

# Semantics of Higher-Order Quantum Computation via Geometry of Interaction

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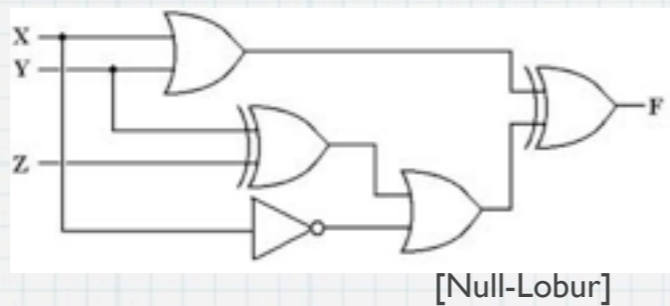
# Part 1

## Functional QPL: Some Contexts

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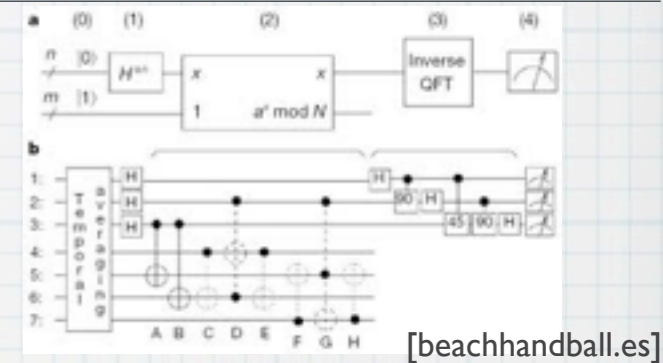


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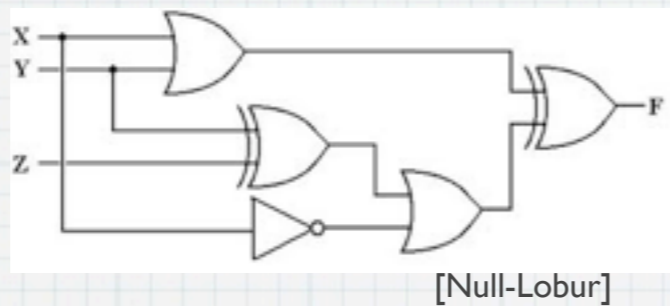




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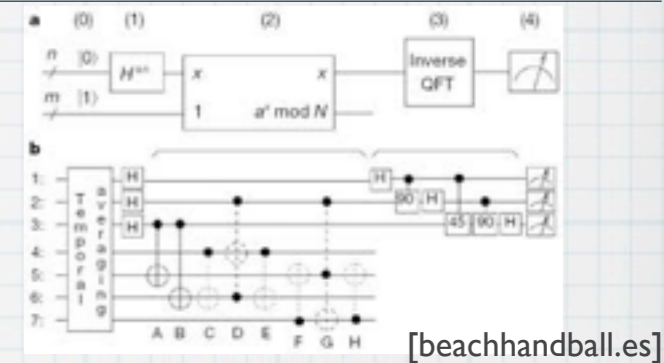


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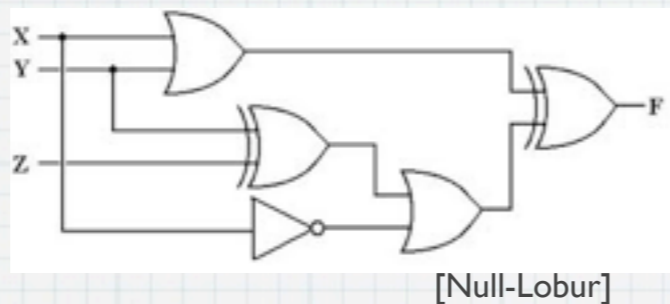
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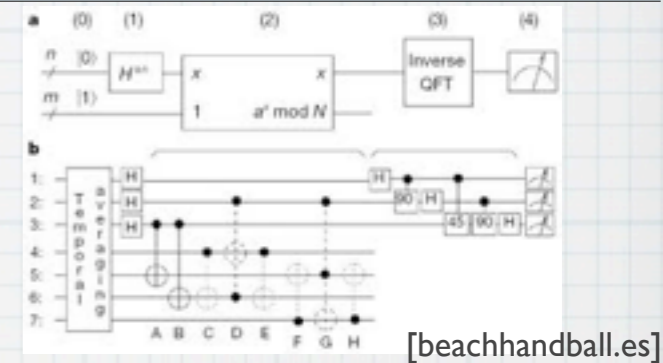
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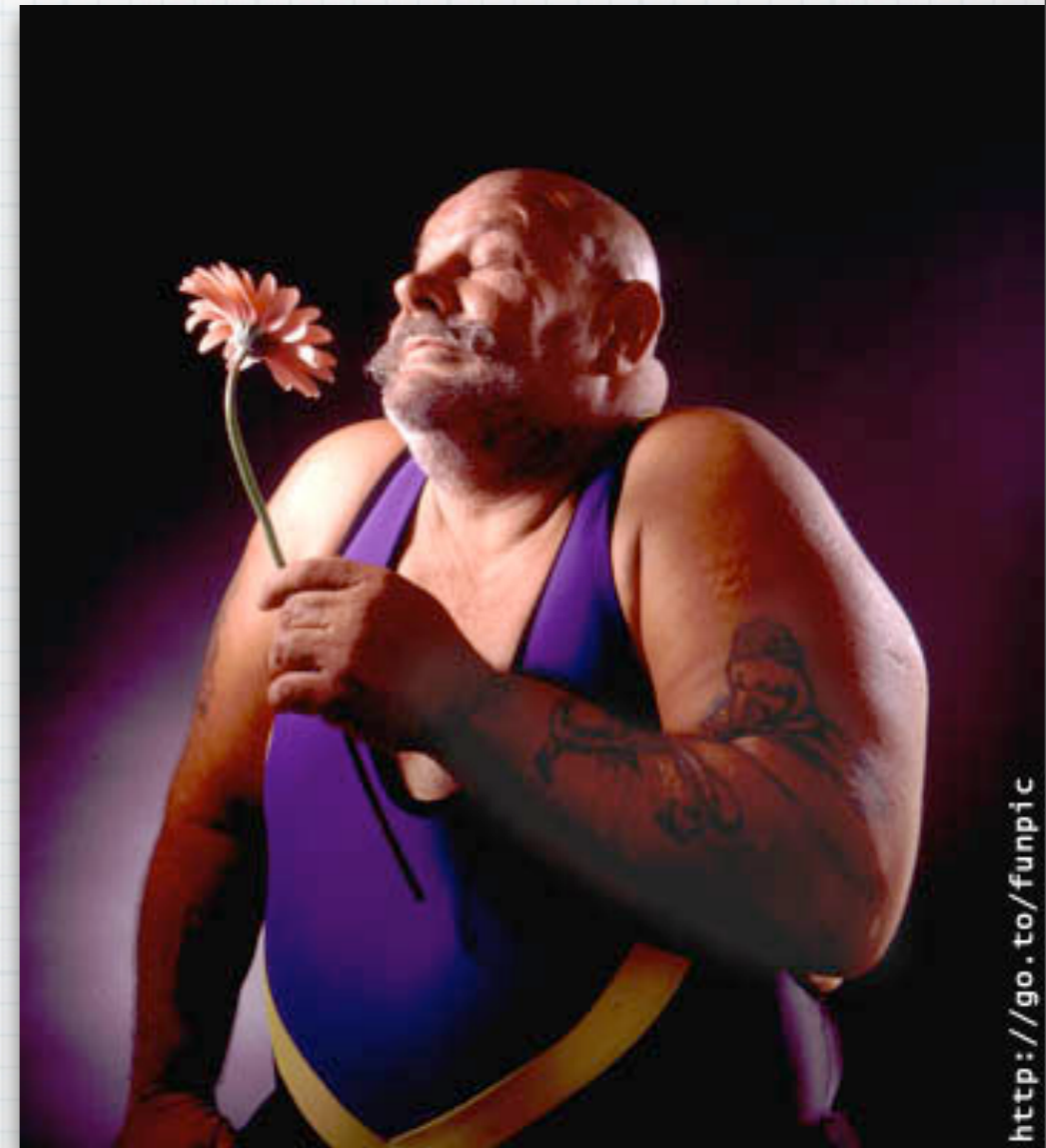
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  - \* Aids semantical study
  - \* Transfer from classical to quantum

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- \* Operational semantics: [Selinger & Valiron, '09]
- \* "Quantum closure,"  
reduction with probabilistic branching

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- \* Allows to identify **linear logic**  $\otimes$  and **quantum**  $\otimes$   
(feature of the Selinger-Valiron language; not in ours)

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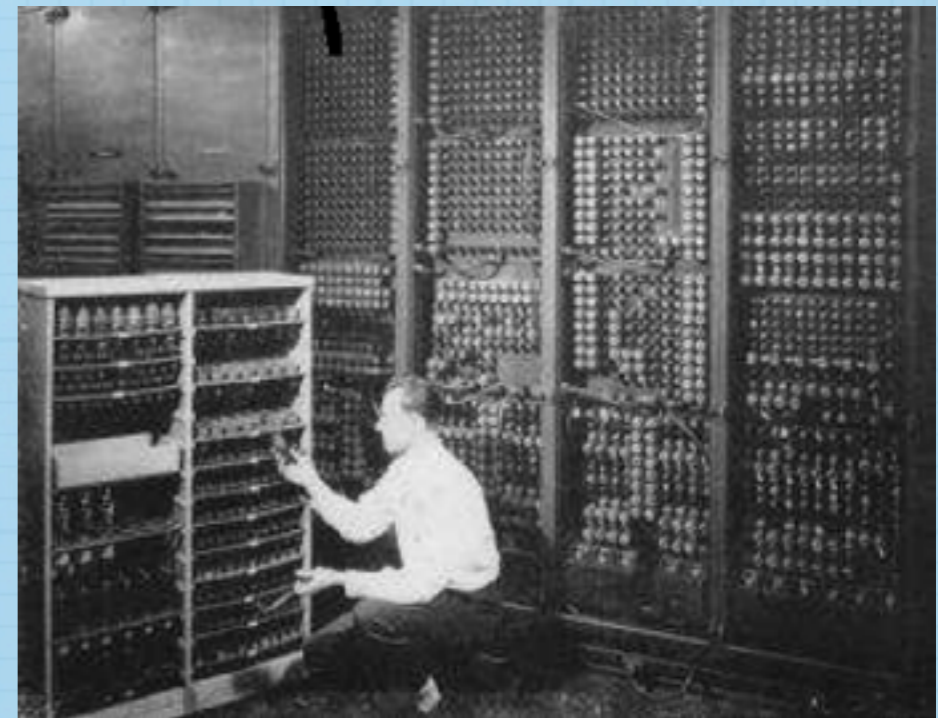
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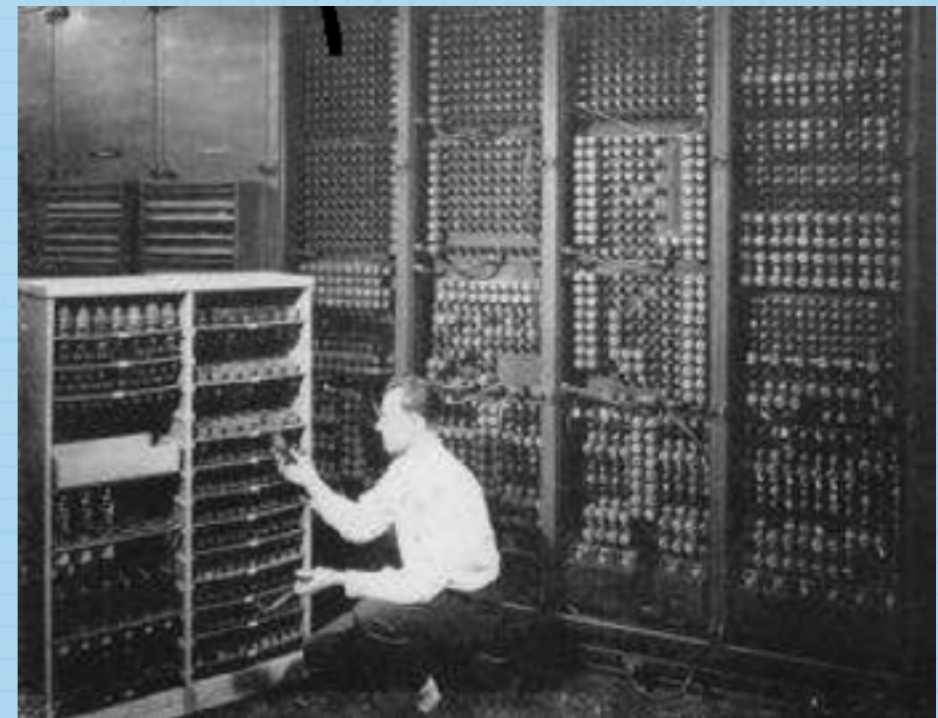
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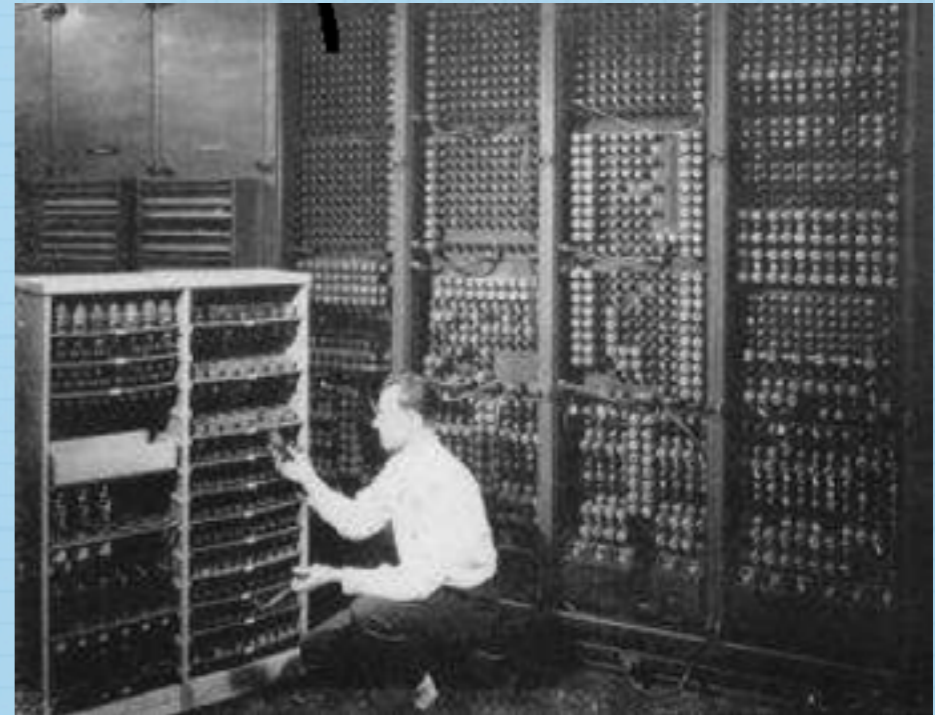
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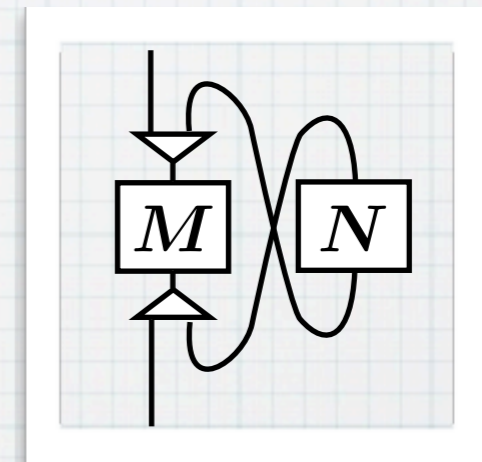
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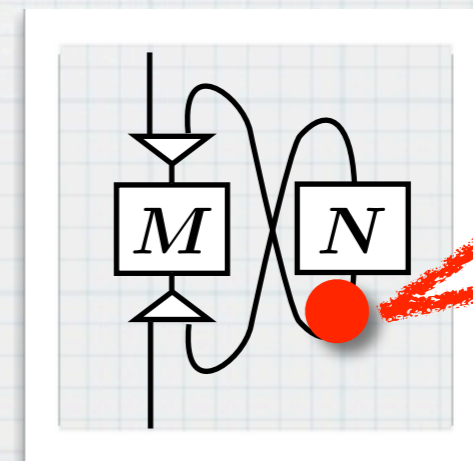
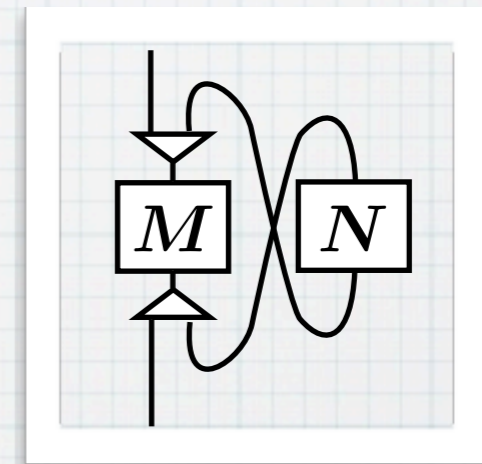
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- \* We add a **quantum layer** to GoI

- \* → "Quantum data, classical control"

- \* Used: theory of coalgebra

[Hasuo, Jacobs, Sokolova '07] [Jacobs '10]



quantum  
state

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# Part 2

## The Categorical GoI Workflow

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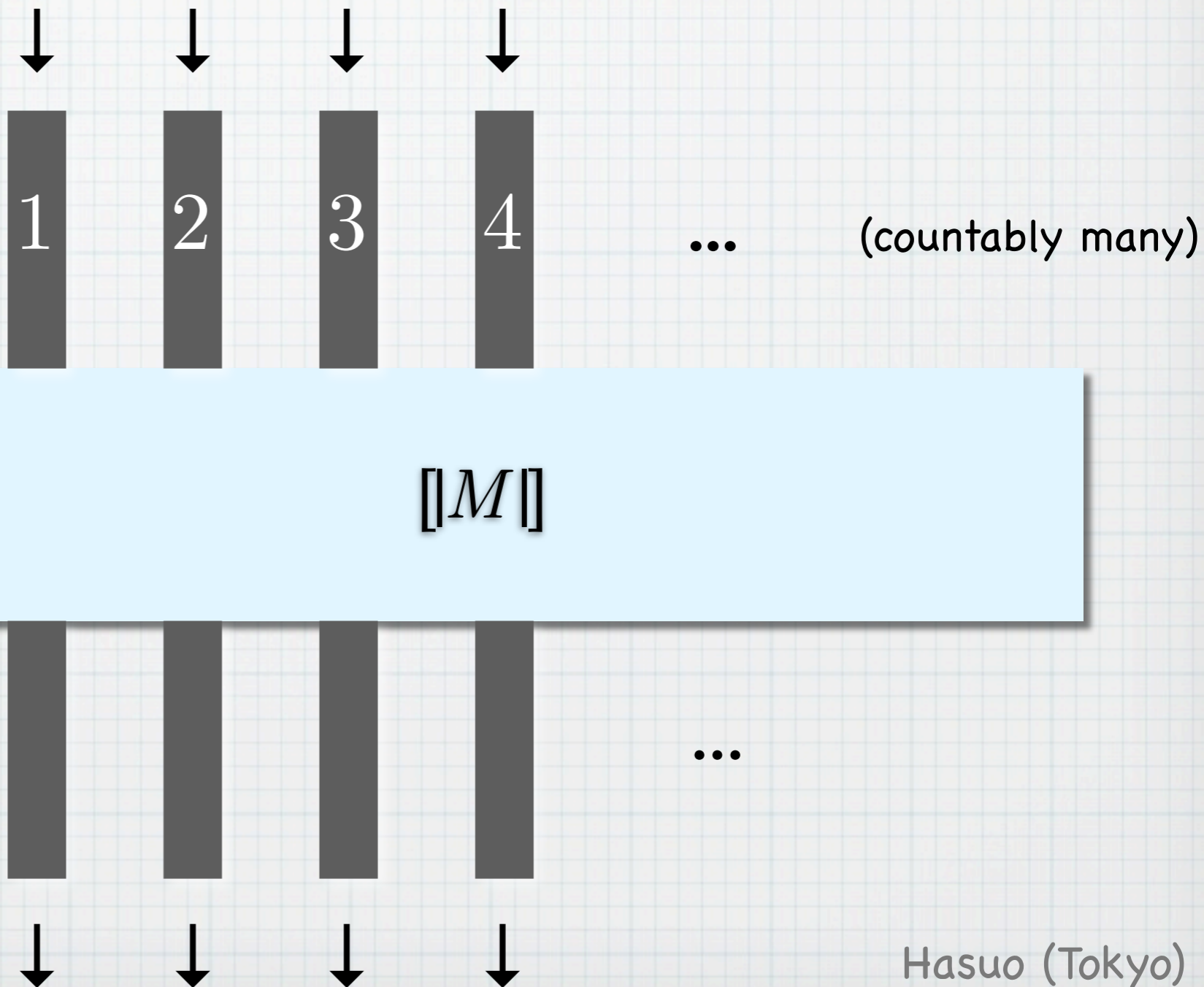
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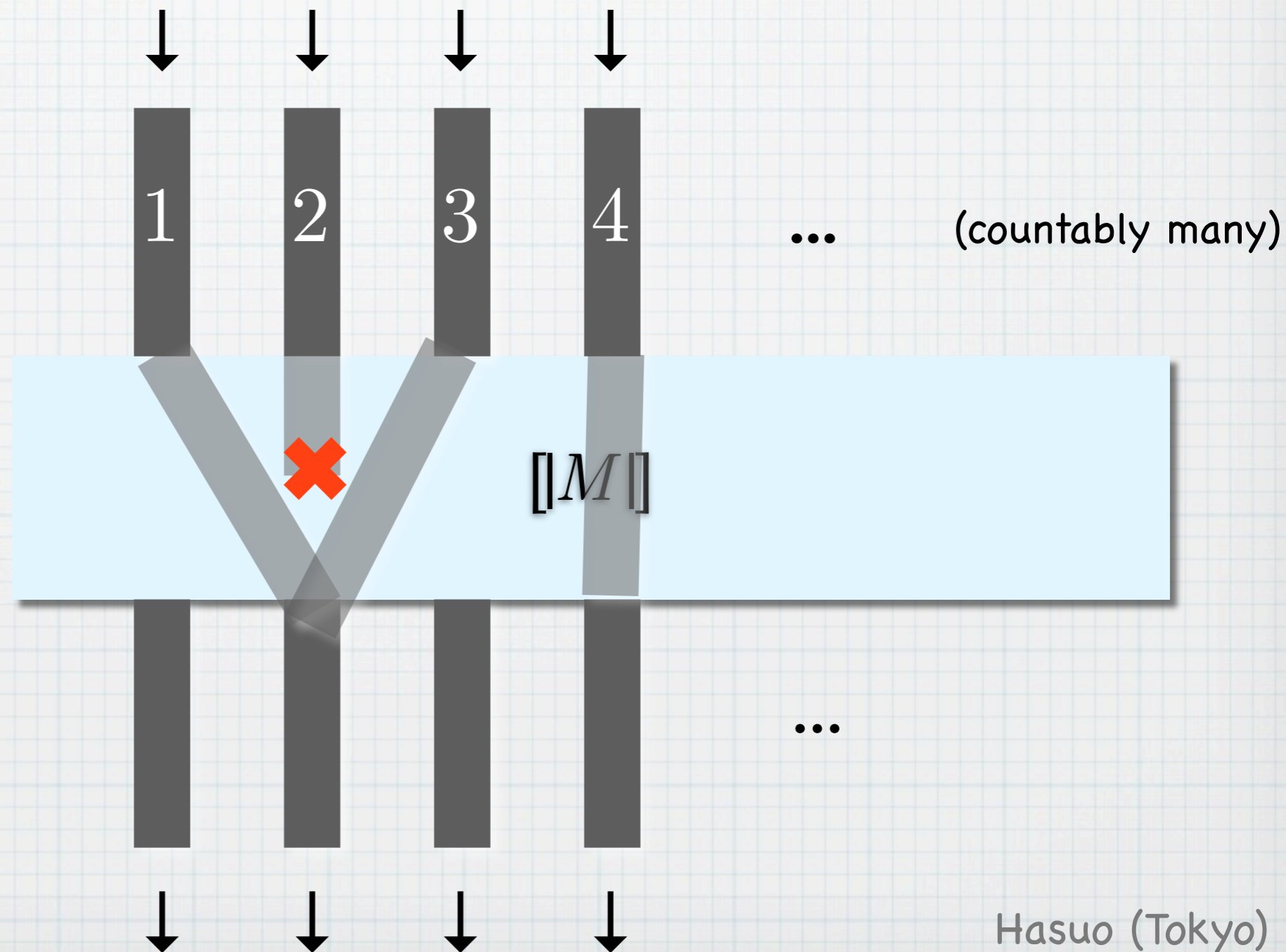
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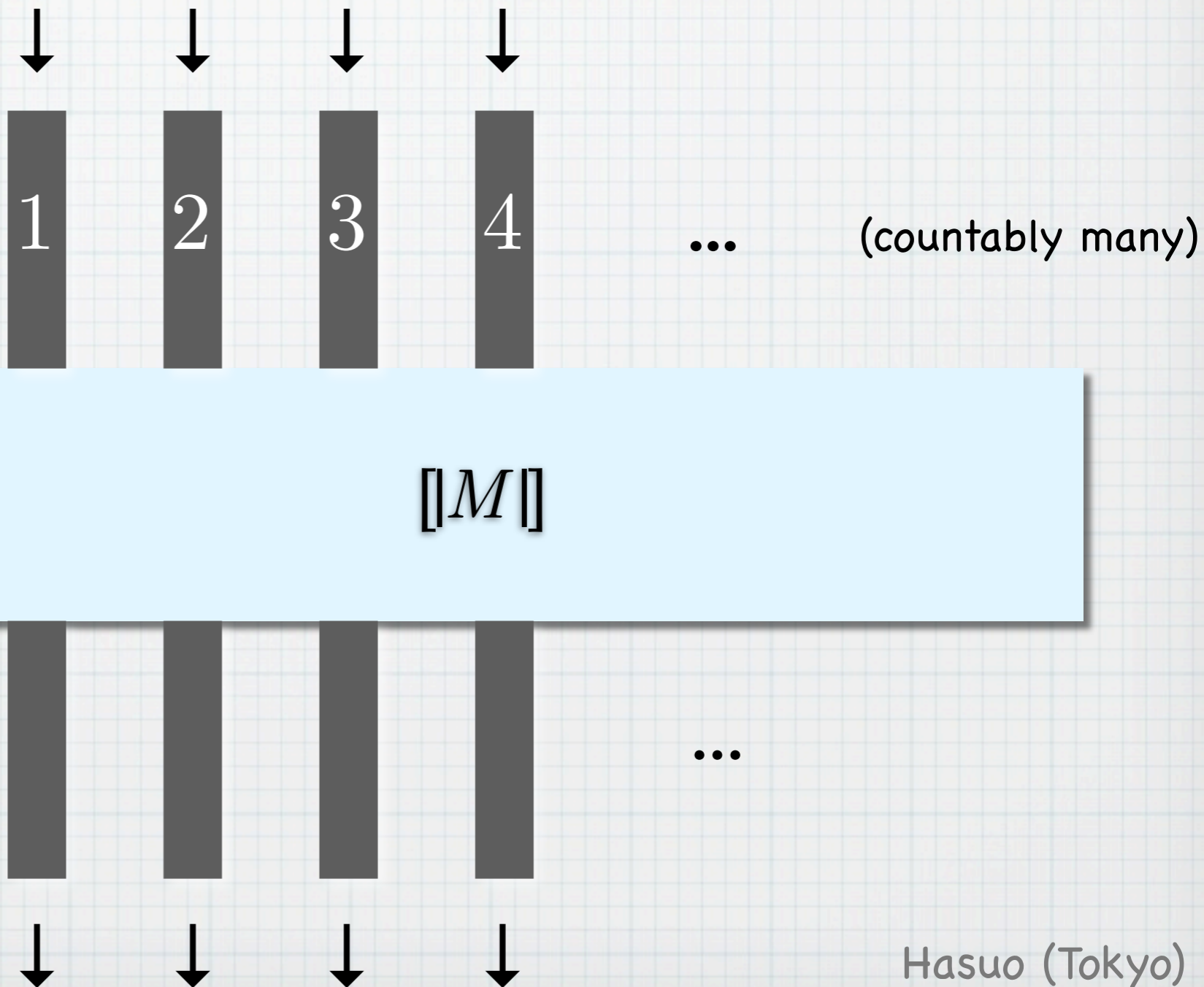


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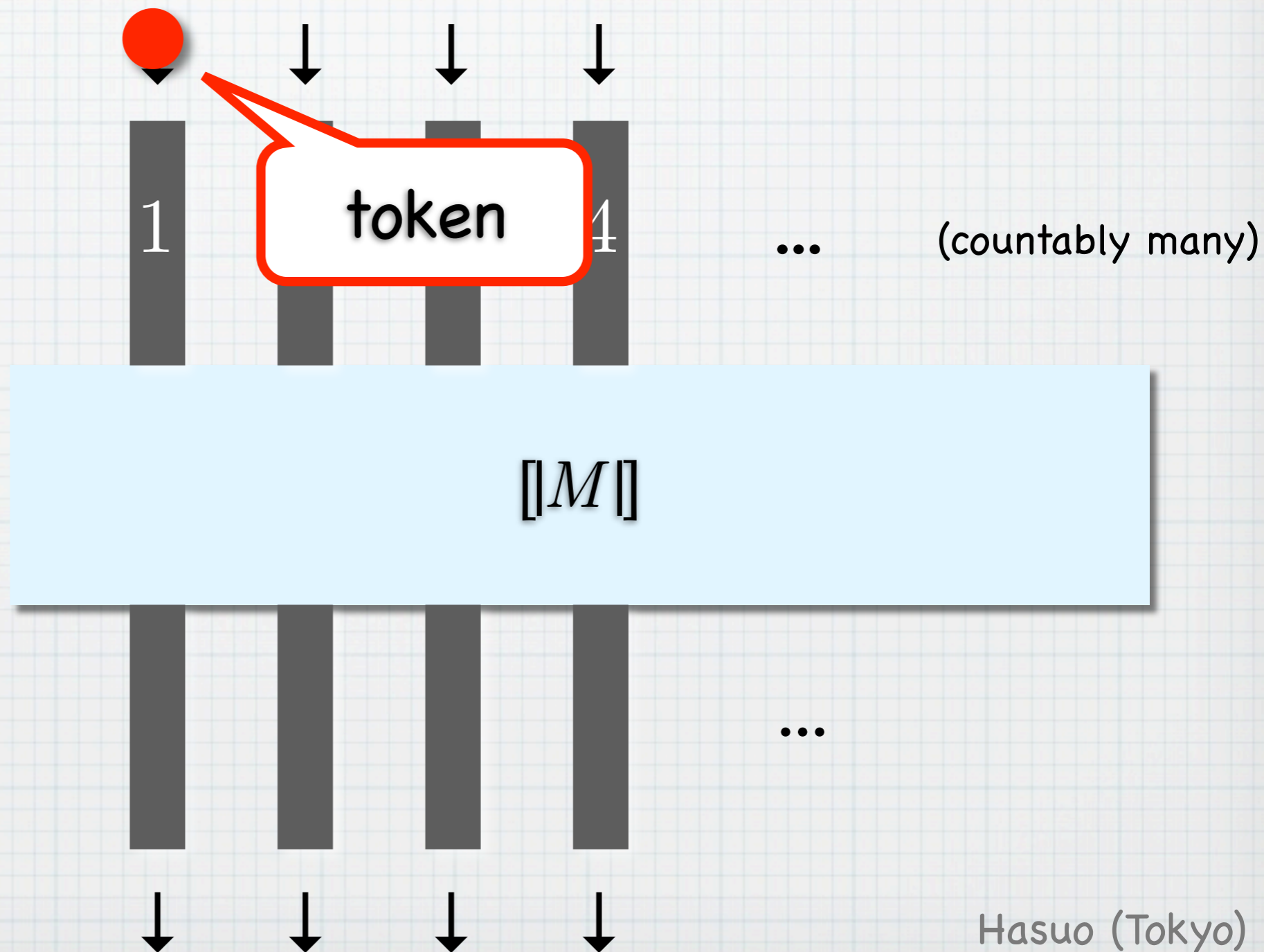


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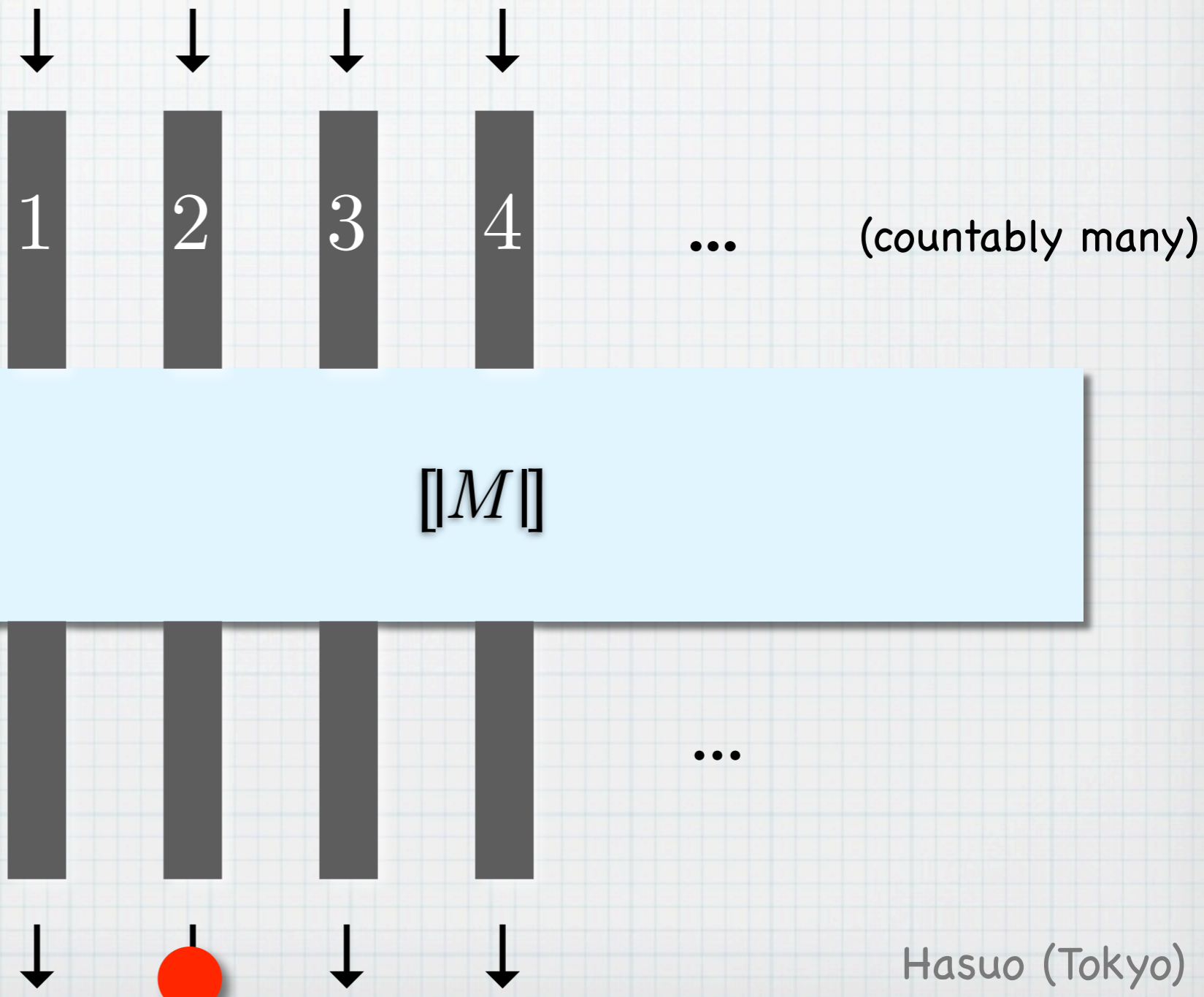


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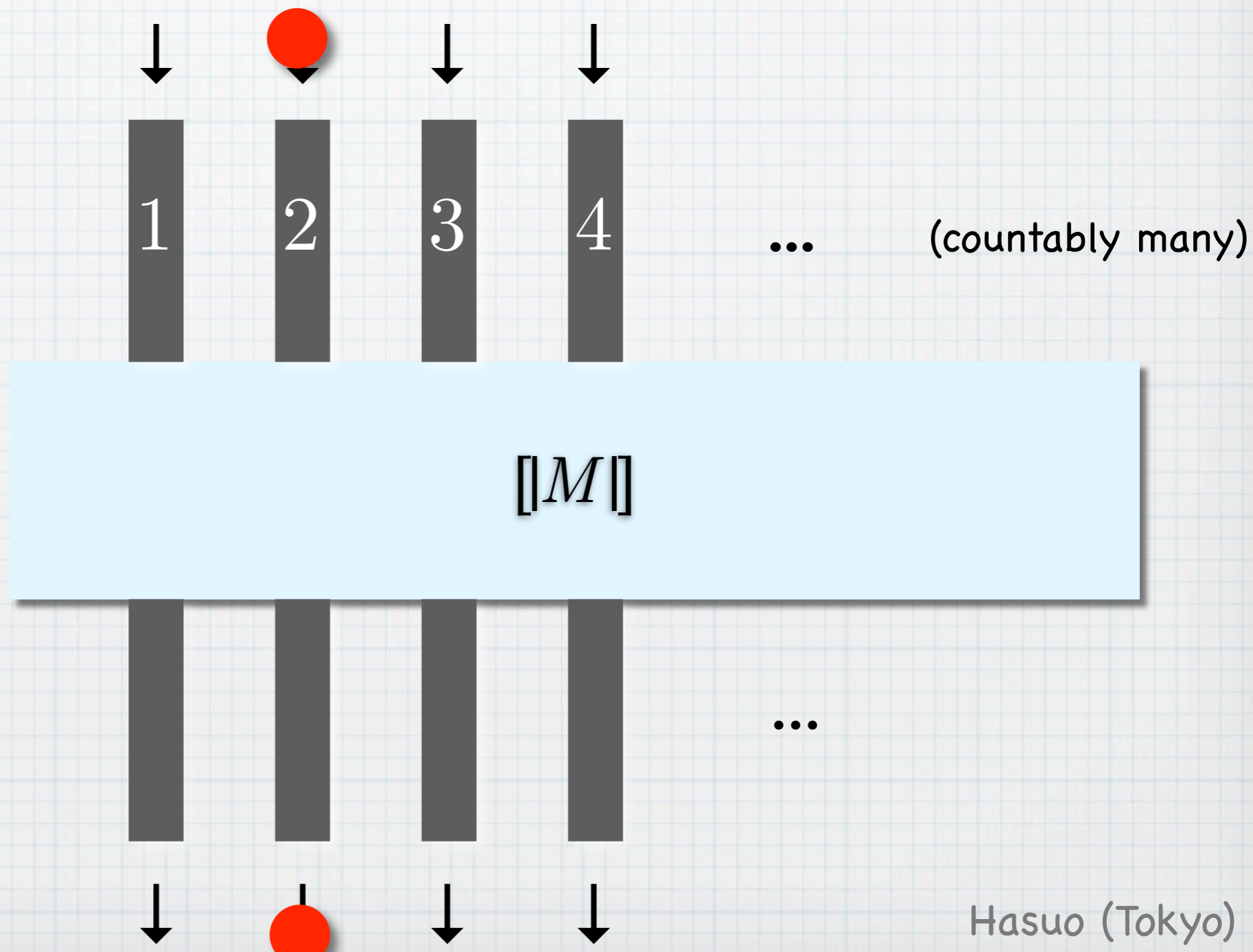


