

# Infinite Randomness Expansion and Amplification with a Constant Number of Devices

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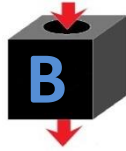
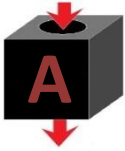
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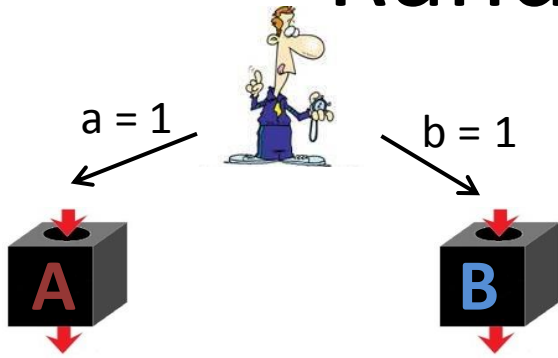
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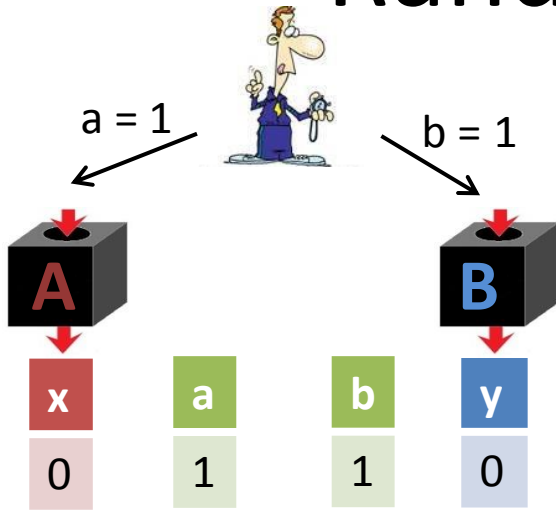
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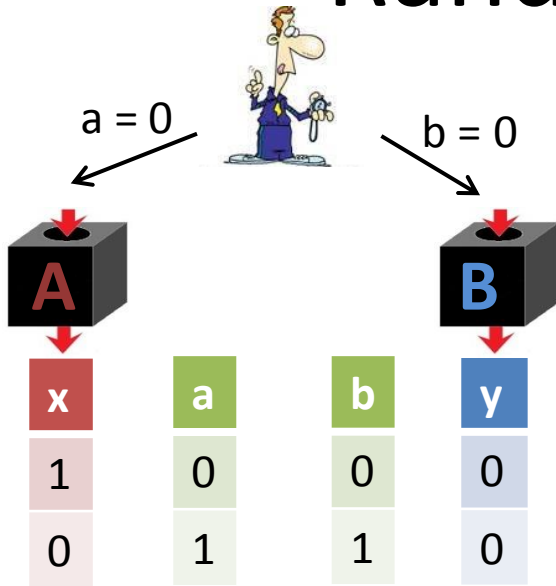
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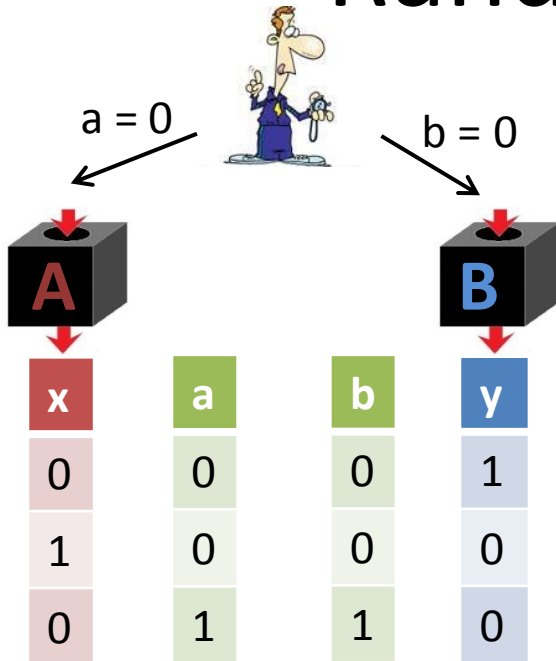
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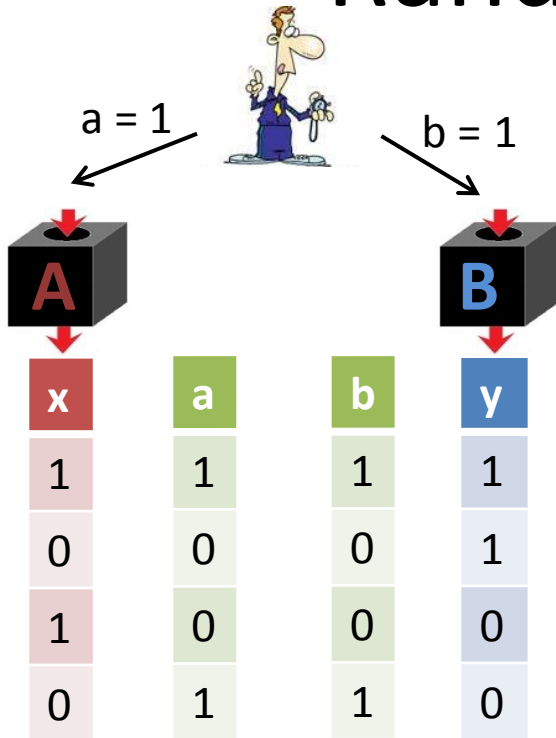
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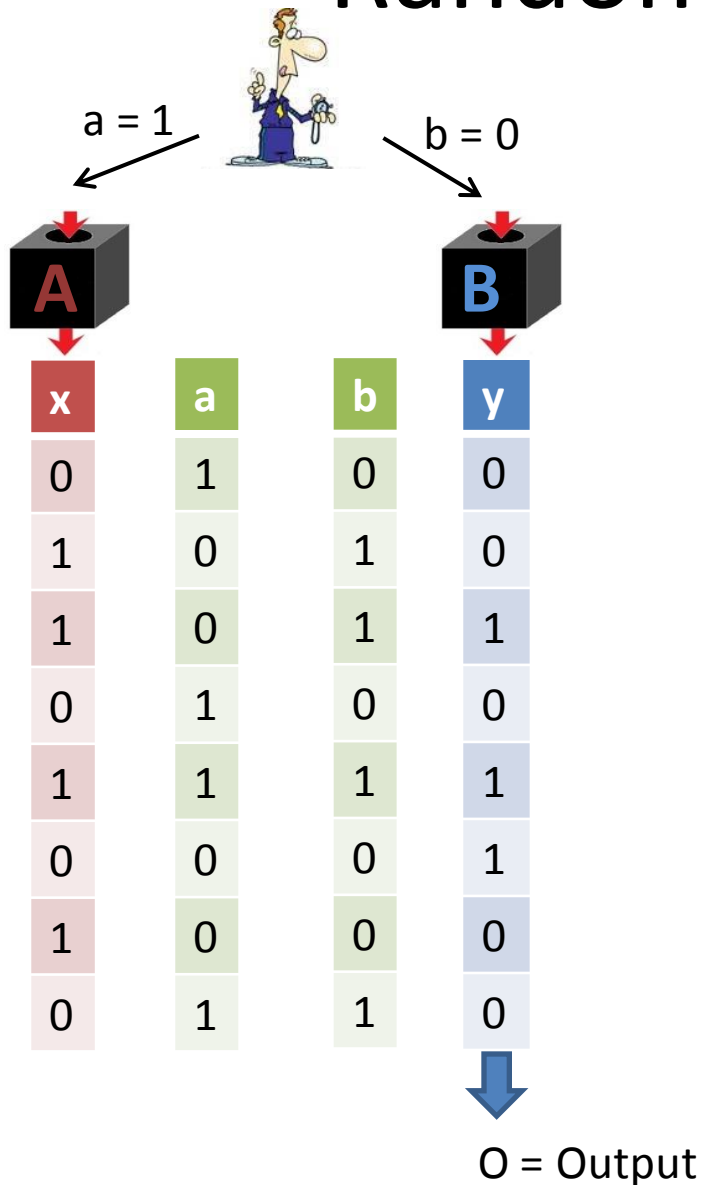


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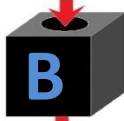
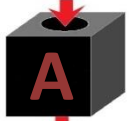
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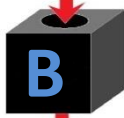
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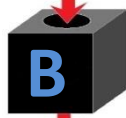
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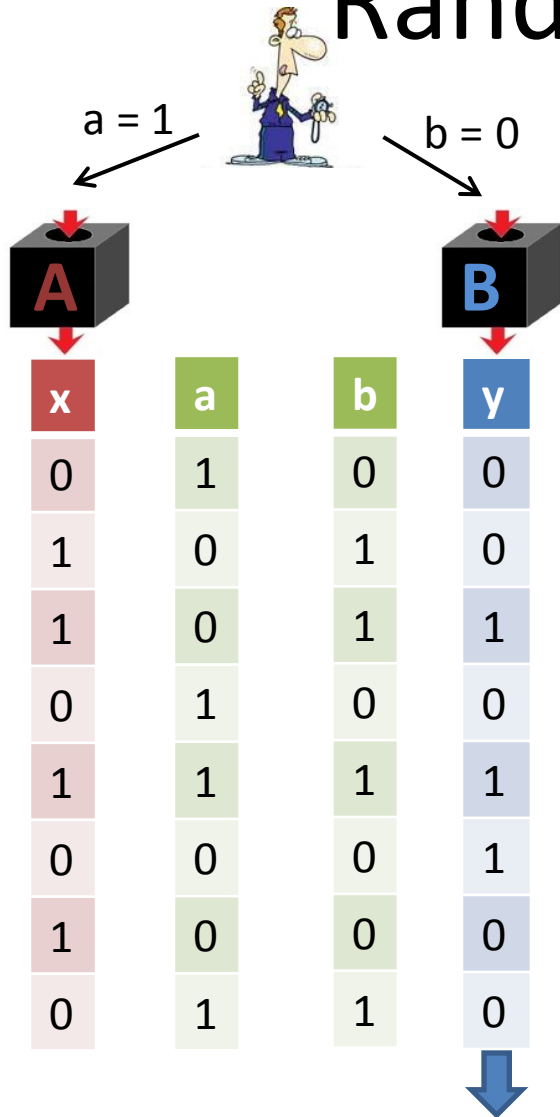
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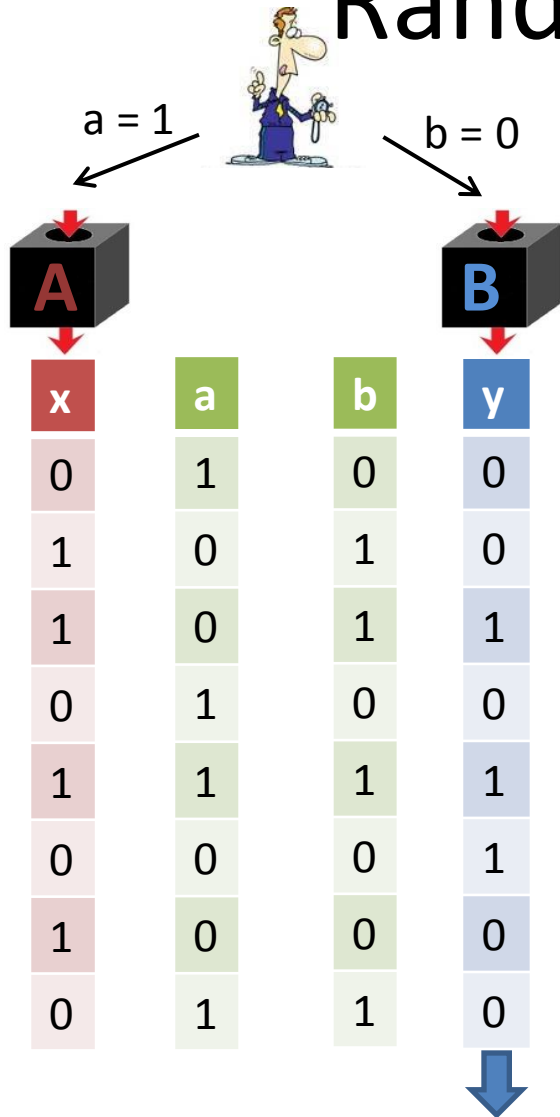


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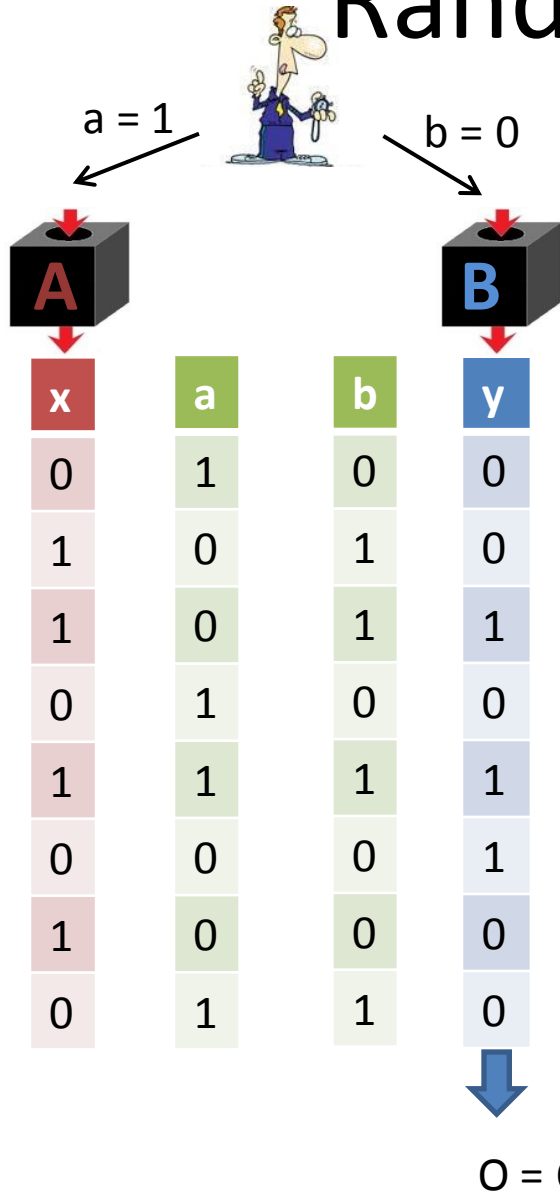
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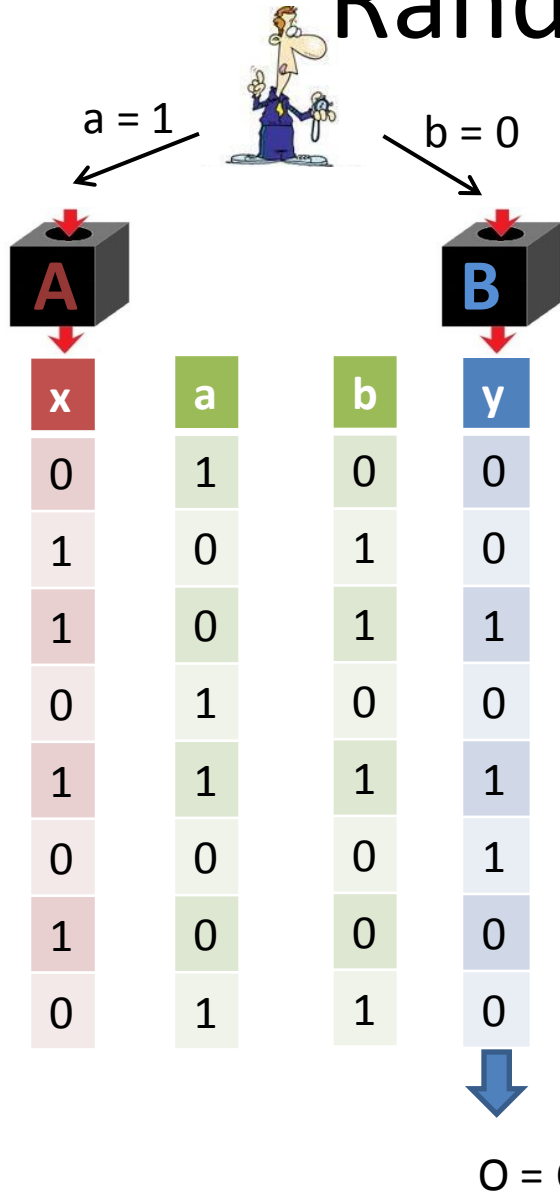
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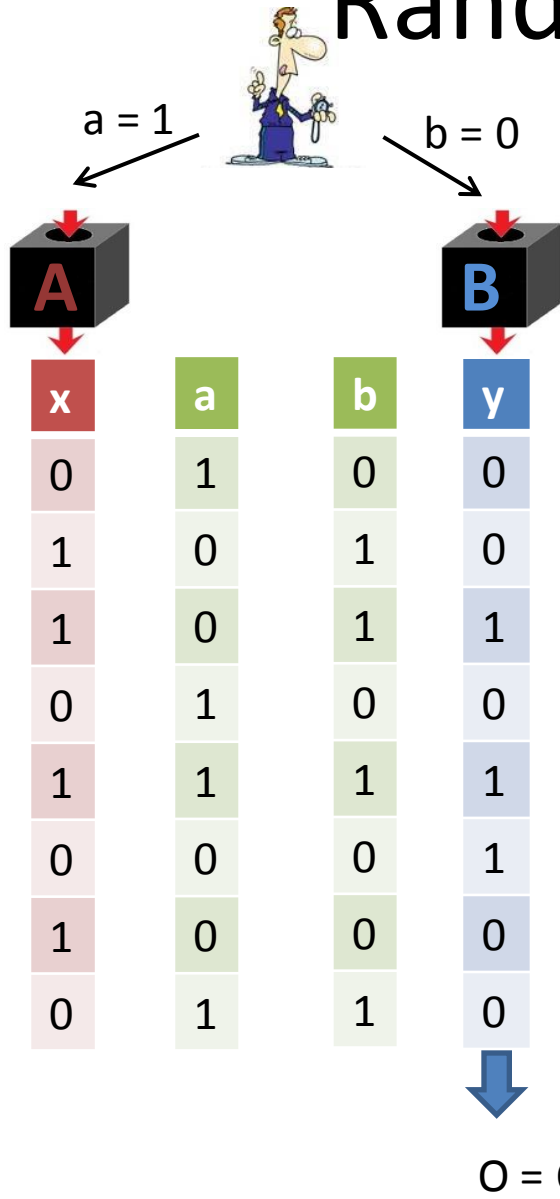
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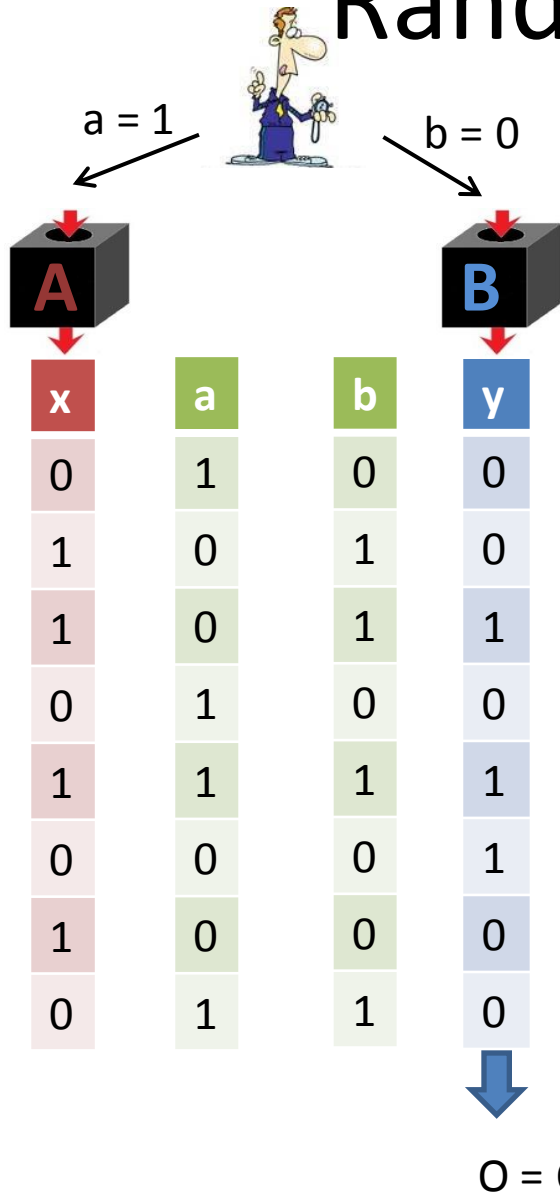
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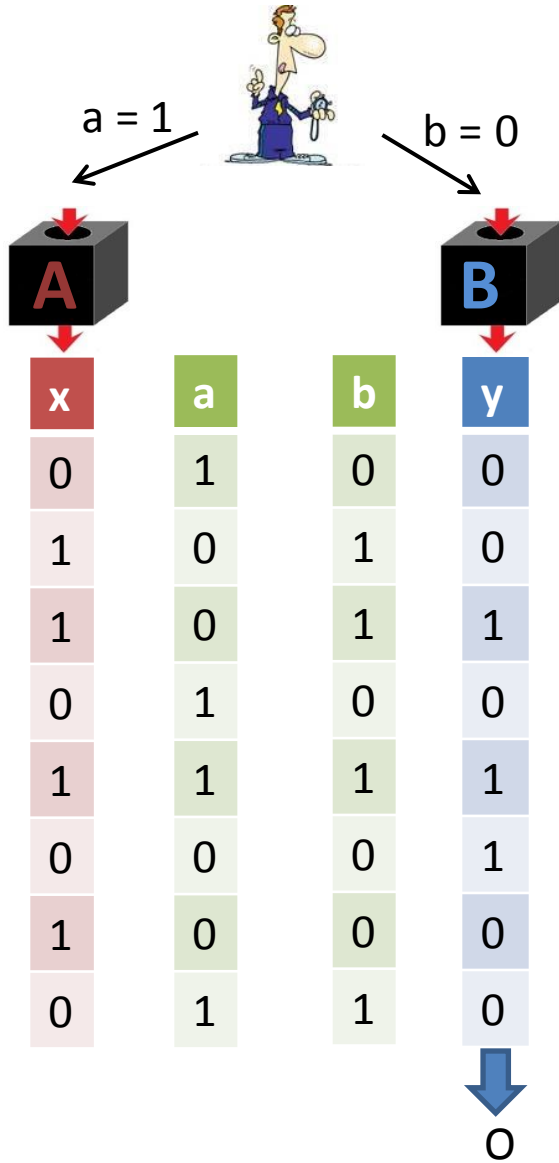
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## **Our Result:**

