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A JAX implementation of the *“Efficient Contextual Bandits with Continuous Actions”* paper

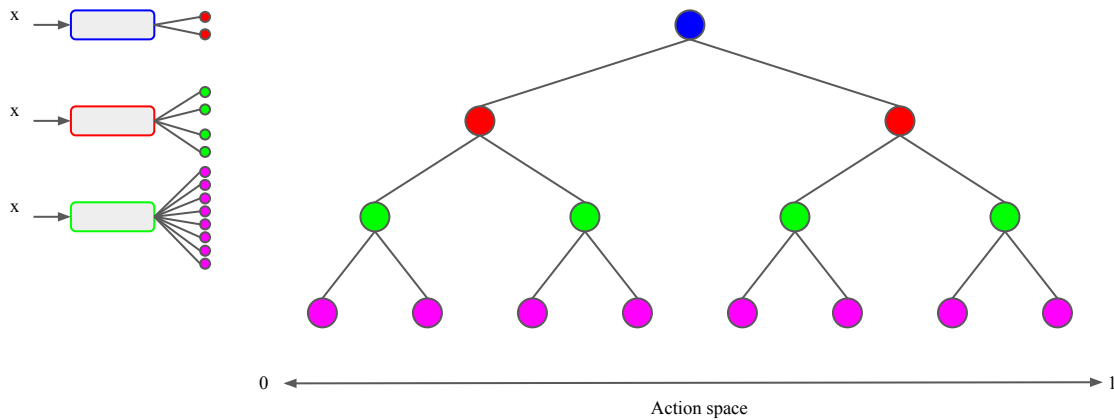
Tree

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This example uses a tree of depth 3

At each depth there is neural network (depth 0: blue, depth 1: red, and depth 2: green)

