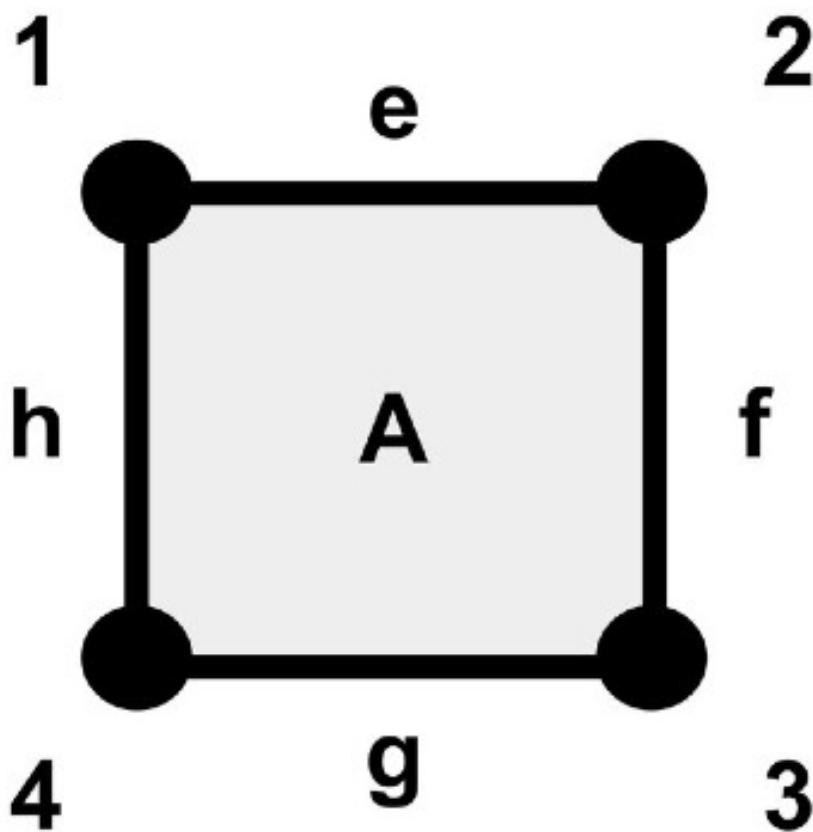


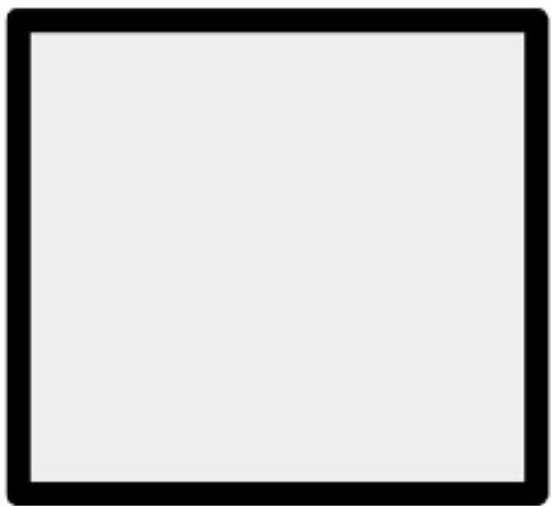
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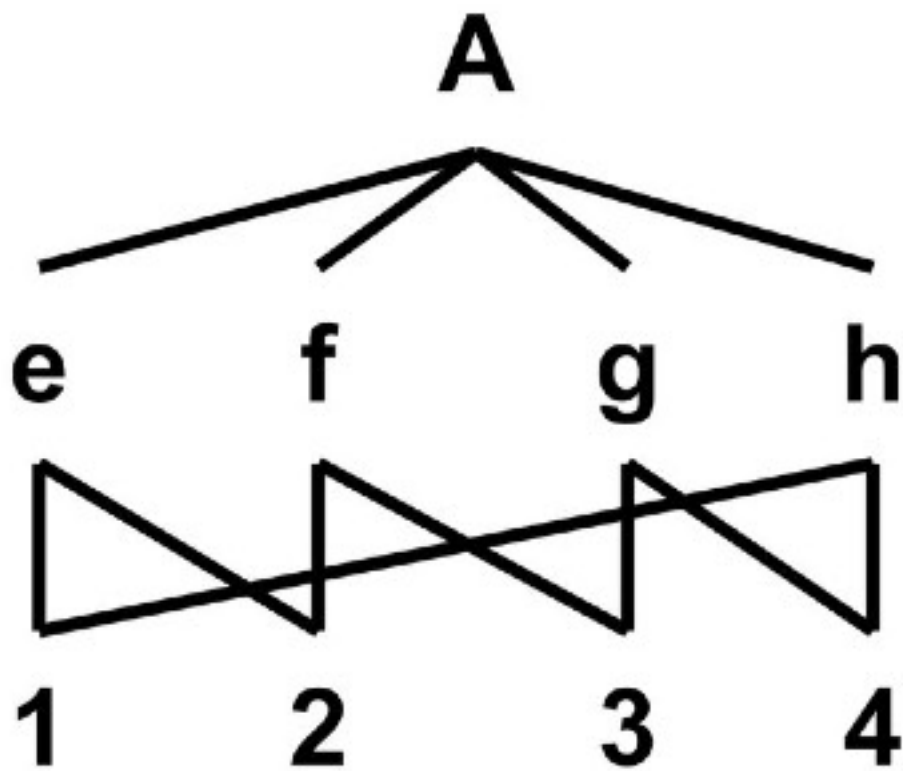
- A cell complex¹ C is a collection of mathematical n -dimensional n -cells, and all lower-dimensional cells that make up their boundaries.
- For any k -cell, ∂ is the operator that returns the cell's boundary if it exists.
- A cell complex can also be represented as a graph.



