

Developing acoustic localization for wildlife in environmental impact assessment

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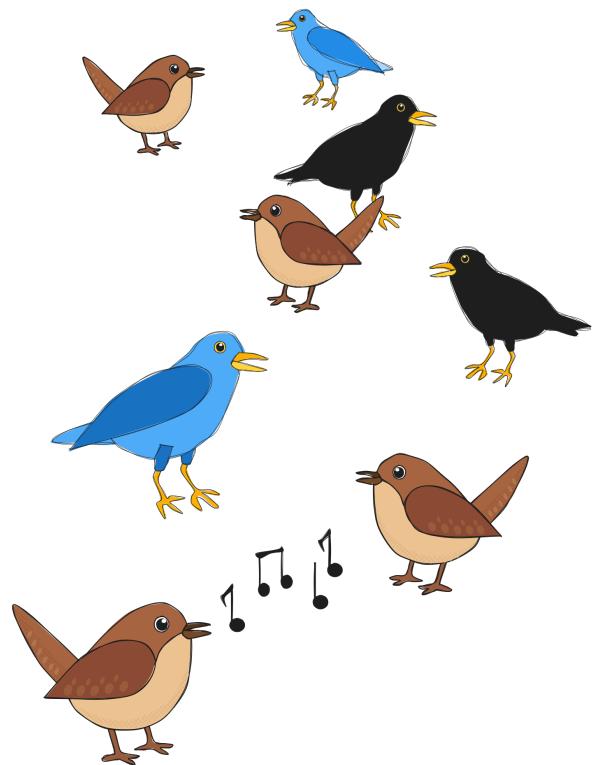
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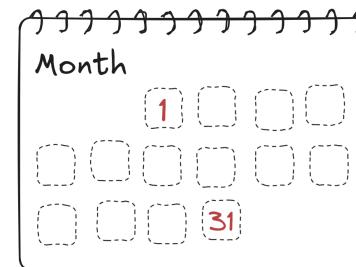
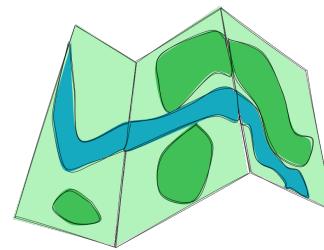
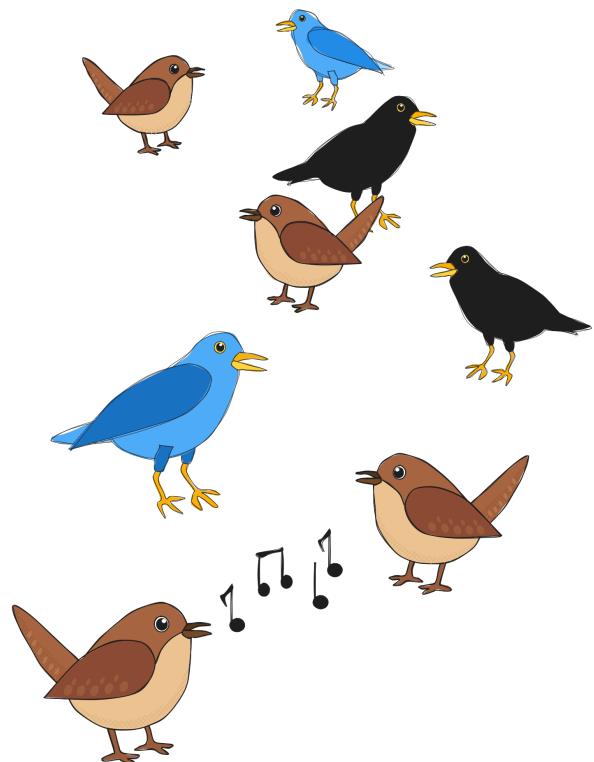
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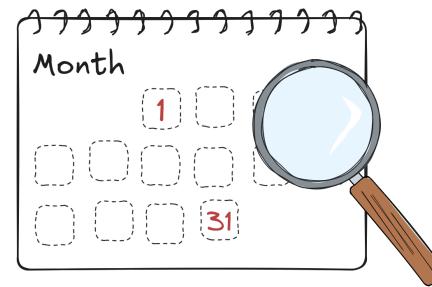
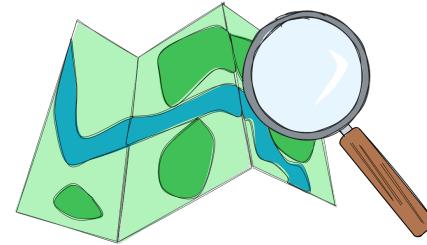