Each neural network output layer dimension is $2^{(\text{depth}+1)}$



```
class Tree(hk.Module):
    def __init__(
        self,
        network_builder: NetworkBuilder,
        tree_params: TreeParameters,
        name: Optional[str] = None,
    ):

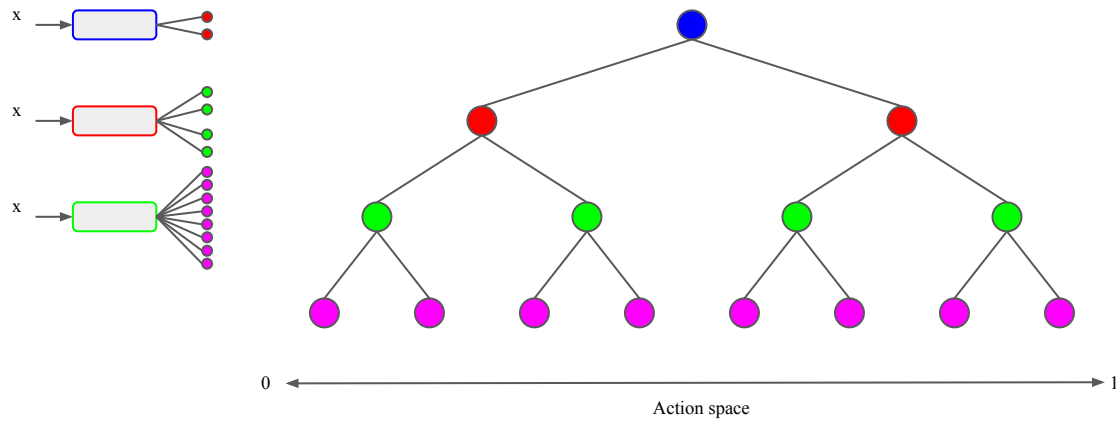
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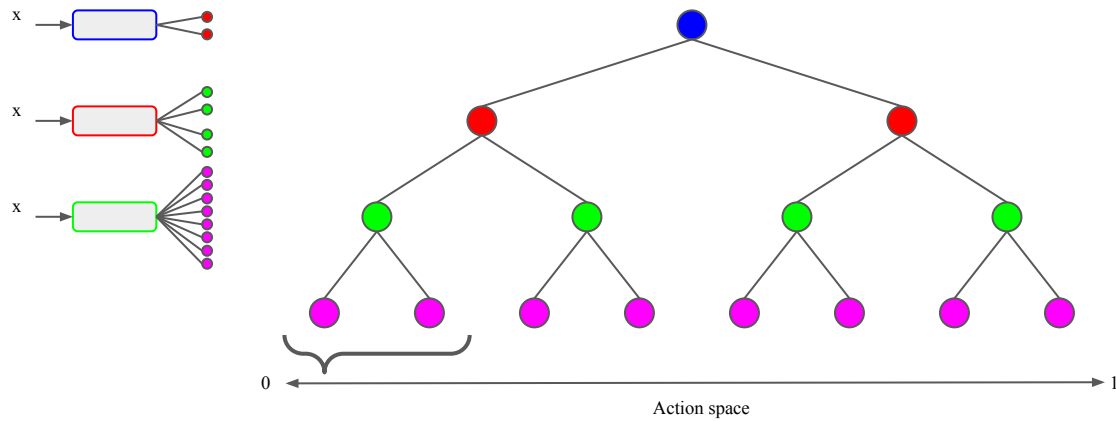
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class TreeParameters:
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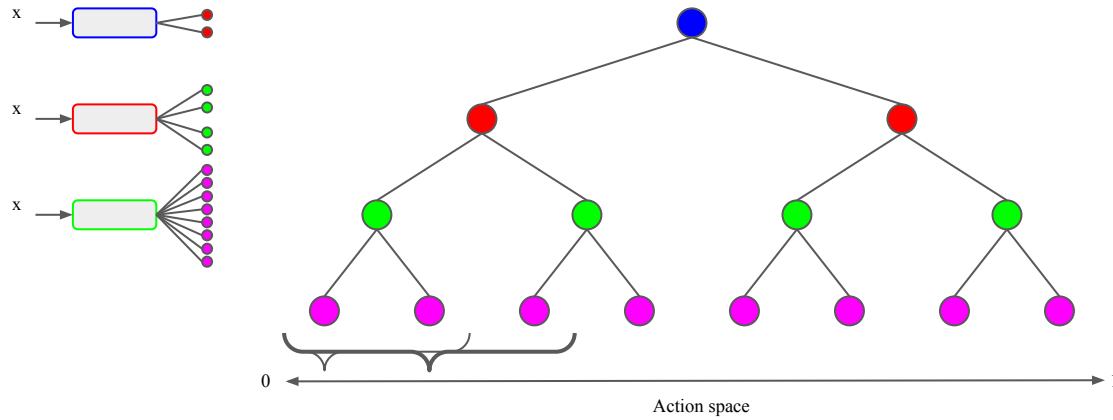
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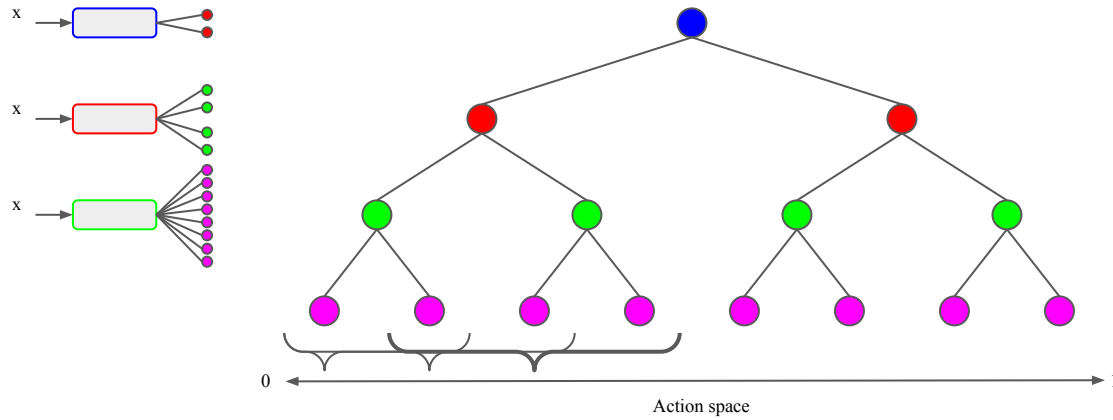
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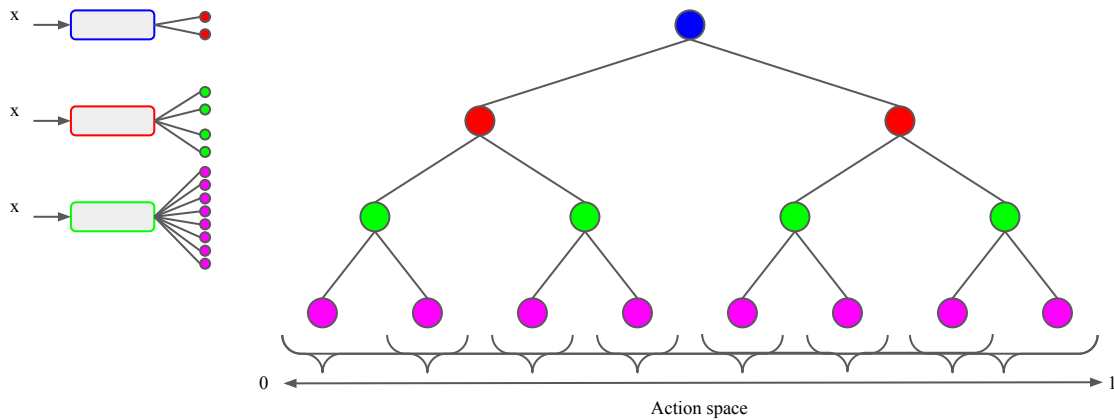
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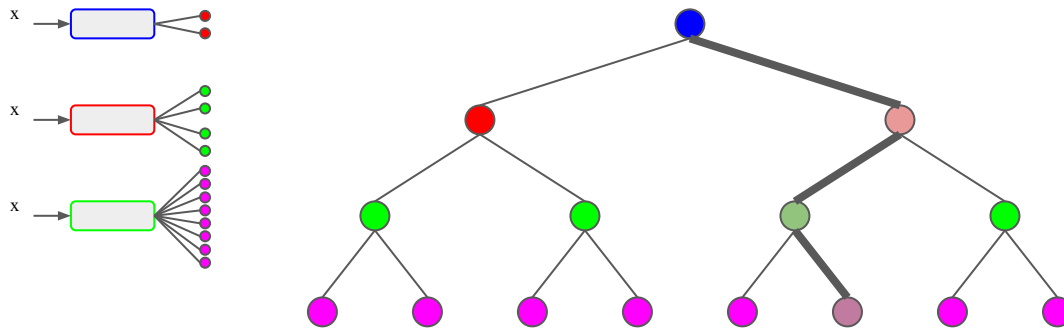


Action query

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def sample(  
    self, obs: Observations, epsilon: float  
) -> Tuple[Actions, Probabilities]:
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Action query

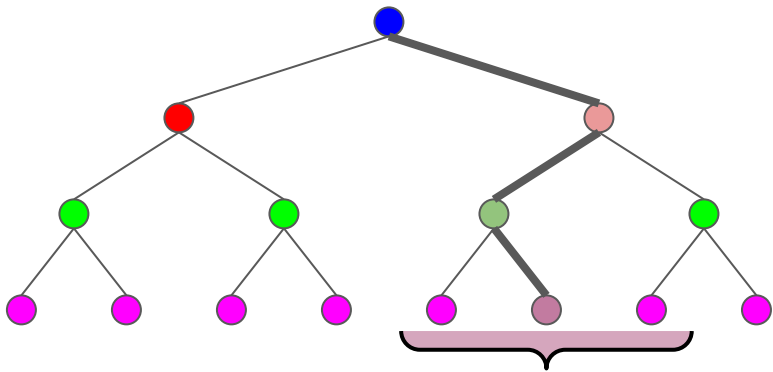
