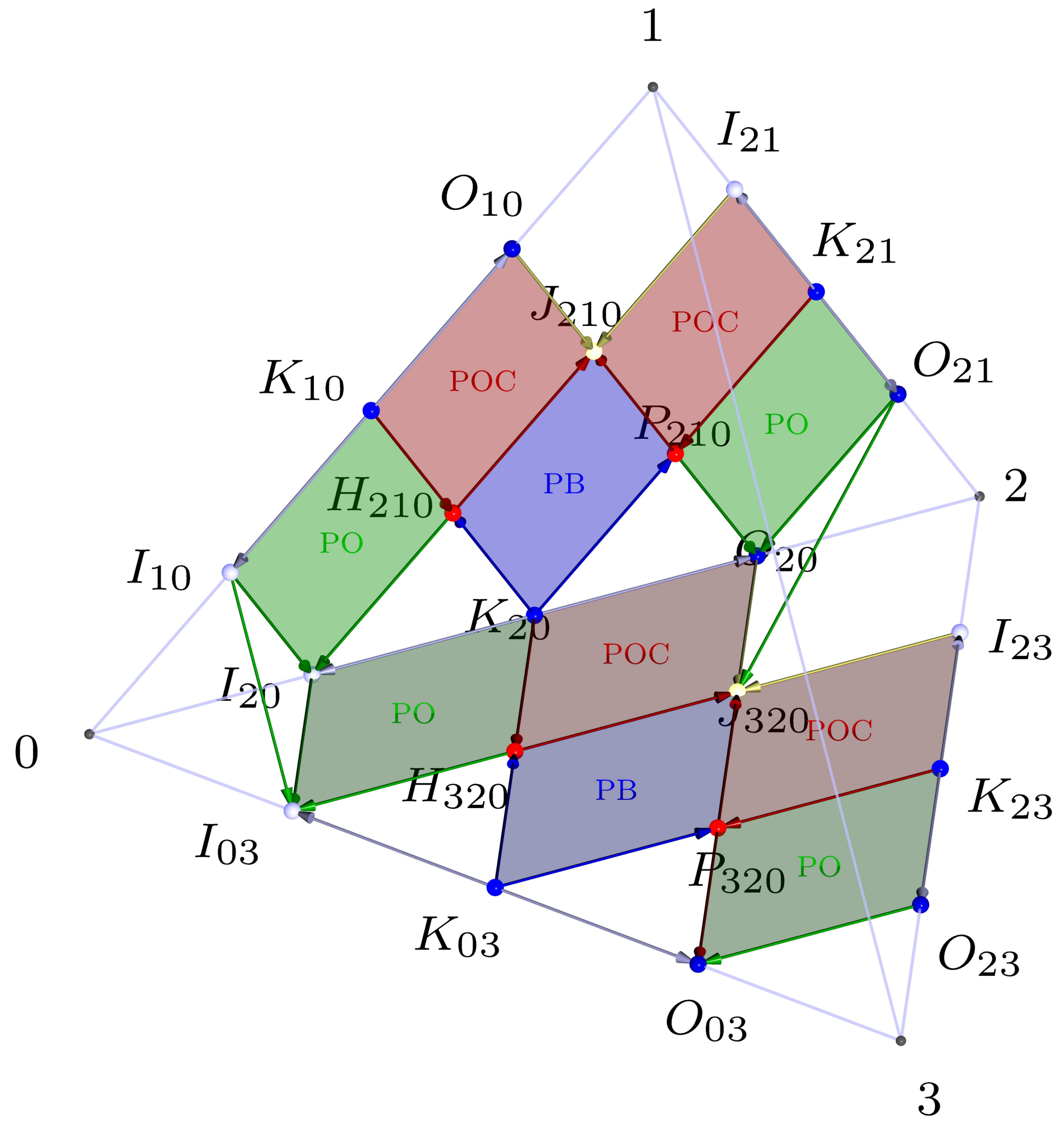
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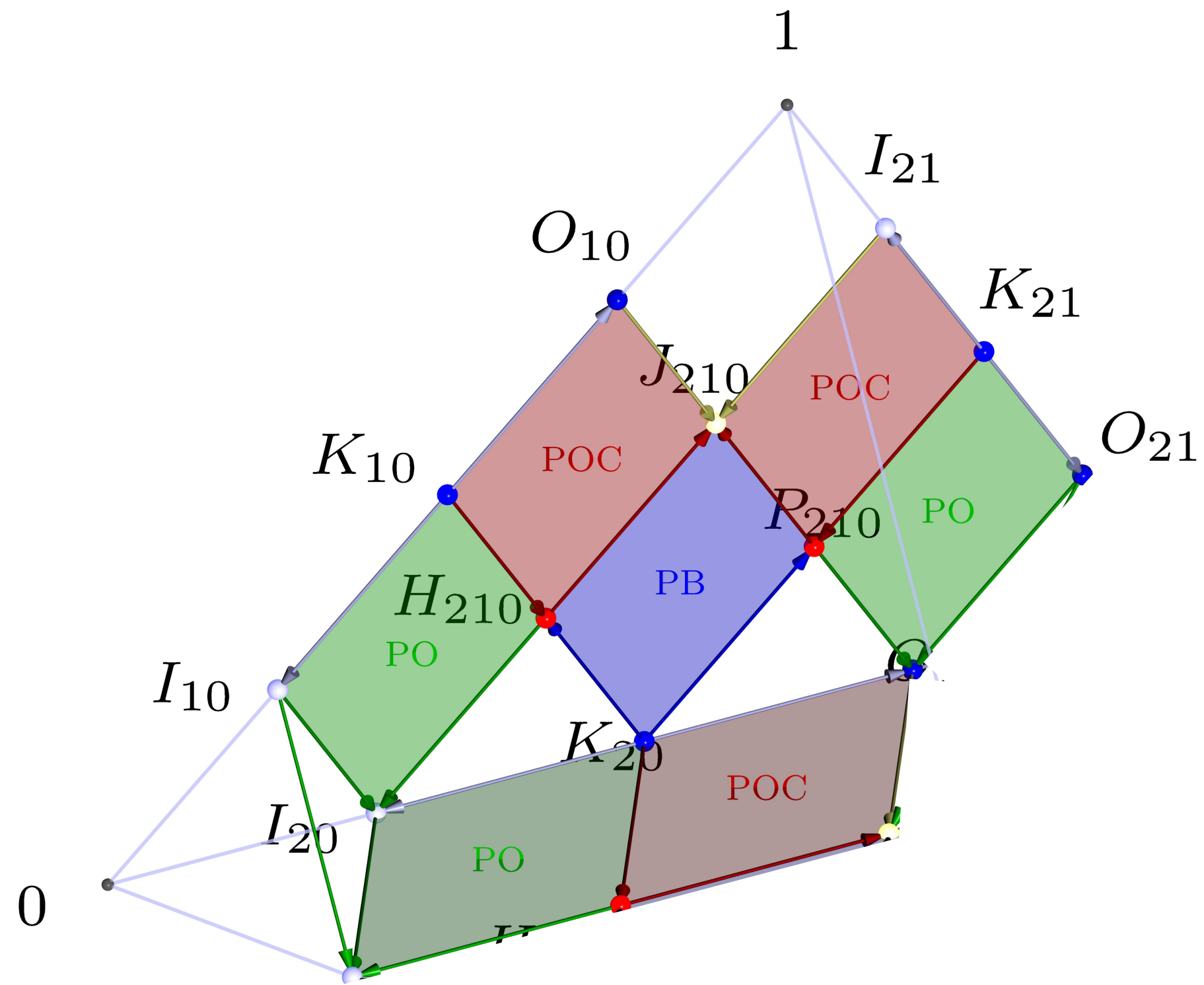


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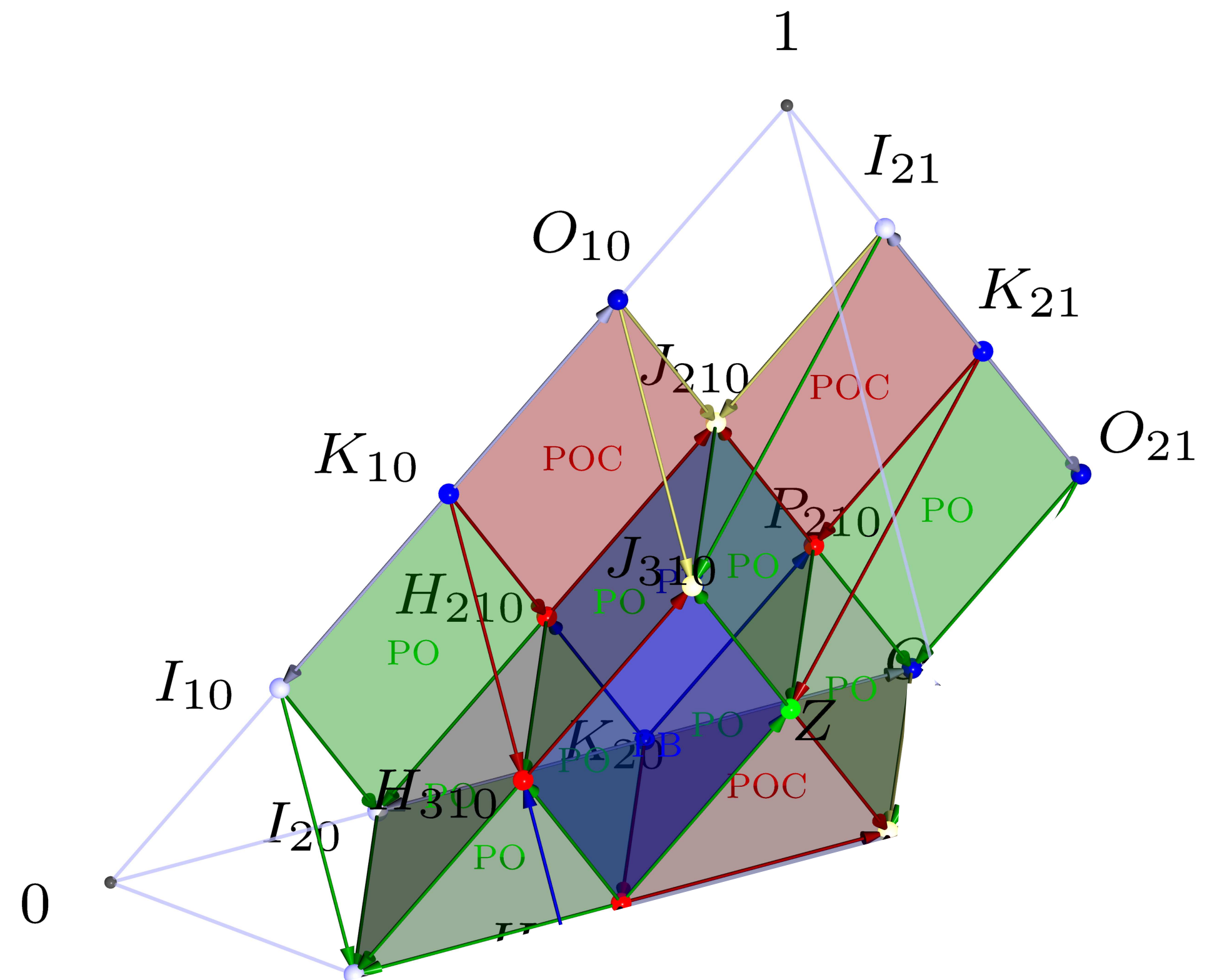
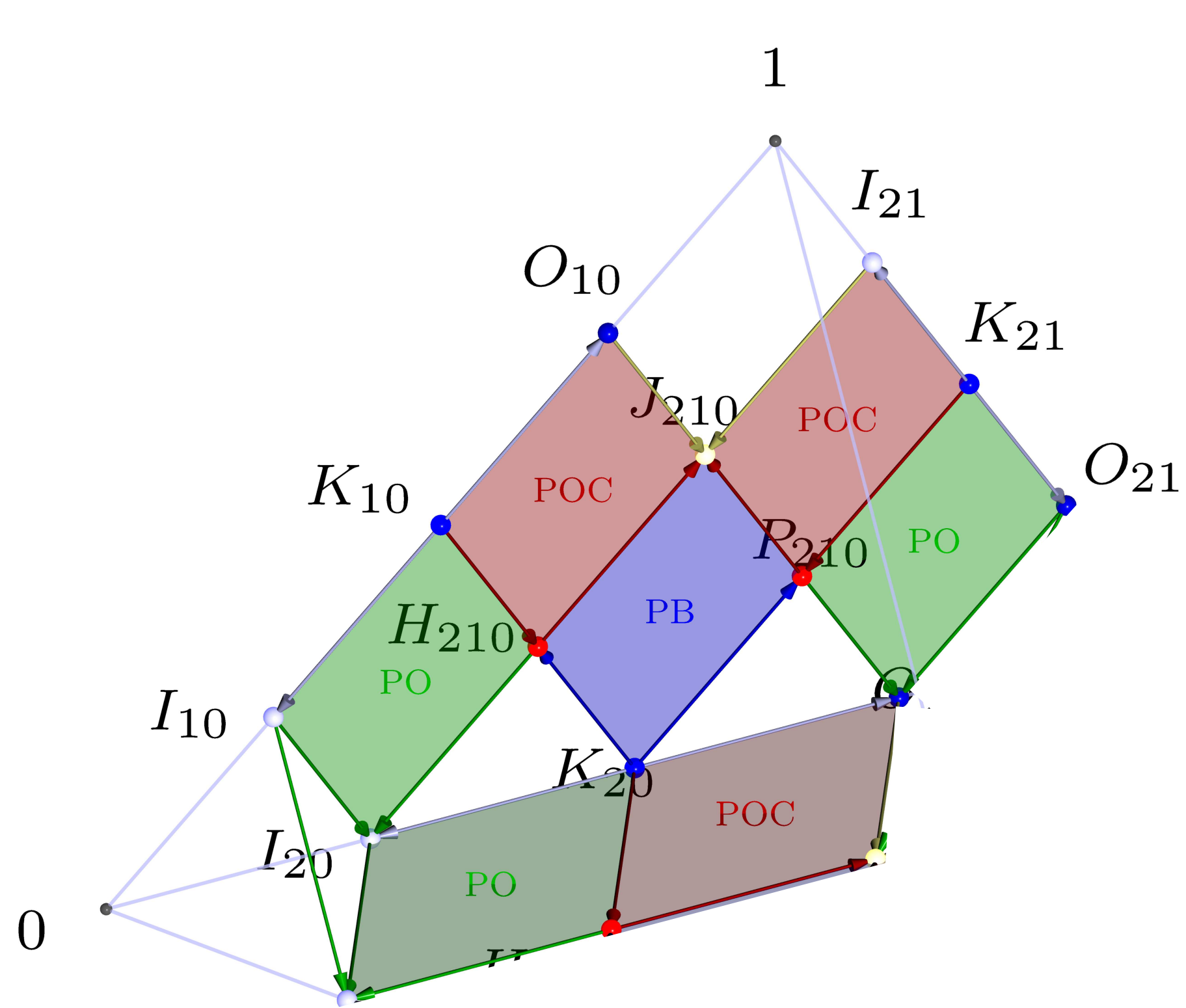




