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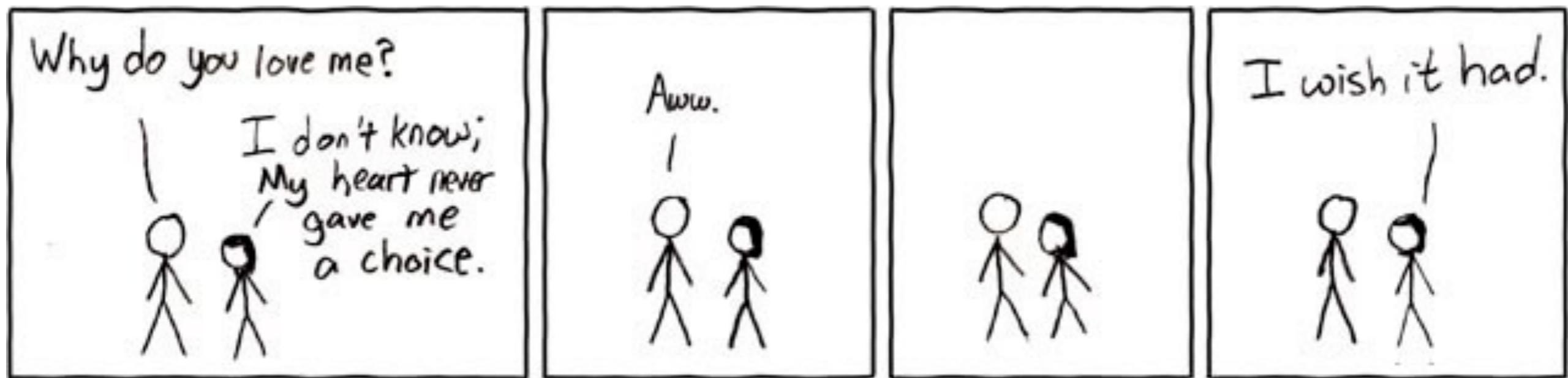


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Agenda

- Motivation
- A bit of history
- Concepts
- Range Algorithms
- Projections
- Views
- Composition
- Actions
- Performance

Motivation



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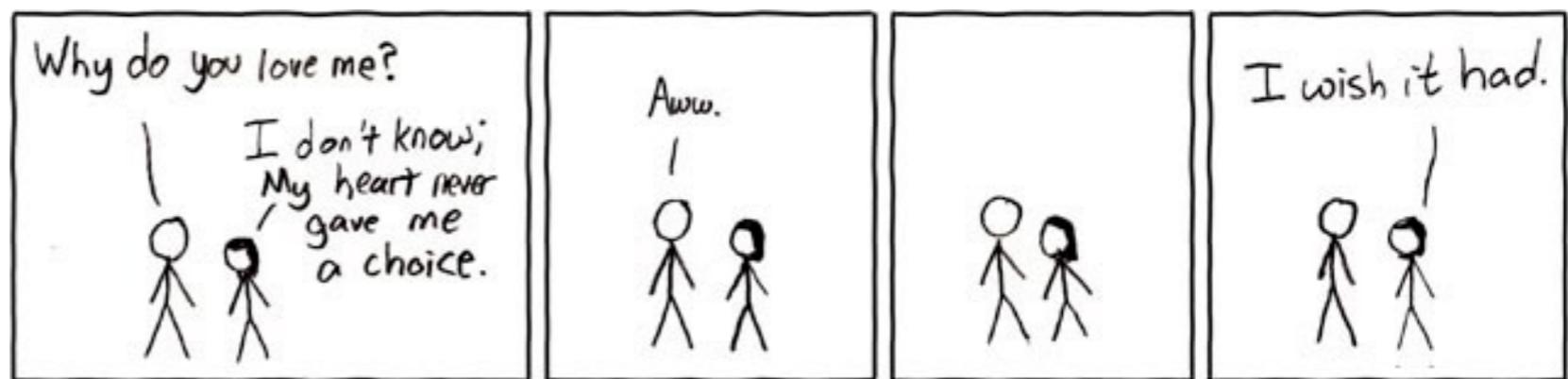
Motivation

- One prime motivation for ranges is to give users a simpler syntax for calling algorithms. Rather than this:

```
std::vector<int> v { /*...*/ };  
std::sort(v.begin(), v.end());
```

write this:

```
std::ranges::sort(v);
```

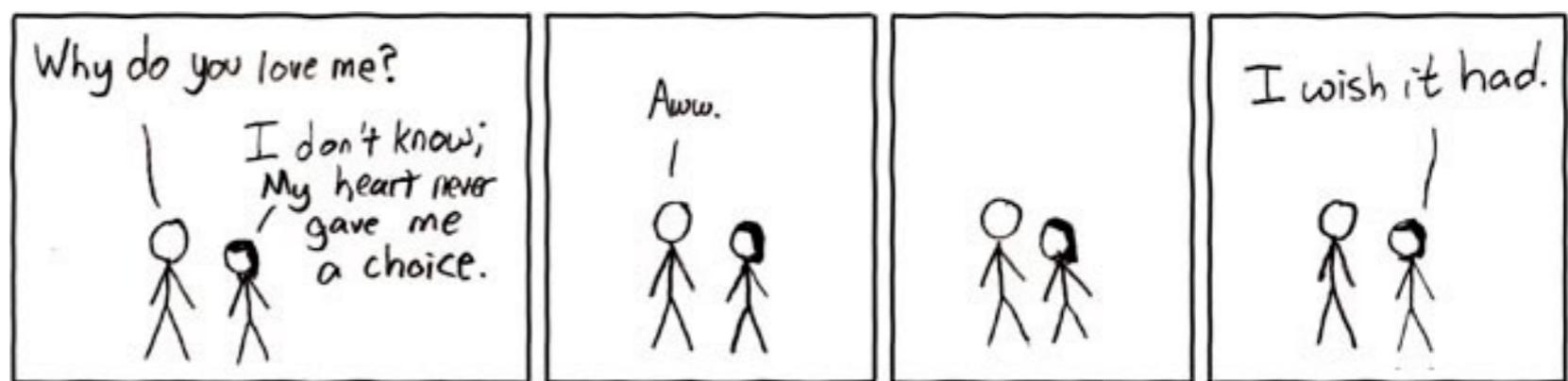


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Motivation

- Allowing algorithms to take a single range object instead of separate begin and end iterators opens the door to range adaptors which lazily transform or filter their underlying sequence in interesting ways:

```
accumulate(view::iota(1)
| view::transform([](int x) { return x * x; })
| view::take(10), 0);
```



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What is a range

- A sequence of elements between two locations i, k .
- Often denoted by $[i, k)$

What is a range

- From the perspective of the standard library, a range is a pair of iterators.

```
std::copy(v.begin(), v.end(), buf);
```

- But there are other interesting ways to denote a range of elements:
 - An iterator and a count of elements

```
std::copy_n(v.begin(), 20, buf);
```
 - An iterator and a (possibly stateful) predicate that indicates when the range is exhausted.

```
std::copy(std::istream_iterator<int>{std::cin},
          std::istream_iterator<int>{},
          buf);
```
- The ranges library design captures all of these forms in one concept

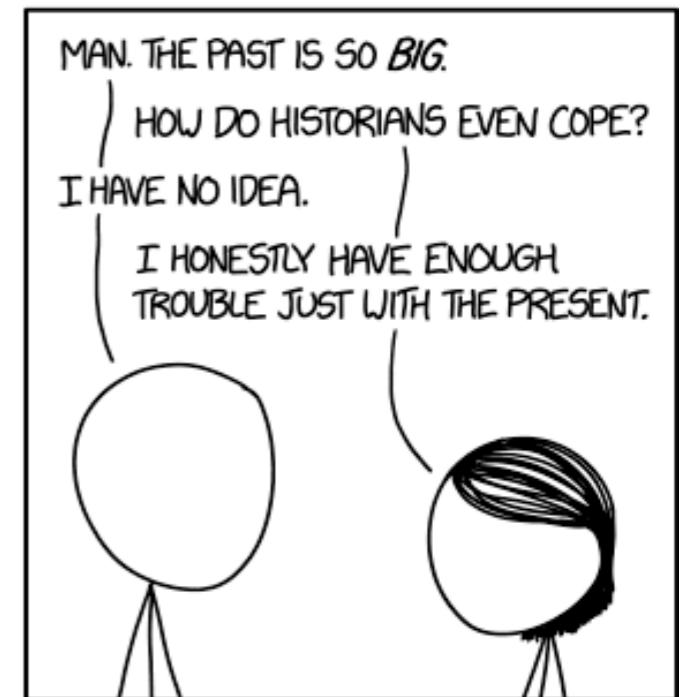
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A bit of history

- November 2004 - Boost.Range by Niel Groves and Thorsten Ottosen
- May 2010 - Boost.Range 2.0
- October 2013 - Eric Niebler starts blogging about ranges
- November 2013 - First commit to range-v3
- October 2014 - Ranges for the Standard Library
- July 2017 - Ranges TS
- November 2018 - Merged to C++20



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Implementations

- range-v3 by Eric Niebler: <https://github.com/ericniebler/range-v3>
 - C++11 with optional features for C++14/17
 - Emulated concepts (`std::enable_if`)
 - Minimum compiler versions:
 - clang 3.6.2 (or later)
 - GCC 4.9.1 (or later)
 - MSVC VS2017 15.9, with `/std:c++17 /permissive-`
- cmcstl2 by Casey Carter: <https://github.com/CaseyCarter/cmcstl2>
 - Implementation of the Ranges TS
 - Requires GCC 7+ with `-std=c++1z -fconcepts`
 - Both are available in Compiler Explorer



Availability

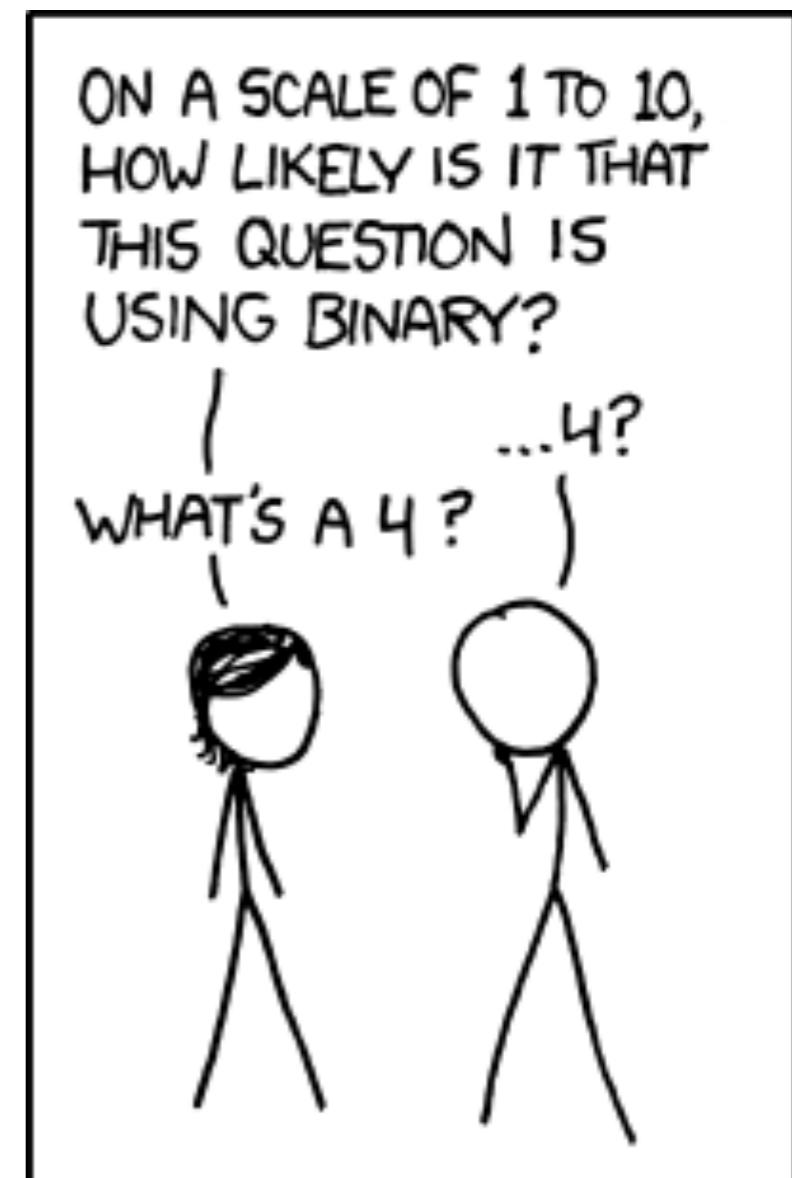
- In general, most algorithms are available in C++20. The ones that are not will be denoted by .
- Only a few views are available in C++20 and they will be denoted by .
- Stuff that is proposed to the standard but not voted in yet will be denoted with the proposal number as in **P1243**.

Conventions

- `copy(_n)` denotes the two overloads `copy` and `copy_n`.
- Code assumes
using namespace `(std::)ranges`;



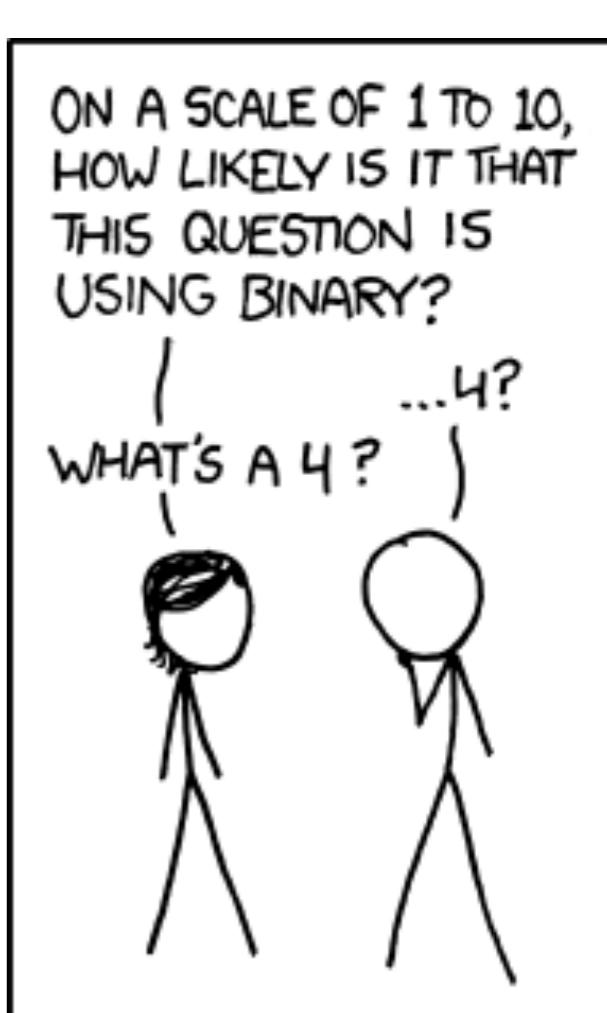
Concepts



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    for (; first != last; ++first) {
        f(*first);
    }
    return f;
}
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Iterator Concepts

- **Iterator** - can be dereferenced (`*it`) and incremented (`++it`)
- **InputIterator** - referenced values can be read
`(auto v = *it)`
- **OutputIterator** - referenced values can be written to
`(*it = v)`
- **ForwardIterator** - InputIterator + comparable and multi-pass
- **BidirectionalIterator** - ForwardIterator + decrementable (`-it`)
- **RandomAccessIterator** - BidirectionalIterator + random access
`(it += n)`
- **ContiguousIterator** - RandomAccessIterator + contiguous in memory

Sentinels - the new end iterator

- **Sentinel** - a relationship between an iterator I and a semi-regular S
 - Let s and i be values of type S and I , respectively, such that $[i, s)$ denotes a range
 - $i == s$ is well defined
 - If $i != s$ then i is dereferenceable and $[++i, s)$ denotes a range
- By abuse of terminology, such an s is also called a sentinel

Sentinels

- **Examples:**
 - Pair of iterators
 - Iterator and predicate: store predicate in the sentinel and let `i == s` return the result of calling `s.predicate(*i)`
 - Iterator and count: store distance to end in the iterator and let `i == s` return the result of `i.count_ == 0`

Range Concepts

- **Range** - a type that allows iteration over its elements by providing an iterator and a sentinel that denote the elements of the range
 - `ranges::begin` - returns an iterator
 - `ranges::end` - returns a sentinel
- **Counted range** - an Iterator and a count
 - used e.g. in `copy_n`

Range Concepts

- **InputRange** - e.g. Range over a `std::istream_iterator`
- **OutputRange** - e.g. Range over a `std::ostream_iterator`
- **ForwardRange** - e.g. `std::forward_list`
- **BidirectionalRange** - e.g. `std::list`
- **RandomAccessRange** - e.g. `std::deque`
- **ContiguousRange** - e.g. `std::vector`
- **CommonRange** - sentinel is same type as iterator
 - e.g. standard containers

Sized ranges

- **SizedSentinel** - a Sentinel whose distance can be computed using the `-` operator in constant time.
- **SizedRange** - a Range type that knows its size in constant time with the `ranges::size` function
 - Not necessarily implies `SizeSentinel` (`std::list`)
 - `ranges::distance` can compute the distant of any range but has linear complexity for non sized ranges/sentinels
 - `ranges::data` gives a pointer to the data of a **contiguous** range

ALGORITHMS BY COMPLEXITY

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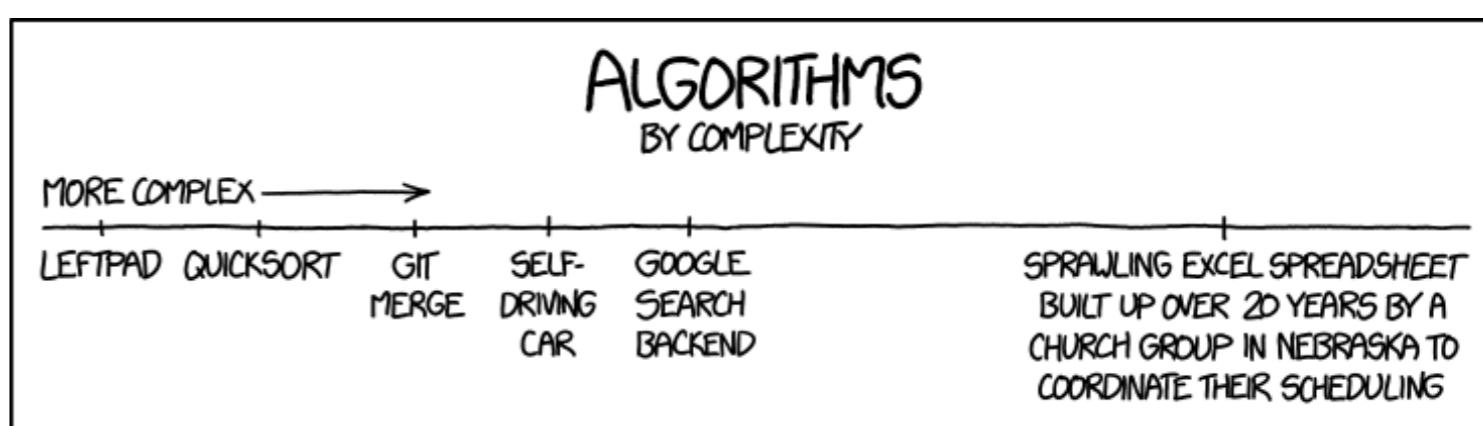
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Main differences

- Accept either
 - a Range object
 - an Iterator+Sentinel pair
 - an Iterator and a count (`*_n`)
- Constrained
- Accept projections
- Some return type changes
- No Parallel overloads



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ranges::for_each

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namespace ranges {
    template<class I, class F>
    struct for_each_result {
        [[no_unique_address]] I in;
        [[no_unique_address]] F fun;

        template<class I2, class F2>
            requires ConvertibleTo<const I&, I2> && ConvertibleTo<const F&, F2>
        operator for_each_result<I2, F2>() const & {
            return {in, fun};
        }

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Example

```
1 int sum = 0;
2 auto fun = [&](int i) { sum += i; };
3
4 std::vector<int> v1{0, 2, 4, 6};
5
6 auto res = for_each(v1, fun);
7
8 assert(res.in == v1.end());
9 assert(sum == 12);
10 res.fun(1);
11 assert(sum == 13);
```

Generators

`fill(_n)`

42	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	42
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 `iota`

42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51
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`generate(_n)`

f	f	f	f	f	f	f	f	f	f
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Permutations

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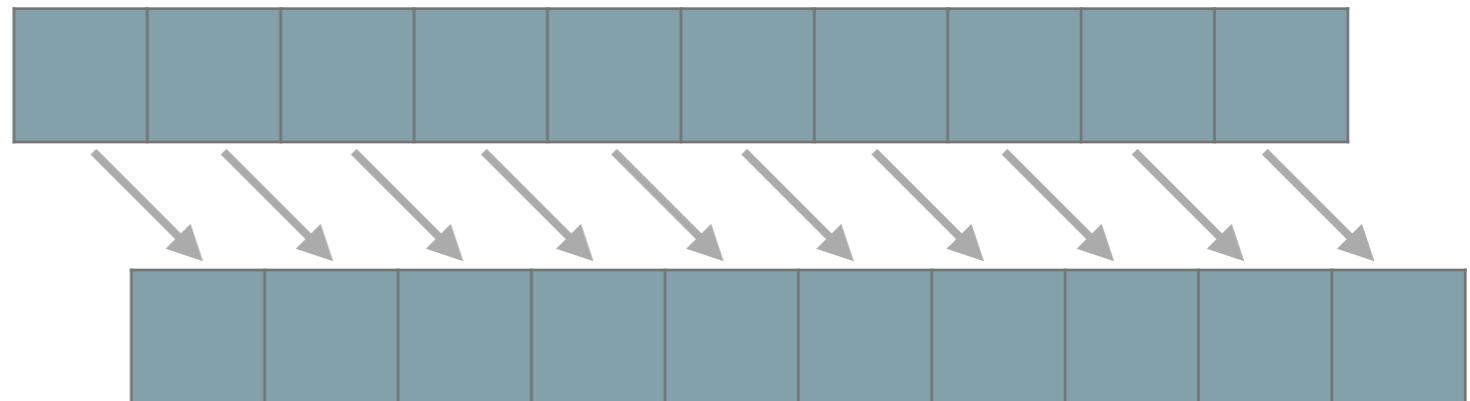
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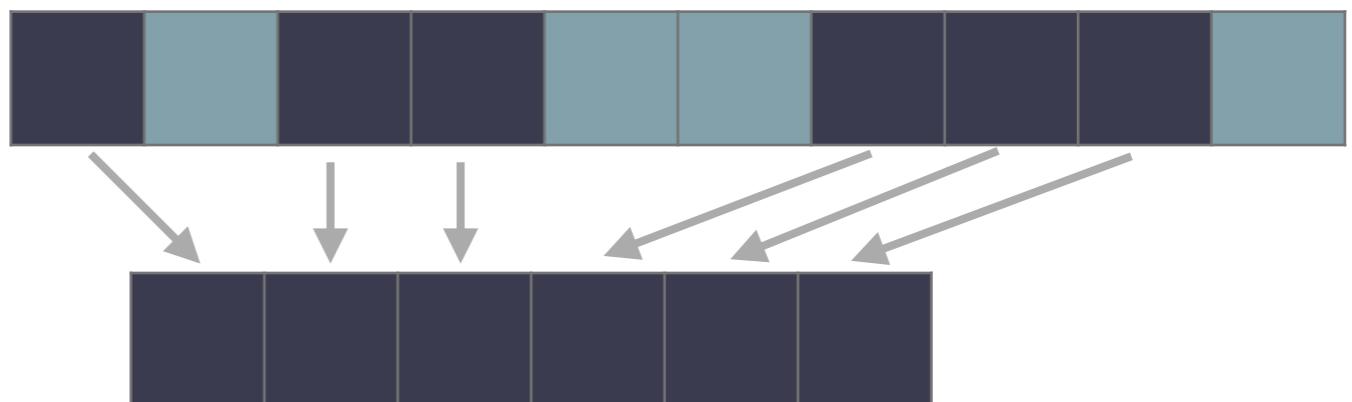
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Transformers

