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Practical Implementations of Network Coding

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Lecture / Exercise Dates - goo.gl/Lr7Xz4

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- Slides
- Links

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DATE	TYPE	ROOM	TOPIC
11.Apr.2018	L1	FAL 106	Organisation of the course; Motivation for NC and NC use cases (5G, IoT, Wireless Mesh); Butterfly example; min cut max flow
12.Apr.2018	L2	FAL 106	Inter Flow NC. Index Coding. Zick Zack Coding. CATWOMAN
18.Apr.2018	L3	FAL 106	Alice Relay and Bob scenario under IEEE802.11 networks and asymmetric traffic. Analog Inter Flow NC
25.Apr.2018	L4	FAL 106	Random Linear Network Coding (Basics)
26.Apr.2018	L5	FAL 106	RLNC advanced 1 (systematic and sparse RLNC)
02.May.2018	E1	FAL 106	Basic UDP transmissions over WIFI with Python. Example of Inter-Session Network coding: XORing packets
09.May.2018	L6	FAL 106	RLNC advanced 2 (sliding window)
16.May.2018	L7	FAL 106	KODO overhead and energy consumption. Heterogeneous packet lengths
30.May.2018	L8	FAL 106	Network coding for transport
07.Jun.2018	L9	FAL 106	RLNC extensions: Telescopic codes, FULCRUM codes, and the CORE protocol
13.Jun.2018	L10	FAL 106	Network coding for storage
20.Jun.2018	E2	FAL 106	Introduction to KODO. Lossless Encoding and Decoding
21.Jun.2018	E3	FAL 106	Code efficiency. Number of linear dependencies. Where does the linear dependencies occur?

Aim of this lecture module

Explain network coding in theory and practice

Explain the uniqueness of network coding

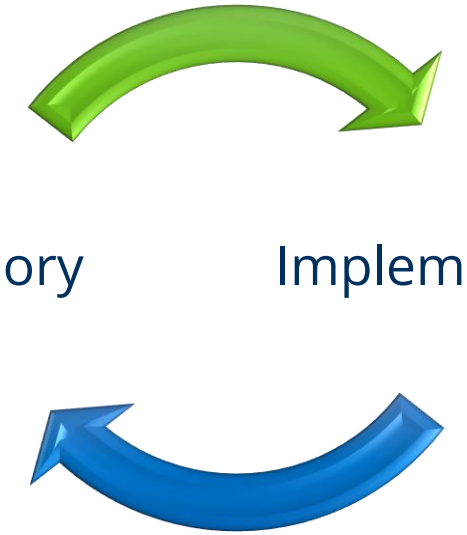
Describe a wide range of applications of NC in current and future communication systems

- 5G
- Storage as well as transportation

Important is the “hands on” parts aligned with the theory

- Please bring your laptop to all lectures and exercises
  - Preinstall software needed
  - Get KODO license from steinwurf.com/license

Research Methodology: Theory that matters!



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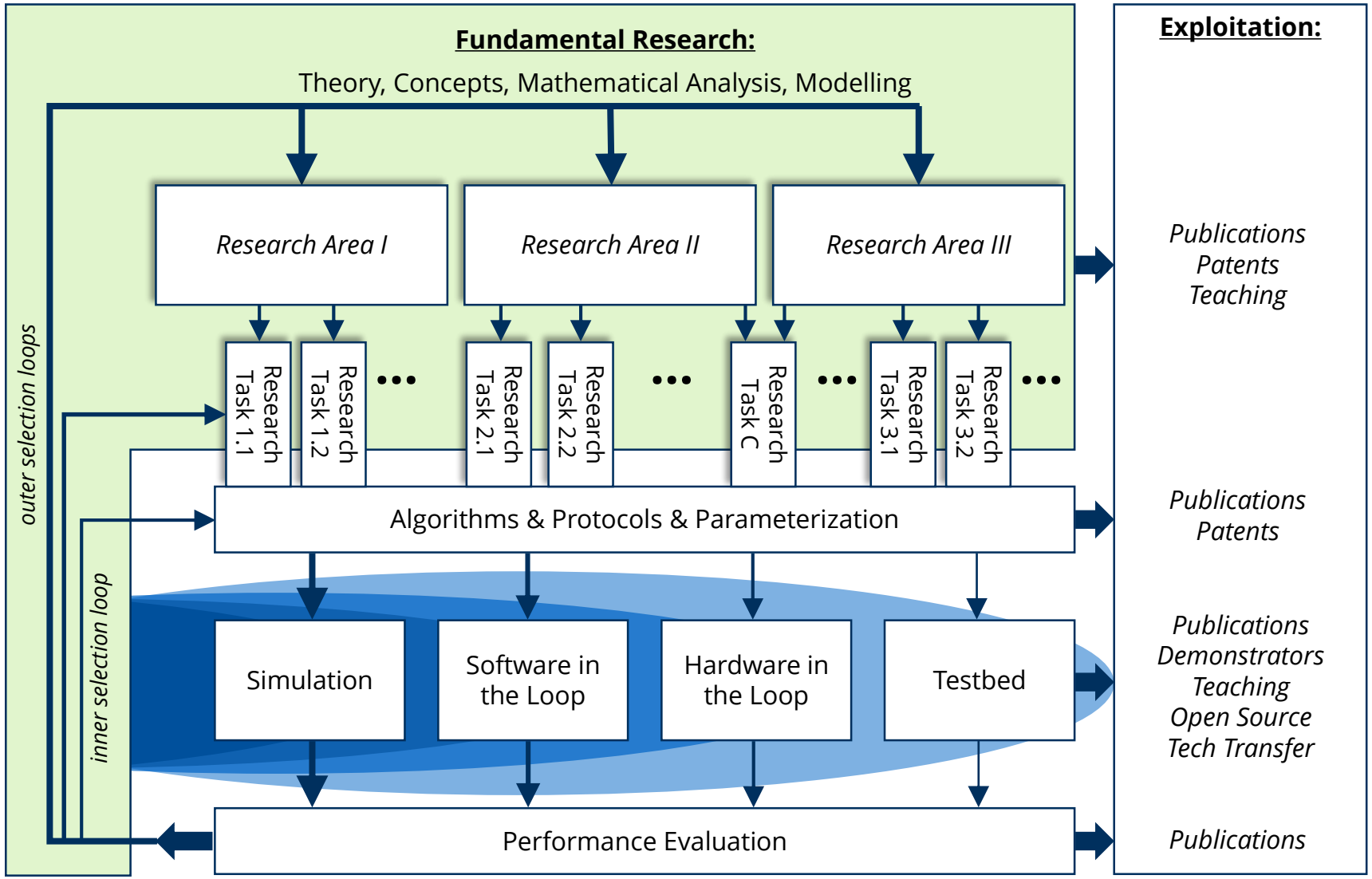

Research Methodology: Example

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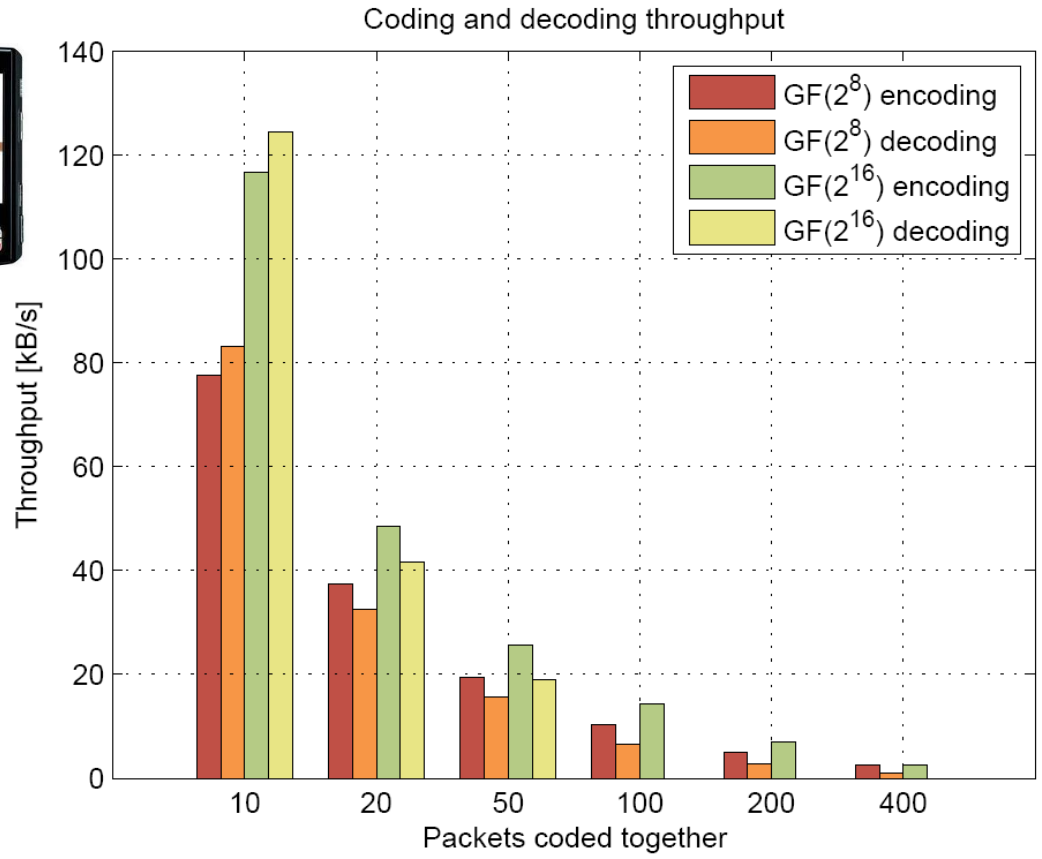

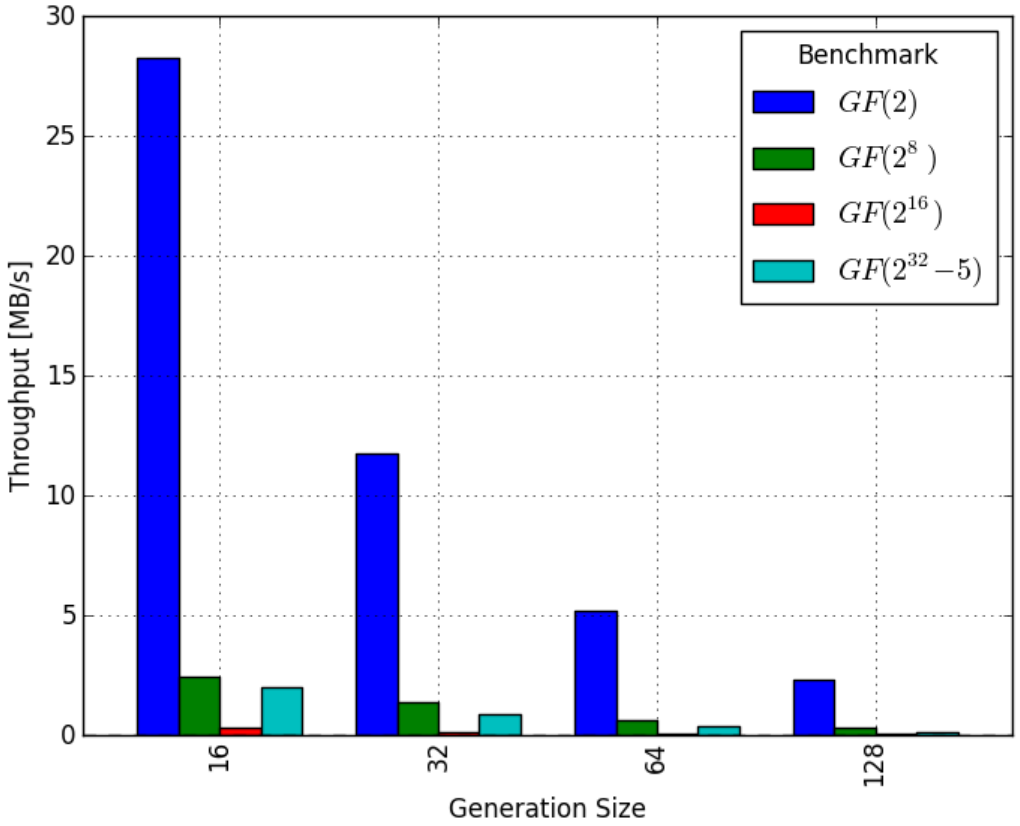

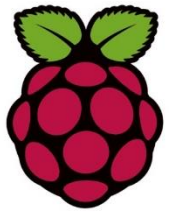

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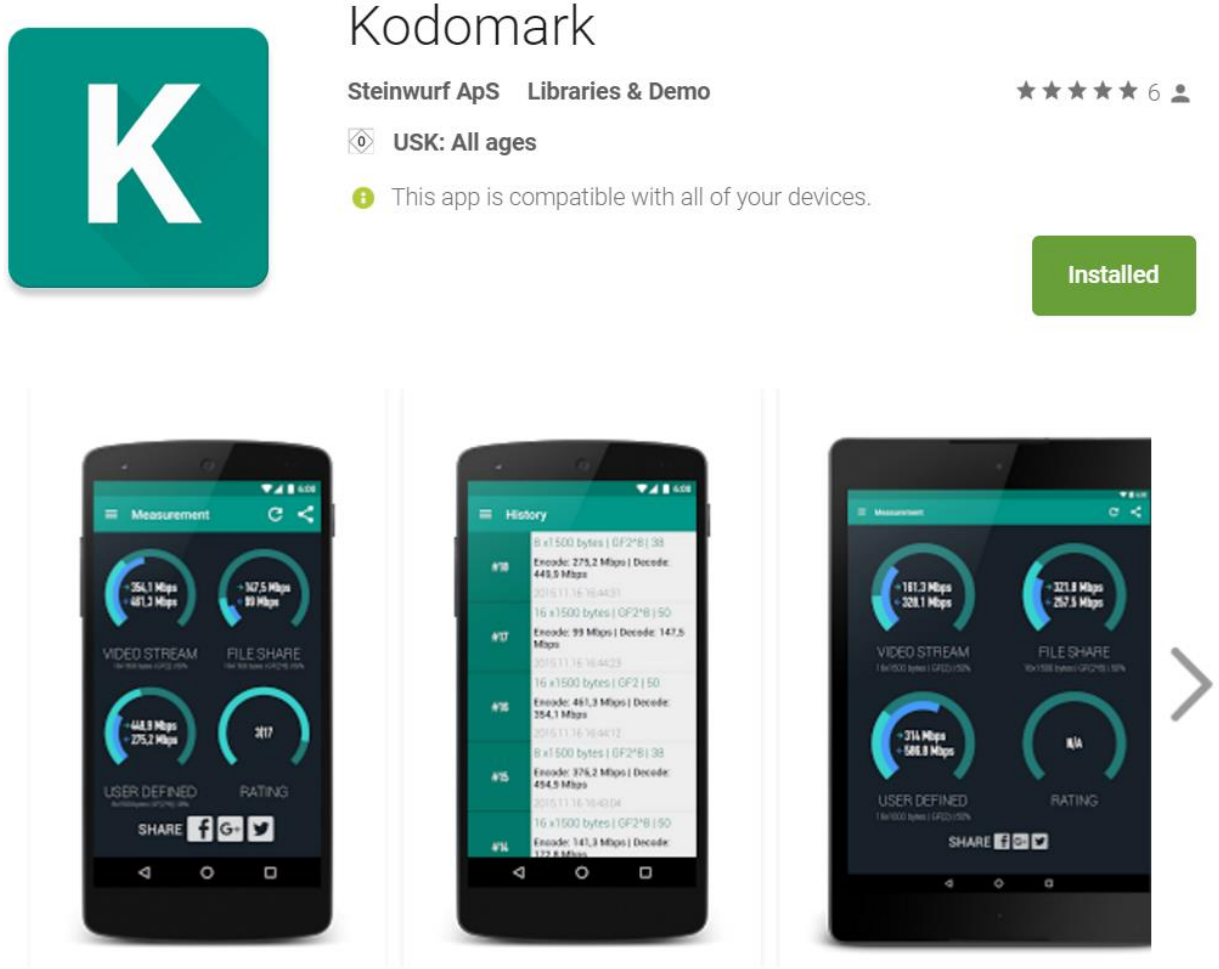
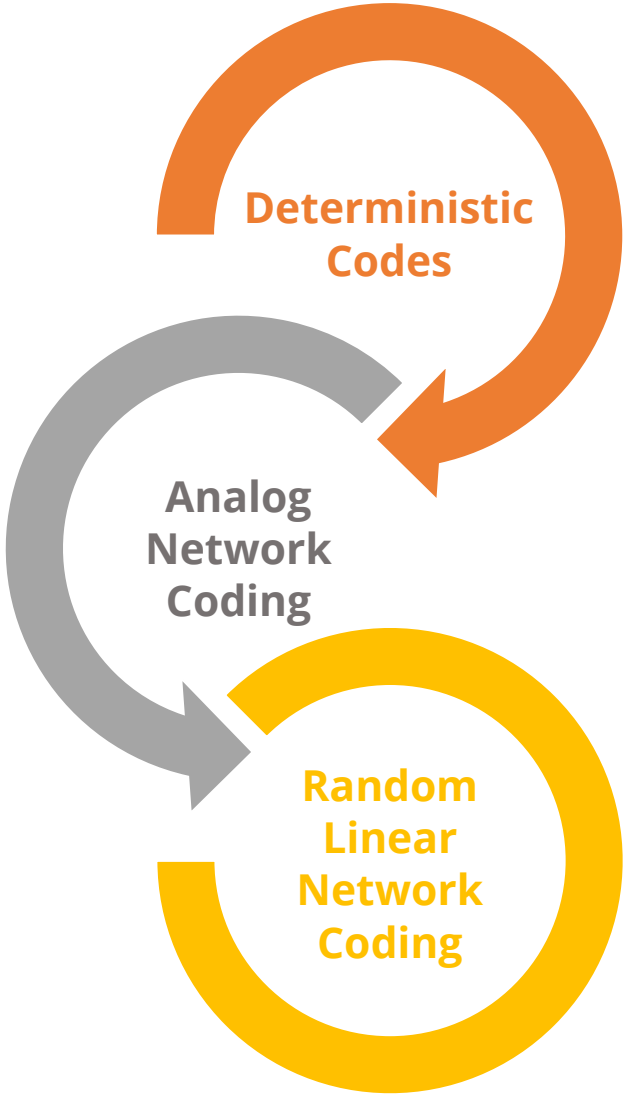


http://tinyurl.com/z7vsp4c

Please try it out and support our research! If you have an Android device simply install and press START! Change the parameters to learn about network coding.

How do we approach NC?

Extreme application of NC! In general the same ideas as before but more gains!



Let’s have fun! We play around with some smart ideas!

The real deal! Versatile code for all application fields! Complex but powerful!

5G Motivation

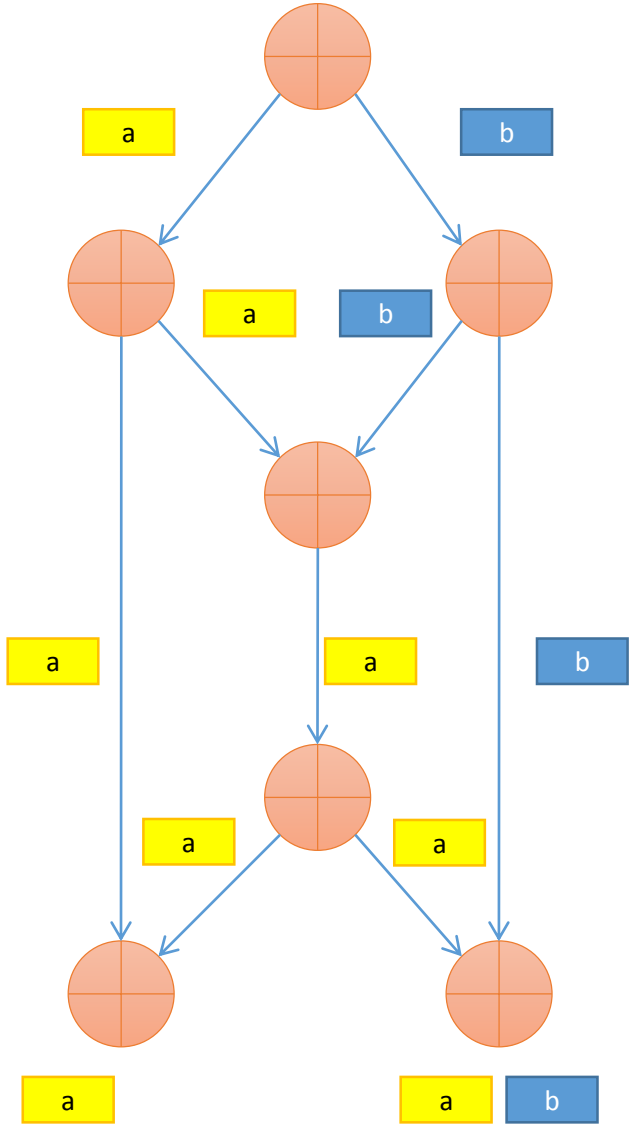
Digital Inter-Flow Network Coding: The Basics

Lecture 1

The Butterfly

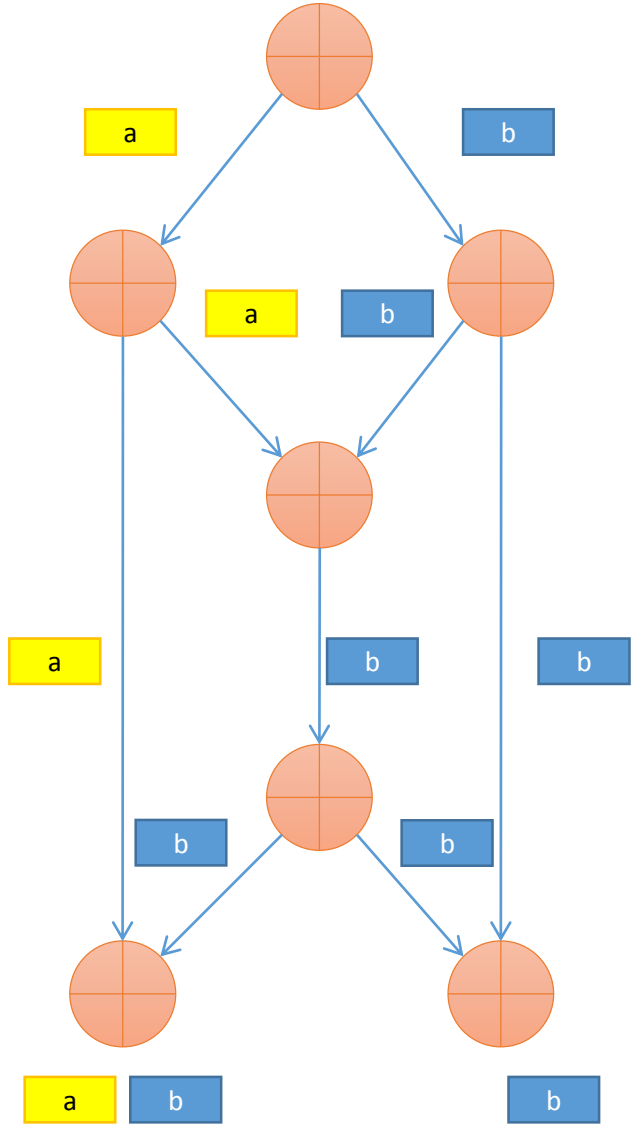
Network Coding: The Butterfly

- Two packets a and b must be conveyed to two destinations over a given network
- Assumption, capacity per link can handle one packet per time slot
- Bottleneck in the middle
- Either packet a or b will path the bottleneck
- One destination will receive one *unique* packet, the other two packets



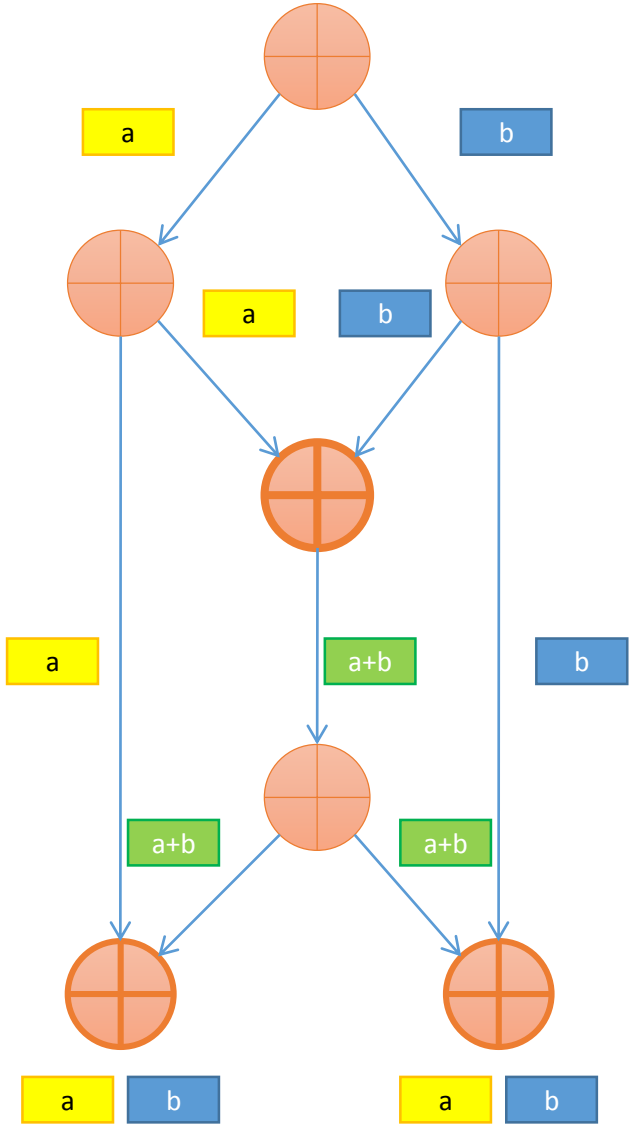
Network Coding: The Butterfly

- Let‘s try b instead of a
- Same old problem



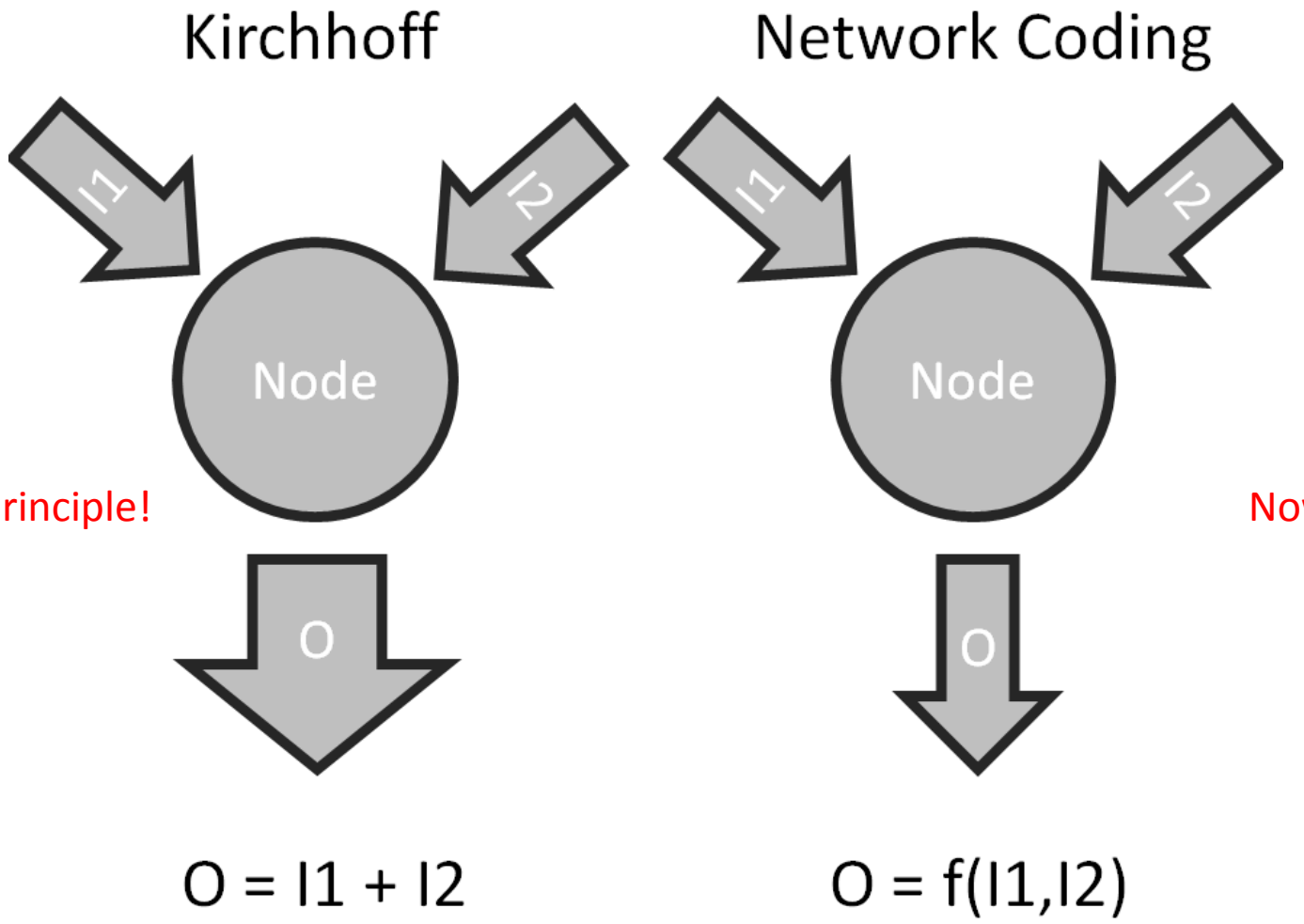
Network Coding: The Butterfly

- Ahlswede et. al. In 2000
- Coding the packet
- Other ideas were around
- Max-flow min-cut theorem



Ahlswede, Rudolf; N. Cai, Shuo-Yen Robert Li, and Raymond Wai-Ho Yeung (2000). "Network Information Flow". IEEE Transactions on Information Theory, IT-46 46 (4): 1204–1216.

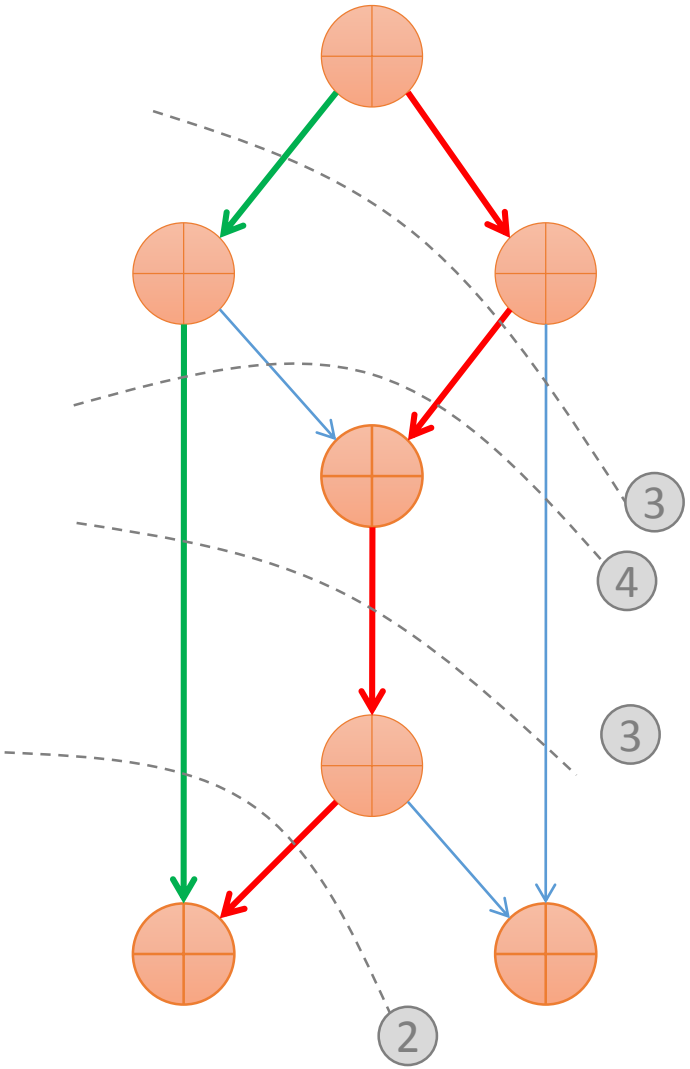
Kirchhoff versus Network Coding

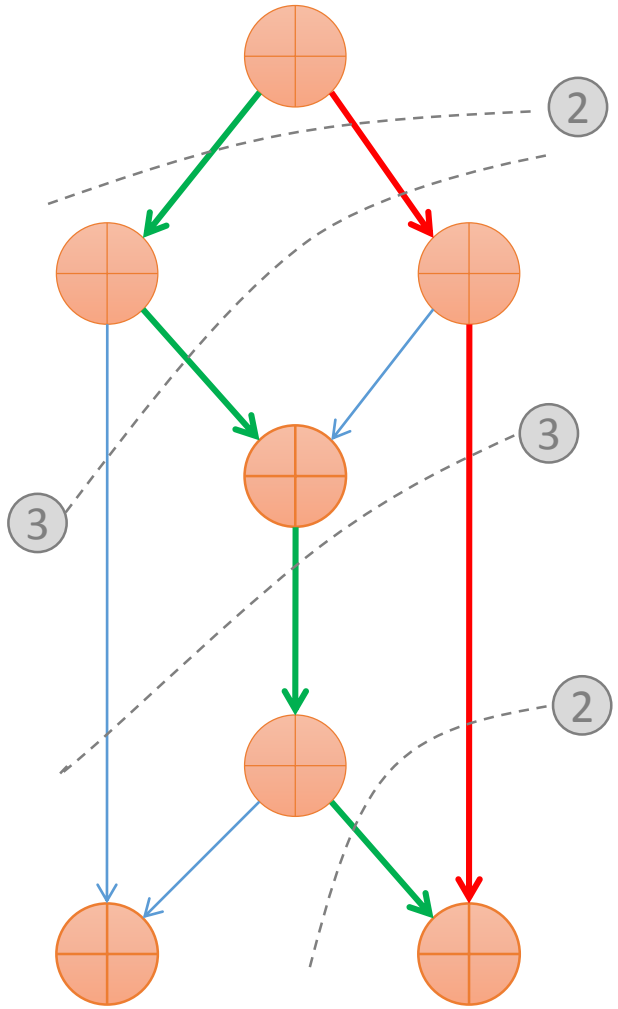


All engineers follow this principle!

Now we are alone ...!

Max-flow min-cut theorem





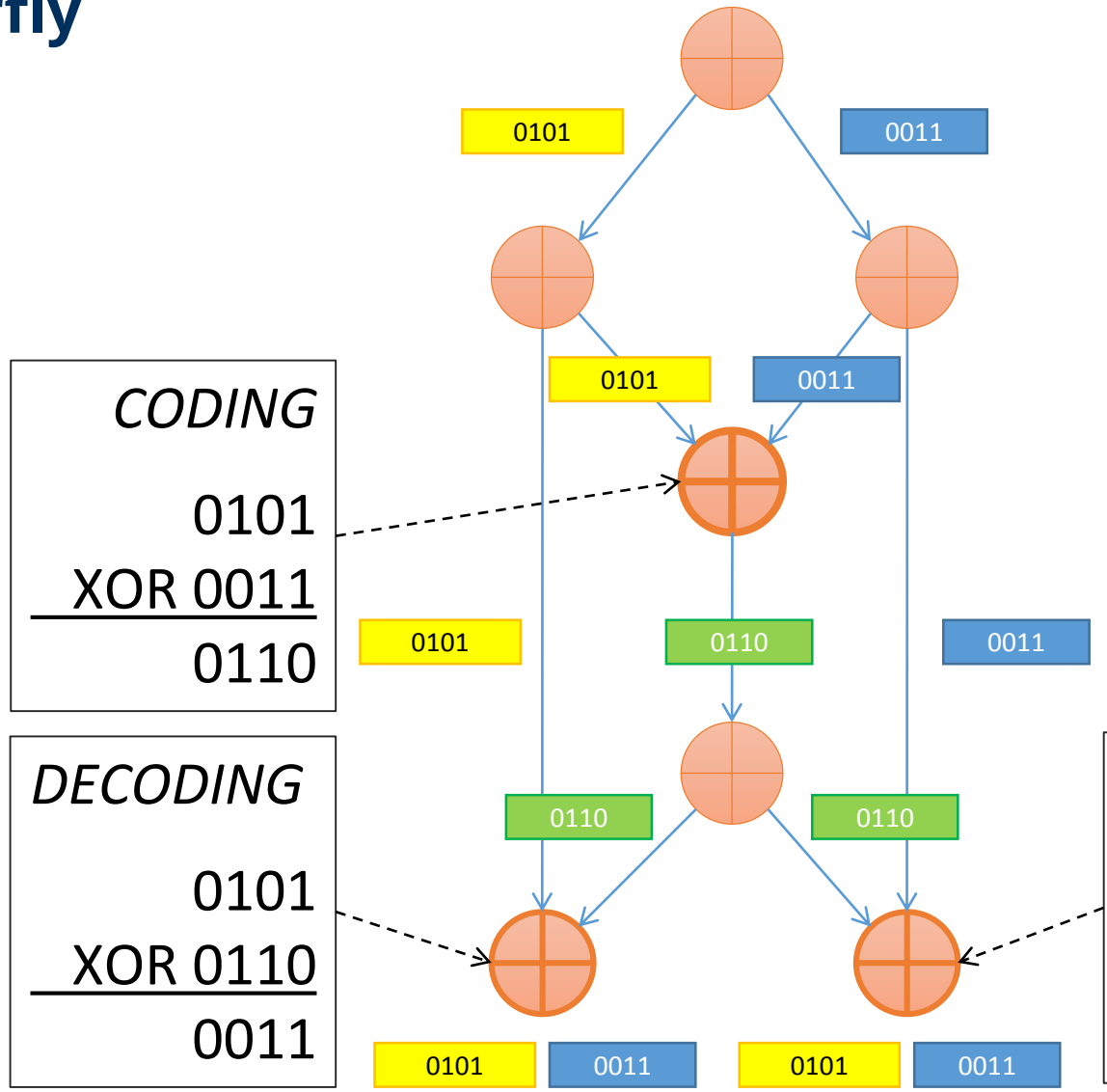
The existence of polynomial time algorithms is remarkable because the maximal rate without coding can be much smaller and finding the routing solution that achieves that maximum is NP-hard.

Jaggi-Sanders algorithm (2003): Polynomial Time Algorithms for Multicast Network Code Construction: S. Jaggi, P. Sanders, P. A. Chou, M. Effros, S. Egner, K. Jain, and L. M. G. M. Tolhuizen, “Polynomial time algorithms for multicast network code construction,” IEEE Trans. Inf. Theory, vol. 51, no. 6, pp. 1973–1982, Jun. 2005.

Network Coding: The Butterfly

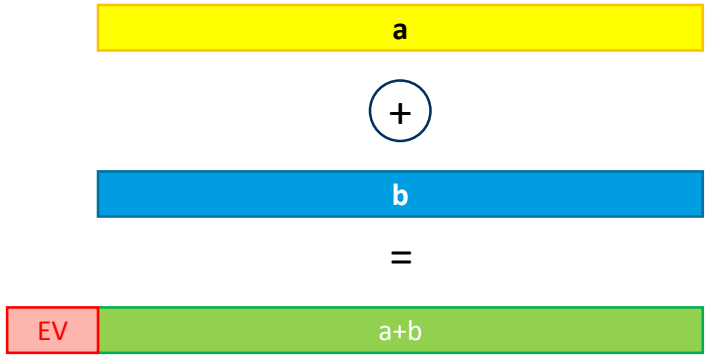
- XOR operation
- Bitwise operation
- Same bit value results in „0“
- Different bit value results in „1“

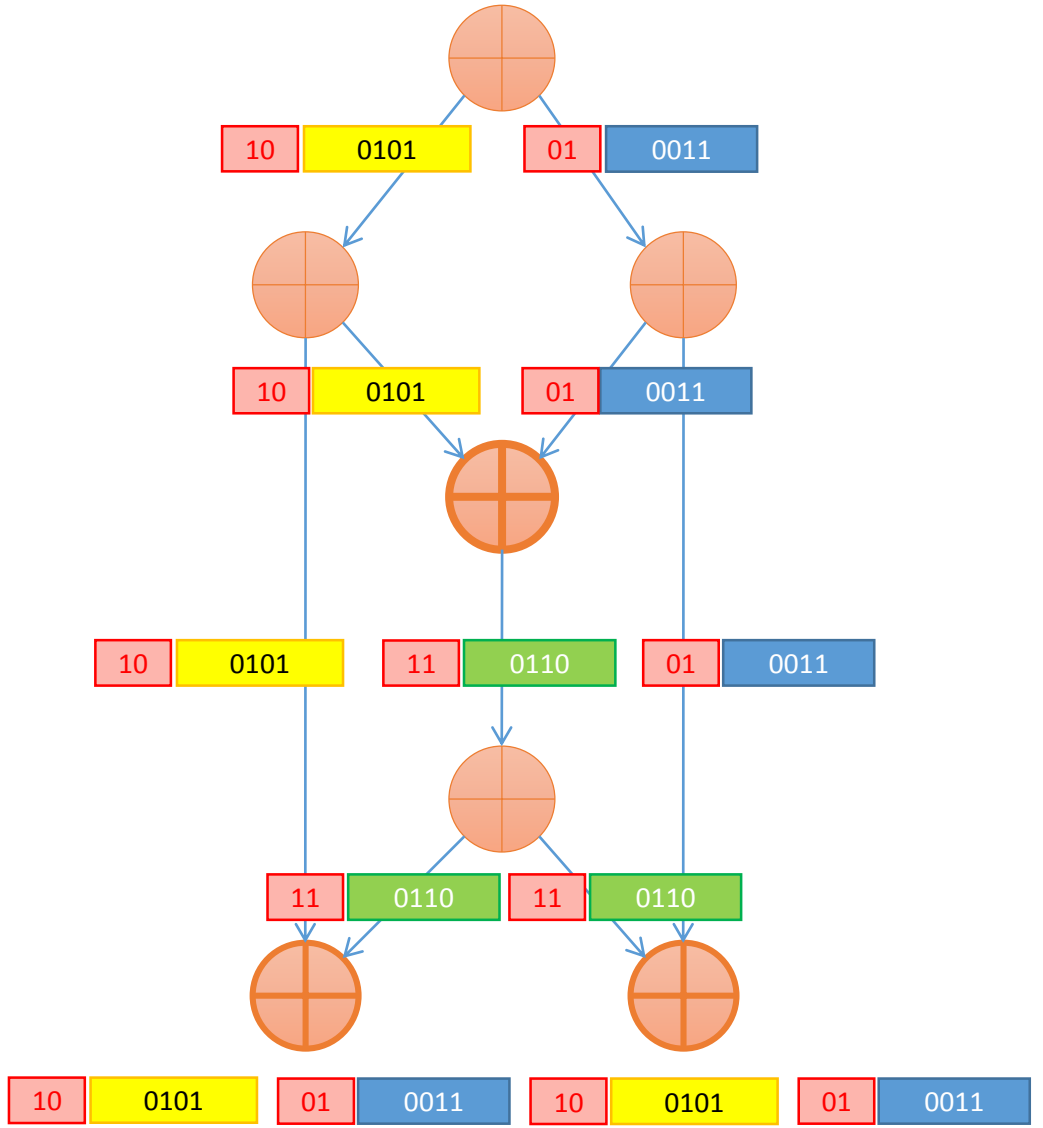
Input 1	0	1	0	1
Input 2	0	0	1	1
Result	**0**	**1**	**1**	**0**



Network Coding: The Butterfly

- Adding complexity at some nodes of the network
- Adding overhead in order to know what was coded together (encoding vector)





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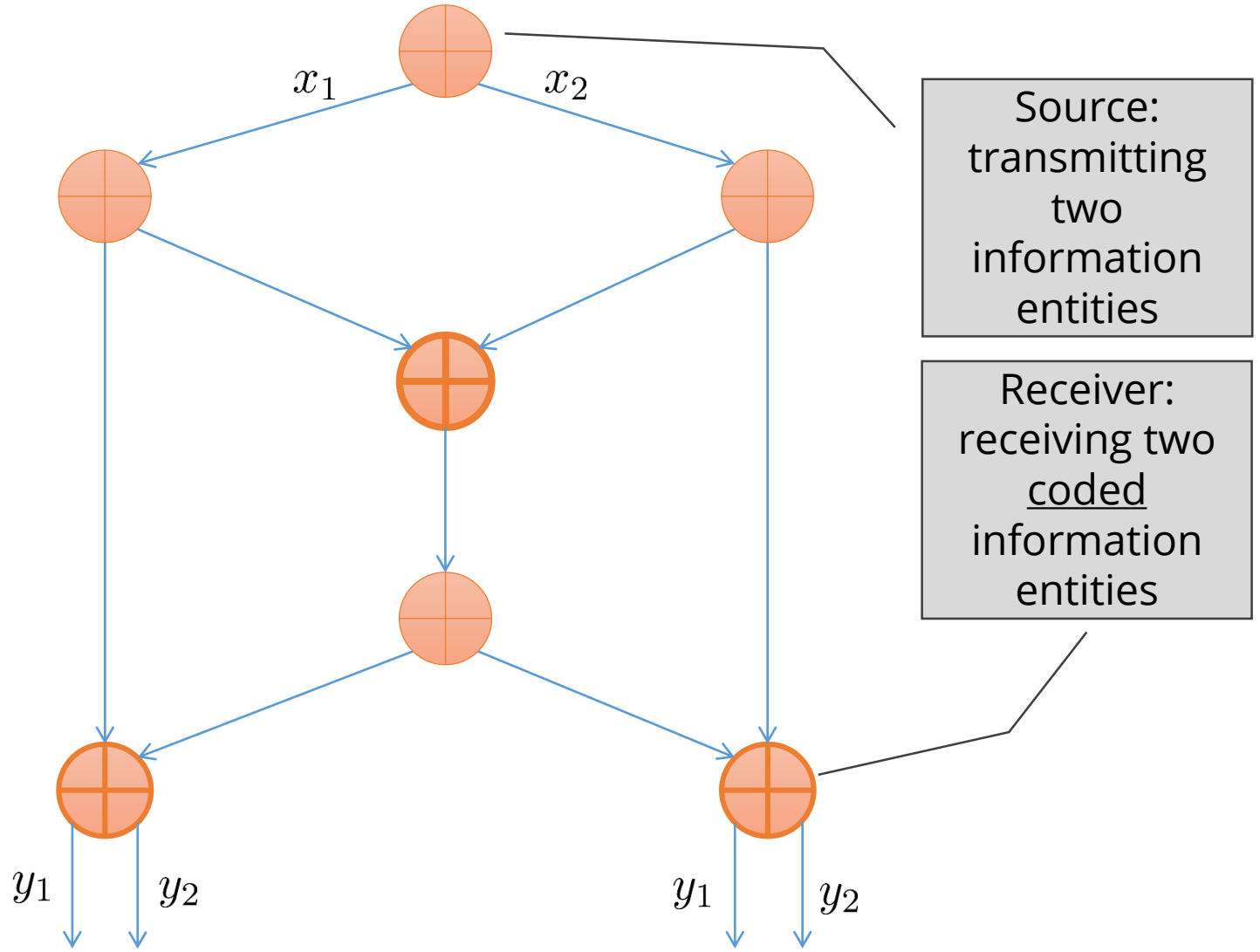
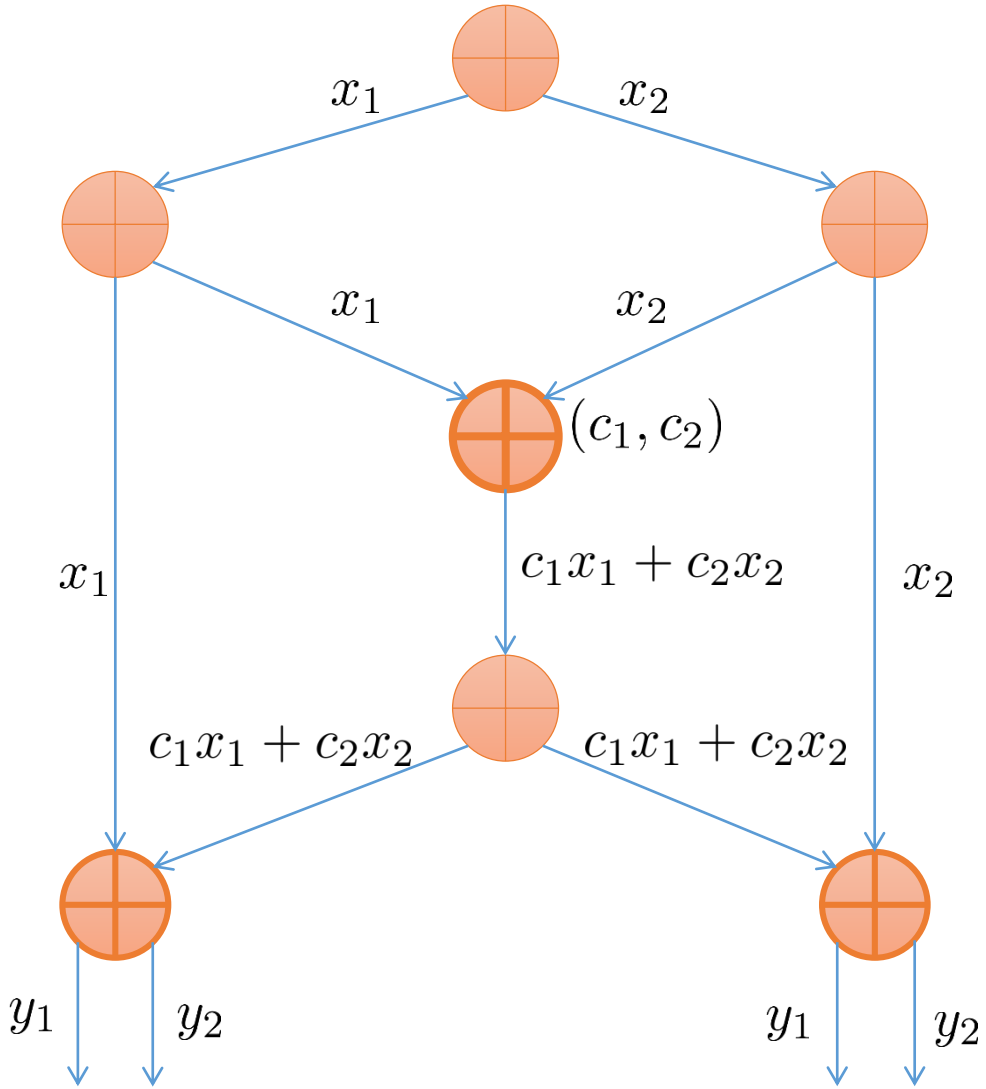


Source: transmitting two information entities

Receiver: receiving two coded information entities

Network Coding: The Butterfly



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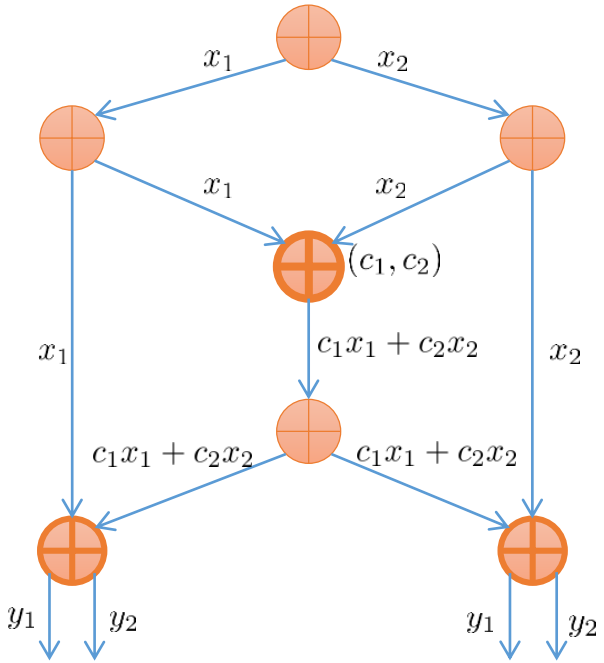

$$\begin{aligned} y_1 &= x_1 \\ y_2 &= c_1x_1 + c_2x_2 \end{aligned} \qquad \begin{aligned} y_1 &= c_1x_1 + c_2x_2 \\ y_2 &= x_2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ c_1 & c_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} \qquad \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} c_1 & c_2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

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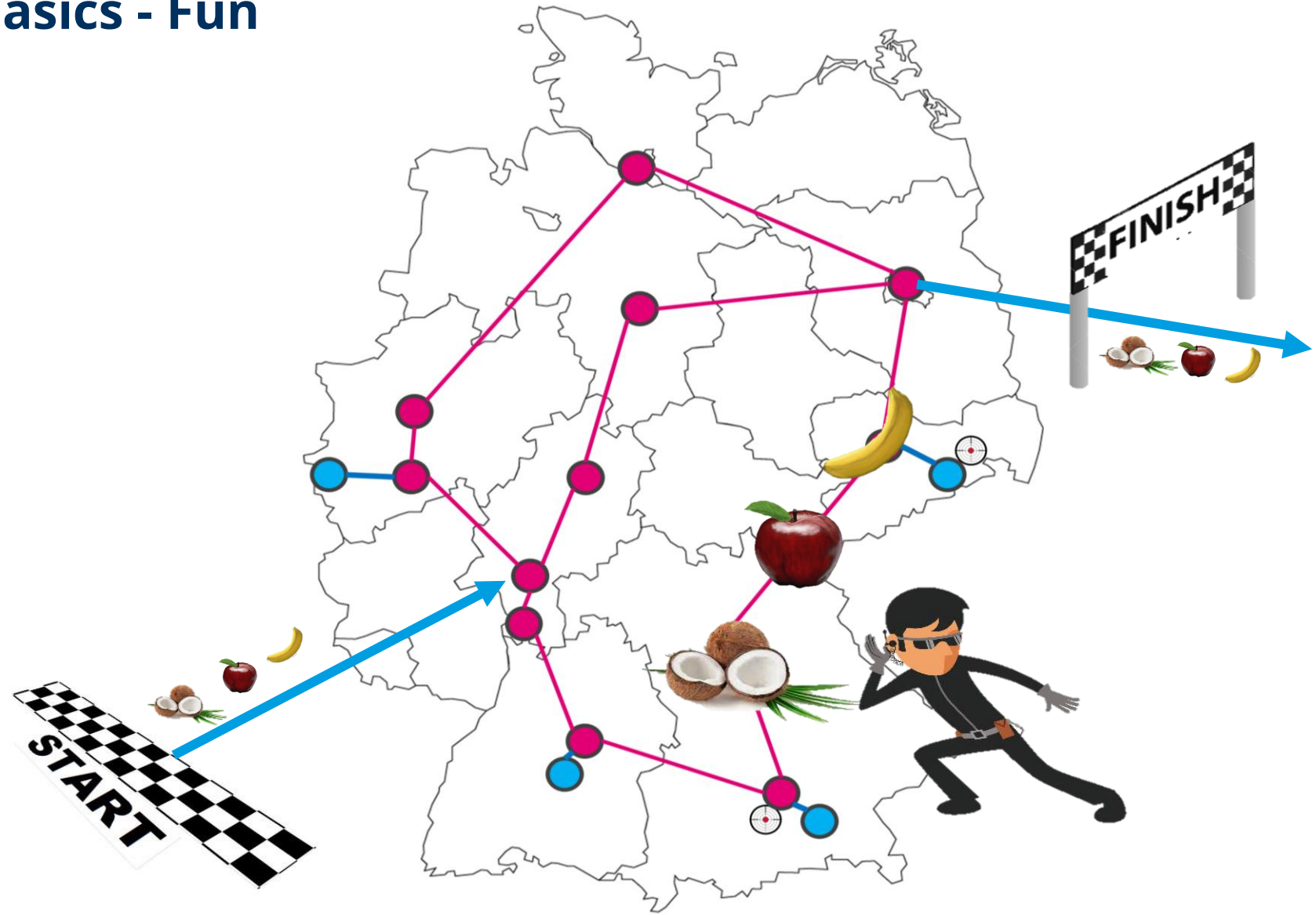

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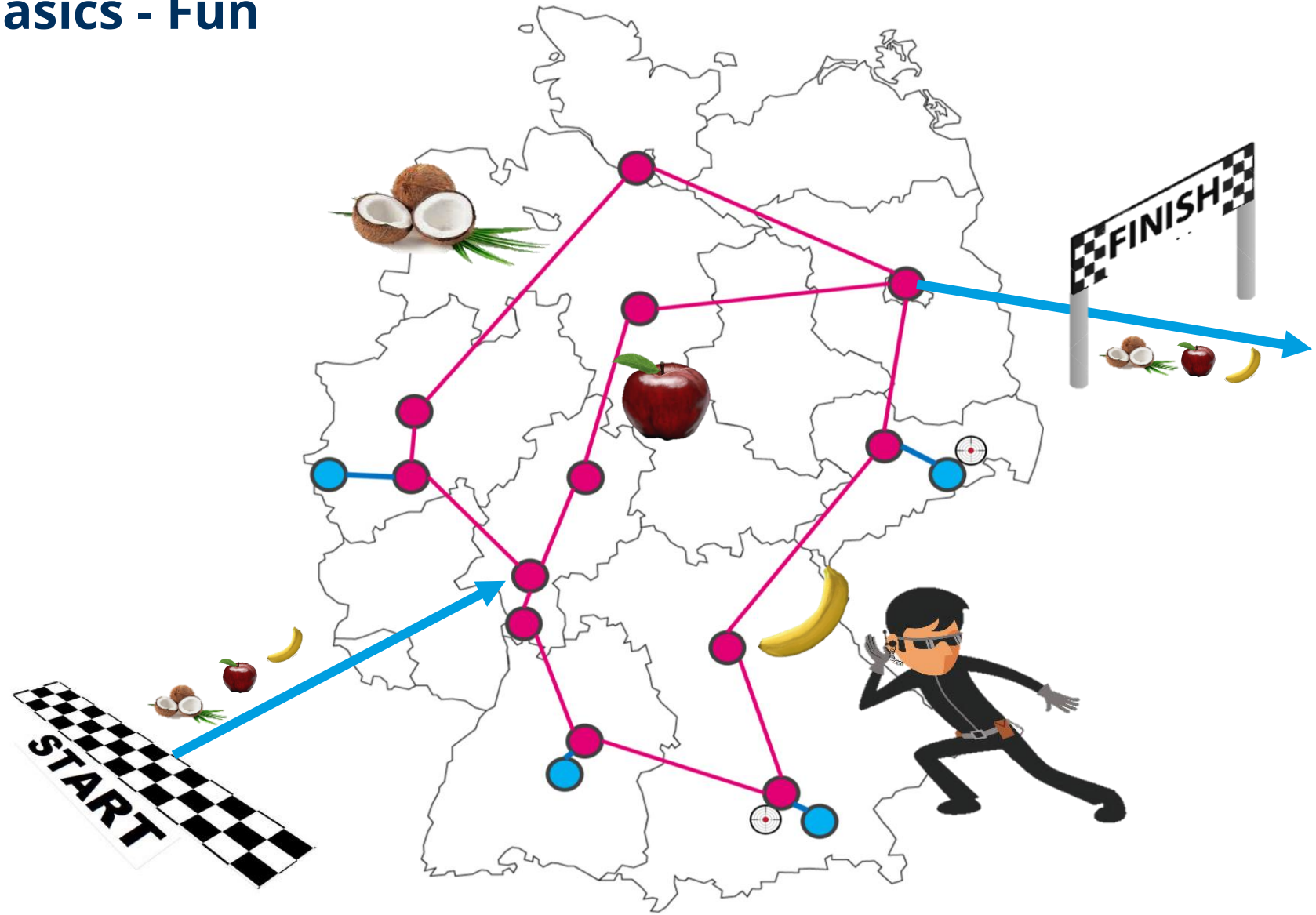

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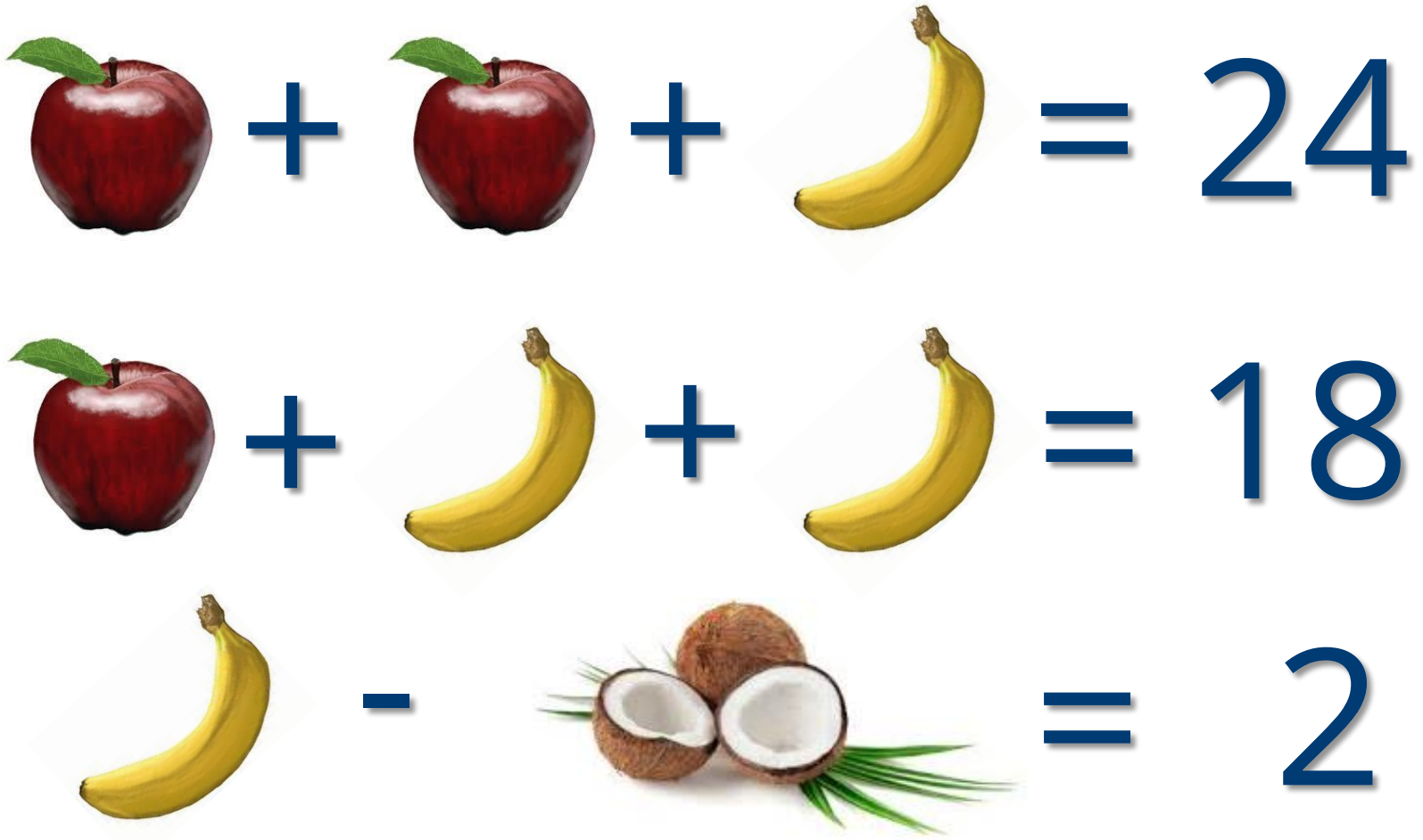

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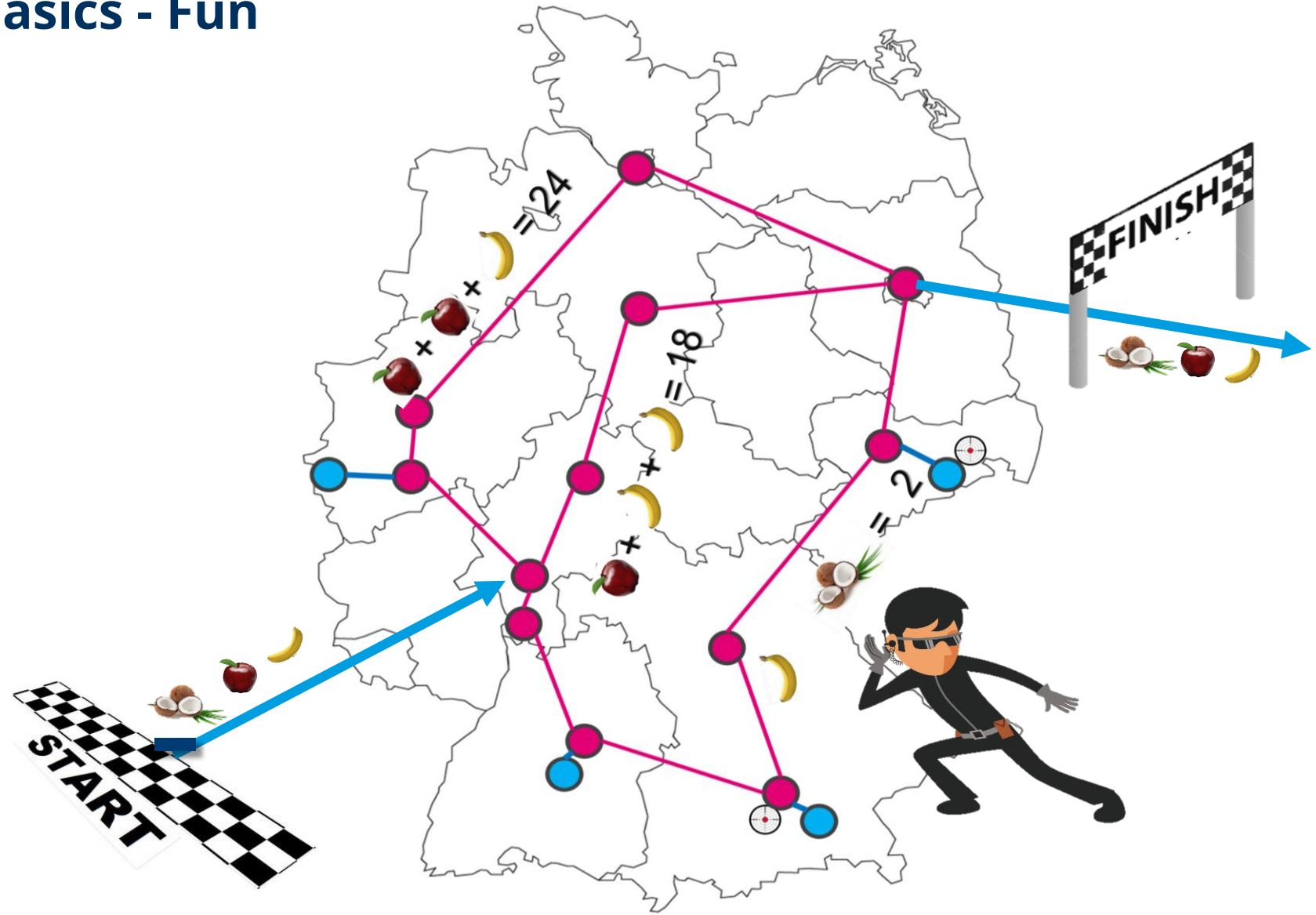
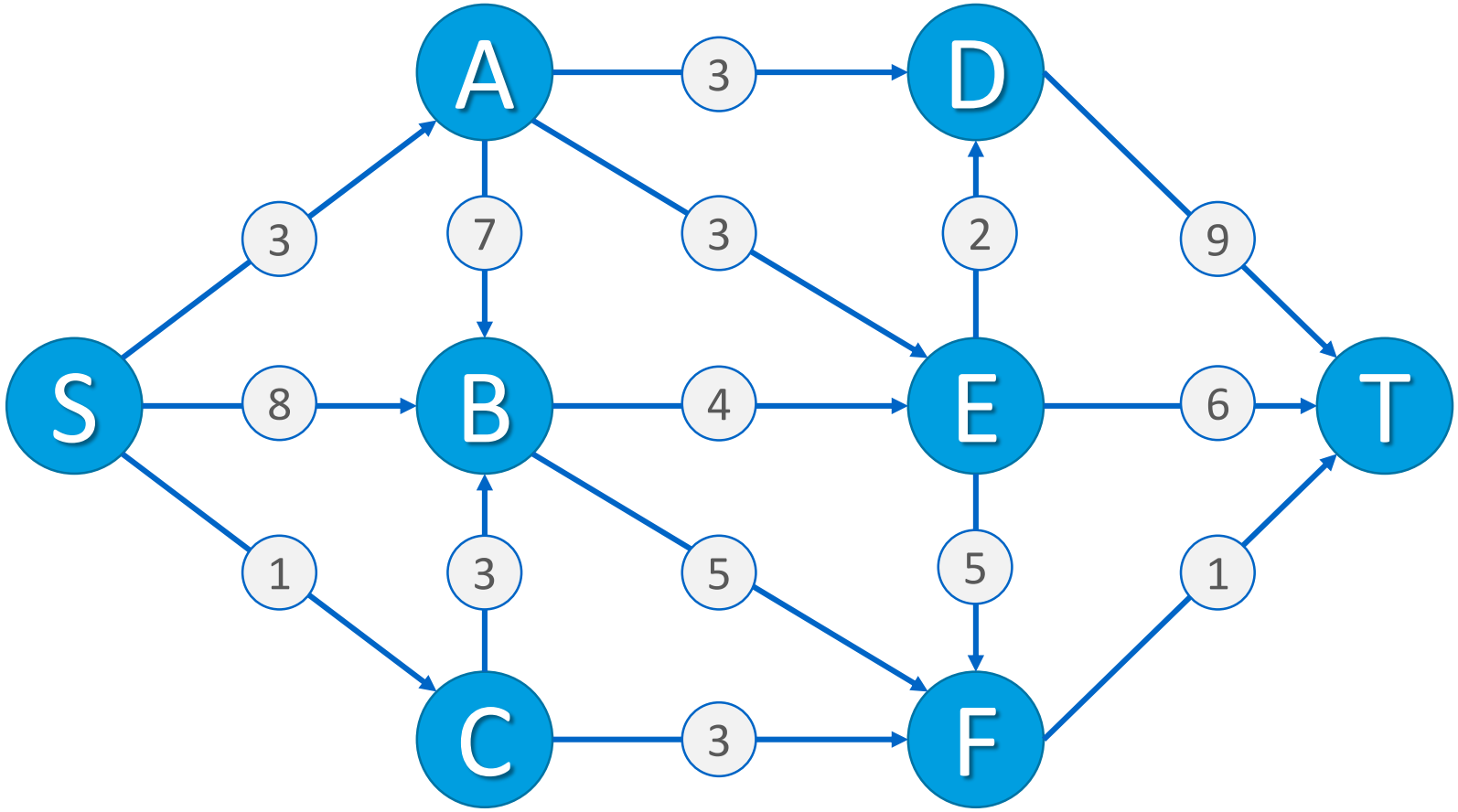


Min-Cut

Cuts of Flow Networks



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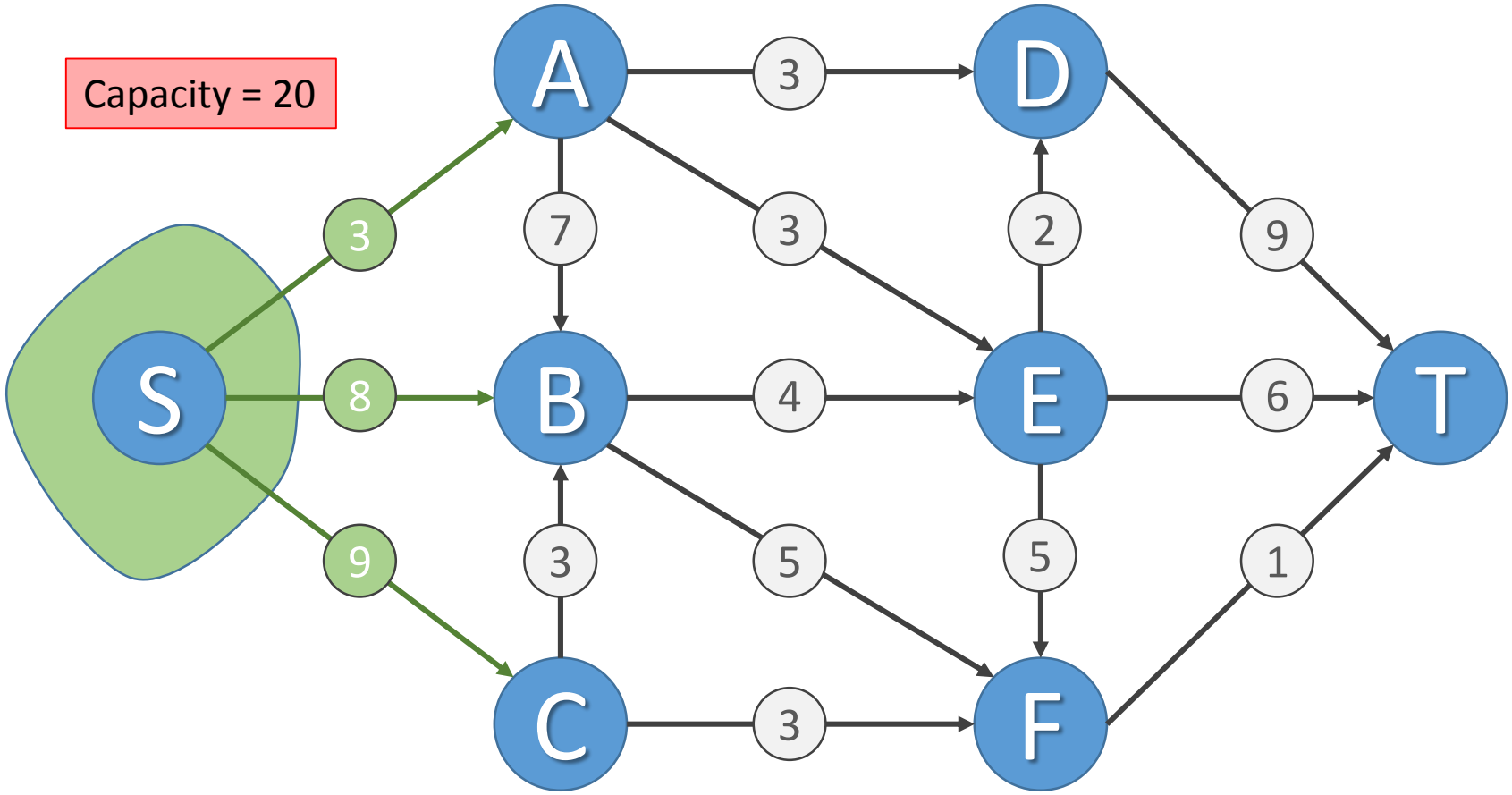

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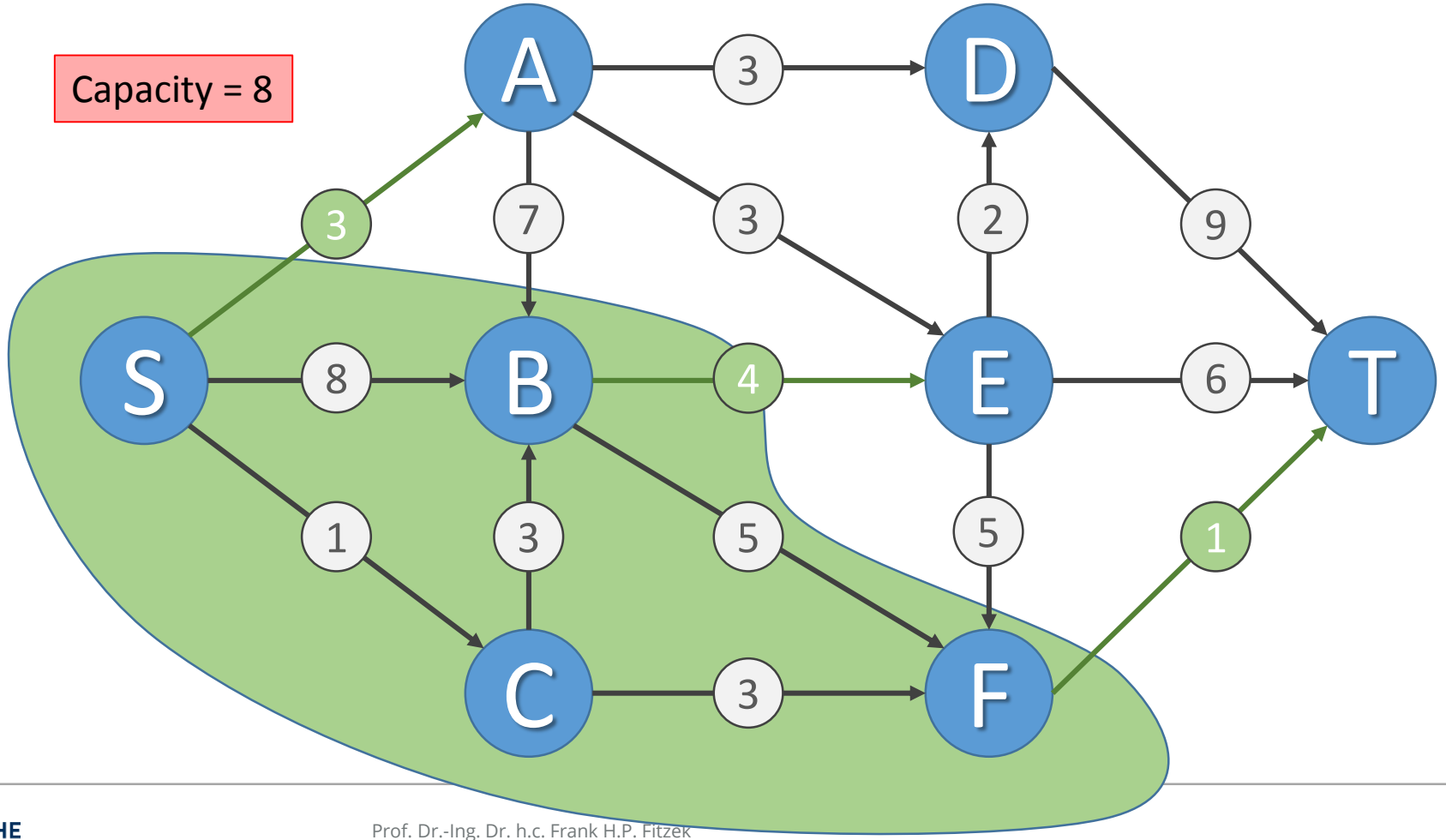

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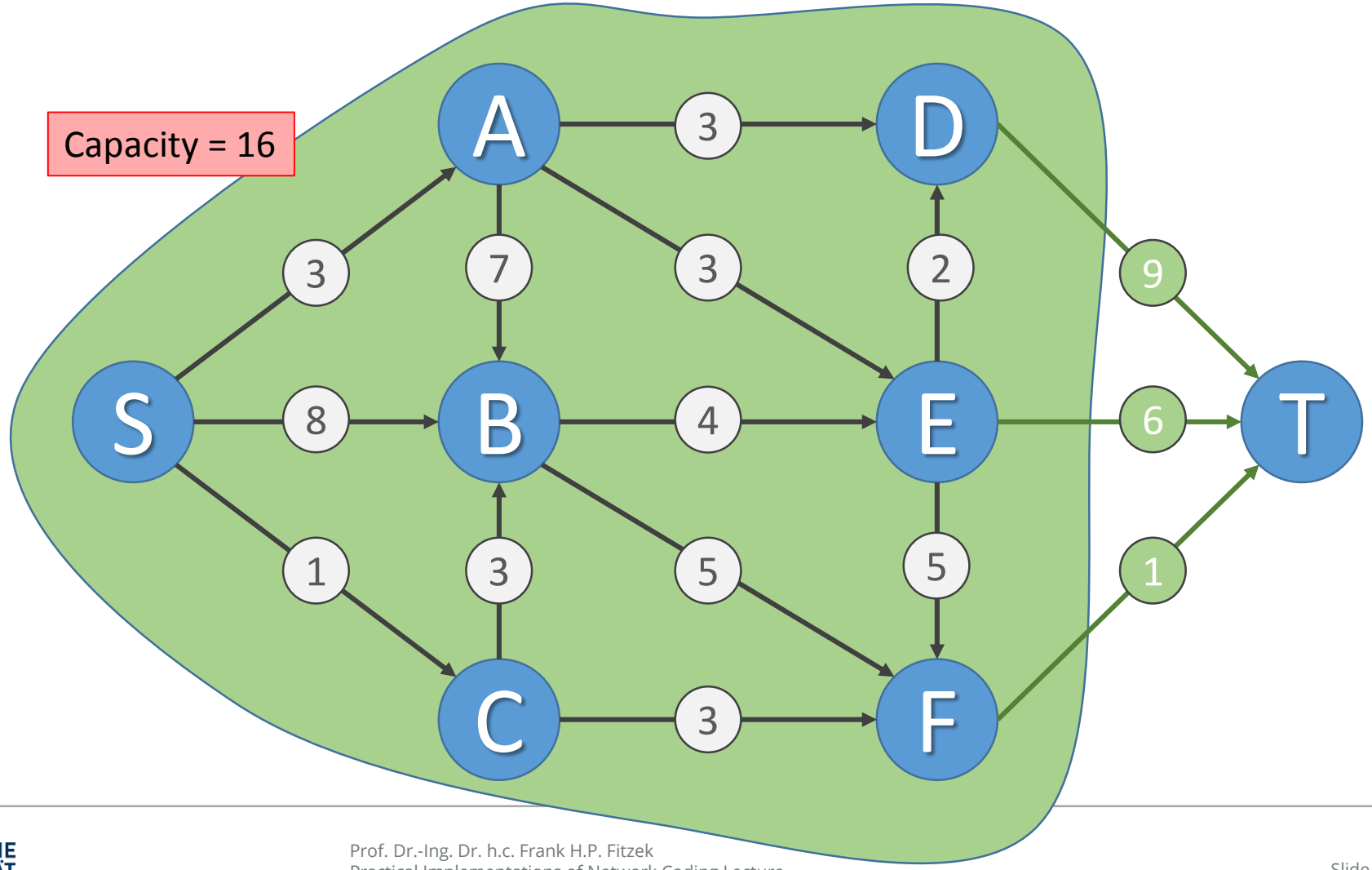

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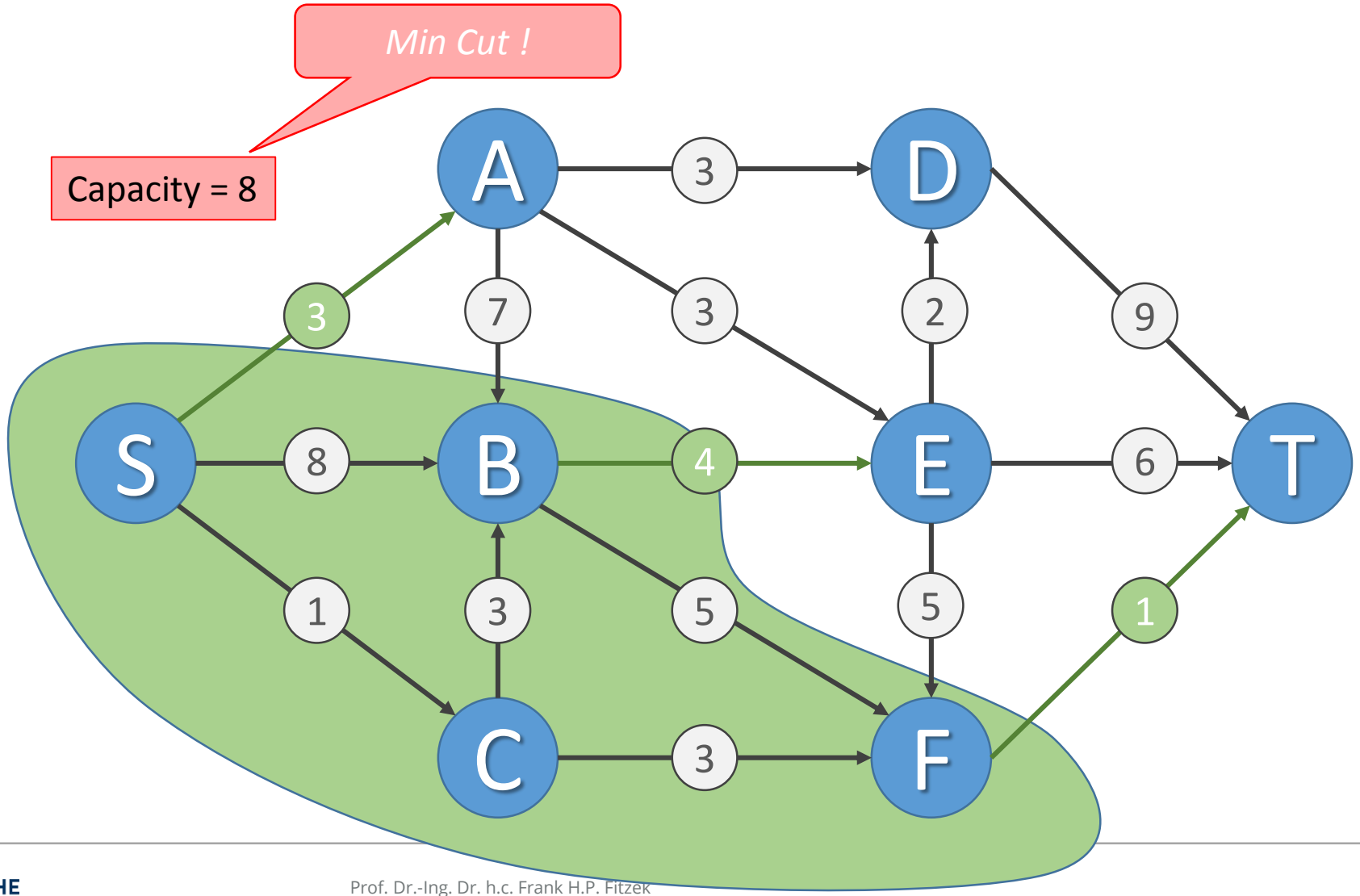

Ford-Fulkerson

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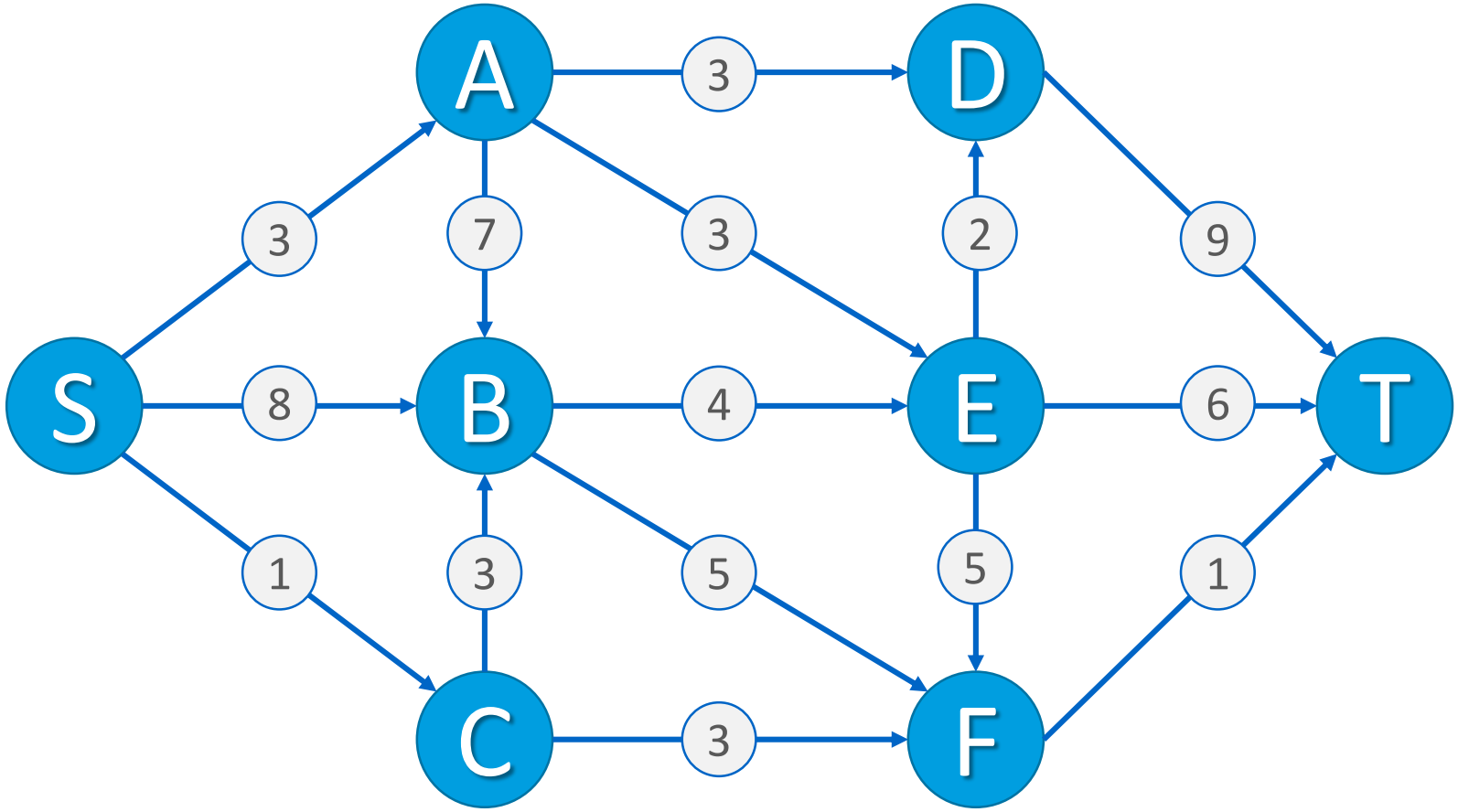

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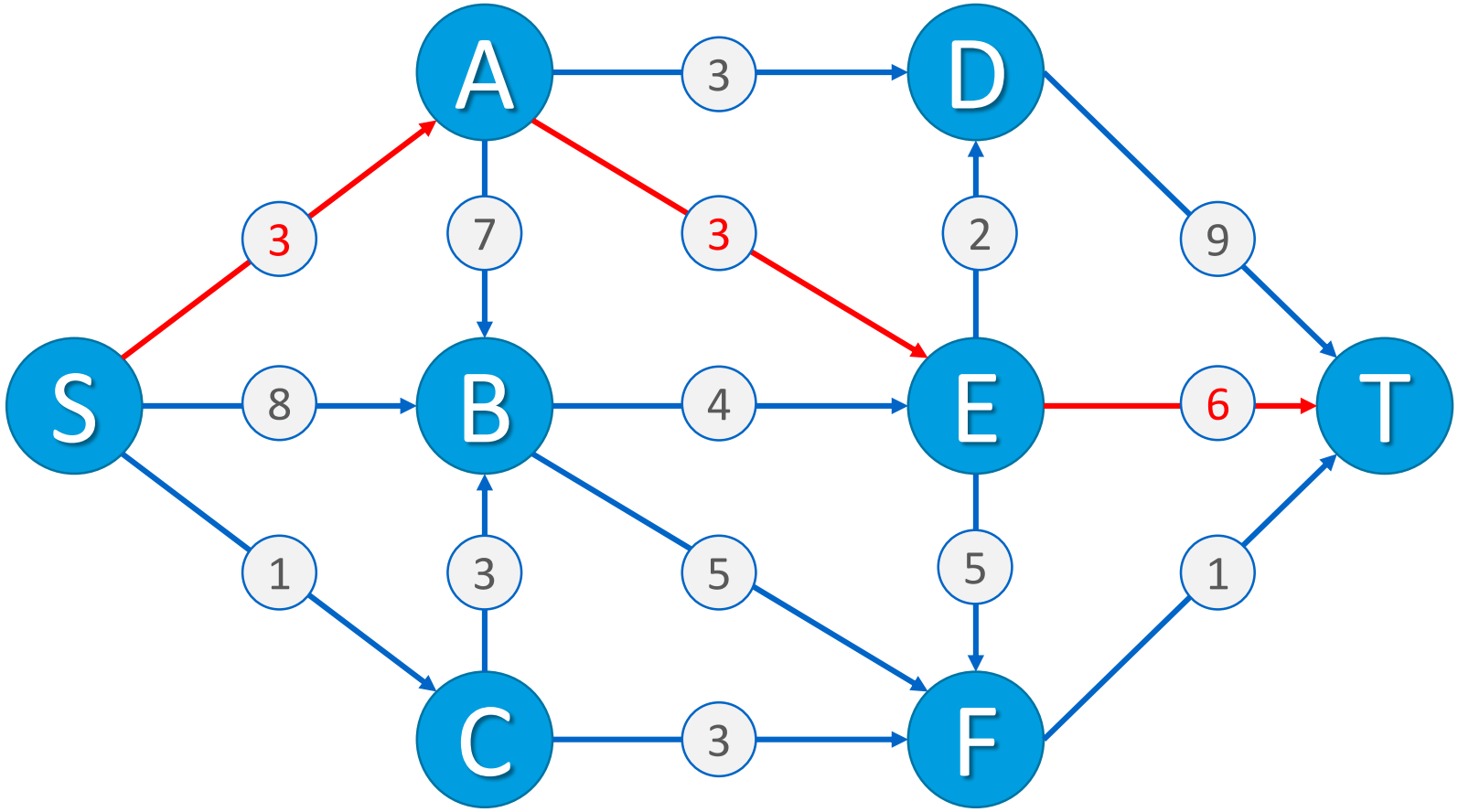

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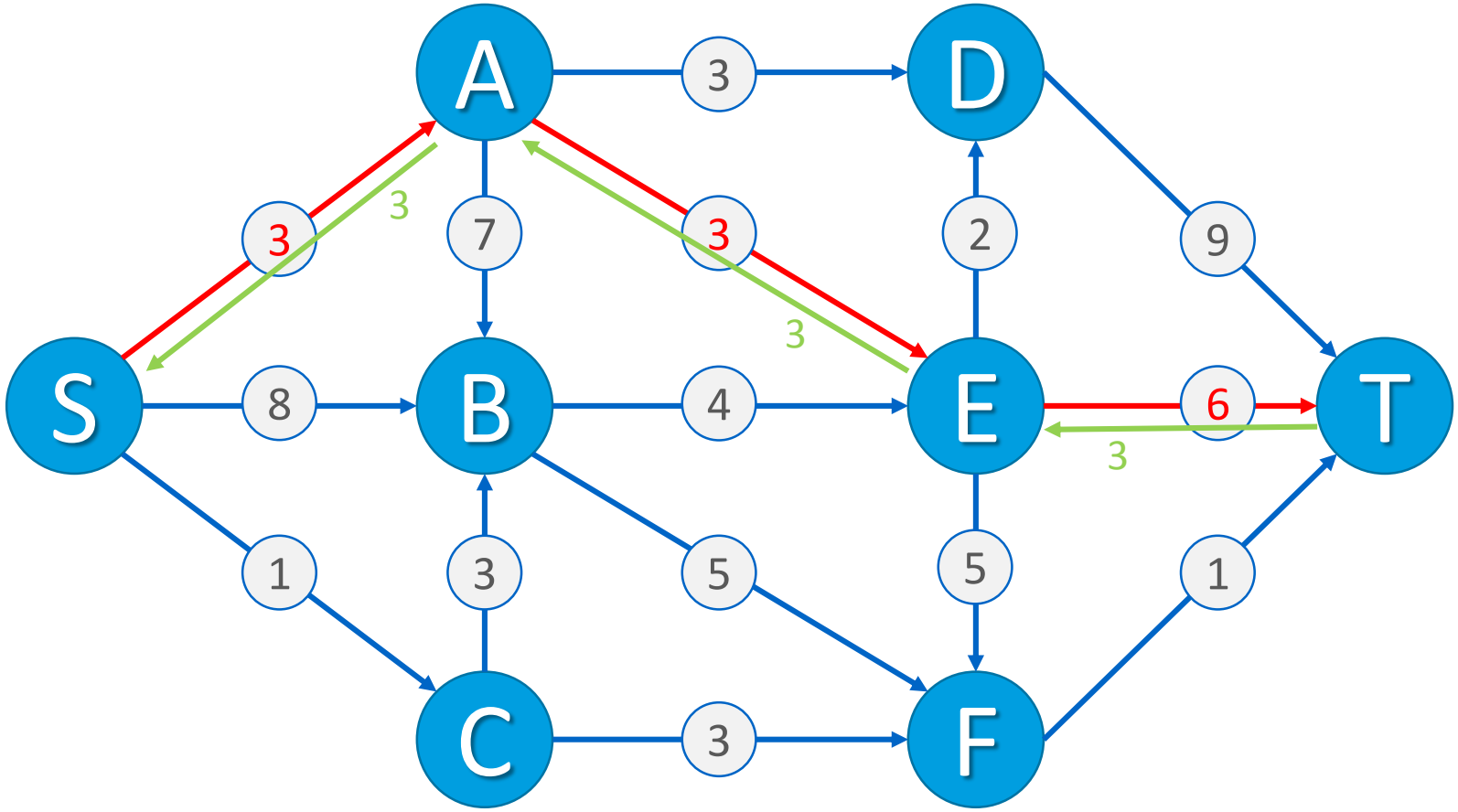

