

# Introduction to Programming (C/C++)

## 04: C Advanced

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# Last Lecture

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## → Array & Pointer

- Pointer arithmetic, pointer as function argument, dynamic array

## → Function

- Call stack, pass-by-value, variable scope

# C String

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→ An array of characters terminated with the null character '`\0`'

“Tea Garden”

T	e	a	\20	G	a	r	d	e	n	\0
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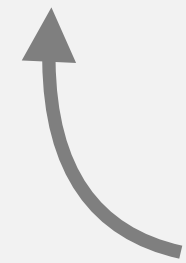
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```



Make sure enough space is allocated

# C String

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char *s = "Tea Garden";
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# C String

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Allocates an 11-byte array on stack

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Allocates a pointer on stack

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Allocates an 11-byte array on stack



Compact way to initialize the array

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String Literal ( **read-only** )

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String Literal ( **read-only** )

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s[0] = 'S';
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Undefined Behavior

# C String

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const char *s = "Tea Garden";
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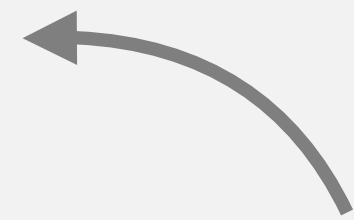
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# C String

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```

```
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```



Error will be caught by the **compiler**

# C String

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```
char s[] = "Tea Garden";
```





# C String

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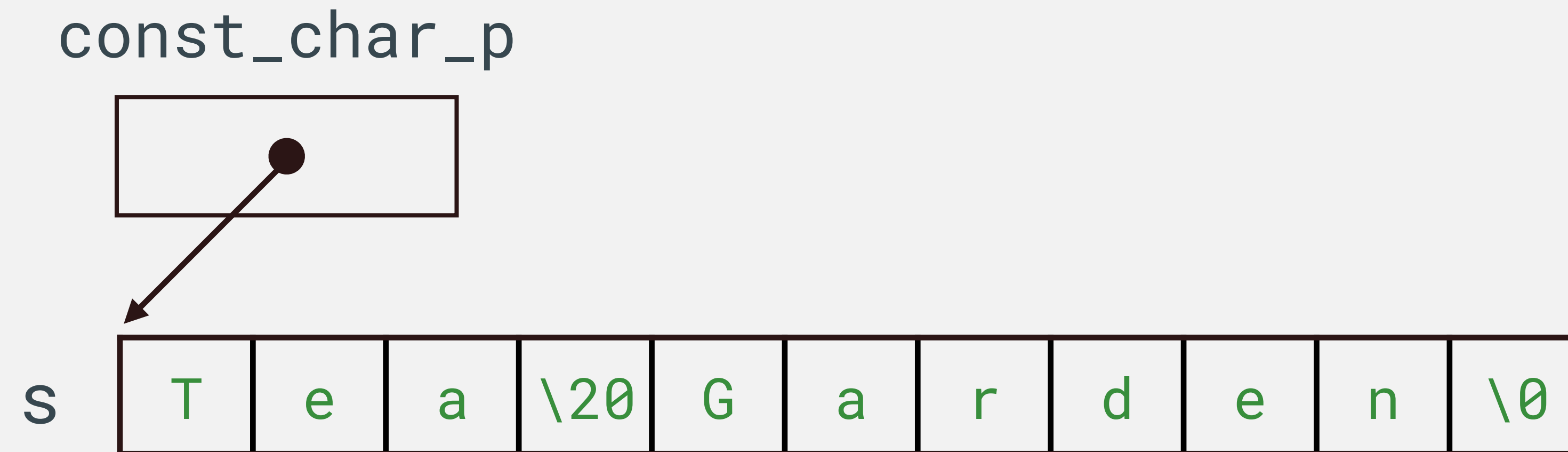
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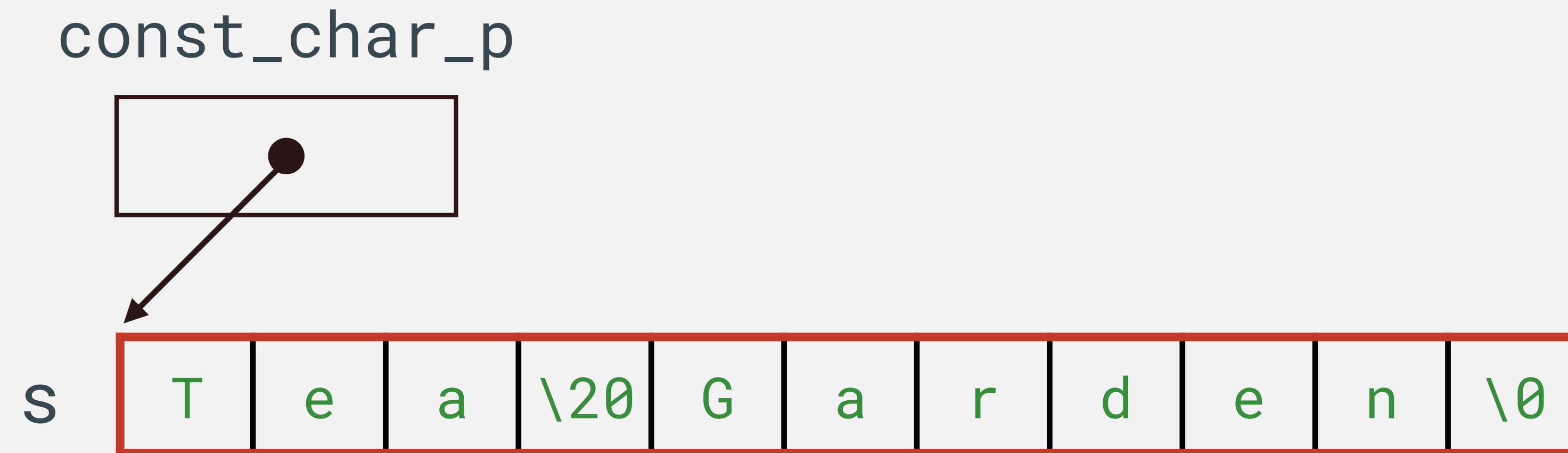


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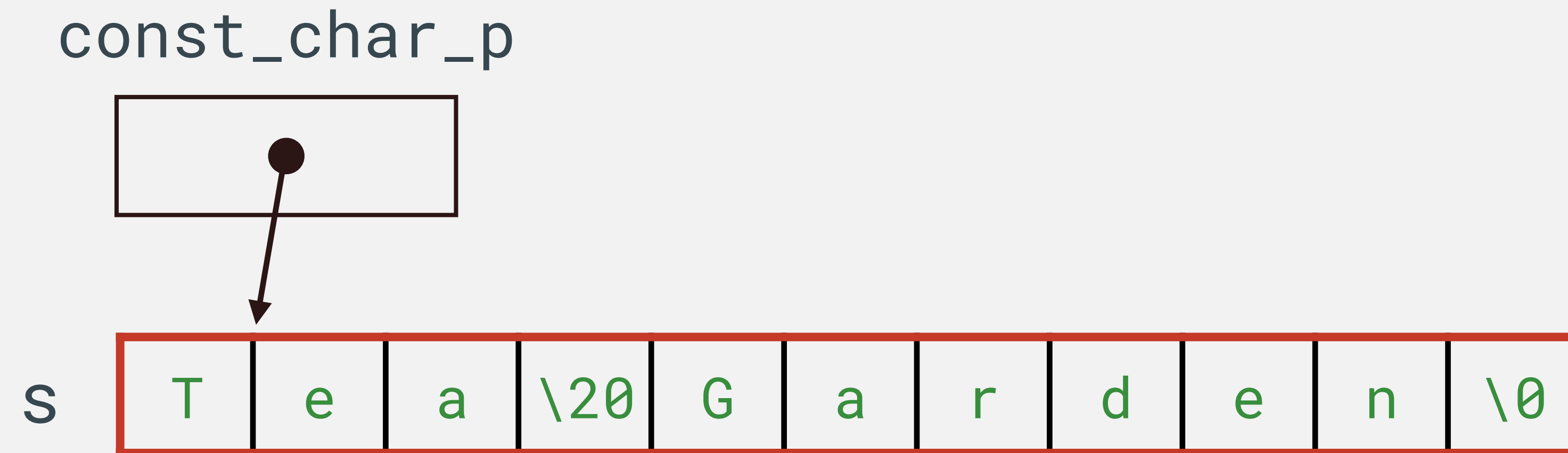


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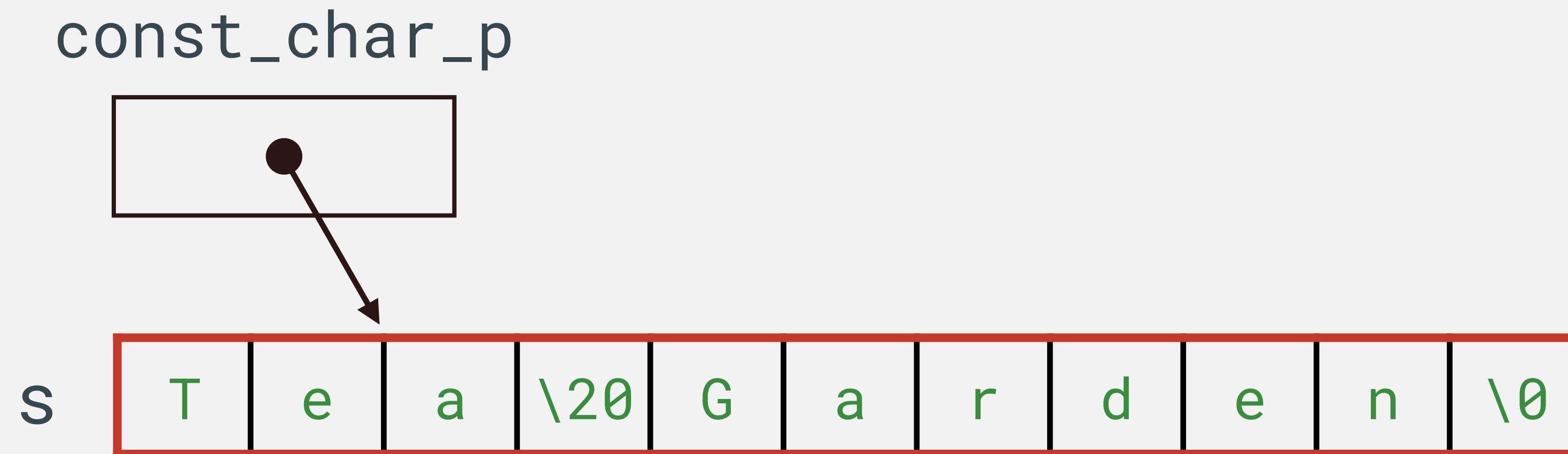


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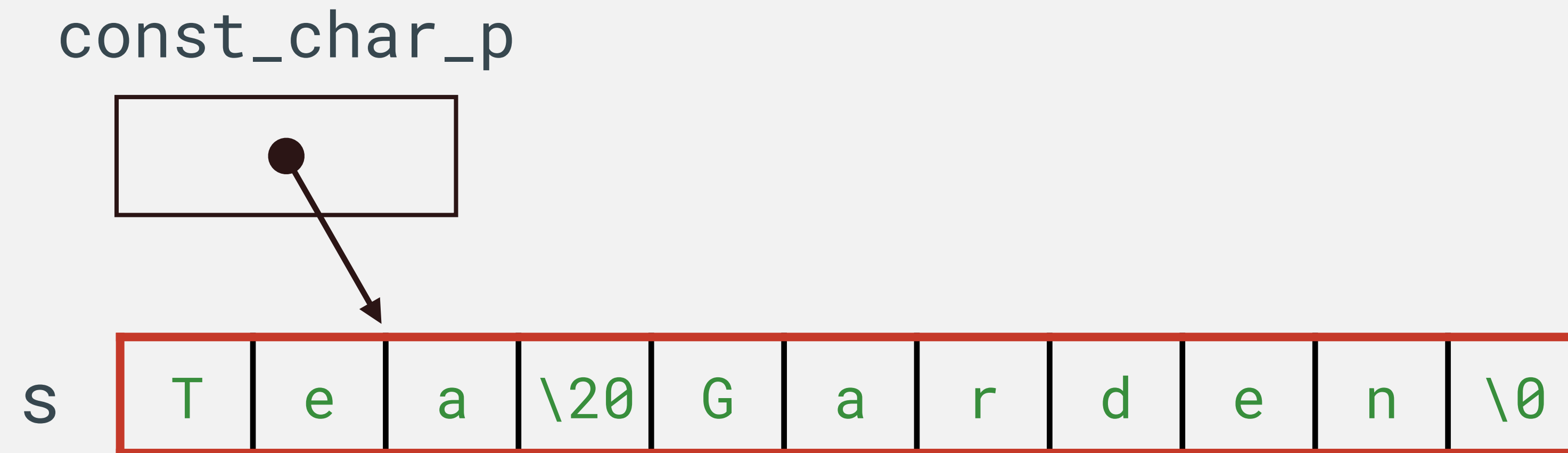
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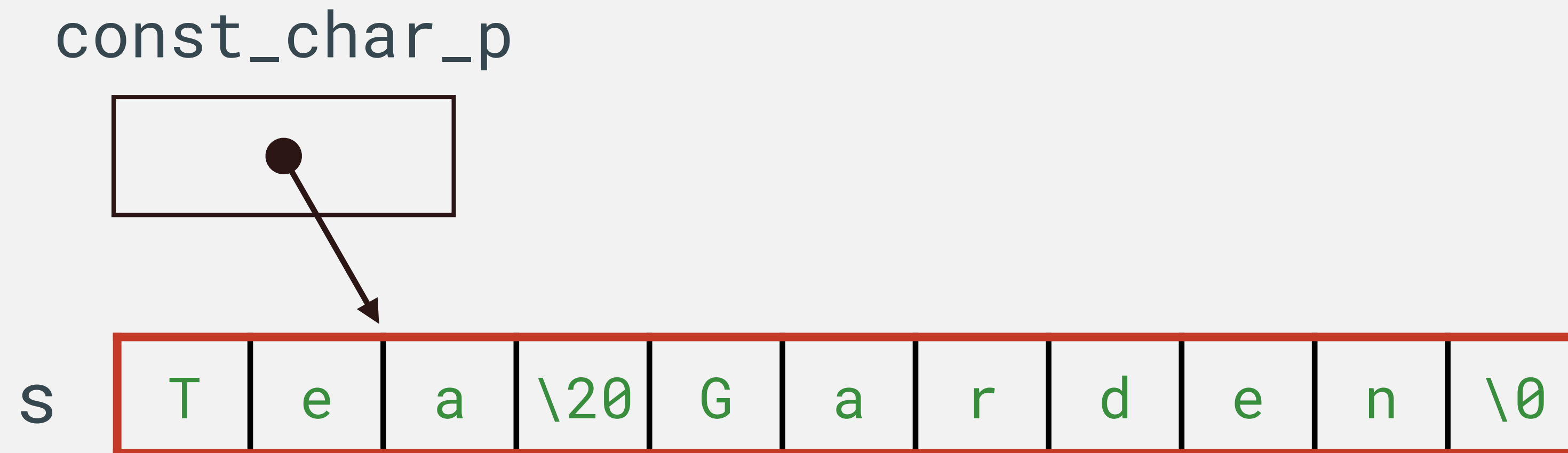
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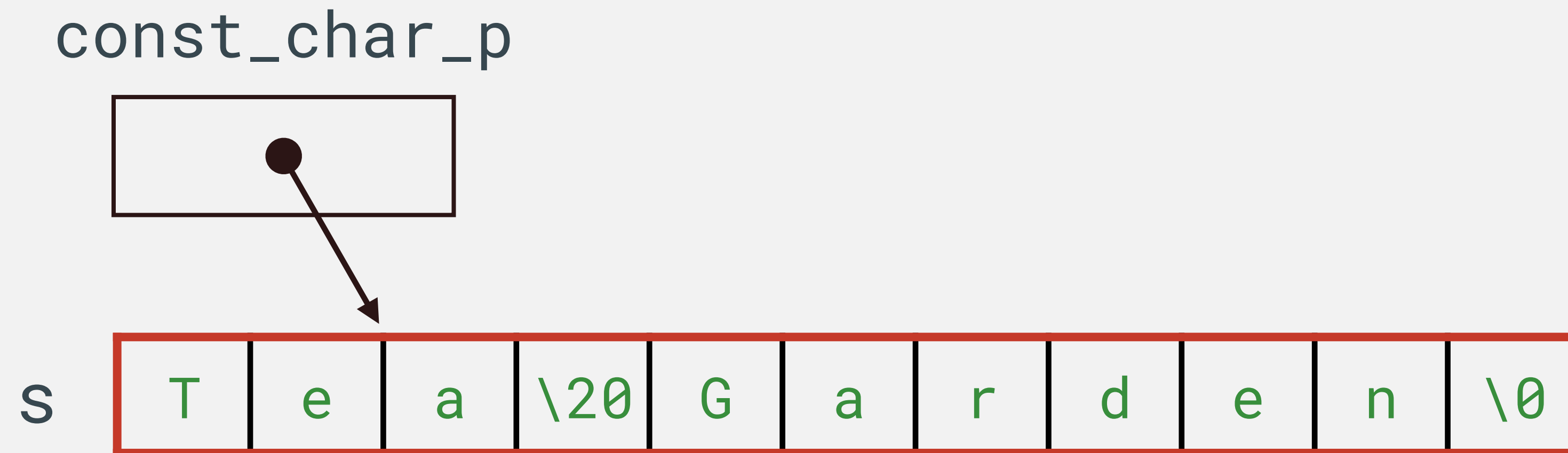
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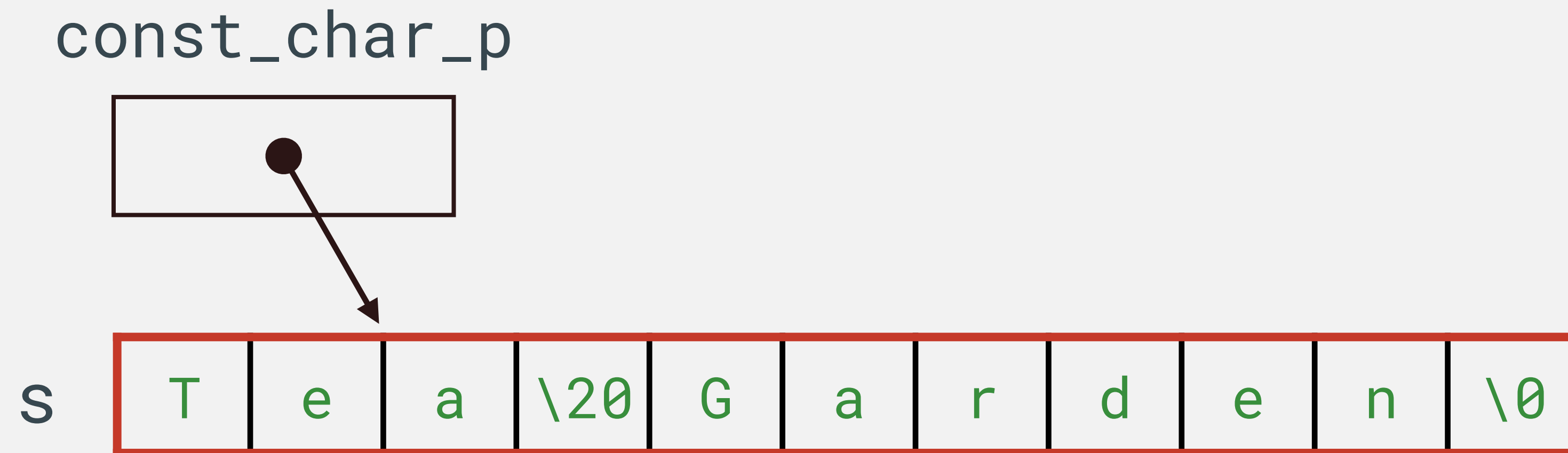


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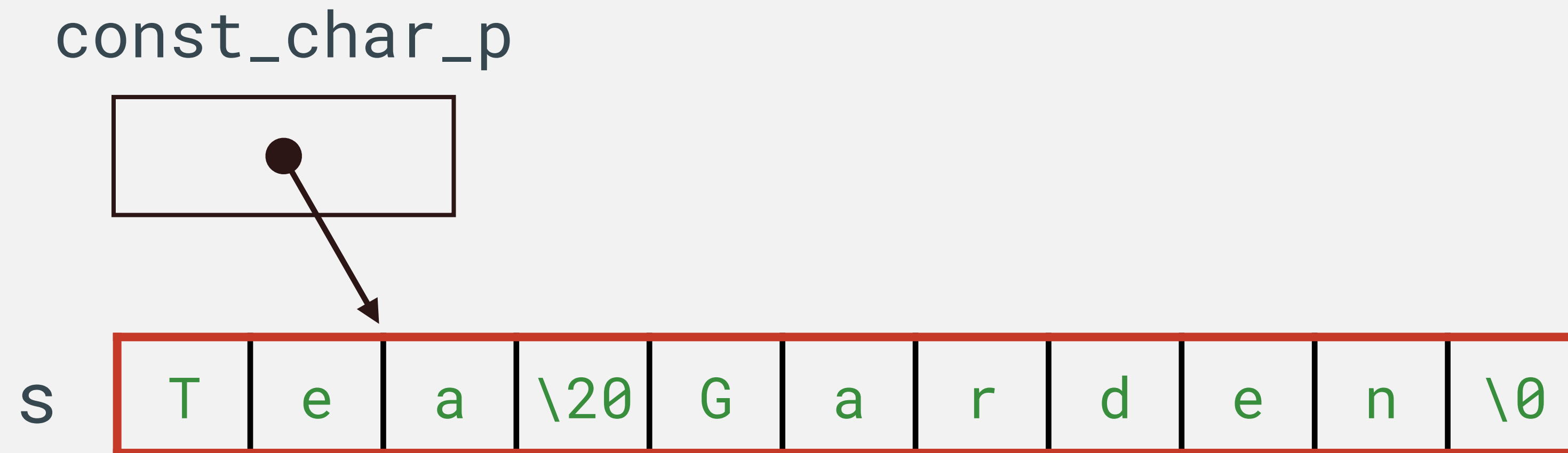
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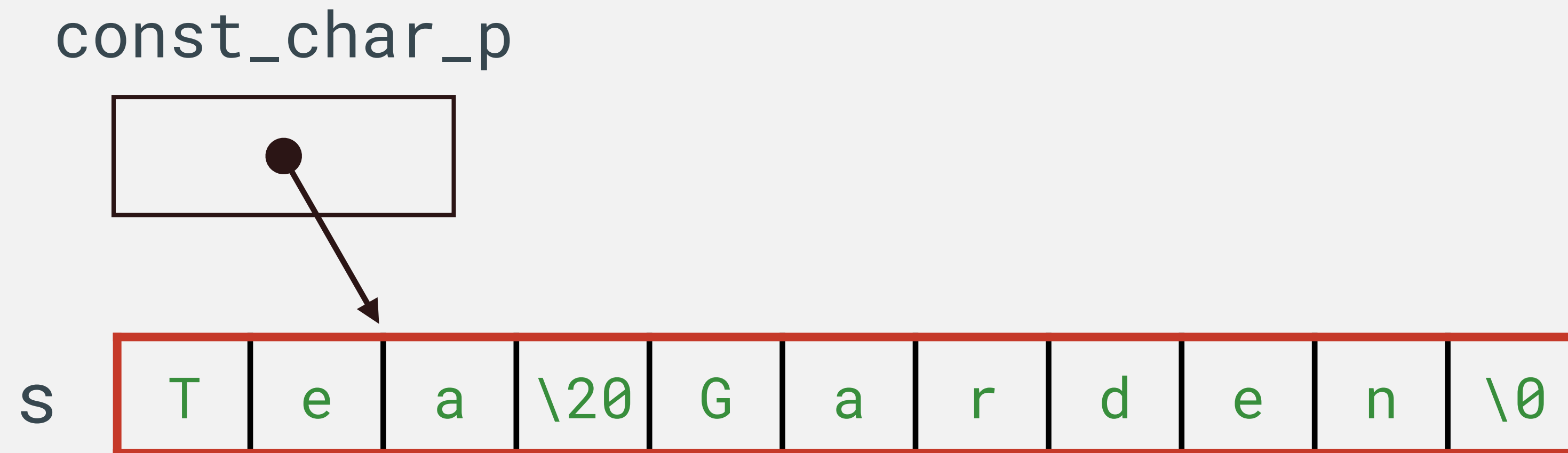
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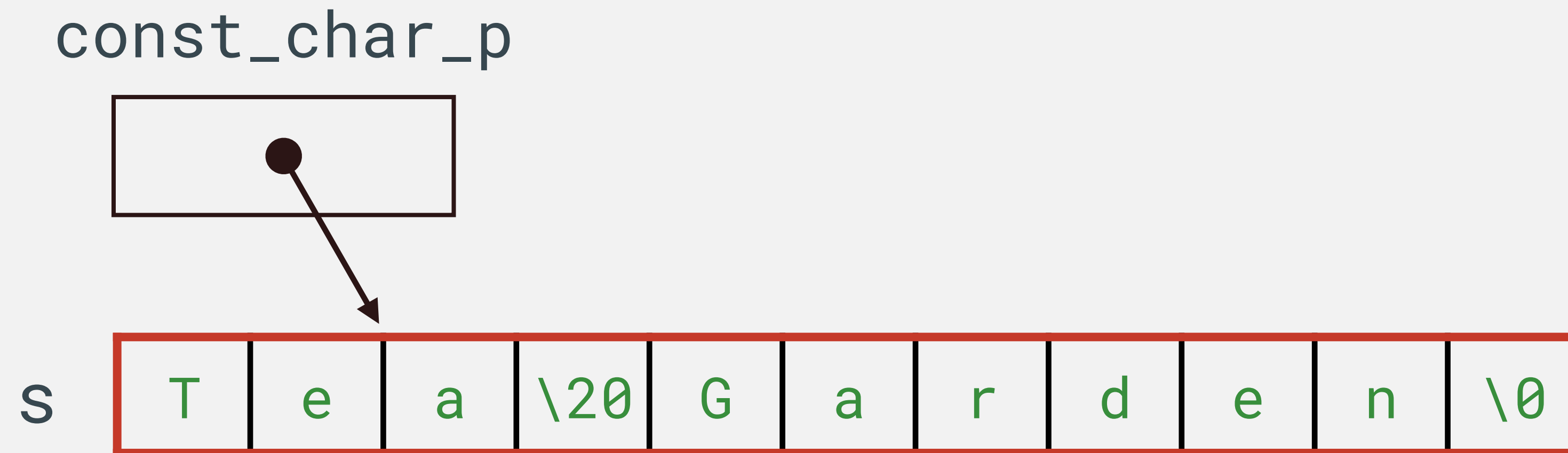
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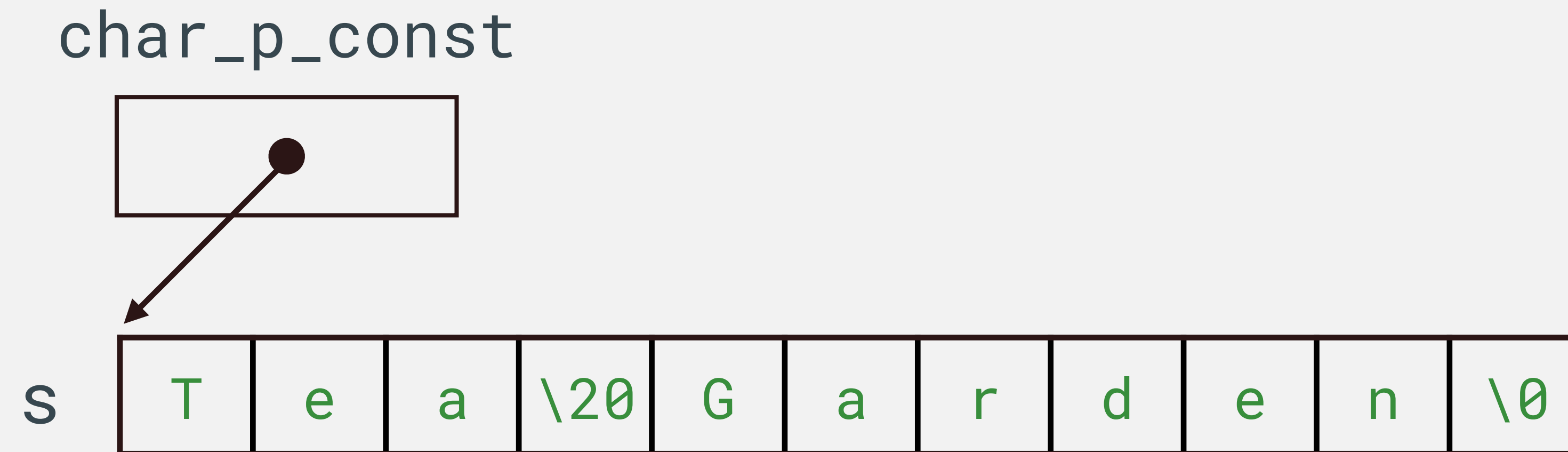
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# C String

