

Research Lecture: **LSM-trees & Filters**

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Projects



**56 groups -
mostly of threes**



**157 / 169 students
registered**



**Feedback week
next week - will
announce when.**

Midterm



Oct 14 in class



Open book

Today



Recap on LSM

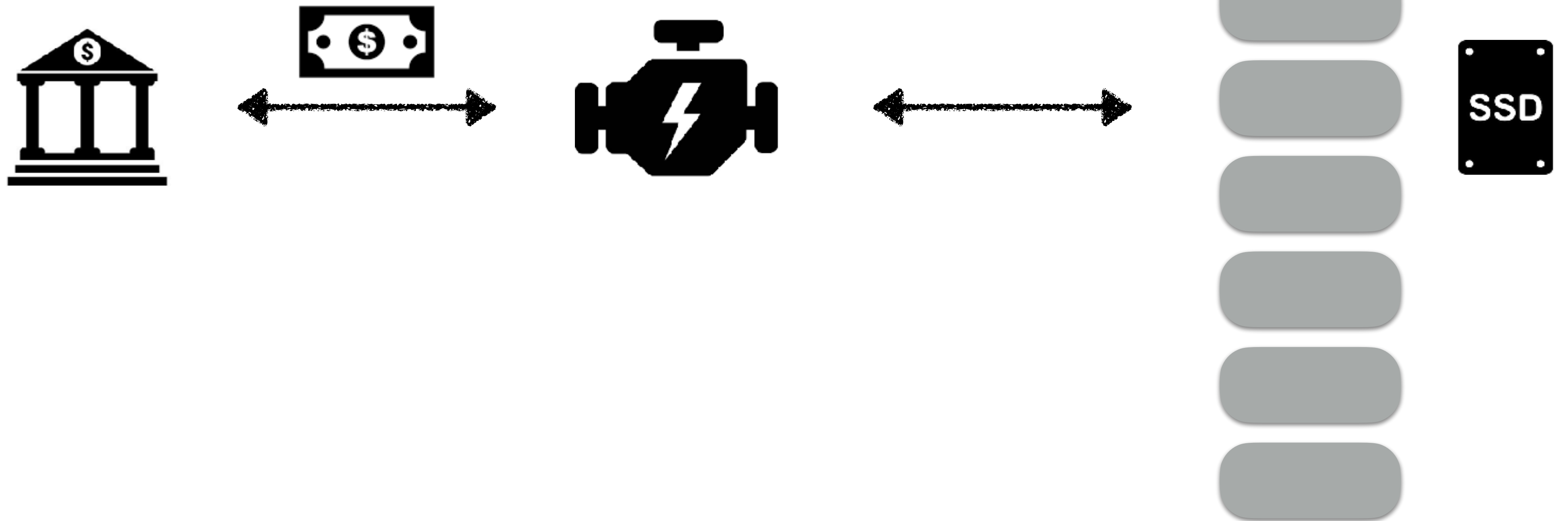


Bloom Filters

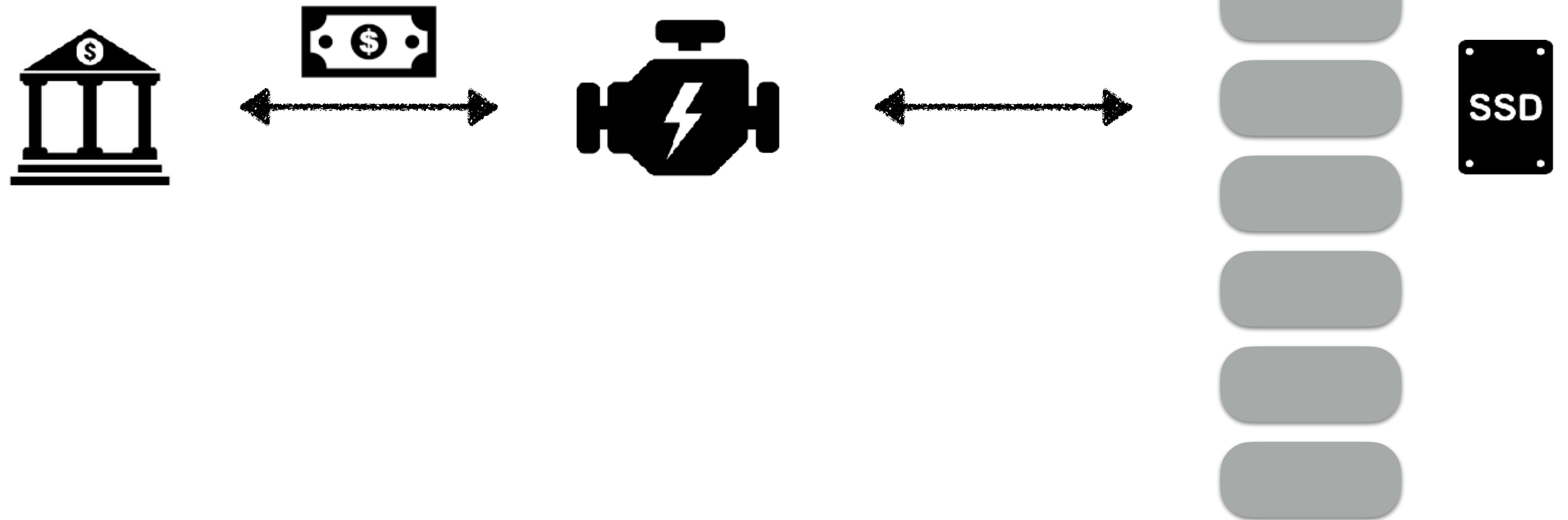


**Research
Lecture**

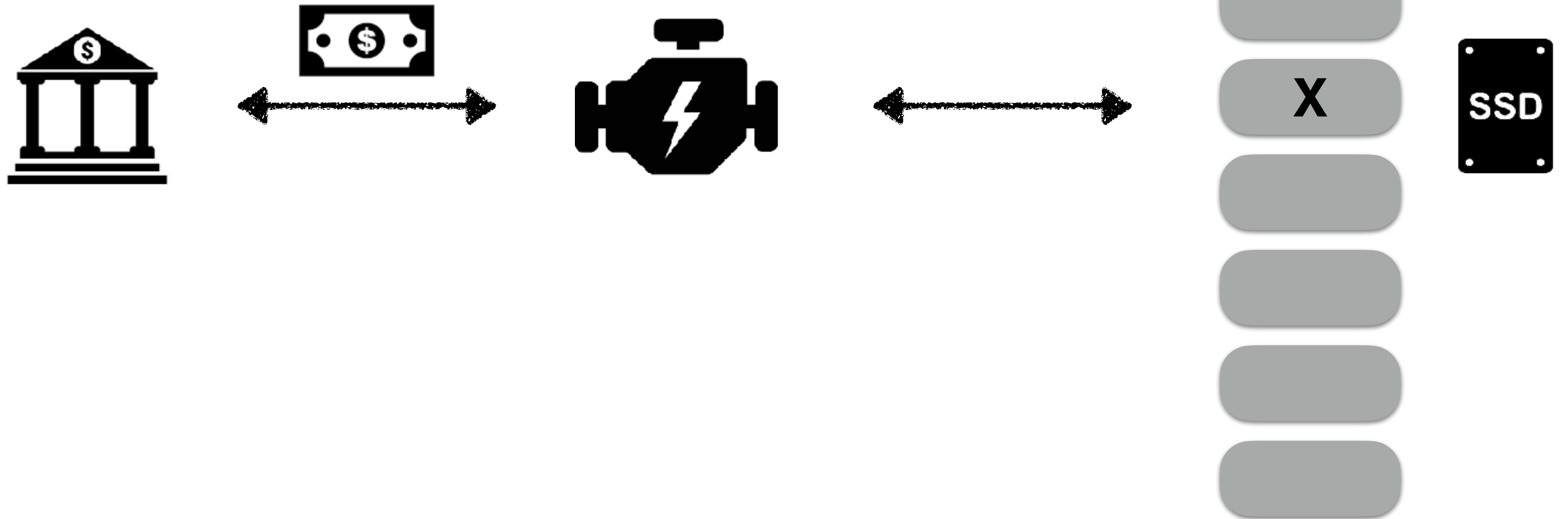
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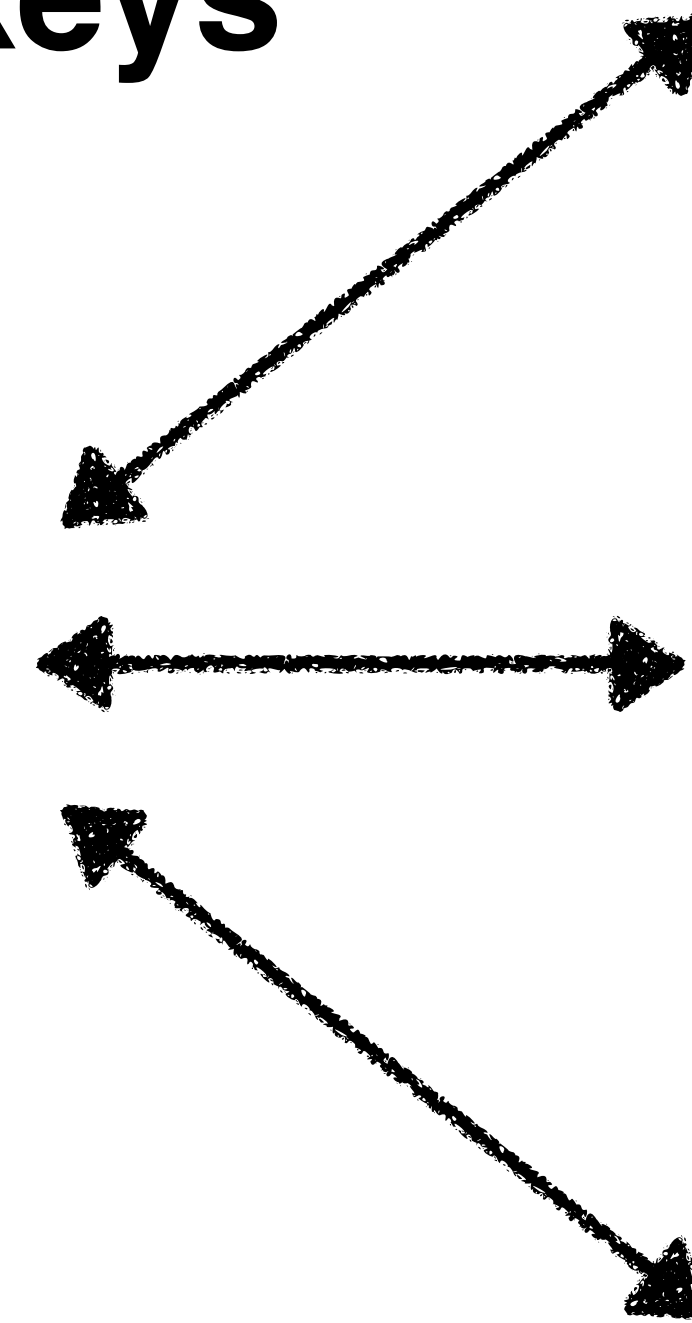


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selective

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random keys



data

Y

X

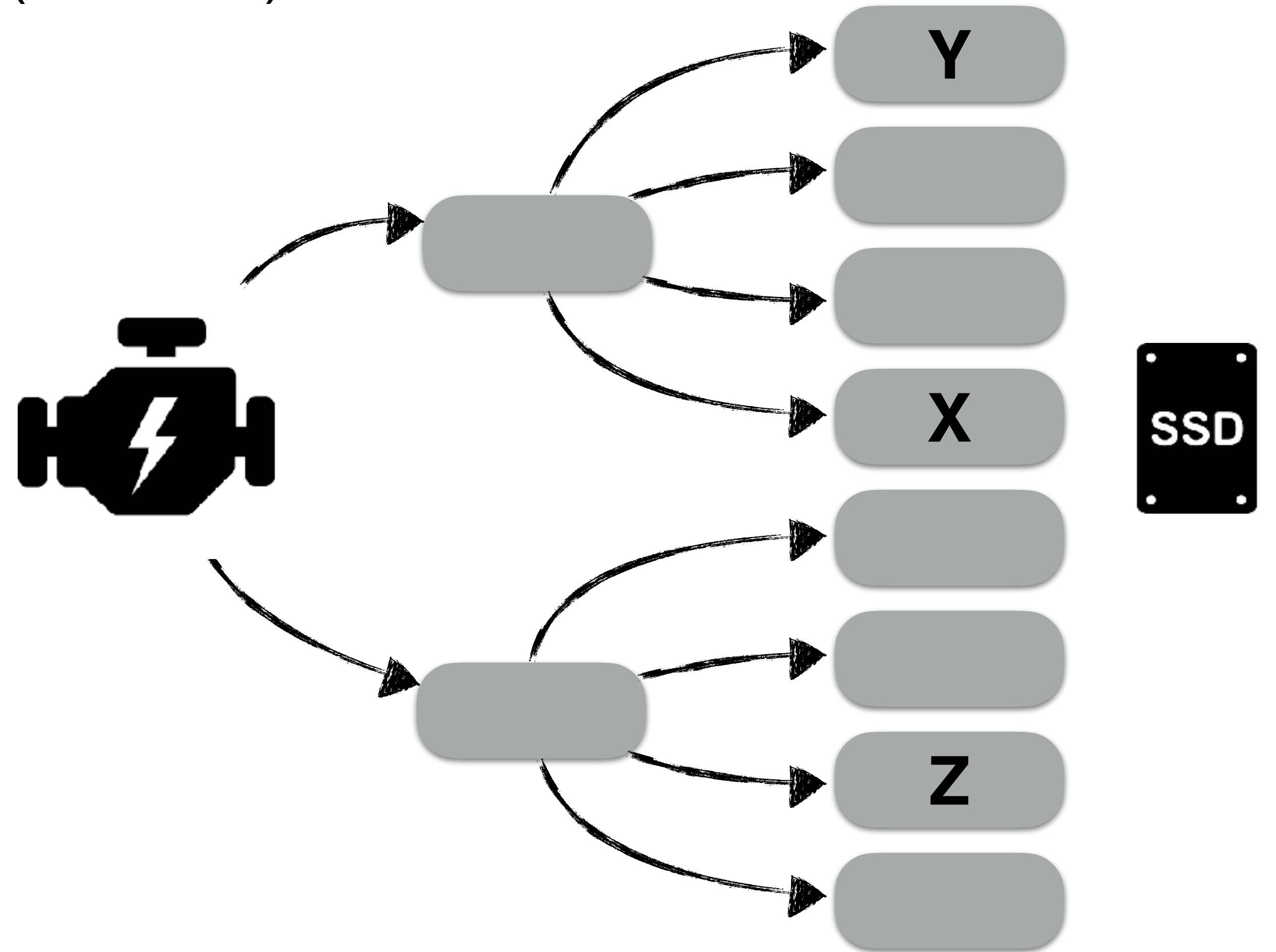
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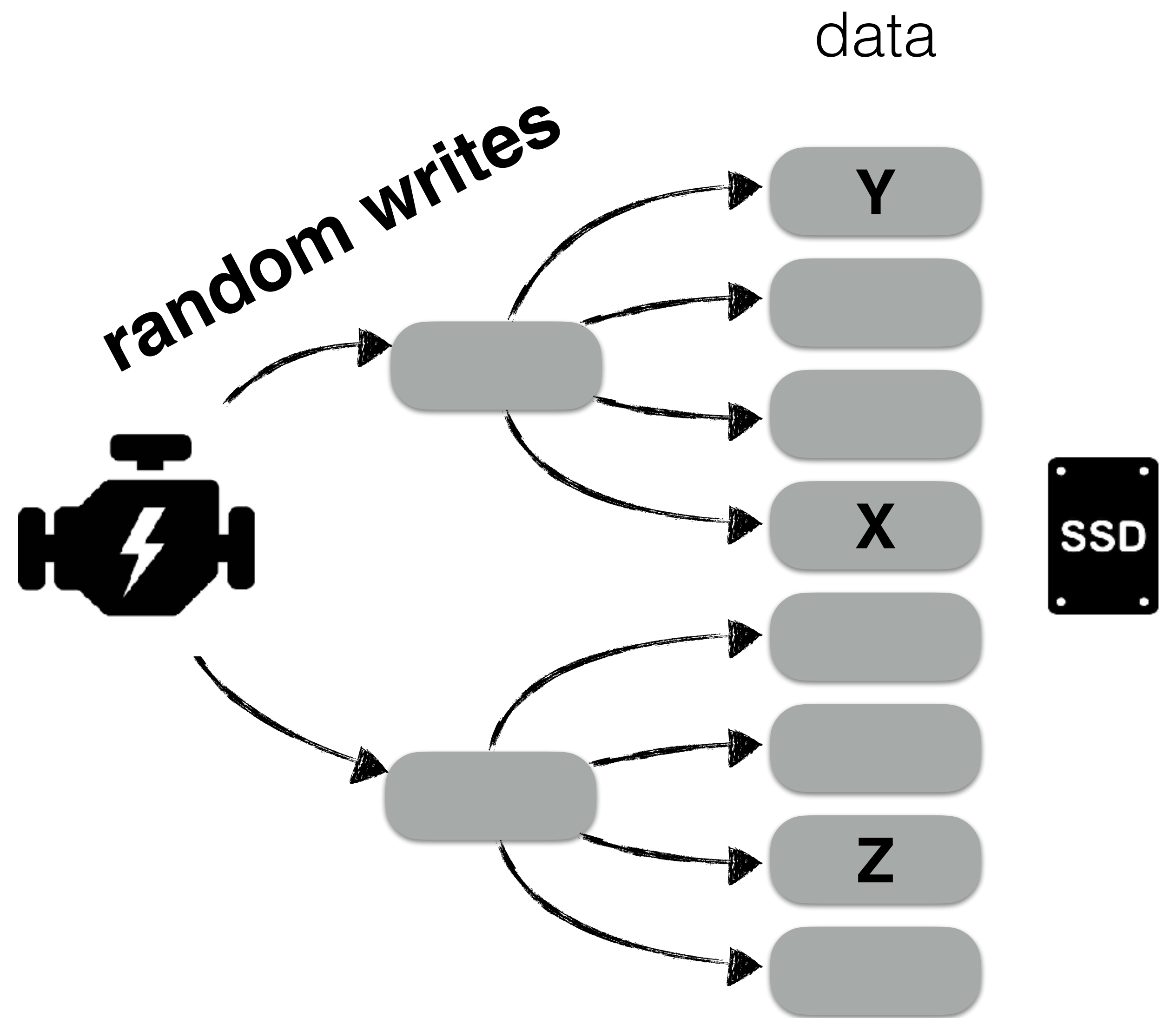


B-tree

(1970's)

data





random writes to small entries: a bad idea



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**mechanical
latency**



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4KB access

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4KB access
garbage-collection

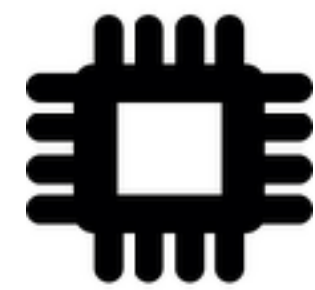
The Log-Structured Merge-Tree

1996 - Patrick O'Neil



LSM-Tree





buffer

merge-sort

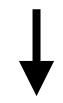
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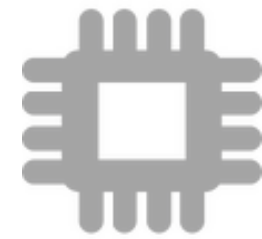
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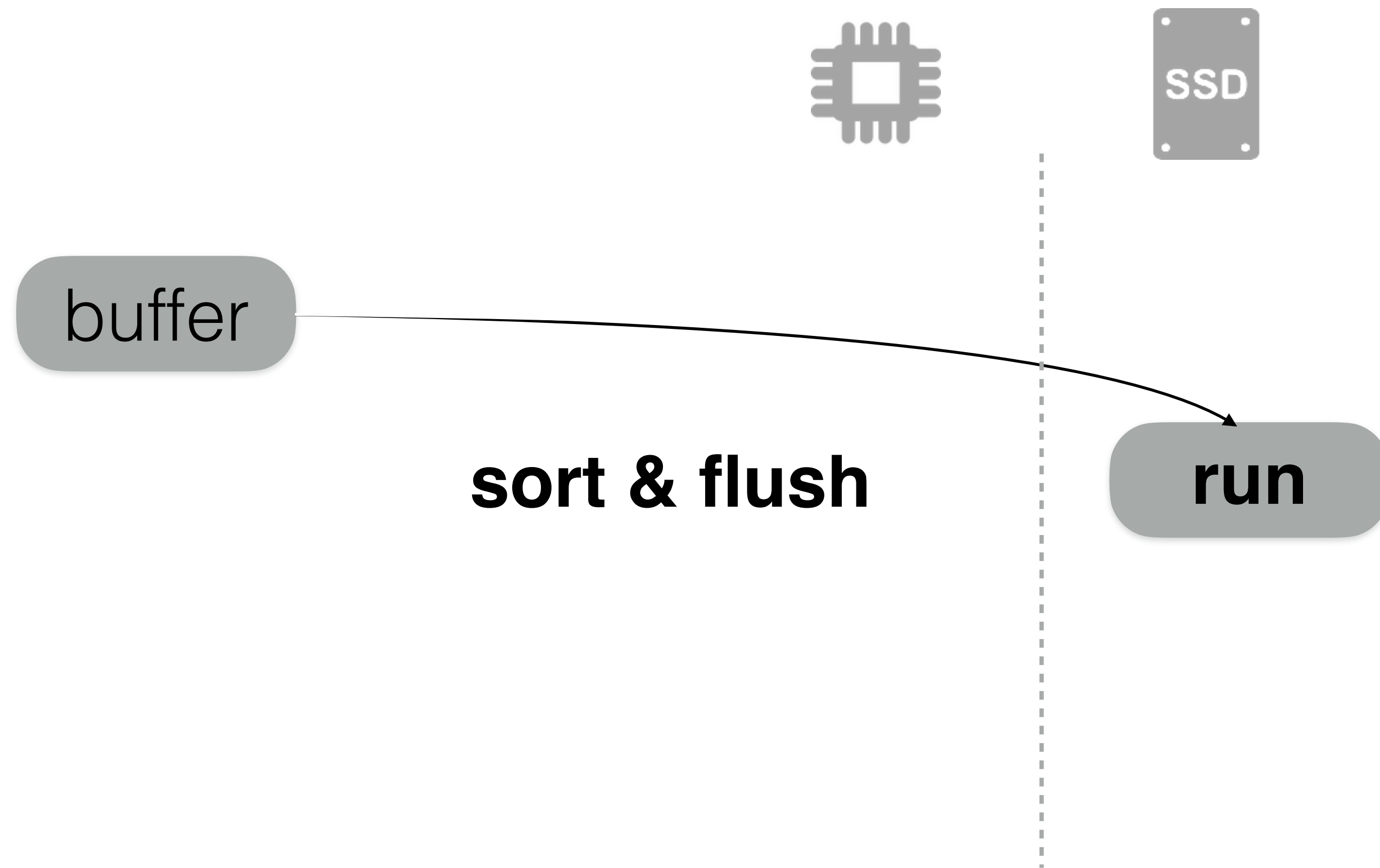


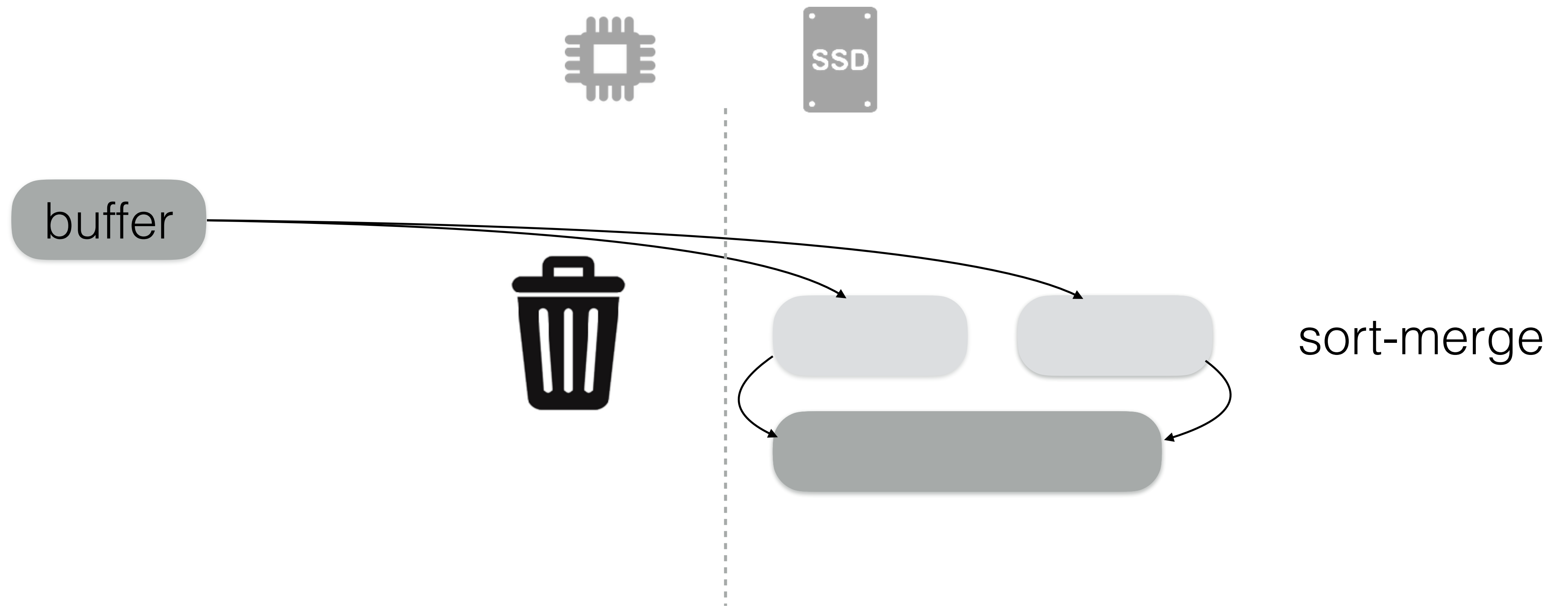
Inserts/updates/deletes
of key-value pairs



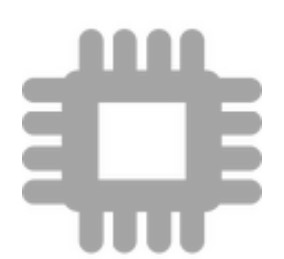
buffer







buffer



exponentially increasing capacities

level 1 →



level 2 →



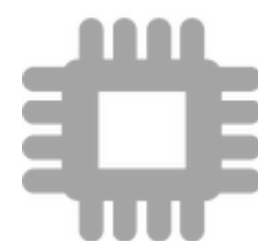
level 3 →



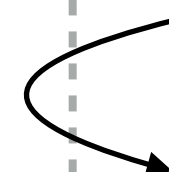
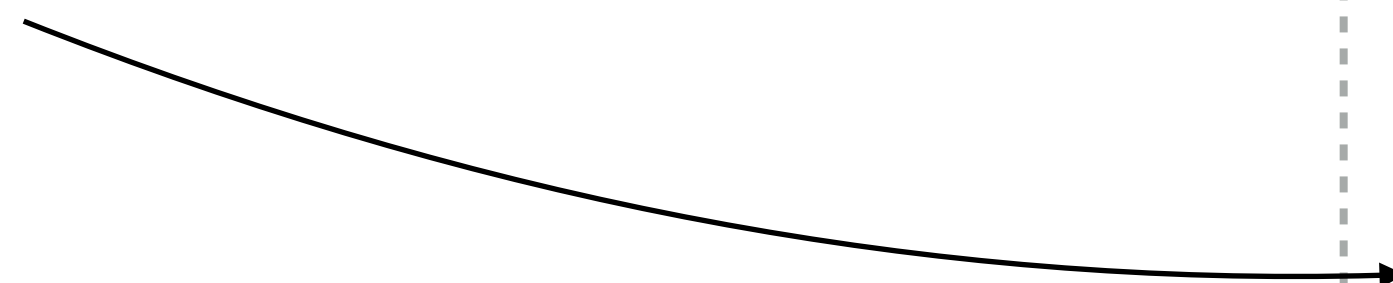
get(*X*)

