

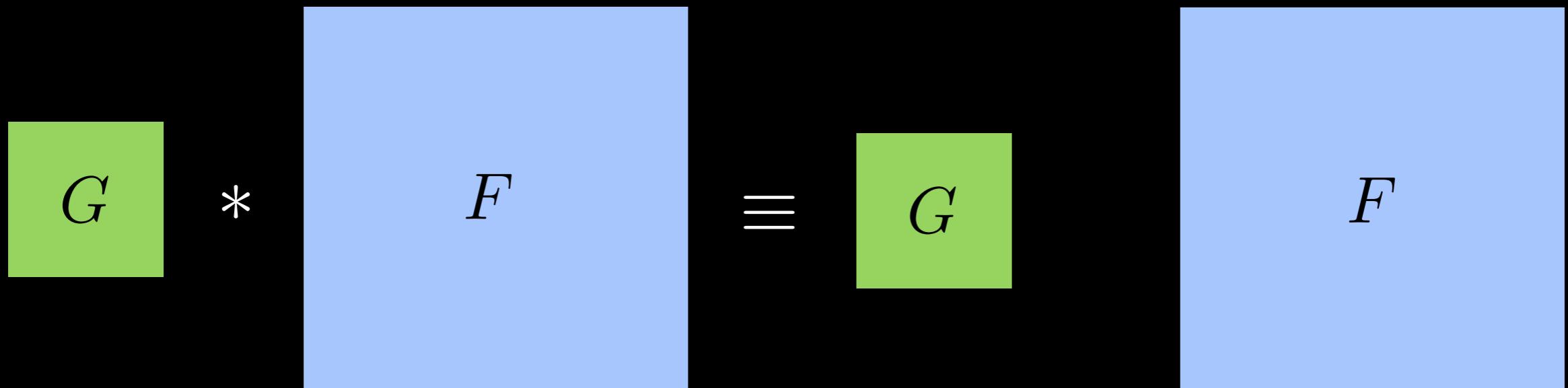
Intro to

# Computer Vision

## Image filtering

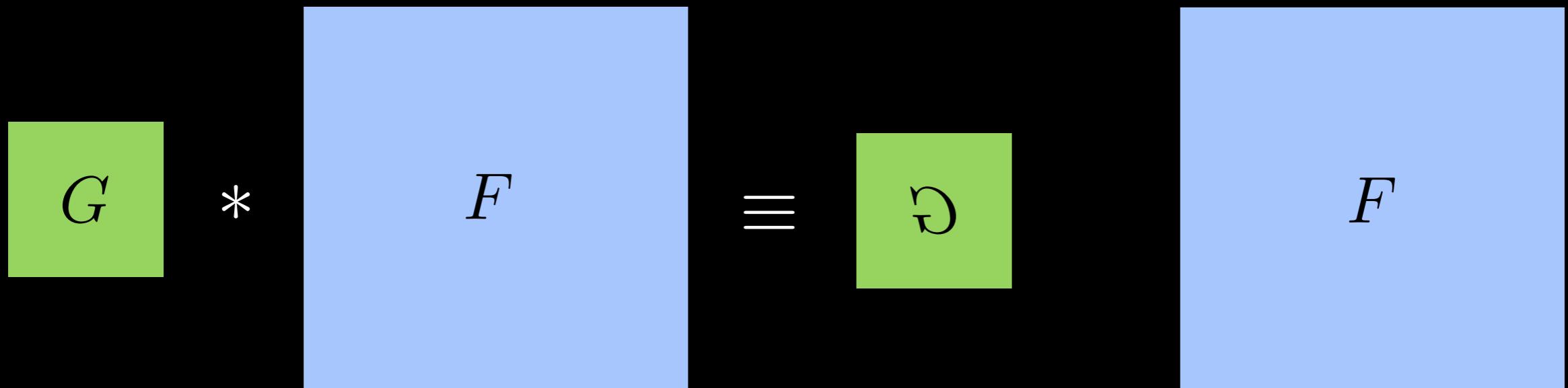
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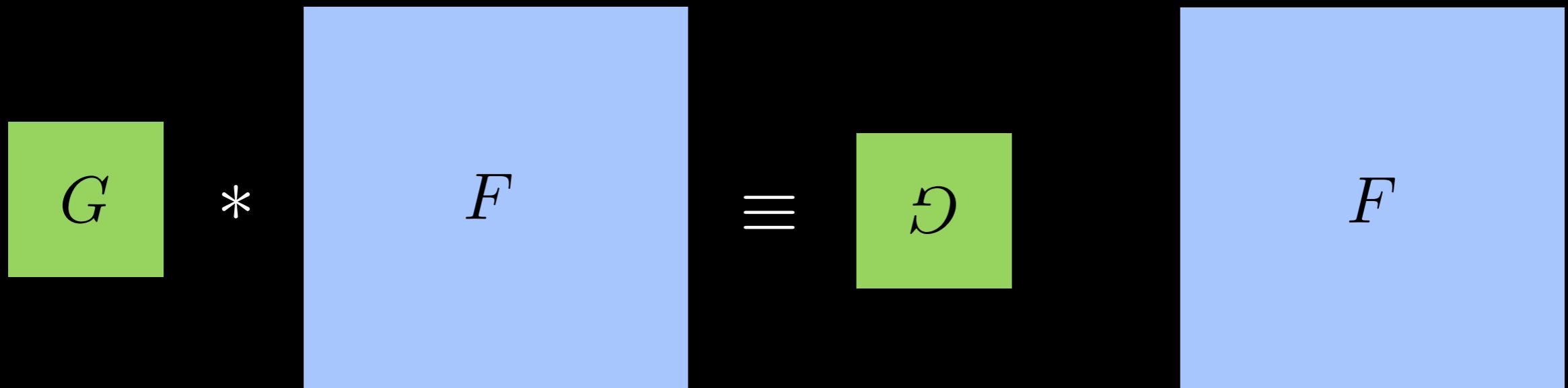
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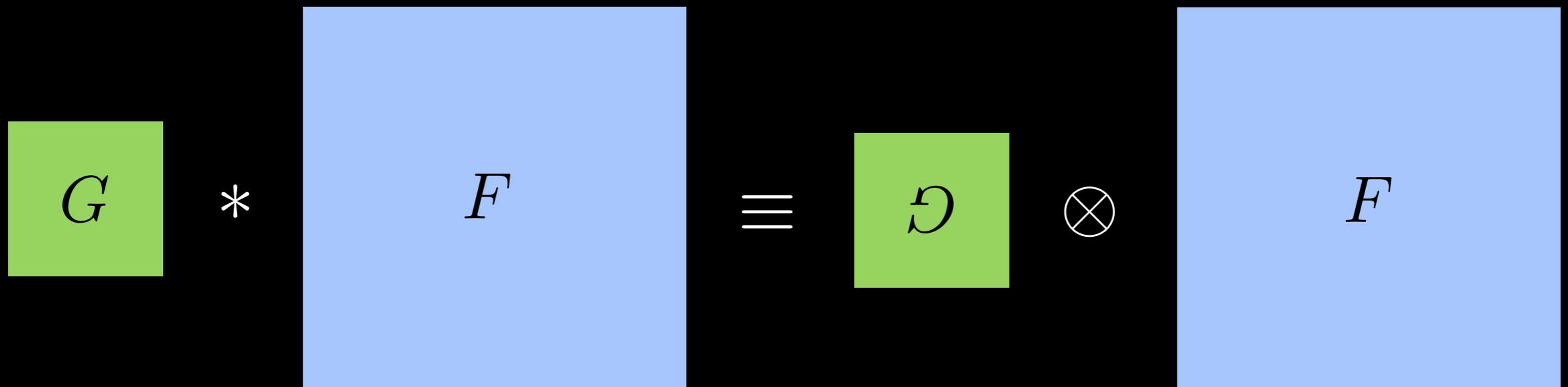
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$$\begin{matrix} G & * & F \end{matrix} \equiv \begin{matrix} \mathcal{G} & \otimes & F \end{matrix}$$


# Convolution Properties

identity

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$$F[x,y] * \delta[x,y]$$

identity

$$F[x, y] * \delta[x, y] = F[x, y]$$

linearity

$$G * (\alpha F_1[x, y] + \beta F_2[x, y])$$

linearity

$$\begin{aligned} G * (\alpha F_1[x, y] + \beta F_2[x, y]) \\ = \alpha H_1[x, y] + \beta H_2[x, y] \end{aligned}$$

shift  
invariant

$$G[x, y] * F[x - \alpha, y - \beta]$$

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$$G[x, y] * F[x - \alpha, y - \beta]$$

$$= H[x - \alpha, y - \beta]$$

distributive

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$$E[x, y] * (F[x, y] + G[x, y])$$

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**convolution of Gaussians is a Gaussian**

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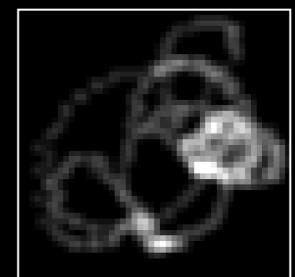


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Leads to **FASTER** convolution

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1D vertical convolution

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**Filter horizontally then vertically**

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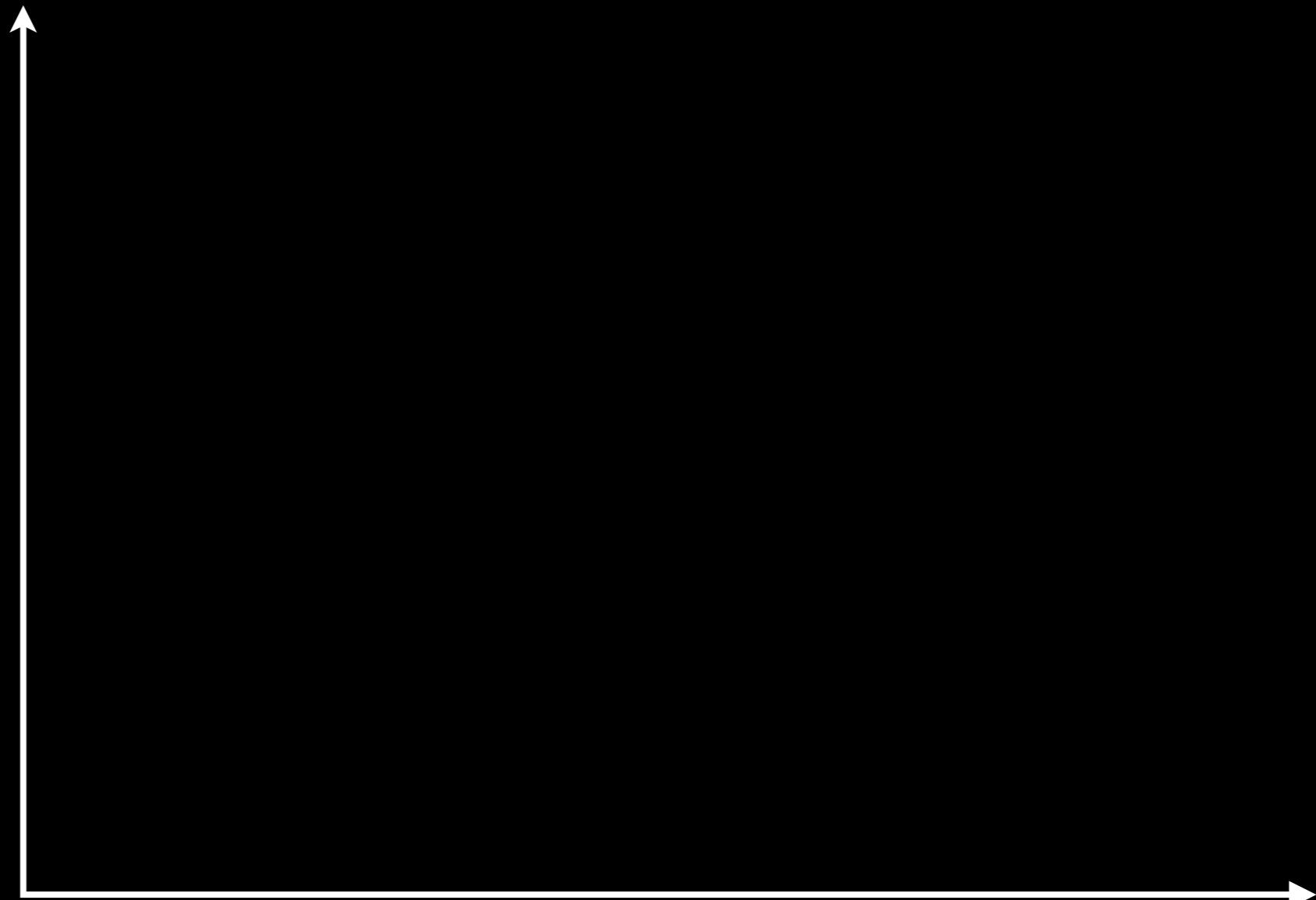
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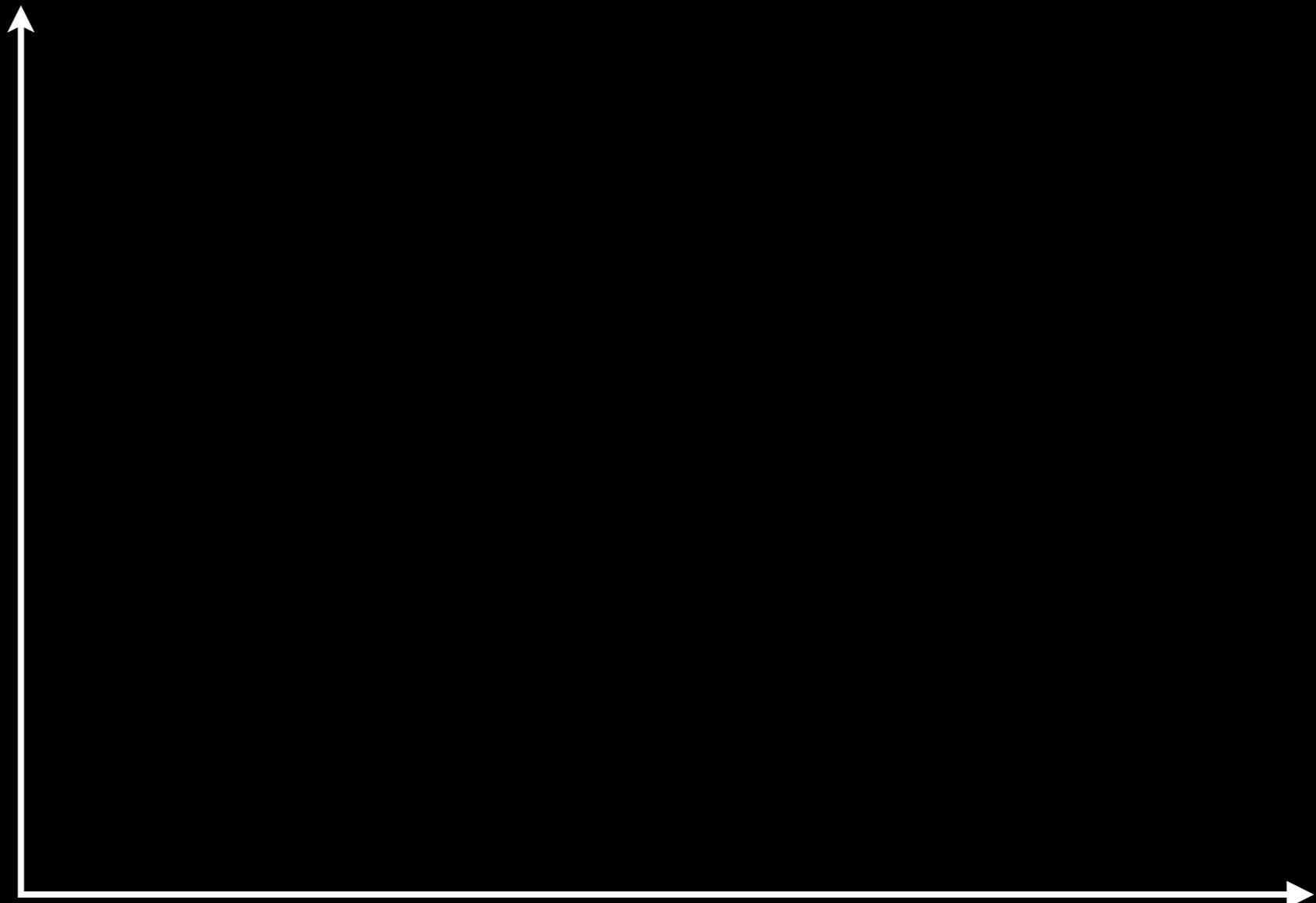
separable  
filtering

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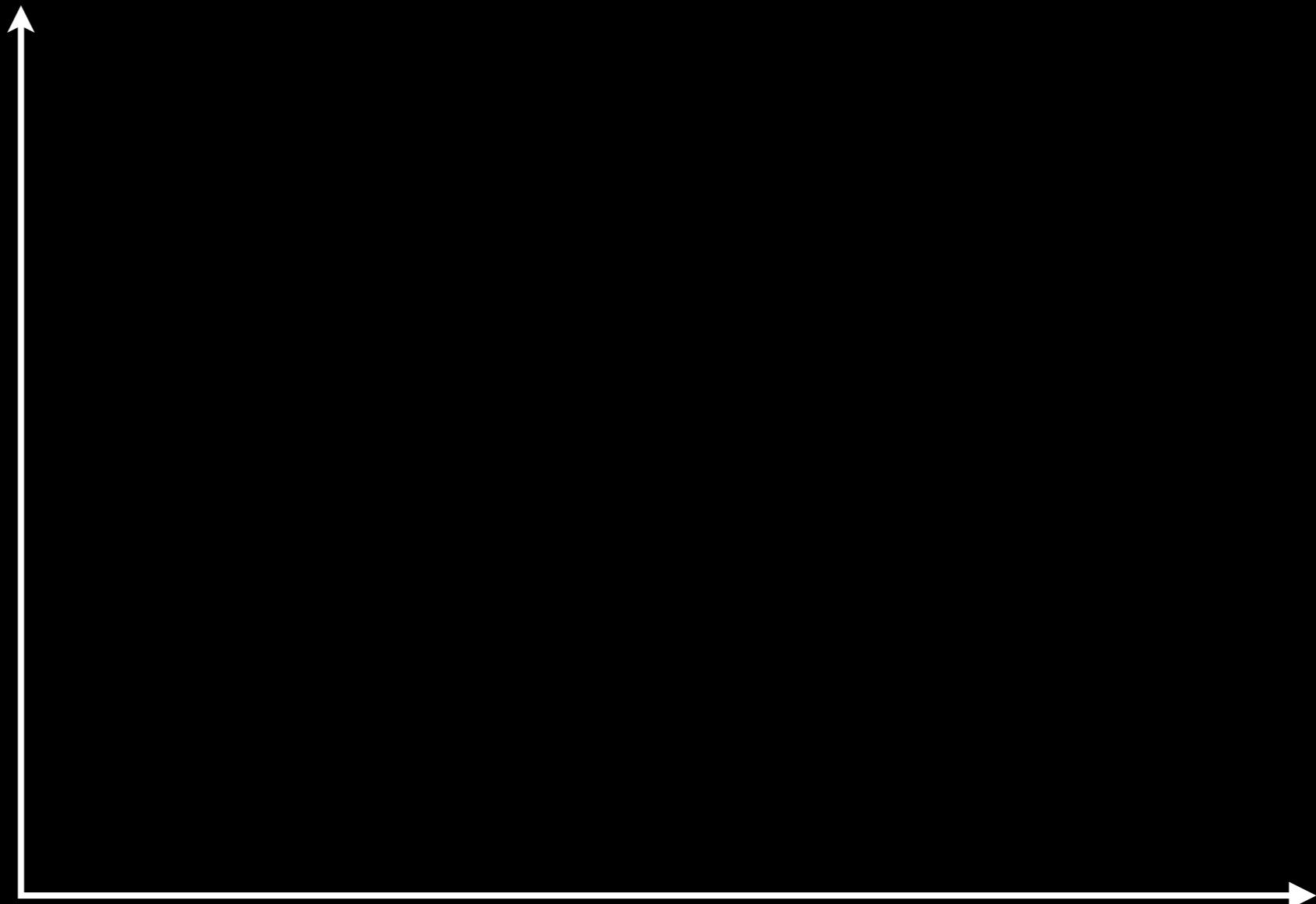
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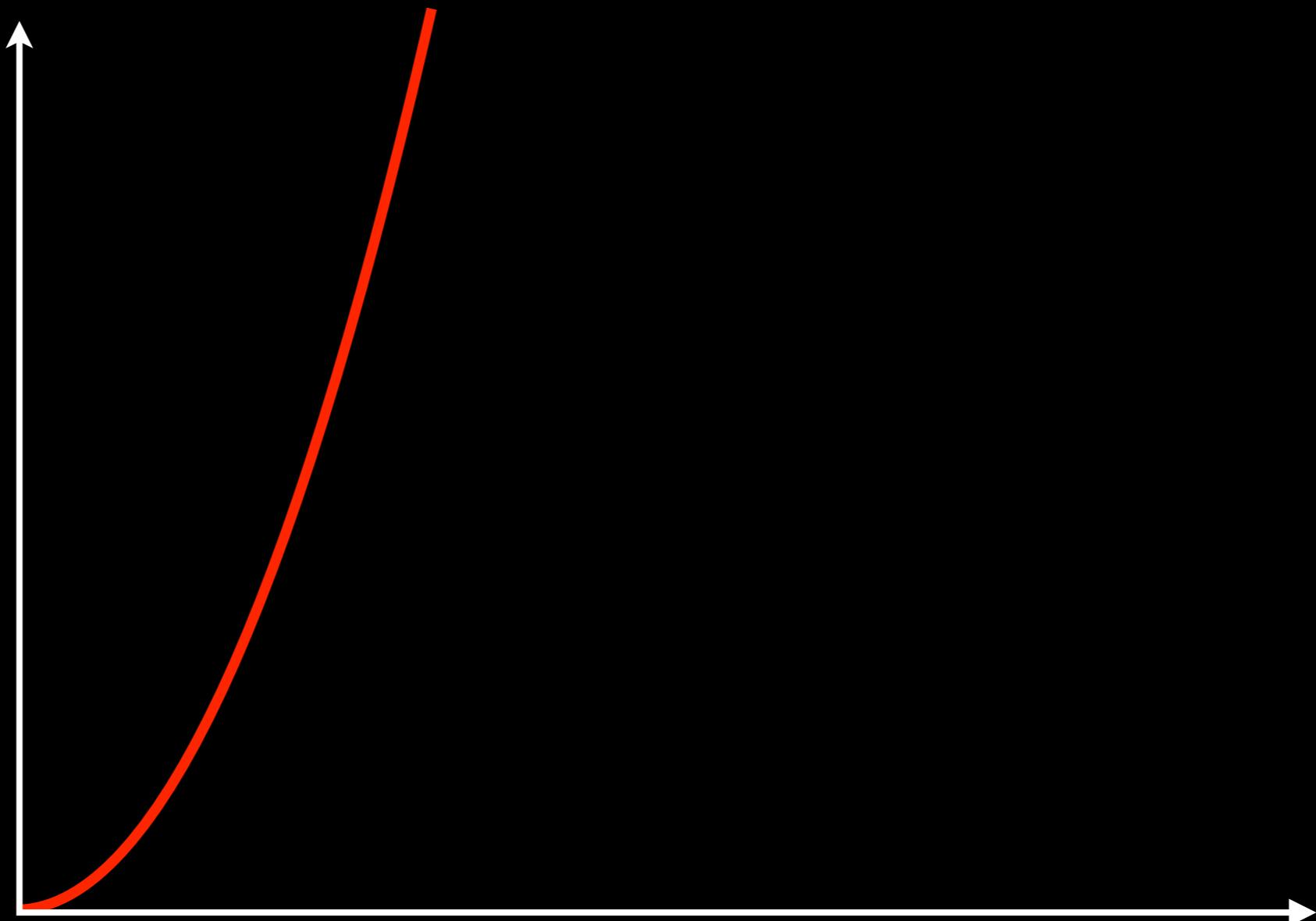
**kernel size**

**number of  
operations**

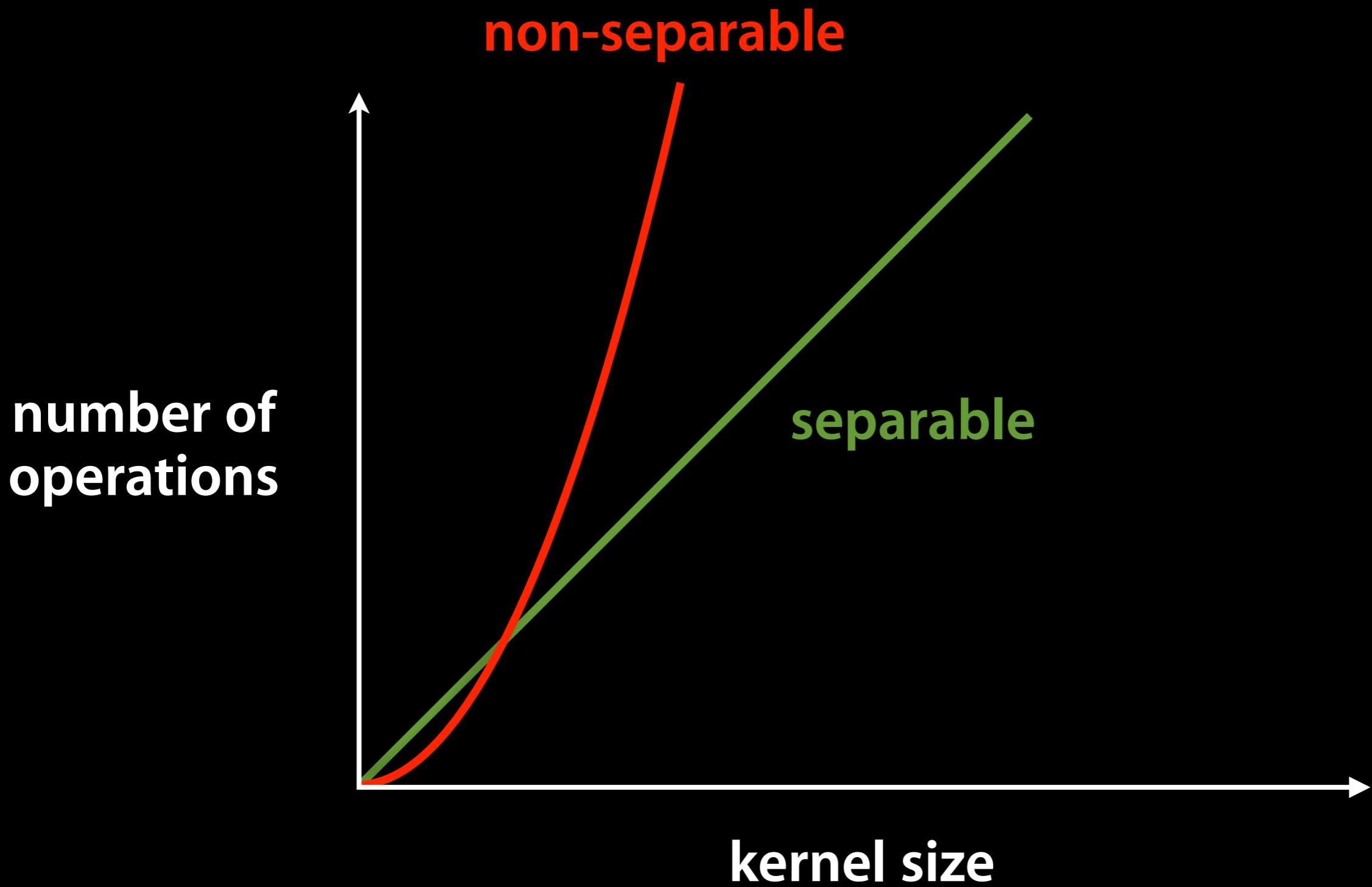


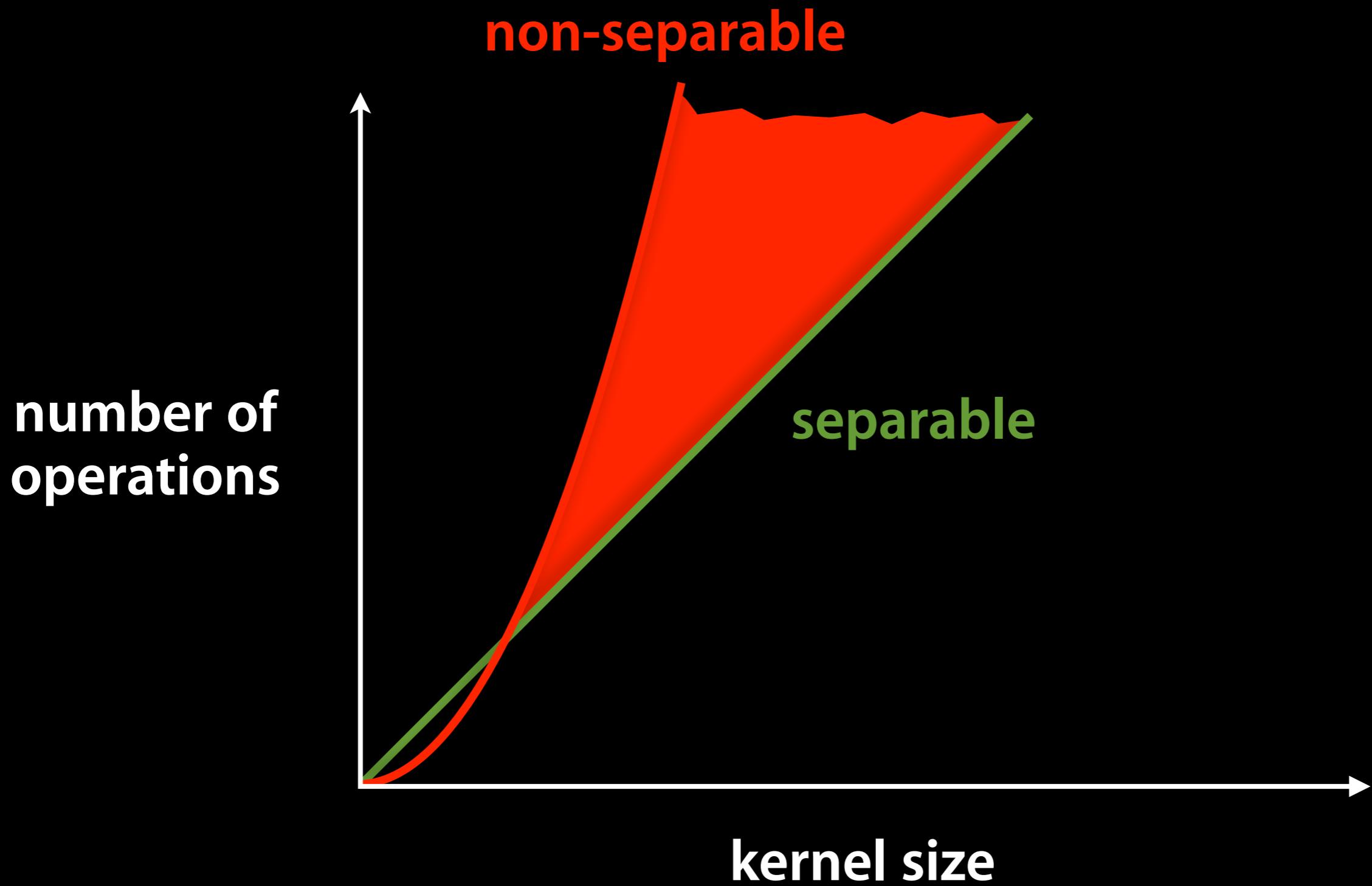
**non-separable**

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review

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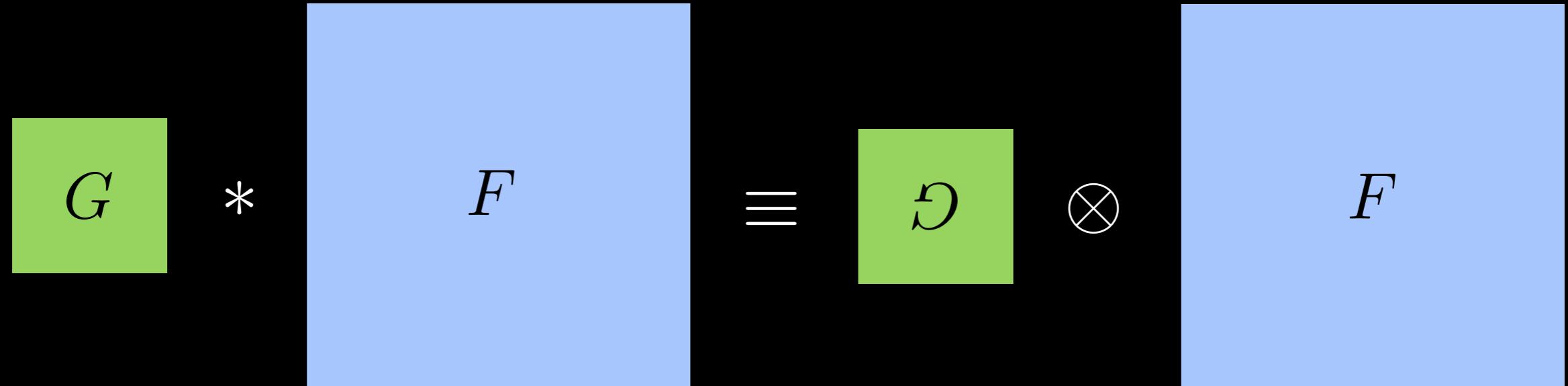
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output flipped

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A close-up, low-angle shot of a person's lower body and hands working in a field. The person is wearing camouflage-patterned pants and boots. They are digging through dark, wet soil with their hands, which are covered in mud. The background shows a grassy area and a dirt path.