Infinite randomness expansion with 8 devices.  
(We can also do 6)

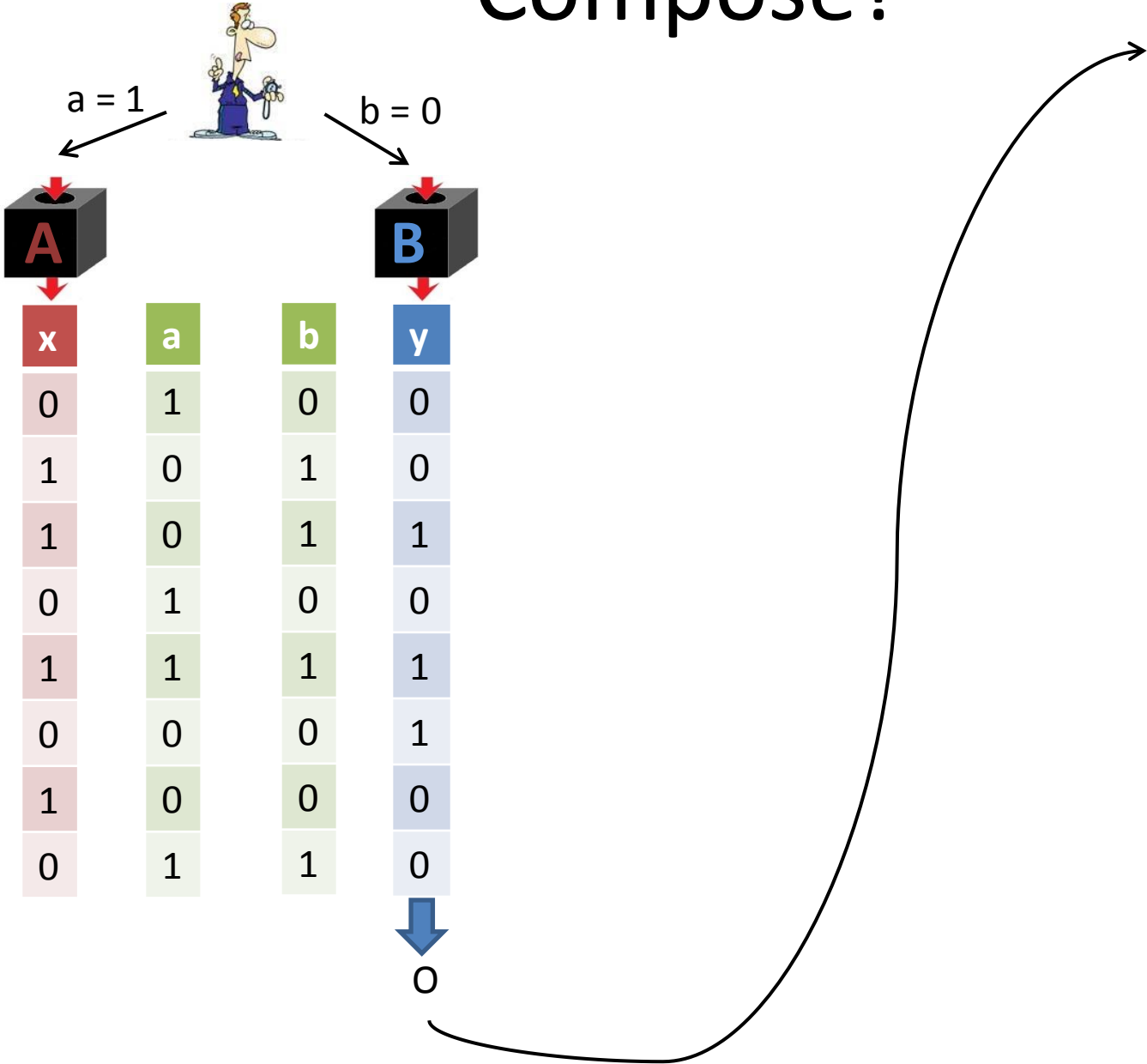
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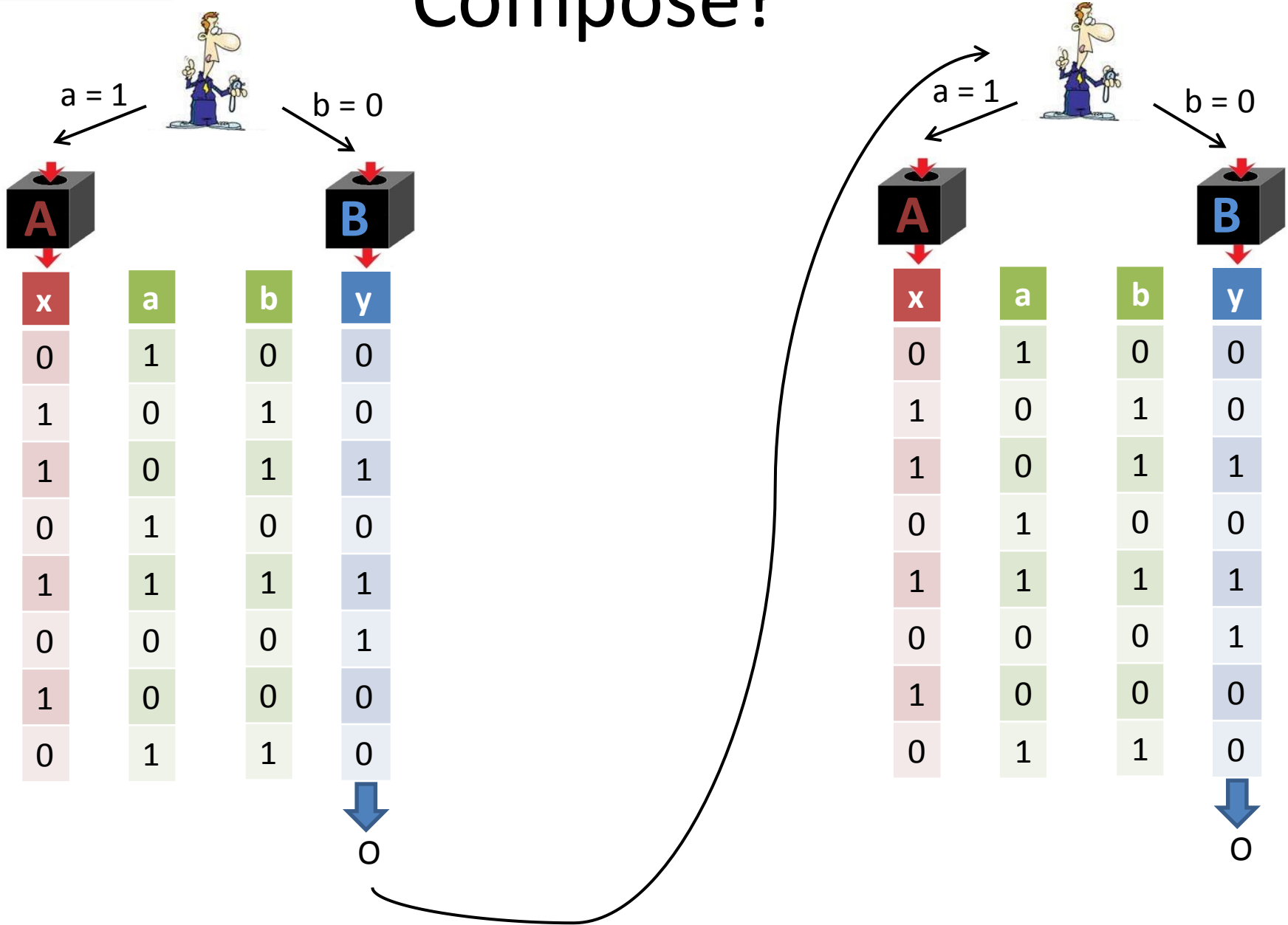
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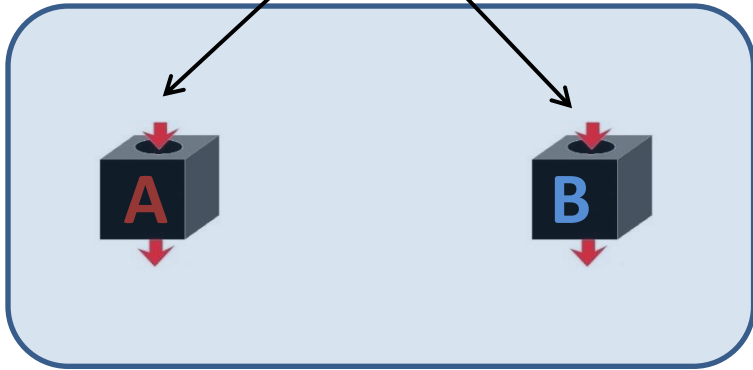




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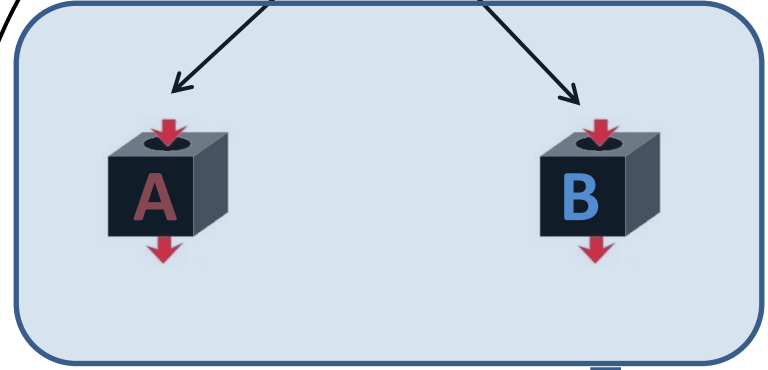
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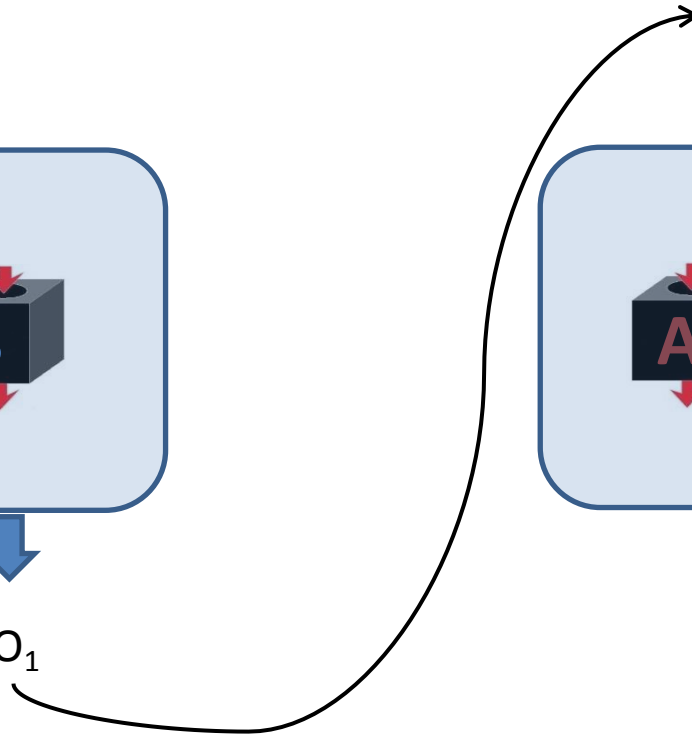
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Group 2

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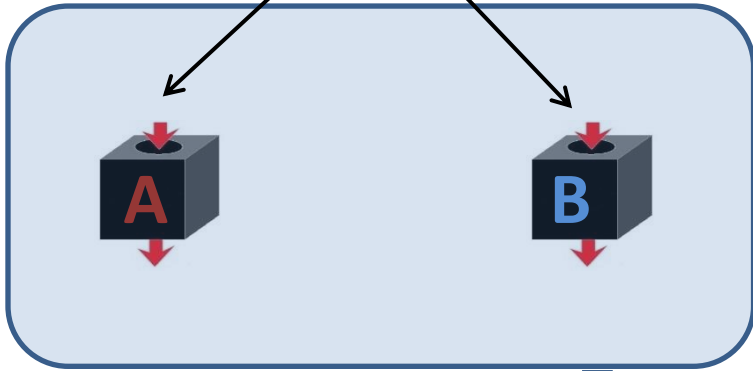
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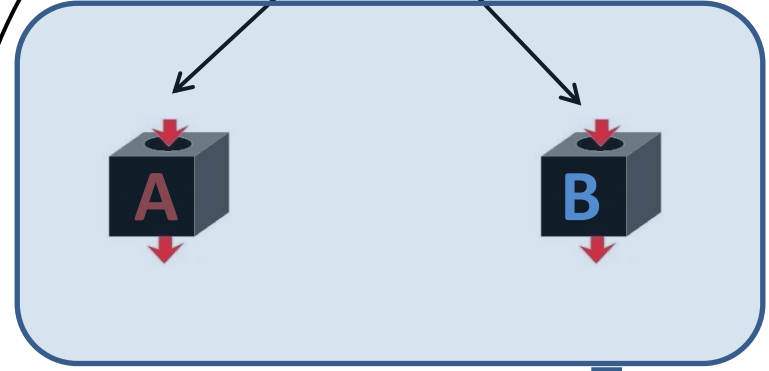
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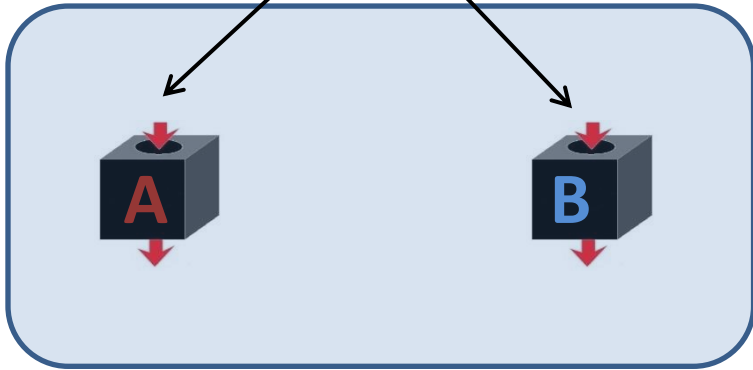
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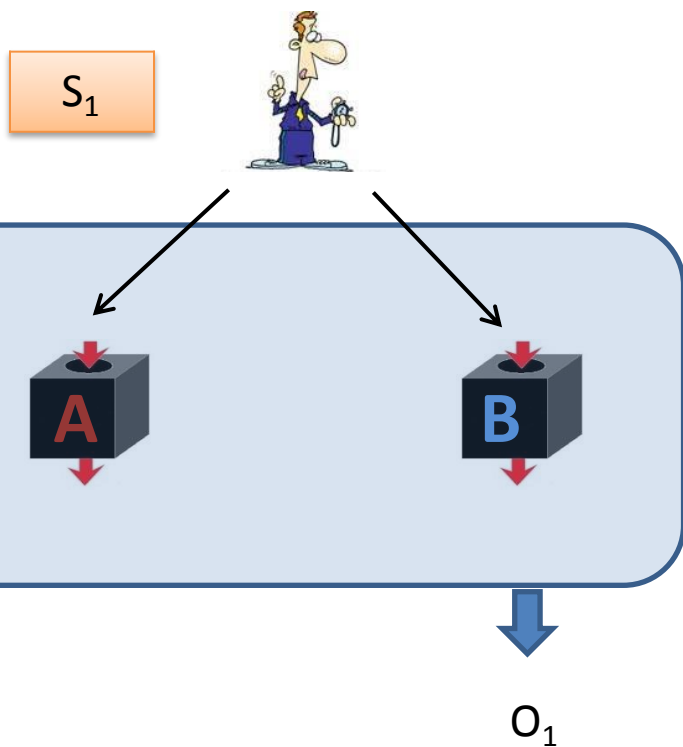


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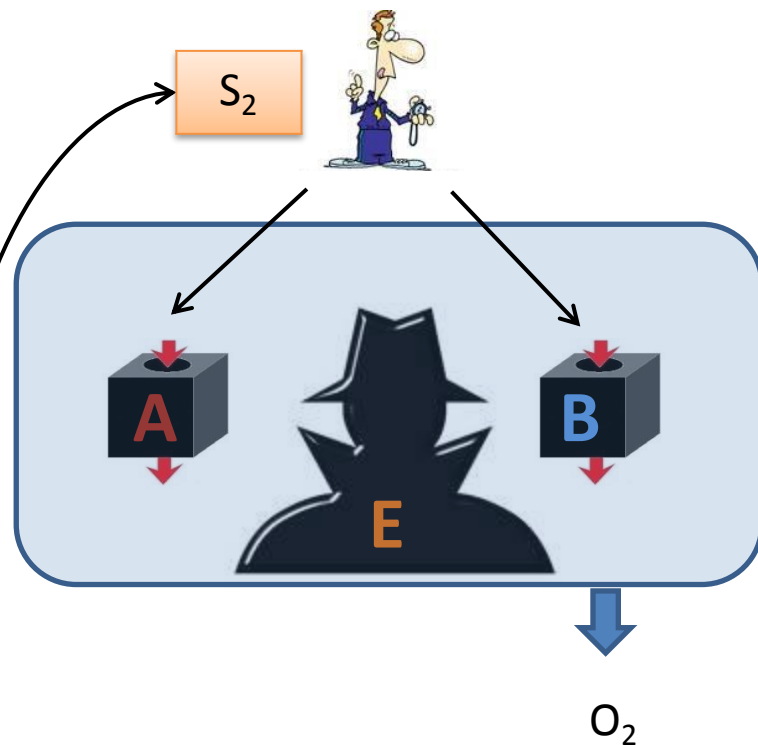
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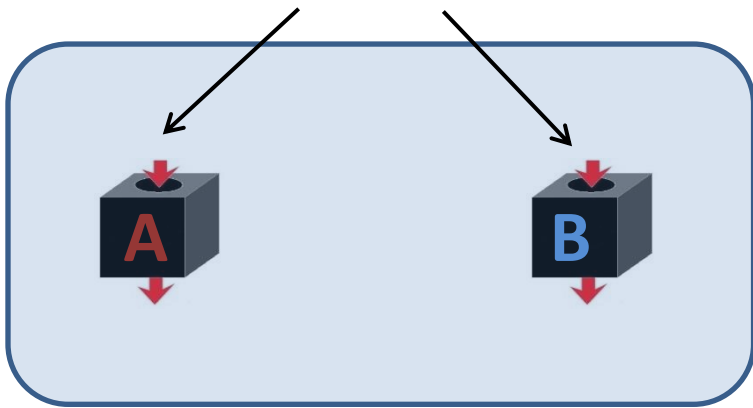


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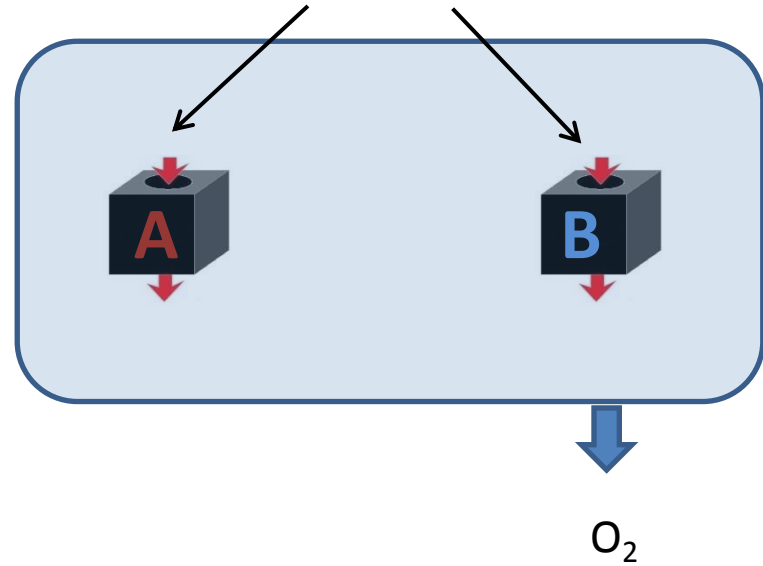
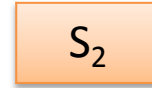
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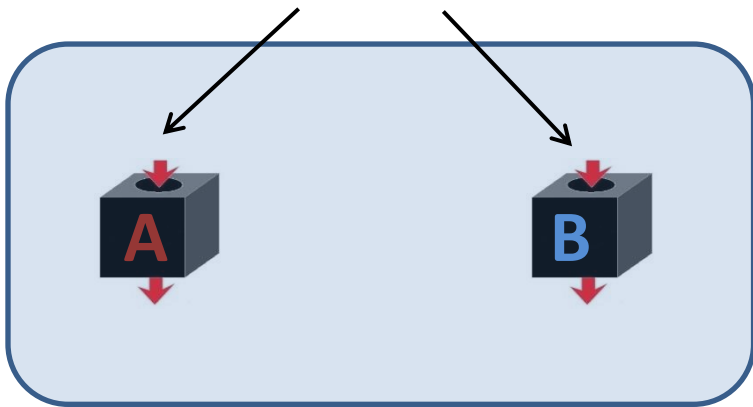


