

CS 310: Algorithms

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# Lecture 10

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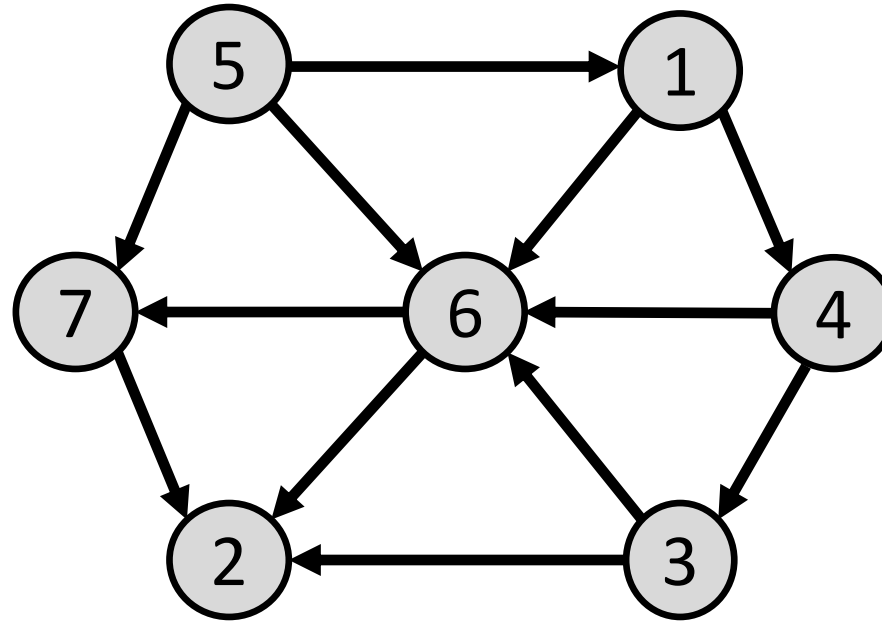
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Quiz 3 on Monday

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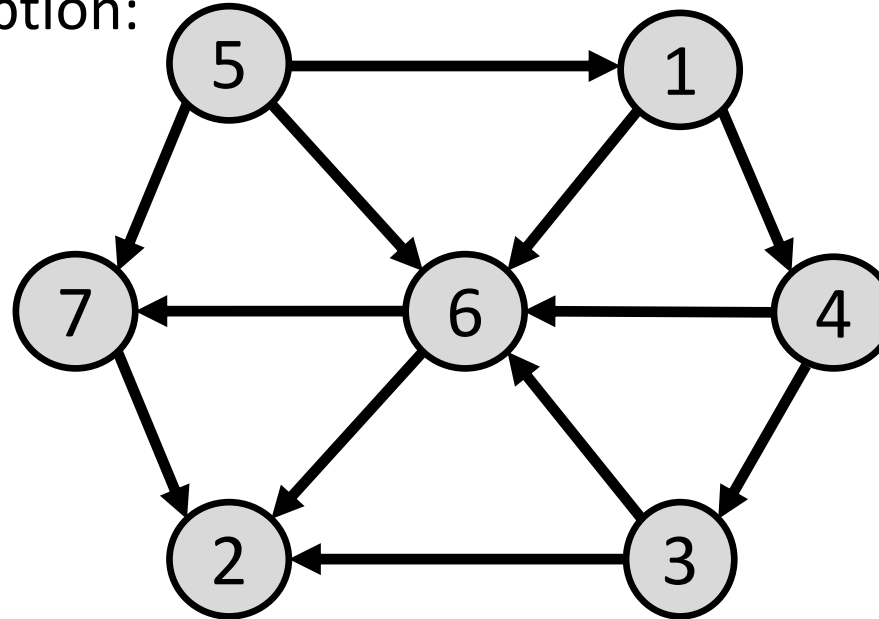
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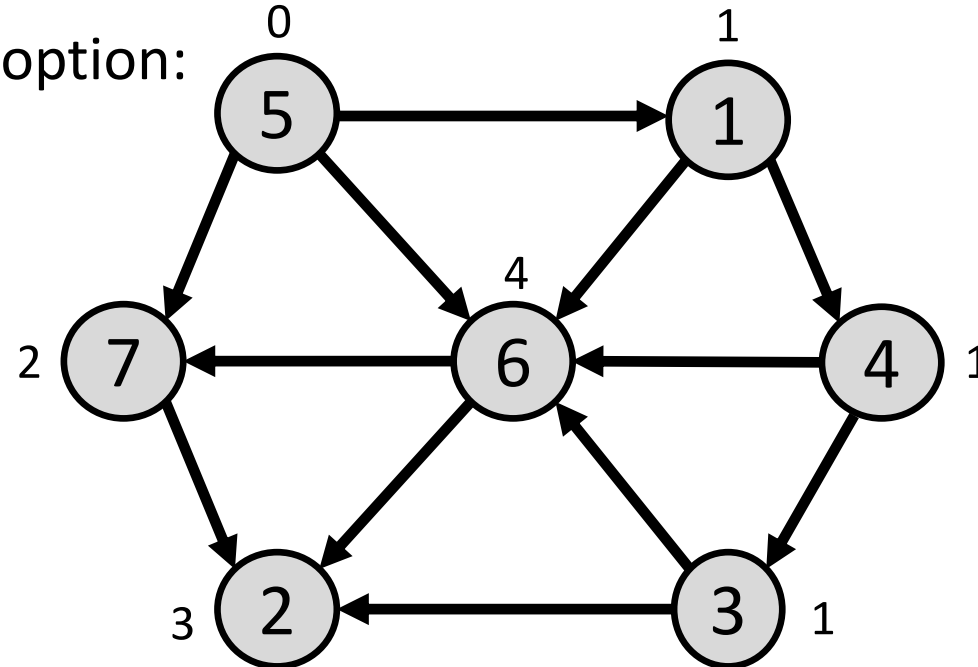
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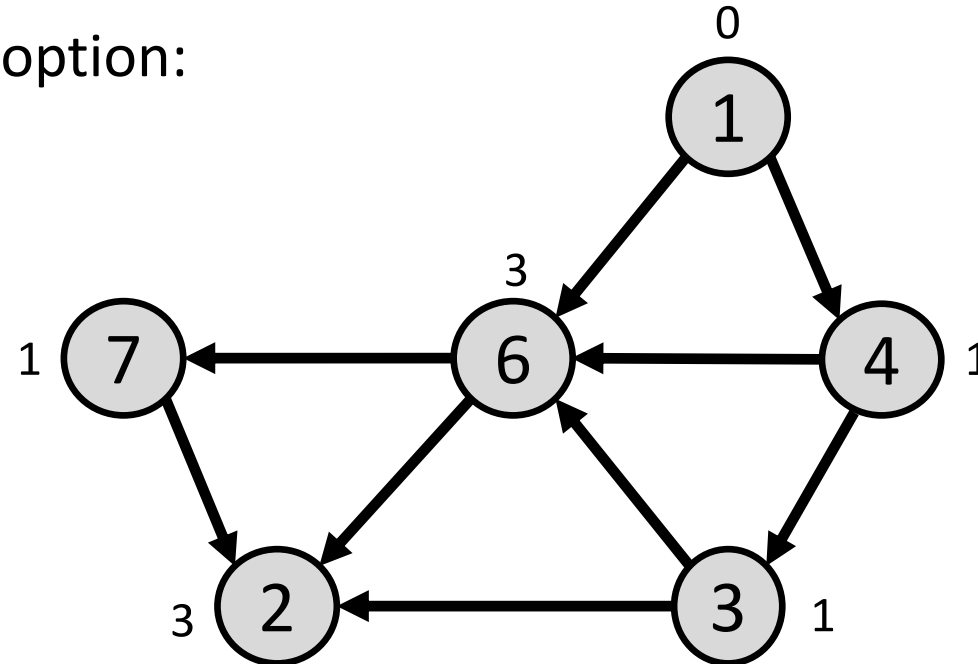
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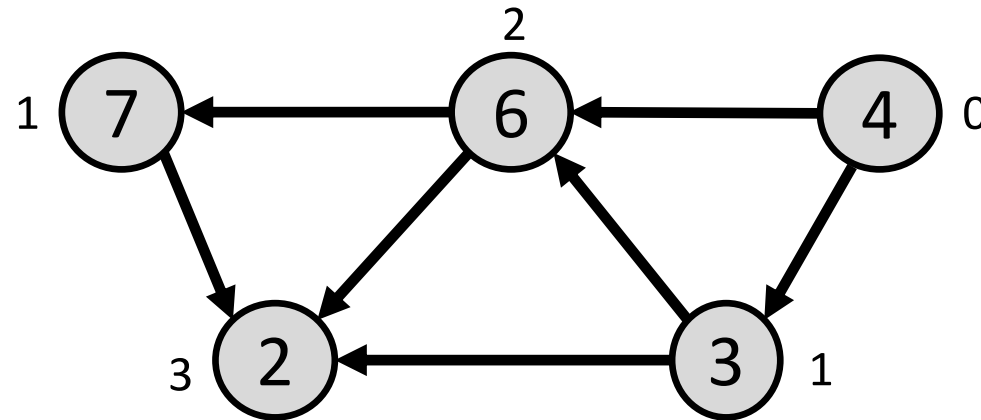


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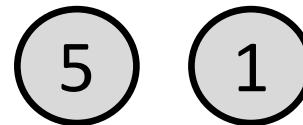
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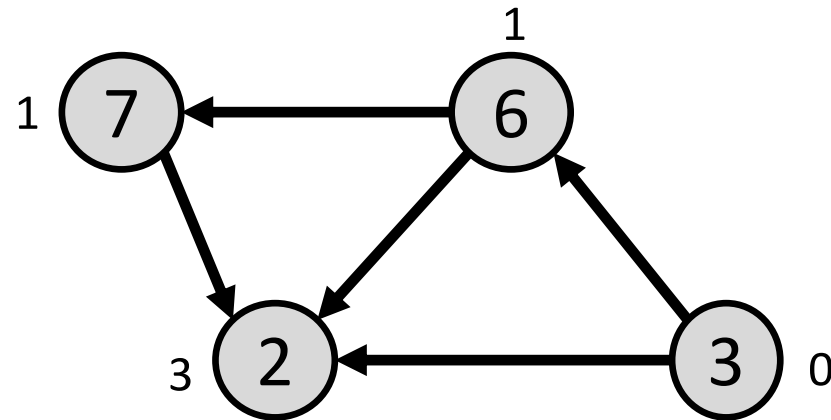
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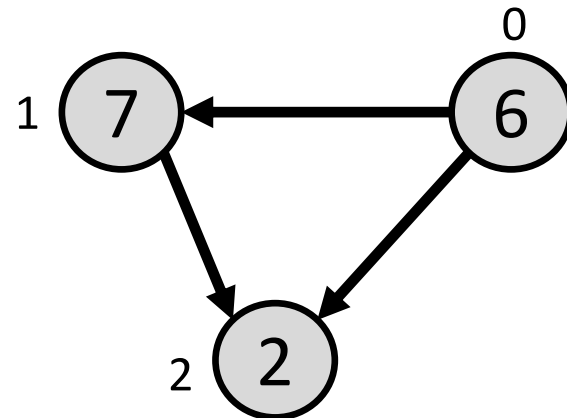


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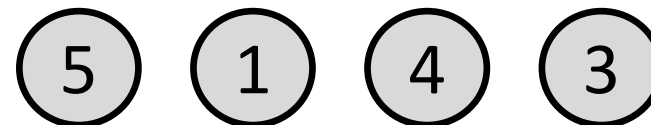


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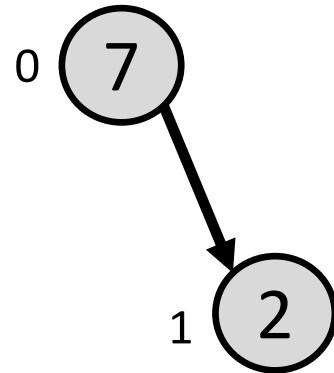


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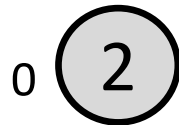


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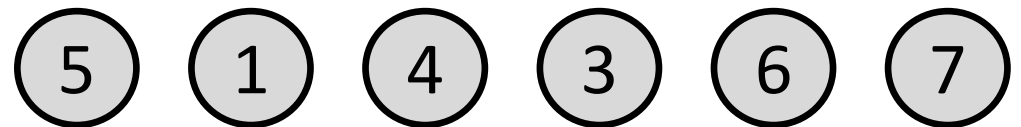


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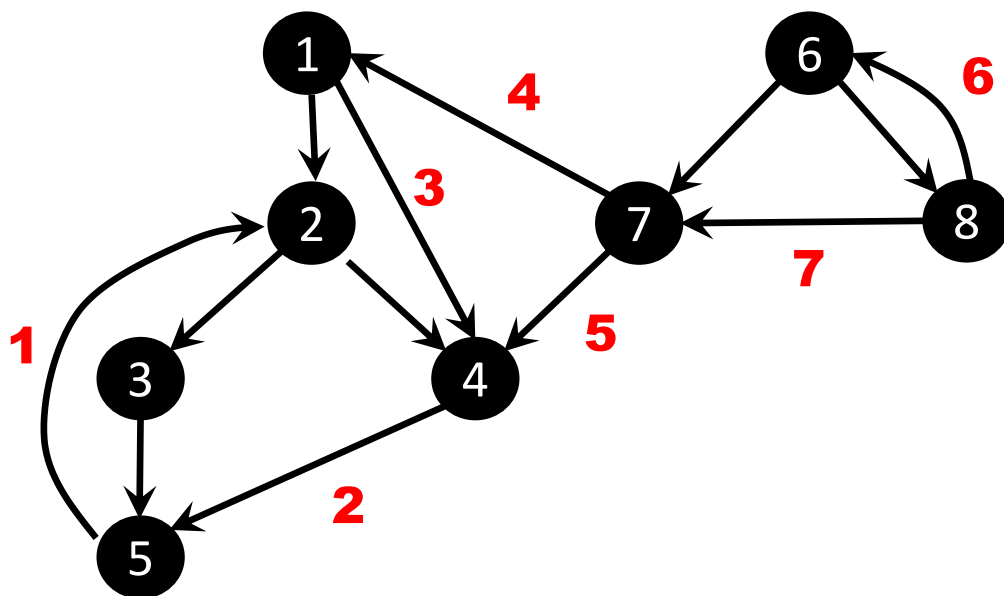
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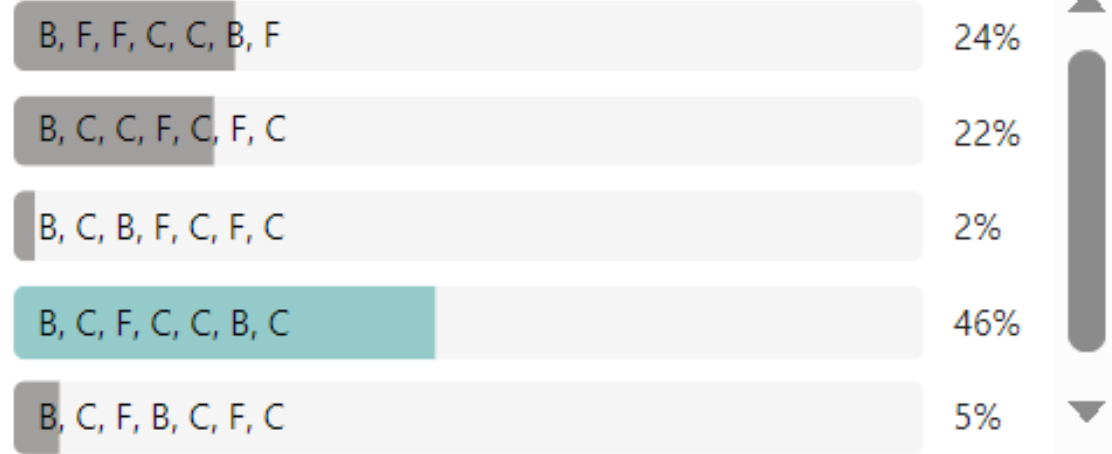


