

# Tree-Representations of Binary Relations

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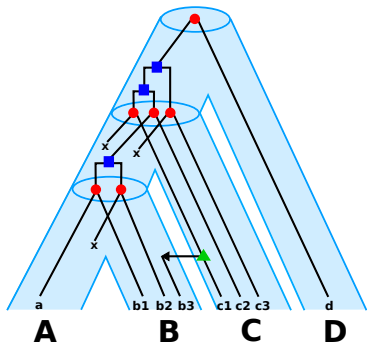
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(2-structures, Di-cographs and Symbolic Ultrametrics)

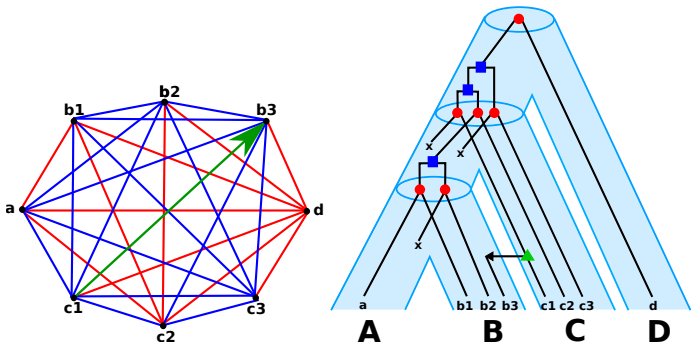
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An ordered pair  $(x, y)$  of two genes is

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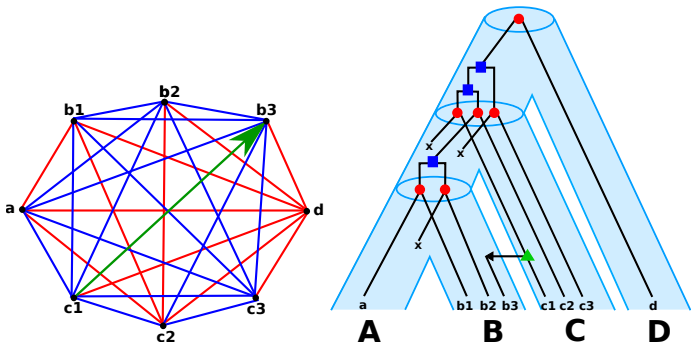
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The gene-tree determines three distinct relations

- $R_{\bullet}$ , the “lca”-orthologs ( $\text{lca}(x, y) = \bullet$ )
- $R_{\blacksquare}$ , the “lca”-paralogs ( $\text{lca}(x, y) = \blacksquare$ )
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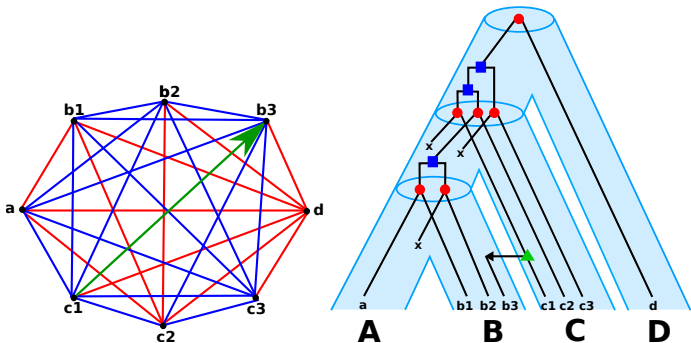
Orthologs can be estimated **without** inferring a gene- or species trees.

Assume we have *estimated* binary relations  $R_1, \dots, R_k$  s.t.

$$(xy) \in R_i \text{ iff } \text{lca}(xy) = i \text{ in ordered tree } T$$

Thus, it is important to understand, when those relations  $R_1, \dots, R_k$  can be “represented” in a single tree.

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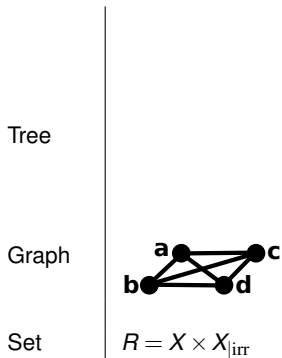


We consider irreflexive relations  $(x, x) \notin R$  for all  $x \in X$ .