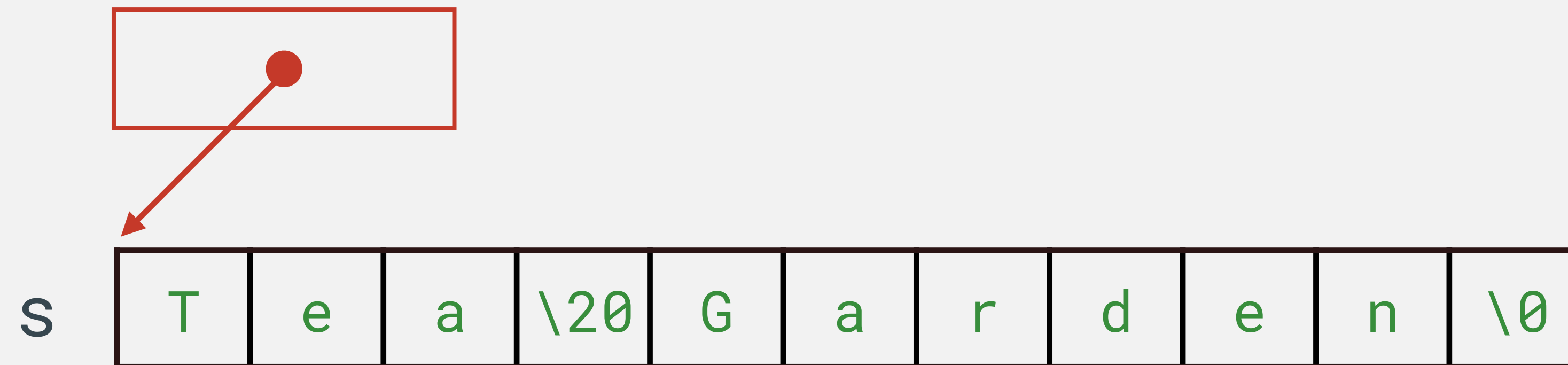
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char\_p\_const



# C String

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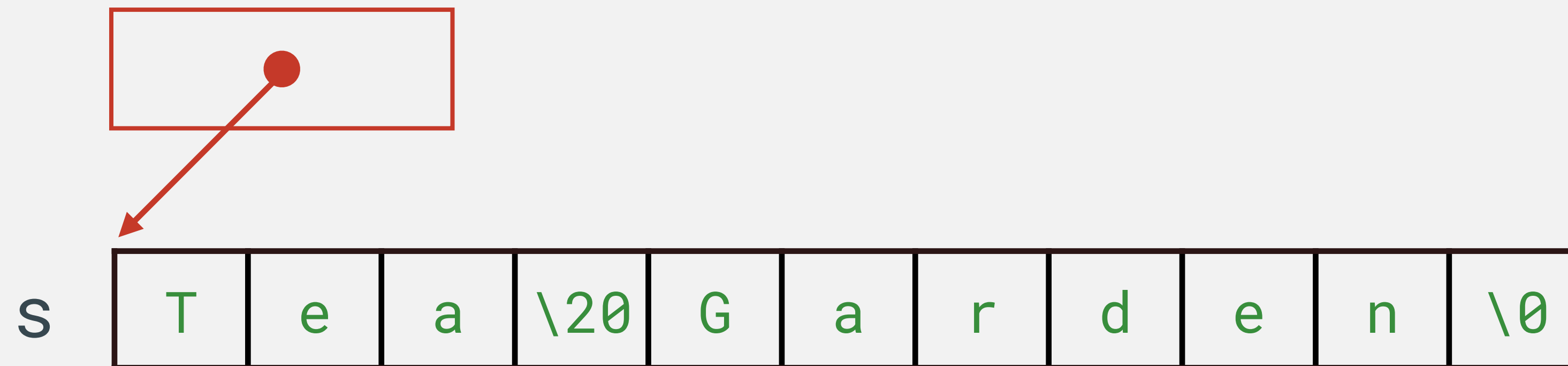
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char\_p\_const





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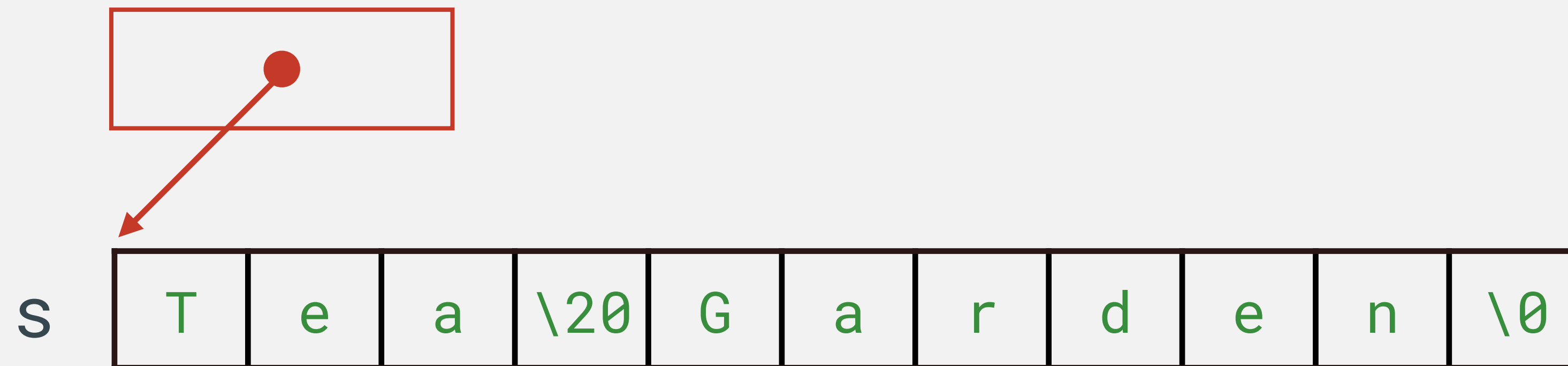
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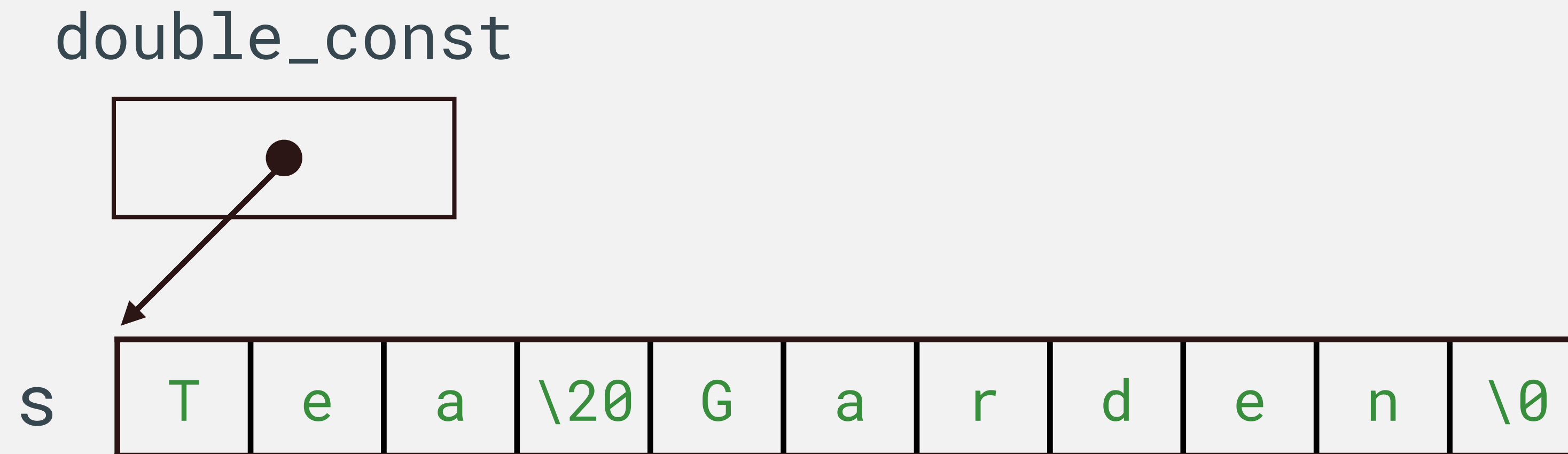
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# C String

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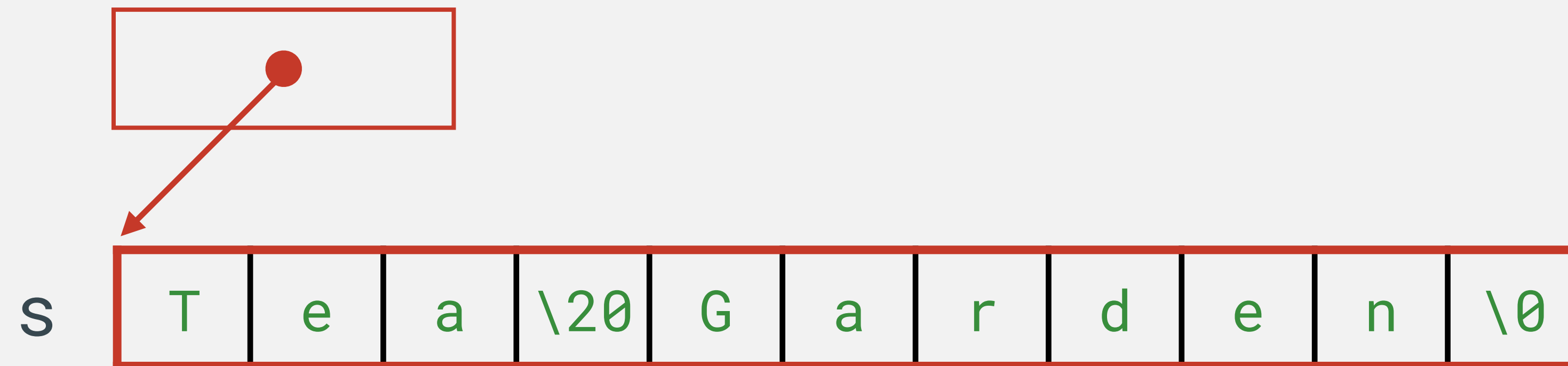
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double\_const



# String Copy

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char s1[20] = "Tea Garden";  
char s2[20];
```

# String Copy

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```
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```
char s2[20];
```

```
s2 = s1;
```

# String Copy

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# String Copy

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```

```
for (int i = 0; i < 20; i++)
```

```
    s2[i] = s1[i];
```

# String Copy

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```
char s1[20] = "Tea Garden";  
char s2[20];  
s2 = s1; ← Copies the pointer only  
*s2 = *s1; ← Copies the first element only
```

```
int i = 0;  
while (s1[i] != '\0') {  
    s2[i] = s1[i];  
    i++;  
}
```

# String Copy

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```

```
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```

```
    s2[i] = s1[i];
```

```
    i++;
```

```
}
```

```
while (*s2_copy++ = *s1_copy++)
```

```
;
```

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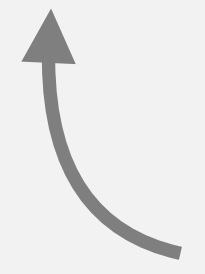
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 Make sure `s2` has enough space

# String Compare

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```
char s2[] = {'T', 'e', 'a', ' ', 'G', 'a', 'r', 'd', 'e', 'n'};
```

```
if (s1 == s2)
```

```
    printf("Same String\n");
```

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if (strcmp(s1, s2) == 0)  
    printf("Same String\n");
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// #include <string.h>
if (strcmp(s1, s2) == 0)
    printf("Same String\n");
else if (strcmp(s1, s2) < 0)
    printf("s1 is smaller than s2\n");
else
    printf("s1 is greater than s2\n");
```

# String Length

---

```
char s1[] = "Tea Garden";  
printf("s1 length = %u", strlen(s1));
```

# String Length

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```

 **'\0' excluded**

# Multi-Dimensional Array

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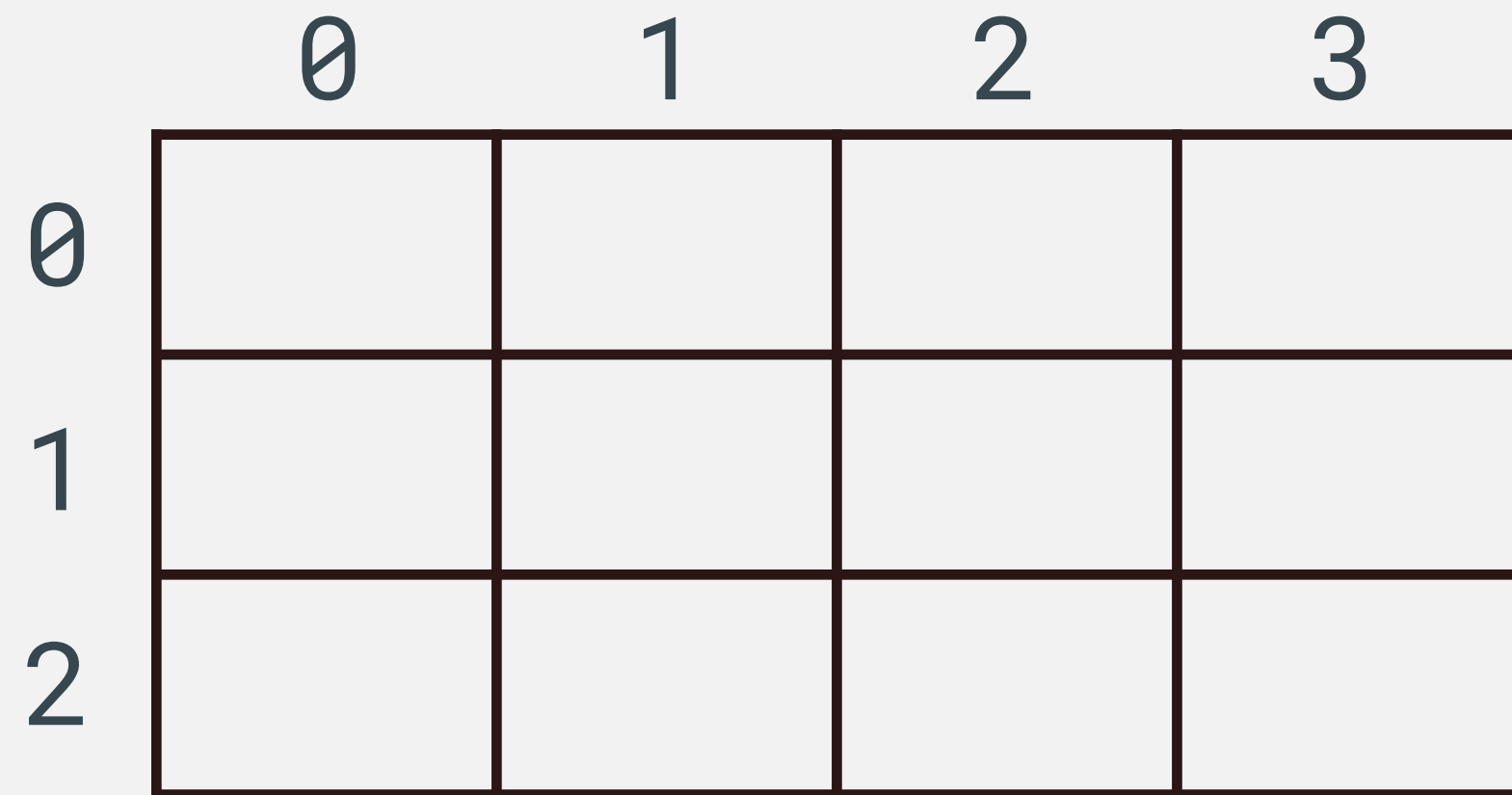
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```

# Multi-Dimensional Array

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**Logically**

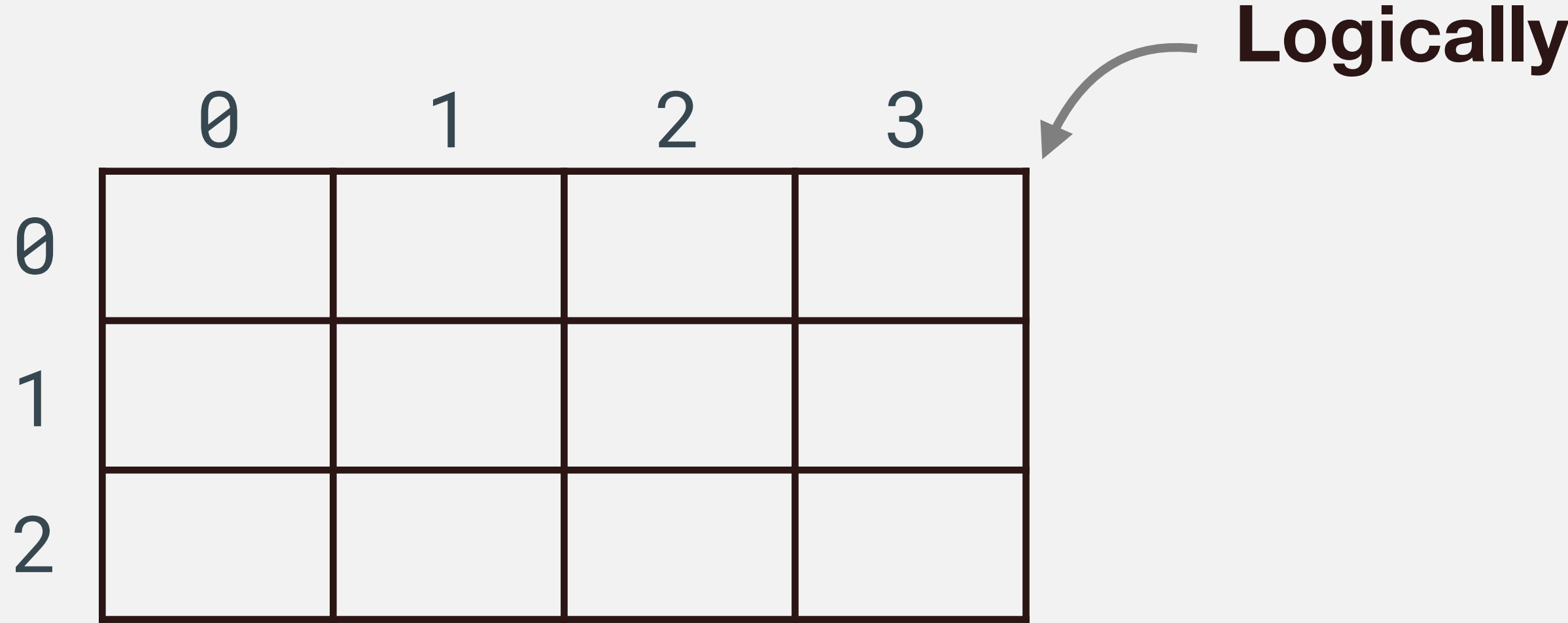


	0	1	2	3
0				
1				
2				

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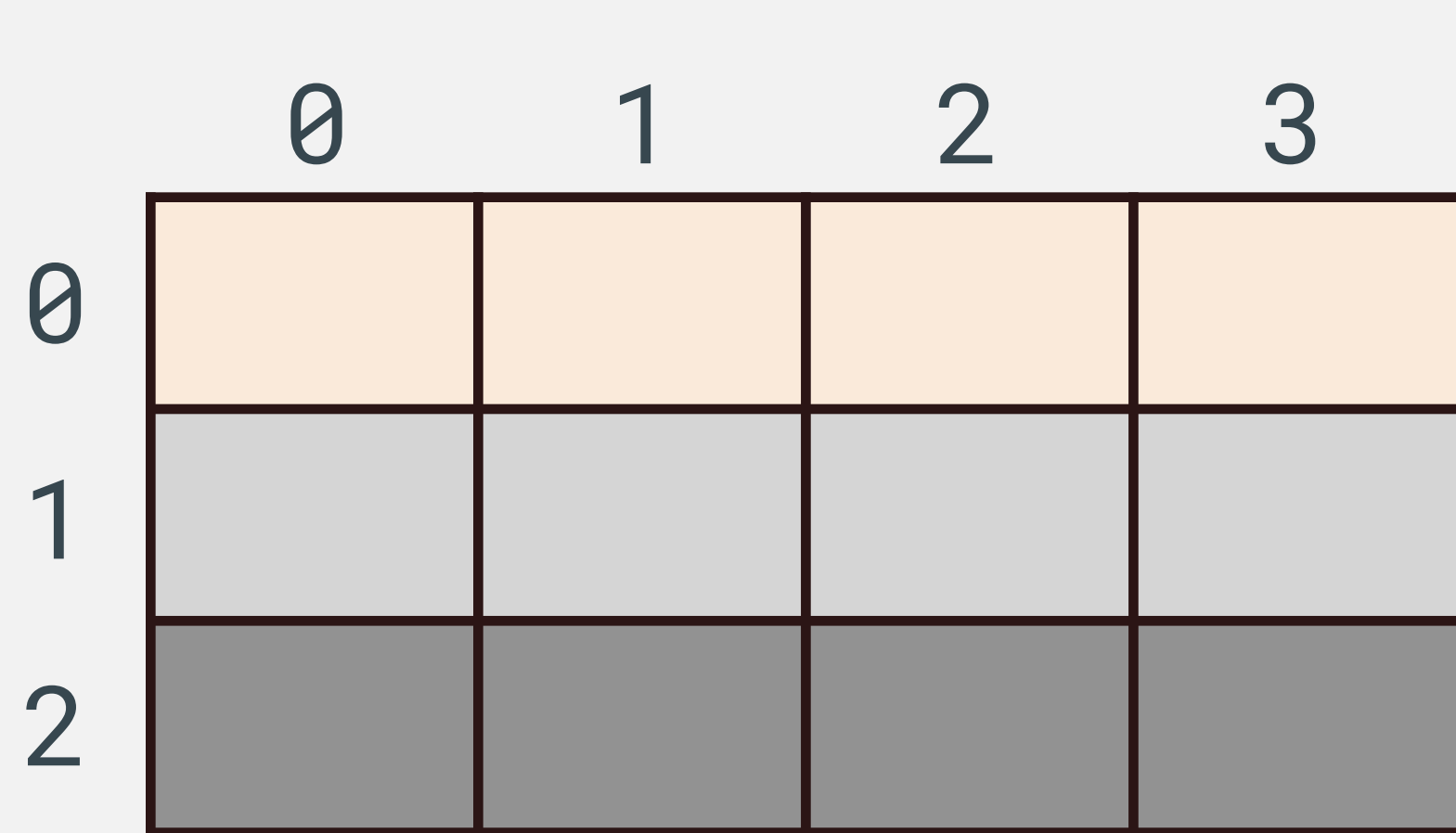
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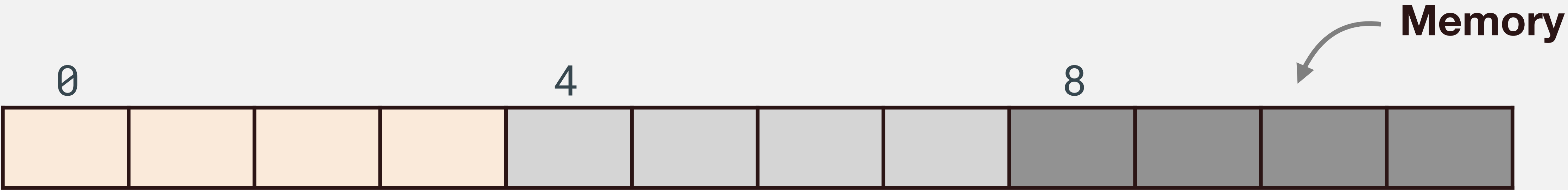
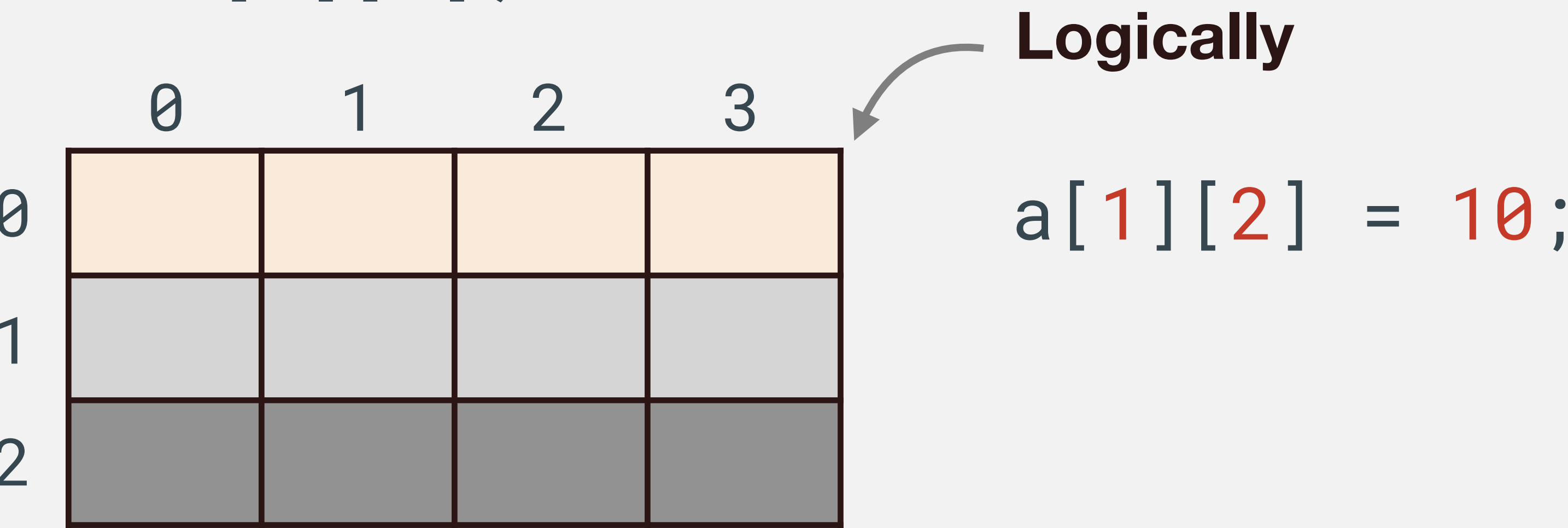