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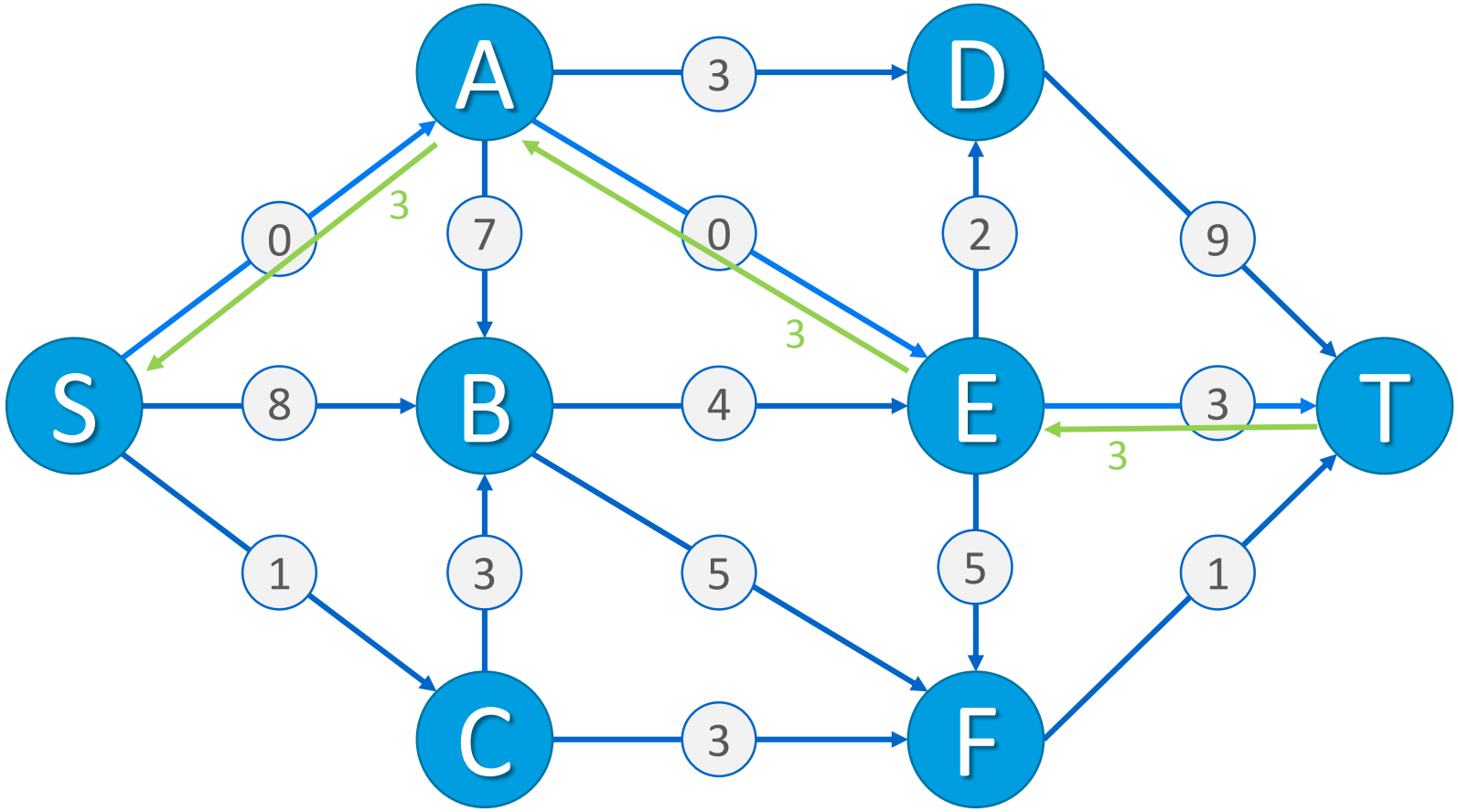

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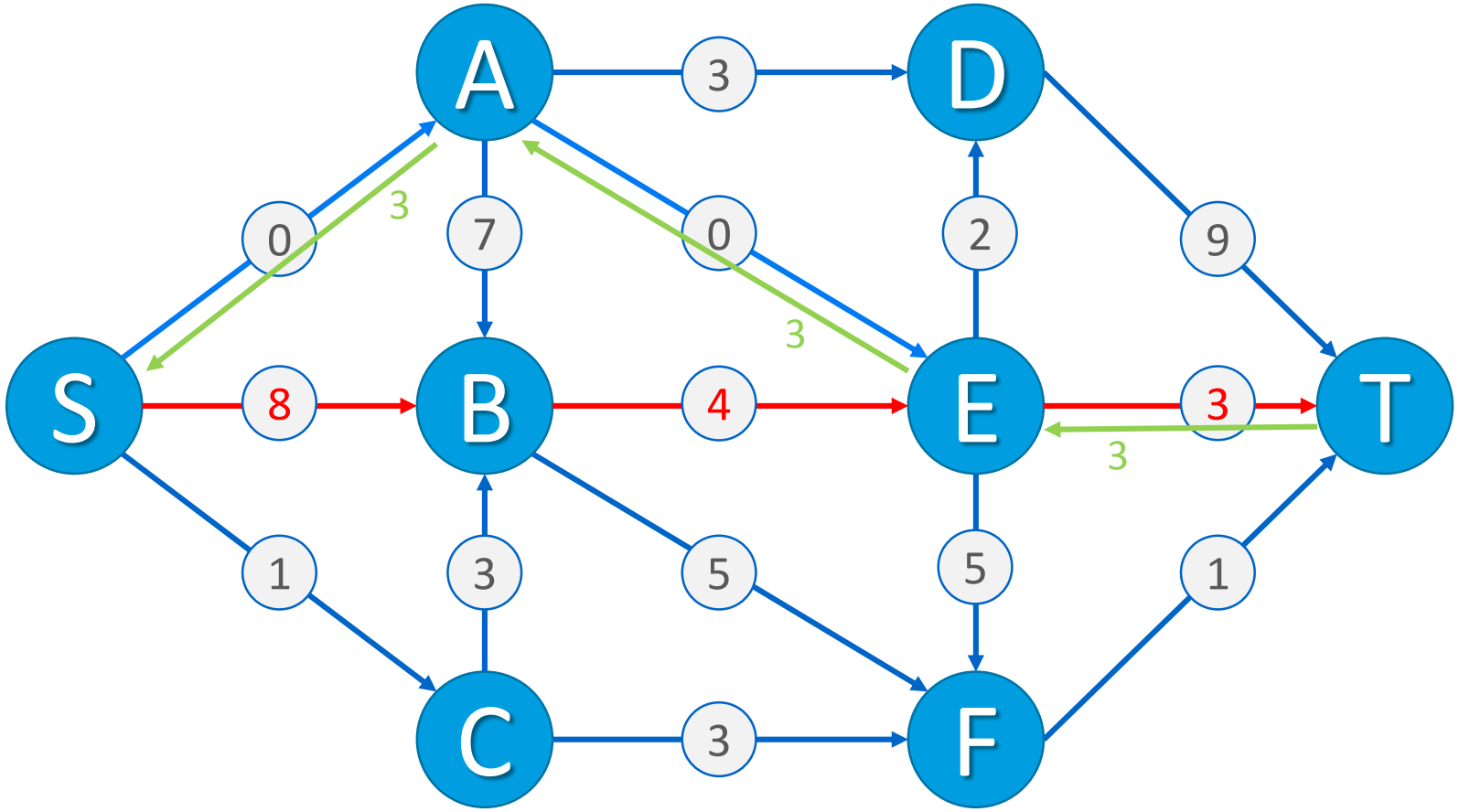

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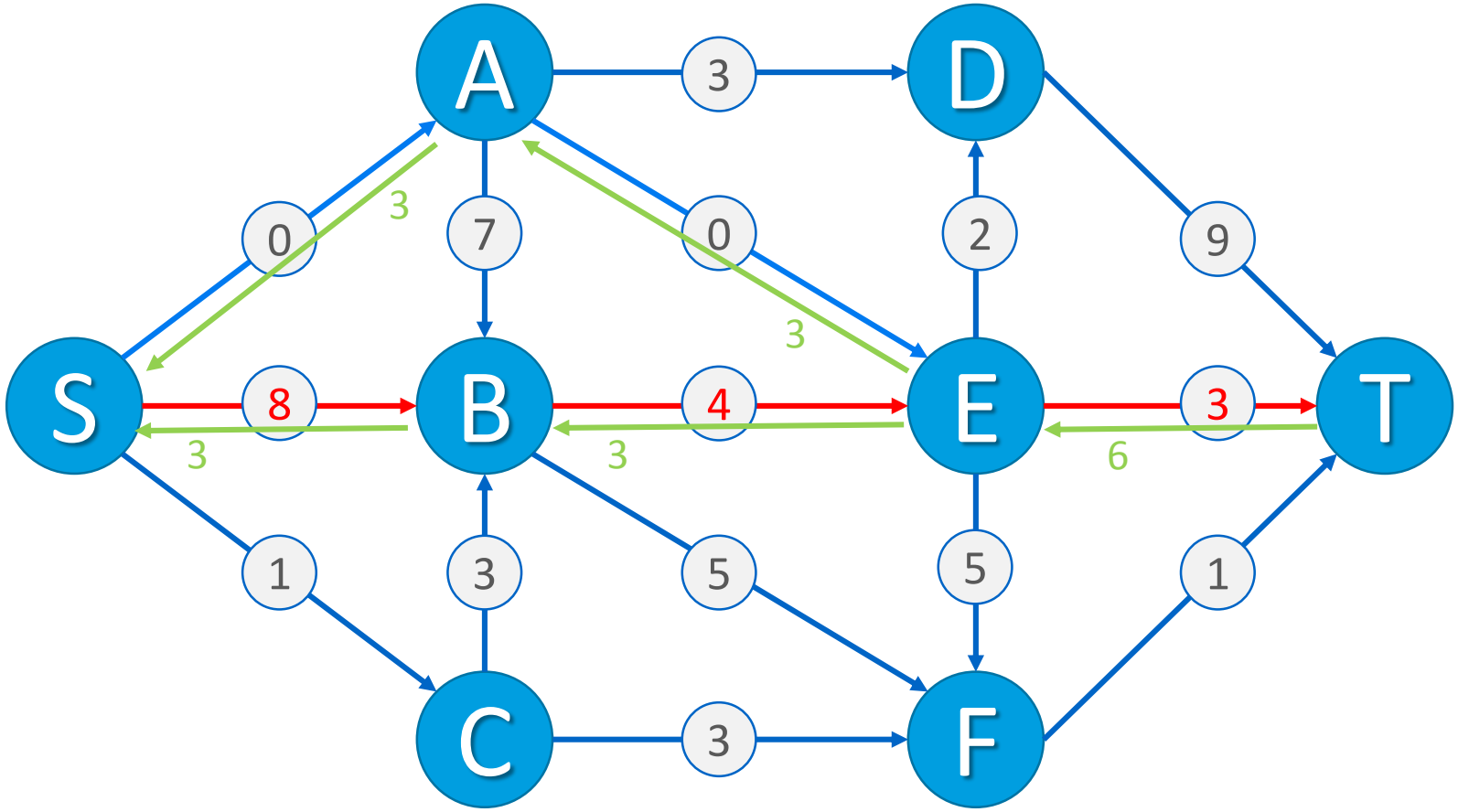

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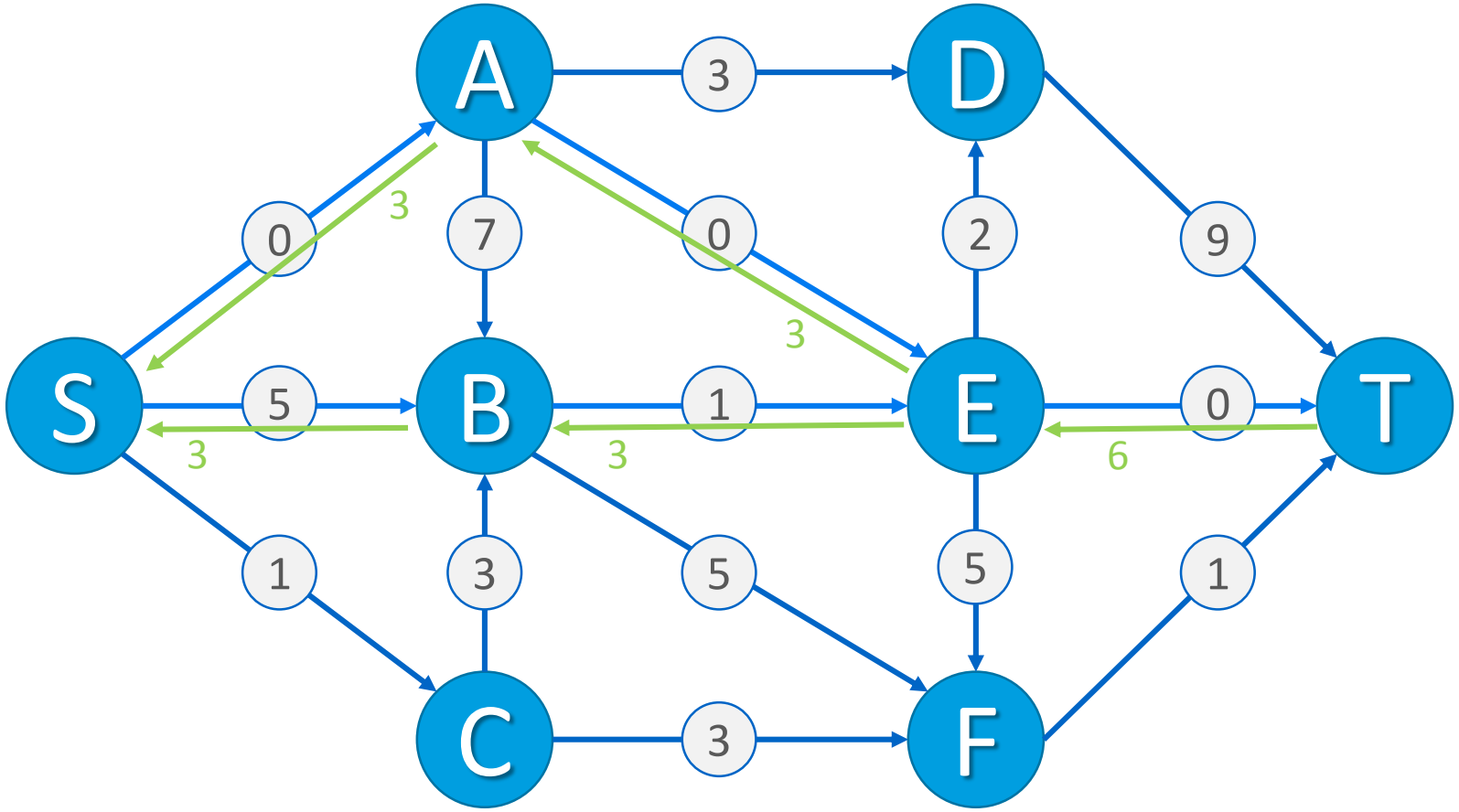

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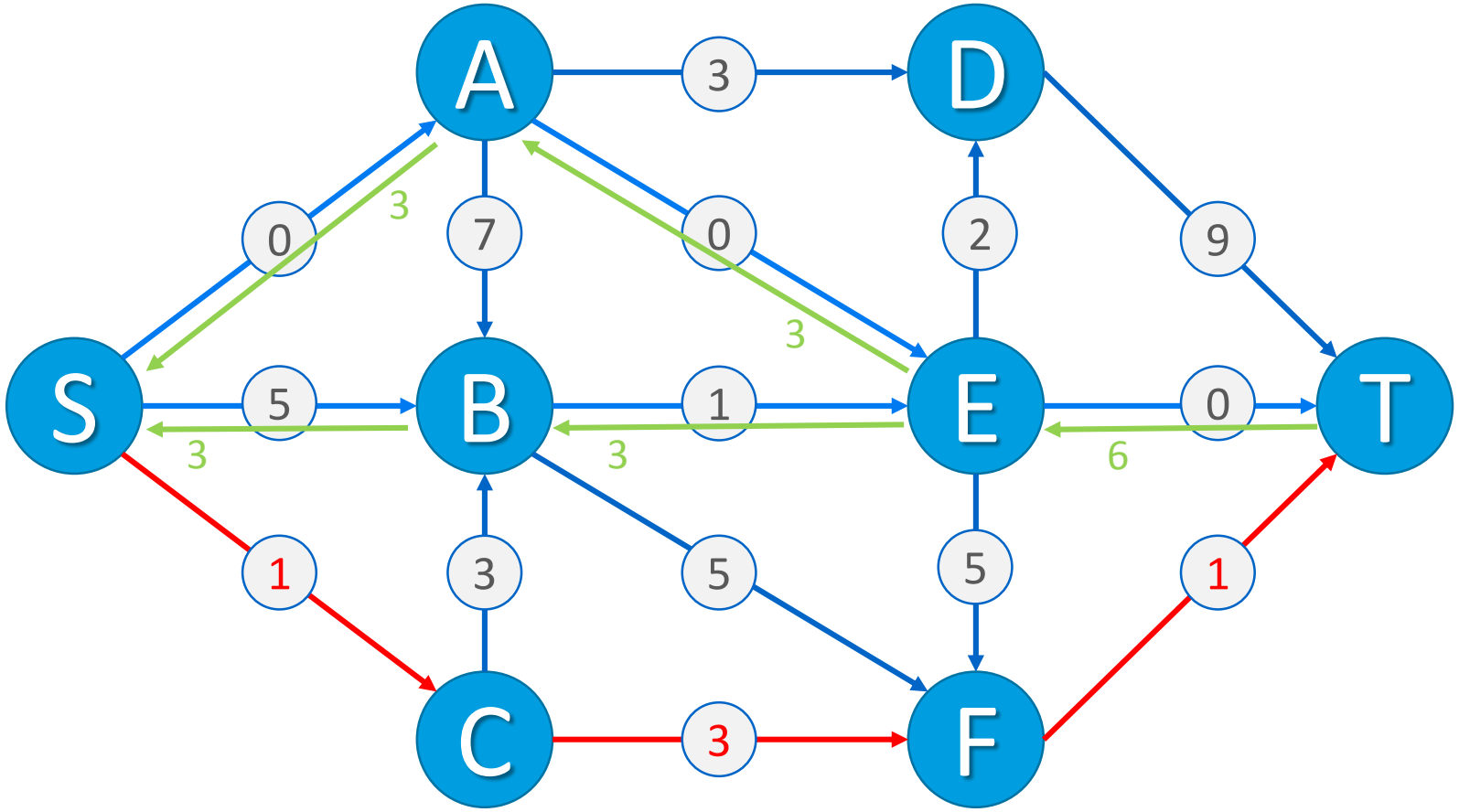

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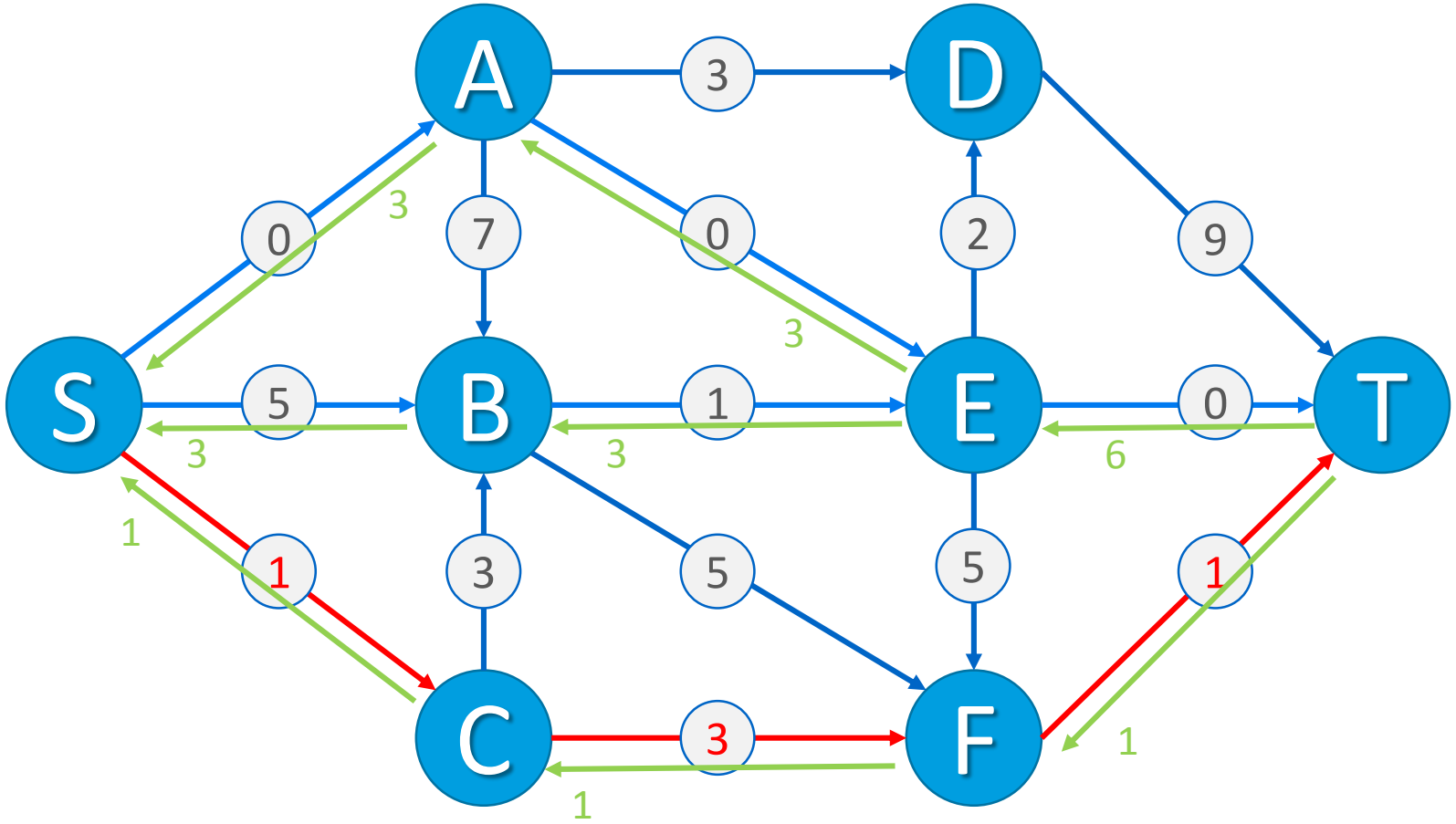

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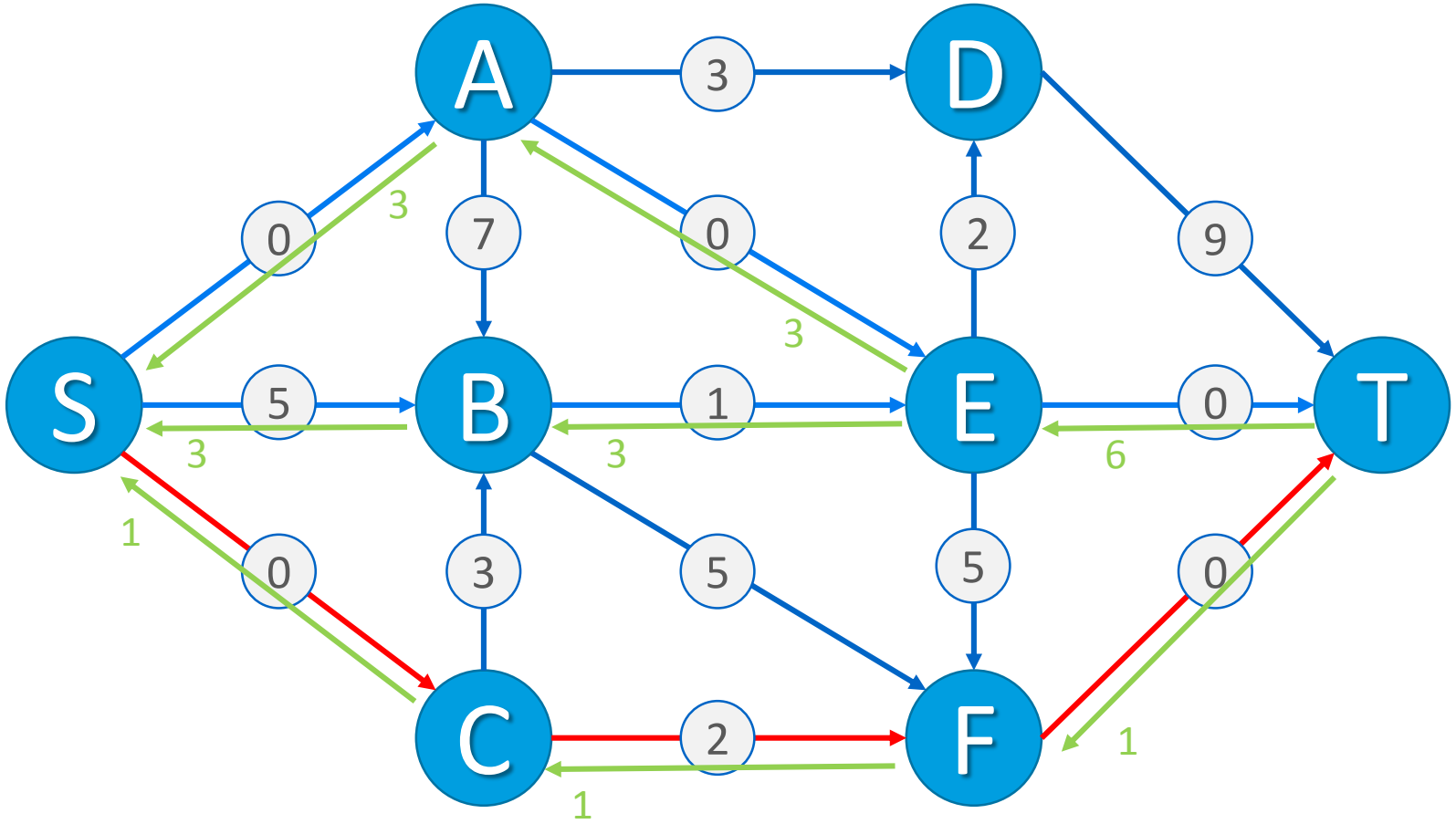

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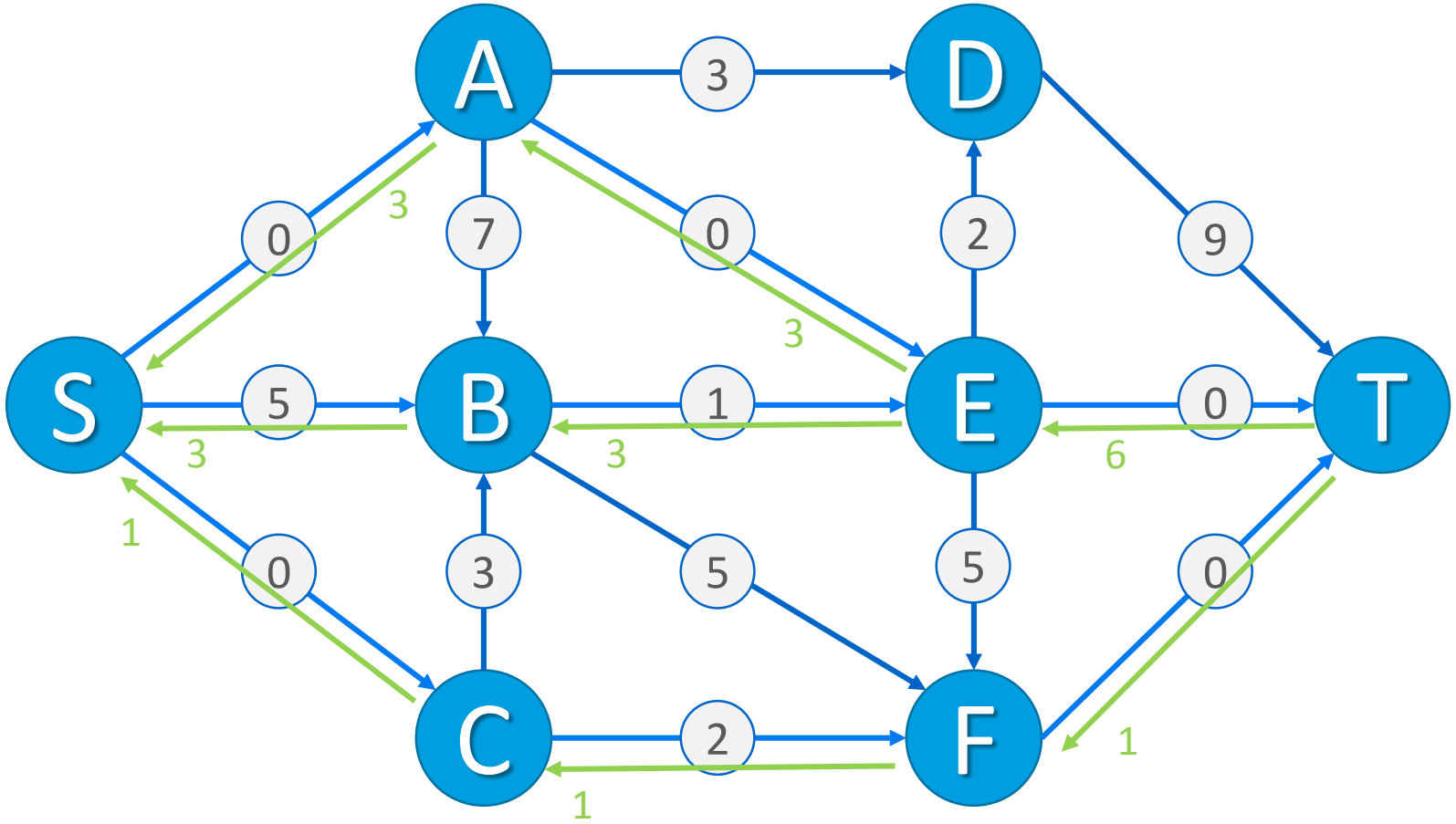

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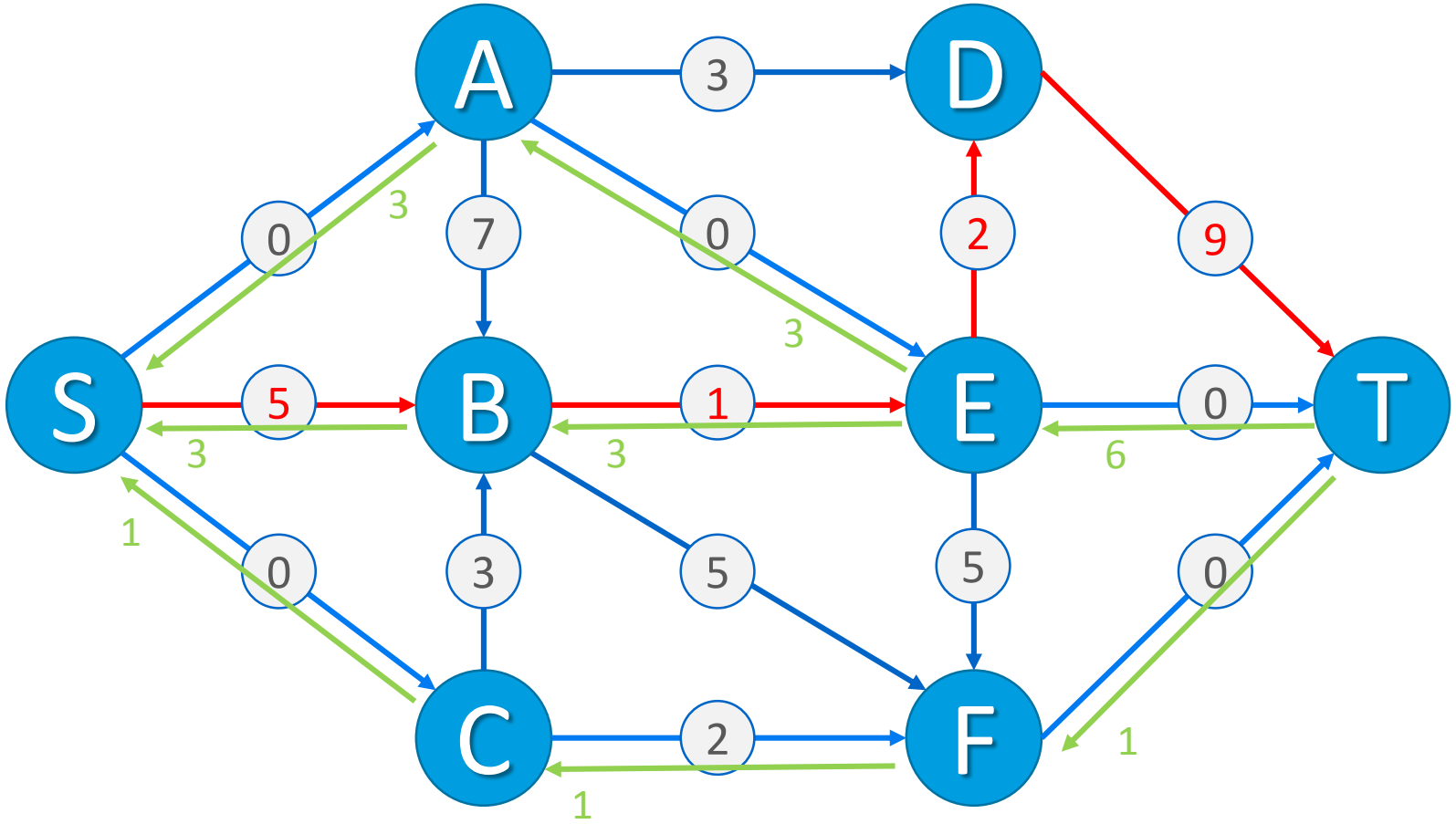

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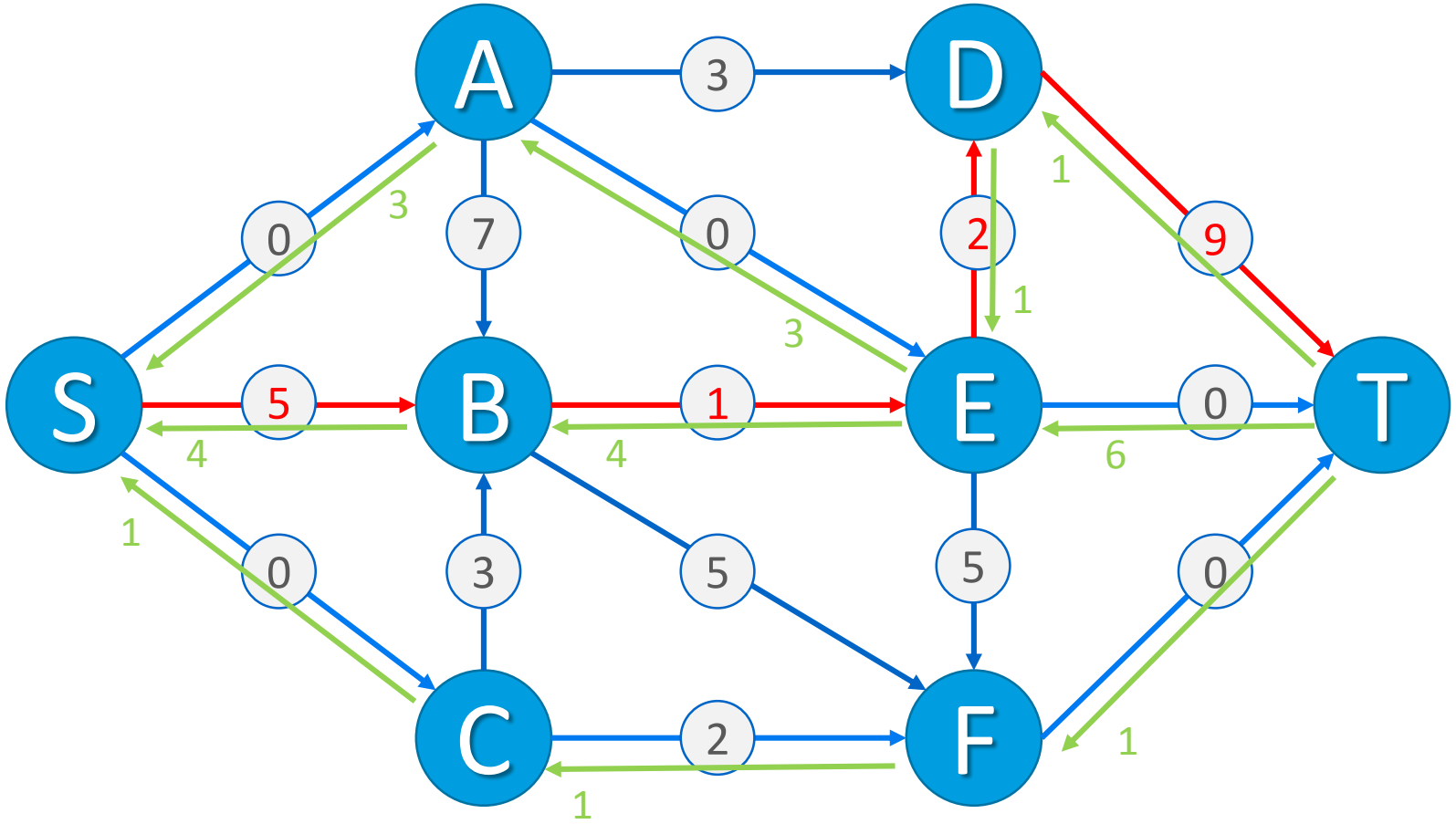

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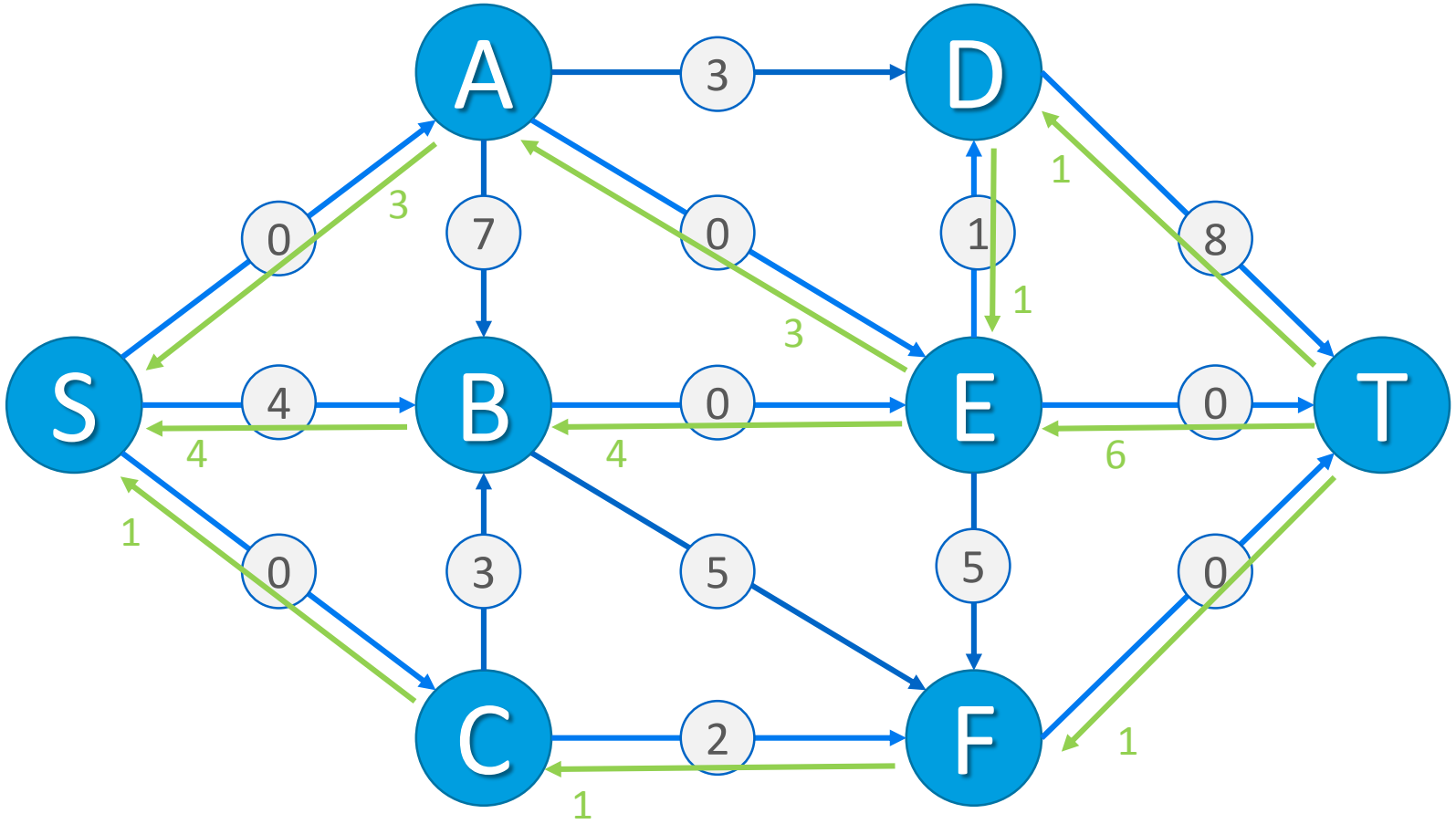

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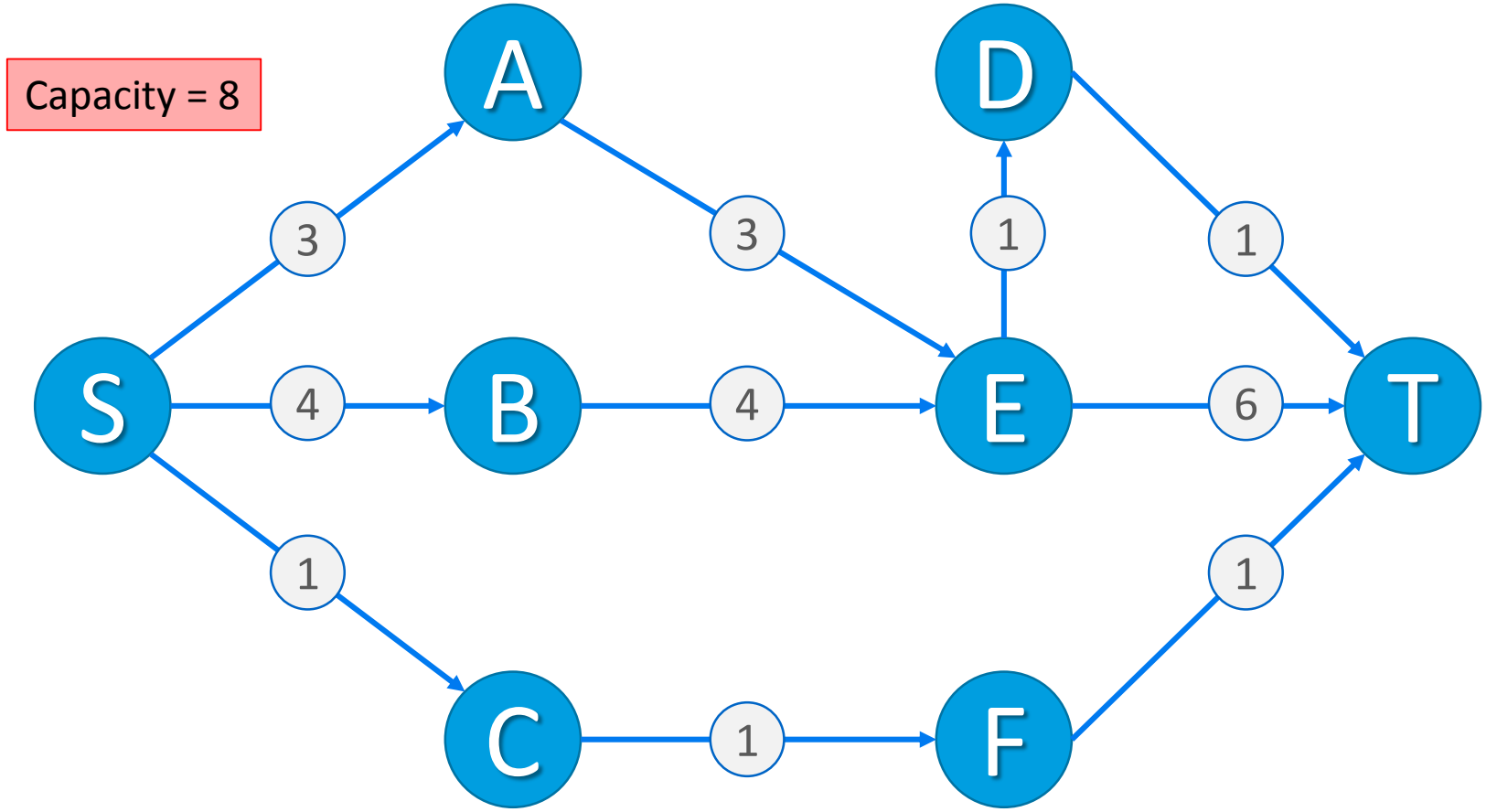

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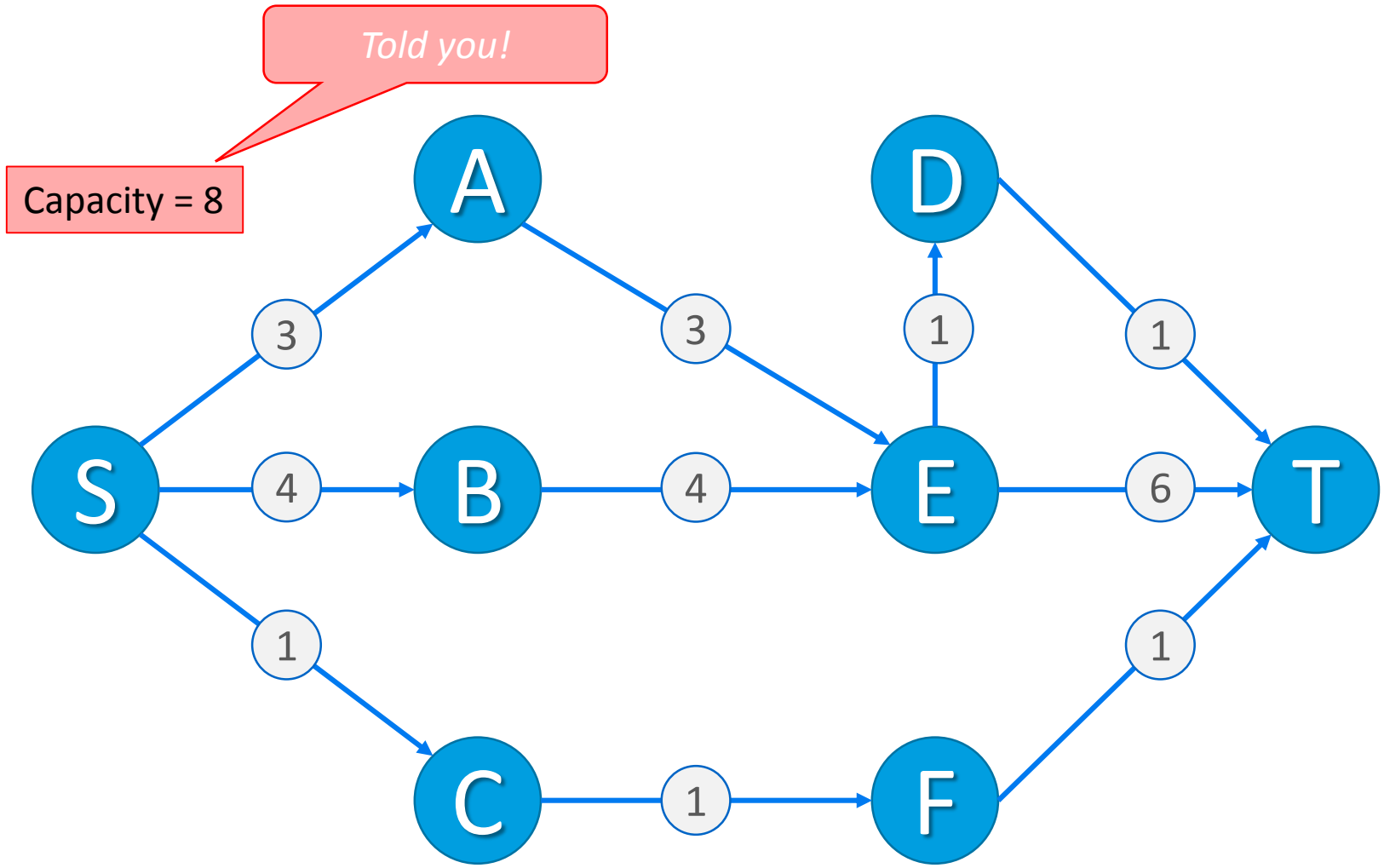

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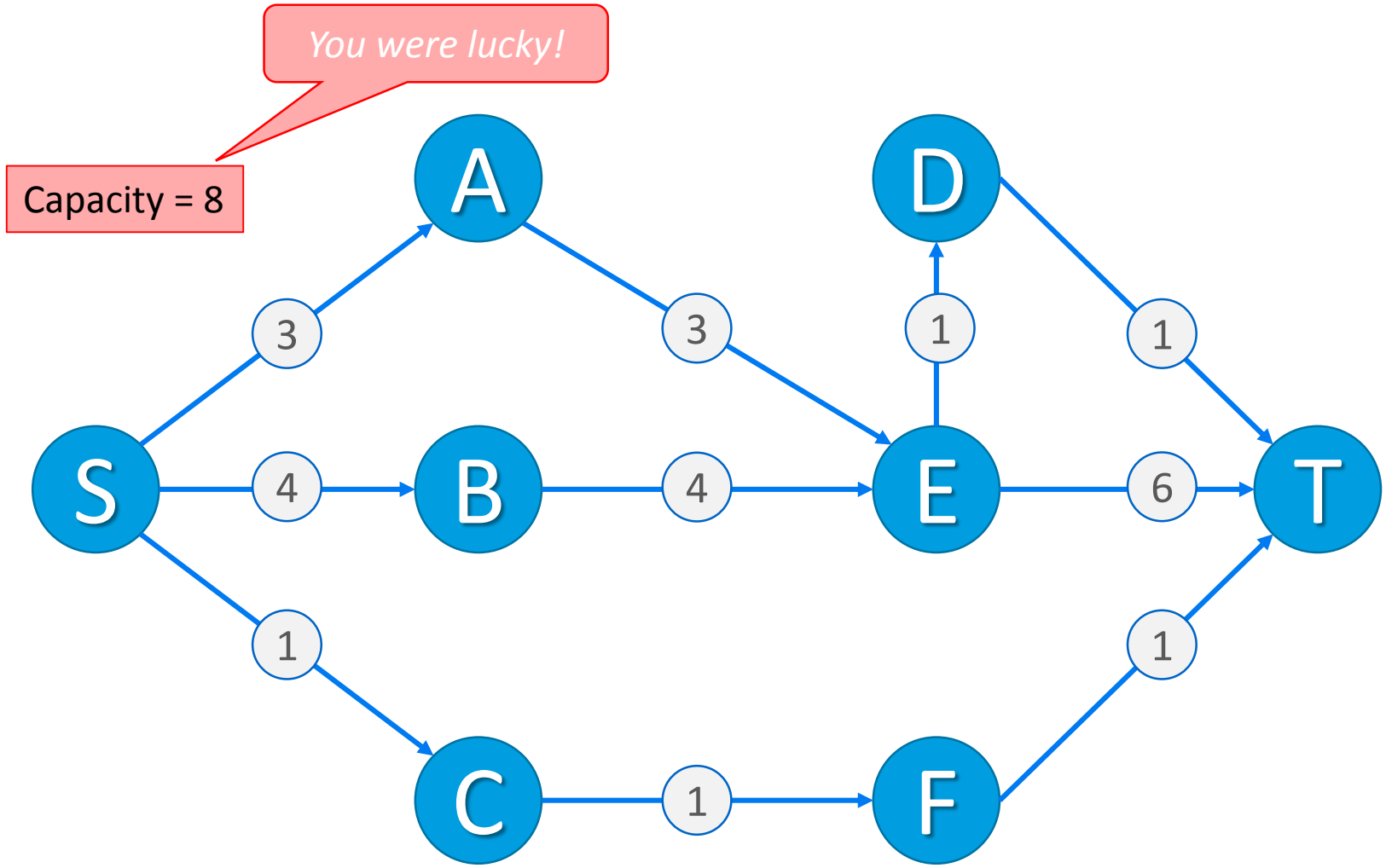

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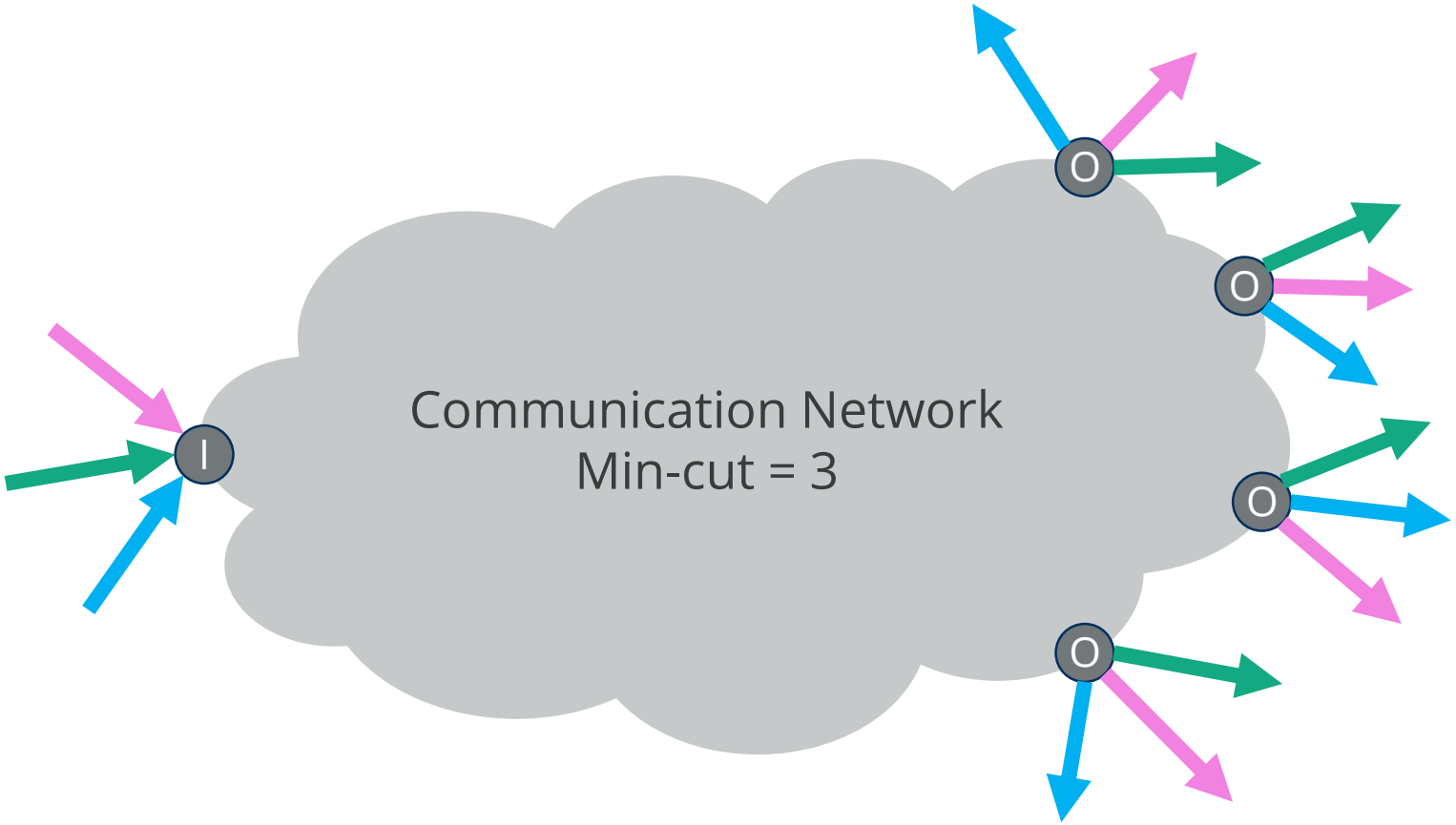

Compare Routing with Network Coding

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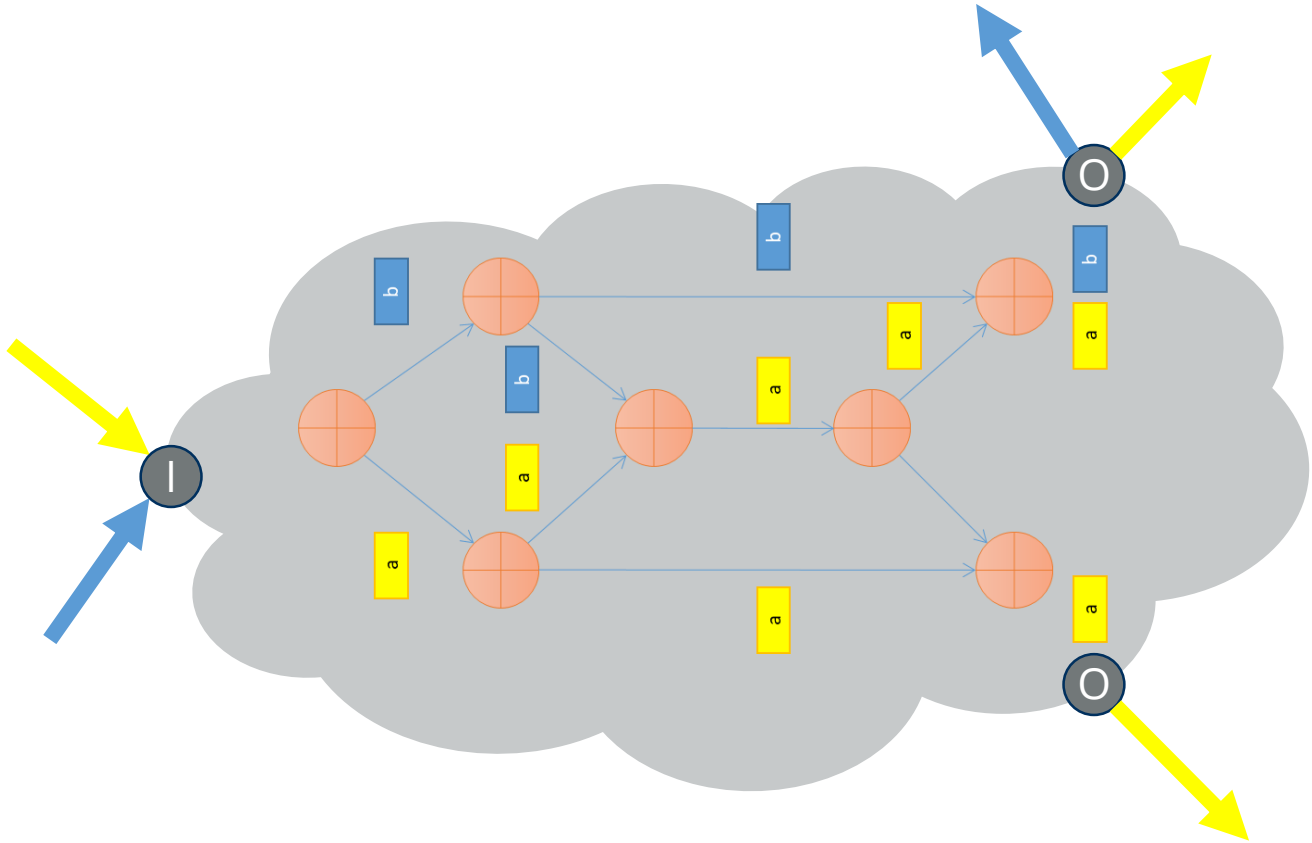

Compare Routing with Network Coding
Routing: np-hard; not optimal with respect to capacity

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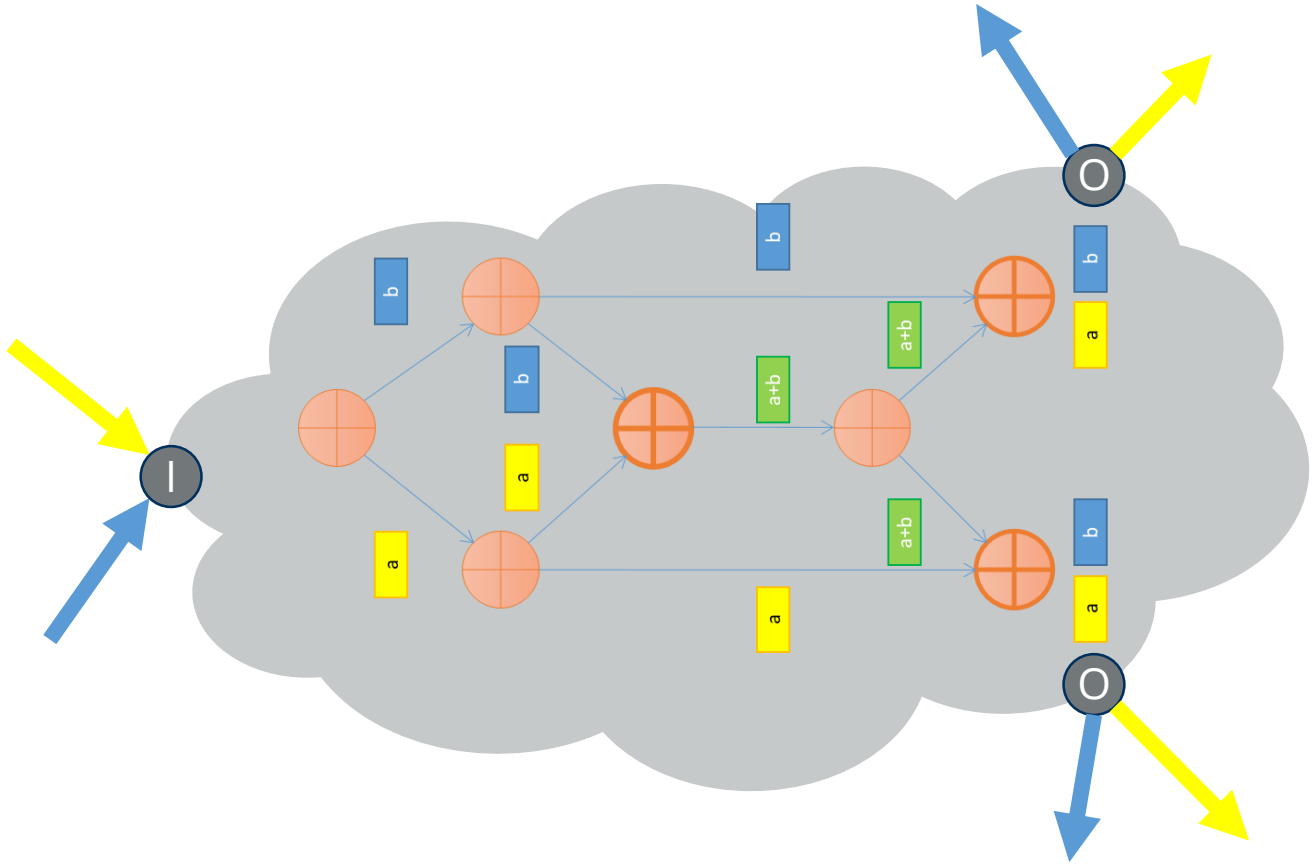

Compare Routing with Network Coding
Network Coding: optimal solution can be found and can be found fast

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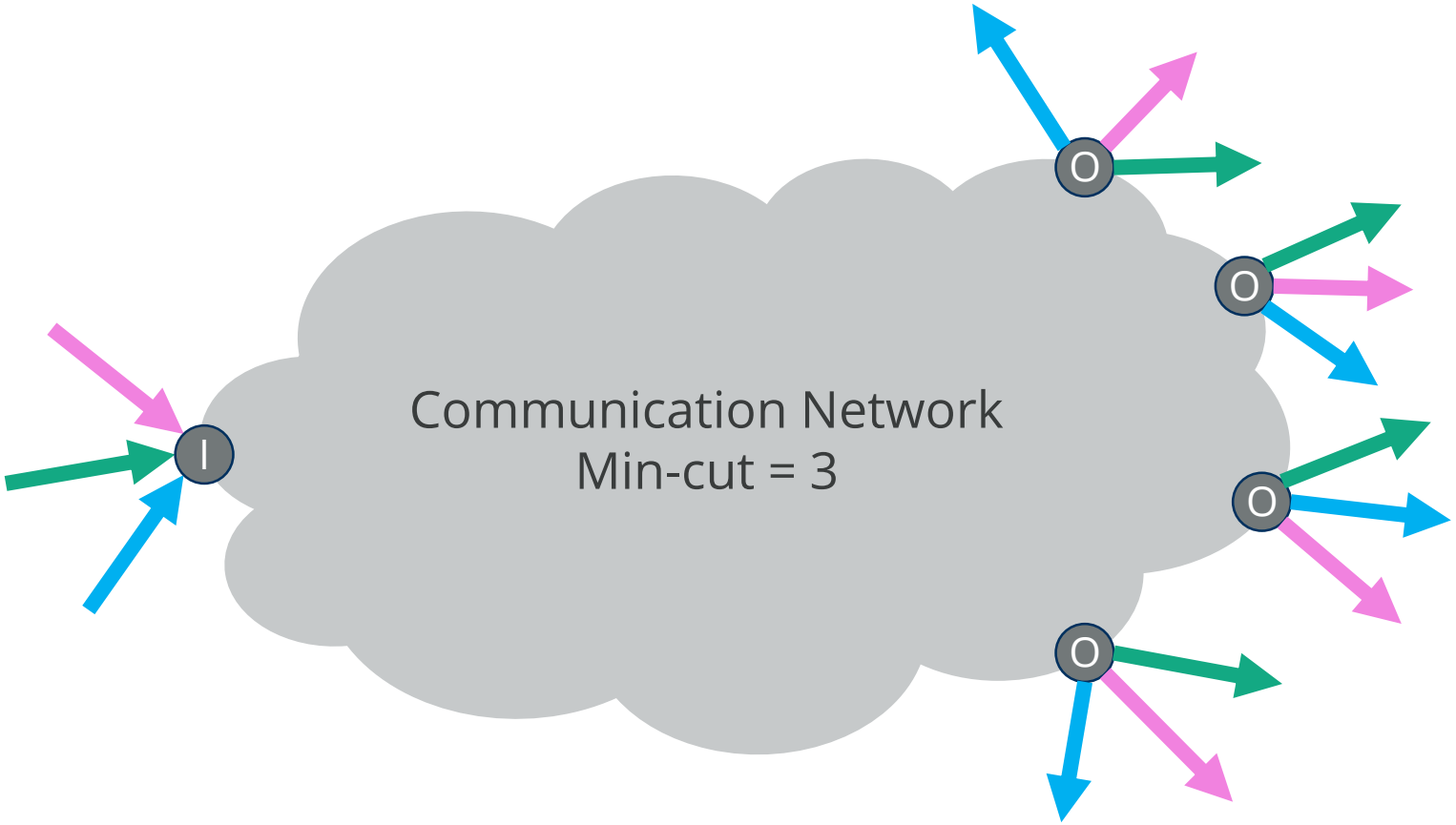
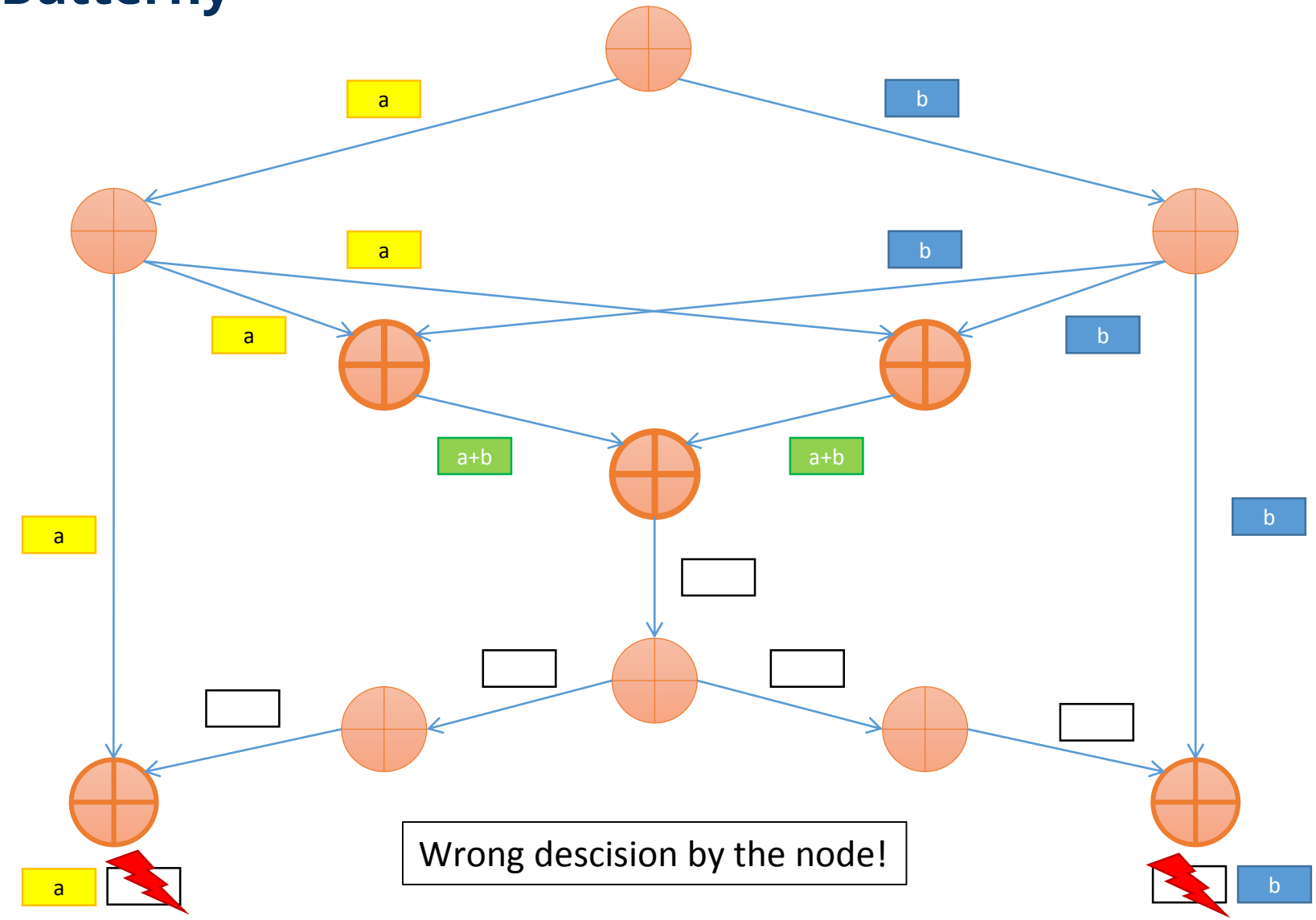


Compare Routing with Network Coding

The Butterfly++

Network Coding: The Butterfly++

Let's code all incoming packets .... mmmh



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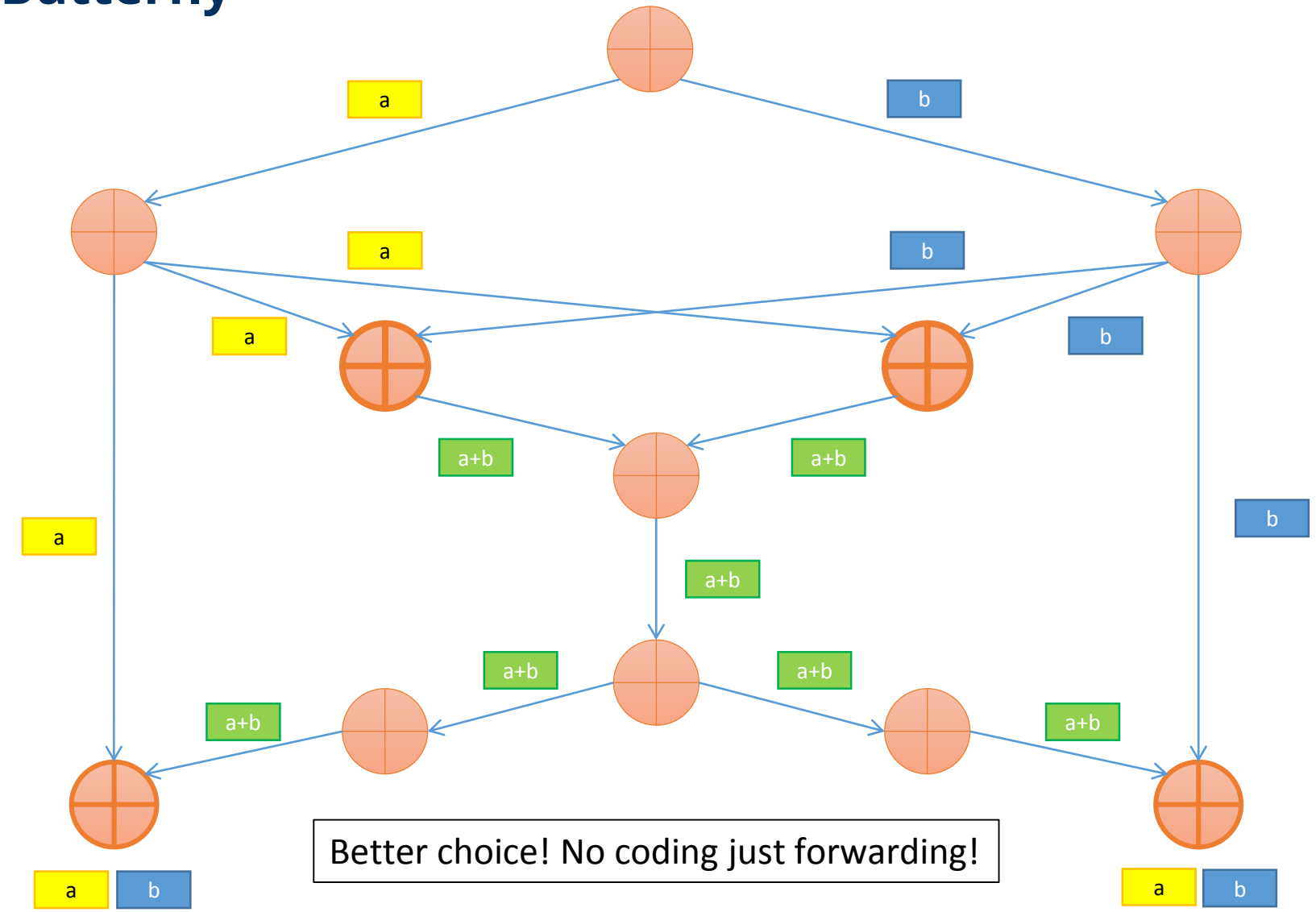

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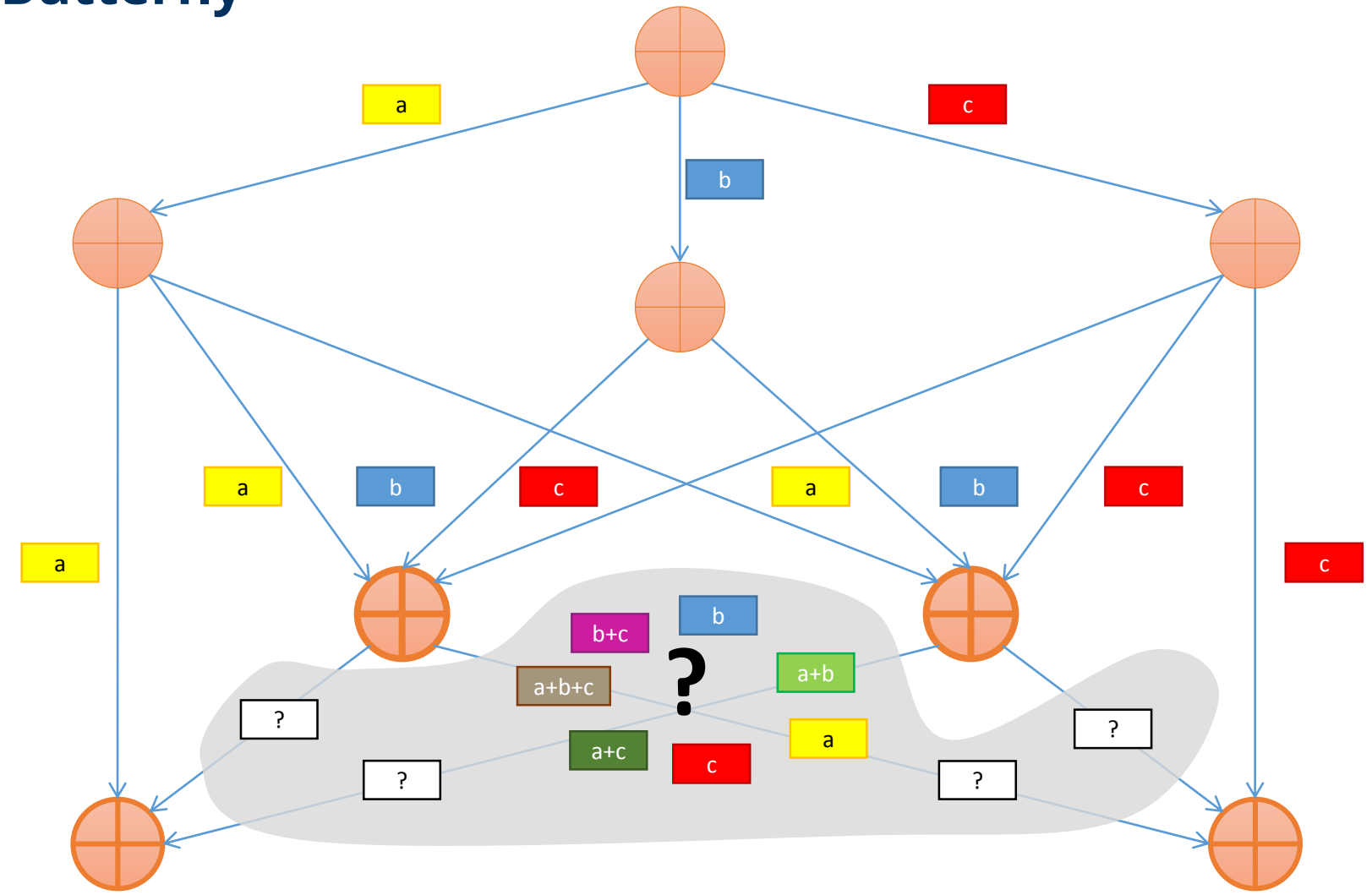

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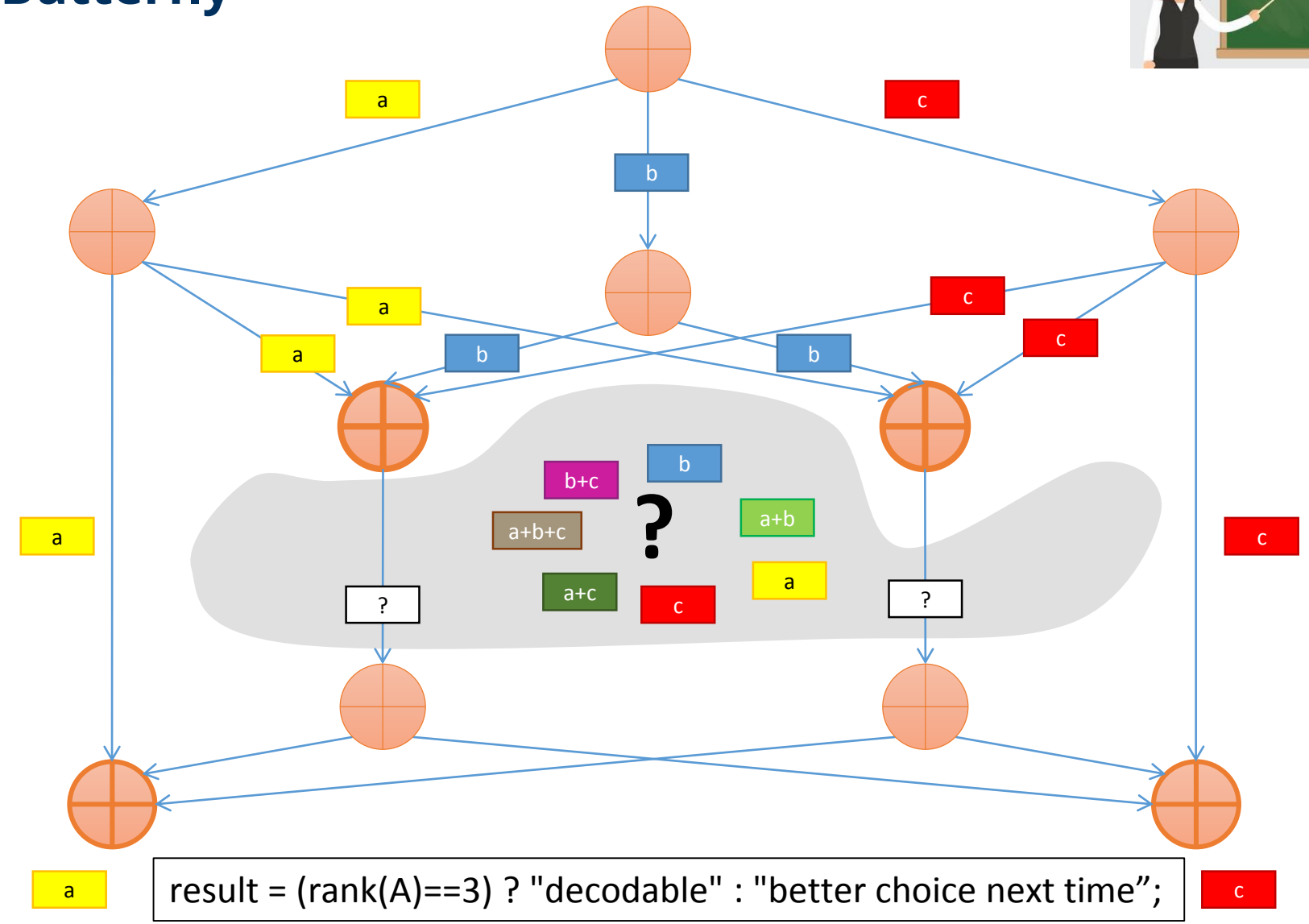

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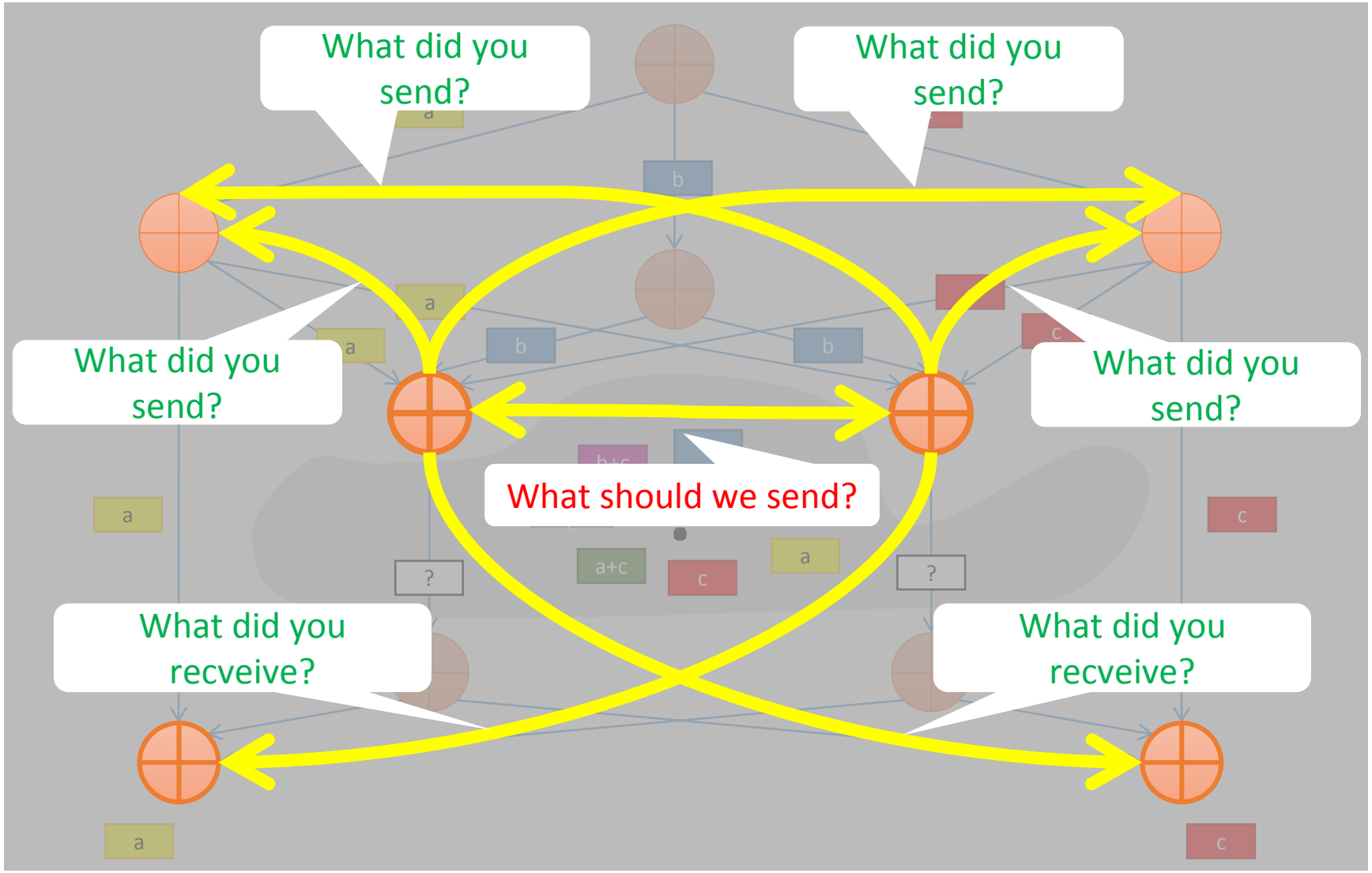


Deterministic Network Coding

Deterministic Network Coding refers to a specific method for network code design. I.e. exactly specifying how in-put data is mapped to output data for all nodes in a network. This is in contrast to Random Network Coding.

Advantages

— Coding coefficients are known and therefore not required to be explicitly communicated.

Drawbacks

— Algorithms often require that the exact and full topology as input.

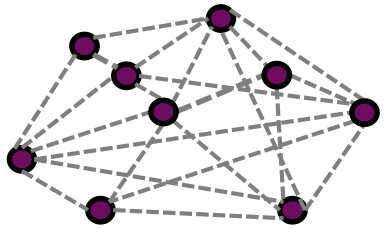
— Dynamic networks will require frequent updates, to reflect current state of the network.

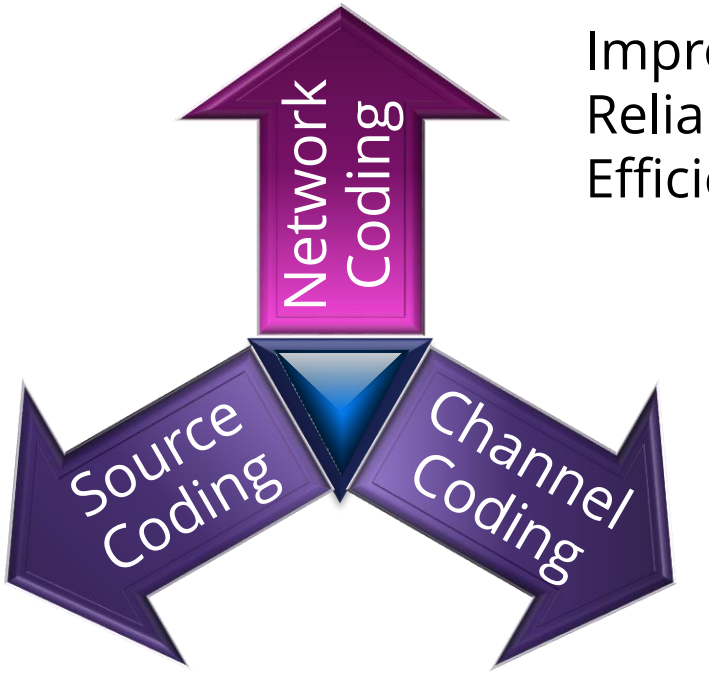
Digital Inter-Flow Network Coding: The Basics

Lecture 2

Channel & Source Coding vs. Network Coding

Comparison of Coding Approaches





Improves ***Network*** Reliability, Security, and Efficiency

Removes Redundancy for Efficiency

Introduces Redundancy for Reliability

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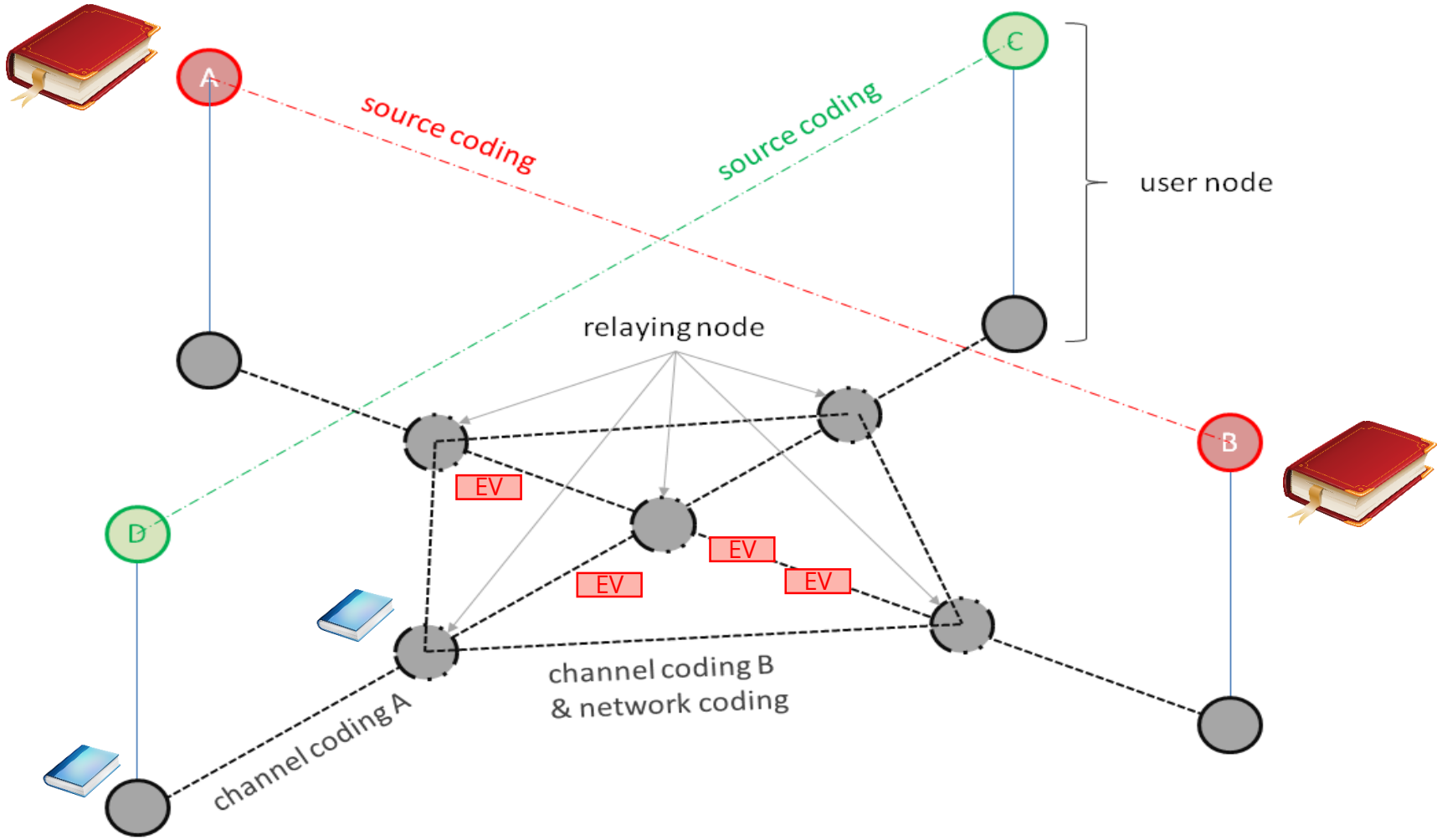

Wireless Network Examples

Exploiting the broadcast nature of the wireless medium

It is not about butterflies …

M. Medard and F.H.P. Fitzek and M.J. Montpetit and C. Rosenberg. Network coding mythbusting: why it is not about butterflies anymore. 2014. IEEE Communications Magazine, 52(7):177-183.