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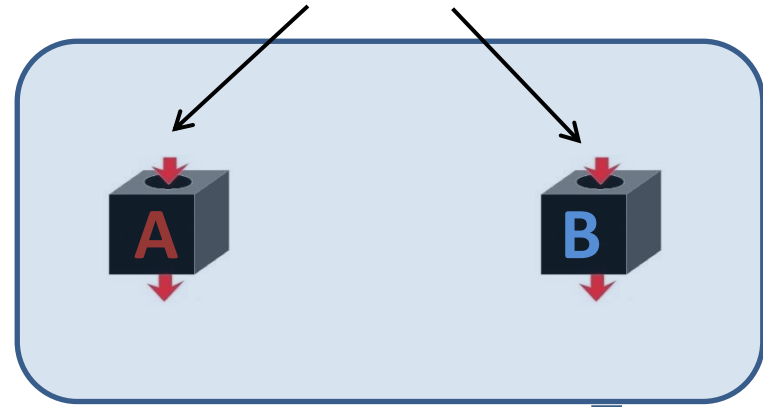
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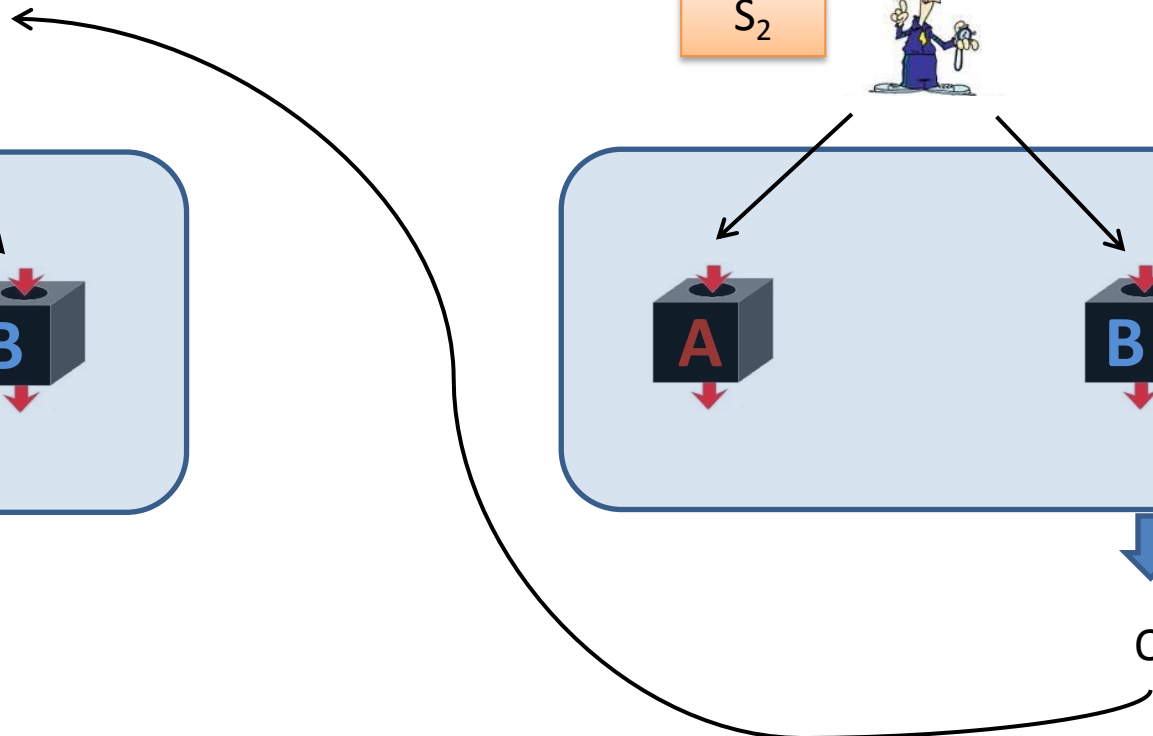


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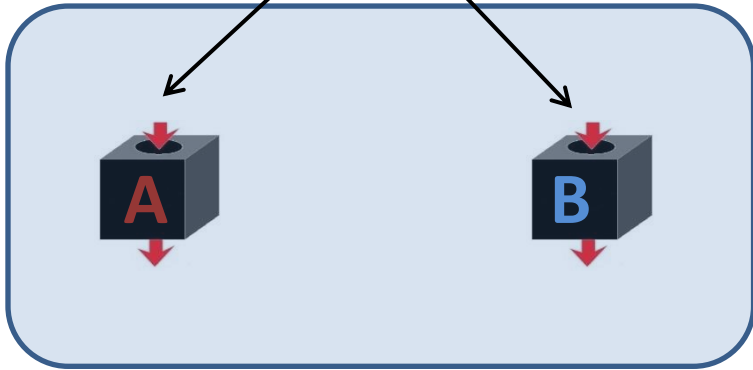


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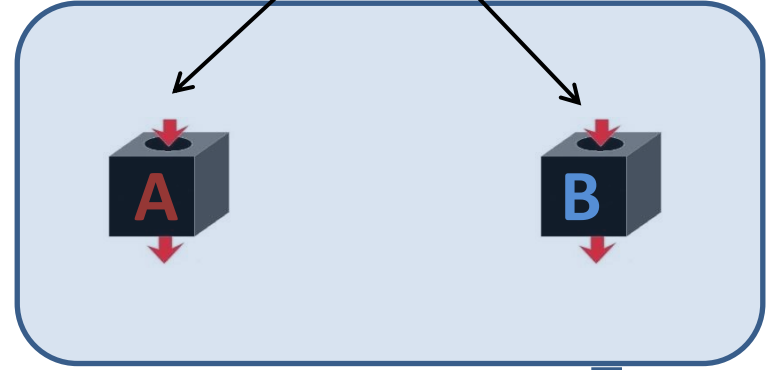
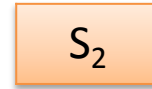


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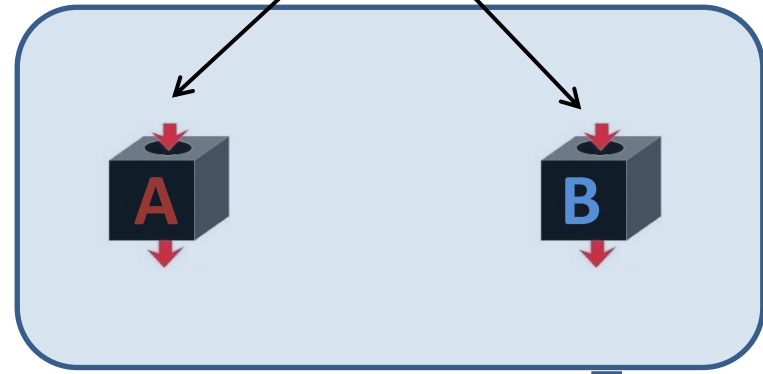
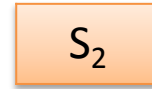
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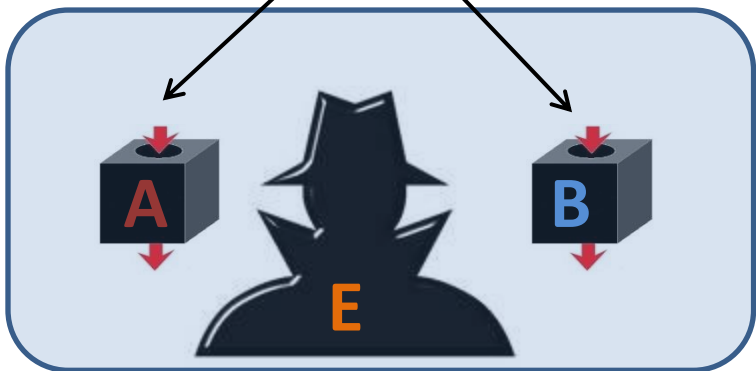
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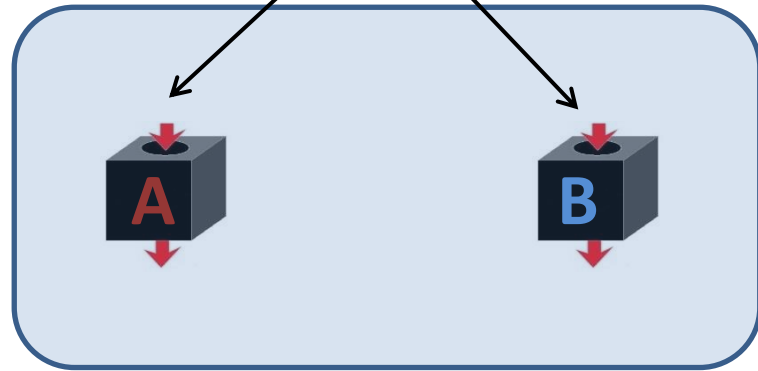
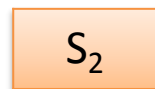


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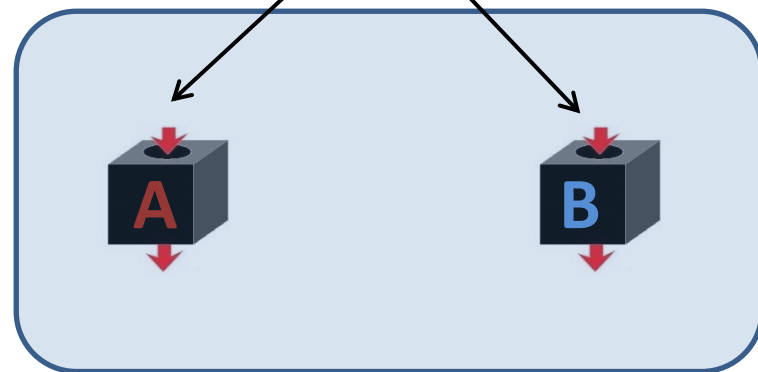
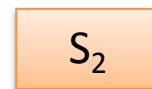
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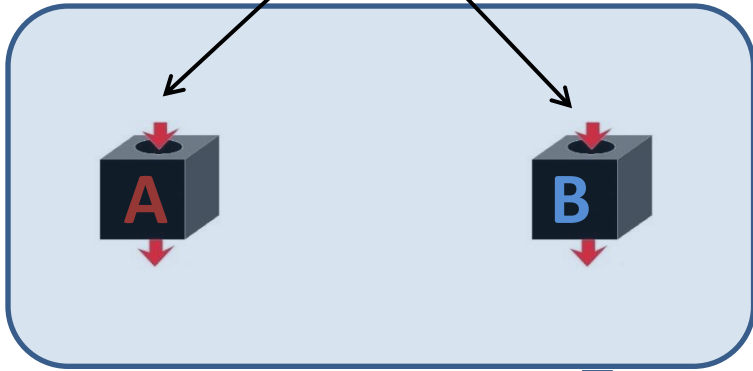
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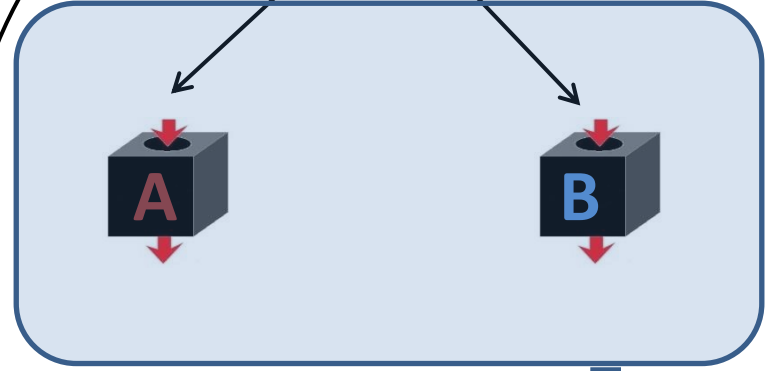
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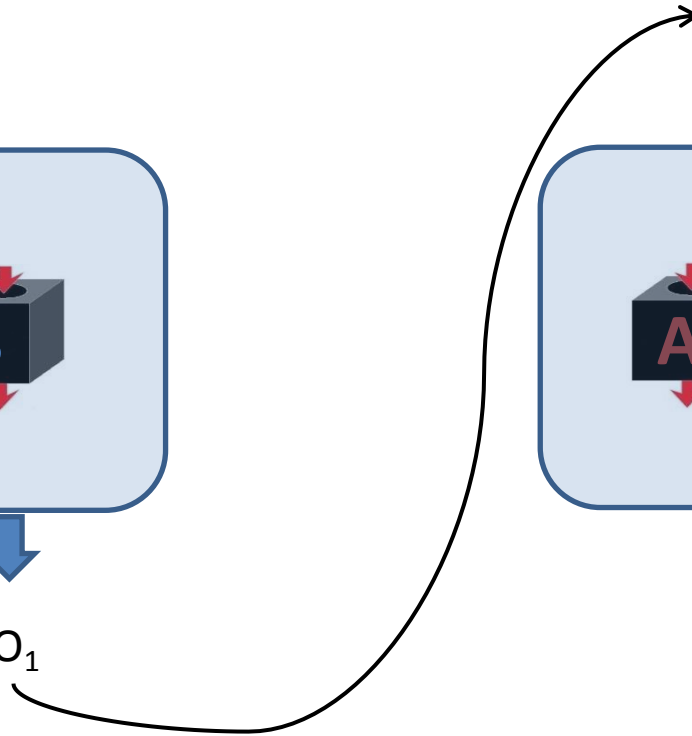
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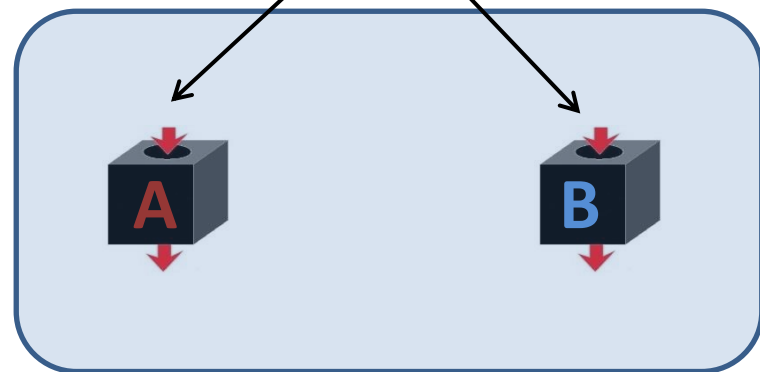
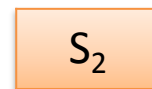


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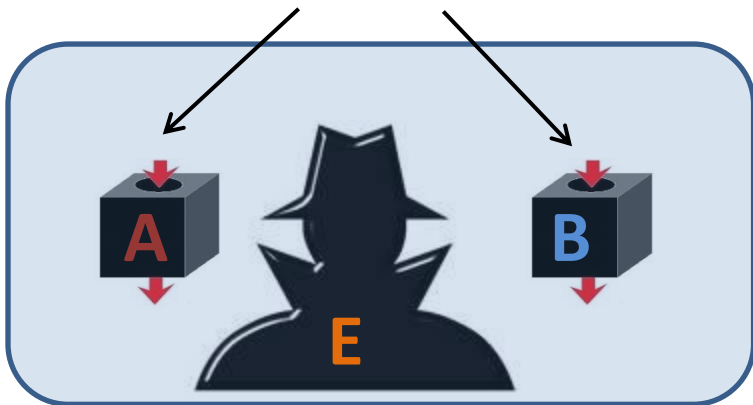


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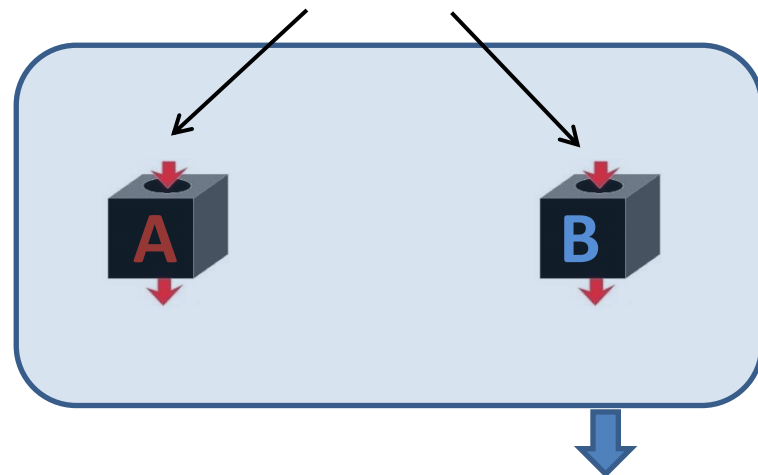
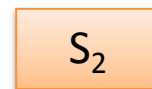
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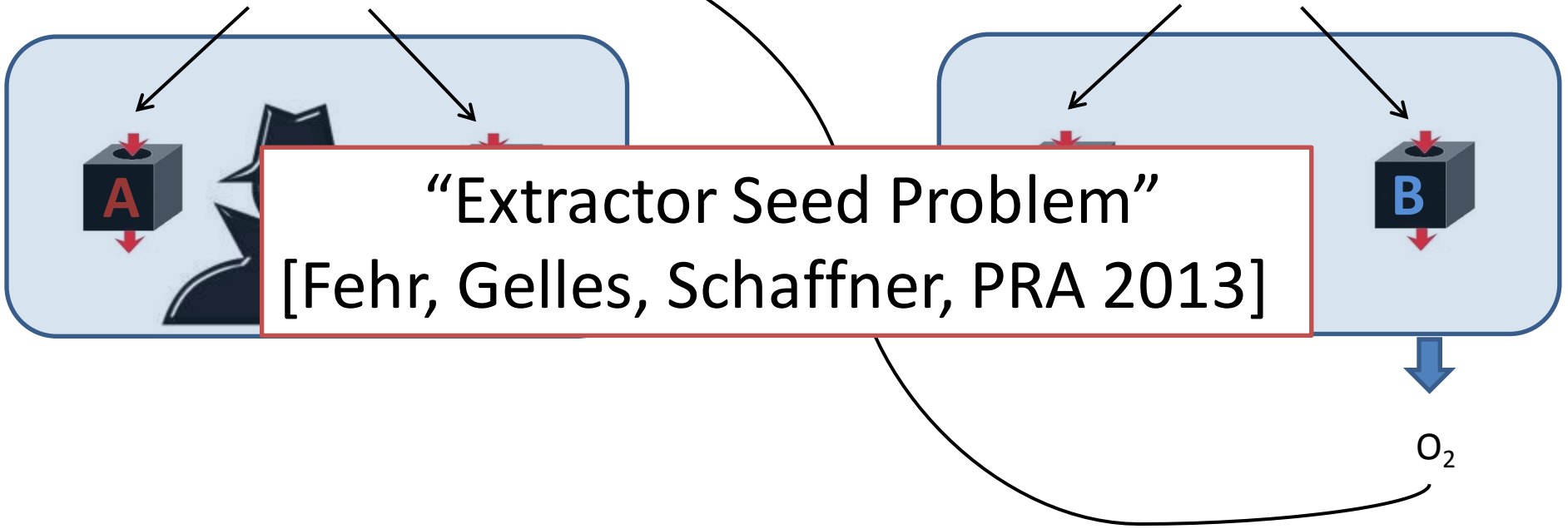
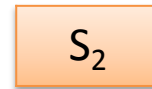
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“Extractor Seed Problem”  
[Fehr, Gelles, Schaffner, PRA 2013]

