



2º PARTE

# MOVEMENT ON GRAPH

## ISTANZA

IN  $G = (V, E)$   $T_C$   $|V| = n$   
 $P \subseteq V$   $|P| = k$   
 $\sigma: P \rightarrow V$

OUT  $\mu: P \rightarrow V$

GOALS SIA  $U := \{\mu(p)\}_{p \in P} \subseteq V$ :

CONNECTIVITY sottografo indotto da  $U$ 连通

INDEPENDENCY  $U$  indipendente  $\Leftrightarrow |U| = k$

CLIQUE  $U$  clique di  $G$

MEASURES  $P \in P$  spostato da  $\sigma(p)$  a  $\mu(p)$   
 tramite % shortest path sul grafo

OVERALL MOVEMENT

$$SOM(\mu) = \sum_{p \in P} d_G(\sigma(p), \mu(p))$$

MAXIMUM MOVEMENT

$$MAX(\mu) = \max_{p \in P} d_G(\sigma(p), \mu(p))$$

#PEBBLE MOVED

$$NUM(\mu) = |\{p \in P \mid \sigma(p) \neq \mu(p)\}|$$

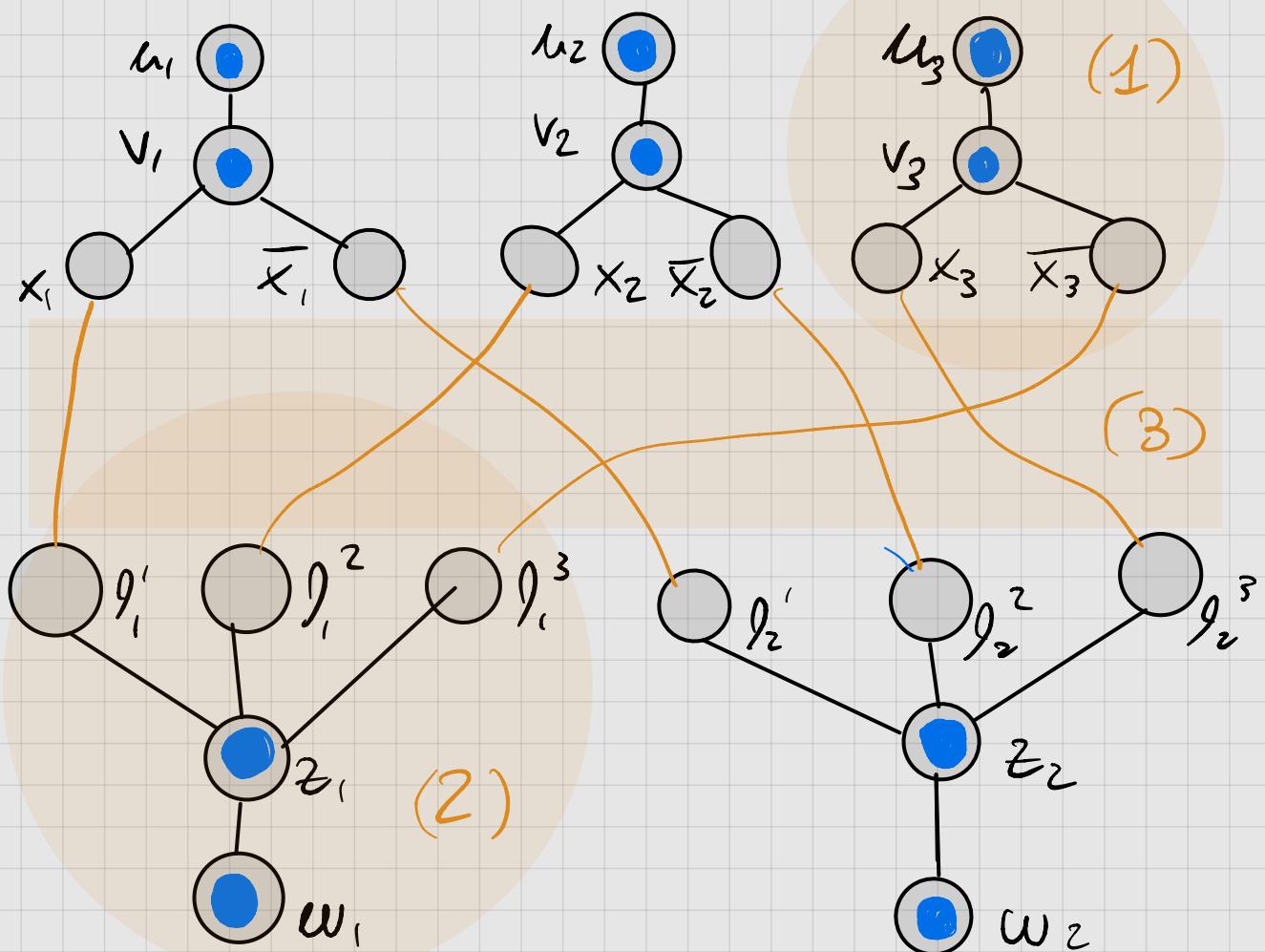
# IND-MAX HARDNESS

IS  $\subseteq V \setminus T_C$  have  $\exists (u, v)$   
 max IS  $\cup^* \subseteq V \setminus T_C$   $|U^*| > |U| + U$

3 SAT  $\rightarrow$  IND MAX

- (1) VARIABLE GADGET  $\forall x_i \in \{0, 1\}$
- (2) CAUSE GADGET  $\forall c_3 = (q_3^1, q_3^2, q_3^3)$
- (3)  $\forall q_3^i \in C_3$  introduce  $\begin{cases} (q_3^i, x_i) \text{ sc } q_3^i = x_i \\ (q_3^i, \bar{x}_i) \end{cases}$

$$\delta = (\bar{x}_1 \vee \bar{x}_2 \vee x_3) \wedge (x_1 \vee x_2 \vee \bar{x}_3)$$



**CLAIM**  $\&$  SODDISFAZIONE  $\Leftrightarrow \exists$  SOL PER IND-MAX DI COSTO 1

**Proof**

( $\Rightarrow$ ) - CONSIDERO  $T$  PER  $\mathcal{F}$

-  $\forall x_i \in T$  VERA: SPOSTO P DA  $V_i$  A  $x_i$ , IN  $\bar{x}_i$  ALTRIMENTI

-  $\forall q_j^k$  VERO  $T_{j,C} \Delta\text{DI}(q_j^k)$  LIBERO  $\Rightarrow$  SPOSTO P DA  $z_i$  A  $q_j^k$

-  $\forall c_s$  ALMENO UN  $q_j^k$  VERO  $T_{j,C} \Delta\text{DI}(q_j^k)$  VUOTO

( $\Leftarrow$ ) - CONSIDERO  $\cup$  SOLUZIONE IND-MAX

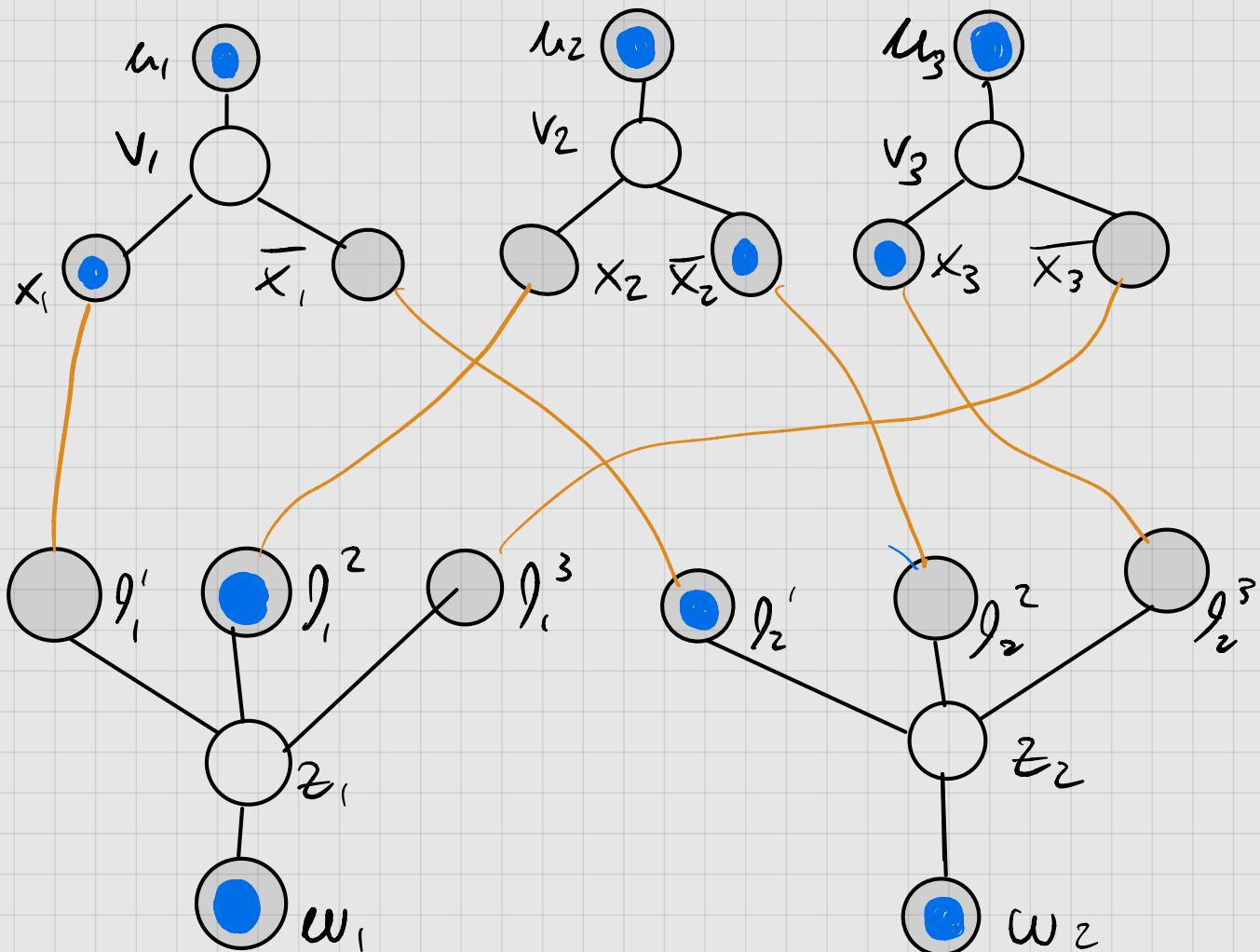
- OGNI P IN  $V$  DEVE ESSERE STATO SPOSTATO IN  $x_i$  o  $\bar{x}_i$ , SETTA MOLO TRUE IN  $T$ .

