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L10-12: Anatomy of the Execution of a Spark Core Program

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Let's put together all the ingredients we have mentioned so far...

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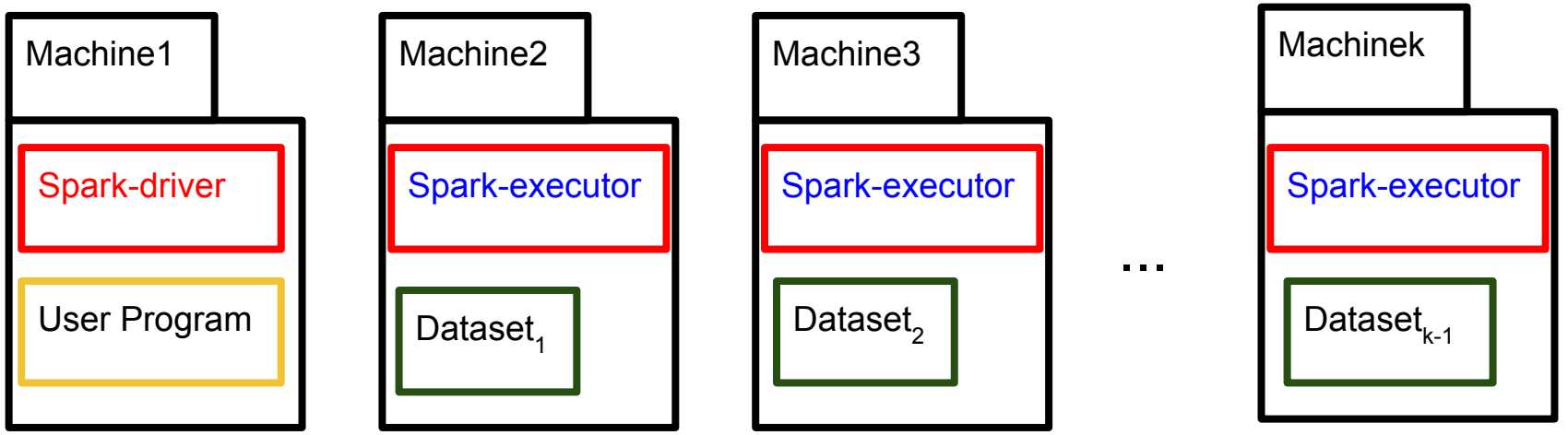

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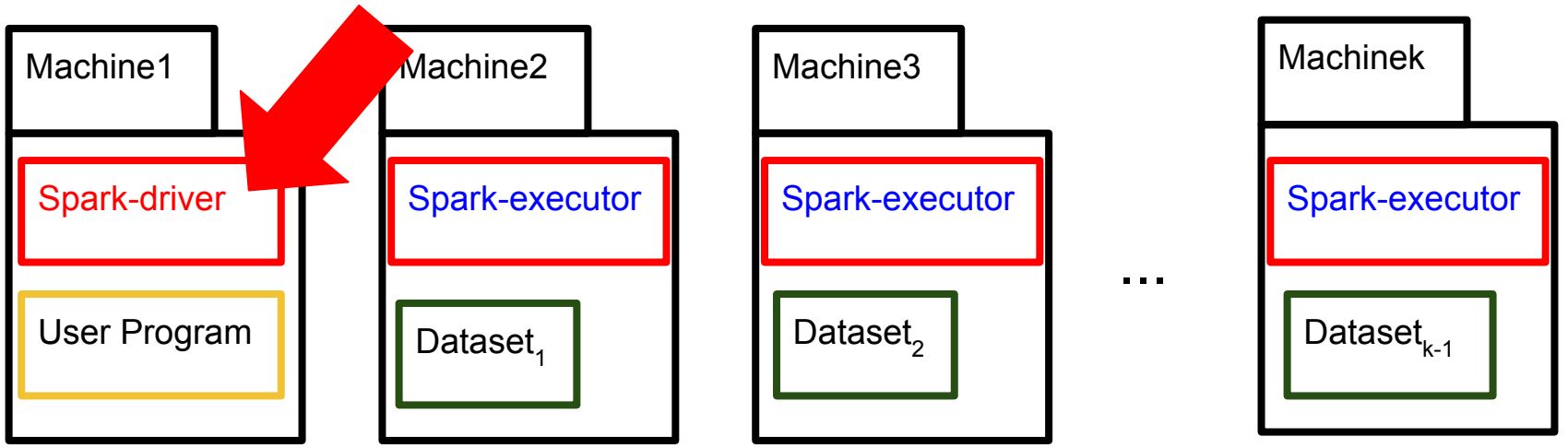
2. One machine contains the Spark user program.

   This machine -more specifically, one CPU core of the machine- runs the **Spark driver process (master)** by executing the main( ) method of the program .



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3. We know by now the Spark user program is based on the RDD public API. It has the following life-cycle:

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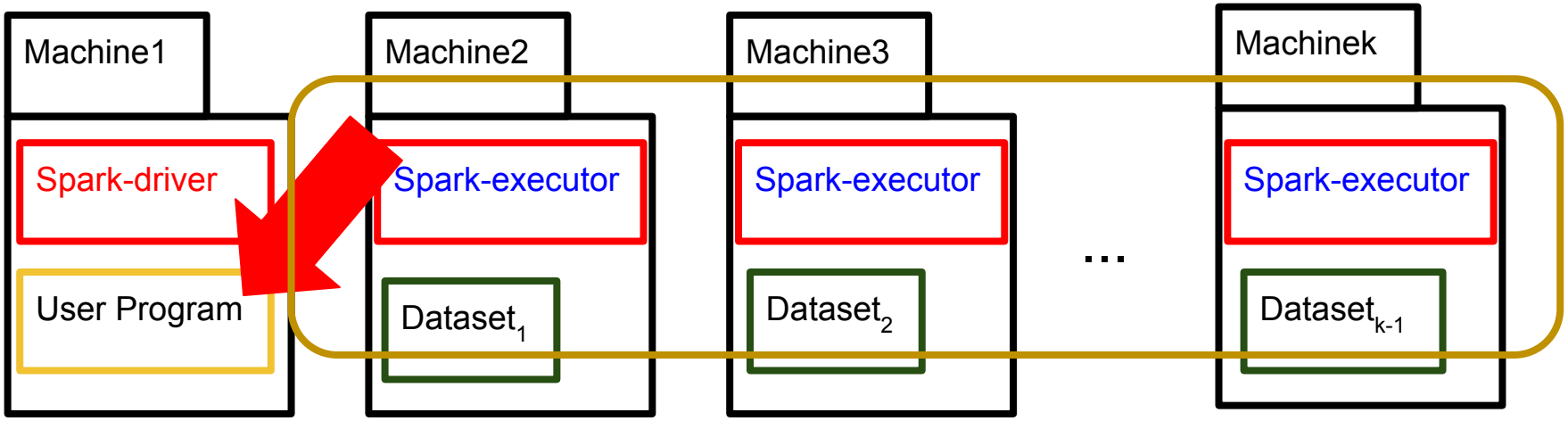

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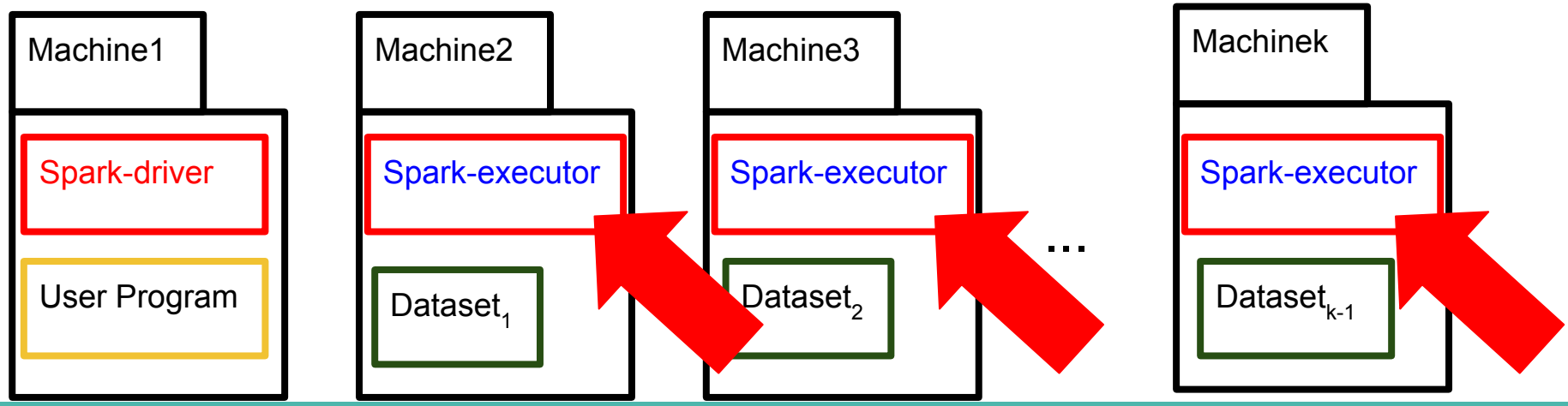

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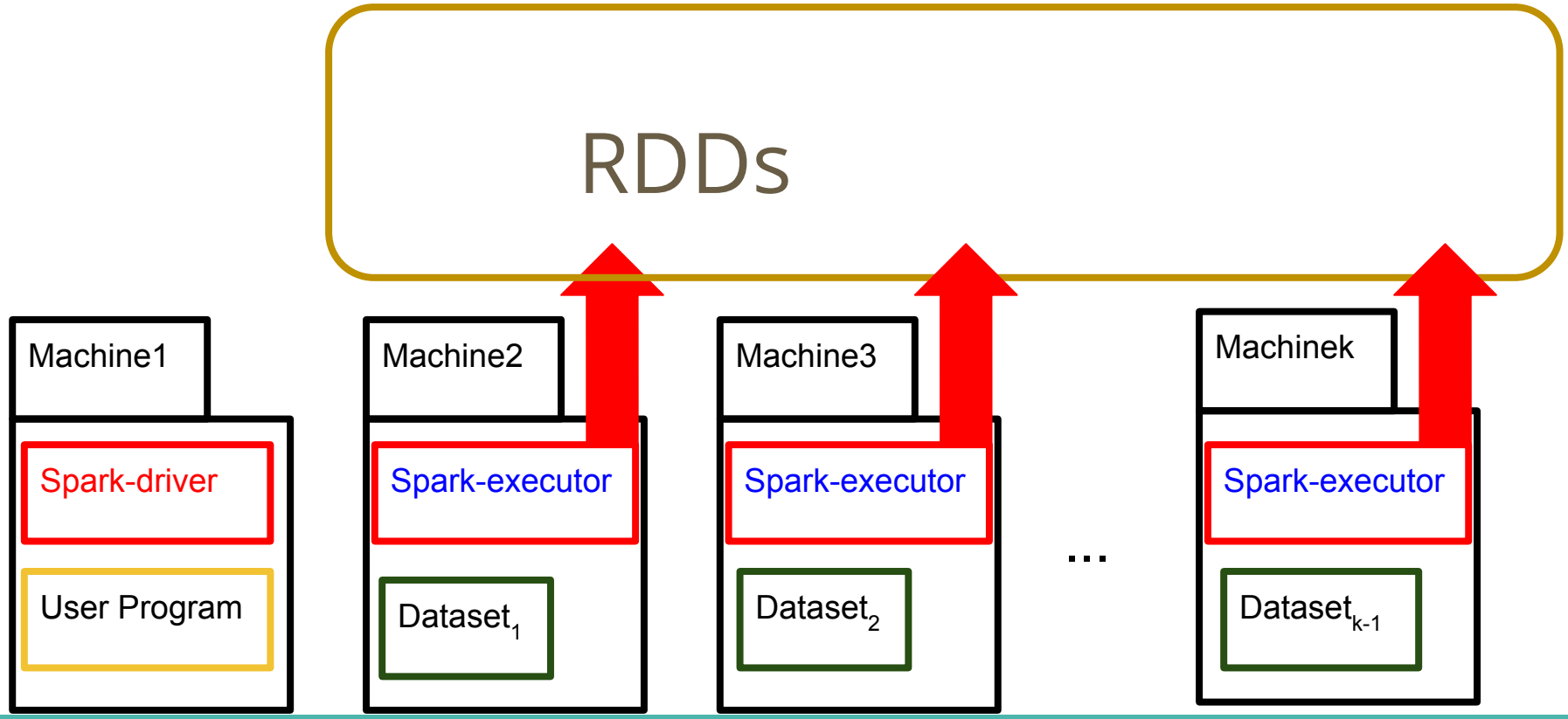

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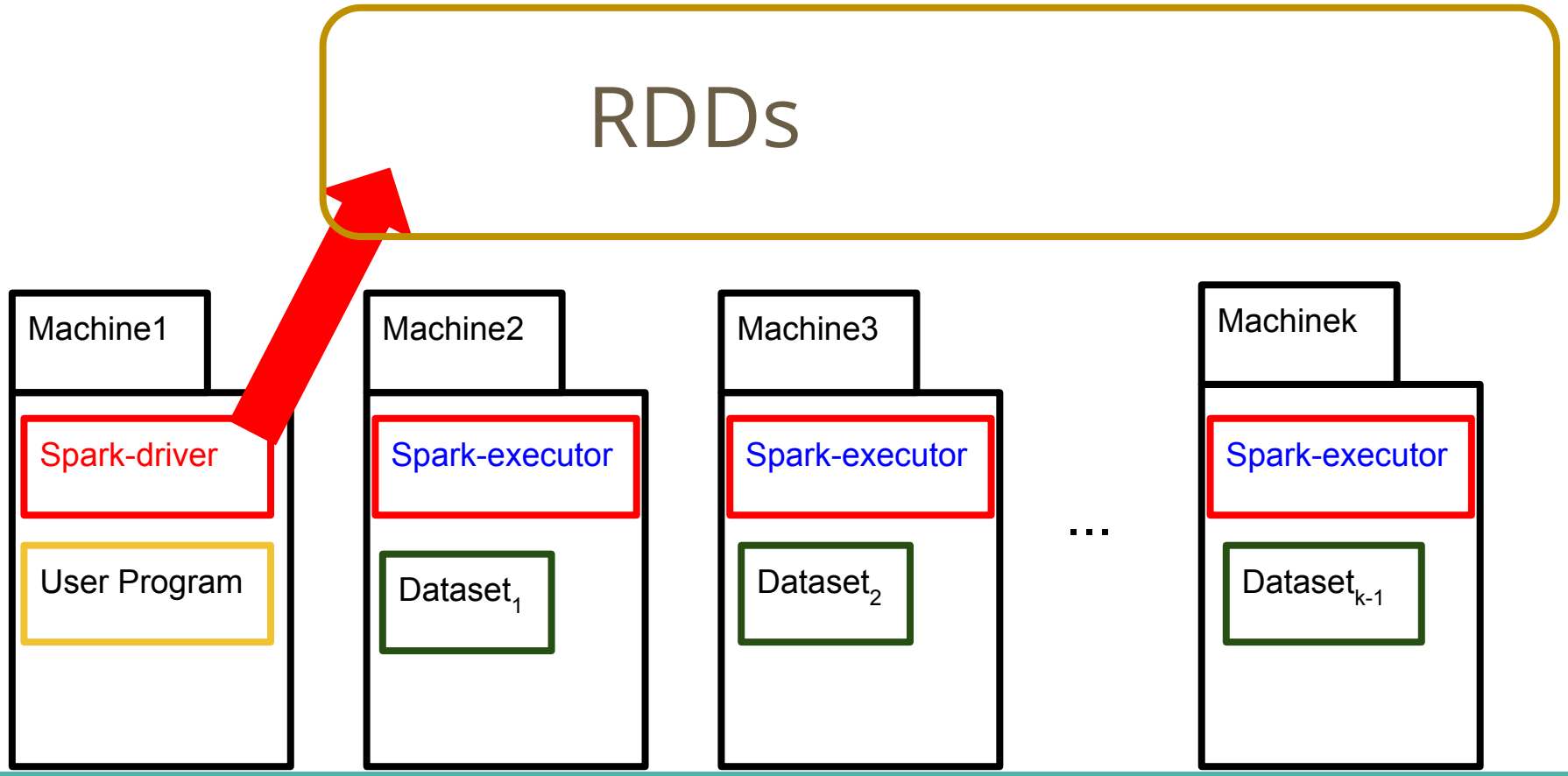

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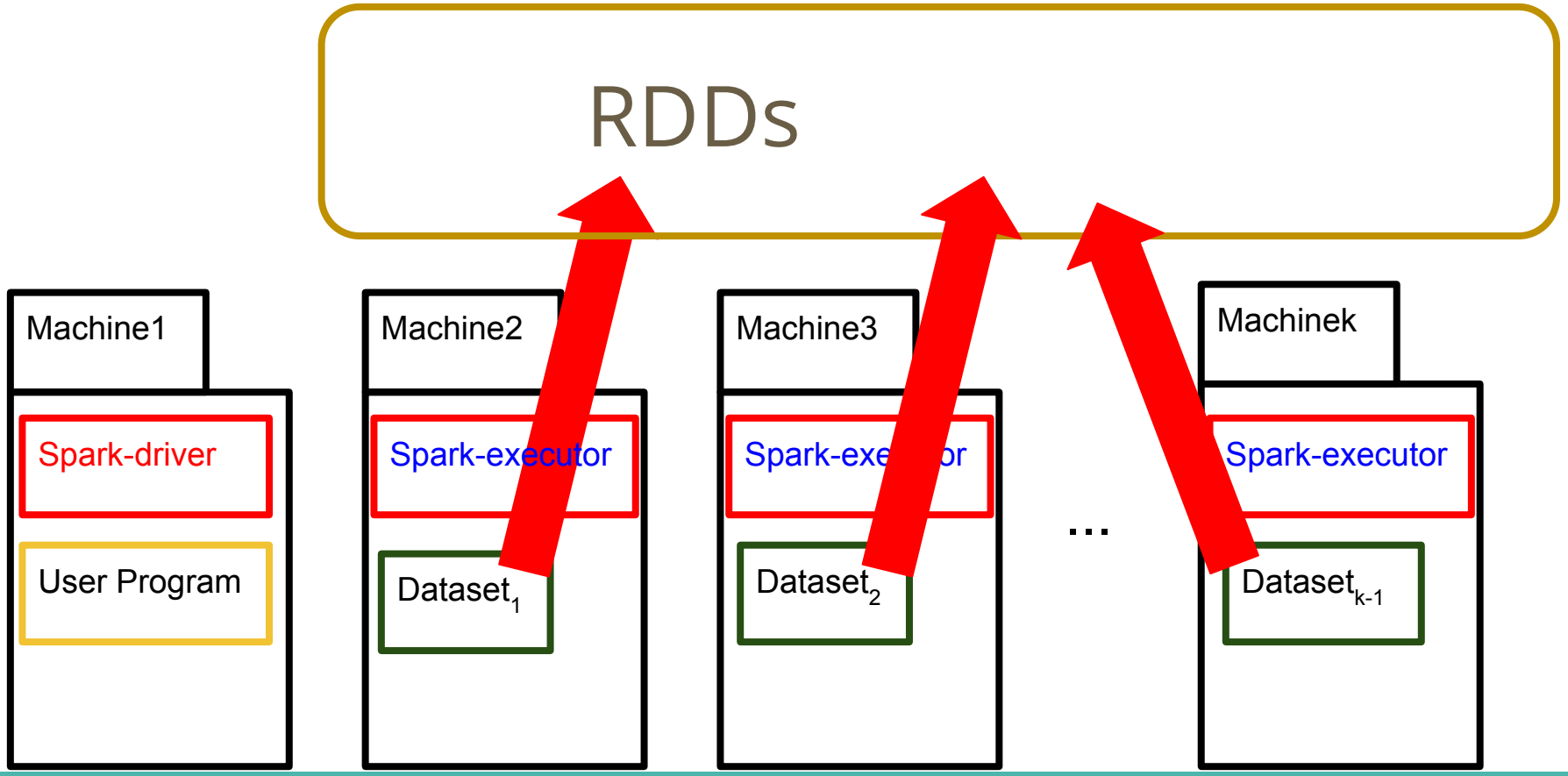

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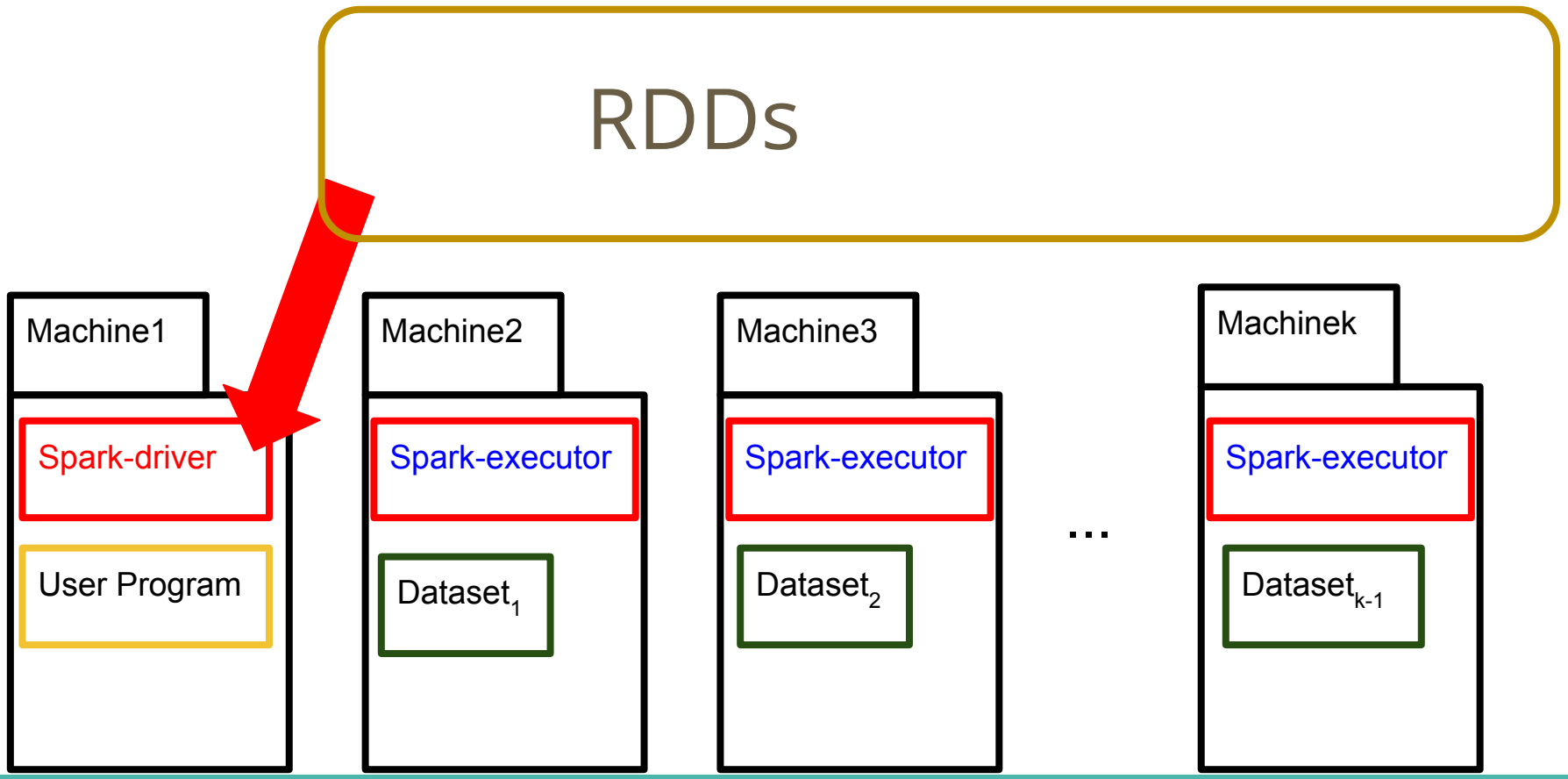

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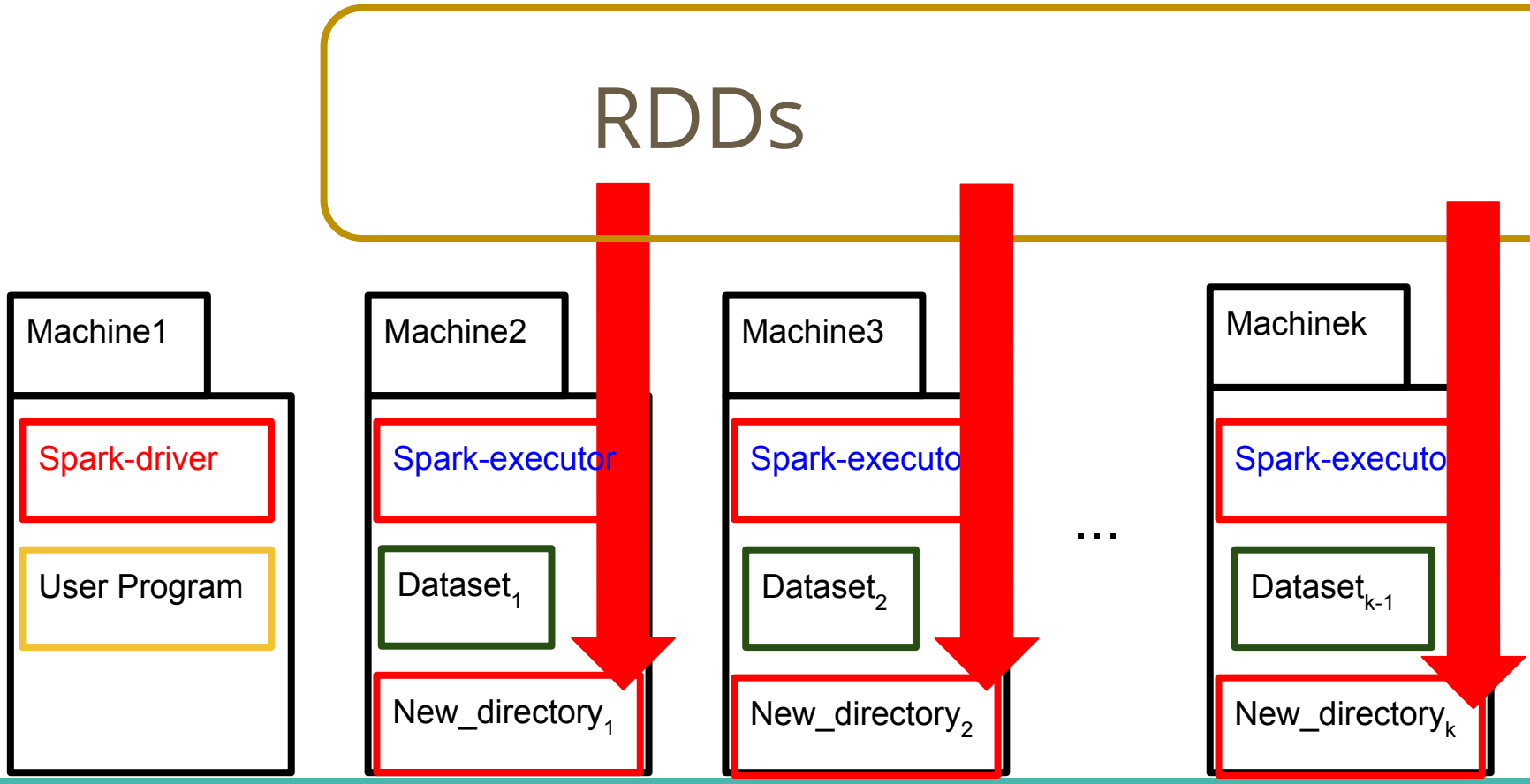

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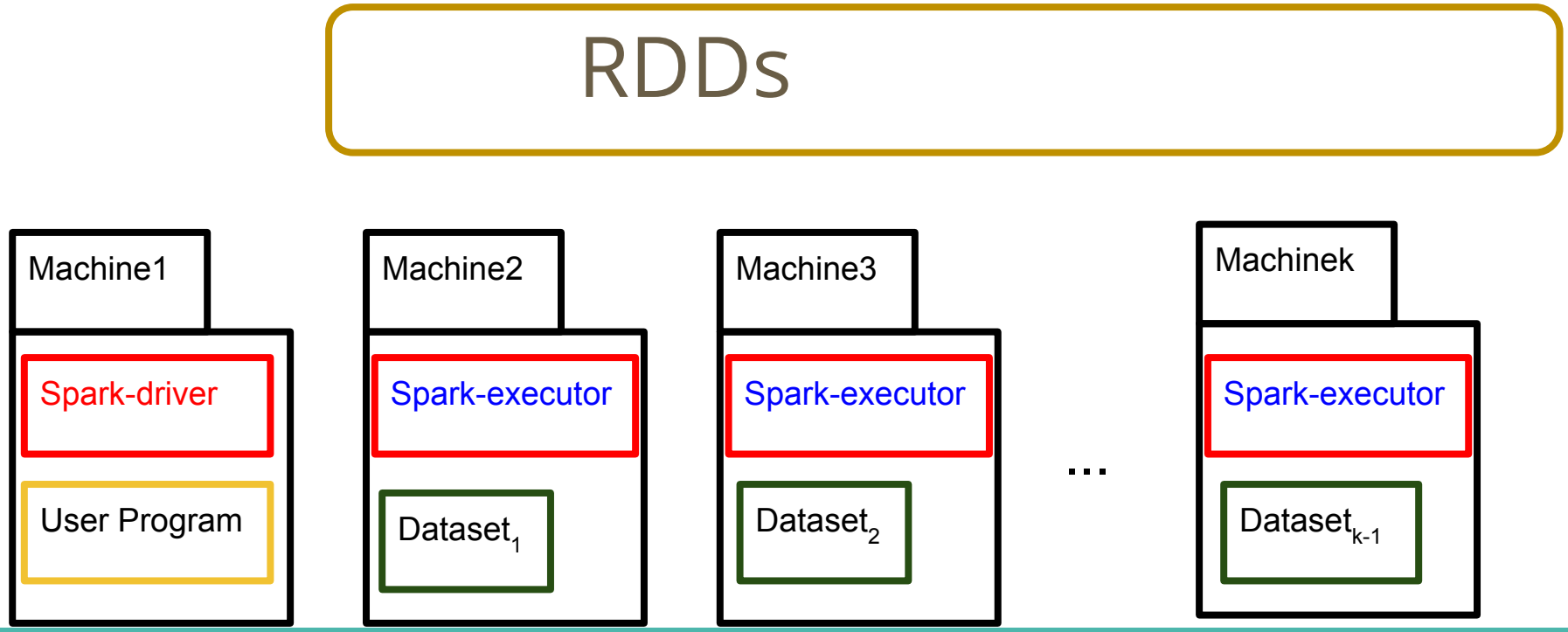

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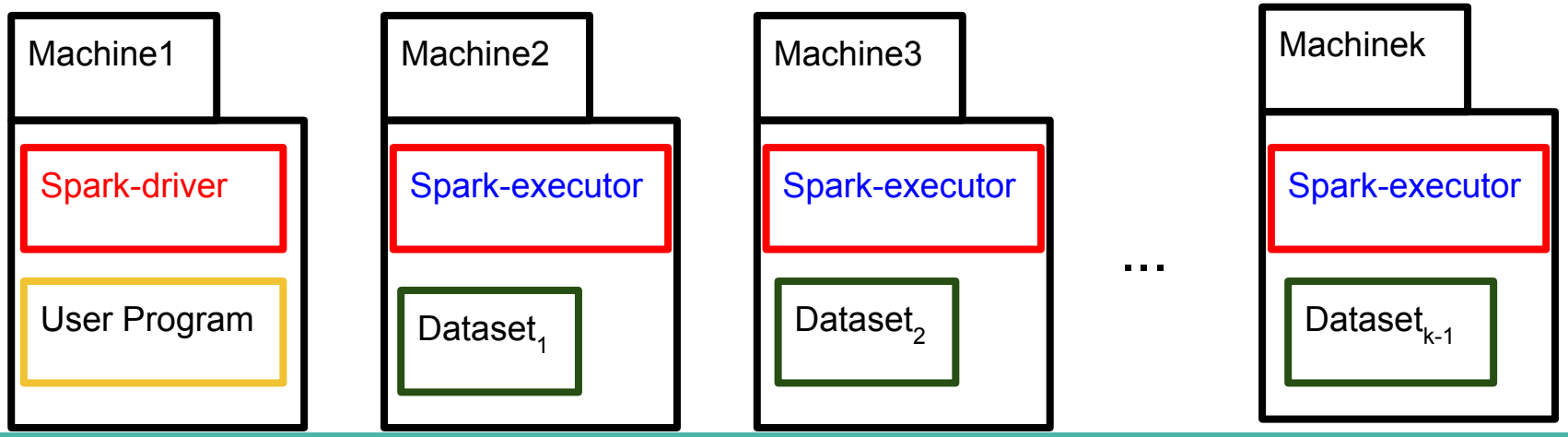

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- The **ADT private side** puts on the feet of the data developer.
  To do so, it has to sort out another 2 main questions:

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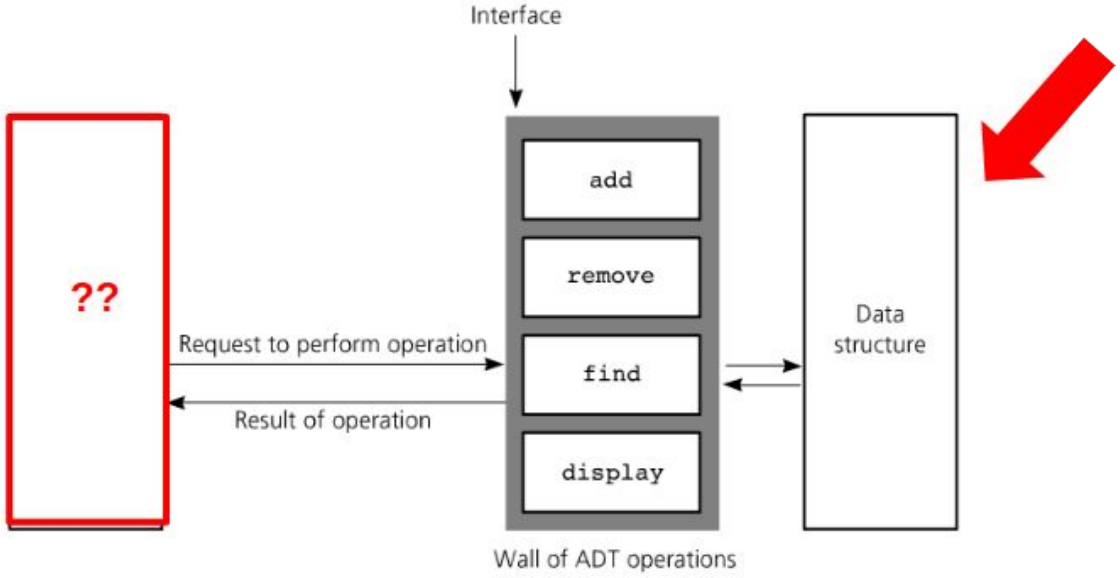

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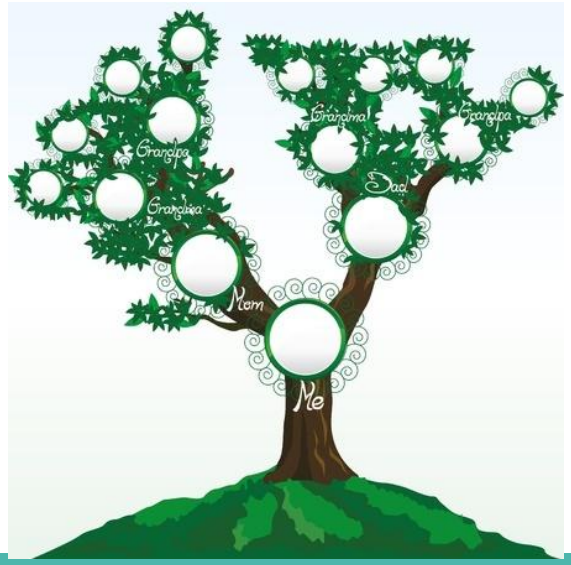

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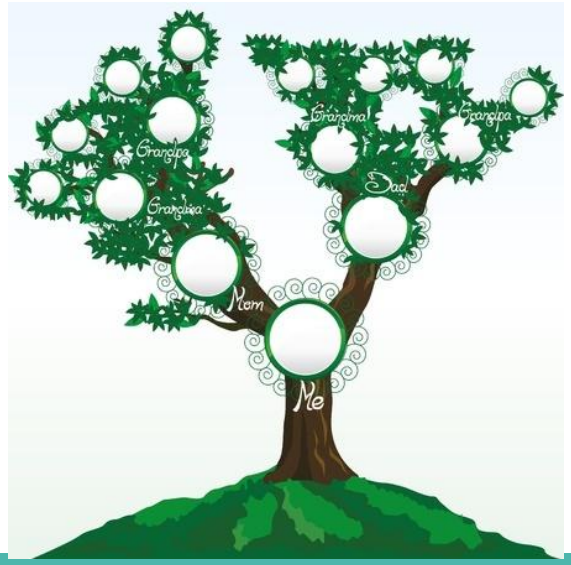

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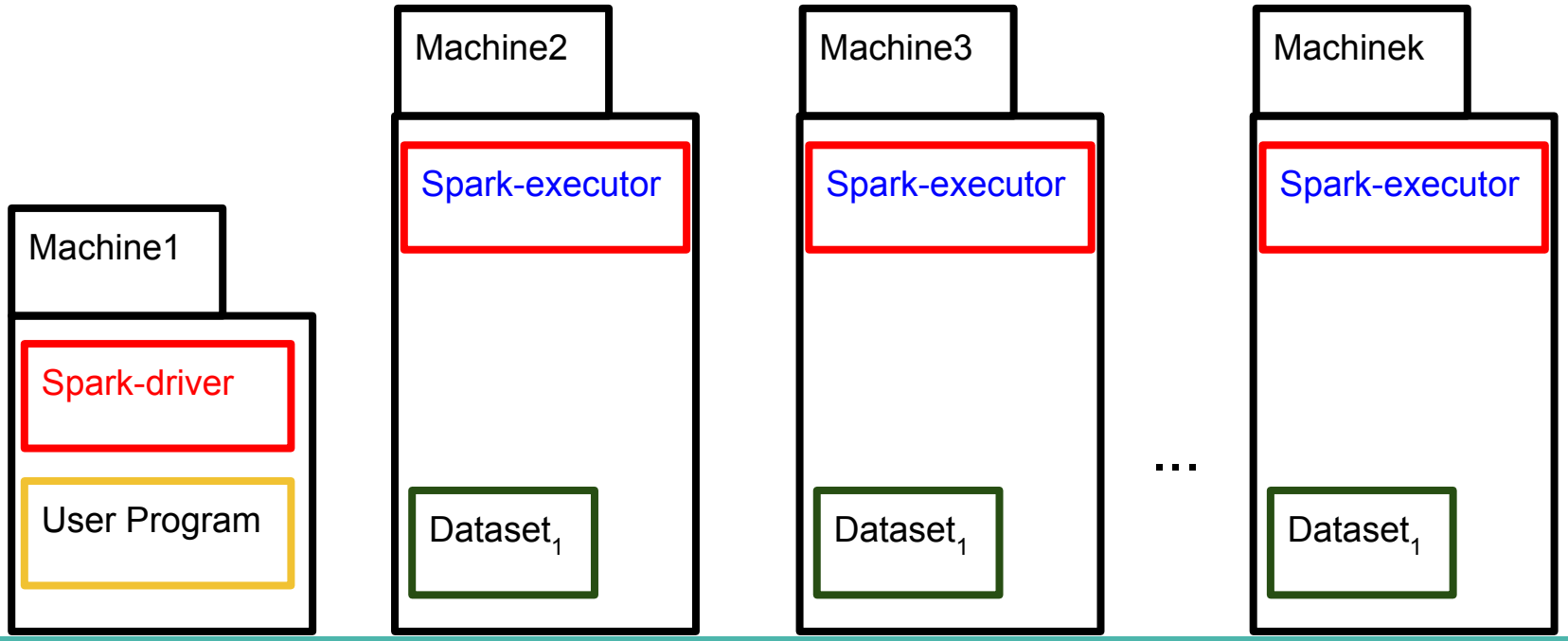
Partitions

The motivation for being partitioned is straightforward:

- If we decide to internally implement an RDD as a partitioned data structure, then we can distribute it among the Spark executor processes of the cluster, turning the compute and storage of such RDD into a collaborative task.



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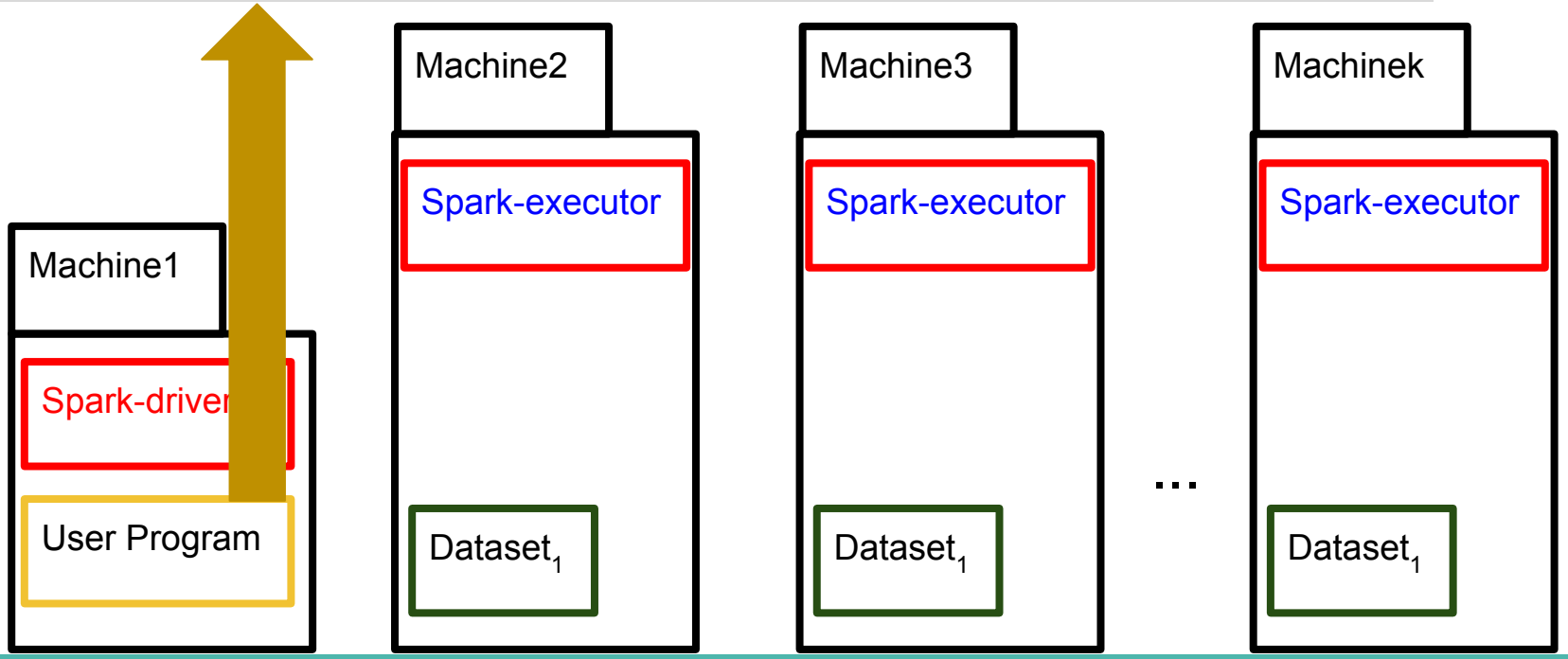

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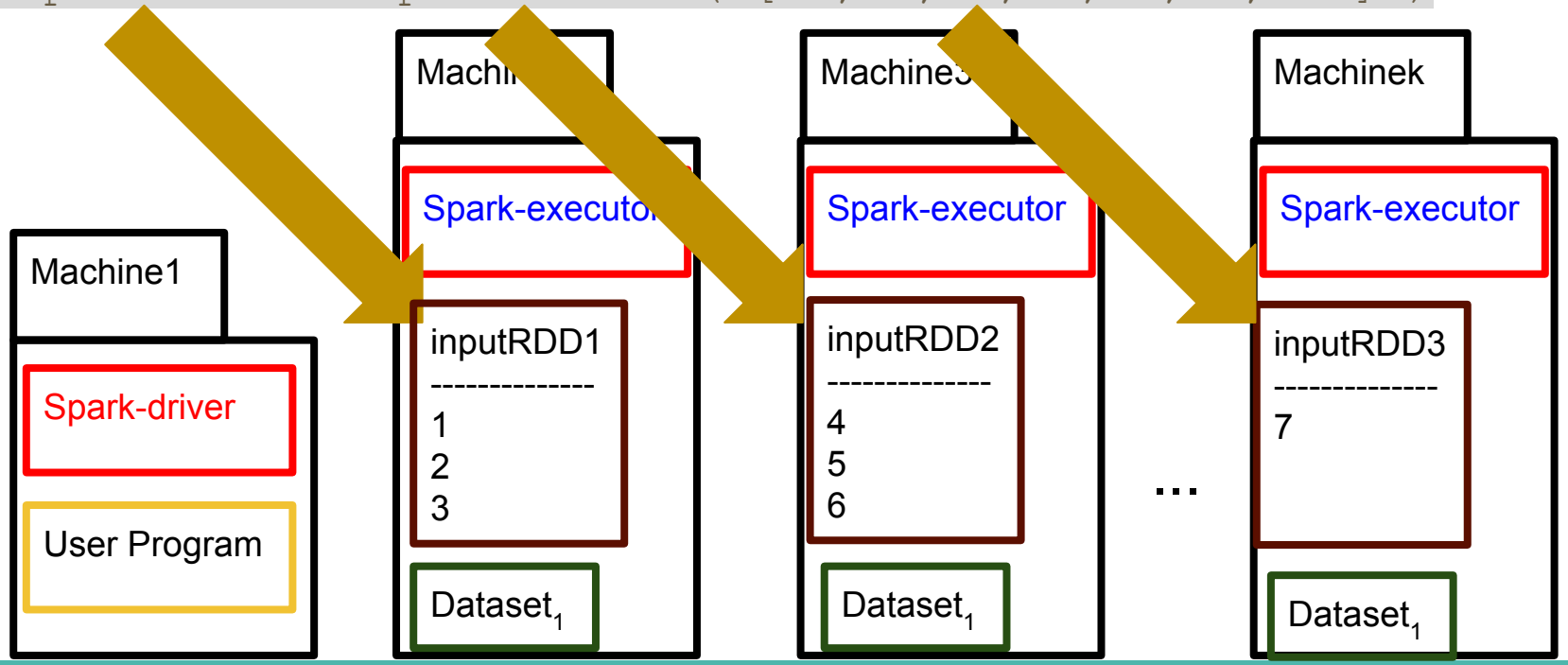

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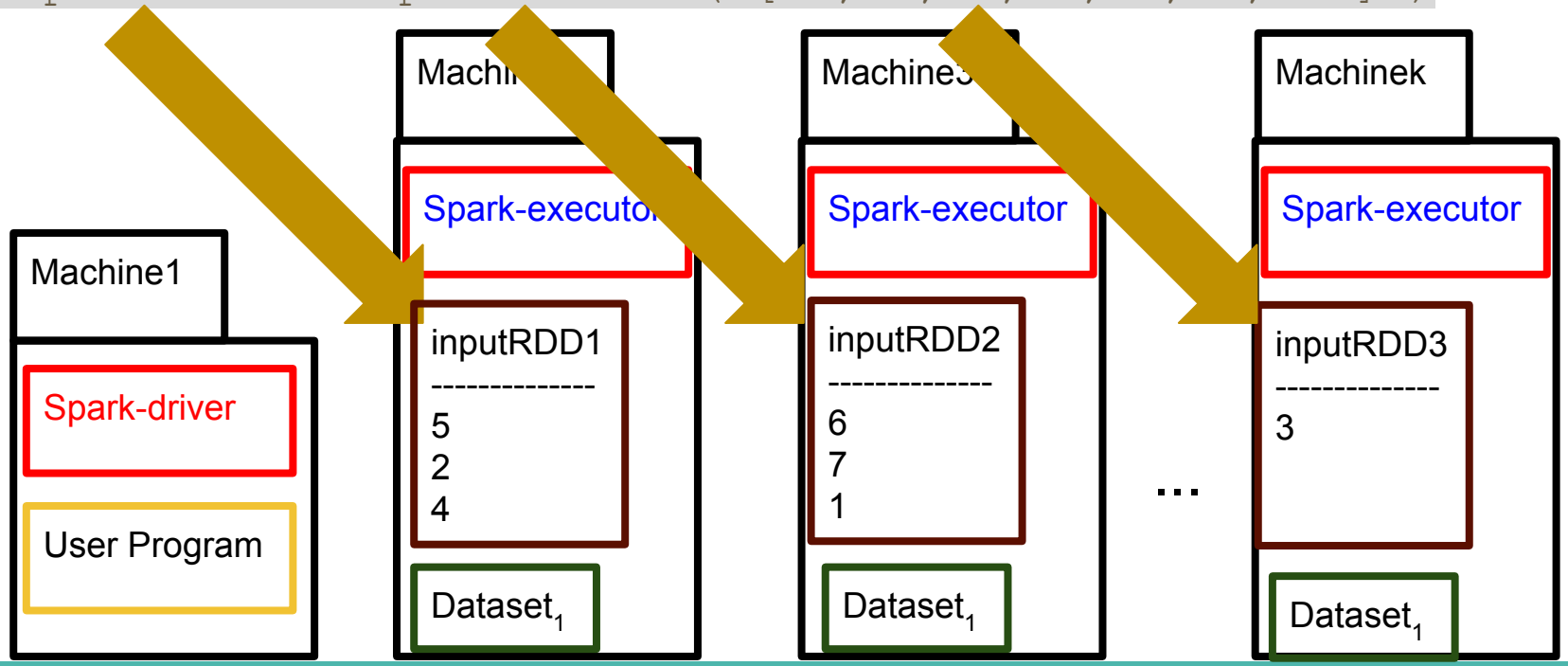

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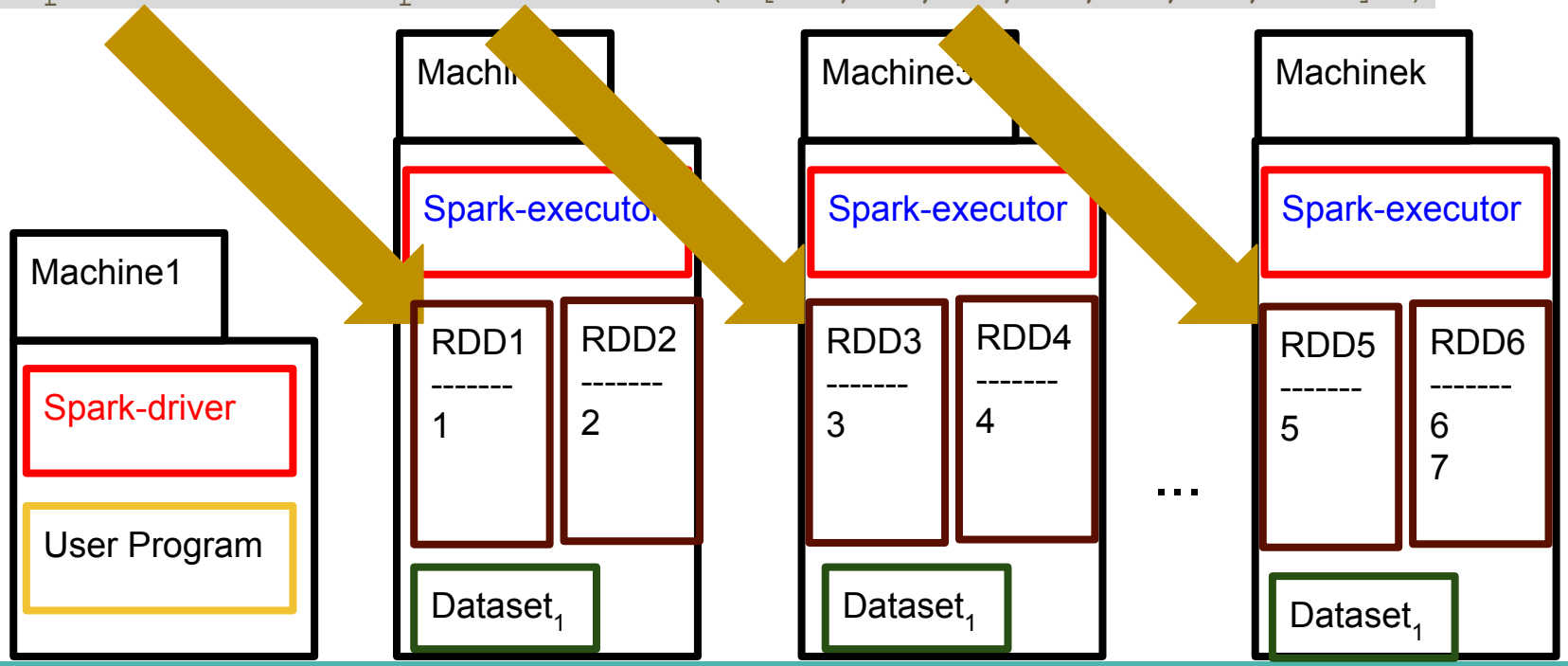

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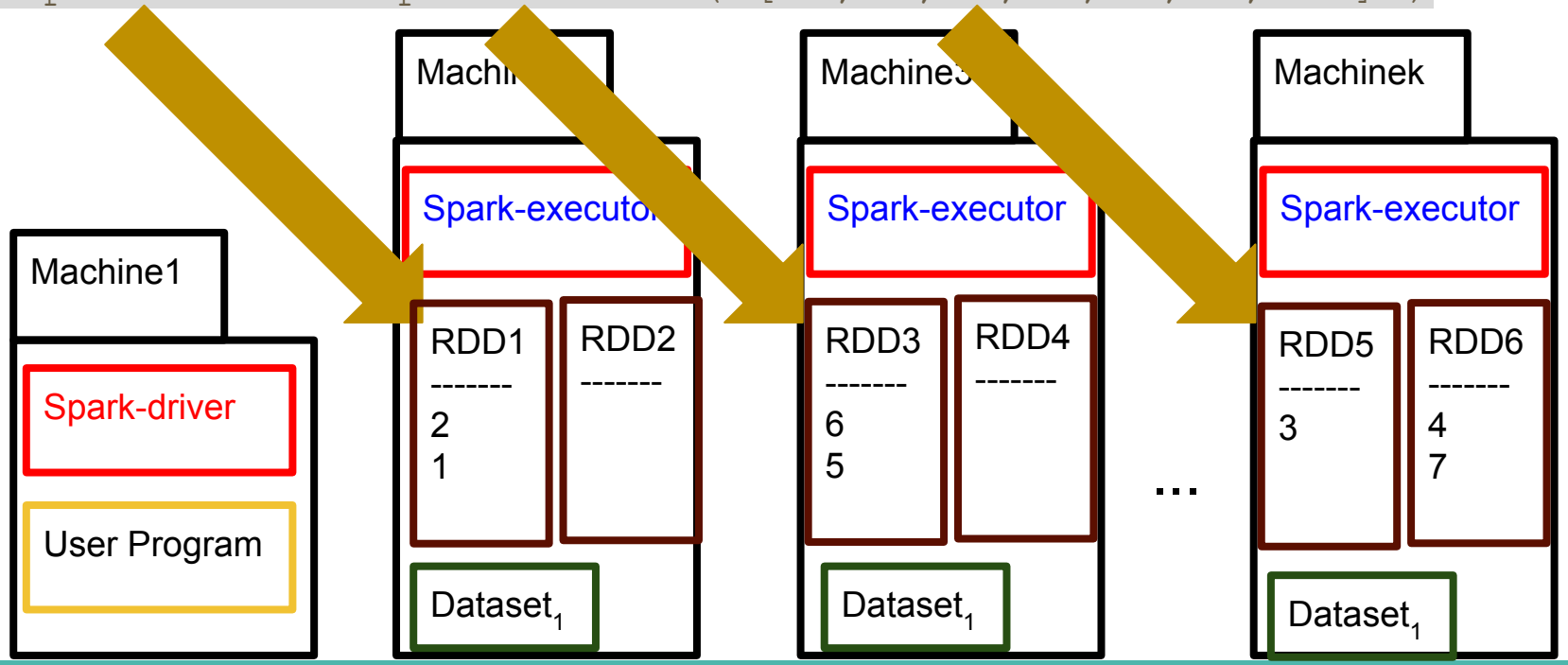

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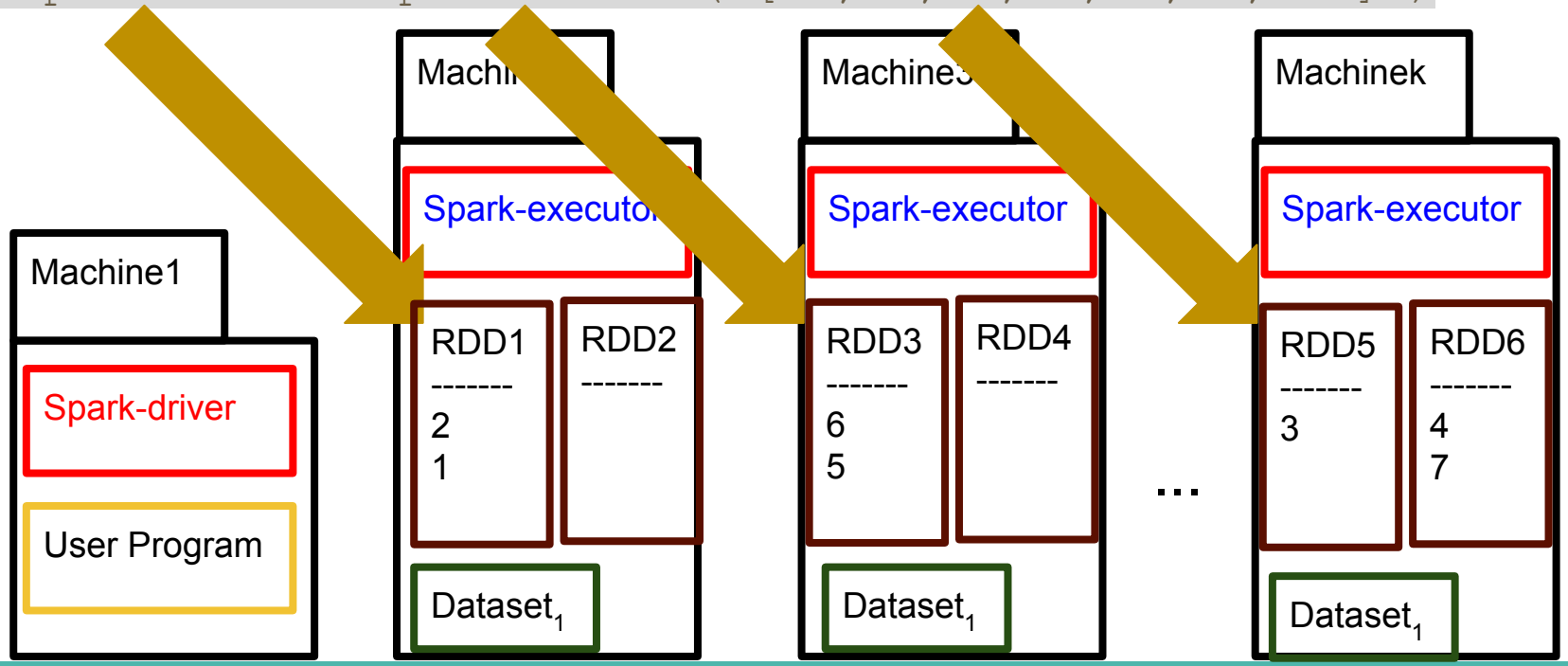

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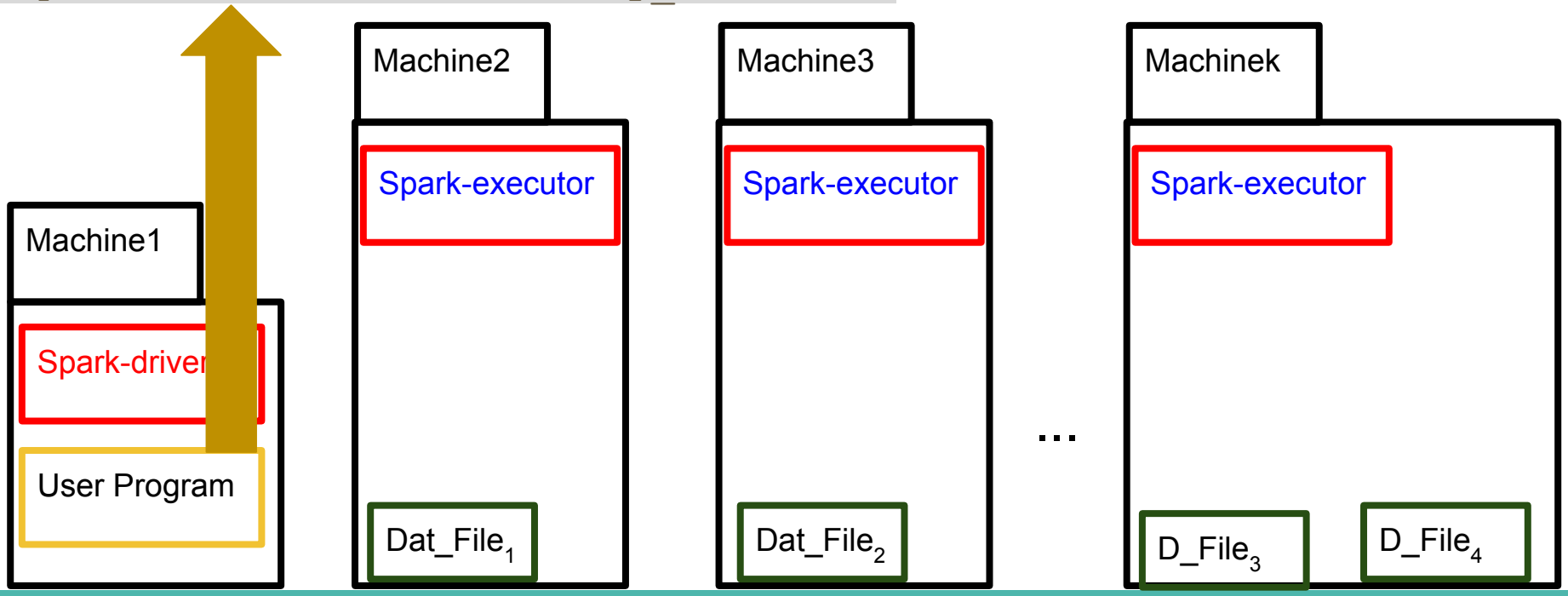

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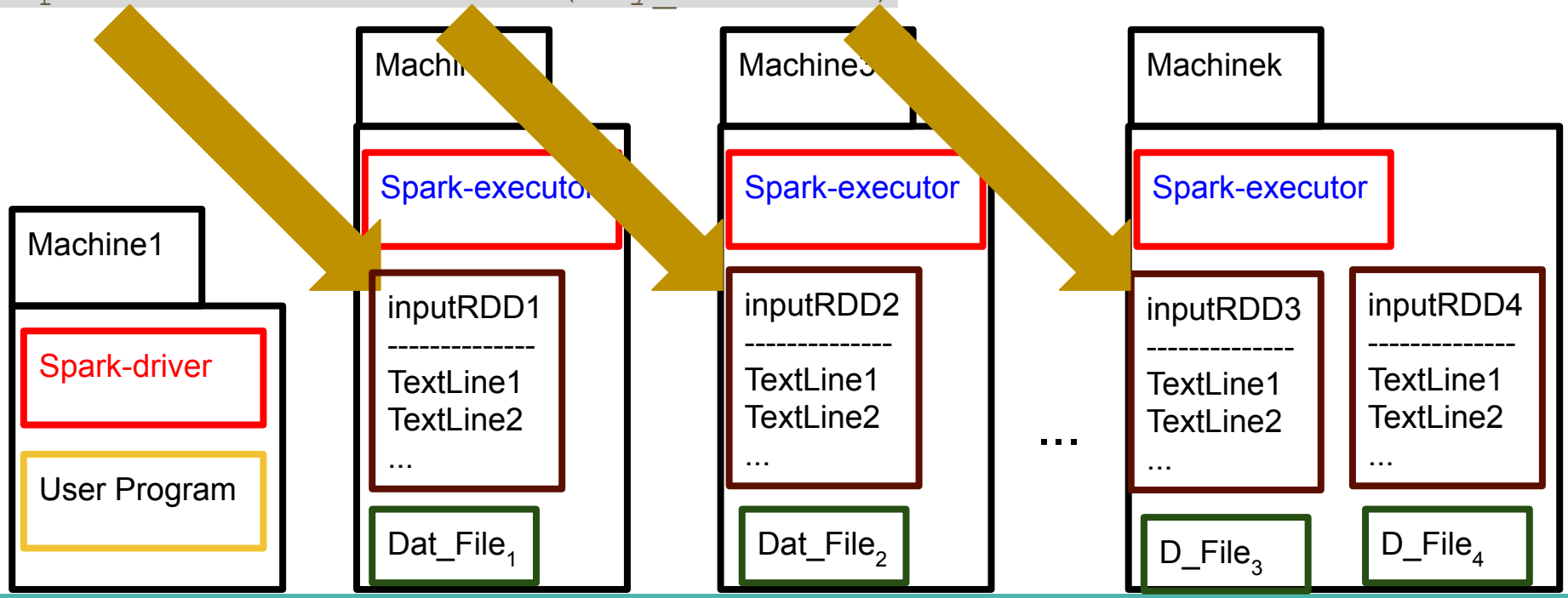

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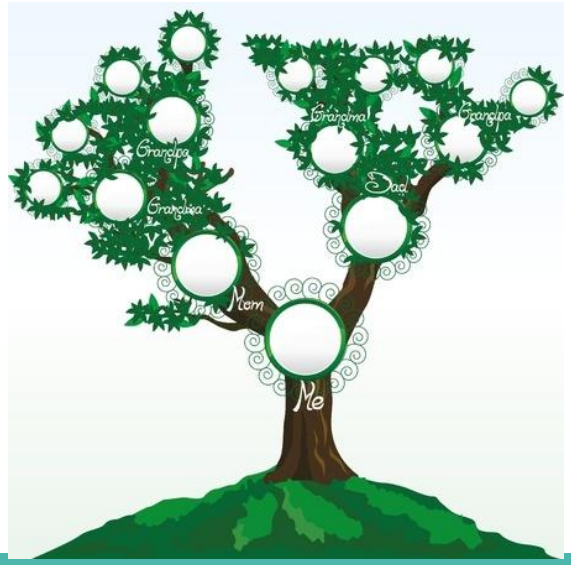

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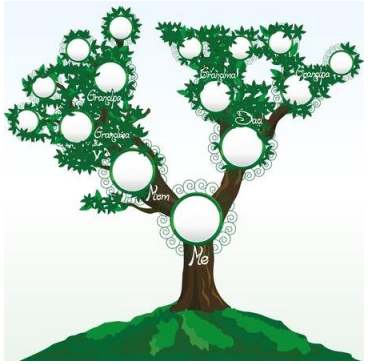

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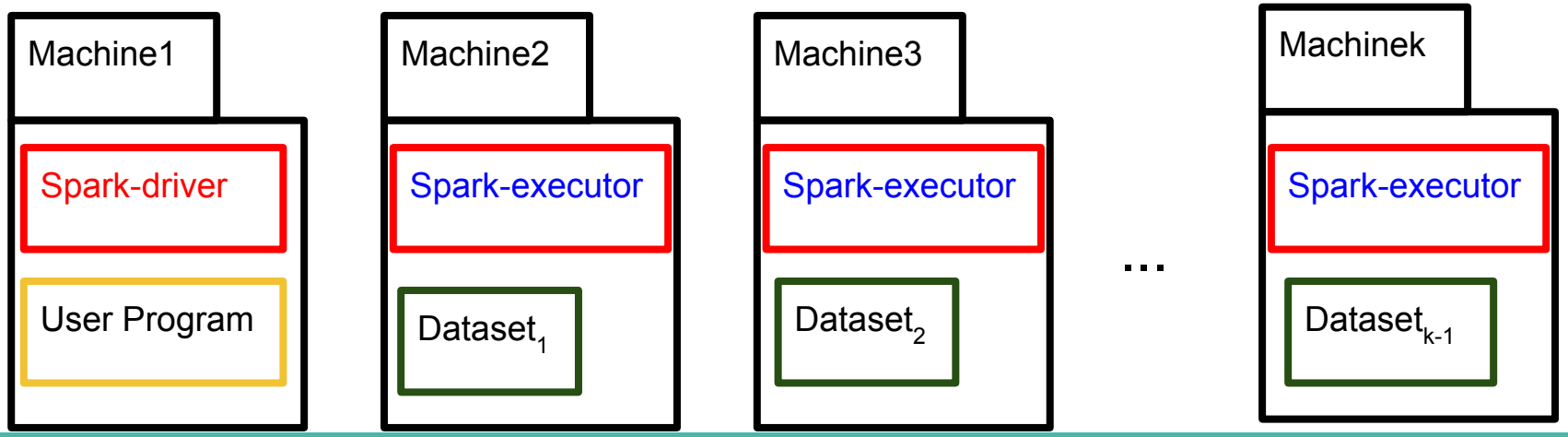

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- Each time a **creation**, **transformation** or an **action** operation takes place, a dependency is created between the parent (original RDD/data source) and its child (novel RDD or result).

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➢ For example, the following map **transformation** operation creates a dependency between inputRDD and newRDD.

