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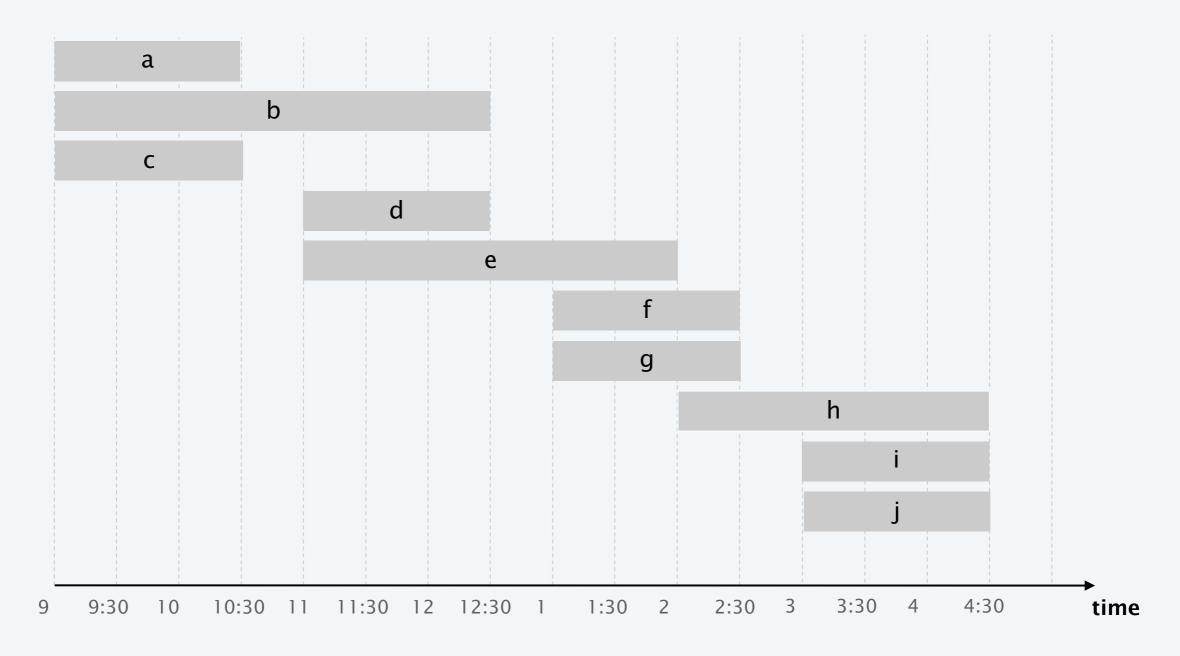
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4. GREEDY ALGORITHMS I

• earliest-start-time-first algorithm demo