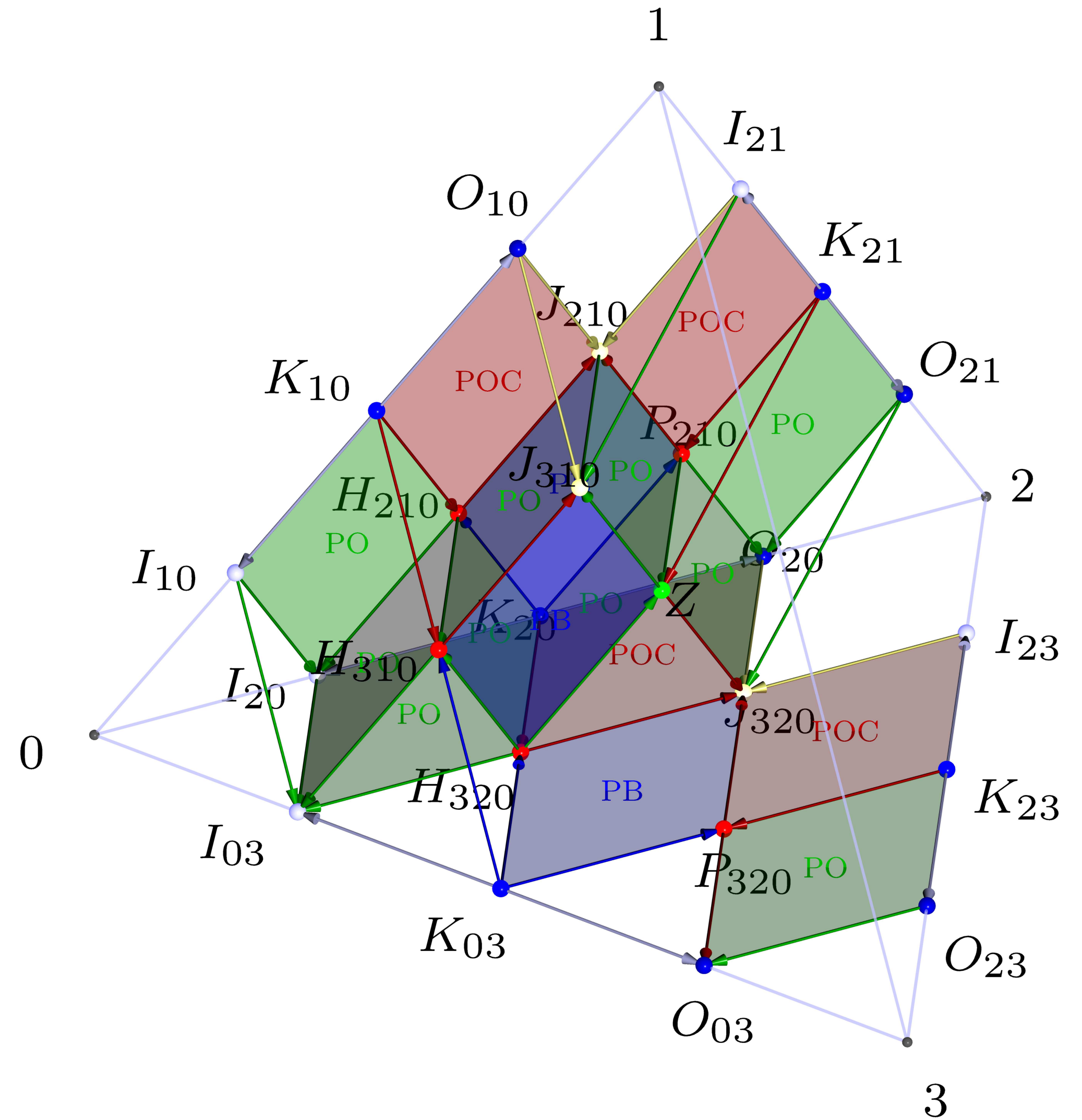
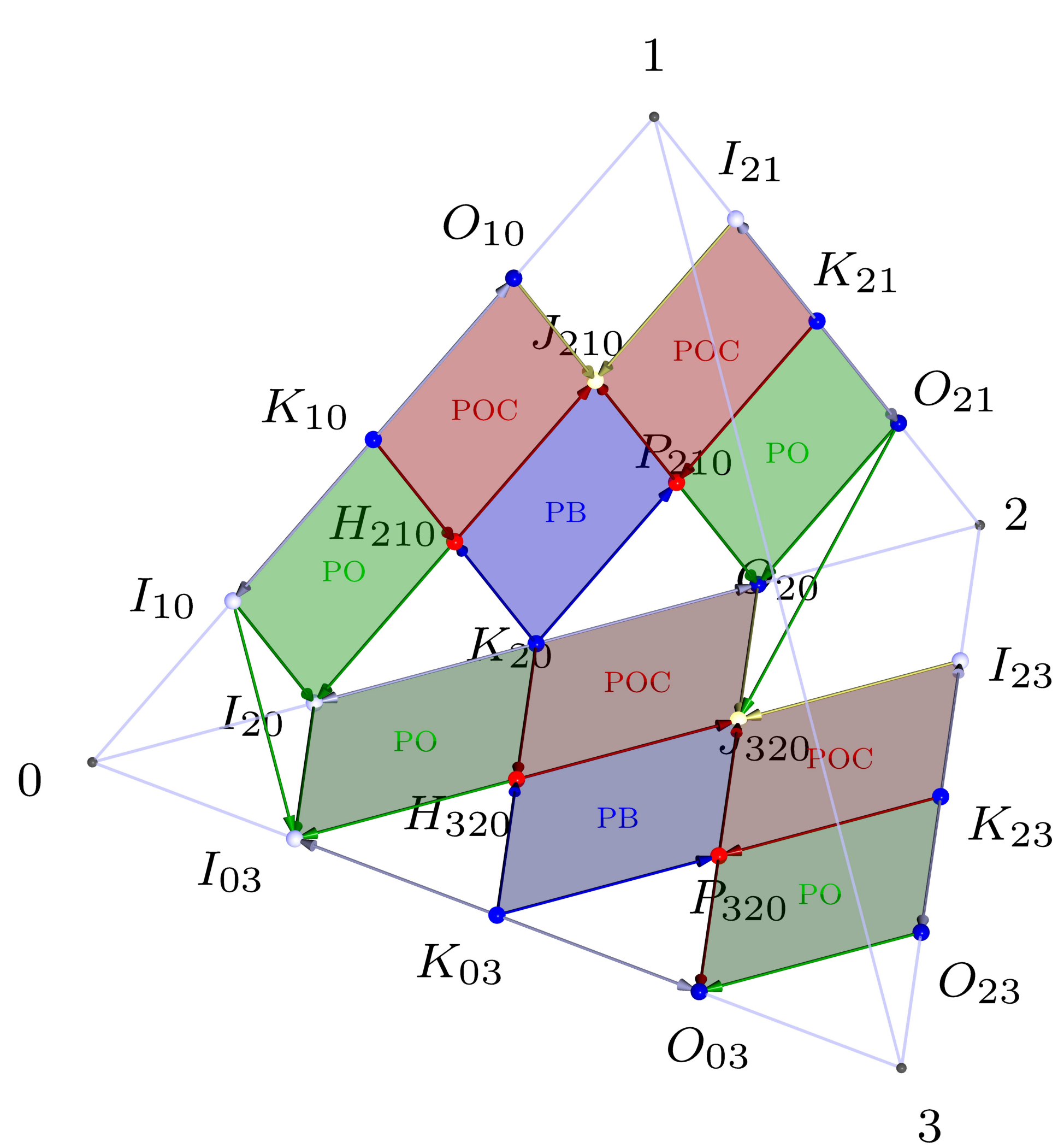
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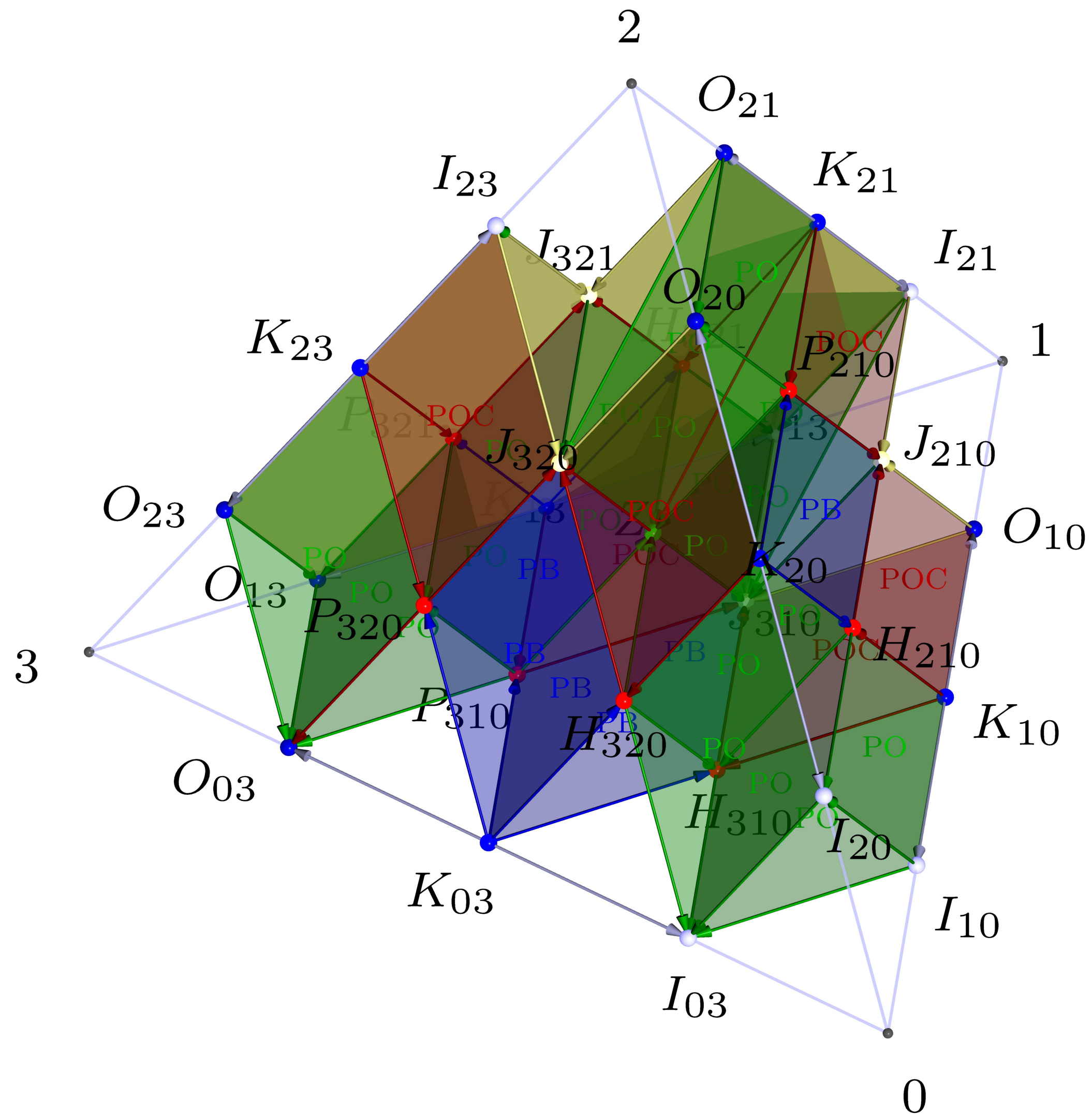
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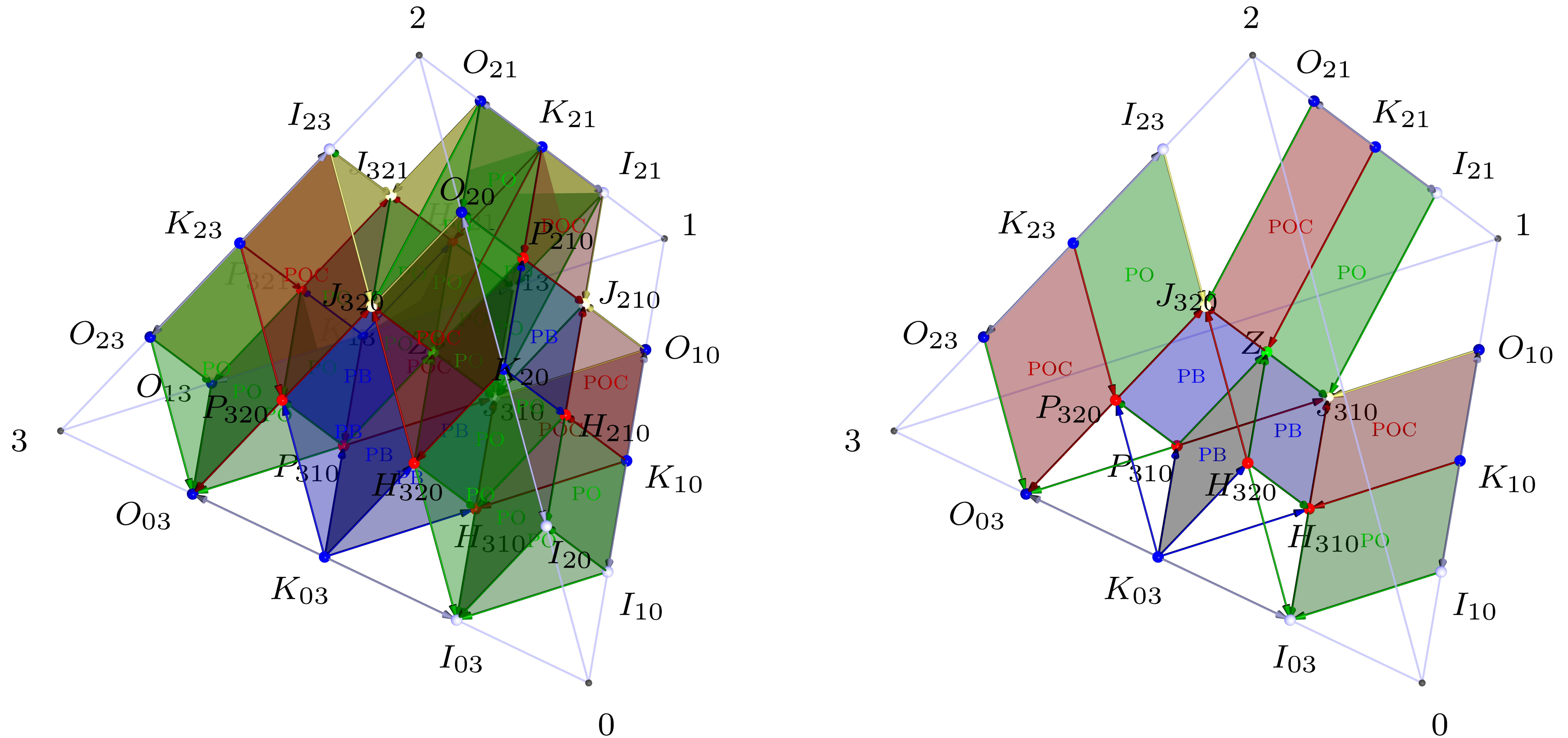
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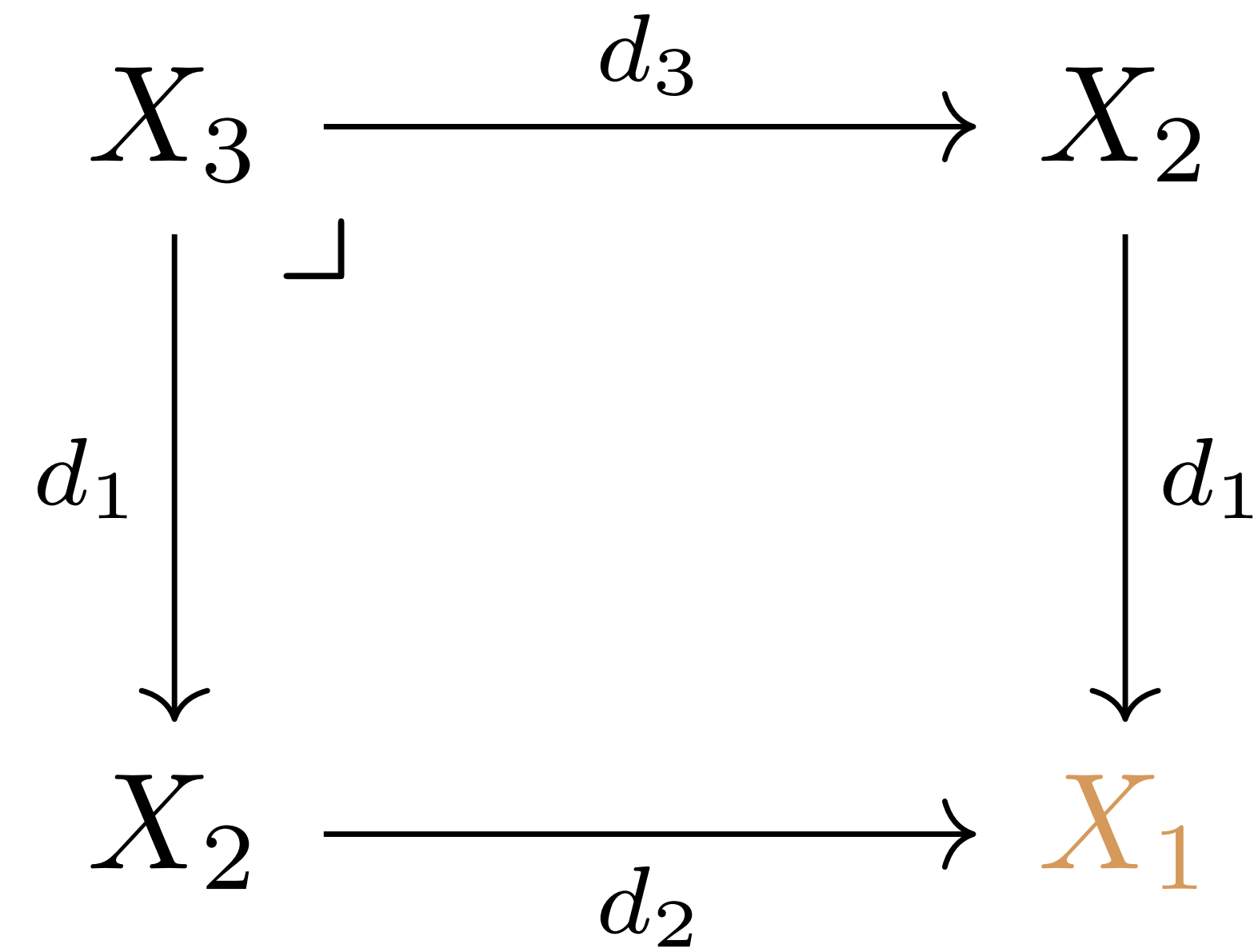
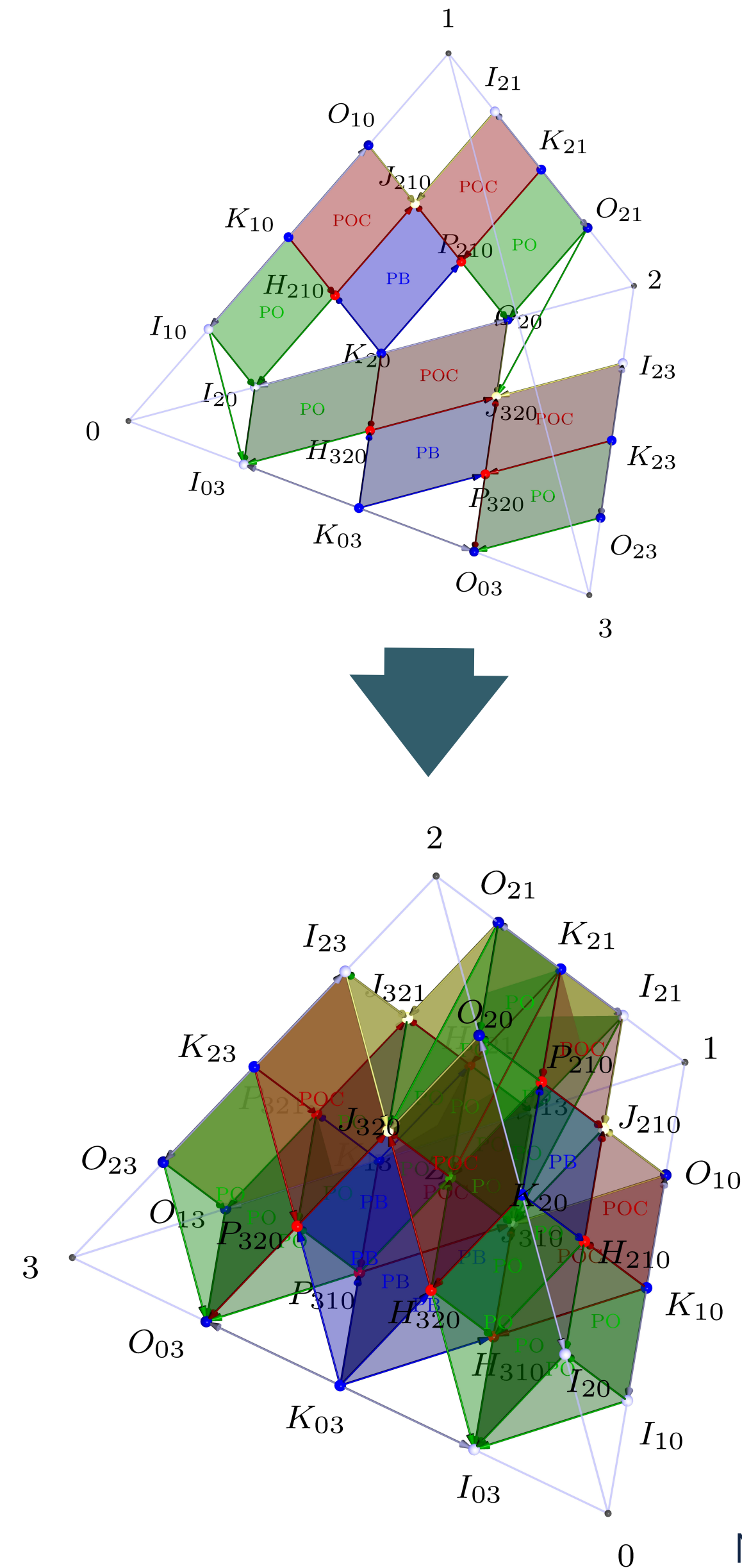
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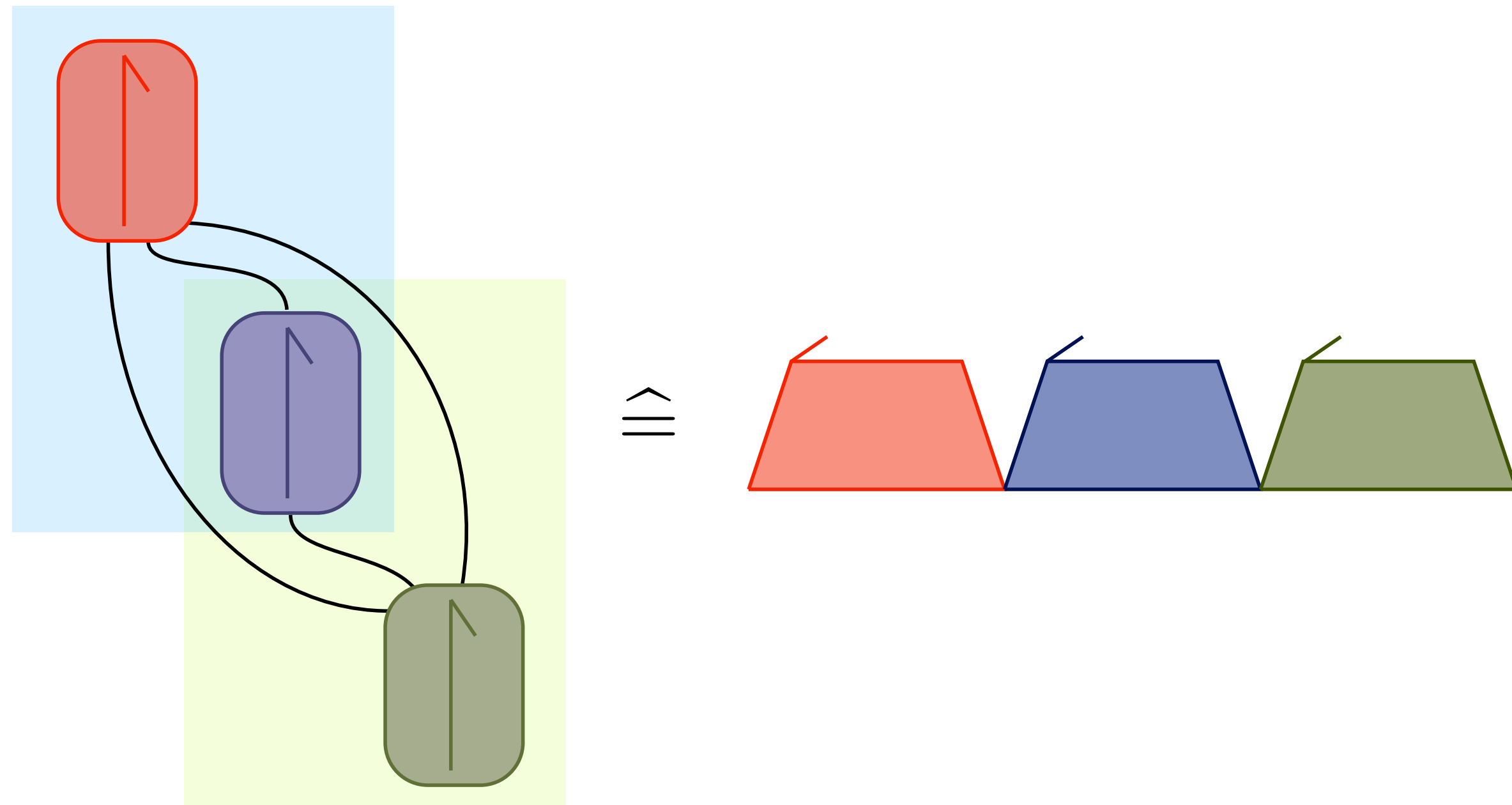
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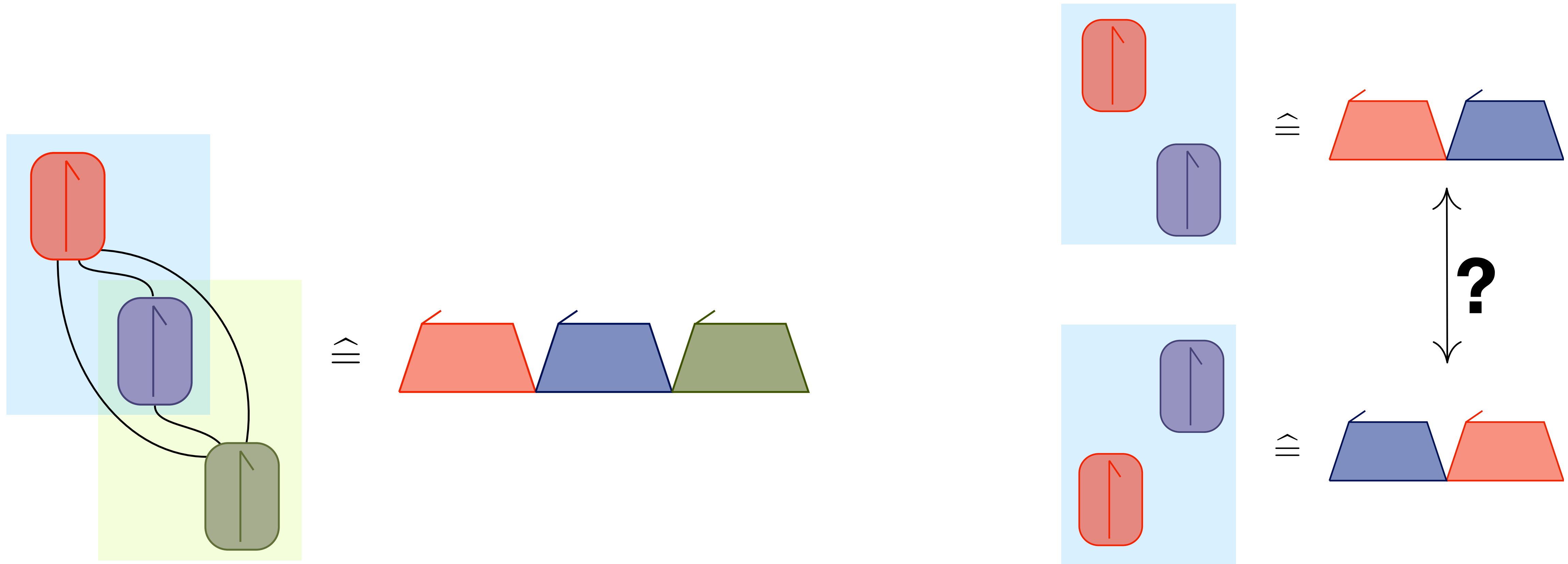
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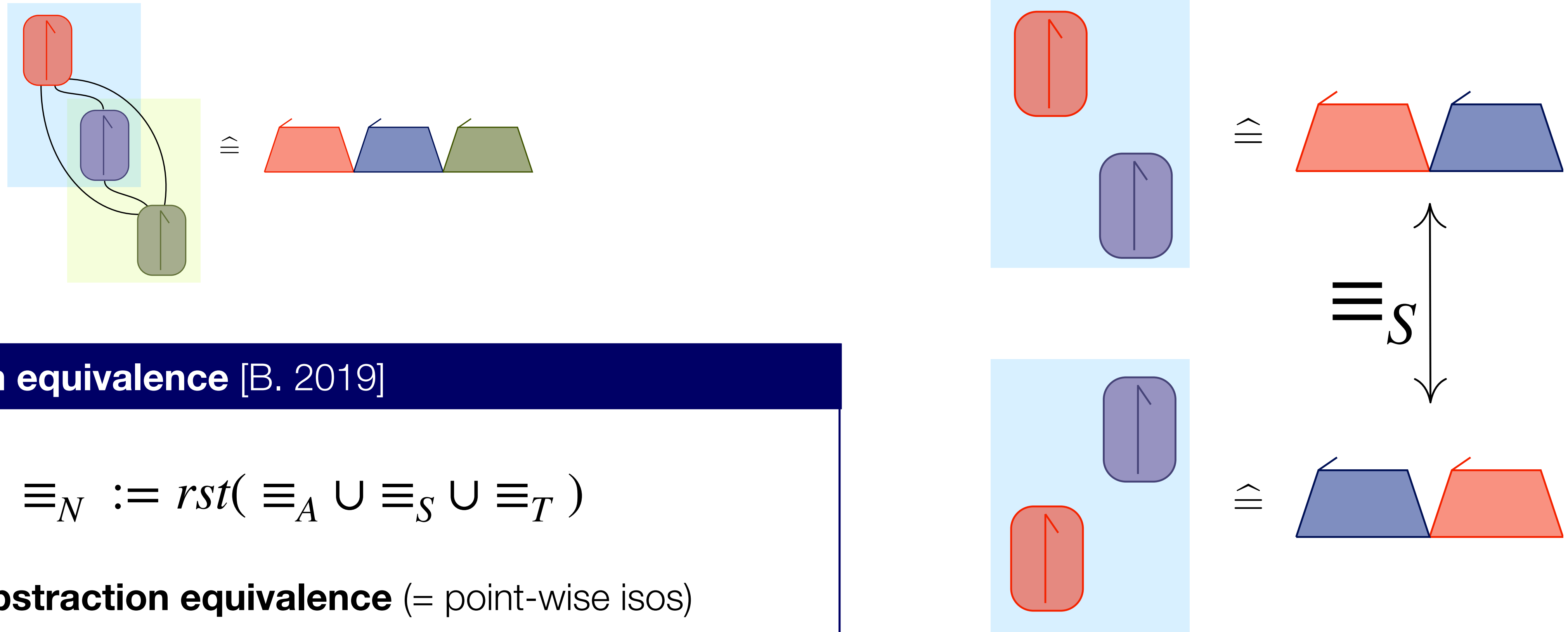
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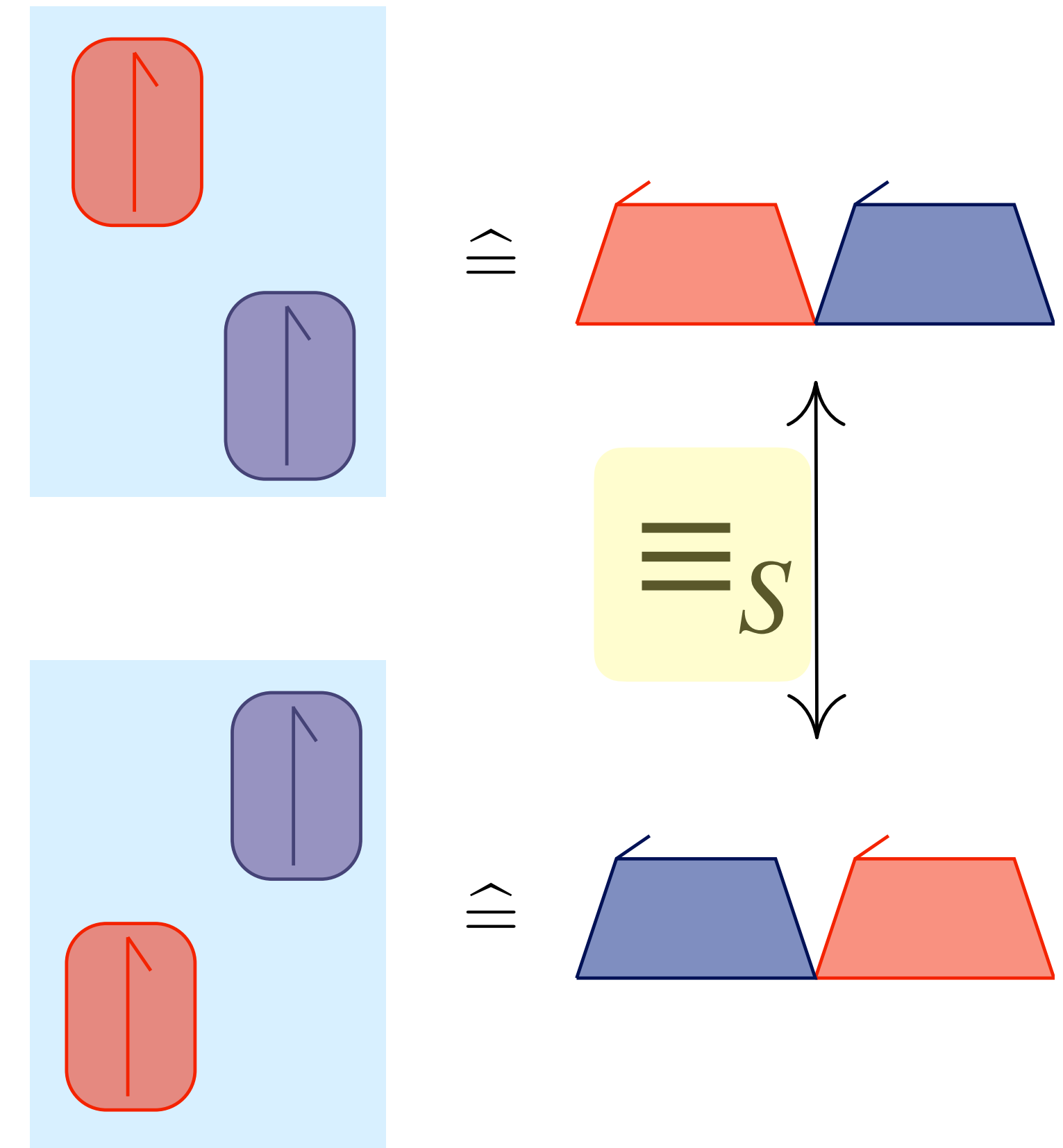
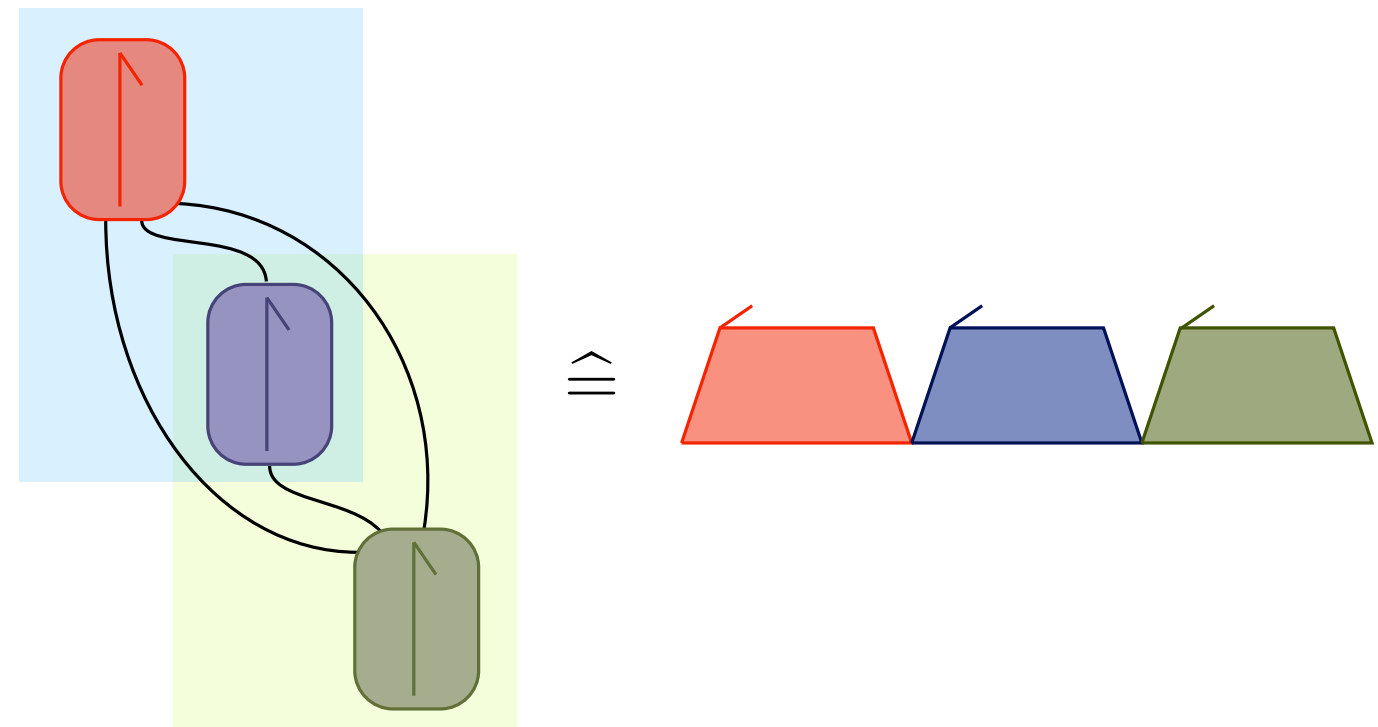