# Memory



# Multi-Dimensional Array

```
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# Multi-Dimensional Array

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	0	1	2	3
0				
1			10	
2				

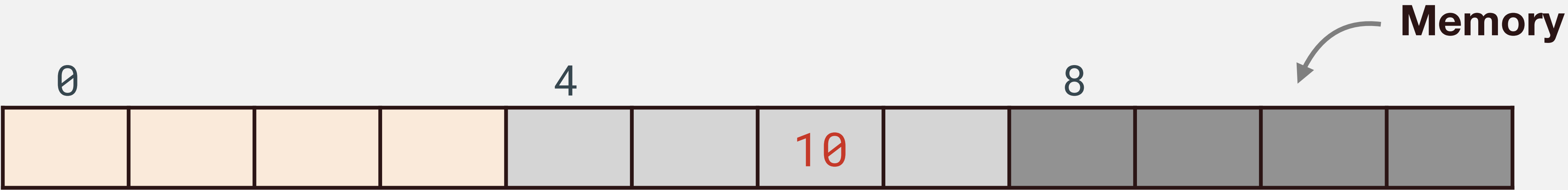
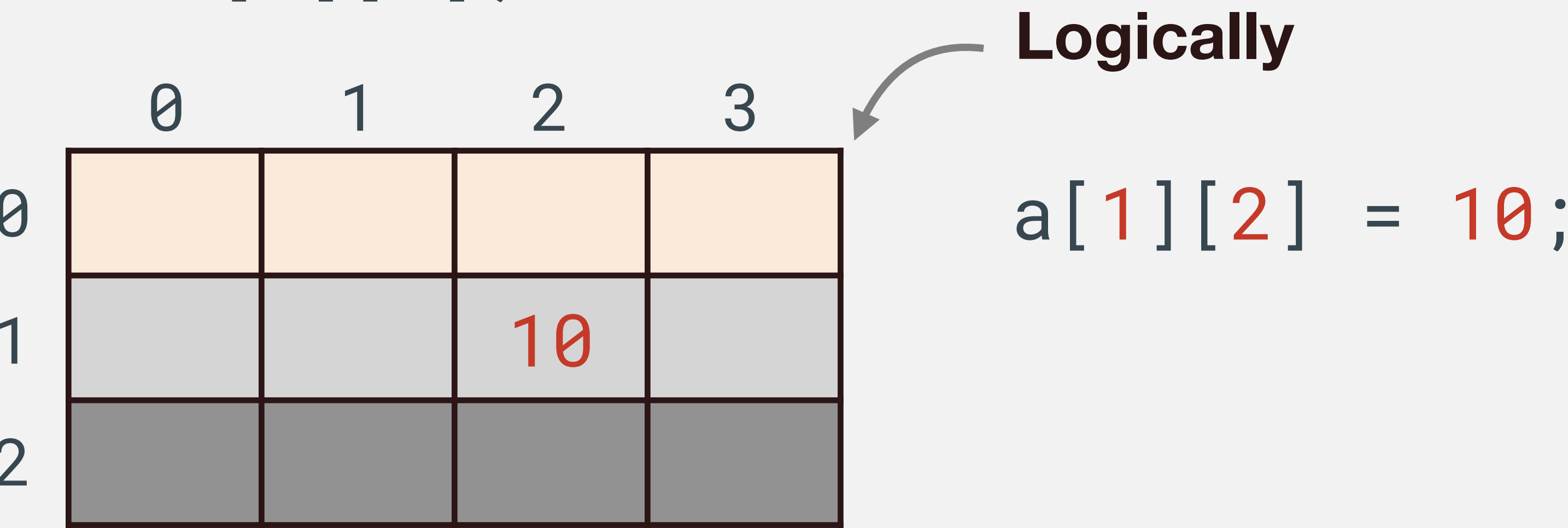
# Logically

```
a[1][2] = 10;
```



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a[1]
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```





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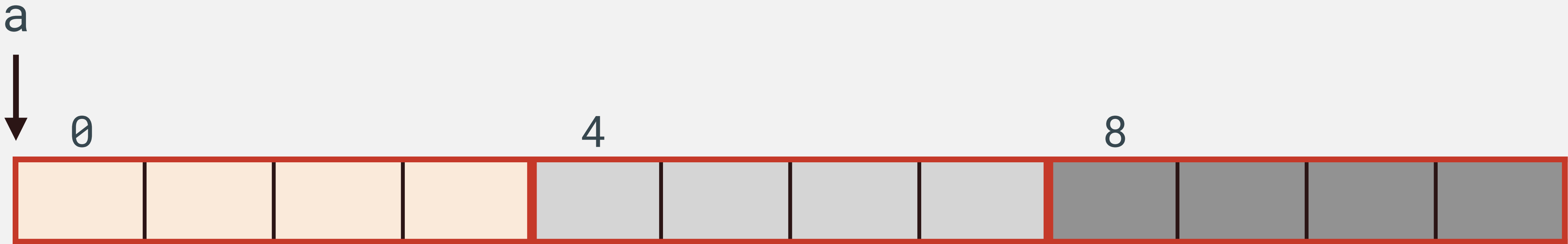
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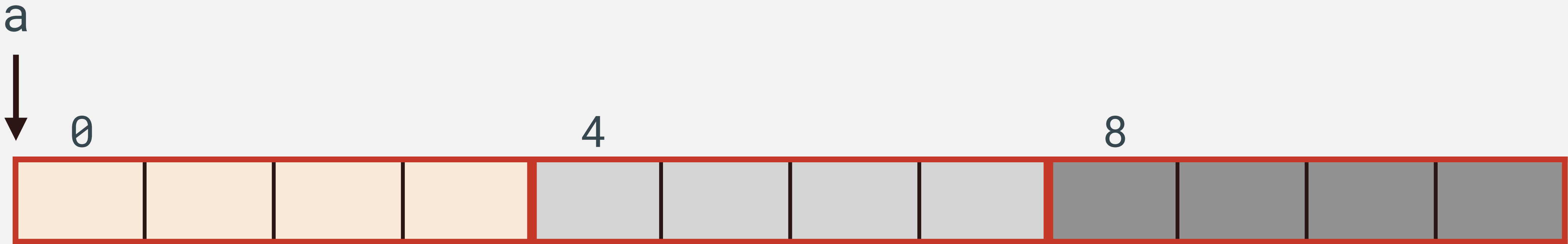
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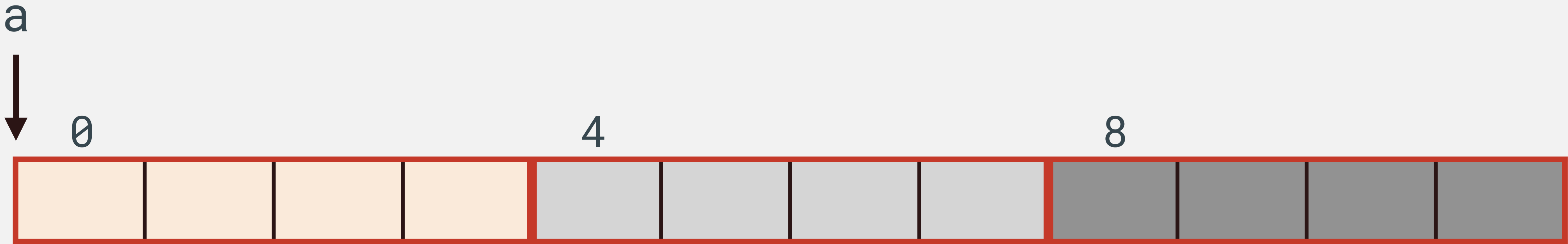
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An array of 4 int pointers



# Passing 2D-Array to Function

---

```
#define R 3
```

```
#define C 4
```

```
int a[R][C];
```

```
...
```

```
int sum = ElementSum(a);
```

```
int ElementSum(???) {
```

```
    int sum = 0;
```

```
    for (int i = 0; i < R; i++) {
```

```
        for (int j = 0; j < C; j++)
```

```
            sum += a[i][j];
```

```
    }
```

```
    return sum;
```

```
}
```



# Passing 2D-Array to Function

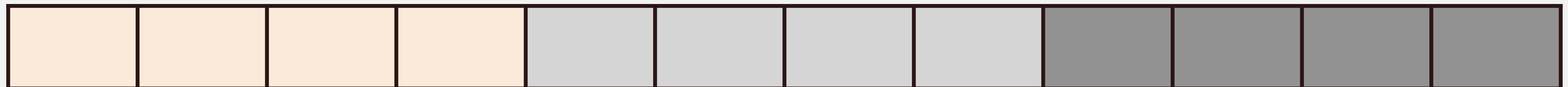
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int ElementSum(???) {
    int sum = 0;
    for (int i = 0; i < R; i++) {
        for (int j = 0; j < C; j++)
            sum += a[i][j];
    }
    return sum;
}
```





# Passing 2D-Array to Function

```
int ElementSum(int a[R][C]) {
    int sum = 0;
    for (int i = 0; i < R; i++) {
        for (int j = 0; j < C; j++)
            sum += a[i][j];
    }
    return sum;
}
```




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            sum += a[i][j];  
    }  
    return sum;  
}
```



# Passing 2D-Array to Function

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int ElementSum(int a[R][C]) {  ← Only the pointer is copied, not the array!  
    int sum = 0;  
    for (int i = 0; i < R; i++) {  
        for (int j = 0; j < C; j++)  
            sum += a[i][j];  
    }  
    return sum;  
}
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# Passing 2D-Array to Function


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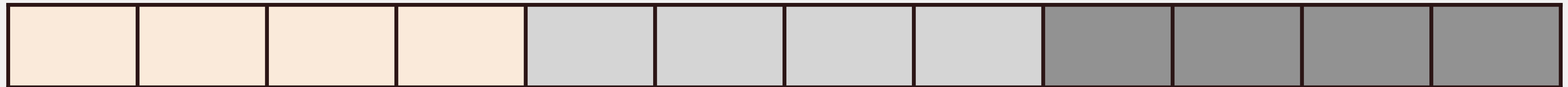
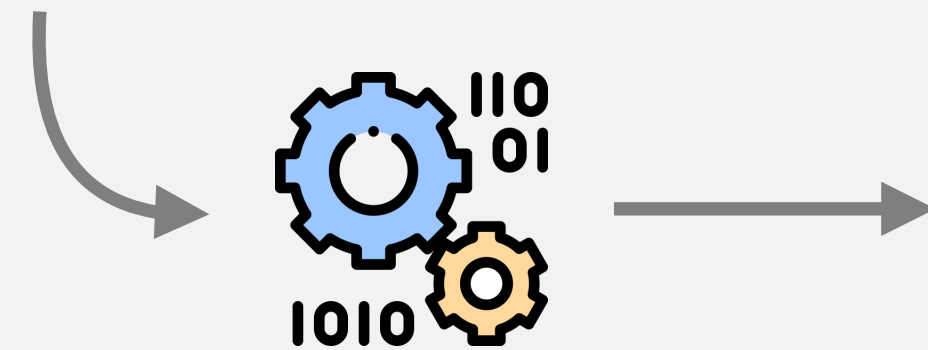
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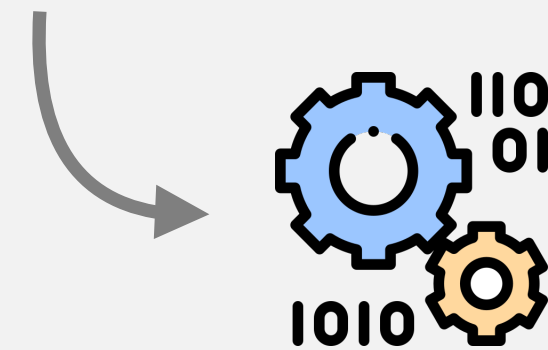
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**Read Address**

$0x3E50 + 4 * (i * C + j)$

0x3E50




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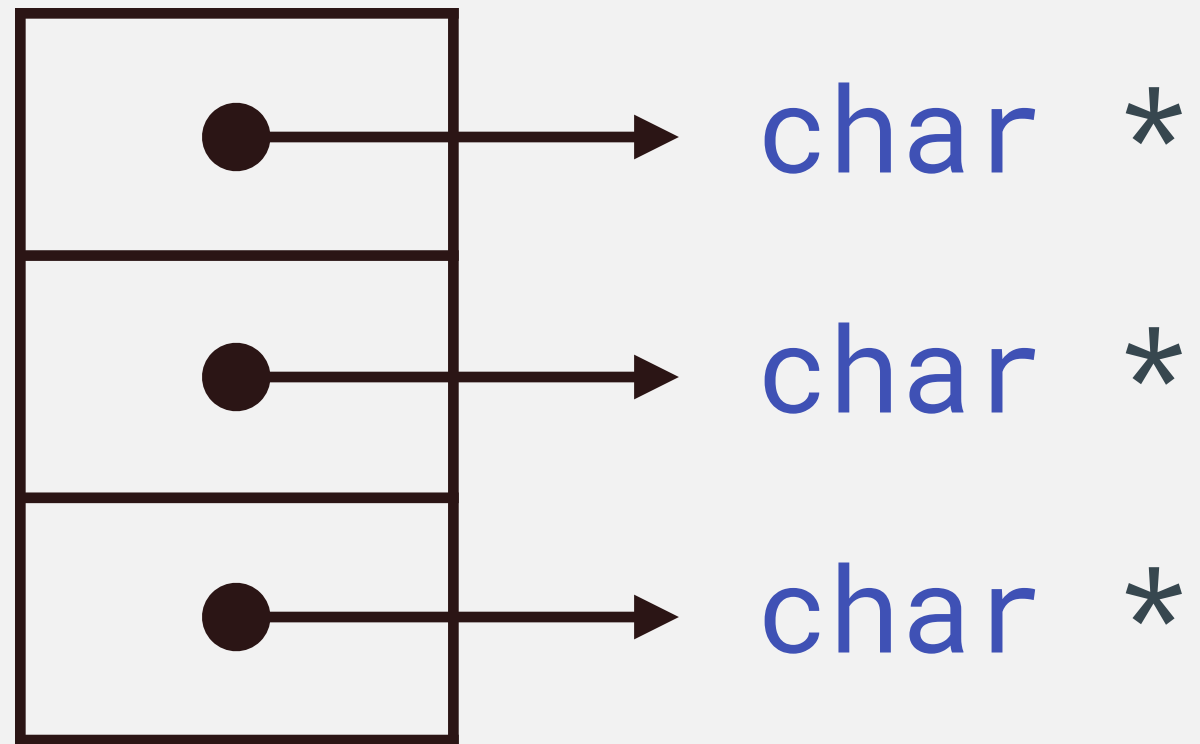
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char *a[3];
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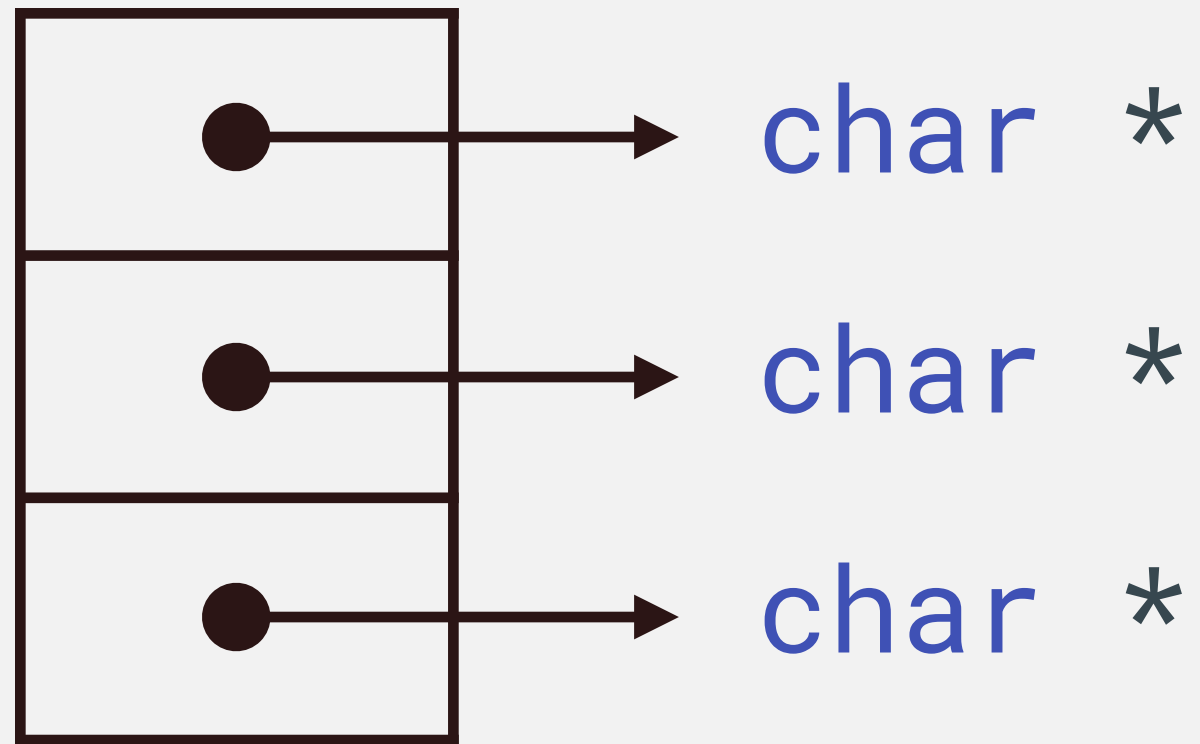
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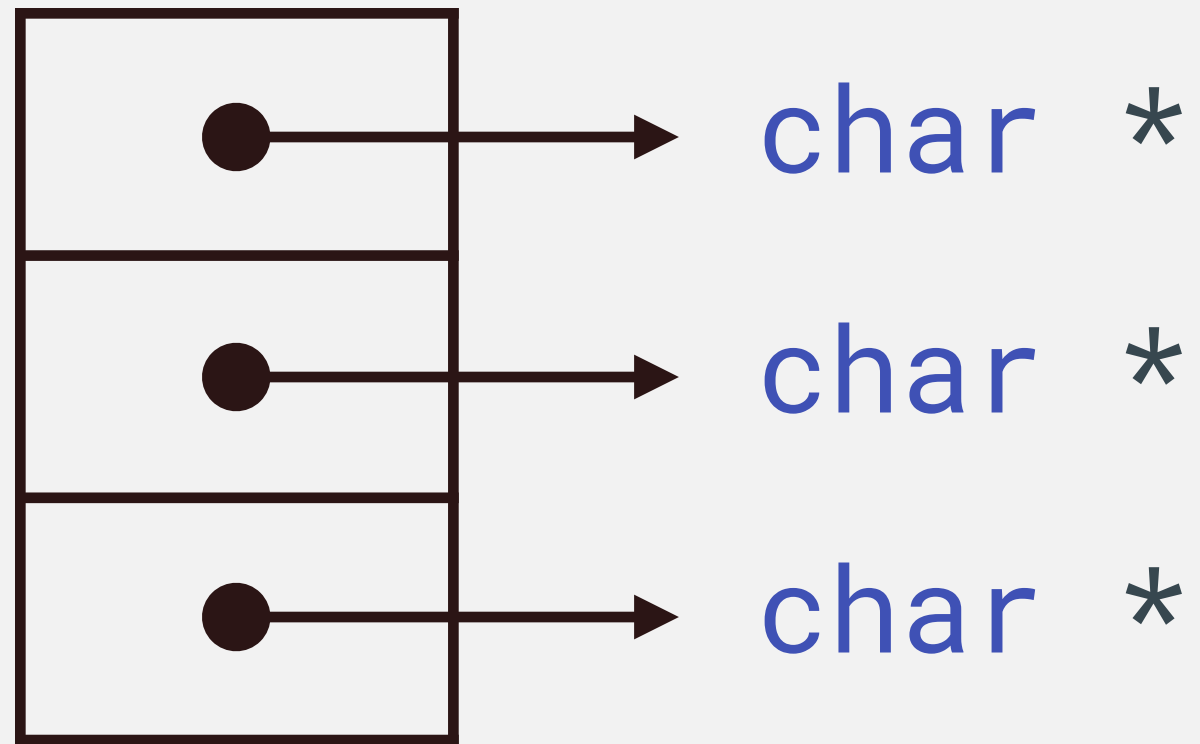


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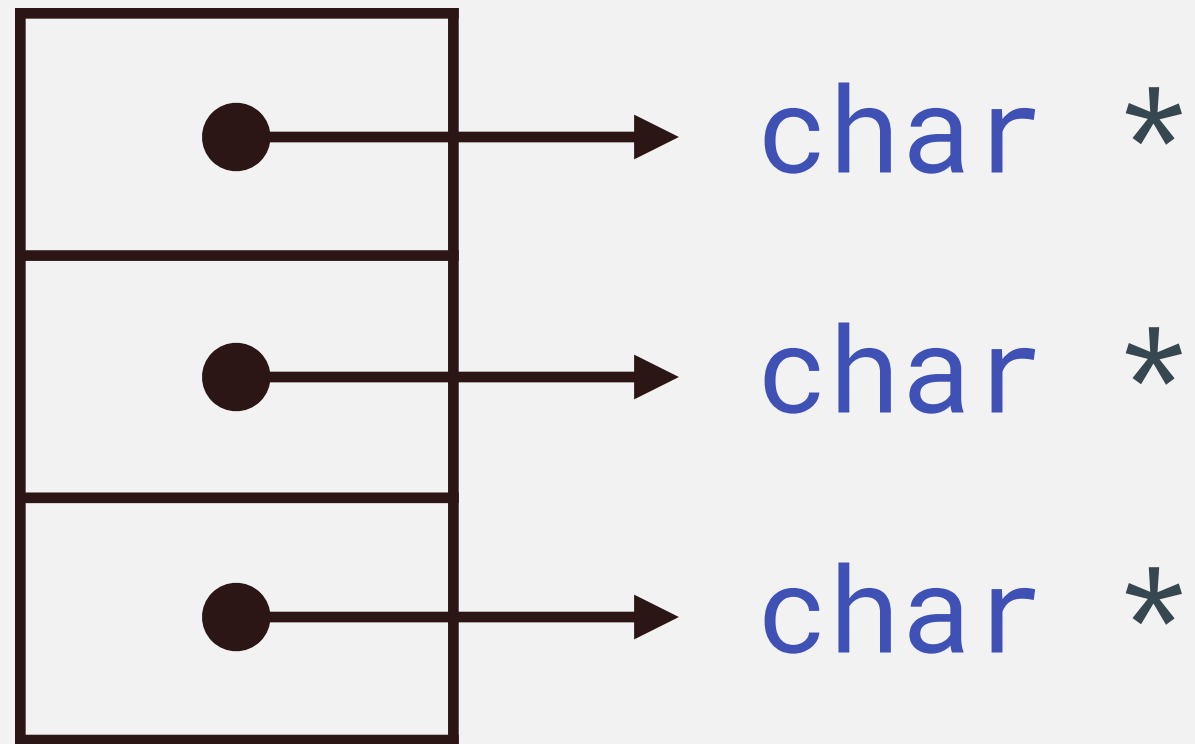


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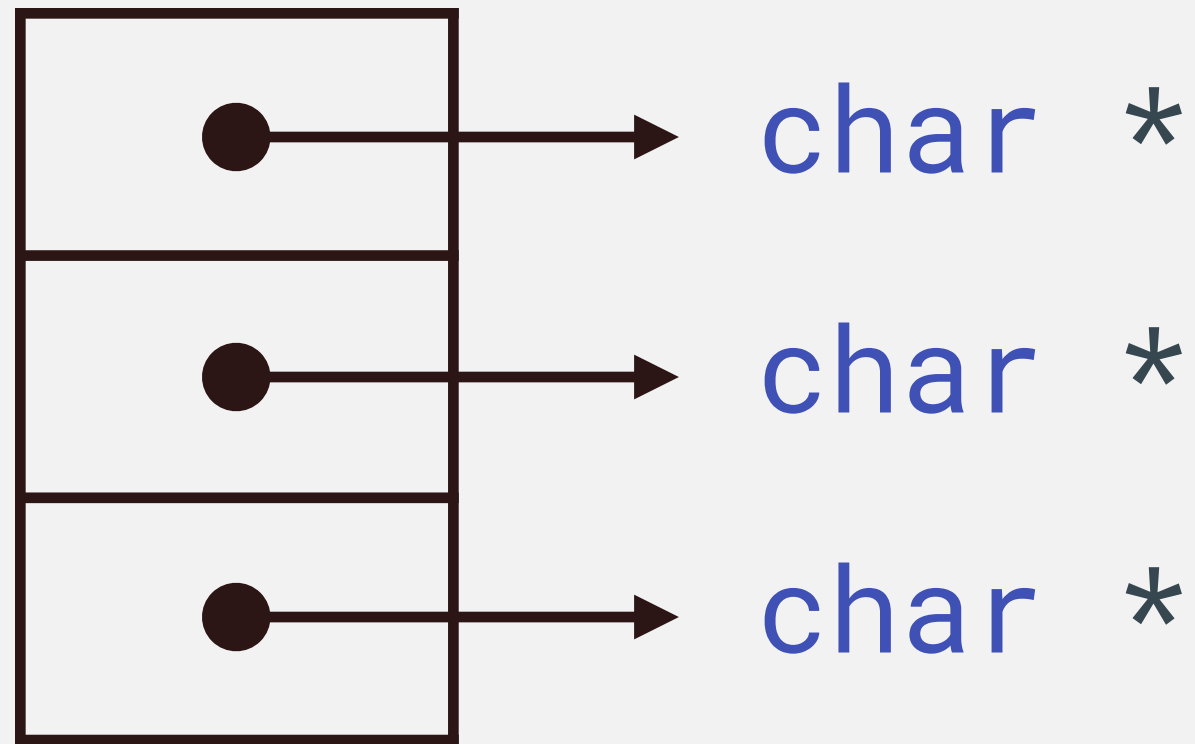


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```
char **a = (char **)malloc(3 * sizeof(char *));
```