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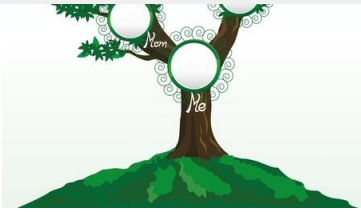

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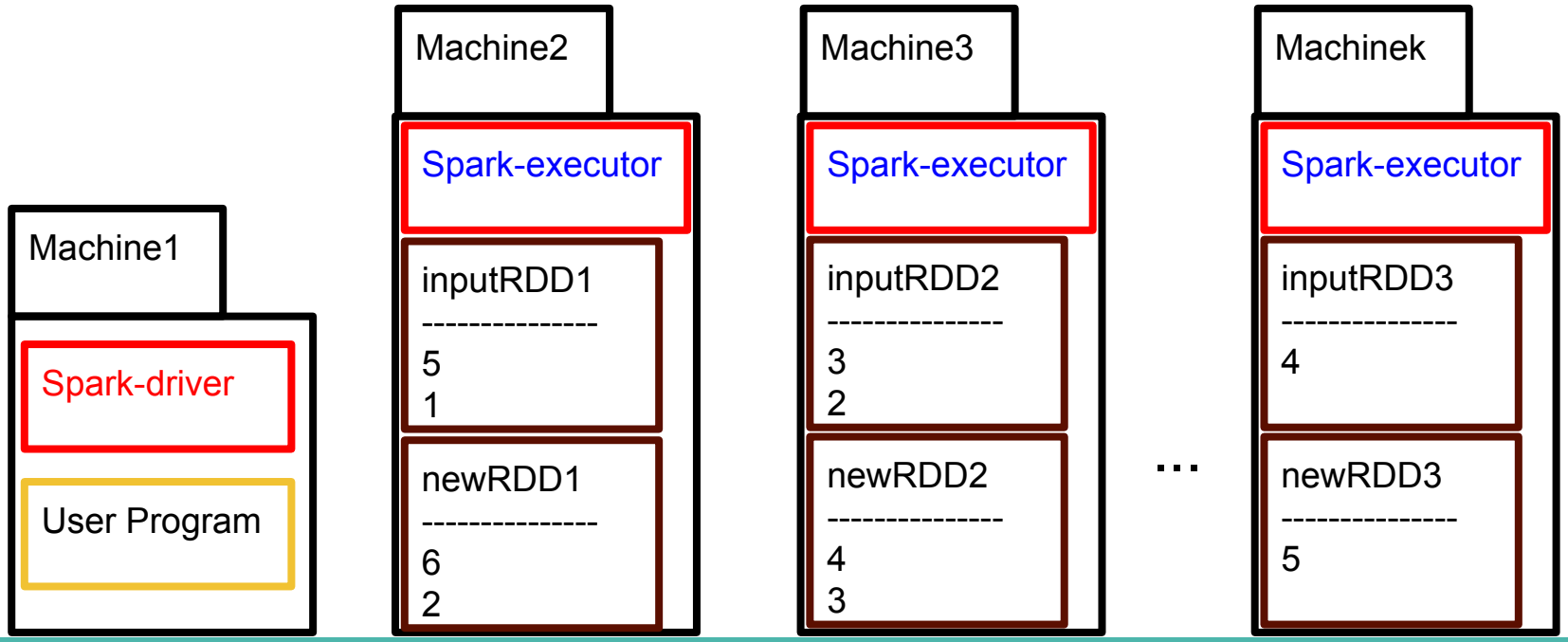

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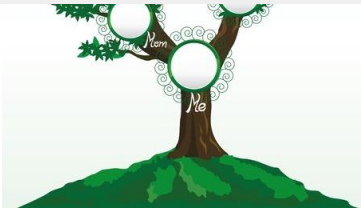

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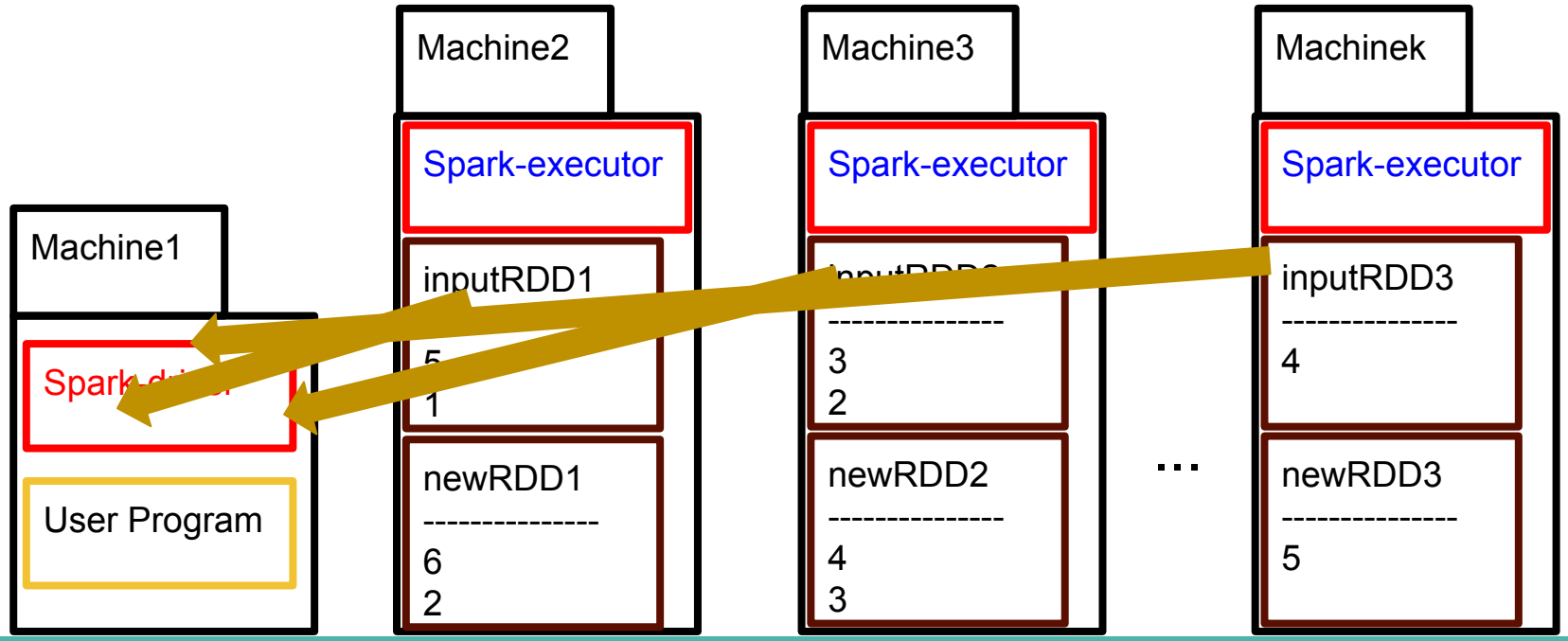

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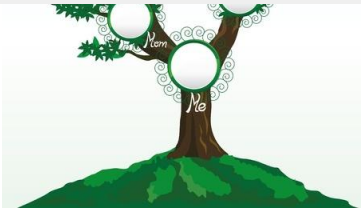

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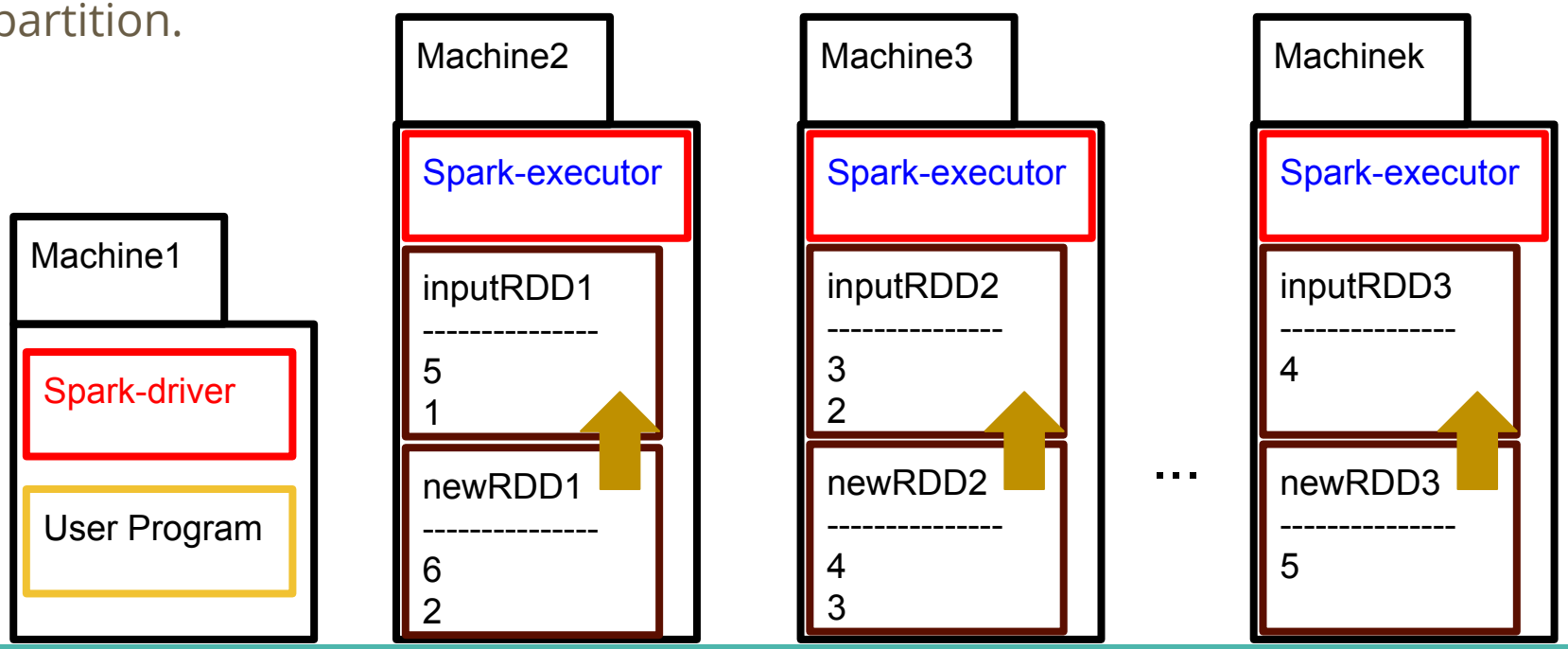

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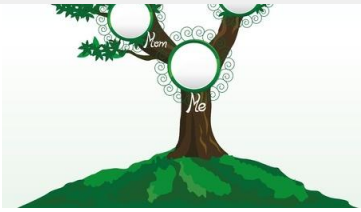

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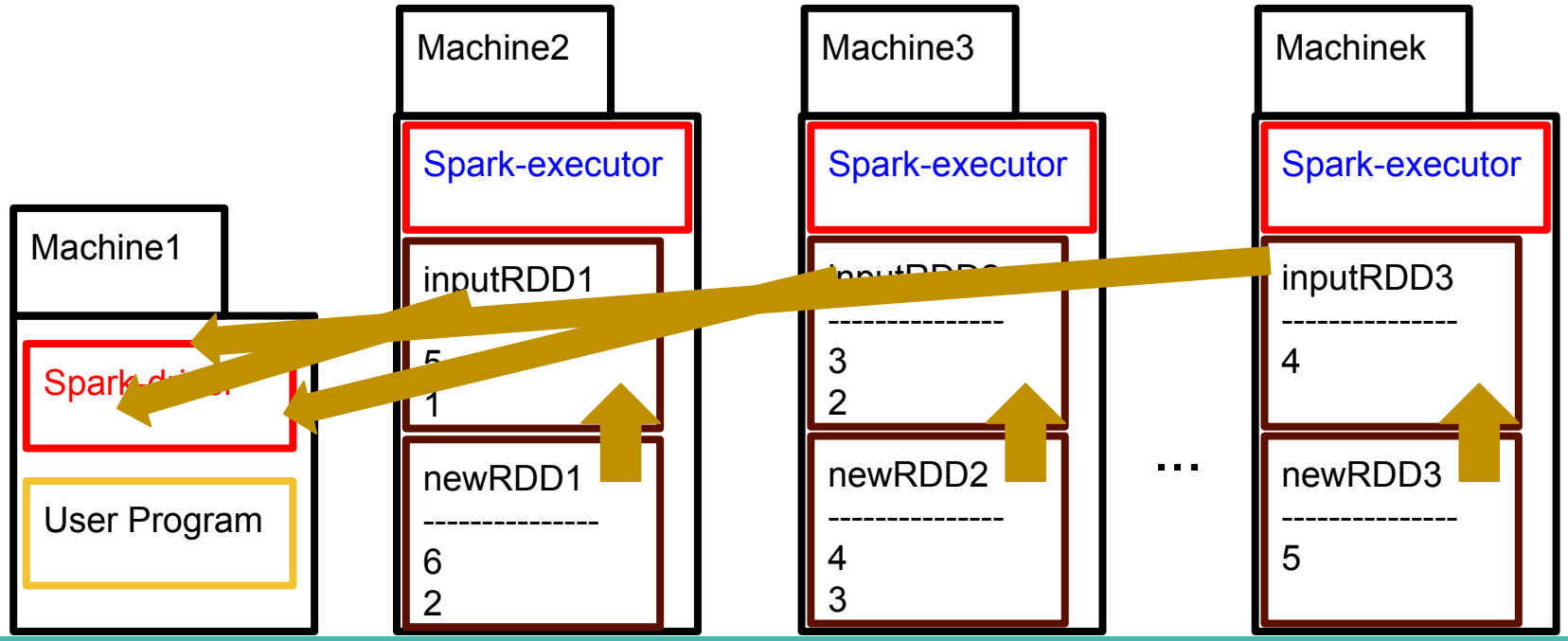

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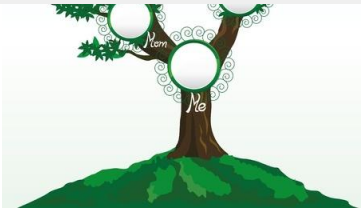

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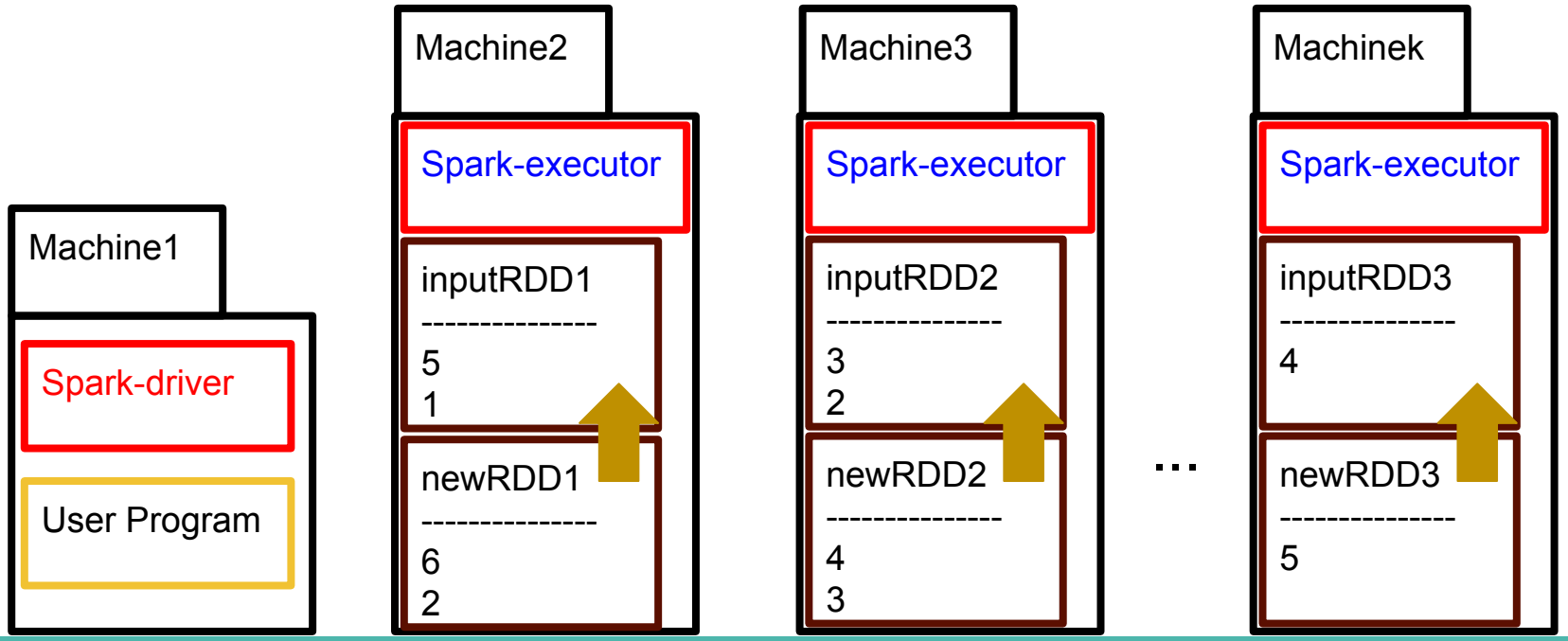

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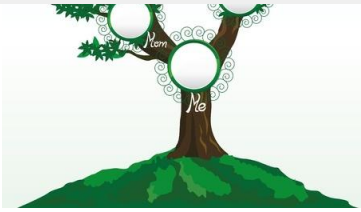

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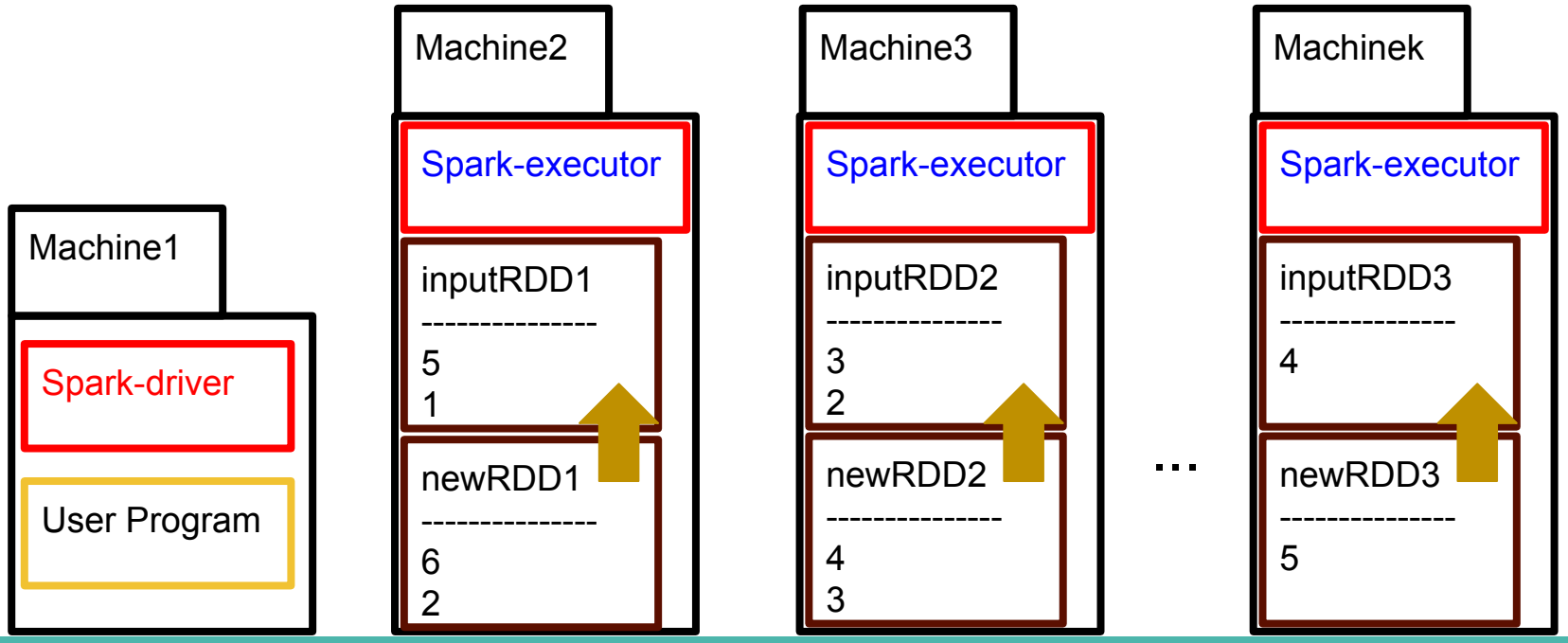

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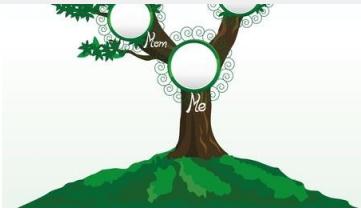

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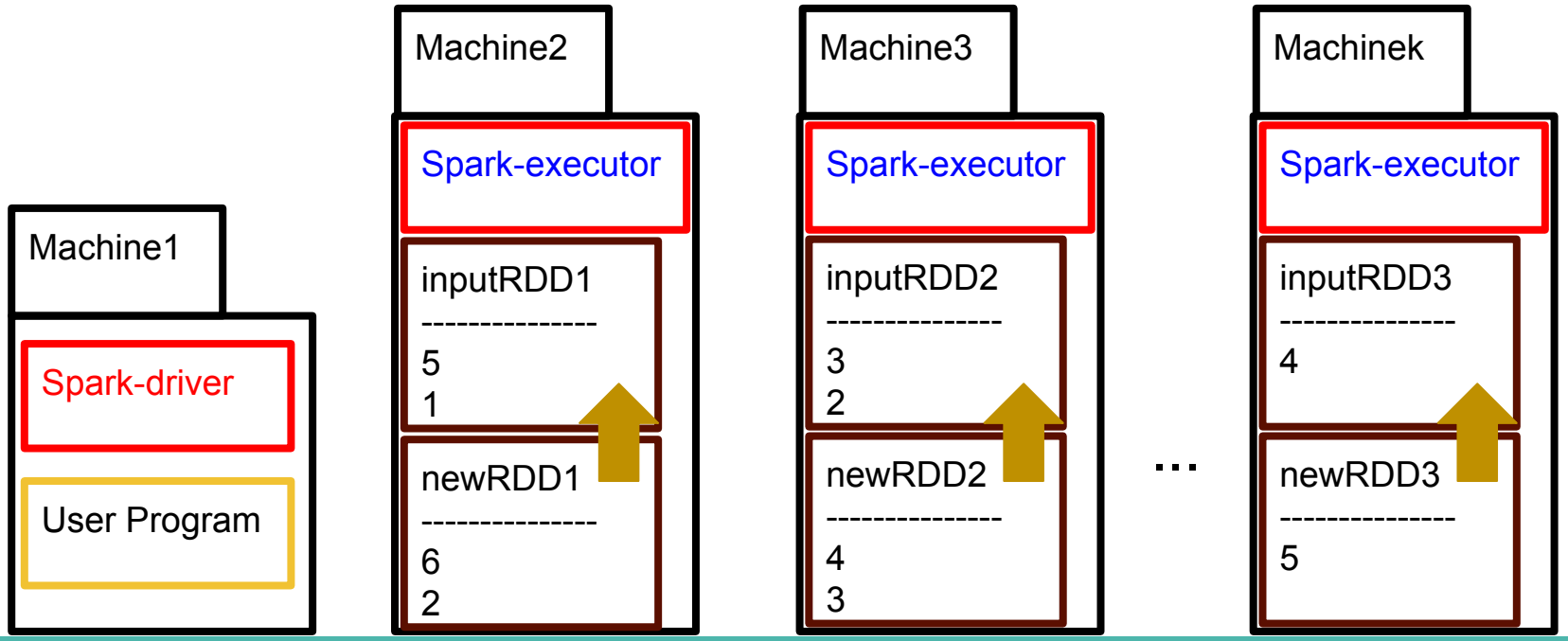

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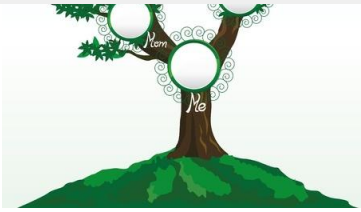

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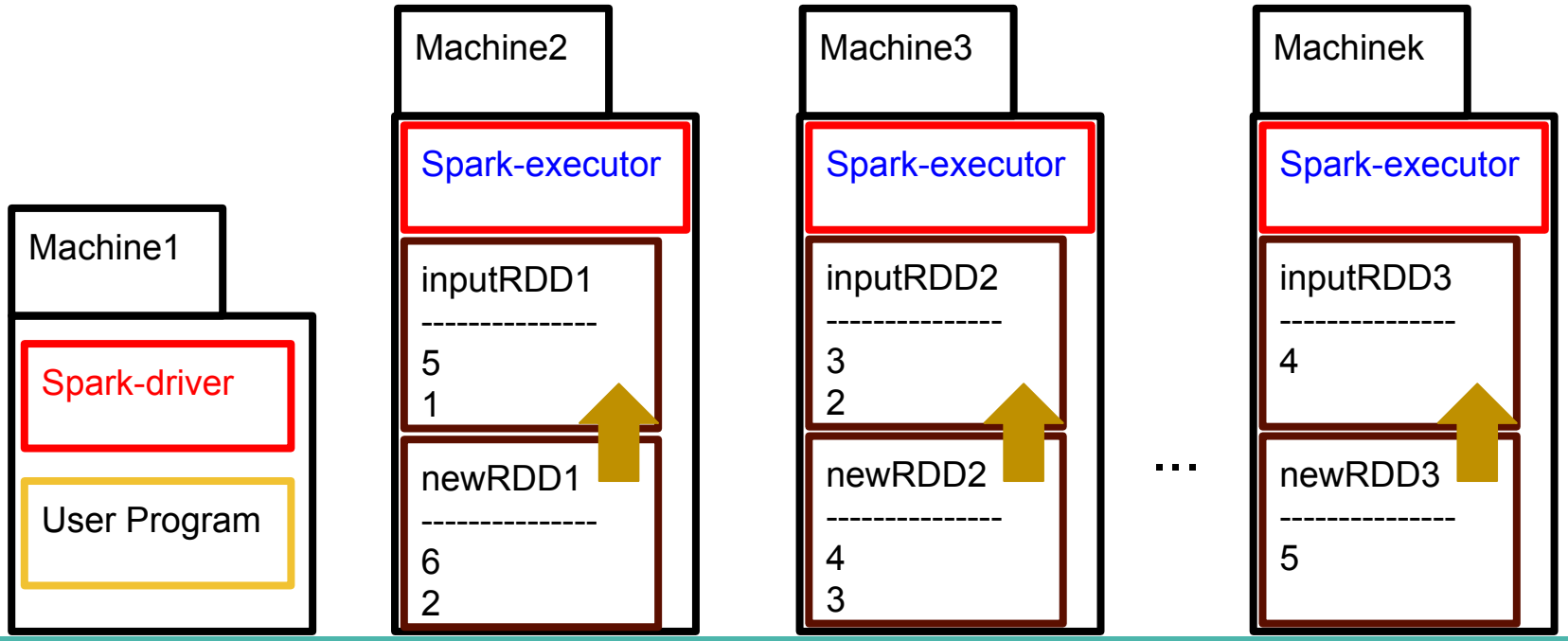

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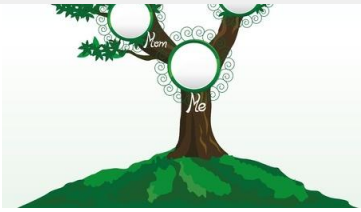

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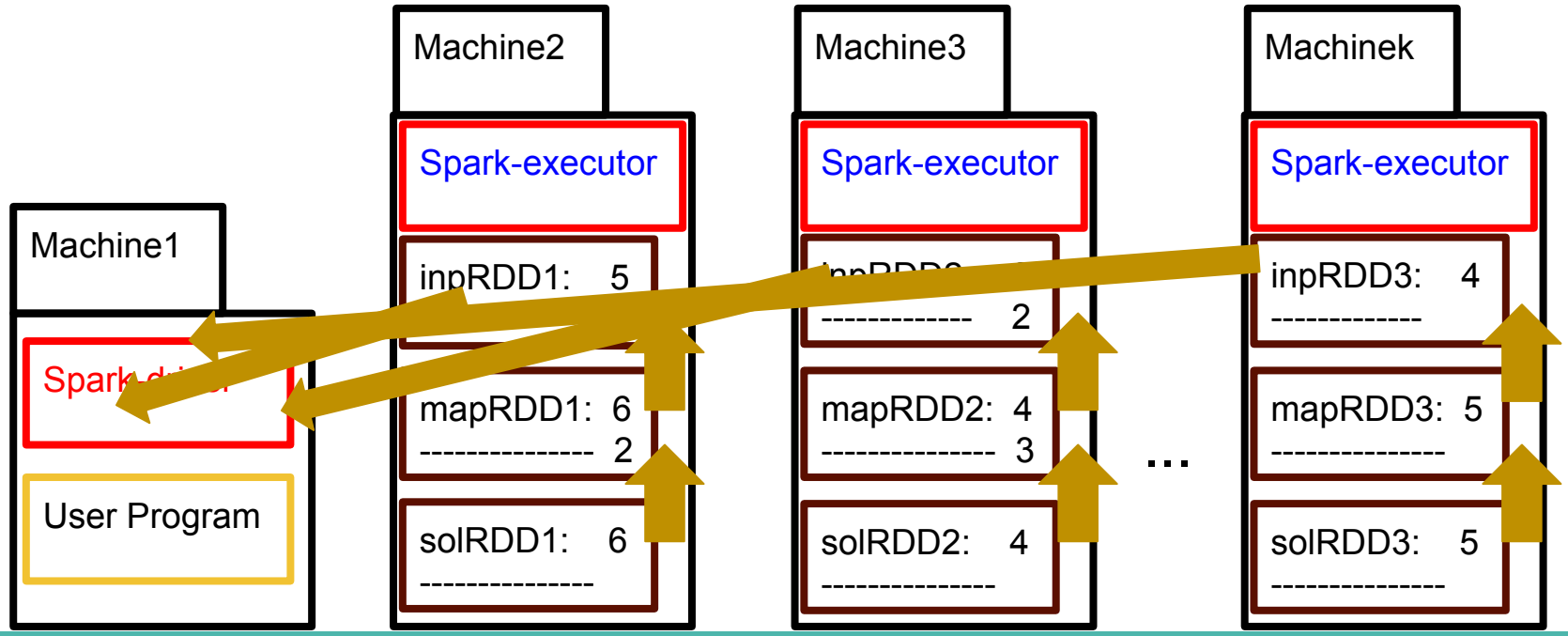

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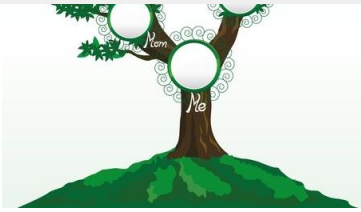

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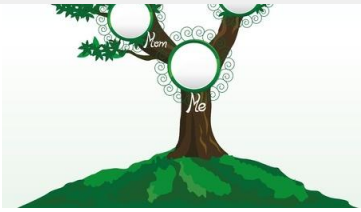

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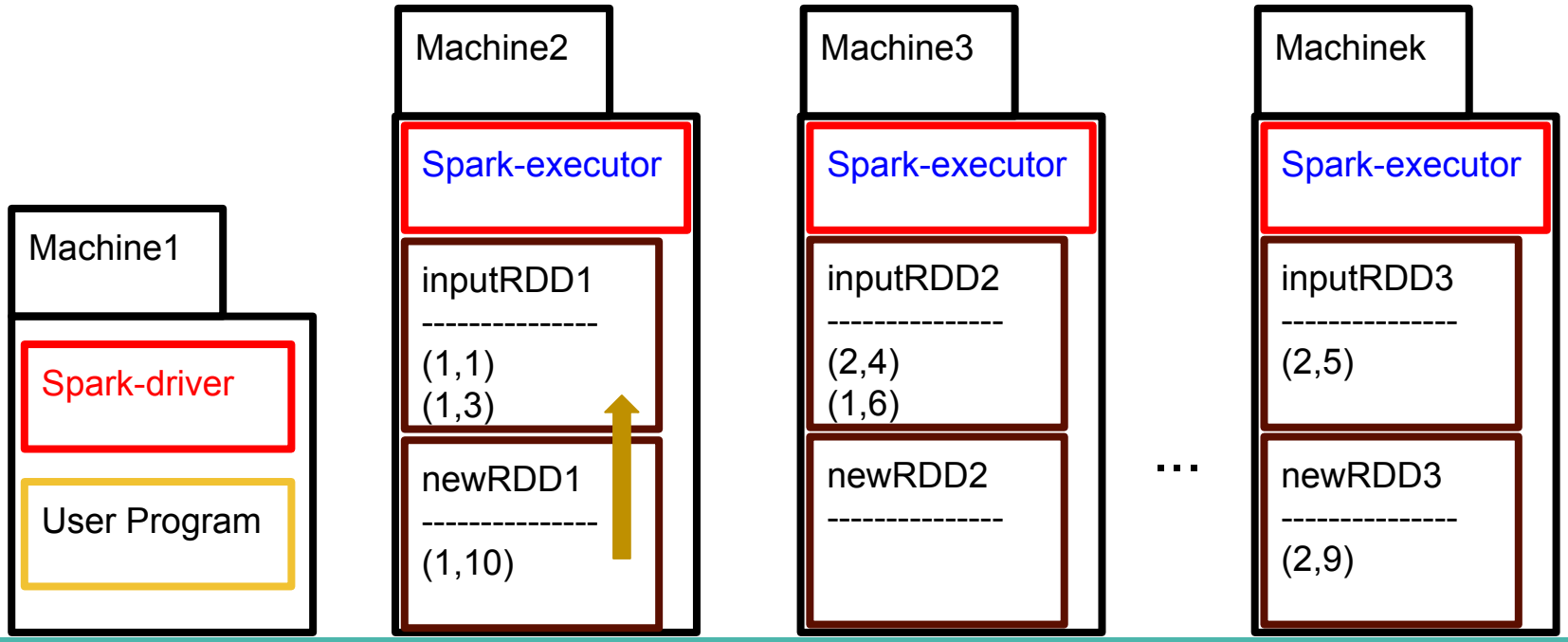

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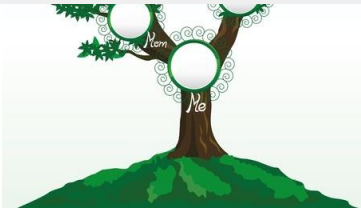

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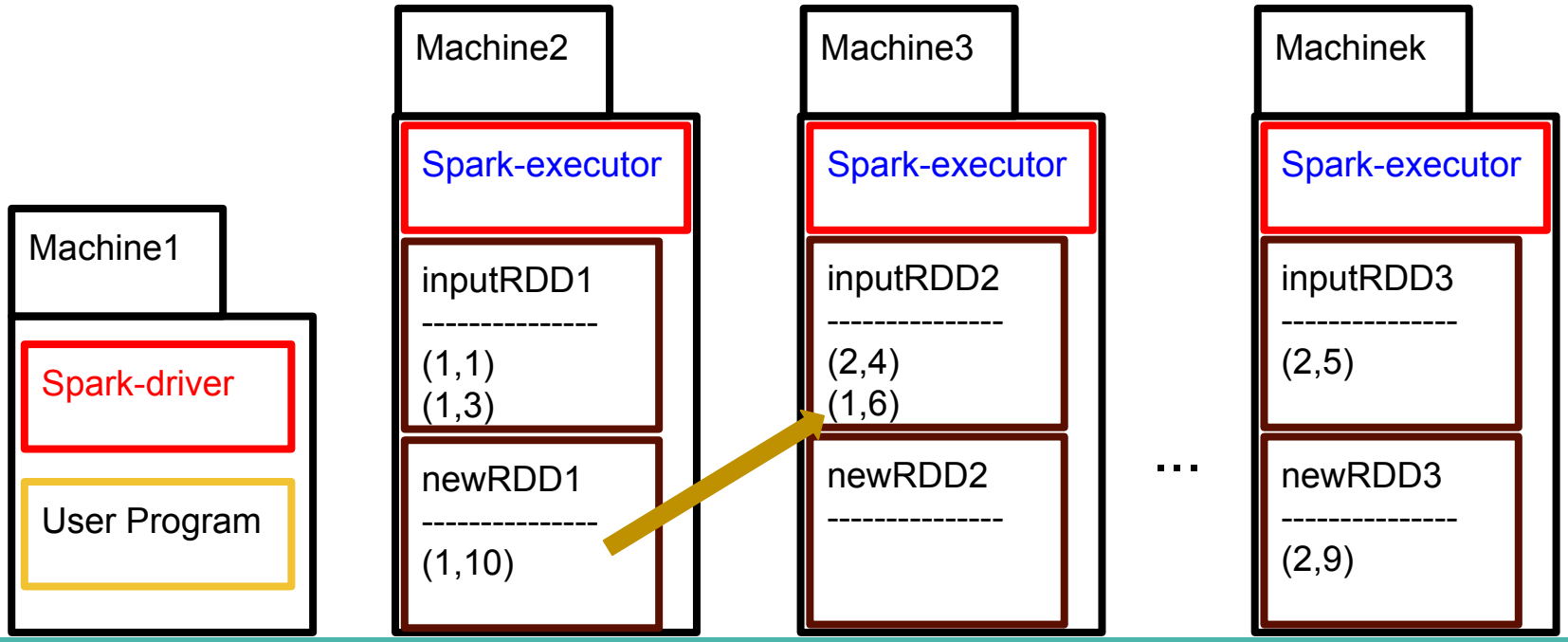

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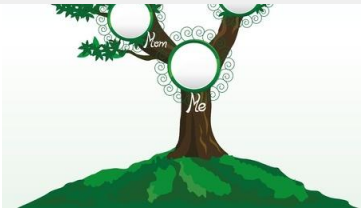

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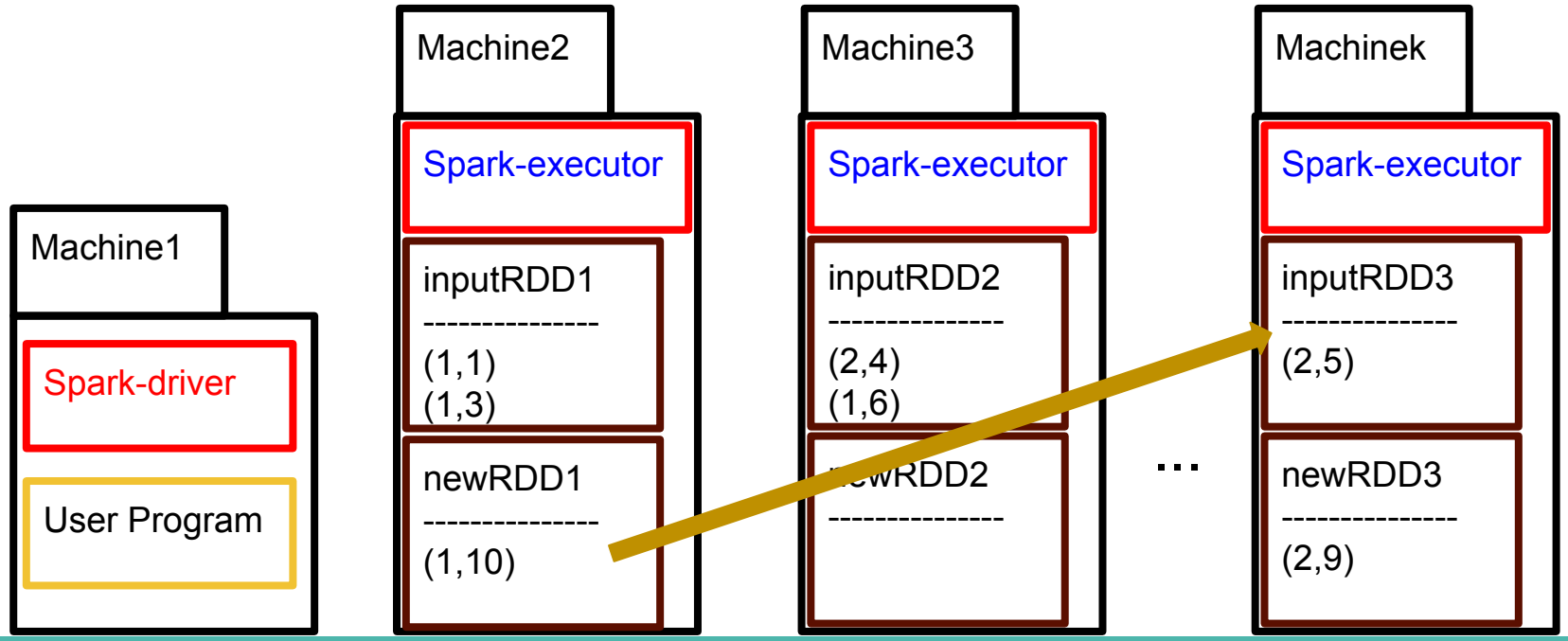

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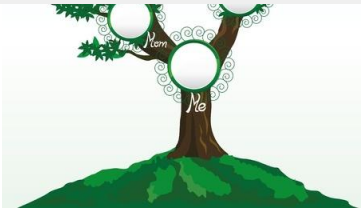

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So, as we can see, this partition depends in many parent partitions.
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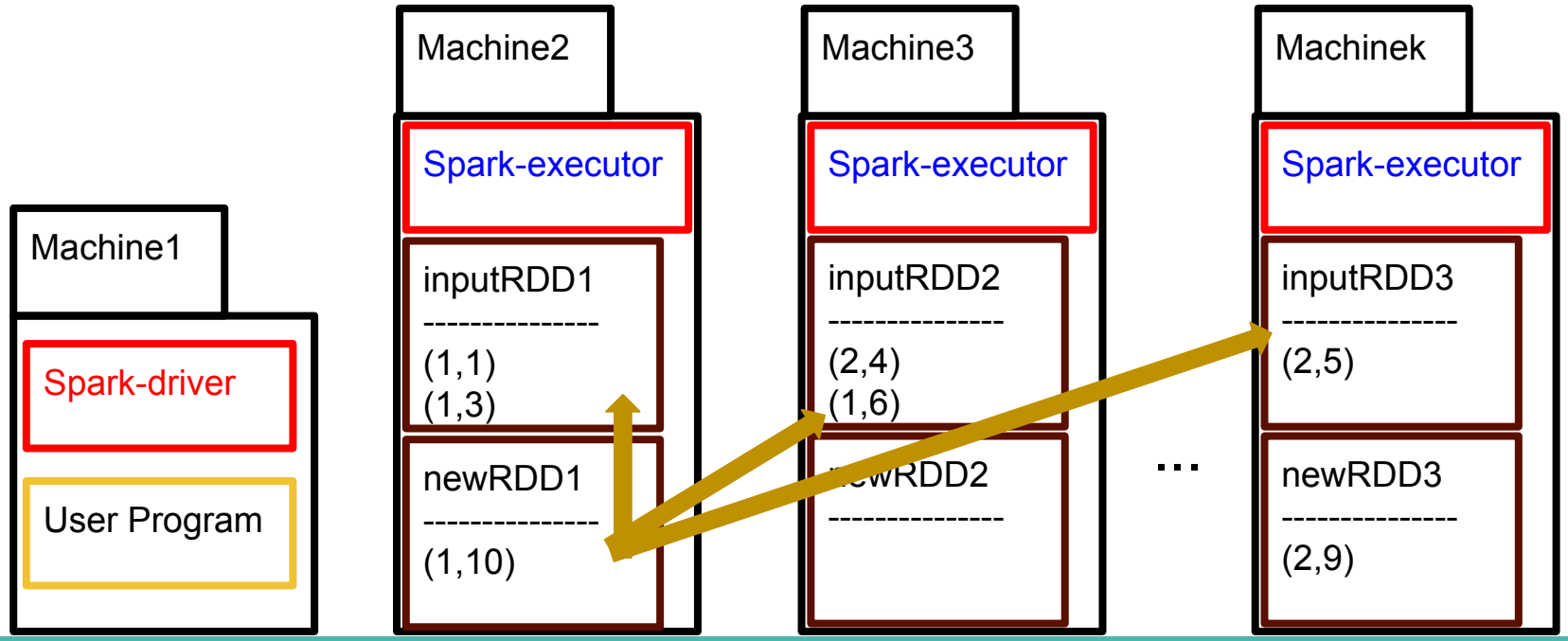

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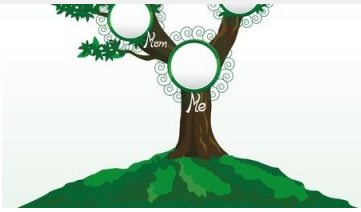

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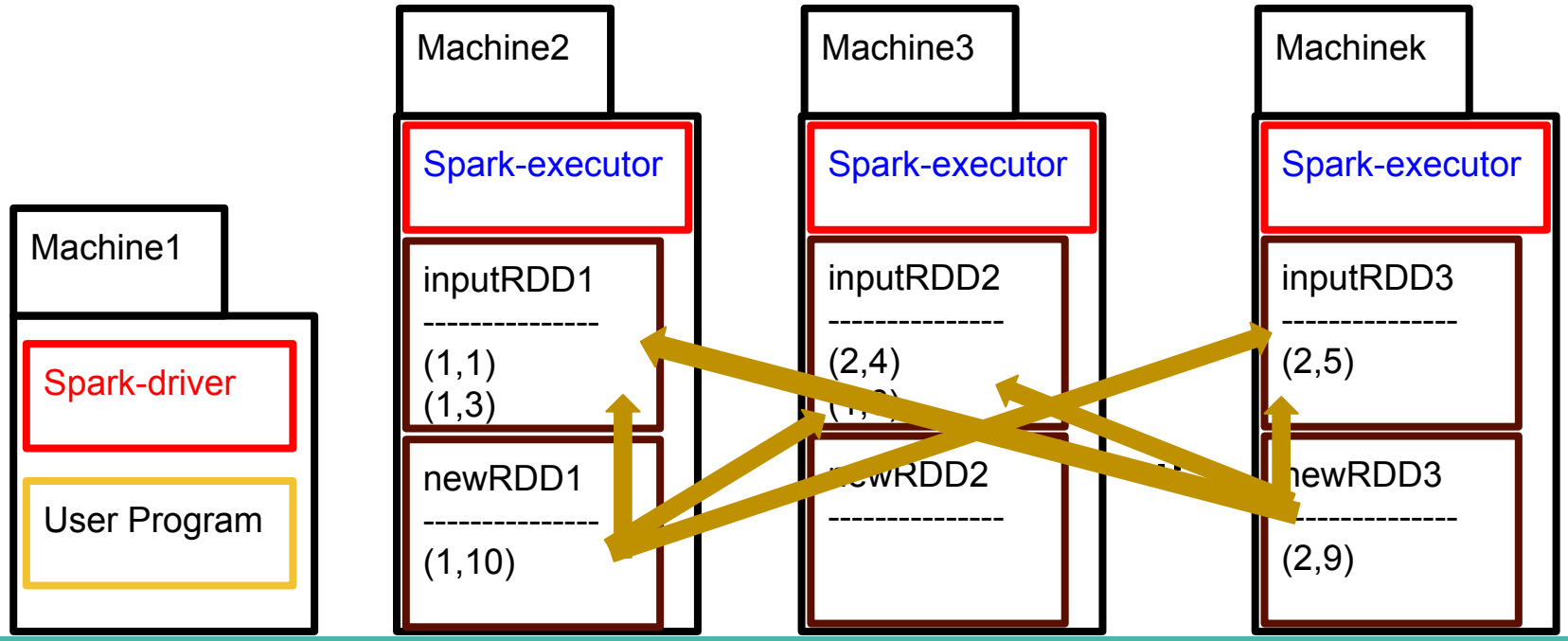

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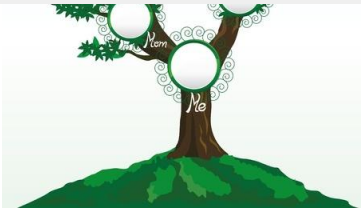

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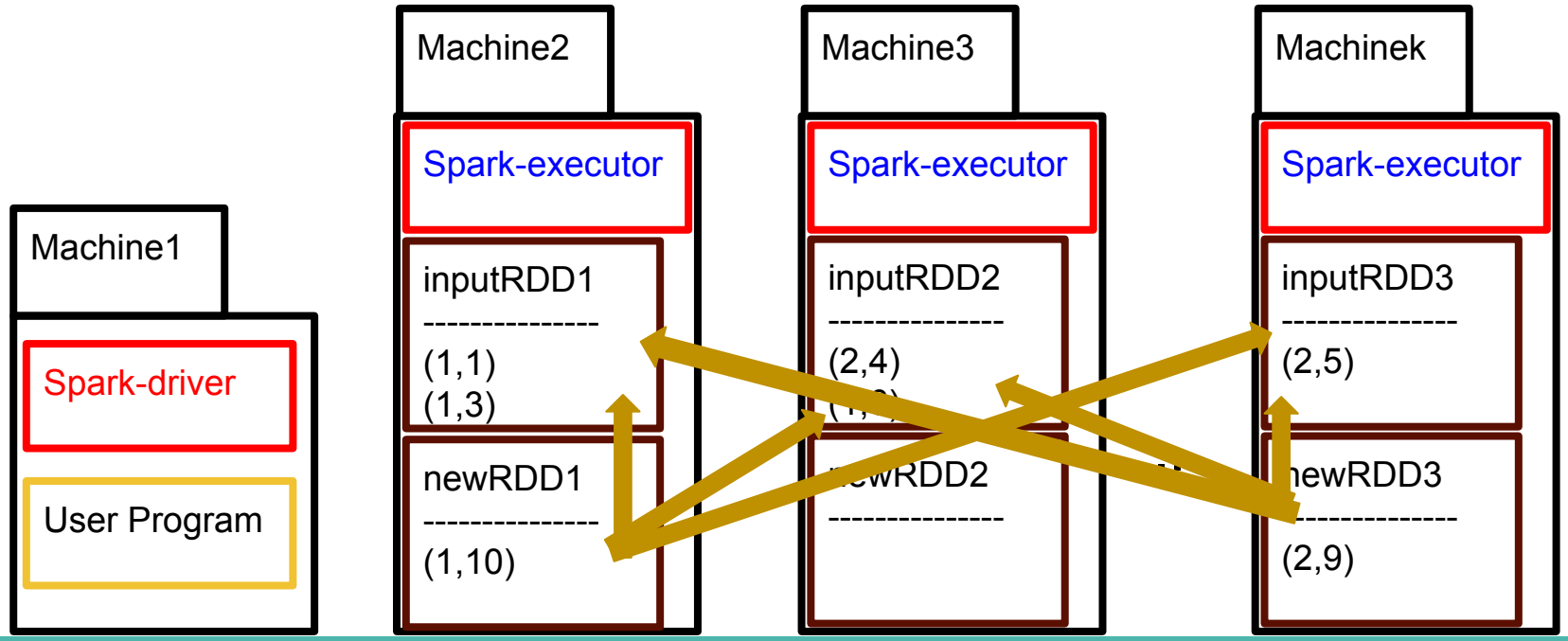

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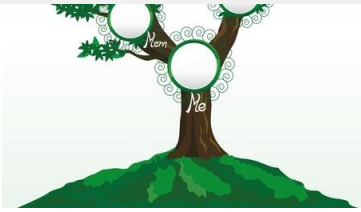

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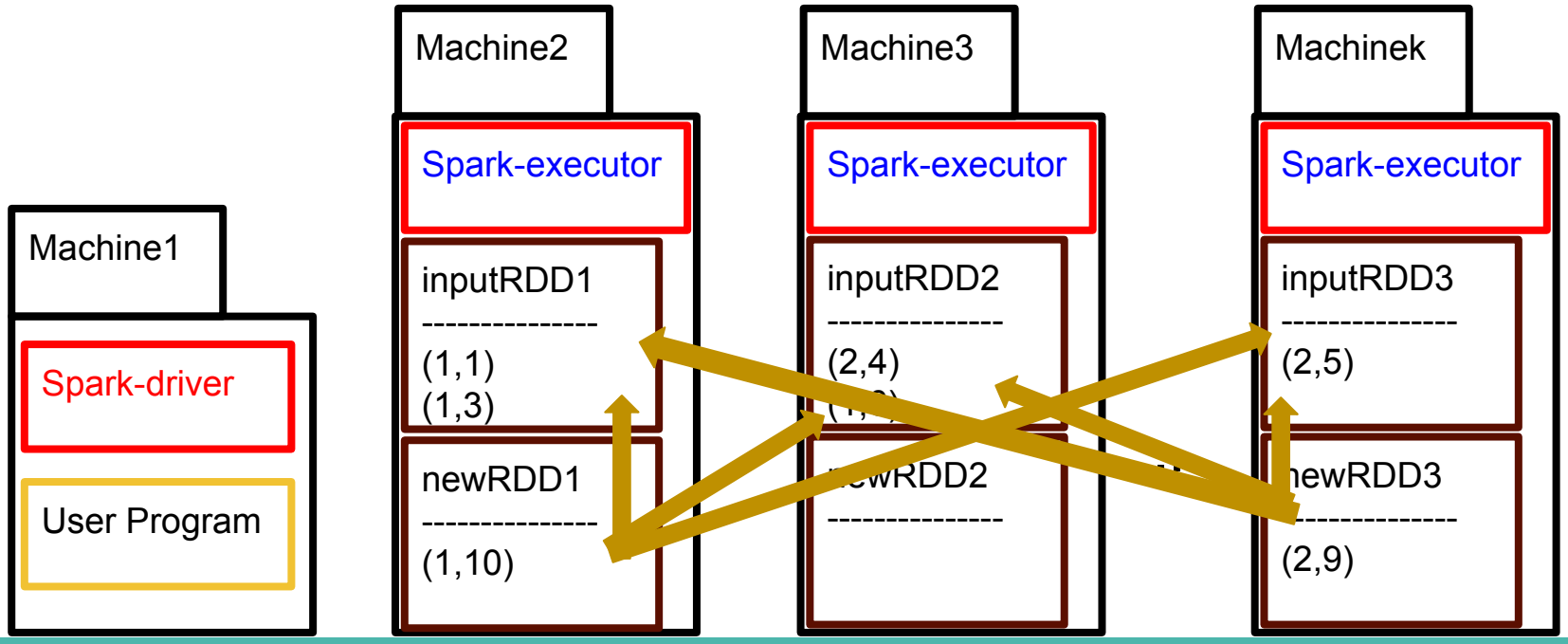

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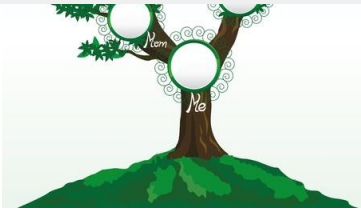

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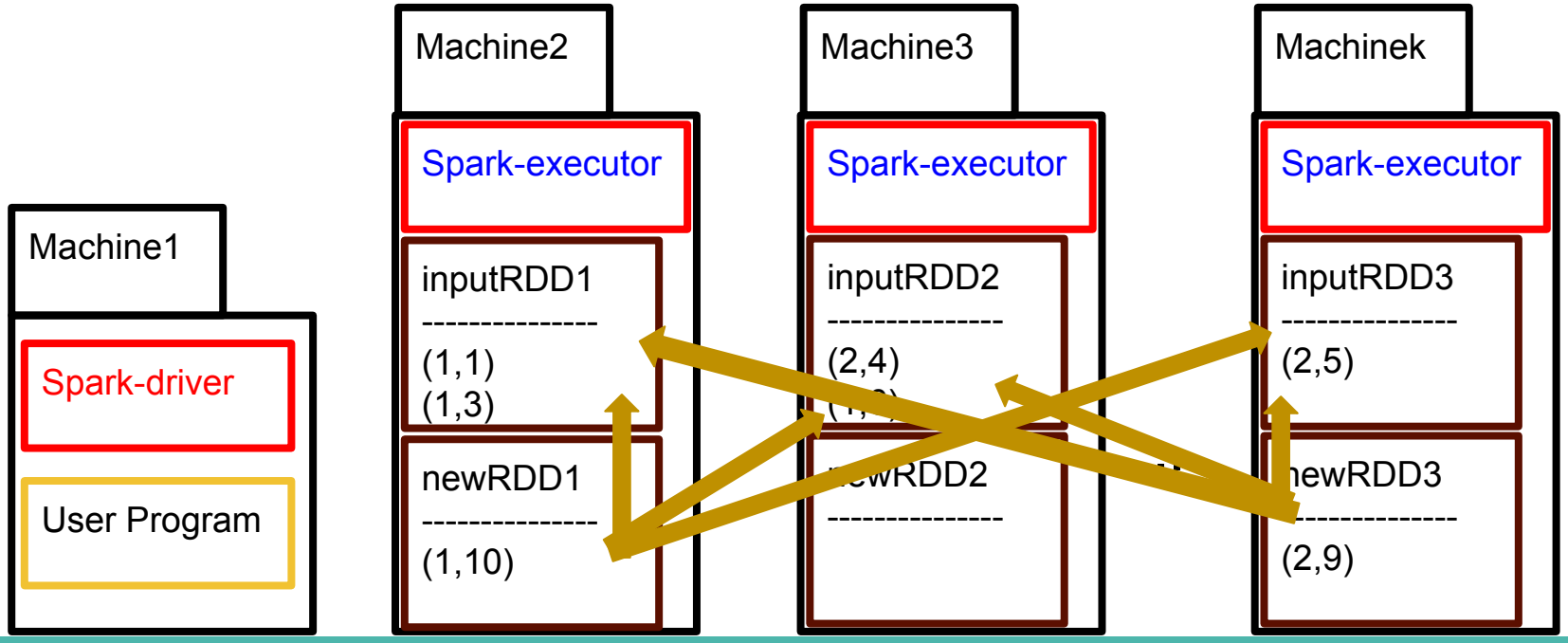

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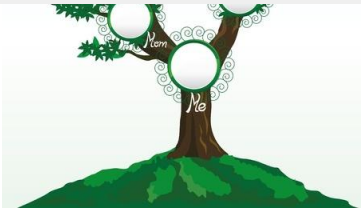

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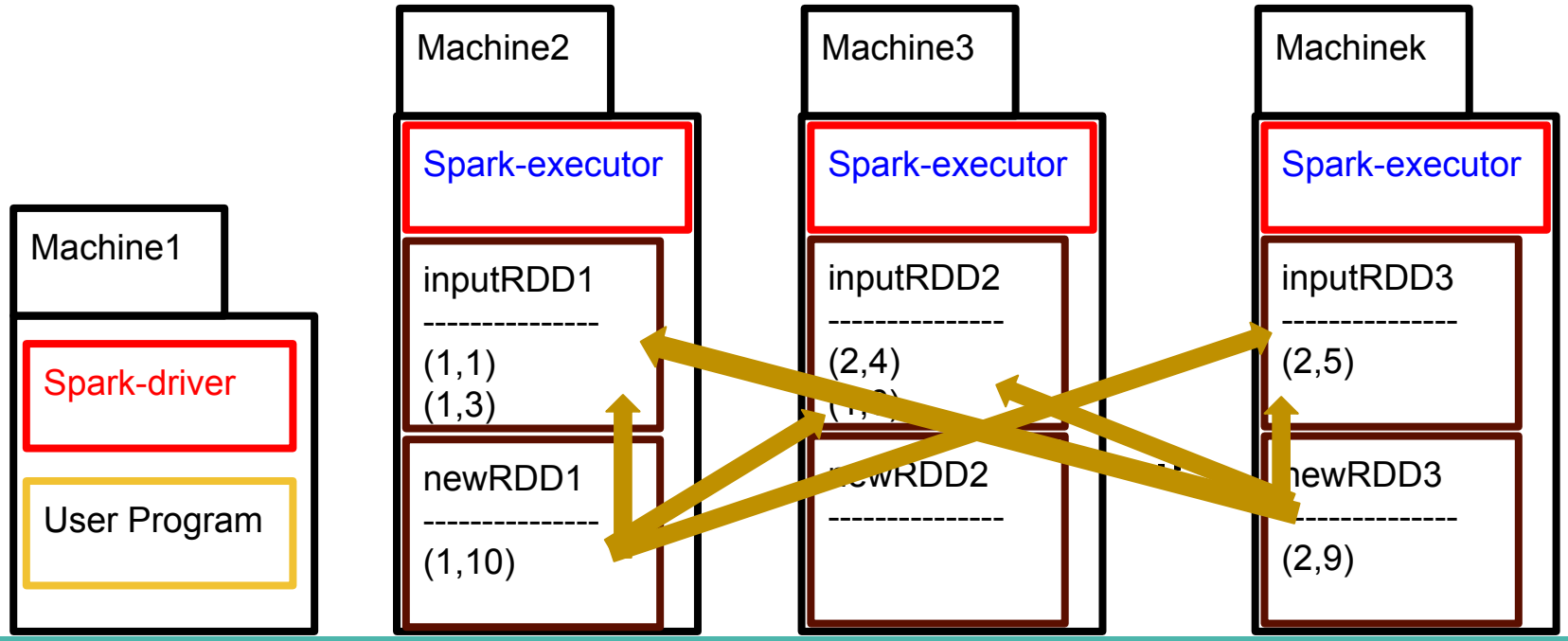

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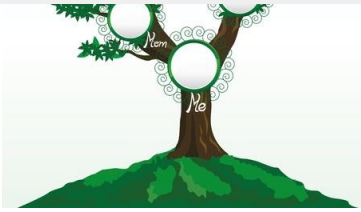

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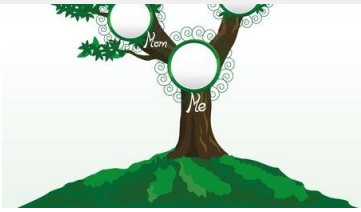

- Narrow vs Wide dependencies:

In this example, as parallelize, map and filter are narrow dependencies, they can be chained on each partition working on its own.

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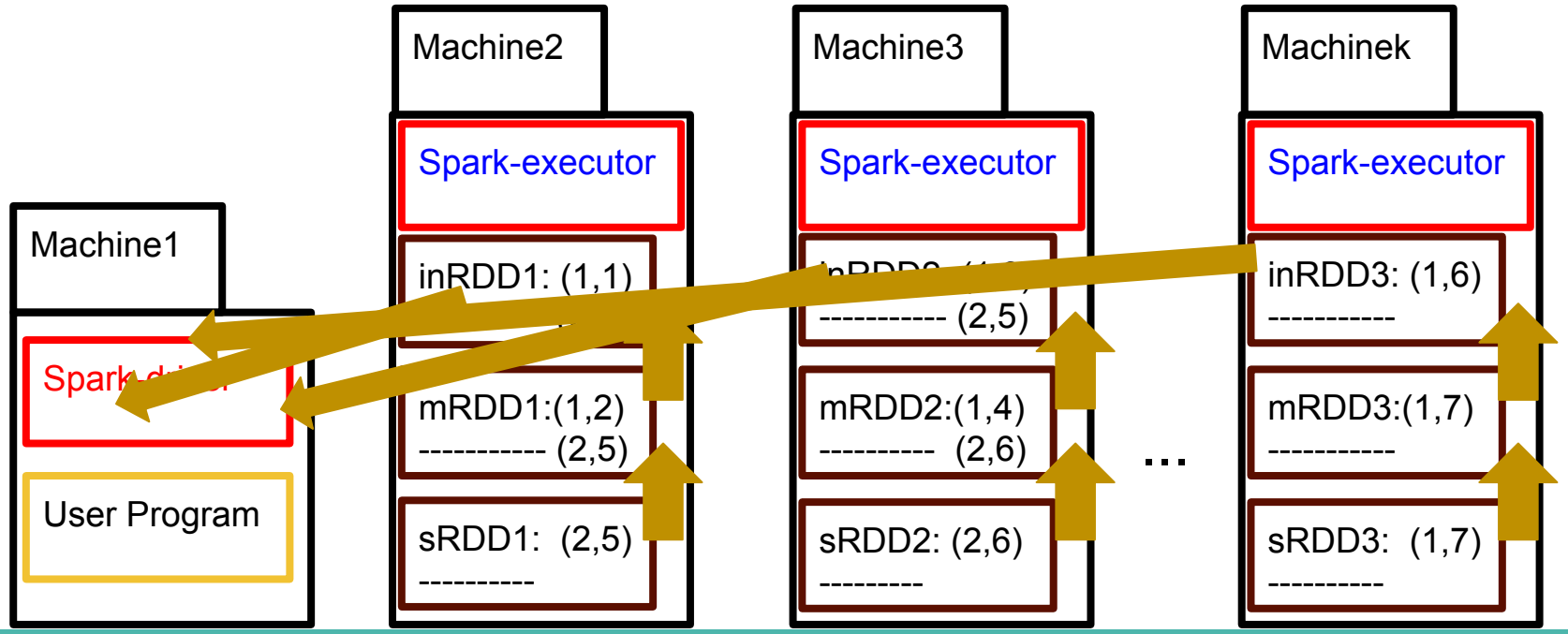

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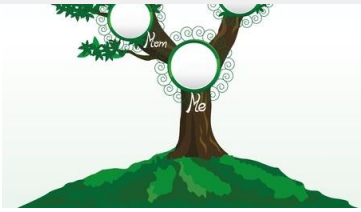

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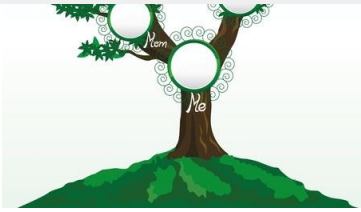

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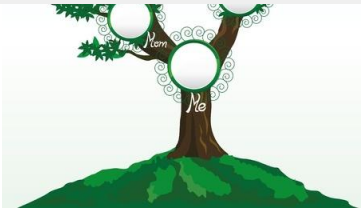

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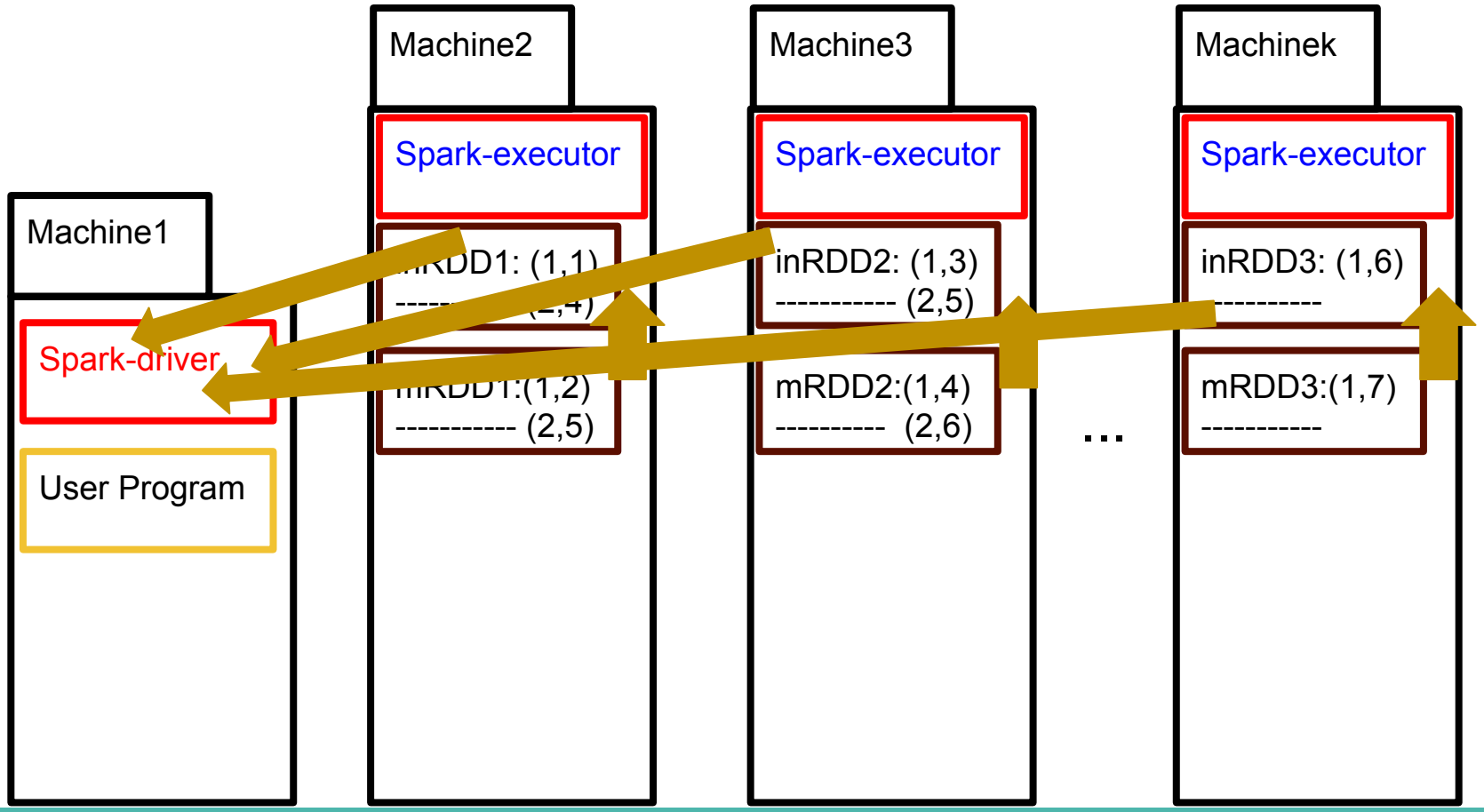

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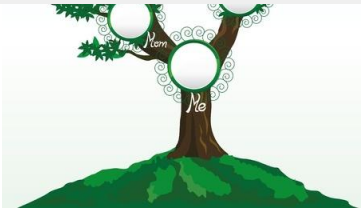

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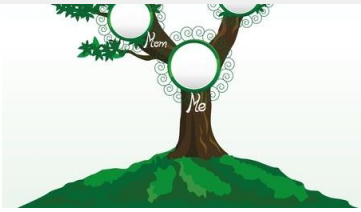

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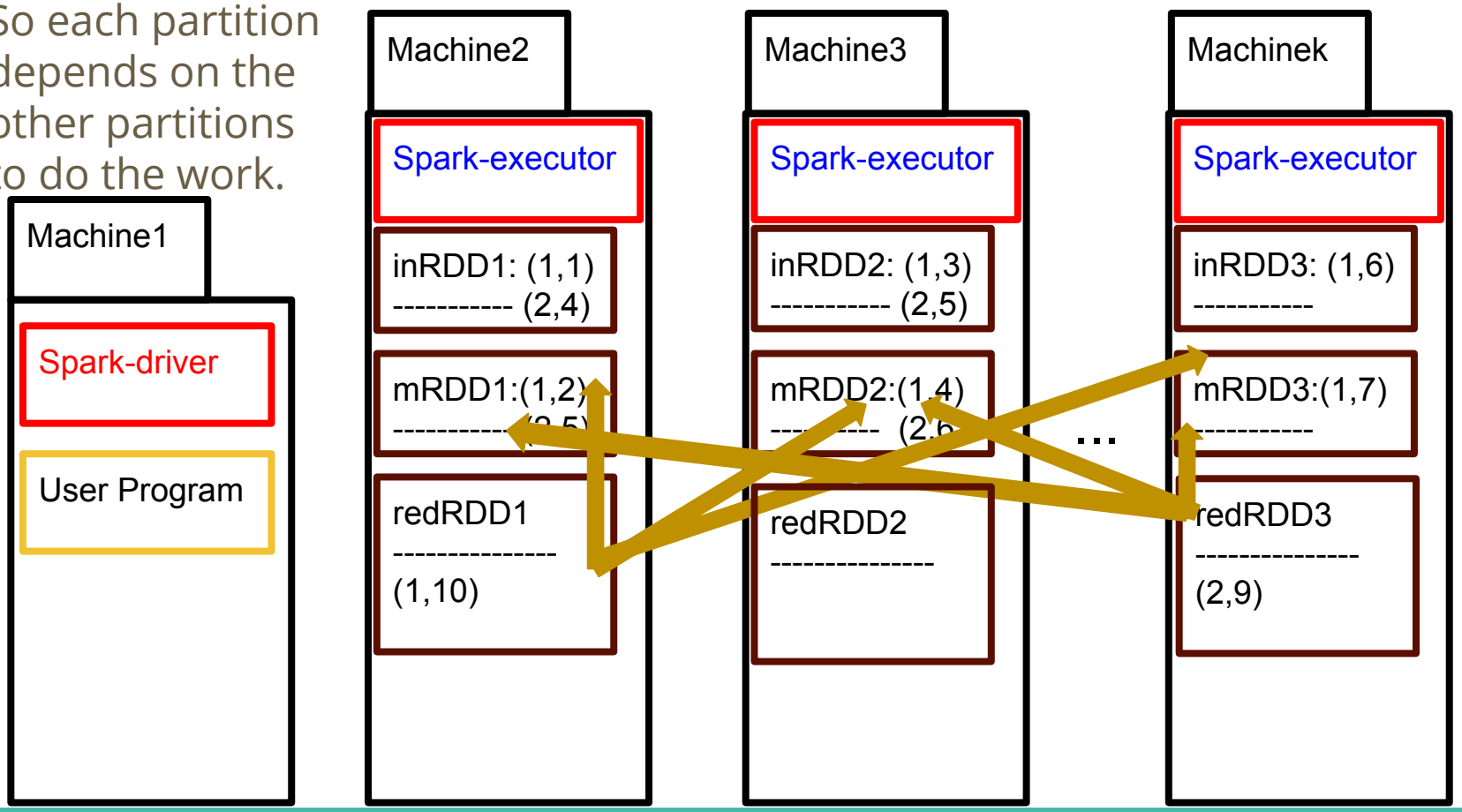

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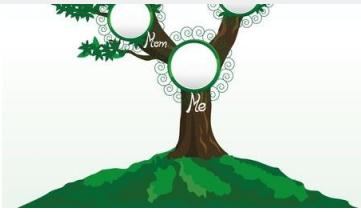

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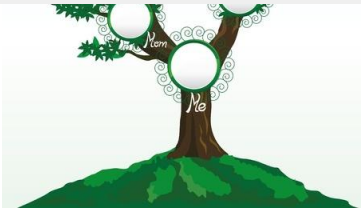

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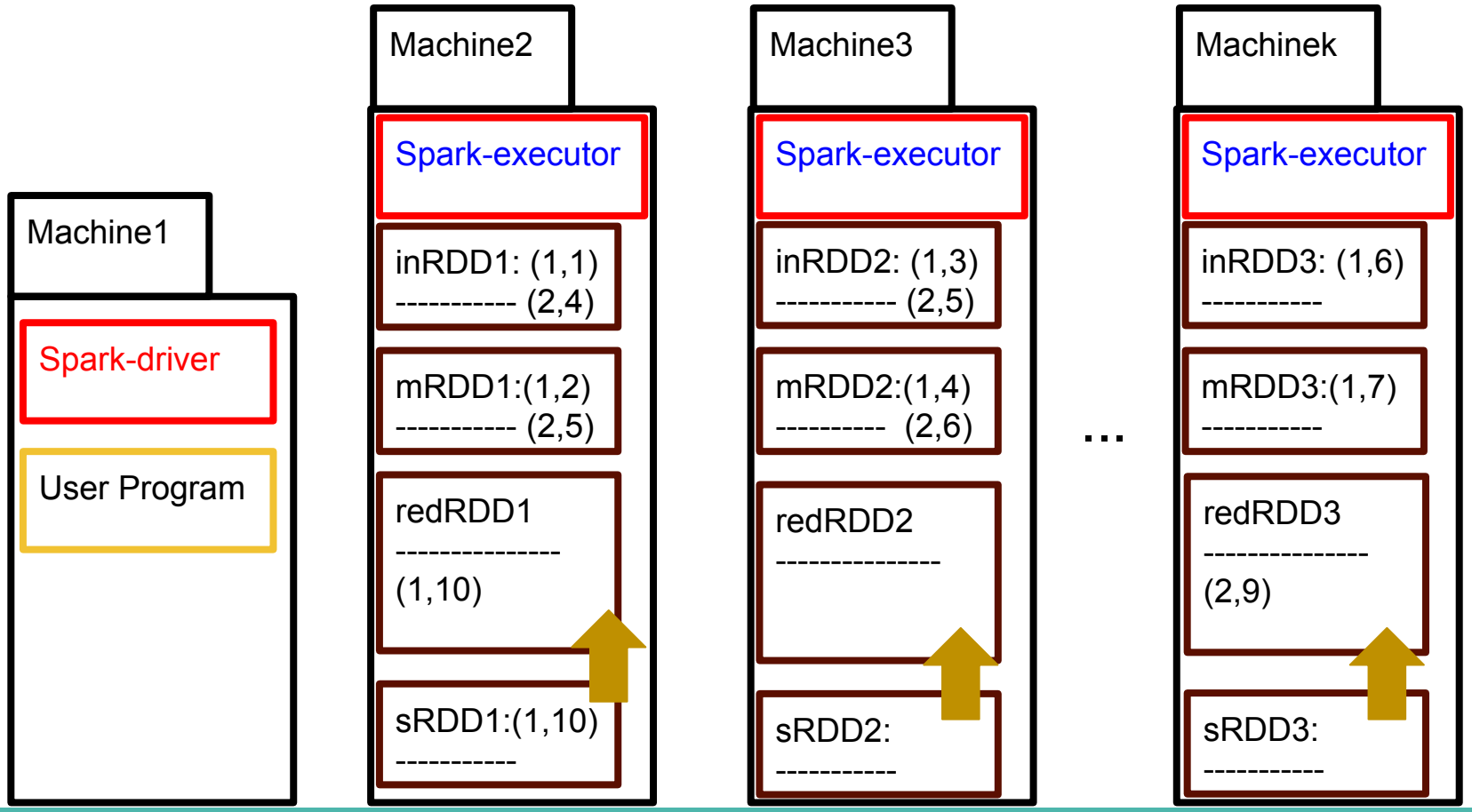

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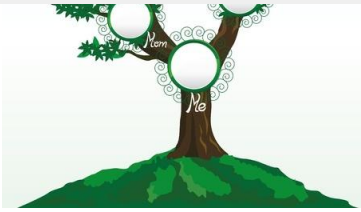

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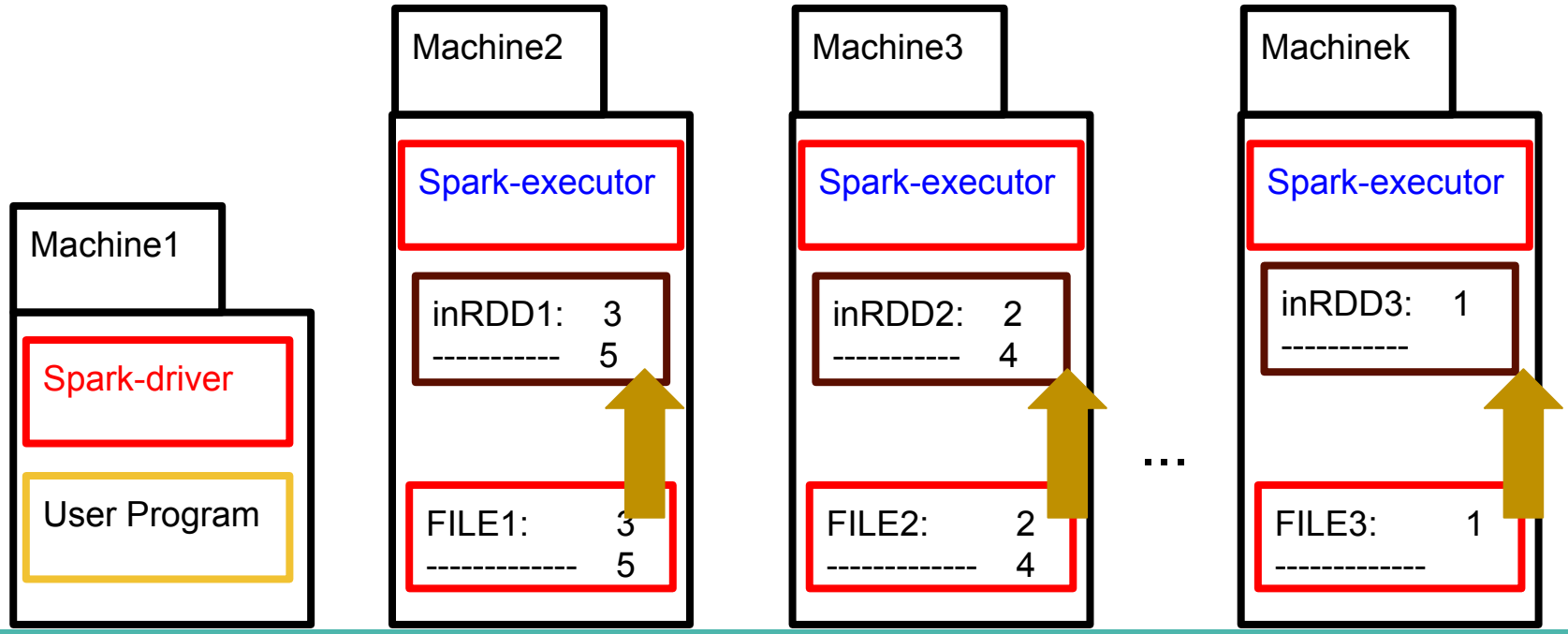

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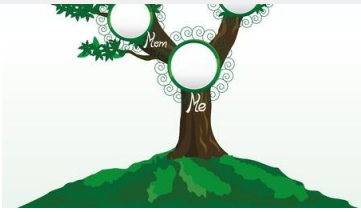