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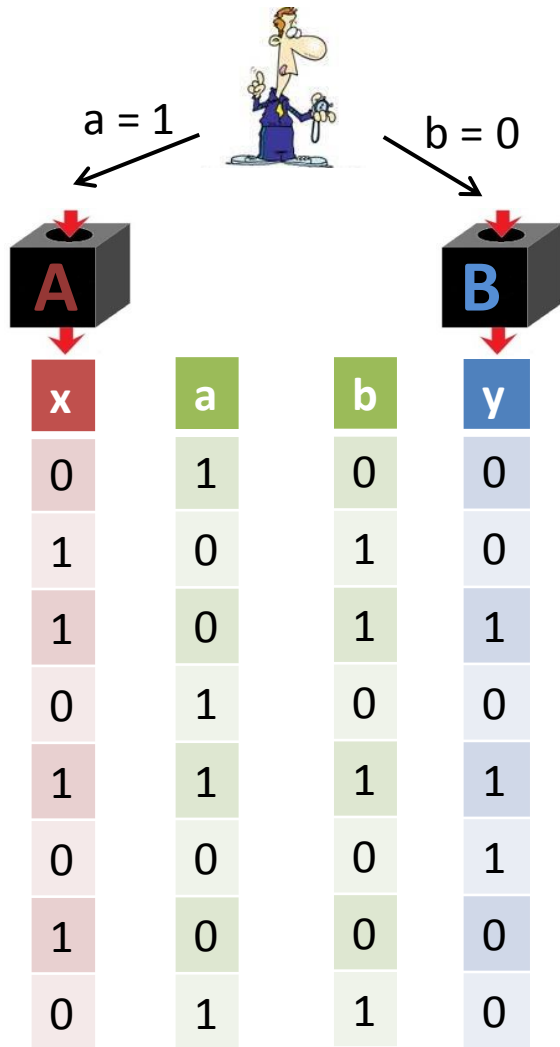
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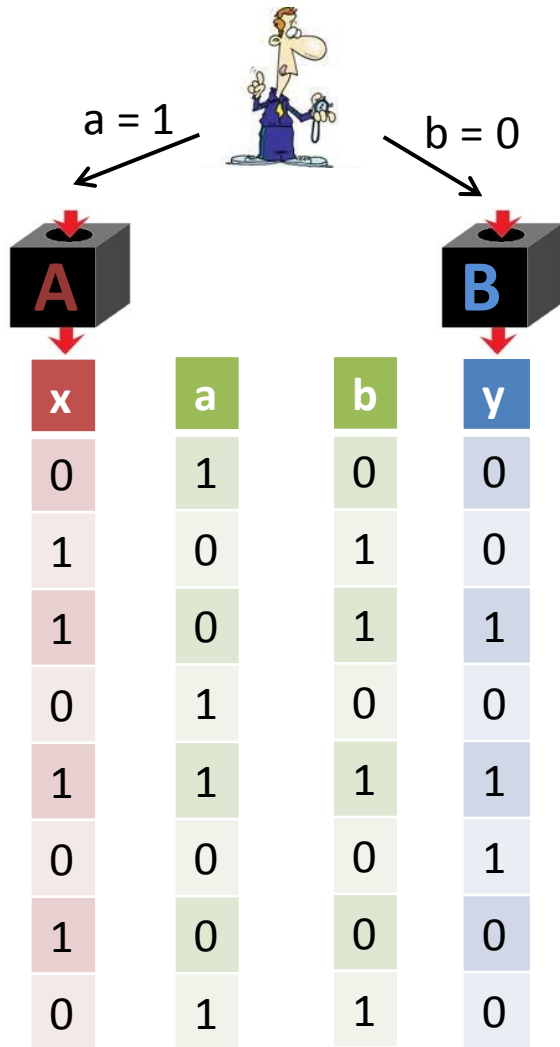
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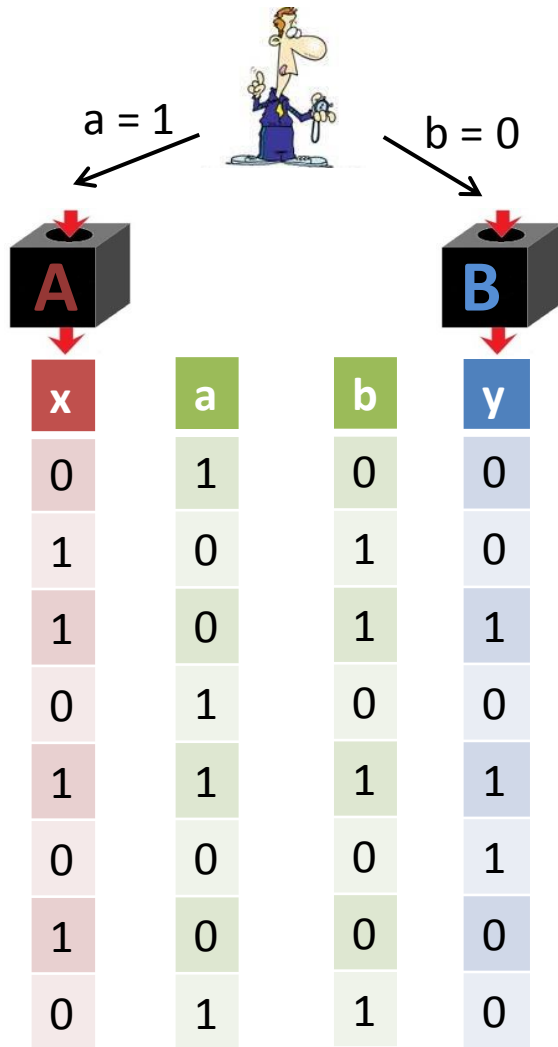
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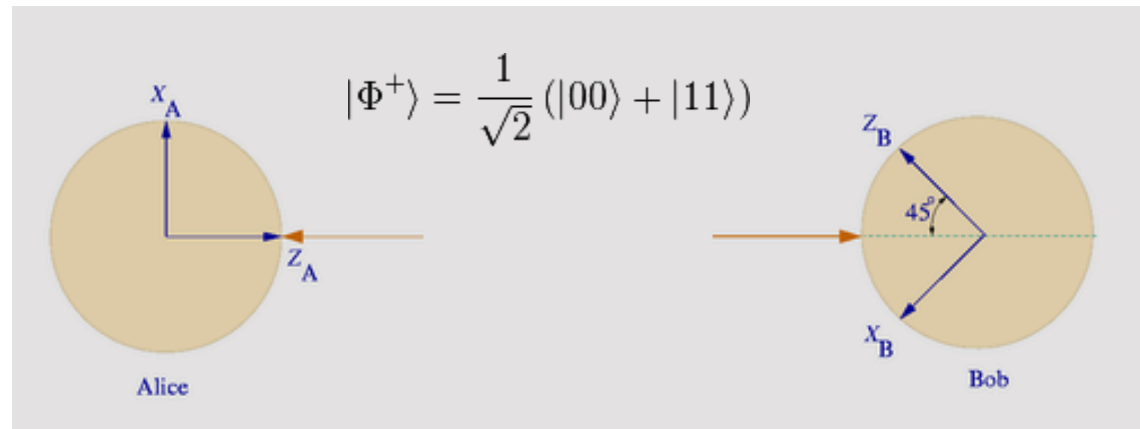


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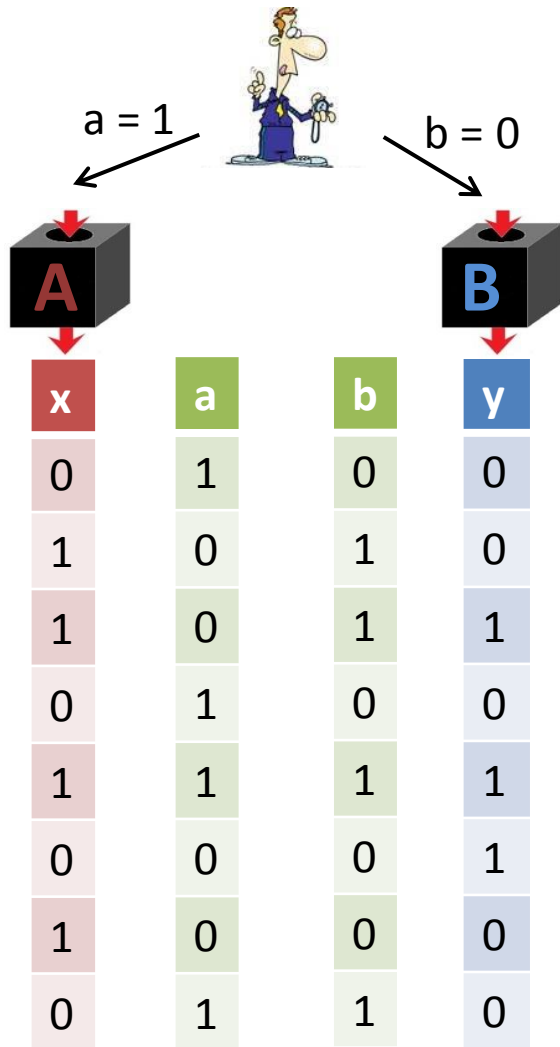
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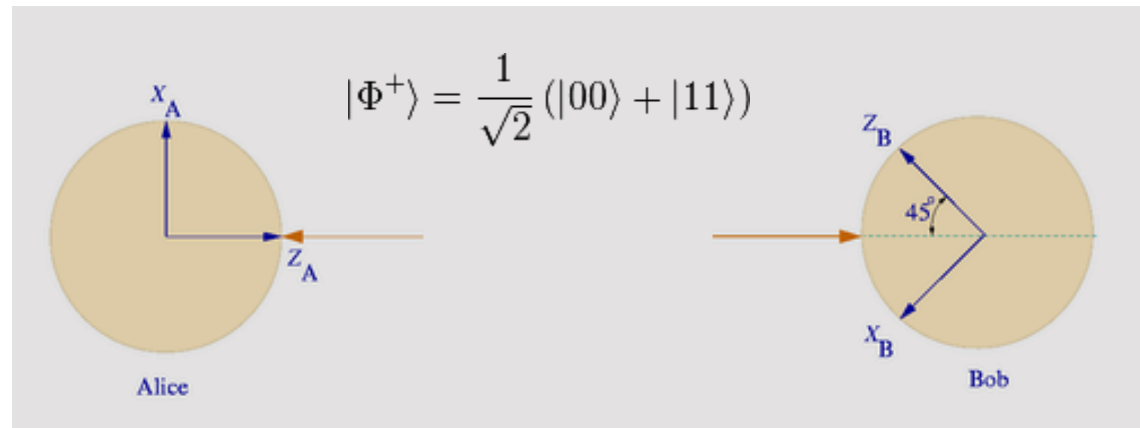


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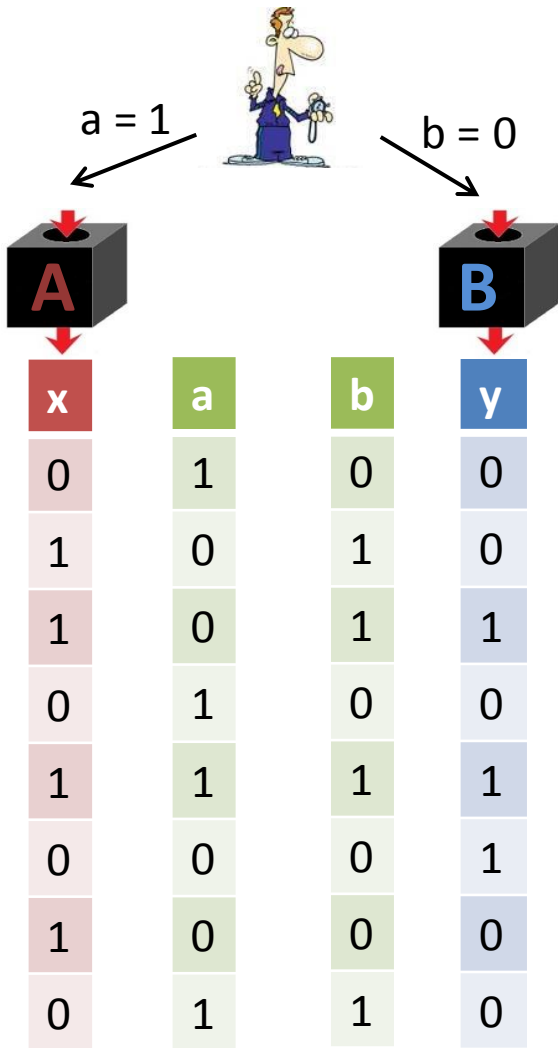
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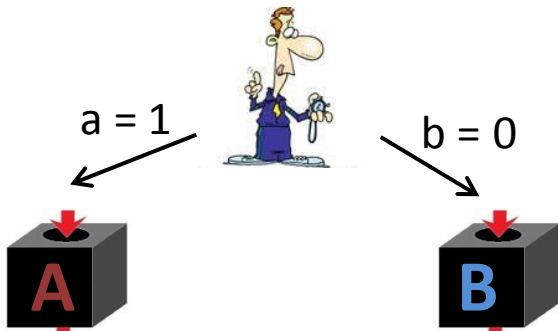


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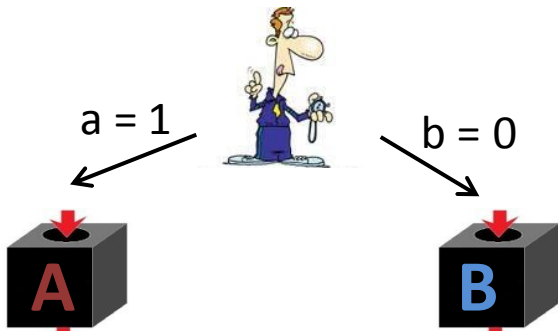
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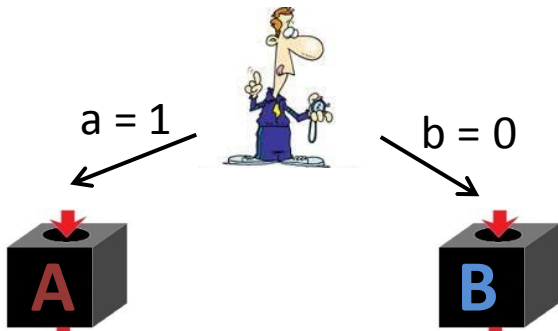


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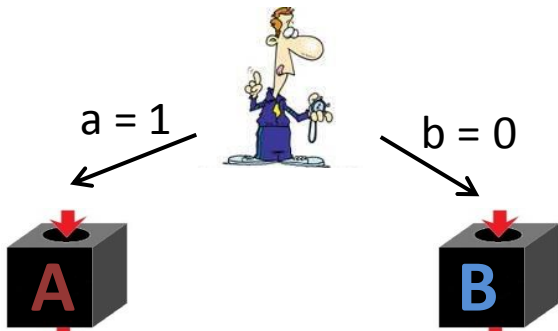
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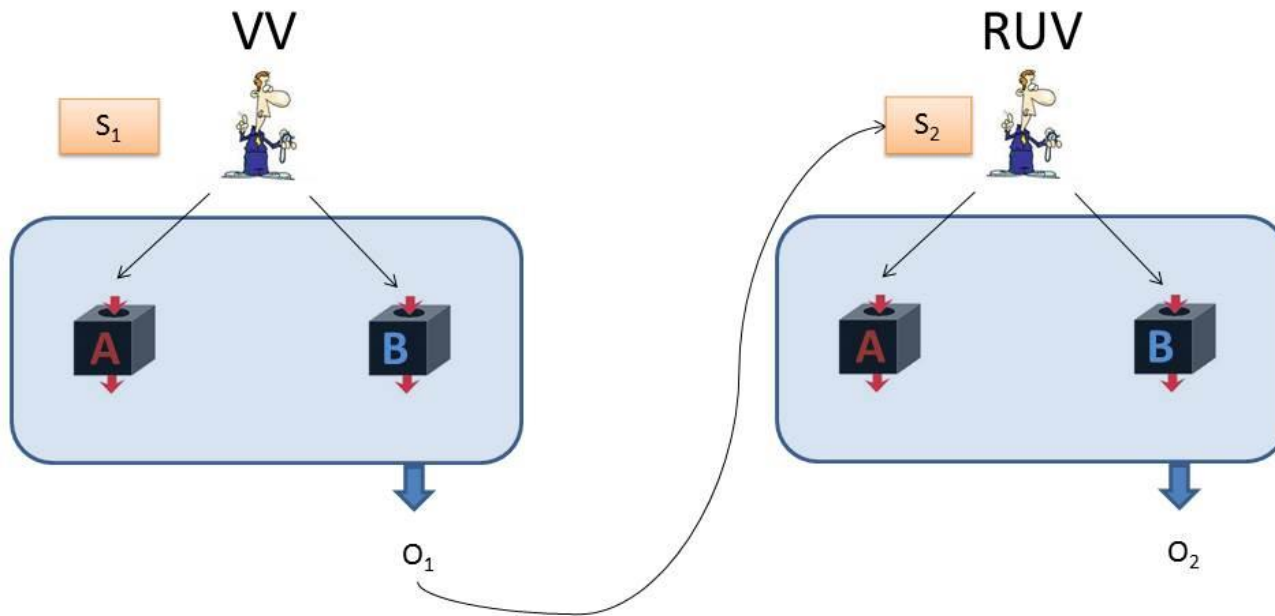


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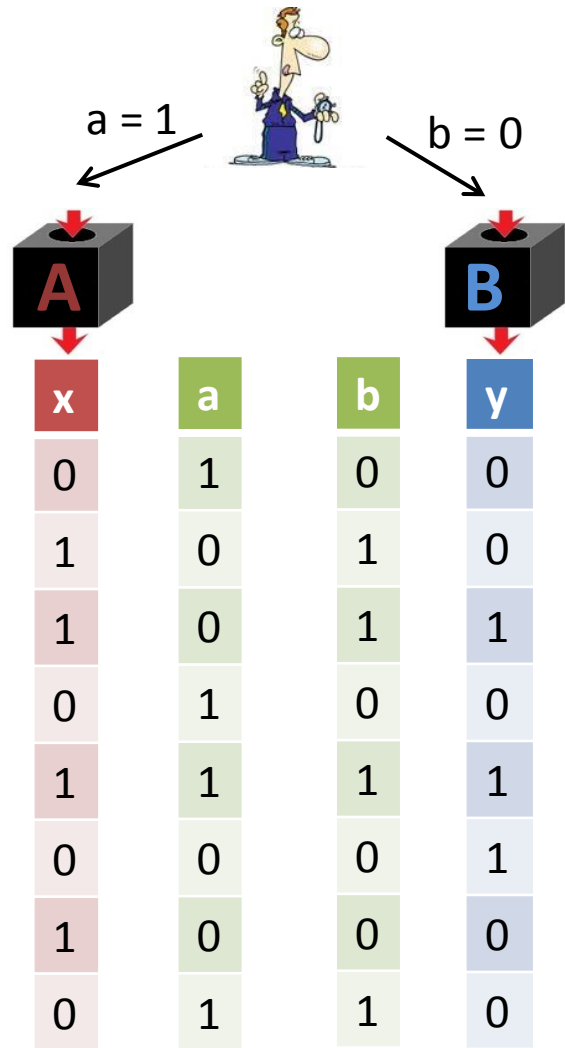
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# Obtaining Expansion



- VV
  - Exponential Expansion
  - Q. Secure
- RUV:
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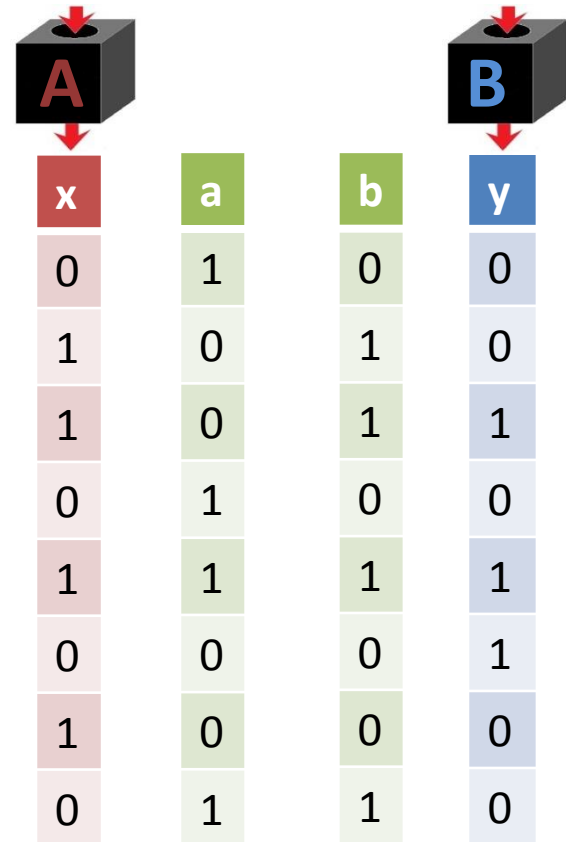
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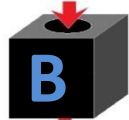


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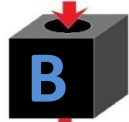
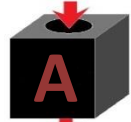


