

# 演算法與程式解題實務

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# Segment Tree

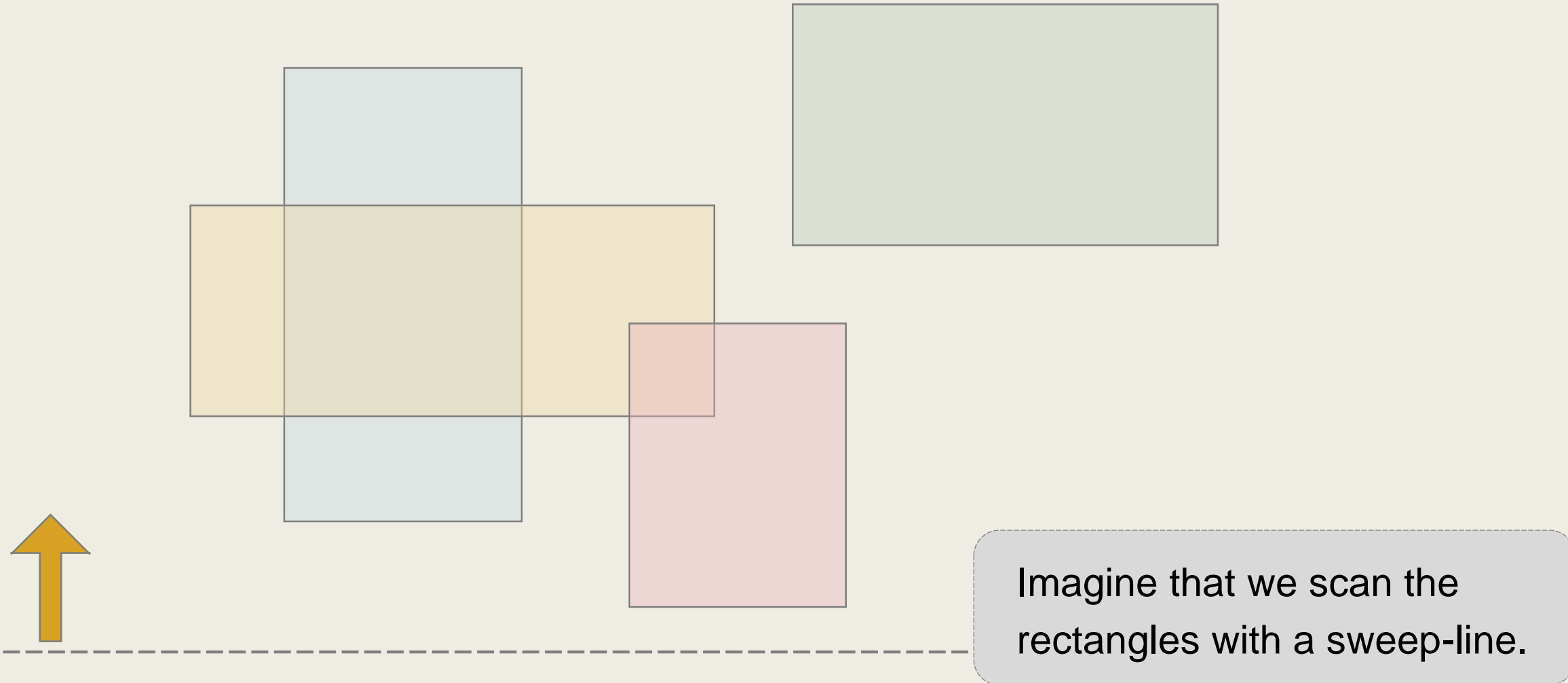
- Segment Tree is a data structure that can be used to **answer queries** that are **related to “segments”**.
- This data structure is applicable when
  - For any two “disjoint” segments  $I_1$  and  $I_2$ ,  
the answer for query( $I_1 \cup I_2$ ) can be obtained  
from the answers for query( $I_1$ ) and query( $I_2$ ).
- In other words, segment tree can be used when the query can be solved by “divide-and-conquer”.