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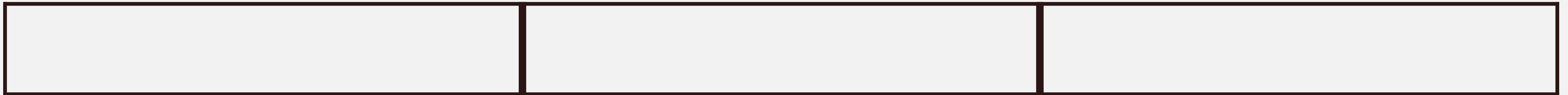
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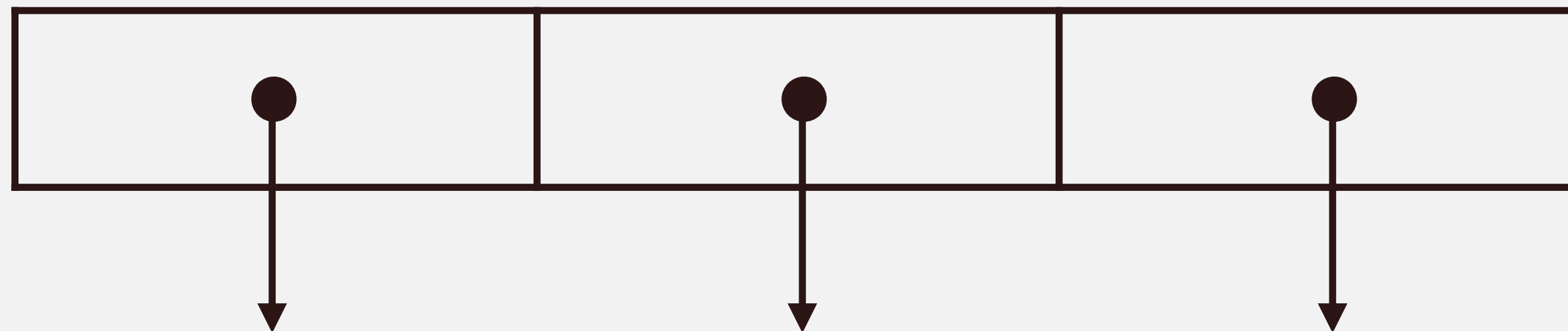
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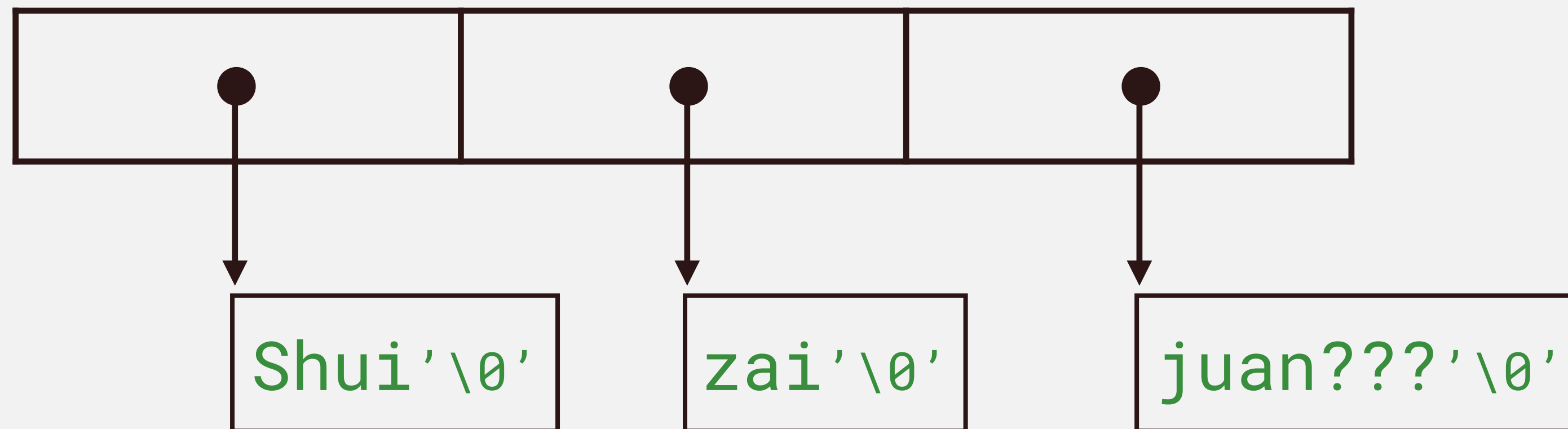
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# Passing 2D-Array to Function — Revisit

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```
#define R 3
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int a[R][C];
...
int sum = ElementSum((int **)a);