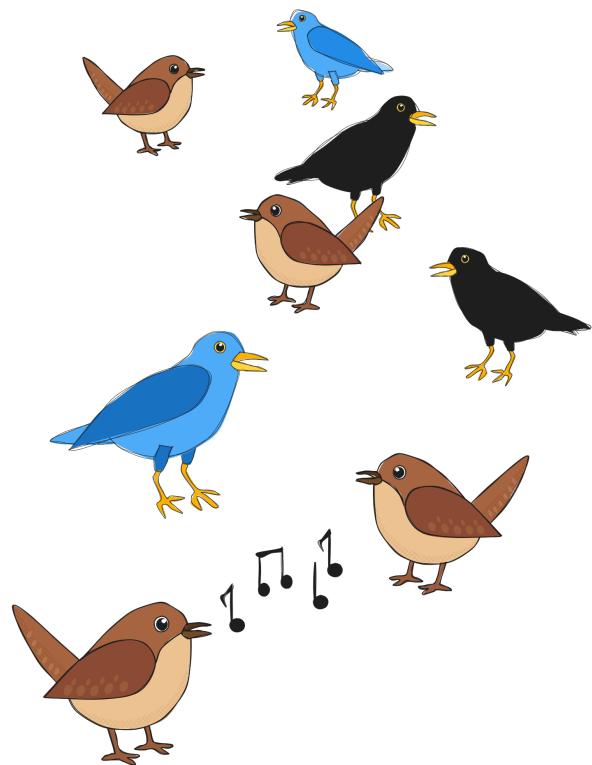
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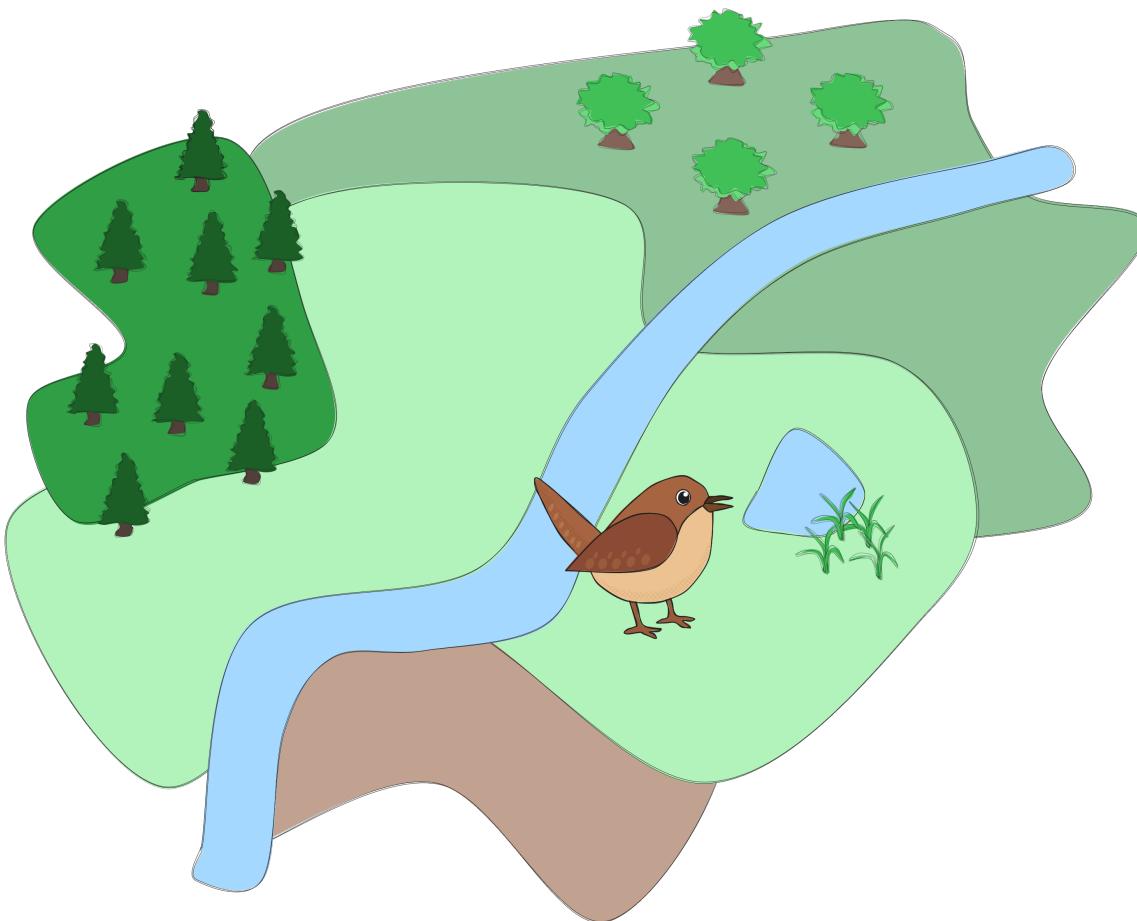


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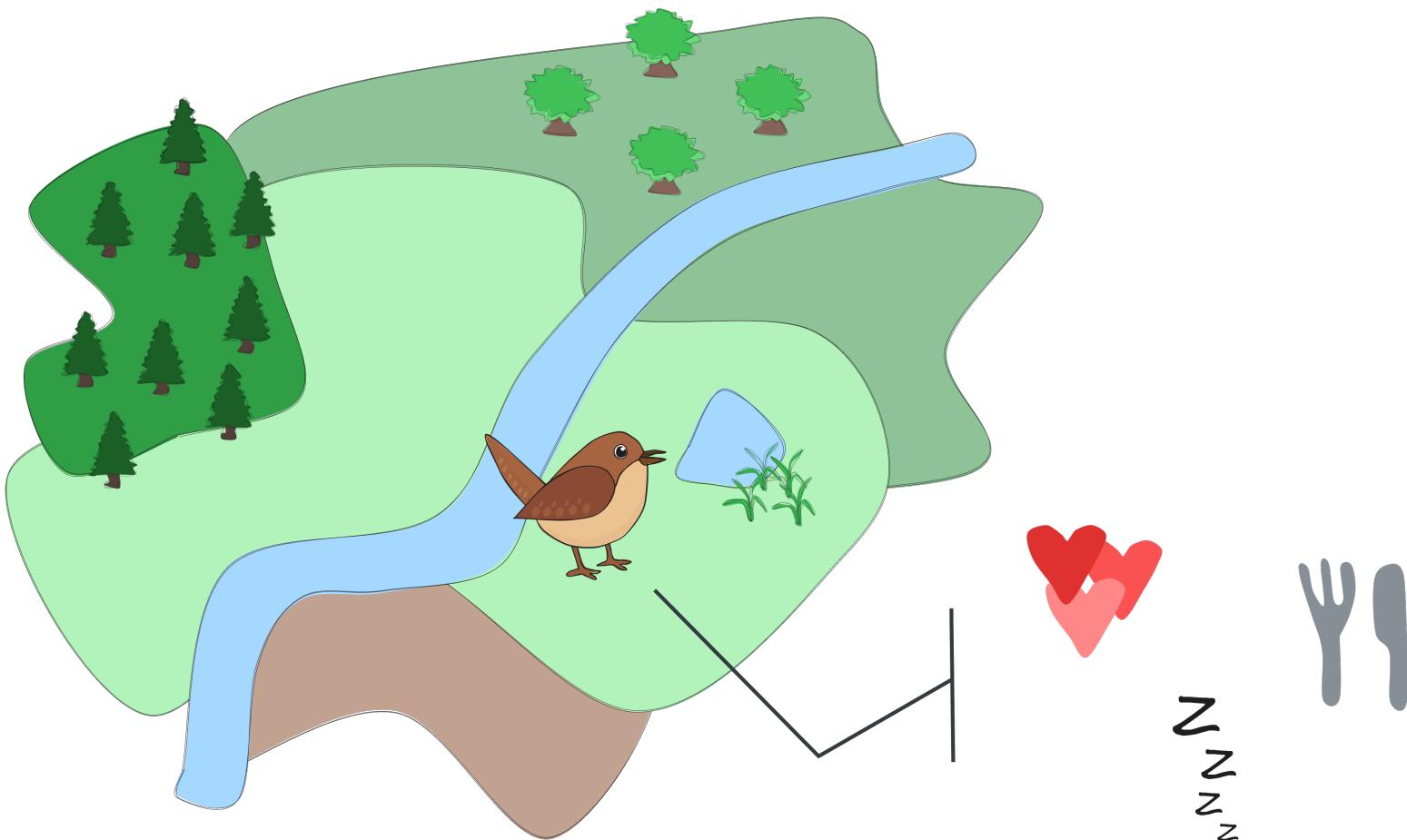
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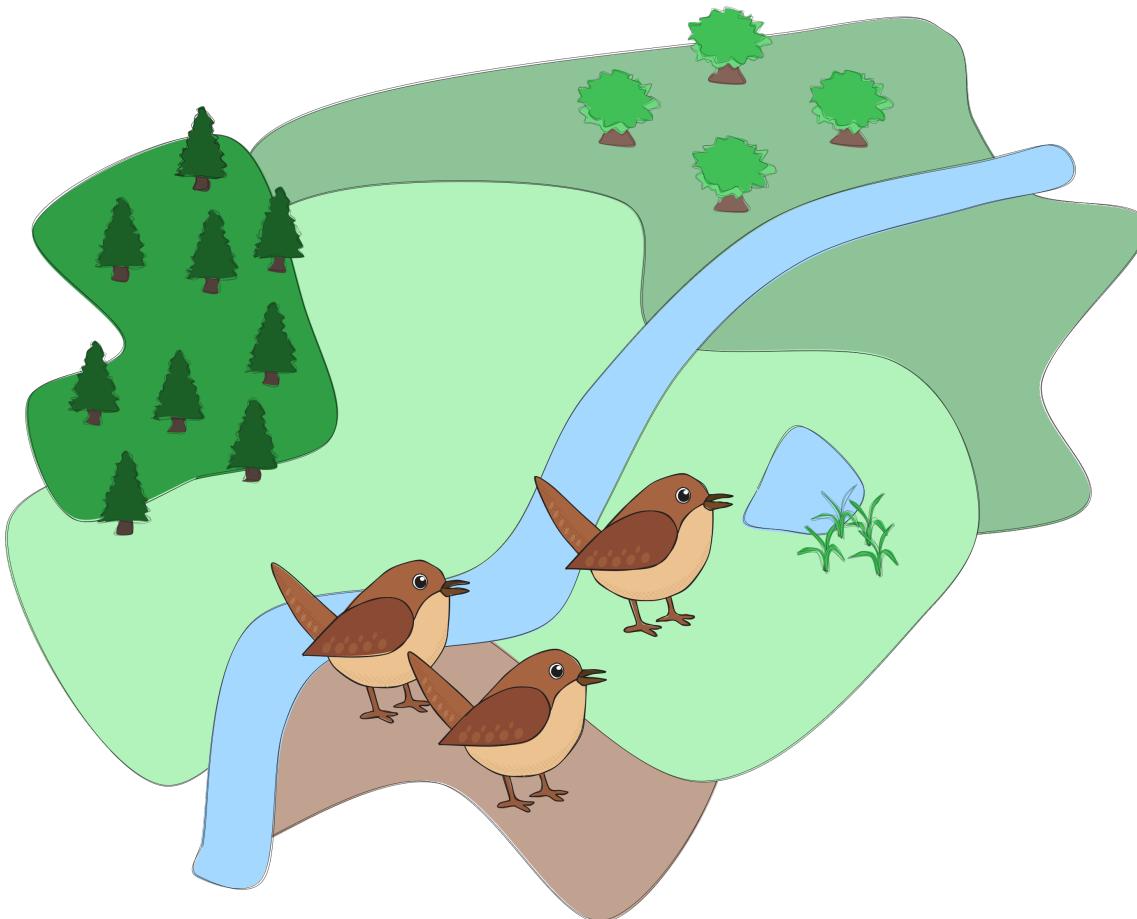
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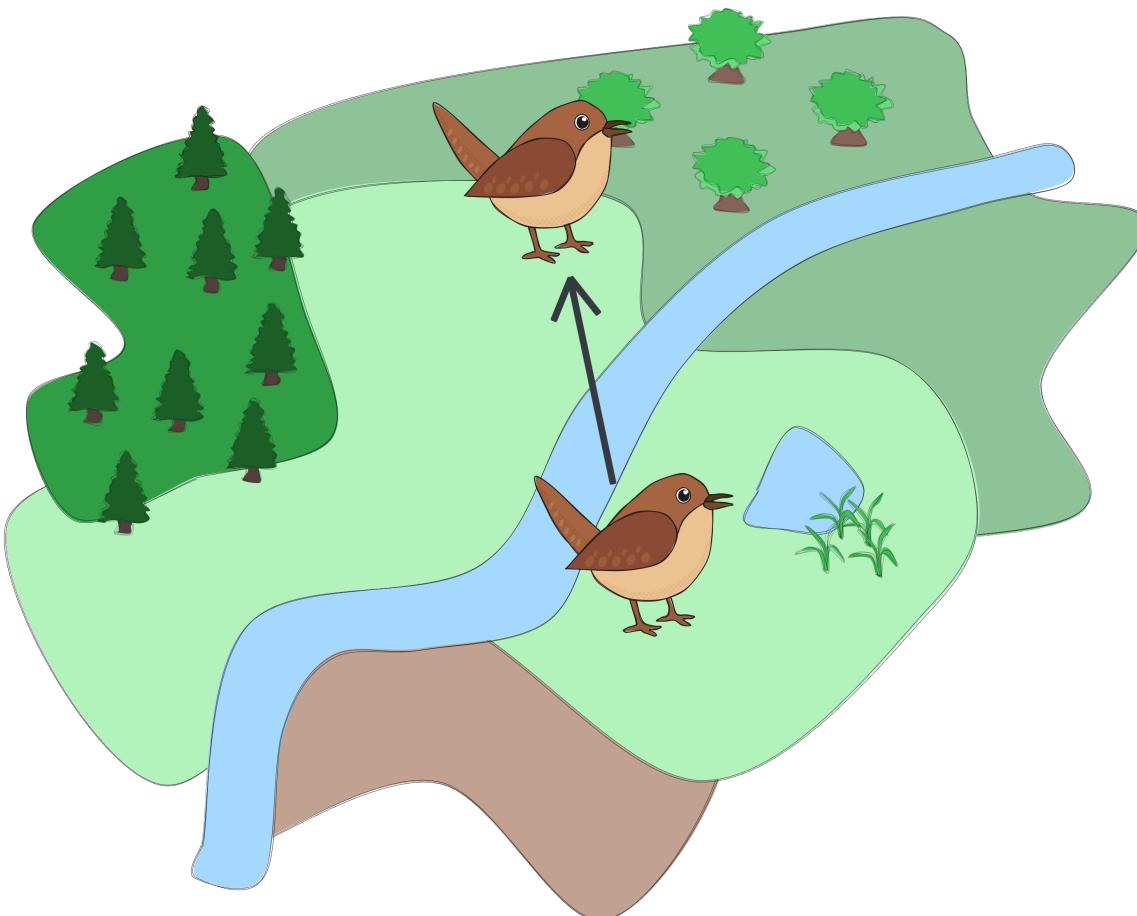
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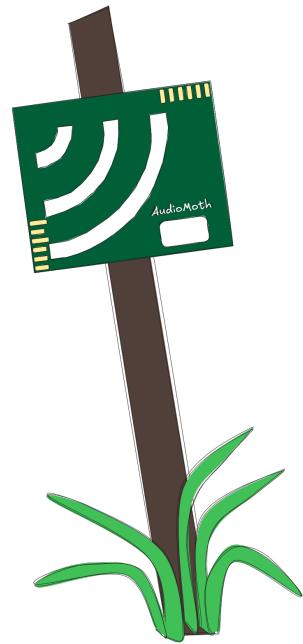