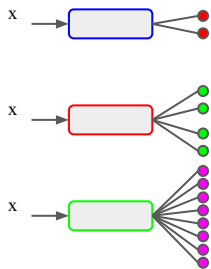
forward pass of the tree by following the max of the logits



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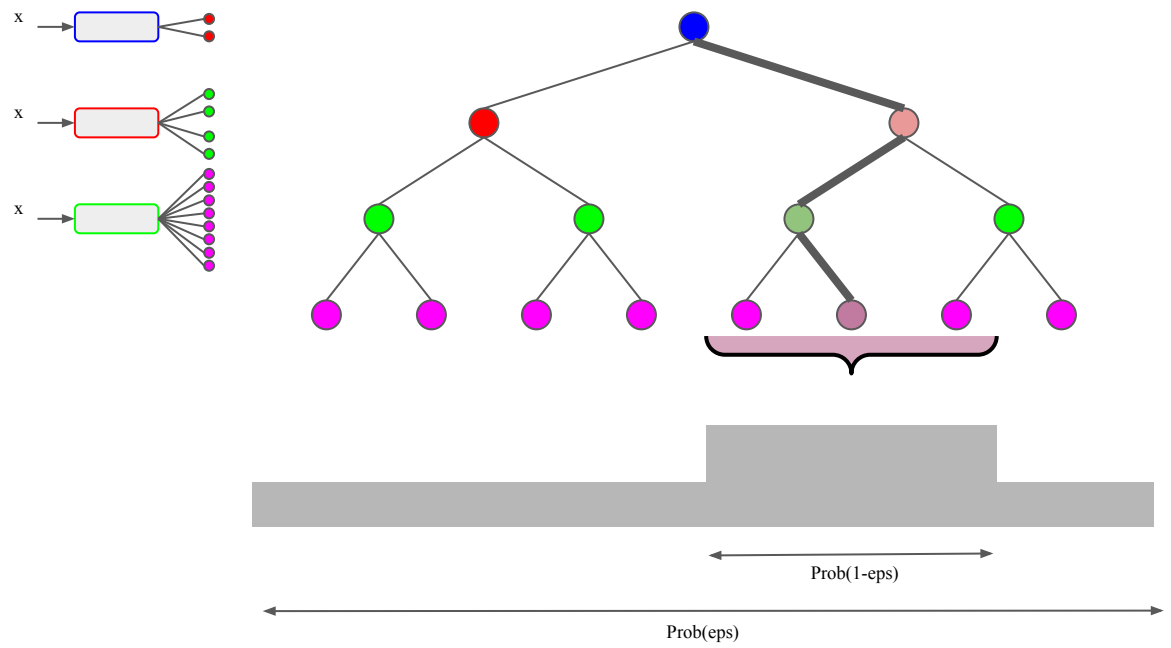
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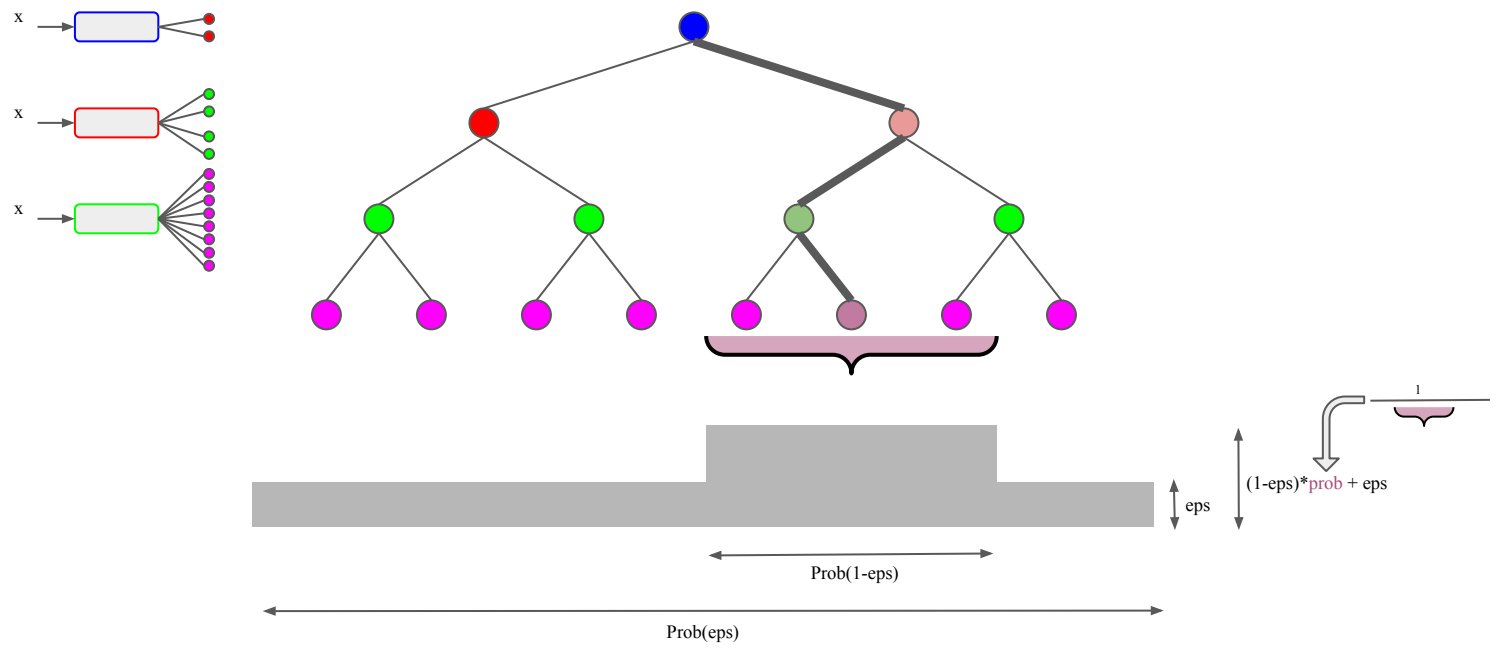
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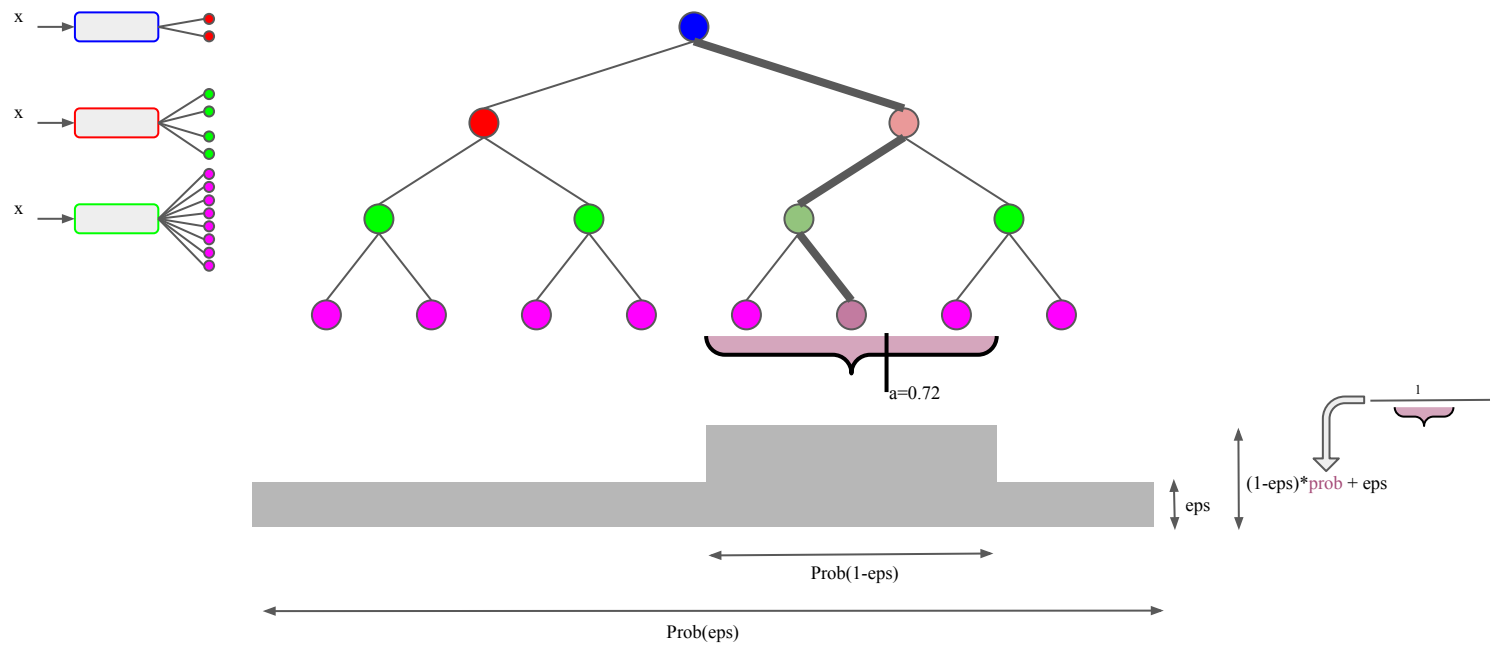
sample an action with eps-greedy



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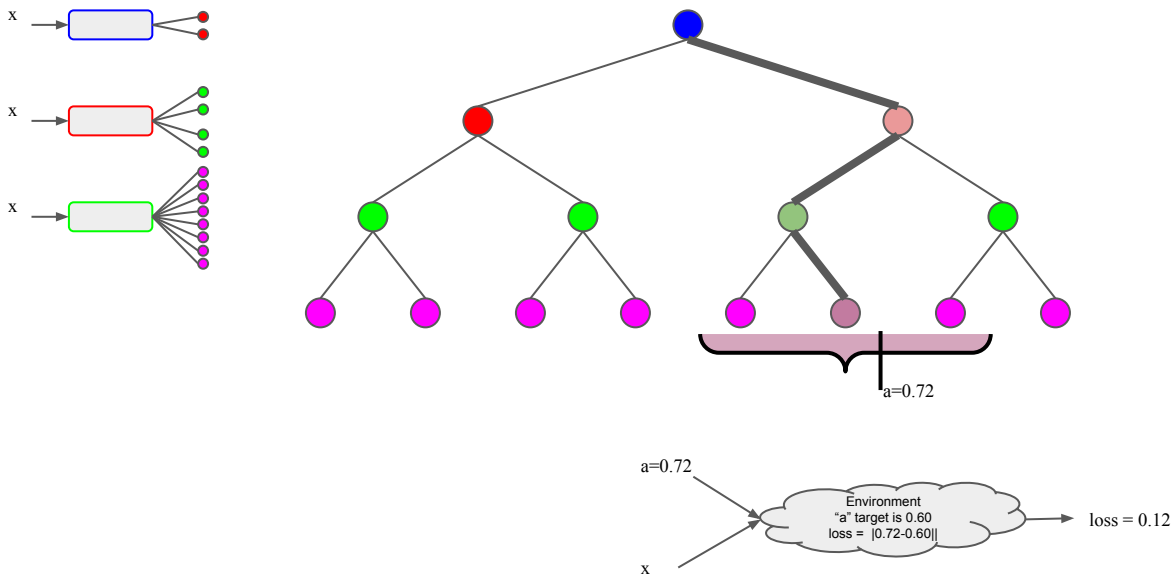
sample an action with eps-greedy (example: a=0.72)



Action cost

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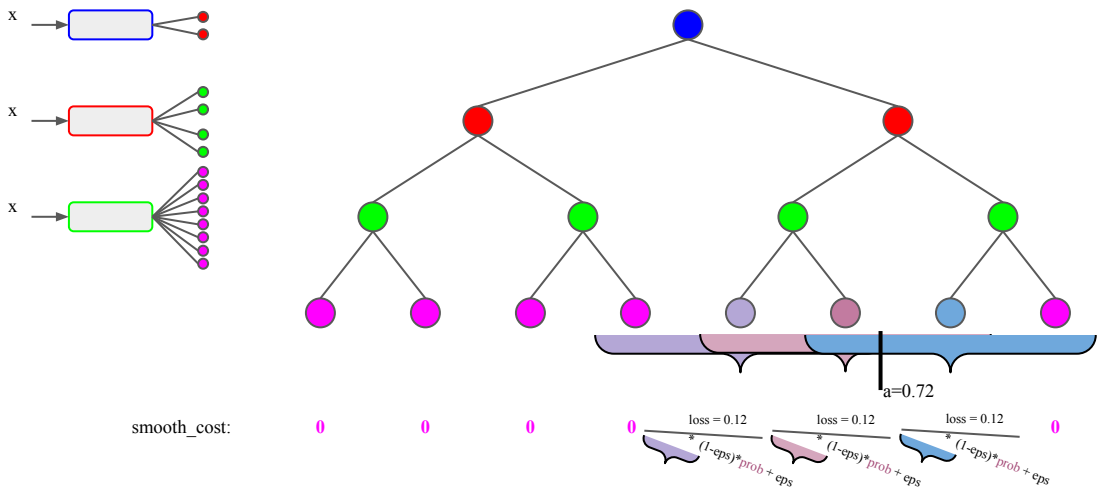
apply action in the environment and receive cost feedback




Action cost

smooth the cost across the discretized actions that could have generated the action

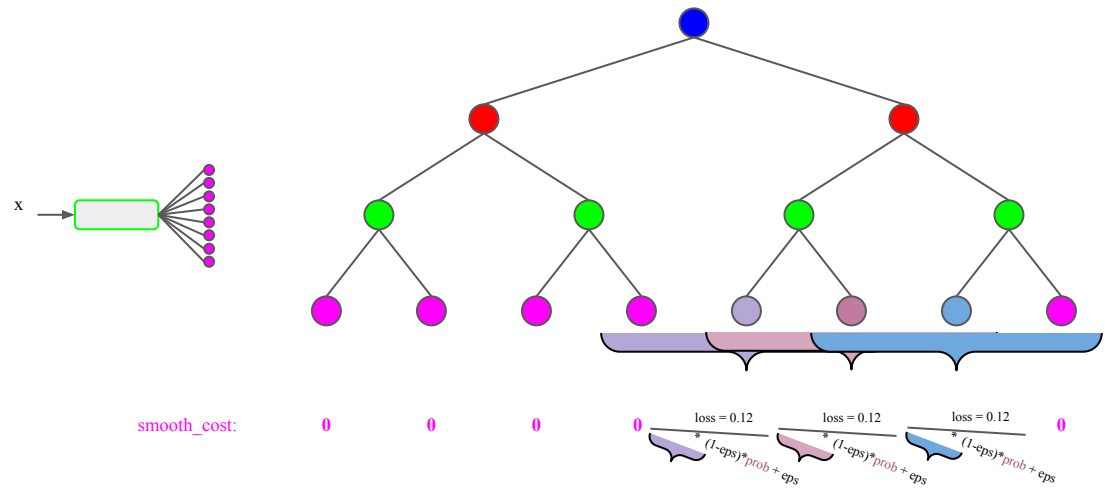
```
@functools.partial(jax.jit, static_argnames=("self",))
def _compute_smooth_costs(
    self, costs: JaxCosts, actions: JaxActions, probabilities: JaxProbabilities
) -> JaxCosts:
```



Update neural network weights

Update: $x \rightarrow$ 