# Practical use case

image  
sharpening



input

image  
sharpening



input

image  
sharpening



input



blurred

image  
sharpening



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input



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"sharp-stuff"

image  
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sharpening



blurred

+



"sharp-stuff"

image  
sharpening



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+



“sharp-stuff”

image  
sharpening



blurred

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"sharp-stuff"

=



sharpened



input



sharpened

# Predict the filter outputs



RYERSON  
UNIVERSITY

input

$$\begin{matrix} \text{input} & * & \begin{matrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{matrix} & = & ? \end{matrix}$$

RYERSON  
UNIVERSITY

input

$$\begin{matrix} * & \begin{matrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{matrix} & = \end{matrix}$$

RYERSON  
UNIVERSITY

no change

RYERSON  
UNIVERSITY

input

$$\begin{matrix} \text{input} & * & \begin{matrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{matrix} & = & ? \end{matrix}$$



input

$$\begin{matrix} * & \begin{matrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{matrix} & = \end{matrix}$$



shift one pixel  
to the right

RYERSON  
UNIVERSITY

input

$$\text{input} * \frac{1}{9} \begin{matrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{matrix} = ?$$

RYERSON  
UNIVERSITY

input

$$\ast \frac{1}{9} \begin{array}{|ccc|} \hline 1 & 1 & 1 \\ \hline 1 & 1 & 1 \\ \hline 1 & 1 & 1 \\ \hline \end{array} =$$

RYERSON  
UNIVERSITY

blurred

# Rapid Object Detection using a Boosted Cascade of Simple Features

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# Integral Image

## Abstract

*This paper describes a machine learning approach for visual object detection which is capable of processing images extremely rapidly and achieving high detection rates. This work is distinguished by three key contributions. The first is the introduction of a new image representation called the*

tected at 15 frames per second on a conventional 700 MHz Intel Pentium III. In other face detection systems, auxiliary information, such as image differences in video sequences, or pixel color in color images, have been used to achieve high frame rates. Our system achieves high frame rates working only with the information present in a single grey scale image. These alternative sources of information can

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224	144	230	80	108	76	140	114	44	144
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152	194	90	30	202	22	200	226	130	50
164	112	40	52	200	0	8	44	252	102
186	34	150	212	102	236	48	72	228	54
124	244	98	44	18	248	26	14	212	164
118	200	196	28	94	34	32	52	104	160
52	34	18	90	202	52	110	218	252	74

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How can we compute the sum within the box?

118	200	196	28	94	34	32	52	104	160
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A large grid of 60 empty black squares arranged in a 6x10 pattern on a white background. In the top right corner, there is a yellow sticky note with handwritten text that reads "S" and "Area".

# Summed Area Table

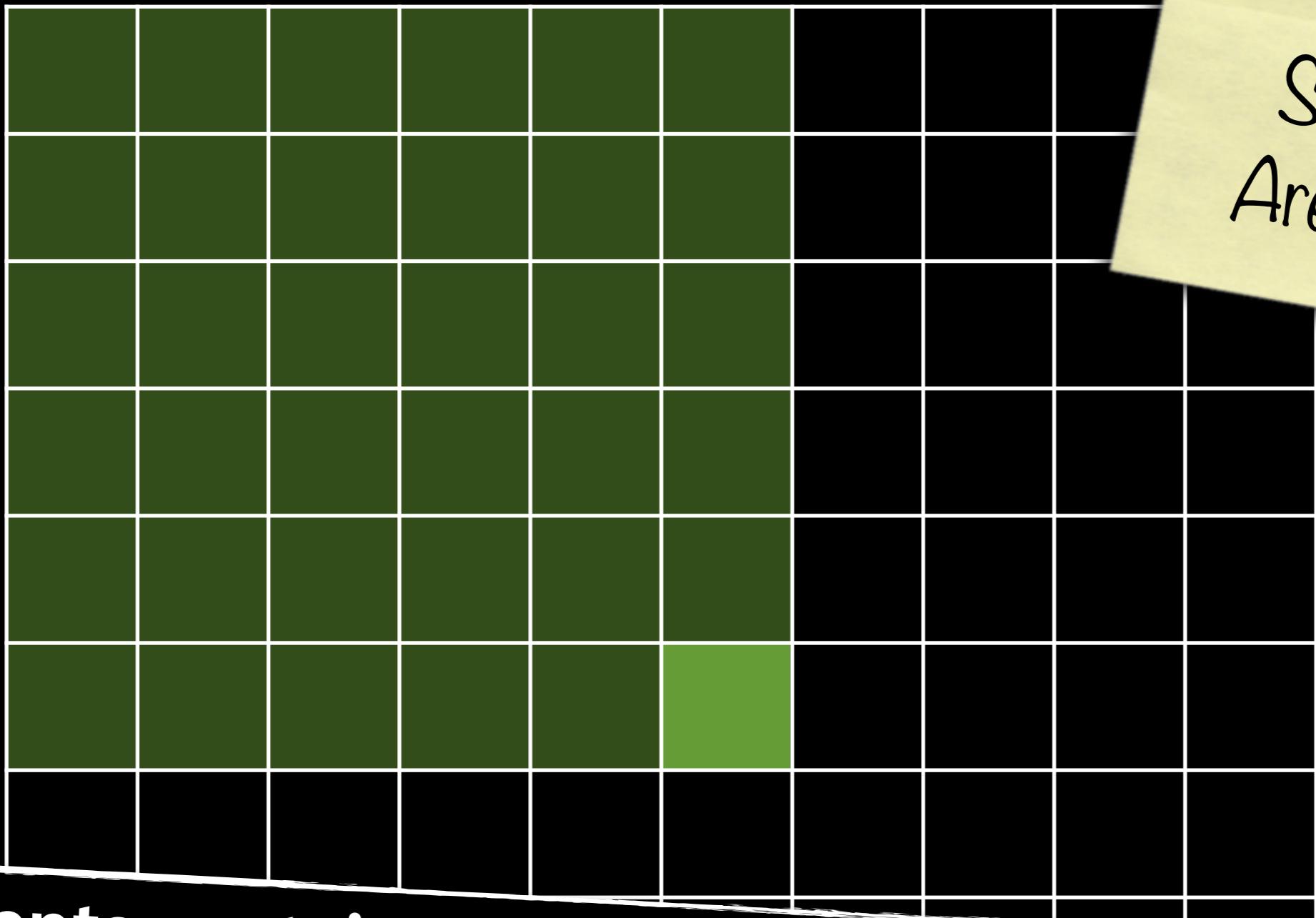
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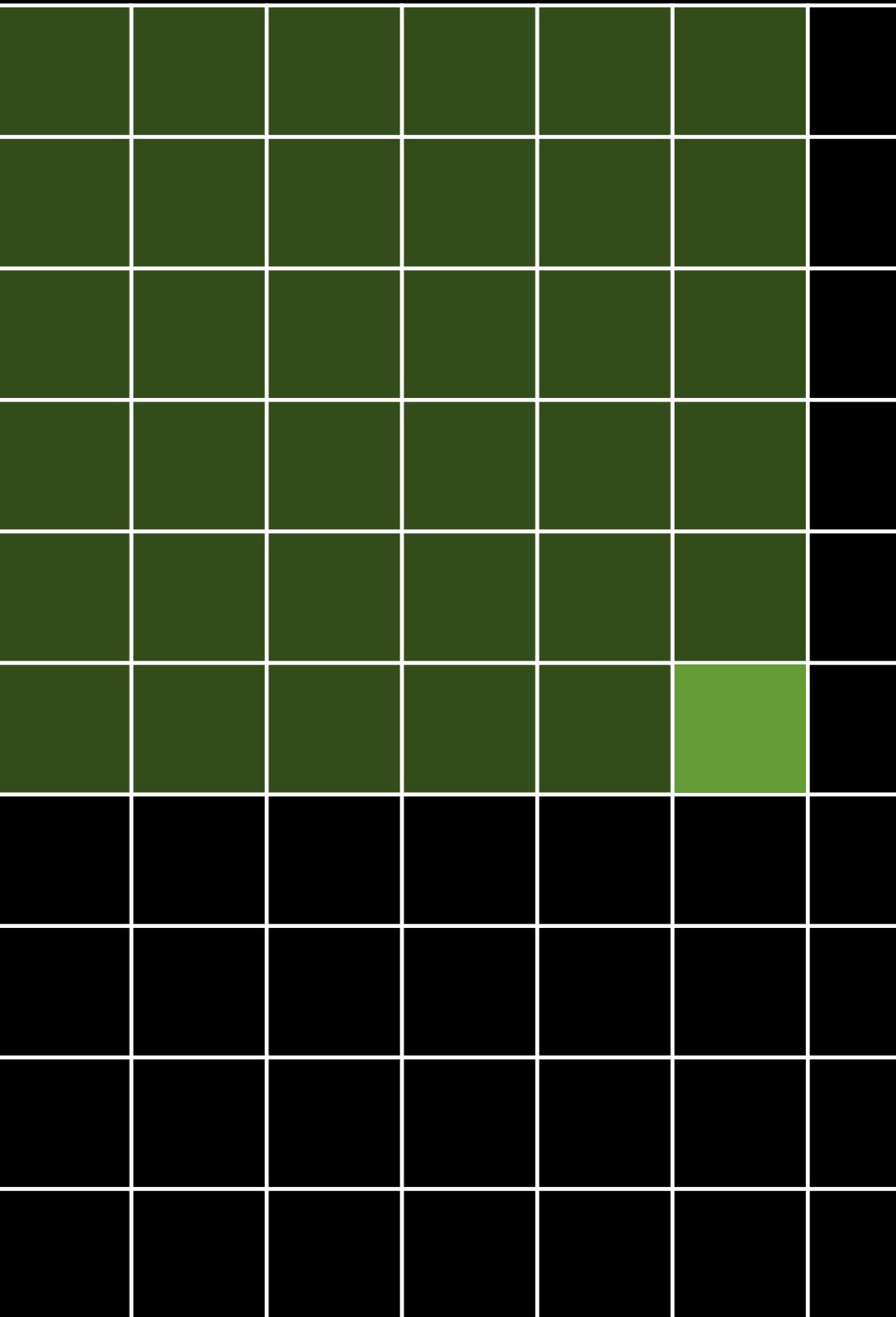

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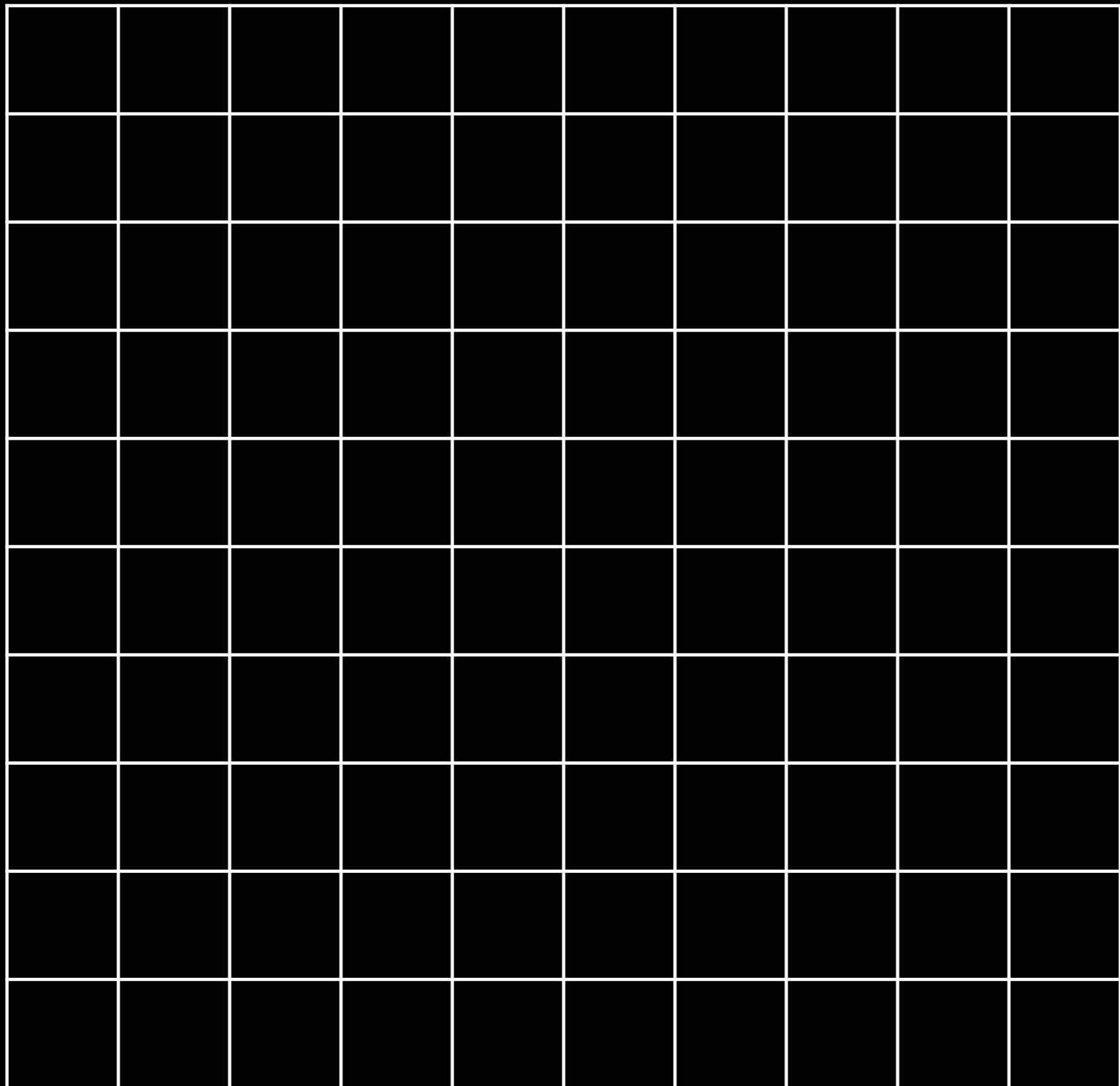
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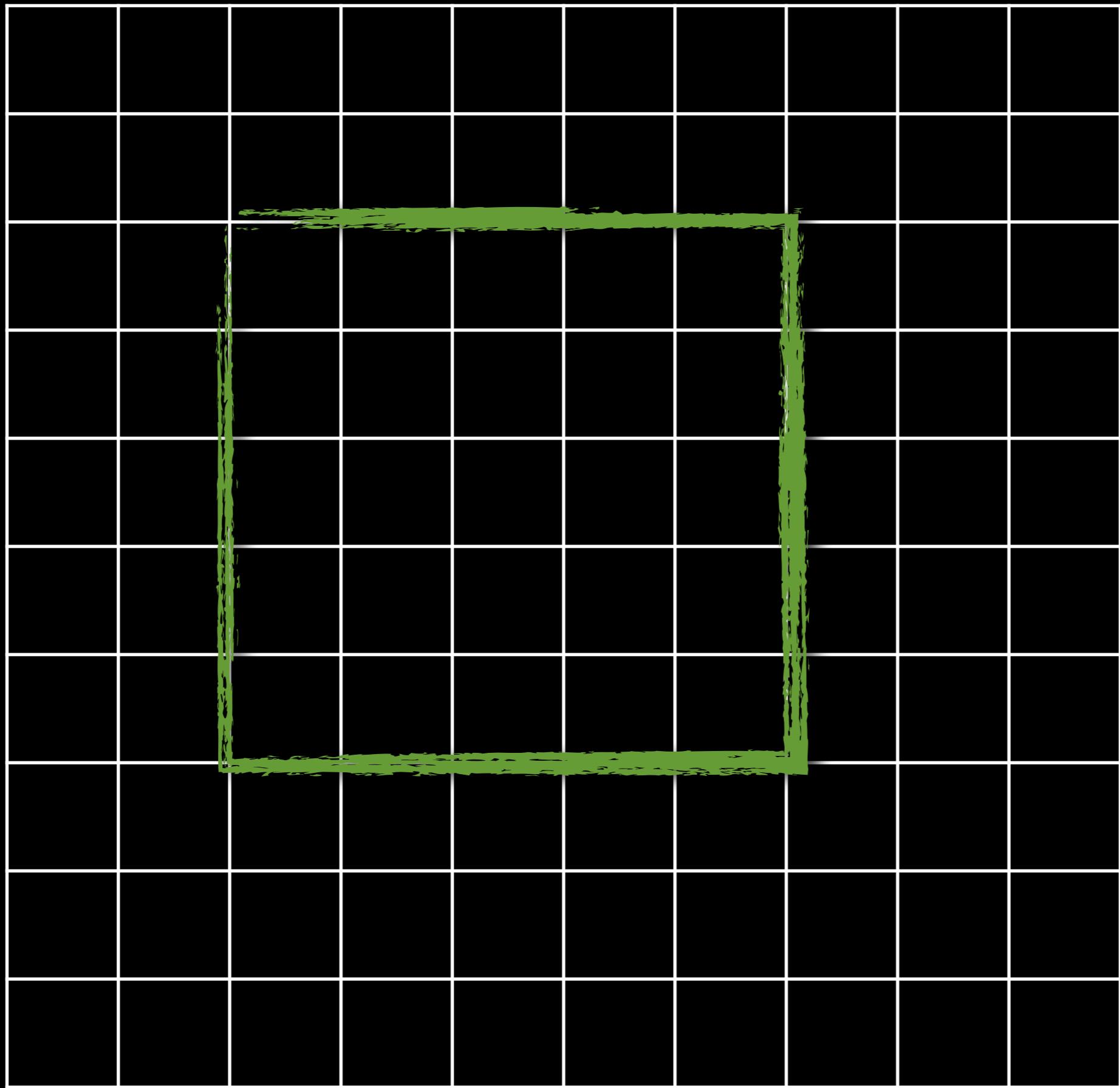


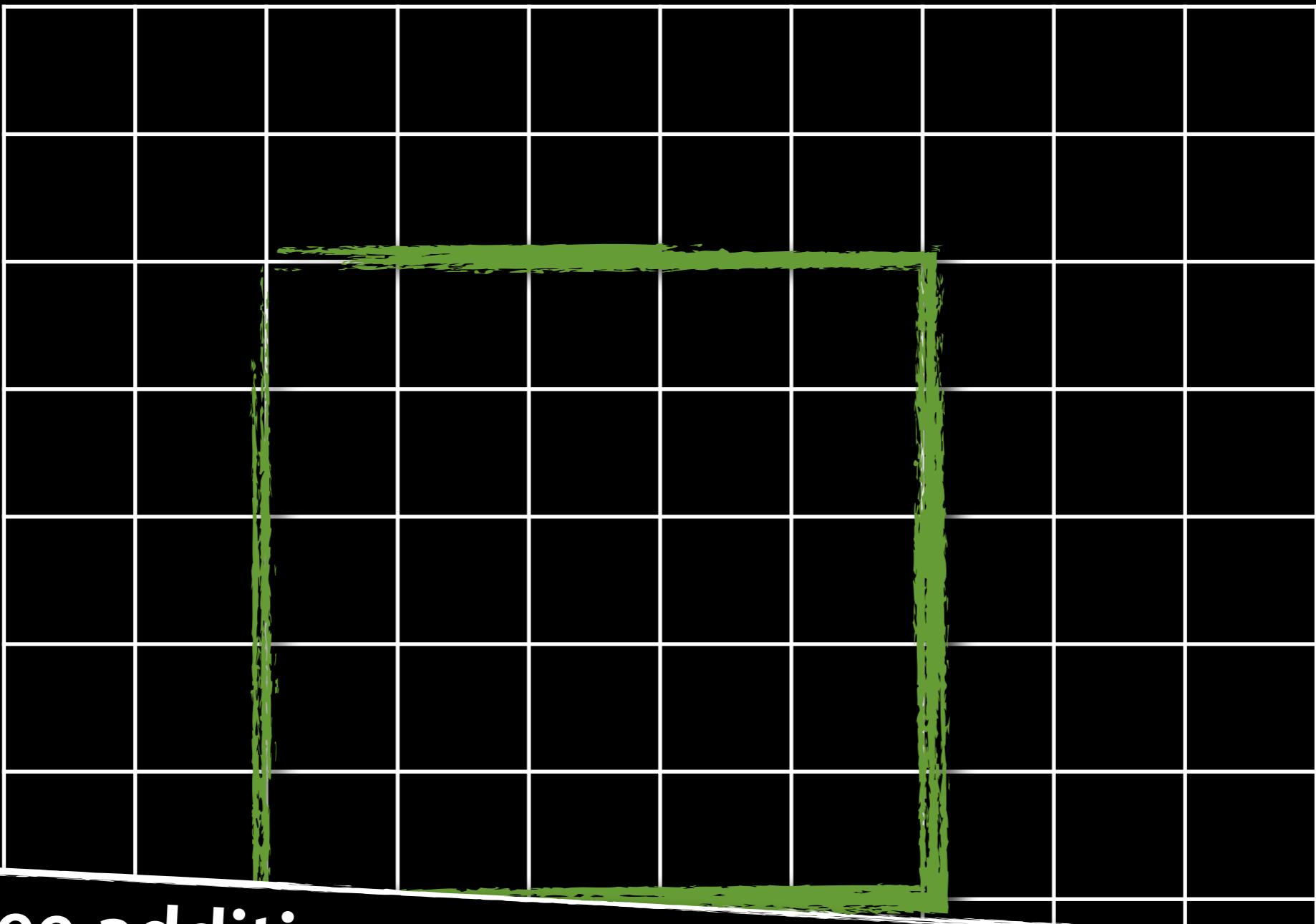
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$$\begin{aligned}I_{\text{S.A.T}}[x, y] &= \\& I[x, y] + \\& I_{\text{S.A.T.}}[x - 1, y] + \\& I_{\text{S.A.T.}}[x, y - 1] - \\& I_{\text{S.A.T.}}[x - 1, y - 1]\end{aligned}$$