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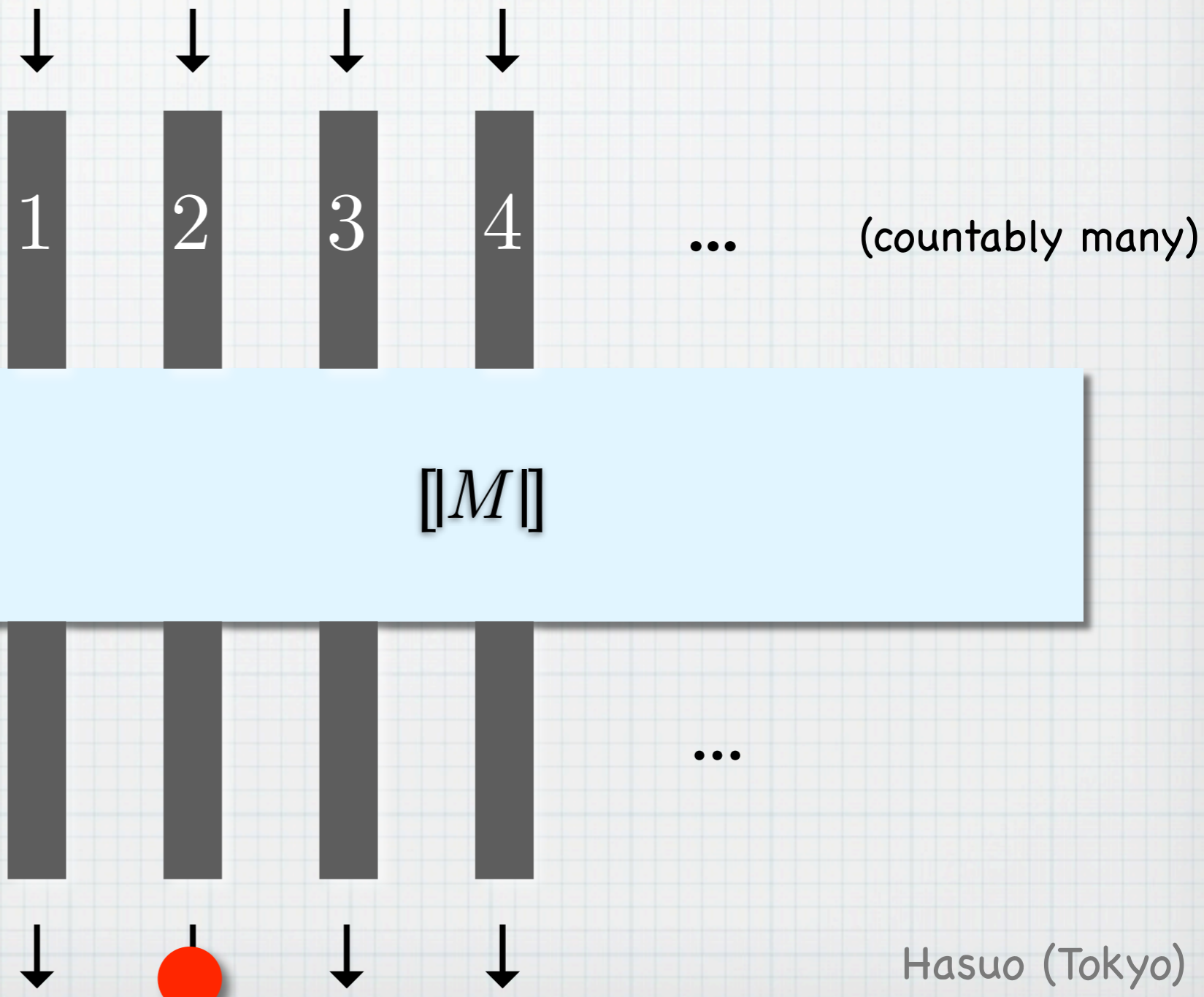


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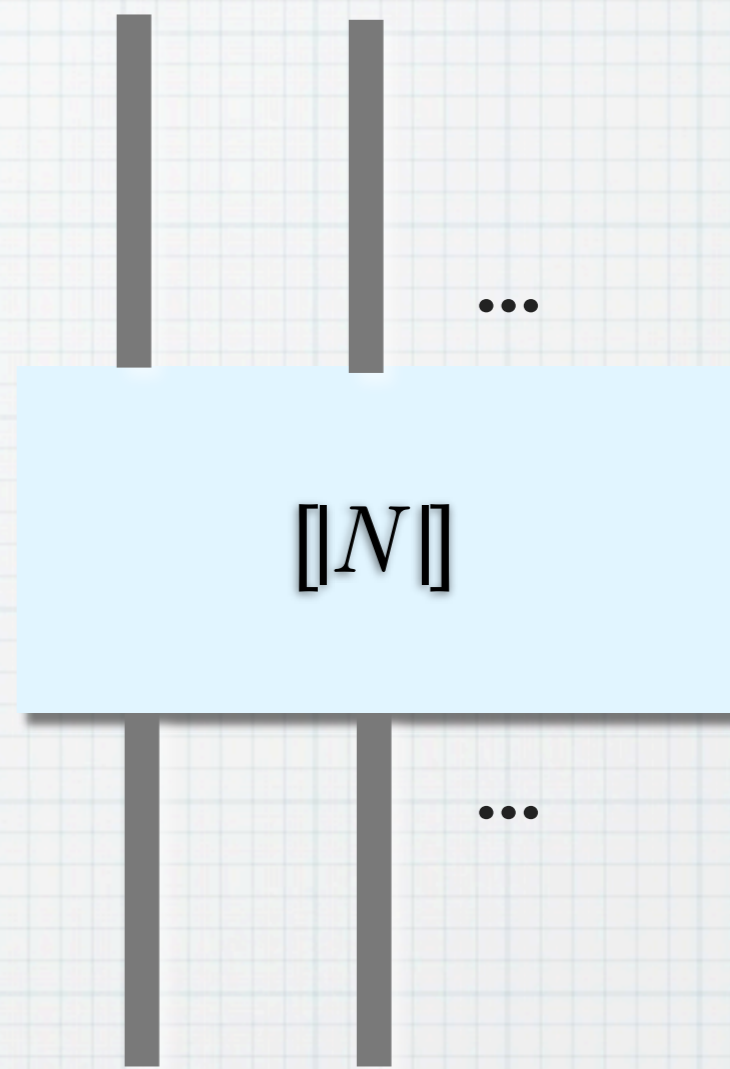
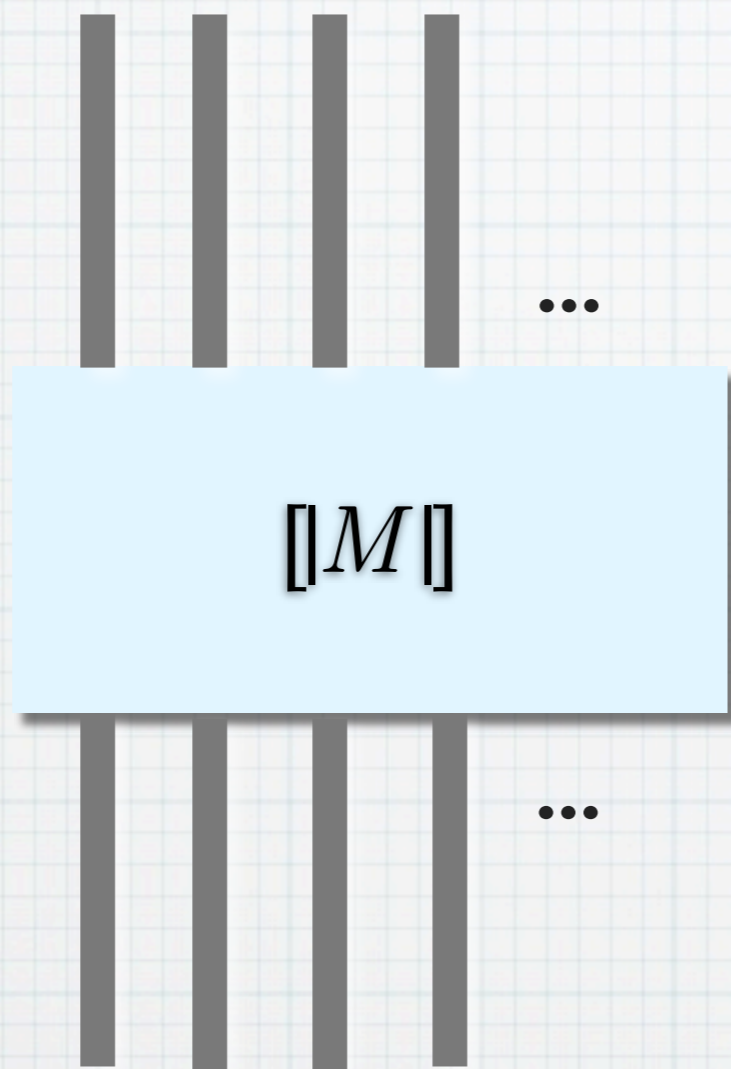


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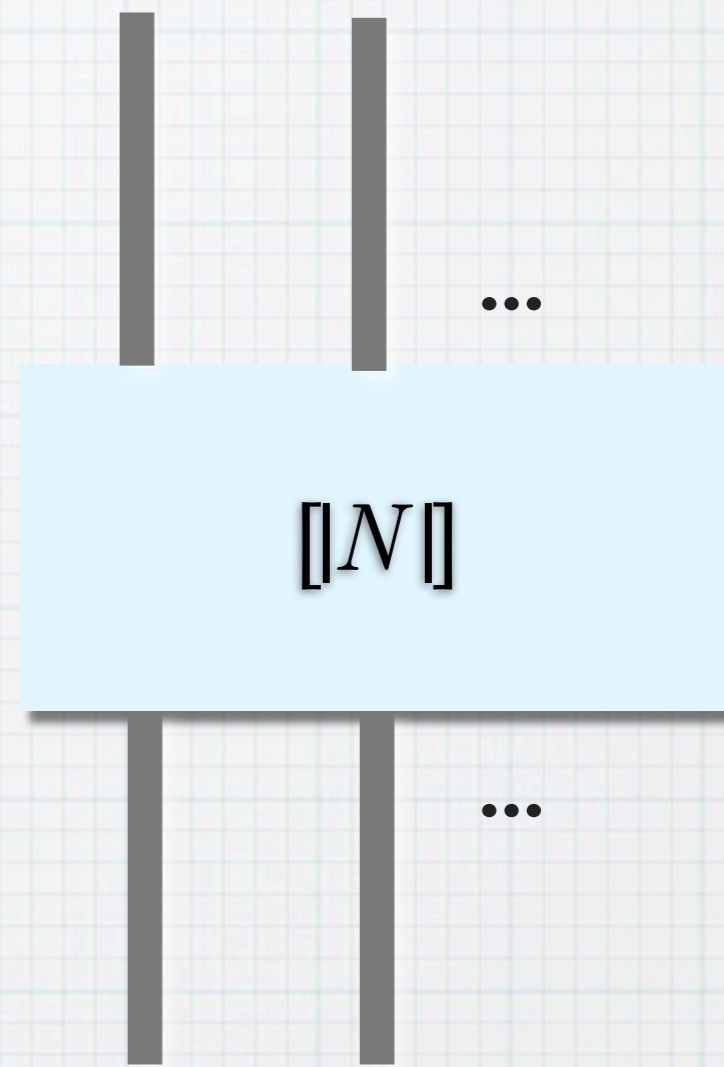
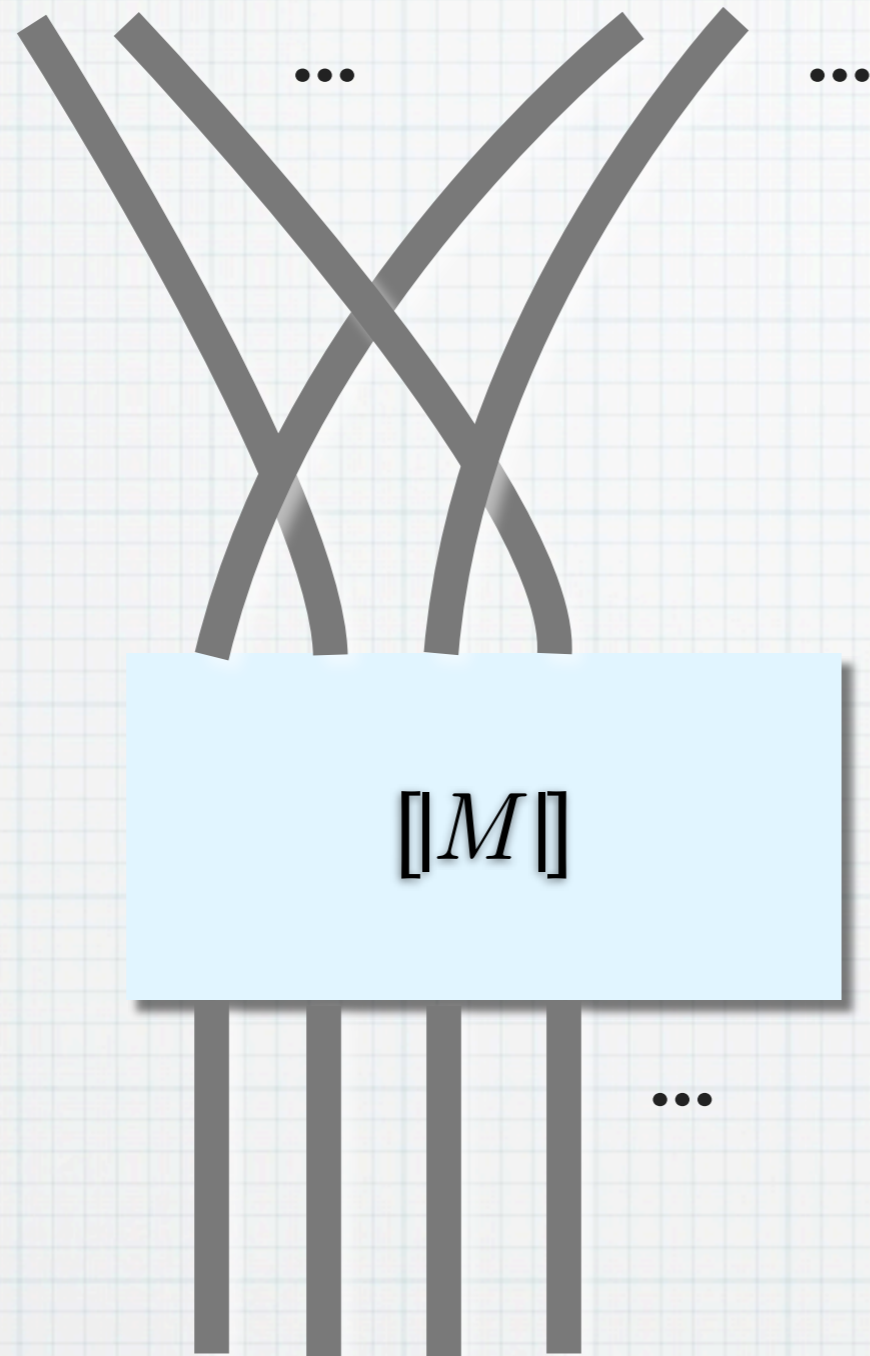
- \* by “parallel composition + hiding”

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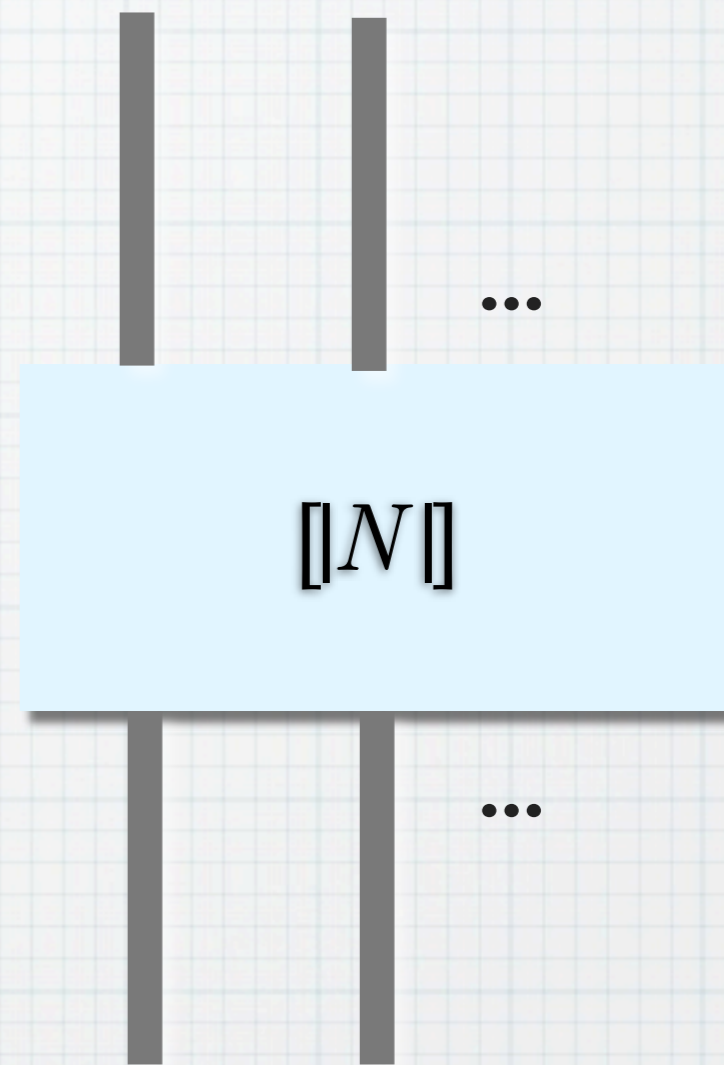
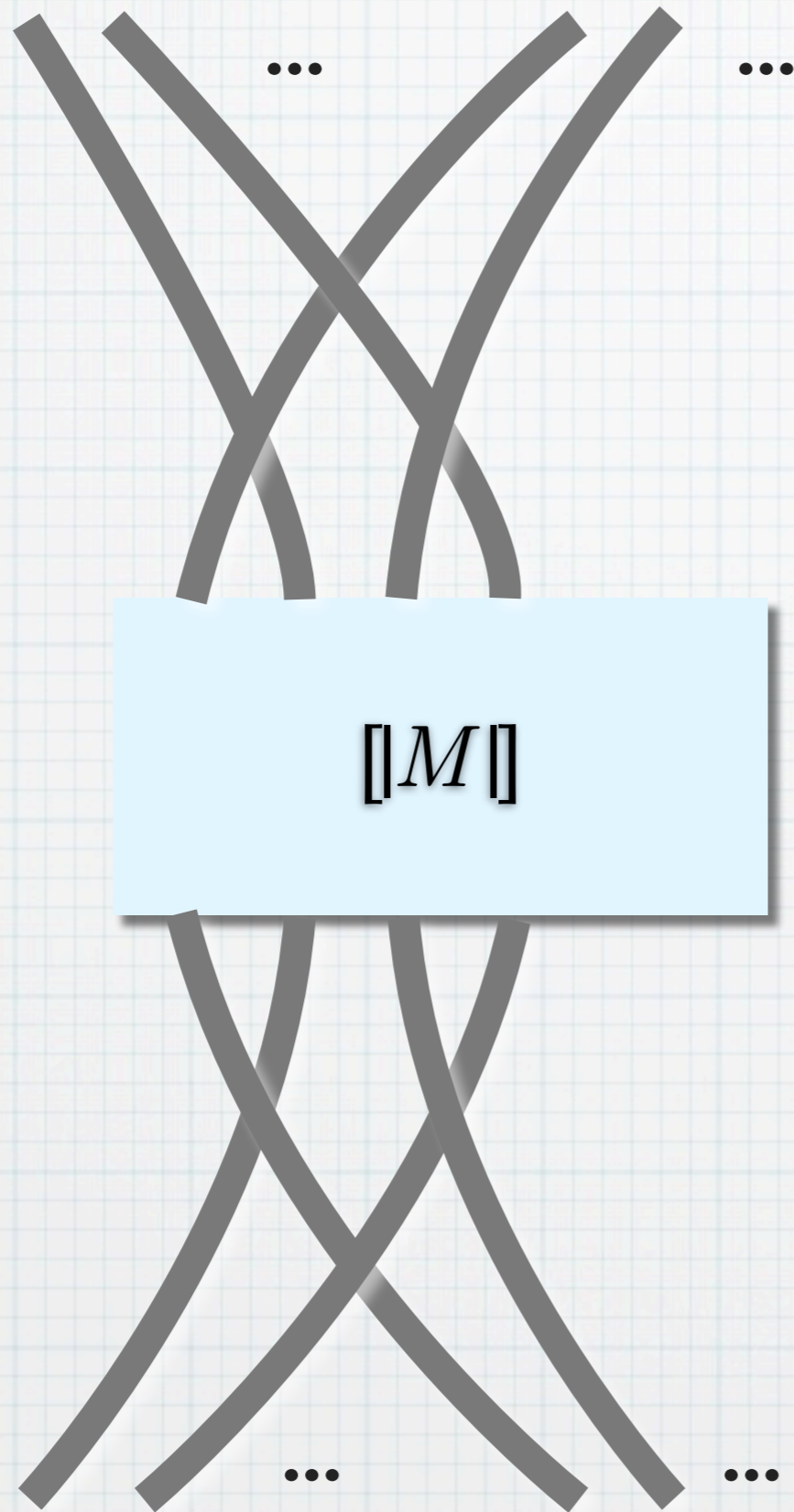




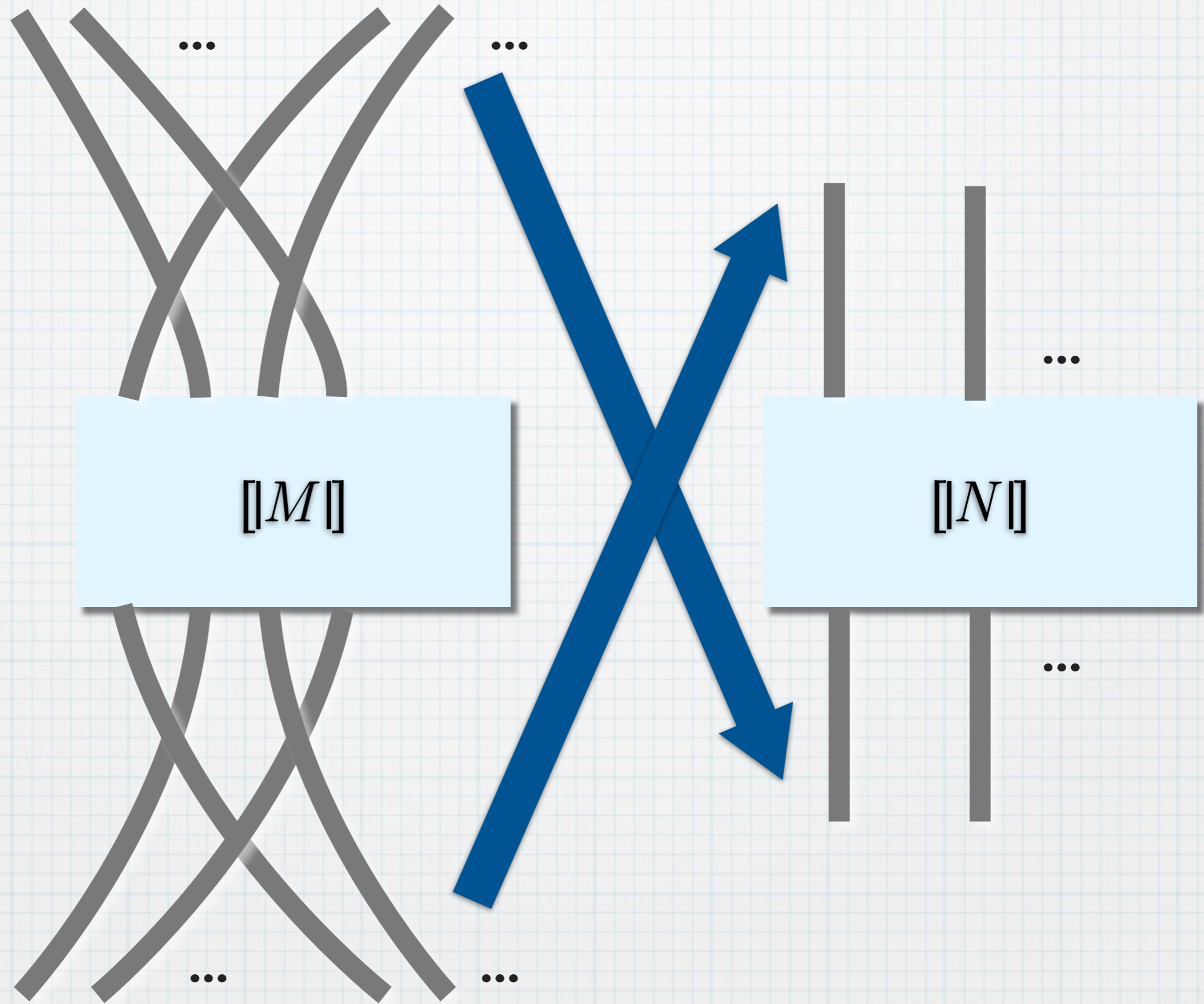
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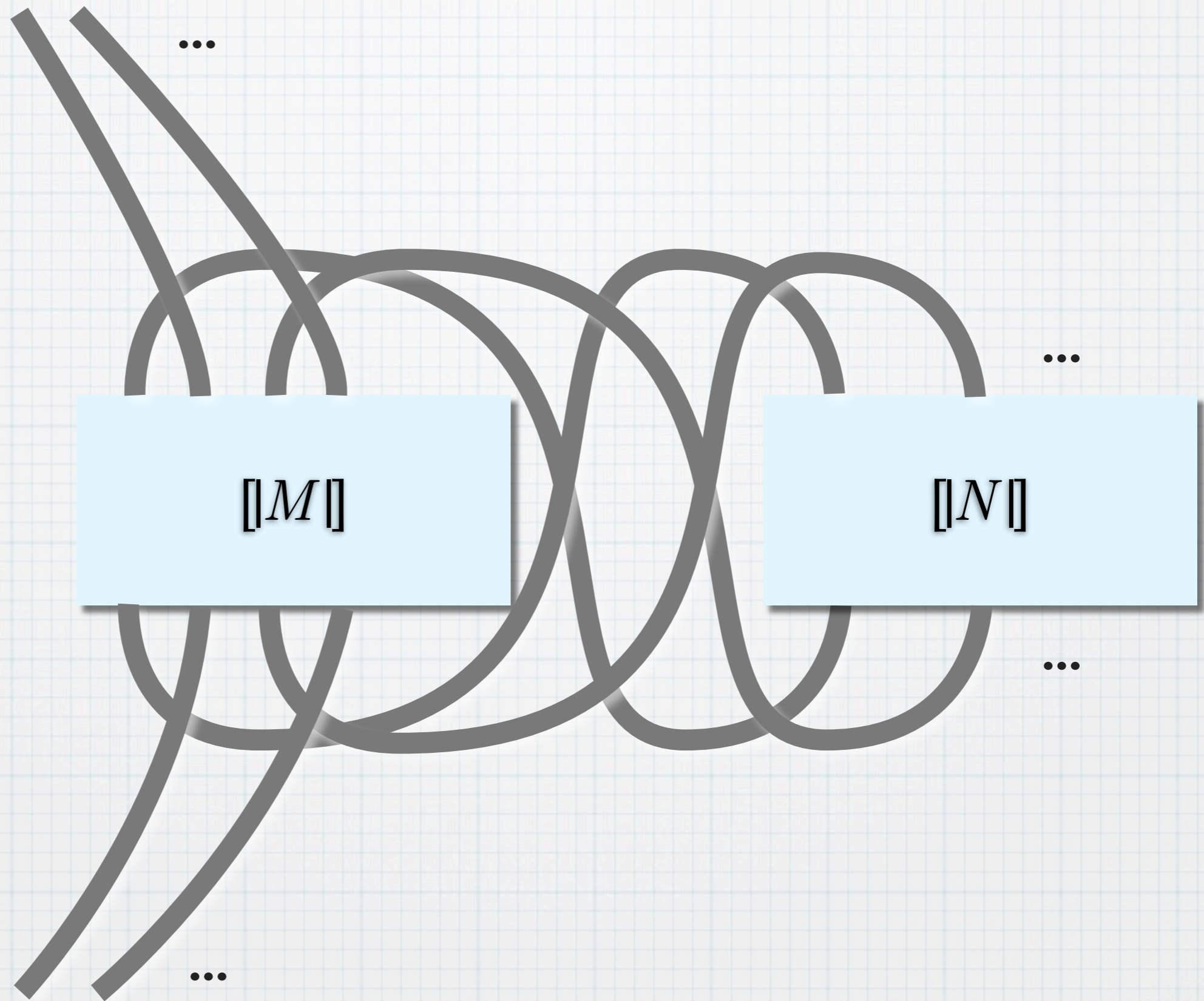
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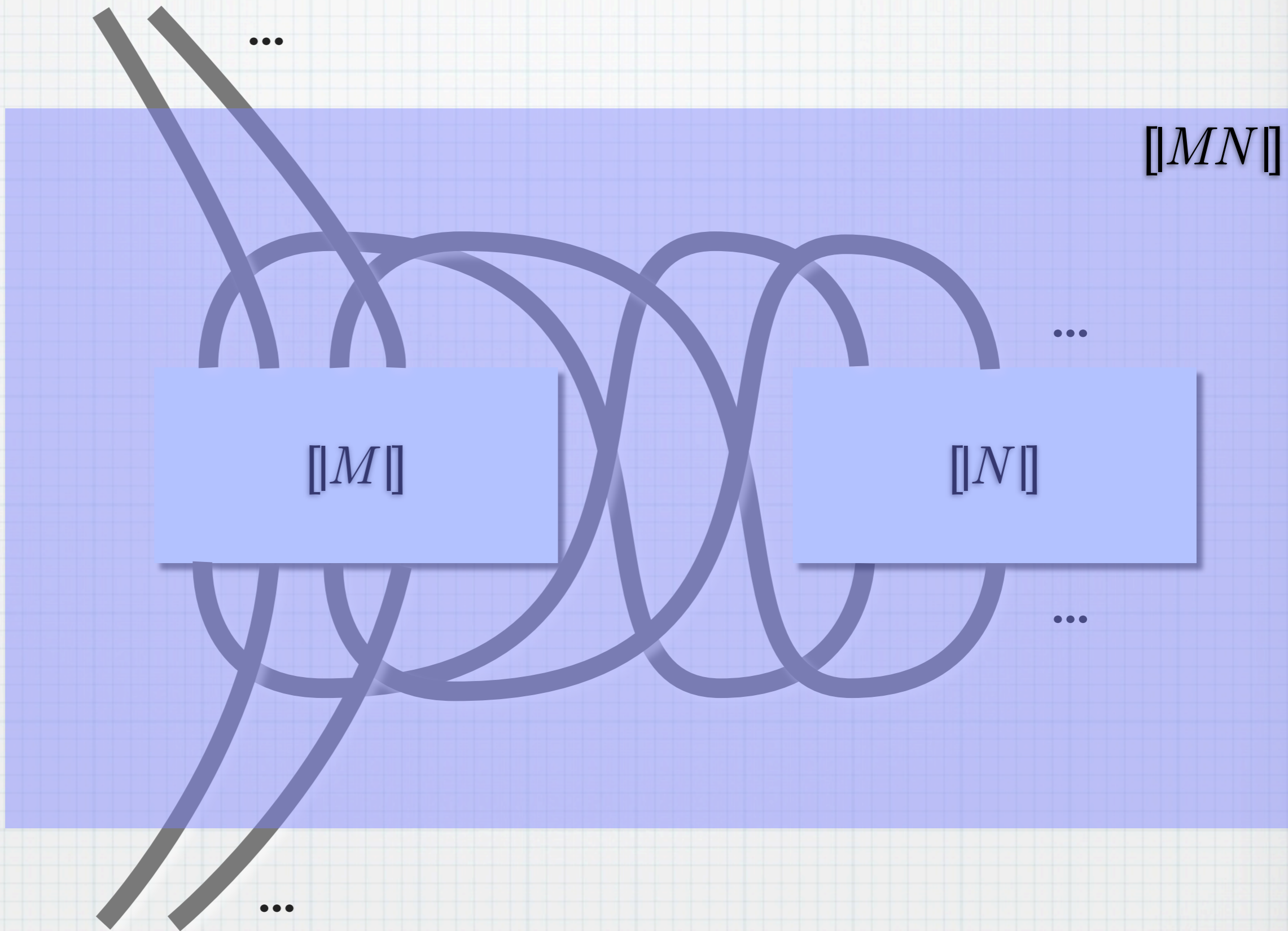
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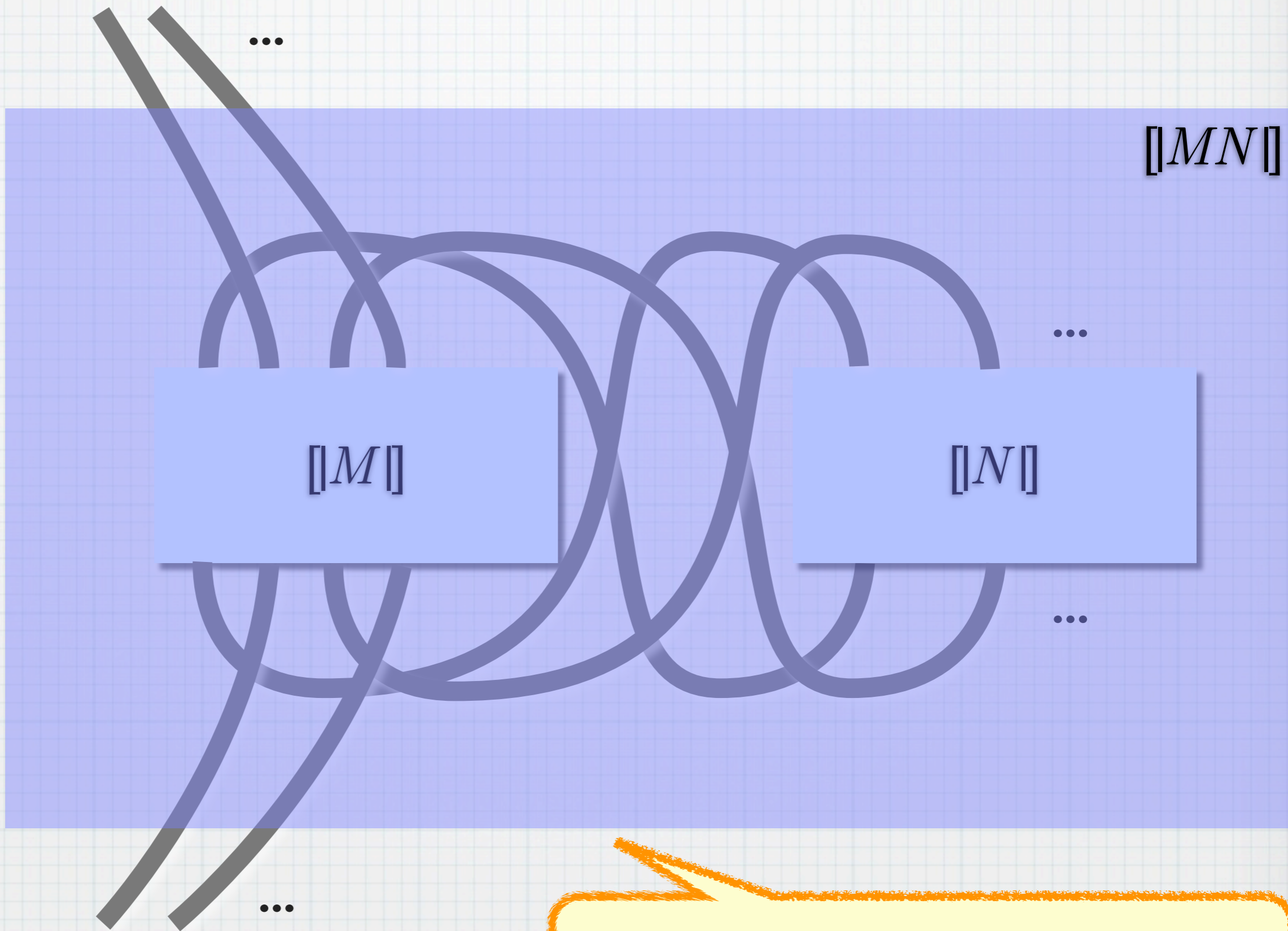
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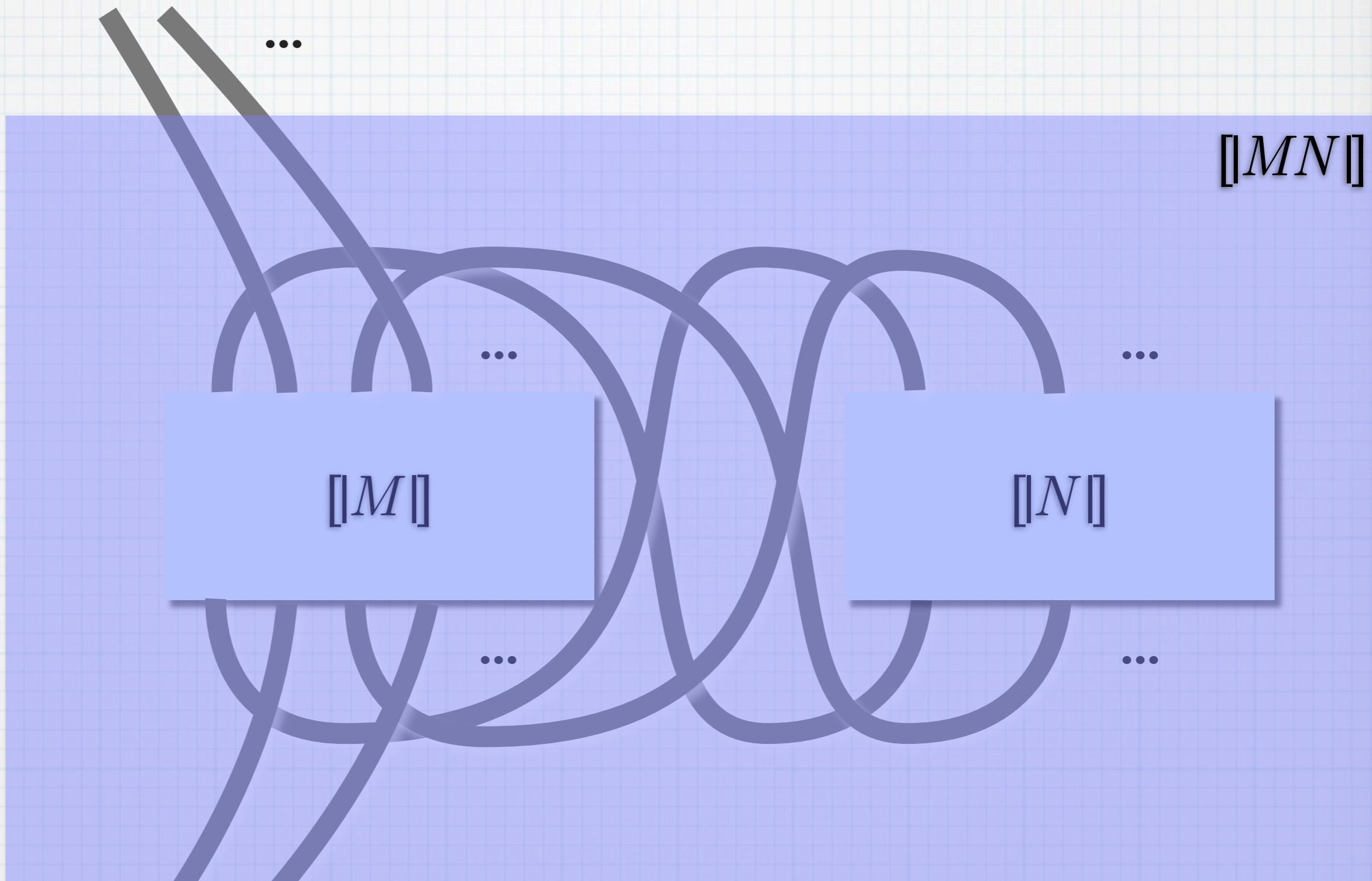


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“parallel composition + hiding”  
(cf. games)