General Network Topologies and Sub-Nets

- Two way relay (Alice and Bob)
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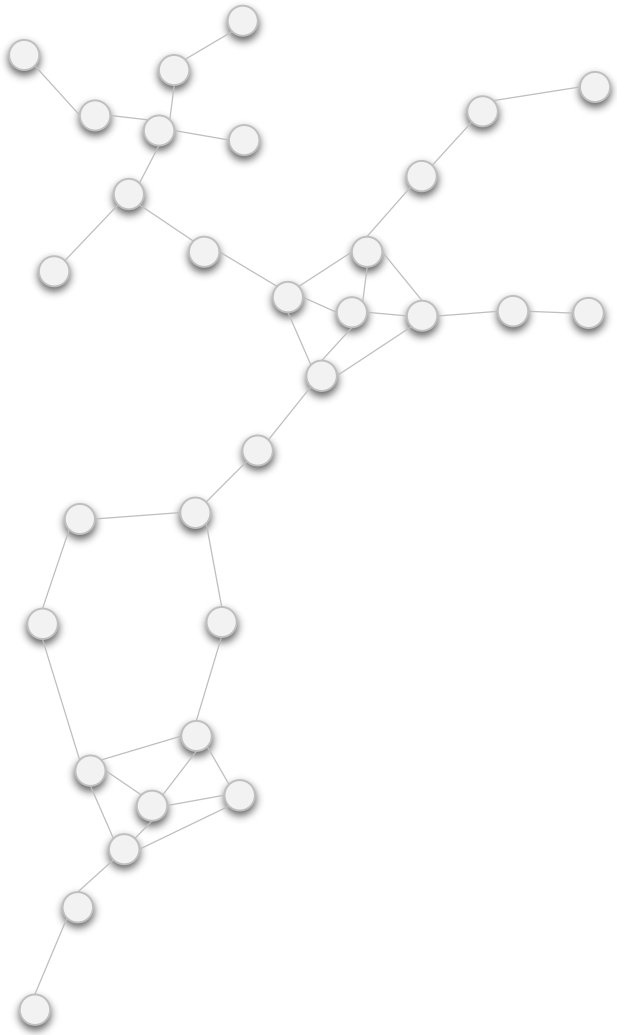

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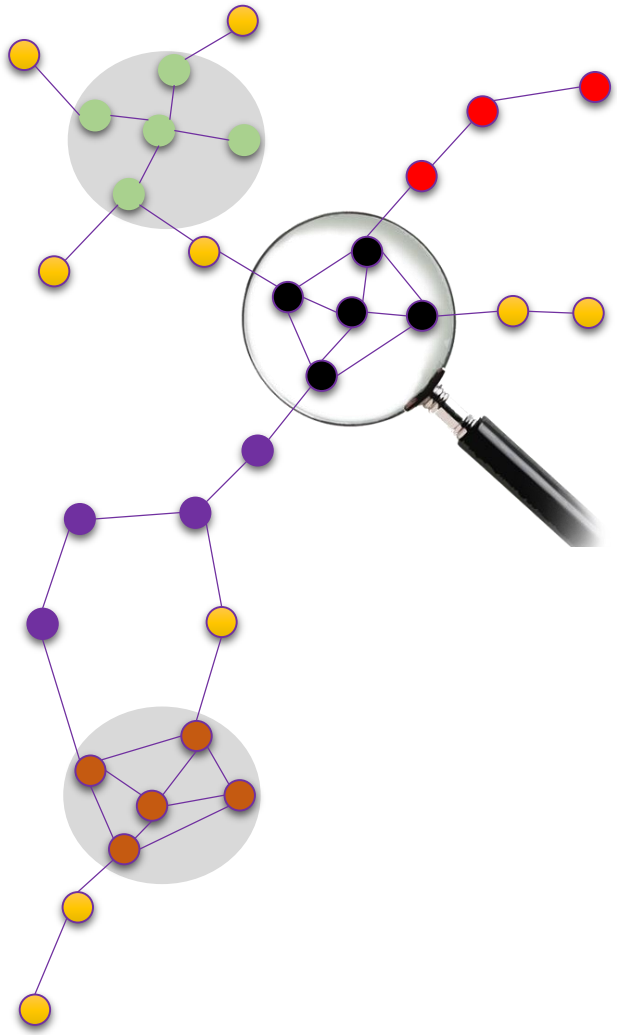
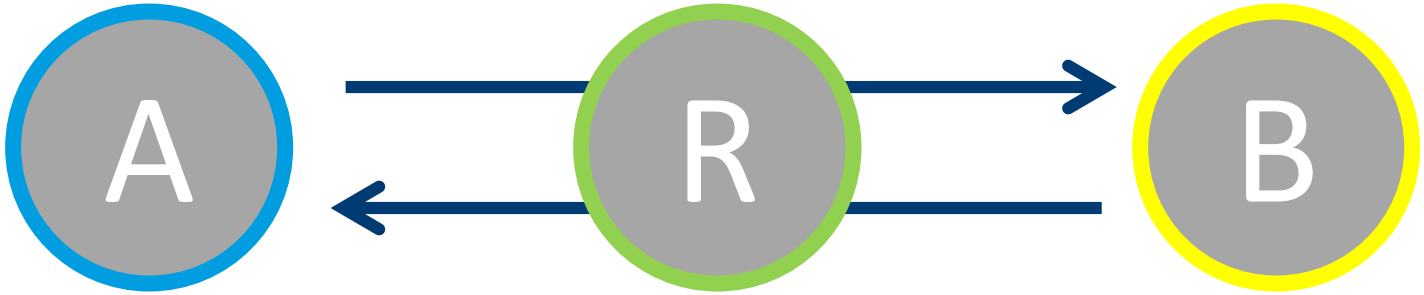


Alice and Bob –The two way relay

Early VTC paper by Ericsson

Alice and Bob



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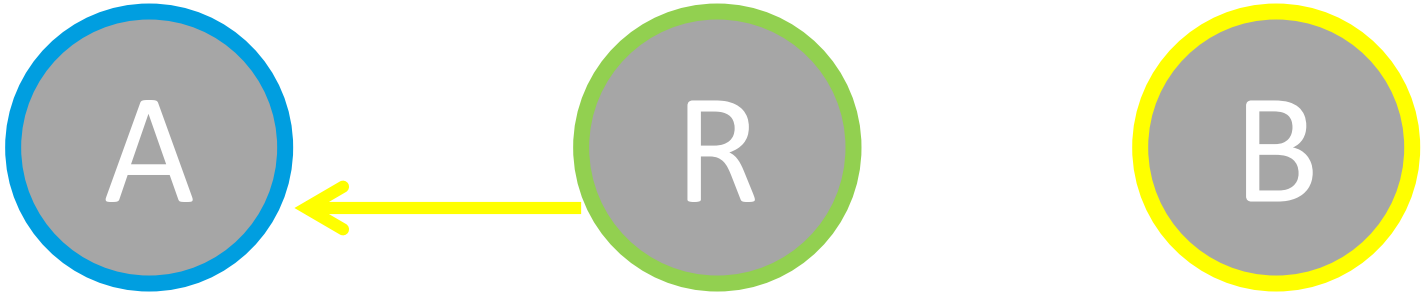

4 time slots for exchange

Alice and Bob: Network Coding

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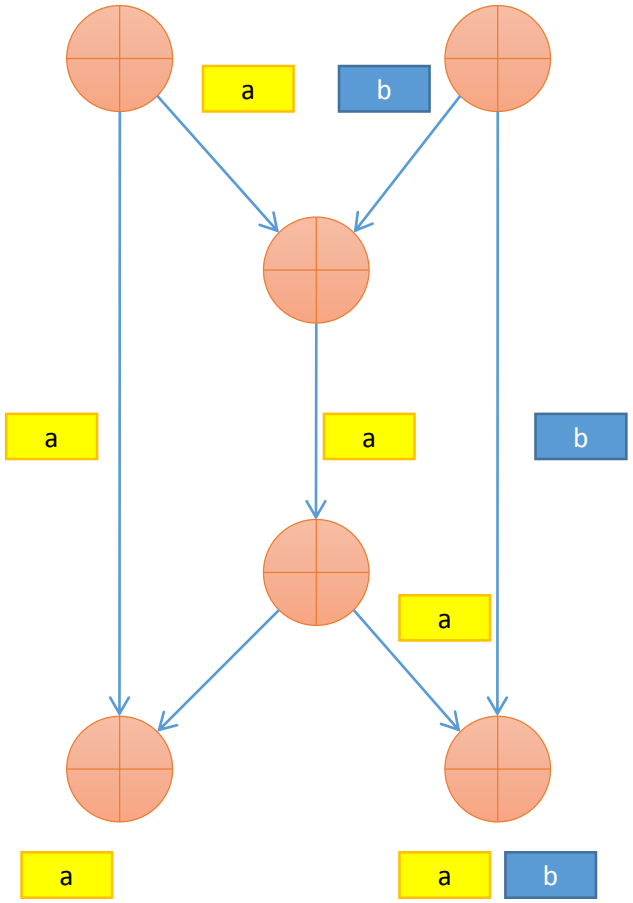
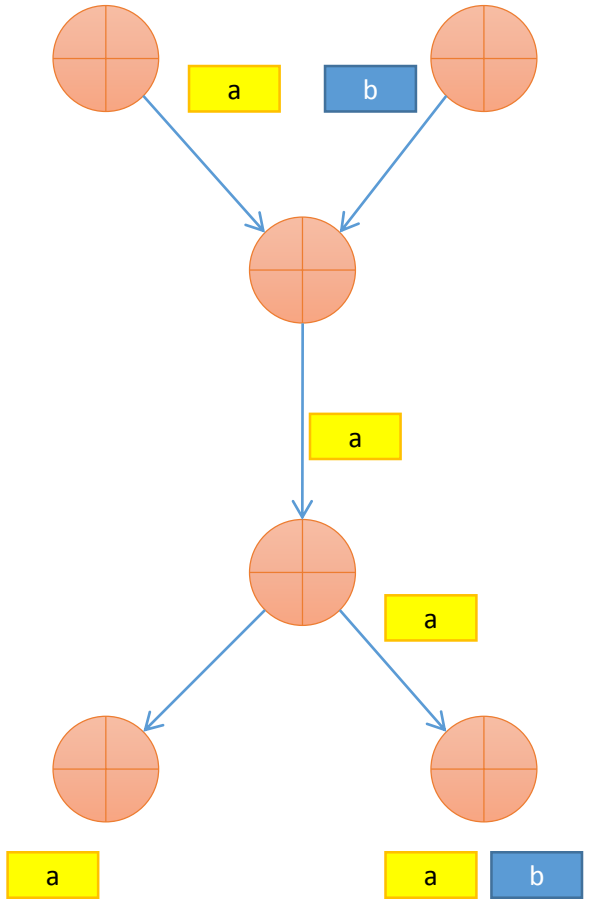
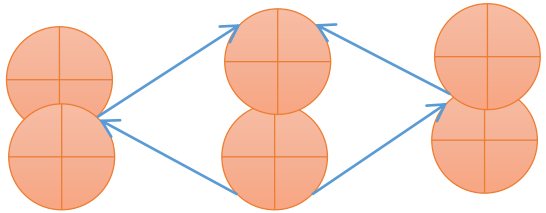
3 time slots for exchange

Gain = 33%

Two-Way Relay (Alice and Bob) vs. Butterfly







Network Coding: Magic XOR

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Alice and Bob: Symbian60

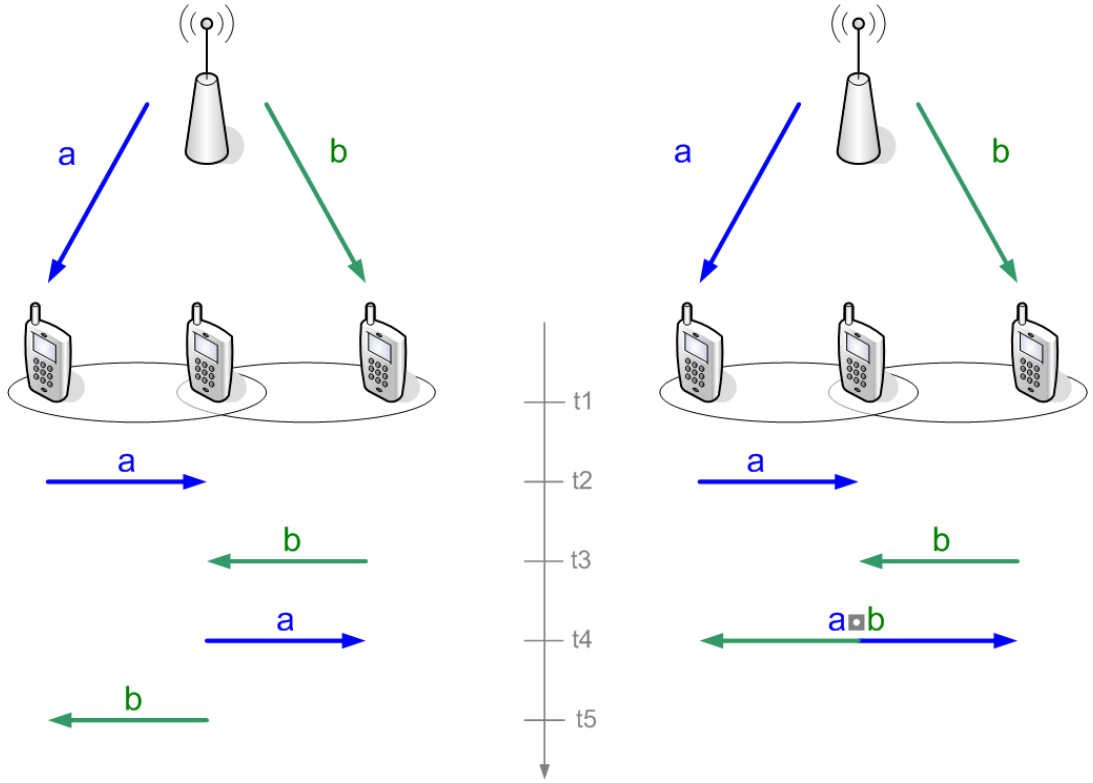
Our starting point

Simple scenario

Seeding of packet a and b is crucial
- Fairness
- Performance

Forms of NC
- XOR in the air (COPE)

Implementation on S60



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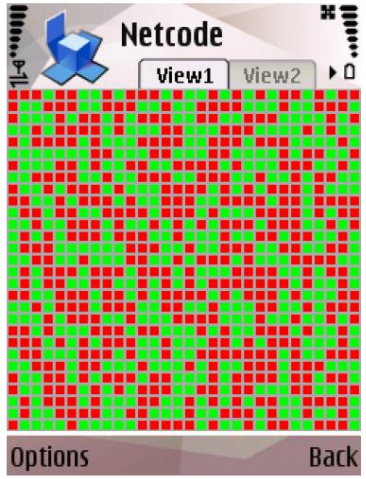

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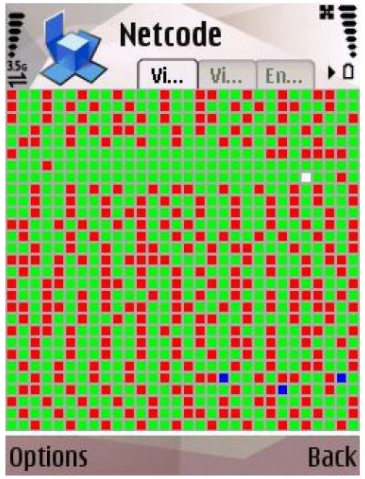

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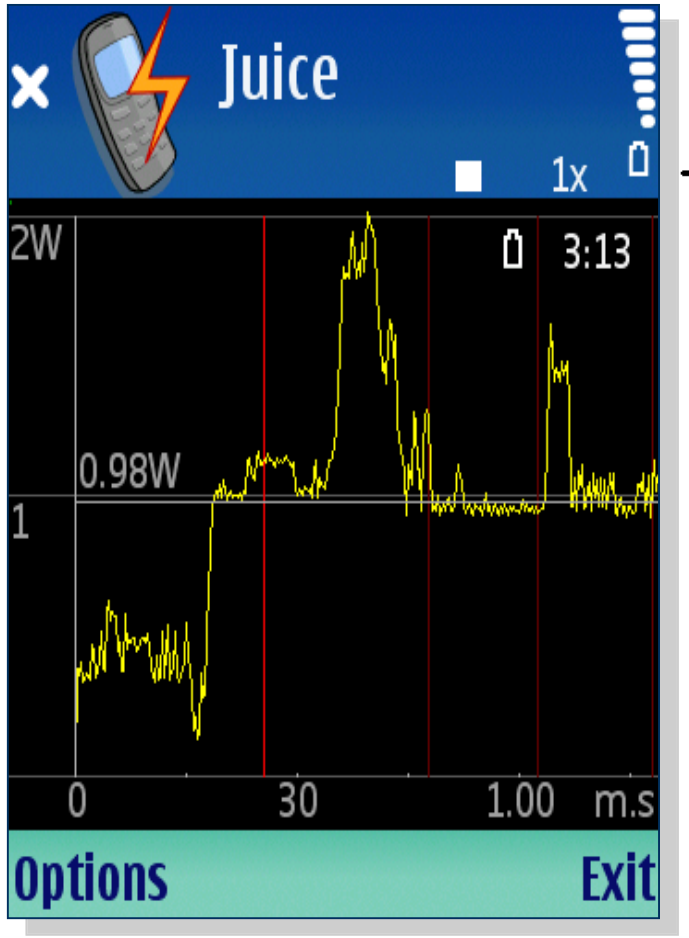
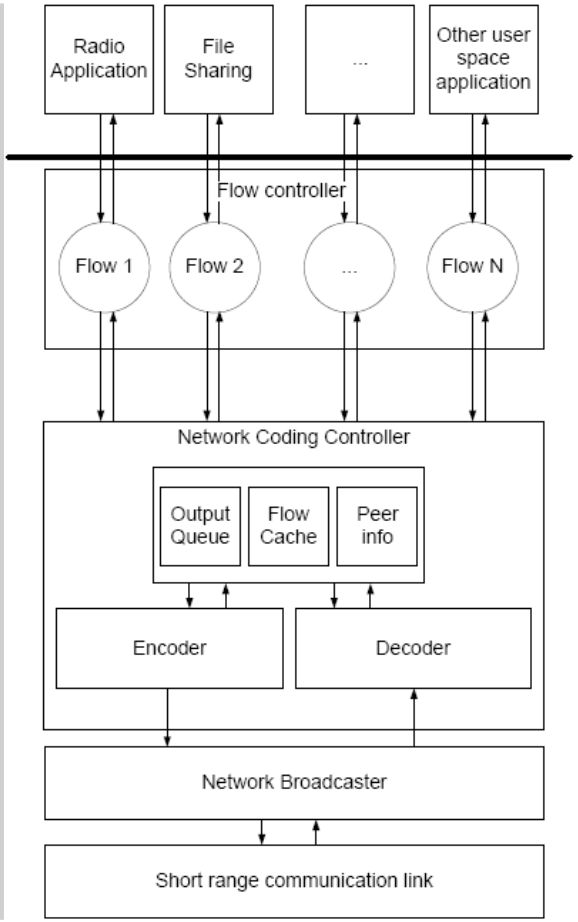
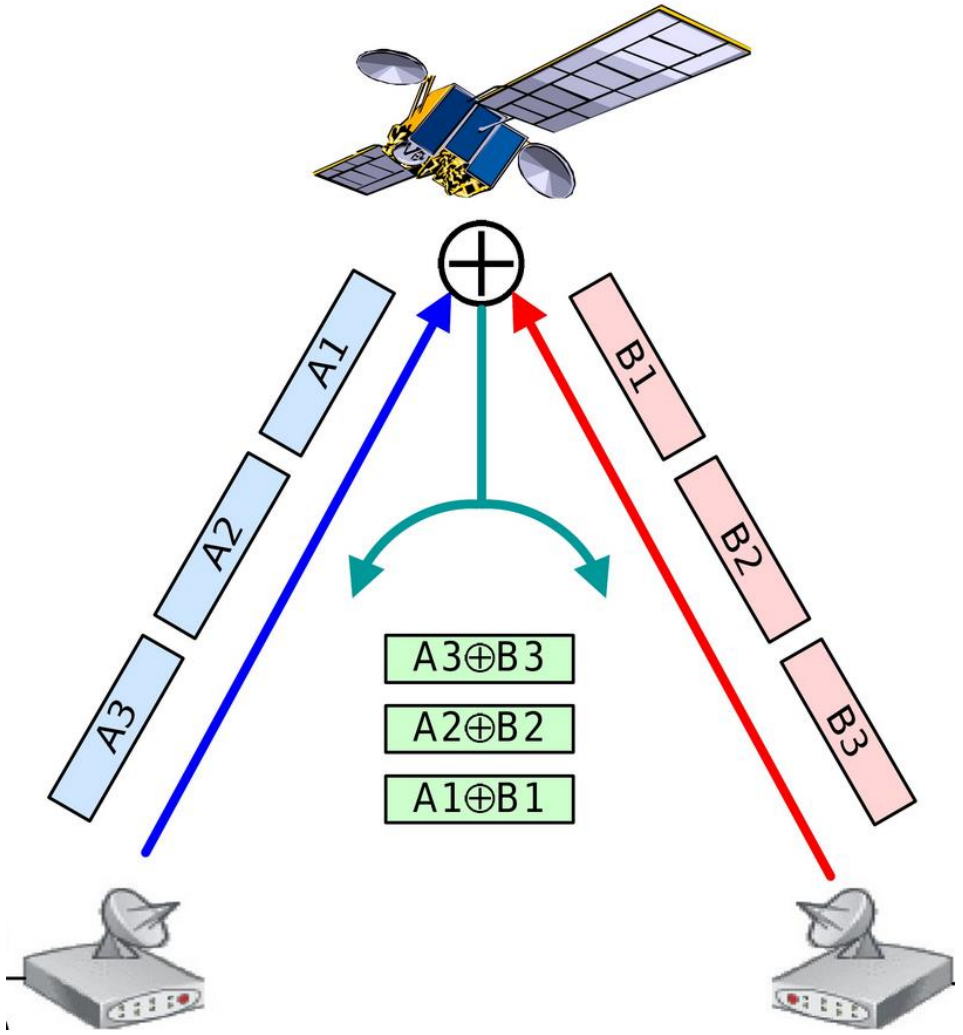
Lessons learned: It is important to create coding potential!





Alice and Bob: Satellite Communication



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The X-Topology

Introducing the concept of overhearing

X Topology with Overhearing

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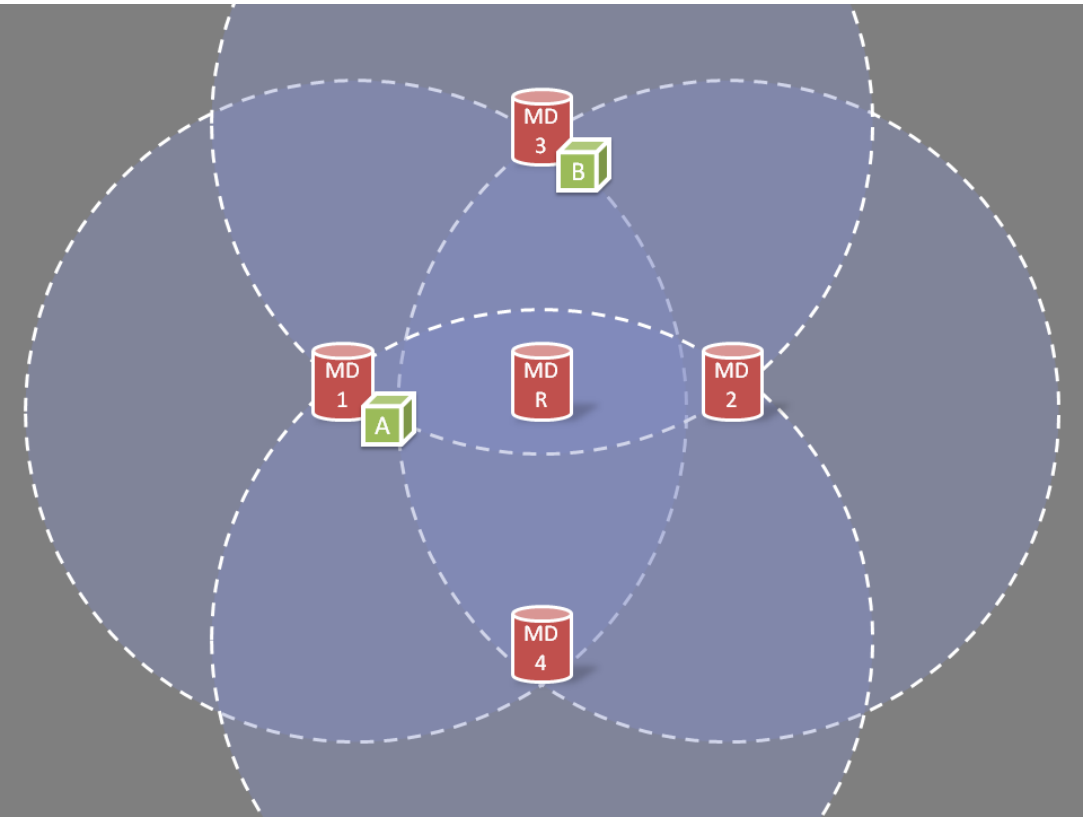

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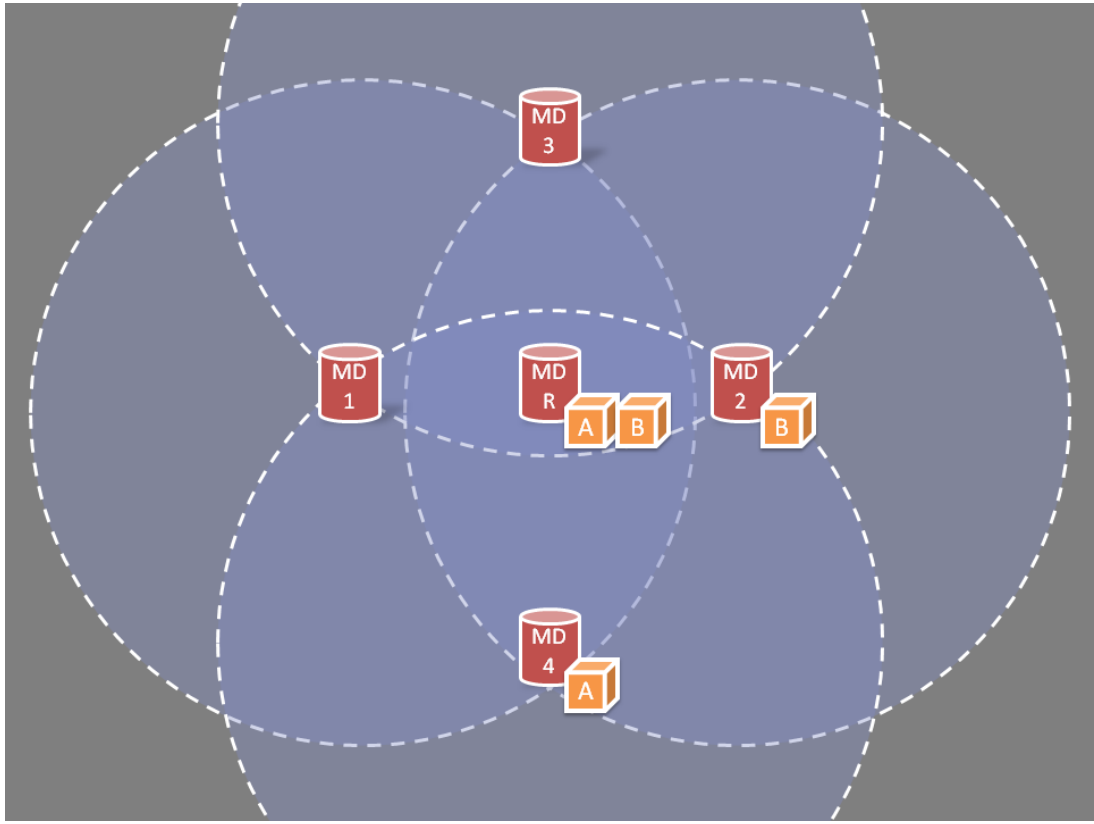
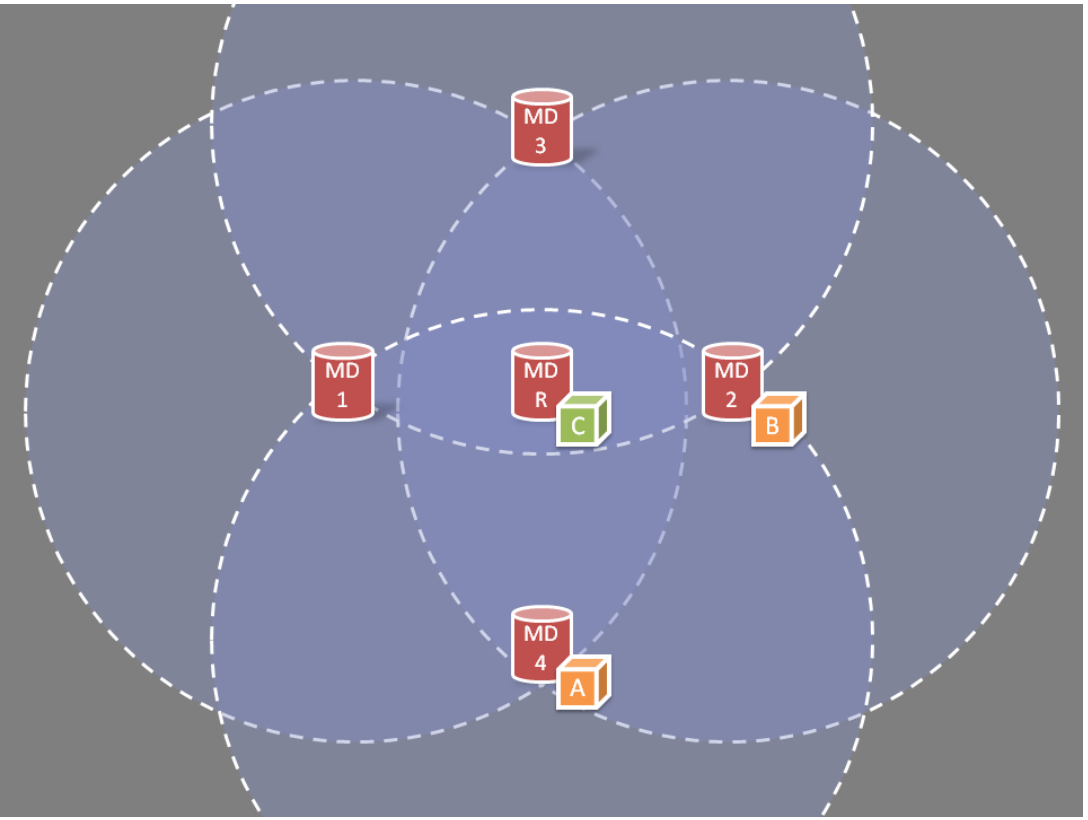
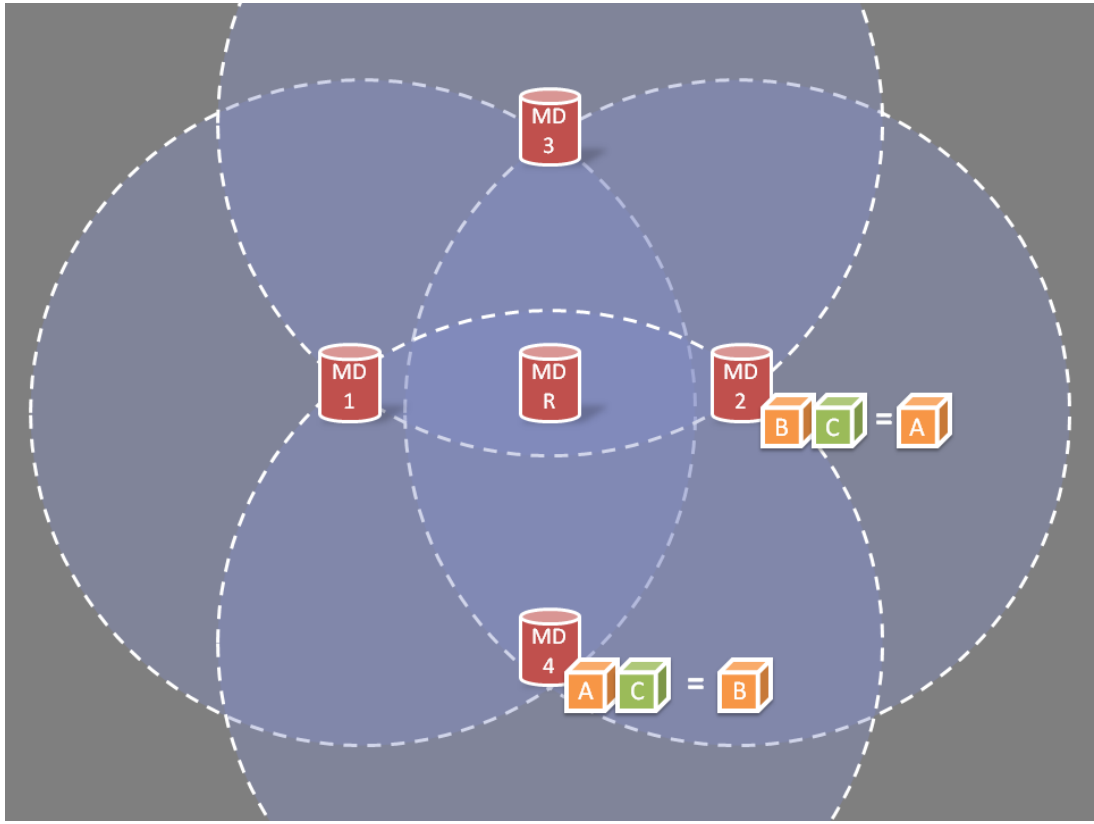


X Topology with Overhearing

Coding @ relay



Decoding at receiver



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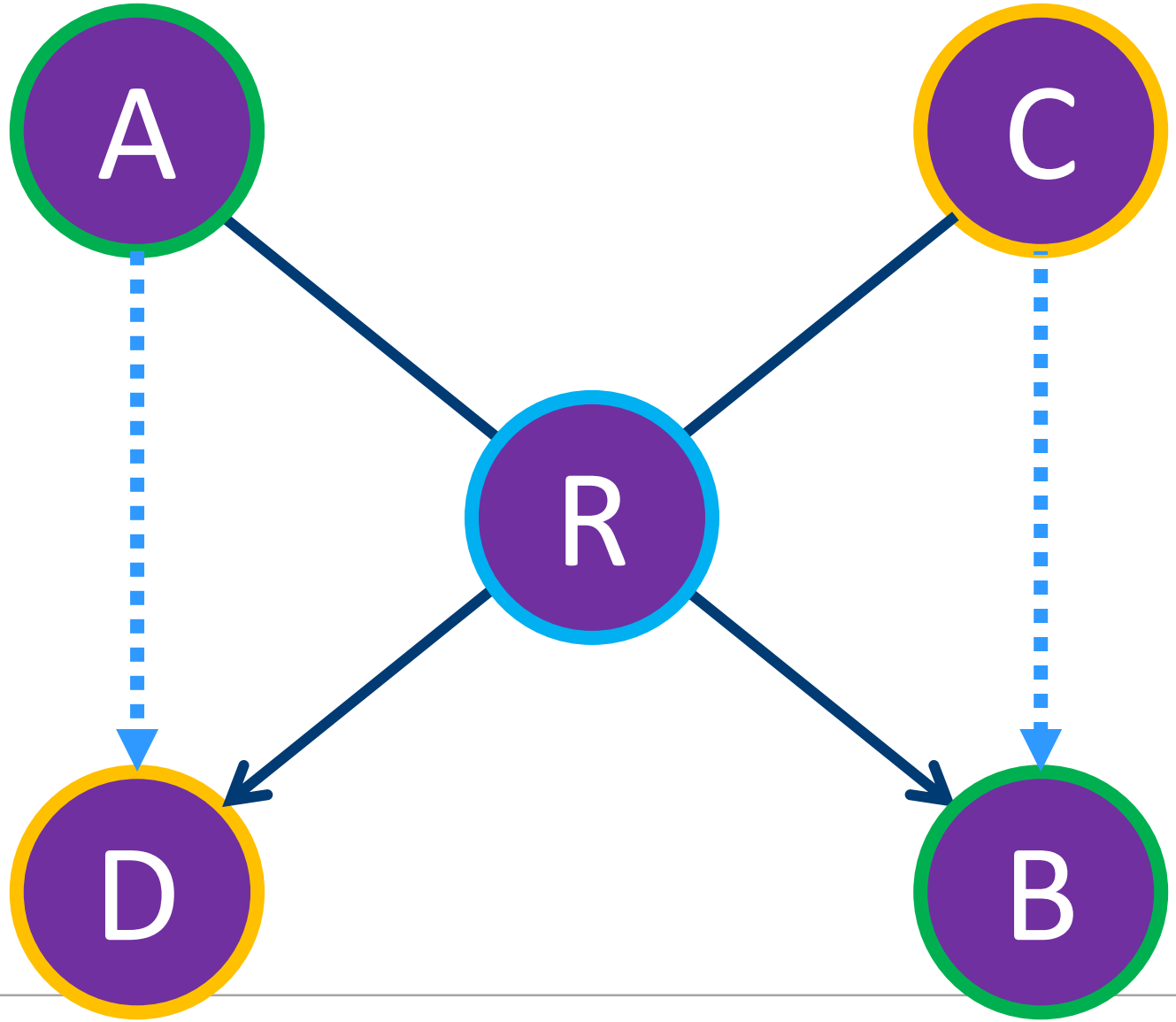

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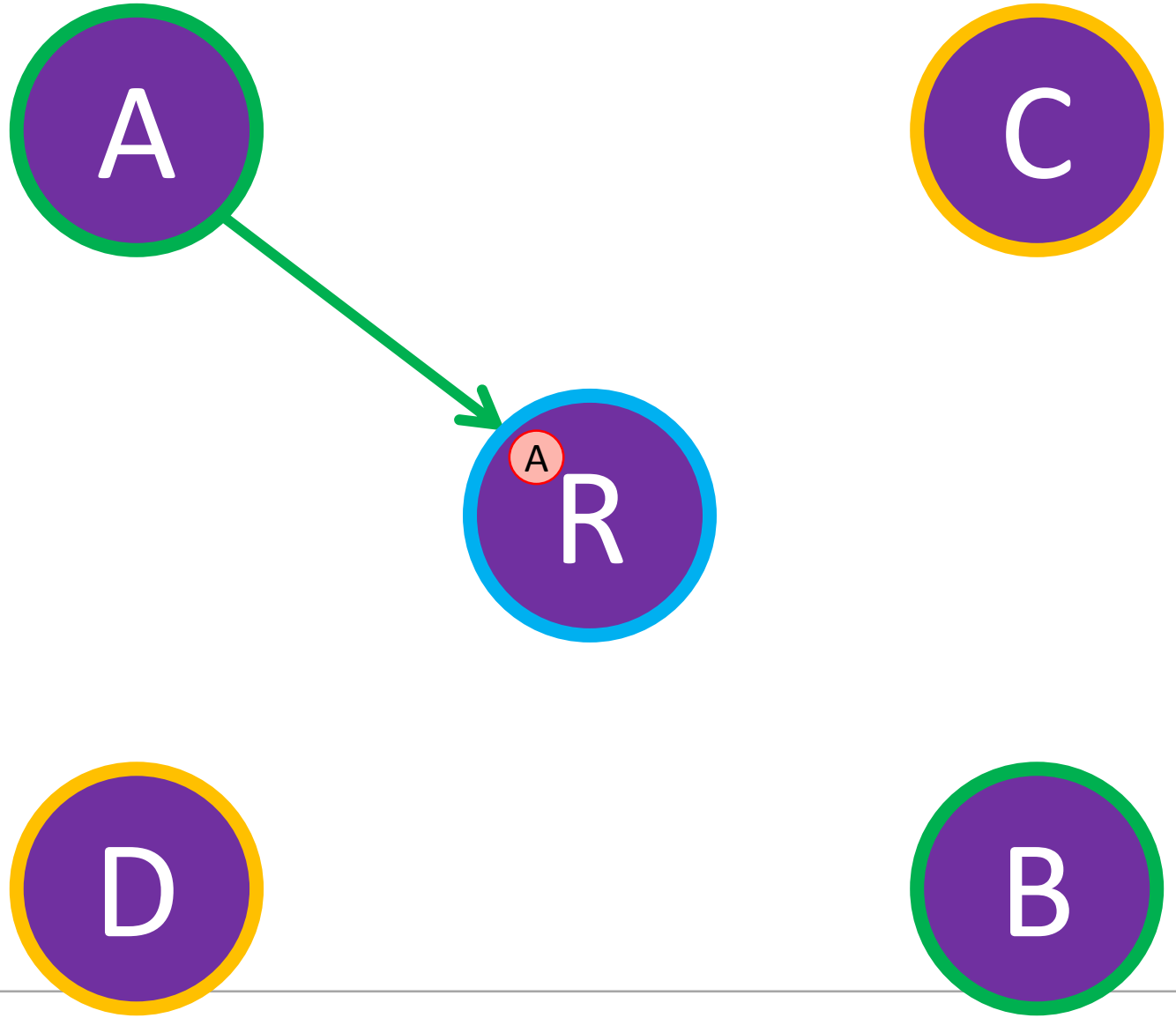

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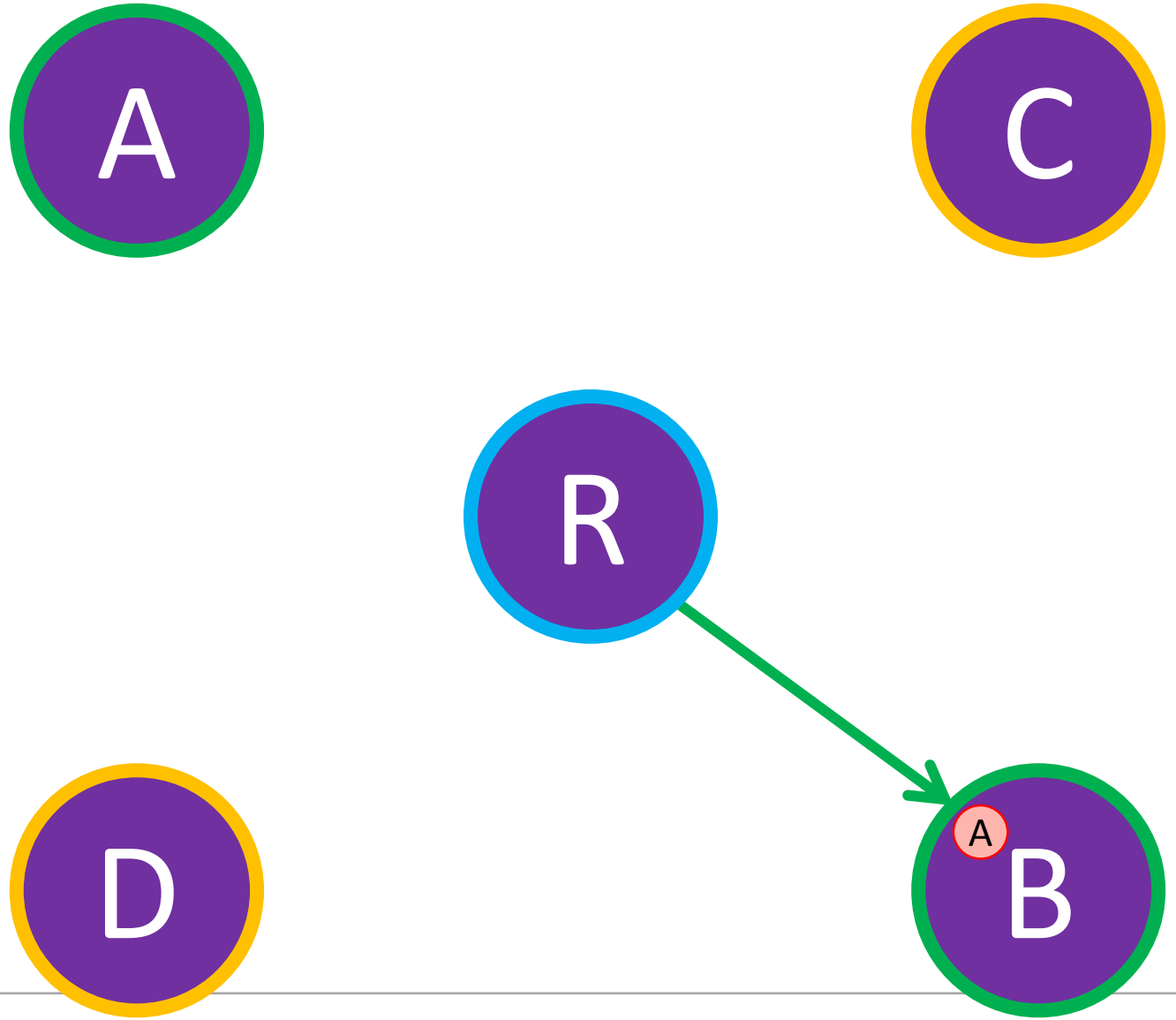

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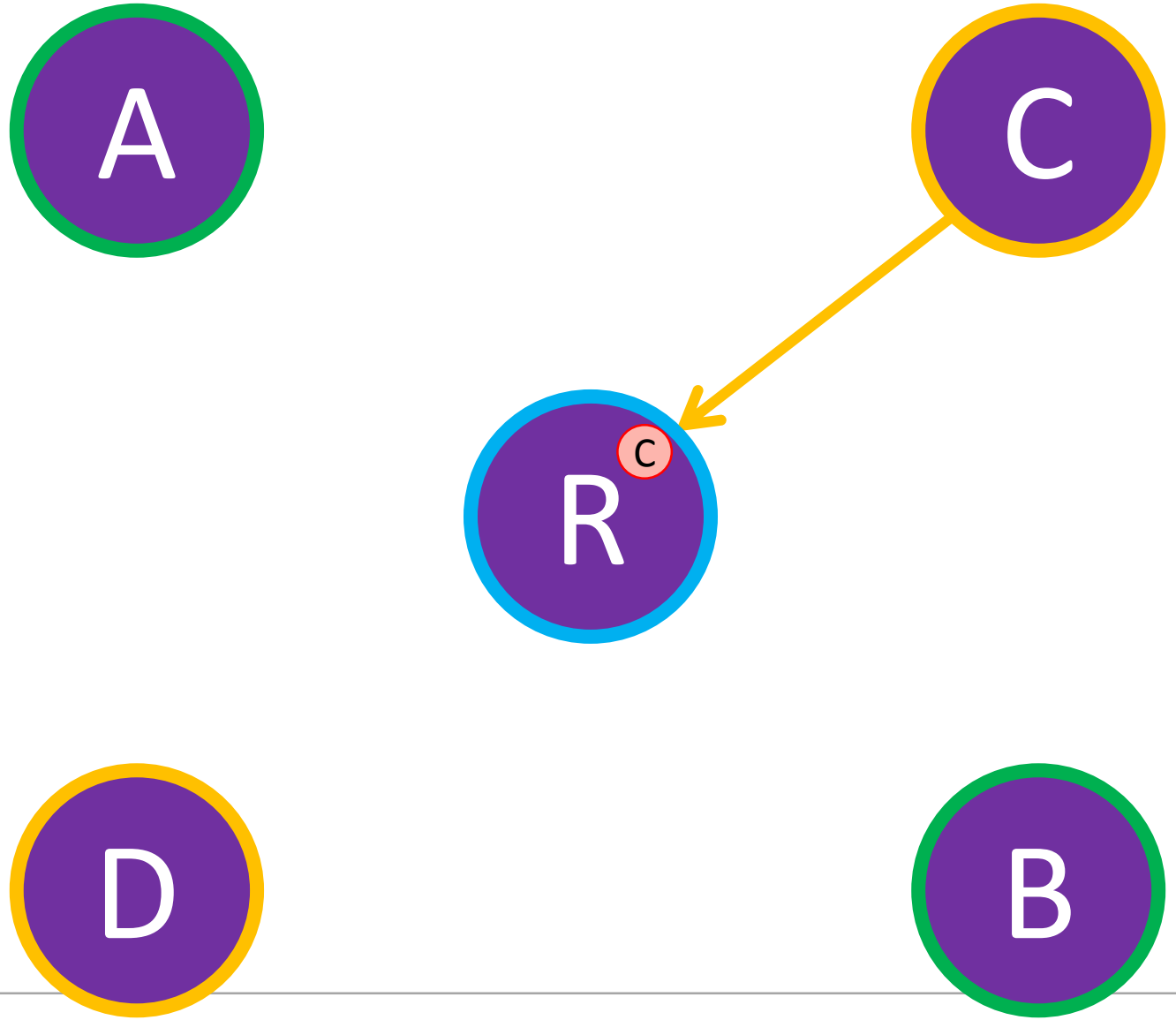

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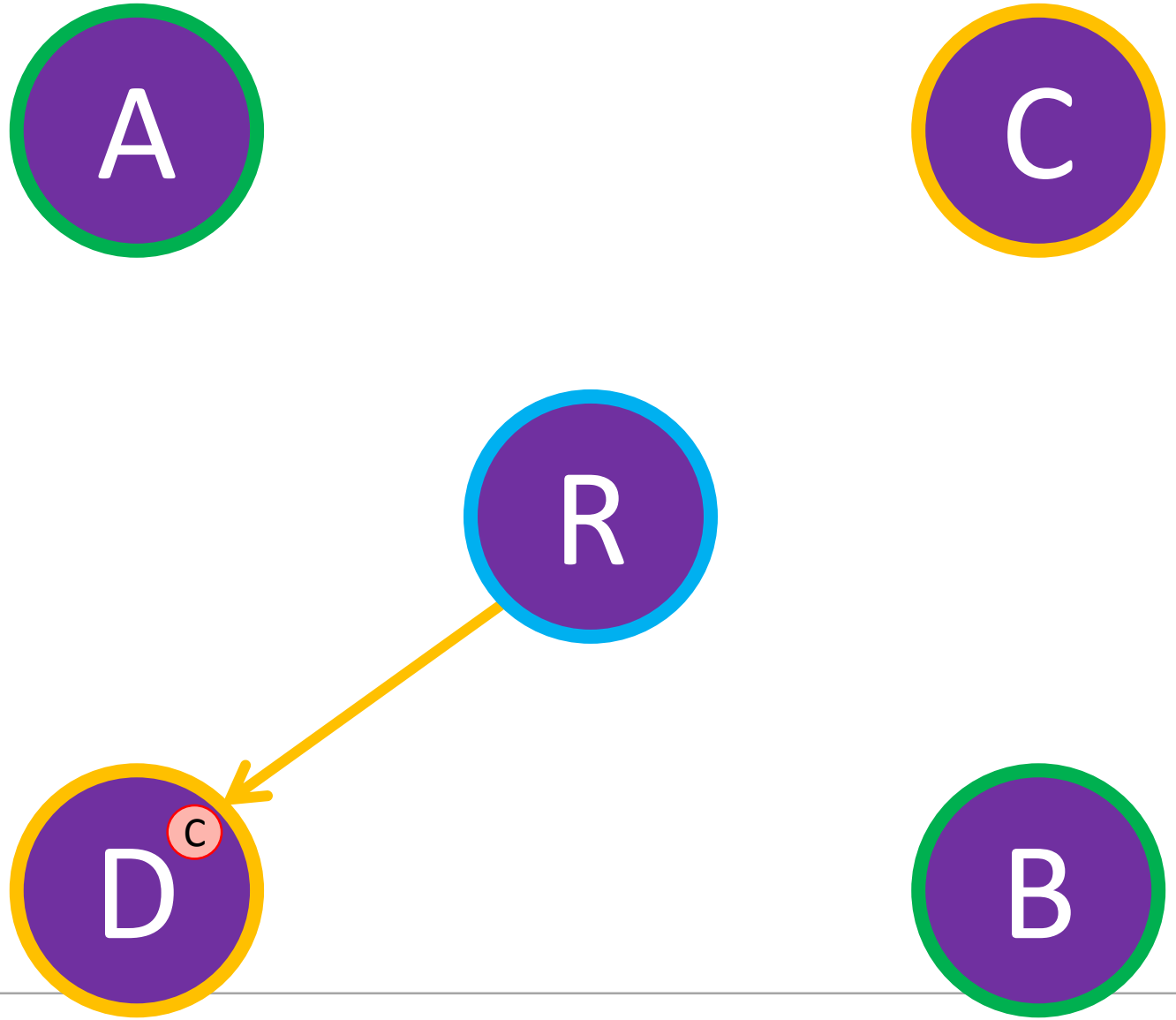

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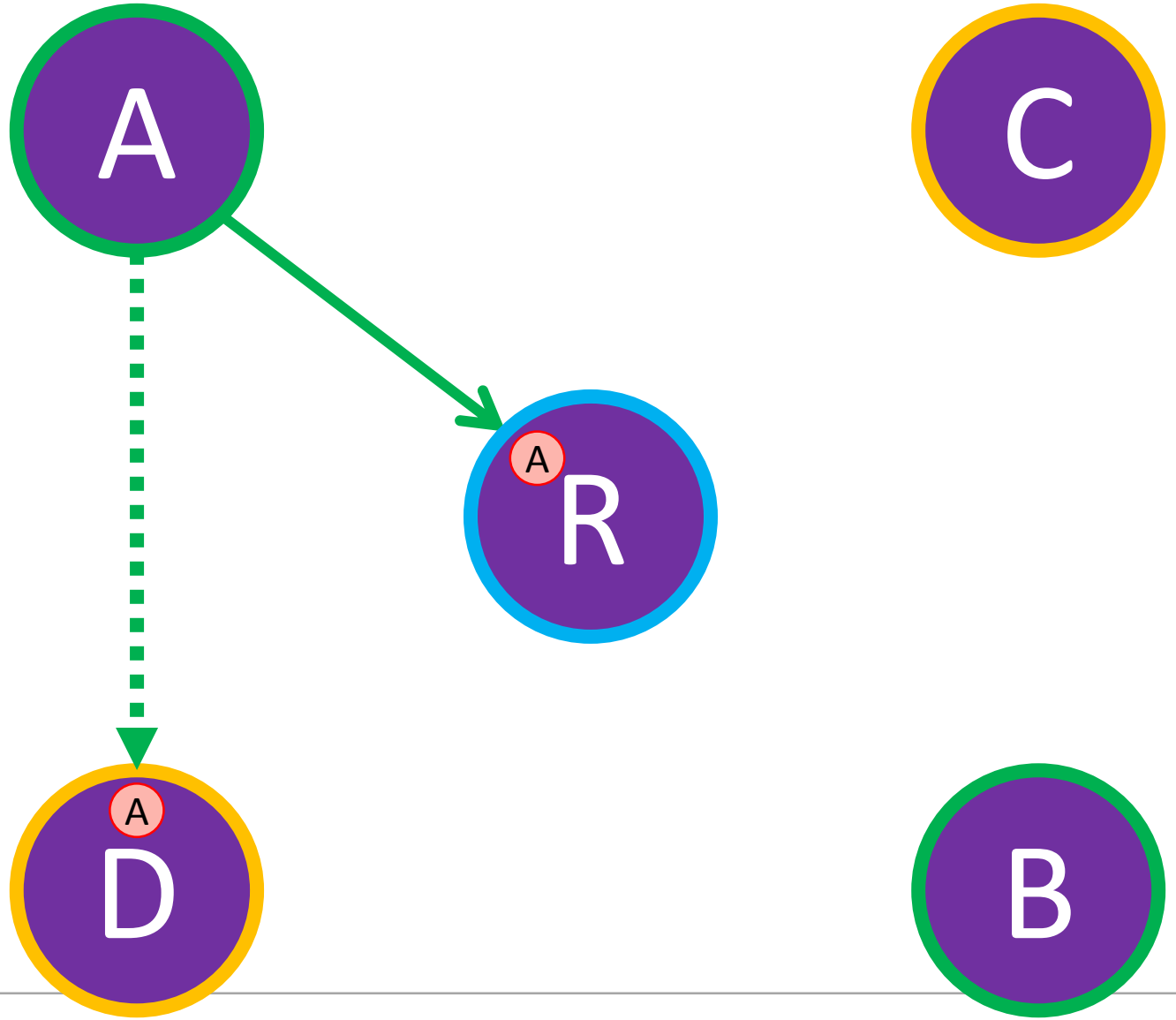

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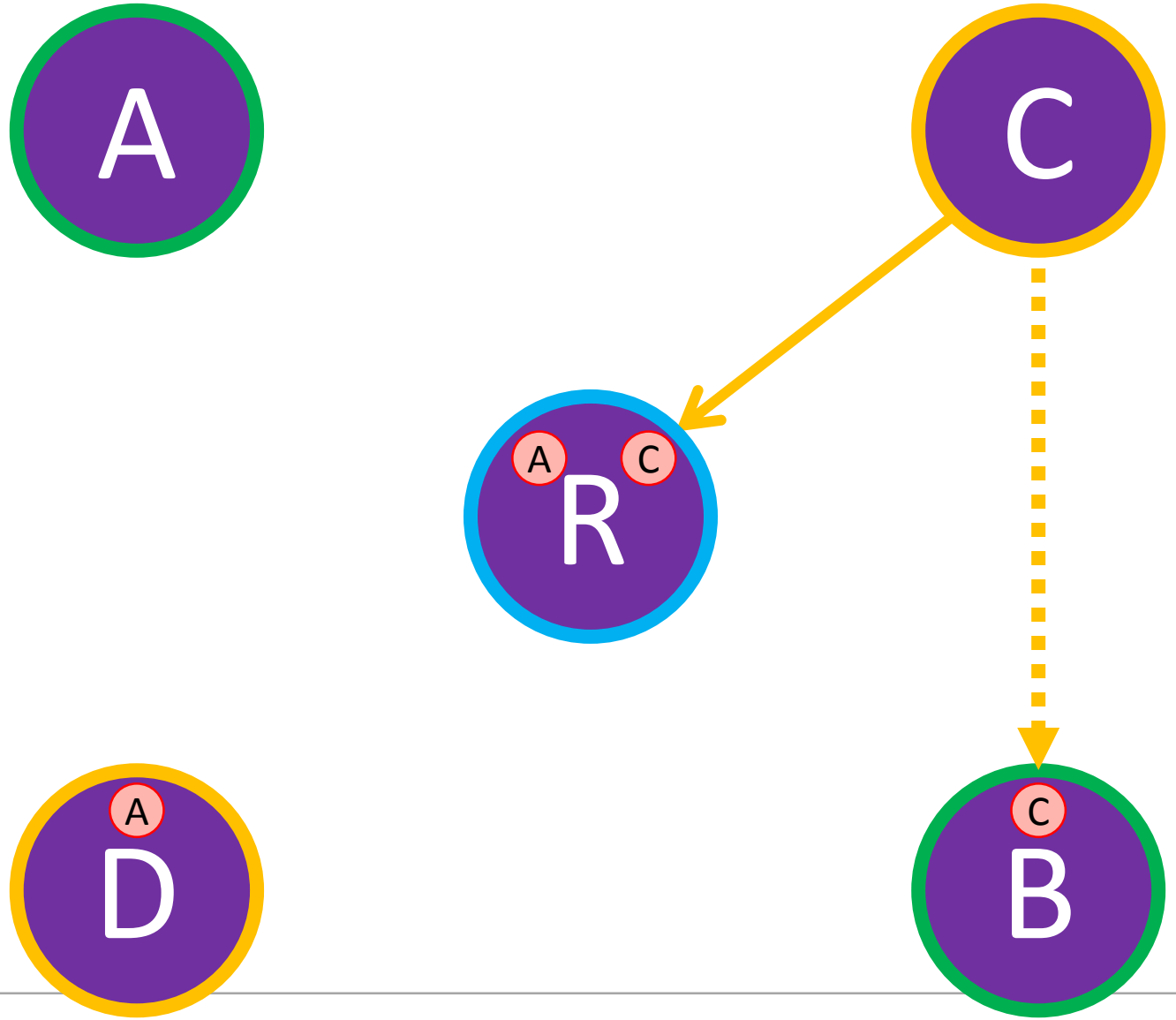

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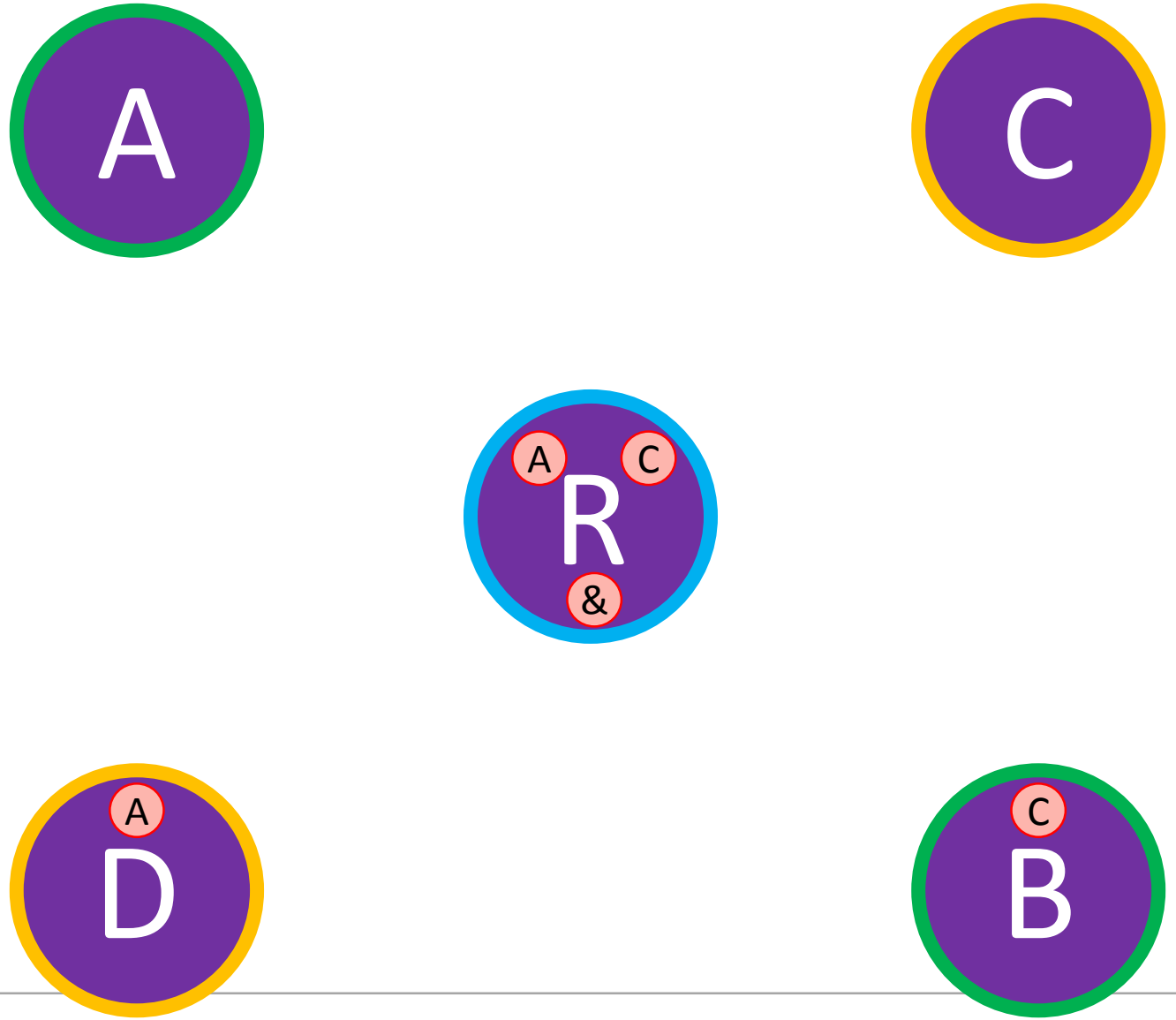

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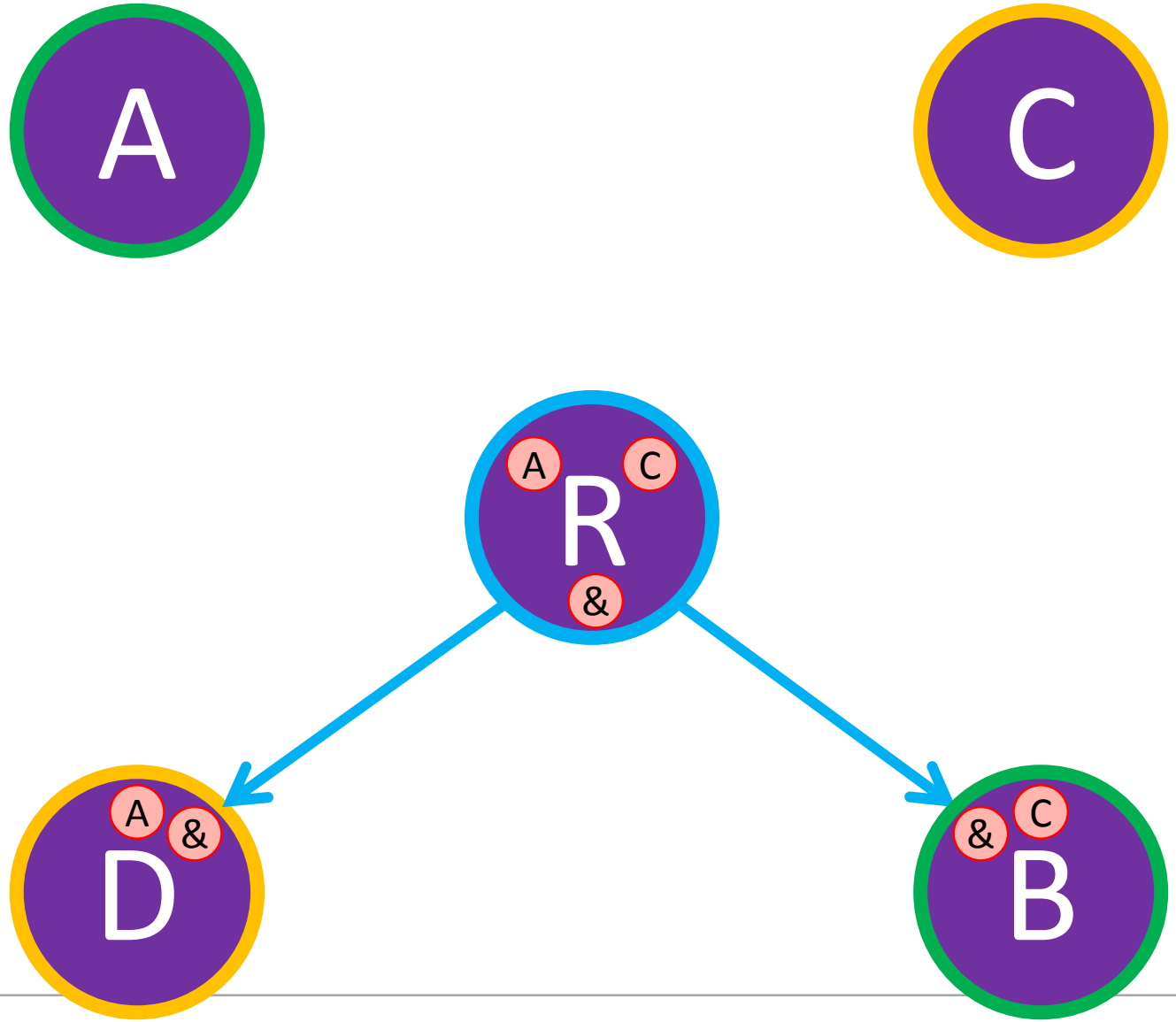

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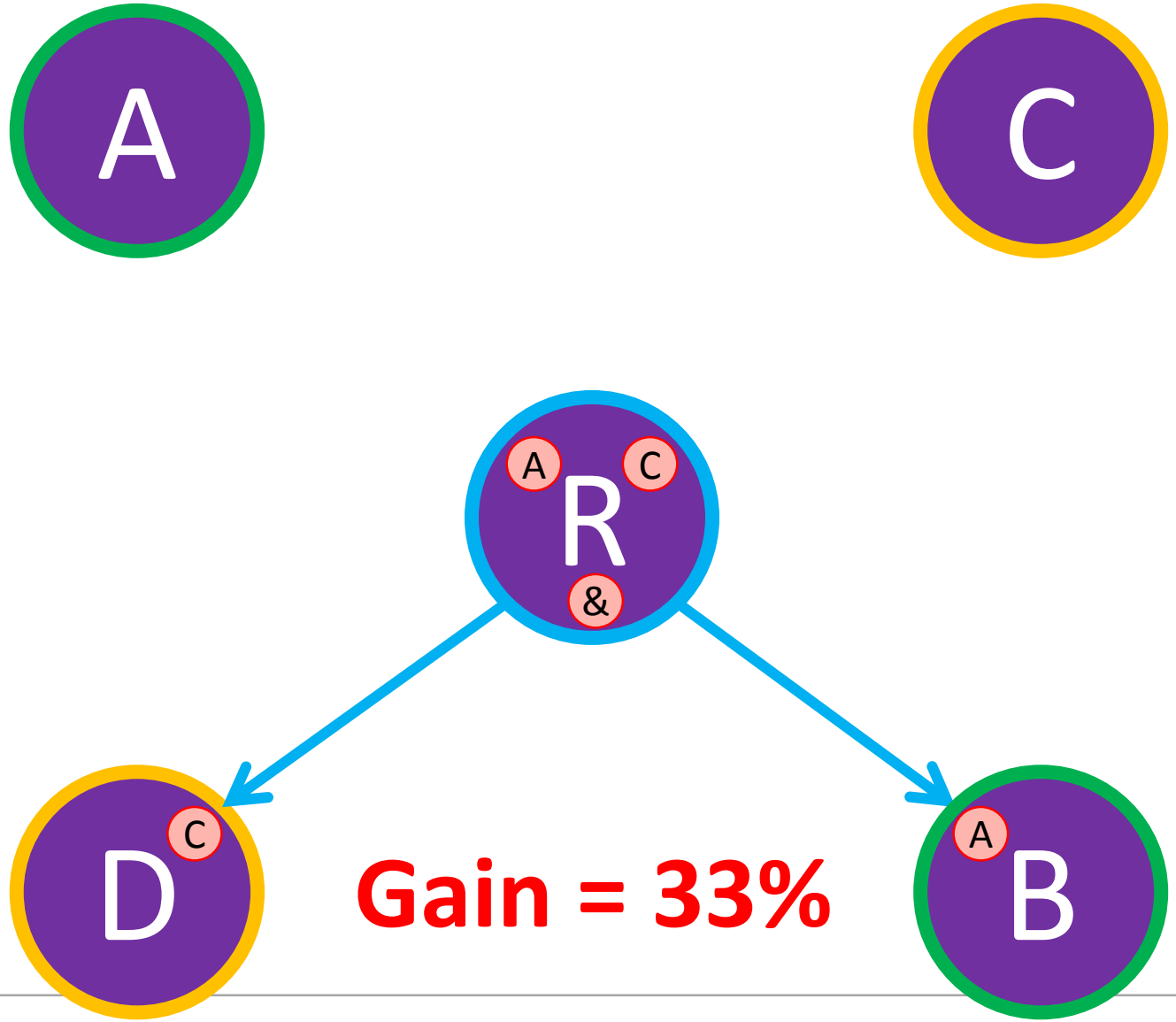

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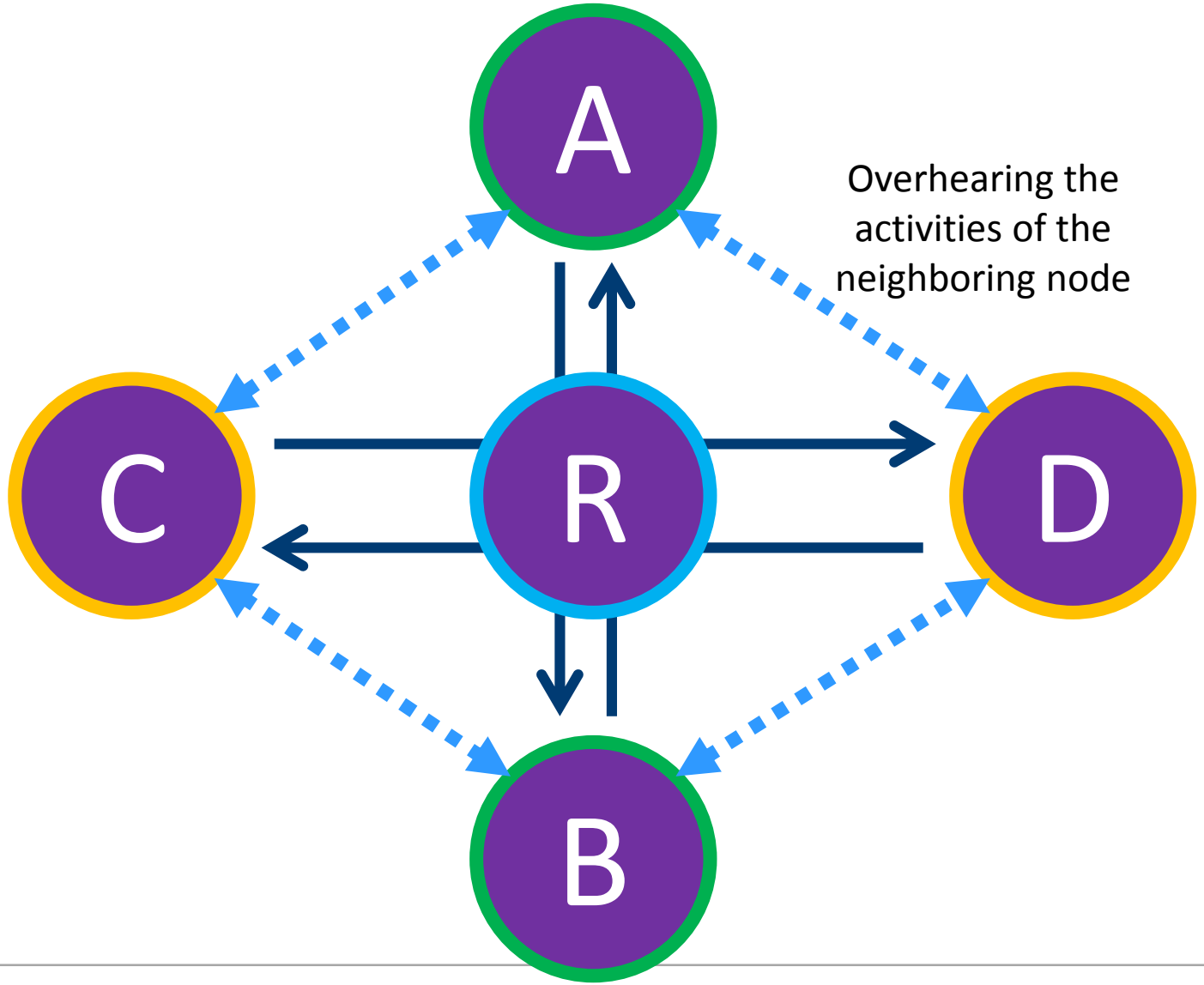

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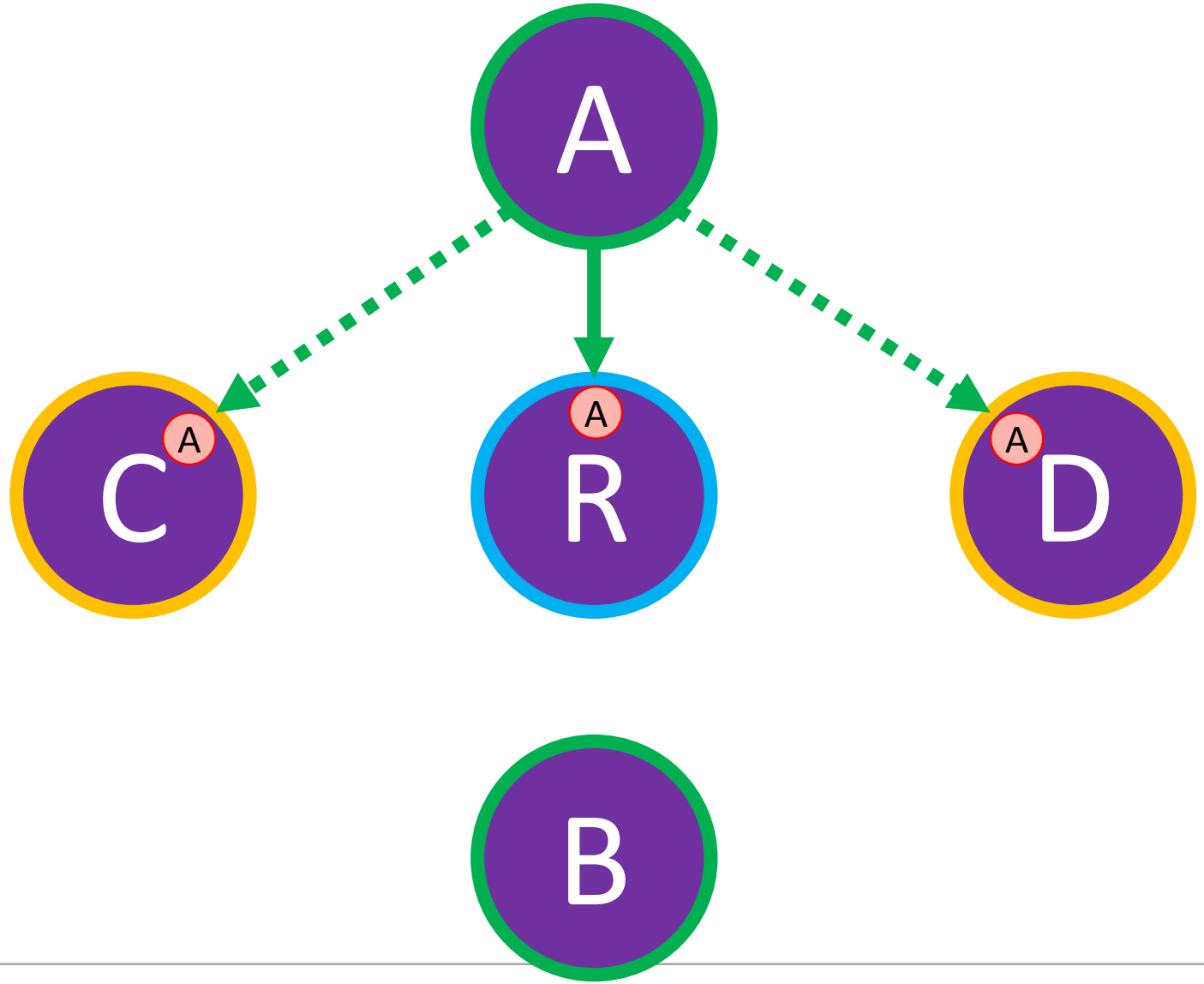

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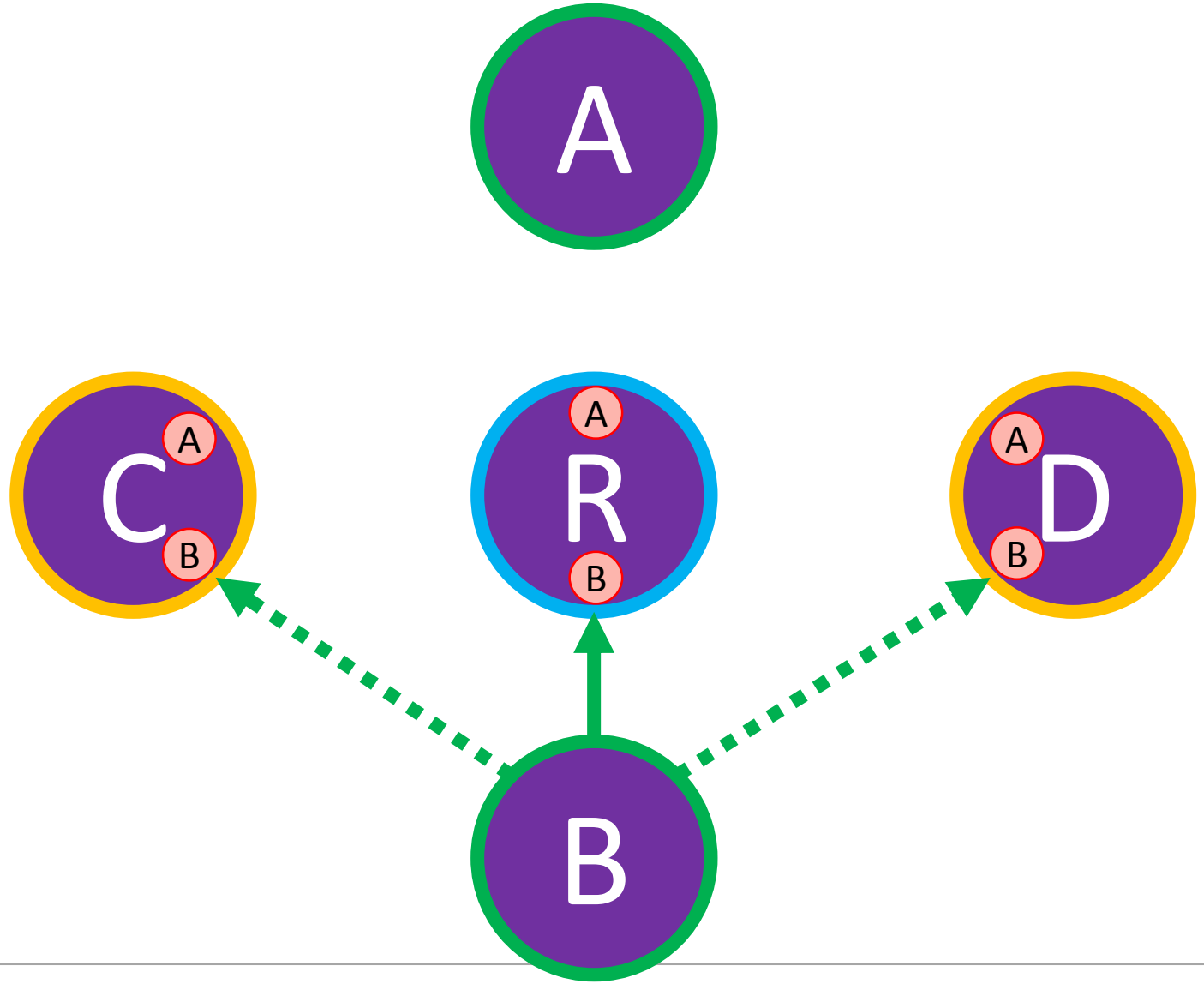

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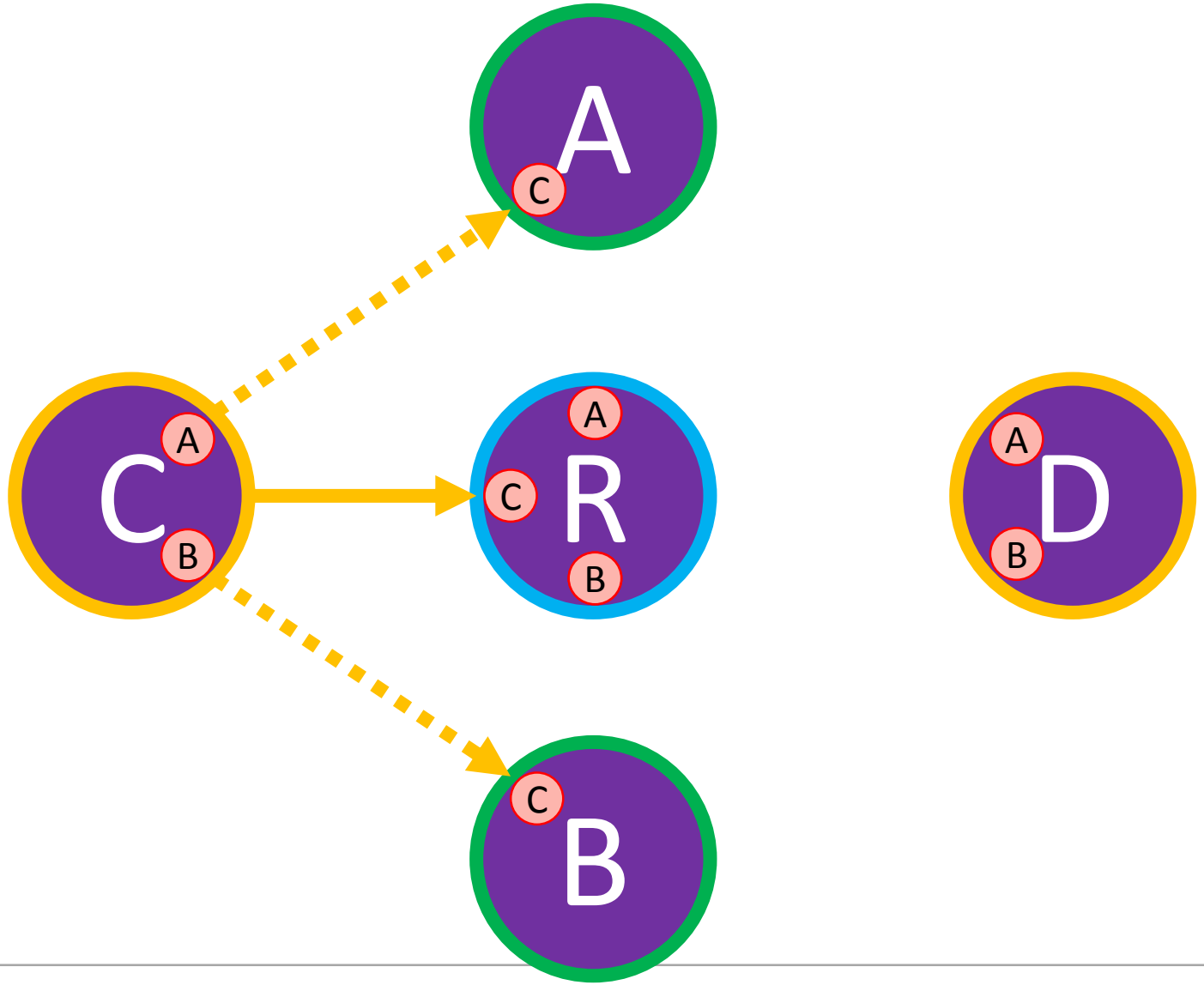

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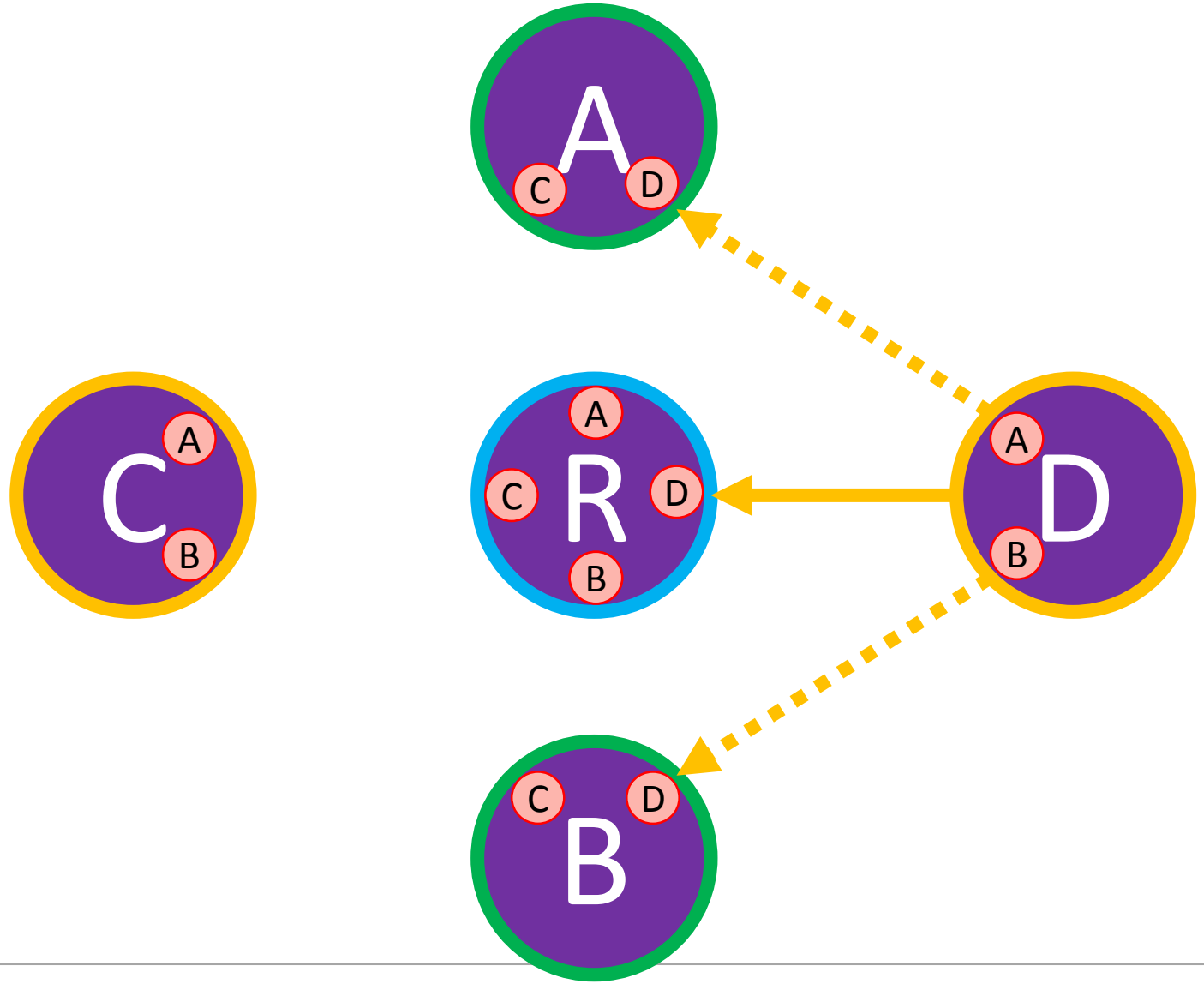

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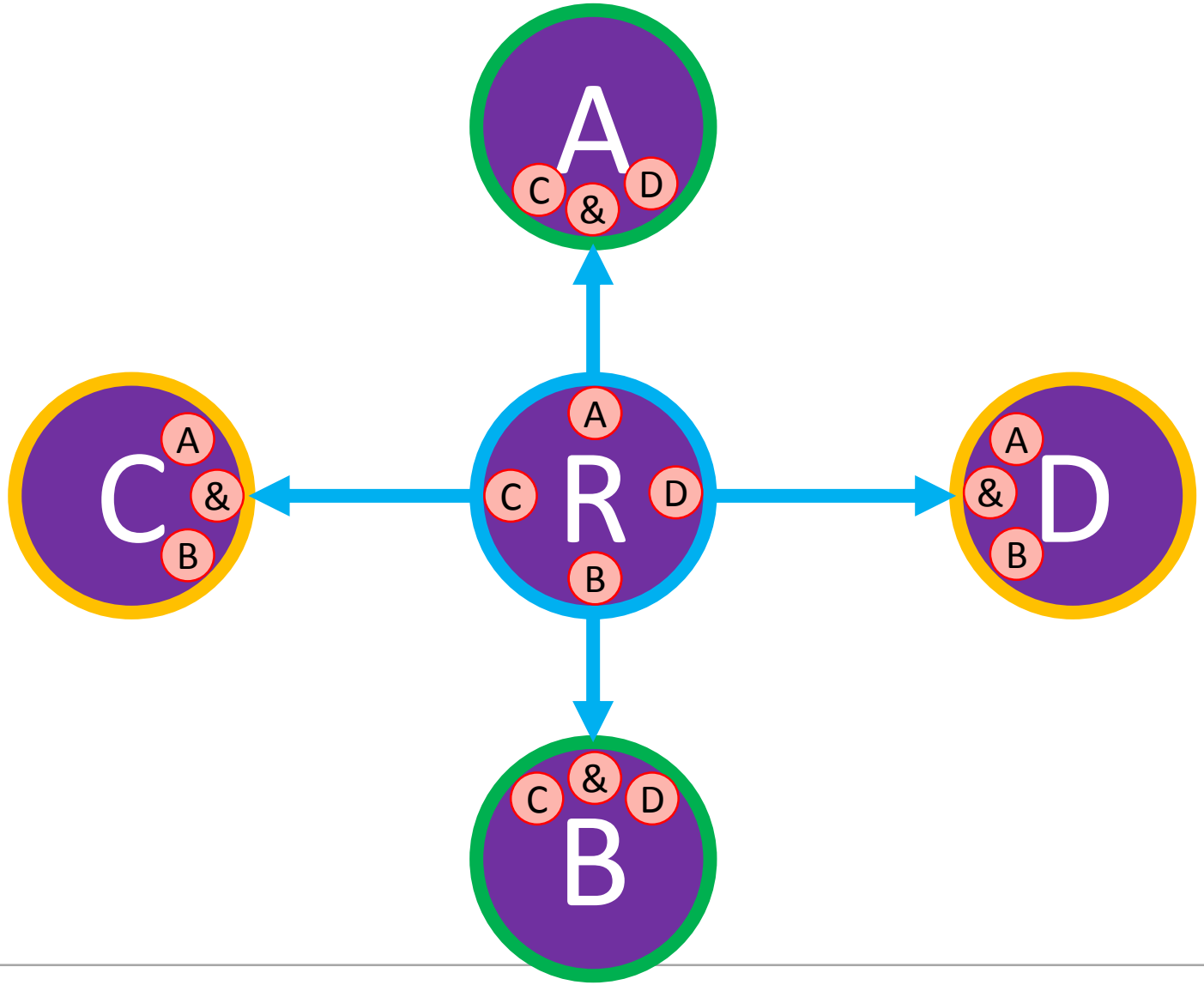

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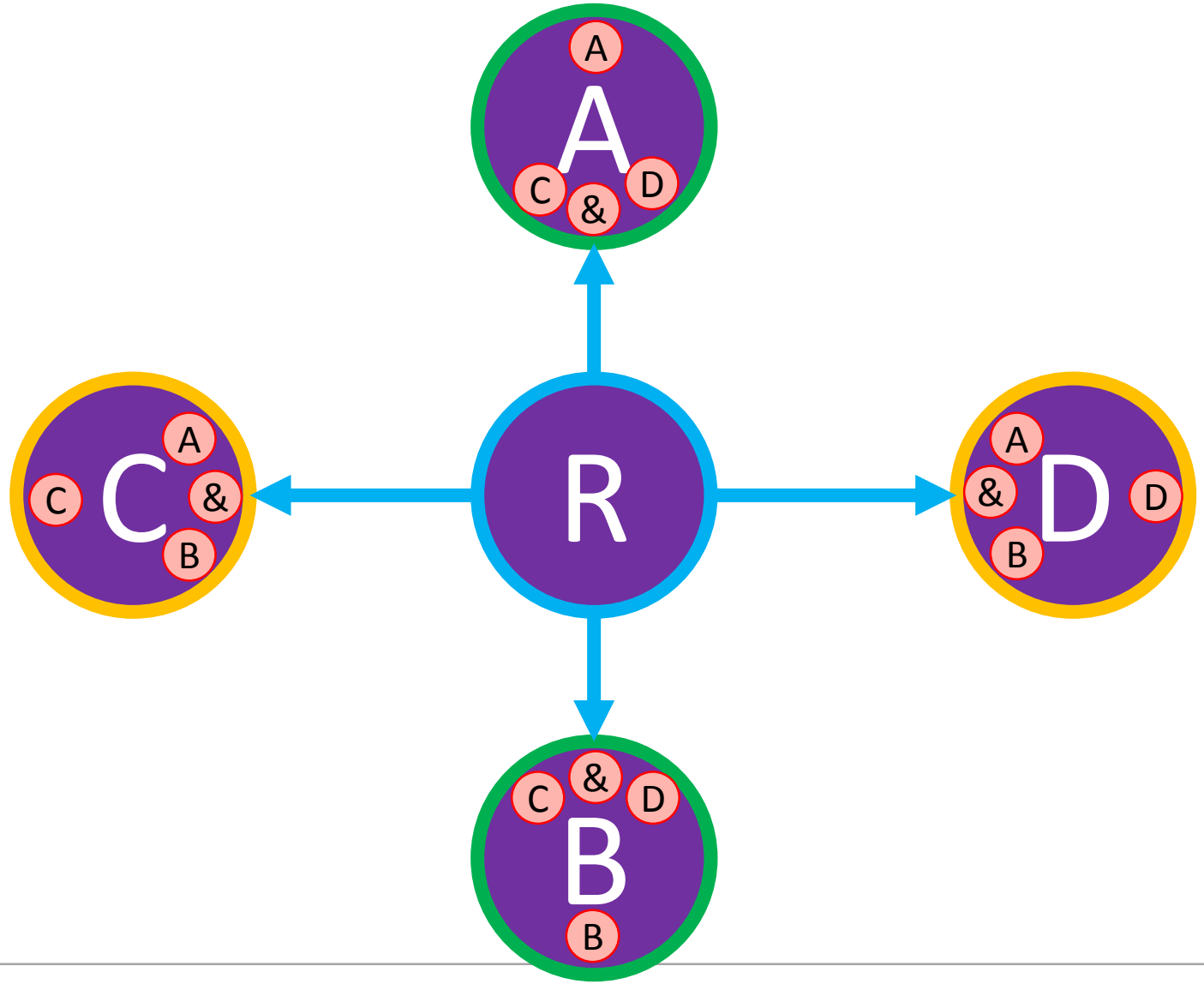

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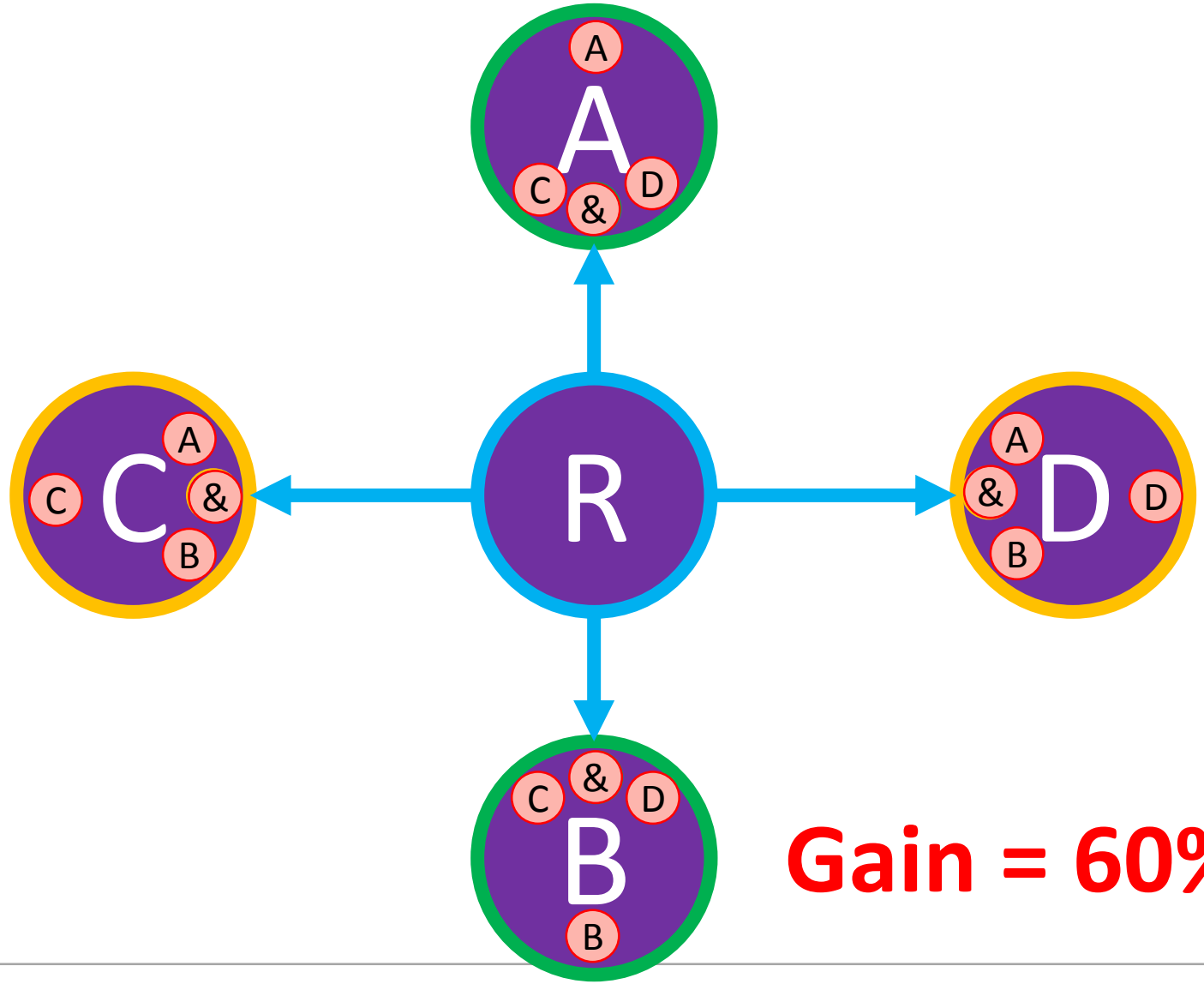