`copy(_n)`
`copy_backward`

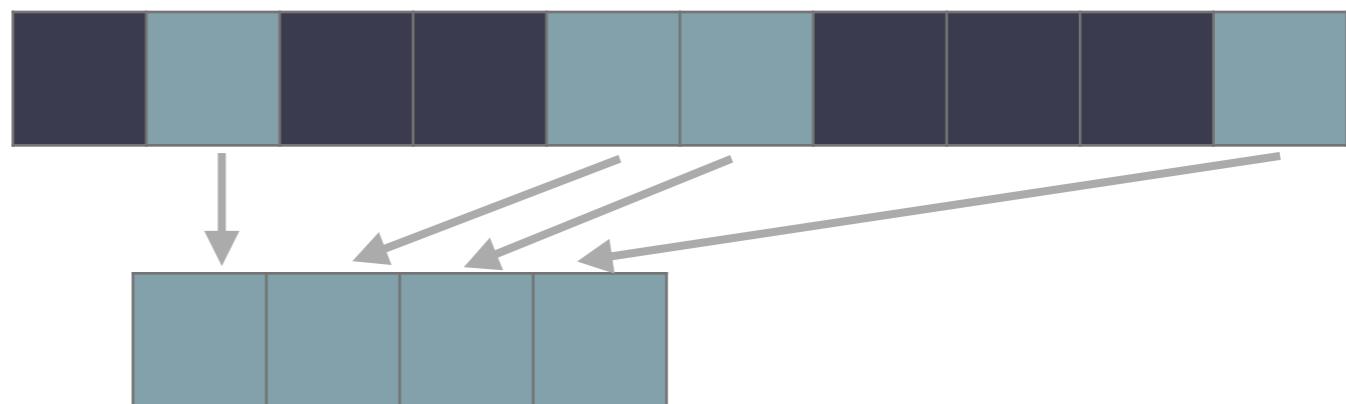


`copy_if`

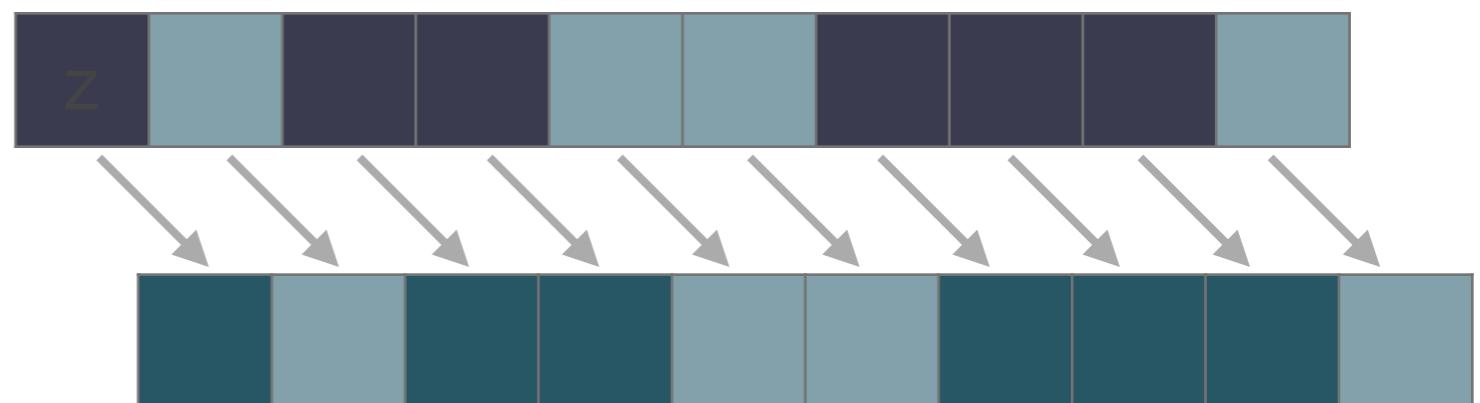


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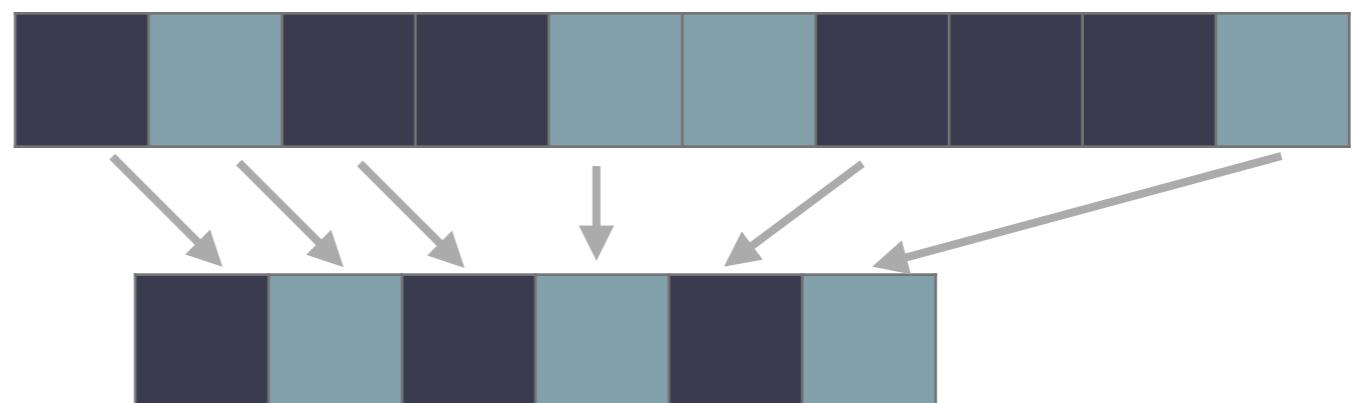
`remove(_if)`
`remove_copy(_if)`



`replace(_if)`
`replace_copy(_if)`

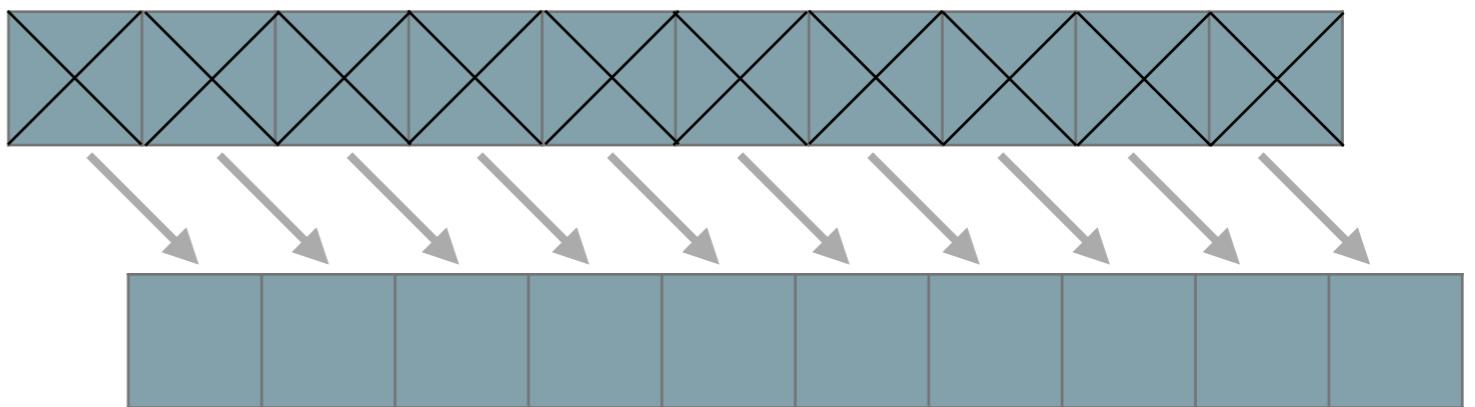


`unique`
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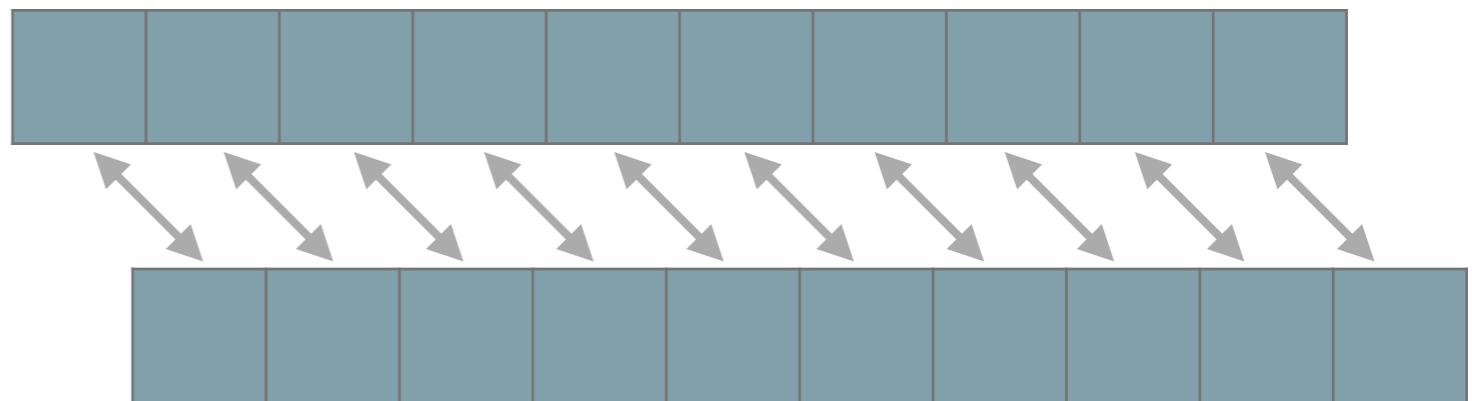


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move
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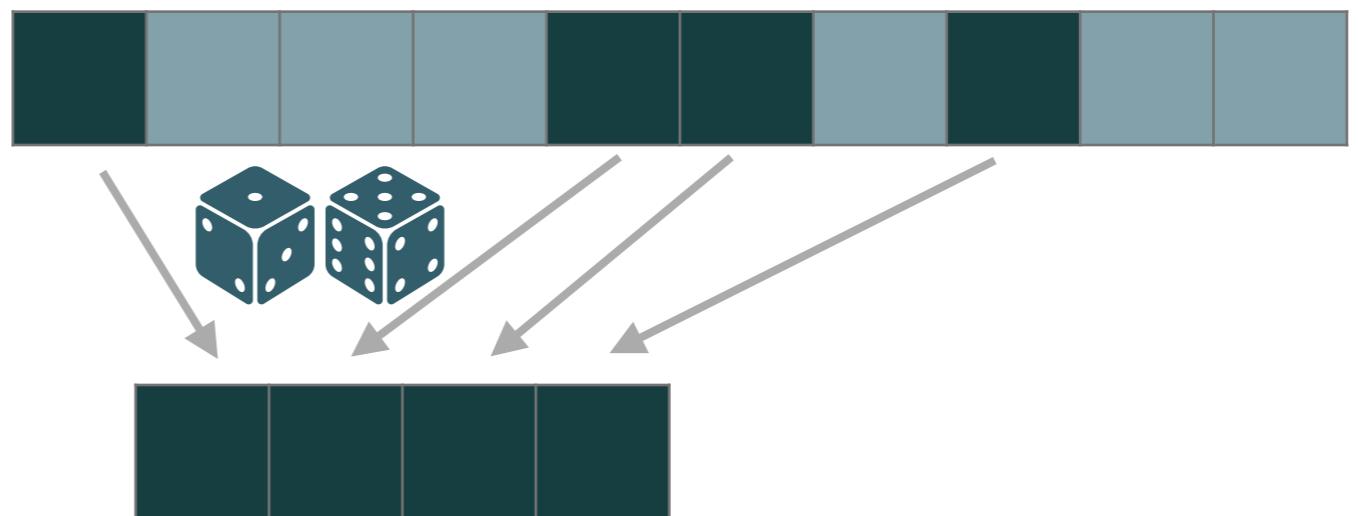
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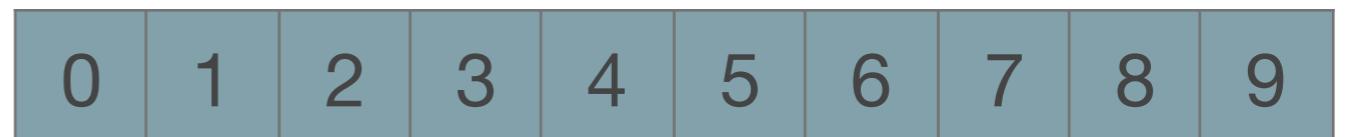
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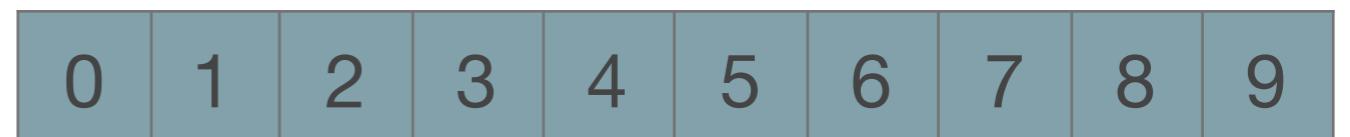
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shift_left

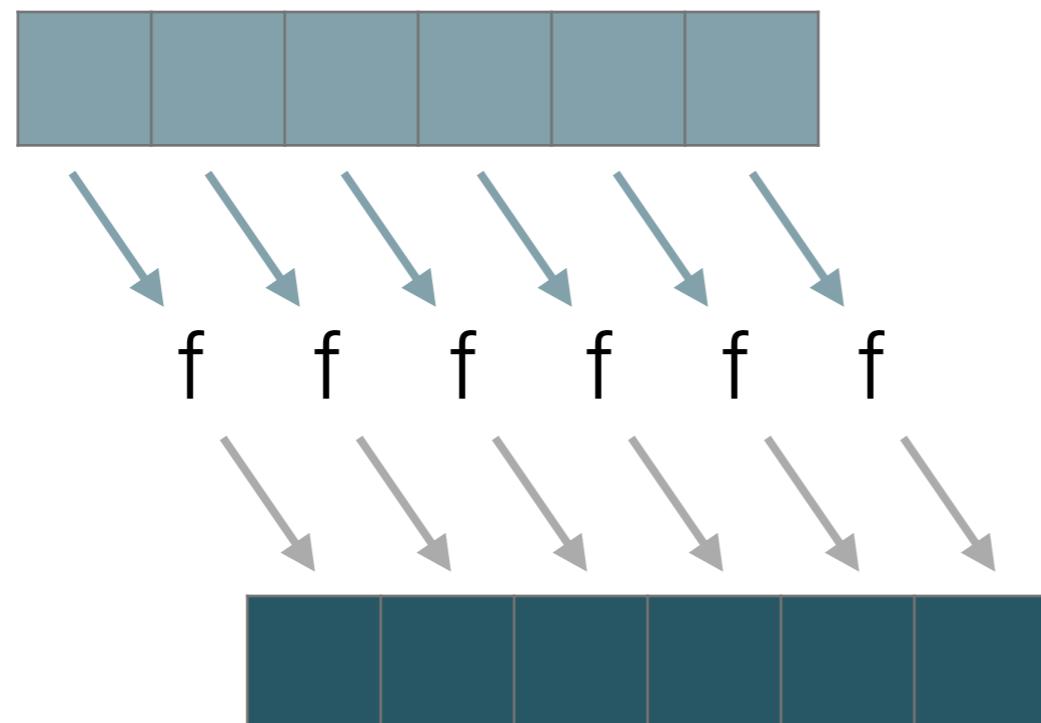


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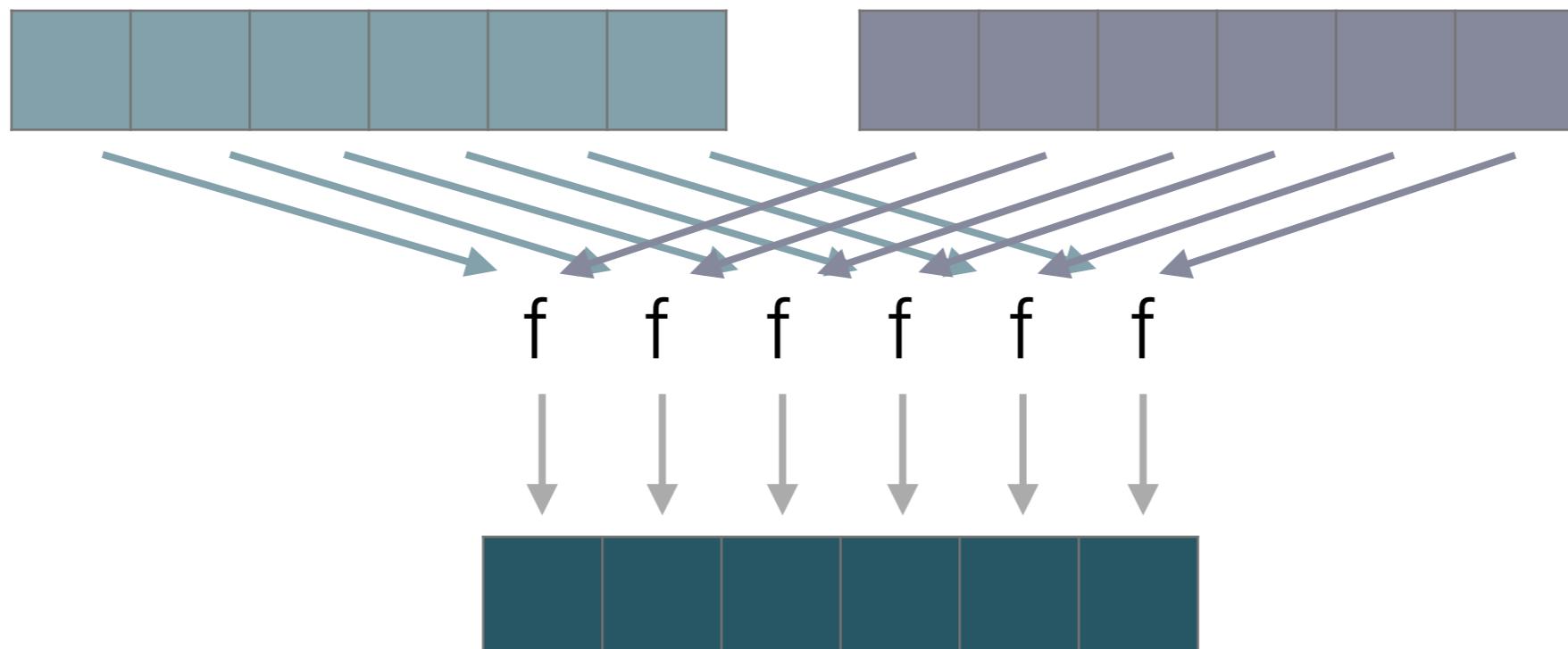
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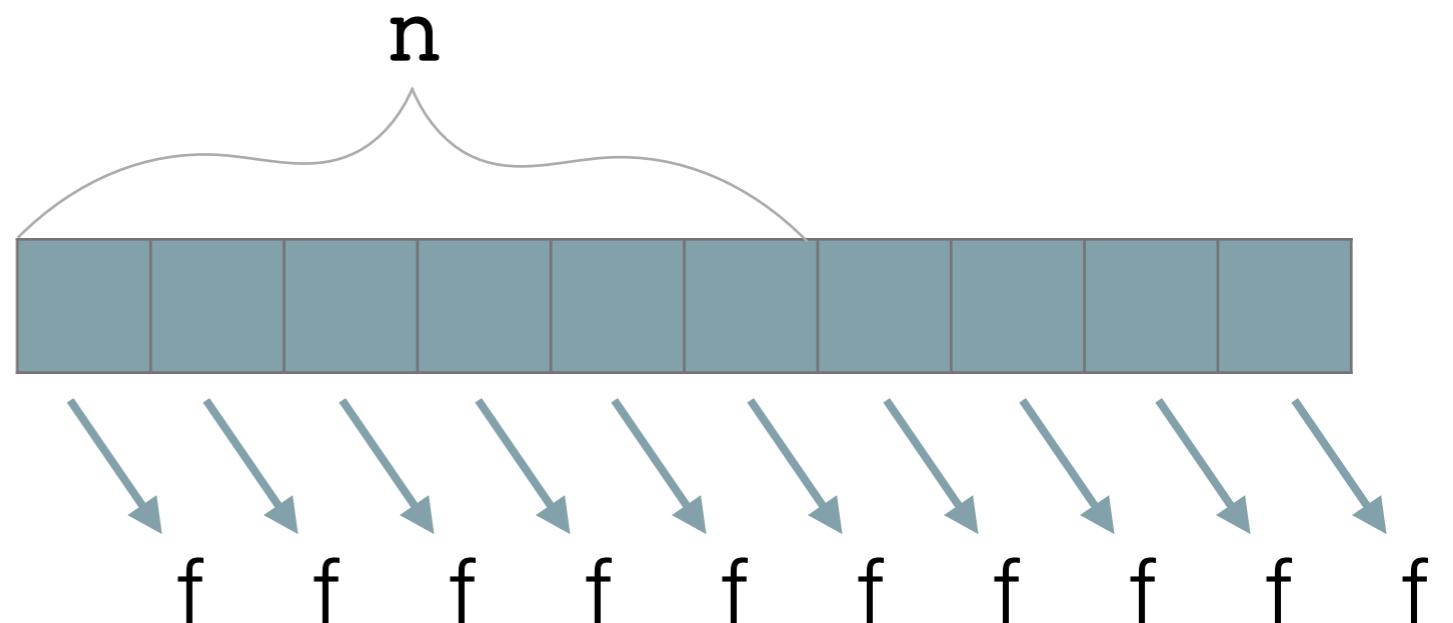
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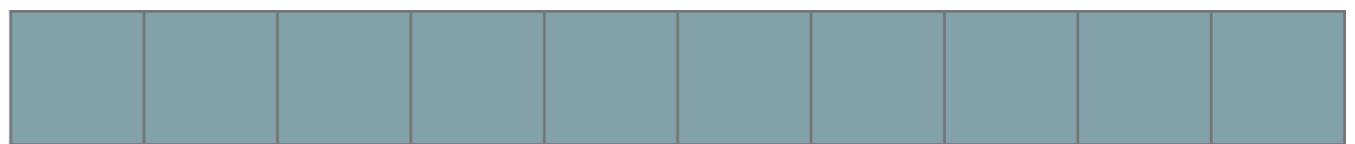
for_each