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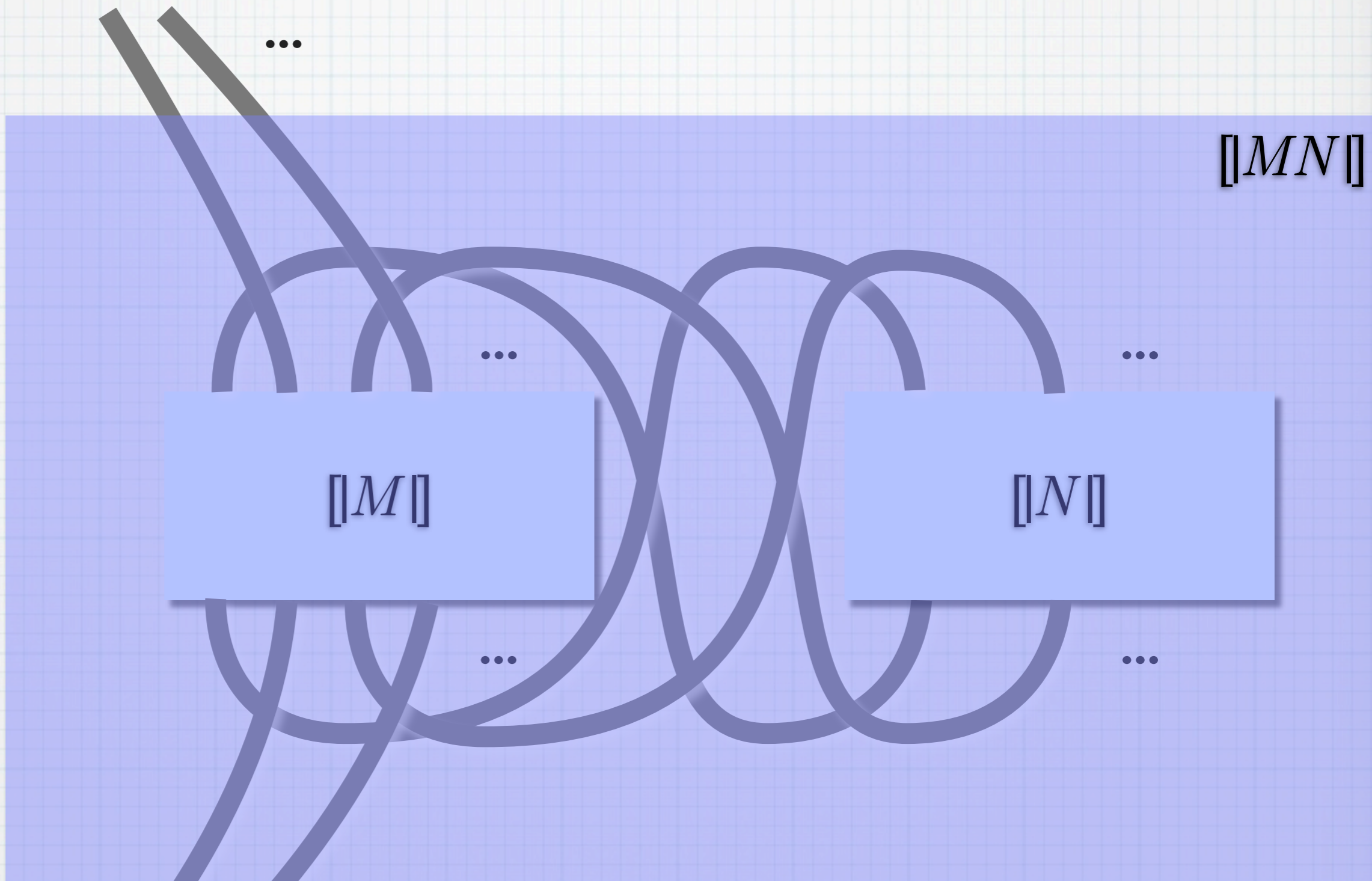
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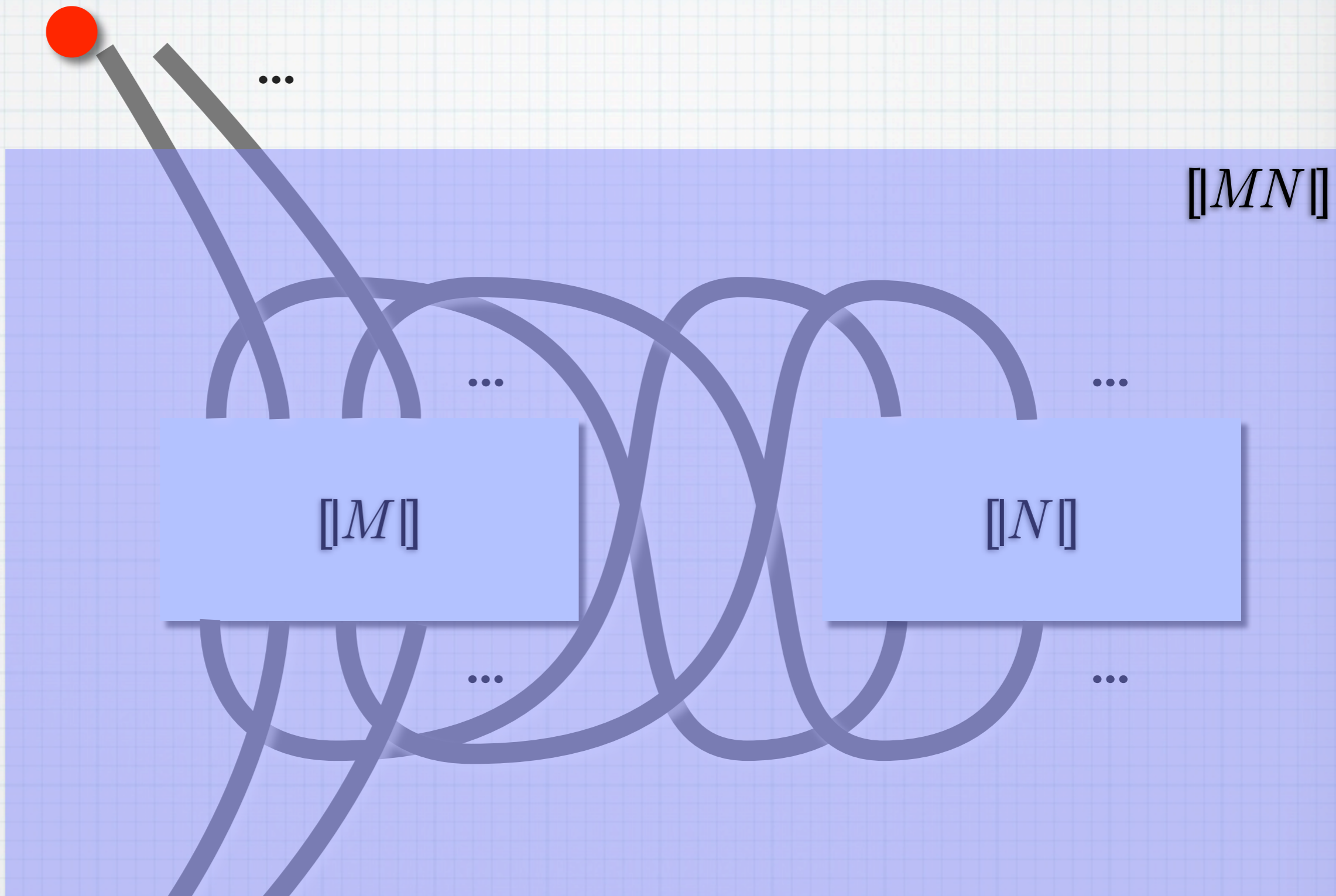
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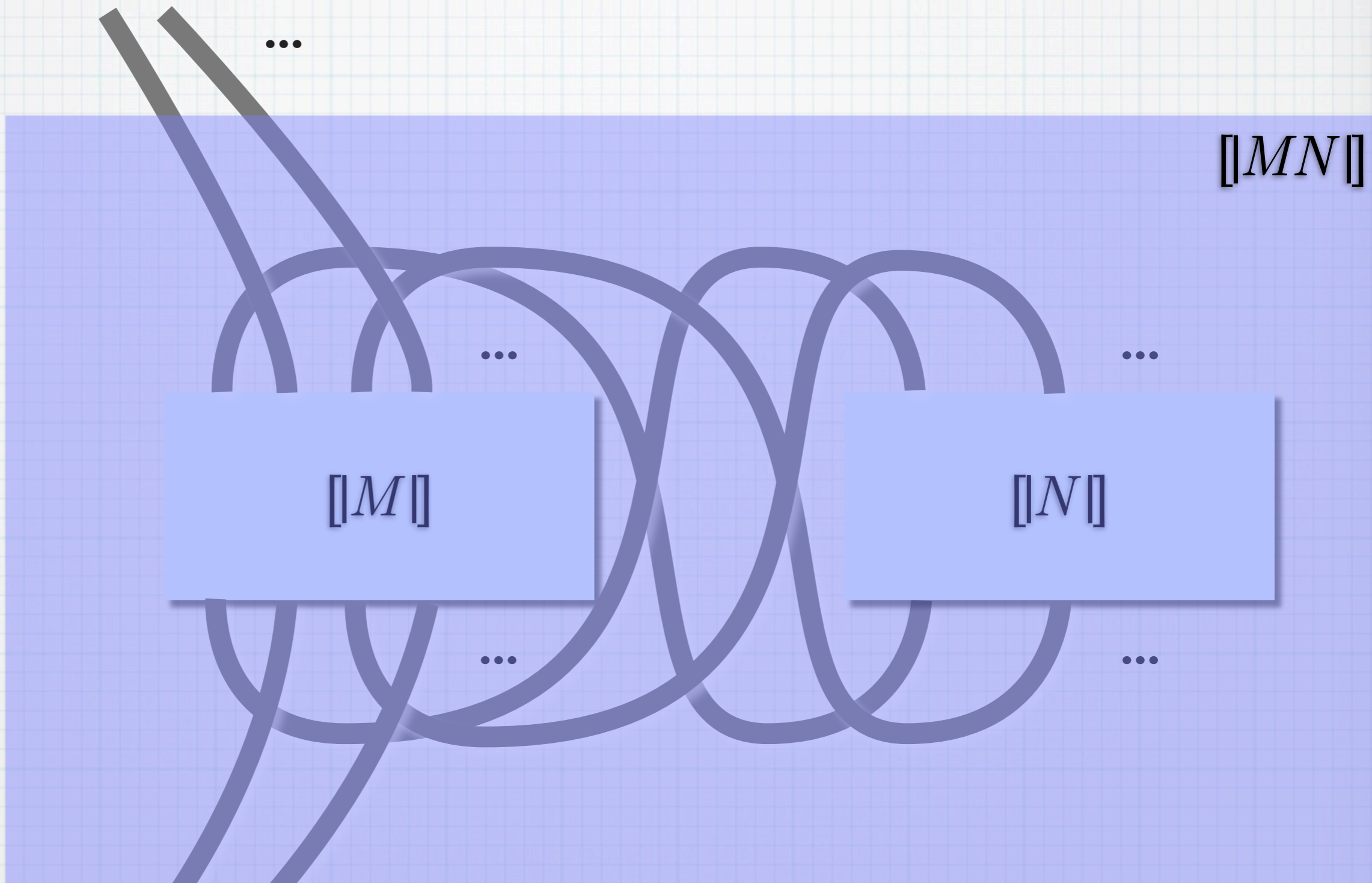