- OGNI P SU  $z_i$  DEVE ESSERE STATO SPOSTATO IN  $q_j^k$  E  $\Delta\text{DI}(q_j^k)$  VUOTO

-  $q_j^k$  SODDISFATTO  $\Rightarrow$   $c_v$  SODDISFATTO

□

$$\mathcal{F} = (\bar{x}_1 \vee \bar{x}_2 \vee x_3) \wedge (x_1 \vee x_2 \vee \bar{x}_3), \quad T = \{x_1, \bar{x}_2, x_3\}$$



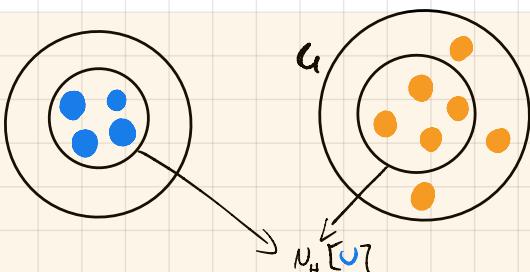
# IND-MAX APPROXIMABILITY

TH(HALL'S MATCHING) SIA  $H = (V_1 + V_2, E)$  BIPARTITO  
 $\Rightarrow \exists$  MATCHING  $M$  T/C  $|M| = |V_1| \Leftrightarrow |A| \leq N_H(A) \forall A \subseteq V_1$

LEMMA SIA  $U^*$  MAX IS DI G

$\Rightarrow \forall U$  IS DI G  $\Rightarrow$

$$|U^* \cap N_H[U]| \geq |U|$$

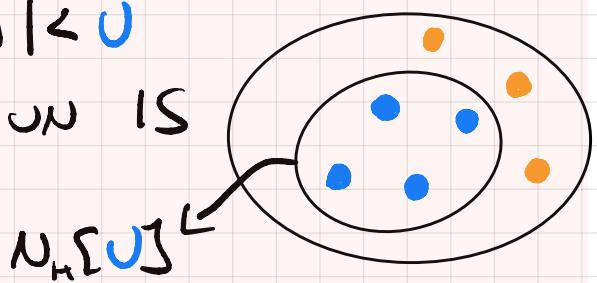


Proof SUPPONIAMO  $|U^* \cap N_H[U]| < |U|$

$$\Rightarrow U' = (U^* \setminus N_H[U]) \cup U \in \text{UN IS}$$

$$\Rightarrow |U'| > |U^*| \Rightarrow \perp$$

□



LEMMA  $\forall$  IS  $U$  DI G  $\exists f: U \rightarrow U^*$  INIEZIVA T/C

$$d_G(u, f(u)) \leq 1$$

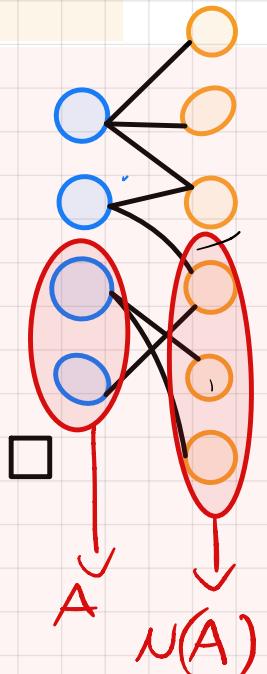
Proof

- COSTRUIAMO IL BIPARTITO  $H = (U + U^*, E)$

- CONNETTIAMO  $u \in U$  A  $U^* \cap N_H[\{u\}]$

- DA HALL'S MATCHING

$$\forall A \subseteq U \Rightarrow N(A) = |U^* \cap N_H[A]| \geq |A|$$



TH SE UN MAX IS DI G TROVABILE IN POLY. T (AD È SU GRADI BIPIATTI)  $\Rightarrow$  IND-MAX TROVABILE CON 1-ADDITIVE ERROR

ALGO TROVA UN IND-MAX DATO  $U^*$

$U^* \leftarrow$  max IS di G

if ( $|U^*| < |P|$ ):

return NO\_SOL

for  $k=0$  to  $|V|-1$ :

$$\bar{F} = \{(P, u) \in P \times U^{*T} : d(\sigma(P), u) \leq k\}$$

$$H = (P + U^*, E)$$

M = max\_bipartite\_matching(H)

// HALL'S TH

if ( $|M| = |P|$ ):

return M

• L'ADDITIVE ERR È DÀ DA:

- SE UN IS È A SPORTE I PEBBZE CON SOLUZIONE DI COST

- CON UN ALTRO PASSO (COST+1) LI SUBSTITUISCE IL MAX IS

# DISTRIBUTED VERTEX COLORING

VERTEX COLORING  $G(V, E)$   $T_C$   $\forall v \in V$  COLORATO

VALID VERTEX COLORING  $\exists v_1, v_2 \in V$  ADDS.  $T_C$   $C_{v_1} \neq C_{v_2}$

K-COLORING VERTEX COLORING  $\Delta$  K COLES

CHROMATIC NUMBER  $\varphi(G) = \min \kappa$   $T_C \exists K\text{-COLORING}(G)$

## $\Delta+1$ COLORING

$$\Delta = \max_{v \in V} \delta(v) = \delta(G)$$

CLAIM Ogni  $G$  AMMETTE  $\Delta+1$  COLORING, cioè  
 $\varphi(G) \leq \Delta+1 \quad \forall G$

Proof

- $\forall v \in V \exists$  Paletta( $v$ ) CON  $\delta(v)+1$  COLES DISTINTI
- $\tau = \#N_{col}(v)$
- MARCA NON DISPONIBILE  $c_u \in T_C \setminus N_{col}(v)$
- $\#c_v - \text{RIMASTI} \geq \delta(v)+1 - \tau \geq \delta(v)+1 - \delta(v) = 1$   
↳ RIMANE SEMPRE UN COLORE DISPONIBILE PER  $v$

□

ALGO

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# $v \in V$  CREO Paletta( $v$ )  $\Delta$   $\delta(v)+1$  COLES
WHILE  $\exists v \in V$  NON COLORATO
    COLORO  $v$  CON  $c_v \in$  Paletta( $v$ )  $\in T_C$   $c_v$  DISP
    FOR  $u \in N(v)$ 
        MARCO  $c_u \in$  Paletta( $v$ ) NON-DISP
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## MIS-COLORING

COLORUNA e IS IN OGNI VAUDO VERTEX COLORING ( $c_i$ ), i NODI CON STESSO COLORE FORMANO UN IS

### ALGO

$$c = 1$$

WHILE  $\exists v \in V$  NON COLORATO

TROVA MIS I DEL SOTTOGRAFO INDOTTO DAI  $v \in V$  NON COLORATI.

ASSEGNA C AD OGNI  $v \in I$

C++

### ANALYSIS

LEMMA MASSIMA  $\Delta + 1$  ITERAZIONI

Proof

ITERAZIONE K

GRADO EFFETTIVO  $\text{eff-d}(v) = |\{u \in V \mid u \sim v \text{ e } u \notin I\}|$

END of K

OGNI  $v \in V$  ADJ. A MEI (ALTR.  $|I \cup \{v\}| > |I| \perp$ )

$\text{eff-d}(v) = \Delta$

END of  $K = \Delta$

$\text{eff-d}(v) = \emptyset$

END of  $K = \Delta + 1$

OGNI  $v \in V$  RIMASTO ENTRA IN I  $\square$

### COMPLEXITY

$\underbrace{O(\Delta + 1)}_{\# \text{ITERATIONS}} \underbrace{O(\log \Delta \log n)}_{\text{LUBY - HIGH PROB.}} = O(\Delta \log \Delta \log n)$  HIGH PROB.

# 2 Δ-COLORINCI

$$|\text{Palett}(v)| = 2f(v)$$

SE  $v$  NON COLORATO ALLA FASE  $k$

SCÉGLI  $c_v \in \text{Palett}(v)$  CANDIDATO

SE  $c_v \neq c_u$   $\text{men}(v)$  DEFINITIVO

SENNO RICETTA  $c_v$

I NODI CHE RIGETTANO PASSANO A  $k+1$

TERMINA QUANDO OGNI  $v$  COLORATO

ALGO (Per  $v \in V$ )

WHILE  $v$  NON COLORATO

SCÉGLI  $c_v$

IF  $c_v = c_u$  PER QUALCUNO  $u \in \text{men}(v)$

  RIGETTA  $c_v$

ELSE

$c_v$  DEFINITIVO

  NOTIFICA A  $\text{men}(v)$  LA SCELTA

$c_u$  RIMOSSO DA  $\text{Palett}(u)$

# ANALYSIS

CONSIDERA  $v$  ALLA FASE  $k$

$$A(v) = \{c_v \mid \text{DISPONIBILE } T_c \text{ C.V.} \in \text{Padelle}_k(v)\}$$

$$U(v) = \{c_u \mid \text{CANDIDATO } T_c \text{ C.U.} \in N_{\text{non col}}(v)\}$$

$$A'(v) = A(v) \setminus U(v)$$

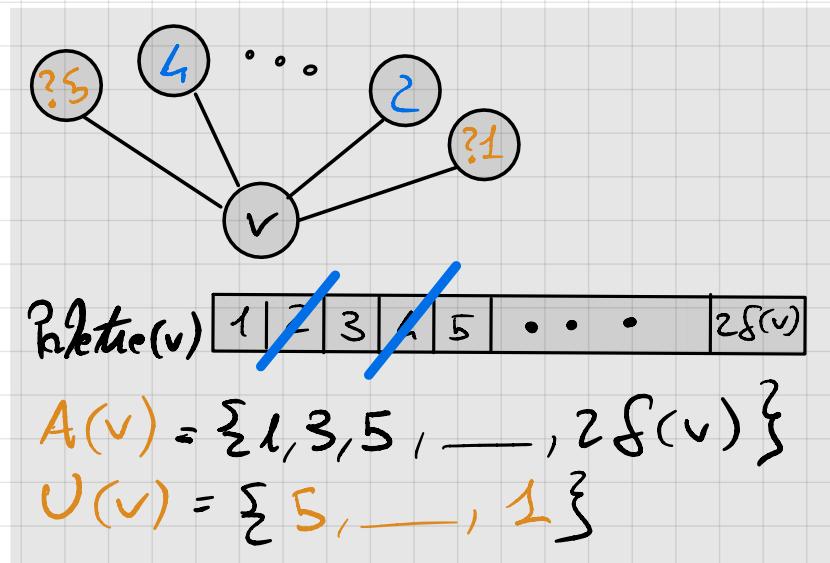
$$\vartheta = |N_{\text{non col}}(v)|$$

segue:

$$|A'(v)| = |A(v) \setminus U(v)| >$$

$$> |A(v)| - |U(v)| \geq$$

$$\geq (\underbrace{2\delta(v)}_{\leq \max|Padelle(v)|} - \underbrace{(\delta(v) - \vartheta)}_{N_{\text{col}}(v)}) - \vartheta = \delta(v)$$



QUINDI:

$$\text{Prob}_k(v \text{ ACCETTA } c_v) = \frac{|A'(v)|}{|A(v)|} \geq \frac{\delta(v)}{2\delta(v)} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Prob}_{k=1-2\log m}(v \text{ RIGETTA } c_v) \leq (1 - \frac{1}{2})^{2\log m} = \frac{1}{2^{2\log m}} = \frac{1}{m^2}$$

$$\text{Prob}_{k=1-2\log m}(\text{ALMENO UN } v \text{ RIGETTA } c_v) \leq m \cdot \frac{1}{m^2} = \frac{1}{m}$$

$$\text{Prob}_{k=1-2\log m}(\text{ogni } v \text{ ACCETTA } c_v) \geq 1 - \frac{1}{m}$$

$\Rightarrow$  CON PROBABILITÀ  $1 - \frac{1}{m}$  L'ALGO IMPIEGA  $2\log m$  FASI;  
OGNI FASE IMPIEGA  $O(1)$

COMPLEXITY

$O(2\log m)$  HIGH PROB

# MUTEX

PROBLEMA: ACCESSO COORDINATO

ASSUMIAMO: NON-ANONYMOUS, NON-UNIFORM, ASYNCHRONOUS

UN MUTEX ALGO SPECIFICA ENTRY/EXIT SECTION, AL FINE DI GARANTIRE:

