



Une dichotomie sur l'évaluation de requêtes closes sous homomorphismes sur les graphes probabilistes

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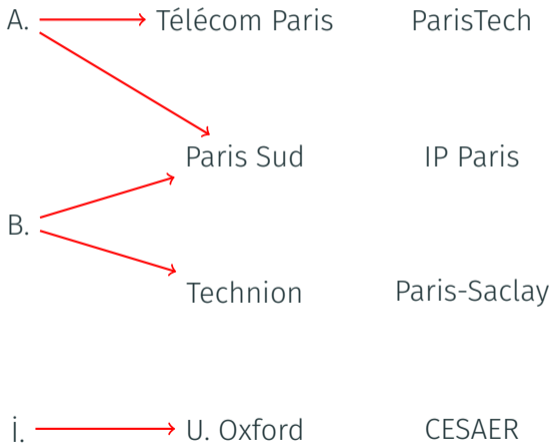
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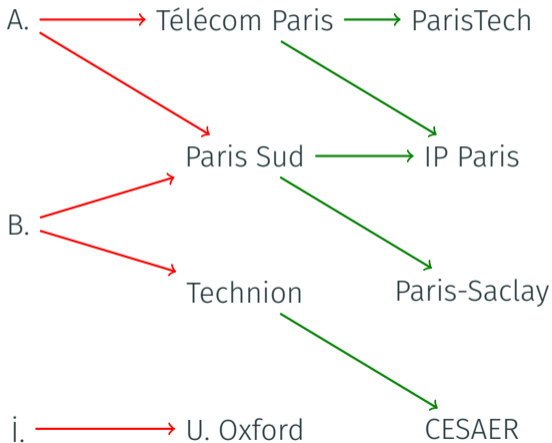
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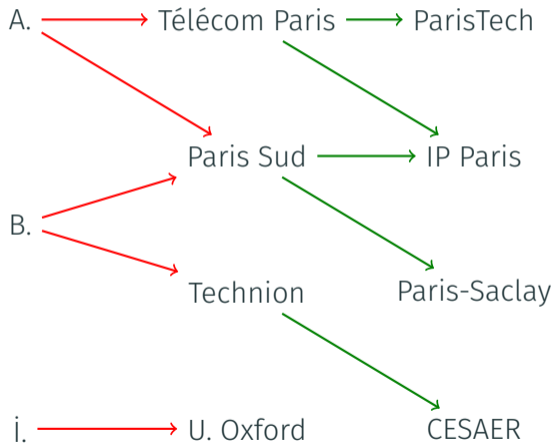
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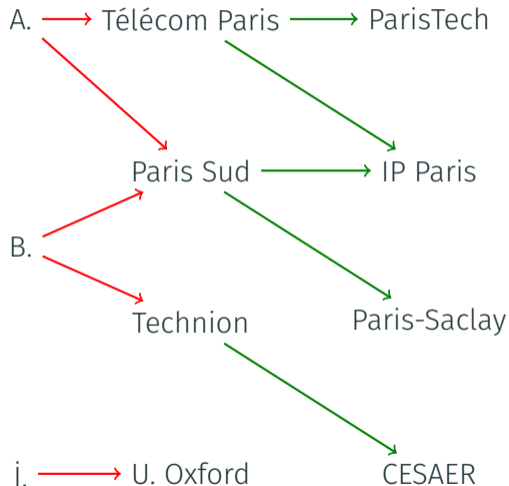
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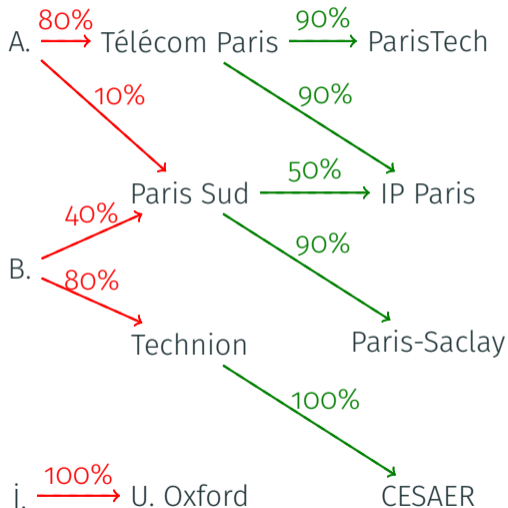
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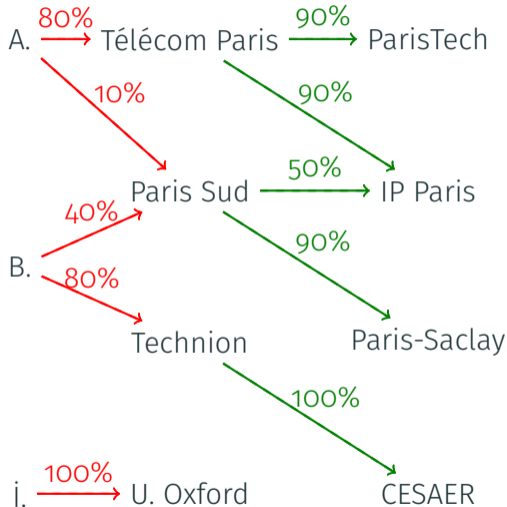