# Ex 1. Union of Segments

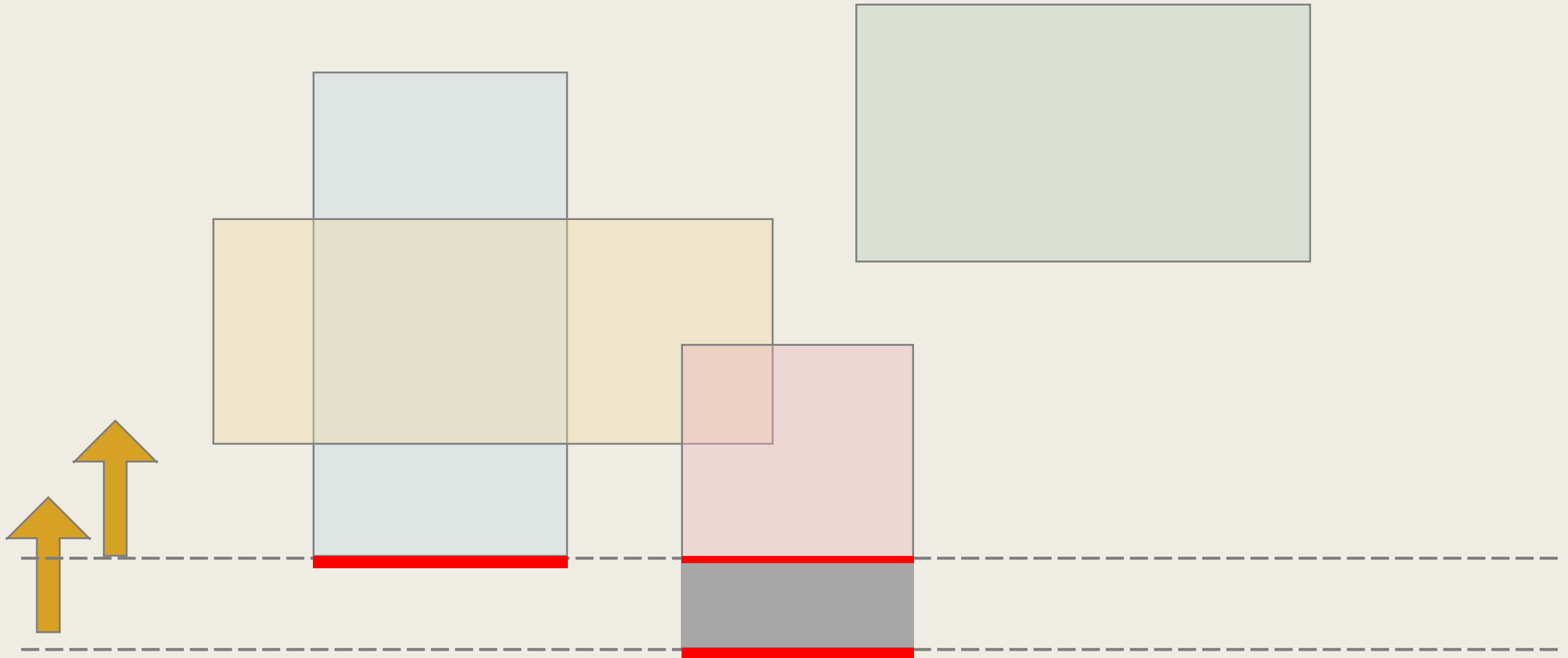
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    - to insert / delete the segment  $I = [a_i, a_j]$  into  $A$ .
  - **Length**.
    - to report the length of  $\bigcup_{I' \in A} I'$ .

This is exactly the problem  
you have in ProgHW-III-D.