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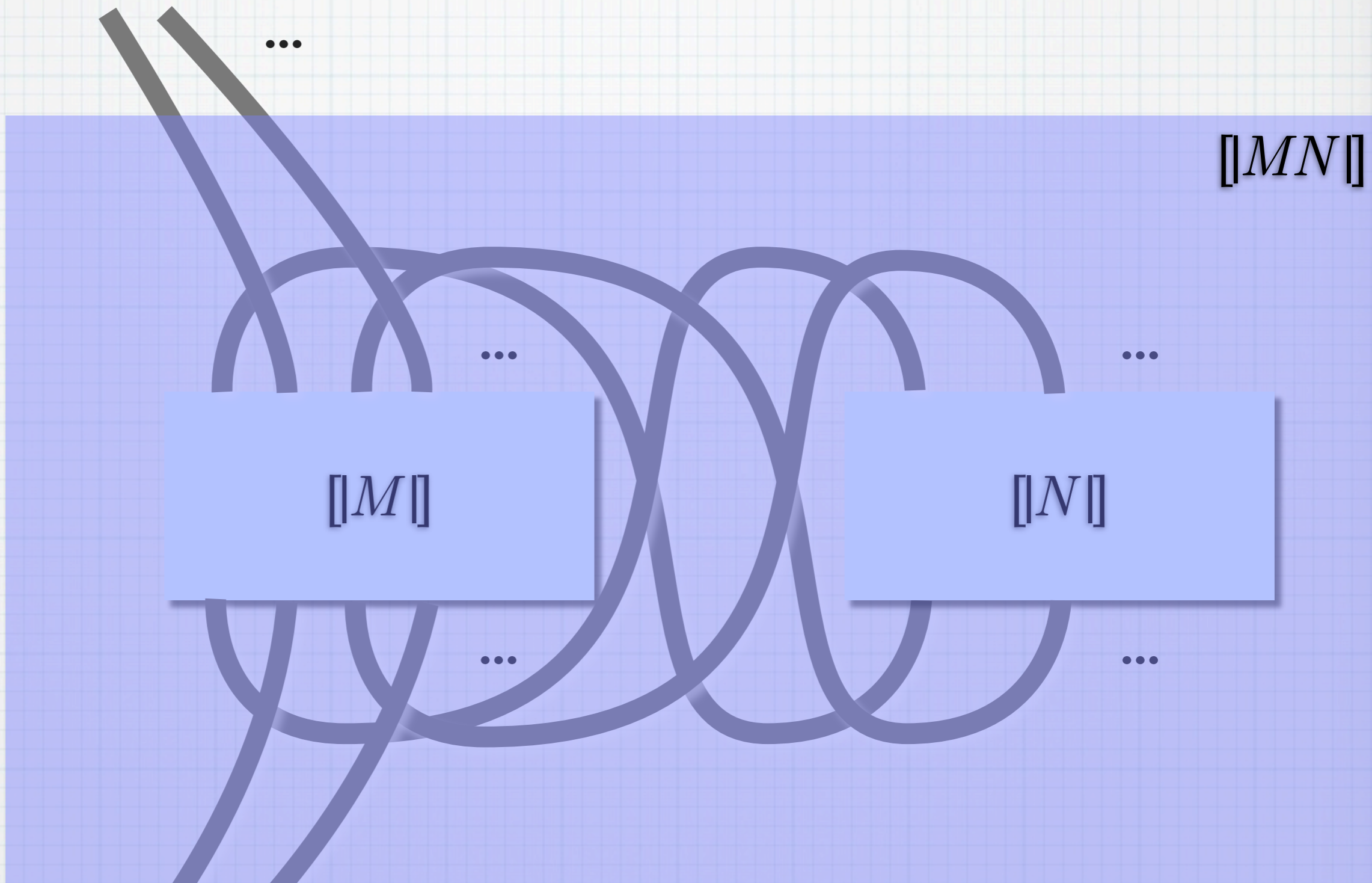
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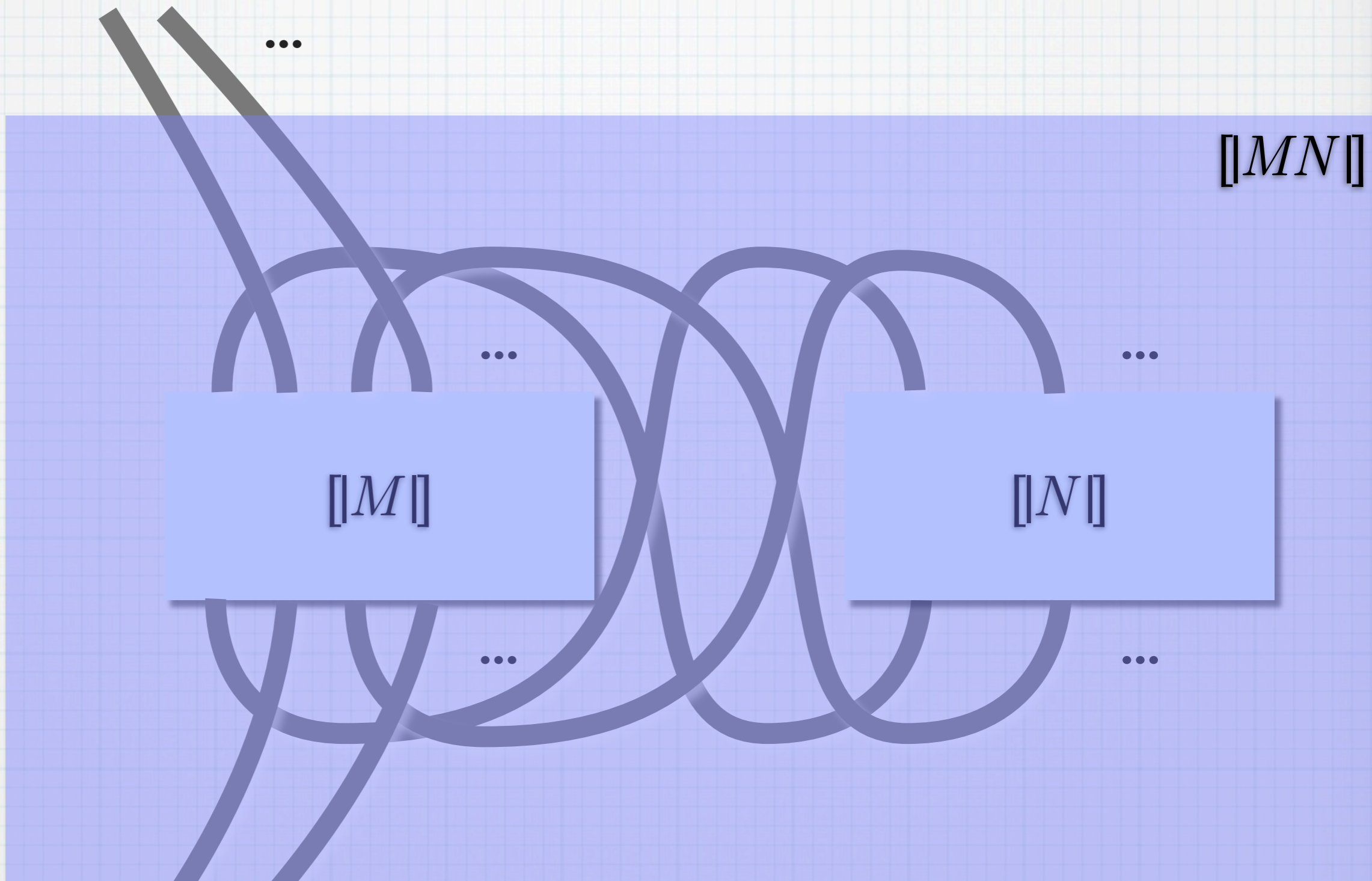
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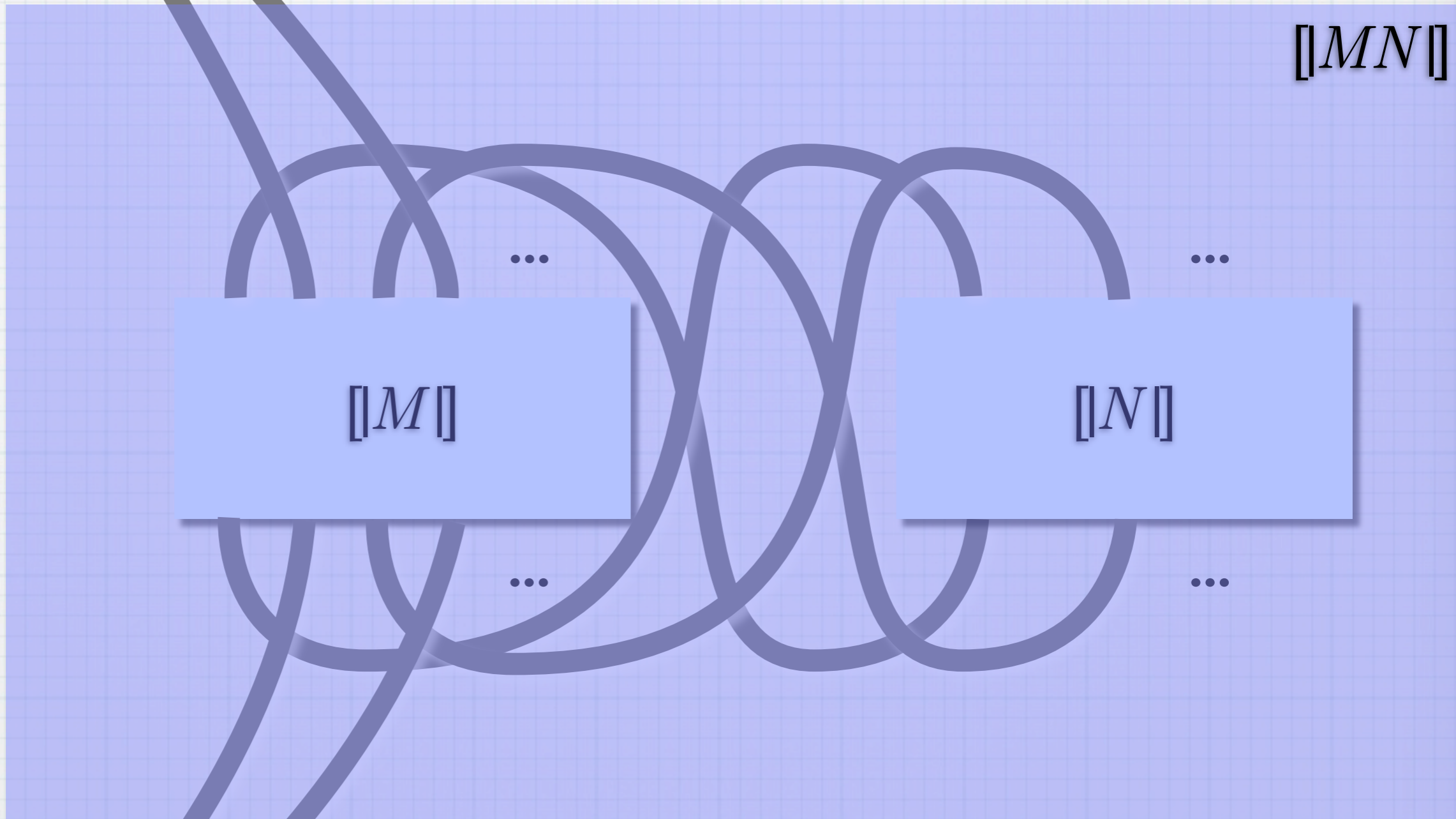
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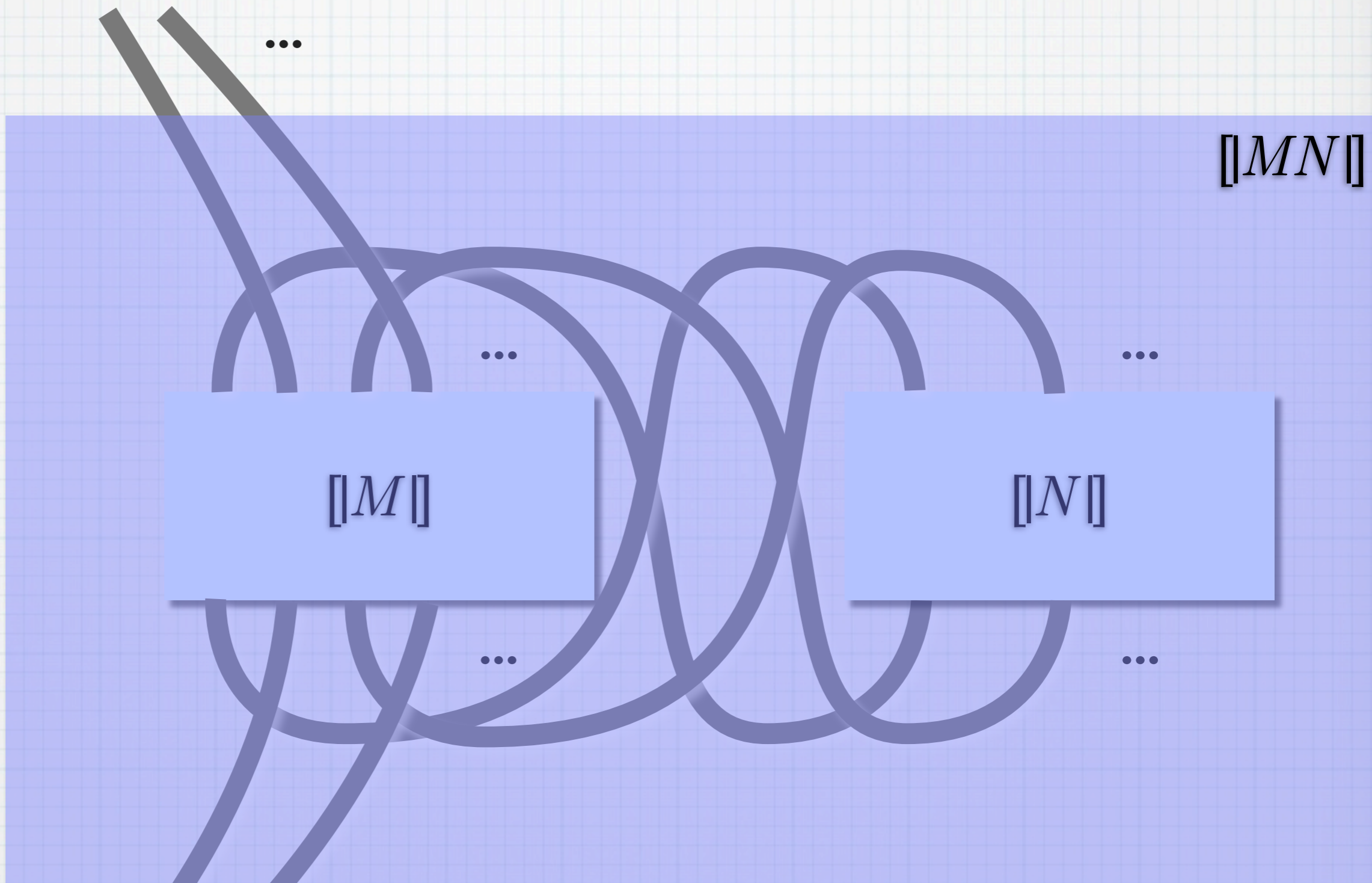
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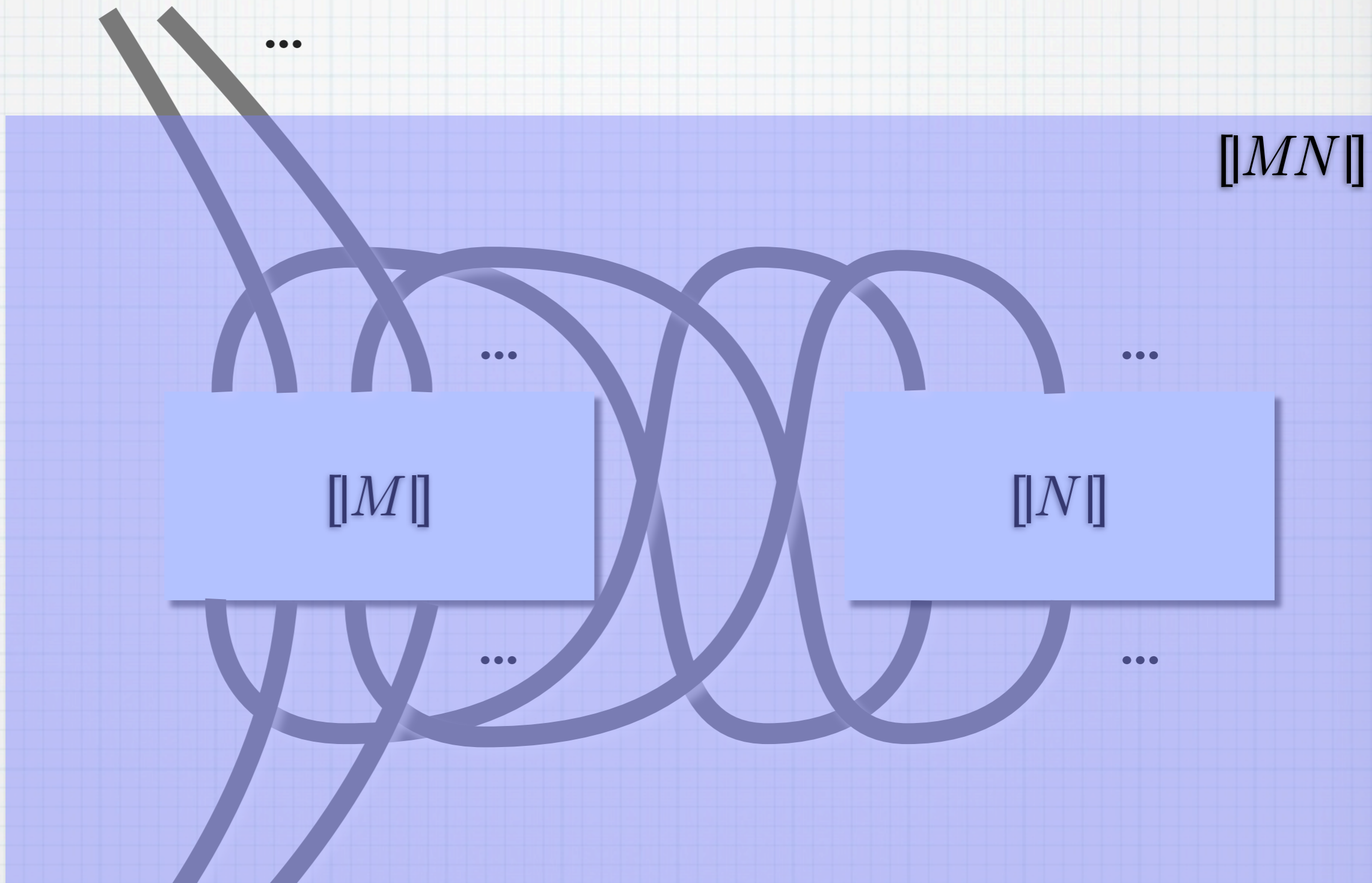
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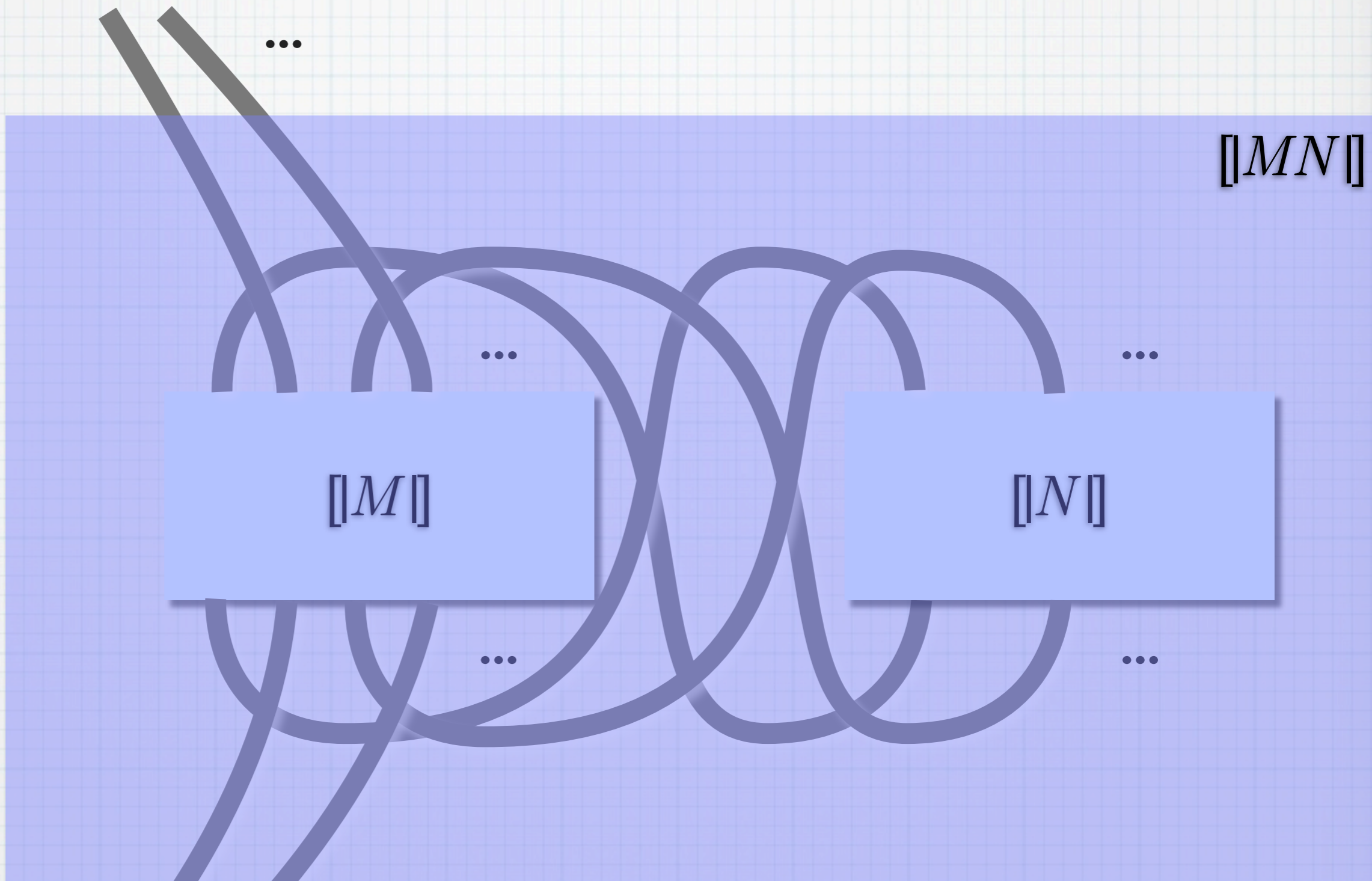
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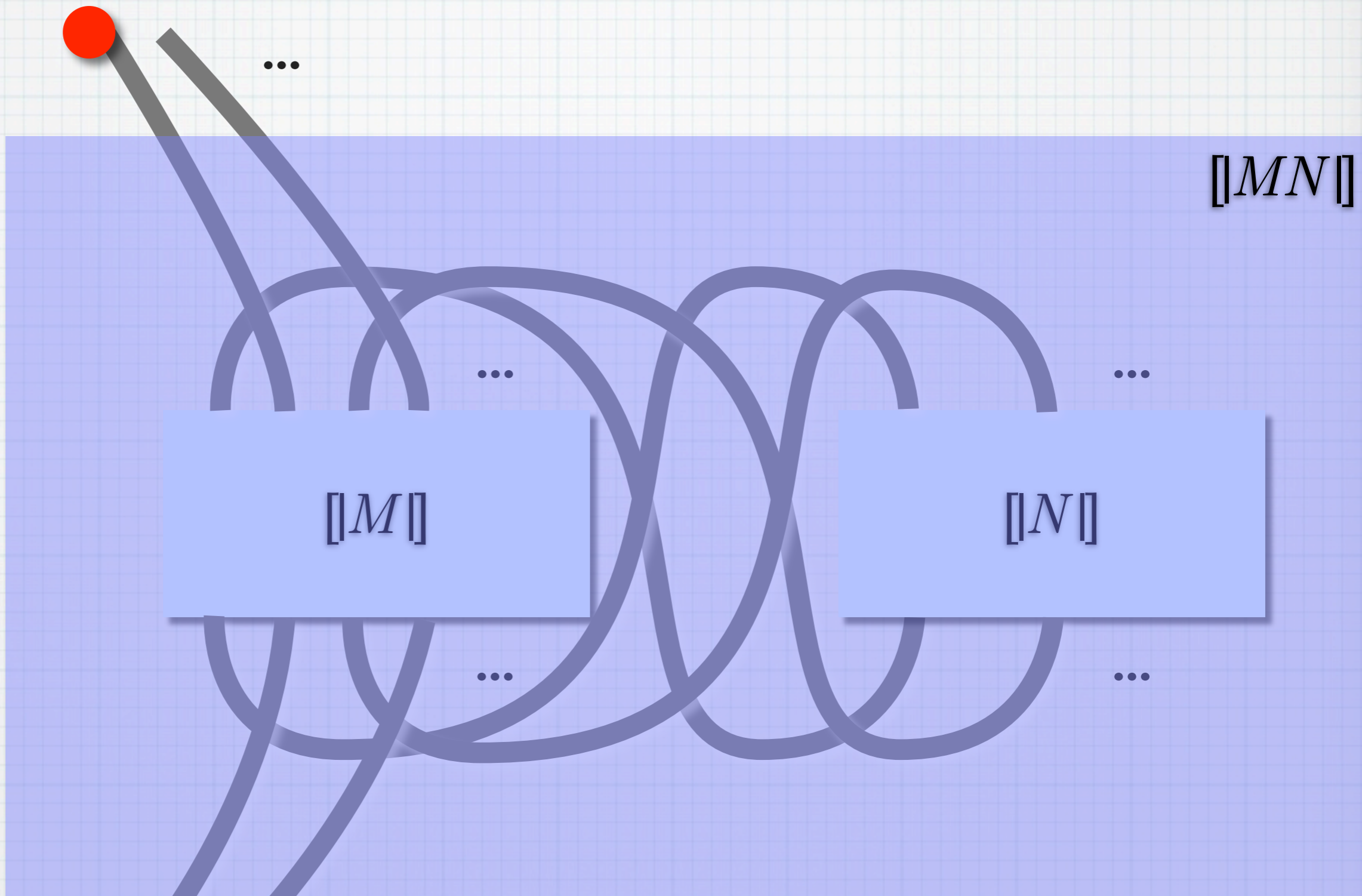
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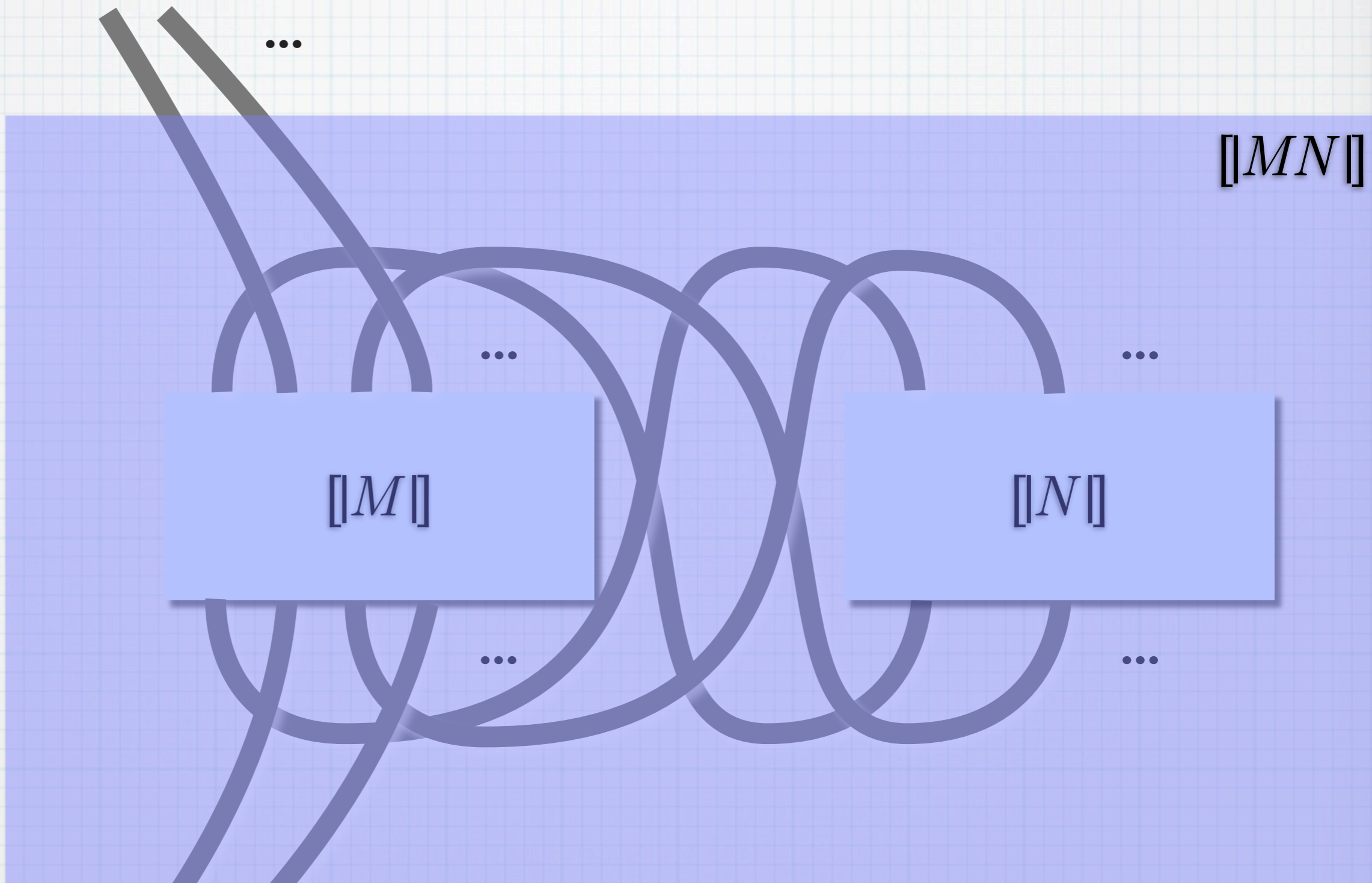
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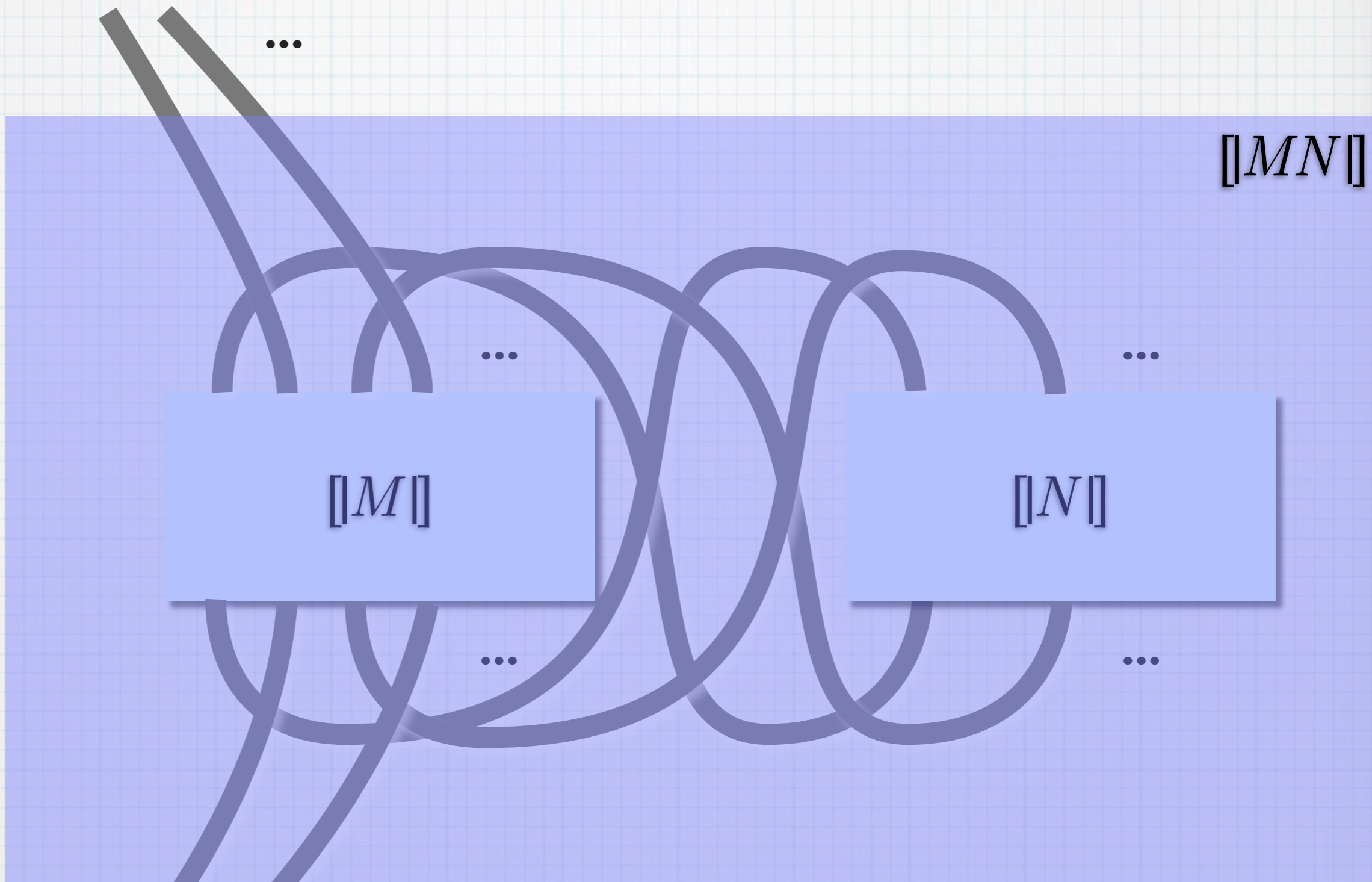
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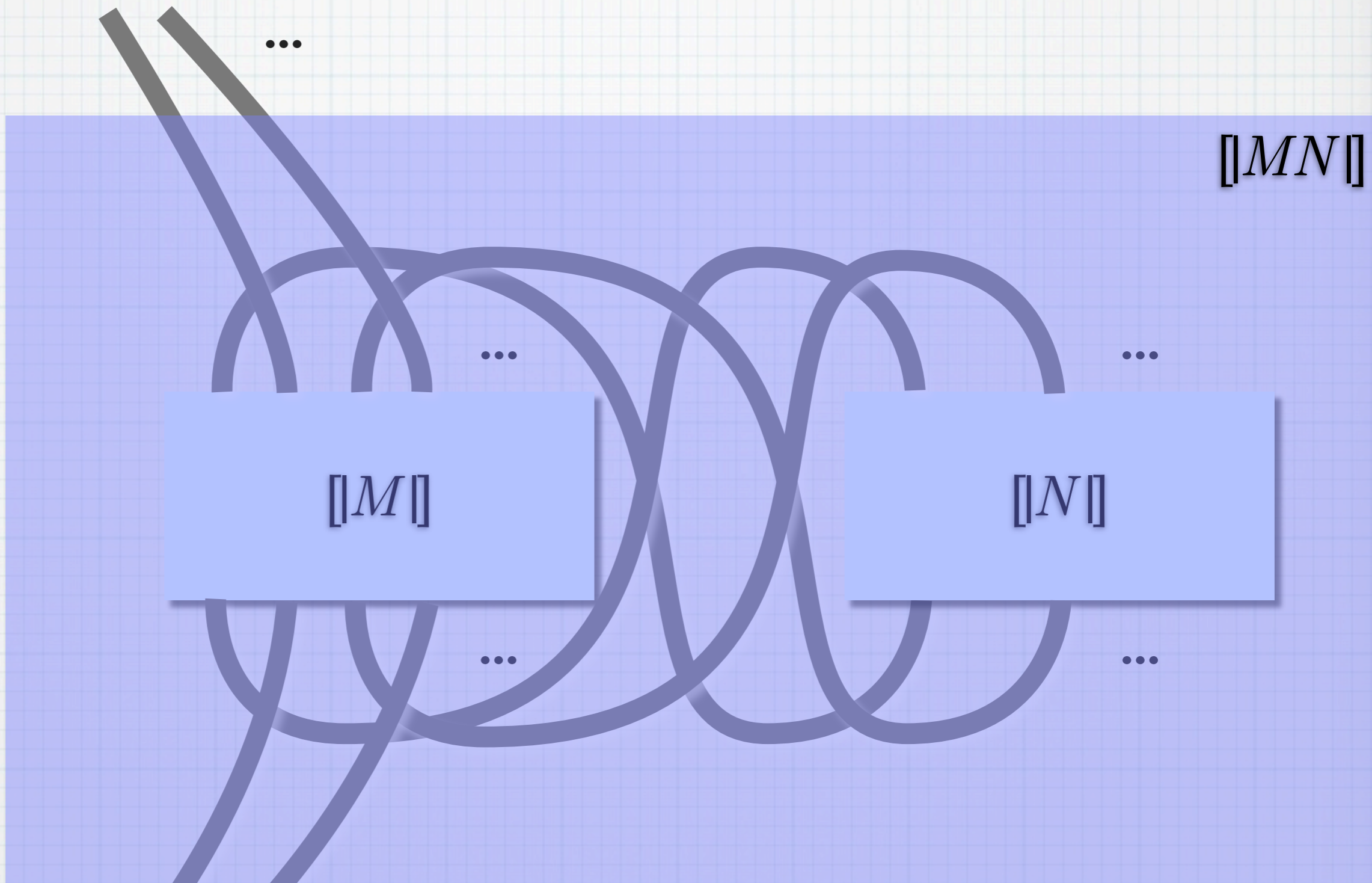
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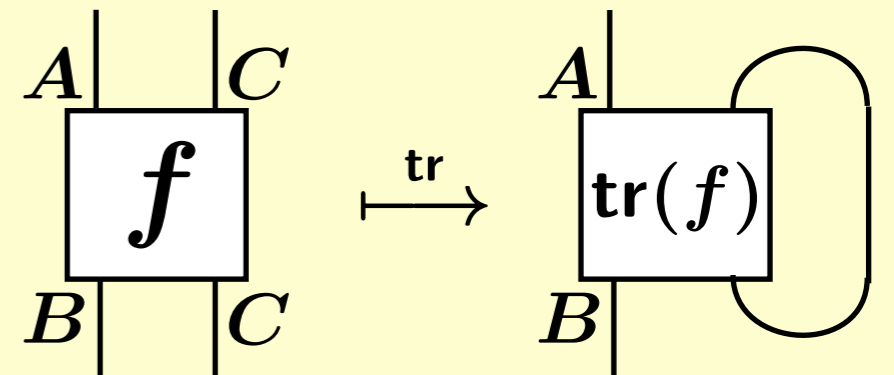
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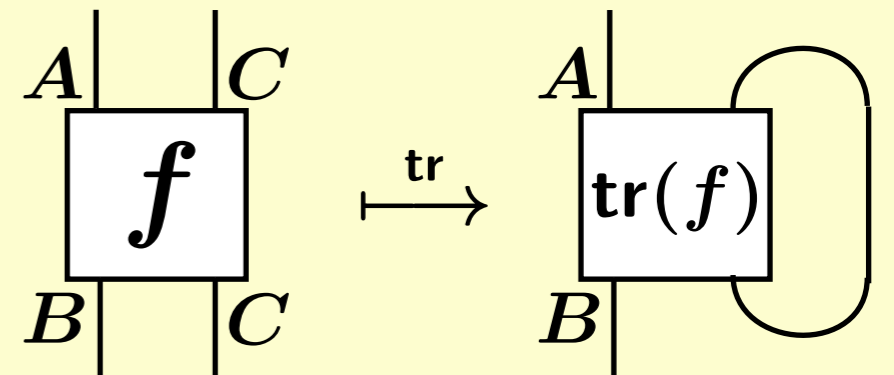
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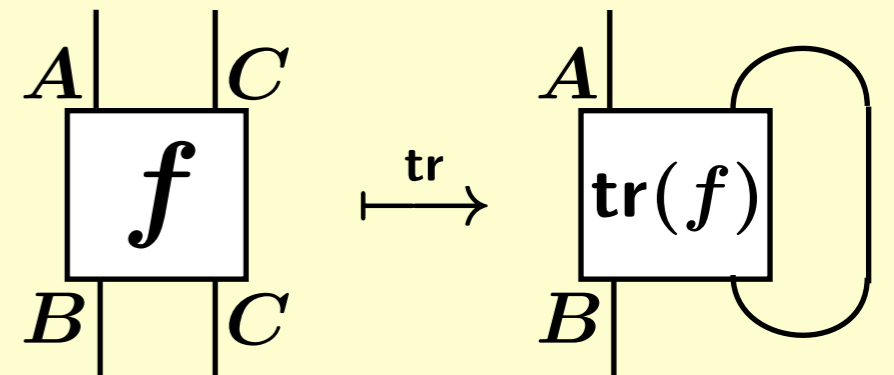
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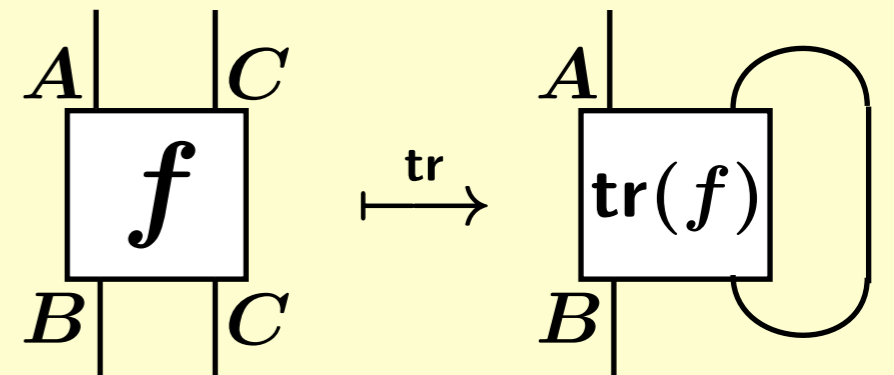
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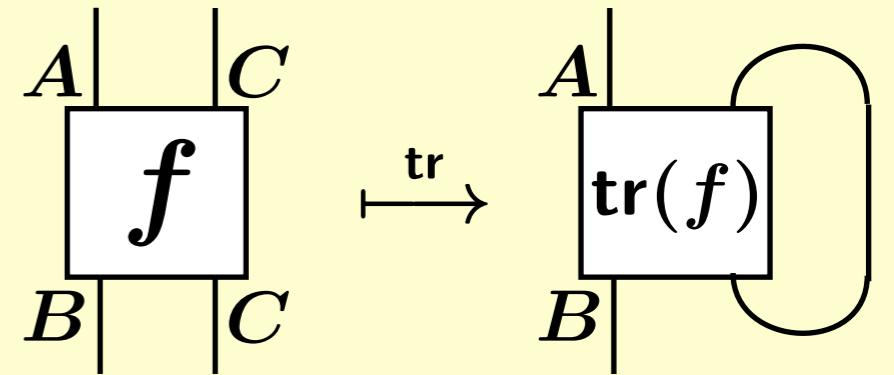
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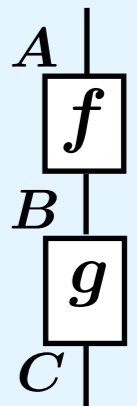
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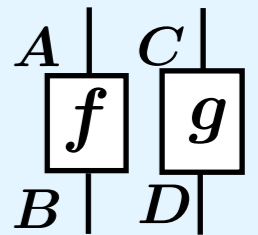
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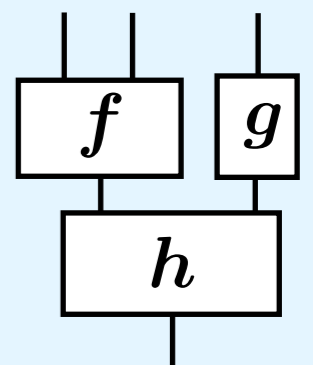
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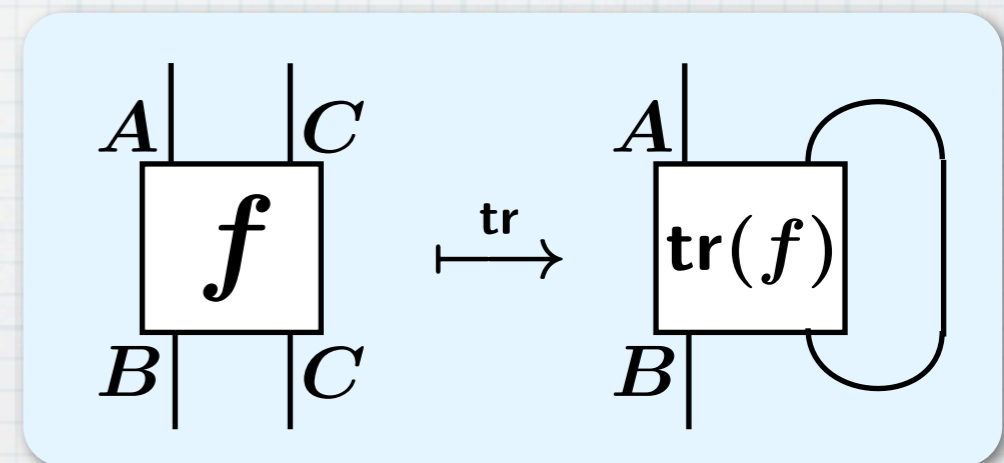
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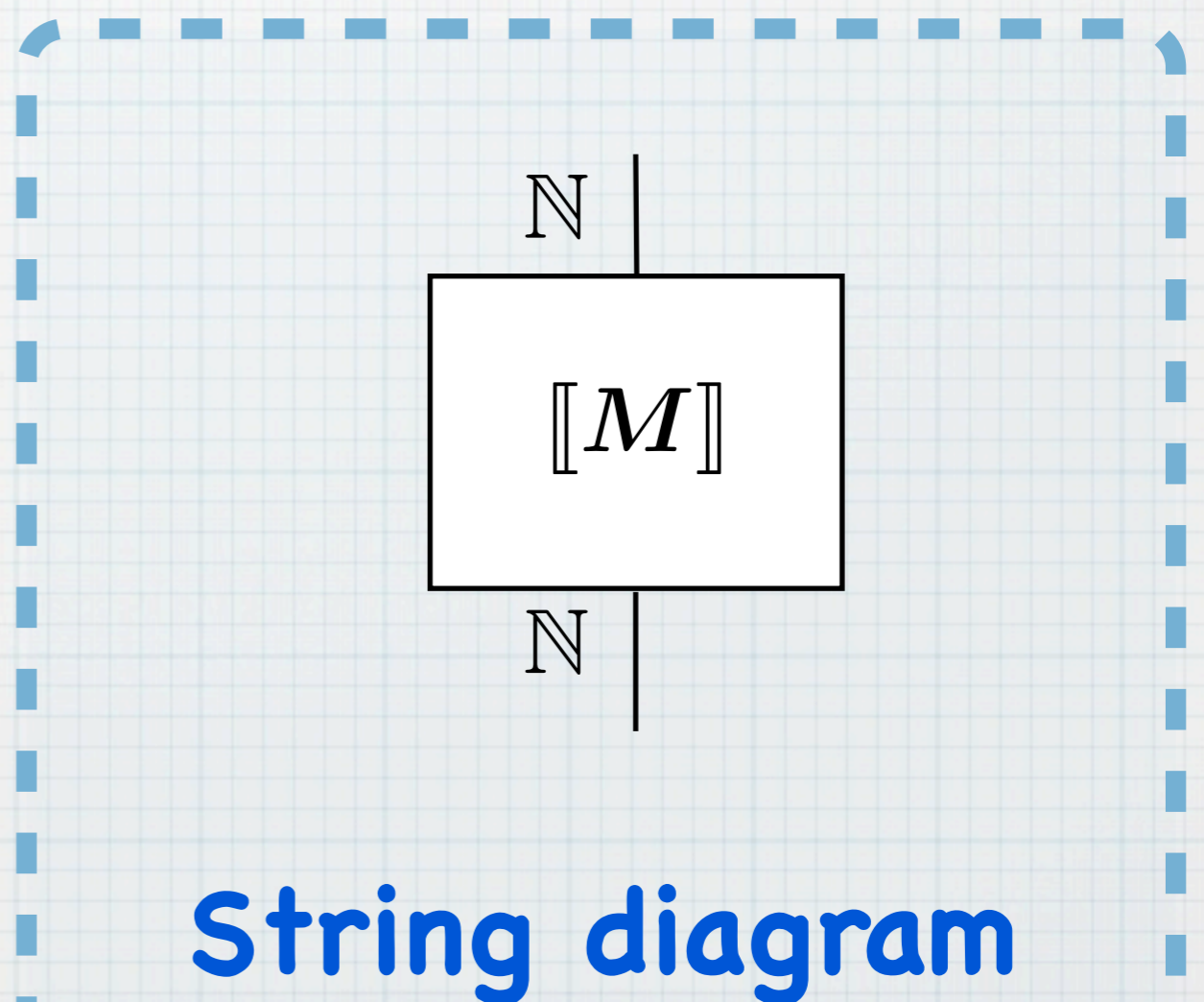
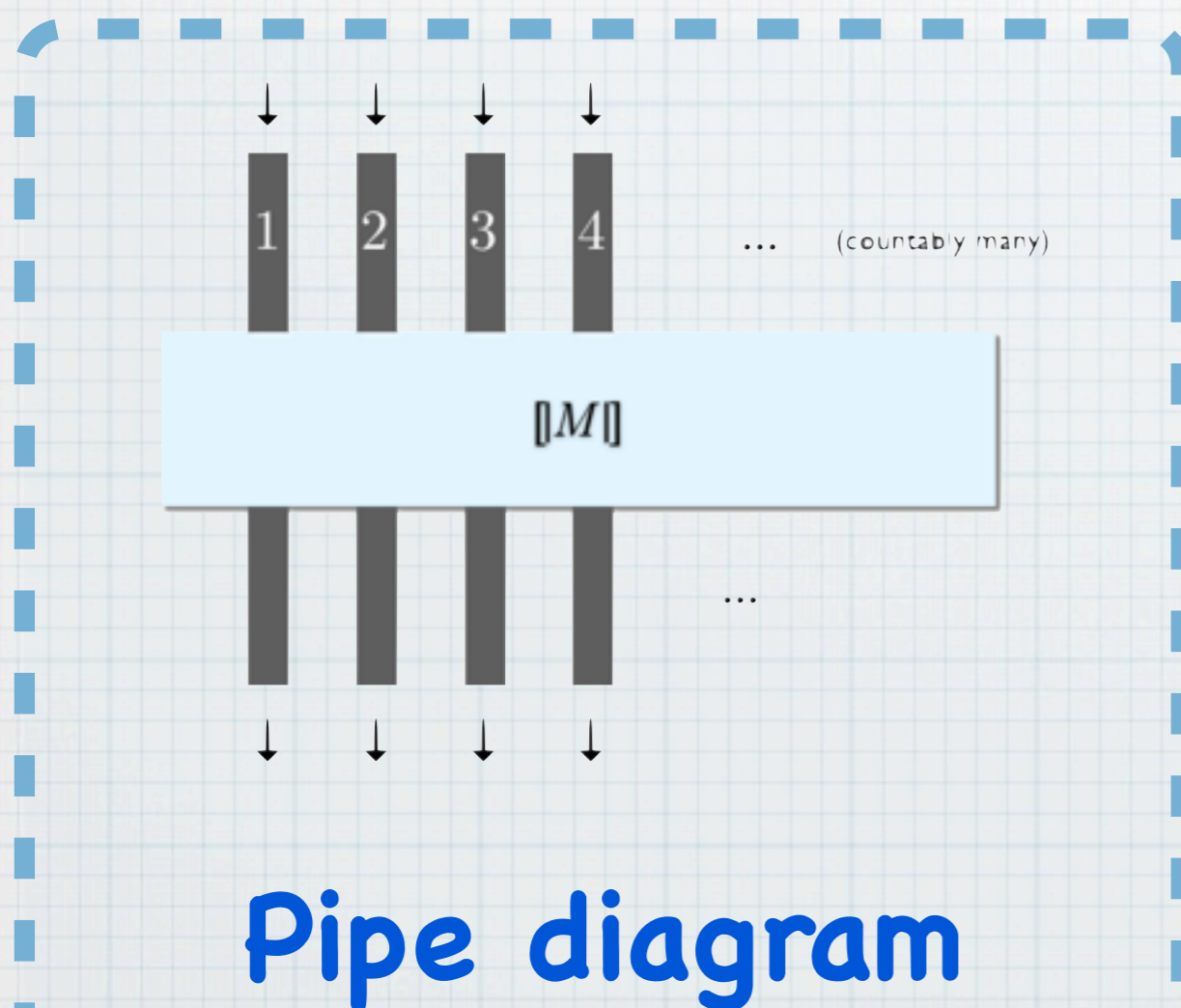
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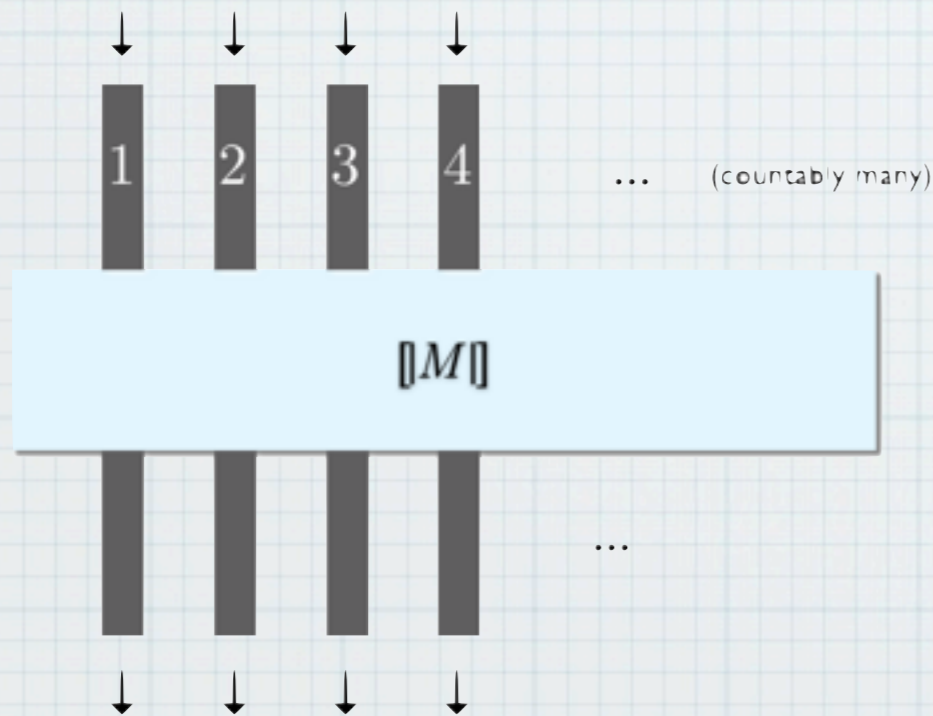
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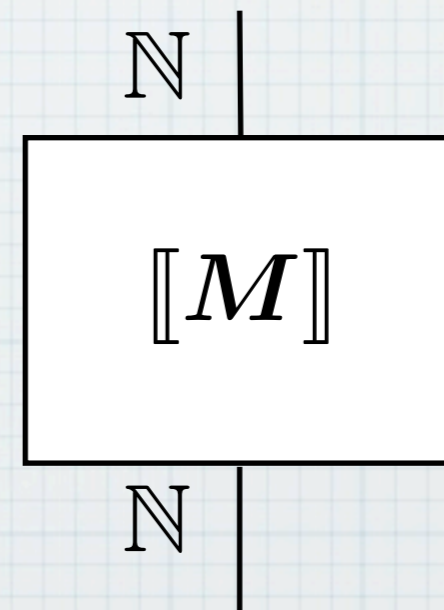
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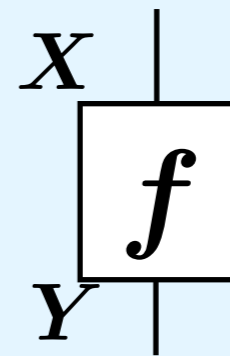
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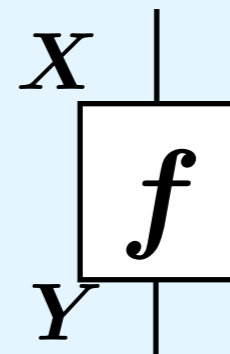
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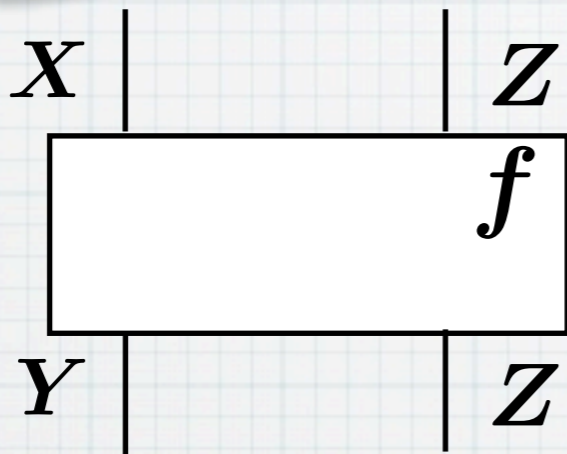
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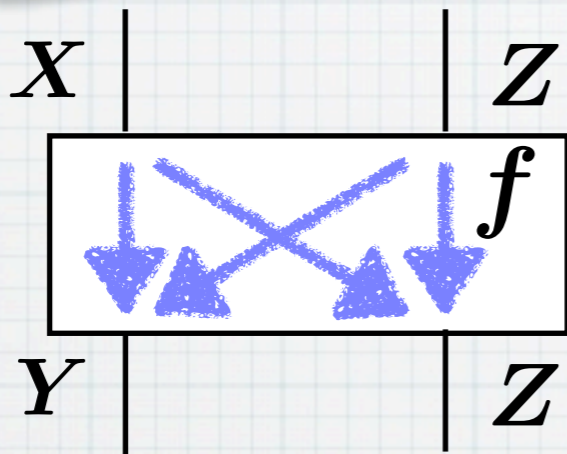
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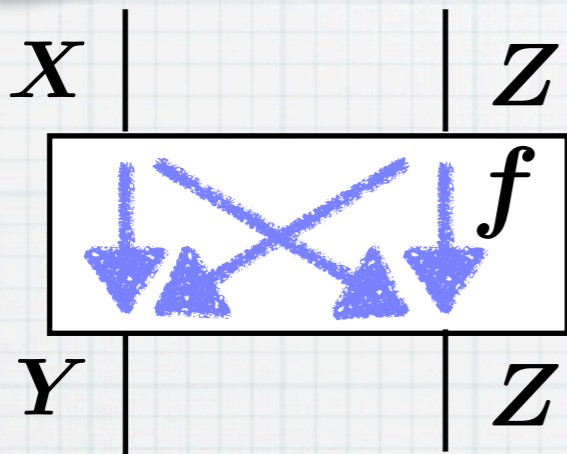
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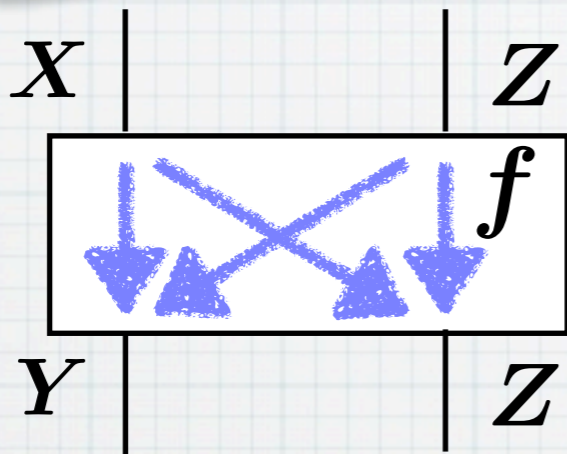
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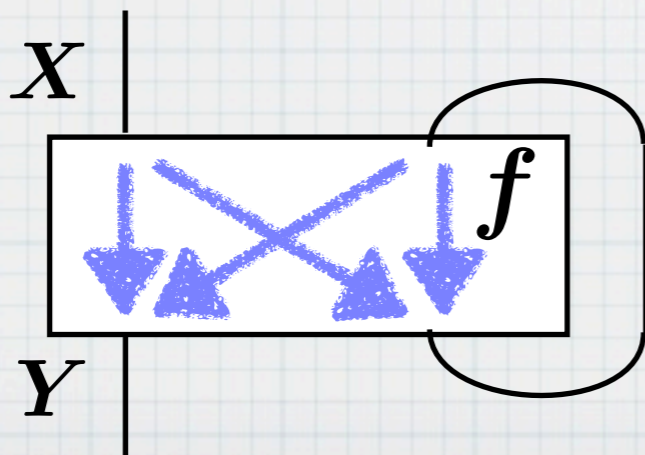
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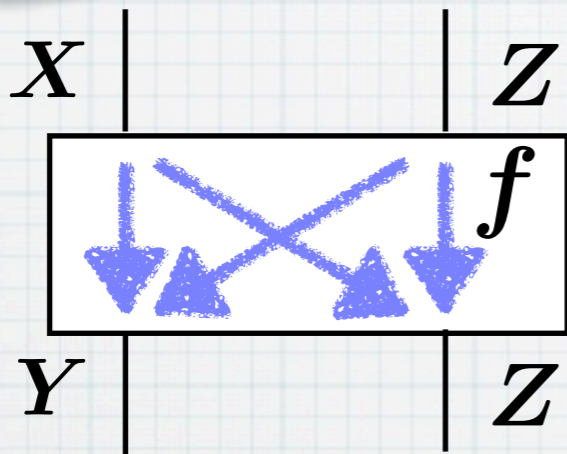
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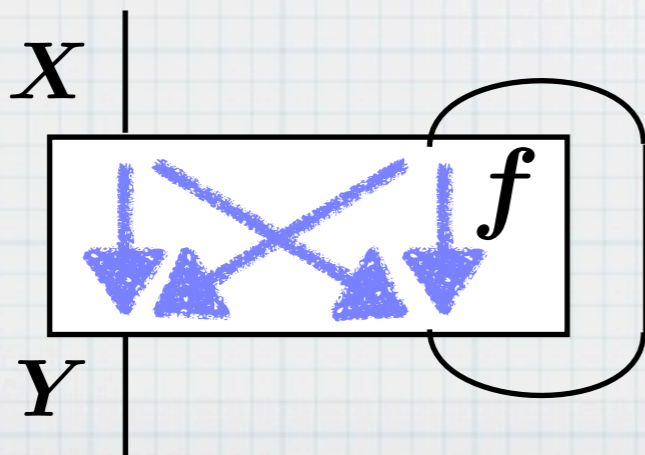
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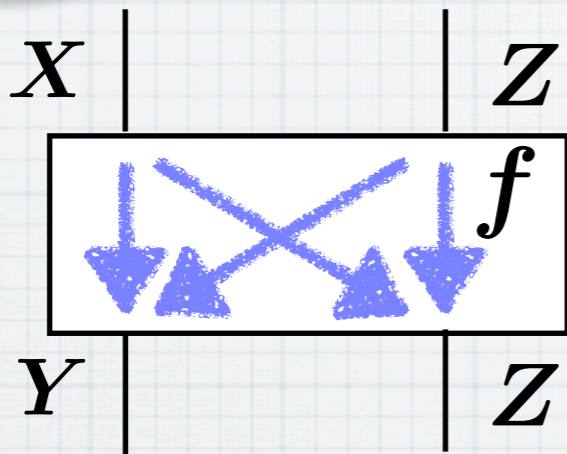
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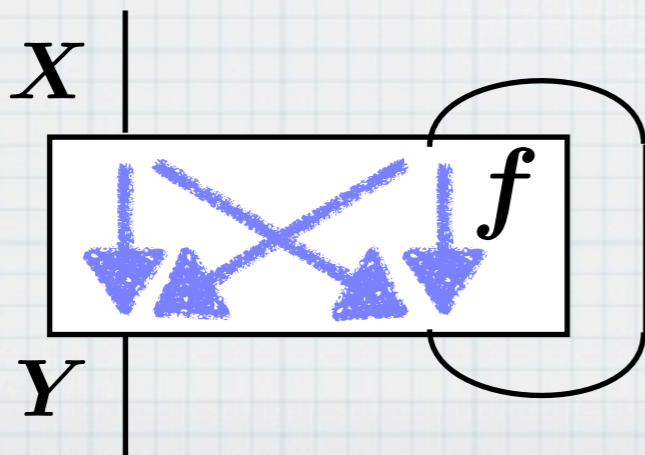
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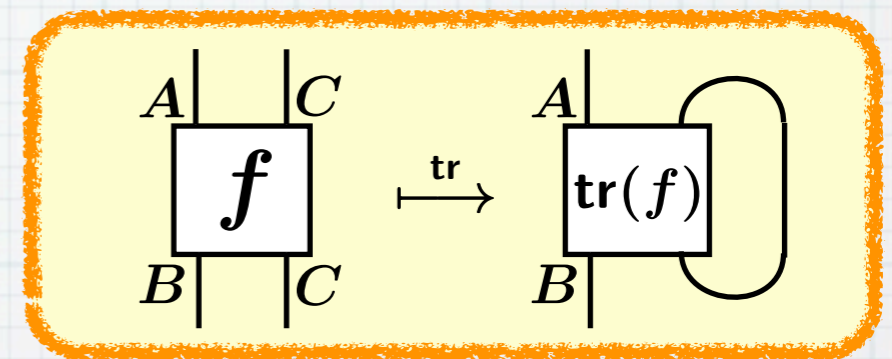
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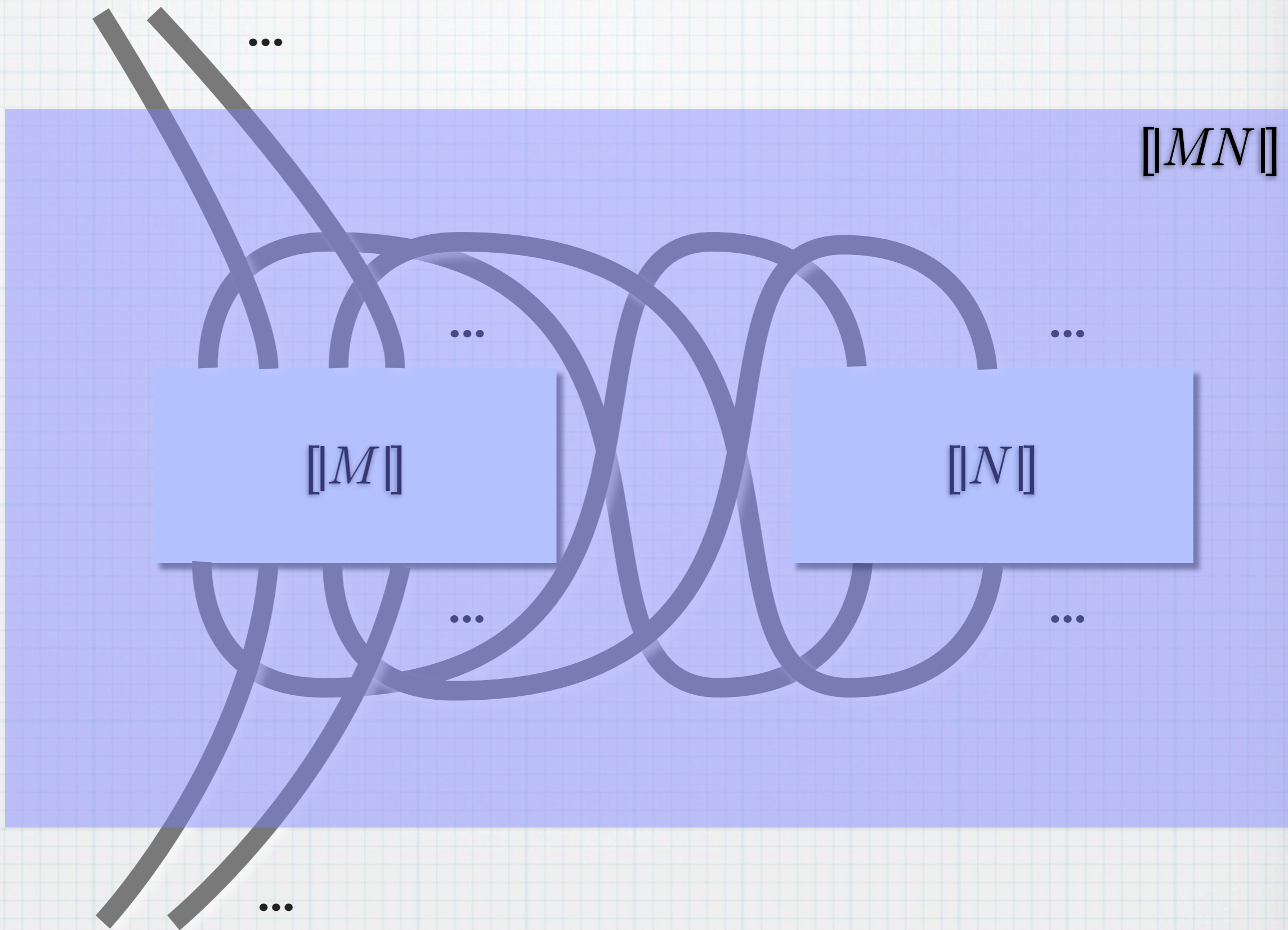
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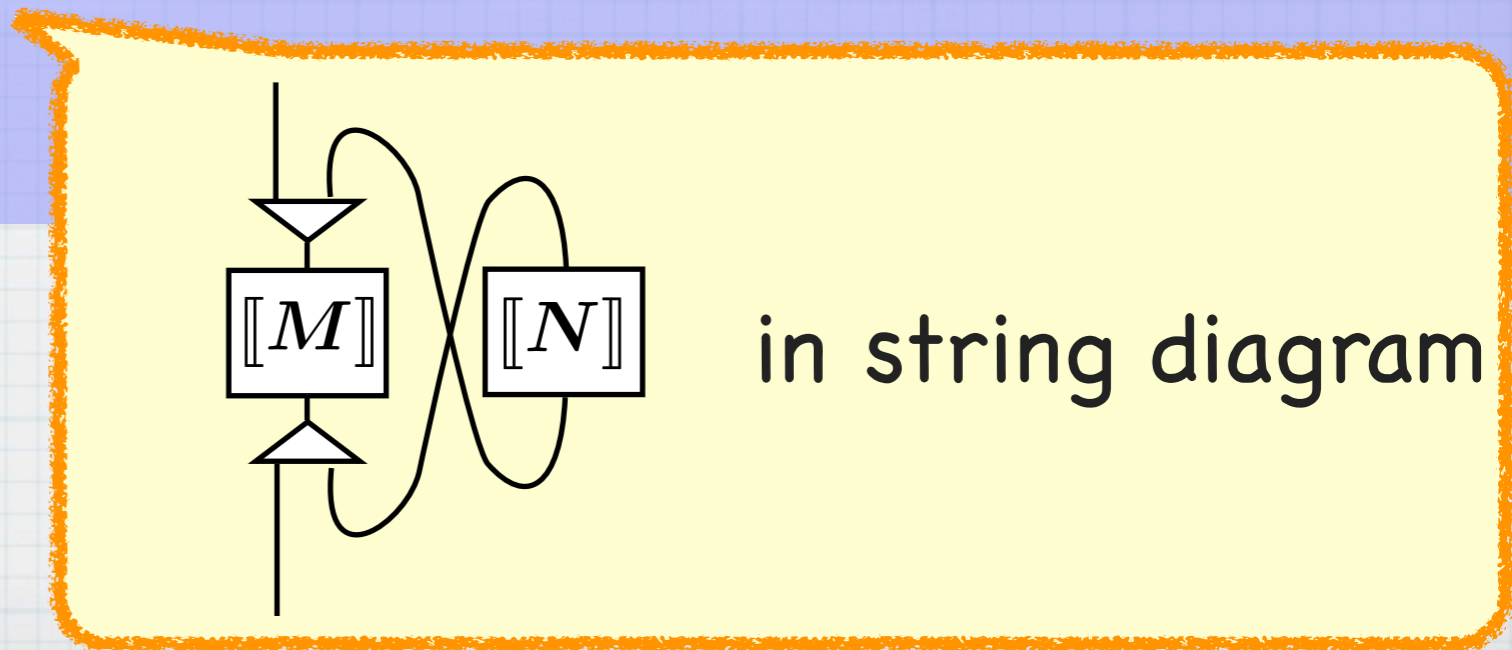
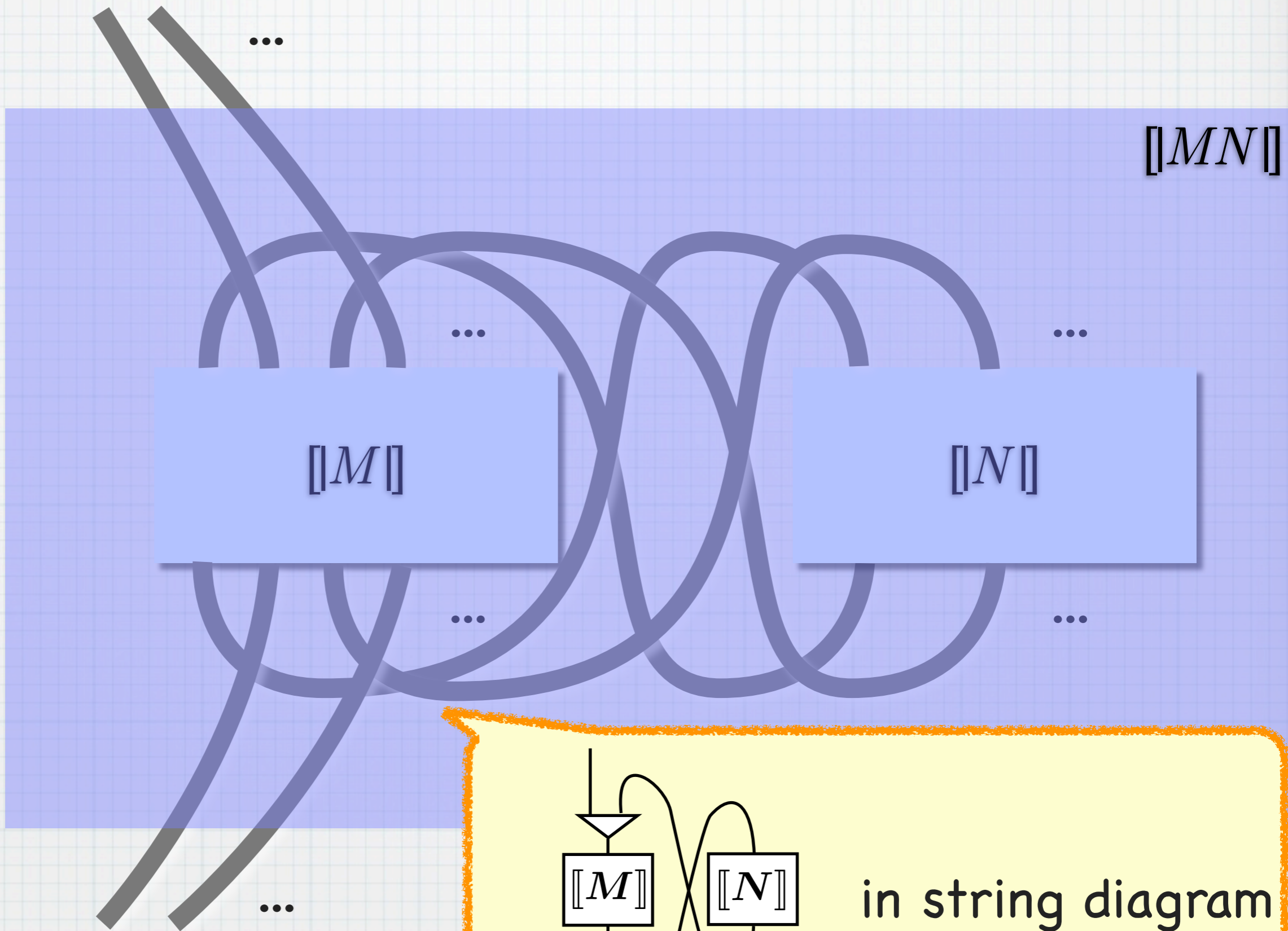