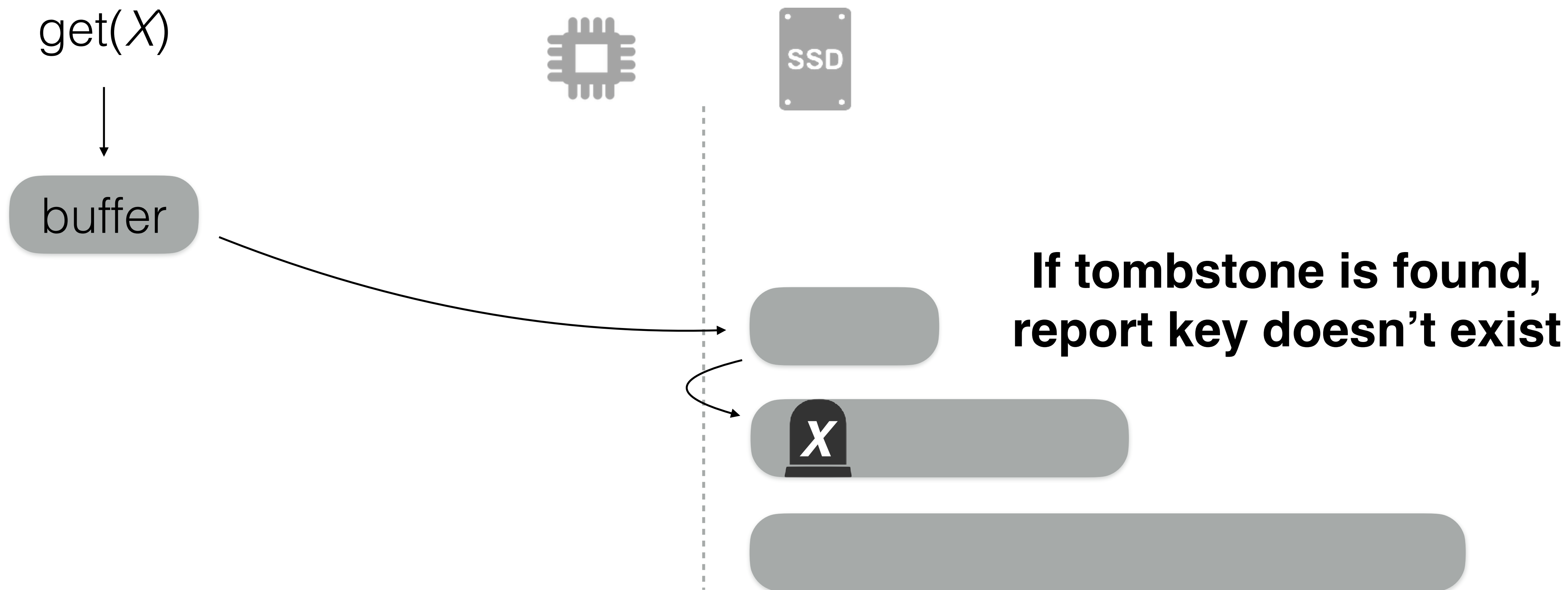


buffer

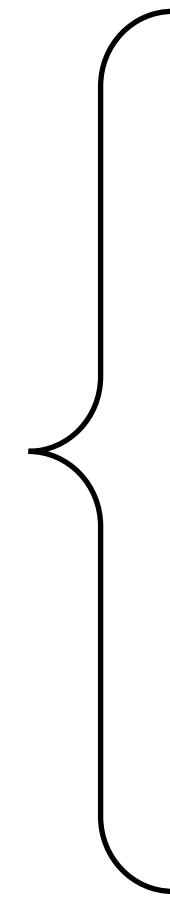


**newest to
oldest**



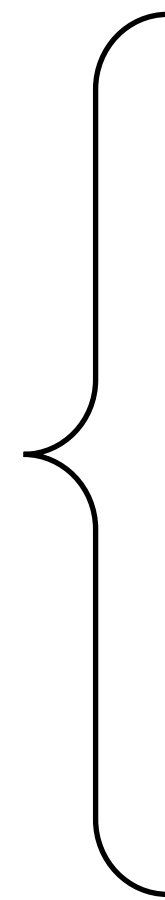


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data size

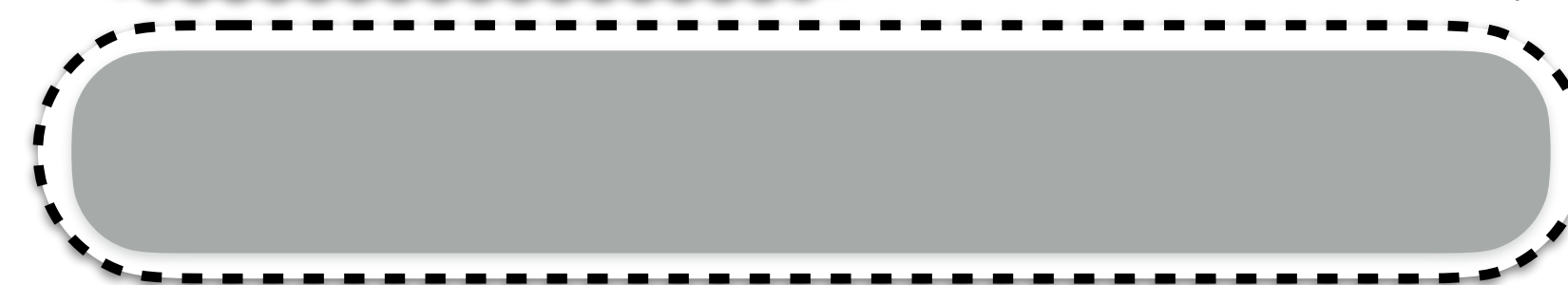
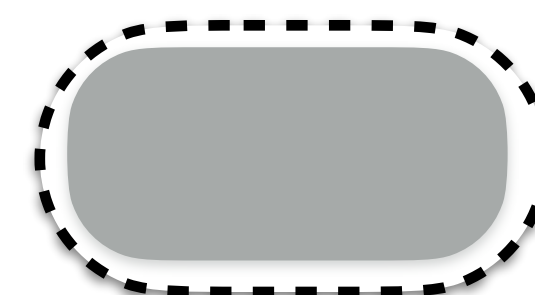
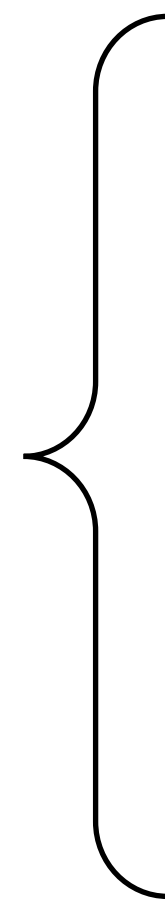




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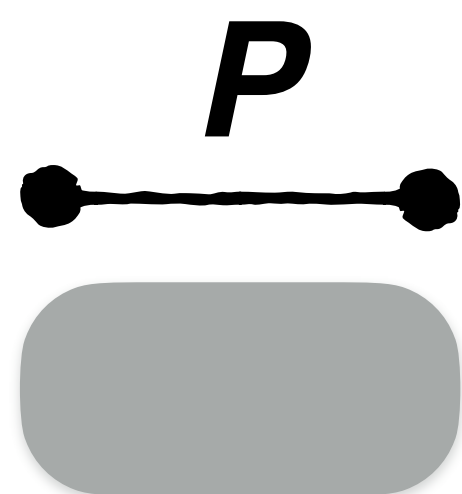


size ratio



$\times T$

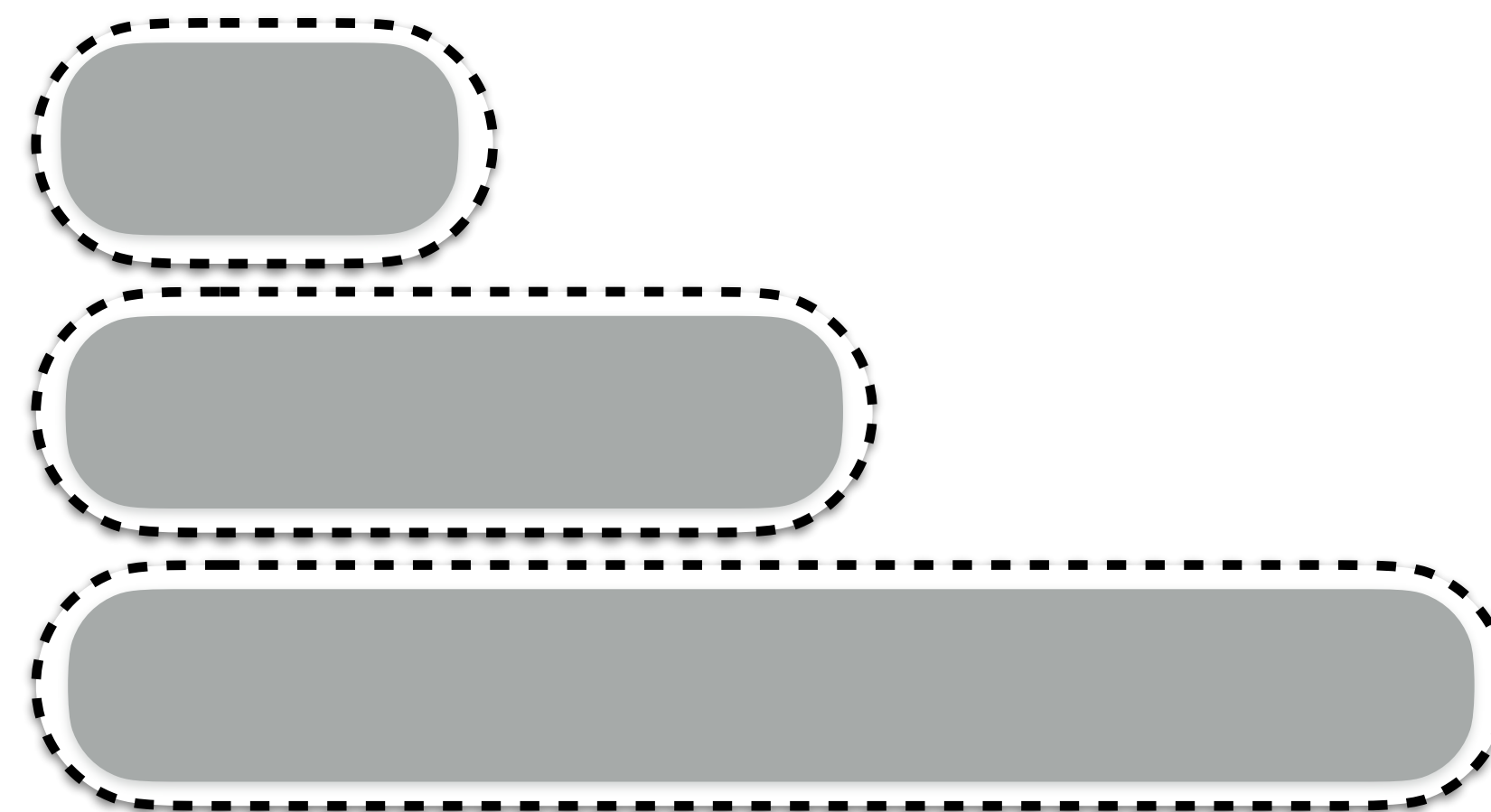
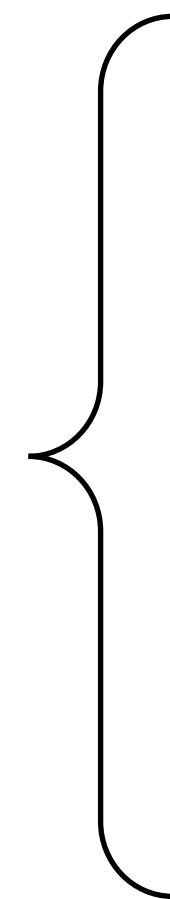
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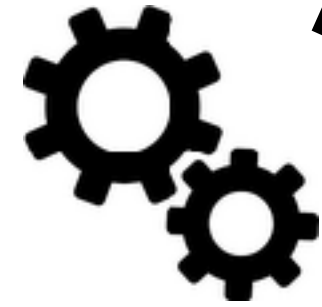


buffer size





merge policy





writes

merge policy



reads



writes



merge policy



reads

two merge policies



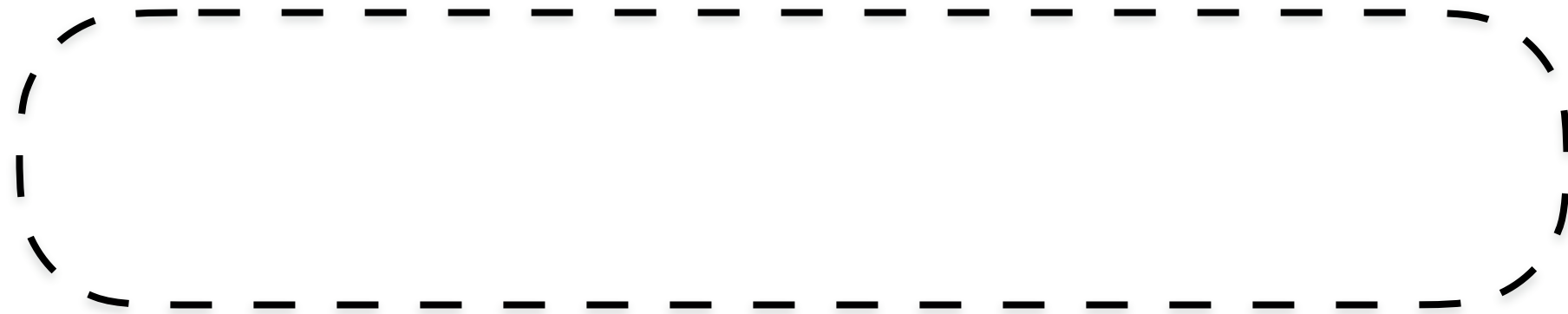
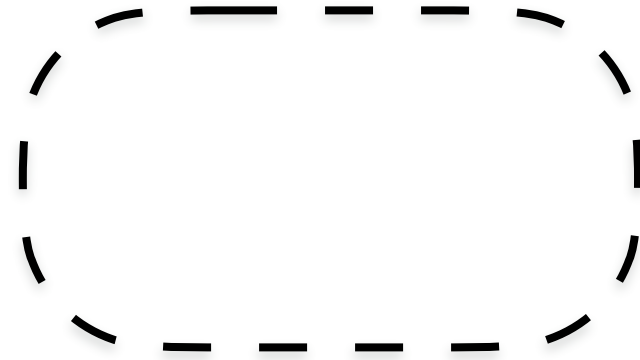
Tiering

Leveling

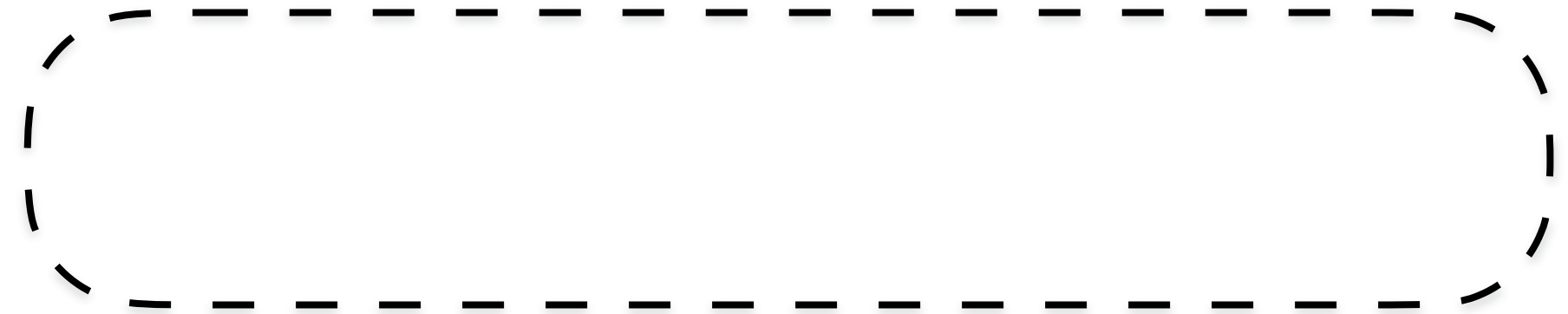
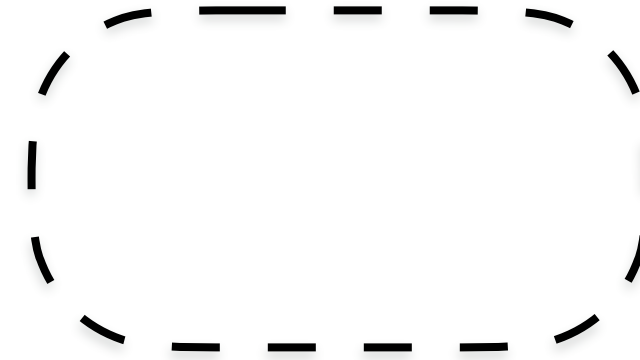




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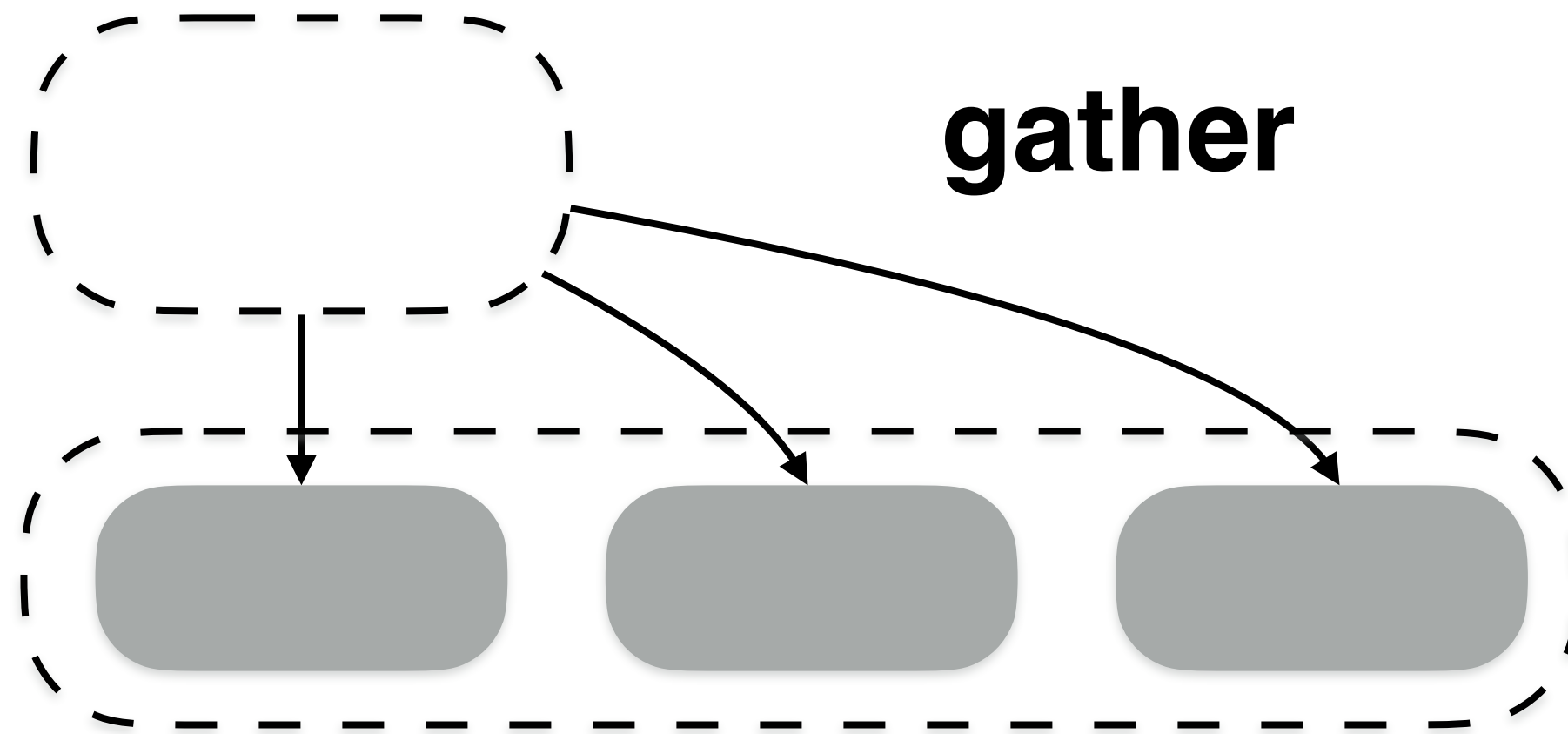


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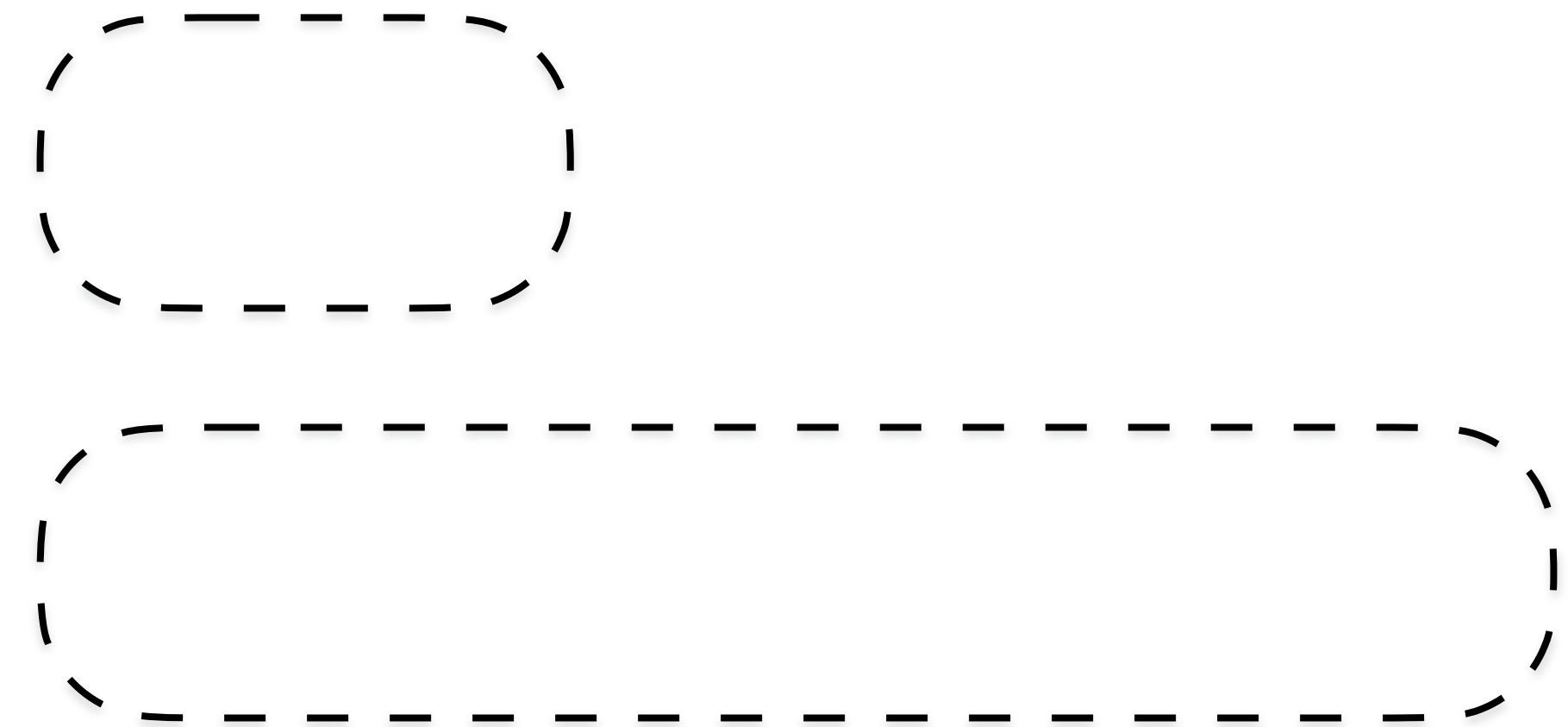




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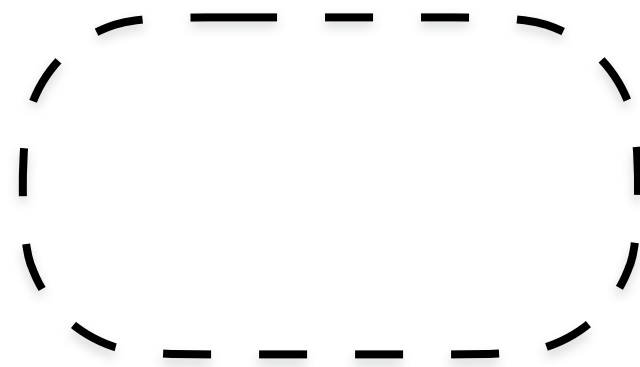
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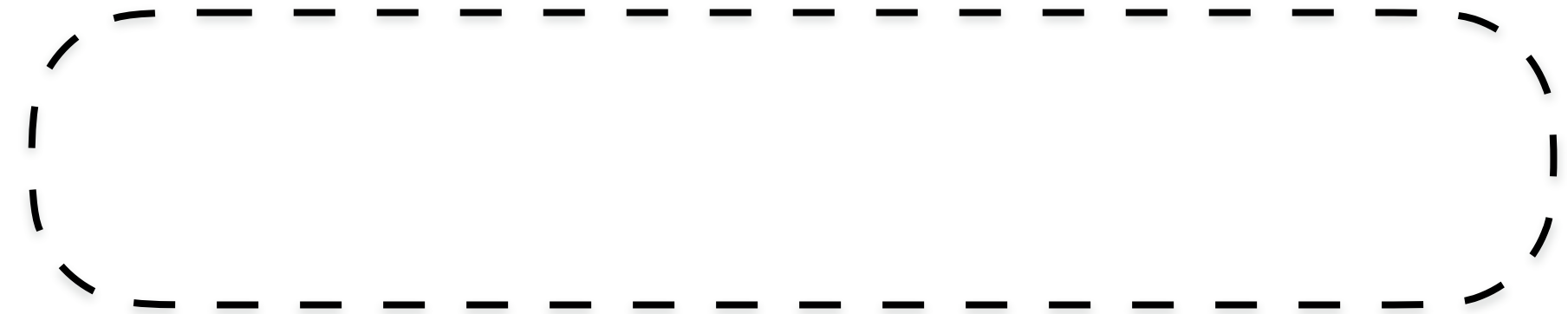
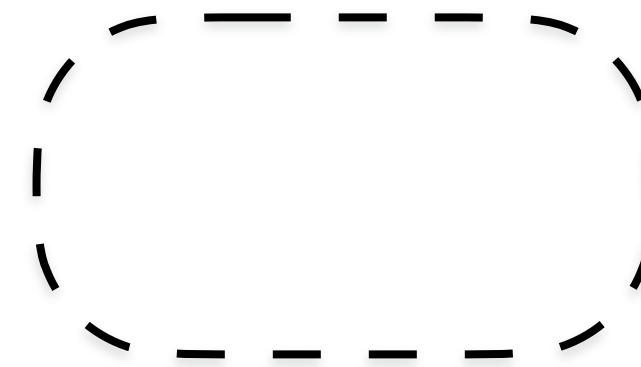
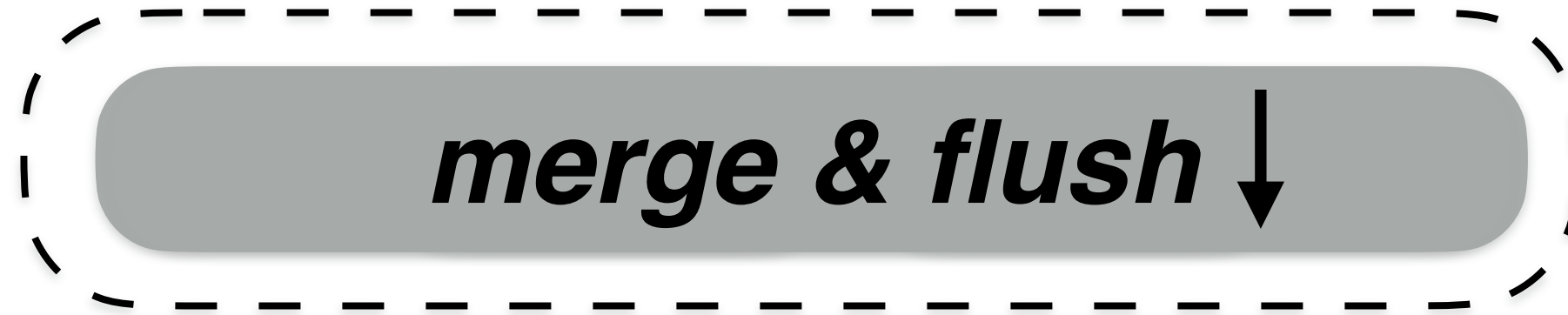