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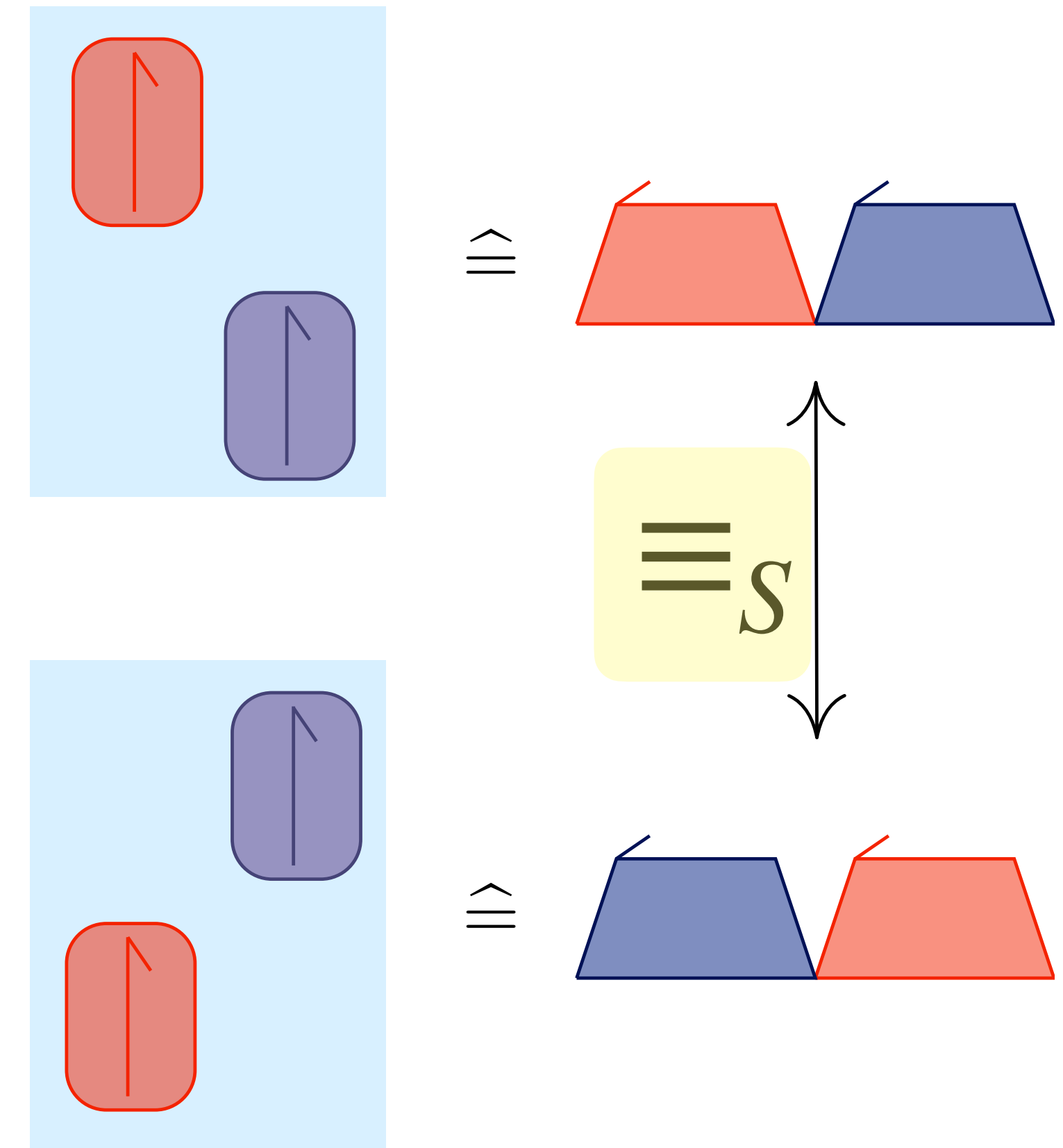
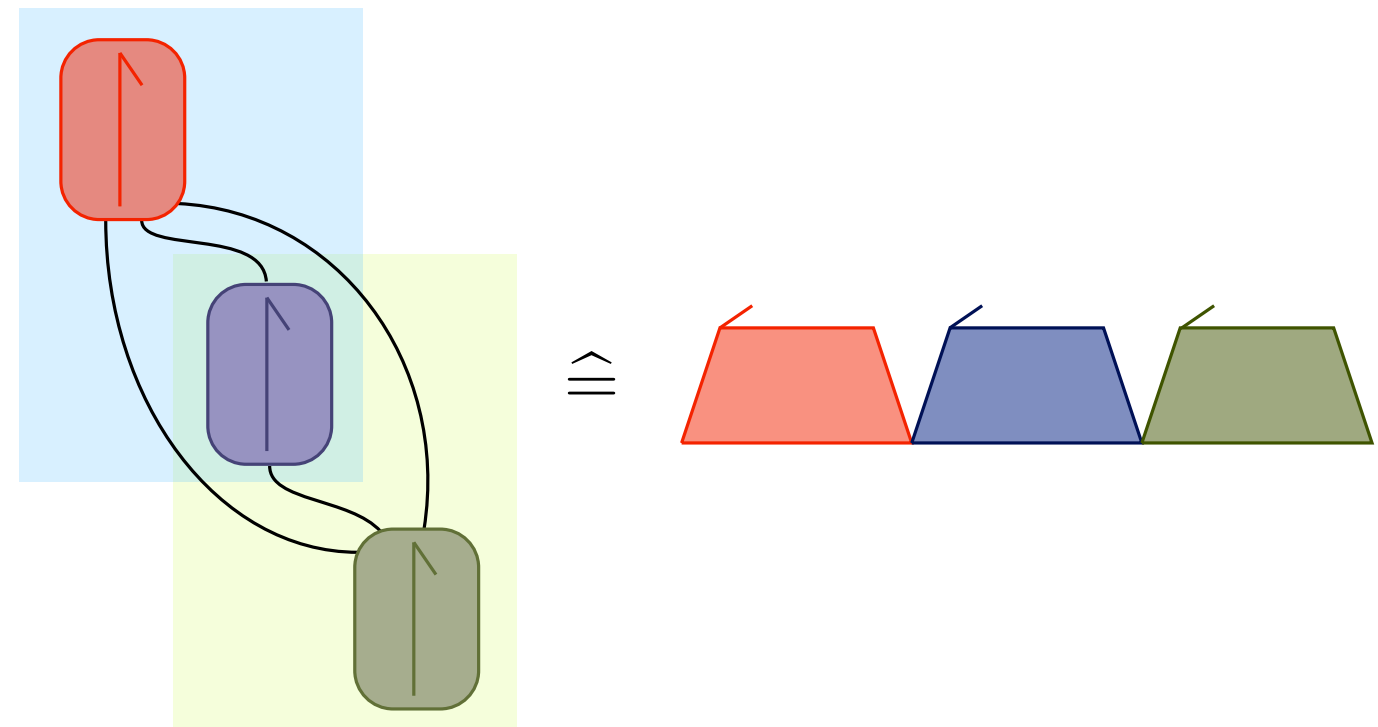


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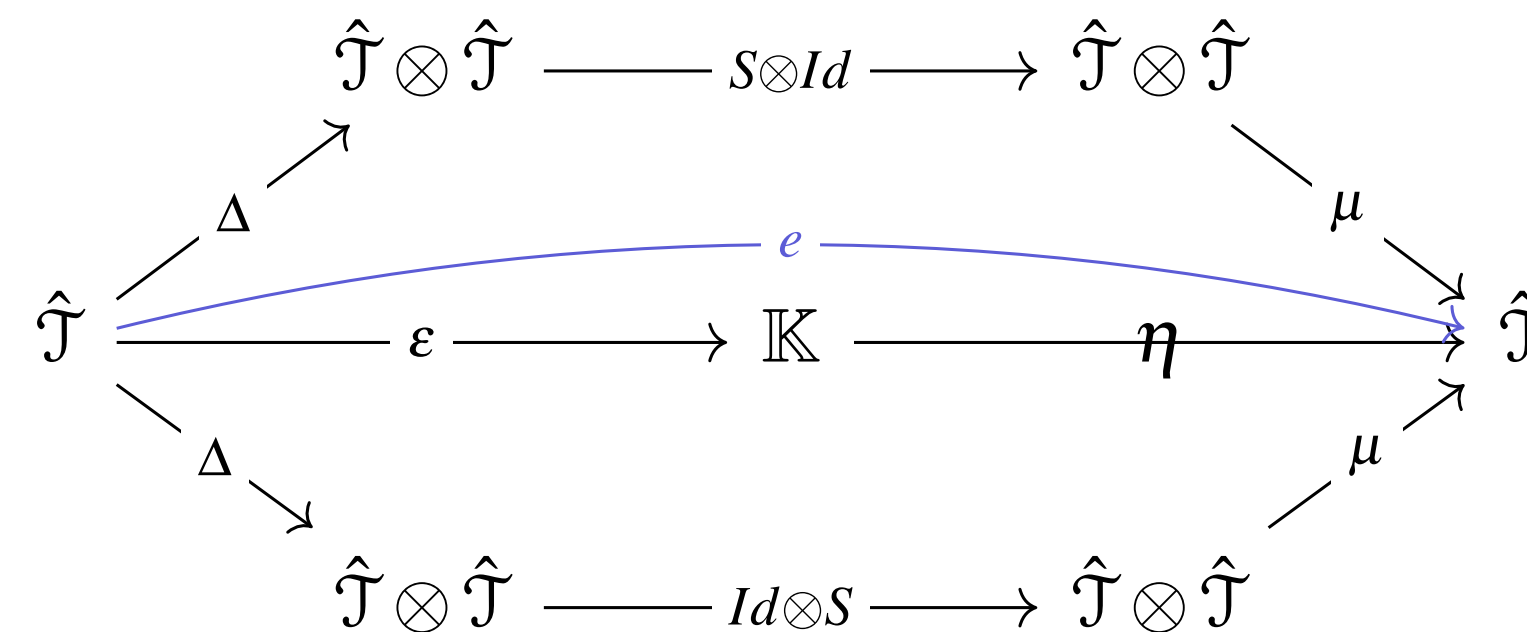
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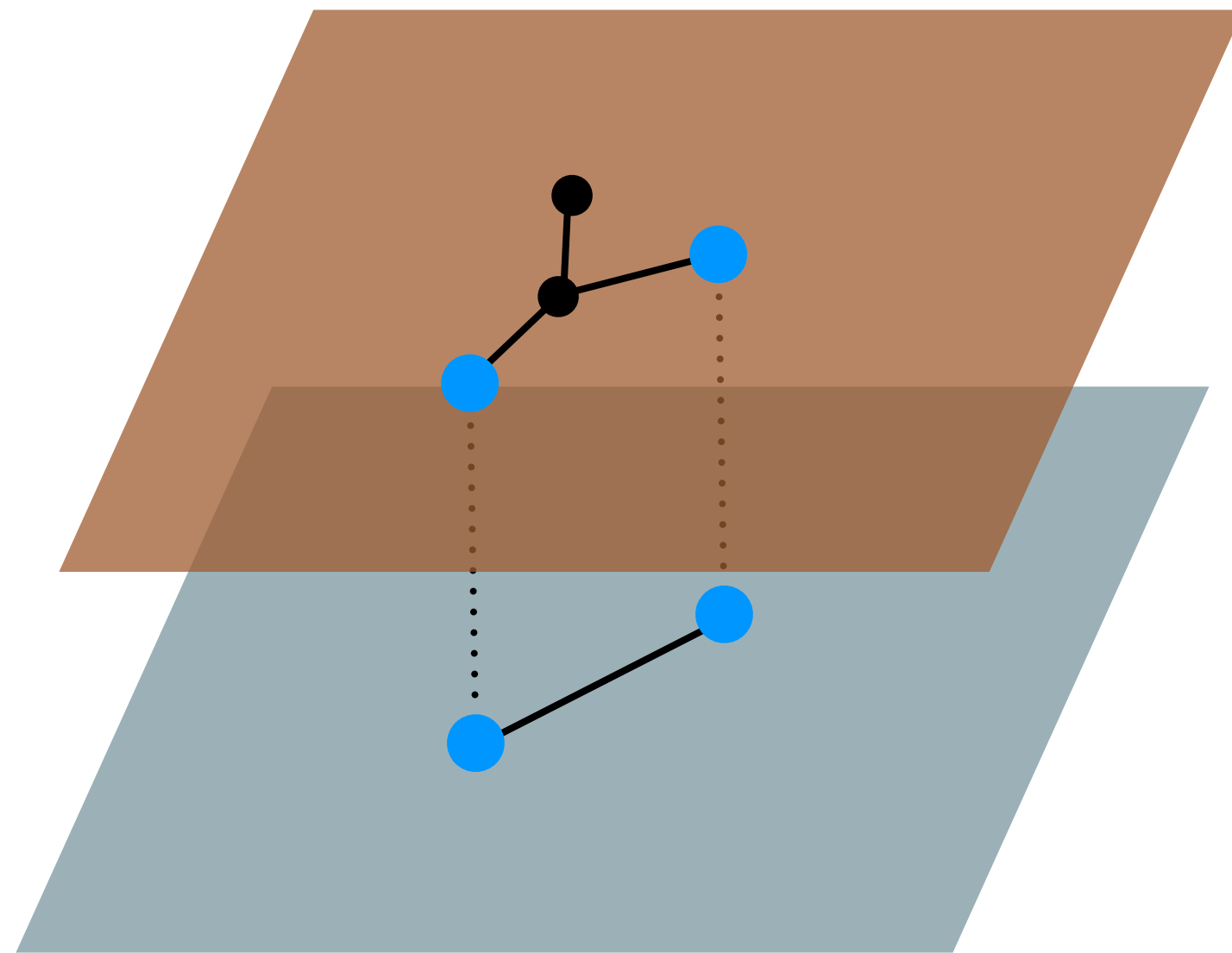
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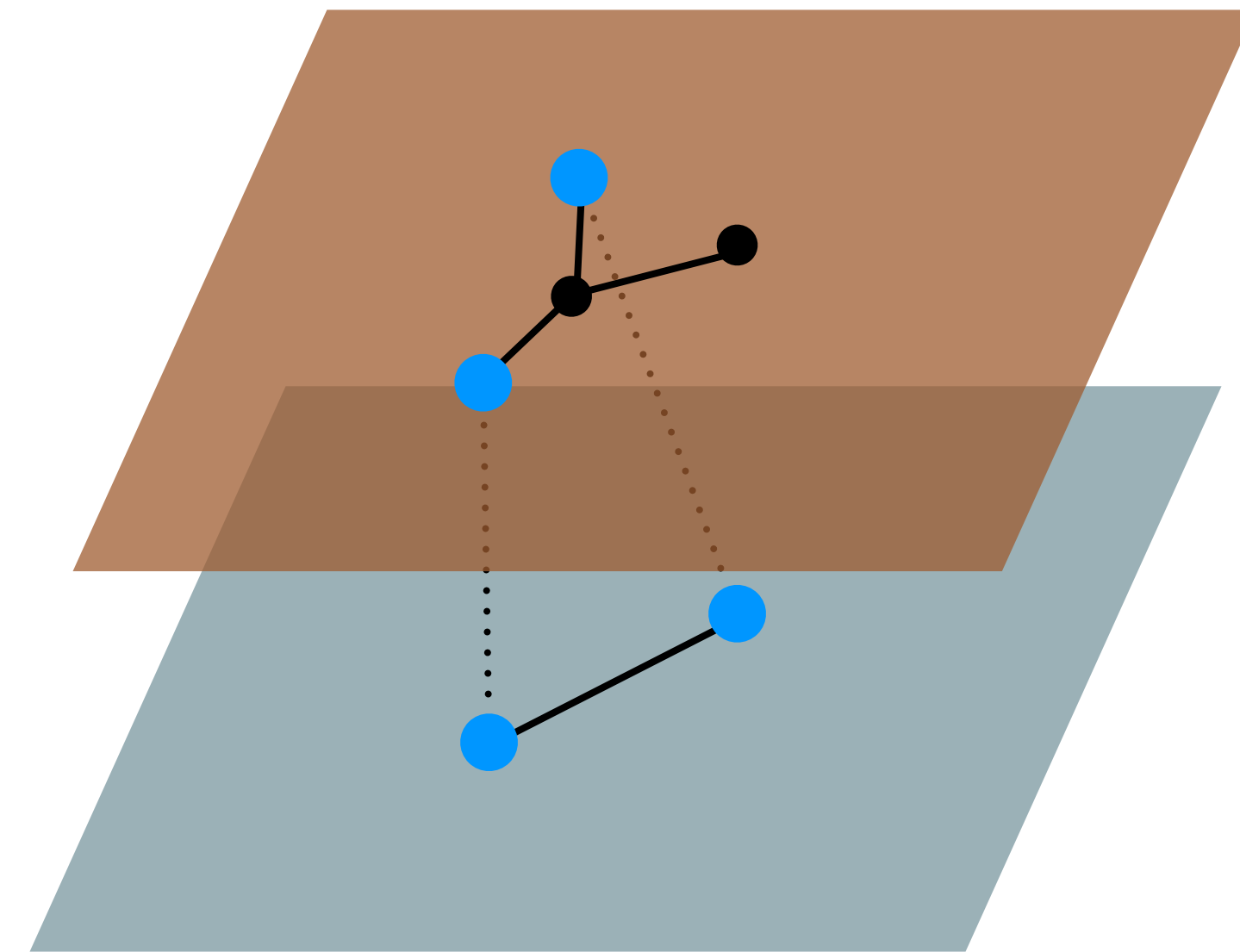
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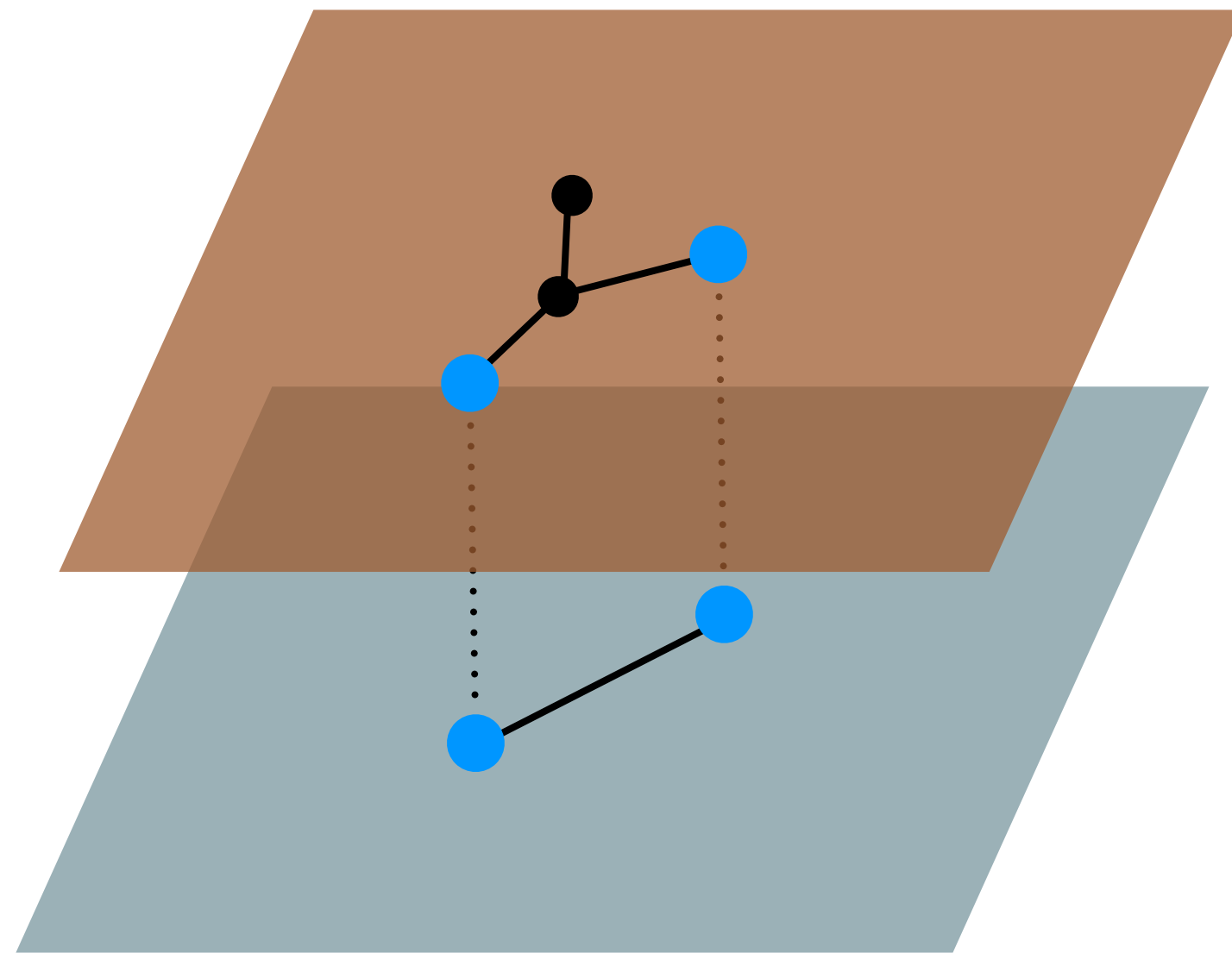
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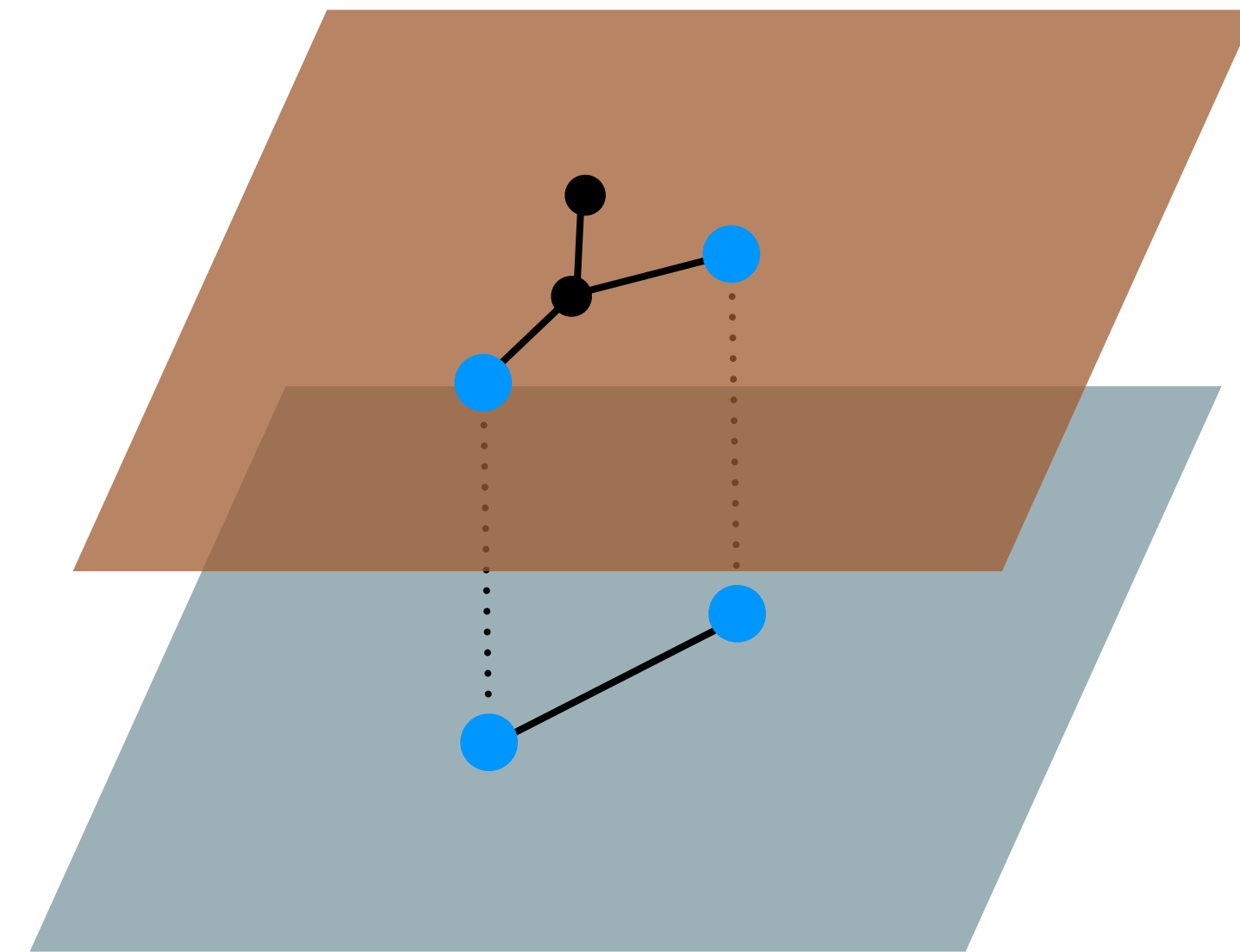
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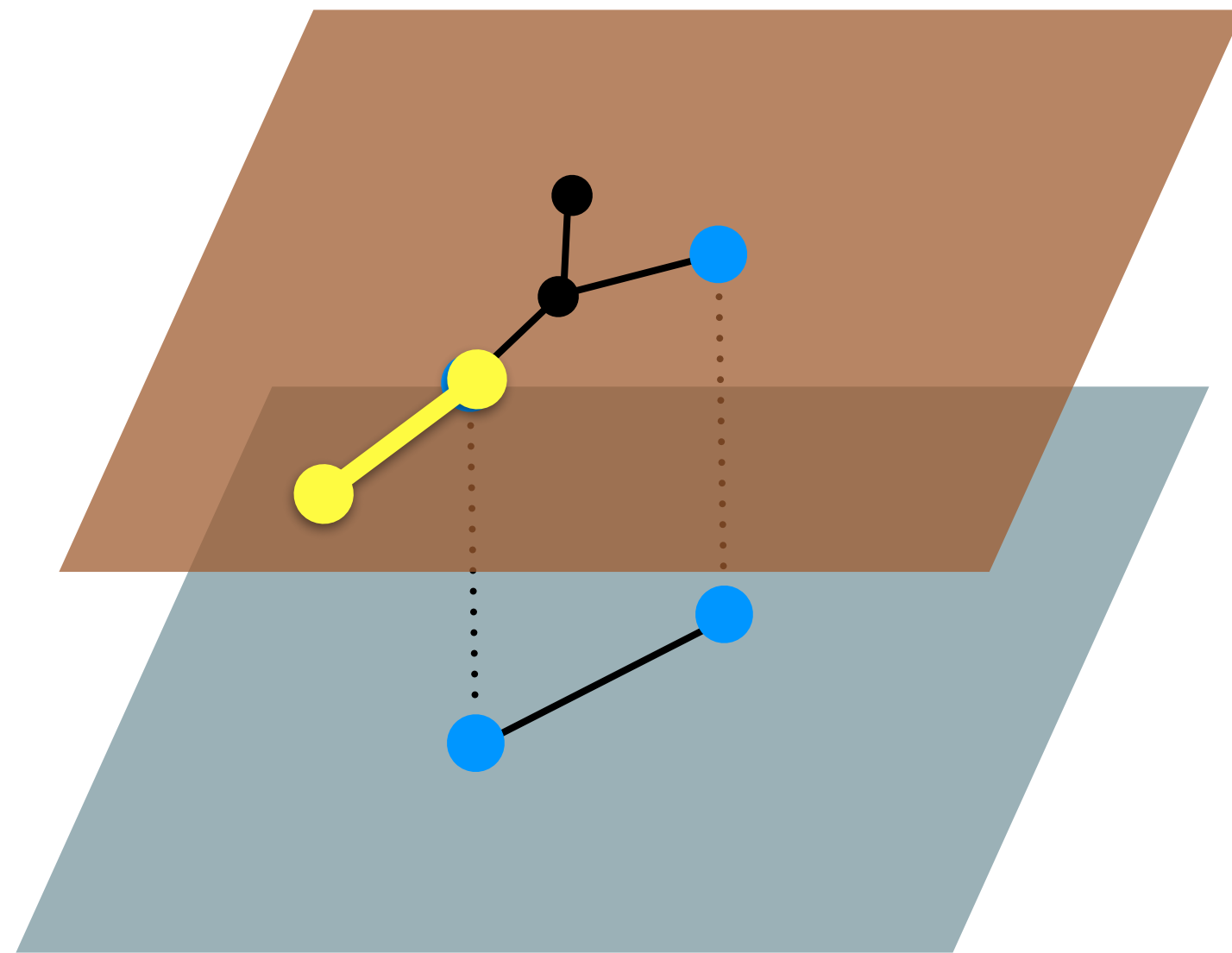
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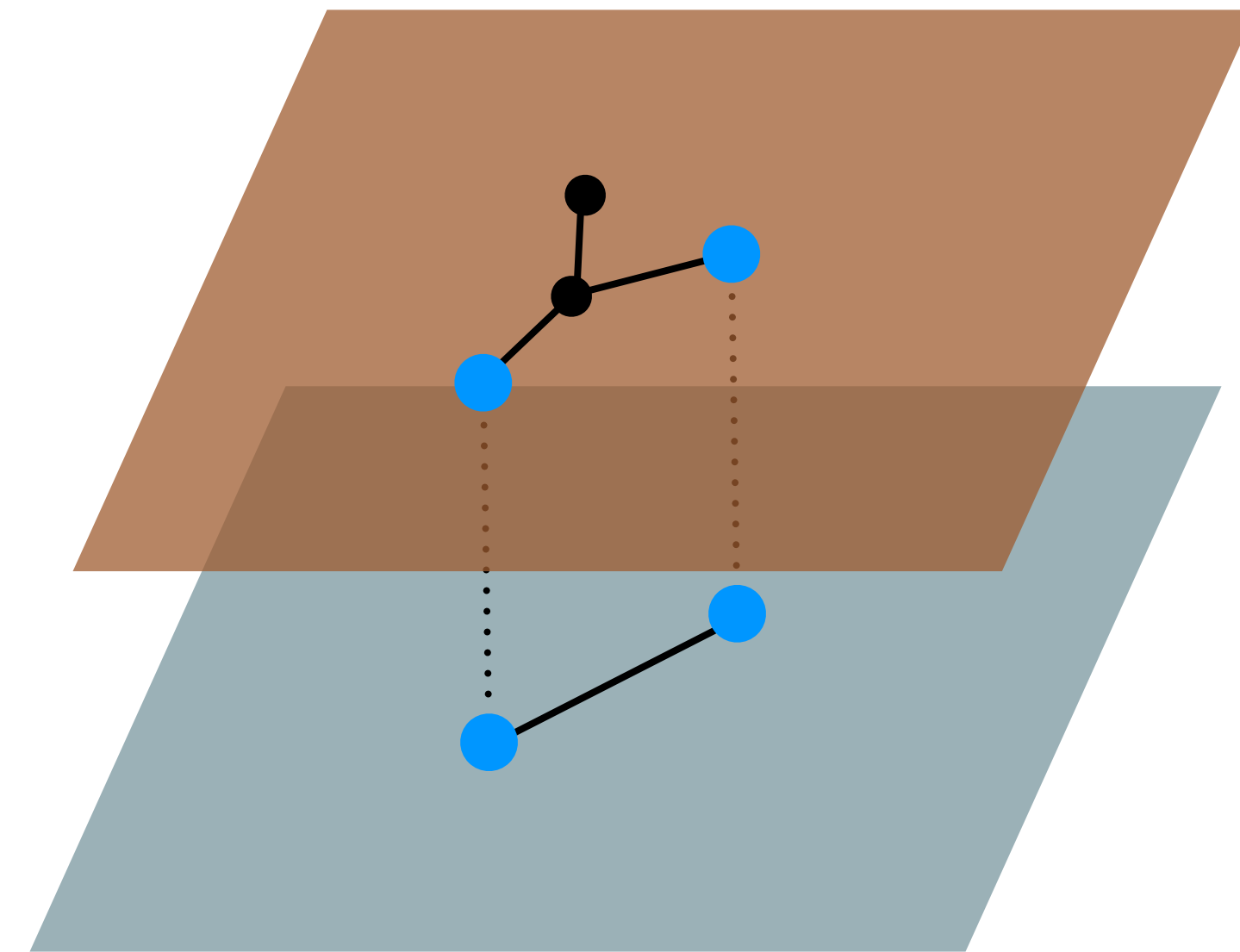
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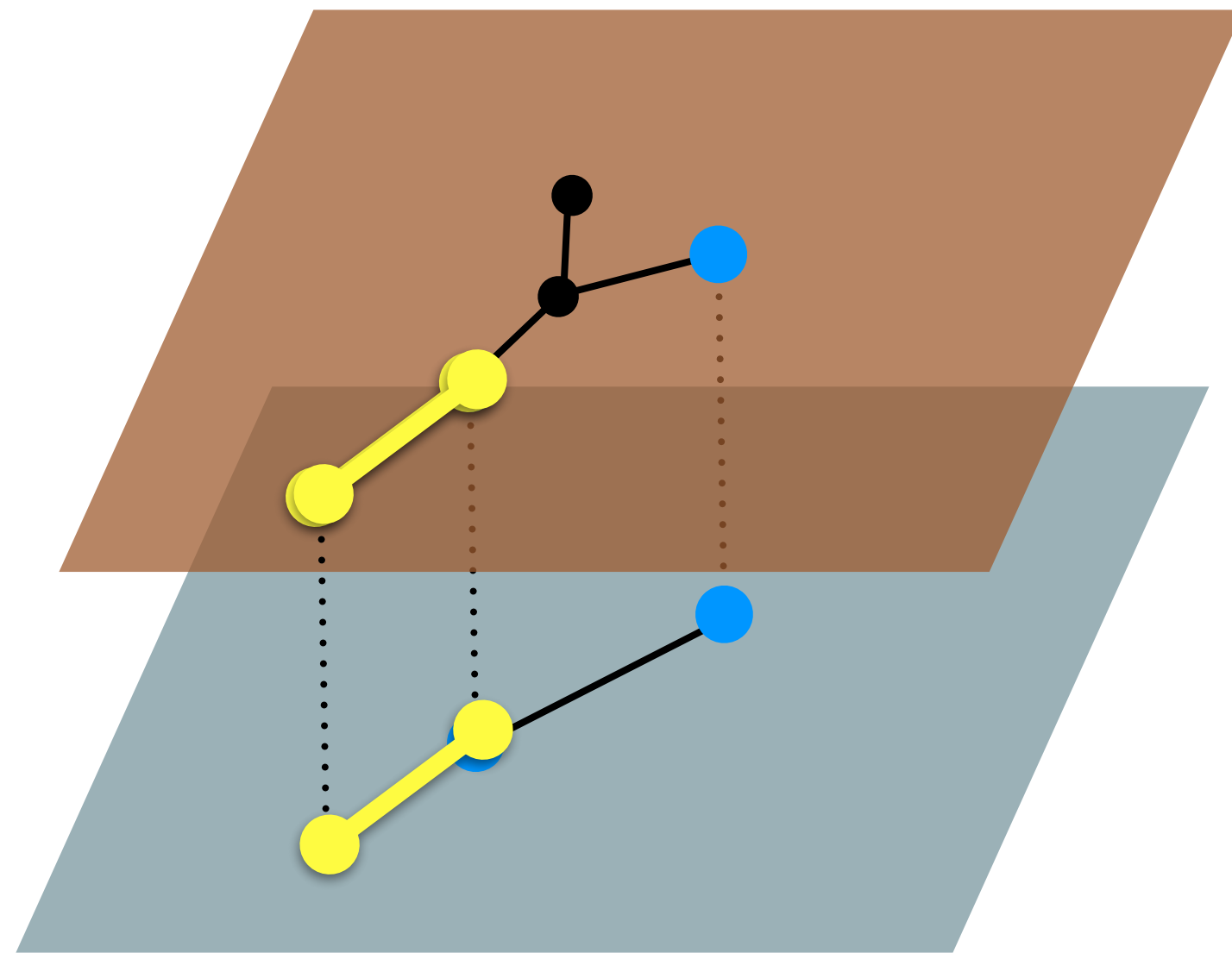