P1243 for_each_n



Property checks

`all_of`



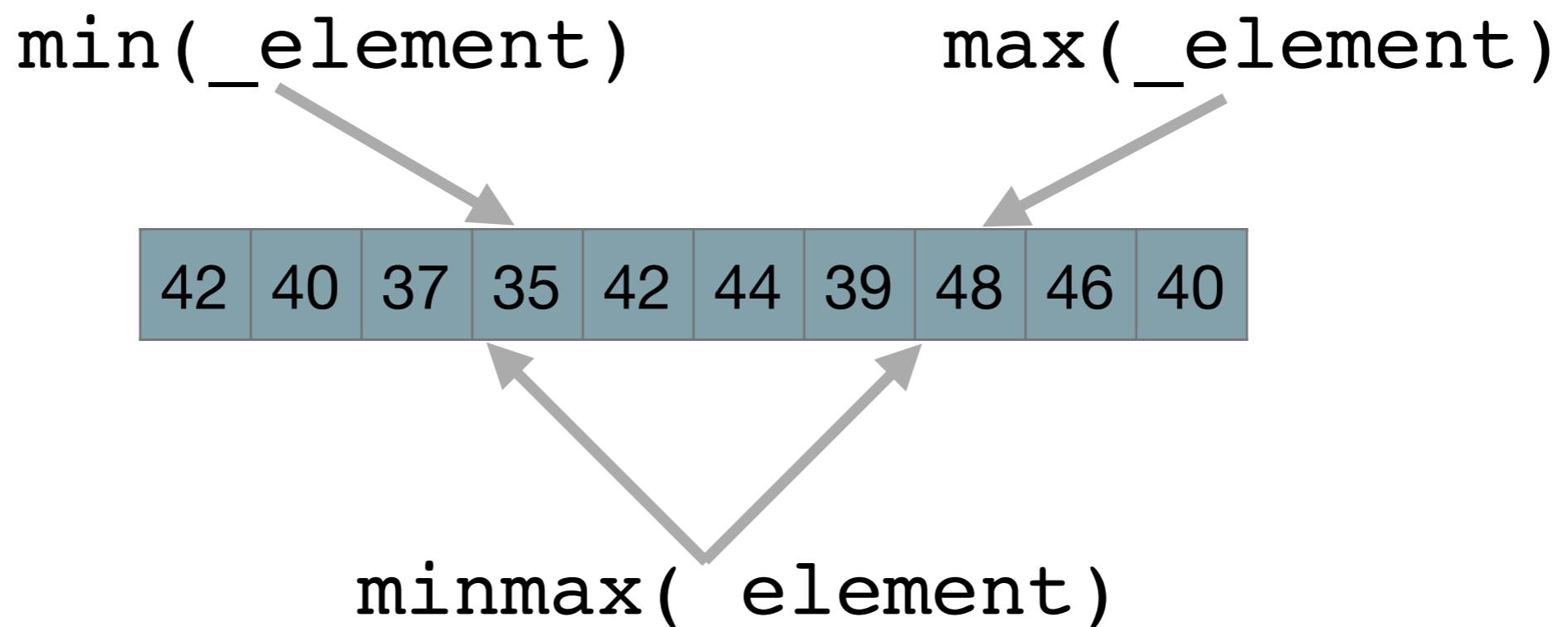
`any_of`



`none_of`



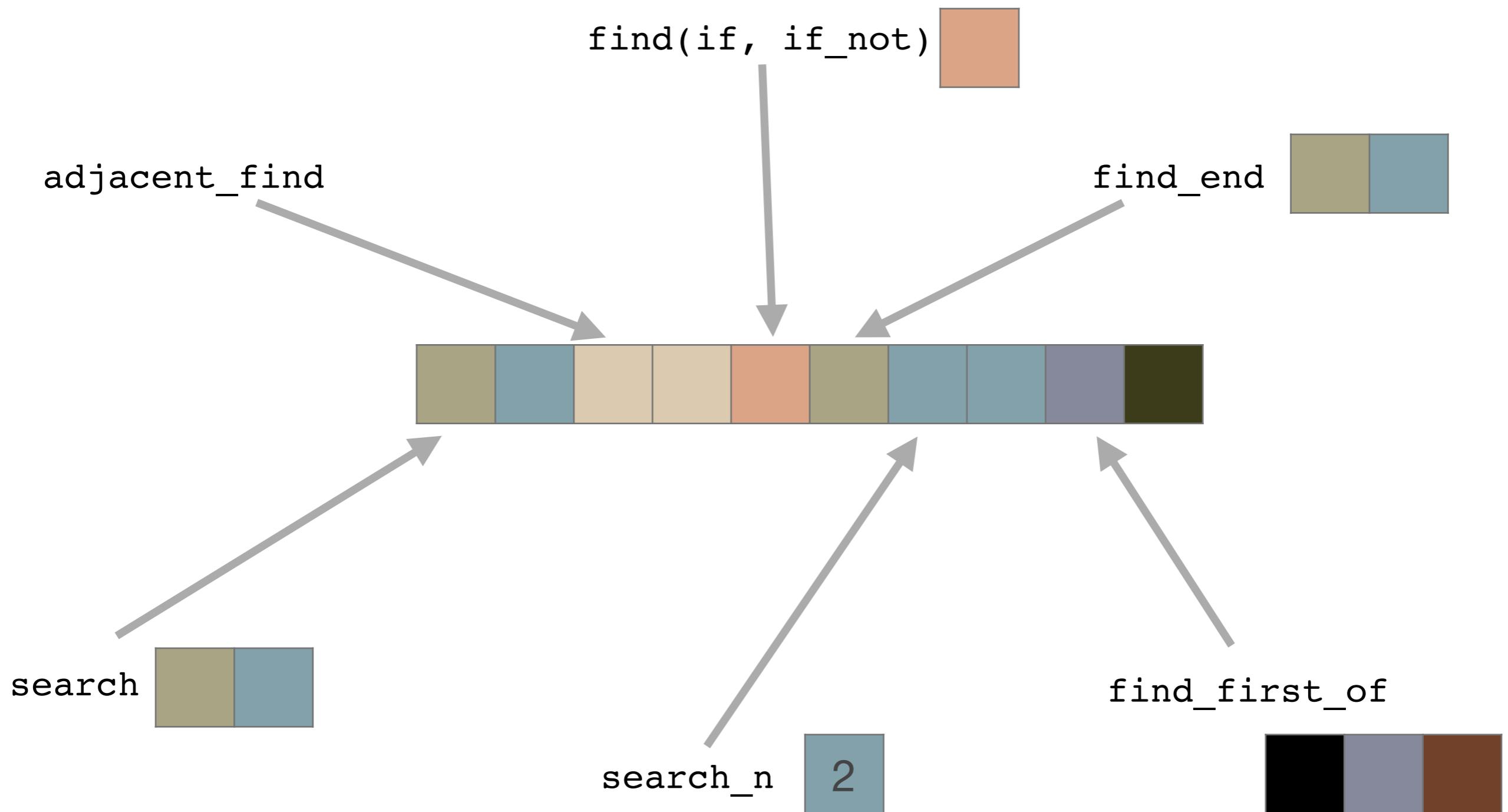
Value queries



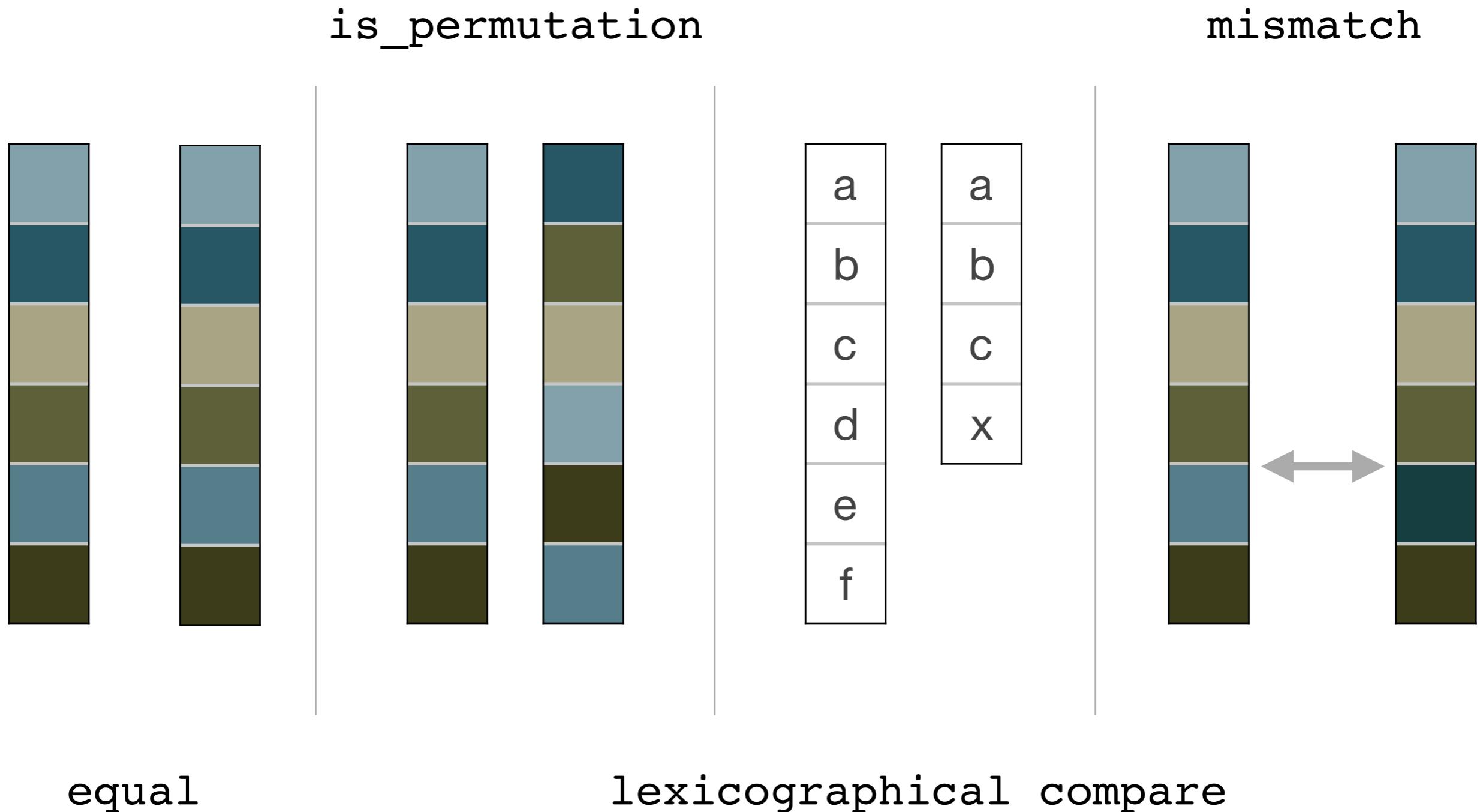
`count(42) → 2`

`count_if(isOdd) → 3`

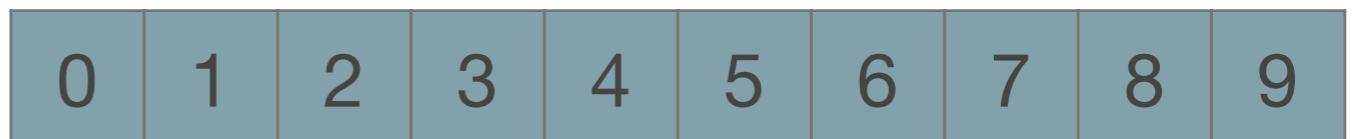
Searchers



Comparison operations

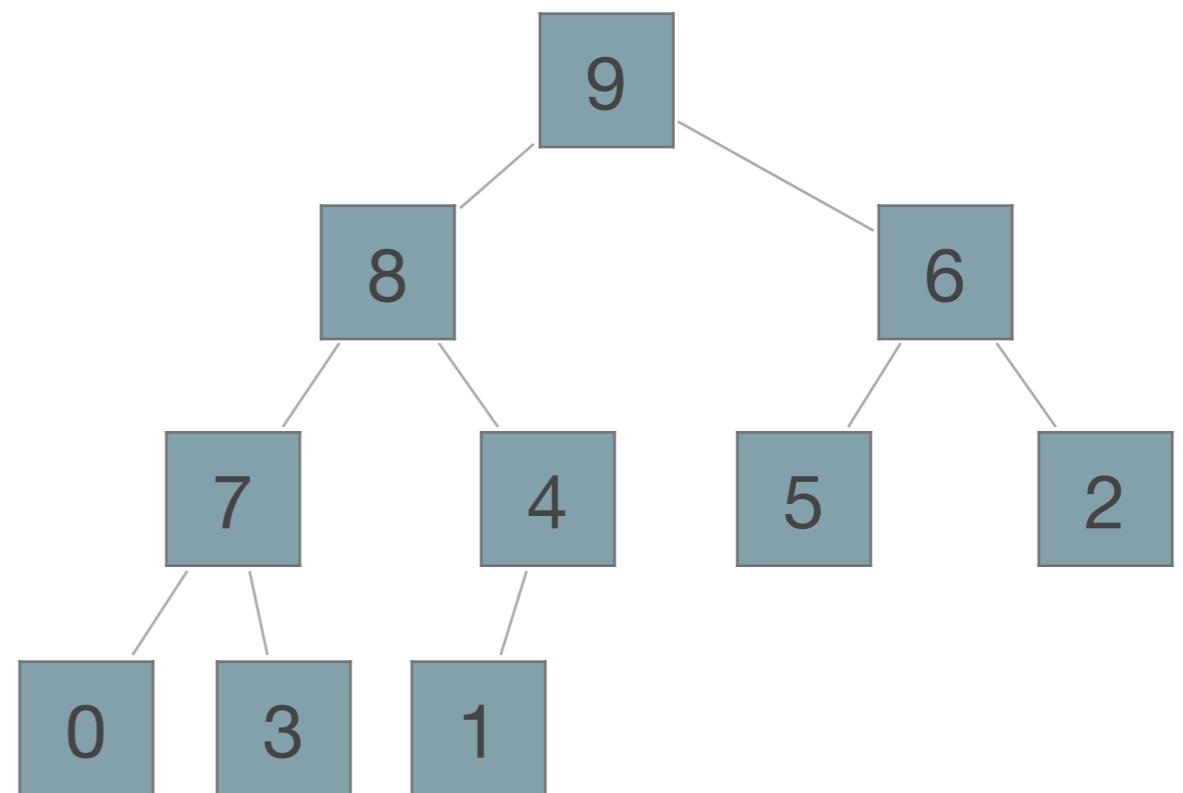


Heap algorithms



Heap algorithms

`make_heap`



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Heap algorithms

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`push_heap`

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Heap algorithms

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`pop_heap`

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`is_heap`

`bool`

Heap algorithms

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`is_heap`

`bool`

`is_heap_until`



Sort algorithms

`sort`

`sort_heap`



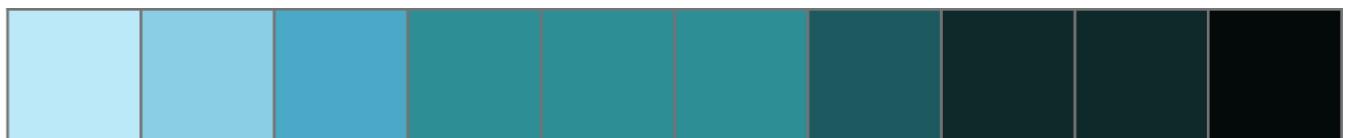
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Sort algorithms

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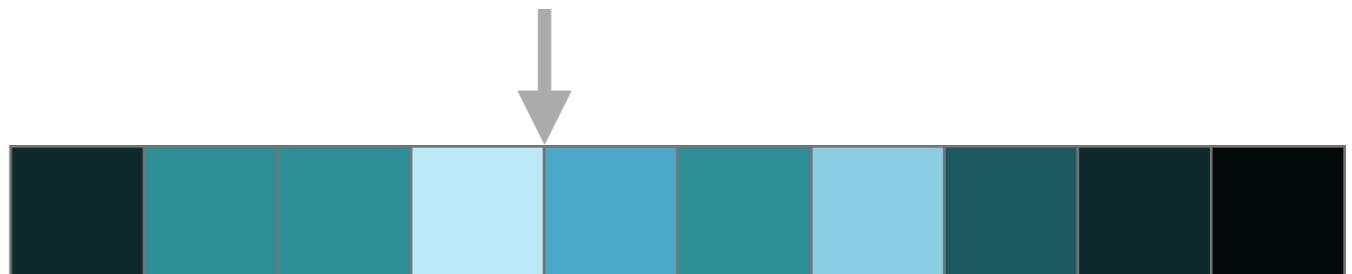
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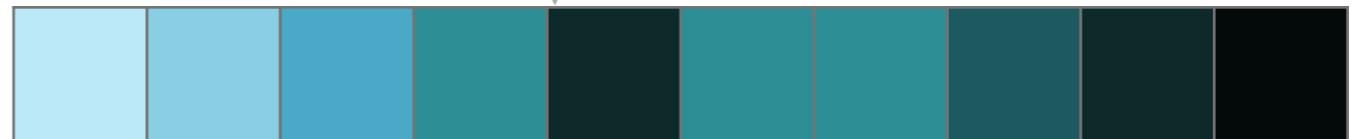
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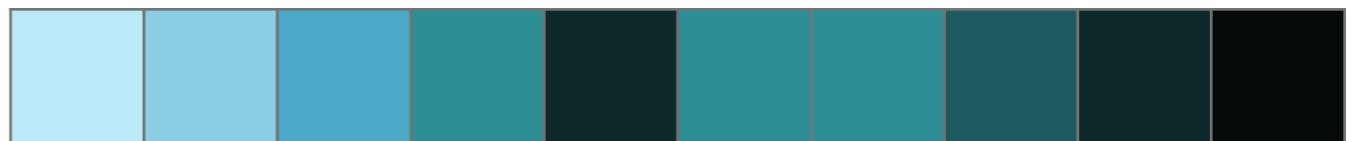
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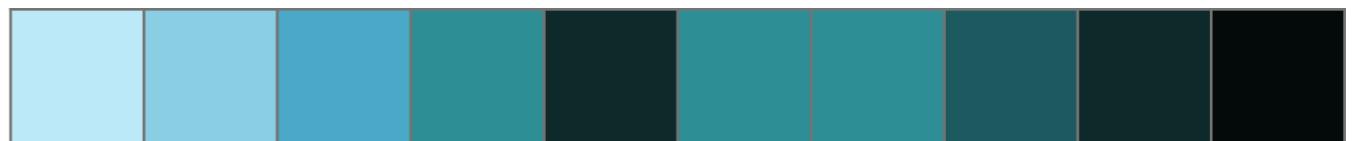
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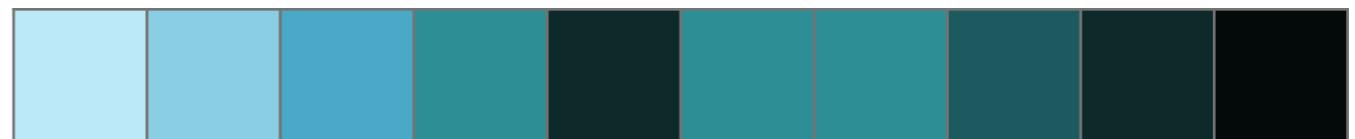
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`is_sorted_until`



`bool`

Merge sort



merge



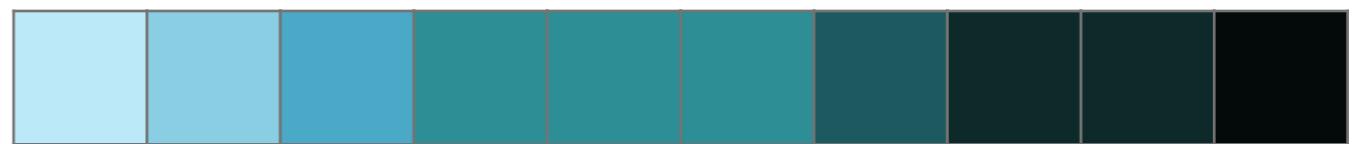
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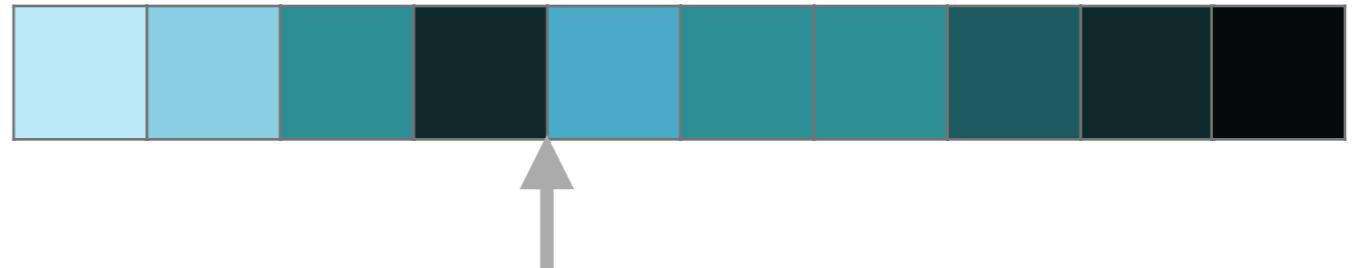


Merge sort

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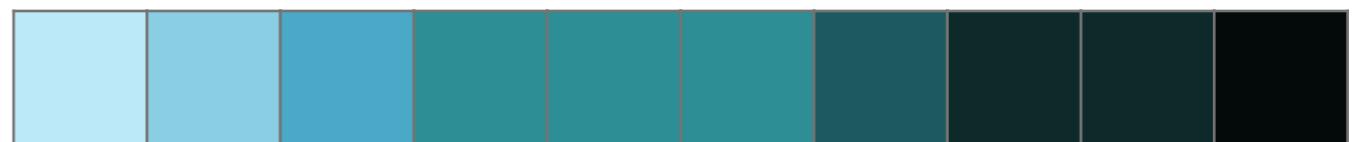


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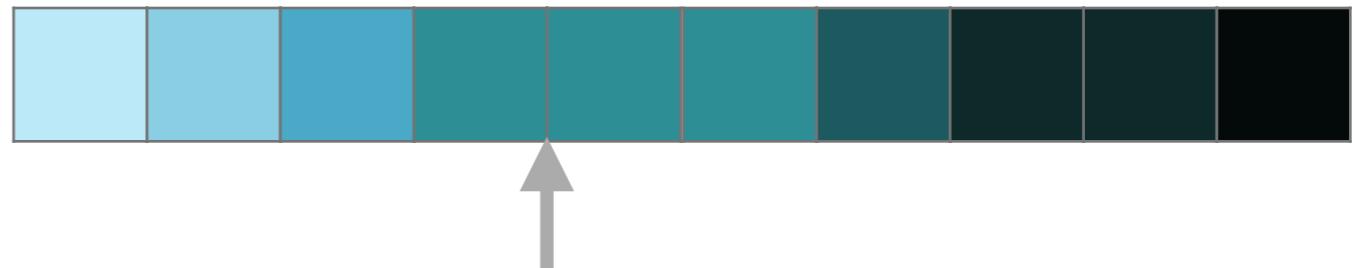


