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Knapsack problem

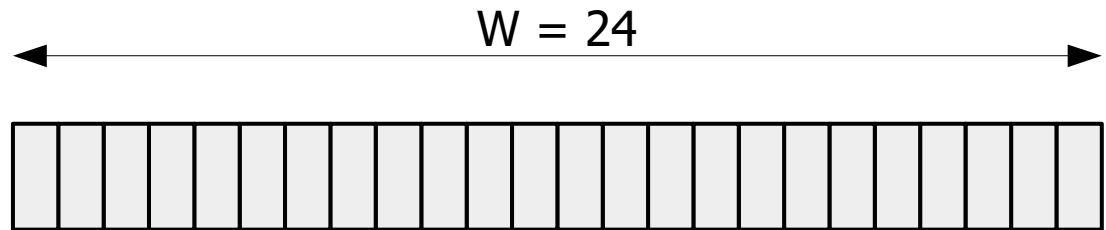
prerequisites:

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Problem statement

Let's start this time from problem definition.

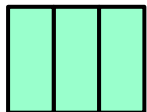
We have a knapsack of capacity **W**:



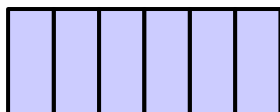
And we have several items, each having its weight **w[i]**, and bonus **b[i]**:



$$\mathbf{w}_1 = 5, \mathbf{b}_1 = 11$$



$$\mathbf{w}_2 = 3, \mathbf{b}_2 = 4$$



$$\mathbf{w}_3 = 6, \mathbf{b}_3 = 12$$

Problem statement

Our task is to place some items in the knapsack in such a way that:

$$\sum w_i \leq W$$

$$\sum b_i = B \rightarrow \max$$

These two constraints have quite natural meaning:

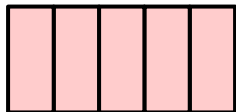
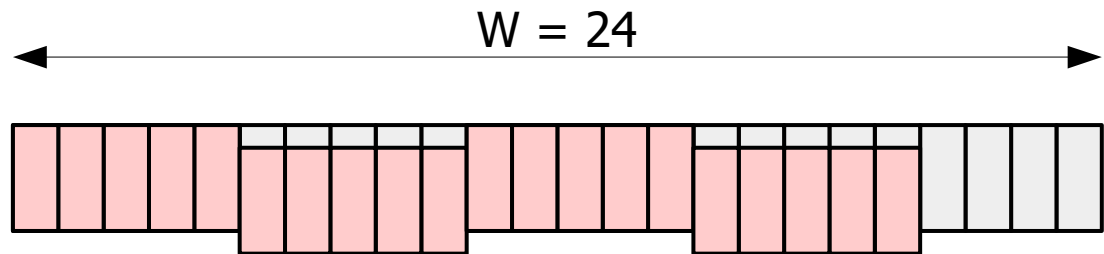
- First means that all the picked items should fit in the knapsack,
- Second means that we want to take with ourselves as larger bonus as possible.

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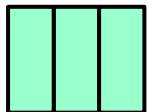
Let's try to figure out solution for the presented example.

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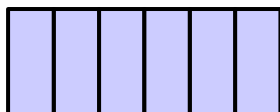
$$B = 4 * b_1 = 44$$



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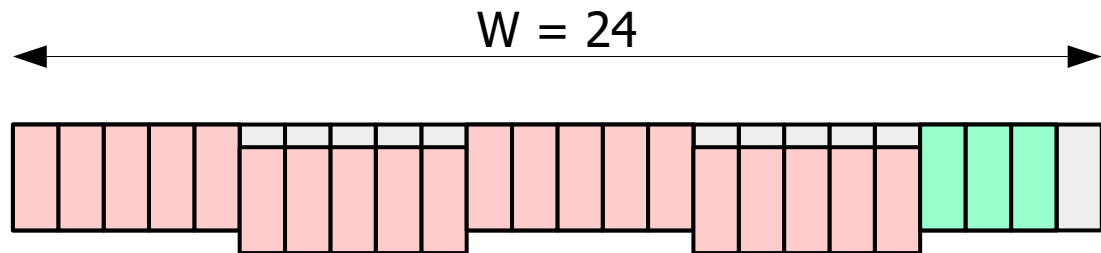


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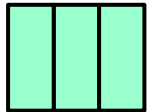
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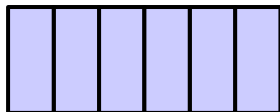
$$\begin{aligned} B &= 4 * b_1 + b_2 = \\ &= 44 + 4 = \\ &= 48 \end{aligned}$$



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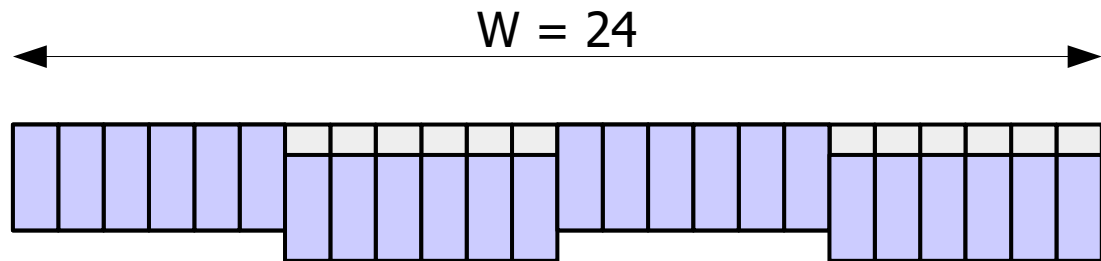


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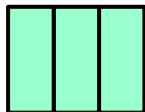
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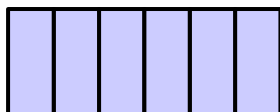
$$B = 4 * b_3 = 48$$



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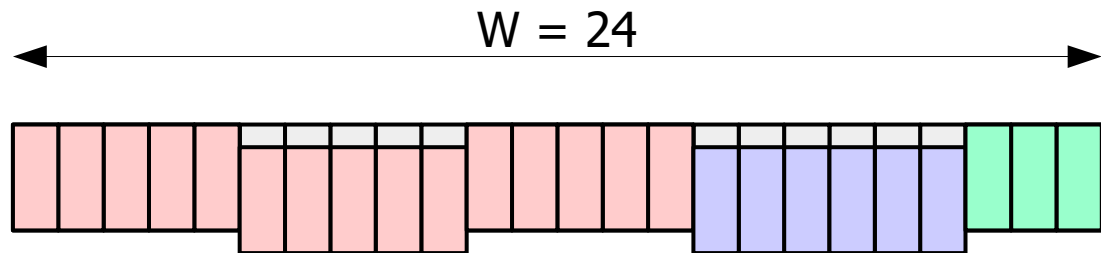


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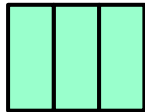
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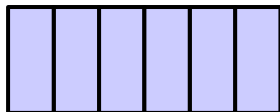
$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{B} &= \\ &= 3 * \mathbf{b}_1 + \mathbf{b}_3 + \mathbf{b}_2 \\ &= 33 + 12 + 4 \\ &= 49 \end{aligned}$$



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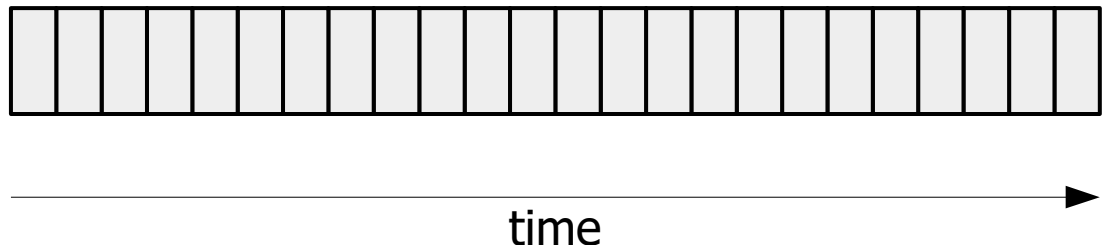
... optimal.

Usage

There are many practical applications of the knapsack problem:

Usage 1 – time scheduling:

- We have some time allocated, and tasks which can be done during it,
- Each task has its duration, and benefit that we will receive, if completed.
- We need to do those tasks, which will give us maximal benefit.



Usage

Usage 2 – packaging:

- When we have a carrier with certain capacity, and objects which should be placed there,
- Each object has its size and its price,
- We want to pick those objects, which will maximize the price.

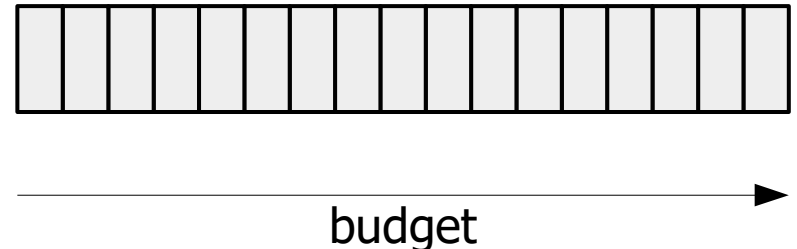


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Usage

Usage 3 – budget planning:

- When we have an allocated budget, and possible spendings,
- Each spending has its price, and probability to succeed,
- We want to spend our budget on such spendings, which together will maximize our success probability.

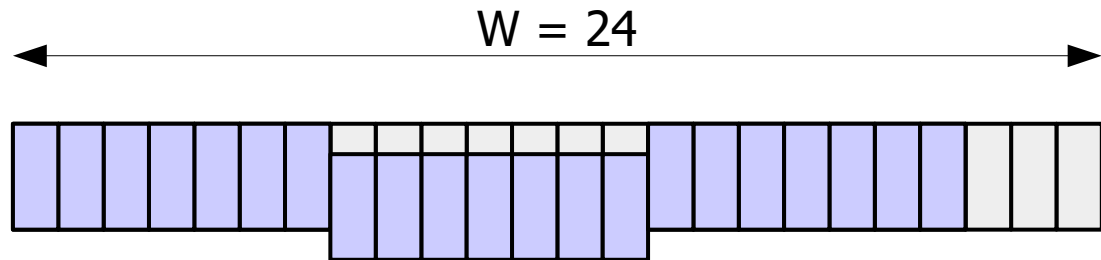


The difficulty of KP

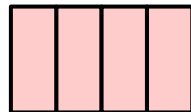
Why it is not easy to find the solution?

Approach 1) - placing the item with maximal bonus first.

$$B = 3 \cdot 10 = 30$$



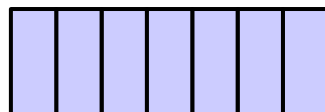
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$$(w_2, b_2) = (5, 9)$$



$$(w_3, b_3) = (7, 10)$$

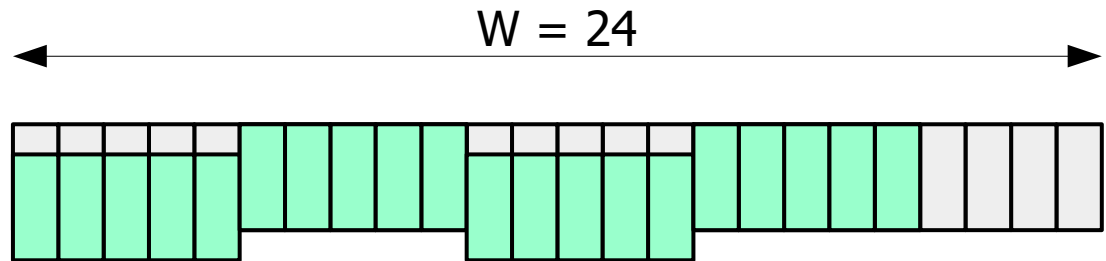


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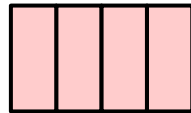
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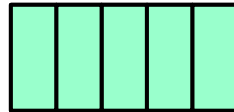
$$\mathbf{B} = 4 \times 9 = 36$$



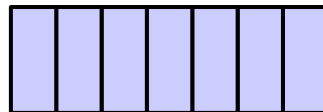
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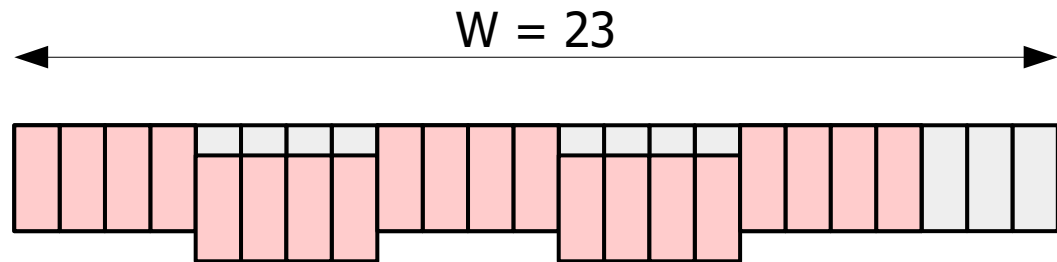
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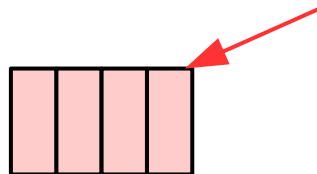
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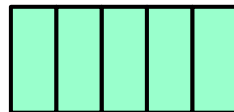
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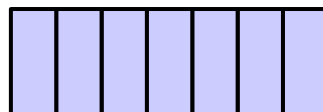
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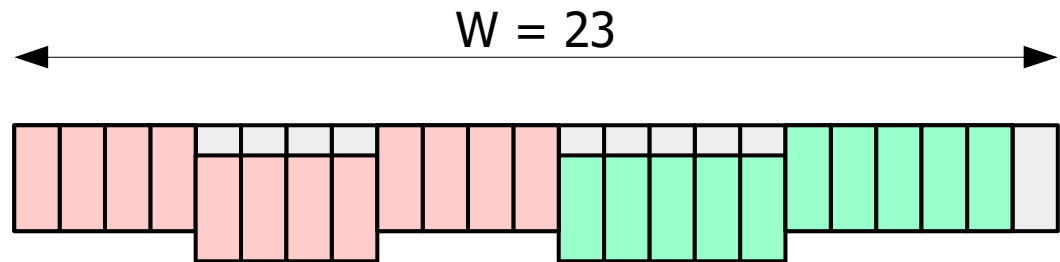


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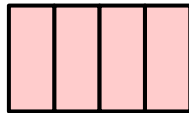
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... taking some of $(\mathbf{w}_2, \mathbf{b}_2)$ instead will be better:

$$\begin{aligned} B &= 3*6 + 2*9 = \\ &= 18 + 18 = 36 \end{aligned}$$



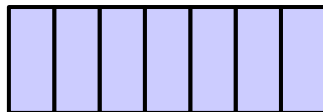
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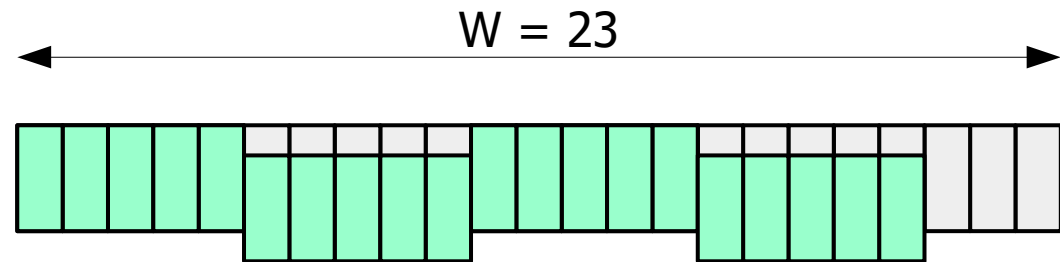
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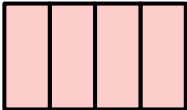
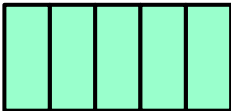
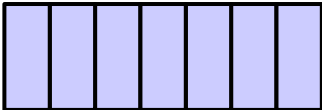


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Approach 3) - placing the item with maximal bonus/weight first.

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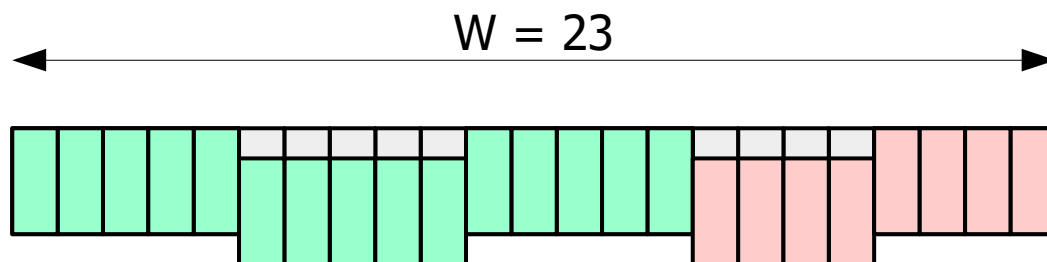
(4, 6)		$6/4 = 1.5$
(5, 9)		$9/5 = 1.8$
(7, 10)		$10/7 \sim 1.43$

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it will be better to not fill
 (w_2, b_2) till the end.