```
def learn(  
    self,  
    obs: Observations,  
    actions: Actions,  
    probabilities: Probabilities,  
    costs: Costs,  
)  
    -> None:
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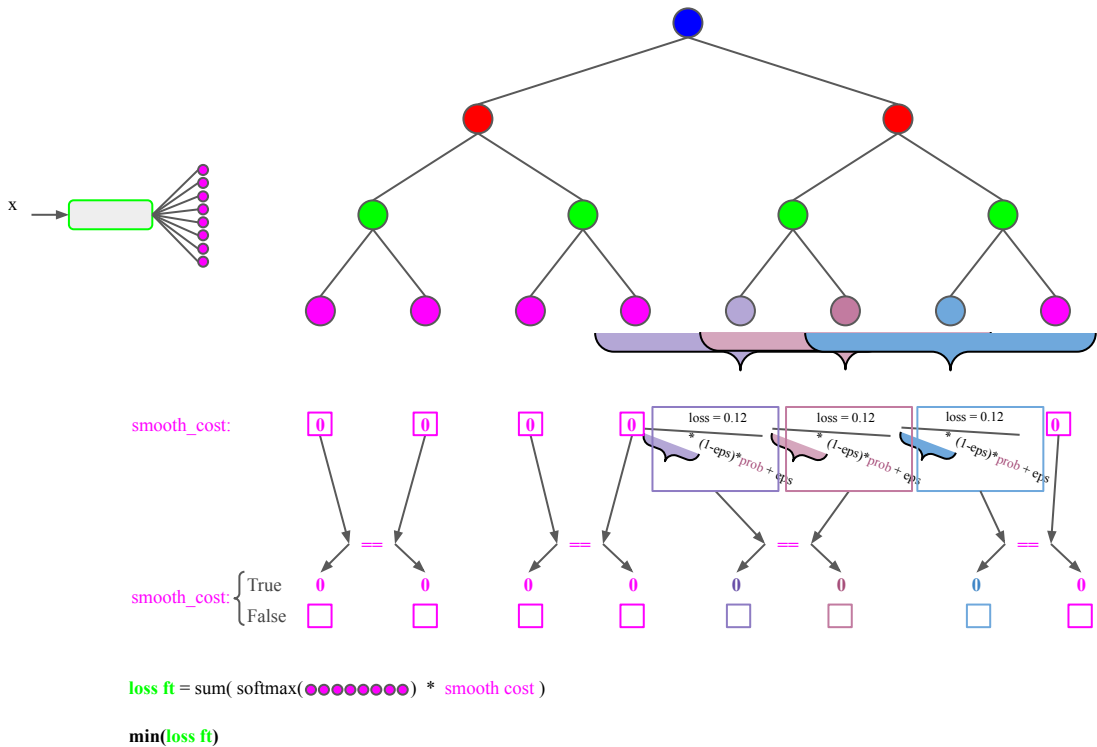