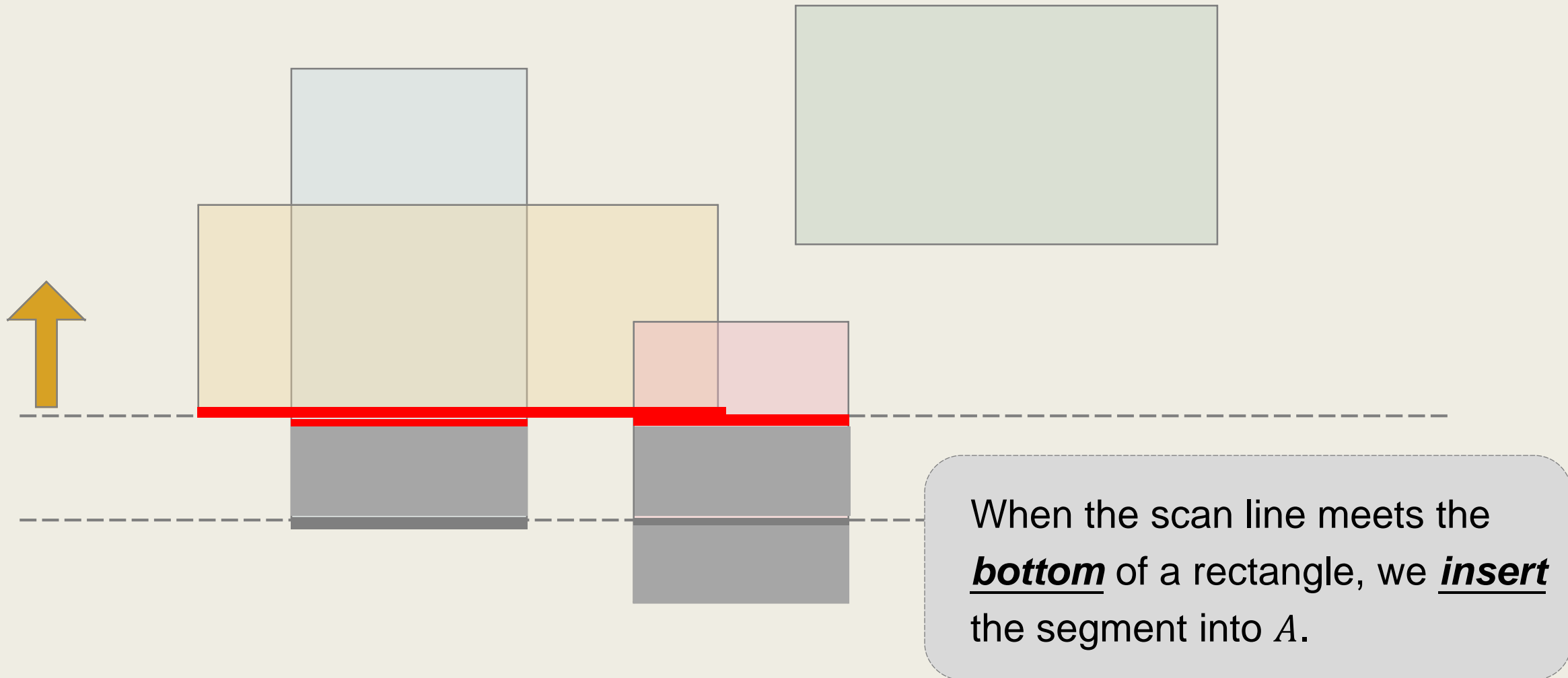
# Application – Area of 2D-Rectangles



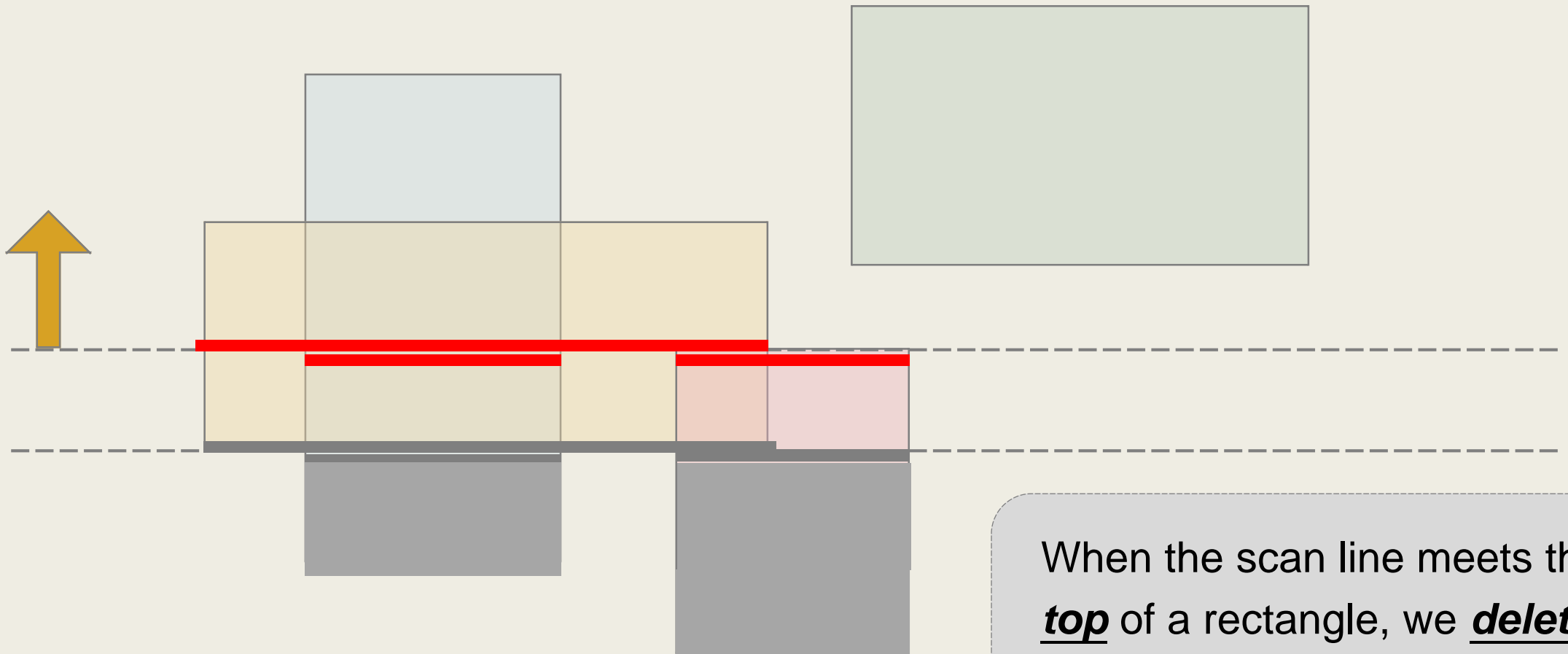