Merge sort

`merge`



`inplace_merge`



Partition algorithms

`partition(_copy)`



`stable_partition`

Partition algorithms

`partition(_copy)`



`stable_partition`

Partition algorithms

`partition(_copy)`



`stable_partition`

`is_partitioned` `bool`

Partition algorithms

`partition(_copy)`

`stable_partition`

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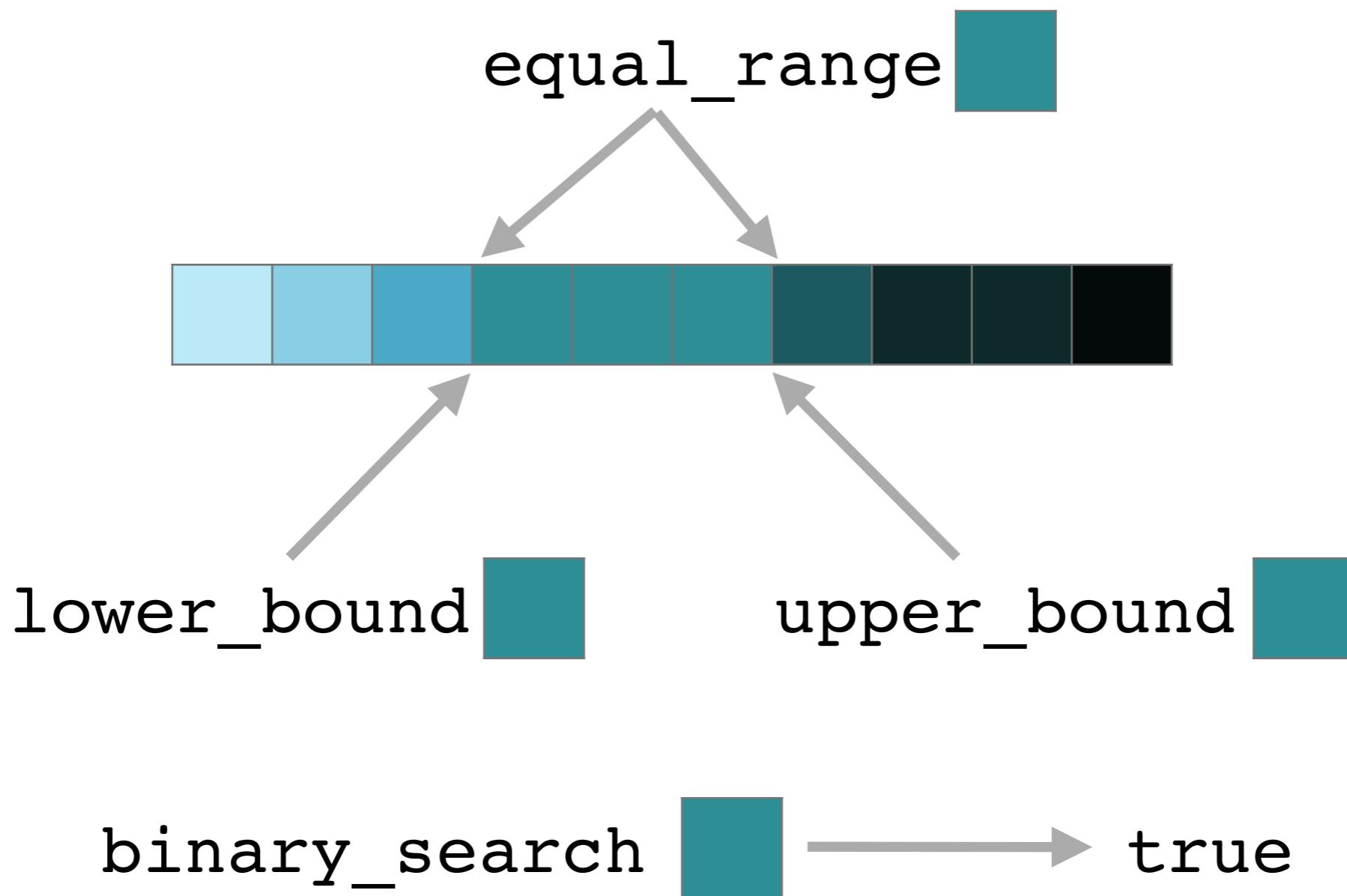
`partition_point`



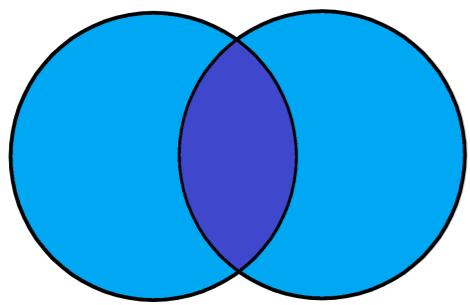
`bool`

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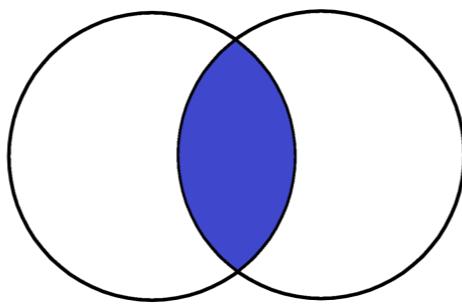
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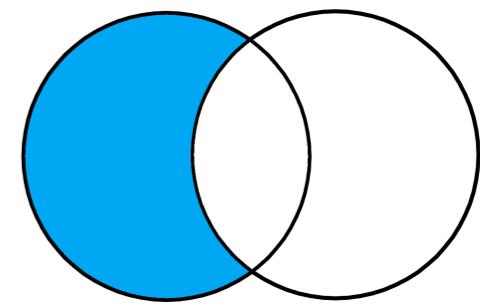
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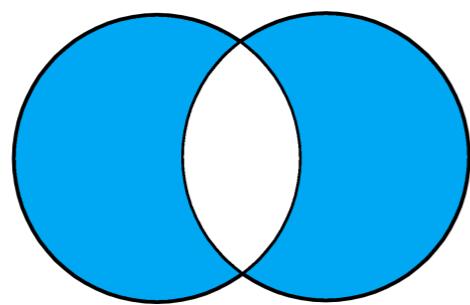
`set_union`



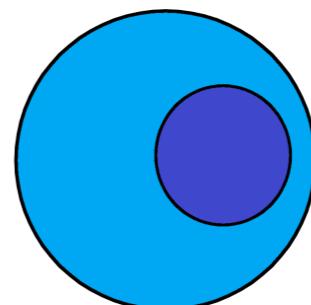
`set_intersection`



`set_difference`



`set_symmetric_difference`

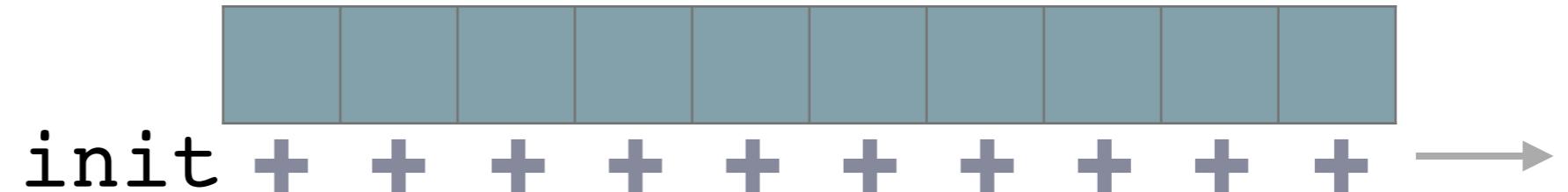


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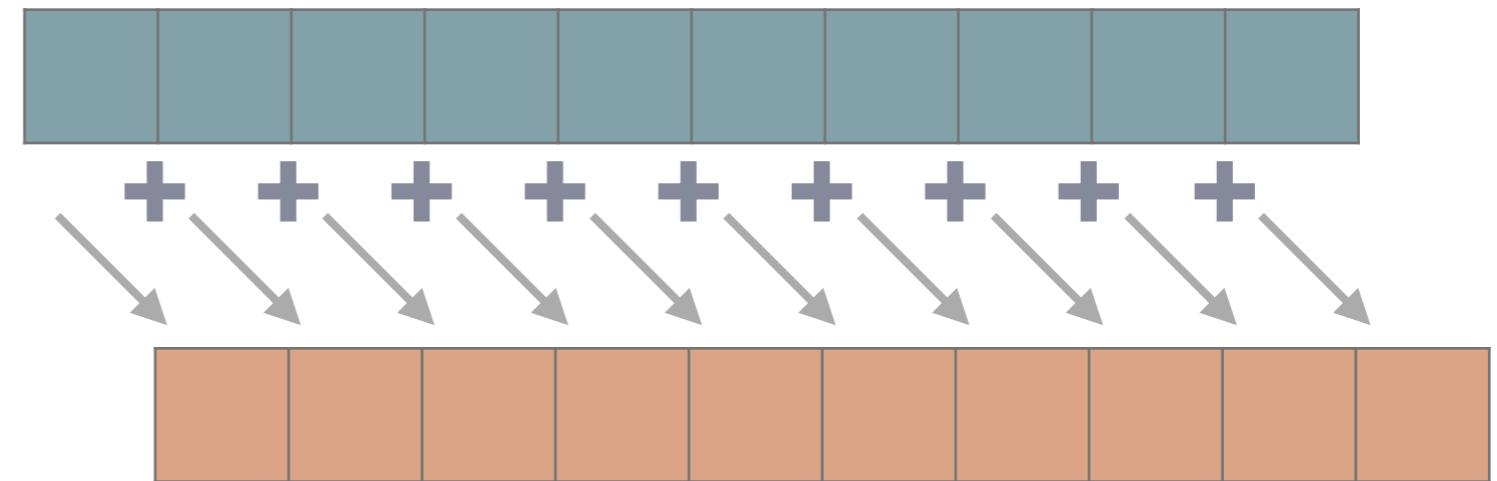
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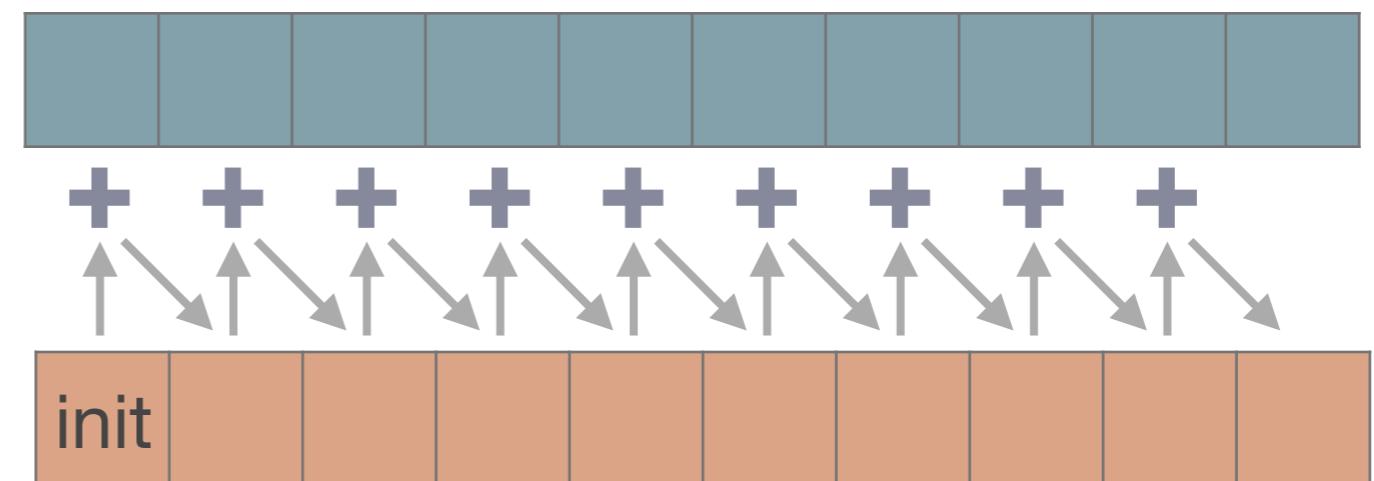
`accumulate`



`partial_sum`



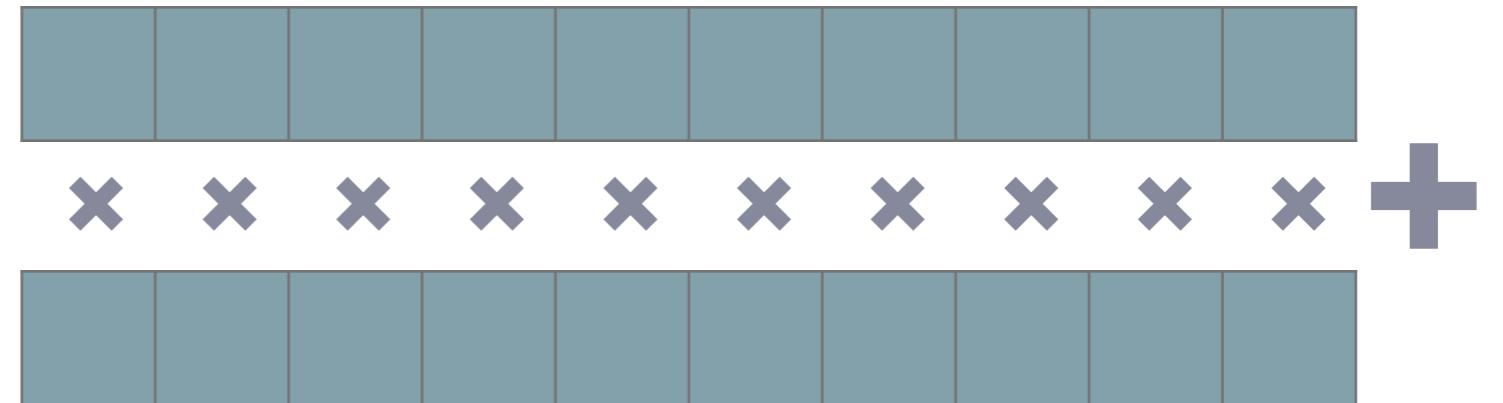
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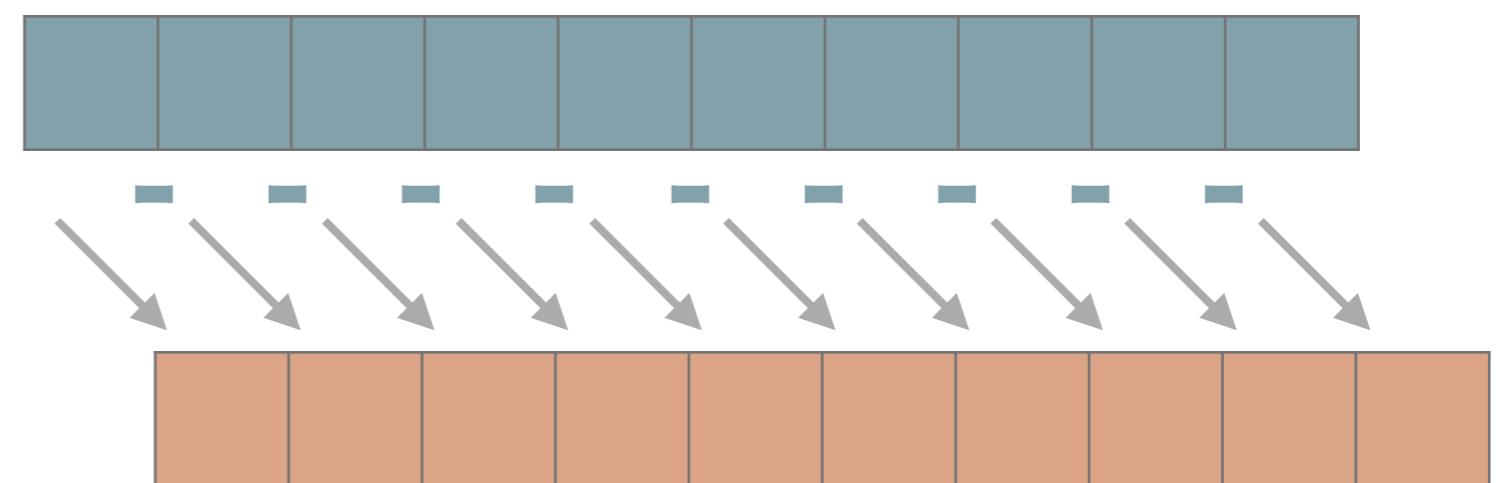
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`inner_product`



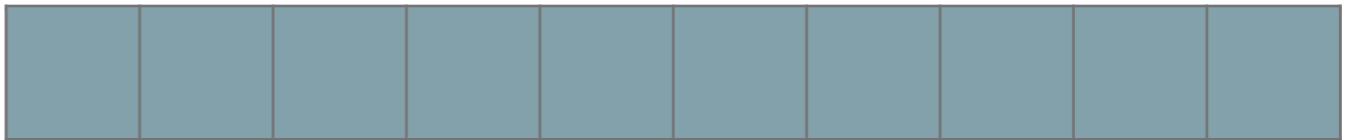
`adjacent_difference`



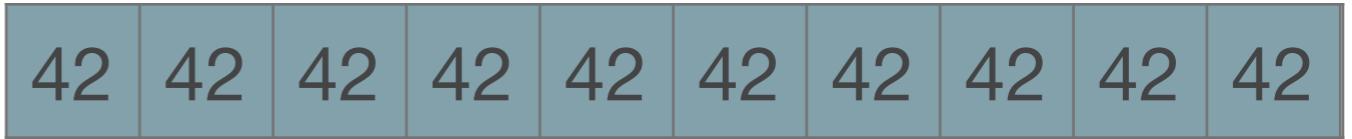
Uninitialized memory

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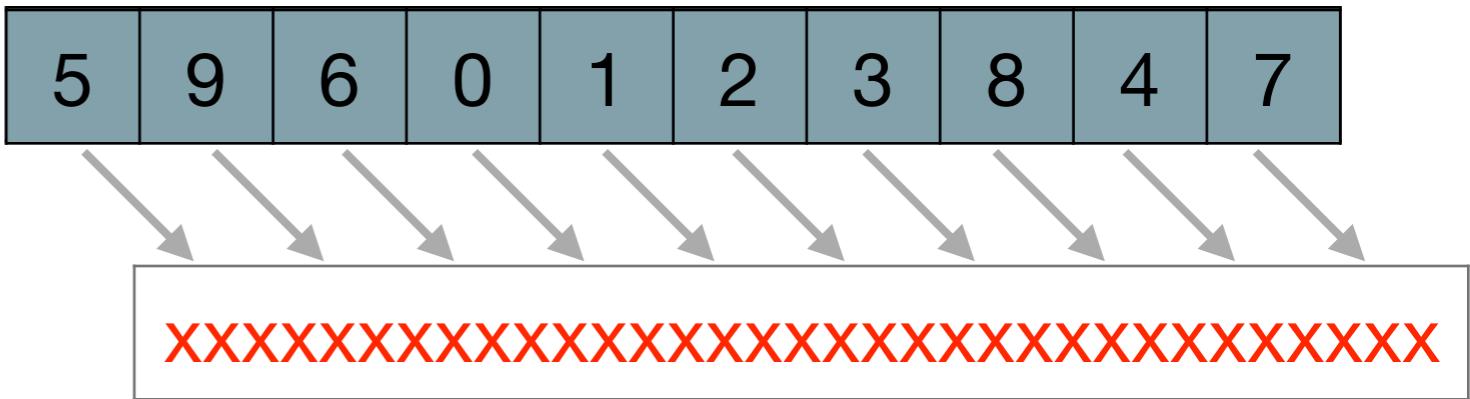
`uninitialized_default_construct(_n)`
`uninitialized_value_construct(_n)`



`uninitialized_fill`
`uninitialized_fill_n`



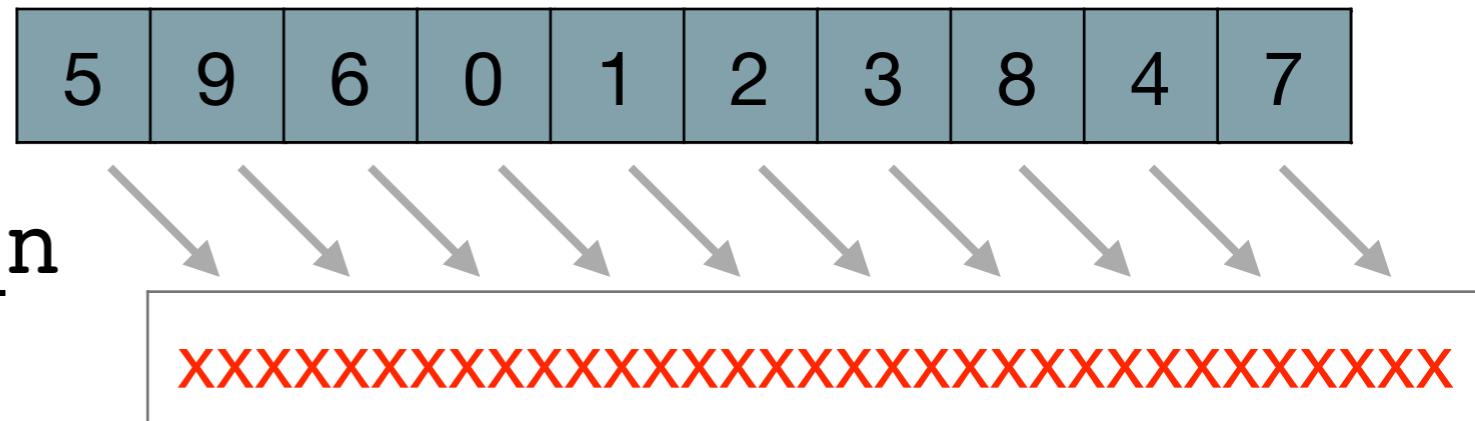
`uninitialized_copy`
`uninitialized_copy_n`



Uninitialized memory

P1033

`uninitialized_move`
`uninitialized_move_n`



`destroy(_n)`



Projections

ARGH, MOVIE PET PEEVE-
I
SOMEONE SITTING AT A
COMPUTER IN THE DARK
WITH THE SCREEN PROJECTED
ON THEIR FACE. MONITORS
DON'T WORK LIKE THAT!



<https://www.xkcd.com/283/>

Motivation

```
struct employee {
    std::string first;
    std::string last;
};

std::vector<employee> employees;

std::sort(employees.begin(), employees.end(),
          [] (const employee &x, const employee &y) {
    return x.last < y.last;
} );

auto p = std::lower_bound(
    employees.begin(), employees.end(), "Niebler",
    [] (const employee &x, const std::string &y) {
    return x.last < y;
} );
```



<https://www.xkcd.com/283/>

Project

- A projection is a transformation that an algorithm applies before inspecting the values of elements.

```
template <InputIterator I, Sentinel<I> S,
          class Proj = identity,
          IndirectUnaryInvocable<projected<I, Proj>> Fun>
constexpr for_each_result<I, Fun>
for_each(I first, S last, Fun f, Proj proj = {}) {
    for (; first != last; ++first) {
        invoke(fun, invoke(proj, *first));
    }
    return {std::move(first), std::move(fun)};
}
```

Motivation

```
struct employee {
    std::string first;
    std::string last;
};

std::vector<employee> employees;

const auto getLast = [] (const employee& e) {
    return e.last;
};

sort(employees, less{}, getLast);
auto p = lower_bound(employees, "Niebler", less{},
getLast);
```

Motivation

```
struct employee {  
    std::string first;  
    std::string last;  
};  
  
std::vector<employee> employees;  
  
sort(employees, {}, &employee::last);  
auto p = lower_bound(employees, "Niebler", {},  
&employee::last);
```

Views

$$\begin{bmatrix} \cos 90^\circ & \sin 90^\circ \\ -\sin 90^\circ & \cos 90^\circ \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \end{bmatrix} = \boxed{\underline{\underline{0}}}$$

<https://www.xkcd.com/184/>

Views

- **View** - a Range type that has constant time copy, move, and assignment operators.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \cos 90^\circ & \sin 90^\circ \\ -\sin 90^\circ & \cos 90^\circ \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \end{bmatrix} = \boxed{\Omega \ \Omega}$$

<https://www.xkcd.com/184/>

- Examples of Views are:
 - A Range type that wraps a pair of iterators.
 - A Range type that holds its elements by `shared_ptr` and shares ownership with all its copies.
 - A Range type that generates its elements on demand
 - Note: most containers are NOT views.

Example

```
namespace std::ranges {
    template<class T>
        requires is_object_v<T>
    class empty_view : public view_interface<empty_view<T>> {
public:
    static constexpr T* begin() noexcept { return nullptr; }
    static constexpr T* end() noexcept { return nullptr; }
    static constexpr T* data() noexcept { return nullptr; }
    static constexpr ptrdiff_t size() noexcept { return 0; }
    static constexpr bool empty() noexcept { return true; }

    friend constexpr T* begin(empty_view) noexcept { return nullptr; }
    friend constexpr T* end(empty_view) noexcept { return nullptr; }
};

}
```

Factories & Adaptors

- For each view, the library defines a utility object called an adaptor (if it transforms an existing range) or a factory (otherwise), which creates such a view.

```
namespace std::ranges {
    namespace view {
        template<class T>
        inline constexpr empty_view<T> empty{};
```

- Adapted views are **lazy**, which means they generate their elements only on demand, when the resulting adapted range is iterated.
- For this reason, there can be views with infinitely many elements.