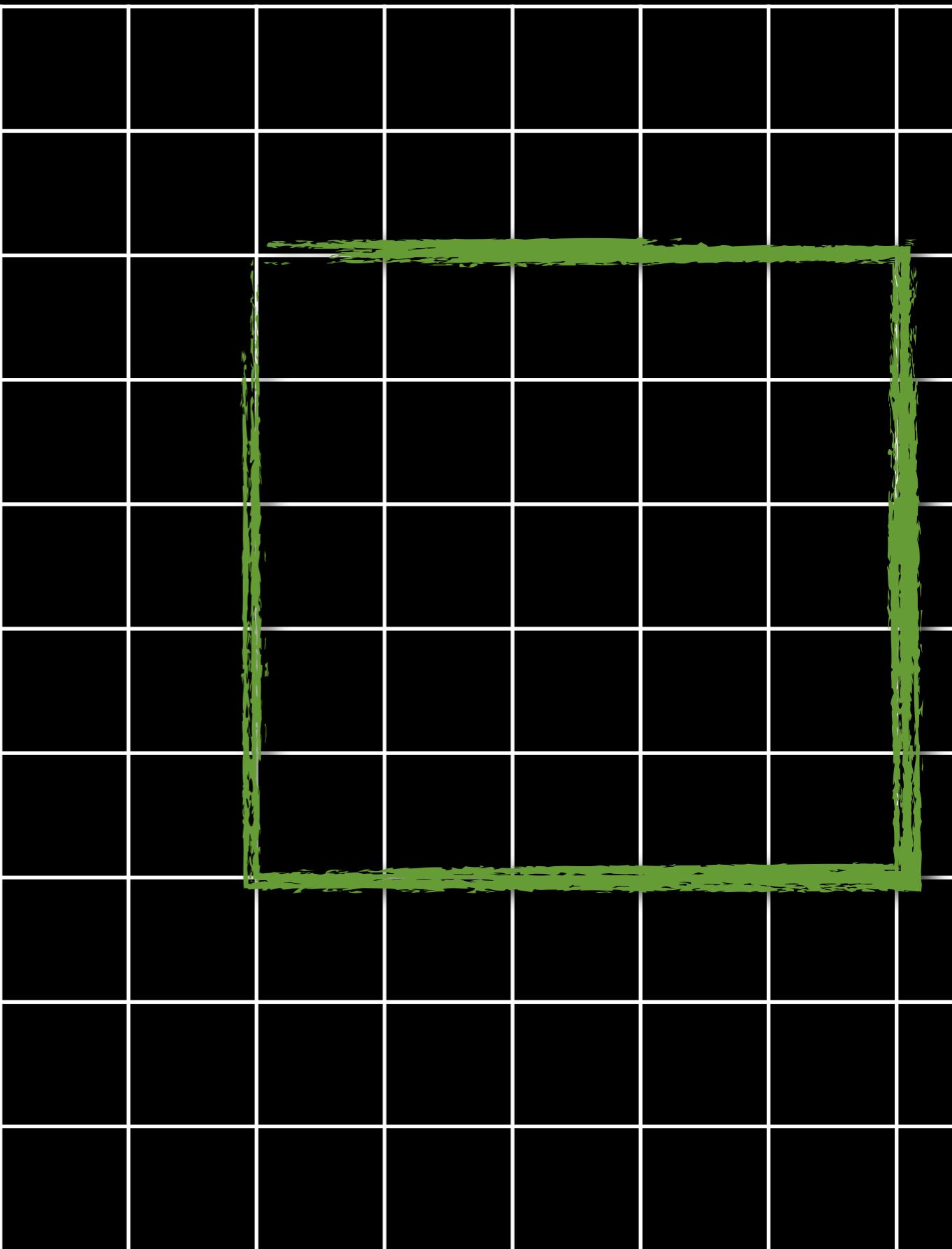




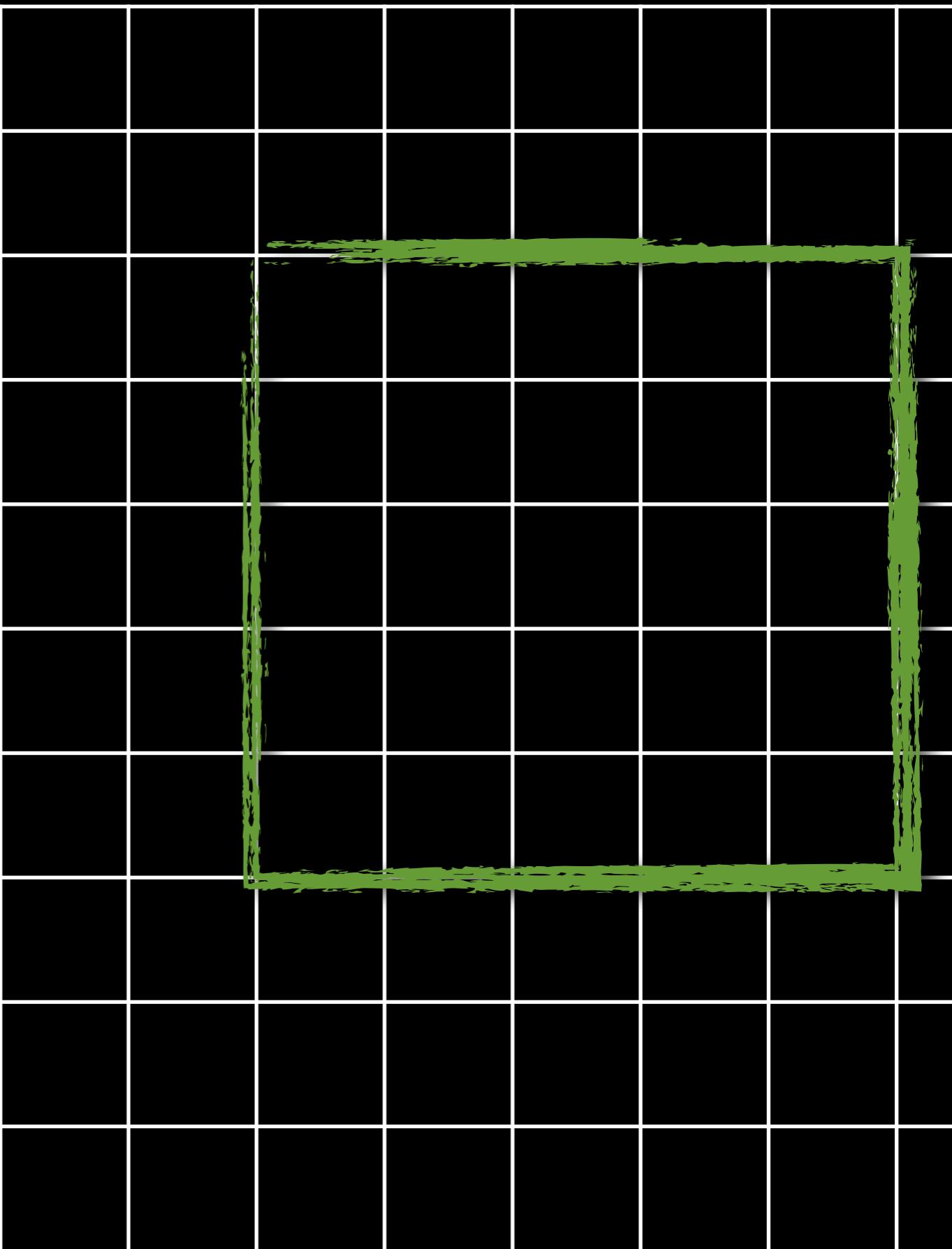


**only three additions are required to compute box sum**

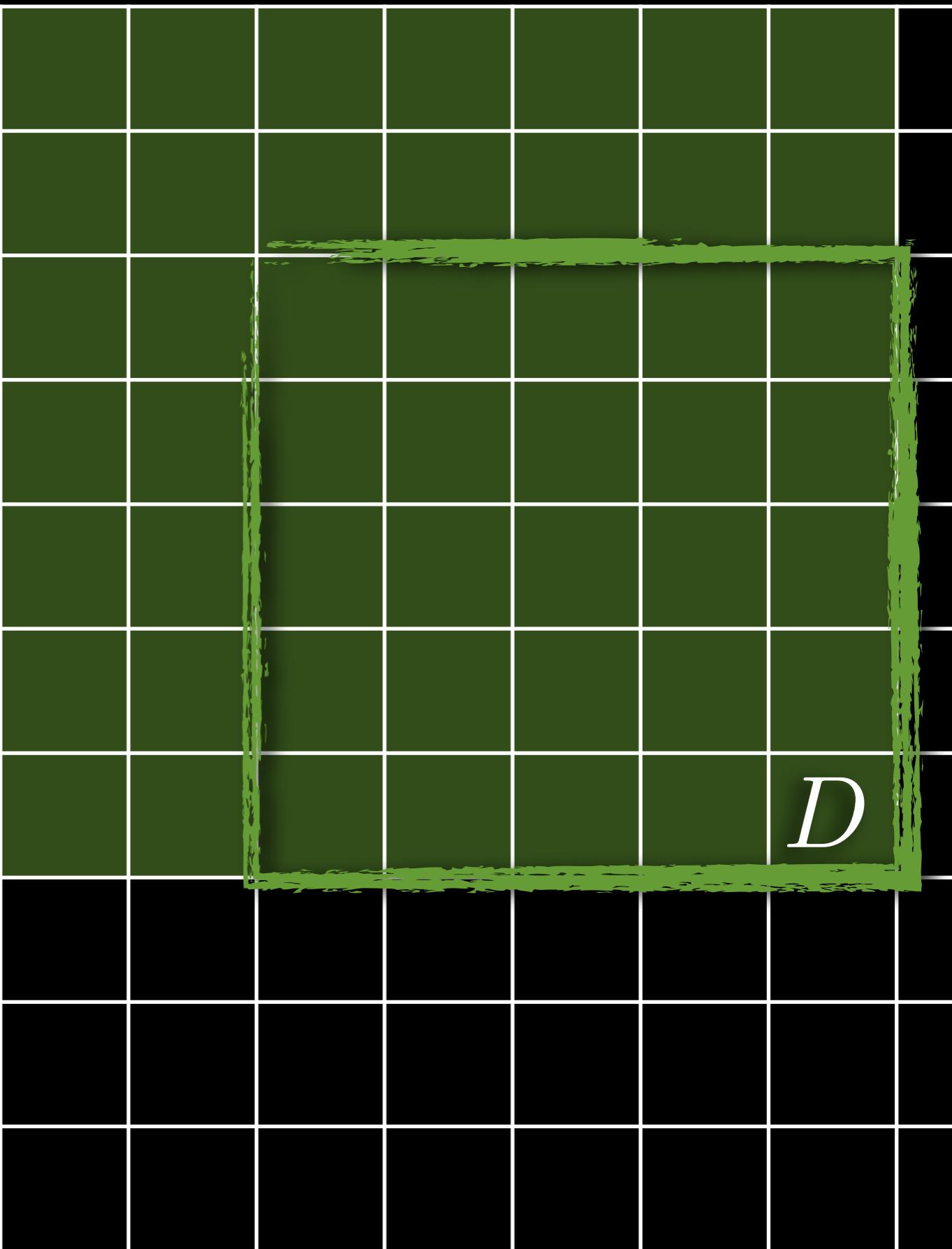
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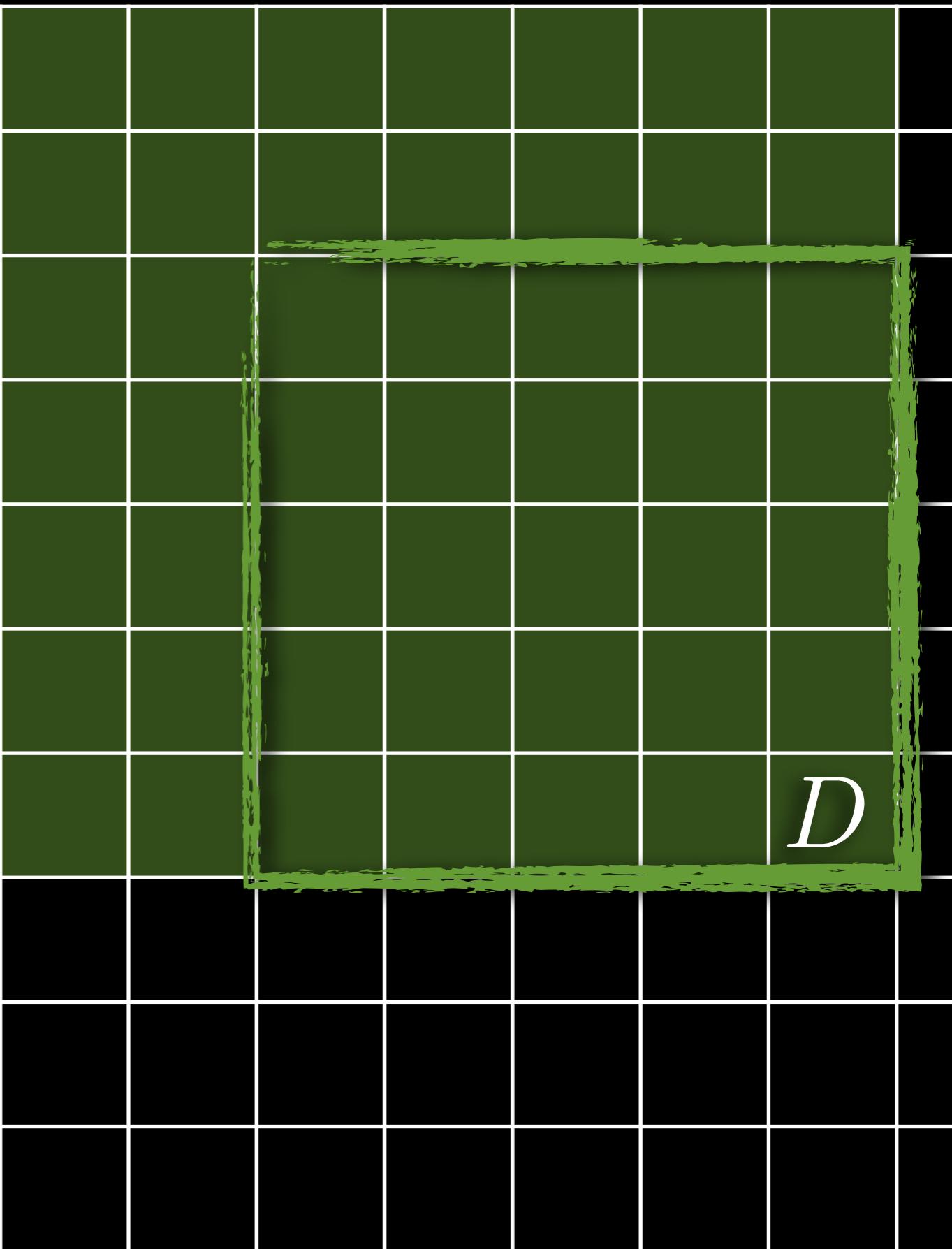
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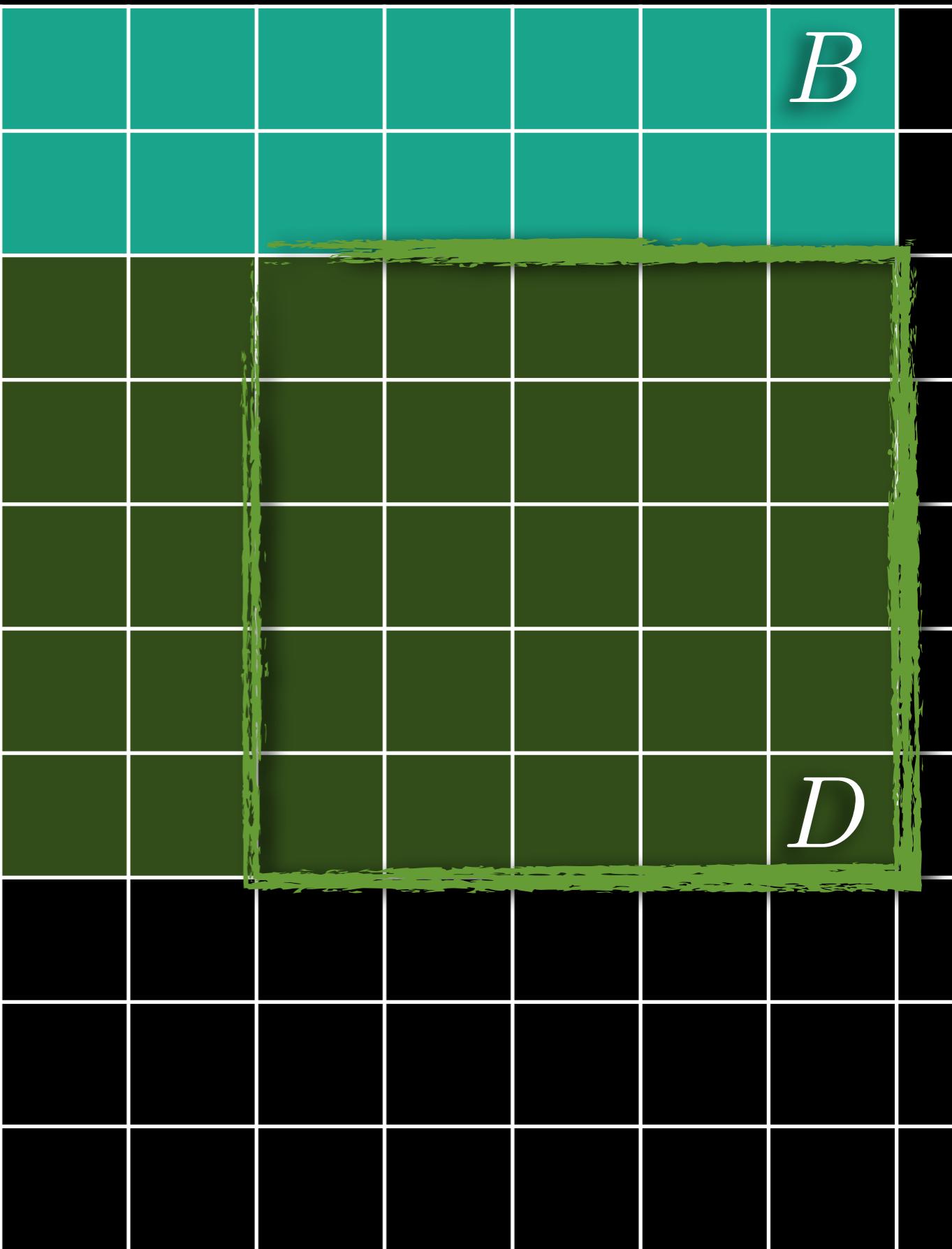
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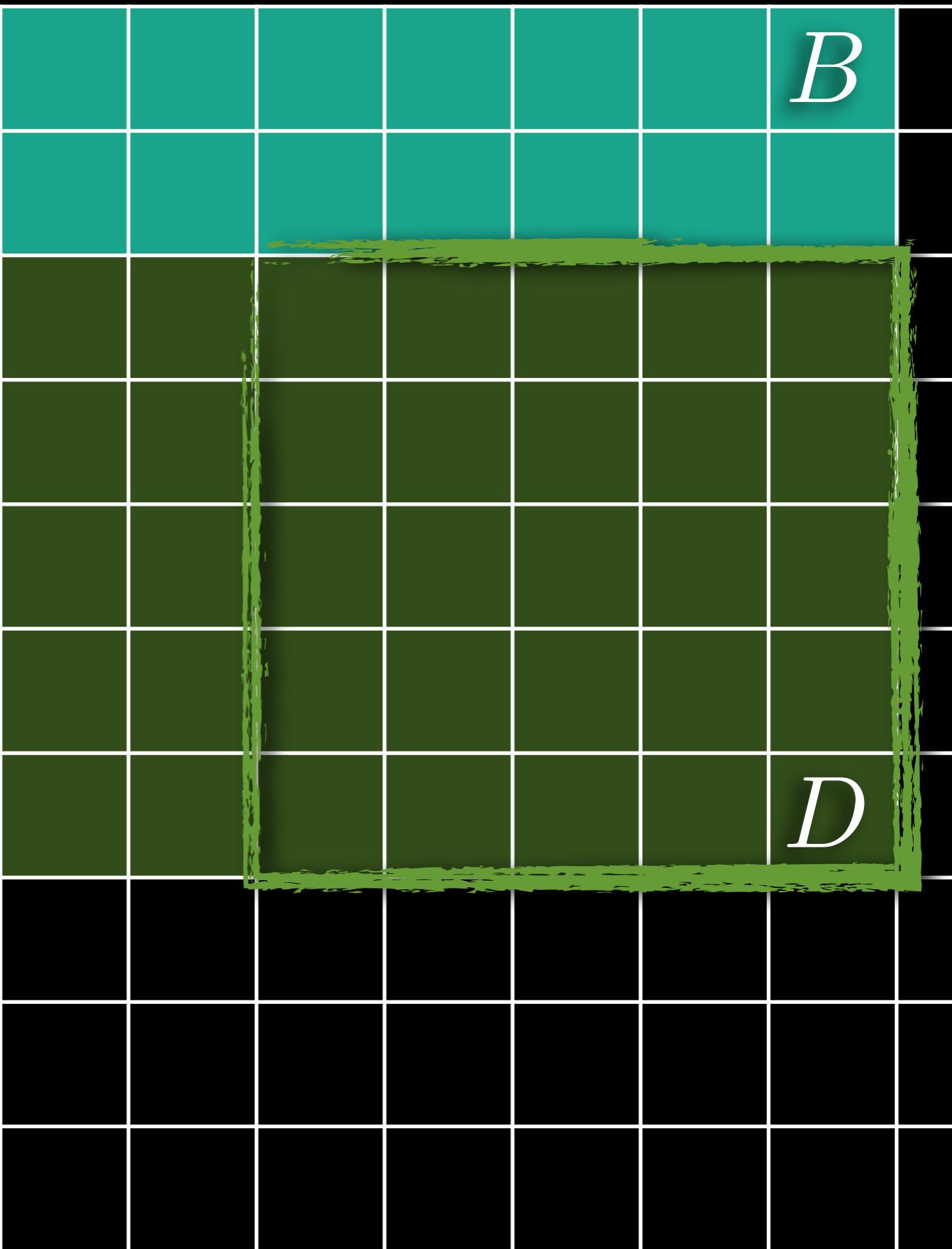
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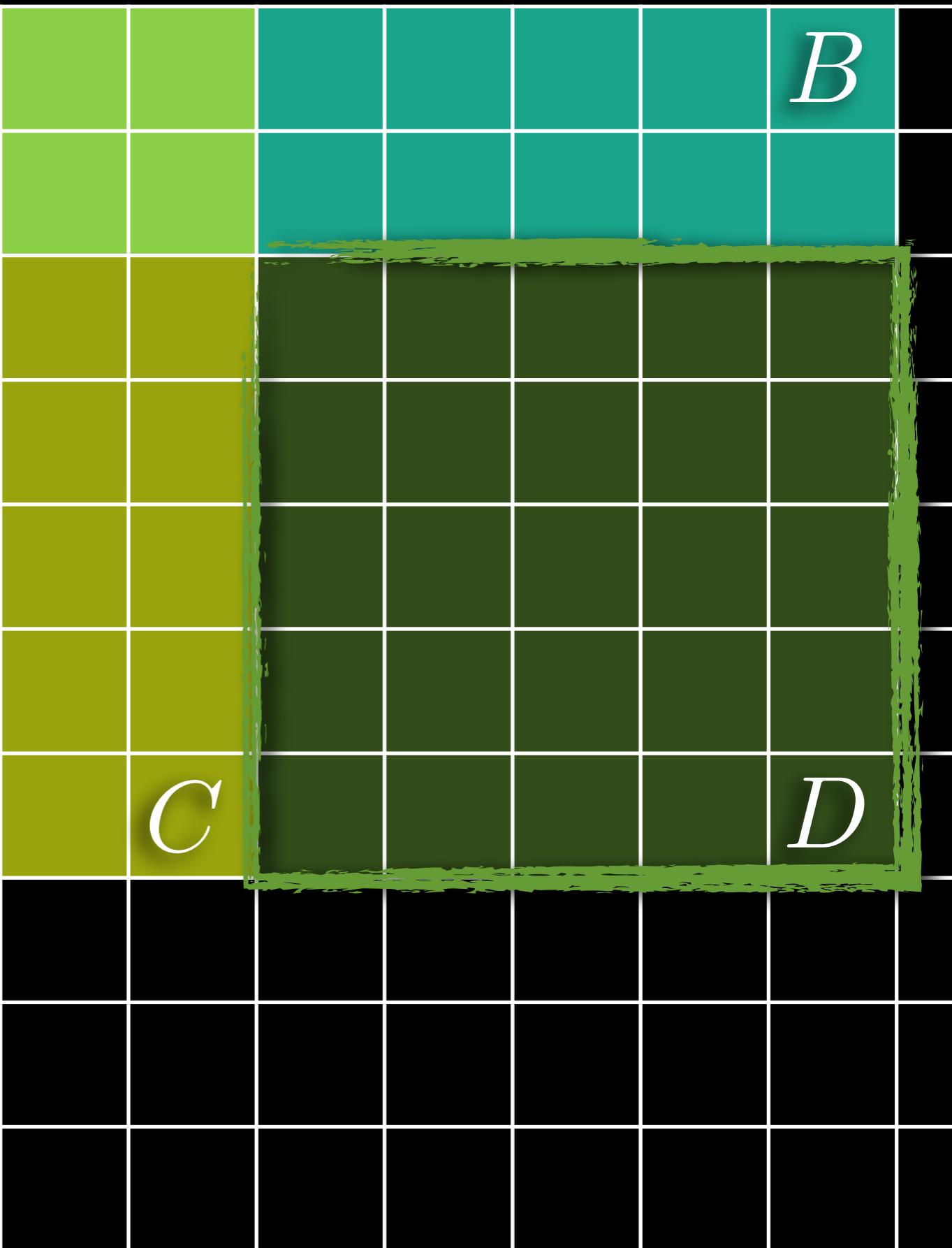
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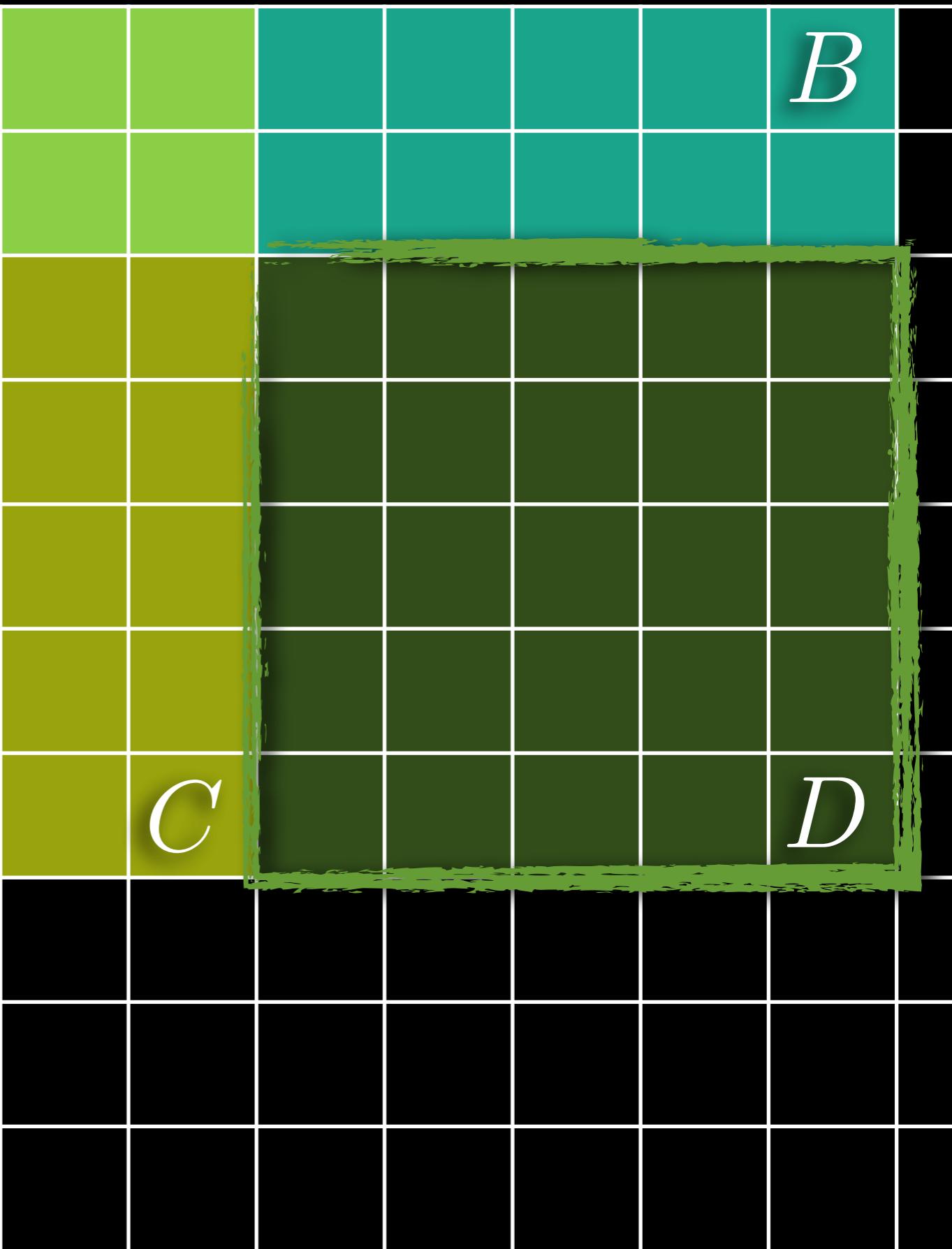
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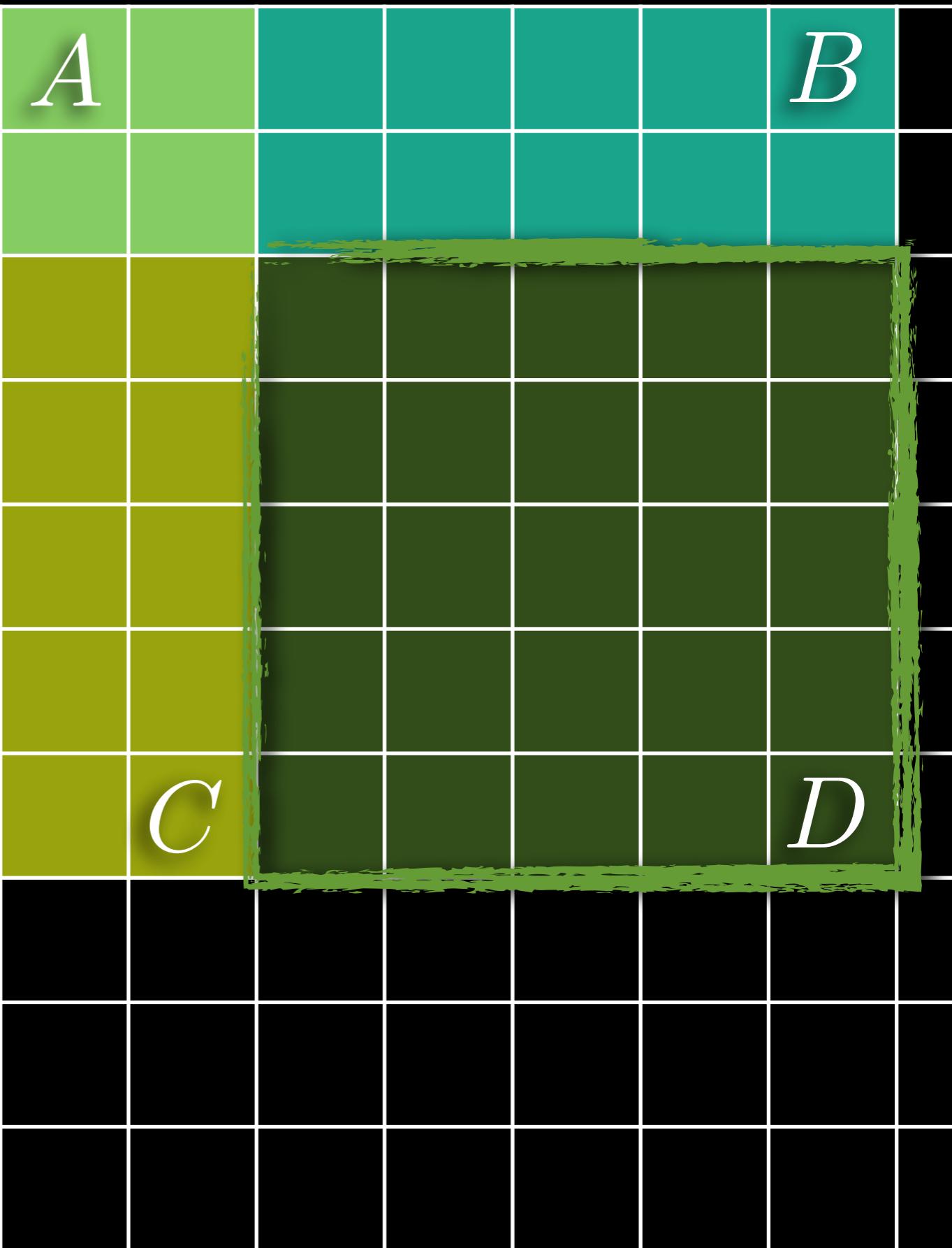
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$$D - B - C + A$$



Intro to

# Computer Vision



## Edge detection

# LECTURE TOPICS

Template matching

Review

**Correlation**  $H = G \otimes F$

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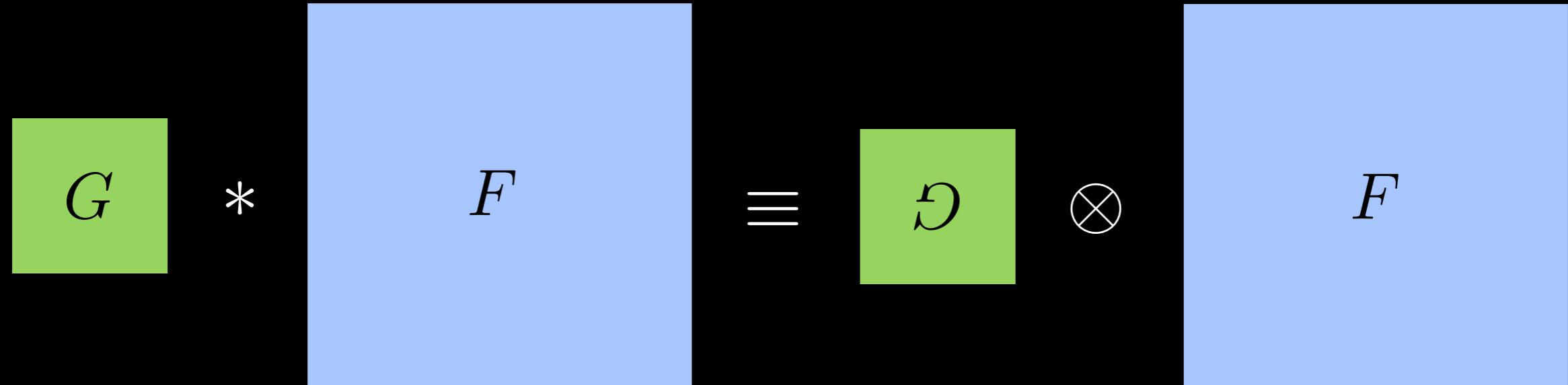
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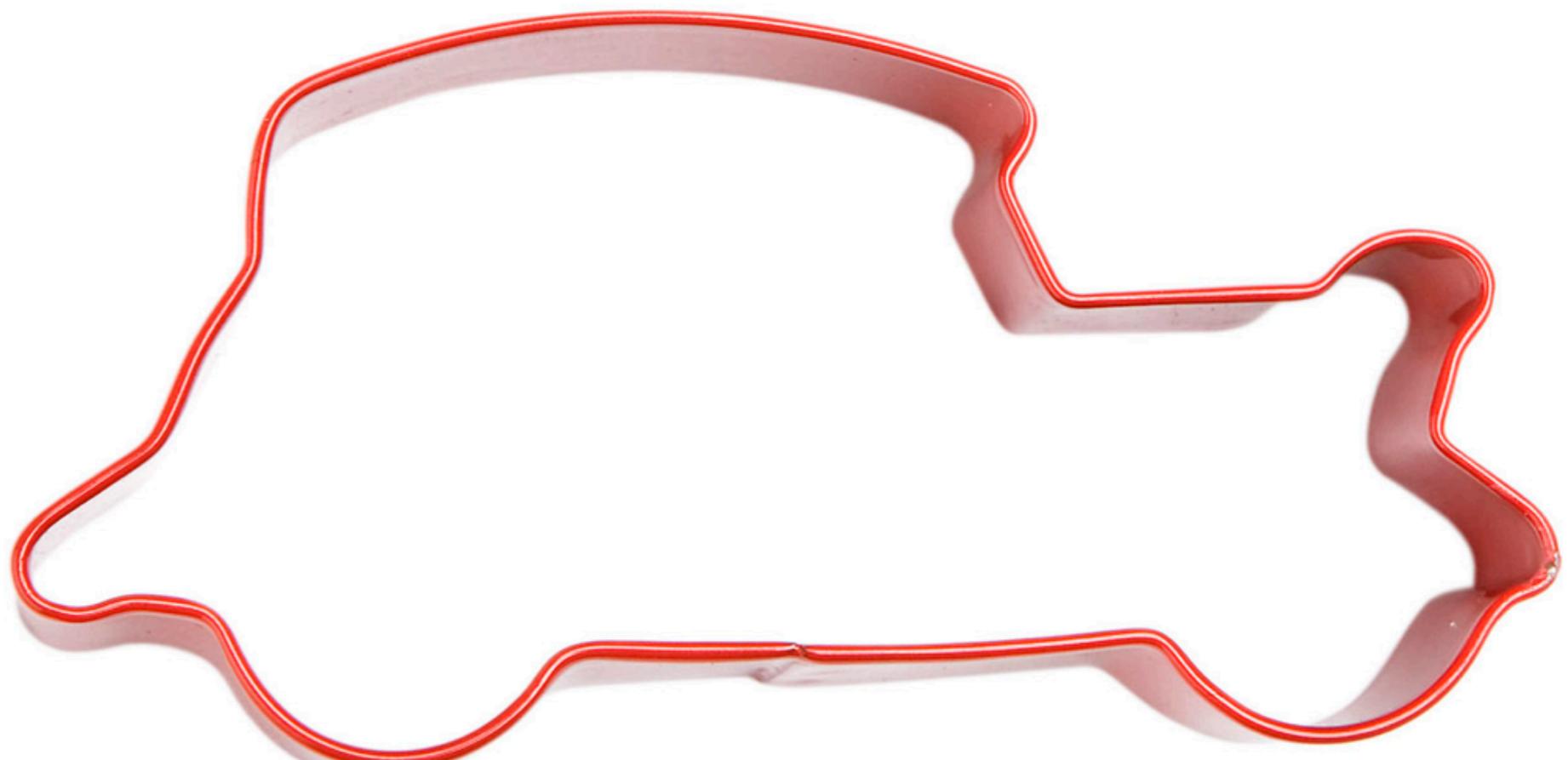
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# Template matching