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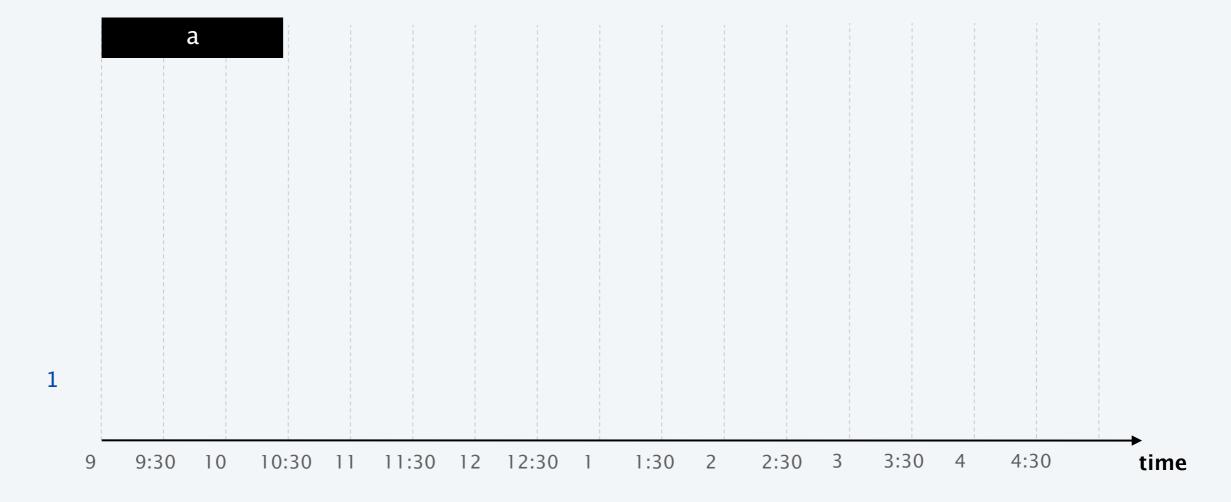
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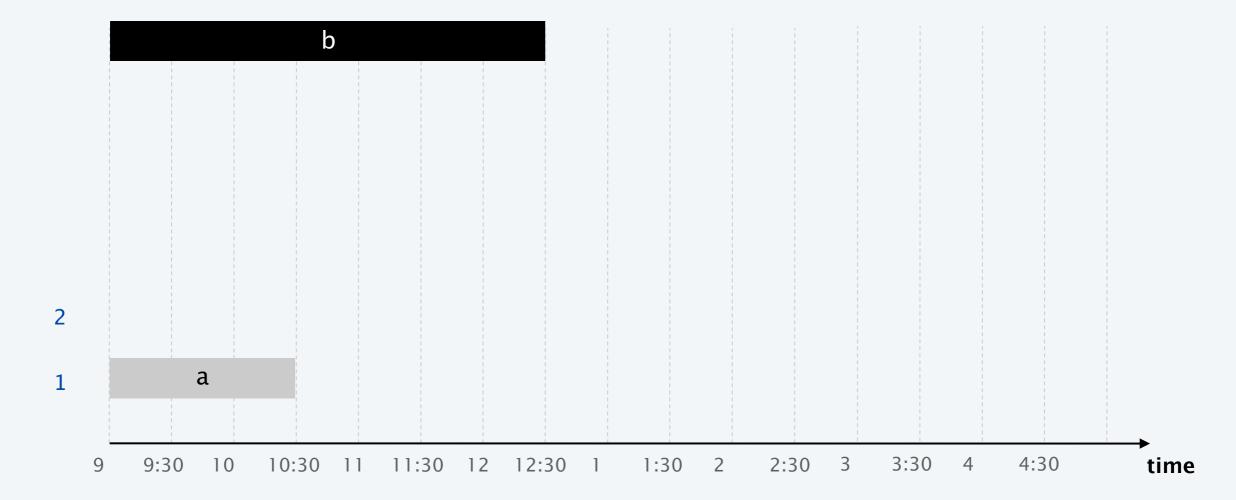