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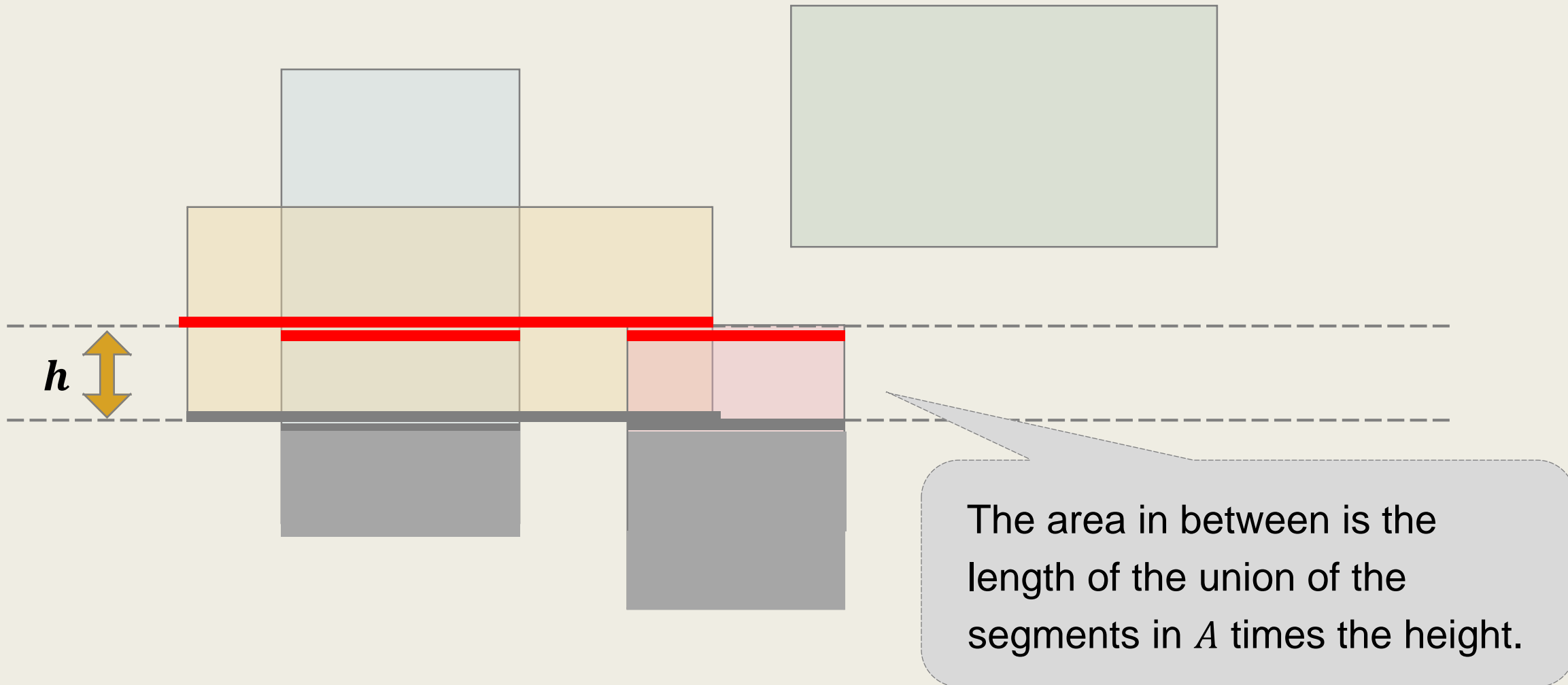