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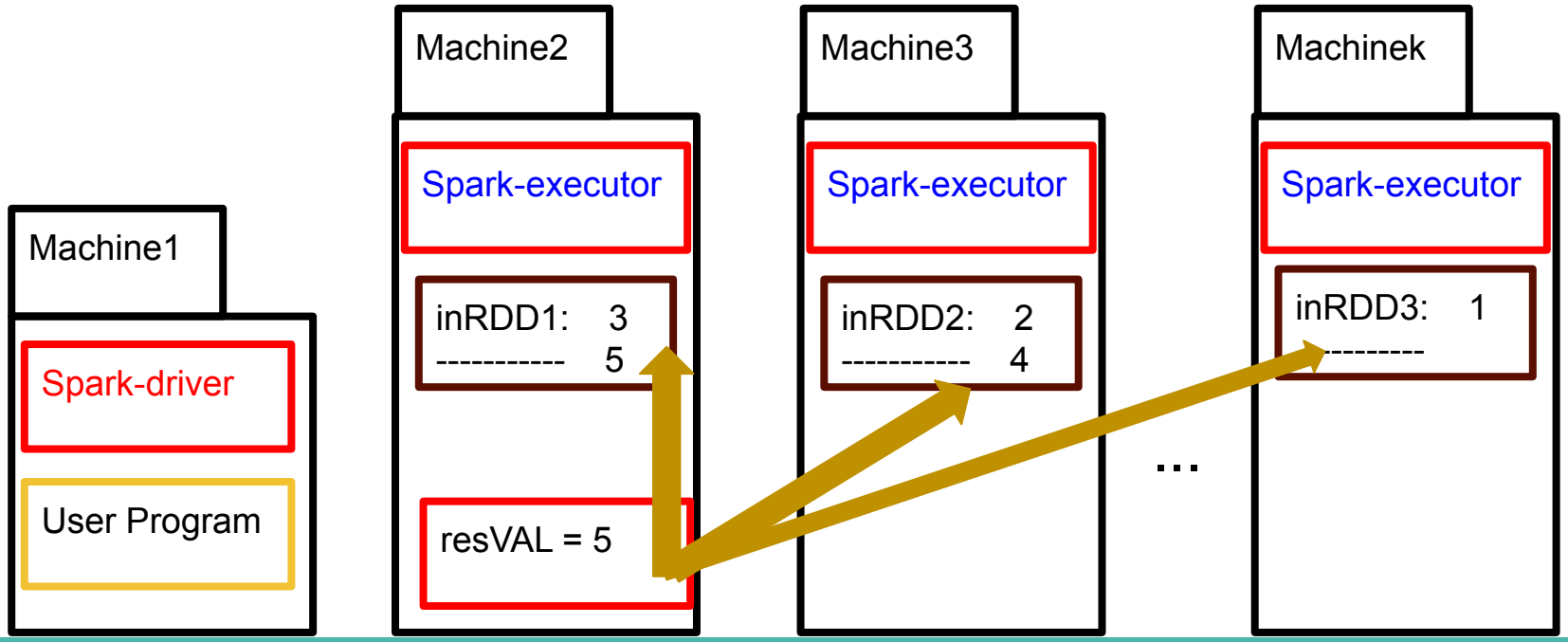

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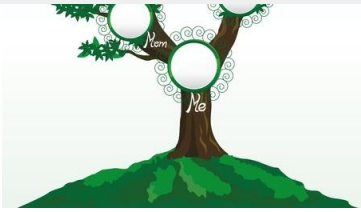

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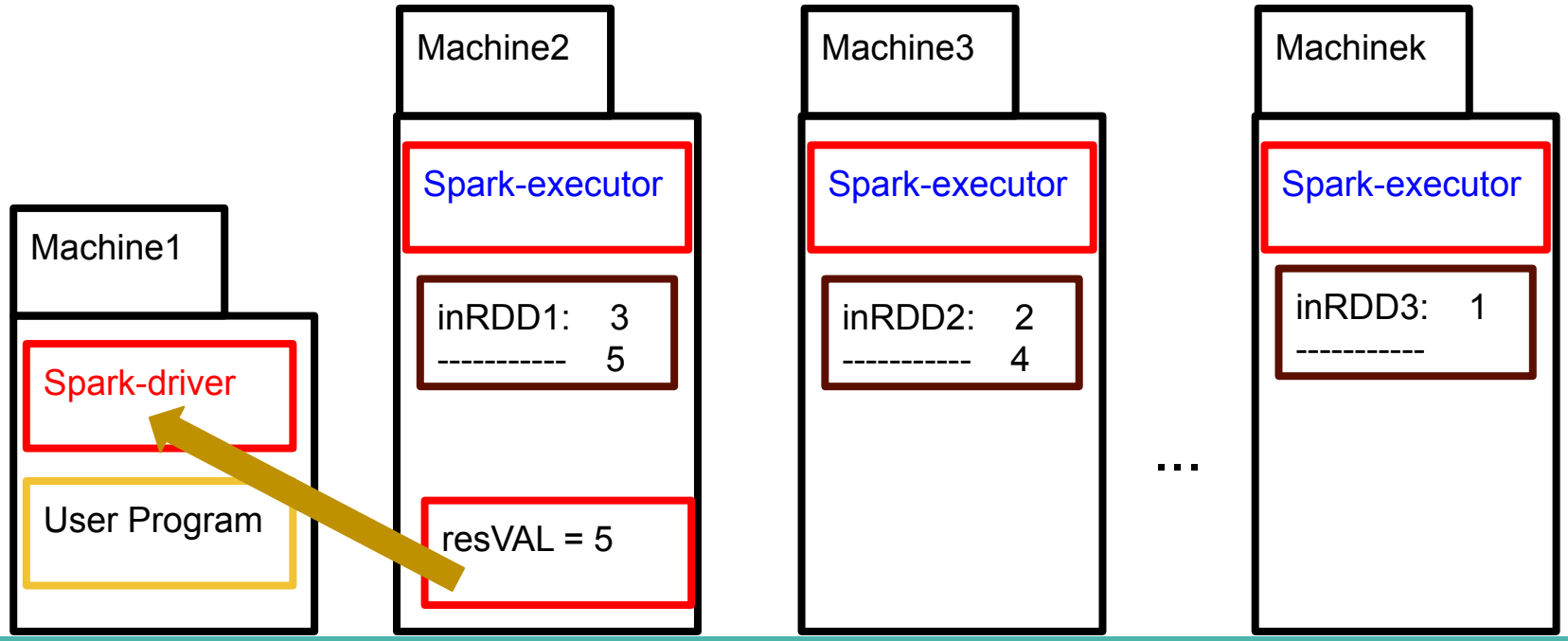

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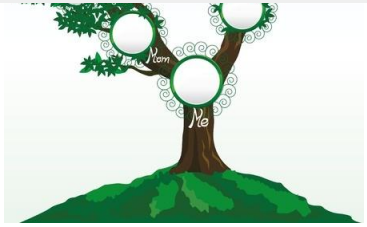

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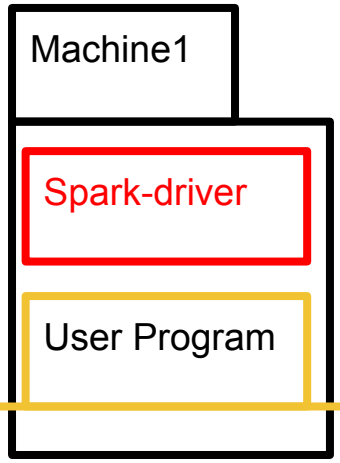

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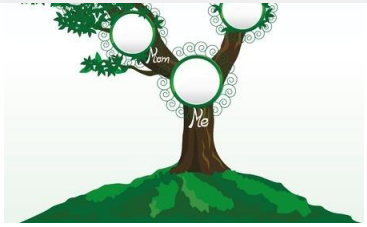

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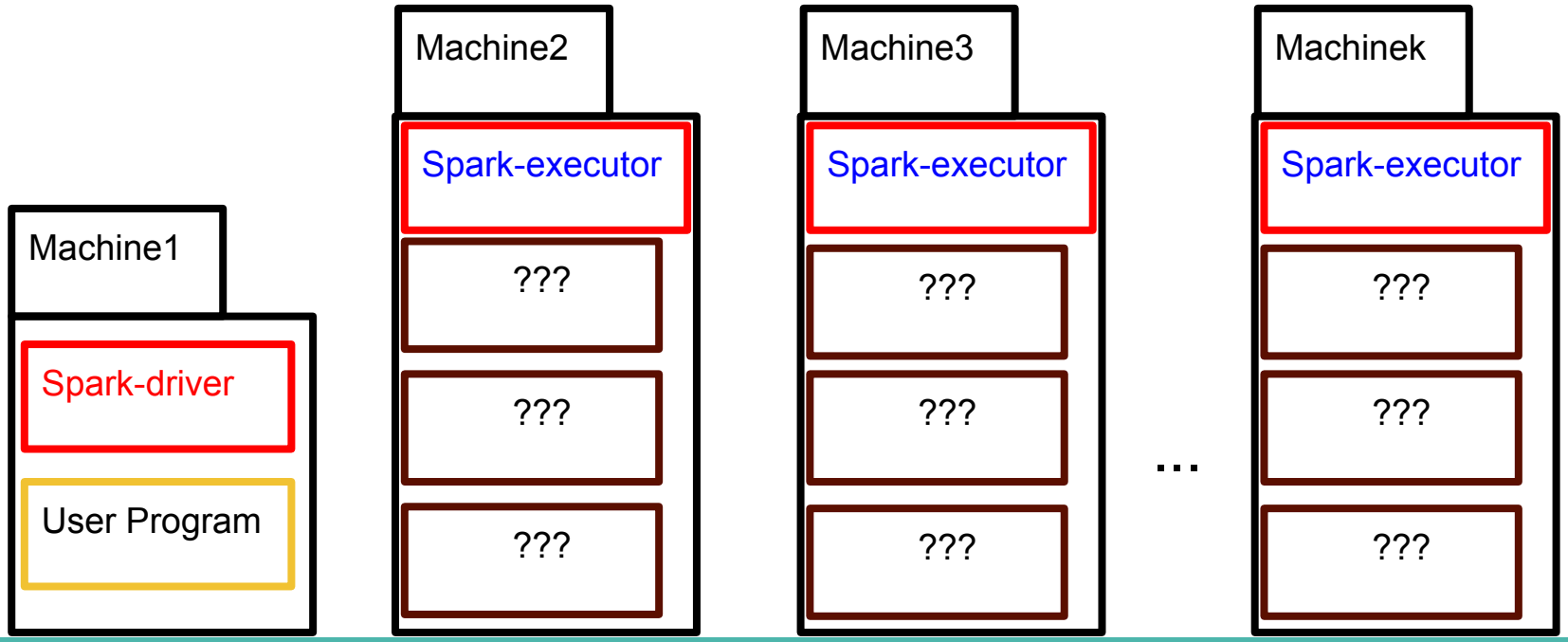

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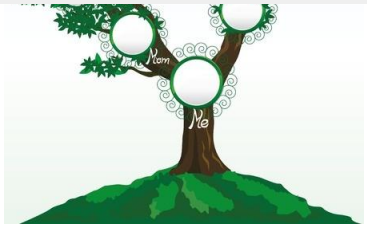

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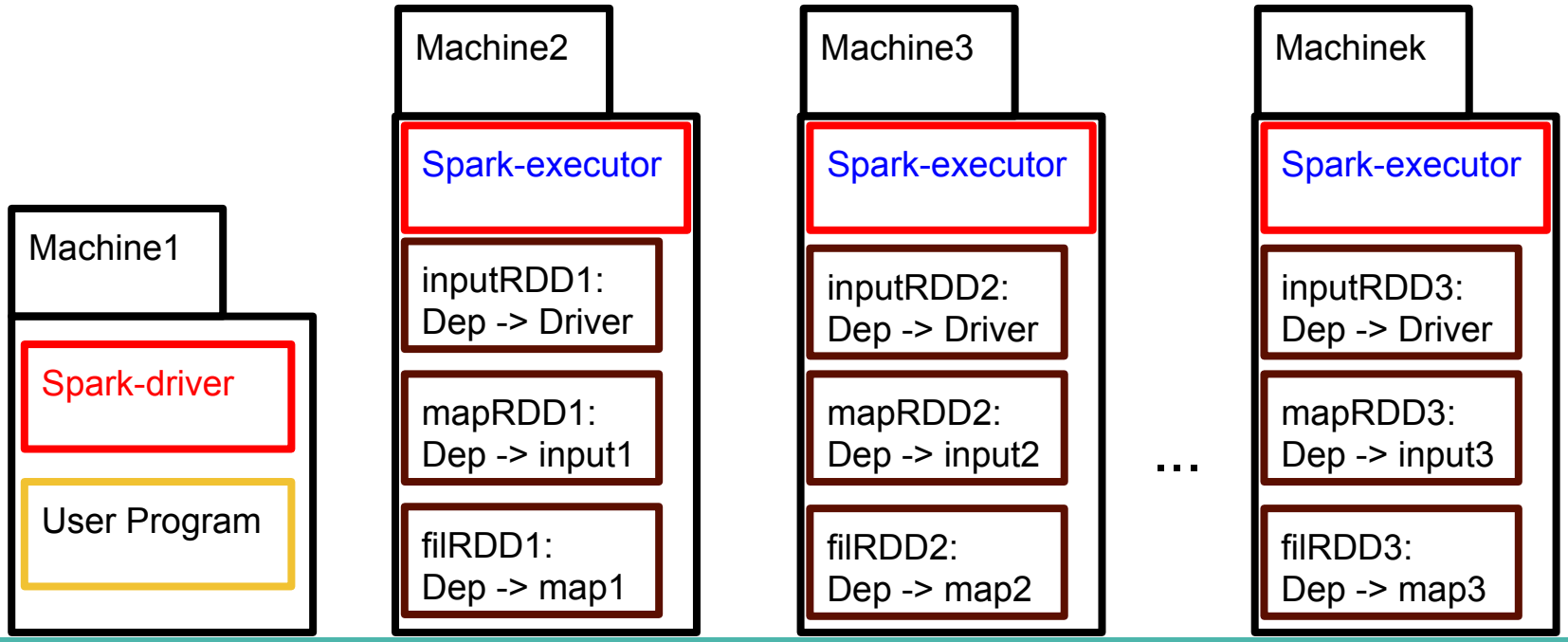

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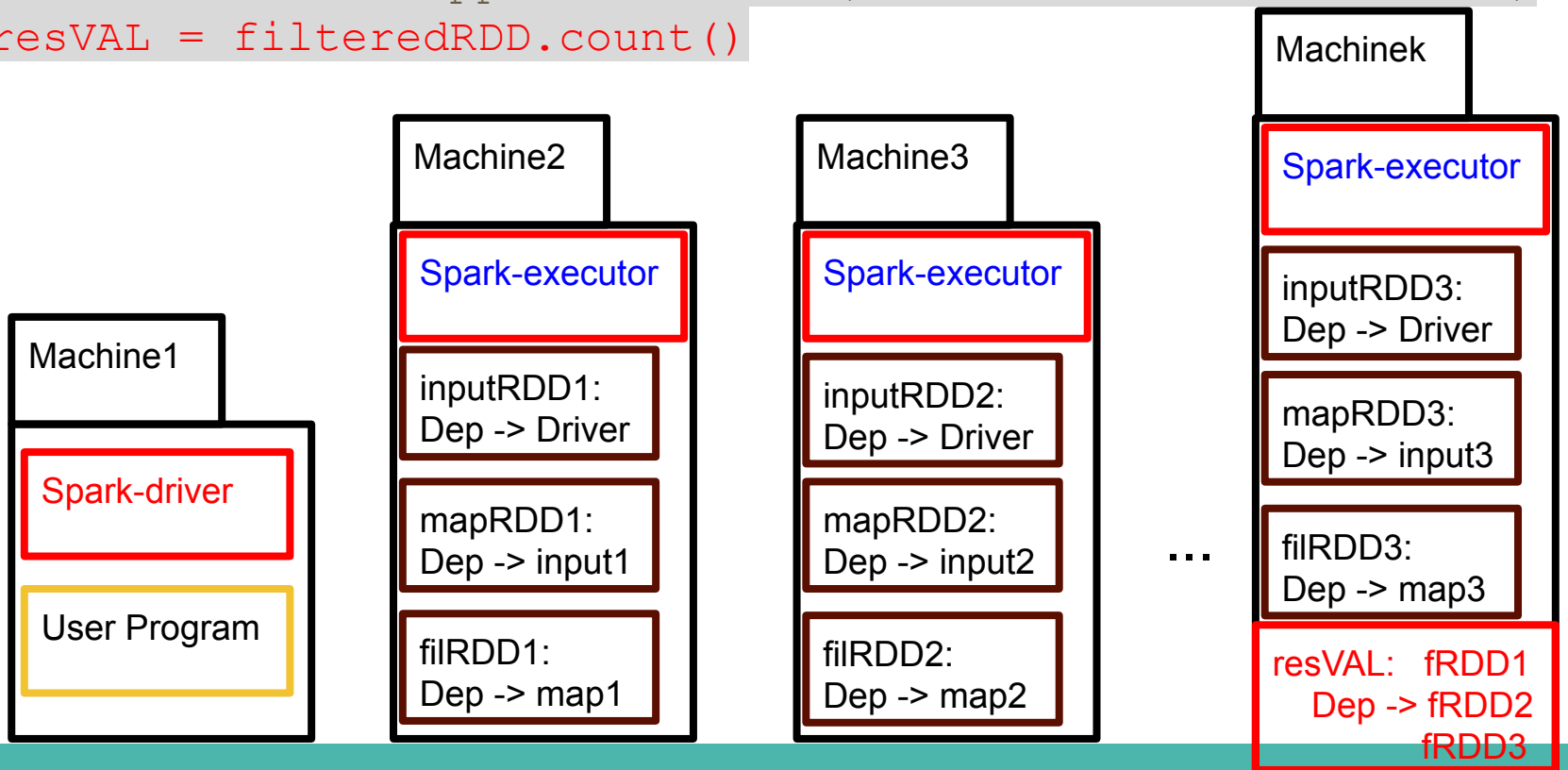

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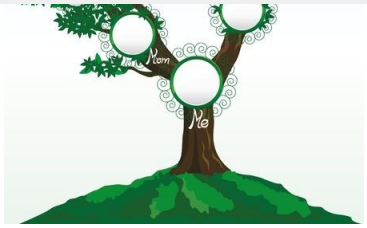

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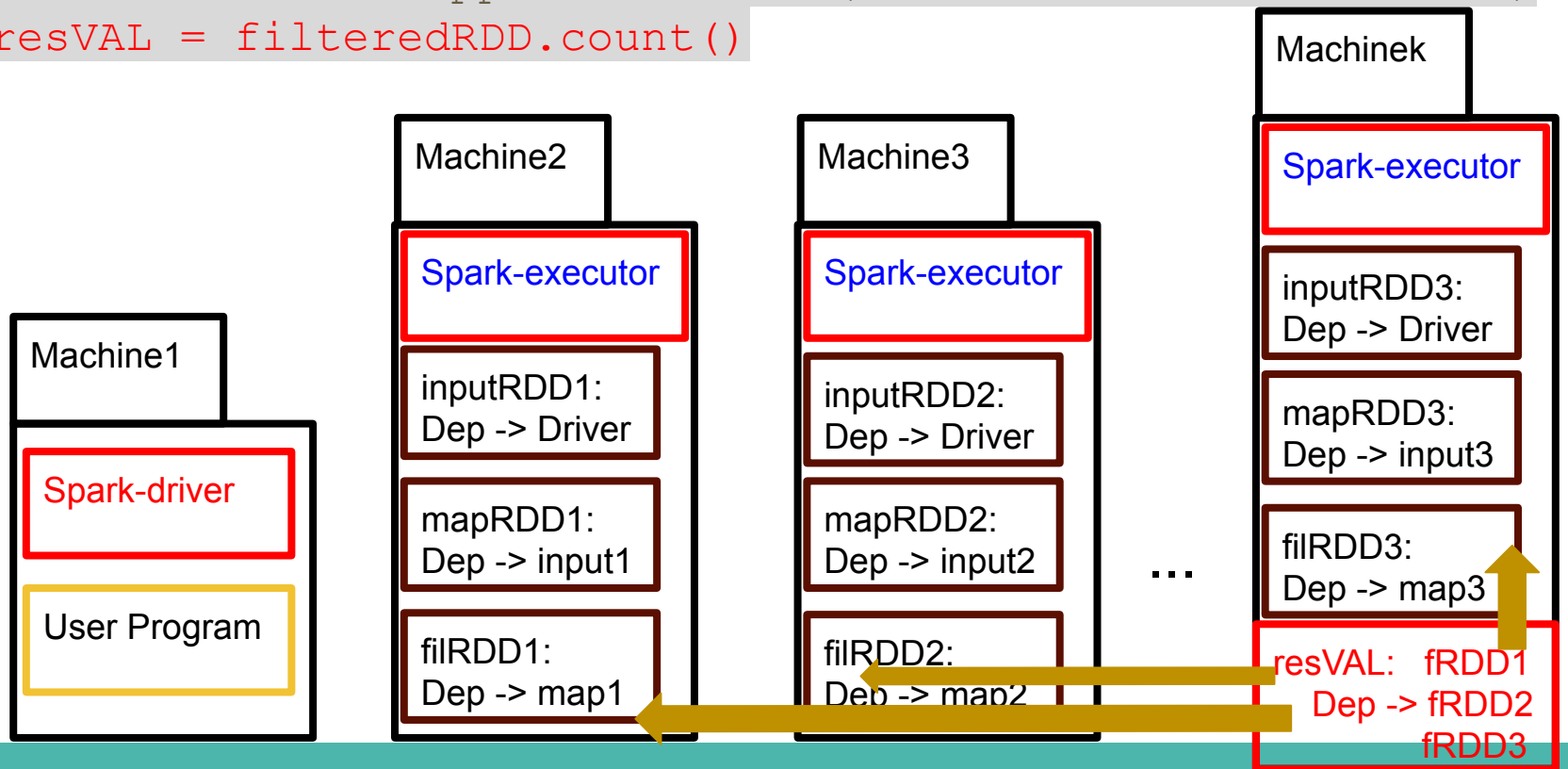

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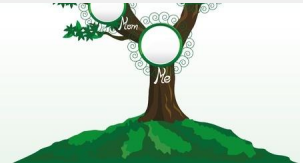

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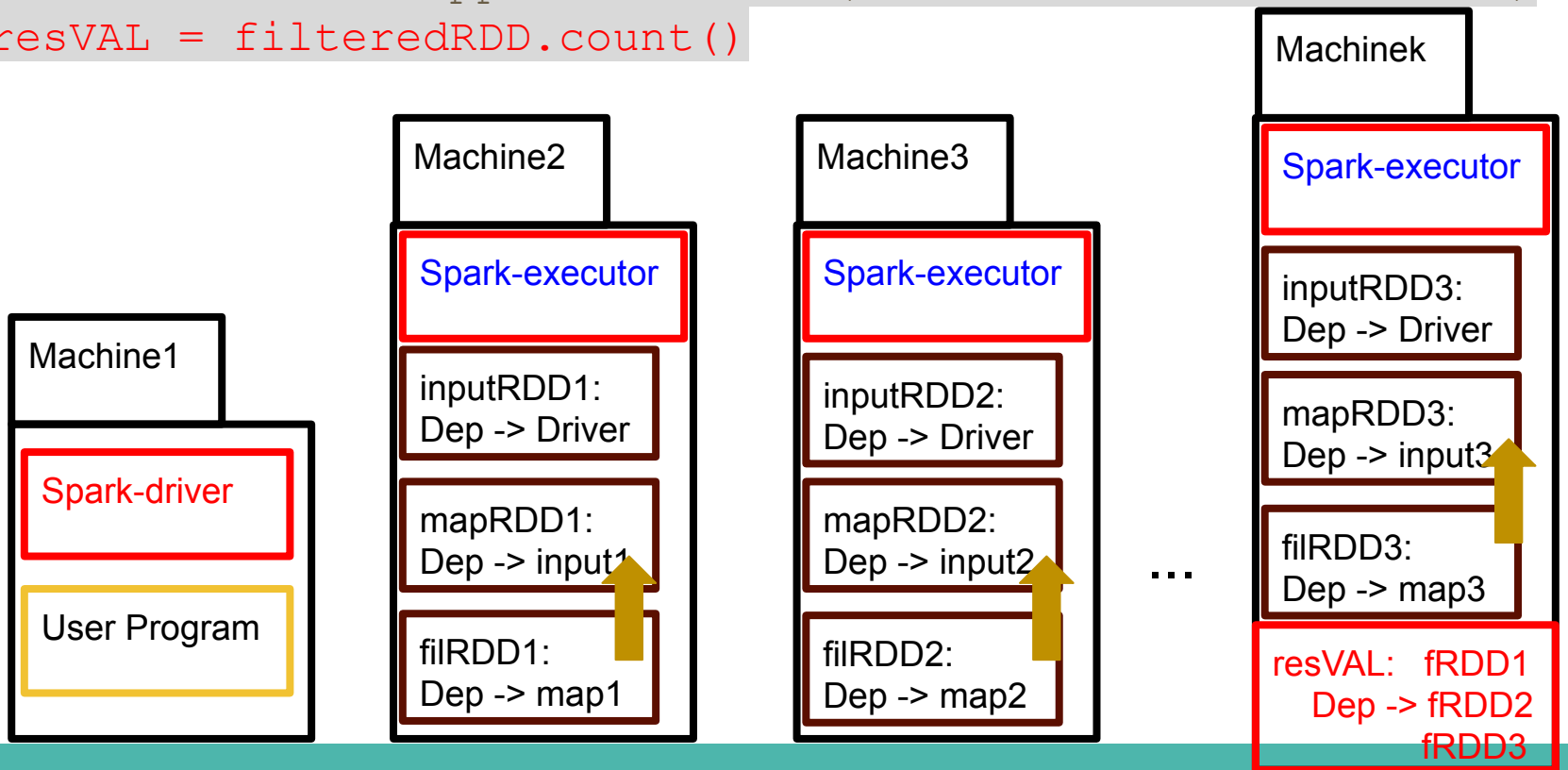

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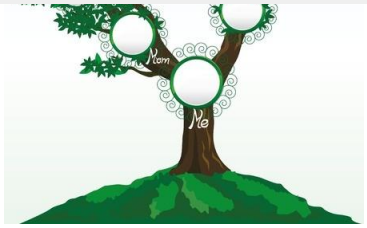

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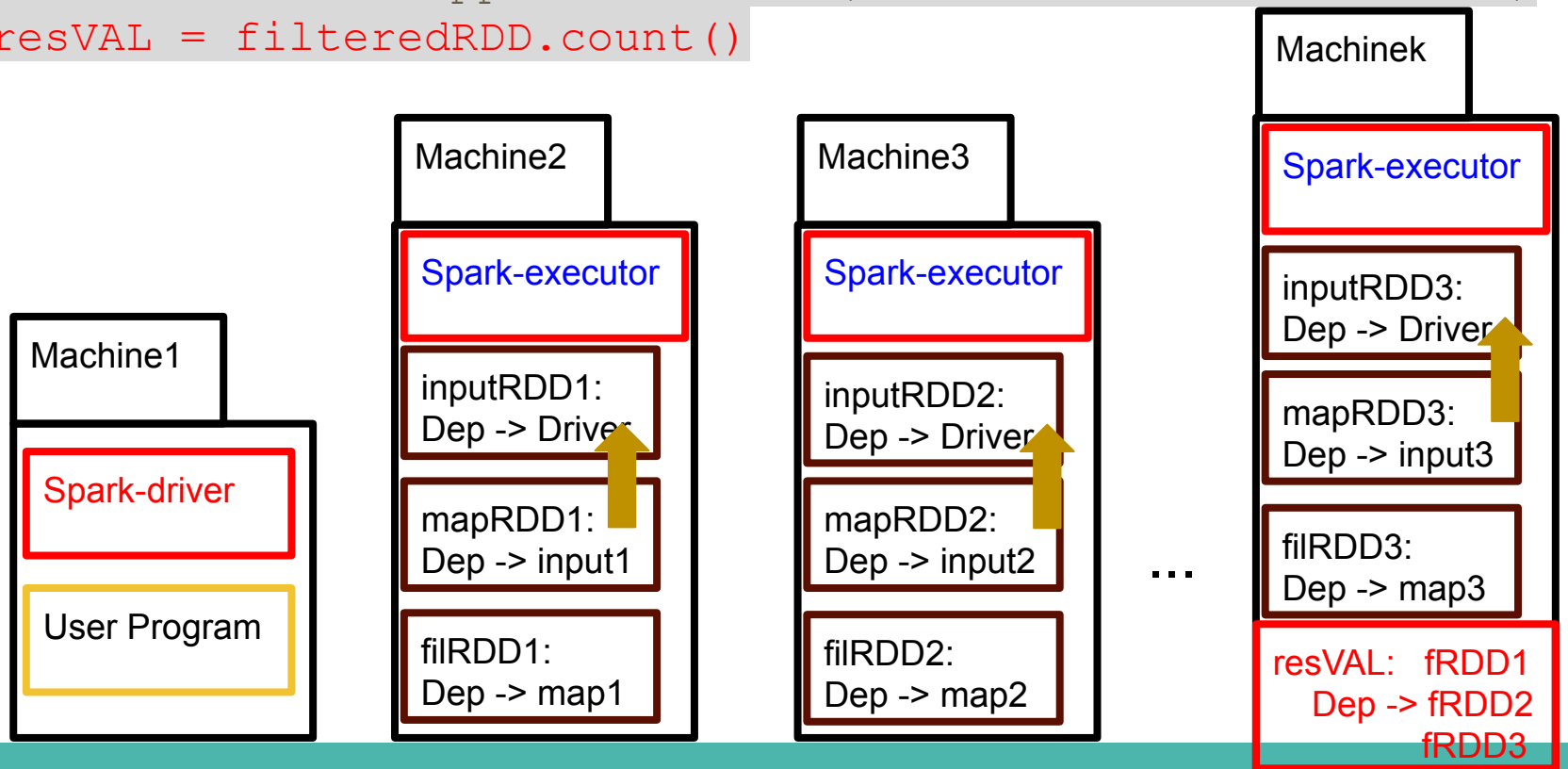

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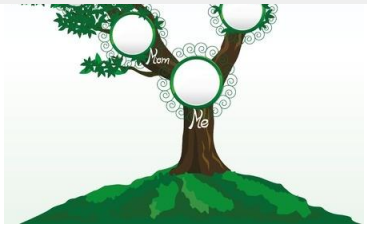

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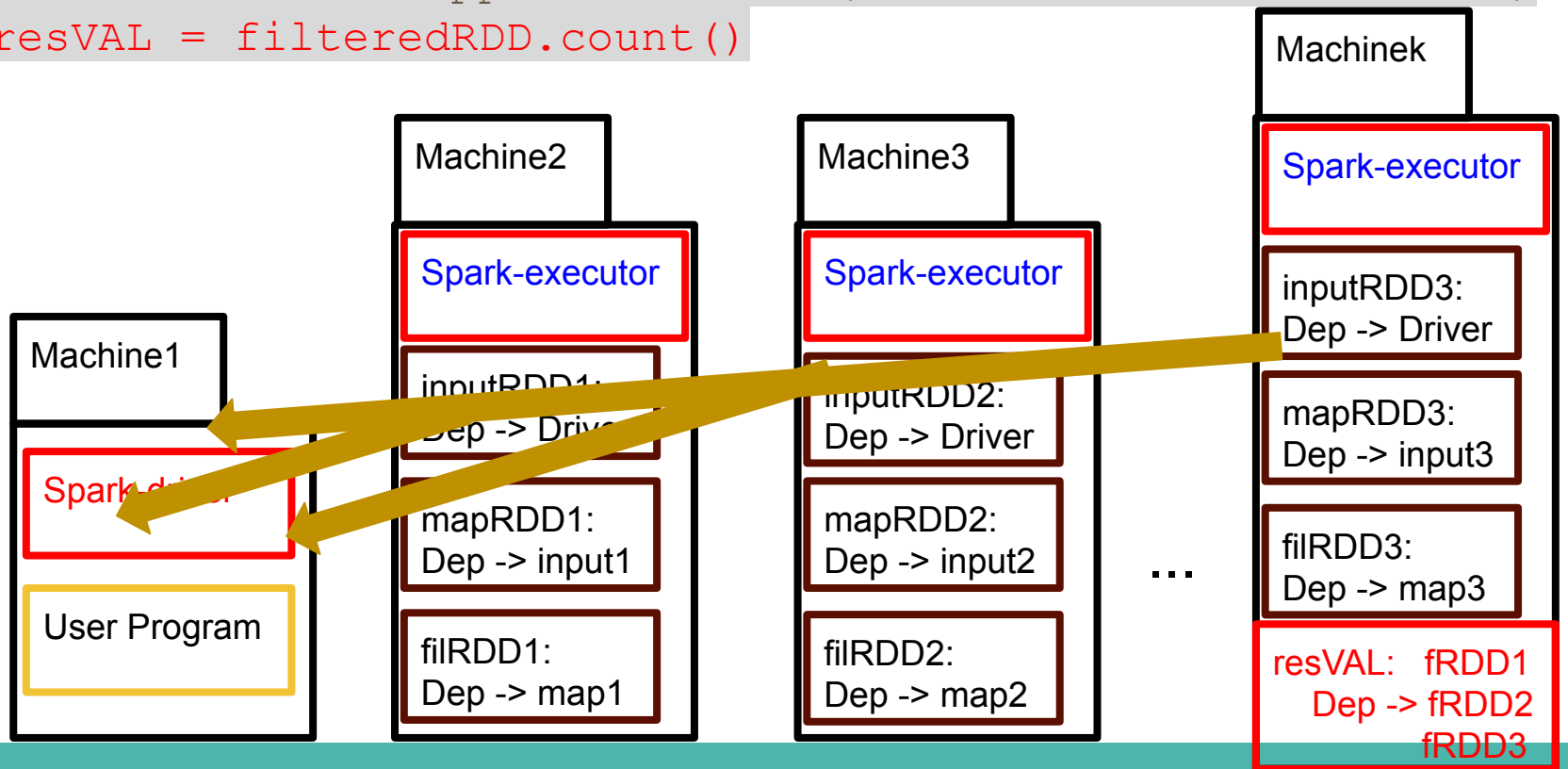

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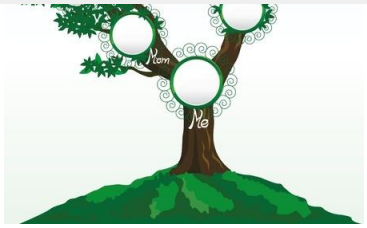

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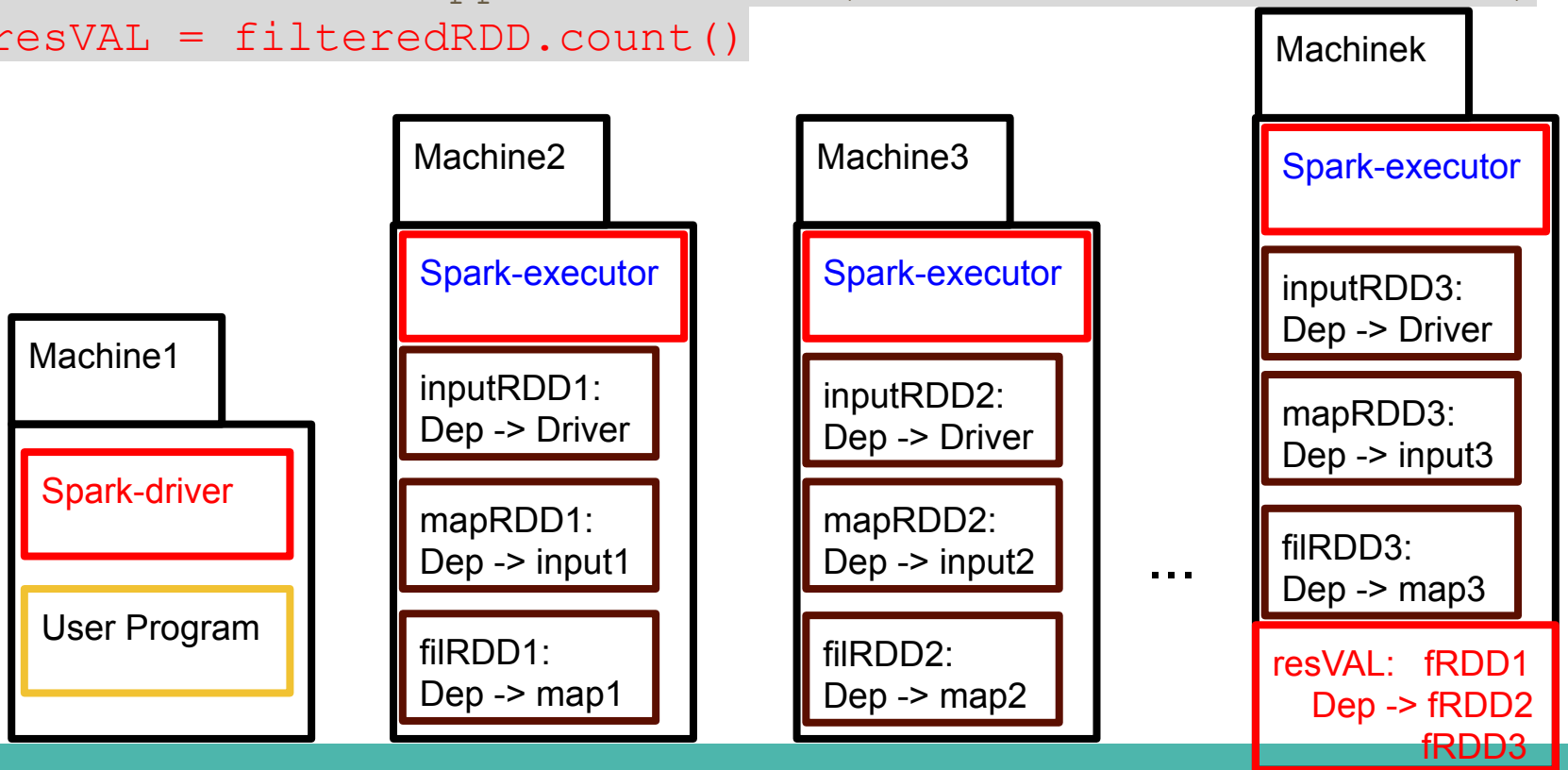

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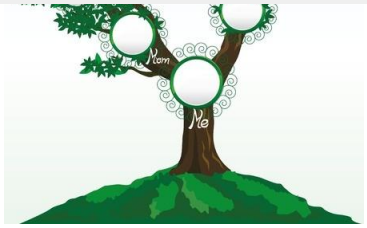

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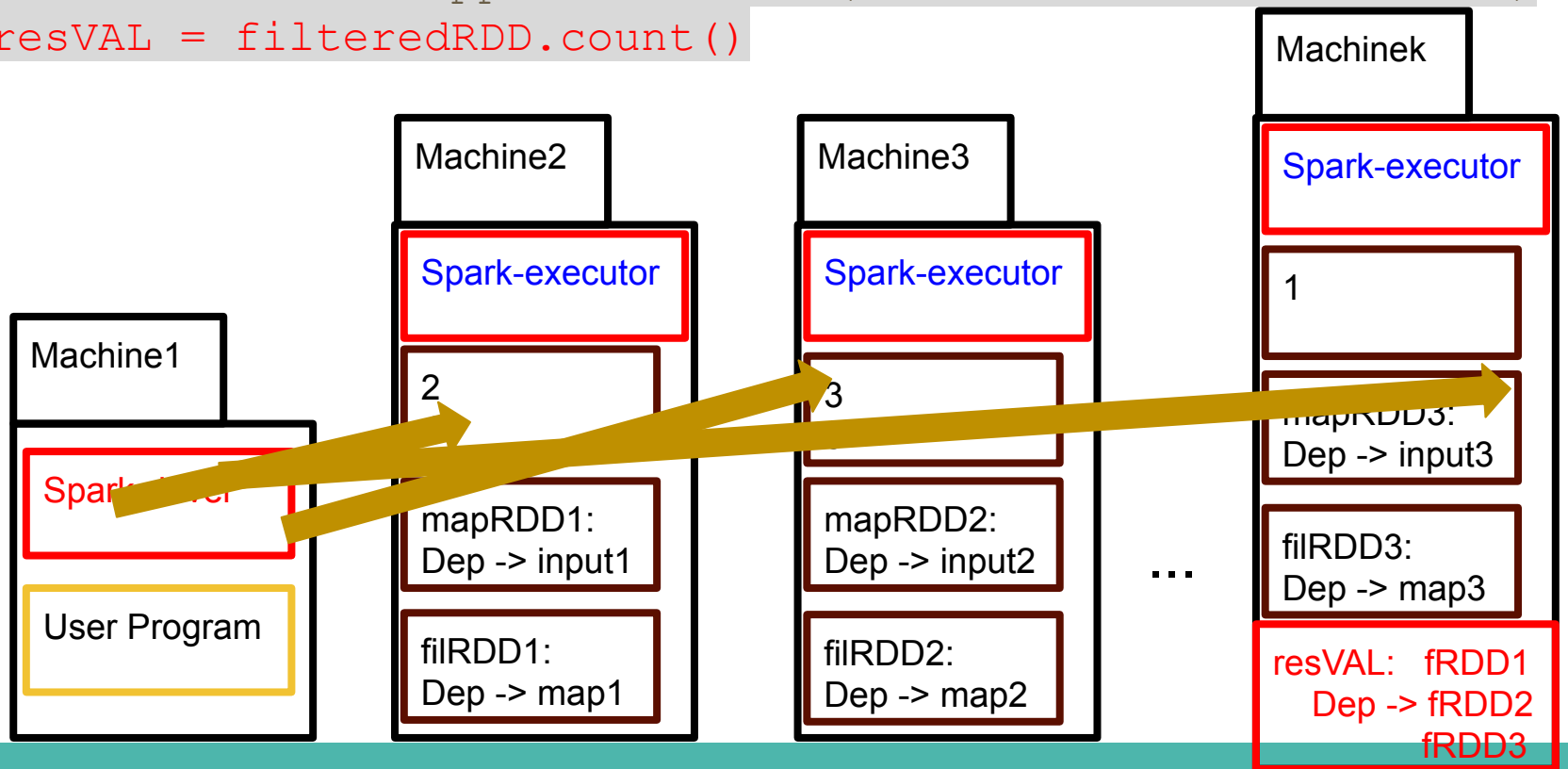

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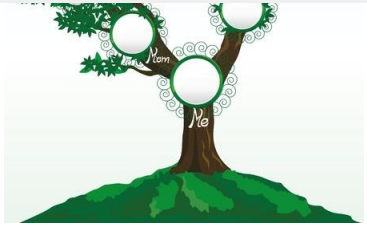

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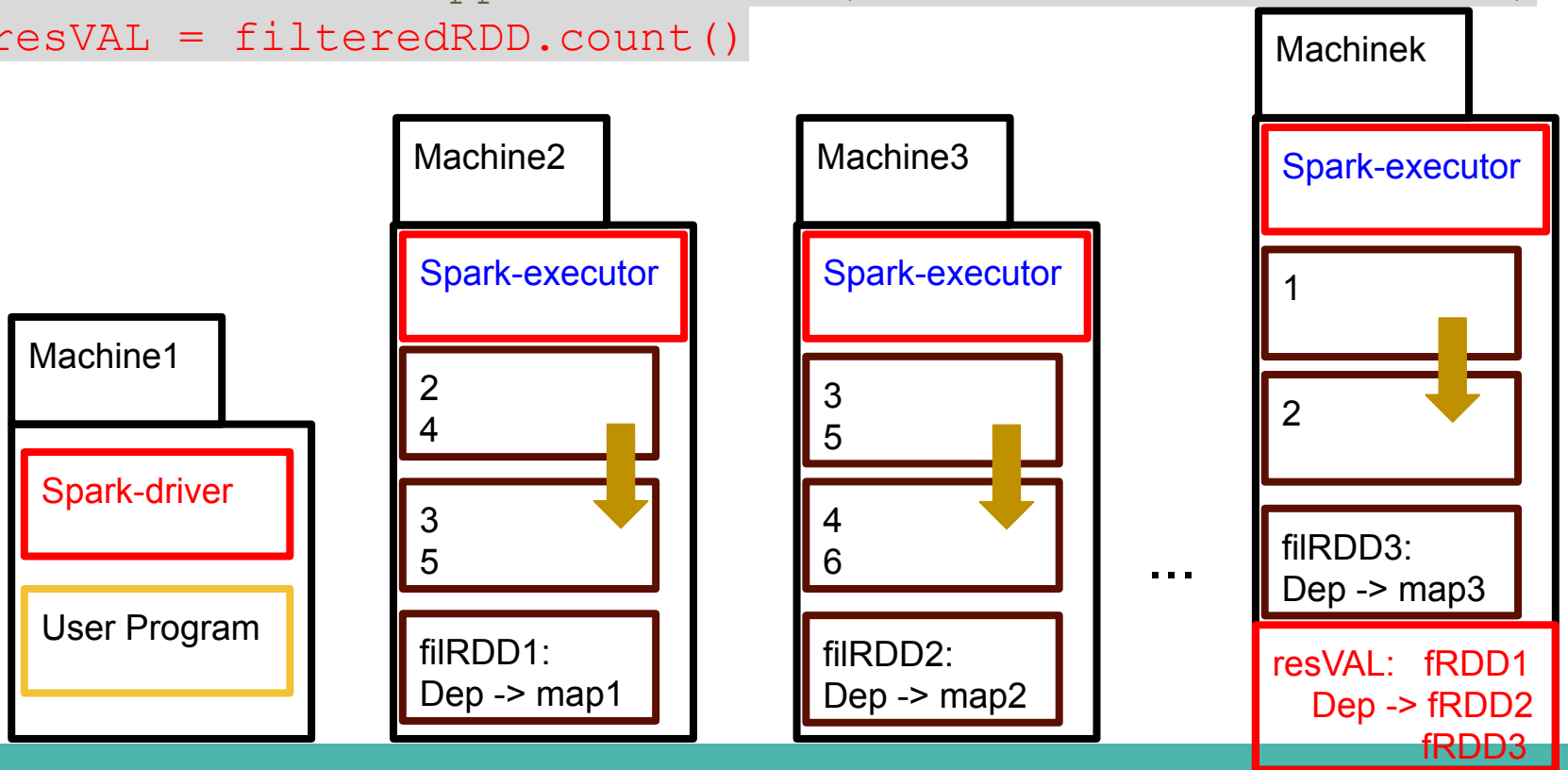

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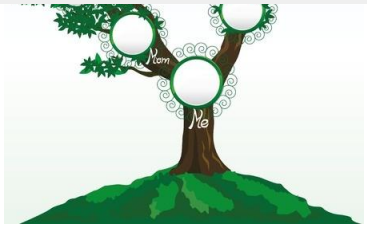

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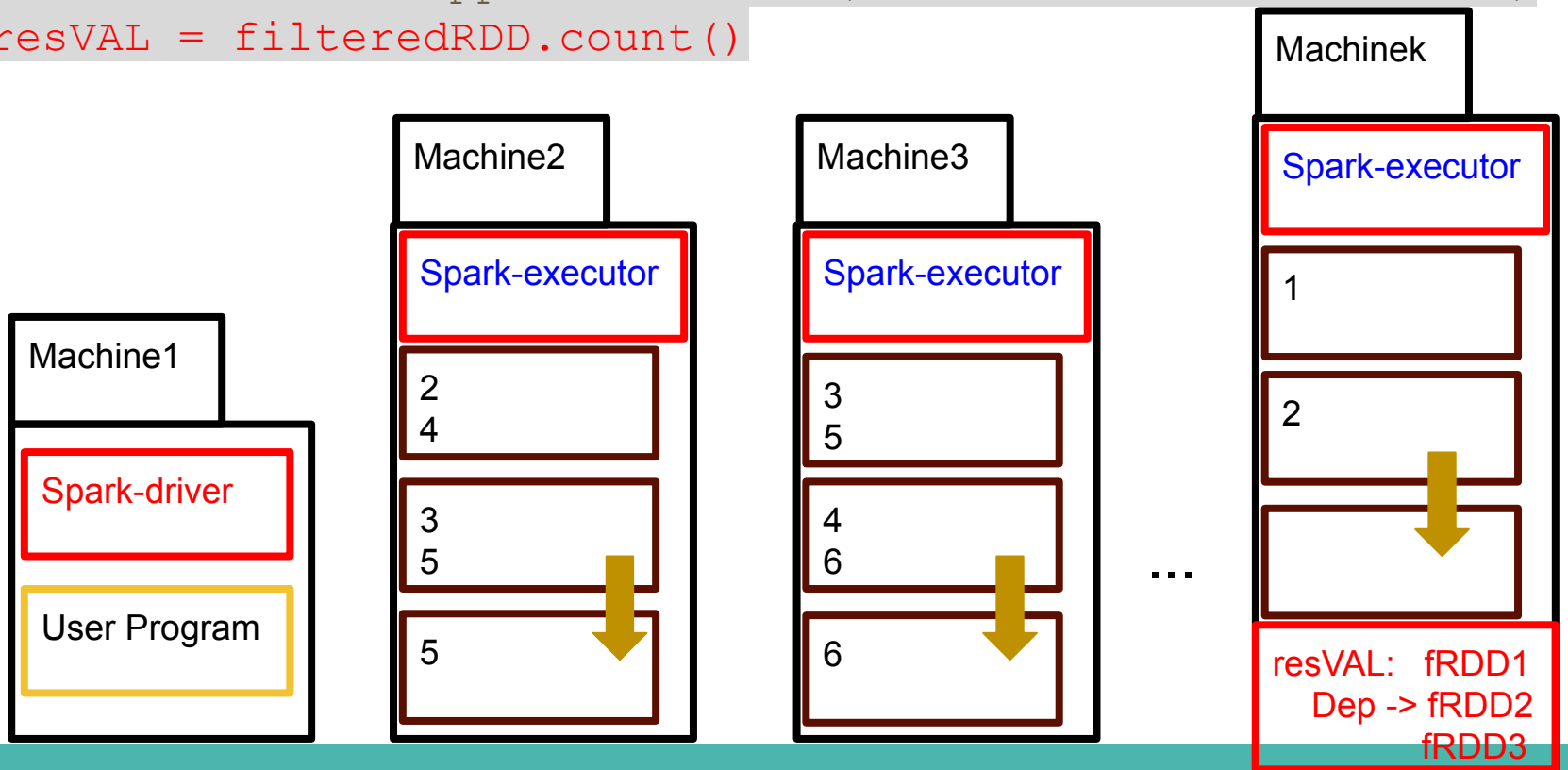

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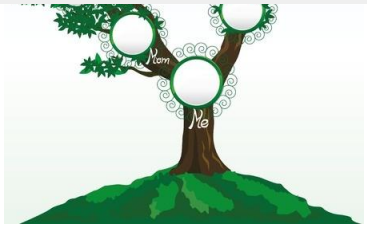

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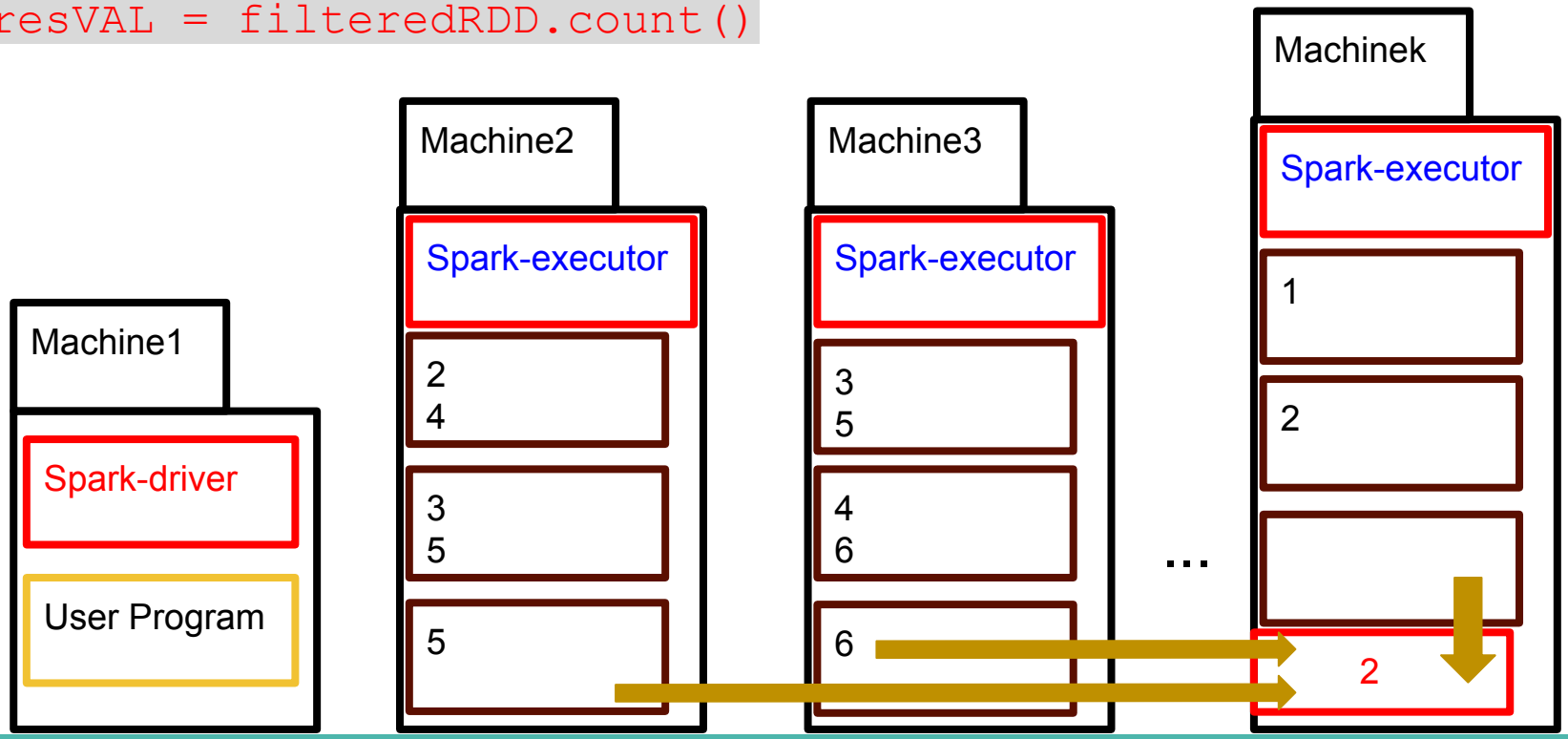

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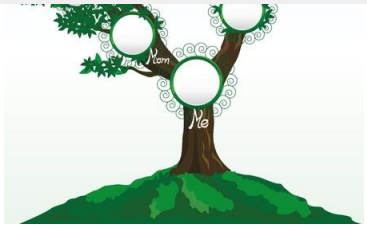

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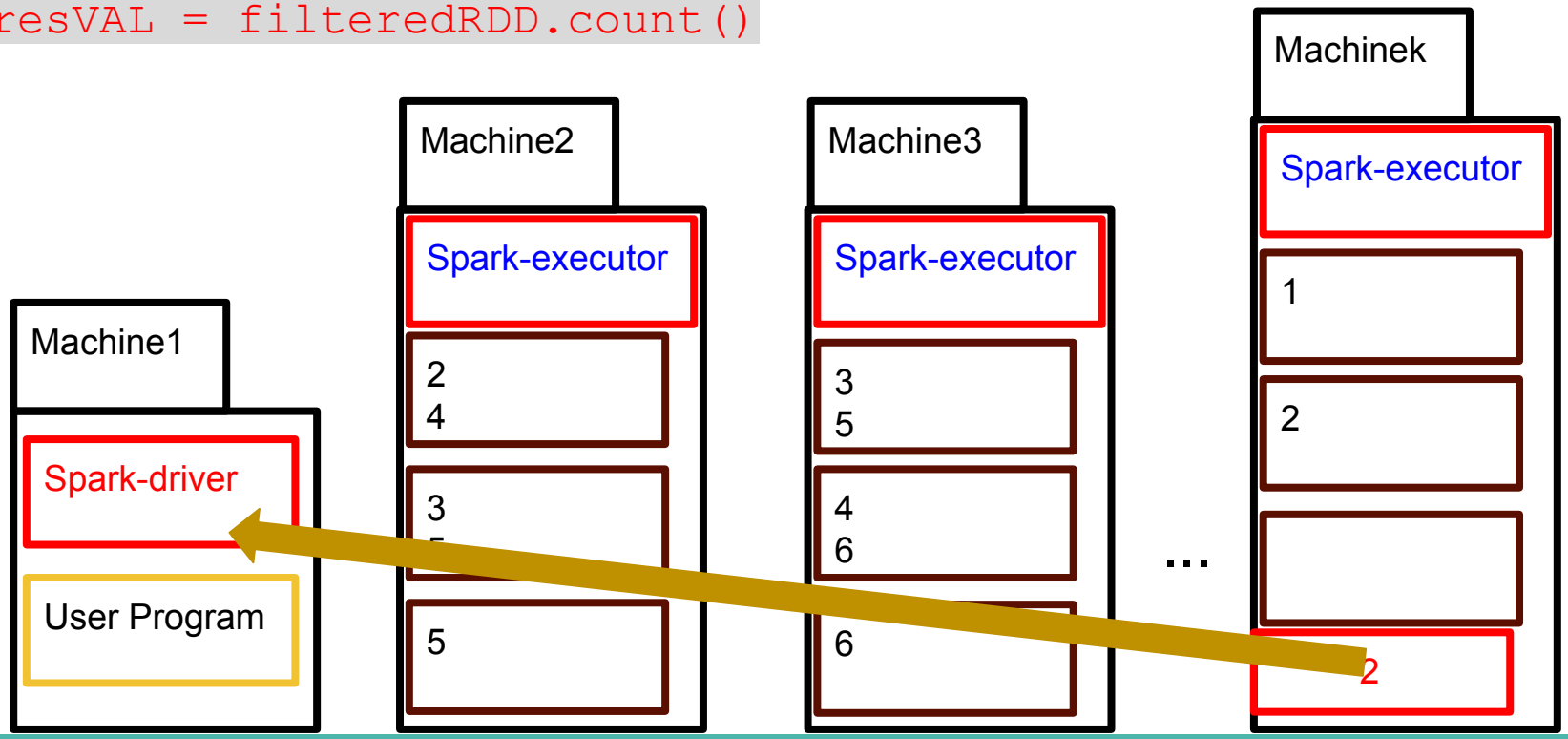

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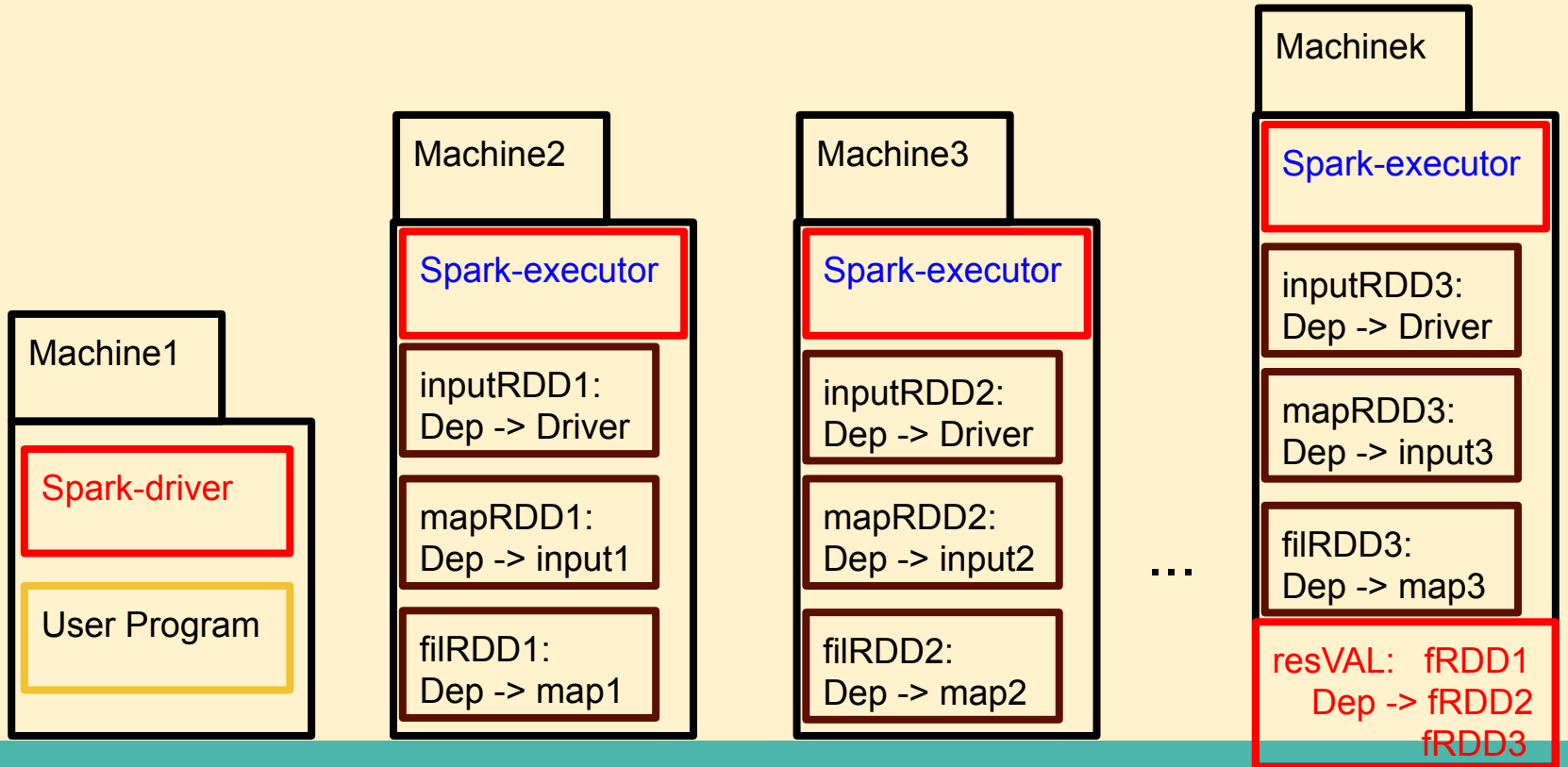

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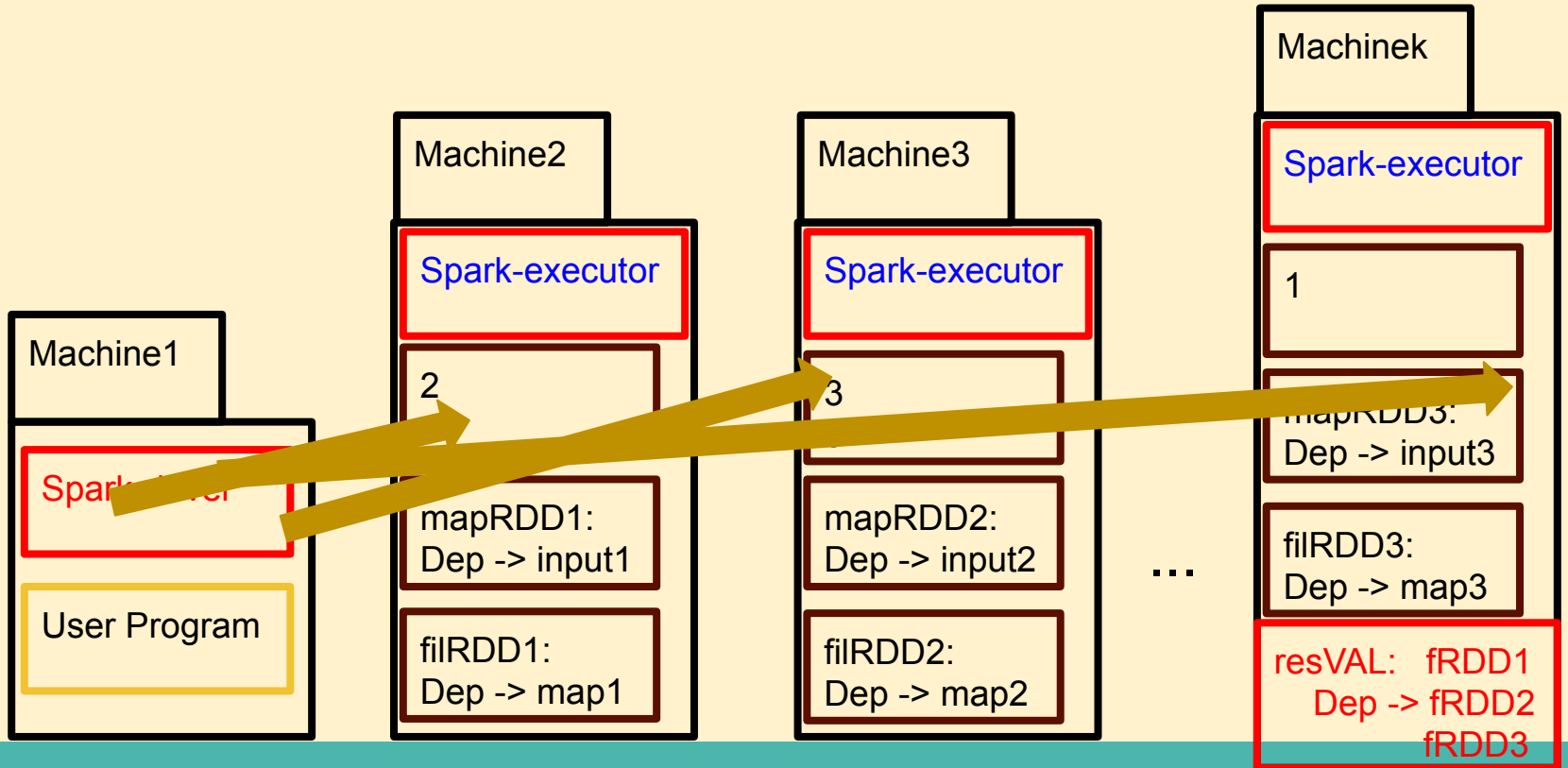

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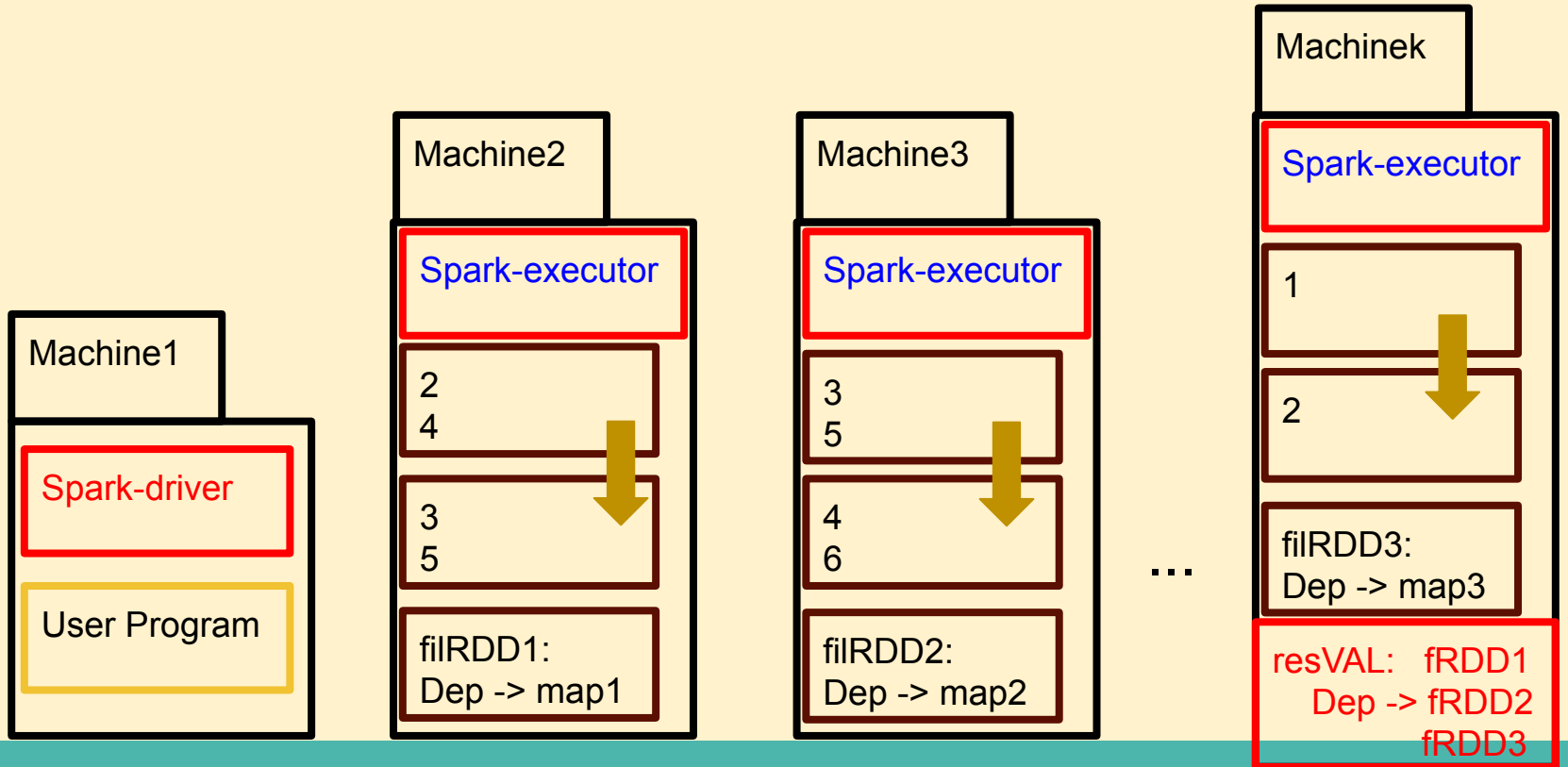

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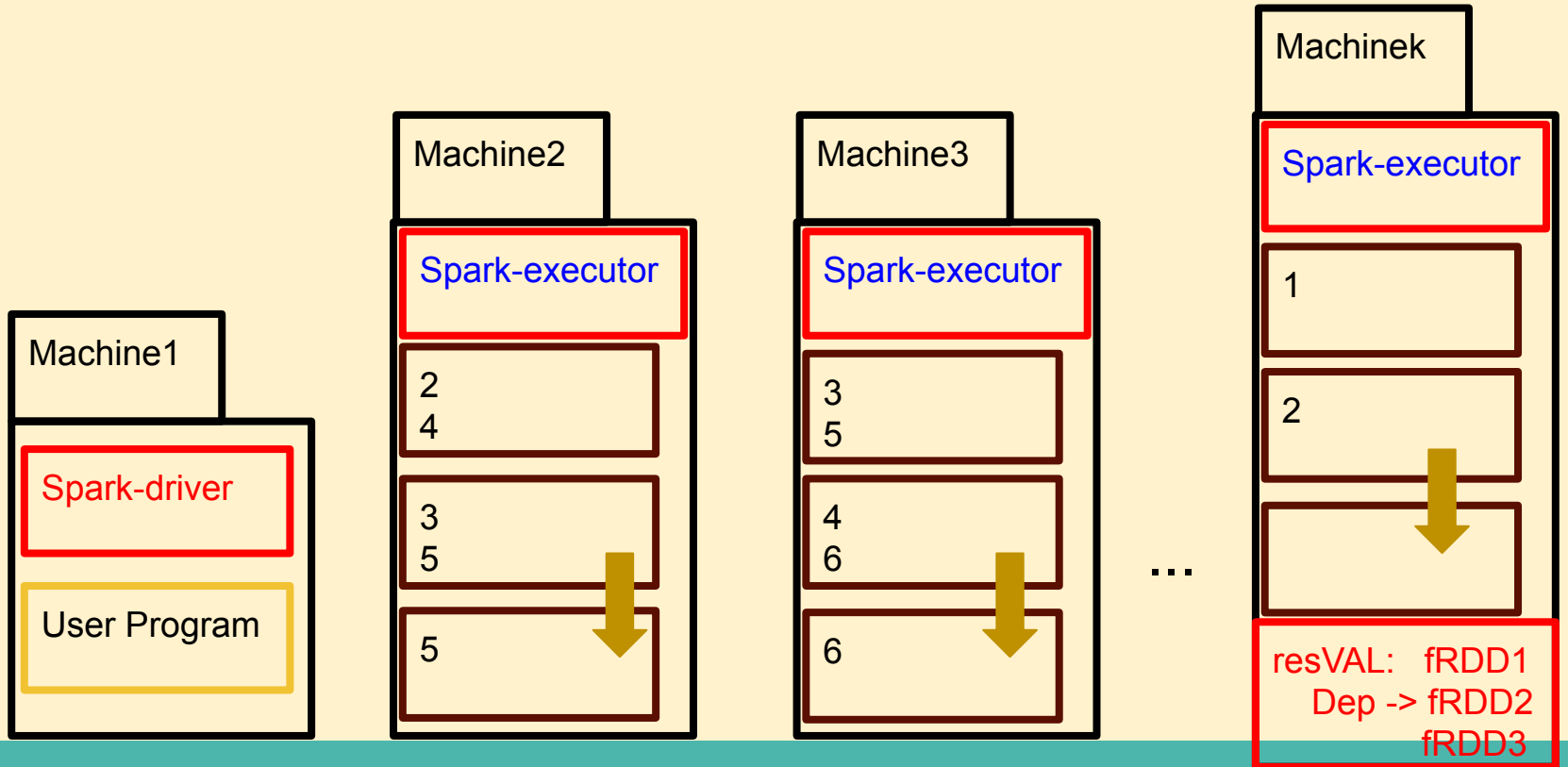

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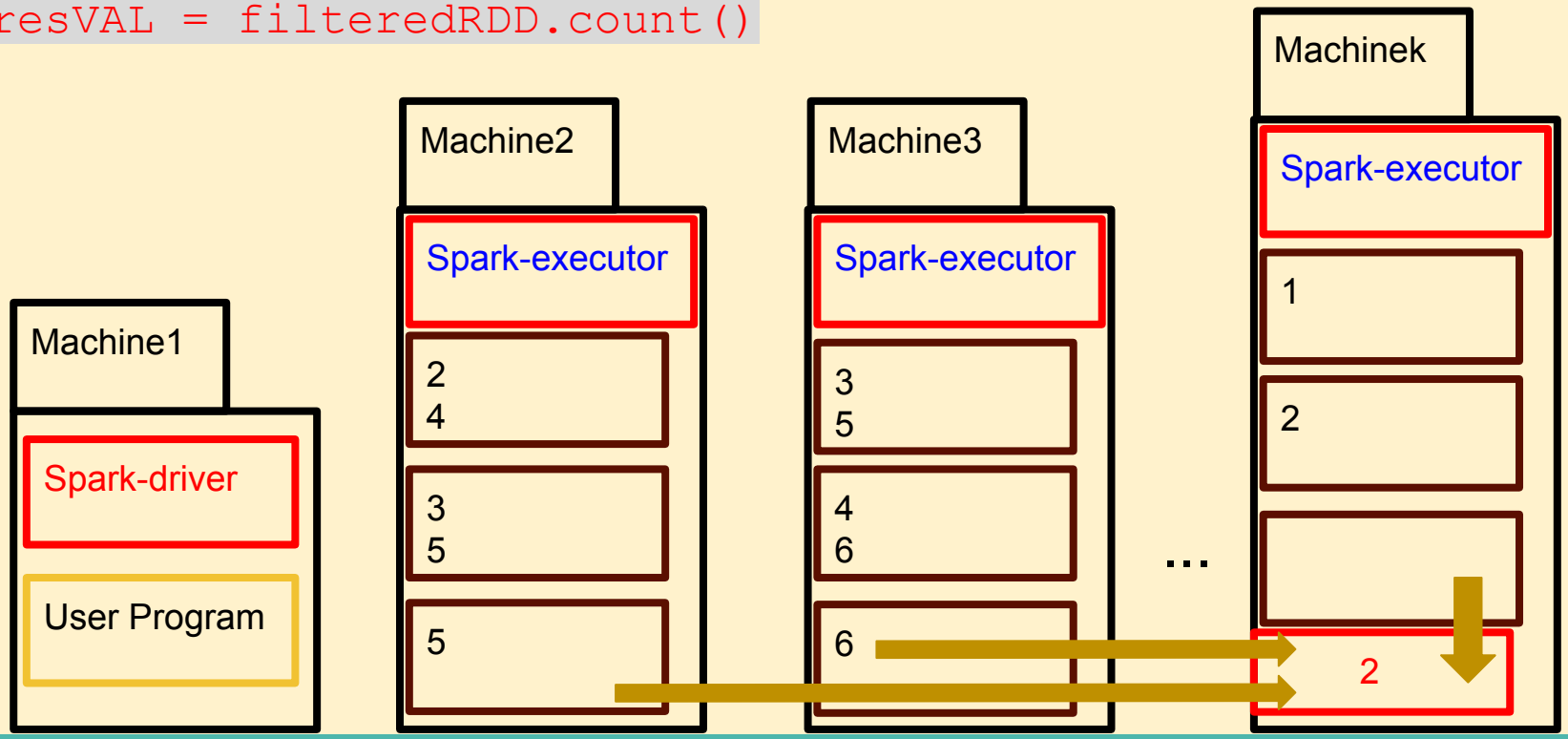