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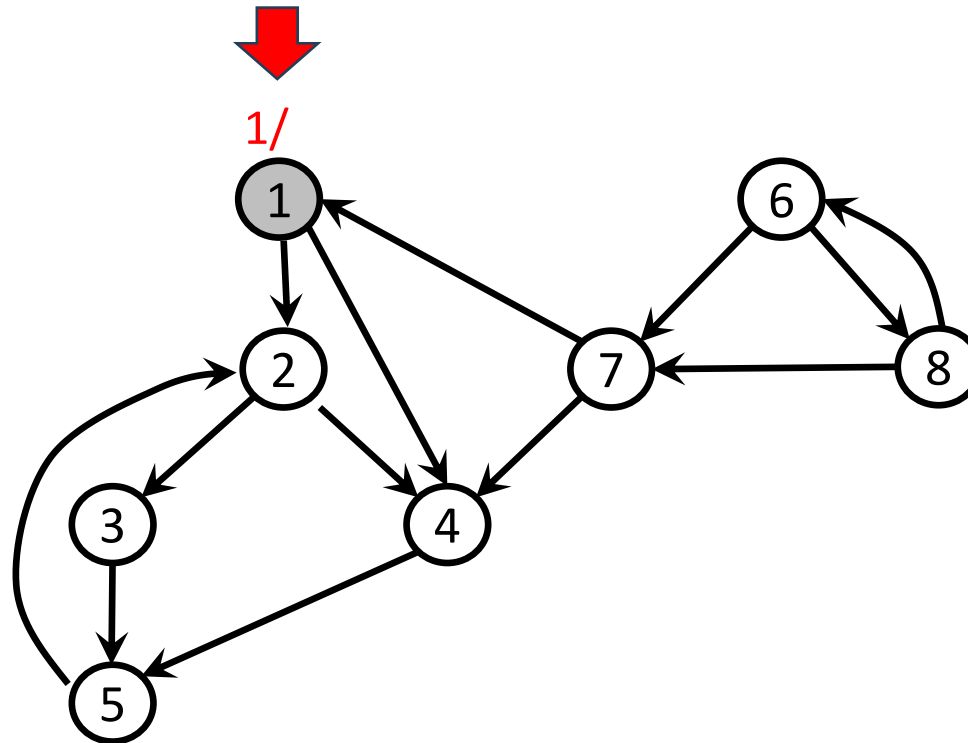
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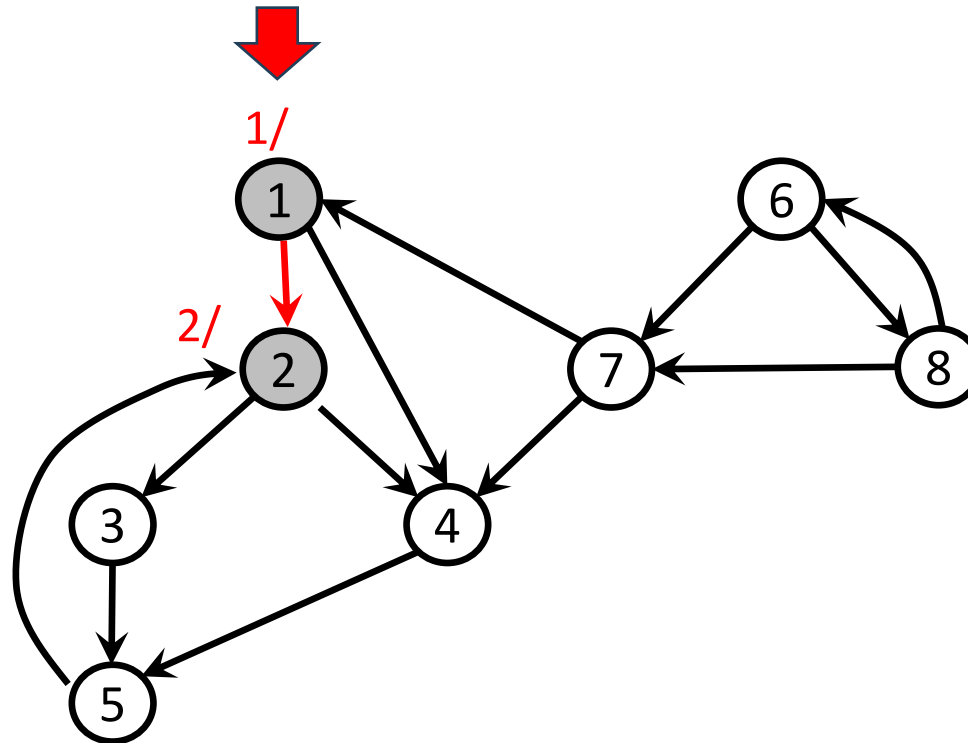
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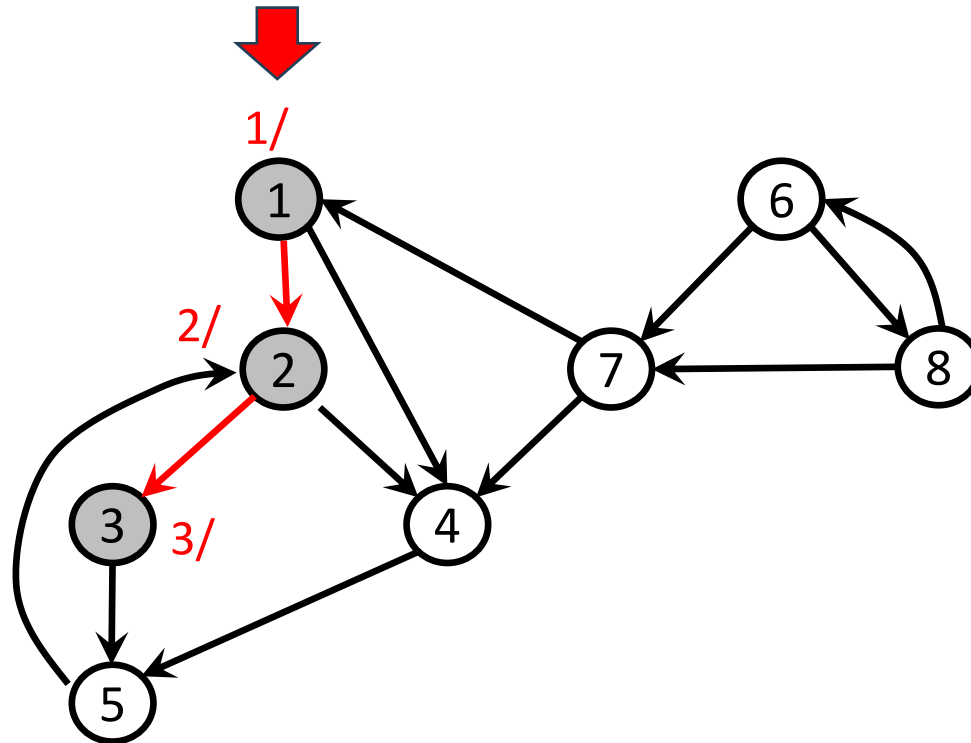
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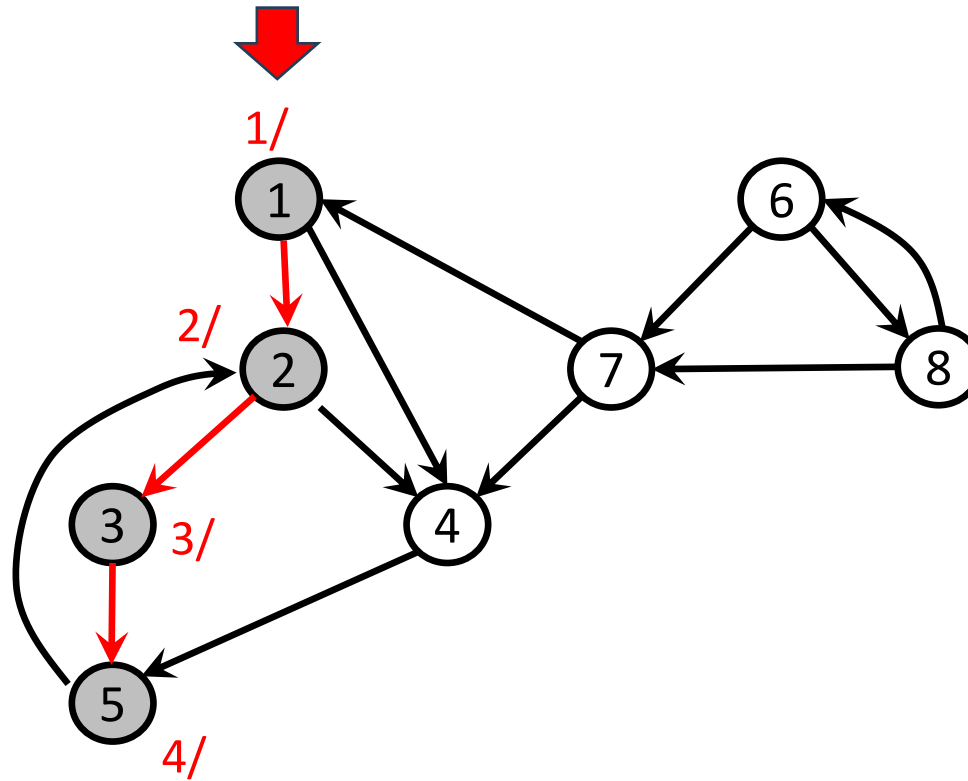
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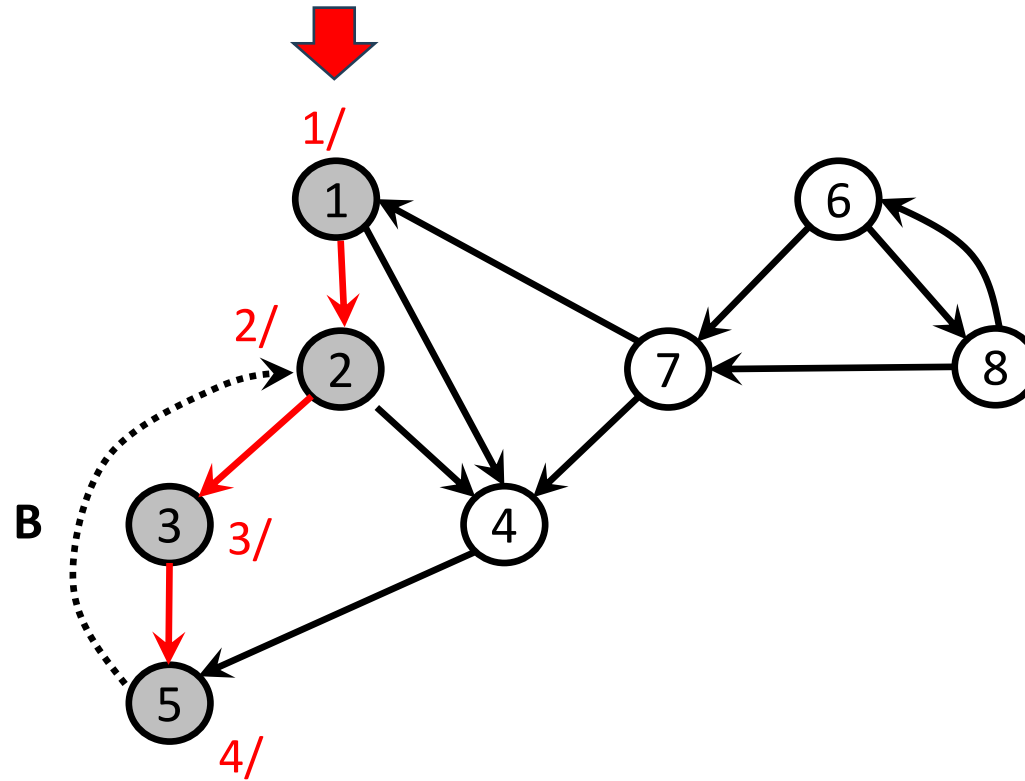
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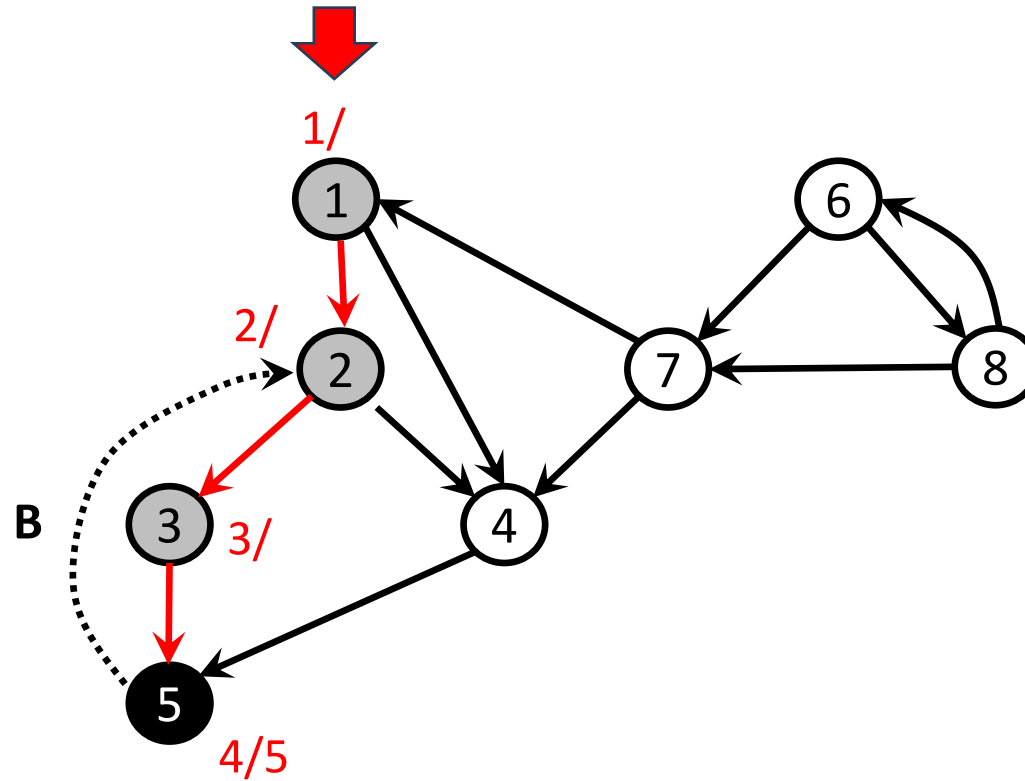
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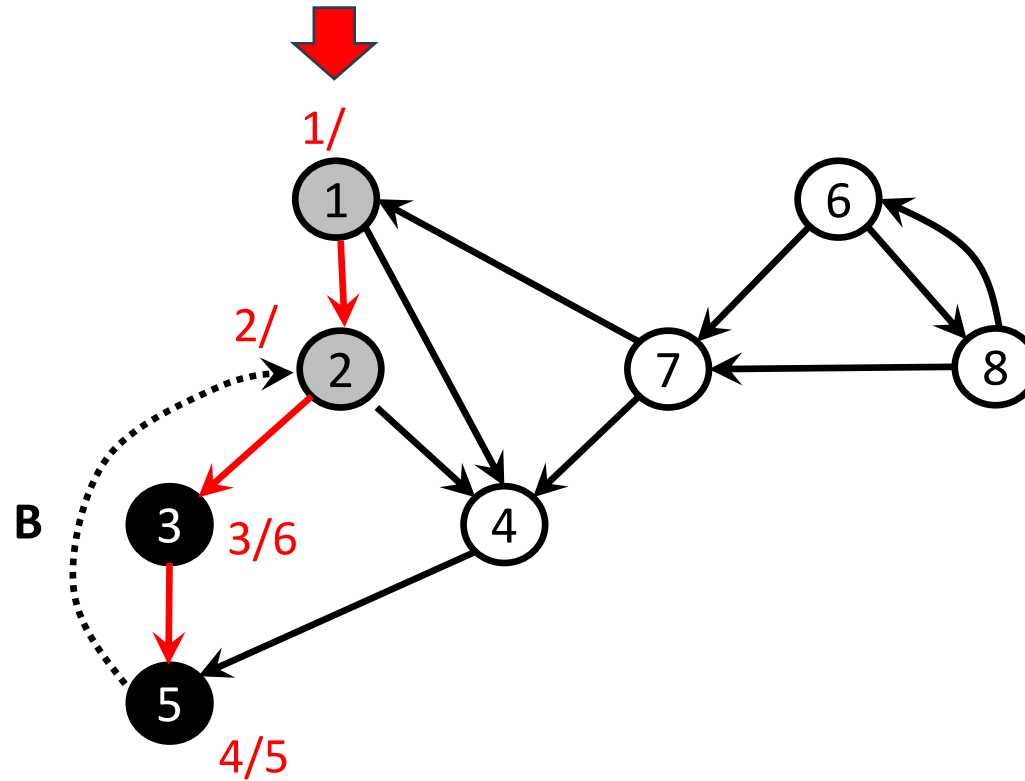