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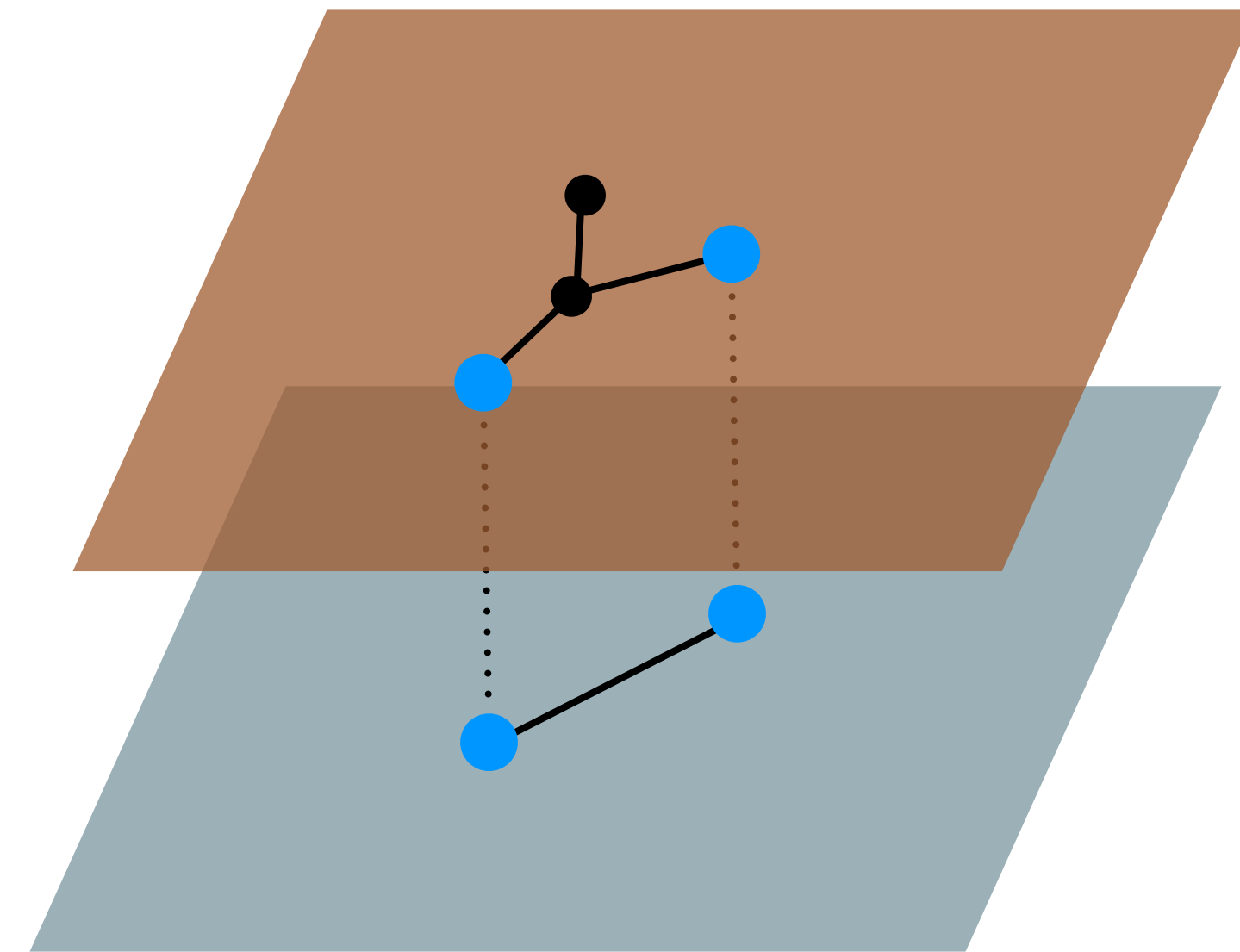


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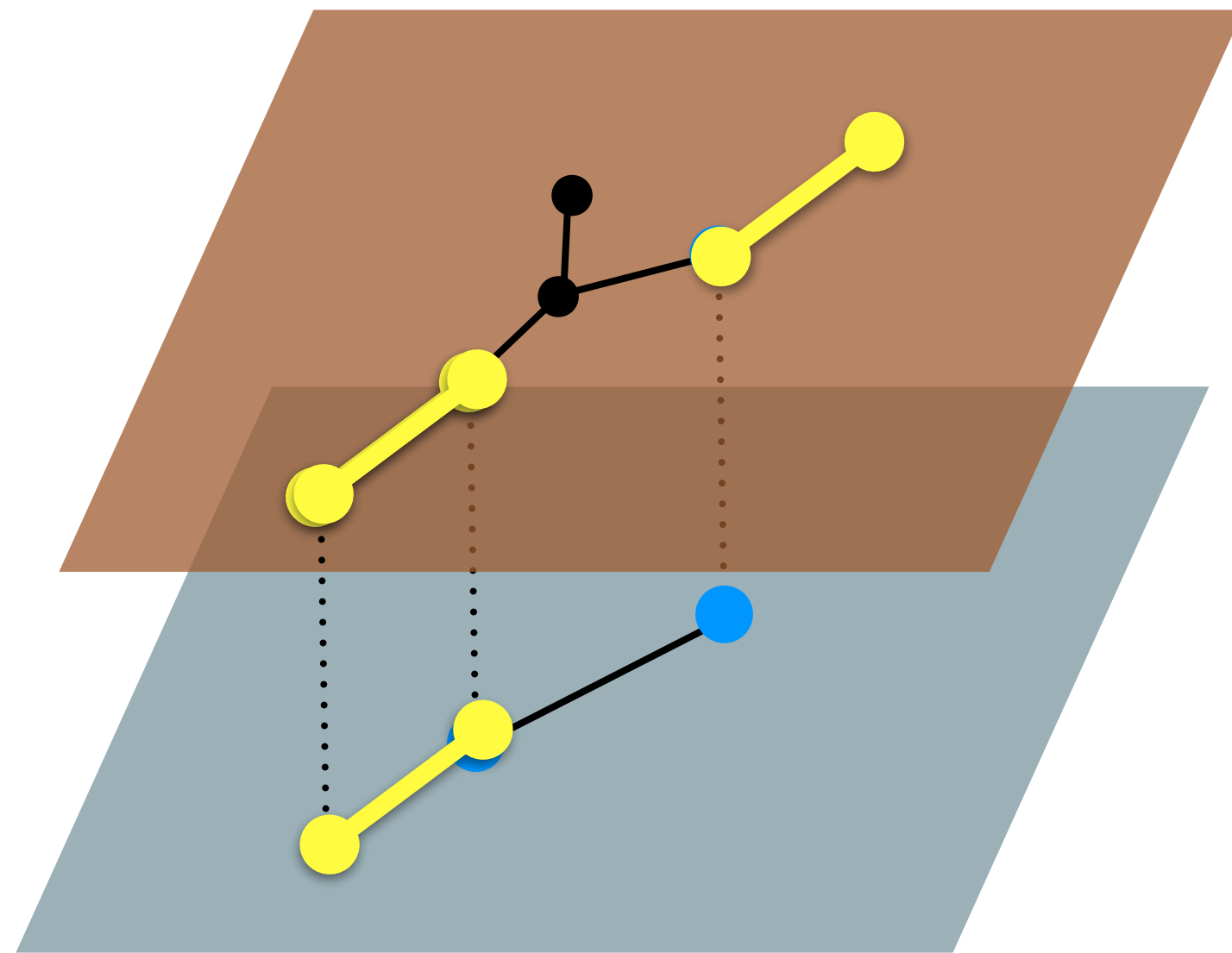


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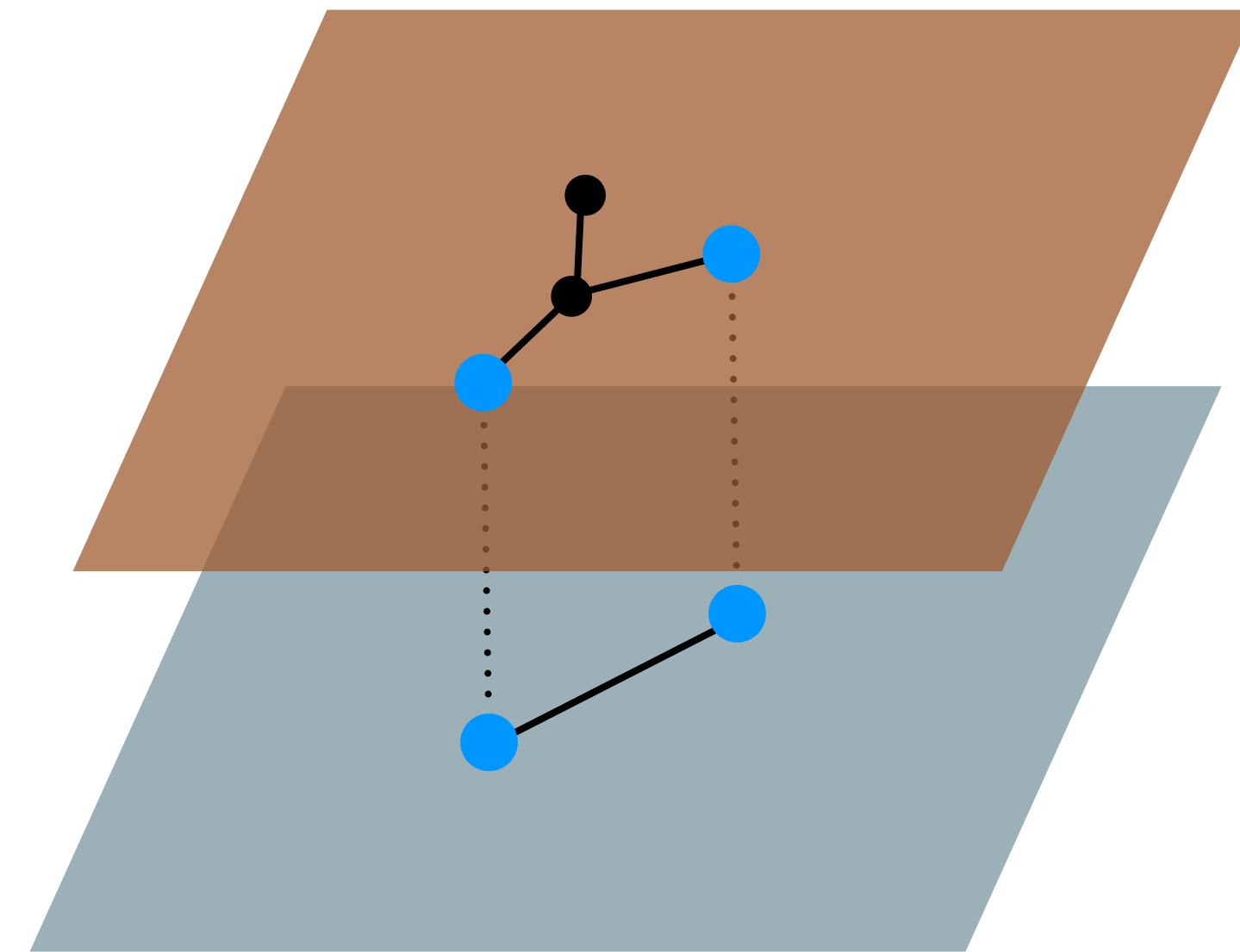


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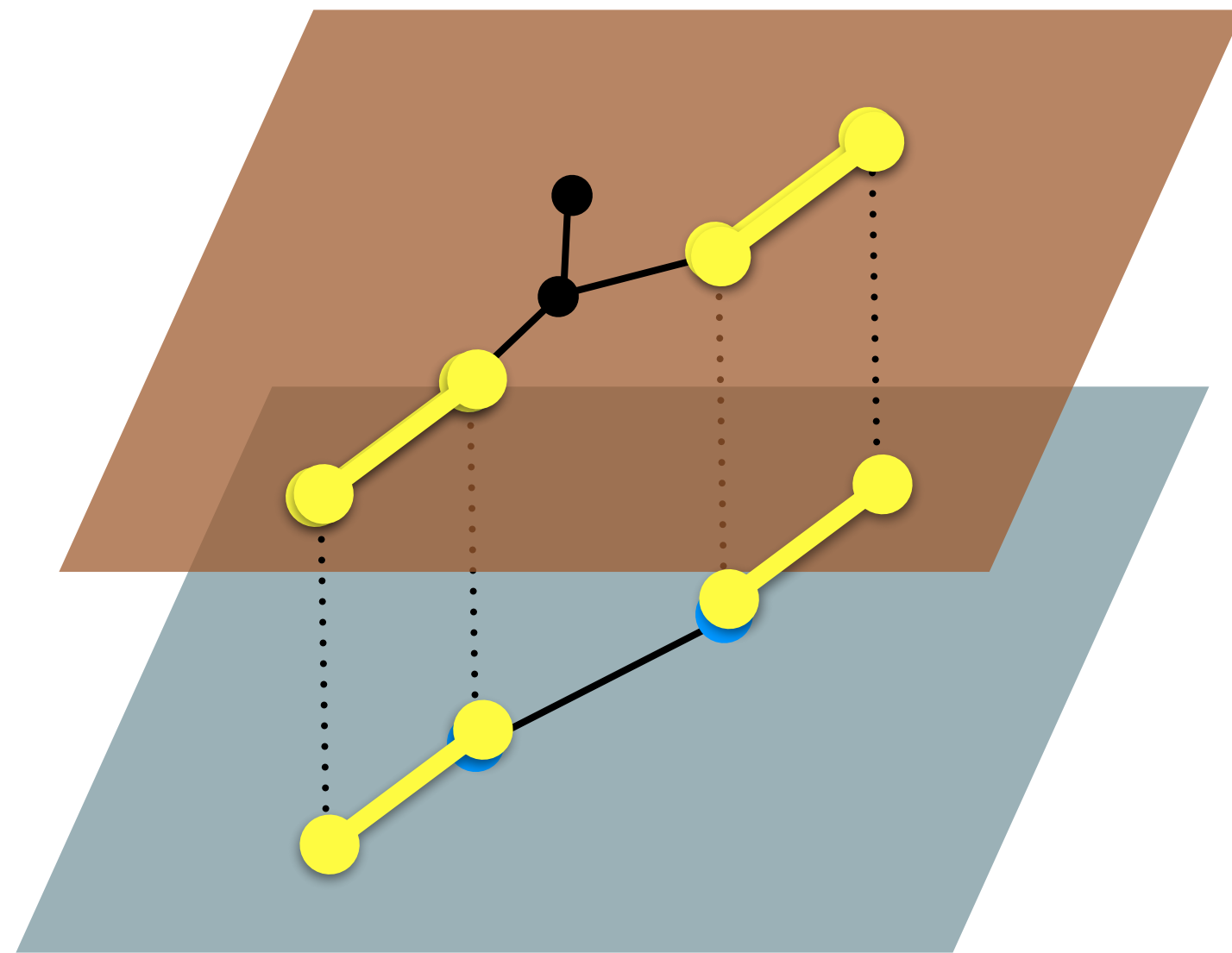


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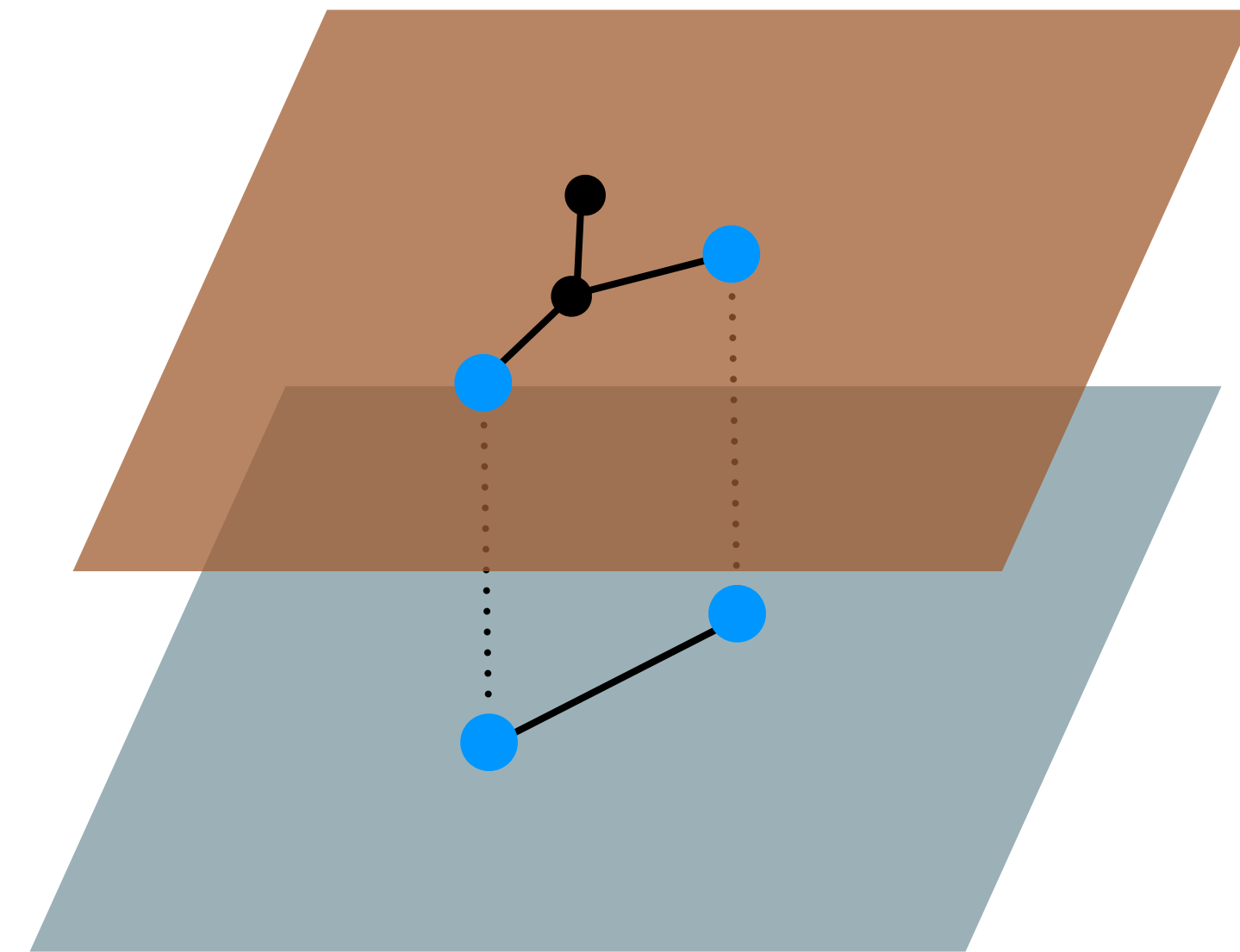


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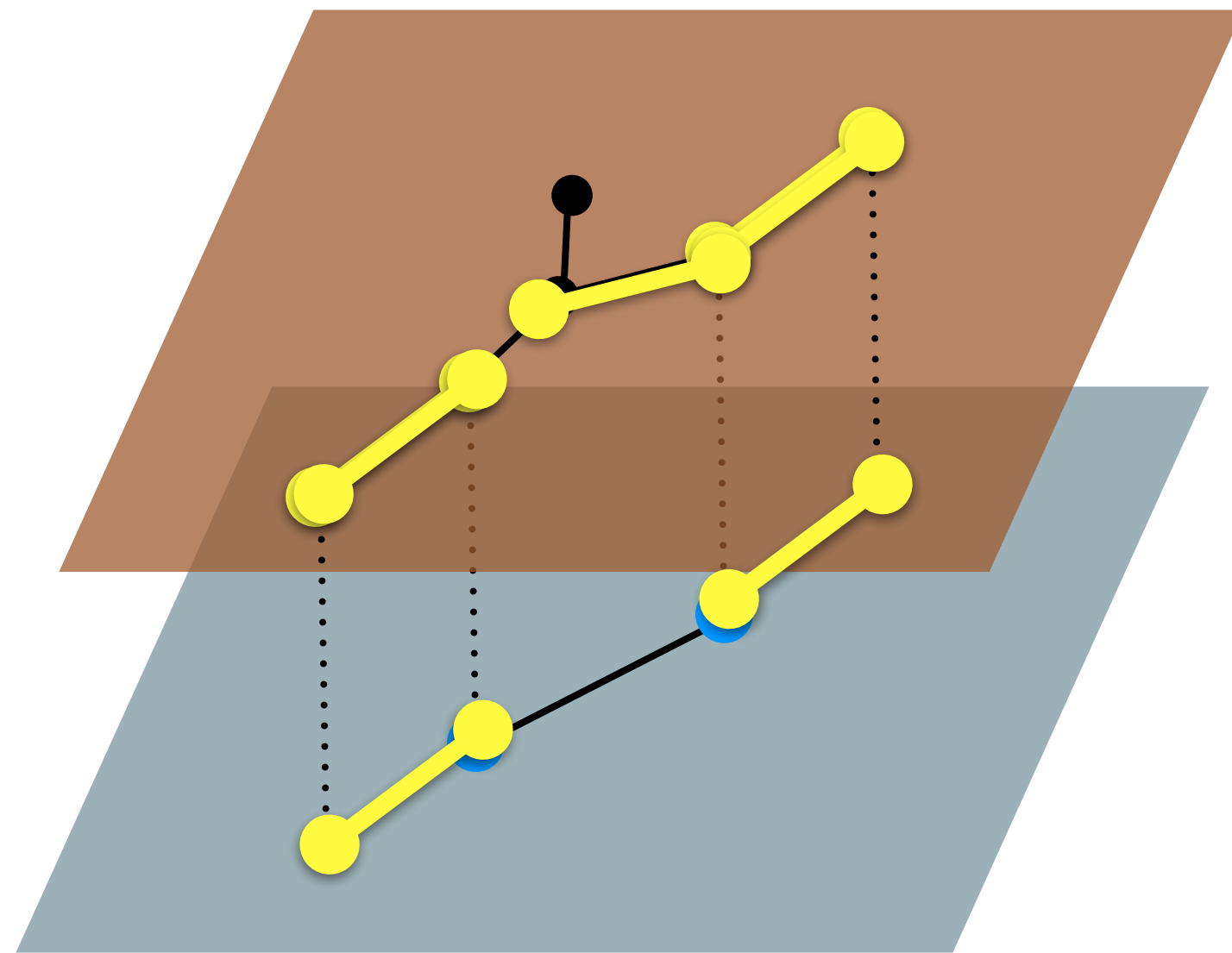