$$\text{loss ft} = \text{sum}(\text{softmax}(\text{purple circles}) * \text{smooth cost})$$
$$\text{min}(\text{loss ft})$$

Update: $x \rightarrow$ 

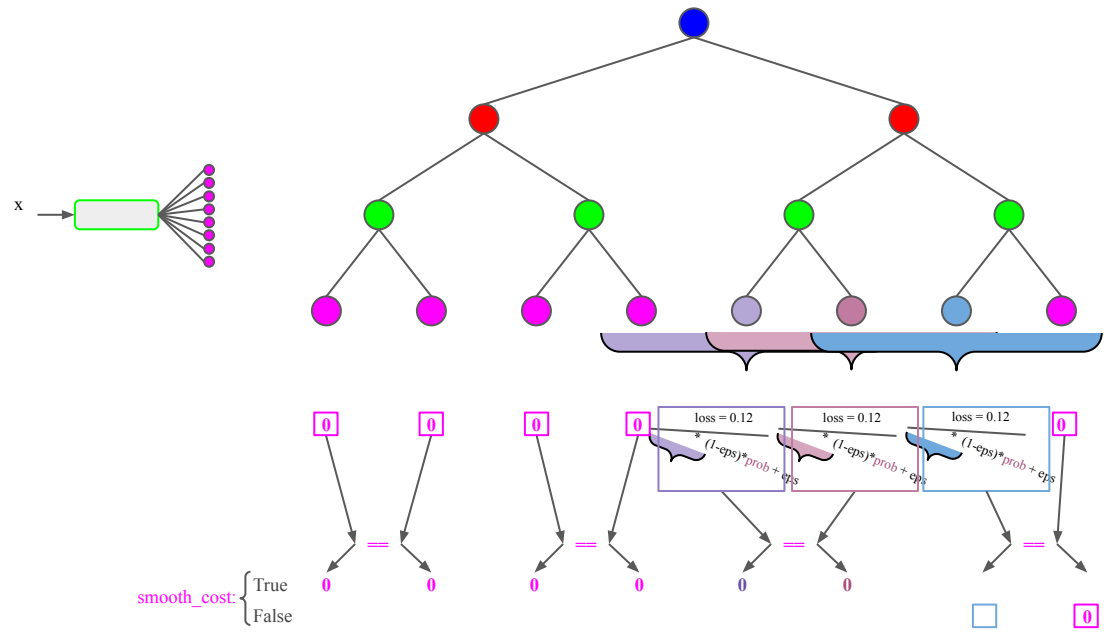
Only update nodes whose pair childs have different cost.