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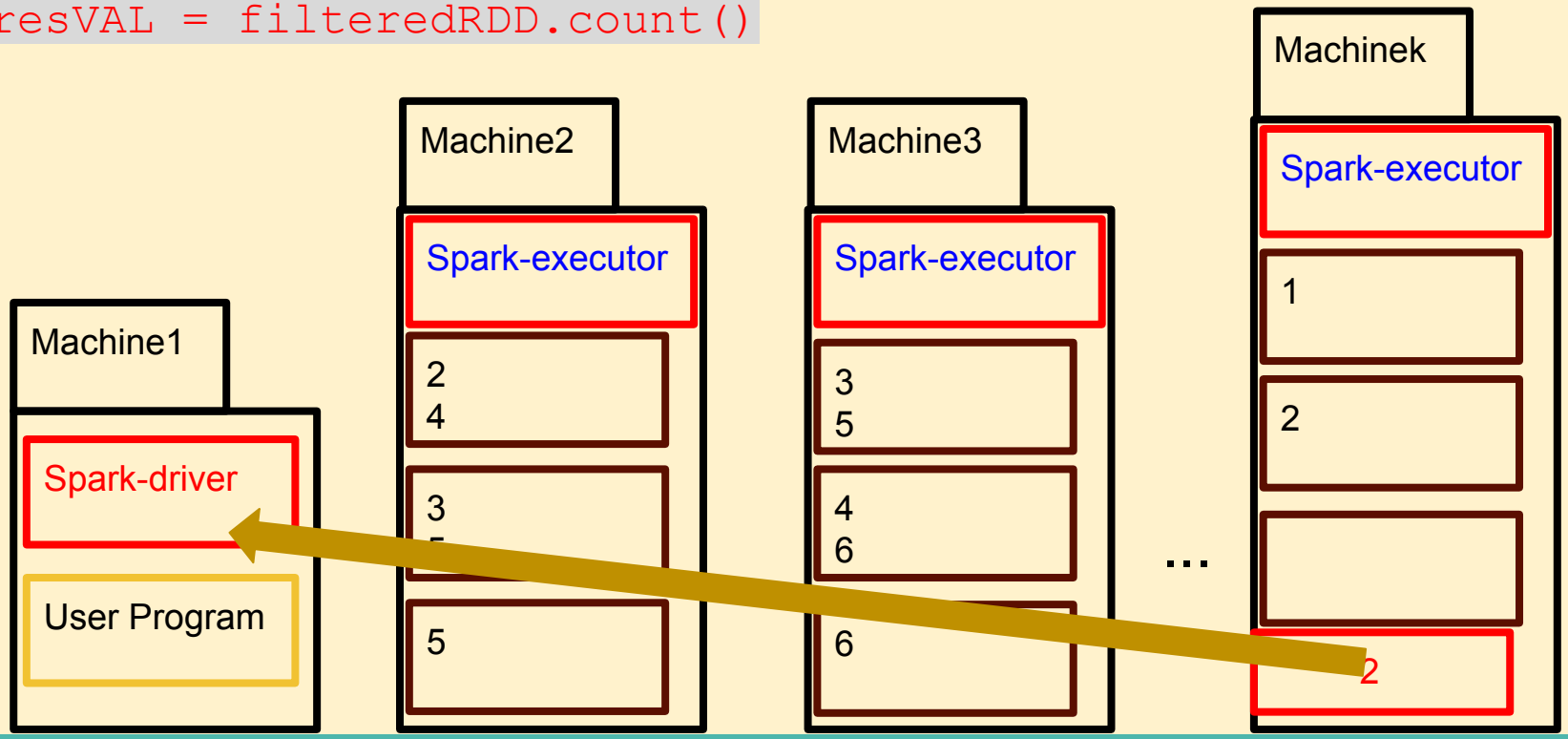

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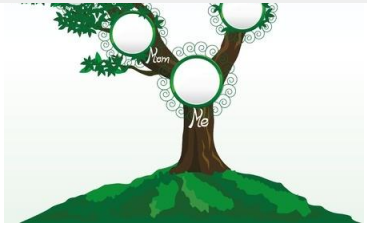

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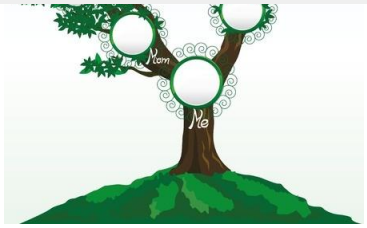

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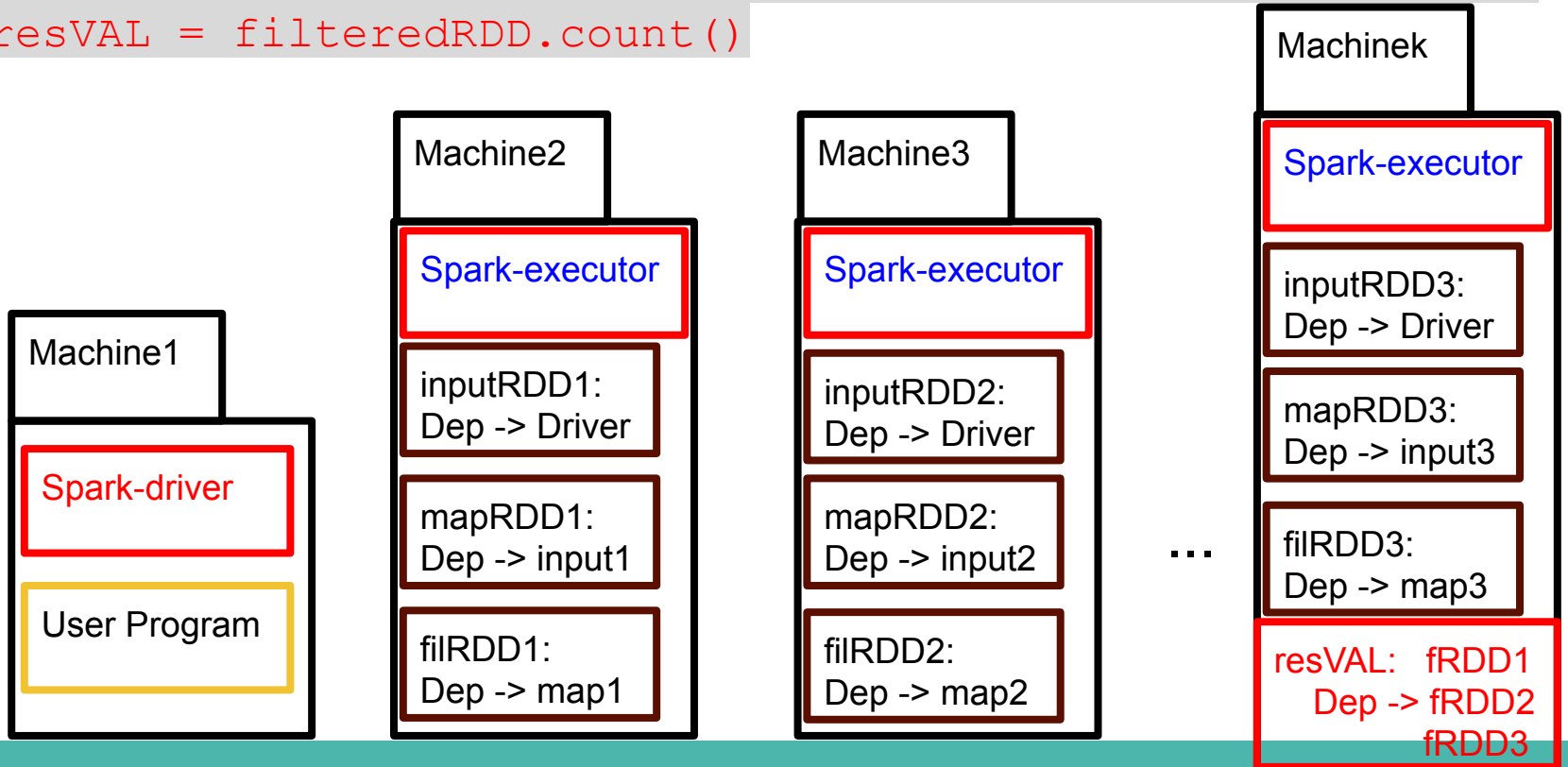

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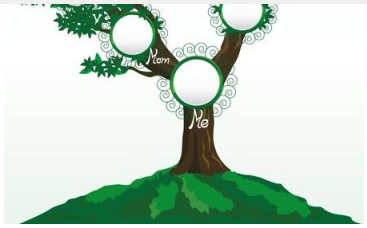

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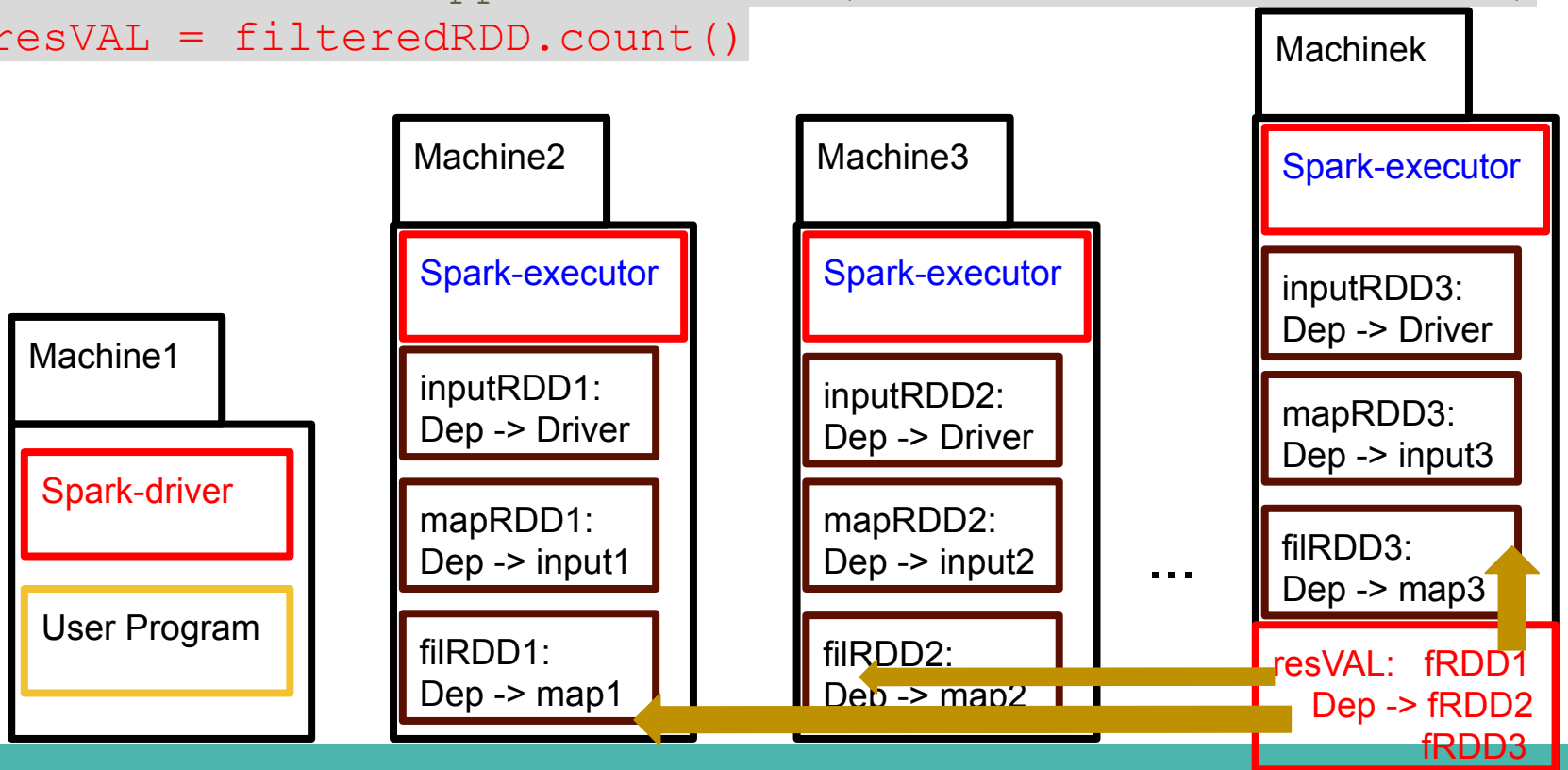

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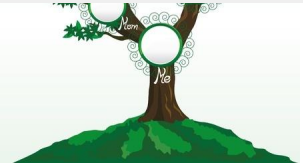

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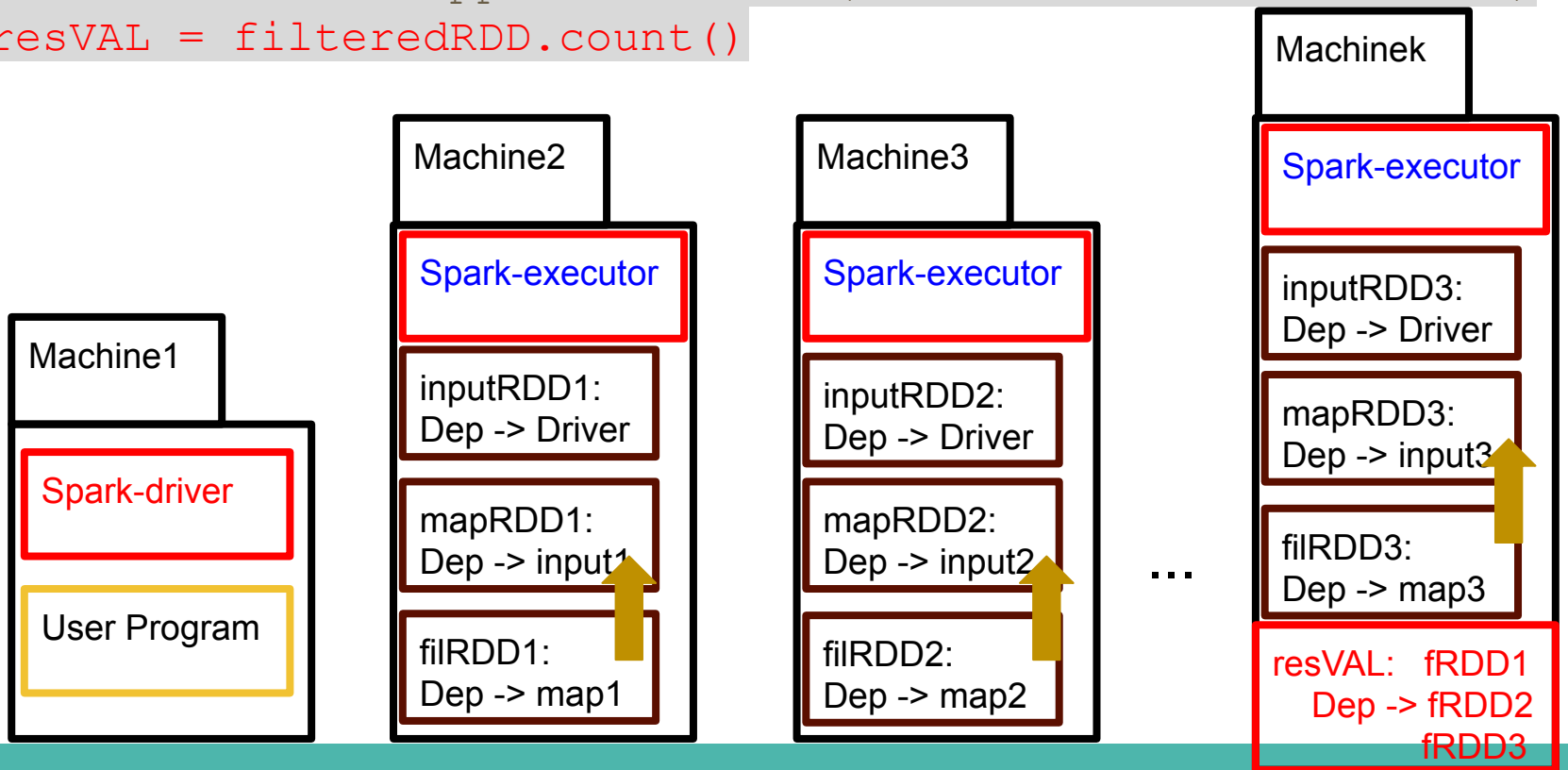

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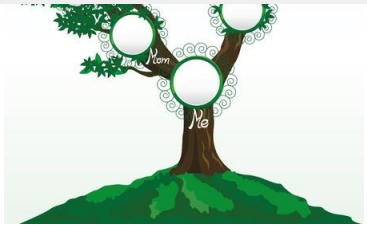

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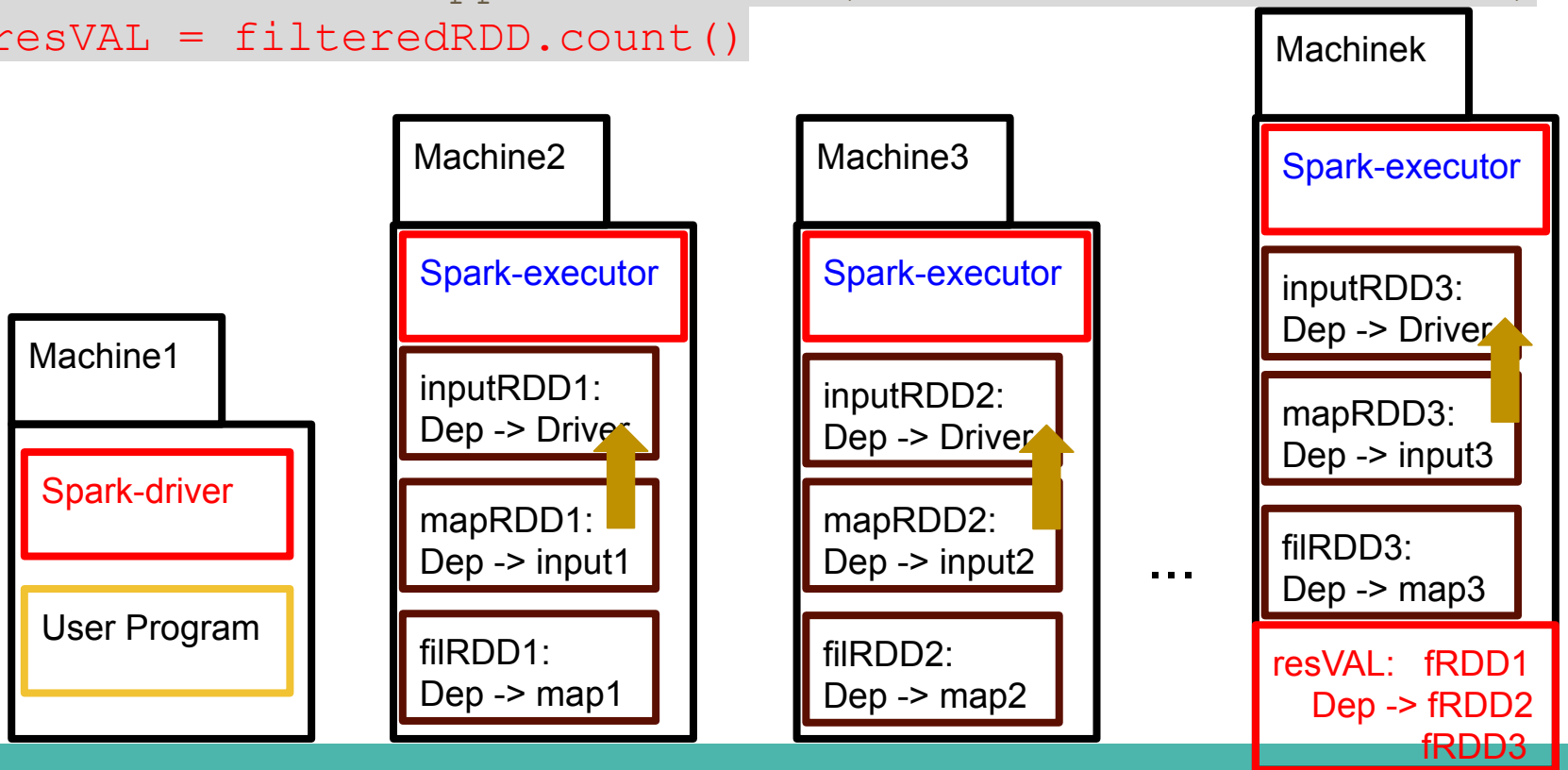

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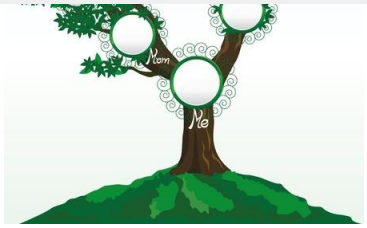

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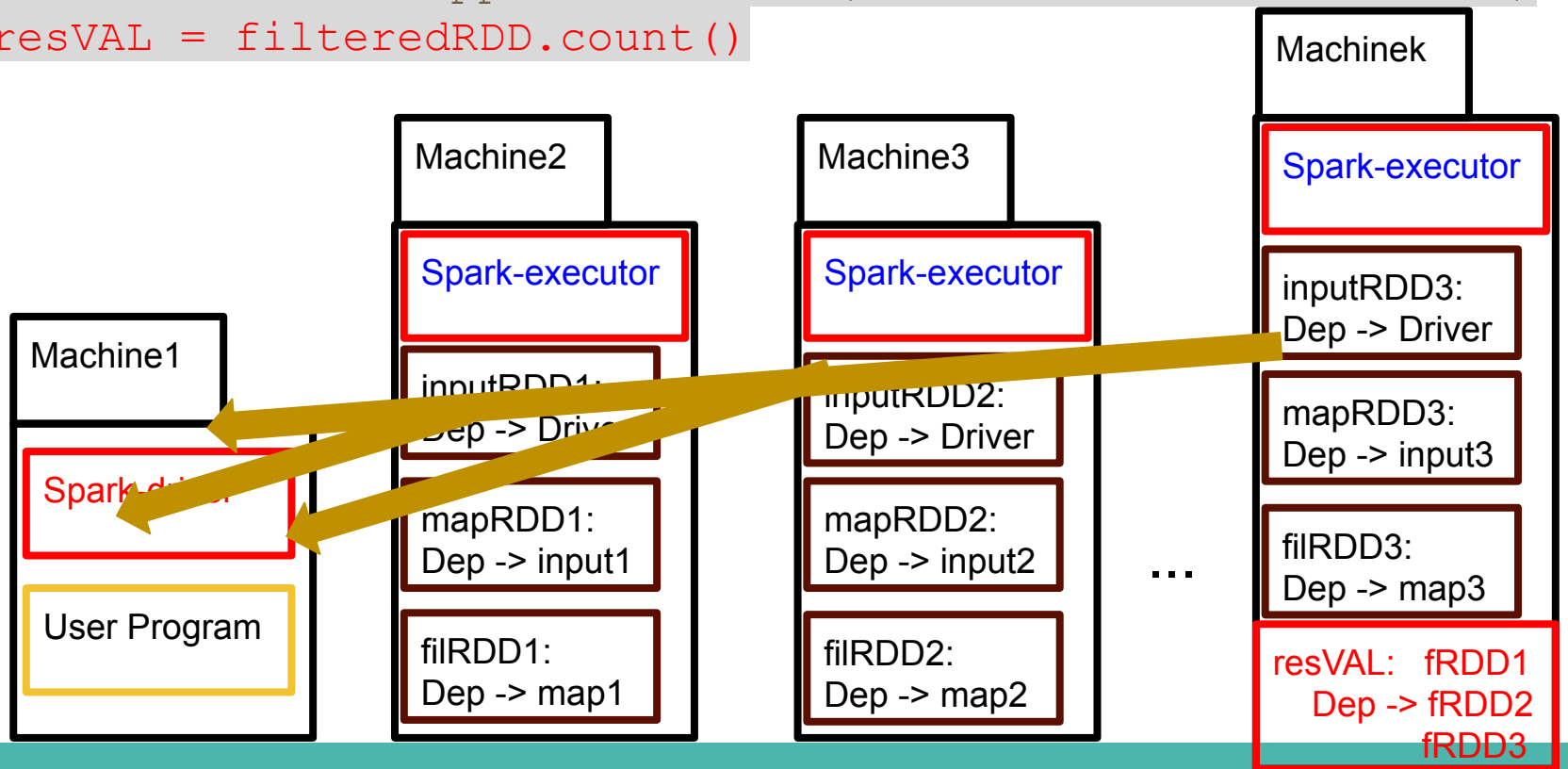

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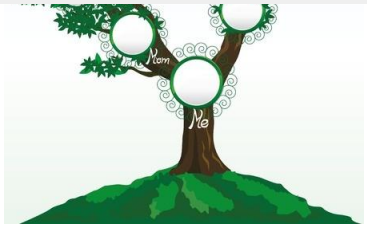

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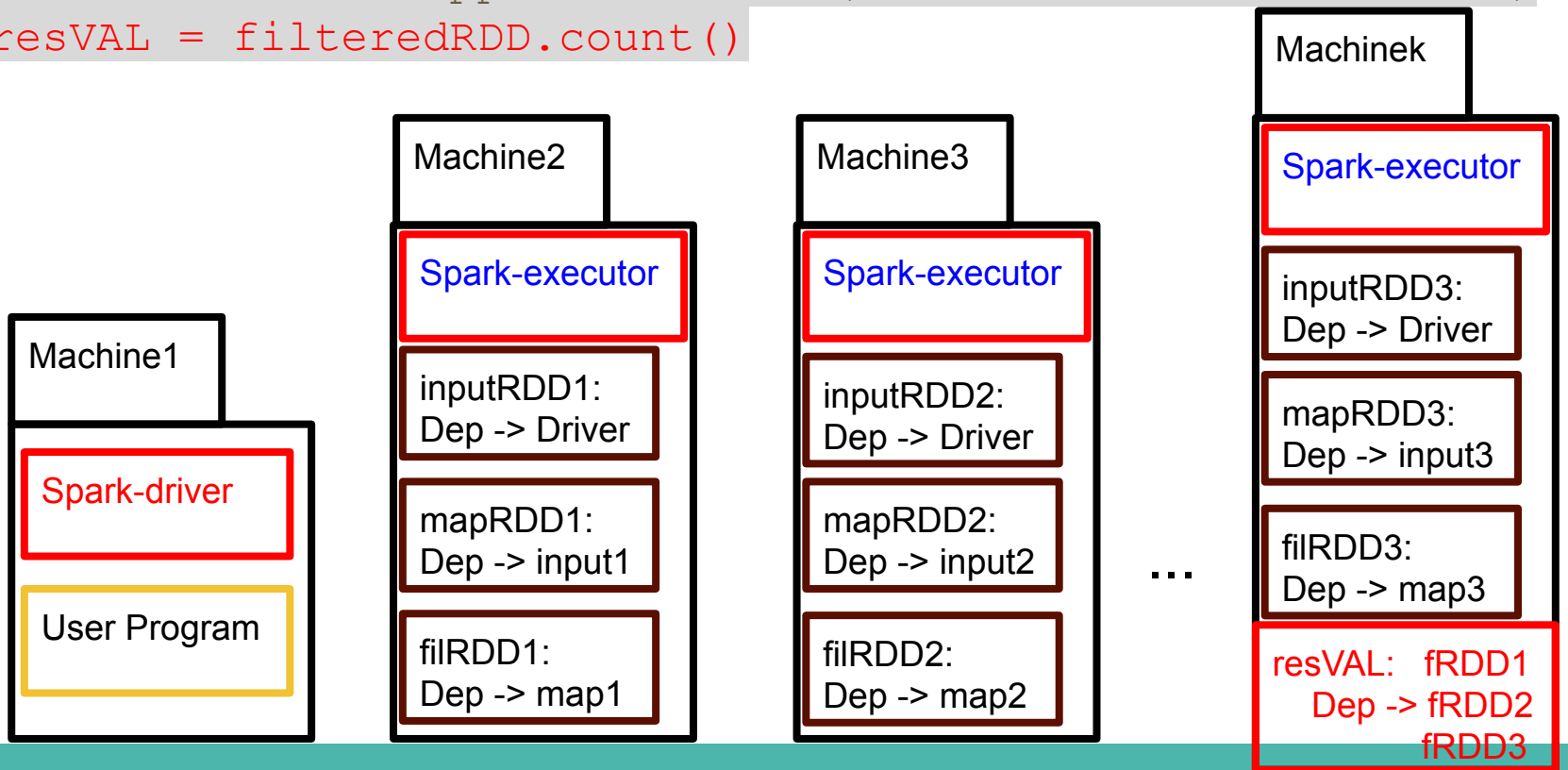

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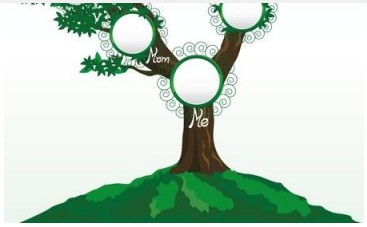

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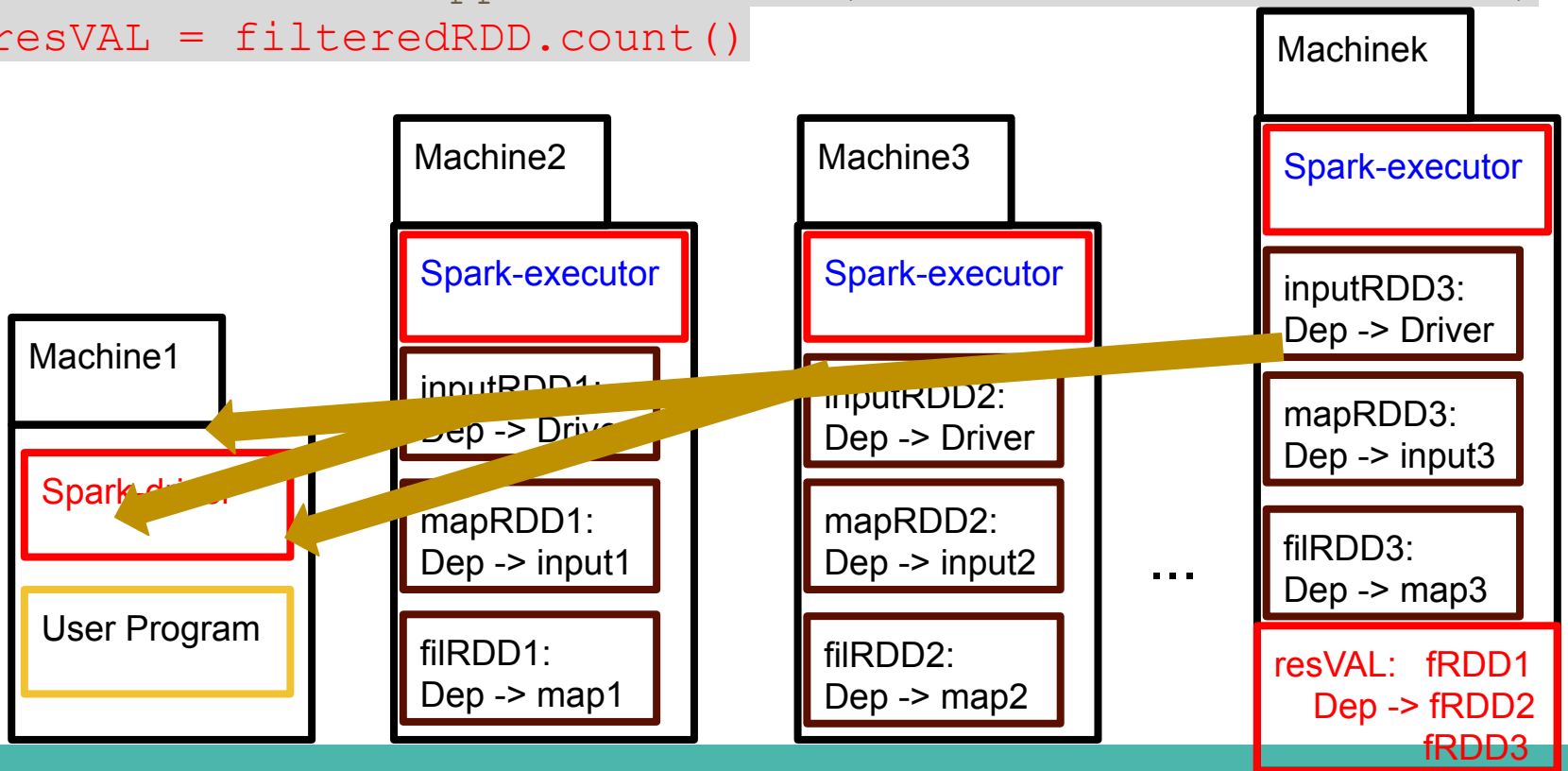

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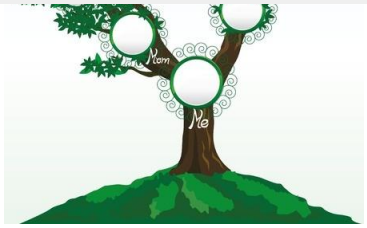

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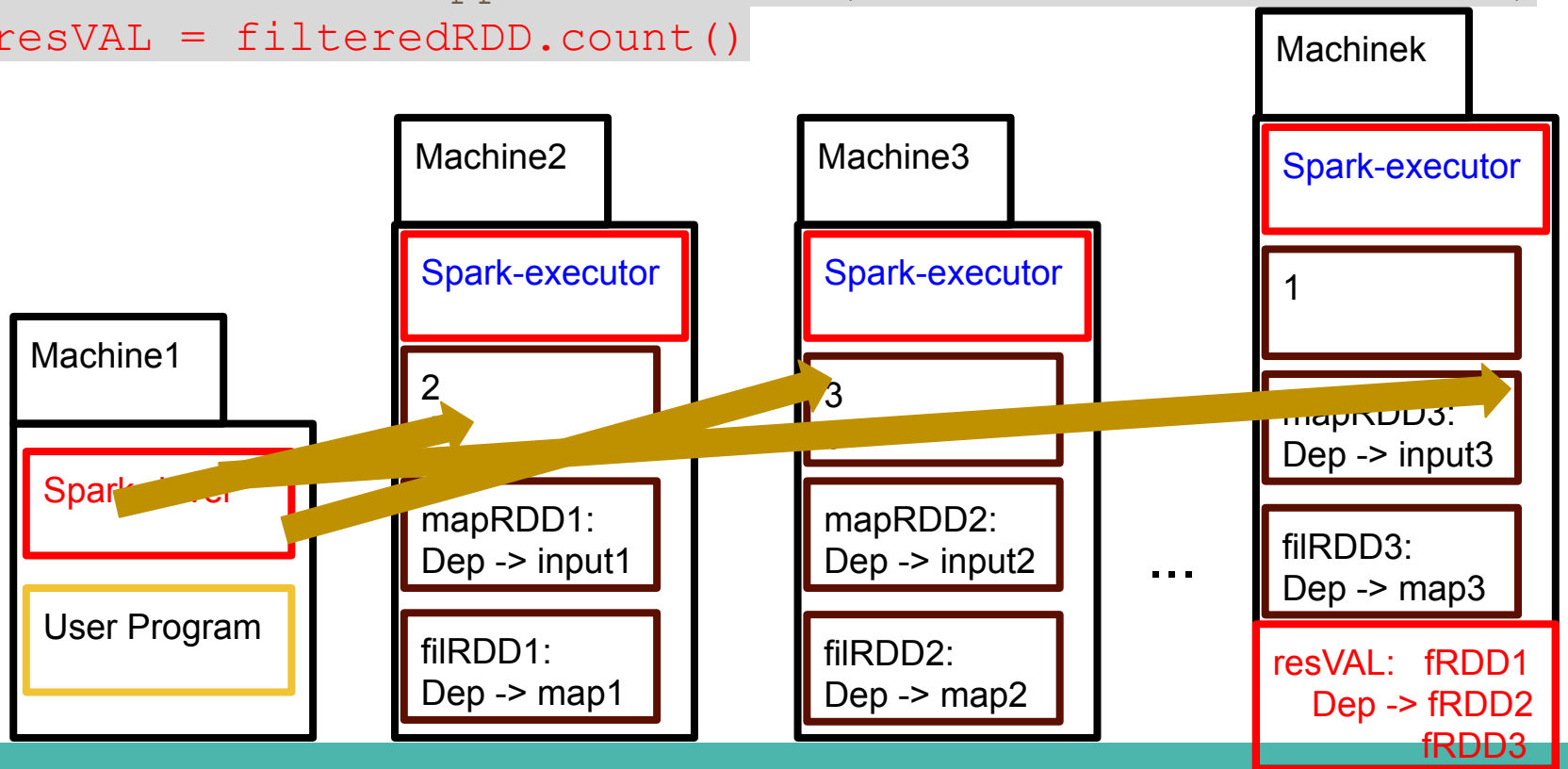

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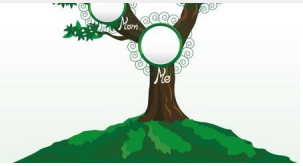

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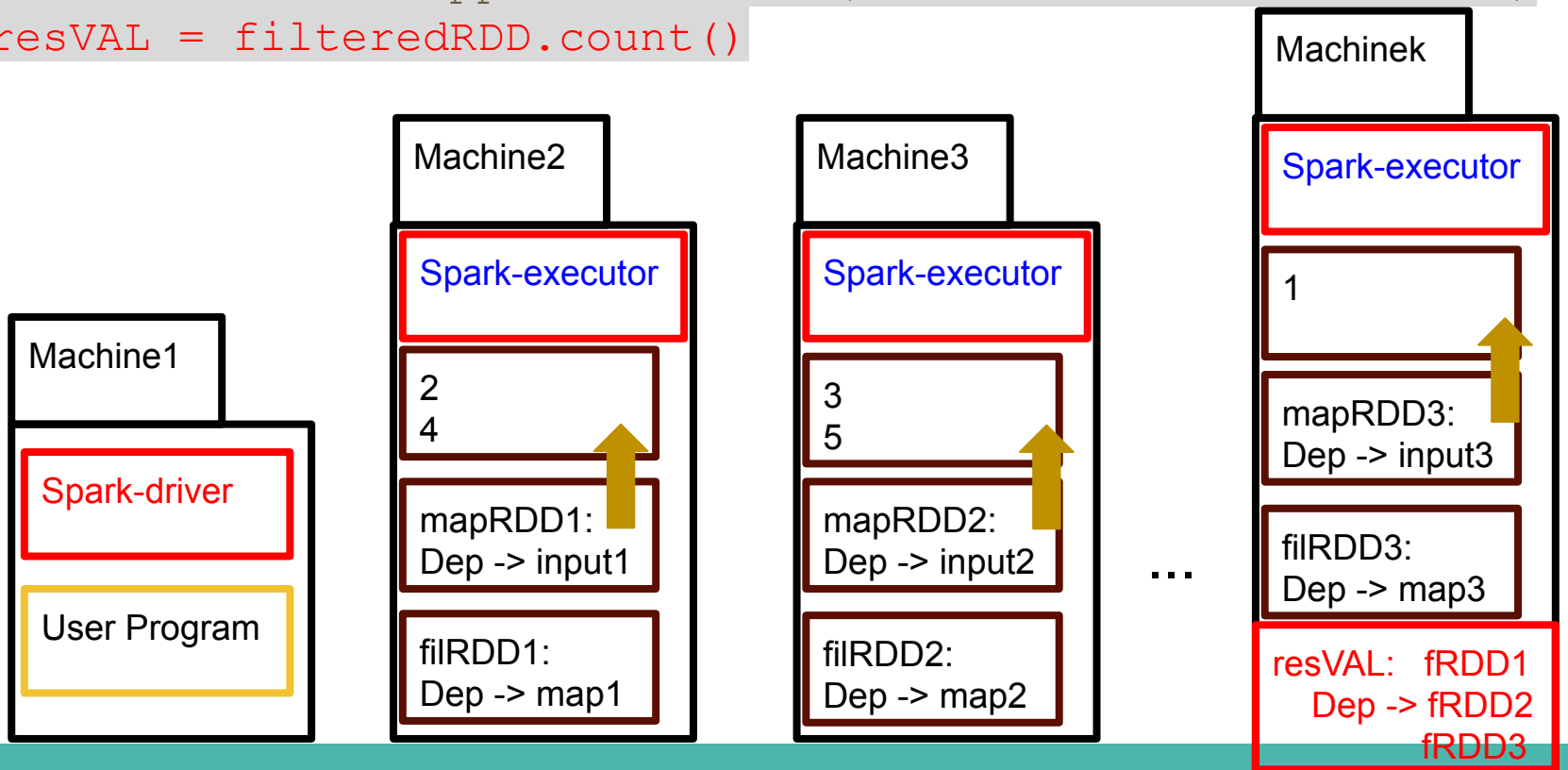

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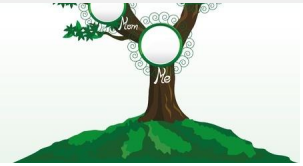

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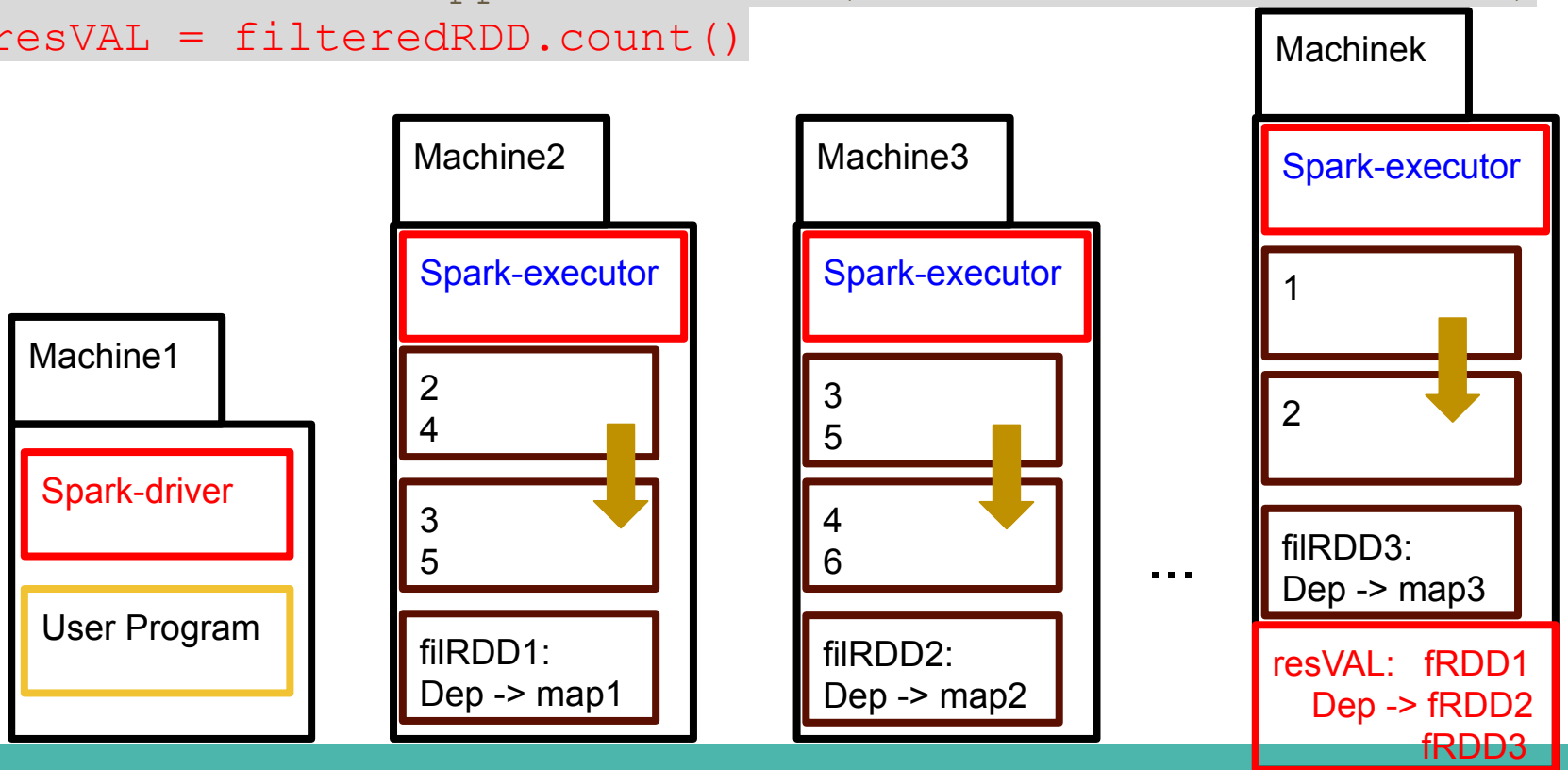

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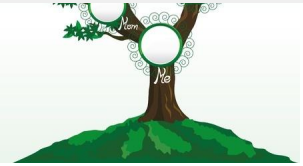

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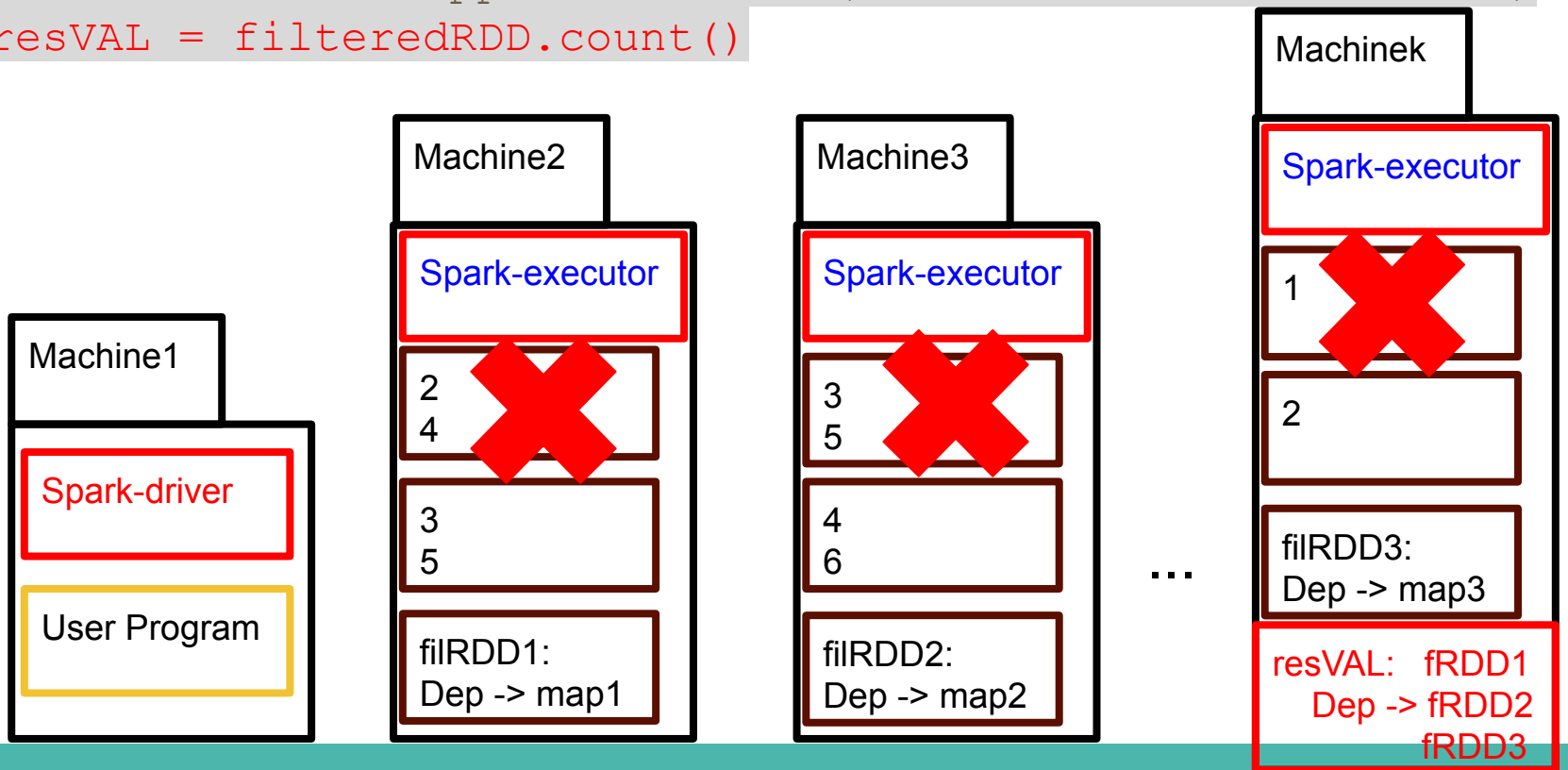

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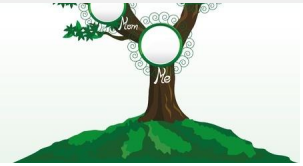

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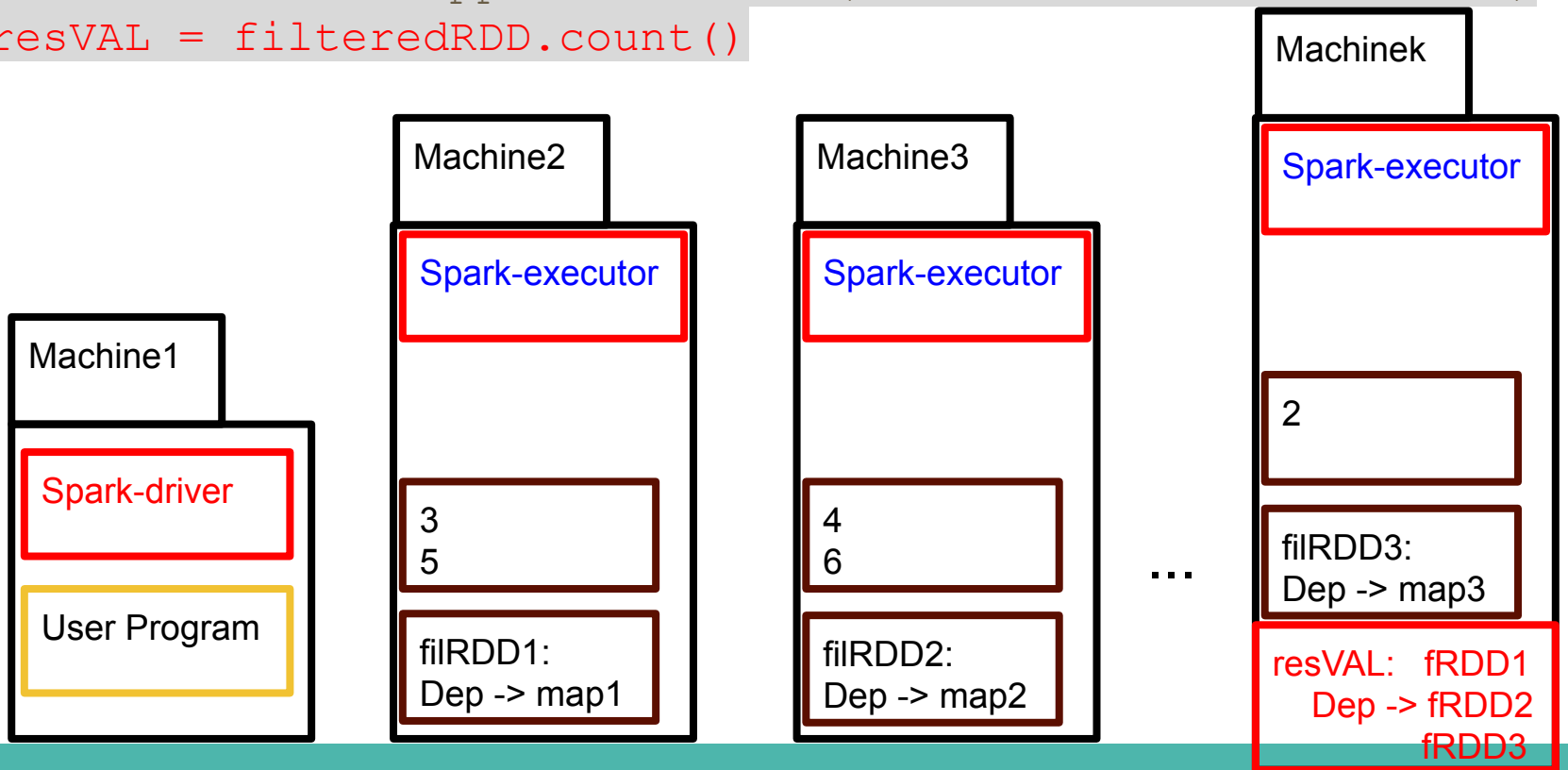

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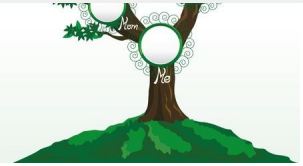

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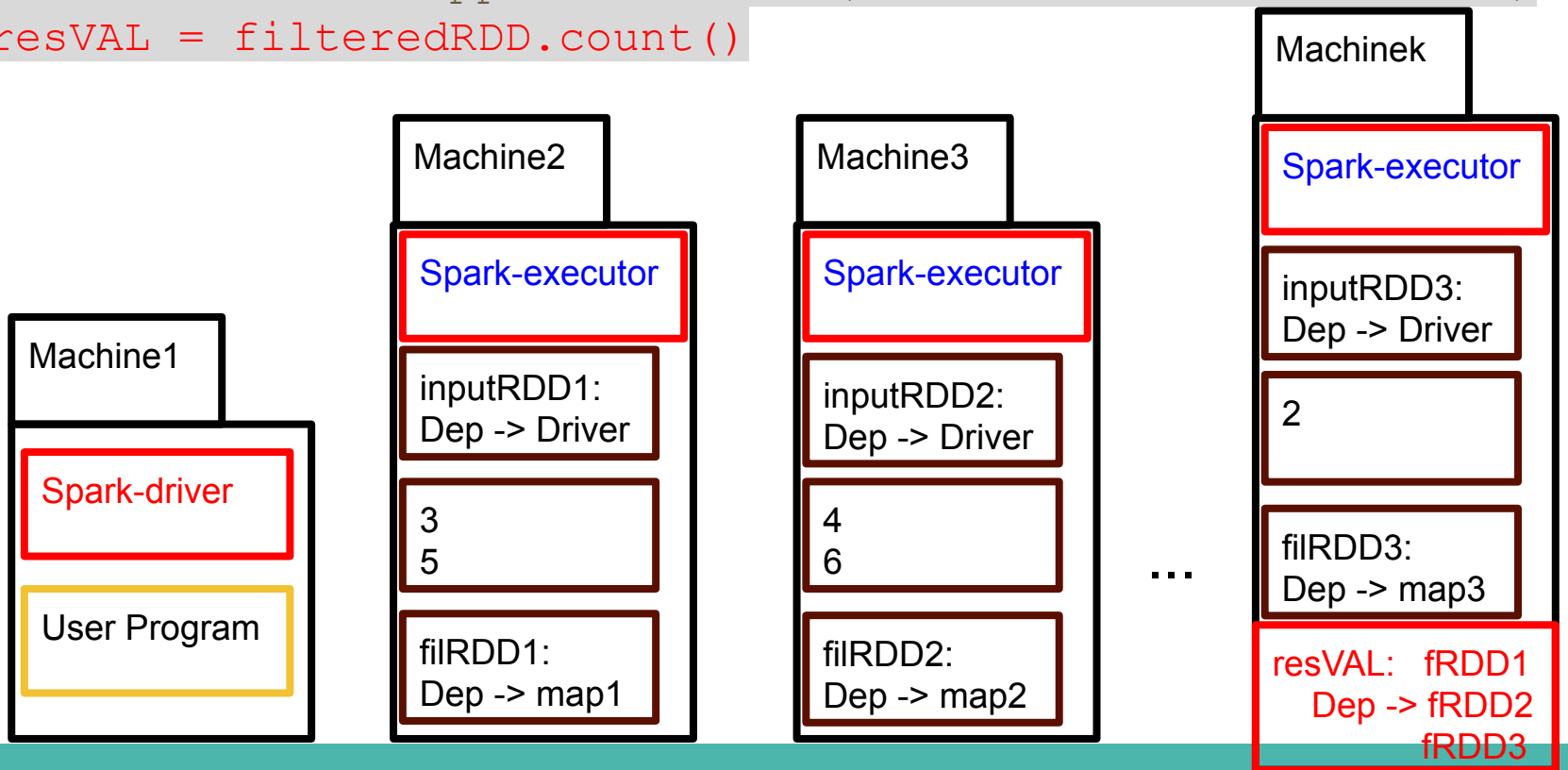

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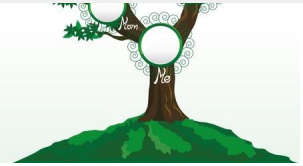

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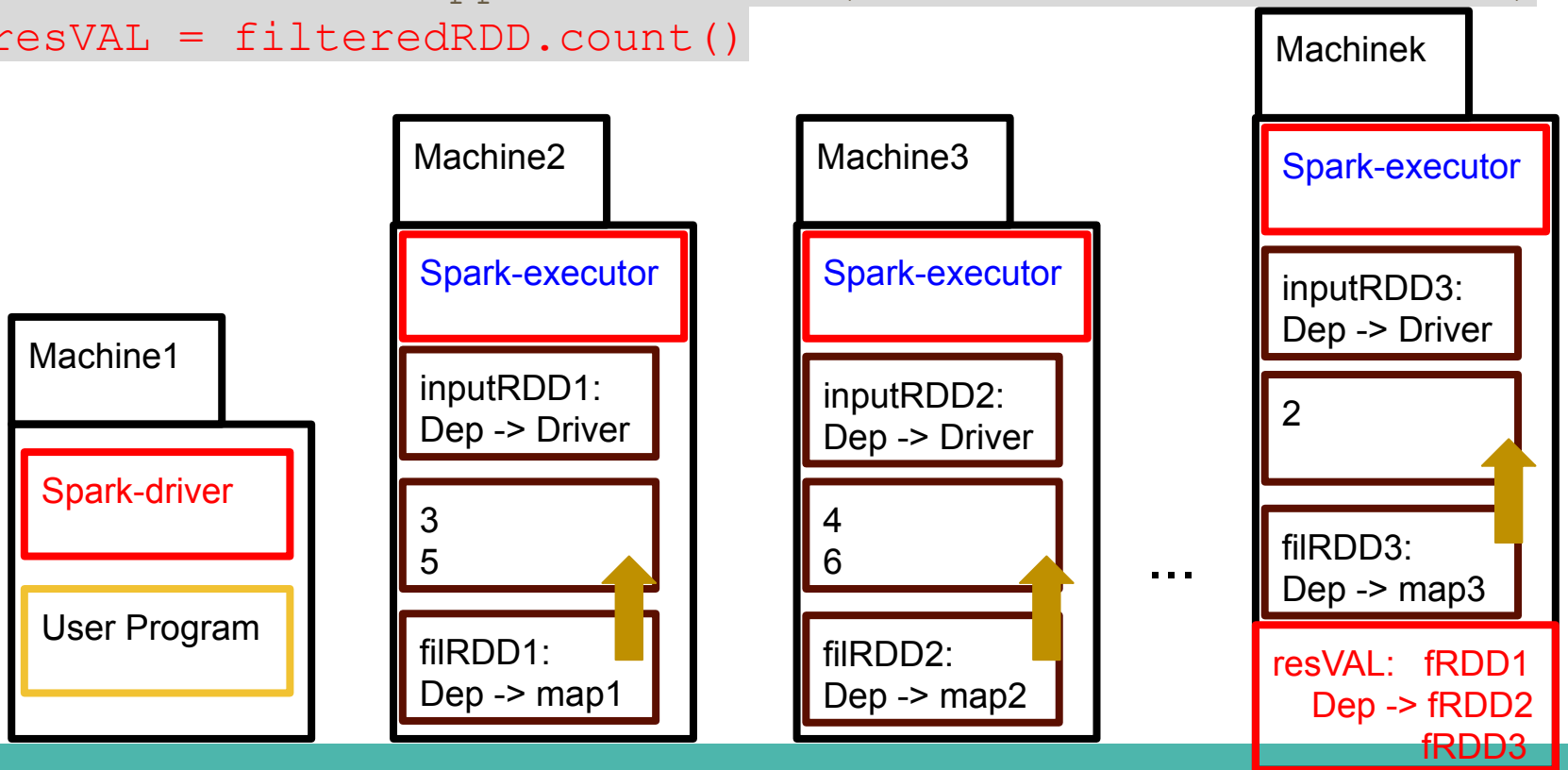

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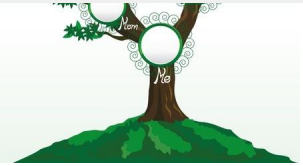

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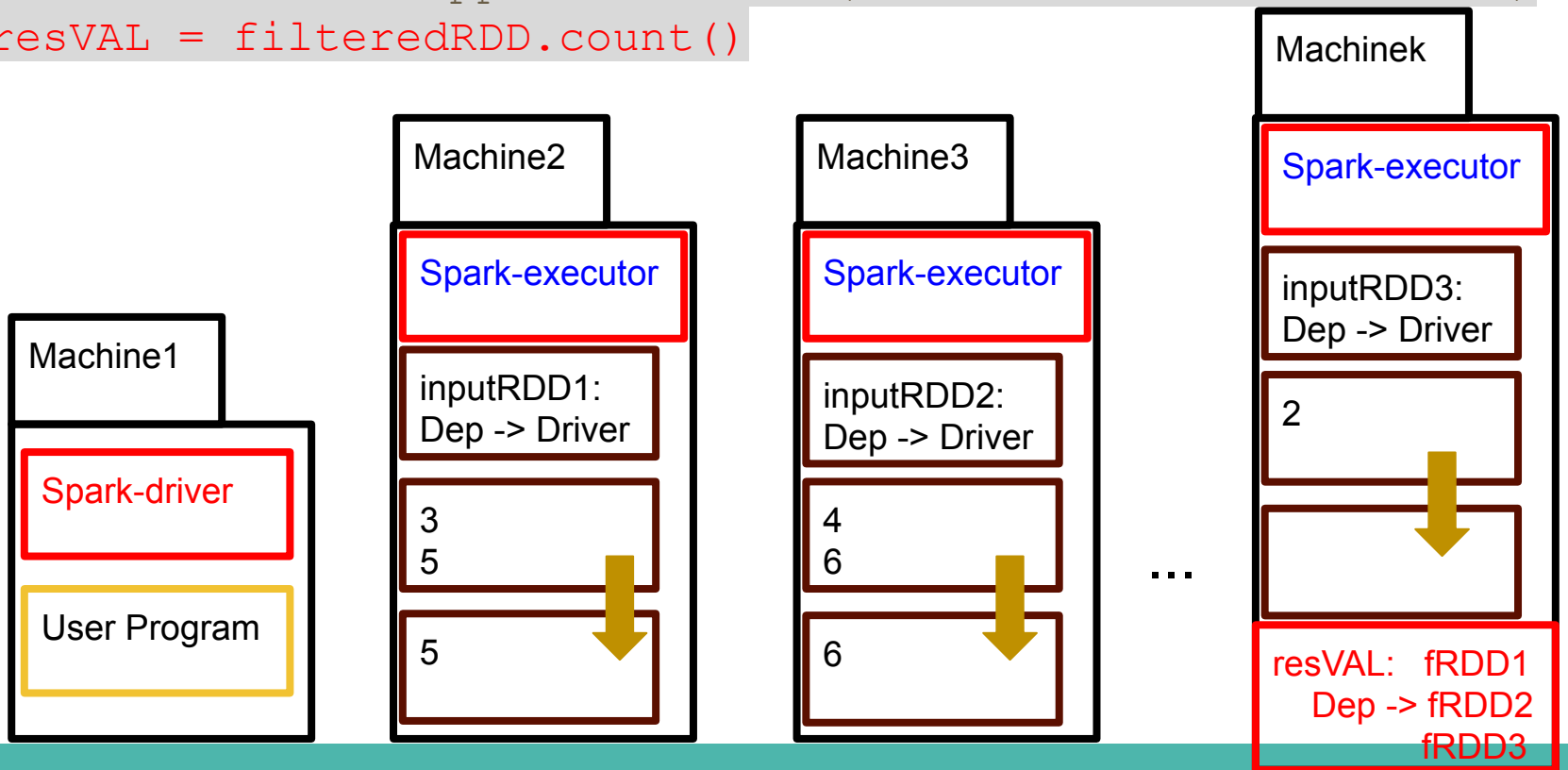

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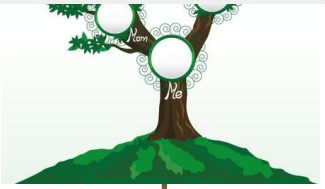

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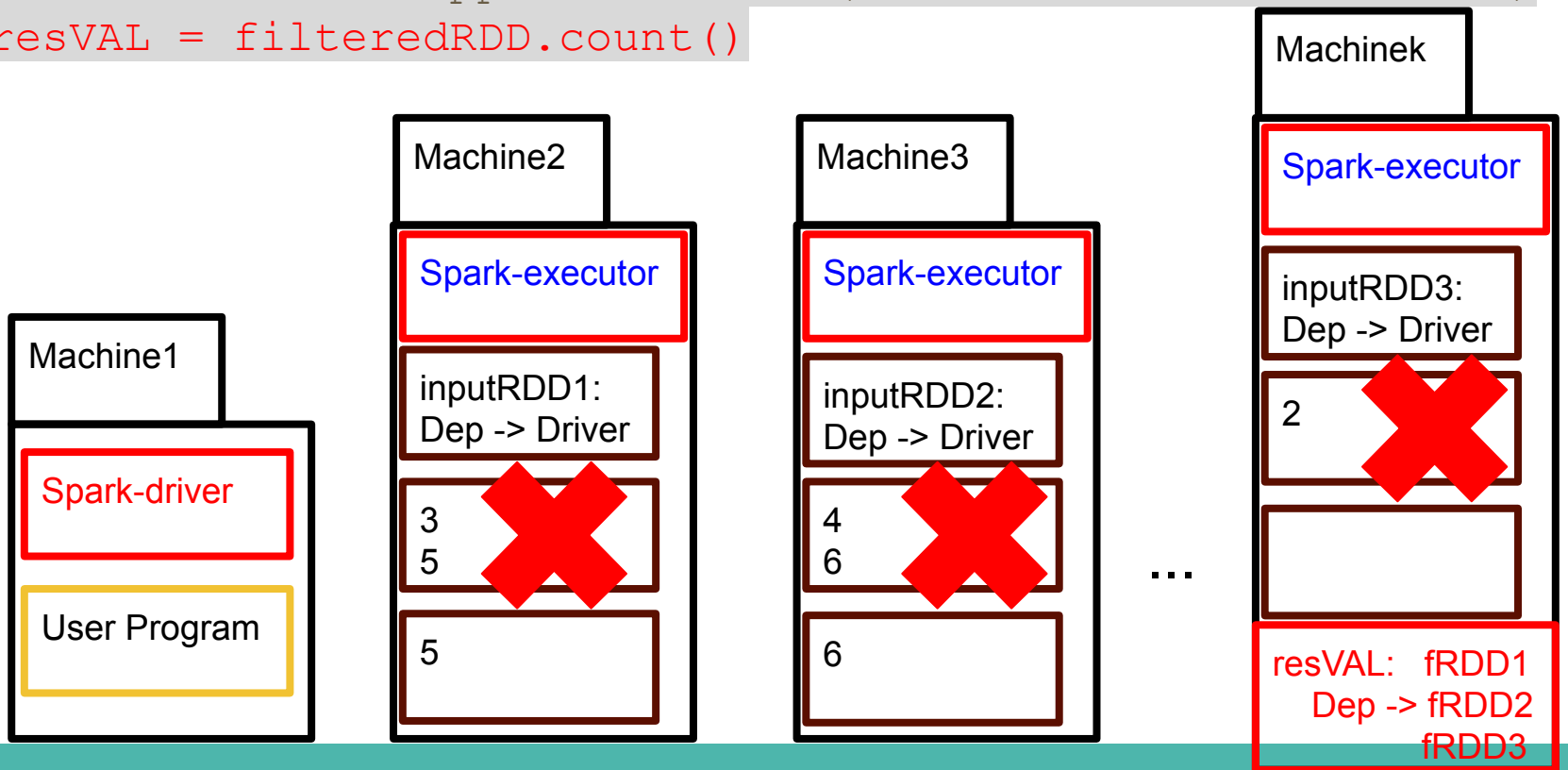

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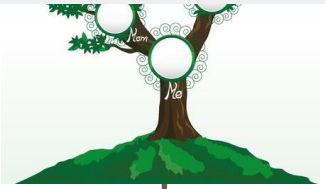

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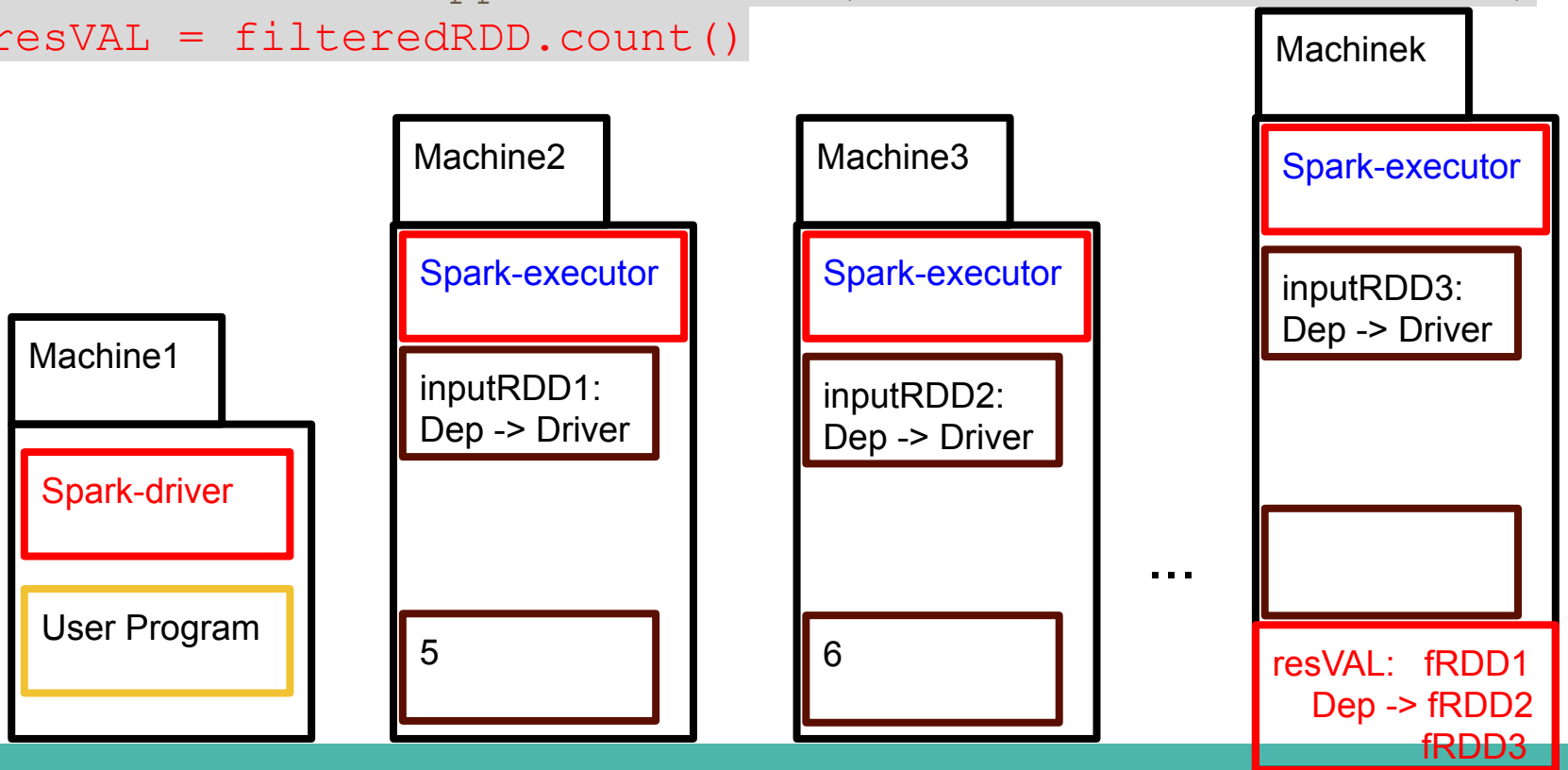

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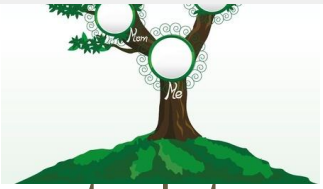