CellComplex





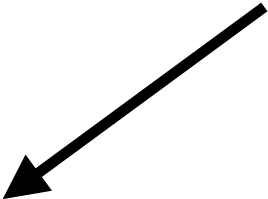


(a) Our starting square.

(b) Square with topological cells
labeled.

(c) Graph for the cell complex of the square.





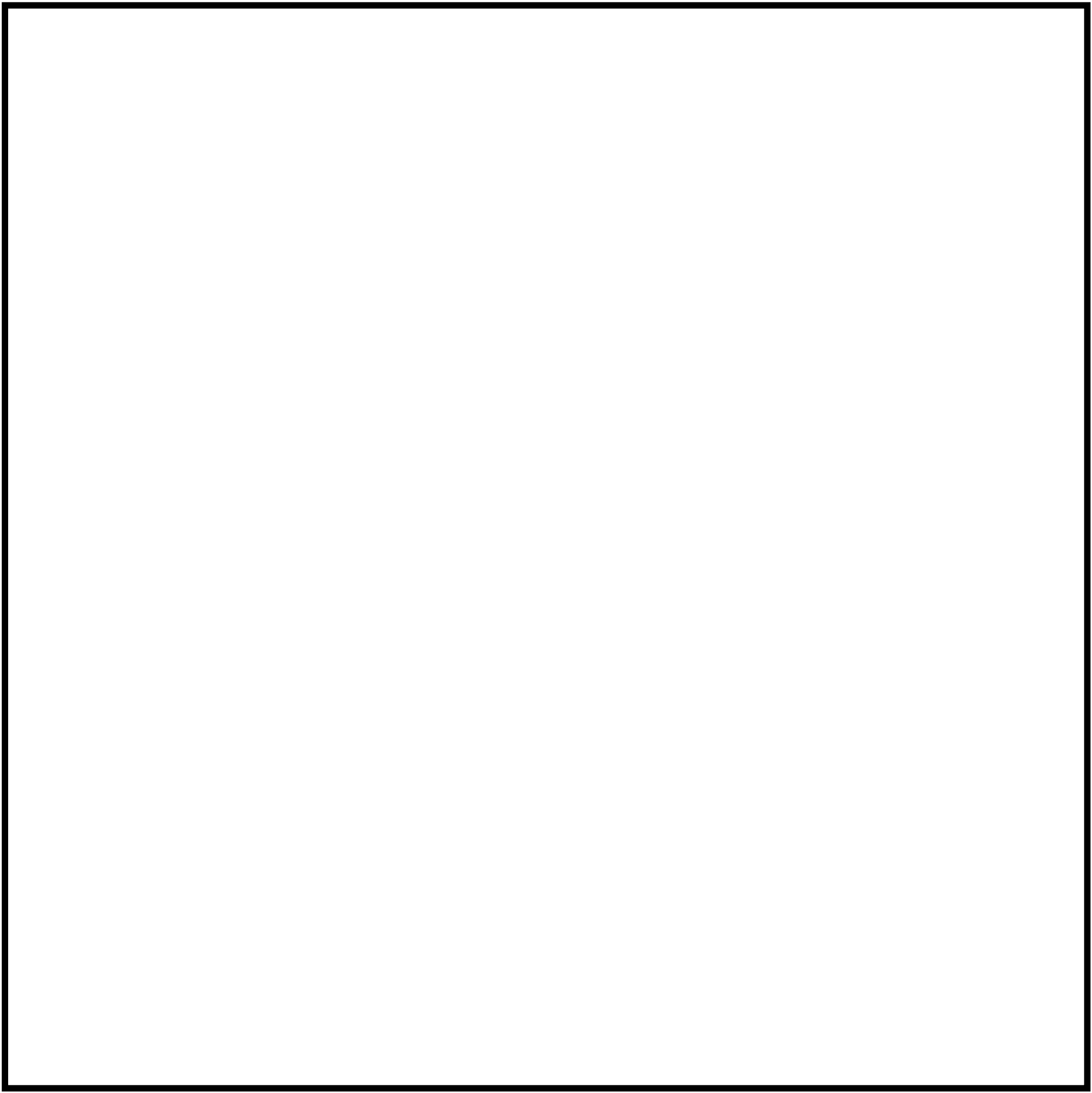
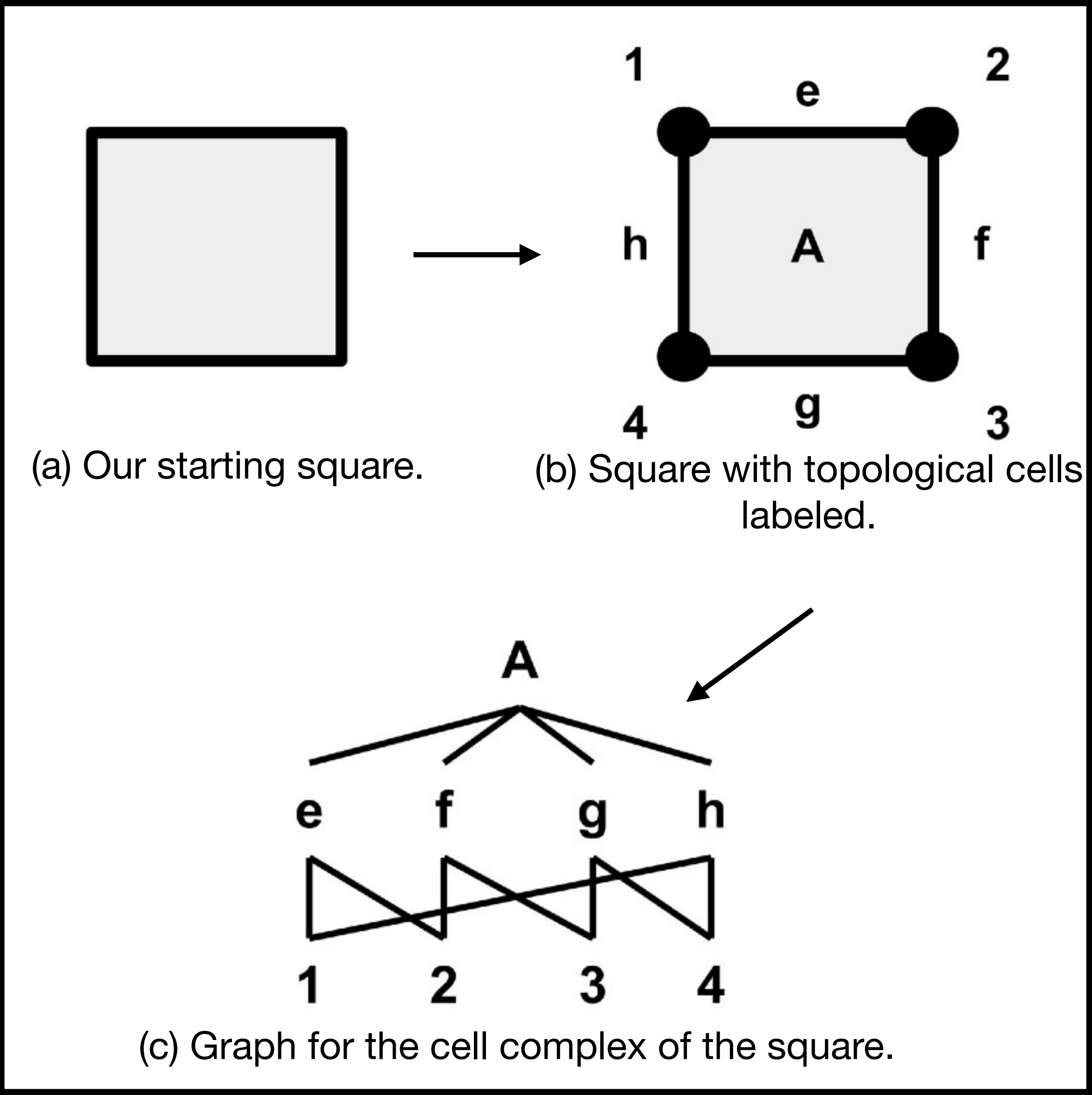