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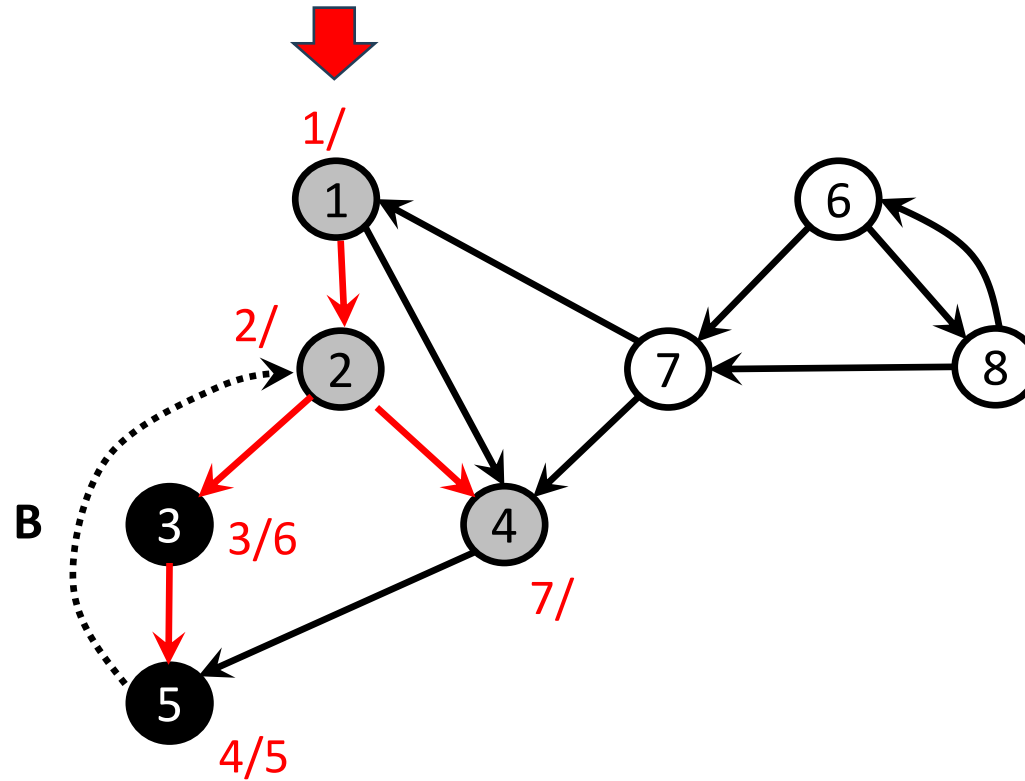
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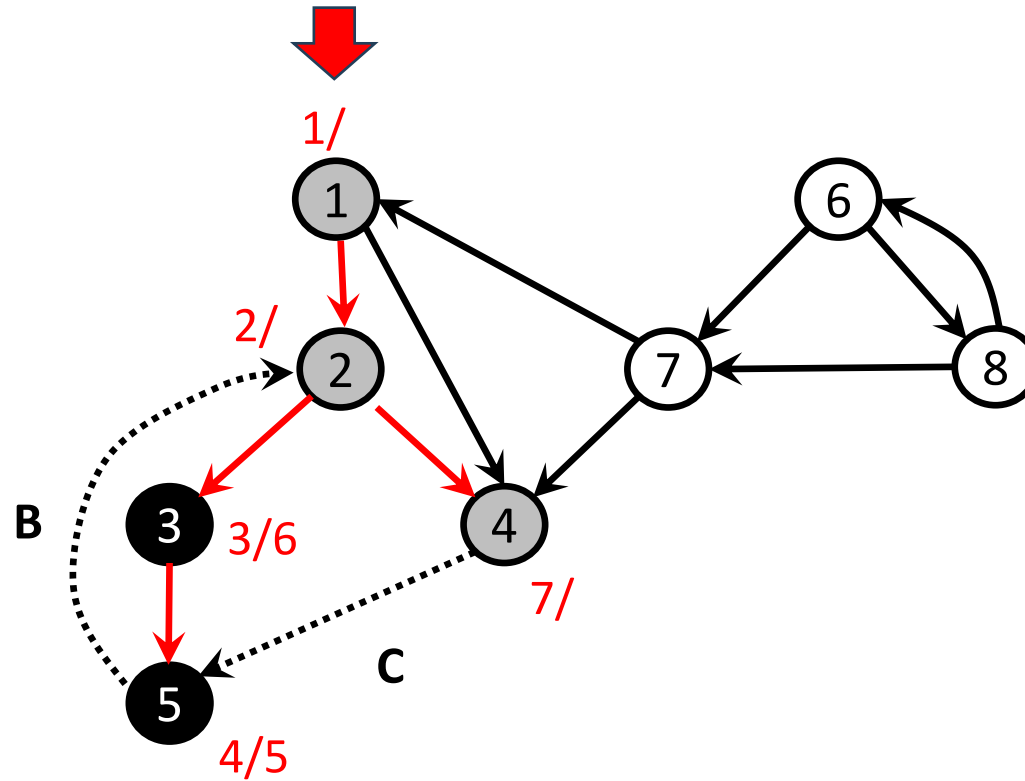
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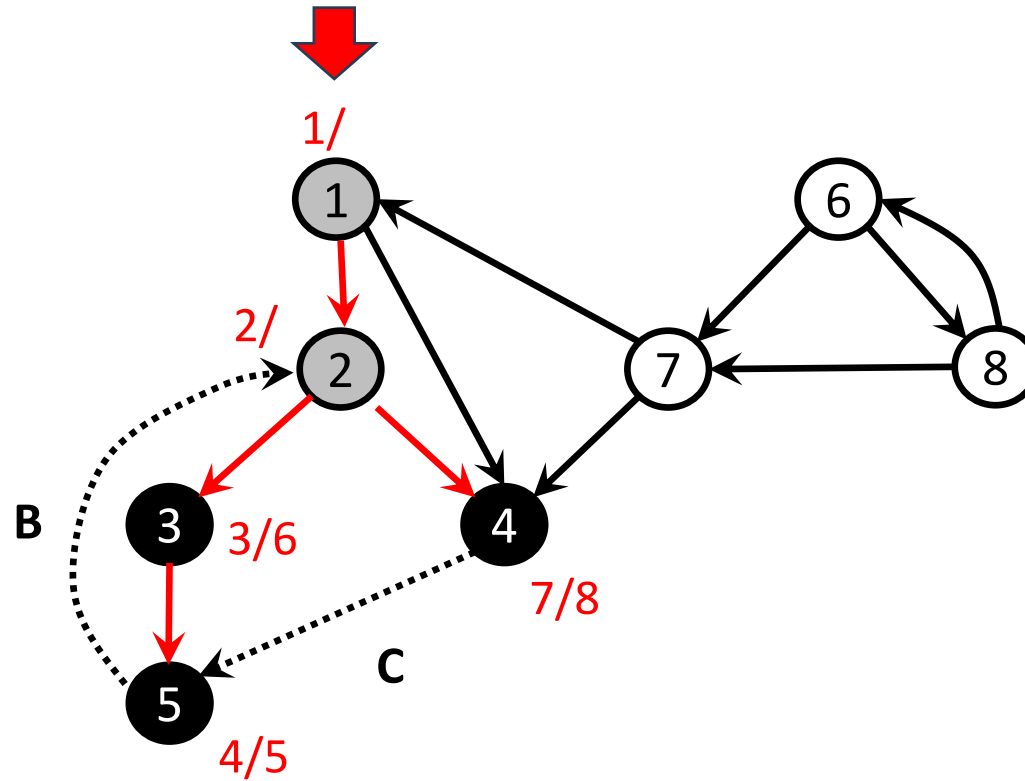
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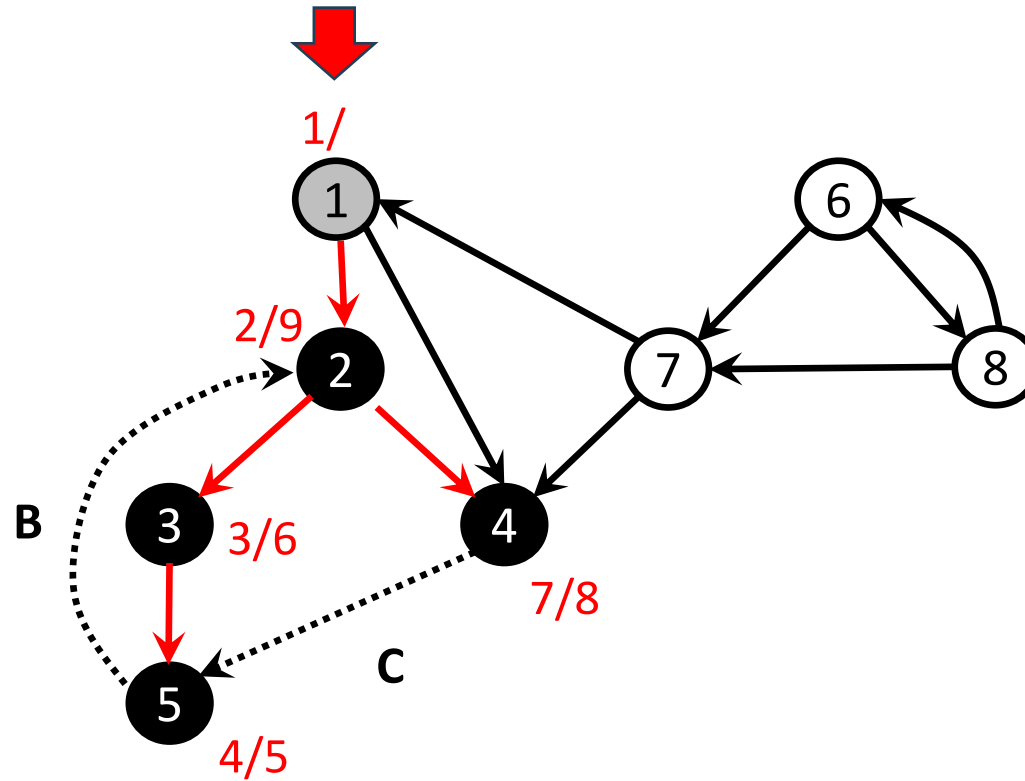
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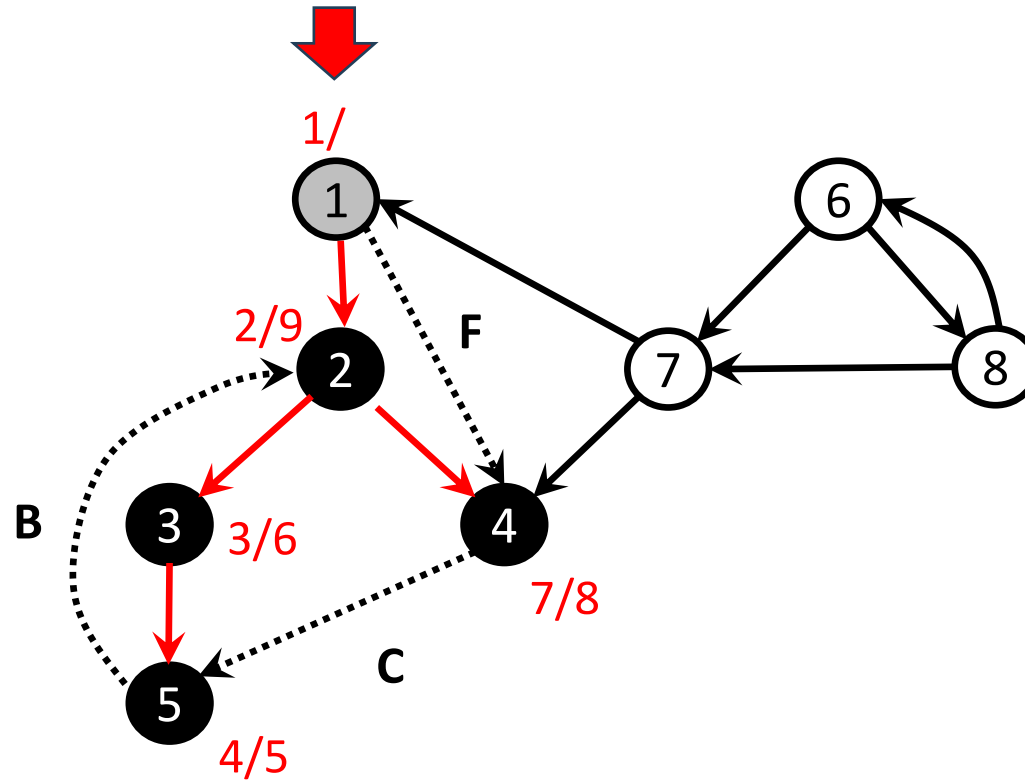
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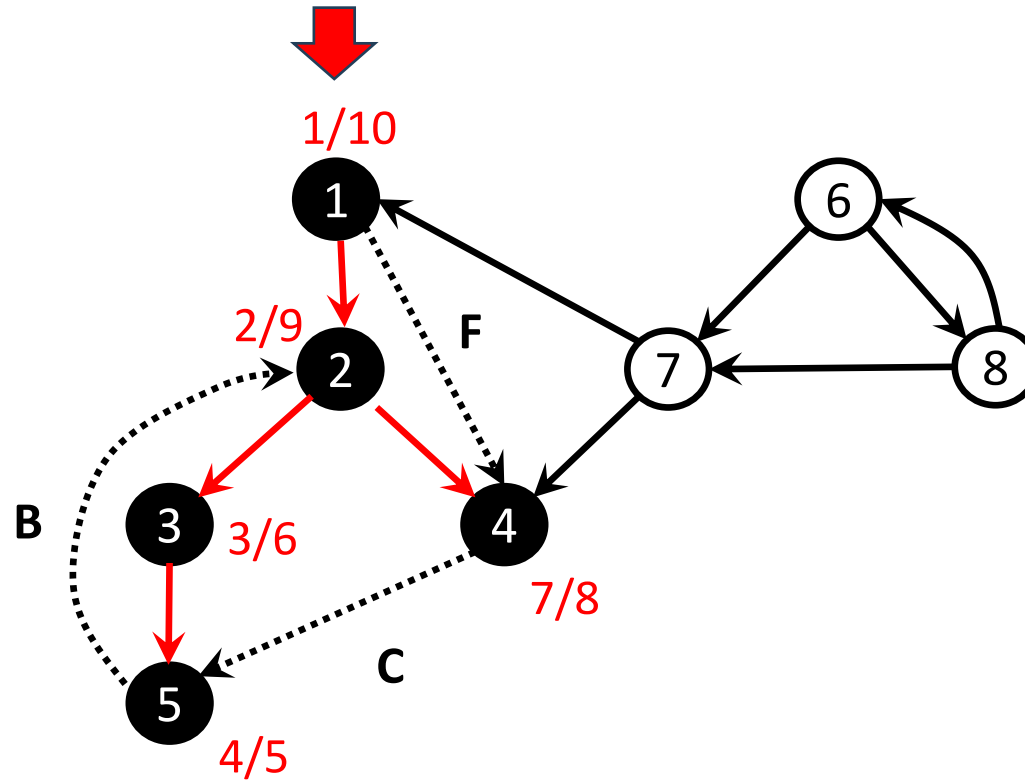