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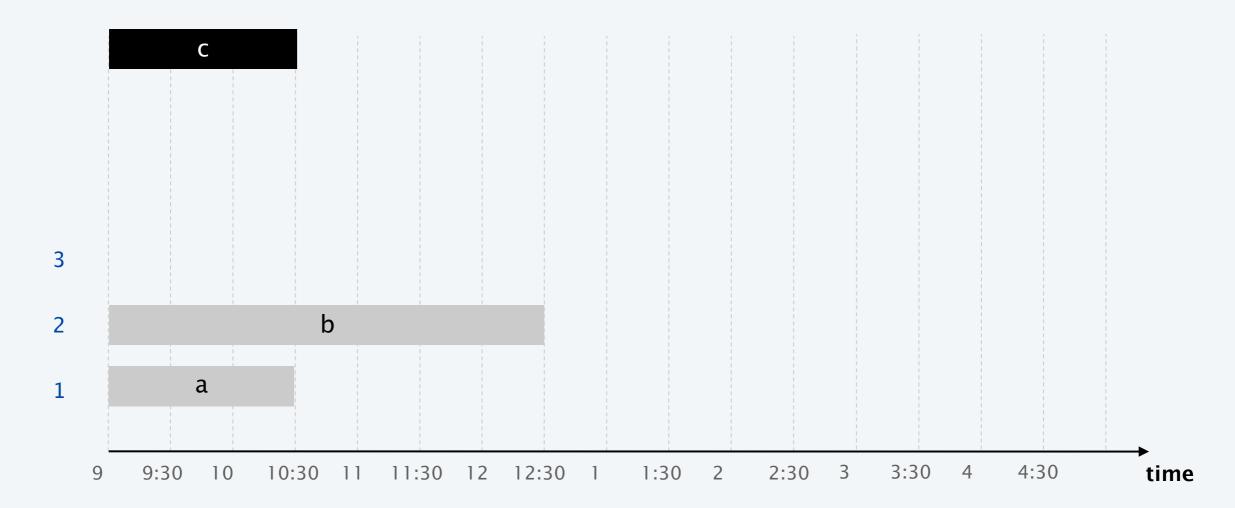
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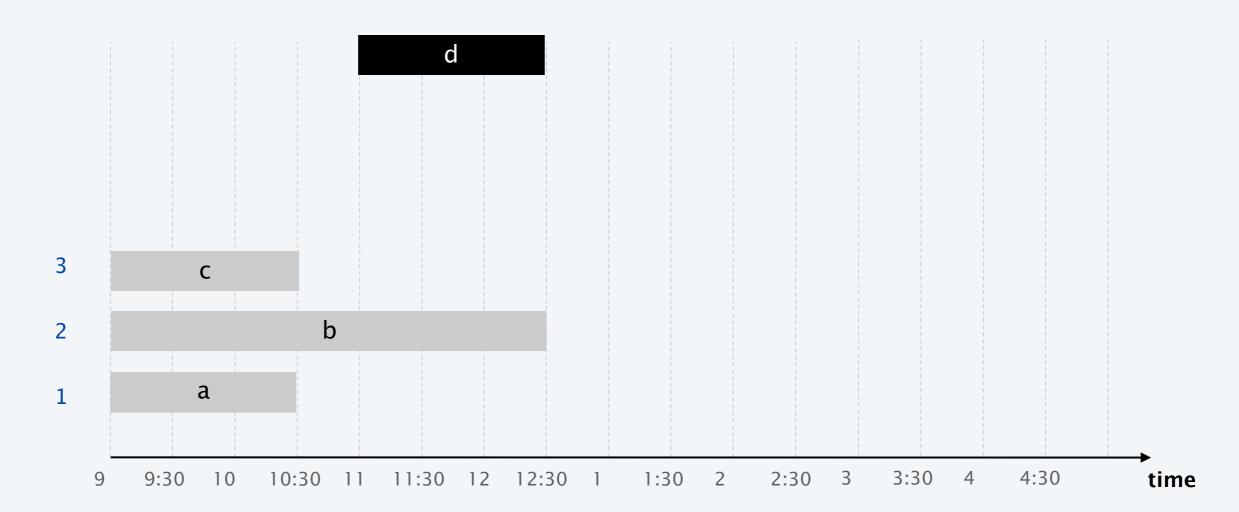
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