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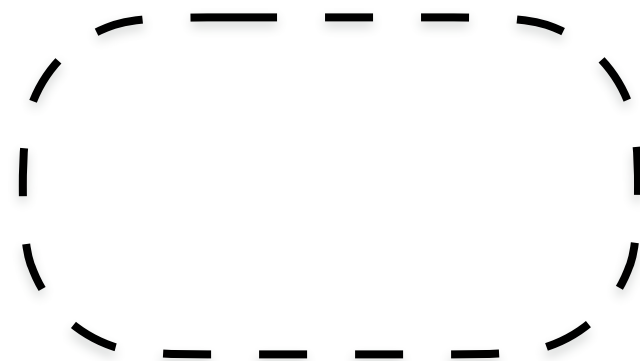


gather





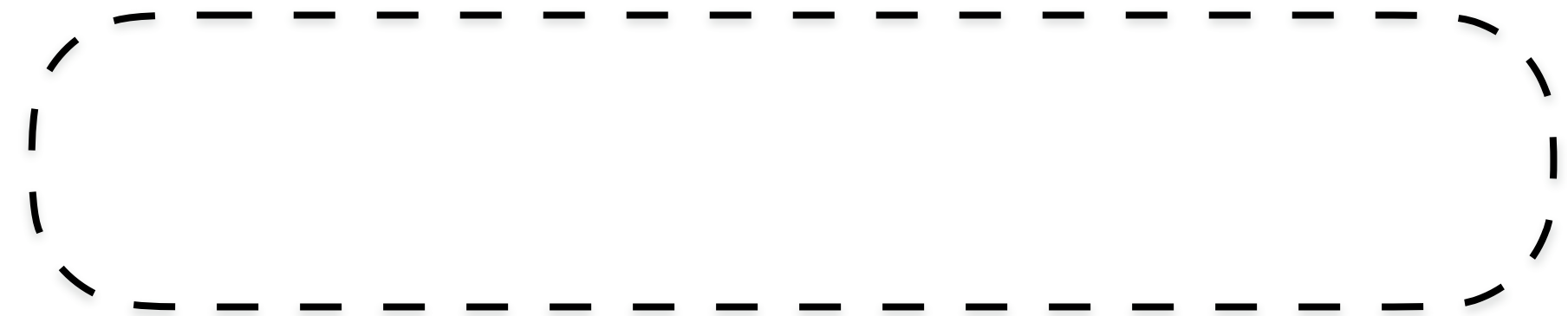
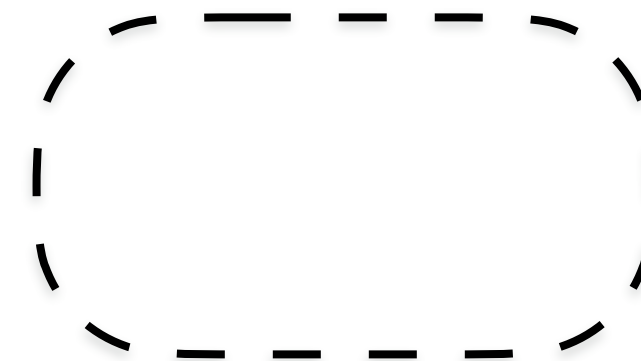
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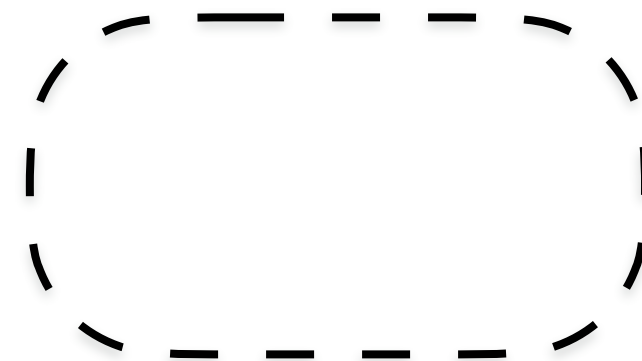


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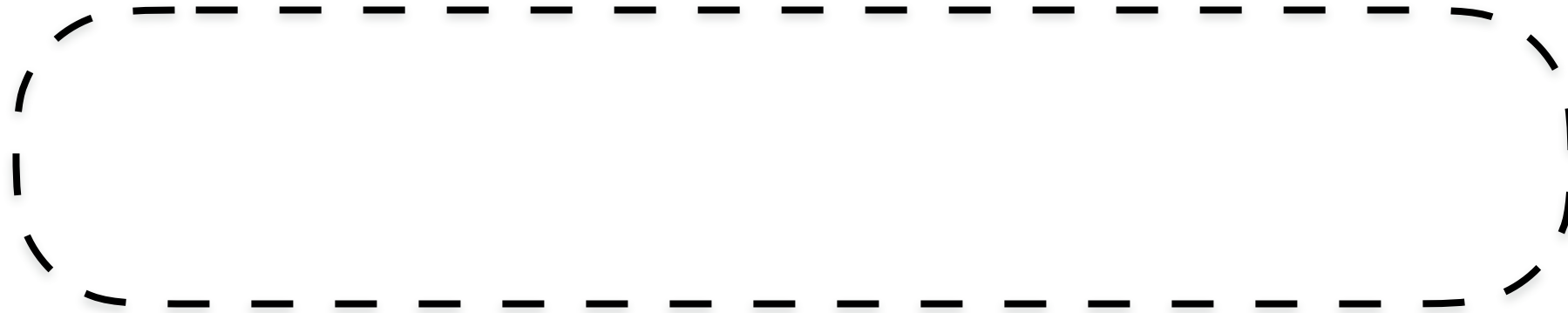




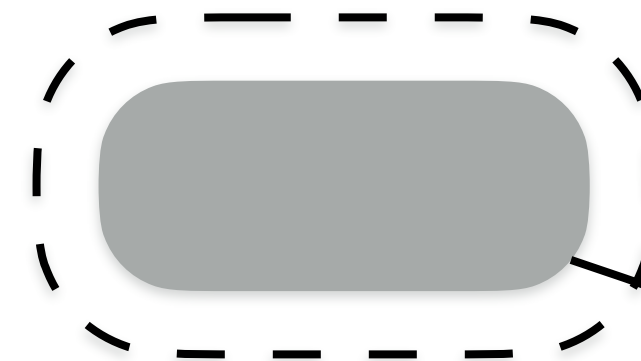
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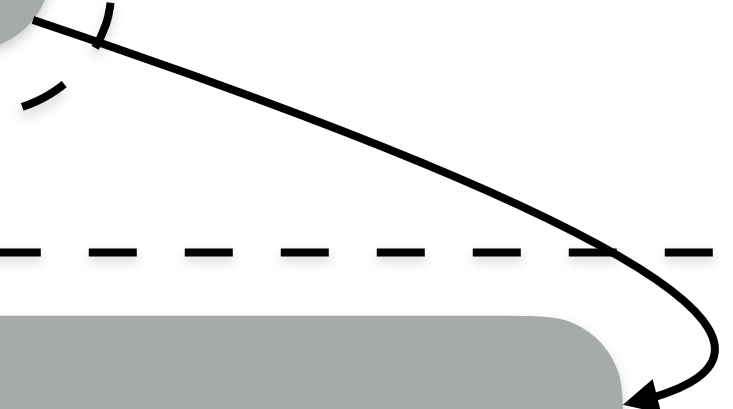
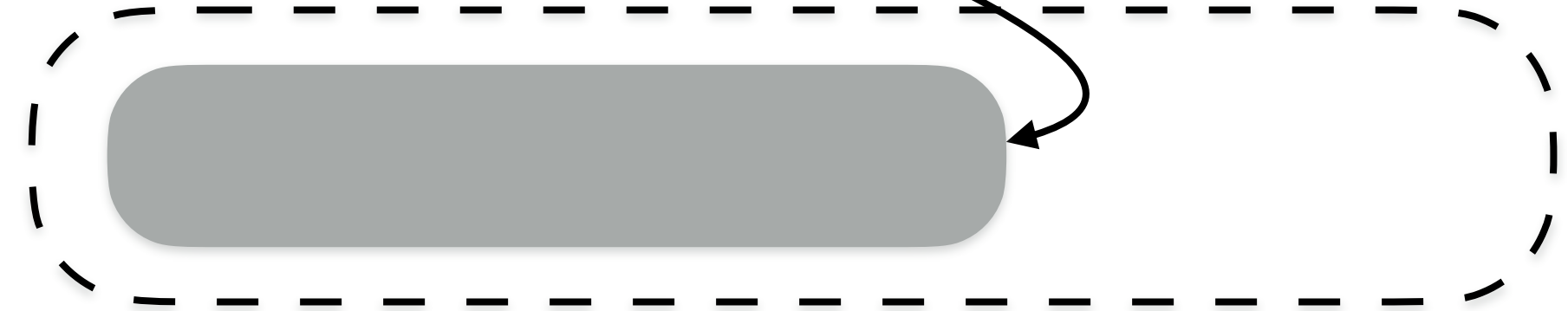
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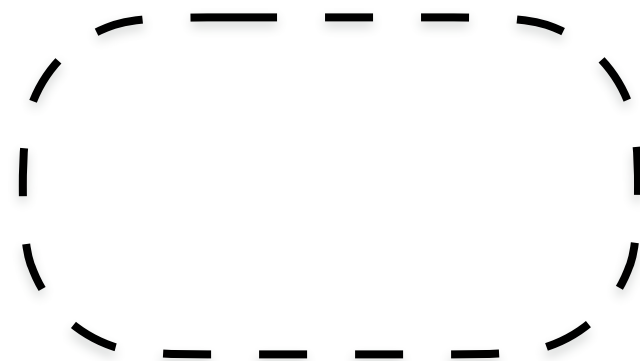


merge





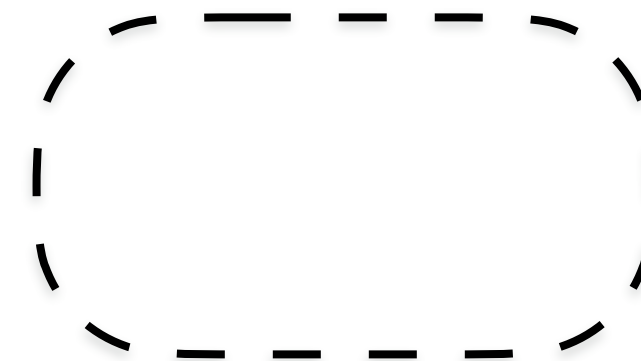
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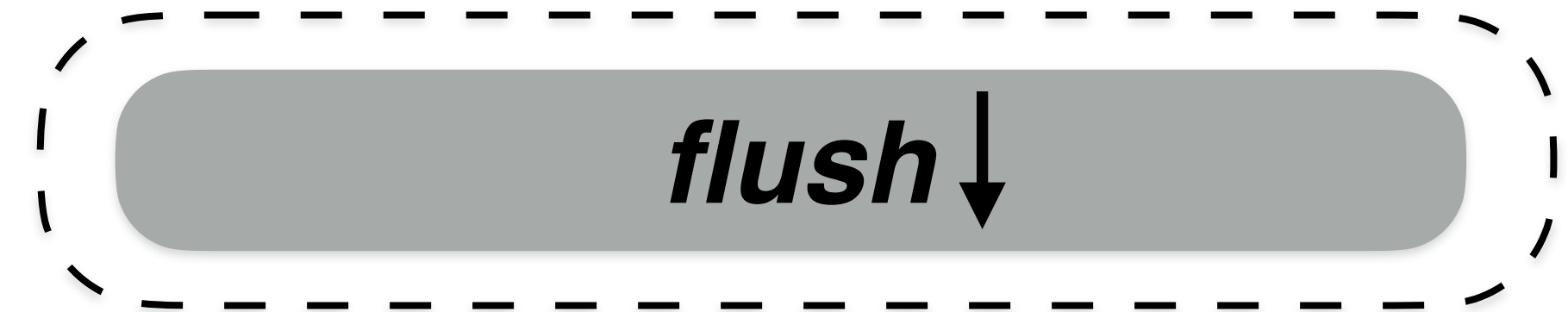
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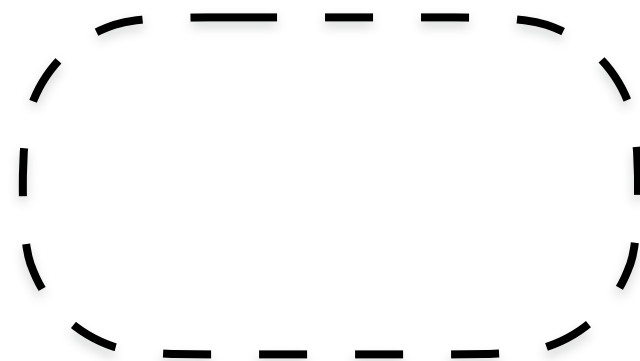


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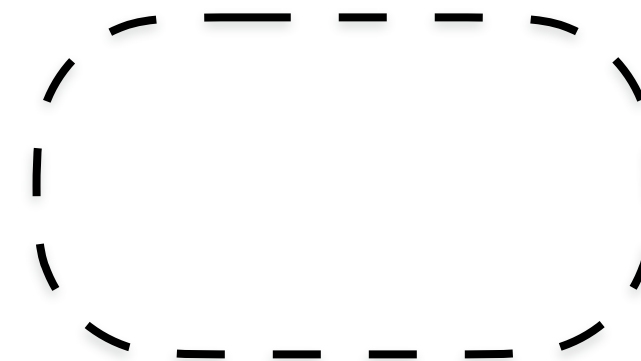
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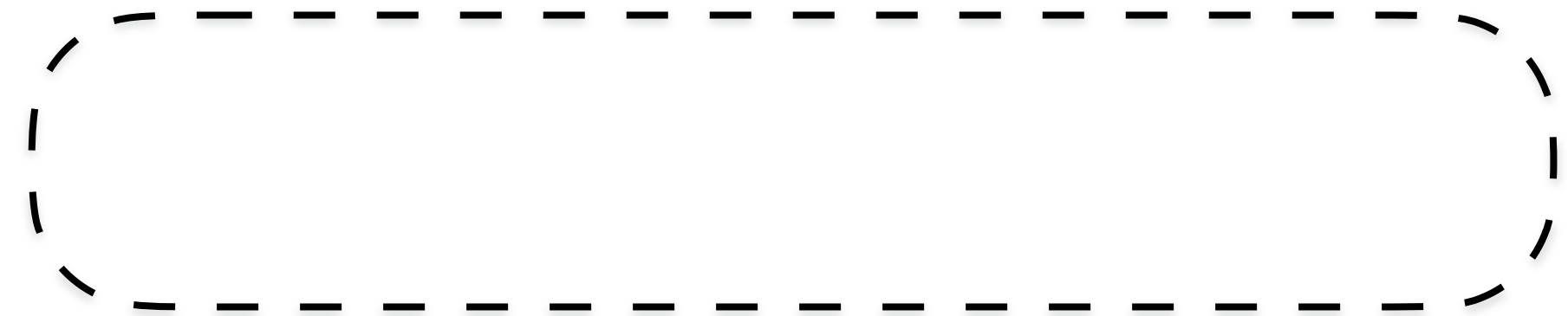
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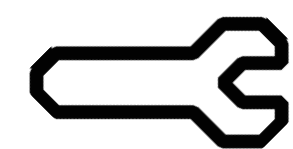
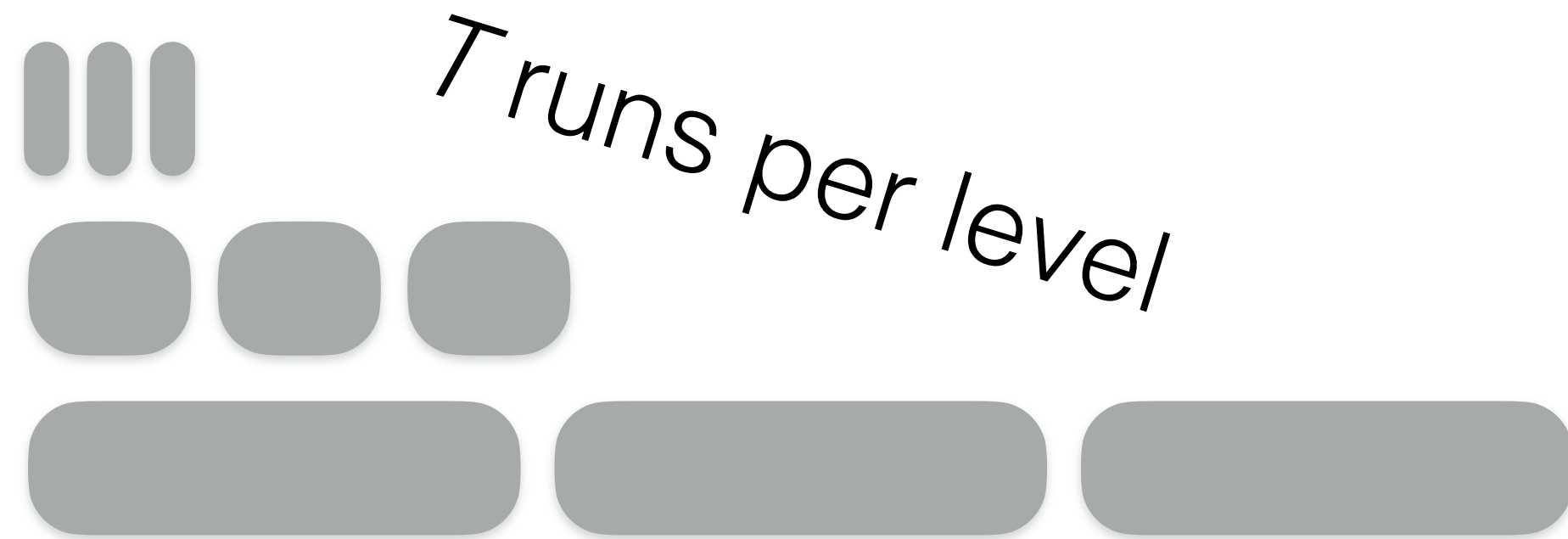
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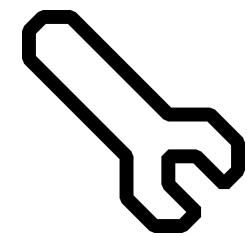
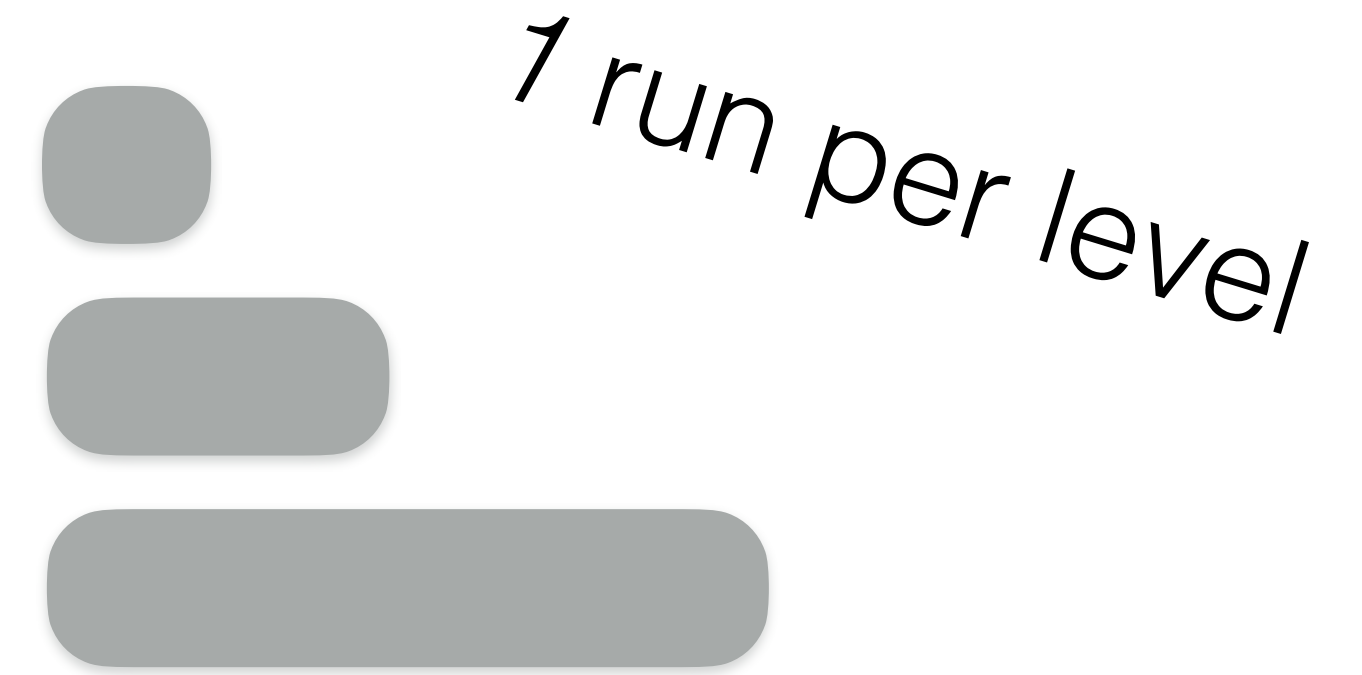


size ratio T



Tiering

Leveling

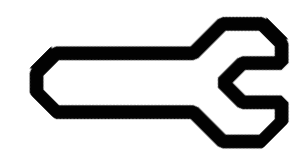


size ratio $T = 2$



Tiering

Leveling



size ratio T

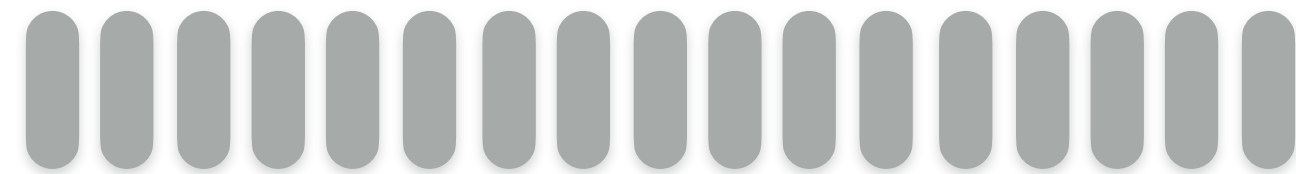


Tiering

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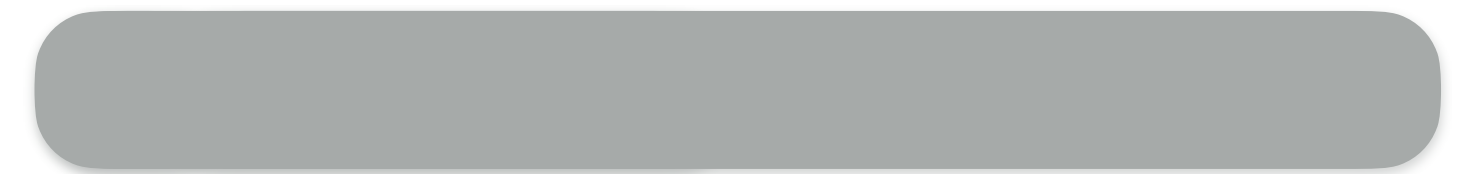


$O(N/P)$ runs per level



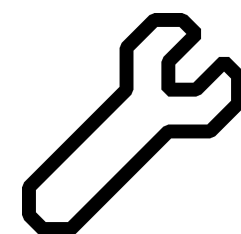
log

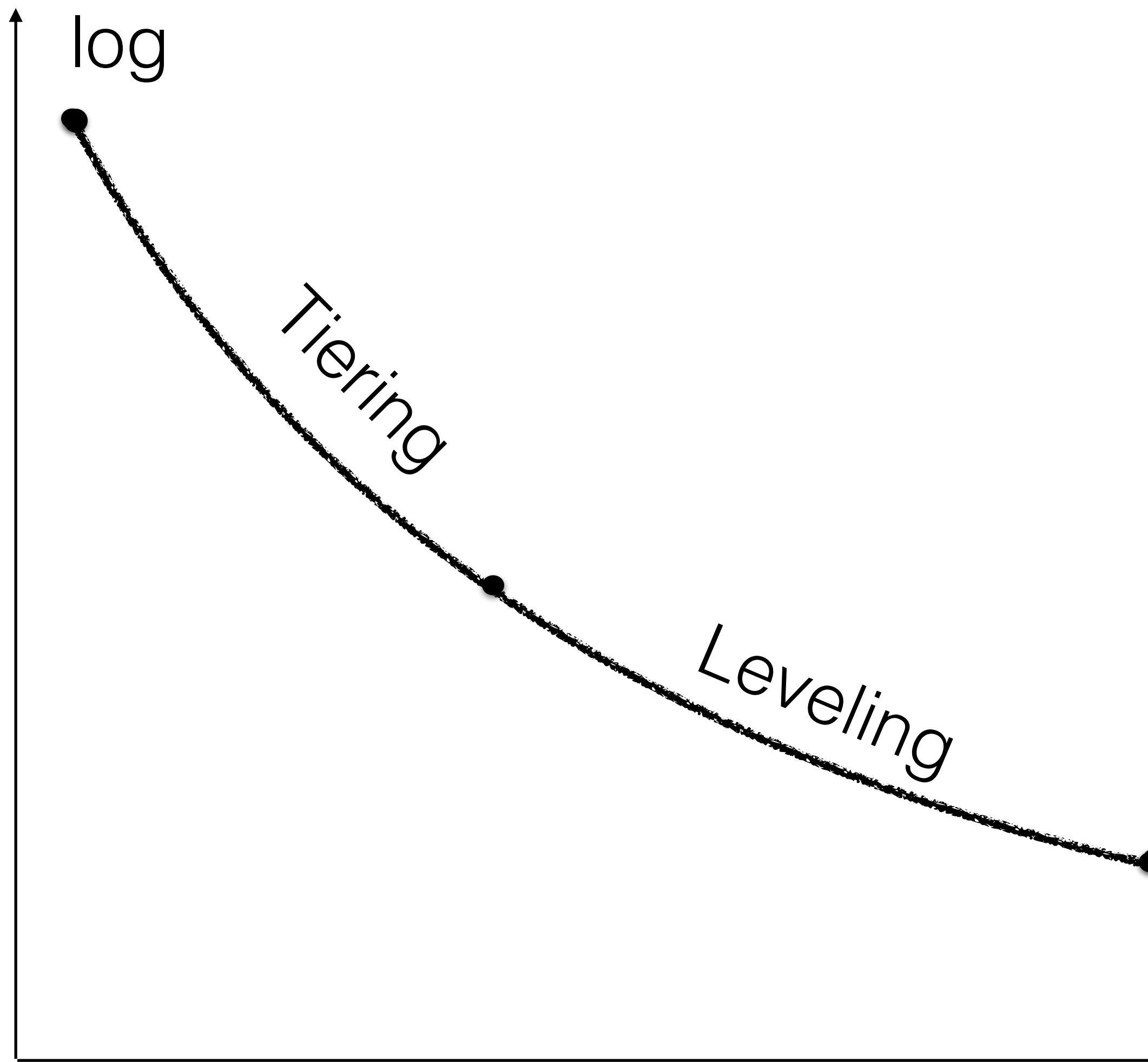
1 run per level

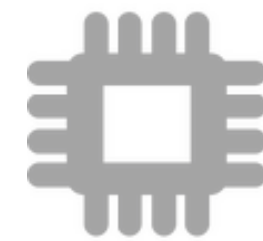


**sorted
array**

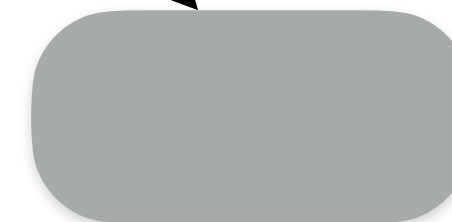
size ratio $T = N/P$



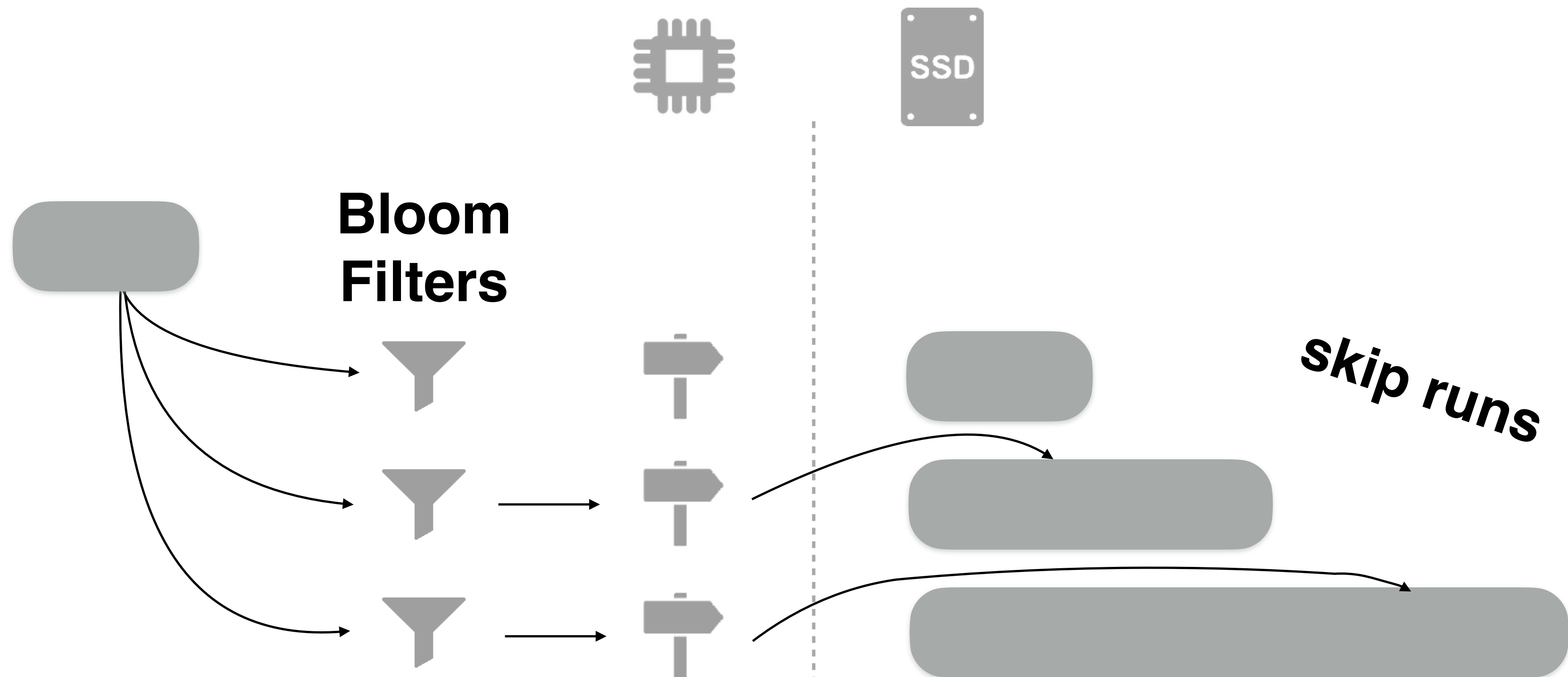




**B-tree
internal nodes**



skip runs

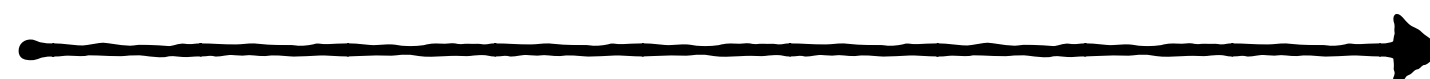


Why use a Filter?