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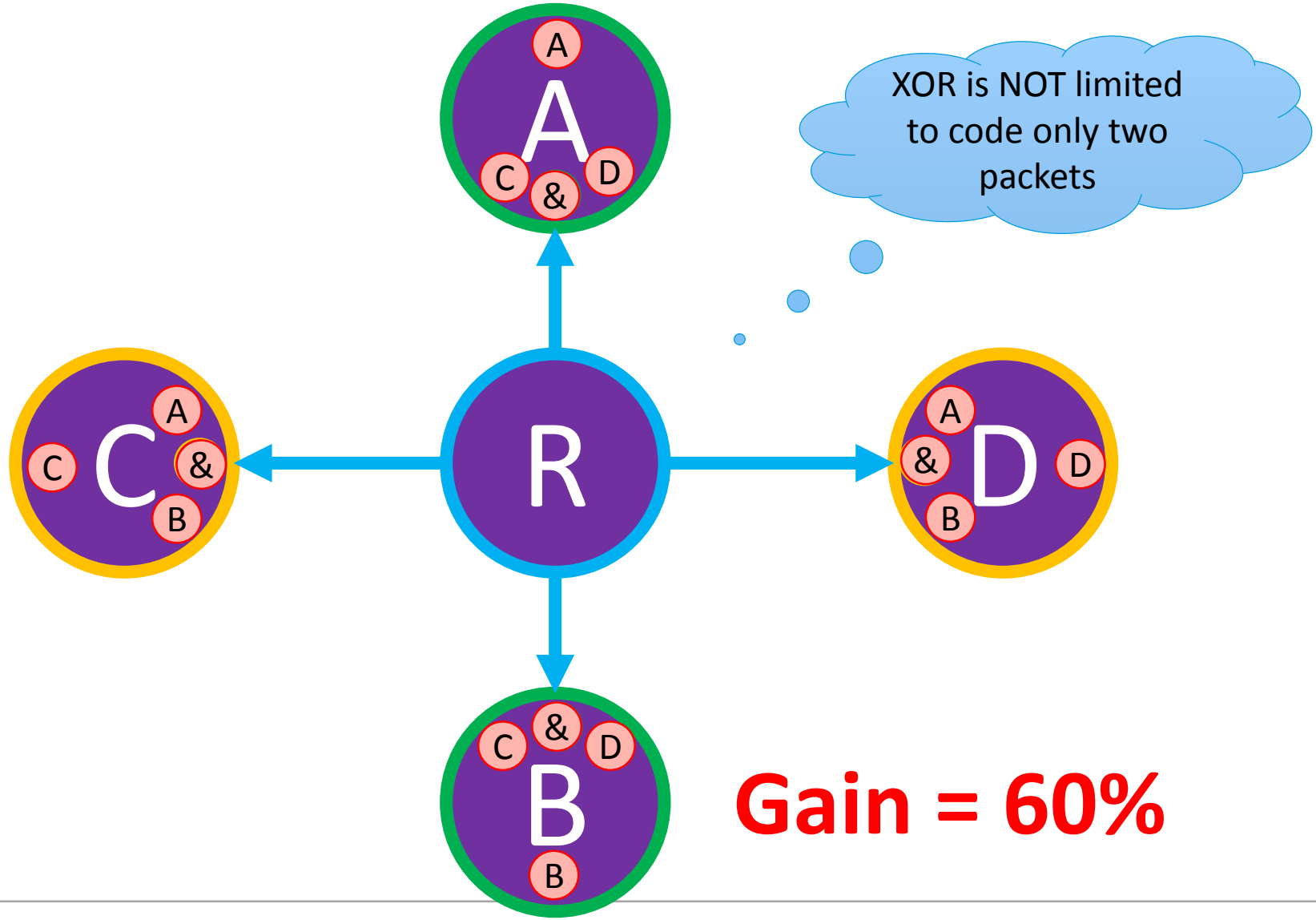

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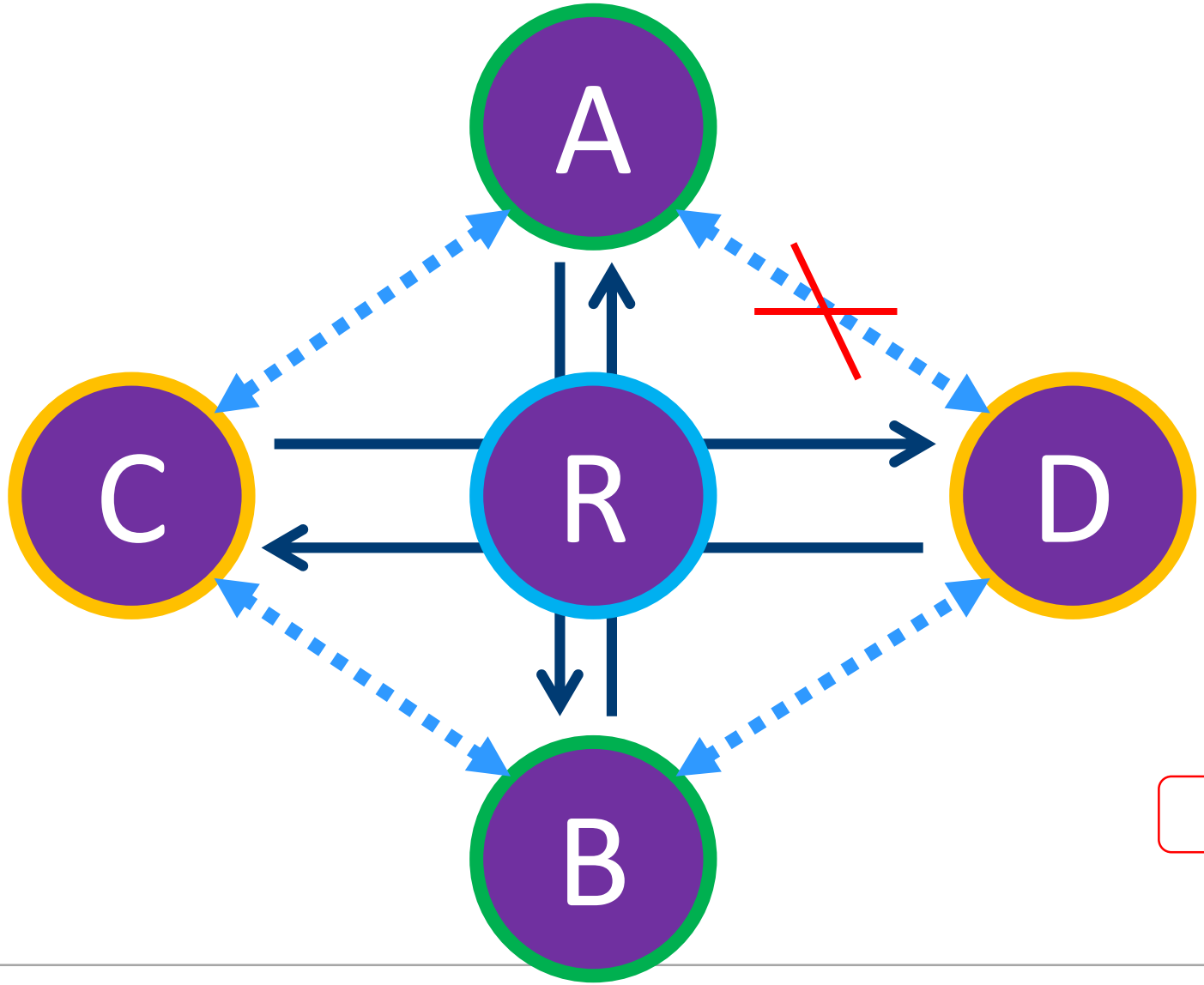

Hint: CORE protocol

Inter Flow Network Coding

- No delay
- Low complexity
- Easy integration with commercial solutions

- Some ideas are used in ANALOG network coding

- Planning and book keeping needed
- Certain traffic characterisitcs are beneficial in mesh networks
- Symmetric traffic allows for more coding potential

Index Coding

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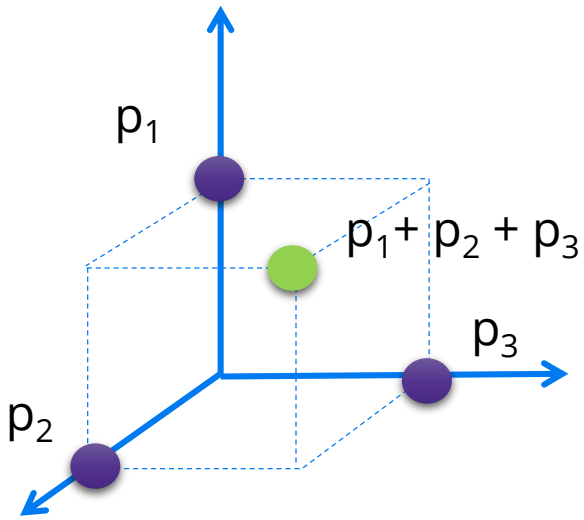
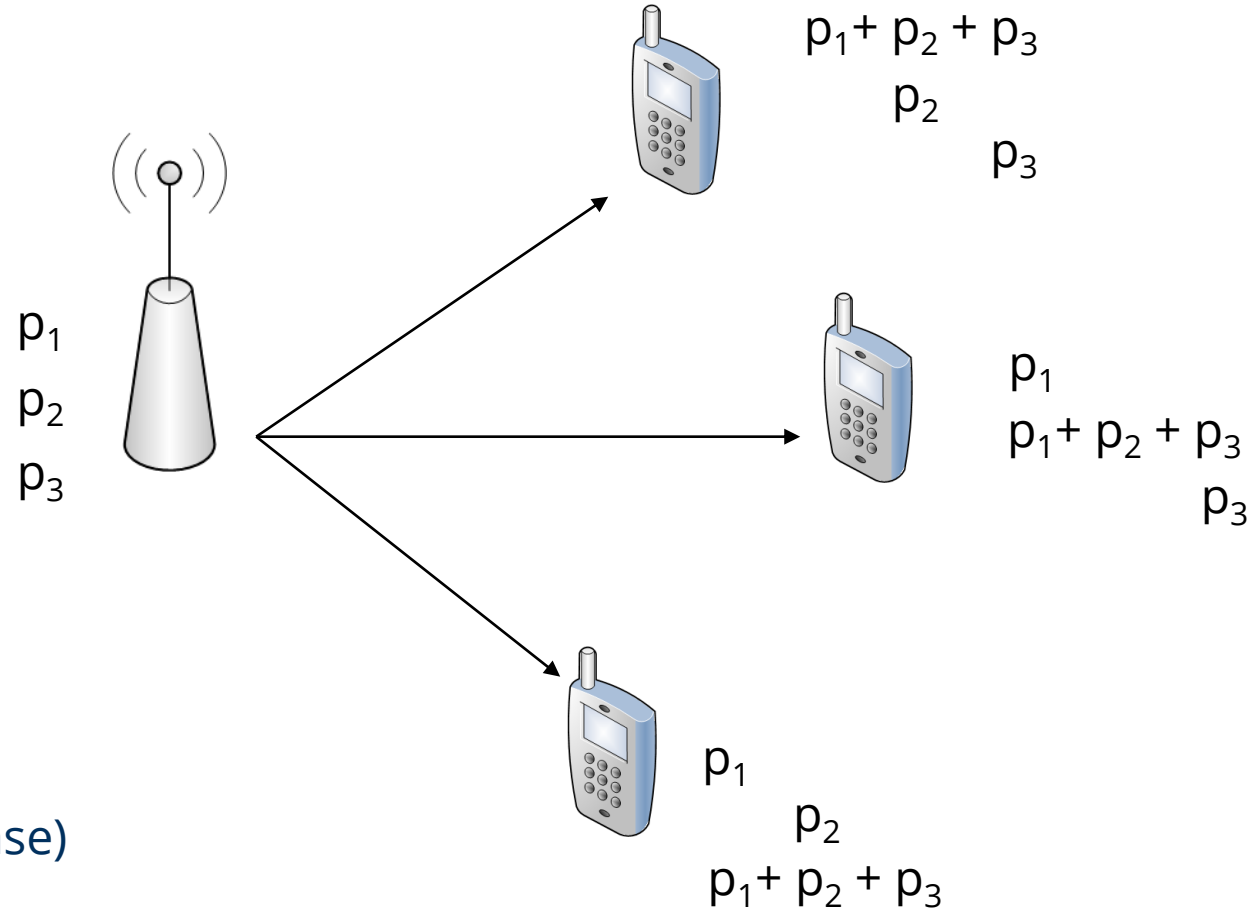




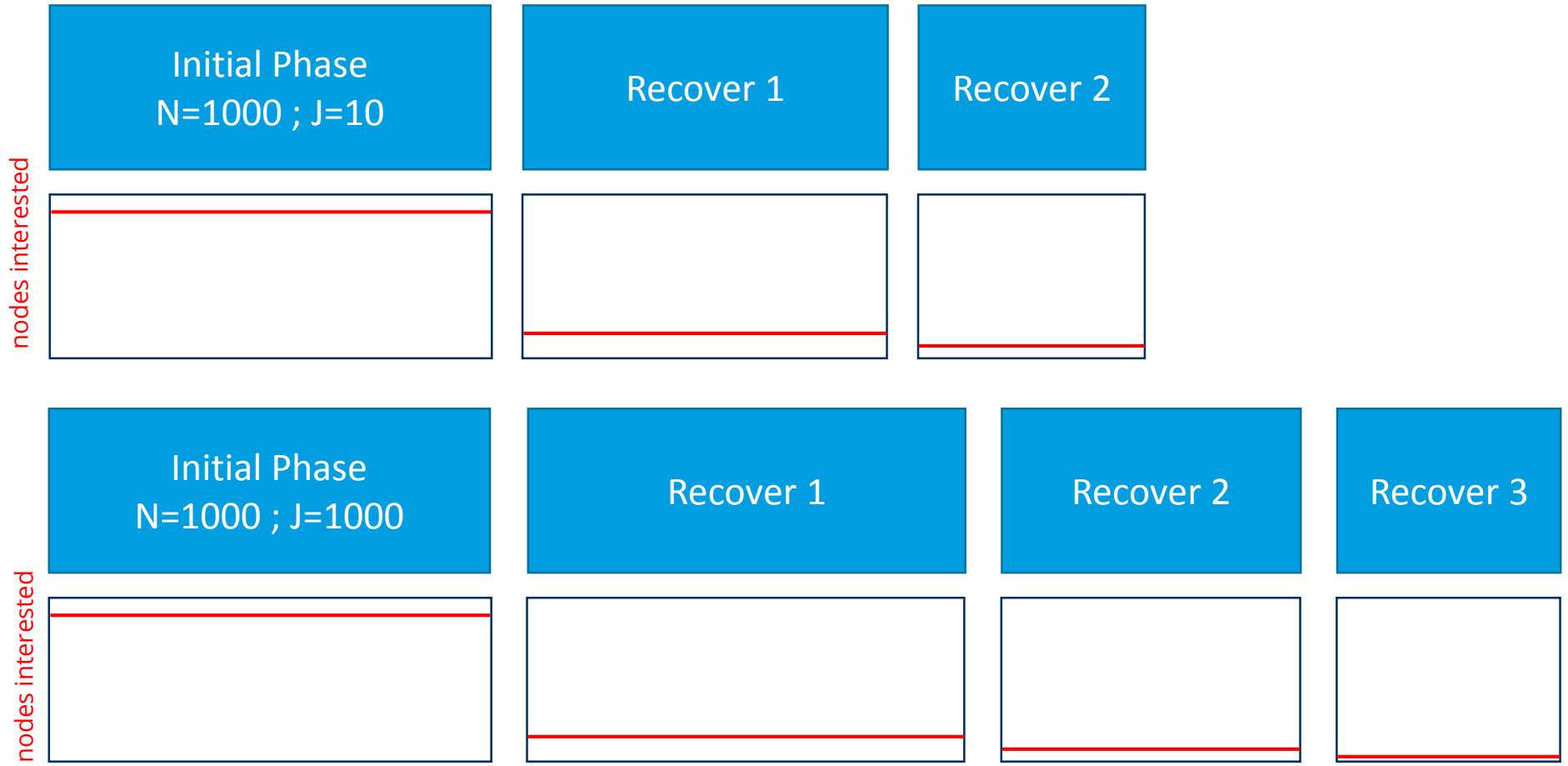
In wireless networks

- Broadcast advantage
- Generation of packets (three in this case)
- Packet erasures (losses)

Reliable Multicast: Motivation

- Wireless has the advantage of inherent broadcast
- Wireless is error prone
- Coding versus Retransmissions
- N = number of packets
- J = number of users

Reliable Multicast: Motivation



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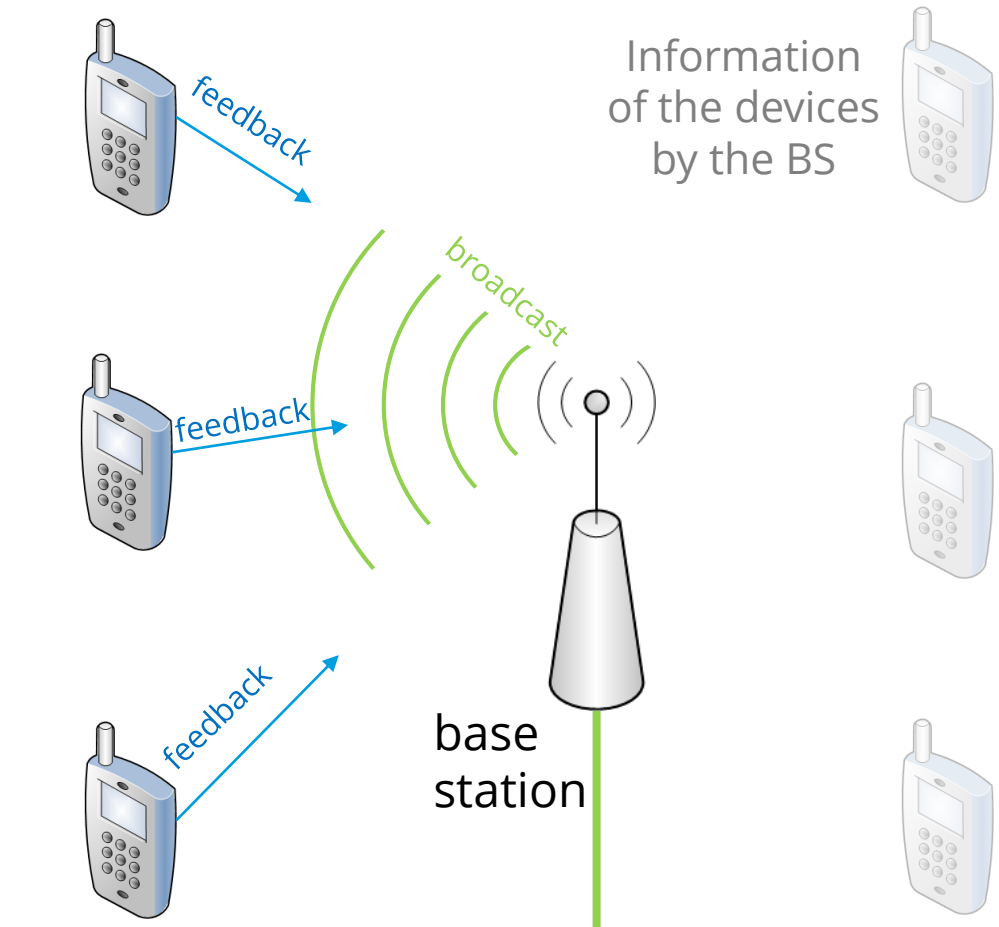

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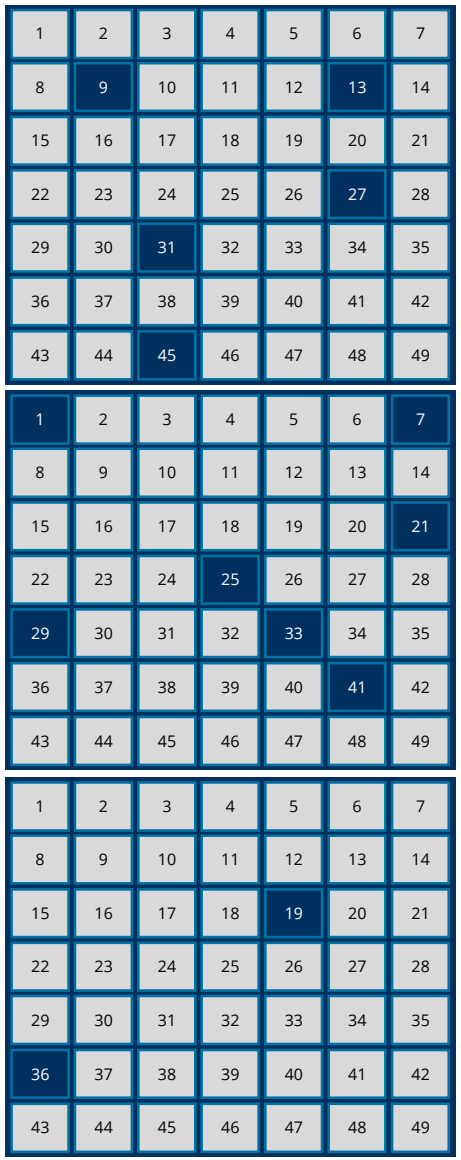

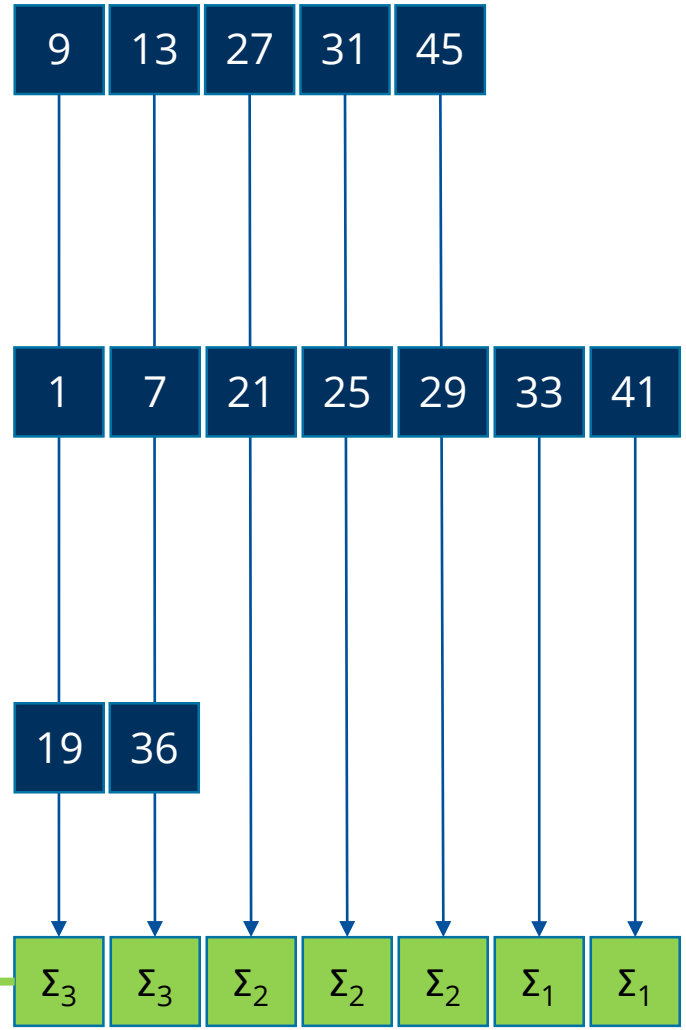

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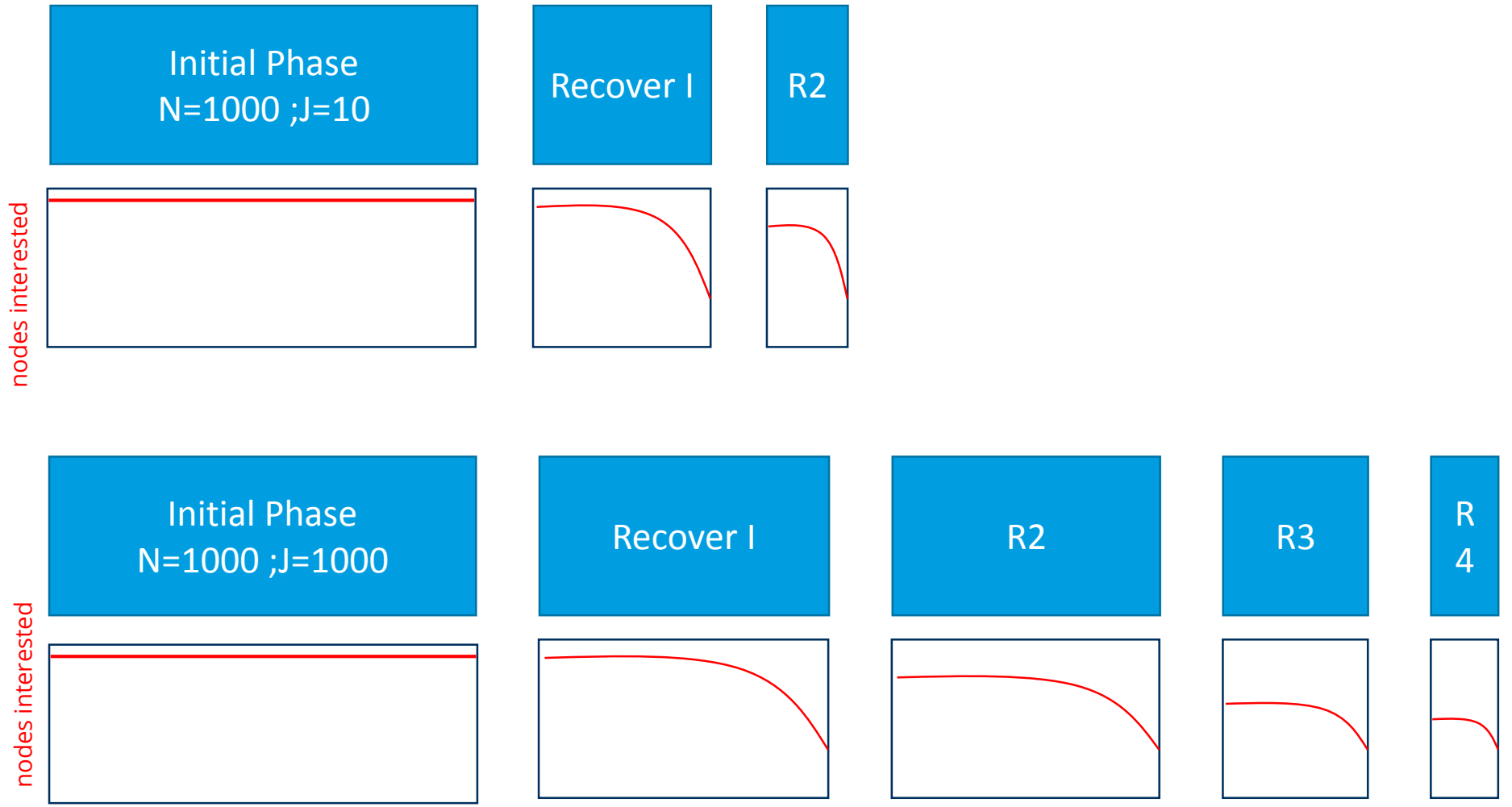

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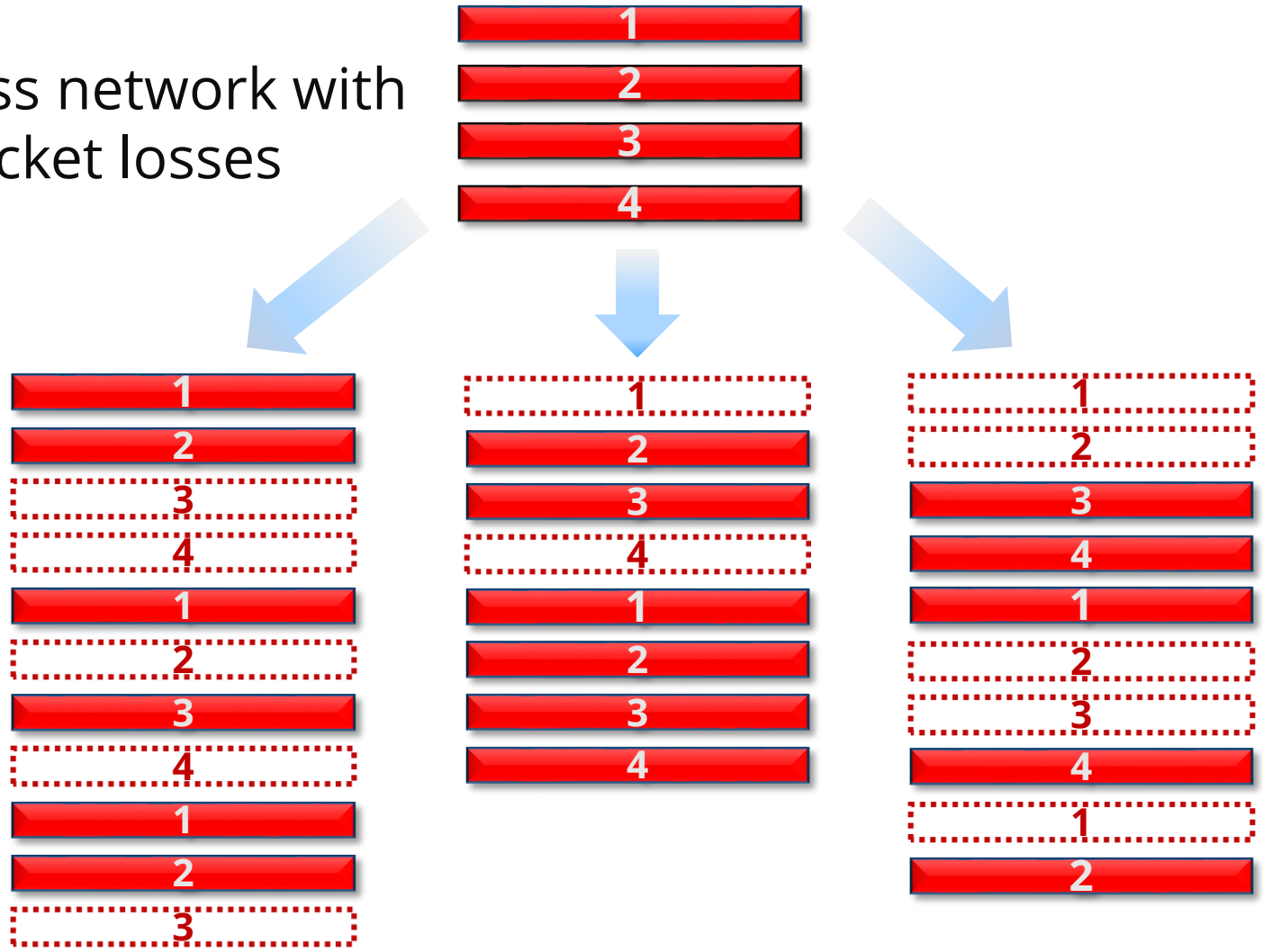

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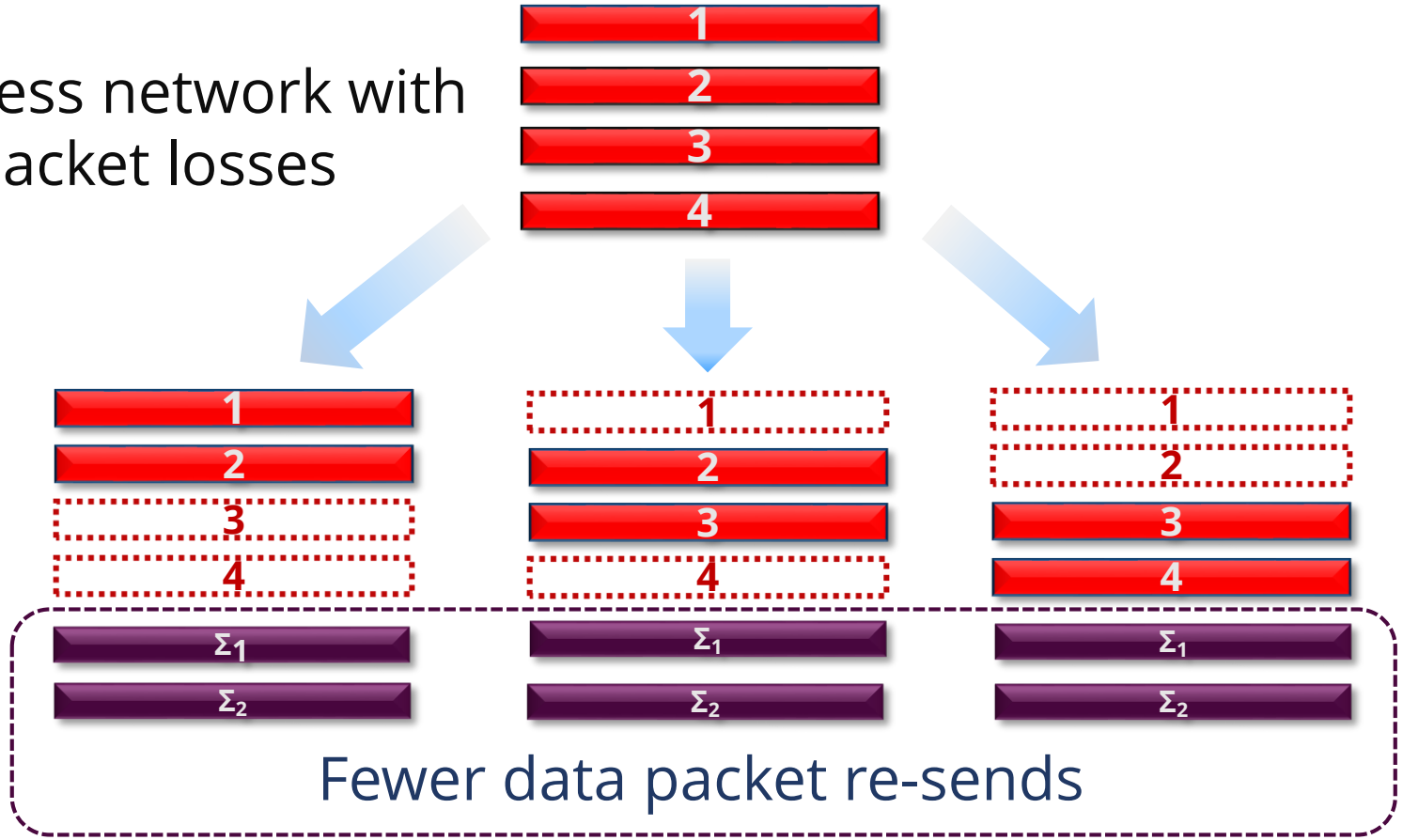

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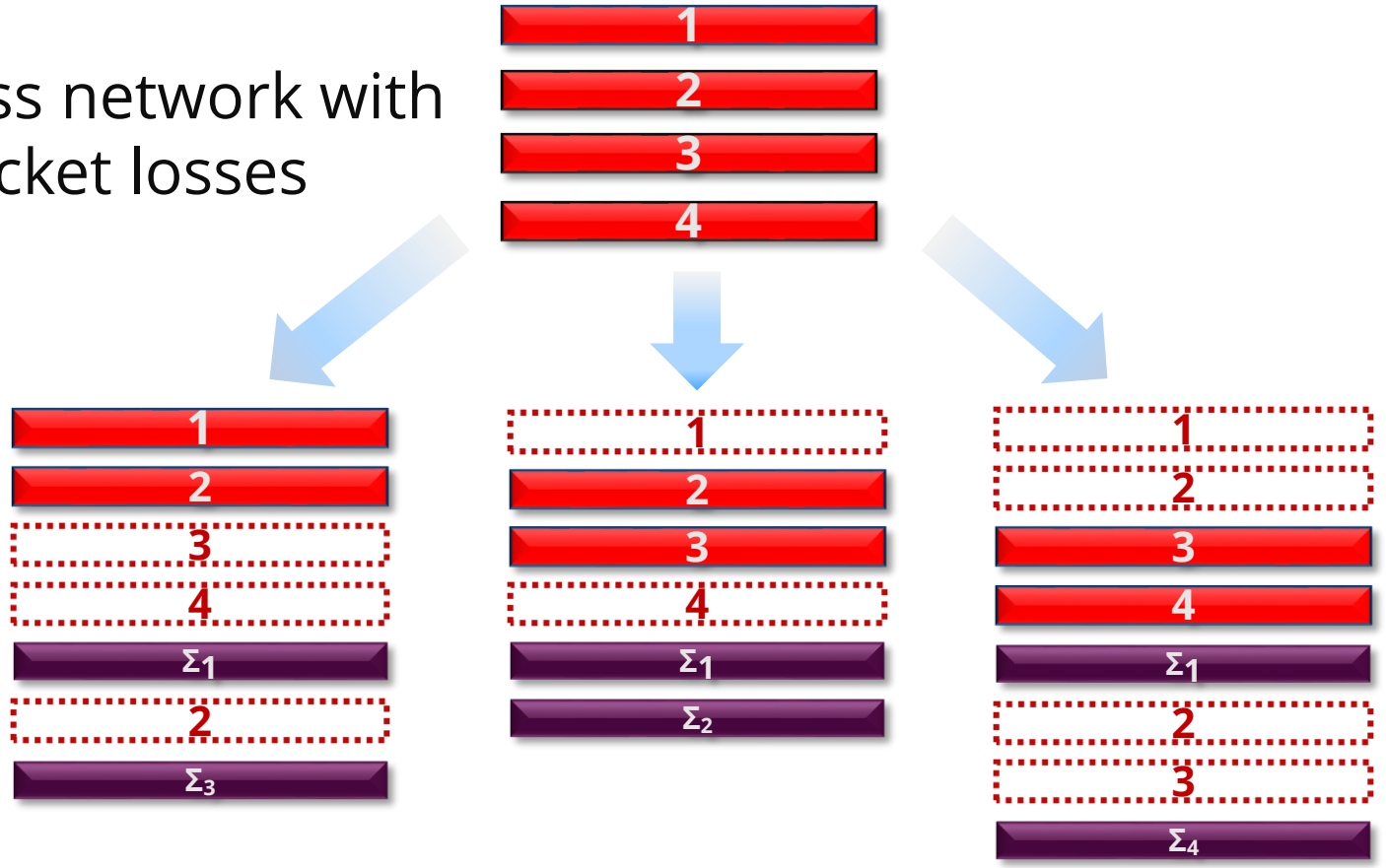

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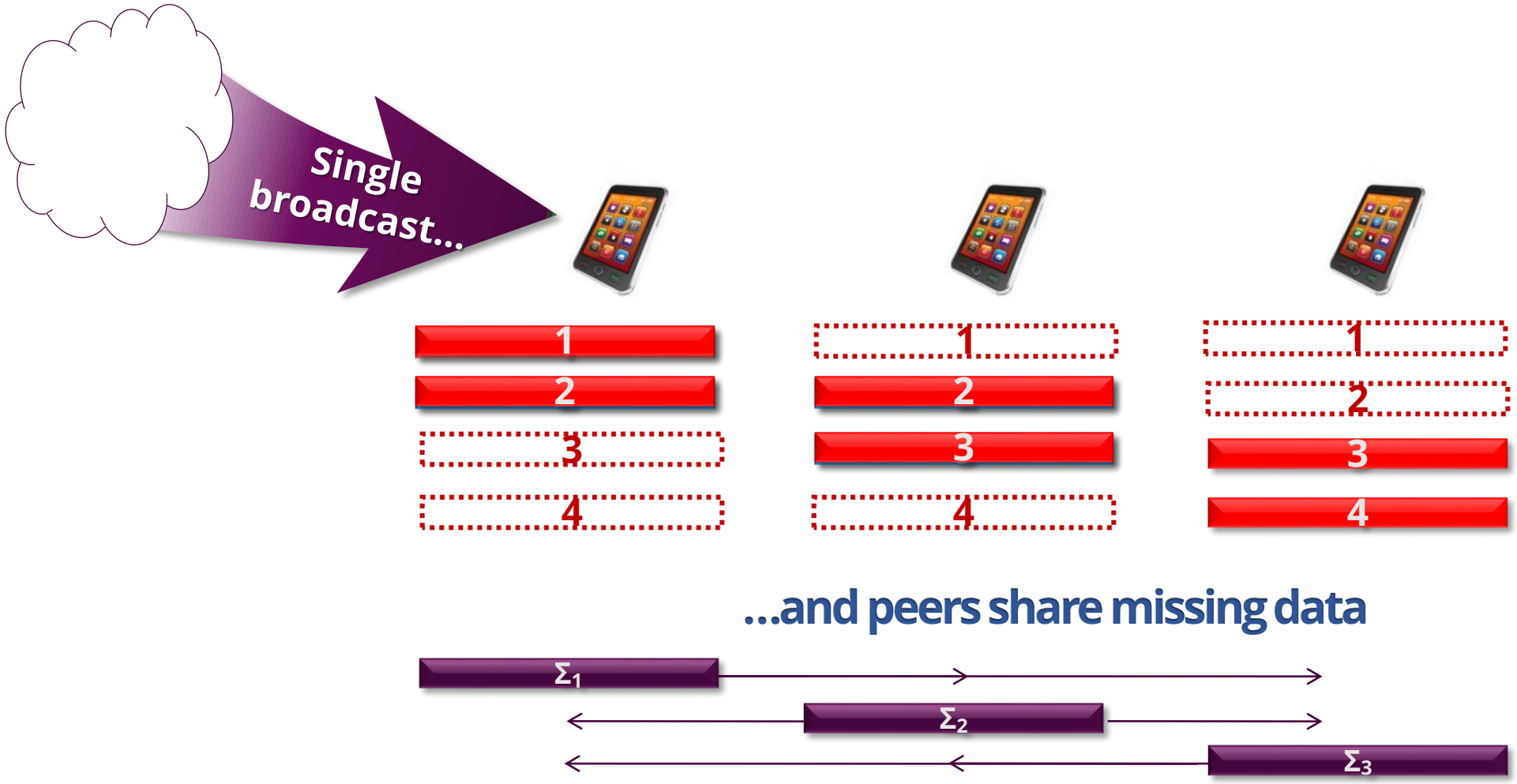

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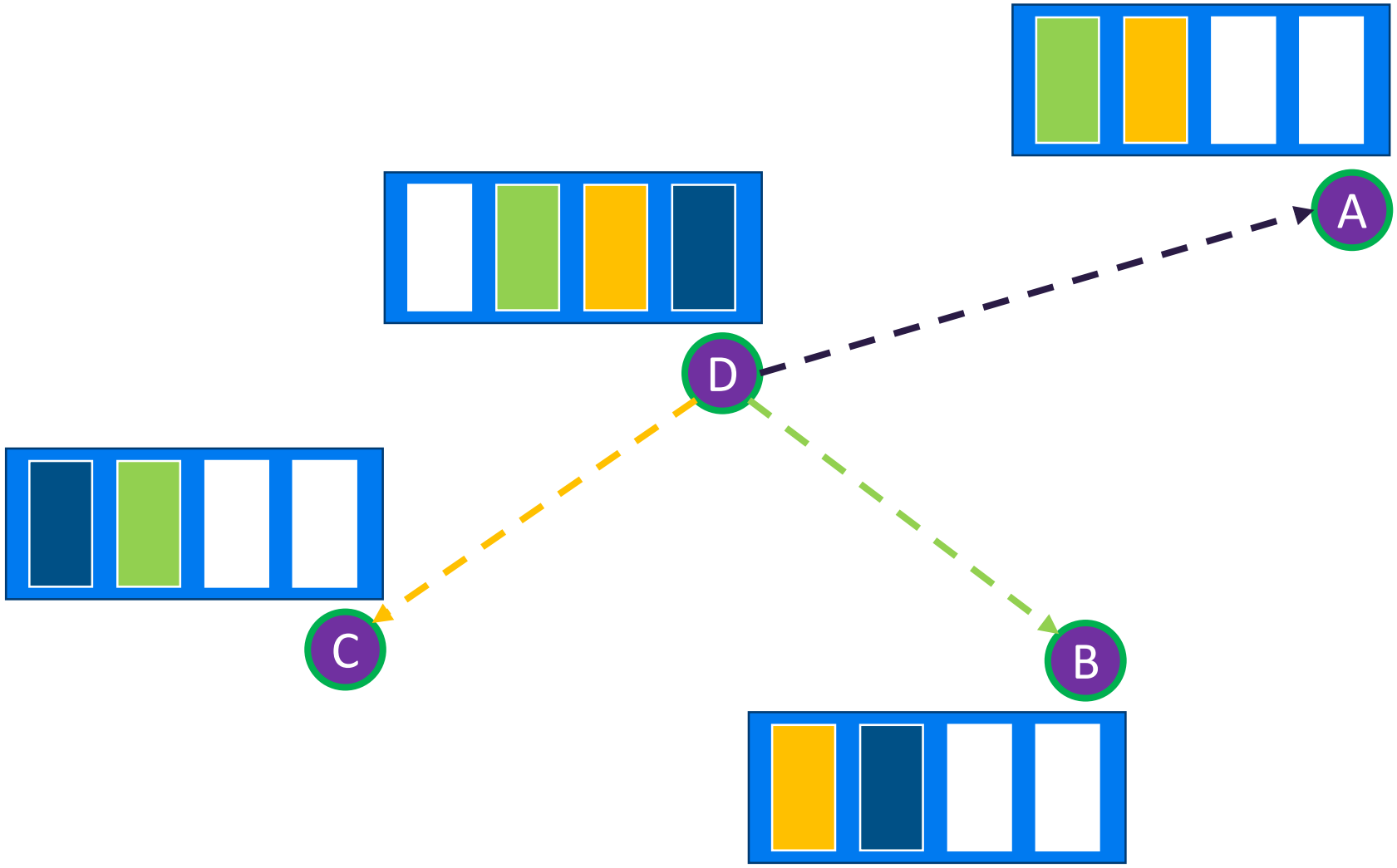

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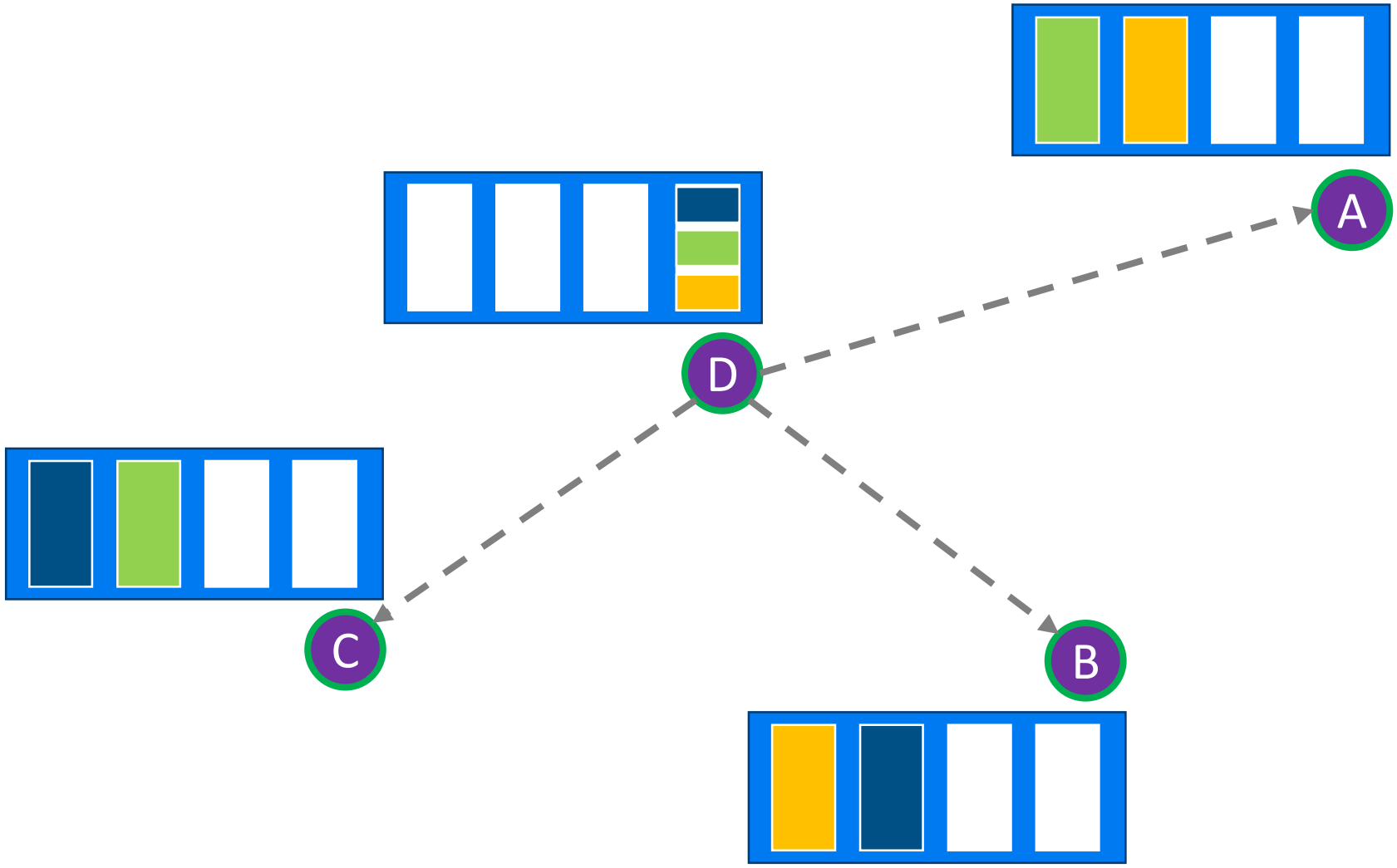

First implementations

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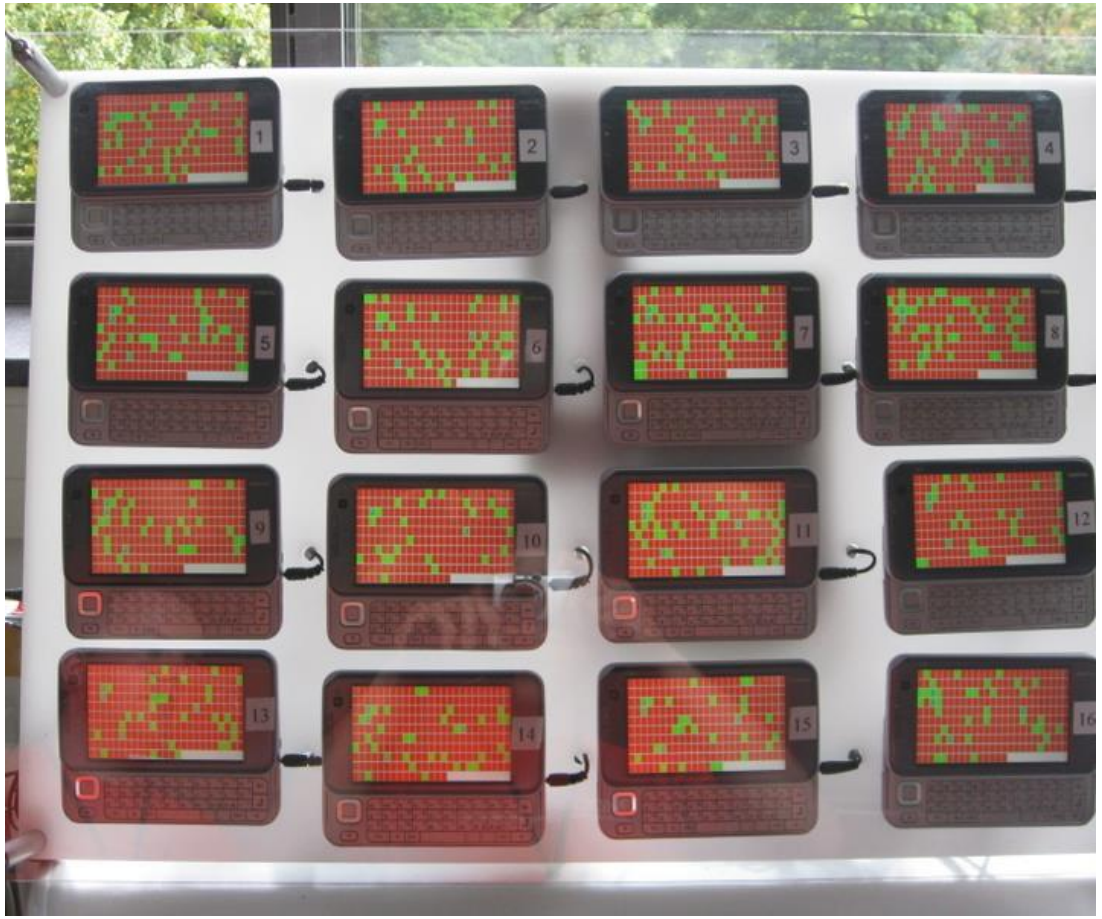
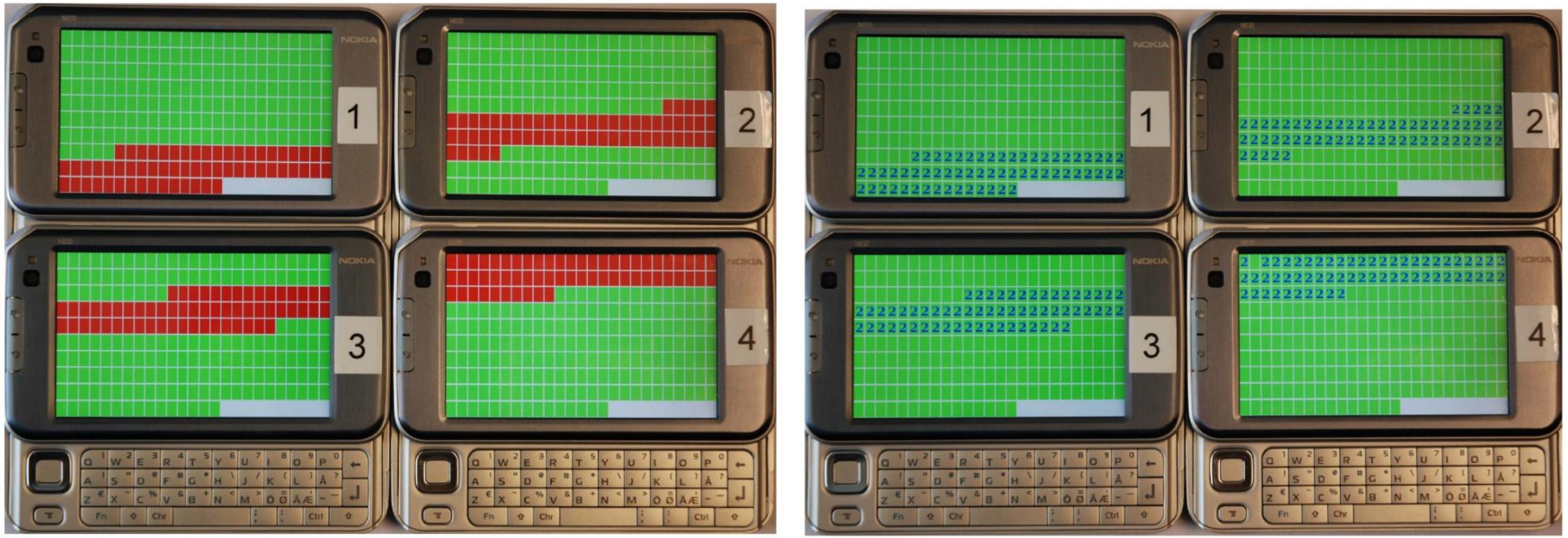
Inter-Flow NC on N810 (2008)

- XOR coding on N810 (linux device by NOKIA)
- Remote setup
  - Predefined set
  - Random set
- Constantly exchanging reception updates (who needs what)
- Overall goal is to let all devices have all information



N810 Implementation COPE



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Results: N810

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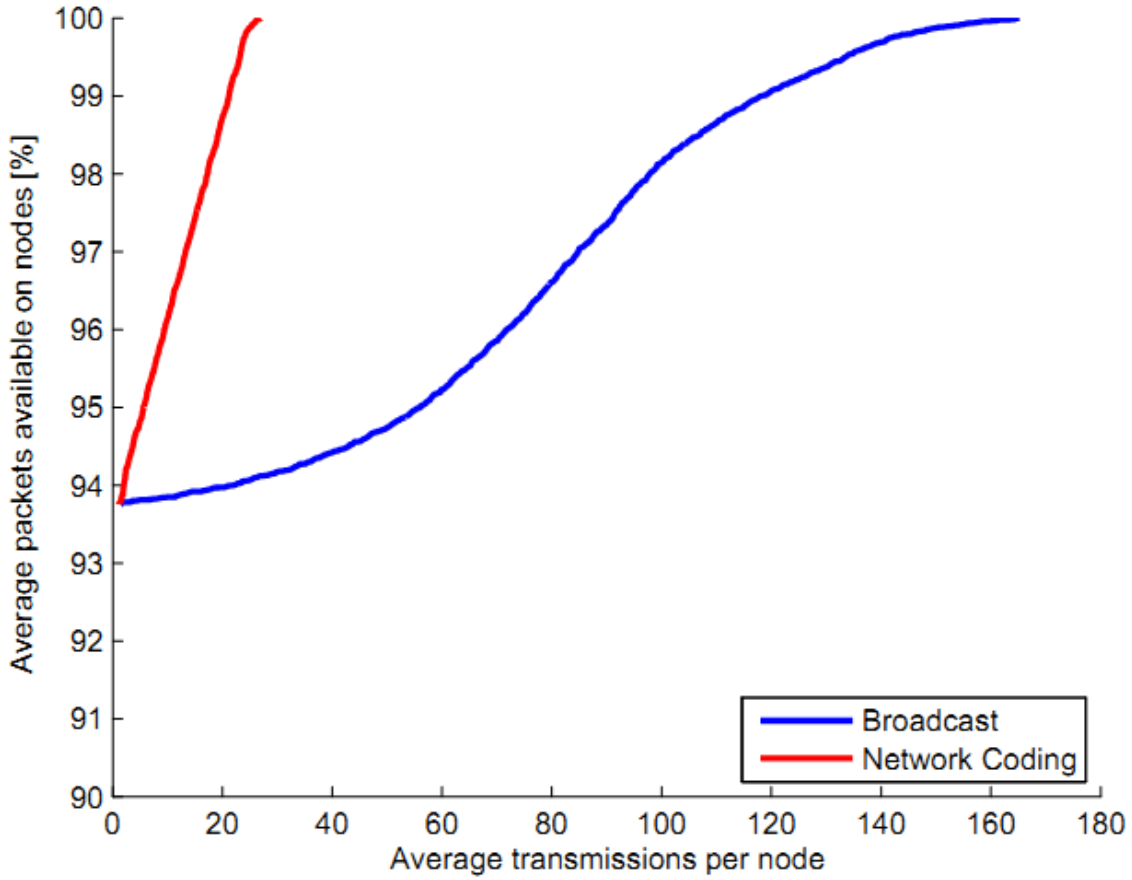

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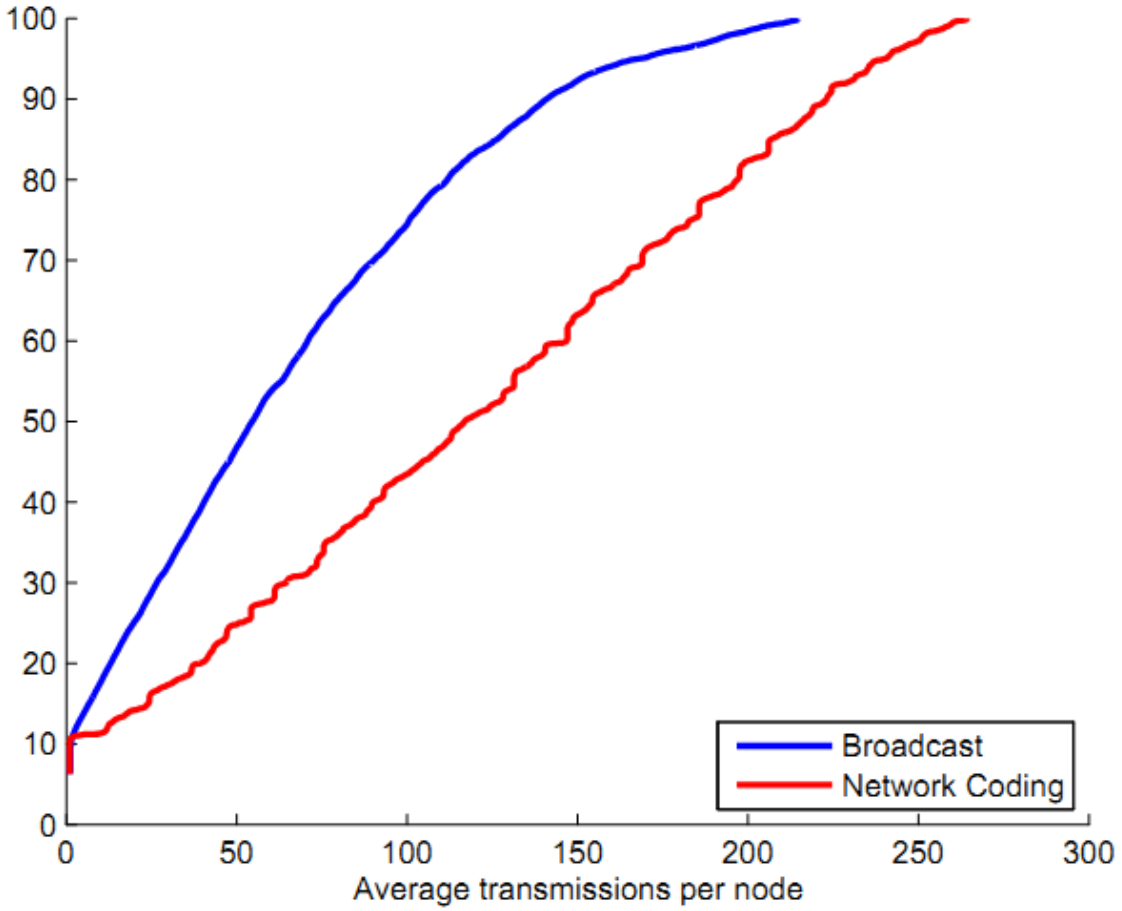

Digital Zig Zag Coding

Sagt es ihnen! Zick, zick, zick, nein zack ... die falsche Richtung ...
Meister ... meine Bilder ... meine Leinwand ...
Zickzack falsch ... sagt es ihnen ... falsch...

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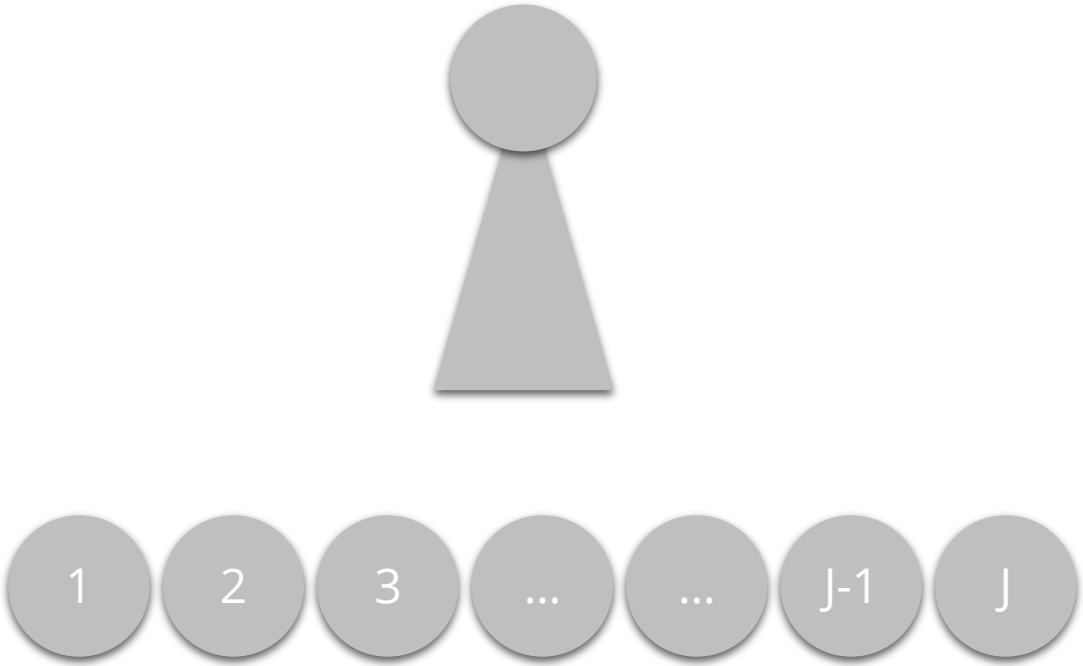
- All nodes are interested in the same content



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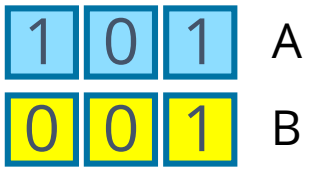

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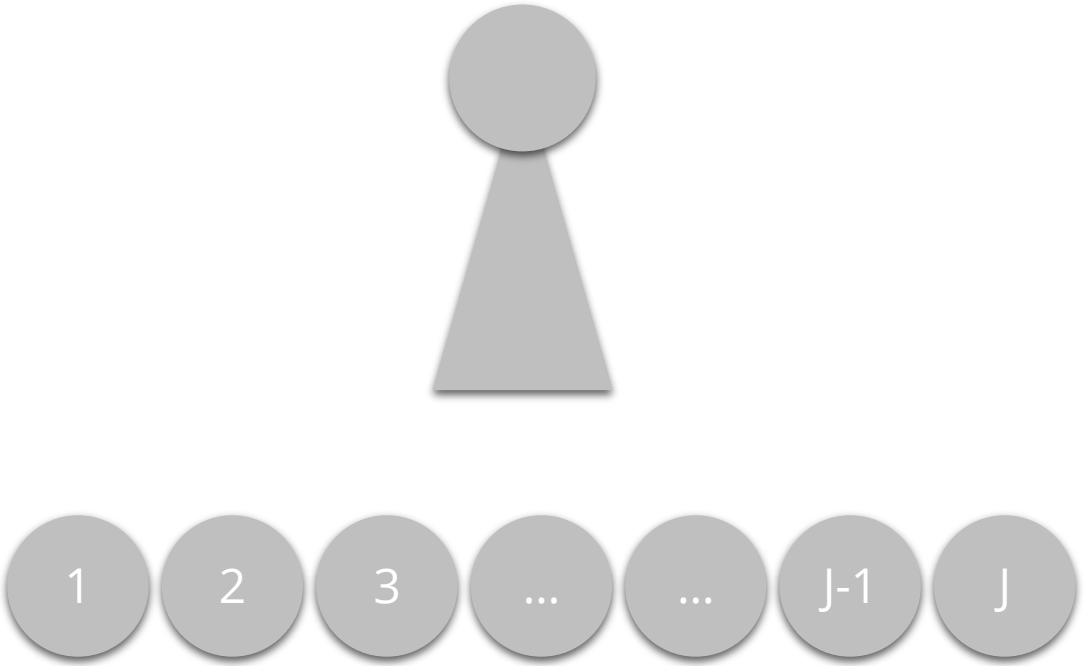

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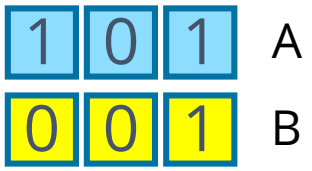

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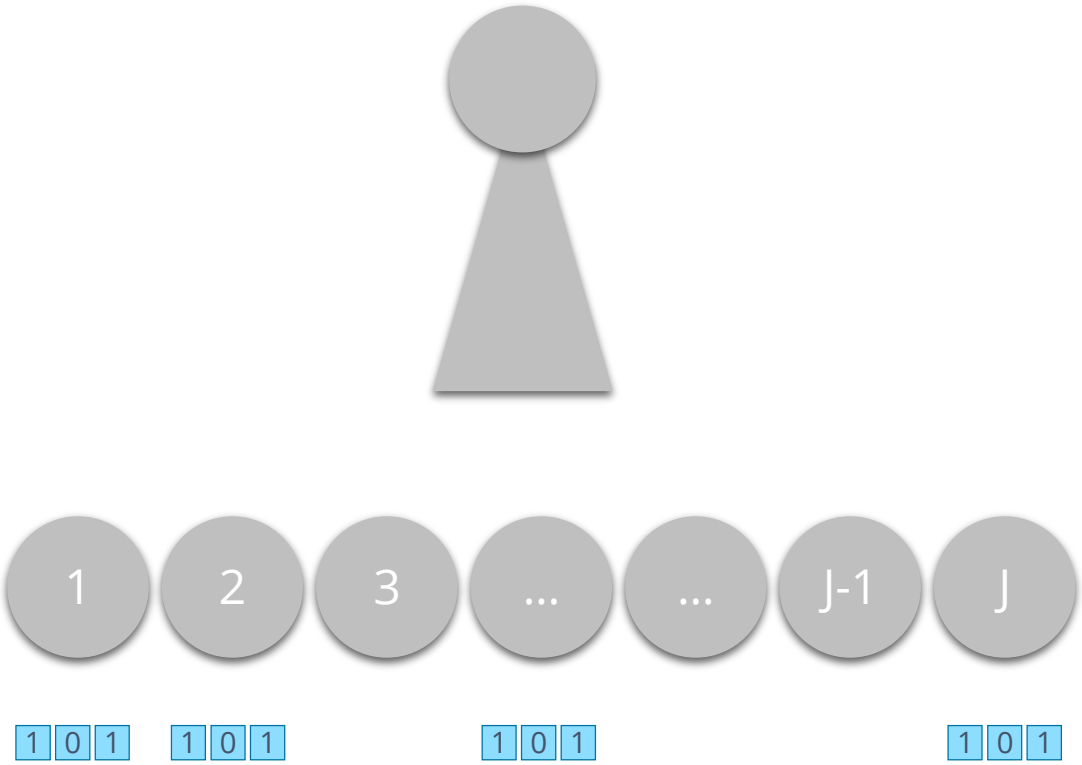

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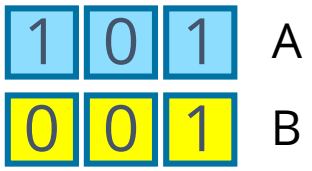

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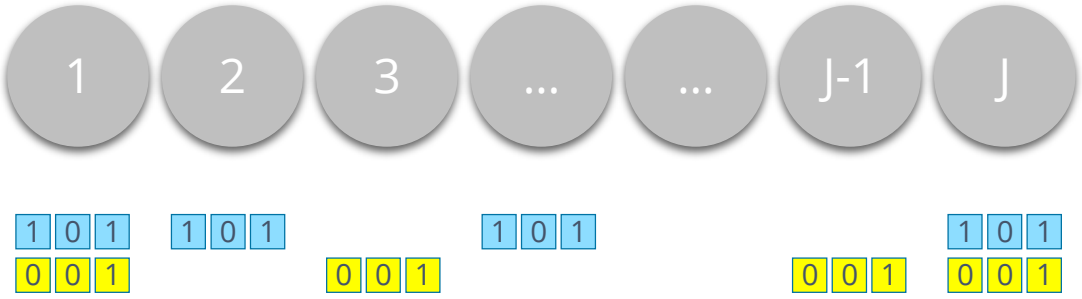
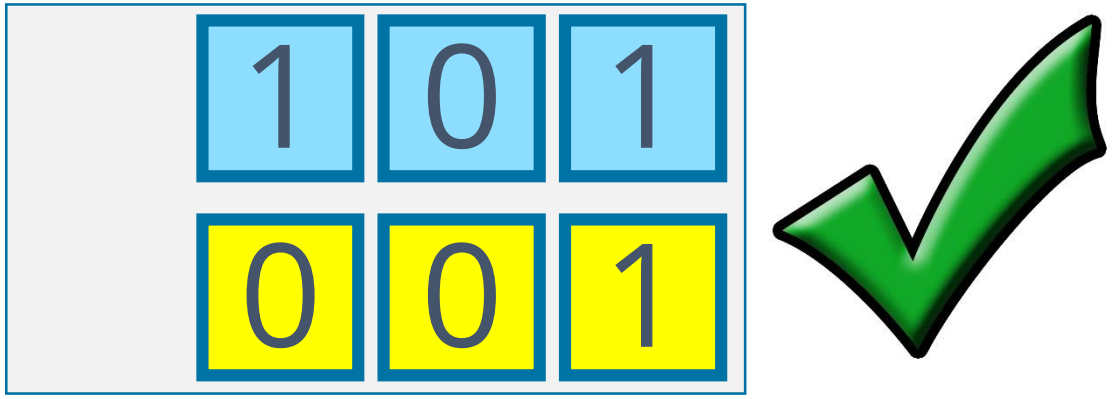


Decoding 1

Original packet A

Original packet B



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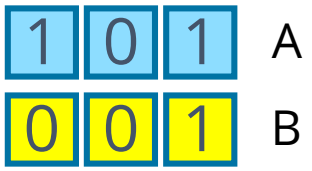

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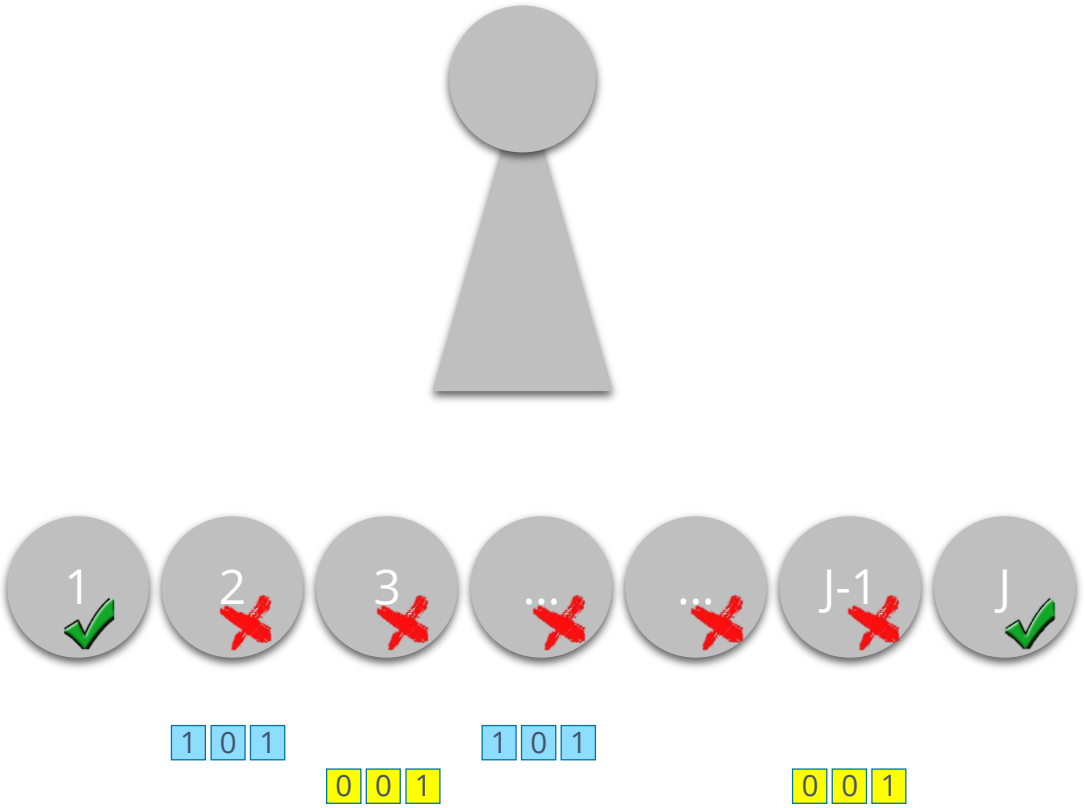

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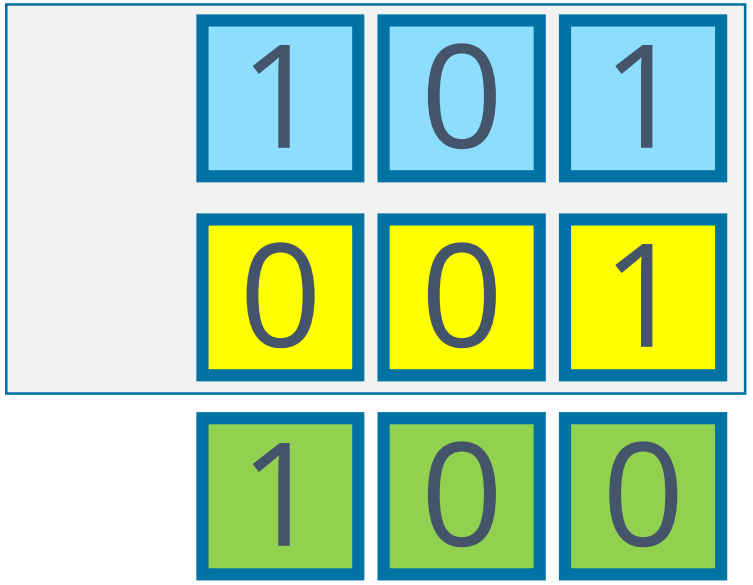
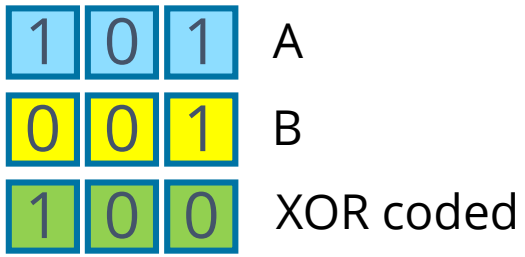


Original packet A

Original packet B

Coded packet A⊕B

Architecture and Example



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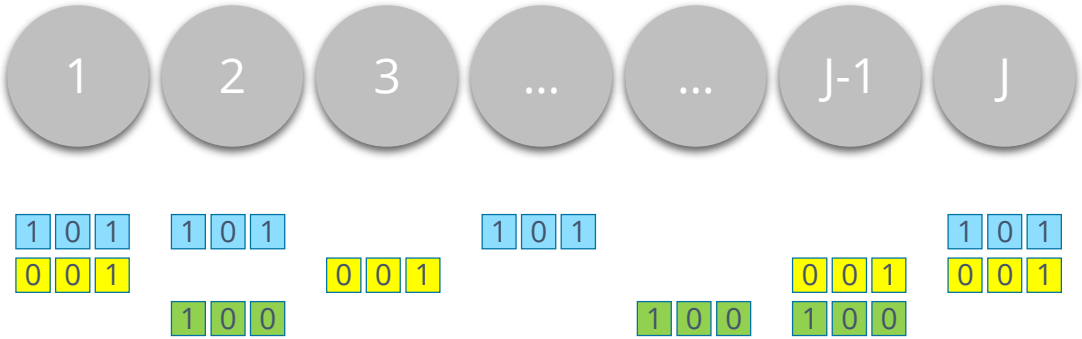

Decoding 2

Original packet A

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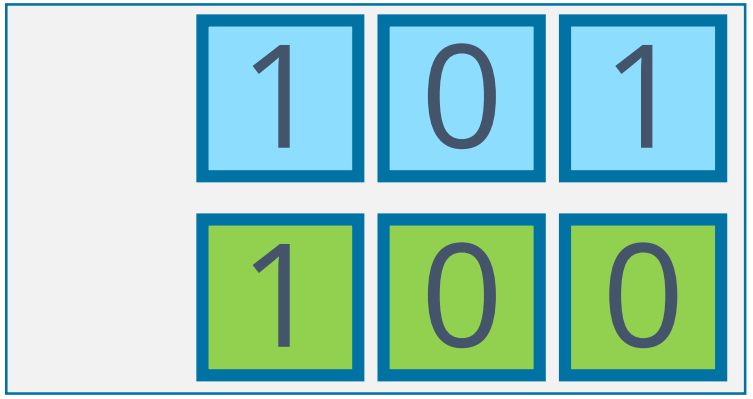

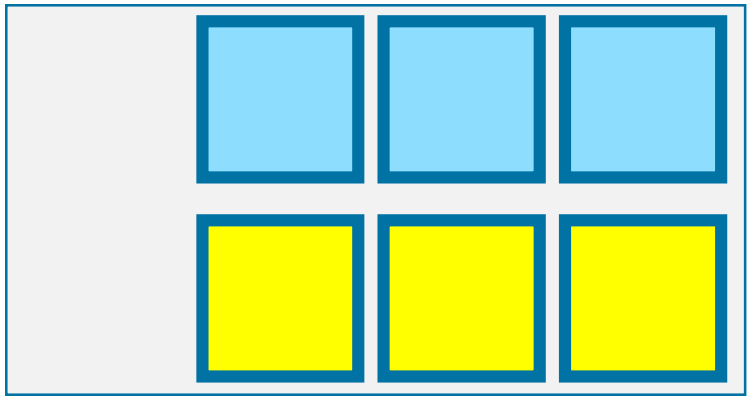

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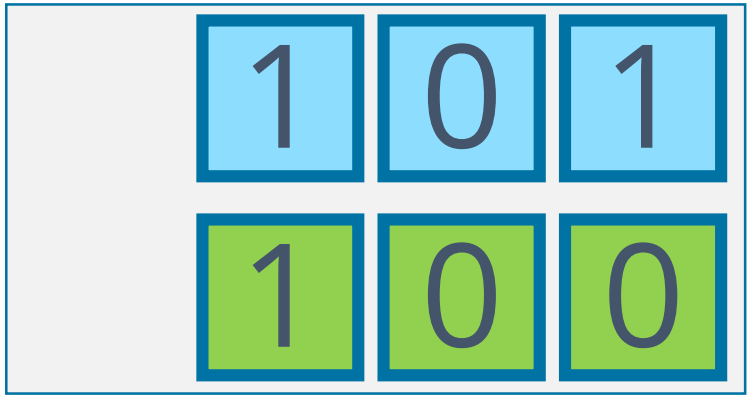

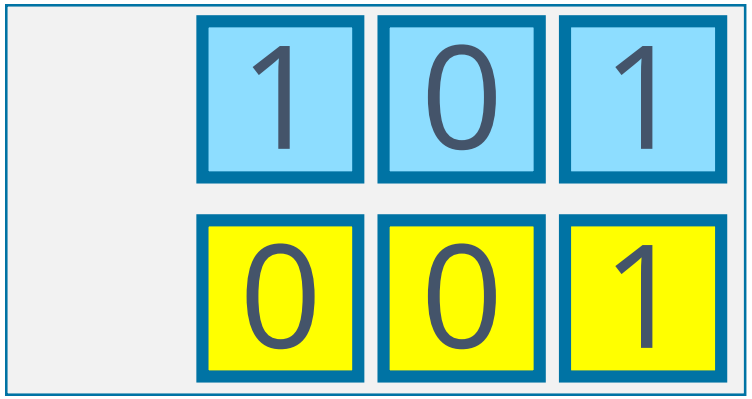

Simple reading & XOR

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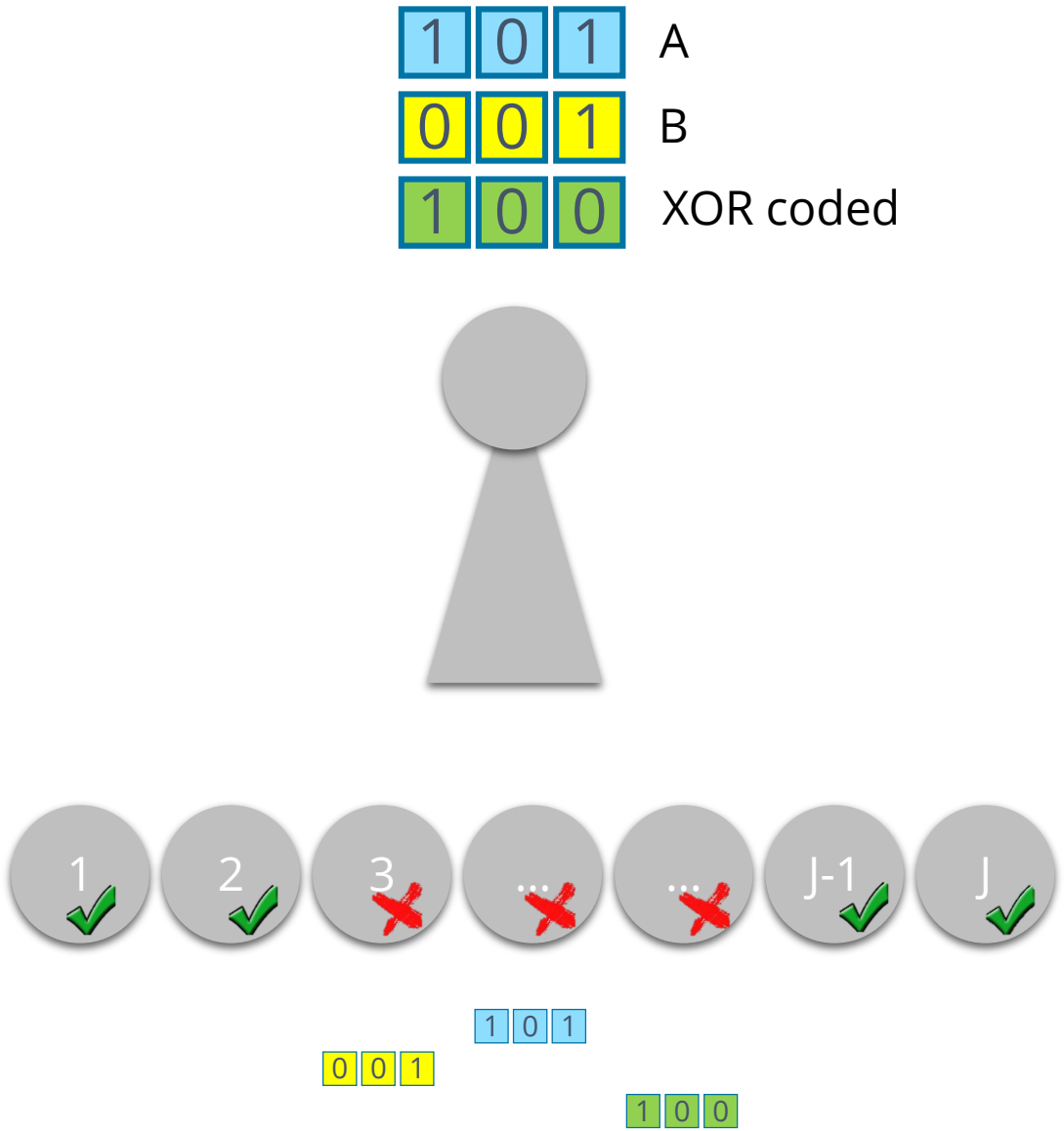
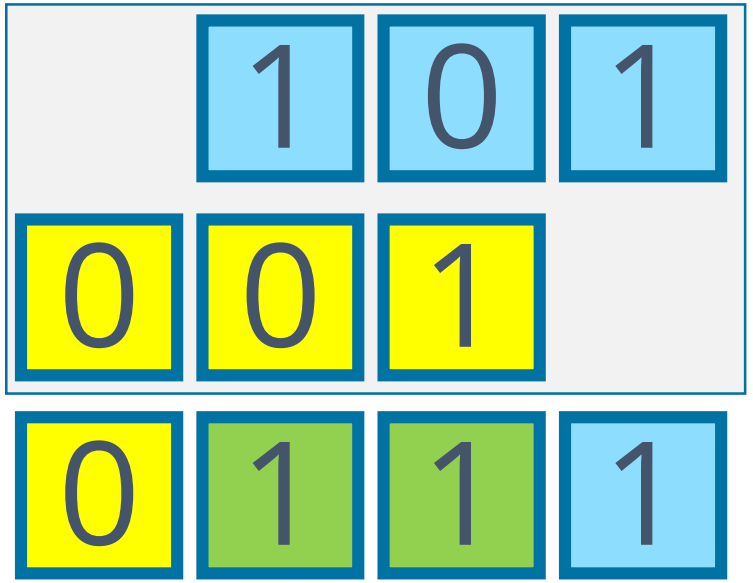


Encoding – Shifted XOR



Original packet A

Original packet B*2

Coded packet A⊕B*2

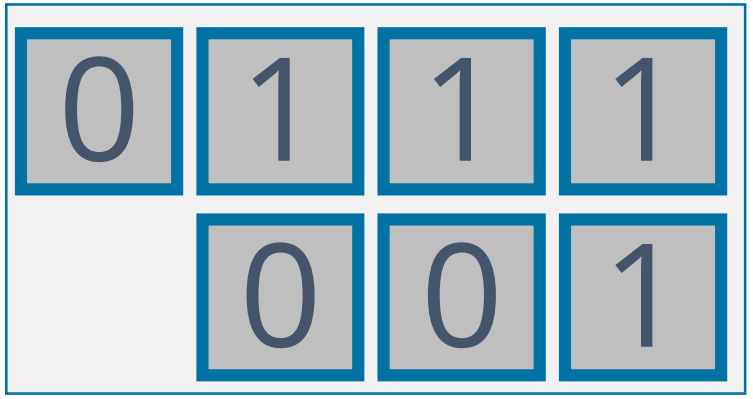
Legend:

- x Bit with value x from packet A
- x Bit with value x from packet B
- x Coded bit with value x from packet A and packet B

Decoding 3

Coded packet A⊕B*2

Original packet B



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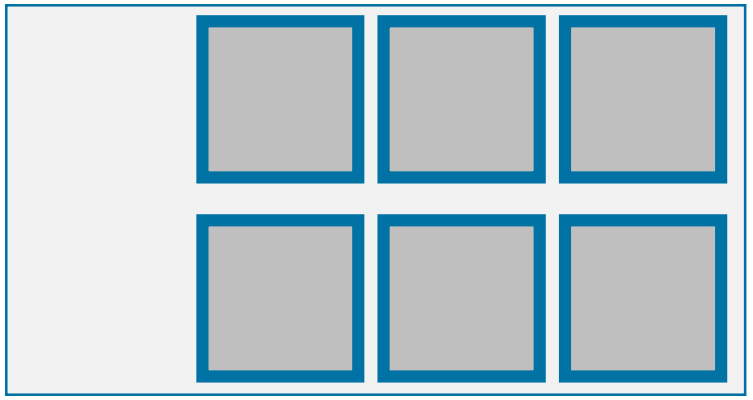

Decoding 3

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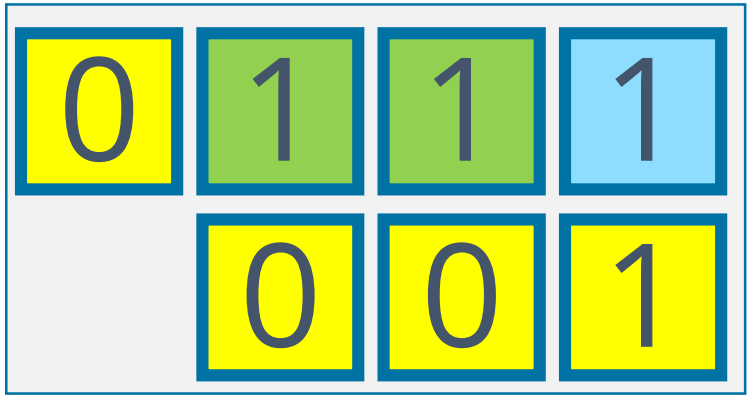

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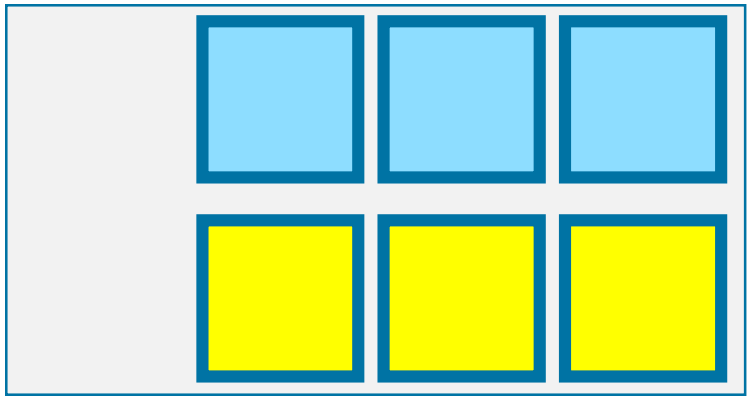

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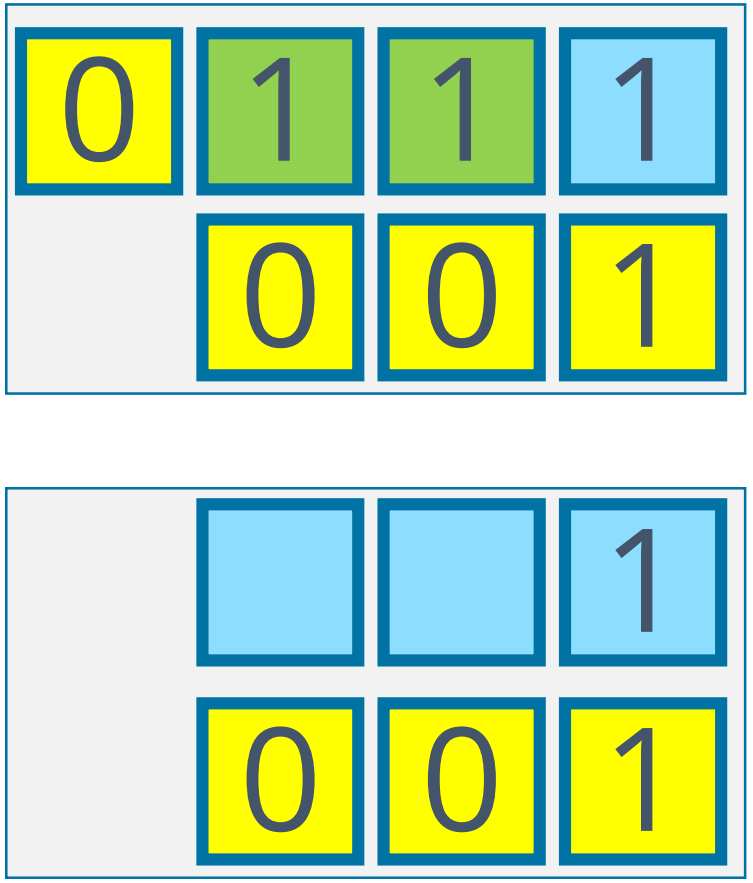