- (1) MUTUAL EXCLUSION
  - (2) LIVENESS CONDITION
- } NO-DEADLOCK  
NO-LOCKOUT  
BOUNDED WAITING

LA COMPLEXITY DIPENDE DAL #SHARED VARIABLES

## BAKERY ALGO

GARANTISCE MUTUAL EXCLUSION E BOUNDED WAITING

ALGO

CHOOSING<sub>i</sub> = TRUE

NUM<sub>i</sub> = max { NUM<sub>0</sub>, ..., NUM<sub>n-1</sub> } + 1

CHOOSING<sub>i</sub> = FALSE

FOR  $j=0, \dots, n-1$   $\%_c j \neq i$

WAIT UNTIL CHOOSING<sub>j</sub> = FALSE

WAIT UNTIL NUM<sub>j</sub> = 0 OR NUM<sub>j</sub> > NUM<sub>i</sub>

NUM<sub>i</sub> = Ø

ENTRY

EXIT

COMPLEXITY

$2n$  R/W VARS

## ↳ mutual exclusion

LEMMA 1 SE  $P_i \in CS \Rightarrow NUM_i > 0$

LEMMA 2 SE  $P_i \in CS$ ,  $NUM_k \neq \emptyset$ ,  $k \neq i \Rightarrow NUM_k > NUM_i$

Proof

(caso 1)  $P_k$  sceglie dopo  $P_i$ , dato che  $NUM_i > 0$

STATO PRESO,  $P_k$  PRENDE  $NUM_k > NUM_i$

(caso 2)  $P_k$  sceglie prima di  $P_i$ ,  $P_i$  FORZATO A  
SCEGLIERE  $NUM_i > NUM_k$   $\square$

$\Rightarrow$  SUPPONENDO  $P_i, P_k \in CS$ , DA LEMMA 1  $NUM_i, NUM_k > 0$ ,  
DA LEMMA 2:  $NUM_k > NUM_i \wedge NUM_i > NUM_k$   $\perp$

Lo mo Rockout

$P_i$  AL PIÙ SI BLOCCA AL SECONDO WAIT, OCNI ATTO  $P_k$ ,  
O ENTRA PRENDENDO  $NUM_k > NUM_i$  O ESCHE PRENDENDO  $NUM_k = \emptyset$

↳ bounded-waiting

$P_i$  NELL'ENTRY SECTION PUÒ ESSERE SORPASSATO AL PIÙ  $m-l$  VOLTE

## BOUNDED STAC 2-PROCS MUTEX ALGO

SHARED VARS  $w[0], w[1]$

CODICE ASIMMETRICO  $P_0$  SEMPRE PRIMA

$P_0$ 's CODE

- 1
- 2
- 3  $w[0] = 1$
- 4
- 5
- 6 WAIT UNTIL ( $w[1] = 0$ )

- 1
- 2  $w[0] = 0$

$P_1$ 's CODE

- 1  $w[1] = 0$
- 2 WAIT UNTIL ( $w[0] = 0$ )
- 3  $w[1] = 1$
- 4
- 5 IF  $w[0] = 1$  GOTO 1
- 6

- 1
- 2  $w[1] = 1$

## ↳ mutual exclusion

$P_i$  ENTRA  $\Leftrightarrow w[i] = 1 \in w[i-1] = 0$

↳ SE  $P_1$  IN CS E  $P_0$  ALLA RIGA 5  $\Rightarrow w[0] = w[1] = 1$

↳ SE  $P_0$  IN CS E  $P_1$  ALLA RIGA 2  $\Rightarrow w[0] = 1, w[1] = 0$

## ↳ no deadlock

SE  $P_0$  SETTA  $w[0] = 1$ ,  $P_1$  COSTRETTA ALLA RIGA 5 A SETTARE  $w[1] = 0$

## ↳ no lockout (SI)

SE  $P_0$  SETTA  $w[0] = 1$  MENTRE  $P_1$  TRA LE RIGHE 3 e 5 IN CONTINUAZIONE  $\Rightarrow P_1$  BLOCCATO

## ↳ (NO)

INTRODUCIAMO **PRIORITY** E UNIFICHIAMO I CODICI

$P_i$ 's code

1  $w[i] = 0$

2 **WAIT UNTIL**( $w[i-1] = 0$  OR Priority = i )

3  $w[i] = 1$

4 IF(Priority = i-1)

5 IF( $w[i-1] = 1$ ) GOTO 1

6 ELSE

7 **WAIT UNTIL**( $w[i-1] = 0$ )

8 Priority = i-1.

9  $w[i] = 0$

## ANALYSIS

### ↳ mutual exclusion

SUPPONIAMO  $P_0, P_1$  IN CS

$w[0] = w[1] = \text{TRUE}$ , SETTA RIGA 3

UNO DEI DUE DEVE BLOCCARSI A RIGA 5 O 6

### ↳ no deadlock

SUPPONIAMO DEADLOCK E PRIORITY = 0

$P_0, P_1$  BLOCCATI A RIGA 2,  $w[0] = w[1] = 0$

$P_0$  HA PRIORITY  $\Rightarrow$  SUPERIA RIGA 2  $\Rightarrow$  VAI A RIGA 0

$w[0] = 1$

$P_0$  SUPERIA RIGA 0 PERCHÉ  $w[1] = 1$

$P_0$  IN CS

$P_0$  ESCE DA CS  $\Rightarrow$  PRIORITY = 1 E  $w[0] = 0$

$P_1$  SORPASSA RIGA 2  $\perp$

### ↳ no lockout

ASSUMI  $P_0$  BLOCCATO A RIGA 2

$P_1$  PROSEGUE, USCENDO DA CS SETTA PRIORITY = 0

$P_0$  PROSEGUE  $\perp$

### ↳ bounded waiting (NO)

$P_0$  SORPASSABILE  $\infty$  TRA RIGA 2 E RIGA 3

## BOUNDED SPACE M-PROCS MUTEX ALGO

ASSUMIAMO  $m = 2^k, k > 1$

COSTRUIAMO UN TOURNAMENT TREE DI  $m-1$  NODI

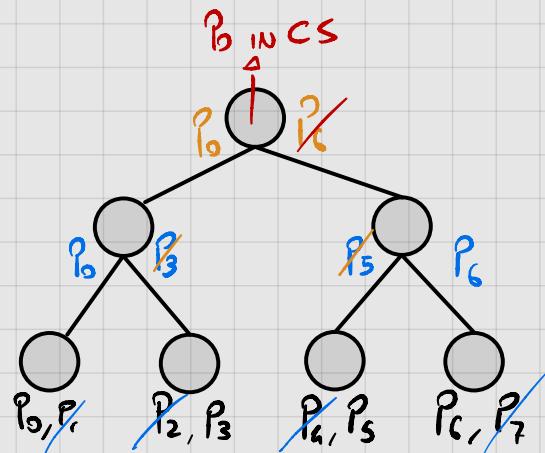
ASSOCIAVAMO A OGNI NODO UN IL 2-PROCESSOR MUTEX ALGO

$$m = 2^3 = 8$$

ASSOCIAVAMO I PROCESSORI ALLE FOGLIE  
DA SX A DX

SE  $m < 2^k$  AGGIUNGIAMO DUMMY LEAVES

RICORSIONE DEL 2-PROCS ALGO  
A PARTIRE DALLE FOGLIE



ANALYSIS COME 2-PROCS ALGO  
COMPLEXITY

$3(m-1)$  BOOLEAN R/W

# VARS DEL  
2-PROCS ALGO      # NODI

# CONSENSUS

FAILURES {

LINK

CRASH

BYZANTINE

PROPRIETÀ ALGOS  
(PER I P<sub>i</sub> NON-FAULTY)

TERMINATION  $\exists y \in Y$   $P_i$  sceglie  $y$

AGREEMENT TUTTI  $P_i$  SCELGONO  $y \in Y$

VALIDITY SE TUTTI  $P_i$  HANNO STESSO INPUT  $x \in X$ , ALLORA SCELGONO STESSO  $y \in Y$

## LINK FAILURE

ESISTONO ISTANZE DI INPUT PER LE quali IL CONSENSO  
NON È RAGGIUNGIBILE IN CASO DI LINK-FAILURE

## NEGATIVE RESULTS (2 GENERAZI)

SIA  $\pi$  LO SHORTEST PROTOCOL PER IL CONSENSO.

SE UN MSG m VIENE PERSO, È IL CONSENSO RAGGIUNTO  
COMUNQUE

$\Rightarrow \pi$  NON È LO SHORTEST PATH  $\perp$

## PROCESSOR FAILURE

## NEGATIVE RESULTS

NEL CASO ASINCRONO IMPOSSIBILE CONSENSO ANCHE  
CON UN SOLO PROC-FAIL

## POSITIVE RESULTS

SINCRONO E CLIQUE TOPOLOGY

COMPLETO ( $\Rightarrow$  NON UNIFORME)

SYNC START

# LOW BOUND

TH OGNI F-RESILIENT TO CRASH-FAIL CONSENSUS ACCORDO RICHISEDE ALMENO  $f+1$  ROUND

Proof

SE BASTASSERO MENO DI  $f+1$  ROUND, TUTTI DOURERREBBERO AVERE STESSA KNOWLEDGE

WORST CASE

UN  $P_i$  A ROUND FALLISCE INVIANDO VAL; SOLO A UN ALTRO  $P_j$

$P_j$  È QUELLO CHE FALLISCE AL ROUND DOPO

AL ROUND  $f+1$   $P_i$  È L'UNICO AD AVER RICEVUTO IL VAL X DAL PROC CRASHED

SE  $P_i$  SCEGLIE X È L'UNICO A FARLO, POICHÉ SOLO LUI LO CONOSCE

⇒ 8 ROUND NON SONO ABBASTANZA (SE  $P_i$  AVESSE BROADCASTATO PRIMA DI SCEGLIERE X, LO AURERREBBERO SCELTO TUTTI) □

## SIMPLE ALGO (FAULT FREE)

FOR OGNI  $P_i$ :

BROADCAST VAL;

LEGGE INPUTS

SCEGLIE min VAL

// NON FUNZIONA CON CRASH-FAIL

// 1 ROUND (G COMPLETO)

# F-RESILIENT TO CRASH ALGO

FOR OGNI  $P_i$ :

ROUND 1 BROADCAST VAL:

ROUND 2 TO  $F+1$  BROADCAST OGNI VAL RICEVUTA

END ROUND  $F+1$  SCEGLIE MIN VAL

LEMMA 1 END  $F+1 \Rightarrow$  OGNI  $P_i$  CONOSCE STESSI VALS

Proof

ASSUMI LEMMA FALSO

SIA  $x$  VALORE CONOCSIUTO DA  $P' \in P$  A END  $F+1$

$P'$  RICEVE  $x$  A  $F+1$  MA ESSENDO QUESTO IL ROUND SENZA CRASH FAIL,  $x$  BROADCASTATO

$P \neq P' \perp$

□

## CORRETTEZZA

↳ AGREEMENT SYNCH START  $\rightarrow$  LA SAME KNOWLEDGE DEC  
ROUND  $F+1$  NON CAMBIA

↳ VALIDITY IL VAL SCELTO FA PARTE DEI VAL IN INPUT

## PERFORMANCE

$$O(m \cdot m \cdot k) = O(m^3)$$

#PROCS ↑      #INPUT, AL PIÙ  $m$   
                  MANDATI DA  $P_i$

$$O(\delta \cdot \Delta) = \delta \leq m$$

# BYZANTINE FAILURE

## LOWER BOUND

TH OGNI F-RESILIENT TO BYZANTINE FAIL CONSENSUS ALGO RICHIESTE ALMENO  $\frac{f+1}{2}$  ROUND

Proof segue dal Low Bound del CRASH-FAIL  $\square$

## F-RESILIENT TO BYZ-FAIL ALGO

IDS DISTINTI (NON-ANONYMOUS), NON UNIFORM

2( $f+1$ ) ROUND PER M PROCS DI CUI  $\frac{m}{2}$  BYZANTINE

$$\hookrightarrow f \leq m/2 \Rightarrow m \geq 2f + 1$$

$f+1$  FASI DA 2 ROUND

UN DIVERSO KINH A FASE  $\Rightarrow$  ALMENO UNO NON FAULTY ALGO

FOR  $k=1 \dots f+1$

BROADCAST  $v_i$

SIA  $\alpha$  IL PIÙ FREQUENTE RICEVUTO (MAJORITY VAL)