If both pairs  $(x, y), (y, x) \in R$  we simply write  $x - y \in R$

## One binary relation

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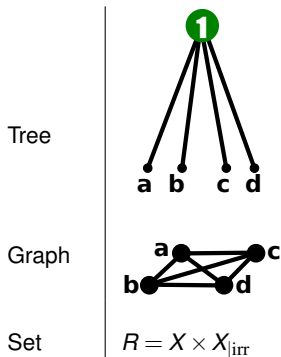


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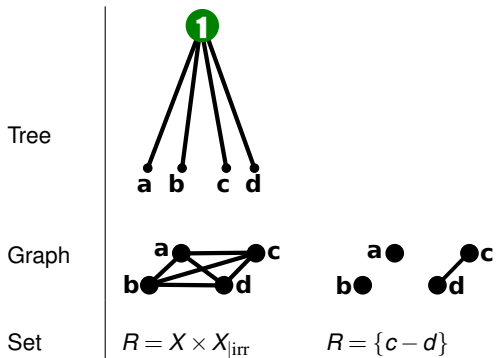
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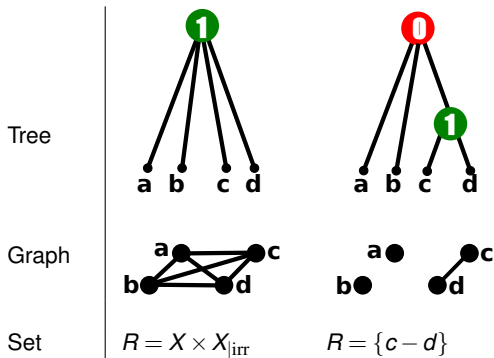
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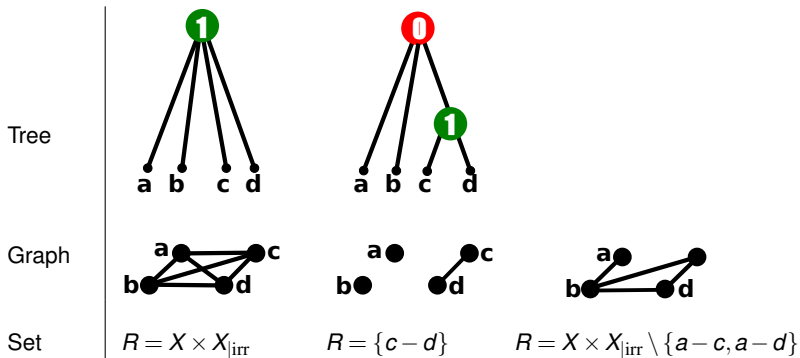
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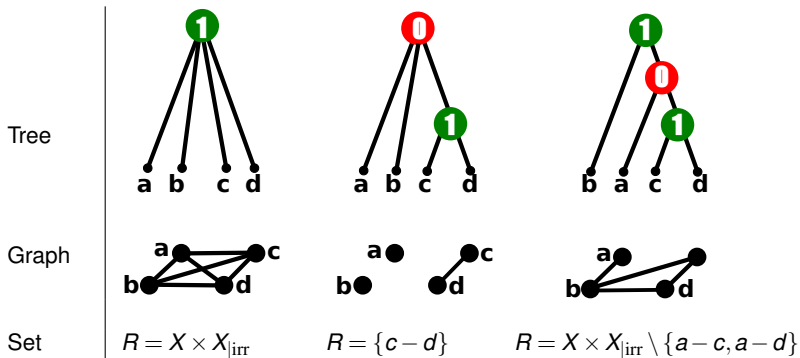
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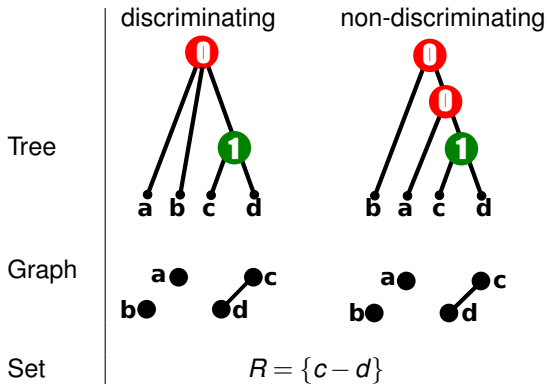
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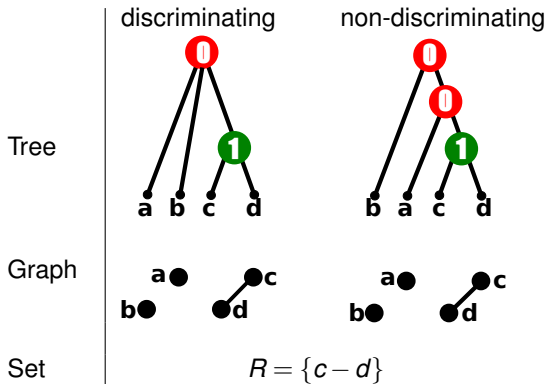
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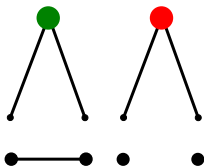
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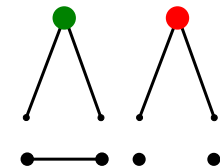
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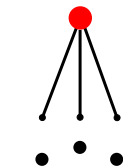
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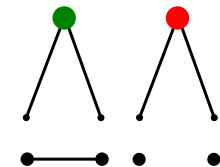
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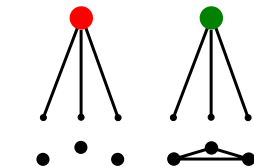