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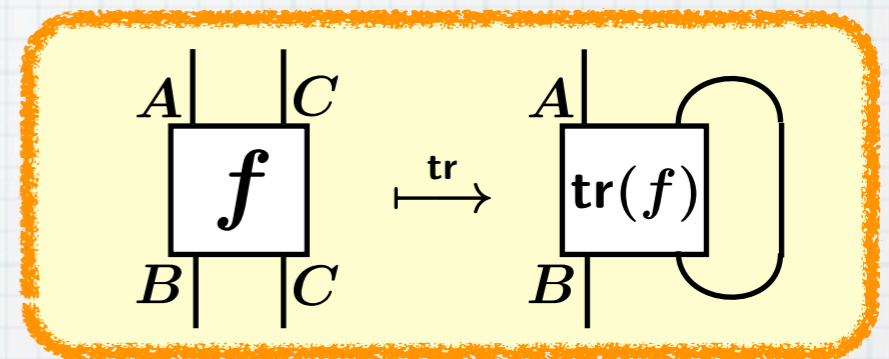
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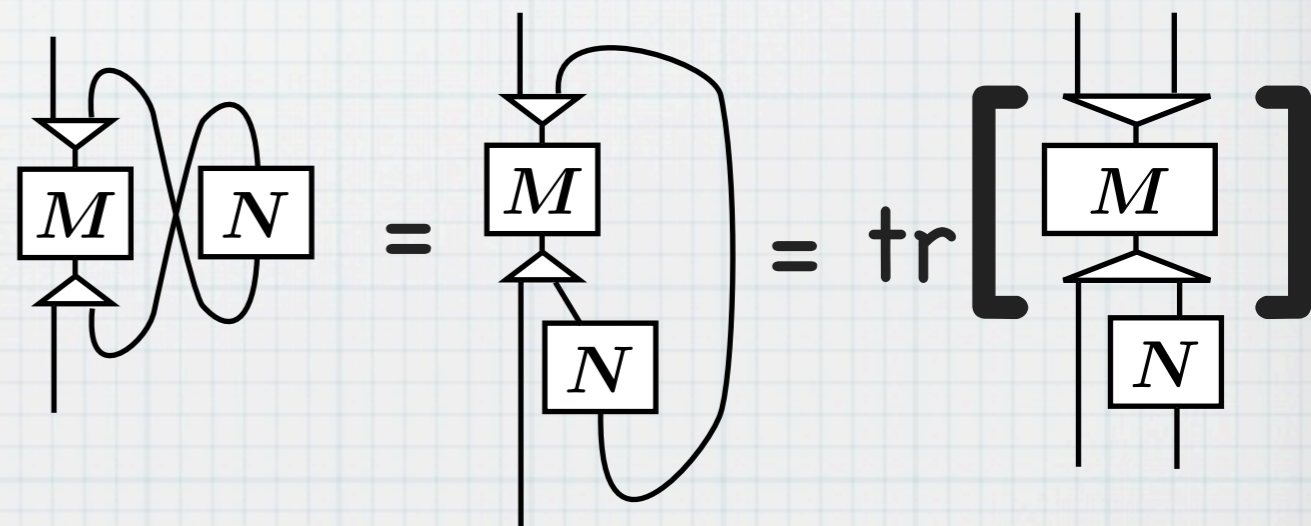
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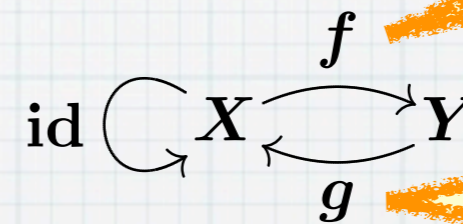
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$$f : X \triangleleft Y : g,$$

is a pair of arrows



“embedding”

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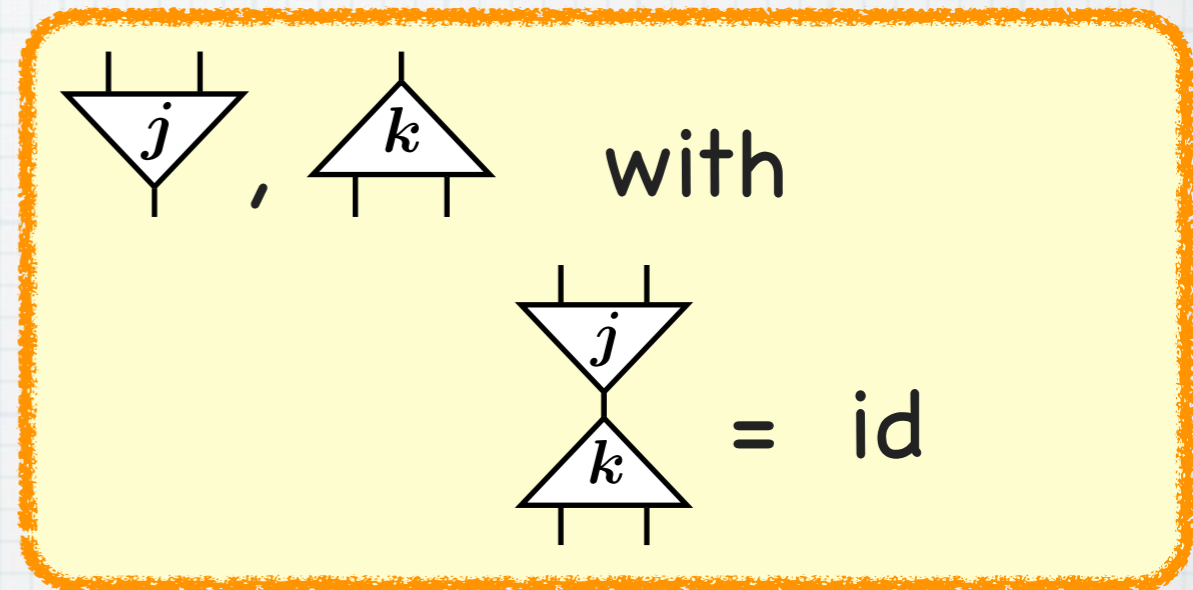
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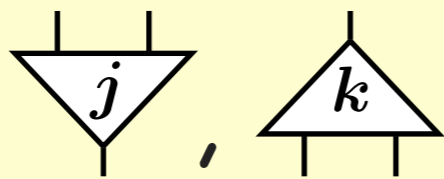
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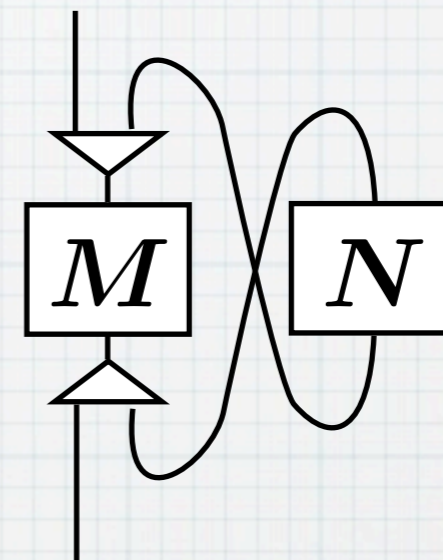
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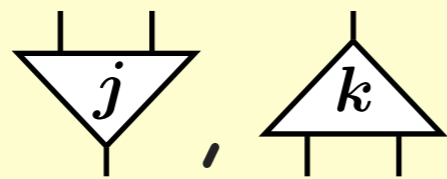
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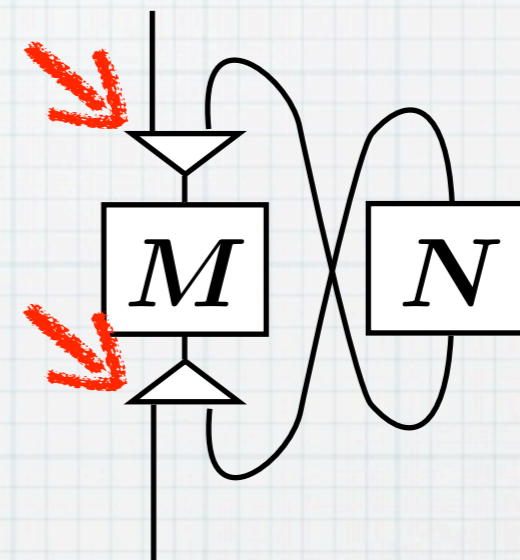
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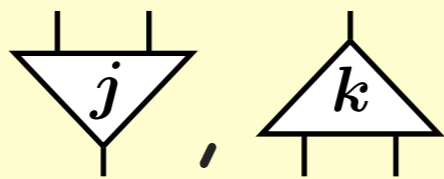
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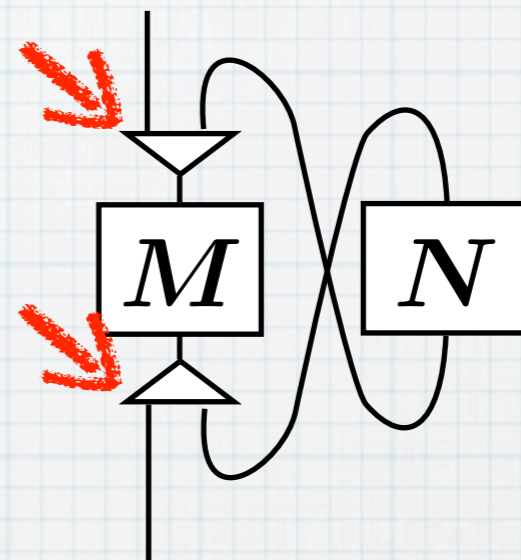
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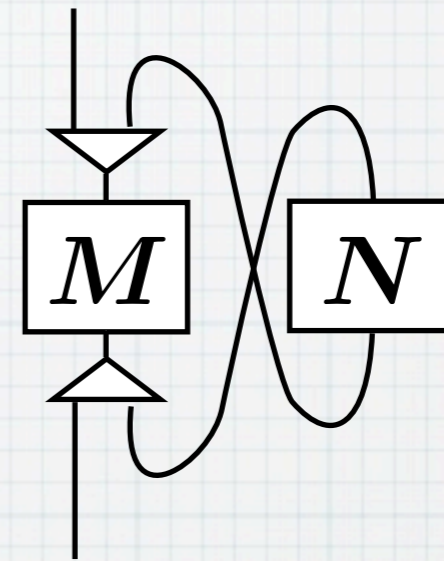
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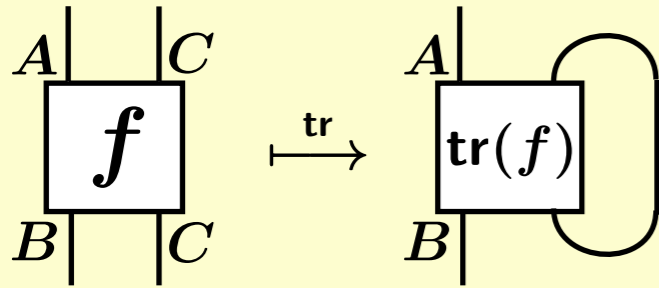
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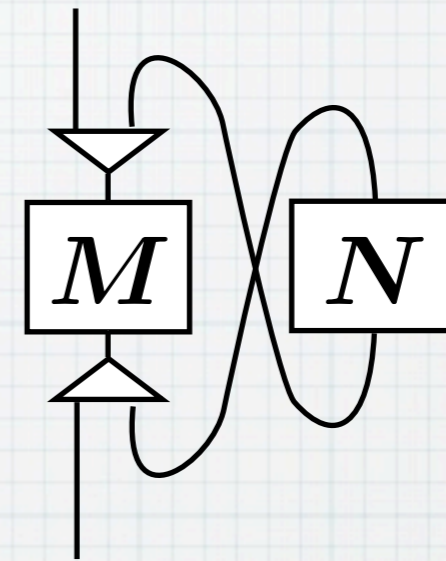
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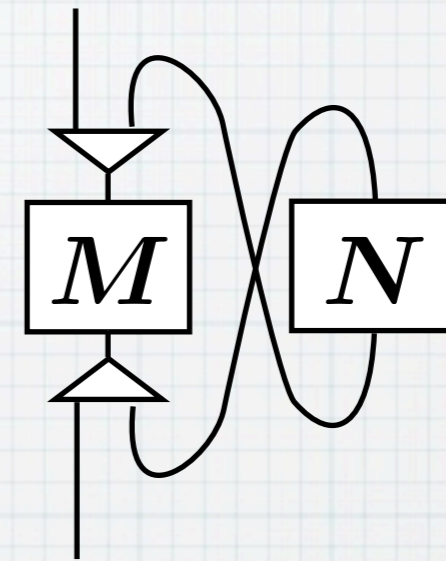
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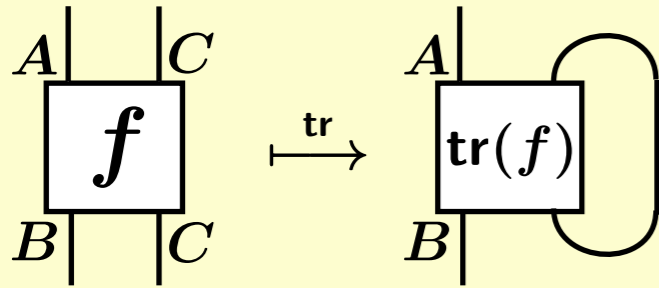
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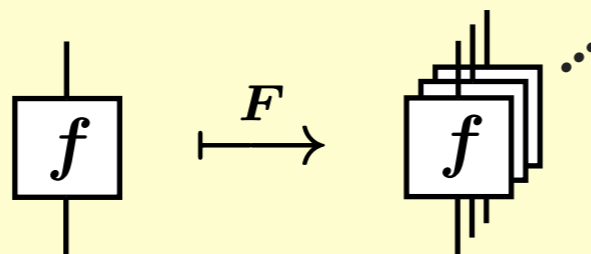
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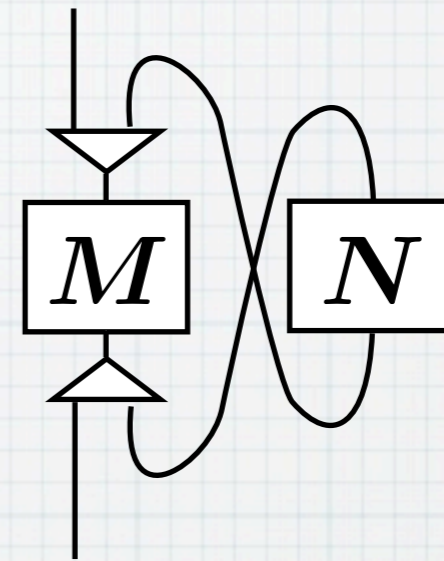
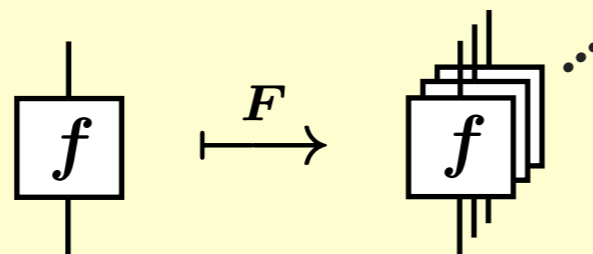
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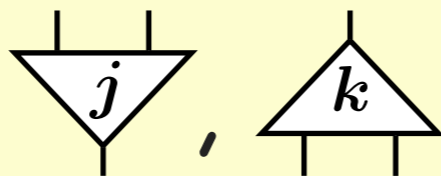
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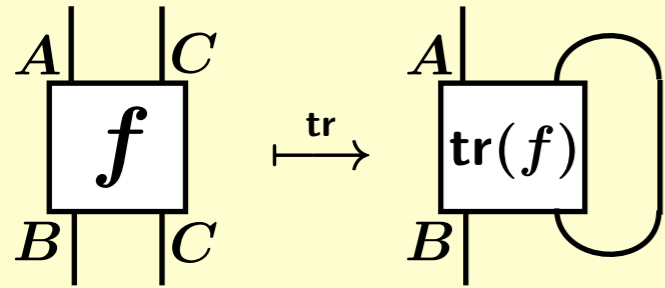
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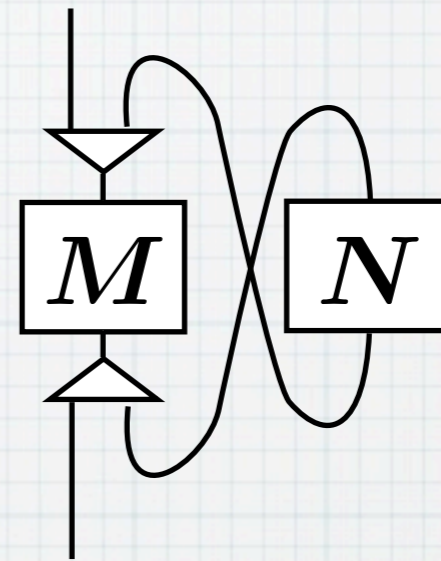
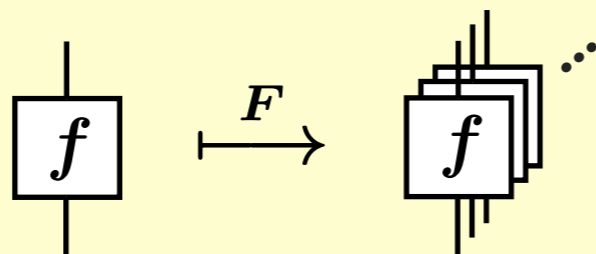
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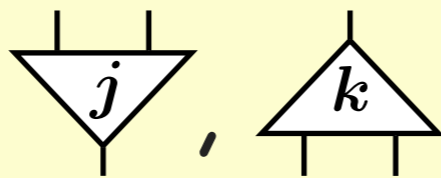
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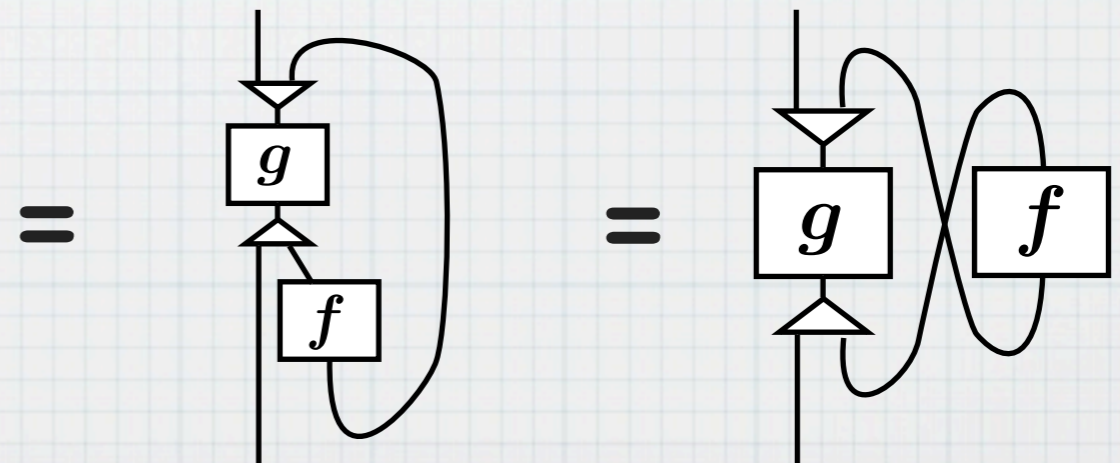
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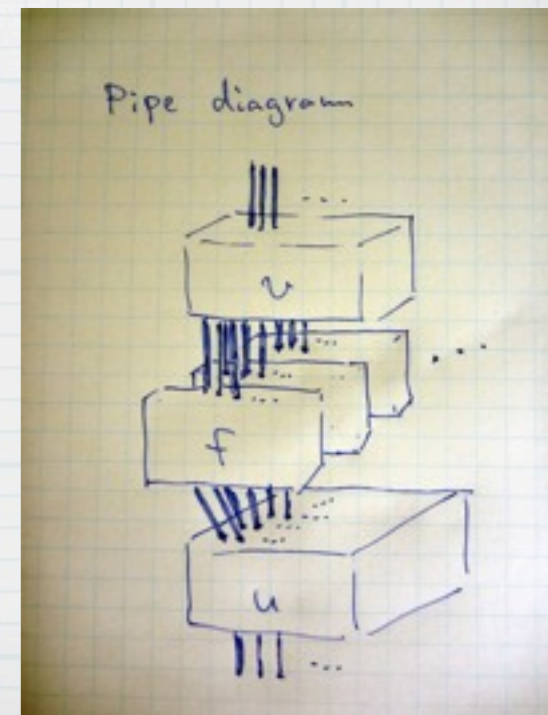
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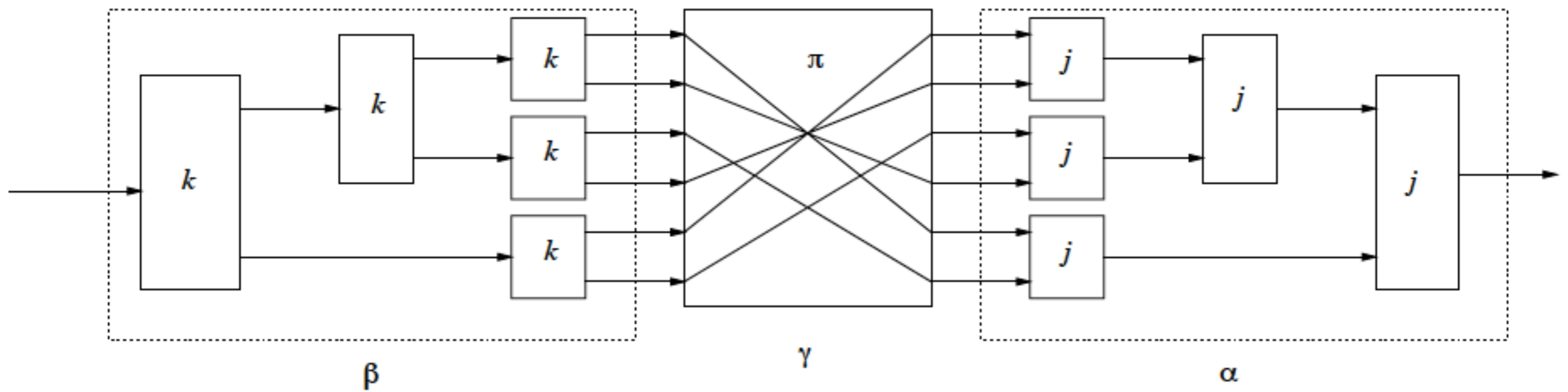
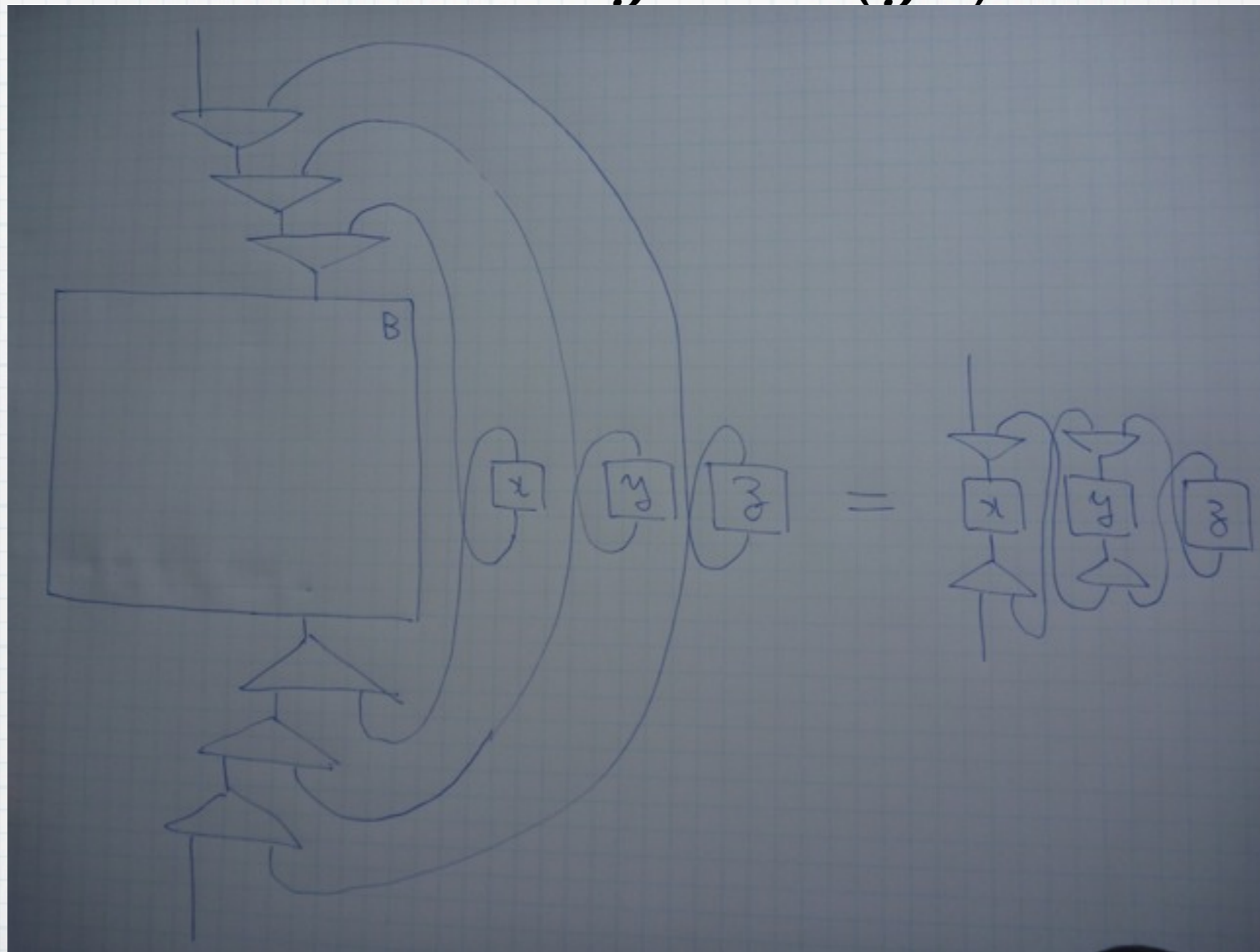


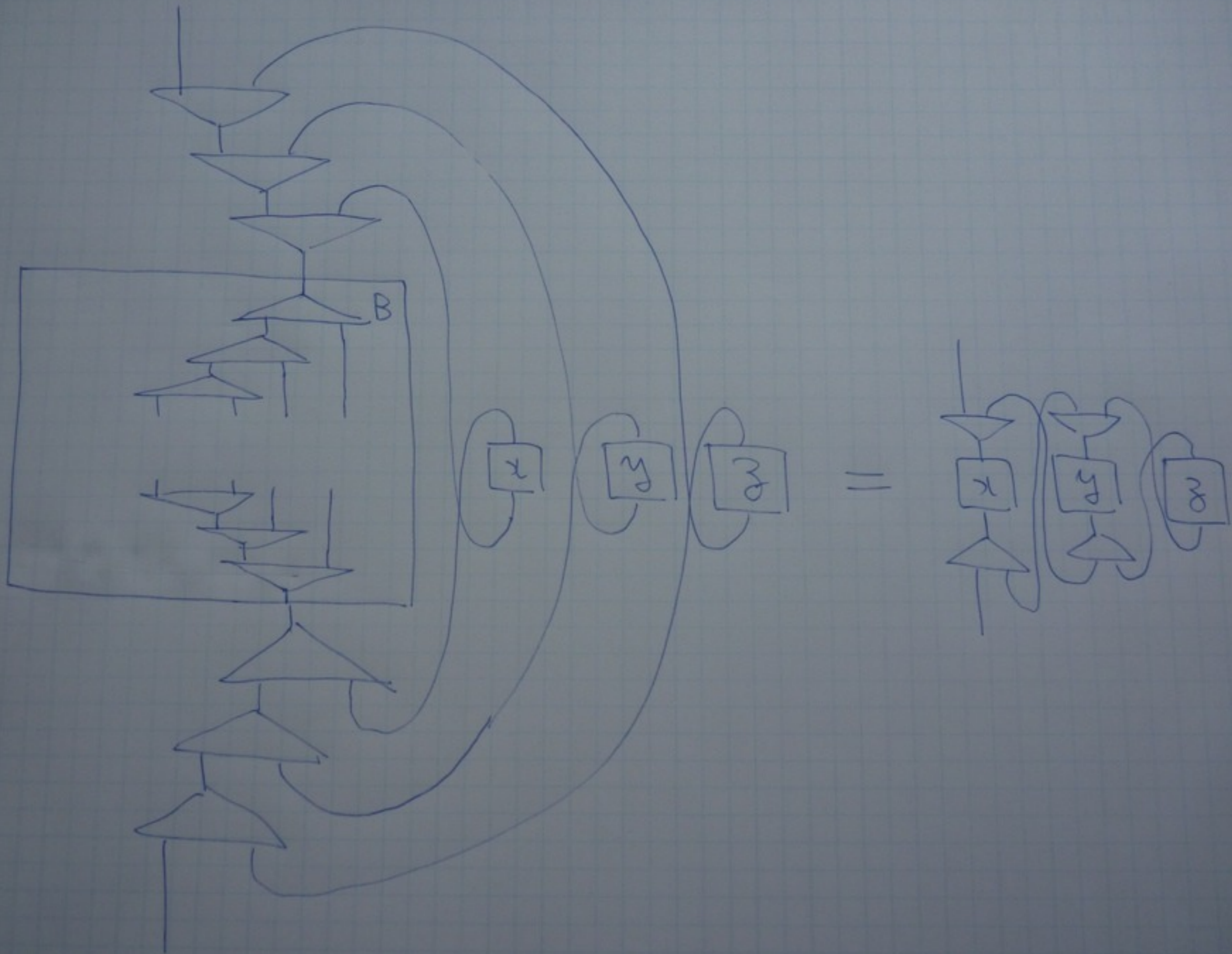
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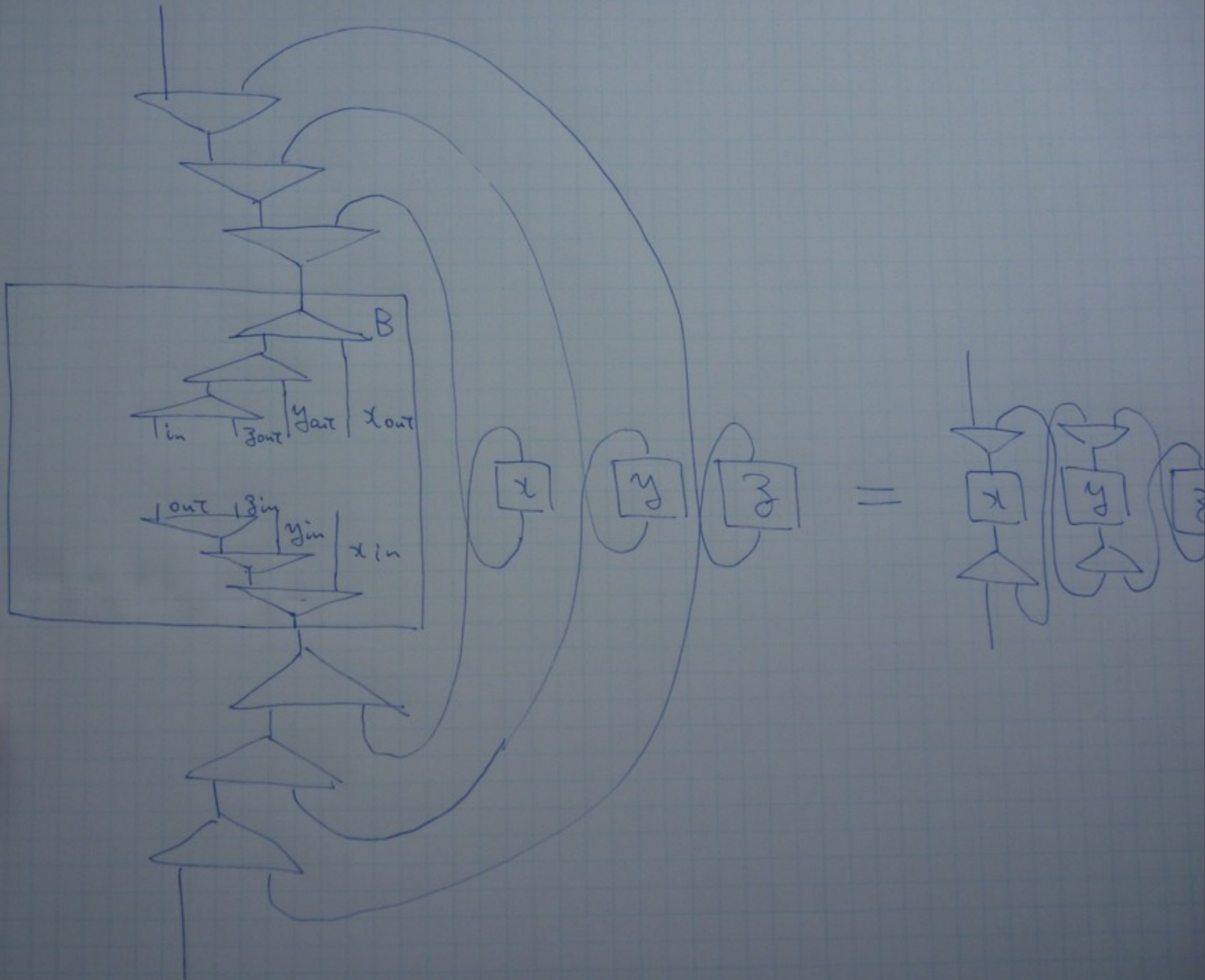
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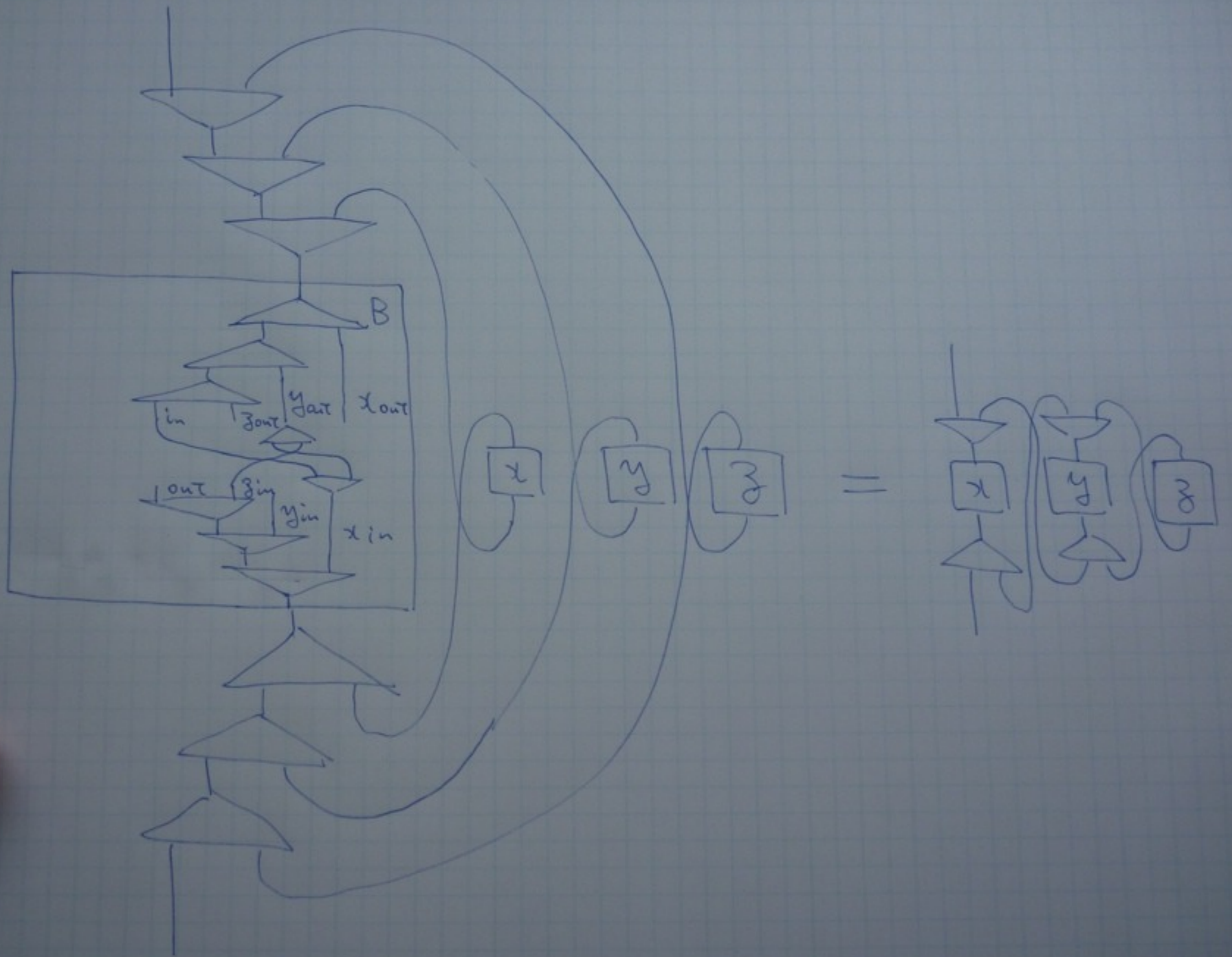
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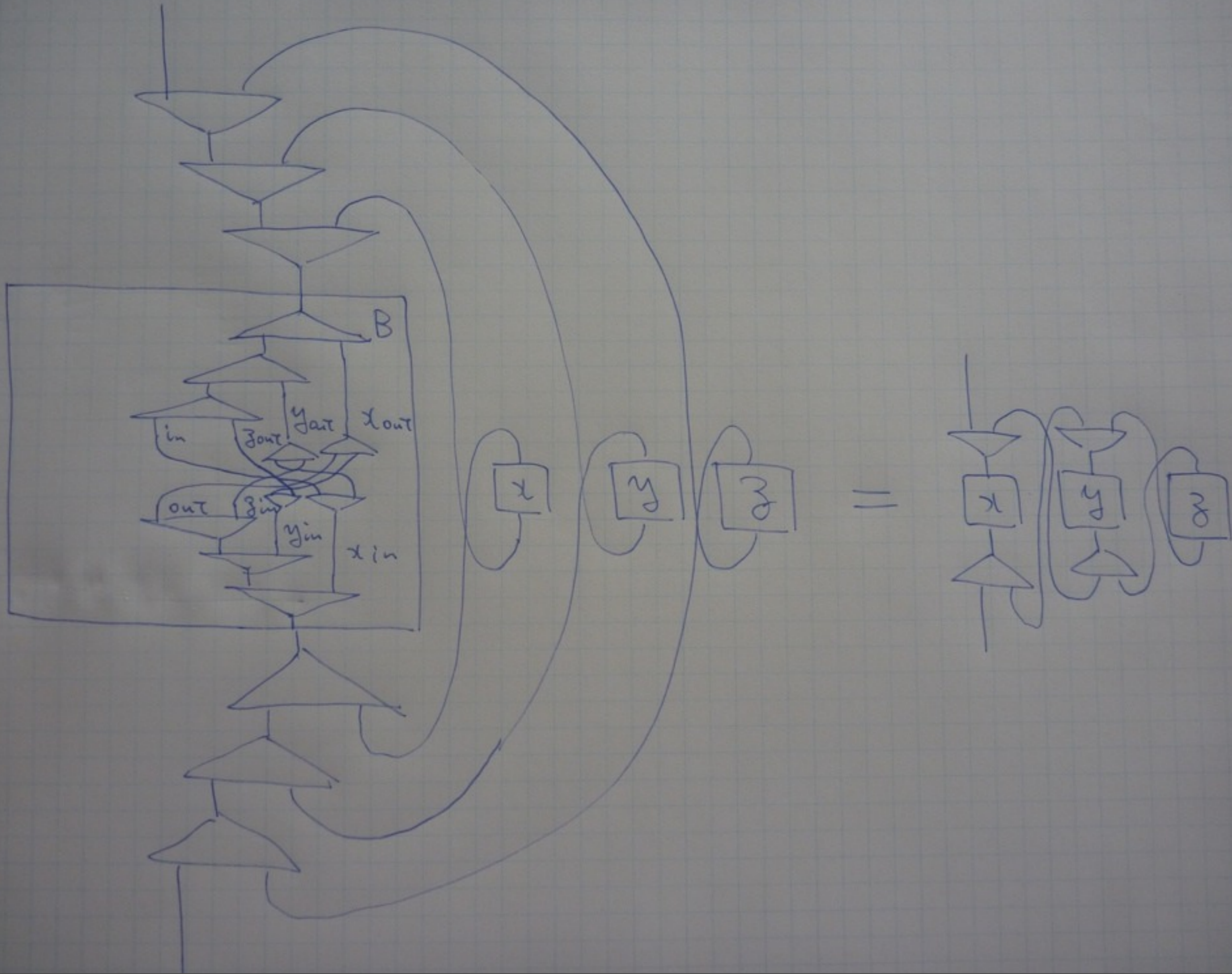