int ElementSum(int **a) {
    int sum = 0;
    for (int i = 0; i < R; i++) {
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    return sum;
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}
```

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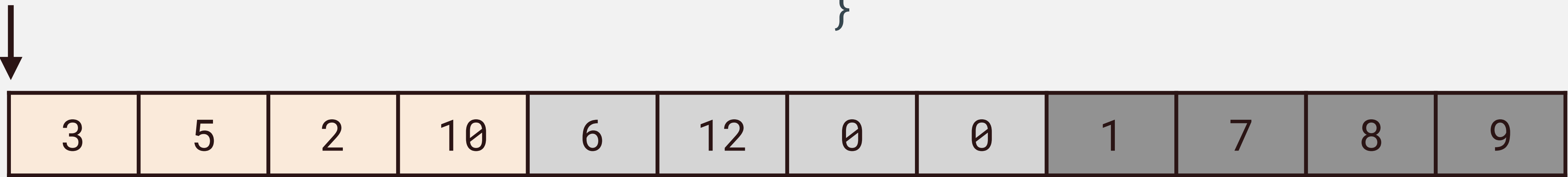
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```
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**SegFault!**





# Road Map

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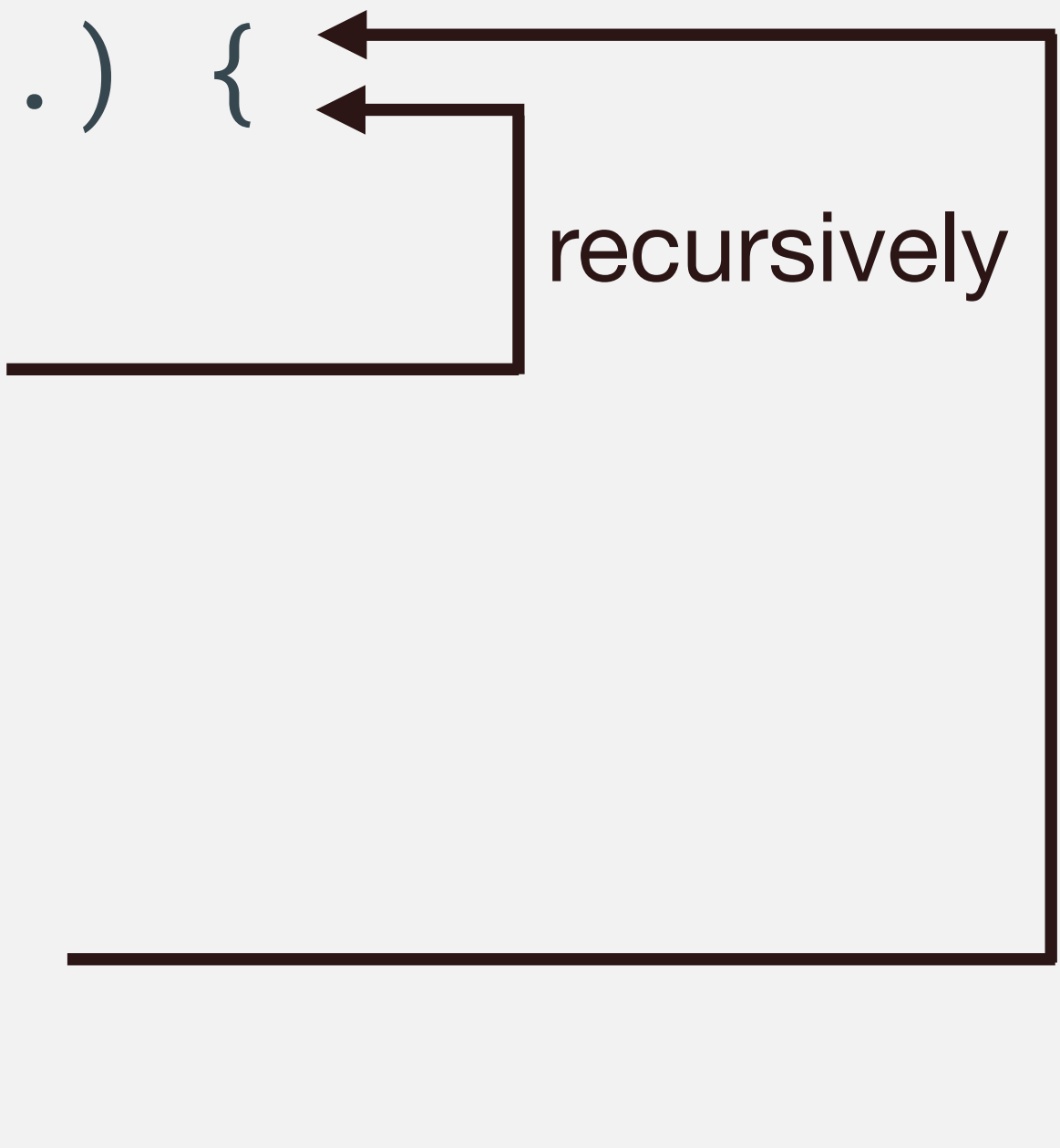


The diagram illustrates the recursive process. A horizontal line from the `func(...)` call in `main()` extends to the right, then turns vertically upwards, and finally turns horizontally to the left, ending with an arrow pointing to the opening curly brace of the `func(...)` function definition. This represents the call stack where `main` calls `func`, and `func` then calls itself.

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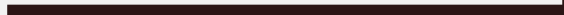

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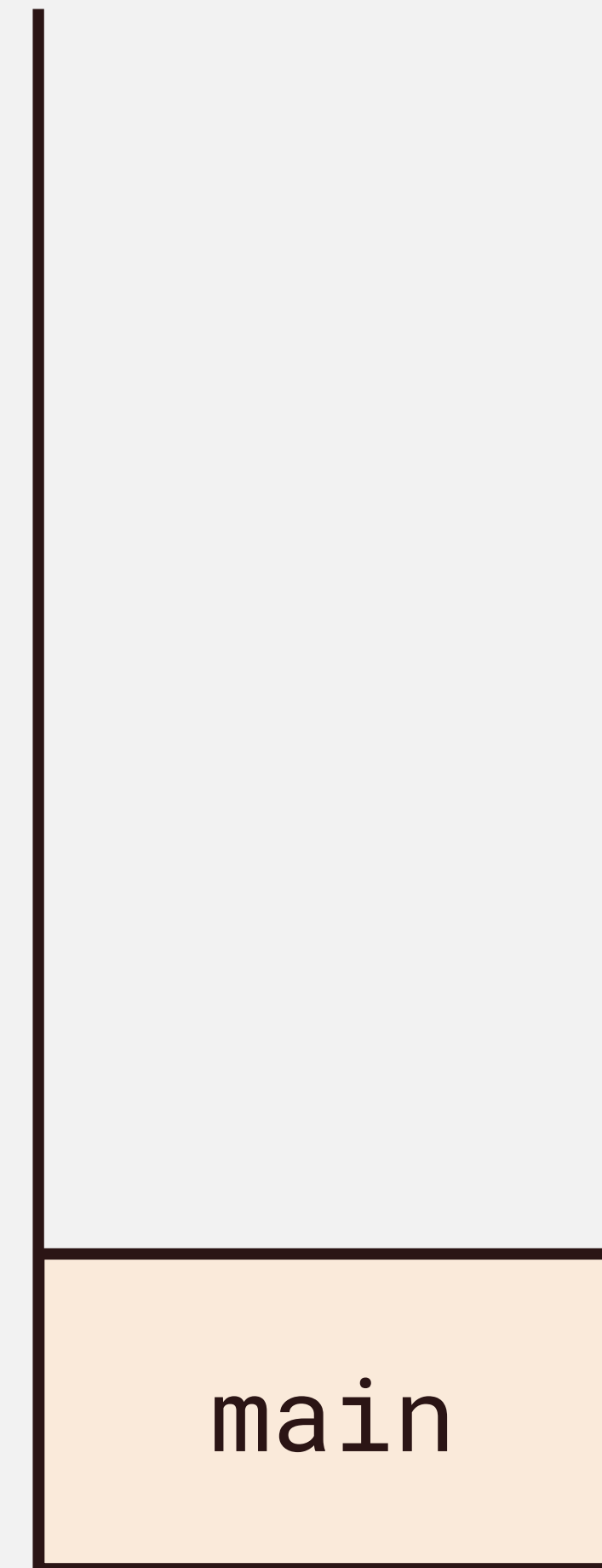
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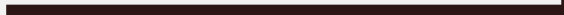

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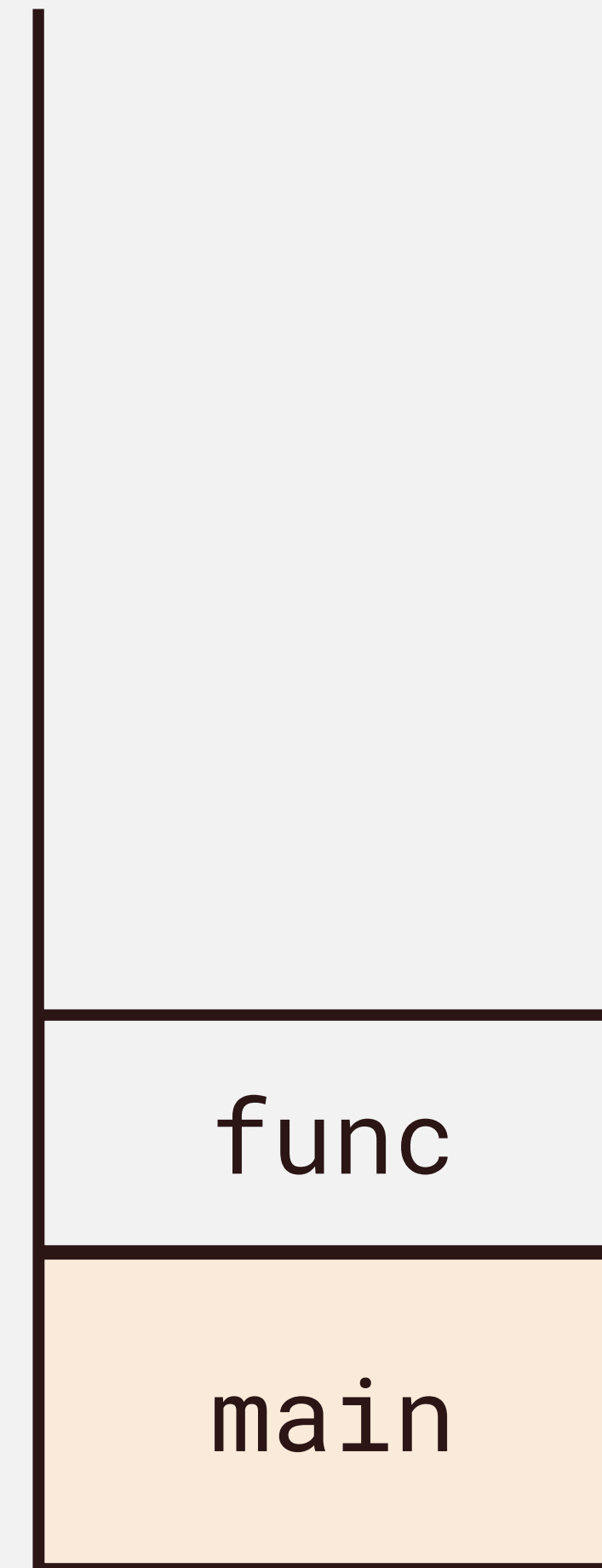


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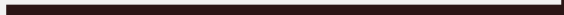



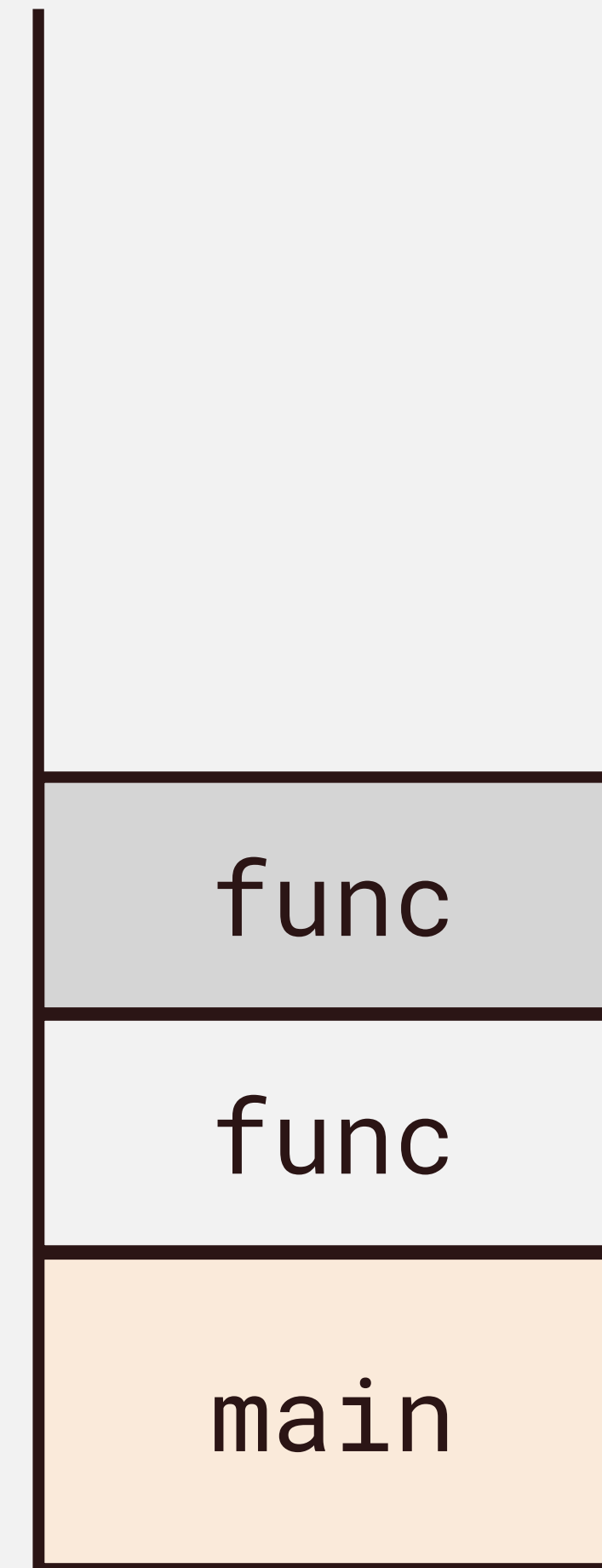


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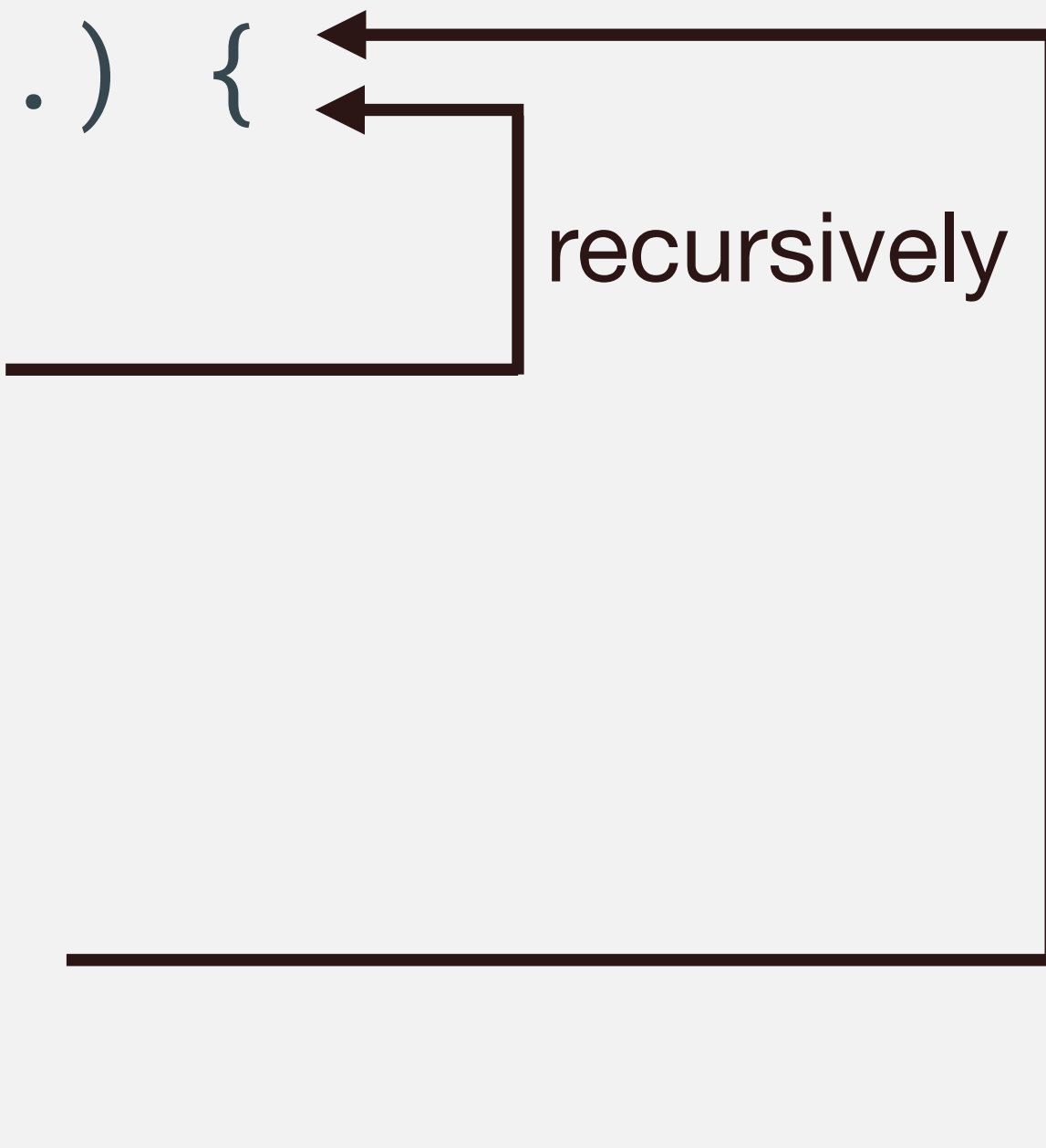


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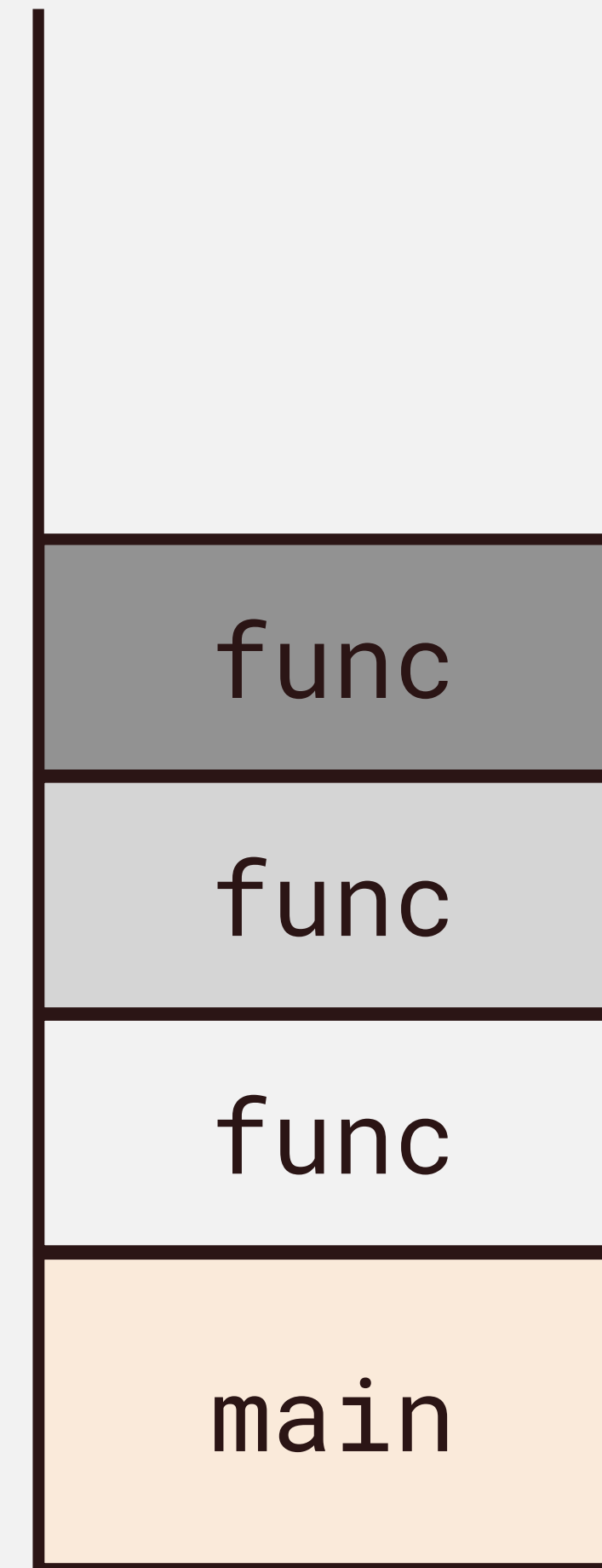
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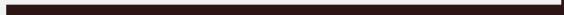

The diagram illustrates the execution flow of the provided code. A horizontal line from the `func(...)` call inside the `func` function's body extends to the right, then turns upwards and then left, ending with an arrow pointing to the opening curly brace of the `func` function definition. This represents a recursive call. Another horizontal line from the `func(...);` call inside the `main` function's body extends to the right, then turns upwards and then left, ending with an arrow pointing to the opening curly brace of the `main` function definition.