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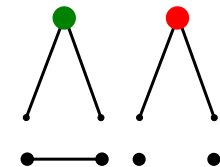
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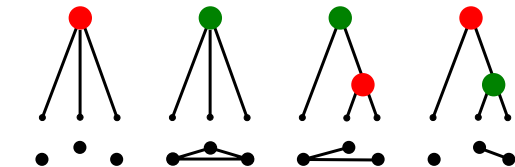
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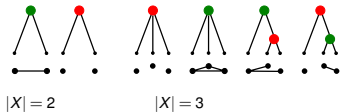
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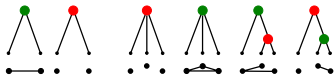
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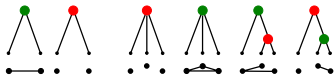
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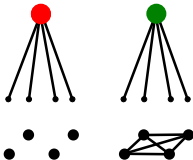
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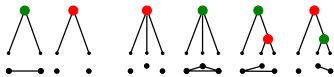
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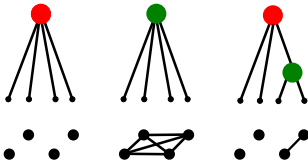
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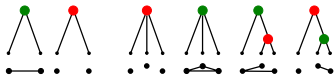
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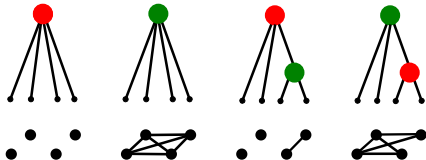
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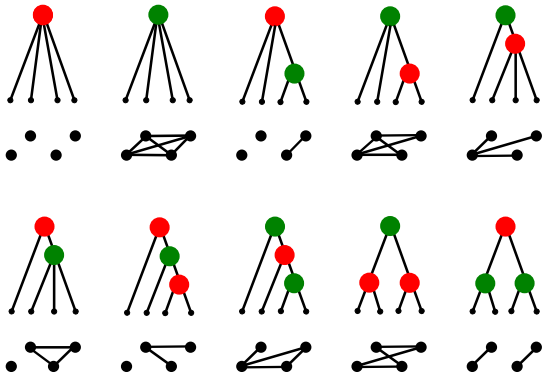
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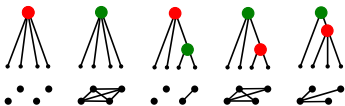
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If  $1 \leq |X| \leq 3$ , then **all** relations  $R$  over  $X$  have a tree-representation.