Figure 5

1. (Hatcher, 2019)

Cell Complex

The motivation for the expanded cell complex.



Subdividing a Simulation Space

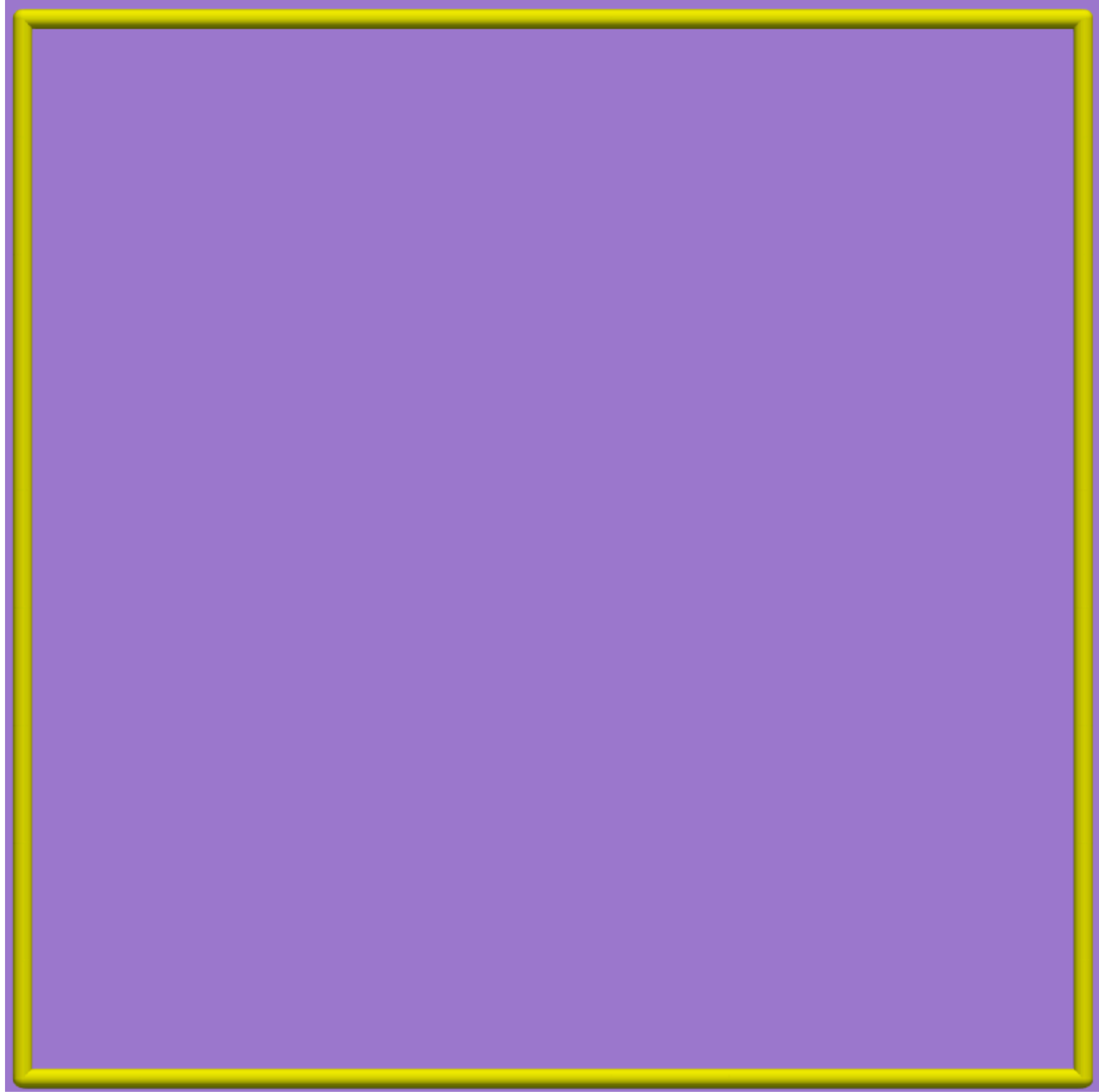


Figure 6: Square simulation space.