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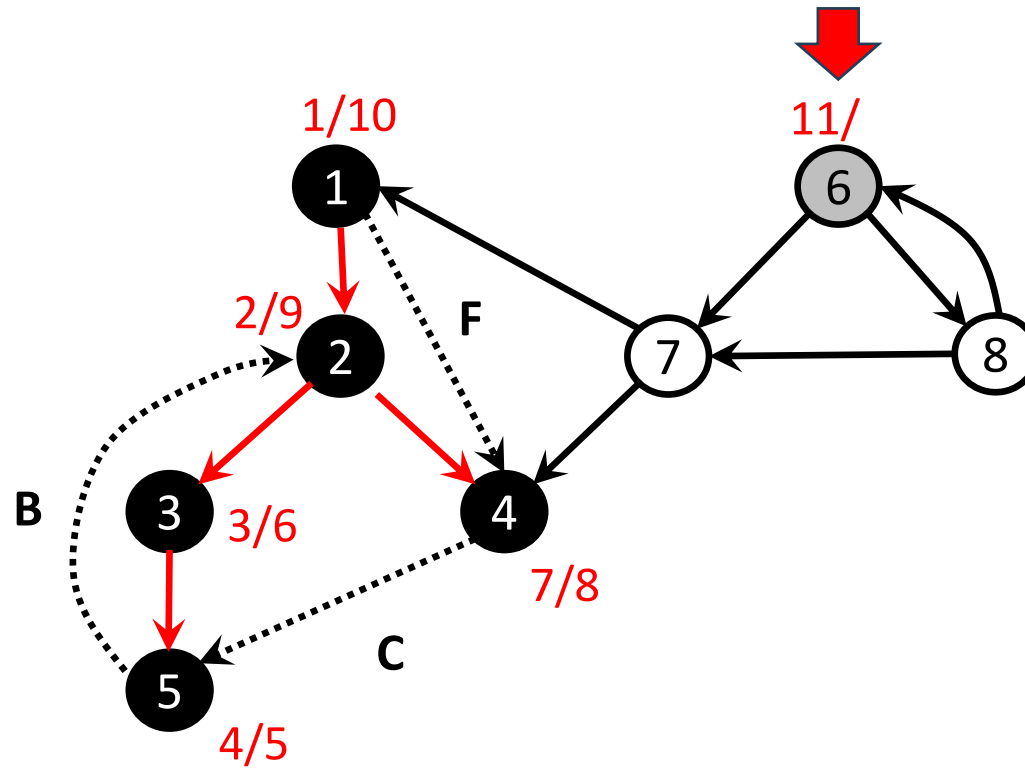
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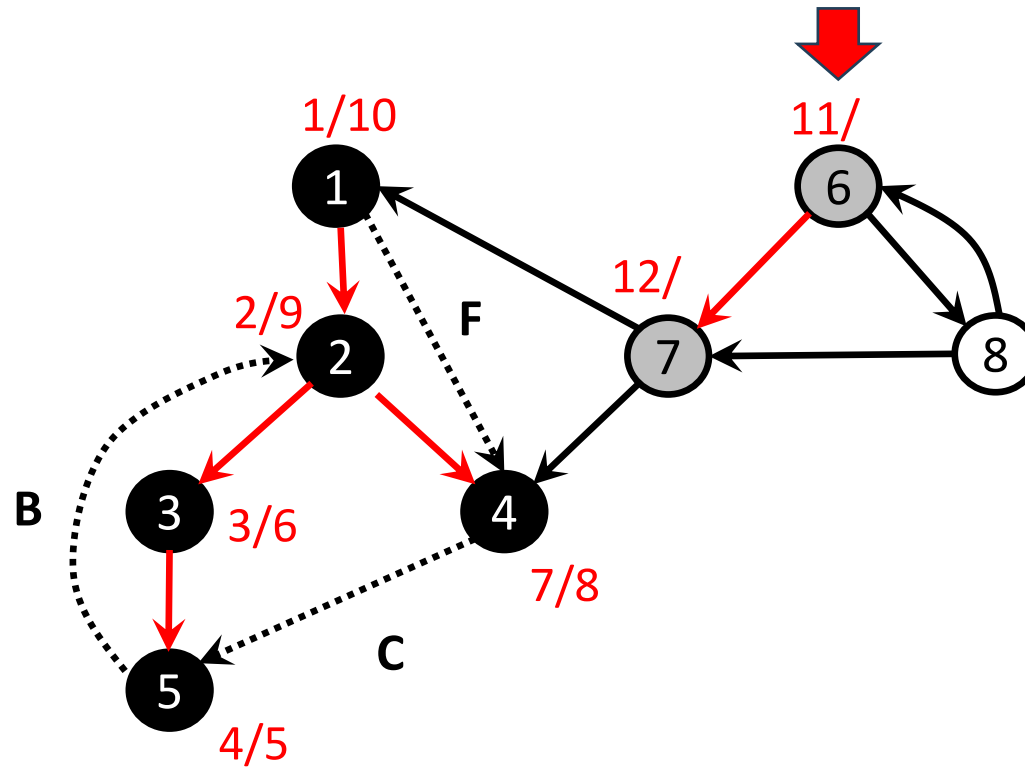
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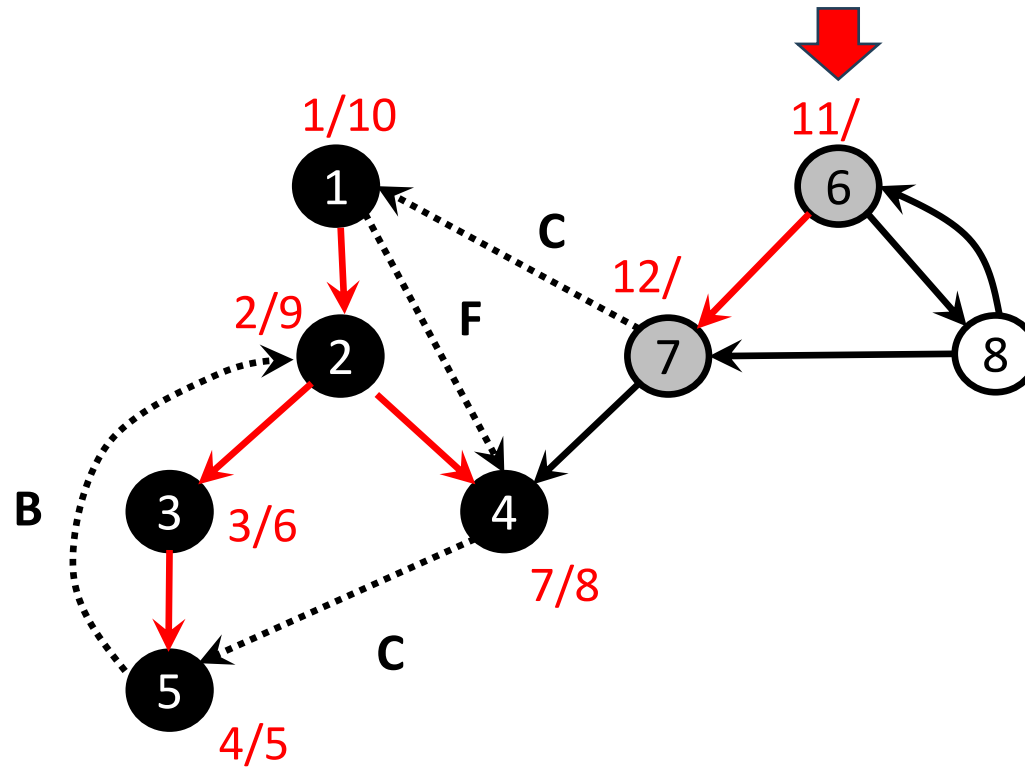
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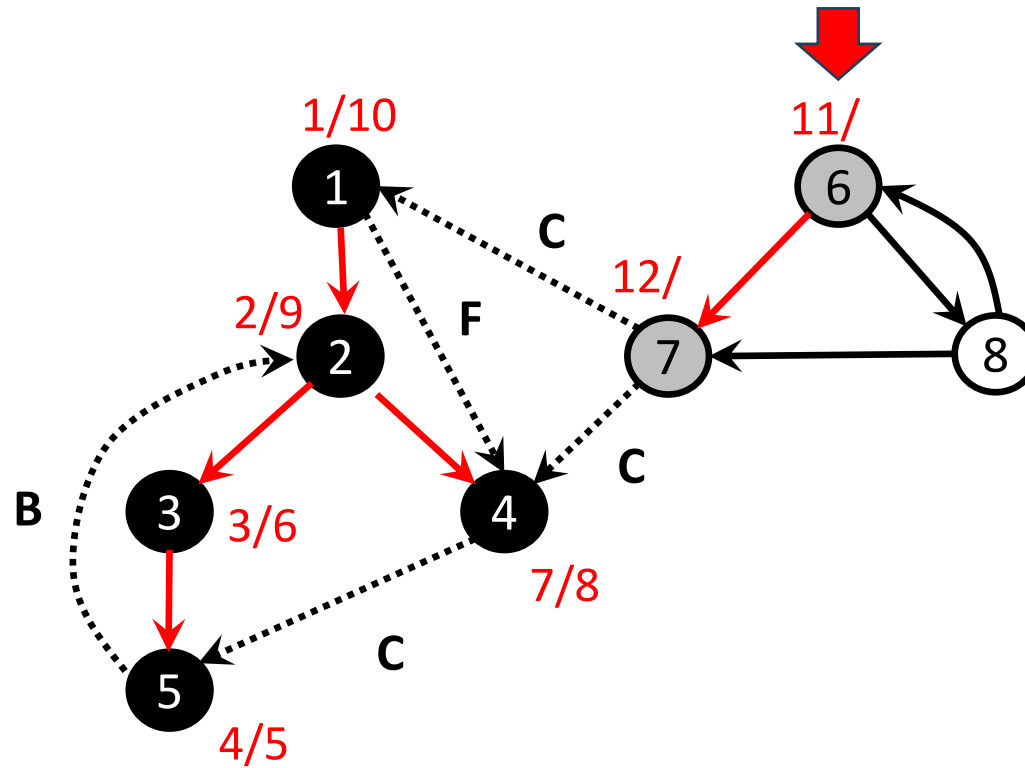
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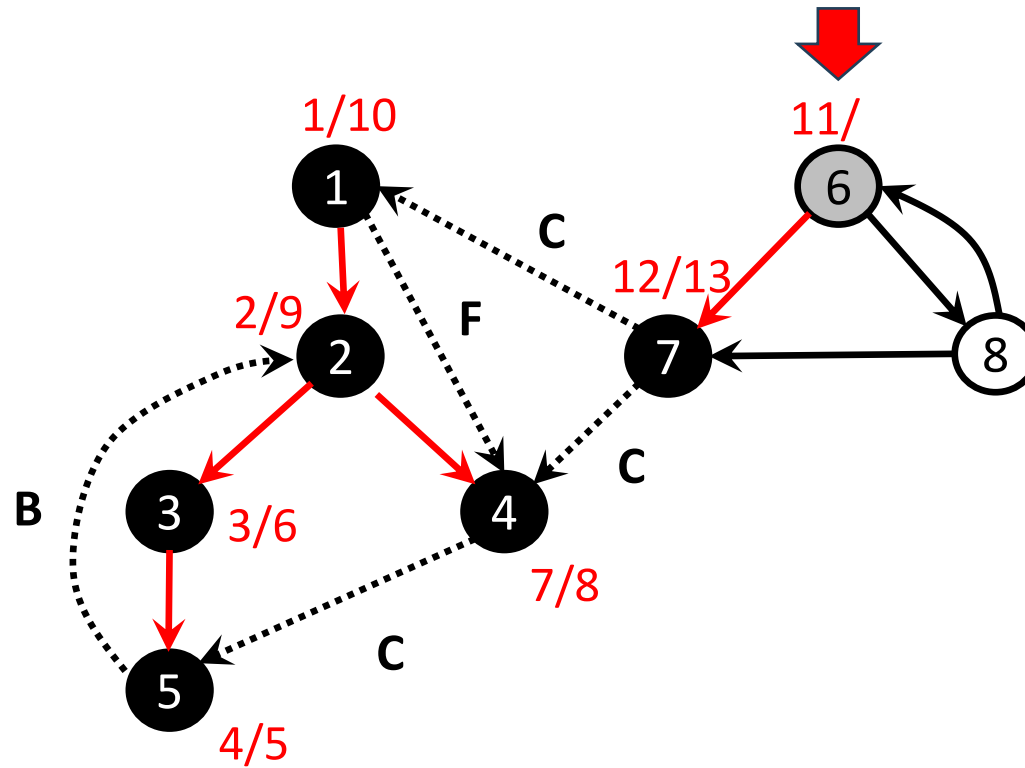
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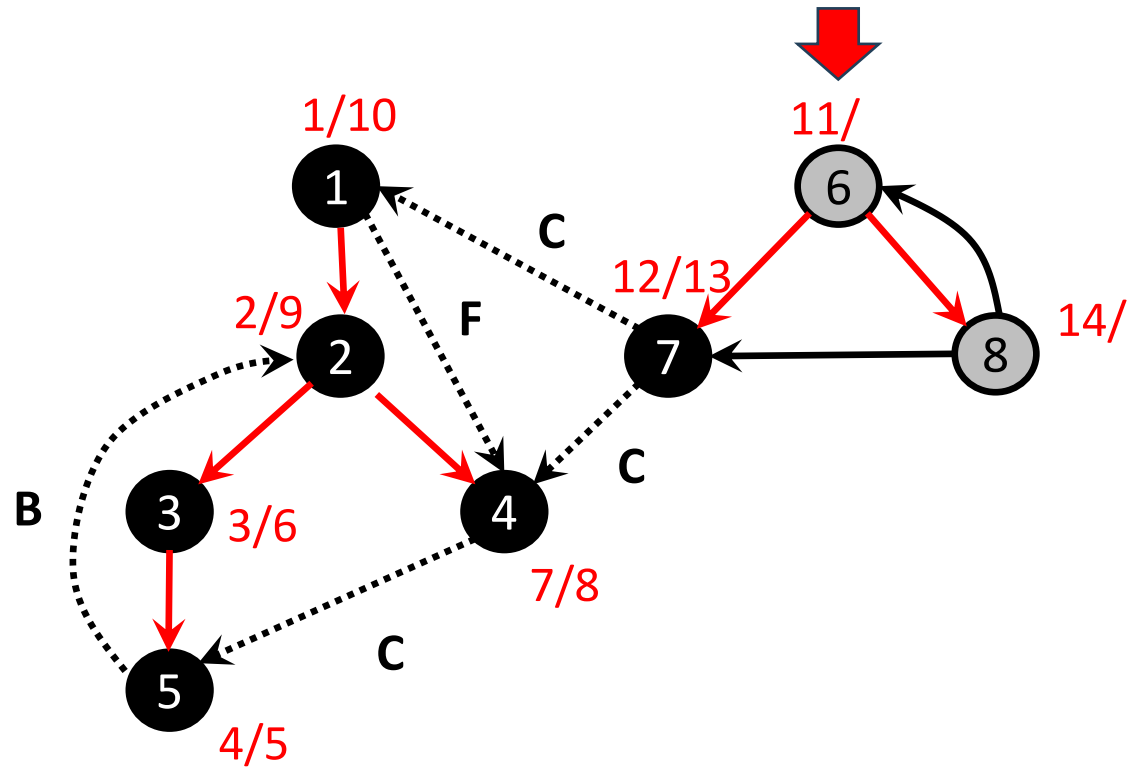
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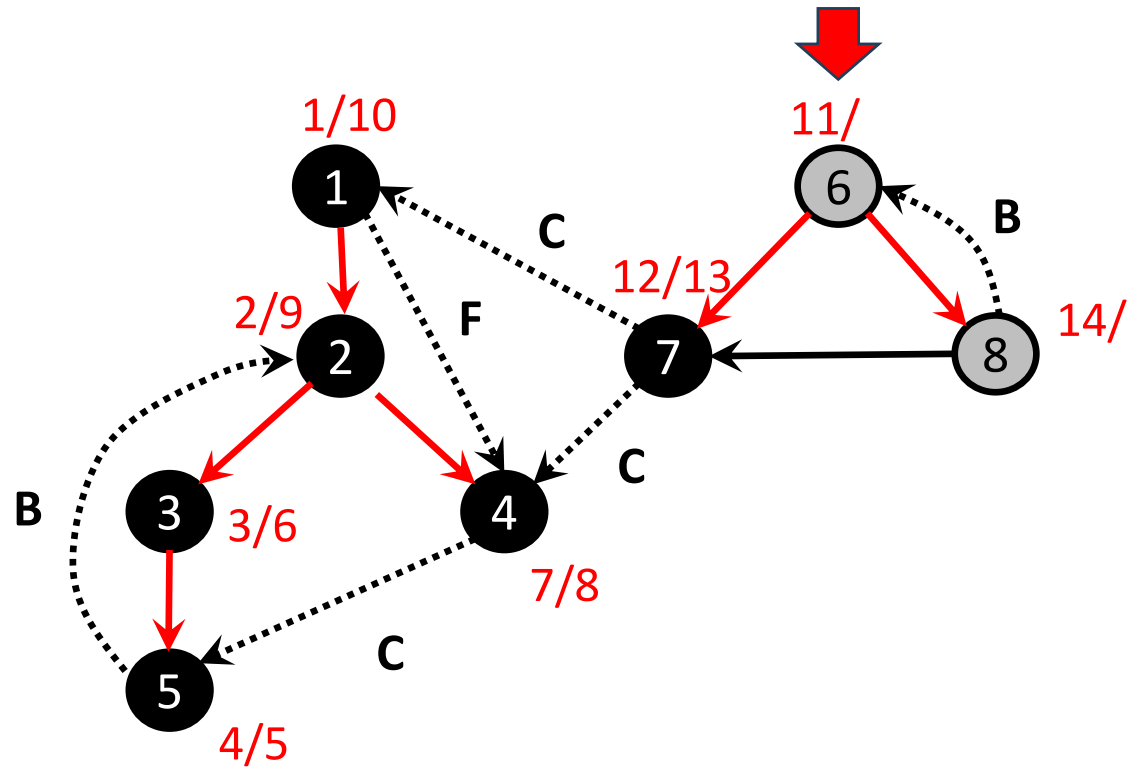