$|X|=4$

If  $|X| = 4$ , then **all** relations  $R$  over  $X$  have a tree-representation, **except**:



$$A-B, B-C, C-D \in R$$

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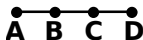
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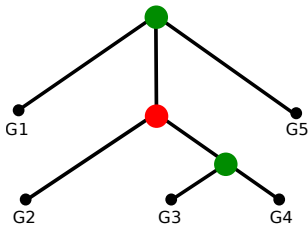
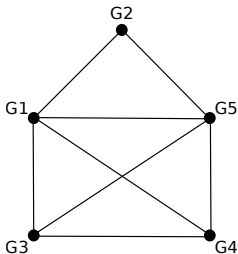
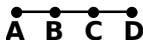


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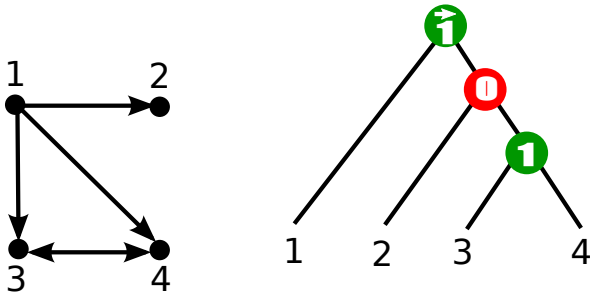
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## Non-symmetric relations $R$ .



A tree with labels  $0(\bullet)$ ,  $1$  and  $\vec{1}(\bullet)$  represents a binary relation  $R$ , if:

$$\text{lca}(xy) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } (x, y), (y, x) \in R \\ \vec{1} & \text{if } (x, y) \in R, (y, x) \notin R \text{ and } x \text{ is left from } y \text{ in } T \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

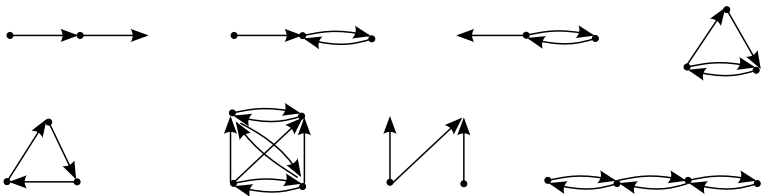


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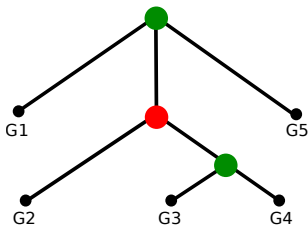
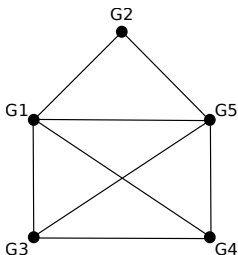
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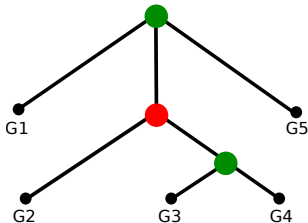
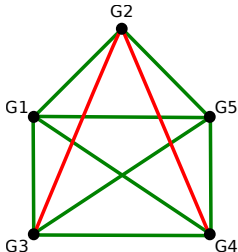


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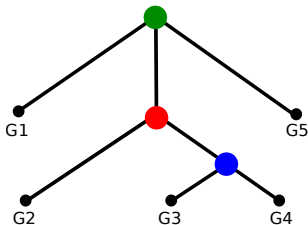
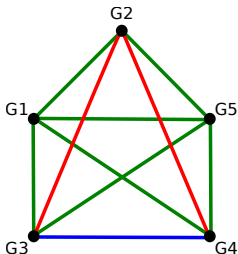
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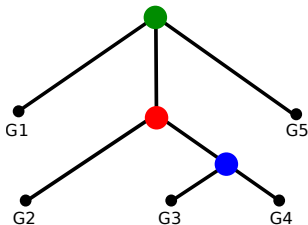
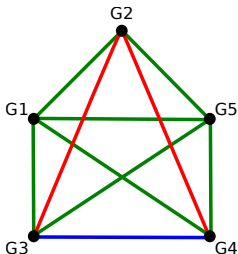
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## Theorem (Böcker und Dress (1999), H. et. al (2014))

