

Algorand: Scaling Byzantine Agreements for Cryptocurrencies

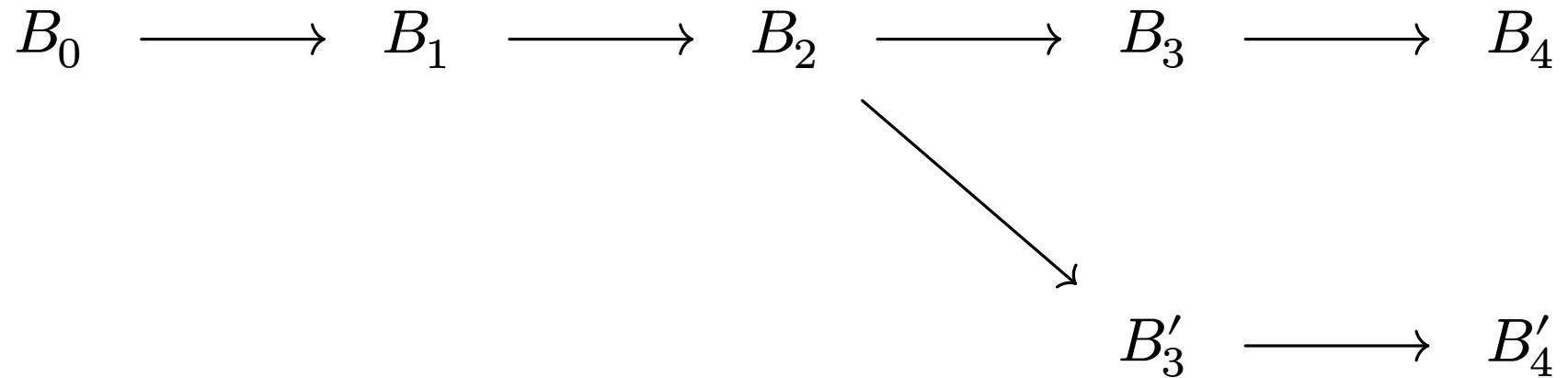
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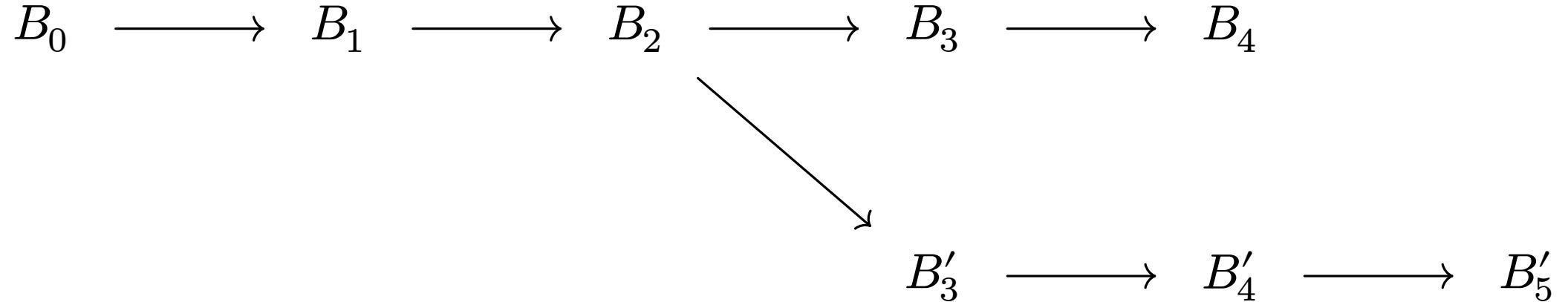
Context Introduction

- Cryptographic currencies
- Avoiding centralized authorities
- Trade-off between latency and confidence

Nakamoto consensus & Proof of Work



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- No confident commit
- Possible forks
- Latency problem
- Scalability

BFT Consensus

- Predefined set of servers
- Denial of service attack
- All to All communication
- Scalability

Algorand

- New cryptocurrency
- Confirmation in order of minute
- Scalable (No all to all communication)

Algorand: Network structure

- Dynamic size
- Confirmation in order of minute
- Scalable (No all to all communication)

Algorand: Key components

Algorand: Sortition

Algorand: BA^{*}

Algorand: Evaluation