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In this example:



$loss_{ft} = \sum(softmax(\begin{matrix} \bullet & \bullet & \bullet & \bullet & \bullet & \bullet & \bullet & \bullet & \bullet & \bullet \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{matrix}) * smooth_cost)$
 $min(loss_{ft})$

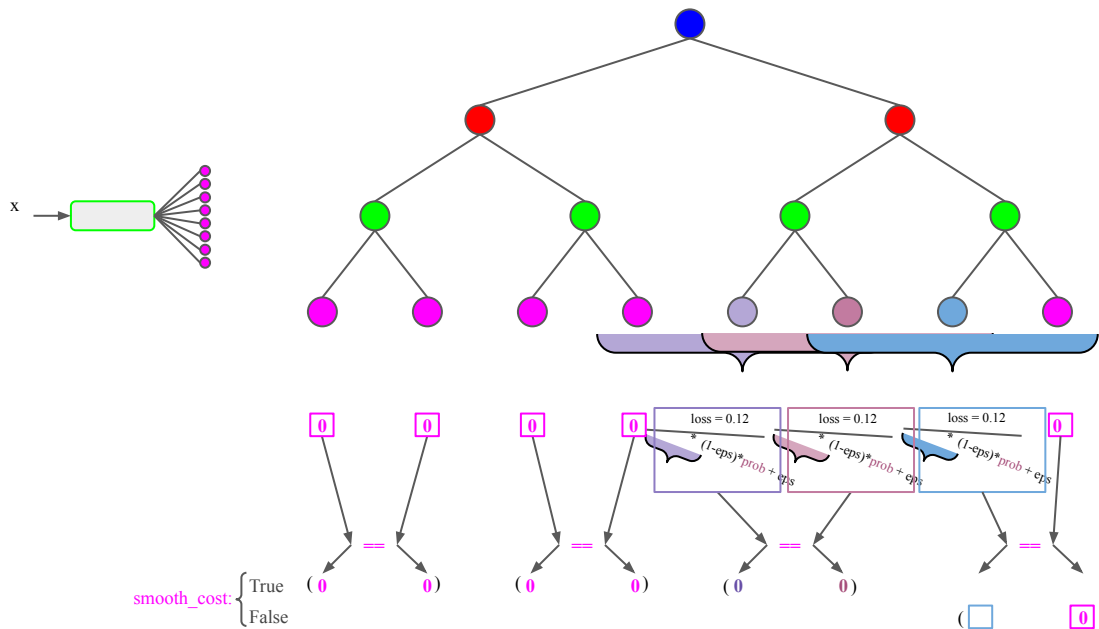
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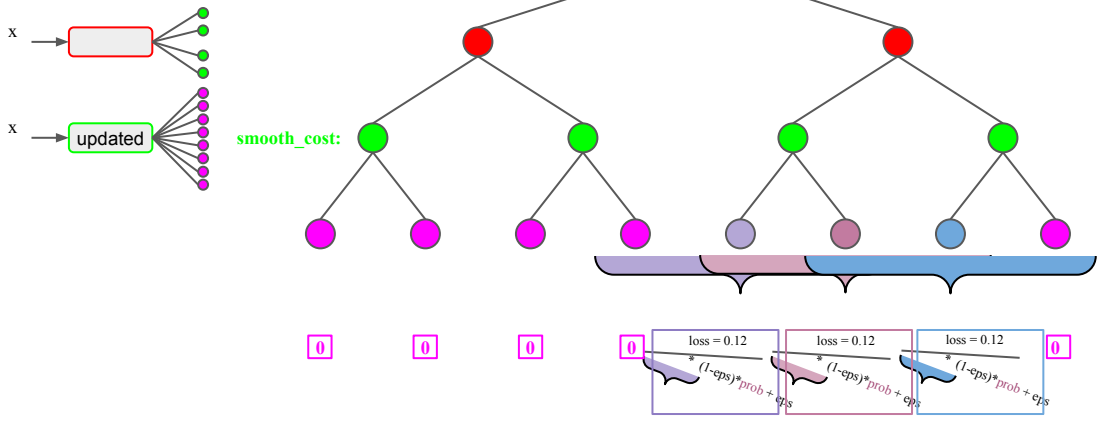
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min(loss ft)


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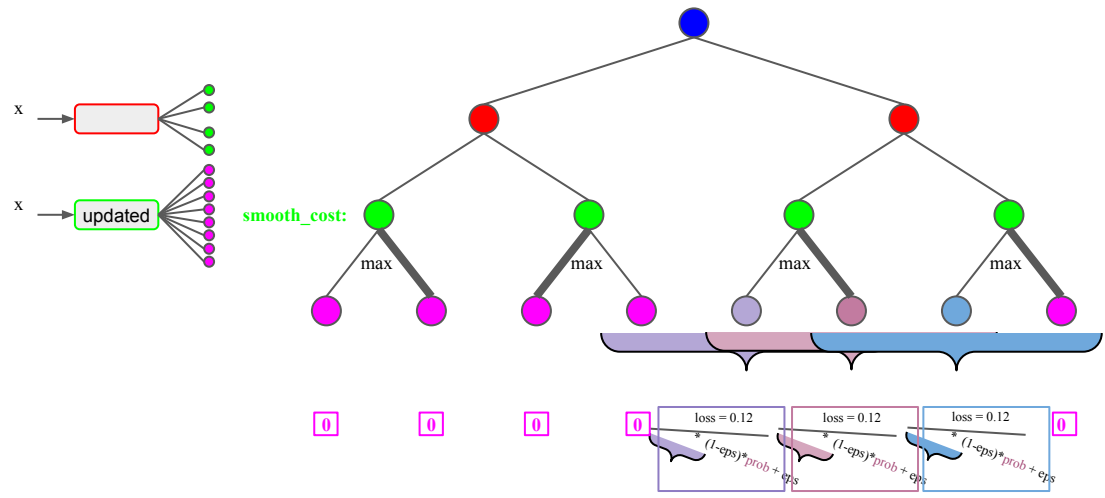