Disjoint symmetric relations  $R_1, R_2, \dots, R_k$  over  $X$  can be represented in a **single** tree, if and only if both conditions are satisfied:

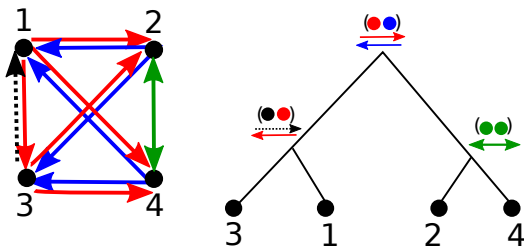
1. **[Cograph]** Each  $R_i$  has a tree-representation, that is, the graph-representation of each  $R_i$  does not contain induced  $P_4$ 's;
2. **[ $\Delta$ -condition]** No triangle in the graph-representation of  $\cup_{i=1}^k R_i$  (= edge-colored complete graph) has 3 distinct colors.



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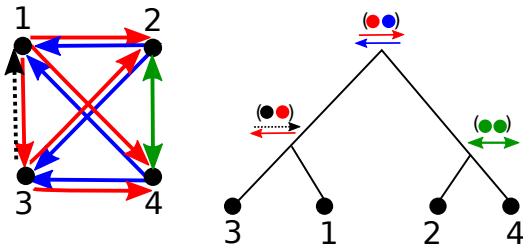


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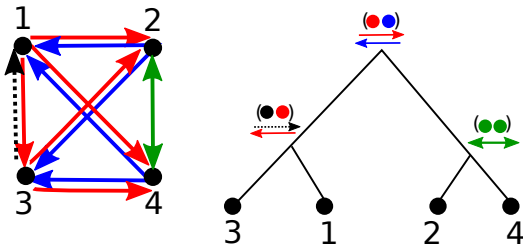


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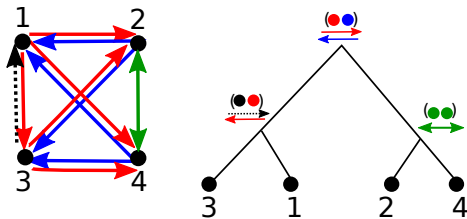
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Let  $R_1, \dots, R_k$  be disjoint relations over  $X$ . Then the following statements are equivalent:

1.  $R_1, \dots, R_k$  can be represented in a single tree.
2. The graph-representation of  $\cup_{i=1}^k R_i$  (= arc-colored complete di-graph) is a **uniformly non-prime (unp.) 2-structure**

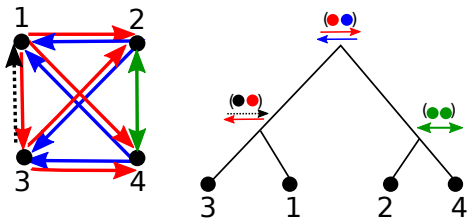
What are unp. 2-structures? - They are defined in terms of modules (omitted here)

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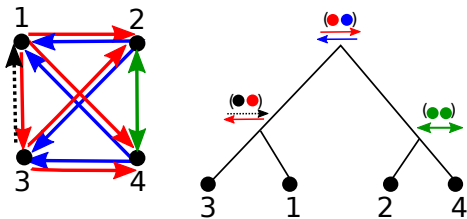
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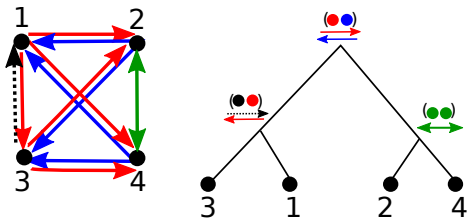