Does key X exist



Data

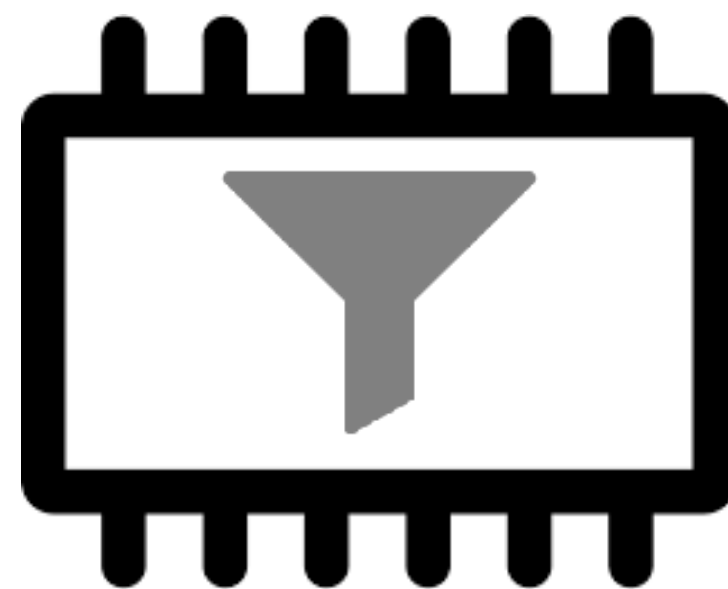




**Does key
X exist**



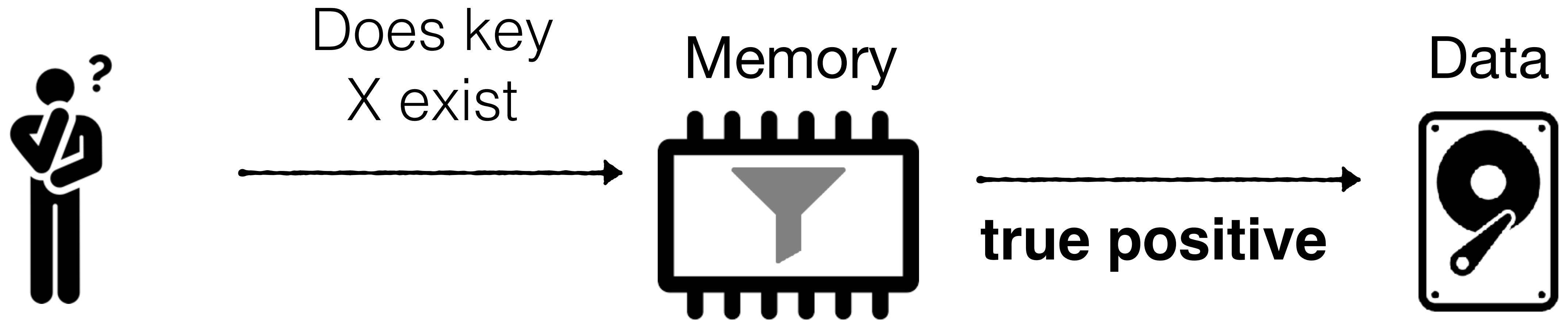
Memory



Data



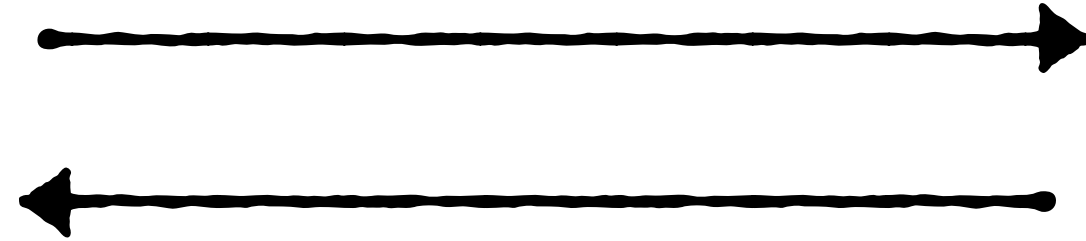
If key X exists



If key X does not exist

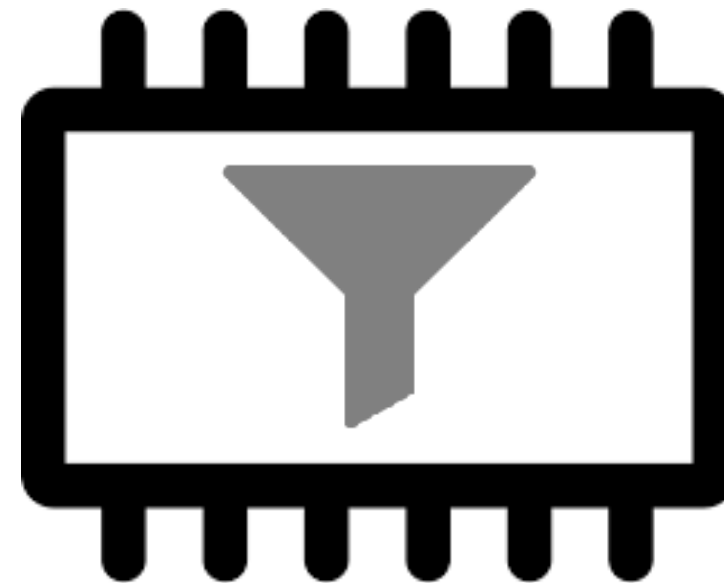


Does key
X exist



No

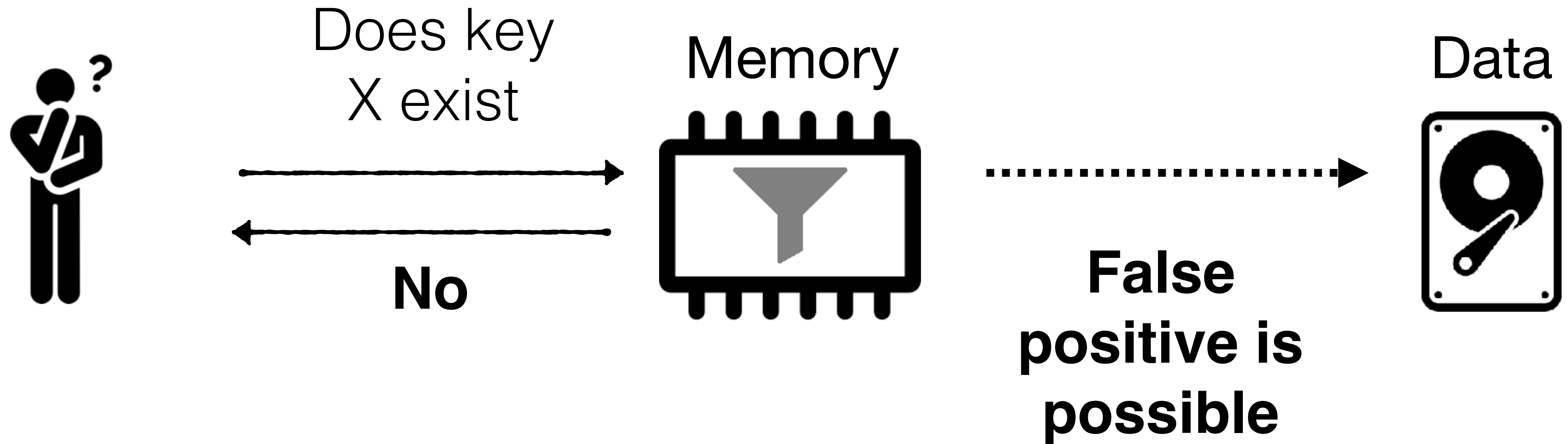
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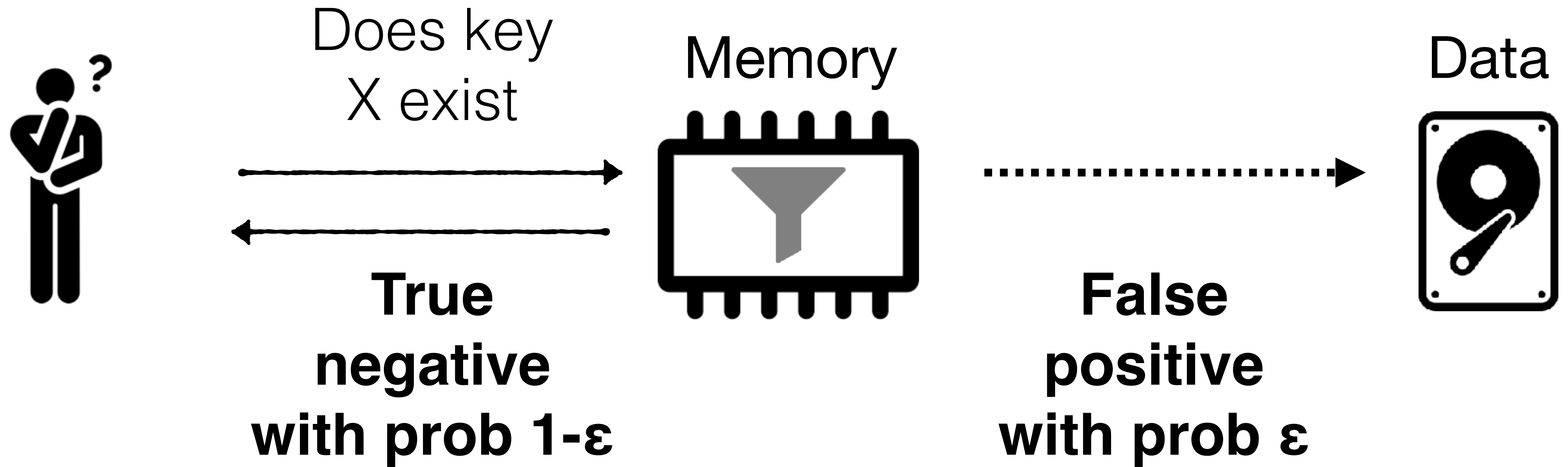
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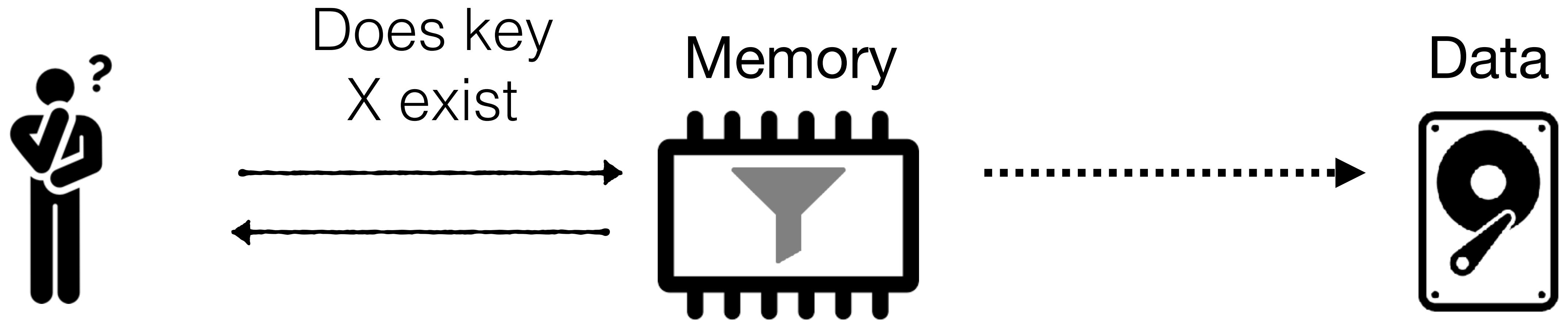
If key X does not exist



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ϵ - false positive rate - FPR

Bloom Filters



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Space/time Trade-Offs in Hash Coding with Allowable Errors

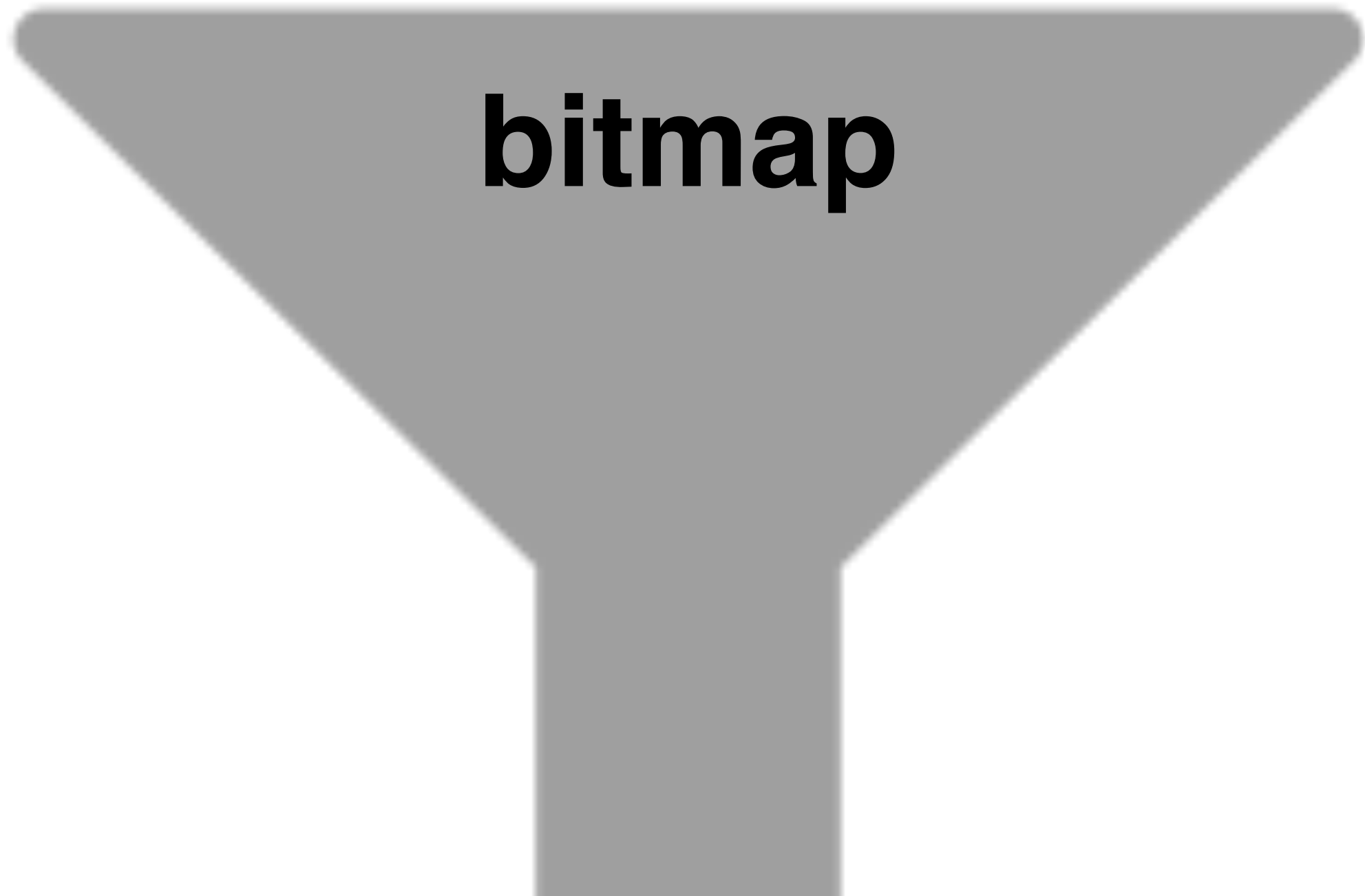
Burton Howard Bloom. Communications of the ACM, 1970.



***k* hash functions**

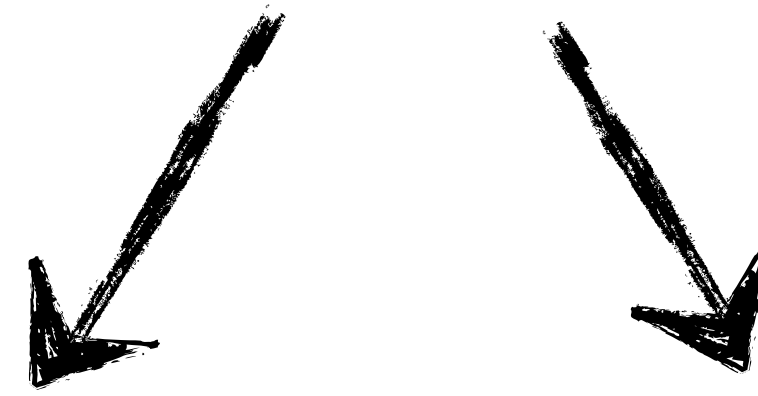
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bitmap

A gray funnel shape pointing downwards, with a vertical stem at the bottom. The word "bitmap" is written in bold black text inside the funnel. Above the funnel, there is a row of ten zeros.

insert: Set from 0 to 1 or keep 1

insert(X)

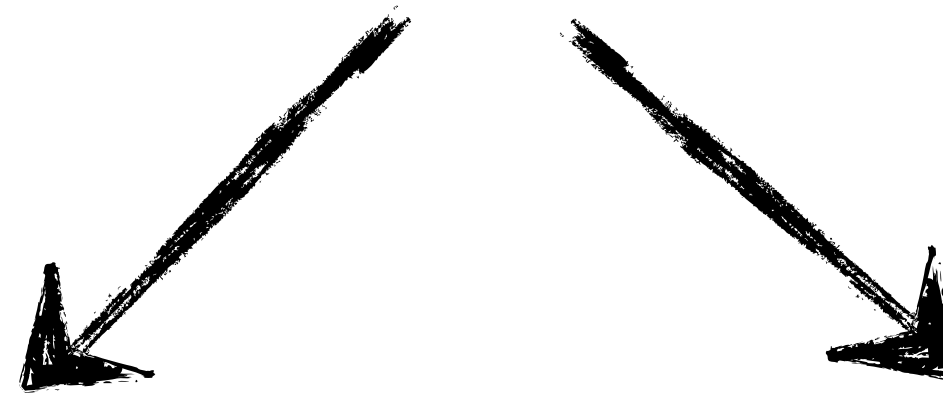


0 0 0 0 **1** 0 0 0 **1** 0



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insert(Y)



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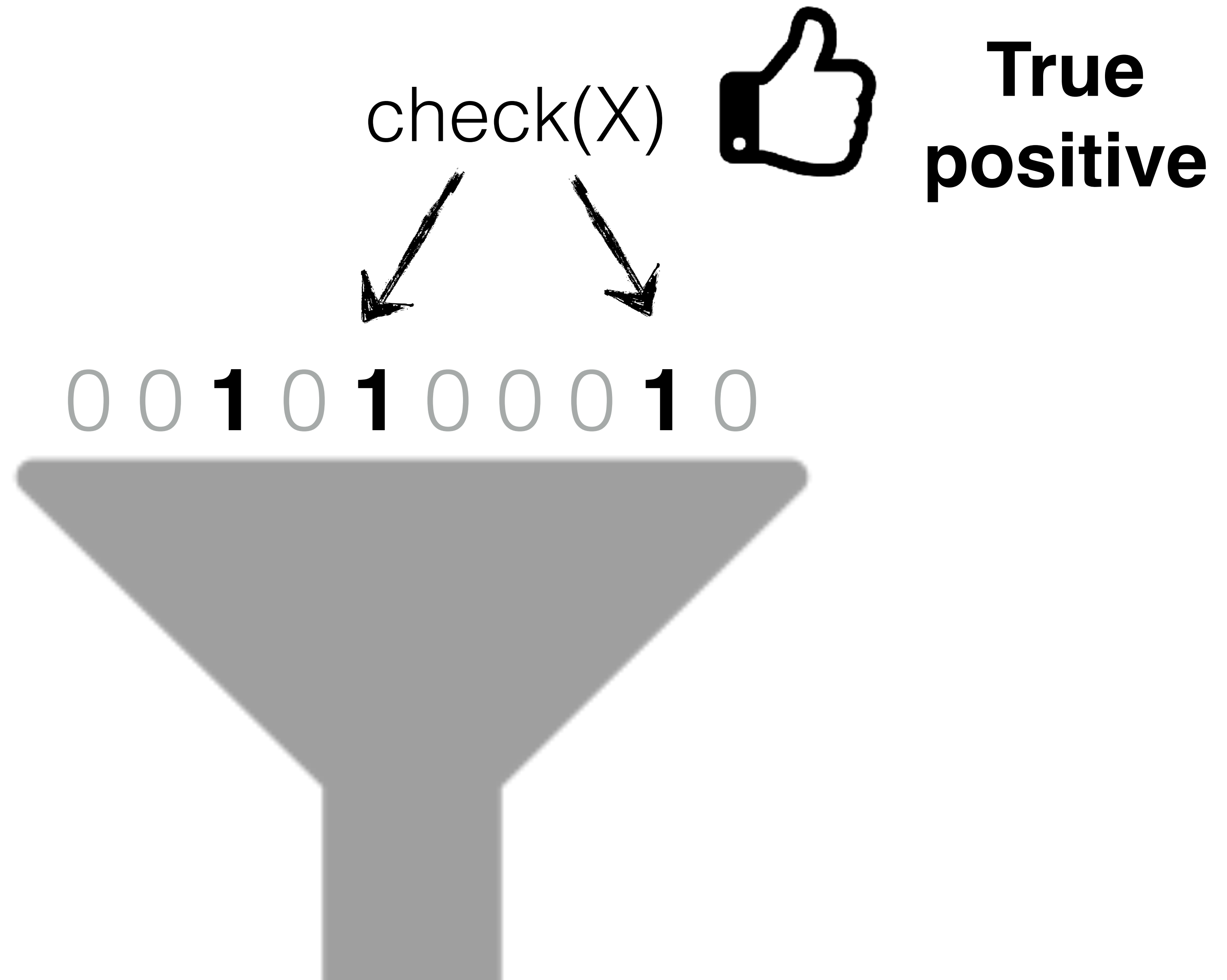


Queries: return positive if all hashed bits are 1s

0 0 **1** 0 **1** 0 0 0 **1** 0



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check(Z)



**True
negative**

0 0 **1** 0 **1** 0 0 0 **1** 0

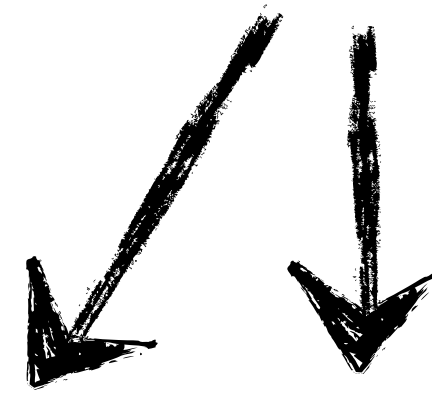


Queries: return positive if all hashed bits are 1s

check(Q)



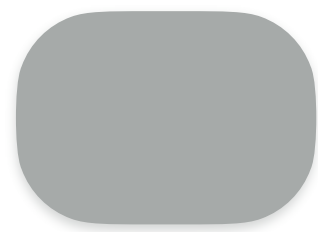
**False
Positive**



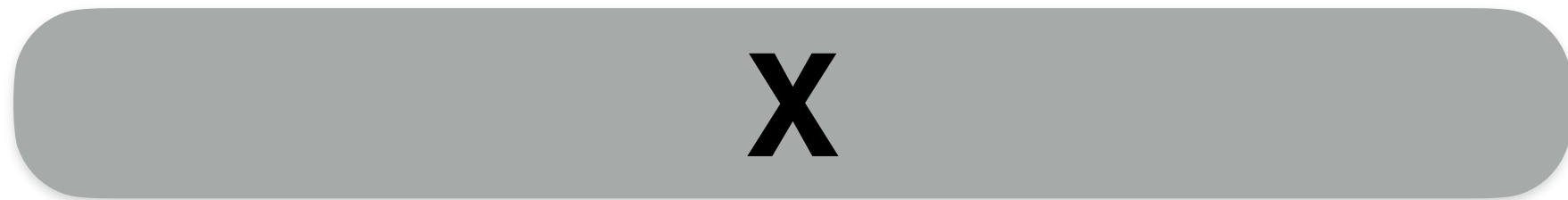
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data



X



negative

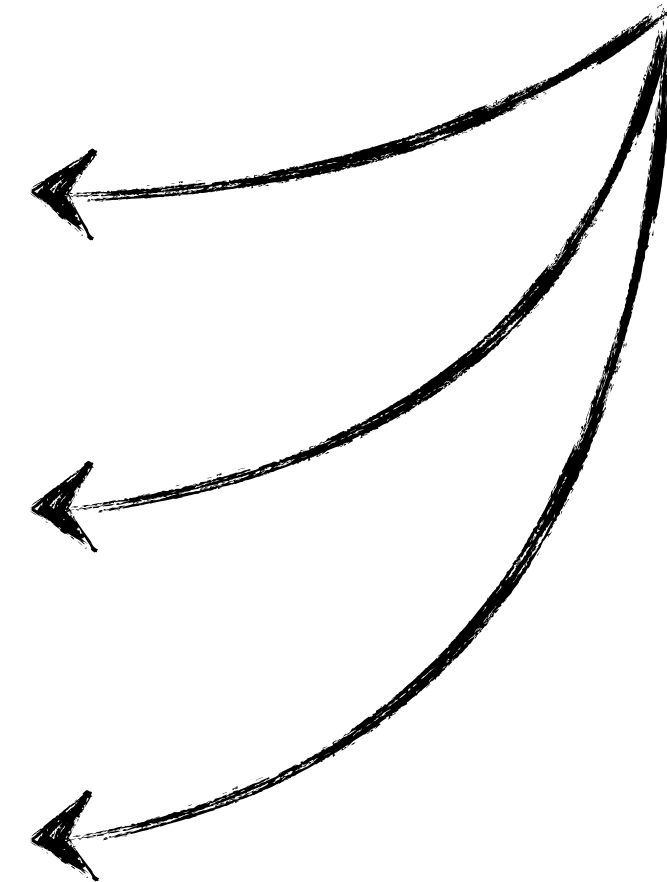
false positive

true positive

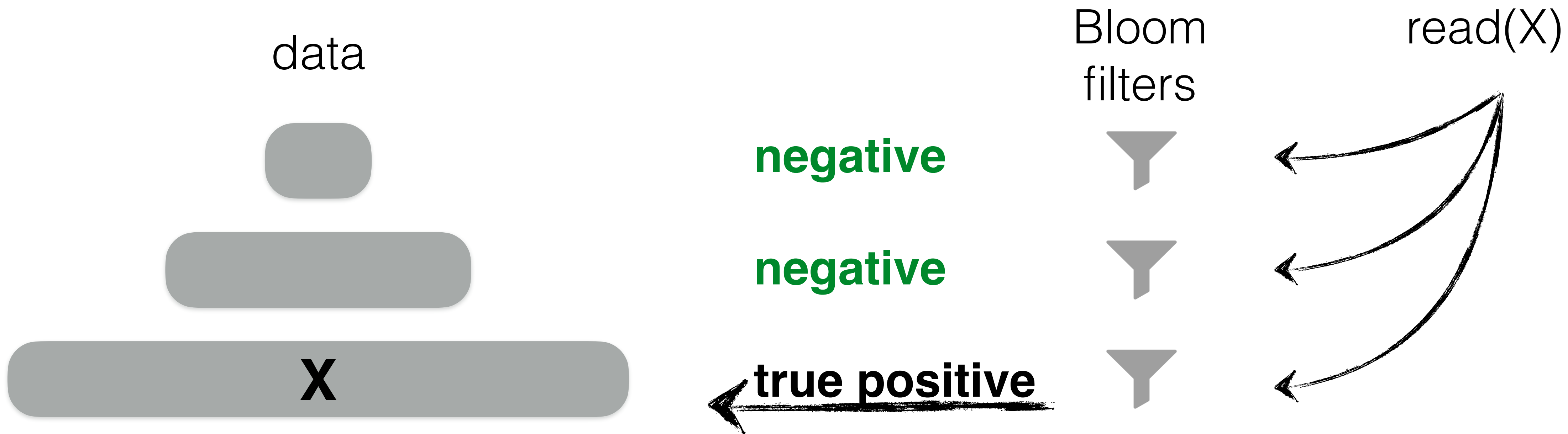
Bloom
filters



read(X)



more memory $\longrightarrow$ fewer false positives

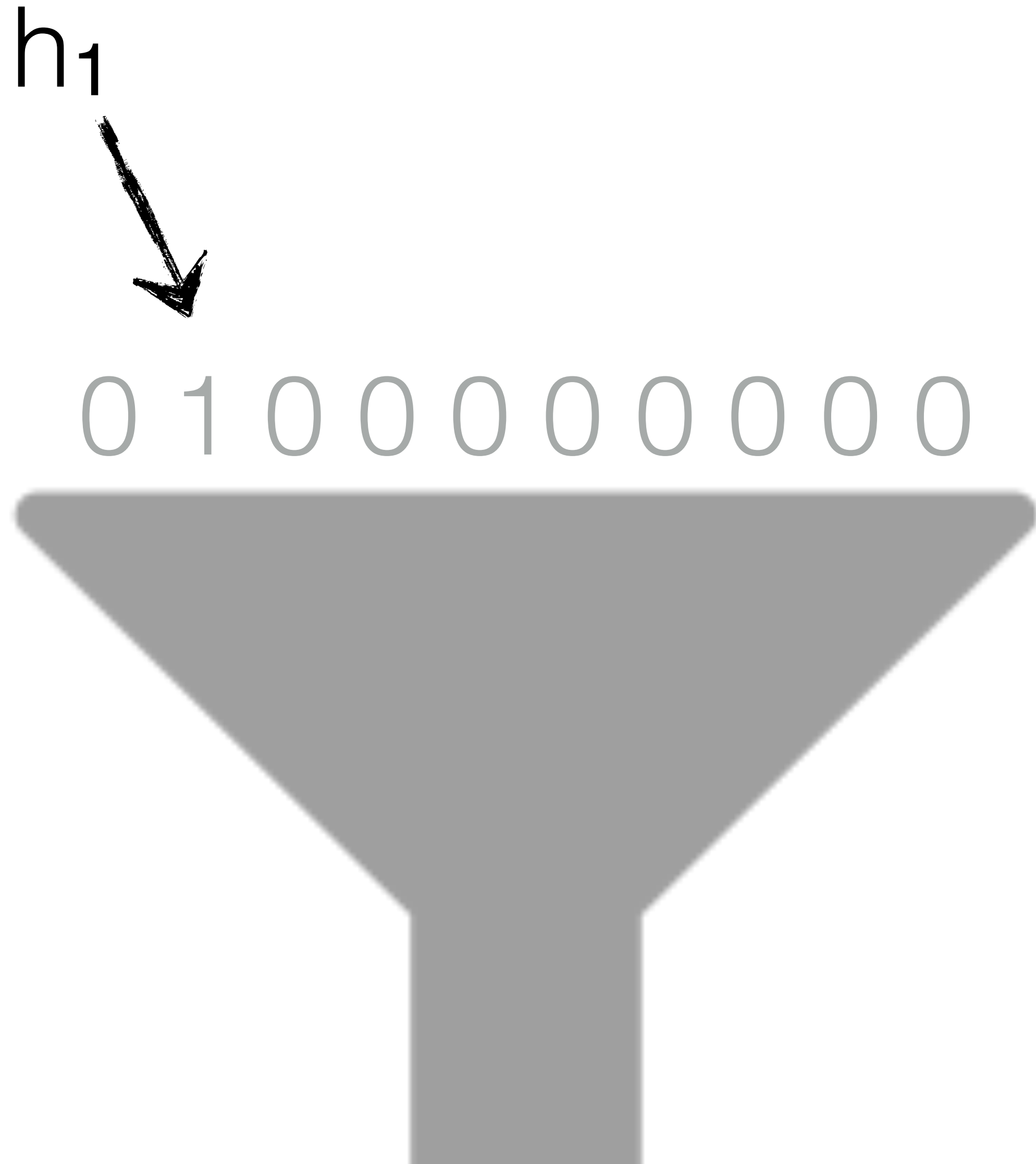


How many hash functions should we use?