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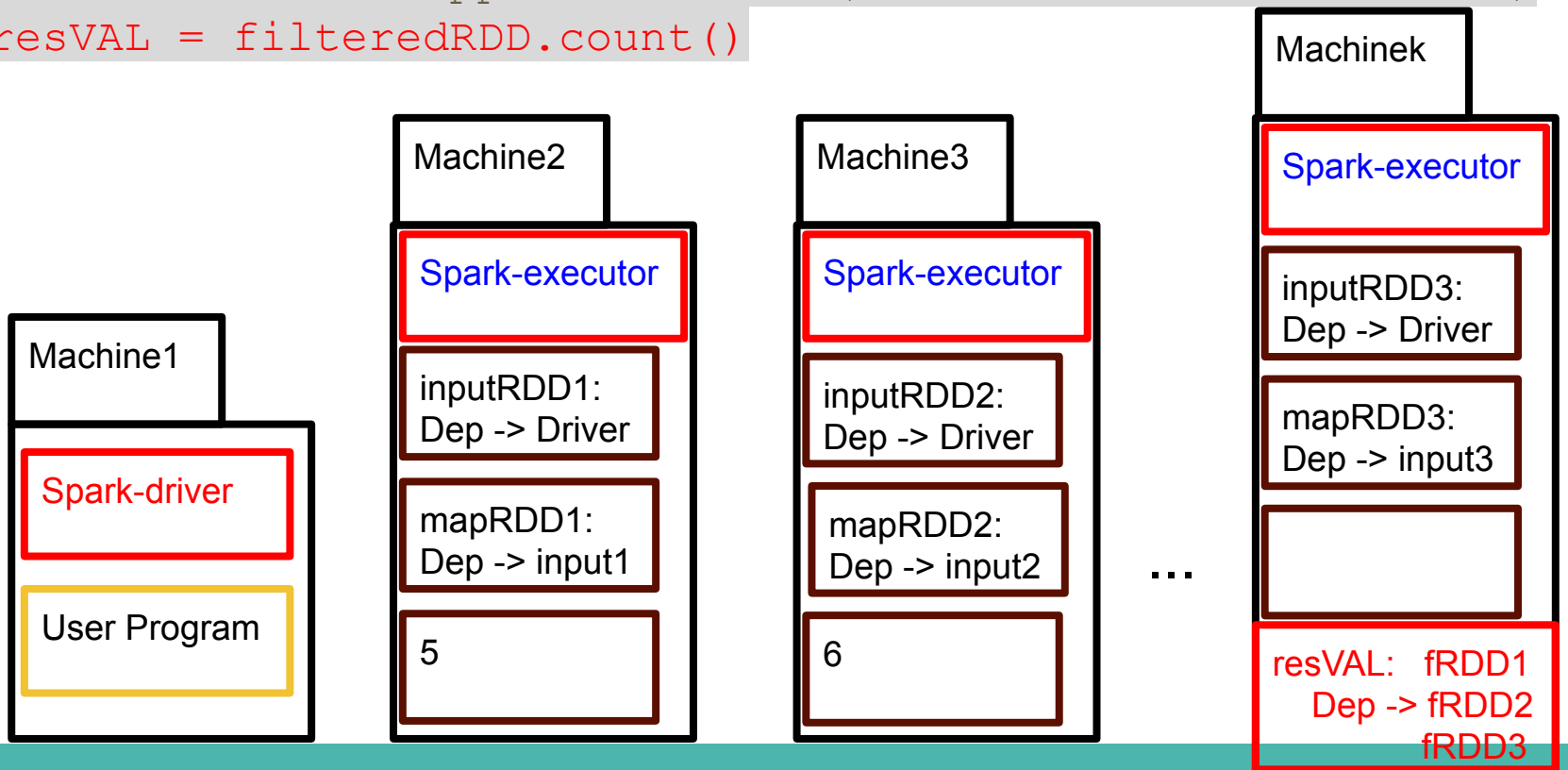

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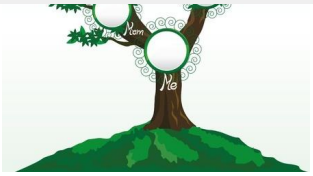

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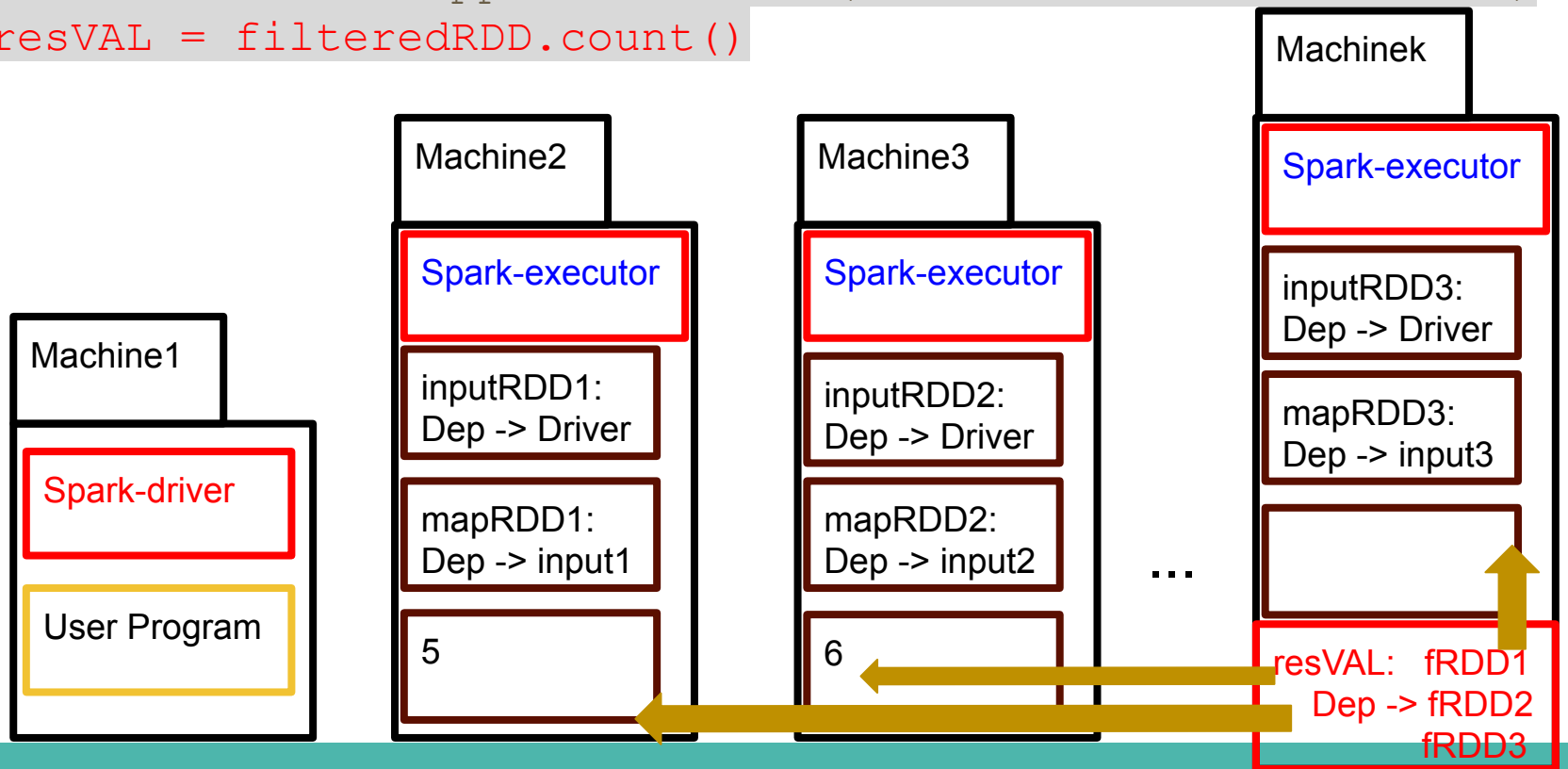

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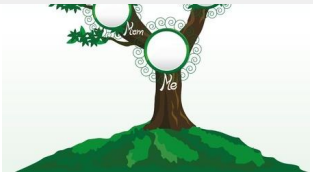

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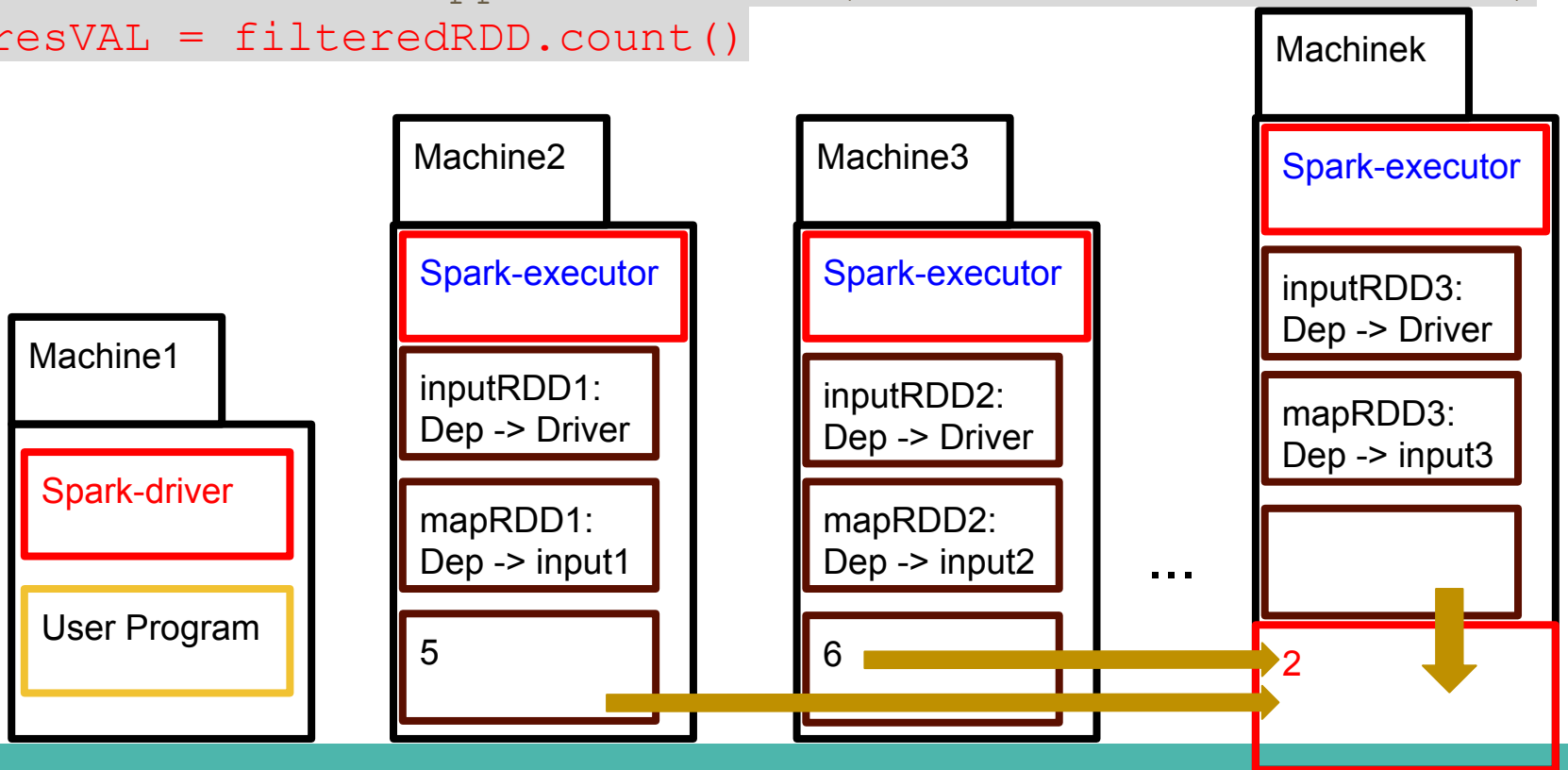

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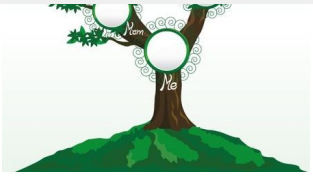

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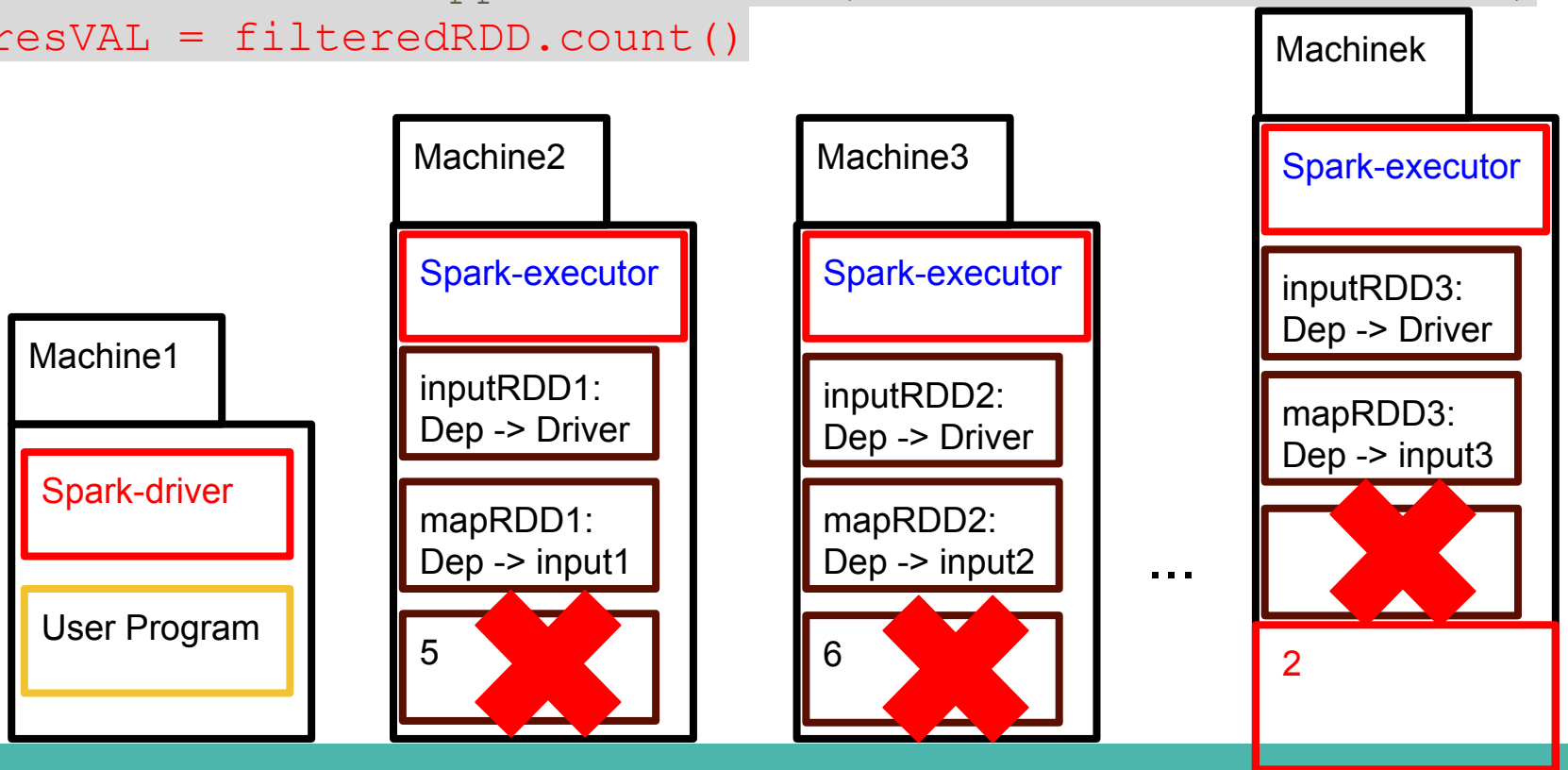

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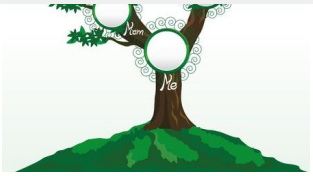

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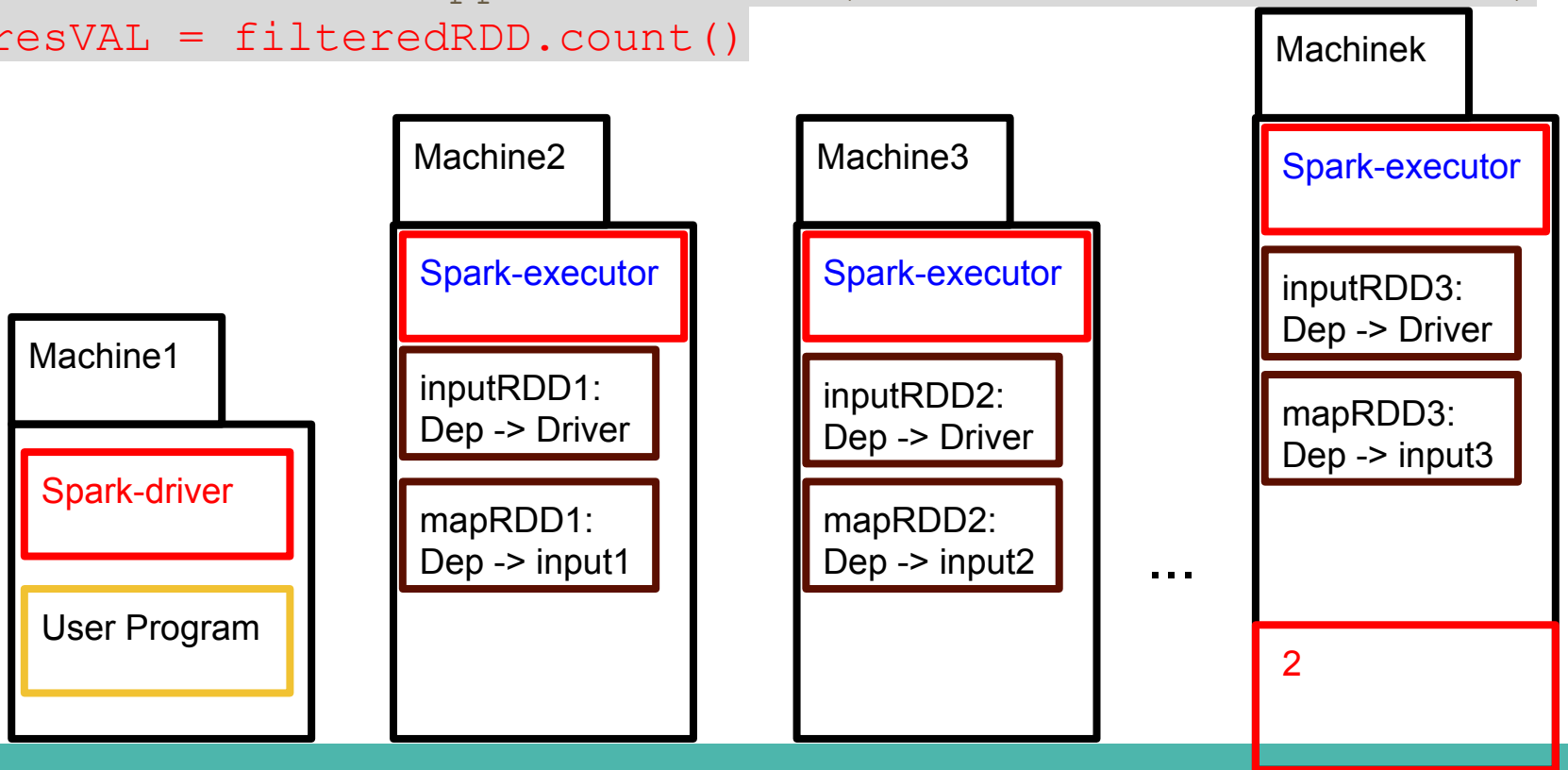

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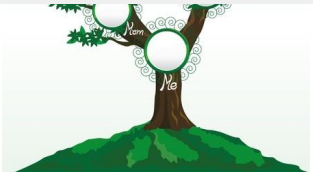

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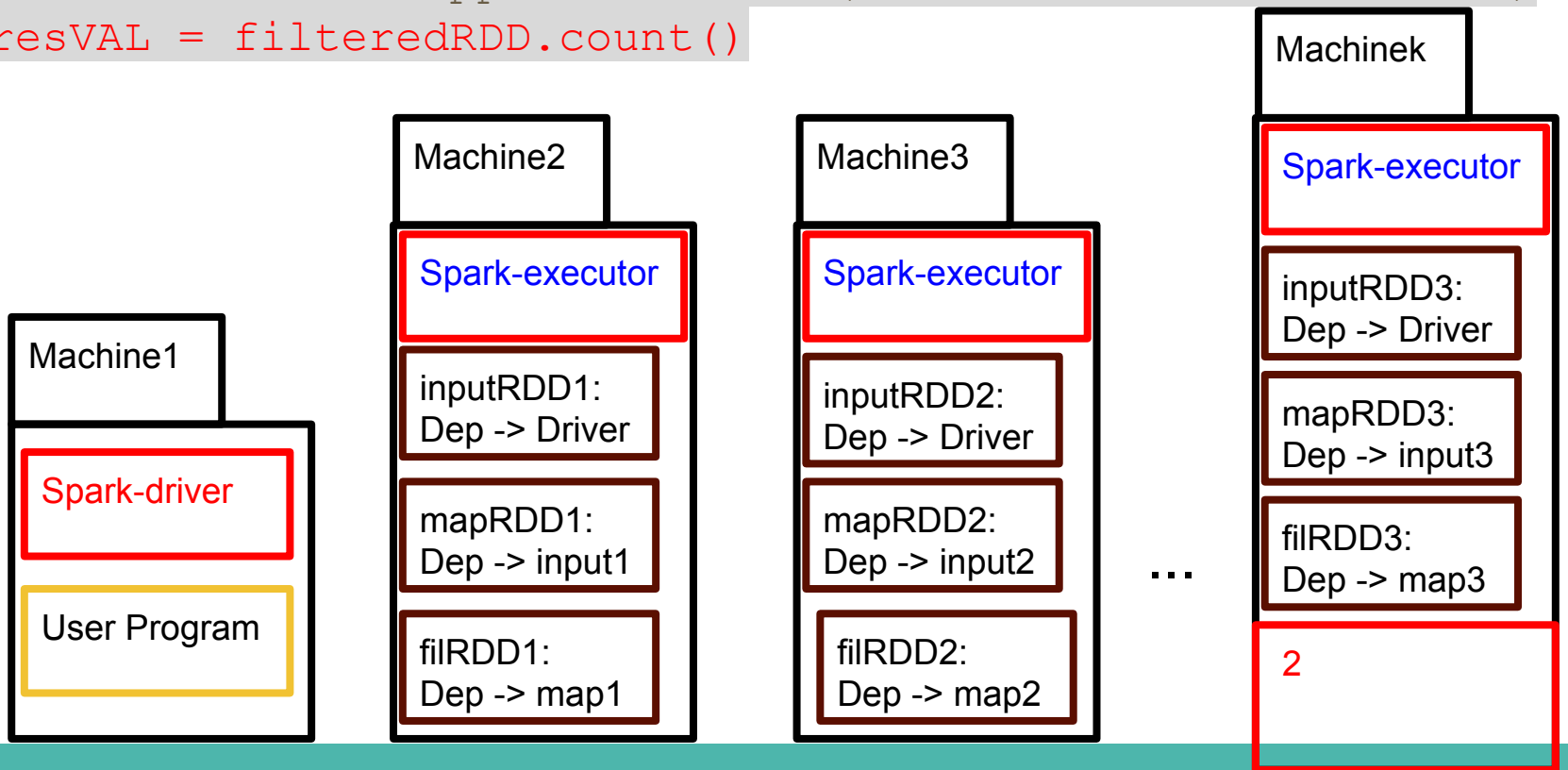

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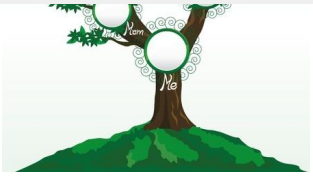

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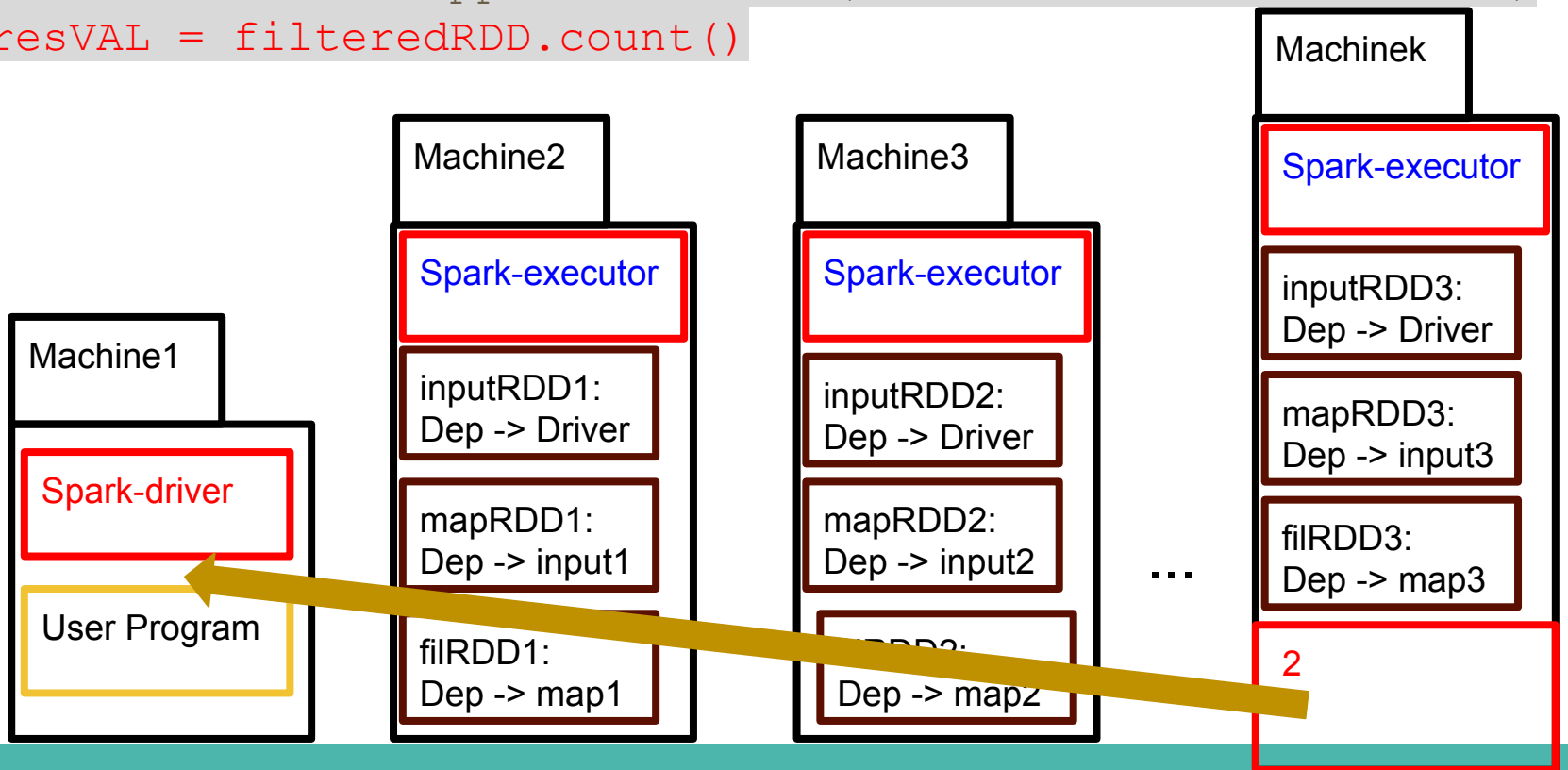

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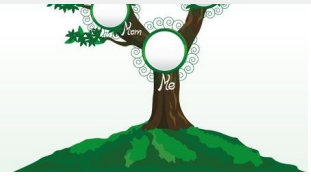

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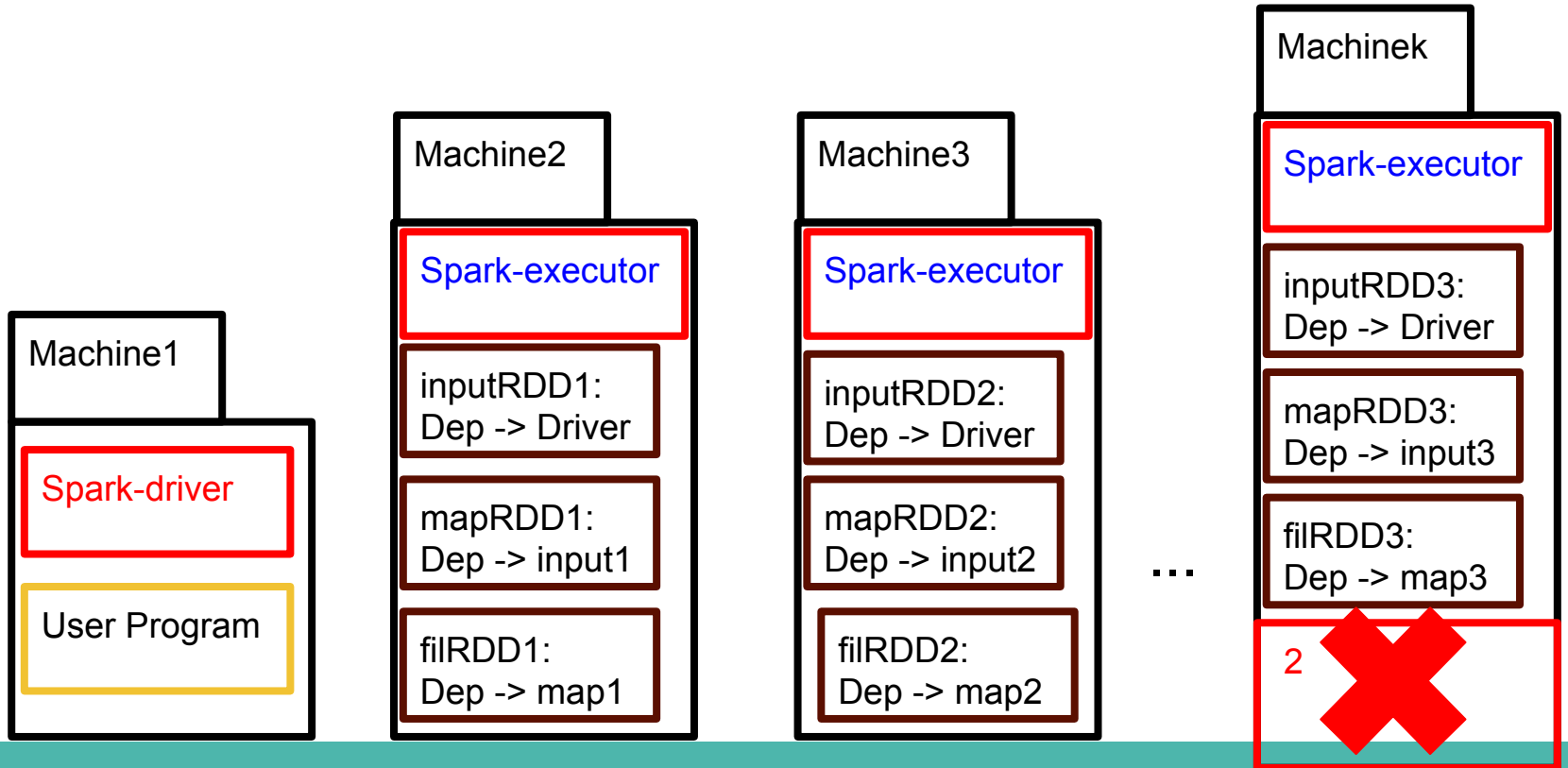

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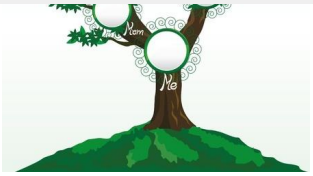

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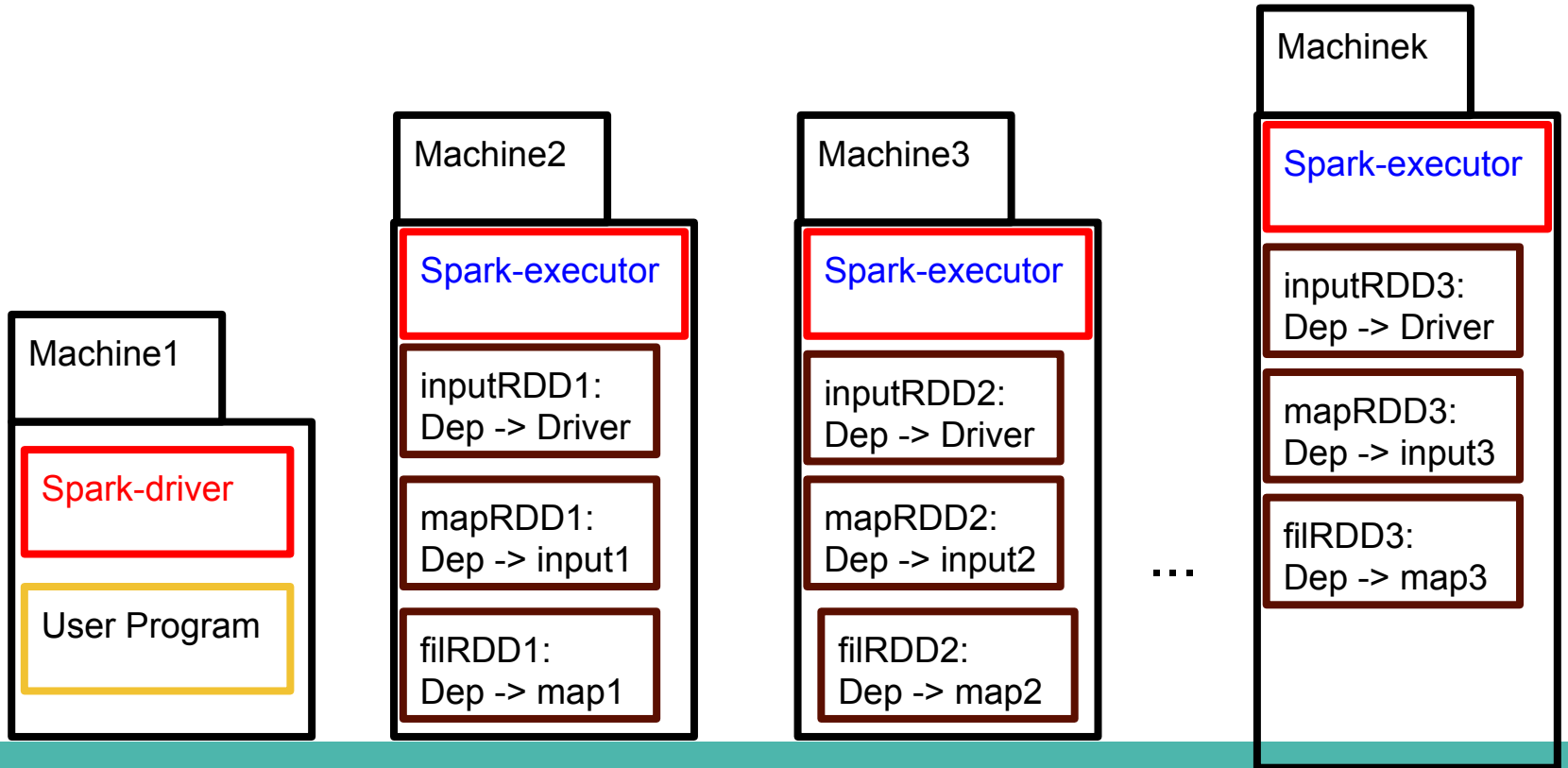

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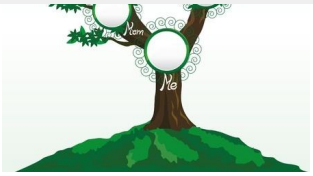

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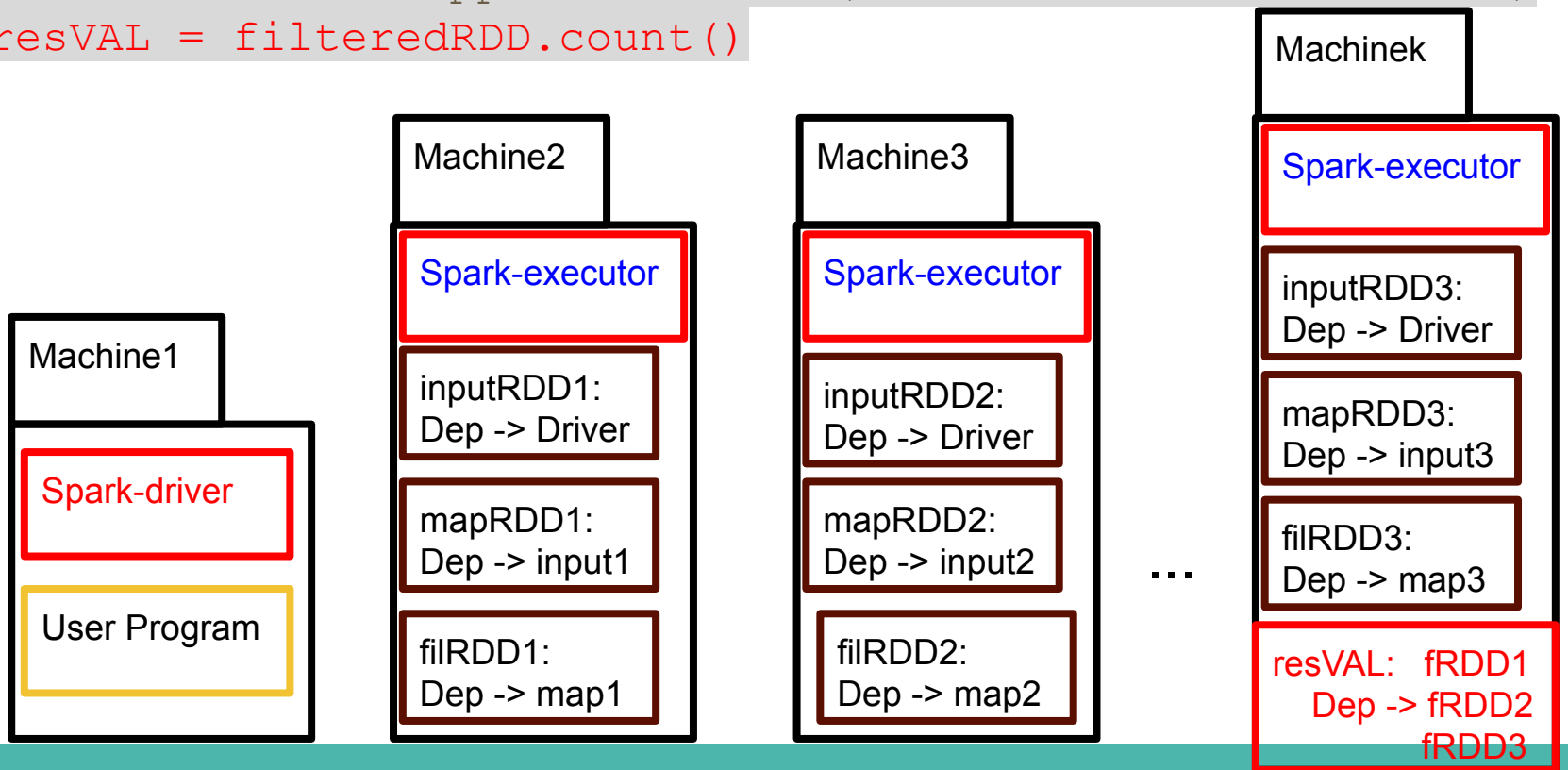

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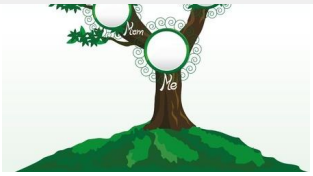

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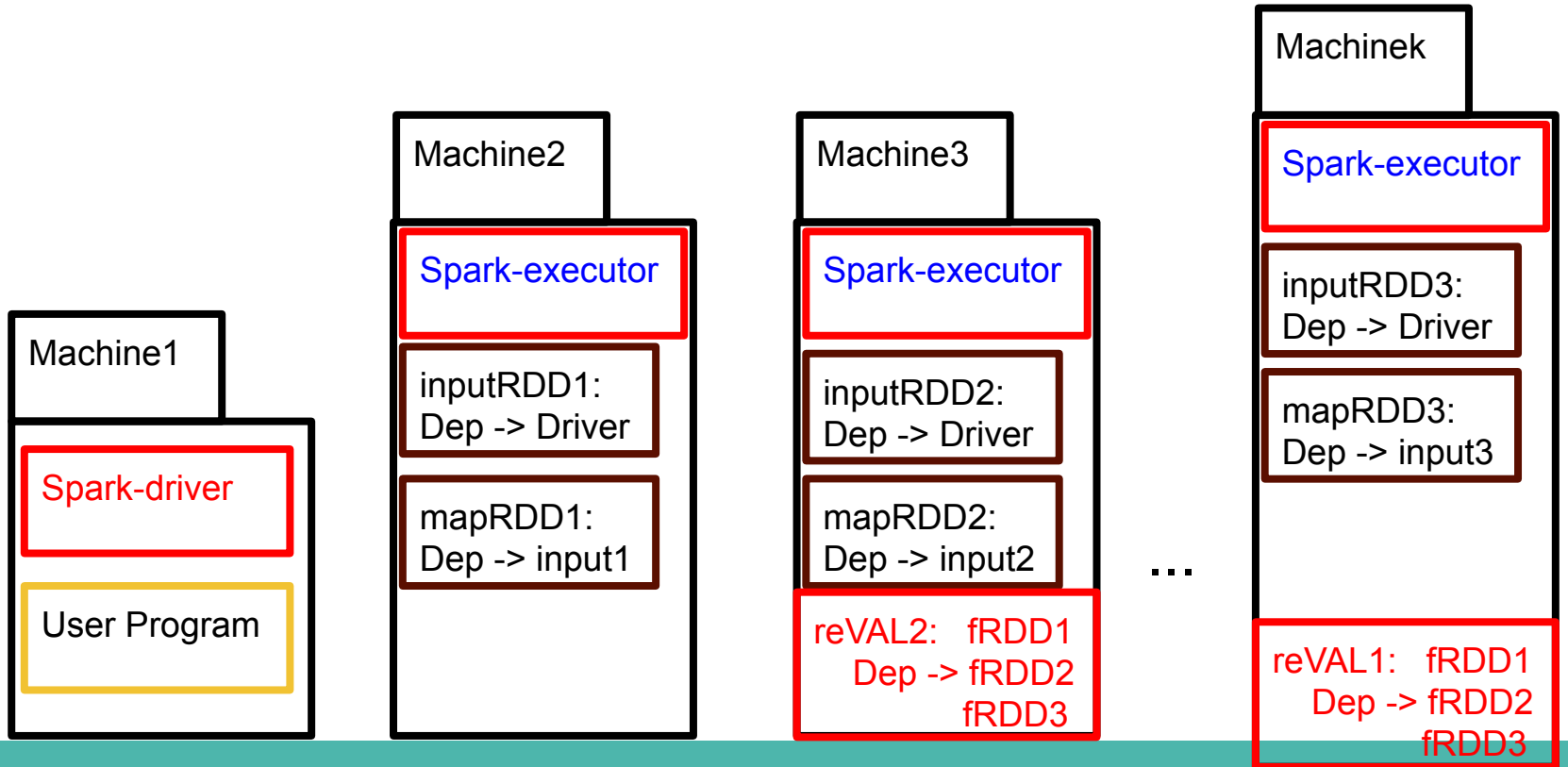

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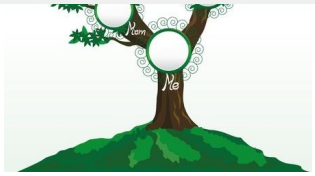

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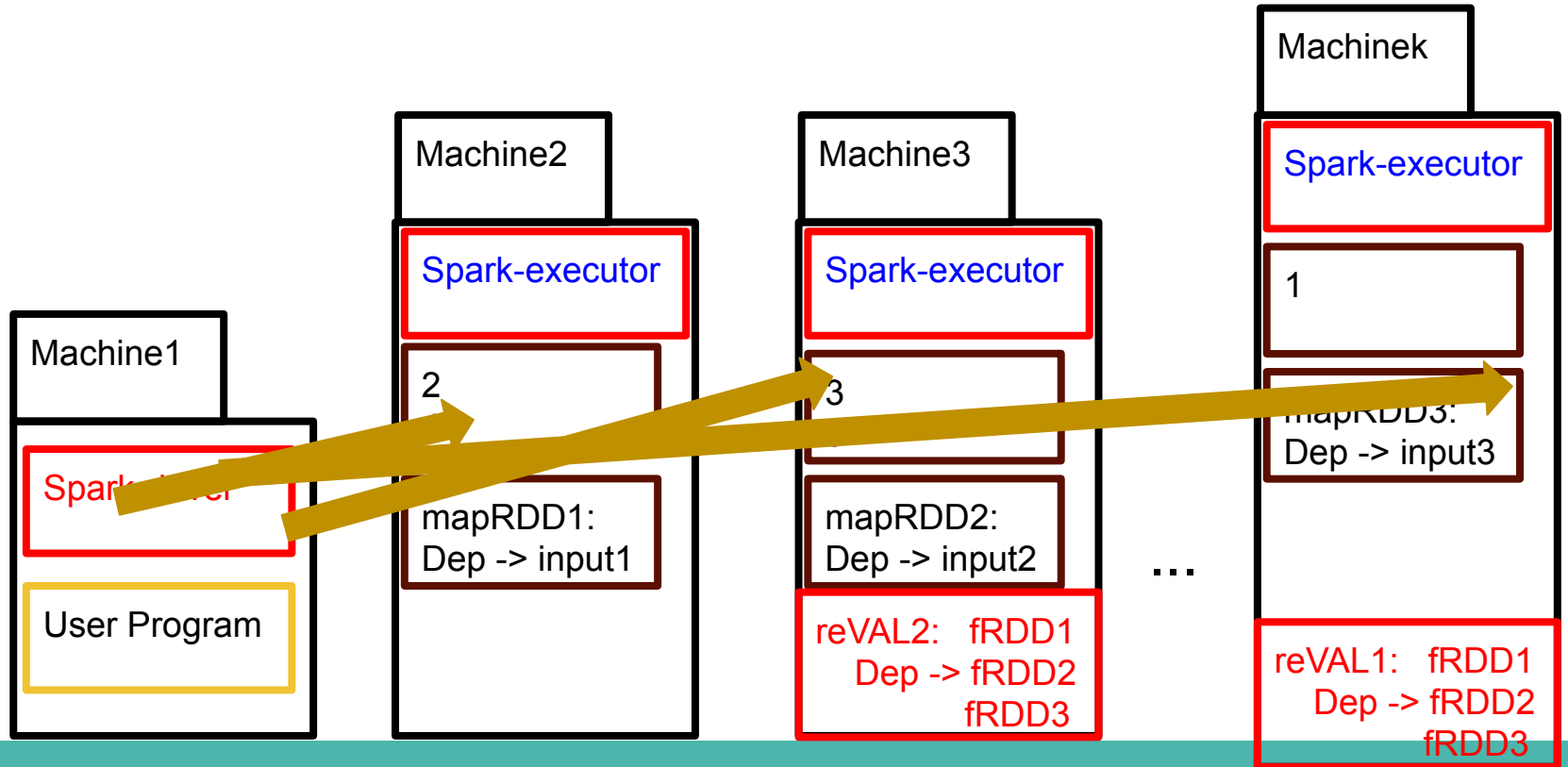

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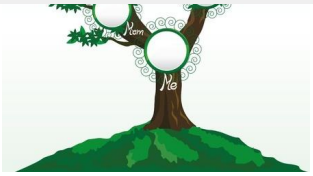

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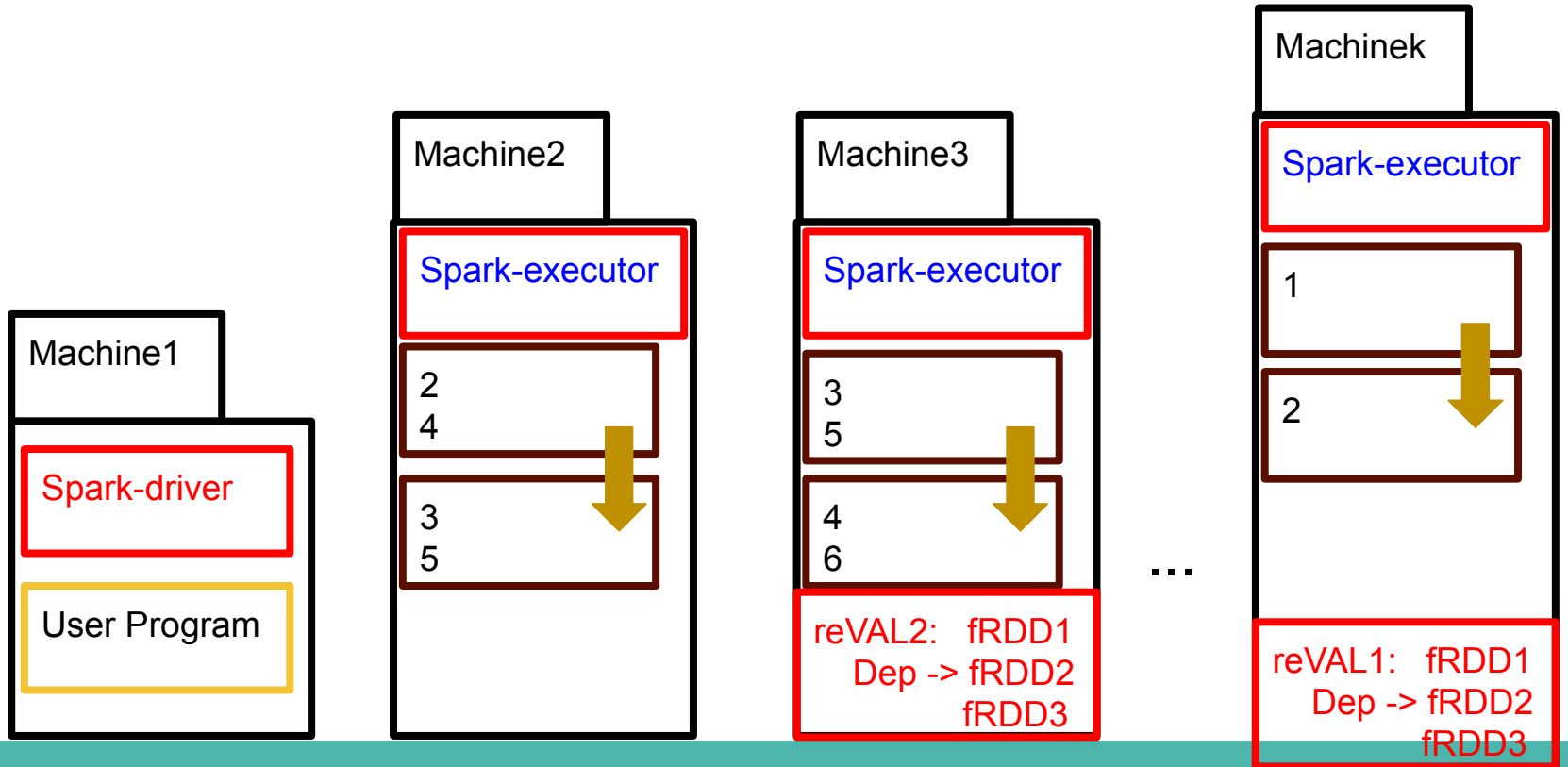

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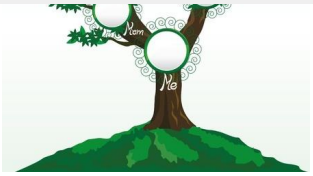

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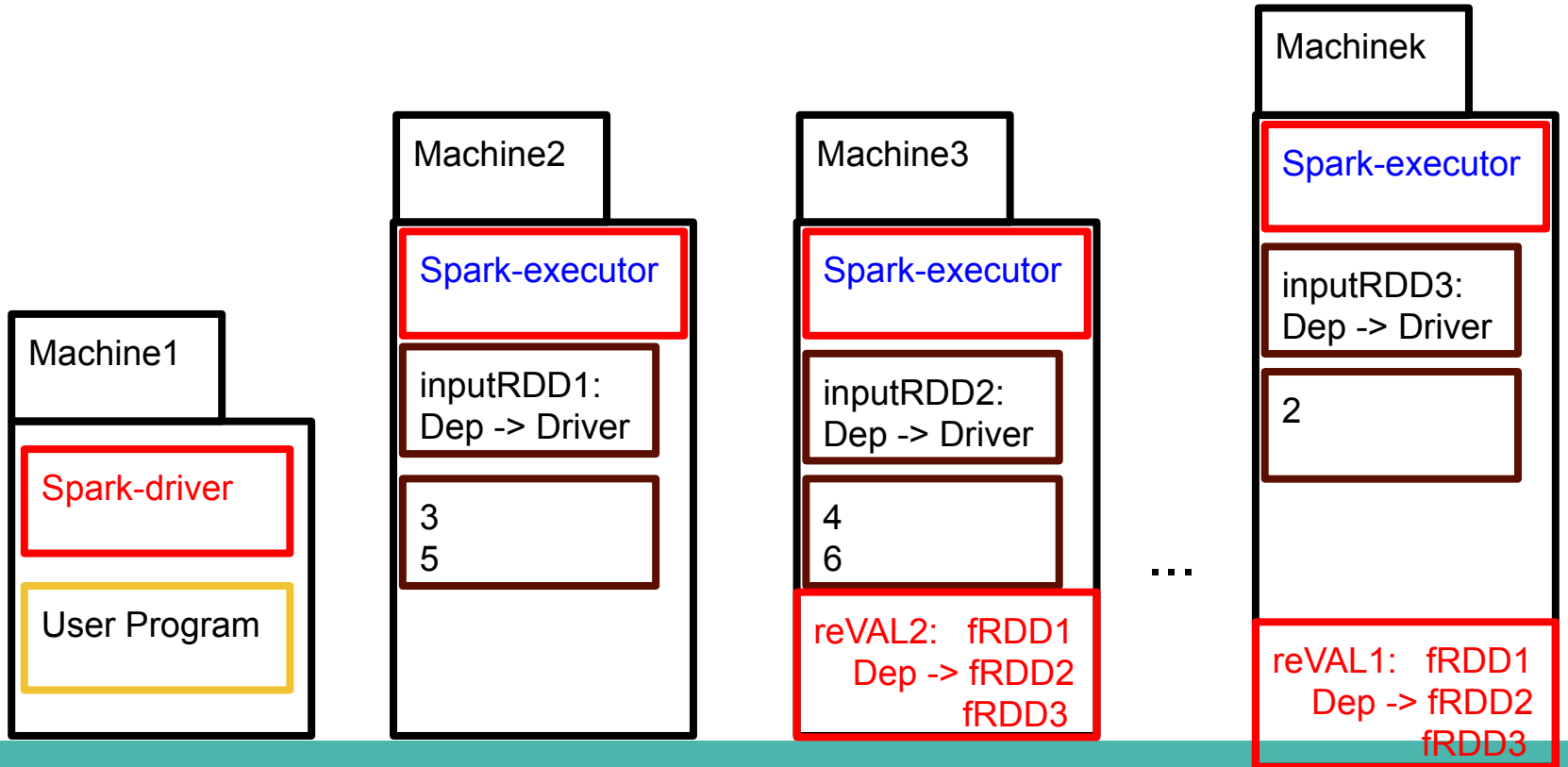

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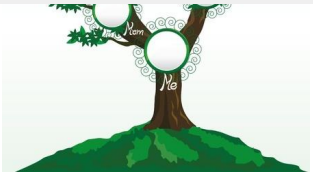

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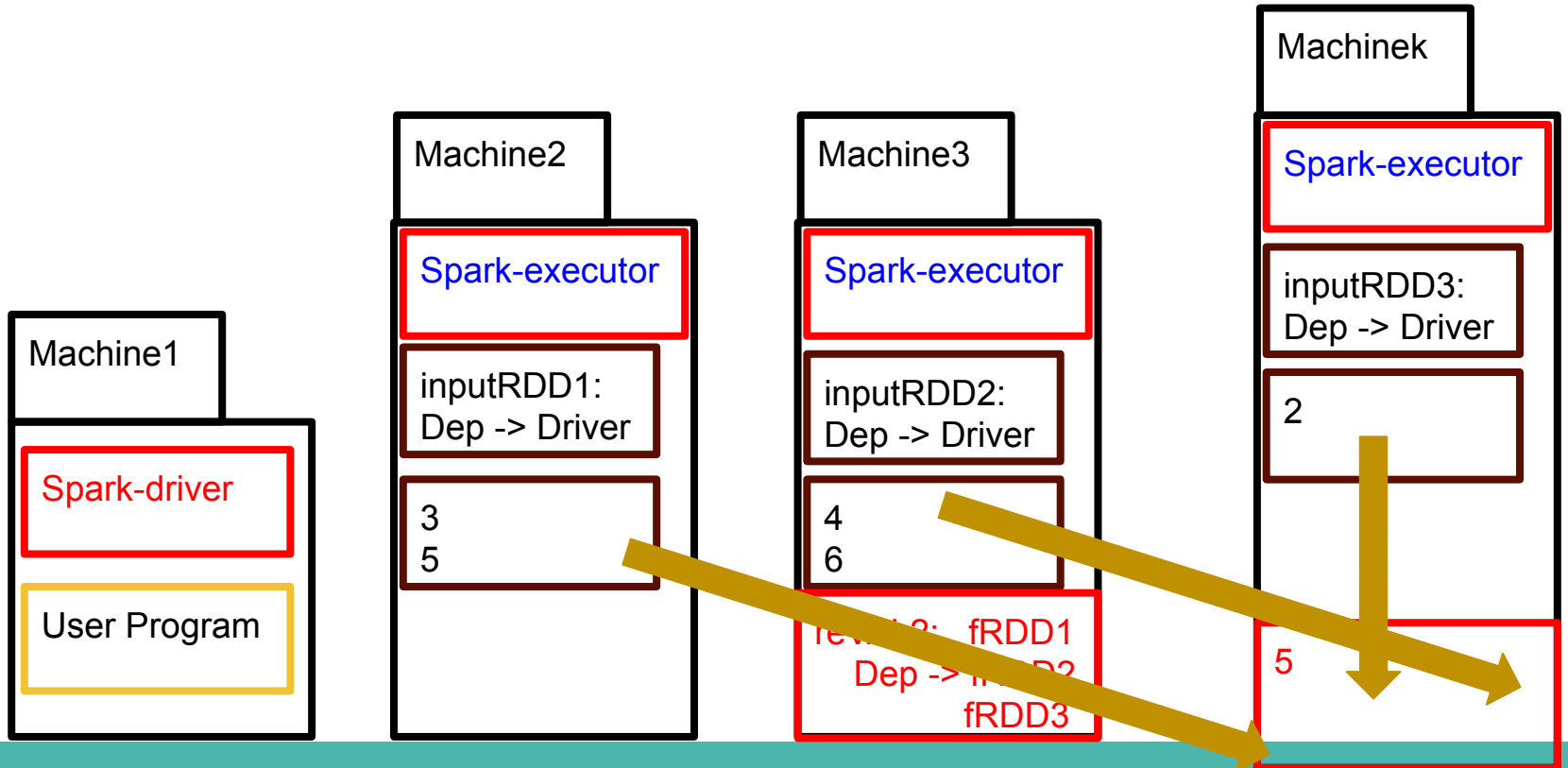

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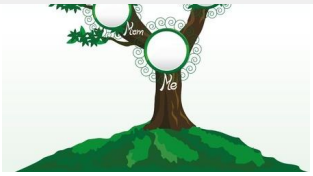

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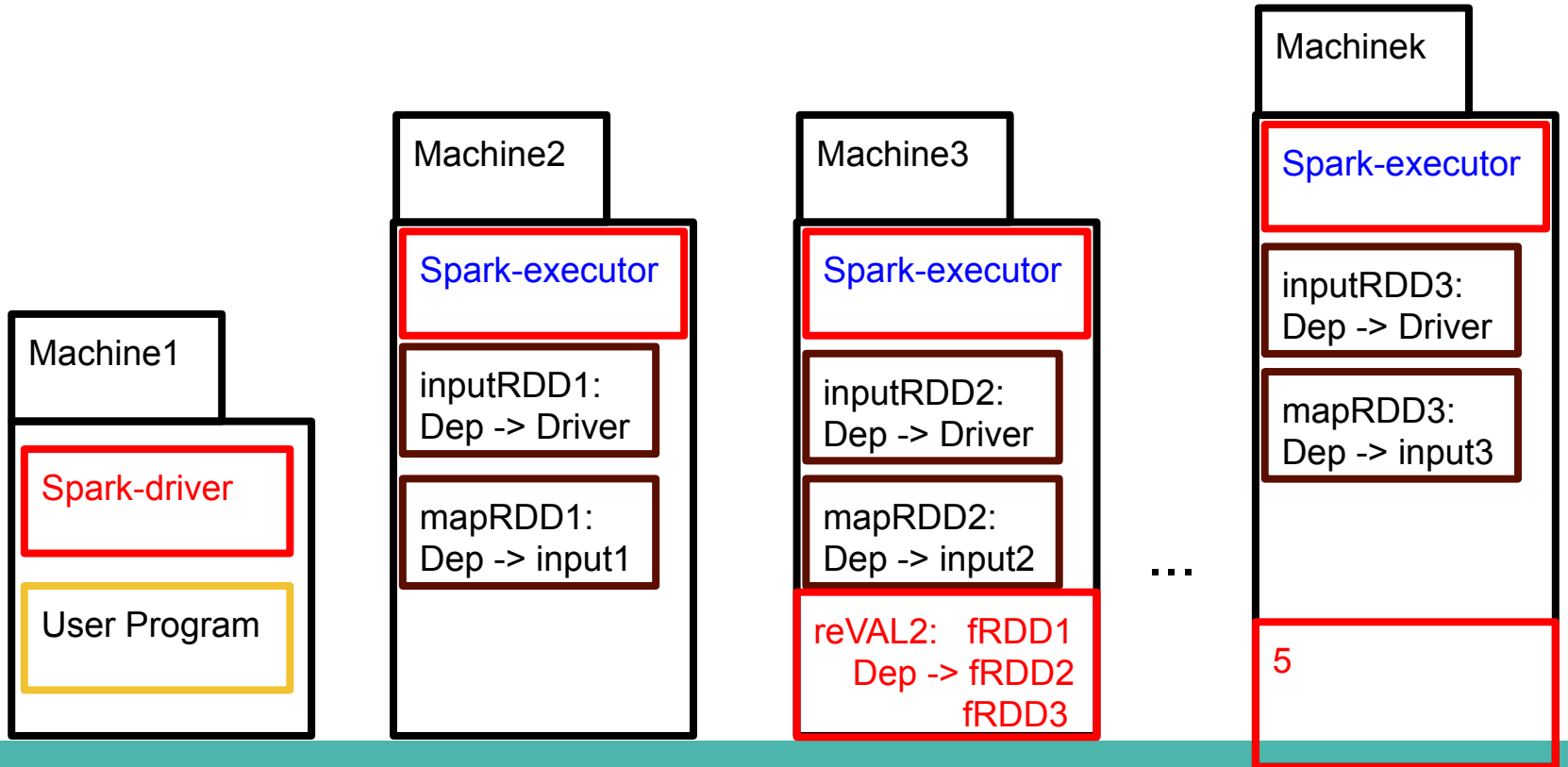

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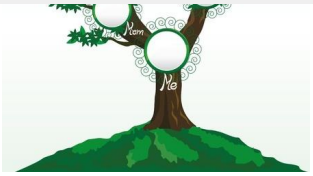

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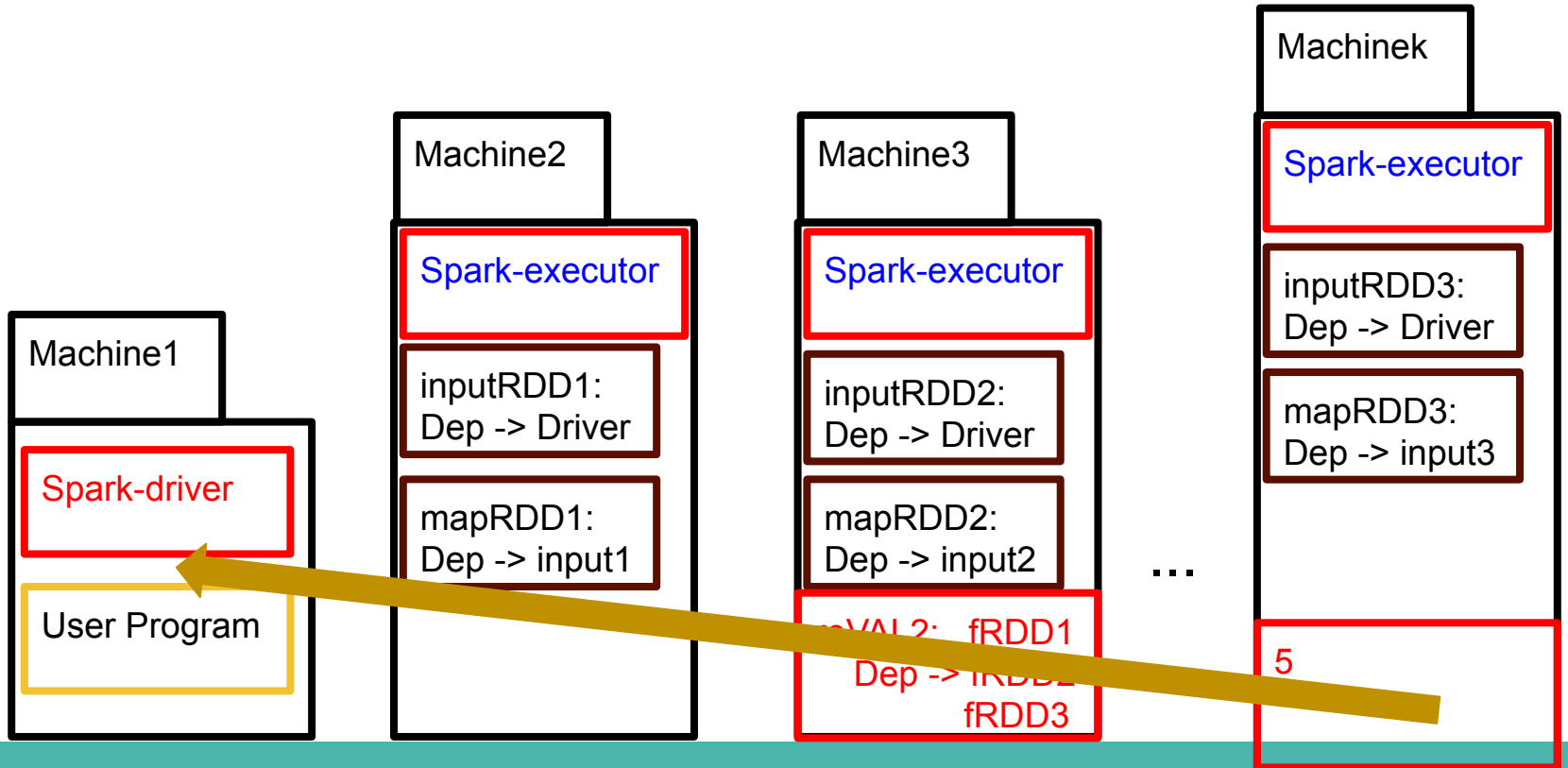

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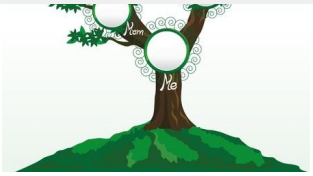

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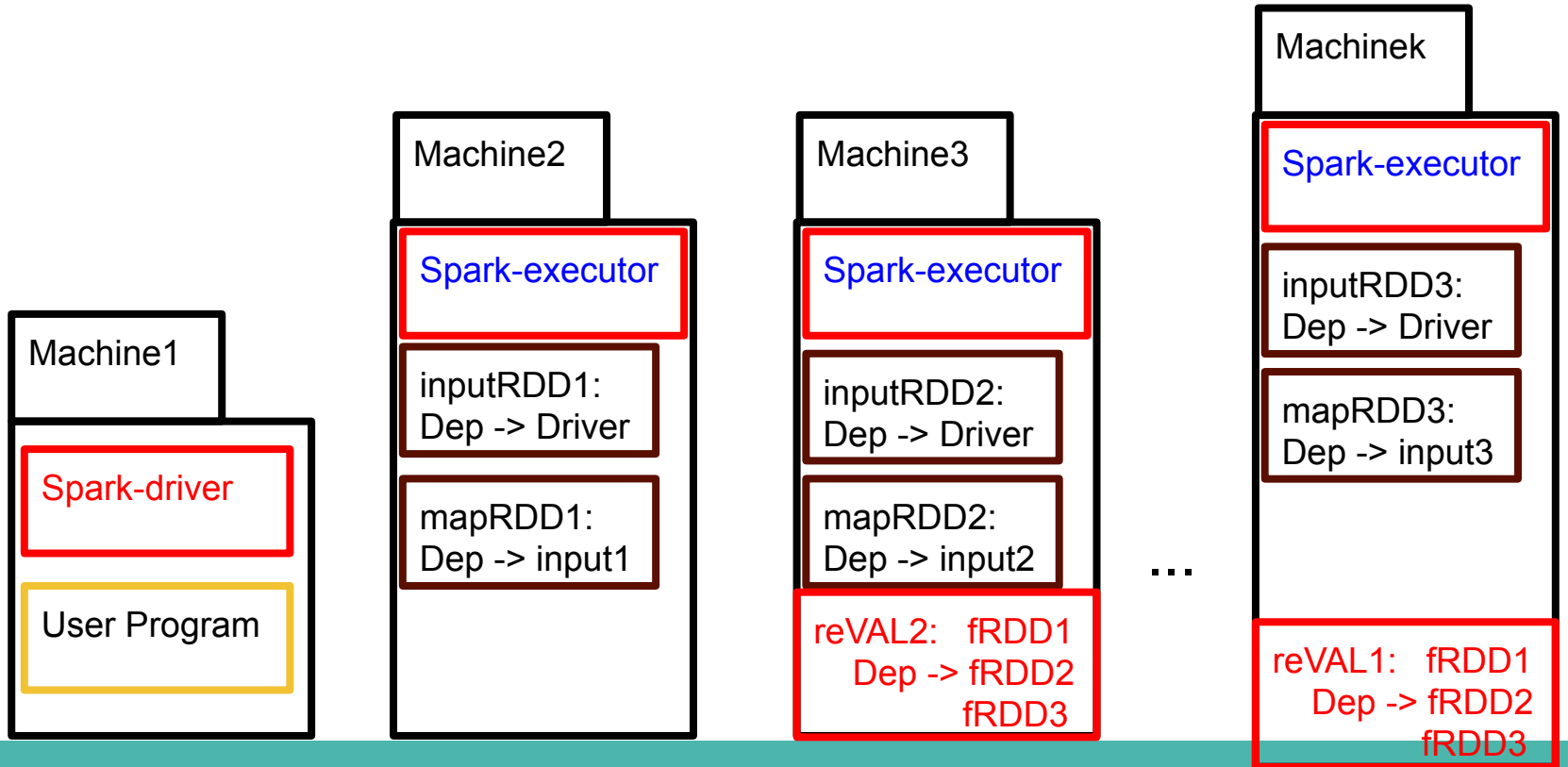

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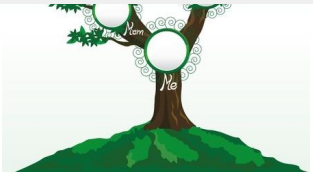

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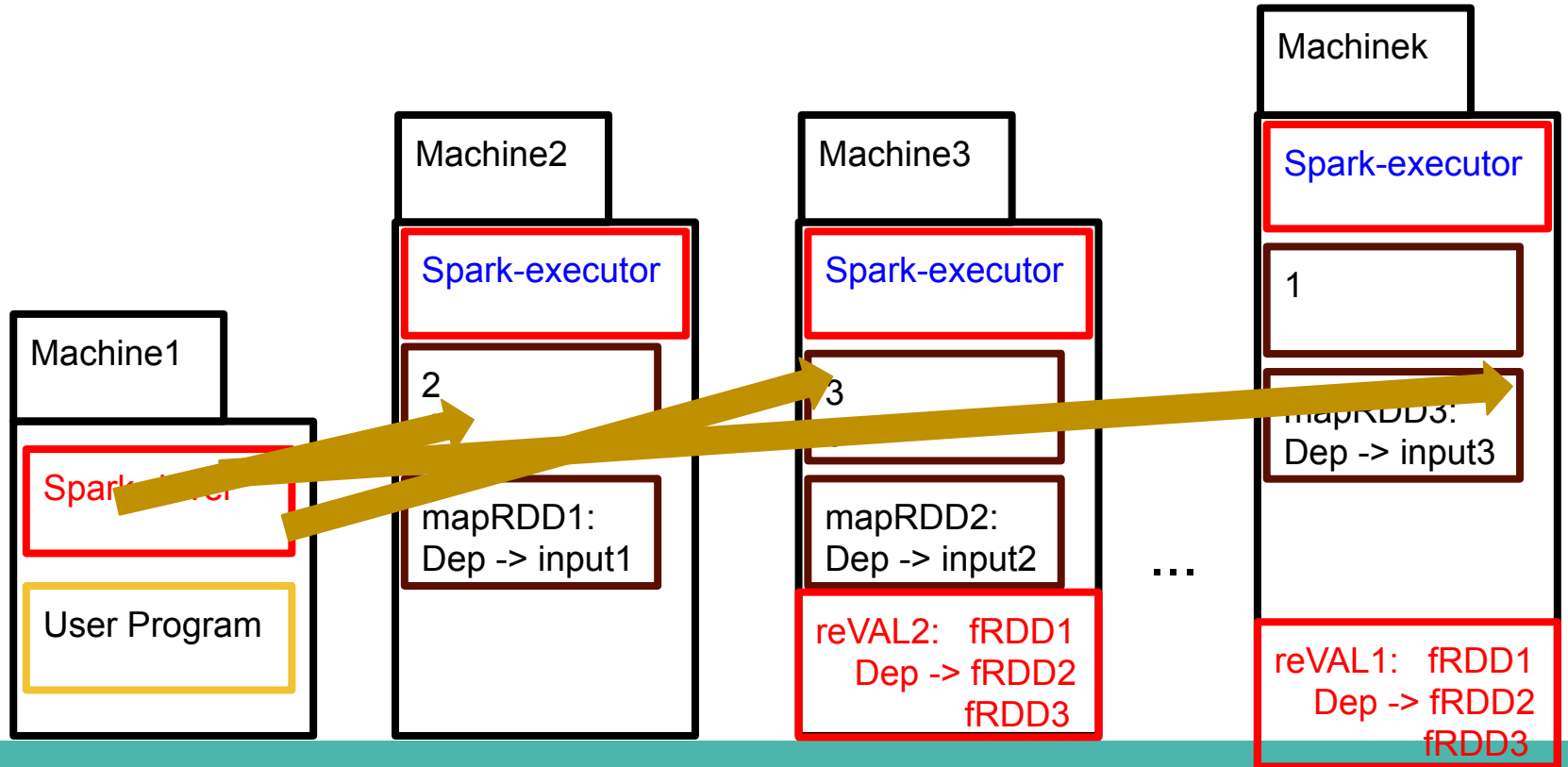

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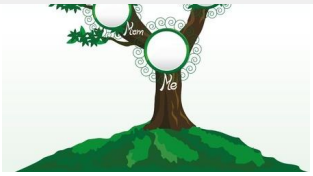