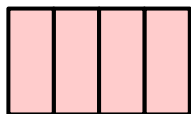
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... rewinding one $(\mathbf{w}_2, \mathbf{b}_2)$ will be better:

$$\begin{aligned} B &= 3*9 + 2*6 = \\ &= 27 + 12 = 39 \end{aligned}$$

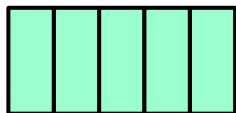


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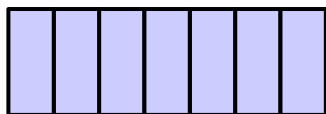
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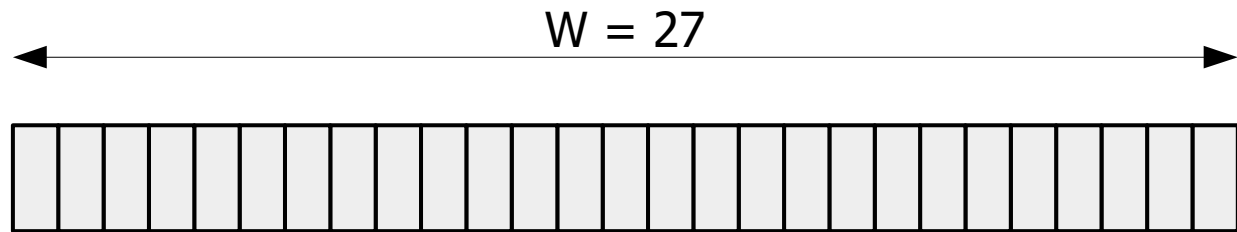
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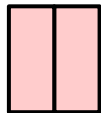
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Exercise

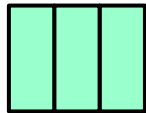
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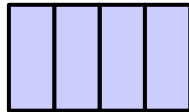
$$(w_1, b_1) = (2, 1)$$



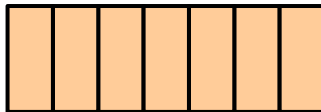
$$(w_2, b_2) = (3, 4)$$



$$(w_3, b_3) = (4, 7)$$



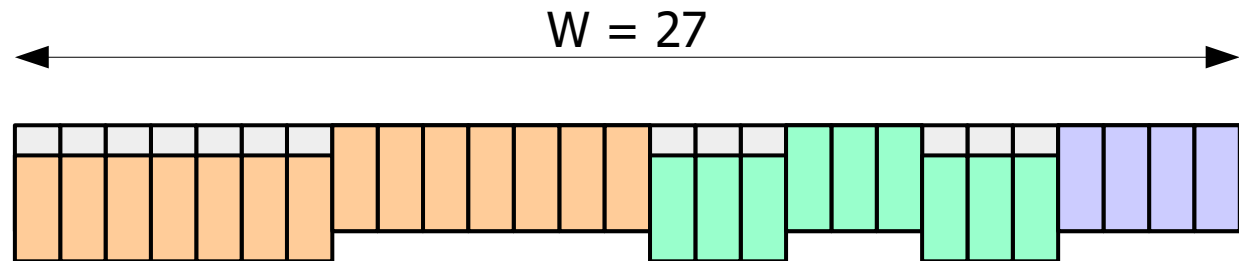
$$(w_4, b_4) = (7, 14)$$



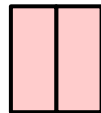
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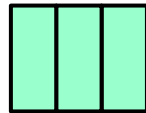
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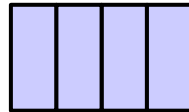
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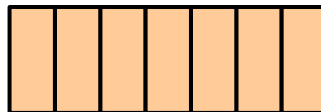
$$(w_2, b_2) = (3, 4)$$



$$(w_3, b_3) = (4, 6)$$



$$(w_4, b_4) = (7, 14)$$



$$\begin{aligned} B &= 2*14 + 3*4 + 6 = \\ &= 28 + 12 + 6 = \\ &= 46 \end{aligned}$$

Variants of KP

We have already formalized the Knapsack problem:

$$\sum x_i w_i \leq W$$

$$\sum x_i b_i = B \rightarrow \max$$

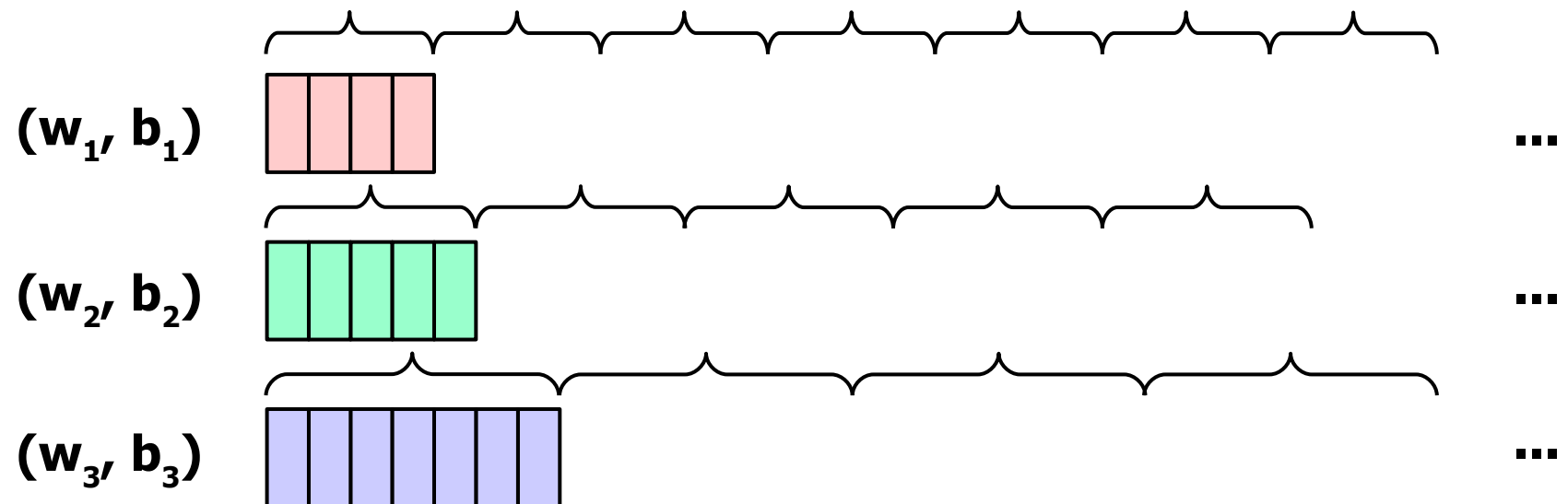
In statement that we have seen so far x_i are non-negative integers.

This variant of is called Unbounded Knapsack Problem (UKP).

$$\forall i, x_i \in \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots\}$$

Variants of KP

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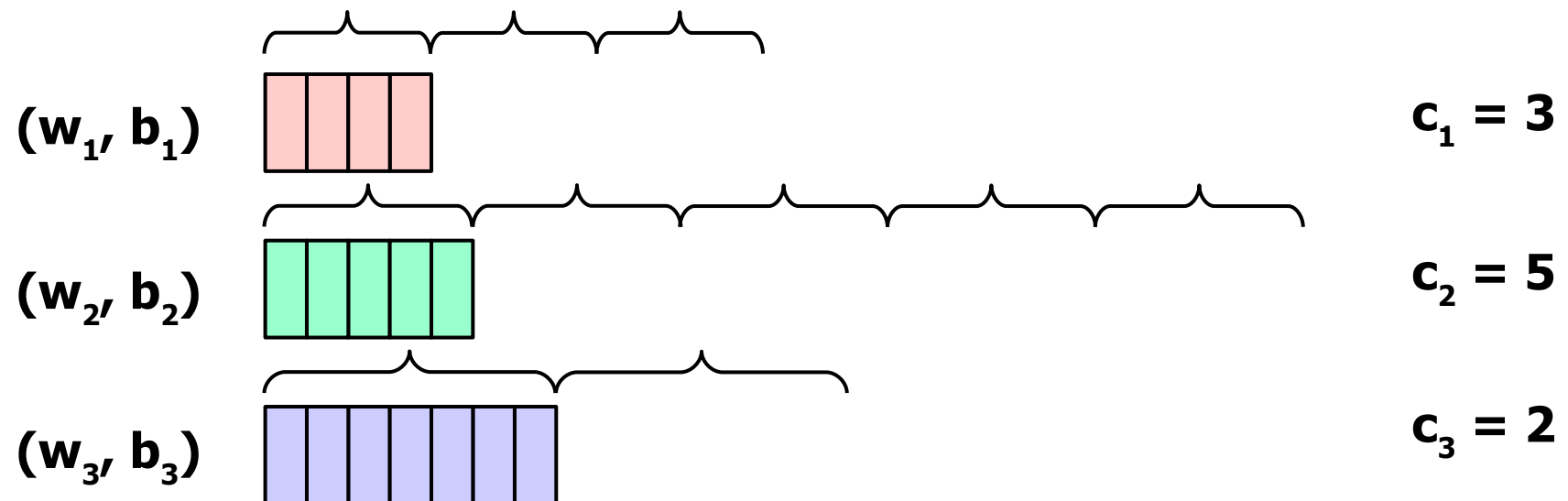


Variants of KP

Another variant is called Bounded Knapsack Problem (BKP), where:

$$\forall i, x_i \in \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots, c_i\}$$

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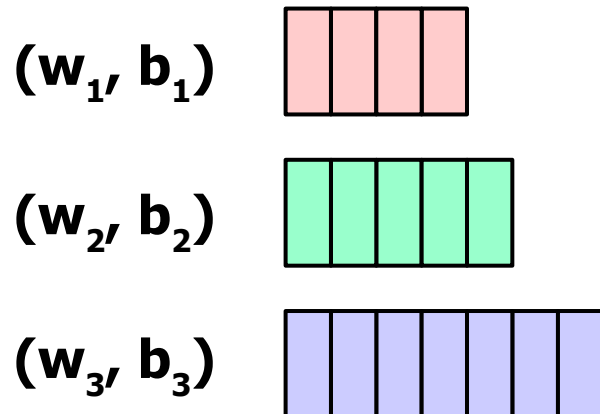


Variants of KP

The other variant is called 0-1 Knapsack Problem (0-1 KP), where:

$$\forall i, x_i \in \{0, 1\}$$

... so we just either take or not take that item.



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Answer. No one.

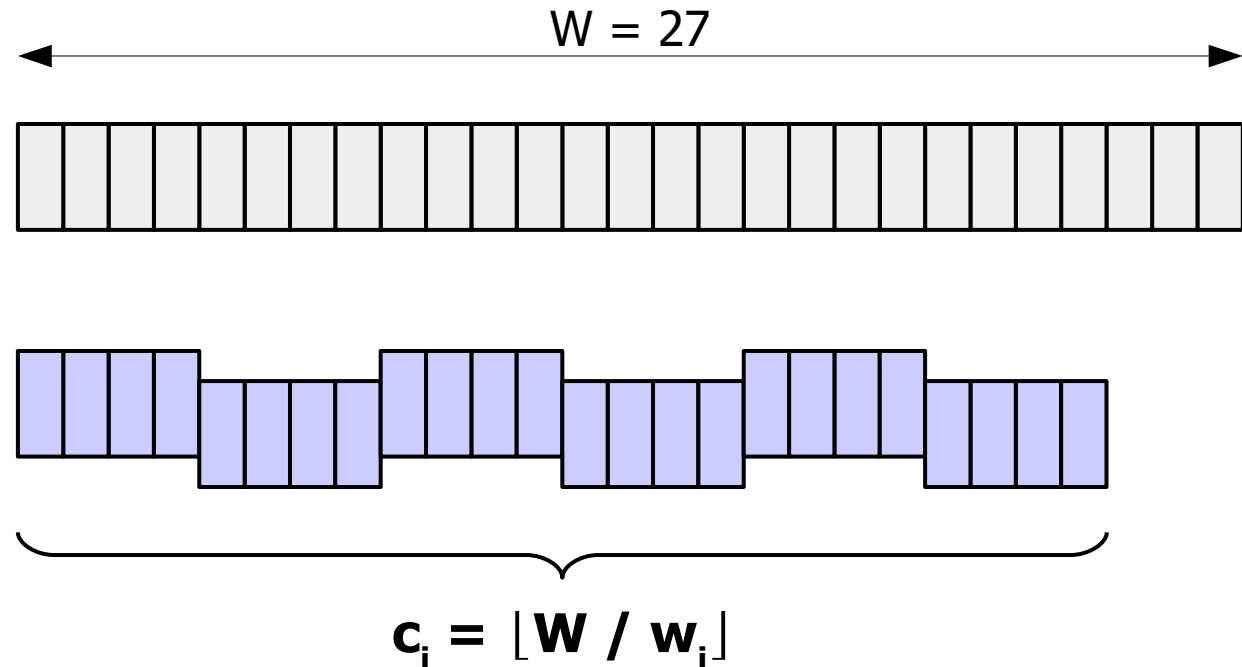
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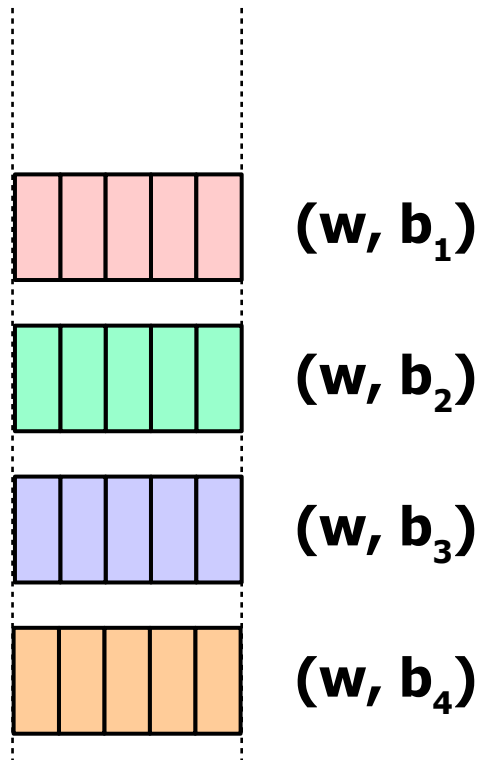
Answer. UKP can be brought to BKP, as any item 'i' can be used at most $\lfloor \mathbf{W} / \mathbf{w}_i \rfloor$ times.



Trivial cases

Before moving to the general solution, let's consider several trivial cases.

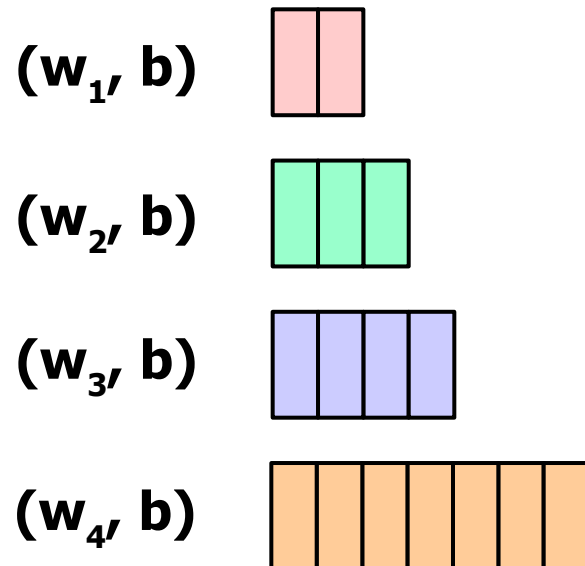
Case 1) - all weights are equal : $w_i = \text{const}$



- This means we will always place $\lfloor \mathbf{W} / w \rfloor$ items,
- For UKP we will just take the one with $b_i \rightarrow \mathbf{max}$.
- For "0-1 KP" we will place the items in decreasing order of b_i .