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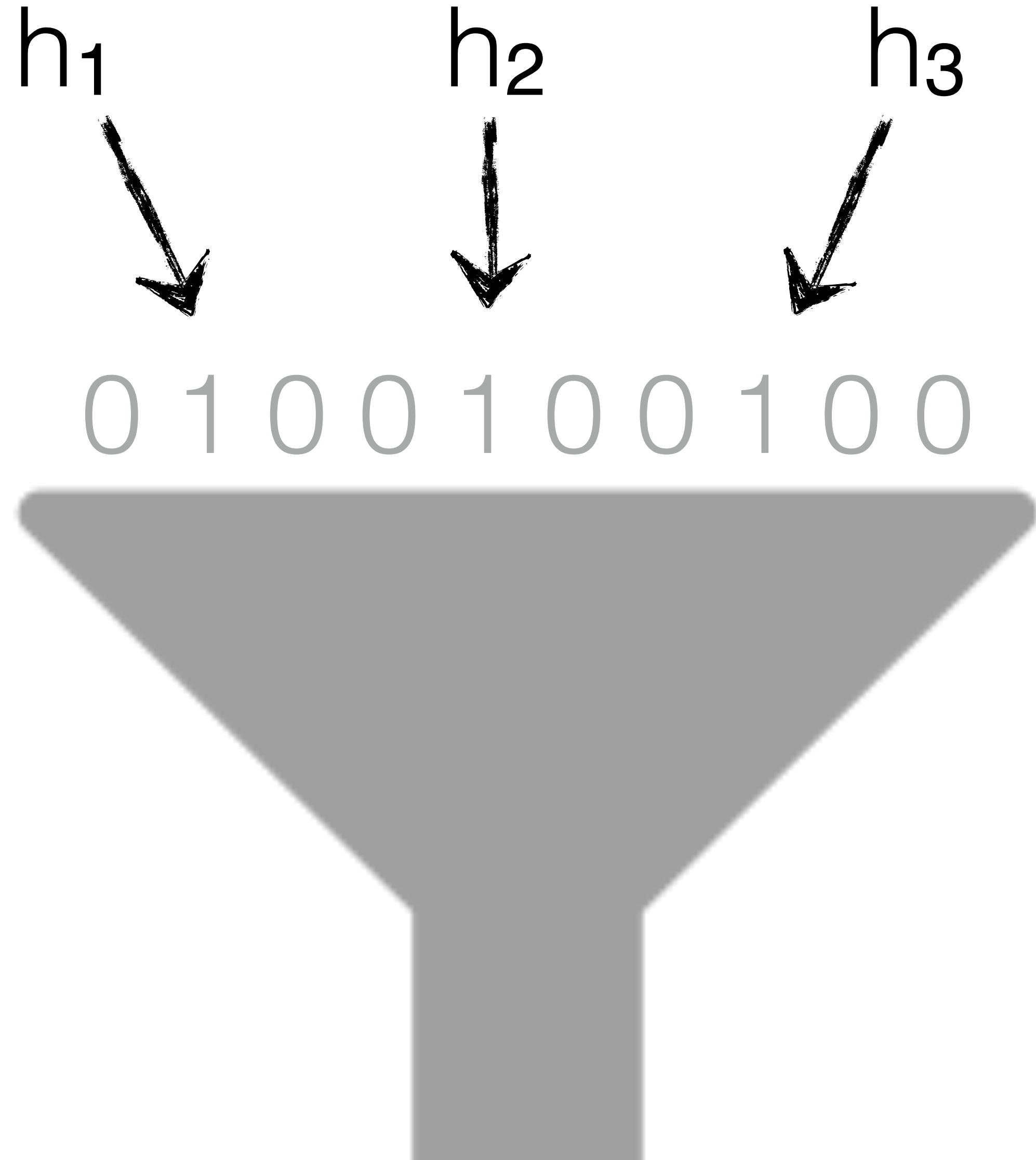


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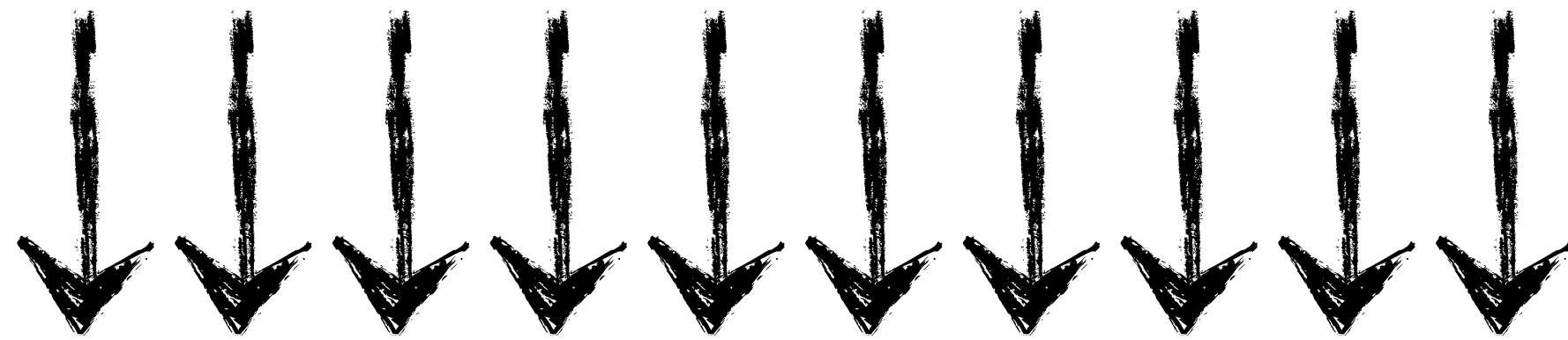


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h_1 ... h_x



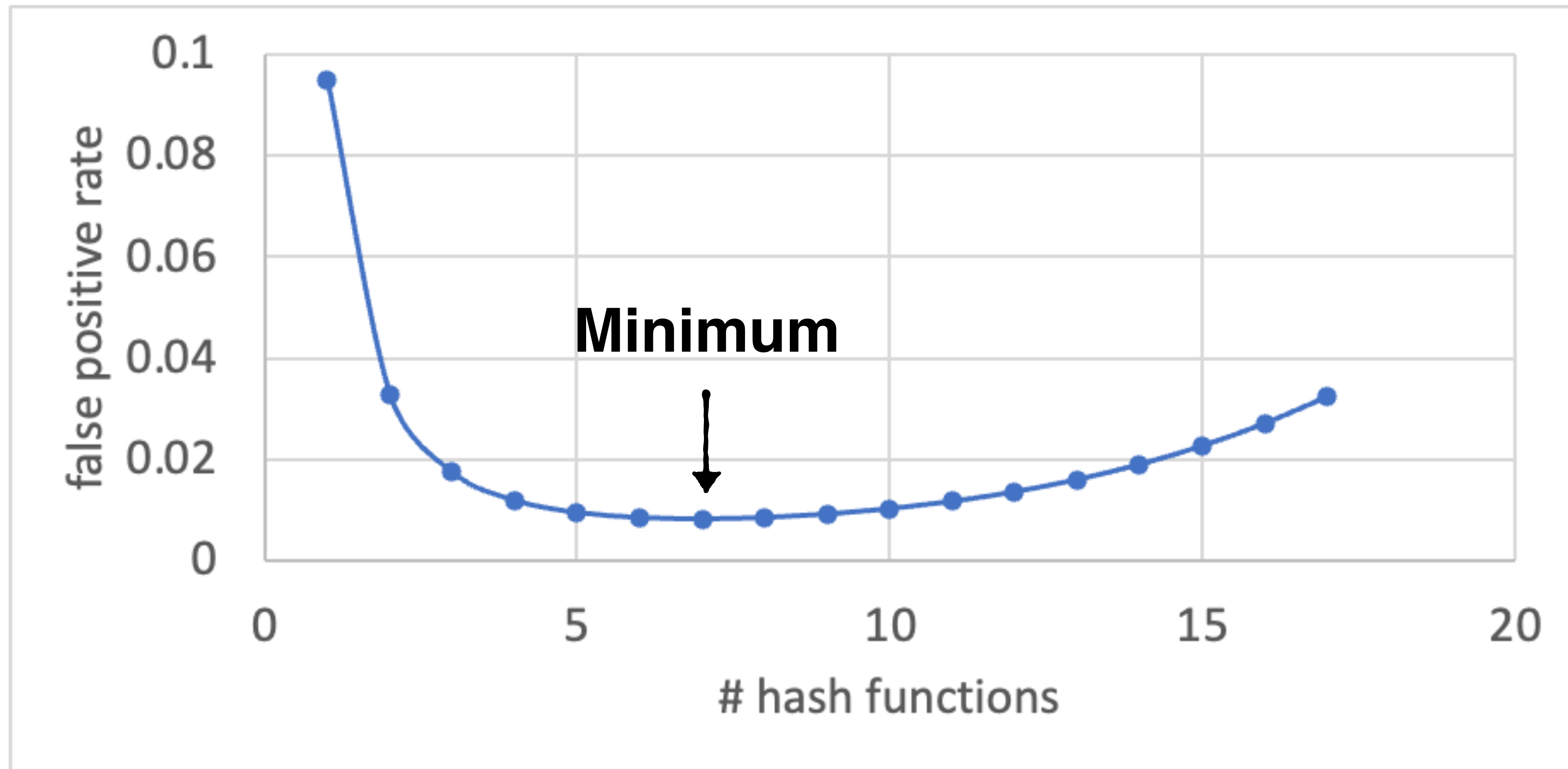
1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1

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By adding hash functions, we initially decrease the false positive rate (FPR).

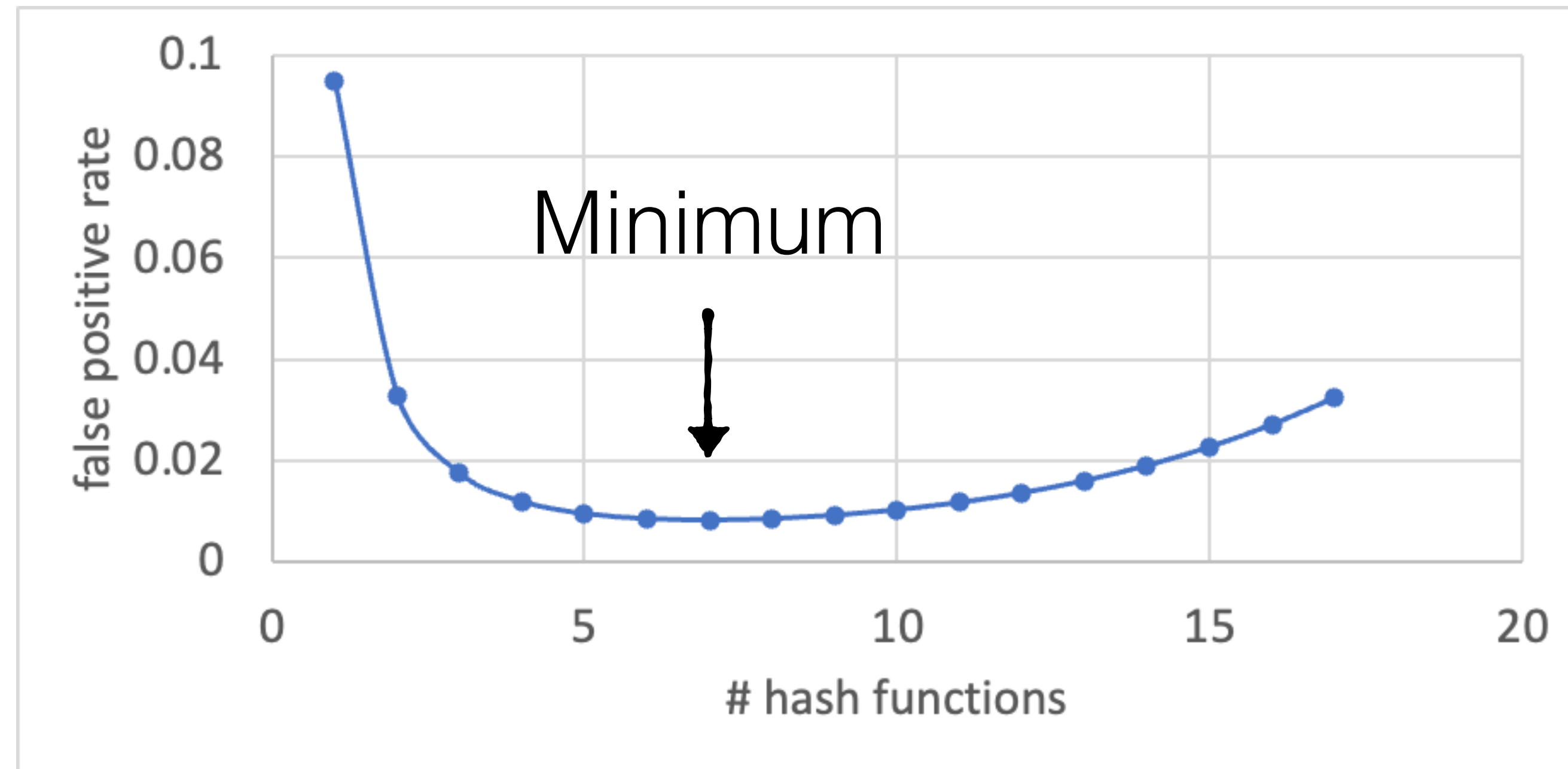
But too many hash functions wind up increasing the FPR.

How many hash functions should we use?



(Drawn for a filter using 10 bits per entry)

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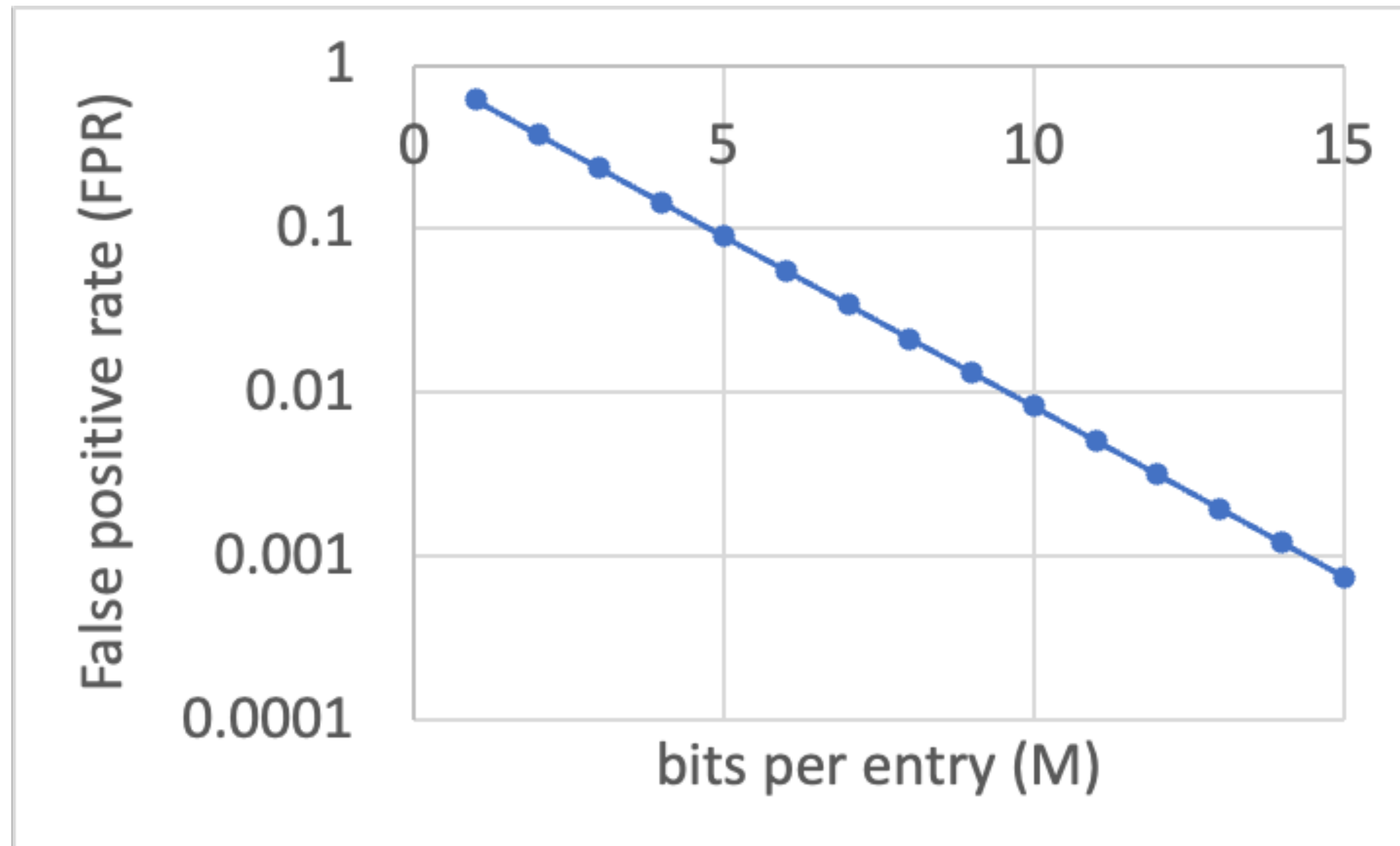


Optimal # hash functions = $\ln(2) \cdot M$

(M is the number of bits per entry)

assuming the optimal # hash functions,

$$\text{false positive rate} = 2^{-M \cdot \ln(2)}$$



Operation Costs (in memory accesses)

Insertion =

Positive Query =

Avg. Negative Query =

Operation Costs (in memory accesses)

Insertion = $M \cdot \ln(2)$ (# hash functions)

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(fraction of ones in filter is 0.5 with optimal number of hash functions)

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Operation Costs (in memory accesses)

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$$\text{Positive Query} = M \cdot \ln(2)$$

$$\textbf{Avg. Negative Query} = 1 + 1/2 + 1/4 + \dots = \textbf{2}$$

(fraction of ones in filter is 0.5 with optimal number of hash functions)

Operation Costs (in memory accesses)

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$$\text{Positive Query} = M \cdot \ln(2)$$

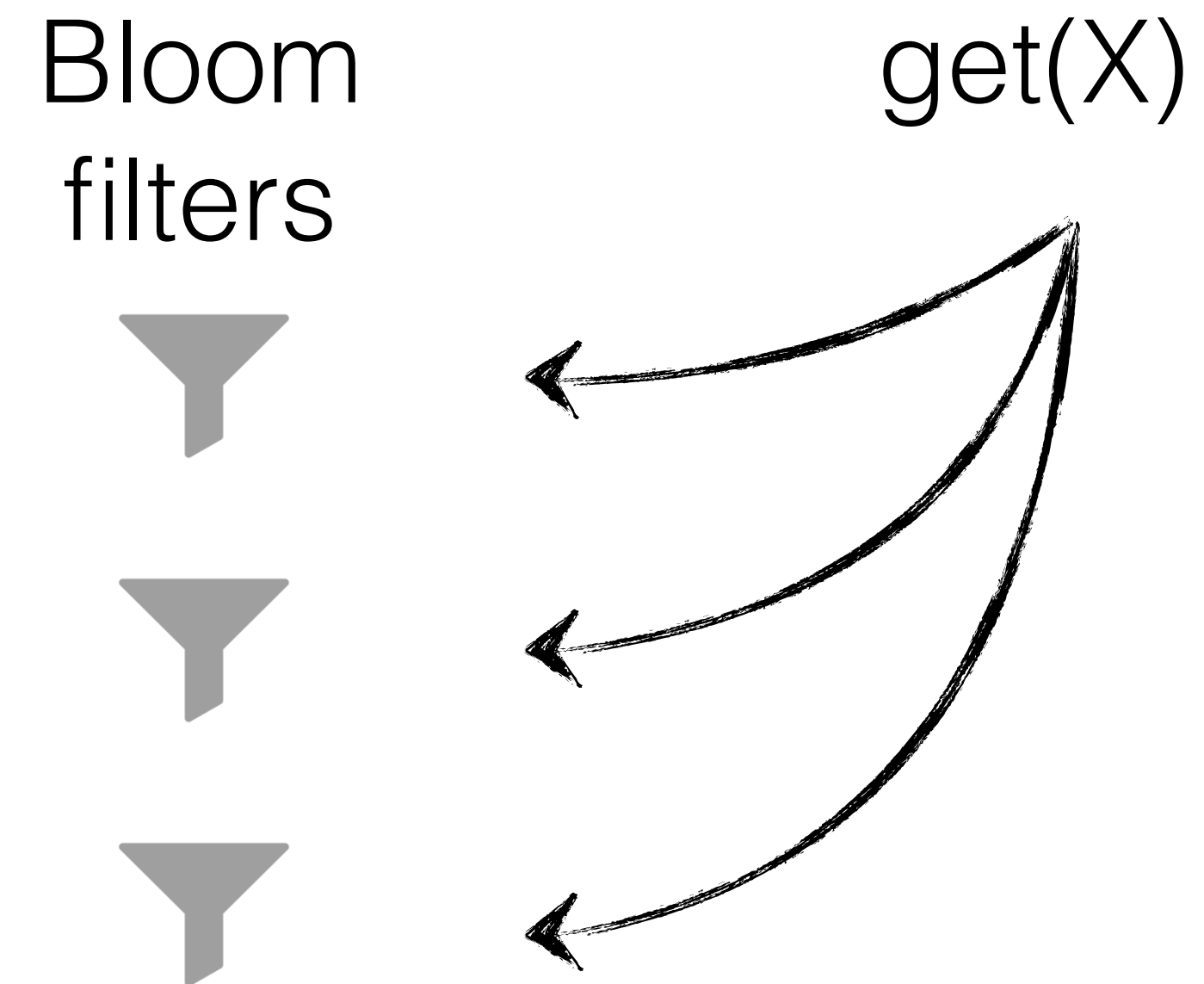
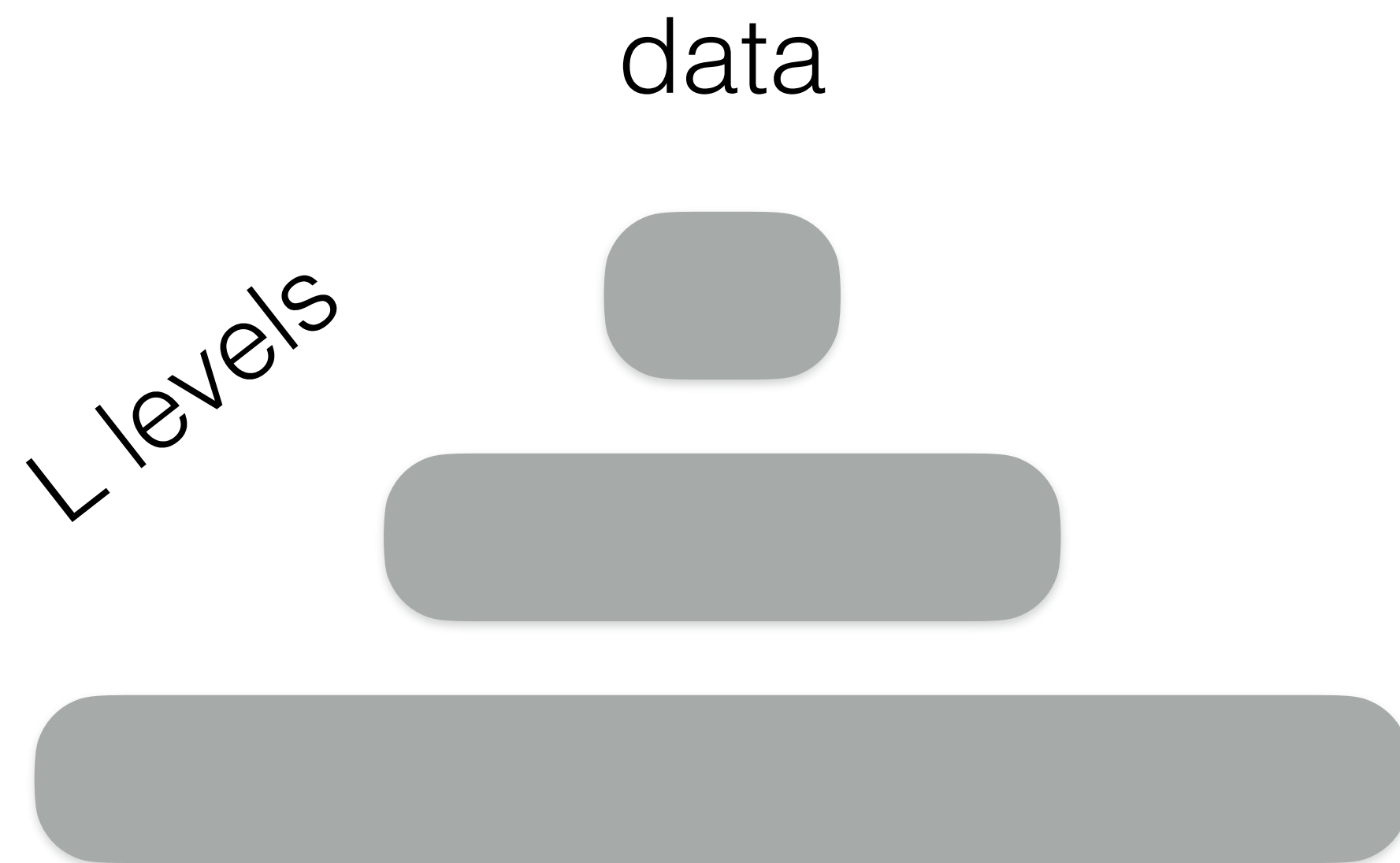
$$\text{Avg. Negative Query} = 2$$

$$\text{false positive rate} = 2^{-M \cdot \ln(2)}$$

Let's analyze overall filter access cost for basic LSM-tree

$$\text{Positive Query} = M \cdot \ln(2)$$

$$\text{Avg. Negative Query} = 2$$



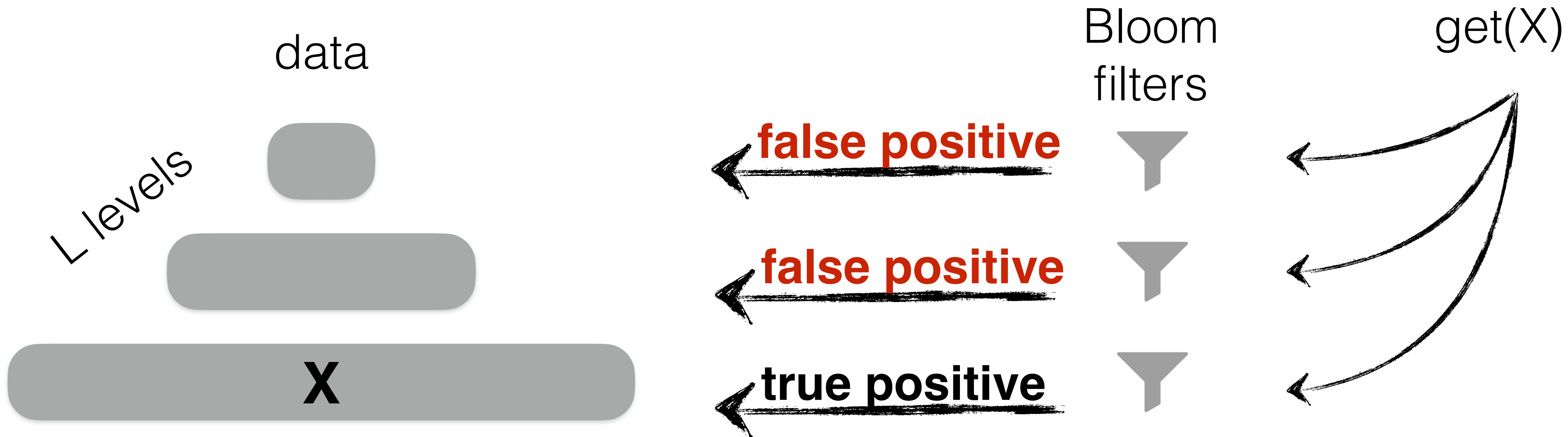
Worst-case:

Avg. worst-case:

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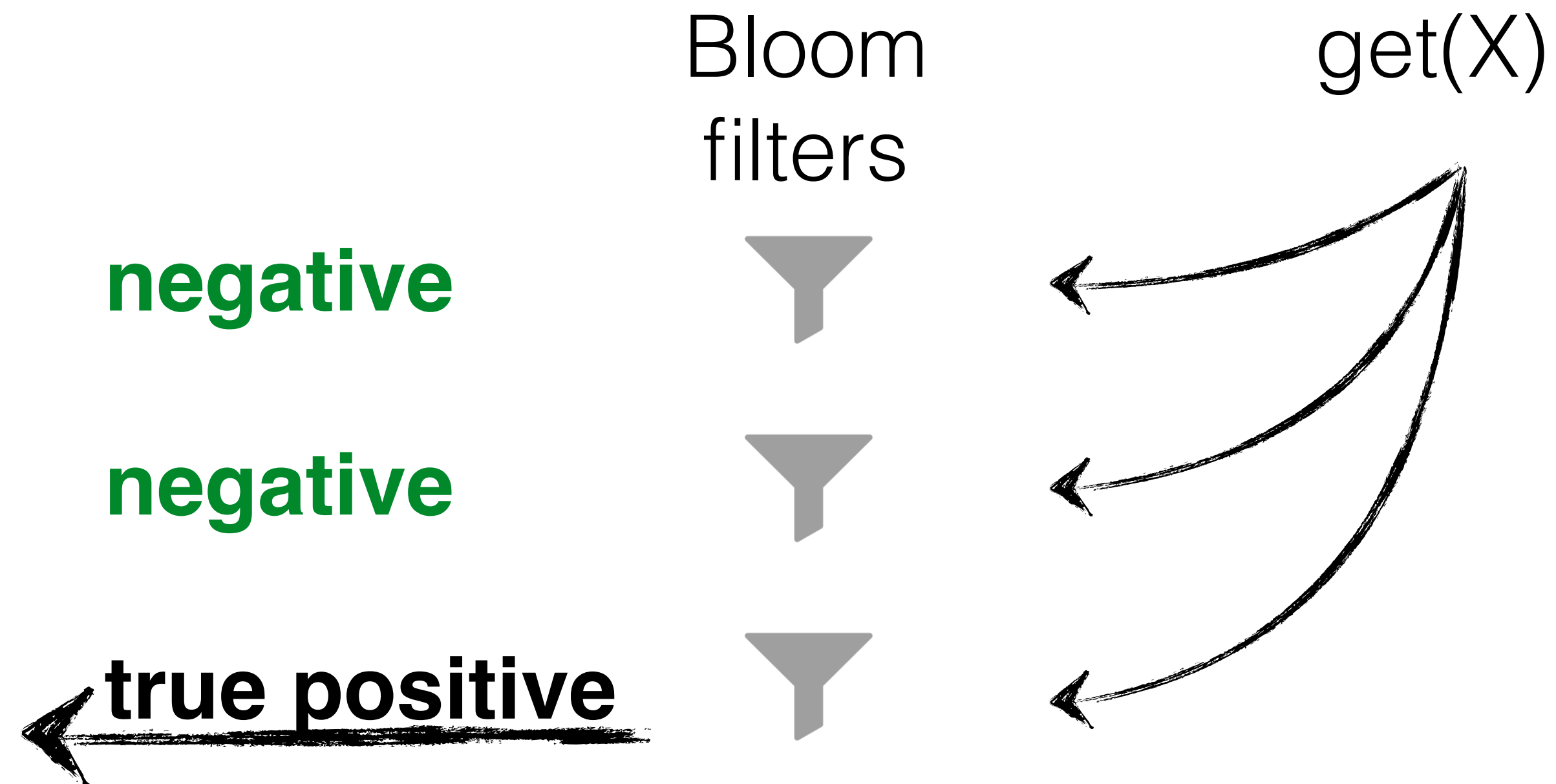
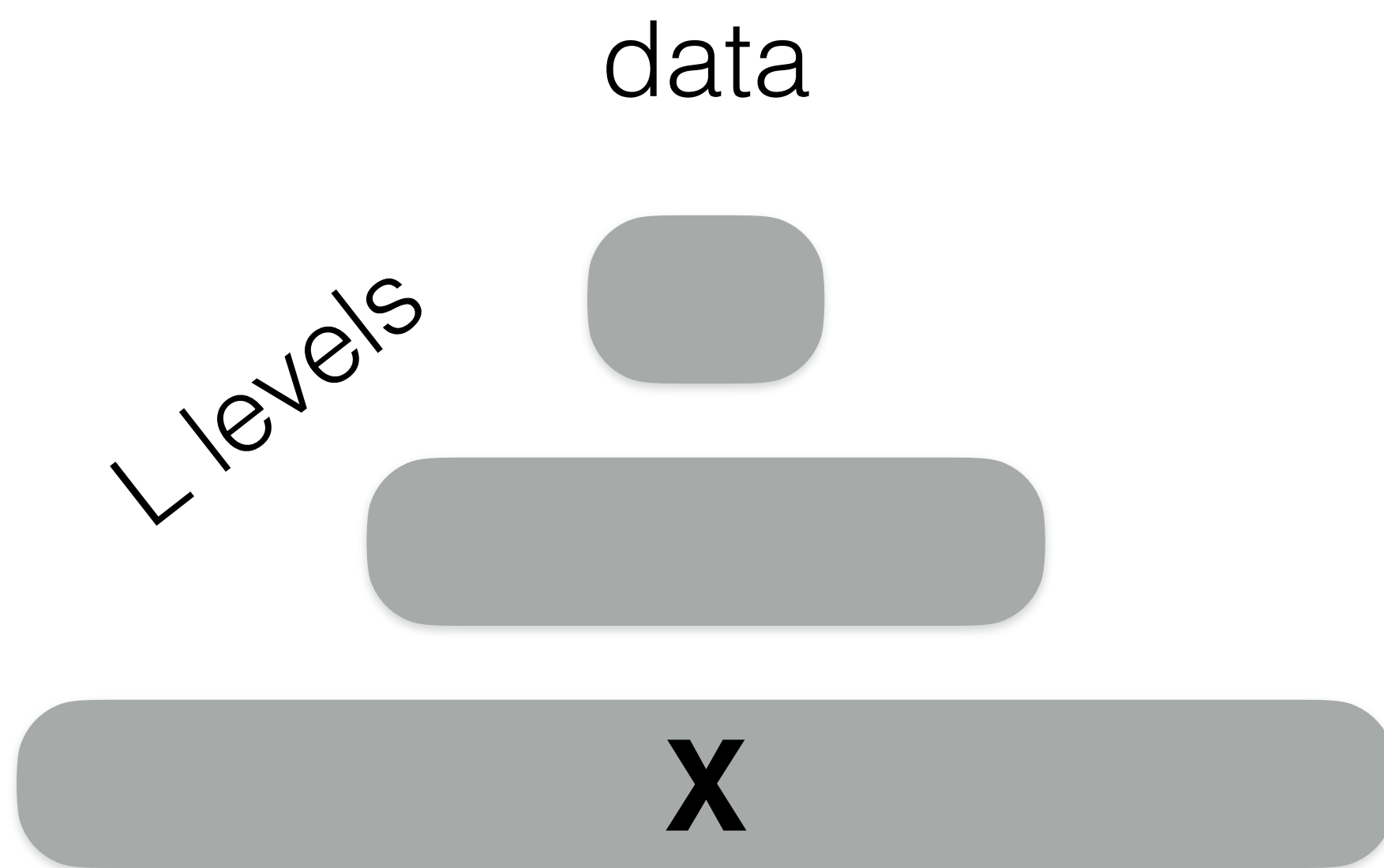
Worst-case: $O(M \cdot L)$

Avg. worst-case:

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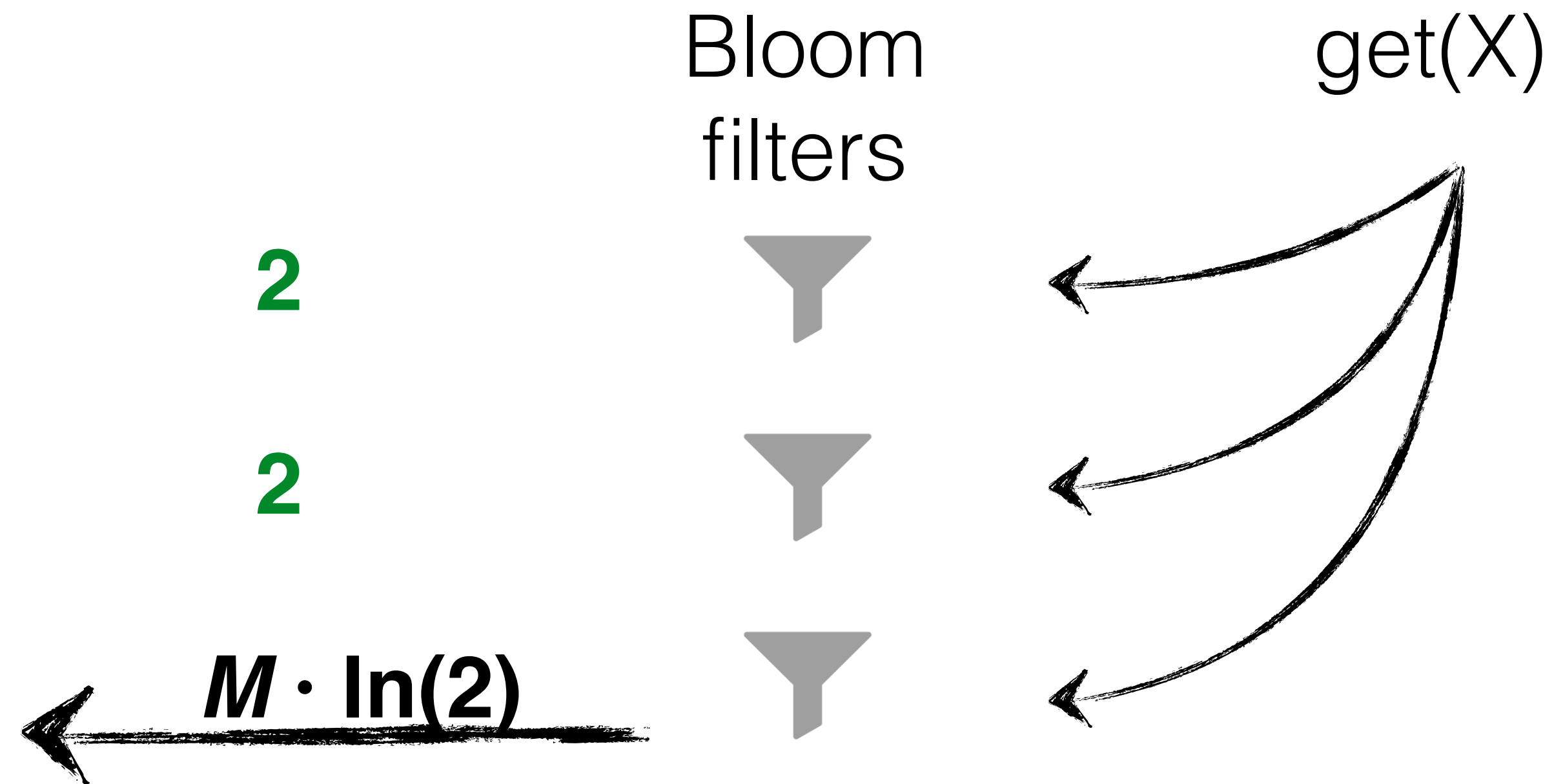
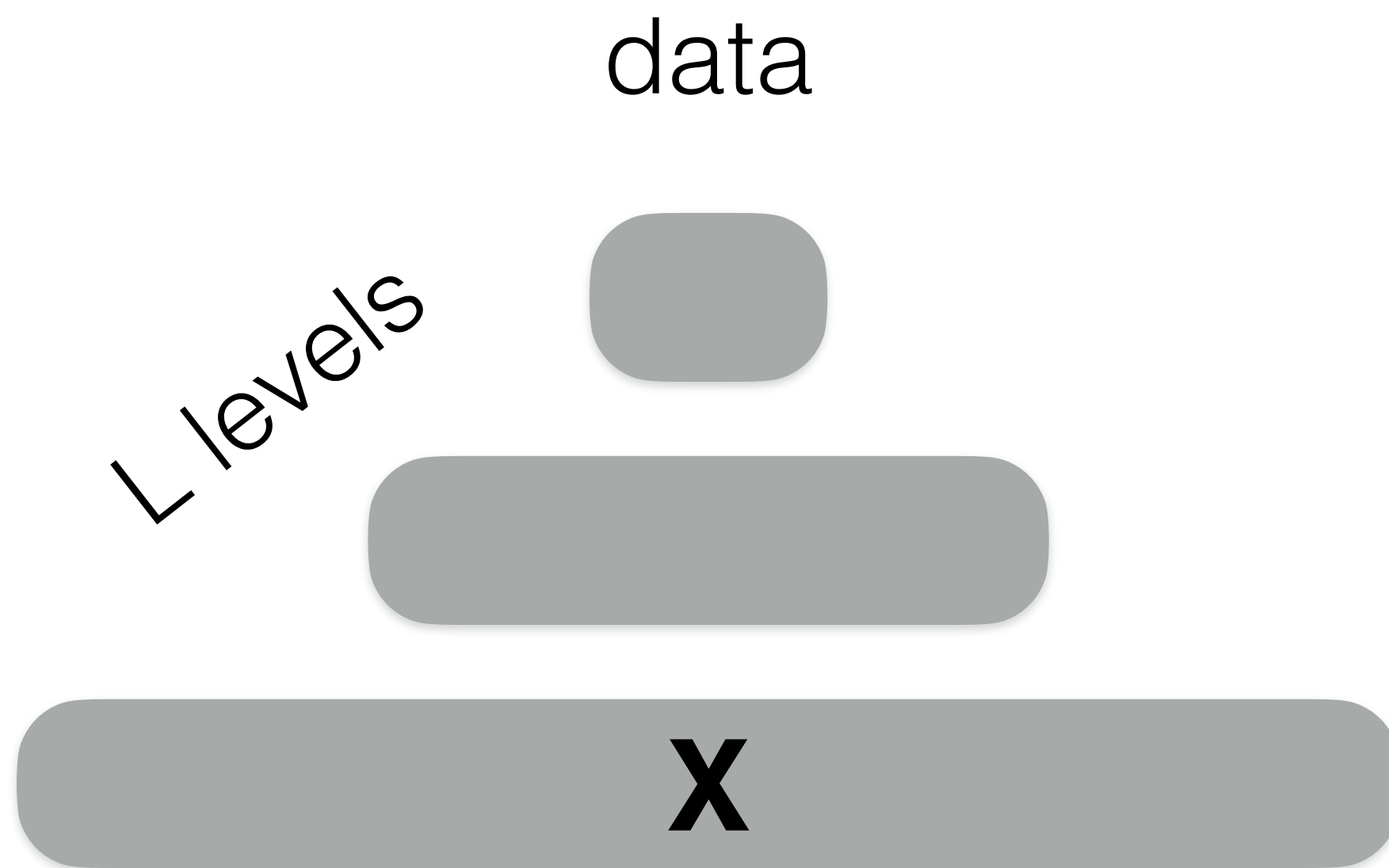
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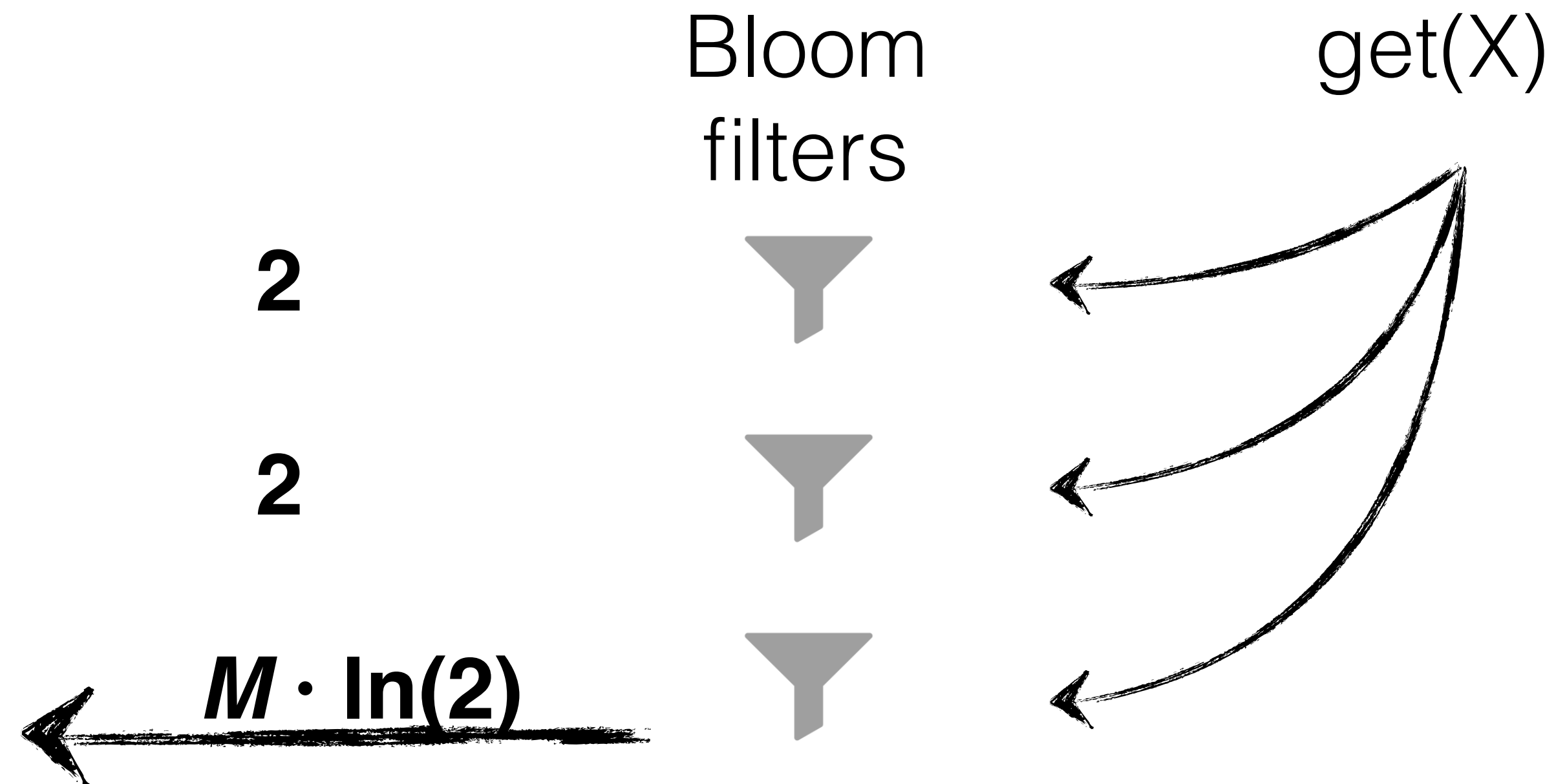
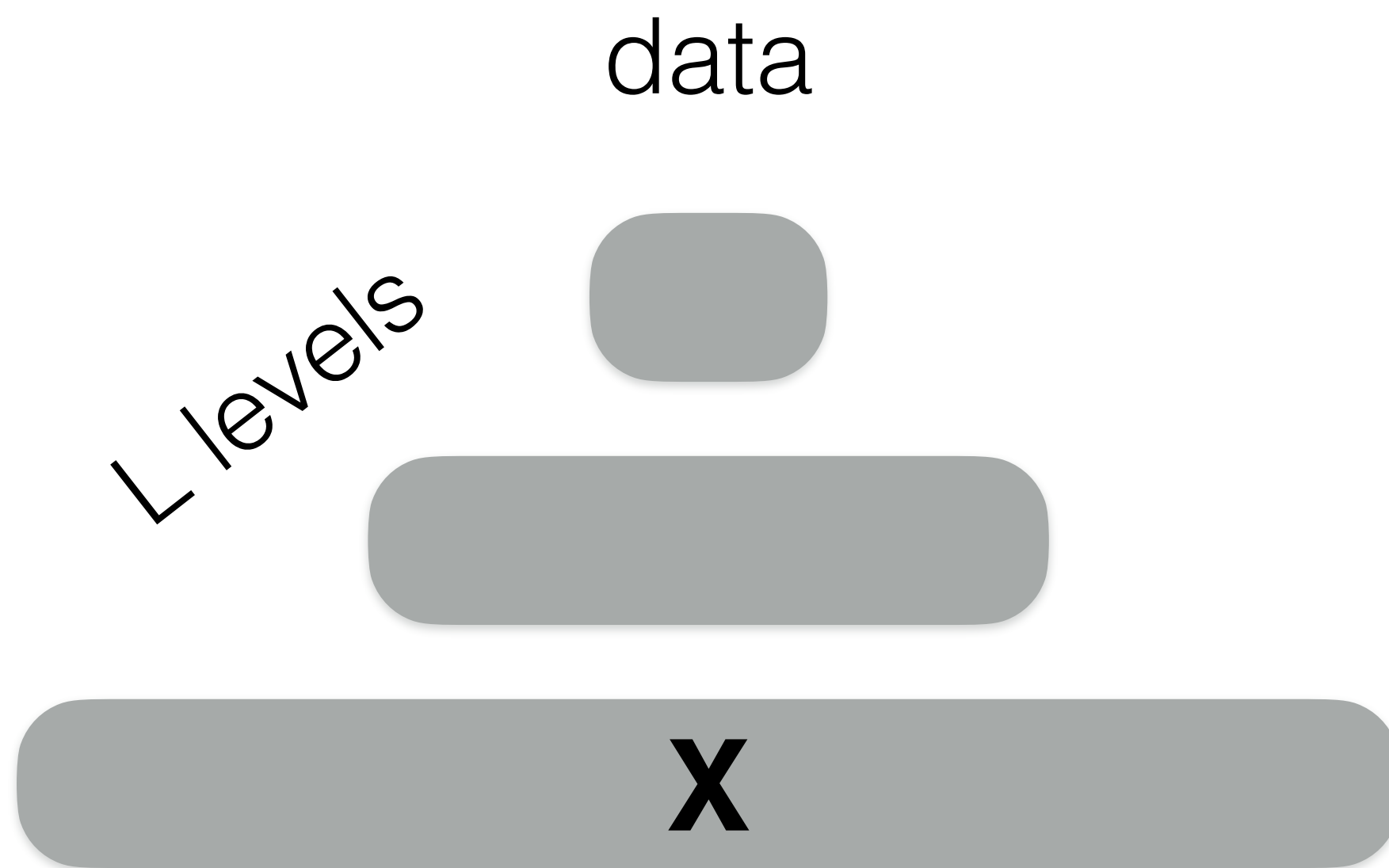
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$$\text{Avg. Negative Query} = 2$$



$$\text{Worst-case: } O(M \cdot L)$$

$$\text{Avg. worst-case: } O(M + L)$$

Construction contract



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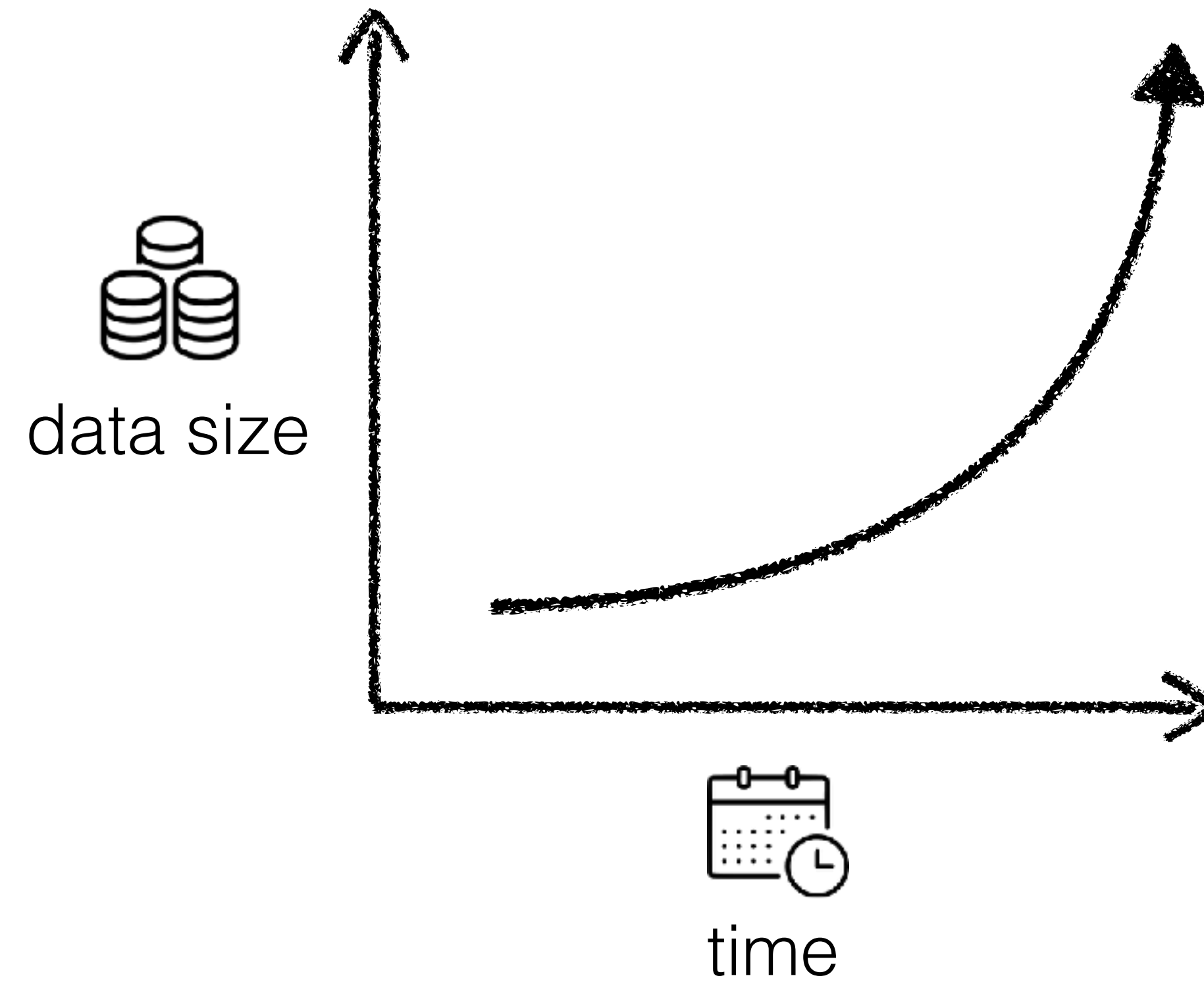
Guarantee FPR of ε



Research Question



Can LSM-tree handle exponential data growth?





logarithmic scaling

$$L = O(\log N)$$



logarithmic scaling

$$L = O(\log N)$$

exponential growth

$$N \in O(2^{\text{time}})$$



linear scaling

$O(\text{time})$





Can we do better?

get I/O
cost

$$O(2^{-M} \cdot L)$$



$$O(?)$$

insert I/O
cost

$$O((T \cdot L)/B)$$



$$O(?)$$

$$L = \log_T N/P$$

(Costs assuming leveling)