R

template

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R y e r s o n

input image

**R**   
template

R y e r s o n

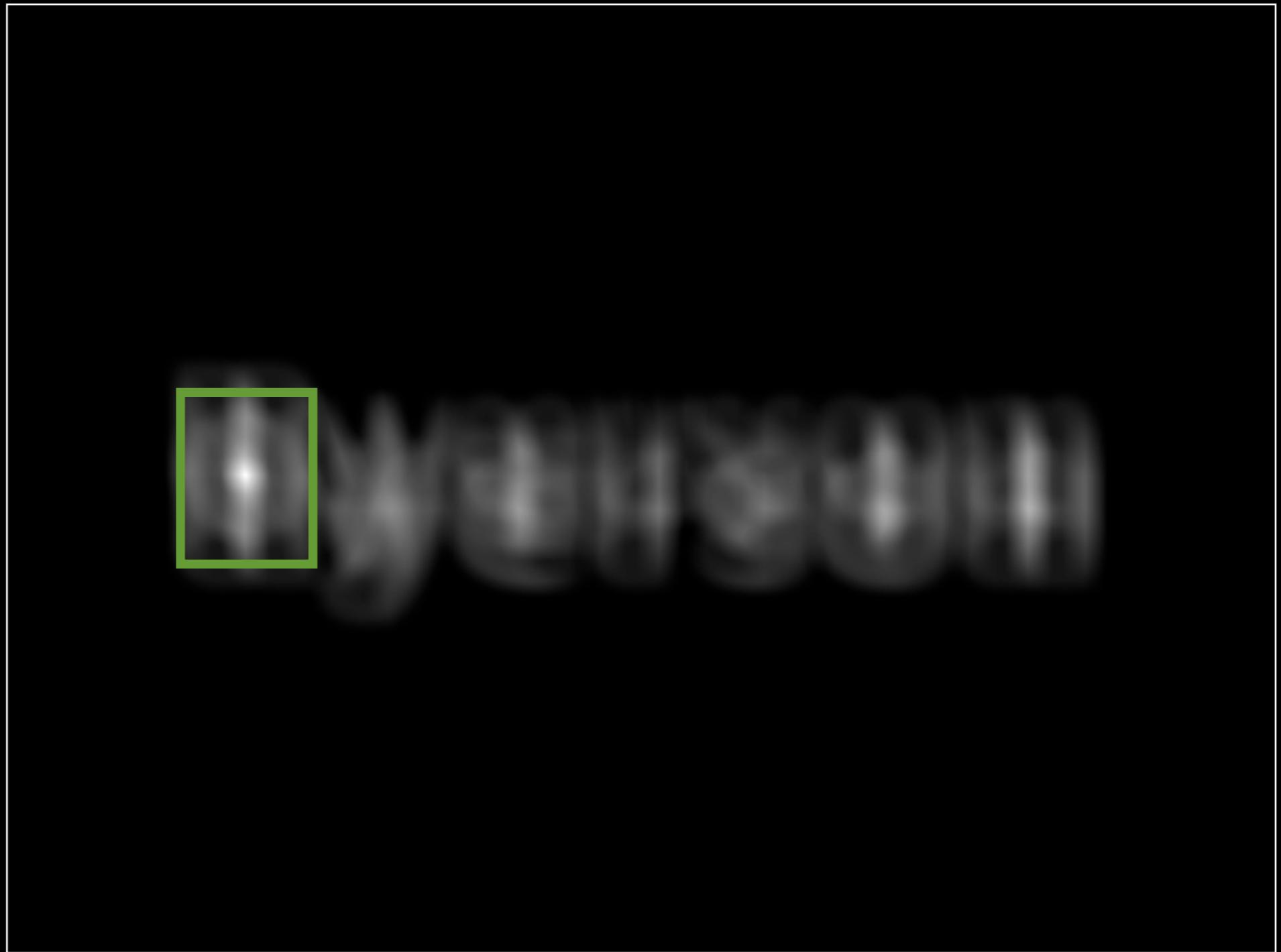
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**correlation map**

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correlation map

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R y e r s o n

detected template

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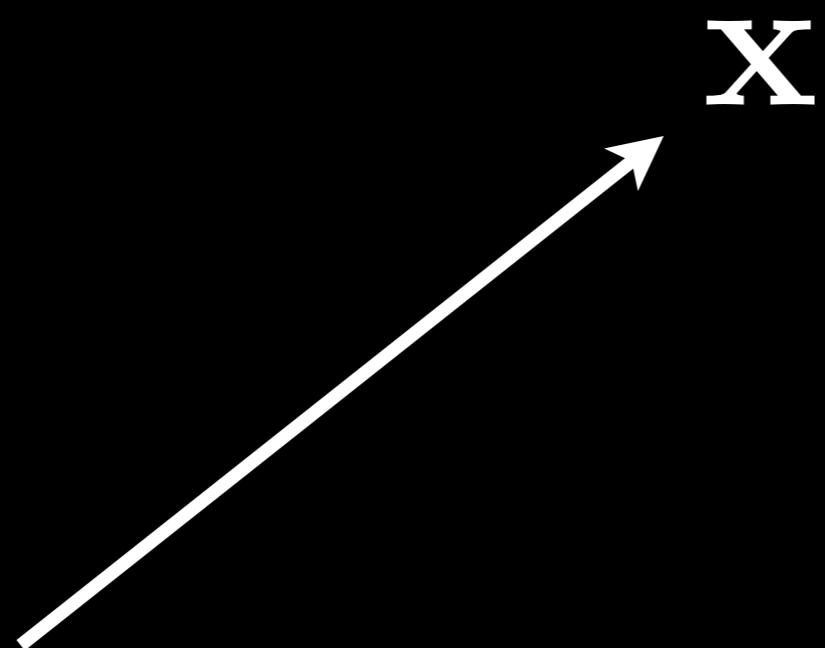
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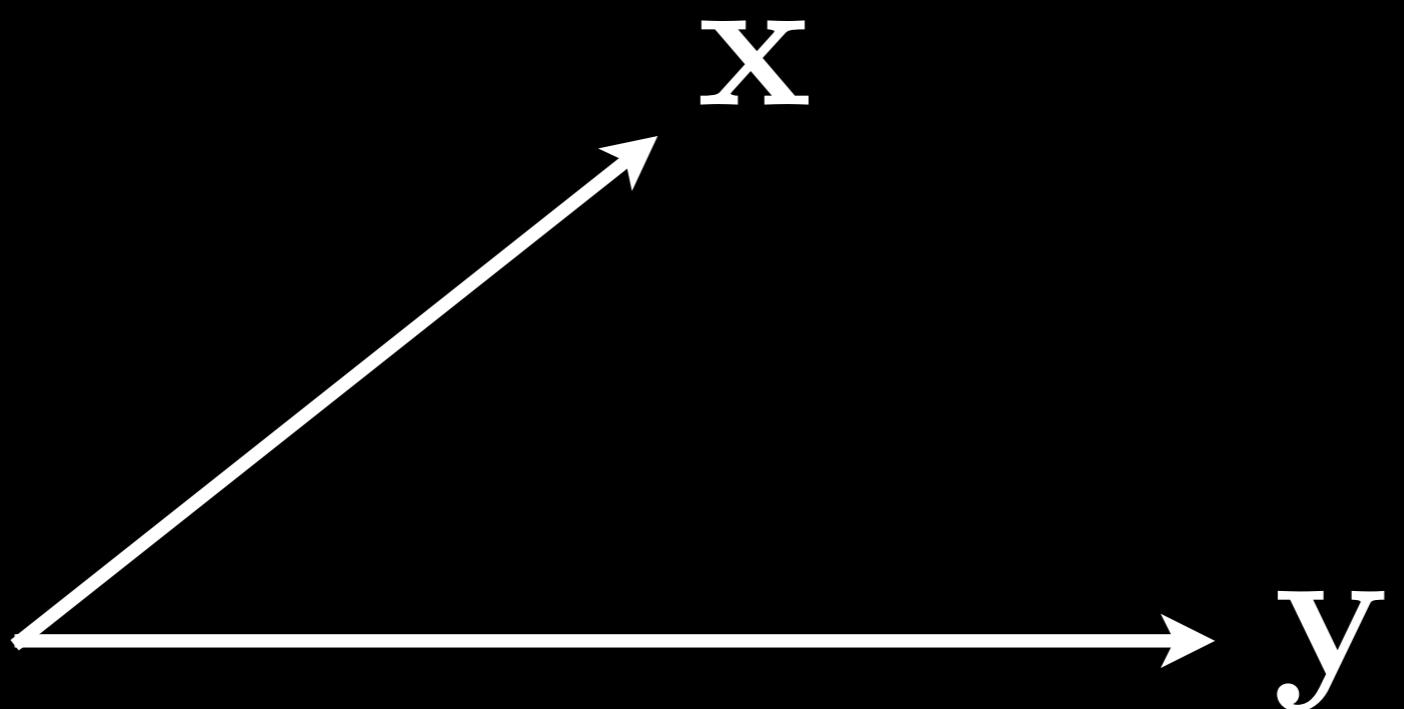
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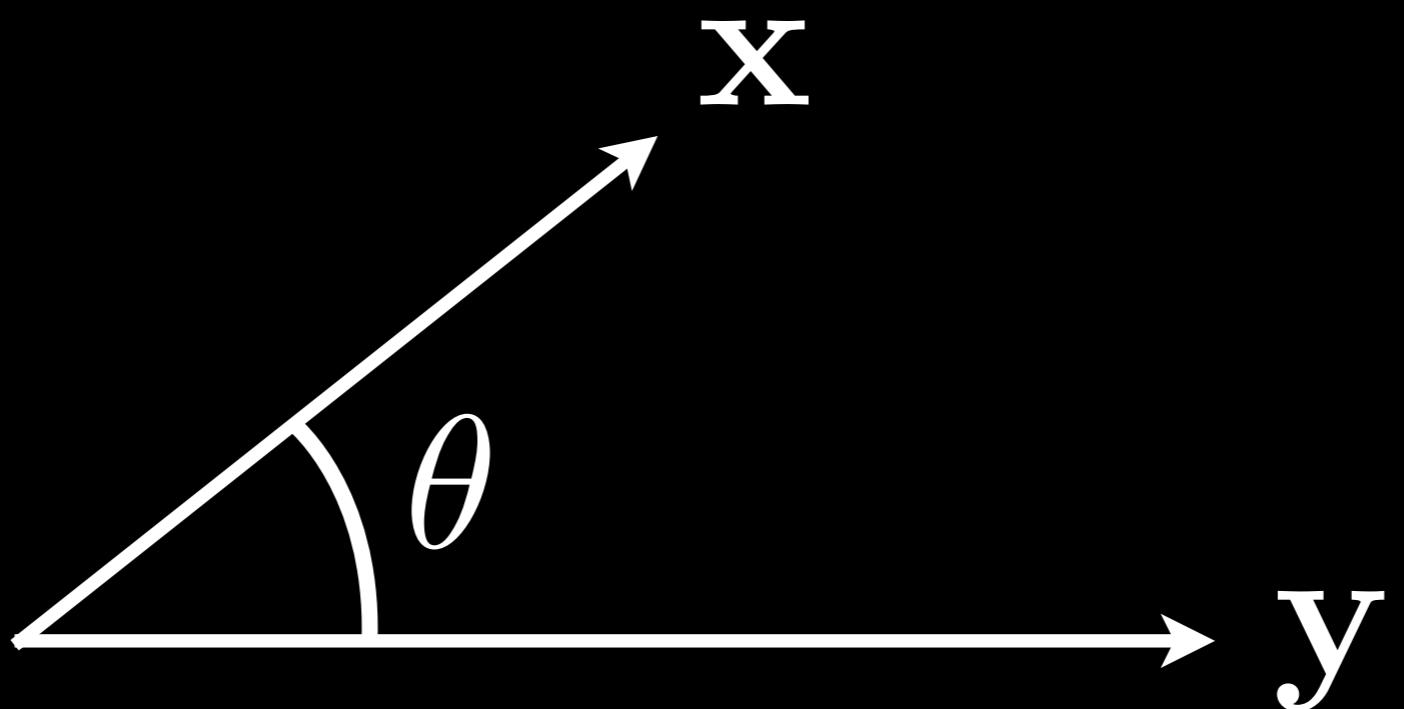
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# Template matching intuition

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input image

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subimage  
R y **e** r s o n

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**R**  $\otimes$   
template

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R y**e**rson

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correlation score

**R**  $\otimes$   
template

subimage

R y**e**rson

input image

**correlation score** =  $t \cdot s$

**R**  $\otimes$   
template

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R y**e**rson

input image

correlation score =  $t \cdot s$

scalar product between vectors

**R**  $\otimes$   
template

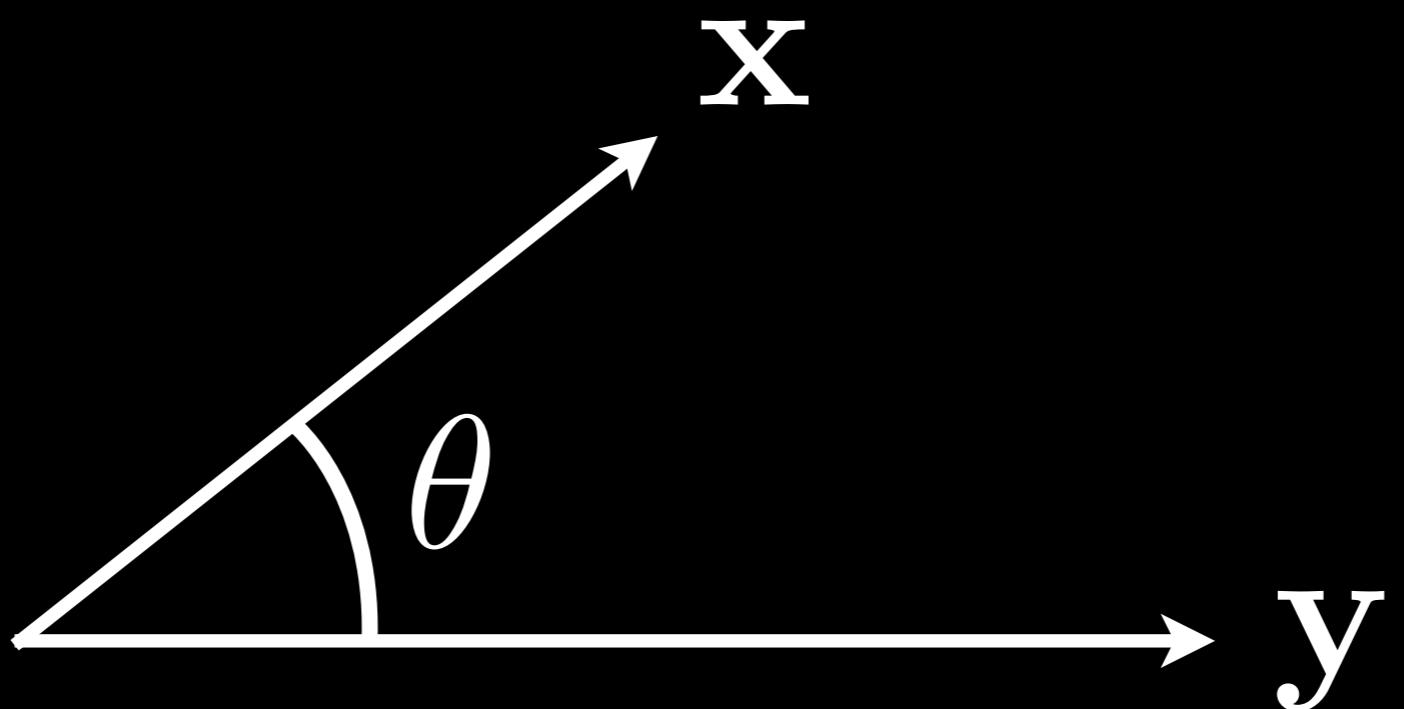
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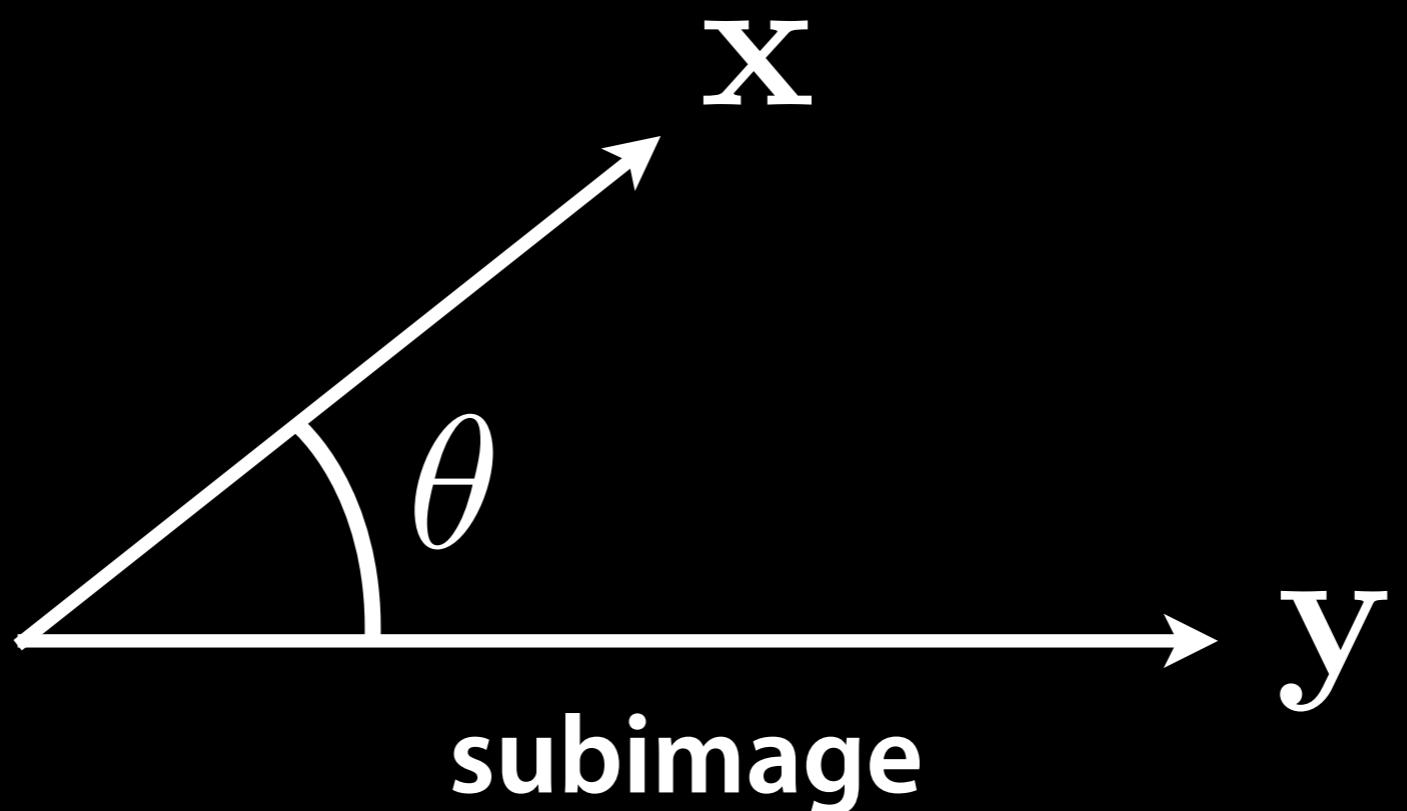
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**correlation score** =  $t \cdot s = \|t\| \|s\| \cos \theta$

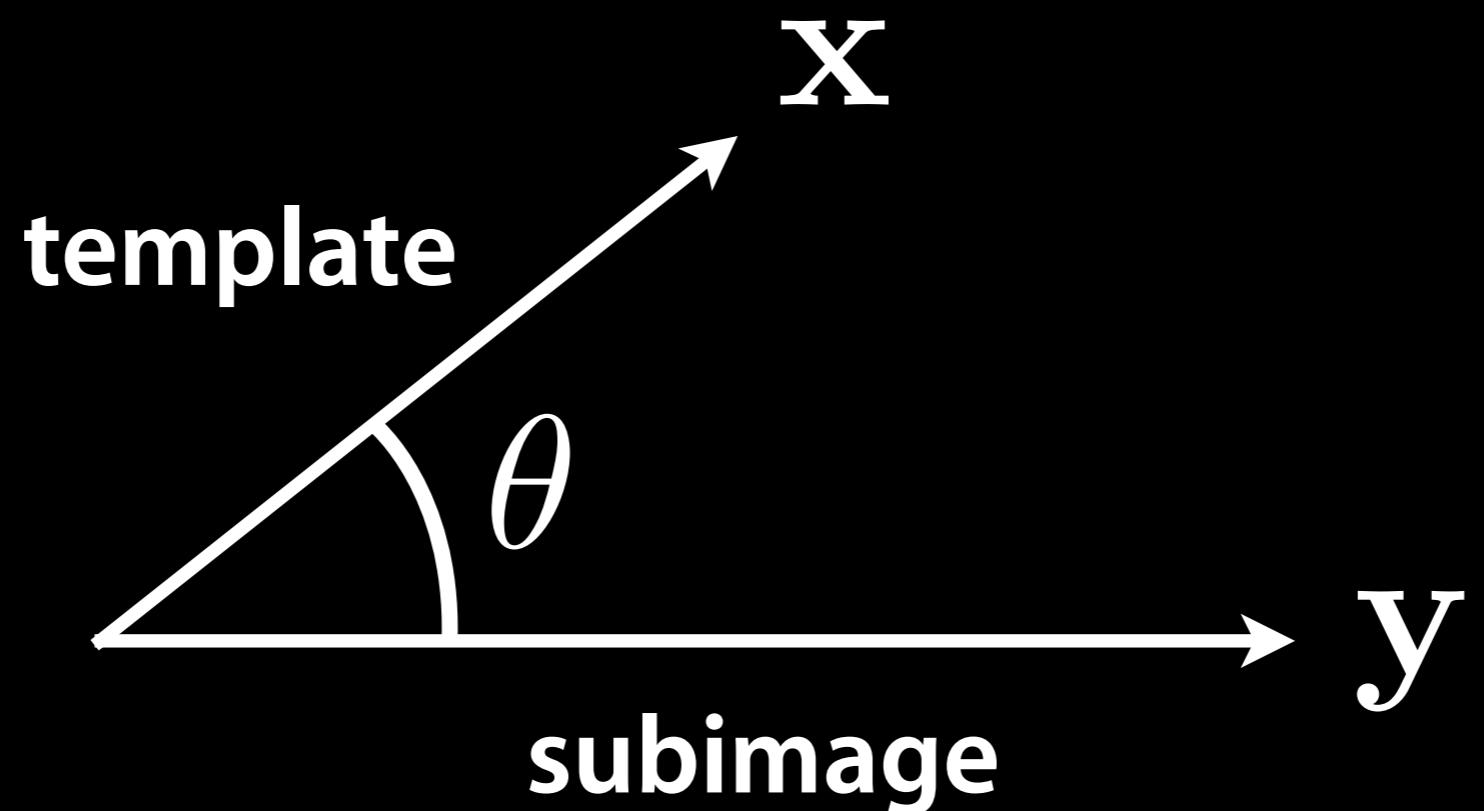
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**R**  $\otimes$   
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$$\text{correlation score} = \mathbf{t} \cdot \mathbf{s} = \|\mathbf{t}\| \|\mathbf{s}\| \cos \theta$$

score is sensitive to multiplicative brightness scaling

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R y**e**rson

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How can we make it **invariant** to brightness scaling?

**R**  $\otimes$   
template

subimage

R y**e**rson

input image

**correlation score** =  $t \cdot s = \|t\| \|s\| \cos \theta$

**normalized score** =  $\frac{t}{\|t\|} \cdot \frac{s}{\|s\|} = \cos \theta$

**R**  $\otimes$   
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Ry**e**rson

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template

Ry<sup>er</sup>son

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How can we make it **invariant** to  
multiplicative and additive brightness change?

**R**  $\otimes$   
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average brightness

**R**  $\otimes$   
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# Where's Waldo?





Normalized Cross-Correlation sliding window matching



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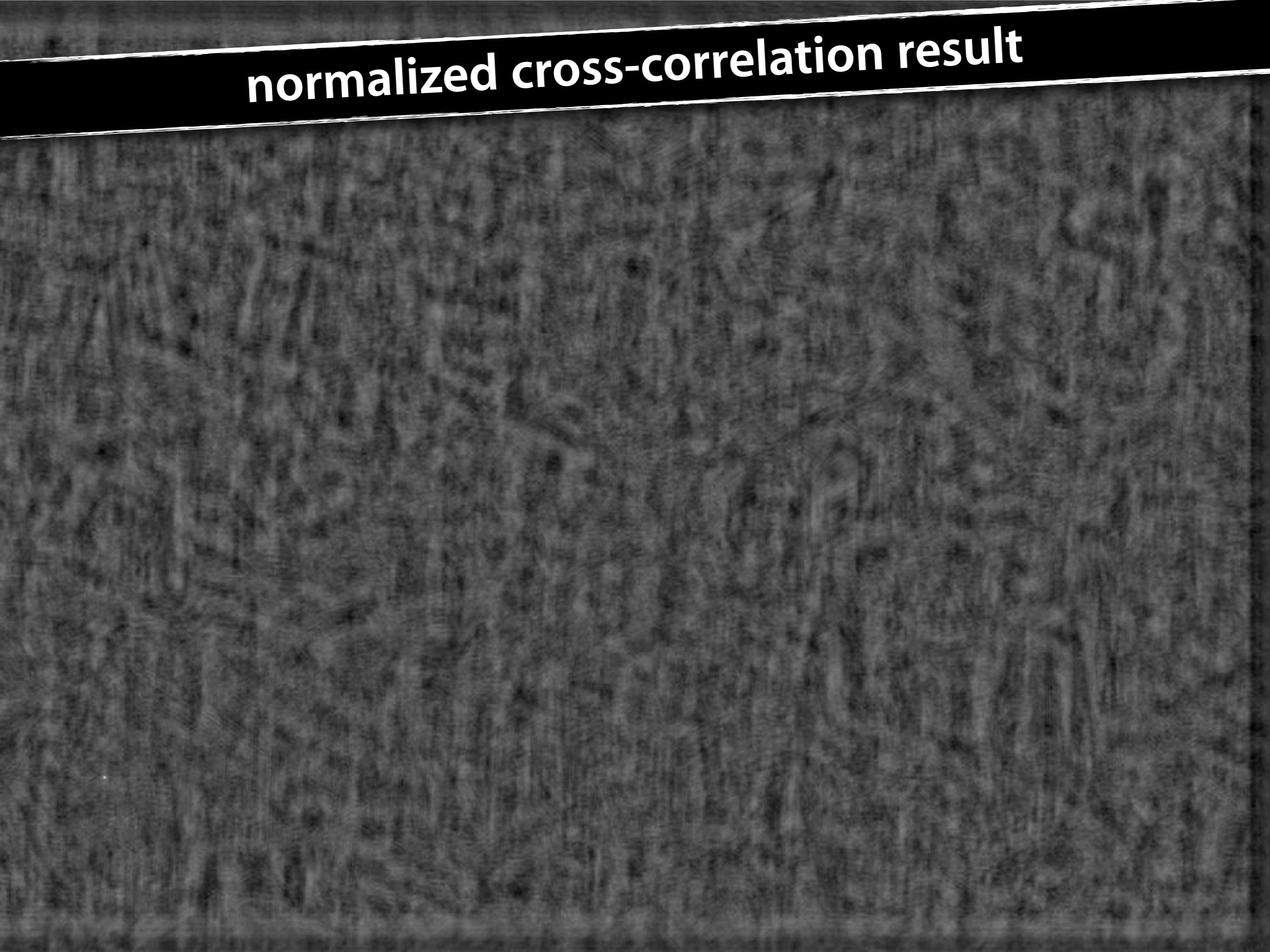


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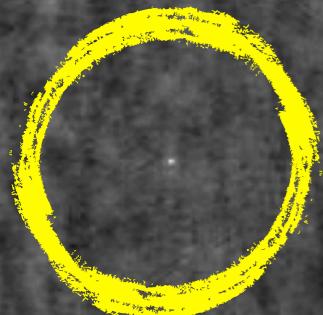


Normalized Cross-Correlation sliding window matching

# normalized cross-correlation result



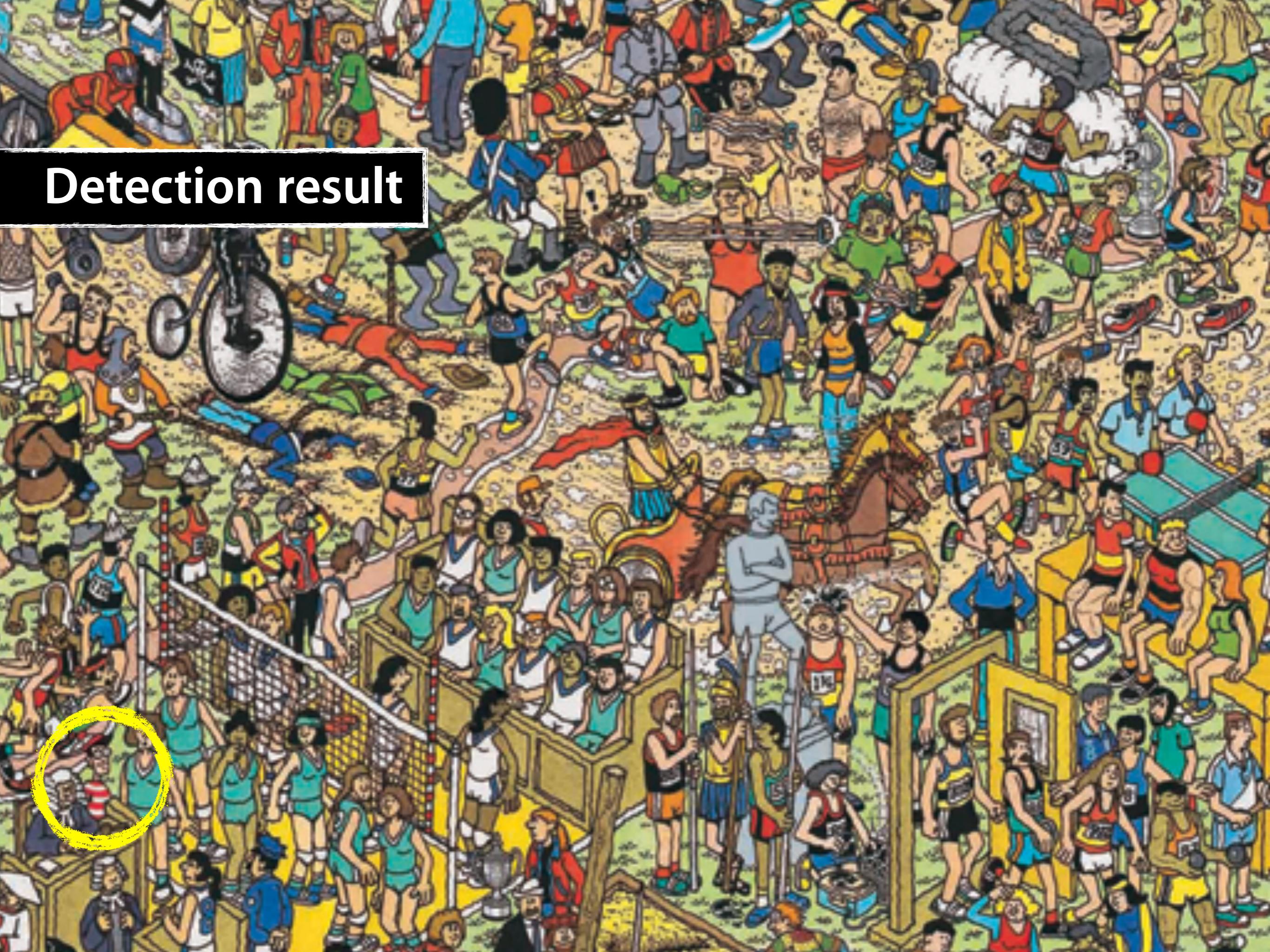
# normalized cross-correlation result



# Detection result



# Detection result





# WHERE'S WALDO?

SOCIAL DISTANCING EDITION



APOLOGIES TO WALDO

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What if the template and image are not identical?