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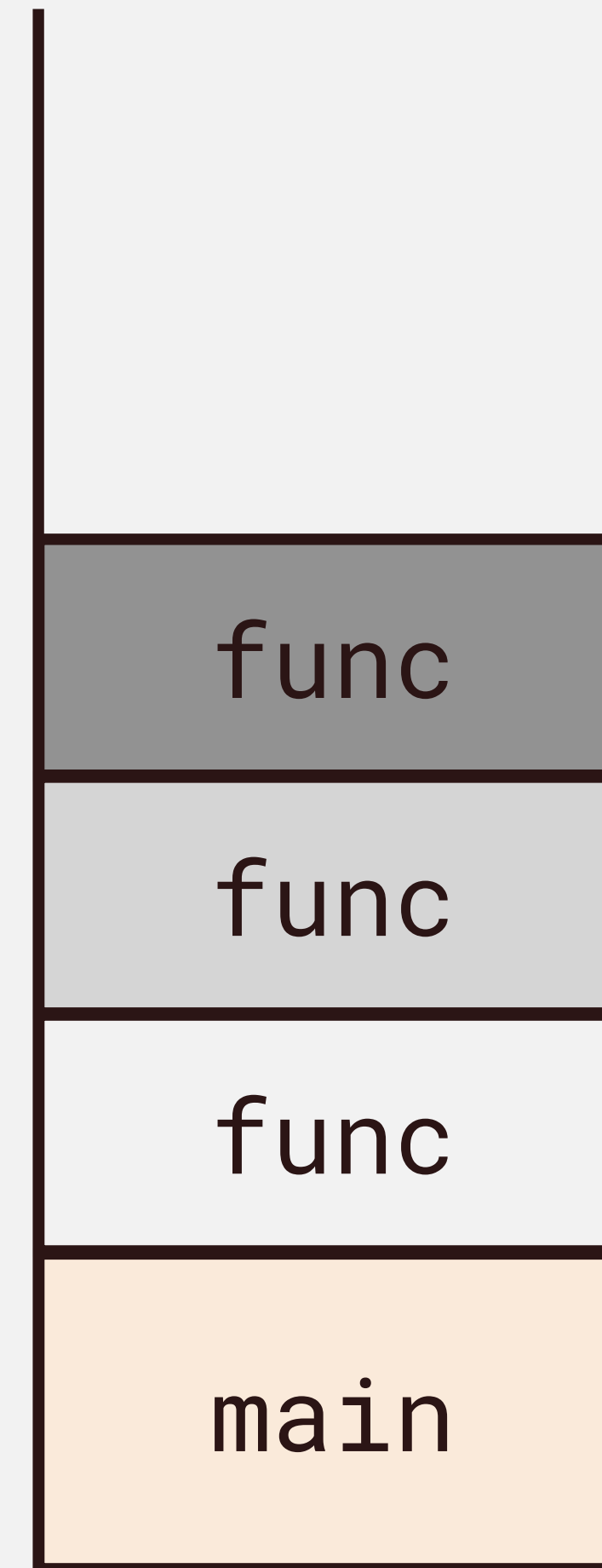
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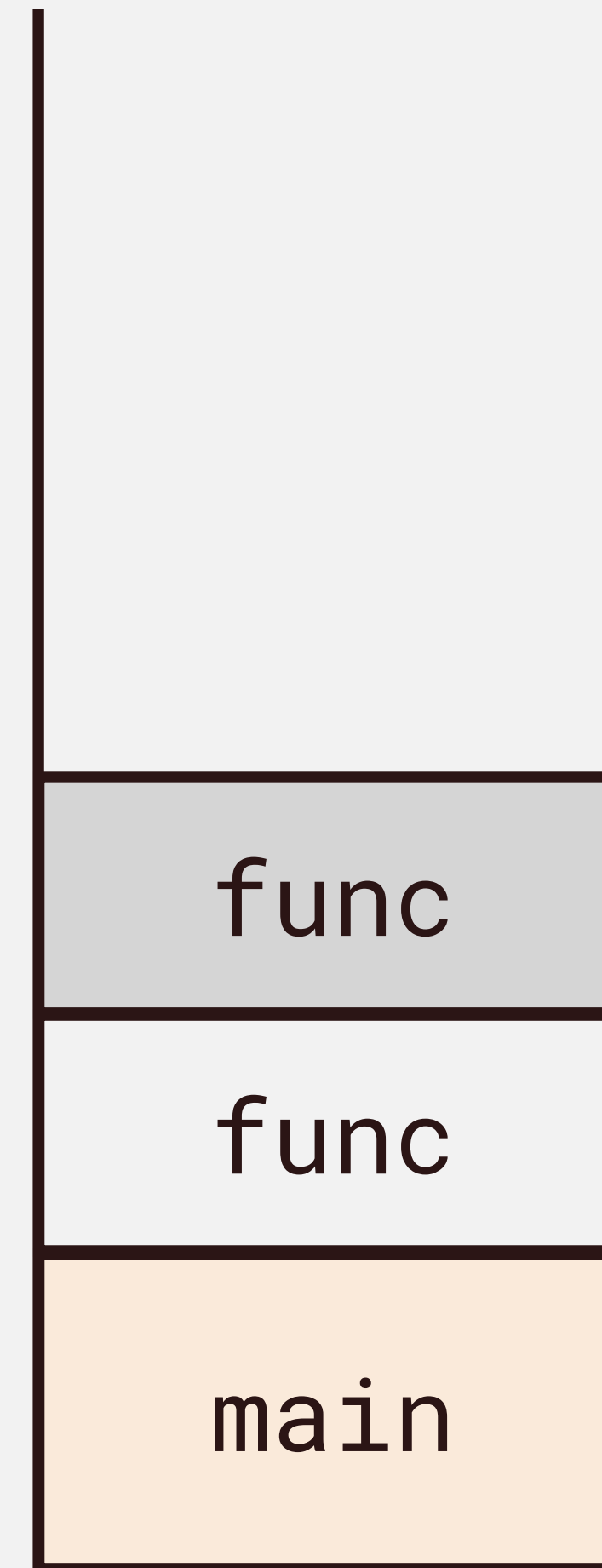
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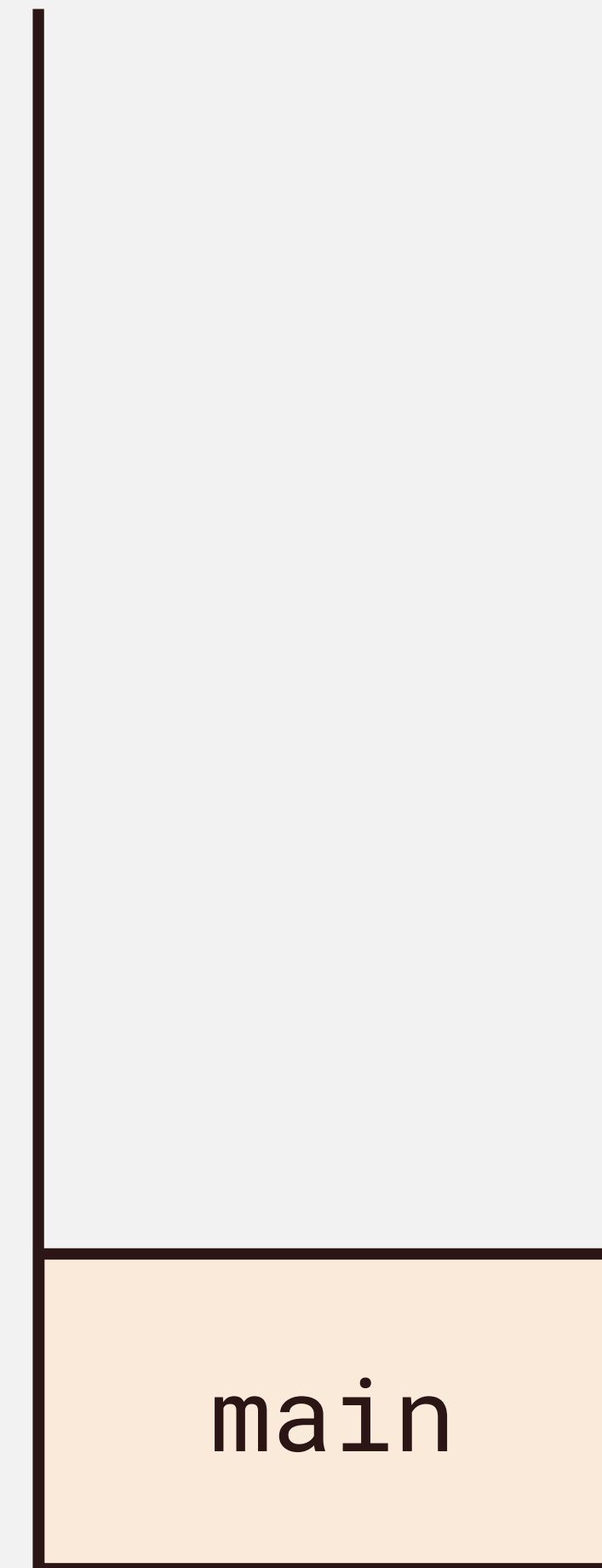
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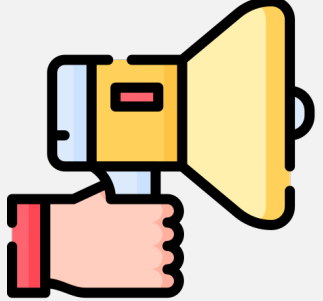
# Divide and Conquer

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- Break problem into (multiple) sub-problems of the **same type** until the sub-problems are easy to solve

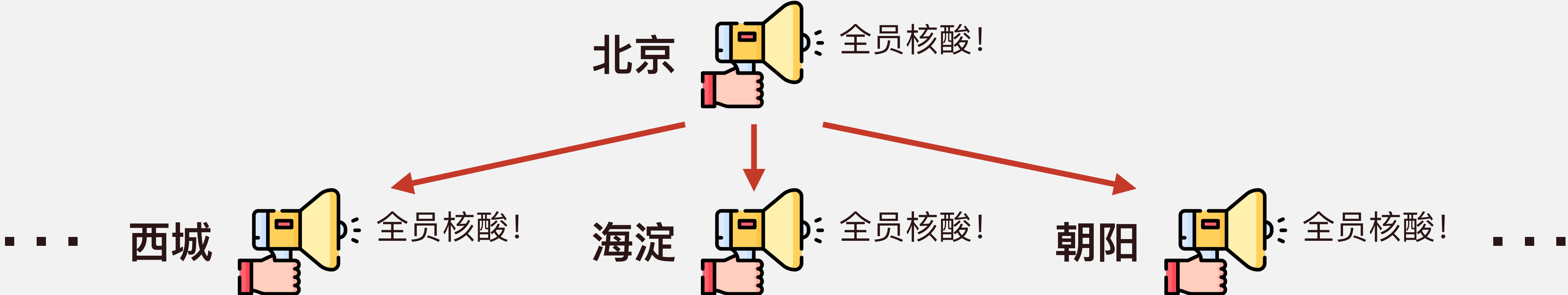
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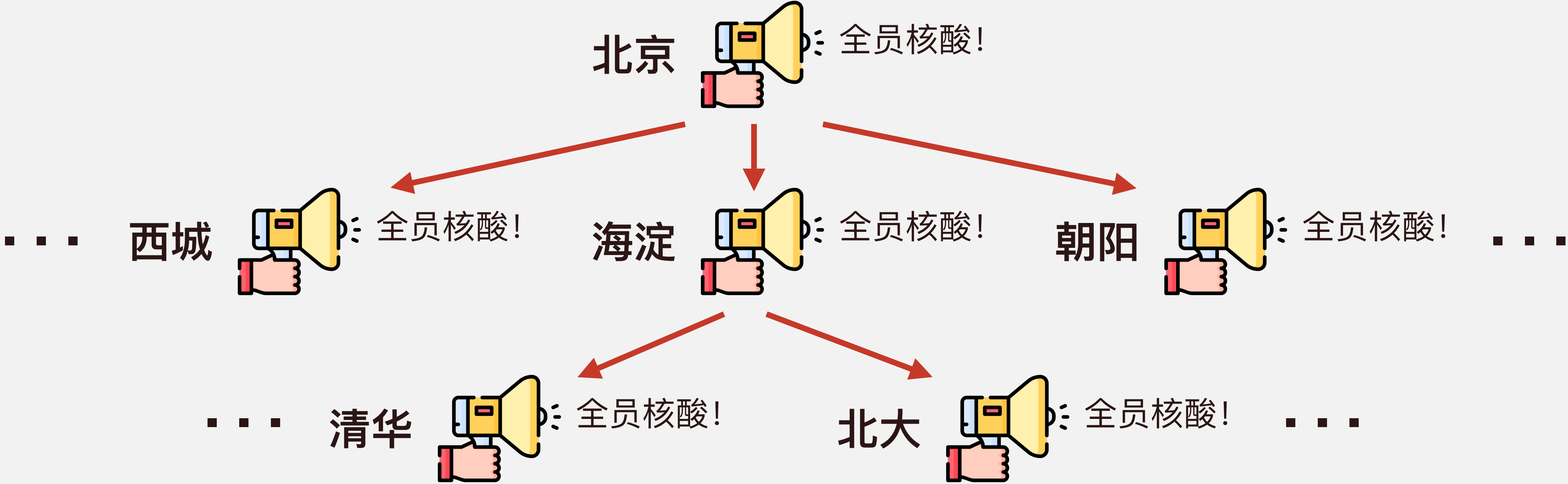
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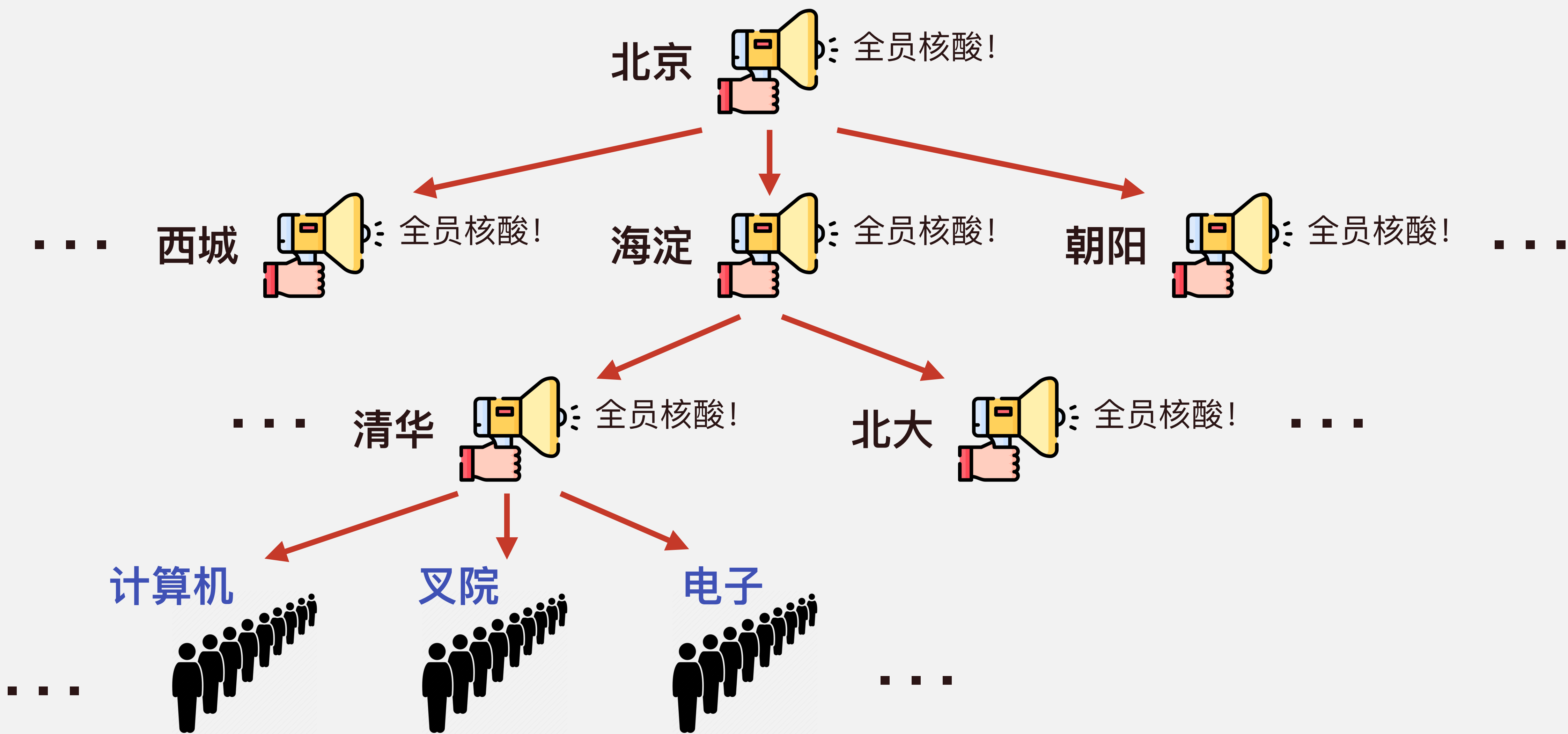
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# Divide and Conquer



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# Quicksort

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30 70 90 50 20 10 80 40

# Quicksort

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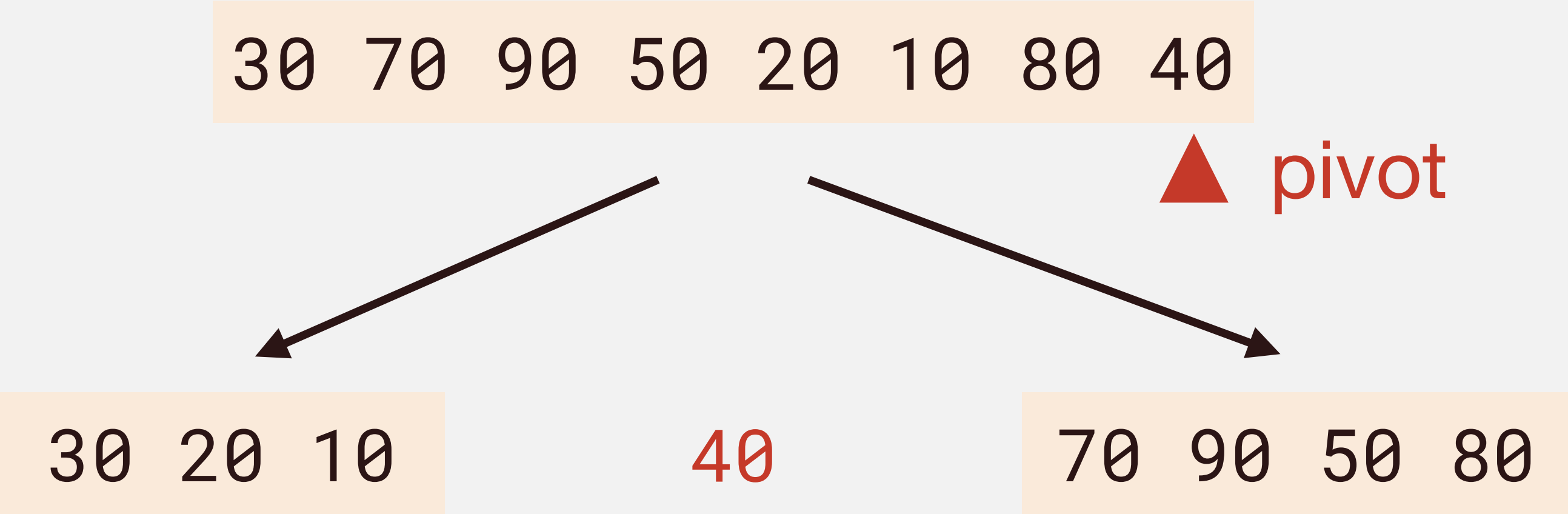
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▲ pivot



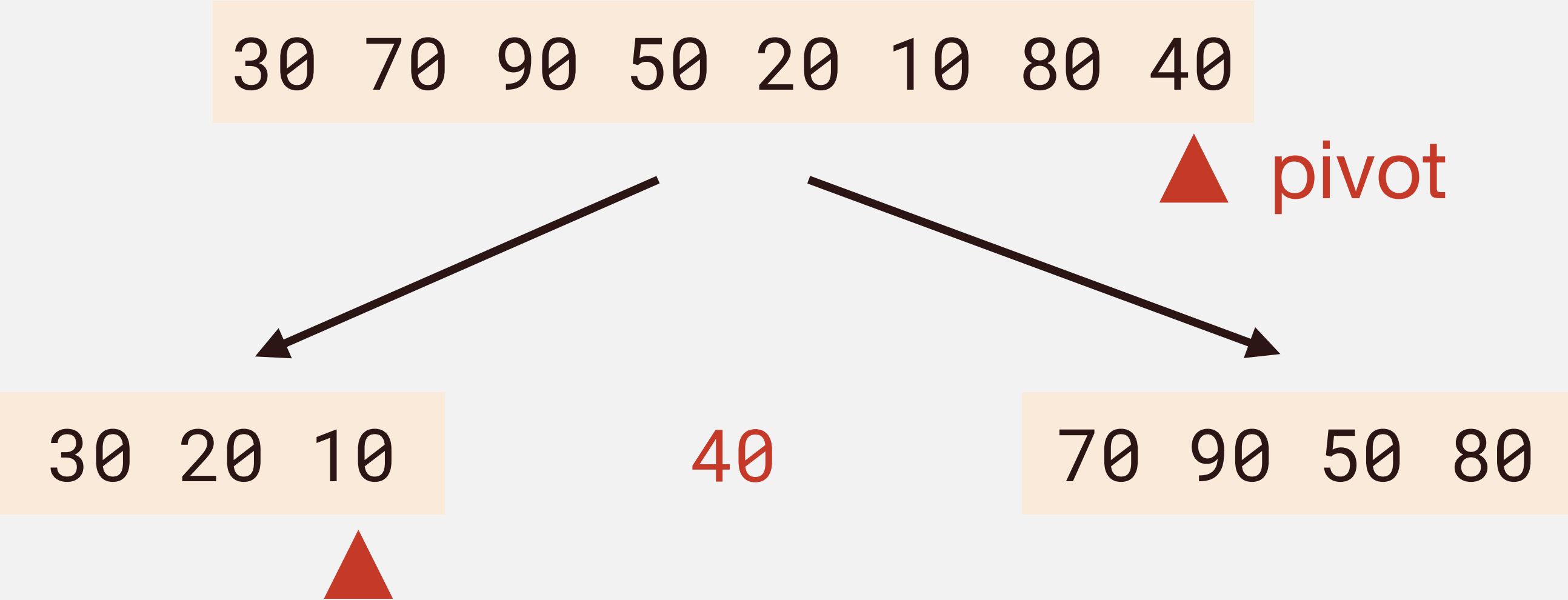
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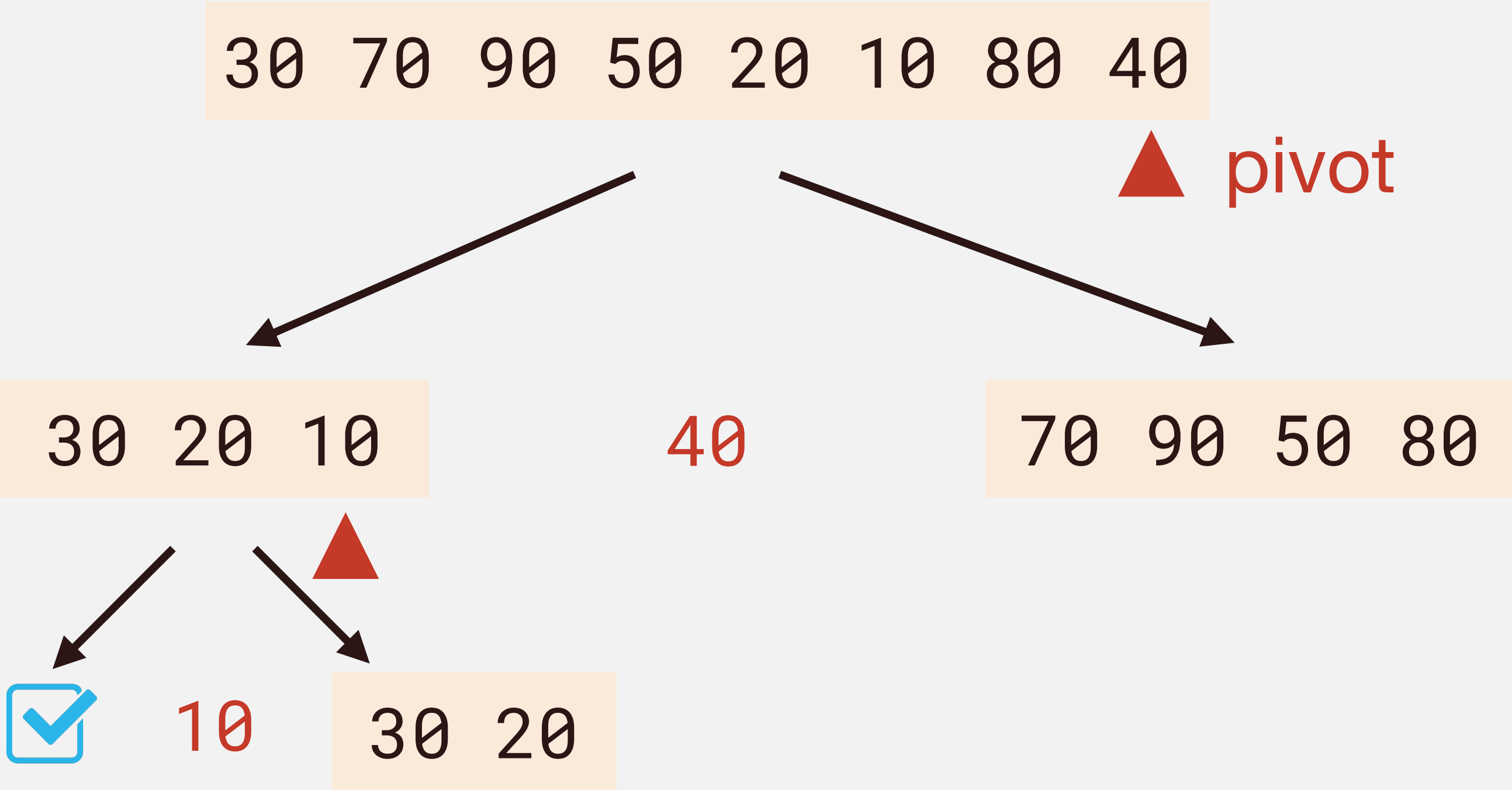
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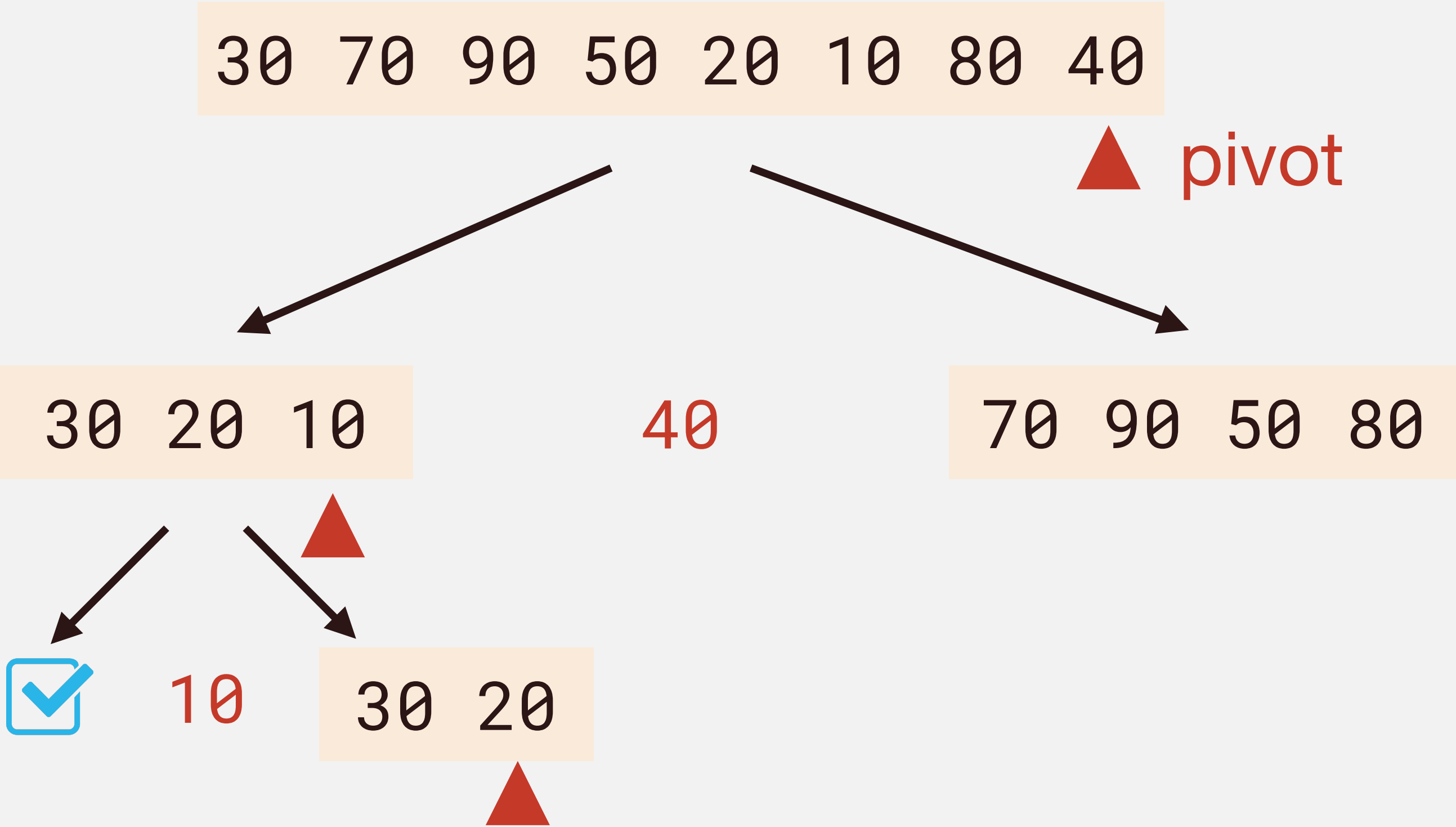
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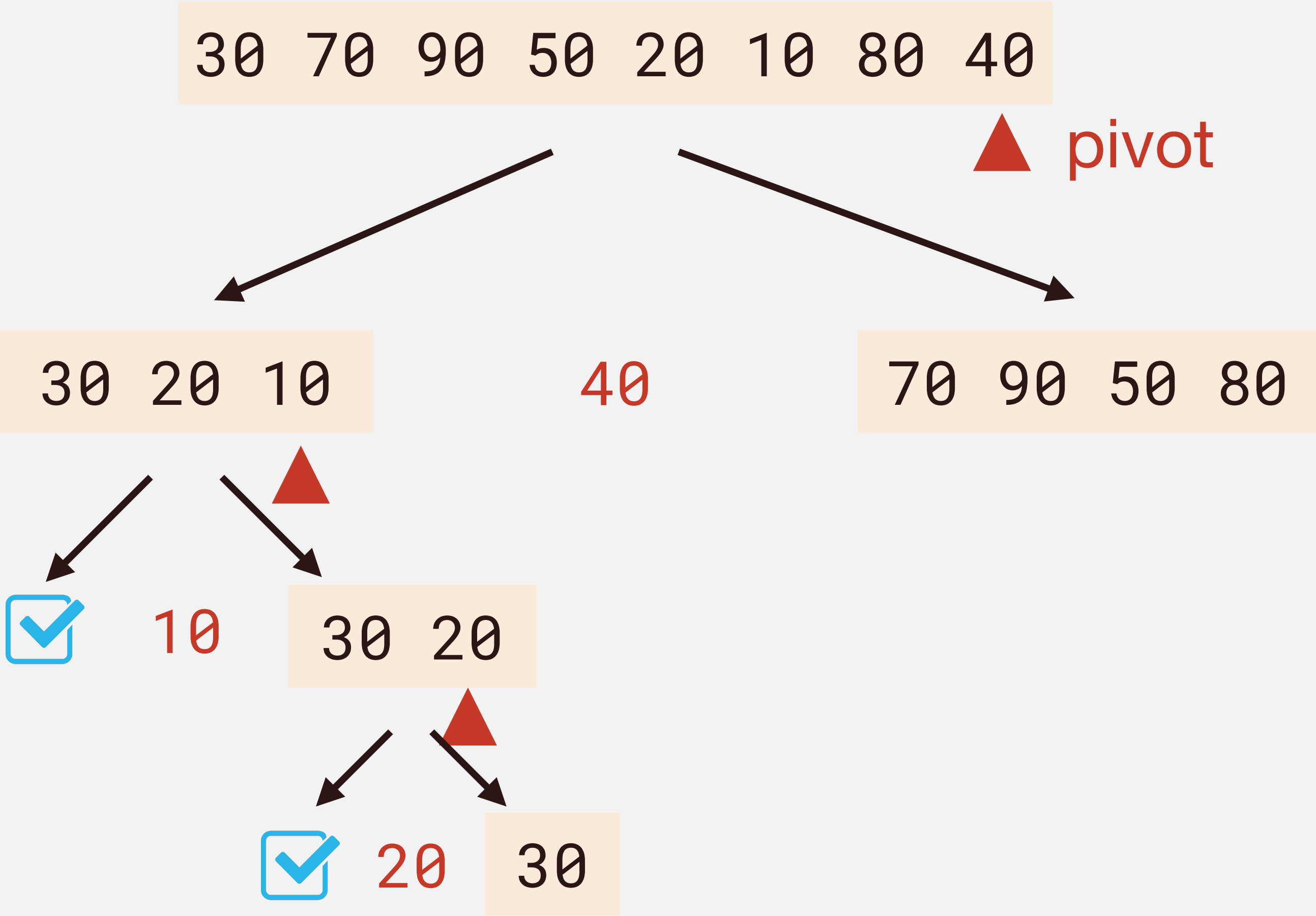
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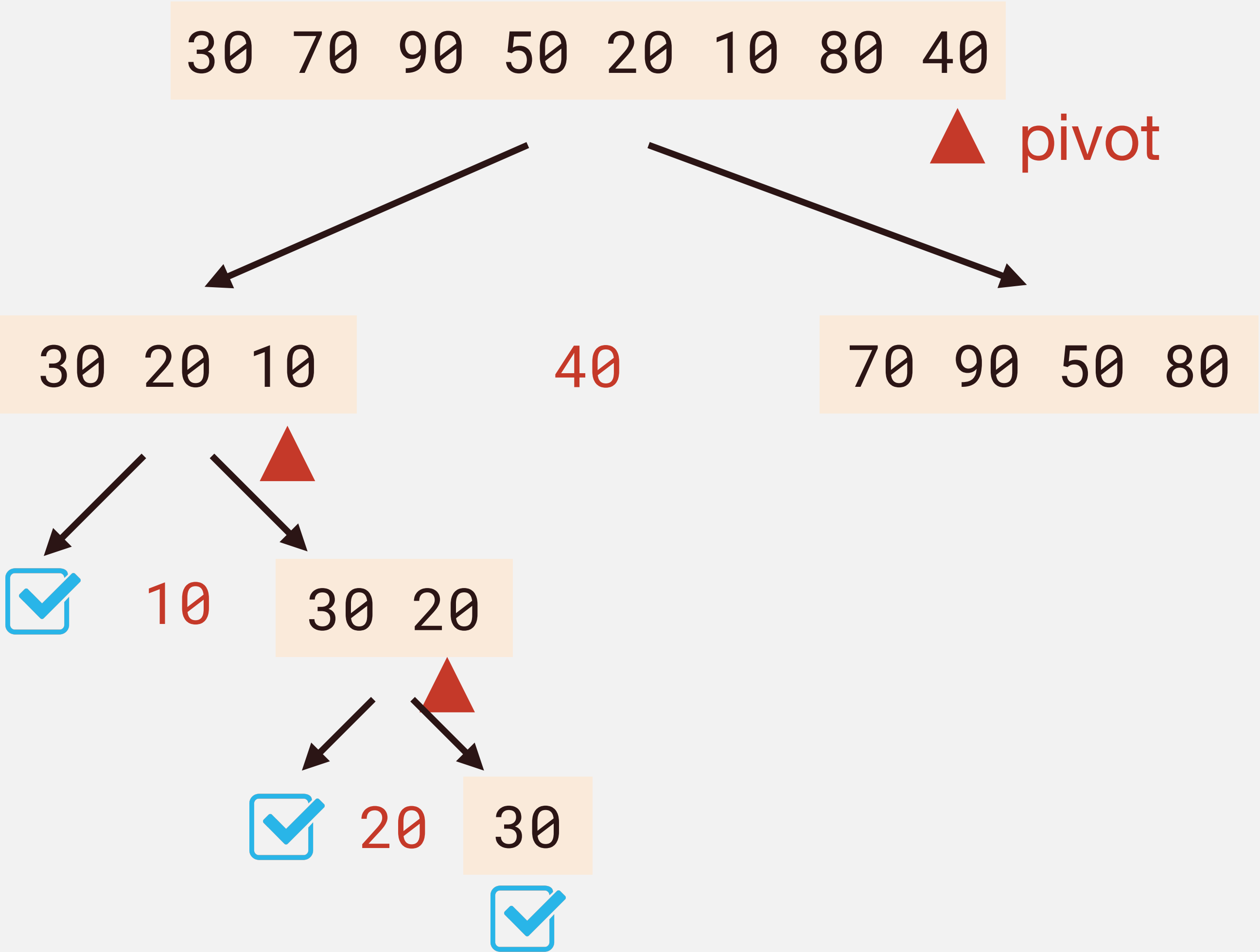
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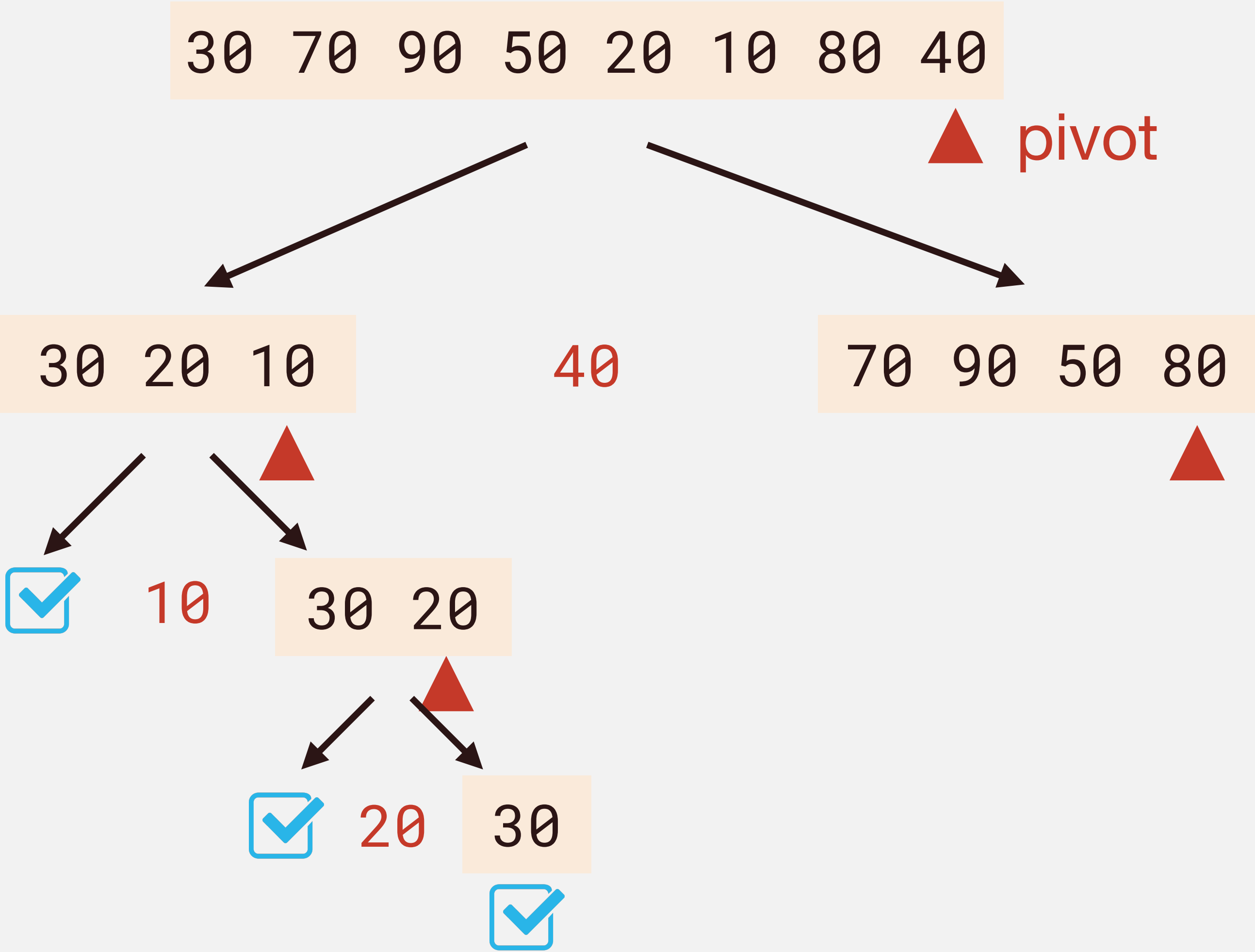
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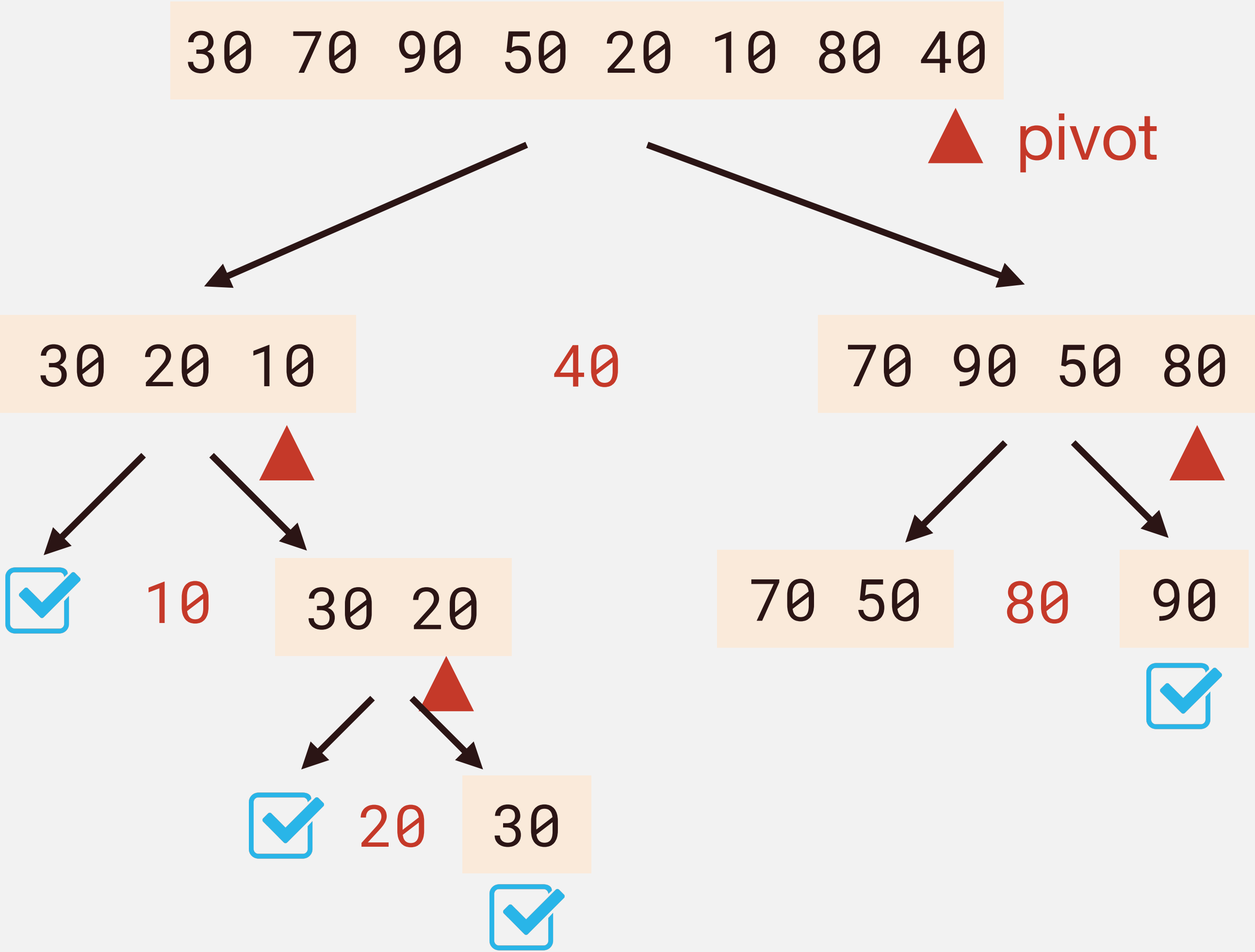


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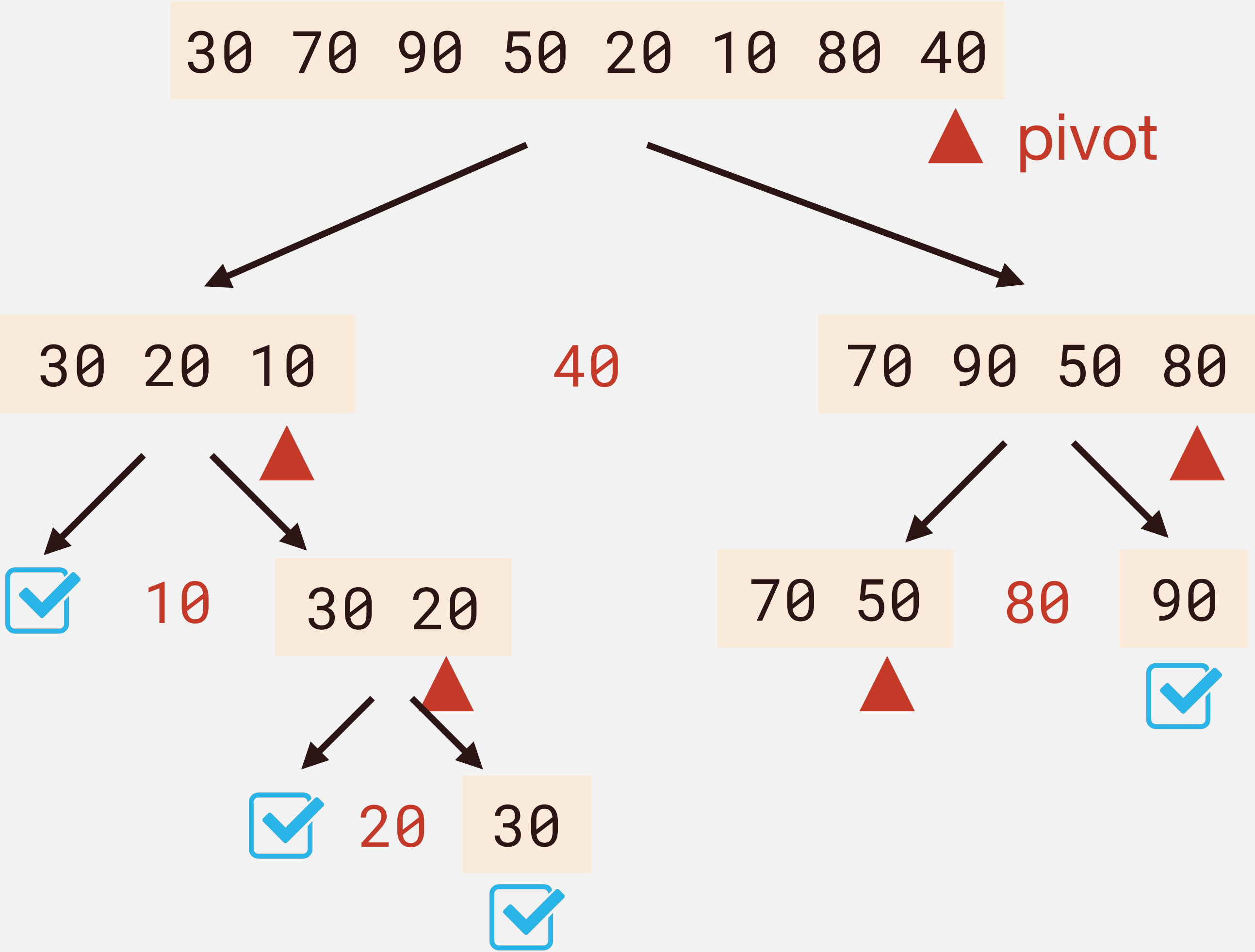


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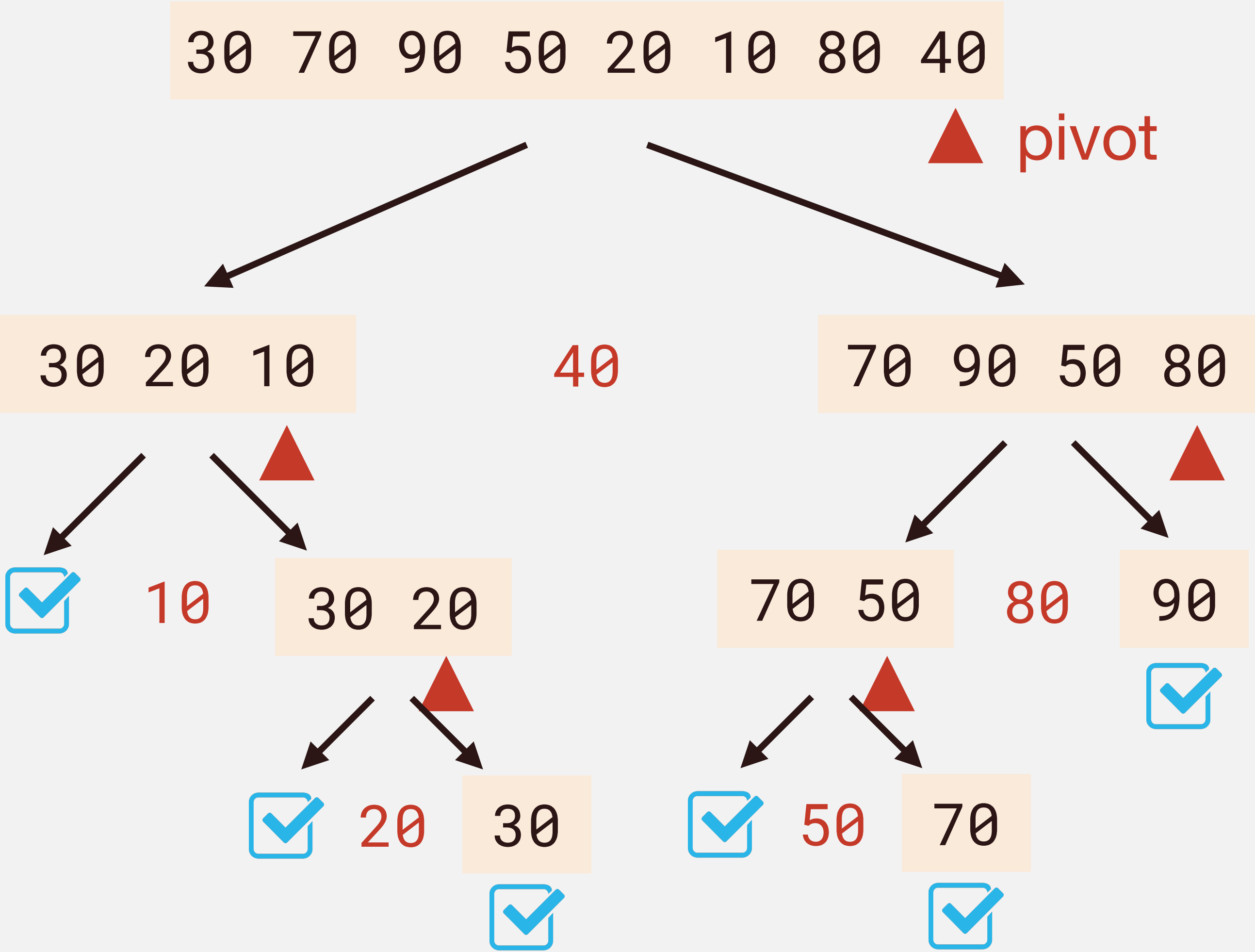




# Quicksort



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# Quicksort

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```
Quicksort(full_range) {  
    Pick a pivot  
    Rearrange around pivot  
    Quicksort(before pivot)  
    Quicksort(after pivot)  
}
```