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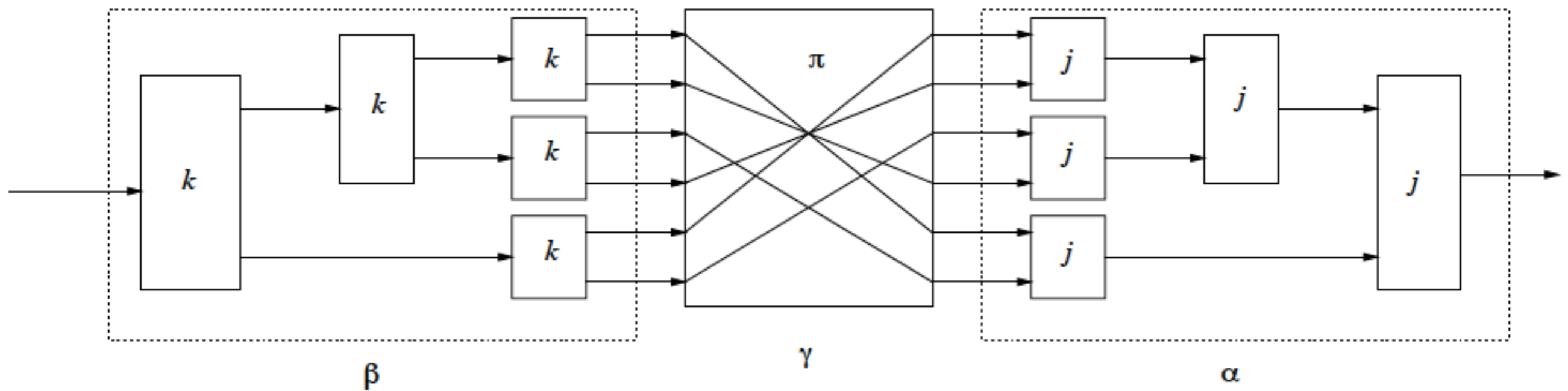


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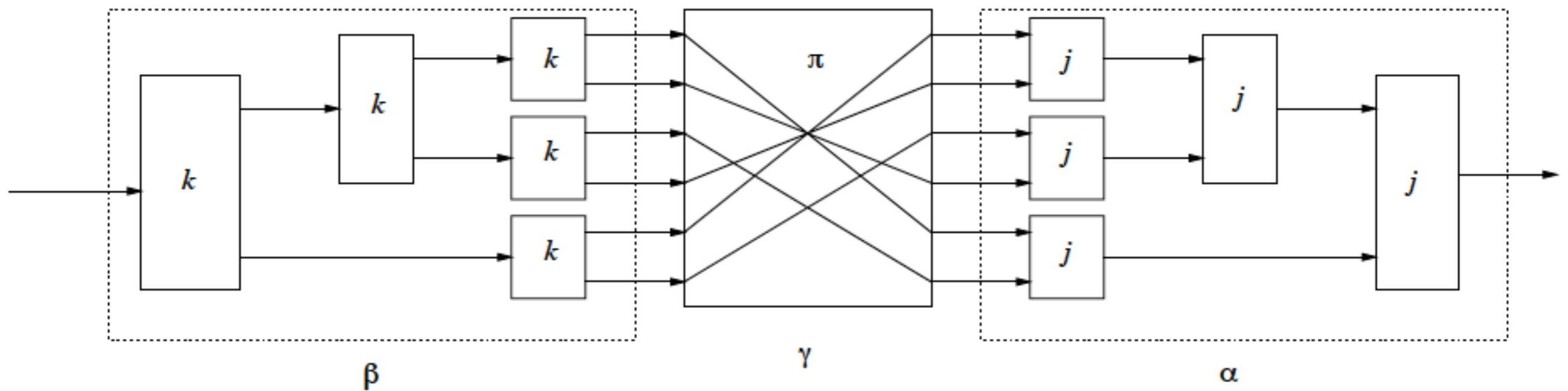


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Nice dynamic interpretation of  
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A *GoI situation* is a triple  $(\mathbb{C}, F, U)$  where

- $\mathbb{C} = (\mathbb{C}, \otimes, I)$  is a **traced symmetric monoidal category** (TSMC);
- $F : \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is a traced symmetric monoidal functor, equipped with the following retractions (which are monoidal natural transformations).

$$e : FF \triangleleft F : e' \quad \text{Comultiplication}$$

$$d : \text{id} \triangleleft F : d' \quad \text{Dereliction}$$

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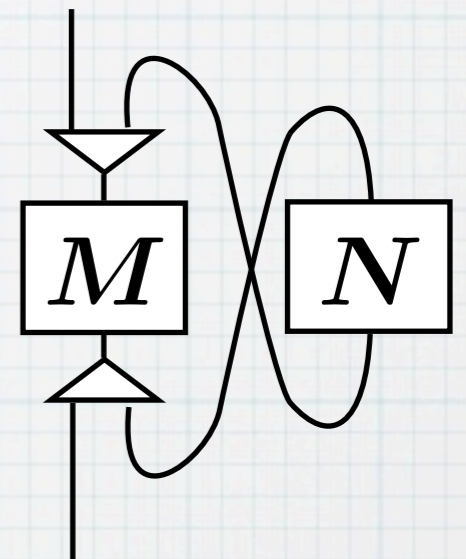
- \*  $\otimes$  is Cartesian product(-like)

- \* in which case,

trace  $\approx$  fixed point operator [Hasegawa/Hyland]

- \* An example:  $((\omega\text{-Cpo}, \times, \mathbf{1}), (\_ )^{\mathbb{N}}, A^{\mathbb{N}})$

- \* (... less of a dynamic flavor)



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- \* “Particle-style” examples

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- \* The GoI animation is valid

- \* Examples:

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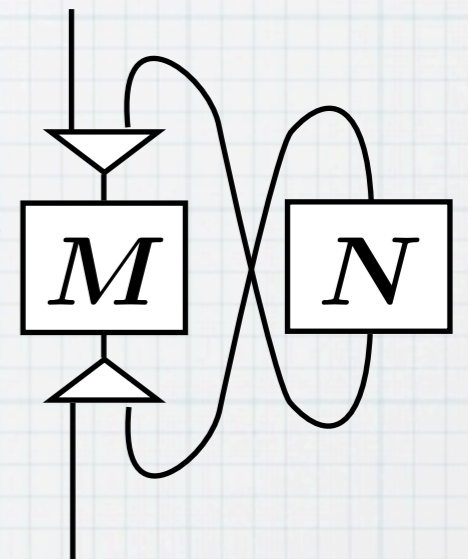
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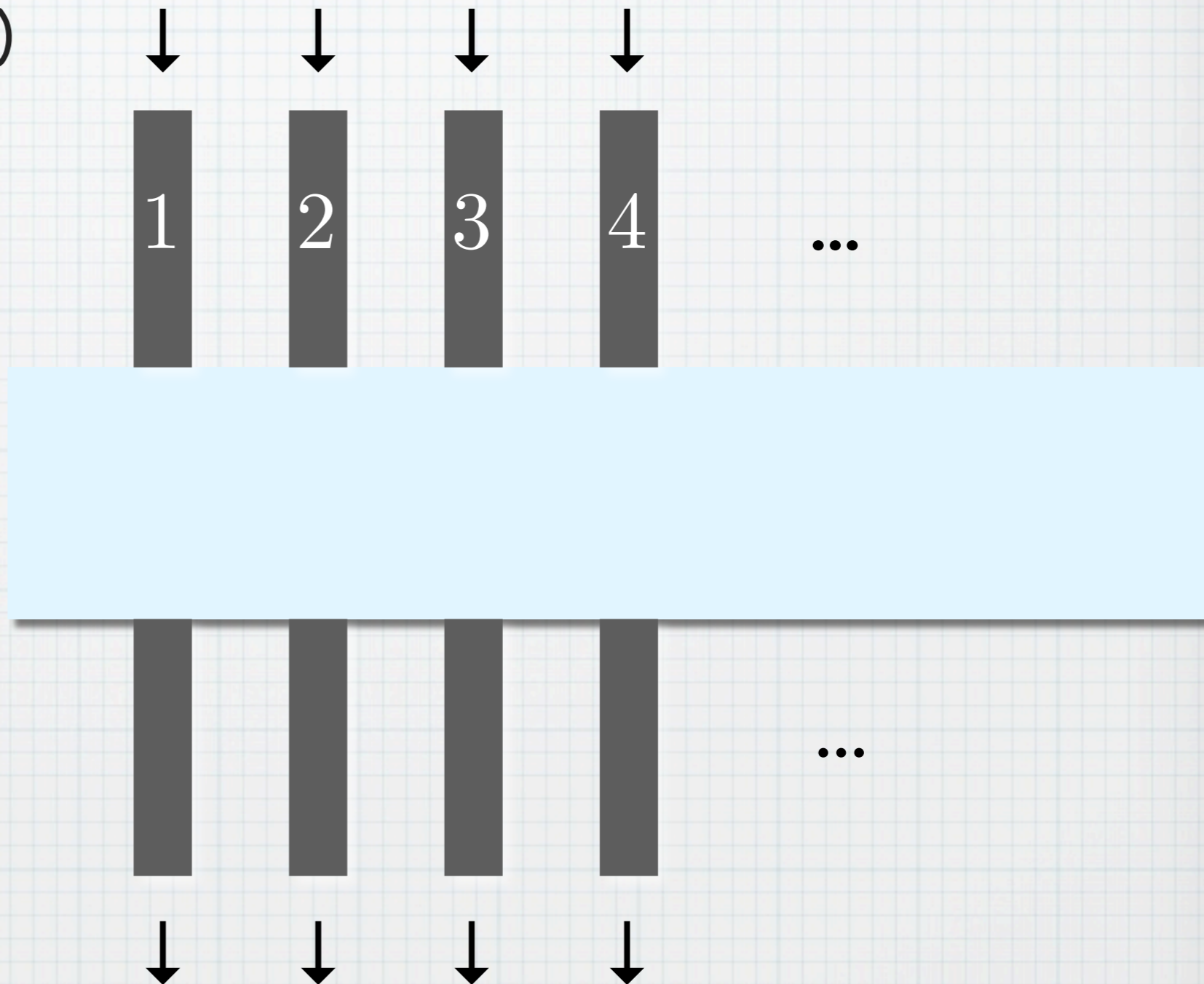
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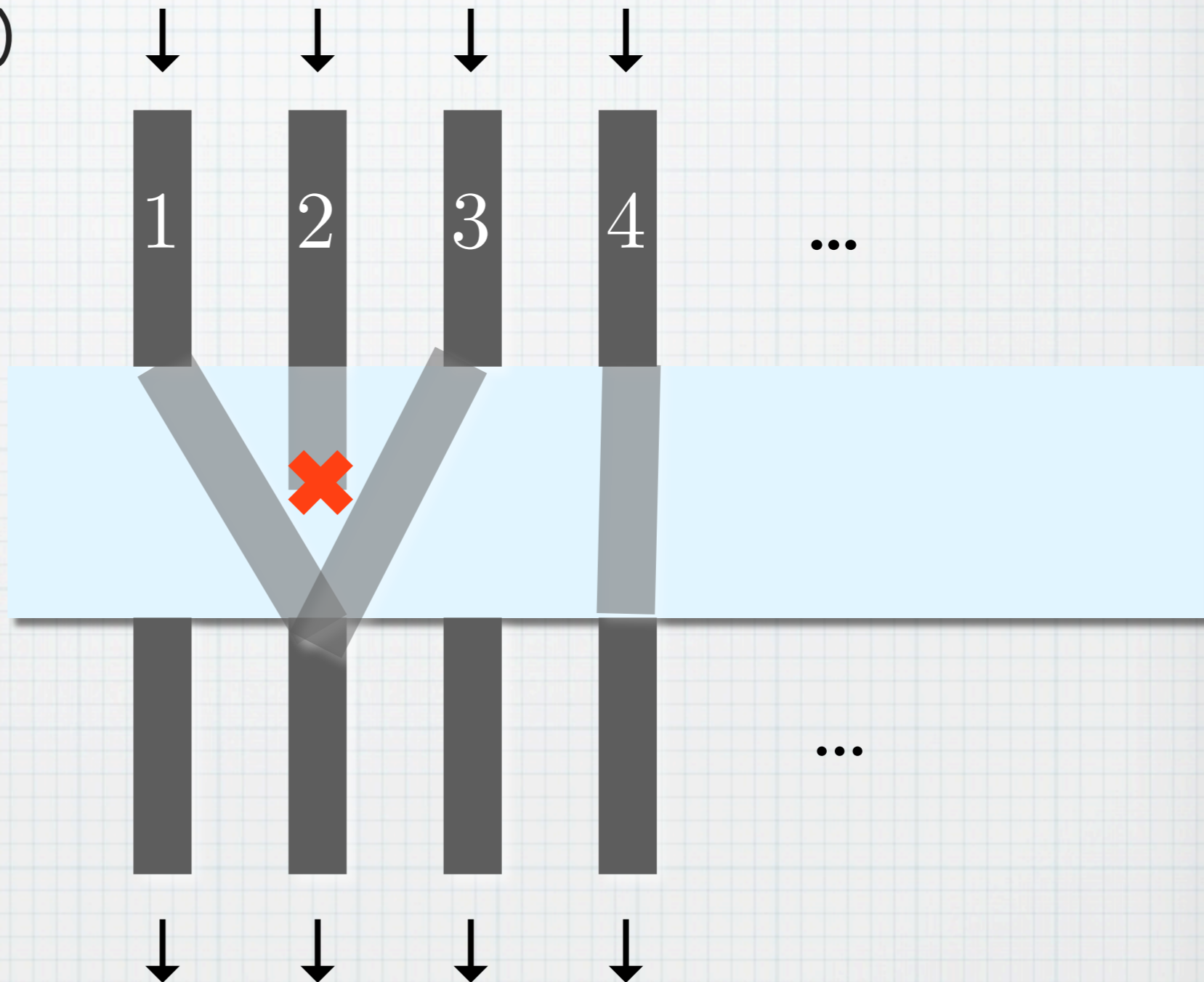
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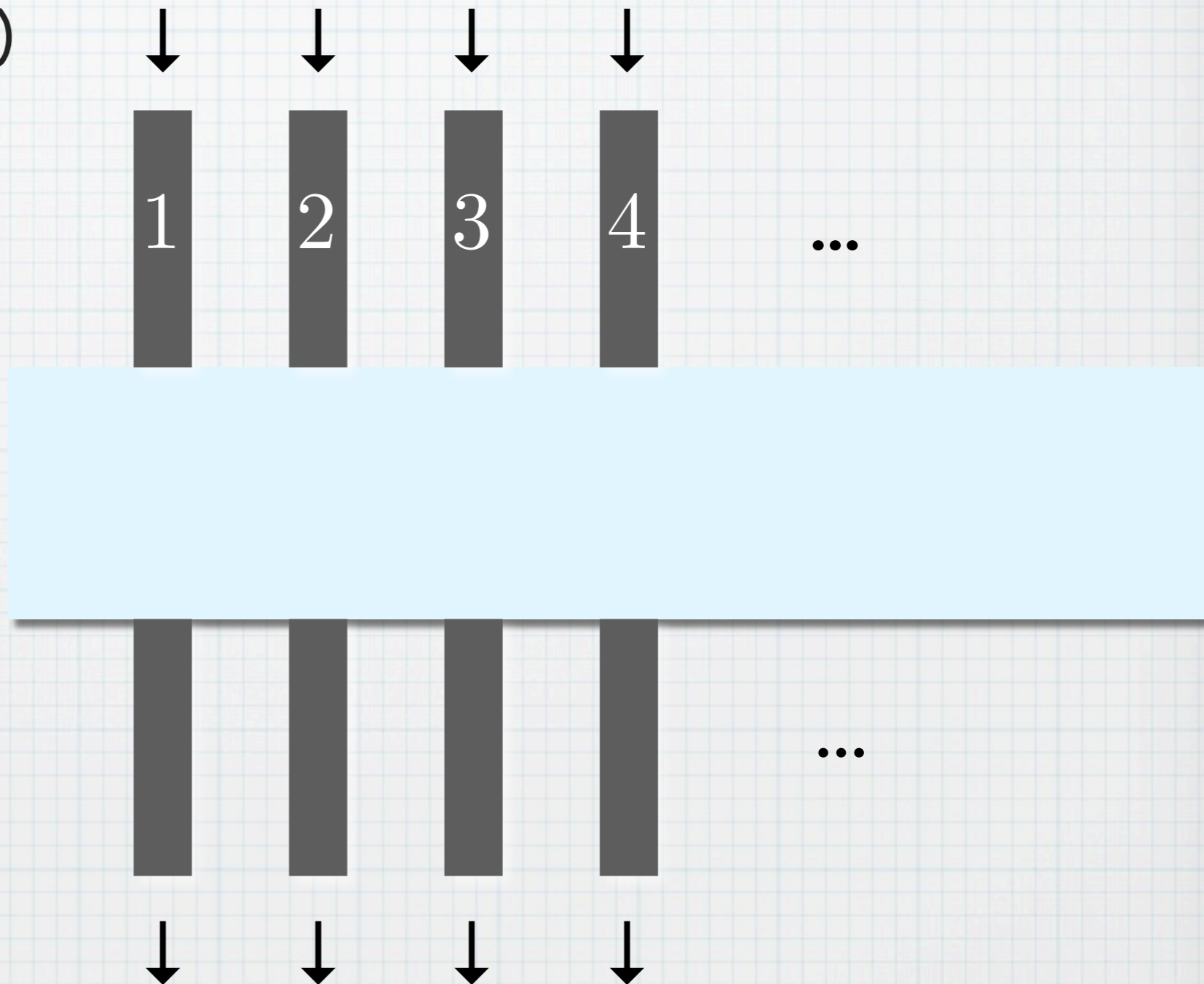
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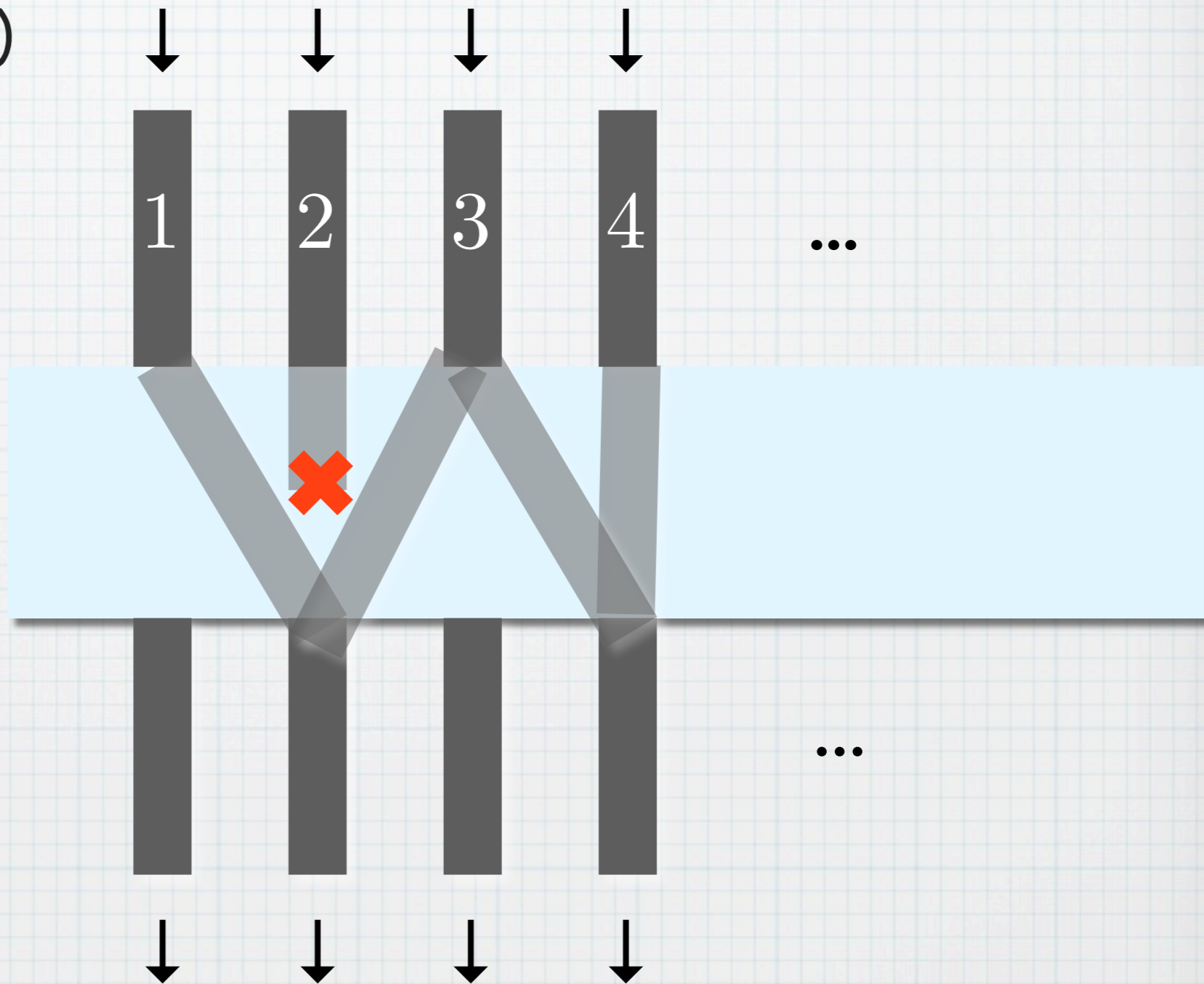
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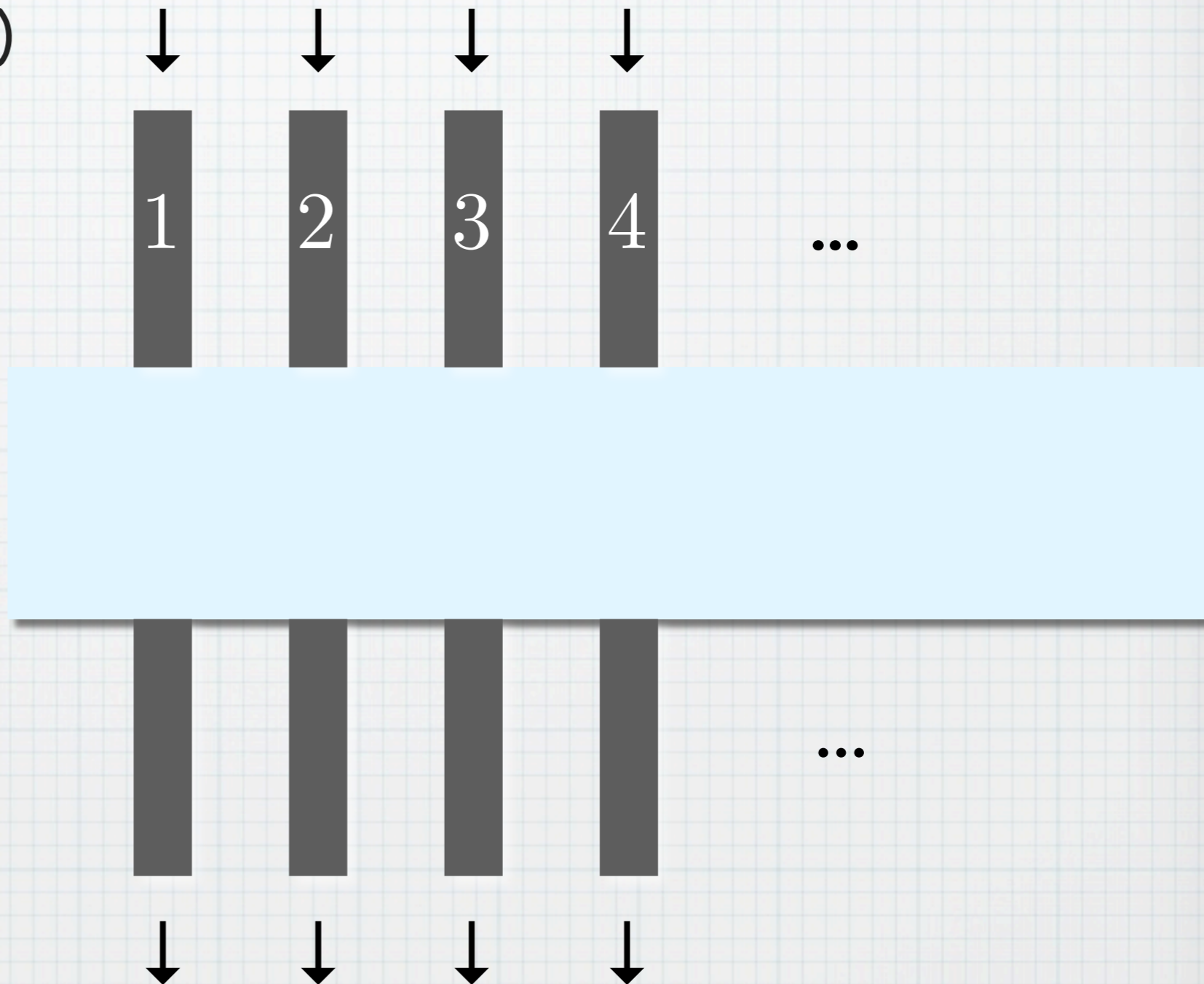
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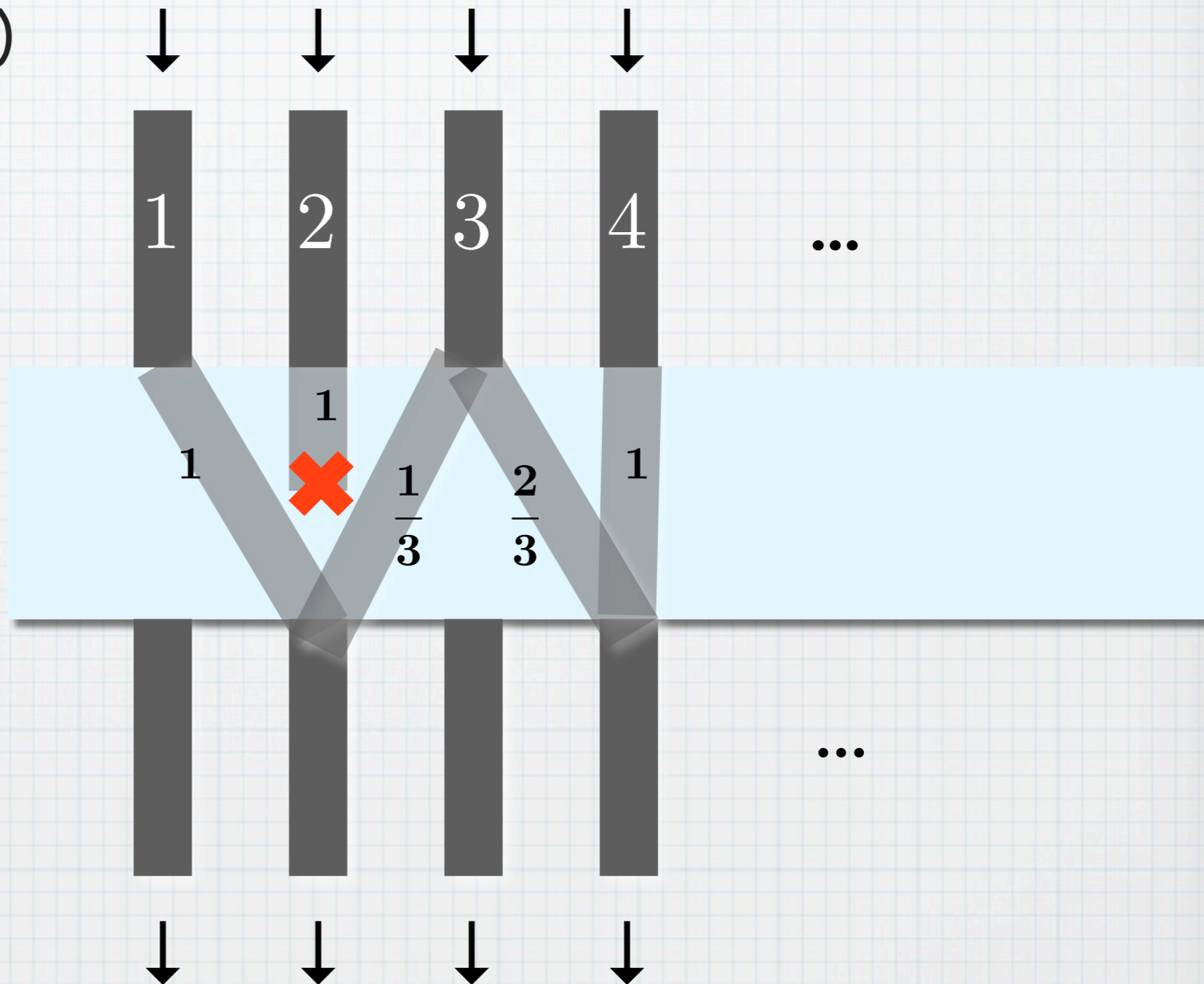
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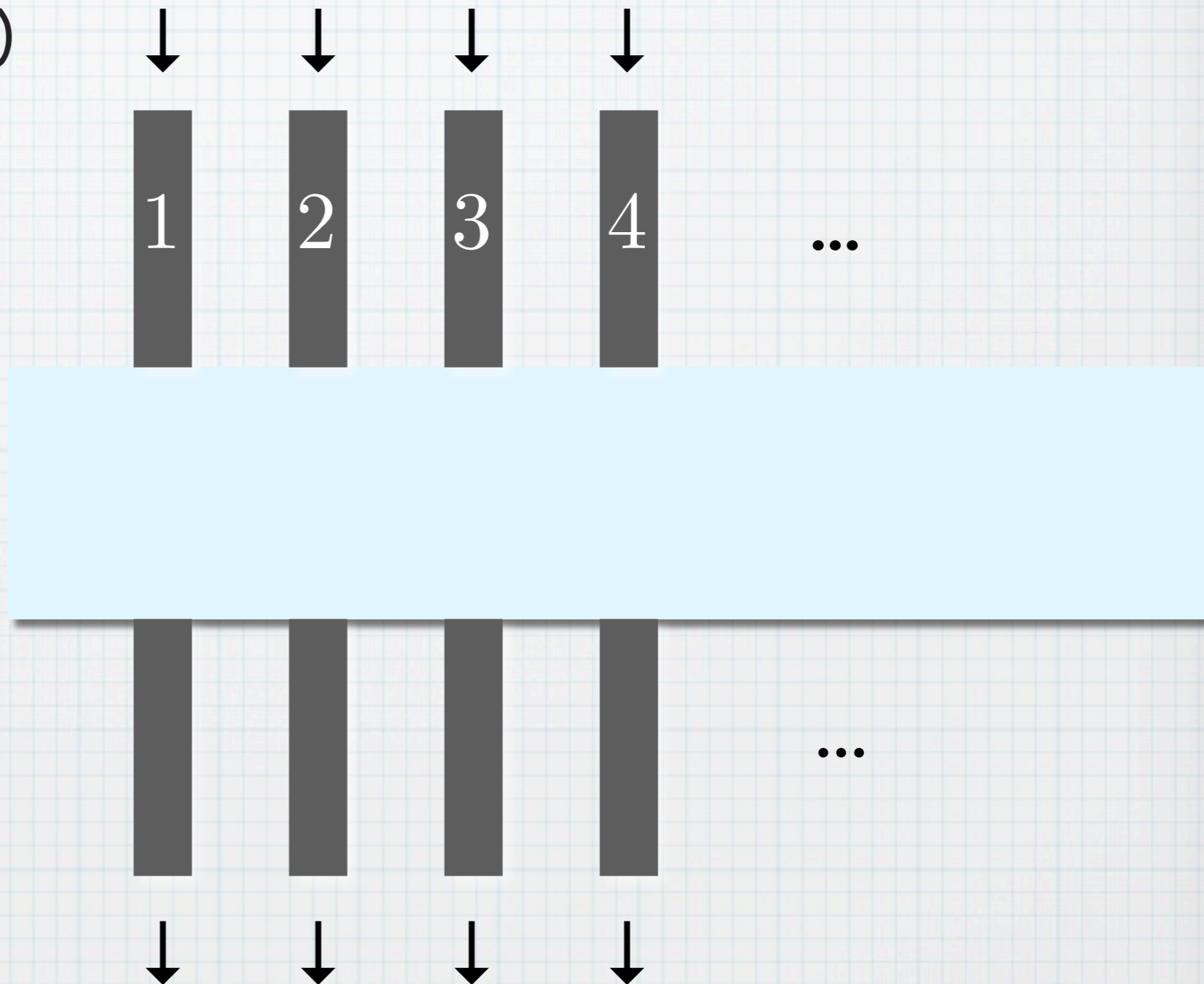
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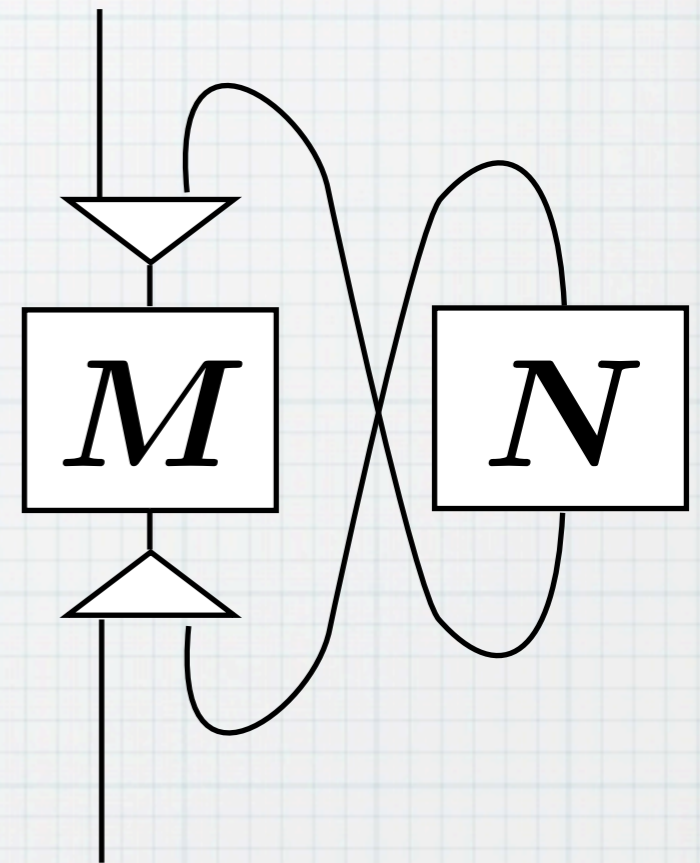
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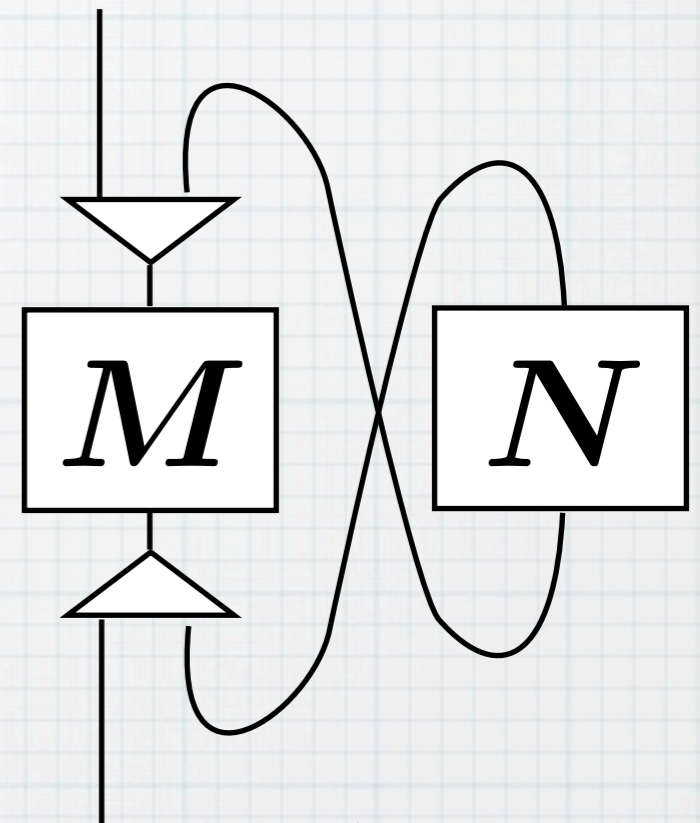
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# A Coalgebraic View