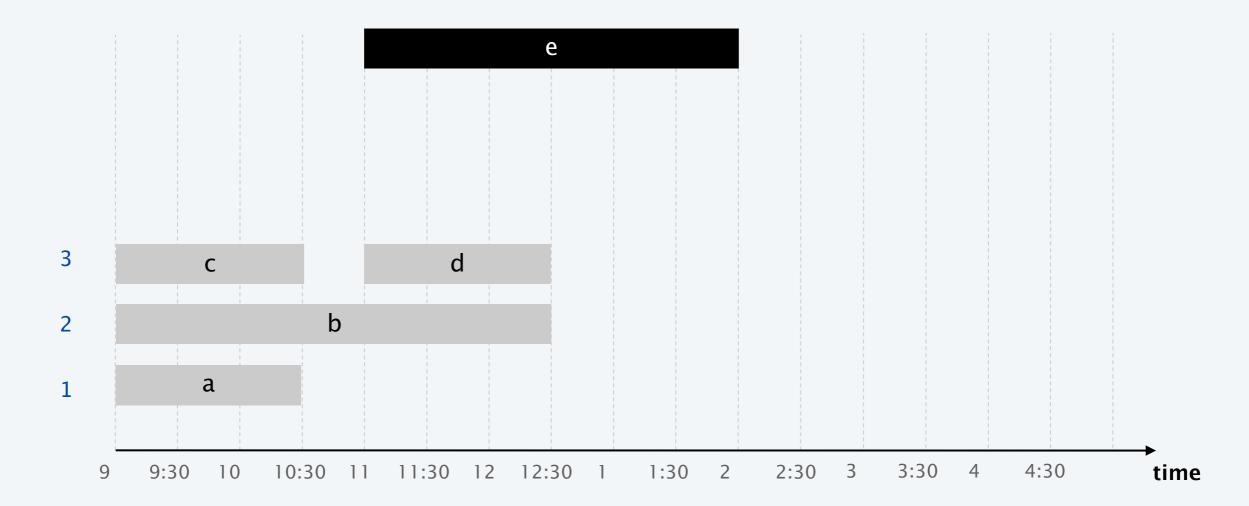
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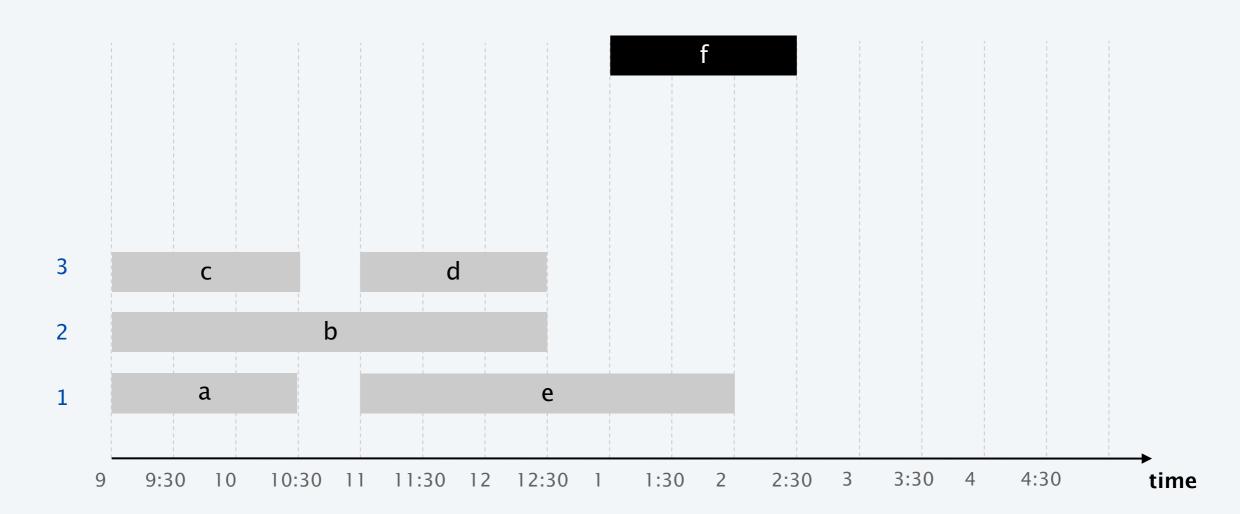
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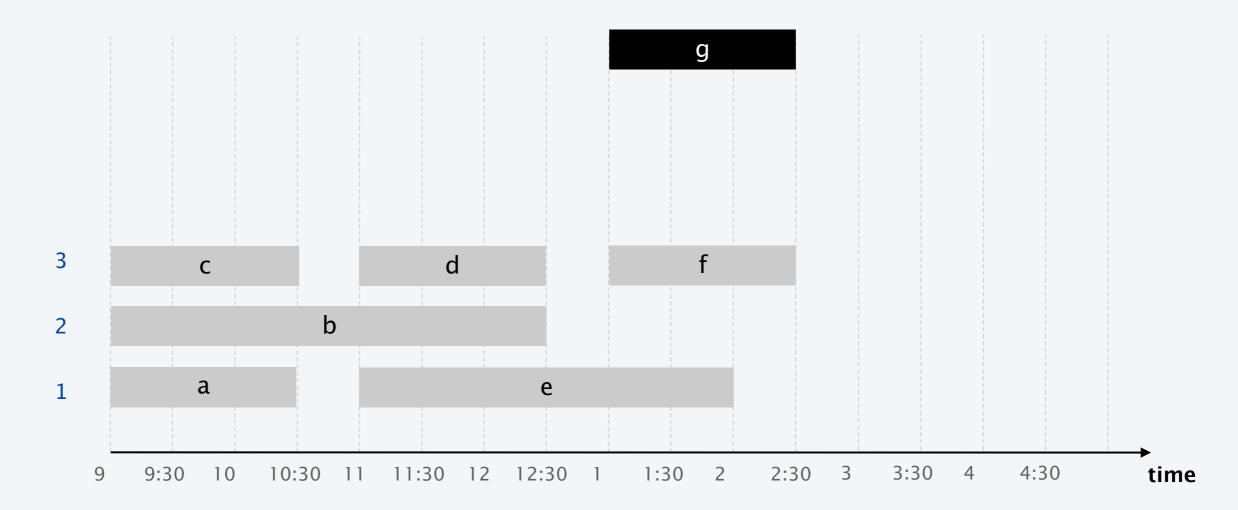