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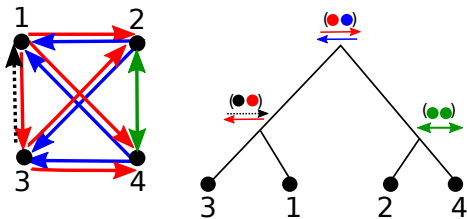
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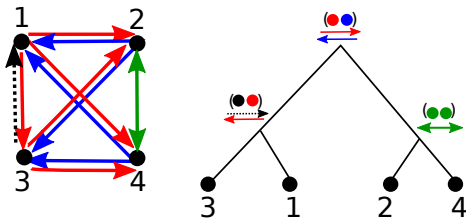
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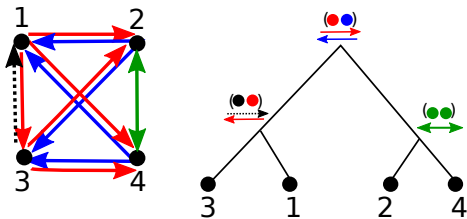
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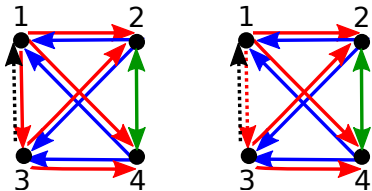
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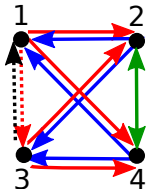
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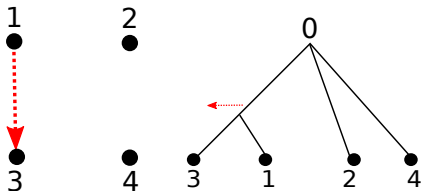
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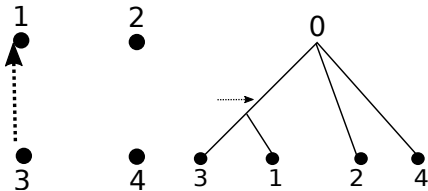


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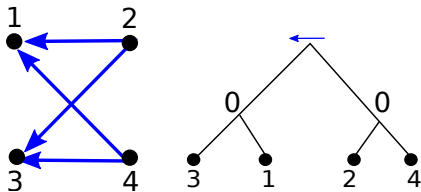


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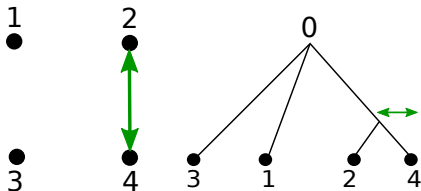


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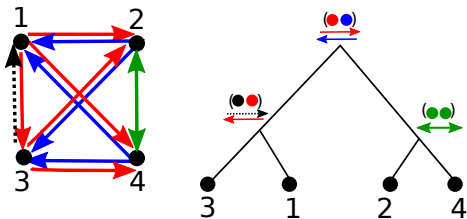
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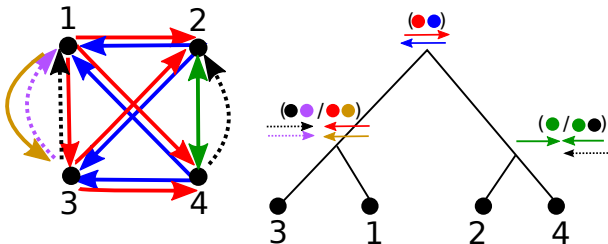
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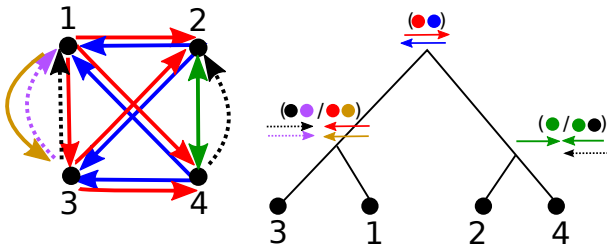
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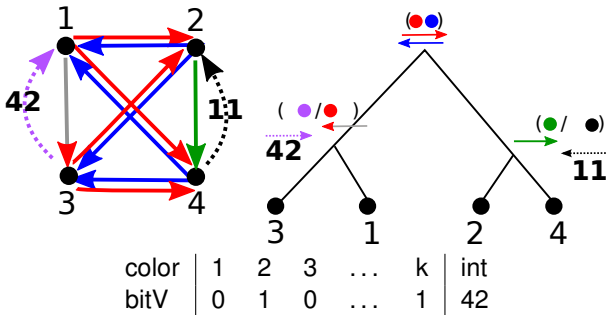
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