Concepts

- **ForwardingRange** - a Range whose iterators' validity is not tied to the lifetime of the range.
 - Examples:
 - View
 - lvalue reference of a Range
 - **viewableRange** - a Range type that can be converted to a View safely.
 - Either a View or a ForwardingRange

Generators



`view::empty`



`view::single`

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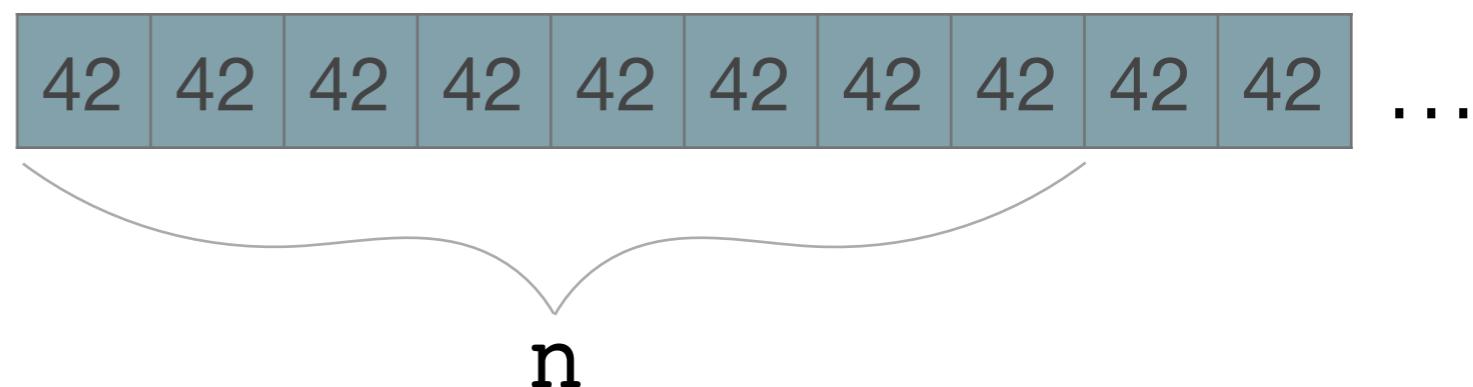


`view::all`

Range → View

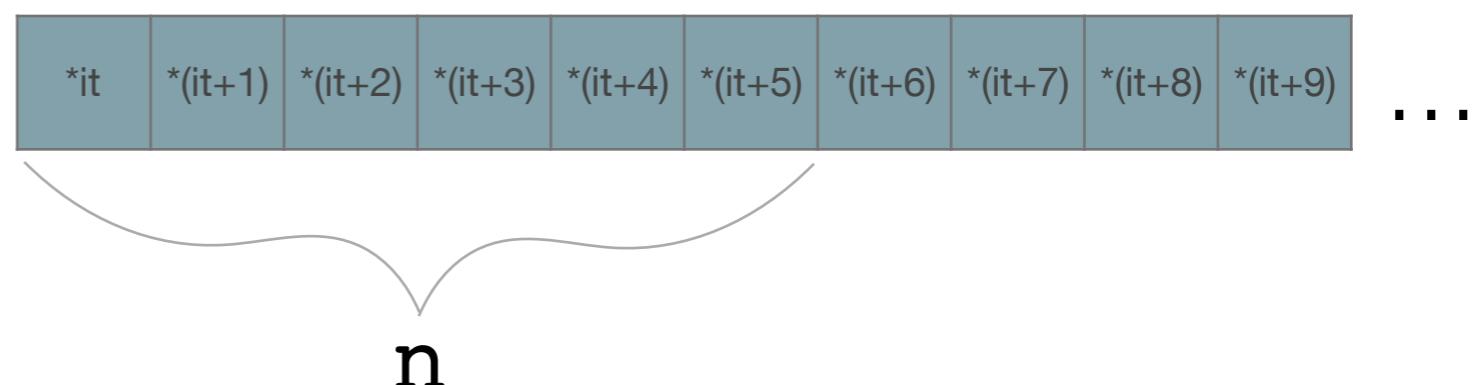
Generators

`view::repeat`



`view::repeat_n`

`view::unbounded`



`view::counted`



Generators



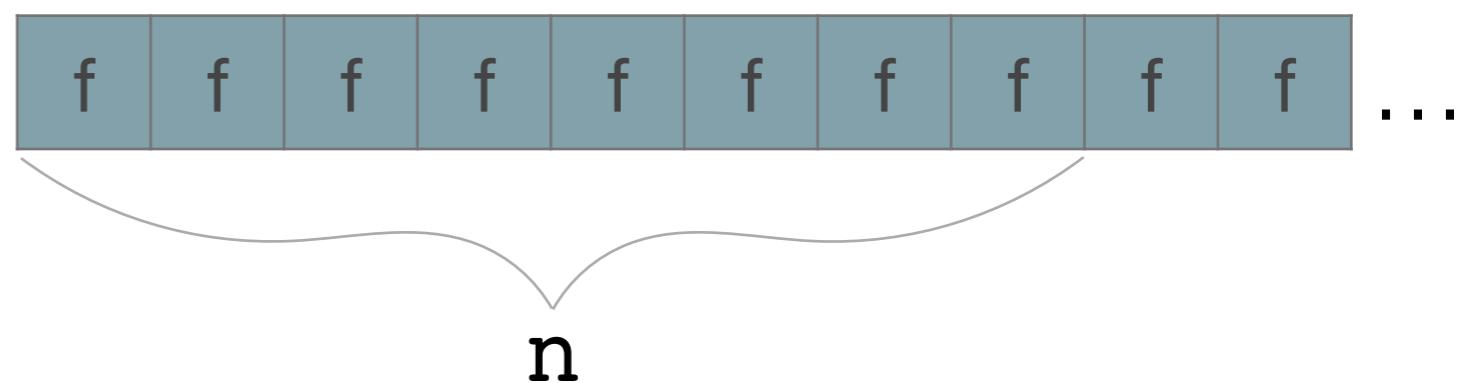
`view::iota`



`view::linear_distribute`



`view::generate`



`view::generate_n`

iota



`view::iota`

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	...
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`view::iota(10)`

10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	...
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`view::iota(10, 18)`

10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
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`view::closed_iota(10, 18)`

10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
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`view::ints == view::iota<Integral>`

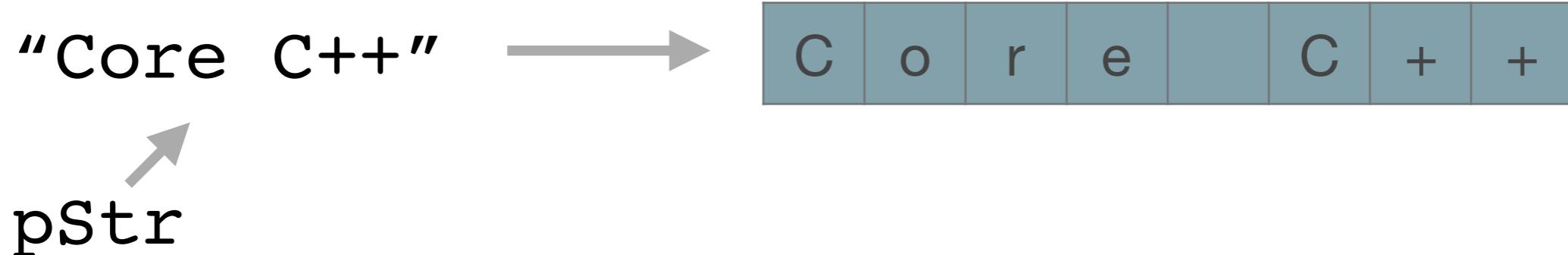
`view::closed_indices == view::closed_iota<Integral>`

`view::indices(10)`

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
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Strings

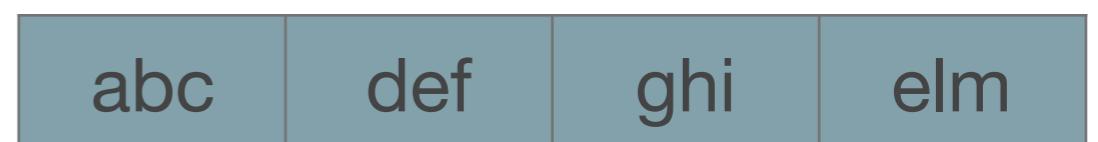
`view::c_str`



`view::tokenize`

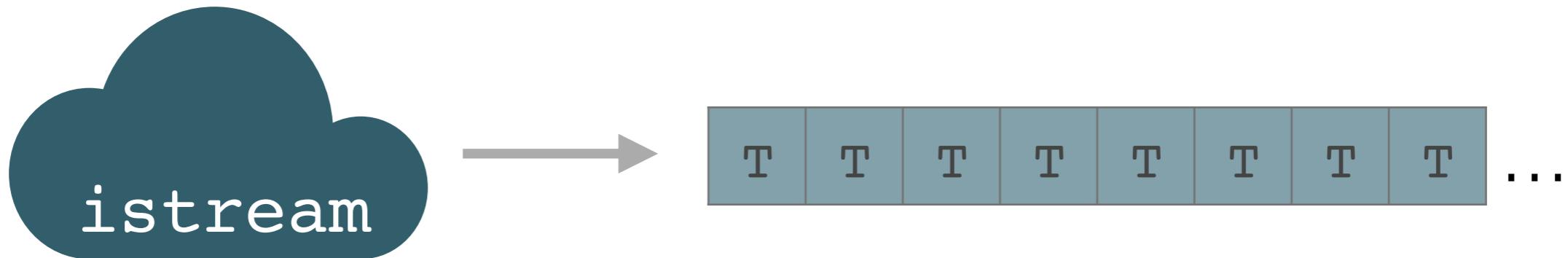
```
view::tokenize(rng, std::regex{ "([a-z]+)" }, 1);
```

“abc\ndef\tghi klm”

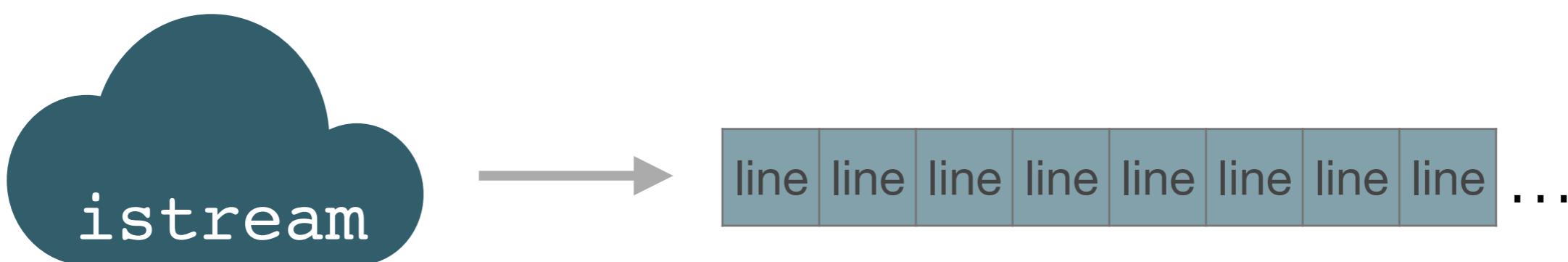


Streams

P1035 `istream_view<T>/istream_range<T>`



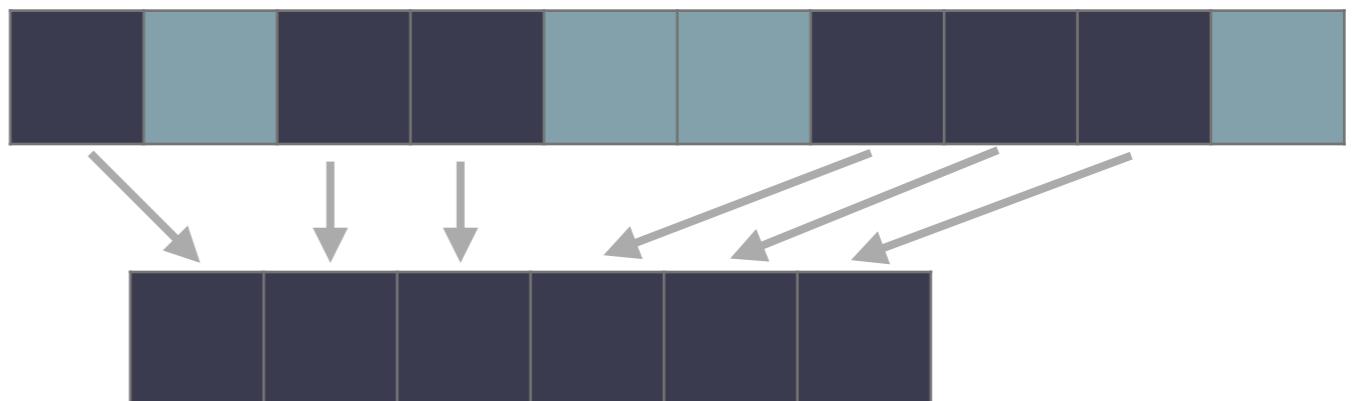
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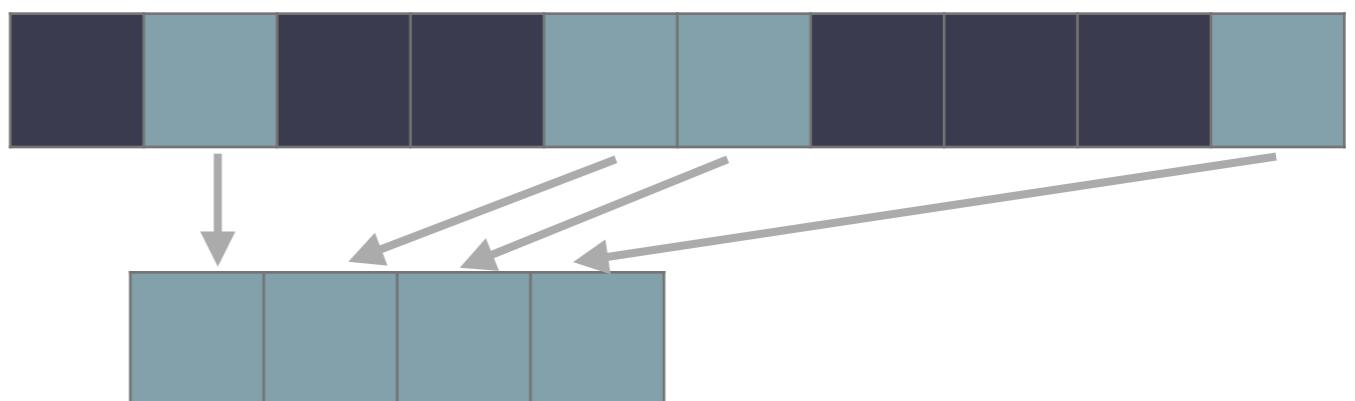
Filters



`view::filter`



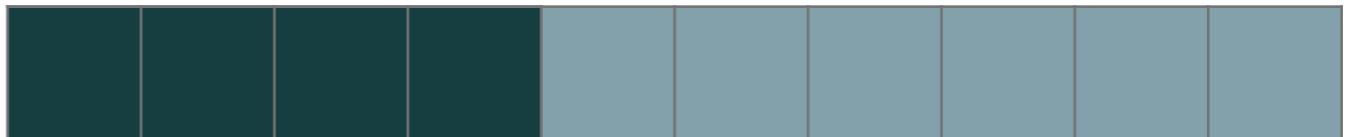
`view::remove_if`



Filters



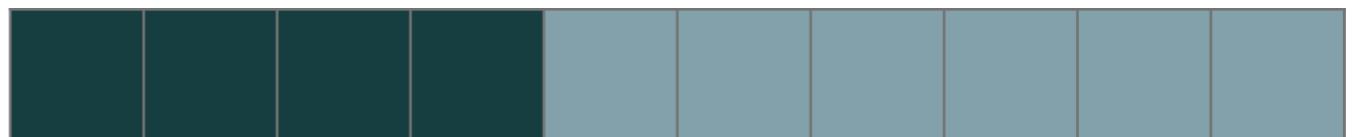
`view::take`



`view::take_exactly`

P1035 `view::take_while`

P1035 `view::drop`

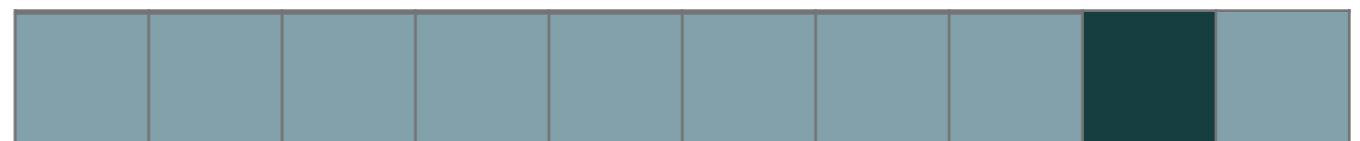


`view::drop_exactly`

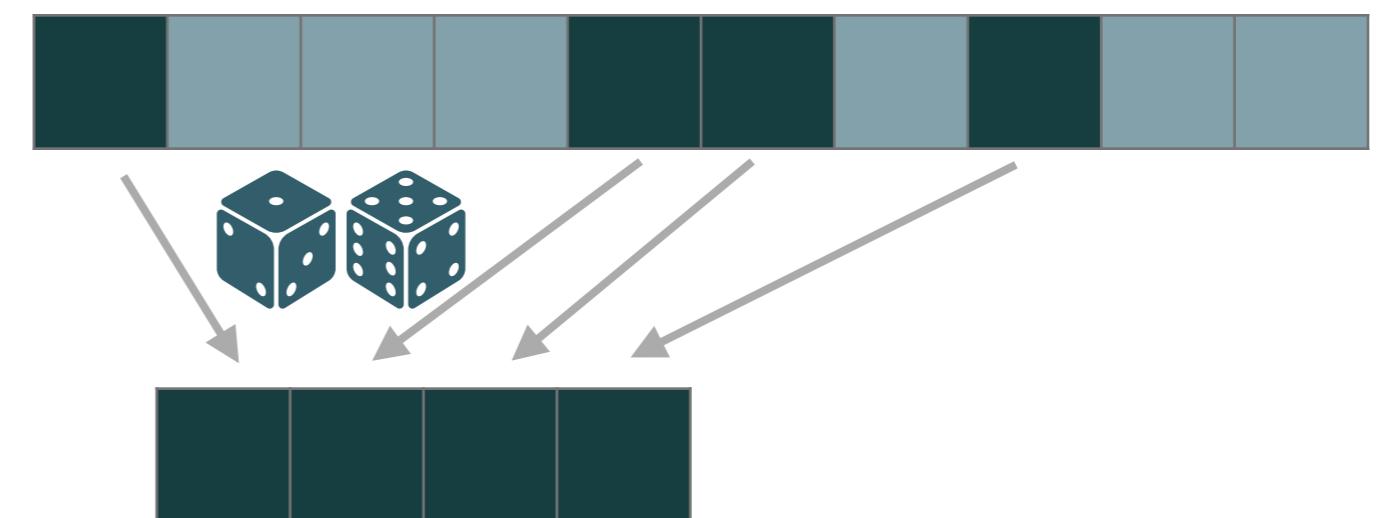
P1035 `view::drop_while`

`view::tail == view::drop(1)`

Filters

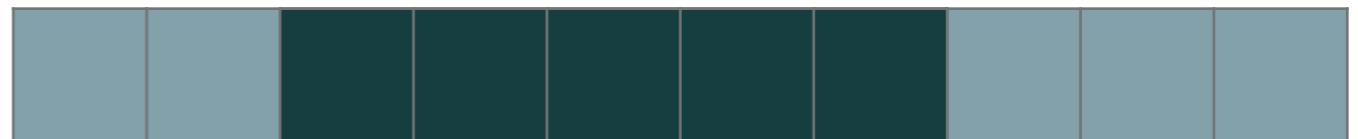


`view::delimit`

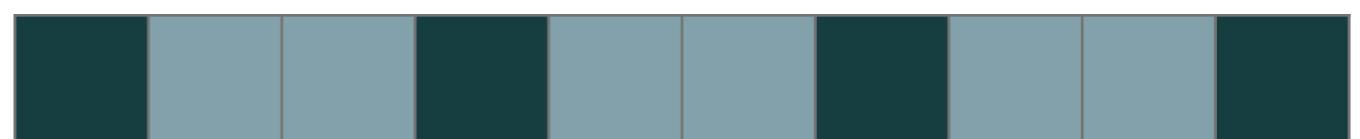


`view::sample`

Filters



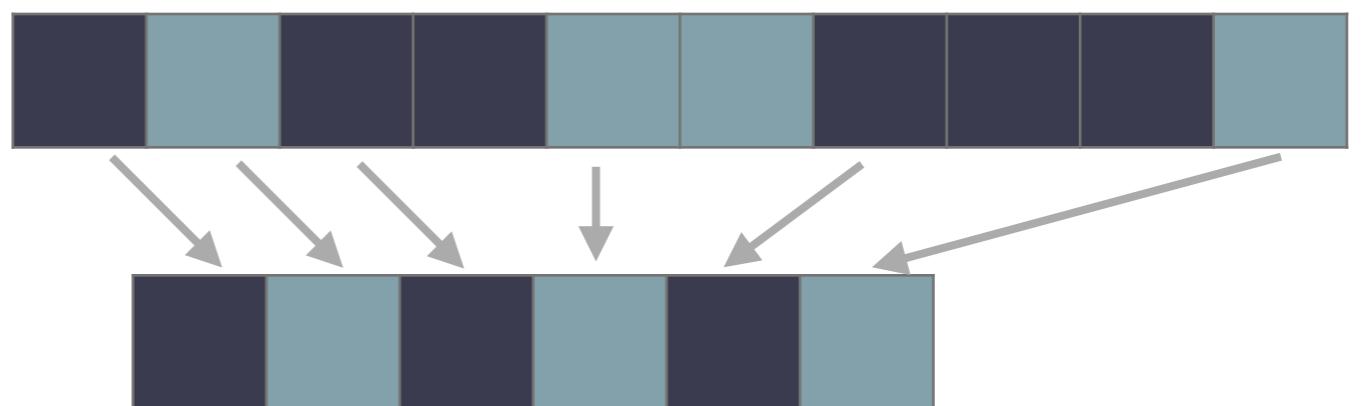
`view::slice`



`view::stride`

Filters

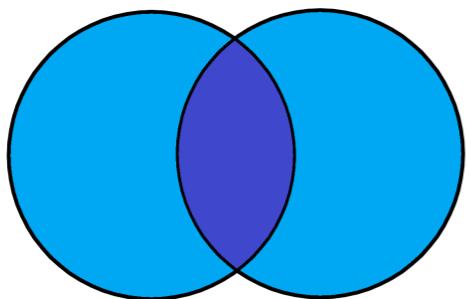
`view::unique`



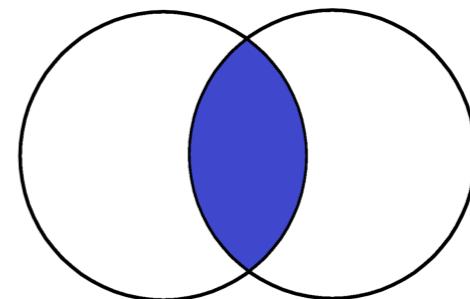
`view::adjacent_remove_if`

`view::adjacent_filter`

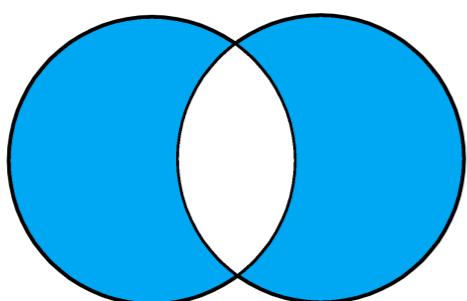
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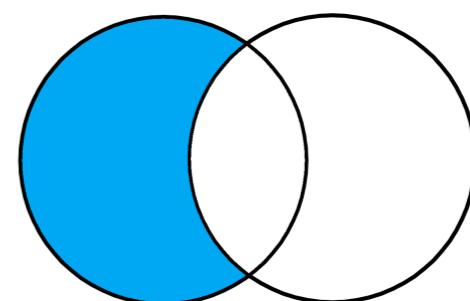
`view::set_union`