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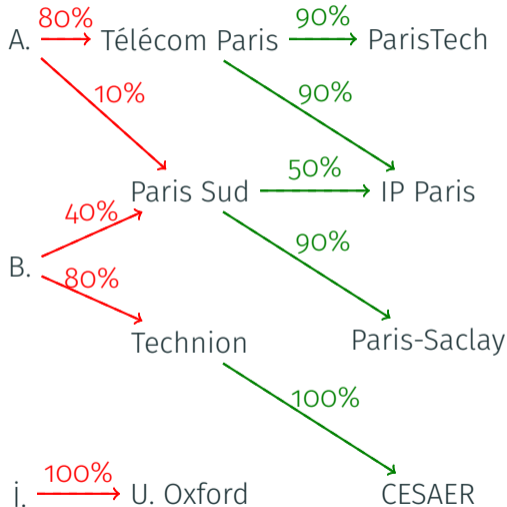
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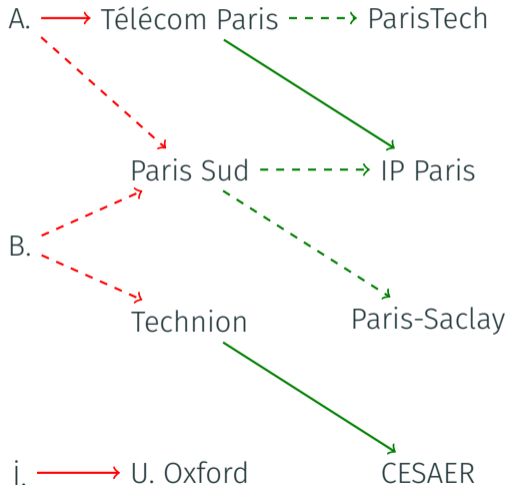
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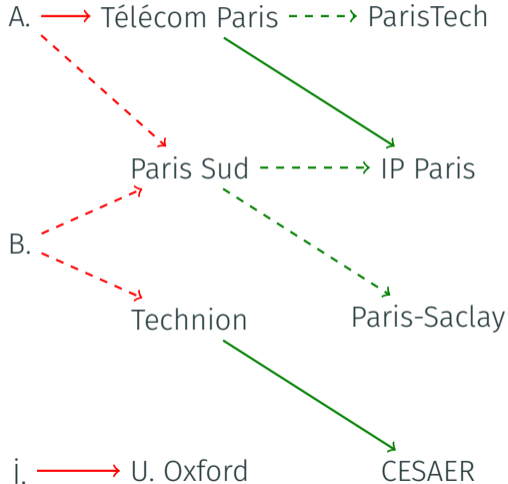
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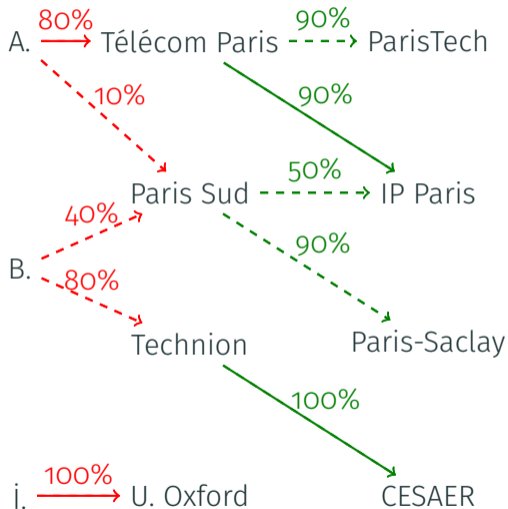
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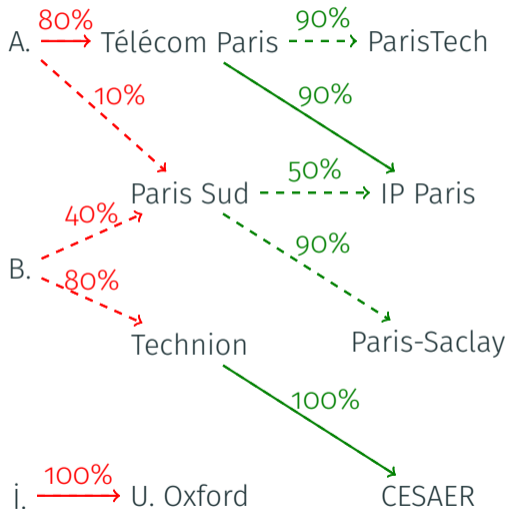
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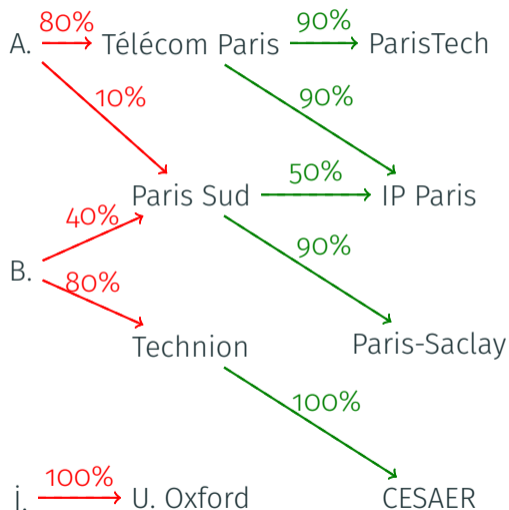
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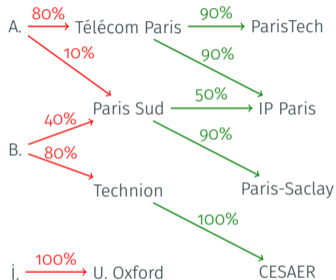
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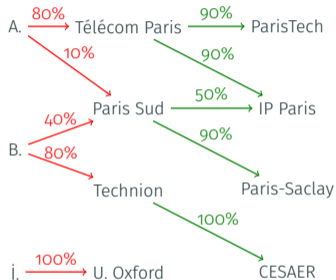