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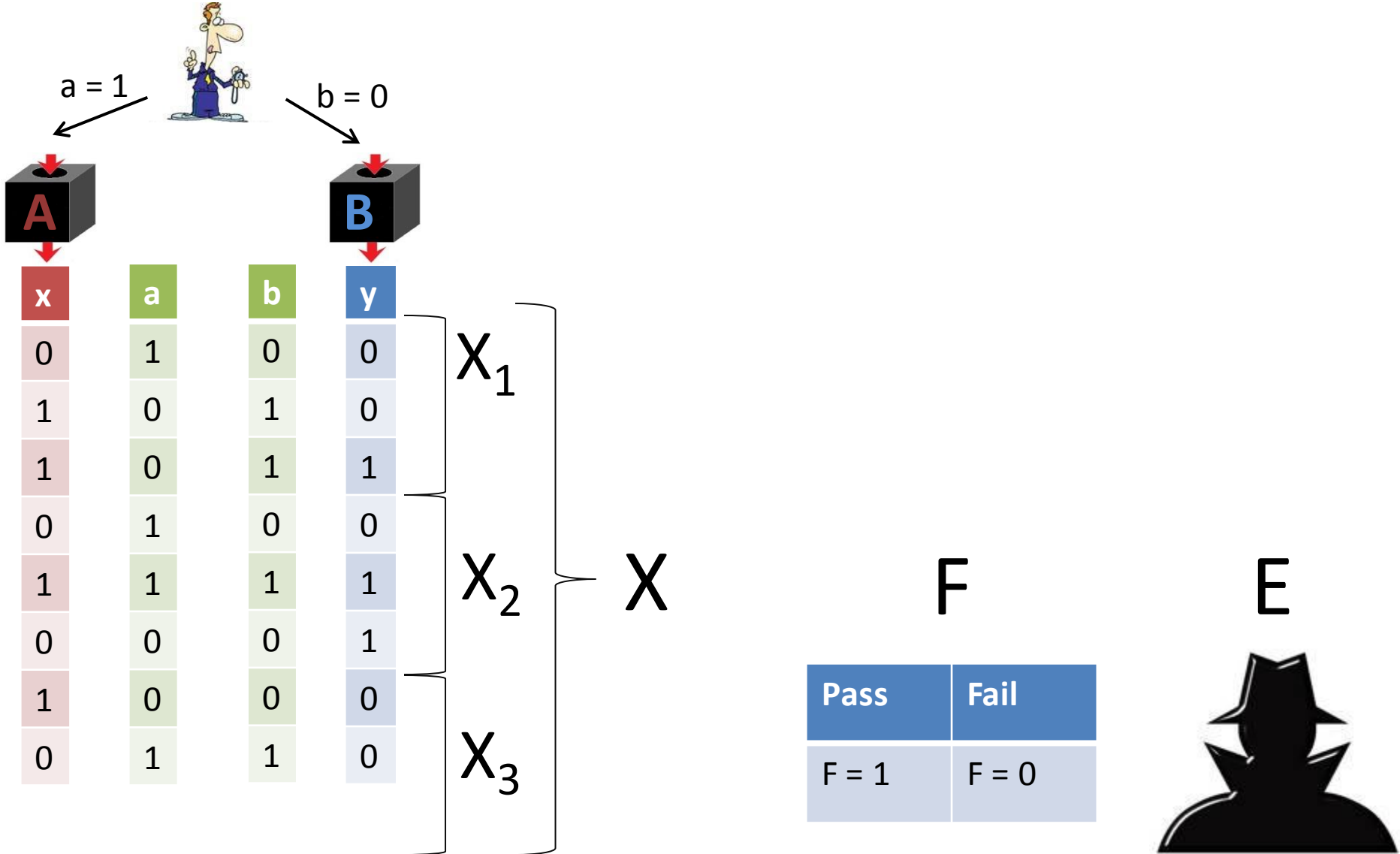
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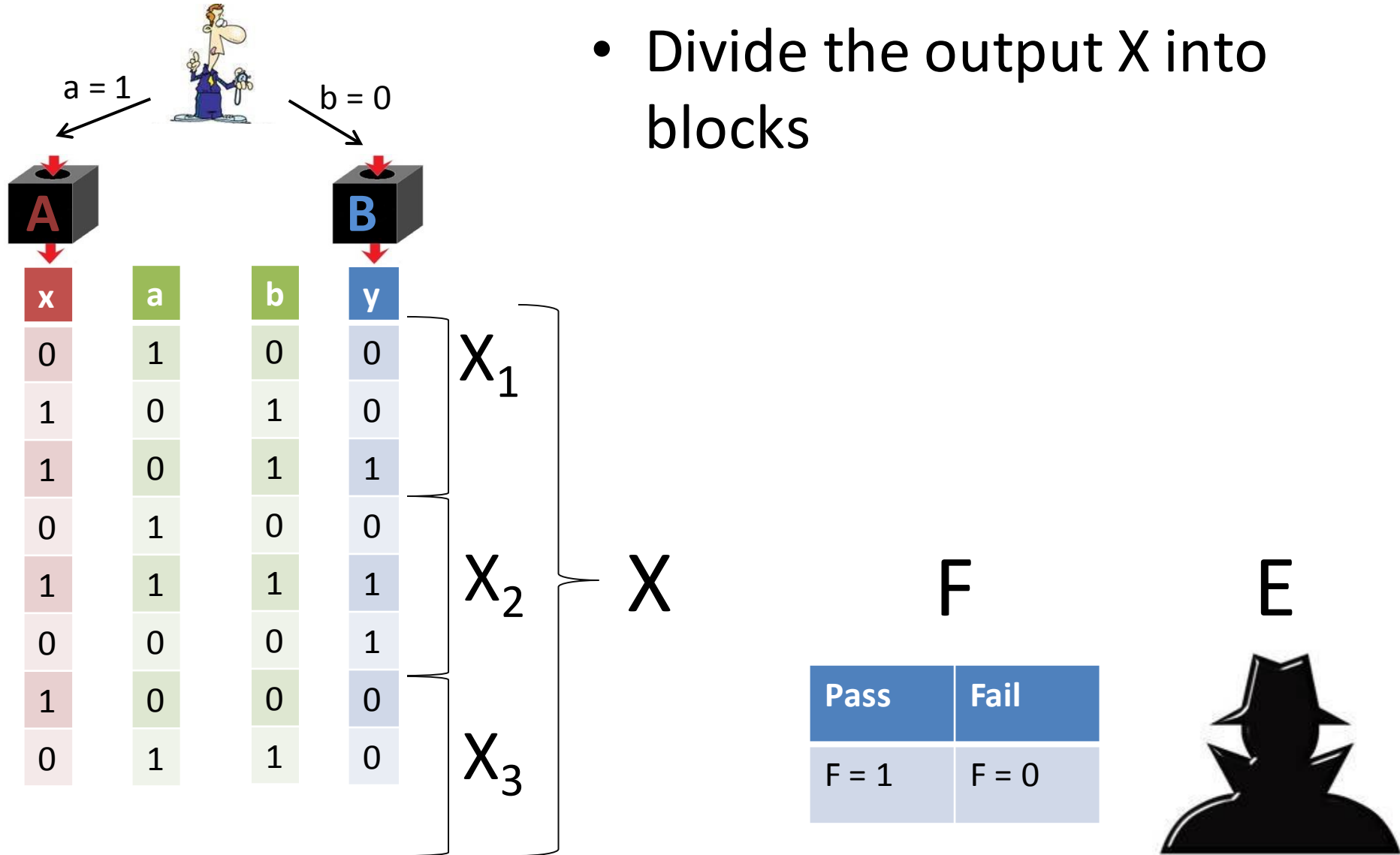


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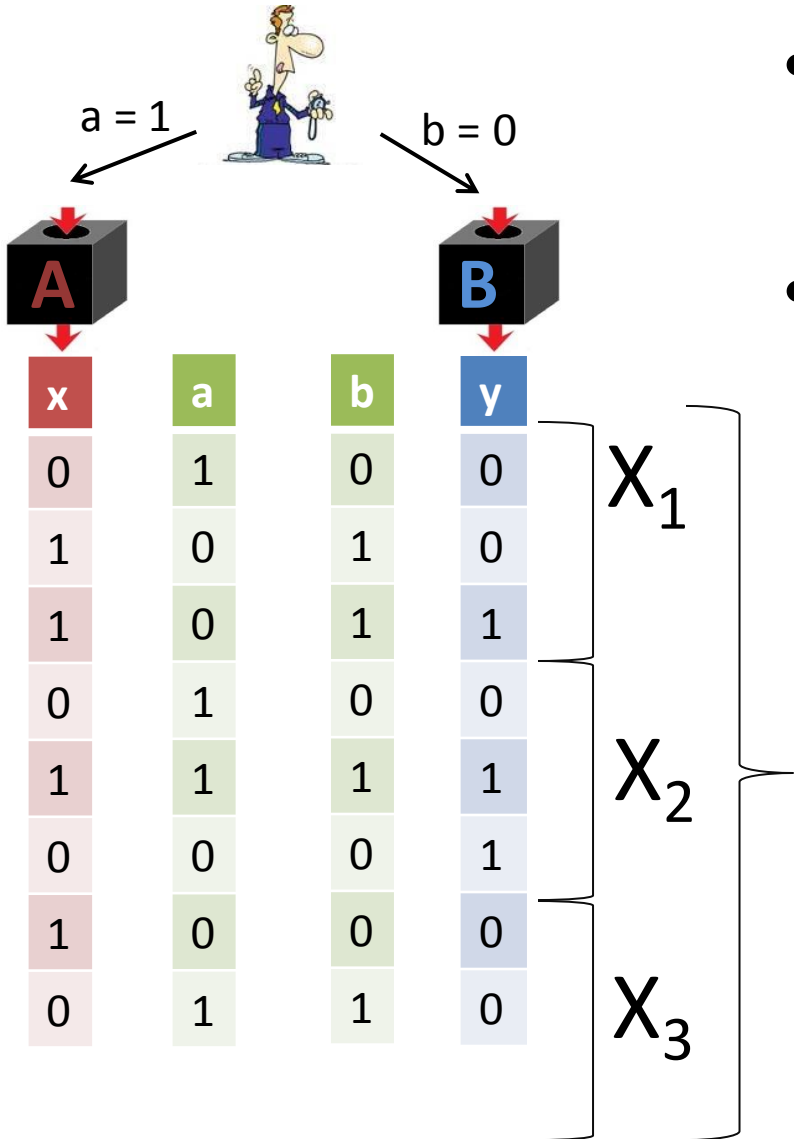


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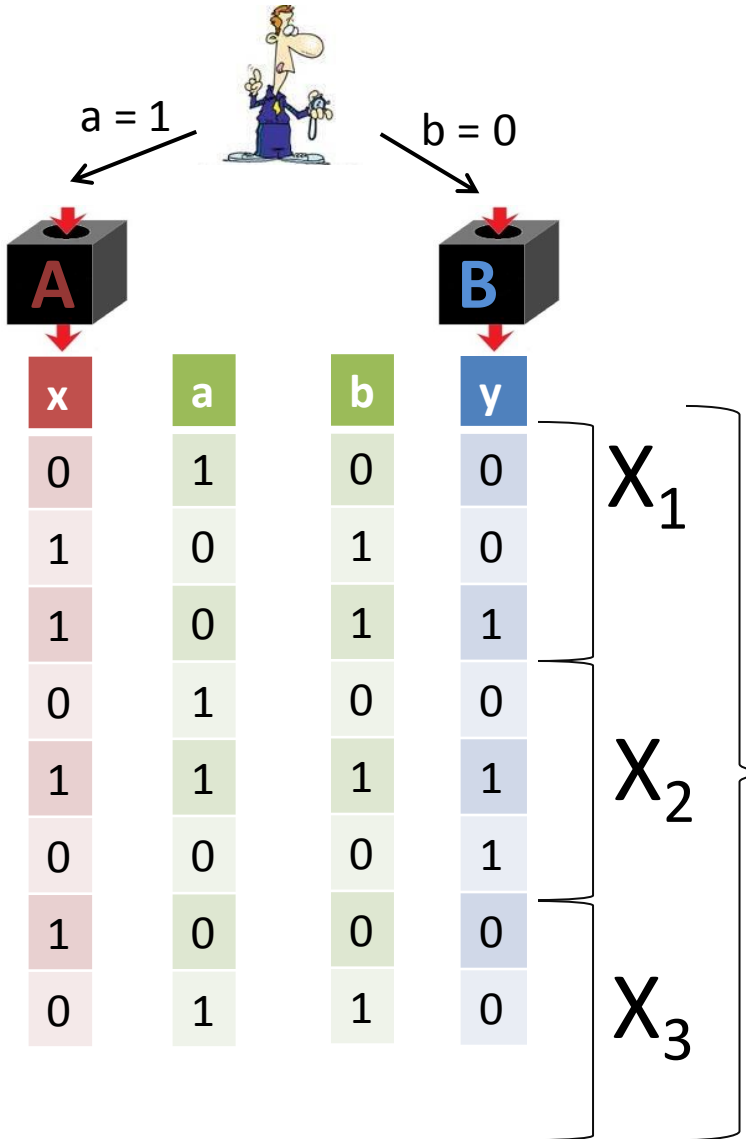
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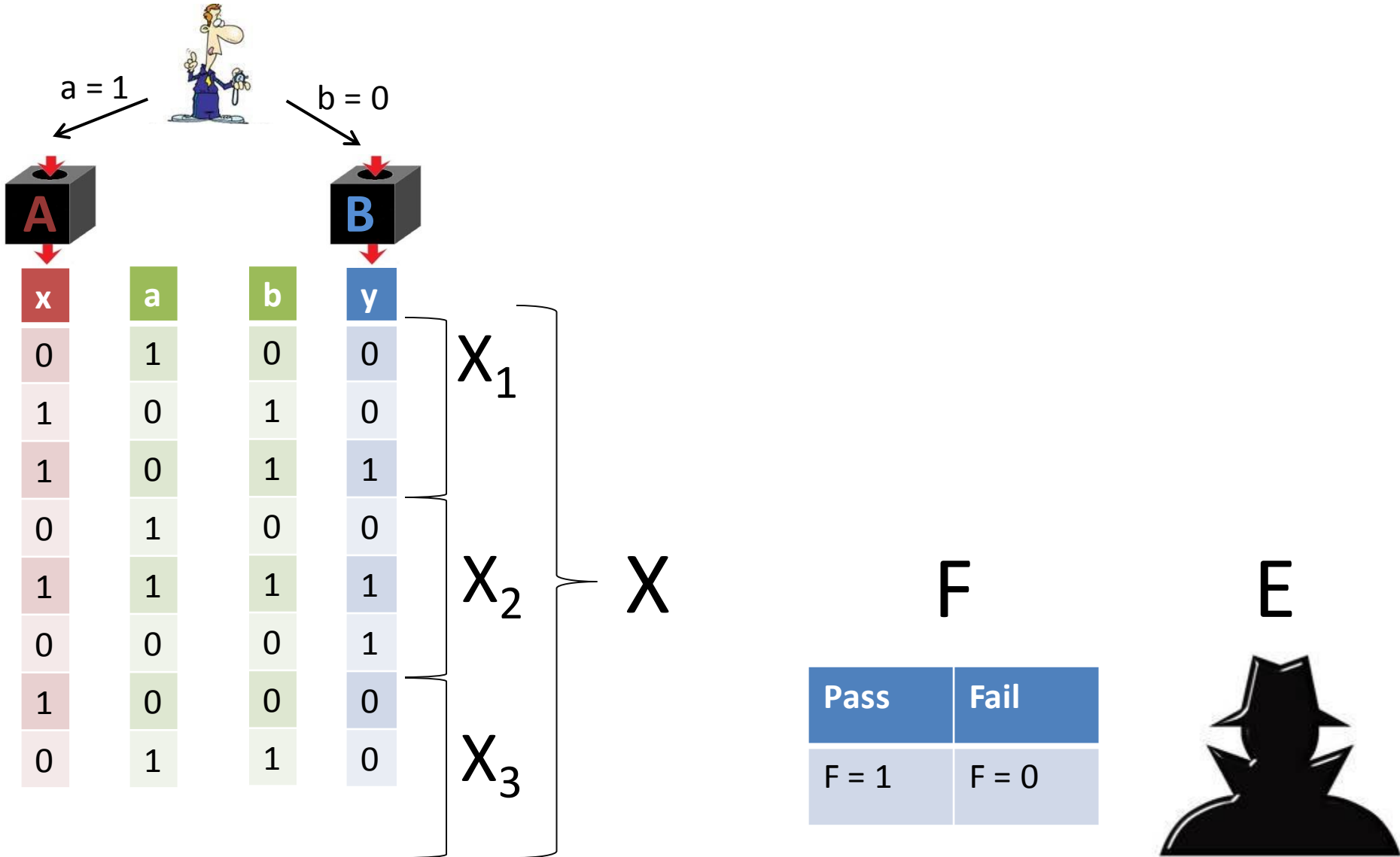
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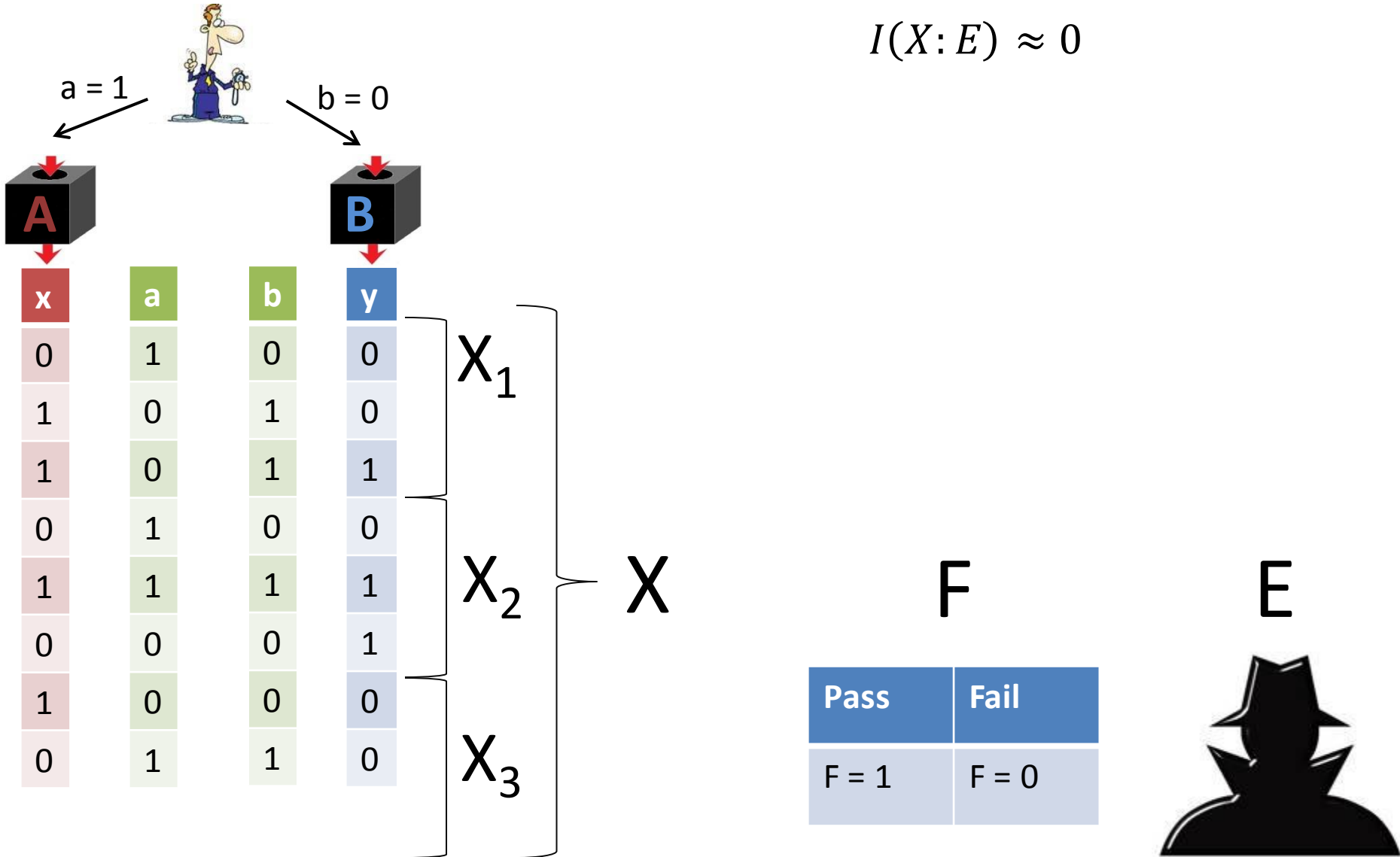


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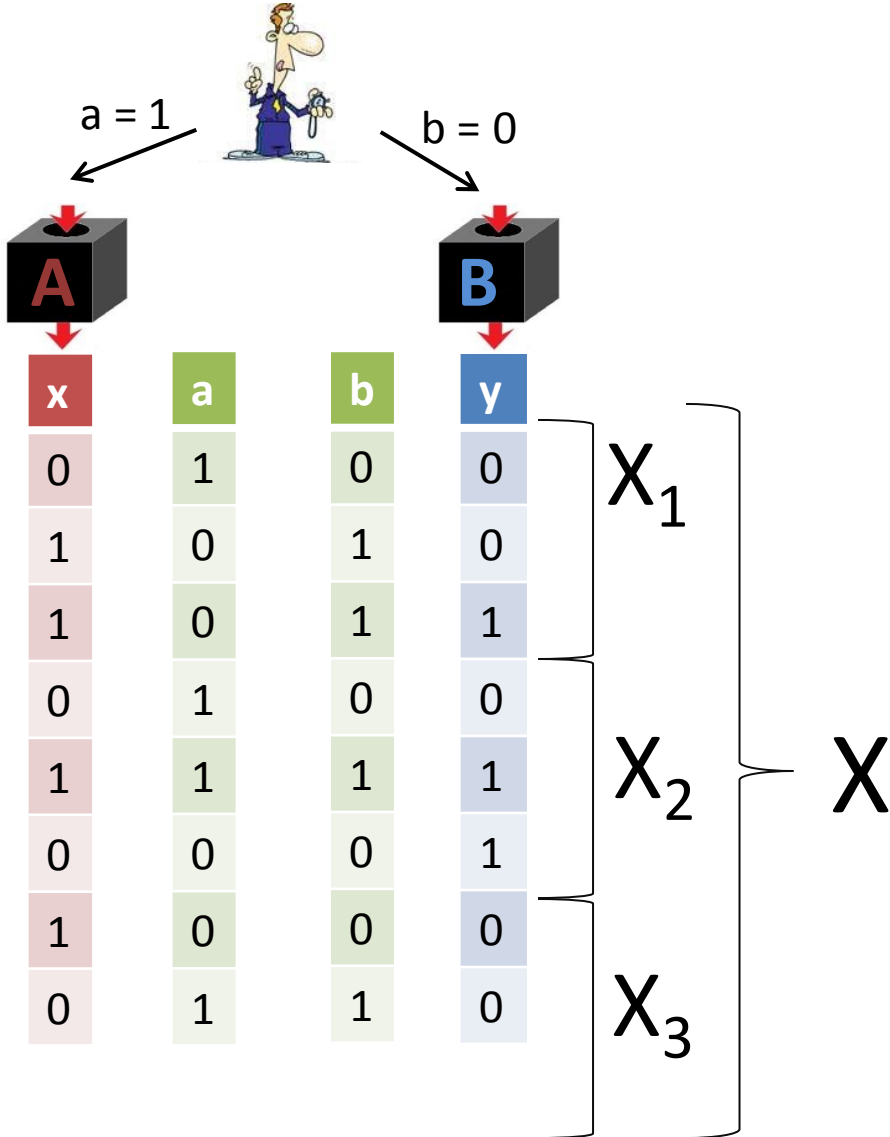