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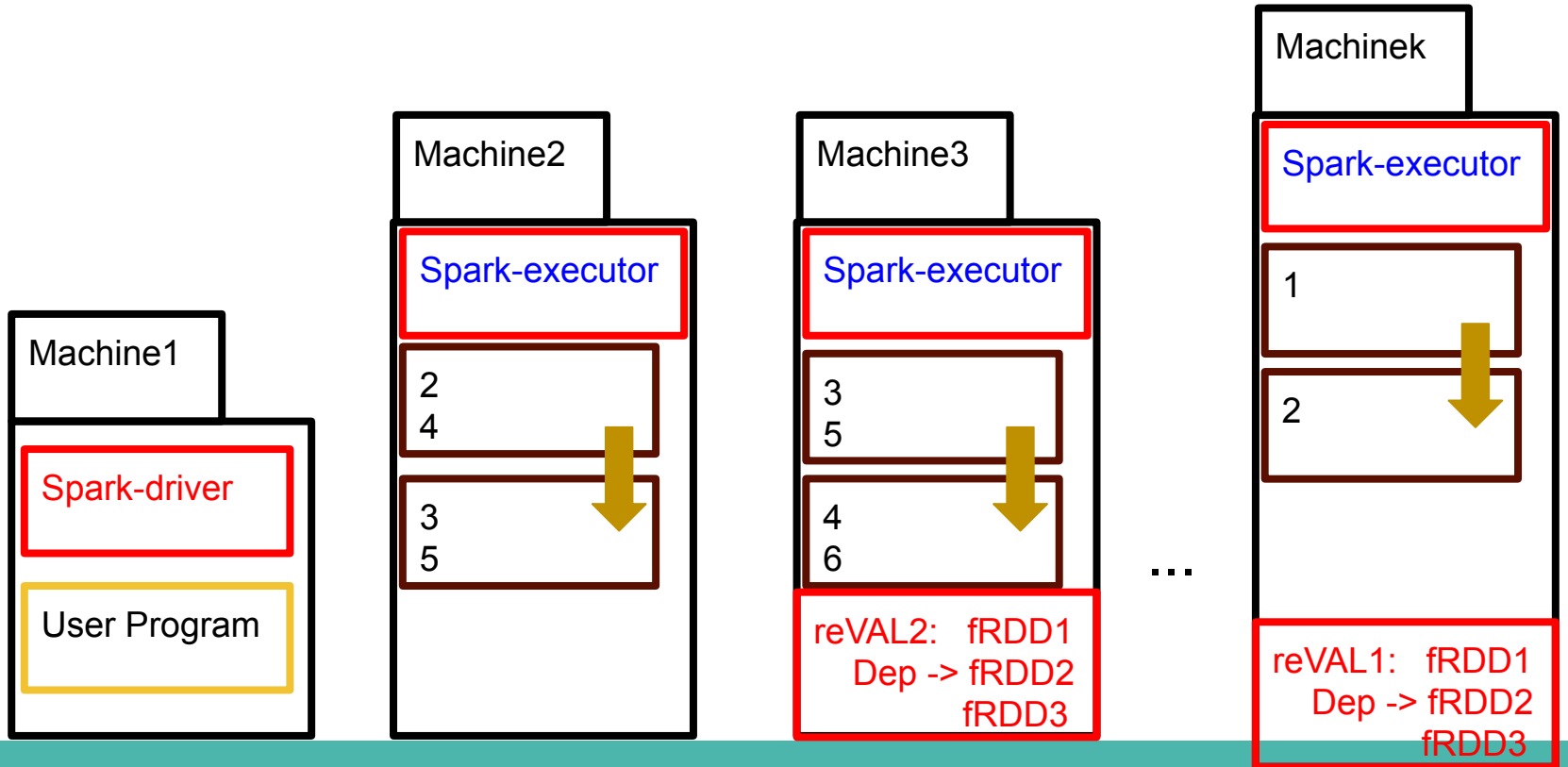

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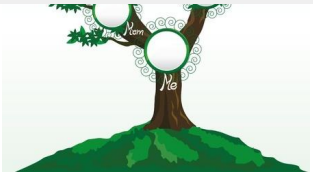

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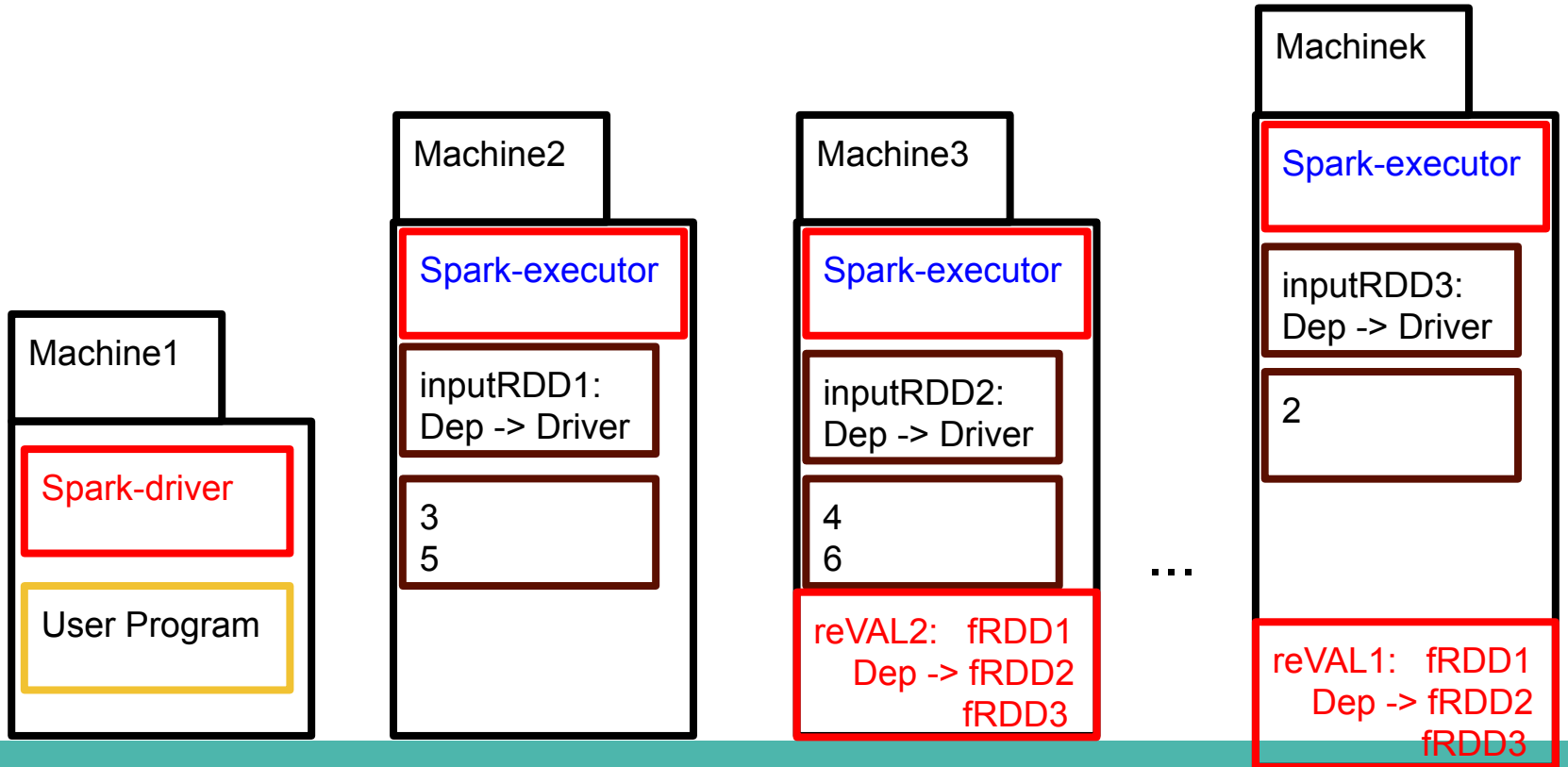

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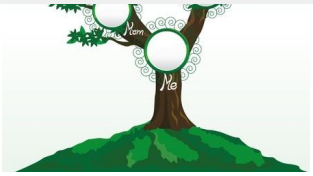

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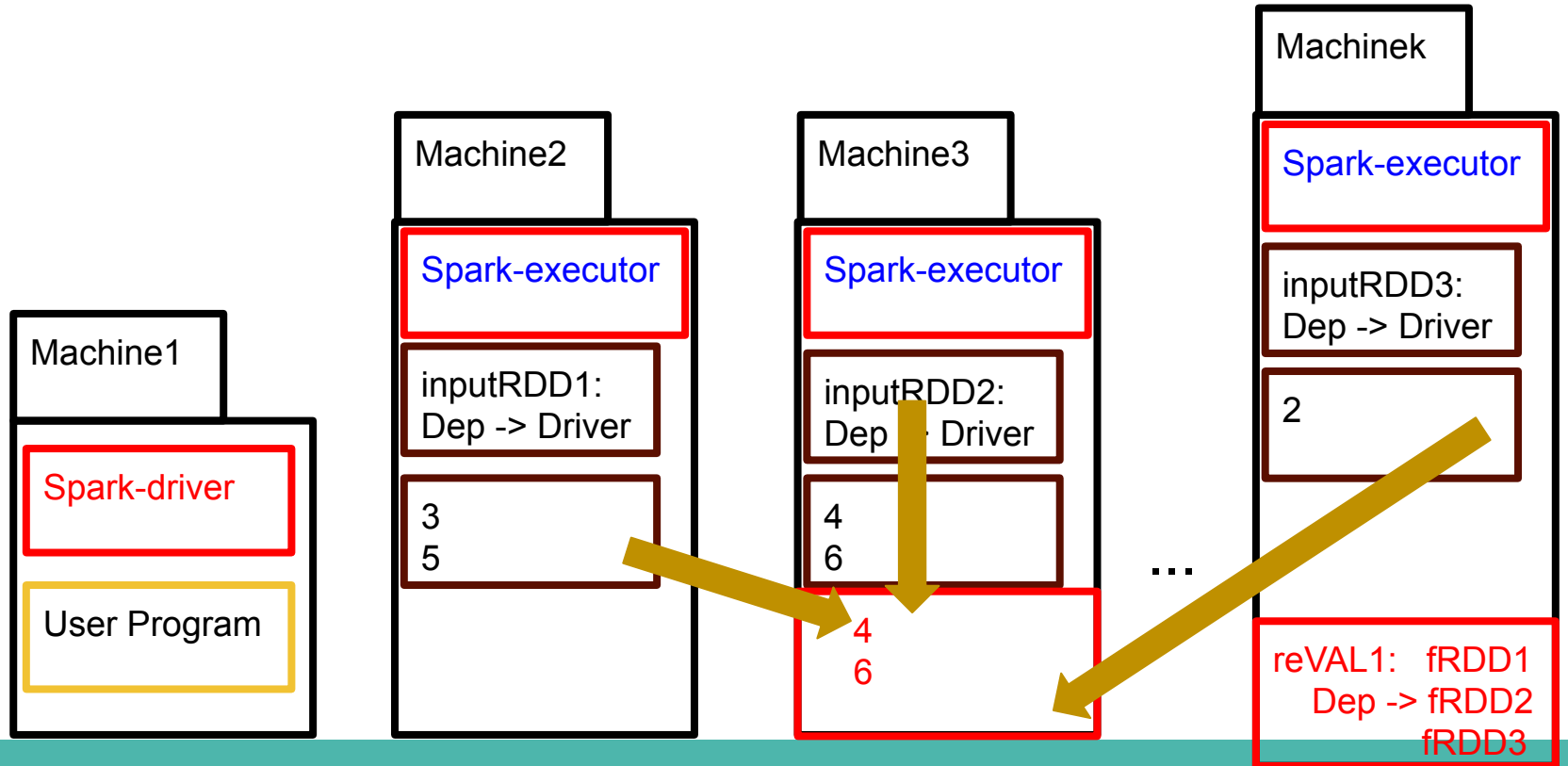

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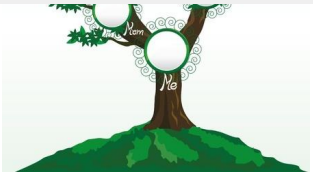

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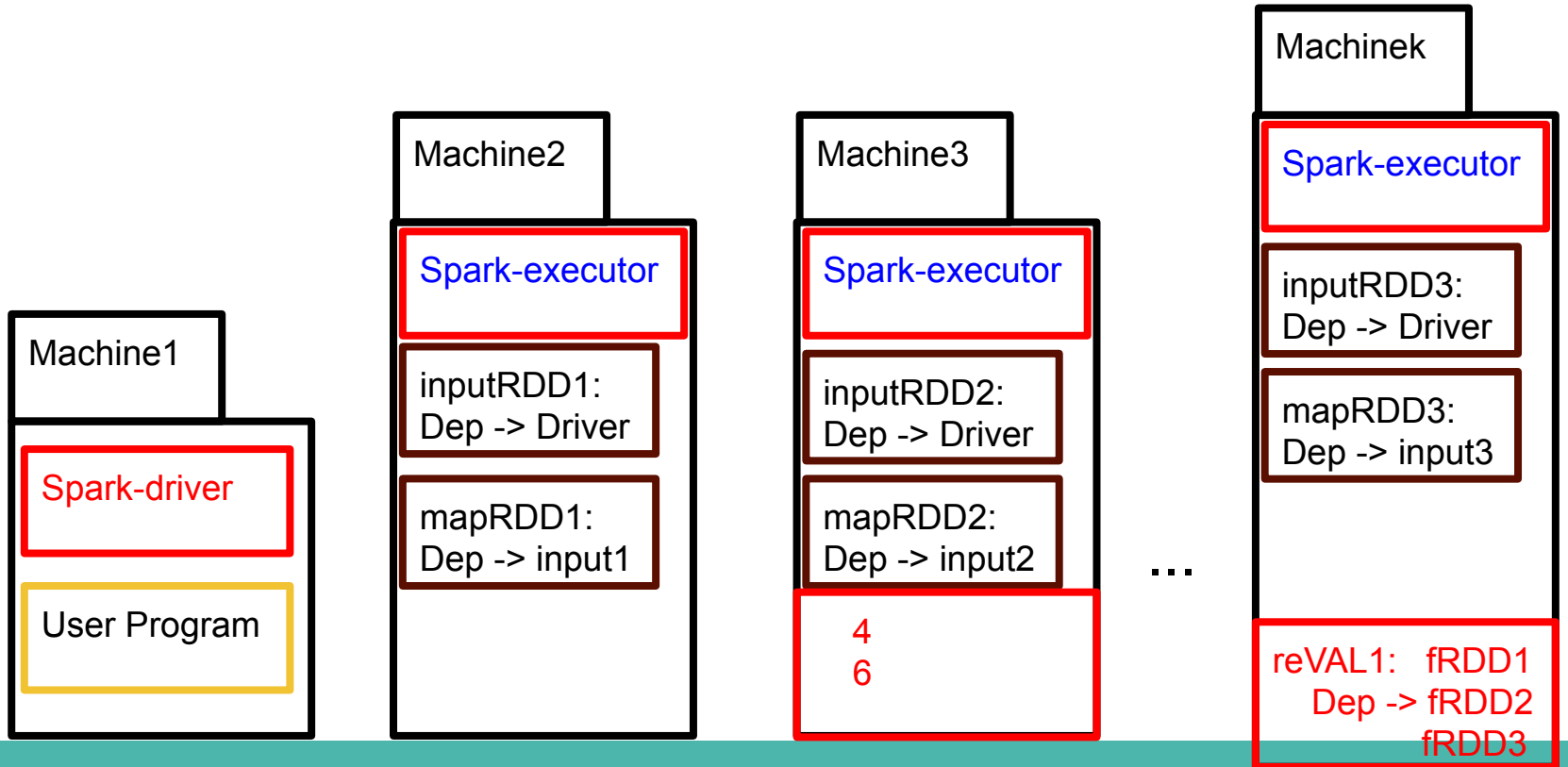

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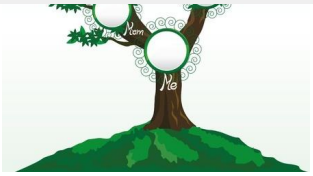

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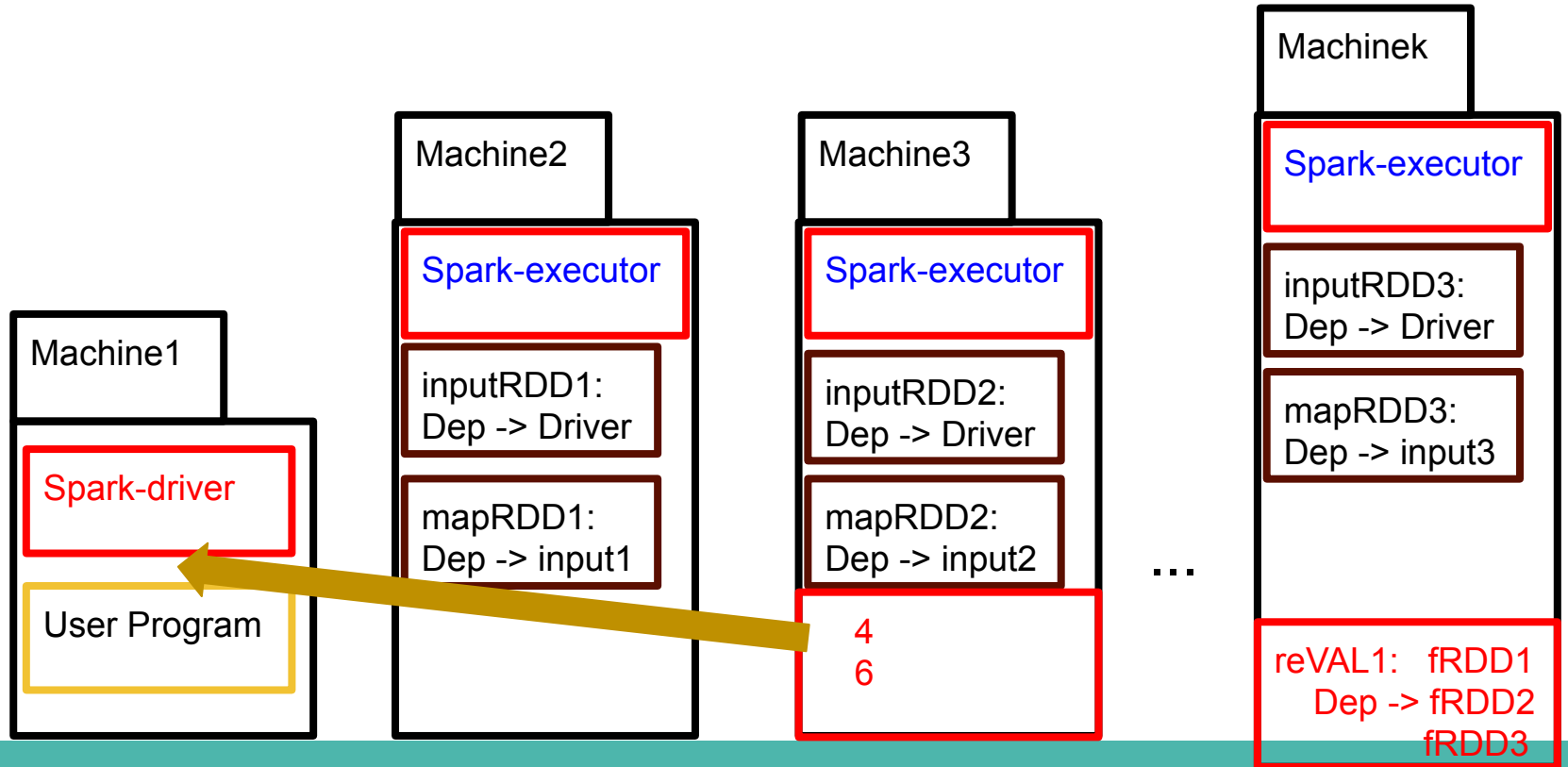

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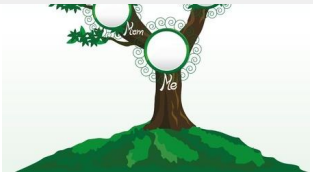

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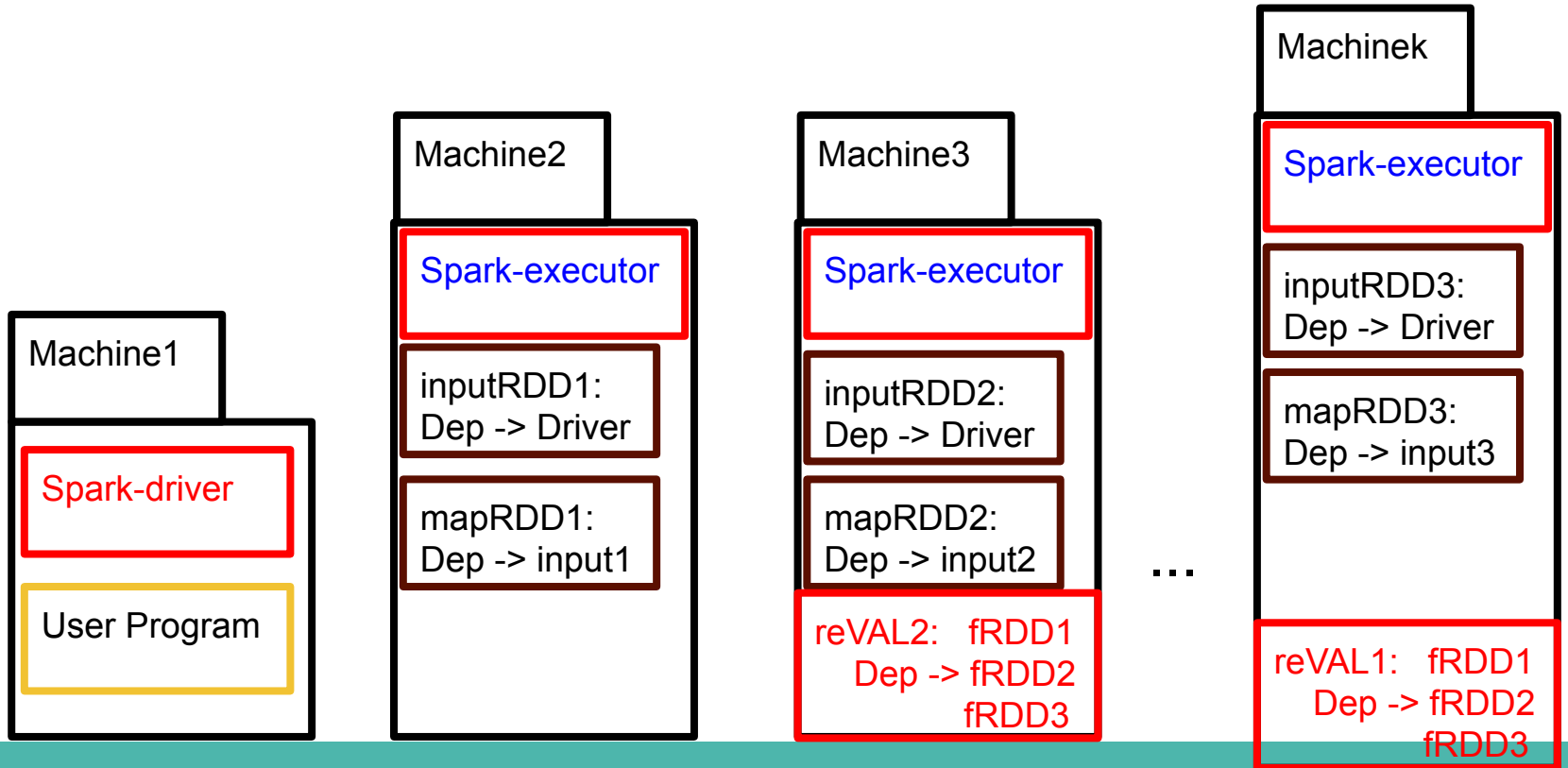

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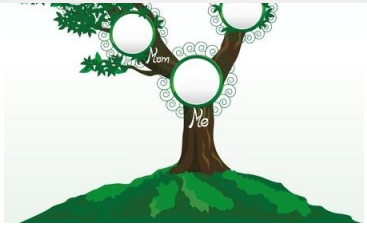

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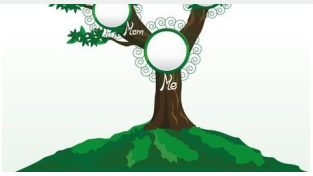

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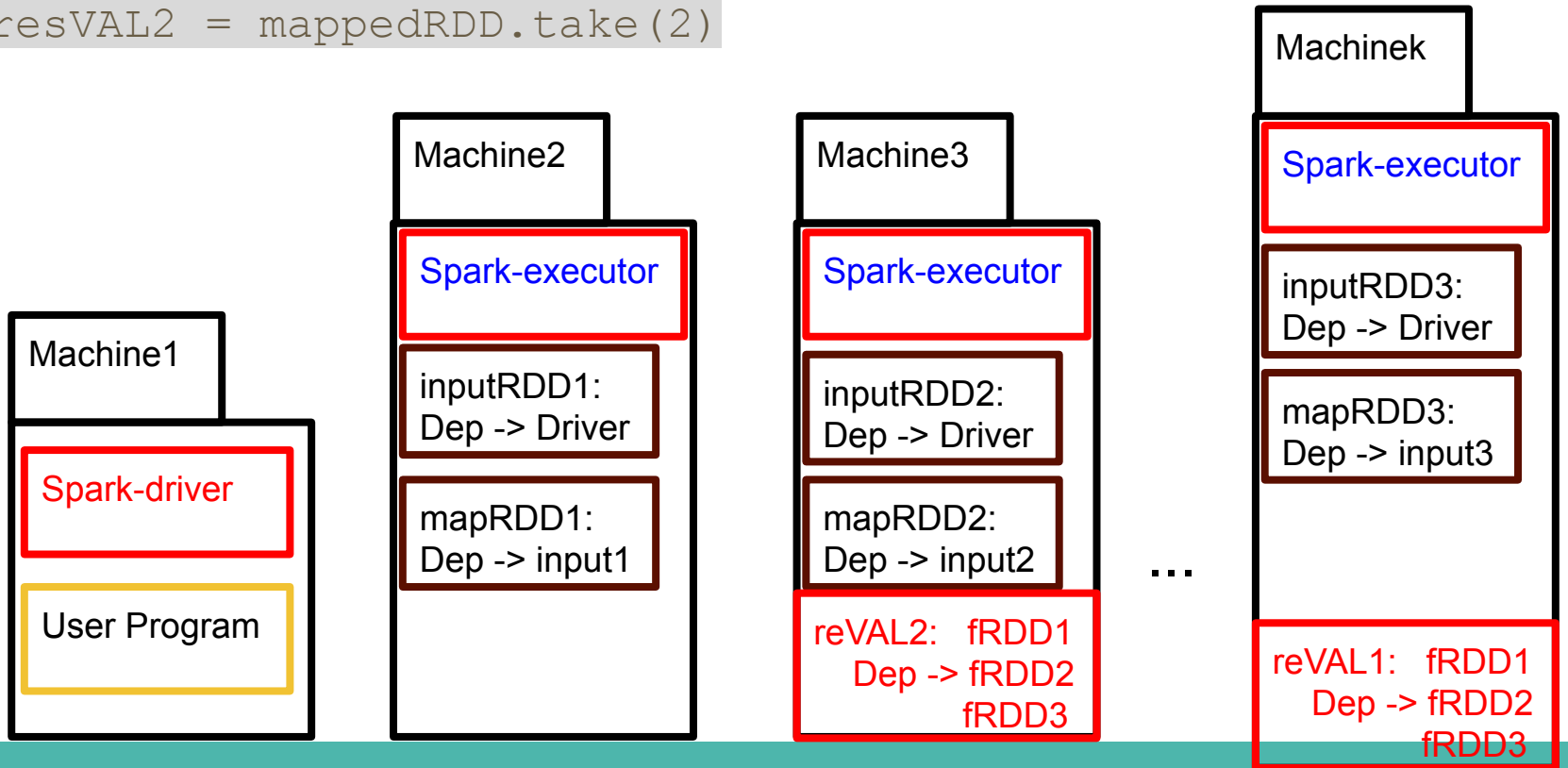

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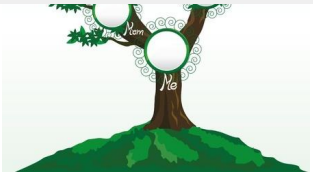

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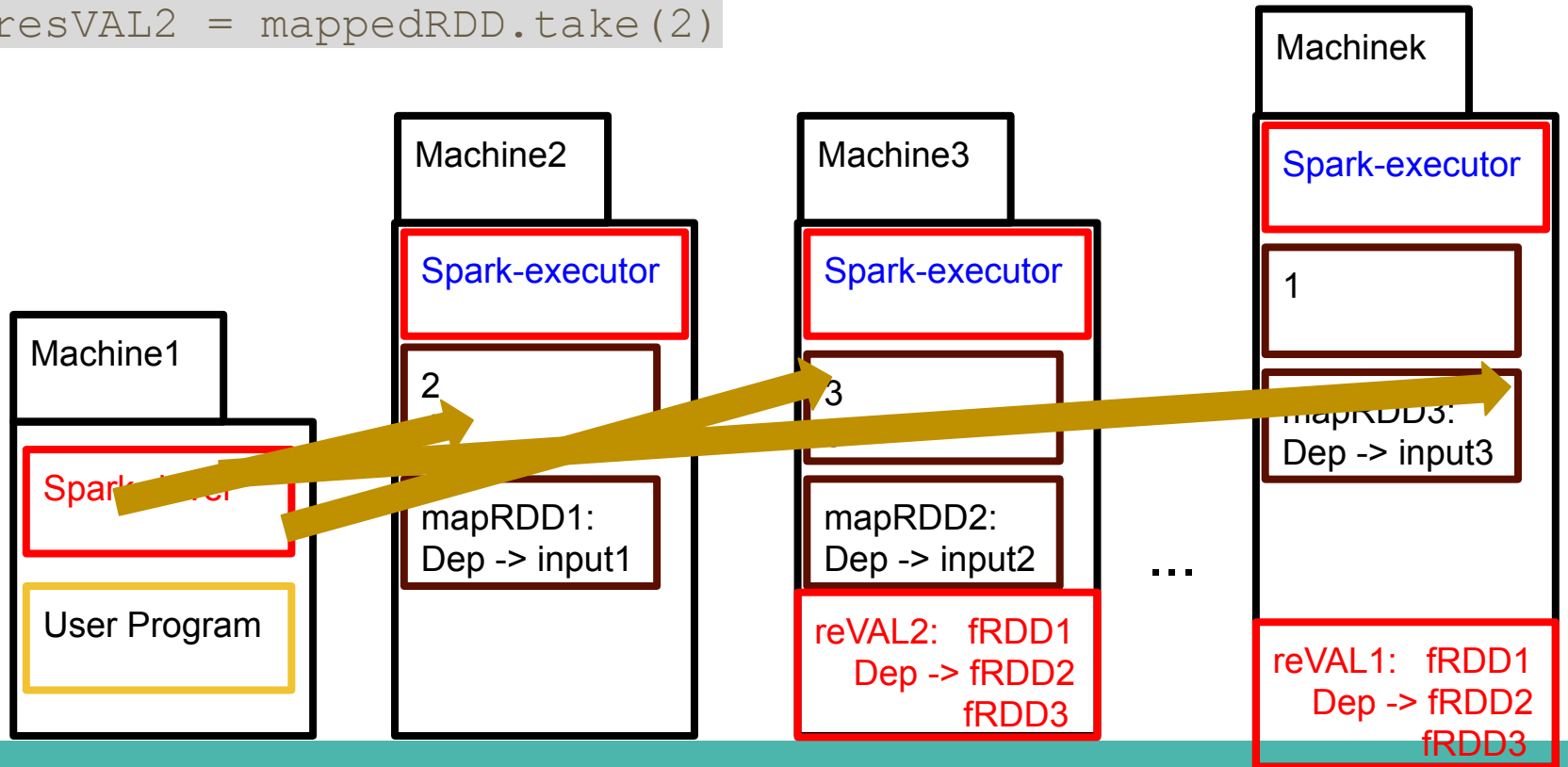

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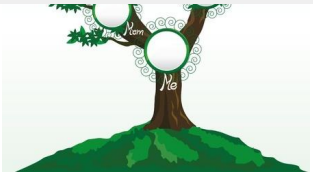

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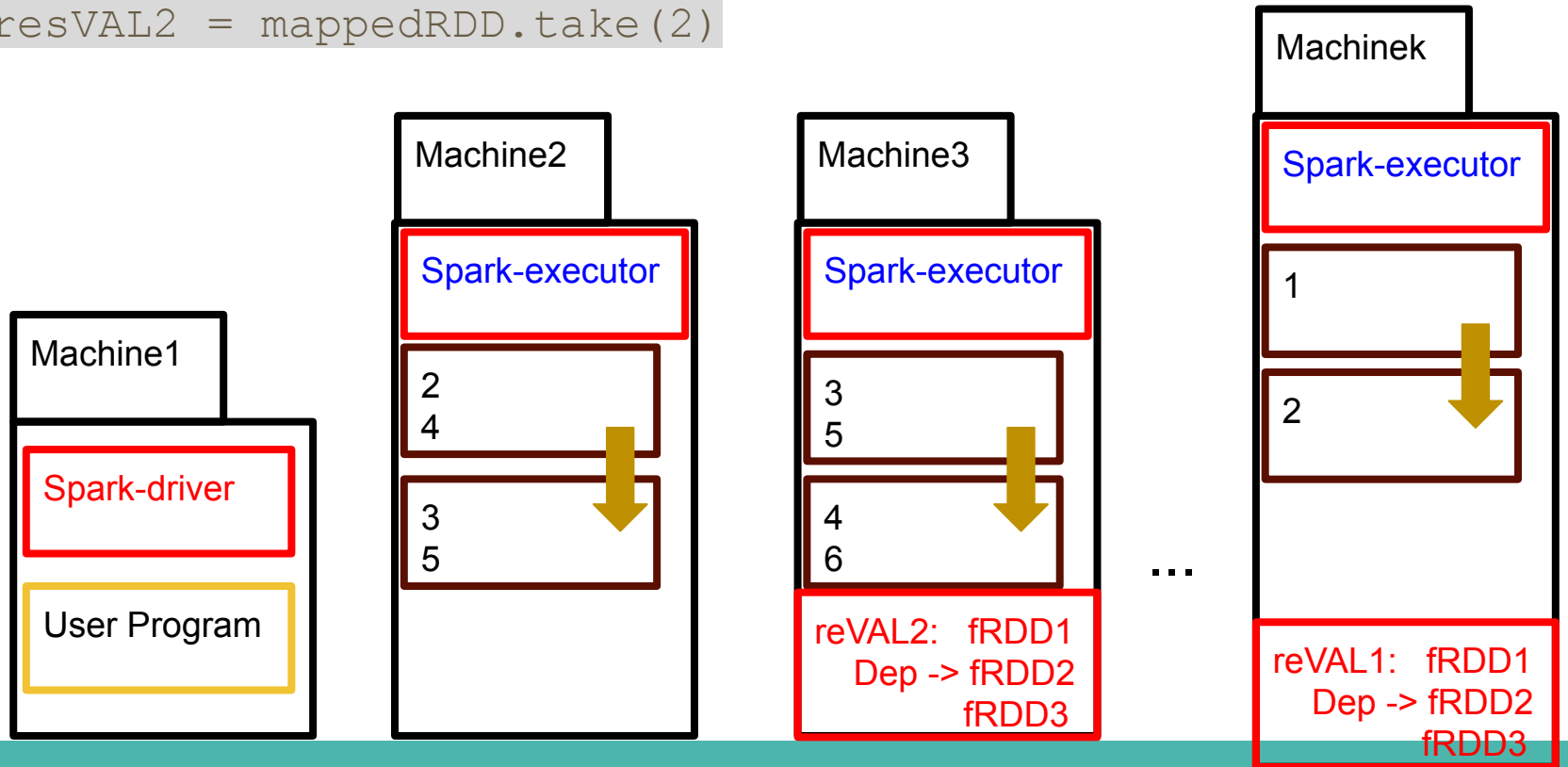

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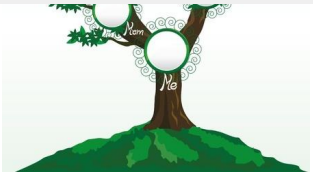

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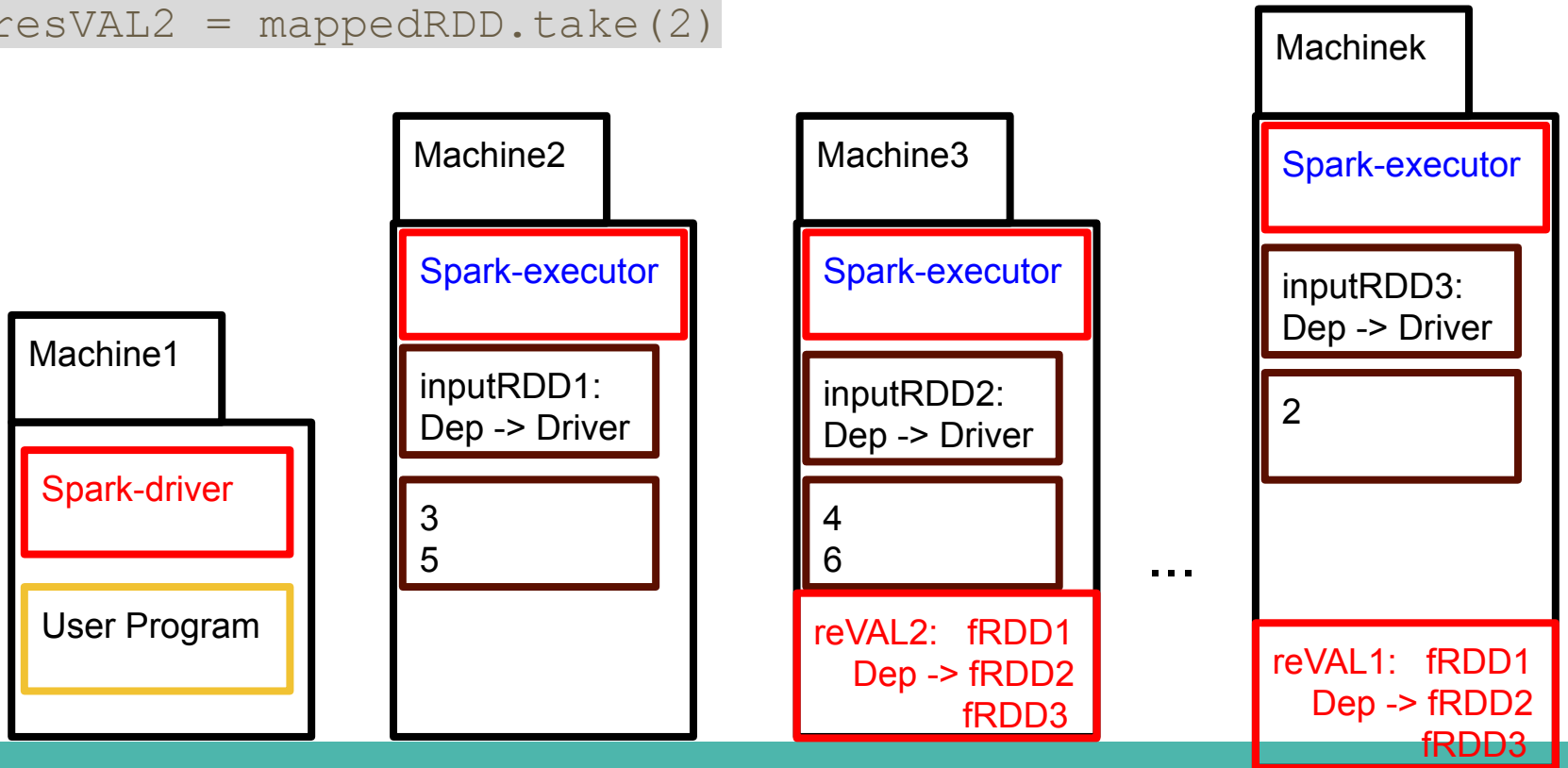

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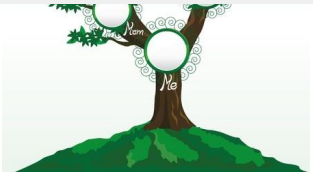

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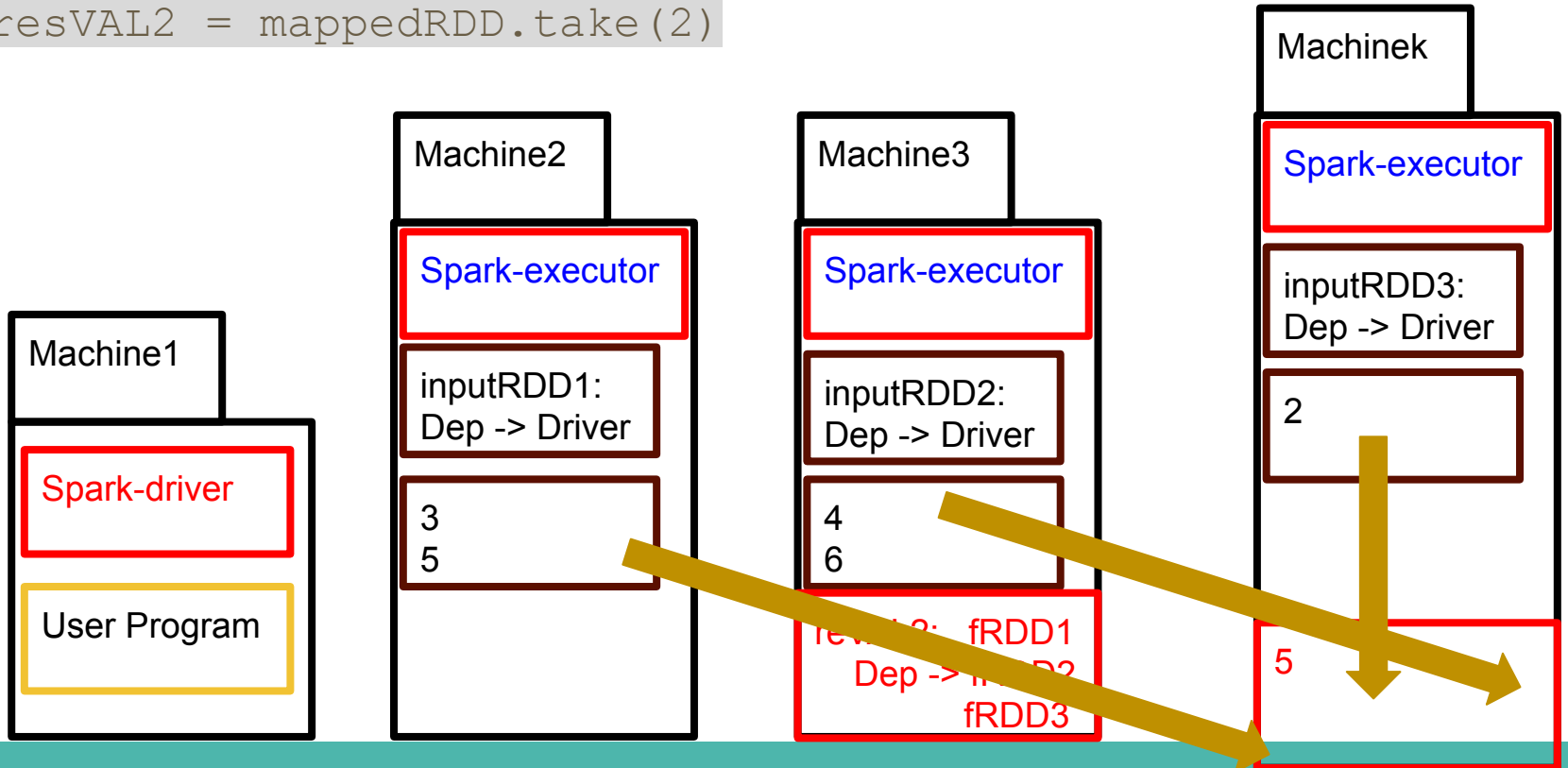

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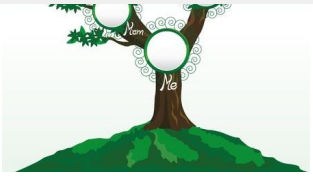

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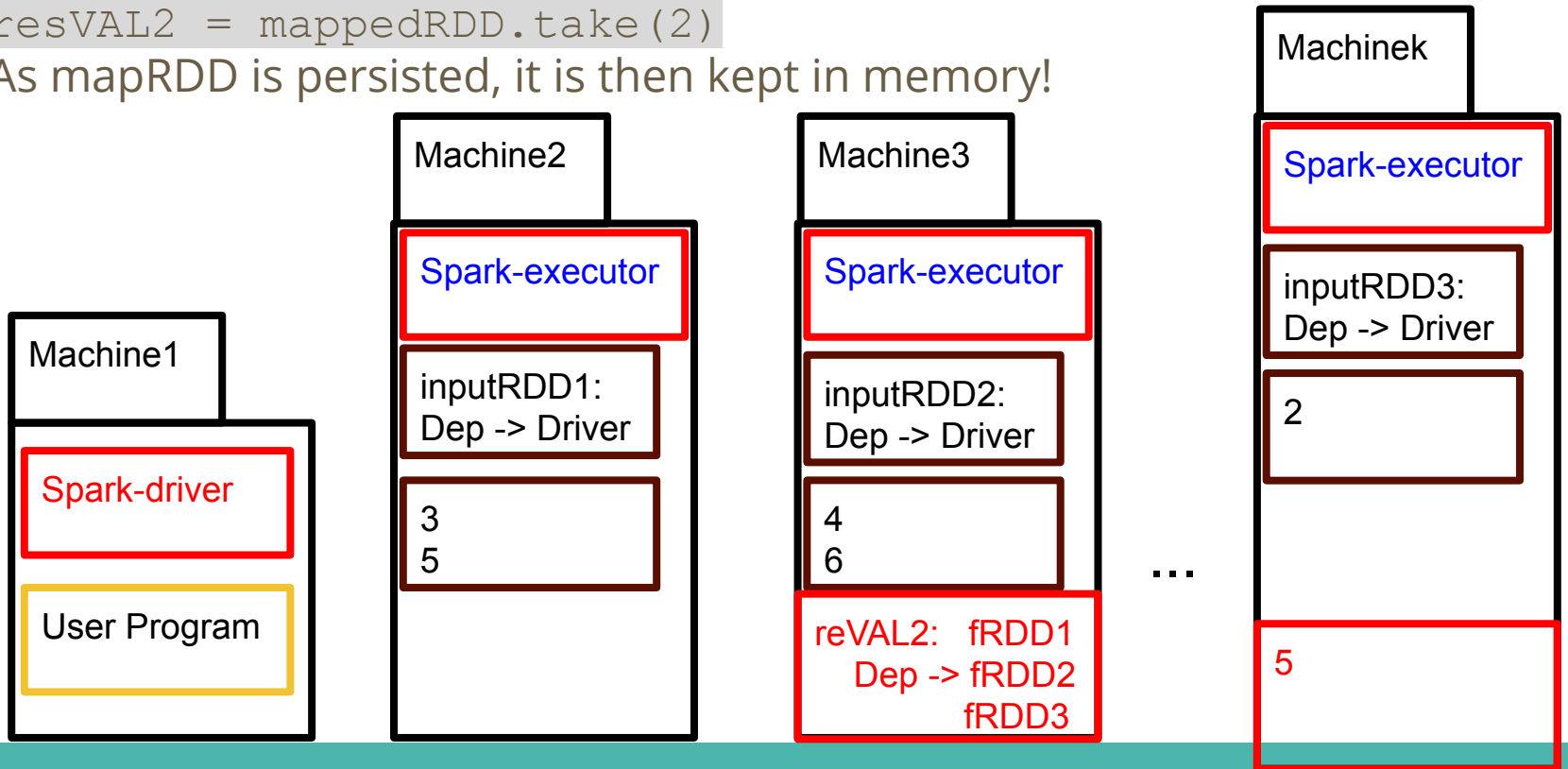

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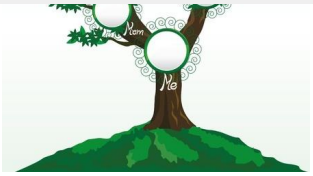

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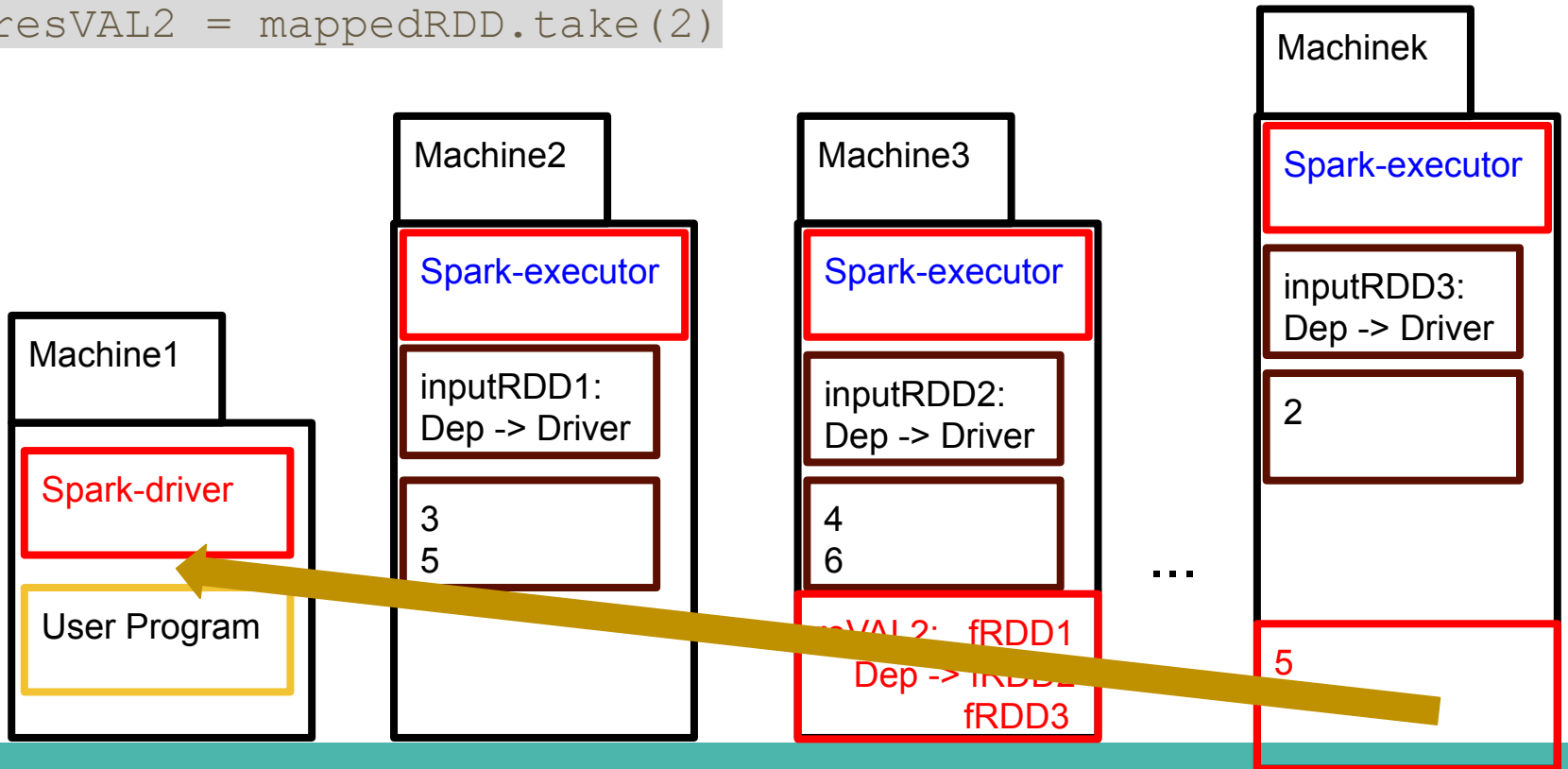

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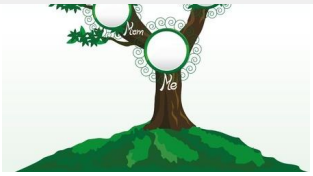

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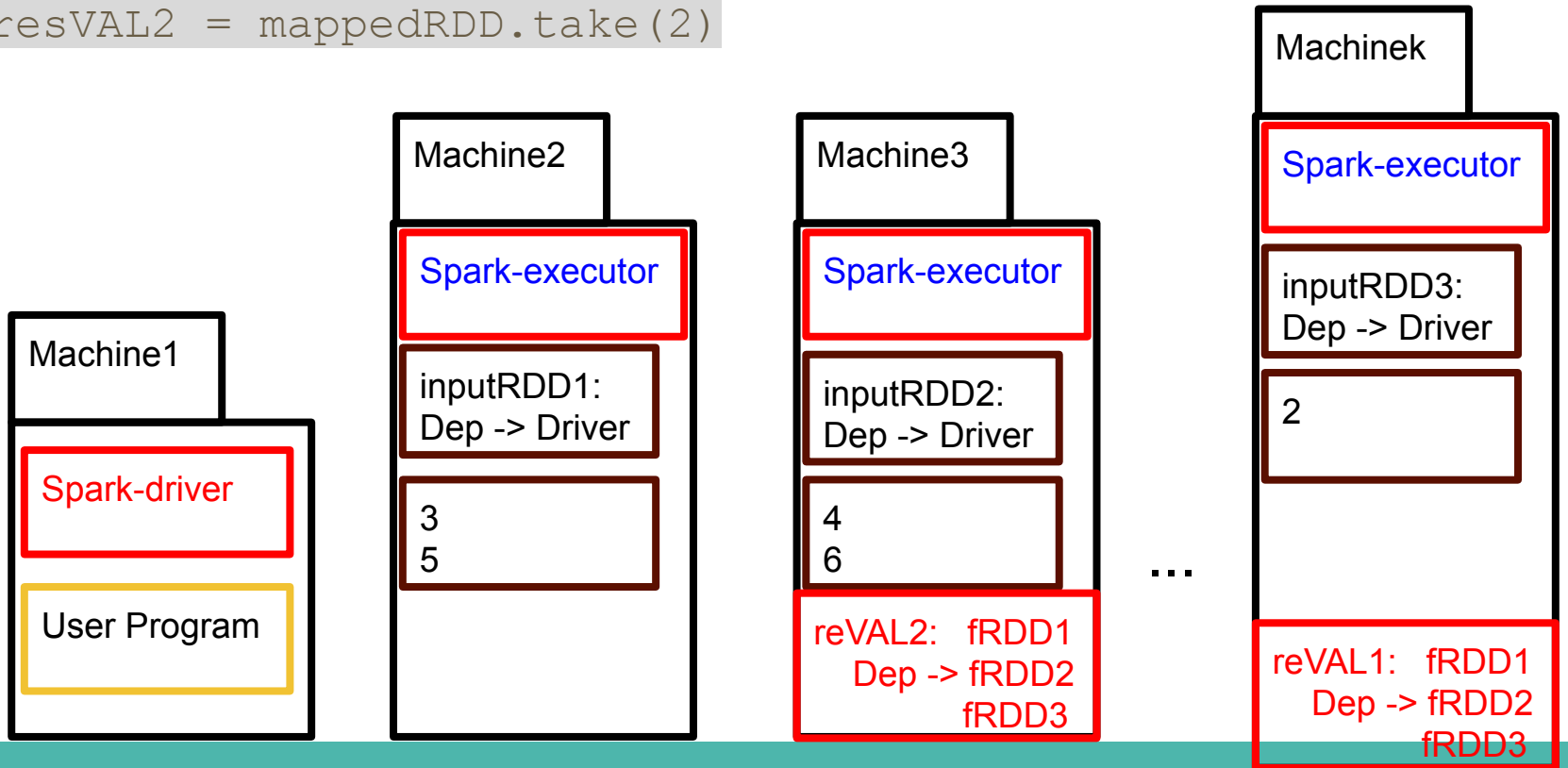

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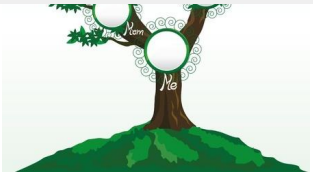

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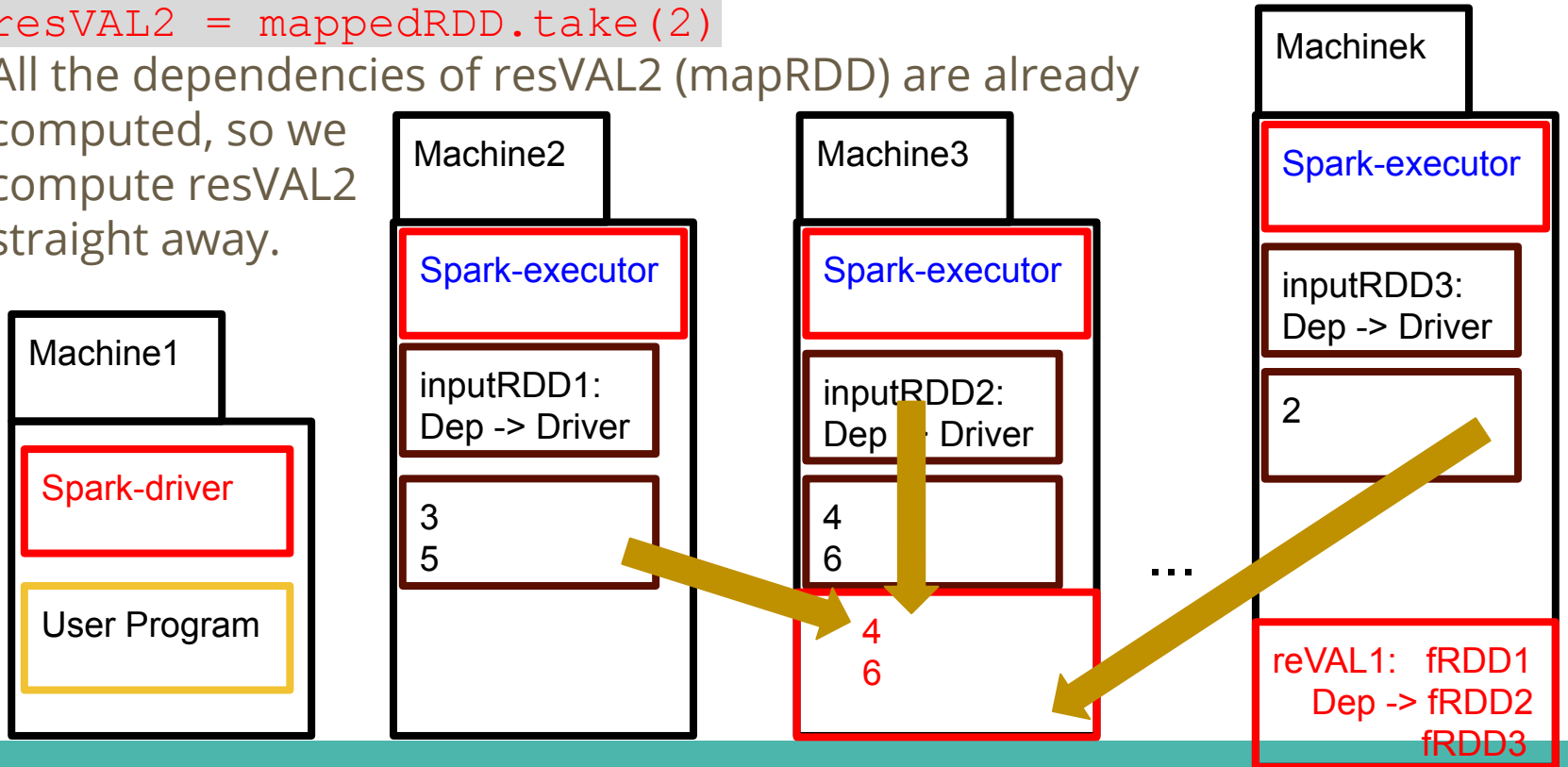

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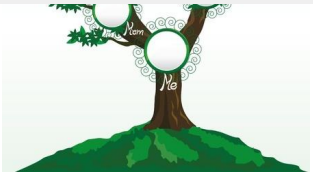

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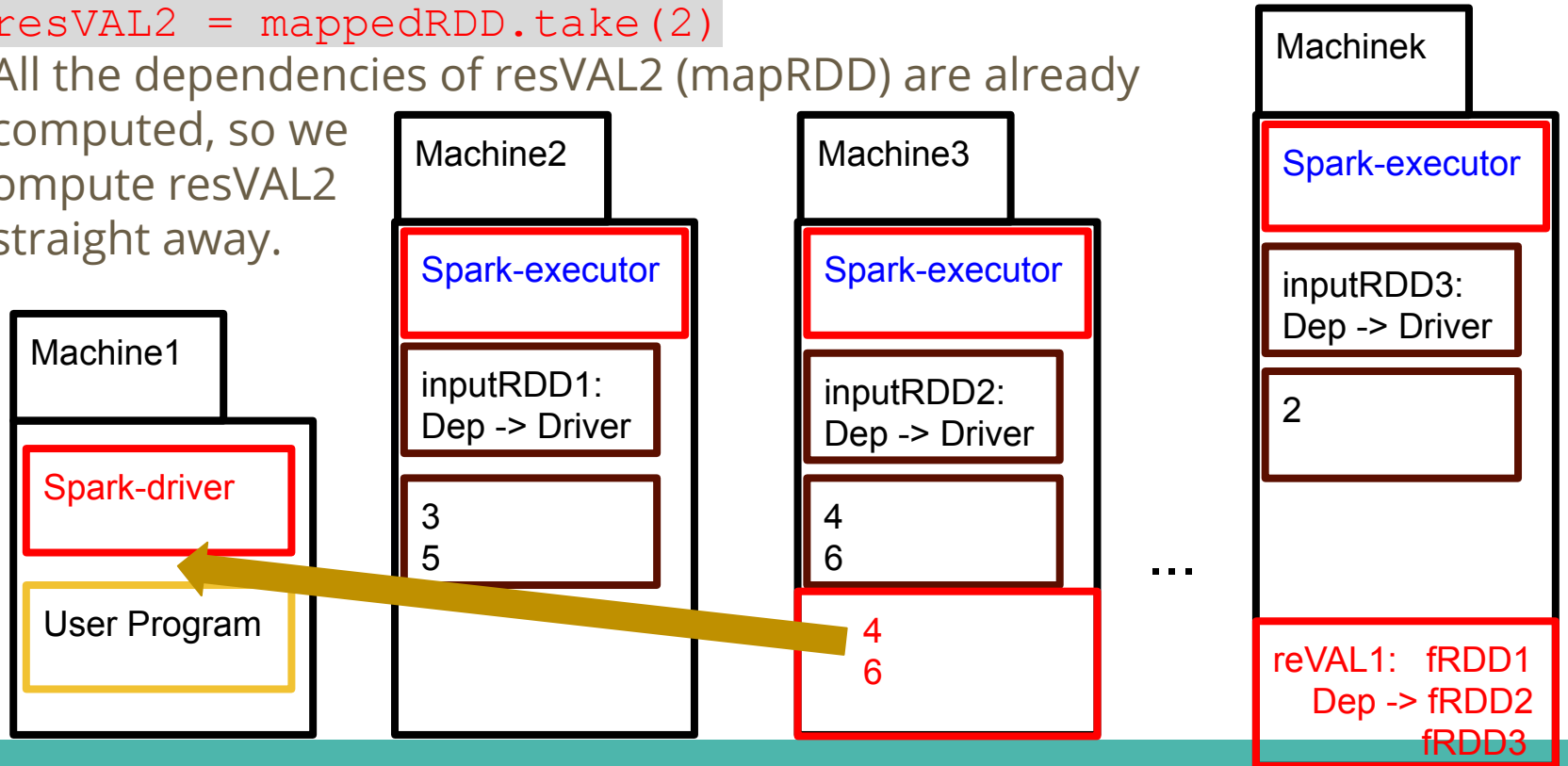

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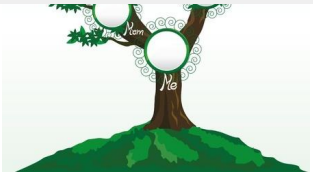

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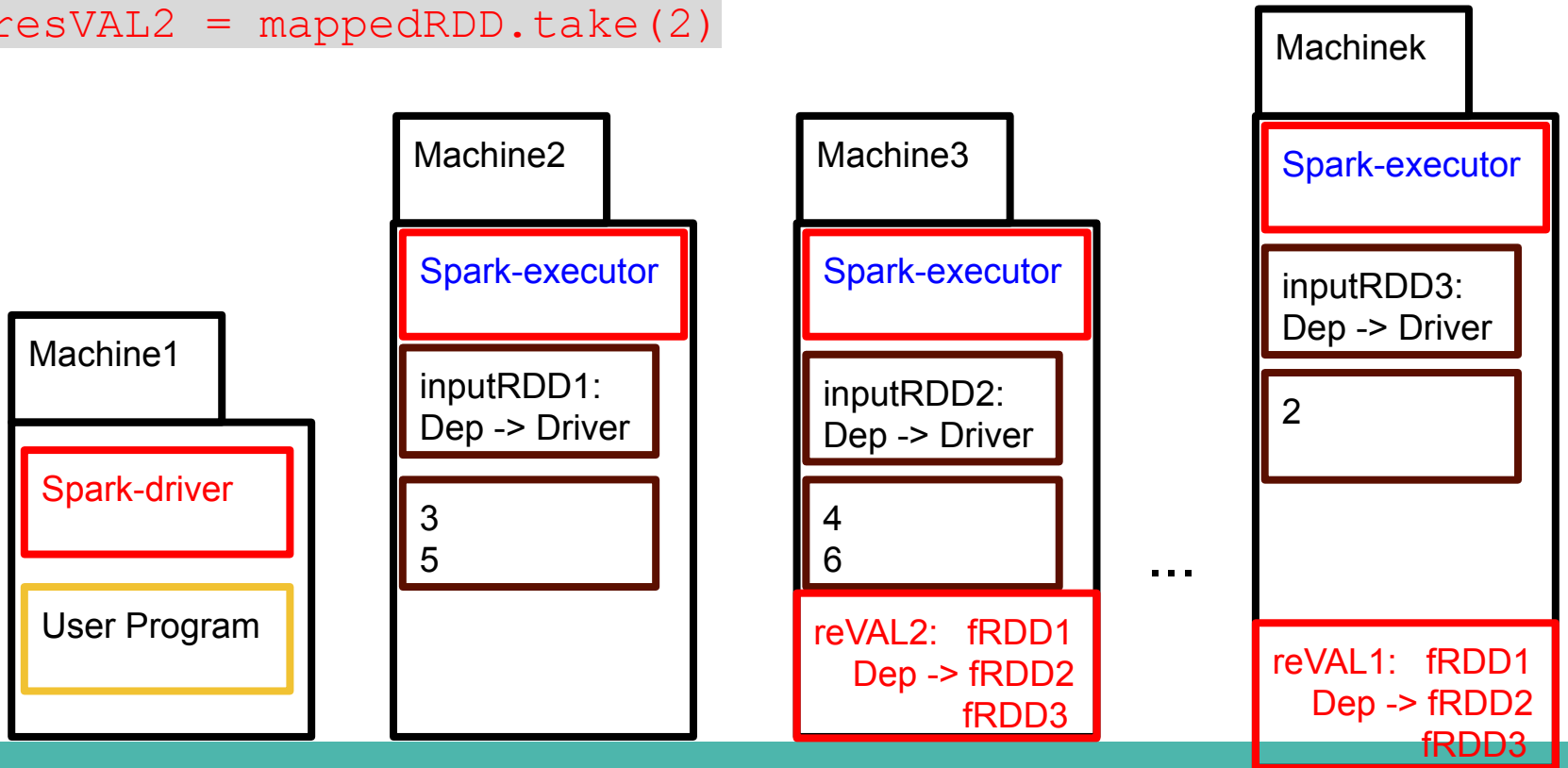

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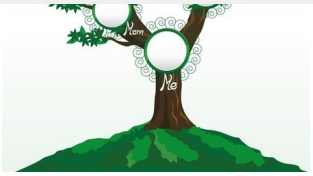

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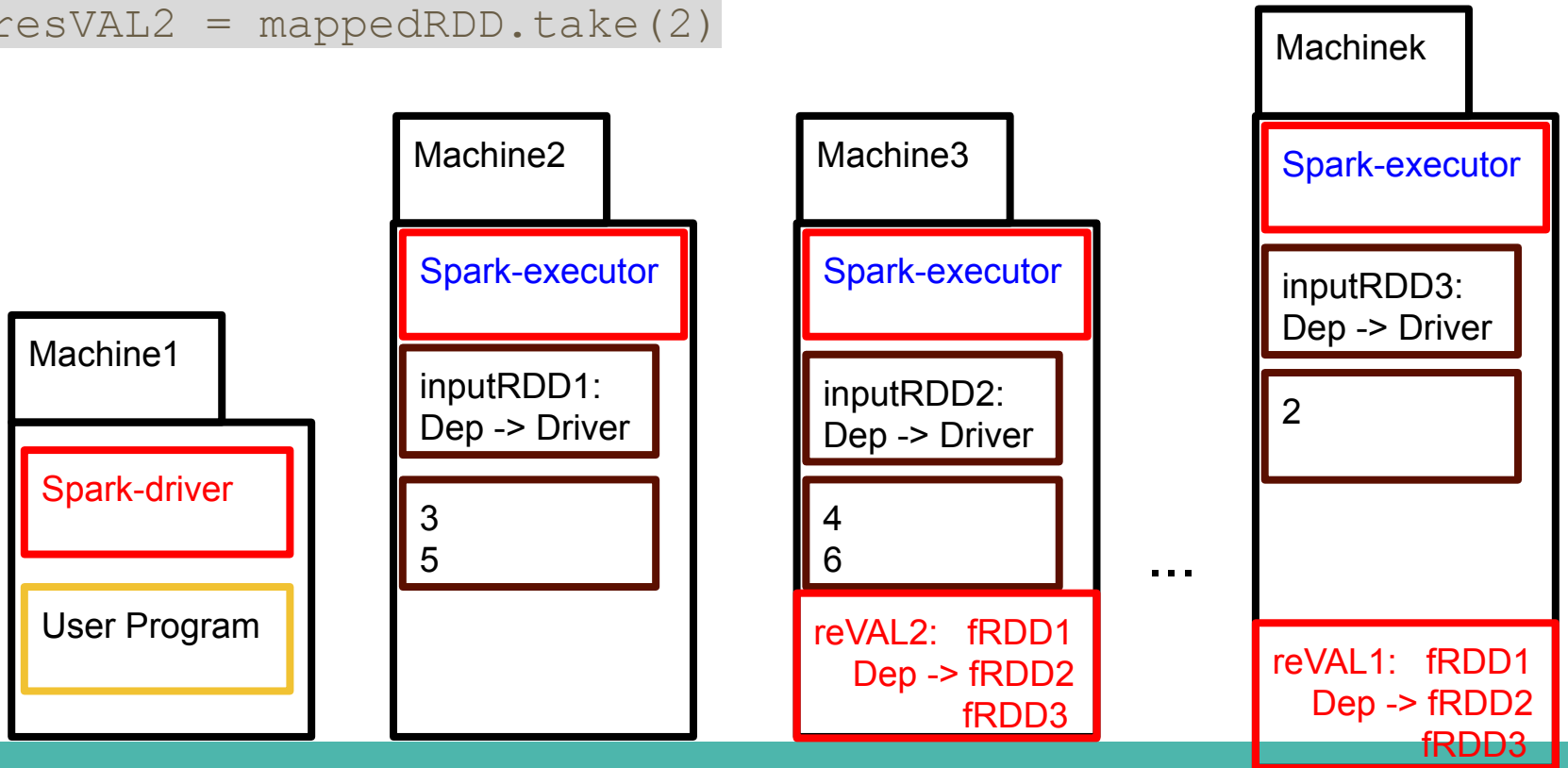

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  - We are in a Big Data environment!
    Resources are scarce, so we want to keep the memory of our **Spark Executor Processes** as free as possible!

- While this idea looks wonderful on itself, it has a dark side:
  - What happens when an RDD partition is actually used twice?
  - Do you see the problem? Both inputRDD and mappedRDD have been computed twice. And there is no need for this.
  - To avoid this undesirable situation, as we mentioned in last lecture, we just need to persist each RDD being used more than once.
  - This will make that the RDD is computed, and actually kept in memory afterwards until the end of the program.
  - As we have seen, now our computation is efficient, and everything that is needed to be computed it is computed...just once!