lecture f is compatible with classroom 2 and 3



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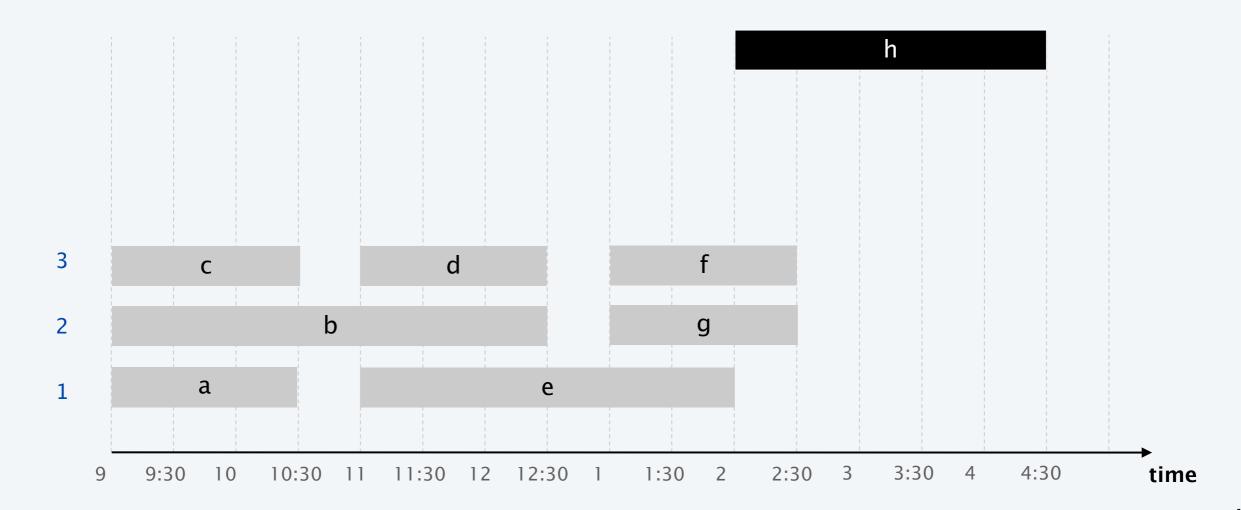
lecture g is compatible with classroom 2