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When the scan line meets the **top** of a rectangle, we **delete** the segment from *A*.

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## Ex 2. Range Minimum Query

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we want to answer the following query.

- **Minimum**( $\ell, r$ ) for some  $1 \leq \ell \leq r \leq n$ .
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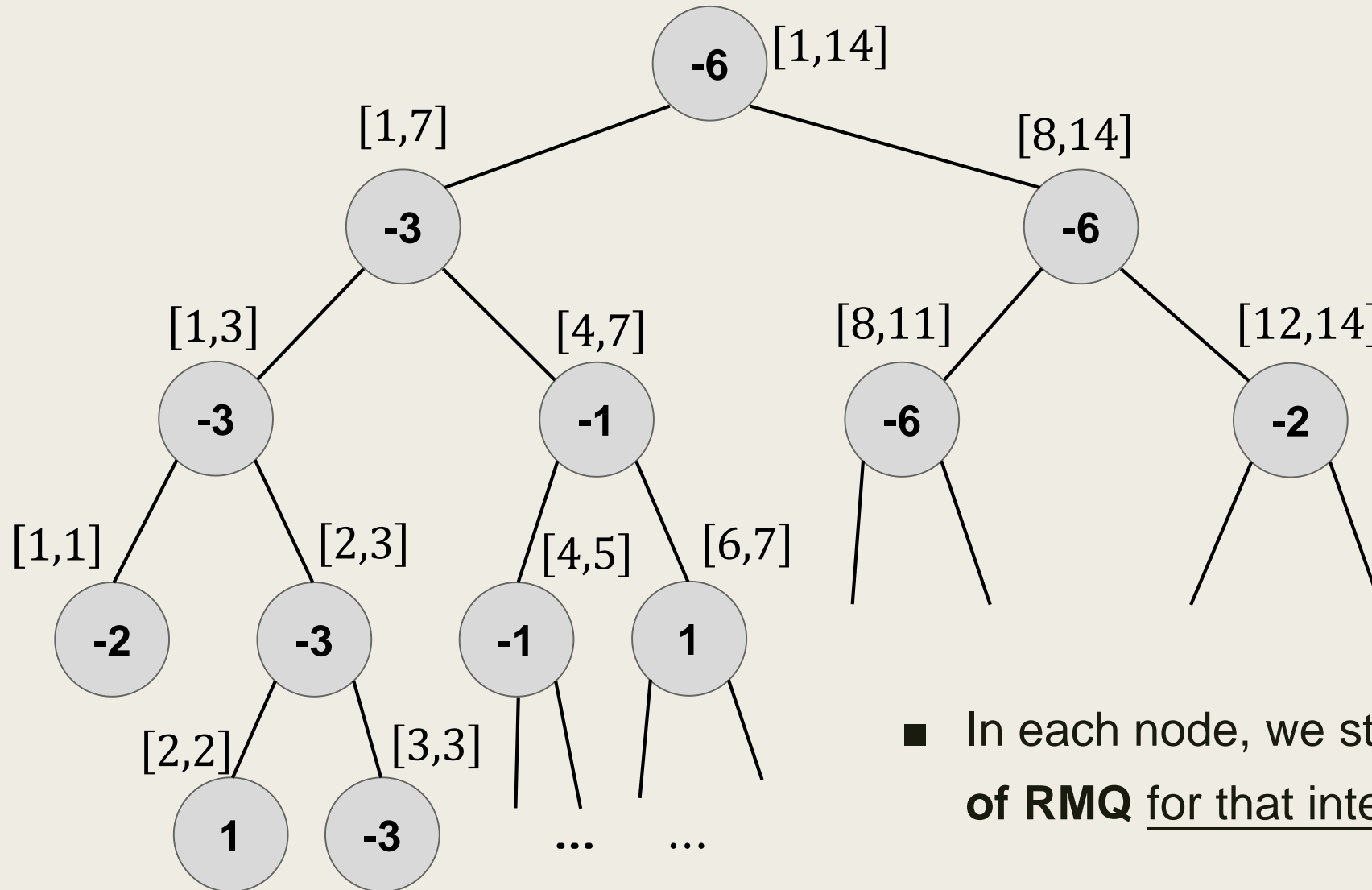
Has a minimum of  $-6$ .

-2	1	-3	4	-1	2	1	-5	4	-6	2	3	-2	1
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# Segment Tree for Range Minimum Query

- Let's examine how segment tree works for RMQ.
  - For any  $1 \leq \ell \leq r \leq n$ , let  $[\ell, r]$  denote the numbers  $a_\ell, \dots, a_r$ .
- The segment tree is a complete binary tree with root  $I_r := [1, n]$ , and each node  $I_v := [\ell, r]$  with  $\ell < r$  has two children nodes
  - Left( $v$ ) for the segment  $[\ell, \text{mid}]$ , where  $\text{mid} = \lfloor (\ell + r)/2 \rfloor$ ,
  - Right( $v$ ) for the segment  $[\text{mid} + 1, r]$ .
  - In each node, we store the **answer of RMQ** for that interval.