Varying instances



Varying instances



Varying **SCALES**



Highly articulated

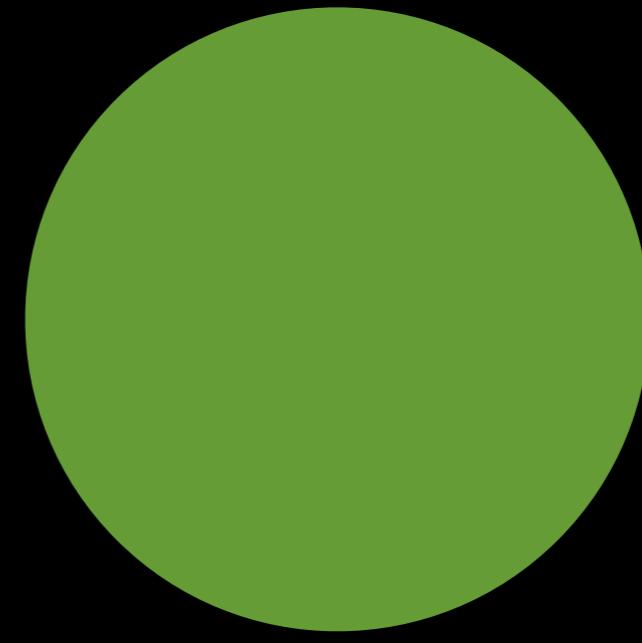
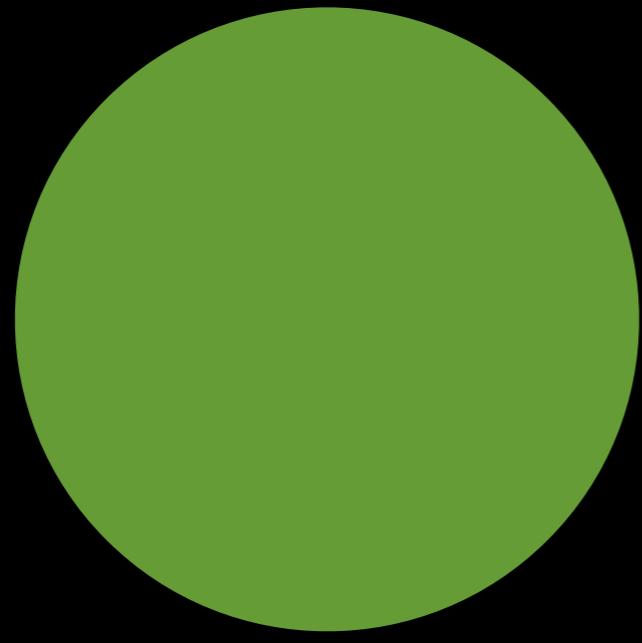
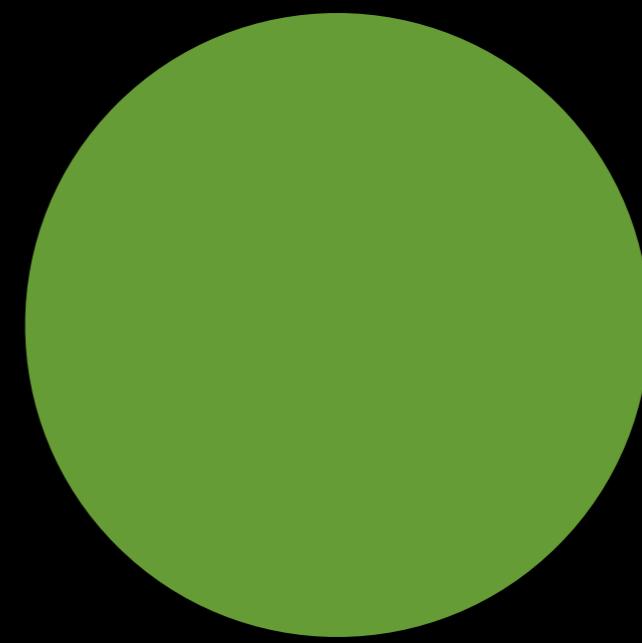
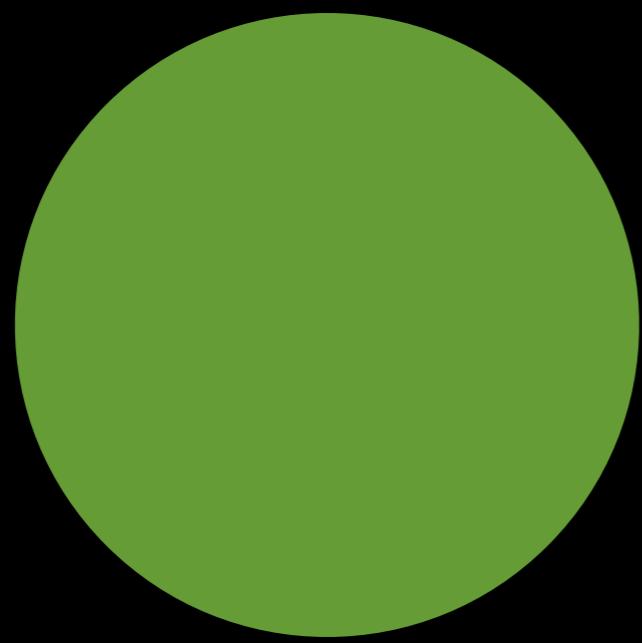


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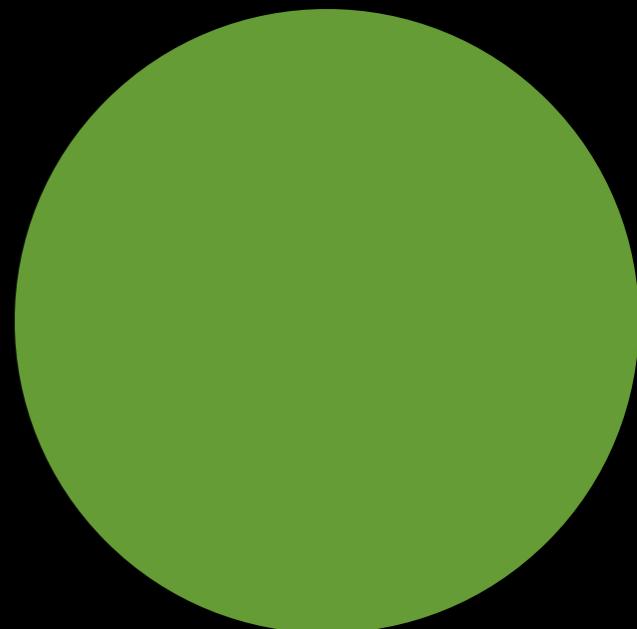
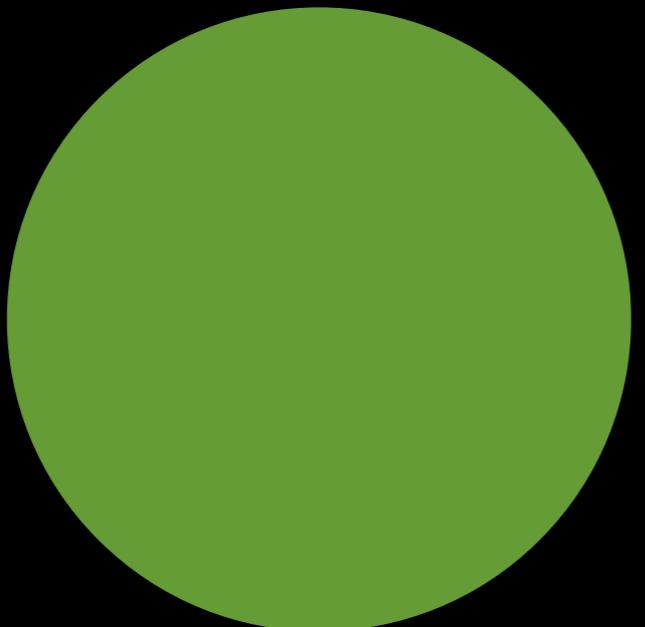
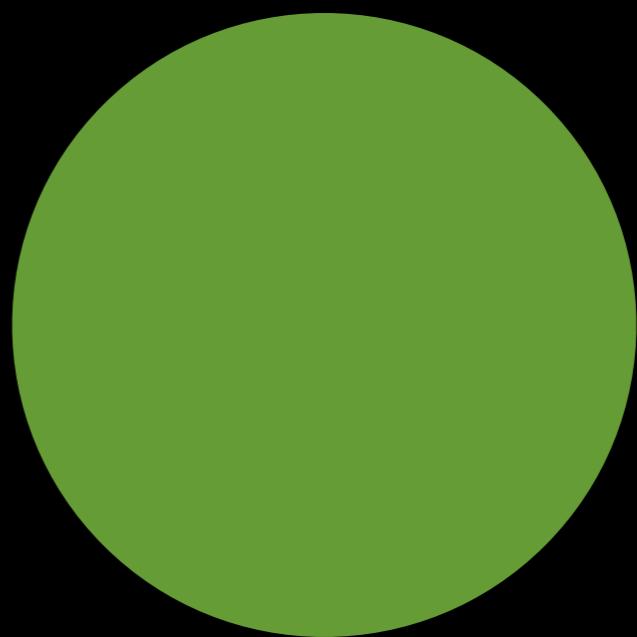
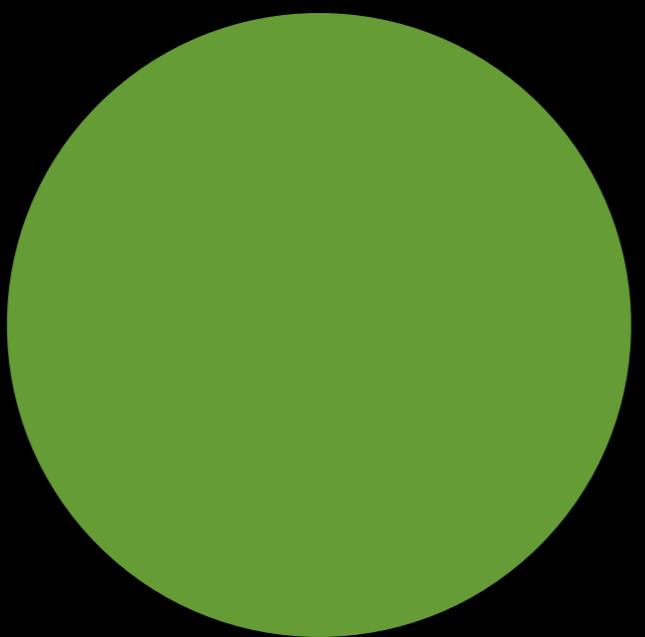
contrast

“Without **contrast**  
you’re dead.”

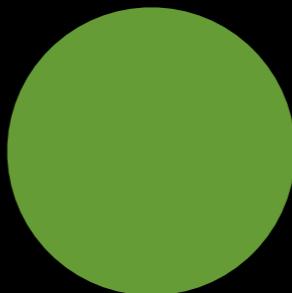
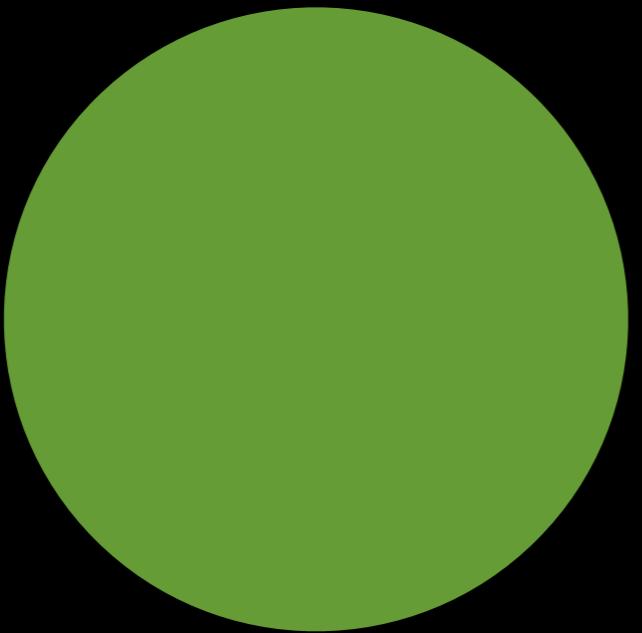
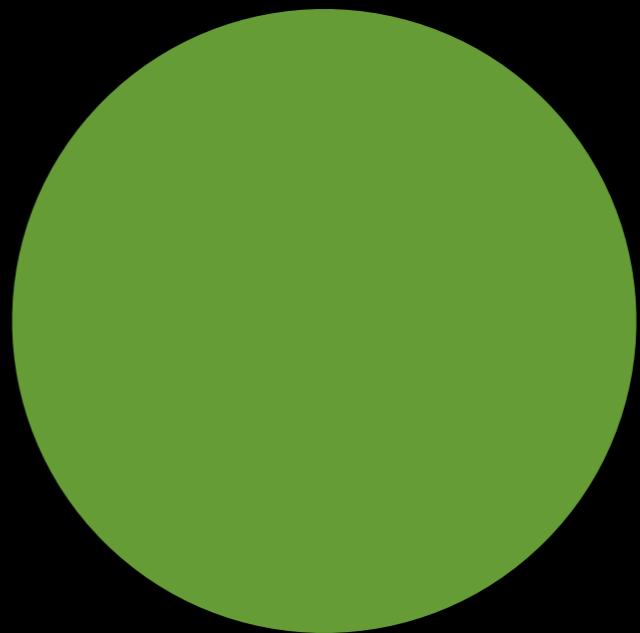
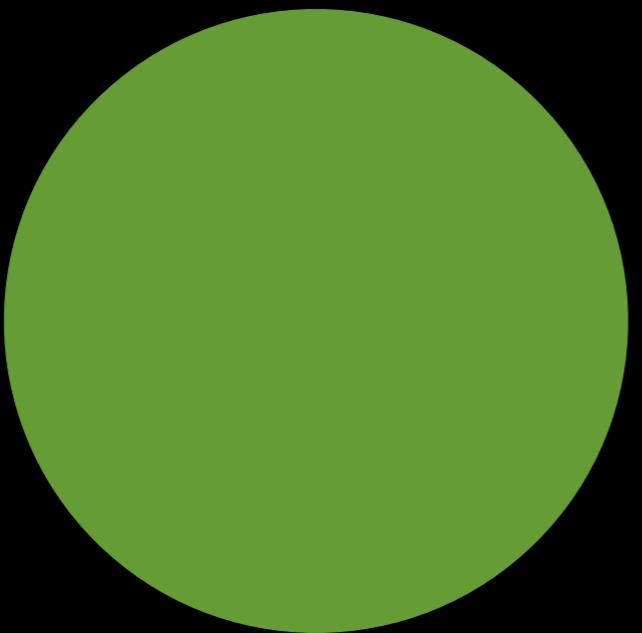
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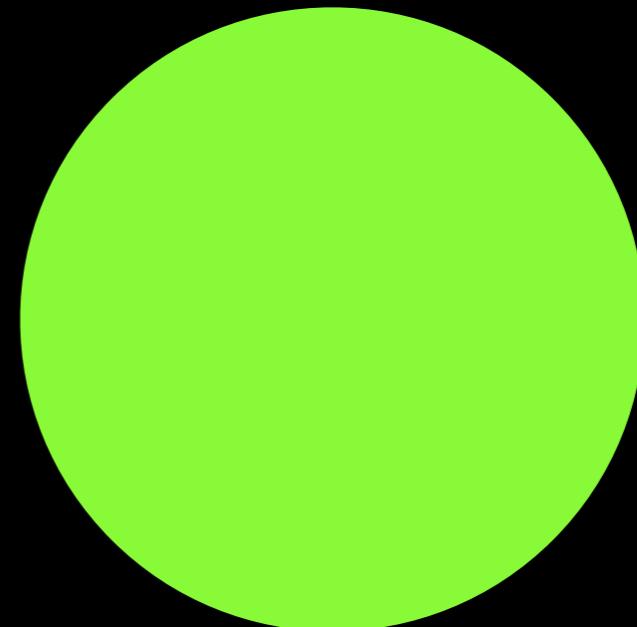
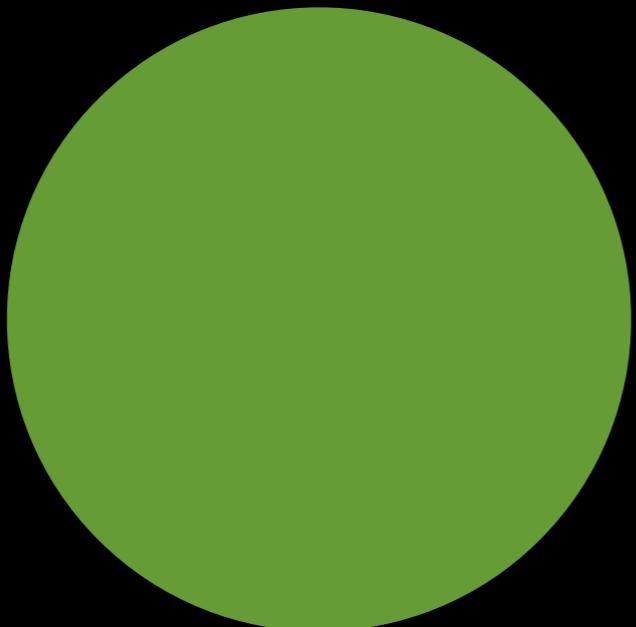
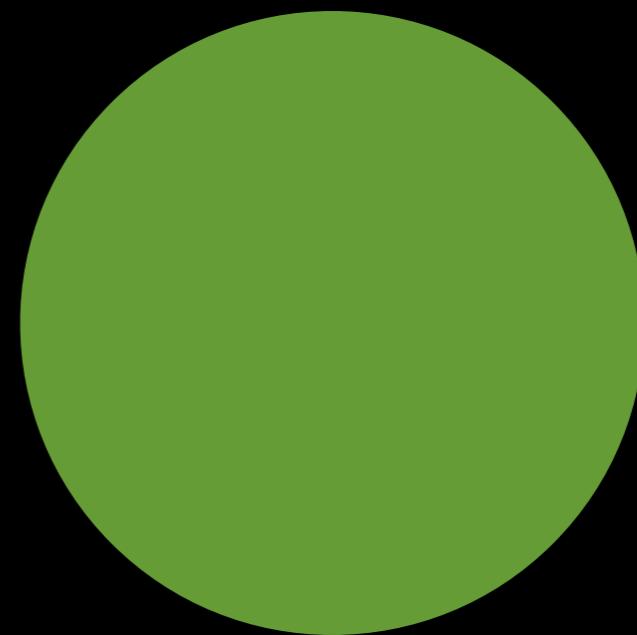
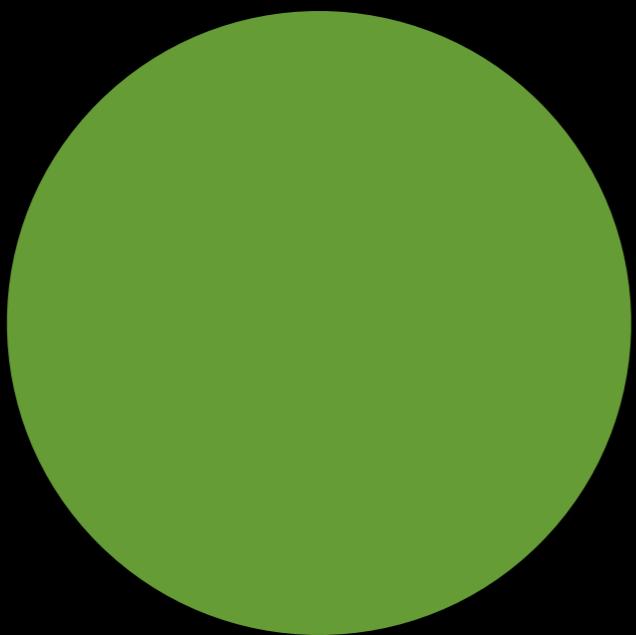
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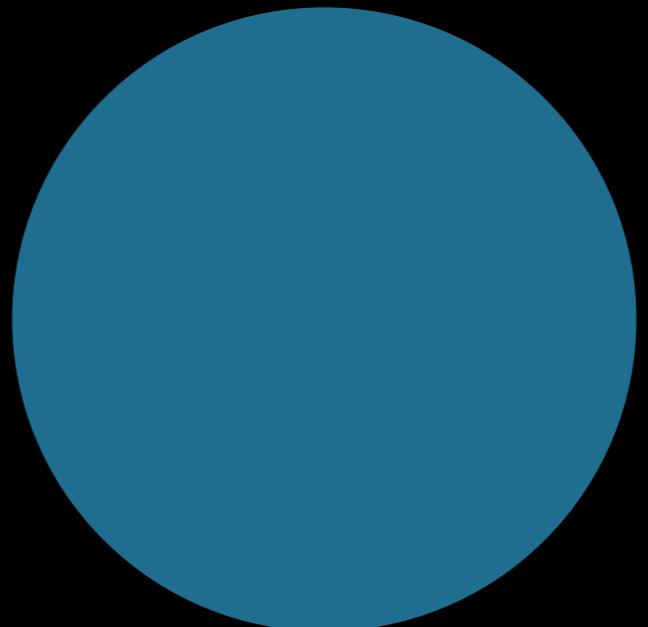
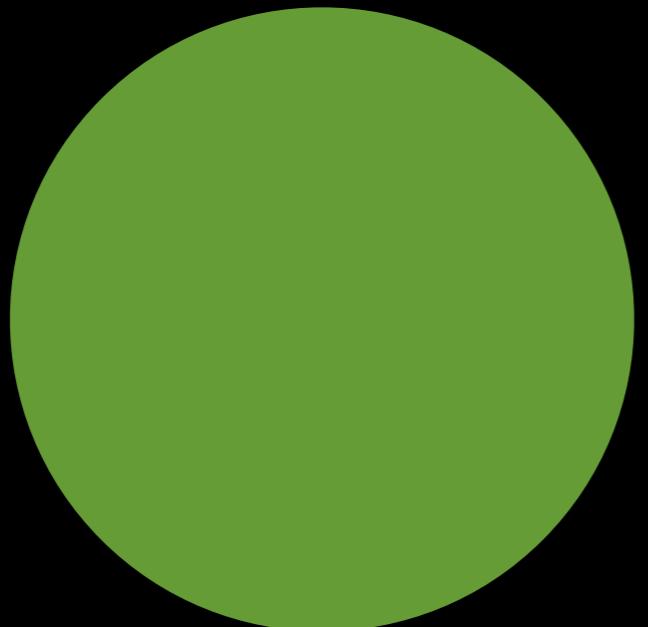
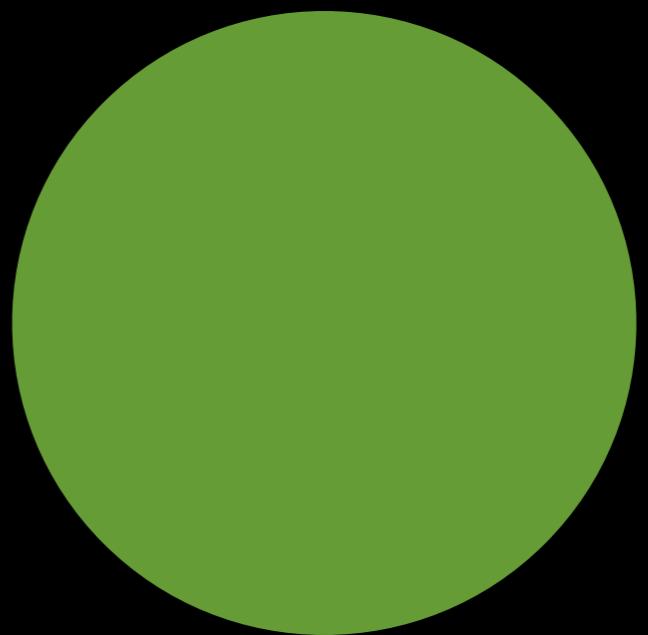
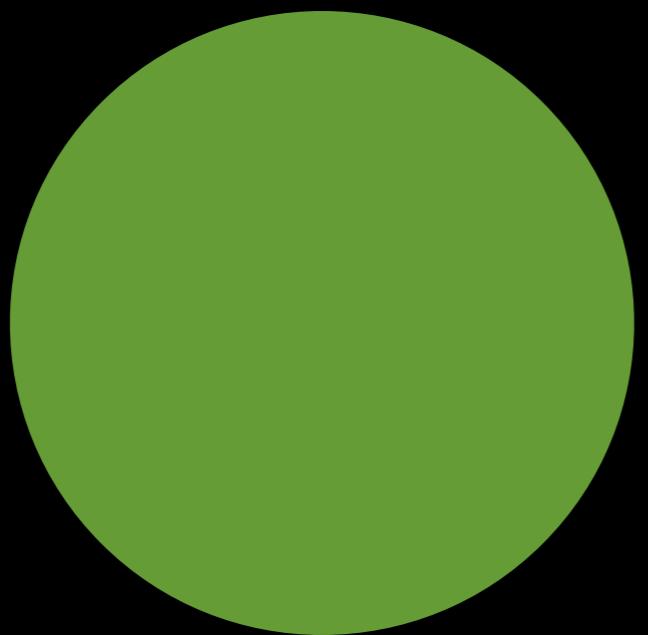
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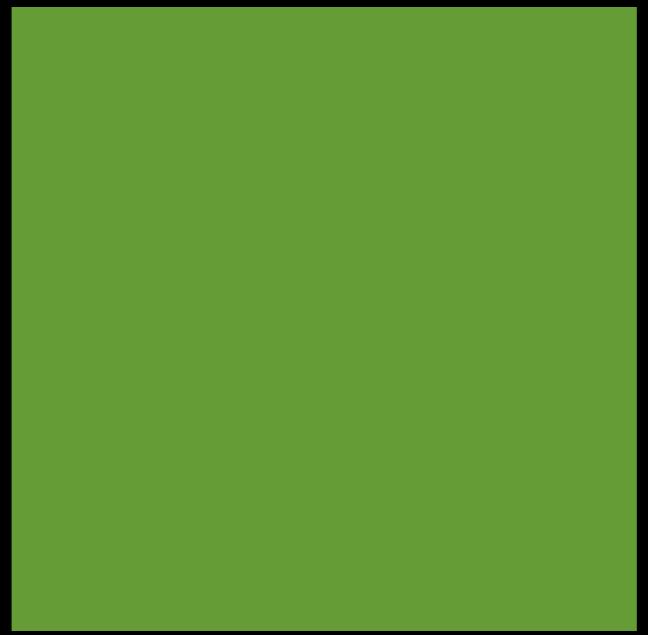
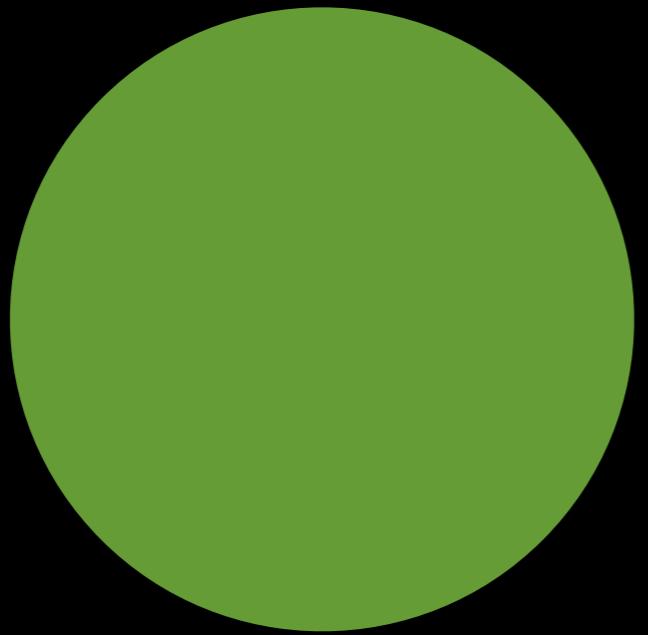
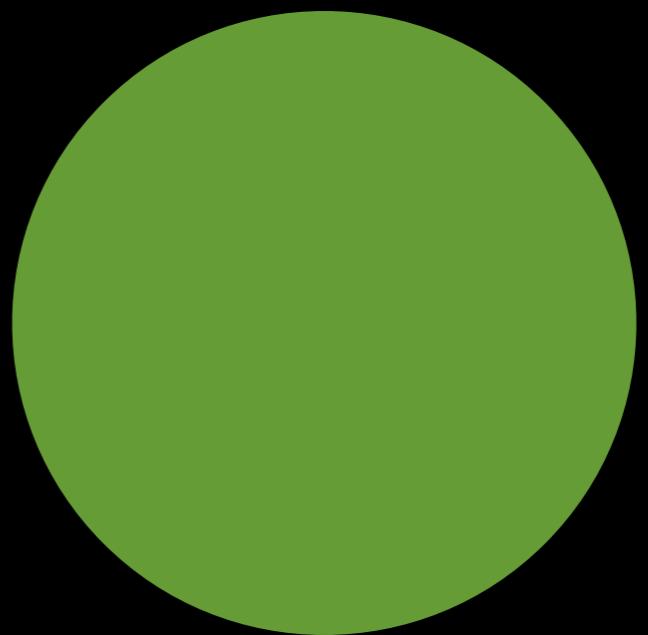
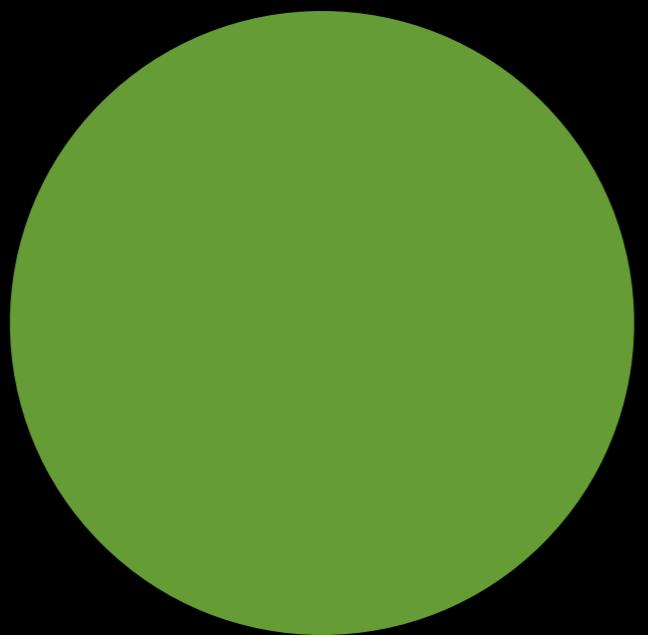
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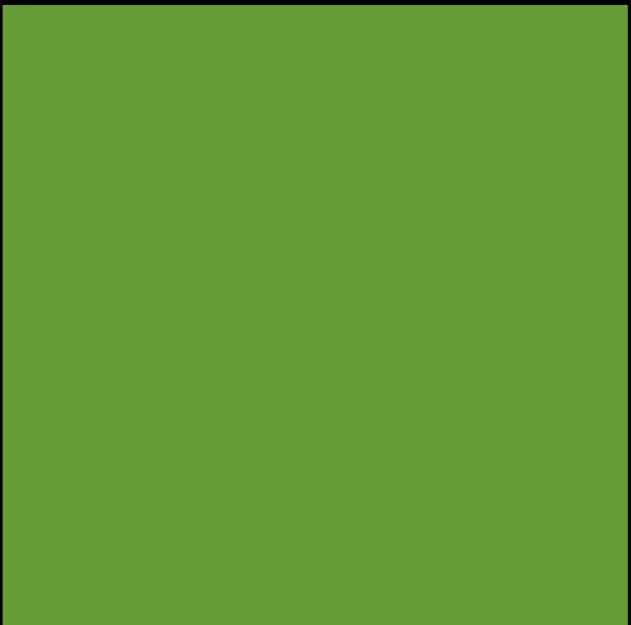
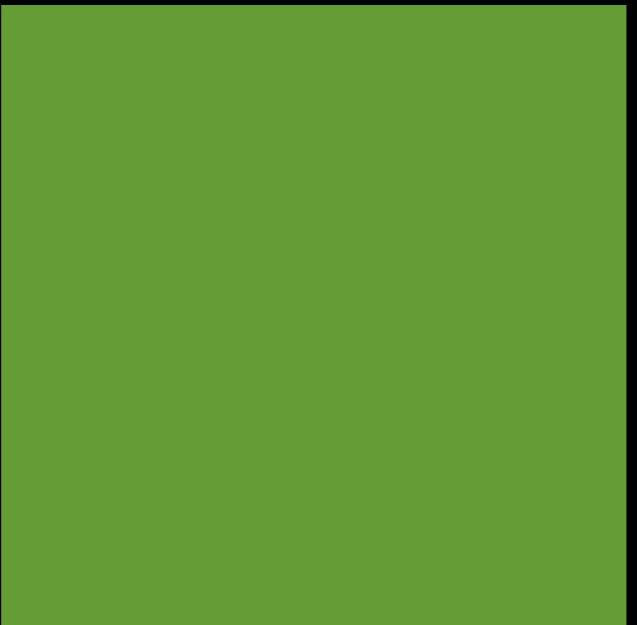
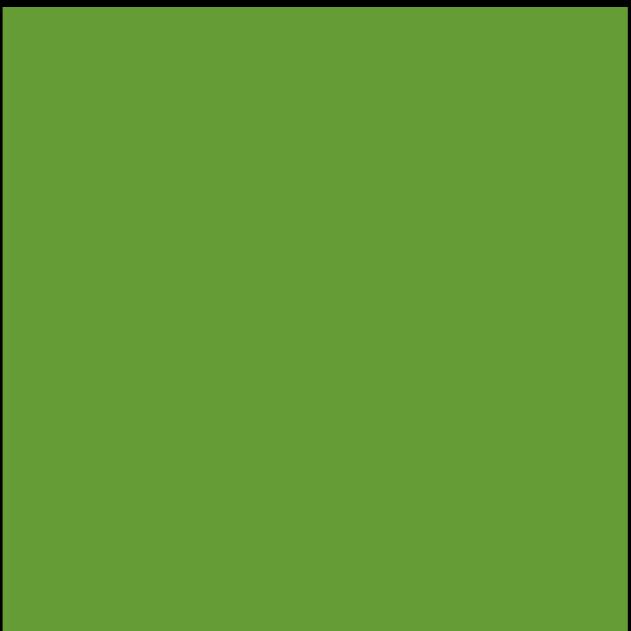
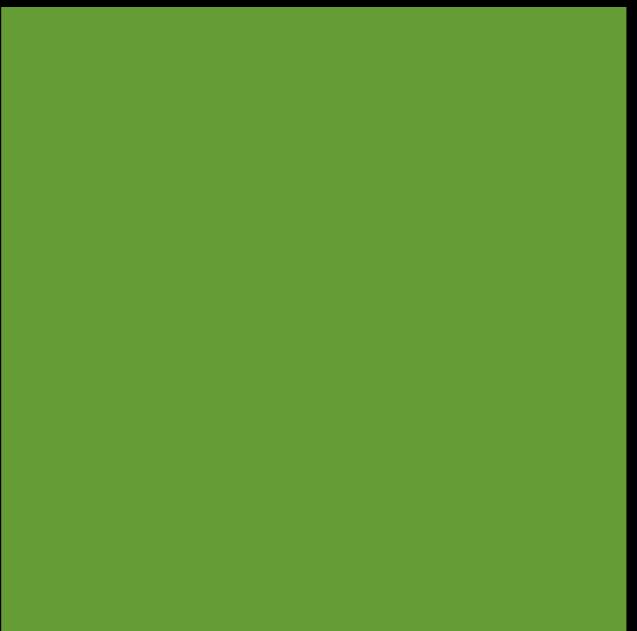
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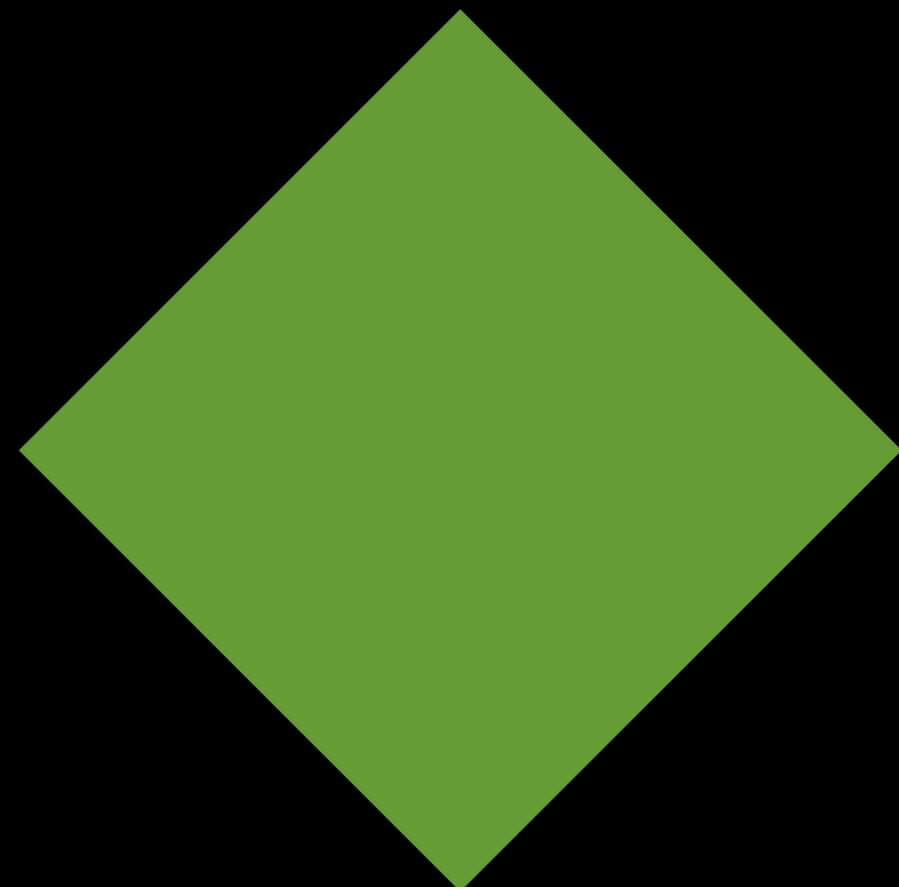
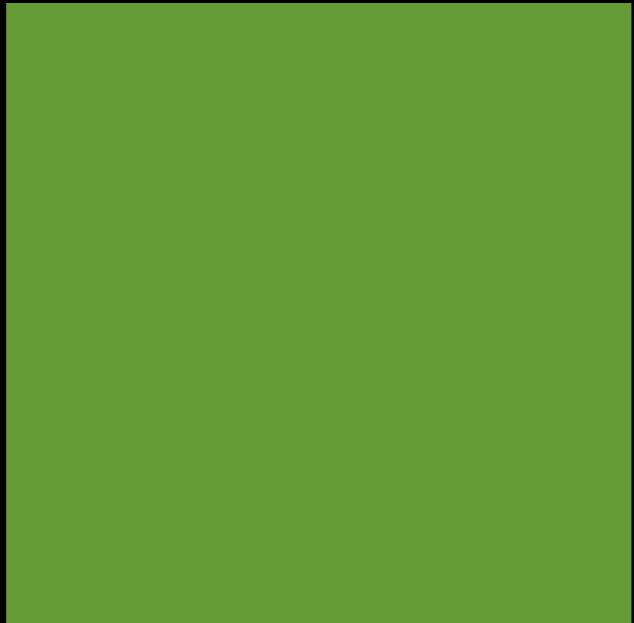
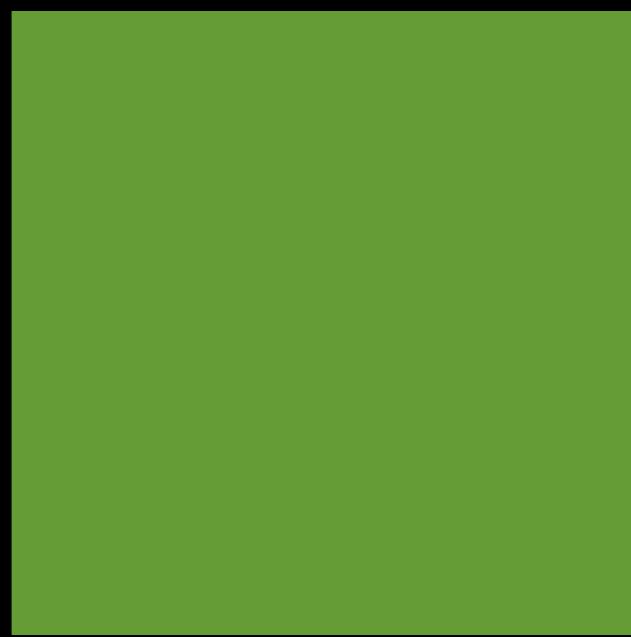
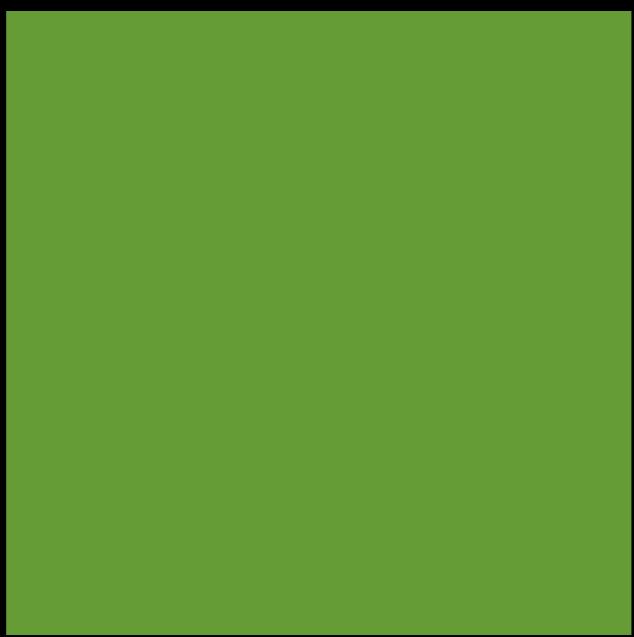
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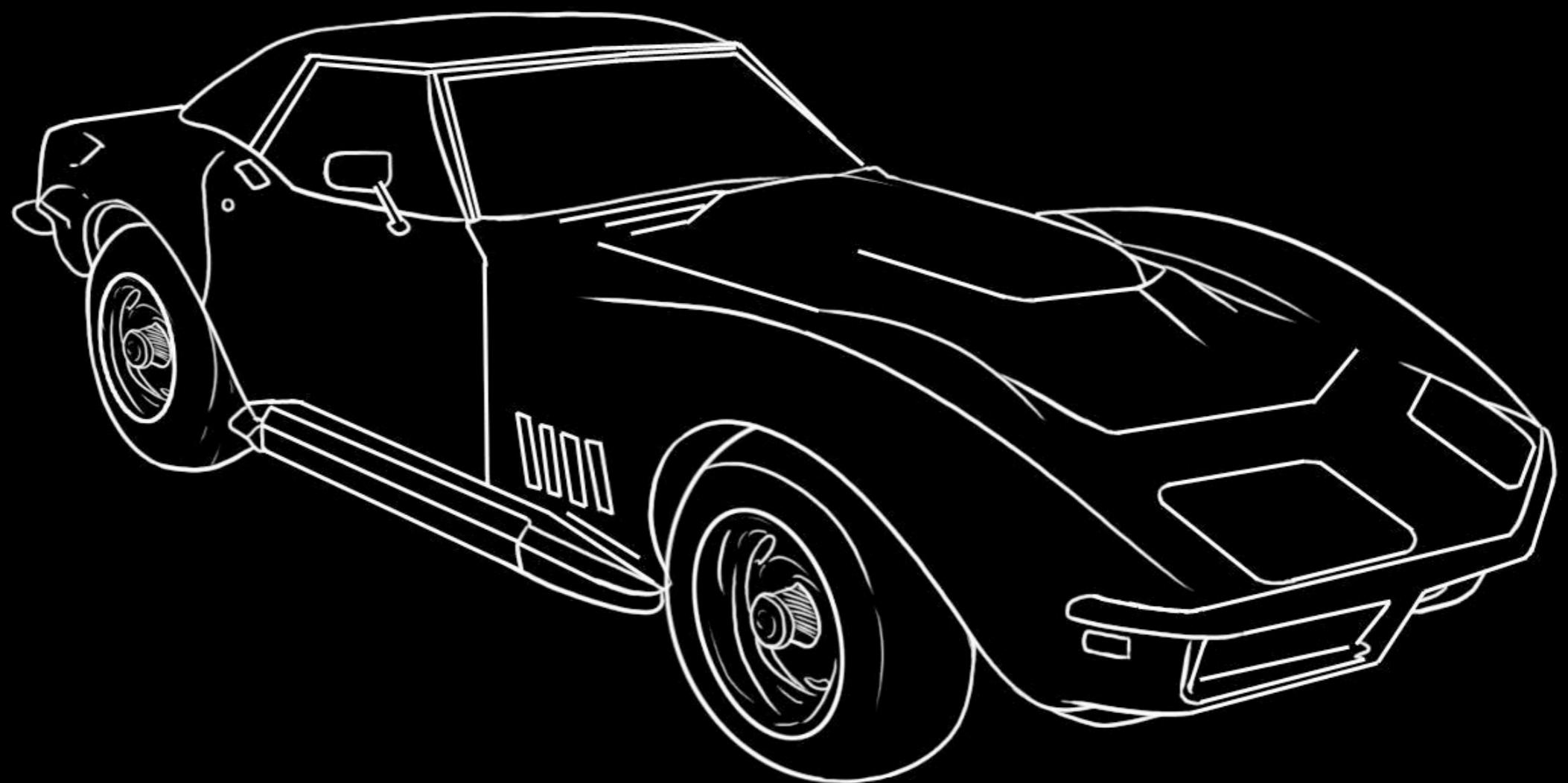