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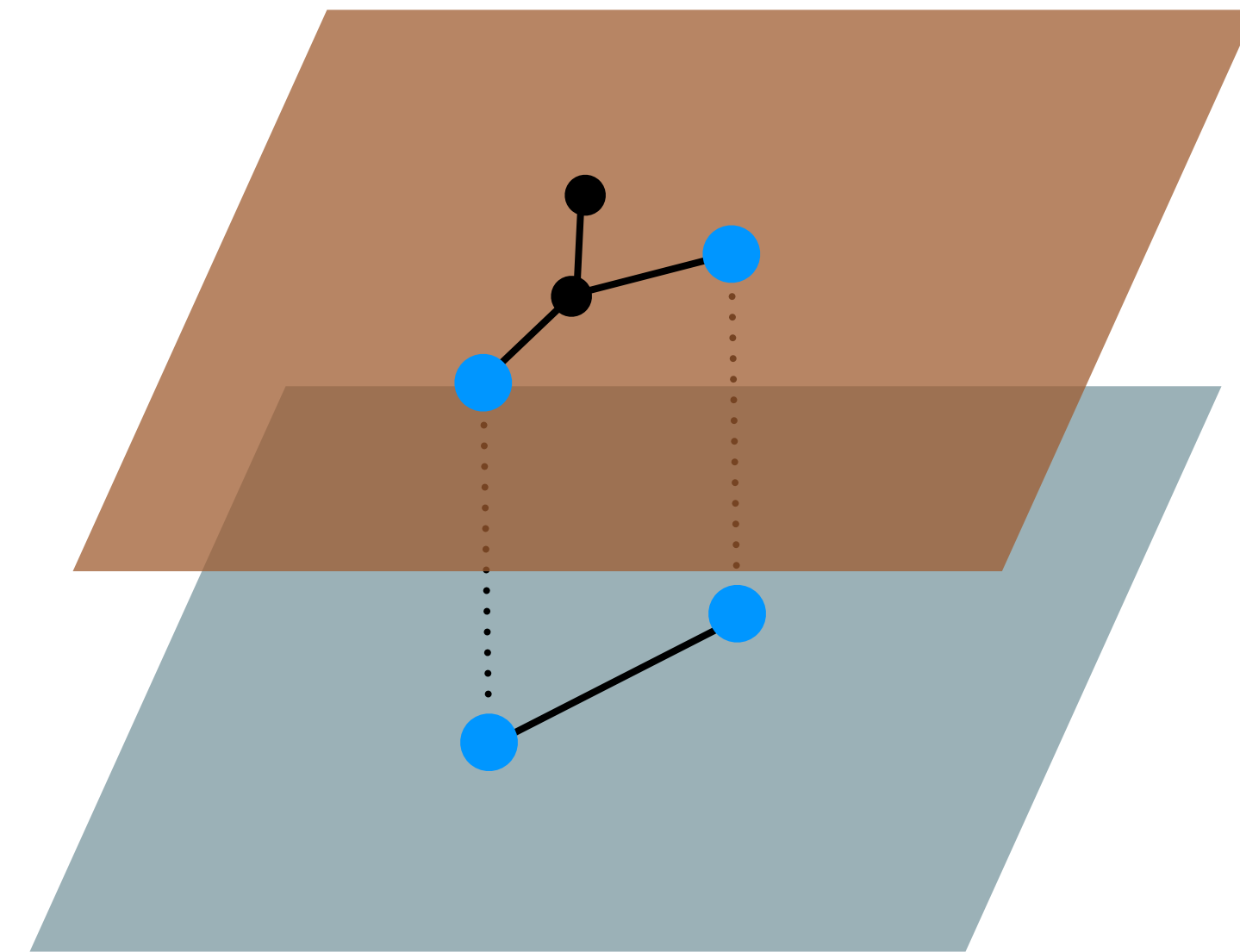


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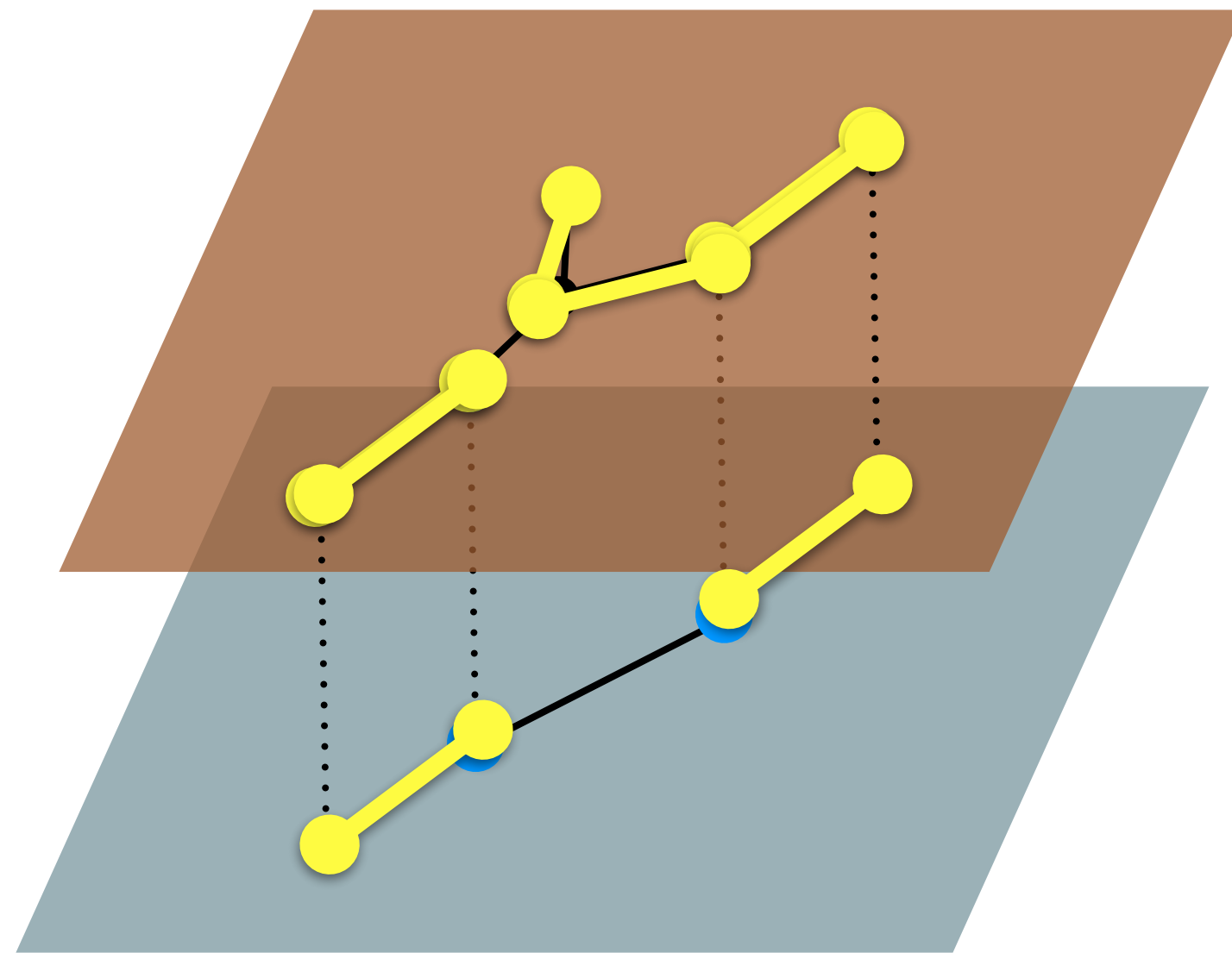


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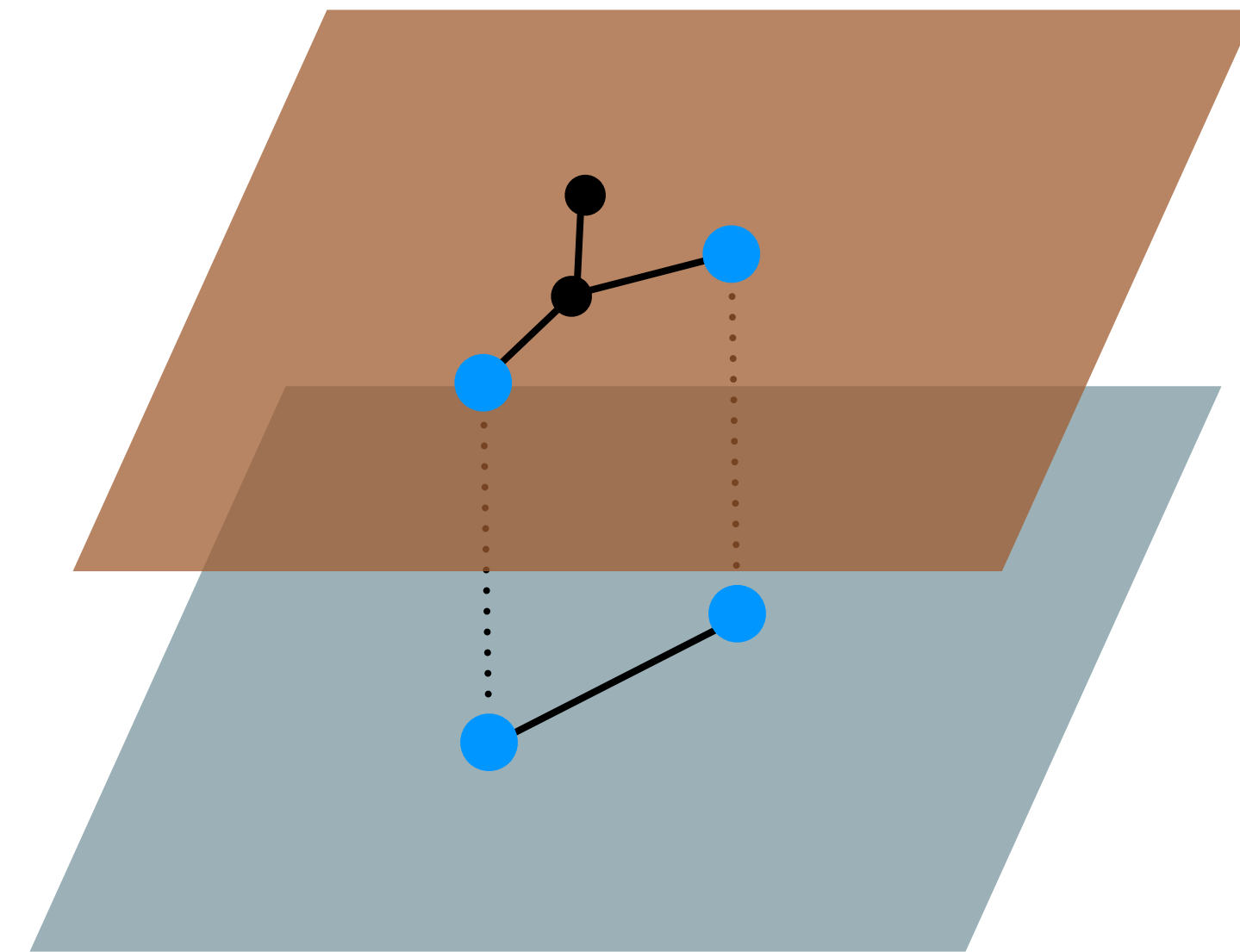


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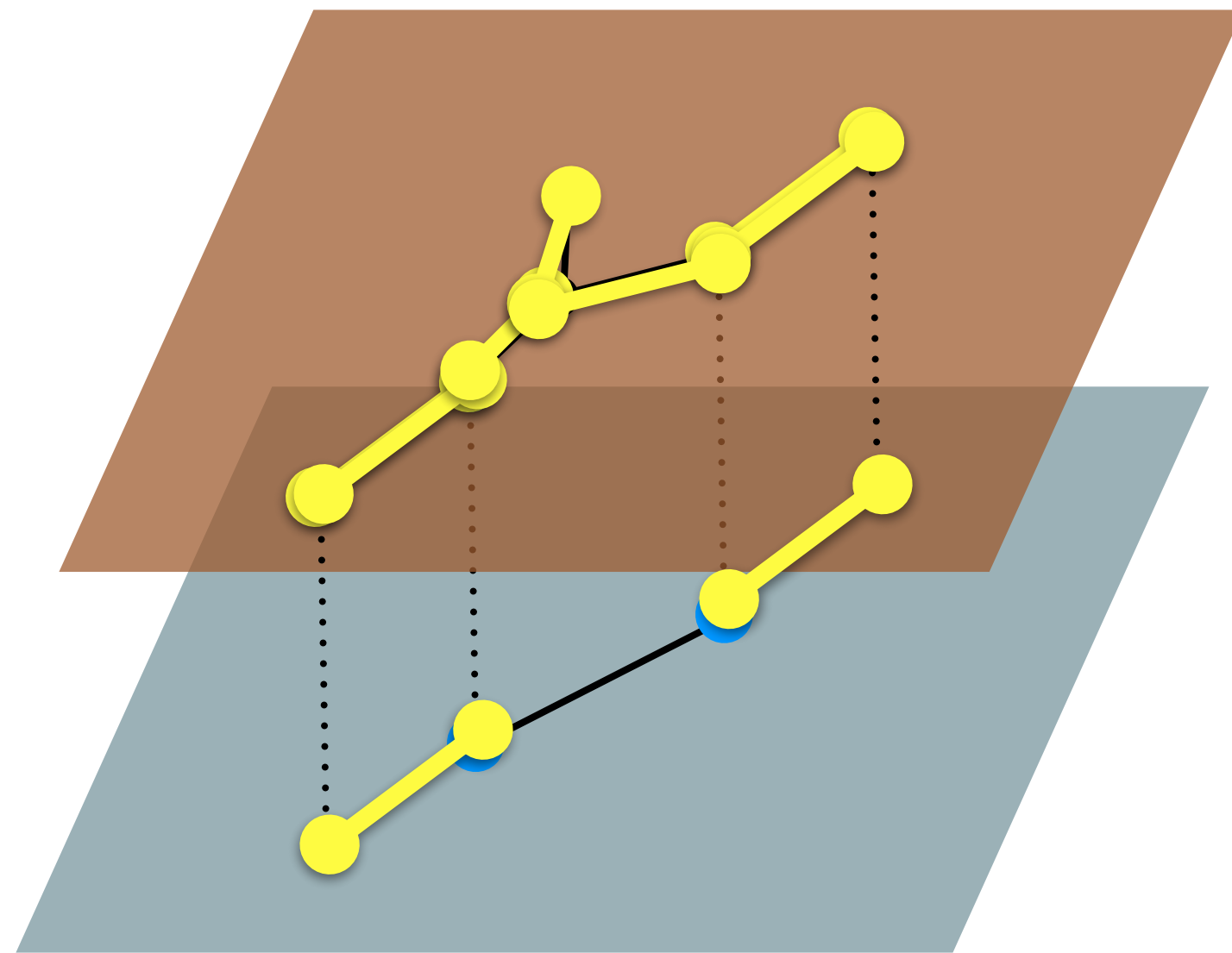


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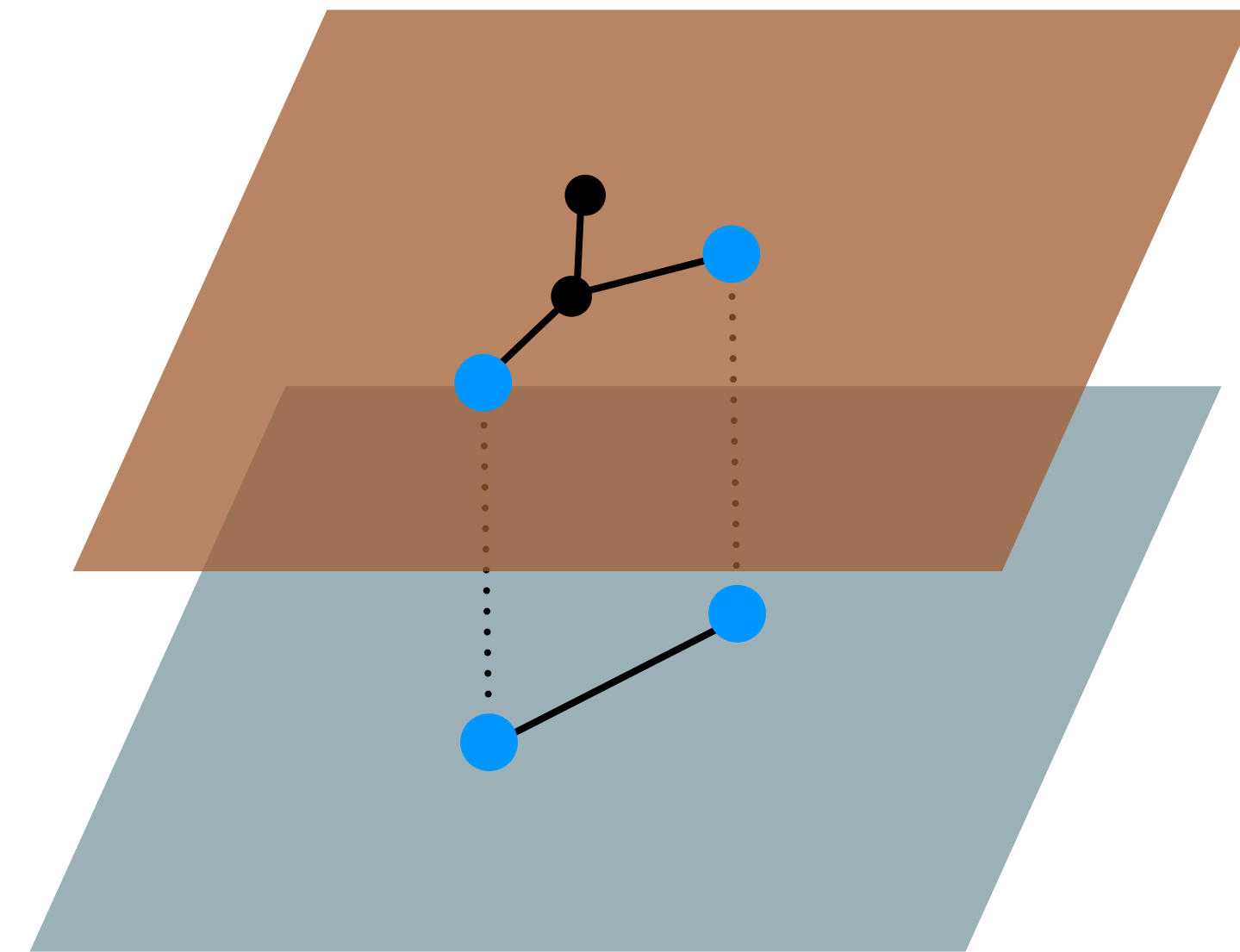


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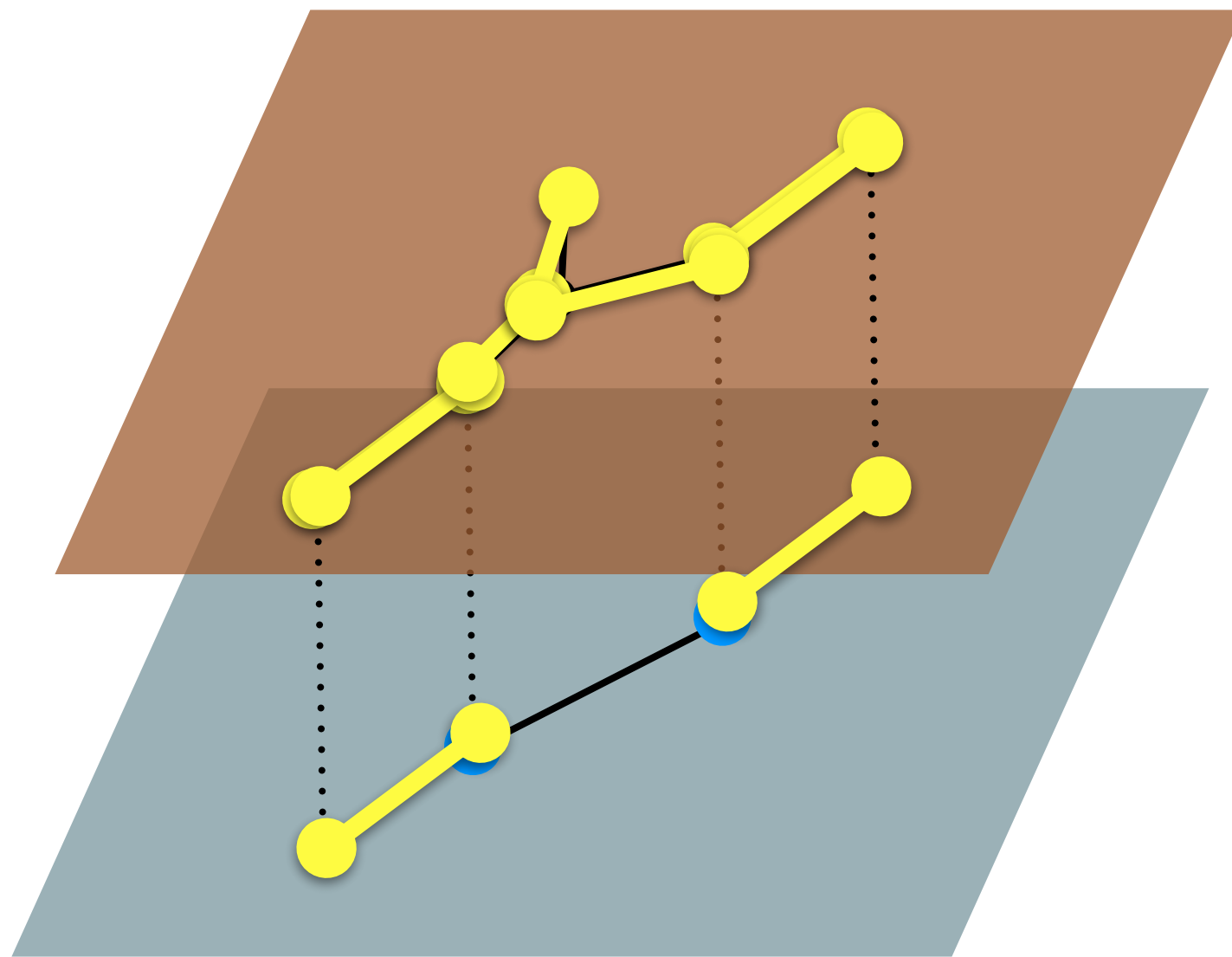


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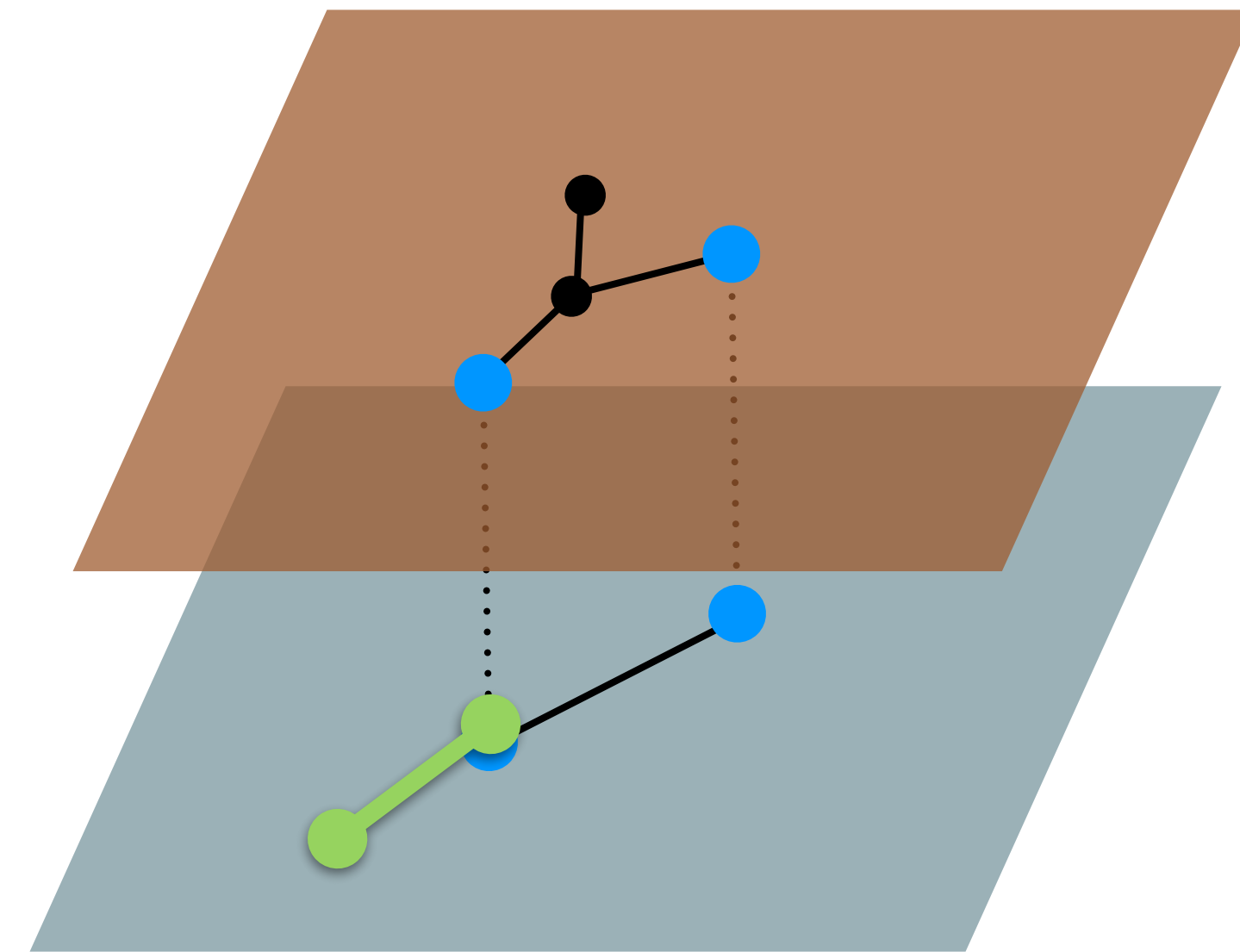