Trivial cases

Case 2) - all bonuses are equal : $\mathbf{b_i = const}$



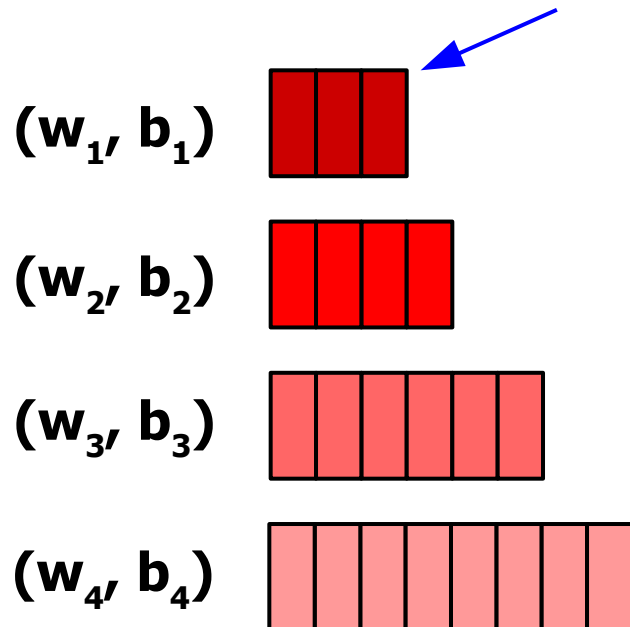
- This means that we want to place as many items as possible,
- For UKP we will just take the one with $\mathbf{w_i} \rightarrow \mathbf{min.}$
- For "0-1 KP" we will place the items in increasing order of $\mathbf{w_i}$.

Trivial cases

Case 3) – bonuses decrease, together with increase of weights:

$$w_1 \leq w_2 \leq w_3 \leq \dots \leq w_N$$

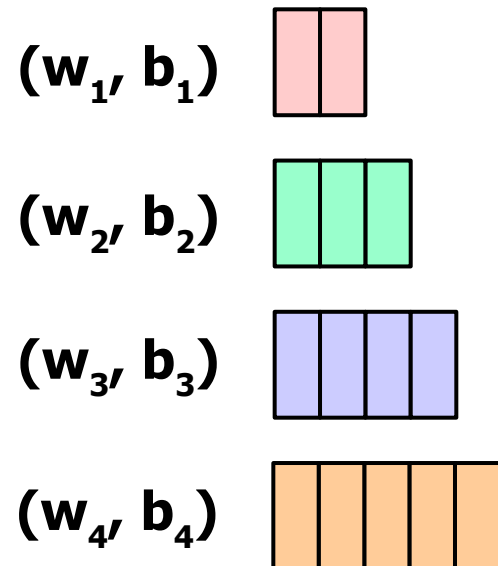
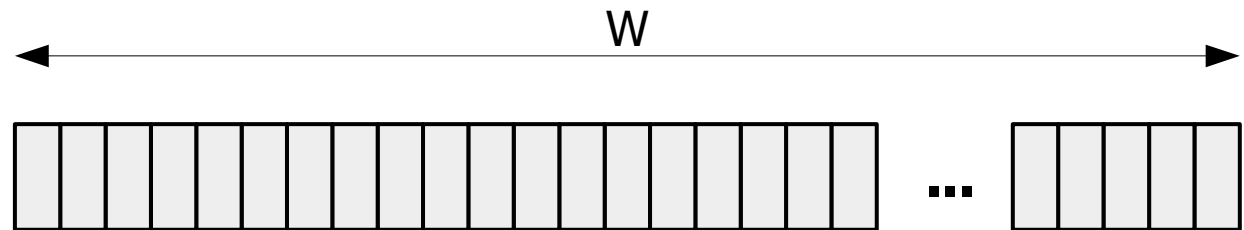
$$b_1 \geq b_2 \geq b_3 \geq \dots \geq b_N$$



- This is also an easy case, as our preference here is clear,
- For UKP we will use the first item only,
- For 0-1 KP we will place items from left to right.

Trivial cases

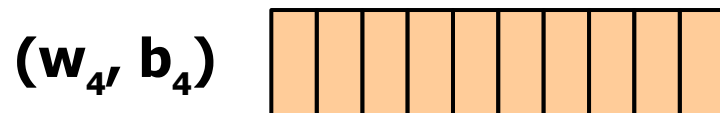
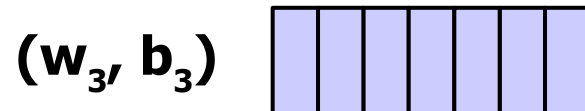
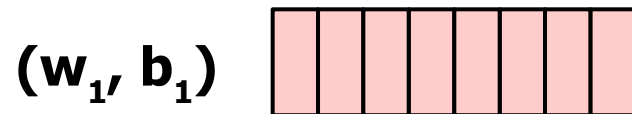
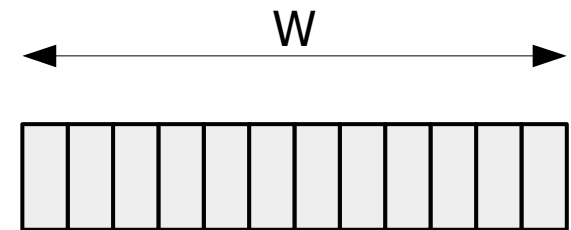
Case 4) – 0-1 knapsack, so large that it will fit all items inside:



- We will just place all the items.

Trivial cases

Case 5) – knapsack so small, that it will fit only one item:

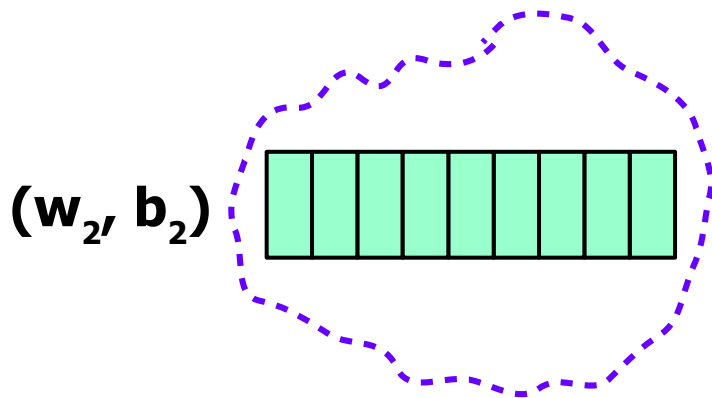


- We will place the one with $b_i \rightarrow \max$.

Trivial cases

Before finishing the trivial cases part, let me point that complexity of KP comes from the fact that \mathbf{x}_i must be integers.

... which means we can't cut items apart.



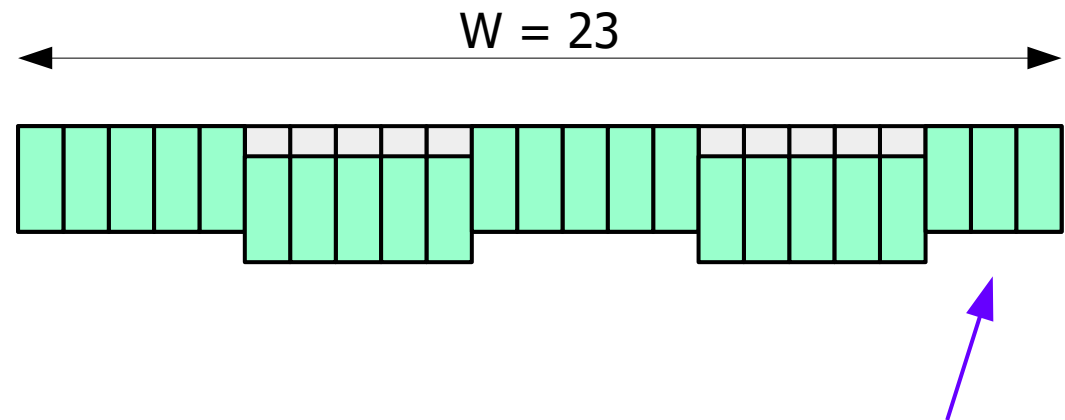
Otherwise, if we would be allowed to cut itmes apart (i.e. if \mathbf{x}_i could be real numbers), then...

Trivial cases

For UKP we will just pick the item with $\mathbf{b_i/w_i} \rightarrow \mathbf{max}$, and fill the knapsack with it till the end.

$$\mathbf{x_2 = 4.6}$$

$$\mathbf{B = 4.6 * 9 = 41.4}$$

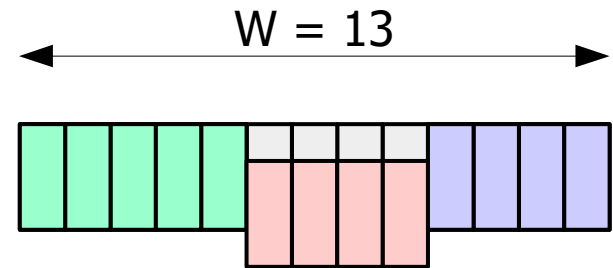


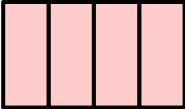
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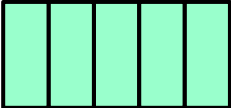
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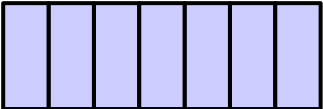
For 0-1 KP we will place all the items in decreasing order of $\mathbf{b_i/w_i}$ ratio.

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{B} &= \mathbf{1*9 + 1*6 + (4/7)*10 =} \\ &= \mathbf{9 + 6 + 5.714... =} \\ &= \mathbf{20.714...} \end{aligned}$$



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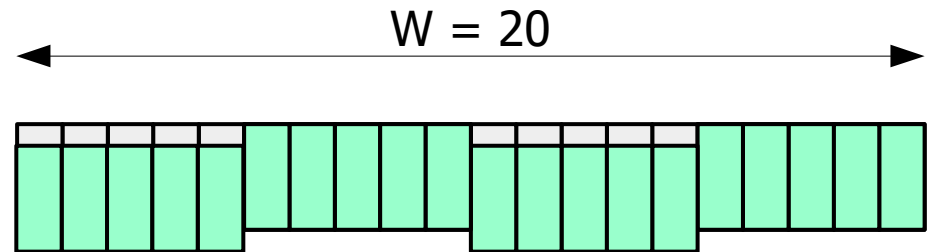
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In all cases we are sure that every unit of \mathbf{W} carries as much bonus as it is possible.

Trivial cases

One more aspect is that complexity of KP comes when we would like to cut some items... which is actually not allowed.

$$B = 4 \times 9 = 36$$

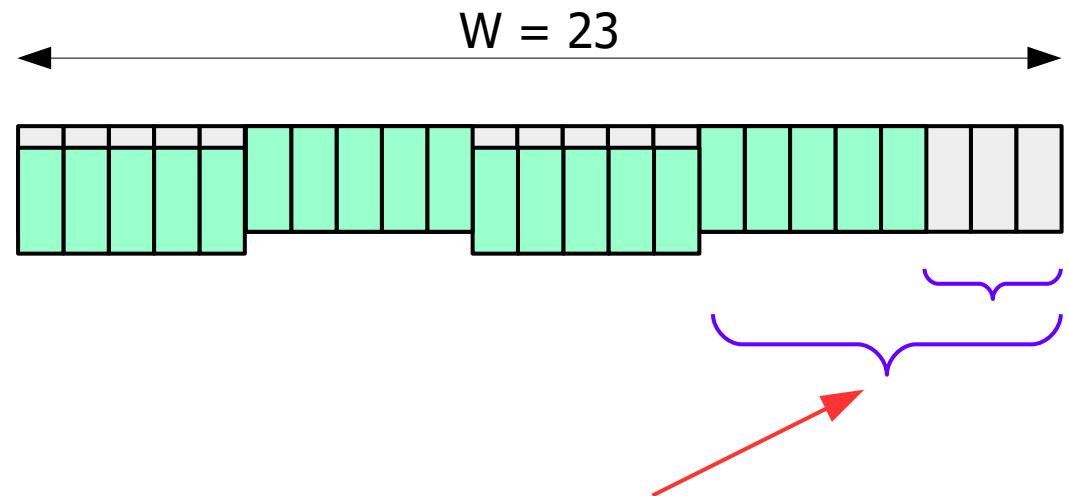


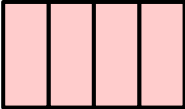
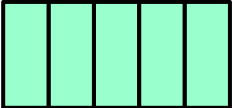
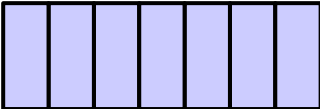
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In UKP, if no need to cut ever arises, we can just fill the **W** with the best item.

Knapsack problem

So the problem arises when we don't know how to pack things in the remaining, smaller area...

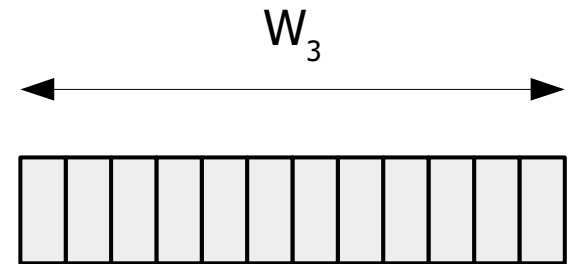
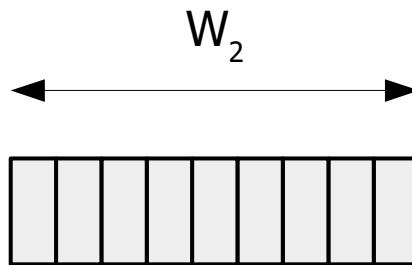
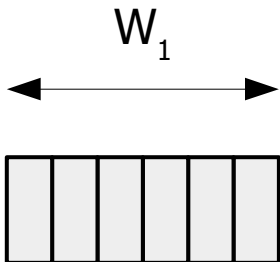


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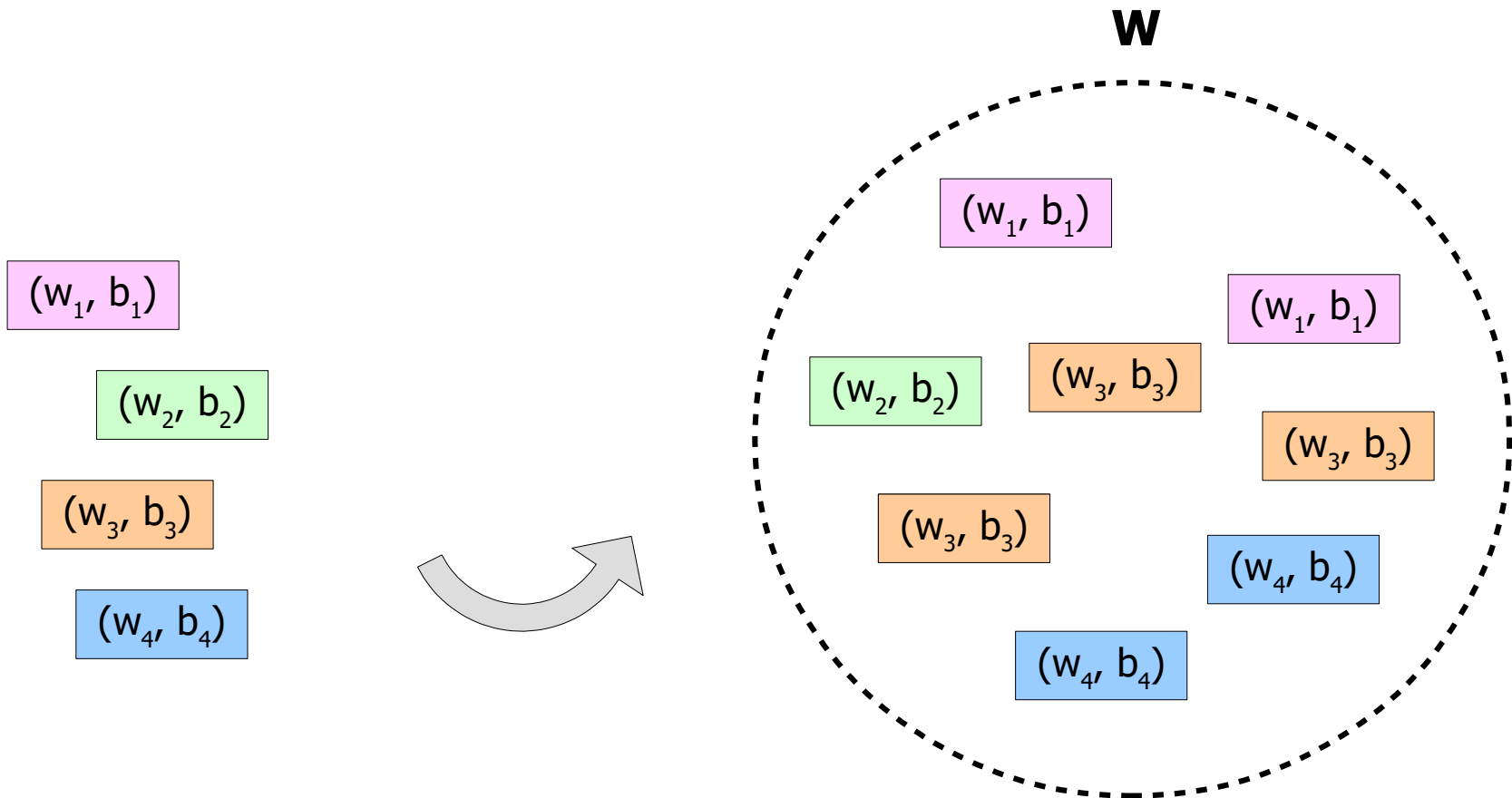
Which brings us to the idea that...