Simple reading

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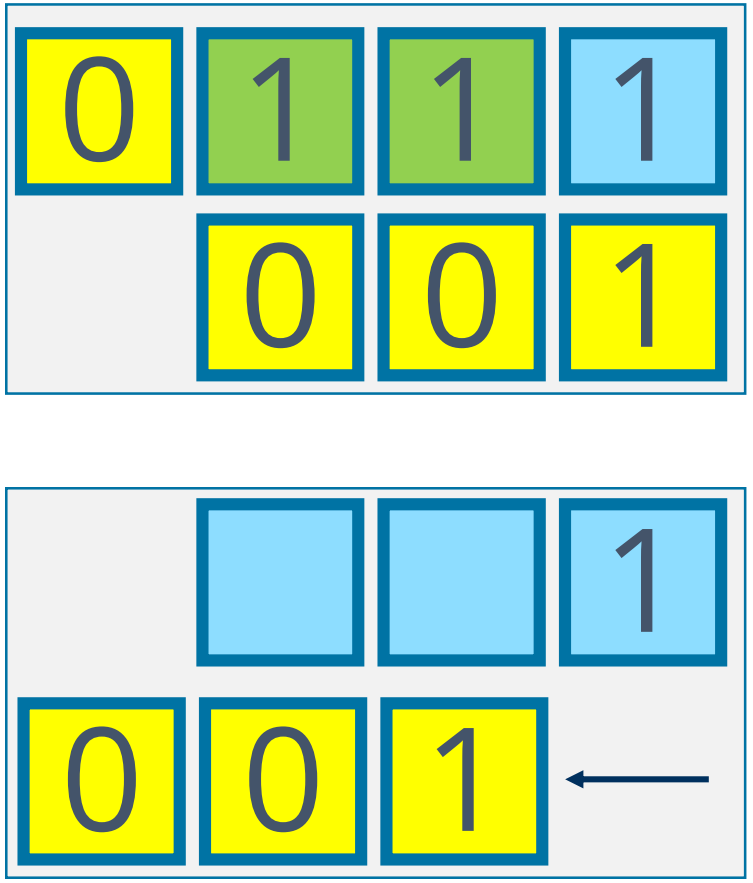
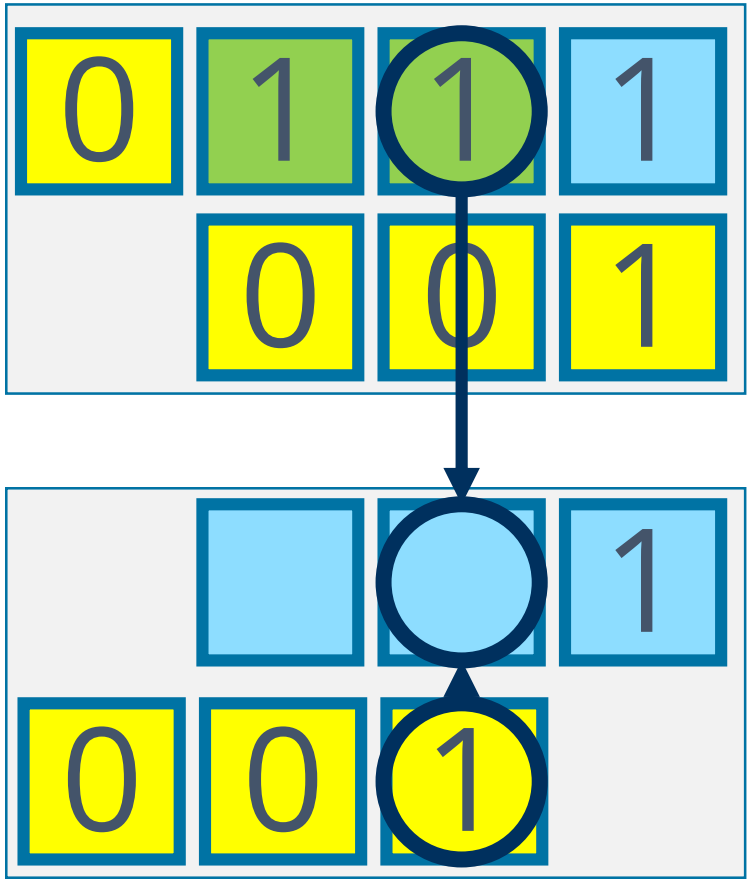


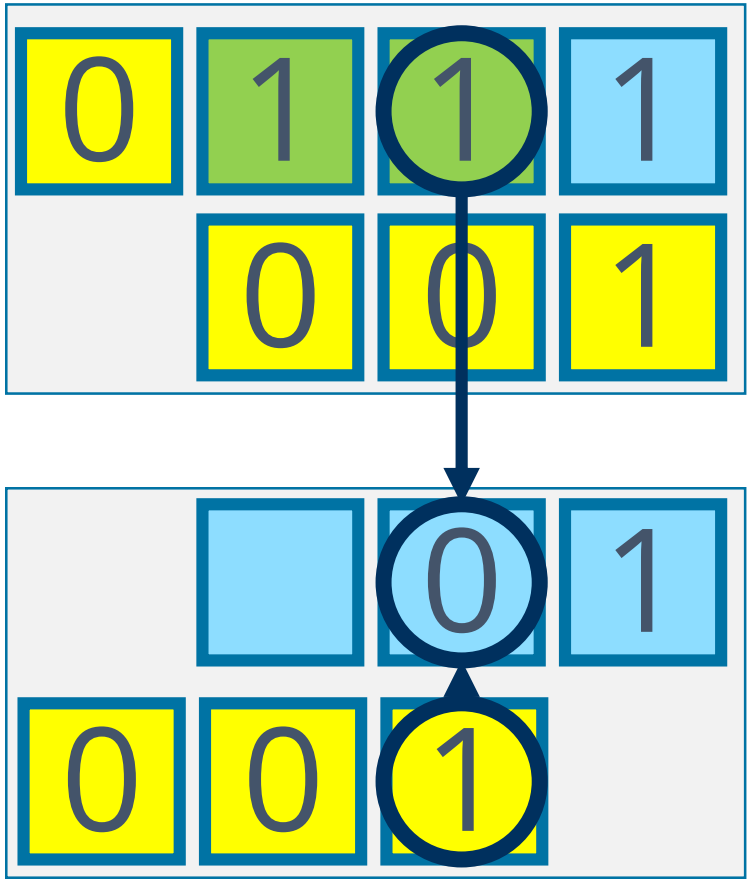
Restore old shift

Decoding 3



XOR: $1 \oplus 1$

Decoding 3



XOR: $1 \oplus 1 = 0$

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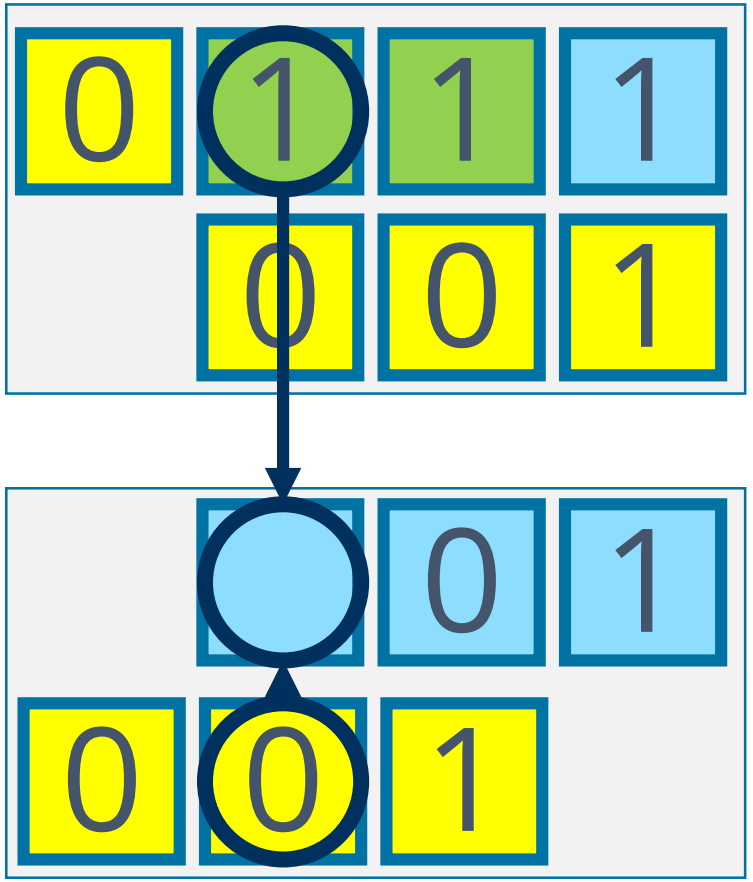

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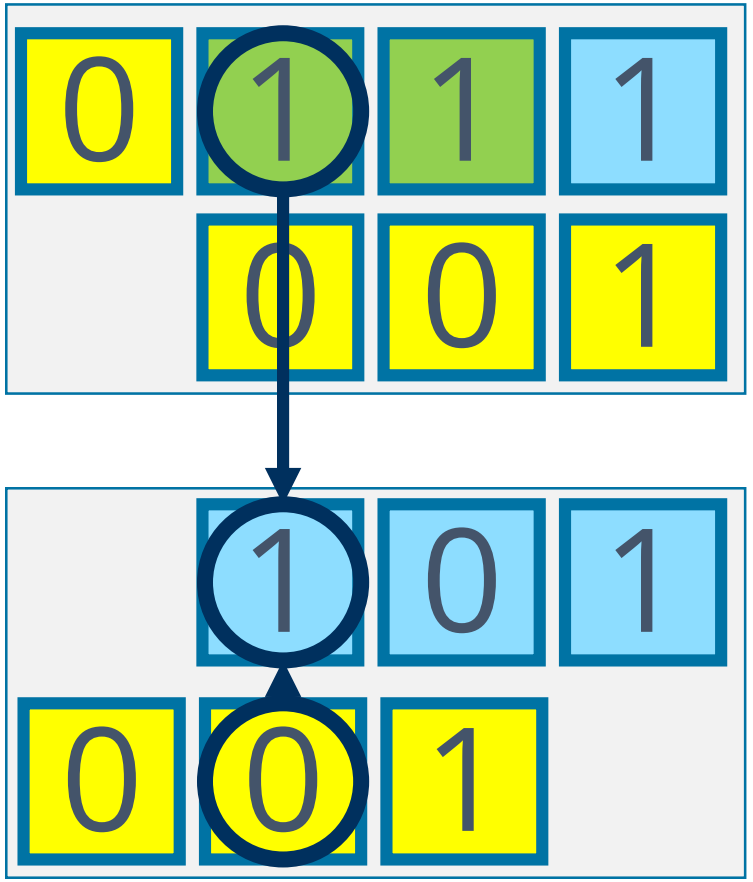

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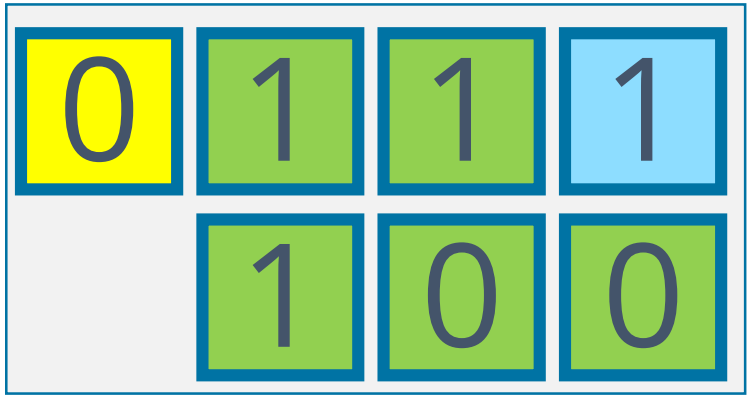
Decoding 4

Coded packet A⊕B*2



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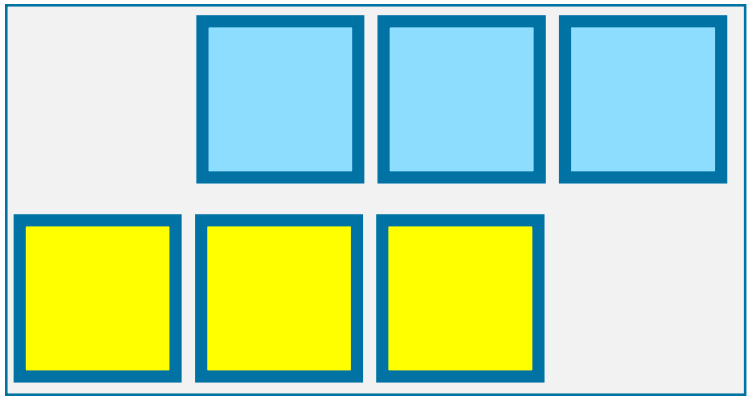

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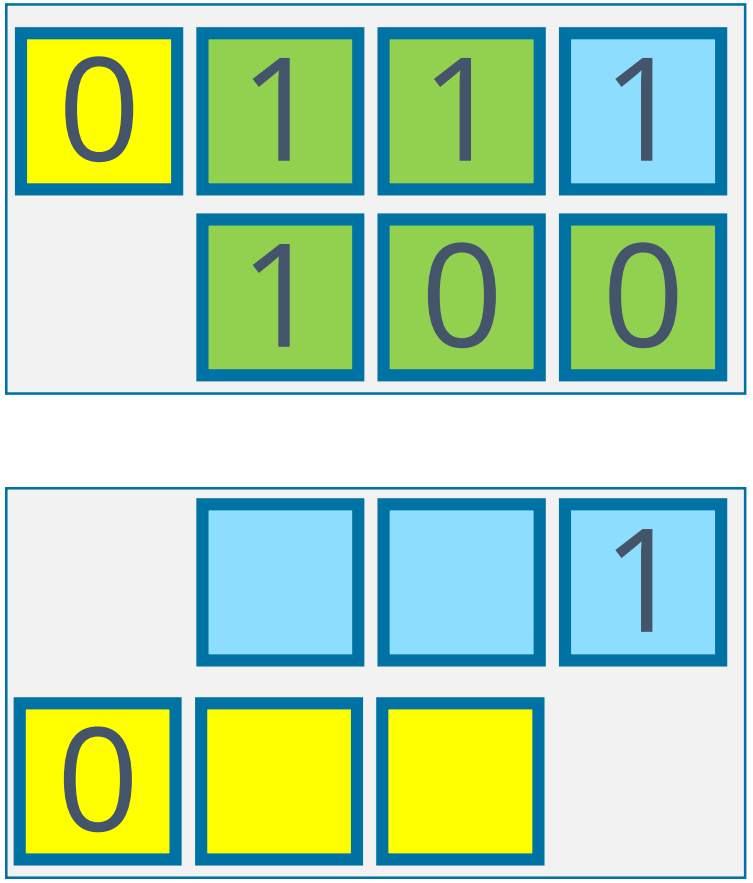

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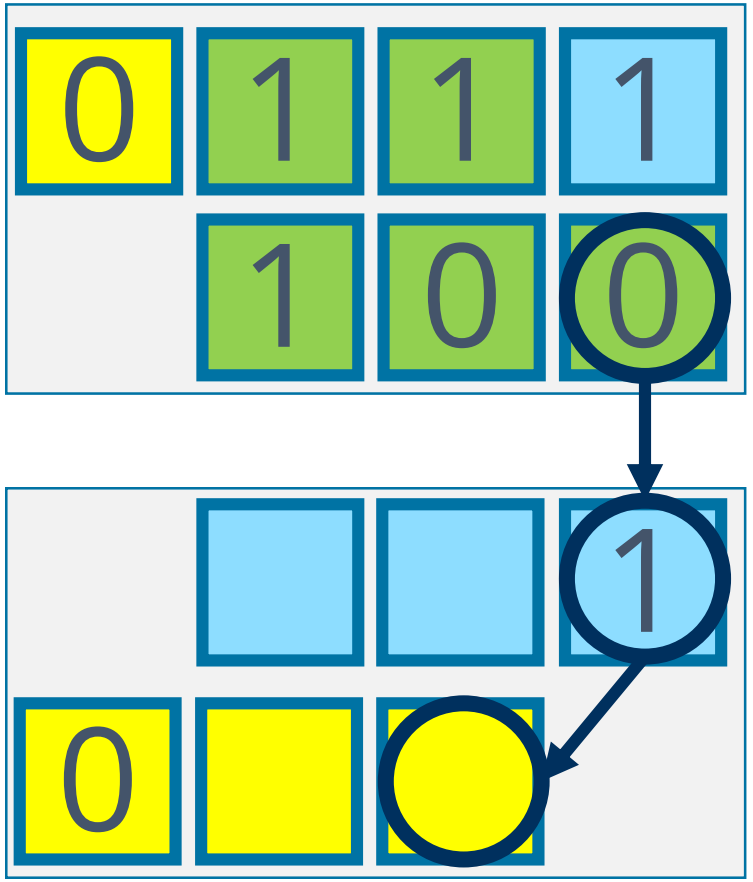

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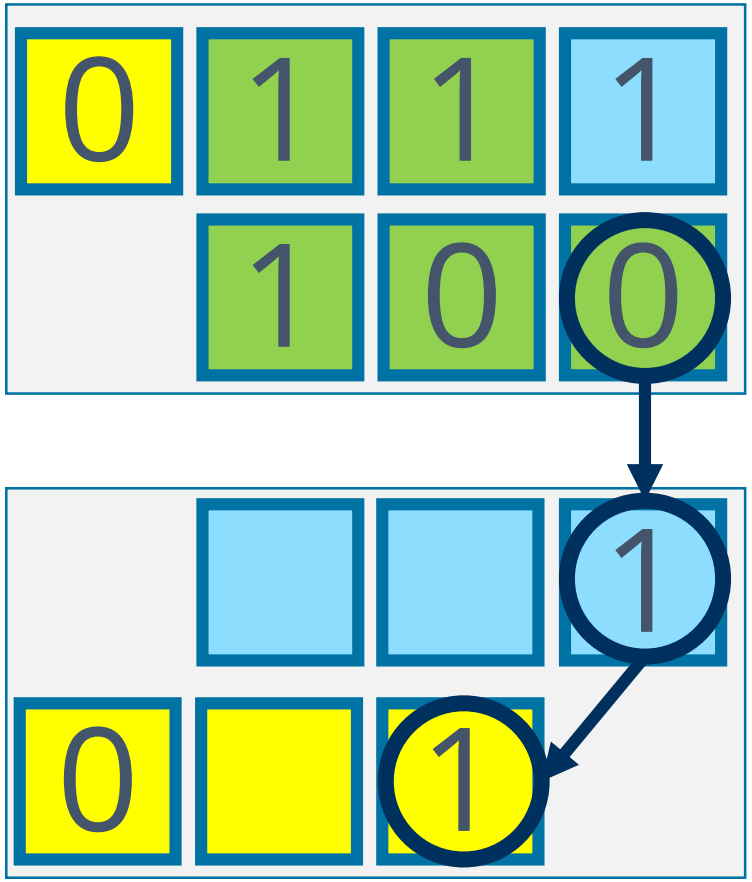

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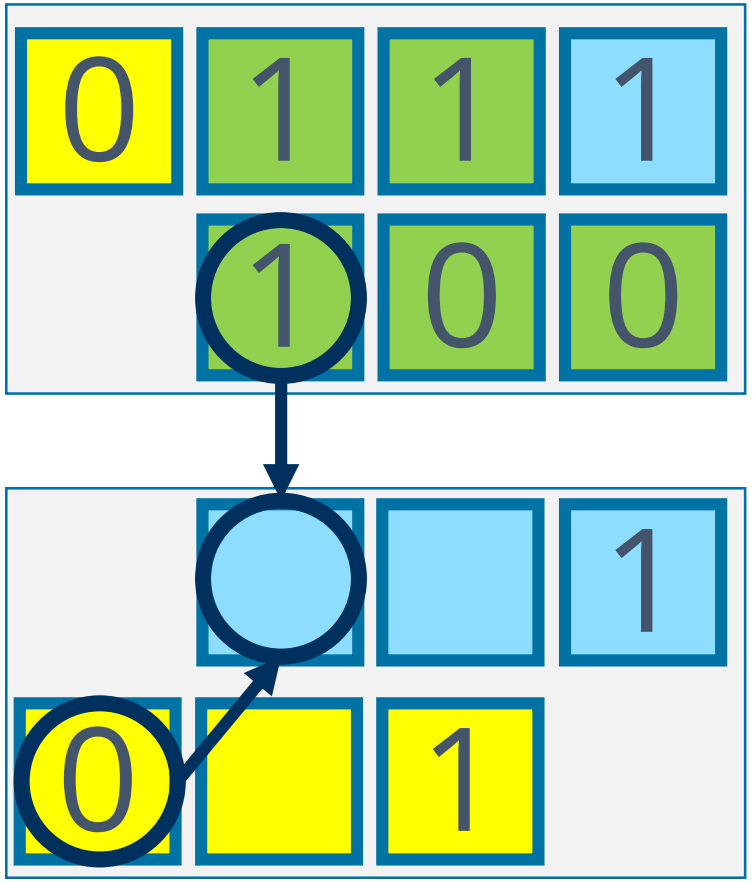

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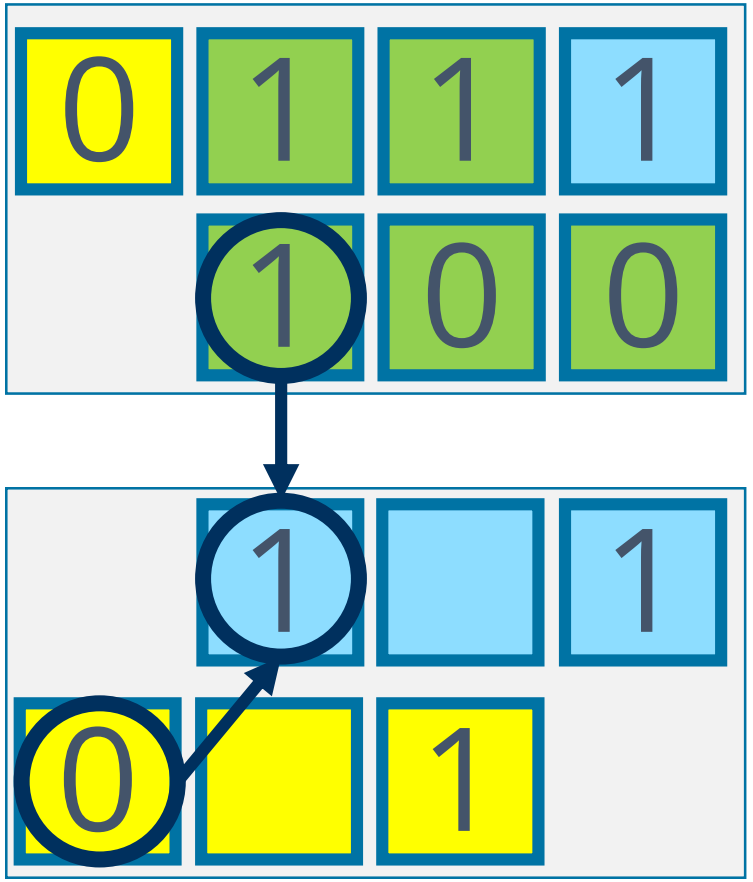

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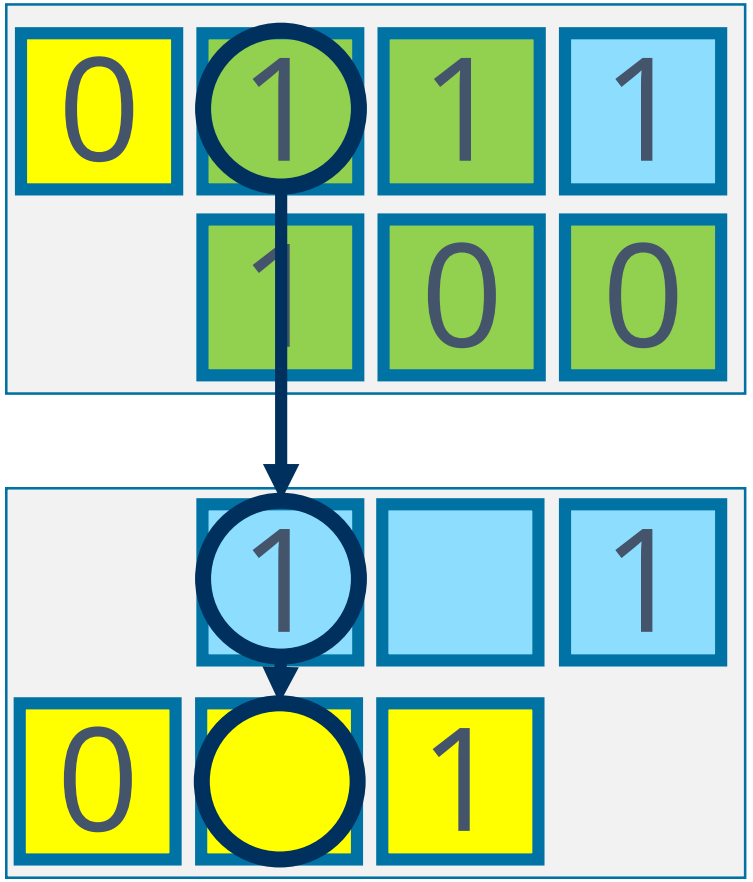

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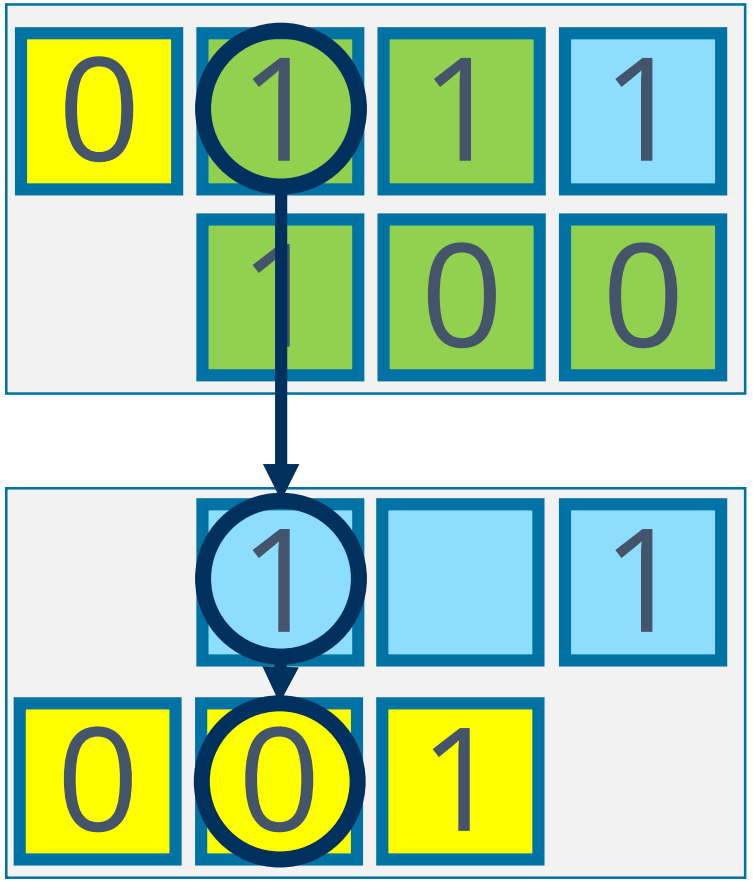

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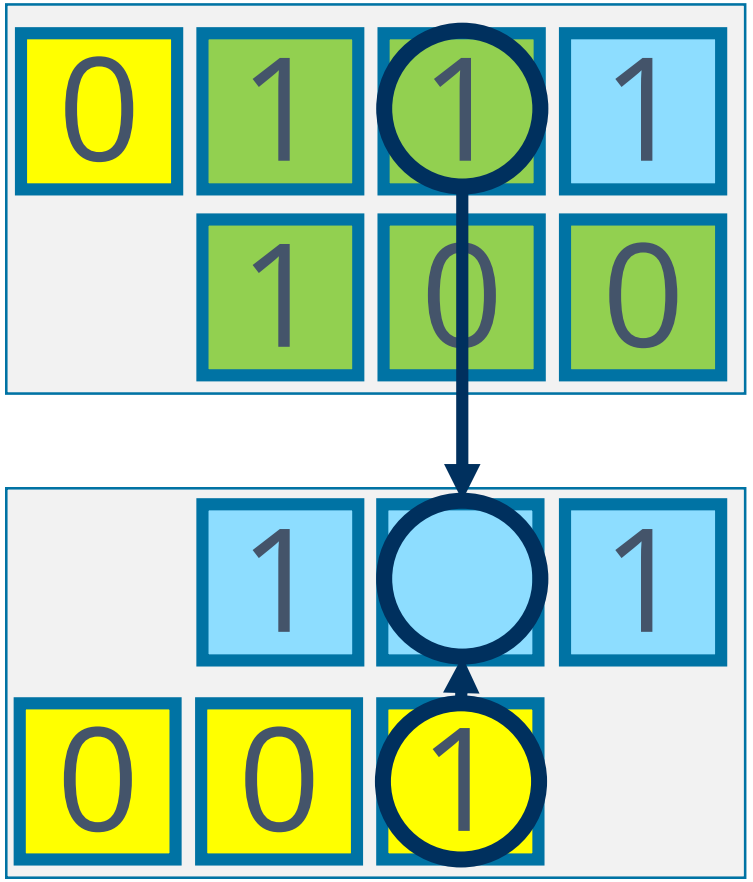

XOR: $1 \oplus 1$

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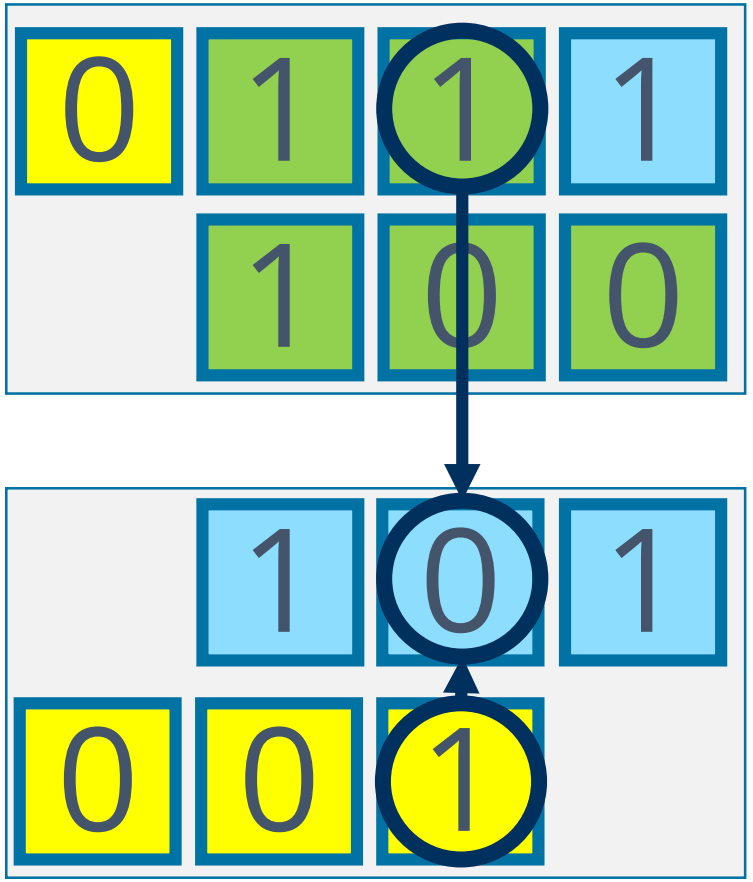
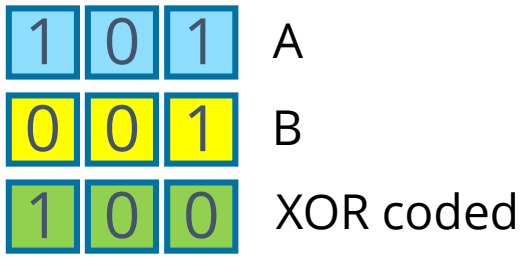
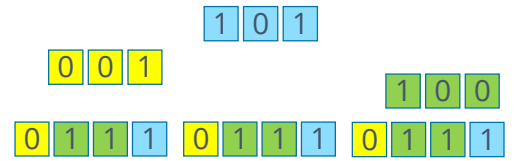


XOR: 1⊕1=0

Architecture and Example

- Assuming one node broadcasting information to several nodes over error-prone medium
- All nodes are interested in the same content
- Assuming we have only two messages A and B with three bits of information (to make it easy)
- Still not good enough now? Don’t say repetition coding!

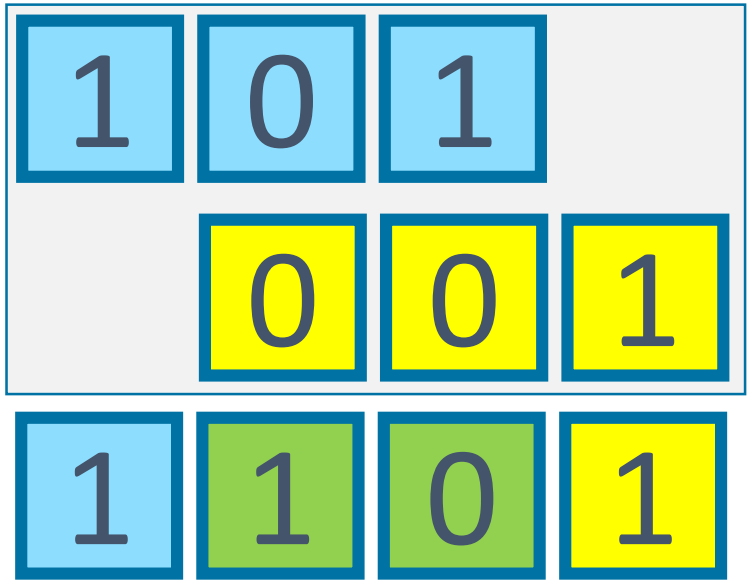




Overhead consideration

- For packets with B bits and S shift bits, the overhead O is simply S/B.
- IP packets of size 1500 byte and 2 bits shift → overhead is marginal.
- How to code multiple packets with bit shifting?
- How many combinations can be achieved with G packets and S shifts?
- What else would be needed?

Encoding – Shifted XOR



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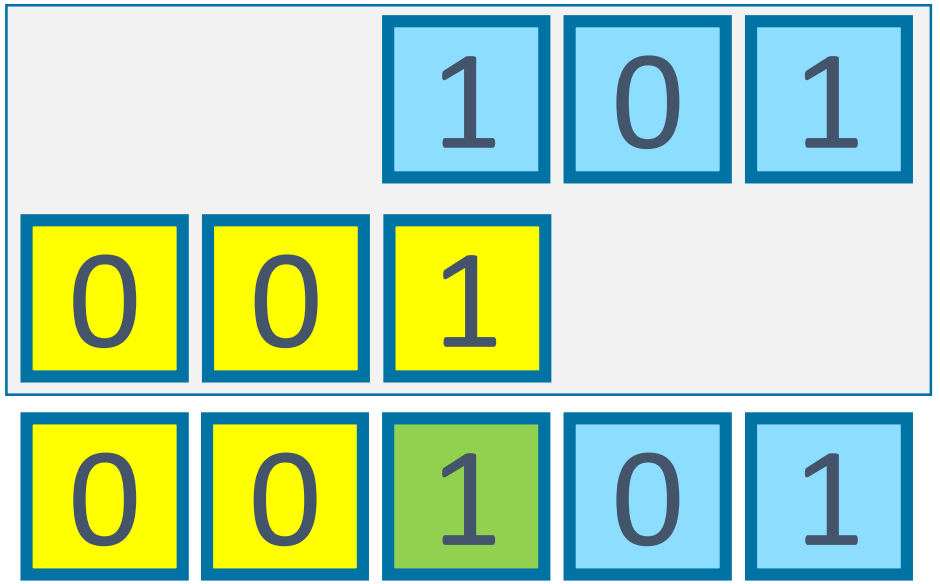

More shift

Zig Zag Summary

- Very simple extension to the XOR world
- Overhead due to shifting (in our example from 3 to 4 bits)
- Very low complexity due to simple XOR operations
- Same can be achieved with Reed-Solomon and Random Linear Network Coding without overhead but more complexity
- Maybe interesting for IoT device (simple sensor networks)

Digital Inter-Flow Network Coding:
The Medium Access

COPE

Katti, Rahul, Hu, Katabi, Medard, Crowcroft, **“XORs in the air: practical wireless network coding“**, SIGCOMM '06 Proceedings of the 2006 conference on Applications, technologies, architectures, and protocols for computer communications

Network Coding in Wireless Networks

Core contribution by Katti et. al. „XOR in the Air“ applying XOR coding to WIFI enabled meshed networks

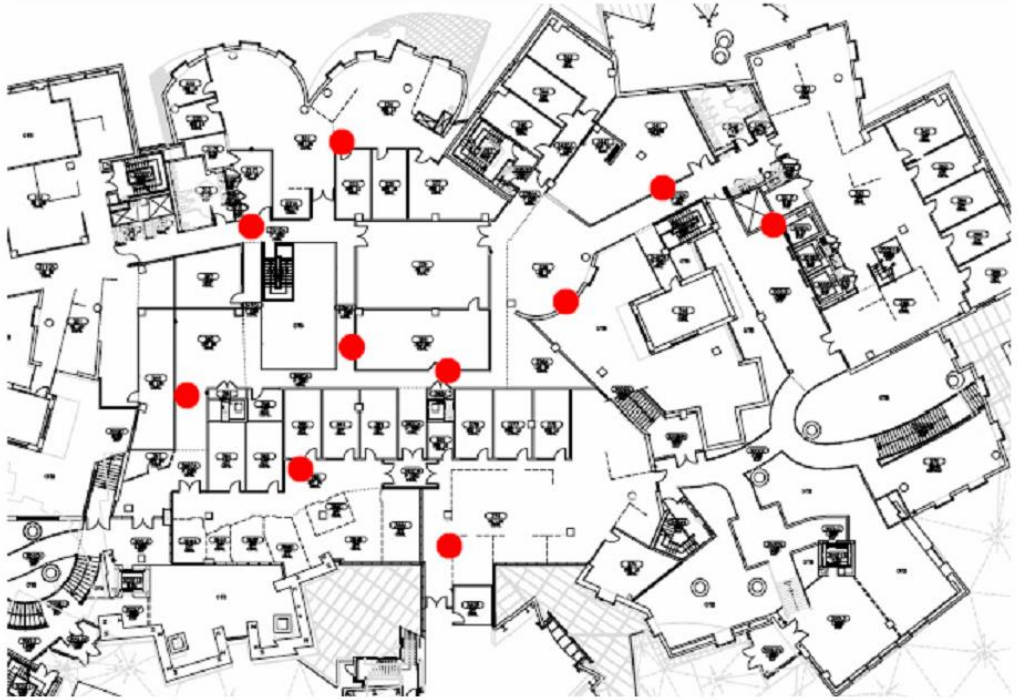

Figure 7—Node locations for one floor of the testbed.

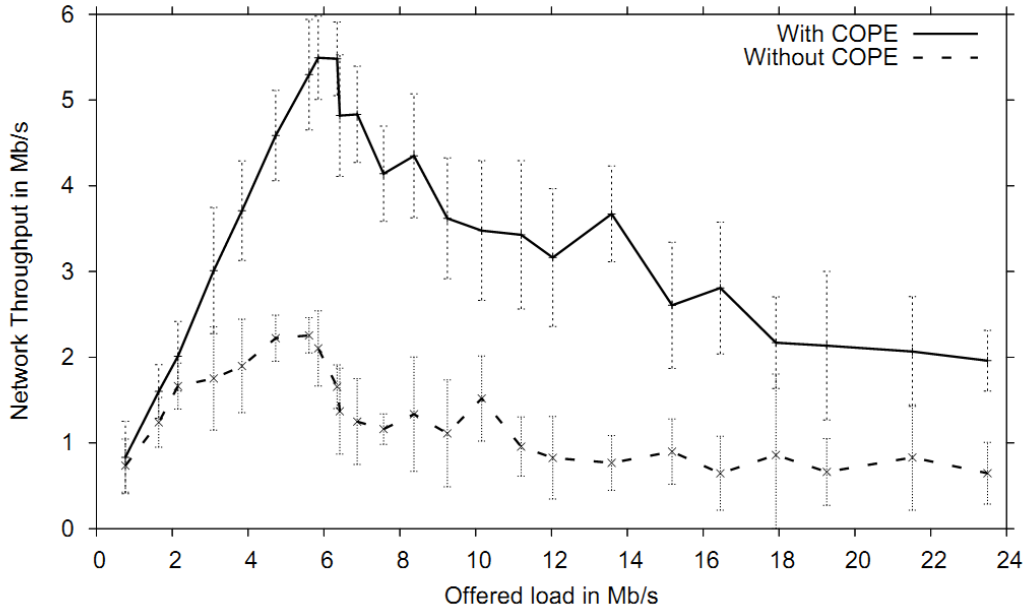

Figure 12—COPE can provide a several-fold (*3-4x*) increase in the throughput of wireless Ad hoc networks. Results are for UDP flows with randomly picked source-destination pairs, Poisson arrivals, and heavy-tail size distribution.

Network Coding in Wireless Networks

COPE characteristics:

- Desktops
- Click software (user space)
- SRCR as routing algorithm
- Ad hoc mode
- RTS/CTS disabled
- Netgear hardware chips
- 802.11 a/g

CATWOMAN

M. Hundeboll, J. Leddet-Pedersen, J. Heide, M.V. Pedersen, S.A. Rein, and F.H.P. Fitzek, **"Catwoman: Implementation and performance evaluation of ieee 802.11 based multi-hop networks using network coding,"** in I E E E V T S Vehicular Technology Conference. Proceedings. 2012, IEEE.

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CATWOMAN (2011)

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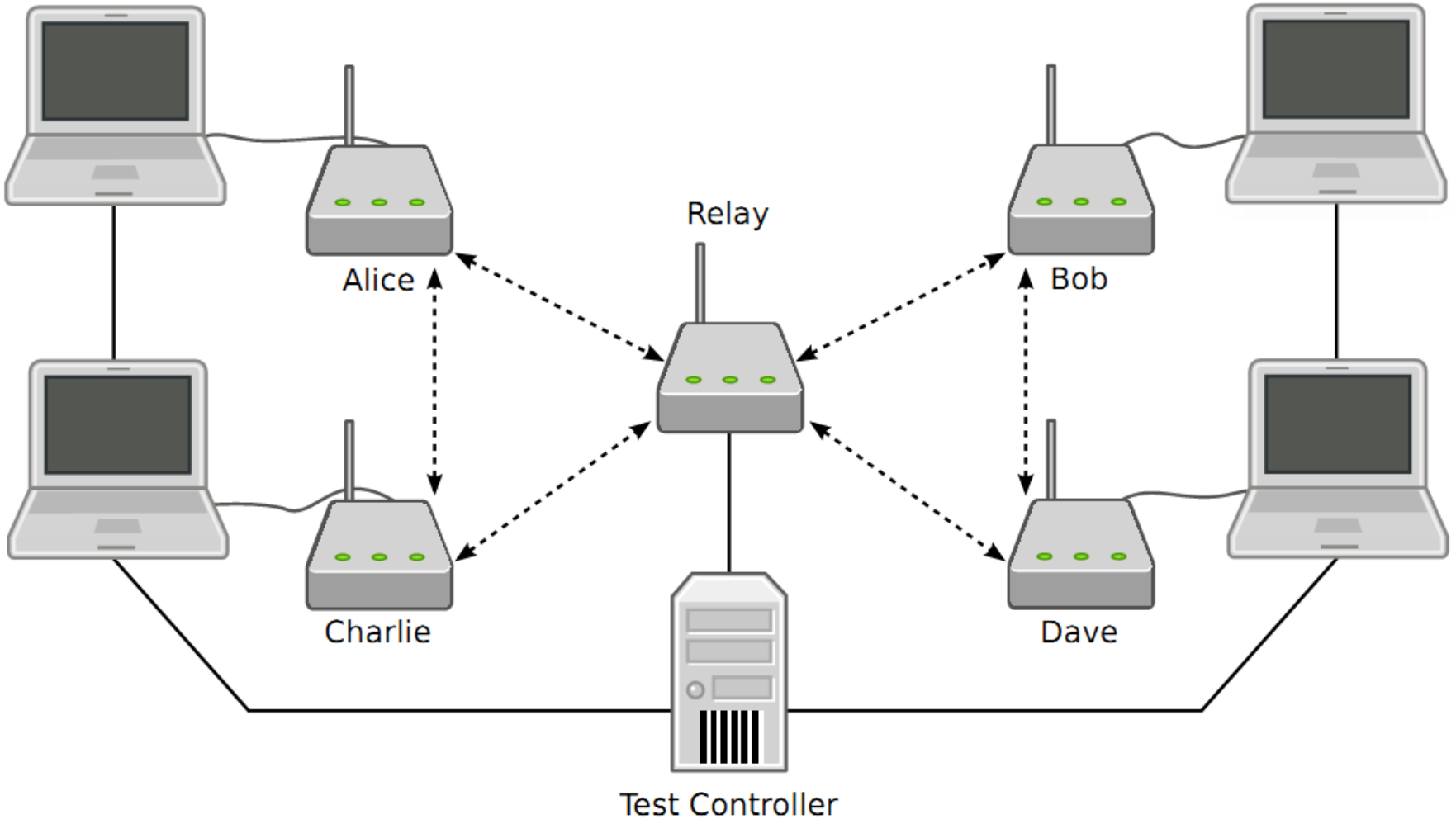
CATWOMAN (2011)

- Multihop network based on BATMAN routing (draft RFC)
- Implementation of network coding on real WiFi access points
- Multi hop
- Part of Linux Kernel 3.10

CATWOMAN: Scenarios under Investigation

CATWOMAN: Testbed



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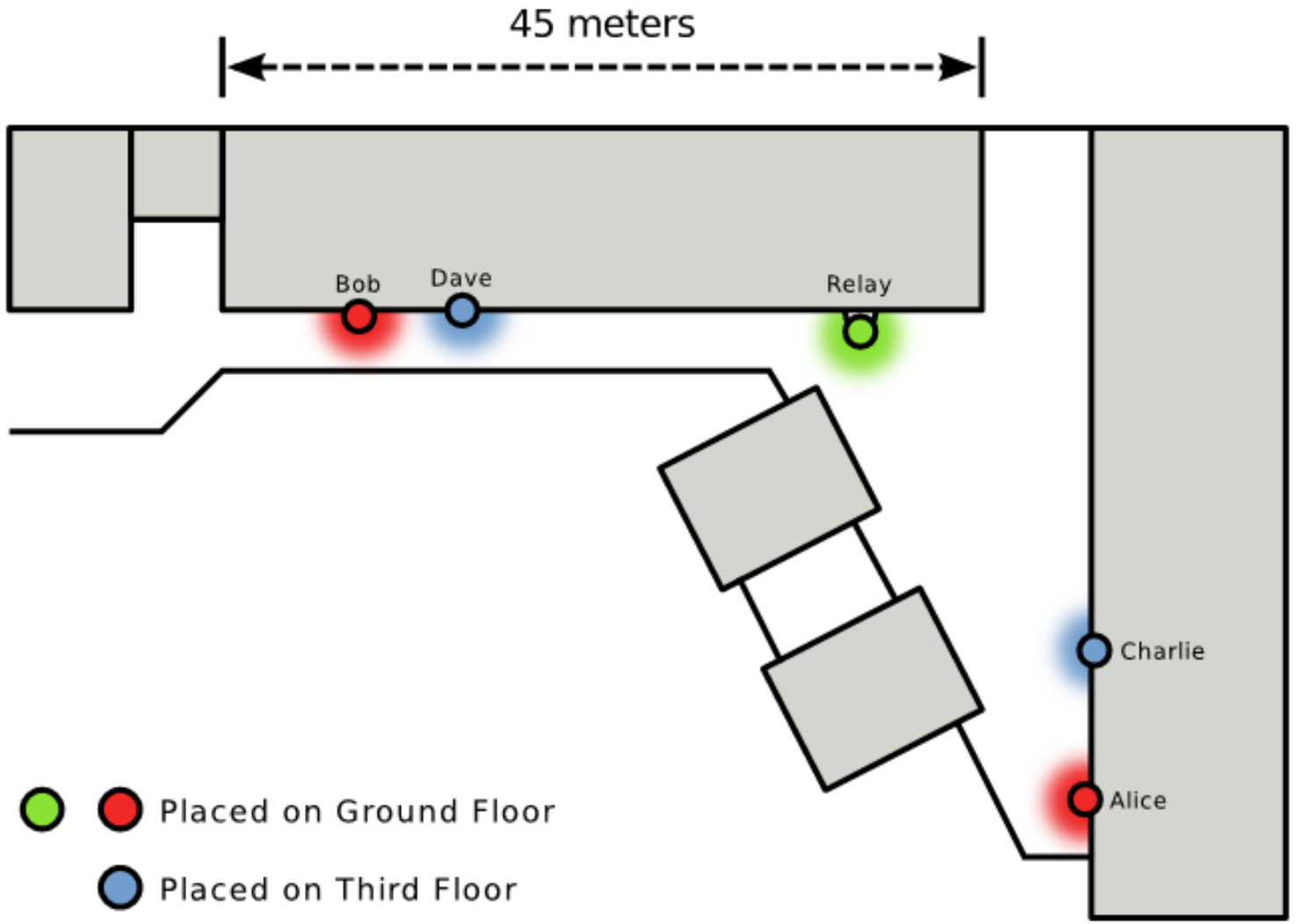
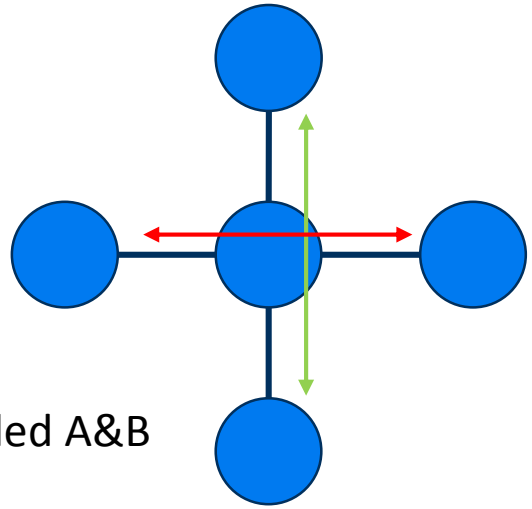


CATWOMAN Topologies

Alice and Bob



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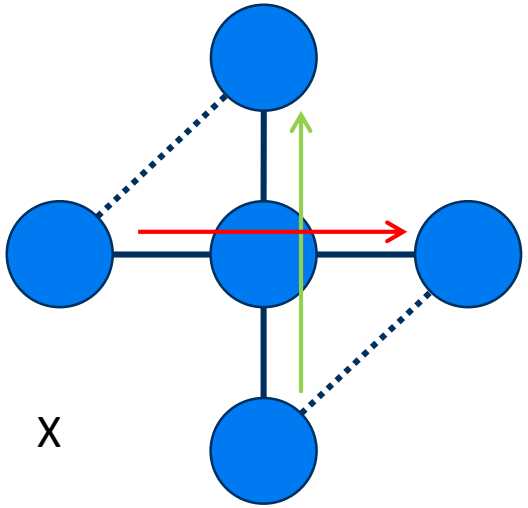

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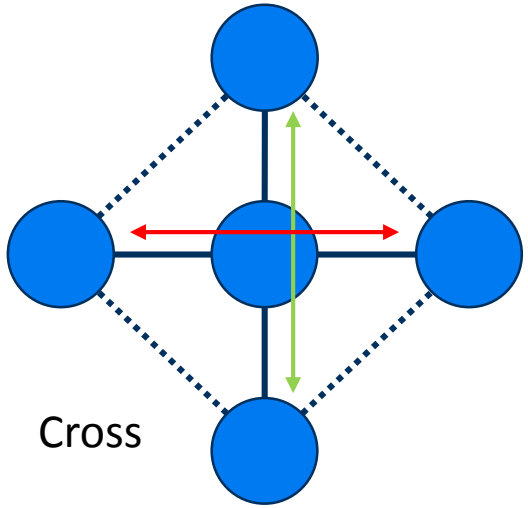


Cross

CATWOMAN Metric

- Throughput [bit/s]
  - Bandwidth used
- Losses [%]
- Energy [J]
  - Activity level of send, receive, idle
  - CPU load
- Delay [s]

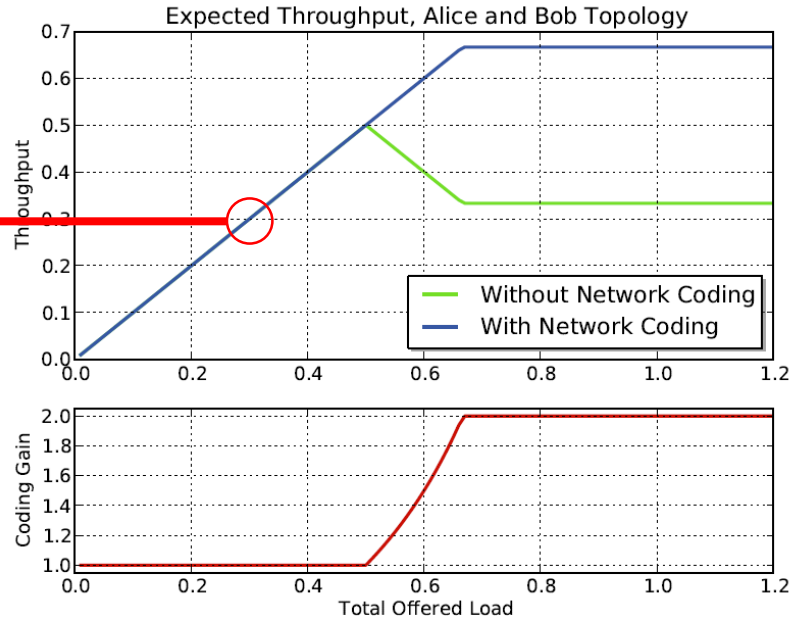
Model for Alice and Bob (symmetric traffic)

Assumption

- Alice and Bob have no direct connection
- Same amount of traffic is generated by Alice and Bob
- Medium Access Control (MAC) is based on IEEE802.11, i.e. CSMA/CA

IEEE802.11 Alice & Bob Throughput Model

Load 1:
w/o NC the relay sends twice as much as Alice and Bob. No impact on the throughput.



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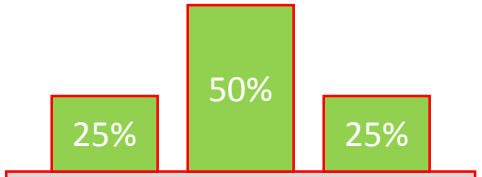

Load 2:
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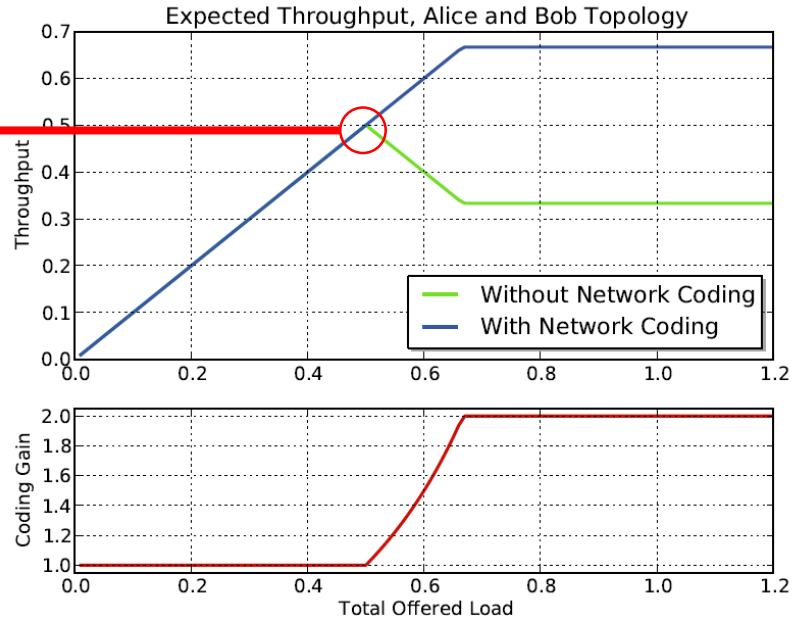

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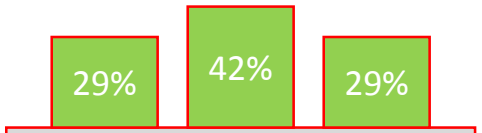

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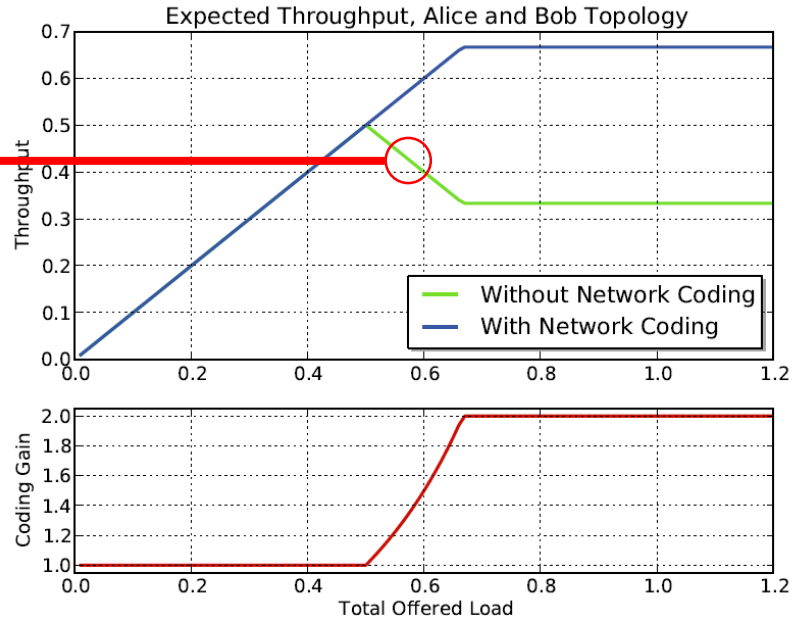

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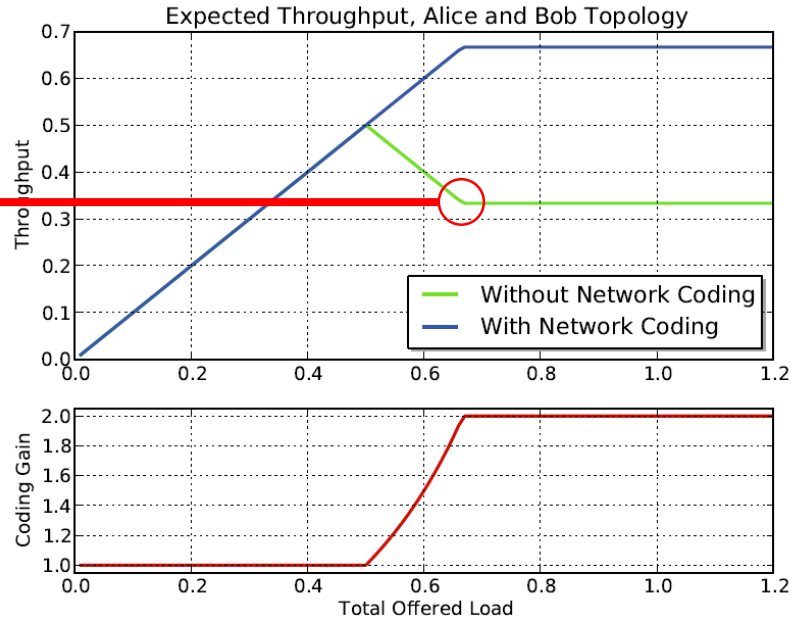

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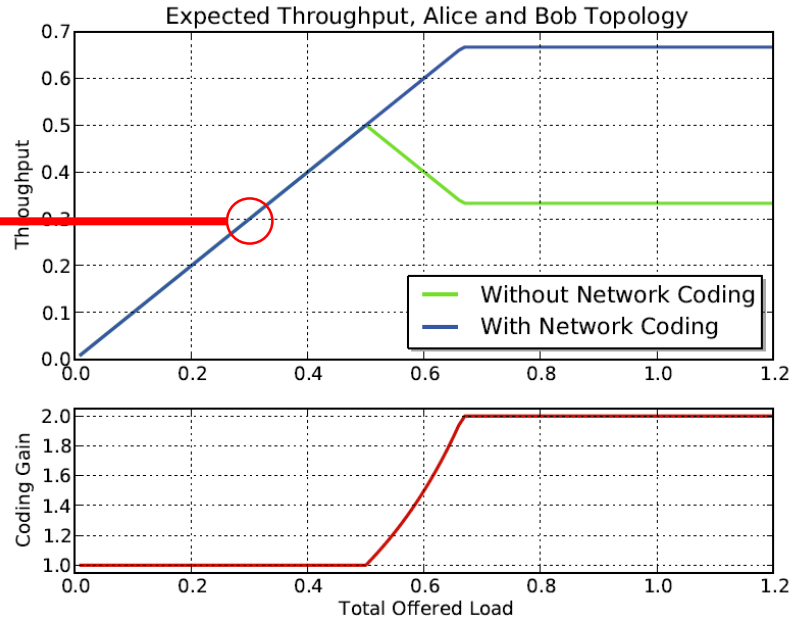

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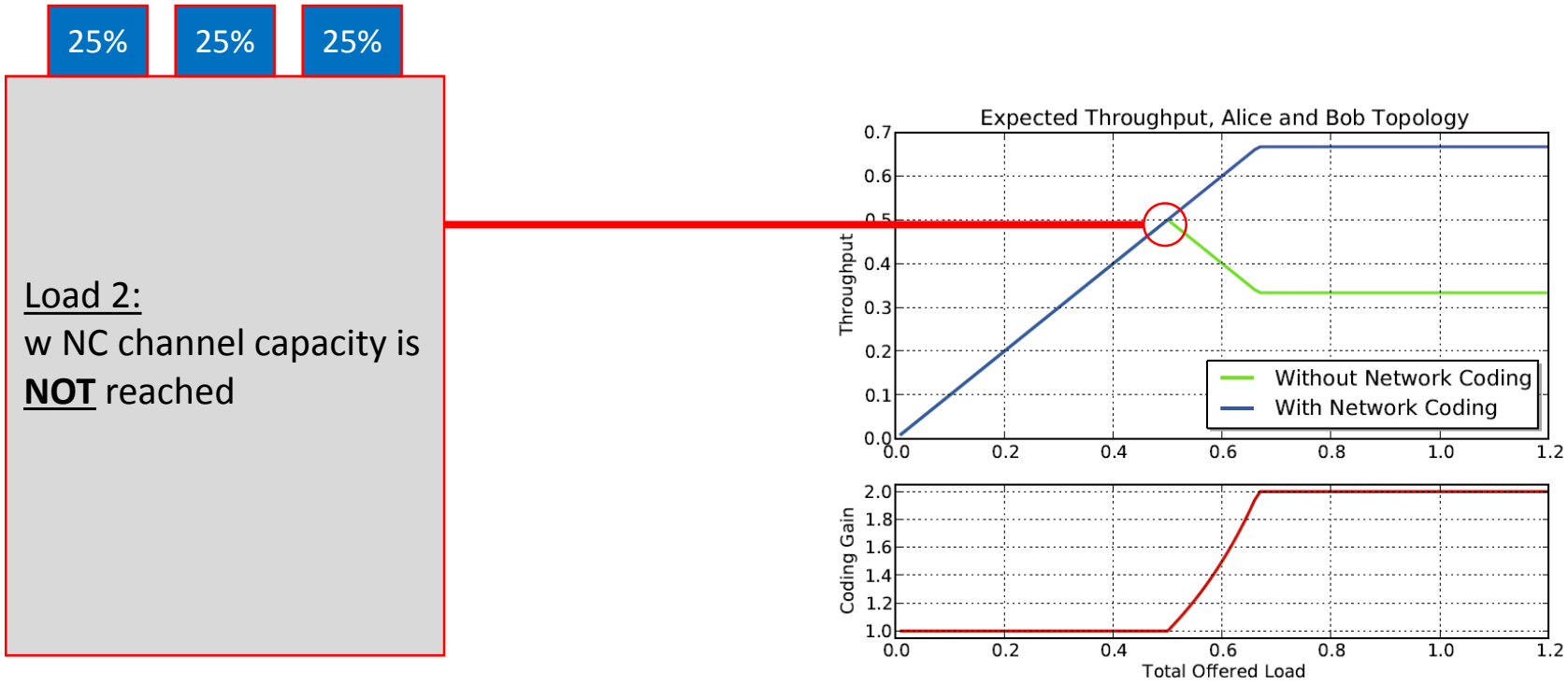

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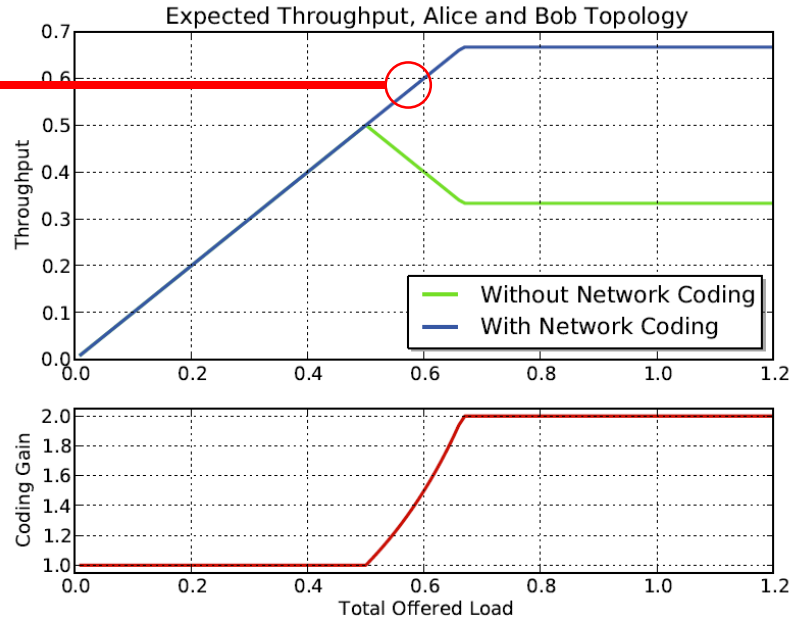
w NC Alice, Bob and the relay live in perfect harmony, each of the entities requests one third of the capacity



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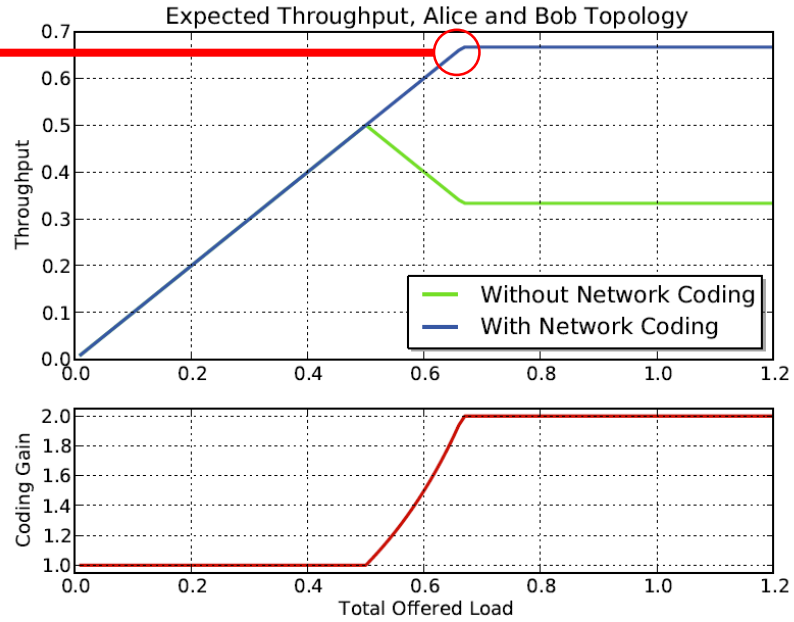
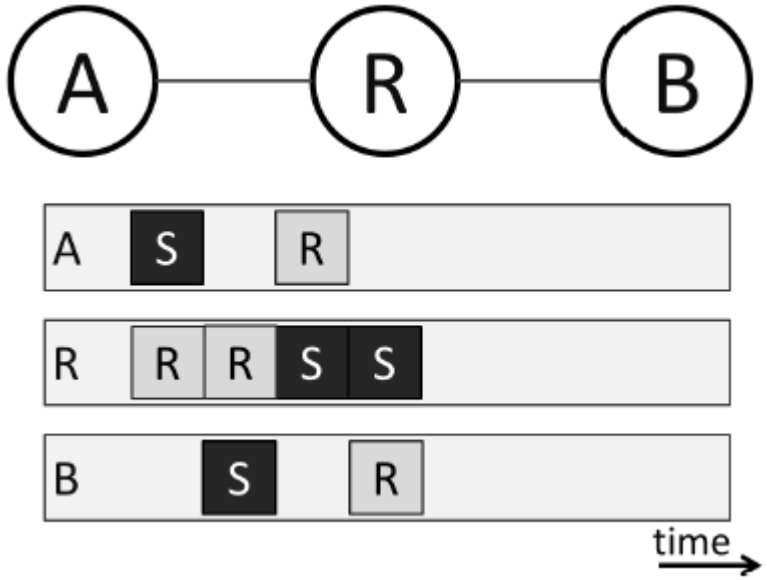


Alice and Bob: Activity Chart



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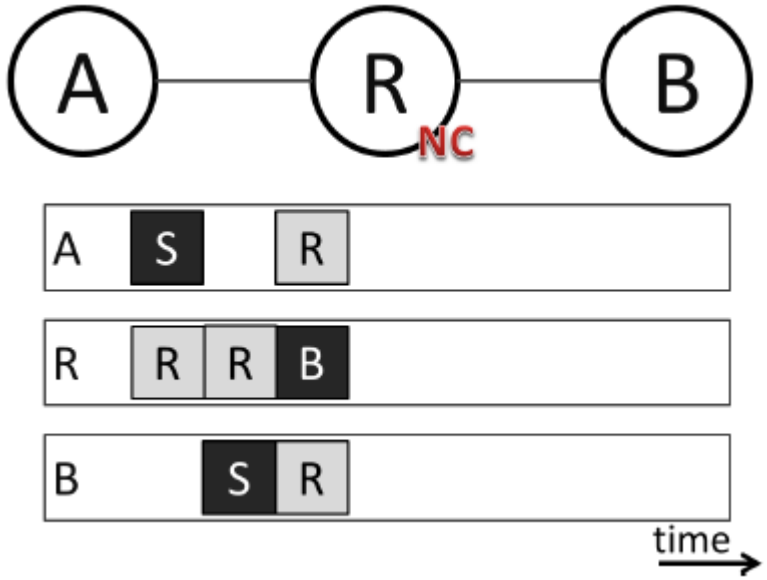

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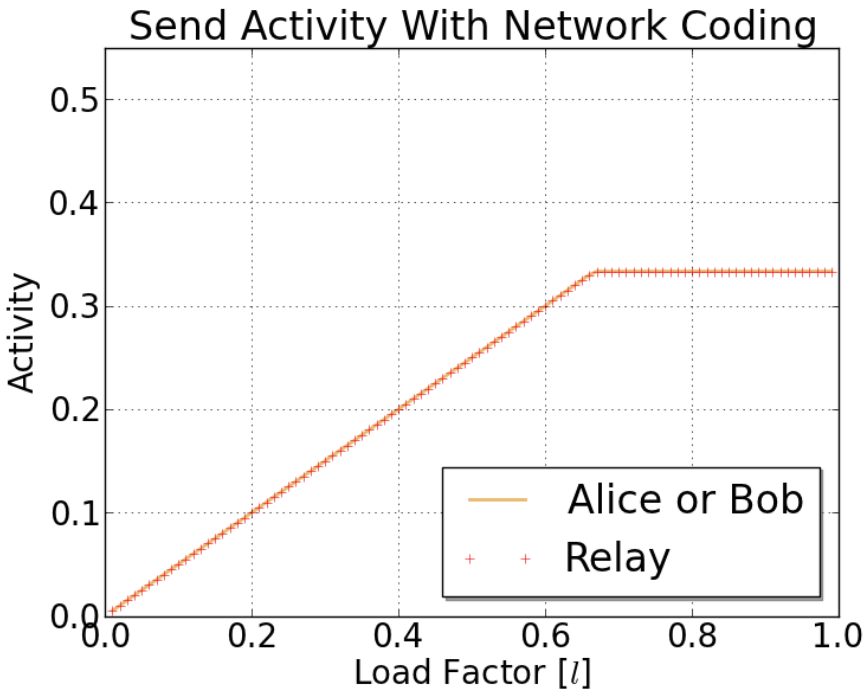
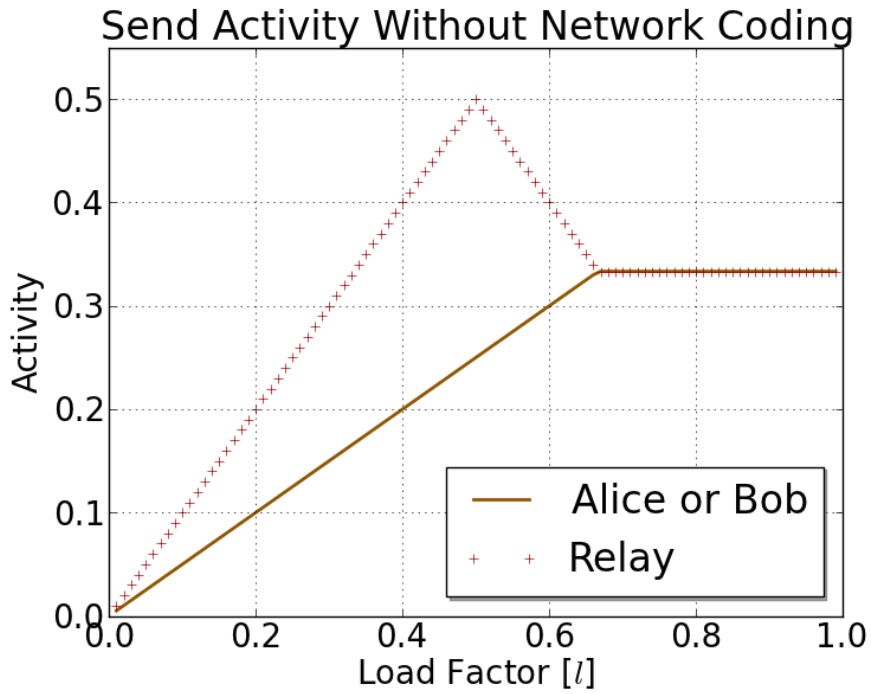
Send Activity Model





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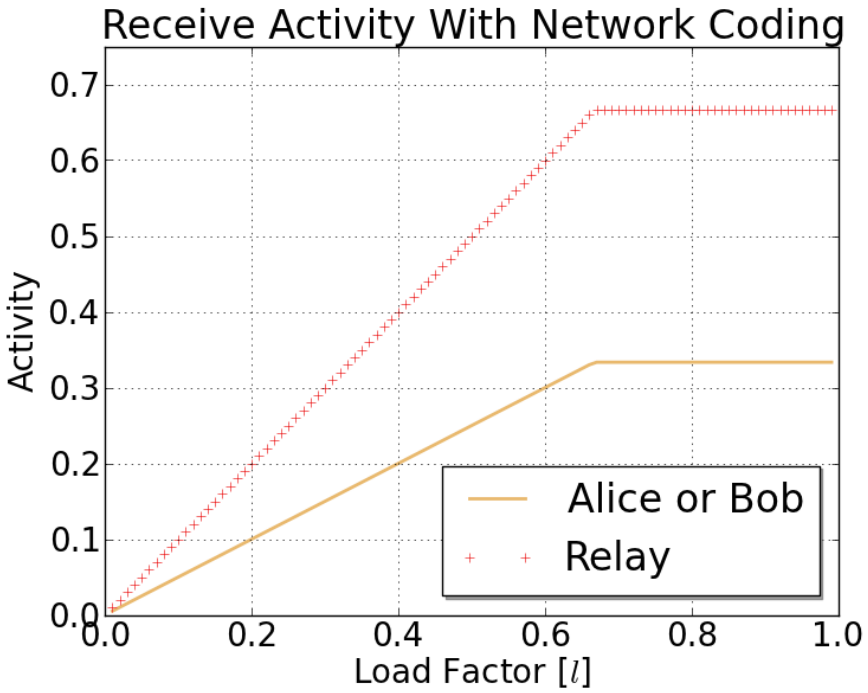

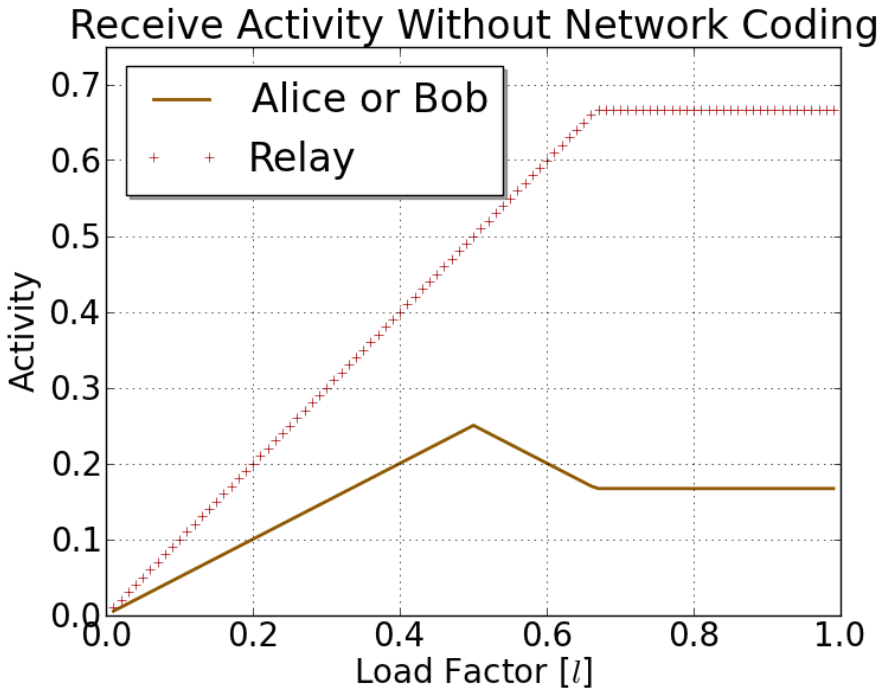

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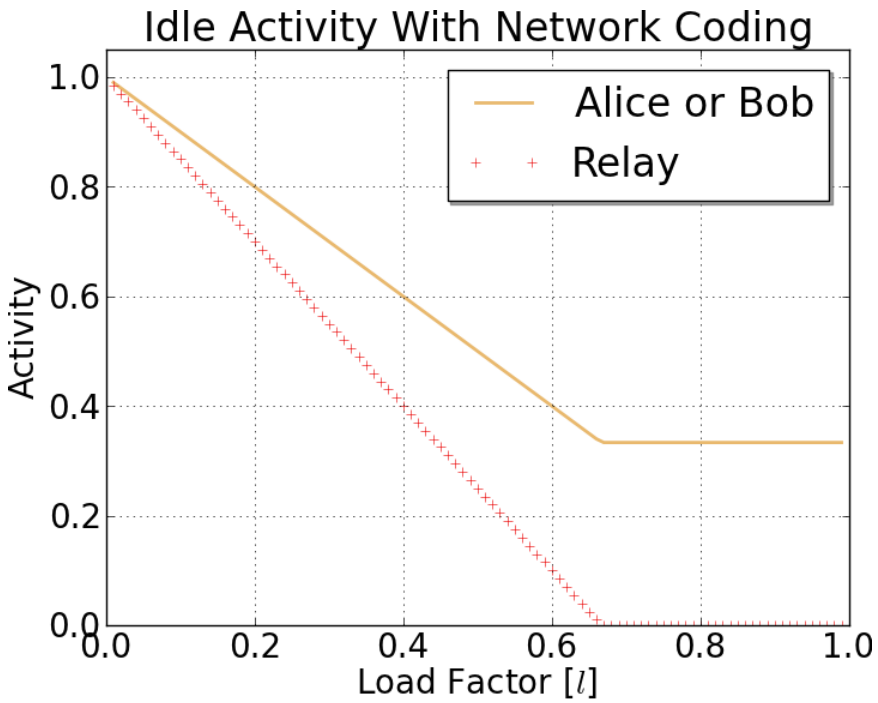

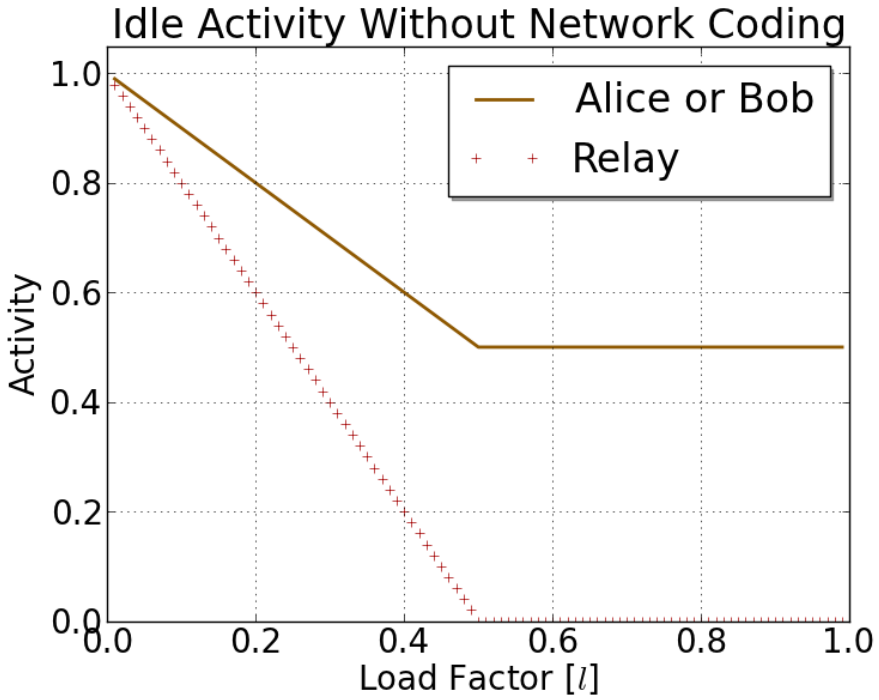

Activity Model

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		R	l	$1-l$	$\frac{1}{3}$
	NC	A&B	$\frac{1}{2}l$	$\frac{1}{2}l$	$\frac{1}{3}$
		R	$\frac{1}{2}l$	$\frac{1}{2}l$	$\frac{1}{3}$
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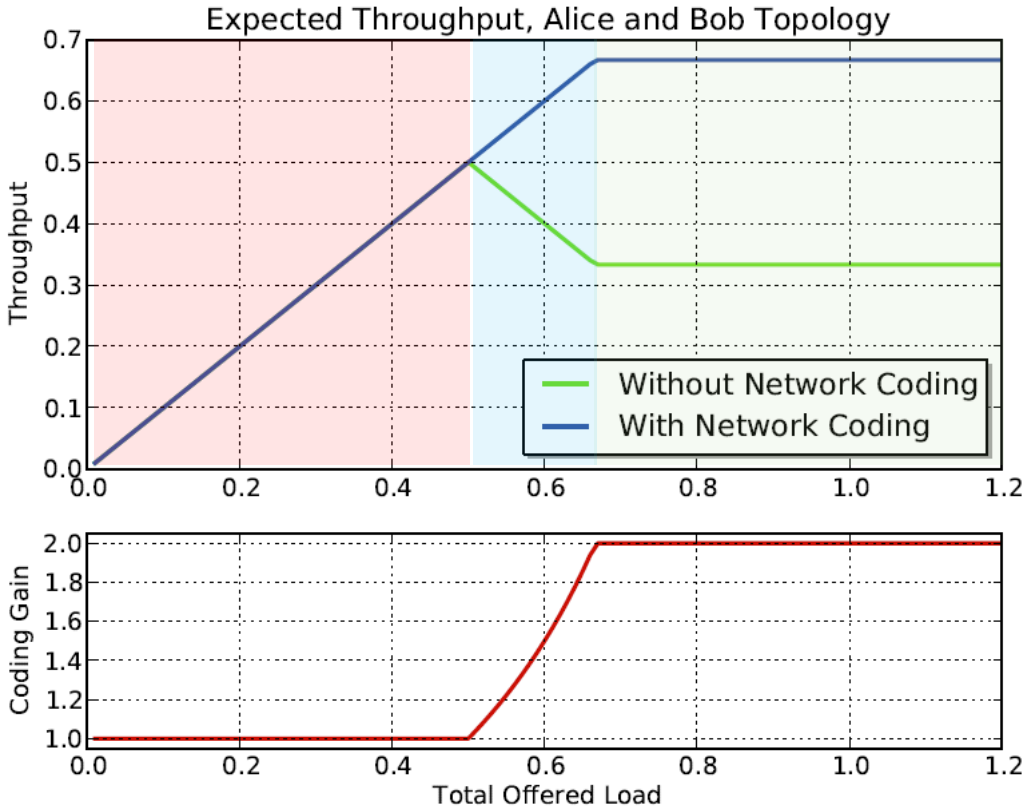

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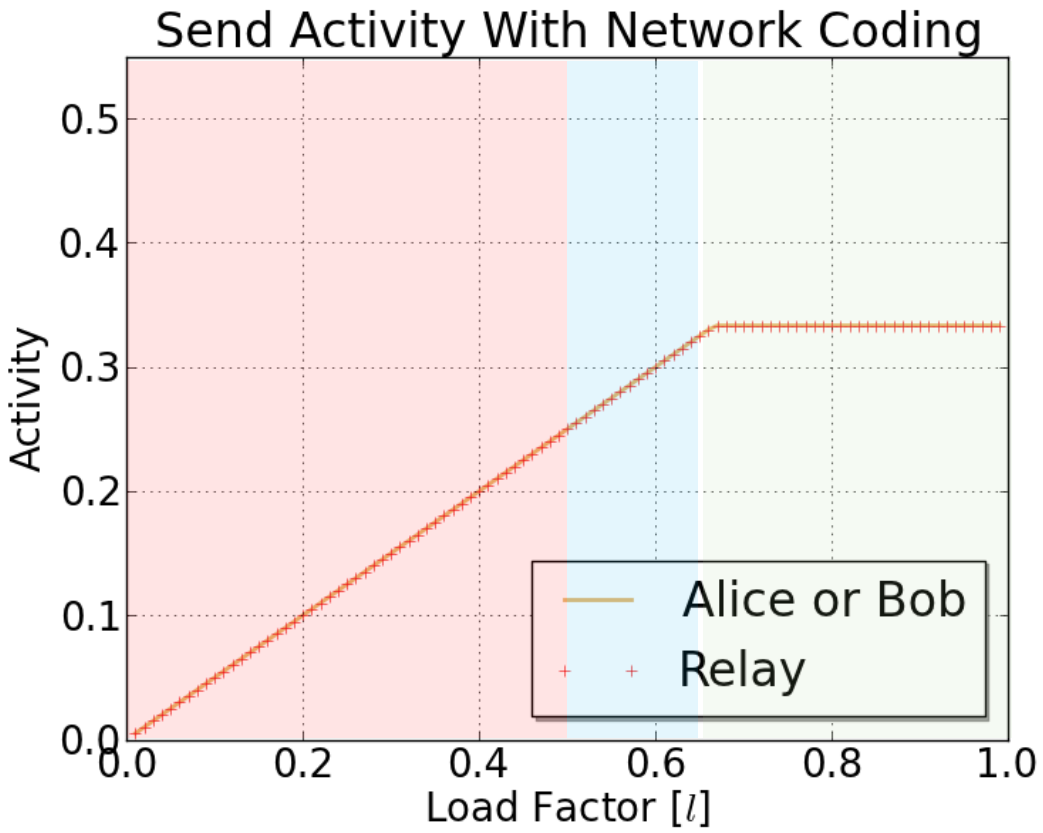

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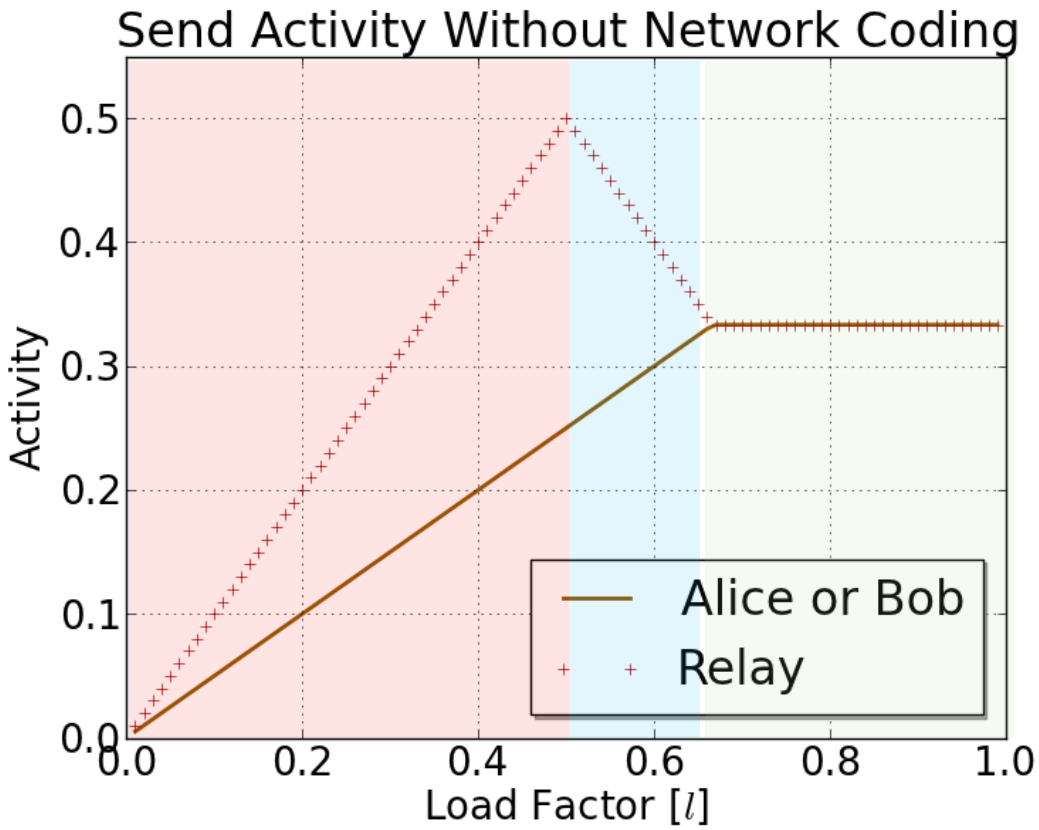


Power Model

In order to derive total power we sum up the product of the activity level a and power level P of the individual states.

$$P_{total} = P_r * a_r + P_s * a_s + P_i * a_i$$

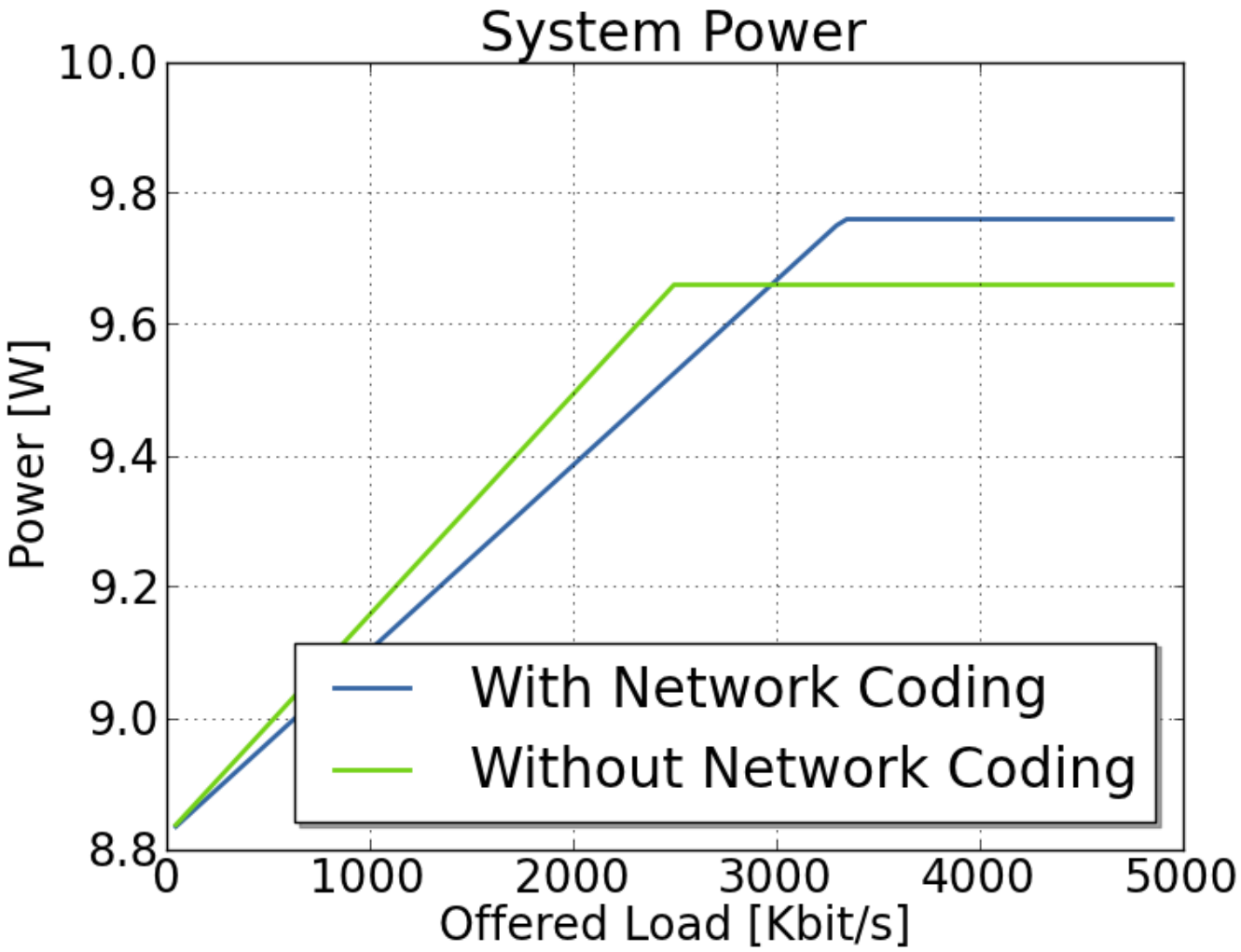
Power Model

Out of our measurements for WHITEBOX we derive:

- Total power level sending: P_{send} = 3.48 W
- Total power level receiving: $P_{receive}$ = 3.24 W
- Total power level idle: P_{idle} = 2.94 W

Later we assume a maxium capacity of the channel of 4.9 Mbit/s

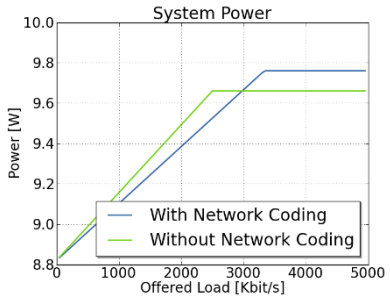
Power Rate Model



Energy Model

$$Energy = Power * Time$$

$$Energy\ per\ bit = \frac{Power}{Throughput} = \frac{Joule}{bit}$$



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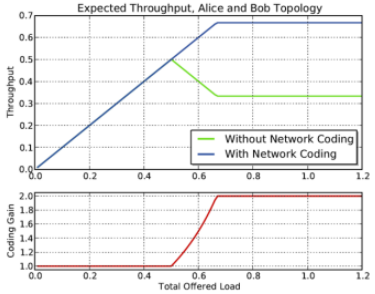

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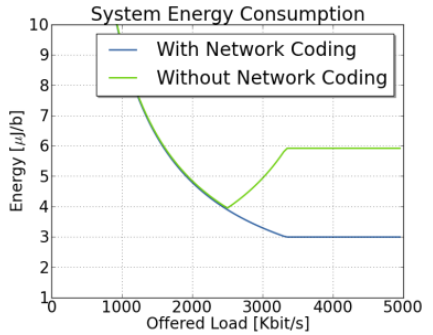

power throughput energy/bit

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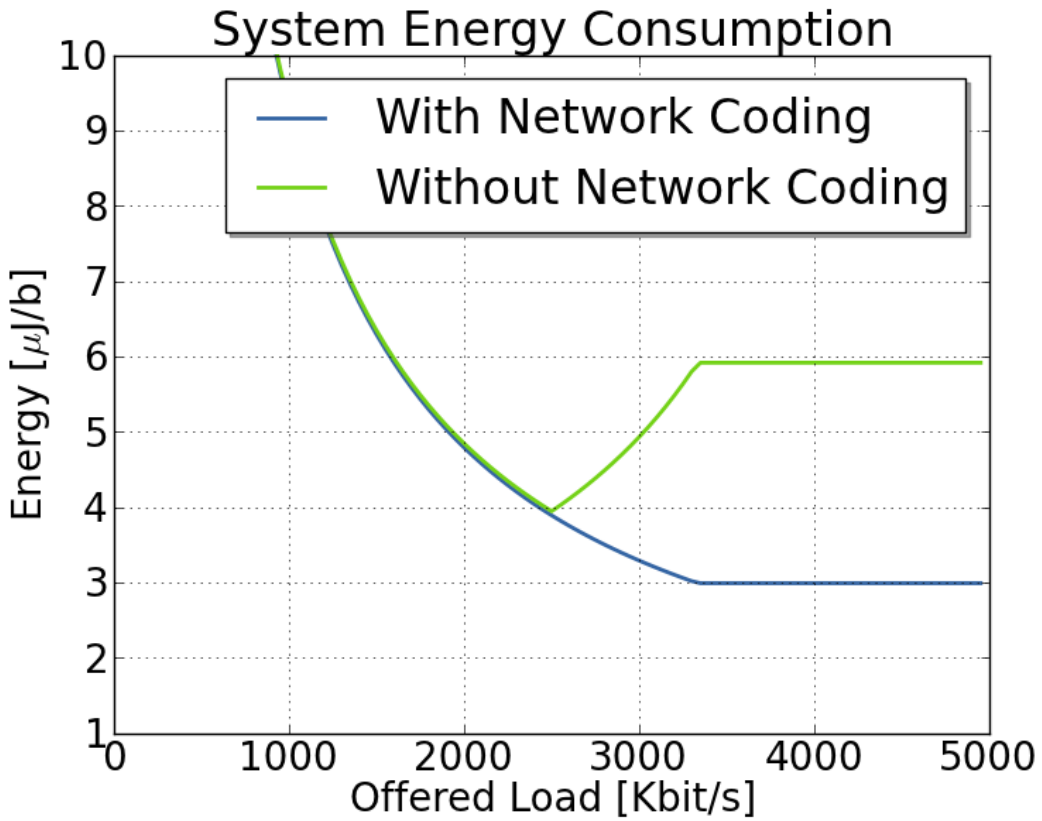

CATWOMAN Measurement Results

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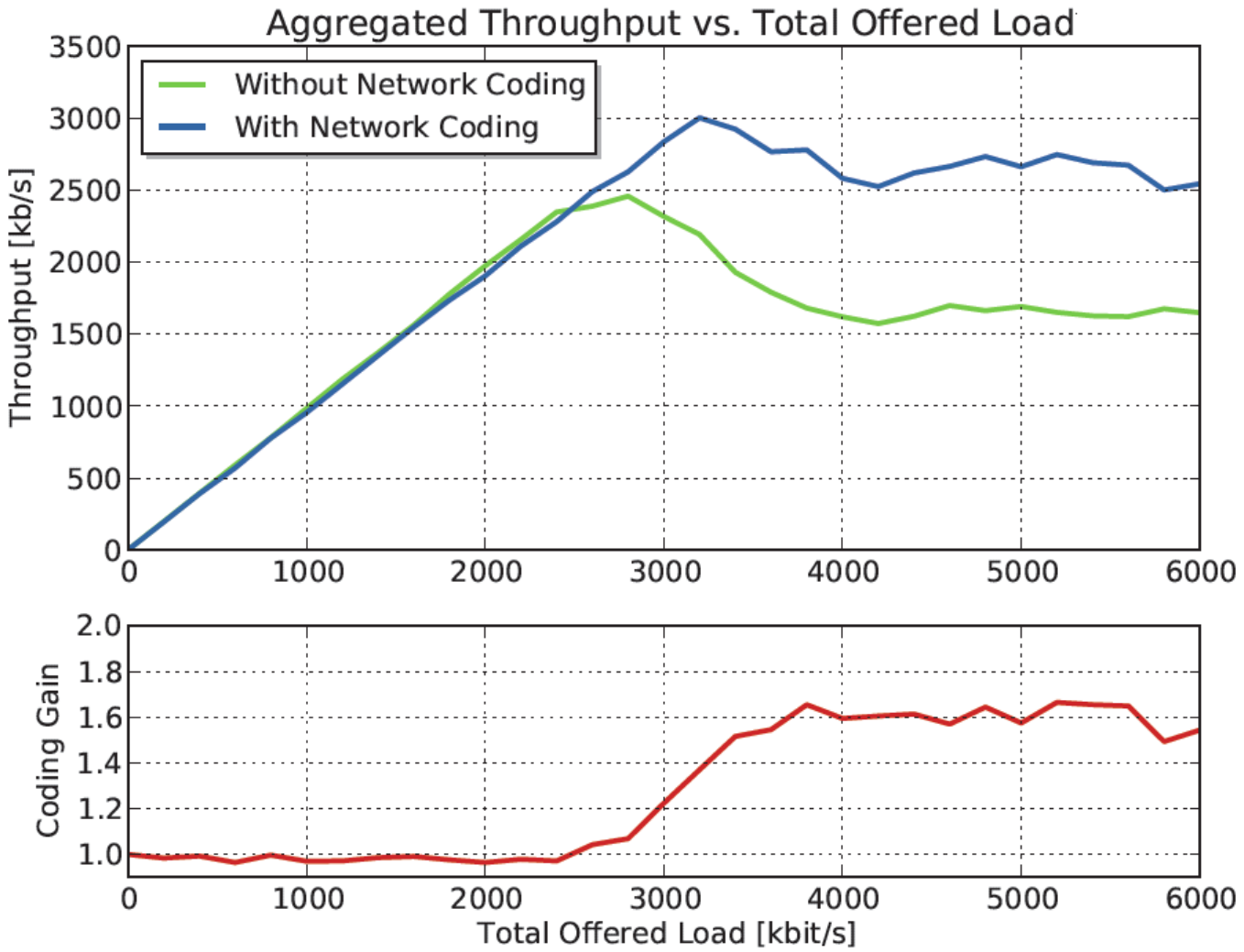

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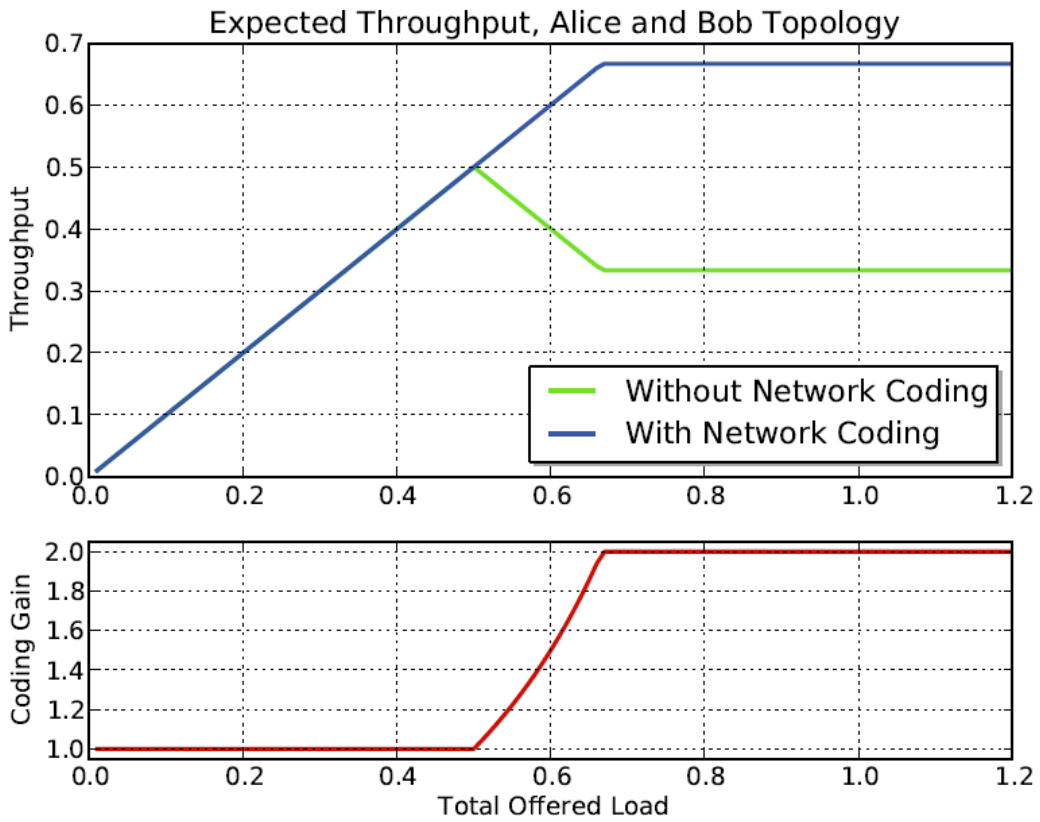

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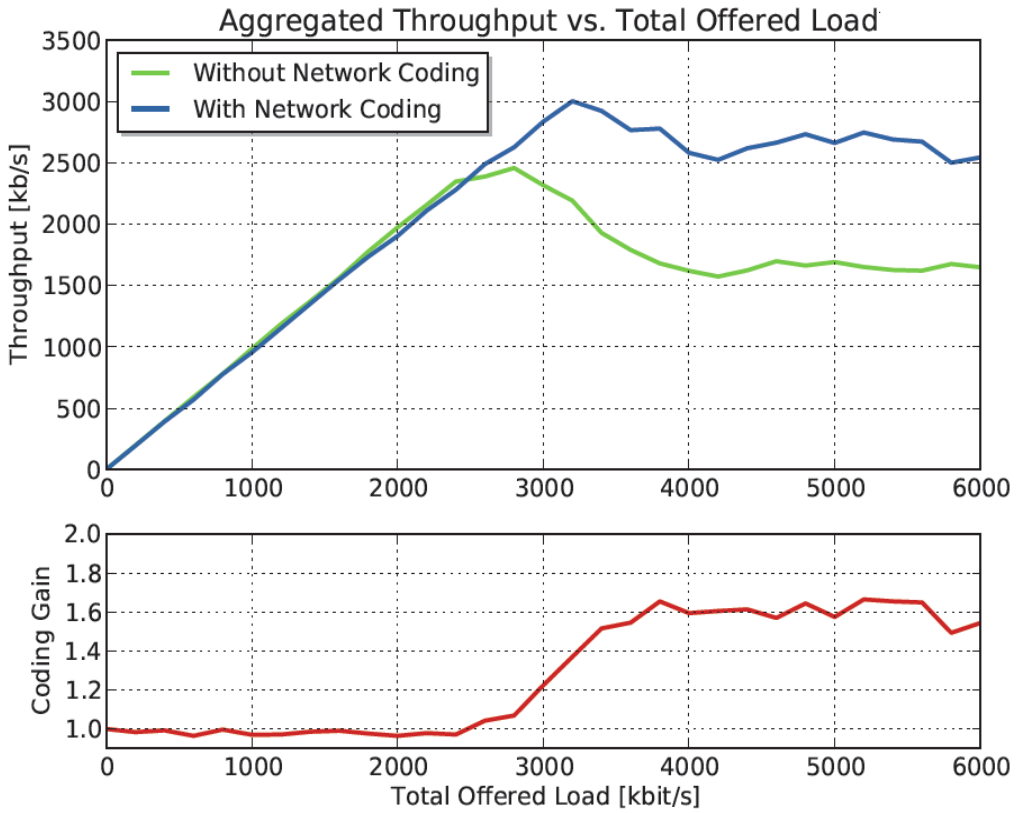


Discussion

Results fit nicely

But

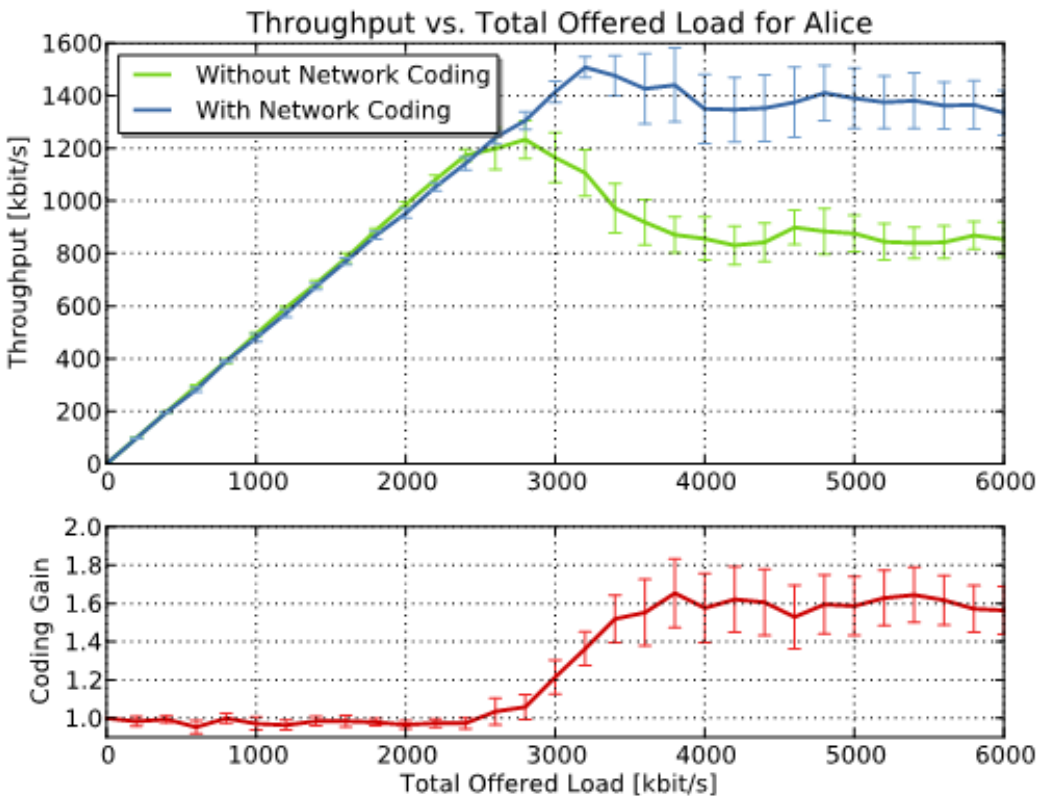
— The coding gain is with 1.6 lower than expected with 2.0

— The throughput of NC is not stable after reaching its maximum

Why?