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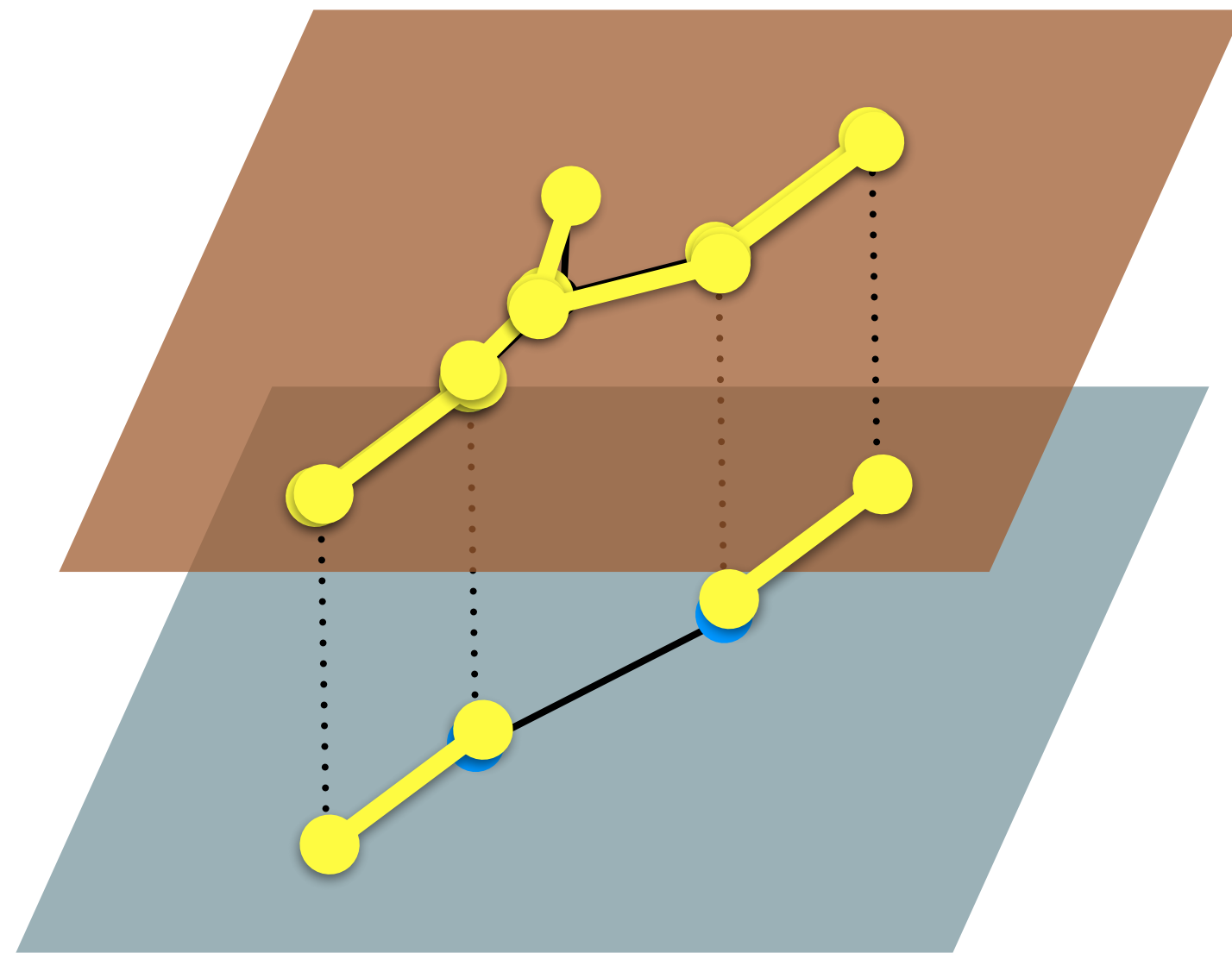
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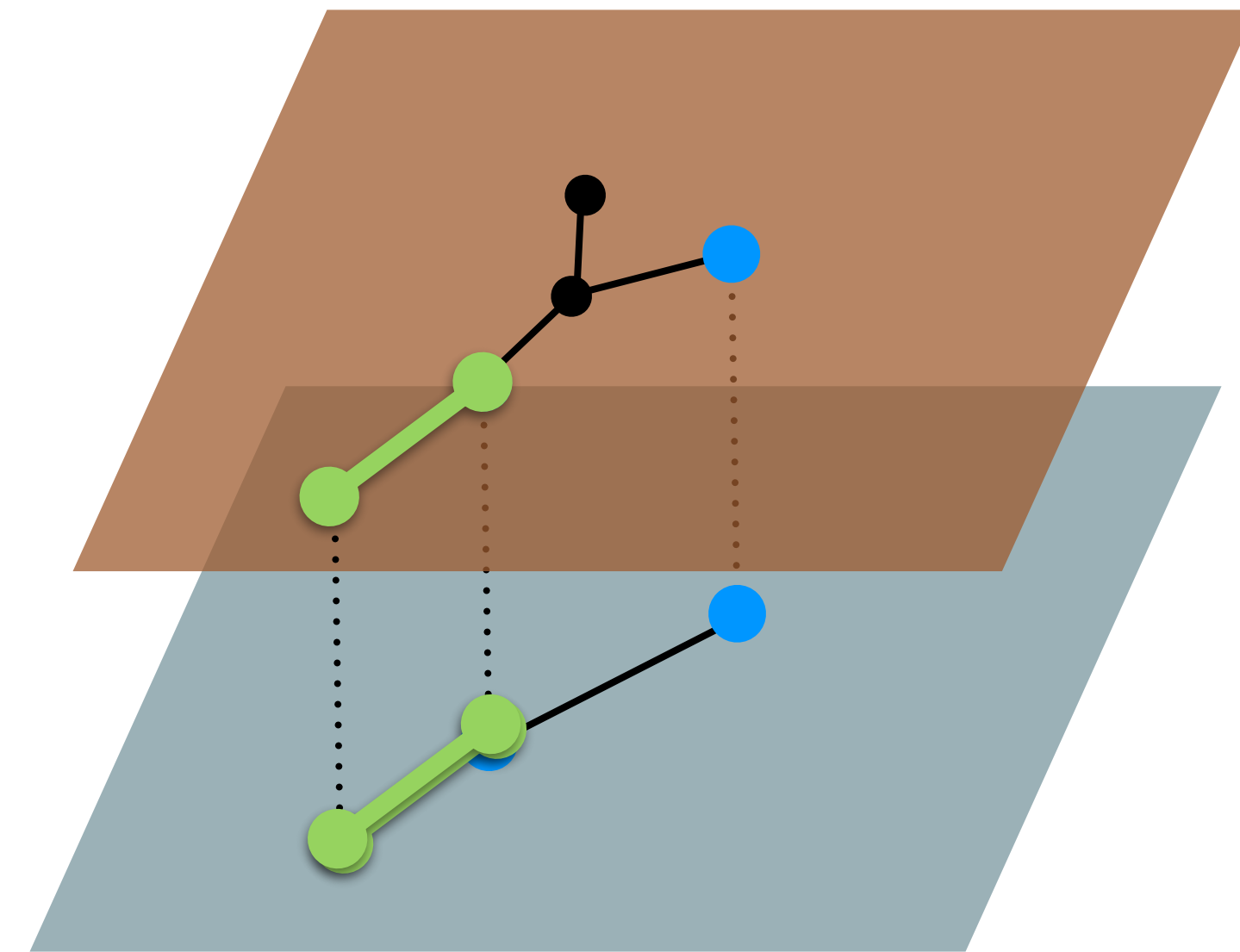
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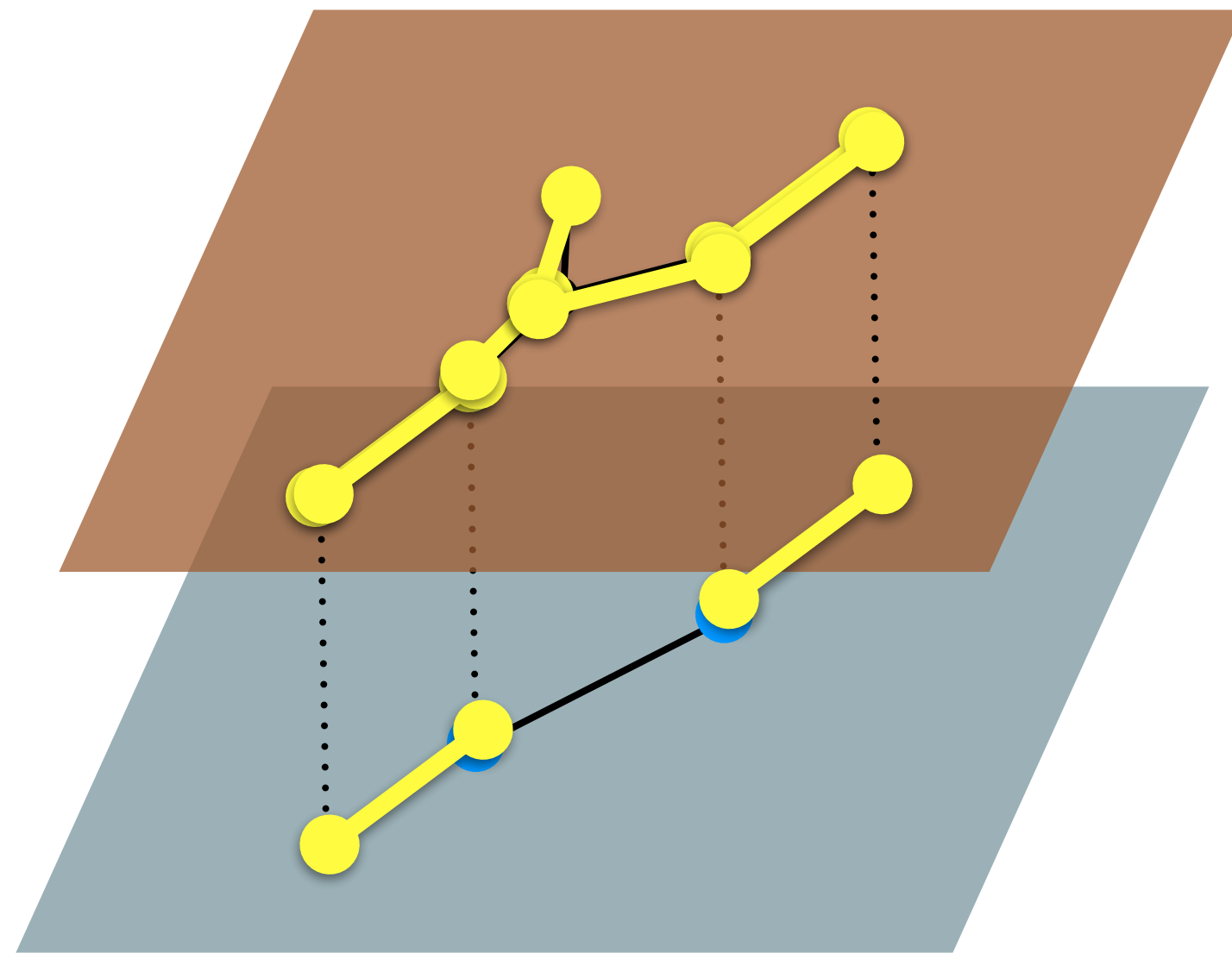


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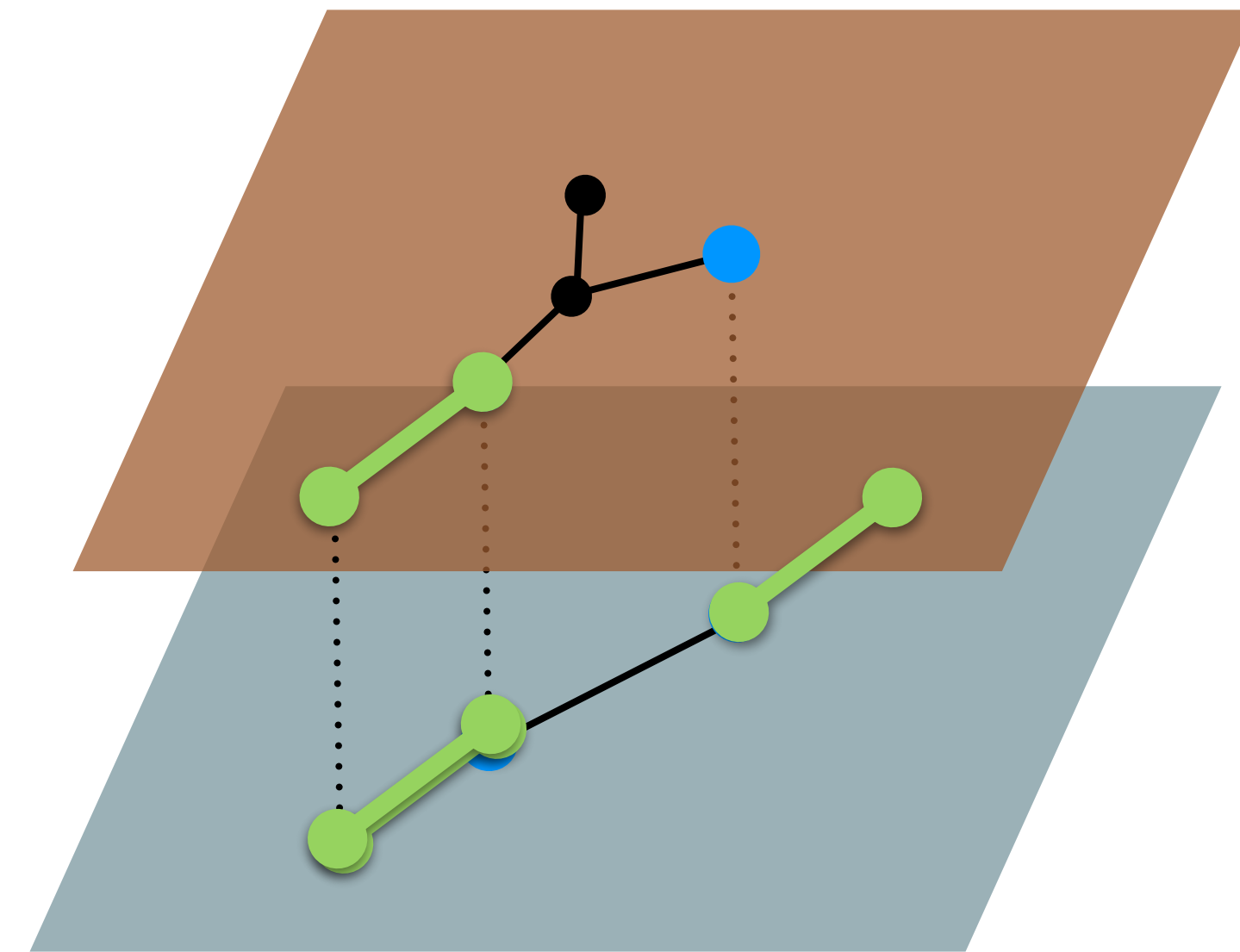


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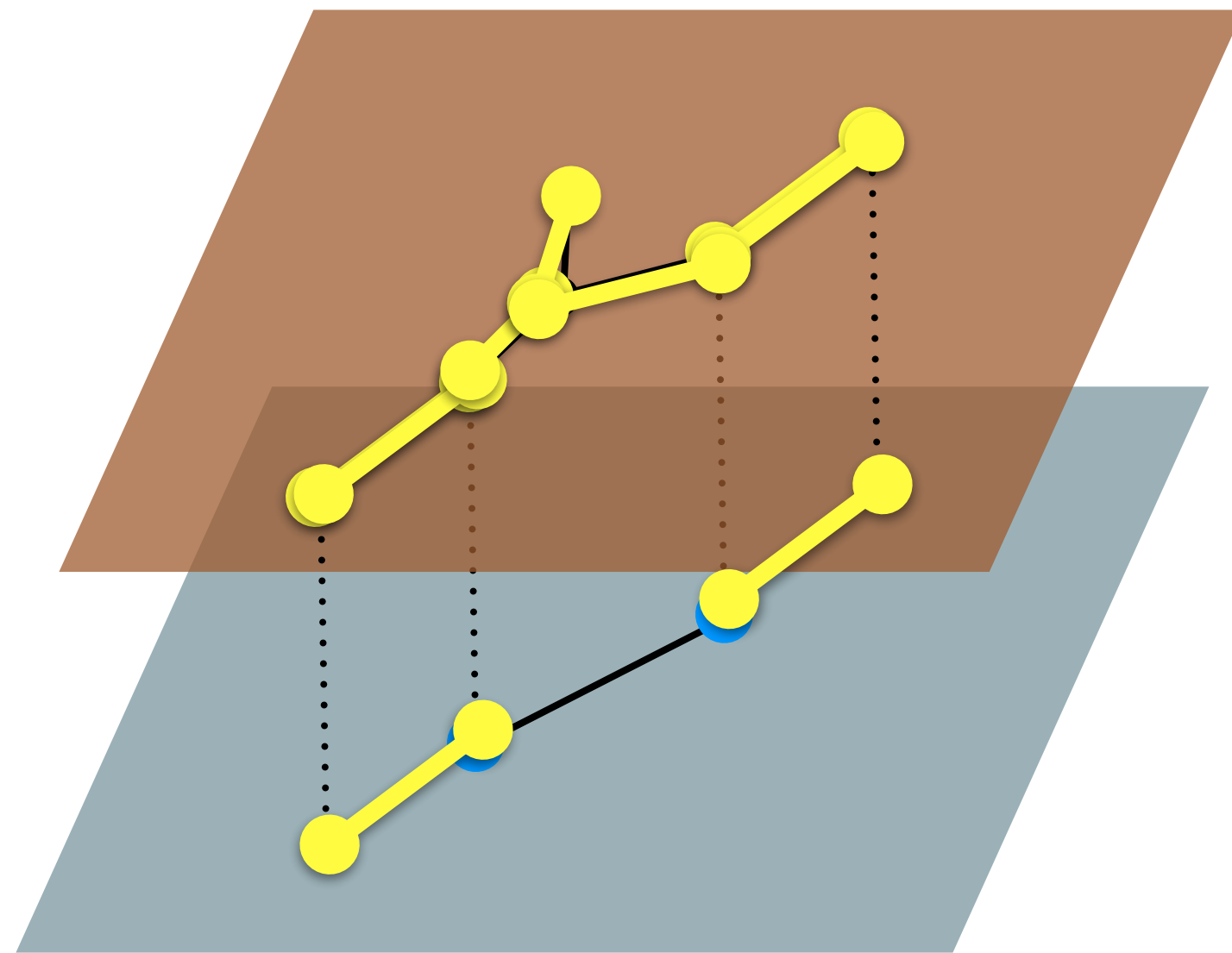


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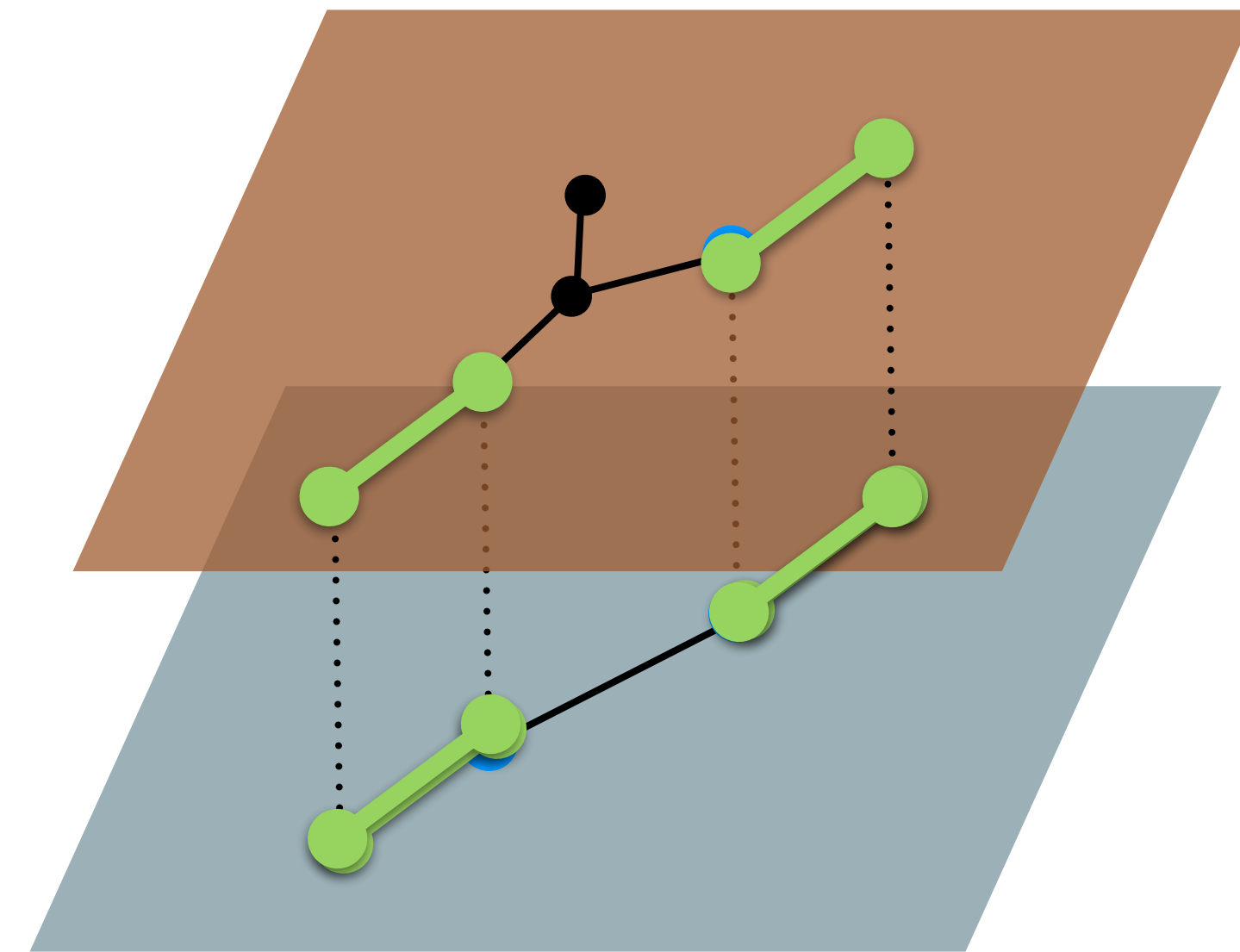


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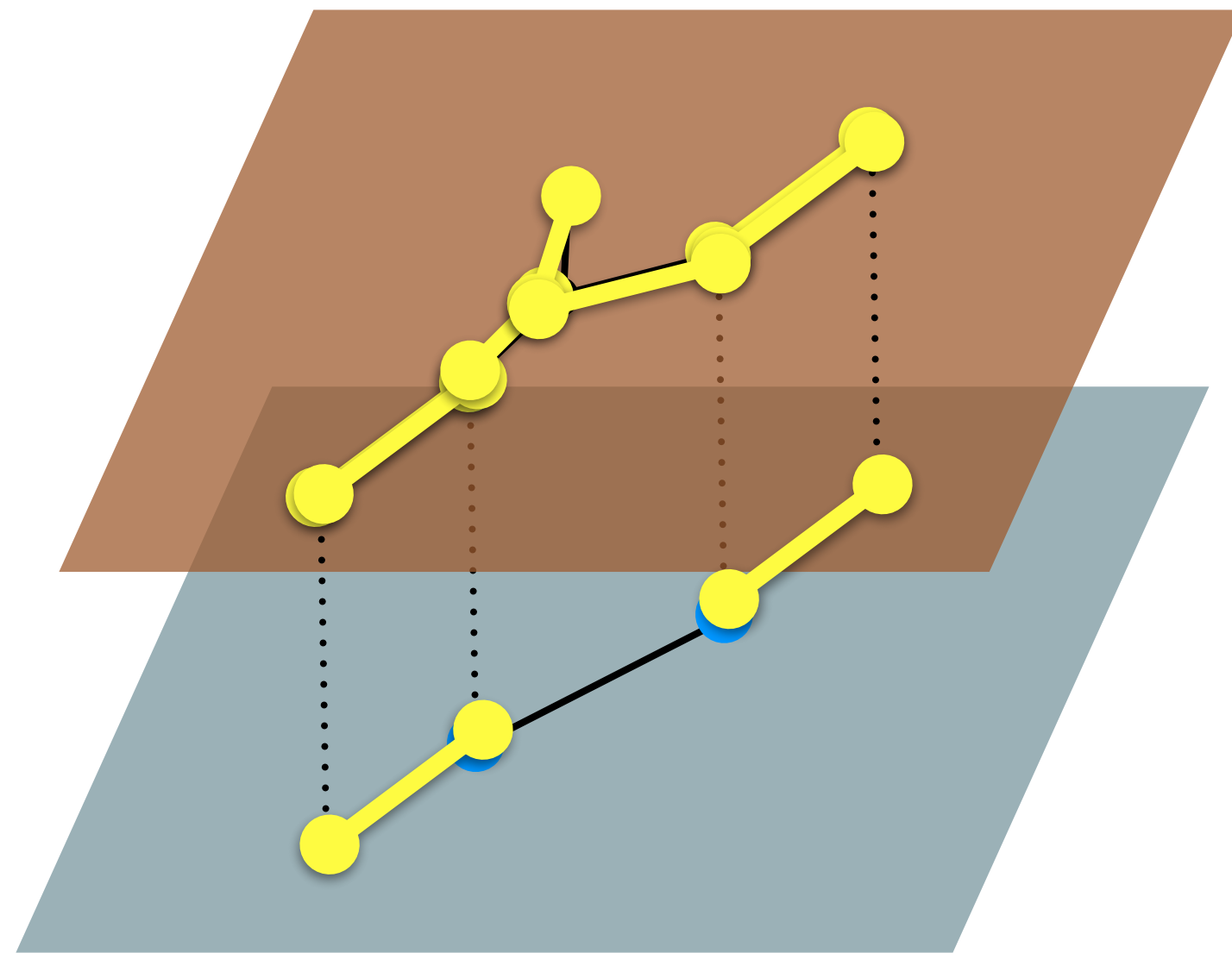


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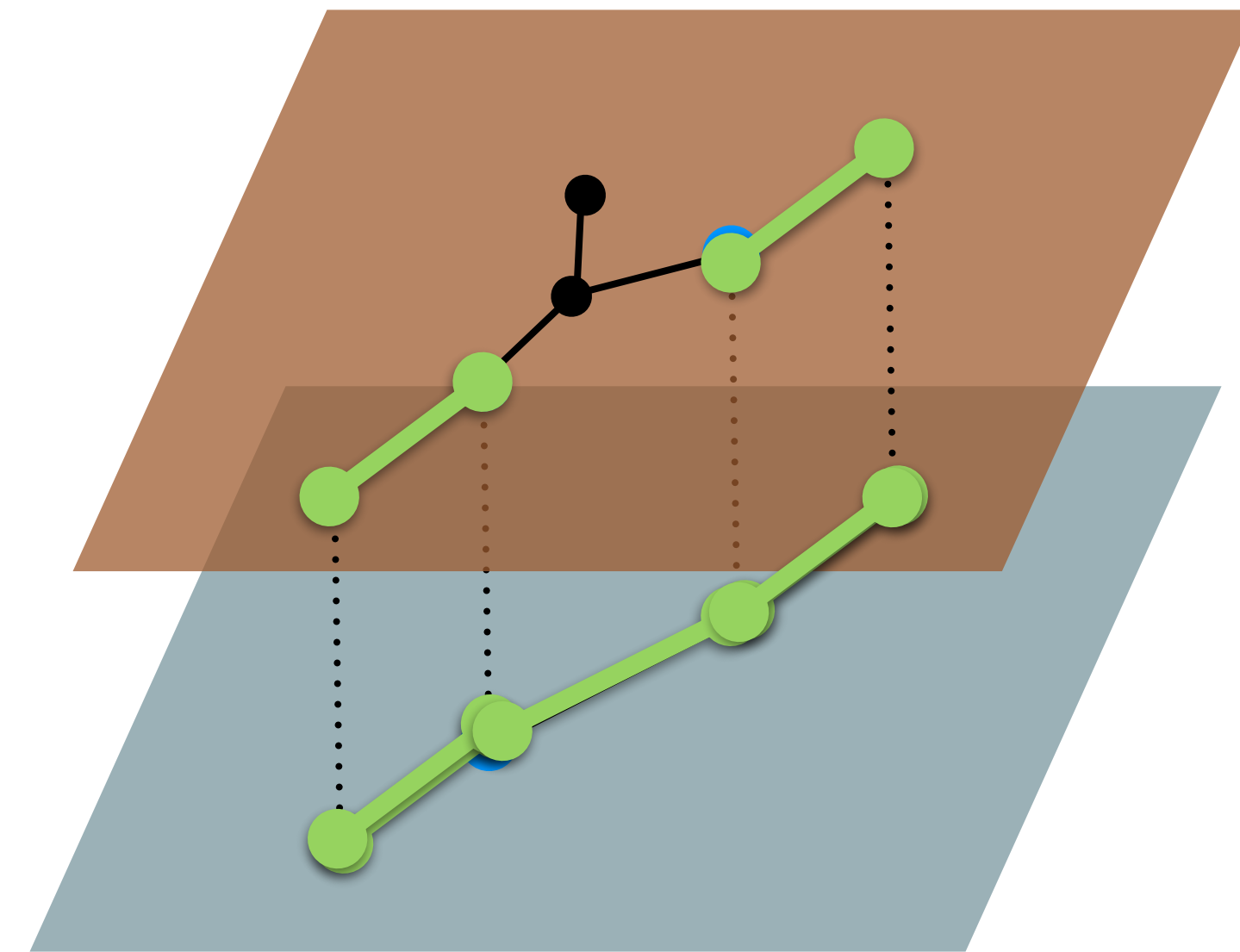


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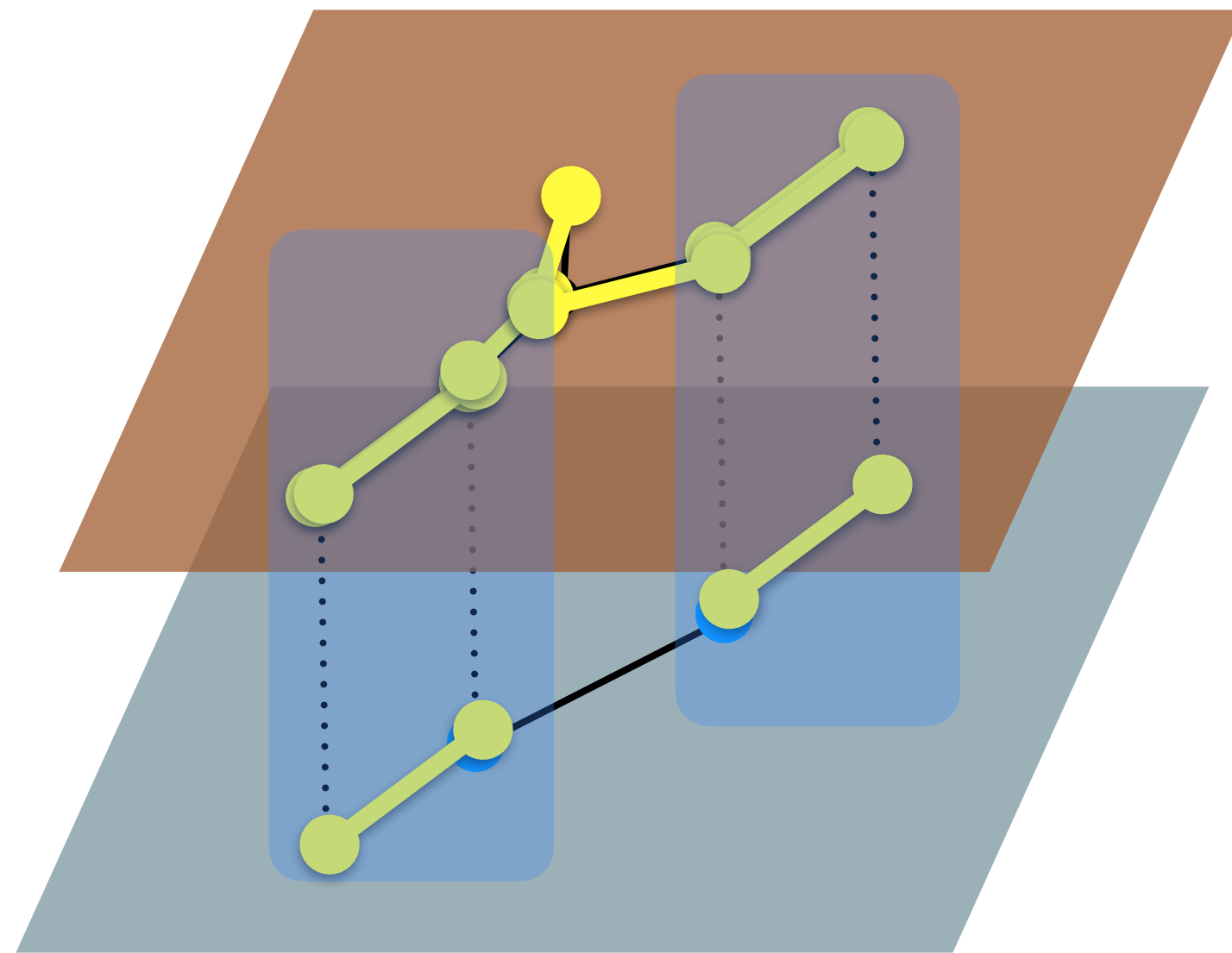