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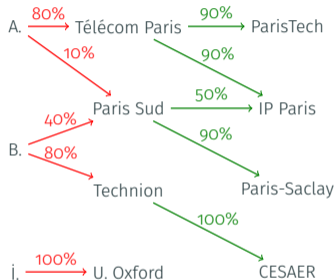
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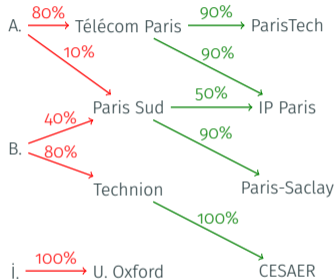
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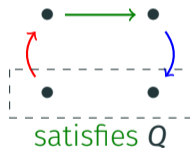
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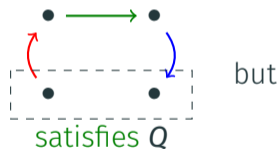
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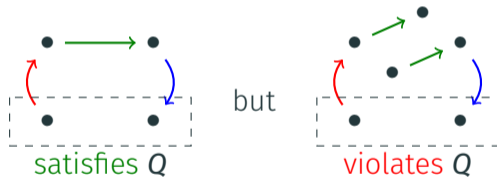
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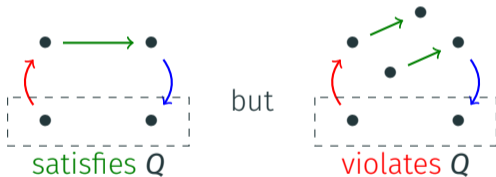
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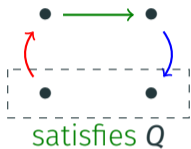