... instead of trying to fill knapsack **W**, perhaps it will be better to find at first solutions for smaller knapsacks?



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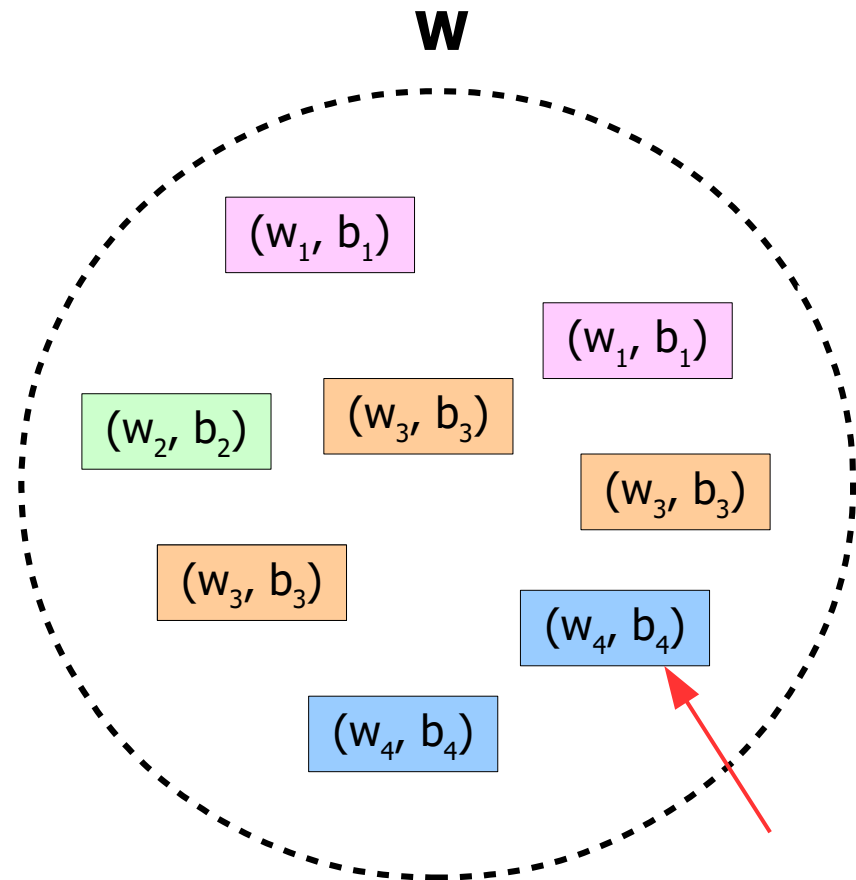
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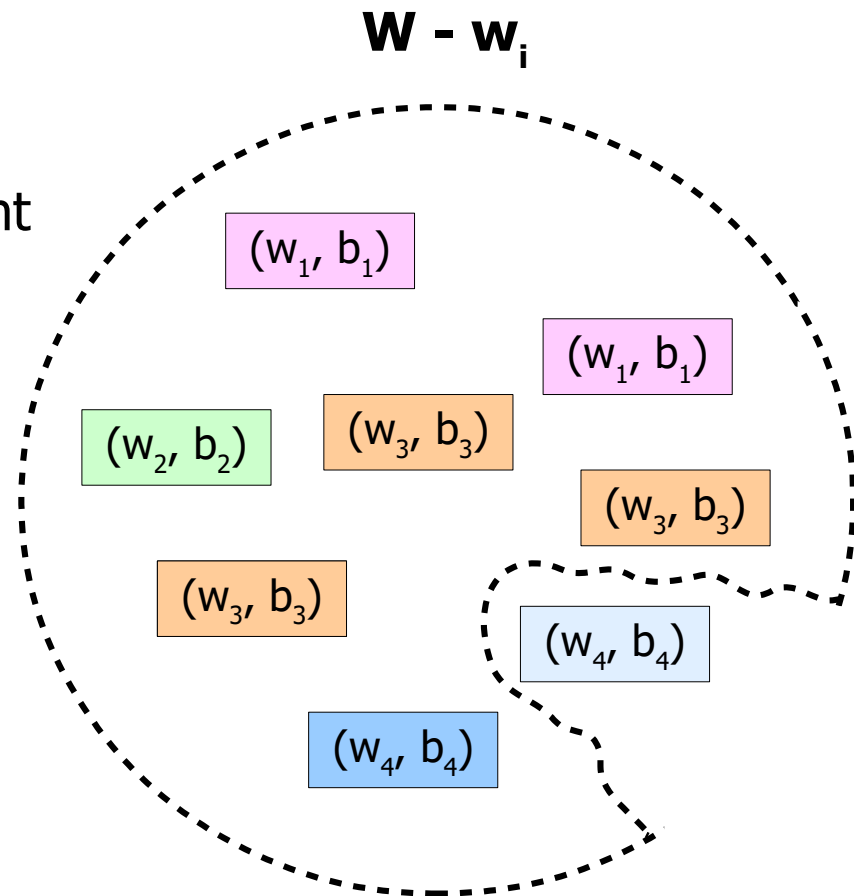
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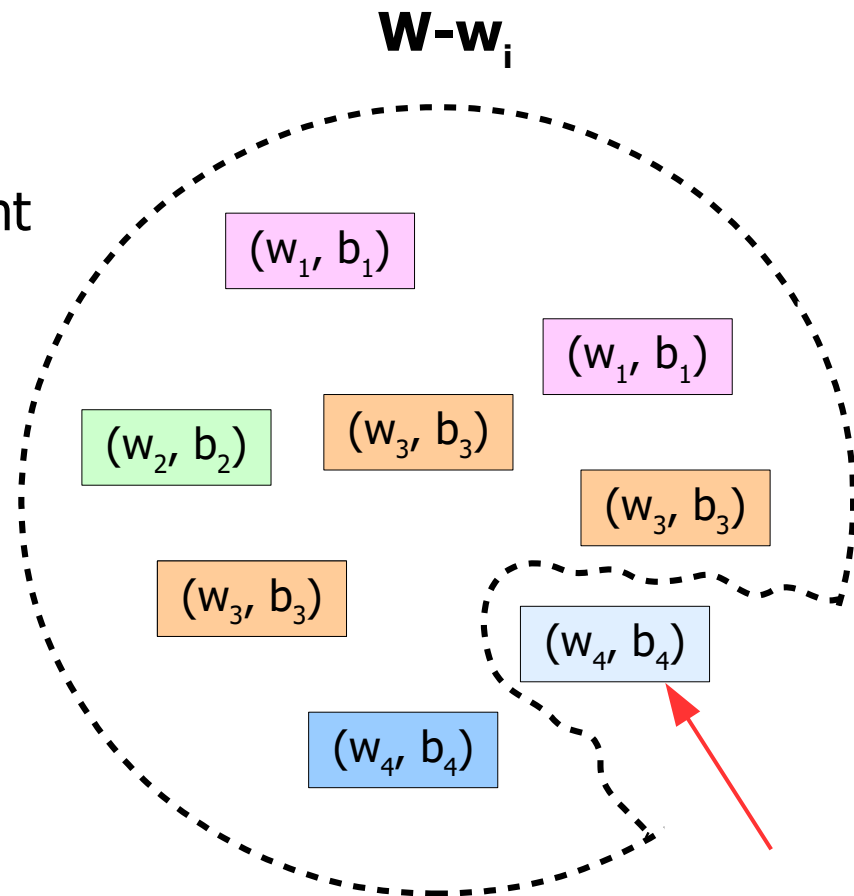


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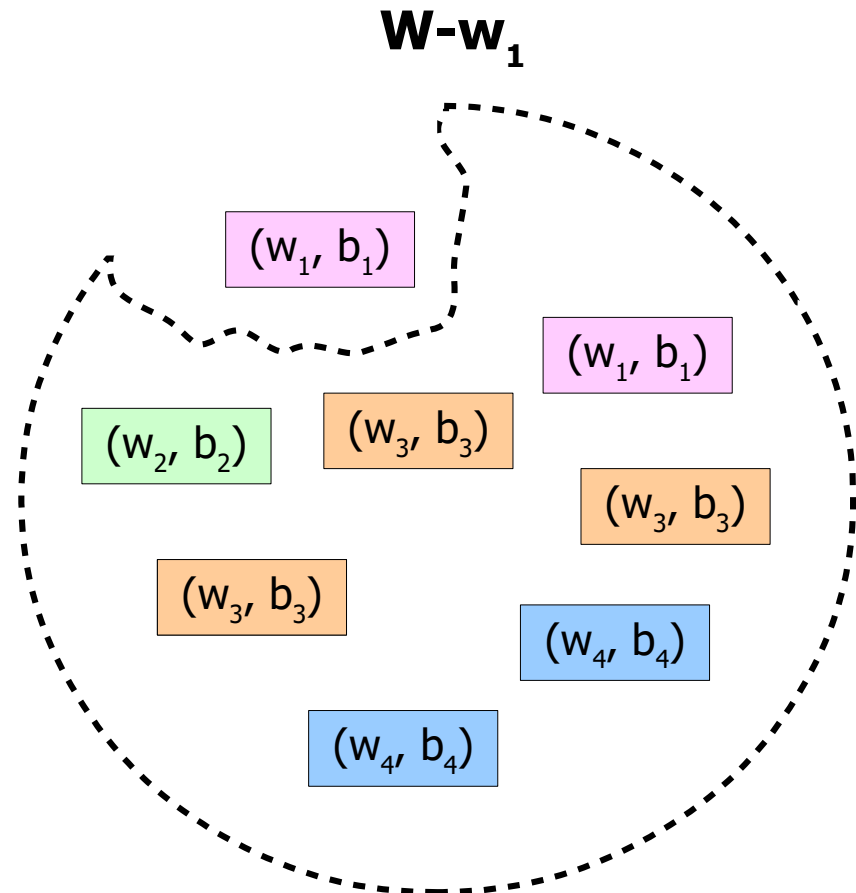
So if we knew which item will be placed the last, we can reduce our problem to knapsack of size " $W - w_i$ ".



Solution of UKP

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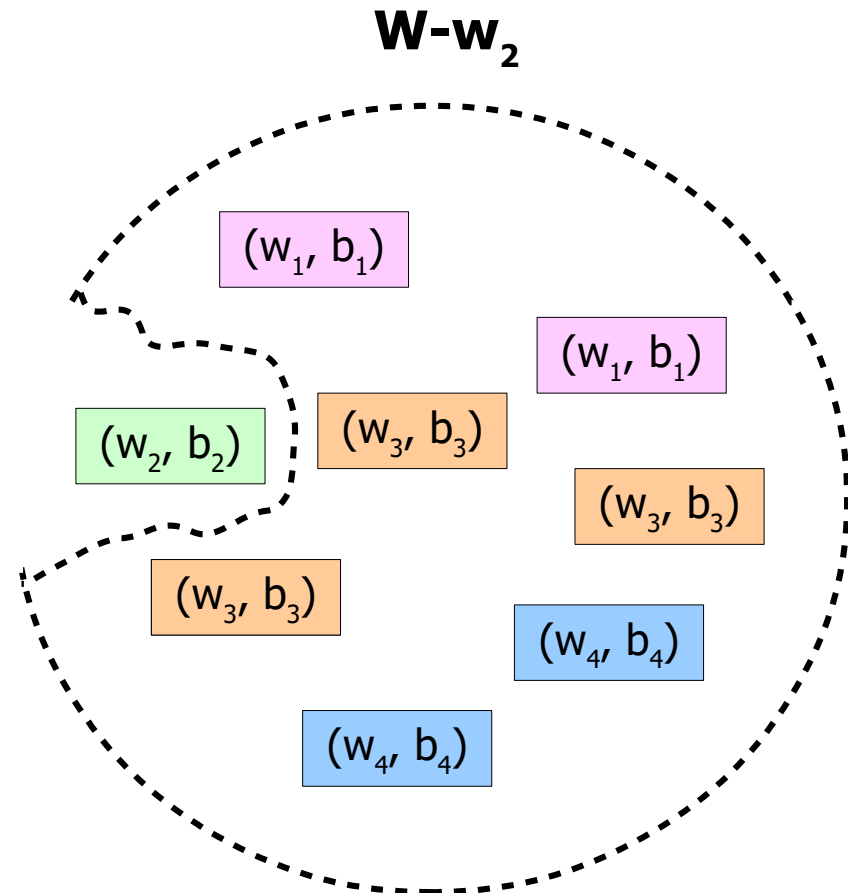
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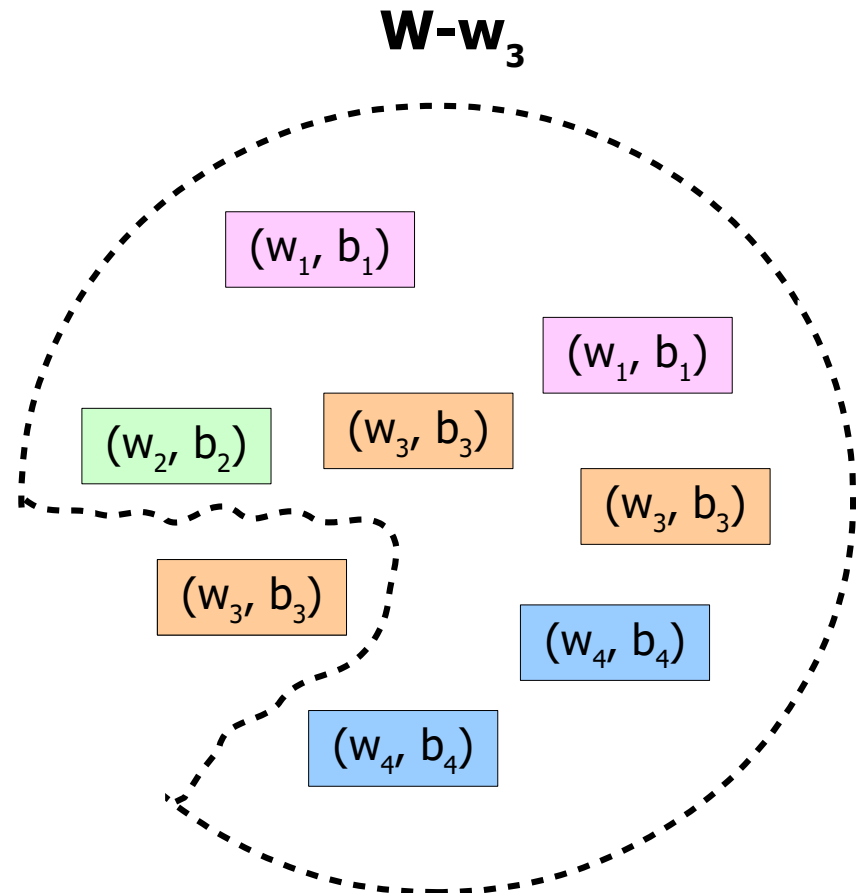
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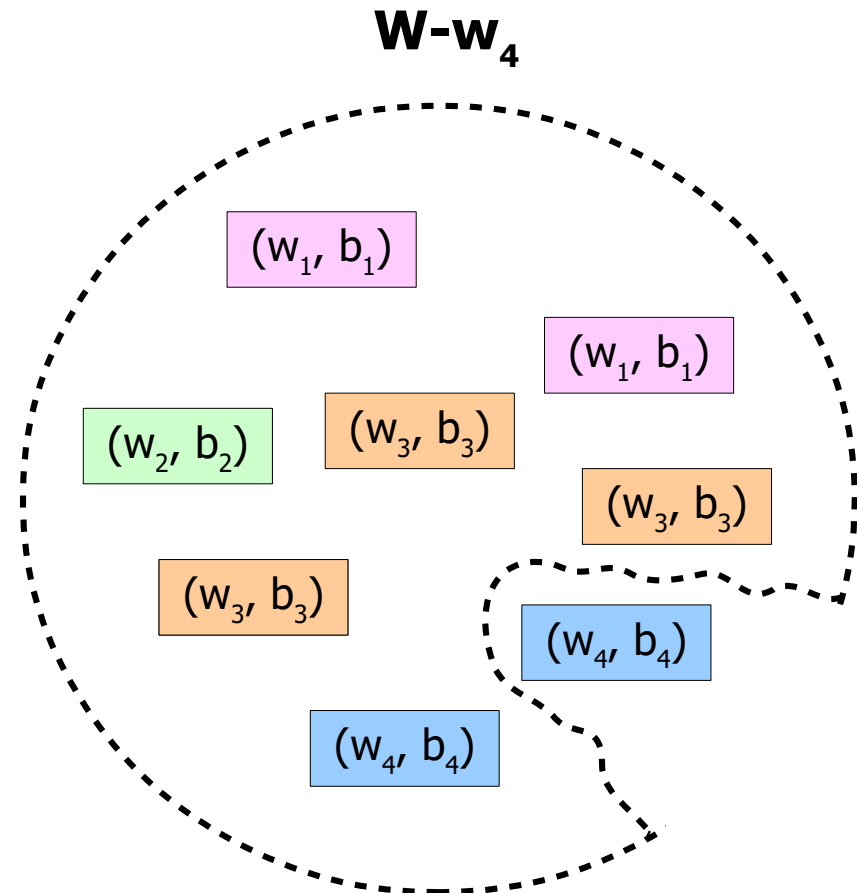
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- ...
- for (w_3, b_3) ,



Solution of UKP

But the last placed item is definitely one of the \mathbf{N} existing items:

- So we can try \mathbf{N} variants.
- ...
- and finally for $(\mathbf{w}_4, \mathbf{b}_4)$,



Solution of UKP

This brings us to the following recursive formula:

$$B[W] = \max(\begin{aligned} &B[W-w_1] + b_1, \\ &B[W-w_2] + b_2, \\ &\dots \\ &B[W-w_N] + b_N \end{aligned}),$$

where **B[i]** is the optimal bonus for knapsack of size 'i'.