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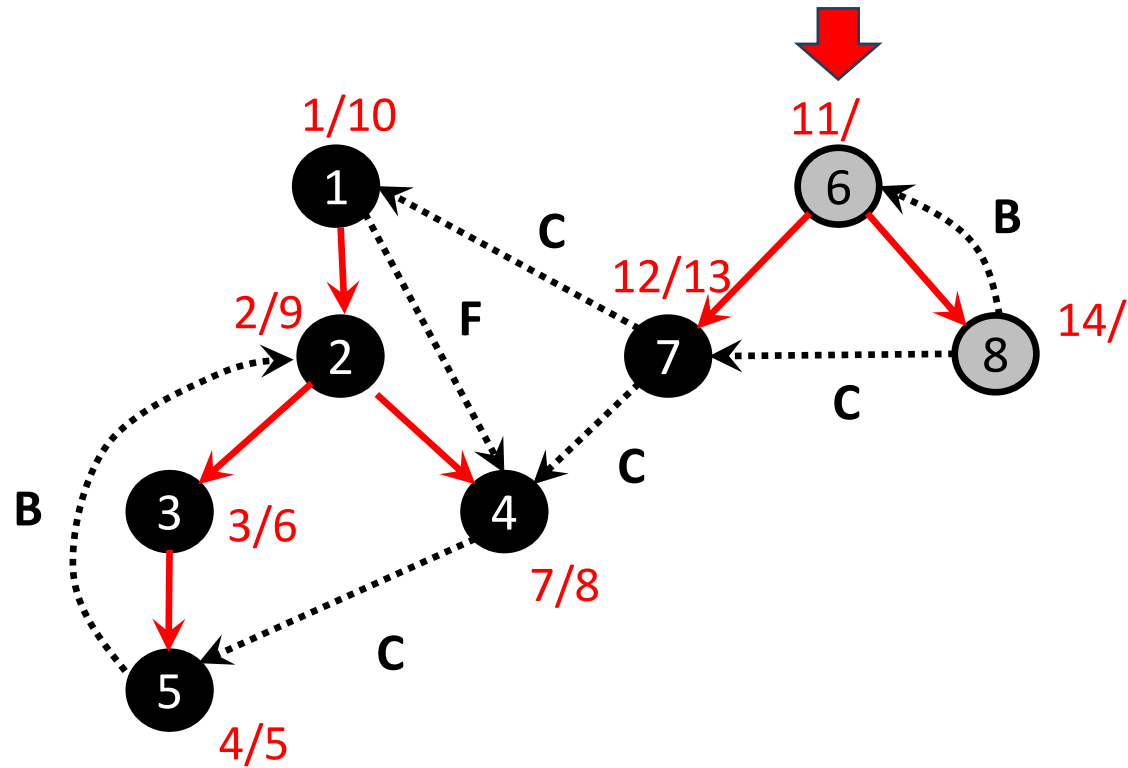
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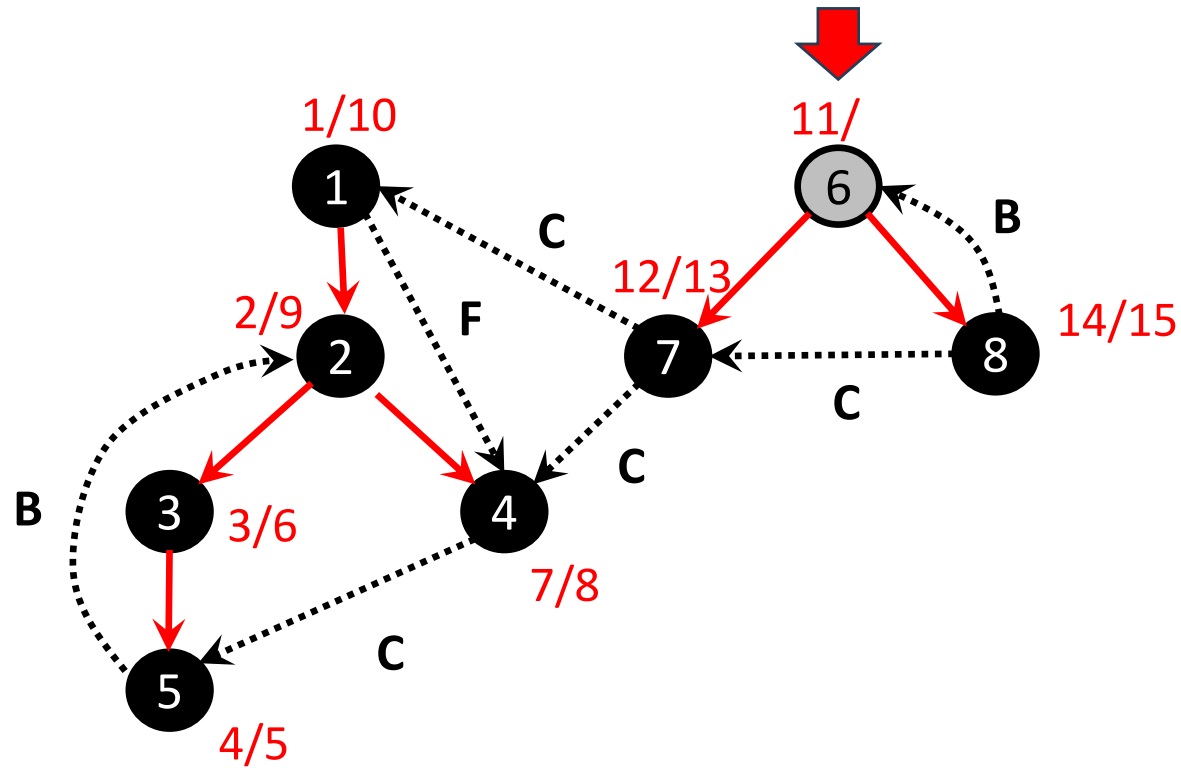
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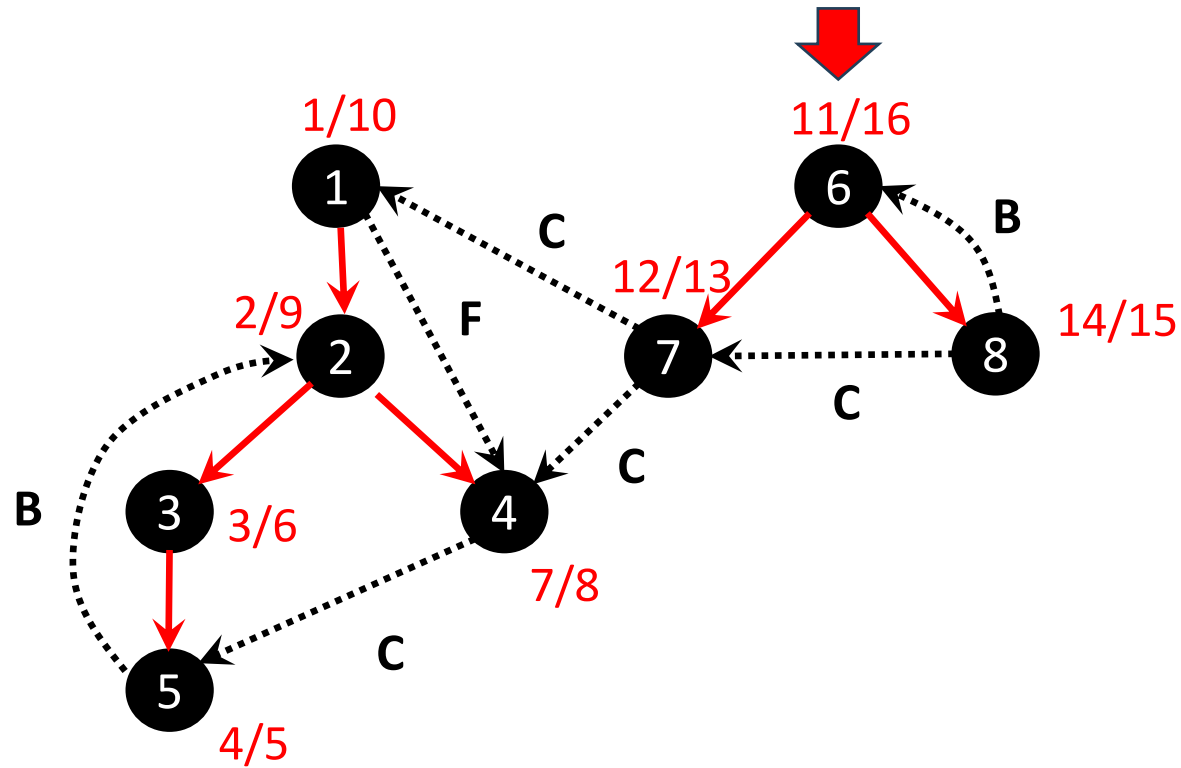
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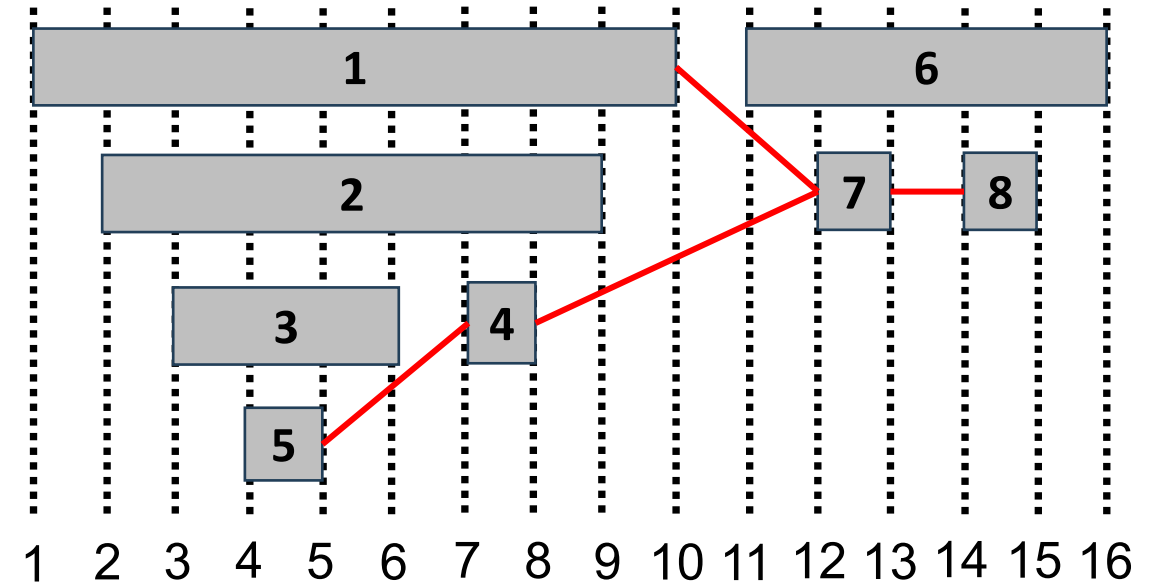
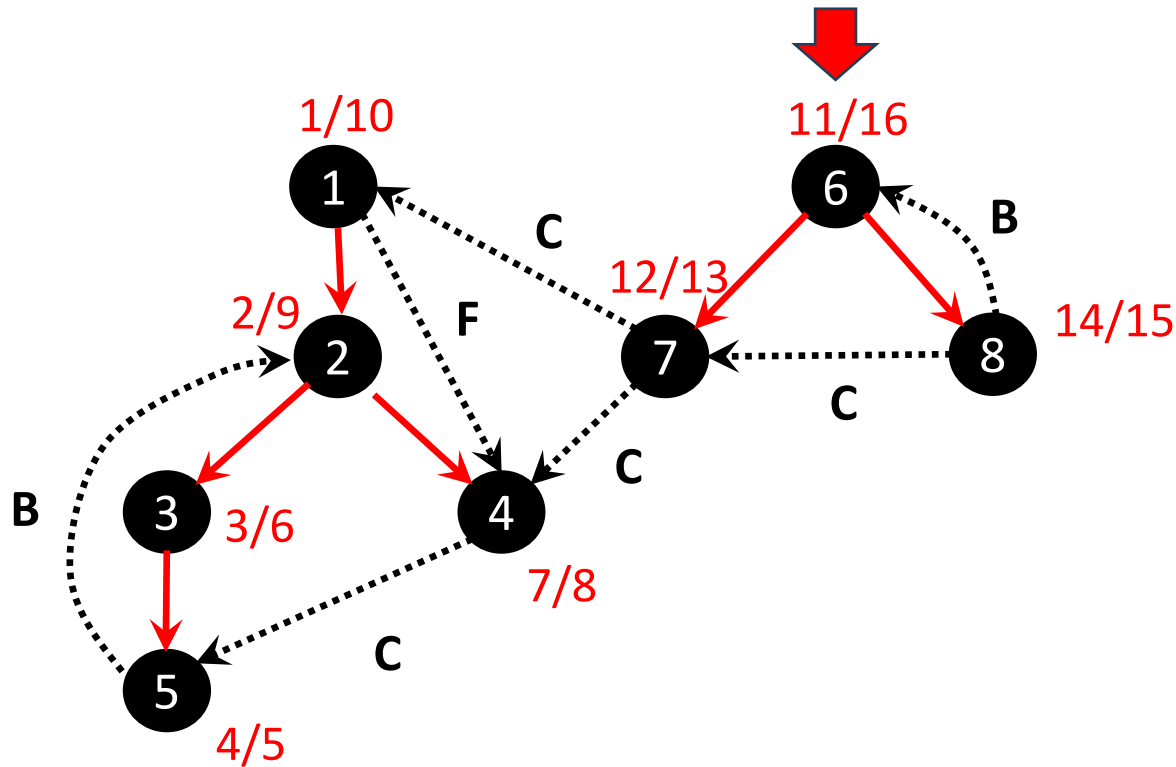
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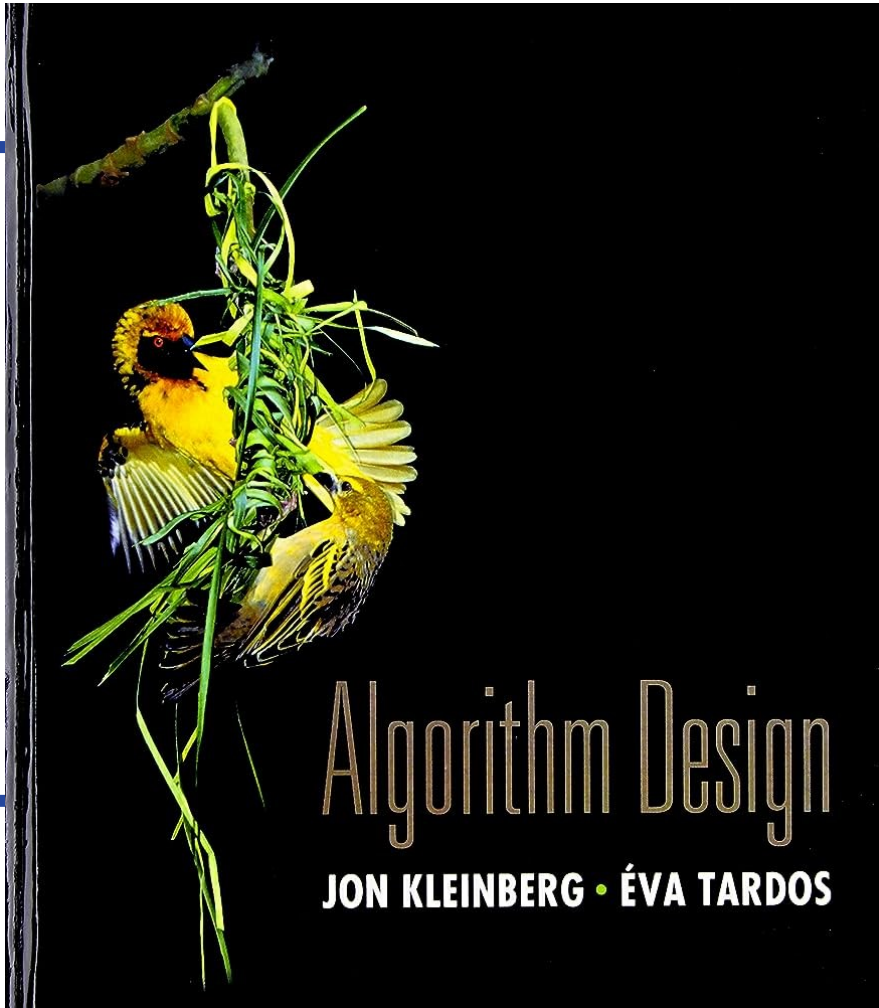
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## Chapter 5: Divide and Conquer