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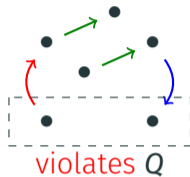
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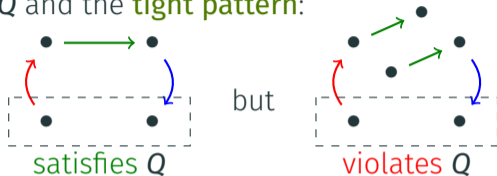


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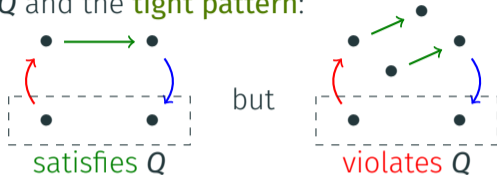
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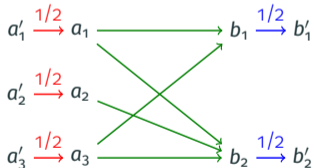
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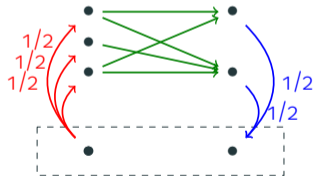
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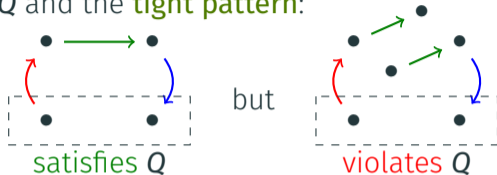


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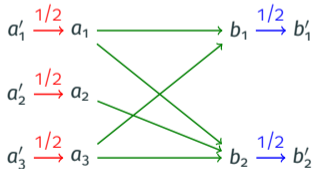


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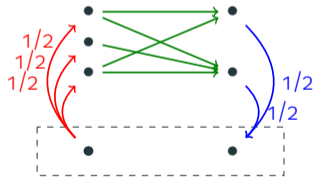
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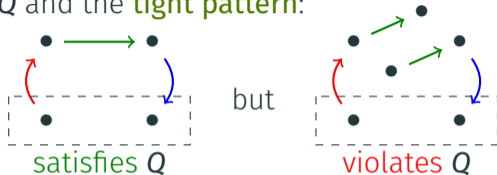