CATWOMAN: Results

Alice



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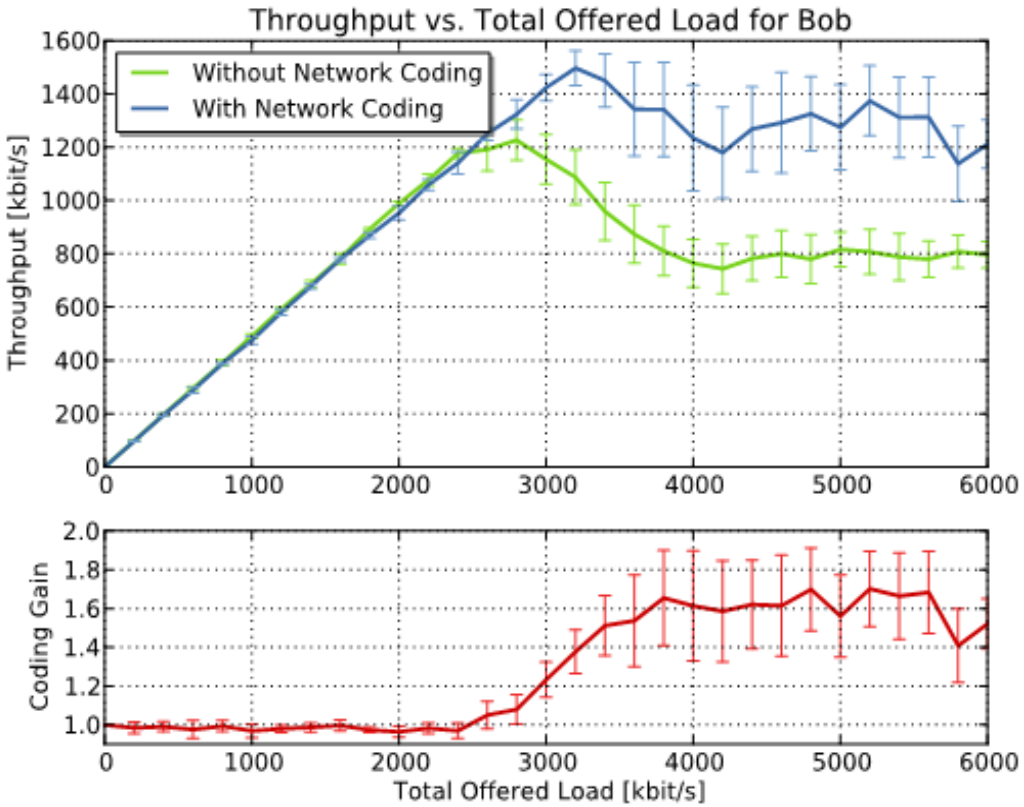

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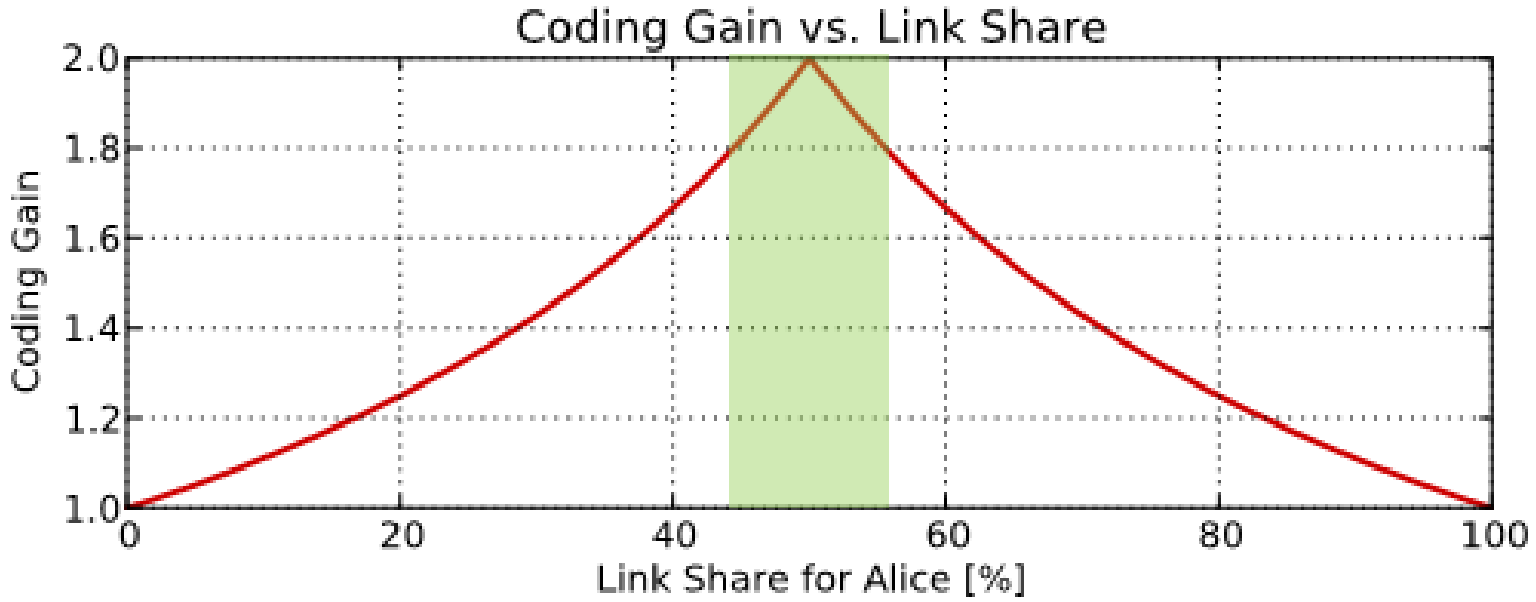

$$g_C = \frac{N}{N \cdot x + N((1-x)-x)} = \frac{1}{1-x}, \qquad 0 \leq x \leq 0.5.$$

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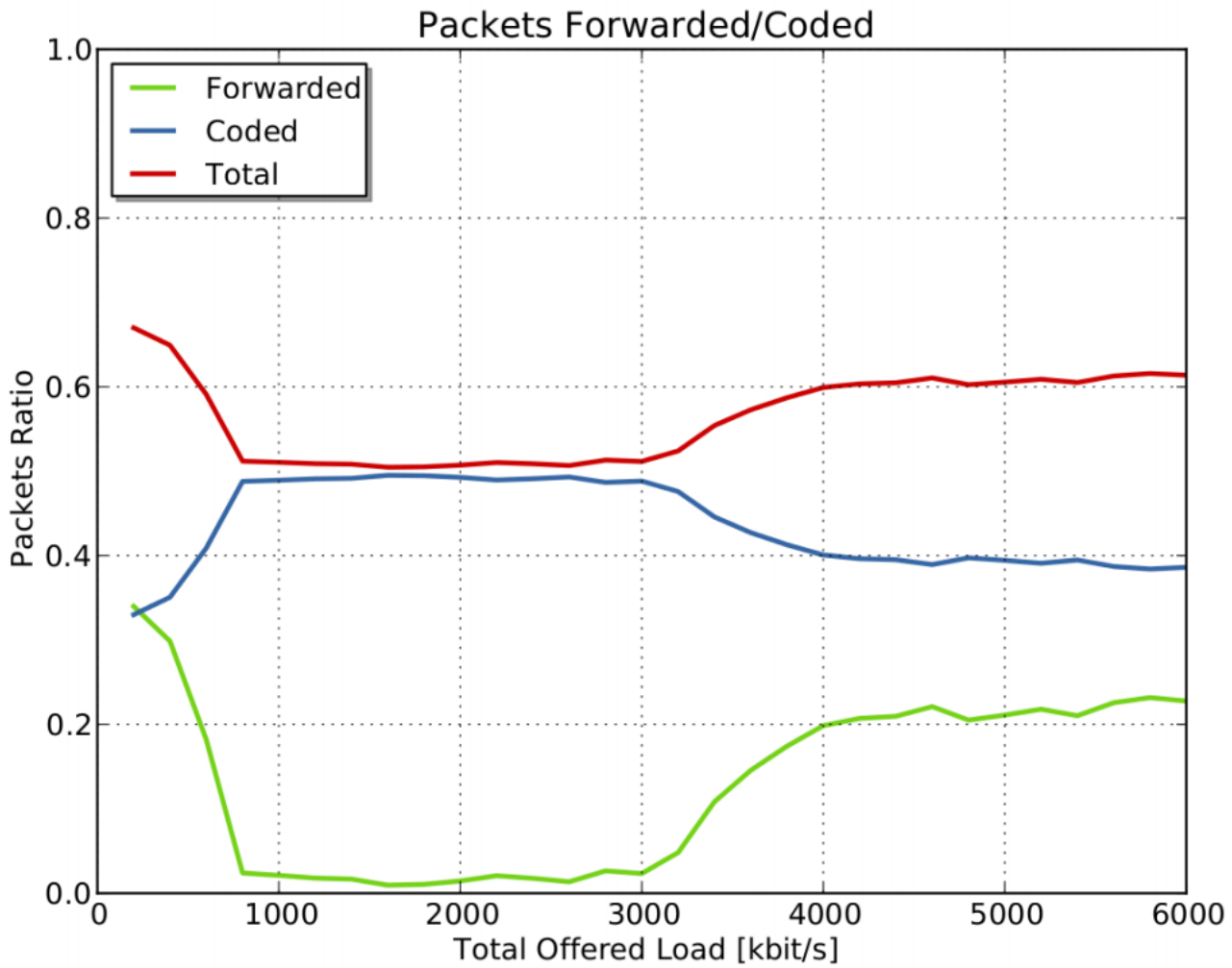

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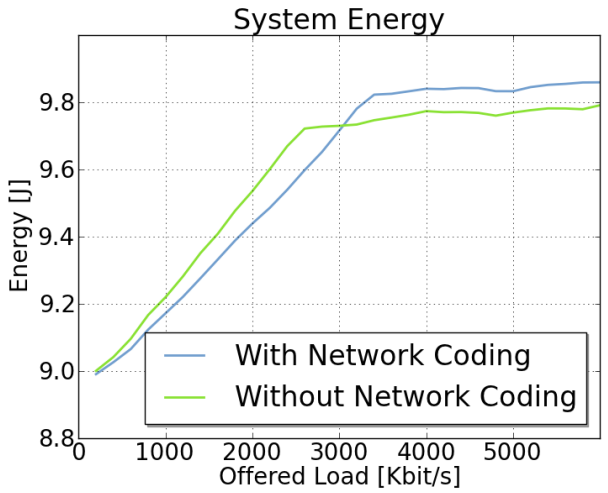
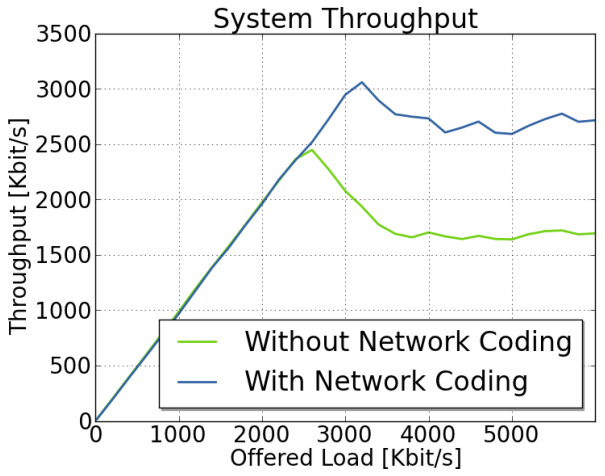
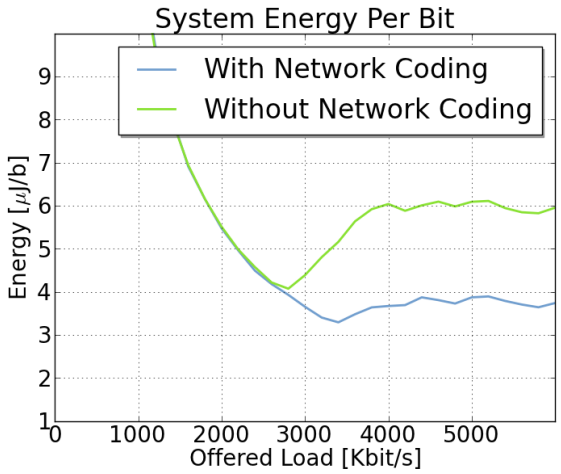
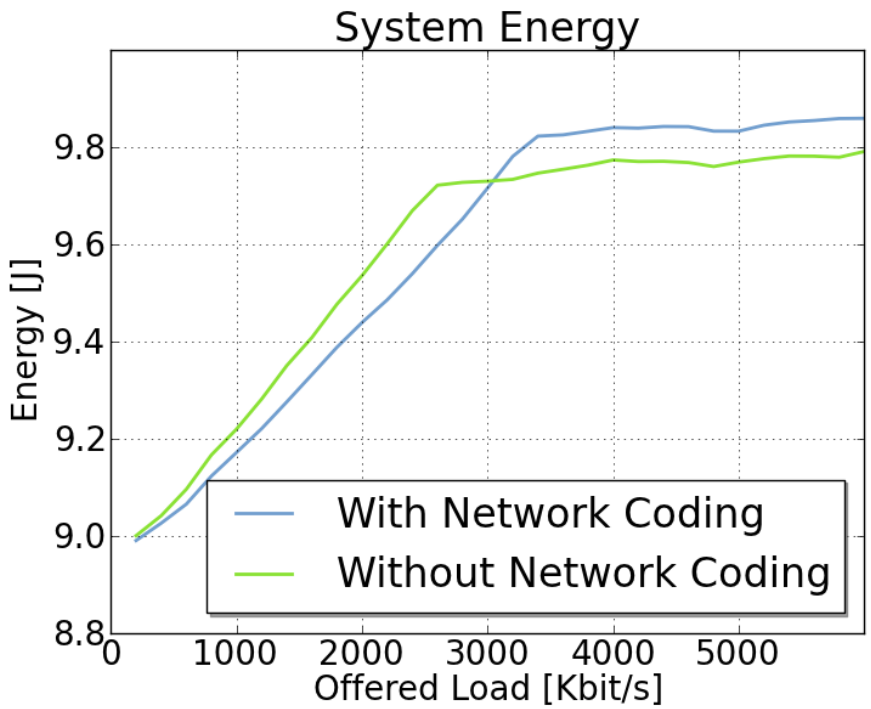


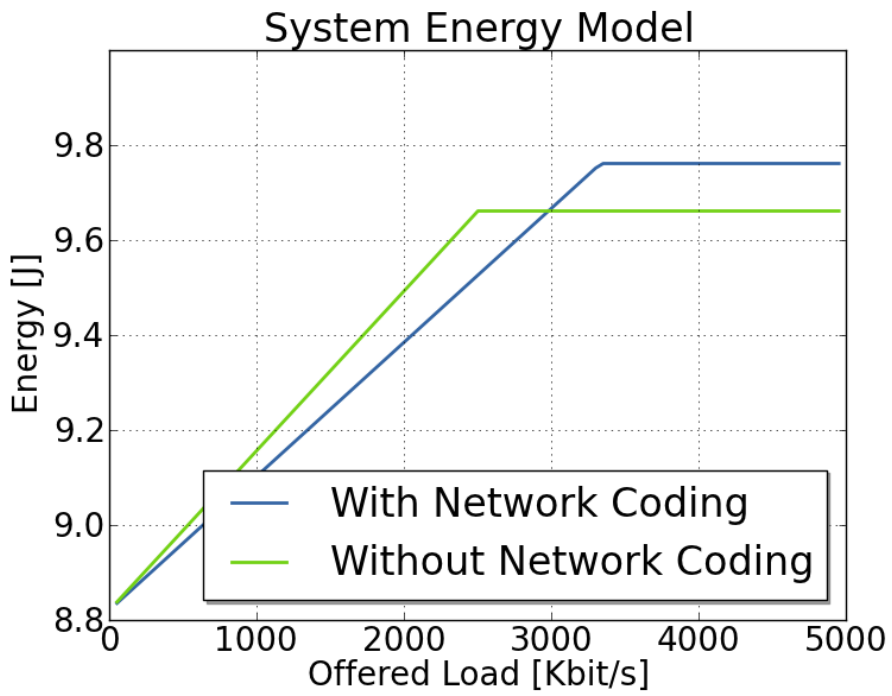




power throughput energy/bit

Comparion: Energy





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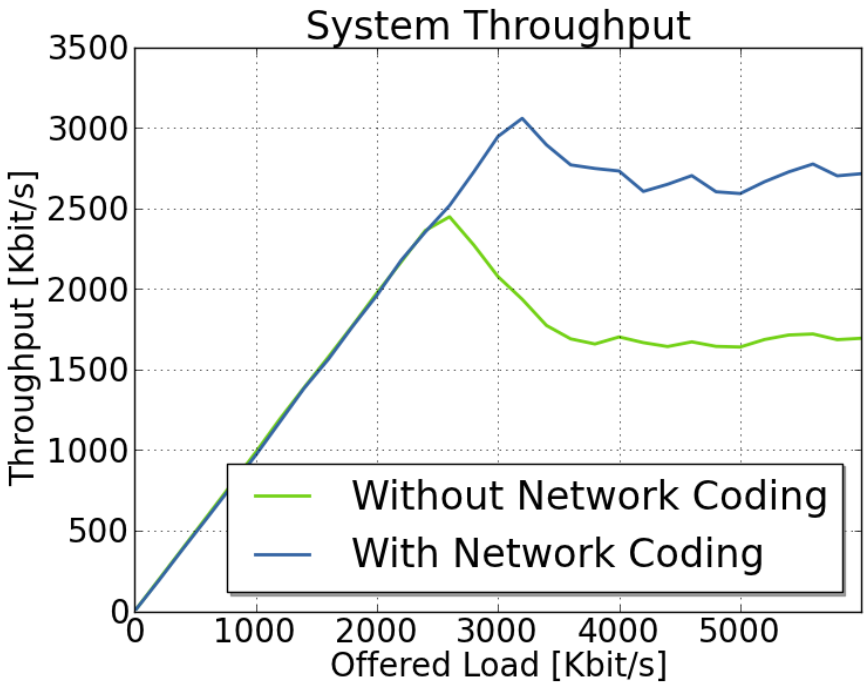
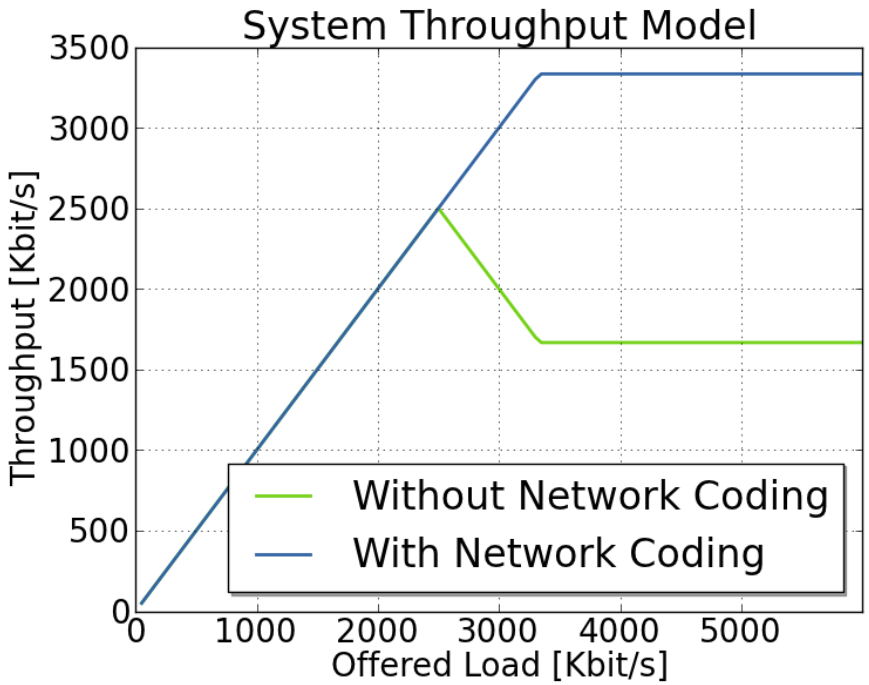
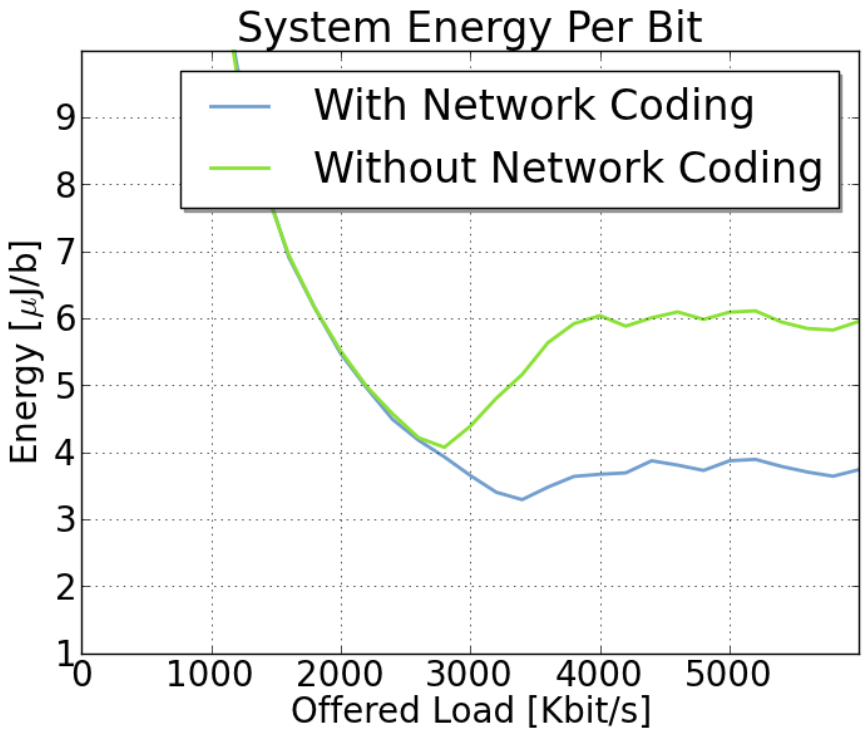
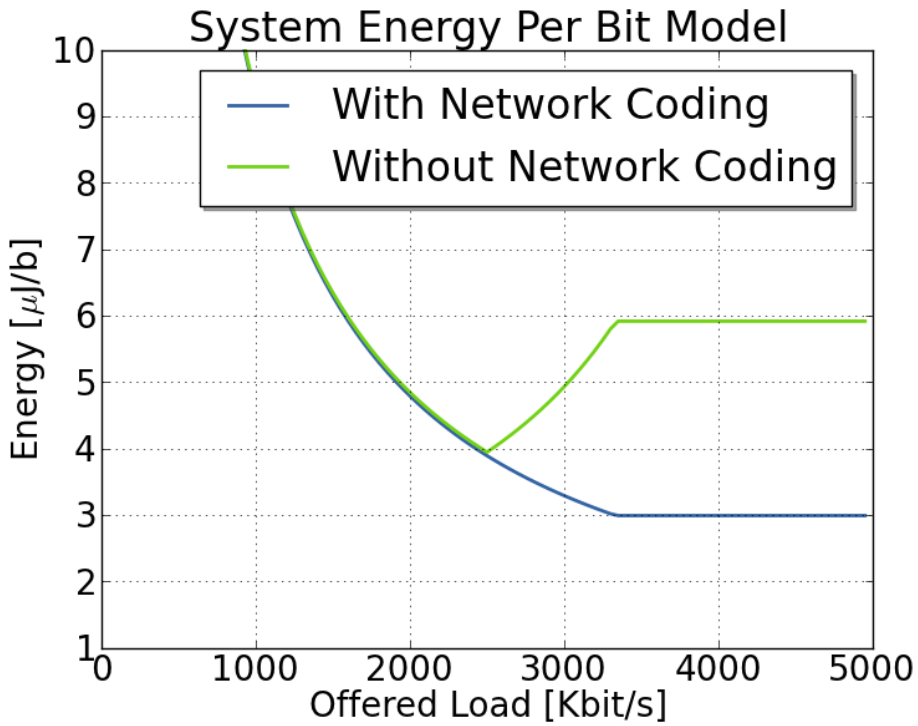




Comparion: Energy Per Bit



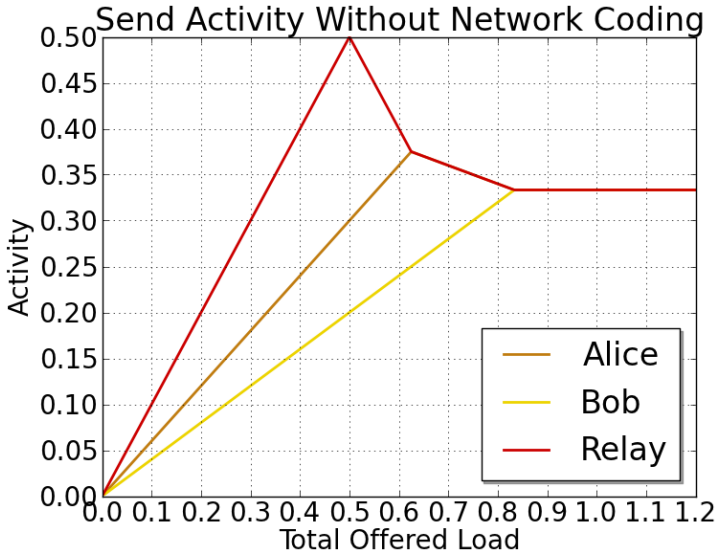


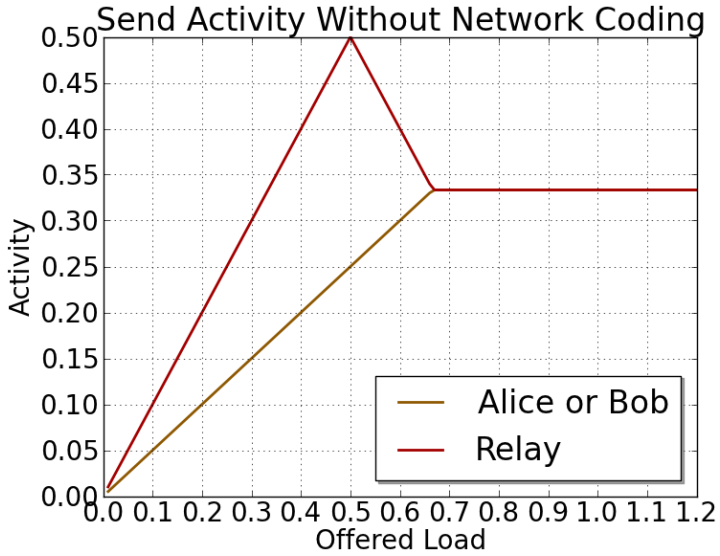
Model for Alice and Bob (asymmetric traffic)

A. Paramanathan, J. Heide, P. Pahlavani, M. Hundeboll, S.A. Rein, F.H.P. Fitzek, and G. Ertli, **"Energy and data throughput for asymmetric inter-session network coding,"** in IEEE International Workshop on Computer-Aided Modeling Analysis and Design of Communication Links and Networks (CAMAD), Barcelona, Spain.

Model for asymmetric traffic (vs. symmetric traffic): SEND

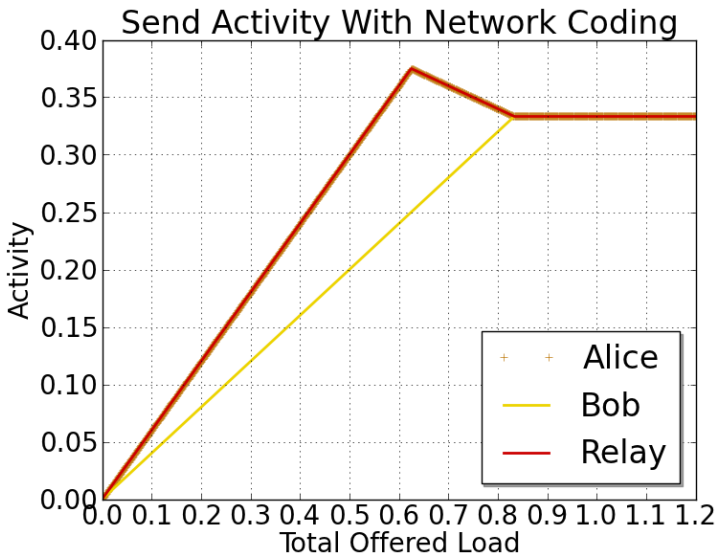
w/o NC

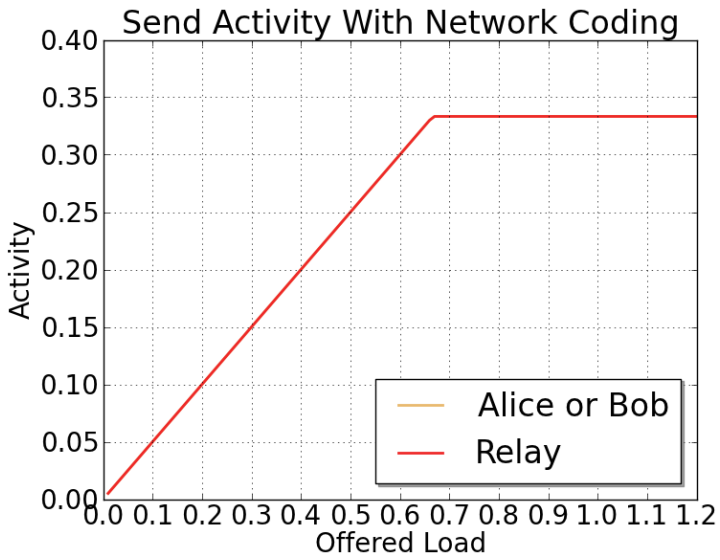




Asymmetric with link share of 60%(A)/40%(B)

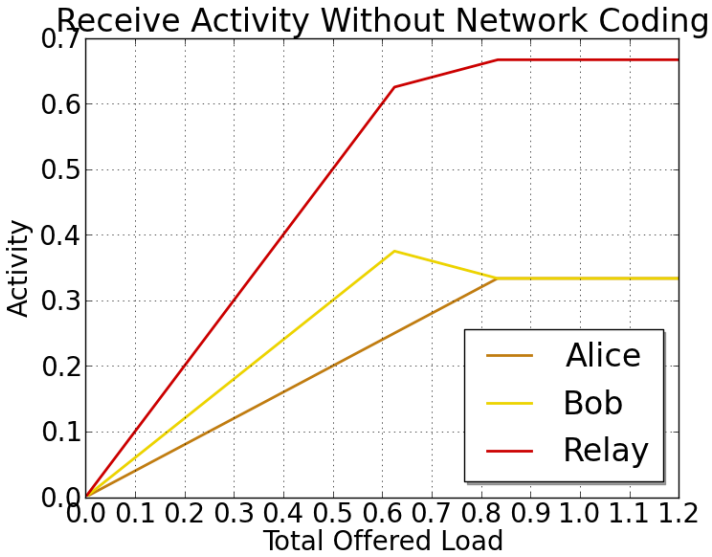
w NC

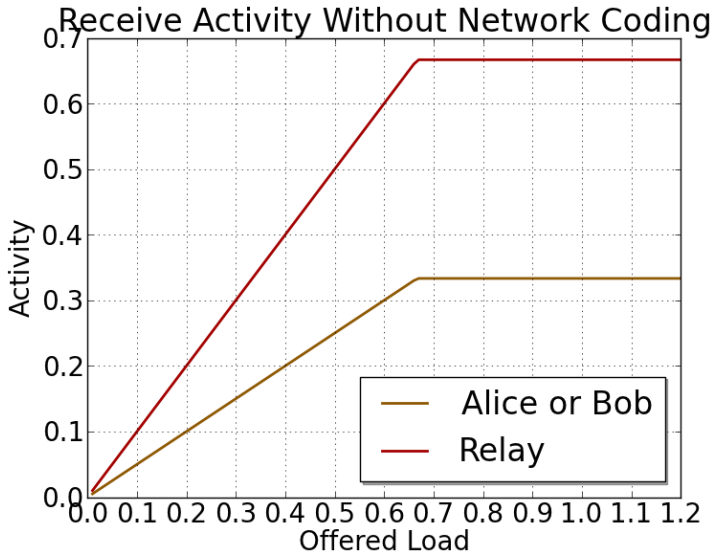




Model for asymmetric traffic (vs. symmetric traffic): RECEIVE

w/o NC





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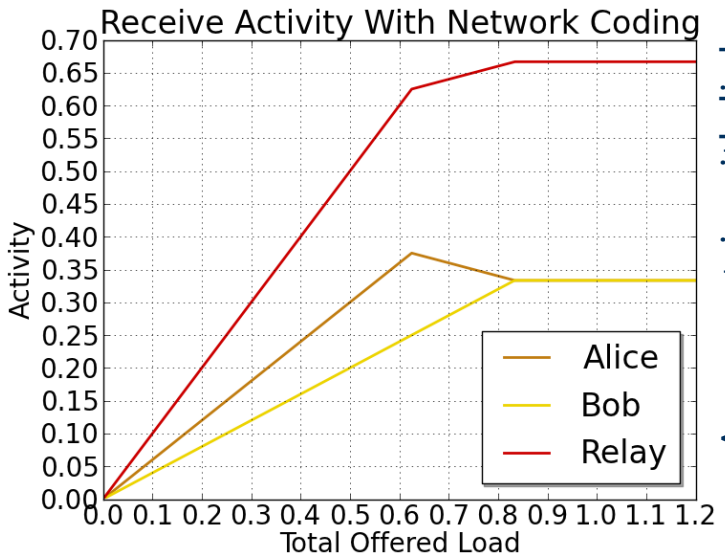

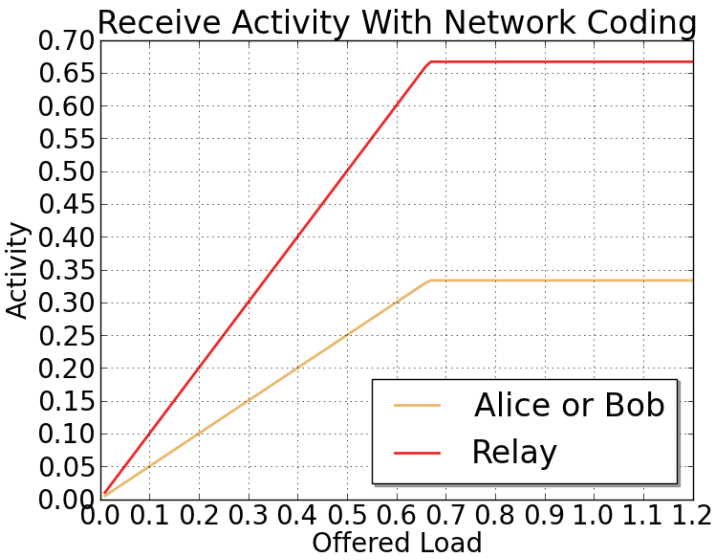

Model for asymmetric traffic (vs. symmetric traffic): IDLE

w/o NC

w NC

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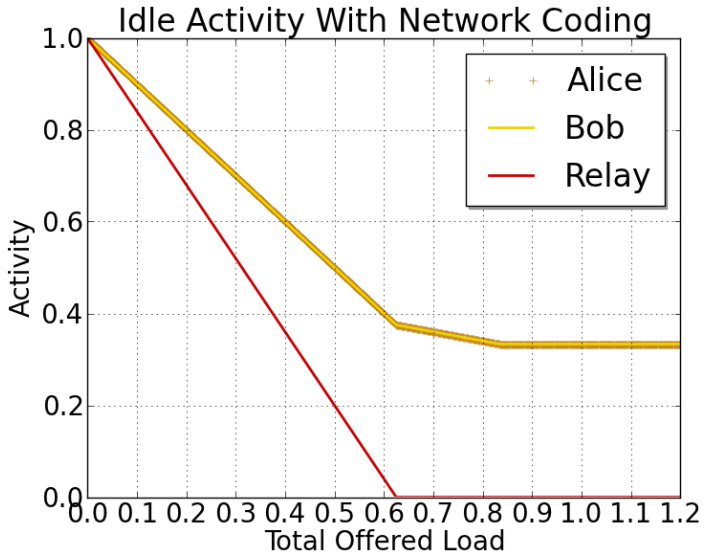
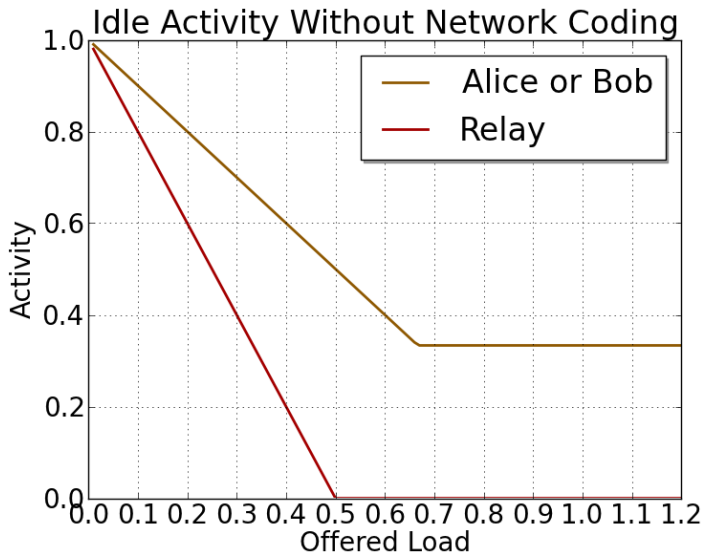
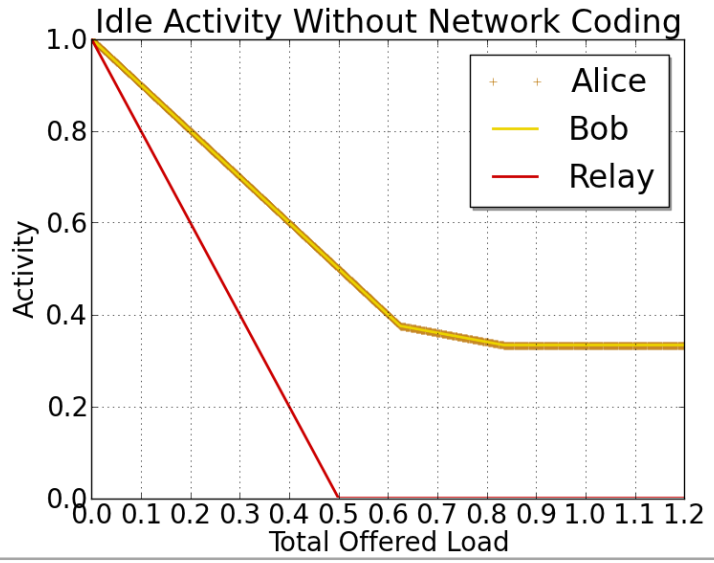
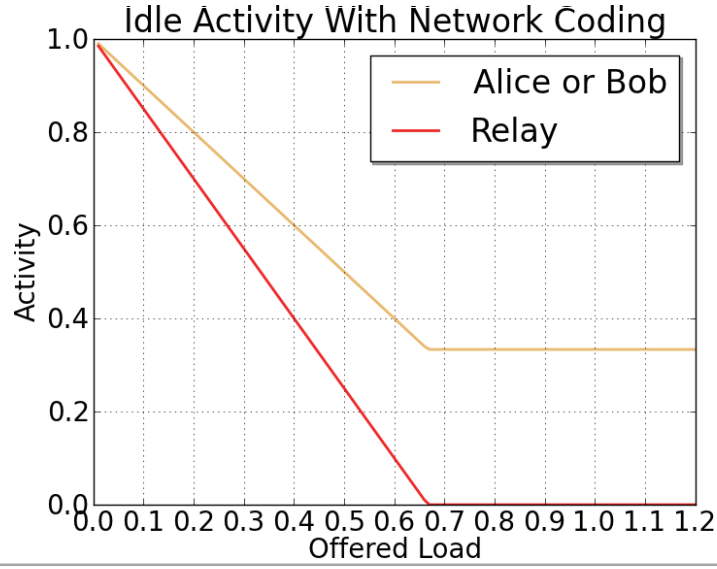




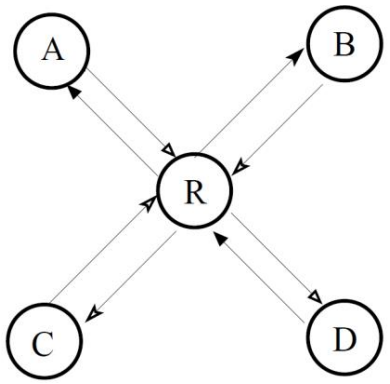


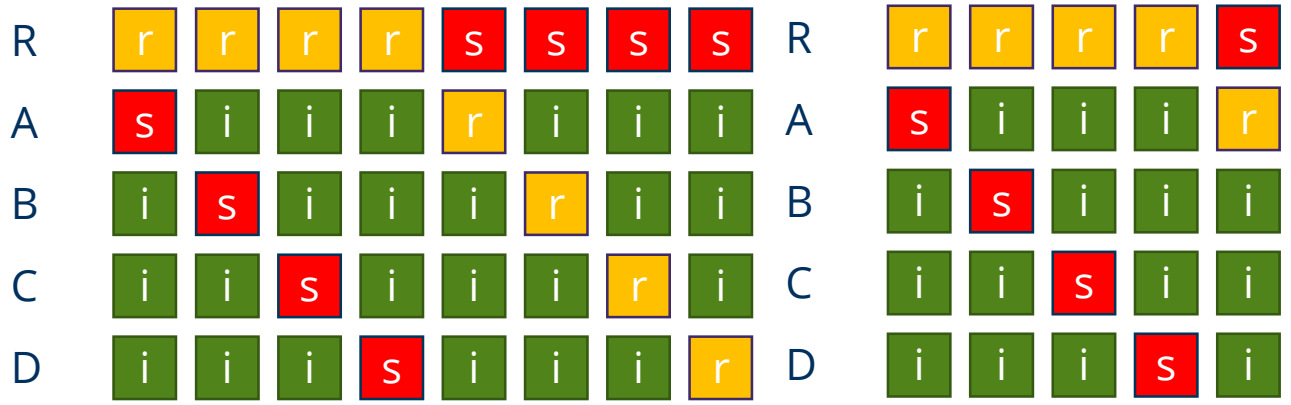


Model for THE CROSS (symmetric traffic)

Cross Forwarding

pure relaying



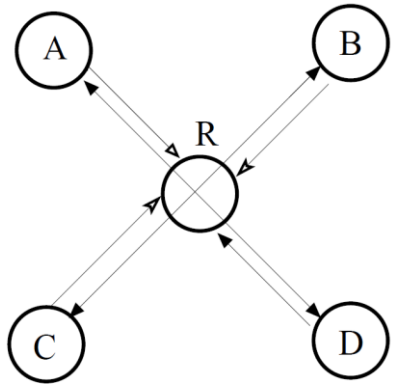


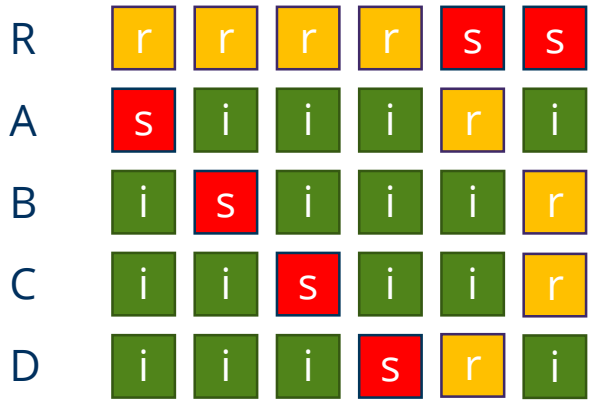
Whatever goes into the relay has to be forwarded.

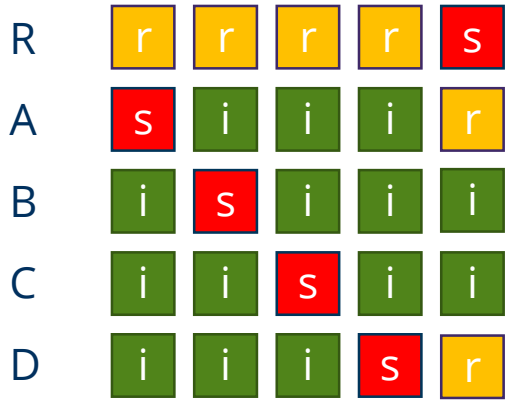
What to do if there is not enough capacity?

XOR Network Coding

NC w/o overhearing



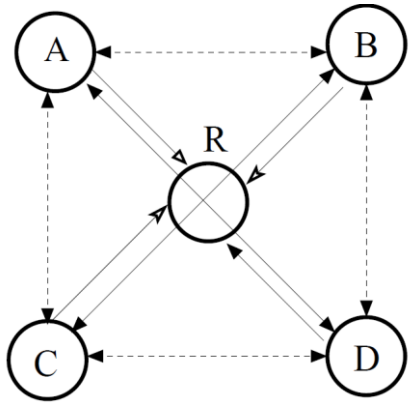


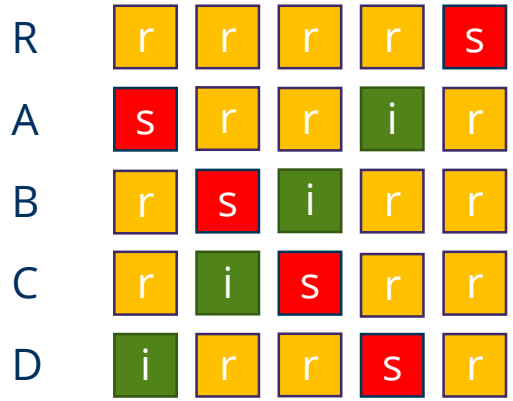


- Each out node sends to the relay
- And for each pair the relay sends out one coded packet

XOR Network Coding with overhearing

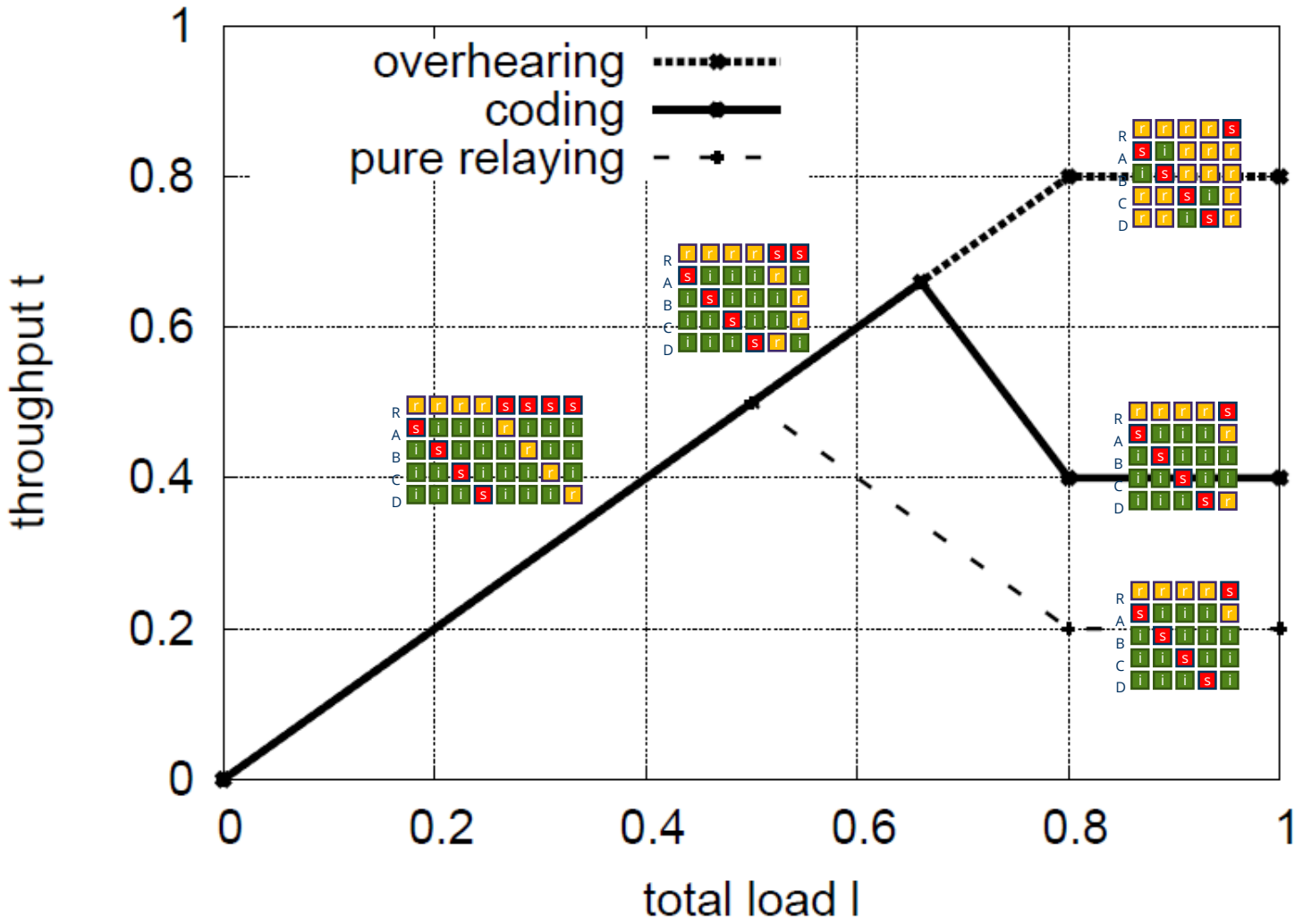
NC with overhearing





- Each outer node sends a packet to the relay
- Each outer node will overhear two packets from neighboring nodes
- Relay sends out one full coded packet

Cross Throughput



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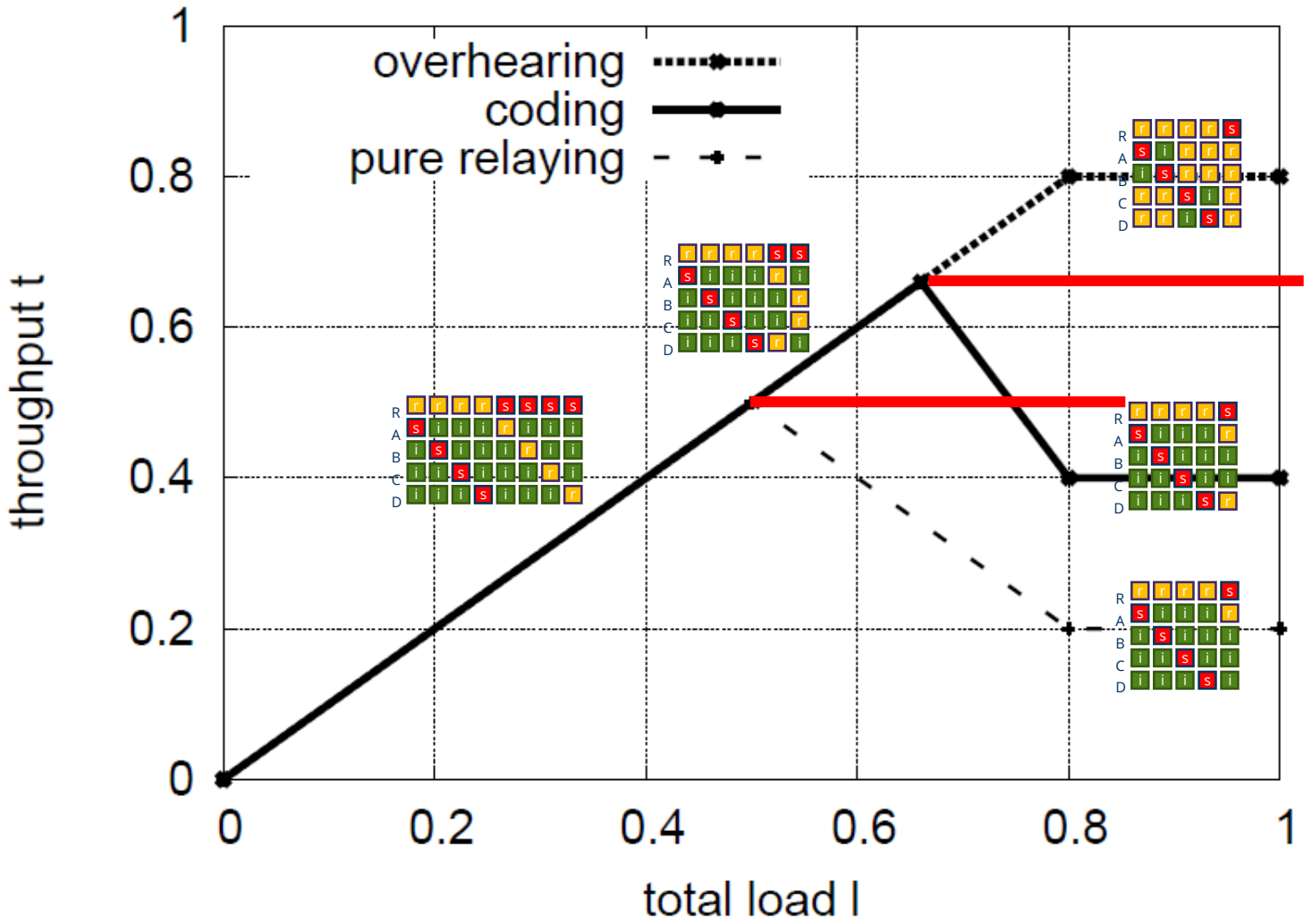
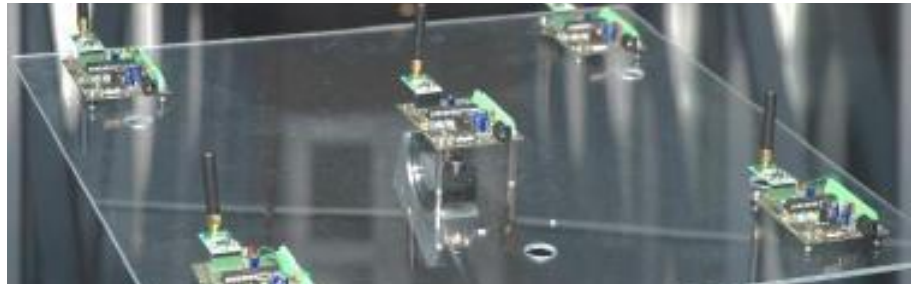
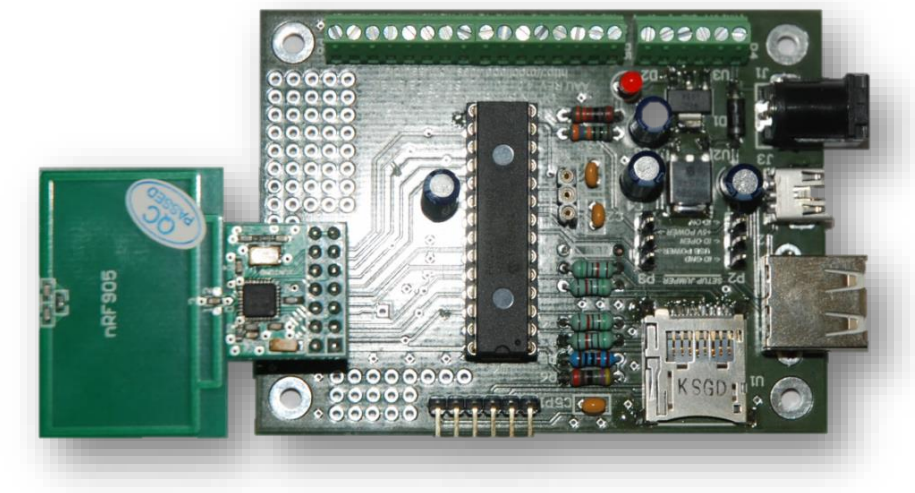


The Cross (MAC)





Hardware

16bit PIC24 microprocessor

nRF905 transceiver (433 MHz, 50 kbps)

Software

MAC-Protocol: A CSMA/CA design

Network Coding: A simple XOR design [COPE06]

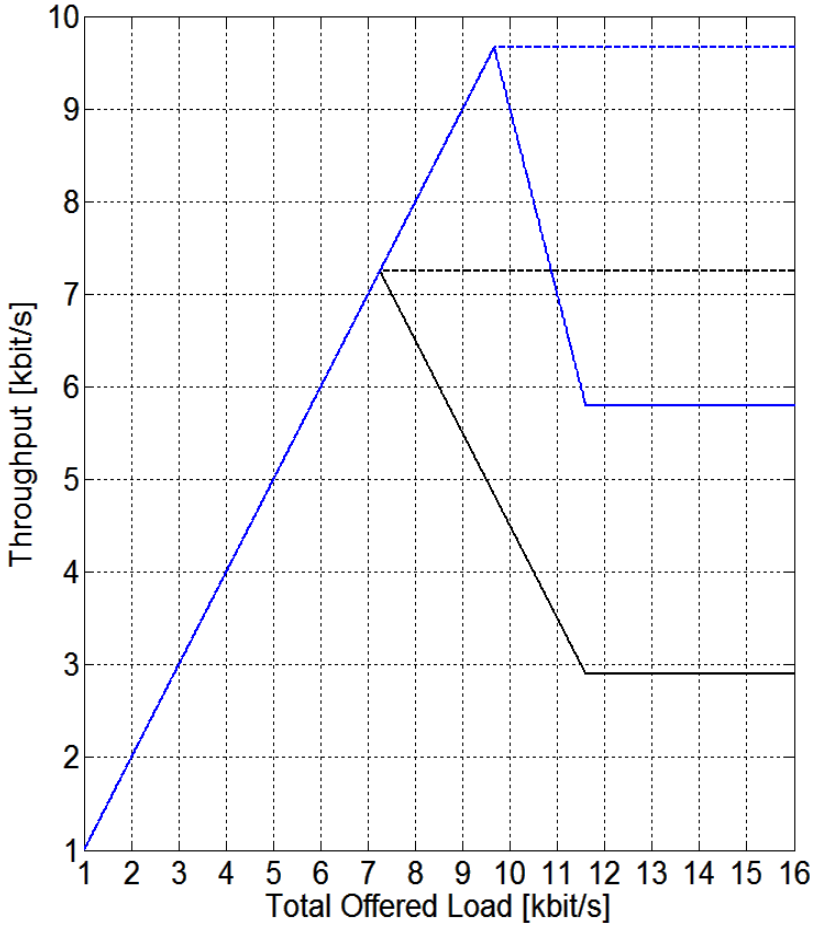
Capability

Easy access to the software

Full control of both HW and SW

The Cross (MAC)

Expected



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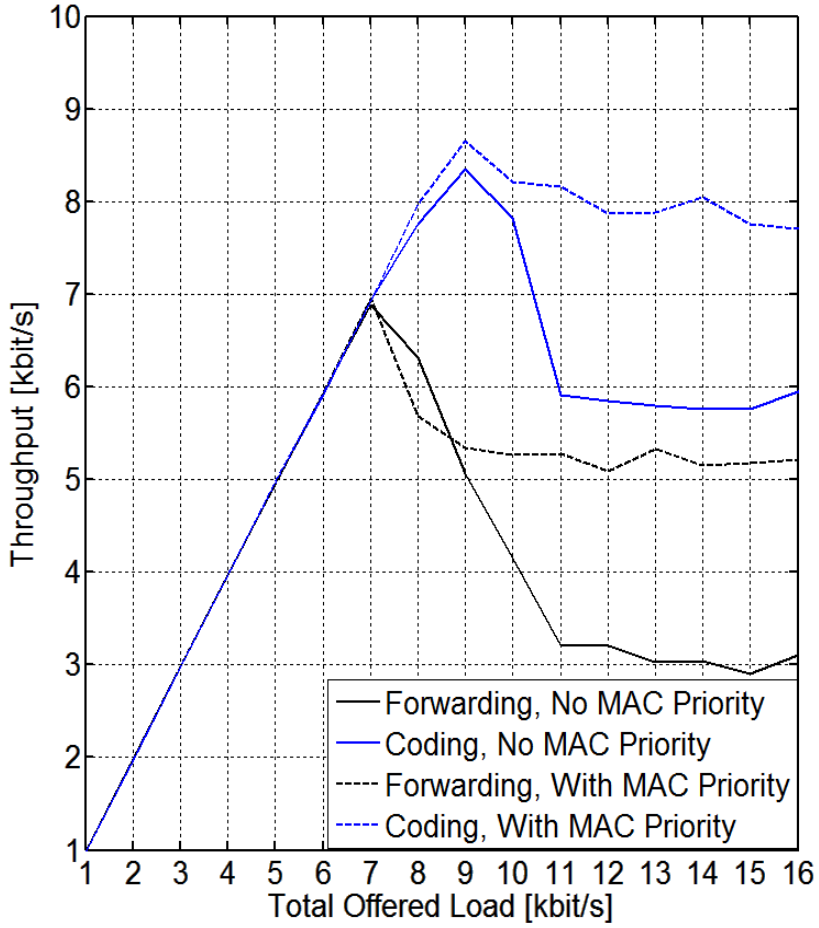
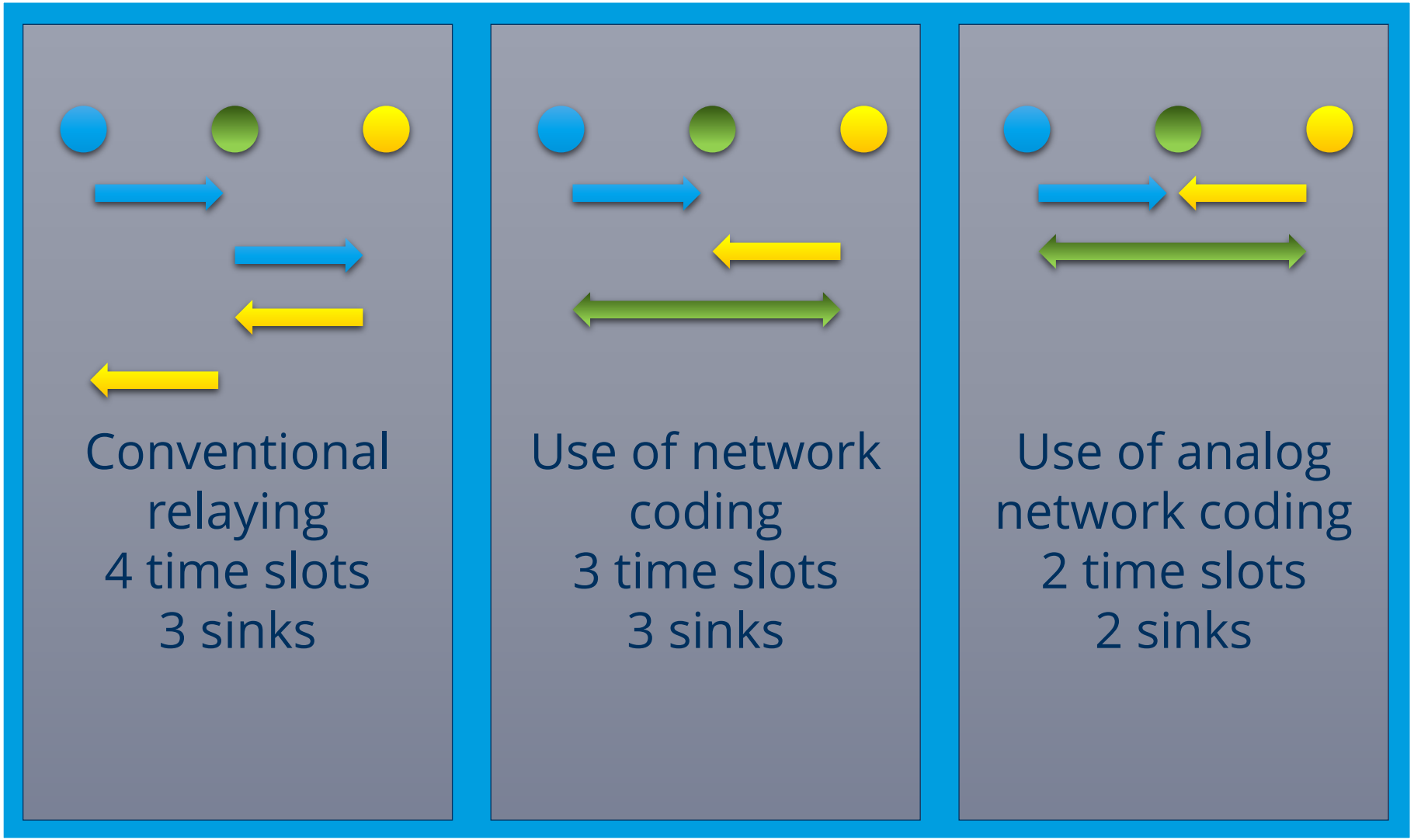


Analog Network Coding

Overview

- So far network coding was done in the packet domain
- Network coding can be applied in any ISO/OSI layer
- Analog and physical network coding is a special case at the physical layer (lowest ISO/OSI layer) coding “symbols”
- Coding symbols is nothing else than a superposition of signals. Analog network coding breaks with the paradigm to separate signals in time and force “collision” to achieve higher coding gains

Analog Network Coding for Wireless Networks



Analog Network Coding for Wireless Networks

Analog network coding seems to be more efficient than digital network coding

For the two way relay it reduces the number of necessary transmissions to two (three for digital network coding and four for store and forward)

Advantages

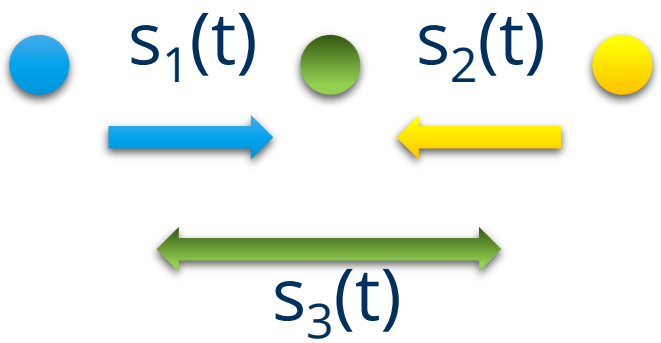
- Throughput
- Energy
- Security (role of the relay differs)

Physical Layer Network Coding

Presented by [Zhang et al 2006]

First, simple example: no fading

Let us look at bandpass signals



$$r_3(t) = s_1(t) + s_2(t) + n(t)$$
$$= [a_1 \cos(\omega t) + b_1 \sin(\omega t)] + [a_2 \cos(\omega t) + b_2 \sin(\omega t)] + n(t)$$
$$= (a_1 + a_2)\cos(\omega t) + (b_1 + b_2)\sin(\omega t) + n(t)$$

How to generate $s_3(t)$?

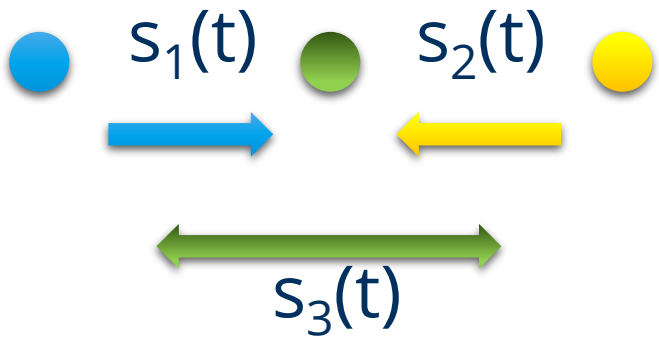
Physical Layer Network Coding

How to generate $s_3(t)$?

Amplify and forward?

Decode and forward?

Initial approach: decode and forward



Example with BPSK: say $b_i = 0, \;\; a_i \in \{-1,1\} \;\; i = 1,2,3$

$$r_3(t) = s_1(t) + s_2(t) + n(t) = (a_1 + a_2)\cos(\omega t) + n(t)$$

Note that there are 3 possible values of $a_1 + a_2$:

"-2" and "2" correspond to $a_1 = a_2$

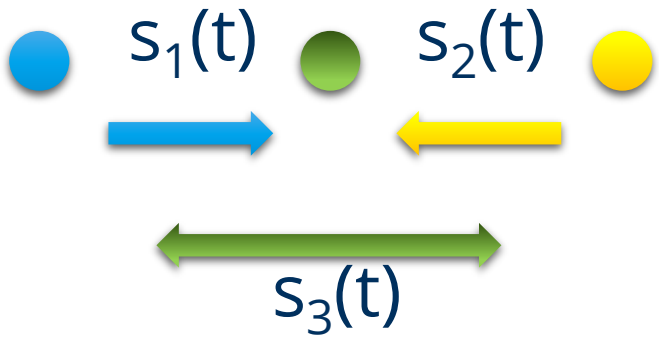
"0" corresponds to $a_1 = -a_2$

Physical Layer Network Coding

Example with BPSK:

Let us generate $s_3(t)$

(hint: XOR-like operation)



If $a_1 = a_2$ then $a_3 = 1$ (logical "0")

If $a_1 = -a_2$ then $a_3 = -1$ (logical " 1")

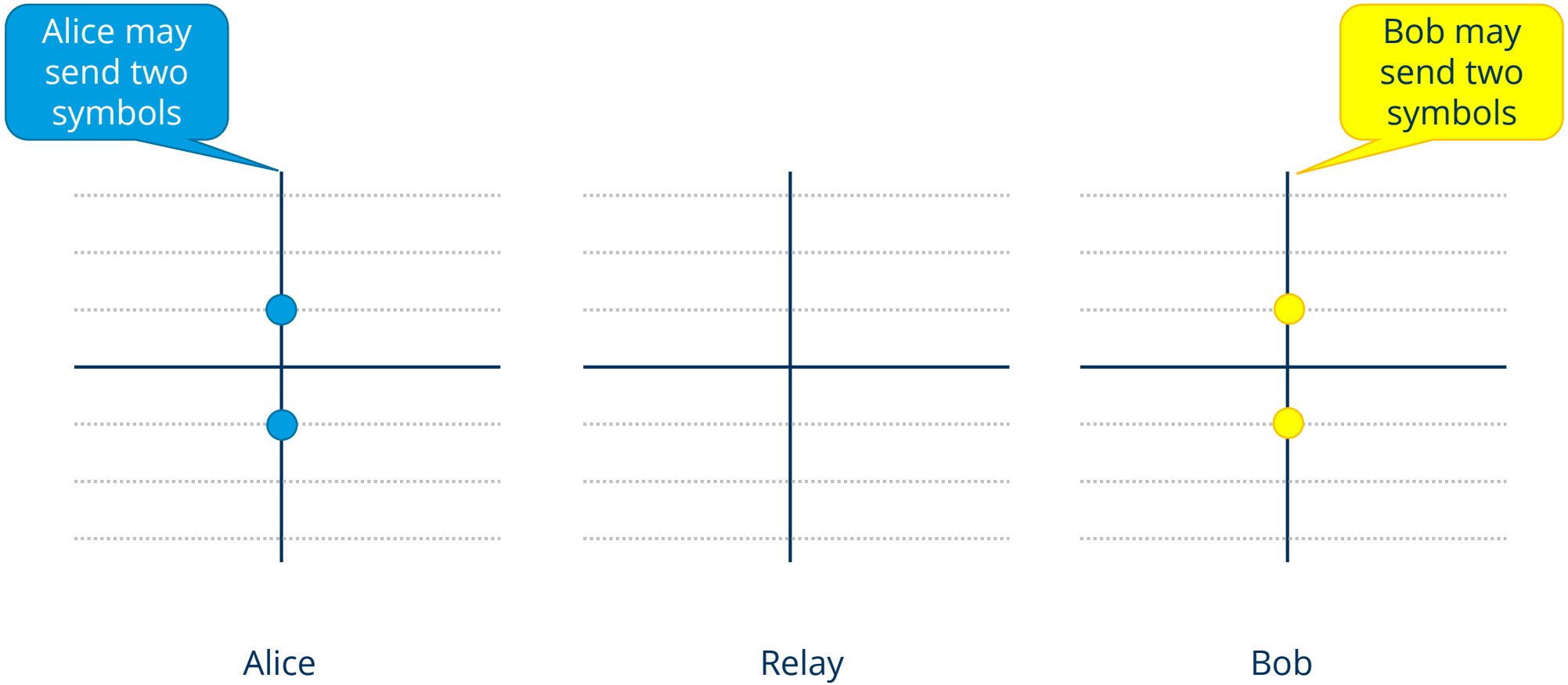
Alice and Bob receive as standard BPSK modulation

Then, *XOR bit by bit* with the sent packet

Physical Layer Network Coding

What if we A&F?