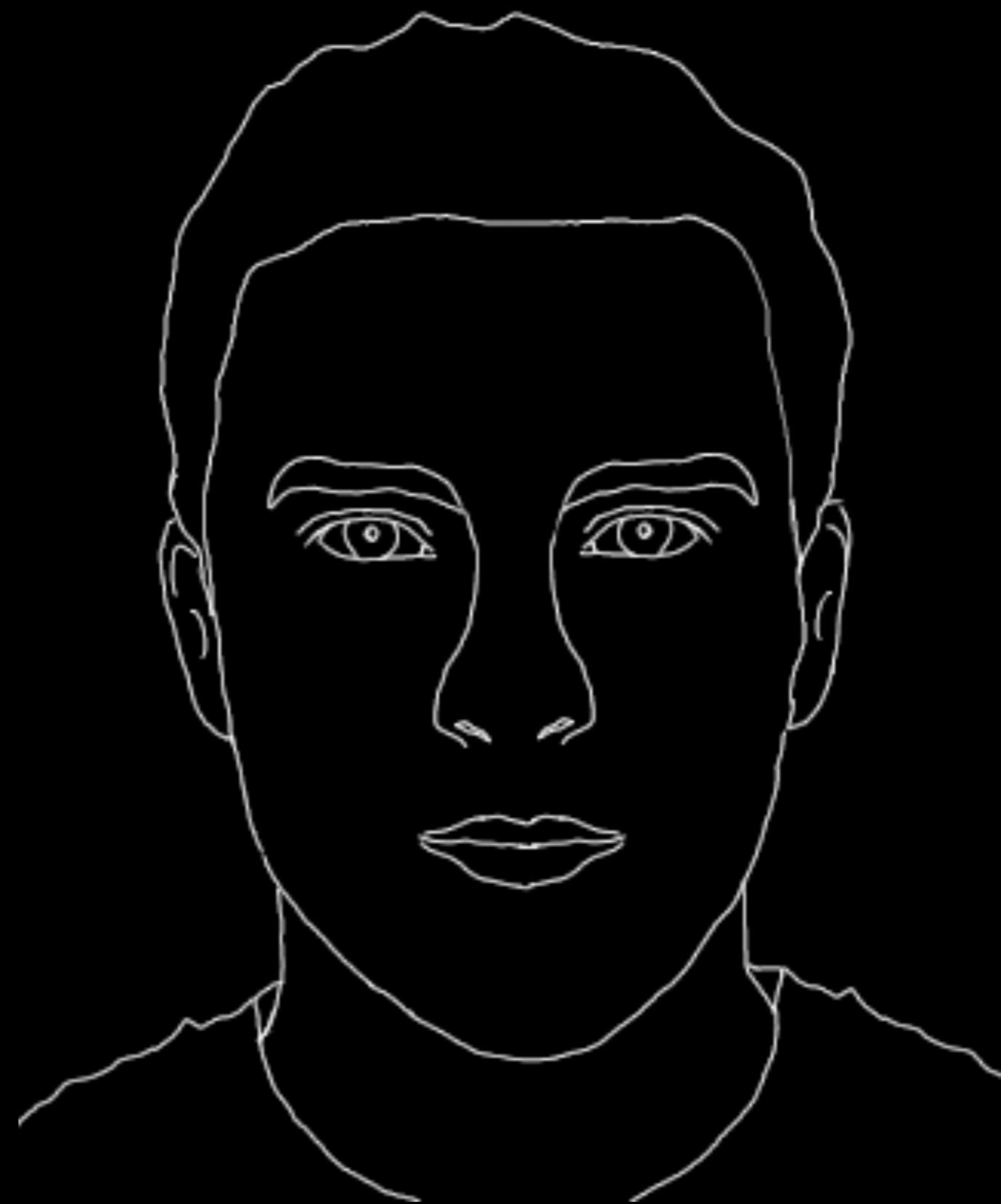
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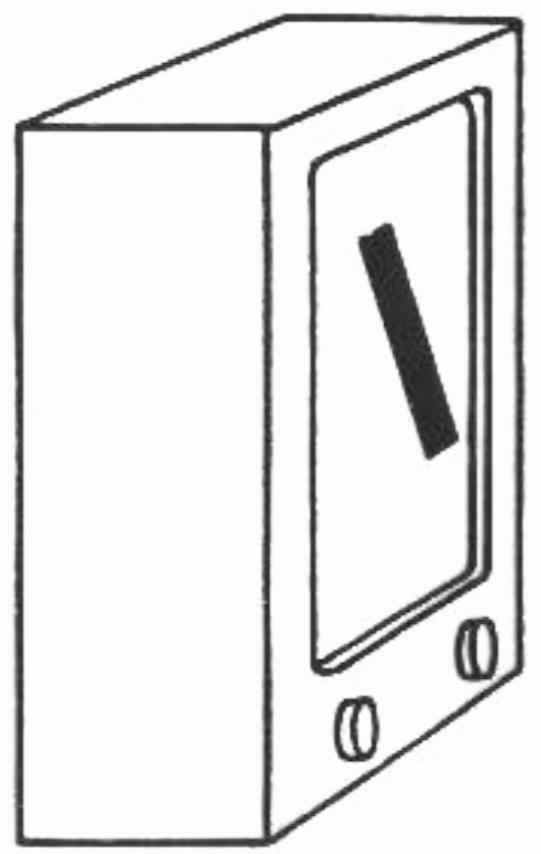


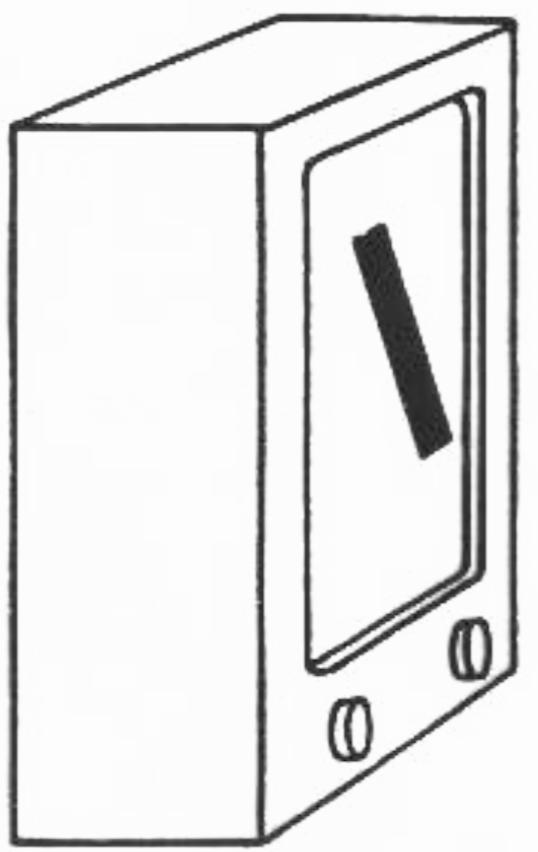




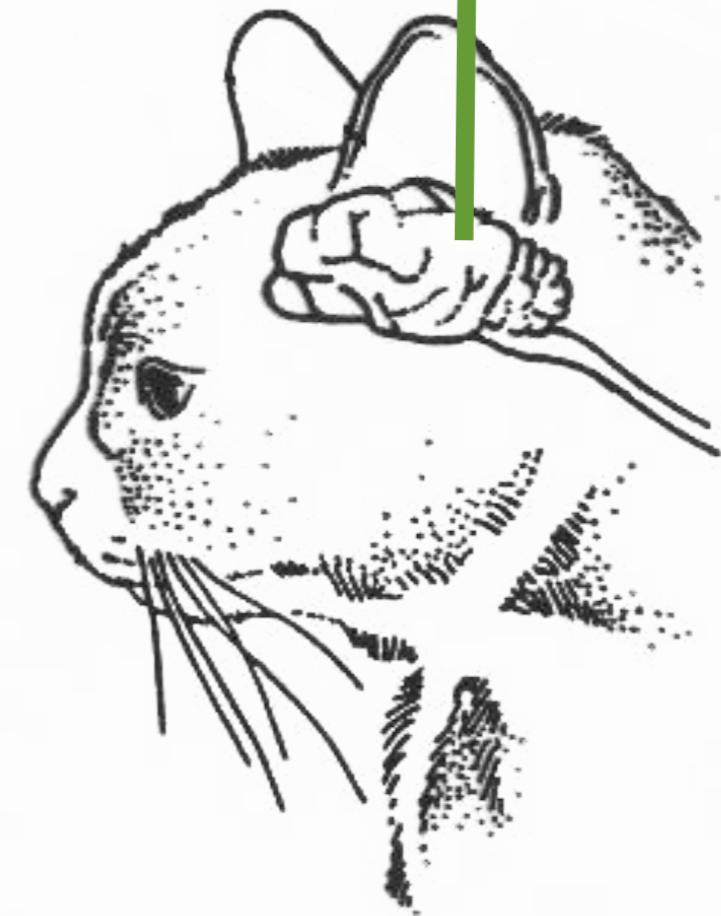
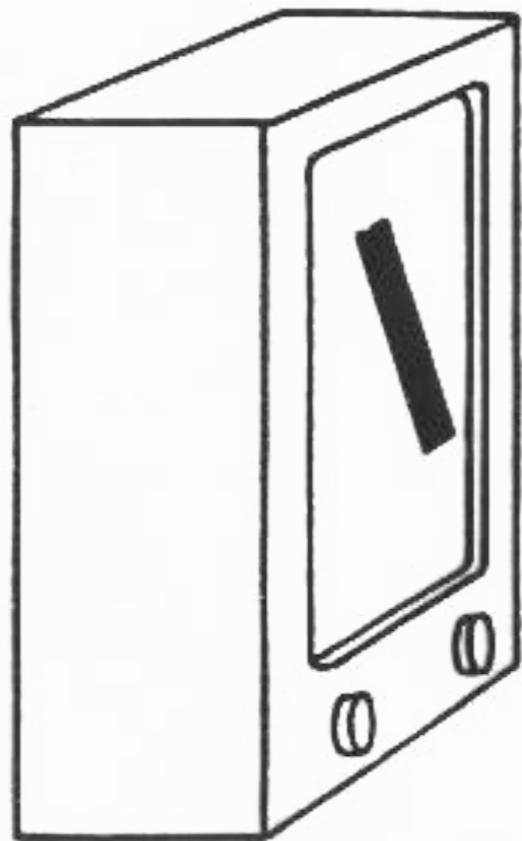






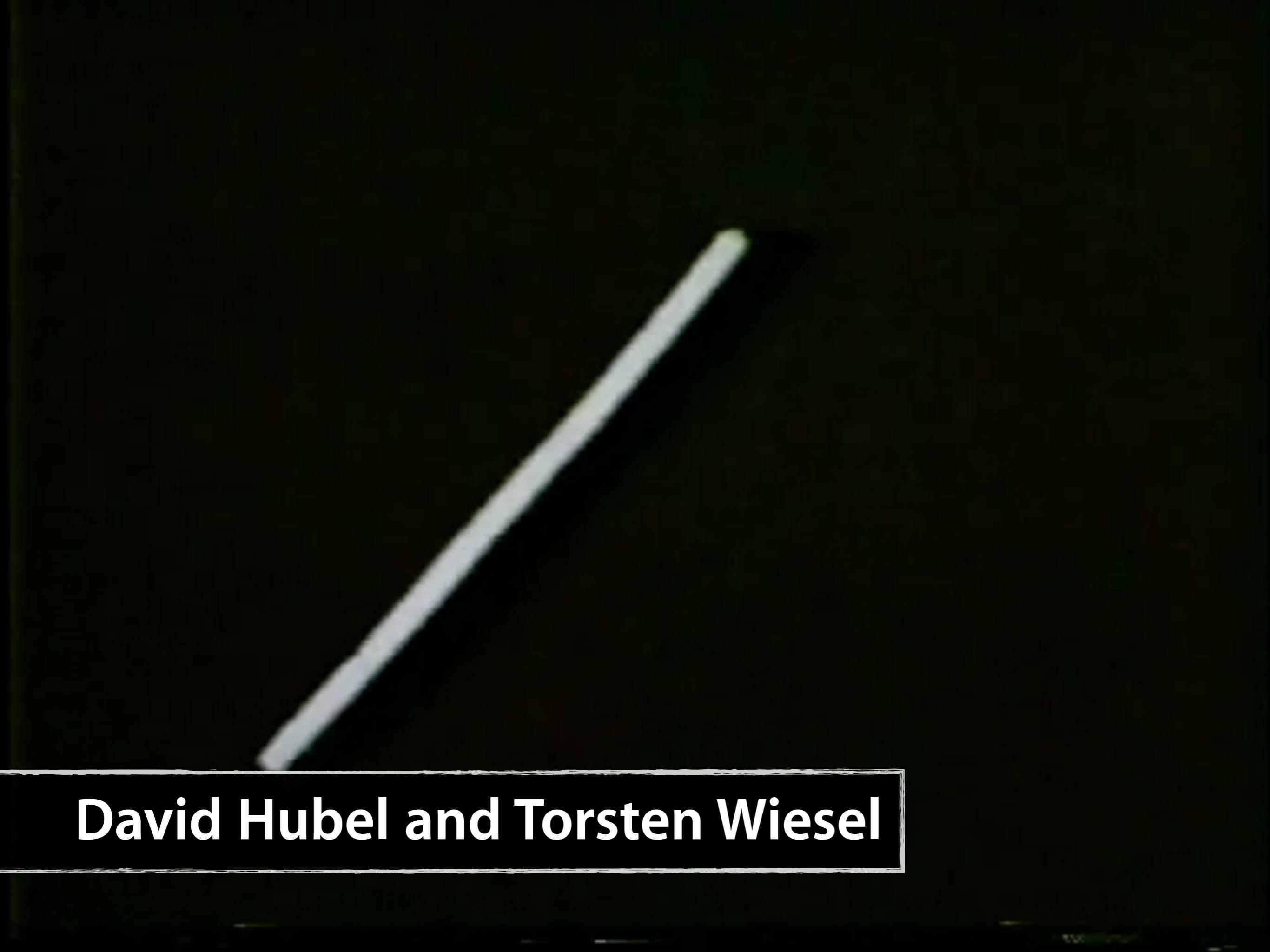


recording electrode





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reflectance change







depth discontinuity







**cast shadows**





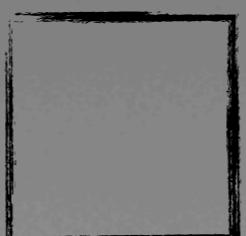


surface orientation change



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**uniform**



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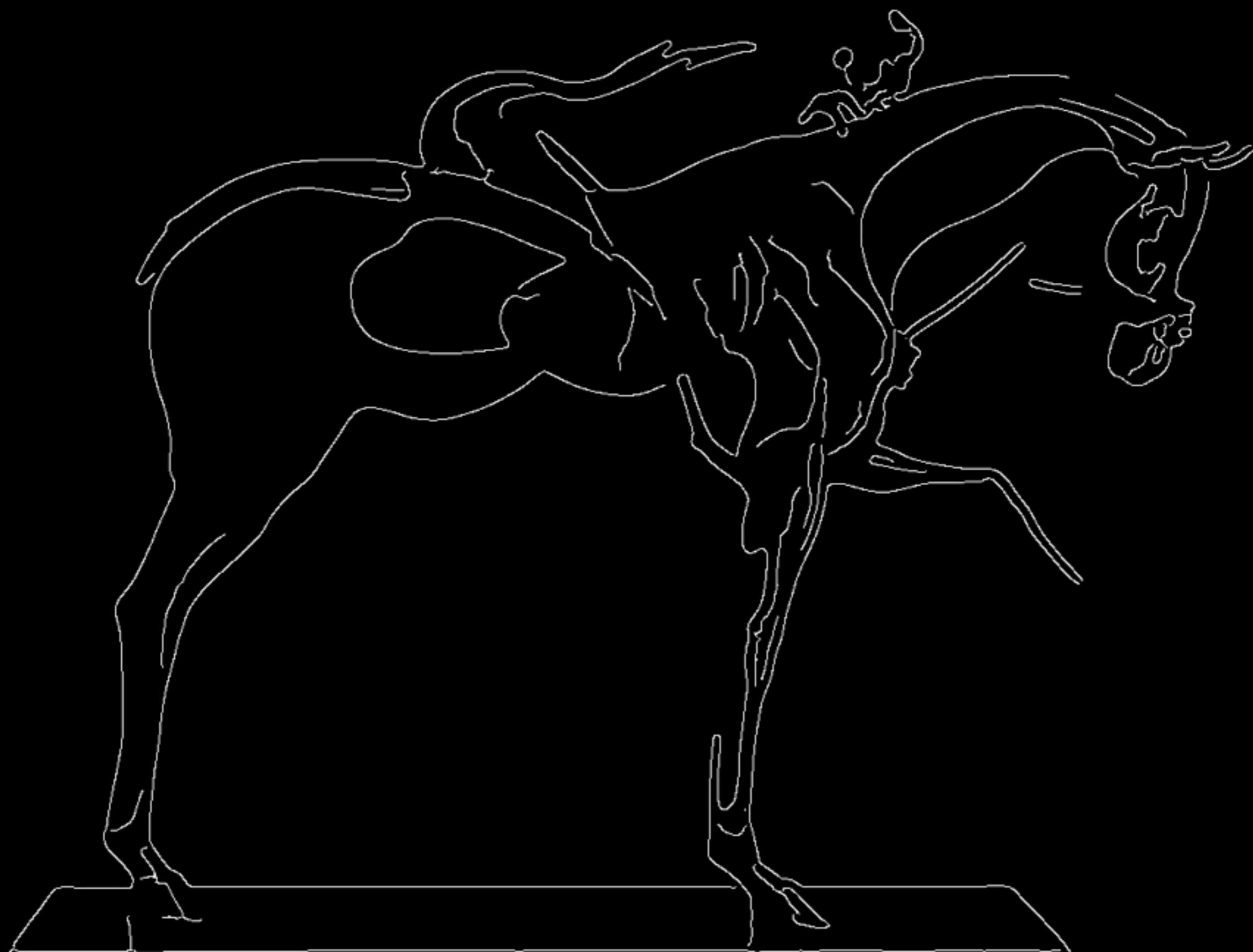
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**uniform**

**contrast**







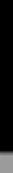
**which pixels are edges?**

*y*

*x*

image(*x, y*)

*y*



*x*

image( $x, y$ )



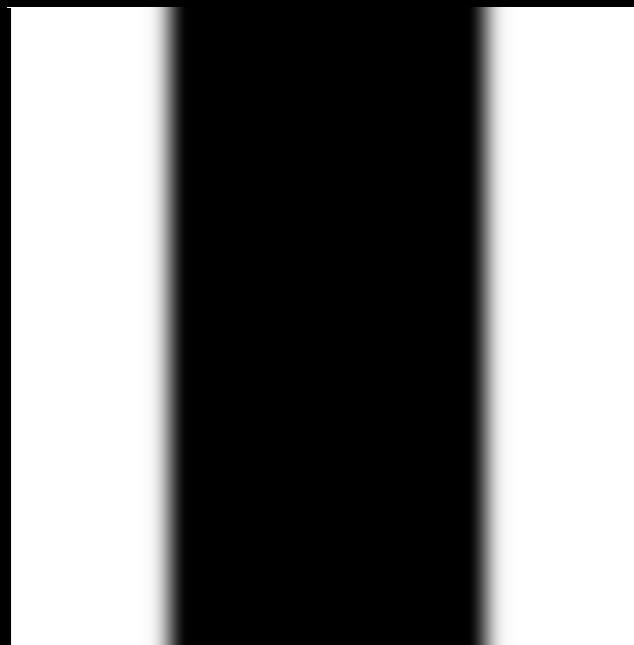


**Goal:** Identify large local changes in the image

steep cliffs

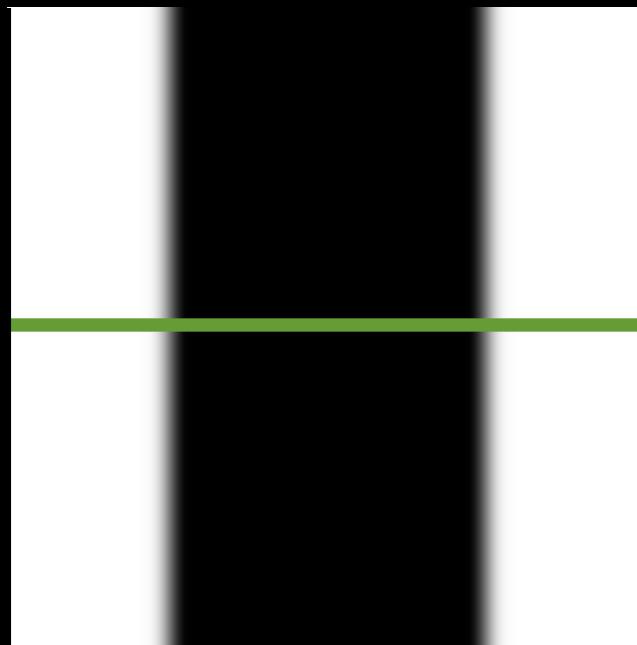
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# Edge Detection