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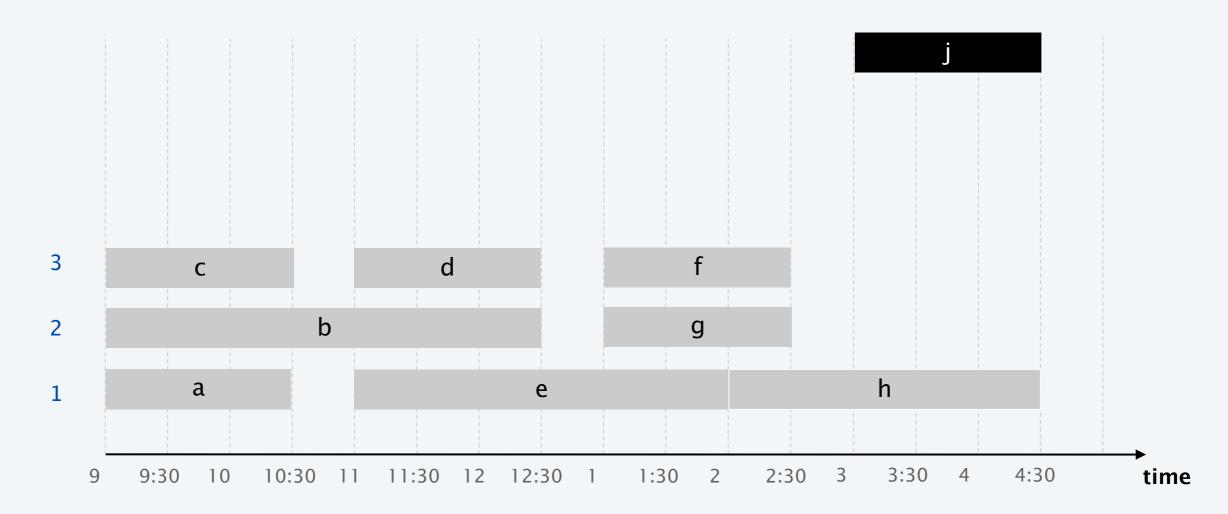
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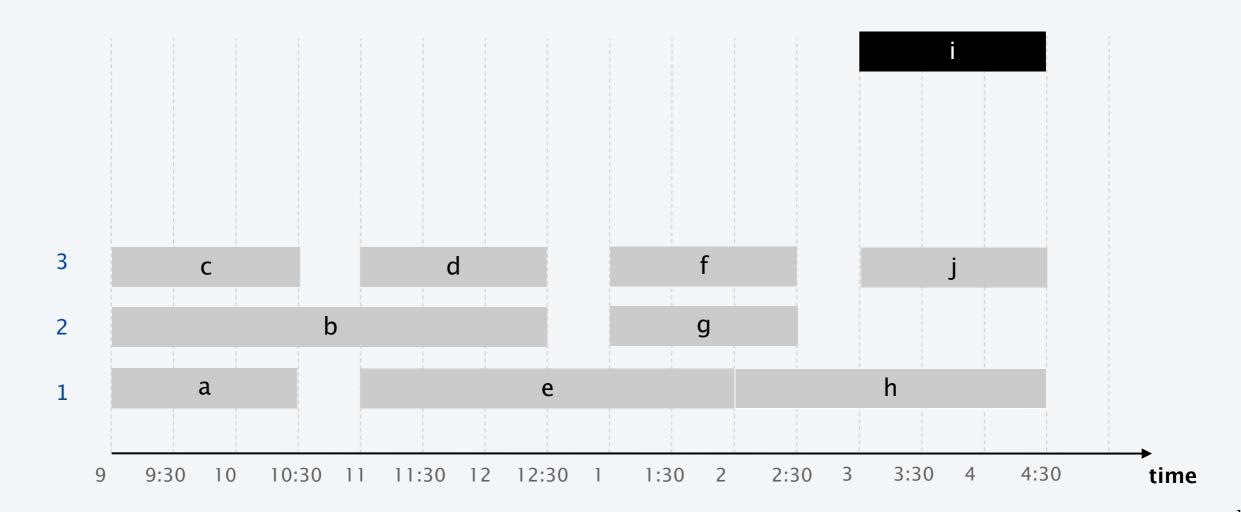
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