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struct node {  
    int left, right, mid;  
    int rmq;  
    node *lc, *rc;  
} A[maxN*2];
```

where **maxN** is the maximum number of elements.

- *Refer to the example code for the procedures.*

# Building the Segment Tree for RMQ

- Building the tree is straightforward.

Simply follow the definition.

- Build-Tree( $v, \ell, r$ ) -- to Build a segment tree for  $[\ell, r]$  at node  $v$ .

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- Set  $v.\text{left} \leftarrow \ell$ ,  $v.\text{right} = r$ , and  $v.\text{mid} \leftarrow (\ell + r)/2$ .
  - if  $\ell = r$ , then // This is a leaf node  
set  $v.\text{rmq} = a_\ell$  and return.
  - Otherwise, create nodes  $y, z$ . Set  $v.\text{lc} \leftarrow y$  and  $v.\text{rc} \leftarrow z$ .  
Call Build-Tree( $y, \ell, v.\text{mid}$ ) and Build-Tree( $z, v.\text{mid} + 1, r$ ).
  - Set  $v.\text{rmq} \leftarrow \min(v.\text{lc}.\text{rmq}, v.\text{rc}.\text{rmq})$ .

# Querying the Segment Tree for RMQ

- Let  $I_v := [v.\text{left}, v.\text{right}]$  denote the segment stored in node  $v$ .

- Query-Tree( $v, \ell, r$ ) -- to return the minimum within  $[\ell, r] \cap I_v$ .

A. // the node is completely contained within  $[\ell, r]$ .

If  $\ell \leq v.\text{left}$  and  $r \geq v.\text{right}$ , then return  $v.\text{rmq}$ .

B. If  $v.\text{mid} < \ell$ , then return Query-Tree( $v.rc, \ell, r$ ).

If  $r \leq v.\text{mid}$ , then return Query-Tree( $v.lc, \ell, r$ ).

C. Return

$\min(\text{Query-Tree}(v.lc, \ell, r), \text{Query-Tree}(v.rc, \ell, r))$ .

Make recursive calls according to the definition.

# Analysis of the Procedure Query-Tree

- Let  $I := [\ell, r]$  denote the query interval and  $I_v := [v.\text{left}, v.\text{right}]$  be the segment stored in node  $v$ .