`view::set_intersection`



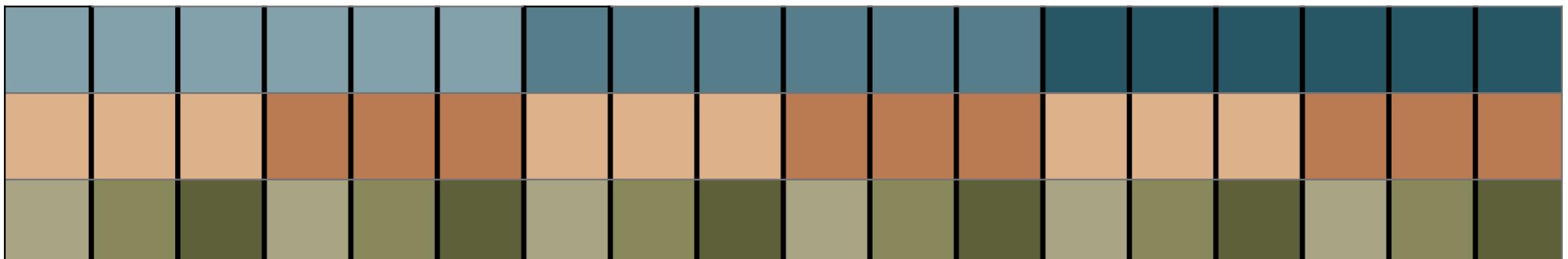
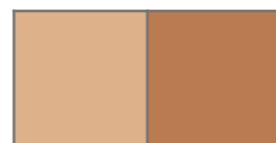
`view::set_symmetric_difference`



`view::set_difference`

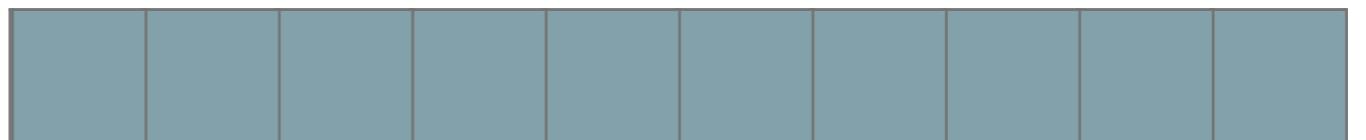
Set views

`view::cartesian_product`



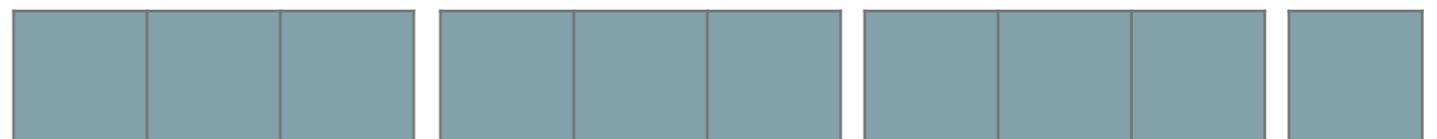
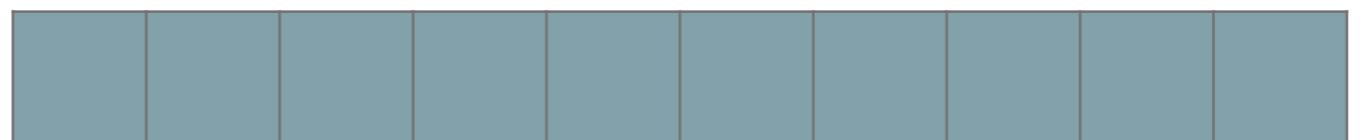
To multiple ranges

`view::chunk`

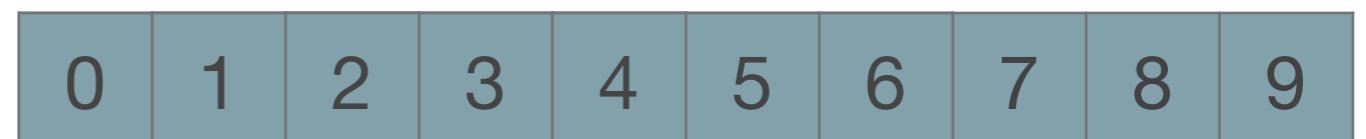


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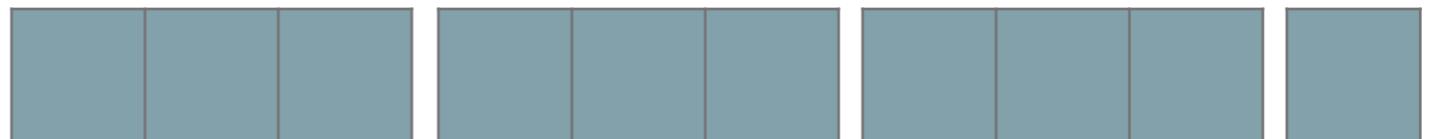
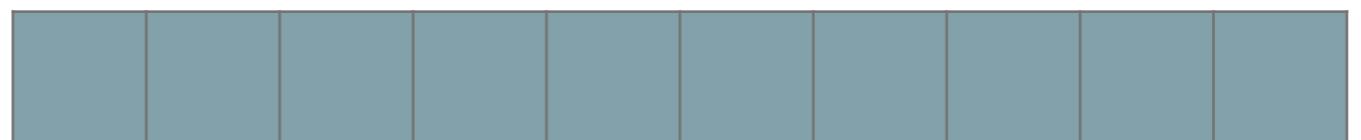


`view::sliding`

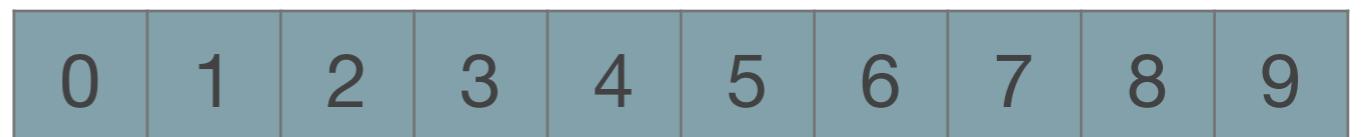


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`view::chunk`



`view::sliding`



To multiple ranges



`view::split`



To multiple ranges

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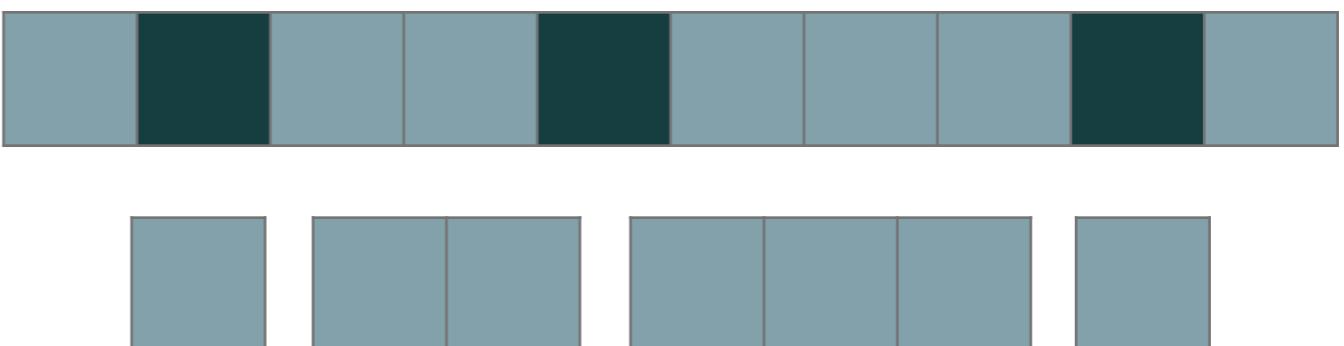


`view::group_by`

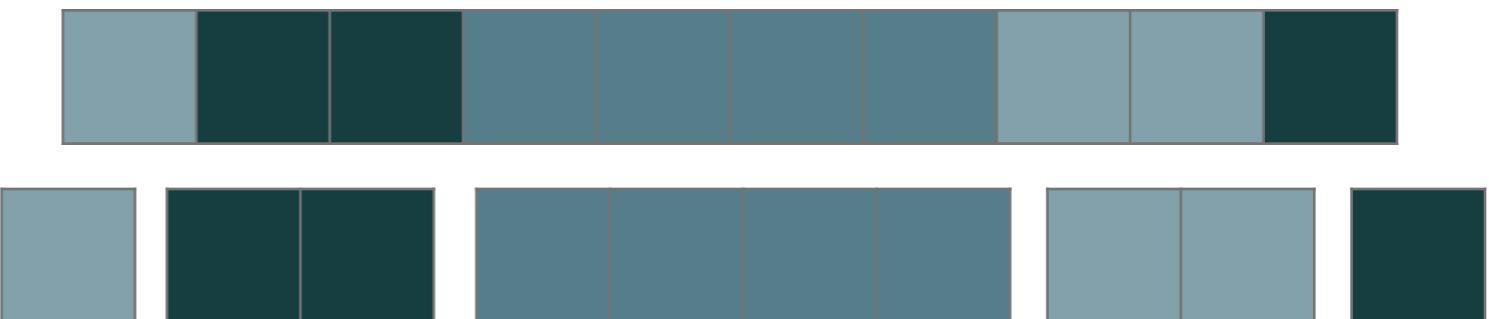


To multiple ranges

`view::split`



`view::group_by`



From multiple ranges

`view::concat`

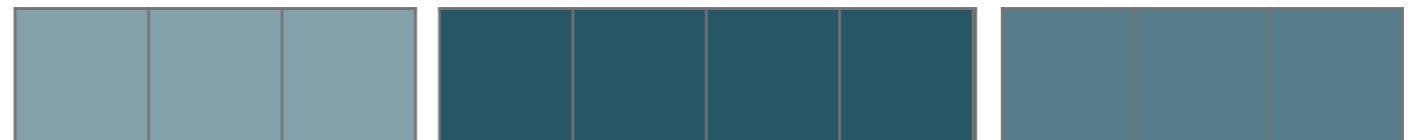


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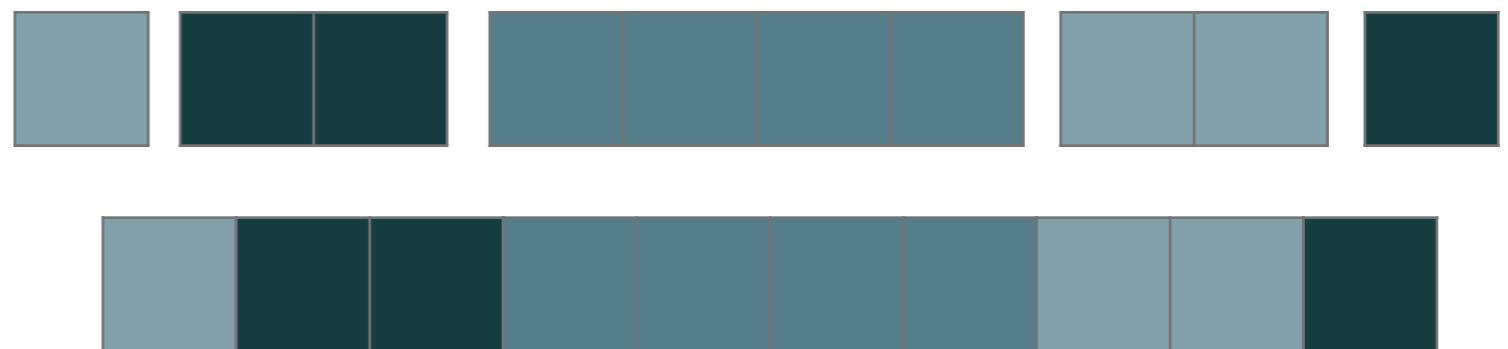


 `view::join`

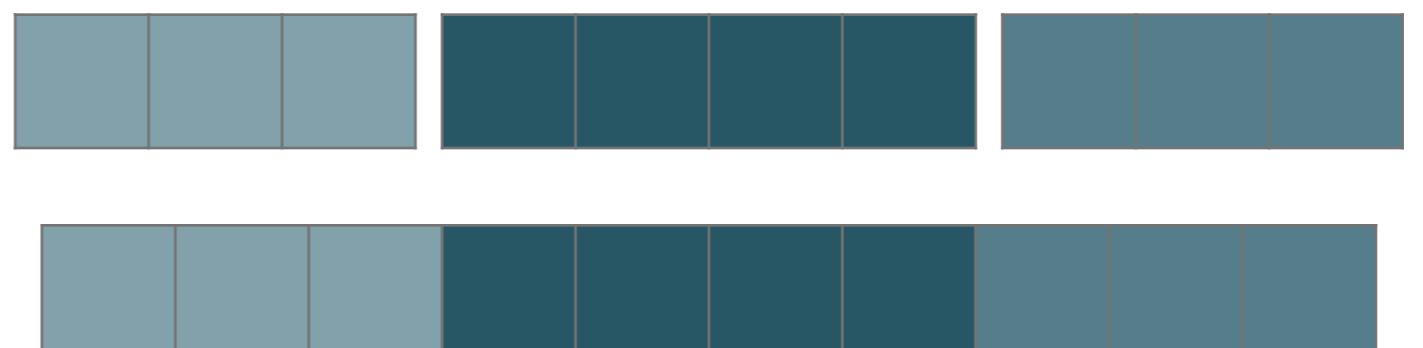


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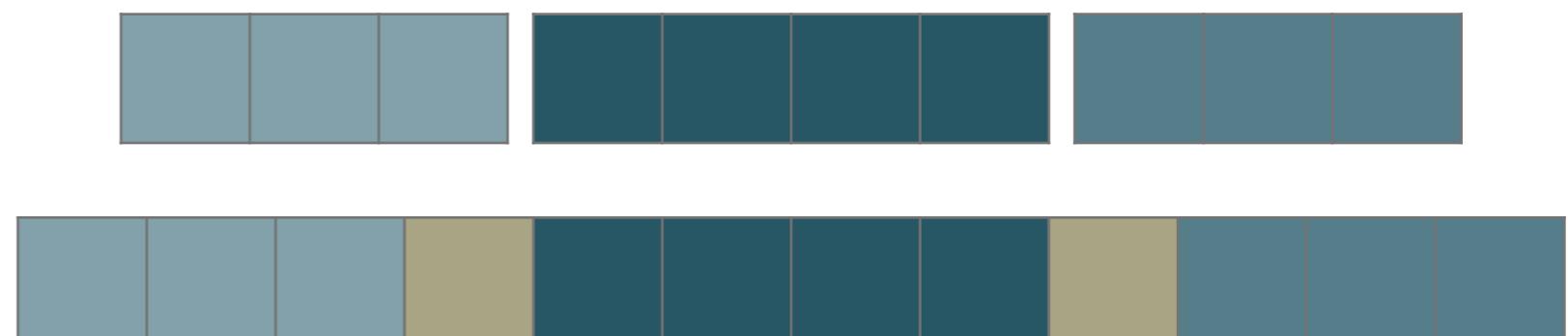


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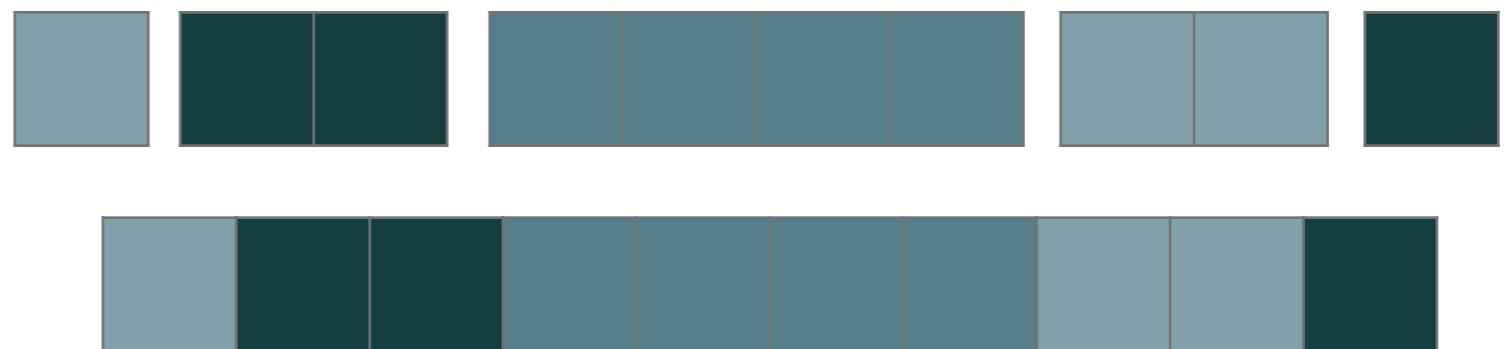


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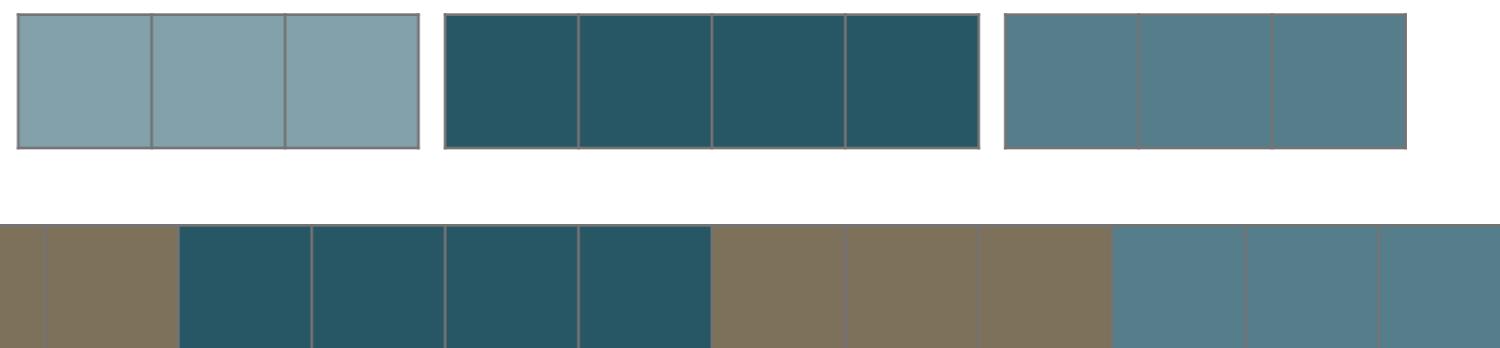


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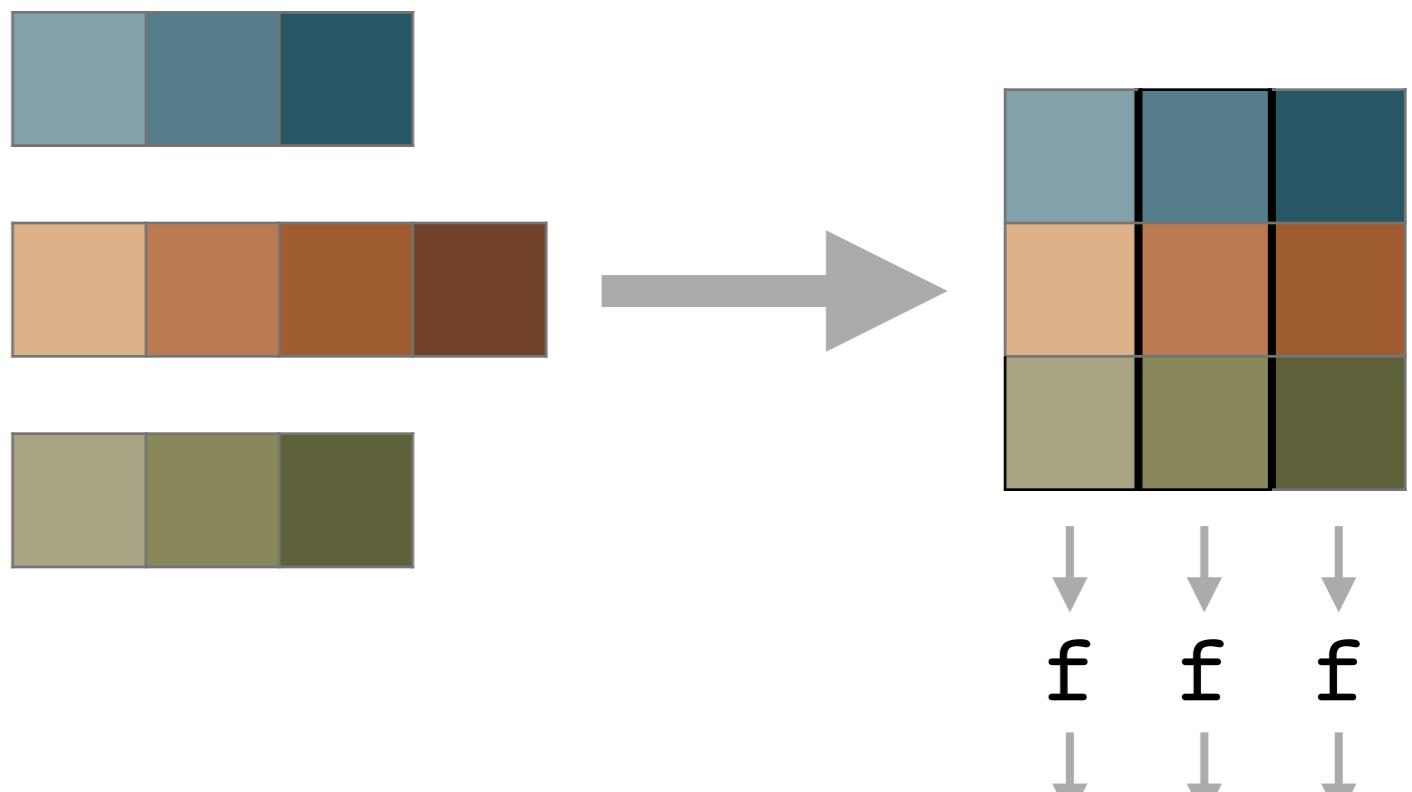