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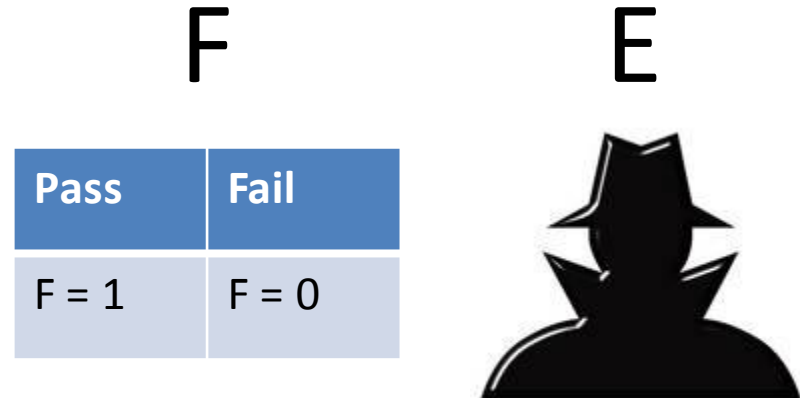


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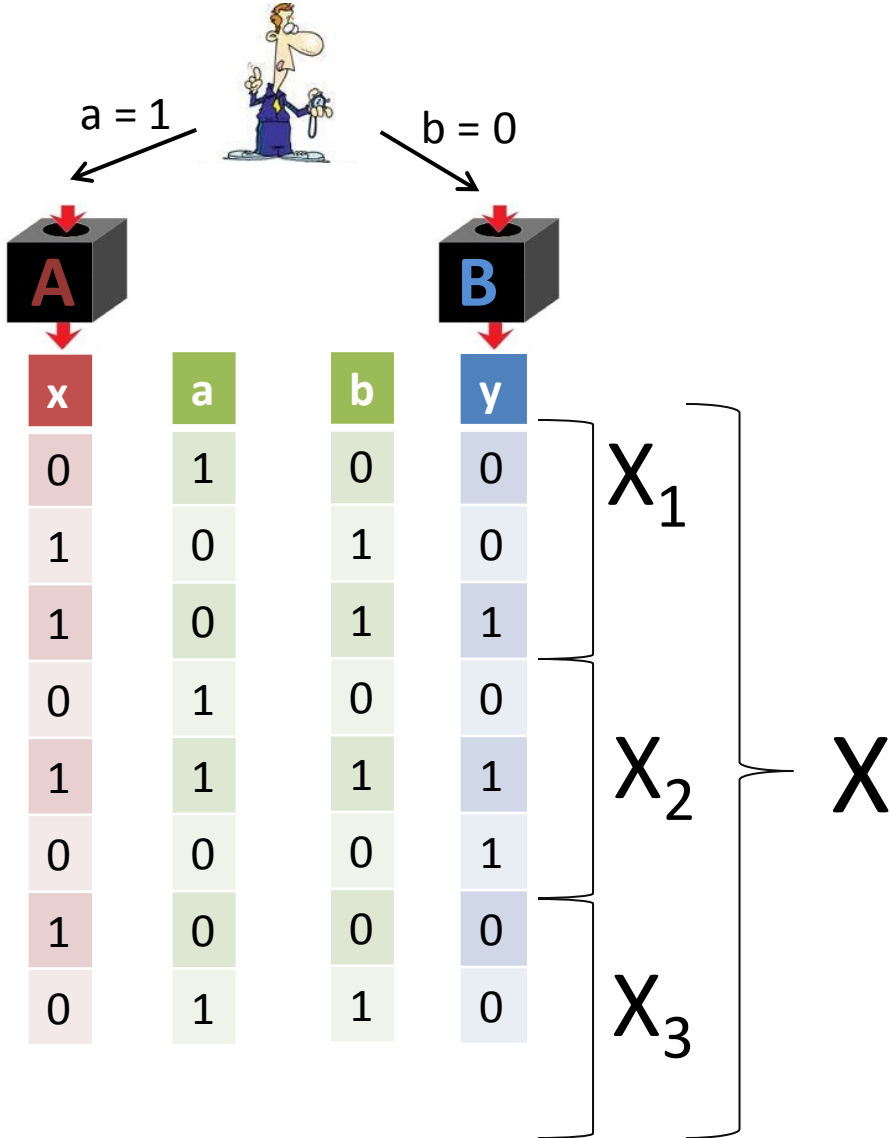


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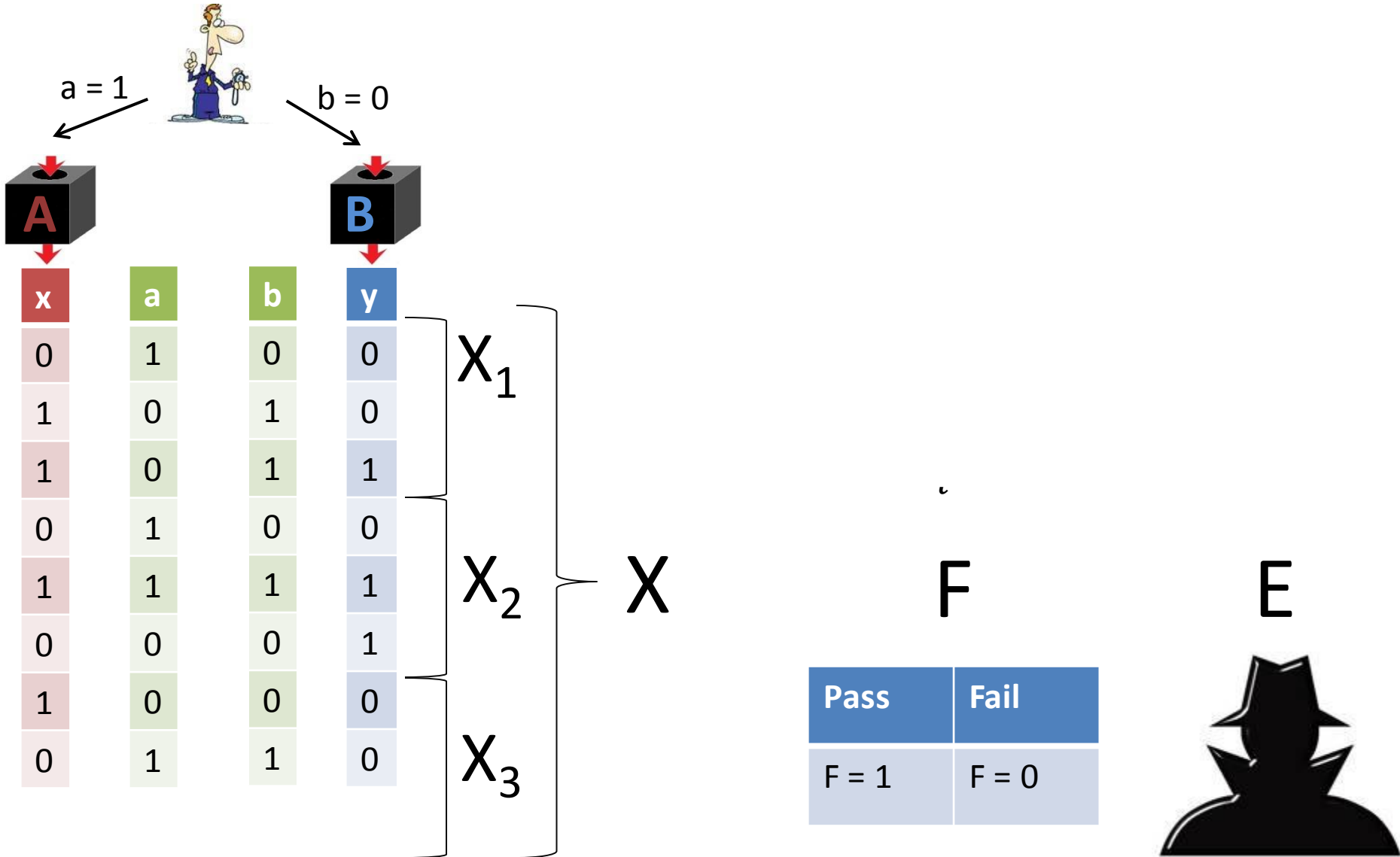
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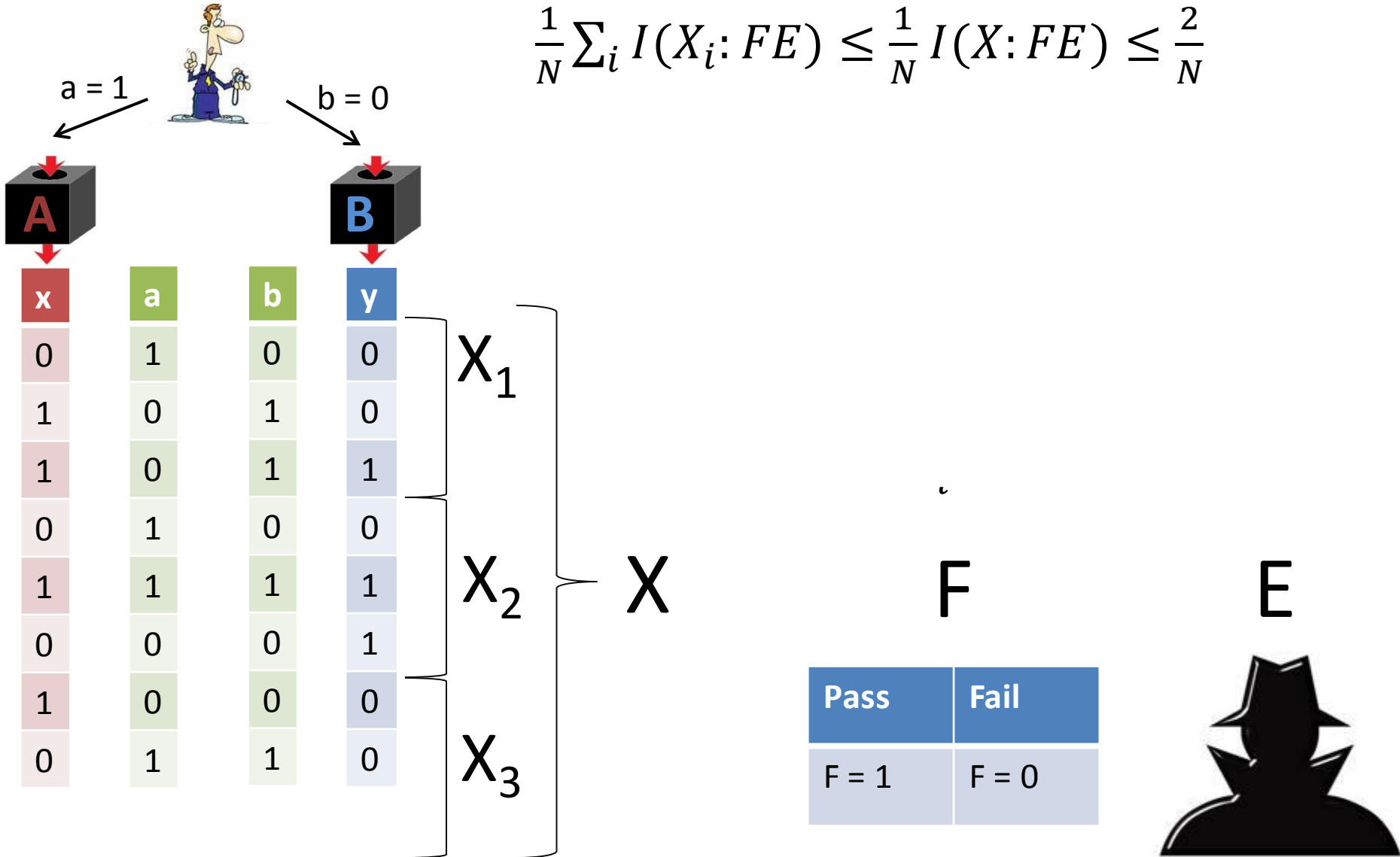


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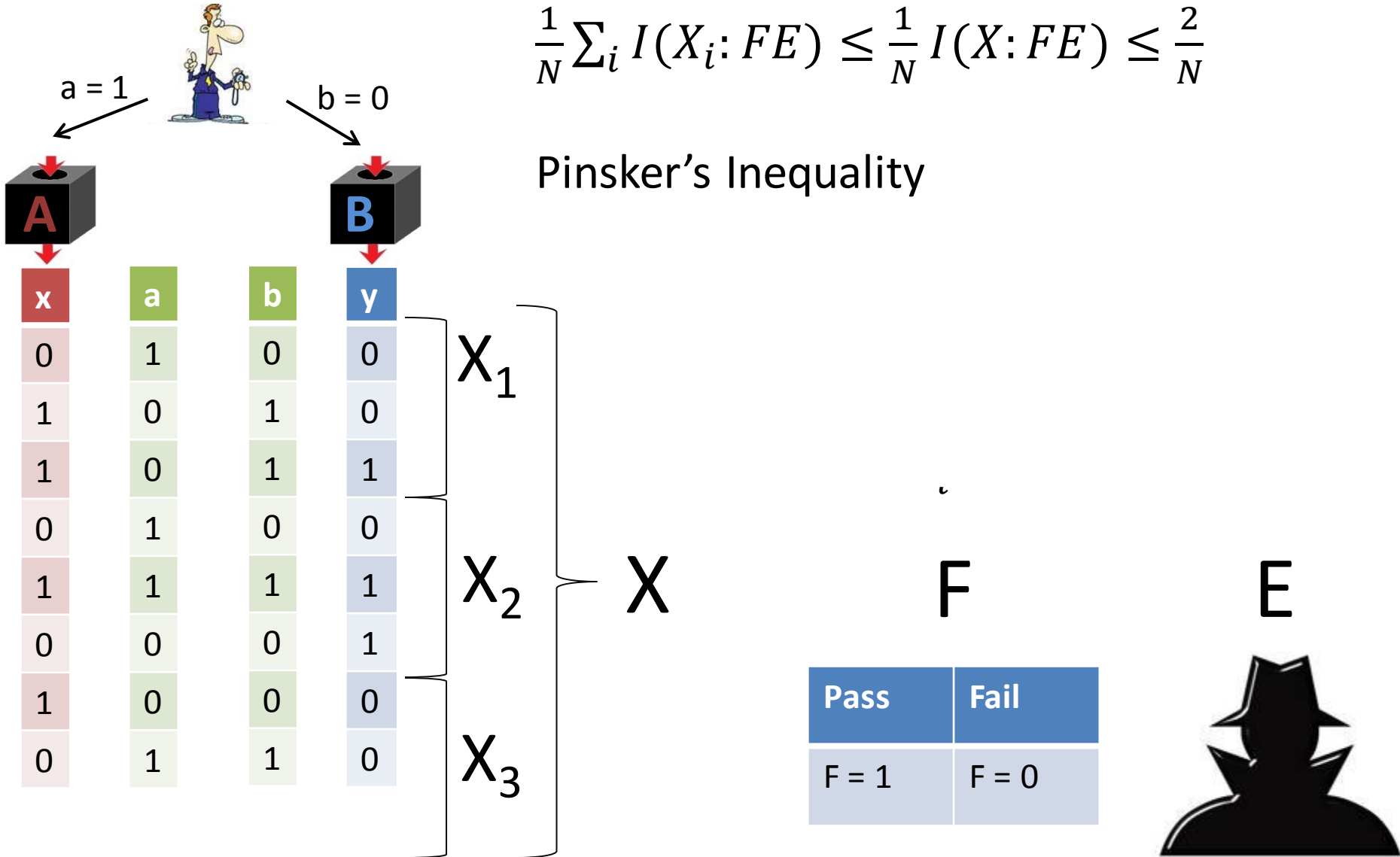
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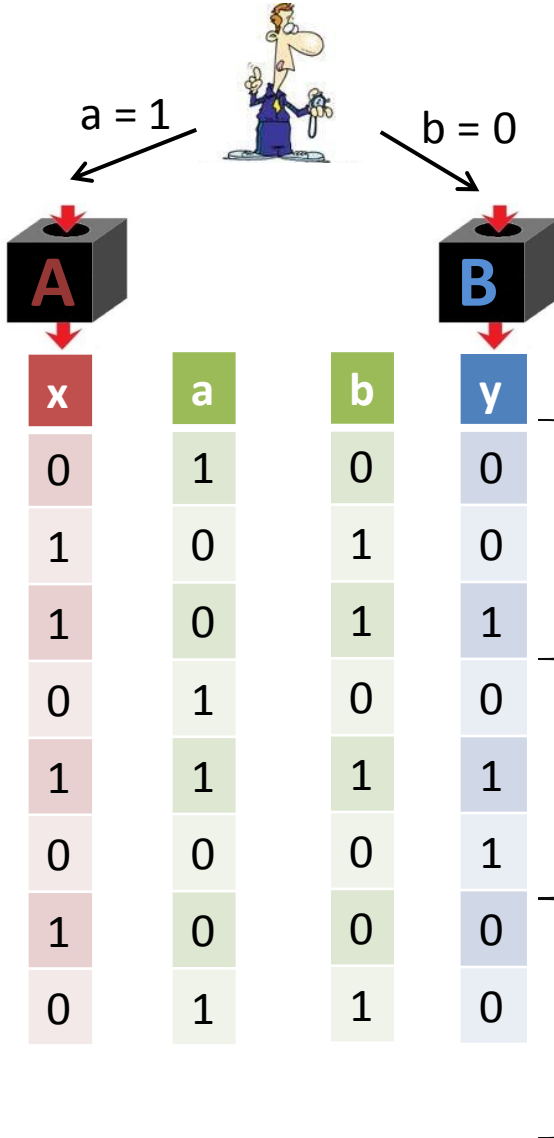
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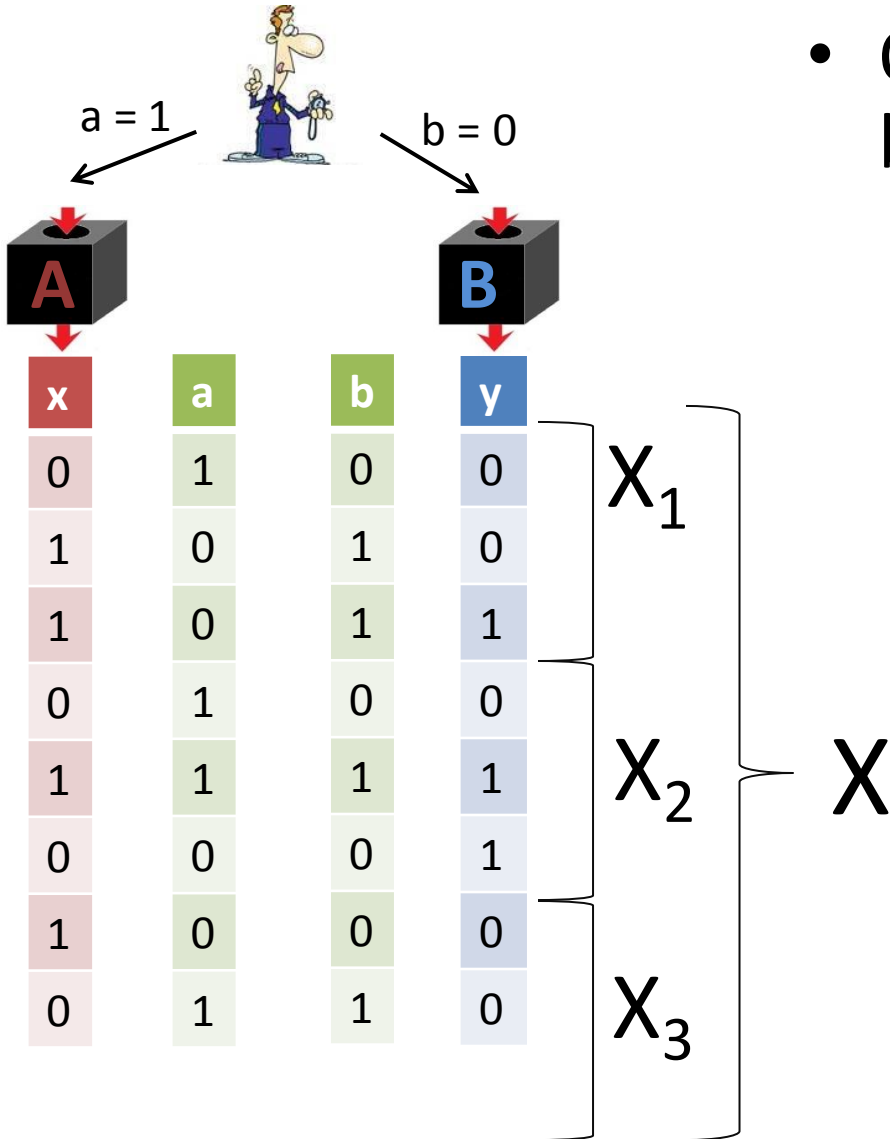
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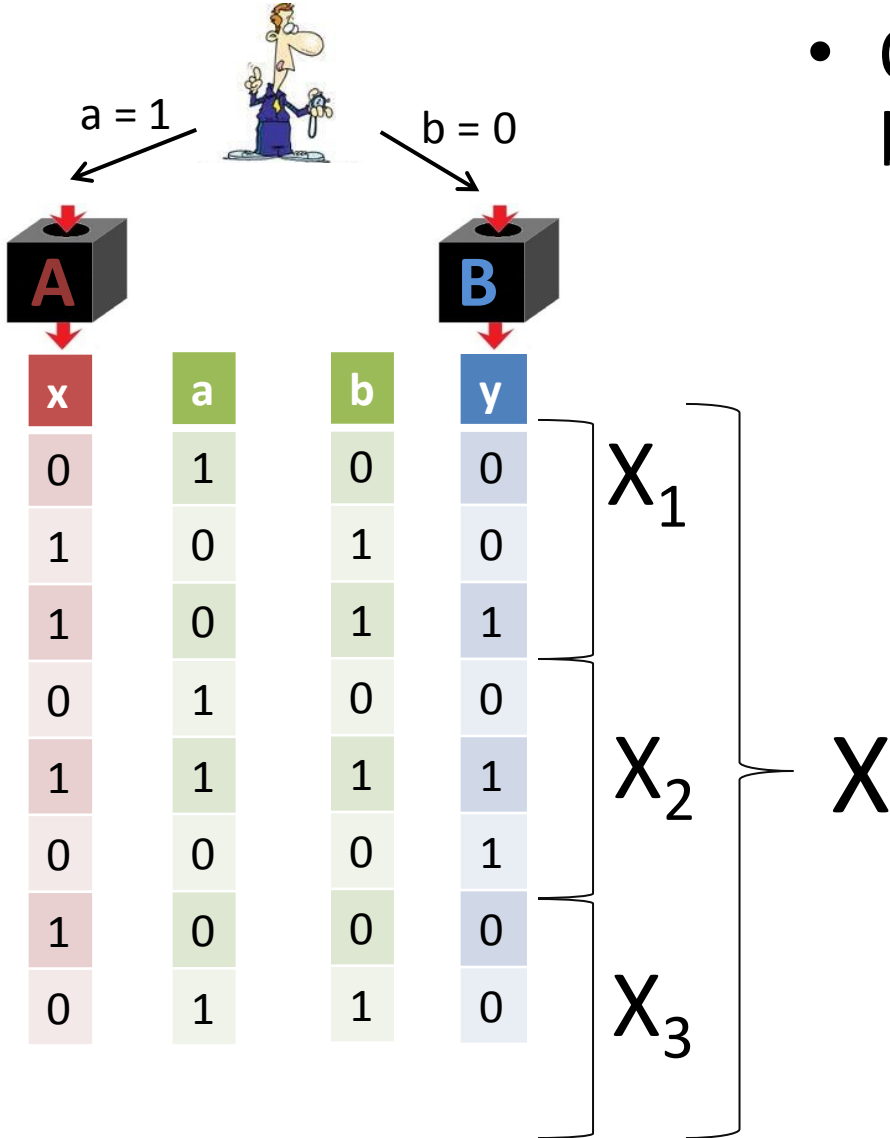