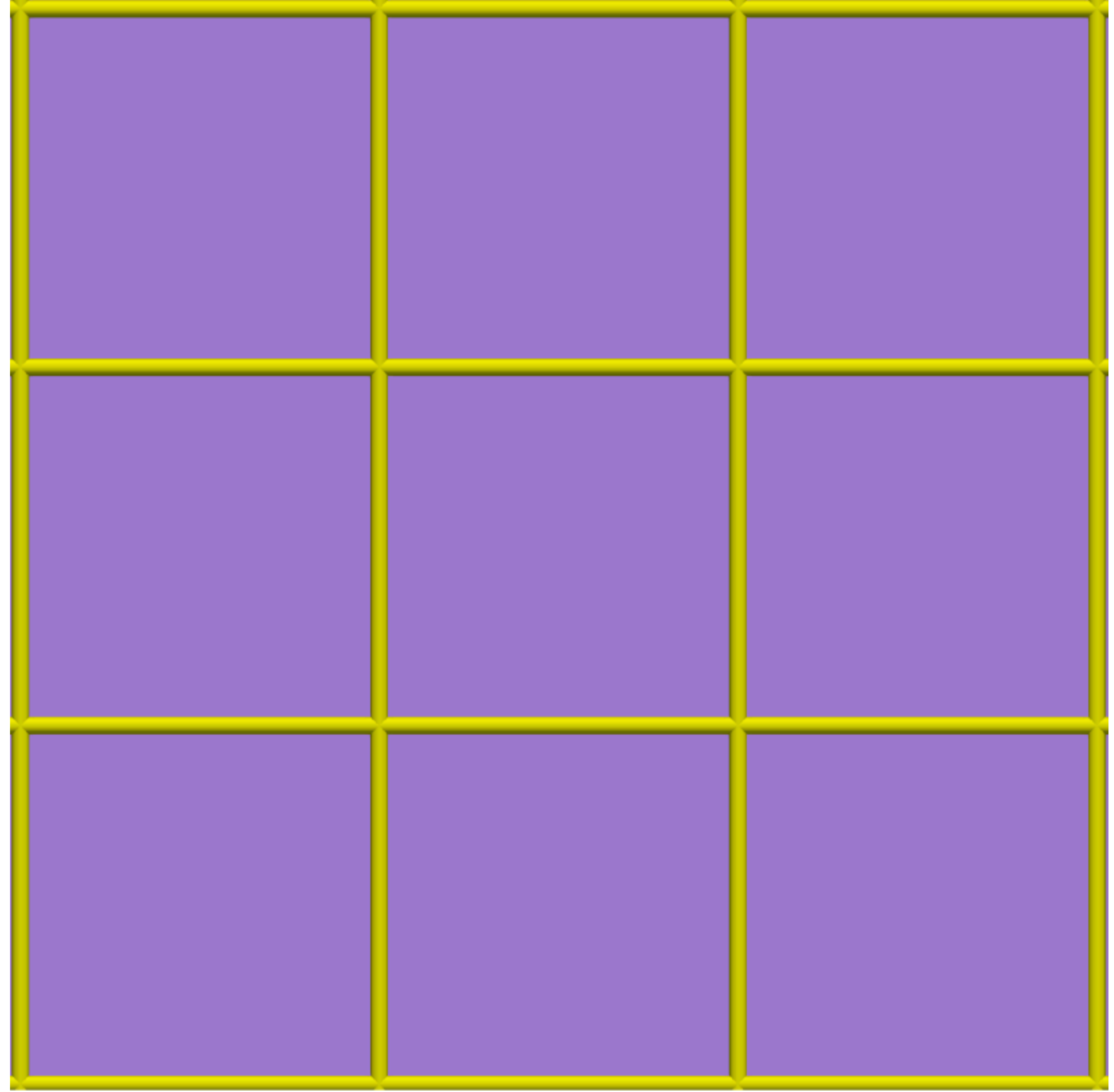


Figure 7: 3x3 subdivided space.