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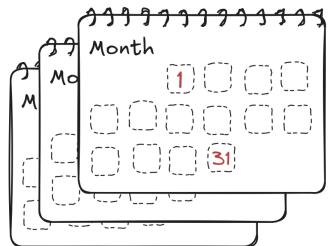
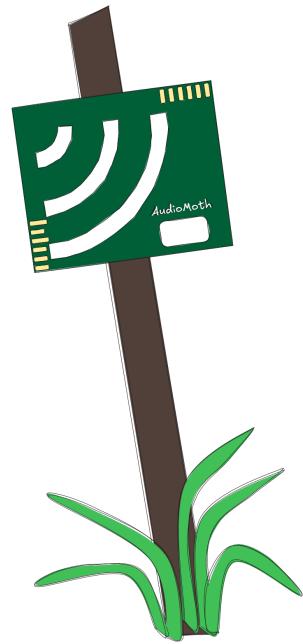
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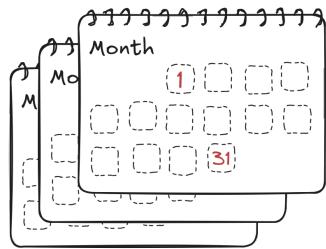
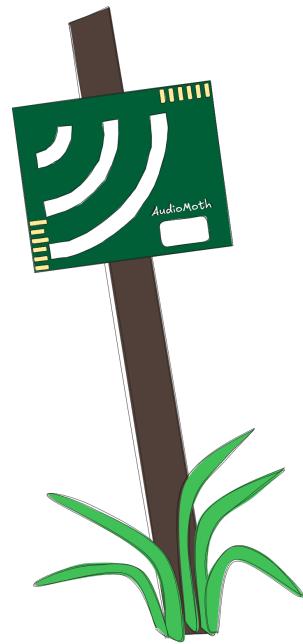
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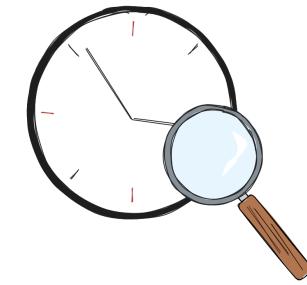
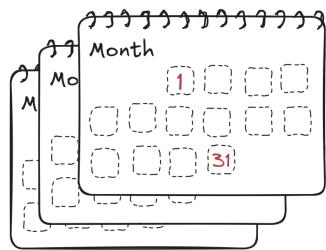
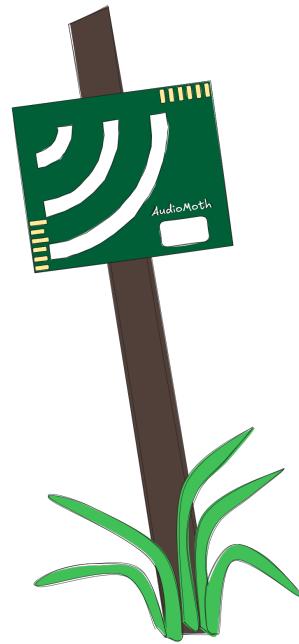
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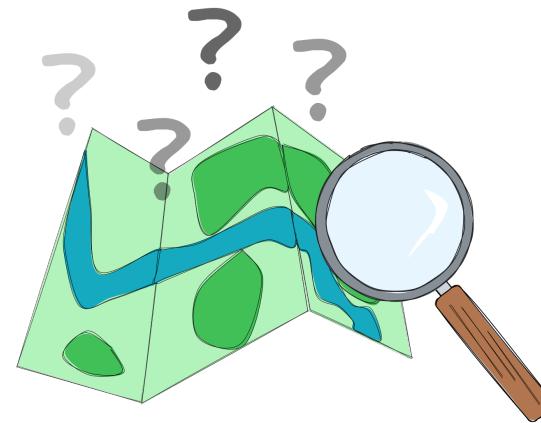