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loss ft = sum(softmax(  ) * **smooth cost**)
min(loss ft)

Update: $x \rightarrow$ 

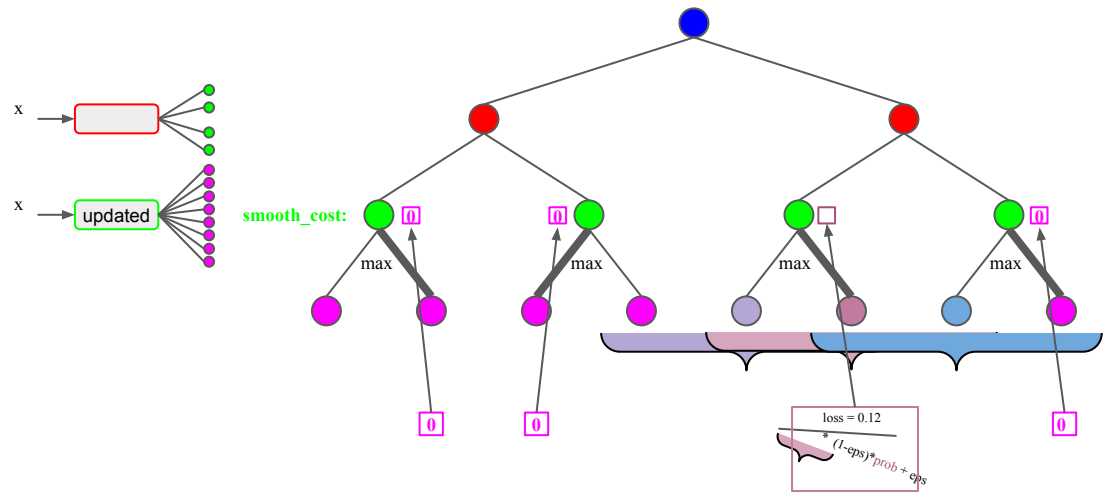
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





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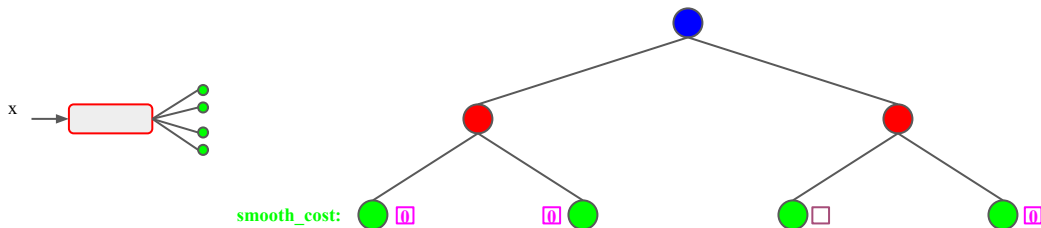
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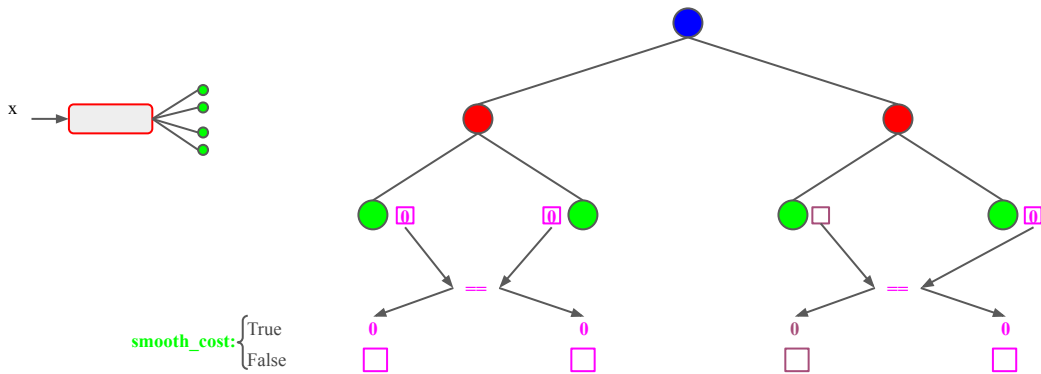
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$$\text{loss ft} = \text{sum}(\text{softmax}(\text{green circle}, \text{green circle}) * \text{smooth cost})$$

$$\text{min}(\text{loss ft})$$


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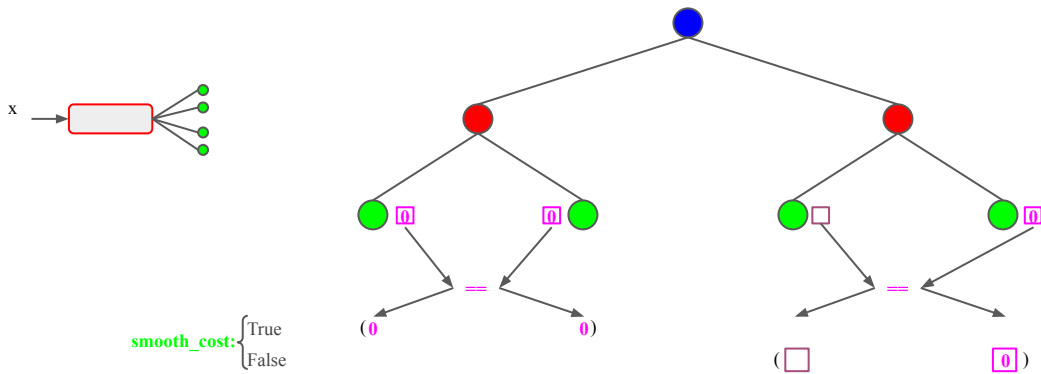