# Divide-and-conquer

- Many algorithms are recursive in structure
  - Call themselves recursively one or more times to solve smaller sub-problems efficiently
- Divide-and-conquer paradigm – **3 steps**
  1. **Divide** the problem into a number of sub-problems that are smaller instances of the original problem
  2. **Conquer** the sub-problems by solving them recursively. If the subproblem sizes are small enough, solve the subproblems in a straight-forward manner (in constant number of steps)
  3. **Combine** the solutions to the sub-problems into the solution to the original problem

# Section 5.1:

## Merge Sort

**Sorting:** Given an array of  $n$  elements, sort the array in ascending order

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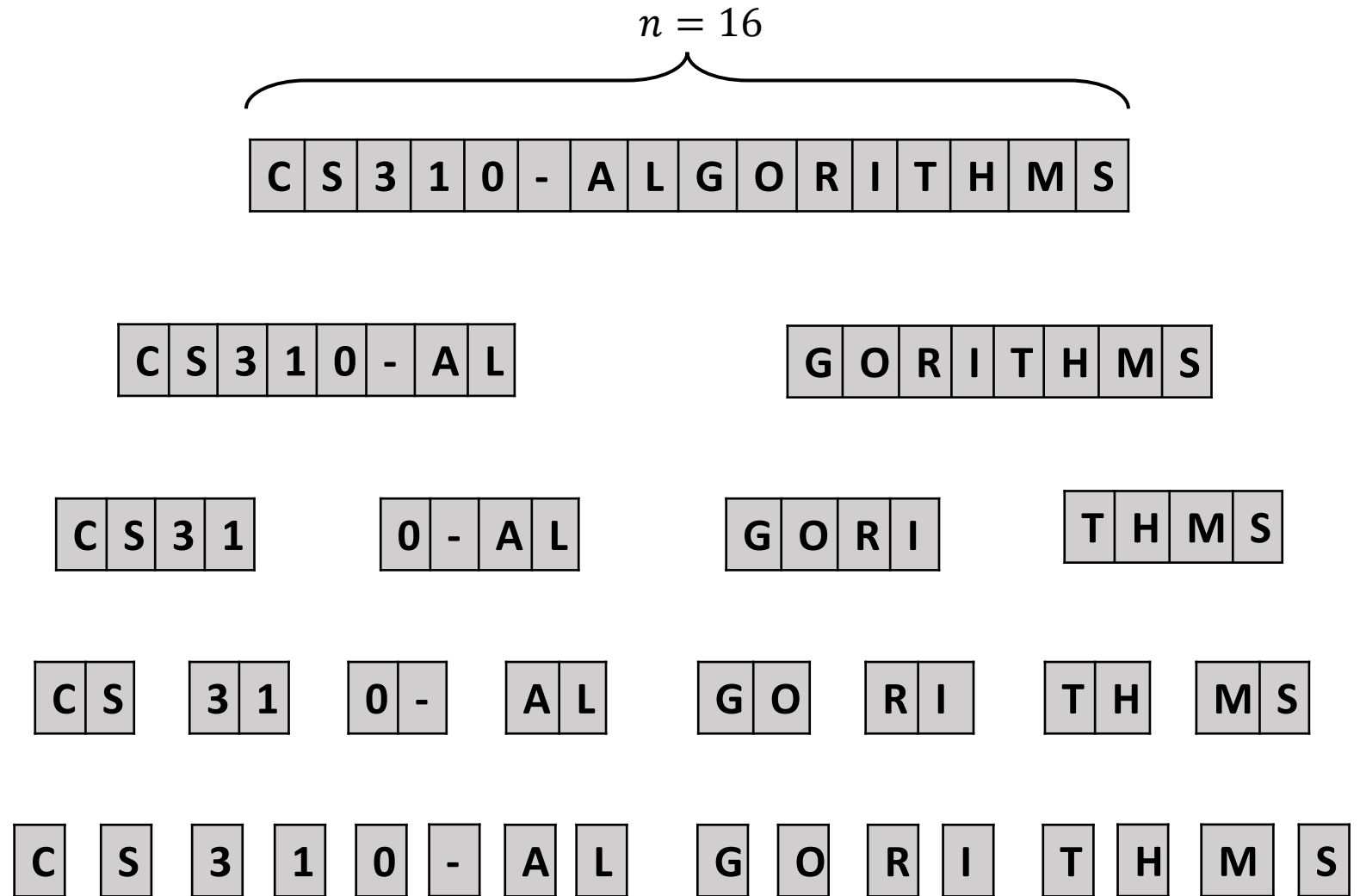
1. **Divide:** Divide the  $n$  elements array into two subarrays of  $n/2$  elements each
2. **Conquer:** Sort the two subarrays recursively
3. **Combine:** Merge the two sorted subarrays to produce the sorted answer

*MERGESORT*(*A*)