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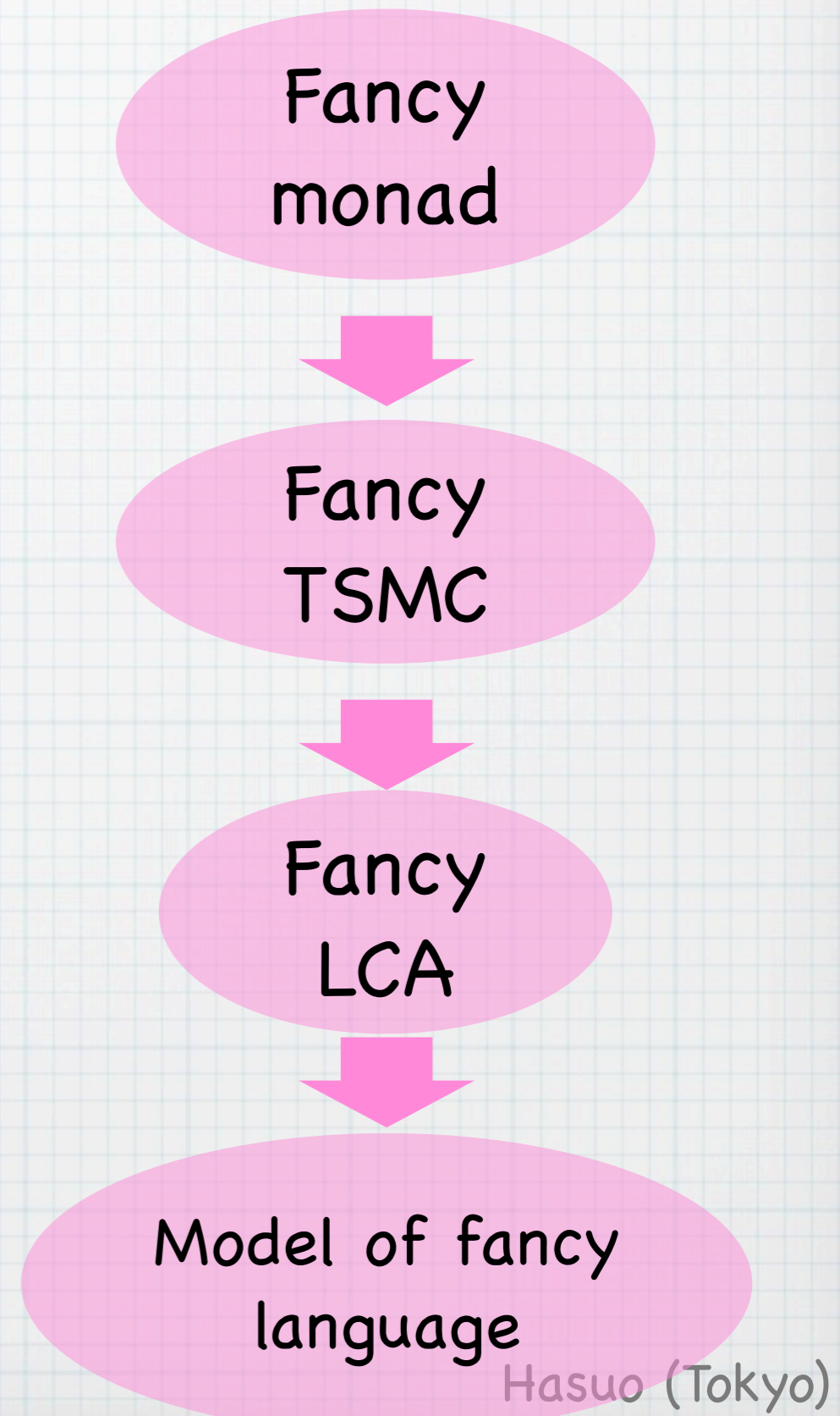
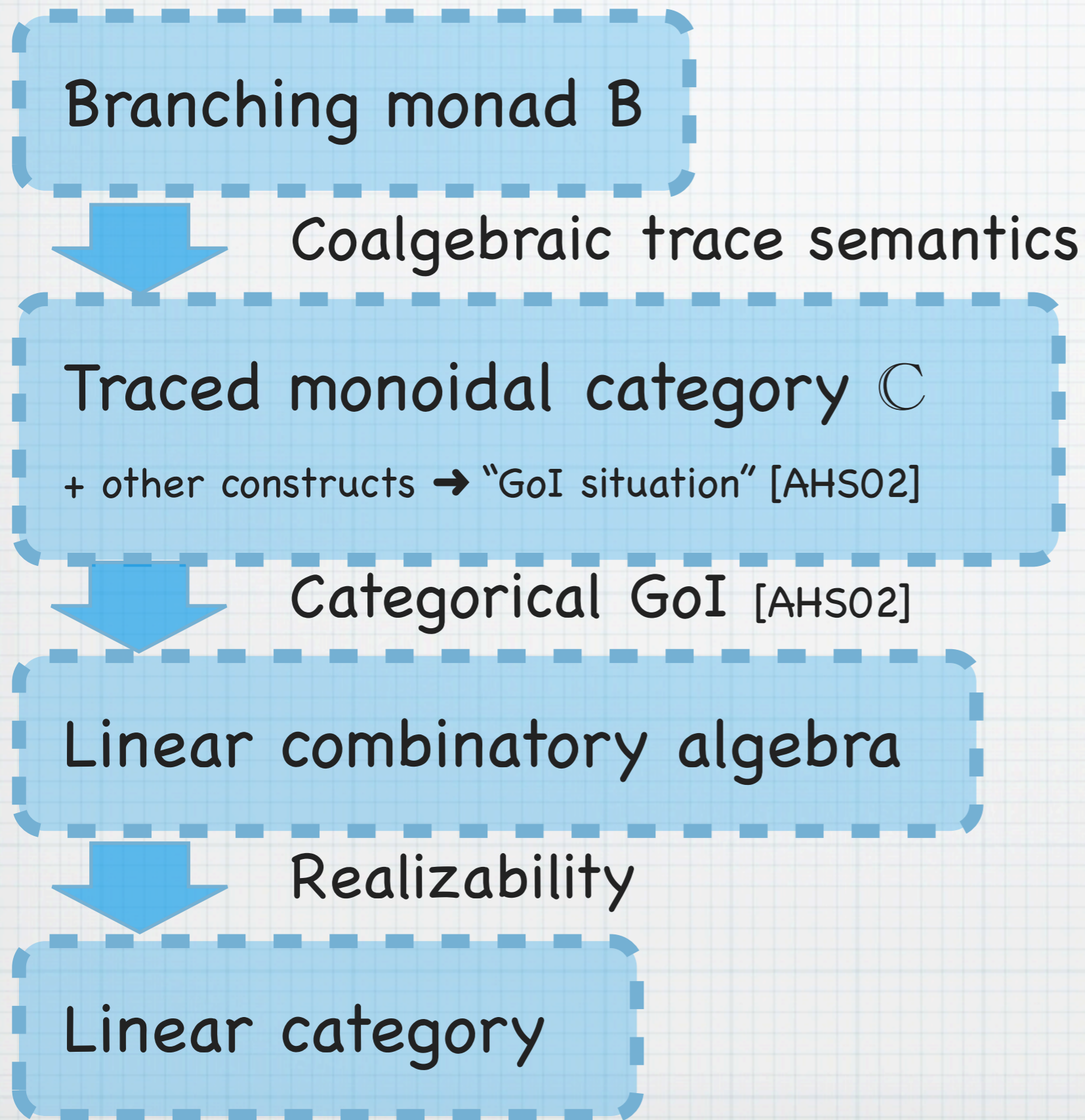
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algebras:  $EX(f, \tau)$  for  $f$   
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Quantum GoI ?

# The Categorical GoI Workflow

Branching monad  $B$

Coalgebraic trace semantics

Traced monoidal category  $\mathcal{C}$

+ other constructs  $\rightarrow$  "GoI situation" [AHS02]

Categorical GoI [AHS02]

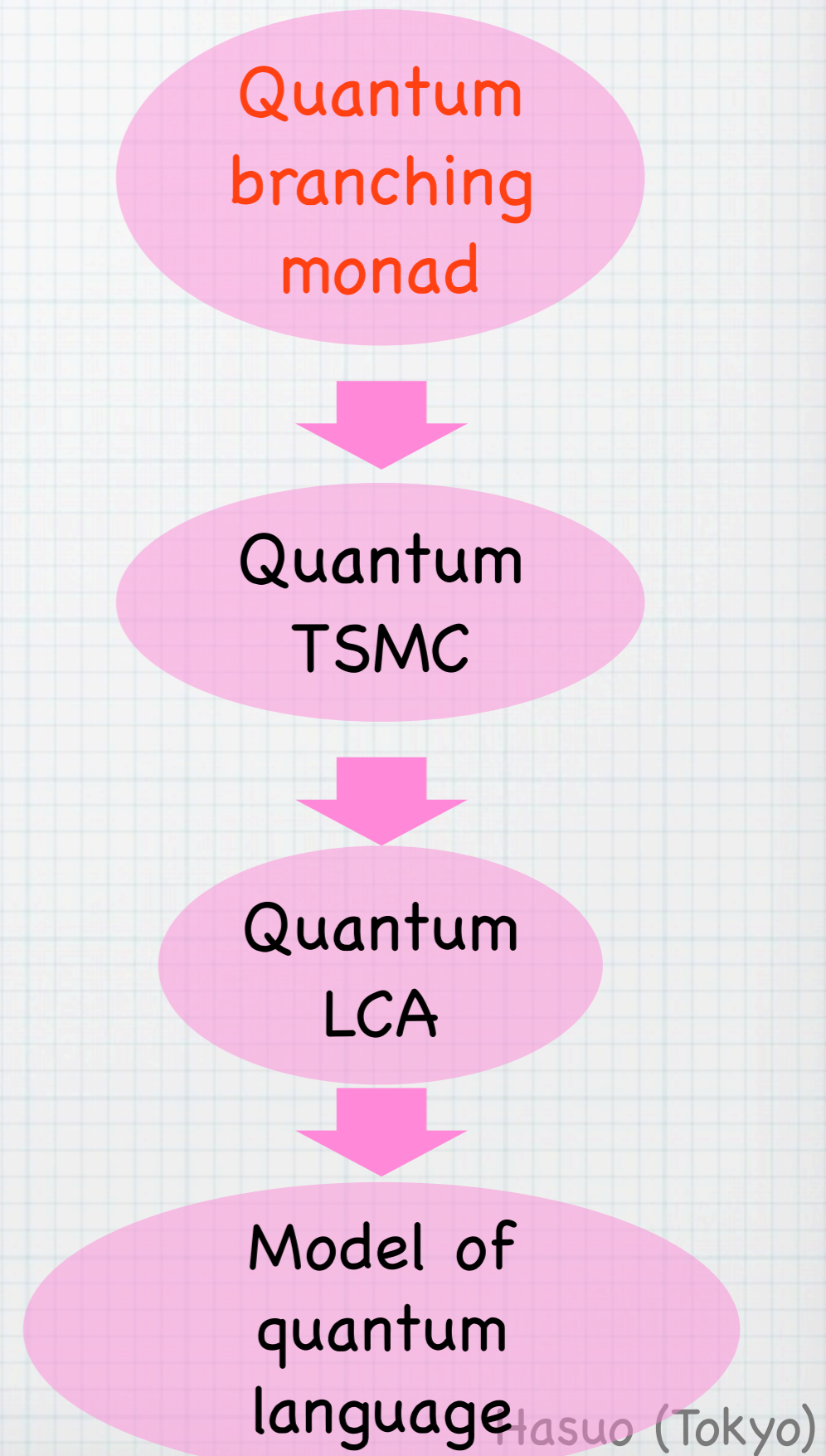
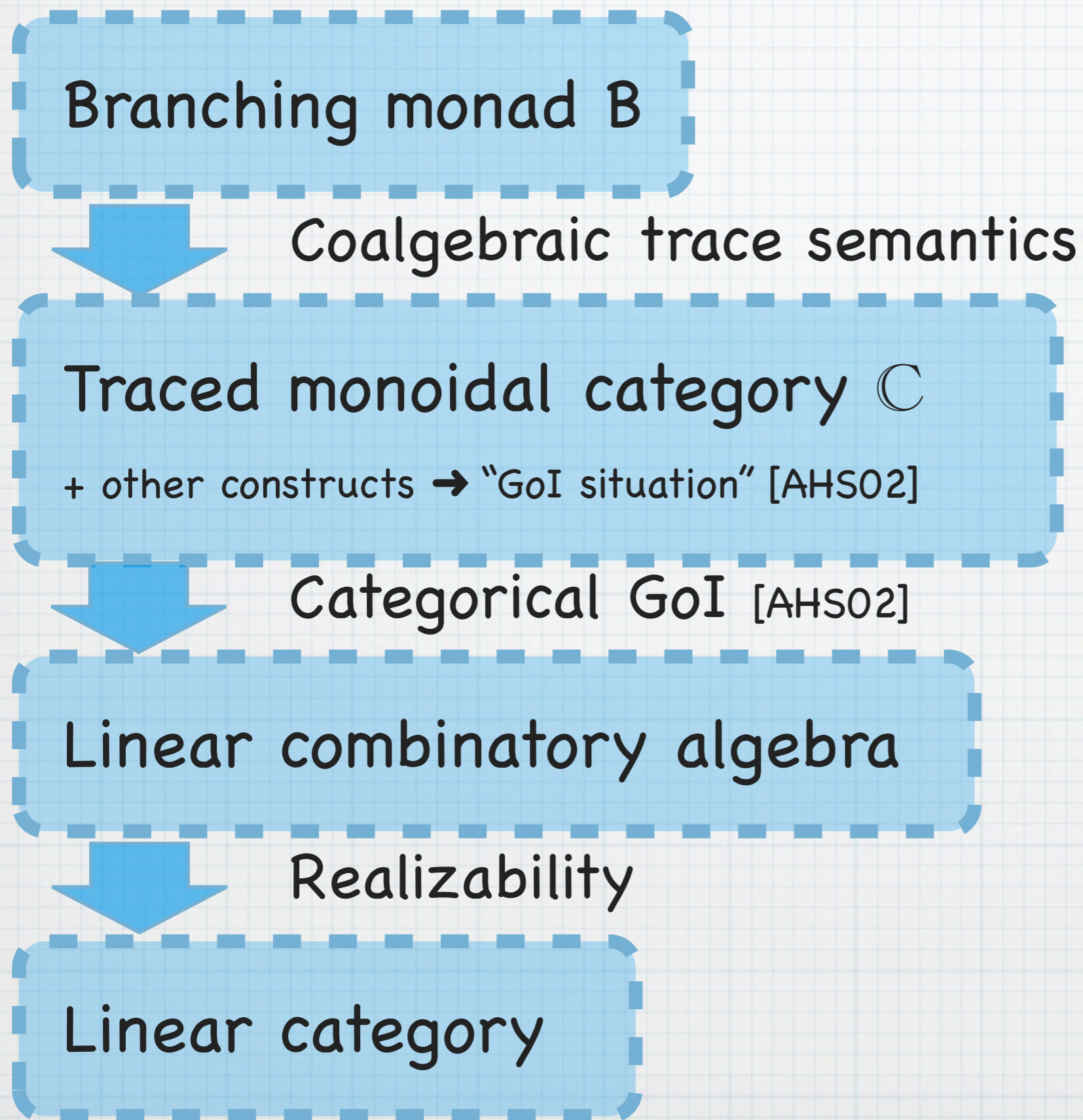
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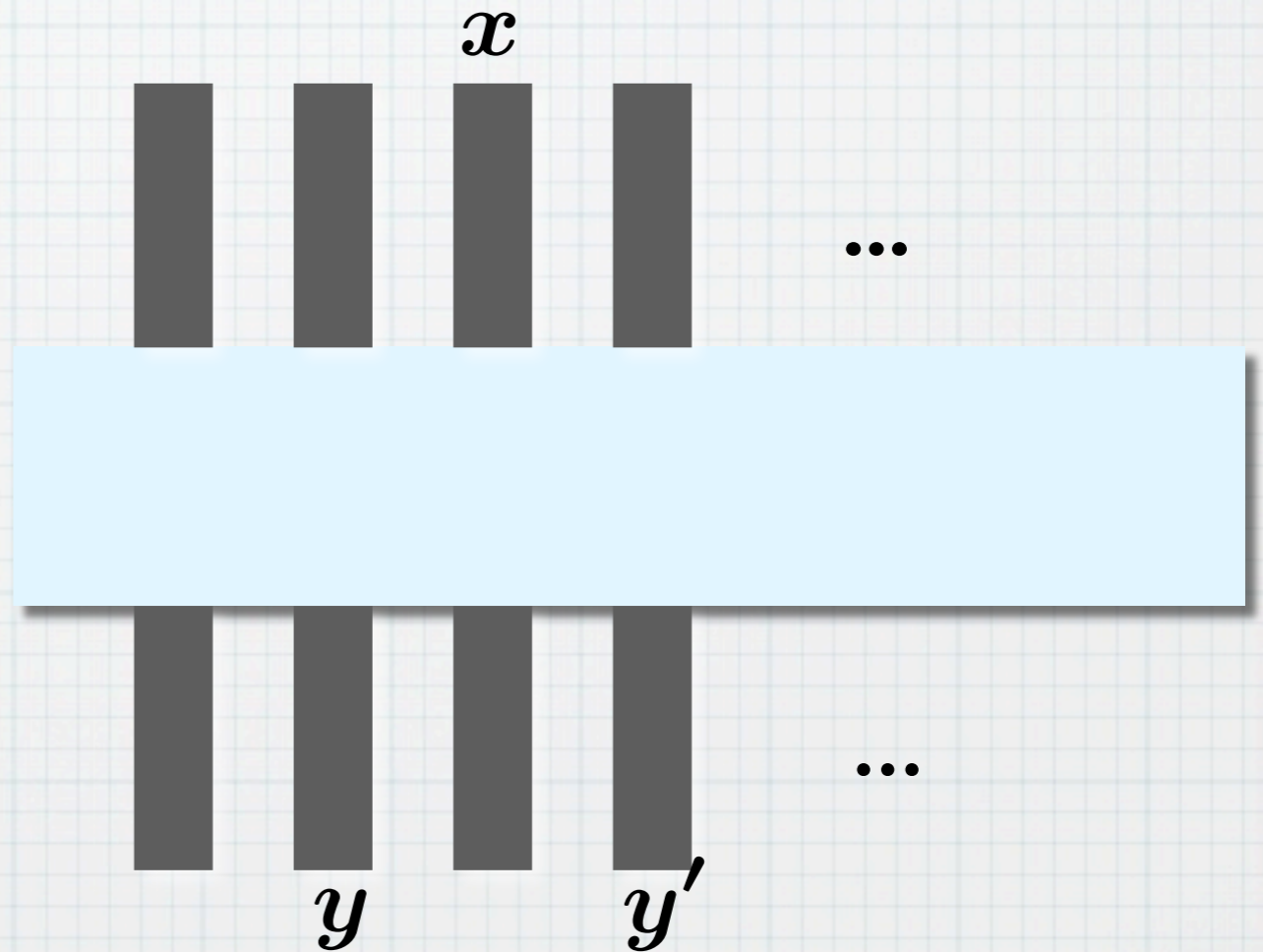
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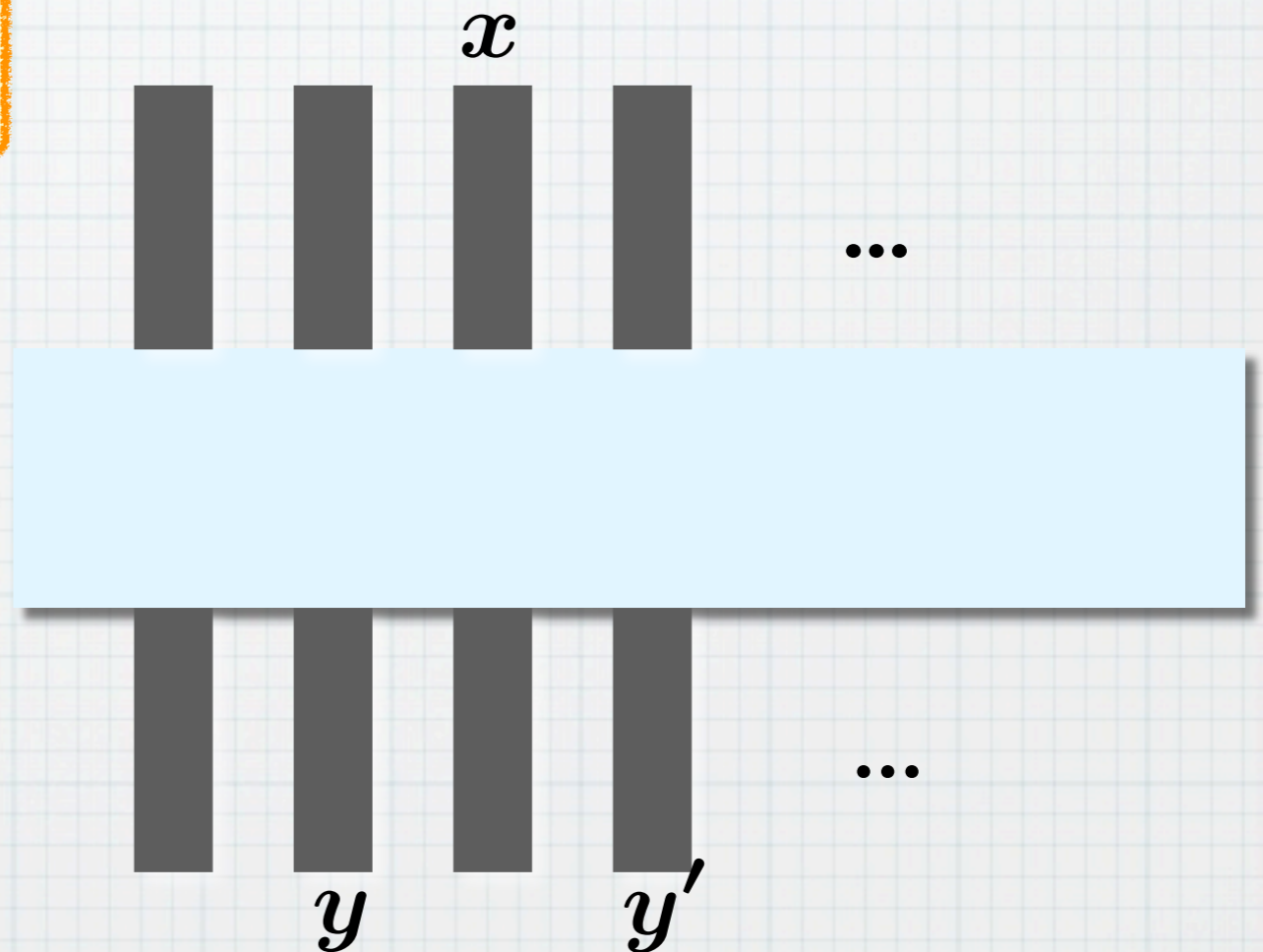
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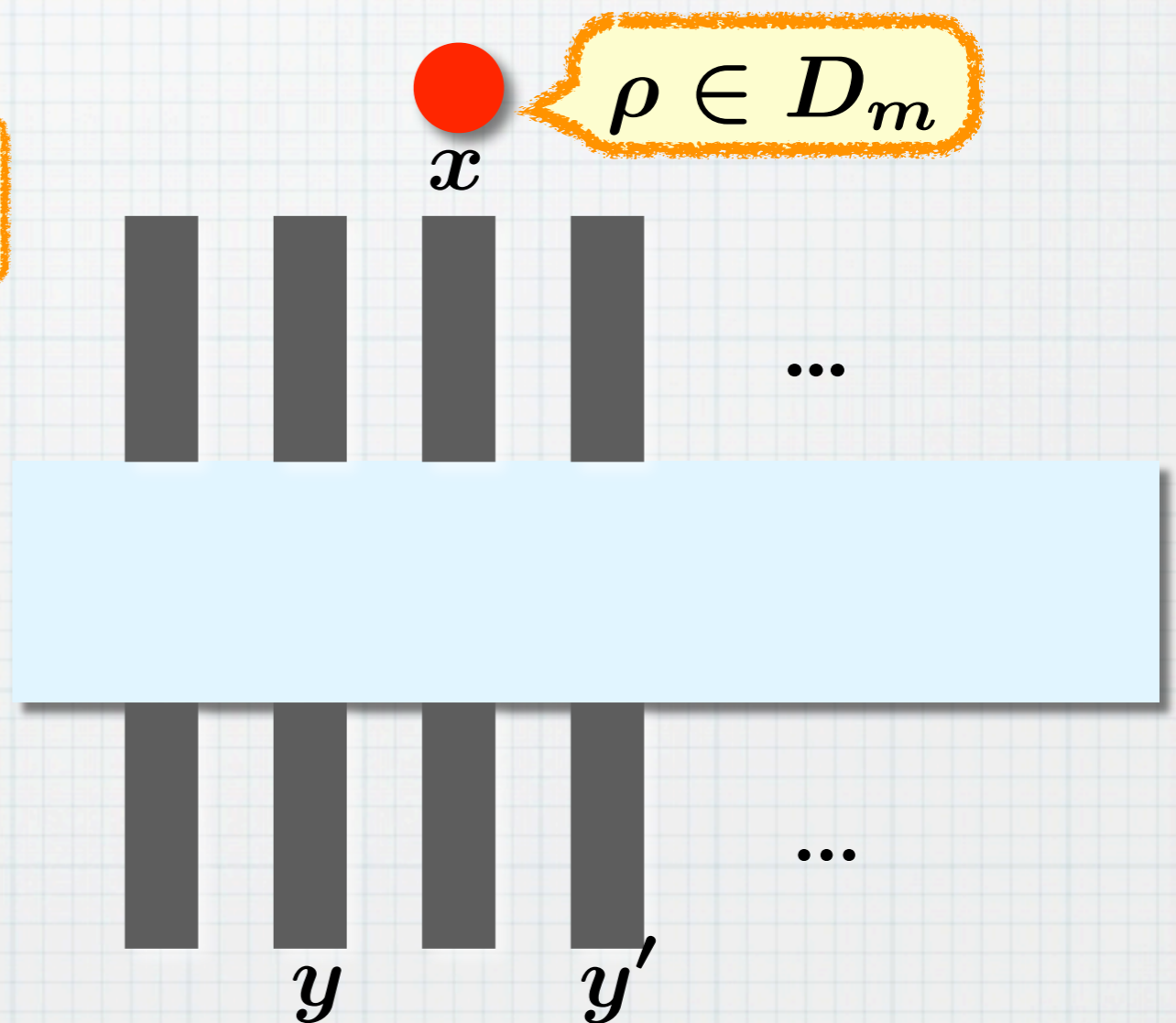
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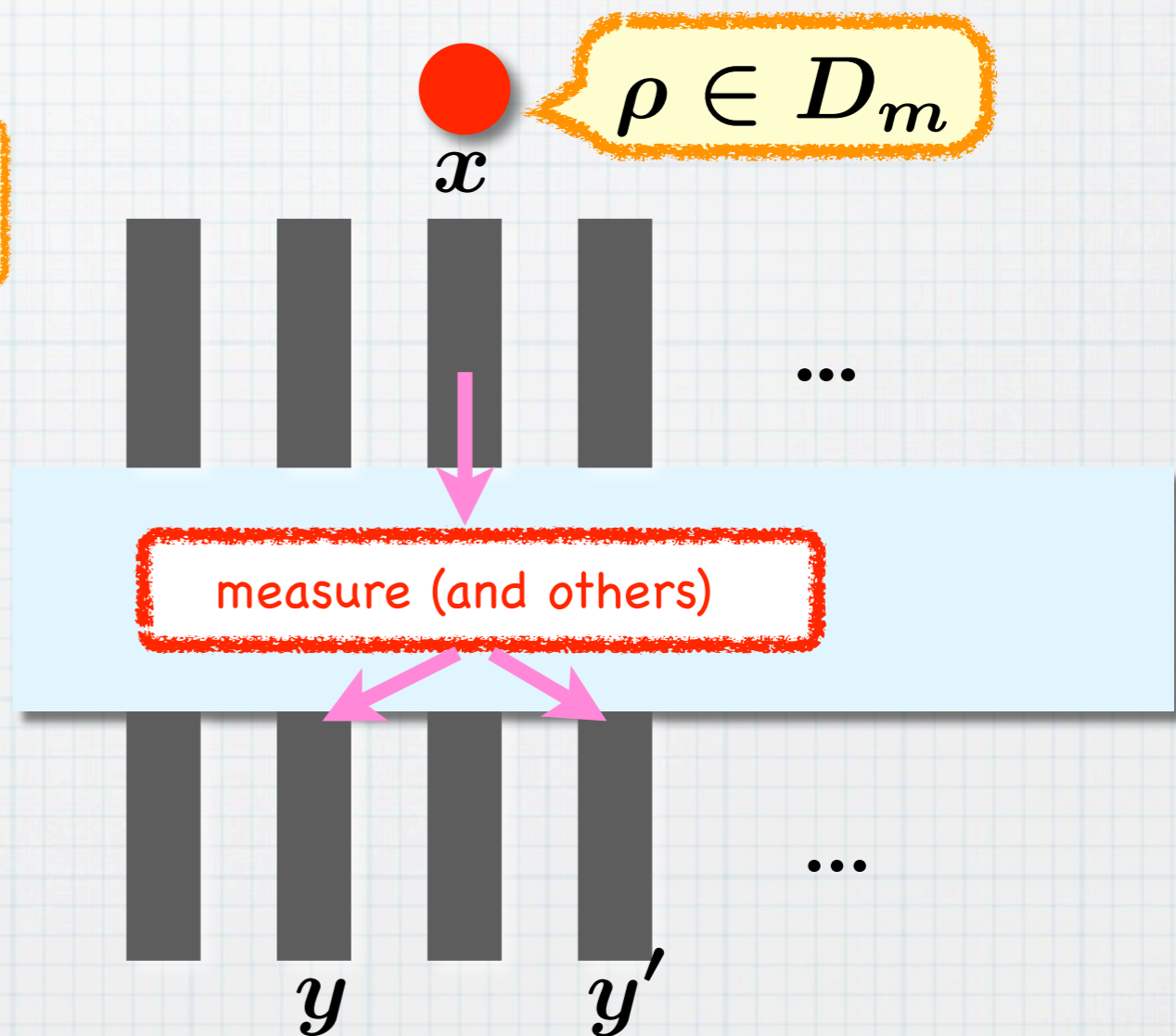
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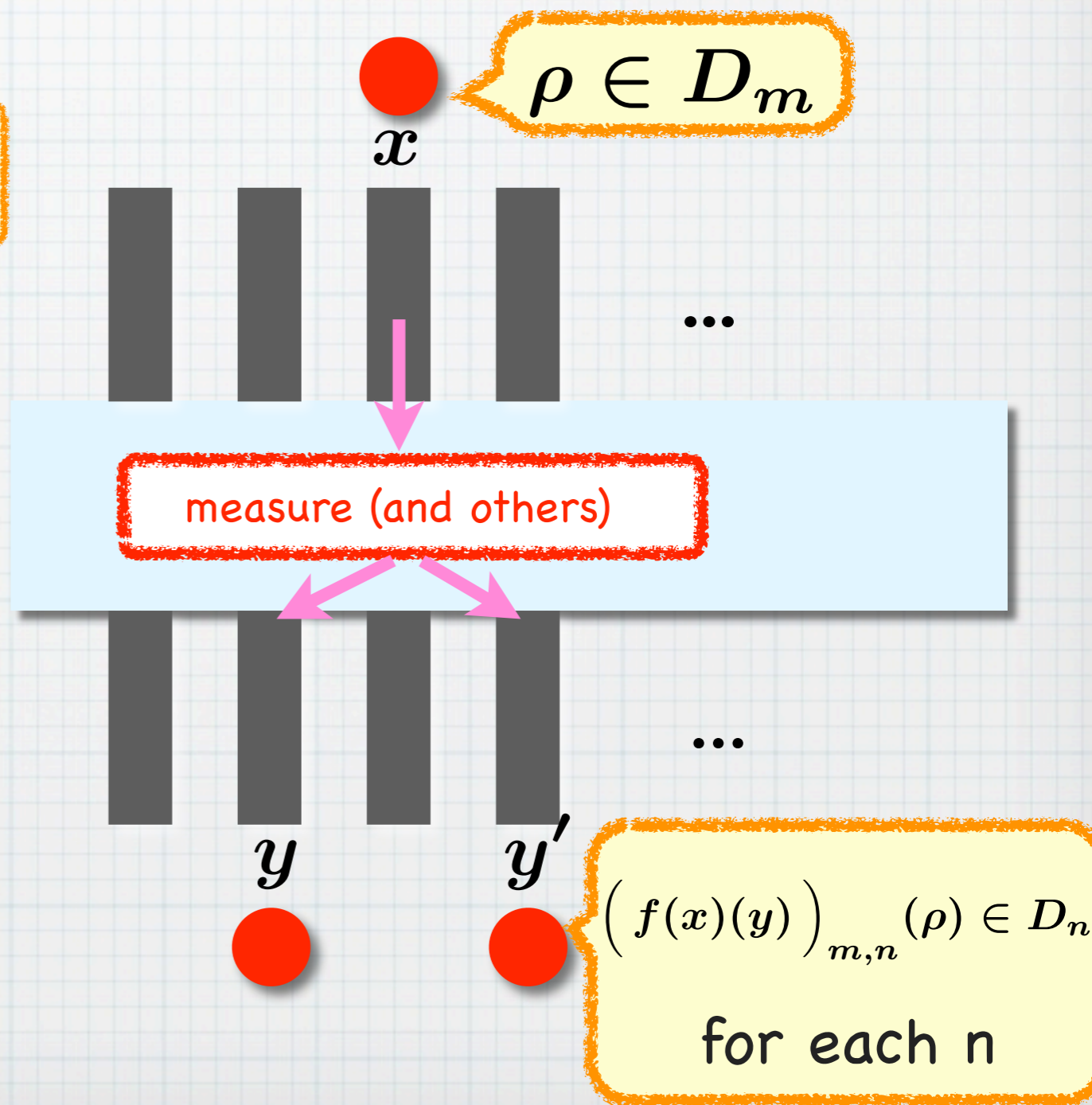
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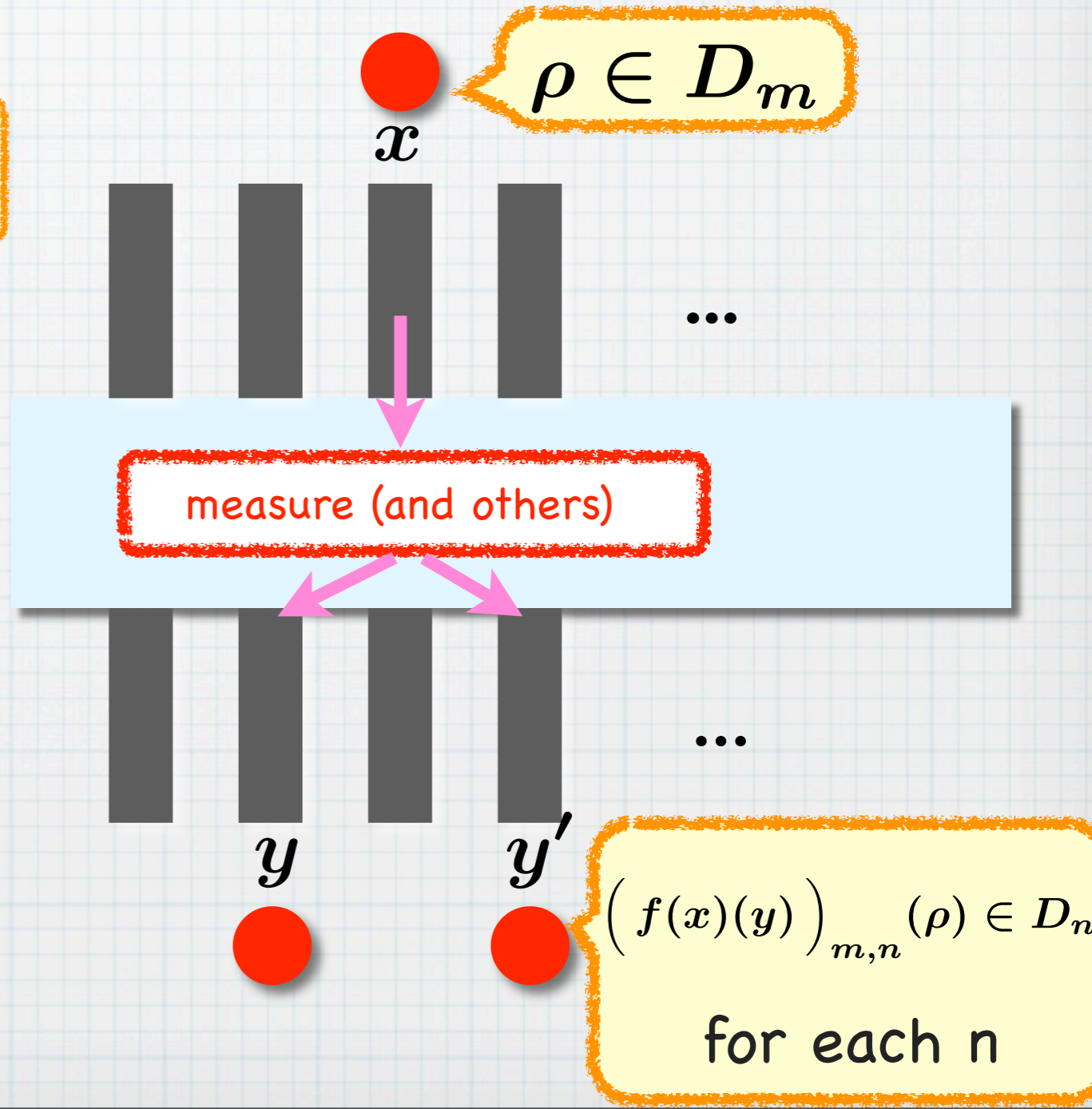
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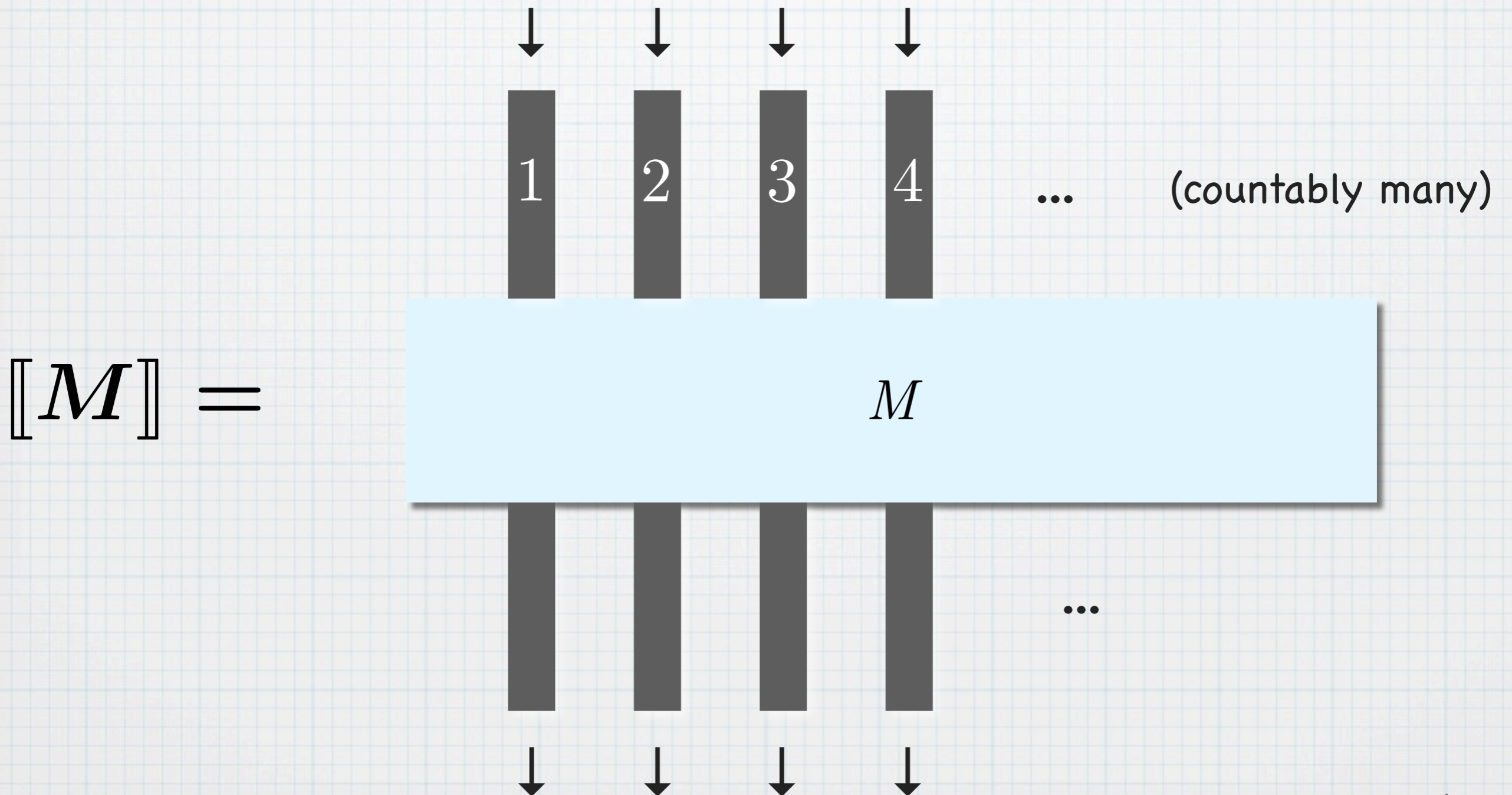
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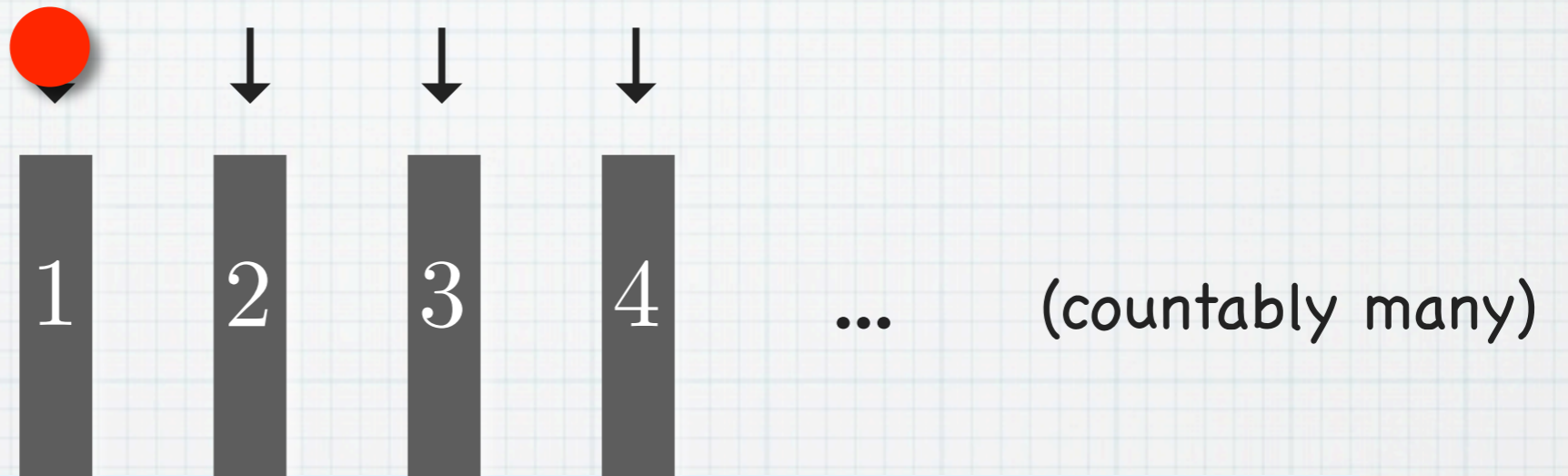
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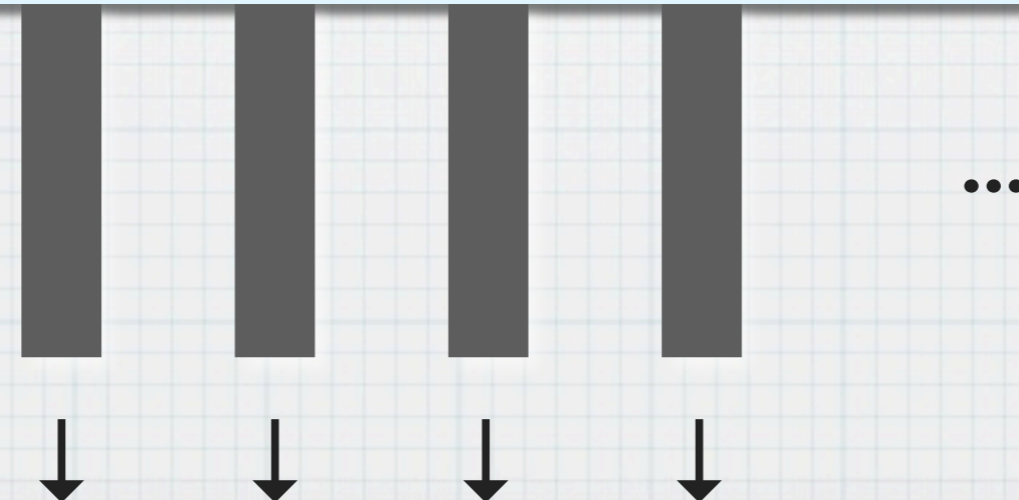