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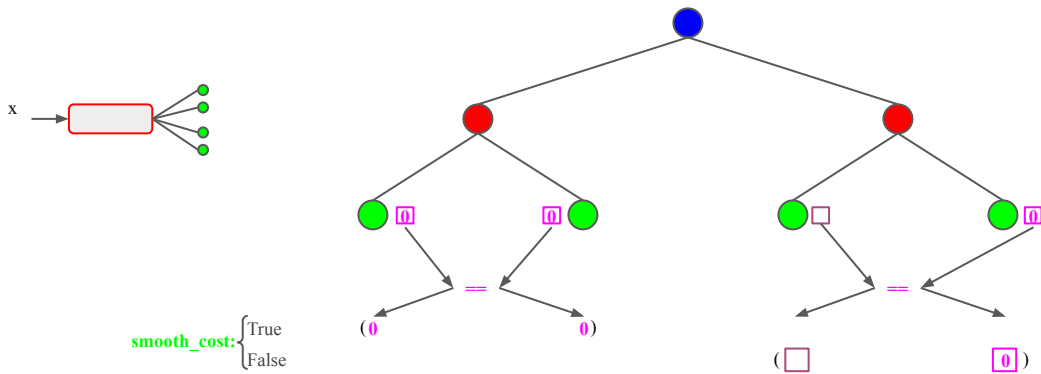


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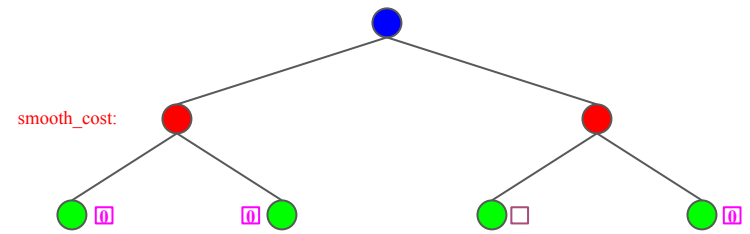
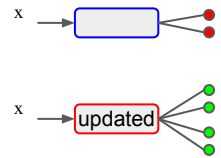
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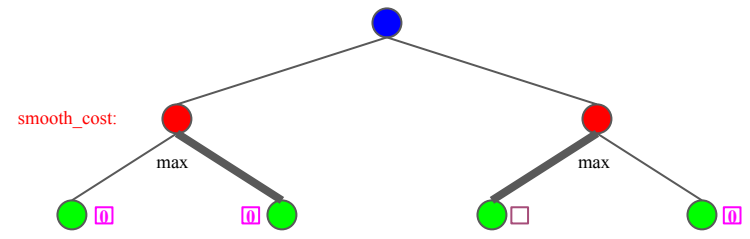
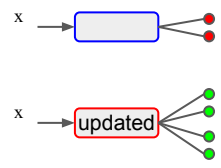
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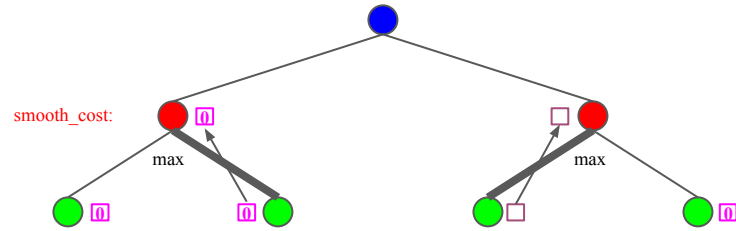
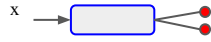


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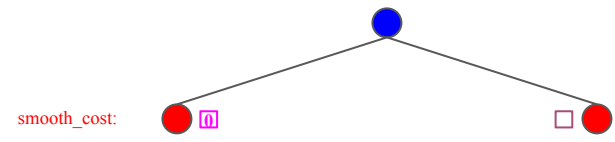
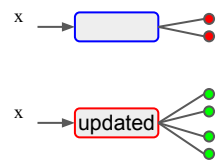


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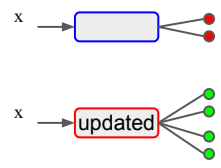


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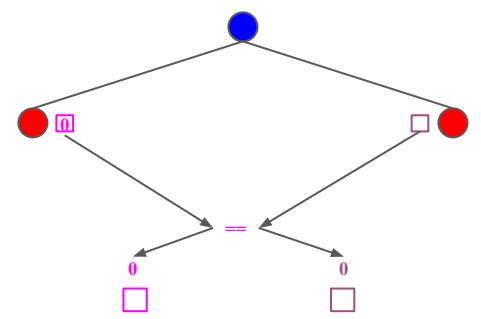
$$\text{loss ft} = \text{sum}(\text{softmax}(\text{red dots}) * \text{smooth cost})$$

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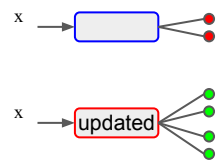
$\text{smooth_cost} : \begin{cases} \text{True} \\ \text{False} \end{cases}$



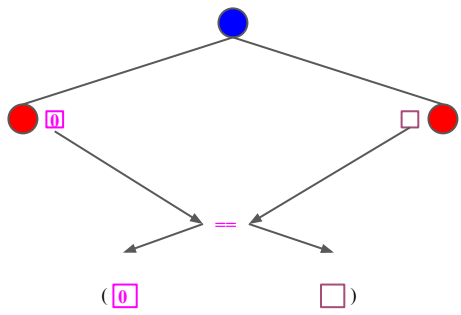
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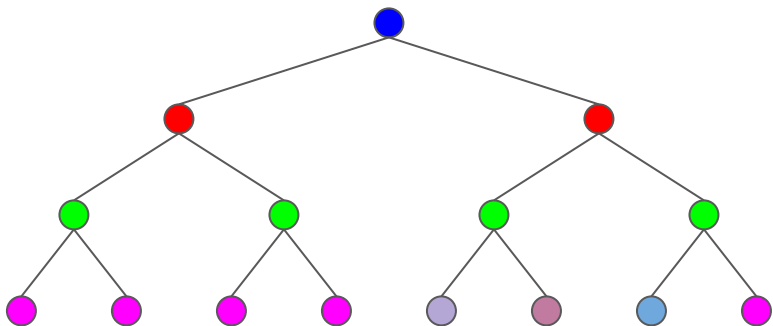
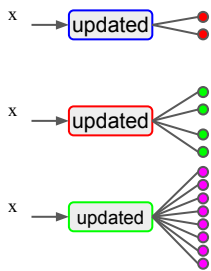


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