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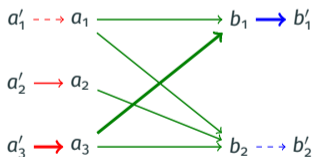
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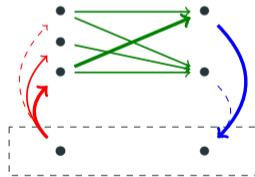
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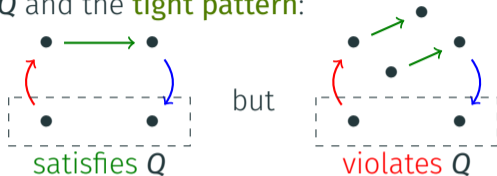
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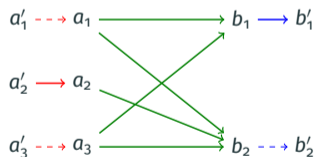
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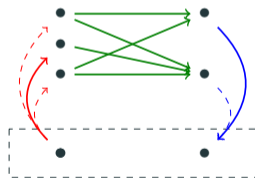
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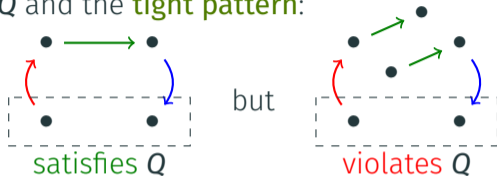
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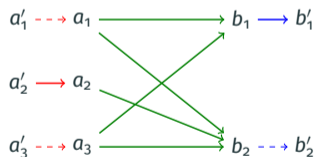
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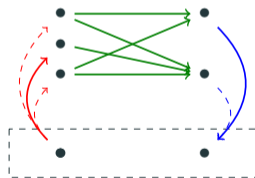
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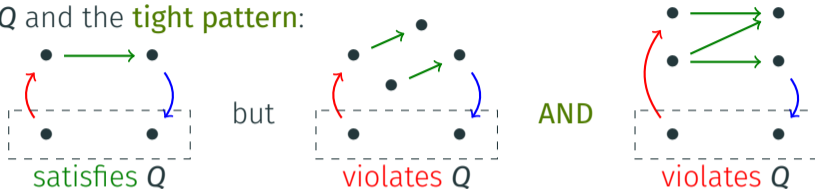
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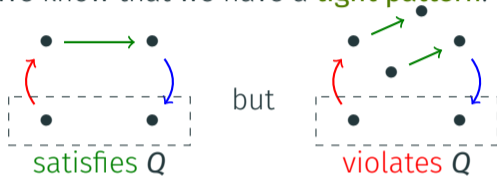
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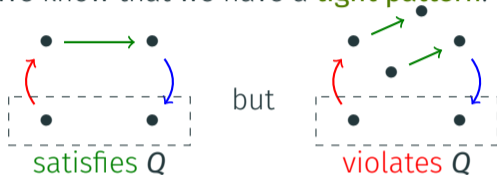
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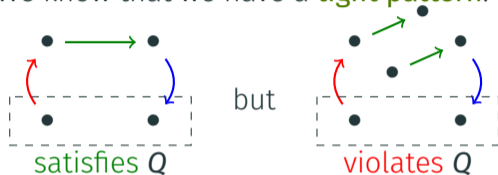


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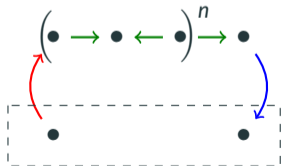


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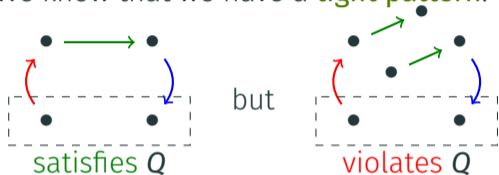


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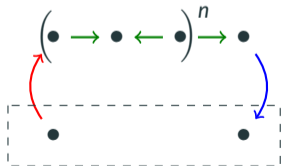


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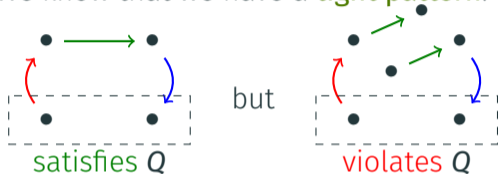


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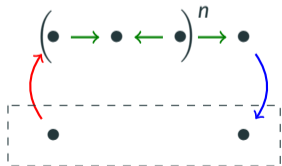


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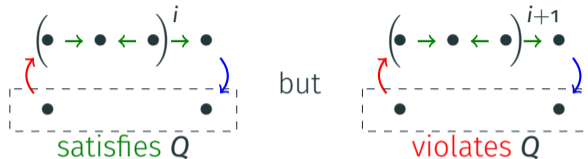
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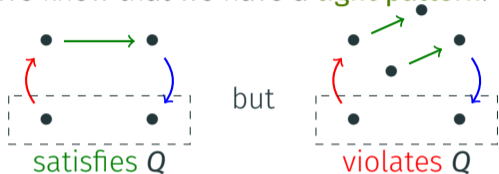