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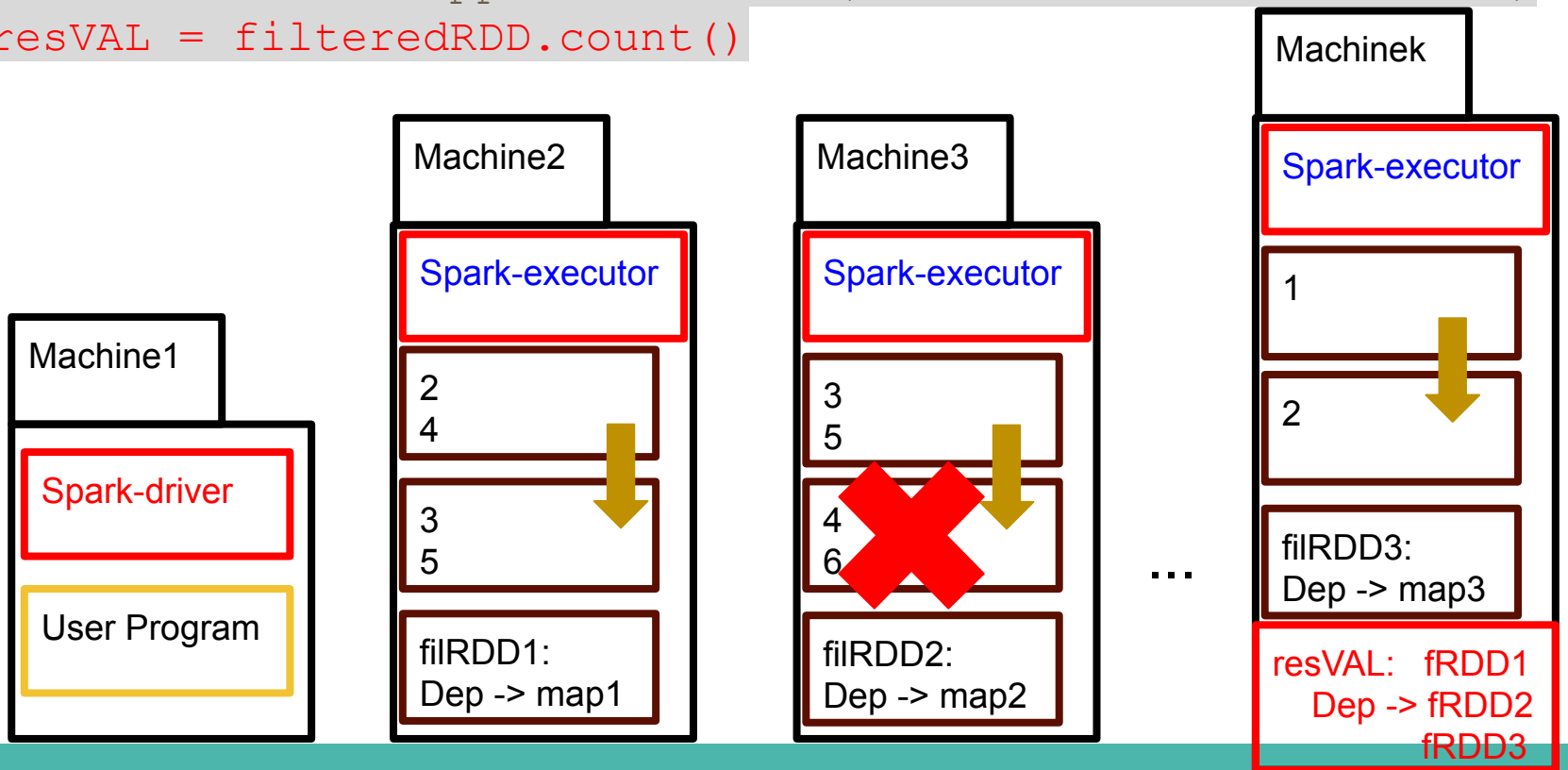

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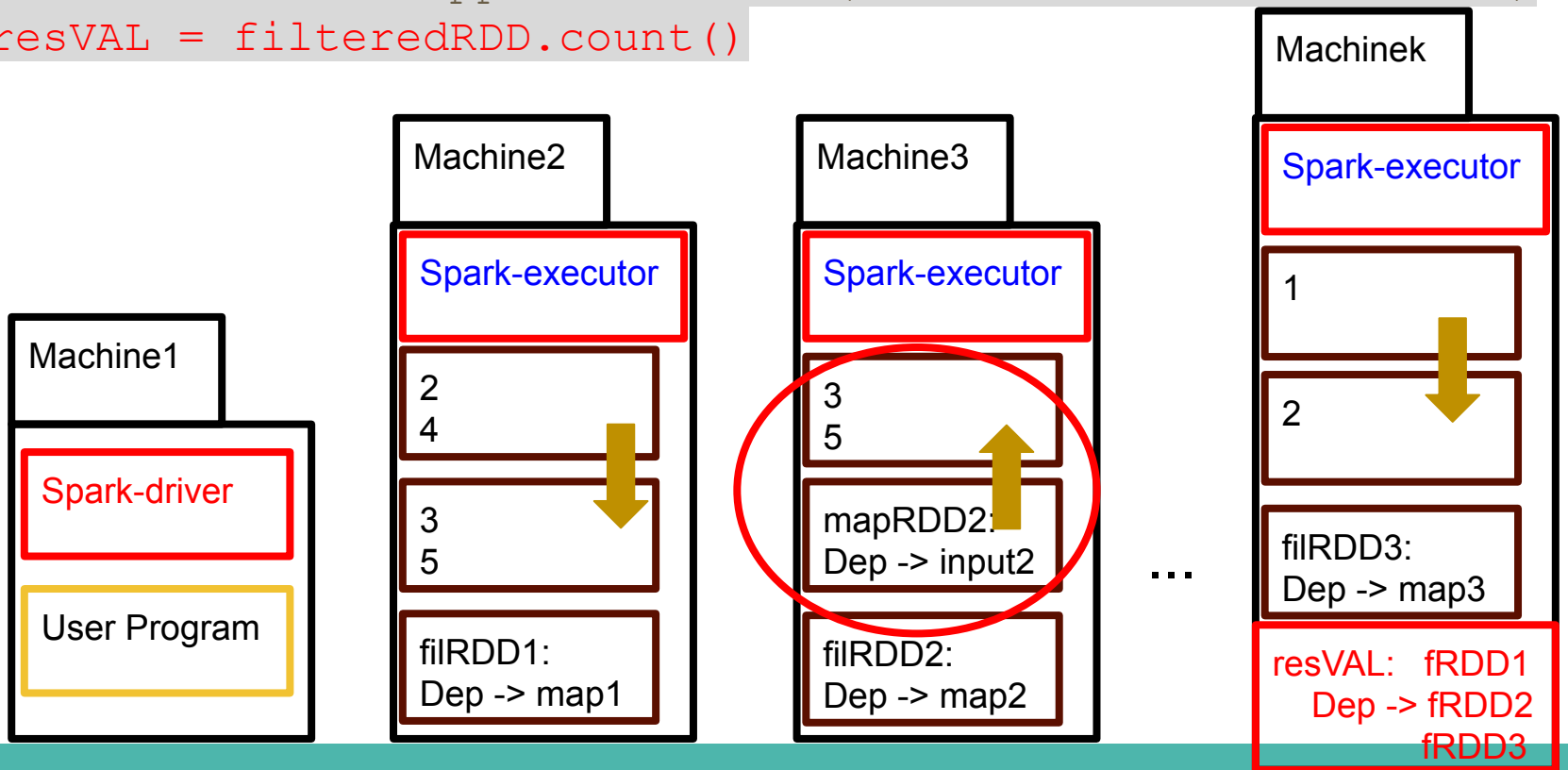

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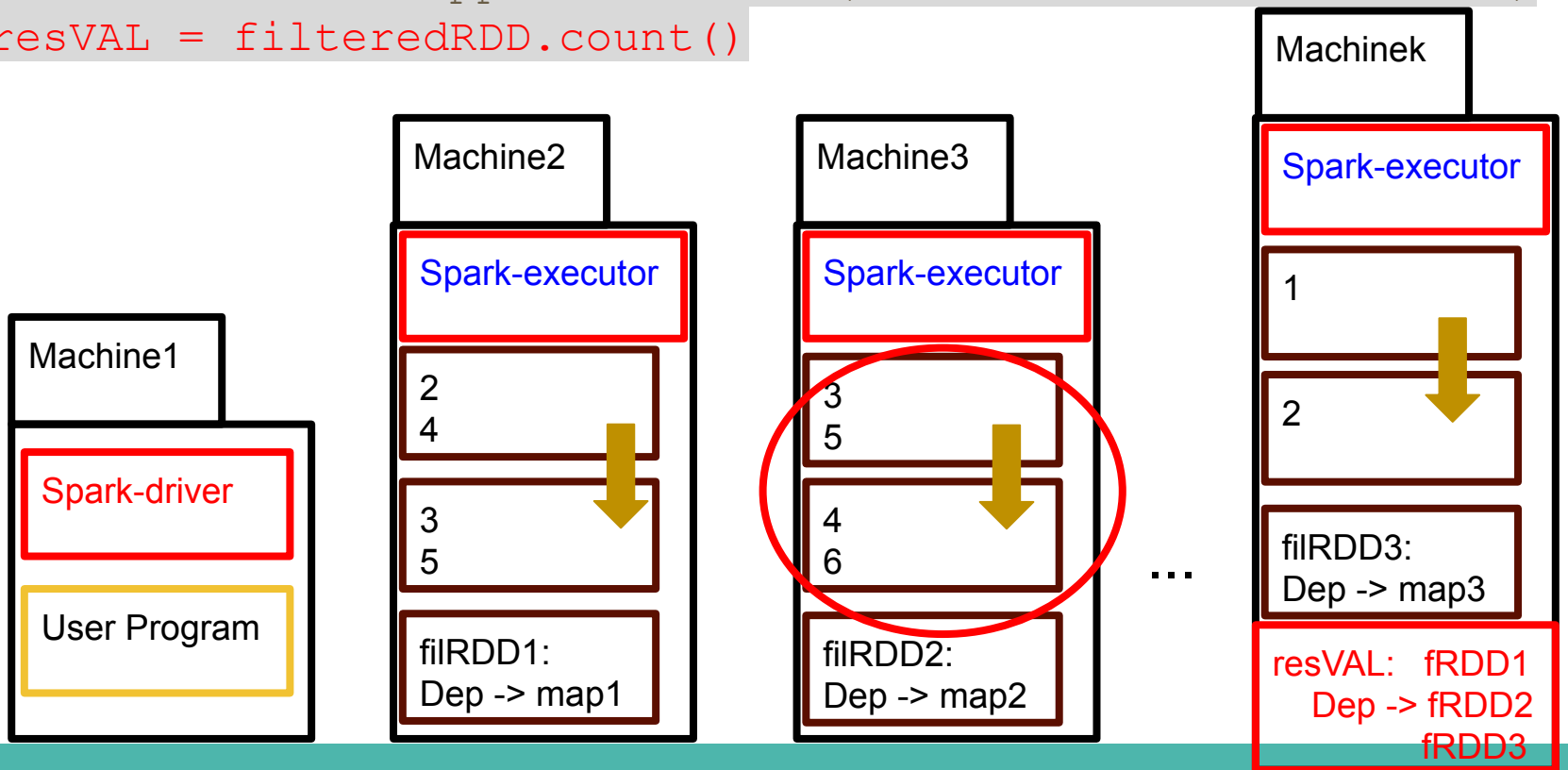

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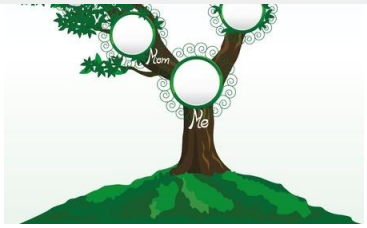

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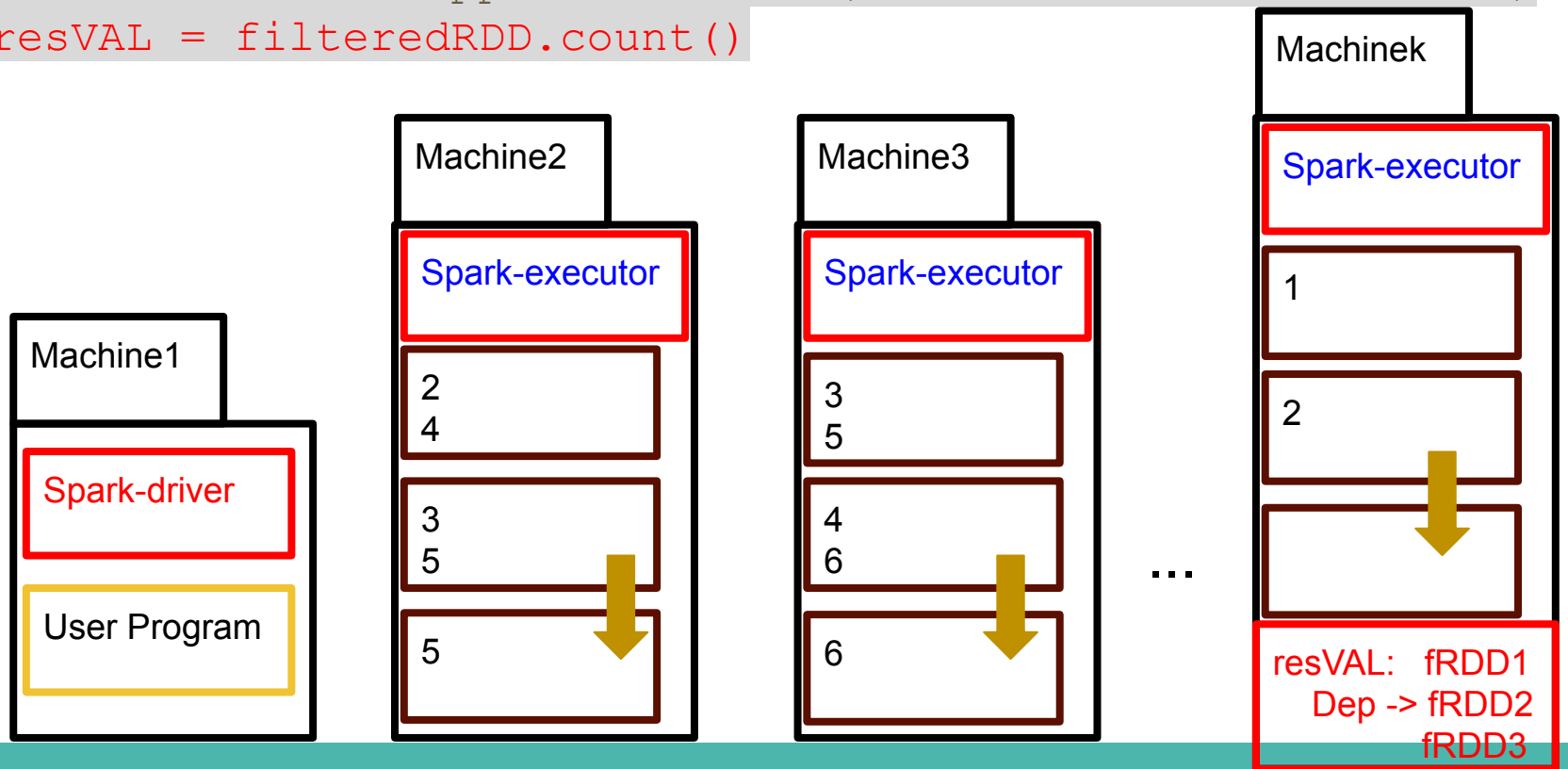

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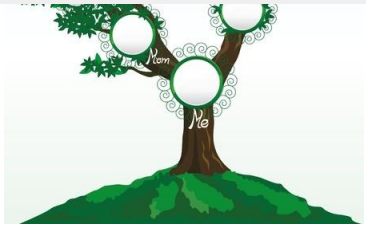

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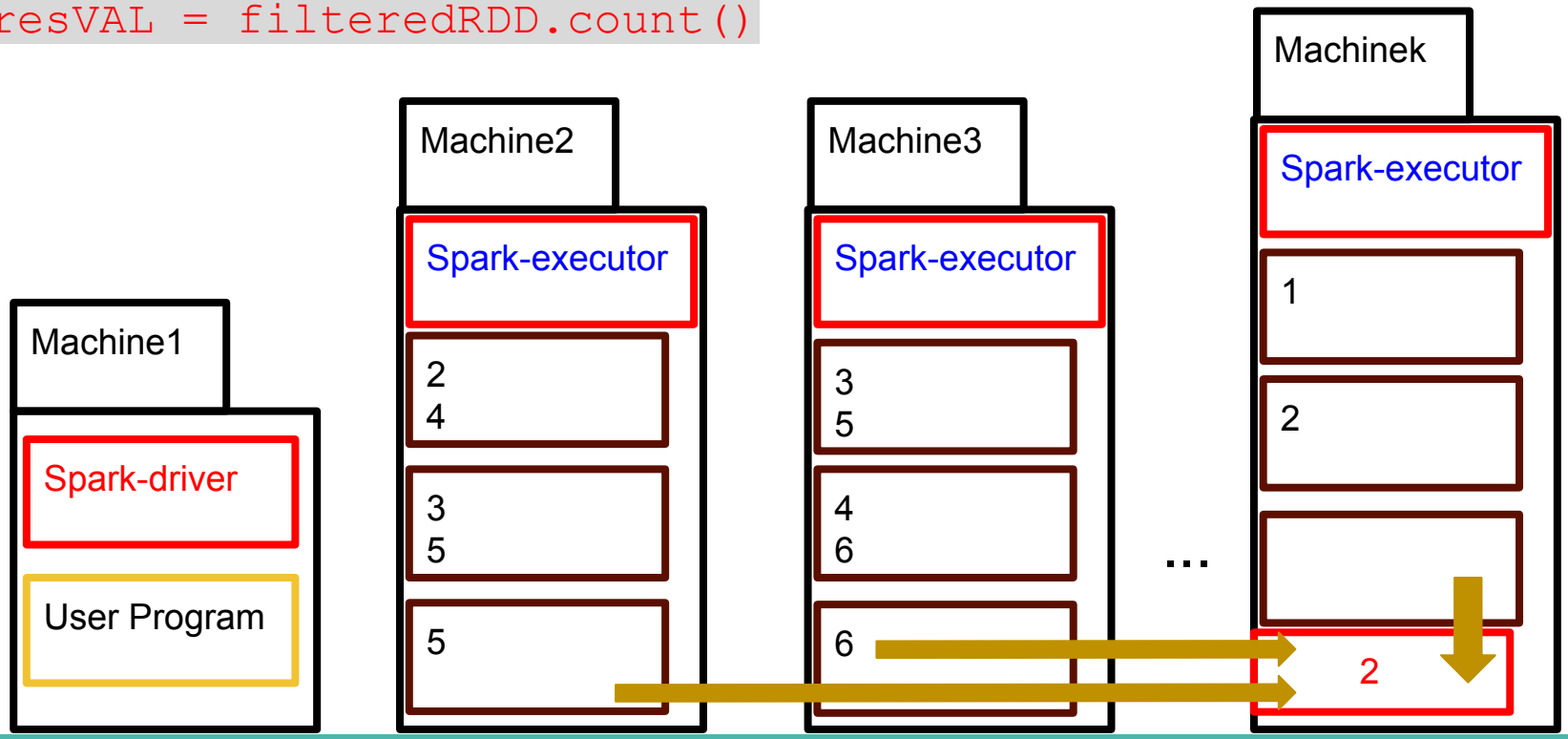

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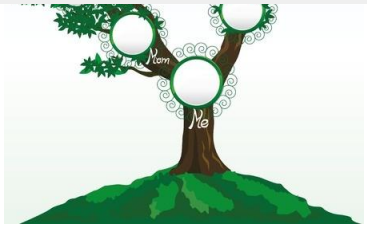

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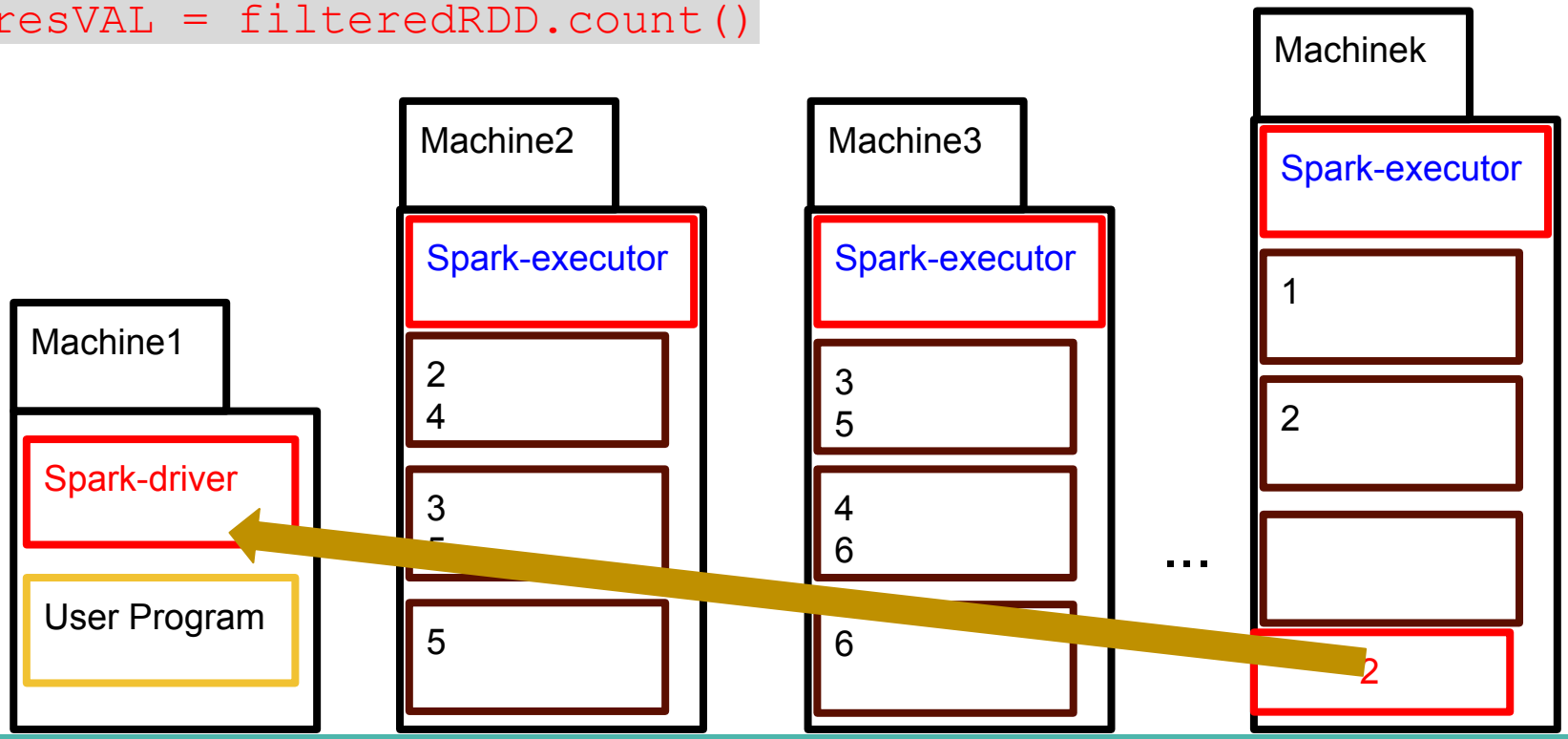

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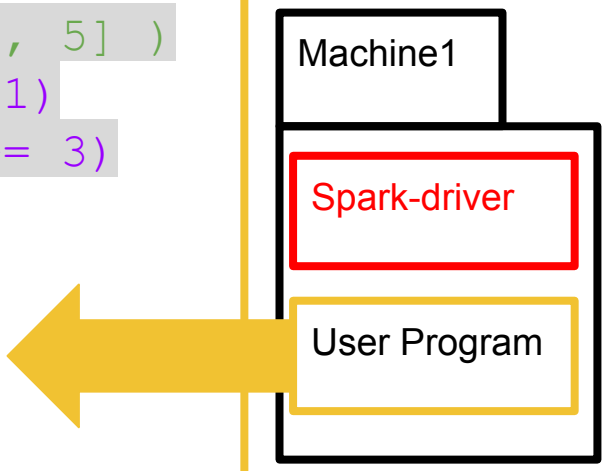

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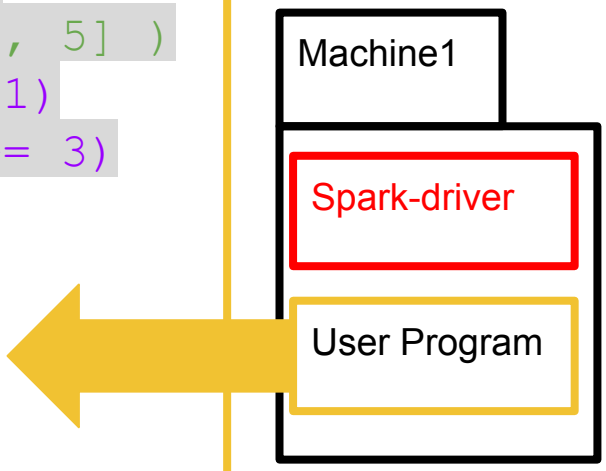

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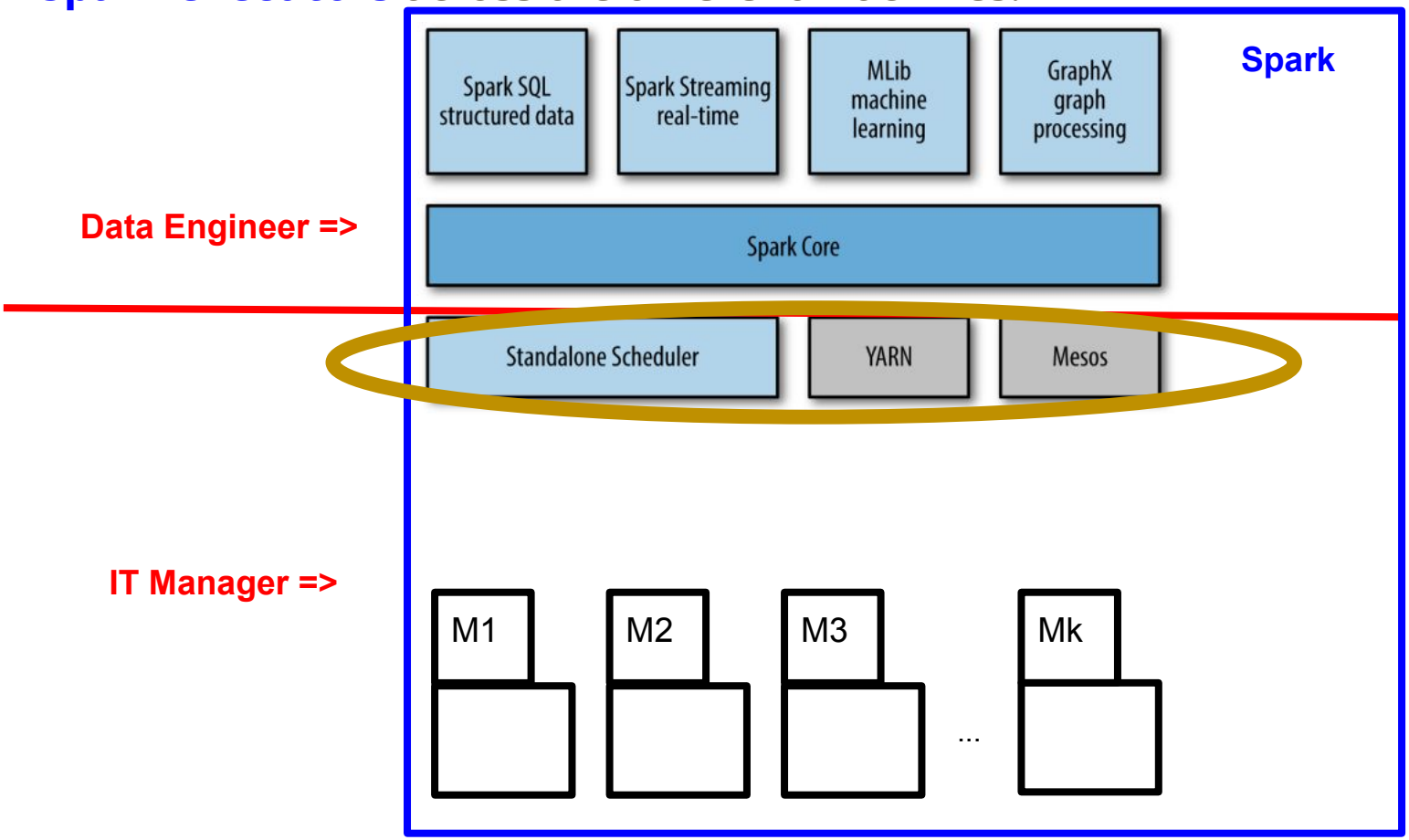

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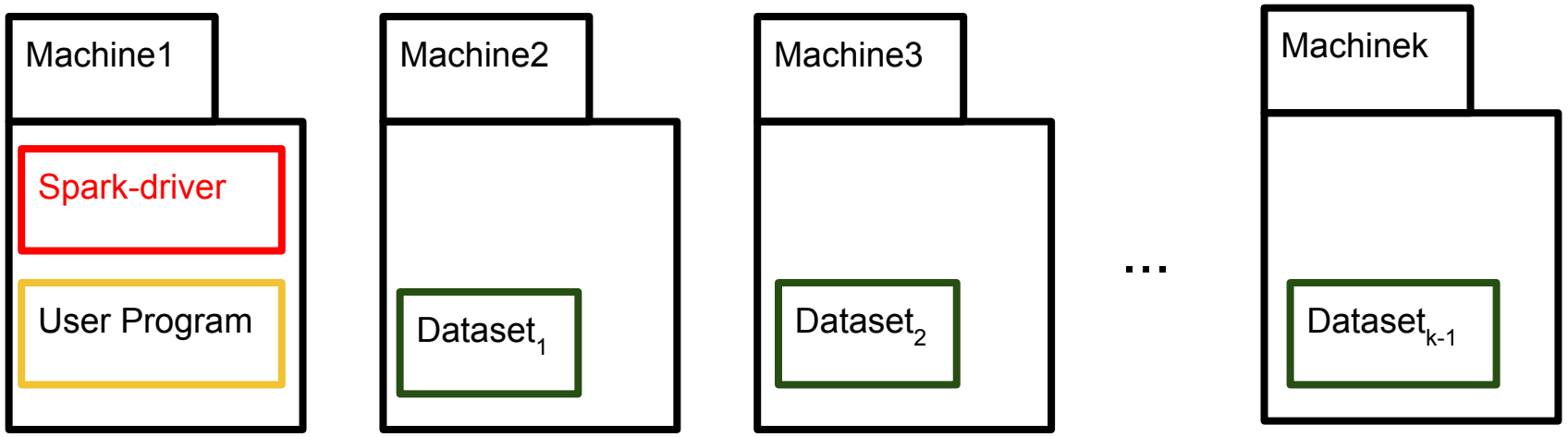

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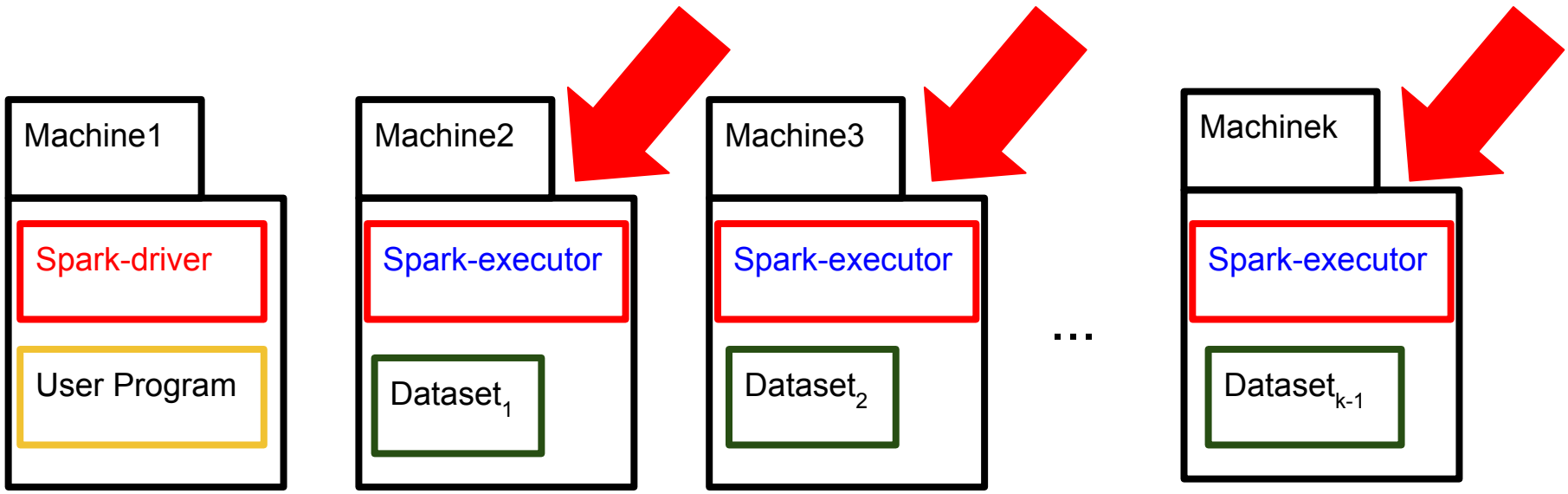

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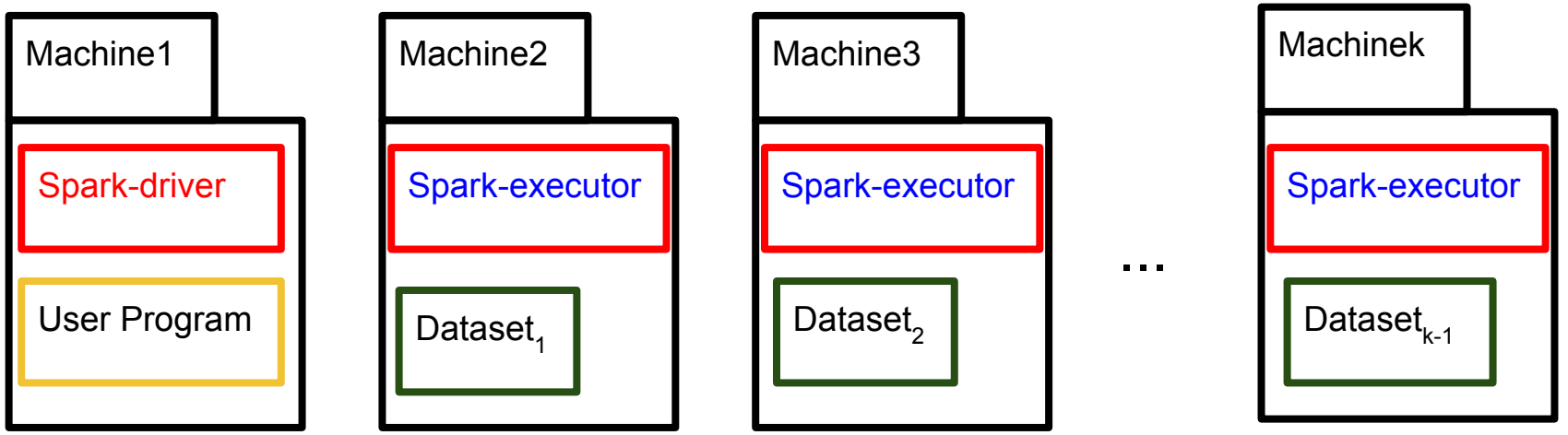

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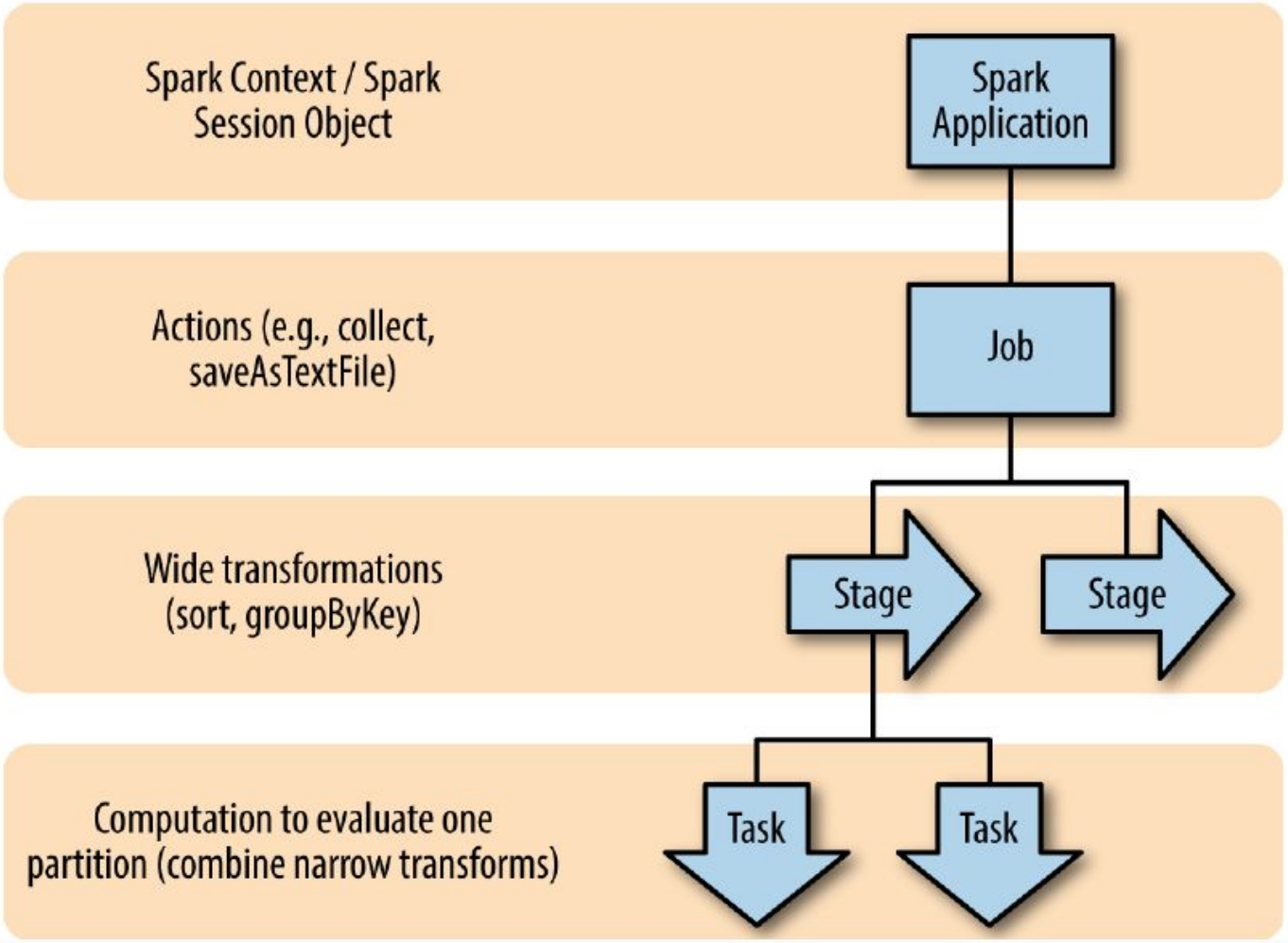

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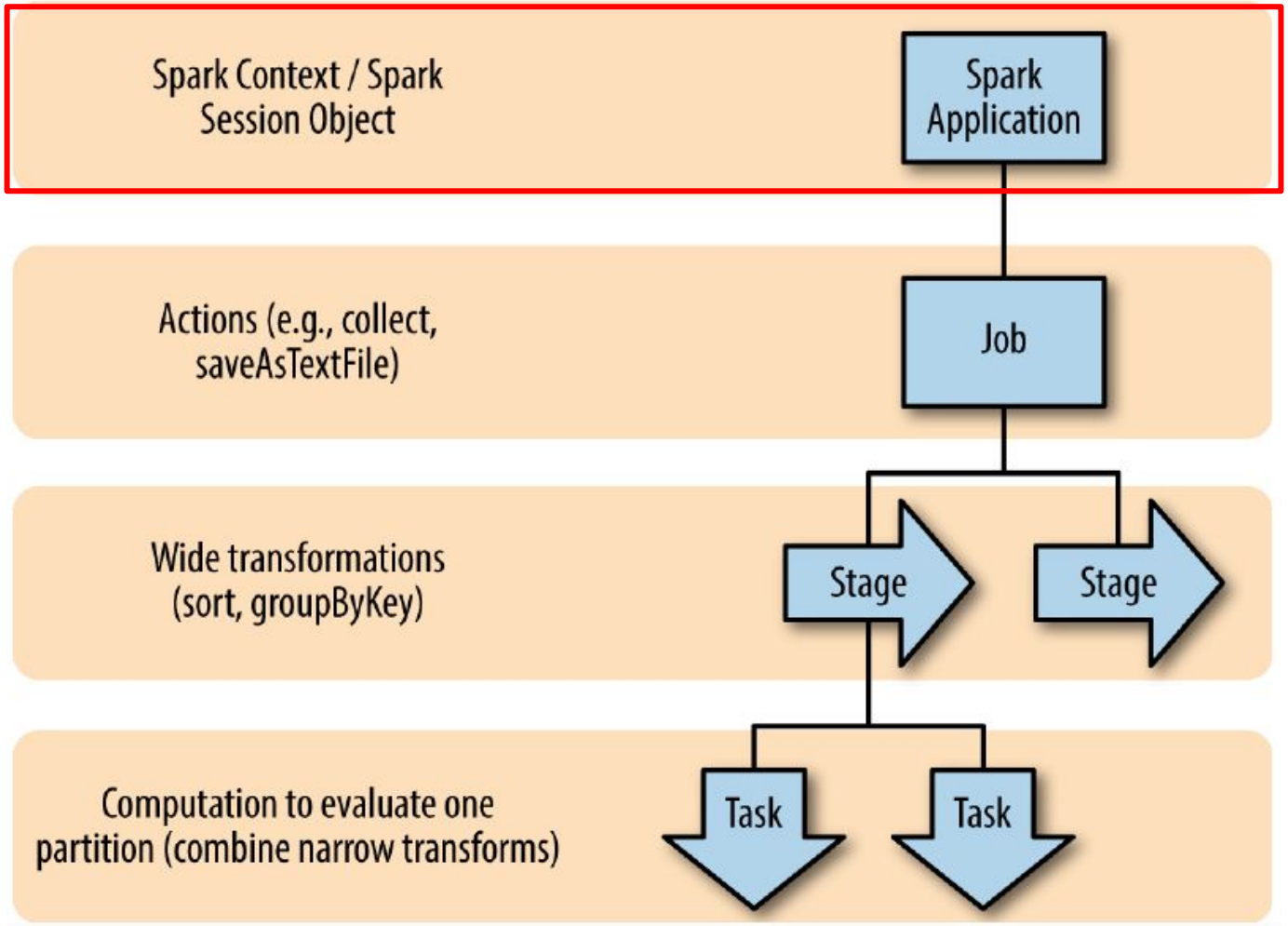

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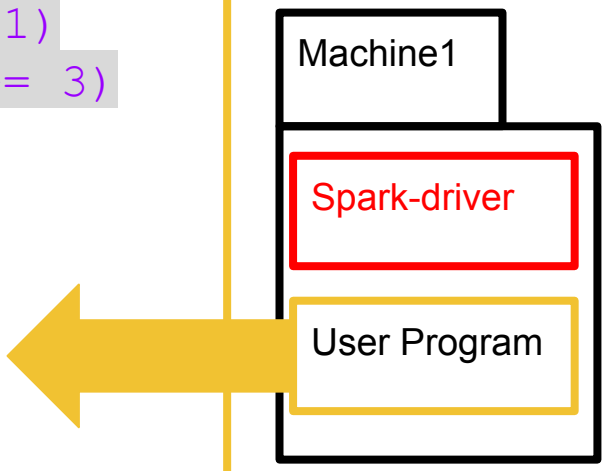

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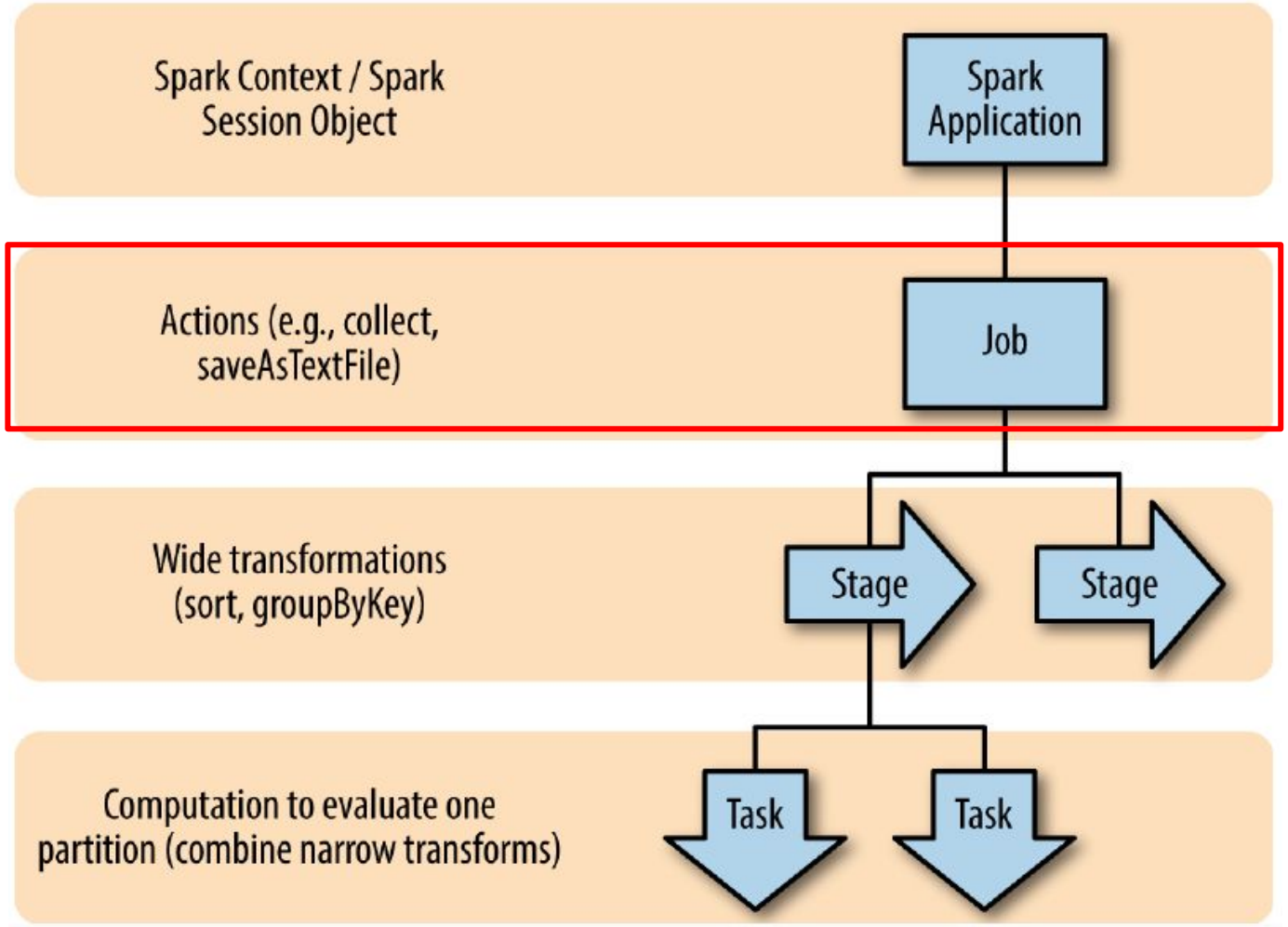

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- The result is 3.

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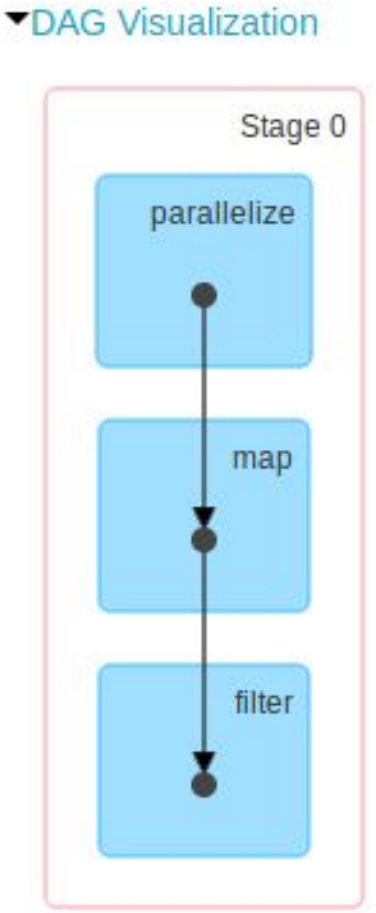

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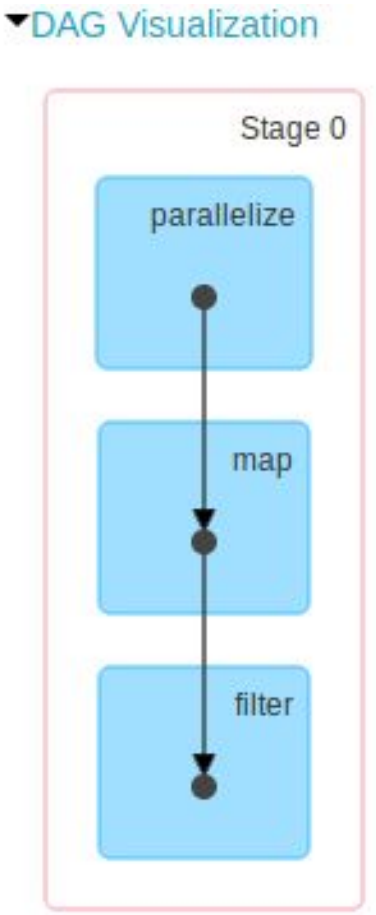

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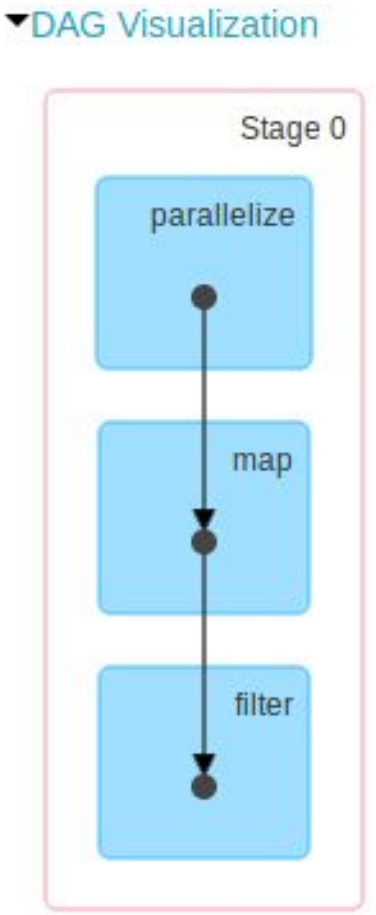

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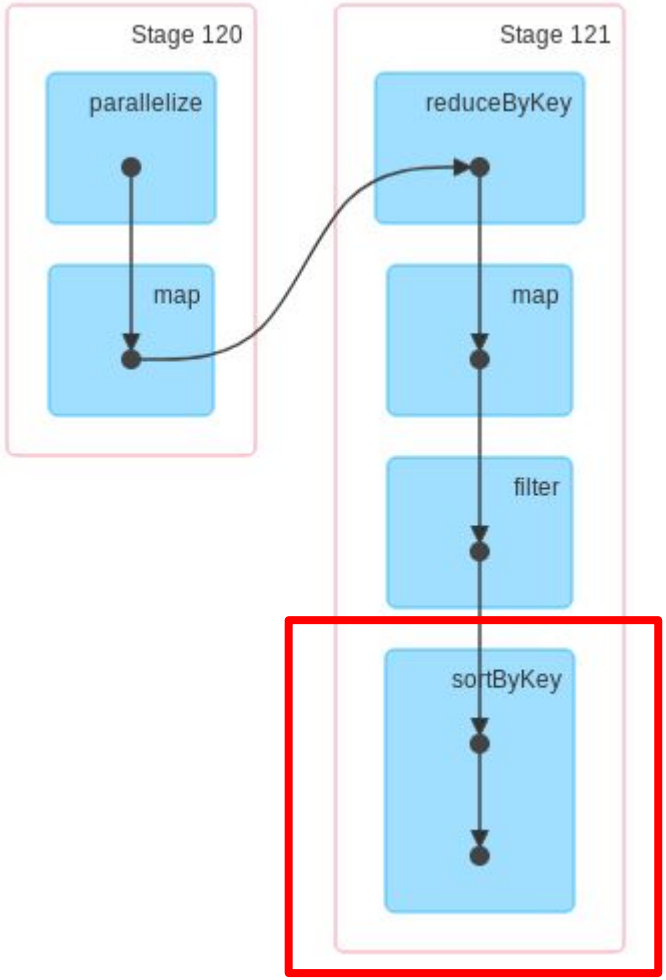

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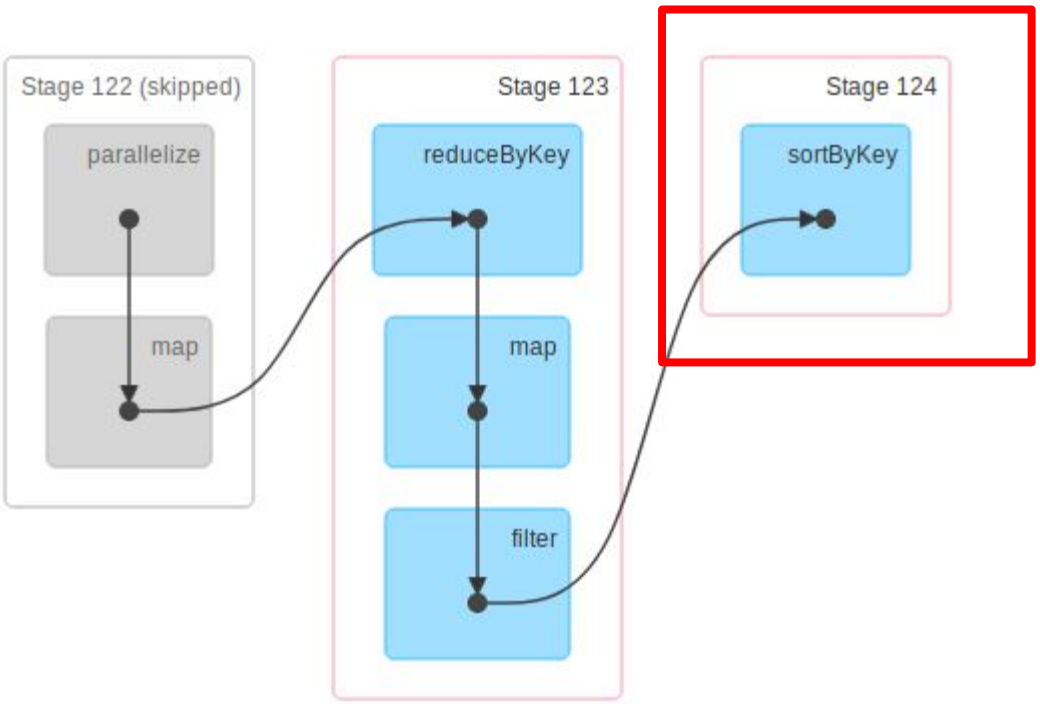

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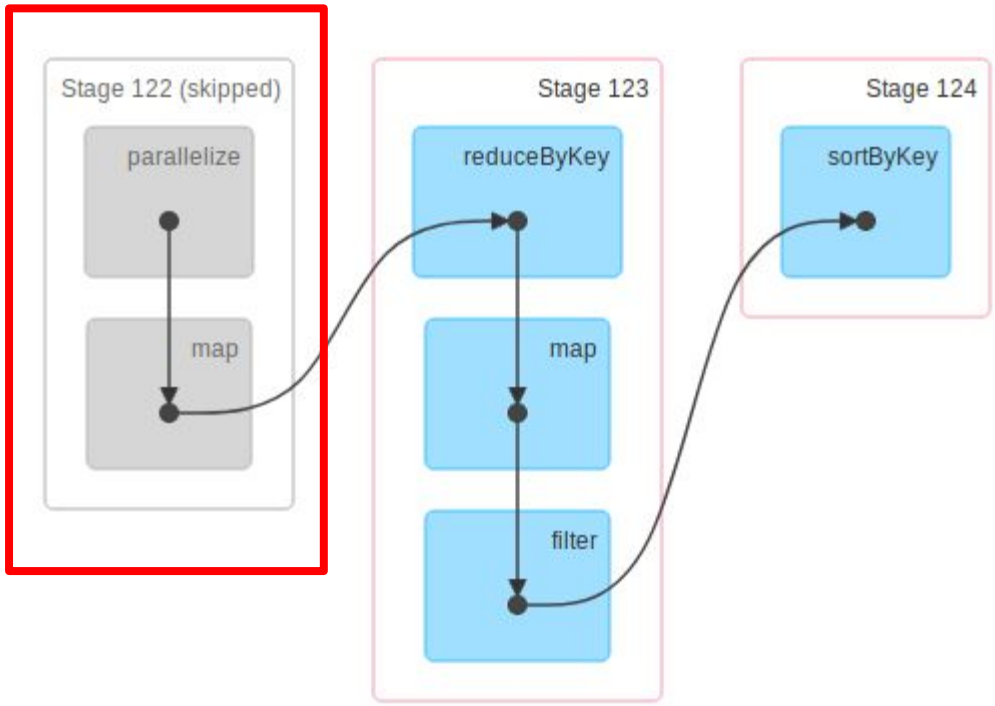

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solutionRDD.persist()
resVAL1 = solutionRDD.collect()
resVAL2 = solutionRDD.count()
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As we can see, the program now has 2 **action** operations, and has to **persist** solutionRDD as it be used both to **collect** and **count** its elements.

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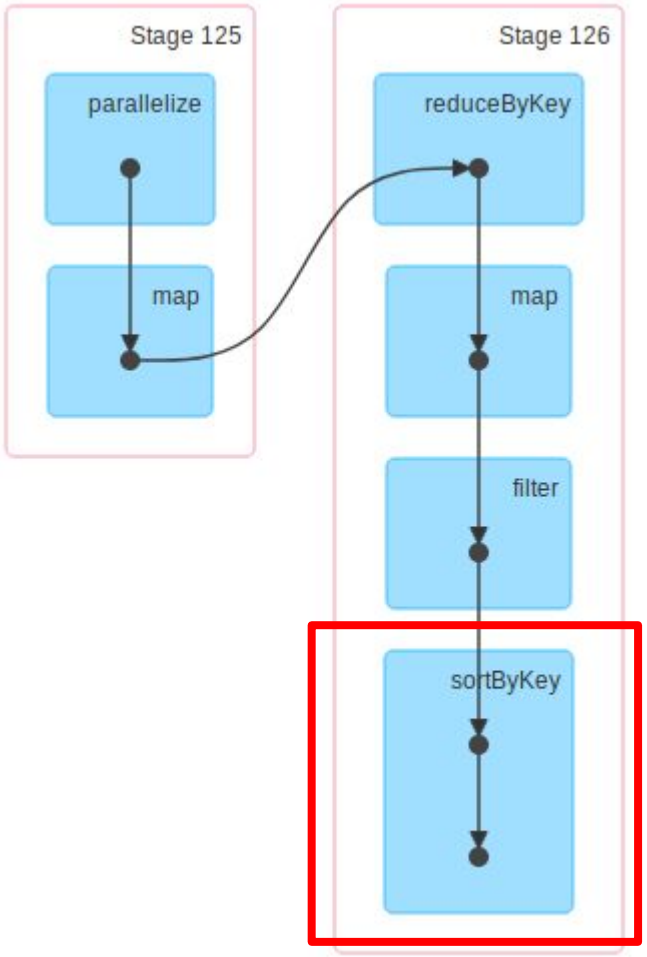

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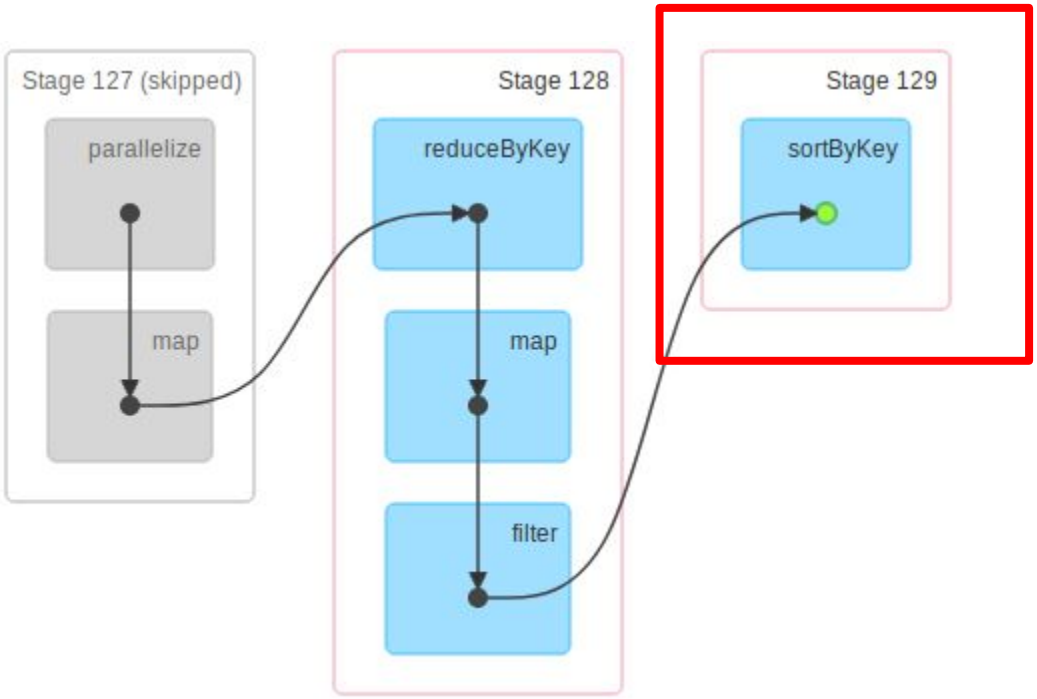

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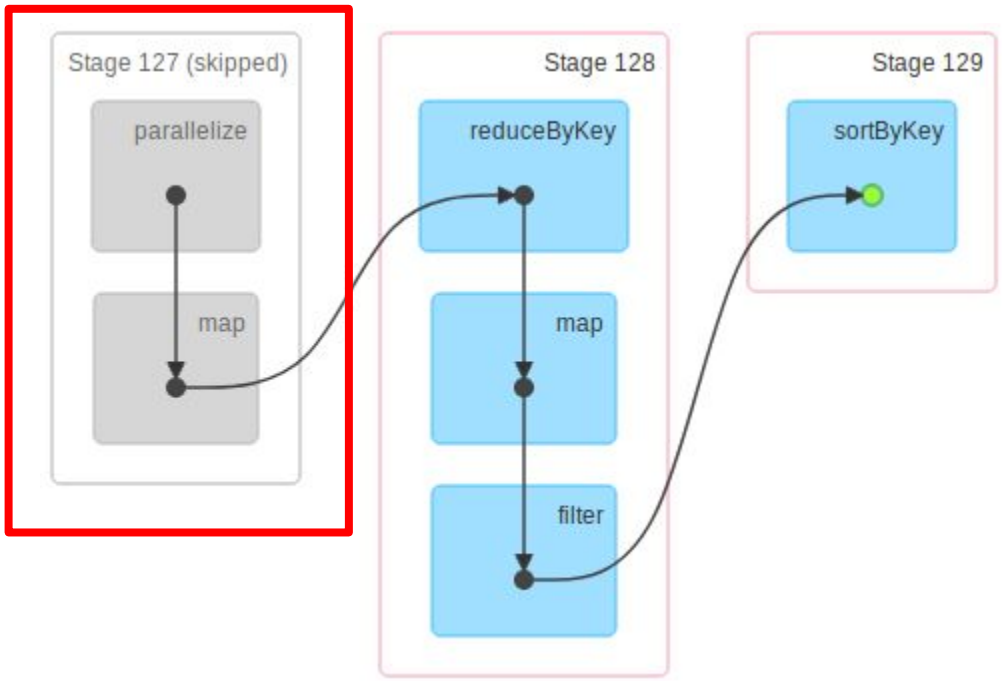

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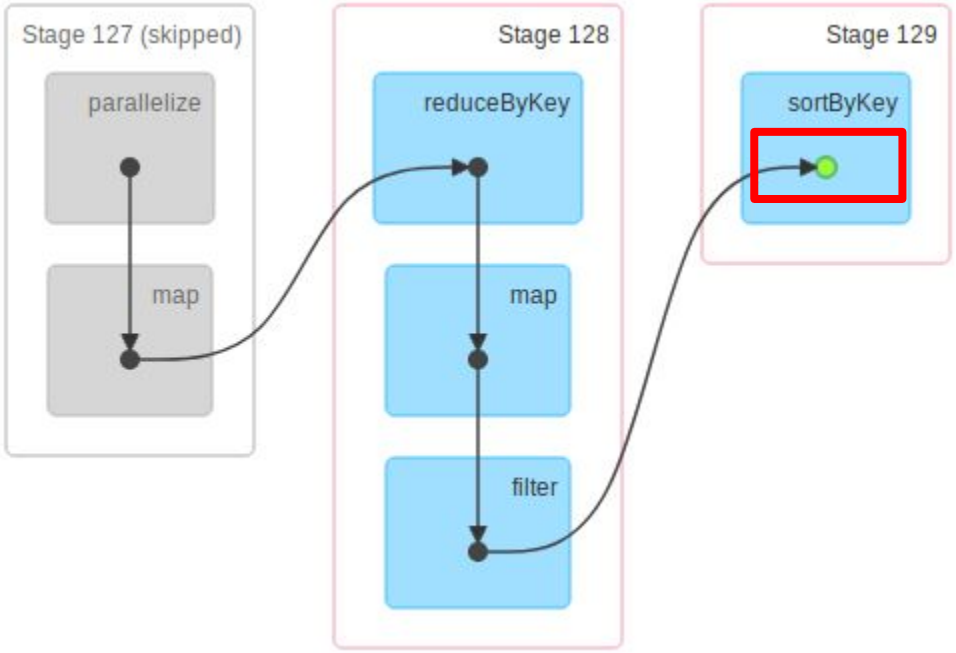

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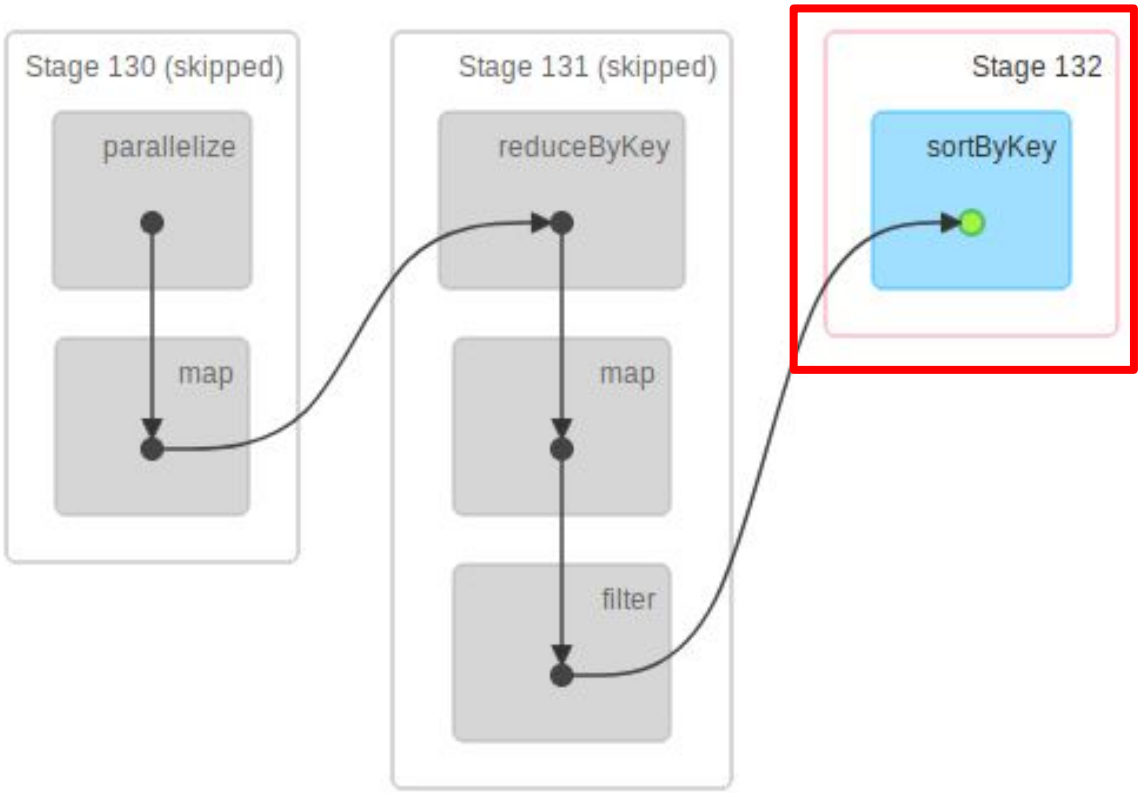

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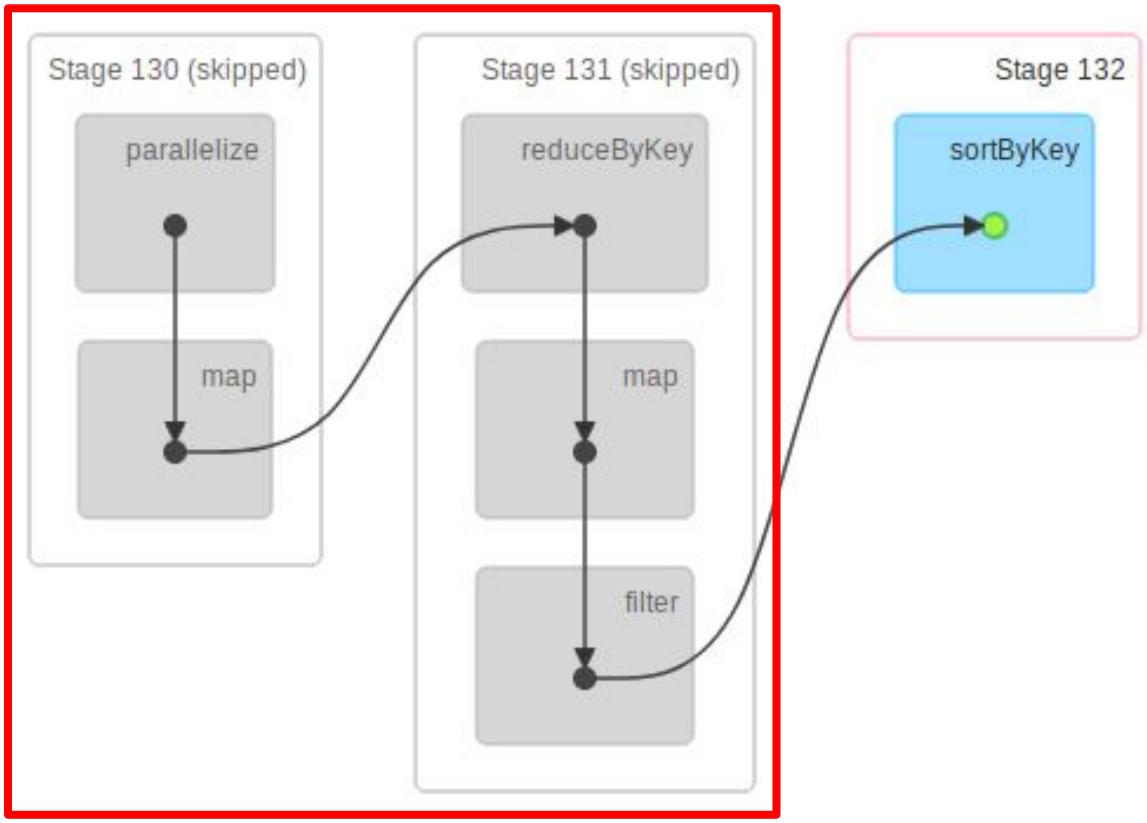

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As previously mentioned, both the Jobs and the DAG generated for them seem to reason at the level of the RDD public side...

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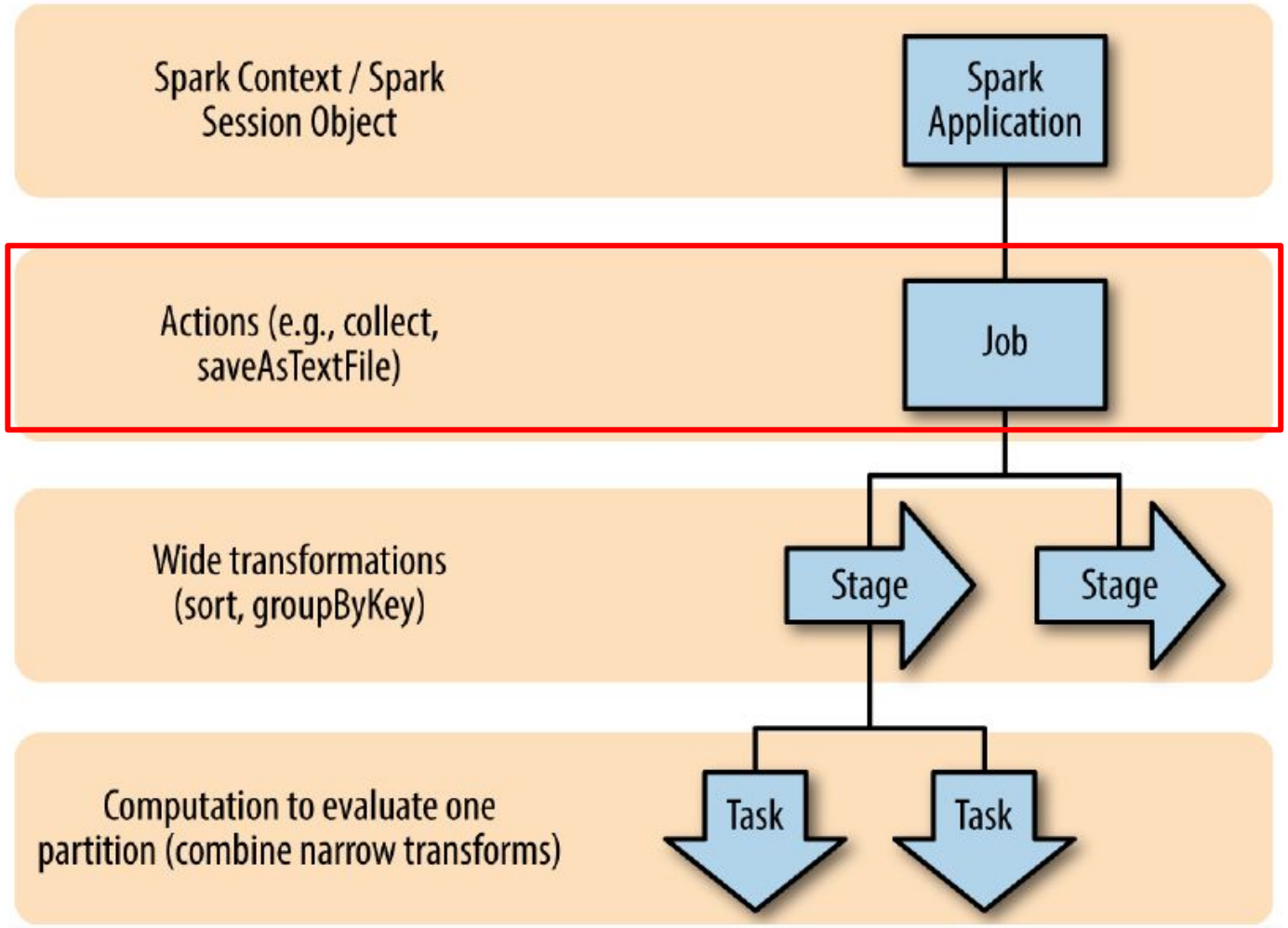

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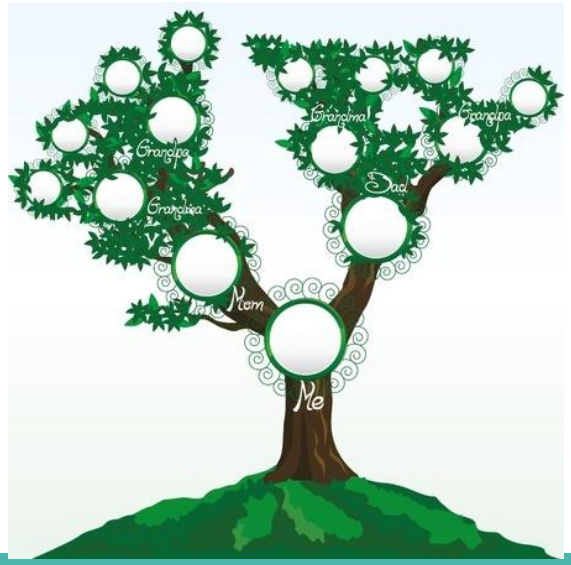

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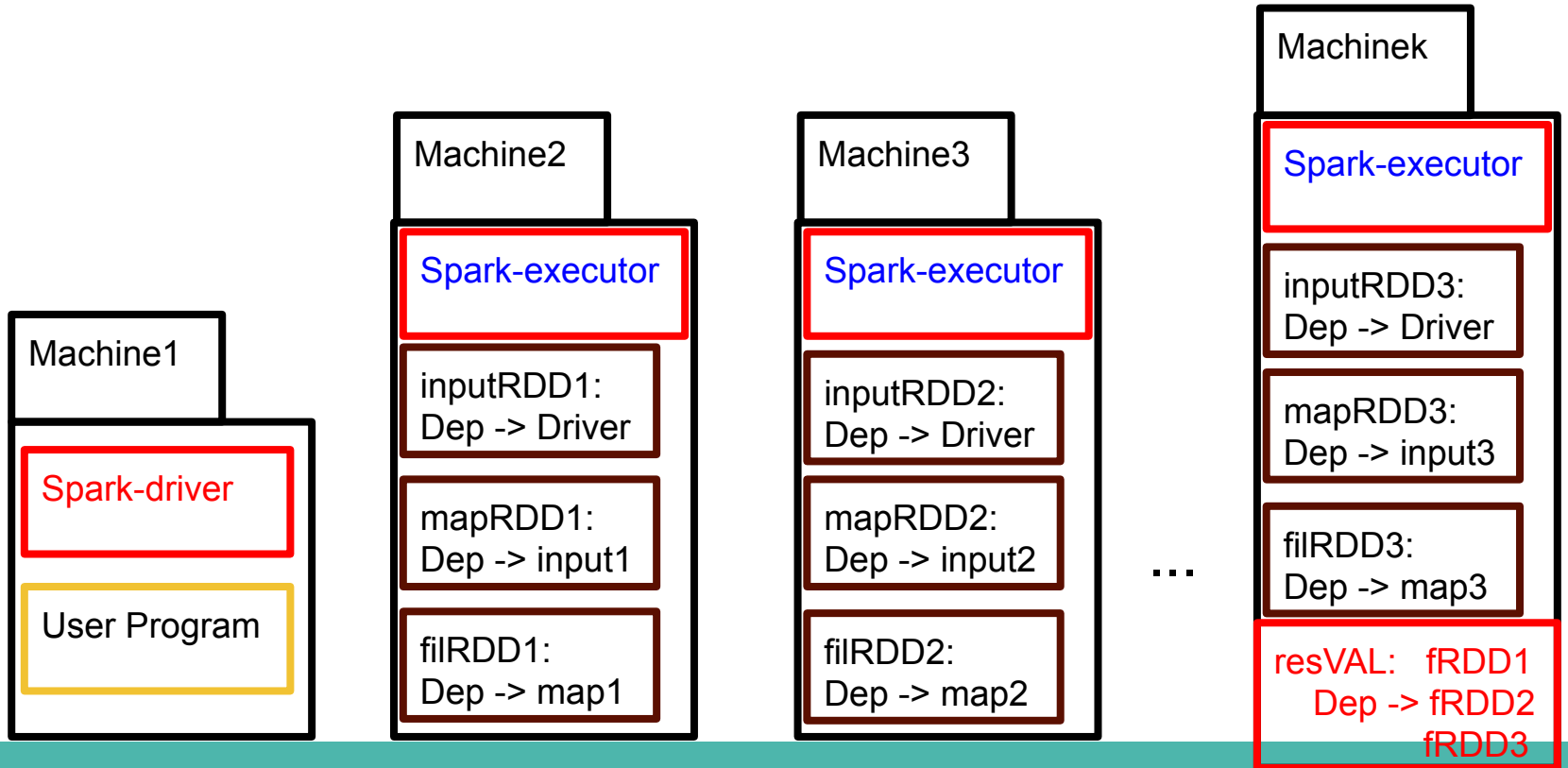

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...thus, the DAG is passed to the TaskScheduler, who translate the rationale to the internal representation of RDDs via Stages and Tasks.