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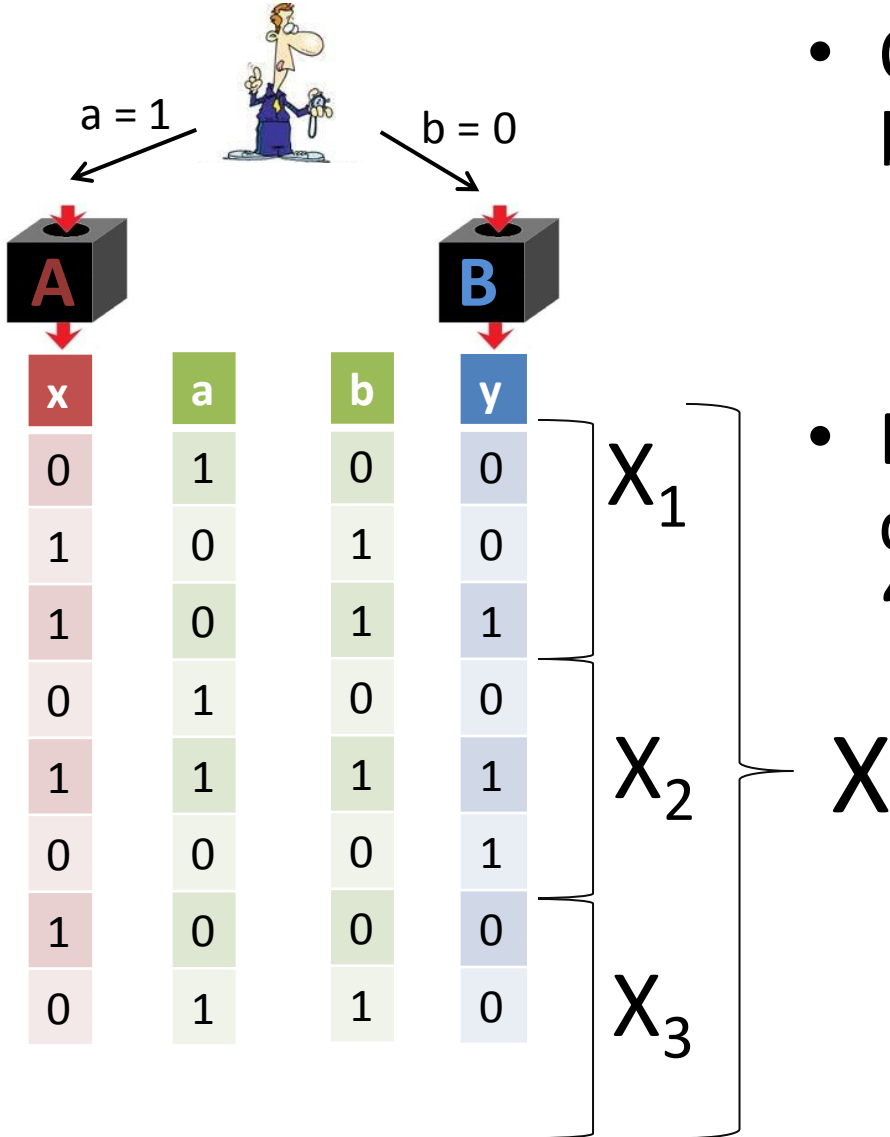
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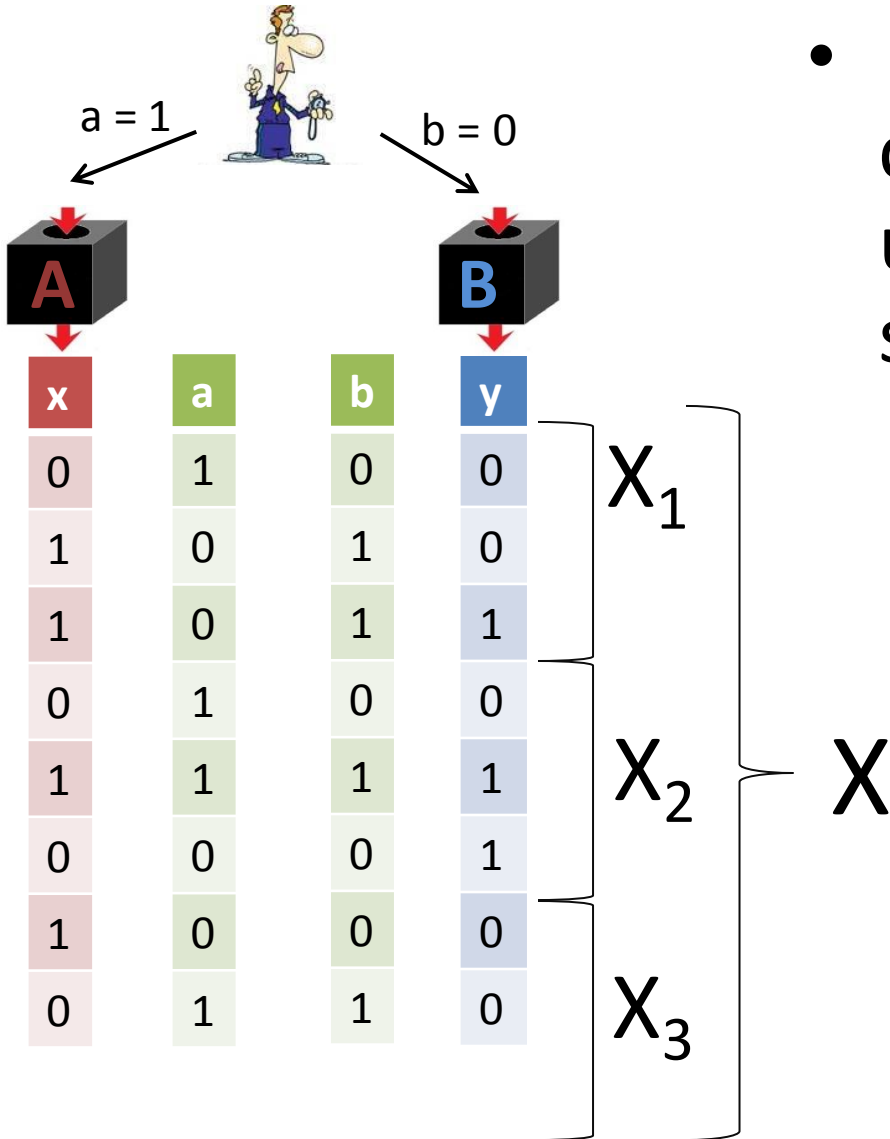


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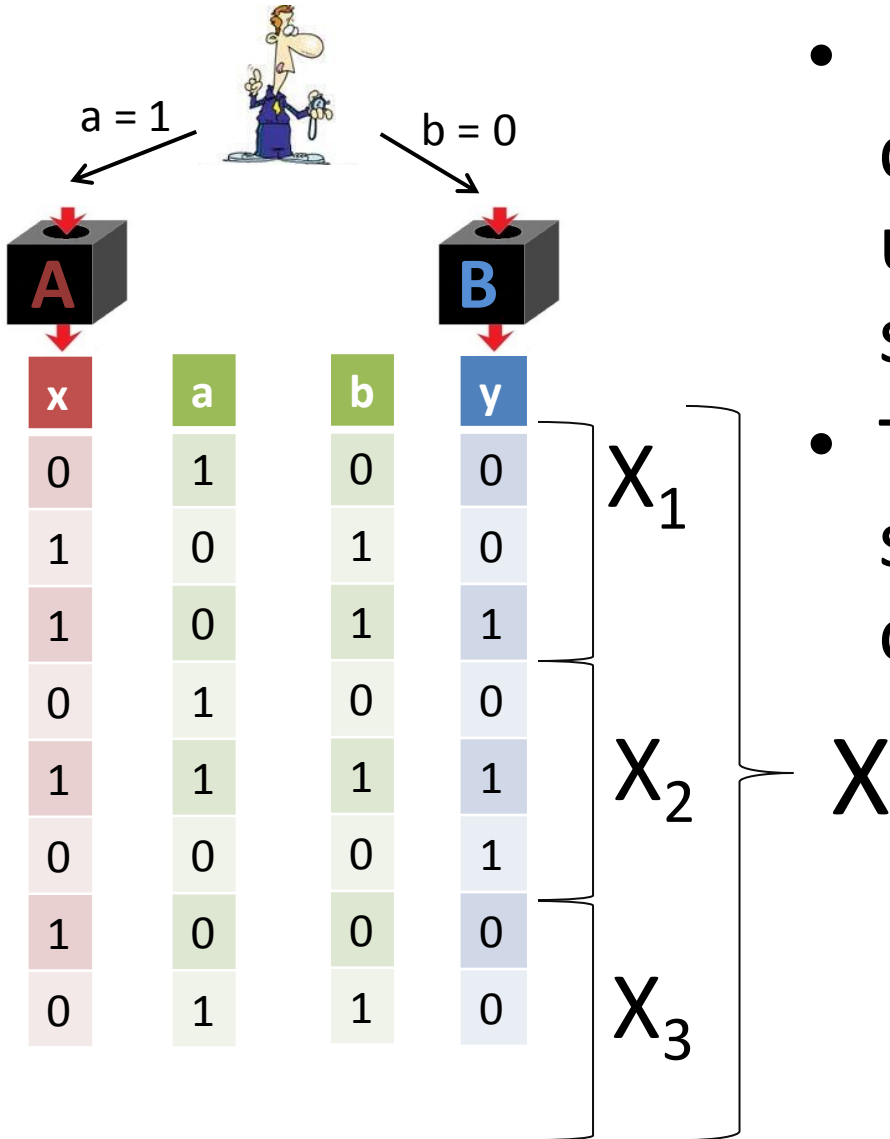


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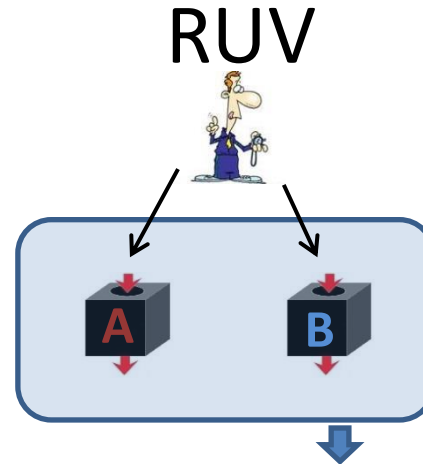
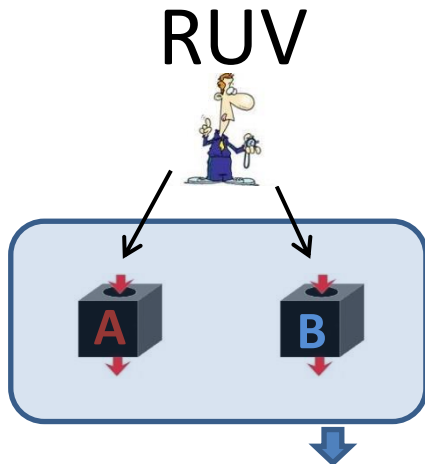
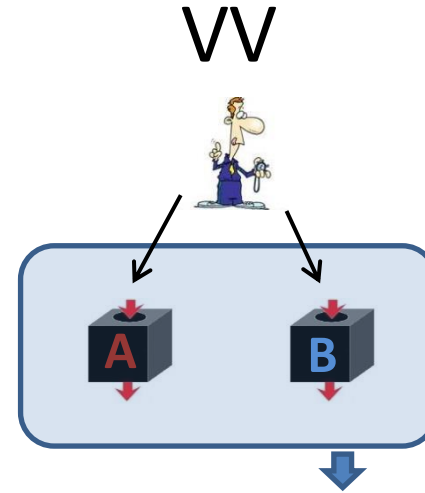
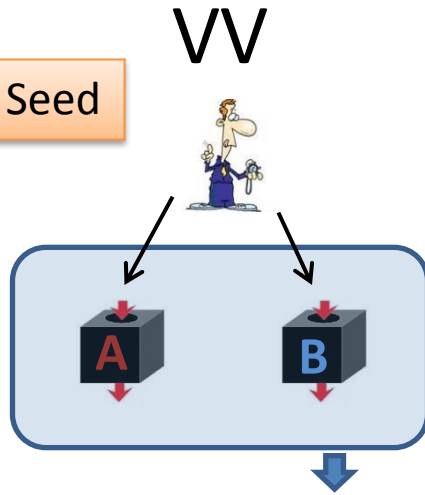


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- This implies full input security for this composition of VV and RUV.