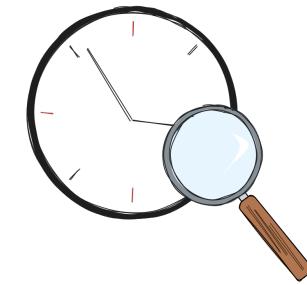
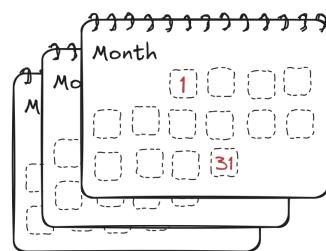
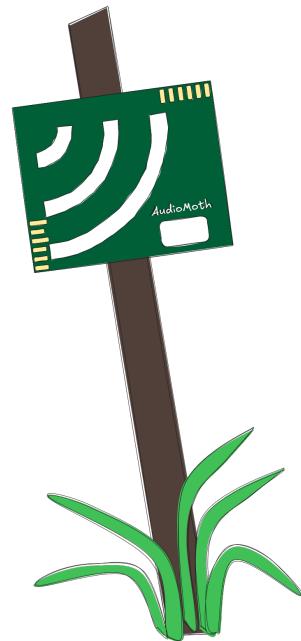
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Localizing sounds



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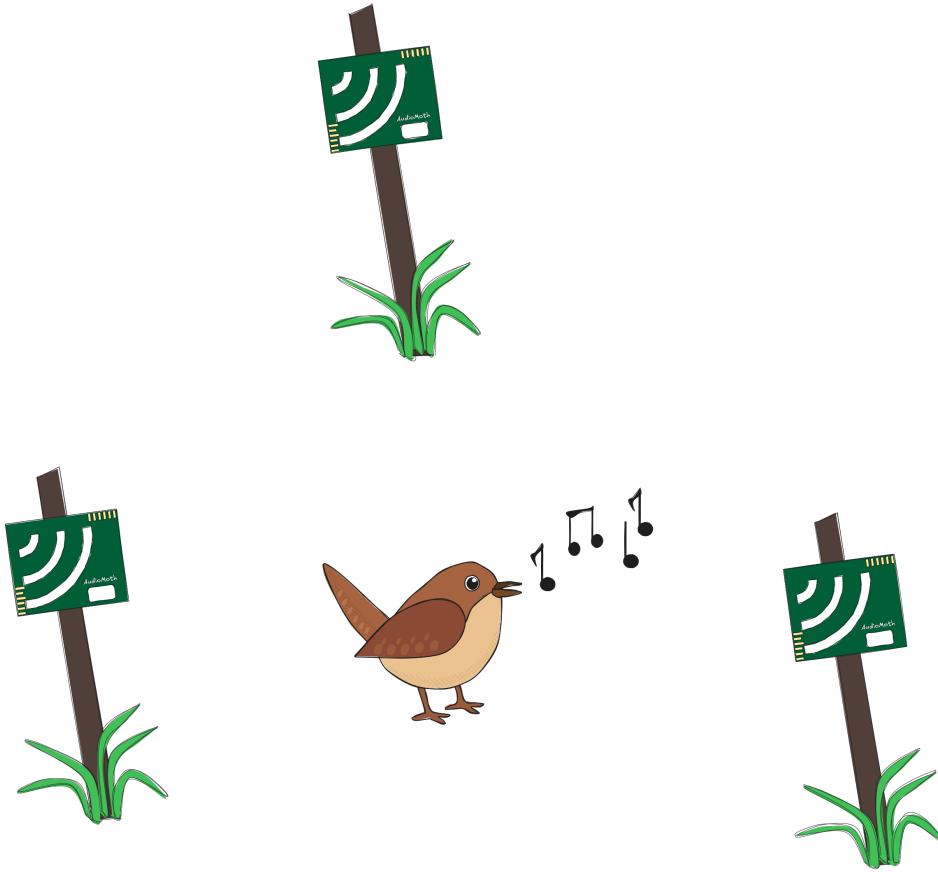
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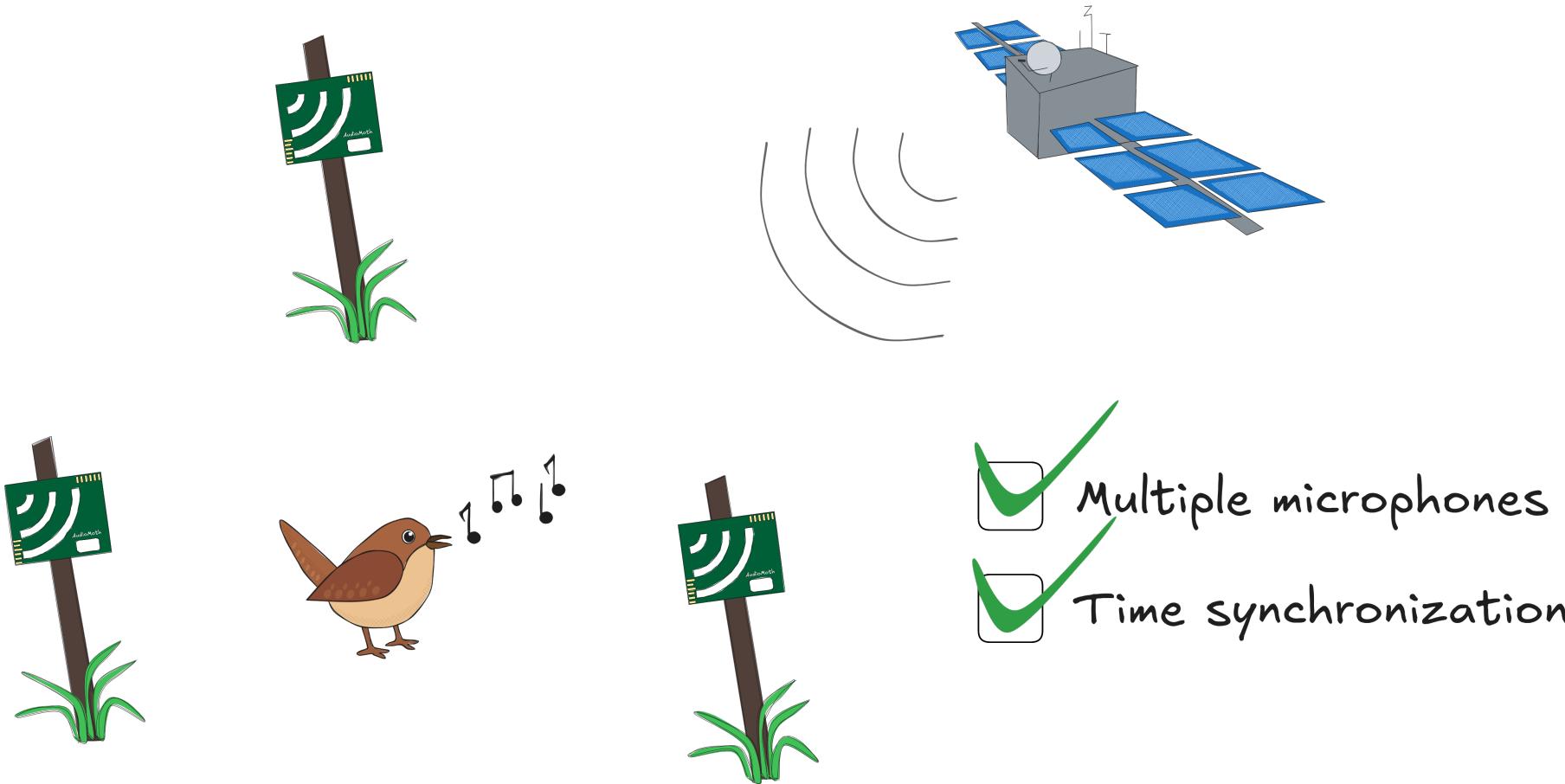
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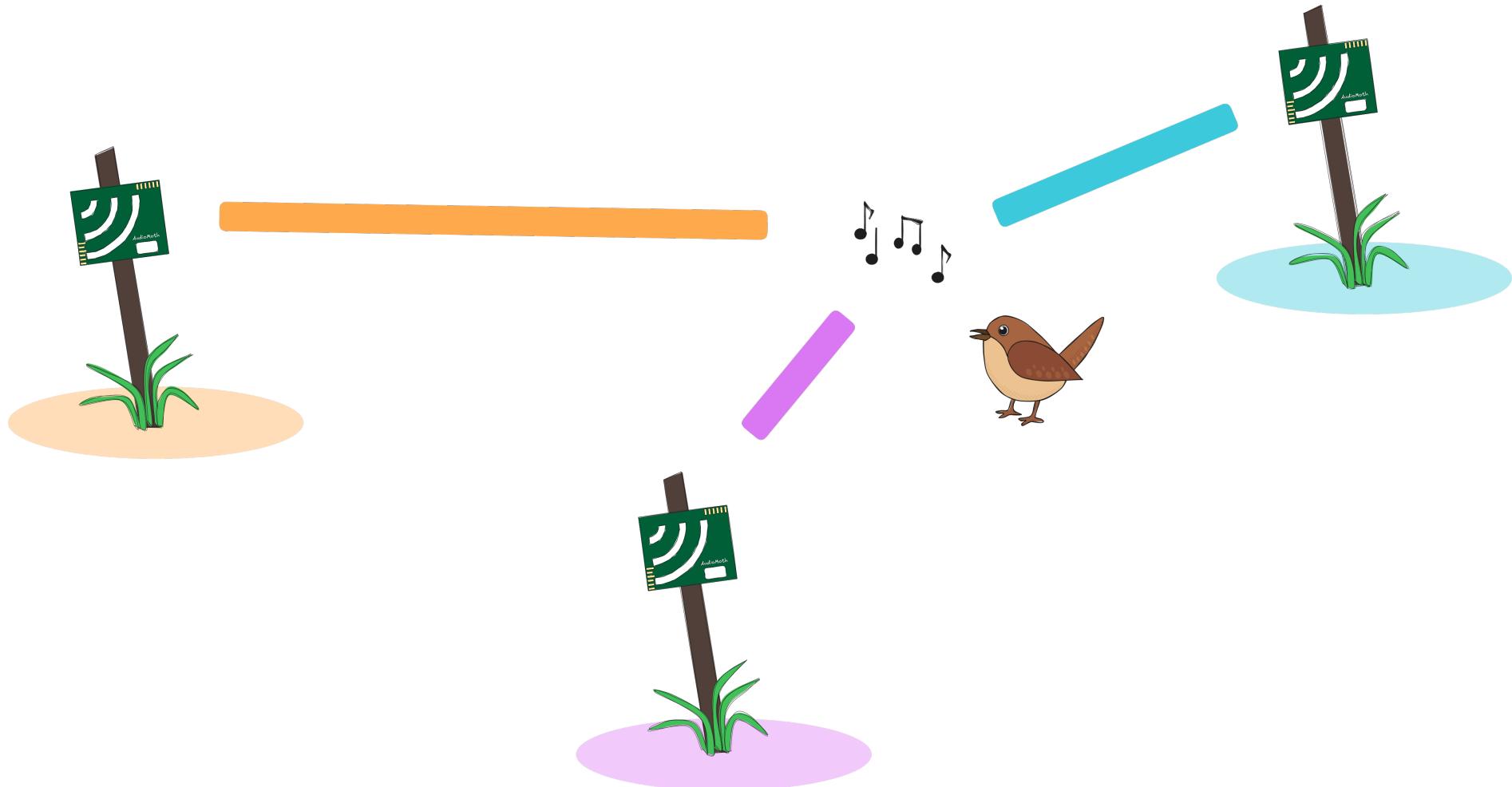