SIA  $1 \leq m_i \leq m$  # OCCORRENZE (MAJORITY)

$$v_i = \alpha$$

KINH  $p_k$  BROADCASTA  $v_k$

FOR OGNI  $p_i$

IF  $v_i > m_i < \frac{m}{2} + 1 + f$  (WEAK MAJORITY)

$$\cdot v_i = v_k$$

ELSE

$v_i$  RESTA  $\alpha$

$p_i$  SCÉGLI IL SUO  $v_i$

ROUND 1

ROUND 2

END  $f+1$

## CORRETTEZZA

### LEMMA 1

$\forall k \text{ DOVE } \text{KING} \in \text{NON FAULTY} \Rightarrow \text{Ogni } p_i$

PROOF

$\text{NON FAULTY} \text{ SCEGLIE } v_k \text{ NON-FAULTY} \Rightarrow \text{Ogni } p_i$

#### ↳ CASO 1

SE OGNI  $p_i$  HA WEAK MAJ A  $v_k$  AL ROUND 2

#### ↳ CASO 2

SE UN  $p_i$  HA STRONG MAJ  $v_i = a$

ALMENO  $m/2 + 1$  HANNO BROADCASTATO  $a \rightarrow$  TUTTI  $p_i$  NON FAULTY HANNO RICEVUTO  $a$  (KING COMPRESO)

TUTTI SCEGLIONO  $a$  CON STRONG MAJ (CHE SIA IL PROPSO O QUELLO DEL KING)

□

### LEMMA 2 SE $a = v_i \forall p_i$ ALLA FASE $k \Rightarrow$ I $v_i$ NON CAMBIANO

PROOF

AL PIÙ  $f$  BYZ. PROCESSES  $\rightarrow m - f$  NON FAULTY

$$f \leq m/4 \Rightarrow m - f > m/2 + f$$

Dopo  $k$   $a$  AVRÀ SEMPRE STRONG MAJ ( $> m/2 + f$ )

↳ SCEGLIERANNO SEMPRE LO STESSO VALORE

□

Lo agreement ESSENDO G SEMPRE UNA FASE SENZA BYZ. FAULT

↳ DAL LEMMA 1 IN QUESTA, TUTTI SCEGLIONO STESSO  $a$

↳ DAL LEMMA 2  $a$  NON CAMBIA PIÙ

↳ Validity SE OGNI  $p_i$  HA IN INPUT STESSO  $a$ , QUESTO HA STRONG MAJORITY ( $m - f$ ), ED È SCELTO. DAL LEMMA 2 TALE COMMON  $v_i$  NON CAMBIA.

## PERFORMANCE

$n > 4f \# \text{PROC}$ ,  $2(f+1) \# \text{ROUNDS}$

$$\Rightarrow O(n^2 \cdot f) = O(n^3) \# \text{MGS}$$

$n \text{ msgs in}$   
ROUND 1 DA

$m-1 \text{ msgs DA}$   
 $p_i$  NON FAULTY  
ROUND 2

NON FAULTY KING AZ

## RANDOMIZED BYZANTINE CONSENSUS ALGO

C'È UN PROC. Q SEMPRE AFFIDABILE  
A OGNI ROUND Q LANCA UNA MONETA  
C'È  $v_i$  PREFERRED VALUE DI  $P_i$

$$8 \left( \frac{m}{8} \right)^2$$

THRESHOLD  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} L = 5 \frac{m}{8} \\ M = 6 \frac{m}{8} \\ H = 7 \frac{m}{8} \end{array} \right.$

### ALGO

$P_i$ : AD OGNI ROUND

BROADCAST  $v_i$

RECEIVE  $v_j \neq p_j$

SIA MAJ; IL MAJORITY VAL E TALLY; LA SUA FREQUENZA

RECEIVE COIN-OUTCOME DA Q

IF TESTA

| THRESHOLD = L

ELSE

| THRESHOLD = M

IF TALLY  $\geq$  THRESHOLD

|  $v_i = \text{MAJ}$

// CASI A FINE ROUND

ELSE

|  $v_i := \emptyset$

// (1) TERMINATION

IF TALLY  $>$  H

| STOP

// (2)  $P_i, P_k$  T/C MAJ;  $\neq$  MAJ<sub>K</sub>

// (3) MAJ; STESSO  $\neq P_i$

//  $\Rightarrow$  TUTTI PORTANO AL CONSENSO

# ANALYSIS

## (1) TERMINATION

TALLY;  $> G$  PER MAJ;

DATO CHE  $\frac{m}{n} < \frac{M}{N}$  I VOTI PER MAJ; DA NON FAULTY SONO TALLY; -  $\frac{m}{n} > M$

Ogni NON FAULTY  $P_K$   $T_C$   $V_K = MAJ_K = MAJ$ ; E  $TALLY_K > M \Rightarrow$  CONSENSO RAGGIUNTO

LEMMA SE ACC' INIZIO DI UN ROUND  $V_K$  STESSO  $\forall P_K$ :

L'ALGO TERMINA E RAGGIUNCE CONSENSO

Proof

ASSUMIAMO  $|TALLY_i - TALLY_K| > \delta$

SIANO  $\delta', \delta''$  #CORRUPTED VALUES

SIANO  $TALLY^+, TALLY_K^+$  #TRUSTED VALUES

$\hookrightarrow TALLY_i - \delta' = TALLY^+$

$$\Rightarrow |TALLY_i - TALLY_K| = |\cancel{TALLY^+ + \delta'} - \cancel{TALLY_K - \delta''}| \\ = |\delta' - \delta''| > \delta \perp$$

$\hookrightarrow$  LA DIFFERENZA DI  $\delta' \leq \delta, \delta'' \leq \delta$  NON PUÒ DARE UN VALORE MAGGIORE DI  $\delta$

□

## (3) MAJ; STESSO $\forall P$ :

SOTTOCASI

- $TALLY_{min}$  {  
 $\begin{cases} < L \in \text{THRESHOLD} & = H \\ \geq L \in & " \\ < L \in & " \\ \geq L \in & " \end{cases}$   
 $= L \} \frac{1}{2}P, \text{Good}$   
 $= L \} \frac{1}{2}P, \text{Bad}$

- CASO  $L \rightarrow \text{TALLY}_k \leq \text{TALLY}_i + f < L + f \leq \frac{6m}{f} = H$   
 $\Rightarrow v_i = v_k = 0$
- CASO  $L \rightarrow \text{TALLY}_k > \text{TALLY}_{\min} \geq L$   
 $\Rightarrow v_k = v_{\min} = \max_{\min}$

$\hookrightarrow$  IN ENTRAMBI I CASI L'ALGO TERMINA AL PROSSIMO ROUND PERCHE' TUTTI I  $v_i$  SONO UGUALI

$\hookrightarrow$  NEGLI ALTRI DUE CASI L'ALGO NON TERMINA AL PROSSIMO ROUND

## PERFORMANCE

$O(\log m)$  #ROUNDS

$$\hookrightarrow P(\text{TERMINI AL PROSS ROUND}) = 1/2$$

$$\hookrightarrow P(\text{NON TERMINI IN } \log m \text{ ROUNDS}) = (1/2)^{\log m} = 1/m$$

$$\hookrightarrow P(\text{TERMINARE IN } \log m \text{ ROUNDS}) = 1 - 1/m$$

$O(m^2)$  #MSH A ROUND

$O(m^2 \log m)$  #MSHs

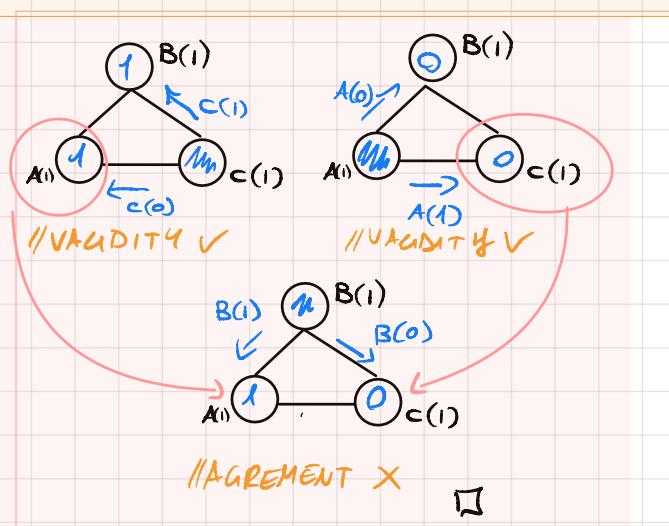
## IMPOSSIBILITY RESULT

TH NON ESISTE  $f$ -RESILIENT TO BYZ-FAIL CONSENSUS ALGO PER  $m$  PROCS SE  $f=m/3$

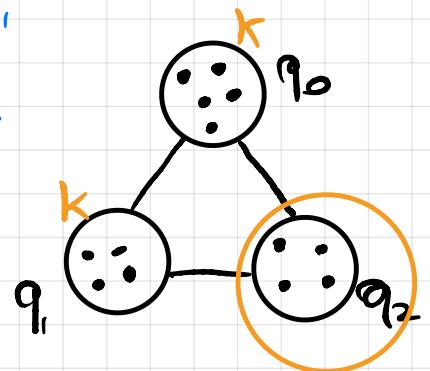
### Proof

LEMMA 1 L'ALGO NON ESISTE PER  $m=3, f=1$

Proof



- o ASSUMIAMO ESISTA ALGO A PER  $\delta = m/3$ ,  $m=3$
  - o USIAMOLO PER RISOLVERE UN ISTANZA CON  $m=3$ ,  $\delta=1$ 
    - o SIA  $m=3\delta$
    - o SIA  $P = \langle P_0, \dots, P_m \rangle$
    - o SIA  $Q = \langle q_0, q_1, q_2 \rangle^T$  c'è  $q = \langle P_0, \dots, P_{m/3} \rangle$
    - o USIAMO A SUL SOTTOinsieme  $q_i$
    - o ASSUMIAMO  $q_2$  FAIL PERCHE'  $P_i \in q_2$
    - o SUPPONIAMO  $q_1, q_2$  SCEGLIONO K
- $\Rightarrow$  CONSENSO RAGGIUNTO CON  
 $m=3$  E  $\delta=1 \perp$  (LEMMA 1)