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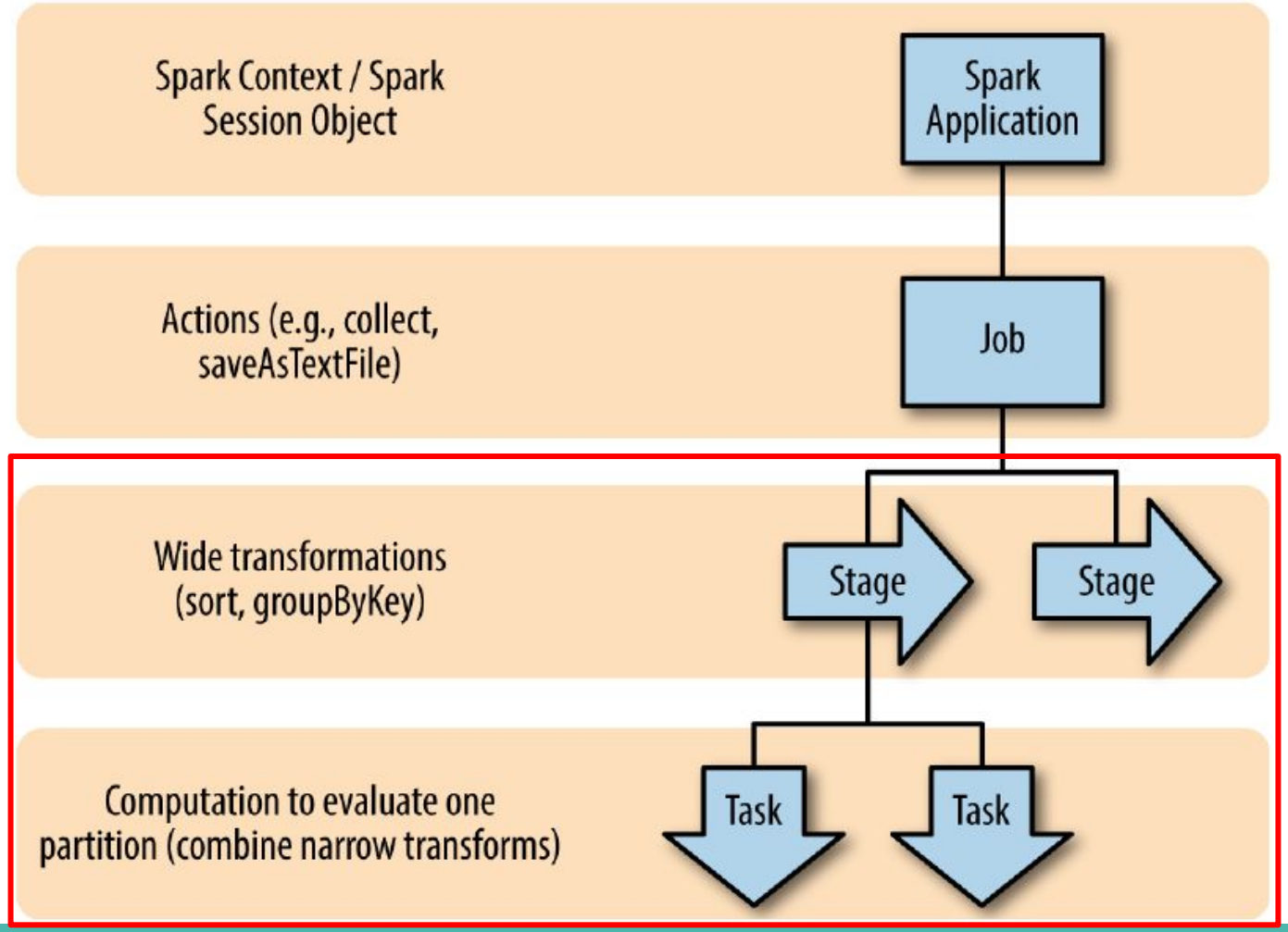
- The TaskScheduler must distinguish between the narrow and wide operations of the DAG.



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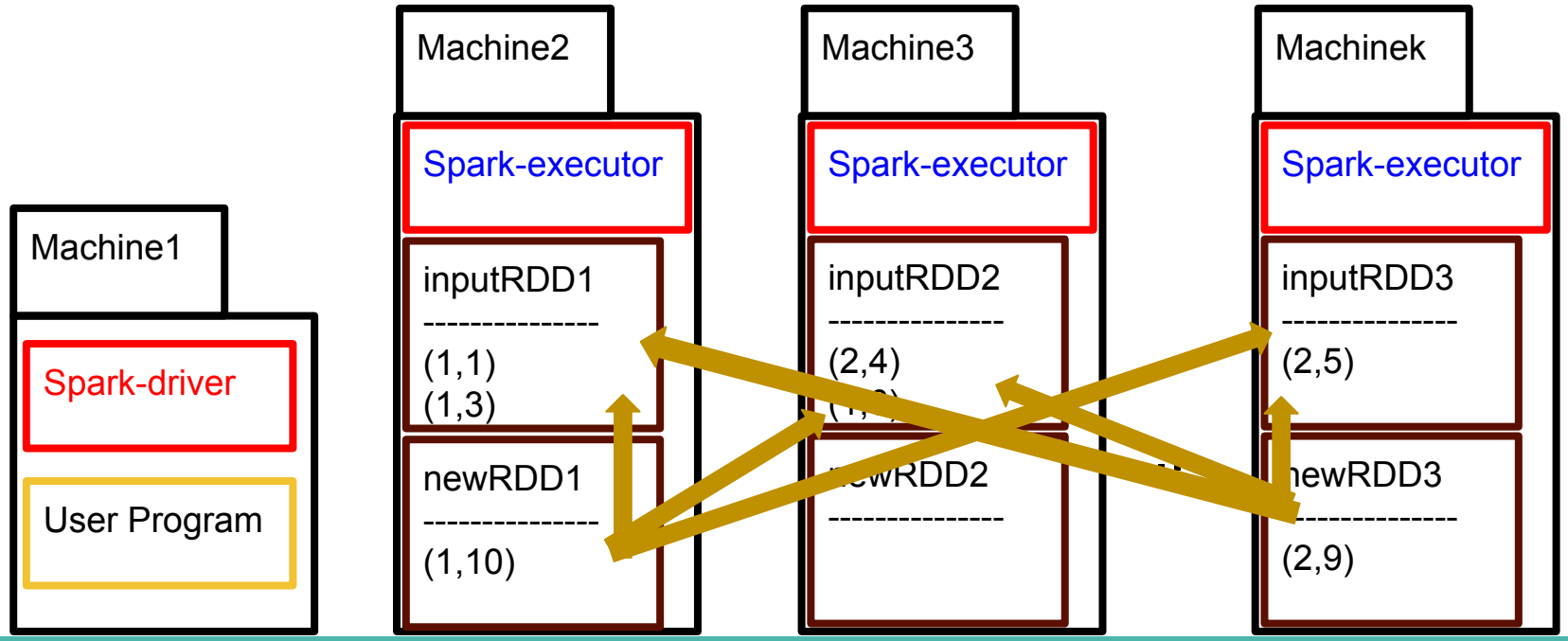

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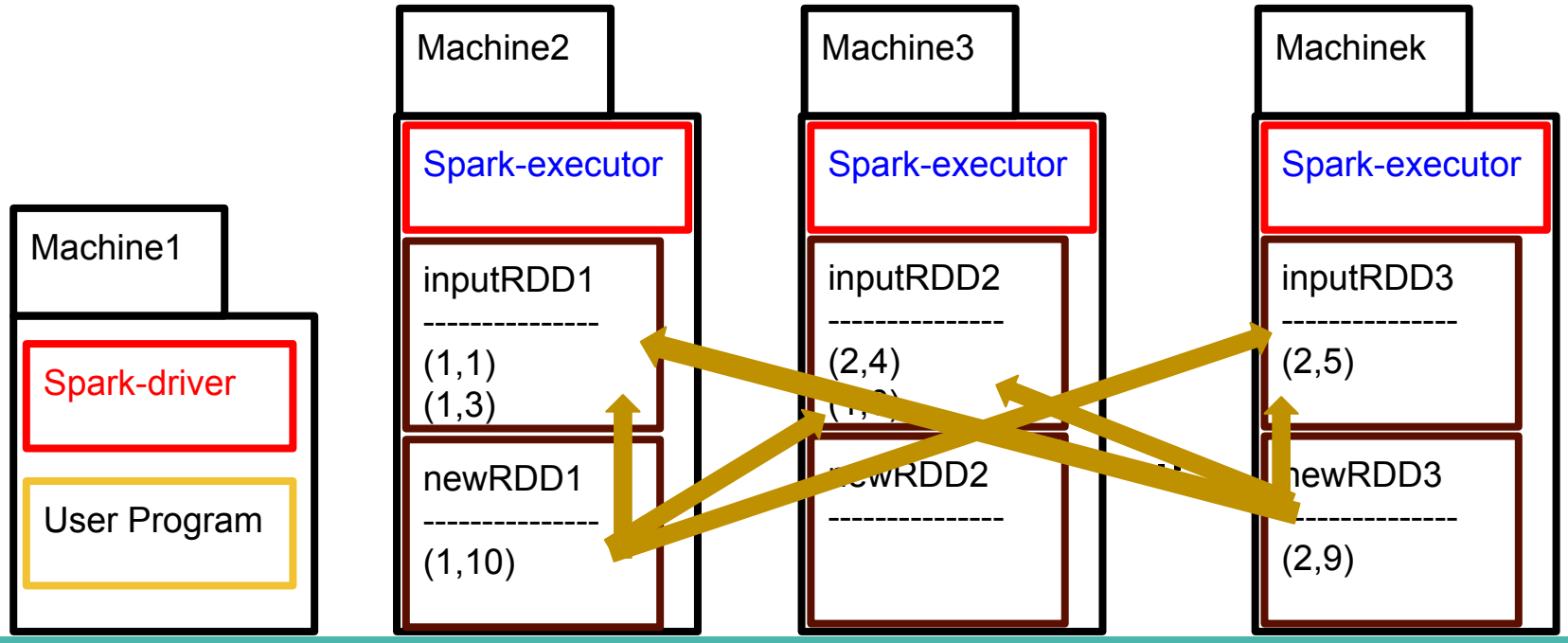

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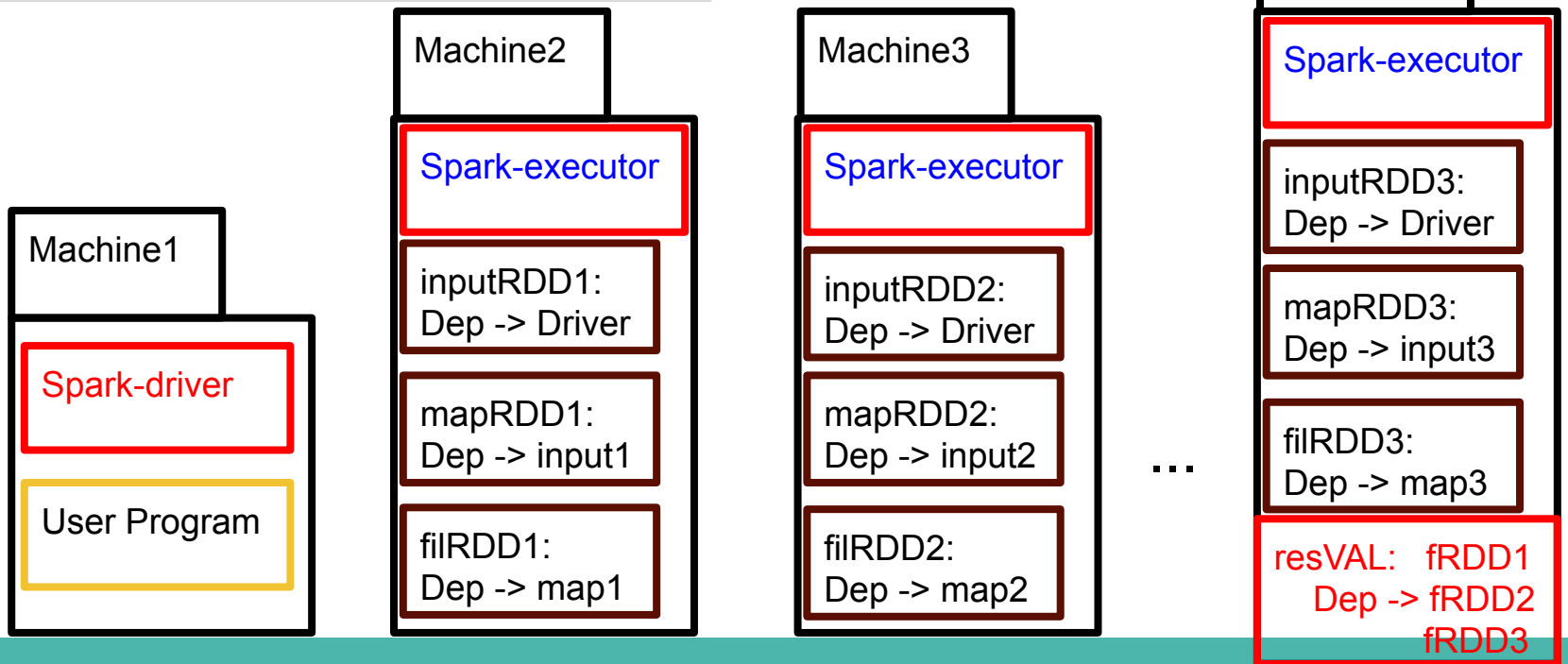

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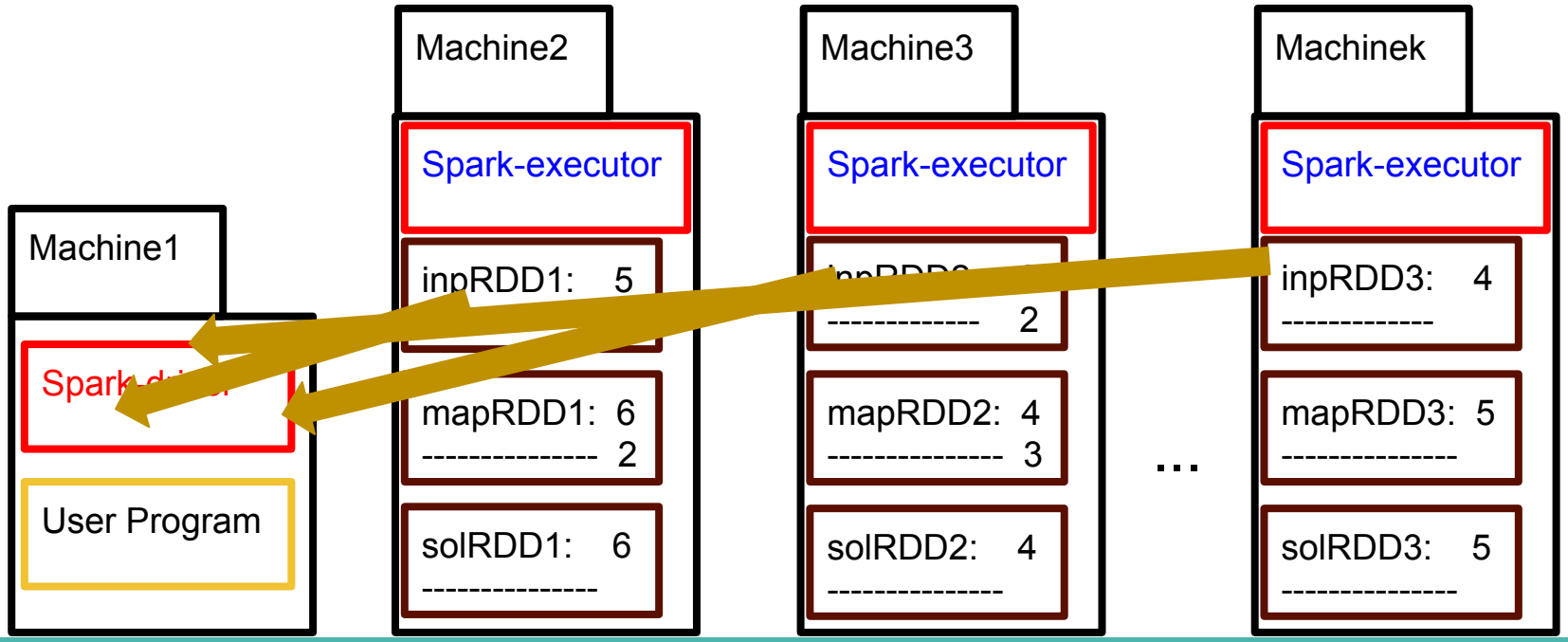

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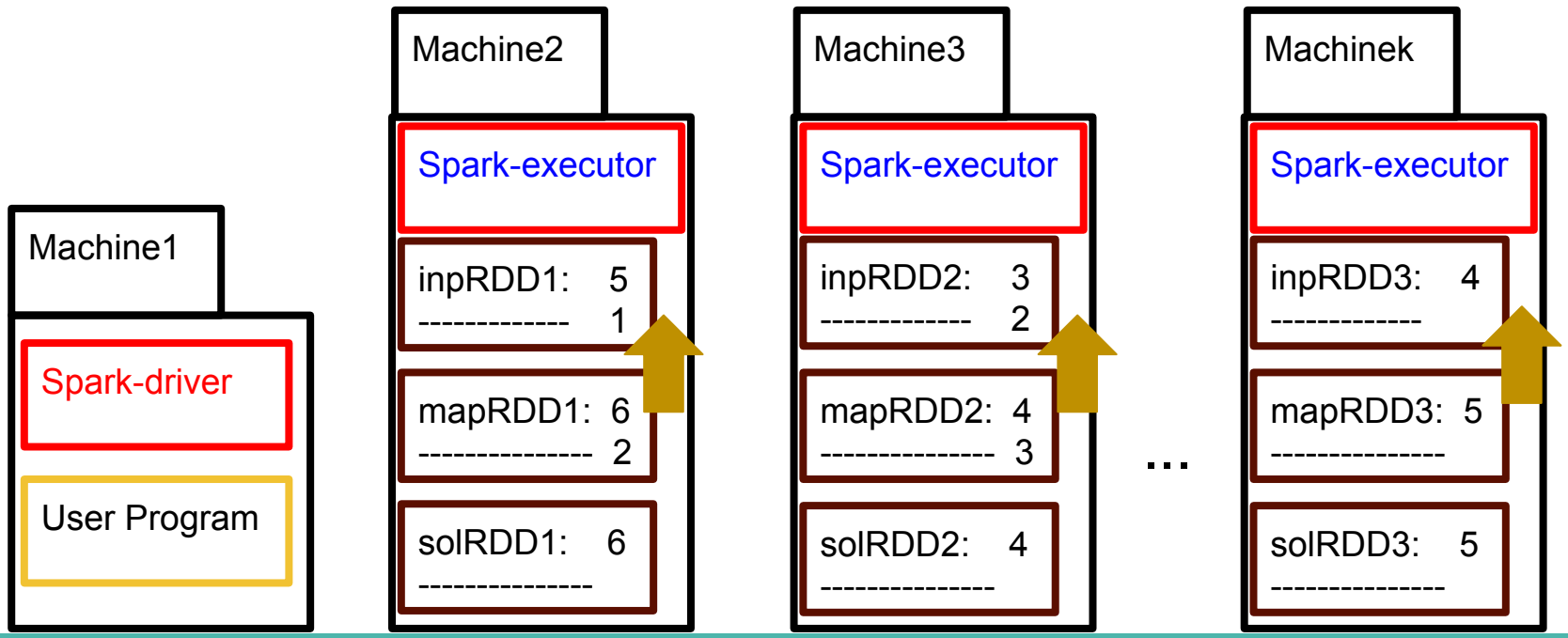

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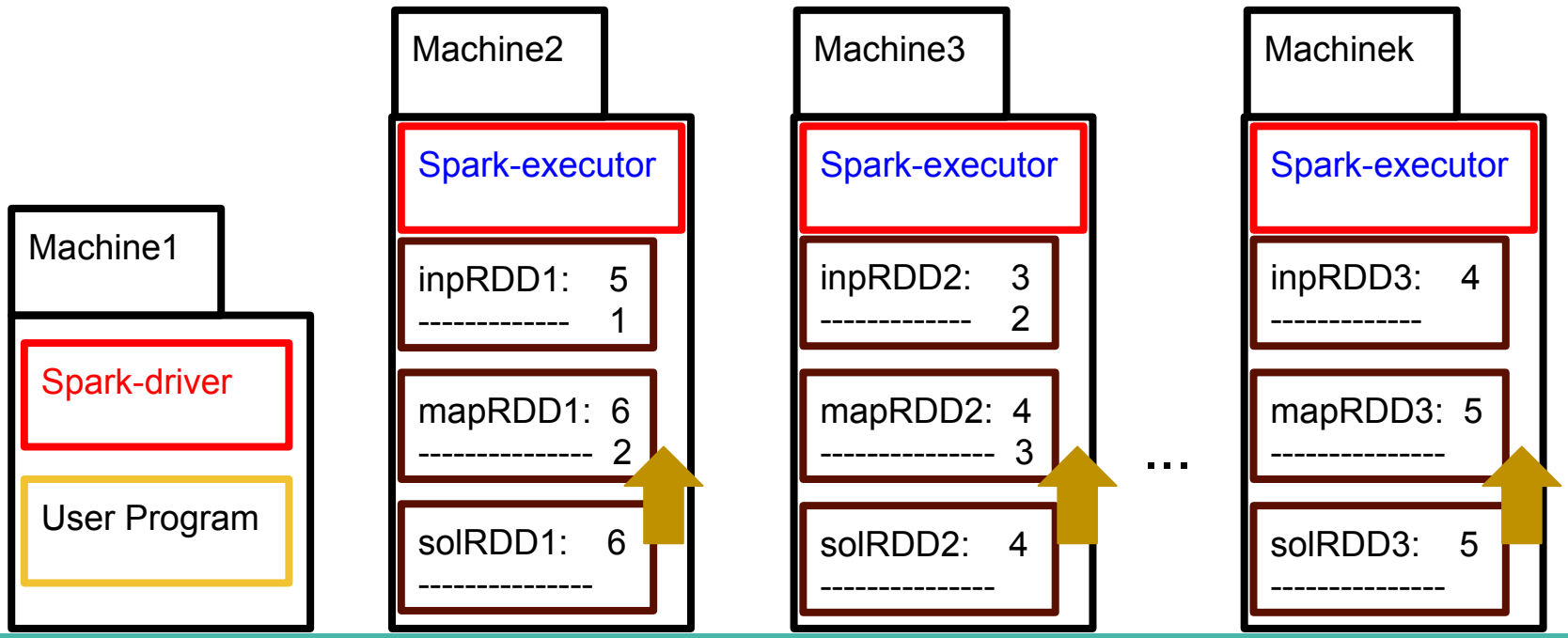

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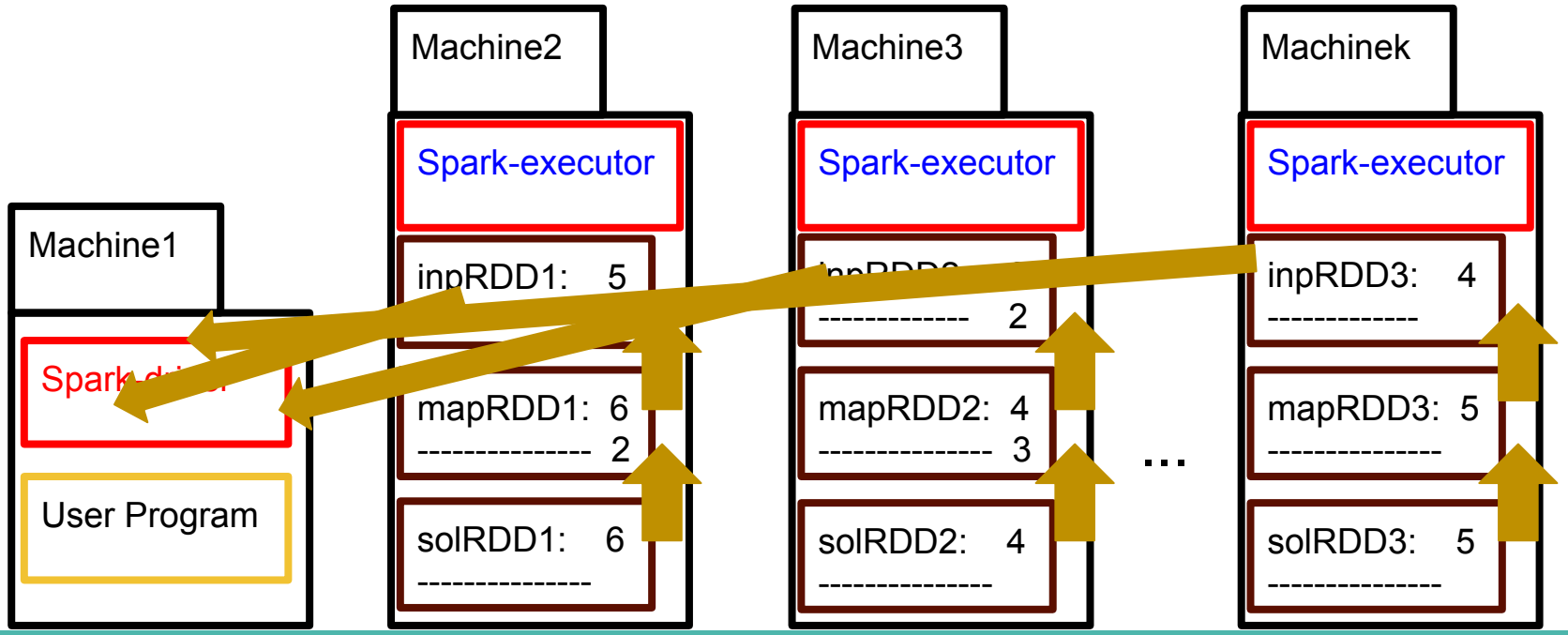

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solRDD = mapRDD.filter( lambda elem : elem > 3 )
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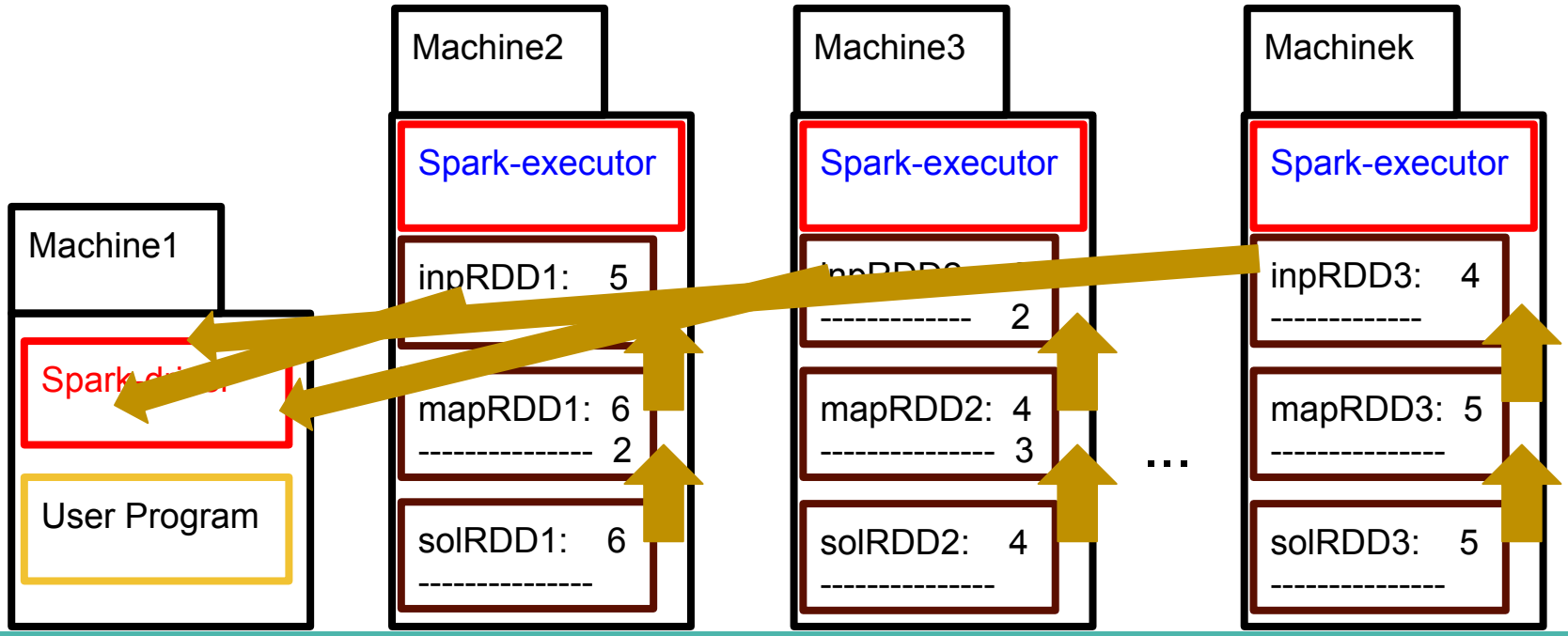

Spark Application: Jobs, Stages and Tasks

- The DAG refers to each of these pipelines of narrow operations as a task. If an RDD is split into **n partitions**, then **n instances of the same task** will be computed in parallel by the Spark executors hosting the n partitions.

```
inputRDD  = sc.parallelize( [ 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 ] )
mapRDD = inputRDD.map( lambda elem : elem + 1 )
solRDD = mapRDD.filter( lambda elem : elem > 3 )
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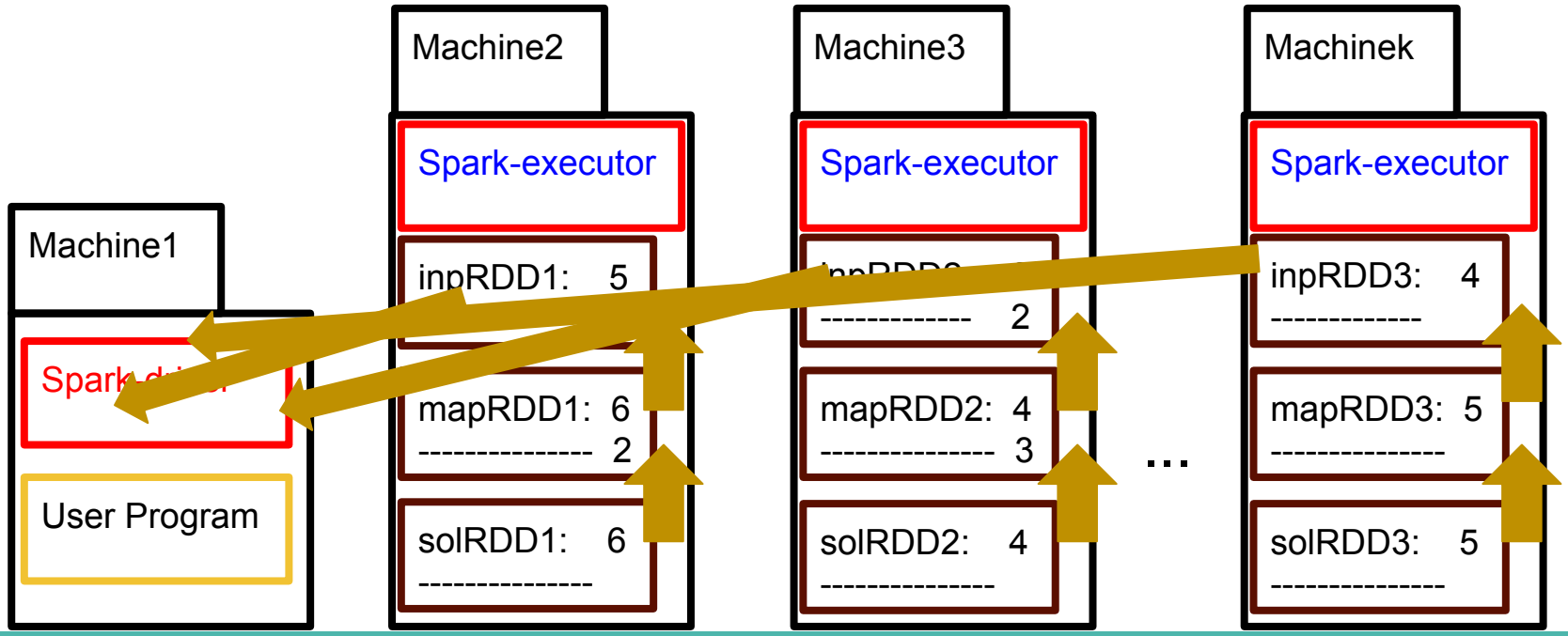
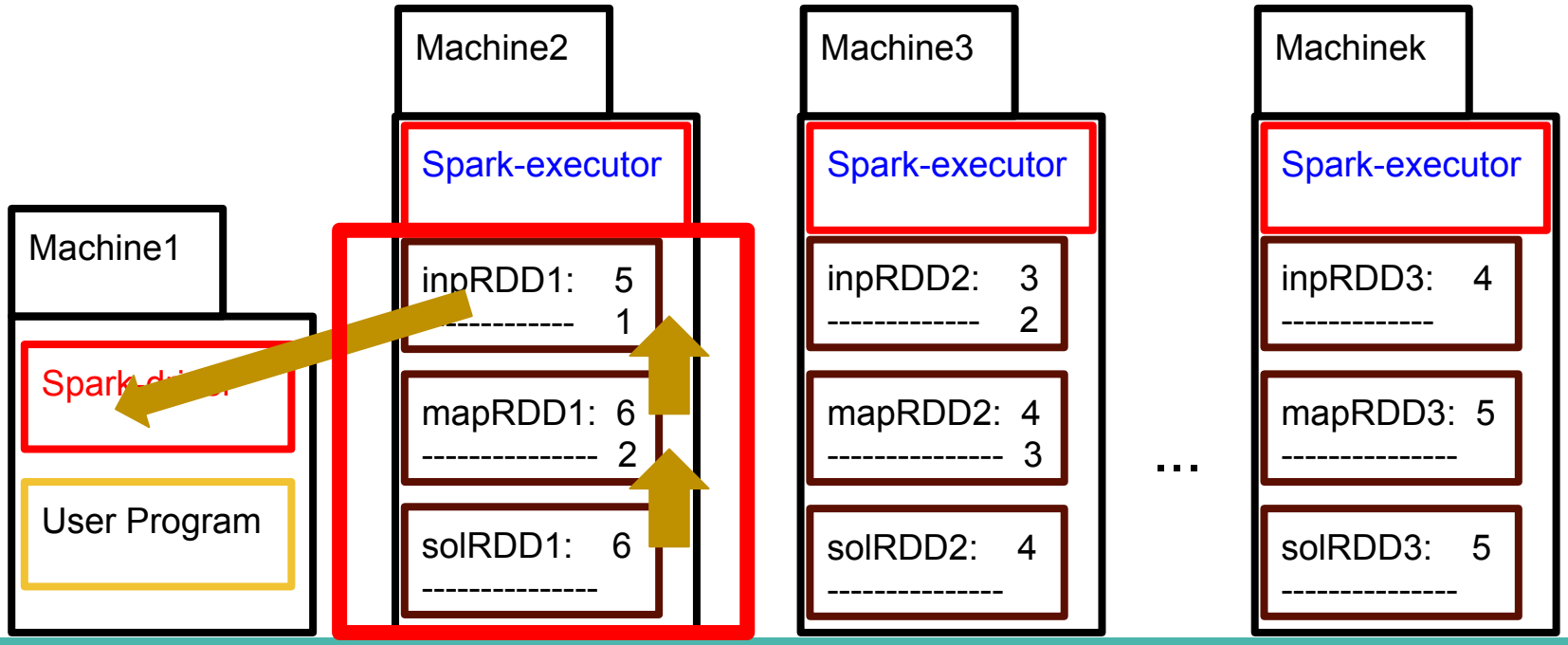


Spark Application: Jobs, Stages and Tasks

- The DAG refers to each of these pipelines of narrow operations as a task. For example, in this case we have 3 partitions.
  This is our Task1.

```
inputRDD  = sc.parallelize( [ 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 ] )
mapRDD = inputRDD.map( lambda elem : elem + 1 )
solRDD = mapRDD.filter( lambda elem : elem > 3 )
```



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- The DAG refers to each of these pipelines of narrow operations as a task. For example, in this case we have 3 partitions.
  This is our Task2.

```
inputRDD  = sc.parallelize( [ 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 ] )
mapRDD = inputRDD.map( lambda elem : elem + 1 )
solRDD = mapRDD.filter( lambda elem : elem > 3 )
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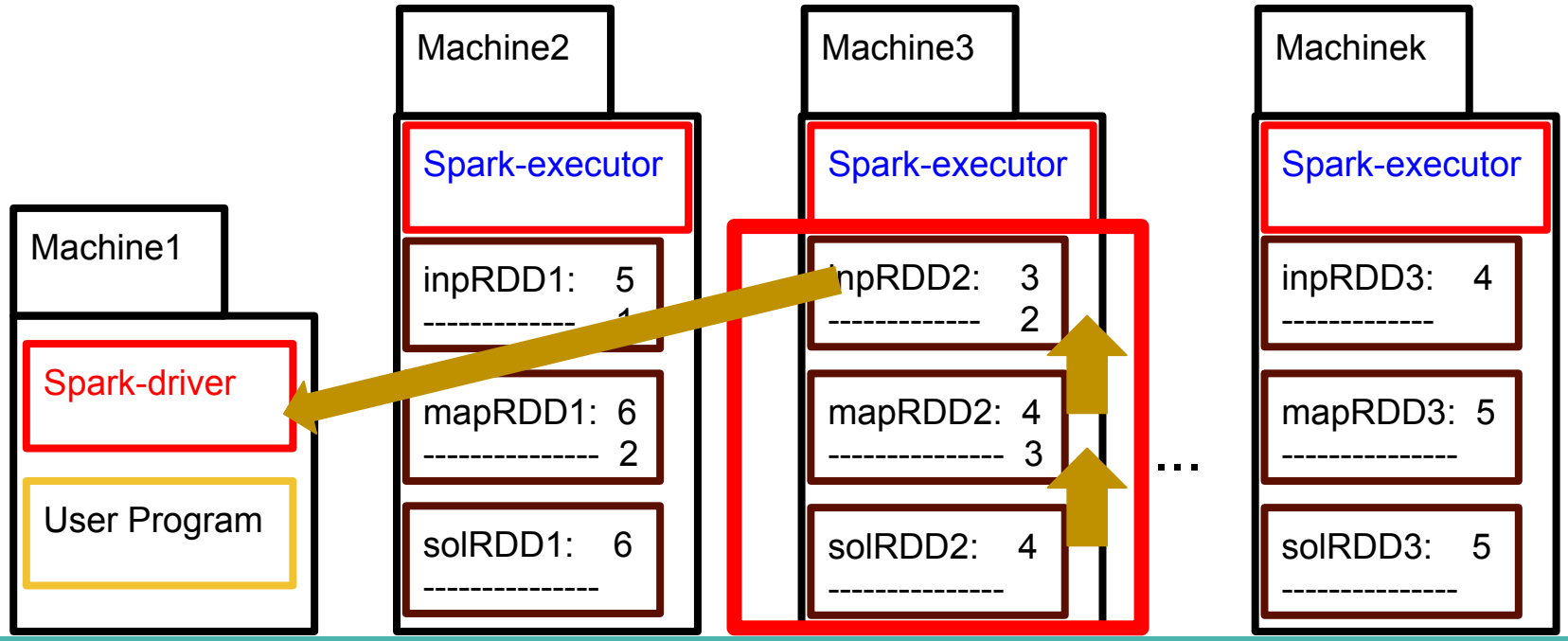

Spark Application: Jobs, Stages and Tasks

- The DAG refers to each of these pipelines of narrow operations as a task. For example, in this case we have 3 partitions.
  This is our Task3.

```
inputRDD  = sc.parallelize( [ 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 ] )
mapRDD = inputRDD.map( lambda elem : elem + 1 )
solRDD = mapRDD.filter( lambda elem : elem > 3 )
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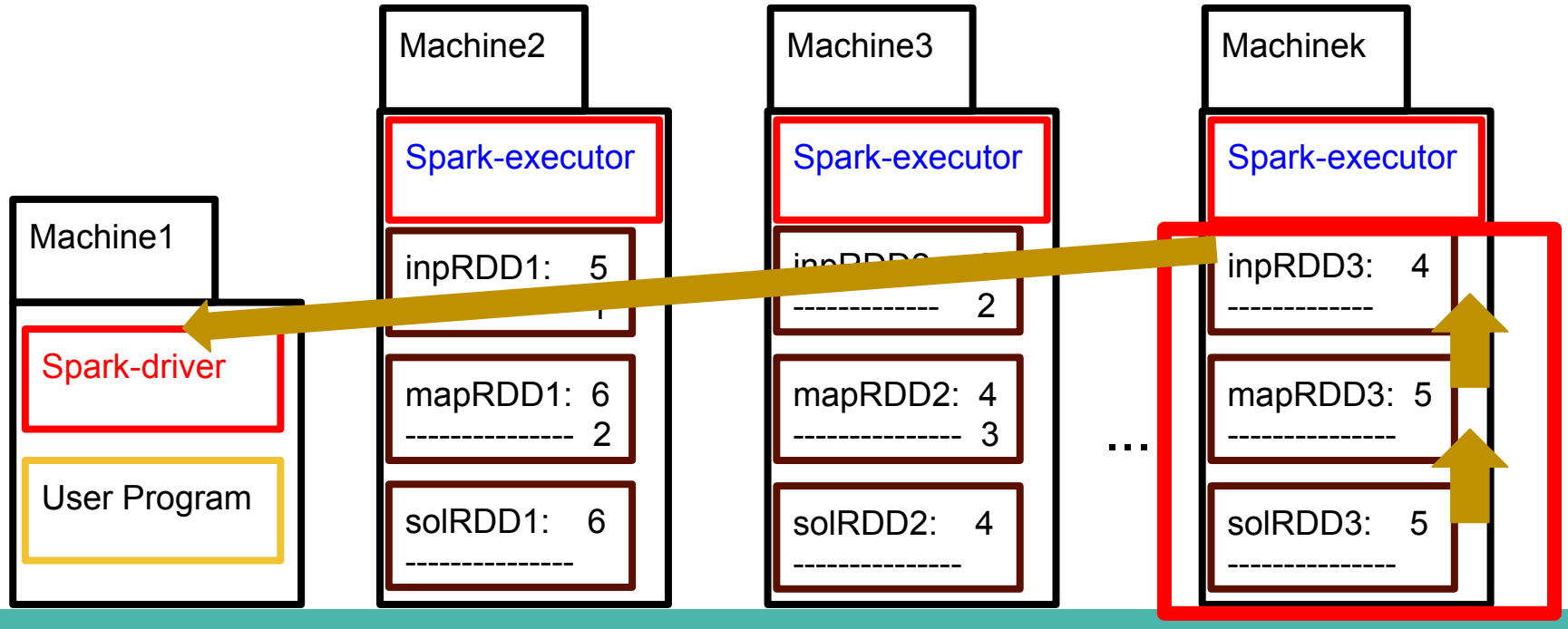

Spark Application: Jobs, Stages and Tasks

- The DAG refers to each of these pipelines of narrow operations as a task.
  For example, in this case we have 3 partitions.
  And again, Task1, Task2 and Task3 can run in parallel.

```
inputRDD  = sc.parallelize( [ 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 ] )
mapRDD = inputRDD.map( lambda elem : elem + 1 )
solRDD = mapRDD.filter( lambda elem : elem > 3 )
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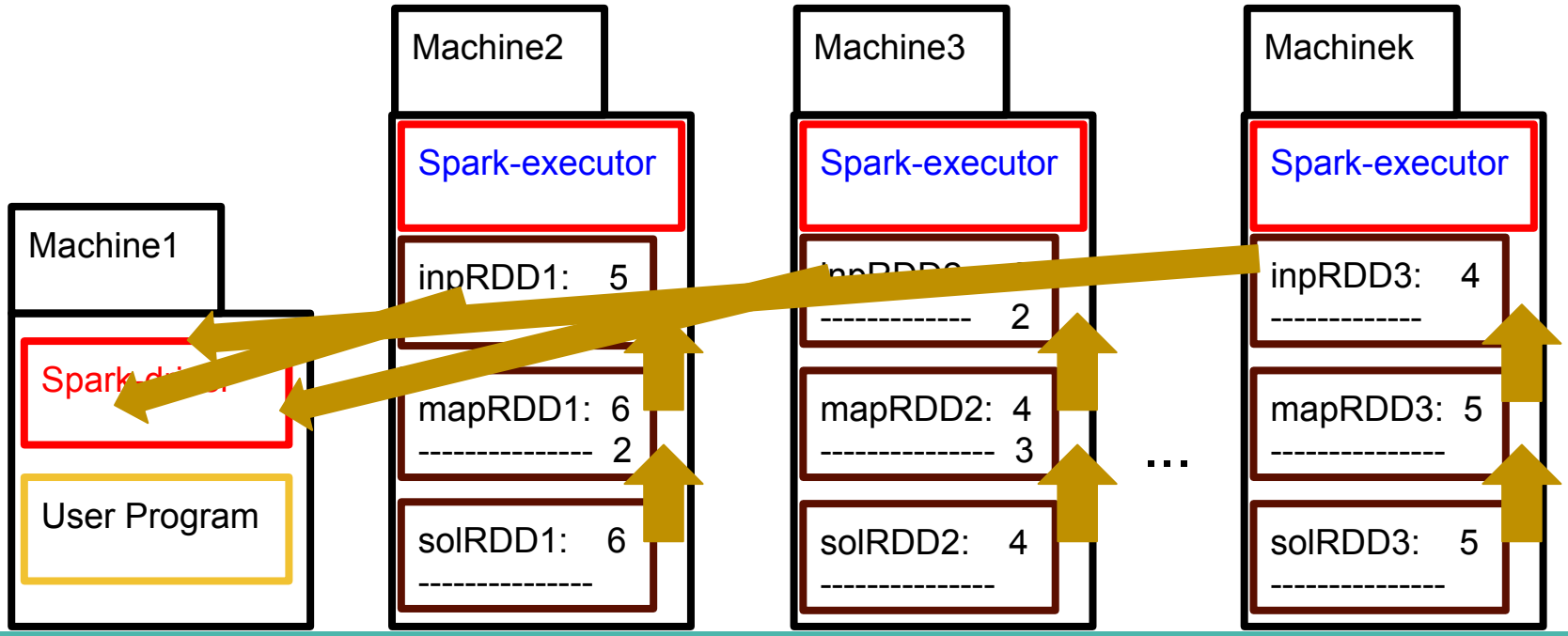


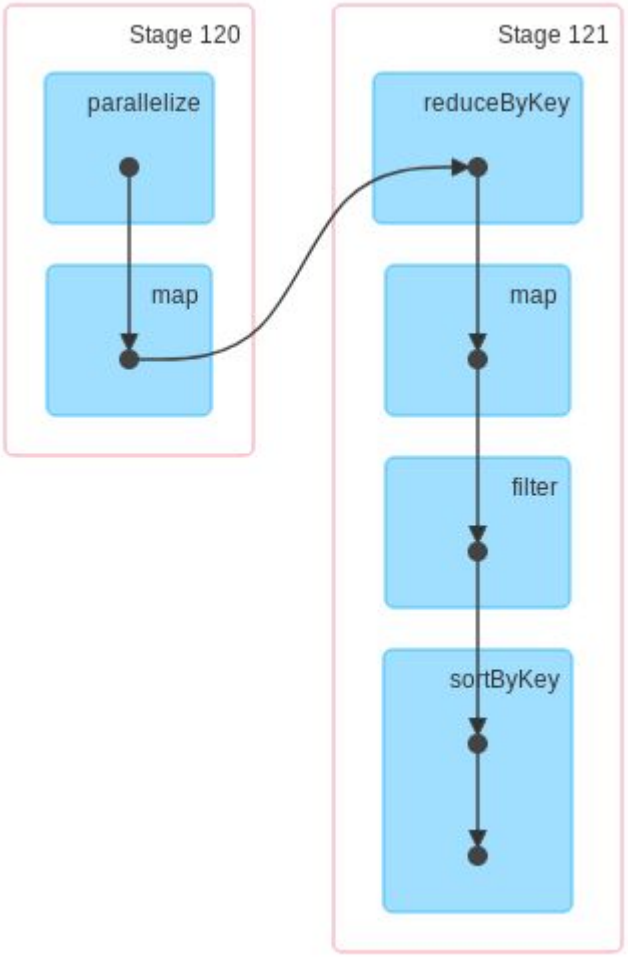
Spark Application: Jobs, Stages and Tasks

- Back to our program examples with Jobs 53 and 54:

```
inputRDD  = sc.parallelize( [ "Hello", "Hola", "Bonjour","Hello",
                              "Bonjour", "Ciao", "Hello" ] )
pairWordsRDD = inputRDD.map( lambda x : (x, 1) )
countRDD = pairWordsRDD.reduceByKey( lambda x, y : x + y )
swapTupleRDD = countRDD.map( lambda x : (x[1], x[0]) )
filteredRDD = swapTupleRDD.filter( lambda x : x[0] > 1 )
solutionRDD = filteredRDD.sortByKey()
resVAL = solutionRDD.collect()
```

Spark Application: Jobs, Stages and Tasks

- This was Job 53.



Spark Application: Jobs, Stages and Tasks

- And it leads to the following tasks:

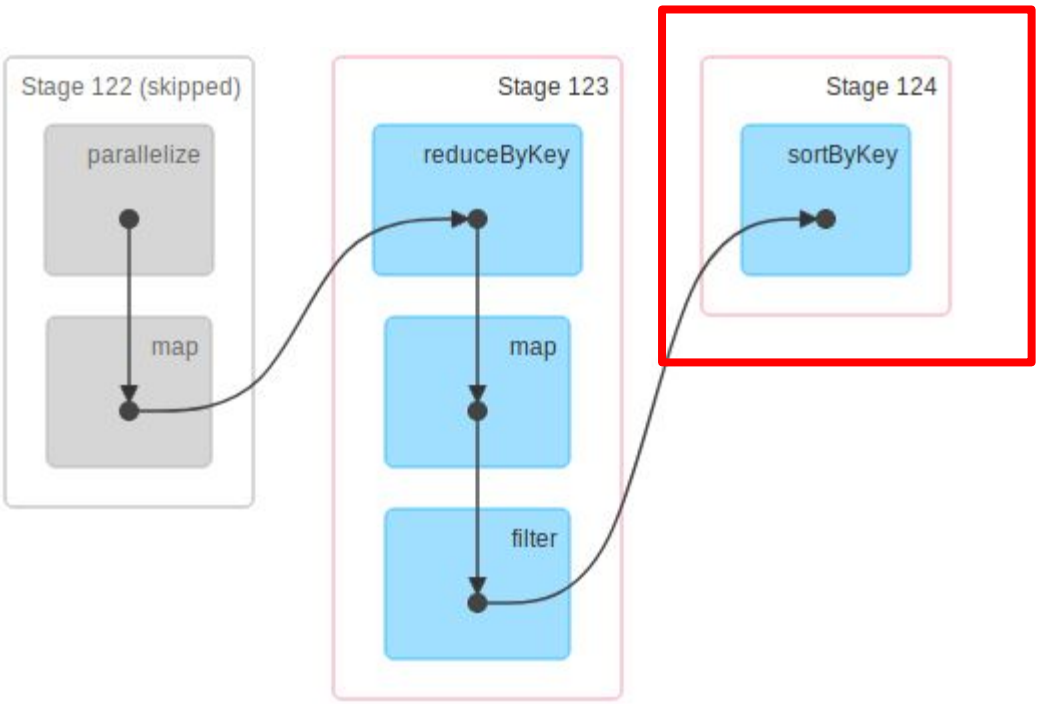
Completed Stages (2)

Stage Id	Pool Name	Description	Submitted	Duration	Tasks: Succeeded/Total	Input	Output	Shuffle Read	Shuffle Write
134	2018260677864501170	//---------- // IMP... sortByKey at command-2963587748767290:87 +details	2019/09/09 15:58:12	82 ms	4/4			416.3 KB	
133	2018260677864501170	//---------- // IMP... map at command-2963587748767290:75 +details	2019/09/09 15:58:11	1 s	4/4				416.3 KB

The different numbers in the Stage id are because I re-run the examples

Spark Application: Jobs, Stages and Tasks

- This was Job 54.



Spark Application: Jobs, Stages and Tasks

- And it leads to the following tasks:

▾Completed Stages (2)

Stage Id ▾	Pool Name	Description	Submitted	Duration	Tasks: Succeeded/Total	Input	Output	Shuffle Read	Shuffle Write
137	2018260677864501170	//---------- // IMP... collect at command-2963587748767290:90 +details	2019/09/09 15:58:12	20 ms	4/4			463.0 B	
136	2018260677864501170	//---------- // IMP... filter at command-2963587748767290:84 +details	2019/09/09 15:58:12	99 ms	4/4			416.3 KB	463.0 B

▾Skipped Stages (1)

Stage Id ▾	Pool Name	Description	Submitted	Duration	Tasks: Succeeded/Total	Input	Output	Shuffle Read	Shuffle Write
135	default	map at command-2963587748767290:75 +details	Unknown	Unknown	0/4				

The different numbers in the Stage id are because I re-run the examples

Spark Application: Jobs, Stages and Tasks

- Back to our program examples with Jobs 55, 56 and 57:

```
inputRDD  = sc.parallelize( [ "Hello", "Hola", "Bonjour","Hello",
                              "Bonjour", "Ciao", "Hello" ] )
pairWordsRDD = inputRDD.map( lambda x : (x, 1) )
countRDD = pairWordsRDD.reduceByKey( lambda x, y : x + y )
swapTupleRDD = countRDD.map( lambda x : (x[1], x[0]) )
filteredRDD = swapTupleRDD.filter( lambda x : x[0] > 1 )
solutionRDD = filteredRDD.sortByKey()
solutionRDD.persist()
resVAL1 = solutionRDD.collect()
resVAL2 = solutionRDD.count()
```

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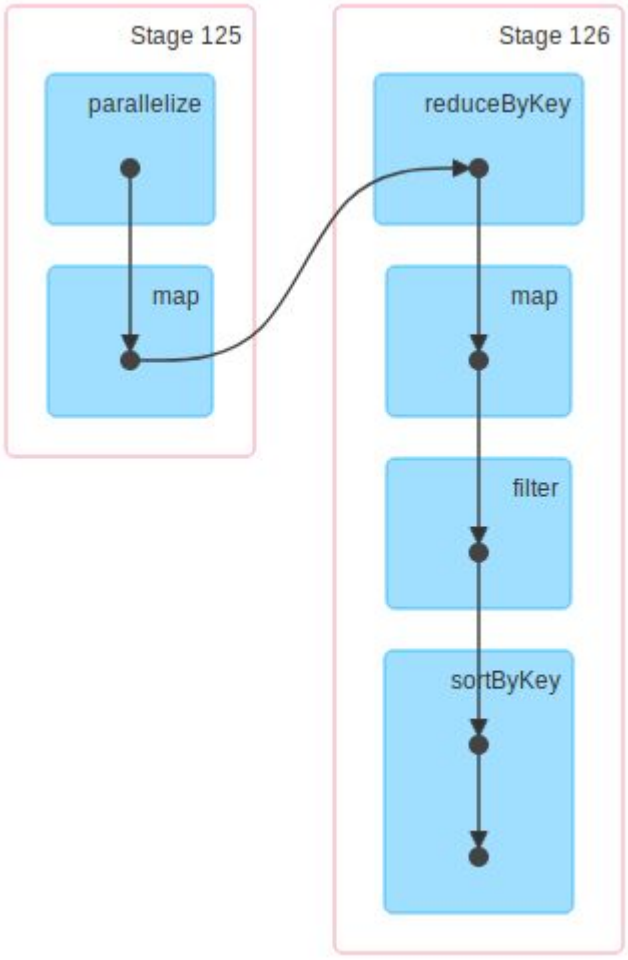
- This was Job 55.



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- And it leads to the following tasks:

▾Completed Stages (2)

Stage Id ▾	Pool Name	Description	Submitted	Duration	Tasks: Succeeded/Total	Input	Output	Shuffle Read	Shuffle Write
139	6809338240539896291	//---------- // IMP... sortByKey at command-2963587748767288:87 +details	2019/09/09 16:03:12	79 ms	4/4			416.3 KB	
138	6809338240539896291	//---------- // IMP... map at command-2963587748767288:75 +details	2019/09/09 16:03:11	1 s	4/4				416.3 KB

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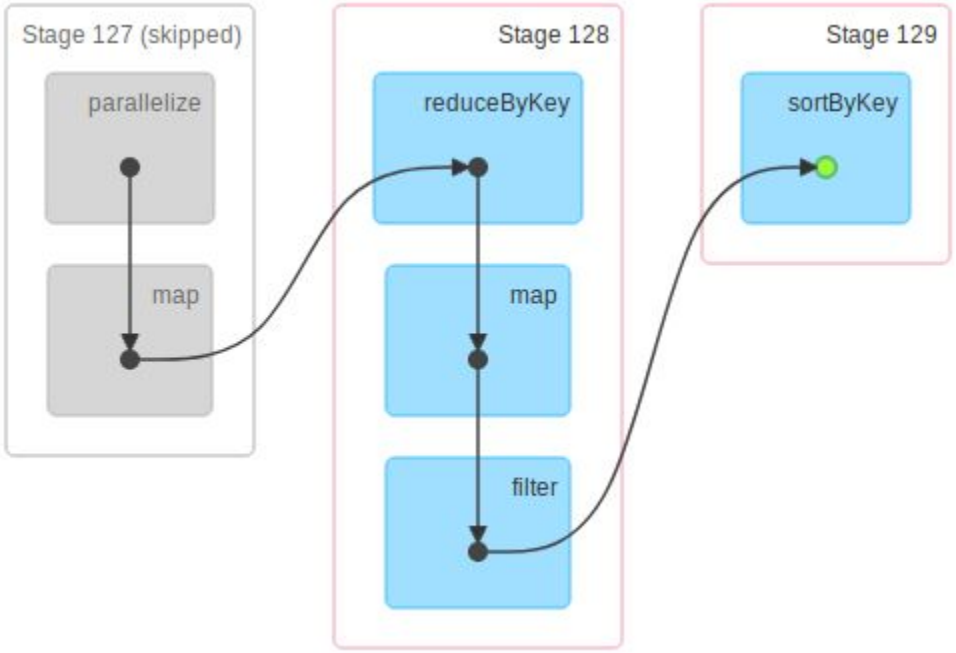
- This was Job 56.



Spark Application: Jobs, Stages and Tasks

- And it leads to the following tasks:

▾Completed Stages (2)

Stage Id ▾	Pool Name	Description	Submitted	Duration	Tasks: Succeeded/Total	Input	Output	Shuffle Read	Shuffle Write
142	6809338240539896291	//---------- // IMP... collect at command-2963587748767288:93 +details	2019/09/09 16:03:12	10 ms	4/4			463.0 B	
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▾Skipped Stages (1)

Stage Id ▾	Pool Name	Description	Submitted	Duration	Tasks: Succeeded/Total	Input	Output	Shuffle Read	Shuffle Write
140	default	map at command-2963587748767288:75 +details	Unknown	Unknown	0/4				

The different numbers in the Stage id are because I re-run the examples

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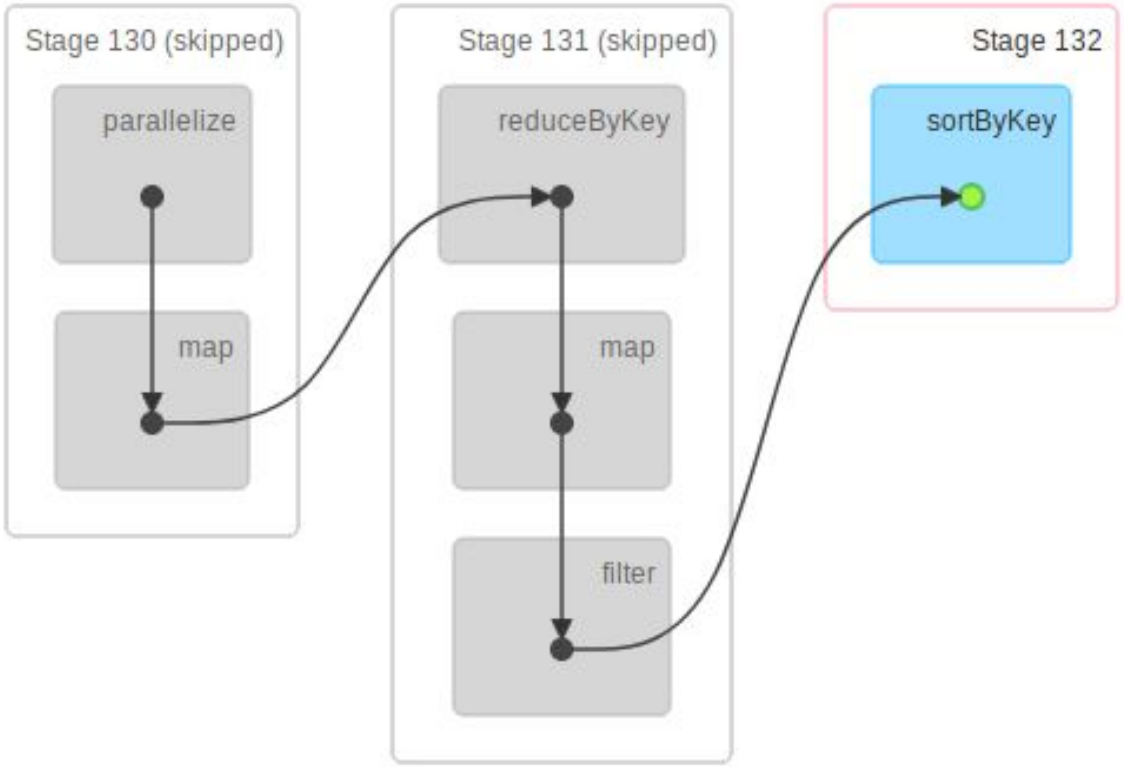
- This was Job 57.



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- And it leads to the following tasks:

▾Completed Stages (1)

Stage Id ▾	Pool Name	Description	Submitted	Duration	Tasks: Succeeded/Total	Input	Output	Shuffle Read	Shuffl Write
145	6809338240539896291	//---------- // IMP... count at command-2963587748767288:99 +details	2019/09/09 16:03:12	6 ms	4/4	992.0 B			

▾Skipped Stages (2)

Stage Id ▾	Pool Name	Description	Submitted	Duration	Tasks: Succeeded/Total	Input	Output	Shuffle Read	Shuffle Write
144	default	filter at command-2963587748767288:84 +details	Unknown	Unknown	0/4				
143	default	map at command-2963587748767288:75 +details	Unknown	Unknown	0/4				

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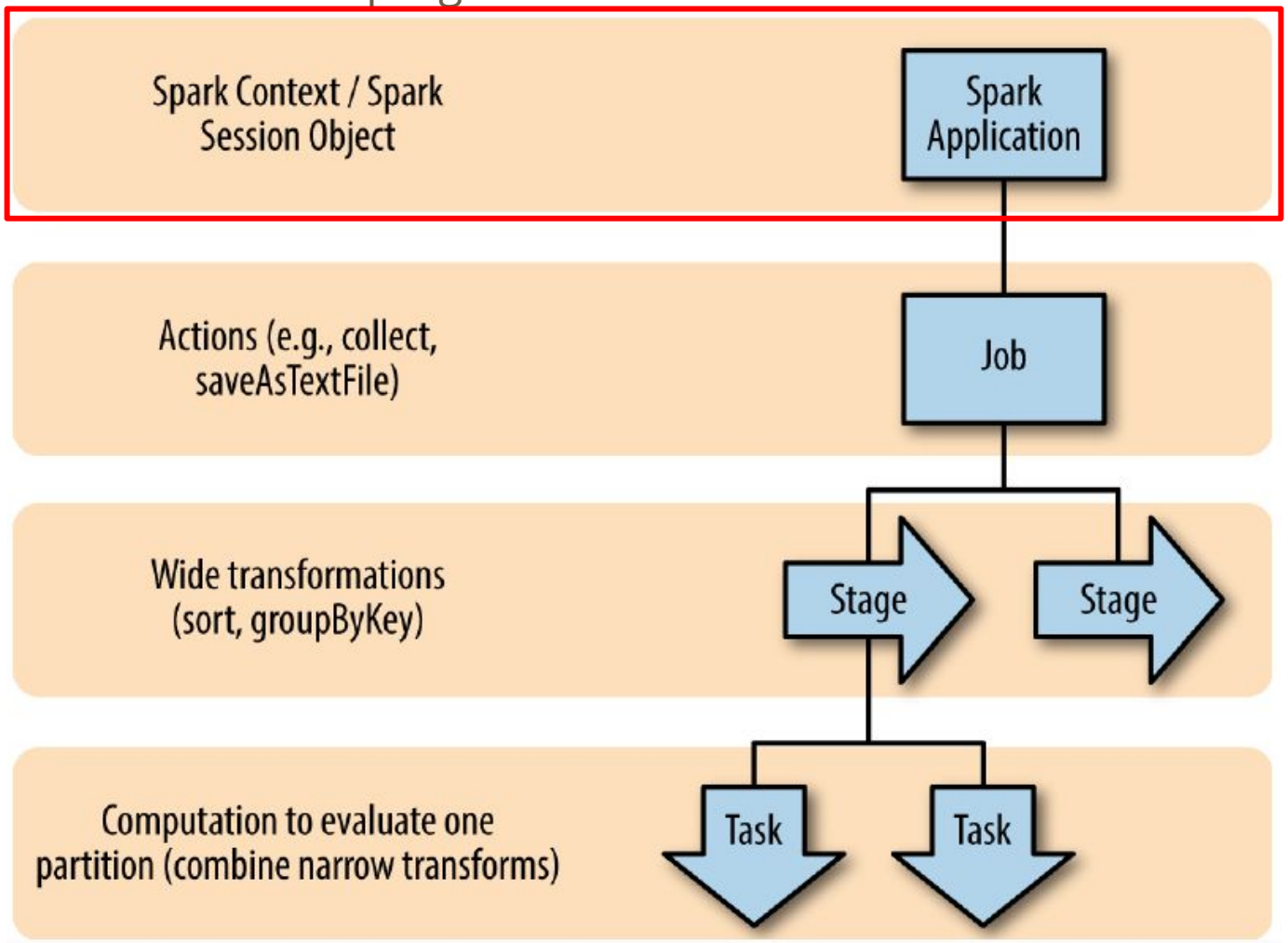
Spark Application: Jobs, Stages and Tasks

So, all in all...

Spark Application: Jobs, Stages and Tasks

- We define a Spark application as a set of Jobs triggered by the **action** operations of the user program.



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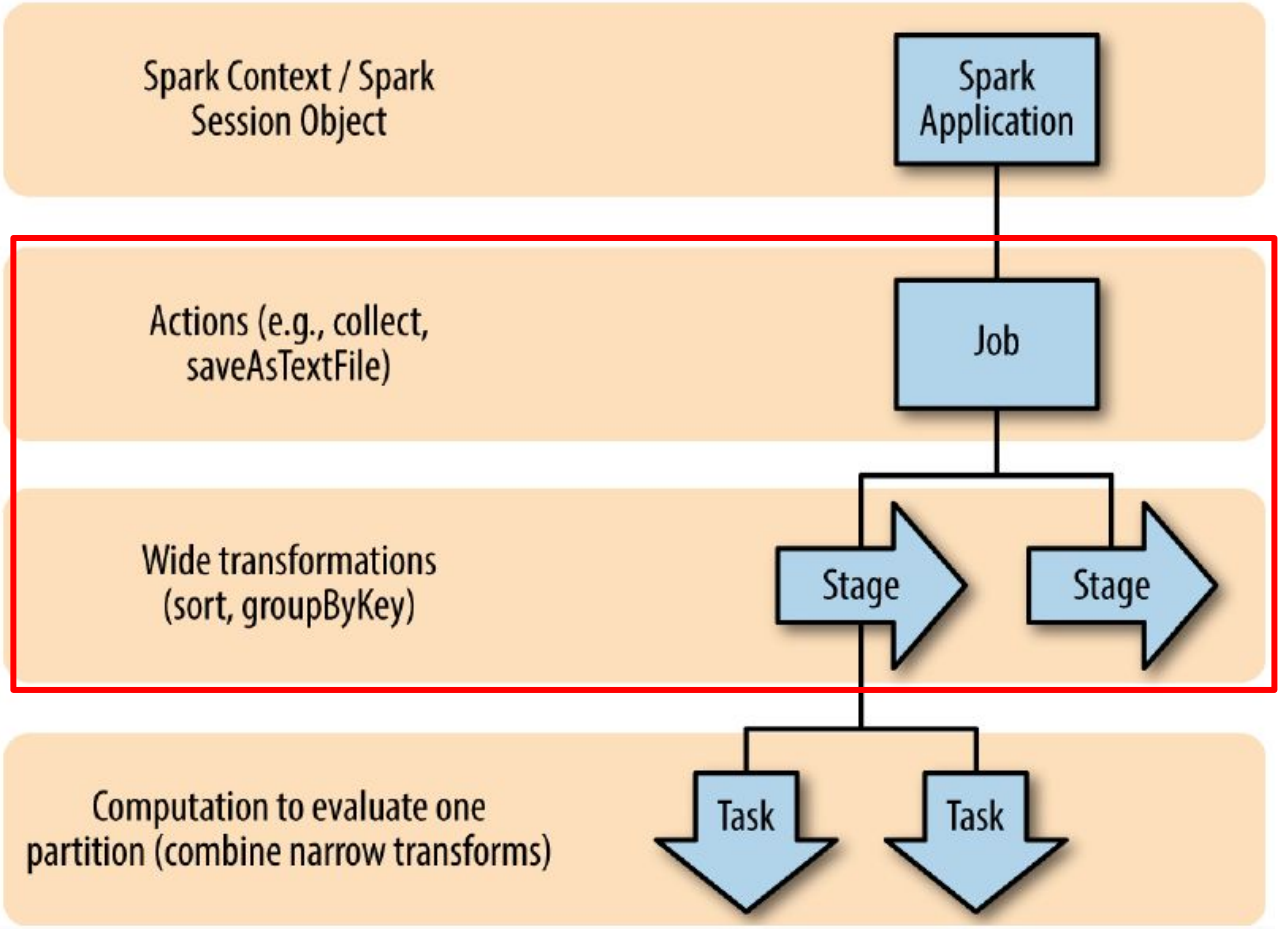
- We define a single Job as the sequential execution of stages.
  Each new stage is caused by a wide operation.
  As data is shuffled among stages they must be executed sequentially.



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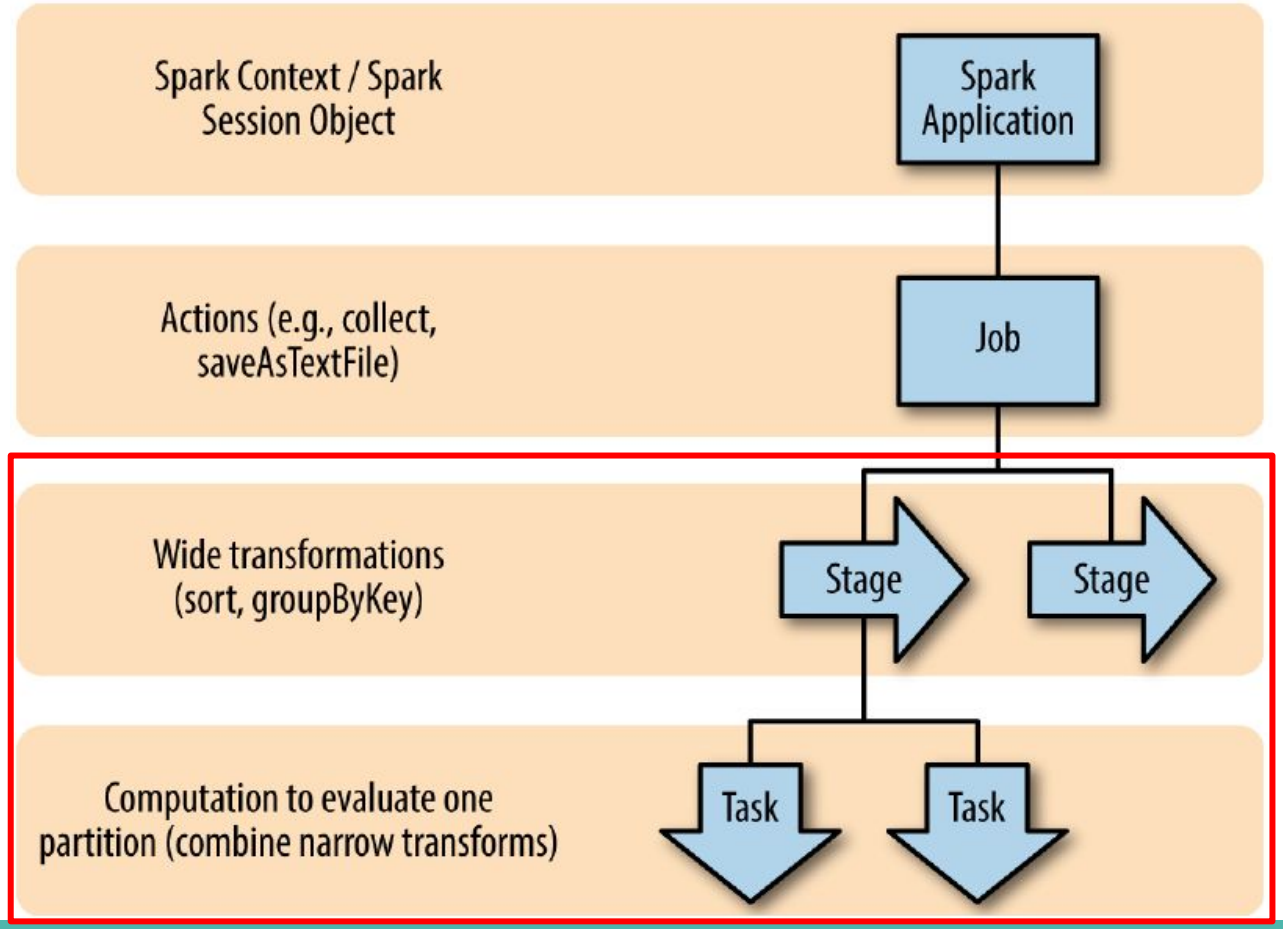
- We define a Stage as the parallel execution of Tasks.
  Each task is a pipeline of narrow operations performed in one go by a single **executor process** on a single partition.



Outline

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Thank you for your attention!