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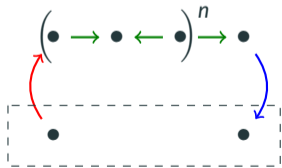


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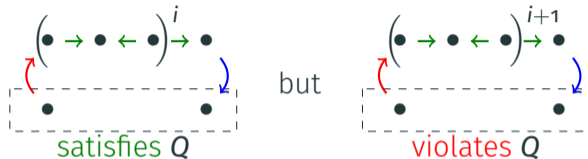
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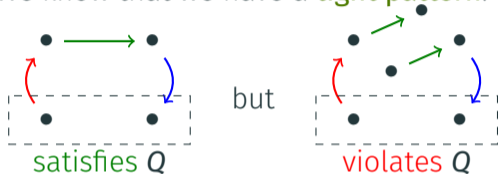
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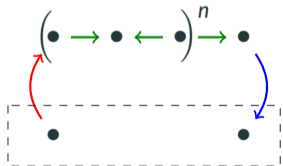
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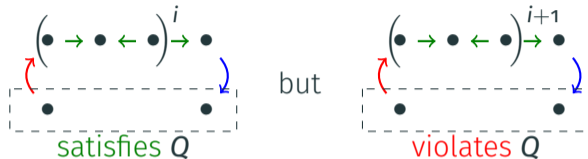
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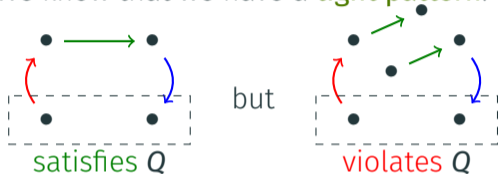
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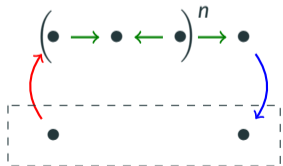


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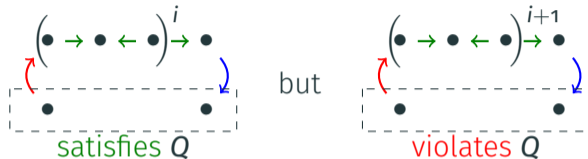
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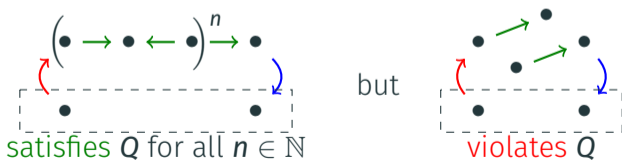


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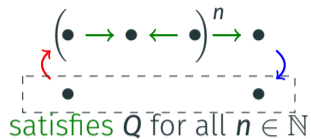
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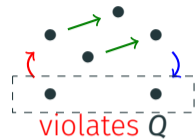
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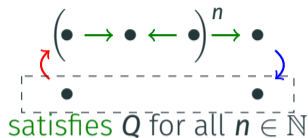


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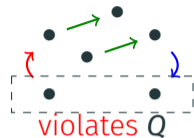


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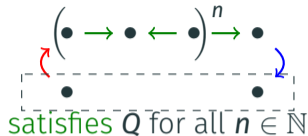


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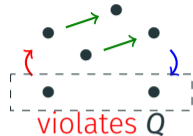
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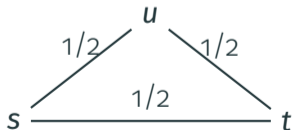


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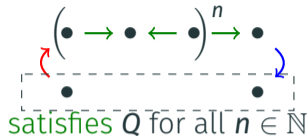
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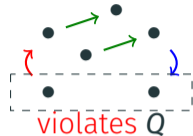


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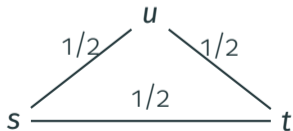