# Rearrange Around Pivot

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`pivot_pos`



`i`



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`i`



$30 < 40$

# Rearrange Around Pivot

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`pivot_pos`



30	70	90	50	20	10	80	40
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`i`



`30 < 40`

`++pivot_pos`

# Rearrange Around Pivot

---

`pivot_pos`



30	70	90	50	20	10	80	40
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`i`



`30 < 40`

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`swap`

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30 70 90 50 20 10 80 40



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30 20 90 50 70 10 80 40



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# Rearrange Around Pivot

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`pivot_pos`



30

20

90

50

70

10

80

40



`i`



30 < 40

70 >= 40

90 >= 40

50 >= 40

20 < 40

`++pivot_pos`

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`pivot_pos`



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# Quicksort

---

```
Quicksort(full_range) {  
    Pick a pivot  
    Rearrange around pivot  
    Quicksort(before pivot)  
    Quicksort(after pivot)  
}
```

# Road Map

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Program

Functions

Statements

Expressions

Constants

Arrays

Variables

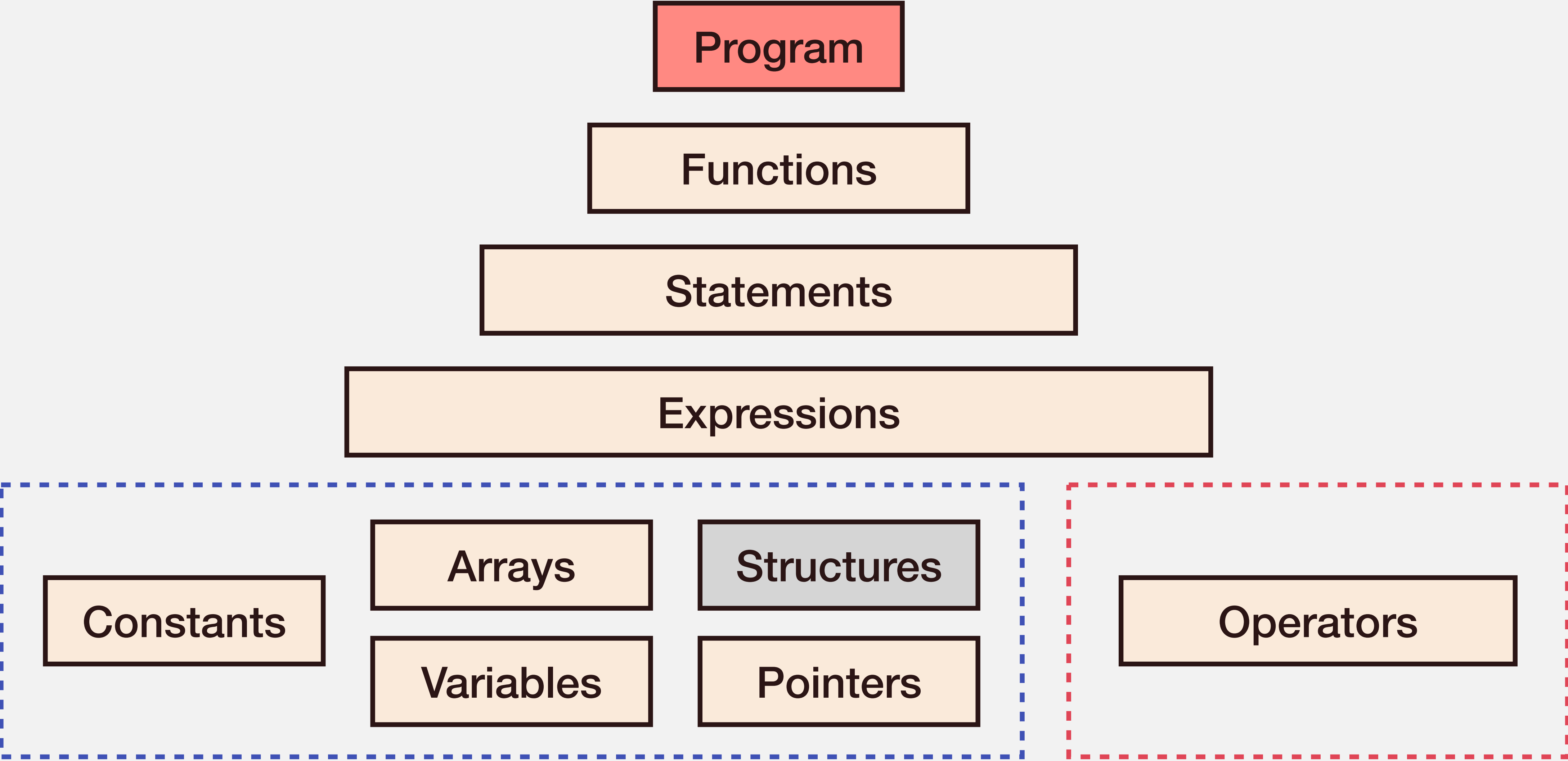
Structures

Pointers

Operators

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# Single-File C Program

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#include <stdlib.h>
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...
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#define ERR_MSG "Wan le, bbq le"
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...
```

```
int evil_global_var = 0;
```

```
...
```

```
void Quicksort(int *a, int l, int r);
```

```
...
```

```
int main() {
```

```
    ...
```

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Header Files (.h)

Source Files (.c)

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## sort\_util.h

```
#ifndef __SORT_UTIL_H__  
#define __SORT_UTIL_H__
```

```
#include <stdlib.h>
```

```
#define DEBUG_LEVEL 1
```

```
extern int evil_global_var;
```

```
void Quicksort(int *a, int l, int r);  
void Mergesort(int *a, int l, int r);
```

```
#endif
```



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# Header File

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**sort\_util.h**

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#ifndef __SORT_UTIL_H__  
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Prevent variables/functions from being declared multiple times

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#include <stdlib.h>
```

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```

```
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```

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```

```
#endif
```

# Source File

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**sort\_util.c**

```
#include "sort_util.h"
```

```
#include <stdlib.h>
```

```
static void Swap(int *a, int i, int j) {  
    ...  
}
```

```
void Quicksort(int *a, int l, int r) {  
    ...  
}
```

```
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**sort\_util.c**

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```
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```

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    ...  
}
```

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```

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**sort\_util.c**

`#include "sort_util.h"` ← The corresponding header file

`#include <stdlib.h>` ← Other function declarations needed for the implementation

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    ...  
}
```

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    ...  
}
```

# Source File

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**sort\_util.c**

```
#include "sort_util.h"
```

```
#include <stdlib.h>
```

```
static void Swap(int *a, int i, int j) { ← Function is invisible outside the file
    ...
}
```

```
void Quicksort(int *a, int l, int r) {
    ...
}
```

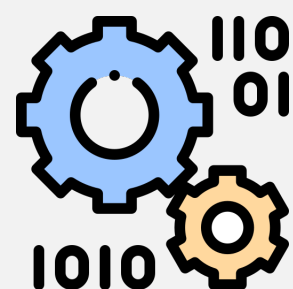
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void Mergesort(int *a, int l, int r) {
    ...
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```



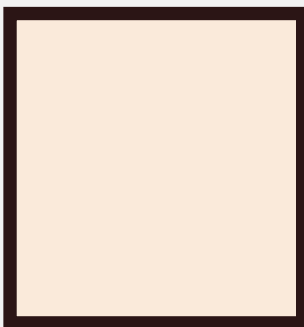
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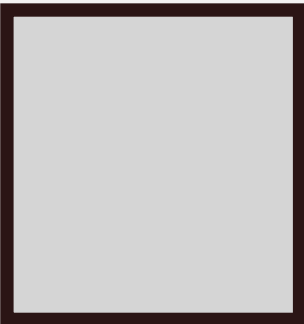
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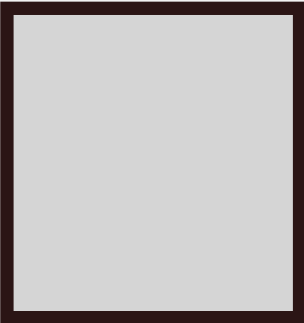
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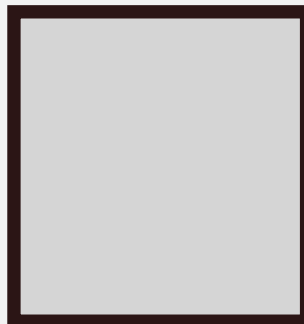
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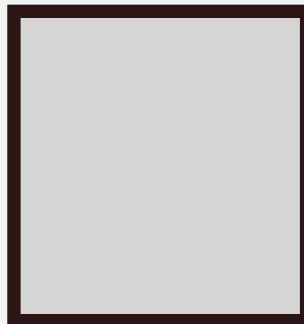
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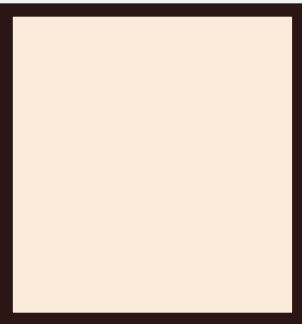
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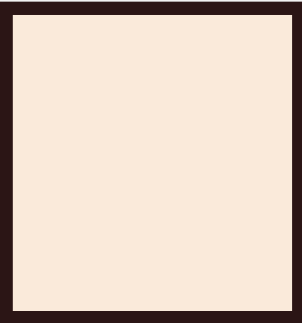
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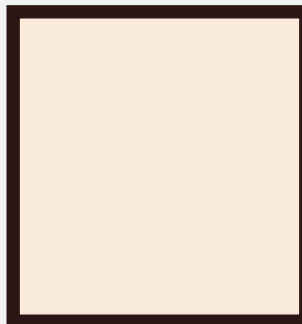
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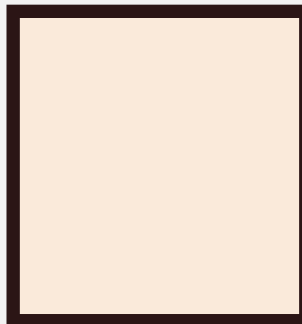
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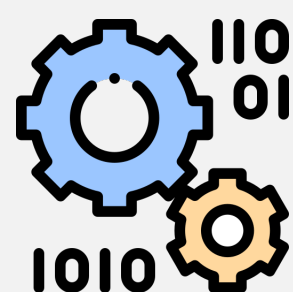
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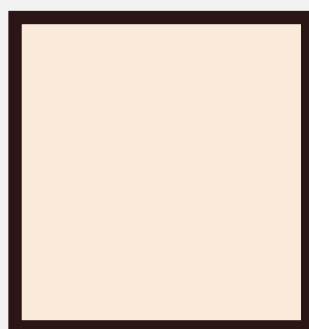
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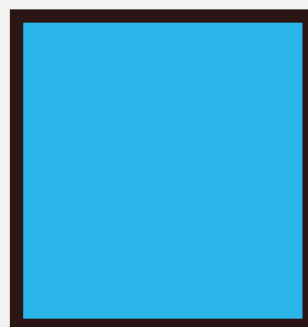
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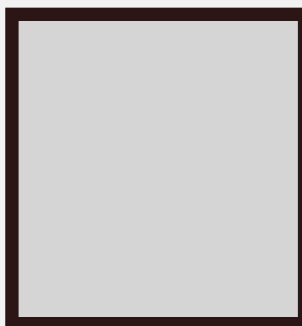
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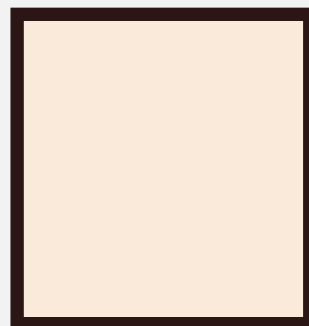
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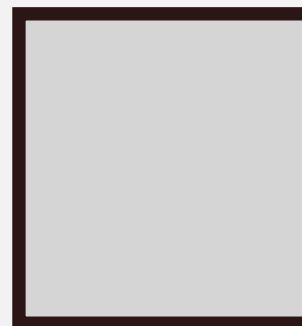
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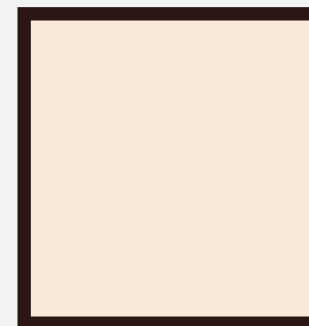
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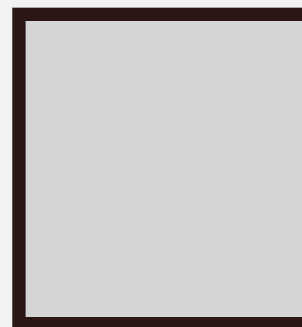
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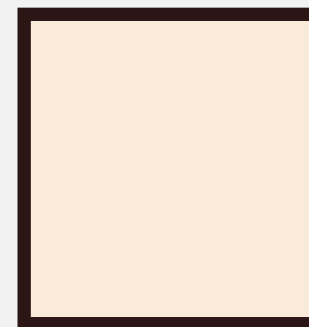
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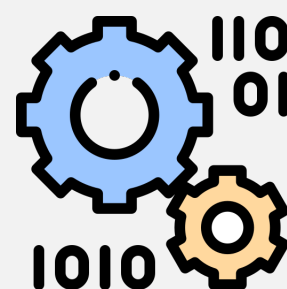
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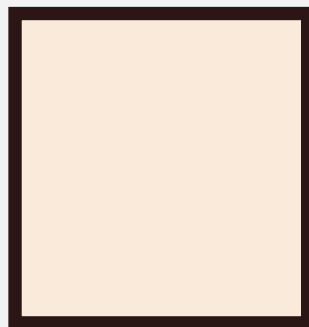
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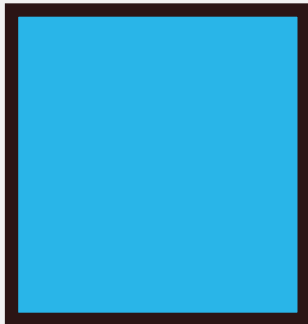
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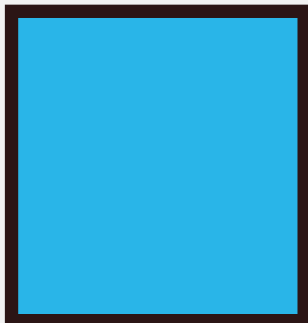
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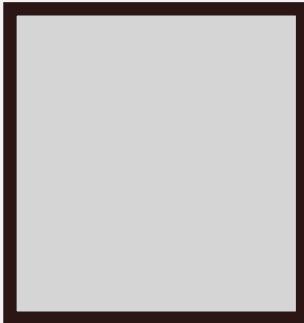
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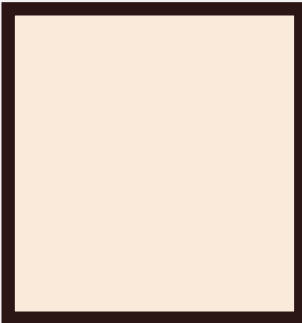
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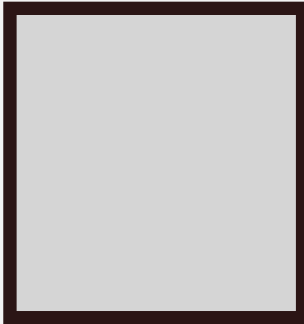
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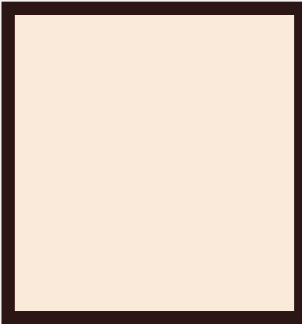
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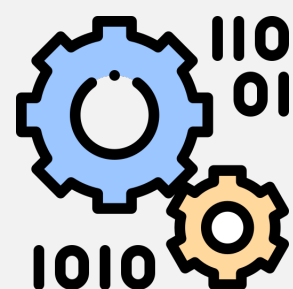
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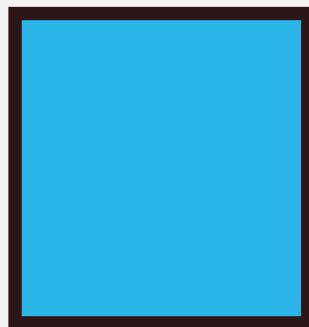
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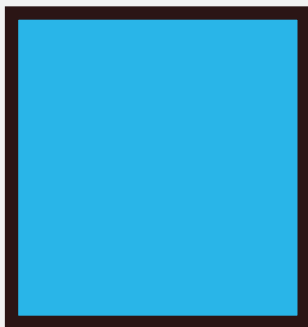
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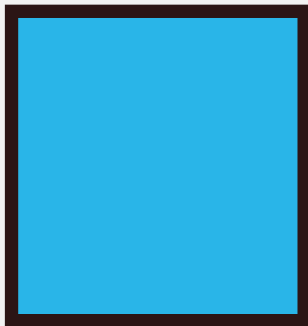
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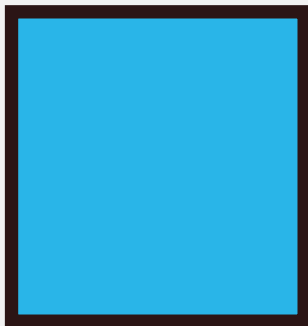
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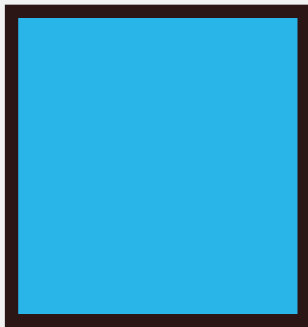
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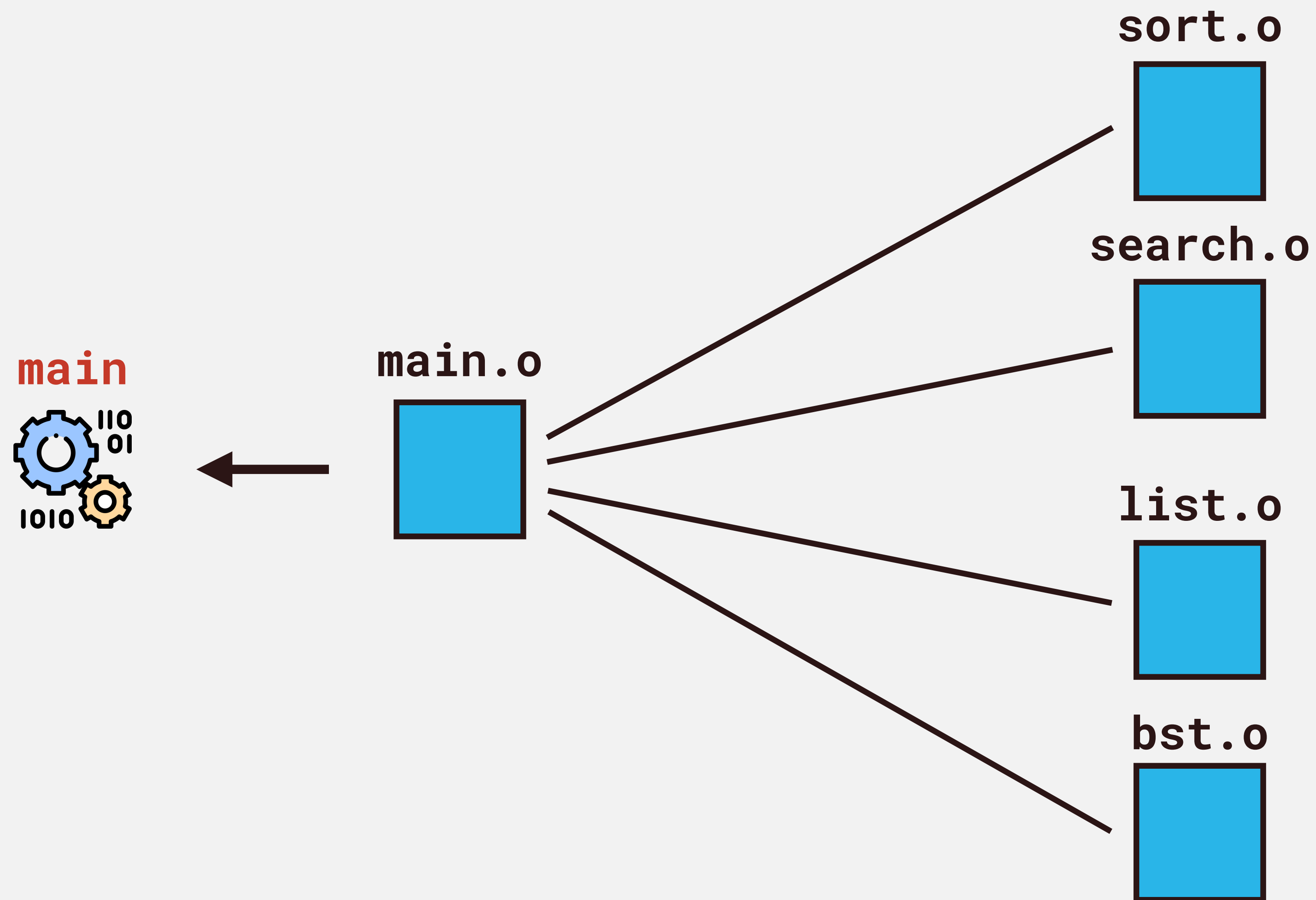


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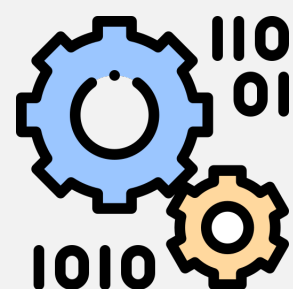
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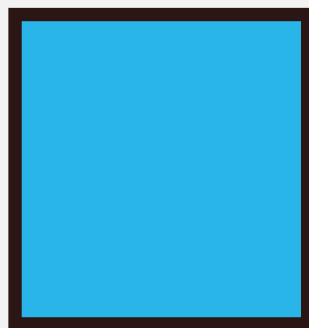
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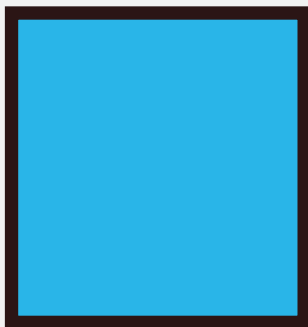
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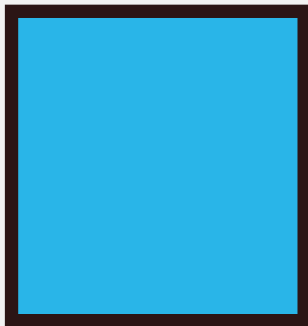
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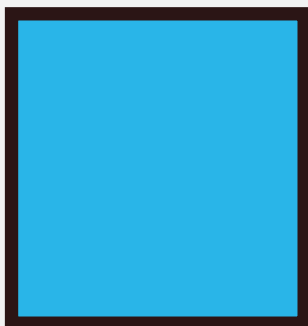
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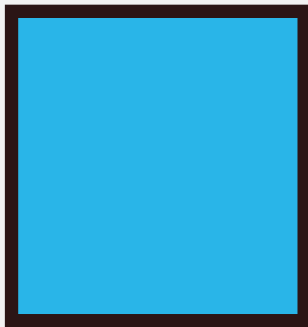
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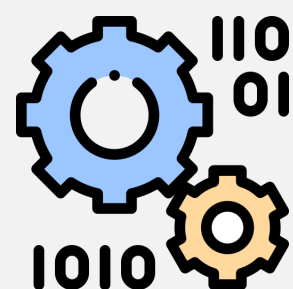
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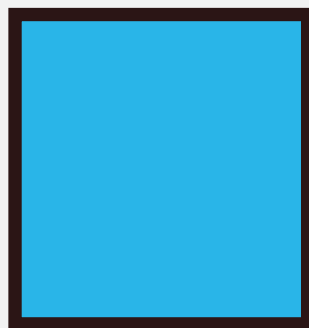
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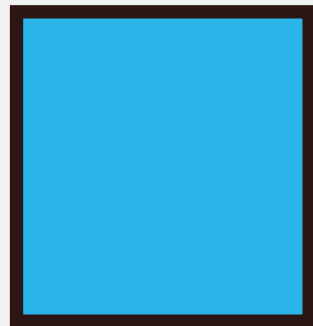
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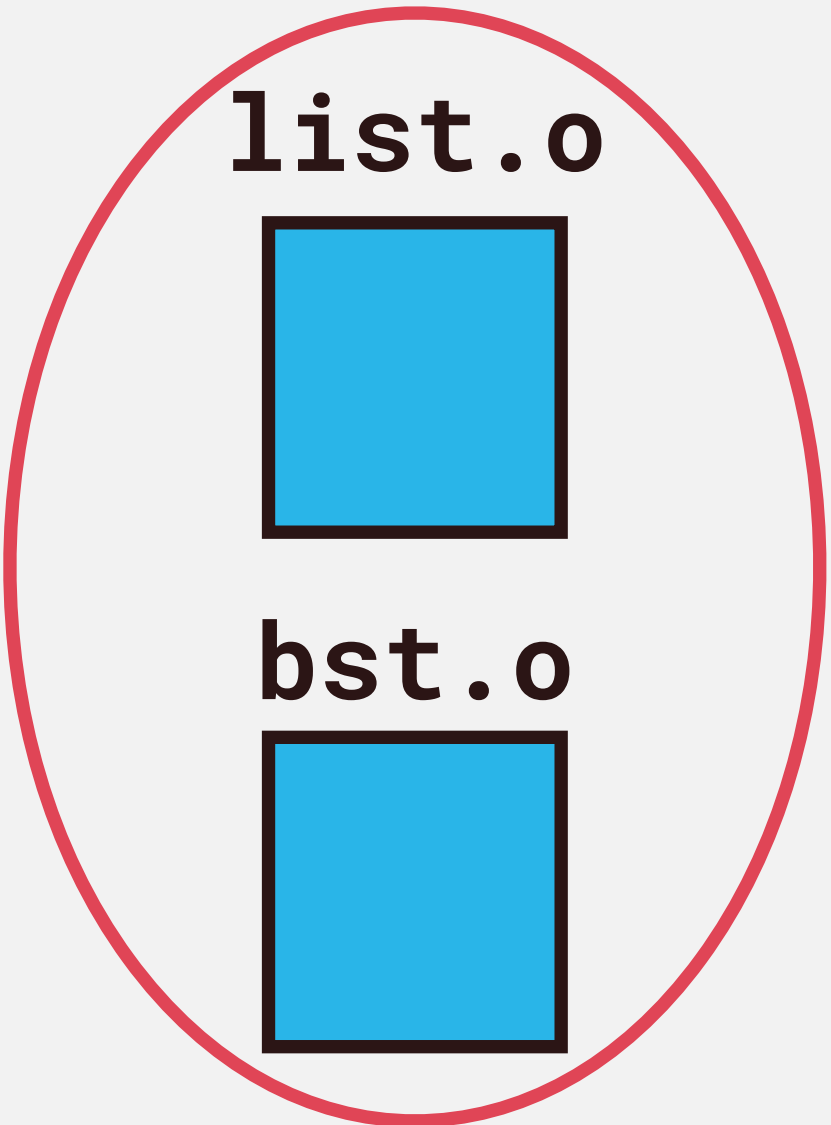
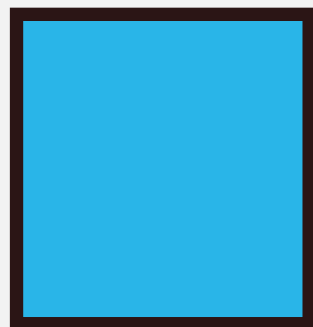
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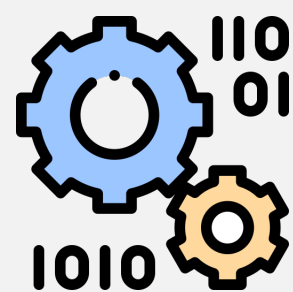
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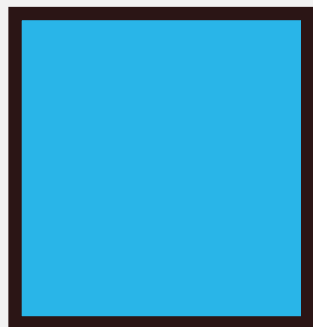
# Libraries

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**main**



**main.o**



**libalg.a**



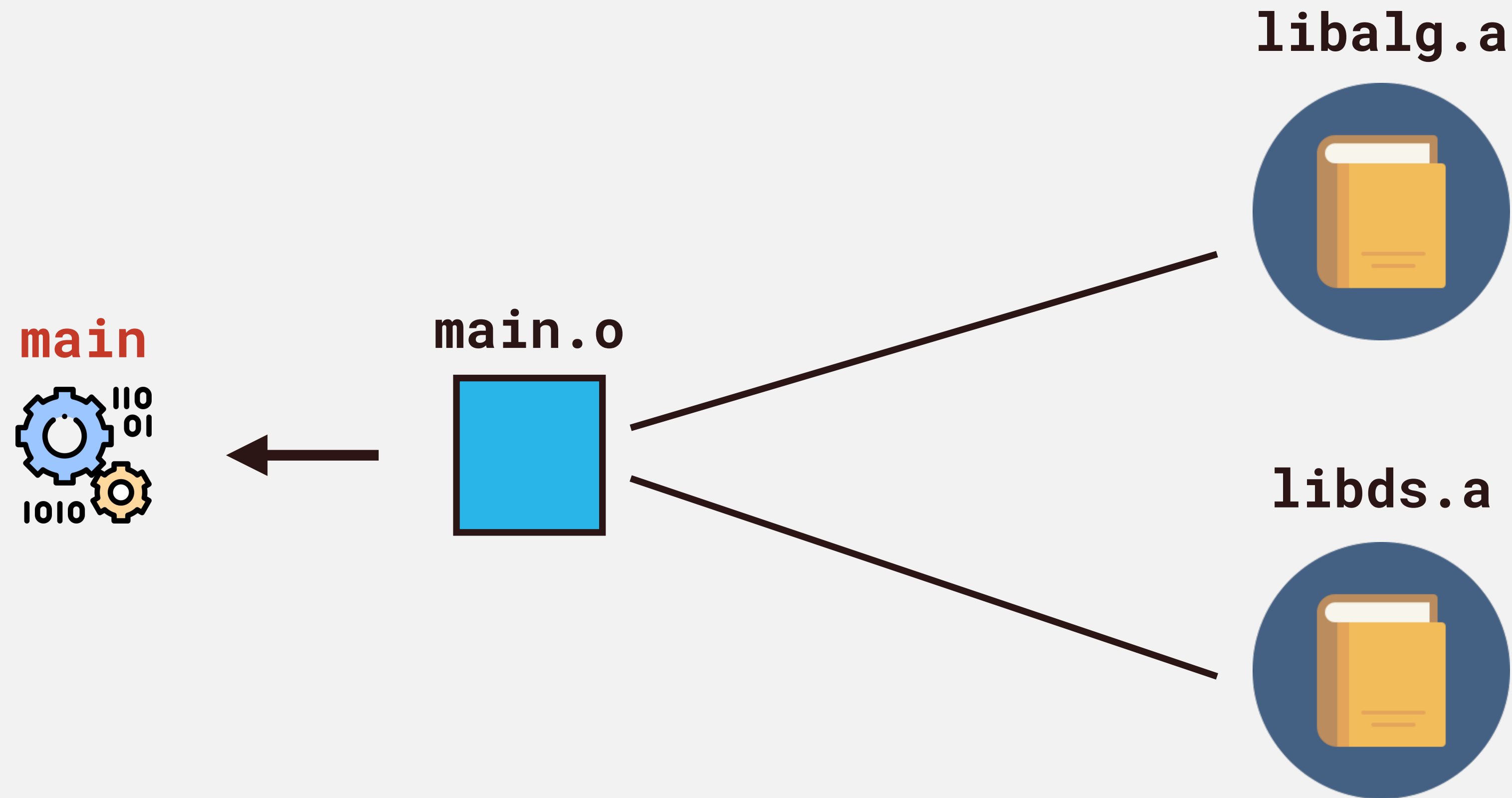
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# Libraries

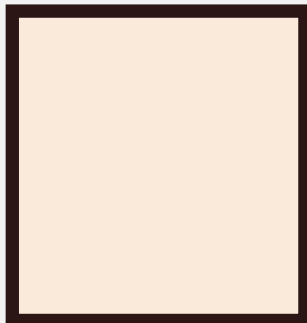
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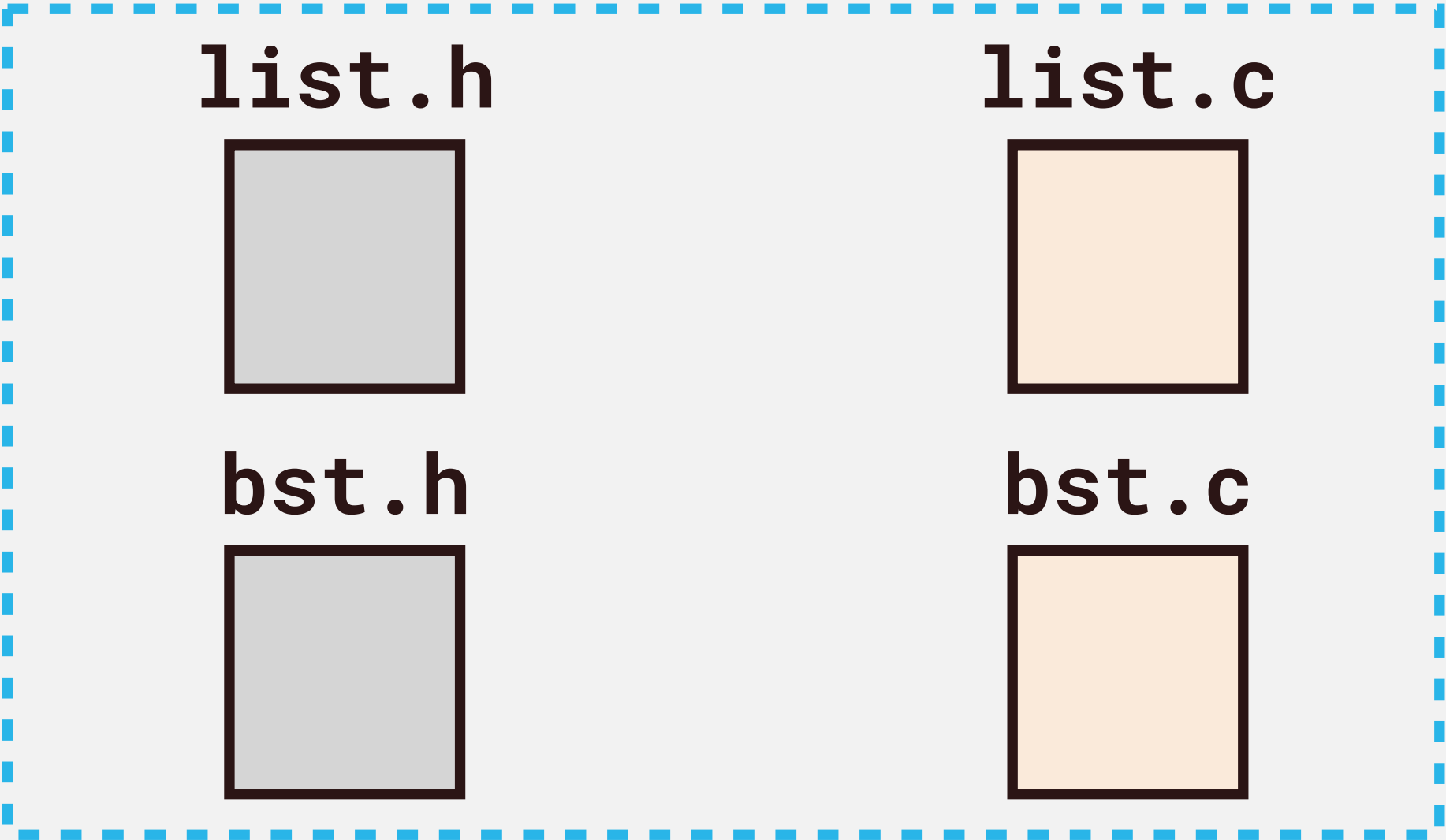
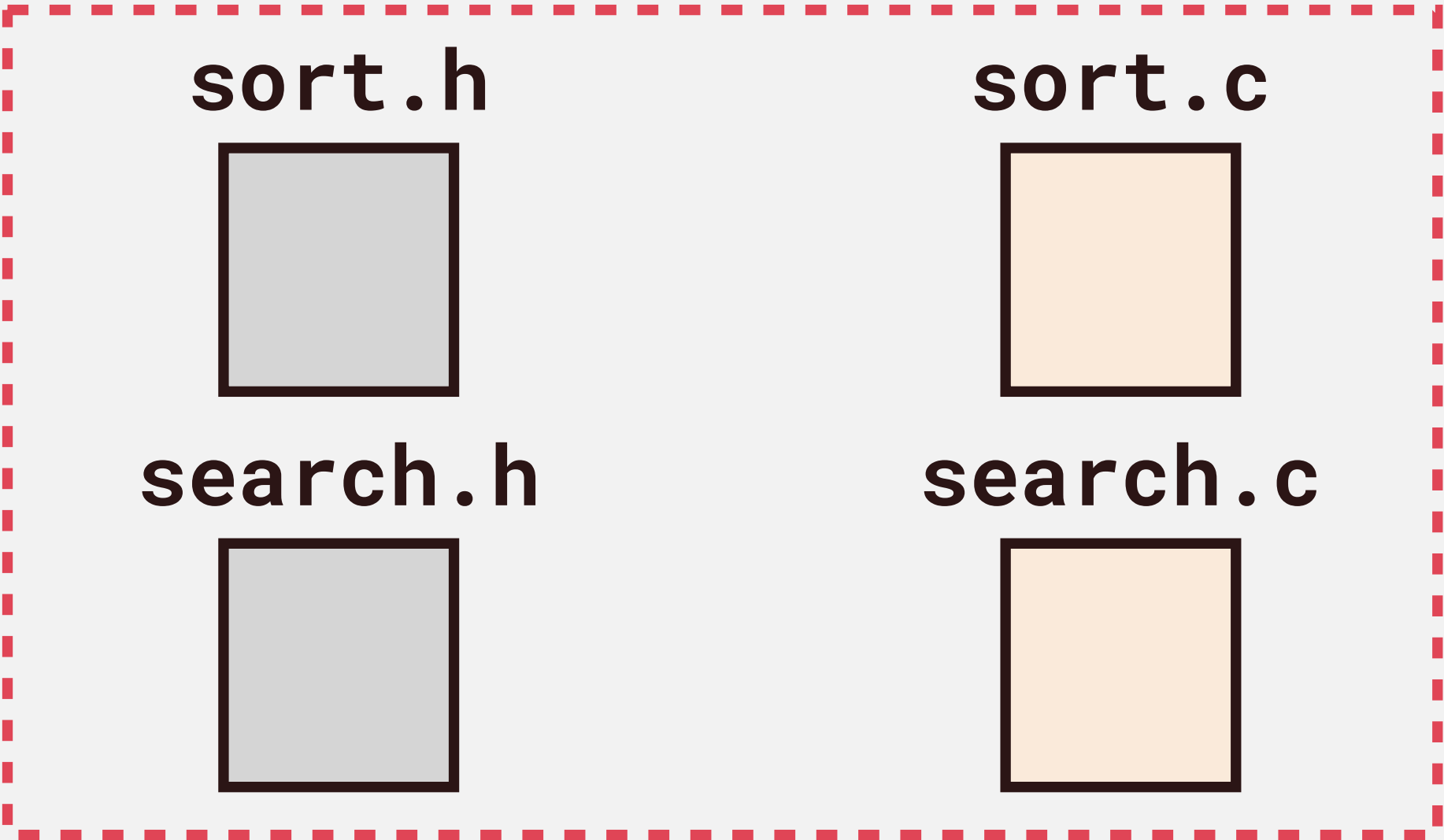
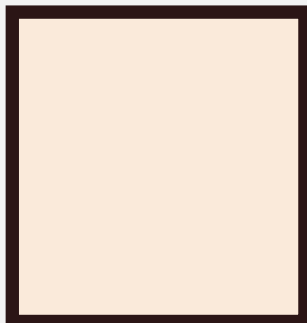
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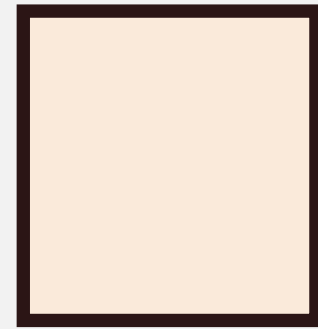


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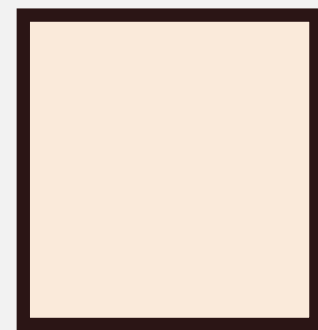
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**prog1.c**



**prog2.c**



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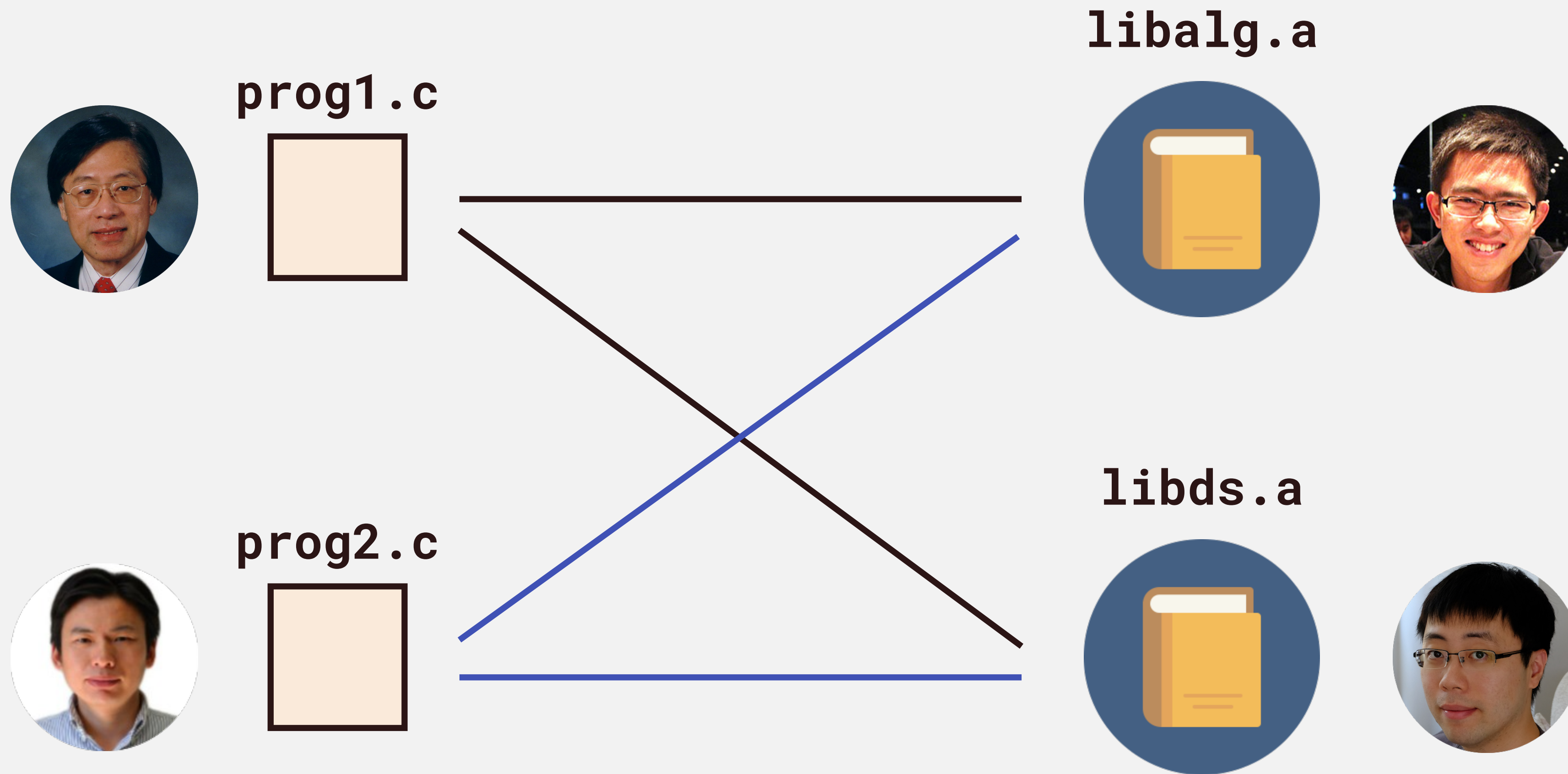


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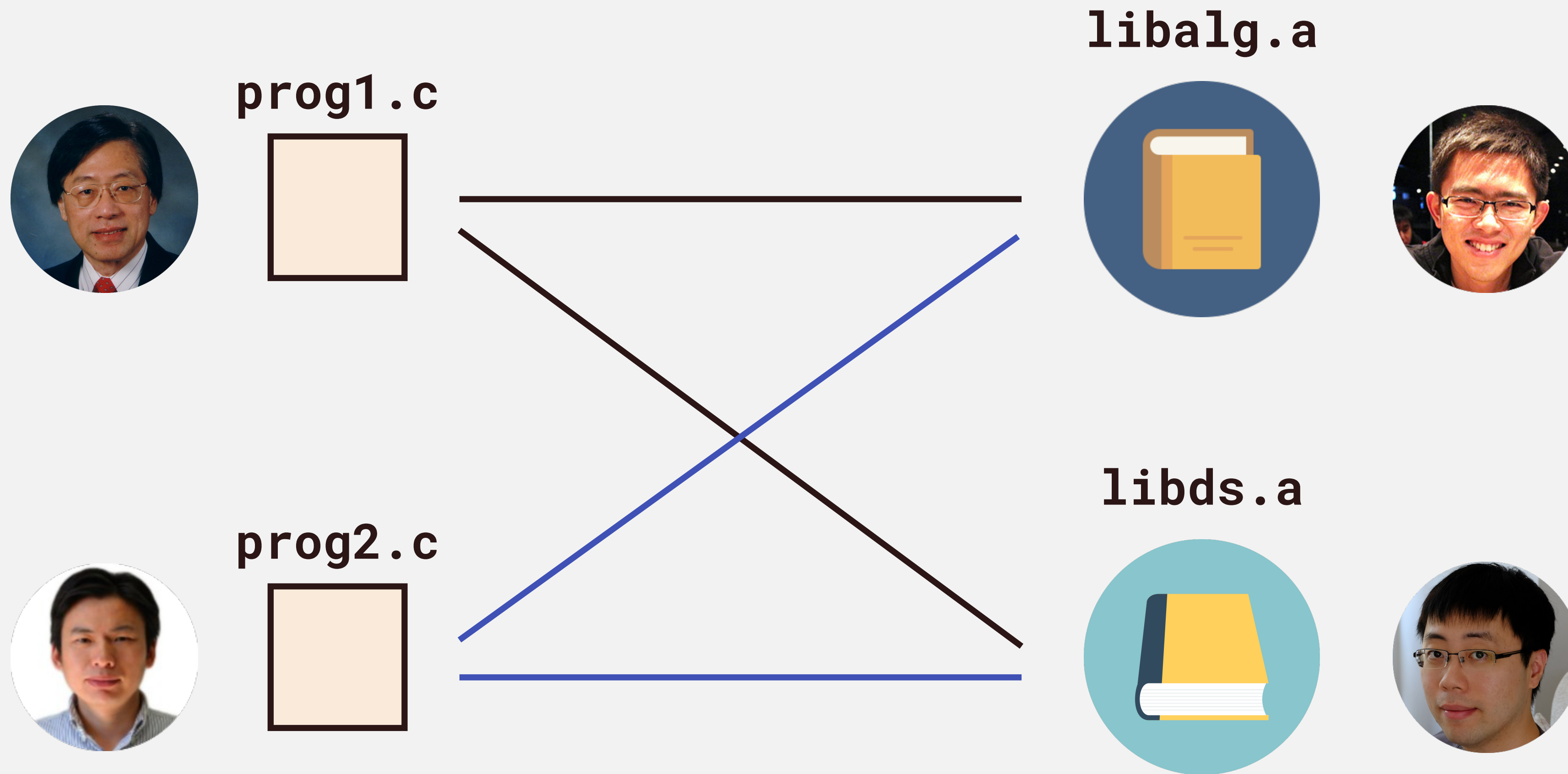
# Why Libraries?

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# Why Libraries?

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# Why Libraries?

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- Speeds up compilation
- Facilitates collaboration and code reuse



# Static Library

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**libfoo.a**