Exit-case for such recursive formula will be:

$$\begin{aligned} B[0] &= 0, \\ B[-i] &: \text{(not allowed)}. \end{aligned}$$

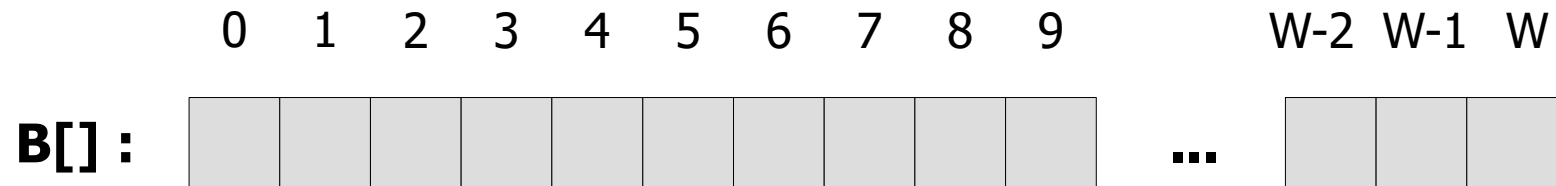
Solution of UKP

We can already write the pseudo-code:

```
N, W : Integer,  
w[0..N), b[0..N) : Array of Integers,  
B[0..W] : Array of Integers,  
  
procedure UKP_DP()  
    B[0] := 0  
    for i := 1 to W  
        for k := 0 to N-1  
            if w[k] <= i  
                B[i] := max( B[i], B[i-w[k]] + b[k] )
```

Solution of UKP

So result of this algorithm is array "**B[]**",



Time complexity is **$O(WN)$** , as filling each cell of "**B[]**" requires **$O(N)$** time.

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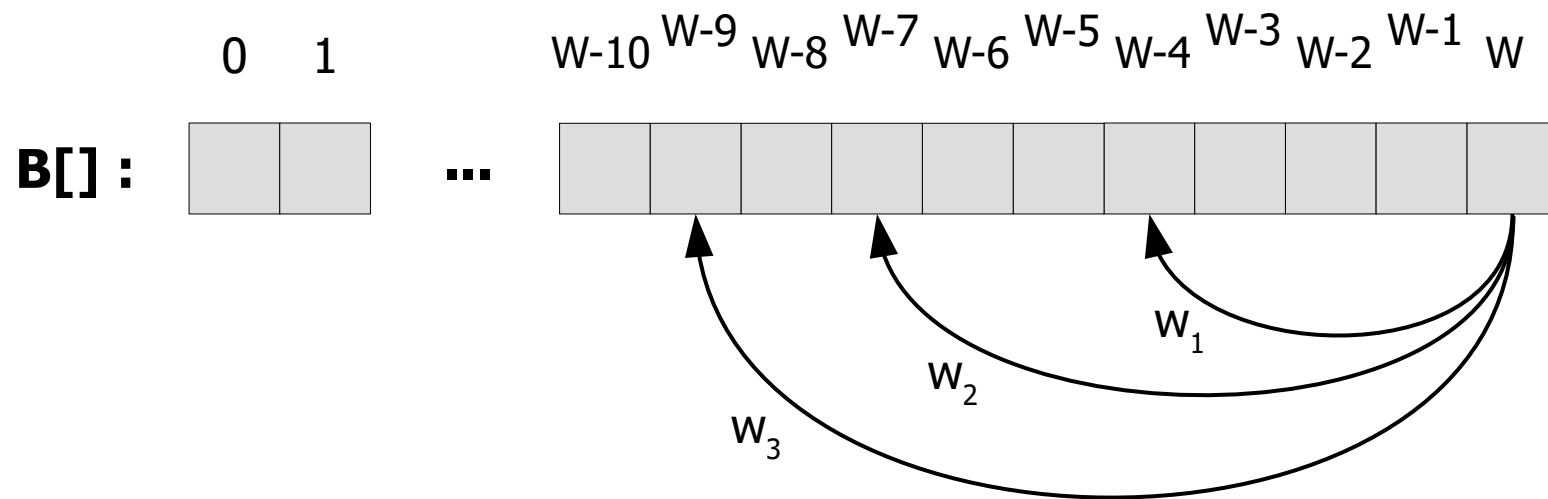
... let's see how memoization will be written:

```
N, W : Integer,  
w[0..N), b[0..N) : Array of Integers,  
B[0..W] = {-1} : Array of Integers,  
  
function UKP_memoization( i: Integer ) : Integer  
    if B[i] != -1  
        return B[i]           // Already was calculated  
    if i == 0  
        return B[0] := 0      // The answer for B[0]  
    for k := 0 to N-1         // General case  
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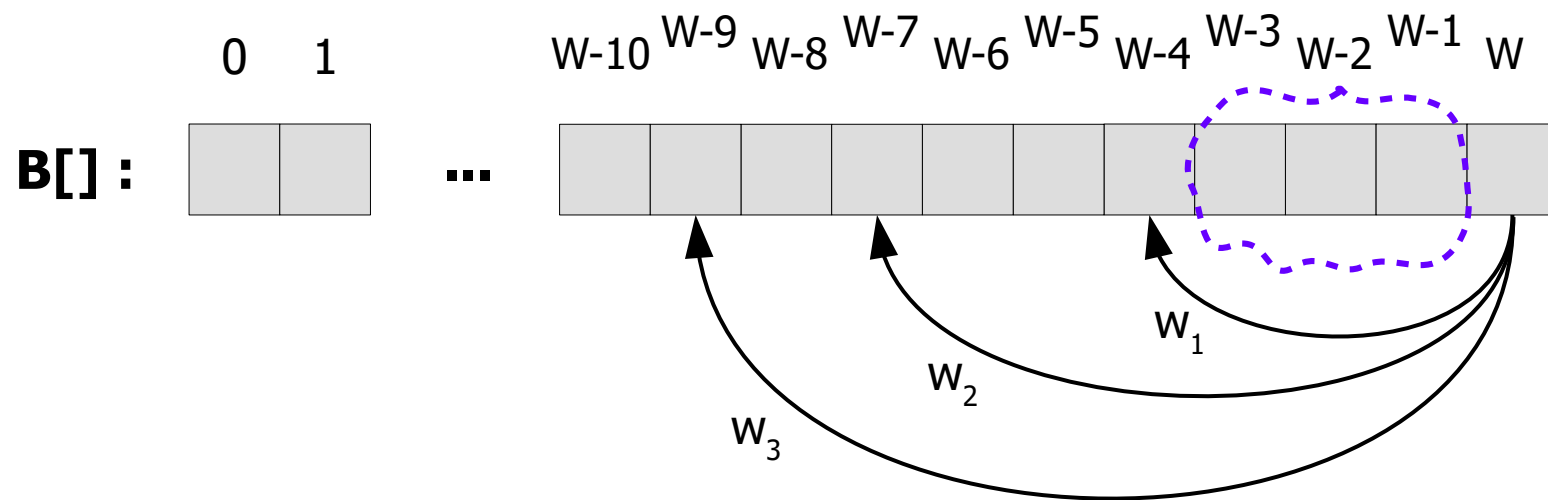
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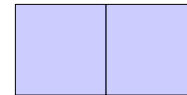
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... which means that some other cells will remain not calculated.



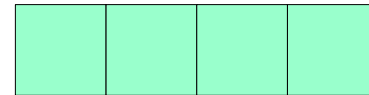
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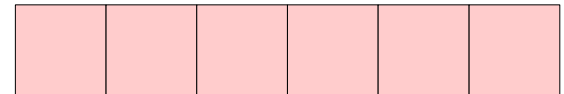
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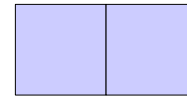


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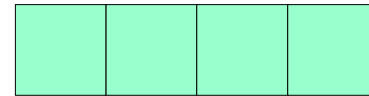
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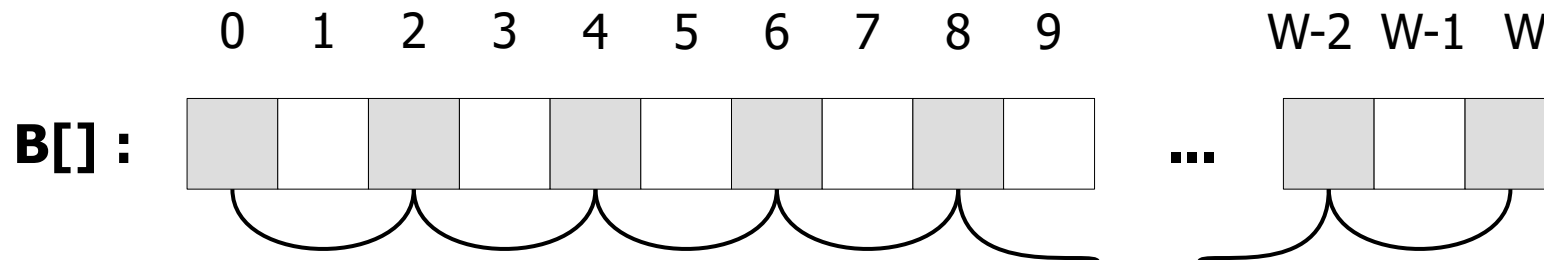
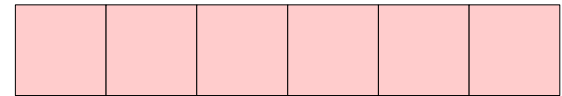
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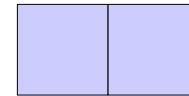
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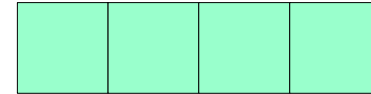
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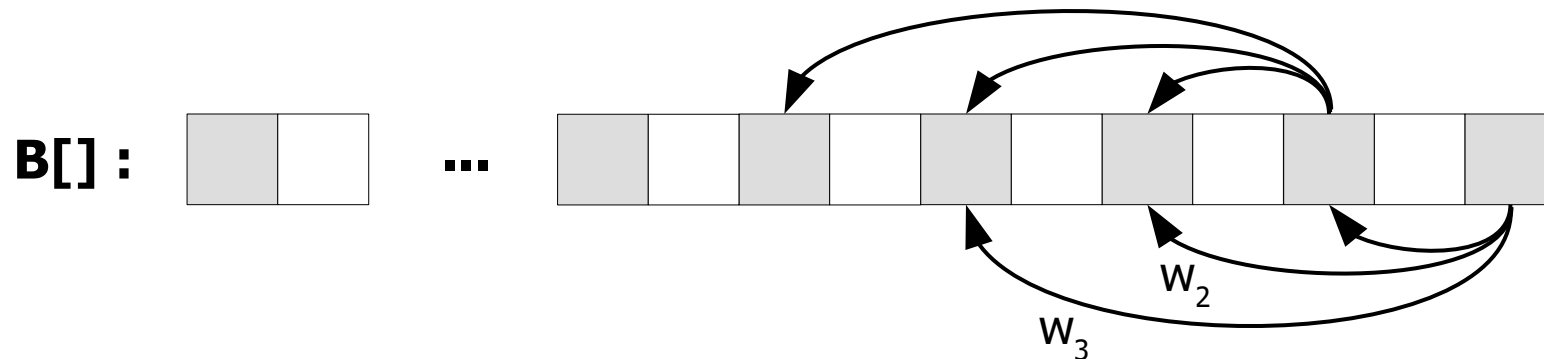
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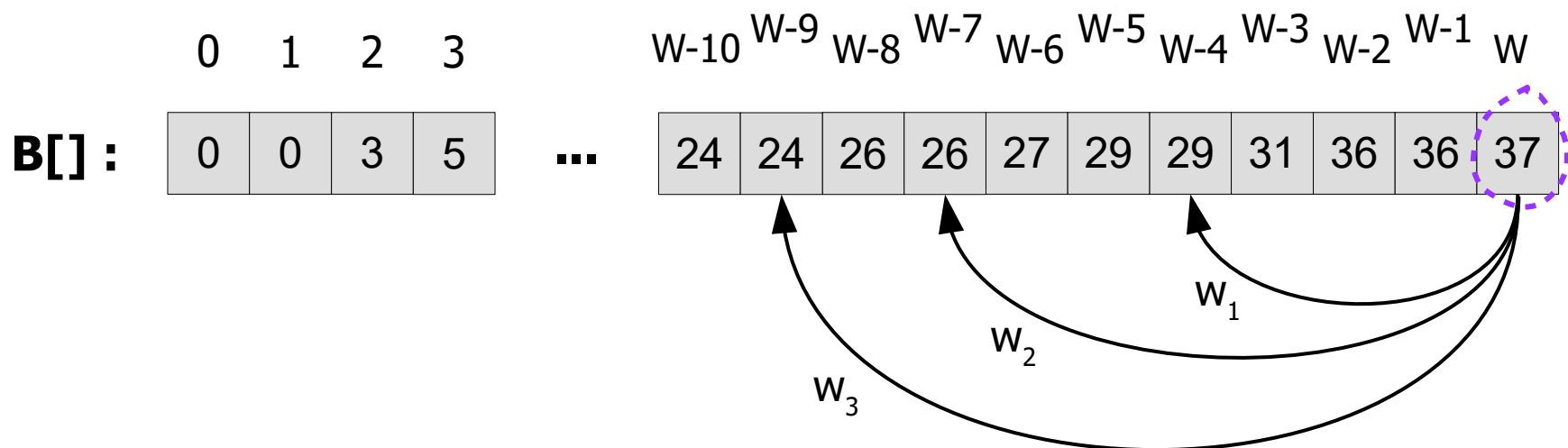
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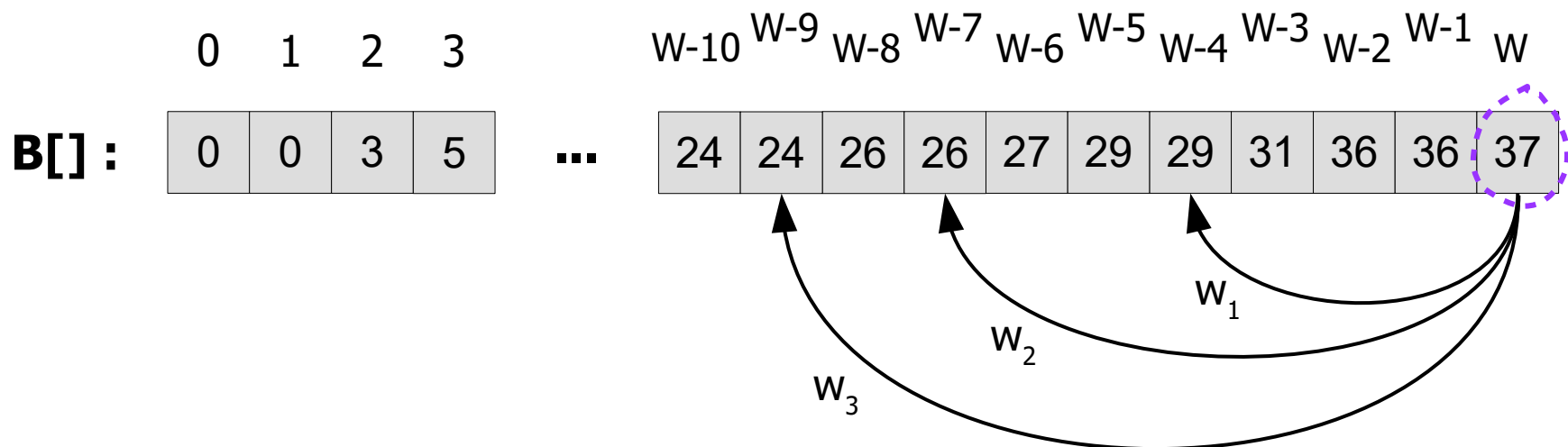
The item **B[W]** was calculated by one of items **B[W-w₁]**, **B[W-w₂]**, ..., **B[W-w_N]**.



Obtaining items for UKP

Let's recall the formula for **B[i]**:

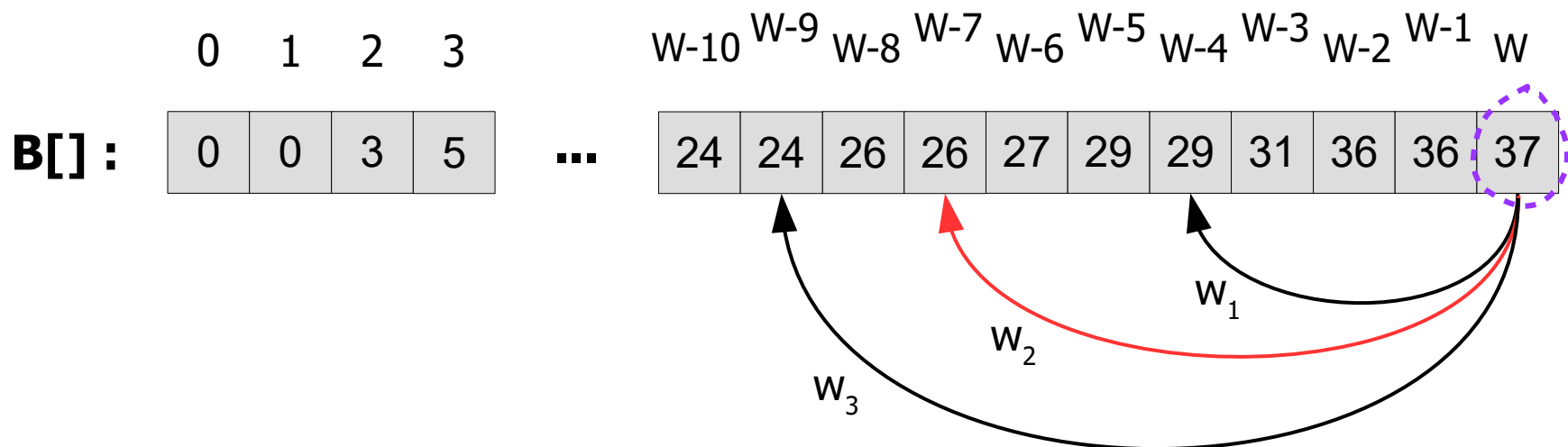
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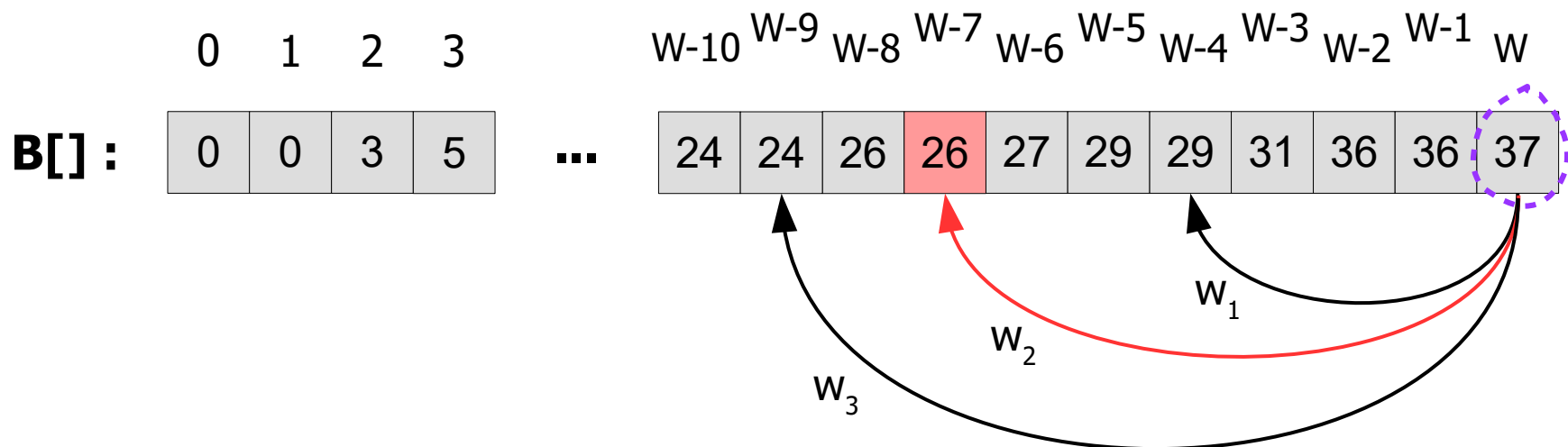


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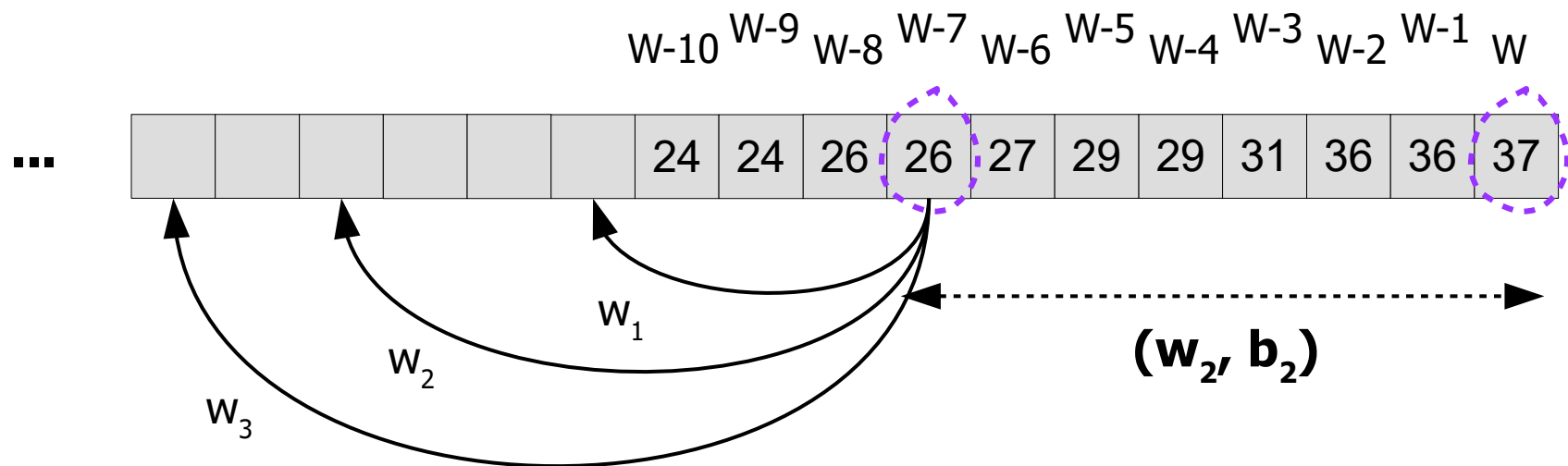
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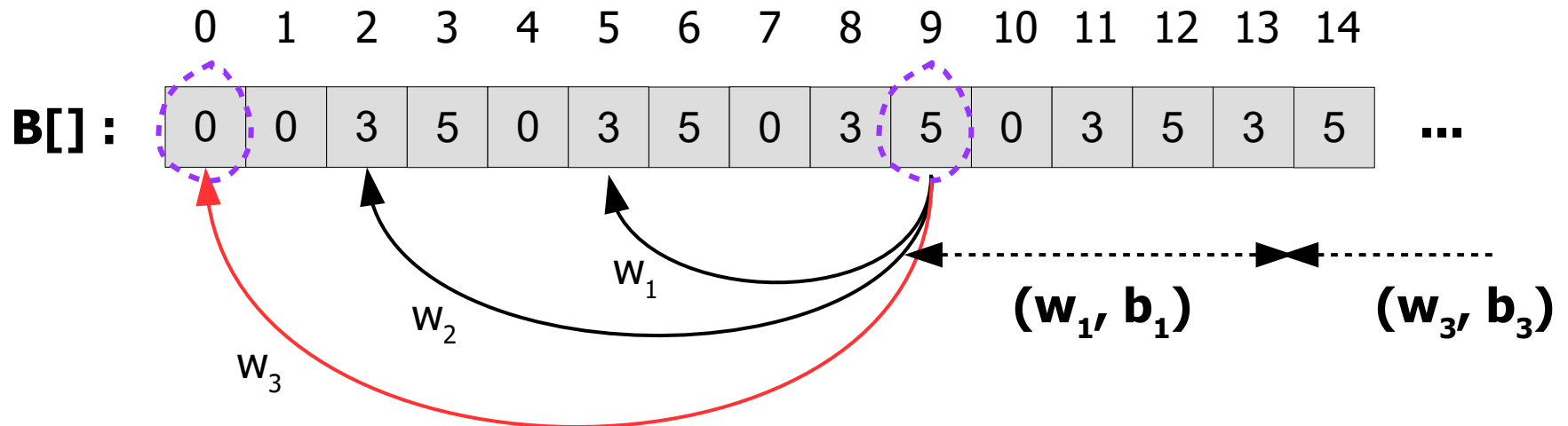
... and we can continue obtaining other items from " $W - w_i$ ".



Obtaining items for UKP

This process will finish when we reach **B[0]**.

... at that point of time, all items which compose **B[W]** are found.



Obtaining items for UKP

... the pseudo-code of path restoration becomes:

```
N, W : Integer,  
w[0..N), b[0..N) : Array of Integers,  
B[0..W] = {-1} : Array of Integers,  
  
procedure UKP_restore_path( x: Integer )  
    if x == 0 // Check if all items are reported  
        return  
    for k := 0 to N-1 // Try item (w[k],b[k])  
        if B[i] == B[i-w[k]] + b[k]  
            report (w[k],b[k])  
            UKP_restore_path( i-w[k] )  
            break
```


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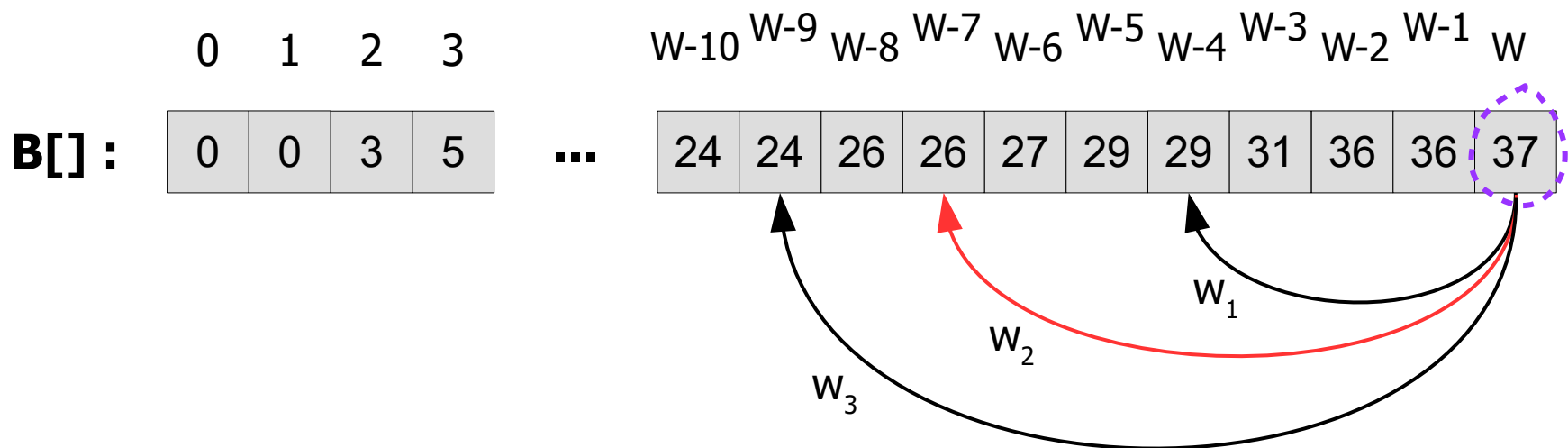
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- So at the moment of calculation we can remember that index too.

	0	1	2	3		$W-10$	$W-9$	$W-8$	$W-7$	$W-6$	$W-5$	$W-4$	$W-3$	$W-2$	$W-1$	W
B[] :	0	0	3	5		24	24	26	26	27	29	29	31	36	36	37
last[] :	-	-	0	0	...	1	0	2	2	1	1	1	0	1	2	2

Obtaining items for UKP

So '**last[x]**' gives us index of the item, which will be placed the last to obtain weight '**x**'.

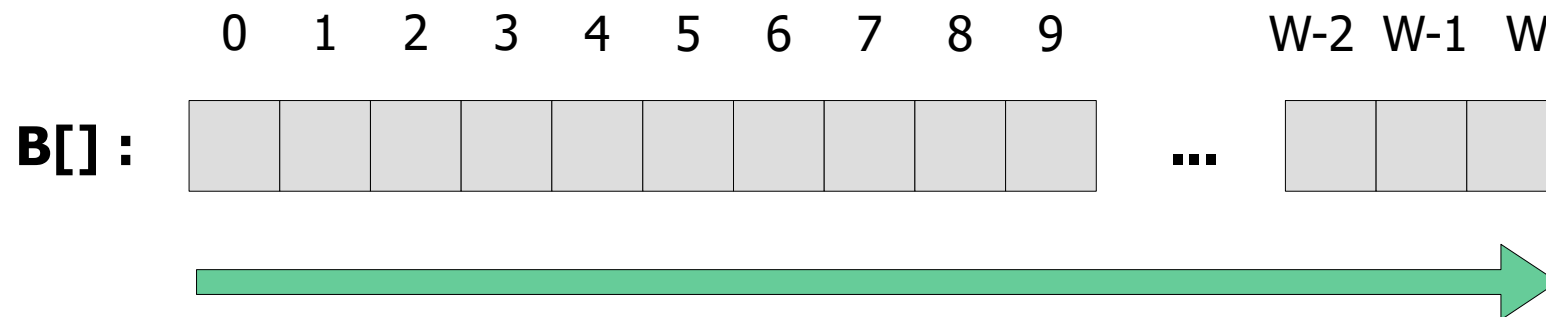
The pseudocode becomes shorter:

```
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B[0..W] = {-1} : Array of Integers,  
last[0..W] : Array of Integers,  
  
procedure UKP_restore_path( x: Integer )  
    if x == 0 or last[x] == -1 // Check for completion  
        return  
    report ( w[last[x]], b[last[x]] ) // Report last item  
    UKP_restore_path( x - w[last[x]] ) // Continue
```

Solution of 0-1 KP

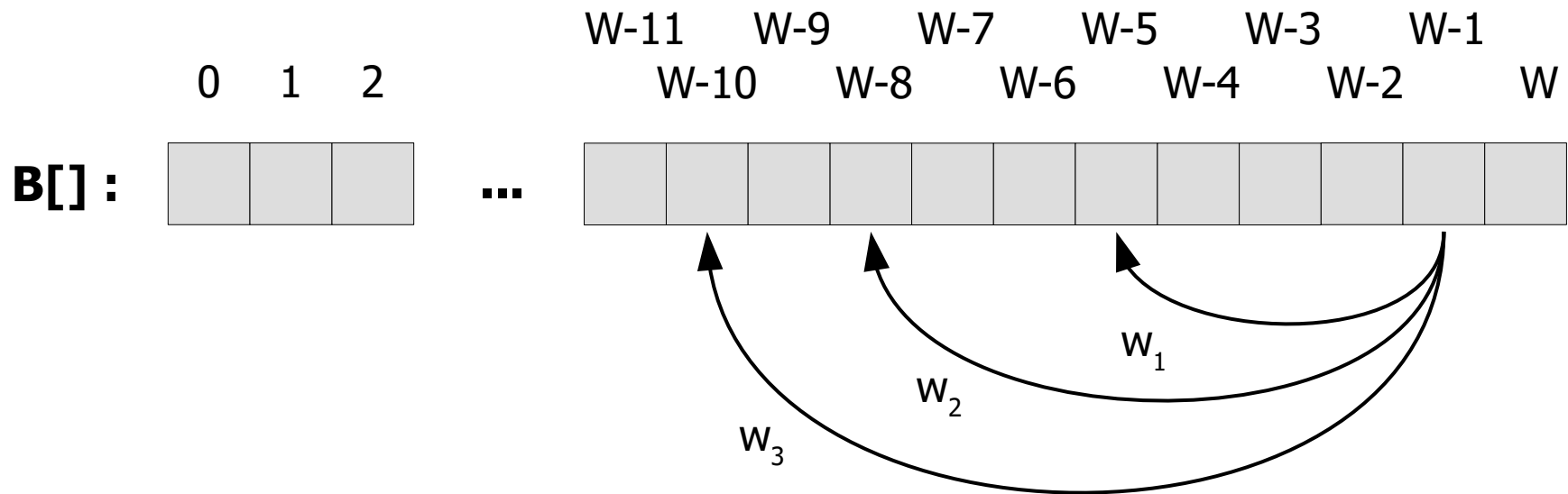
If solving problem of 0-1 KP, can we similarly fill the array "**B[]**", from left to right?

... reminder, now we can use every item only once.



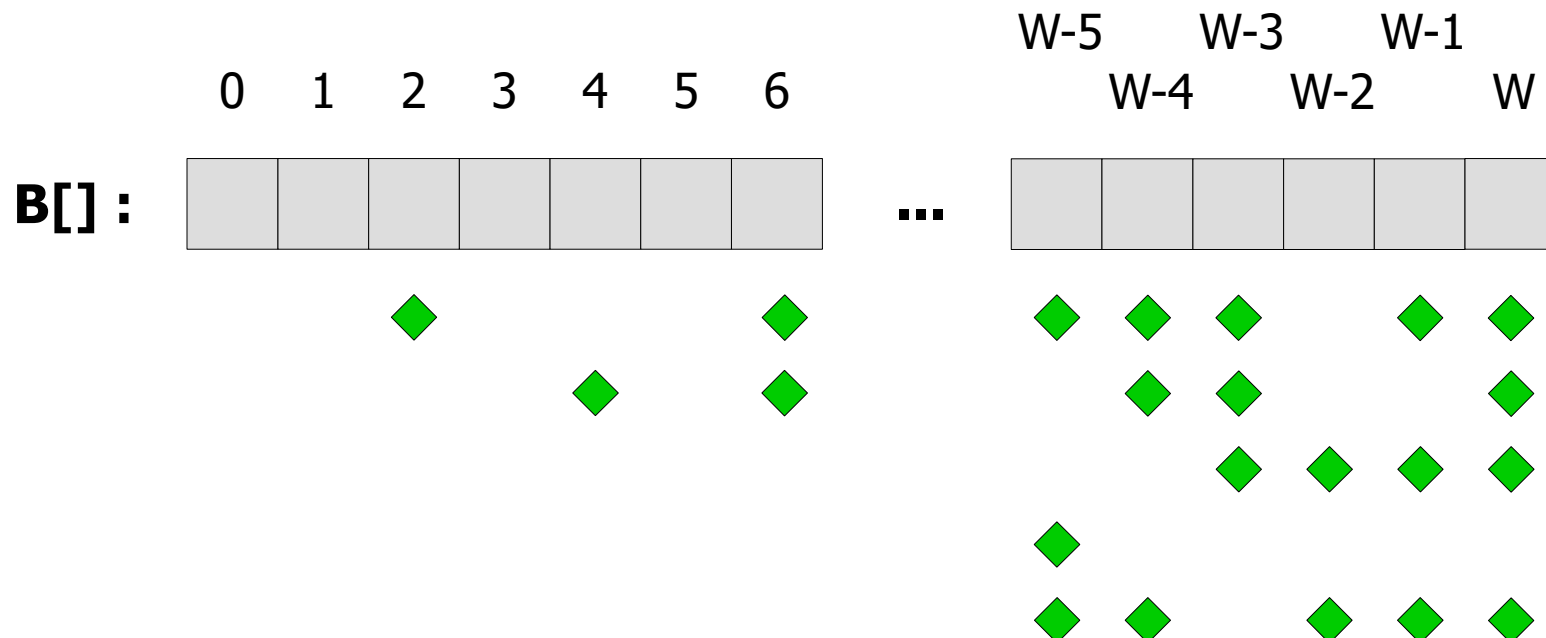
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No we can't because when calculating some **B[x]**, we must know if which items were already used:



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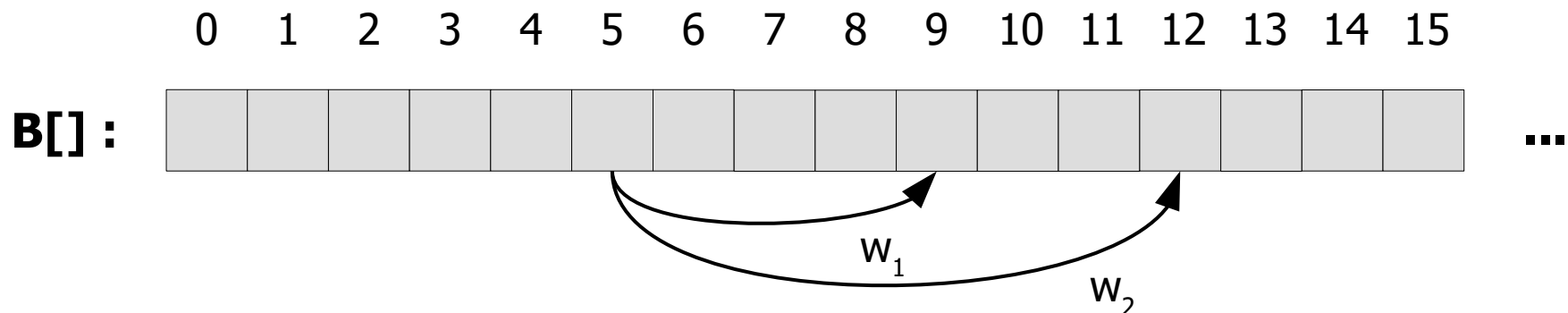


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Then, maybe for every $\mathbf{B}[\mathbf{x}]$ we should also store the exact set of items used there?

No, because some sets of items can be more preferable than others.

- For example, $\mathbf{B}[5]$ can be used for both $\mathbf{B}[9]$ and $\mathbf{B}[12]$,
- For being used in $\mathbf{B}[9]$, its set should not contain $(\mathbf{w}_1, \mathbf{b}_1)$,
- For being used in $\mathbf{B}[12]$, its set should not contain $(\mathbf{w}_2, \mathbf{b}_2)$,
- So we need to keep all the sets, which give maximal $\mathbf{B}[\mathbf{x}]$ then...



Solution of 0-1 KP

Obviously, this leads to a waste of computational time and memory.

... so probably we can't behave here the same way, as we did for UKP.

Solution of 0-1 KP

Let's reduce the problem now not only by weight '**W**', but also by number of used items '**k**'.

- so here instead of an array we will have a matrix "**B[0..N][0..W]**",
- where "**B[k][x]**" will show the maximal bonus that we can place in '**x**' weight, using only first '**k**' items.

		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7				W-2	W-1	W
B :	0									...					
	1														
	2														
	N-2									...					
	N-1														
	N														

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Assume we have calculated the one-before-last row, i.e. we know maximal bonuses for **[0..W]** knapsacks, when using first **N-1** items.

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Then the **N**'th item arrives. How it can affect current solutions? What will cells of the last row be equal to?

		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7			W-2	W-1	W
B :	0									...				
	1													
	2													
	N-2									...				
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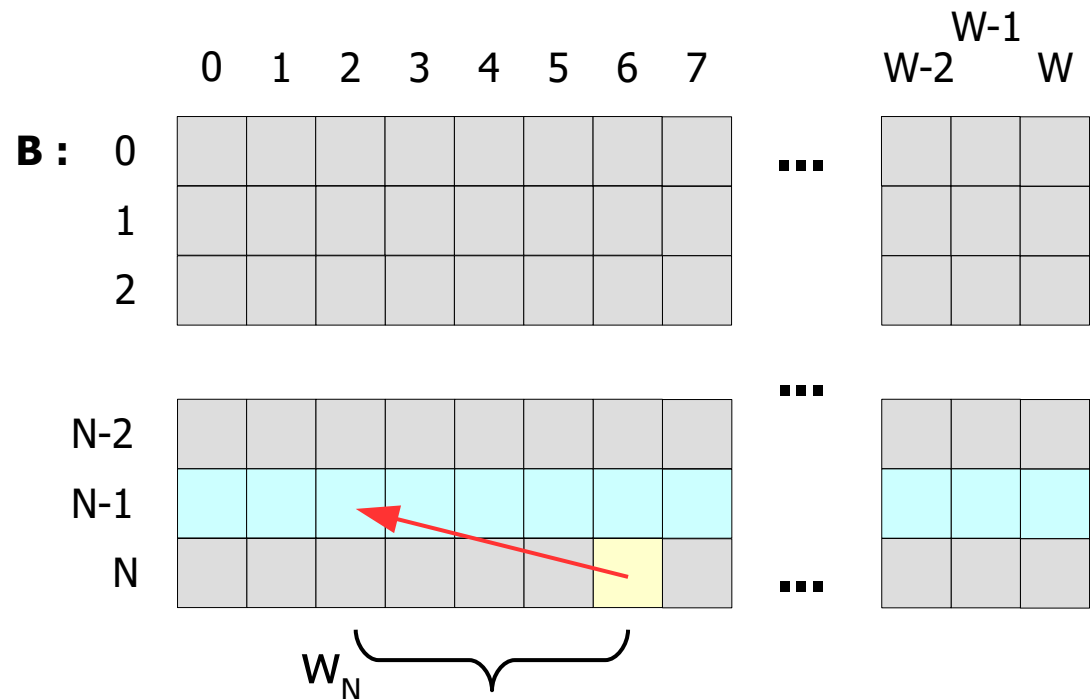
- If it doesn't use the **N**'th item, then $\mathbf{B[N][x]} = \mathbf{B[N-1][x]}$.

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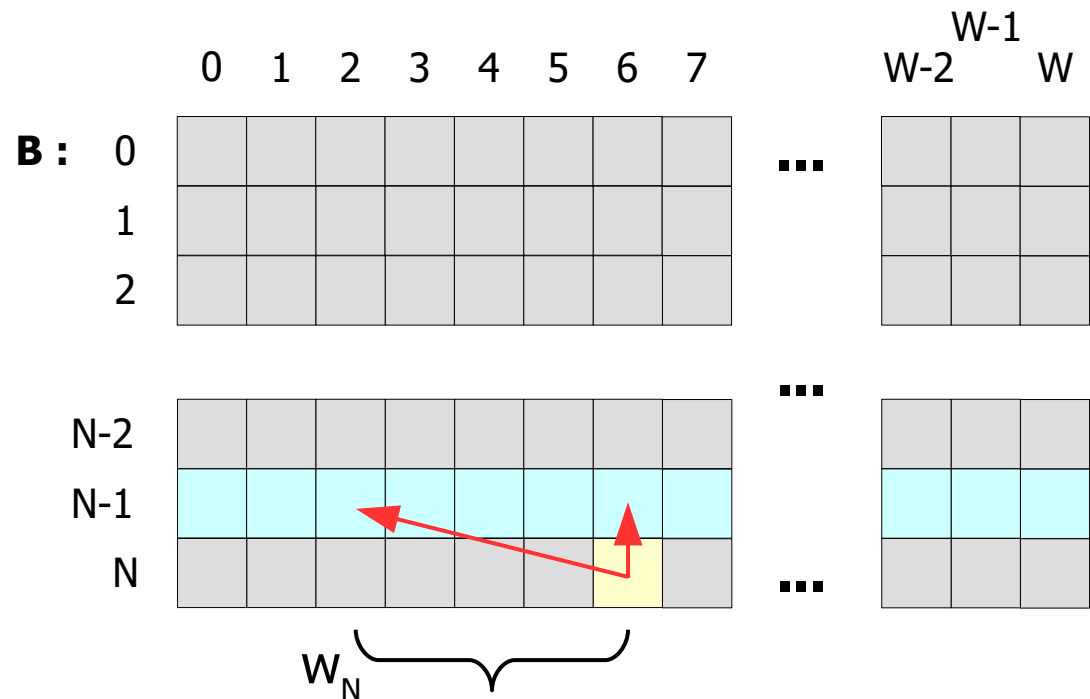


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So it just remains to choose between this **2** options.

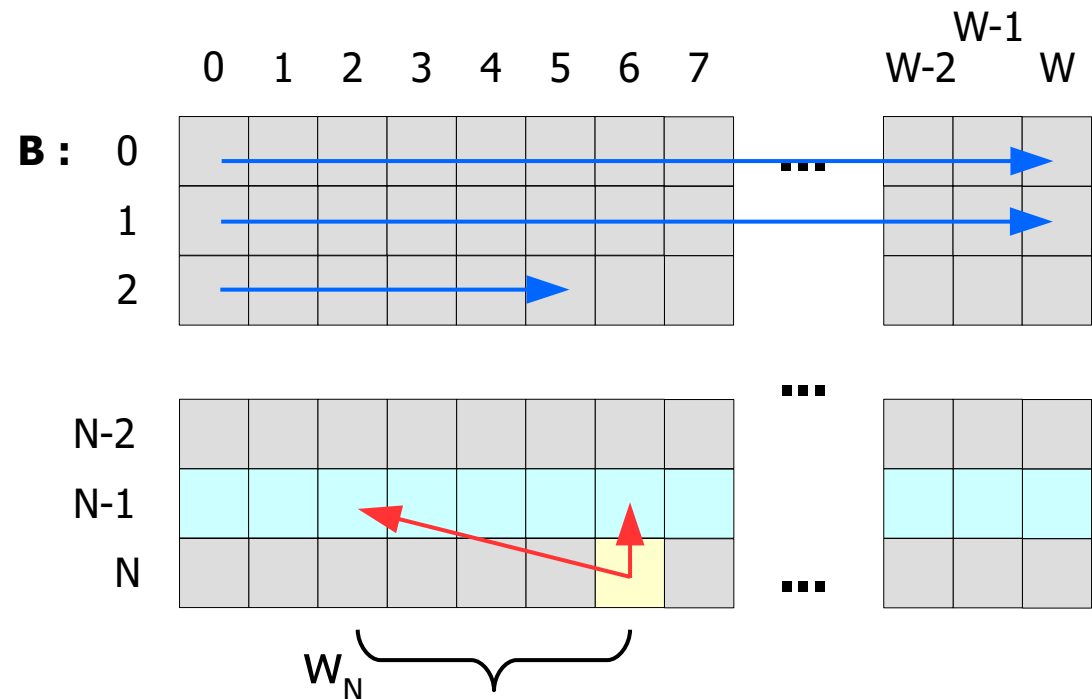


Solution of 0-1 KP

The formula for 0-1 KP becomes:

$$B[k][x] = \max(\\ B[k-1][x], \\ B[k-1][x-w_k] + b_k)$$

And we can iterate over the matrix, filling every cell in **$O(1)$** time.



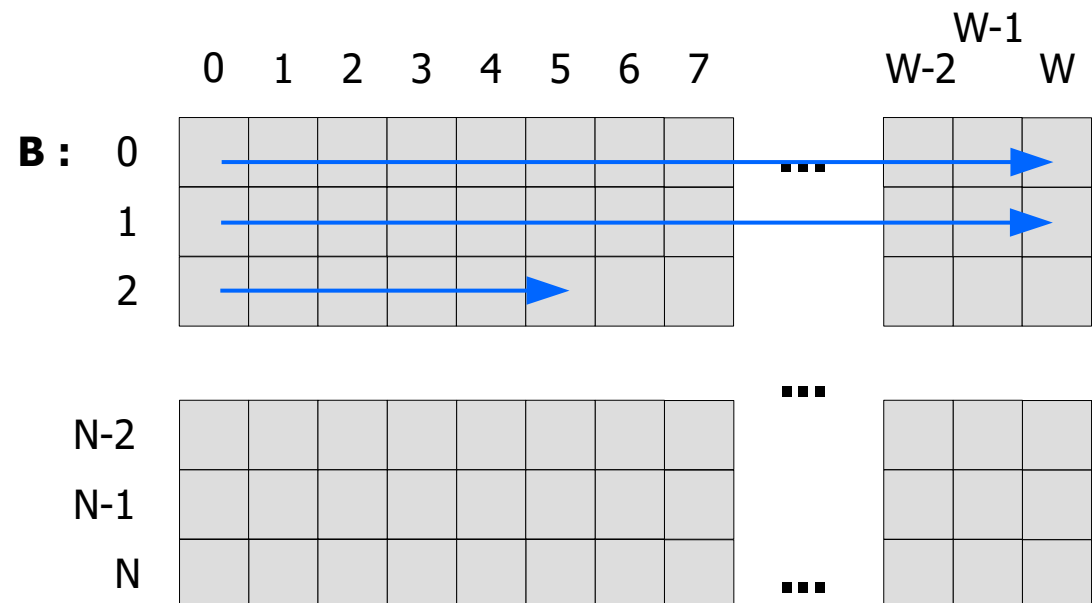
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The pseudocode becomes:

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N, W : Integer,  
w[1..N], b[1..N] : Array of Integers,  
B[0..N][0..W] = {0} : Matrix of Integers,  
  
procedure calculate_0_1_KP()  
    // First row is already zeroes.  
    // First column is also already zeroes.  
    for k:=1 to N  
        for x:=1 to W  
            B[k][x] := B[k-1][x] // If we don't use k-th  
            if x >= w[k] // If we can use k-th item  
                B[k][x] := max(  
                    B[k][x],  
                    B[k-1][x-w[k]] + b[k] )
```