□

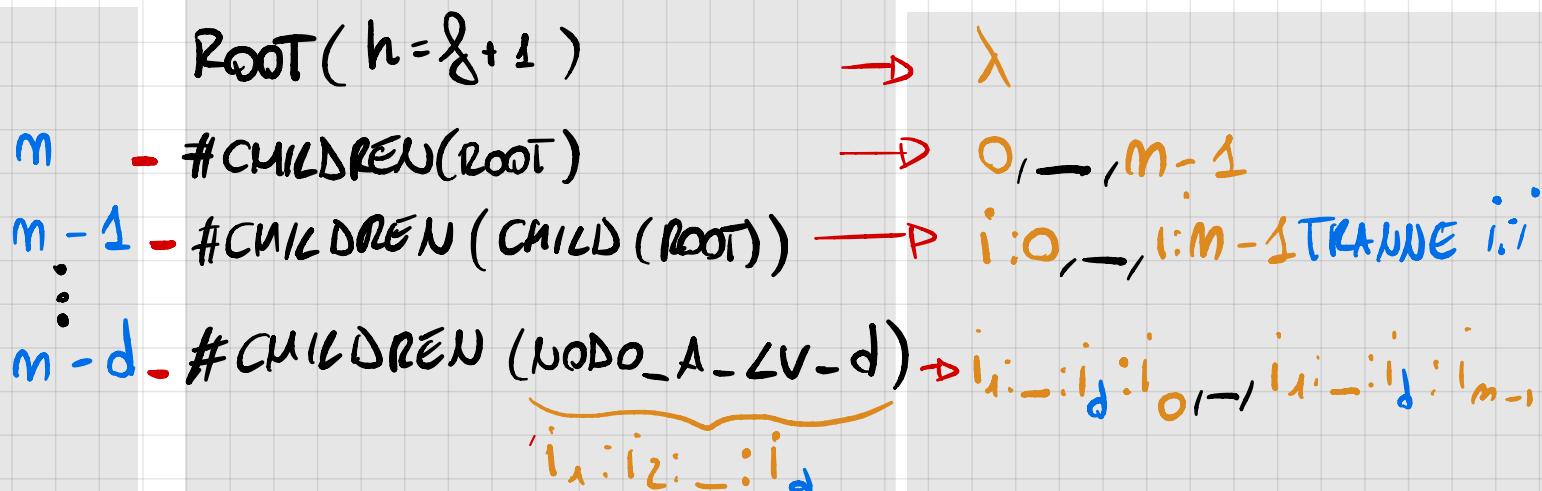
## EXPONENTIAL TREE ALG

$$m = 3\delta + 1$$

$\delta+1$  ROUNDS

Ogni  $P_i$  HA UN TREE ASSOCIATO

Ogni nodo dell'albero rappresenta un  $P_j$ , e ha una sequenza associata



$$\text{LV } \delta+1 (h=0) \longrightarrow i_1 : i_2 : \dots : i_{\delta+1}$$

IL LV<sub>i</sub> È TUTTO IL ROUND i

AL ROUND  $j+1$  È COMPUTATA LA DECISIONE (BTM-UP)

↳ ROUND 1

INPUT → ROOT DI  $P_j$

BROADCASTATO A TUTTI I PROCES

P<sub>i</sub>: STORÀ X NEL SUO LV1 AL NODO j

↳ ROUND 2

P<sub>j</sub>: BROADCASTA A TUTTI IL SUO  $LV_1 = \{x_1, \dots, x_{m-1}\}$

P<sub>i</sub>: SCARTA  $x_j$  E STORÀ  $x_k$  NEL SUO LV2 AL NODO k:j  
↳ NON  $\exists$  A LV2 AL NODO j:j

↳ ROUND d>2

P<sub>j</sub>: BROADCASTA  $LV_{d-1}$  CIOÈ MANDA  $m(m-1) \dots (m(d-2))$  MSGS

P<sub>i</sub>: STORÀ X NEL  $LV_d$  AL NODO  $i_1:i_2:\dots:i_{d-1}:j$

↳ ROUND  $j+1$

COMPUTA RICORSIVAMENTE  $\text{resolve}(\tilde{\alpha})$  AL NODO  $\tilde{\alpha}$

$\text{resolve}(\tilde{\alpha}) \begin{cases} \tilde{\alpha} \text{ SE } \tilde{\alpha} \text{ FOGLIA} \\ \text{MAJORITY} \left\{ \tilde{\alpha}' \mid \tilde{\alpha}' = \text{CHILD}(\tilde{\alpha}) \right\} \end{cases}$

# CONSISTENZA DI RESOLVE $\pi$ )

LEMMA 1 SE  $m \geq 3f \in P_j, P_i$  NON FAULTY  
 $\Rightarrow \text{Resolve}(\tilde{\pi}_i = \tilde{\pi}_j) = \text{Resolve}(\tilde{\pi}_j)$

Proof

INDUZIONE SU  $h$

BASE

$\tilde{\pi}_i$  FOGLIA,  $h=0$

$\Rightarrow P_i$  STORE IN  $\tilde{\pi}_i = \tilde{\pi}_j$  PROPRIO  $\tilde{\pi}_j$  COE IL VALORE MANDATO DA  $P_j$  AL ROUND  $f+1$

IND

$\tilde{\pi}_i$  NON FOGLIA,  $h > 0$

$\Rightarrow \tilde{\pi}_i$  HA  $m-f$  FIGLII

$\hookrightarrow m > 3f \Rightarrow m-f > 2f \Rightarrow \tilde{\pi}_i$  HA LA MAJORITY

DI NON FAULTY CHILDREN (IL CUI ULTIMO

DIGIT È L'ID DI UN PROC. NON FAULTY)

$\hookrightarrow$  SIA  $\tilde{\pi}_k$   $k = \tilde{\pi}_j$  FIGLIO DI  $\tilde{\pi}_i$ ; DI  
H-1 TUTTI  $P_k$  NON FAULTY  $\Rightarrow P_j$  (NON FAULTY)  
MANDA IL VALORE CORRETTO  $V \in P_k$  LO STORNA  
CORRETTAMENTE IN  $\tilde{\pi}_k = \tilde{\pi}_j$

$\Rightarrow$  PER INDUZIONE -

$\text{Resolve}(\tilde{\pi}_i = \tilde{\pi}_j) = V = \text{Resolve}(\tilde{\pi}_k = \tilde{\pi}_j)$

$\Rightarrow$  OGNI NON FAULTY CHILD DI  $\tilde{\pi}$  MISURE  $V \Rightarrow \tilde{\pi}$  ANCORA

□

## VALIDITY

SUPPONIAMO ALL INPUT  $\nu$

SE  $P_i$  NON FAULTY  $\Rightarrow P_i$  STORGA  $\nu$  IN  $S$

LEMMMA 1  
ESSENDO MAJORITY =  $2g$  DI NON FAULTY  $\Rightarrow P_i$  ROOT RESOLVE  $\nu$

## AGREEMENT

Def COMMON  $\tilde{\pi}$  SE OGNI NON FAULTY STESSO RESOLVE ( $\tilde{\pi}$ )

LA ROOT È COMMON?

L $\triangleright$  LEMMA 1 CATTURA TUTTI I NODI CON VOTODICT UGUALE A PROCESSORE NON FAULTY

Def  $\tilde{\pi}$  HA COMMON FRONTIER SE OGNI PATH FINisce FOGLIE HA UN COMMON NODE

LEMMA 2 SE  $\tilde{\pi}$  HA COMMON FRONTIER  $\Rightarrow \tilde{\pi}$  È COMMON

Proof

INDUZIONE SU  $h$ ,  $\tilde{\pi}$  HA COMMON FRONTIER

BASE

$\tilde{\pi}$  FOGLIA,  $h=0$

$\Rightarrow$  ESSENDO SOLO  $\tilde{\pi}$  NEL PATH,  $\tilde{\pi}$  È COMMON

INDUZIONE

$\tilde{\pi}$  NON FOGLIA,  $h > 0$

$\hookrightarrow$  ASSUMIAMO ABBAIA NON SIA COMMON

$\Rightarrow$  OGNI FIGLIO  $\tilde{\pi}'$  HA COMMON FRONTIER

.  $\tilde{\pi}'$  HA  $h-1$

$\Rightarrow$  PER INDUZIONE  $\tilde{\pi}'$  COMMON POICHÉ LE FOGLIE LO SONO, E I PADRI PRENDONO IL VADORE DEI FIGLI



## AGREEMENT

$\delta+1$  # NODI TRA ROOT - LEAF

i NODI SUL PATH HANNO LAST-DIGIT DISTINTO

ALMENO UN NODO NON FAULTY SUL PATH

$\Rightarrow \exists$  COMMON

LEMMA 1

$\Rightarrow$  LA ROOT HA COMMON FRONTIER  $\Rightarrow \exists$  COMMON

LEMMA 2

## TERMINATION $\delta+1$ ROUNDS

## COMPLEXITY

ESPOENZIALE IN  $m$

$\hookrightarrow$  ROUND 1

$$O(m^2)$$

NON FAULTY

$$/(O(m) O(m))$$

# MSGS

$\hookrightarrow$  ROUND  $2 \leq d \leq \delta+1$

$$O(m^{d+1})$$

$$/(O(m) m(m-1) - (m-(d-2)))$$

NON FAULTY

# NODI AL LV  $d-1$

$m-1$  PROCS  
A CUI MANDARE  
IC LV  $d-1$

$$\Rightarrow O(m^2) + O(m^3) + \dots + O(m^{\delta+2}) = O(m^{m+2})$$

$$\delta = O(m)$$

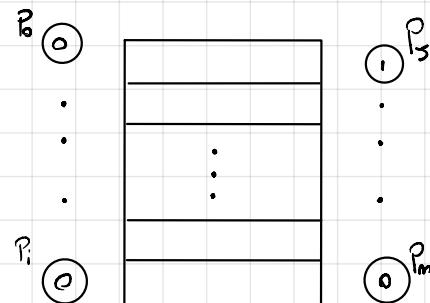
# CONSENSO IN SHARED MEMORY

$P_0, \dots, P_{m-1}$  POSSONO CRASHARE

Def WAIT FREEDOM IN ASYNC SYS

$P_i$  DEVE POTER COMPETERE  
L'ESECUZIONE ANDRE SEGU ACTI  
CRASHANO

↪ IN MPS IL CONSENSO NON È RAGG.  
ANCHE PER UN SOLO CRASH-FAIL



Def CONSENSUS NUMBER MASSIMO

NUMERO DI PROCESSORI PER CUI UN SINGOLO TIPO  
DI SHARED VAR PUÒ ESSERE USATA PER RACCOLMERE  
WAIT FREE CONSENSOS

TH IL CONSENSUS NUM PER R/W È 1

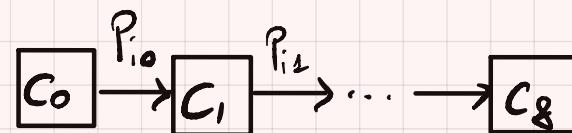
Proof

PER  $M=1$  BANALE

PER  $M \geq 2$  MOSTRIAMO CHE OGNI ARGO NON TERMINA

SYSTEM CONFIGURATION

SET DI TUTTE VARS (SHARED+LOCAL)

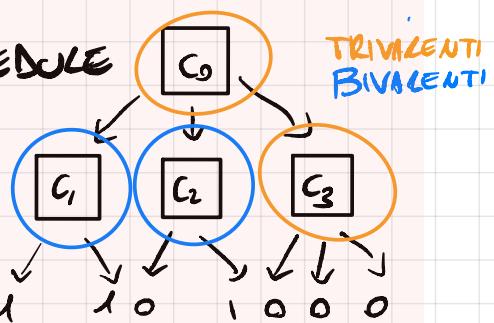


TREE OF CONFIGURATION

↪ IL PATH SELEZIONATO DIPENDE DALLO SCHEDULE  
DI CRASH E AZIONI

VALENZA

INSIEME DI VALORI DECIMALI DA OGNI  
NON FAULTY IN  $C_1$  RAGGIUNGIBILE DA  $C_0$   
CON UN'ESECUZIONE AMMISSIBILE



NOTA VALIDITY SE GLI INPUT ( $C_0$  E  $C_1$ ) SONO VALIDI  $\Rightarrow$  UNIVALENTI

PER FAR SI CHE L'ARGO TERMINI (CON CONSENSO) PUÒ A DI  
 $C_g$  DEVE ESSERE  $C_i$  UNIVALENTI

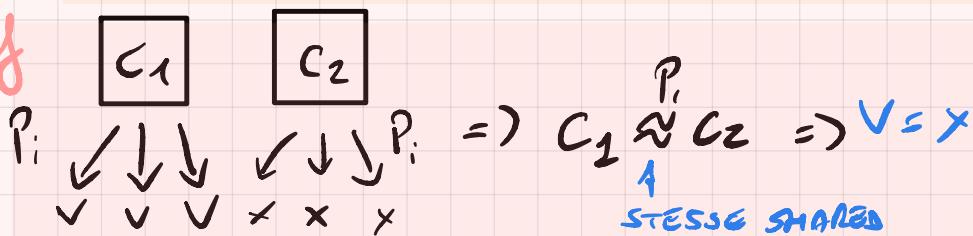
SYNCHRONIZED CONFIGURATION

STESSE SHARED, DIVERSE LOCAL

$$C_1 \approx C_2$$

**LEMMA** SE ESISTONO  $C_1, C_2$  UNIVALENTI  $\tau_{C_i} C_1 \approx_i^P C_2 \Rightarrow$   
SE  $C_1$  V-VALENTE  $\Rightarrow C_2$  V-VALENTE