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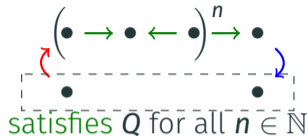
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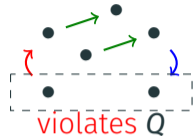
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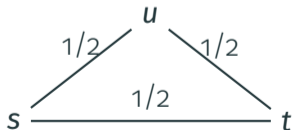


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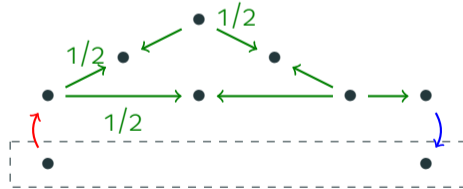


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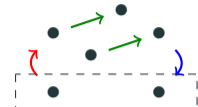


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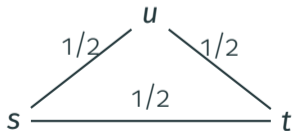
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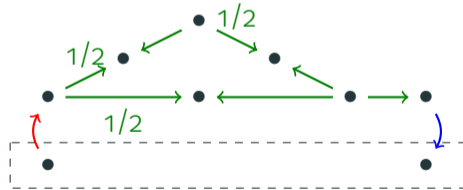
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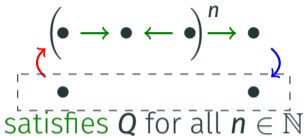


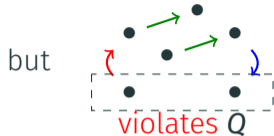
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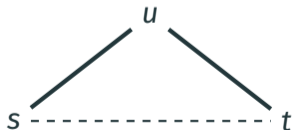
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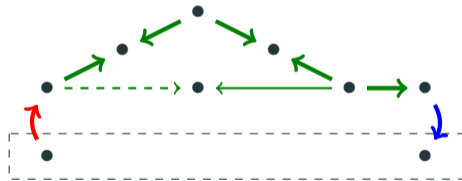
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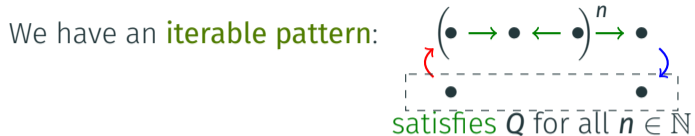
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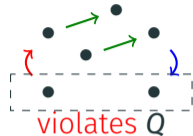
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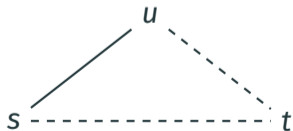


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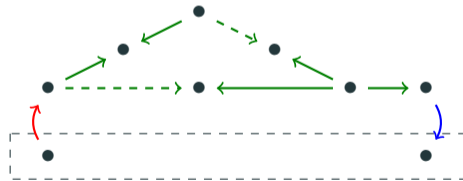


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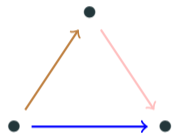
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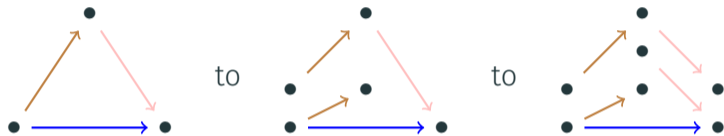
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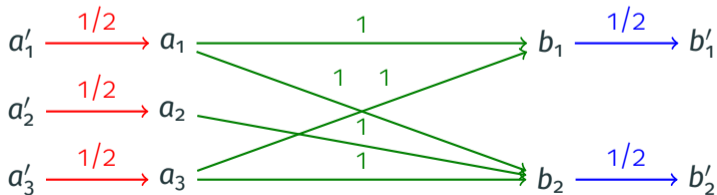
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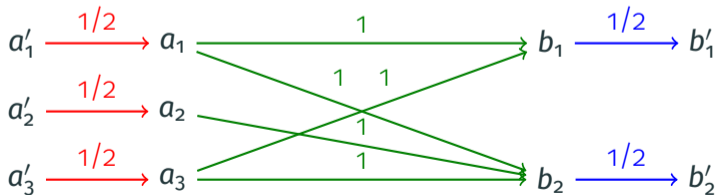
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