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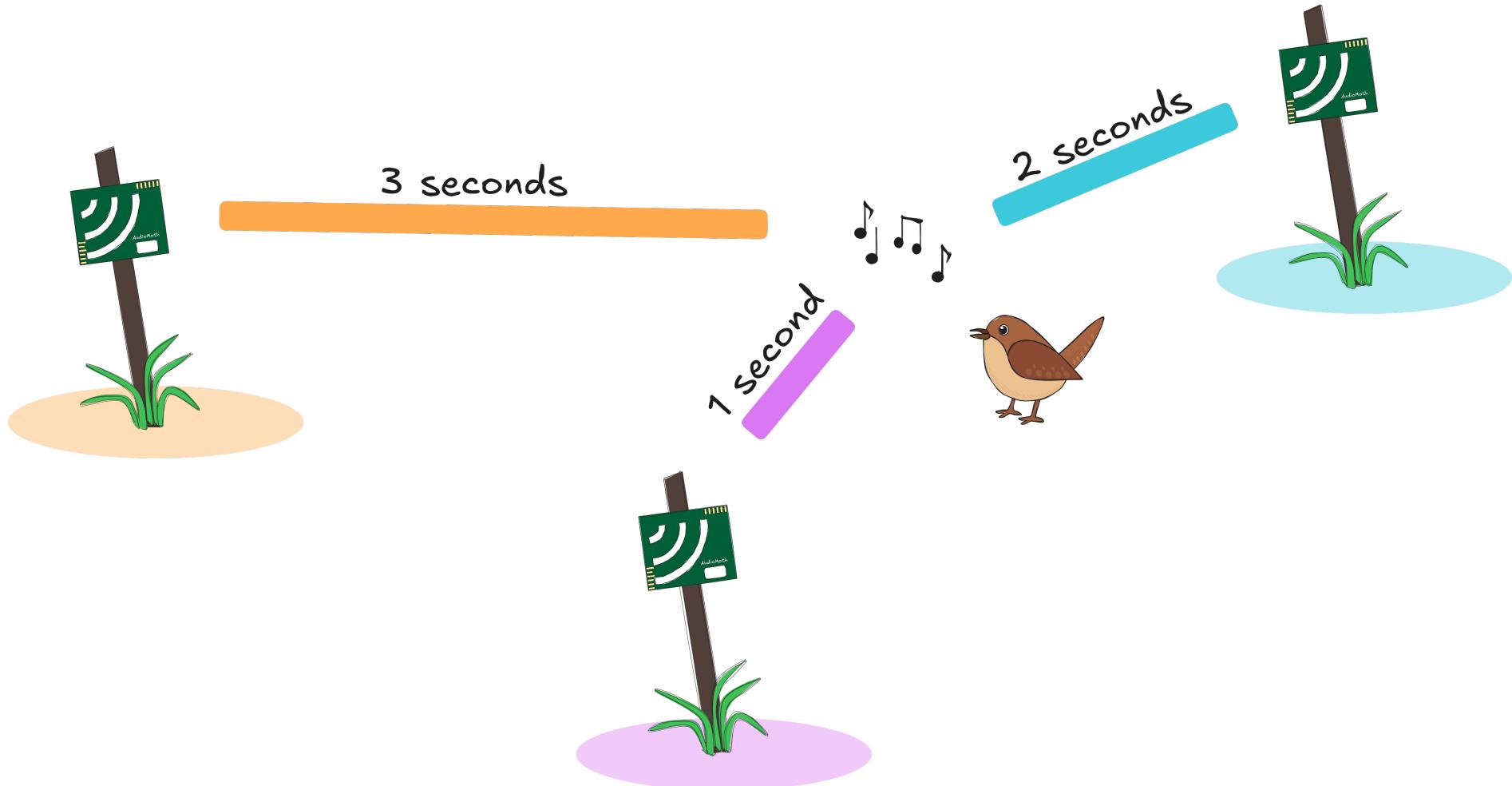
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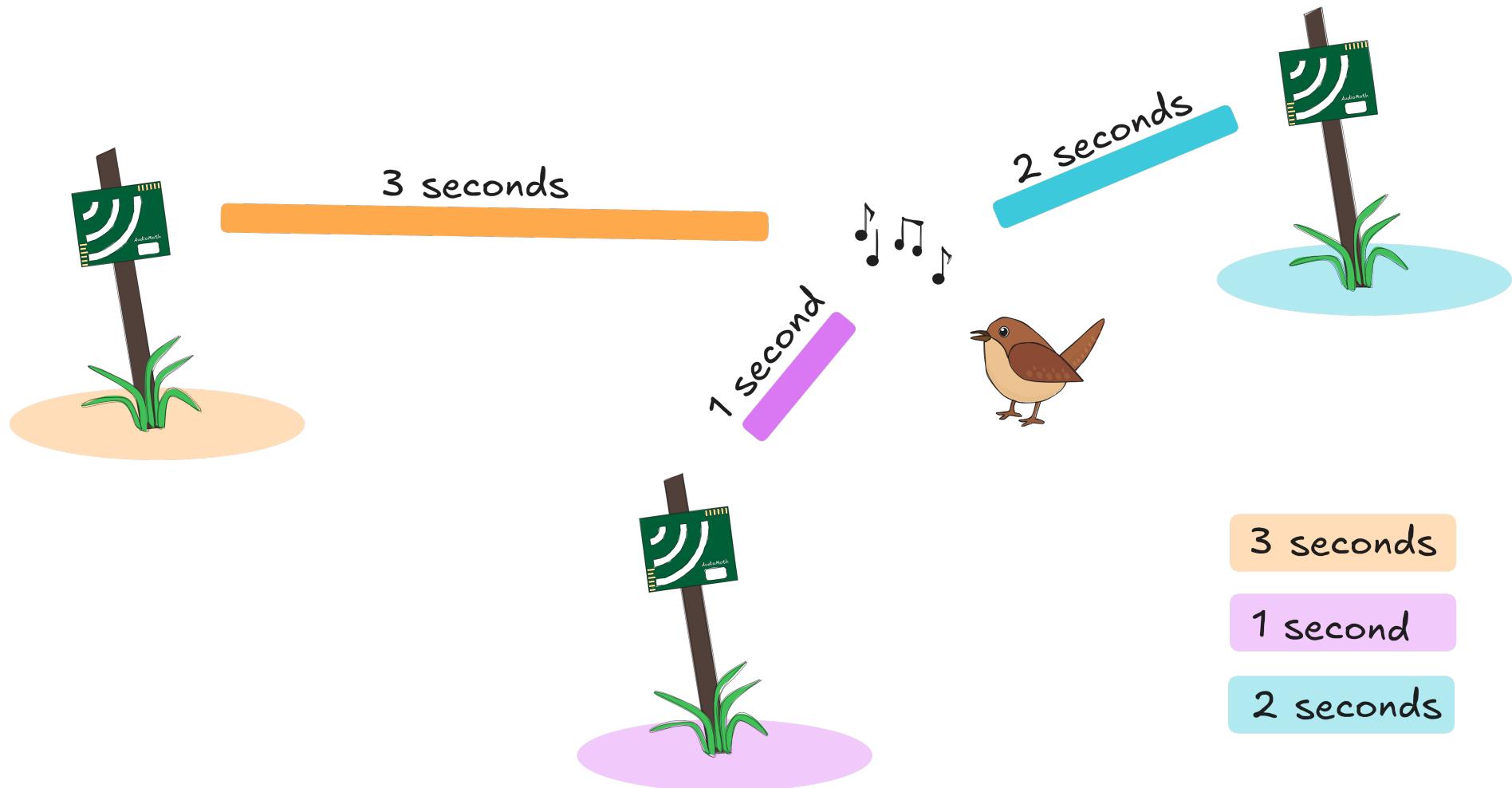
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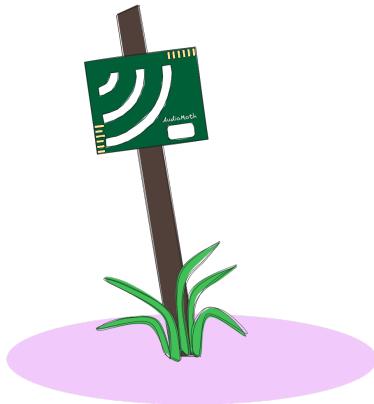
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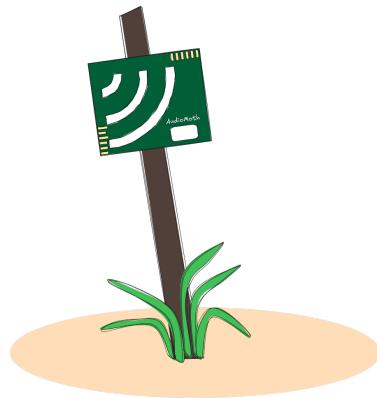
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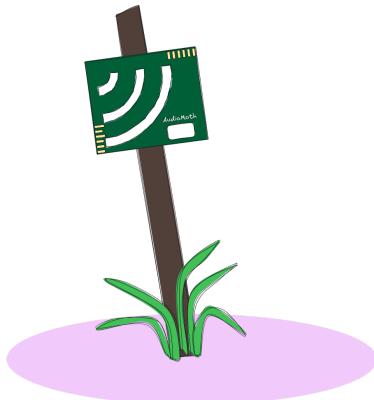