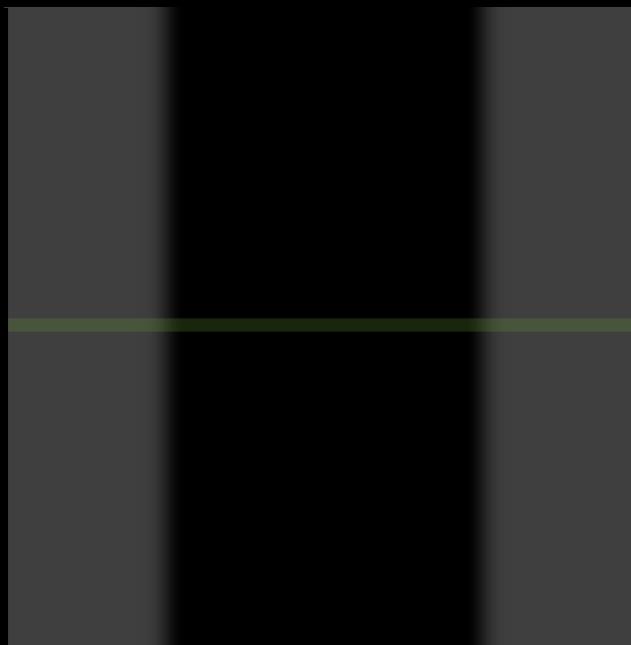
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Edge  
Detection

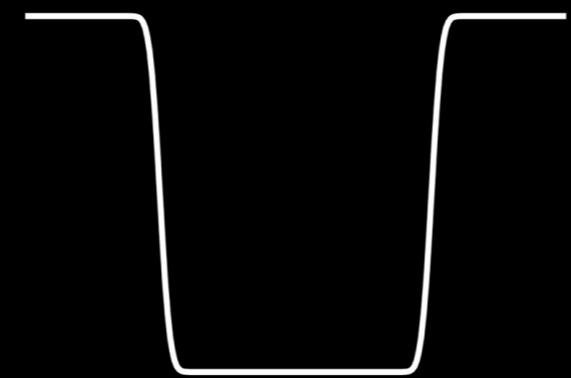


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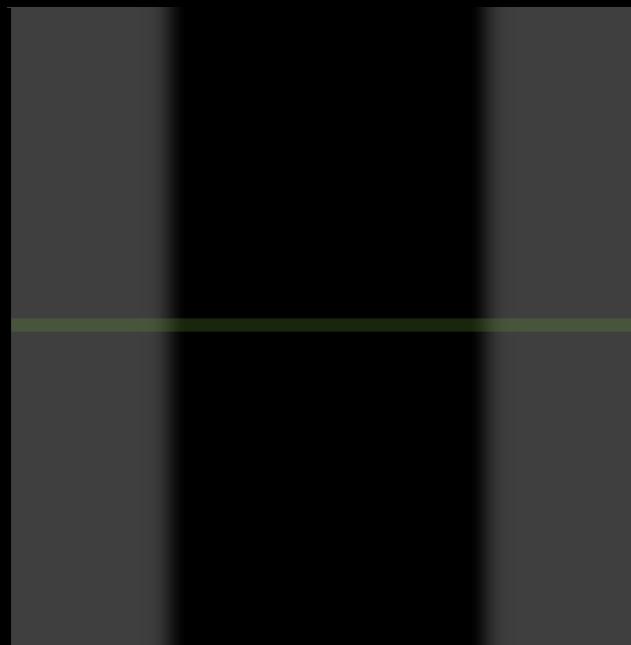


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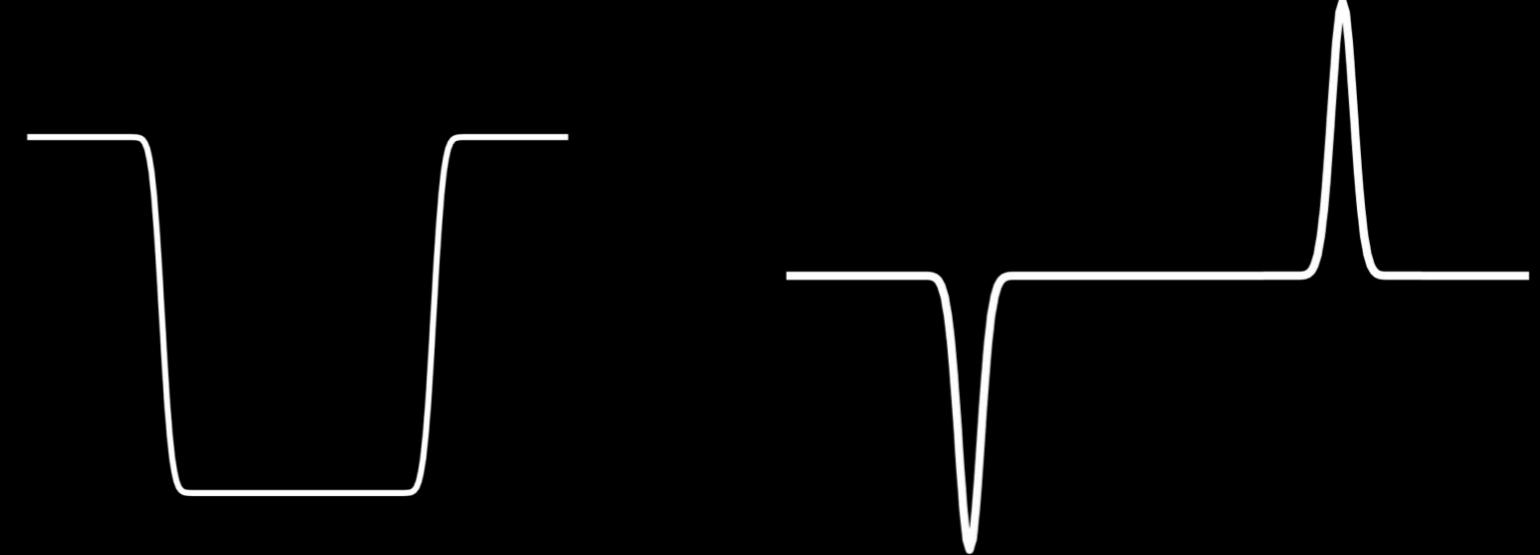


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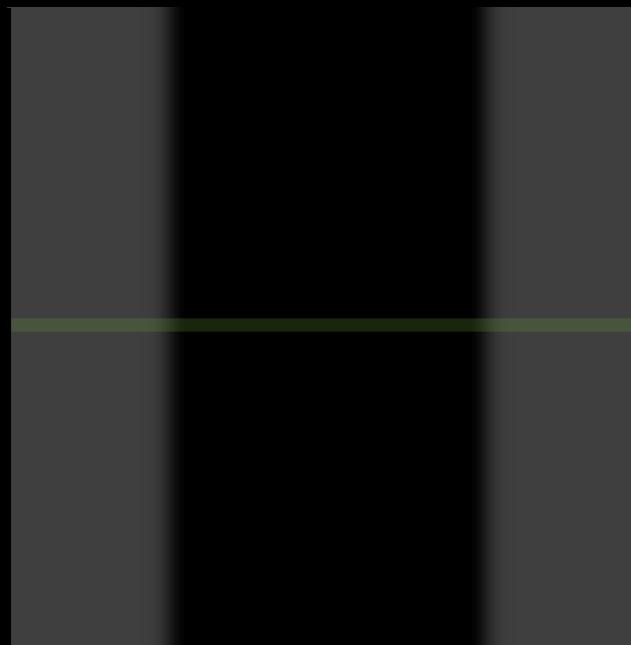
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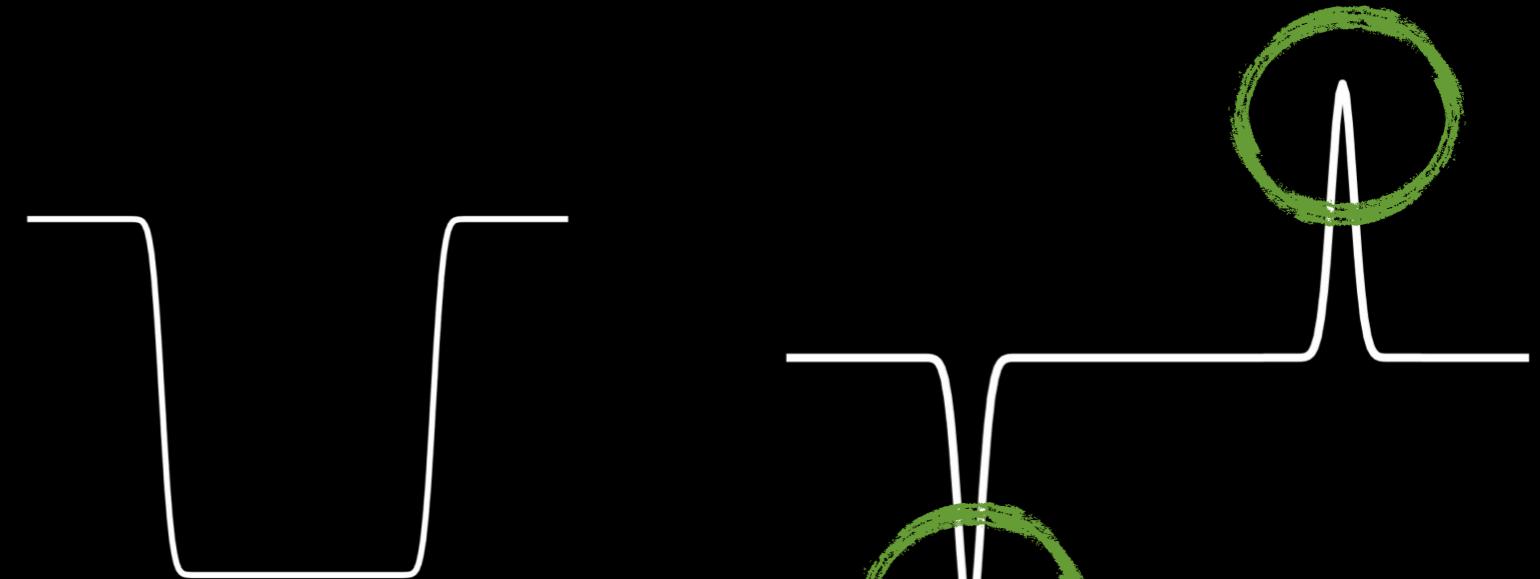
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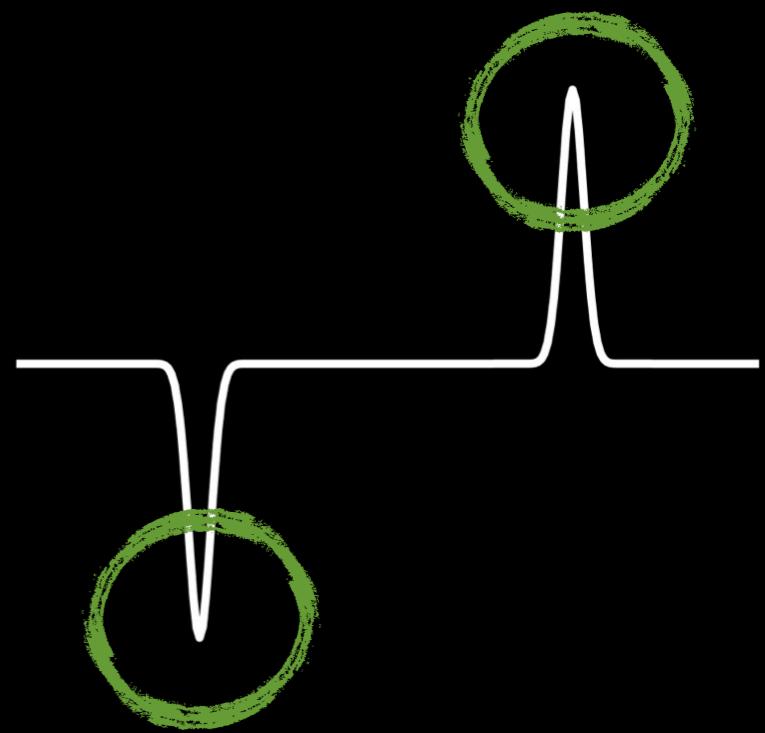
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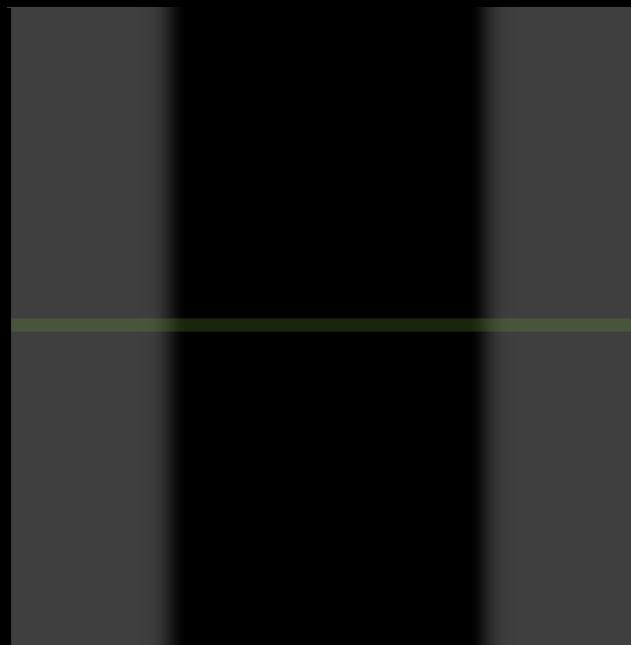


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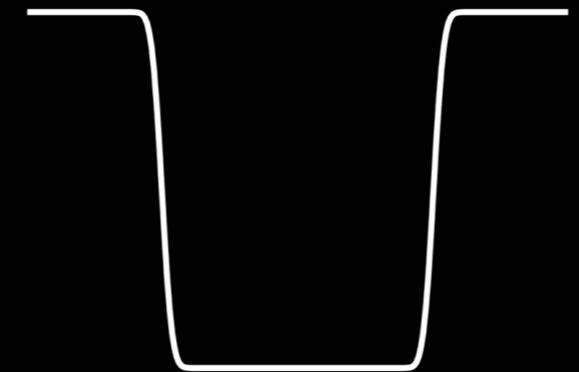


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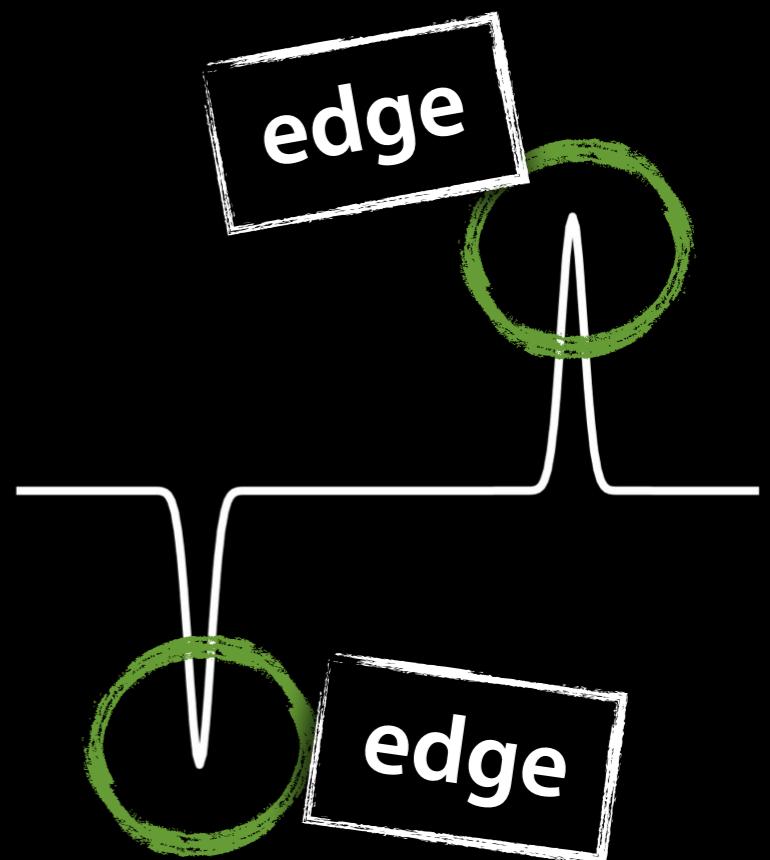
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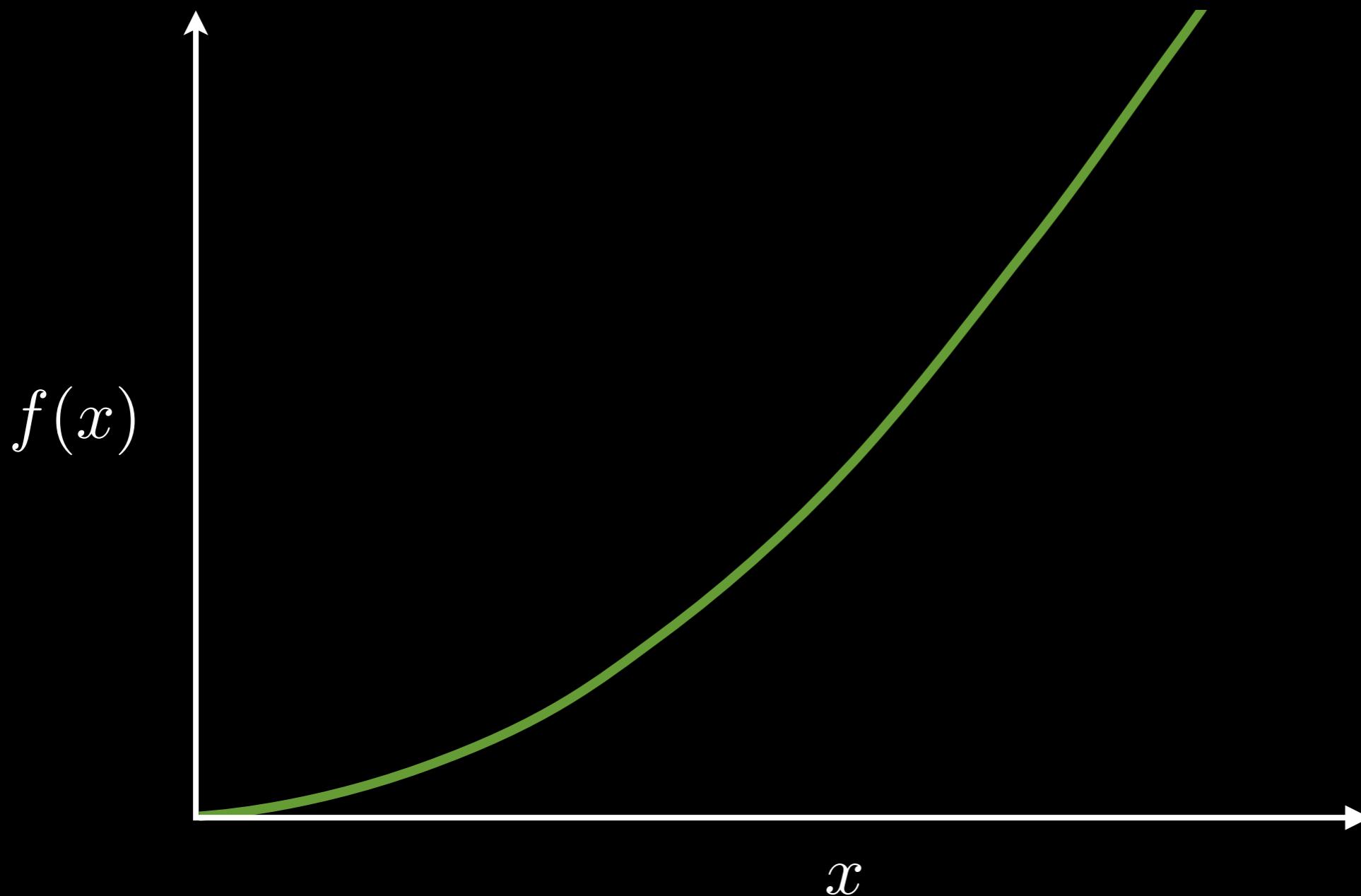


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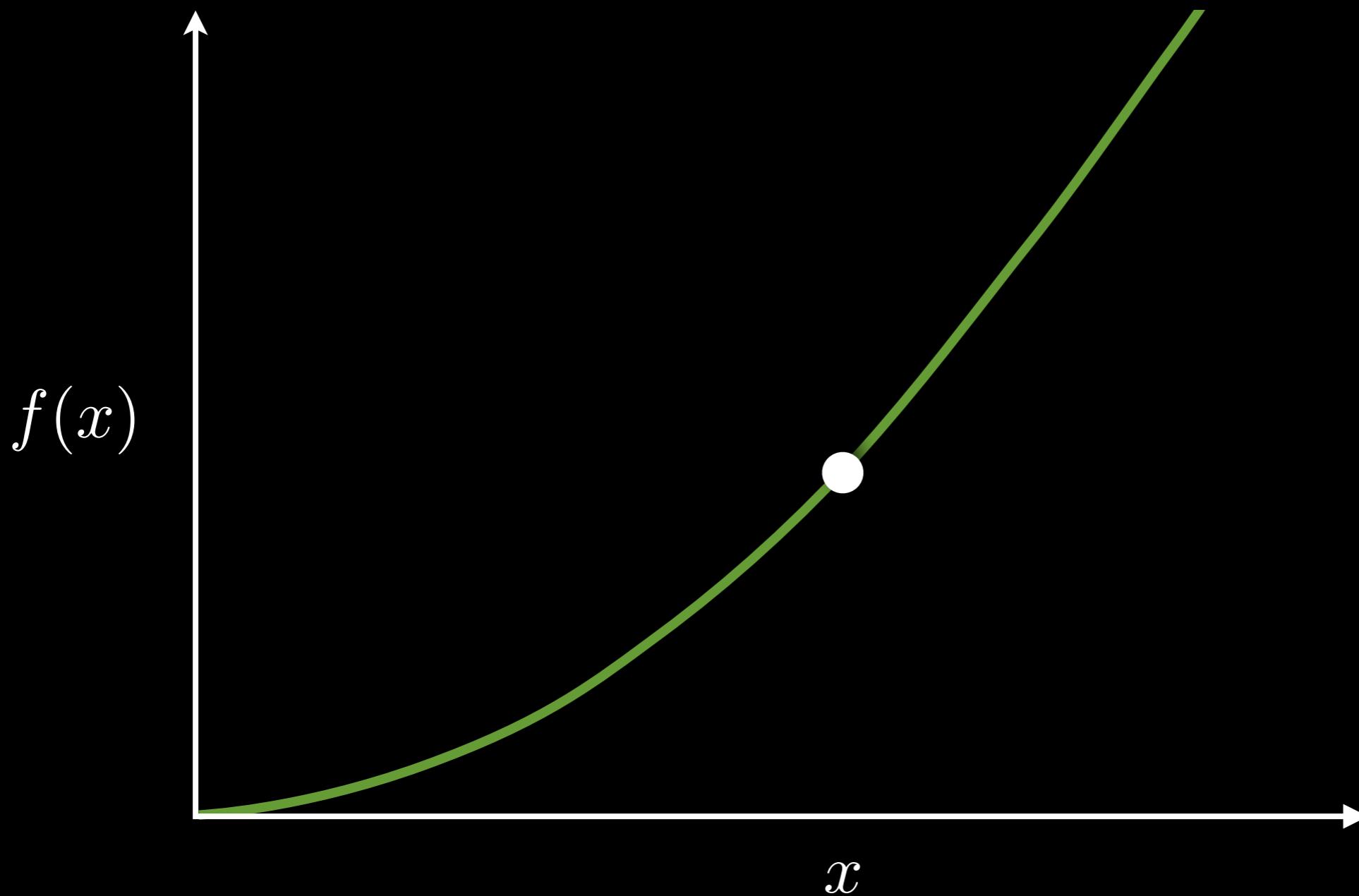
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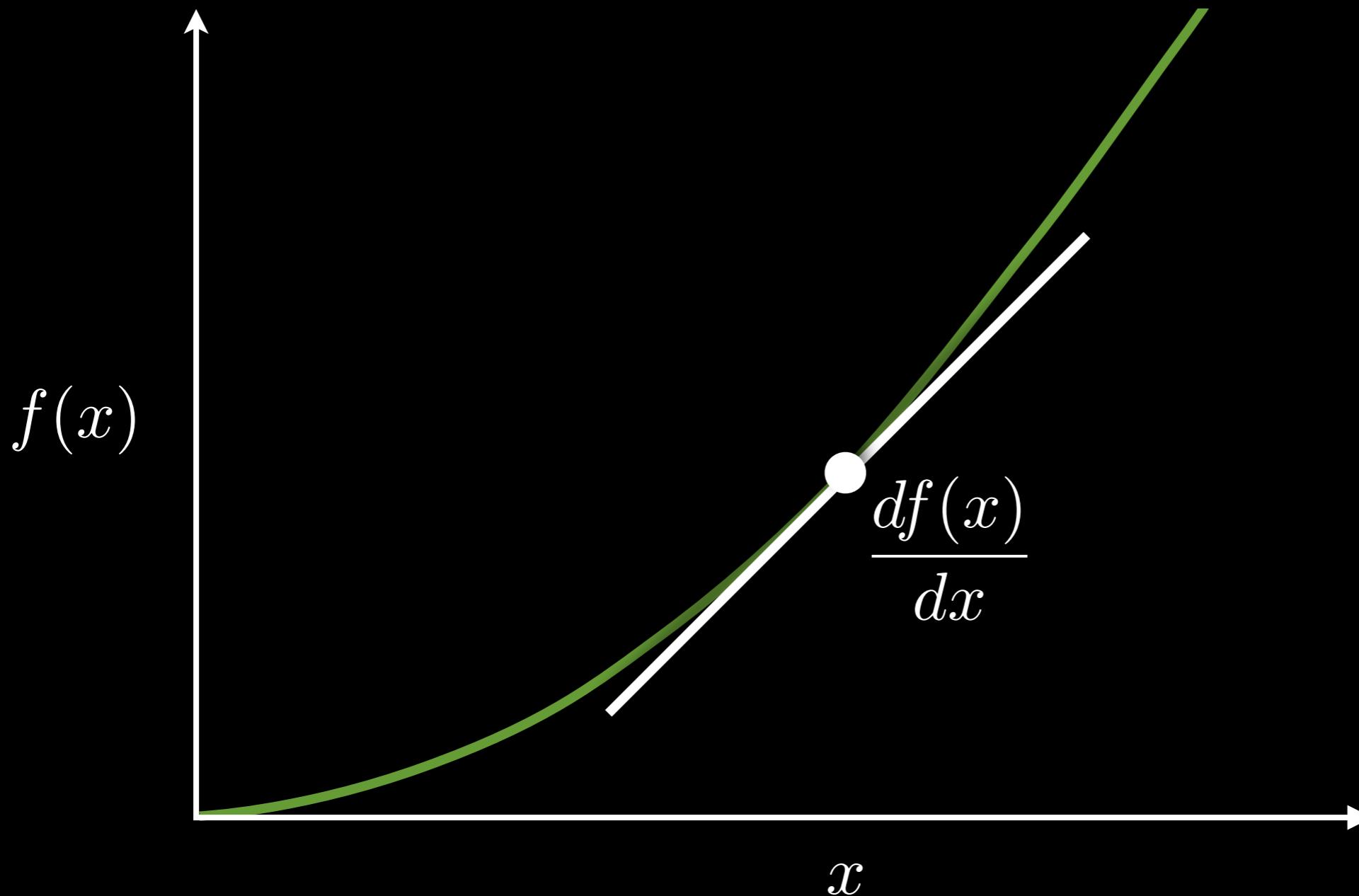
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**What about multivariate functions?**

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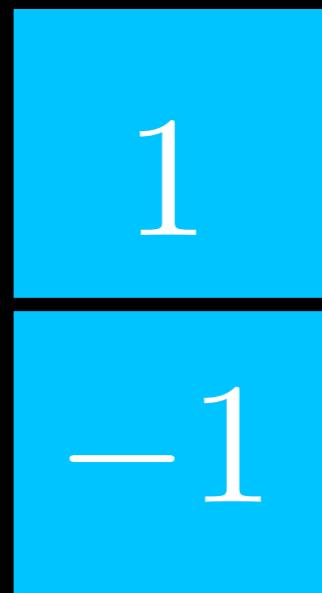
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1	-1
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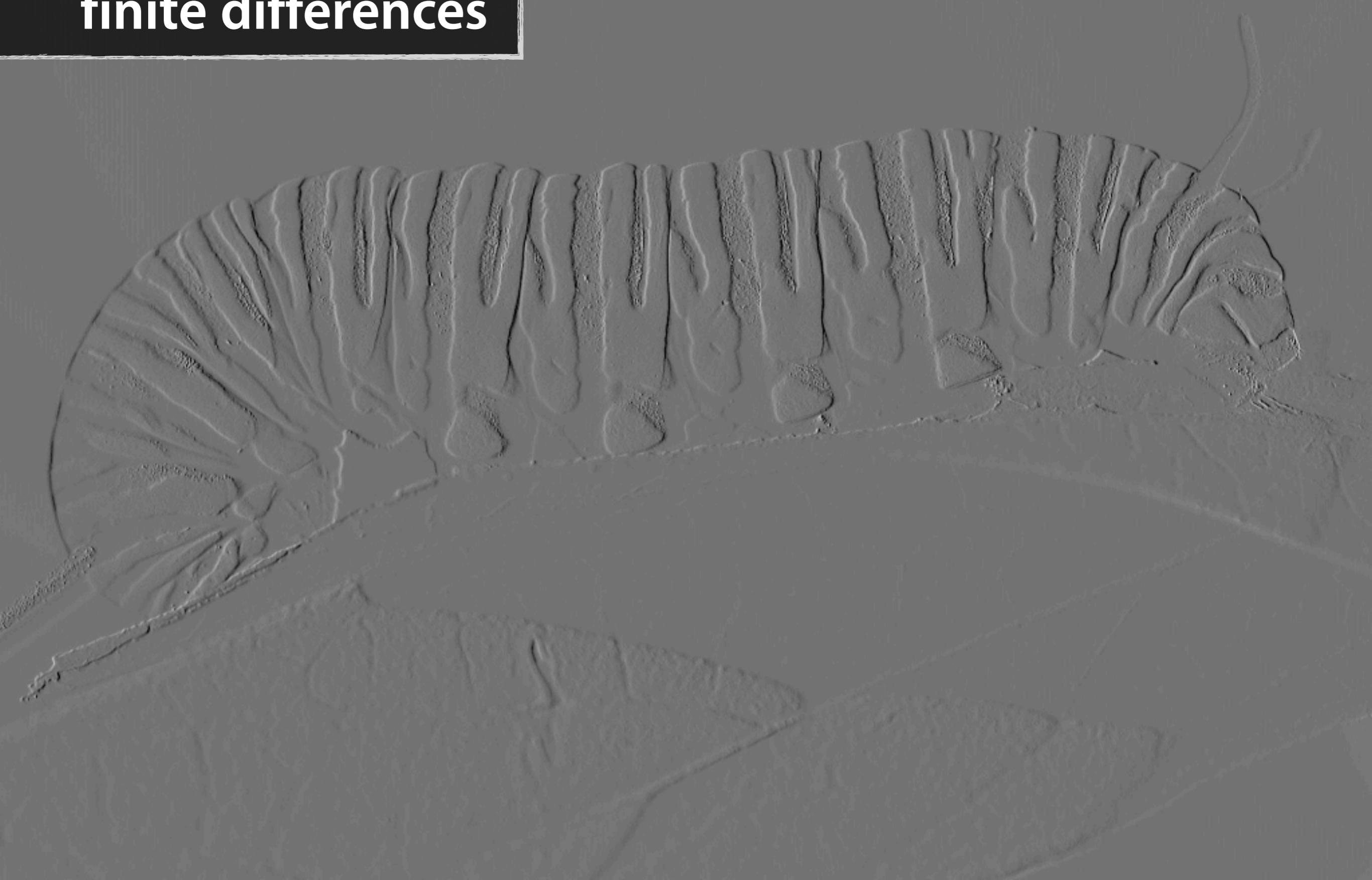
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input image