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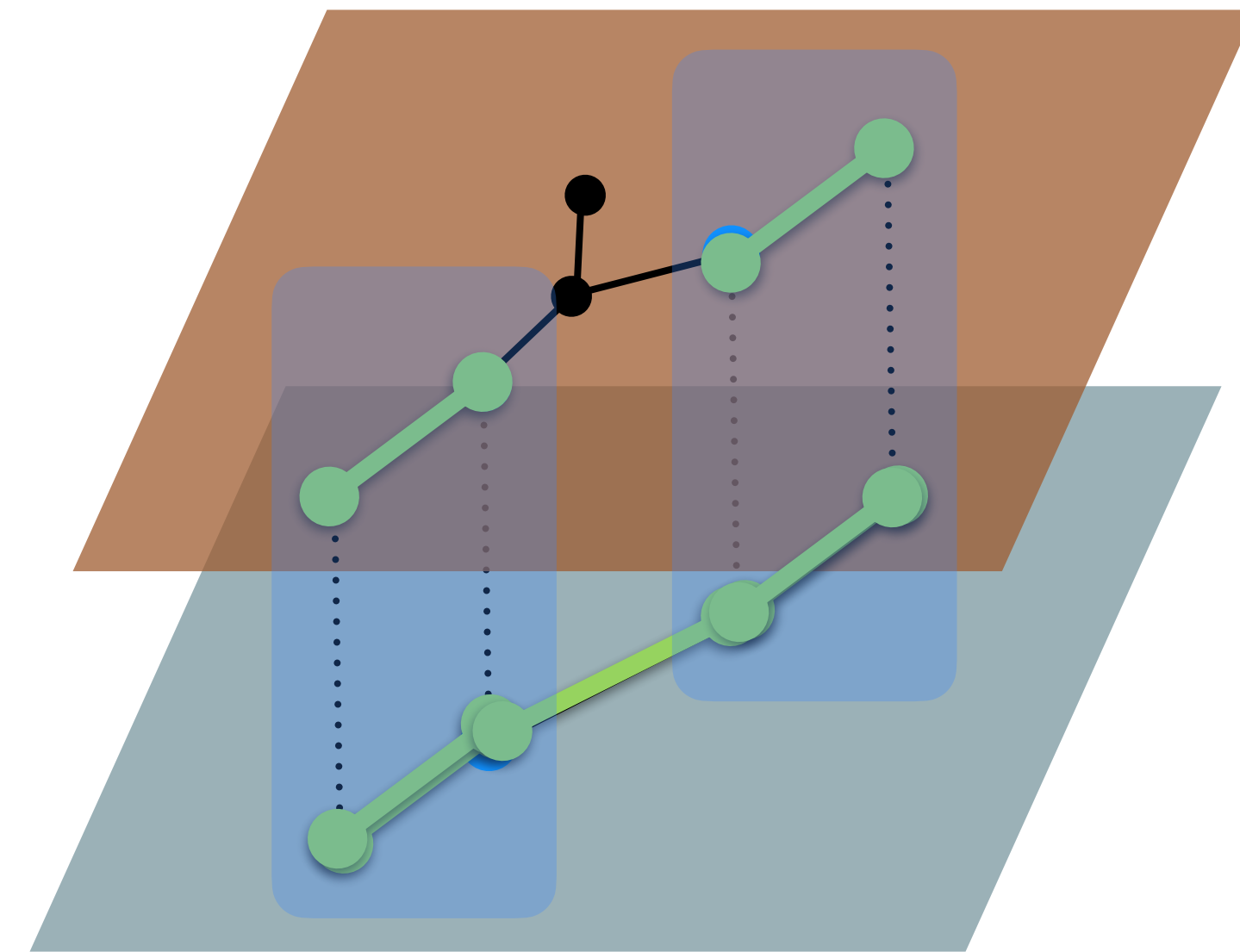


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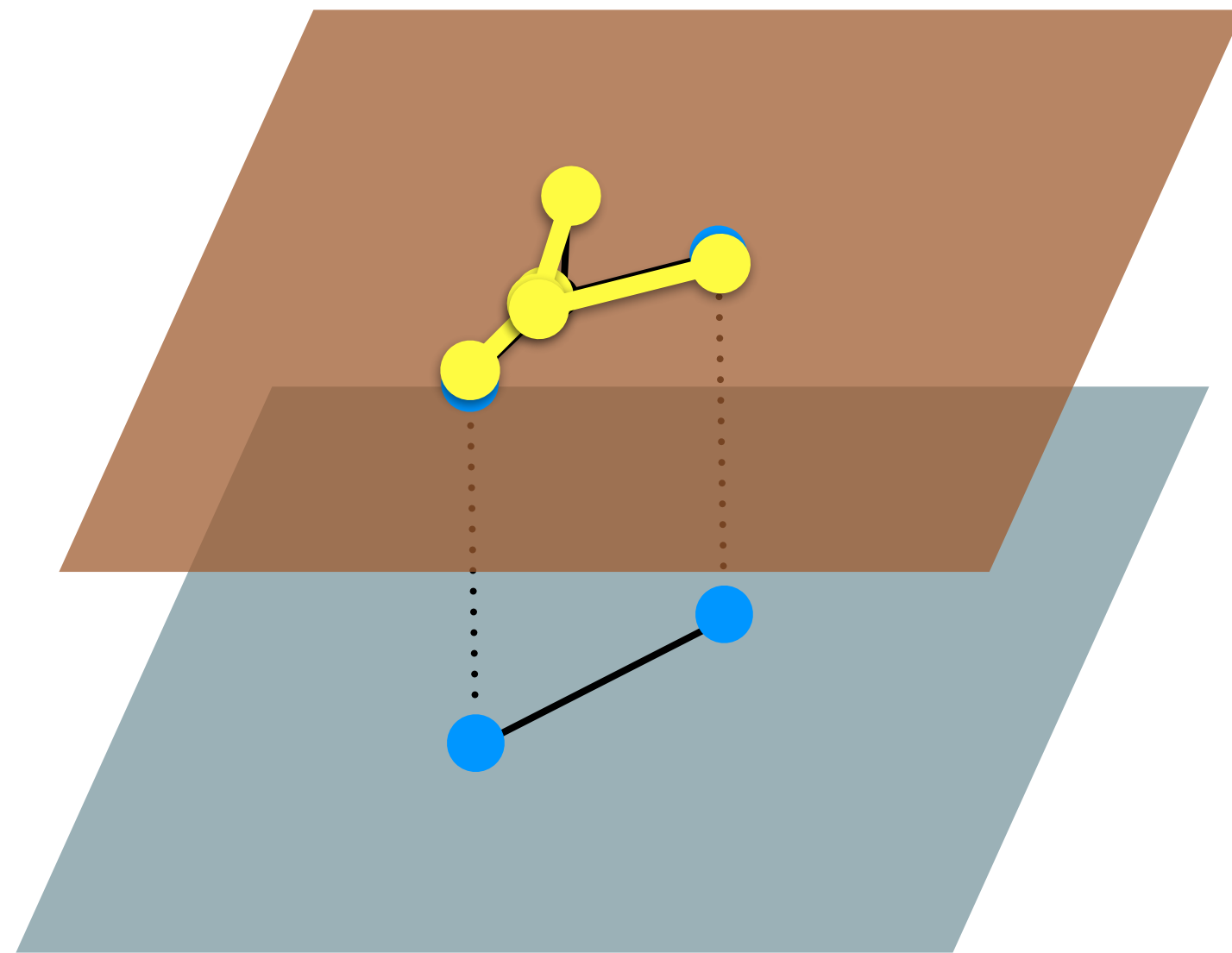


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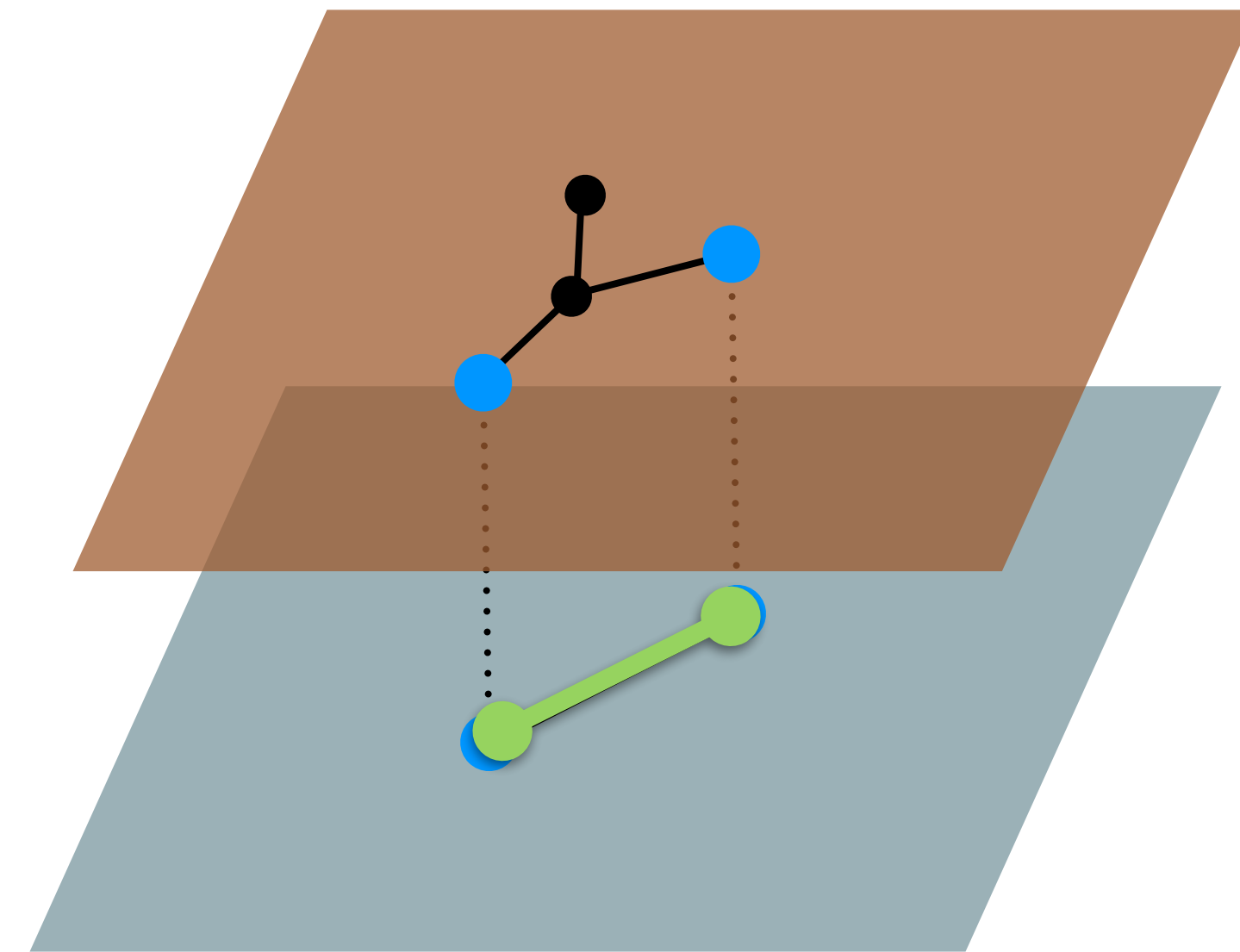


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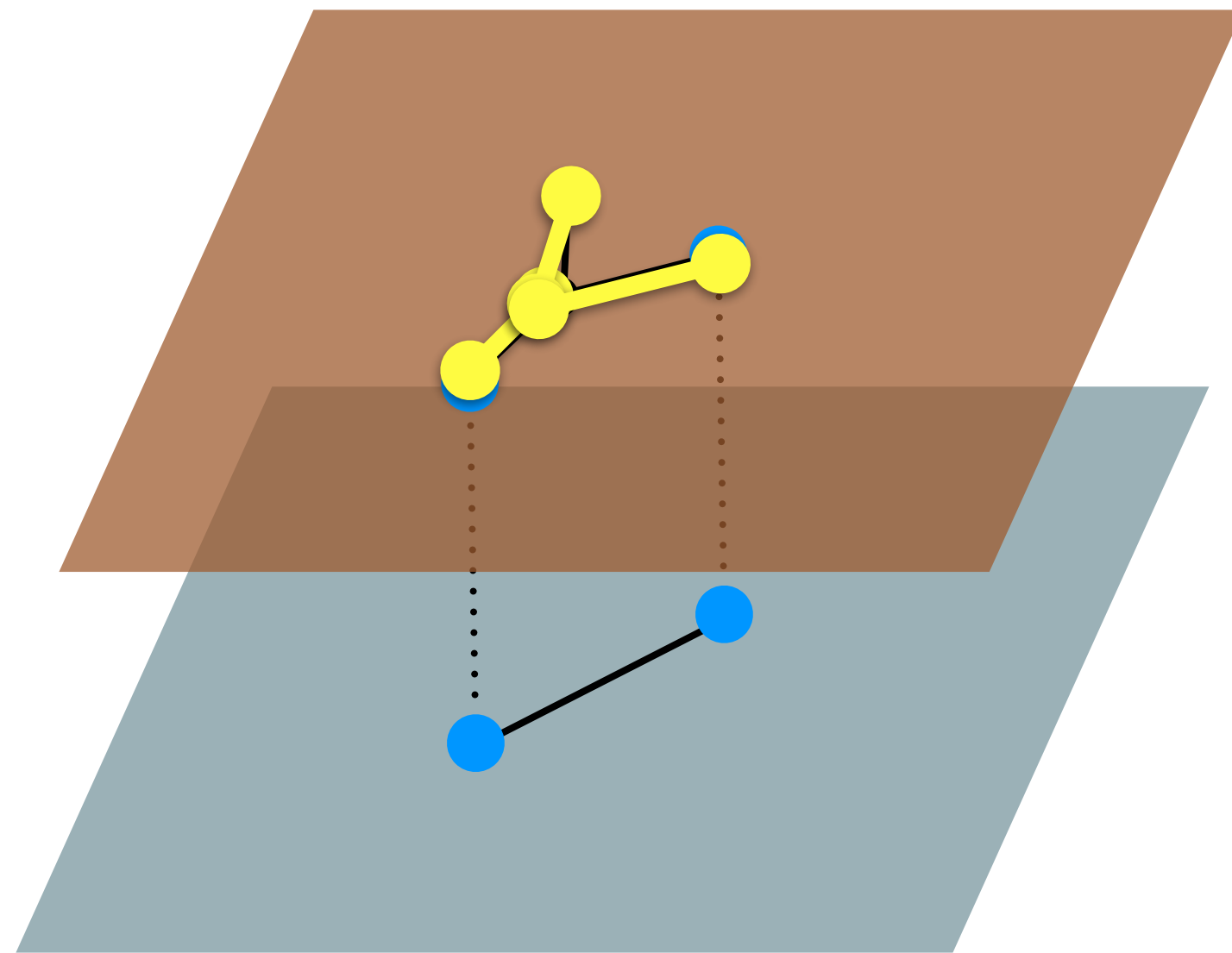
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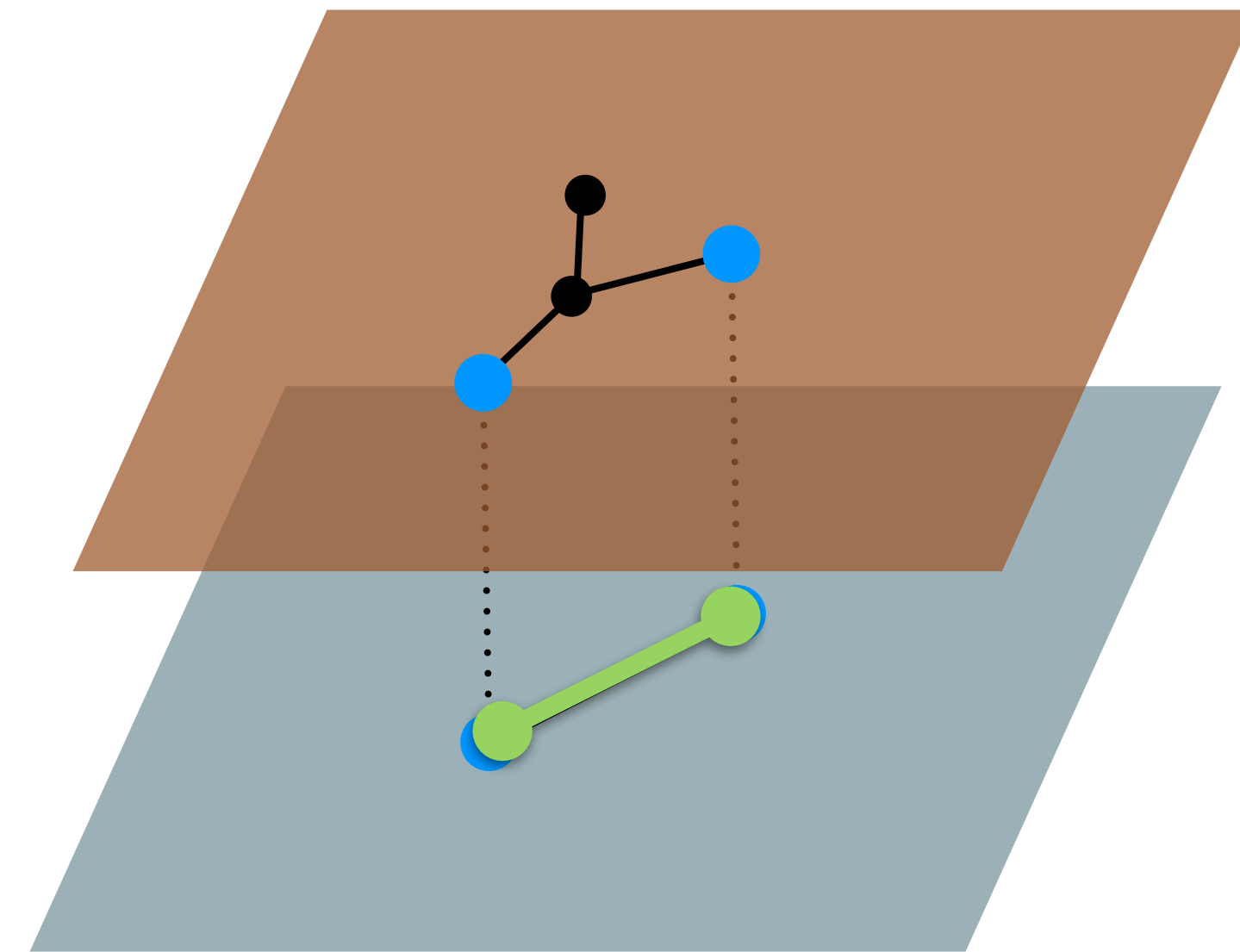
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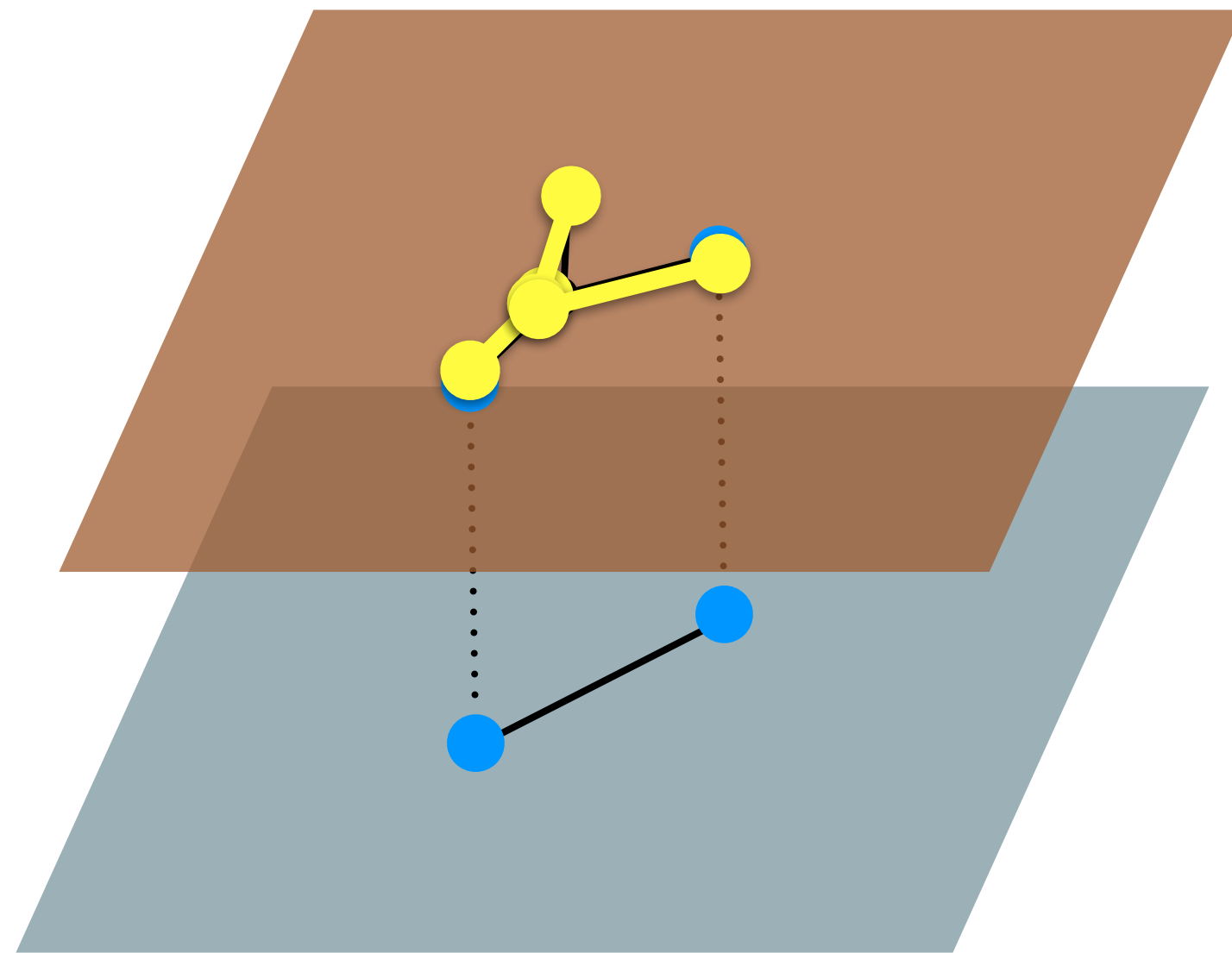
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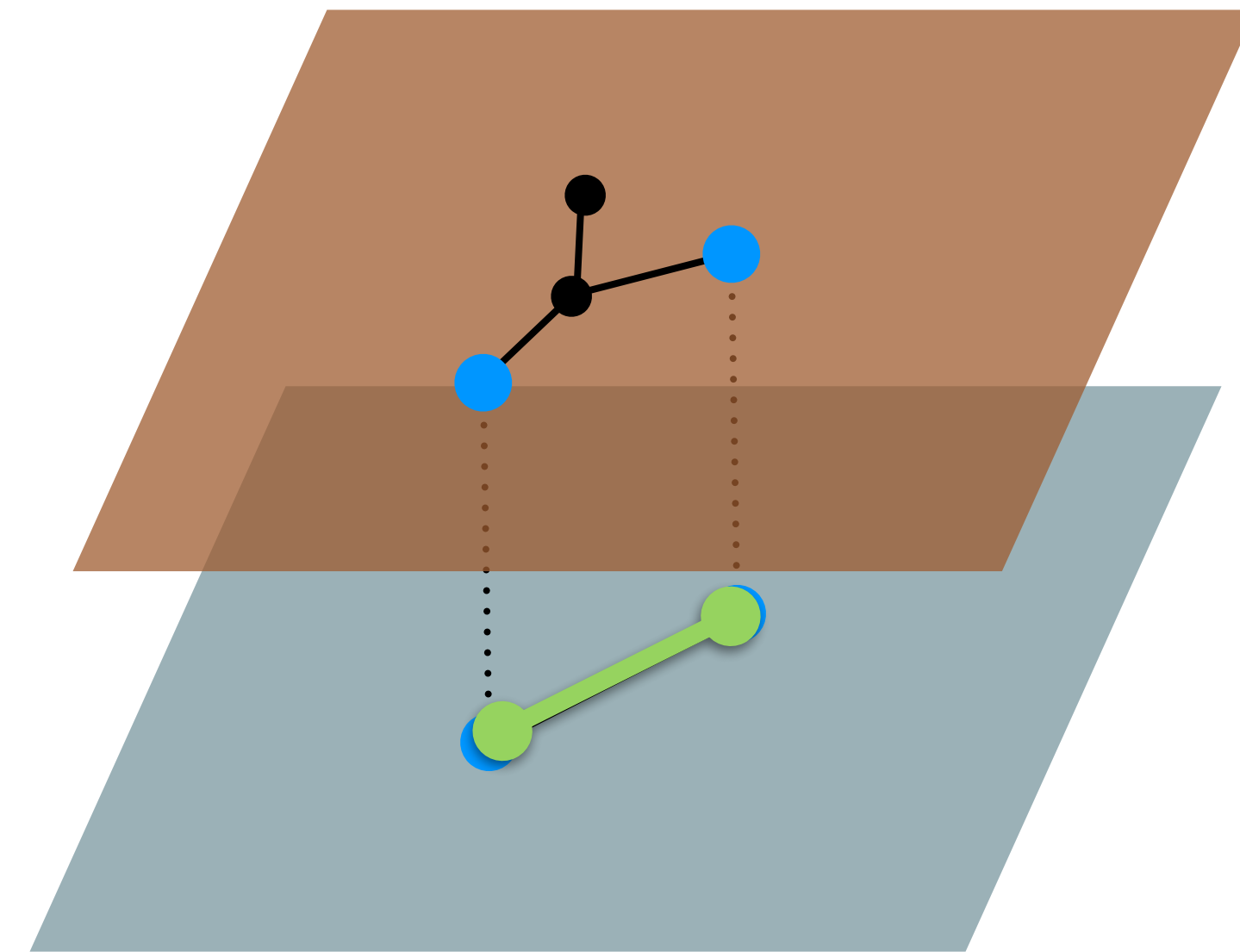
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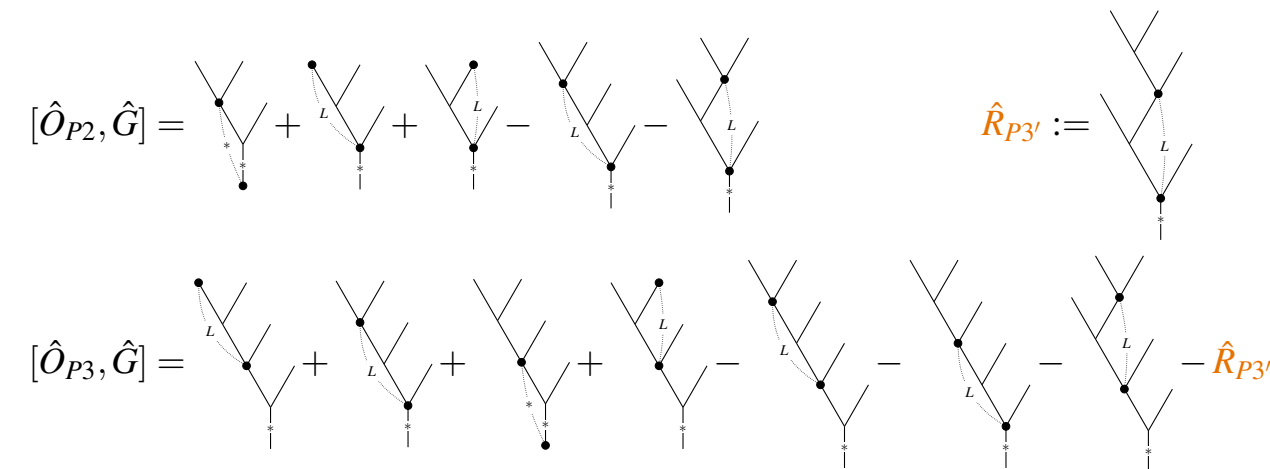
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Granted that the derivation of the evolution equation for  $\mathcal{G}(\lambda; \underline{\omega})$  is somewhat involved, one may extract from it a very interesting insight via a transformation of variables  $\omega_i \rightarrow \ln x_i$  (which entails that  $\frac{\partial}{\partial \omega_i} \rightarrow x_i \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i}$ ), and collecting coefficients for the operators  $\hat{n}_i := x_i \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i}$ :