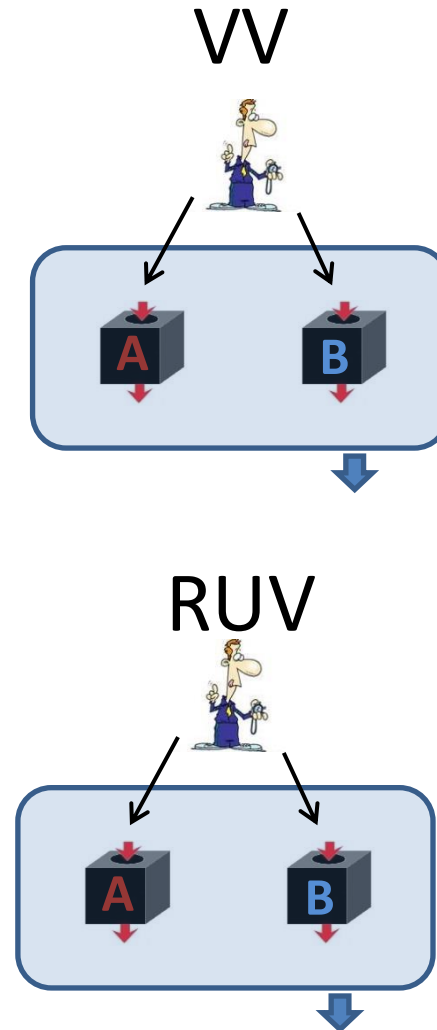
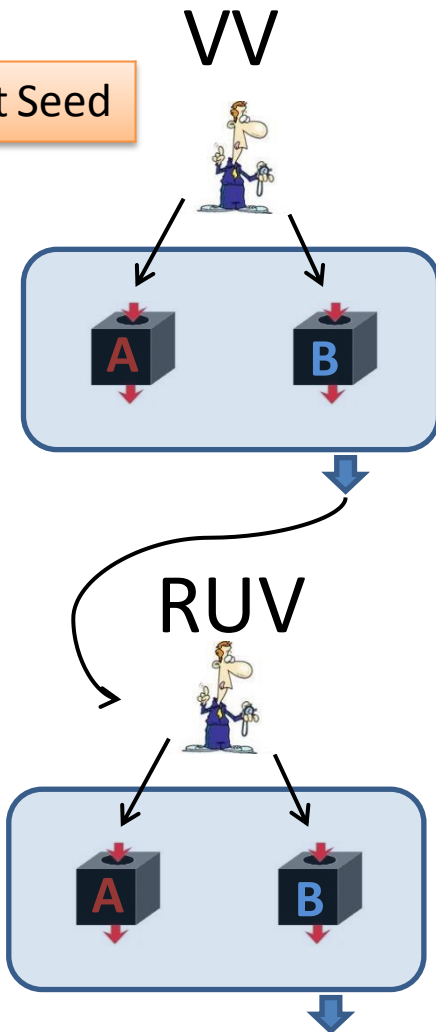
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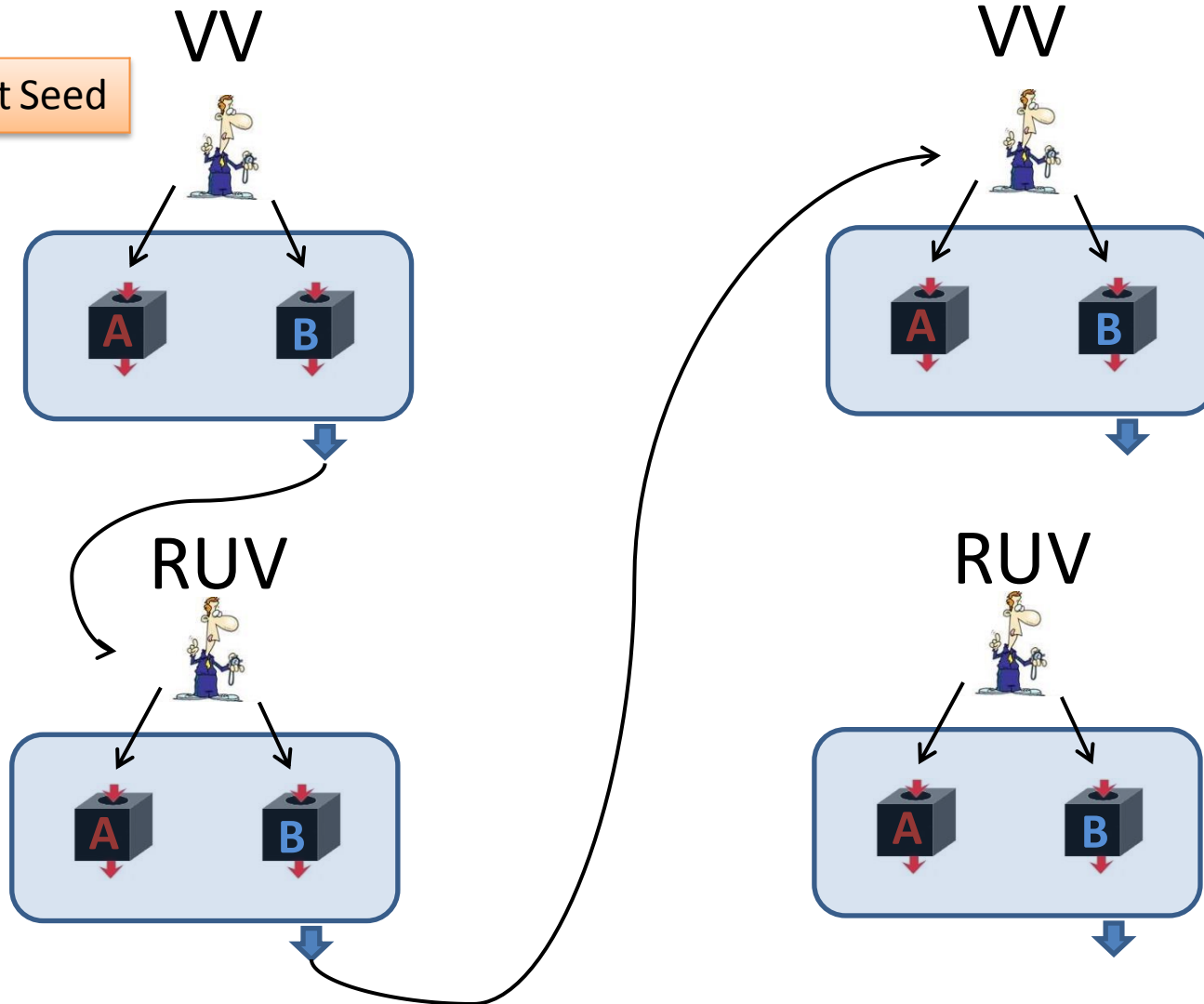
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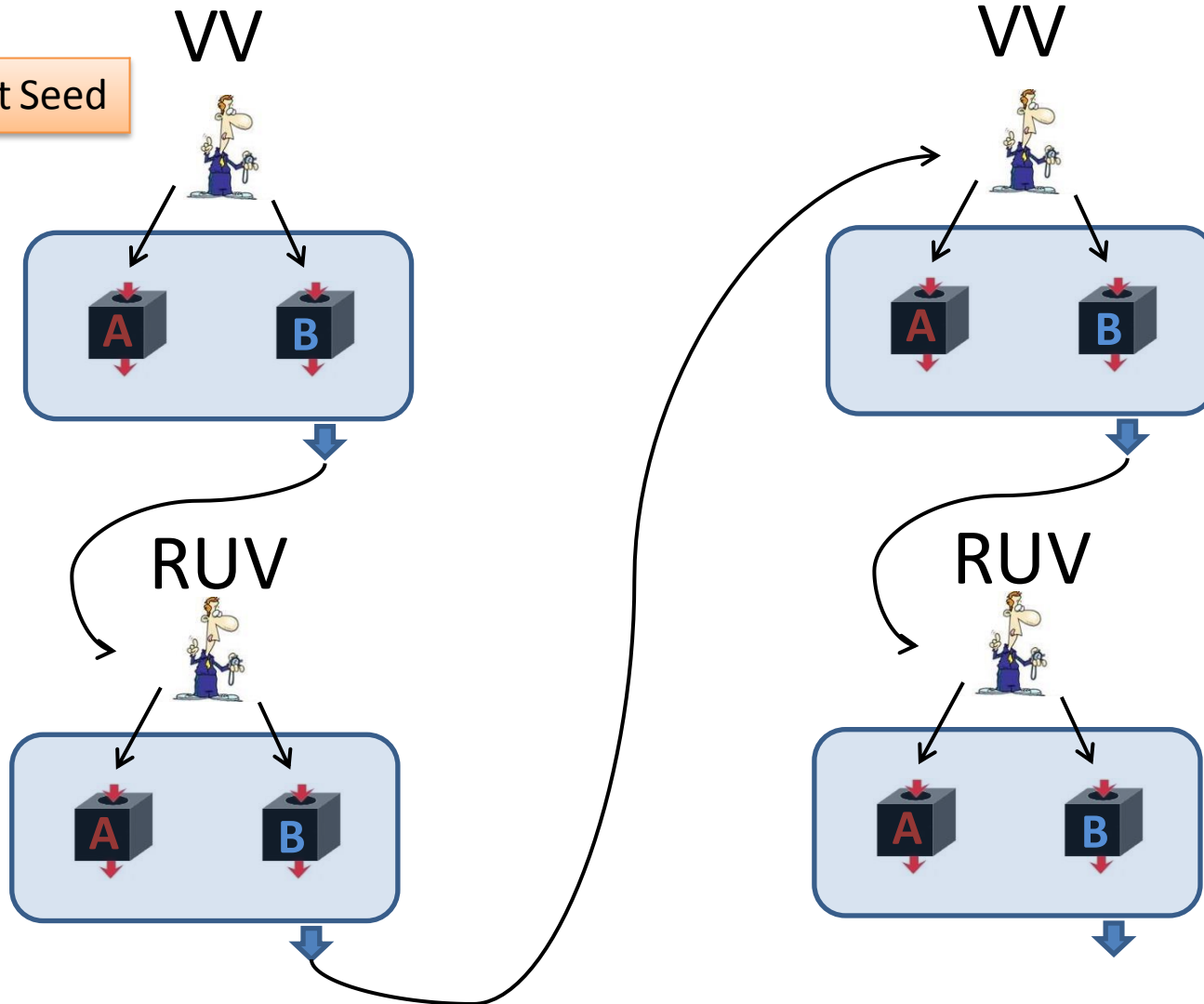
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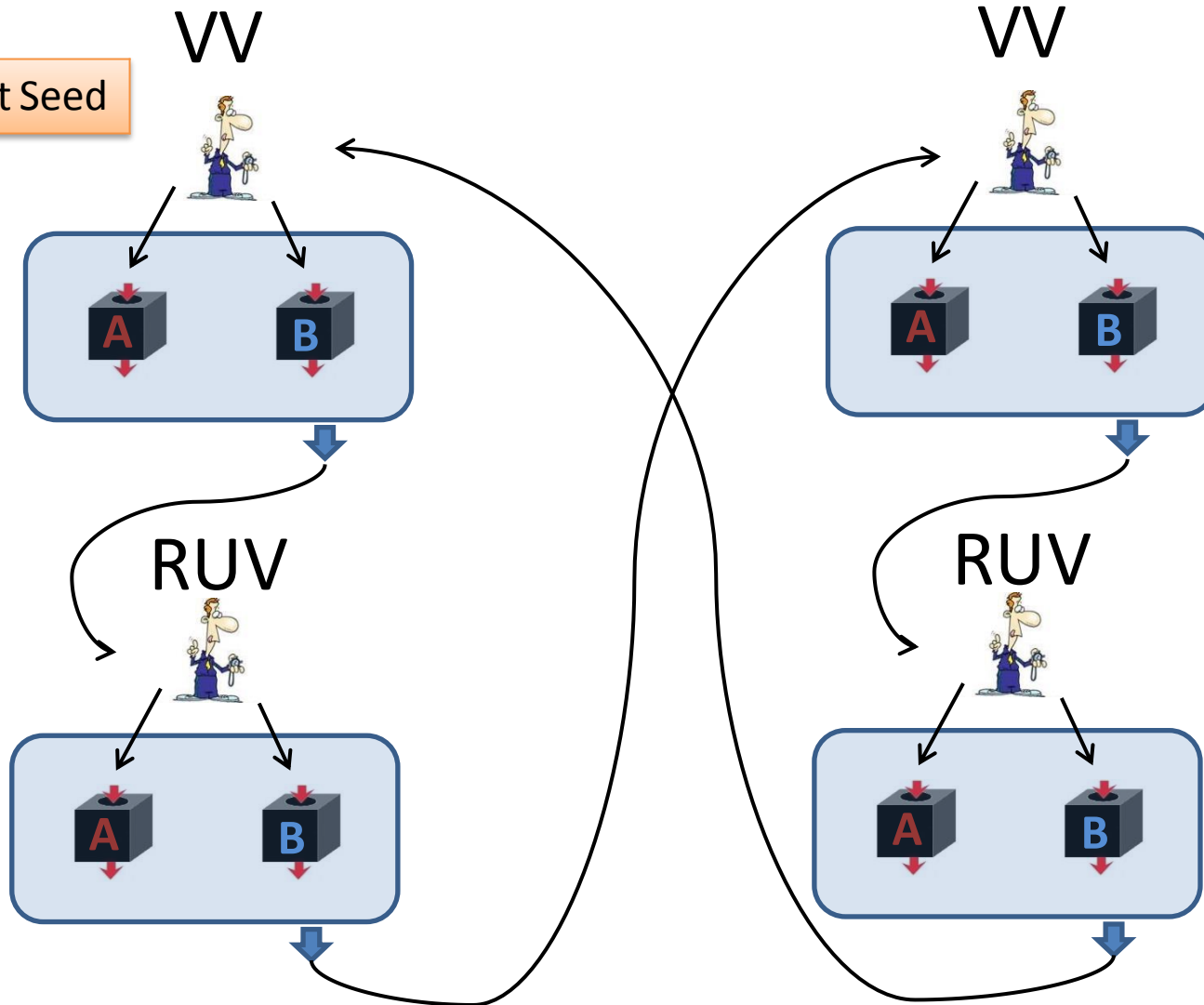
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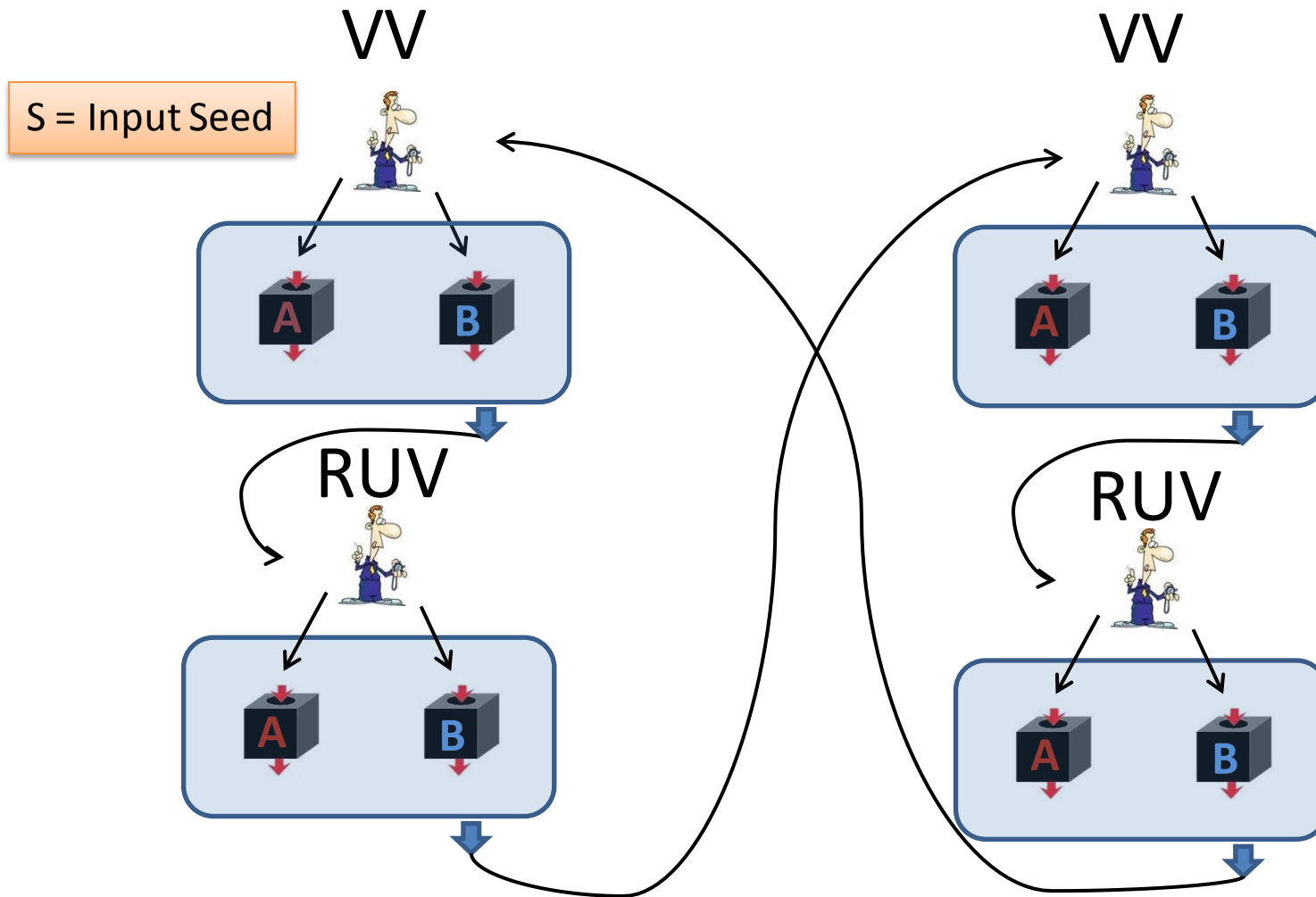


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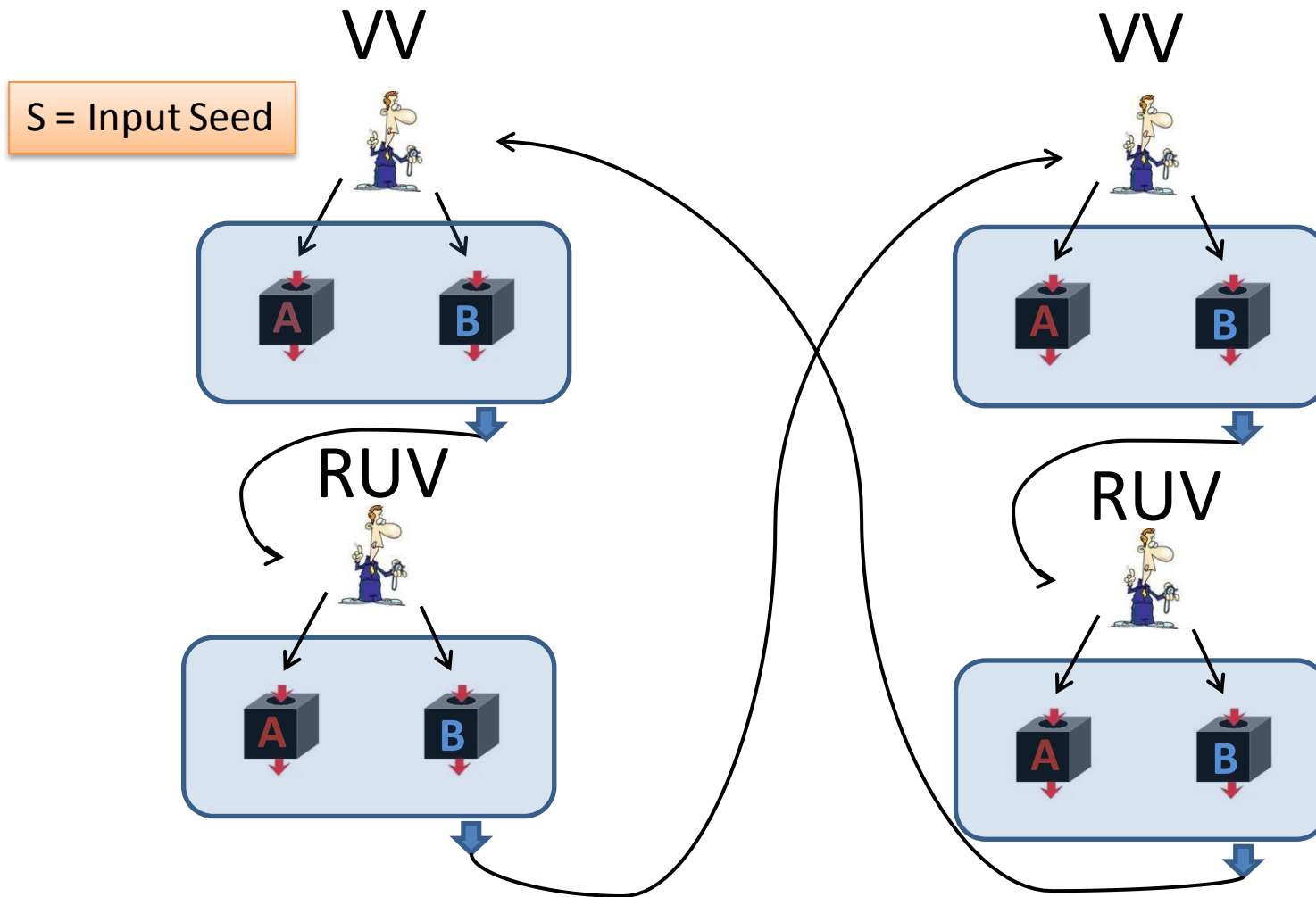


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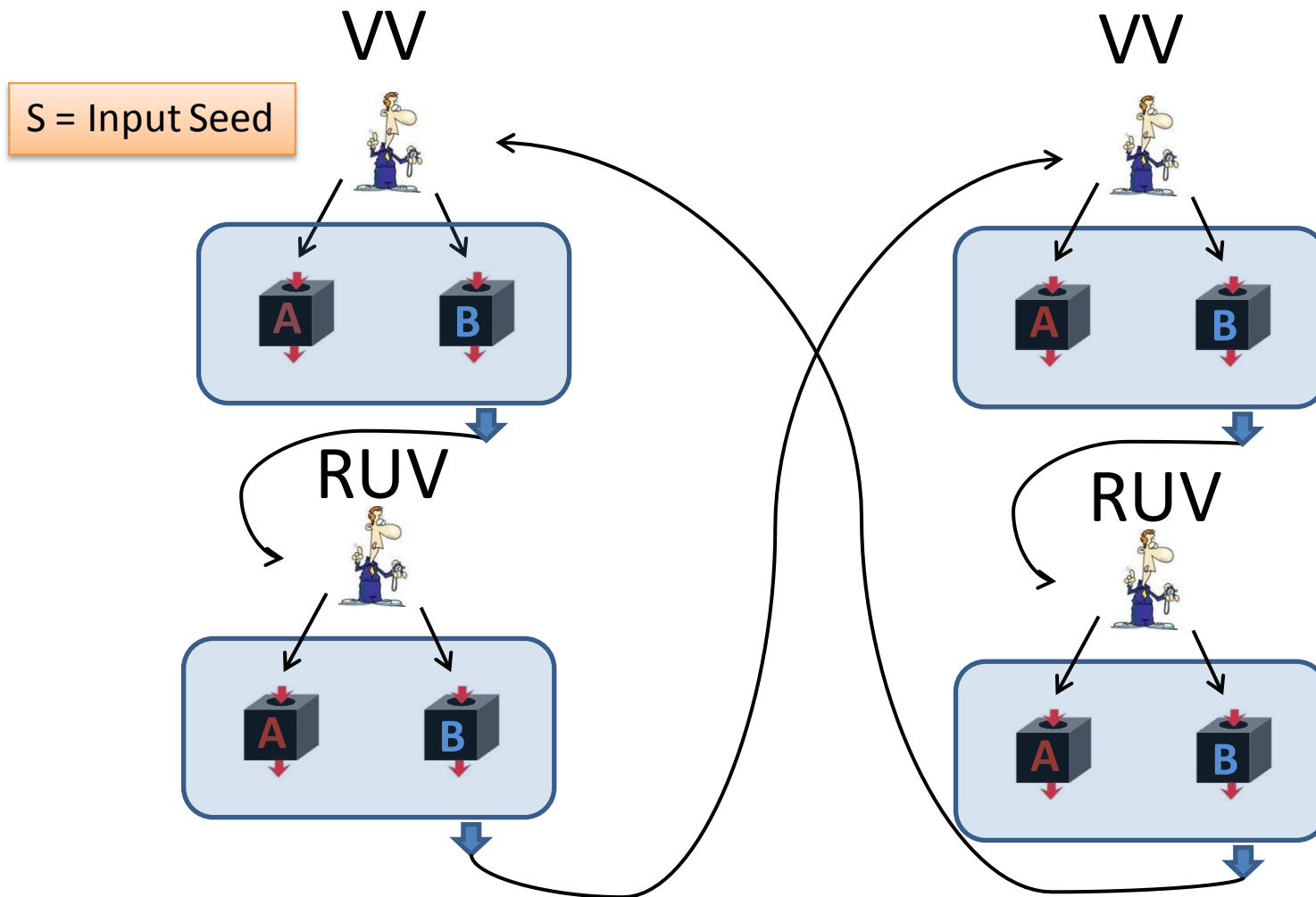
- Approximately Input Secure steps (composable)
- Exponential Expansion at each step

# Infinite Randomness Expansion



- Accumulated error converges
- Output is  $\frac{1}{\exp(|S|)}$  -close to uniform and secure against quantum eavesdropper.





## Open Questions

- Robust protocols [Miller, Shi], [Chung, Shi, Wu]
- Optimal Parameters?
- Protocols other than Randomness Expansion [Reichardt, Unger, Vazirani 2012]