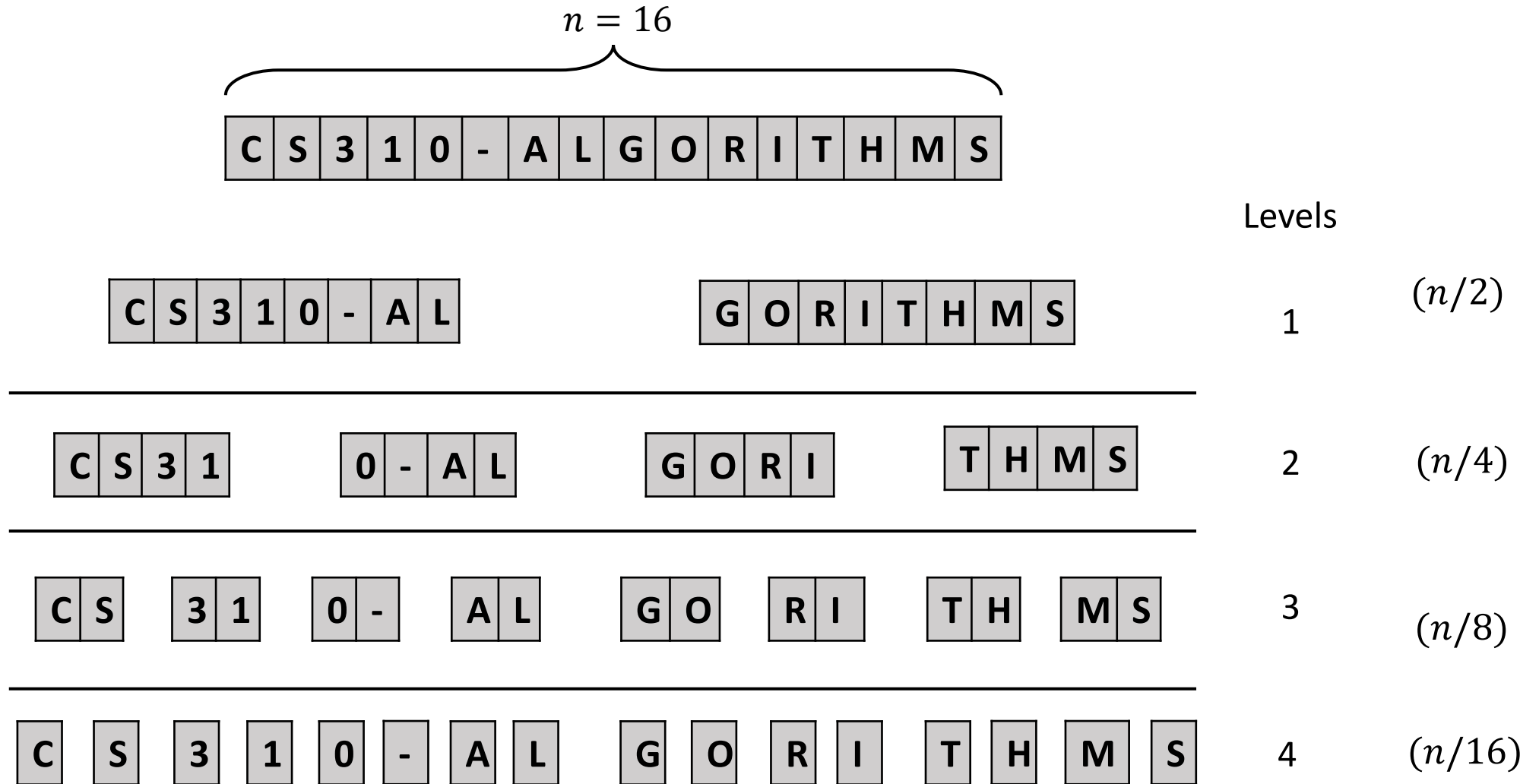
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3       $A_2 \leftarrow A[\lfloor n/2 \rfloor + 1 \dots n]$ 
4       $A_1 \leftarrow \text{MERGESORT}(A_1)$ 
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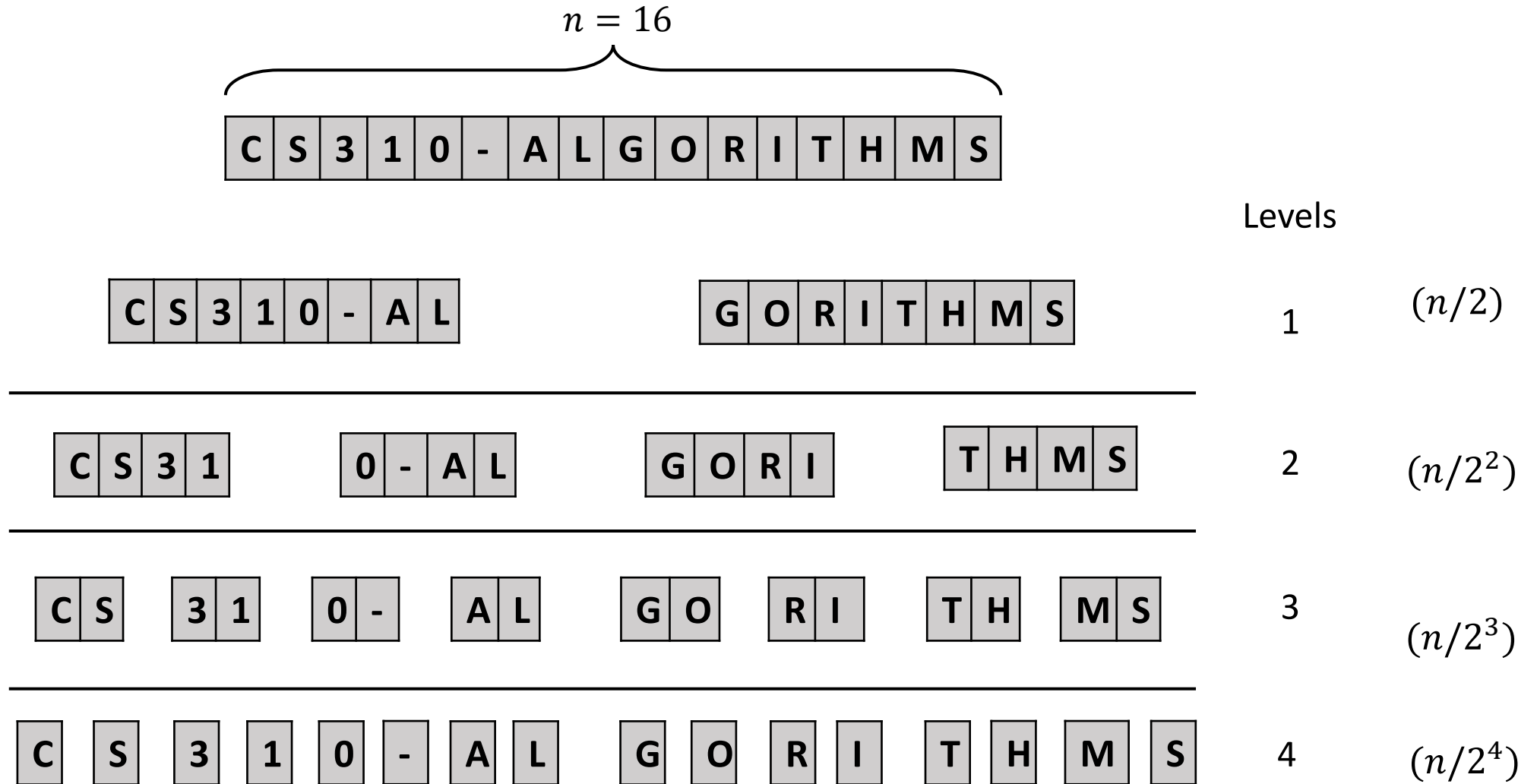
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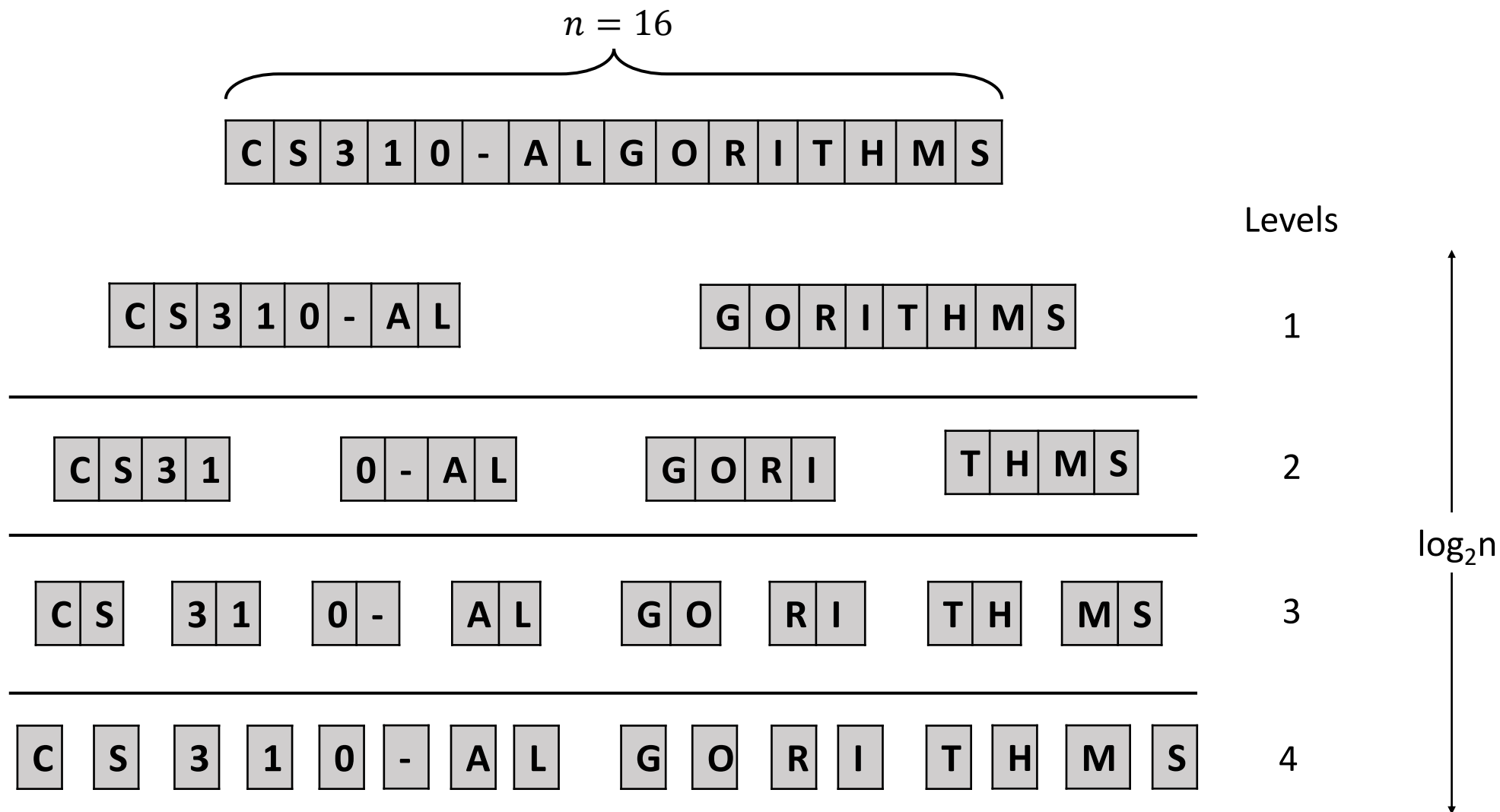
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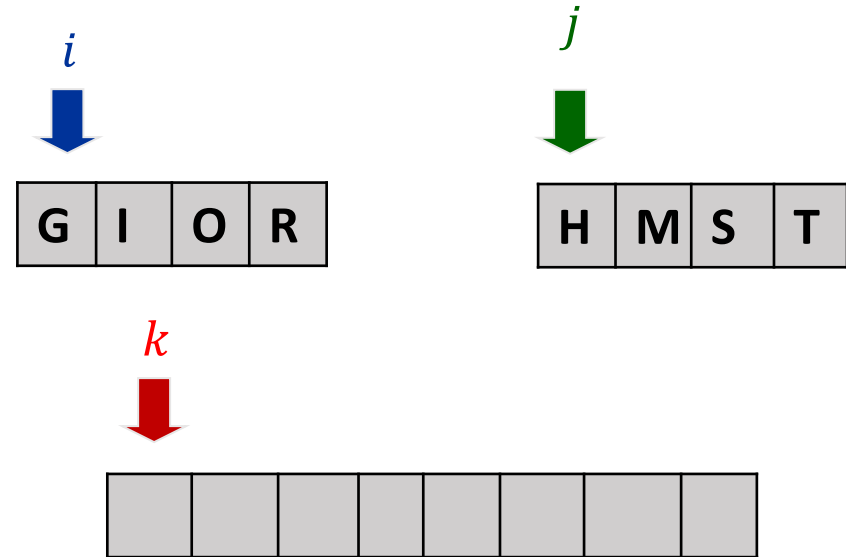
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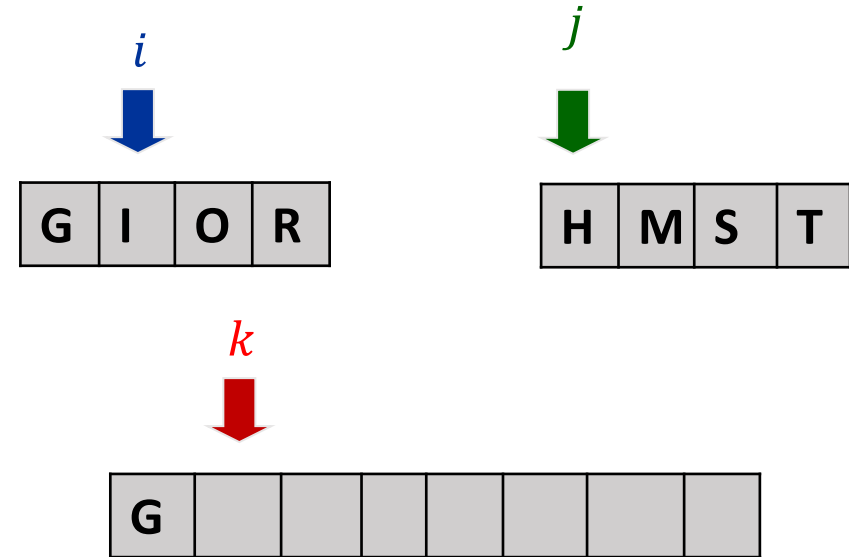