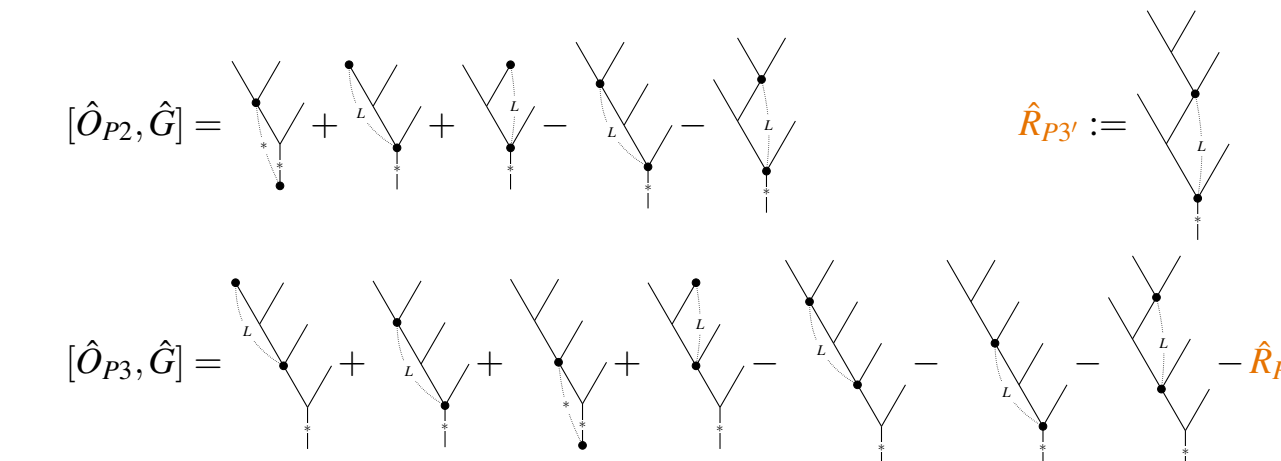
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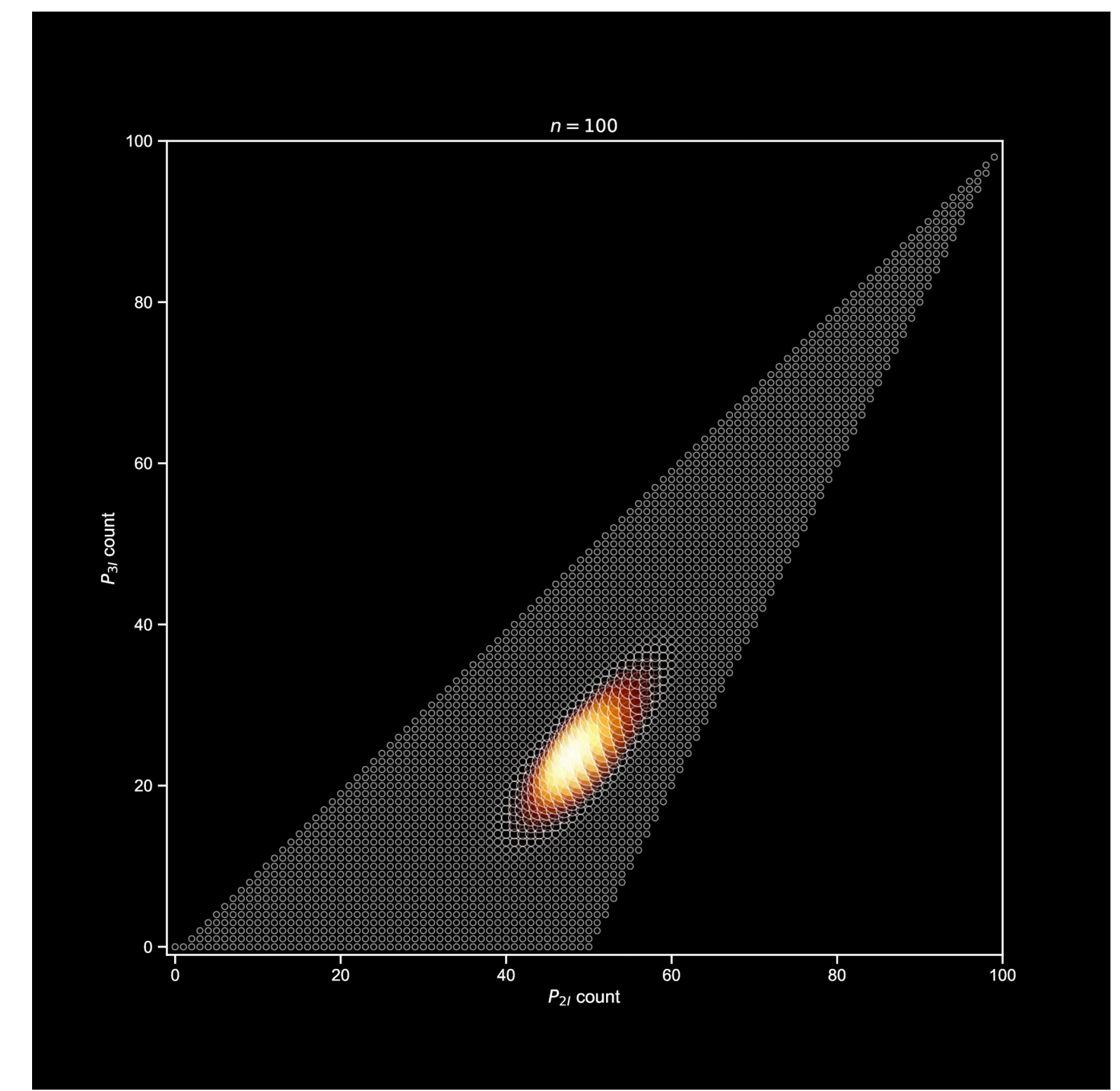
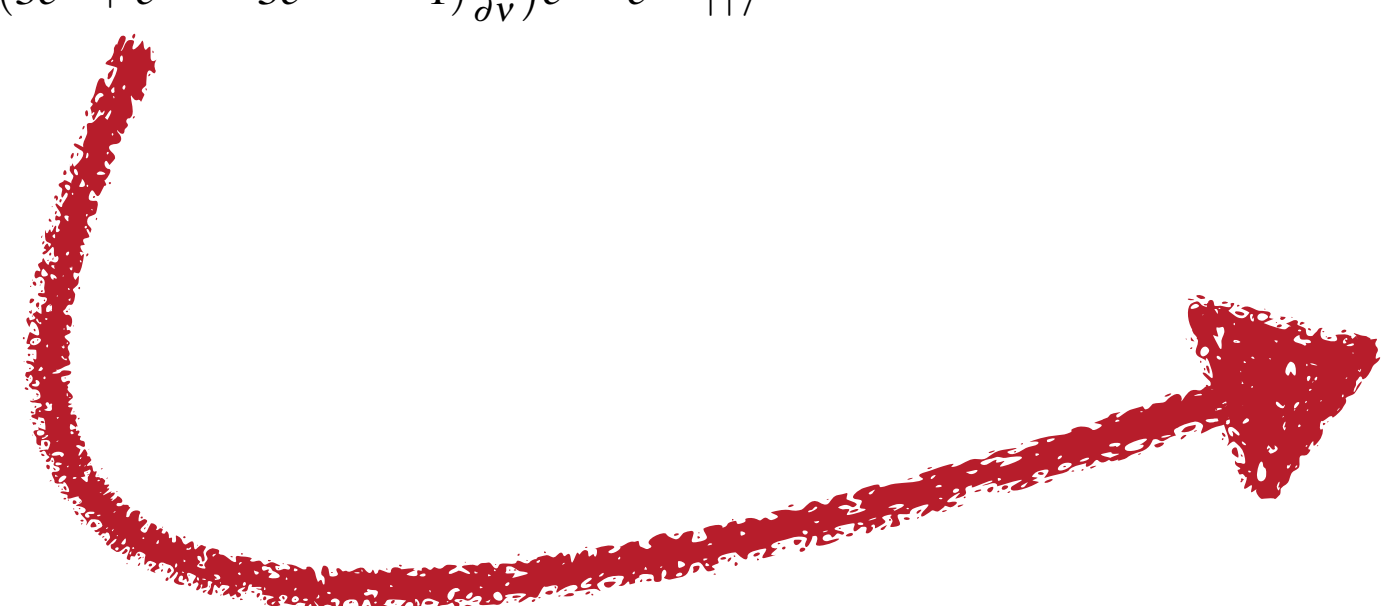
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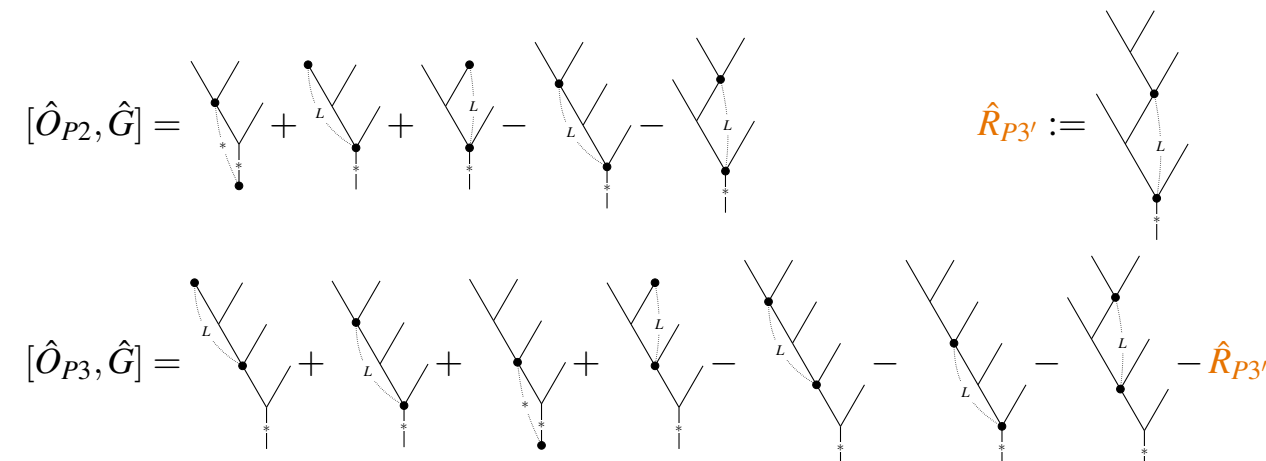


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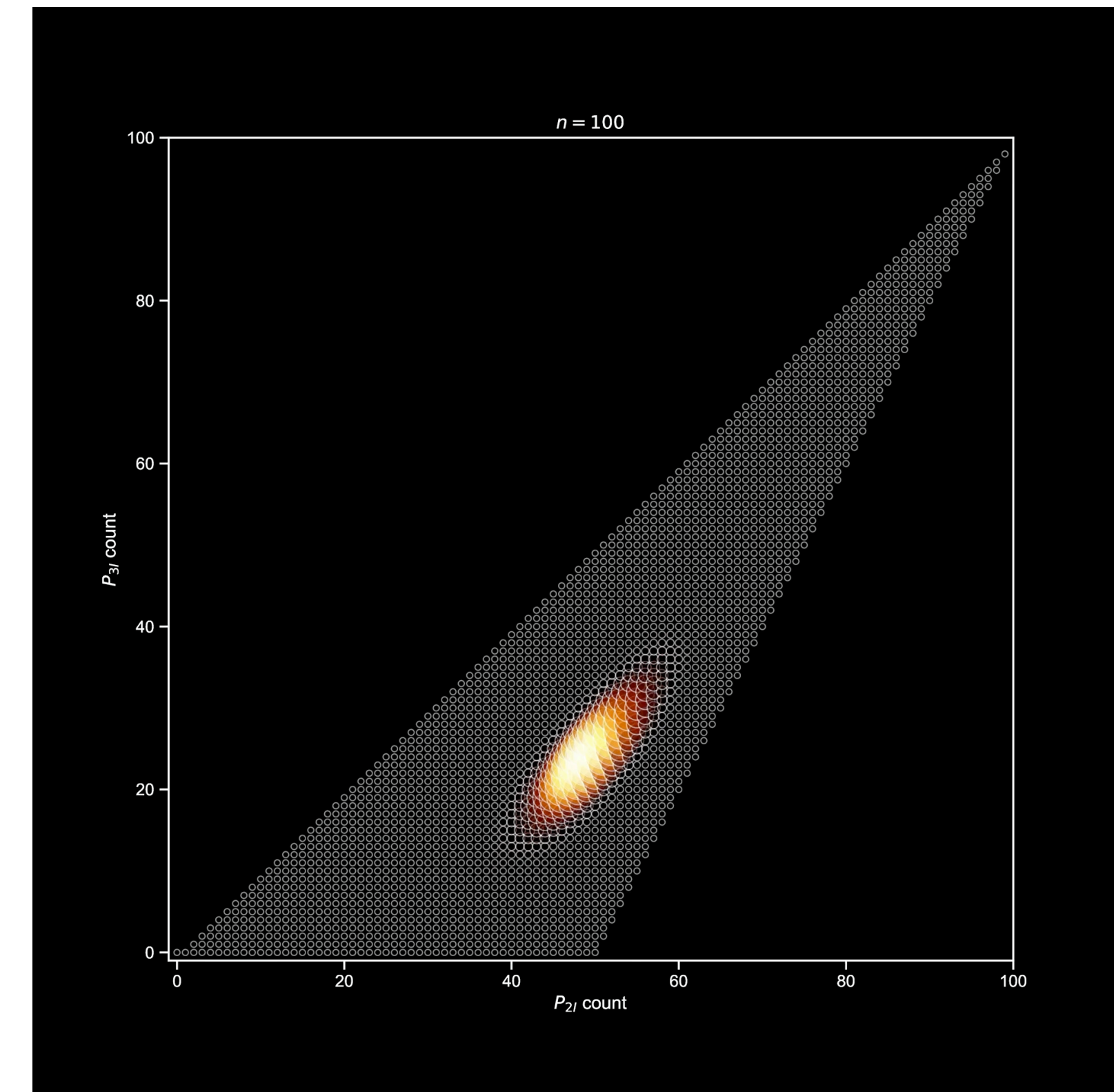
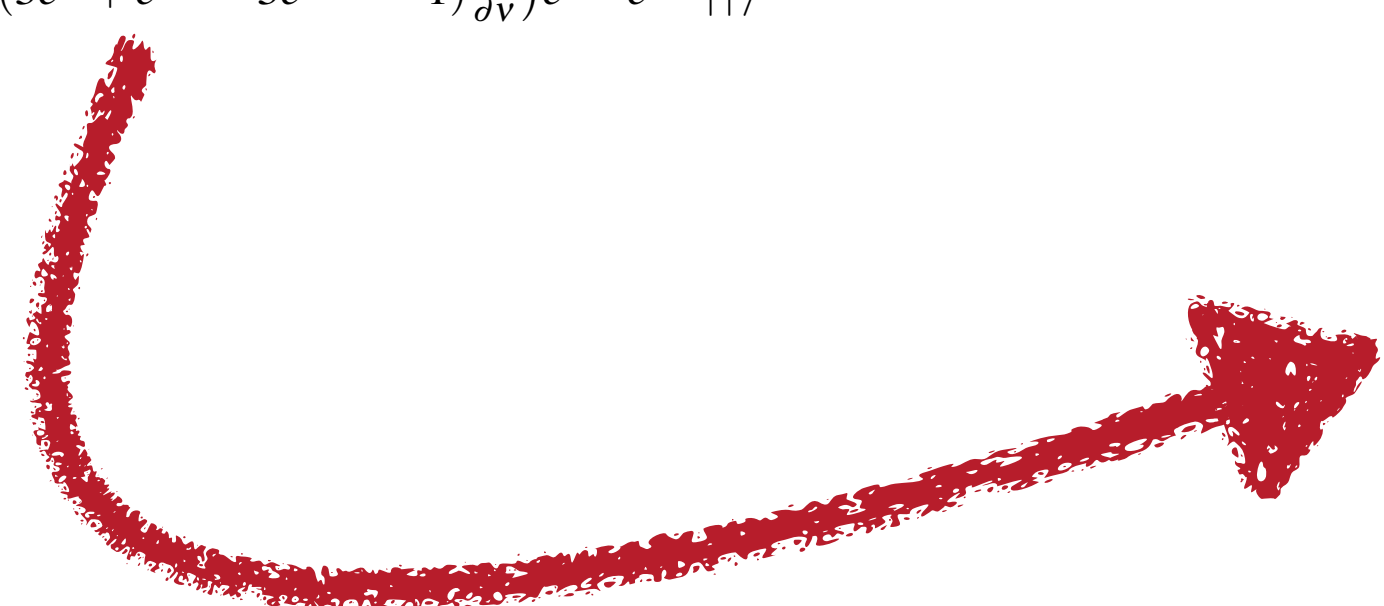
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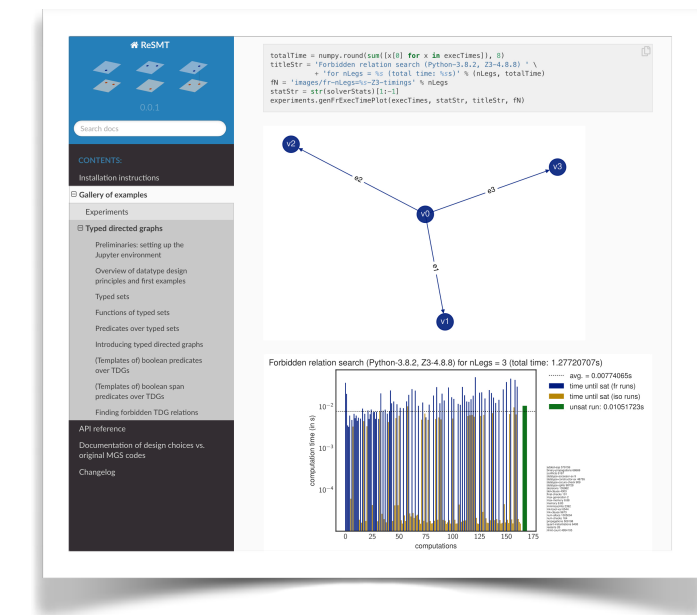


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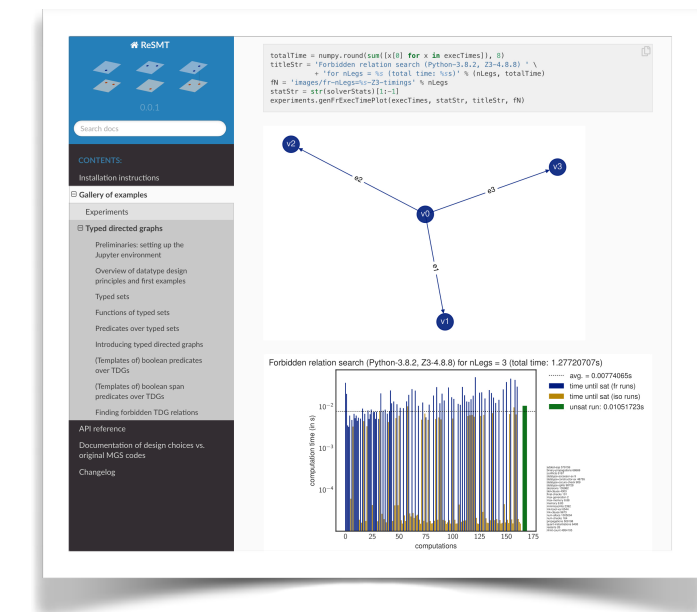


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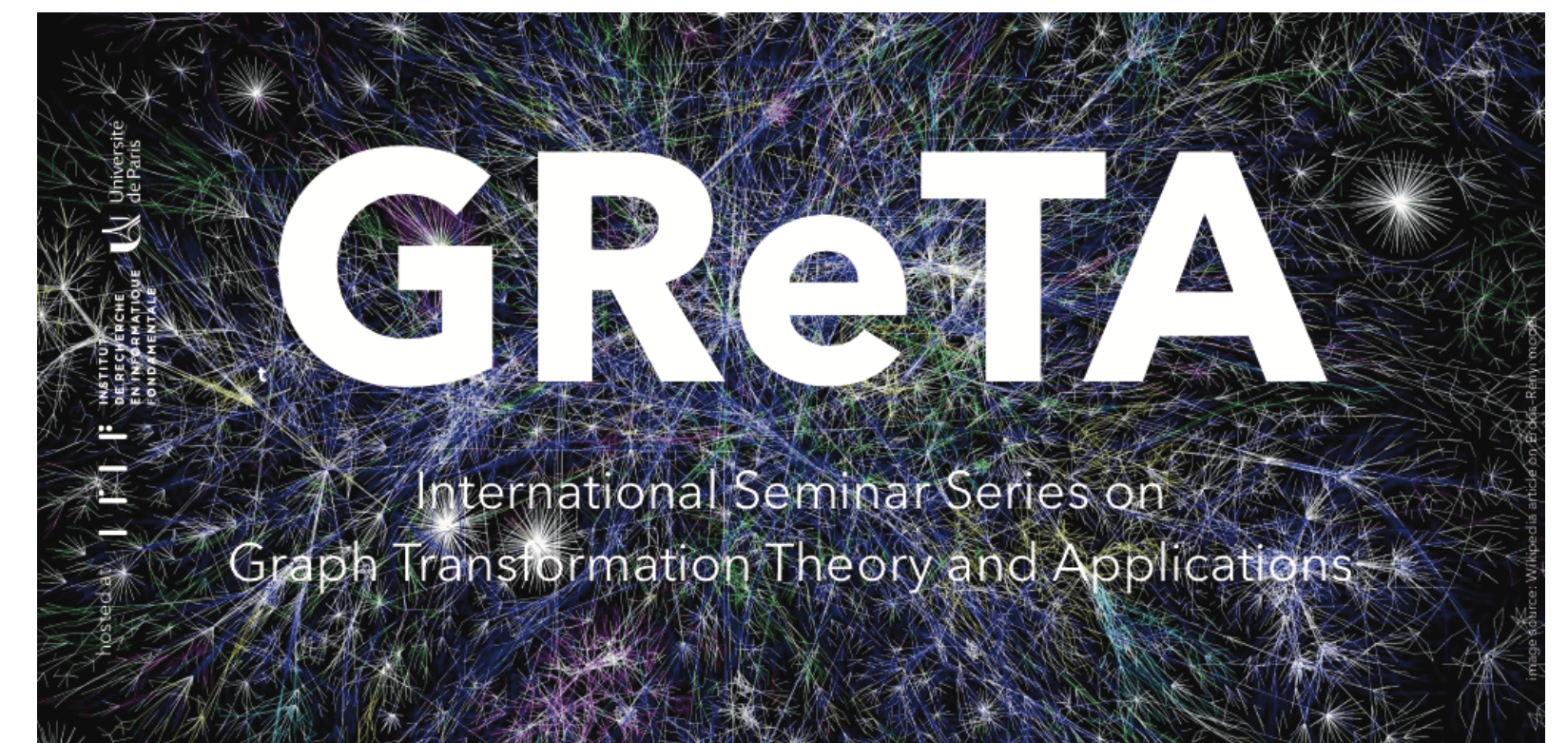
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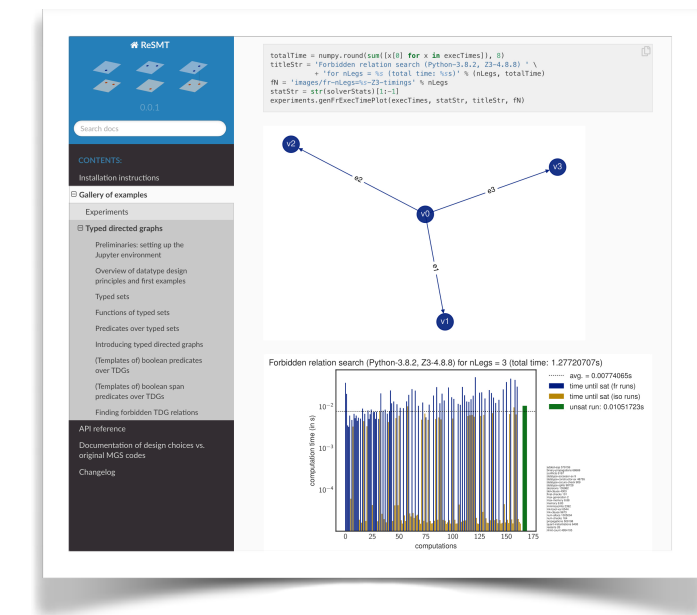


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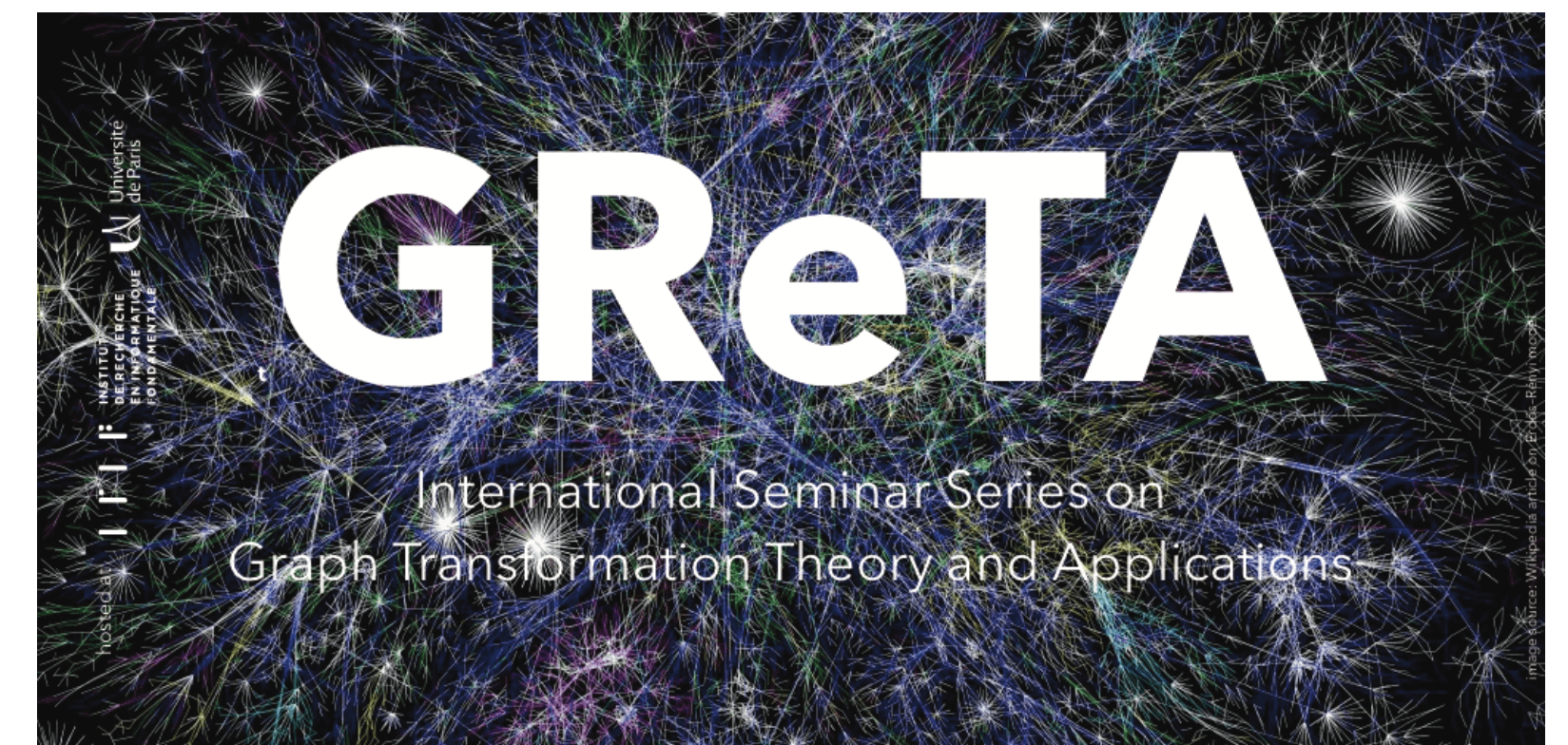
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