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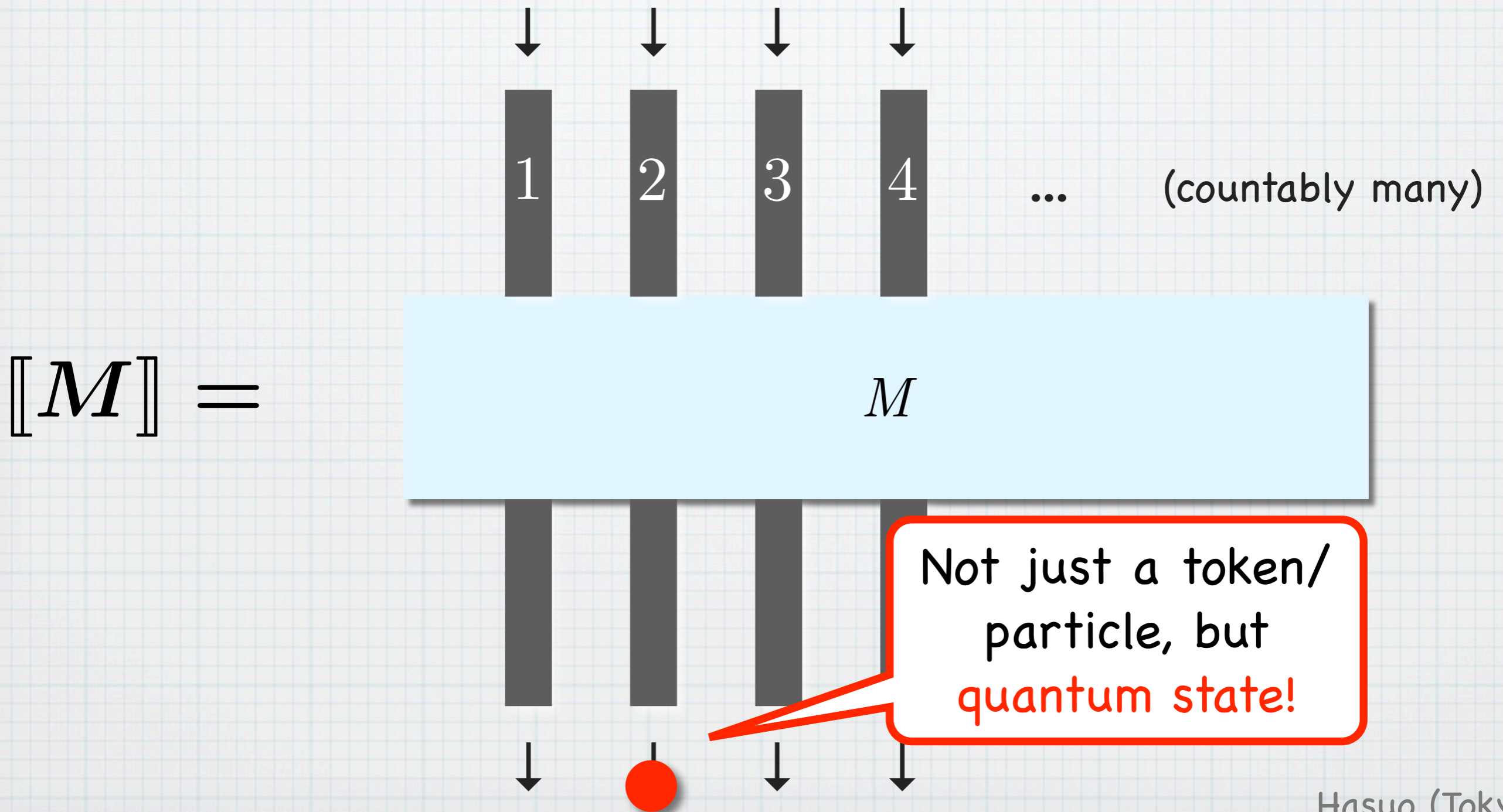
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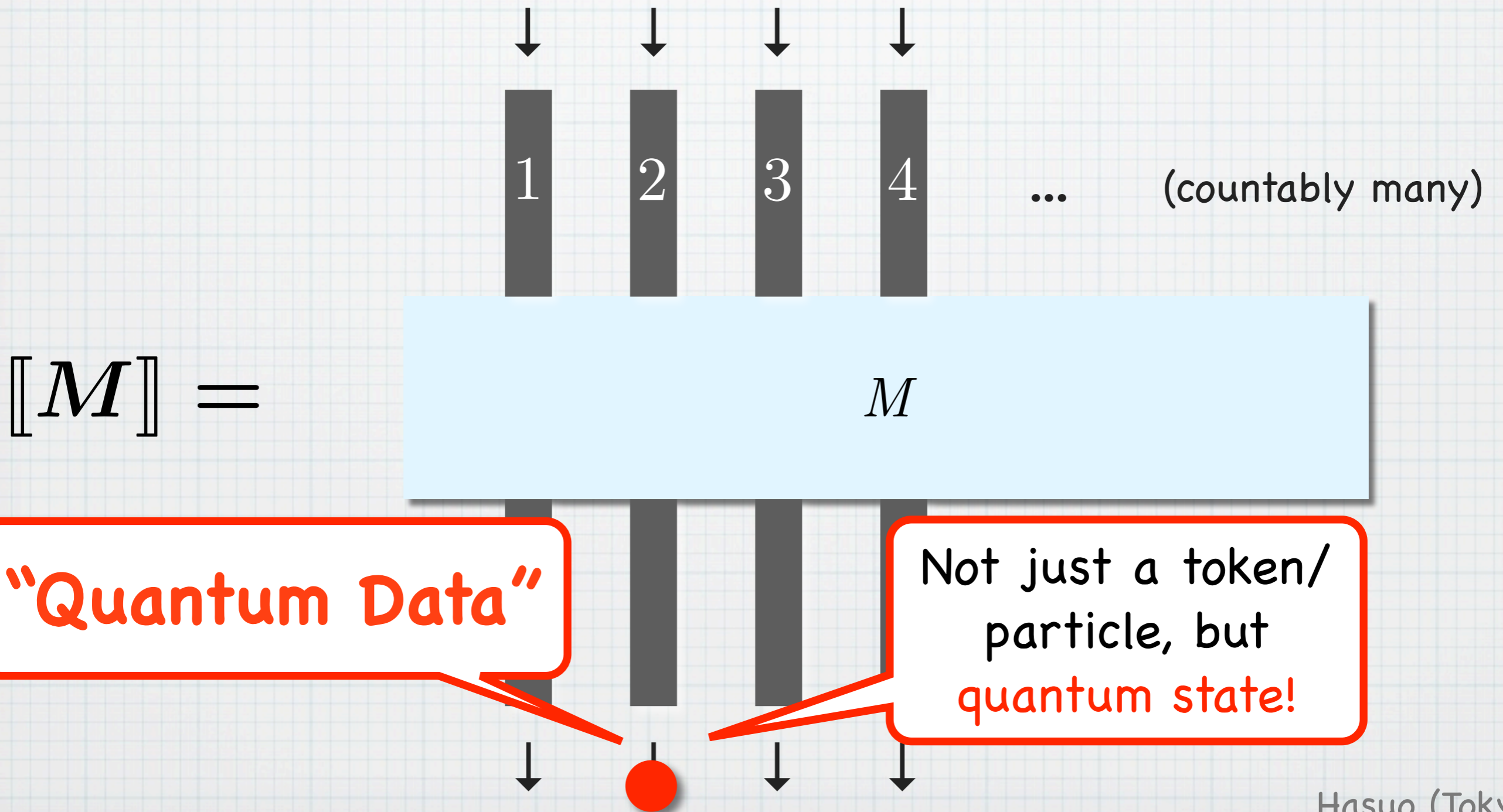
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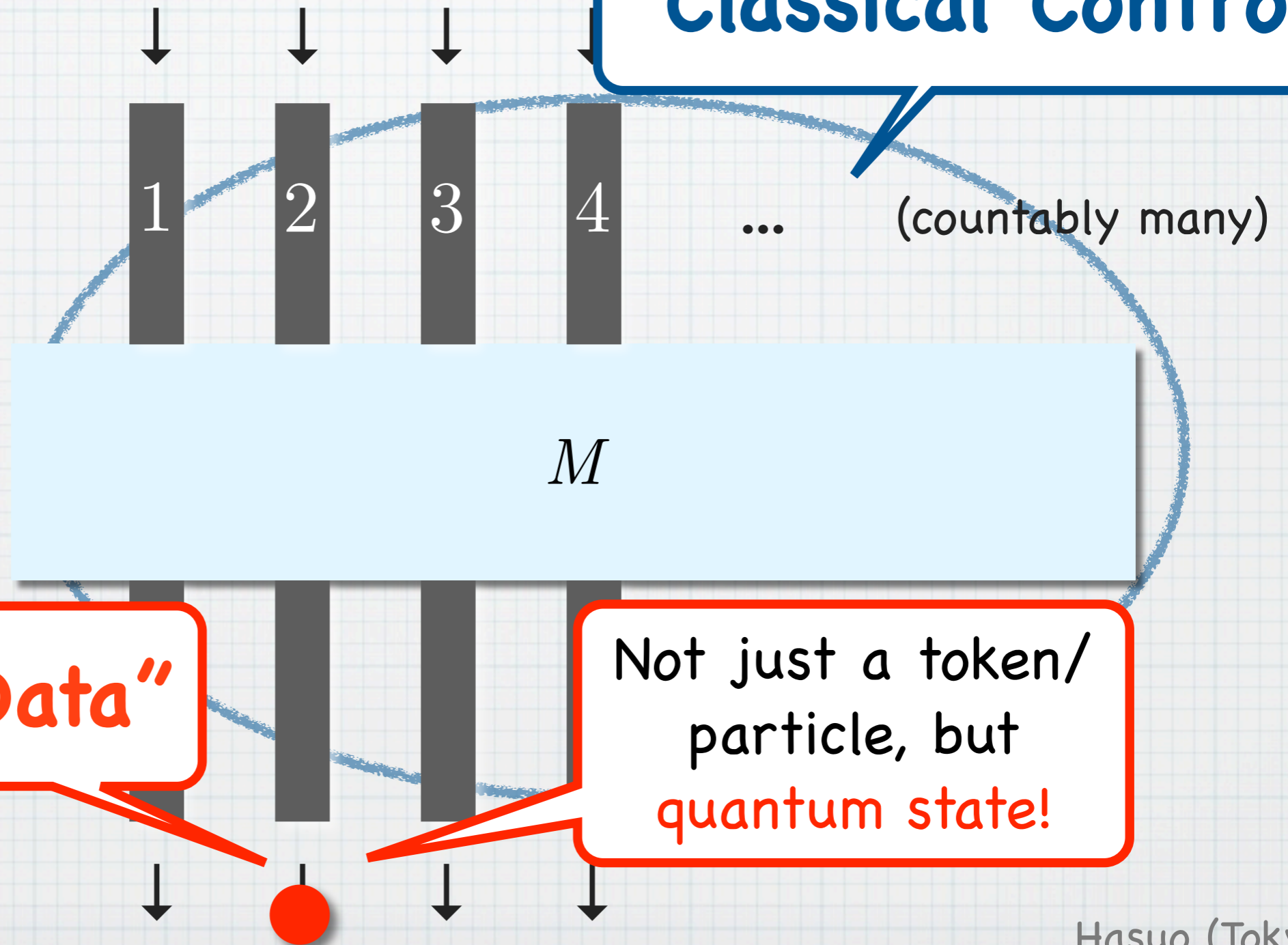
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- \* "in which pipe"
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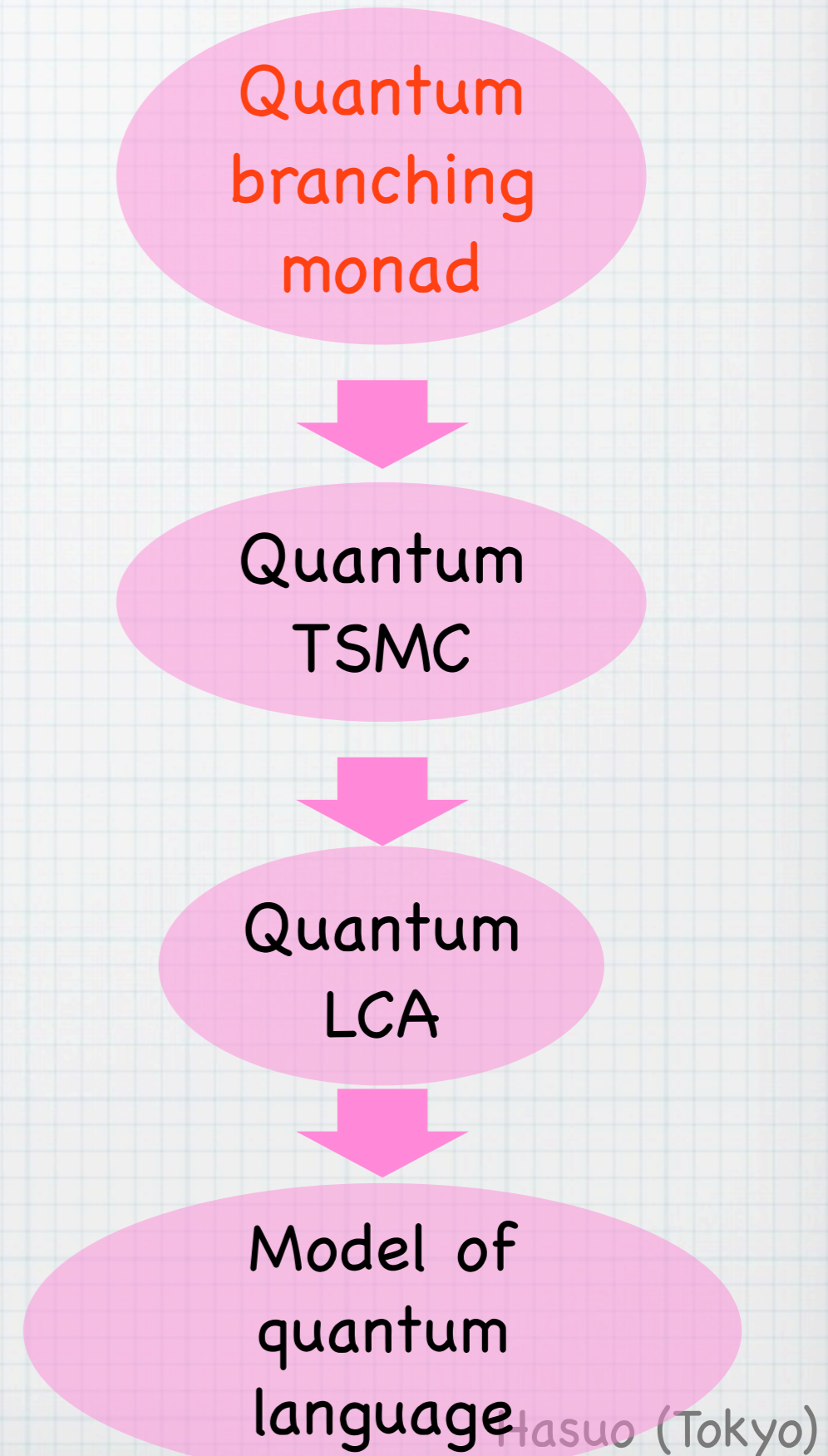
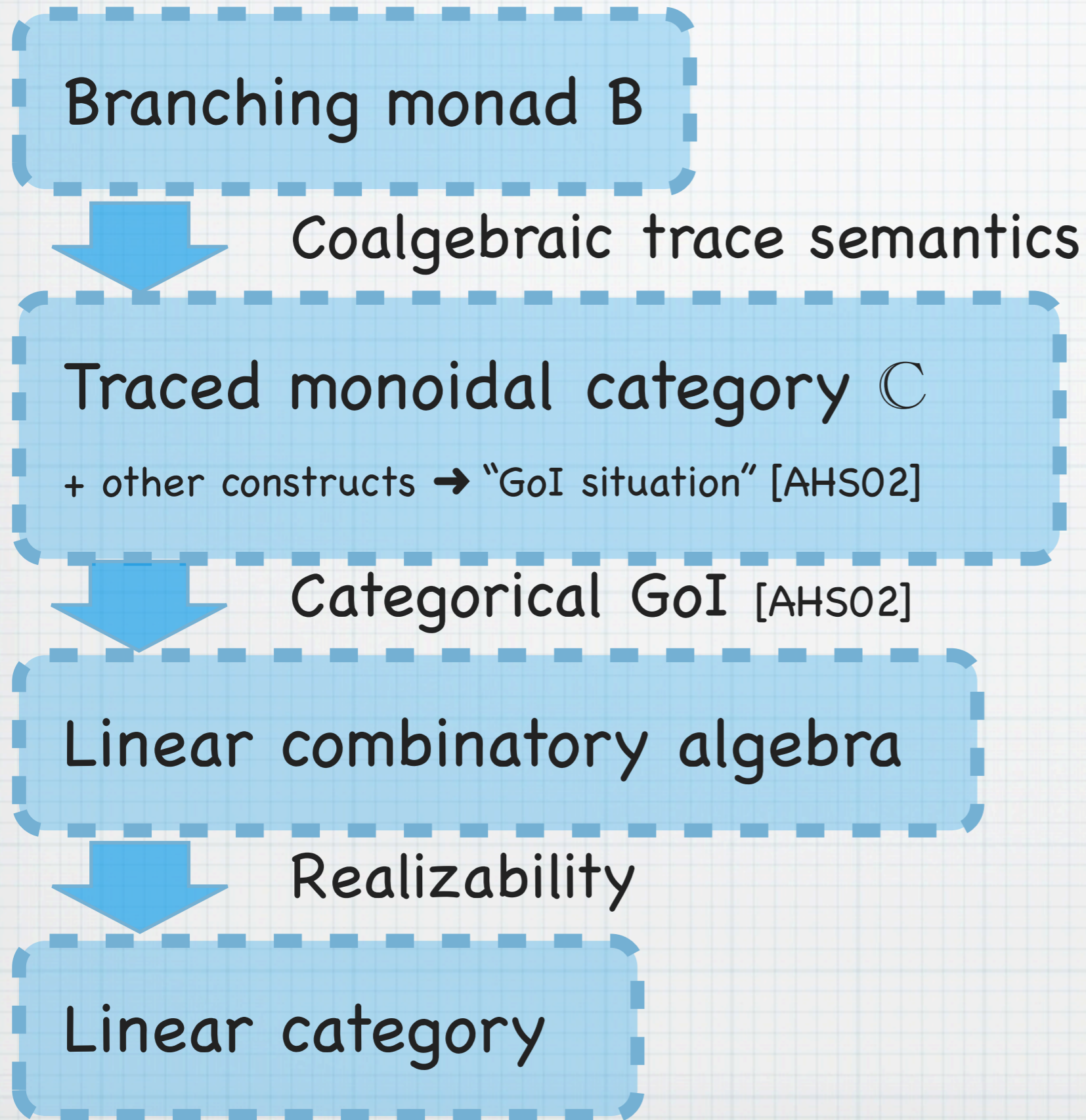
# Indeed...

- \* The monad  $Q$  qualifies as a “branching monad”
- \* The quantum GoI workflow leads to a linear category  $\mathbf{PER}_Q$
- \* From which we construct an adequate denotational model

# End of the Story?

- \* No! All the technicalities are yet to come:
  - \* CPS-style interpretation (for partial measurement)
  - \* Result type: a final coalgebra in  $\mathbf{PER}_Q$
  - \* **Admissible PERs** for recursion
  - \* ...
  
- \* On the next occasion :-)

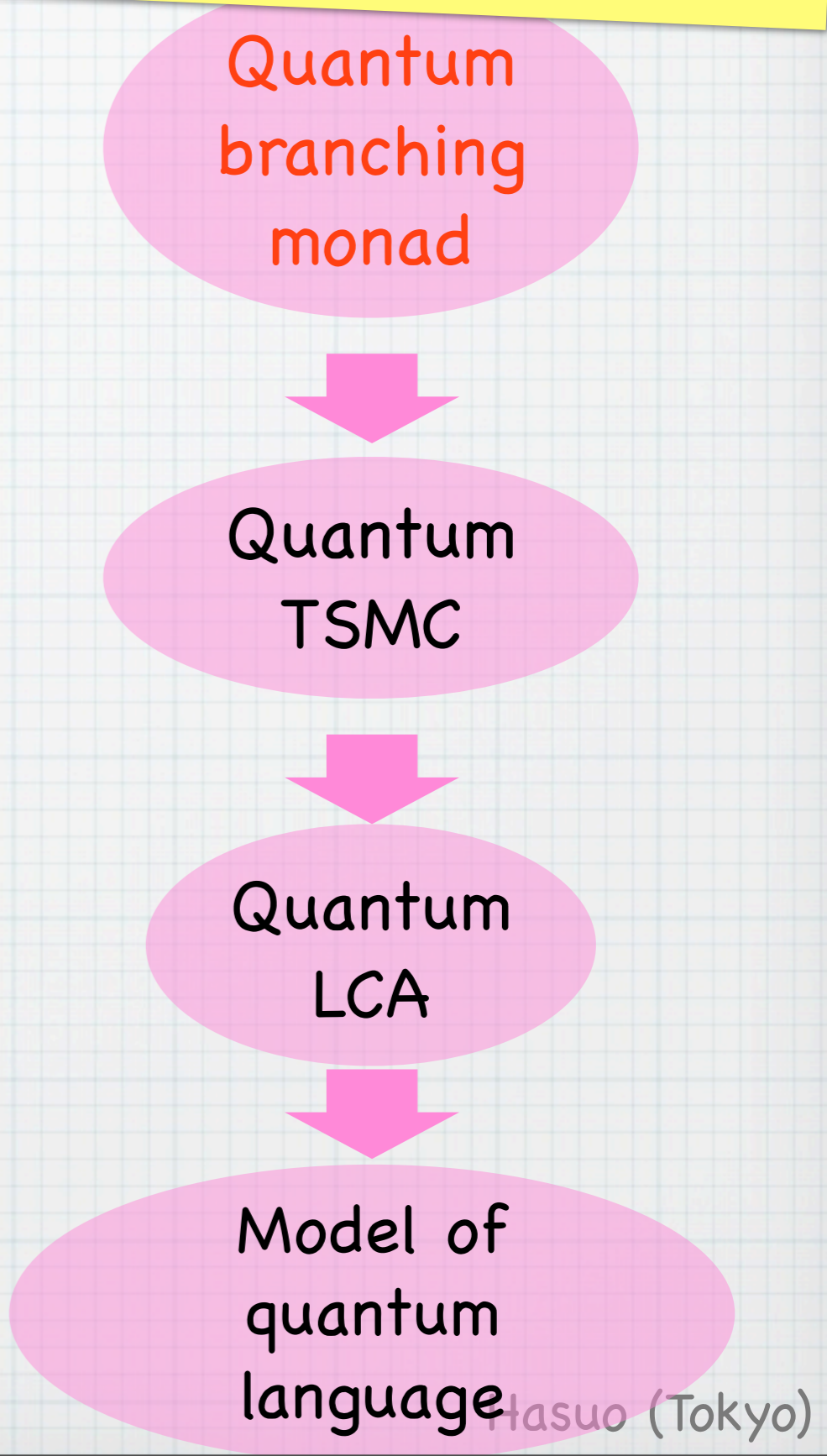
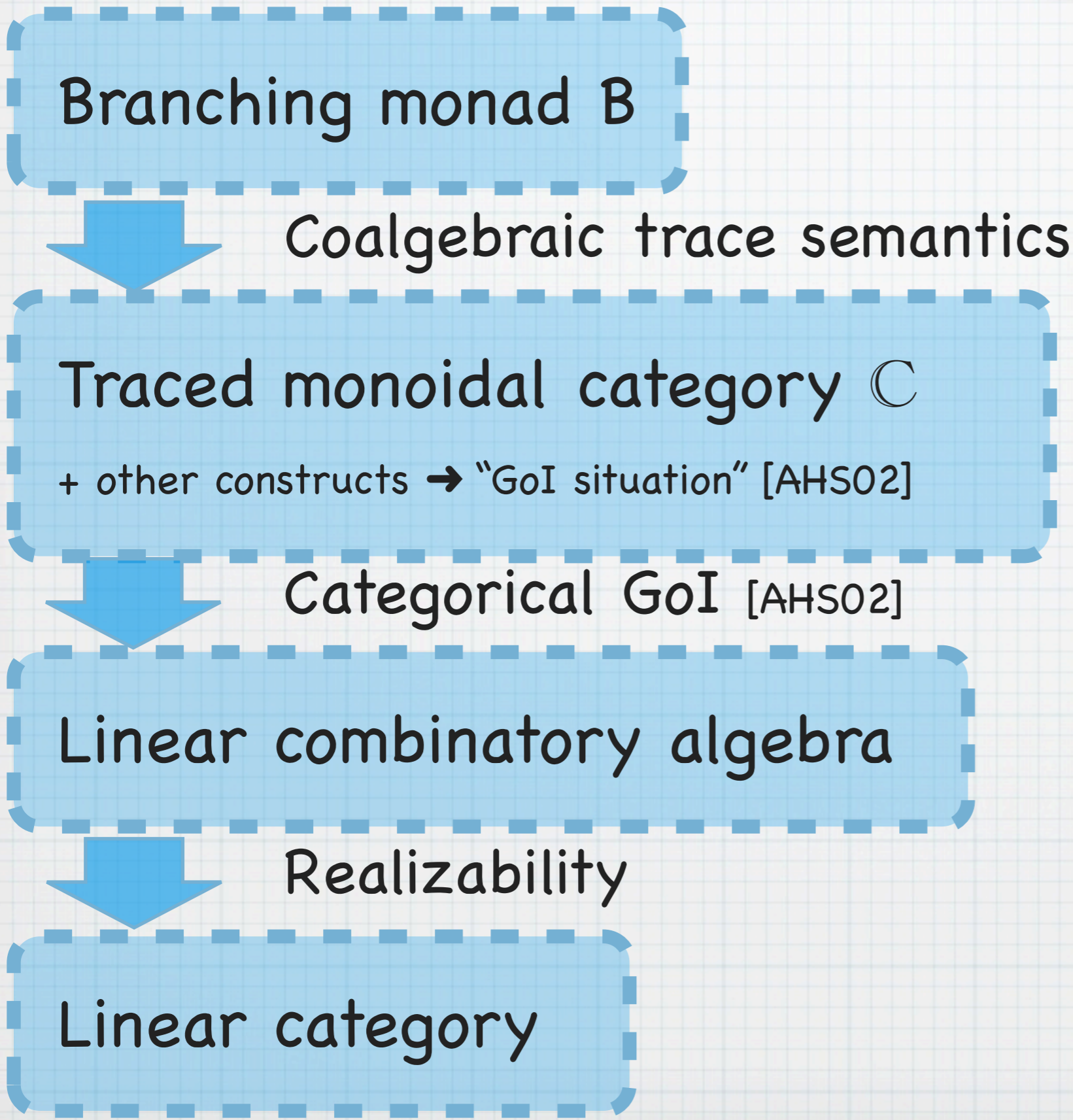
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# The Language $q\lambda e$

- \* Roughly: **linear  $\lambda$  + quantum primitives**
- \* "Quantum data, classical control"
  - \* No superposed threads
- \* Based on [Selinger&Valiron'09]
  - \* With slight modifications
  - \* Notably: quantum  $\otimes$  vs. linear logic  $\boxtimes$ 
    - \* The same in [Selinger&Valiron'09]
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e.g.  $!A <: A$ ,  $!A <: !!A$

(following [Selinger-Valiron'09])

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$$\frac{B_1 <: A_1 \quad A_2 <: B_2 (*)}{!^n (A_1 \multimap A_2) <: !^m (B_1 \multimap B_2)} (\multimap)$$

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$$A_{\text{new}|0\rangle} := \text{qbit}$$

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Bookkeeping  
(due to  $\otimes$  vs.  $\boxtimes$ )

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$$\frac{\Delta \vdash M : !^n A}{\Delta \vdash \text{inj}_\ell^B M : !^n (A + B)} (+.I_1)$$

$$\frac{\Delta \vdash N : !^n B}{\Delta \vdash \text{inj}_r^A N : !^n (A + B)} (+.I_2)$$

$$\frac{! \Delta, \Gamma_1 \vdash P : !^n (A + B) \quad ! \Delta, \Gamma_2, x : !^n A \vdash M : C \quad ! \Delta, \Gamma_2, y : !^n B \vdash N : C}{! \Delta, \Gamma_1, \Gamma_2 \vdash \text{match } P \text{ with } (x^{!^n A} \mapsto M \mid y^{!^n B} \mapsto N) : C} (+.E), (\dagger)$$

$$\frac{x : A, \Delta \vdash M : B}{\Delta \vdash \lambda x^A. M : A \multimap B} (\multimap.I_1)$$

$$\frac{x : A, ! \Delta \vdash M : B}{! \Delta \vdash \lambda x^A. M : !^n (A \multimap B)} (\multimap.I_2)$$

$$\frac{! \Delta, \Gamma_1 \vdash M : A \multimap B \quad ! \Delta, \Gamma_2 \vdash N : A}{! \Delta, \Gamma_1, \Gamma_2 \vdash MN : B} (\multimap.E), (\dagger)$$

$$\frac{! \Delta, \Gamma_1 \vdash M_1 : !^n A_1 \quad ! \Delta, \Gamma_2 \vdash M_2 : !^n A_2}{! \Delta, \Gamma_1, \Gamma_2 \vdash \langle M_1, M_2 \rangle : !^n (A_1 \boxtimes A_2)} (\boxtimes.I), (\dagger)$$

$$\frac{}{! \Delta \vdash * : !^n \top} (\top.I)$$

$$\frac{! \Delta, \Gamma_2, x_1 : !^n A_1, x_2 : !^n A_2 \vdash N : A \quad ! \Delta, \Gamma_1 \vdash M : !^n (A_1 \boxtimes A_2)}{! \Delta, \Gamma_1, \Gamma_2 \vdash \text{let } \langle x_1^{!^n A_1}, x_2^{!^n A_2} \rangle = M \text{ in } N : A} (\boxtimes.E), (\dagger)$$

$$\frac{! \Delta, \Gamma_1 \vdash M : \top \quad ! \Delta, \Gamma_2 \vdash N : A}{! \Delta, \Gamma_1, \Gamma_2 \vdash \text{let } * = M \text{ in } N : A} (\top.E), (\dagger)$$

$$\frac{! \Delta, \Gamma, f : !(A \multimap B) \vdash N : C \quad ! \Delta, f : !(A \multimap B), x : A \vdash M : B}{! \Delta, \Gamma \vdash \text{letrec } f^{A \multimap B} x = M \text{ in } N : C} (\text{rec}), (\dagger)$$



# Operational Semantics

$$\begin{aligned}
 E[ (\lambda x^A. M) V ] &\rightarrow_1 E[ M[V/x] ] \\
 E[ \text{let } \langle x^A, y^B \rangle = \langle V, W \rangle \text{ in } M ] &\rightarrow_1 E[ M[V/x, W/y] ] \\
 E[ \text{let } * = * \text{ in } M ] &\rightarrow_1 E[ M ] \\
 E[ \text{match } (\text{inj}_\ell^B V) \text{ with } (x!^n A \mapsto M \mid y!^n B \mapsto N) ] &\rightarrow_1 E[ M[V/x] ] \\
 E[ \text{match } (\text{inj}_r^A V) \text{ with } (x!^n A \mapsto M \mid y!^n B \mapsto N) ] &\rightarrow_1 E[ N[V/y] ] \\
 E[ \text{letrec } f^{A \multimap B} x = M \text{ in } N ] &\rightarrow_1 E[ N[\lambda x^A. \text{letrec } f^{A \multimap B} x = M \text{ in } M/f] ] \\
 E[ \text{meas}_i^{n+1}(\text{new } \rho) ] &\rightarrow_1 E[ \langle \text{tt}, \text{new } \langle 0_i | \rho | 0_i \rangle \rangle ] \\
 E[ \text{meas}_i^{n+1}(\text{new } \rho) ] &\rightarrow_1 E[ \langle \text{ff}, \text{new } \langle 1_i | \rho | 1_i \rangle \rangle ] \\
 E[ \text{meas}_1^1(\text{new } \rho) ] &\rightarrow_{\langle 0 | \rho | 0 \rangle} E[ \text{tt} ] \\
 E[ \text{meas}_1^1(\text{new } \rho) ] &\rightarrow_{\langle 1 | \rho | 1 \rangle} E[ \text{ff} ] \\
 E[ U(\text{new } \rho) ] &\rightarrow_1 E[ \text{new } (U \rho) ] \\
 E[ \text{cmp}_{m,n} \langle \text{new } \rho, \text{new } \sigma \rangle ] &\rightarrow_1 E[ \text{new } (\rho \otimes \sigma) ]
 \end{aligned}$$

- \* Standard small-step one, CBV, but with probabilistic branching (measurement)