`view::join`



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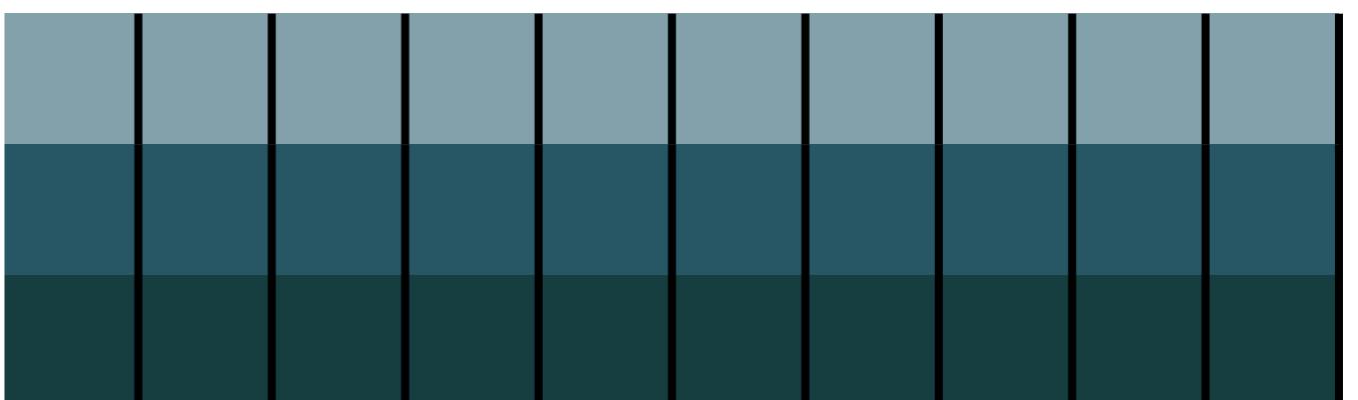
`view::zip`



`view::zip_with`



Tuple views



Tuple views

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`view::elements<0>`



`view::elements<1>`



`view::elements<2>`

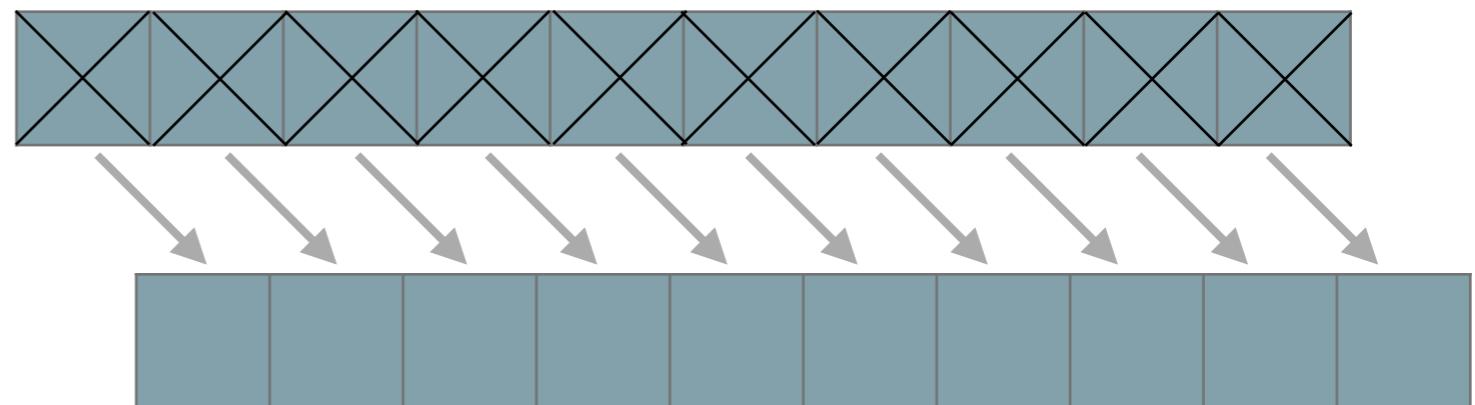


`view::keys == view::elements<0>`

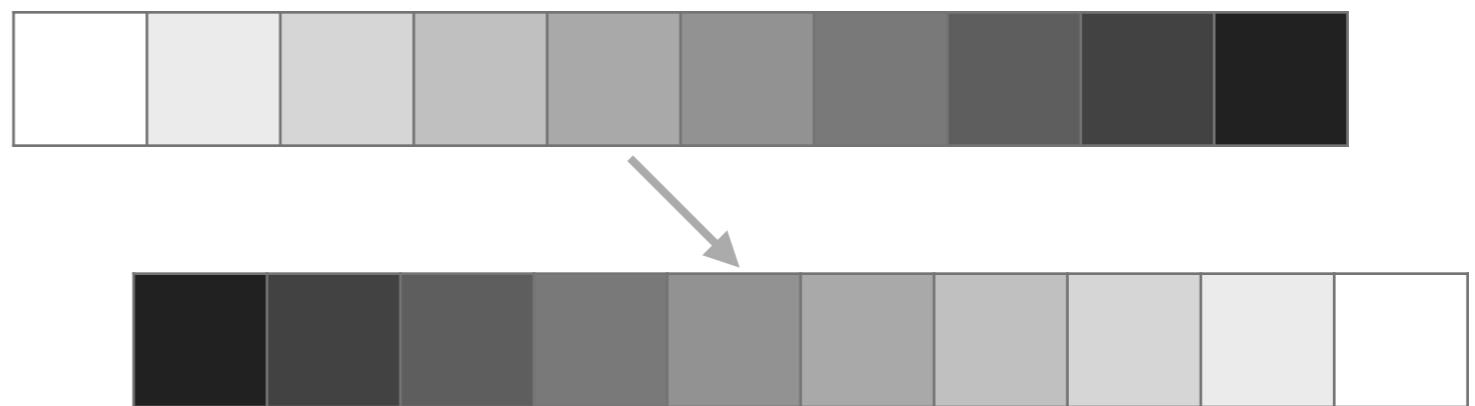
`view::values == view::elements<1>`

Transformers

`view::move`

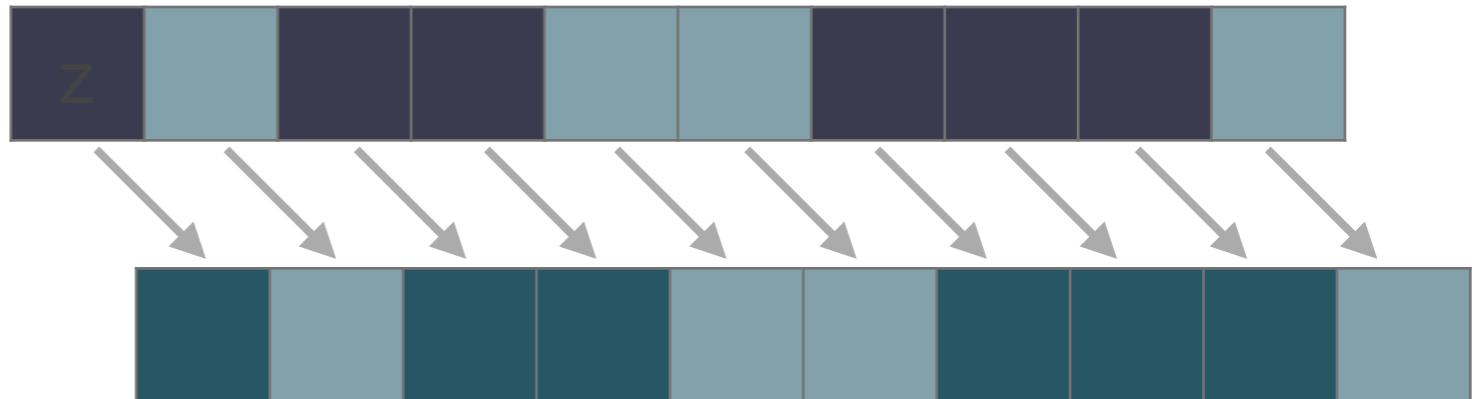


 `view::reverse`

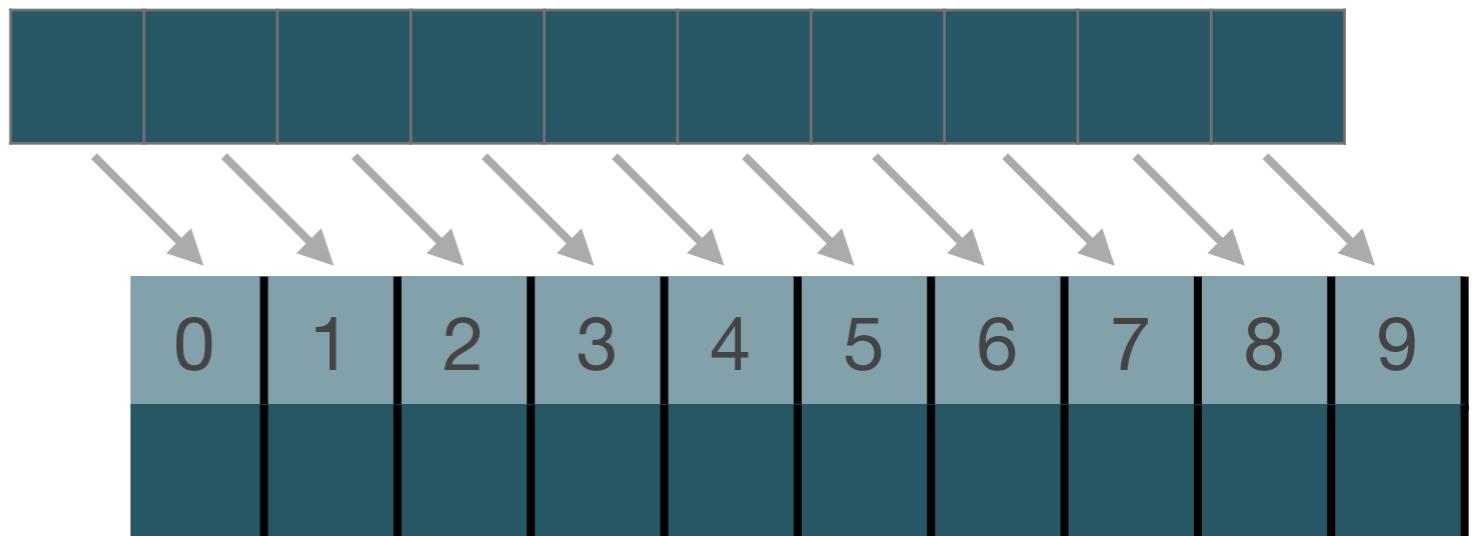


Transformers

`view::replace`
`view::replace_if`

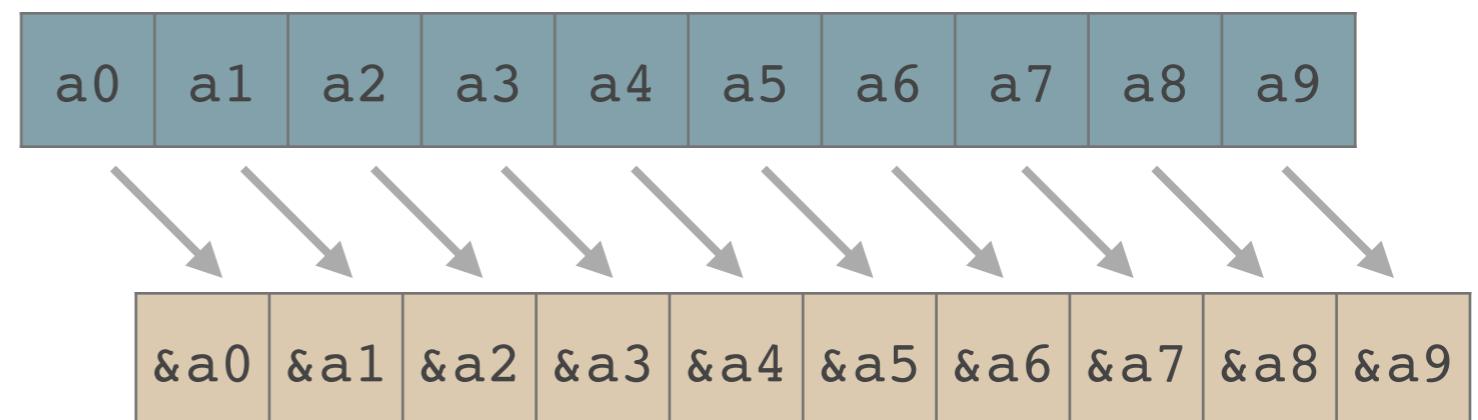


`view::enumerate`

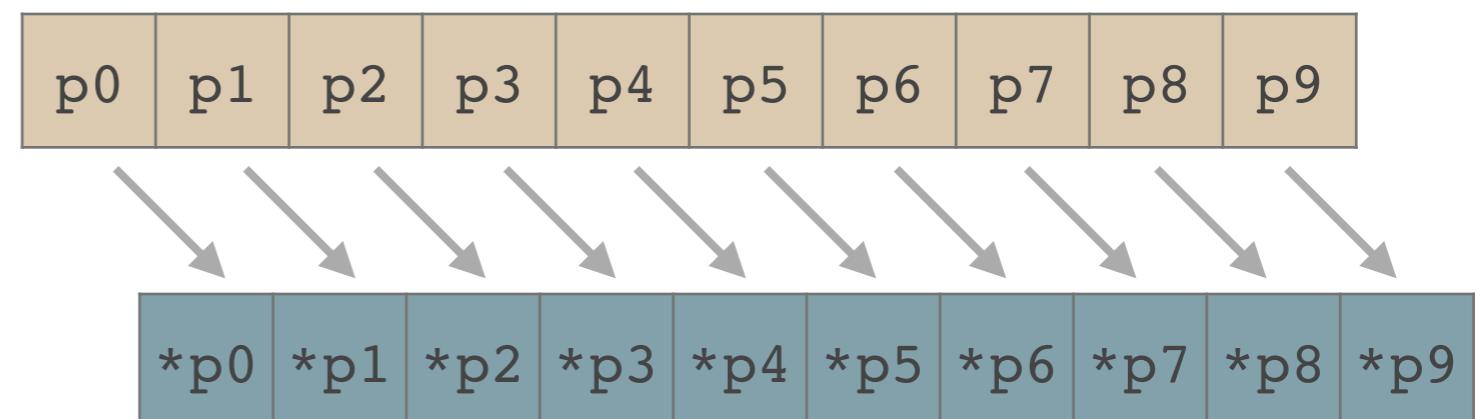


Transformers

`view::addressof`

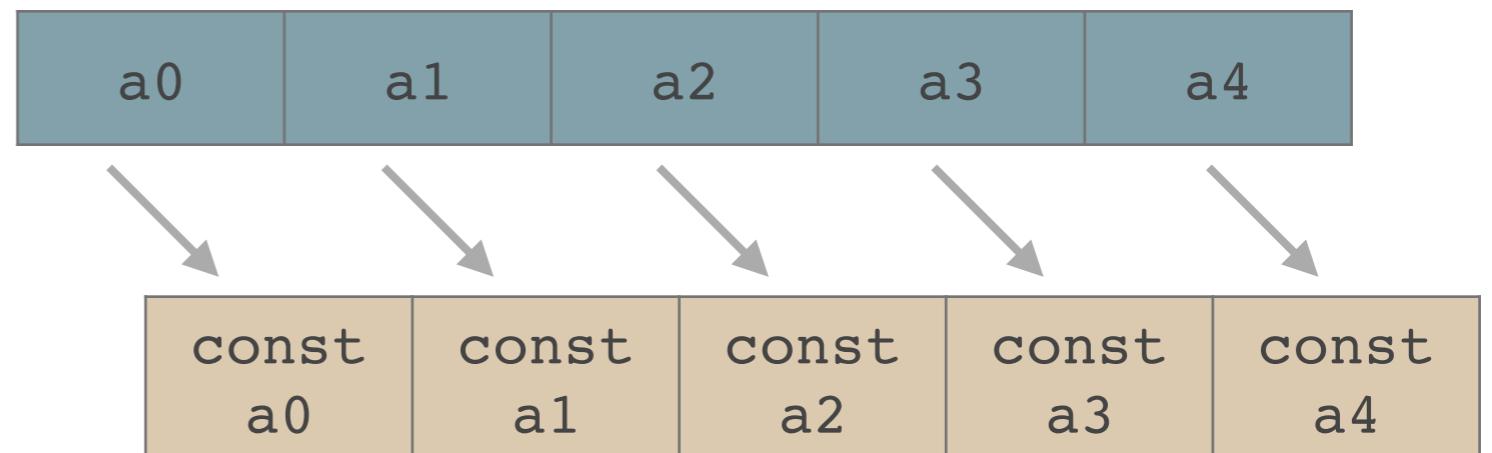


`view::indirect`

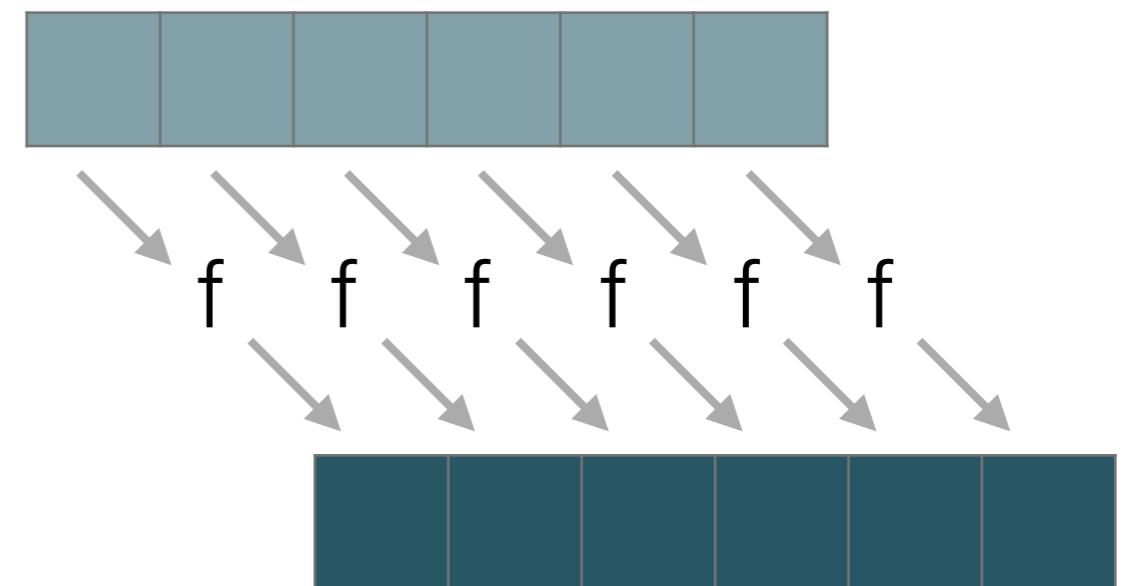


Transformers

`view::const_`



`view::transform`



Adding elements

`view::intersperse`



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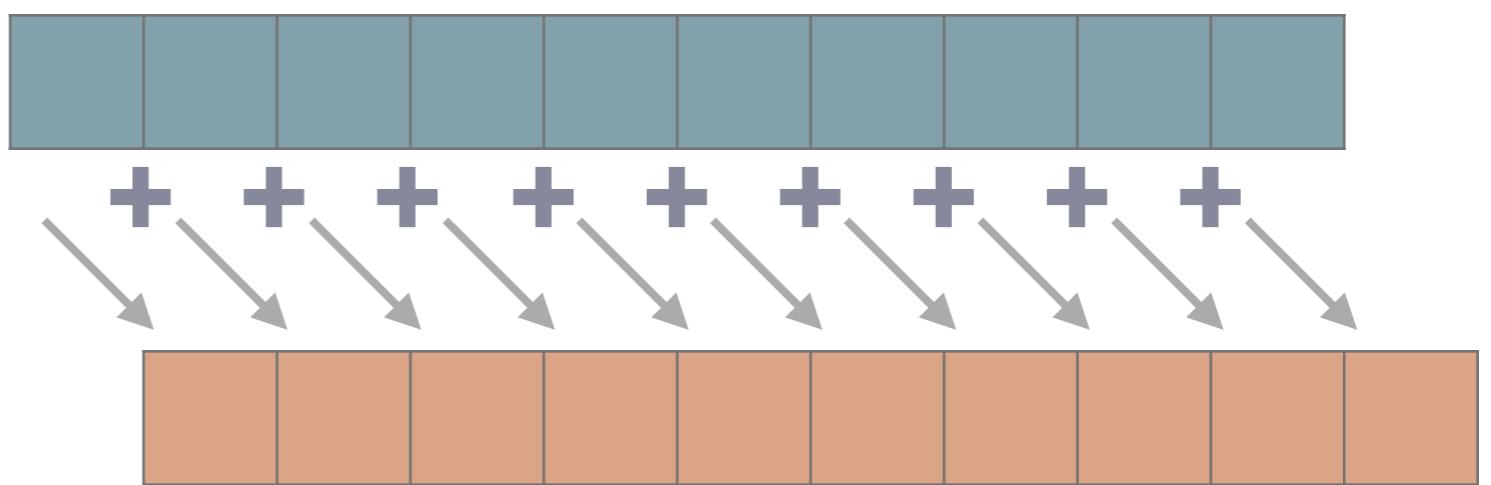


`view::cycle`

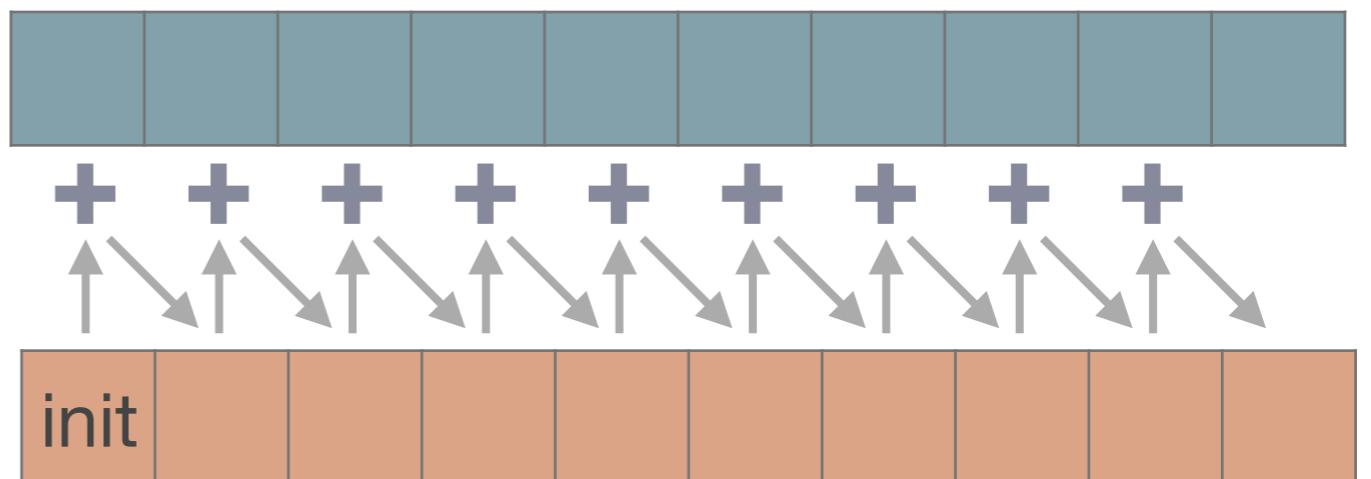


Numeric

`view::partial_sum`



`view::exclusive_scan`



Utility views



`view::common/view::bounded`

Range → CommonRange

`any_view<T>`

Can store any range with value type T

List comprehensions

view::for_each

Lazily applies to each element in the source range a unary function that returns another range (possibly empty), flattening the result.

```
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    [] (int i) {  
        return yield(i * i);  
    } );
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        return yield_from(view::indices(i));  
    } );
```



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    } );
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```
view::for_each(  
    rng,  
    [](int i) {  
        return lazy_yield_if(i % 2 == 0,  
            [i] { return i / 2; } );  
    } );
```



ranges::for_each

```
namespace ranges {

    template<InputIterator I, Sentinel<I> S, class Proj = identity,
              IndirectUnaryInvocable<projected<I, Proj>> Fun>
    constexpr for_each_result<I, Fun>
        for_each(I first, S last, Fun f, Proj proj = {});

    template<InputRange R, class Proj = identity,
              IndirectUnaryInvocable<projected<iterator_t<R>, Proj>> Fun>
    constexpr for_each_result<safe_iterator_t<R>, Fun>
        for_each(R&& r, Fun f, Proj proj = {});