**Proof**



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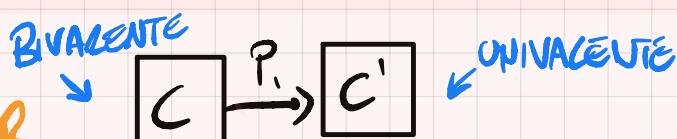
**LEMMA**  $\exists C_0$  BIVALENTE

**Proof**

$I_o \quad I_{o_1} \quad I_1$

$P_0$	$0 \quad 0$	1	$\Rightarrow I_{o_1}$ NO 0-VALENTE $\Rightarrow I_{o_1} \approx_i^P I_o$
$P_1$	0	$1 \quad 1$	$\Rightarrow I_{o_1}$ NO 1-VALENTE $\Rightarrow I_{o_1} \approx_i^P I_1$
$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\vdots$	
$P_{m-1}$	0	1	1

□



**CRITICAL PROCESSOR**

**LEMMA** SE  $C$  BIVALENTE C'È ALMENO UN  $P_i$  NON CRITICAL

**Proof**

ASSUMIAMO TUTTI CRITICA L

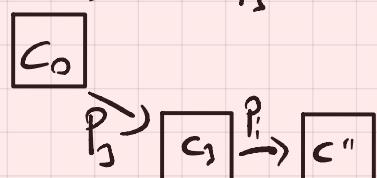
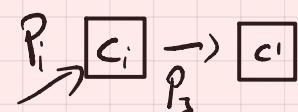
$\Rightarrow$  NON POSSONO AVERE STESSA VALENZA V SENNO  $C_0$  CRITICAL

$\Rightarrow$  ESISTONO  $P_i, P_j$  CON DIVERSA V

CASI	R/R	DIVERSE SHARED	$C' = C''$
	R/R	STESSE ..	
	R/W ..	..	$C' \approx_i^P C''$
	W/W ..	..	

$\Rightarrow$  ALMENO UNO NON-CRITICAL

□



$\Rightarrow$  POSSIAMO COSTRUIRE UN PATH DI SOLI NON-CRITICAL  $\Rightarrow$  L'ALGO PUÒ NON TERMINARE □

## HASH FUNCTION

### Hash Functions (Attacks)

**Preimage attack:**  
given  $h$ , find  $m$  such that  $H(m) = h$ .

**Second preimage attack:**  
given  $m_1$ , find  $m_2 \neq m_1$  such that  $H(m_1) = H(m_2)$ .

**Birthday attack:**  
find  $m_1$  and  $m_2 \neq m_1$  such that  $H(m_1) = H(m_2)$ .

## CRYPTOGRAPHIC HASH

- Is a one-way function: avoids pre-image attacks.
- Resistant to second pre-image attacks.
- Collision resistant; avoids birthday attacks.
- A small change to the input produces a big change in the output.
- Resistant to other attacks (e.g., length extension).

**DISTRIBUTED LEDGER PROBLEM**: L'LEDGER CONTIENE TRASAZIONI, TUTTI POSSONO AGGIUNGERE TRASAZIONI (NO CENTRAL AUTHORITY)

## LEADER PROBLEM

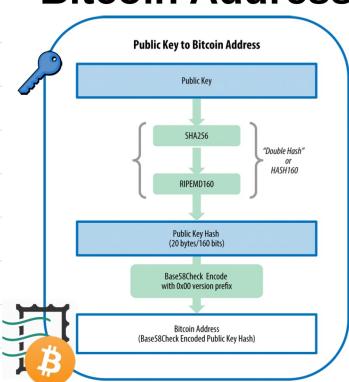
**RISOLUZIONE CON DIGITAL SIGNATURES**

Ogni nodo ha  $\{k_p, k_{pb}\}$   
A central authority ha la chiave pub, di tutti e tutti hanno la sua

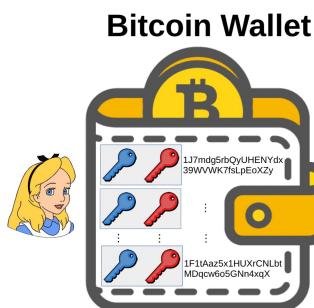
## BITCOIN ARCHITECTURE

**BITCOIN** ABUSOVA CON PAGAMENTI, CAMBIO DI VALORE, MINING

### Bitcoin Address



Bitcoins are "owned" by an address (a public key).  
They can be spent by whoever controls the corresponding private key.

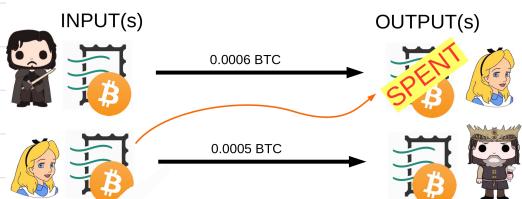


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## TRANSACTION

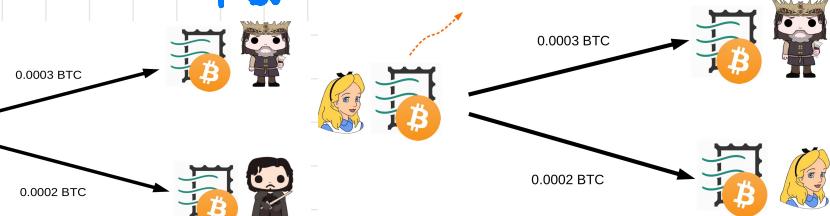
**NO DOUBLE SPENDING**

(PROVA CHE MAI I SOLOI)

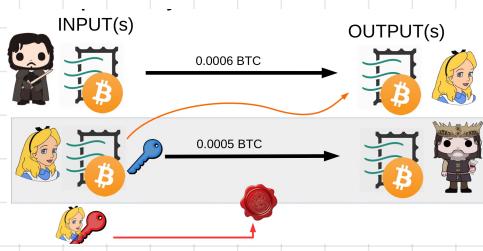
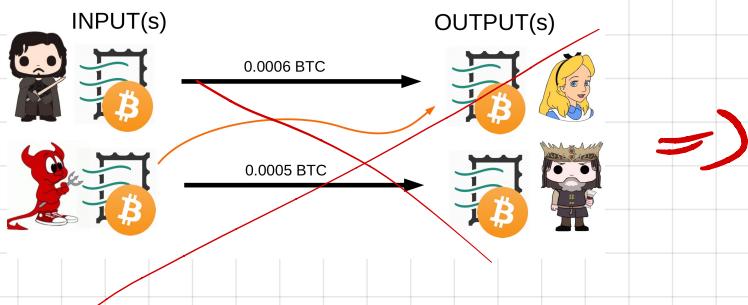


## MULTIPLE OUTPUTS

**NO CHANGE**

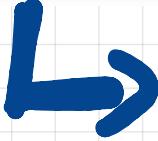


## DIGITAL SIGNATURE



## A Bitcoin transaction:

1. One or more senders.
2. One or more receivers.
3. The amount of BTC (Bitcoins) transferred from each sender to each receiver.
4. A proof of ownership of the coins being transferred, in the form of a pointer back to most recent transactions involving the transferred coins.
5. A transaction fee, paid by the sender to the authorizer of the transaction.



A transaction is **valid** if:

1. It has been cryptographically signed by all of the senders.
2. The senders really do own the coins being transferred.

This can be verified using the senders' public keys.

This can be verified as follows:

-transactions are broadcast to all other users (through a peer-to-peer network);  
-all users keep track of all transactions that have ever been **authorized**;  
-thus, everyone knows everyone's current balance

**BLOCKS**  
TRANSAZIONI RAGGRUPPATE IN BLOCCHI  
DELLA SIZE DI 1Mln

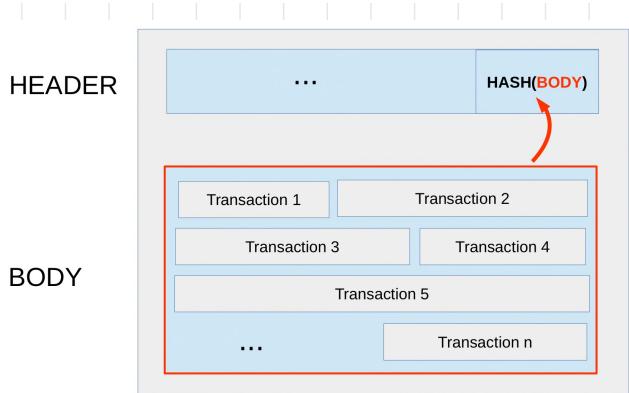
Transactions are added to the ledger in groups, known as **blocks**.

A **block** contains:

1. One or more transactions.
2. A hash of the previous block.
3. A **nonce**. (I.e., a bunch of bits that can be set arbitrarily.)

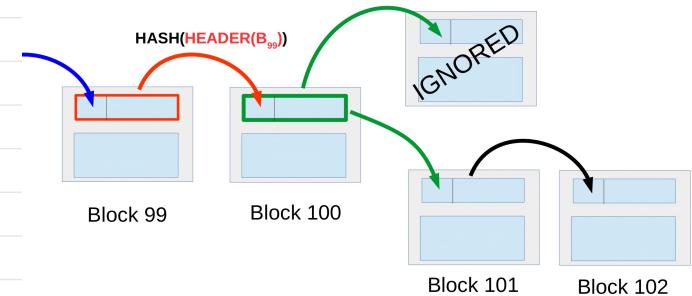
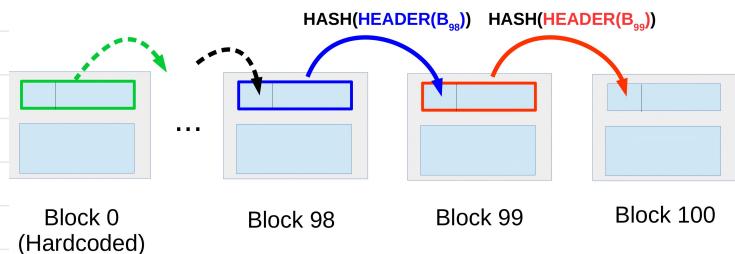
This imposes a natural linked list-type structure on the ledger:

-the predecessor of a block  $b_2$  being the block  $b_1$  whose hash matches the hash stored in  $b_2$ .



## BLOCKCHAIN

• Ogni blocco salva HASH(MD5)  
nel header



LE TRUO DI PUÒ RICOSTRUIRE LA STORIA  
DELLE TRANSAZIONI SOLO CON IL 50%  
DEL POTERE COMPUTAZIONALE DEL NETWORK

Malicious peers who want to modify past blocks have to work harder than honest peers who want append blocks.