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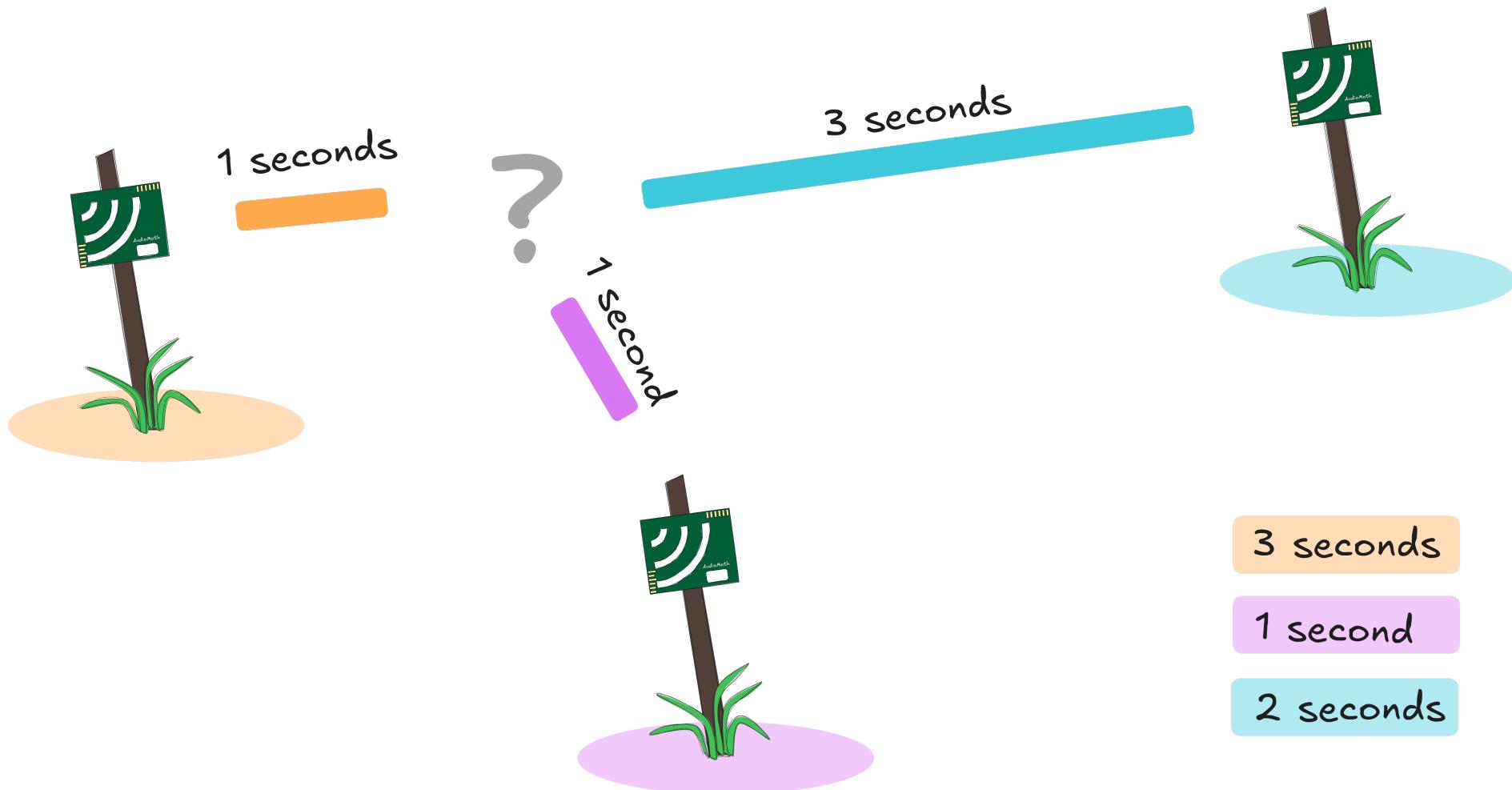
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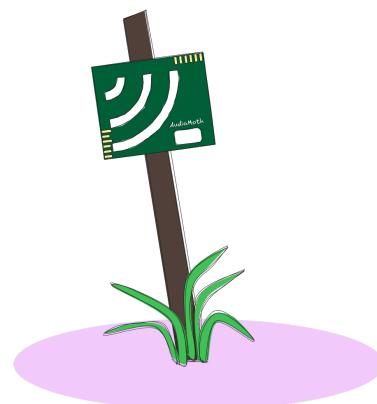
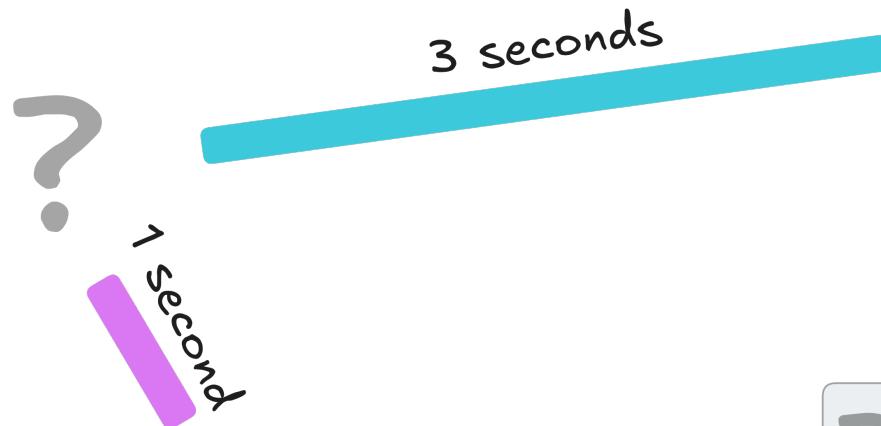
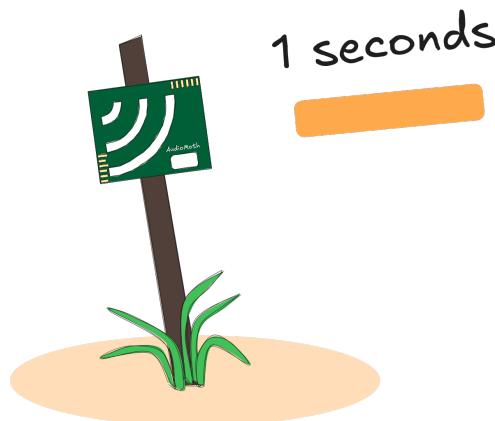
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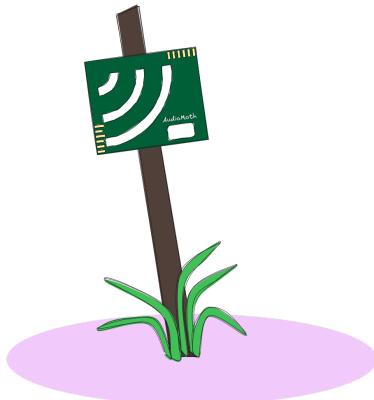
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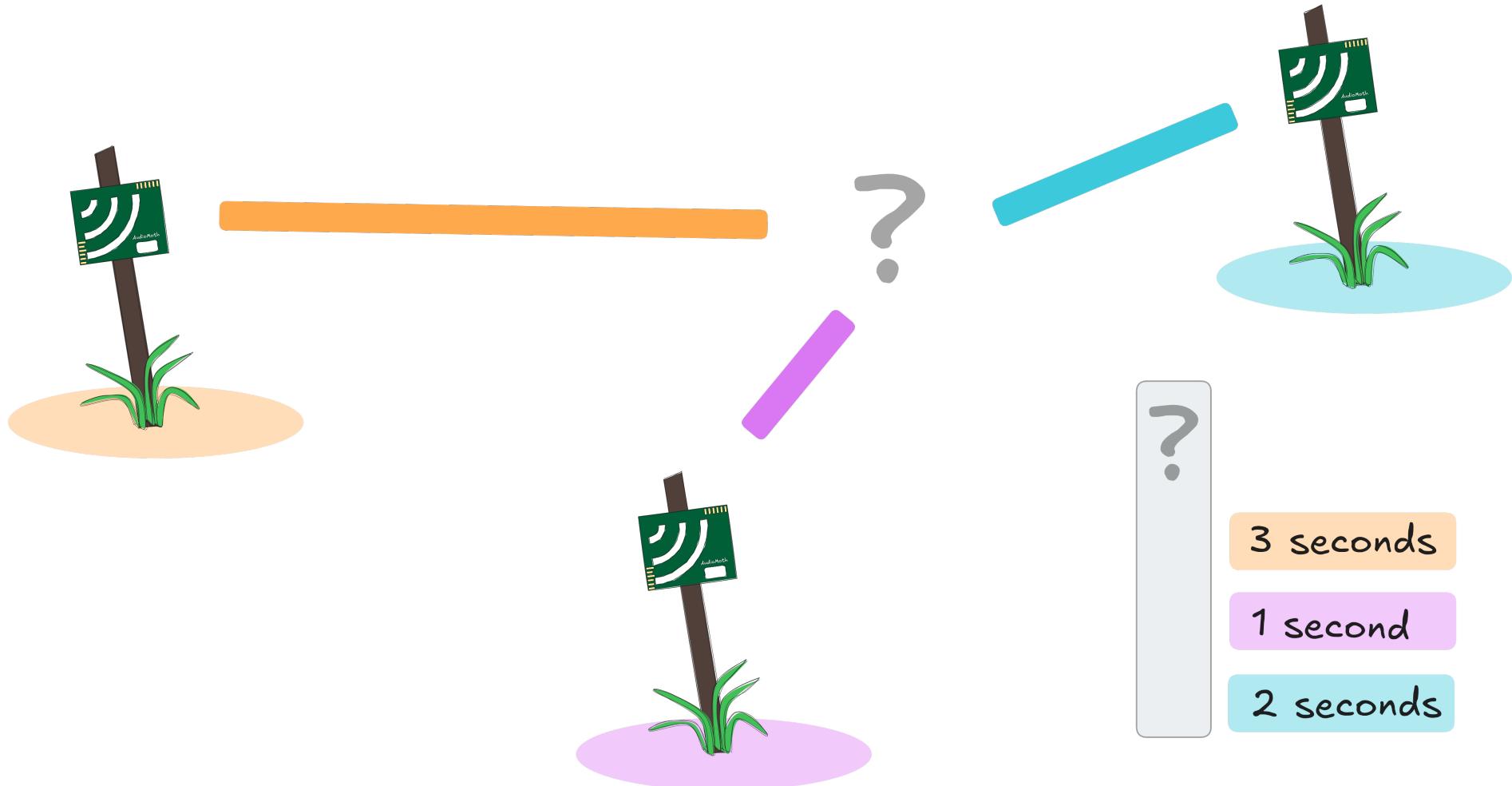