# finite differences



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1	2	1
0	0	0
-1	-2	-1

Sobel Filter

separable  
filters

$$F[x, y] = U[x]V[y]$$

1	2	1
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-1	-2	-1

Sobel Filter

$$\begin{matrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & -2 & -1 \end{matrix} = \begin{matrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \end{matrix}$$

Sobel Filter

1	0	-1
2	0	-2
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Other  
Derivative Filters

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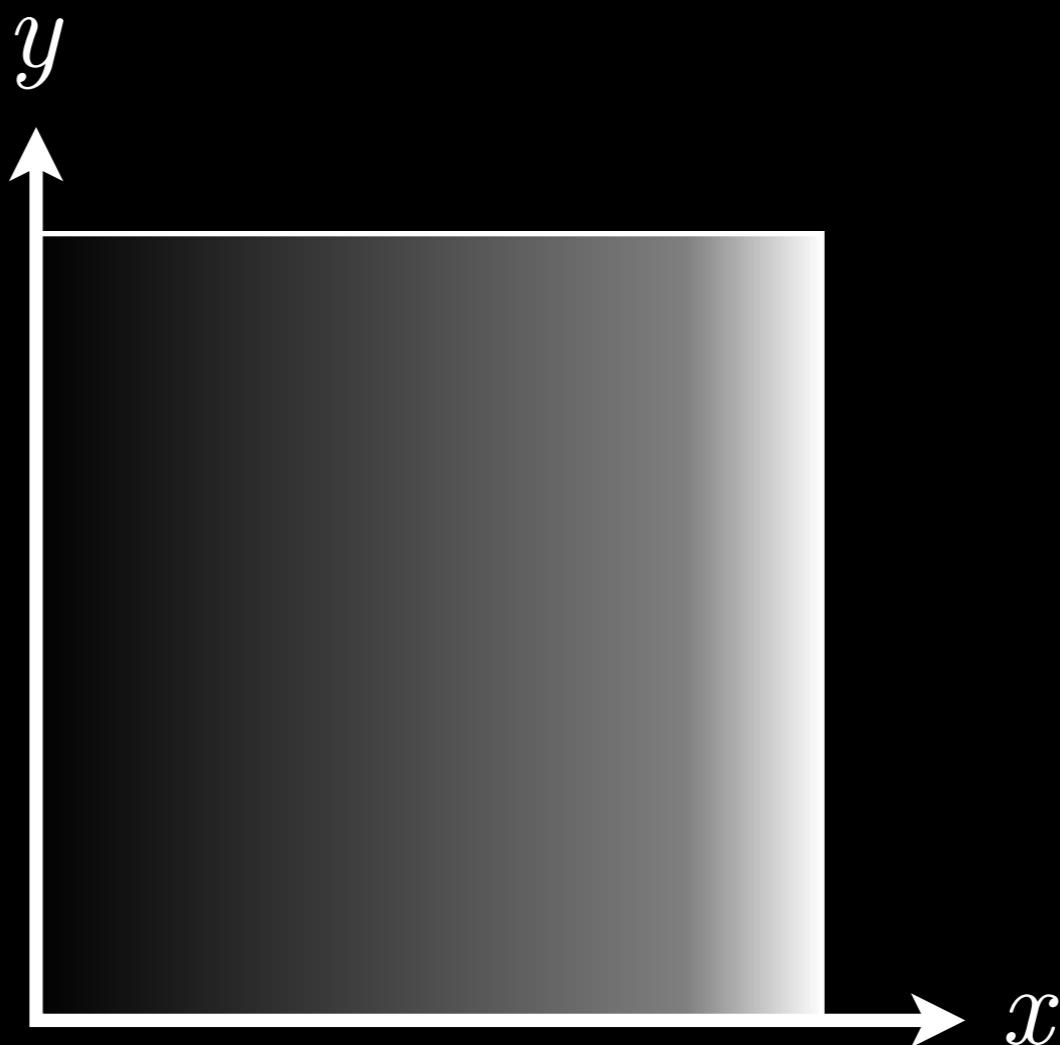
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# gradient

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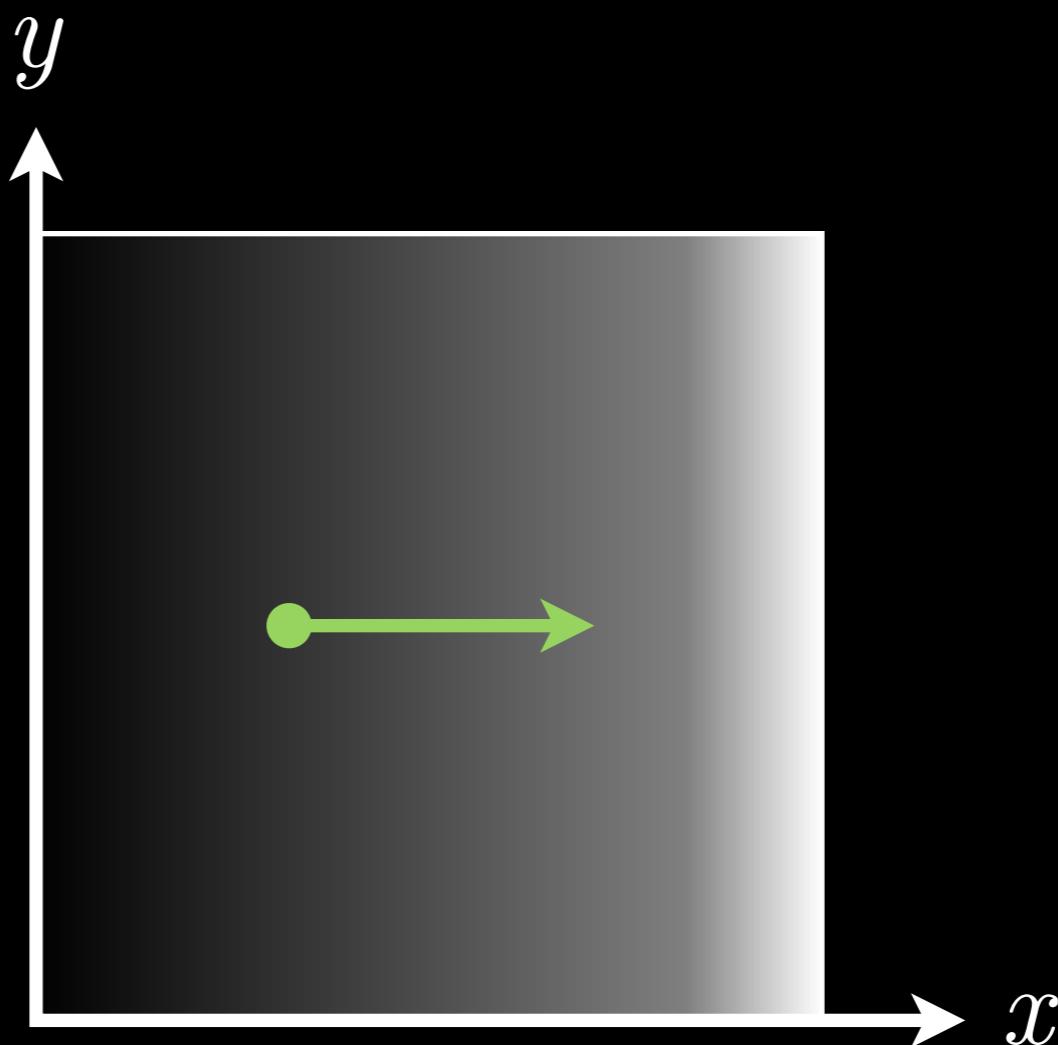
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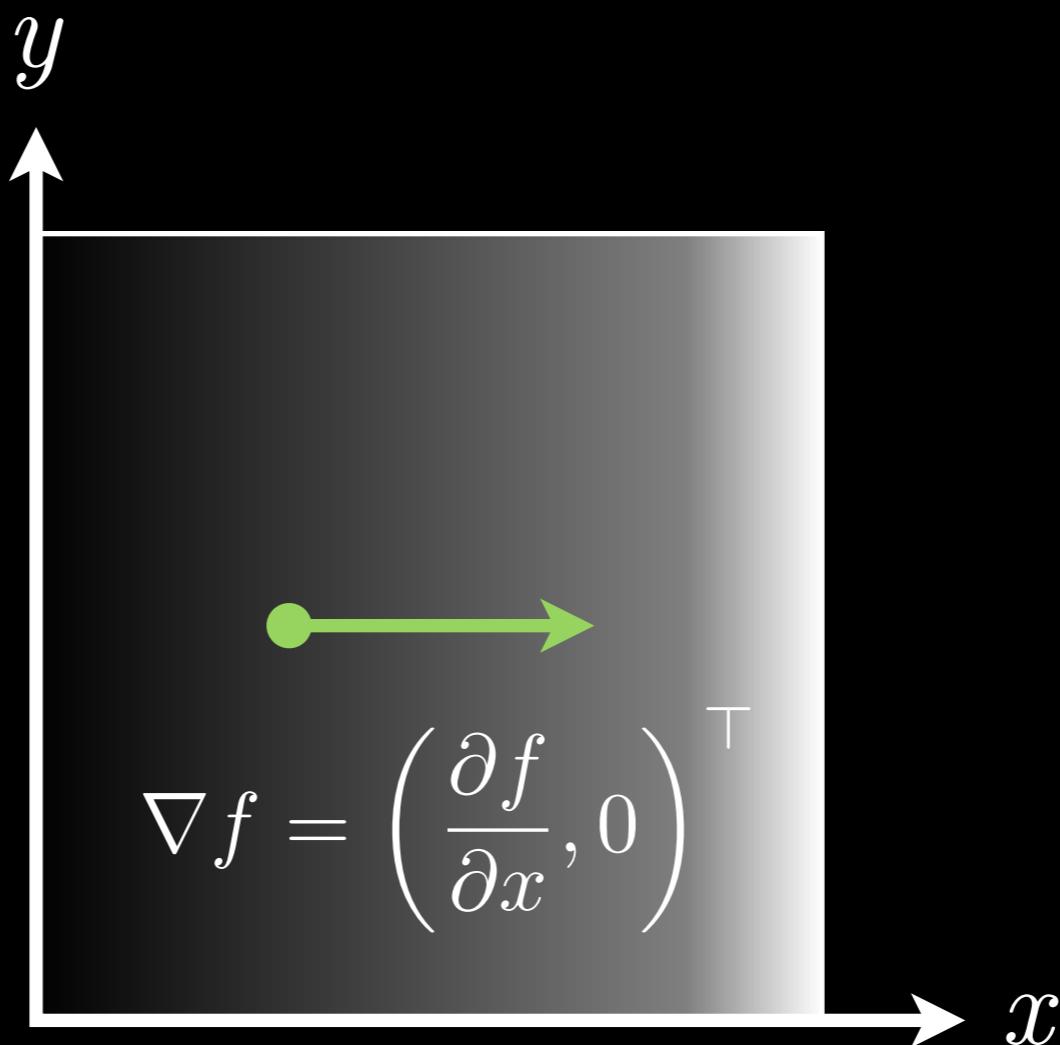
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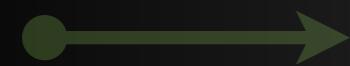
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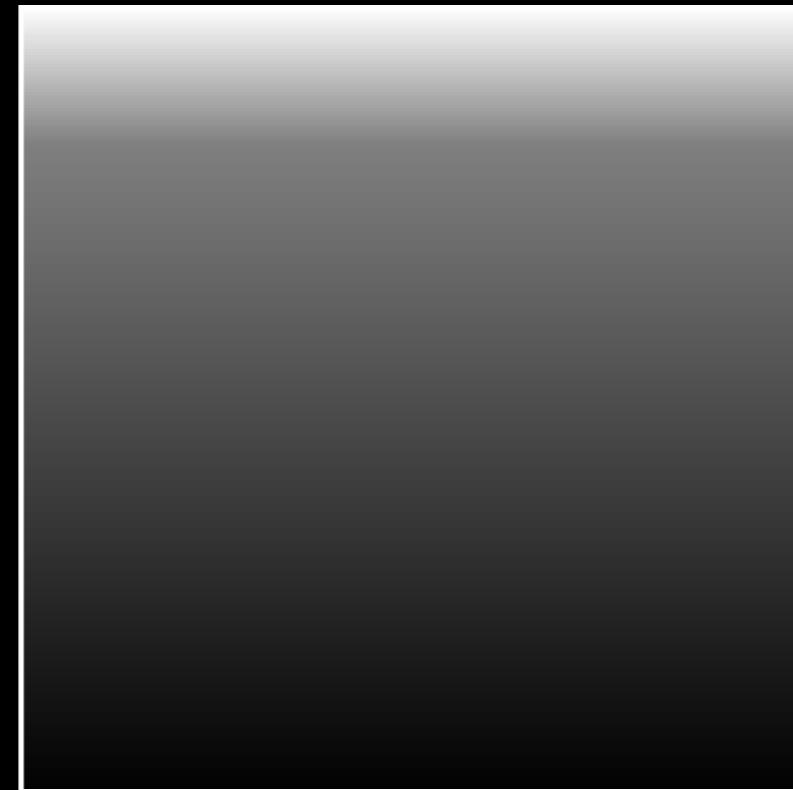


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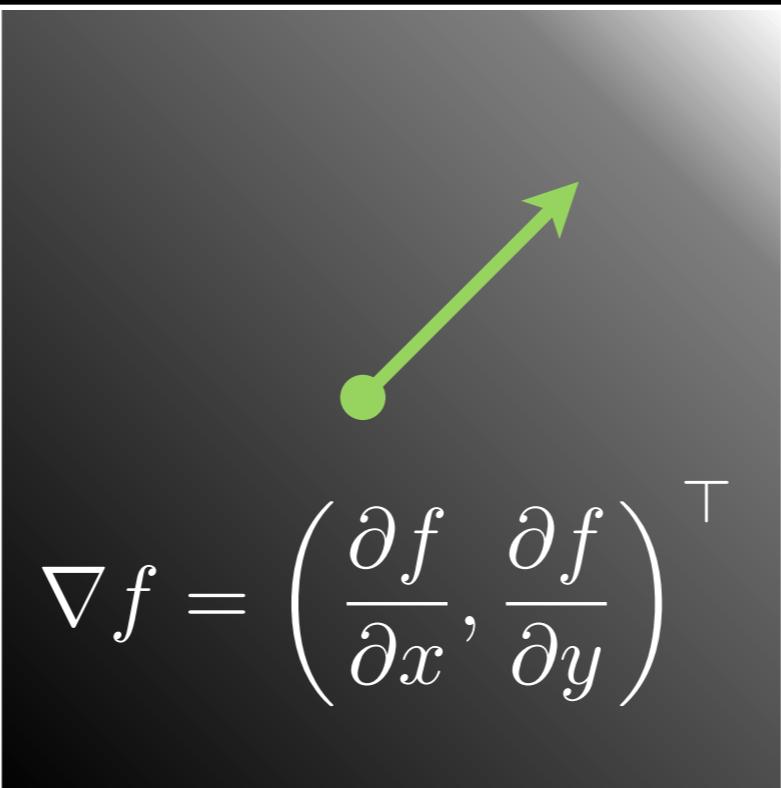
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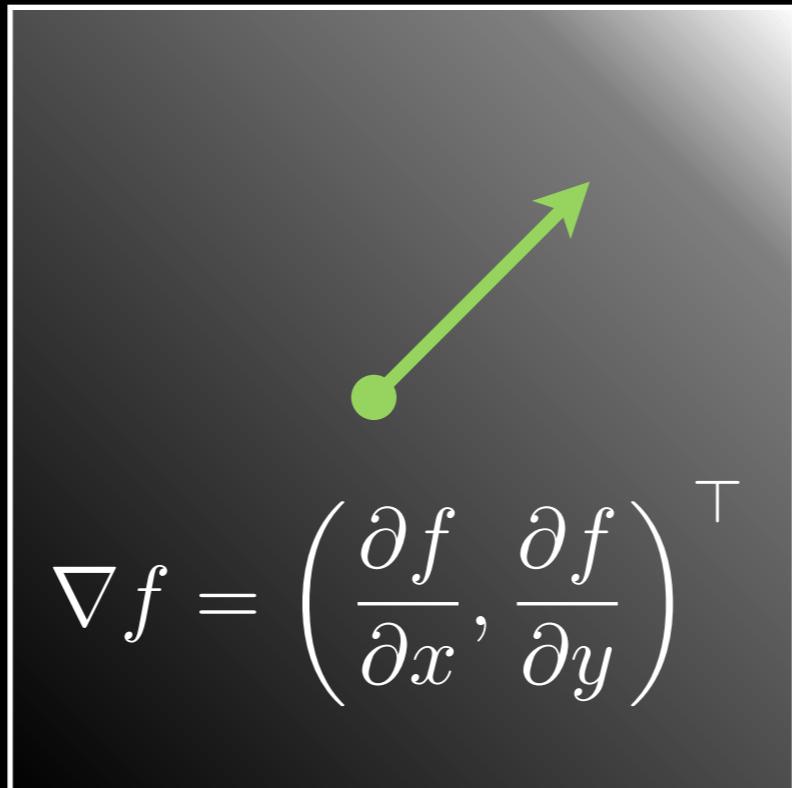


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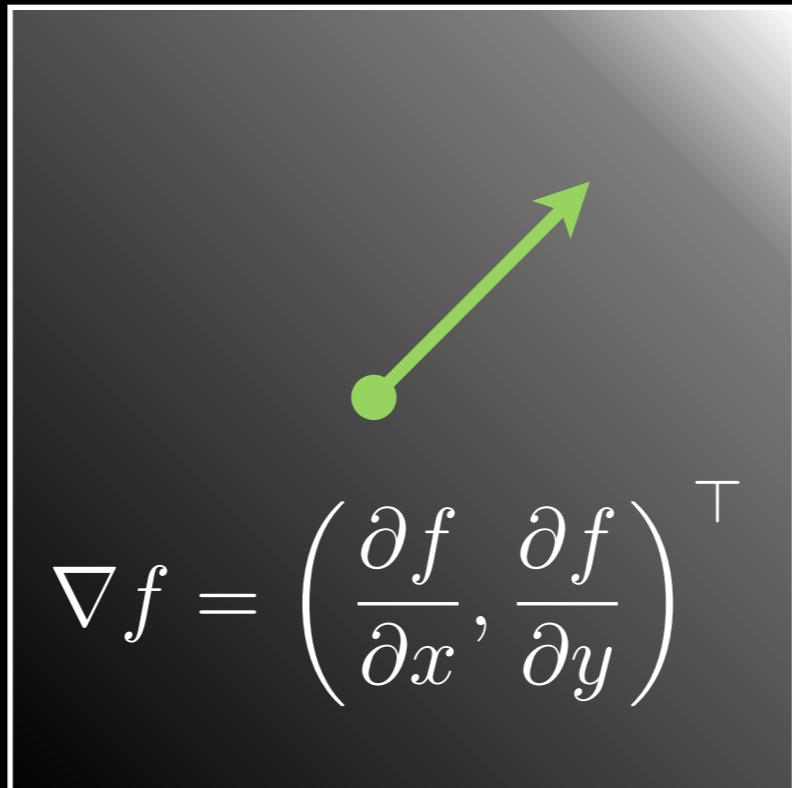


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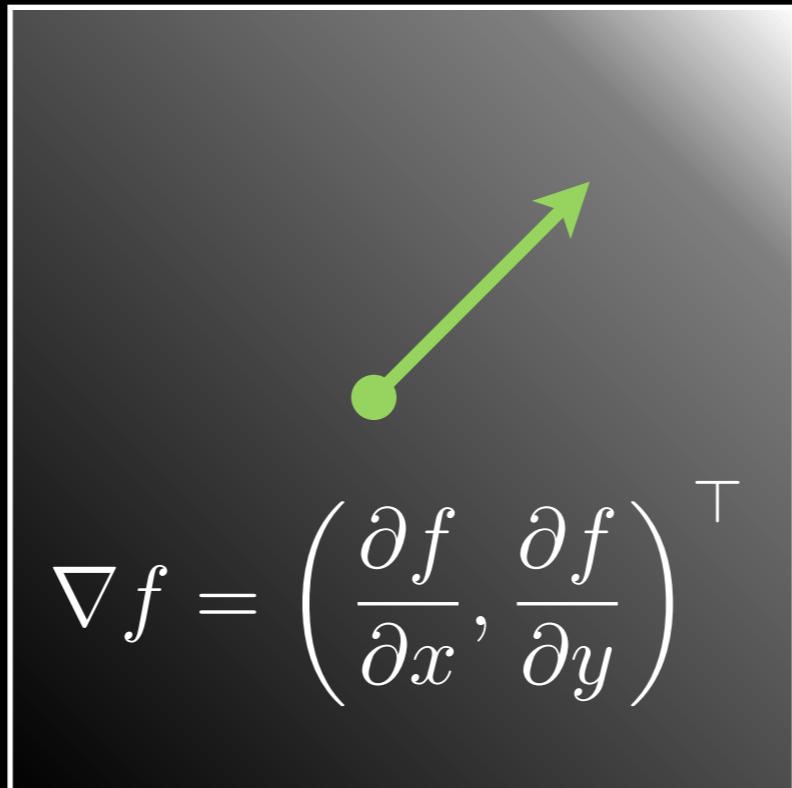


## Gradient magnitude



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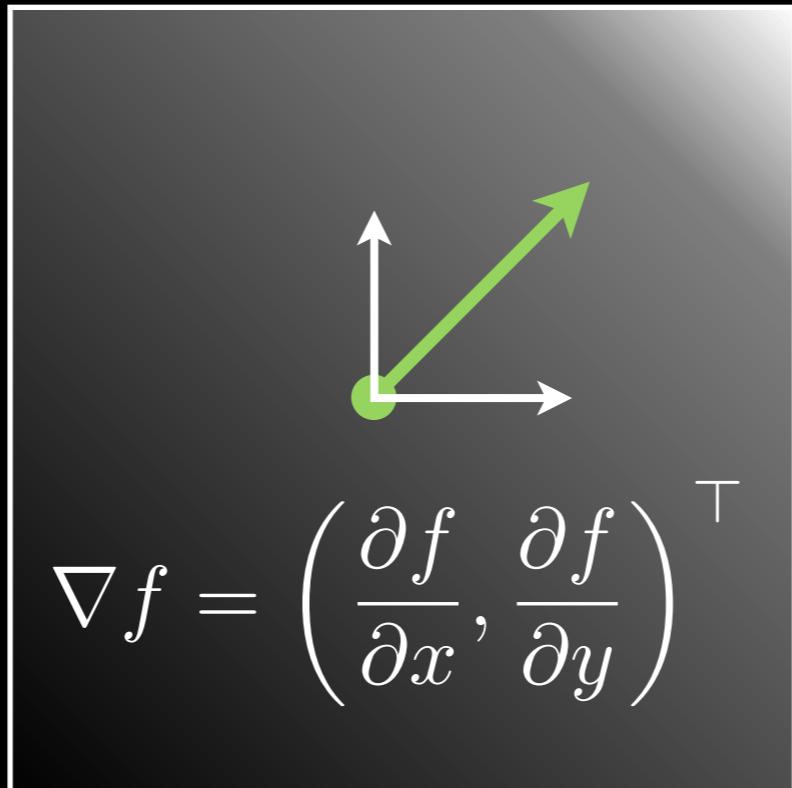
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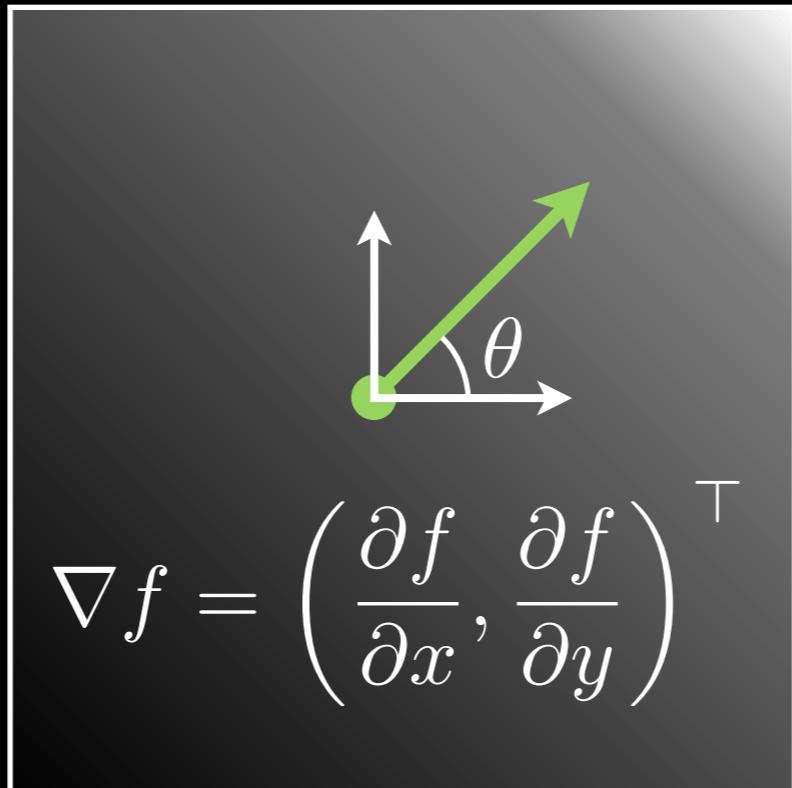
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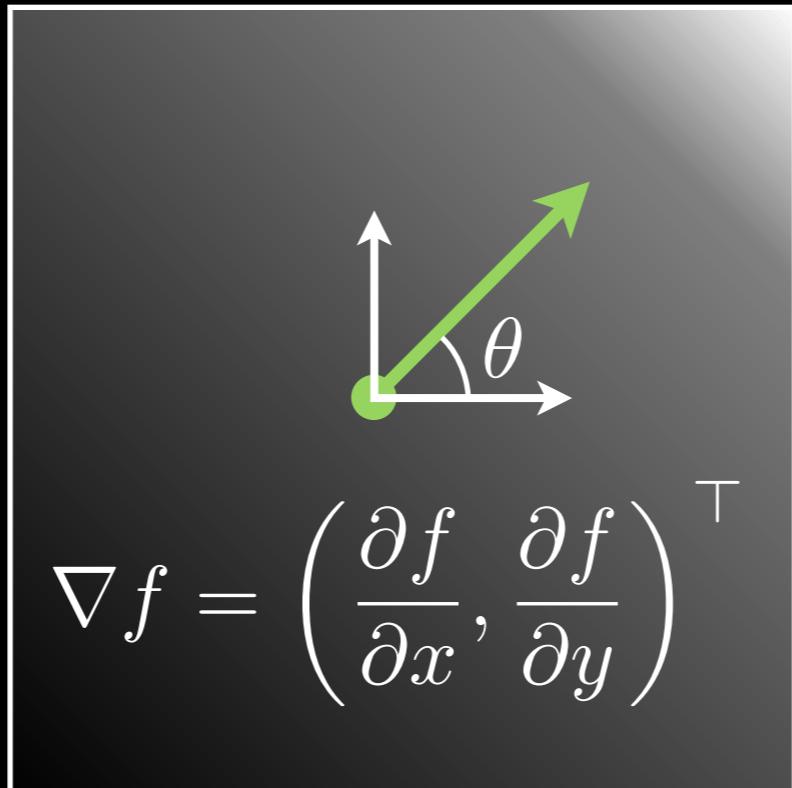
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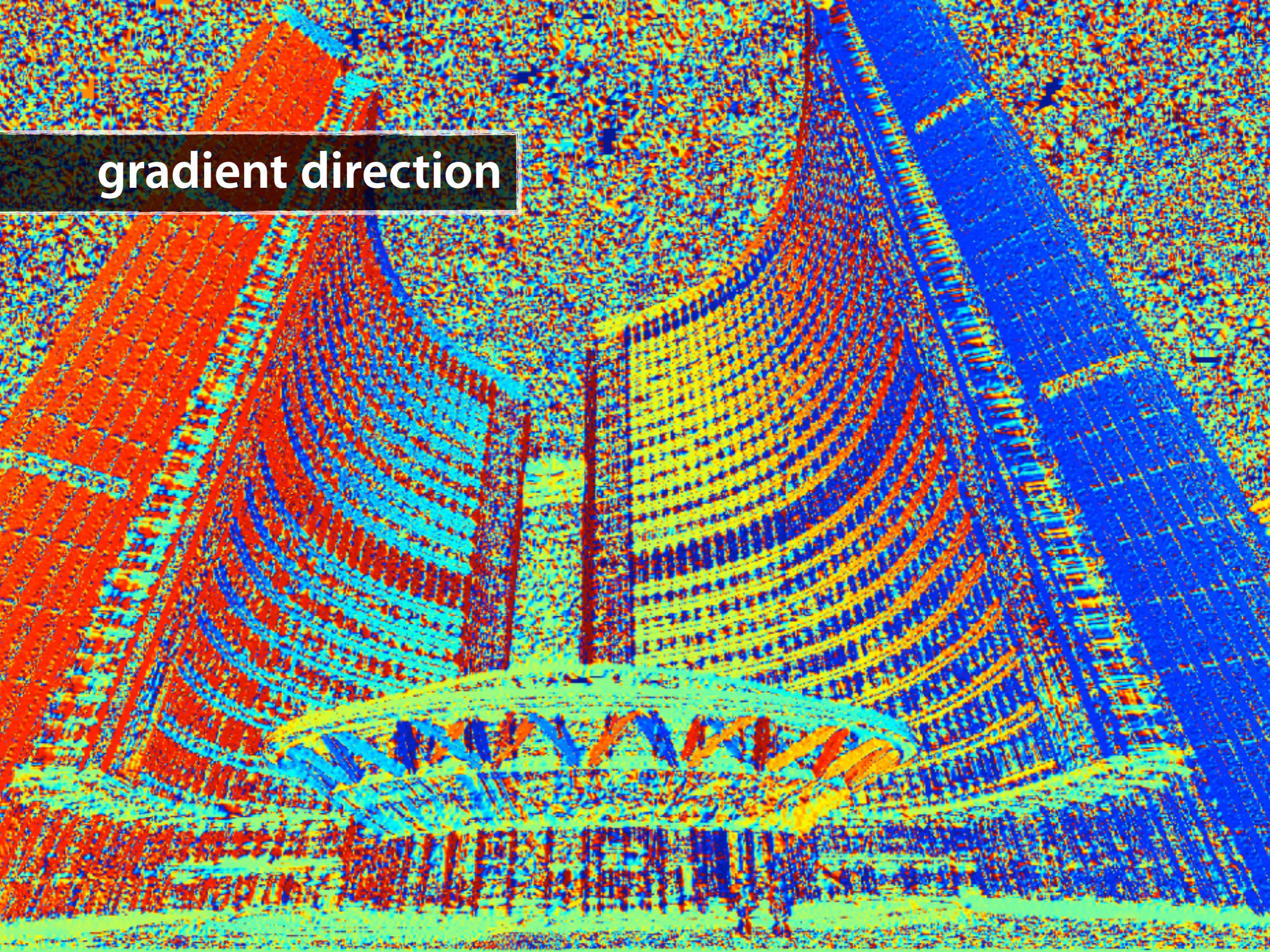
**Gradient direction**     $\theta = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}}{\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}} \right)$

original





gradient magnitude



gradient direction