1st step – coding in the air



BPSK Example

Physical Layer Network Coding

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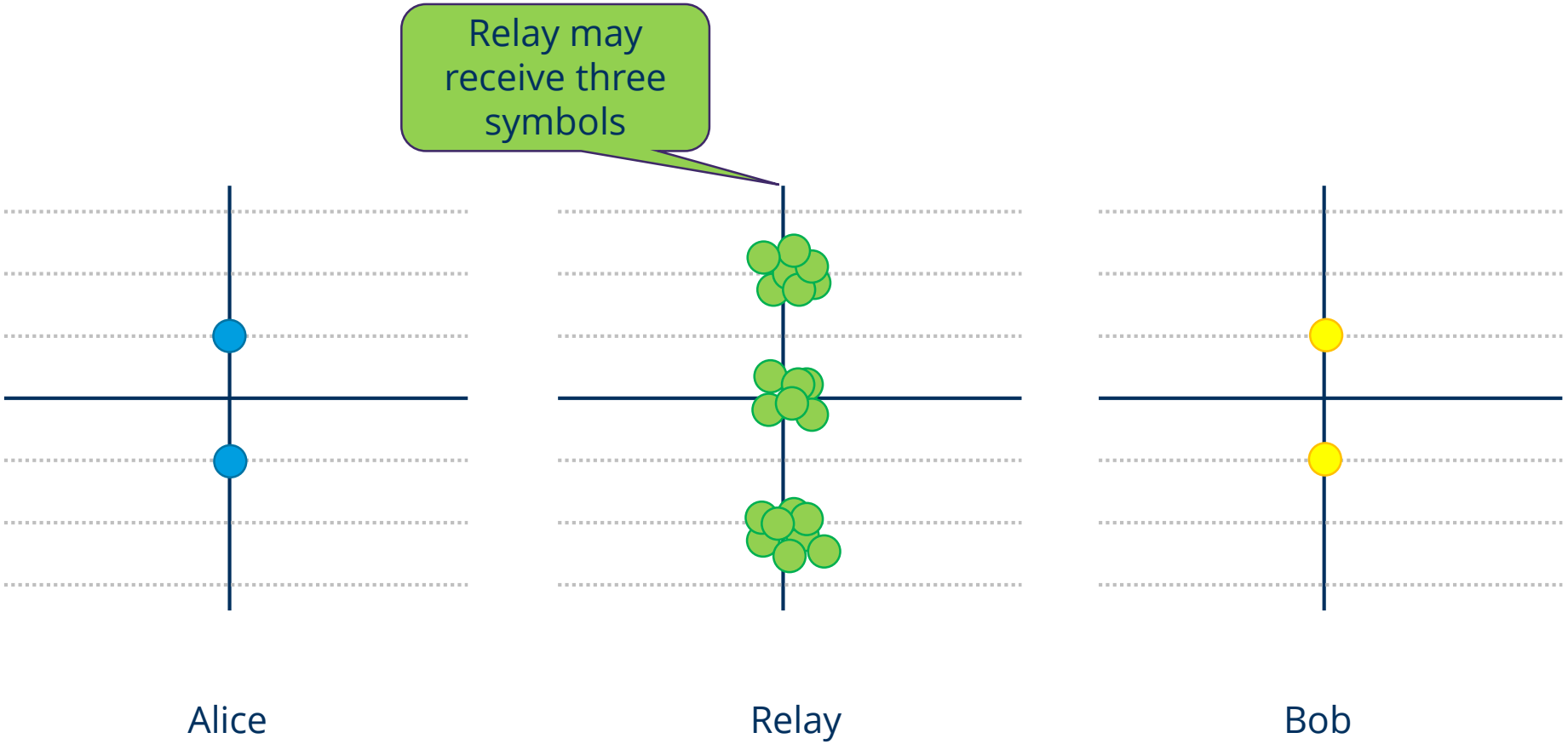
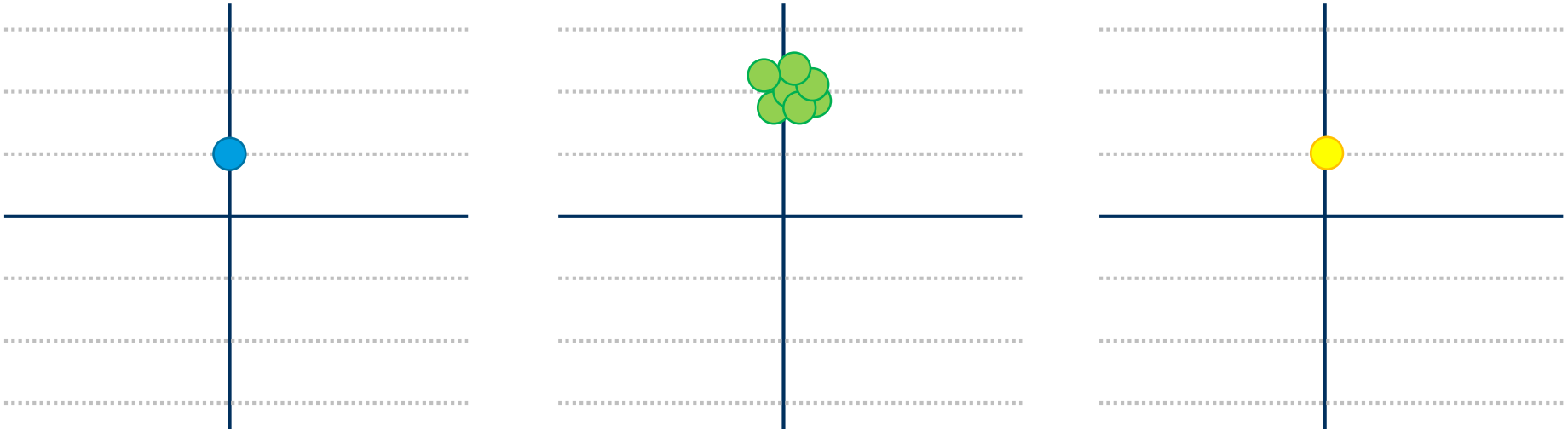


Physical Layer Network Coding

1st step – coding in the air – e.g. 1/1



Alice Relay Bob

Physical Layer Network Coding

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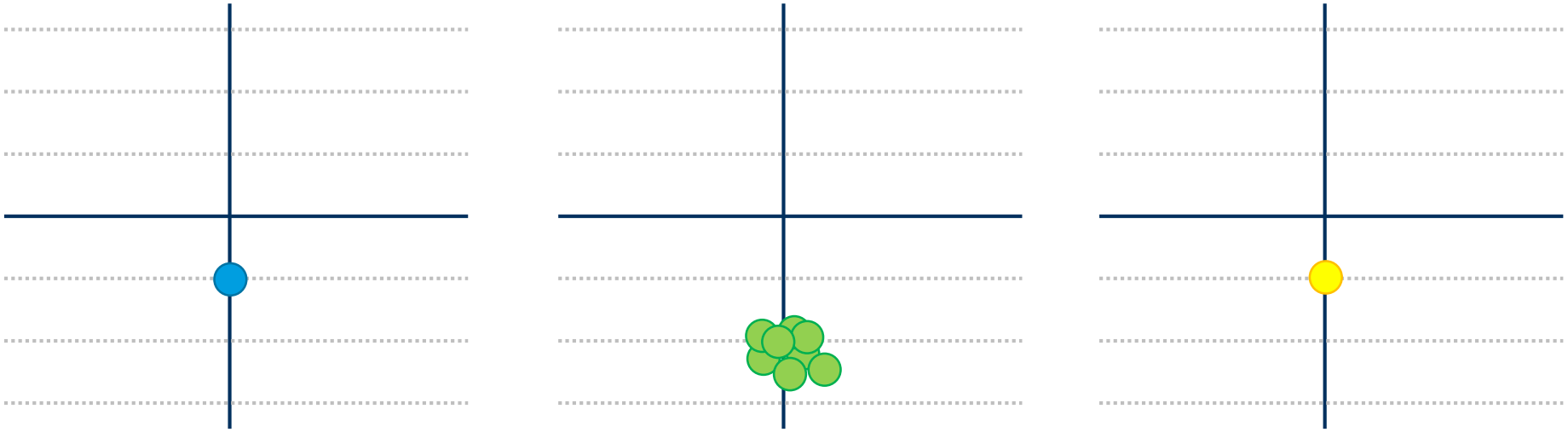

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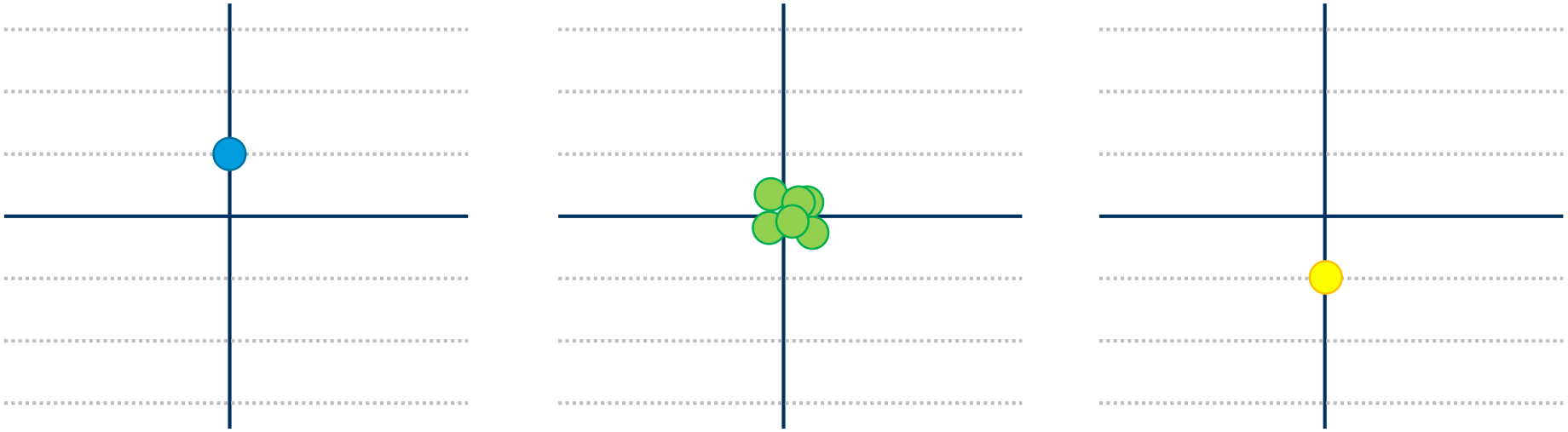

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Physical Layer Network Coding

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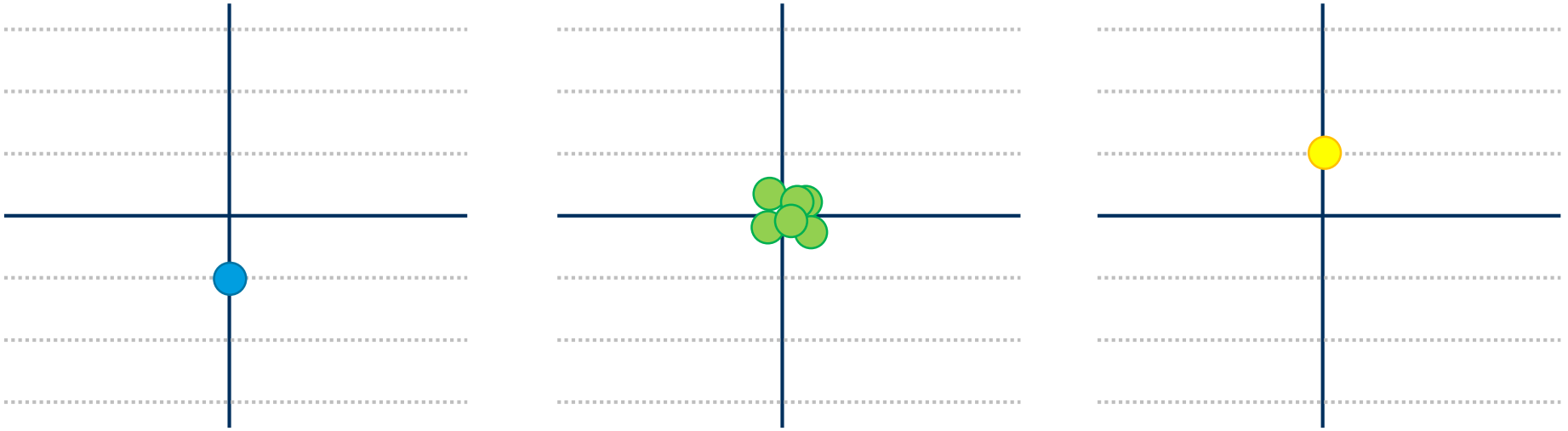

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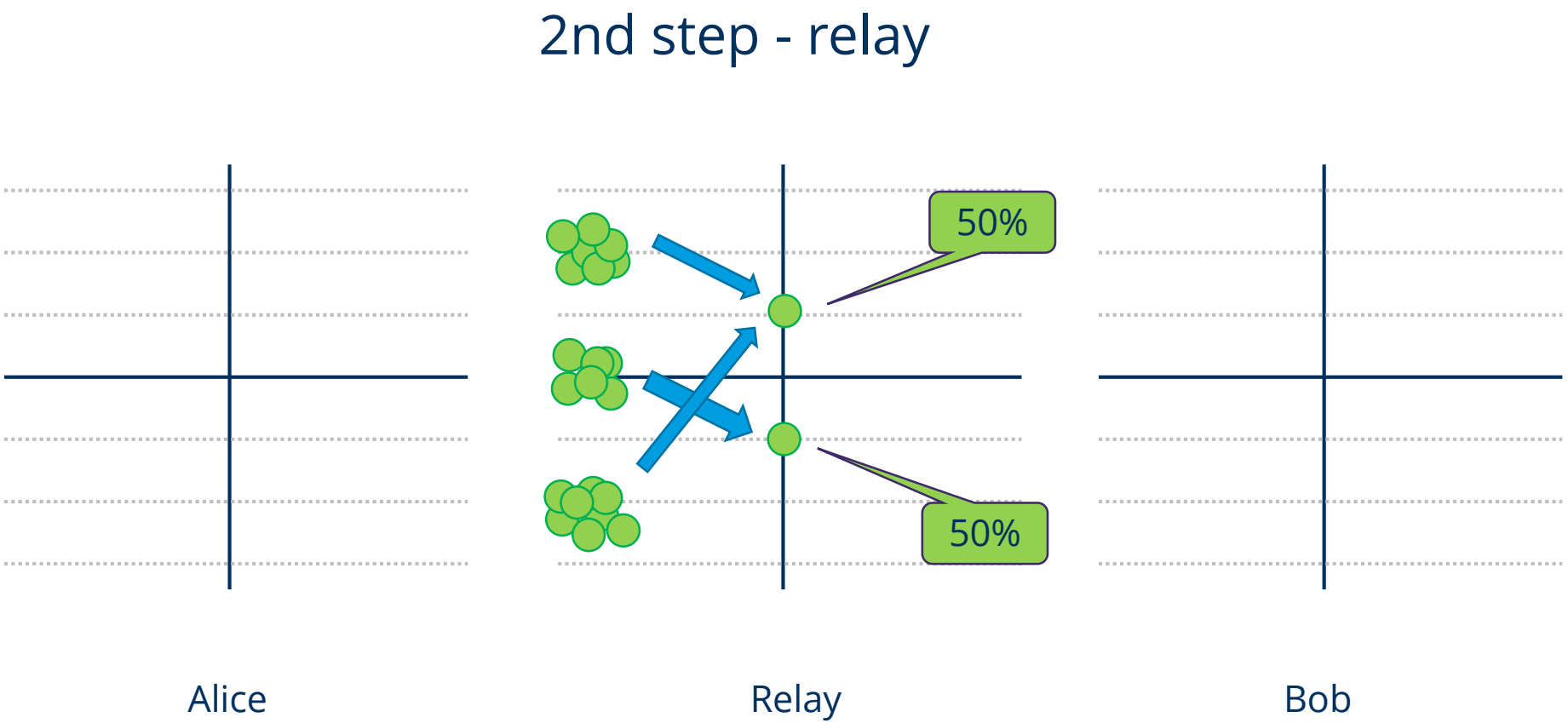
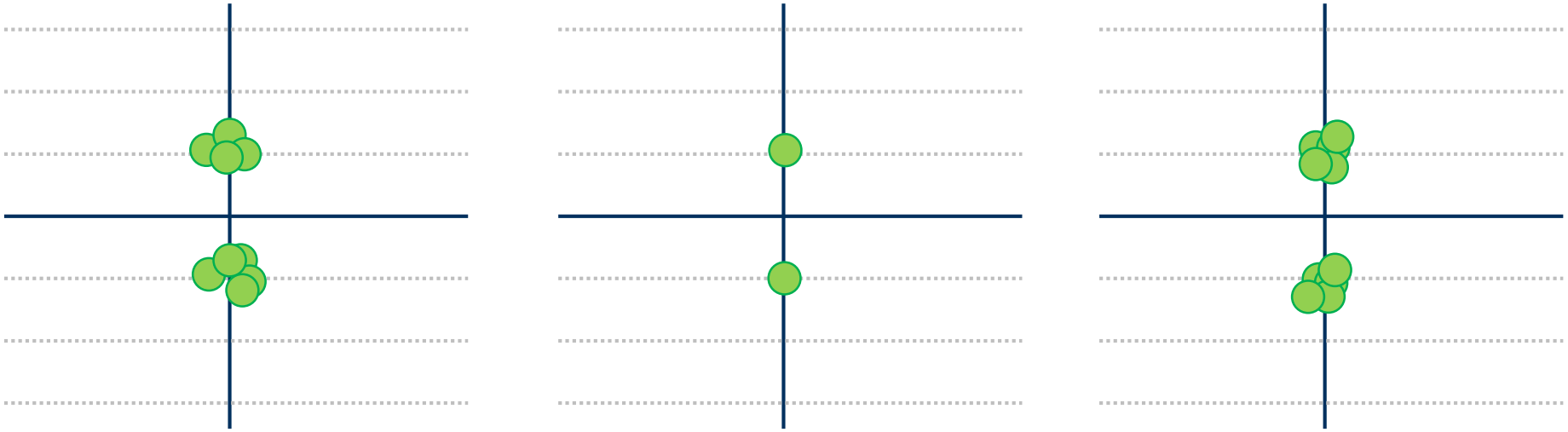


Physical Layer Network Coding

2nd step - relay



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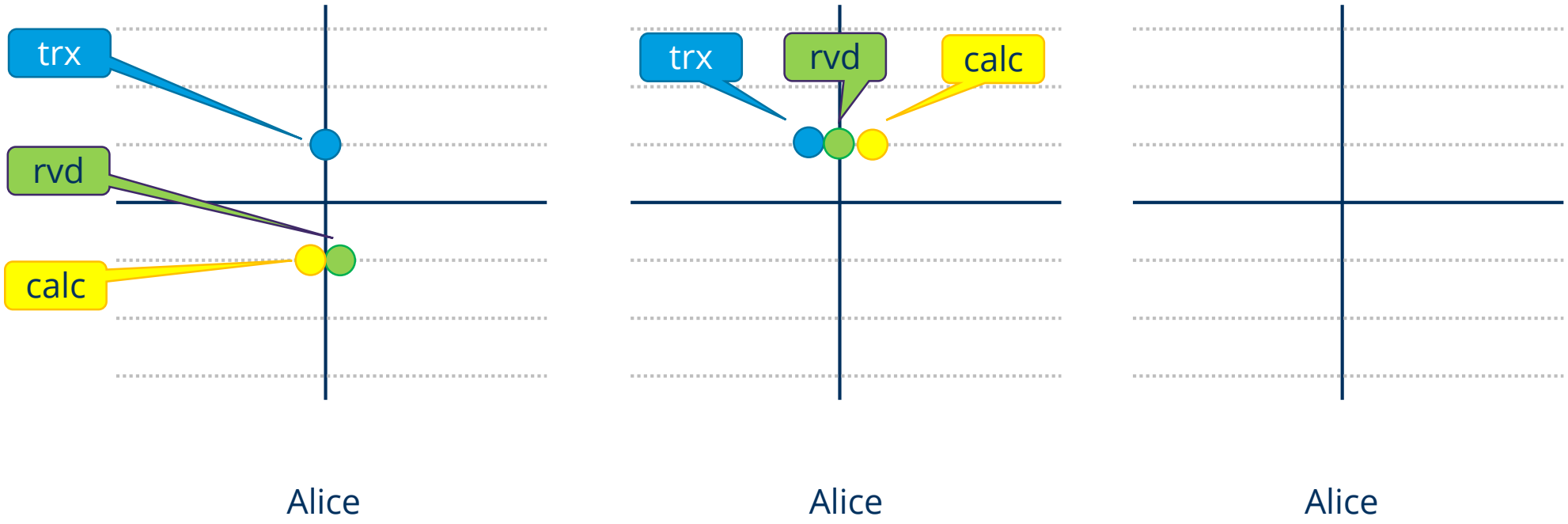
Physical Layer Network Coding

3rd step decoding



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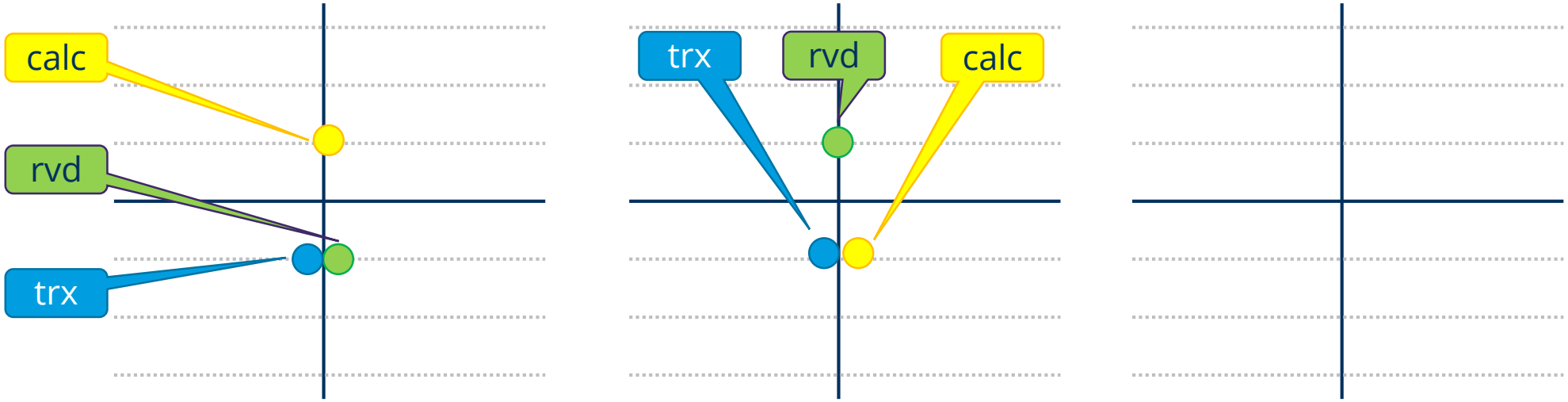


Alice Alice Alice

Analog Network Coding

What were our assumptions so far?

- No fading → there is amplitude + phase distortion
- Perfect sync
- Perfect detection of a collision
- Perfect knowledge of packet used for decoding at Alice and Bob
- The ”right” packets interfere (MAC / Network impact)

How to make it practical?

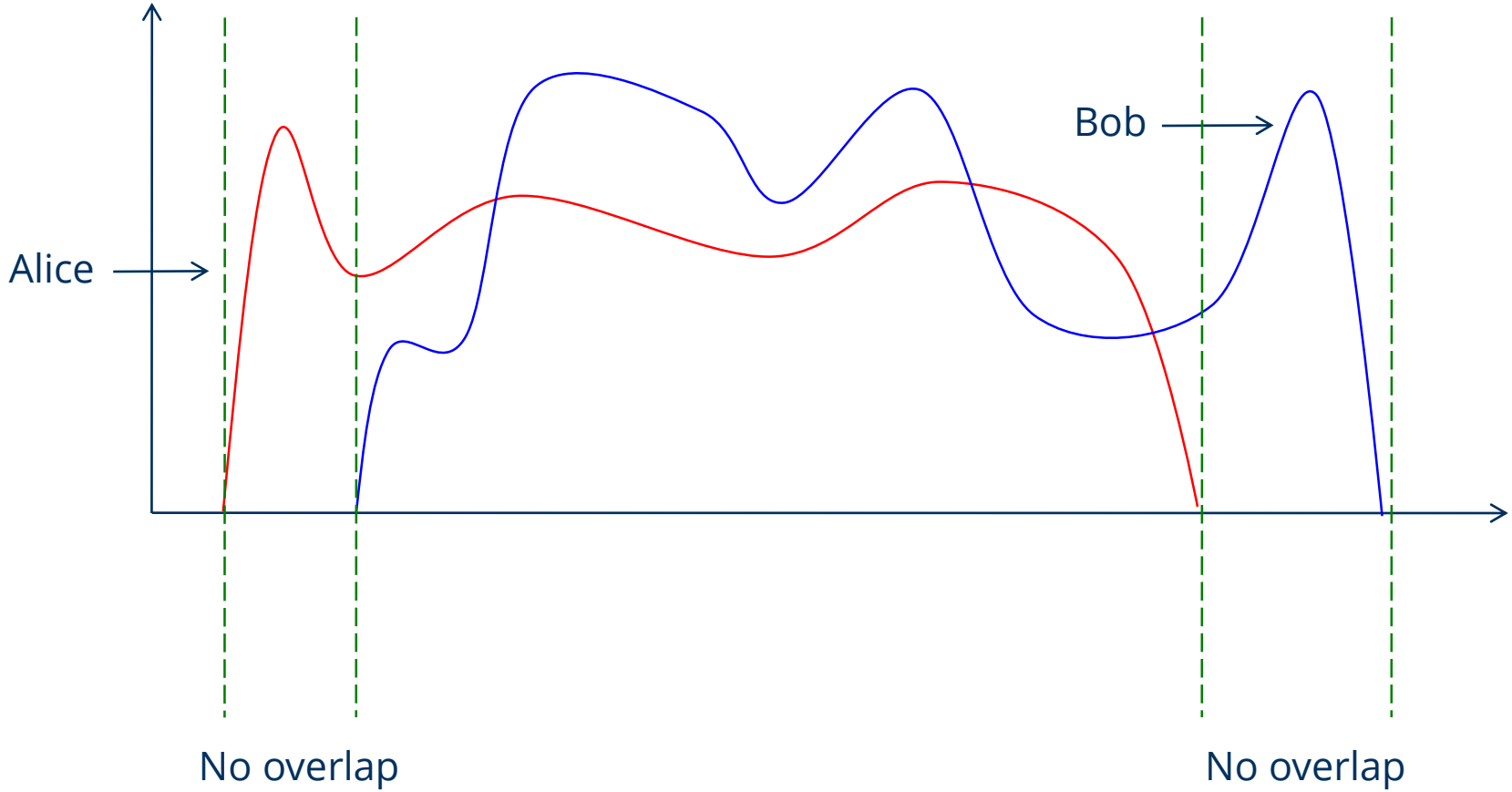
[Katti et al 2007] Analog network coding

[Gollakota et al 2008] ZigZag decoding

(different problem, similar intuition)

Analog Network Coding

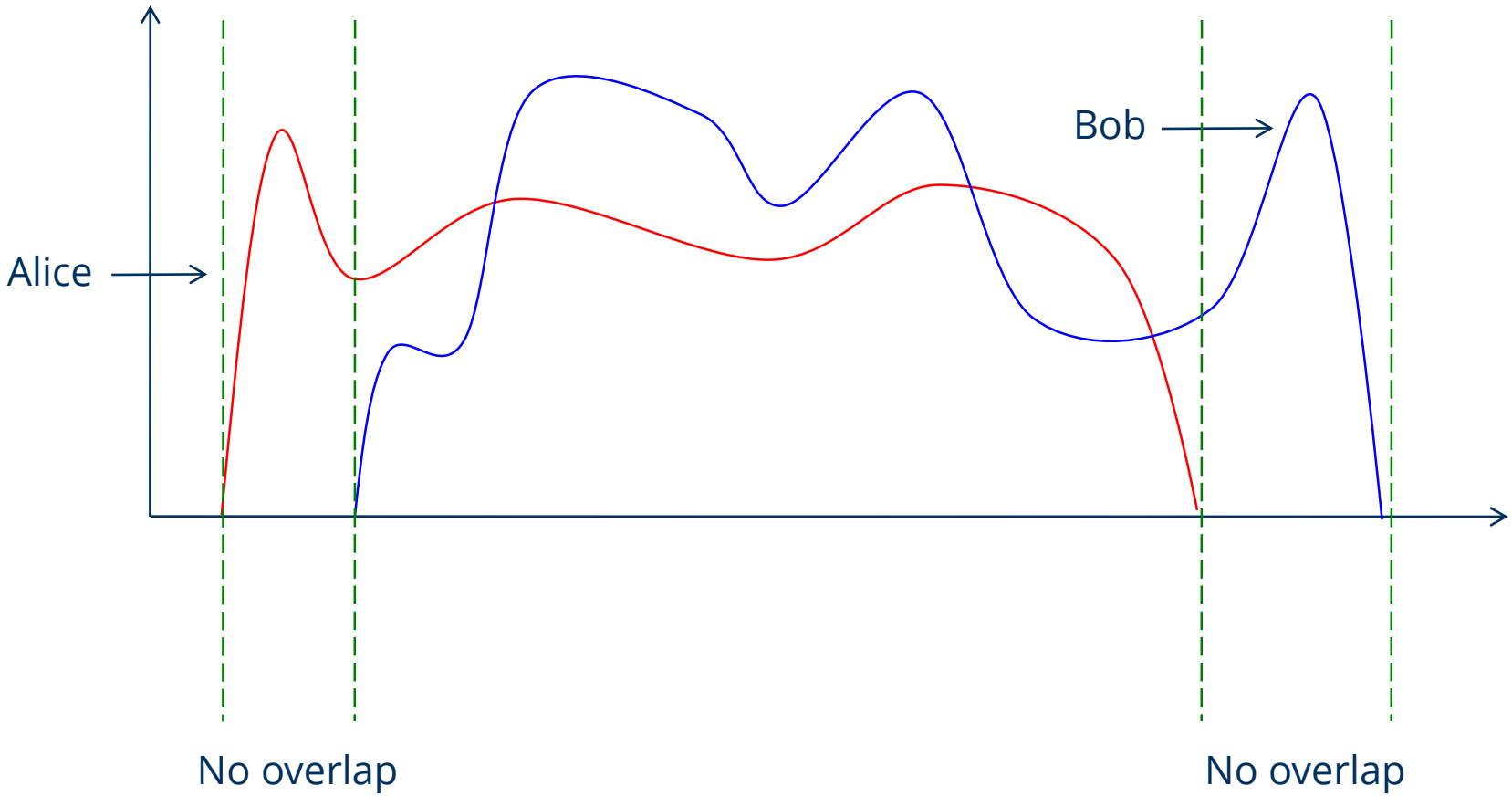
Key intuition: exploit asynchrony [Katti et al 2007]



Analog Network Coding

Pilot sequence: channel estimation ID of sender + destination + sequence number of the packet: active session and to determine which packet was used

Construct „header“ and „footer“ for each packet



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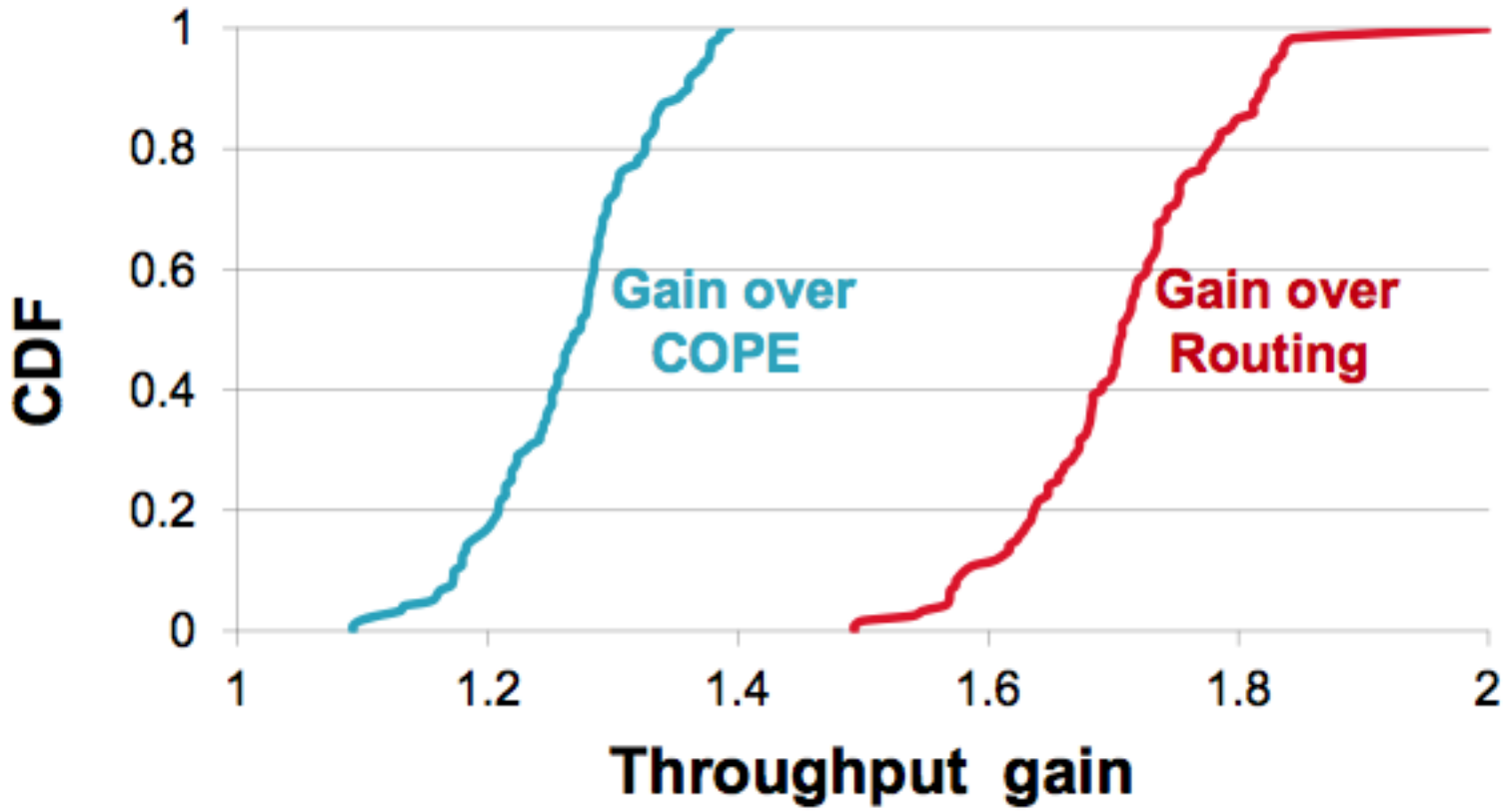


ZigZag Decoding

Draws from the same intuition as the above problem

Difference:

- More general setting
- A node can use it to recover several interfering signals (no knowledge required on its end)
- We need to receive n collisions of n packets to recover

Where is it useful?

- Hidden terminal problem
- In high SNR, to boost overall data rate from multiple sources to a single receiver [ParandehGheibi et al 2010]

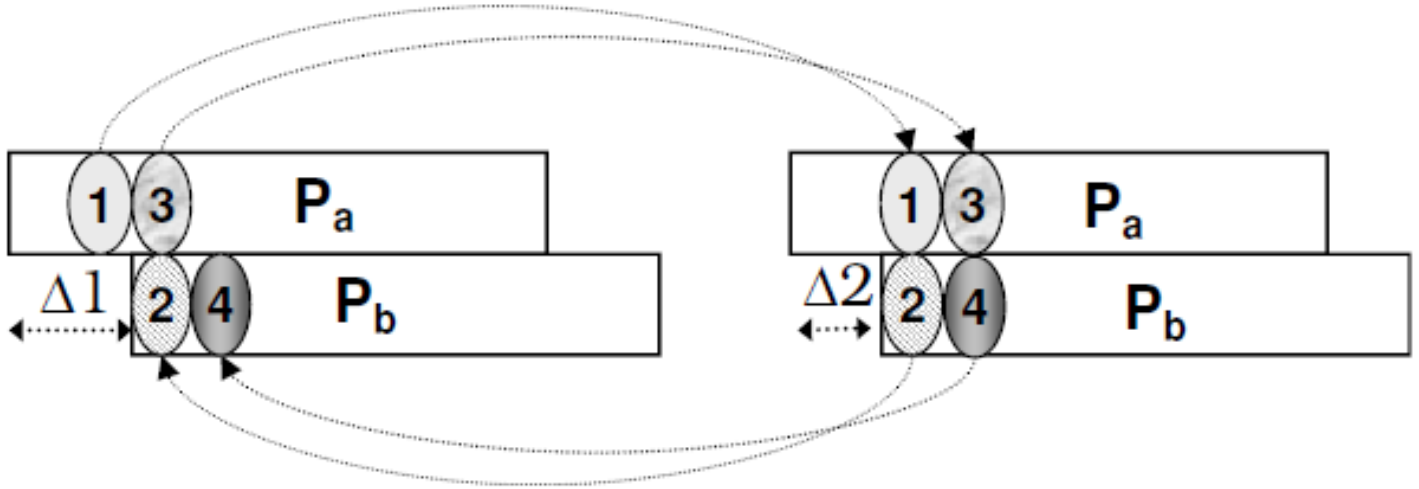
ZigZag Decoding: Basic Idea

Again: asynchrony

Chunk 1 of bits from user A from 1st collision is decoded successfully

Thus, can subtract it from 2nd collision to decode Chunk 2 of bits of user B

Once Chunk 2 is free, can use to free Chunk 3, and so on



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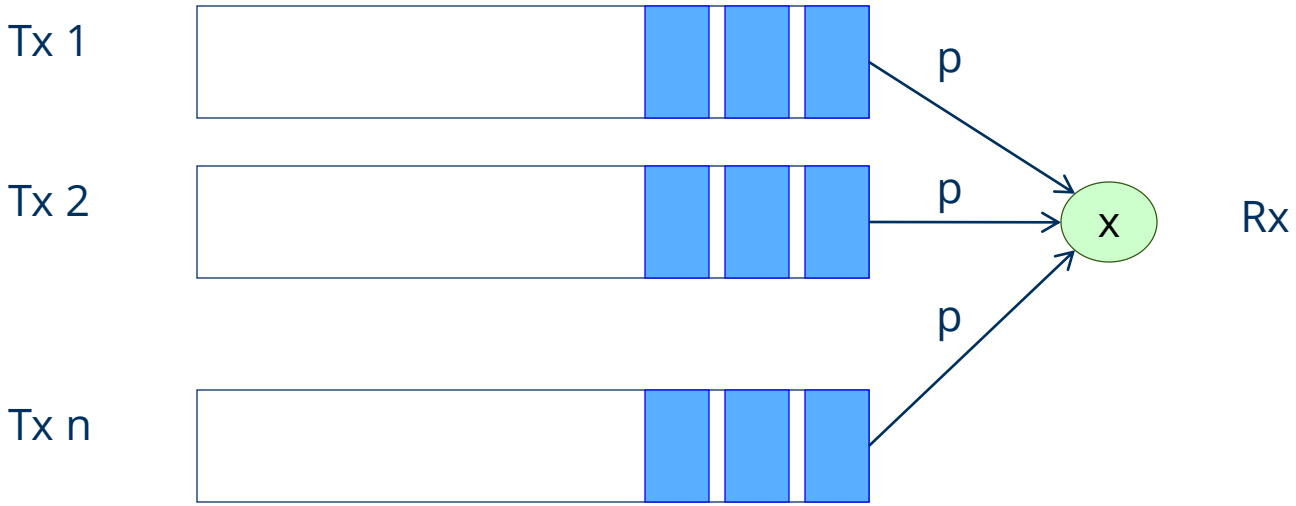

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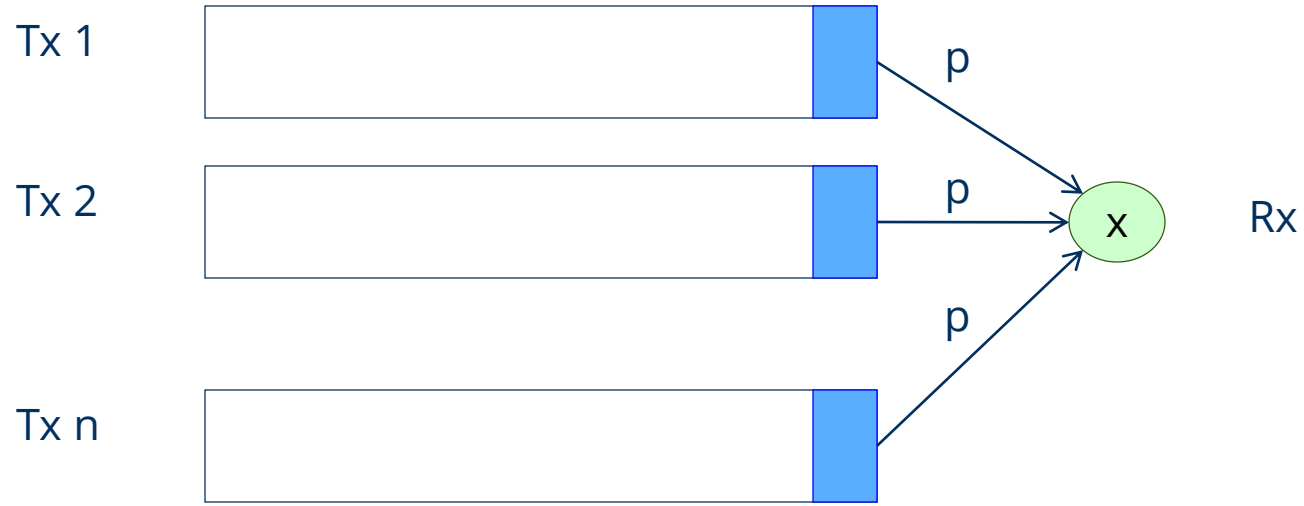

First result: Mean time to deliver one packet each

With zigzag: $$\frac{n}{1-p^n} \leq E[T_D] \leq \sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{1}{1-p^{n-i+1}}$$

Perfect scheduler (no collisions): $$E[T_D] = \frac{n}{1-p}$$

p = ½, n = 3
ZZ: 4+
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http://arxiv.org/pdf/1001.1948v1.pdf

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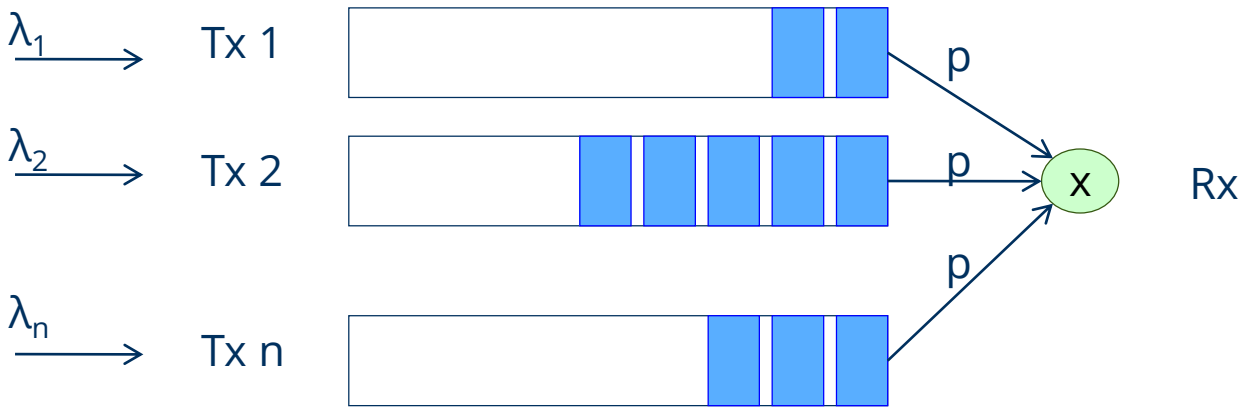
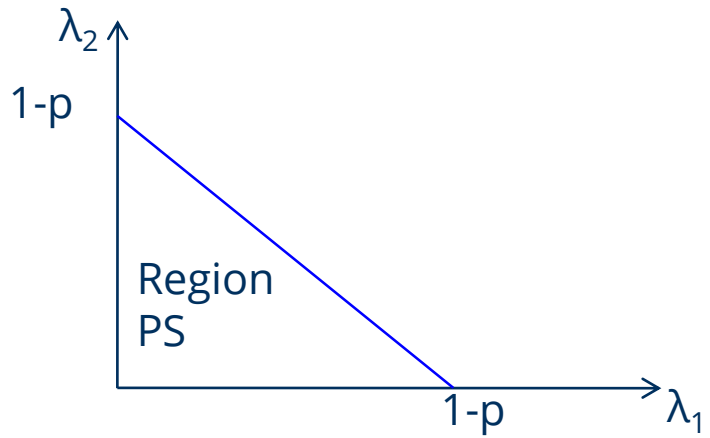
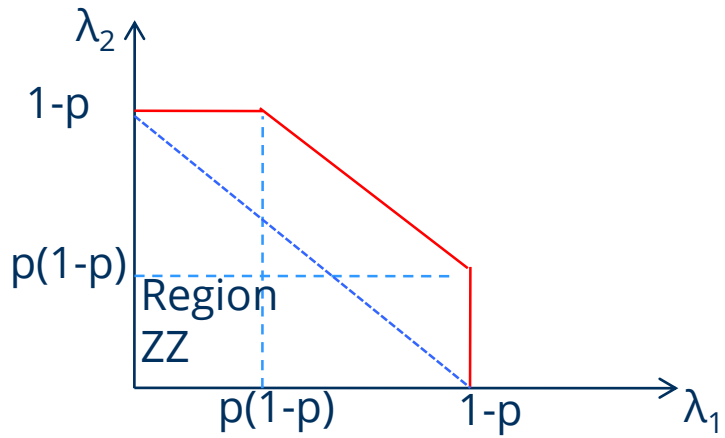


Second result: Stable throughput increases





Coded Access

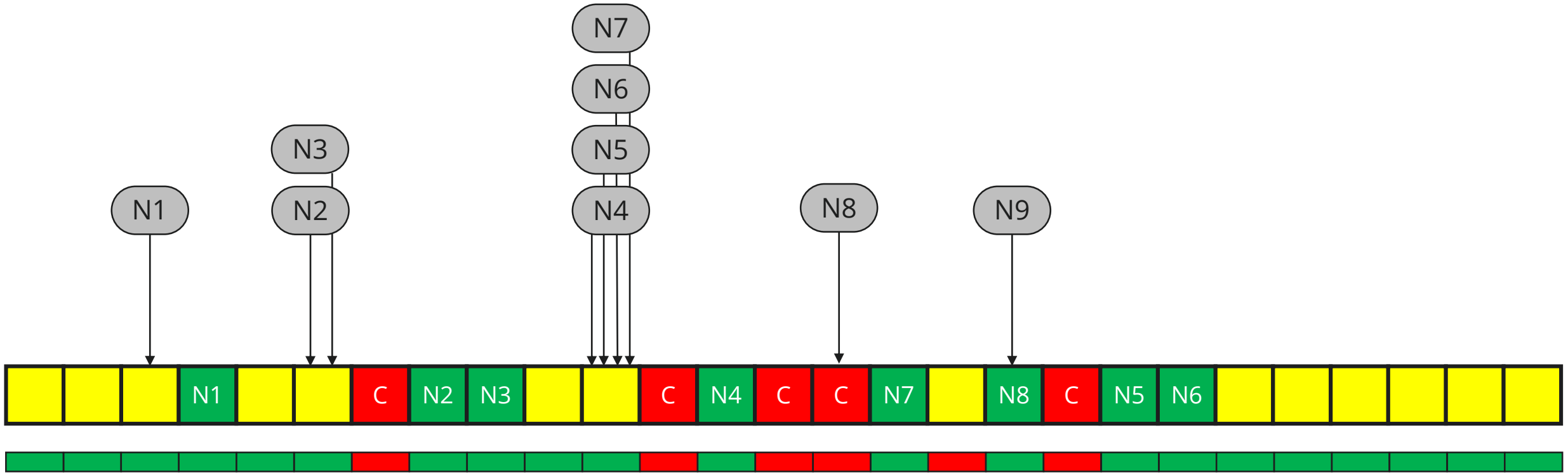
Multiple Access SoA

Random access was the key to get access to the wireless channel

In time slotted systems

- Idle slots: nobody was transmitting
- One transmission: successful access to the resources
- More than one transmission: Collision

SoA Multiple Access



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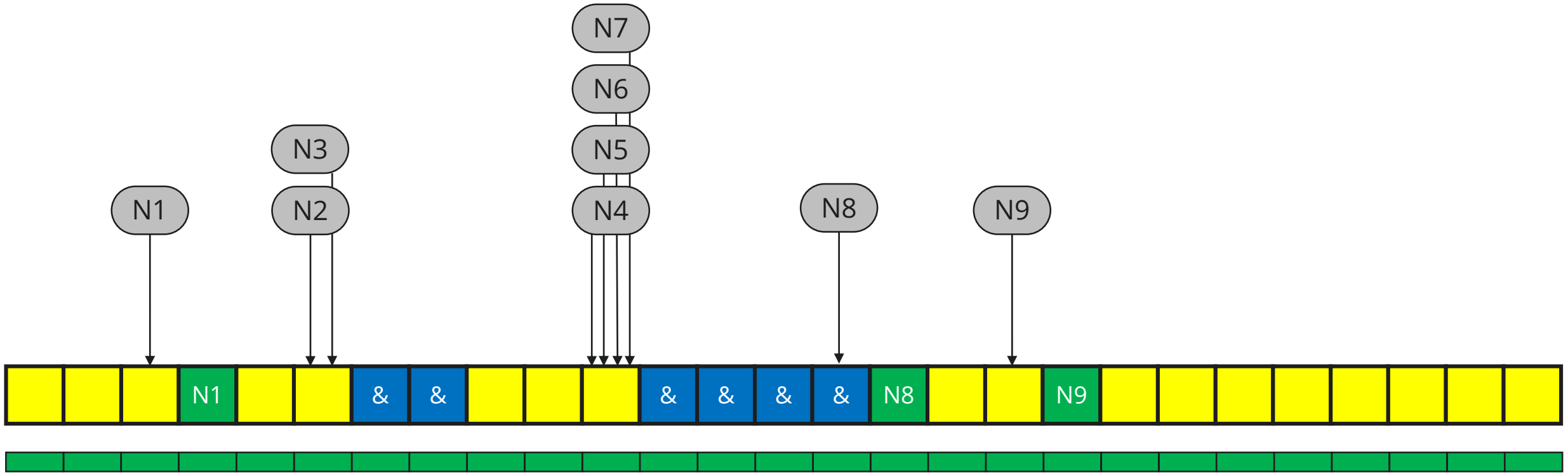

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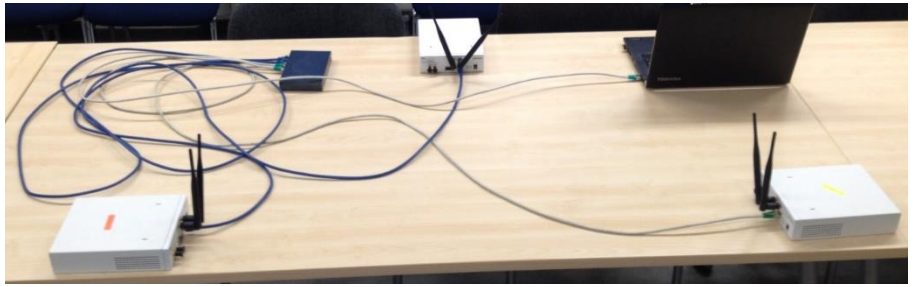

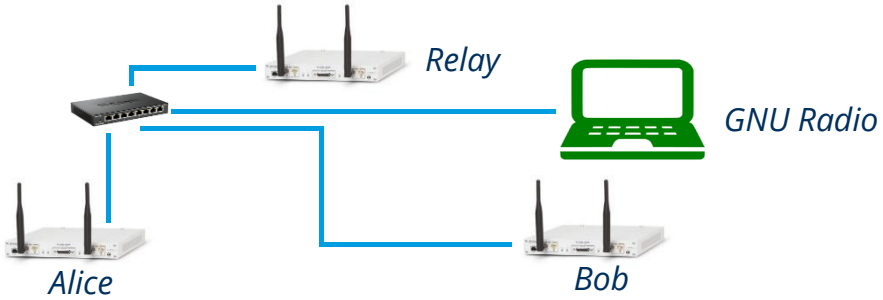

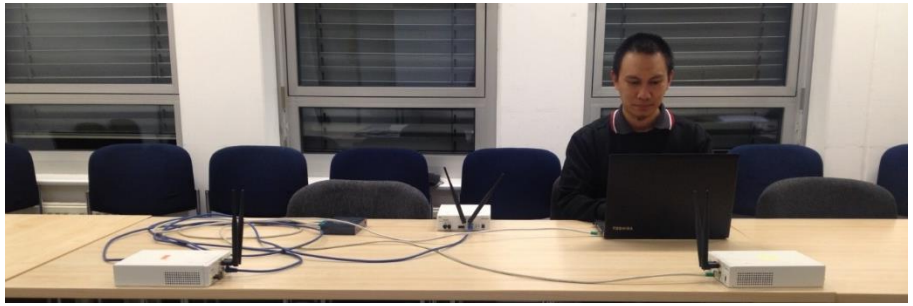

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- With GNU Radio you can simulate, prototype, and deploy, all from the same workflow

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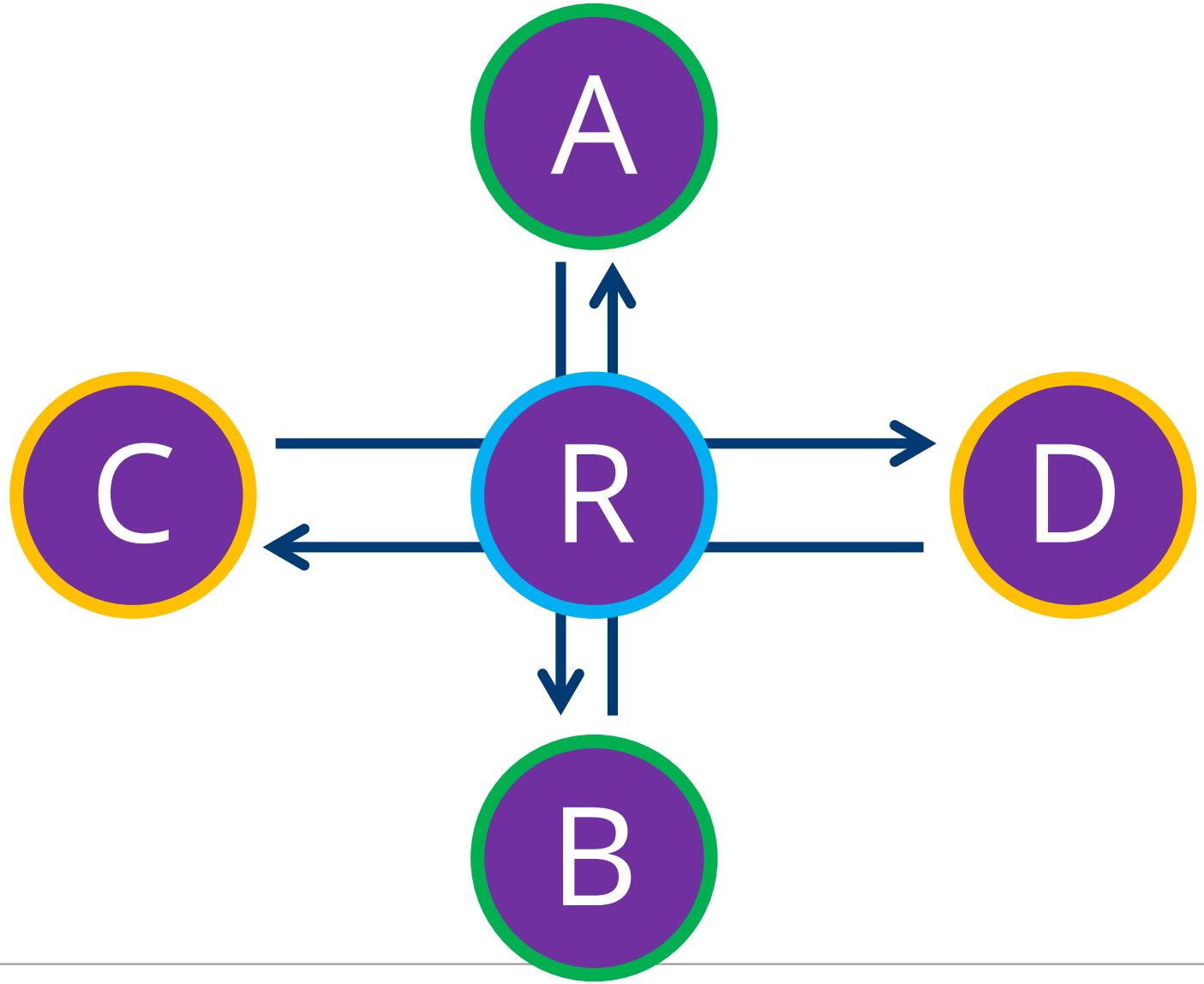
ANC for cross topologies

Cross Topology ANC without Overhearing



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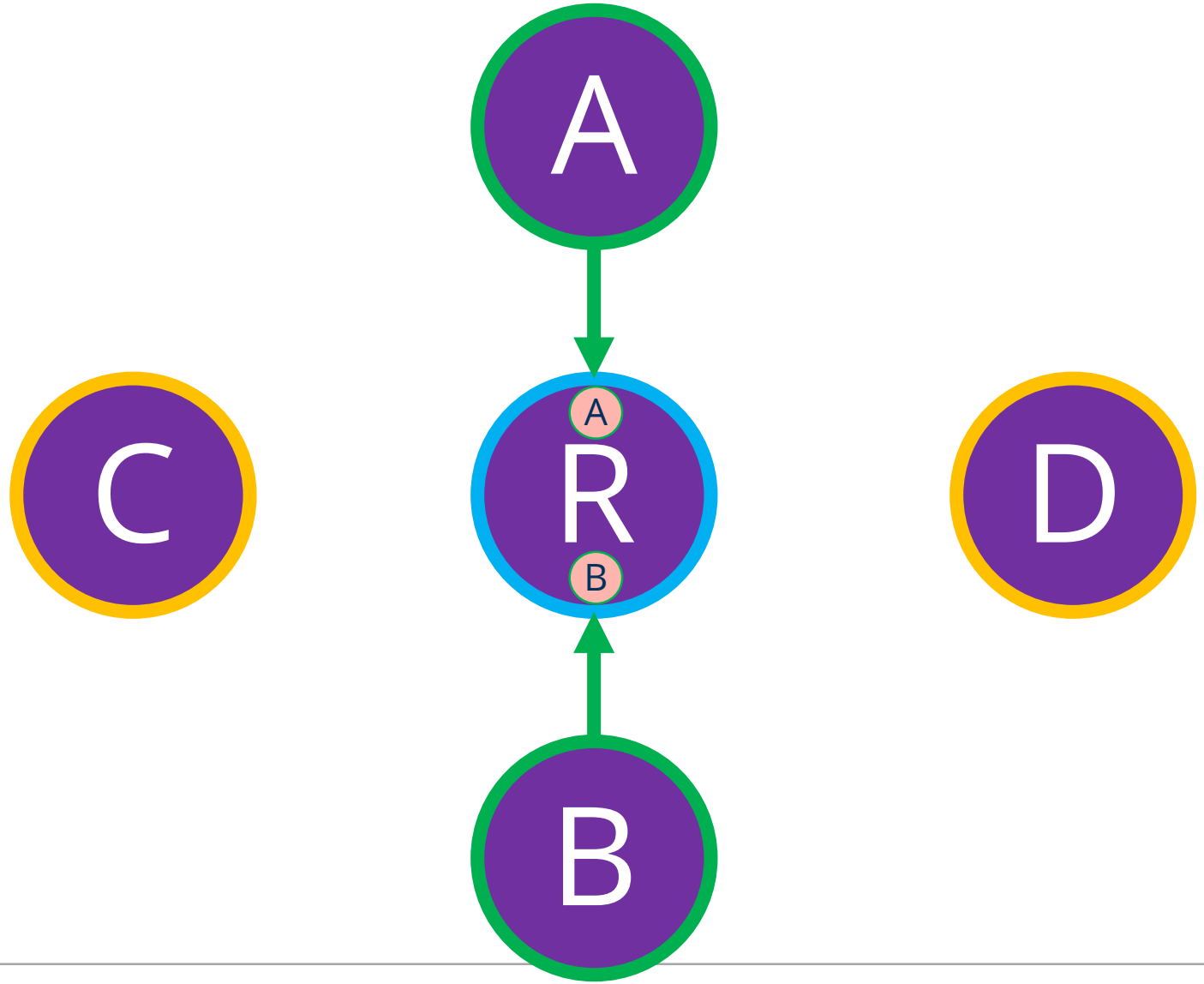

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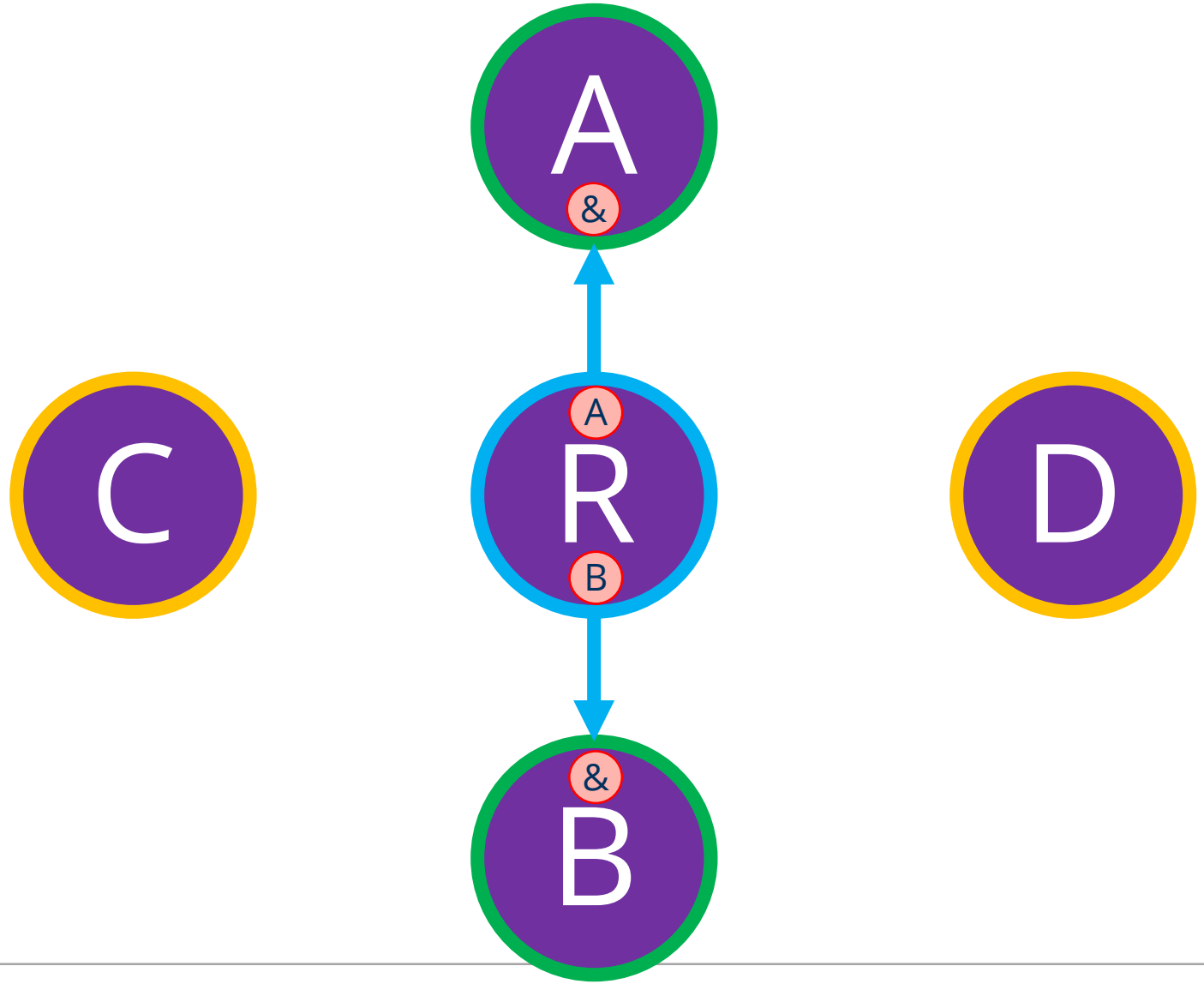

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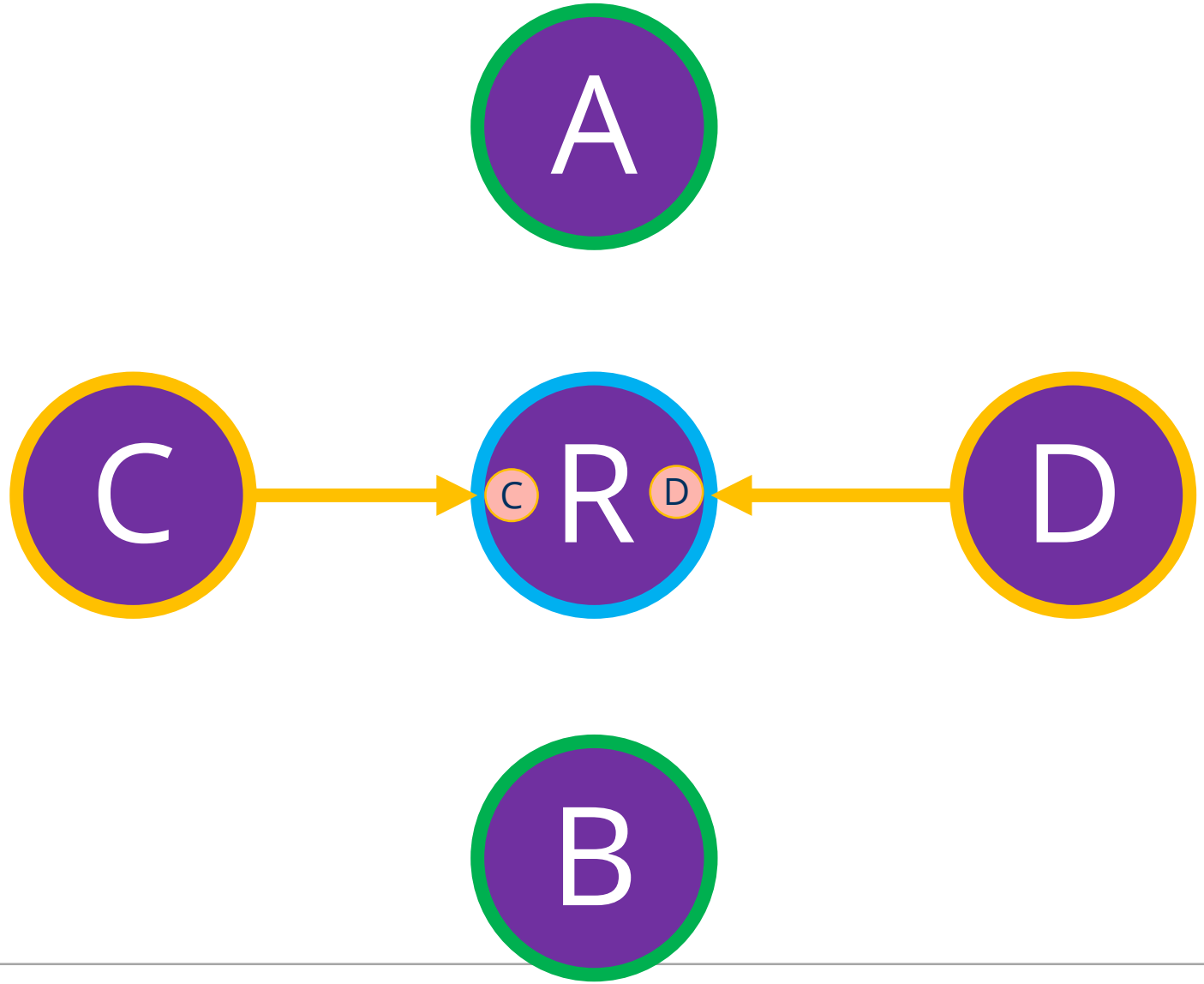

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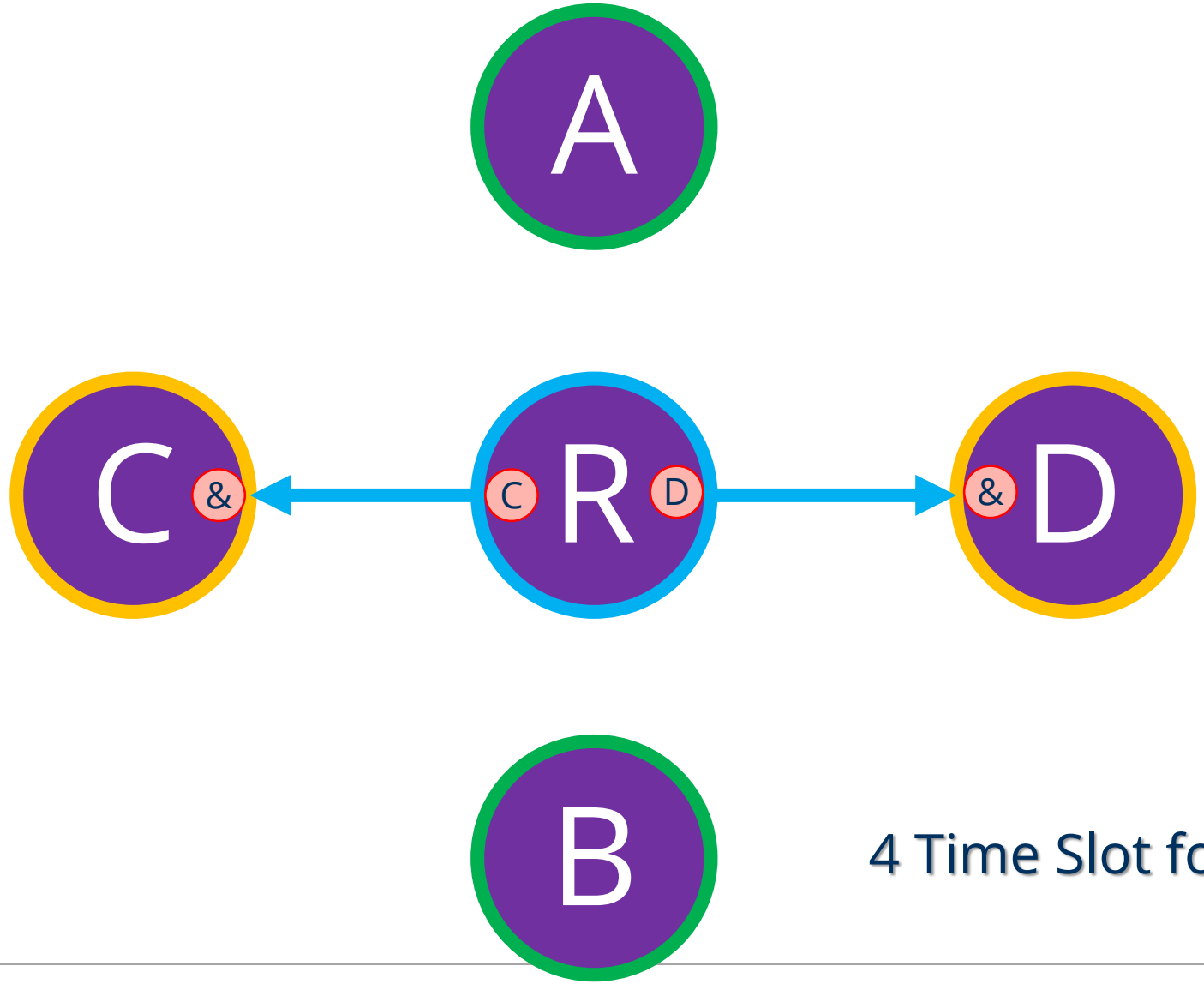

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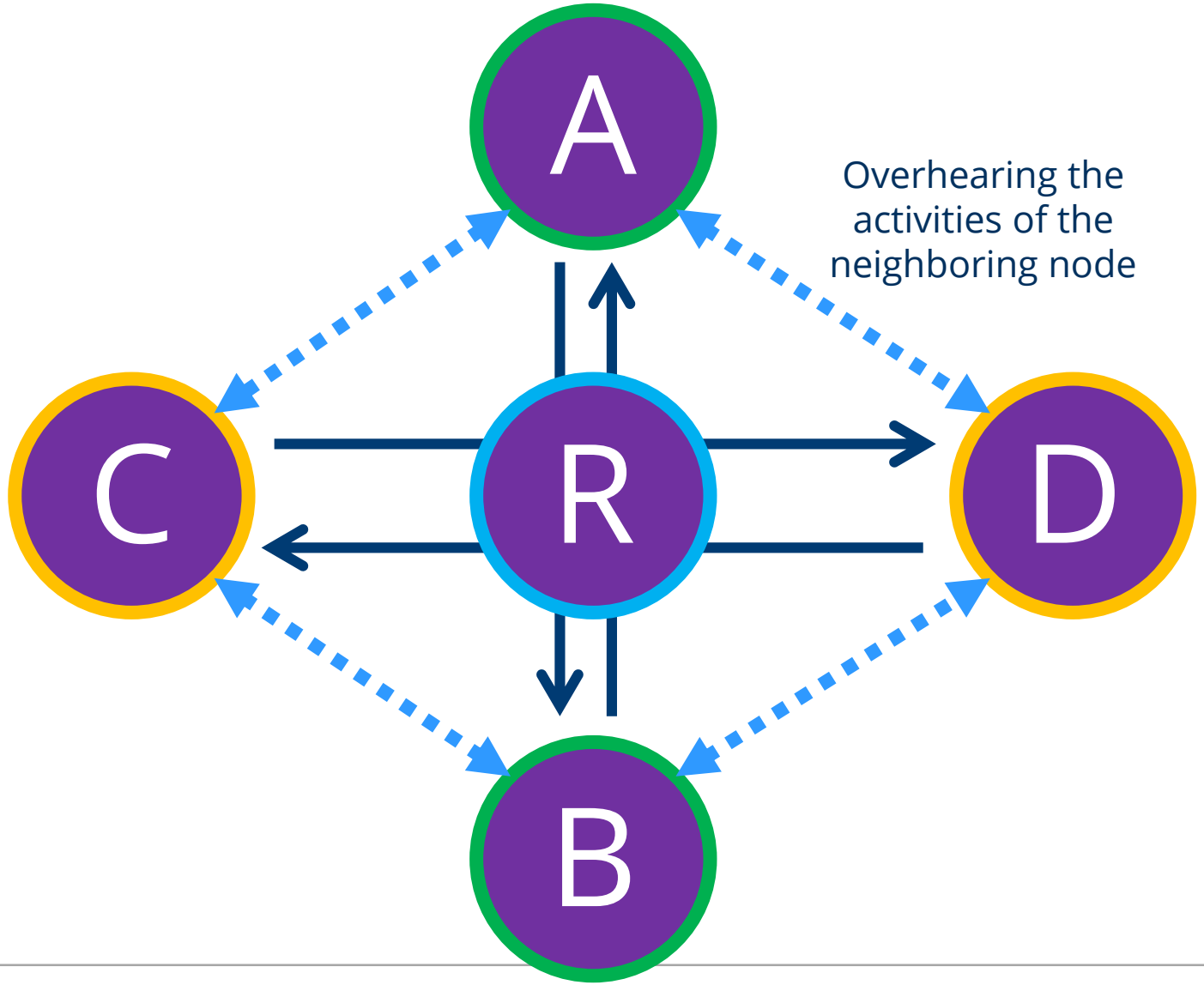

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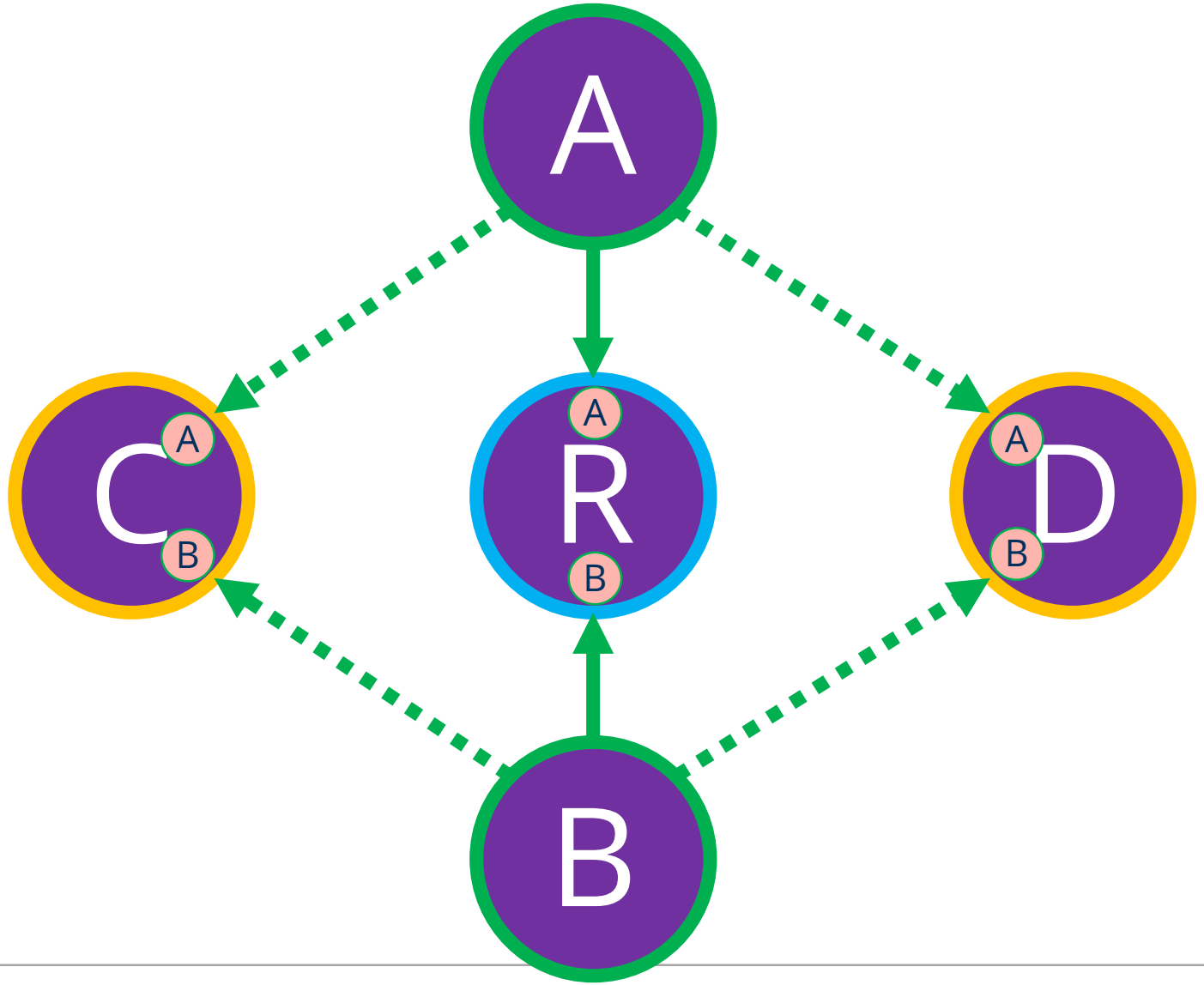

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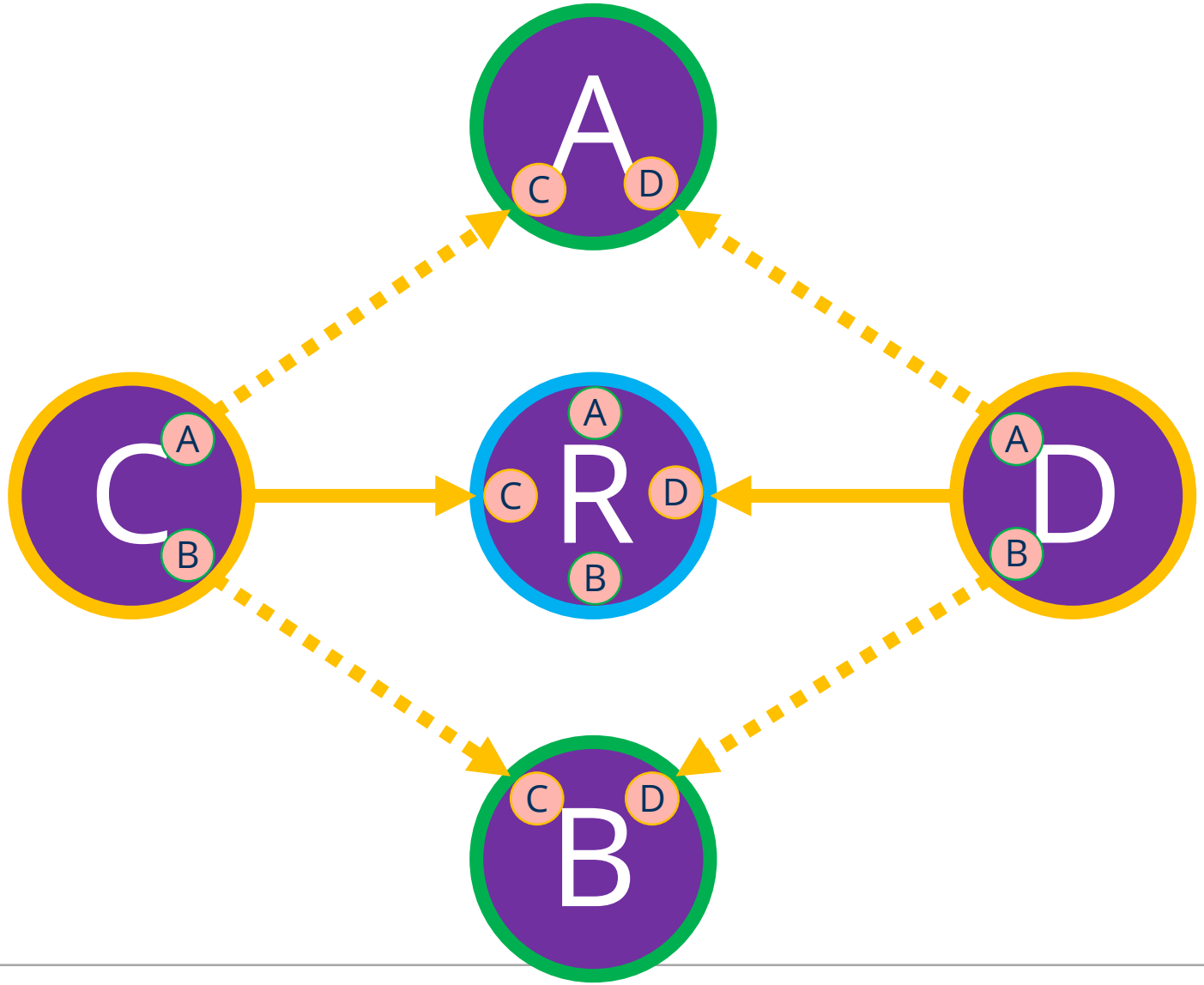

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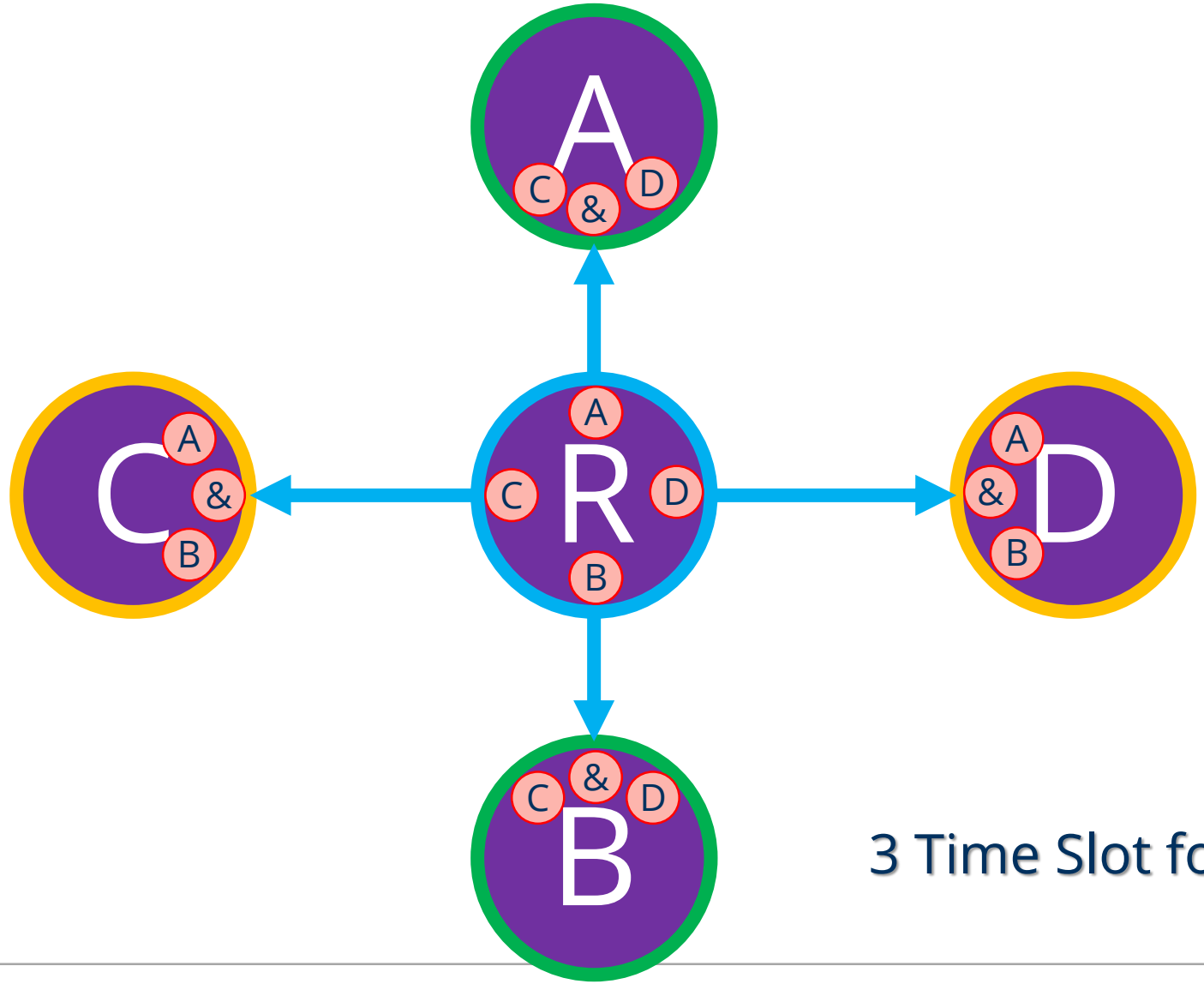

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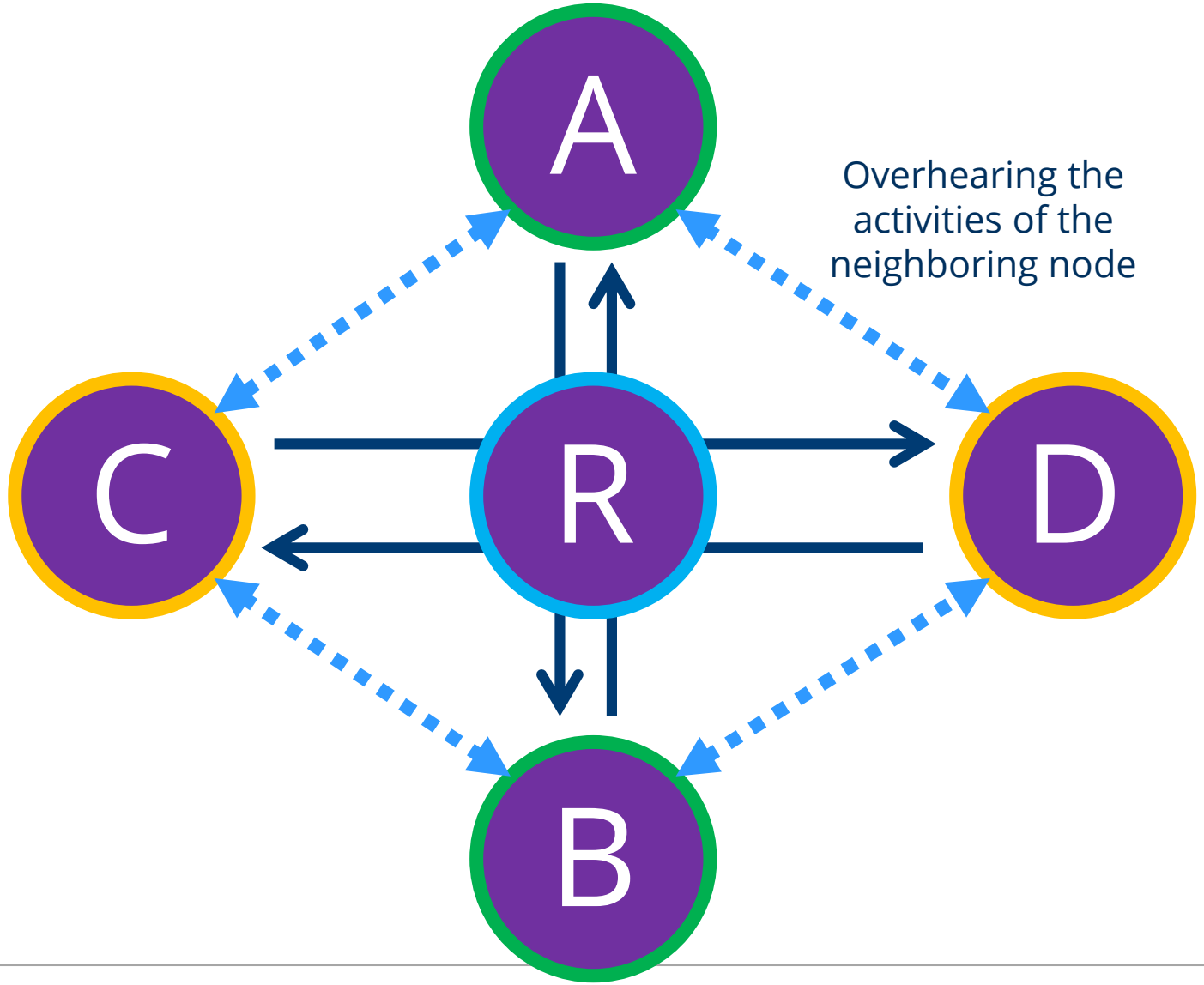

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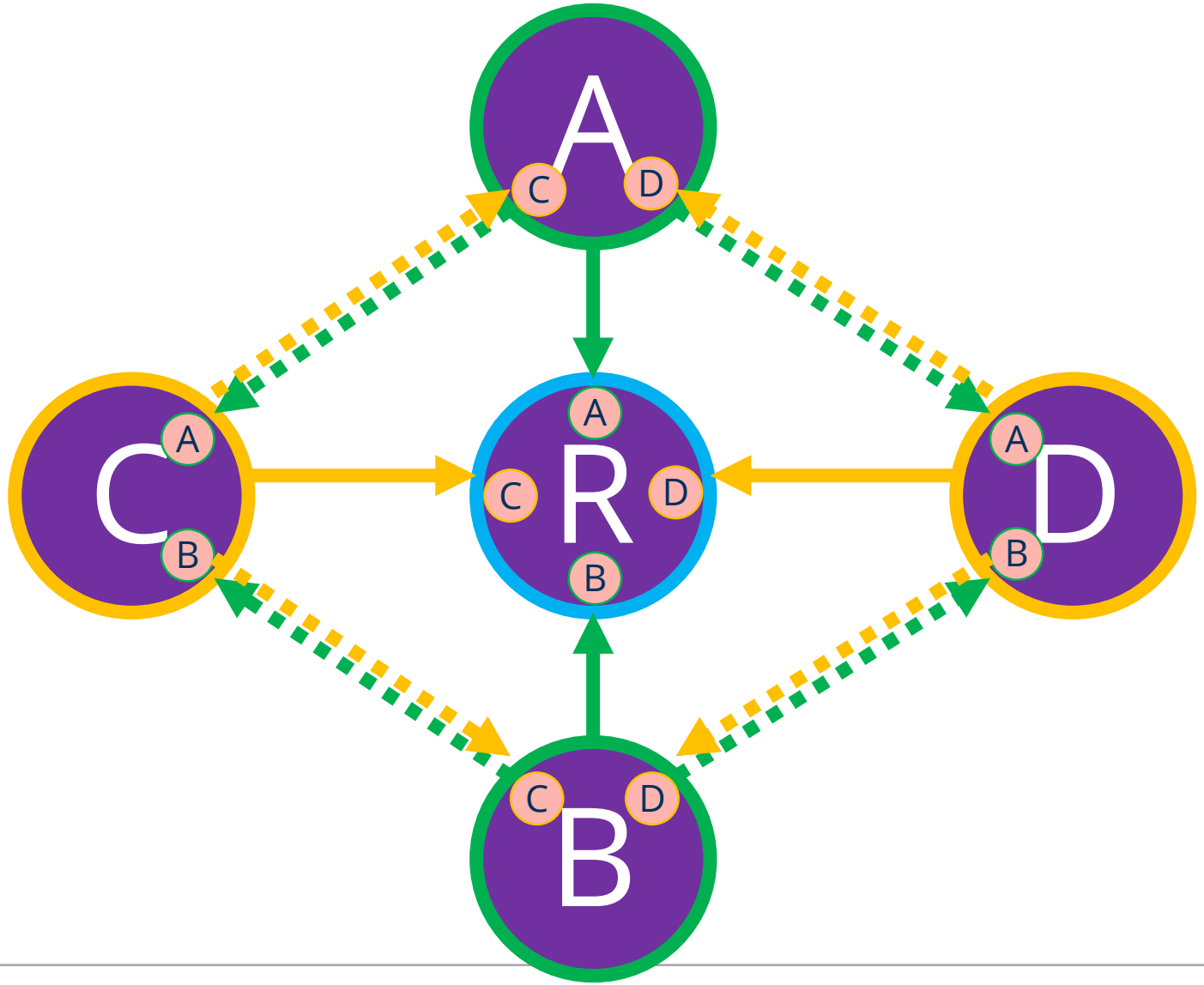

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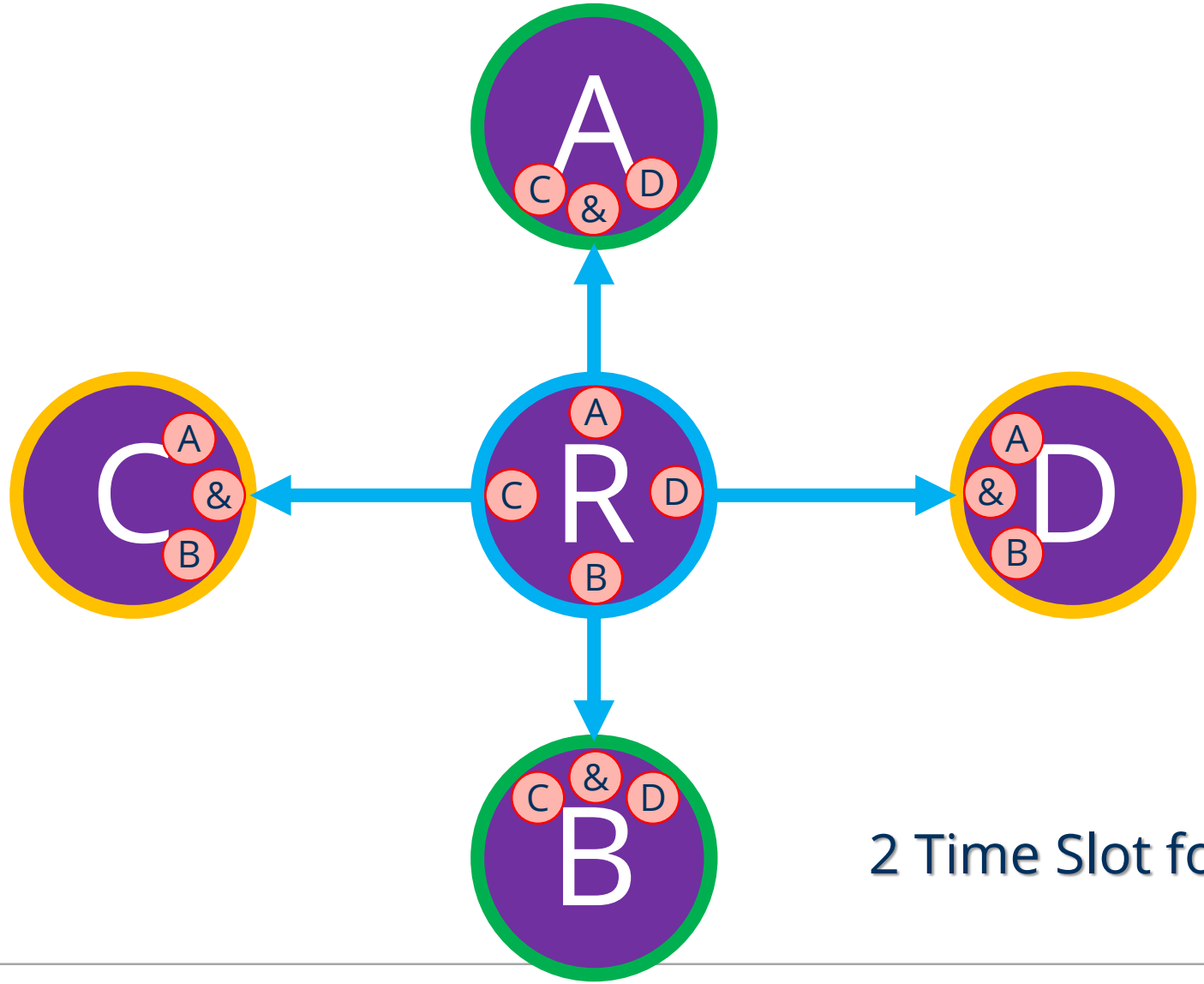

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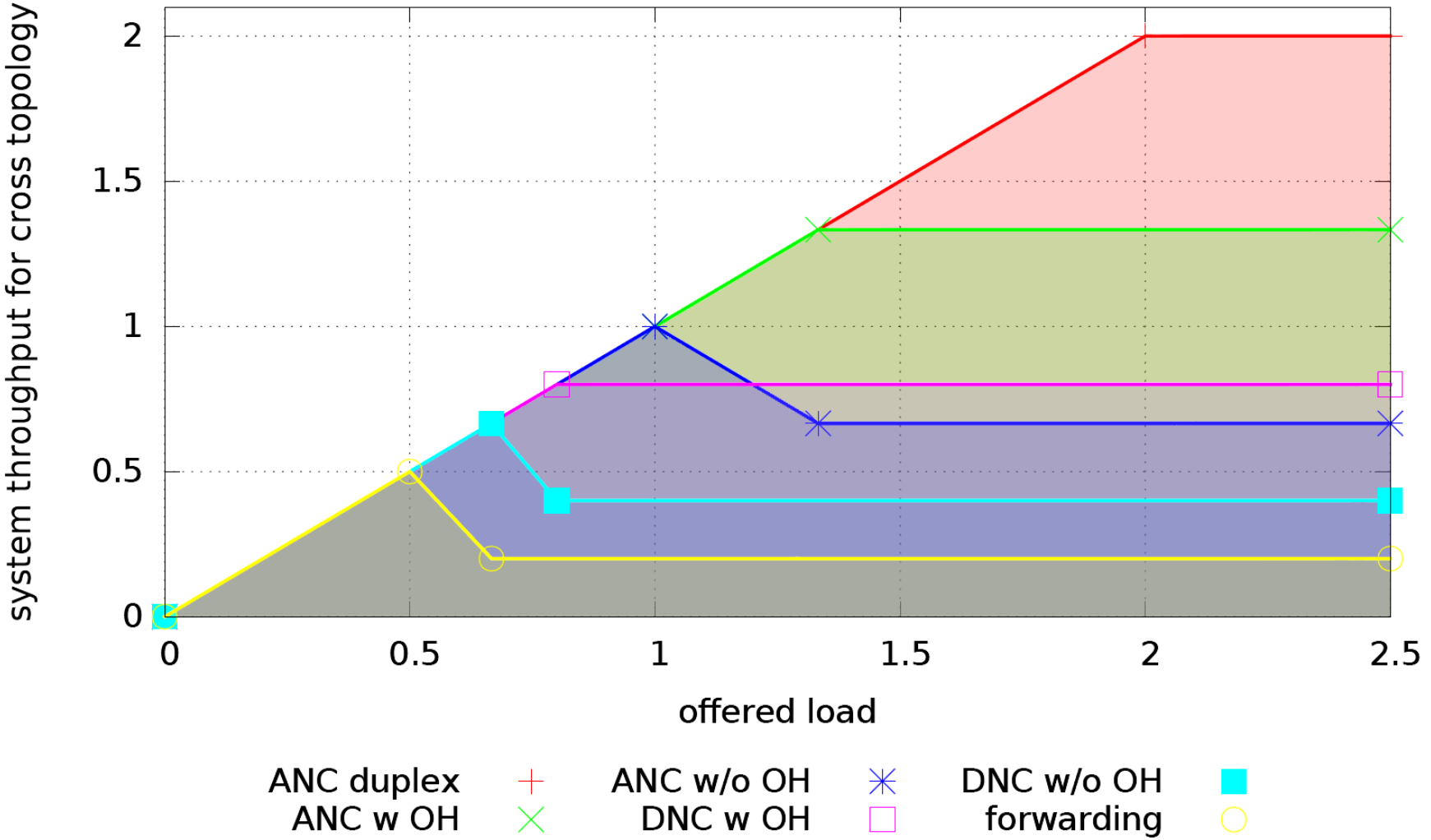

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Motivation

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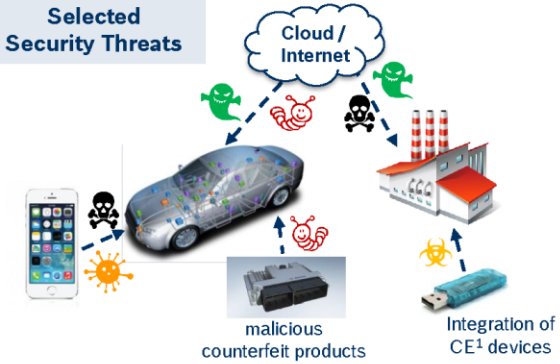
- Current trends (e.g., Cloud/Internet connectivity) lead to novel & serious security threats
- Today's CAN networks are often hardly secured
- Cryptographic methods may help (e.g., message / entity authentication)

? **But: Distribution of cryptographic keys between devices as a major challenge**

Selected Security Threats



Our Idea: Novel approach for completely automated & secure key distribution of very low complexity for CAN networks ("plug-and-secure")

- **Potential building block and enabler for future secure CAN networks**
- **Especially suitable against software-based & remote attack scenarios**
- **Basic Idea: Exploit special properties of CAN bus (dominant / recessive bits)**

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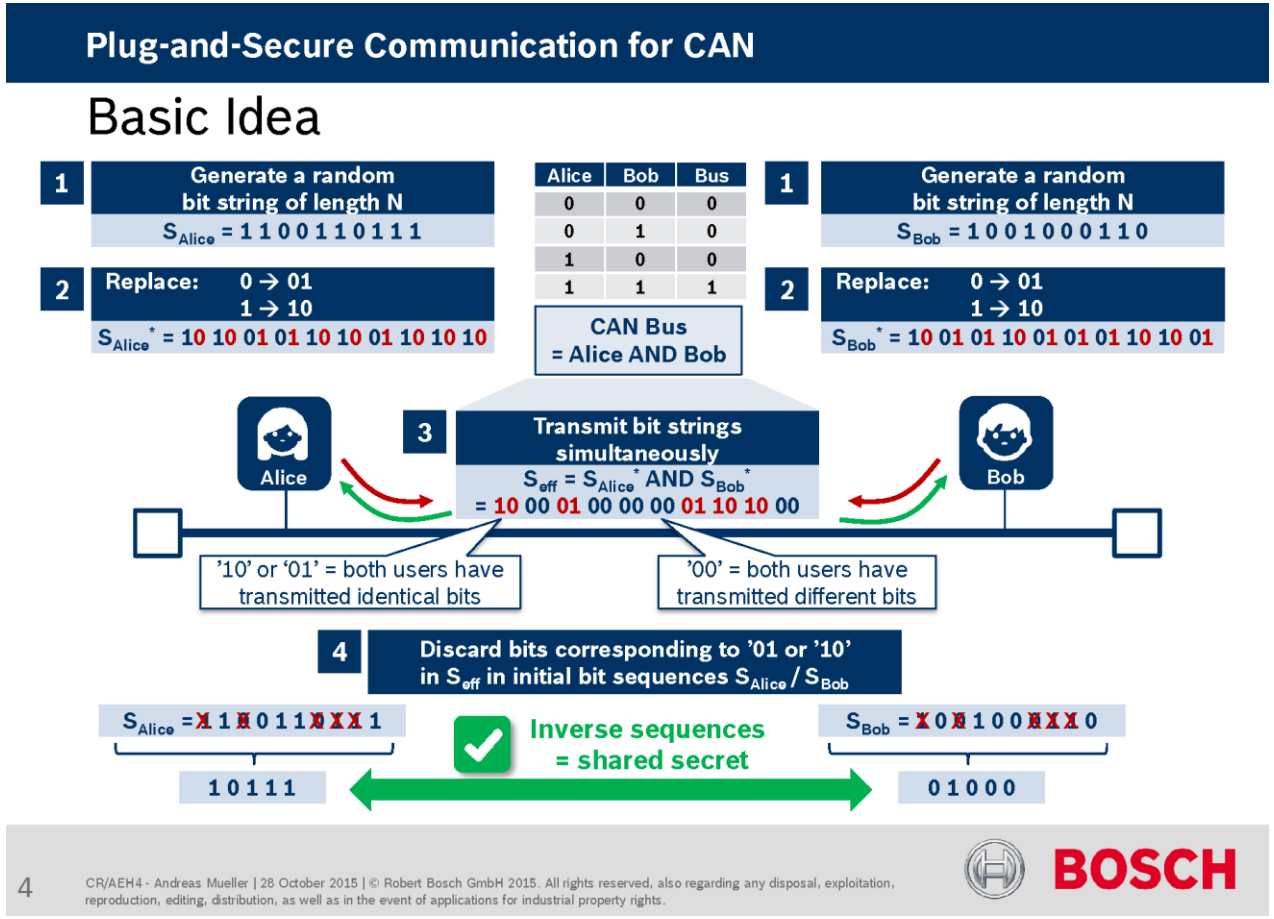