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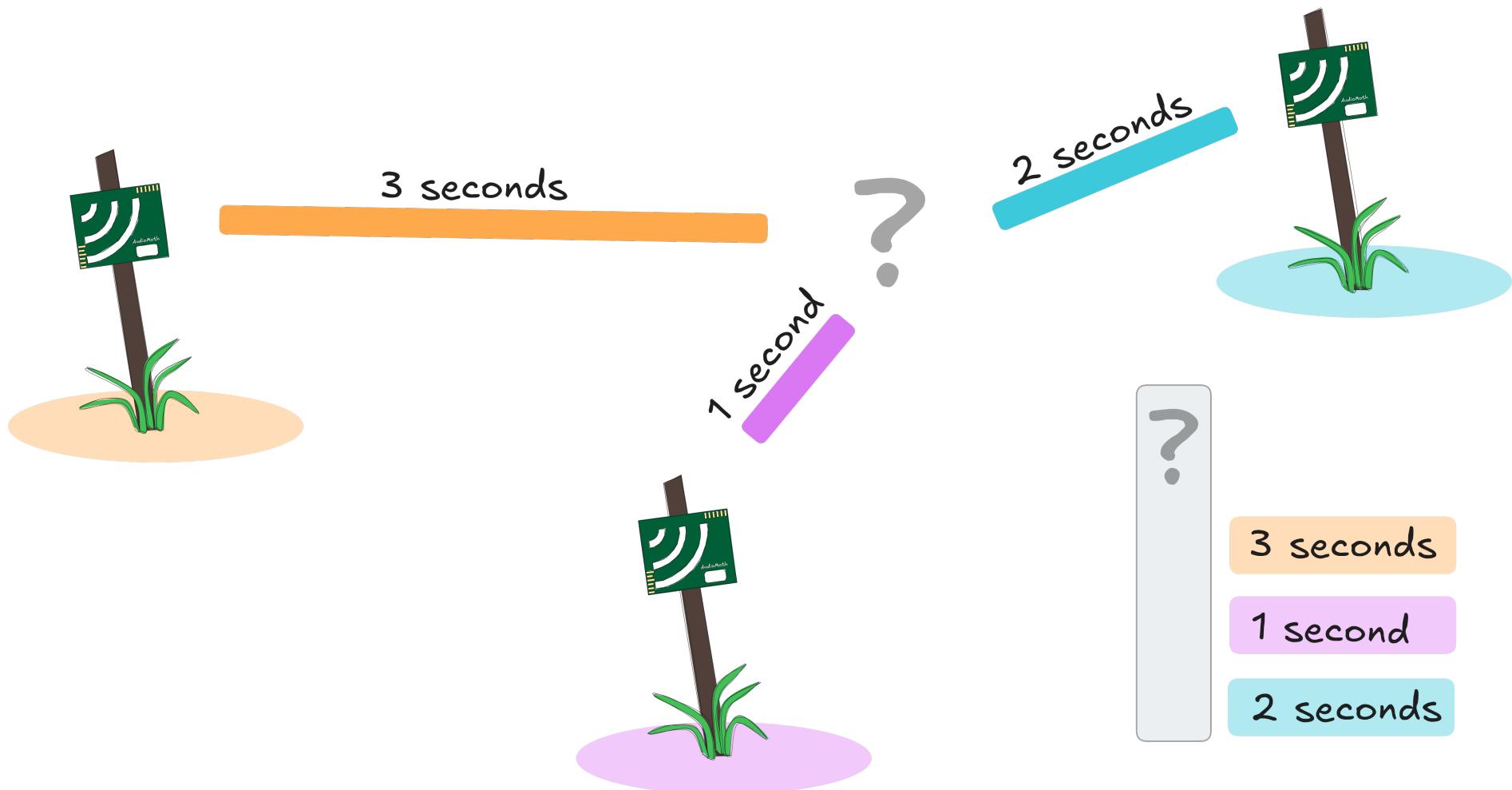
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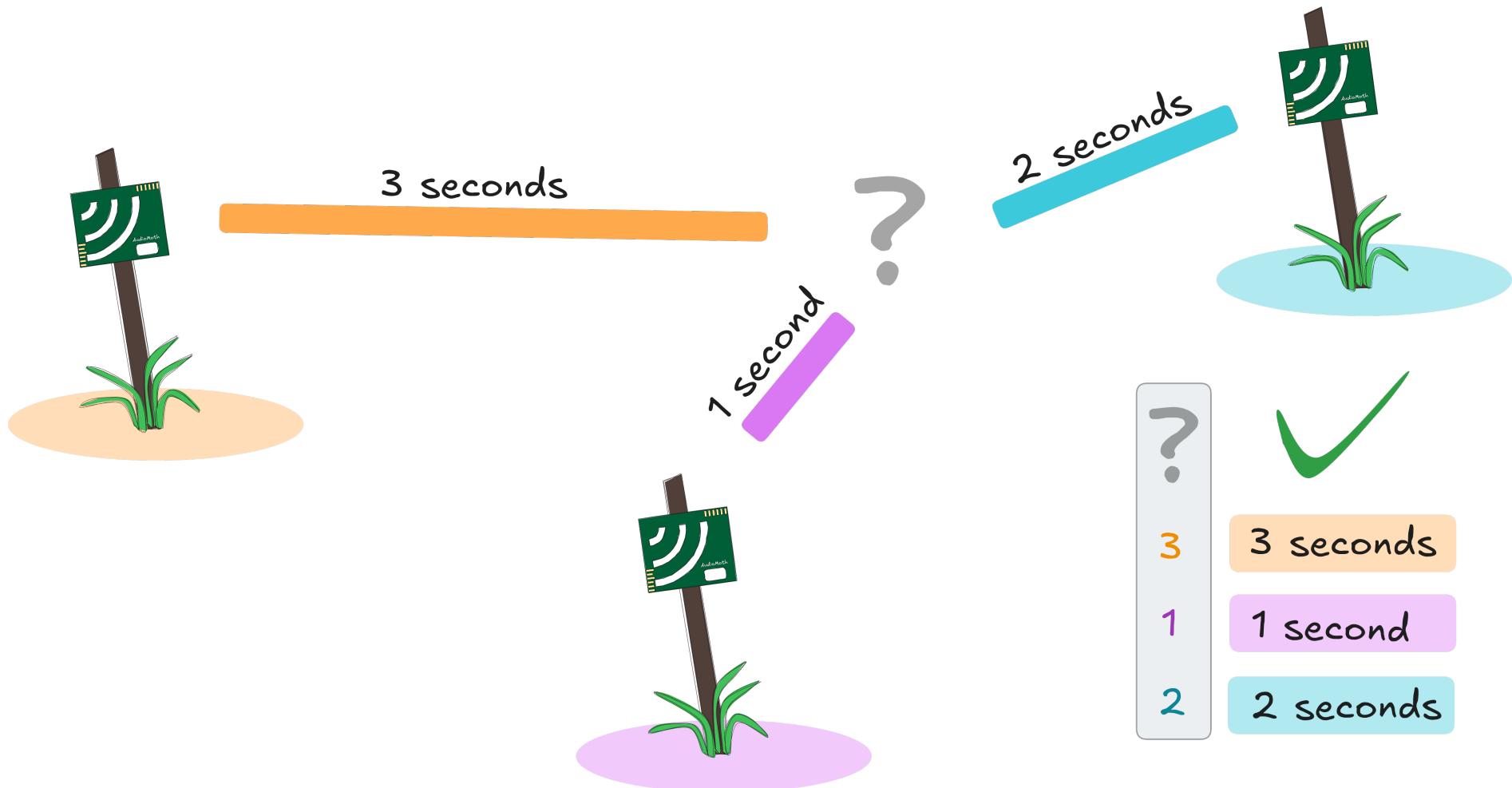
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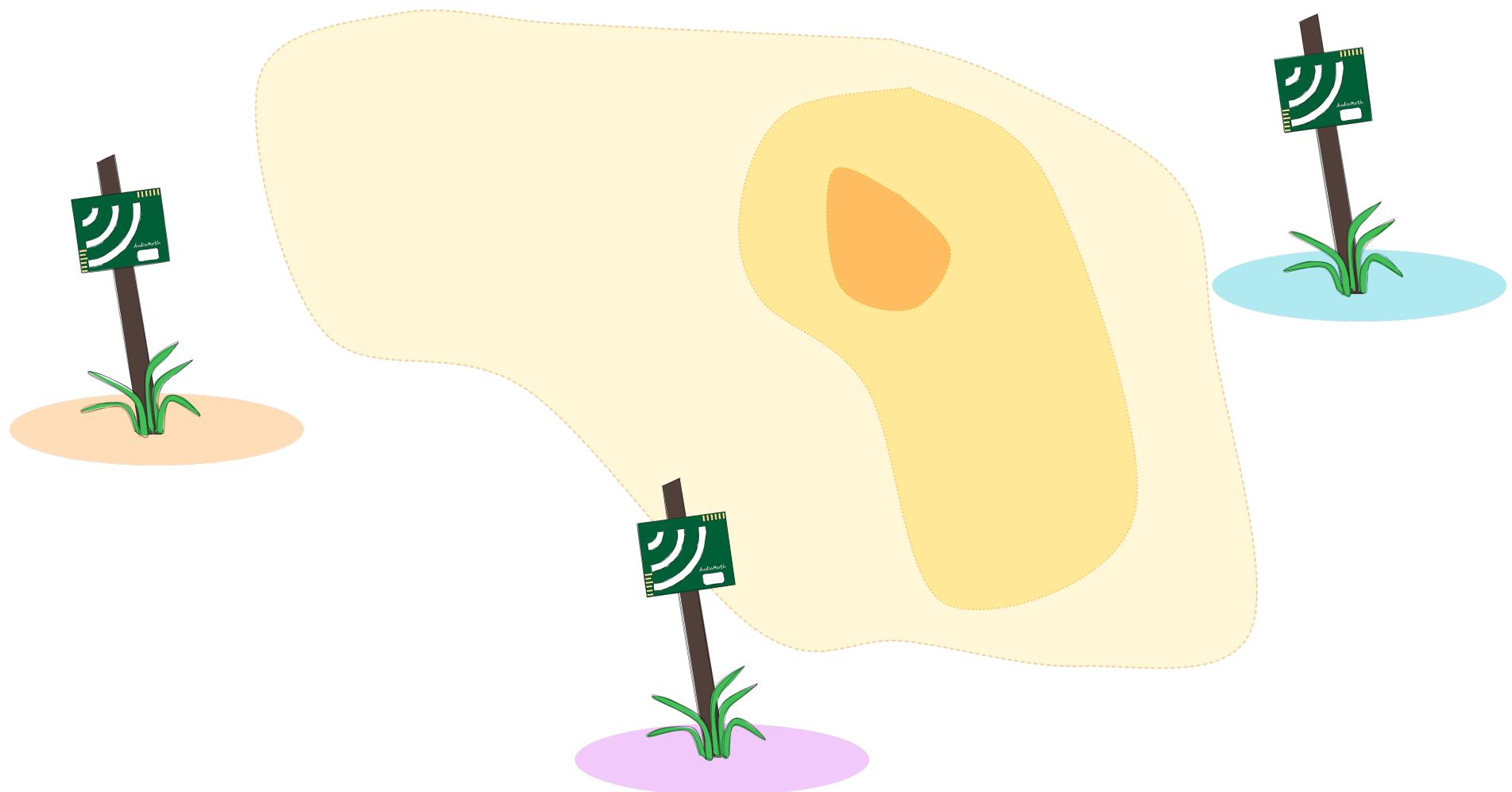
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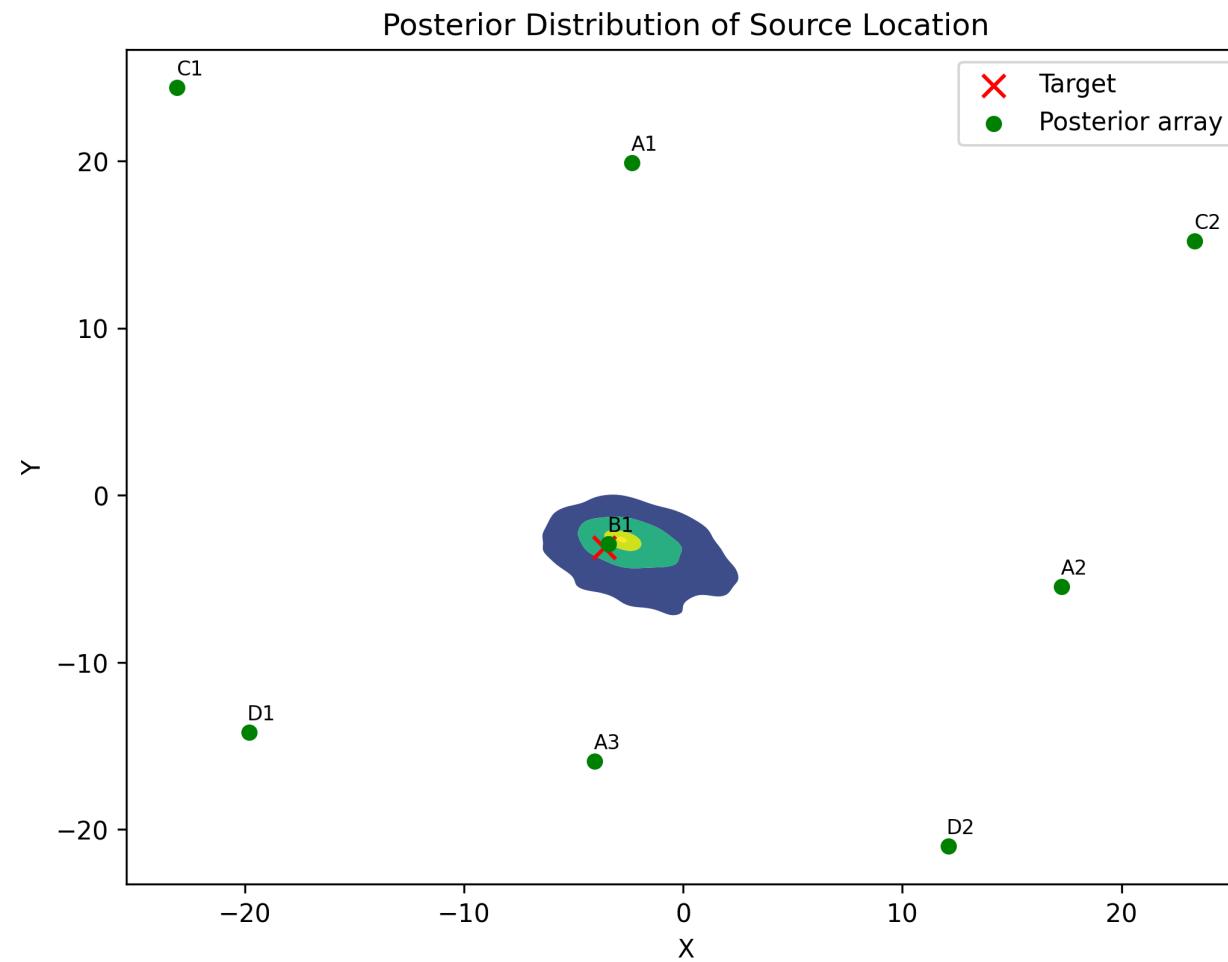
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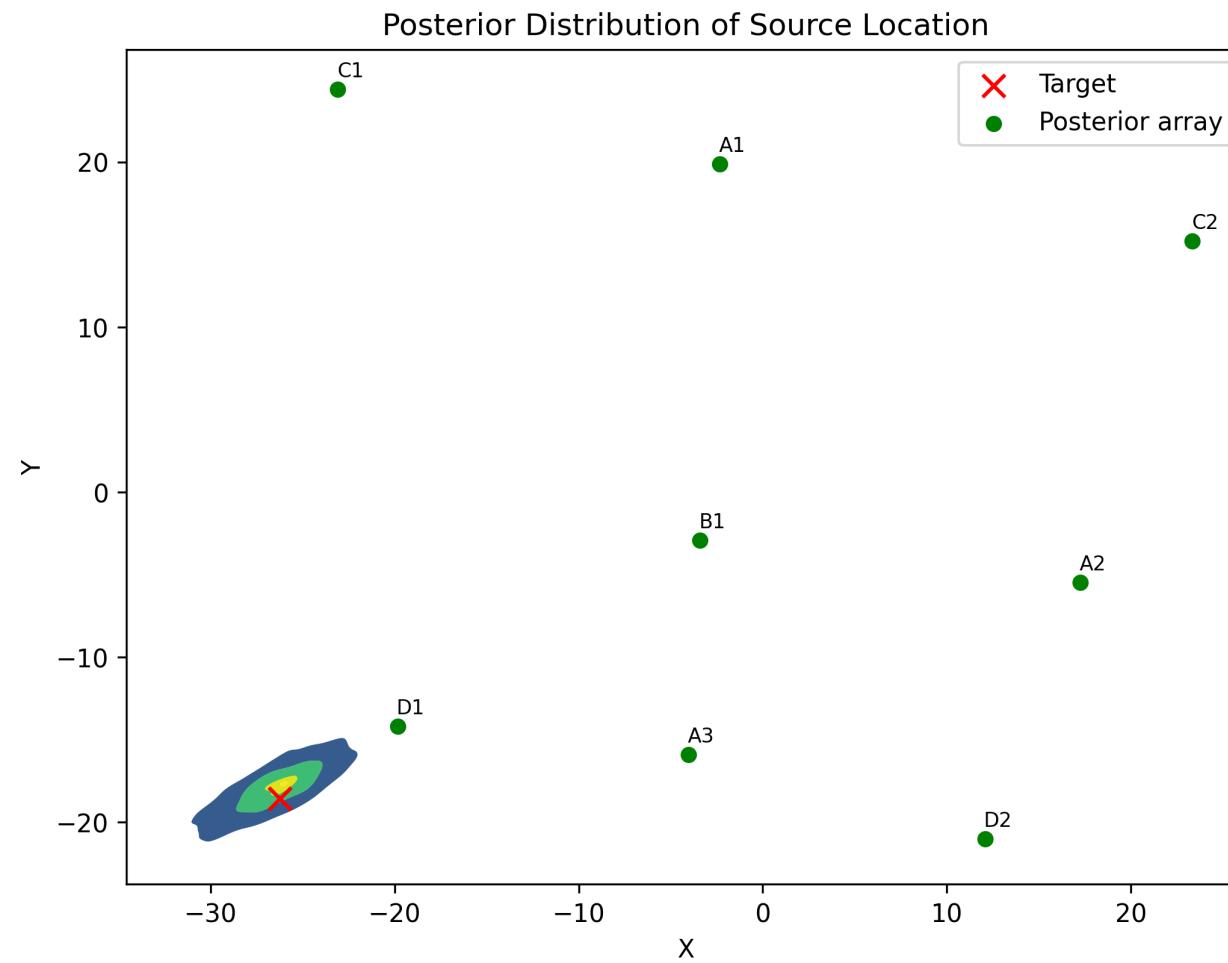
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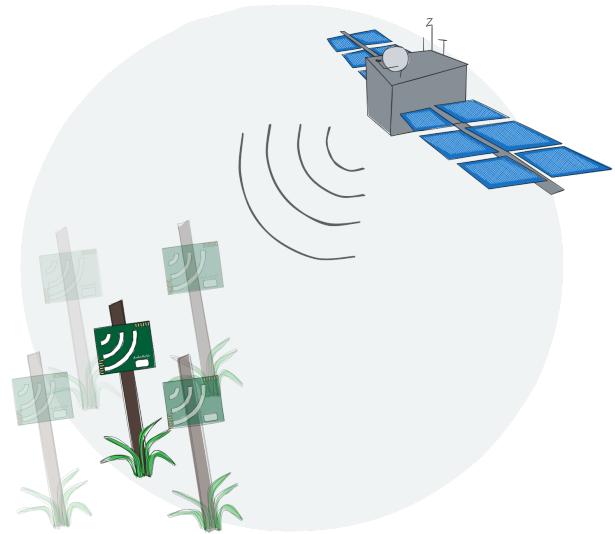