A block B is only accepted by the network iff  
 $\text{HASH}(\text{HEADER}(B)) \leq \text{TARGET}$

**TARGET** dynamically updates so that the average time to find a valid block is around 10 minutes

## MINING

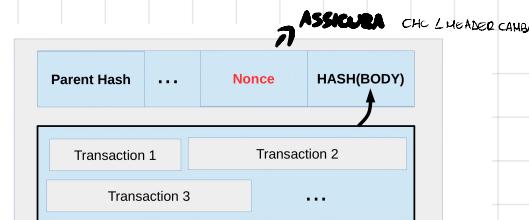
MEMPOOL

TRANSAZIONI NON APPARTENENTI AD ALCUN BLOCCO

MINER

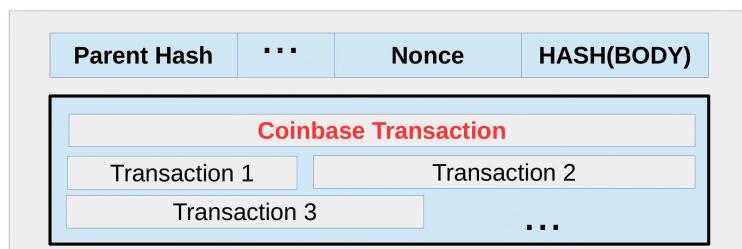
SELEZIONANO UN SUBSET DI QUESTE E LE METTONO NEL BODY DEL NUOVO BLOCCO

- GENERANO UN HEADER FINCHE' HASH(Header) ≤ TARGET



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- AGGIUNGONO UNA COIN BASE TRANSACTION AD UN PROPRIO INDIRIZZO  
LA TRANSAZIONE È UGUALE ALLA SOMMA DI:
  - BLOCK SUBSIDY: SOMMA DEI PAYM FINO AL BLOCCO
  - TRANSACTION FEES SOMMA DEL SOTTOinsieme DI TRANSAZIONI AGGIUNTO



## Block Rewards and Bitcoin Mining

*Bitcoin mining*: the process of finding new valid blocks.

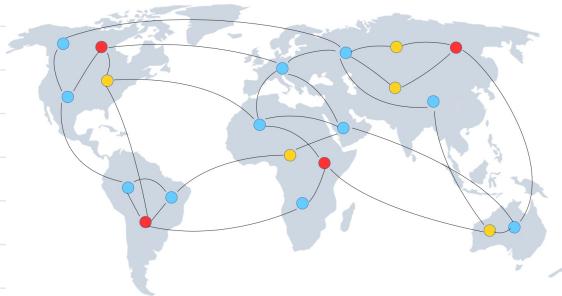
A *miner*:

- chooses a subset of the transactions;
- inserts the hash of the current last block;
- arbitrarily set the bits in the *nonce* (and hope that the resulting block is valid).



# COME SELEZIONO LE TRANSAZIONI DA ACCORDIGERE? -> KNAPSACK (NP-HARD)

## The Bitcoin Network



**Full Nodes:** have a local copy of the entire blockchain. Can directly verify transactions. Can send/receive bitcoins.

**Lightweight (SPV) nodes:** No local copy of the blockchain. Can indirectly verify transactions. Can send/receive bitcoins.

**Miners:** work to extend the blockchain, mint bitcoins, and get rewarded.

- SPV Nodes only download block headers (80B/block).
- Complete knowledge of which blocks are in the blockchain
- No knowledge on what the block contents (transactions) are.

### Some issues:

- How do new blocks get added to the blockchain?
- Who can do it?
- Why should they bother?
- How can we make sure that everybody agrees on the contents of the blockchain?

### Two key ingredients:

1. Any user can authorize a block. Bitcoin incentivizes users to do authorizations through explicit monetary rewards (in BTC, naturally).
2. Authorizing a new block of transactions involves a **proof of work**, meaning that the authorizer has to solve a computationally difficult puzzle.

A block  $b$  is valid if  $h(b)$  is sufficiently close to 0.

$h$ : pre-agreed upon hash function (currently, SHA-256)

the leading  $l$  bits of  $h(b)$  should all be 0, where  $l$  is a parameter

a block contains:

transactions, the hash of the previous block, the **nonce**

has to be set properly set in order to make the block valid

parameter  $l$  chosen to keep the rate of valid block creation roughly every ten minutes

### Bitcoin Mining Protocol:

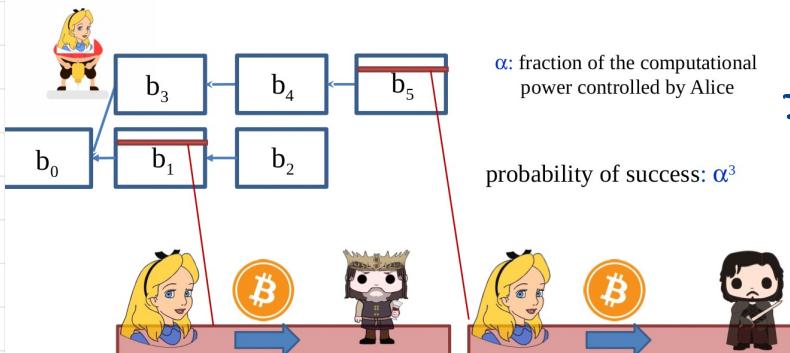
- work on the next block to be added to the longest chain
- announce the solved block as soon as you get it

Does a miner have convenience to follow the protocol?

## The Double-Spend Attack

Idea: miners deliberately create forks.

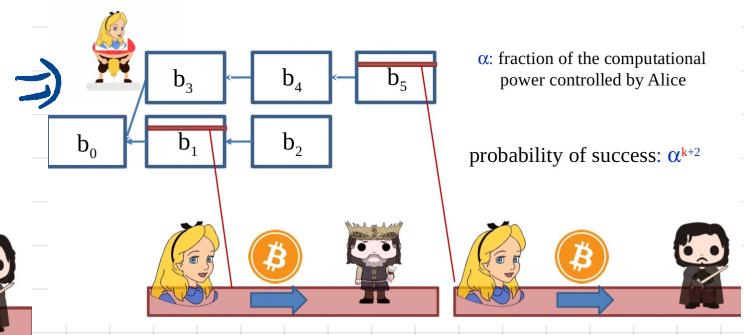
Assumption: Bob only ships the purchased goods to Alice once another block  $b_2$  has been appended to  $b_1$ .



## The Double-Spend Attack

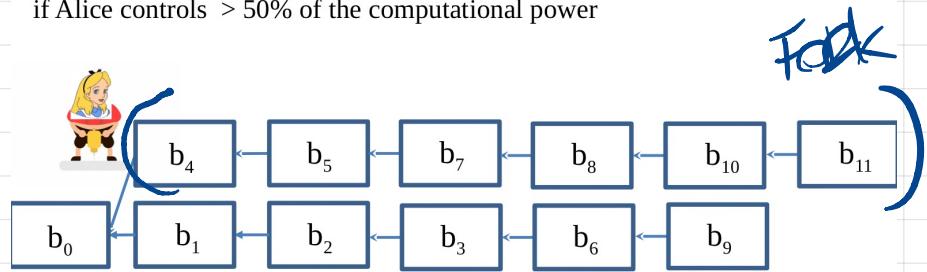
Idea: miners deliberately create forks.

Assumption: Bob only ships the purchased goods to Alice once  $k$  other blocks have been appended to  $b_1$ .



# The 51% Attack

if Alice controls > 50% of the computational power



remark:

Bitcoin is not intended to function when a single entity controls more than 50% of the computational power

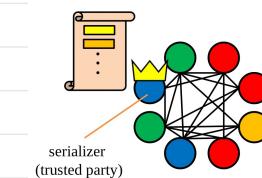
Alice will eventually build the longest chain (with probability 1)

# ASPECTI DELLA Blockchain

## DISTRIBUTED LEDGER

- = node of the network
- = blockchain
- = block (of transactions)

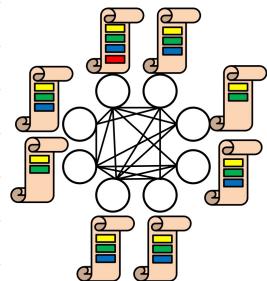
## SIMPLE SOLUTION



- what if the serializer fails?
- what if the serializer is not honest?

} fault tolerance

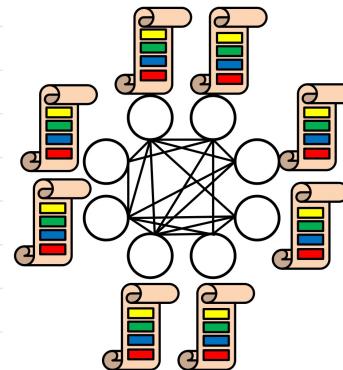
## BETTER SOLUTION



**Consistency:**  
all nodes always agree on the current state of the ledger

*NO ALLEGATORIA  
TEMPO*

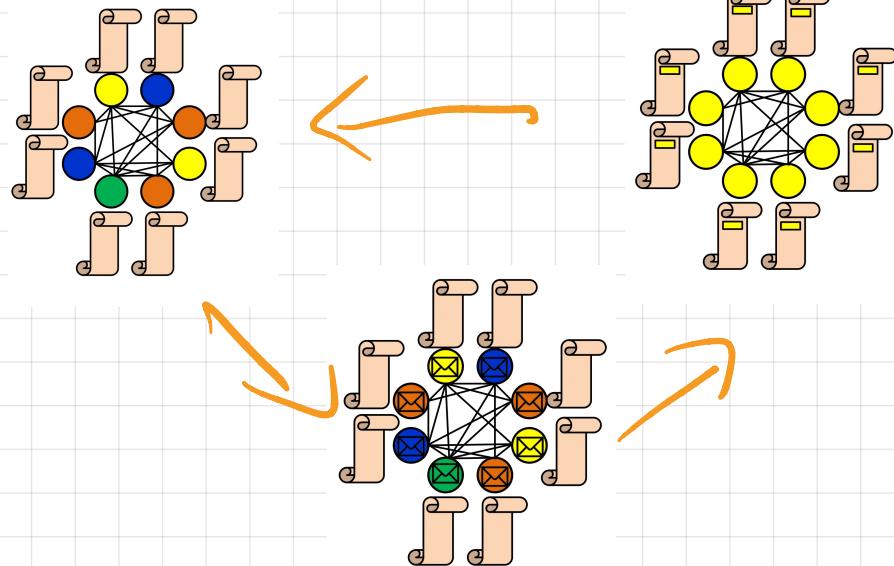
**Eventual consistency:**  
all nodes eventually agree on the current state of the ledger (if no new updates are issued)



## LEDGER CON CONSENSO IMPETATO

repeat:

- each node supports its command
- exchange messages to get an agreement on the winning command
- every node updates its (local) ledger with the winning command



## Consensus Problem

a set of  $n$  nodes  
each node has:  
unique ID  
a color in {●○●○...○}  
an underlying communication graph  $G$

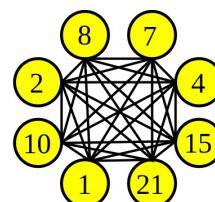
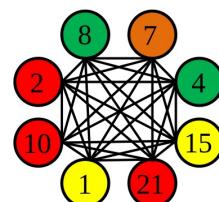
**Goal:** a distributed protocol guaranteeing

Termination (protocol eventually ends)

Agreement (monochromatic final configuration)

Validity

the winning color is initially supported by some node



→ MEASURE

- # of messages
- size of the messages
- # of rounds (sync. model)

# SYNCHRONOUS

- shared clock
- computation proceeds in *rounds*
- messages sent in a round arrive in the next round
- in a round, a node receives msgs & computes & sends msgs

# ASYNCHRONOUS

- no shared clock
- no rounds
- messages arrive in the finite but **unbounded** time

**SIMPLE SOLUTION**: LEADER ELECTION (CON LEADER CUI POSSUME IL BLOCCO)

## FAULT TOLERANCE

### CRASH FAILURE

Theorem (1985)

There is no deterministic algorithm which always achieves consensus in the asynchronous model, with  $f > 0$  crash failures.