- The procedure starts from the root of the tree.
  - If the segment  $I_v \subseteq I$ , then  $I \cap I_v = I_v$ , and we already have the answer  $v.\text{rmq}$ .
  - Otherwise,
$$I \cap I_v = (I \cap I_{v.lc}) \cup (I \cap I_{v.rc}),$$
and the answer is given by recursive calls to Query-Tree.

$$I \cap I_{v.lc} = \emptyset \text{ if } v.\text{mid} < \ell.$$

$$I \cap I_{v.rc} = \emptyset \text{ if } r \leq v.\text{mid}.$$

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- For the time-complexity, consider the following cases.
  - If  $I_v \subseteq I$ , then the procedure returns immediately.
  - If  $I \cap I_{v.lc} = \emptyset$  or  $I \cap I_{v.rc} = \emptyset$ ,  
then the procedure makes exactly one recursive call.
  - Otherwise, two recursive calls are made.



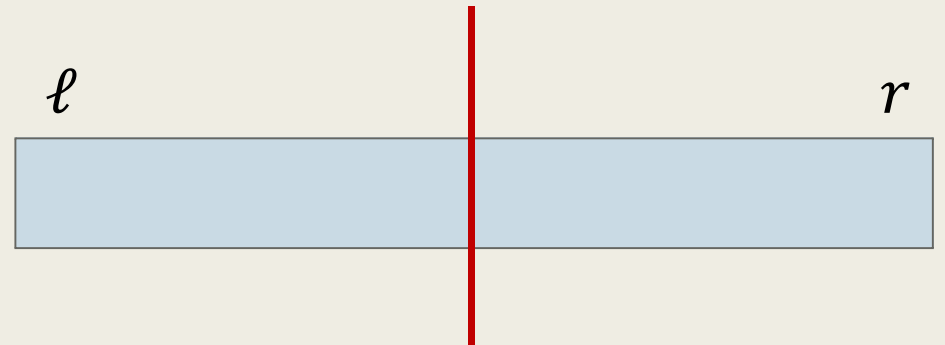
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- The procedure starts from the root of the tree.
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  - Otherwise, consider **the first time** for which the procedure **makes two recursive calls.**

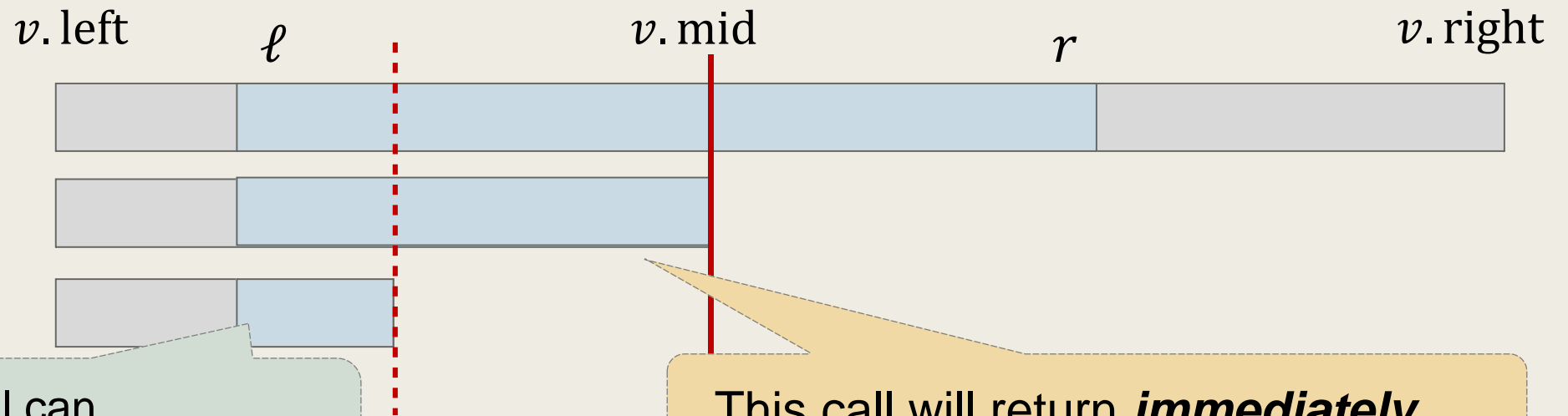
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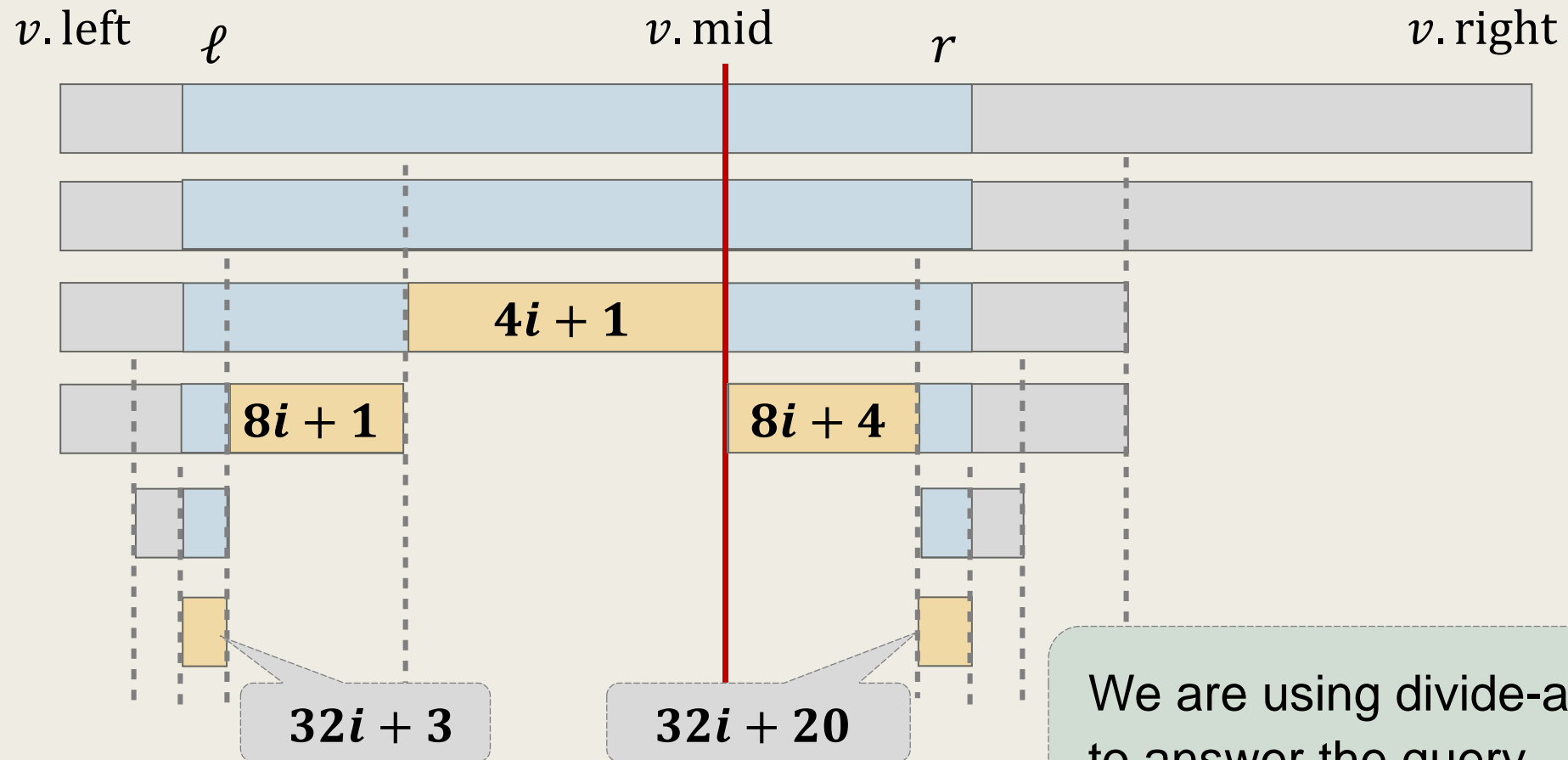


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# Updating the Segment Tree for RMQ

- Updating an element  $a_i$  is straightforward. It takes  $O(\log n)$  time.

- Update-Tree( $v, j$ ) -- called after the value of  $a_j$  is updated.
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- A. If  $v.\text{left} = v.\text{right}$  and  $v.\text{left} = j$ , then  
set  $v.\text{rmq} \leftarrow a_j$  and return.
- B. If  $v.\text{mid} < j$ , then call Update-Tree( $v.\text{rc}, j$ ).  
If  $j \leq v.\text{mid}$ , then call Update-Tree( $v.\text{lc}, j$ ).