```
void f() {  
    ...  
}
```

**prog1.o**

```
int main() {  
    ...  
    f();  
}
```

**prog2.o**

```
int main() {  
    f();  
    ...  
}
```

# Static Library

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prog1

```
int main() {  
    ...  
    f();  
}
```

```
void f() {  
    ...  
}
```

prog2

```
int main() {  
    f();  
    ...  
}
```

```
void f() {  
    ...  
}
```

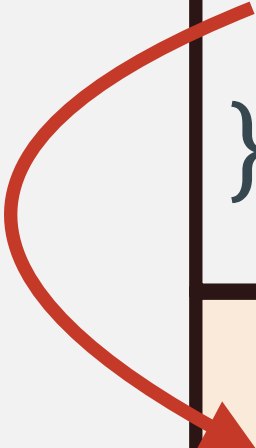


# Static Library

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prog1

```
int main() {  
    ...  
    f();  
}  
  
void f() {  
    ...  
}
```

A red curved arrow originates from the `f();` line in the `main()` function and points to the `void f()` function definition.

prog2

```
int main() {  
    f();  
    ...  
}  
  
void f() {  
    ...  
}
```

A red curved arrow originates from the `f();` line in the `main()` function and points to the `void f()` function definition.

# Shared Library

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**libfoo.so**

```
void f() {  
    ...  
}
```

**prog1.o**

```
int main() {  
    ...  
    f();  
}
```

**prog2.o**

```
int main() {  
    f();  
    ...  
}
```

# Shared Library

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**libfoo.so**

```
void f() {  
    ...  
}
```

**prog1**

```
int main() {  
    ...  
    f();  
}
```

A note about  
libfoo.so

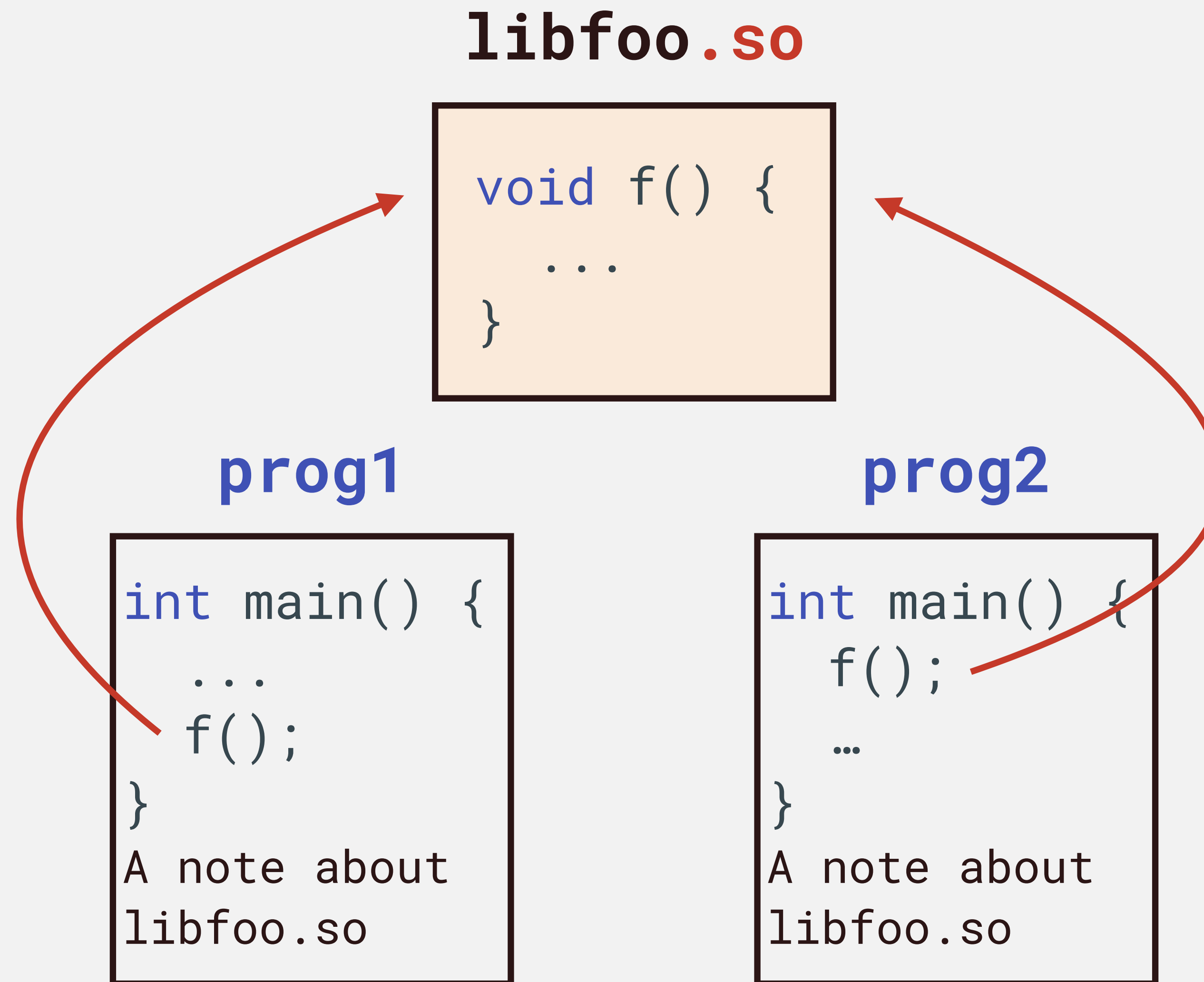
**prog2**

```
int main() {  
    f();  
    ...  
}
```

A note about  
libfoo.so

# Shared Library

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**Use CMake**

# Summary

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## → C String

- `char *`

## → Multi-Dimensional Array & Pointer Array

- `int a[M][N], int a[][N], int *a[M], int **a`

## → Recursion

- Divide and Conquer, quicksort

## → Multi-File C Program

- Header file, source file
- Static/Shared library
- Learn to use **CMake**

# Road Map

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Program

Functions

Statements

Expressions

Constants

Arrays

Structures

Variables

Pointers

Operators