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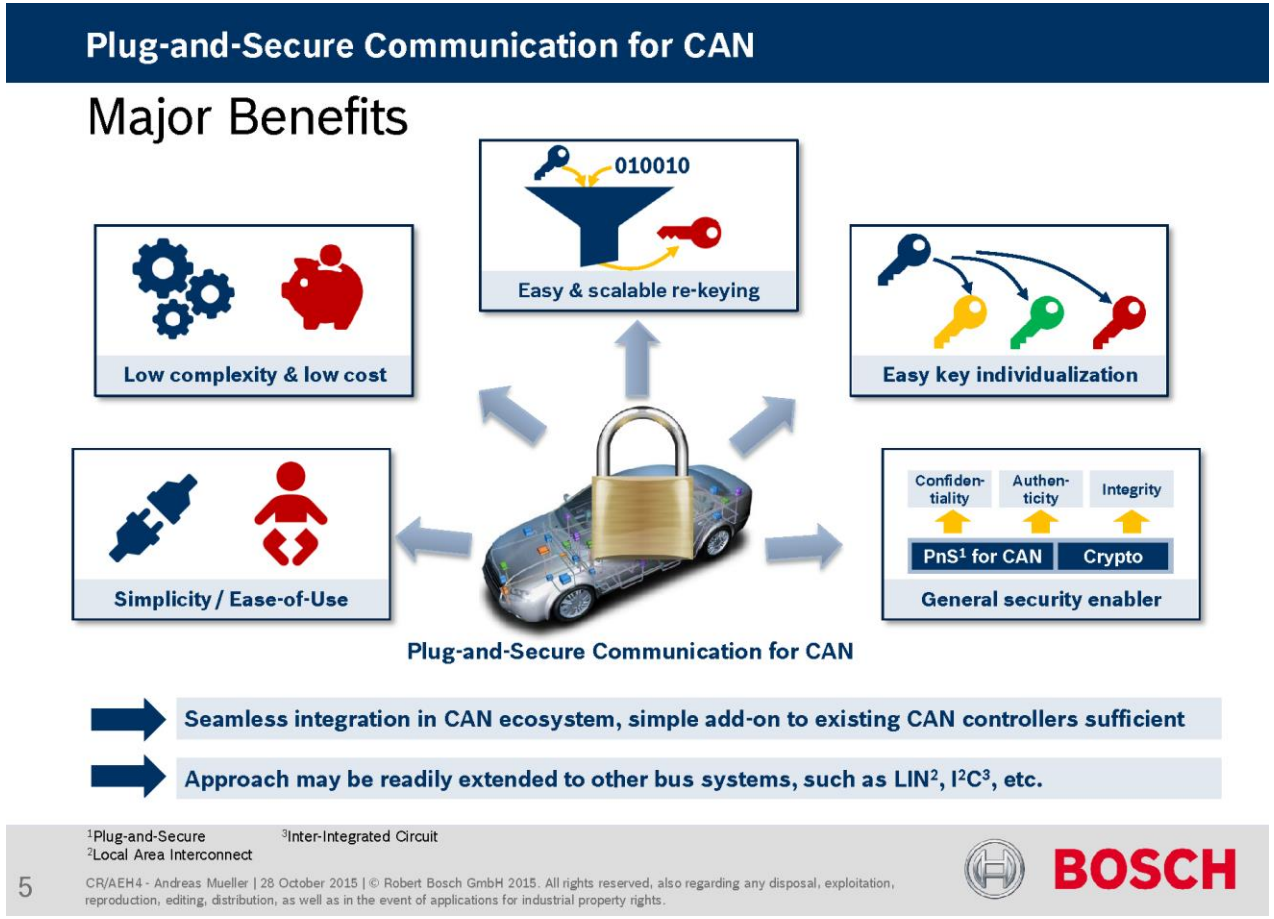

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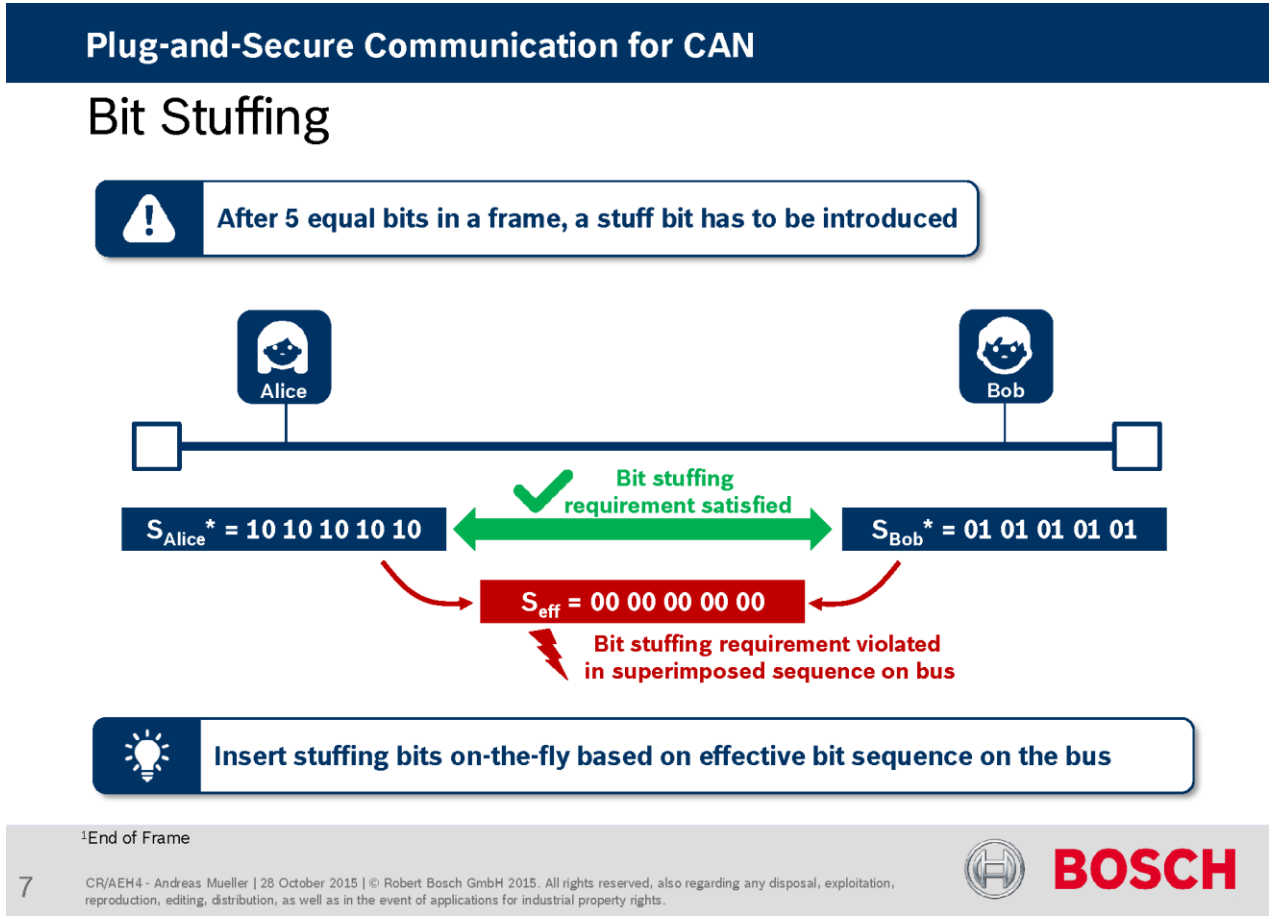

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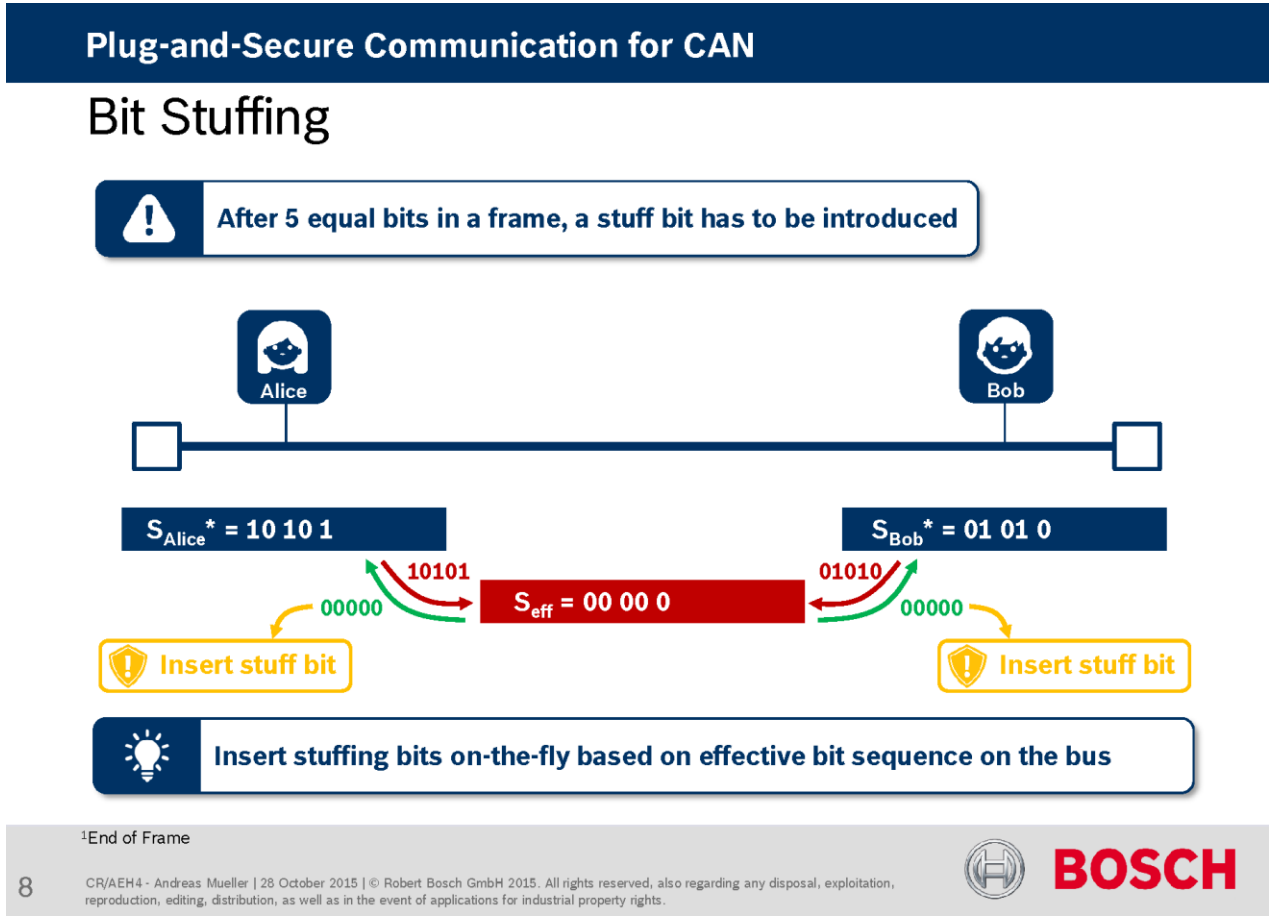

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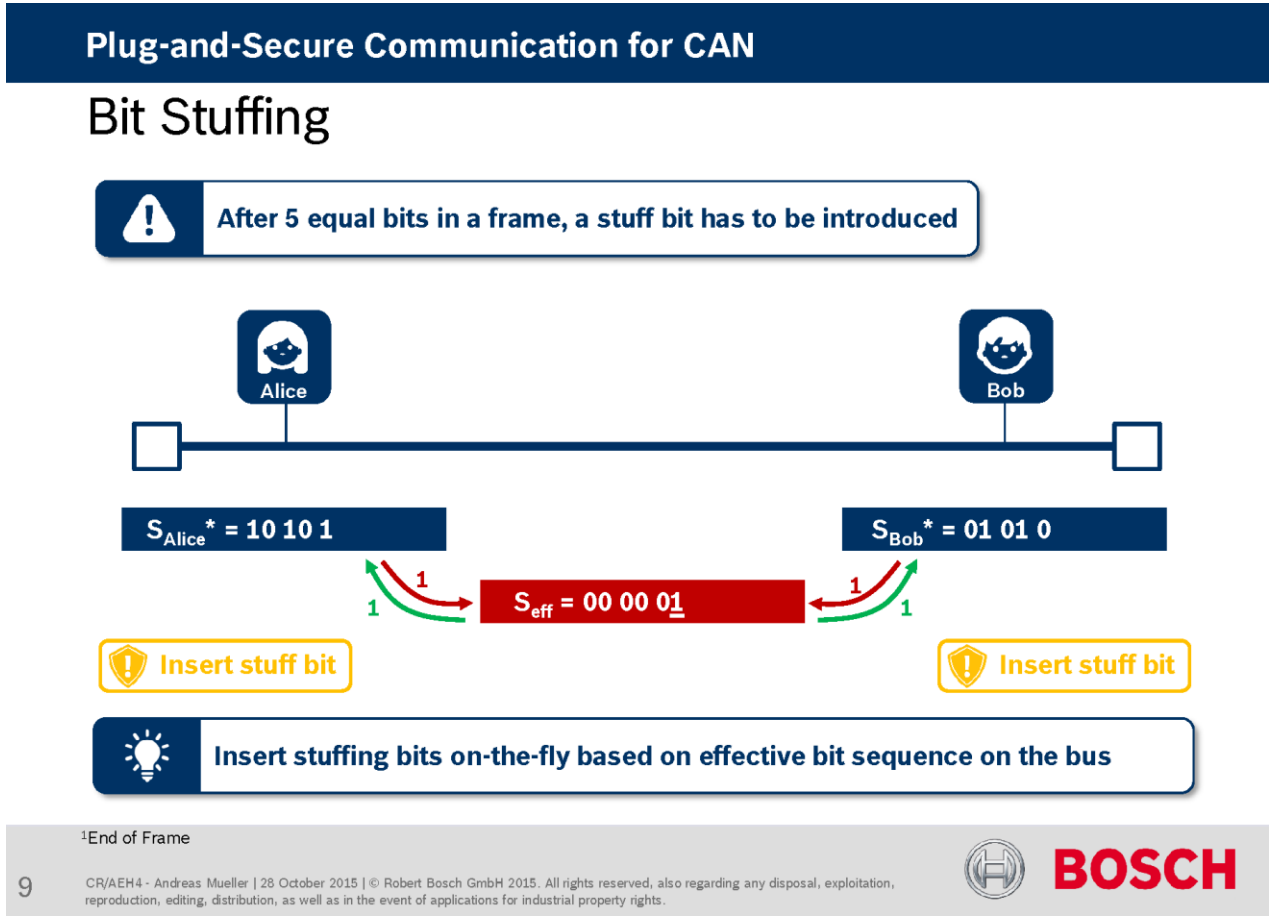

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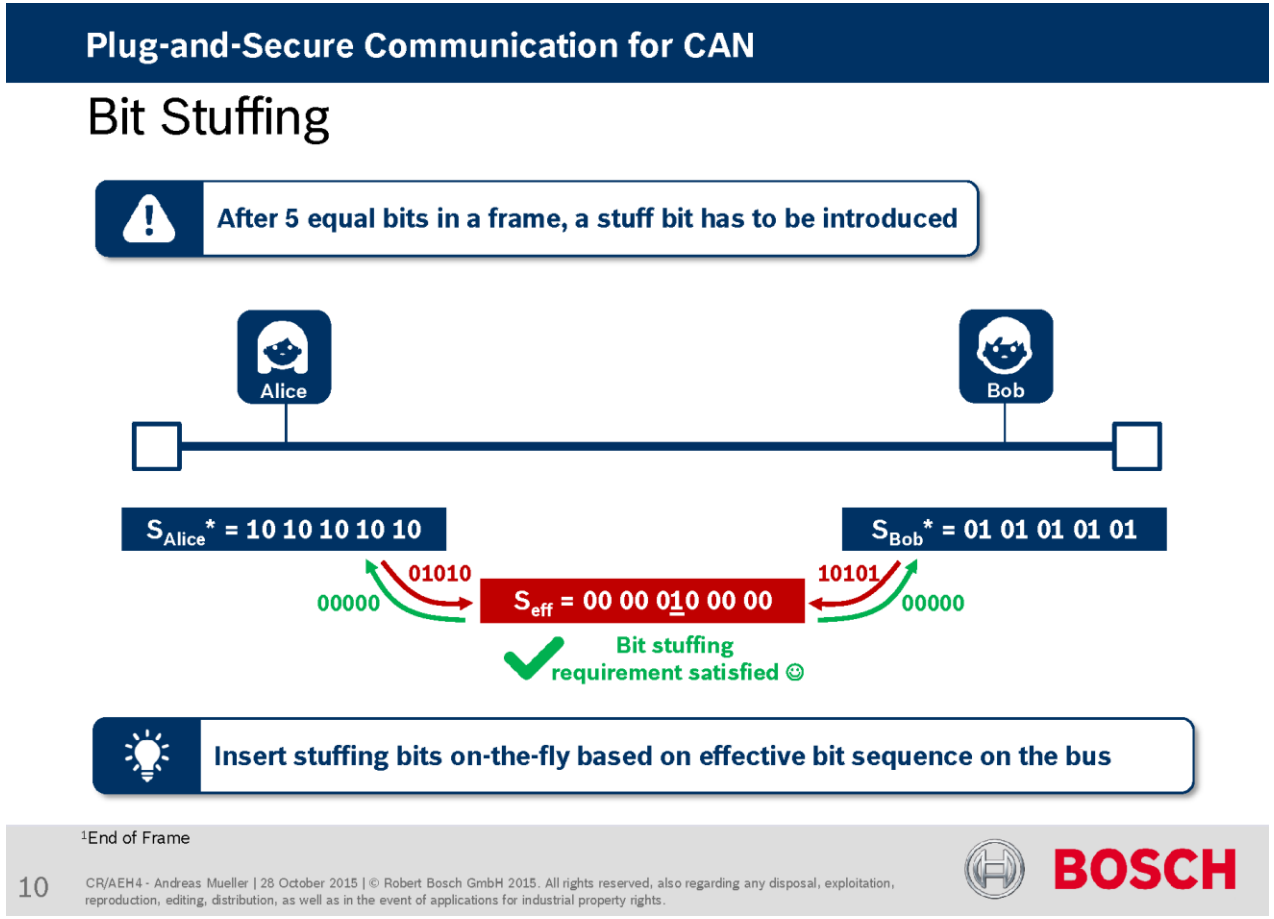

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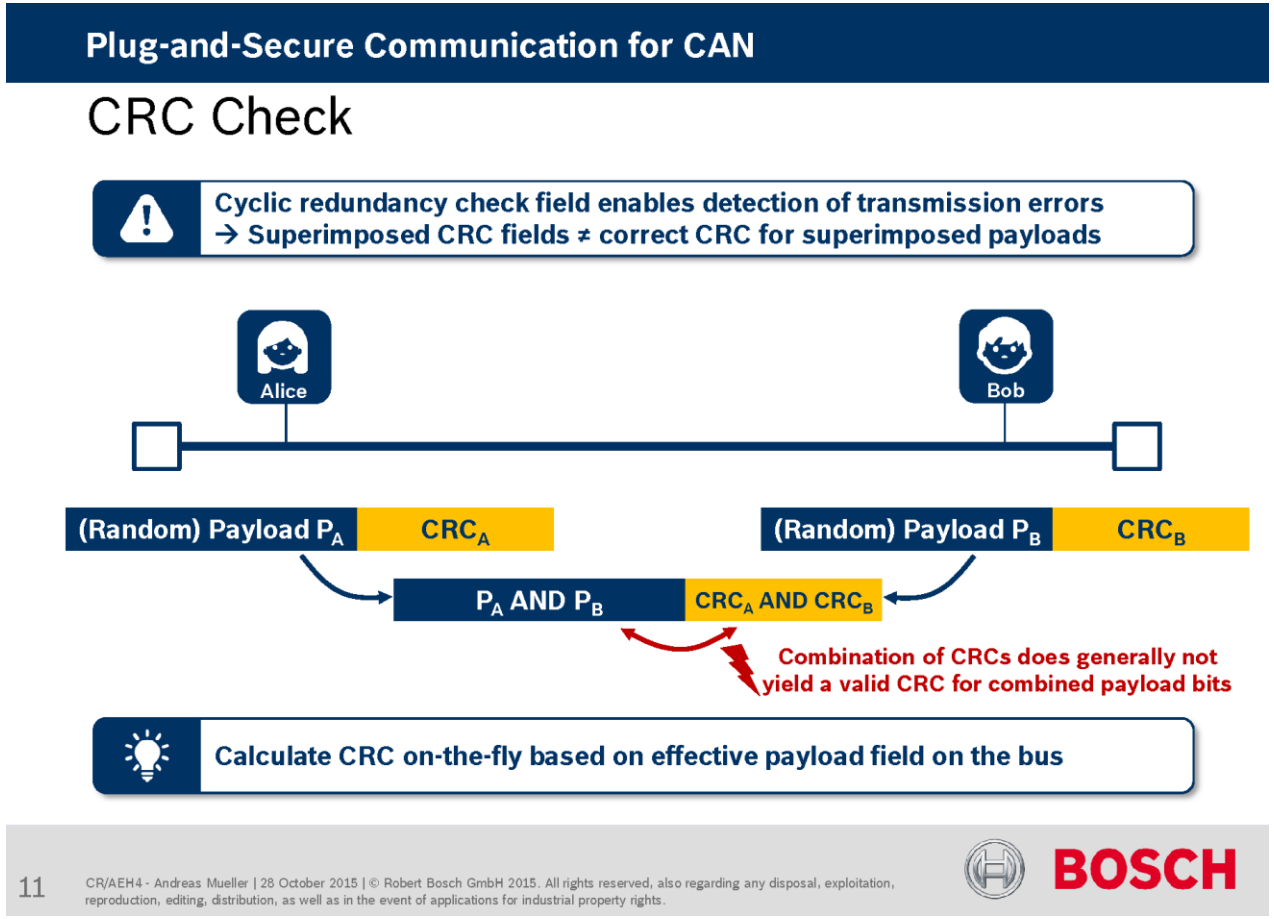

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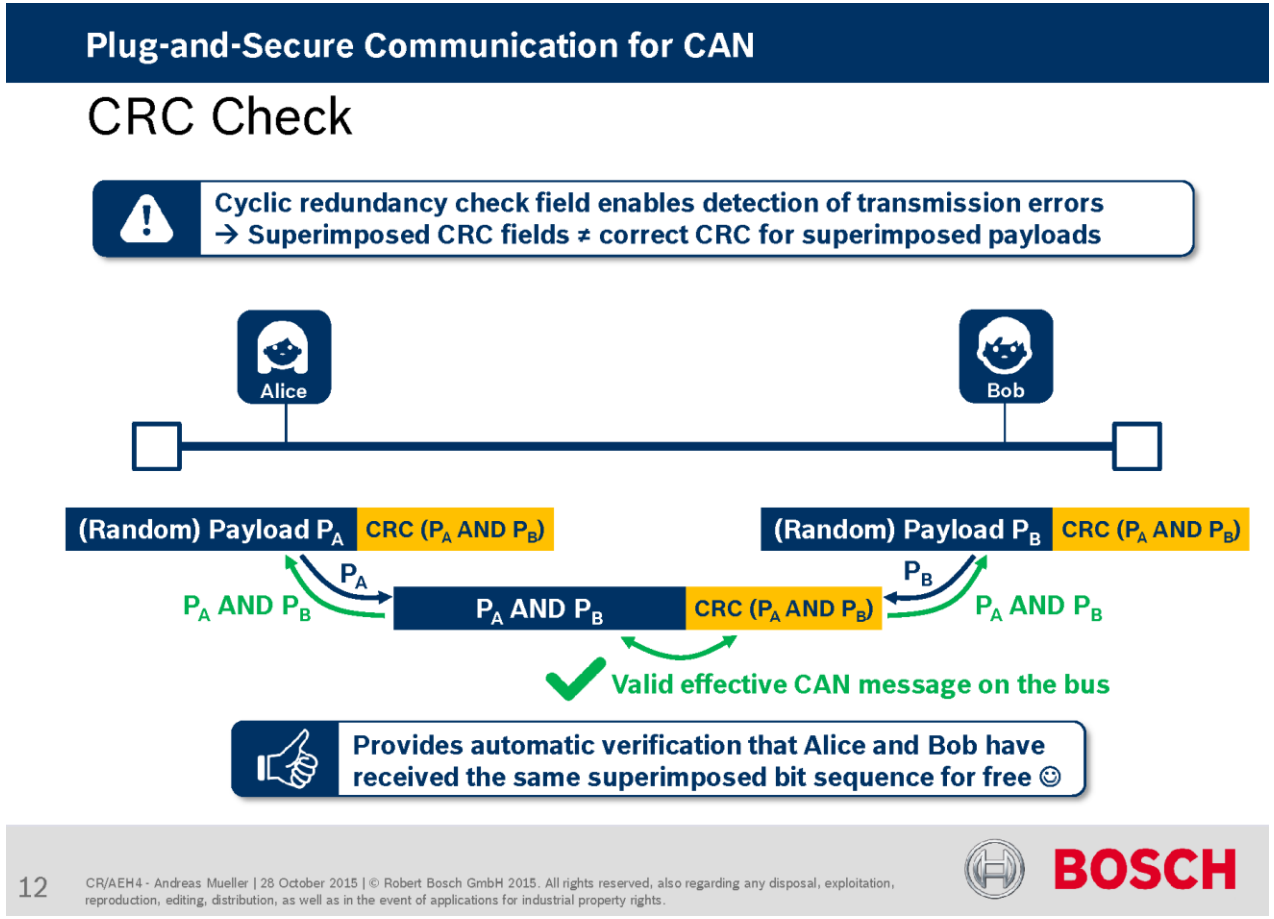

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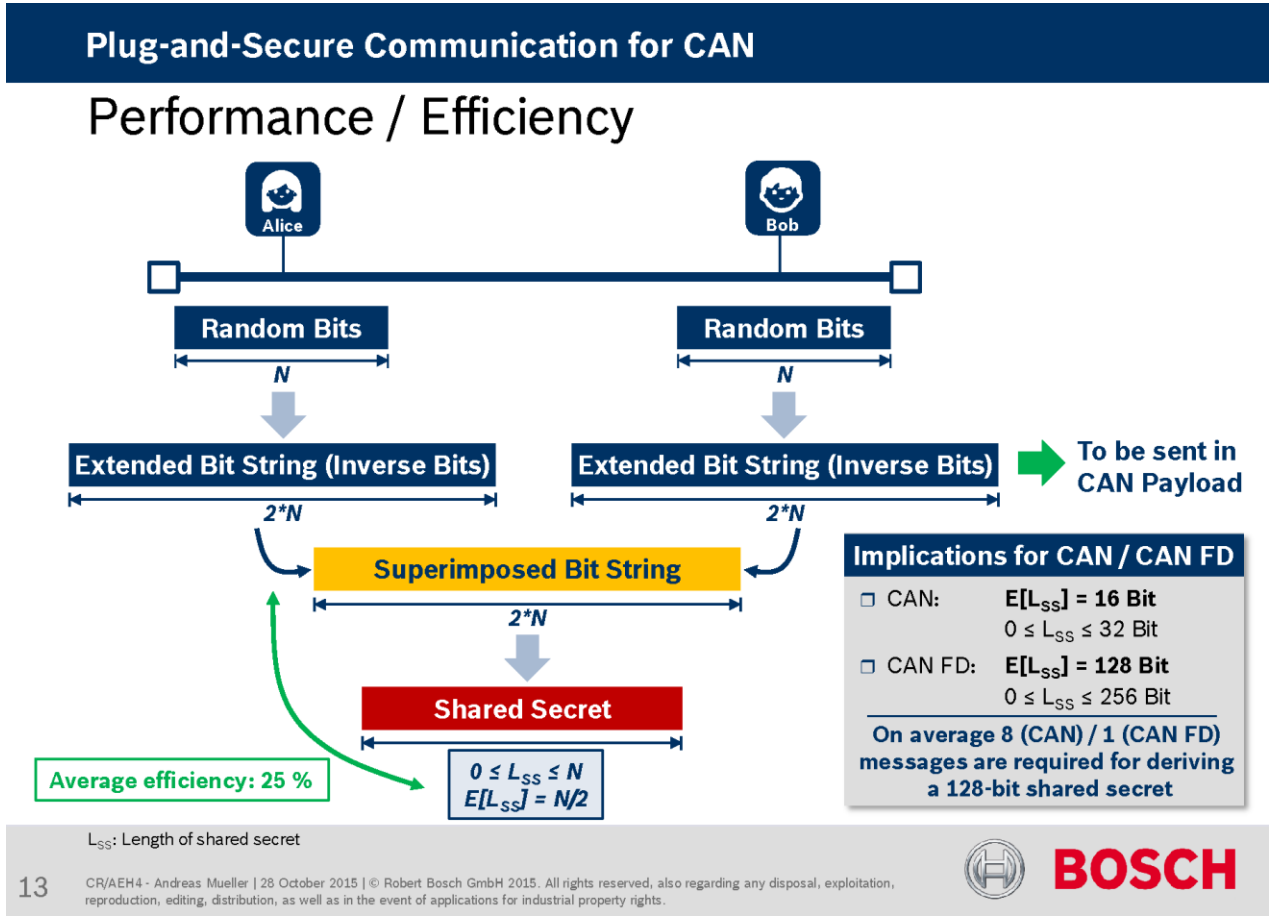

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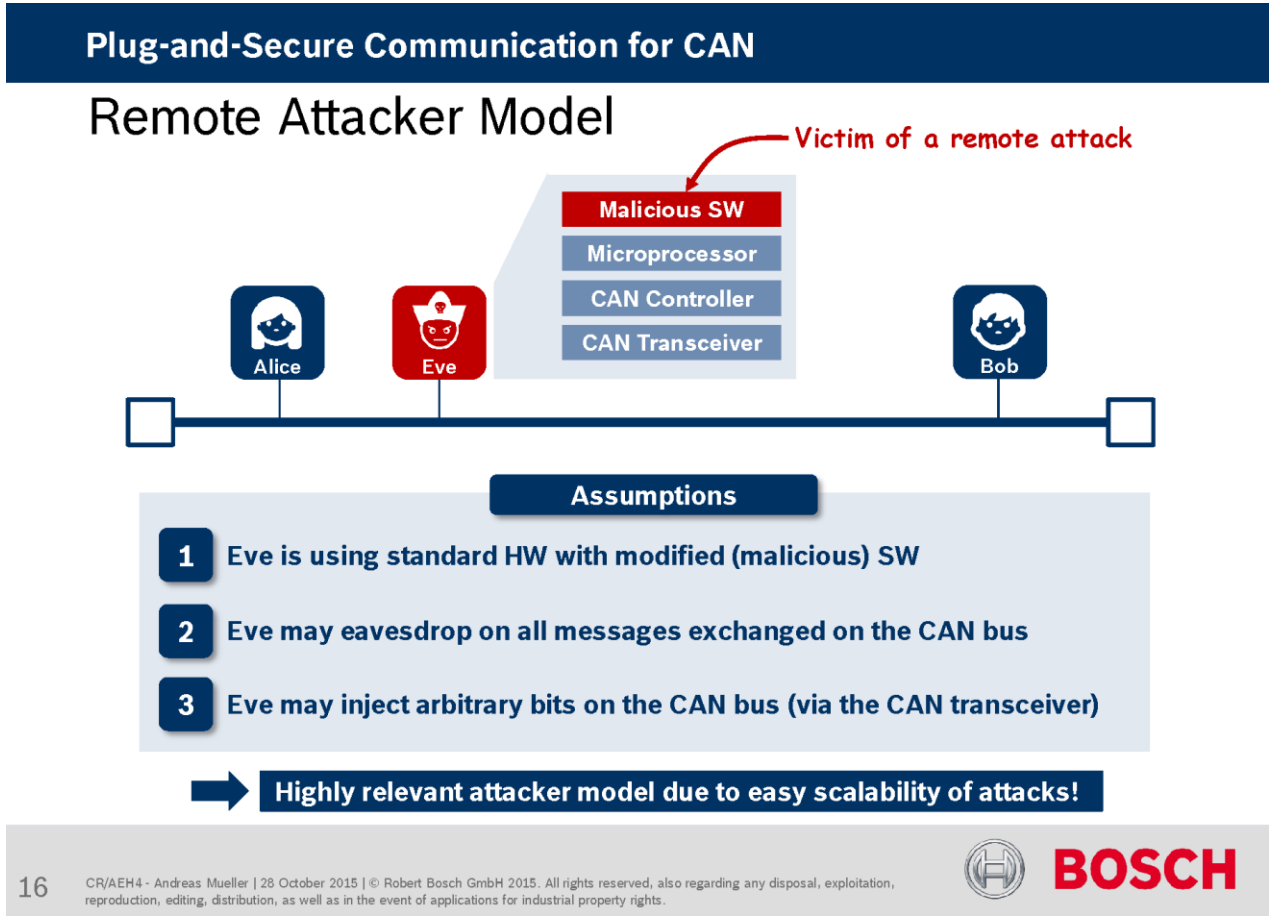

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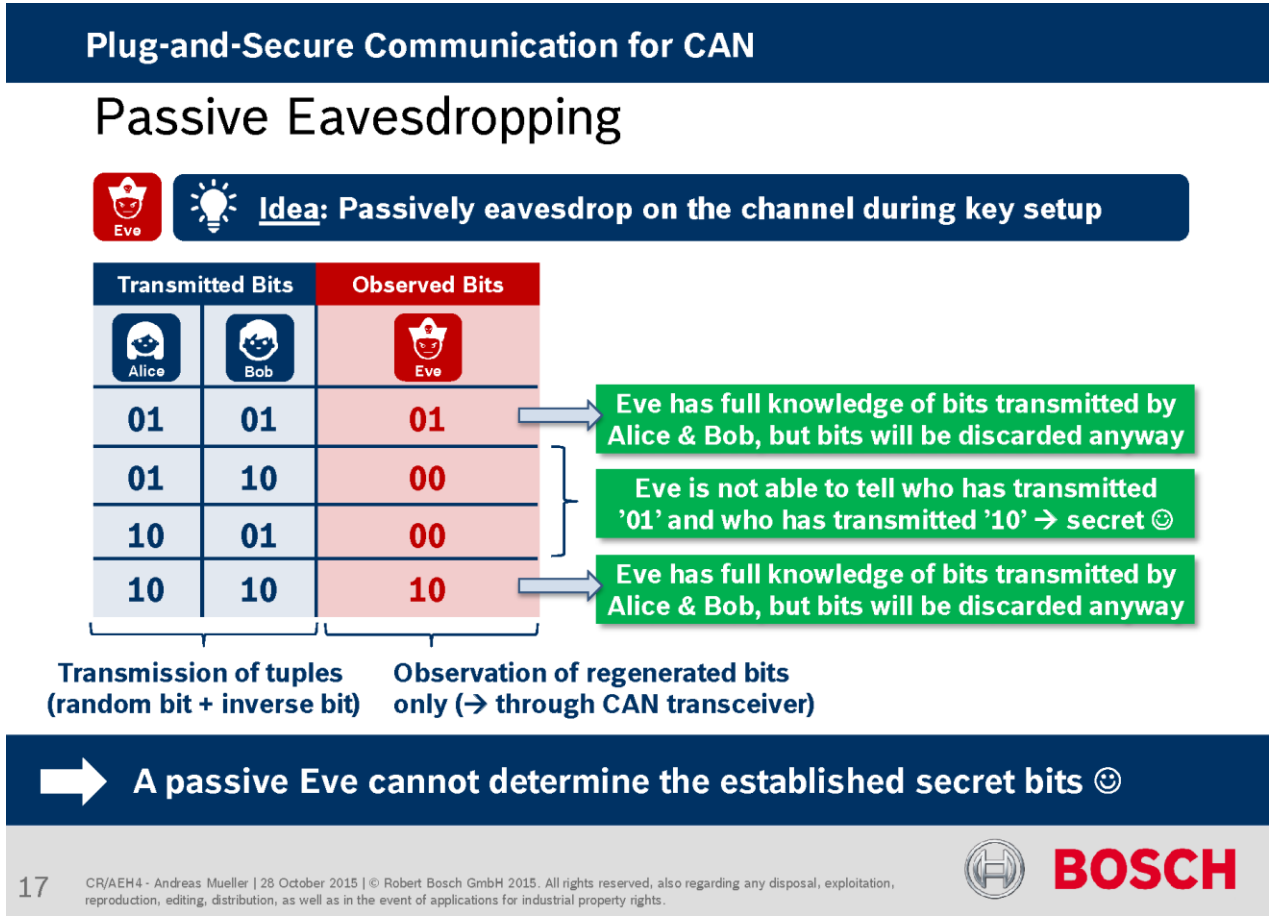

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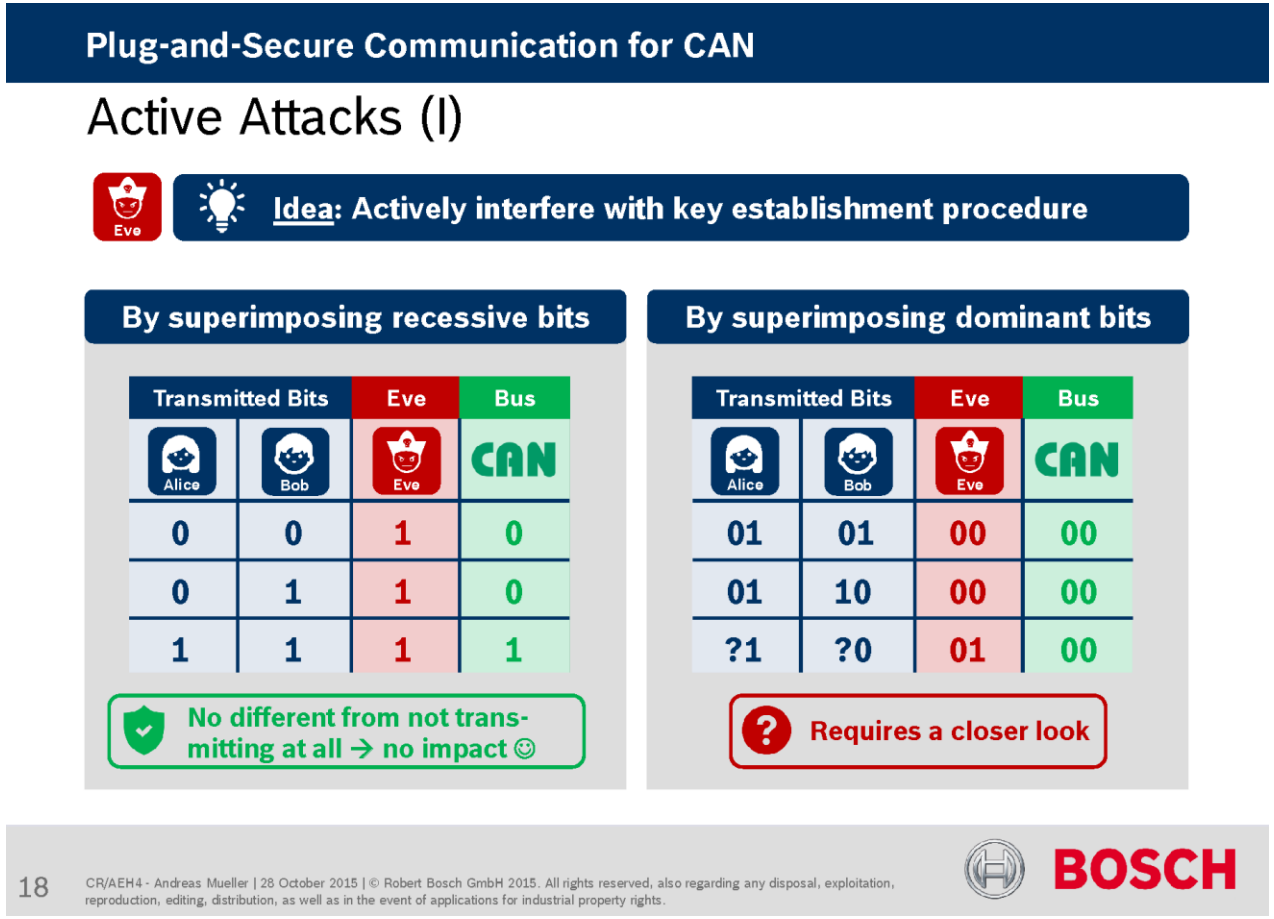

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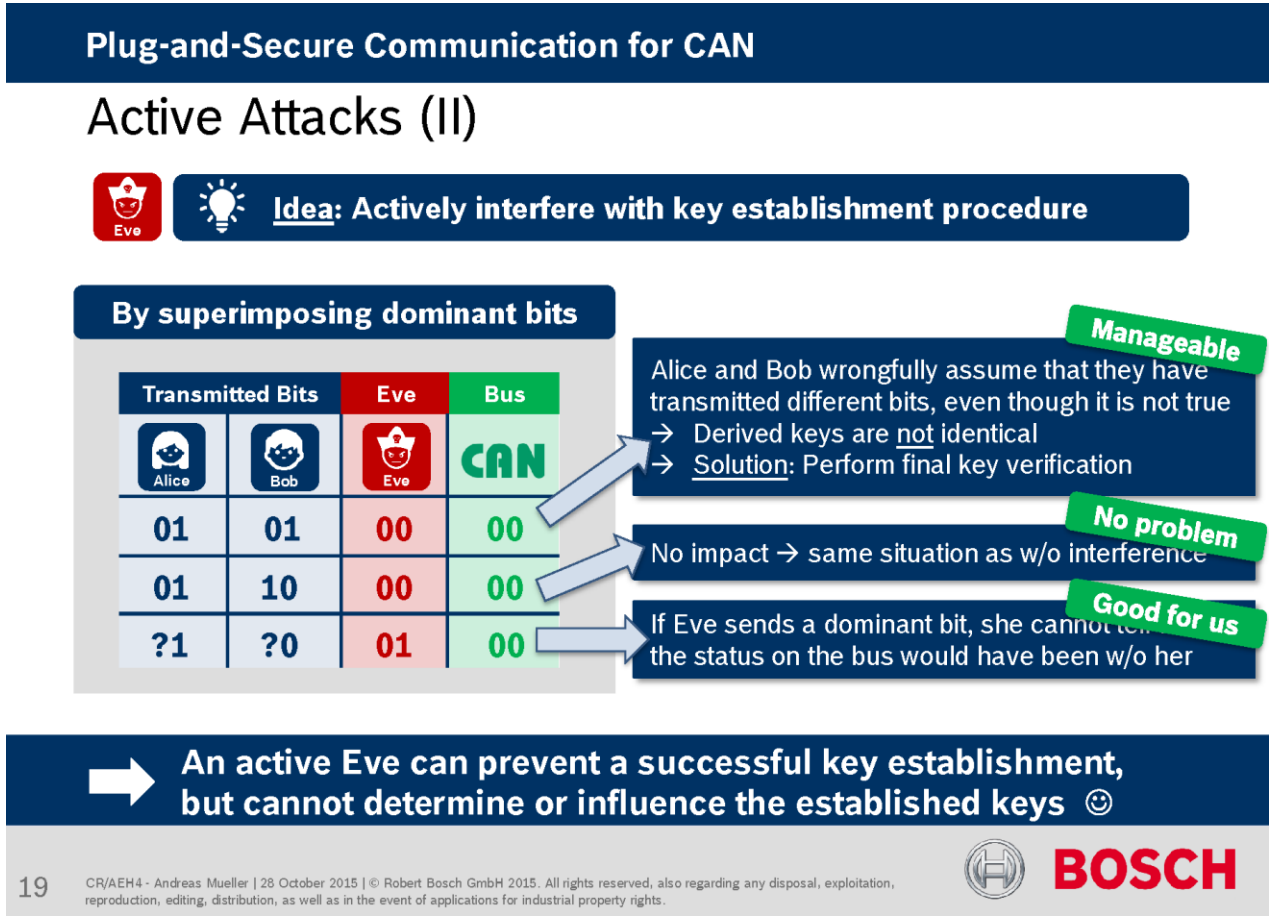

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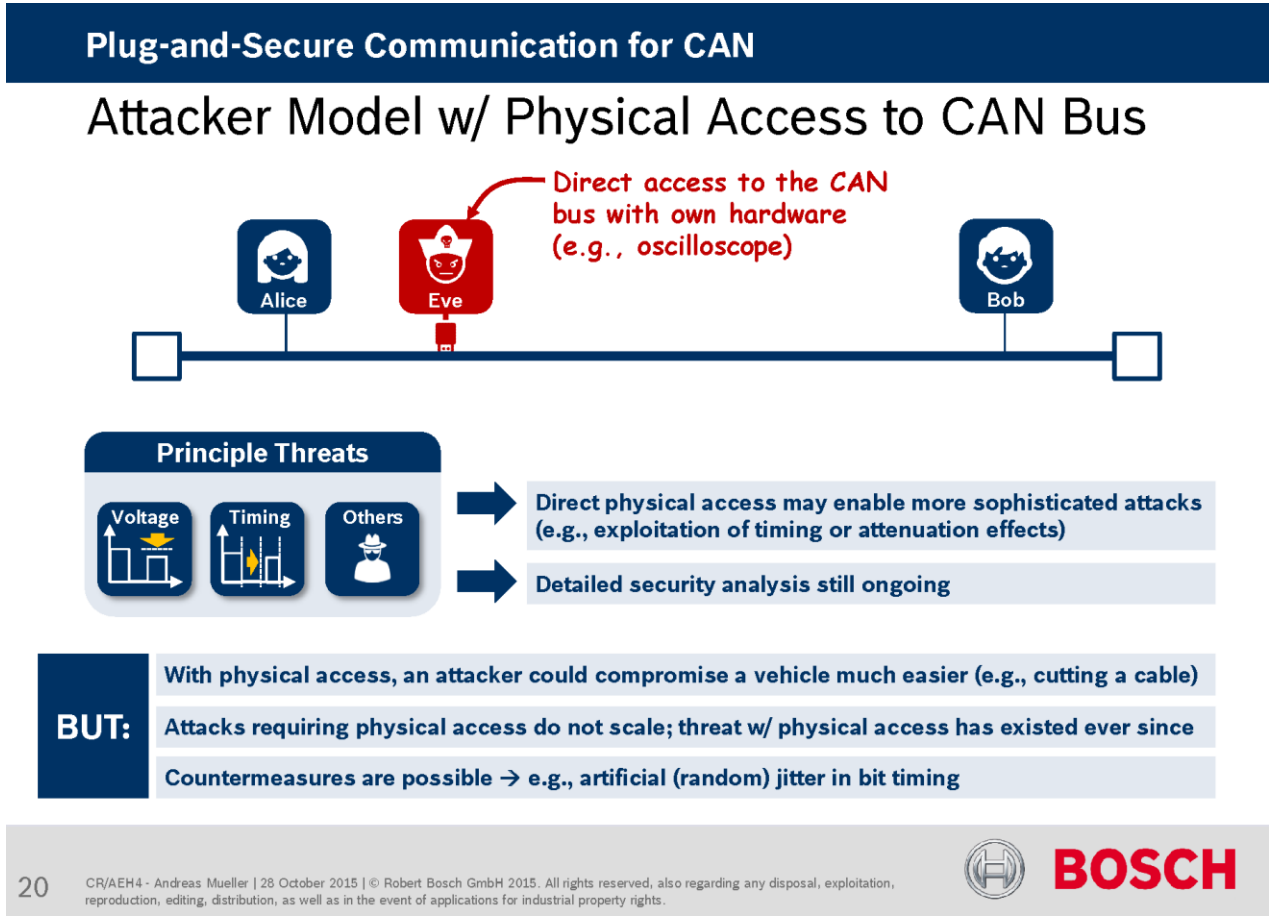

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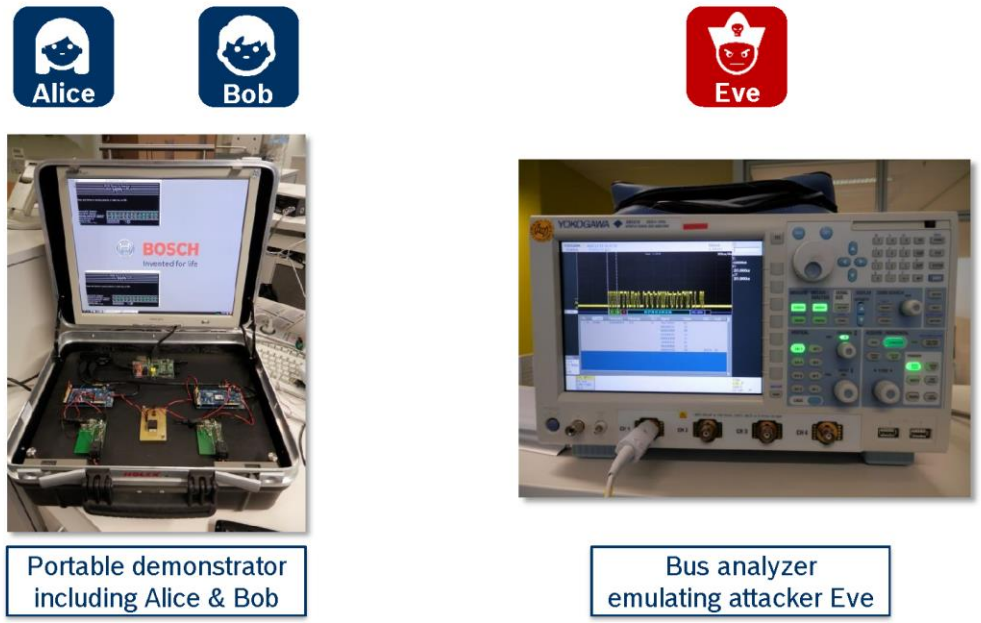
Proof-of-Concept Demonstrator (I)



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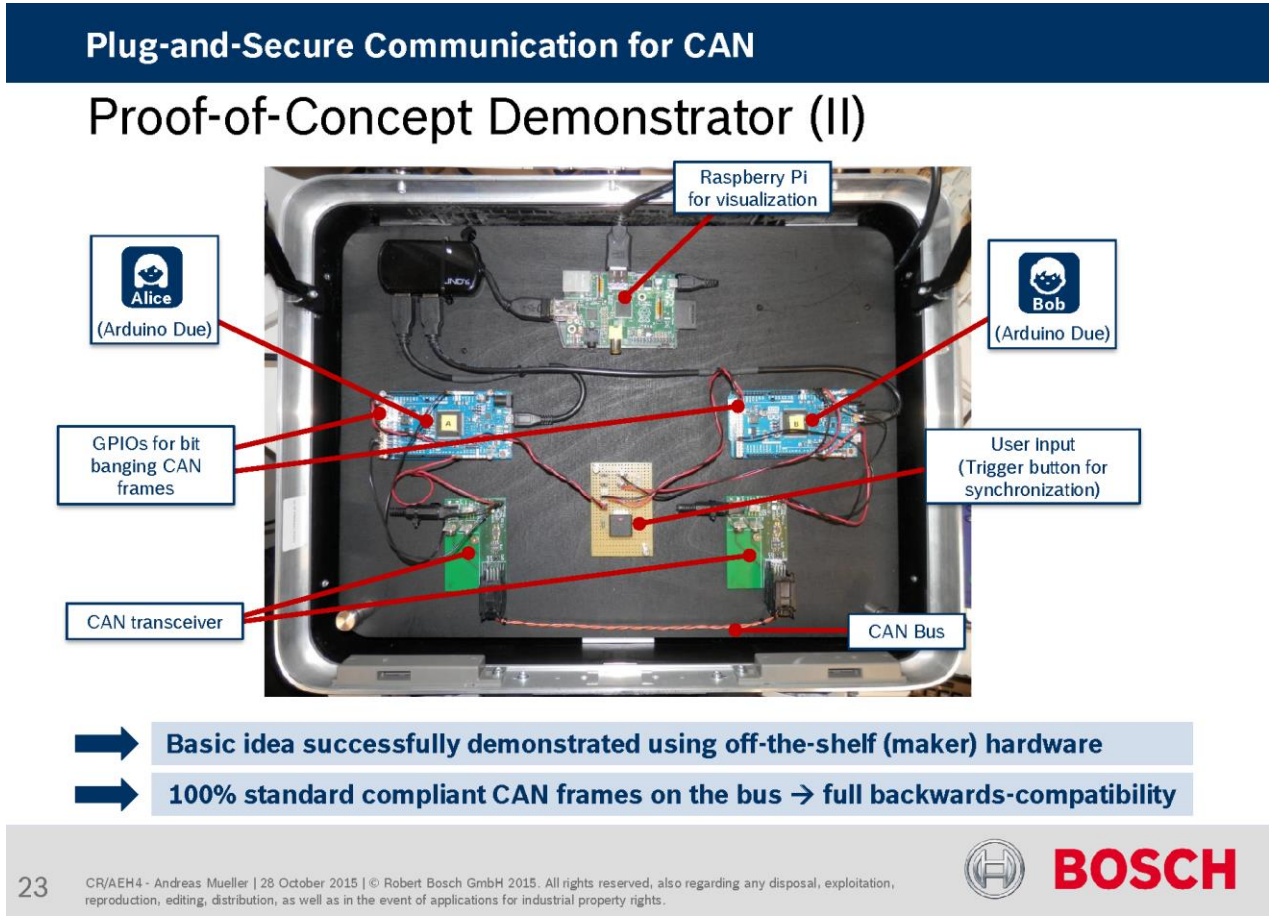

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Conclusion

1. Security is getting more and more important in many domains
2. Distribution of cryptographic keys as a major challenge
3. PnS[1] for CAN as an innovative approach of very low complexity
4. Basic idea successfully demonstrated, fully backwards compatible
5. Major strengths: Remote / SW-based attacks, re-keying, wide applicability

Possible Extensions	Many Applications	Your Input
LIN – LOCAL INTERCONNECT NETWORK; I²C BUS		
Extension to other bus systems with similar PHY rather straightforward	Numerous applications in automotive, industrial & other CAN networks	Interested? → Get in touch with us ☺

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Inter-Flow Network Coding on CAN Bus

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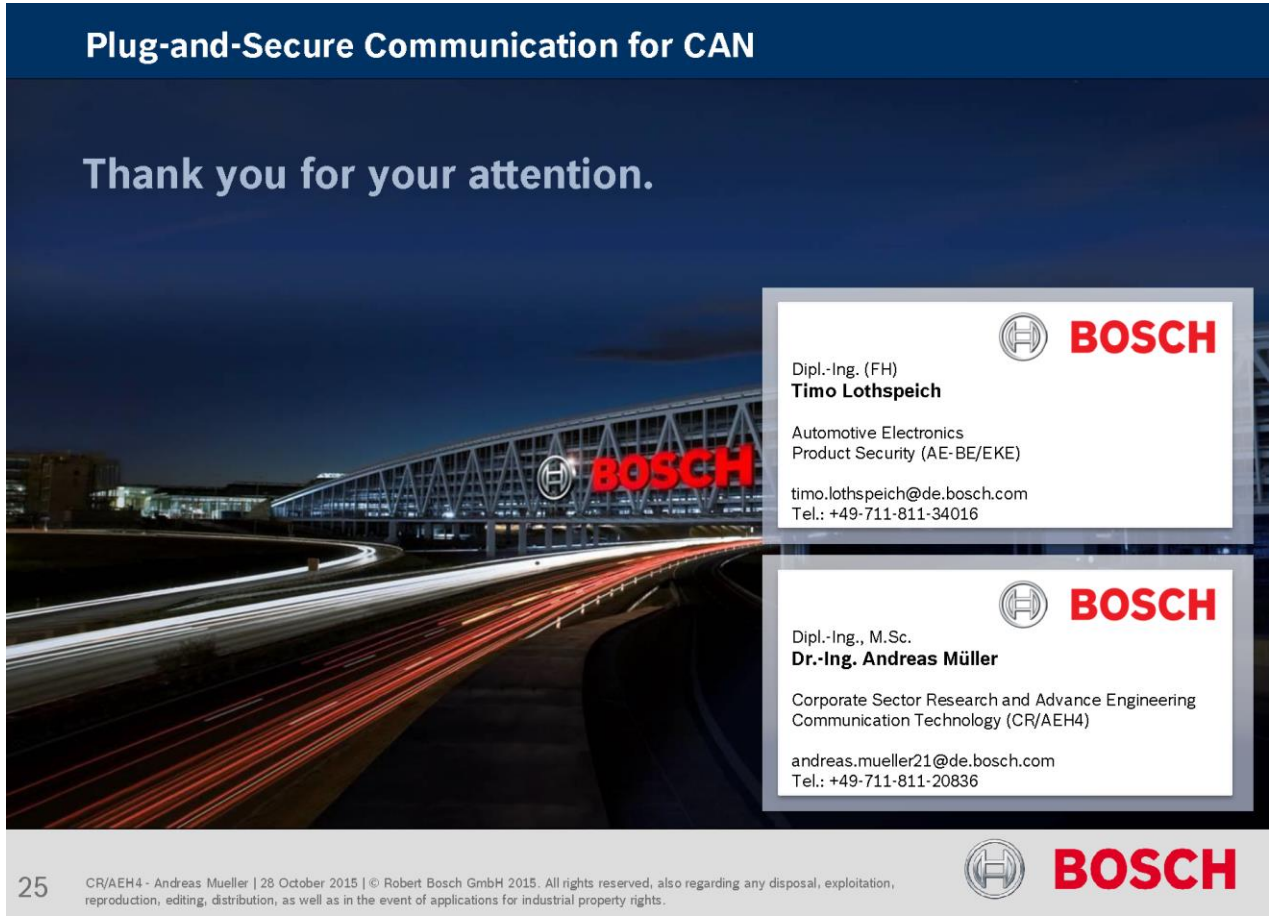

Summary Inter-Flow Network Coding

- Advantages
  - Easy to understand
  - Huge gains in theory

- Disadvantages
  - Requires signaling/planning
    - Not a huge problem in static networks, e.g. SDN controller
    - Huge problem for dynamic networks, more load and inefficient if not in time

- Real implementation (more than lab test run)
  - CATWOMAN in LINUX Kernel 3.10 onwards
  - BOSCH CAN Bus

Backup

Cautious View

Janus Heide, Morten V. Pedersen, Frank H.P. Fitzek, and Torben Larsen, **"Cautious view on network coding - from theory to practice,"** Journal of Communications and Networks (JCN), 2009

XOR operations

Simple XOR seems to be no problem with respect to computation

More energy used for the encoding vector to be transmitted than in the actual coding

POWER AND ENERGY LEVELS USED FOR NETWORK CODING ON THE MOBILE PHONE

state	power value [W]	energy value [J]	number of operations
coding	$0,593$	$4,789$	25000000
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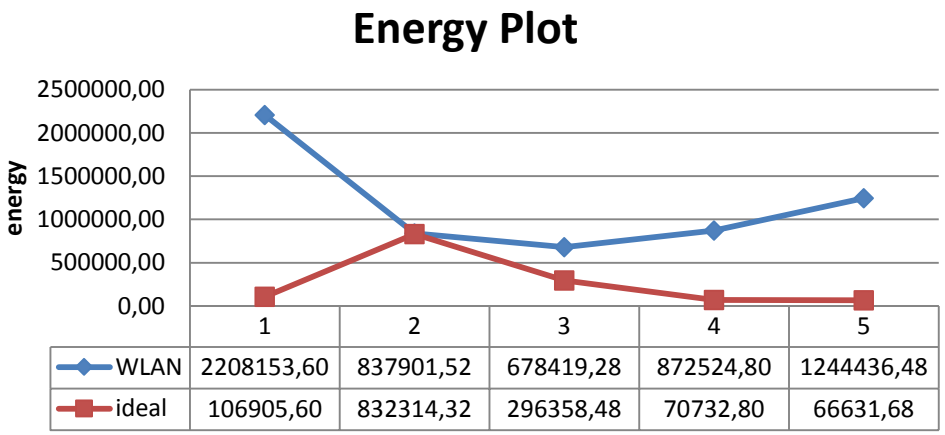
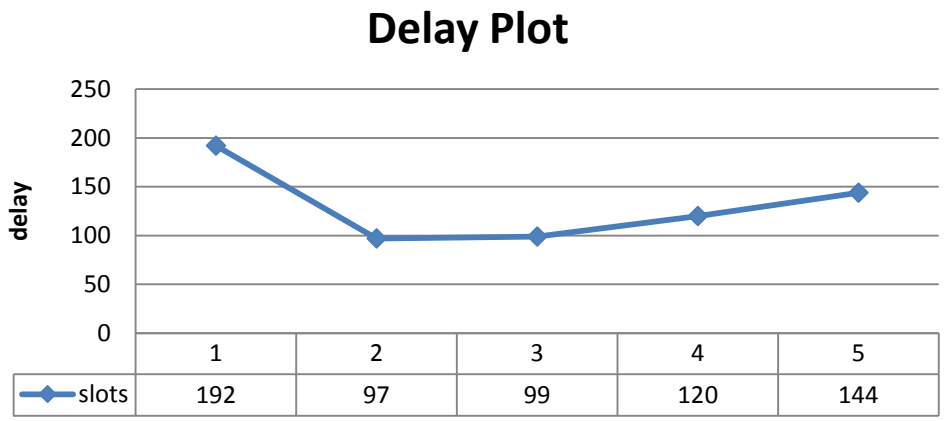
idle	$0,041$	–	–

Wheel Example: Multi-dimension Alice and Bob

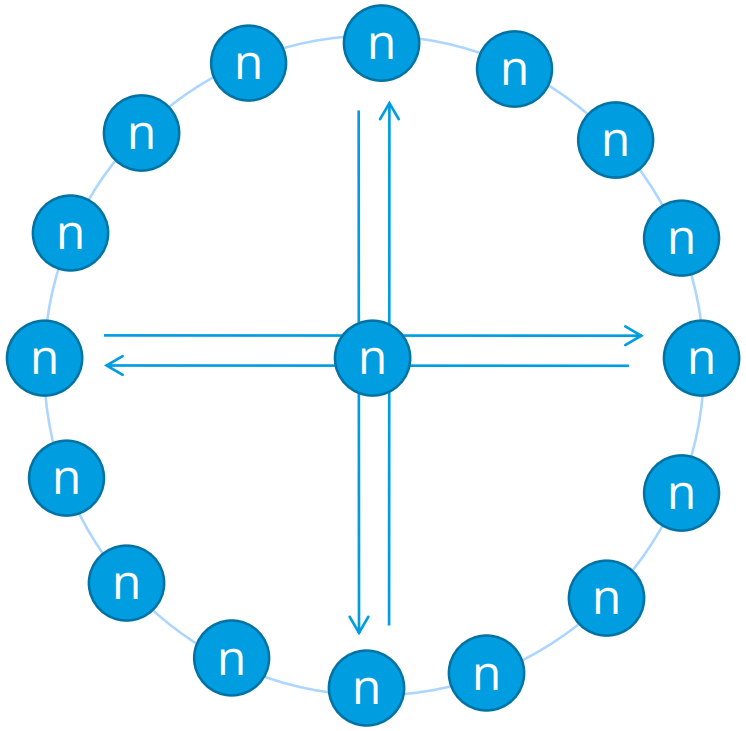




Scenario: Wheel

- 97 mobile devices in total
- 96 flows (one per cluster)
- Just relaying to exchange

F number of flows
T number of teams



	sending	receiving	idle
Single node	1	F/T-1	F*(T-1)/T +T
Outer nodes	F	(F/T-1)F	(F(T-1)/T +T)F
Inner node	T	F	0
SUM netcod	**F+T**	**F^2/T**	**(F(T-1)/T +T)F**
SUM relay	**2F**	**2F**	**2F(F-1)**

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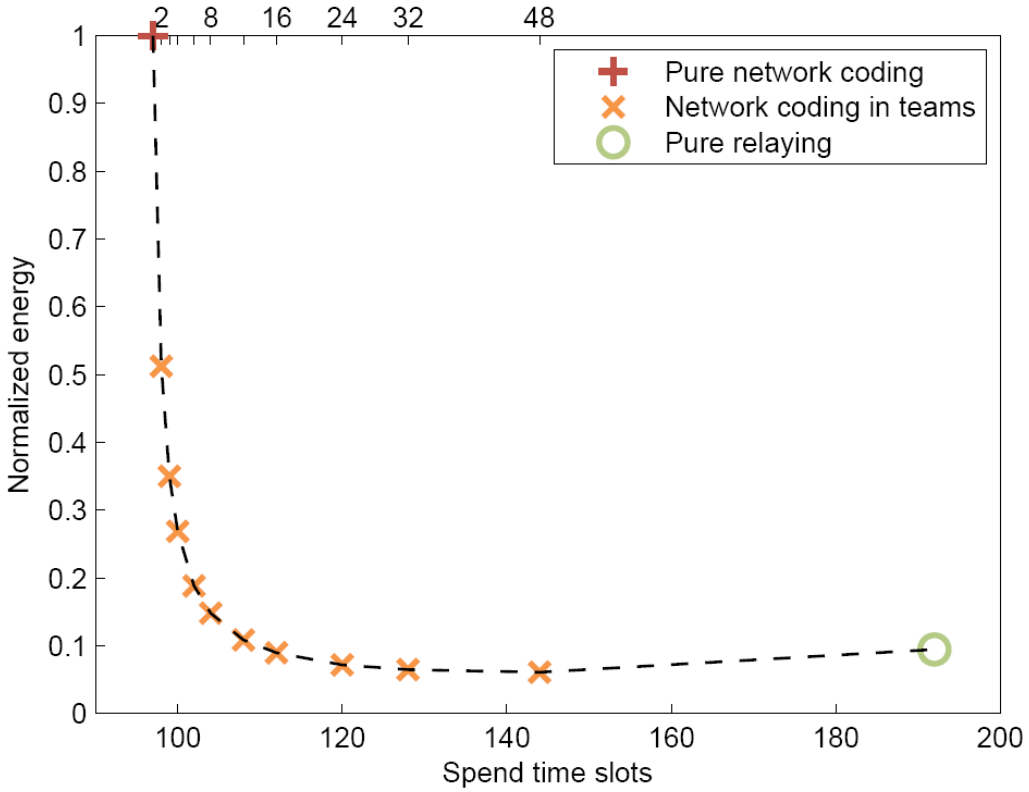
Without considering IDLE power value



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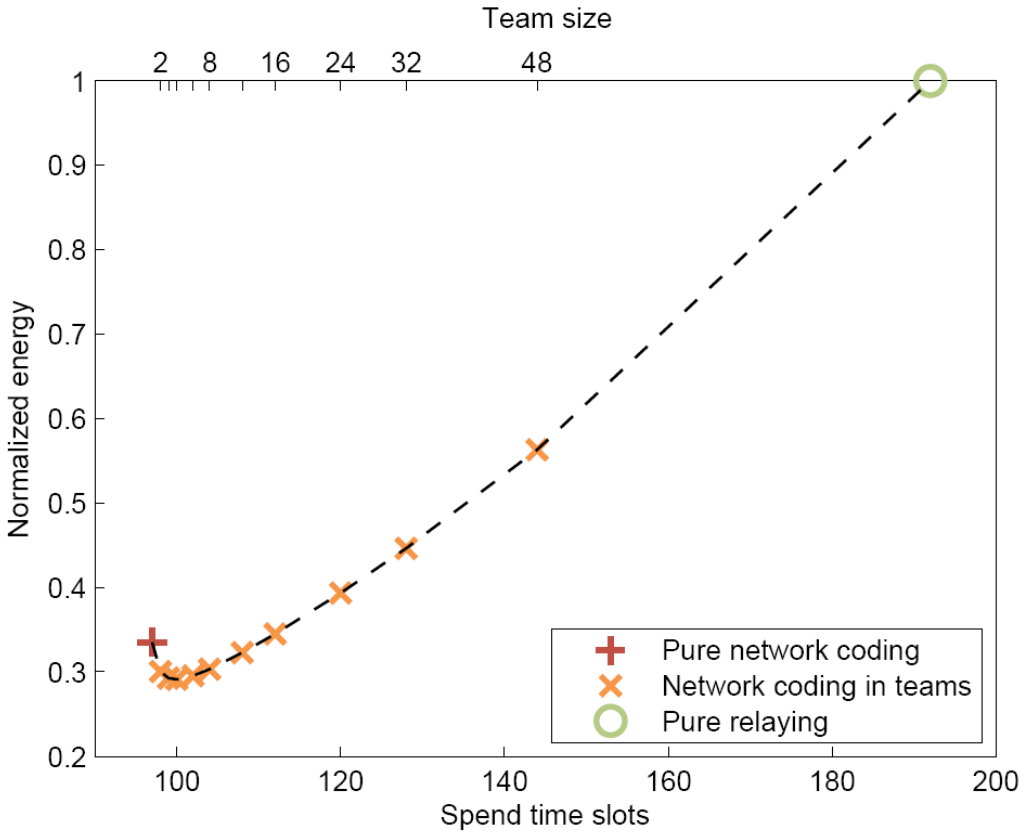
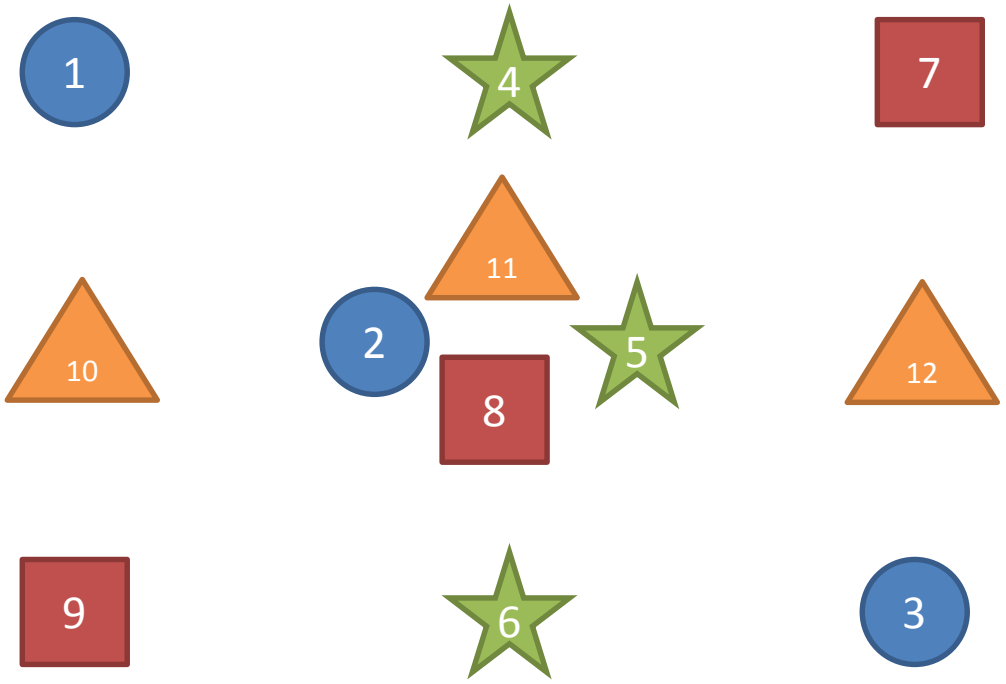
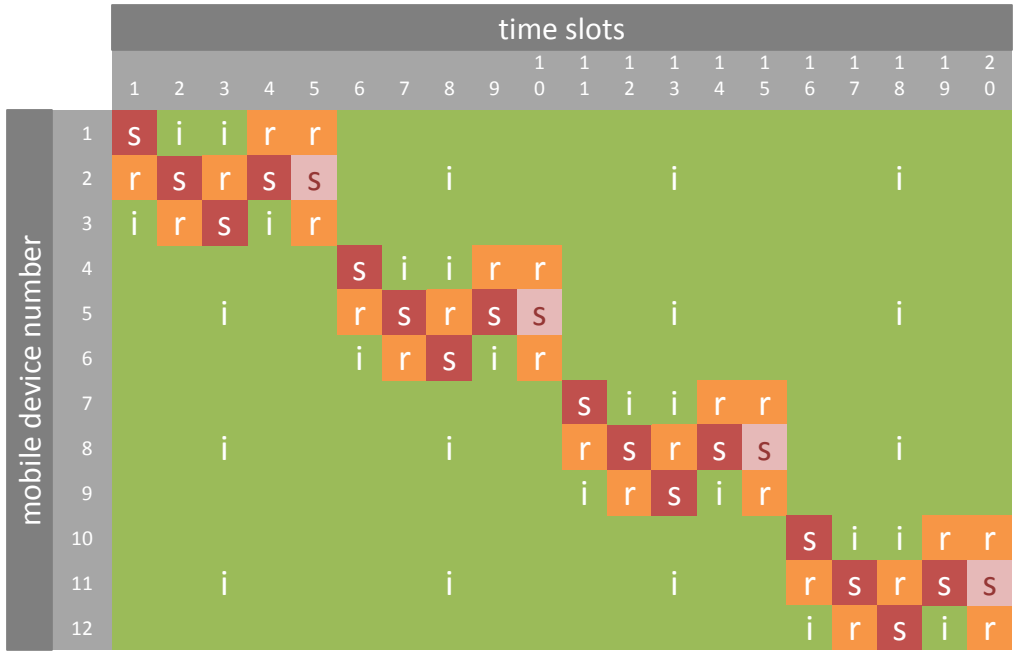




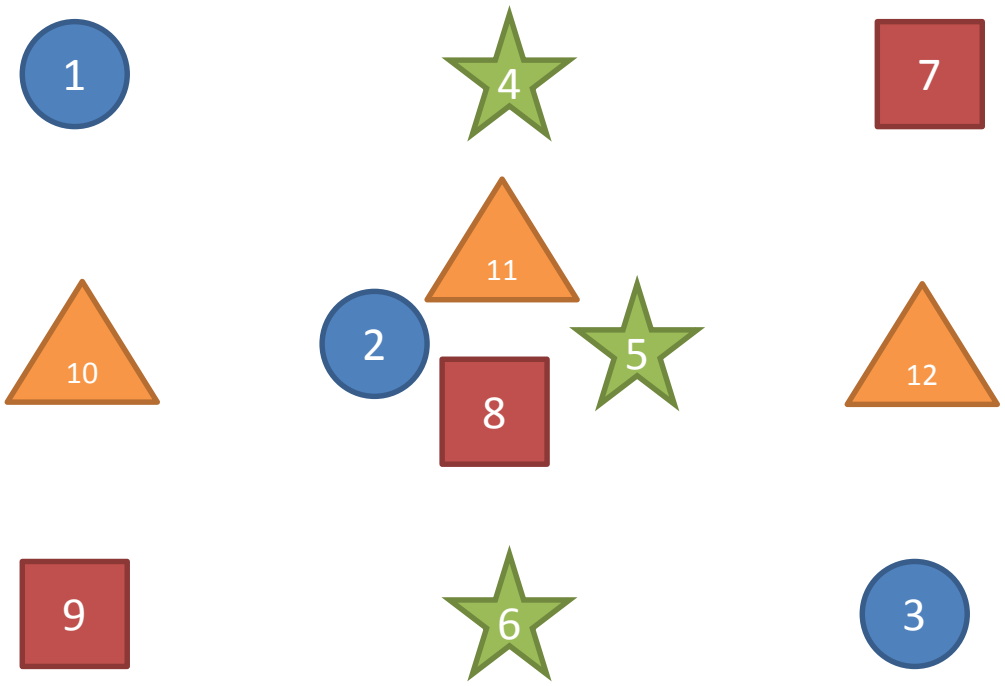
Scenario: Wheel++

- 12 mobile devices in total
- Four flows (one per cluster)
- Each device receives cellular input
- Just relaying to exchange

i	idle slot
r	receiving slot
s	sending unicast slot
s	broadcasting slot
s	broadcasting coded slot



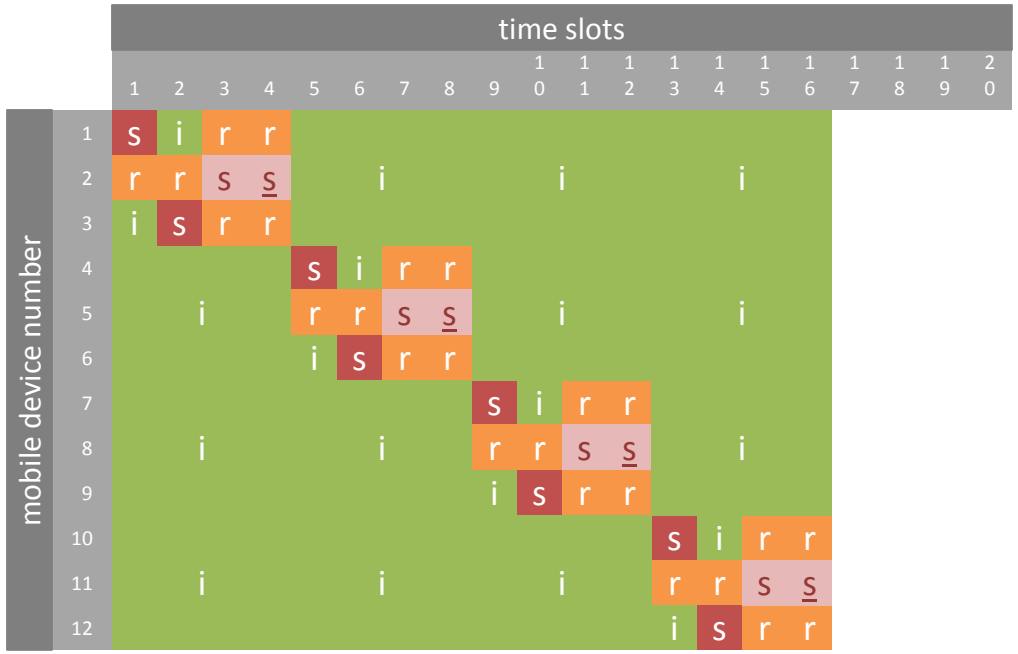
	sending	receiving	idle
One activity matrix	5	6	4
All activity matrixes	20	24	16
All idle matrixes	0	0	180
SUM	**20**	**24**	**196**



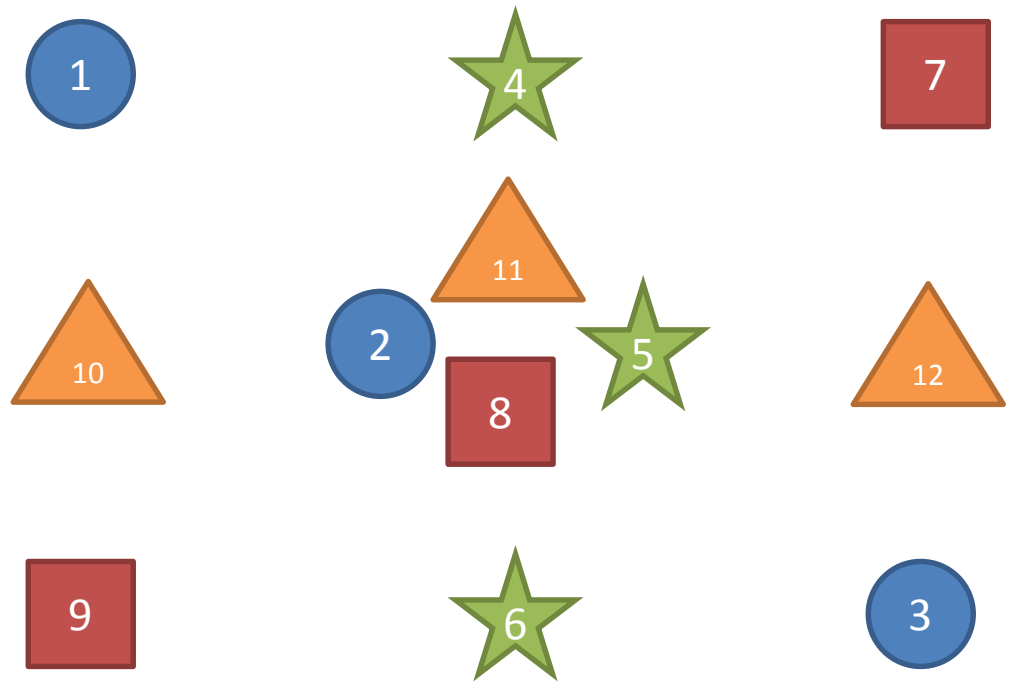
Scenario: Wheel++

- 12 mobile devices in total
- Four flows (one per cluster)
- Each device receives cellular input
- Network coding within each cluster

i	idle slot
r	receiving slot
s	sending unicast slot
s	broadcasting slot
s	broadcasting coded slot



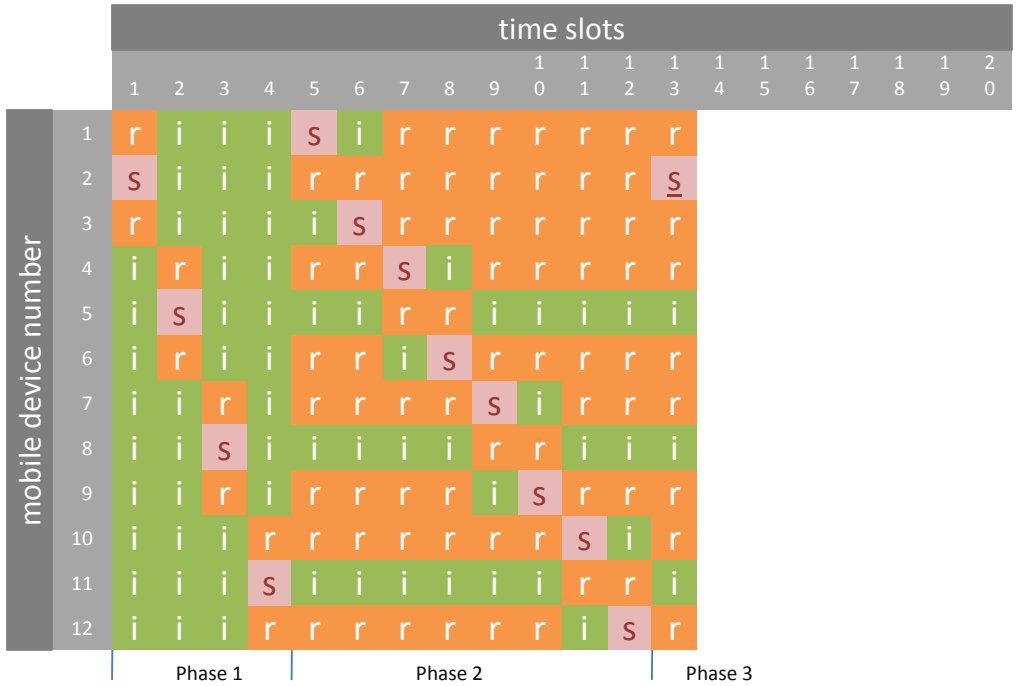
	sending	receiving	idle
One activity matrix	4	6	2
All activity matrixes	16	24	8
All idle matrixes	0	0	144
SUM	**16**	**24**	**152**



Scenario: Wheel++

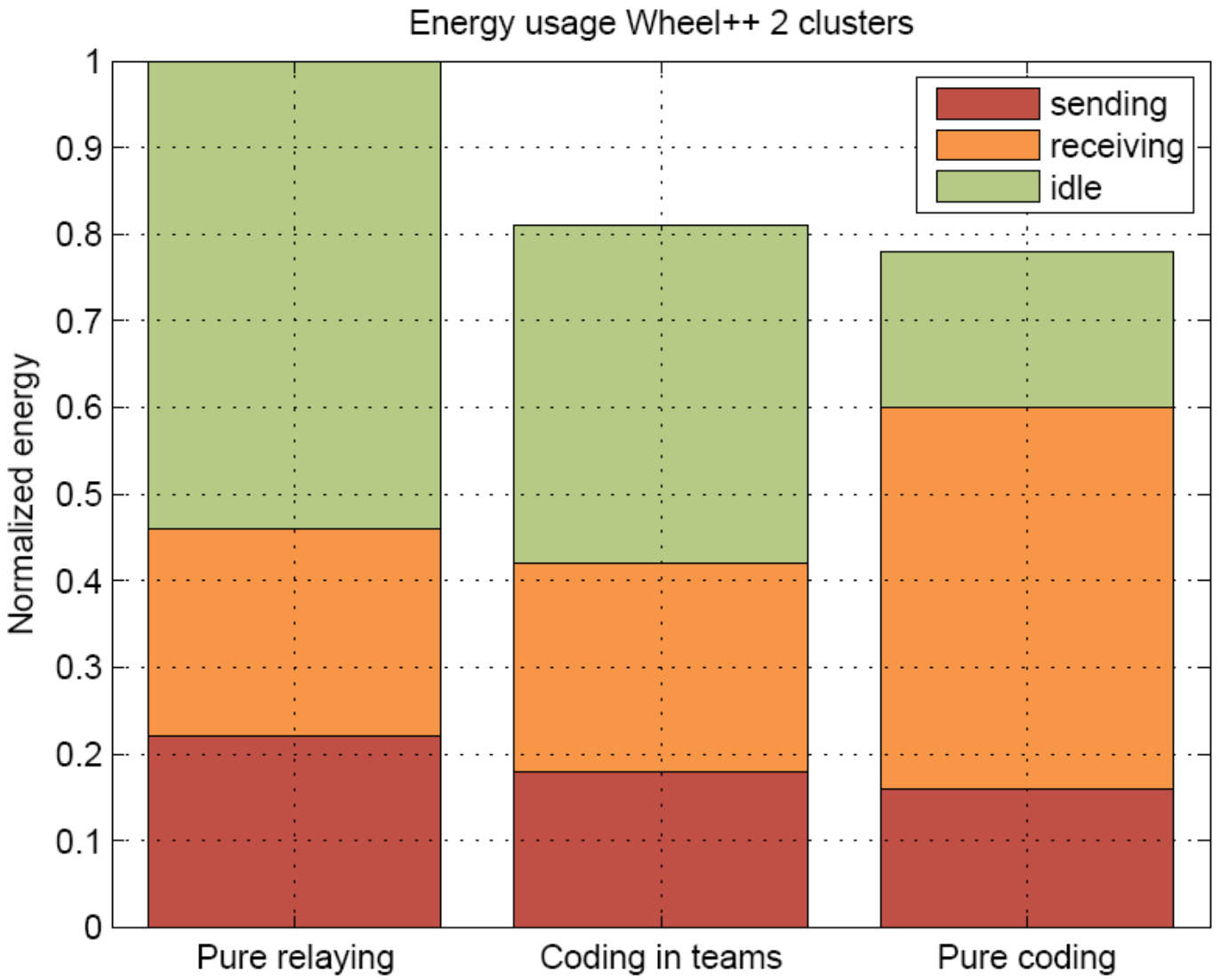
- 12 mobile devices in total
- Four flows (one per cluster)
- Each device receives cellular input
- Network coding over all cluster
- Device 2 is doing the most work

i	idle slot
r	receiving slot
s	sending unicast slot
s	broadcasting slot
s	broadcasting coded slot



	sending	receiving	idle
Phase 1	4	8	36
Phase 2	8	62	26
Phase 3	1	8	3
SUM	**13**	**78**	**65**

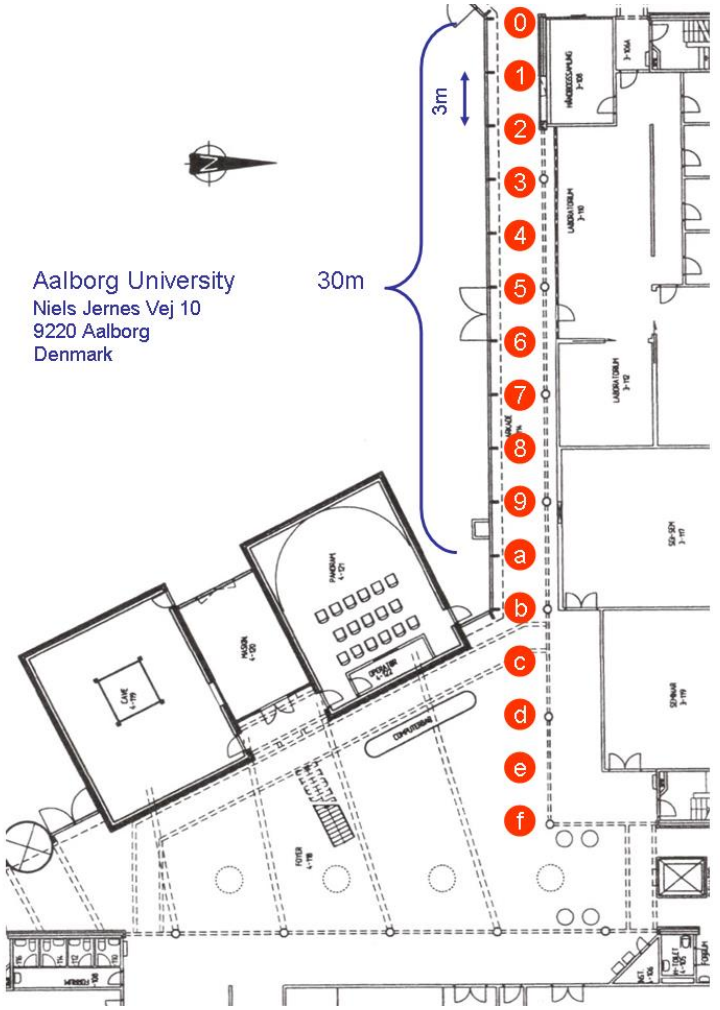
Results


Energy usage Wheel++ 2 clusters
Normalized energy
1
0.9
0.8
0.7
0.6
0.5
0.4
0.3
0.2
0.1
0
sending
receiving
idle
Pure relaying
Coding in teams
Pure coding

Energy and Channel Measurements: Point to point

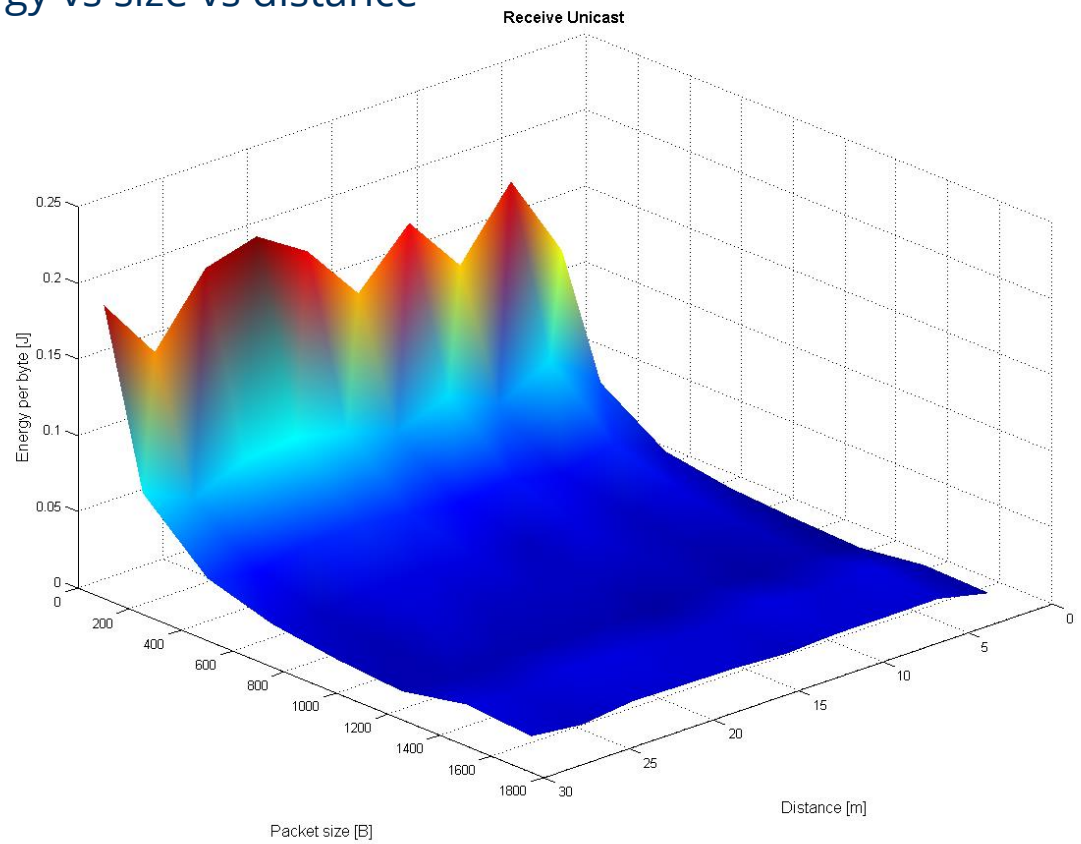
M.V. Petersen and G.P. Perrucci and F.H.P. Fitzek. **Energy and Link Measurements for Mobile Phones using IEEE802.11b/g.** 2008. in *The 4th International Workshop on Wireless Network Measurements (WiNMEE 2008) - in conjunction with WiOpt 2008*. Berlin, Germany.

Measurement Campaign for NC

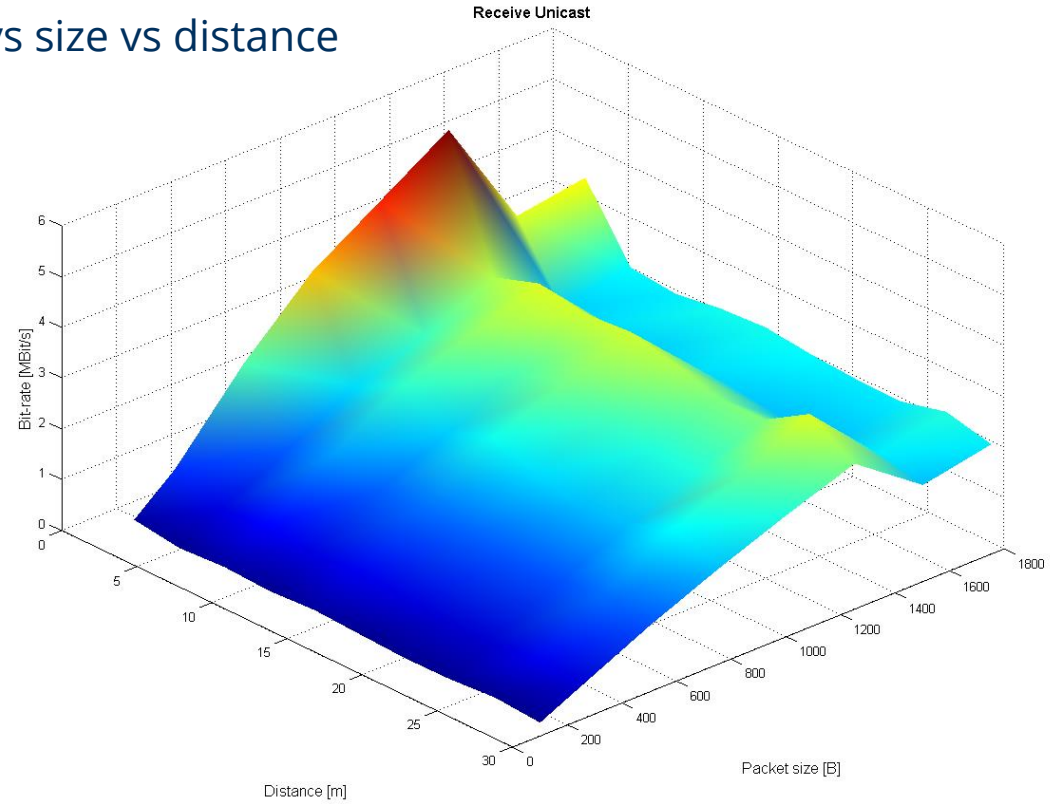


Unicast Results

Energy vs size vs distance



Data rate vs size vs distance



- Small packets have higher energy per bit ratios due to the MAC overhead
- Small increase for packets larger than MTU size

- Larger data rates for small distances
- Small decrease after MTU sizes