- C. Set  $v.\text{rmq} \leftarrow \min(v.\text{lc}.\text{rmq}, v.\text{rc}.\text{rmq})$  and return.

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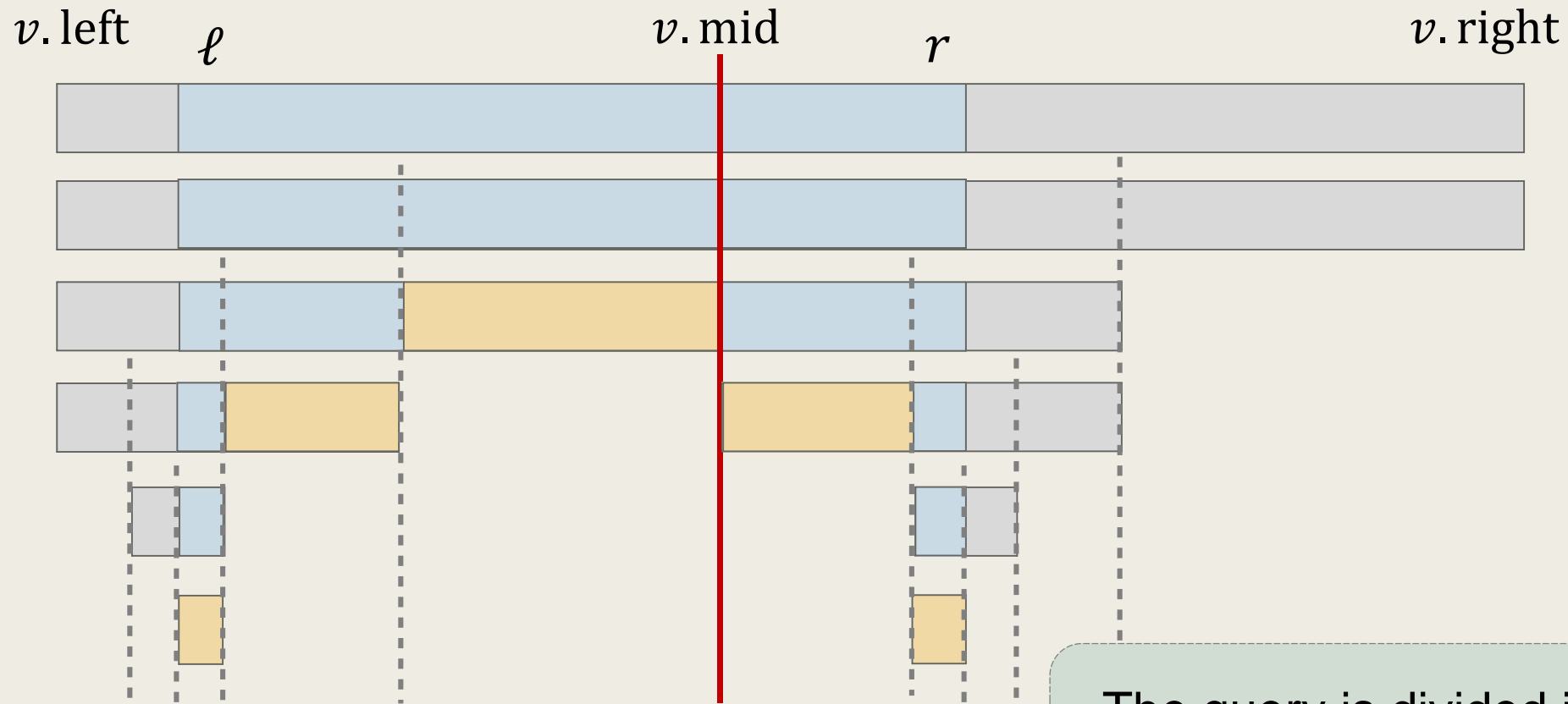
After that, each query can be done in  $O(\log n)$  time.

Build the segment tree in  $O(n)$  time.

# Segment Tree for ***Union of Segments***

- For each query interval  $I$  to be inserted (or deleted), we ***divide the interval*** into  $O(\log n)$  pieces and store (or remove) them in (from) the segment tree.
  - We use the *standard query procedure* to store / remove the query interval.
  - For each node  $v$ , we need to store the following information.
    - Number of times  $I_v$  is stored.
    - **Total length** of the union of segments **within**  $I_v$ .

- The standard query procedure **divides** the query interval into  $O(\log n)$  pieces, which can be stored in the tree.



The query is divided into  $O(\log n)$  pieces and stored separately.



# Segment Tree for *Union of Segments*

- We use the following way to store the segment tree.

```
struct node {  
    int left, right, mid;  
    int cnt; // number of times  $I_v$  is stored  
    int len;  
    node *lc, *rc;  
} A[maxN*2];
```

where **maxN** is the maximum number of endpoints.

# Area of 2-D Rectangles

- Given  $n$  rectangles  $R_1, R_2, \dots, R_n$ ,  
the area of their union can be computed in  $O(n \log n)$  time.
  - Sorting takes  $O(n \log n)$  time.
  - The segment tree can be built in  $O(n)$  time.
  - There are  $O(n)$  queries (insertion, deletion, length),  
each can be answered in  $O(\log n)$  time.

## Ex 3. Union of Segments (Adv. Version)

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  - **Length** for some  $I := [a_i, a_j]$  with  $i < j$ .
    - to report the length of

$$I \cap \bigcup_{I' \in A} I' .$$

This is a bonus problem  
in ProgHW-III-D.