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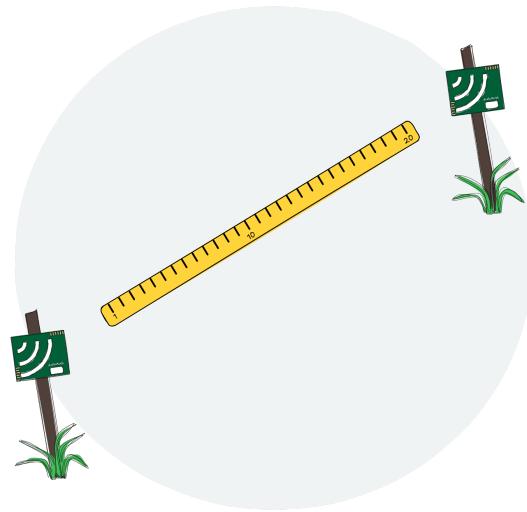
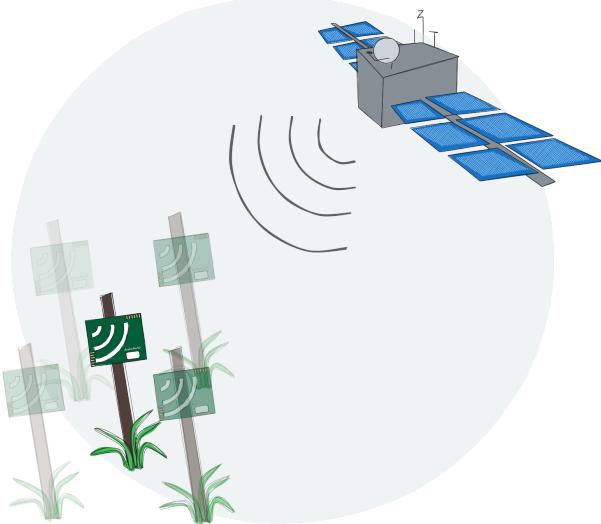
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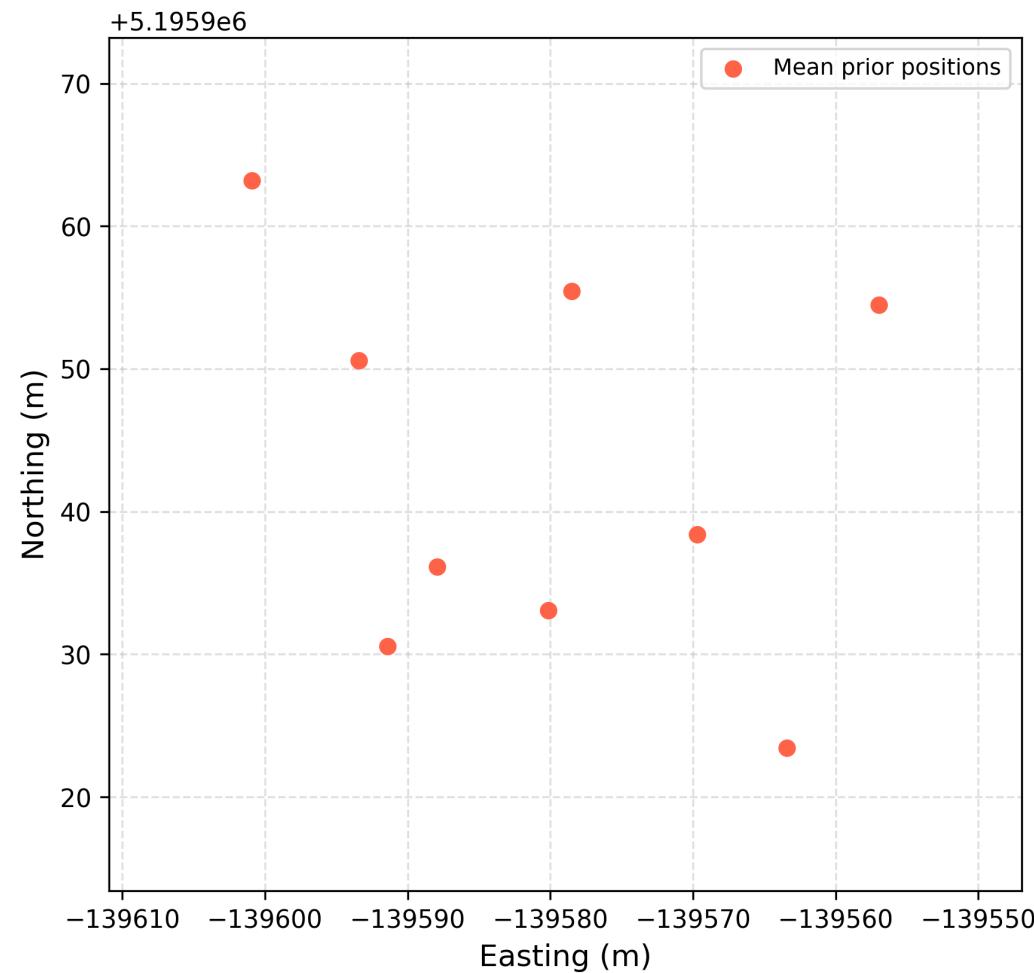
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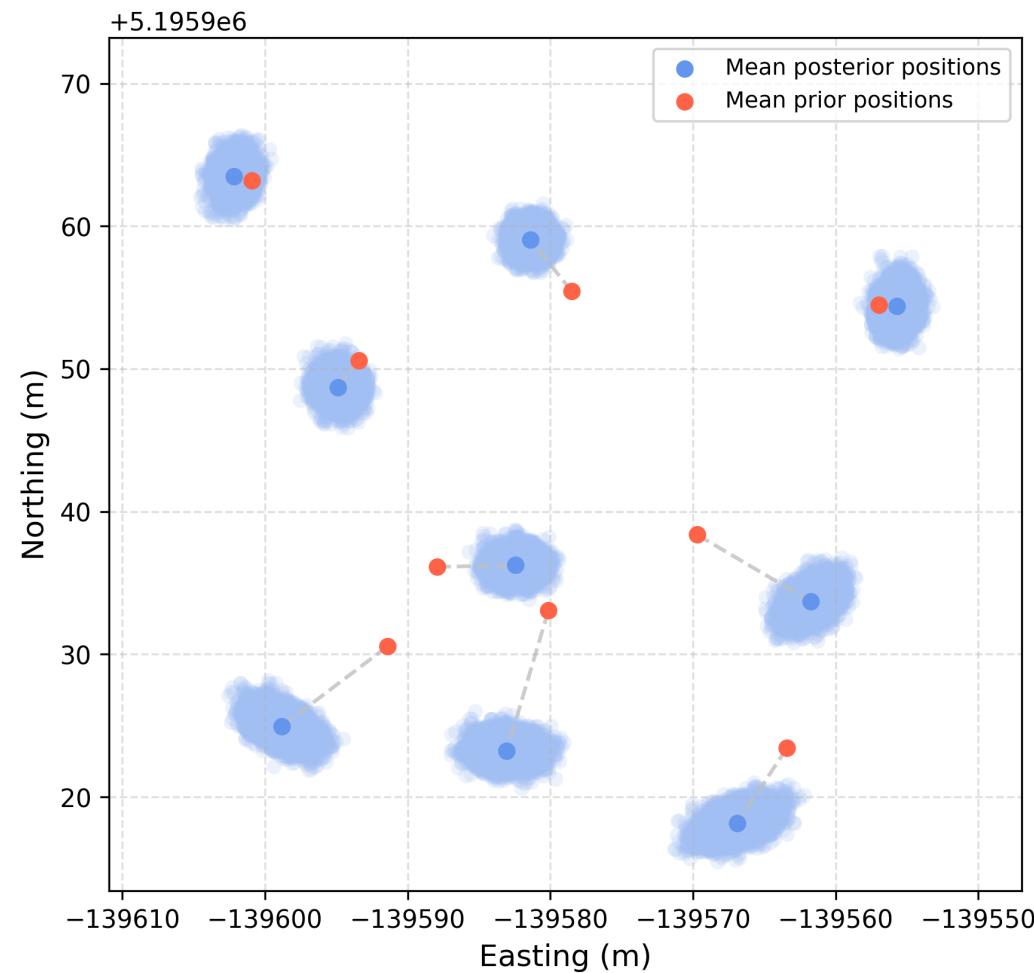
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Mapping behaviors



Linking sounds to landscape



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