### IMPOSSIBILITY RESULT

Theorem (1983)

There is a randomized algorithm achieving consensus in the asynchronous model if up to  $f < n/2$  nodes crash. No consensus algorithm can tolerate  $f \geq n/2$  many crash failures.

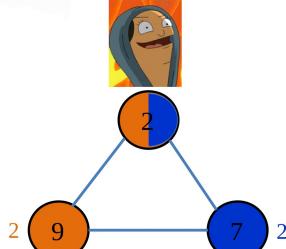
Theorem (1983)

There is a consensus algorithm for the synchronous model that tolerates any  $f < n$  crash failures.

### BYZ FAILURE

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### IMPOSSIBILITY RESULT

Theorem (1989)

There is a deterministic algorithm achieving consensus in the synchronous model if up to  $f < n/3$  nodes are byzantine.

Theorem (1980)

No consensus algorithm can work for  $f \geq n/3$  byzantine nodes, even in the synchronous model.

# Fair Consensus Problem

a set of  $n$  nodes  
 each node has:  
 unique ID  
 a color in  $\{\text{red}, \text{yellow}, \text{green}, \dots\}$   
 an underlying communication graph  $G$

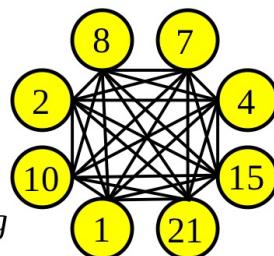
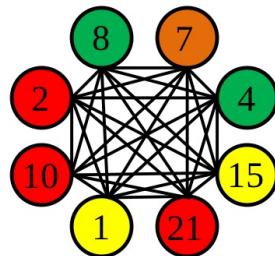
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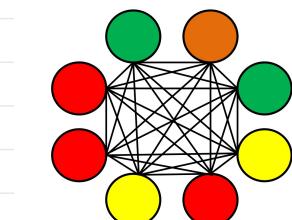
~~Validity~~ → Fairness

the probability that a color becomes the *winning color* is equal to the fraction of nodes initially supporting it



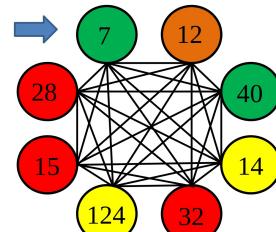
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## RANDOMIZED LEADER ELECTION

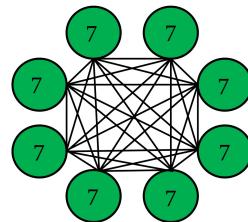


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the minimum  $k$  value is unique w.h.p.



SCEGLIONO  $k_n = \lceil 0, m^3 \rceil$  UNIFORMEMENTE A CASO



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## RATIONAL SELFISH FAILURE

A game-theoretic perspective

Each node is a selfish rational player

for each player/node  $u$ :

$u$ 's strategy: local algorithm used by  $u$

$u$ 's payoff:  $\begin{cases} \text{😊} & \text{if the winning color} = u's \text{ color} \\ \text{:|:} & \text{if the winning color} \neq u's \text{ color} \\ \text{:(|:} & \text{if the protocol fails} \end{cases}$

$u$ 's goal: to maximize its expected payoff

# Rational Fair Consensus Problem

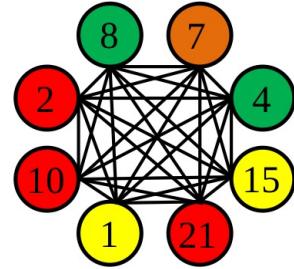
a set of  $n$  nodes

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an underlying communication graph  $G$



a protocol solves the Rational Fair Consensus if

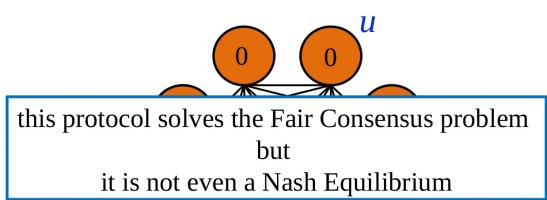
- it solves the Fair Consensus problem
- &
- it is resilient to agent deviations

## Resiliency to agent deviations

**Def. 1.** A protocol  $P$  is a **Nash Equilibrium** if, for any possible deviation of any agent  $u$ ,  $u$ 's expected payoff in the new protocol  $P'$  can only decrease.

**Def. 2.** A protocol  $P$  is a **t-strong Equilibrium** if, for any possible deviation of any coalition  $C$  of players of size at most  $t$ , there is a player in  $C$  whose expected payoff in the new protocol  $P'$  does not increase.

(the simple solution fails)



node  $u$  chooses a “random” value  $k_u = 0$

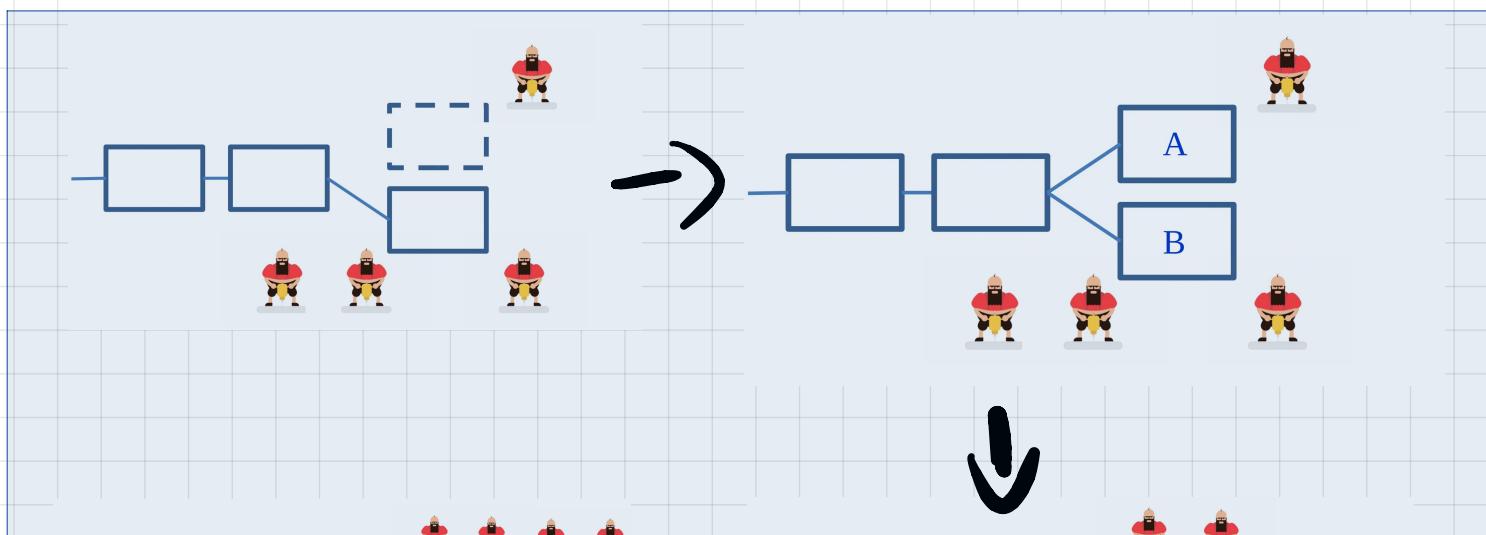
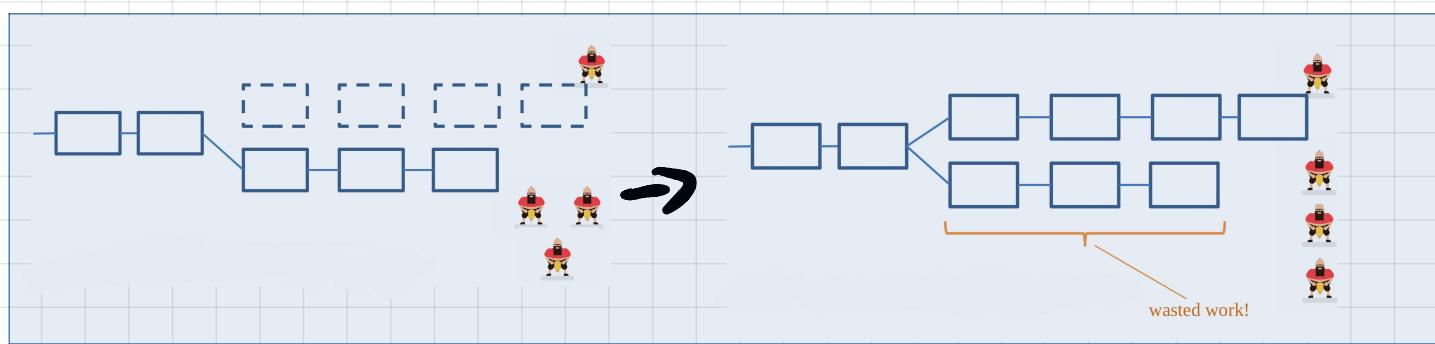
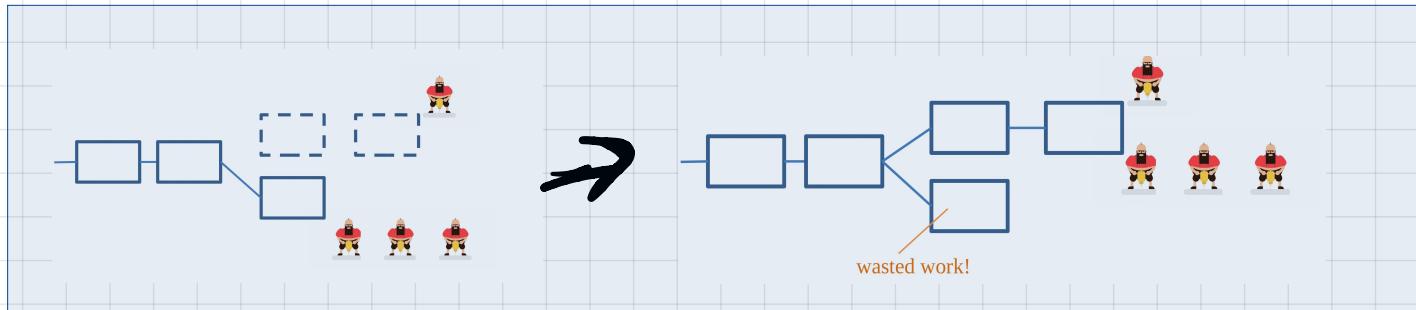
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is it an  
equilibrium?

# SELFISH MINING

IDEA: SELFISH MINEGGI SE ANUNCIA IL BLOCCO



wasted work!

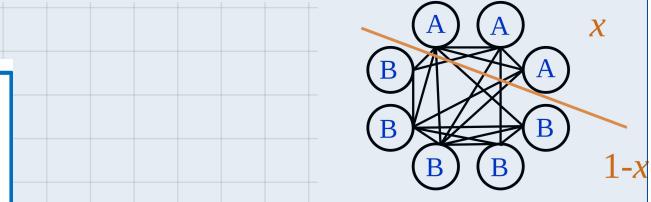


Convenient if:

- > 1/3 of the total computational power of the network

OR

- $x \geq 1/2 \text{ & } > 1/4$  of the total computational power of the network



$x$

$1-x$