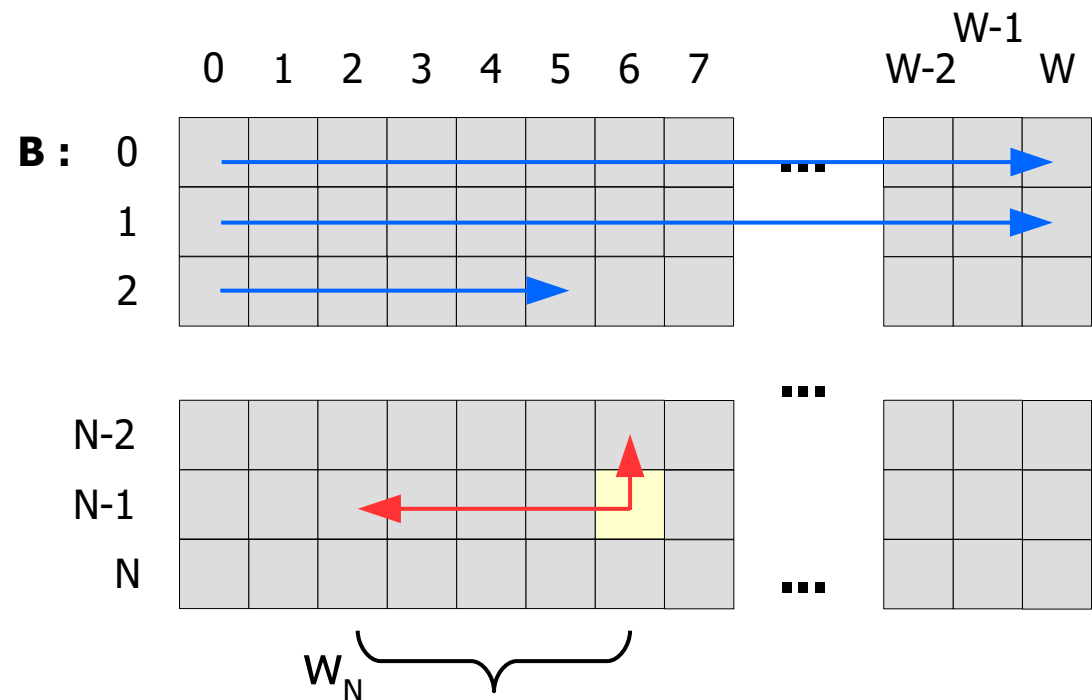
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Time and memory complexity of the DP algorithm becomes **$O(N*W)$** ,
... as we fill every cell in **$O(1)$** time.



Solution of 0-1 KP

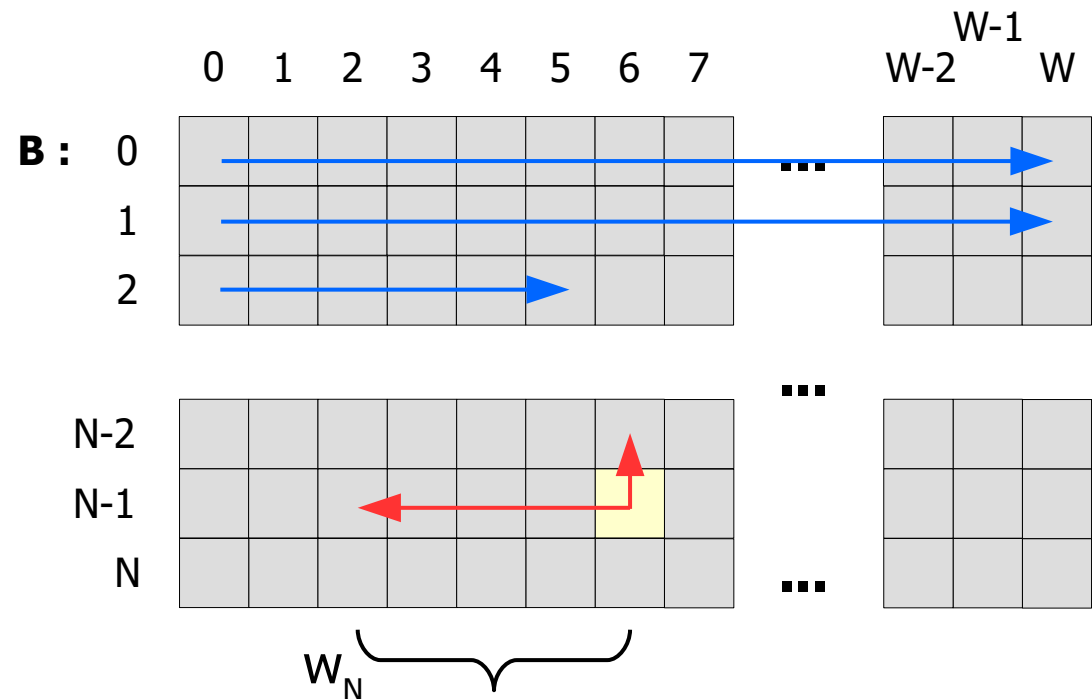
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Solution of 0-1 KP

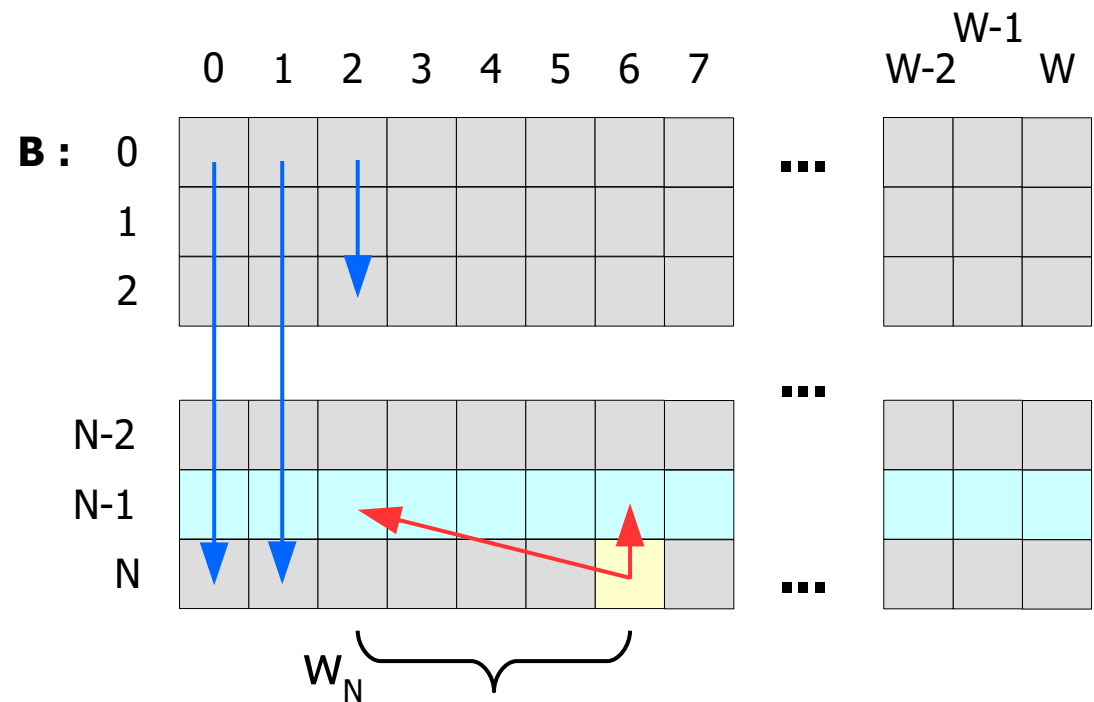
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Answer. We will receive solution of UKP, as the same **k**'th item can be used several times then.



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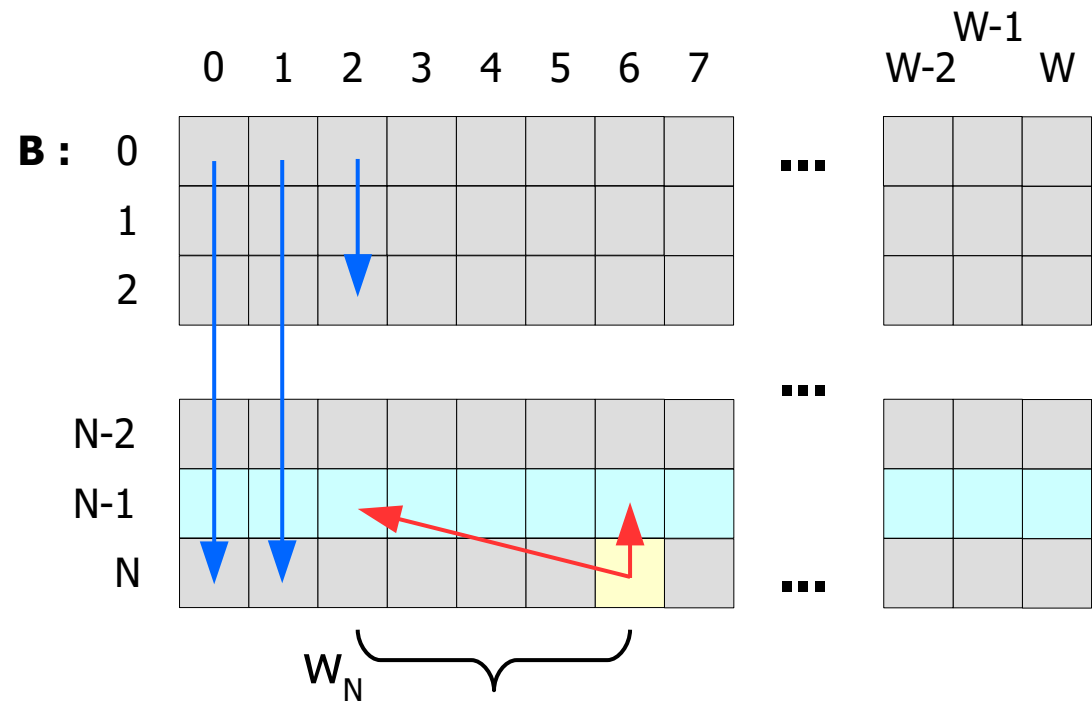
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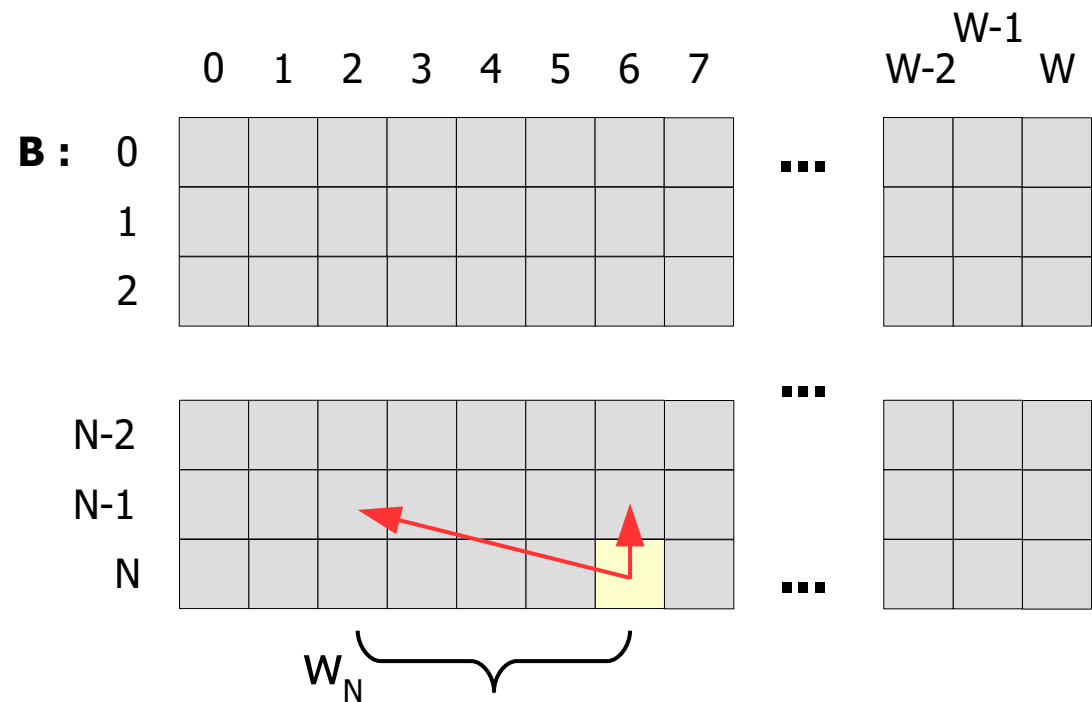
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Answer: Yes, as the dependencies are not violated.



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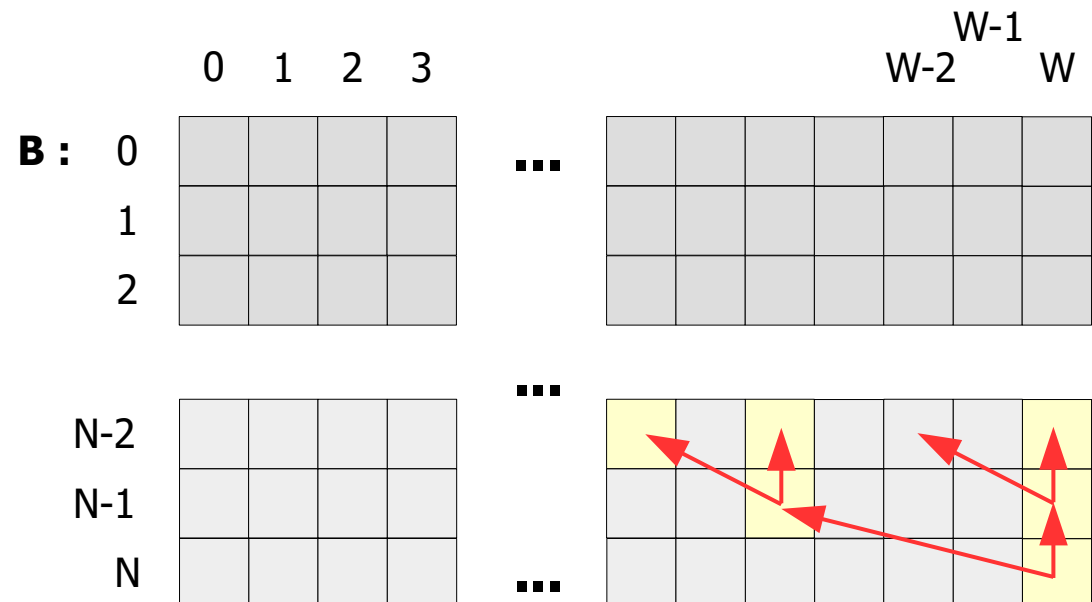


Solution of 0-1 KP

Question: How is it more preferable to use this problem, by DP or by memoization?

Answer. Memoization can be preferable, as it might significantly decrease number of calculated cells,

... because we are interested only in **B[N][W]**.



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Thank you!

Knapsack problem