}
```

safe_iterator_t

```
template<Range R>
    using safe_iterator_t = conditional_t<forwarding-range<R>, iterator_t<R>,
dangling>;
```

```
std::vector<int> f();
```

```
auto result1 = find(f(), 42);
static_assert(std::is_same_v<decltype(result1), dangling>);
// *result1 does not compile
```

```
auto vec      = f();
auto result2 = find(vec, 42);
static_assert(std::is_same_v<decltype(result2), std::vector<int>::iterator>);
```

```
auto result3 = find(view::all{vec}, 42);
static_assert(std::is_same_v<decltype(result3), std::vector<int>::iterator>);
```

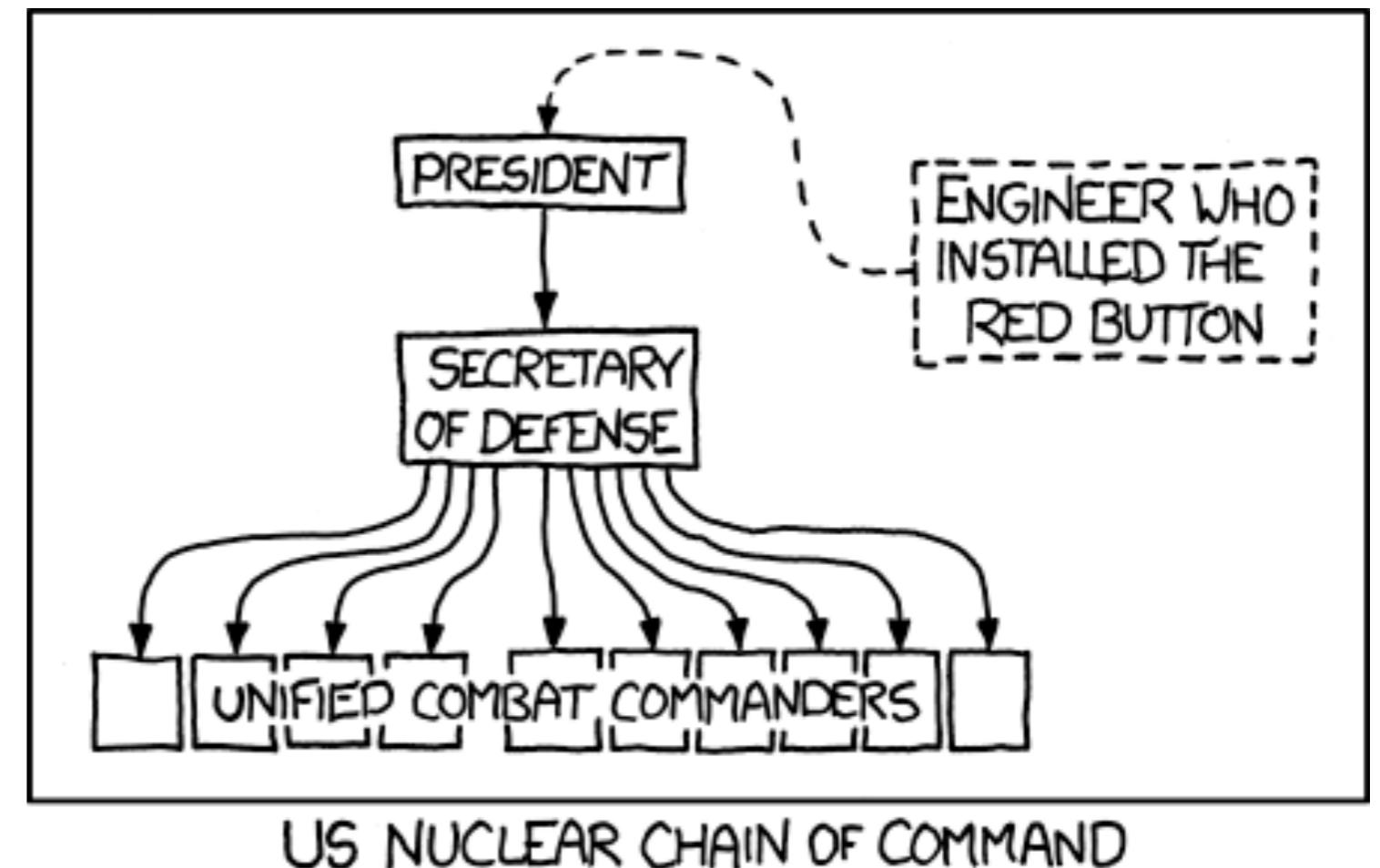
Projection vs. view::transform

```
auto it = find(employees, "Sean", &employee::first);
static_assert(std::is_same_v<decltype(*it), employee&>);

auto v = employees | view::transform(&employee::first);
auto it2 = find(v, "Sean");

static_assert(std::is_same_v<decltype(*it2), std::string&>);
```

Composition



<https://www.xkcd.com/898/>

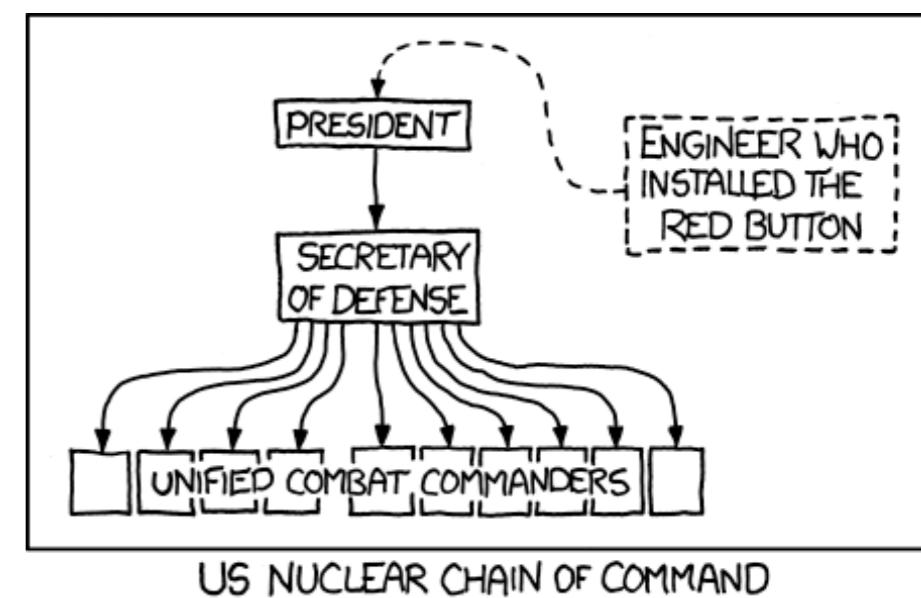
Composition

The bitwise OR operator is overloaded for the purpose of creating adaptor chain pipelines.

`range | adaptor(args...)`

The adaptors also support function call syntax with equivalent semantics.

`adaptor(range, args...)`
`adaptor(args...)(range)`



<https://www.xkcd.com/898/>

Sum of first count squares:

```
int sum_of_squares(int count) {  
    std::vector<int> numbers(static_cast<size_t>(count));  
    std::iota(numbers.begin(), numbers.end(), 1);  
    std::transform(numbers.begin(), numbers.end(), numbers.begin(),  
                 [](int x) { return x * x; });  
    return std::accumulate(numbers.begin(), numbers.end(), 0);  
}
```

Sum of first count squares:

```
int sum_of_squares(int count) {  
    return accumulate(view::iota(1)  
        | view::transform([](int x) { return x * x; })  
        | view::take_exactly(count), 0);  
}
```

Or equivalently:

```
return accumulate(  
    view::take_exactly(  
        view::transform(  
            view::iota(1),  
            [](int x) { return x * x; })  
        ),  
    count  
) ,  
0  
) ;
```

View materialization

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Save view elements to a container:

```
auto vec = view::ints  
| view::transform([](int i) {return i + 42; })  
| view::take(10)  
| to<std::vector>();
```

```
const std::string names[] = {"john", "paul", "george", "richard"};  
const int songs[] = {72, 70, 22, 2};  
auto map = view::zip(names, songs) | to<std::map>();
```

Actions



<https://www.xkcd.com/311/>

Actions

- We saw algorithms that are eager but that don't compose.
- We saw views that are lazy and do compose.
- What about composable AND eager?
- Actions are composable algorithms that operate eagerly on container-like things, mutating them in-place.



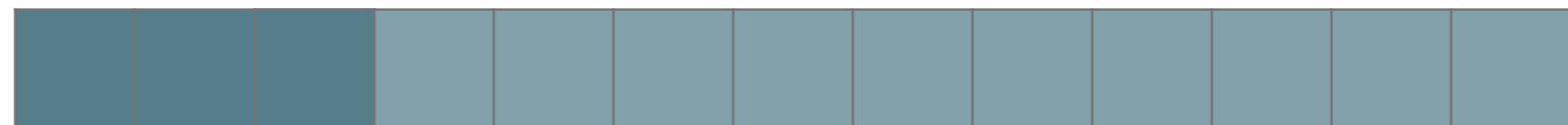
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Adding elements

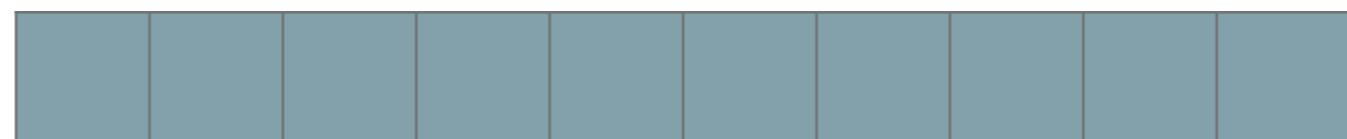
`action::push_back`



`action::push_front`



`action::insert`

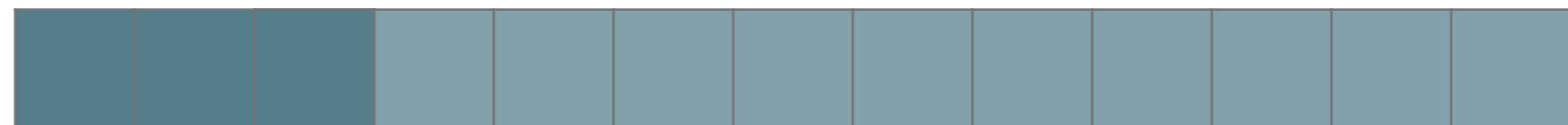


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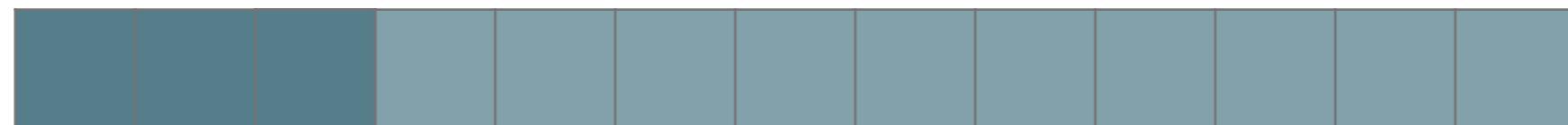


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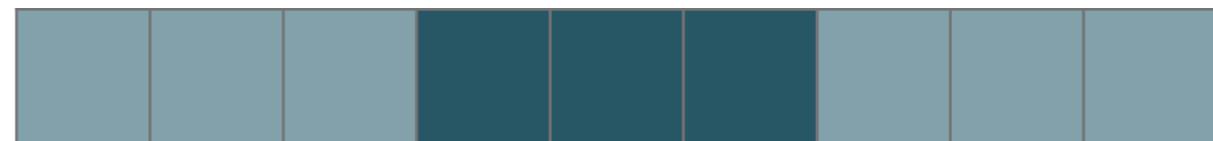
Removing elements

`action::erase`



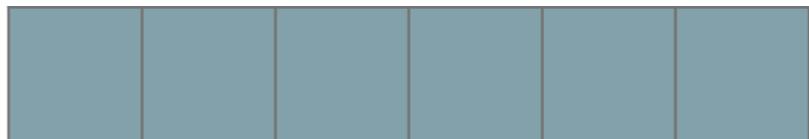
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And more...

action::take	action::stride
action::take_while	action::reverse
action::drop	action::sort
action::drop_while	action::stable_sort
action::remove_if	action::shuffle
action::unique	action::transform
action::slice	action::split

Action pipelines

Read data into a vector, sort it, and make it unique:

before

```
auto vi = read_data();
std::sort(vi);
vi.erase(std::unique(vi),
vi.end());
```

after

```
auto vi = read_data()
| action::sort
| action::unique;
```

Action pipelines

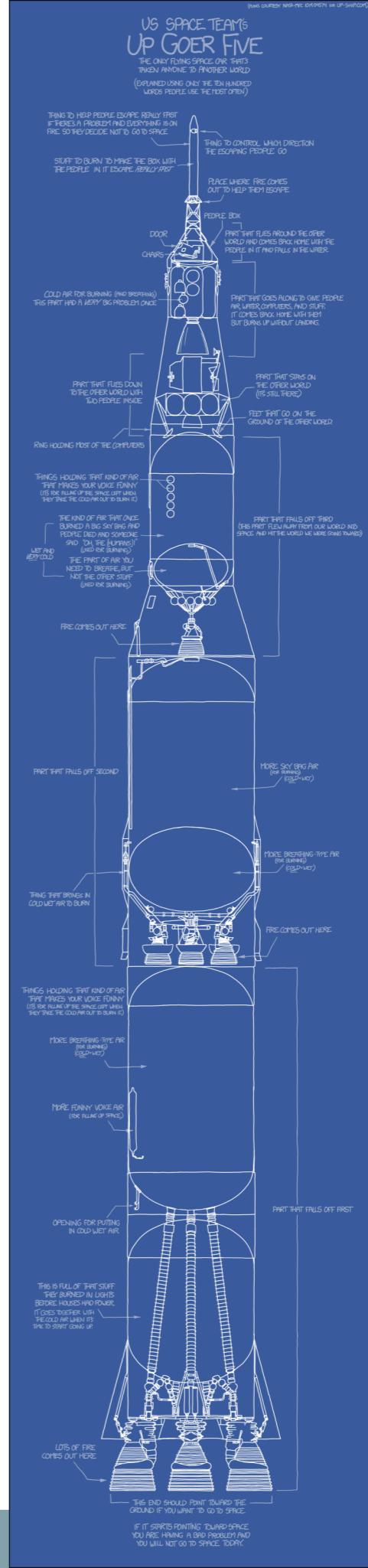
- The container is moved through the pipeline, hence required to be an rvalue.
- To operate on an lvalue container, copy or move it:

```
auto v2 = v | copy | action::sort;  
auto v3 = v | move | action::sort;
```

- There's an operator |= which enables mutating the container in place:

```
v |= action::sort;
```

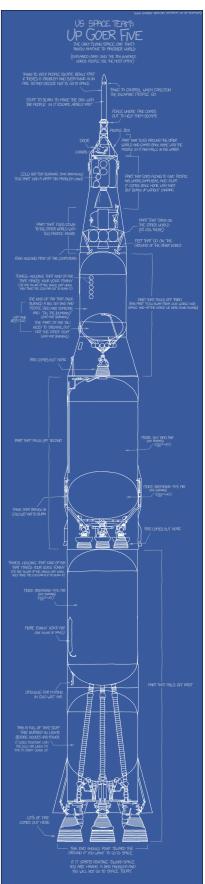
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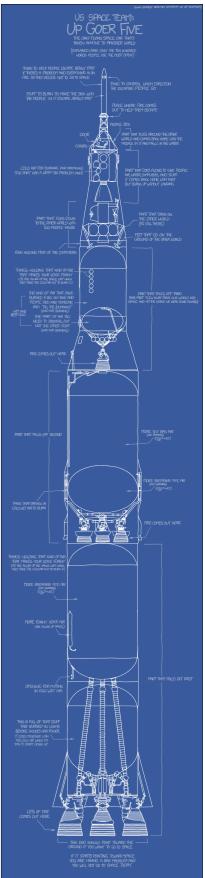
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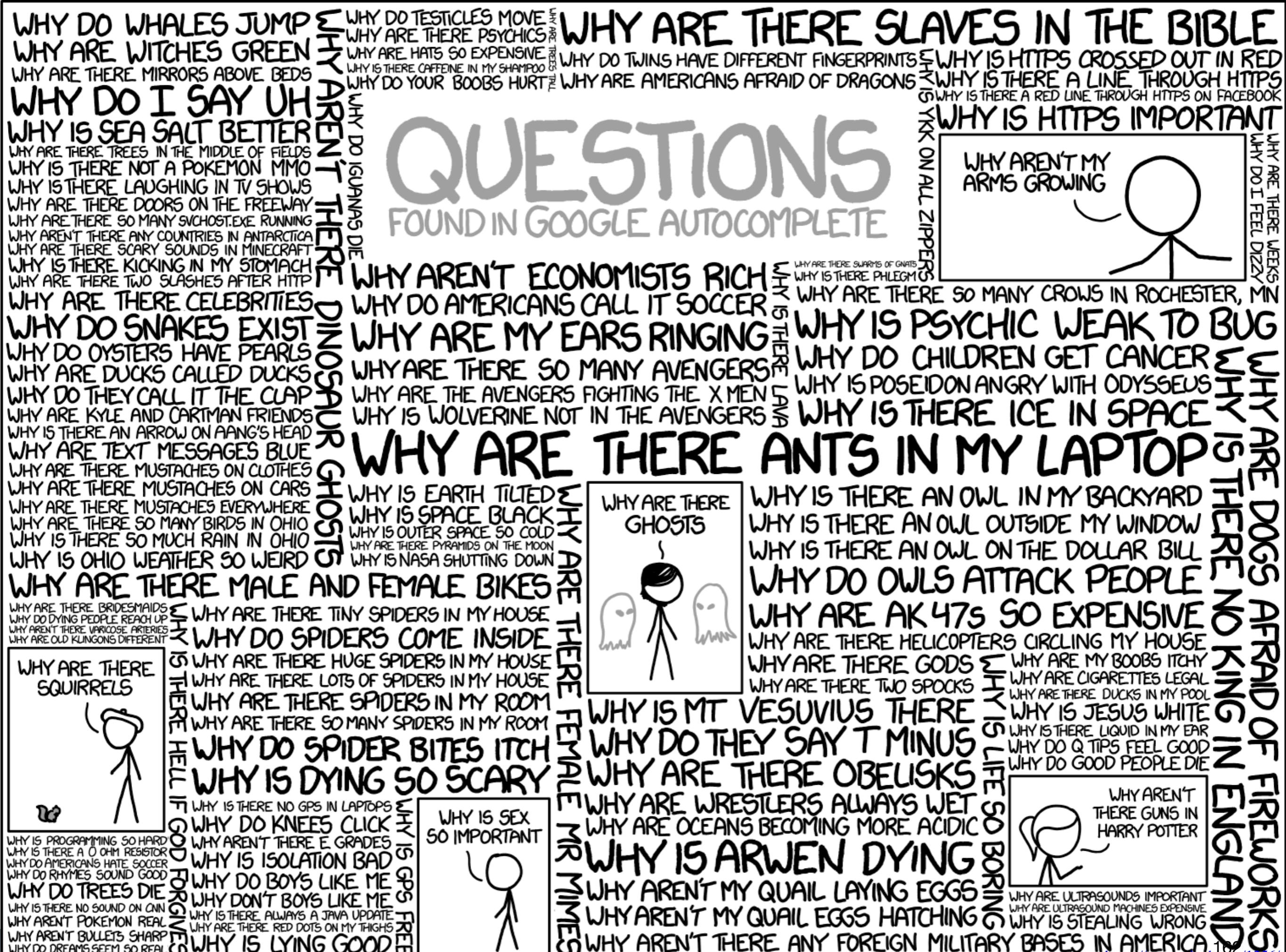


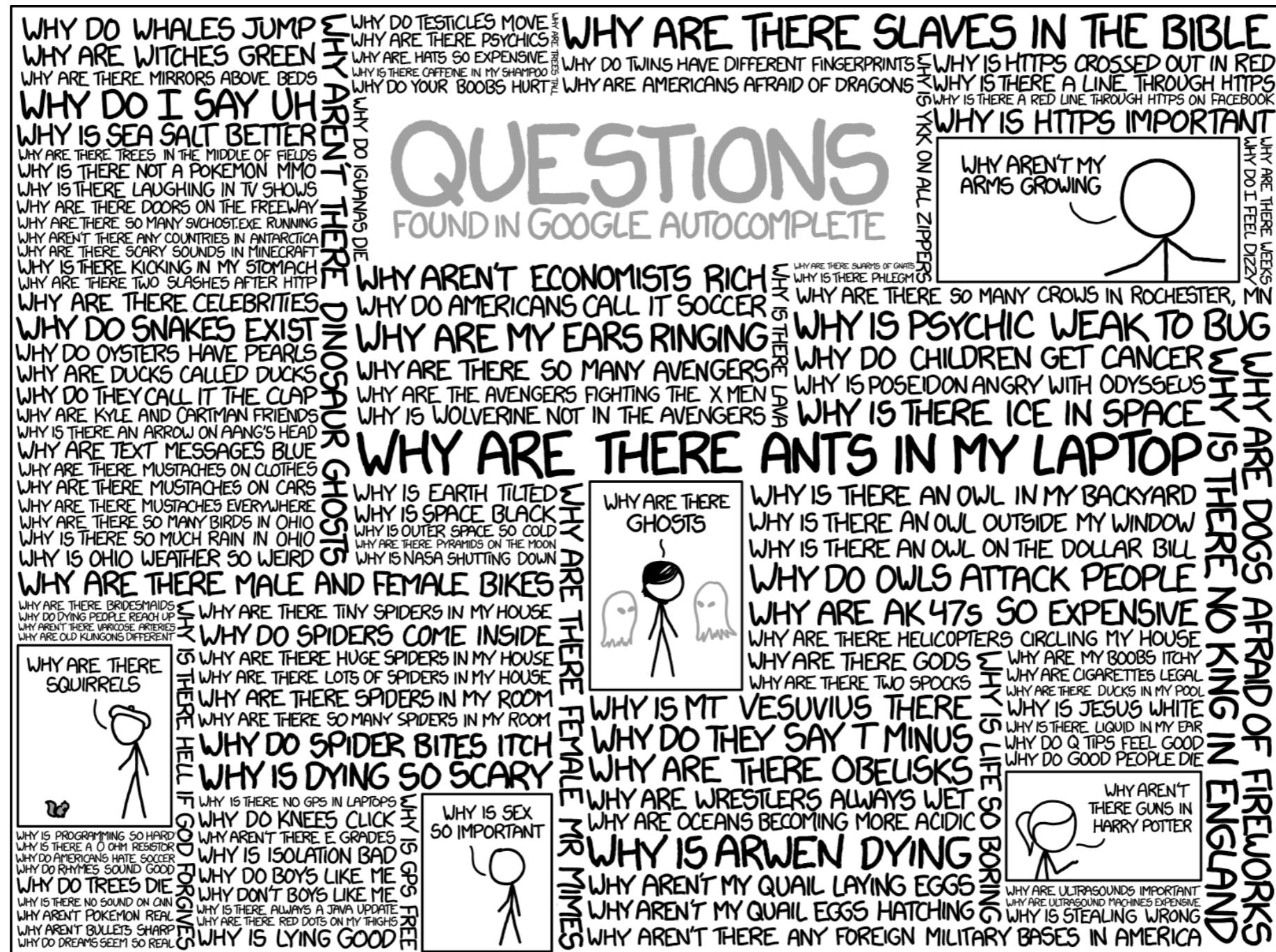
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