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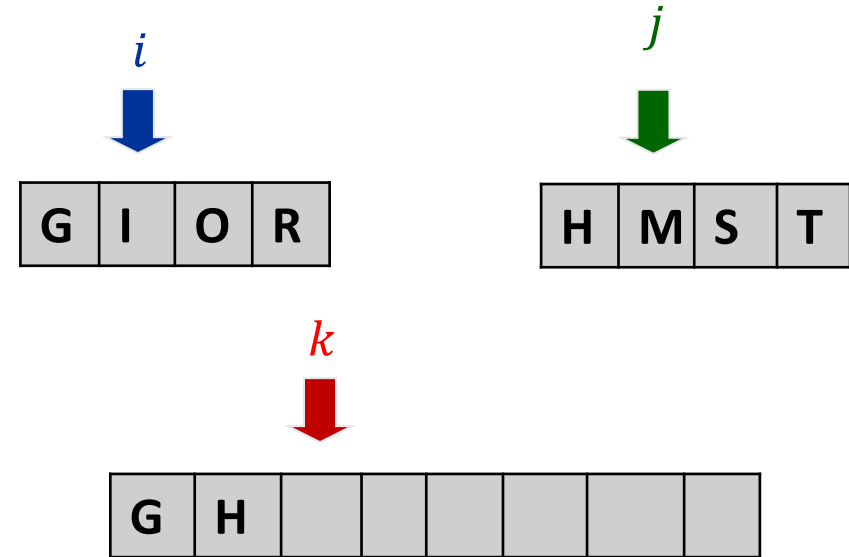
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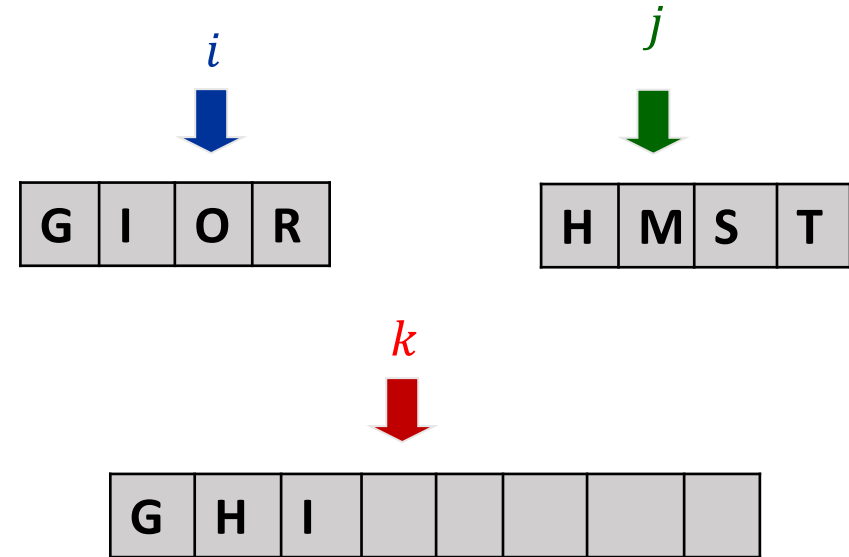
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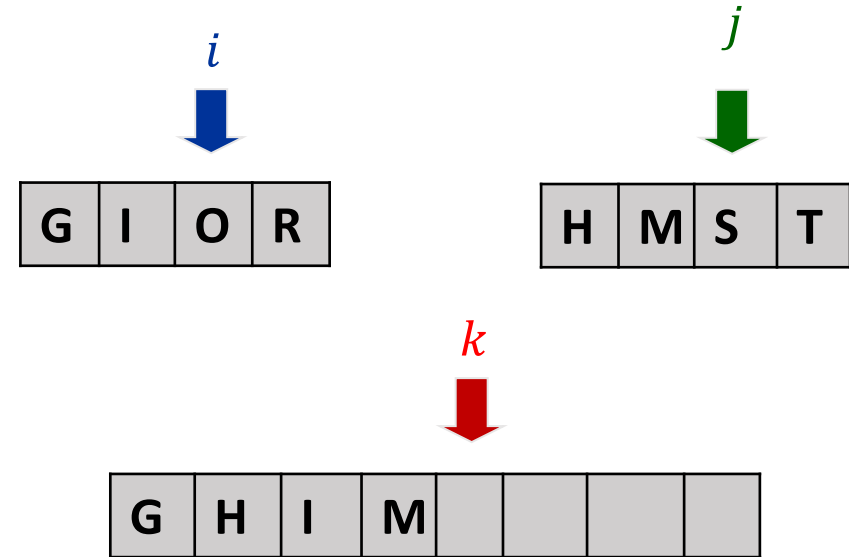
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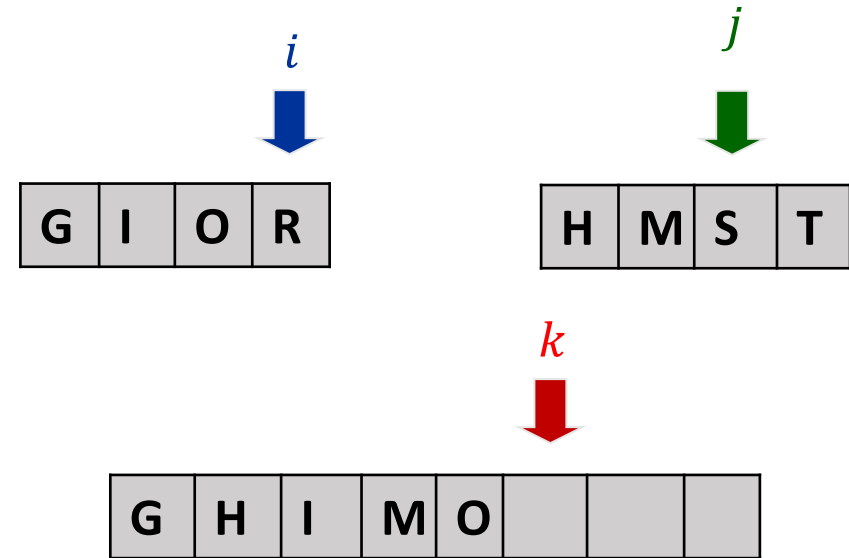
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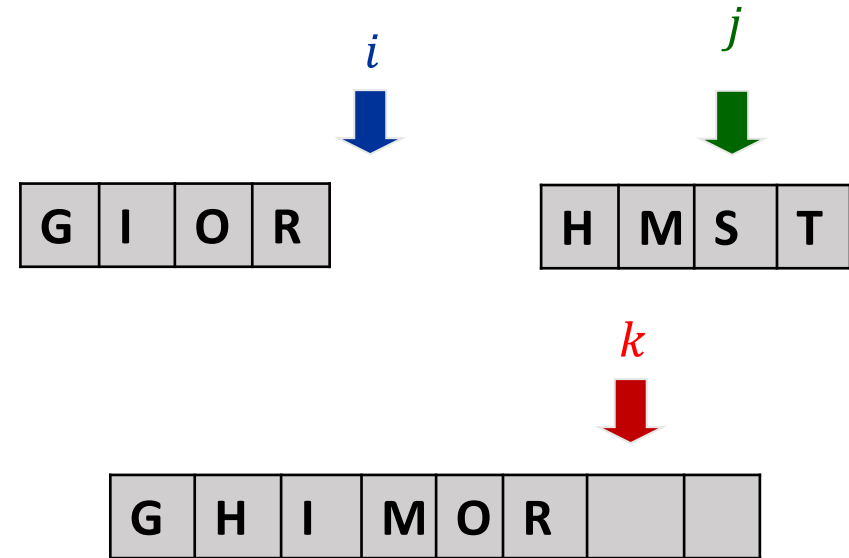
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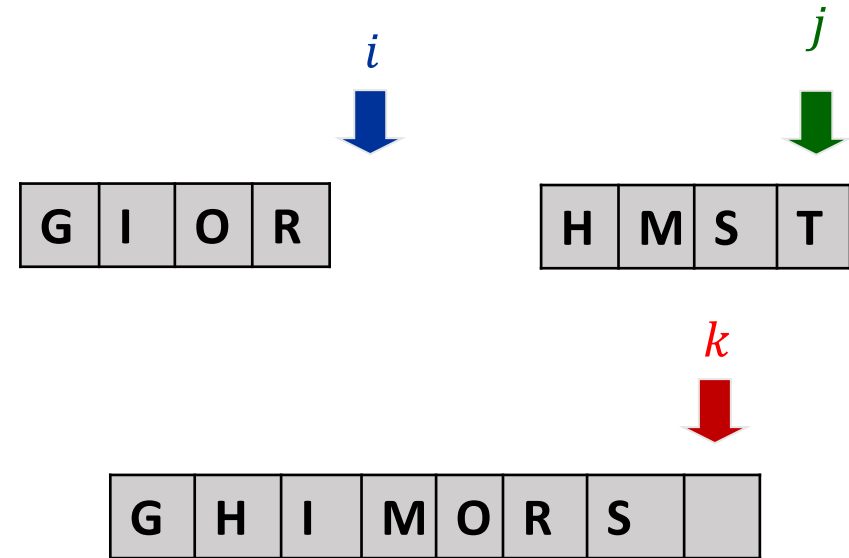
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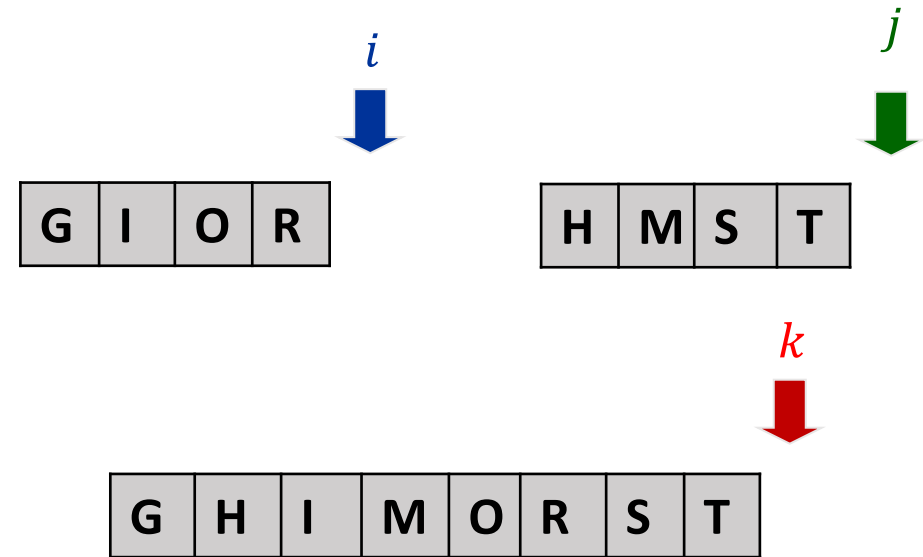
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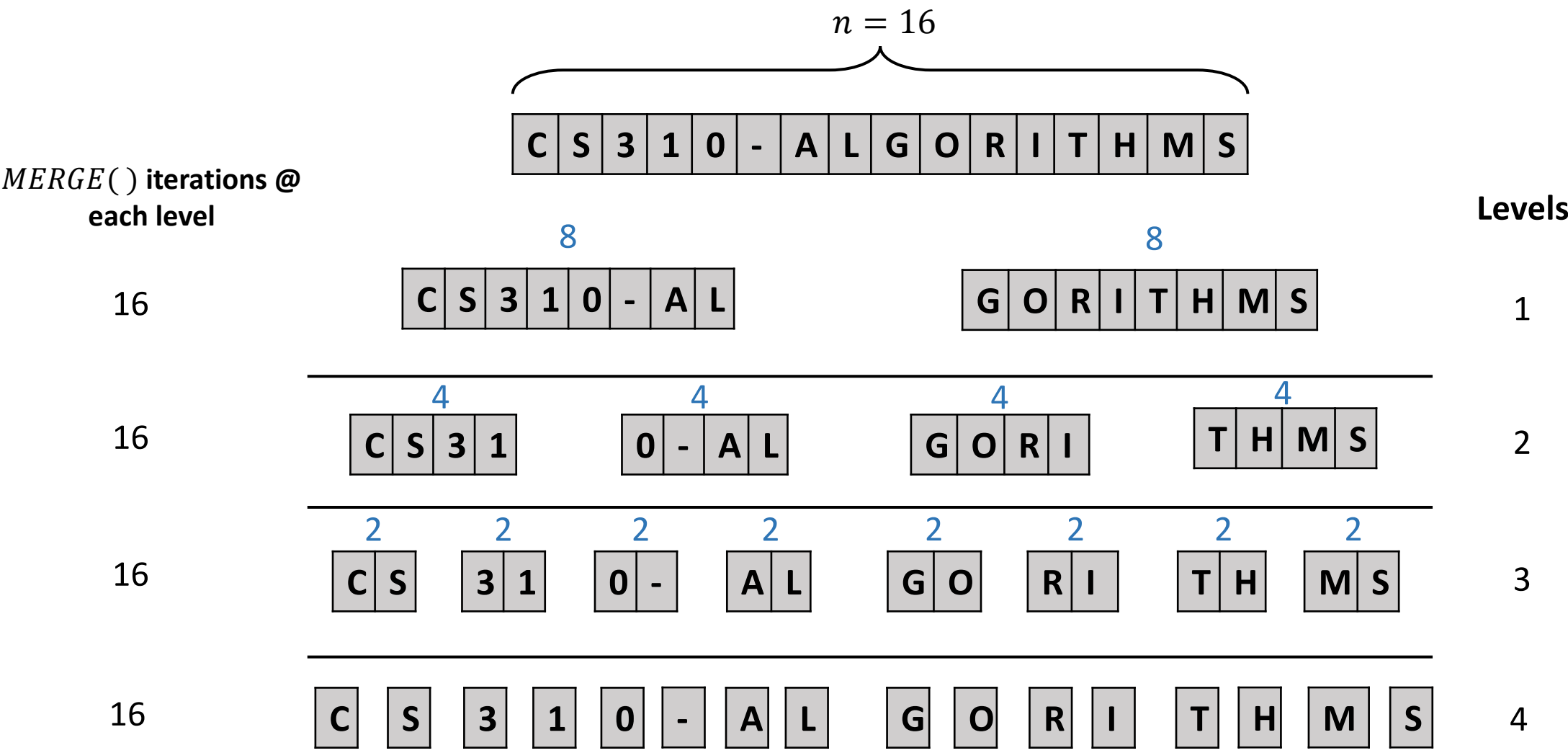
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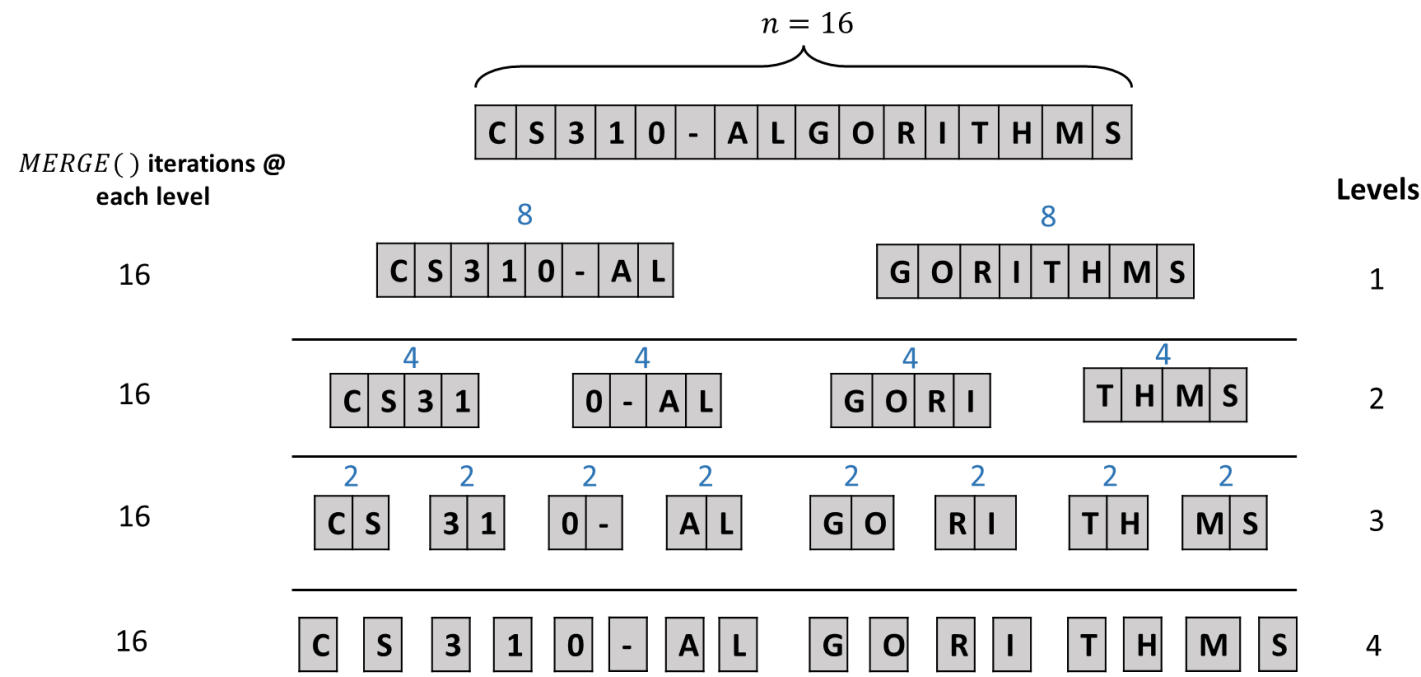




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Time complexity will be:

<i>MERGE()</i> iterations @ each level	X	Levels
$n$	X	$\log_2 n$
$n \log_2 n$		

# Mergesort: Proof of correctness [induction]

**Proposition.** Mergesort sorts any list of  $n$  elements.

**Pf.** [ by strong induction on  $n$  ]

- Base case:  $n = 1$ .
- Inductive hypothesis: assume true for  $1, 2, \dots, n-1$ .
- By inductive hypothesis, mergesort sorts both left and right halves.
- **Merging operation** combines two sorted lists into a sorted whole.

Background on “**Proof by Induction**”

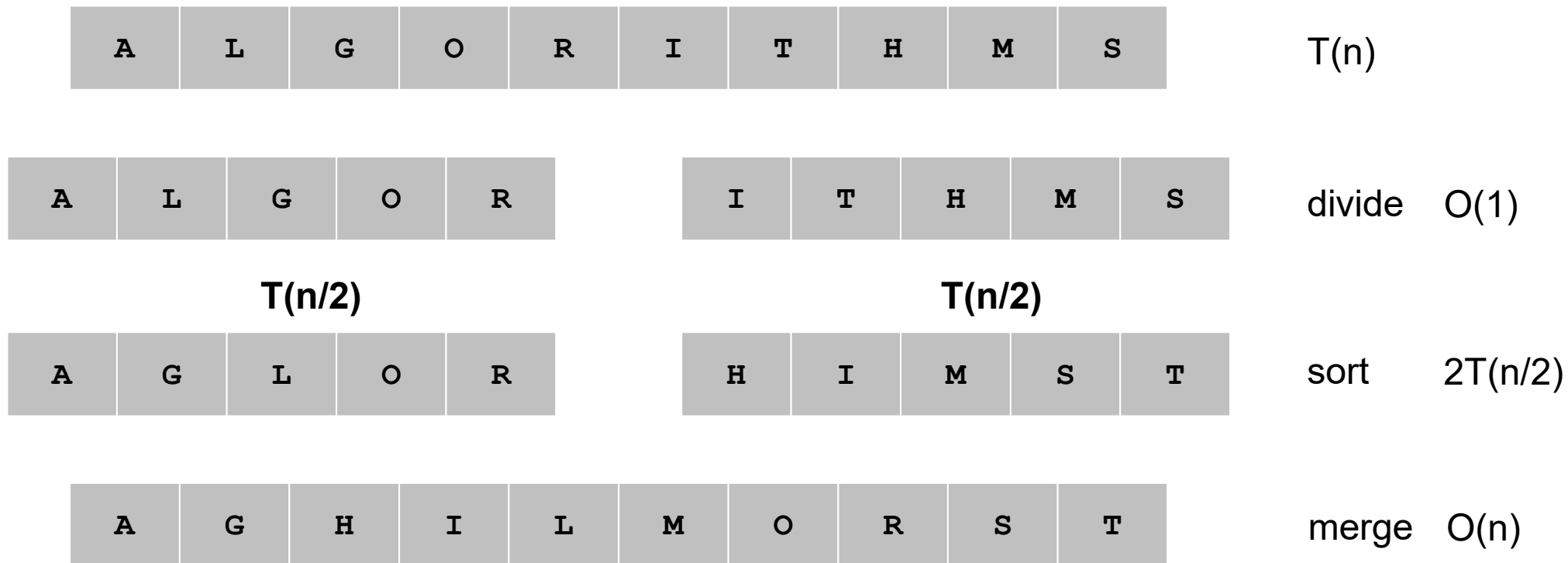
**Base Case:**

- The base case serves as the foundation for the induction.
- You start by proving that the statement is true for a specific value, usually the smallest value  $n=0$  or  $n=1$ .

**Inductive Step:**

- The inductive step is where you assume that the statement holds for some arbitrary value  $k$  where  $k < n$  (this assumption is called the “**inductive hypothesis**”).

# Mergsort: Recurrence Relation



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# Mergesort: Recurrence Relation

*MERGESORT*(*A*)

```
1  if (length(A) > 1)
2      A1 ← A[1 ... ⌊n/2⌋]
3      A2 ← A[⌊n/2⌋ + 1 ... n]
4      A1 ← MERGESORT(A1)
5      A2 ← MERGESORT(A2)
6      A ← MERGE(A1, A2)
7  return A
```

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Any algorithm satisfying this recurrence equation is bounded by  $O(n \log_2 n)$ , when  $n > 1$

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# Proof by induction

- **Proposition.** If  $T(n)$  satisfies the following recurrence, then  $T(n) = n \log_2 n$ .

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } n = 1 \\ 2T(n/2) + n & \text{if } n > 1 \end{cases}$$

assuming  $n$   
is a power of 2

- **Pf.** [ by induction on  $n$  ]
  - **Base case:** when  $n = 1$ ,  $T(1) = 0 = n \log_2 n$ .
  - **Inductive hypothesis:** assume  $T(n) = n \log_2 n$ .
  - **Goal:** show that  $T(2n) = 2n \log_2 (2n)$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 T(2n) &= 2T(2n/2) + 2n && \text{recurrence} \\
 &\stackrel{\text{inductive hypothesis}}{=} 2n \log_2 n + 2n \\
 &= 2n \log_2 (2n/2) + 2n \\
 &= 2n (\log_2 (2n) - \log_2 (2)) + 2n \\
 &= 2n (\log_2 (2n) - 1) + 2n \\
 &= 2n \log_2 (2n).
 \end{aligned}$$

# Thanks a lot



If you are taking a Nap, **wake up**.....Lecture Over