Monkey: **O**ptimal **N**avigable **K**ey-Value Store

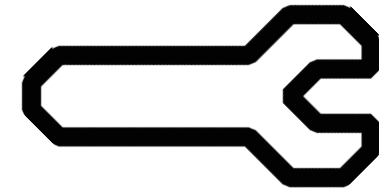
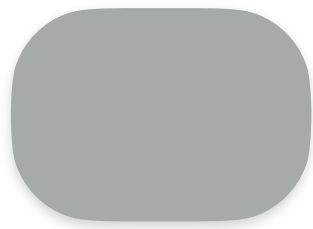
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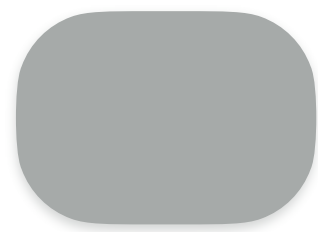
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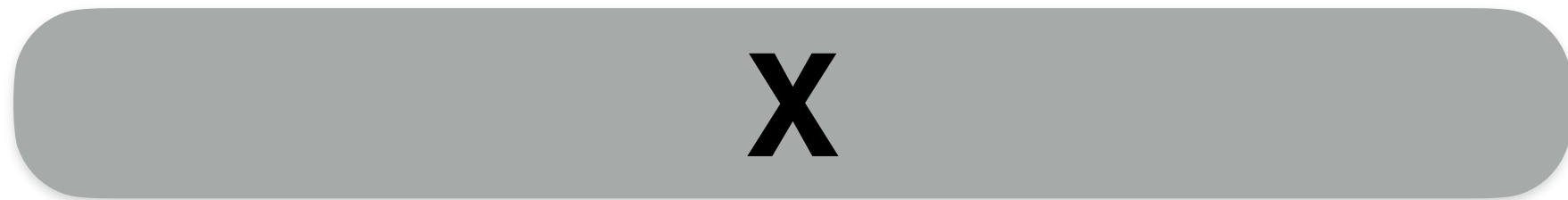
**Bloom
filters**



data



X



negative

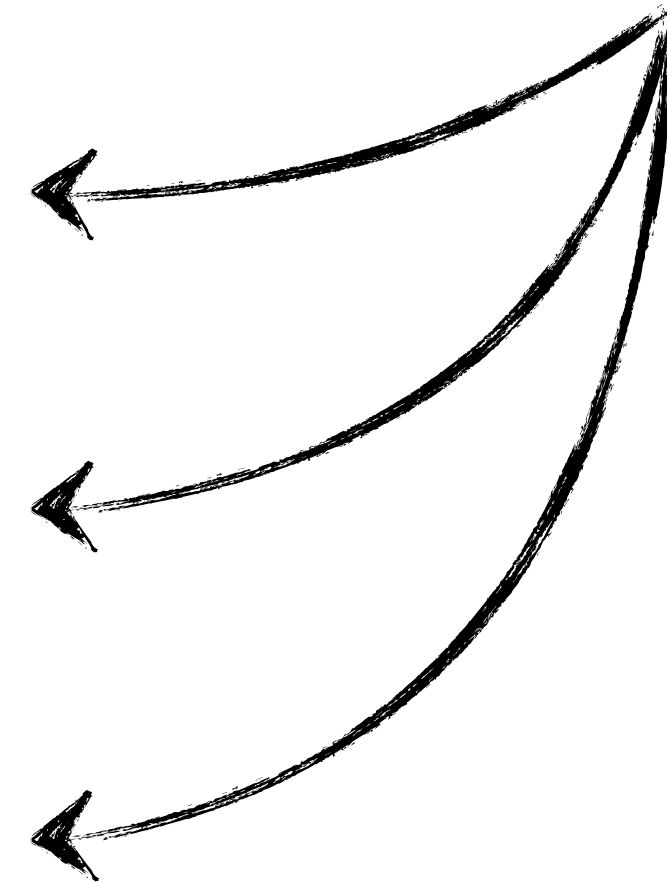
false positive

true positive

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read(X)



data



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bits/entry

M

M

M

data



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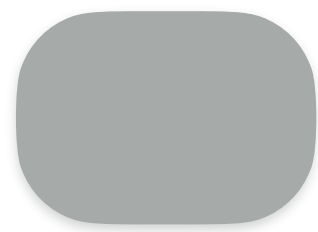
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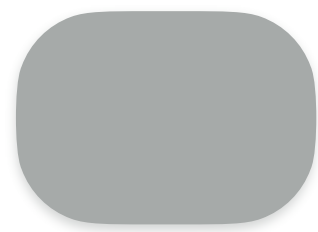
**false
positive rate**

$$2^{-M \cdot \ln(2)}$$

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data



Bloom
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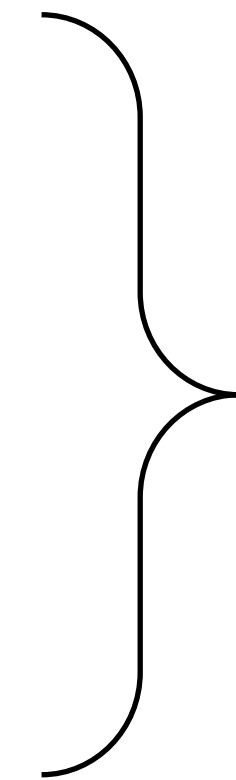


false
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=

$$O(\mathbf{2^{-M}} \cdot \mathbf{\log_T N/P})$$

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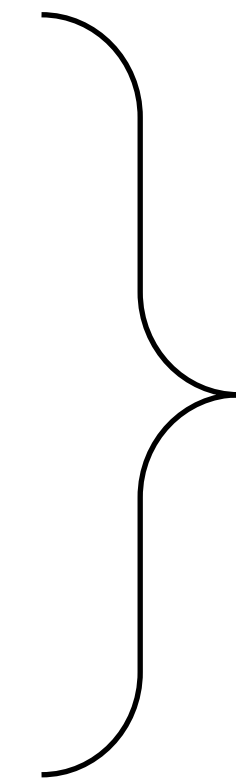


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**most
memory**

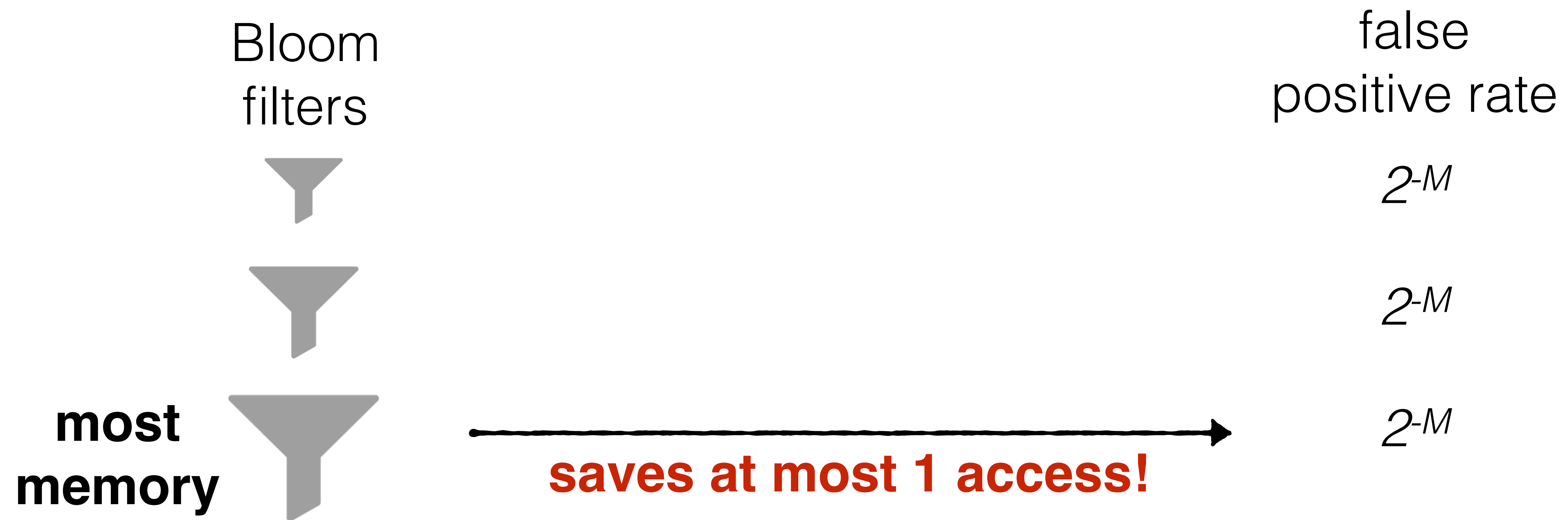


false
positive rate

$$2^{-M}$$

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bits / entry



$M + 2$

$M + 1$

$M - 1$

reallocate



false
positive rates



$$2^{-(M+2)} \quad \downarrow$$

$$2^{-(M+1)} \quad \downarrow$$

$$2^{-(M-1)} \quad \uparrow$$



relax

false positive rates

 $0 < p_0 < 1$

 $0 < p_1 < 1$

 $0 < p_2 < 1$

relax

false positive rates


$$0 < p_0 < 1$$


$$0 < p_1 < 1$$


$$0 < p_2 < 1$$

model

read
cost

$$= \sum_1^L p_i$$

memory
footprint

$$= - \sum_i^L \frac{N}{T^{L-i}} \cdot \frac{\ln(p_i)}{\ln(2)^2}$$

relax

false positive rates



$$0 < p_0 < 1$$



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$$0 < p_2 < 1$$

model

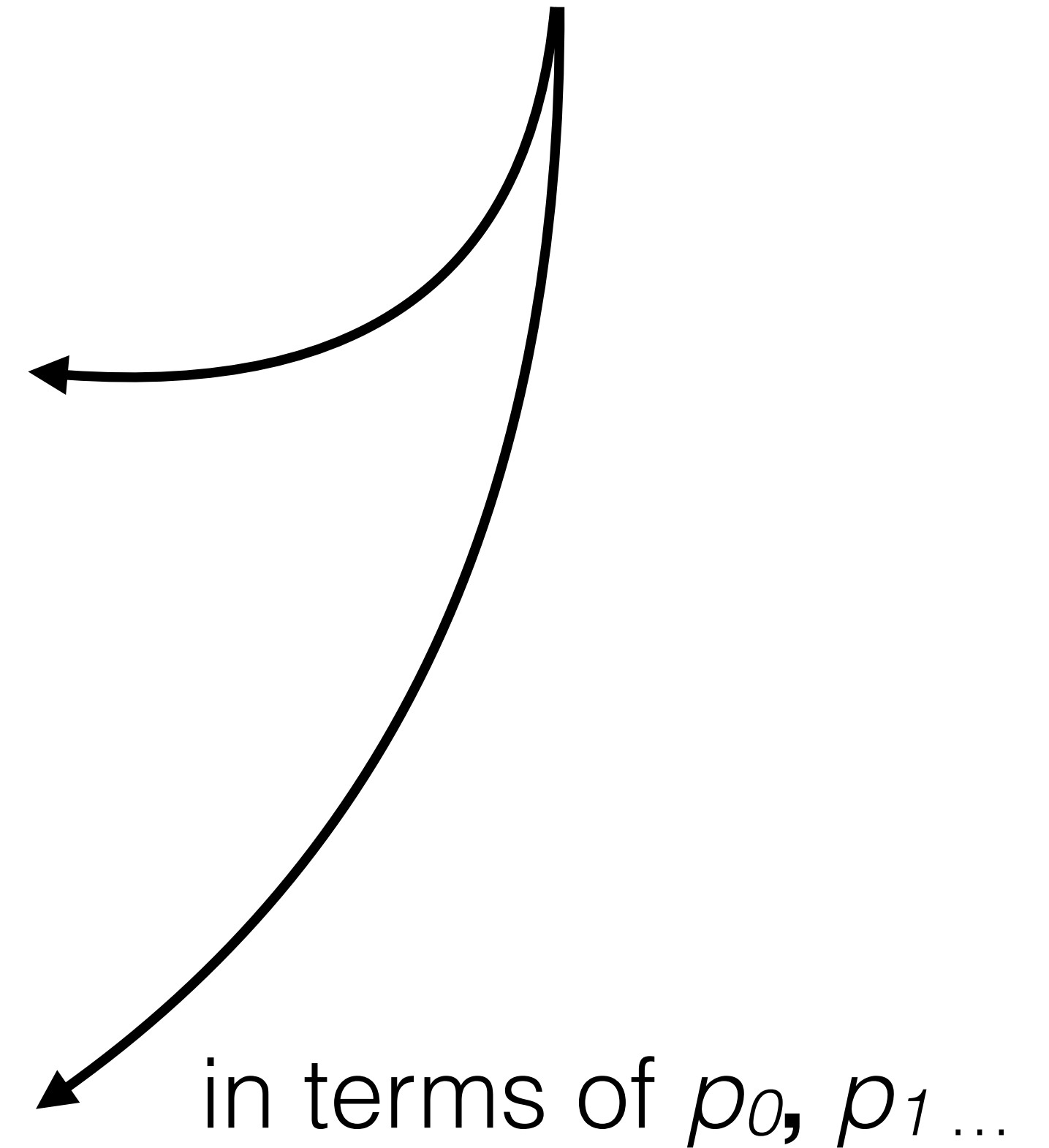
read cost

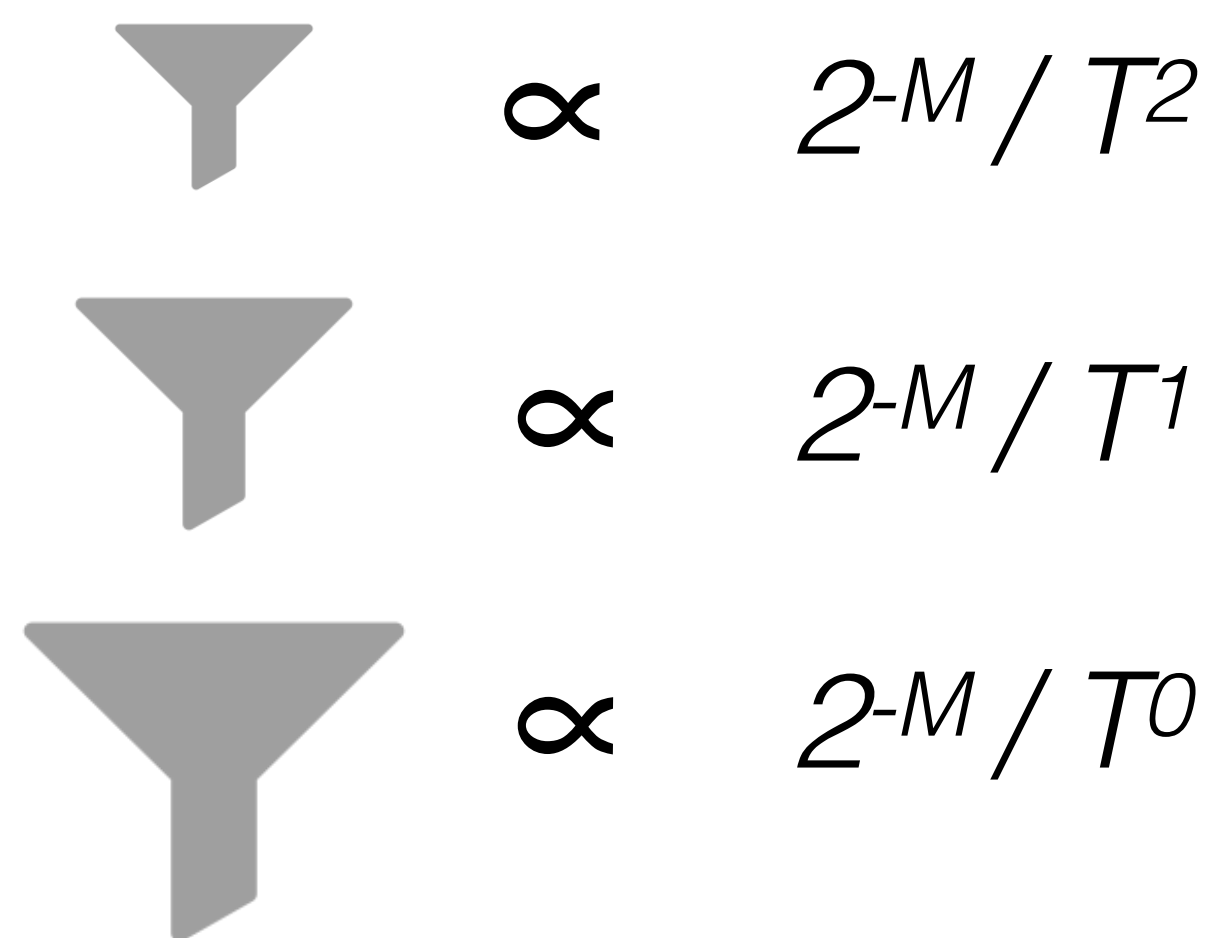
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optimize



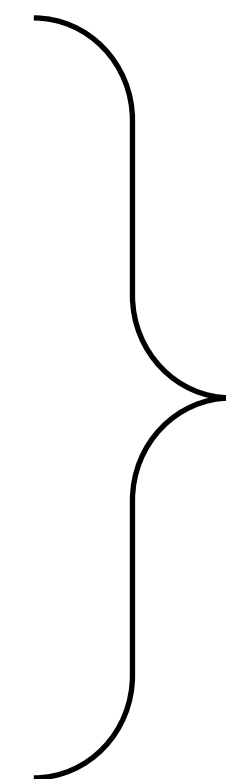




$$2^{-M} / T^2$$

$$2^{-M} / T^1$$

$$2^{-M} / T^0$$



**geometric
progression**

$$= O(2^{-M})$$



Faster worst case

$$O(\mathbf{2^{-M}}) < O(\mathbf{2^{-M} \log_T N/P})$$

Configuration

buffer 2MB

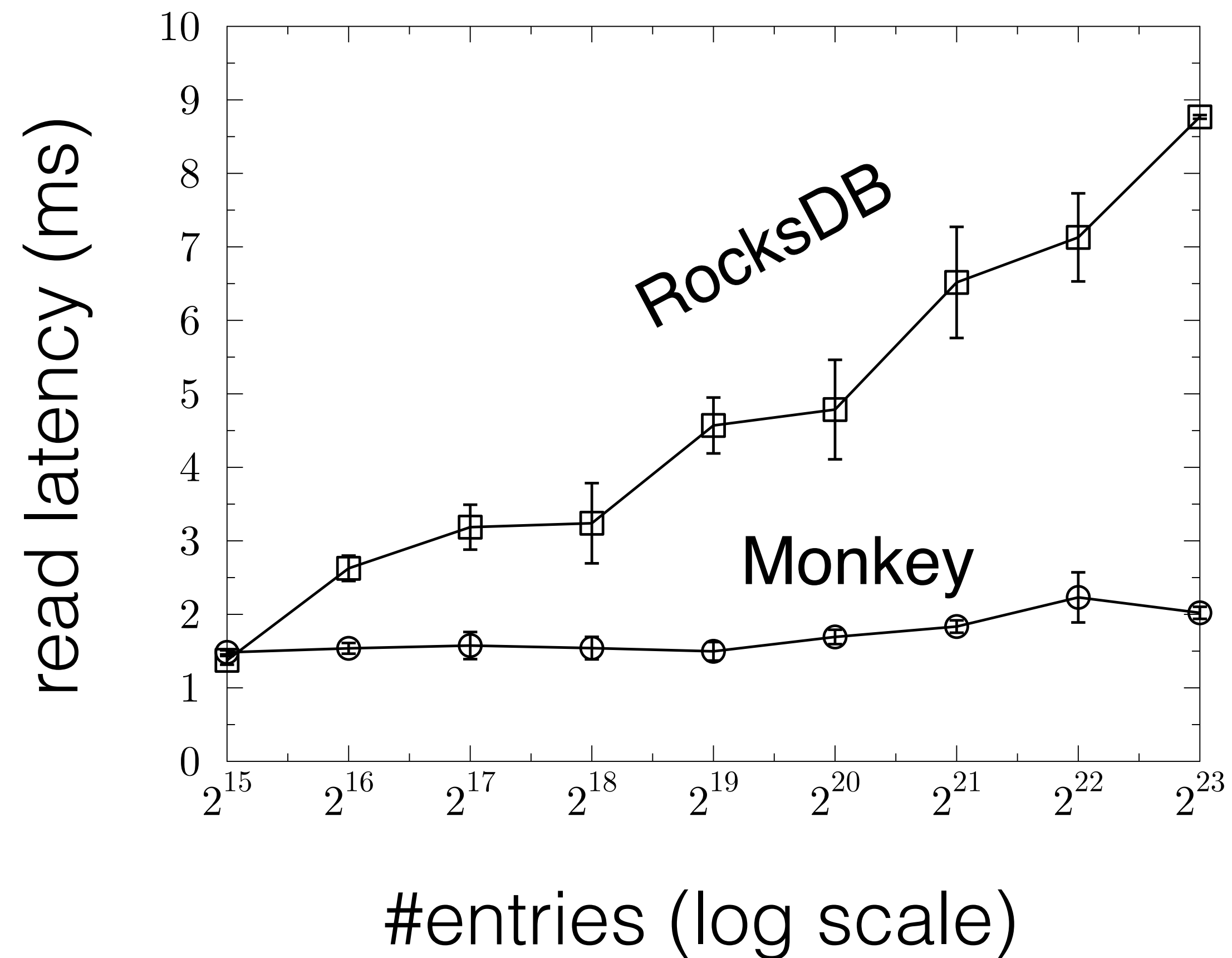
bits/entry: 5

size ratio: 2

1KB entries

queries to missing keys

hard disk storage



$$O(\mathbf{2^{-M} \log_{\tau} N/P})$$

$$O(\mathbf{2^{-M}})$$

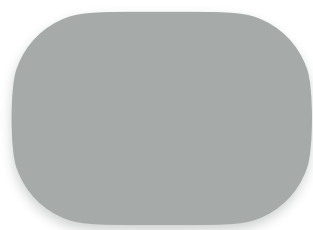


Analyze filter access with Monkey

$$\text{Positive Query} = M \cdot \ln(2)$$

$$\text{Avg. Negative Query} = 2$$

data

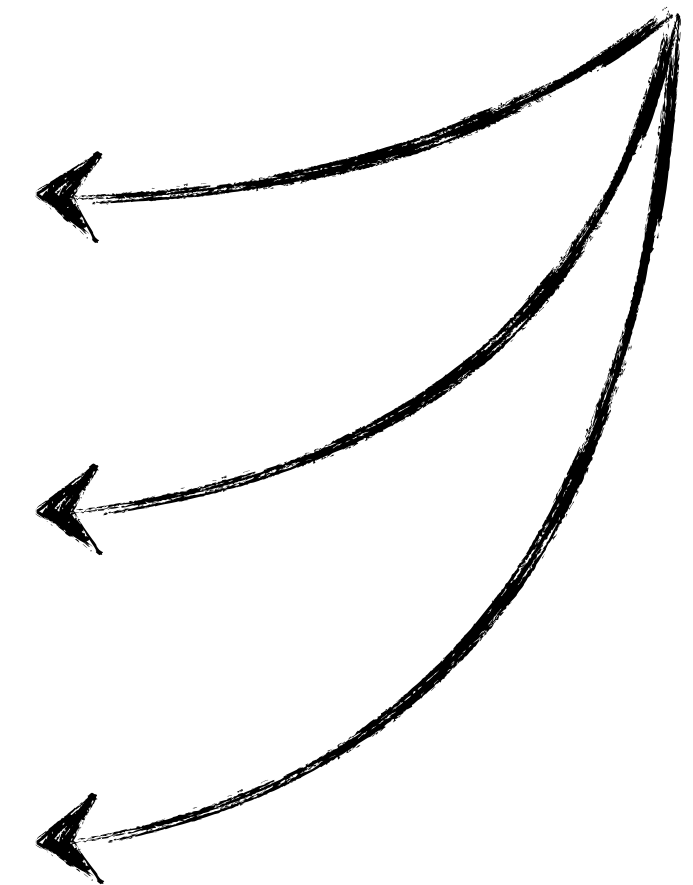


Worst-case:

Bloom
filters



get(X)



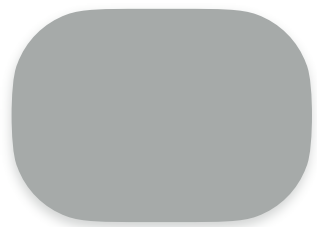
Avg. worst-case:

Analyze filter access with Monkey

Positive Query = $M \cdot \ln(2)$

Avg. Negative Query = 2

data



**# hash
functions**

$O(M+2)$

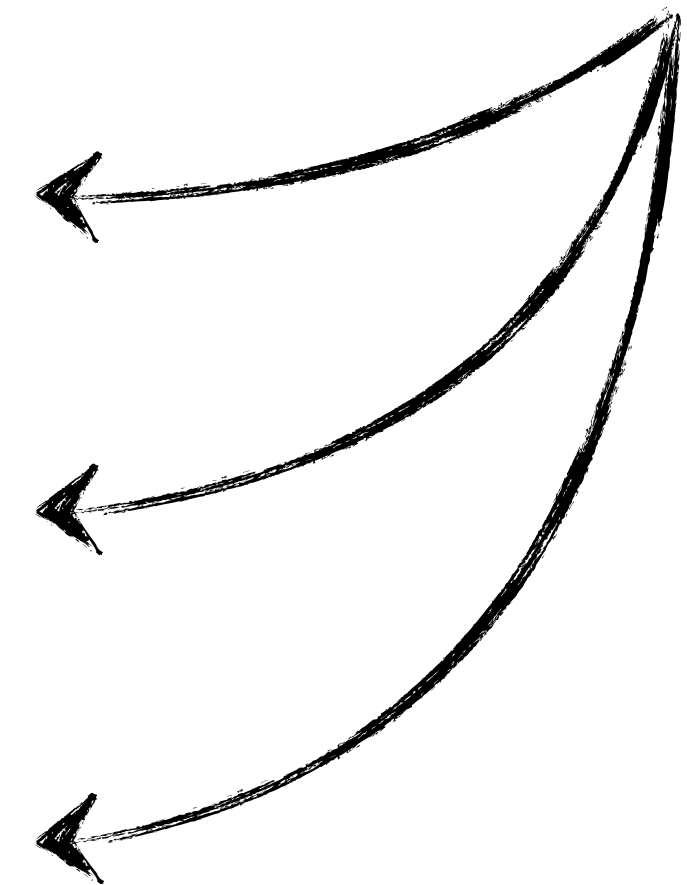
$O(M+1)$

$O(M)$

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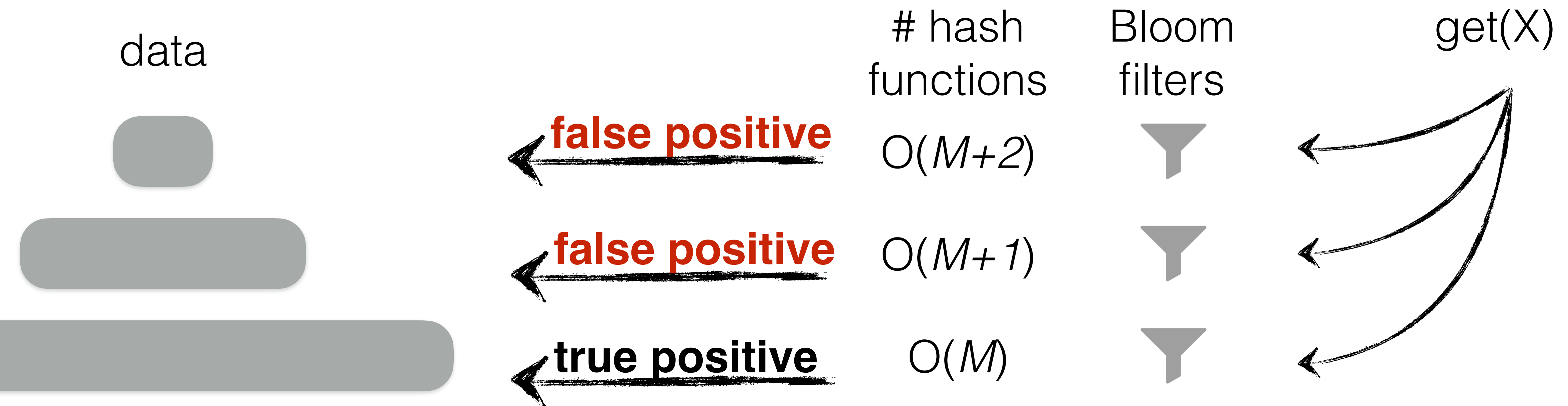
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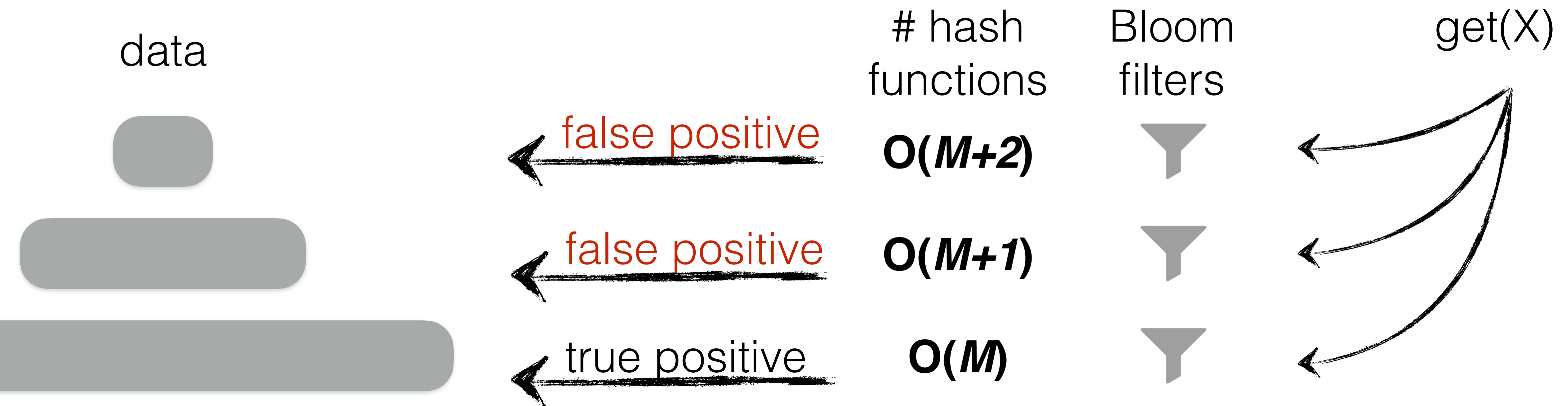
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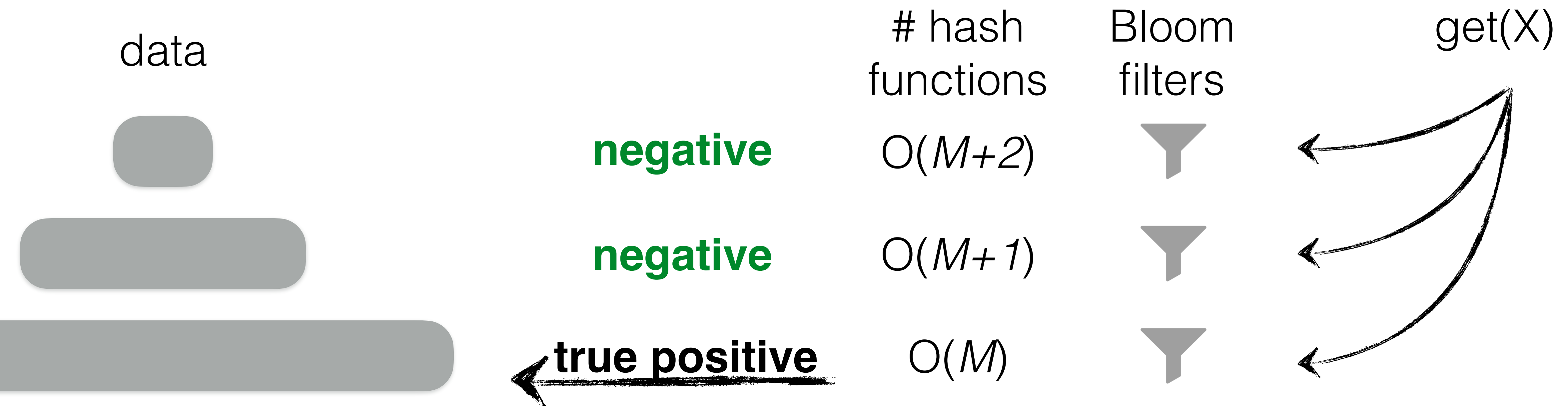
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Avg. worst-case:

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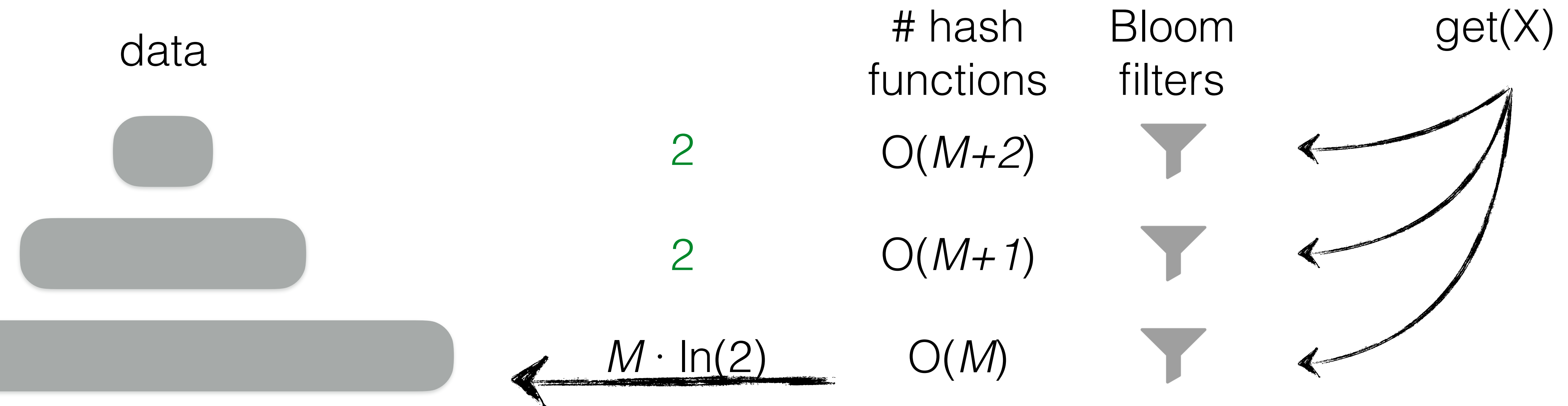
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Worst-case: $O(M \cdot L + L^2)$

Avg. worst-case: $O(M+L)$

get I/O
cost

$$O(2^{-M} \cdot L)$$



$$O(2^{-M})$$

insert I/O
cost

$$O((T \cdot L)/B)$$



$$O(?)$$

transient
space-amp

2x



$$O(?)$$

$$L = \log_T N/P$$

(Costs assuming leveling)



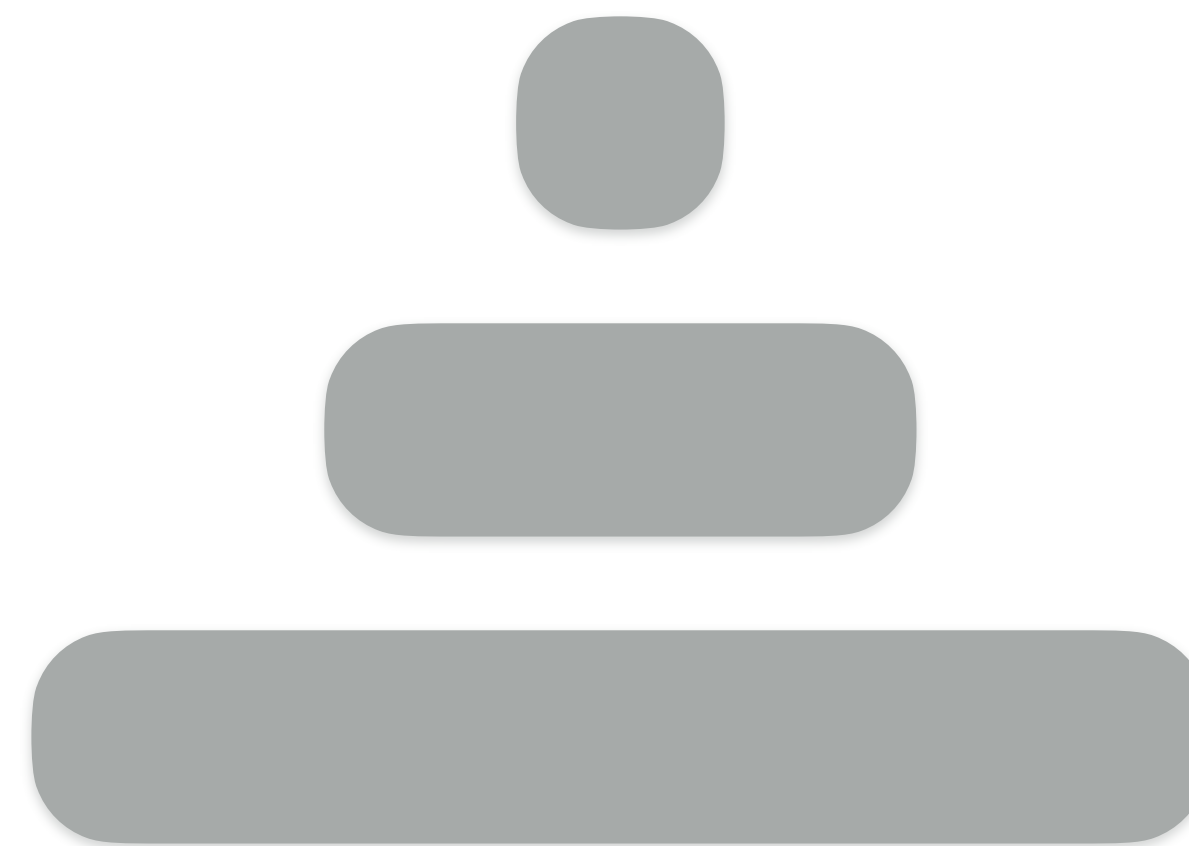
Dostoevsky

SIGMOD18



Dostoevsky: **S**pace-**T**ime **O**ptimized **E**volvable **S**calable **K**ey-Value Store

reads & writes cost breakdown



reads

false positive rates

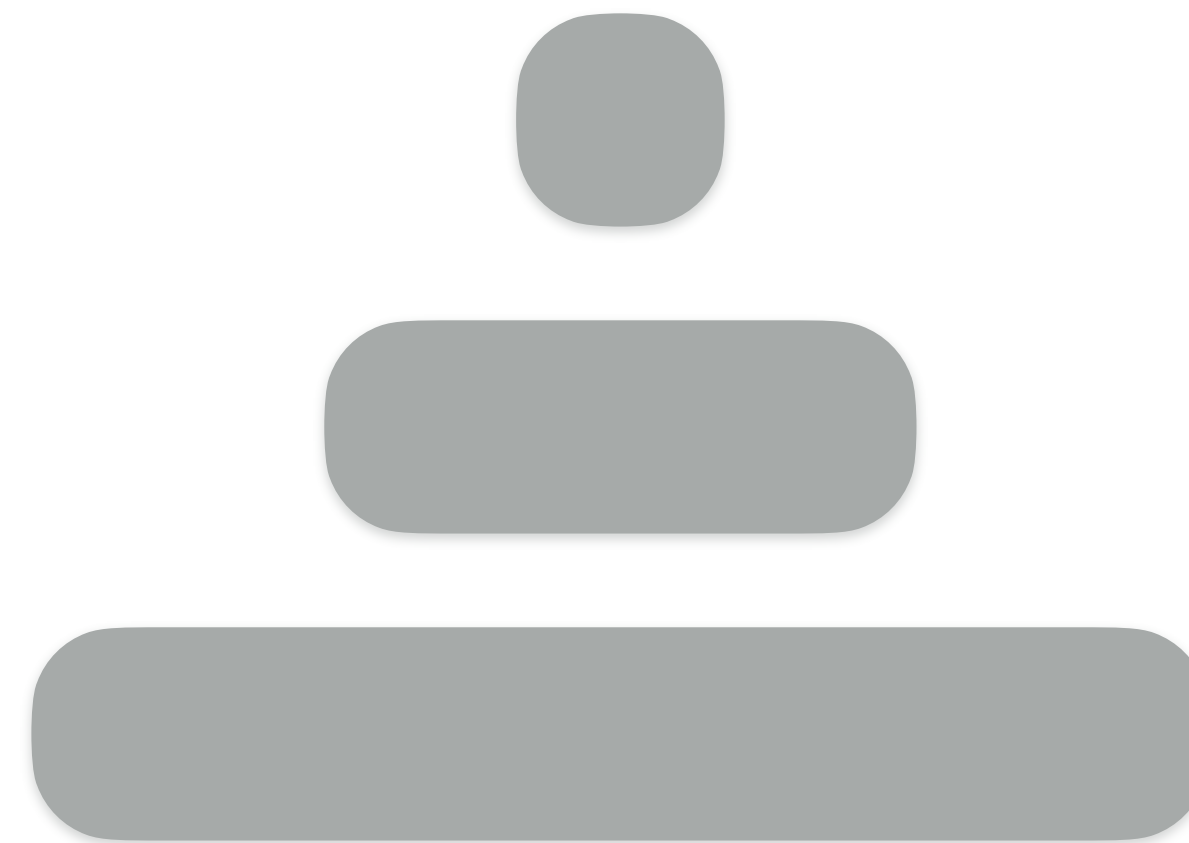
exponentially
decreasing



$$2^{-M/T^2}$$

$$2^{-M/T}$$

$$2^{-M}$$



false positive rates

$$2^{-M/T^2}$$

$$2^{-M/T}$$

reads



$$2^{-M}$$

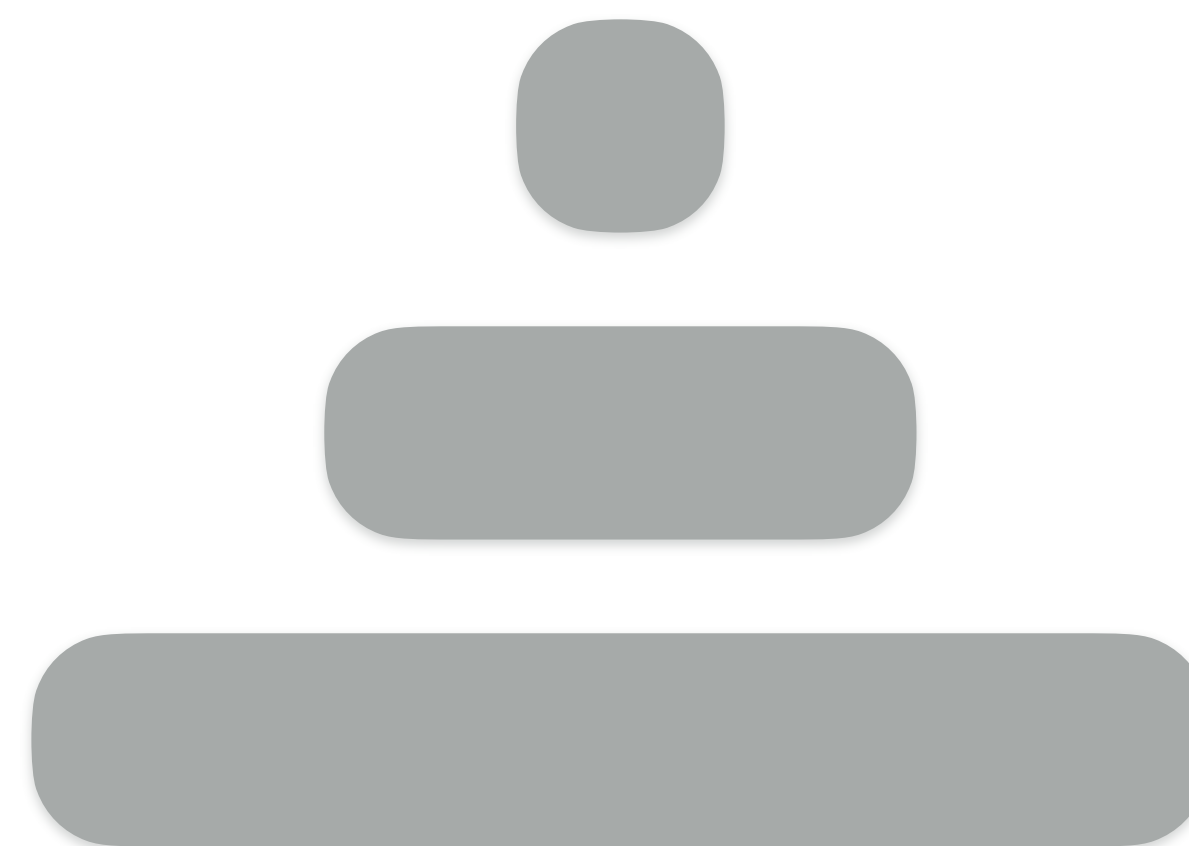
largest level



reads

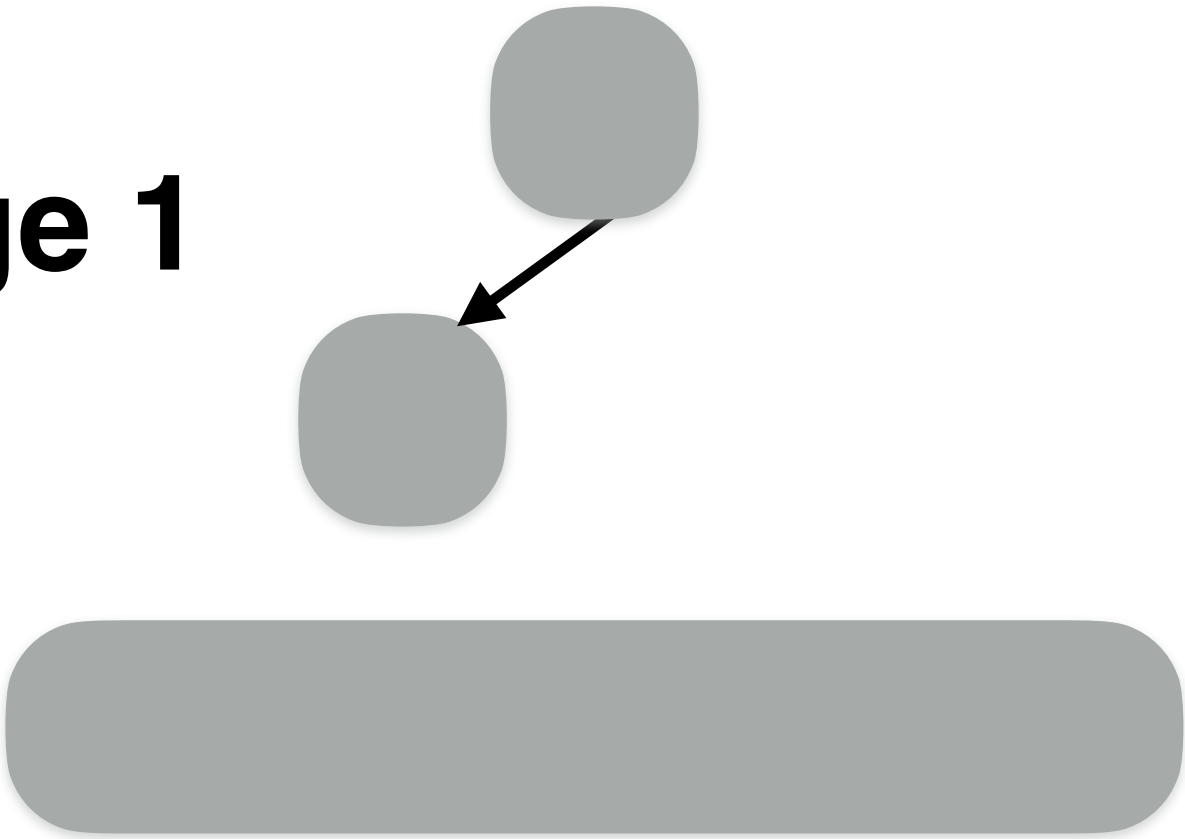
$O(2^{-M})$

writes

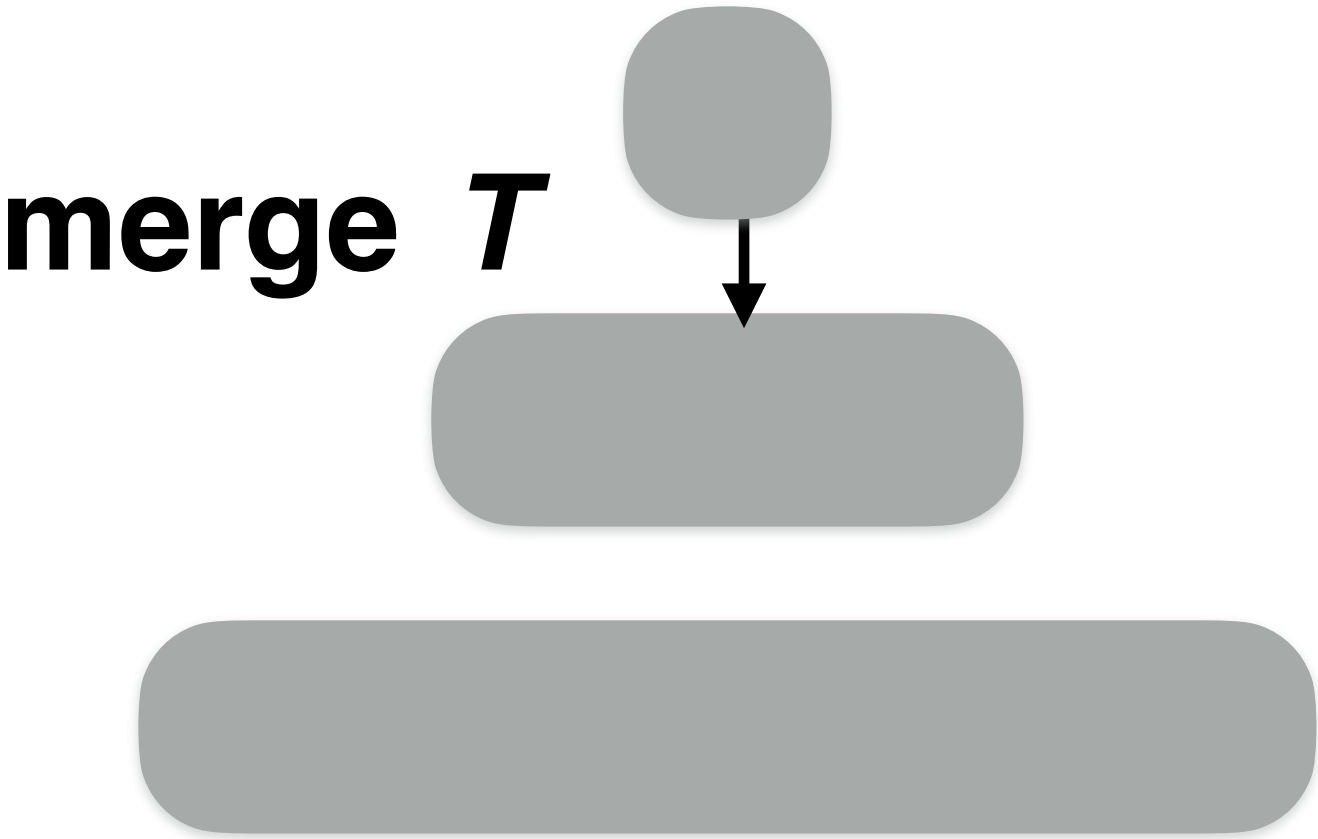


writes

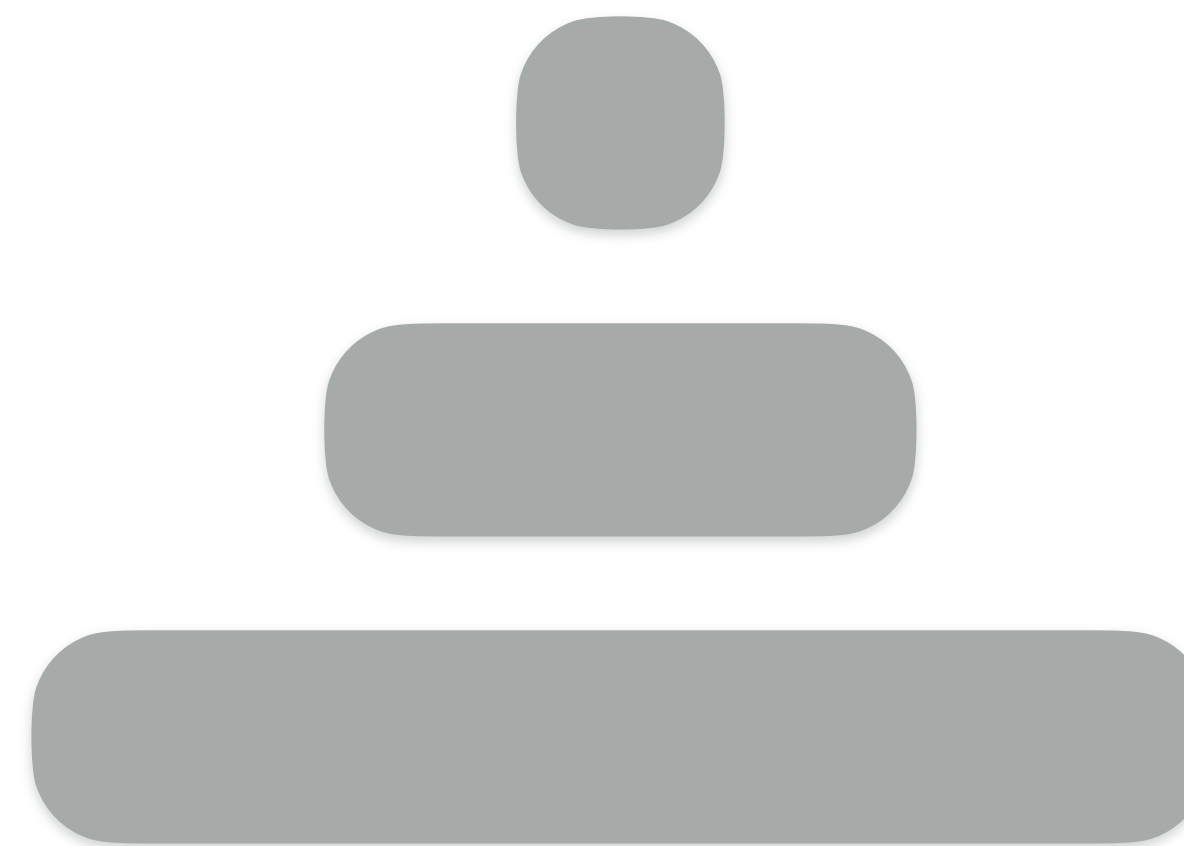
merge 1



writes



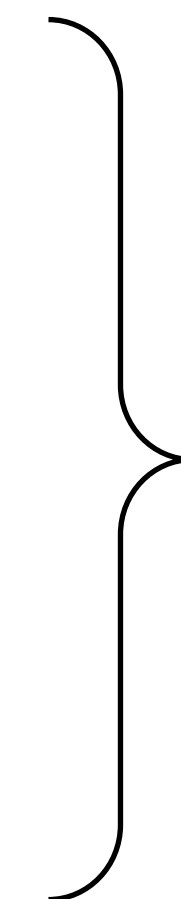
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$$O(\textcolor{red}{T/B})$$

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$$O(\textcolor{red}{(T \cdot L)/B})$$

reads

$$O(2^{-M})$$

=

$$2^{-M}/T^2$$

+

$$2^{-M}/T$$

+

$$2^{-M}$$



writes

$$O((T \cdot L)/B)$$

=

$$O(T/B)$$

+

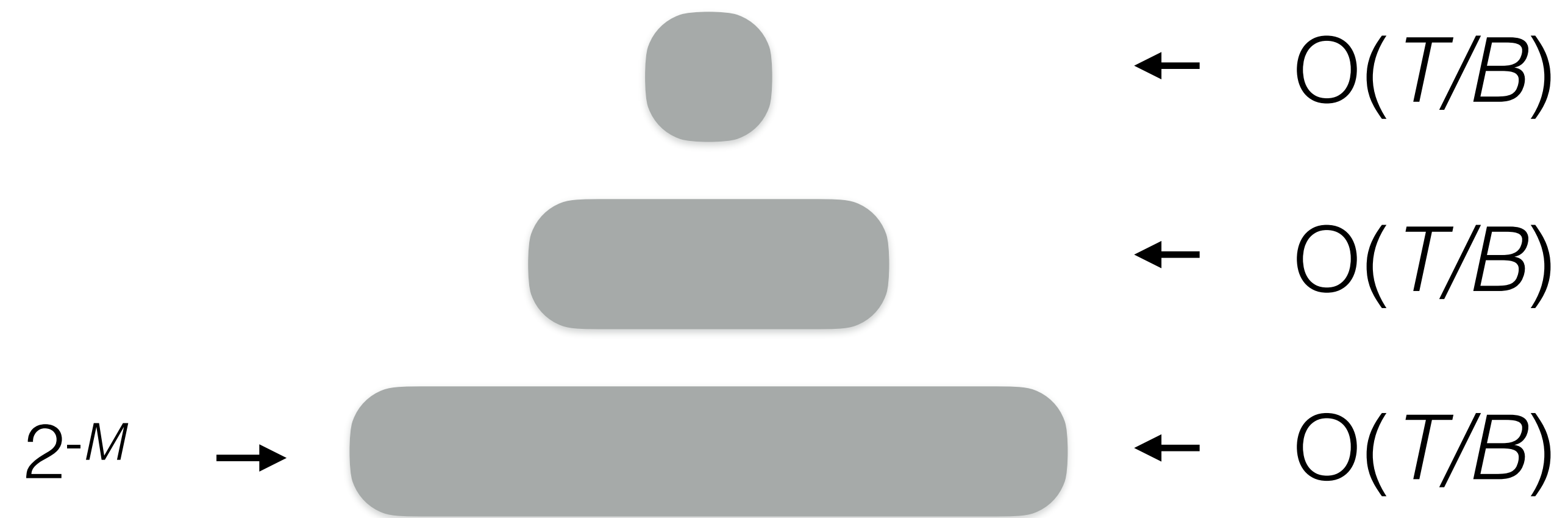
$$O(T/B)$$

+

$$O(T/B)$$

reads
largest level

writes
all levels



reads

writes

2^{-M}



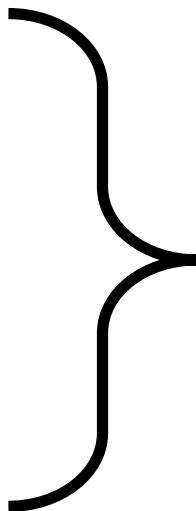
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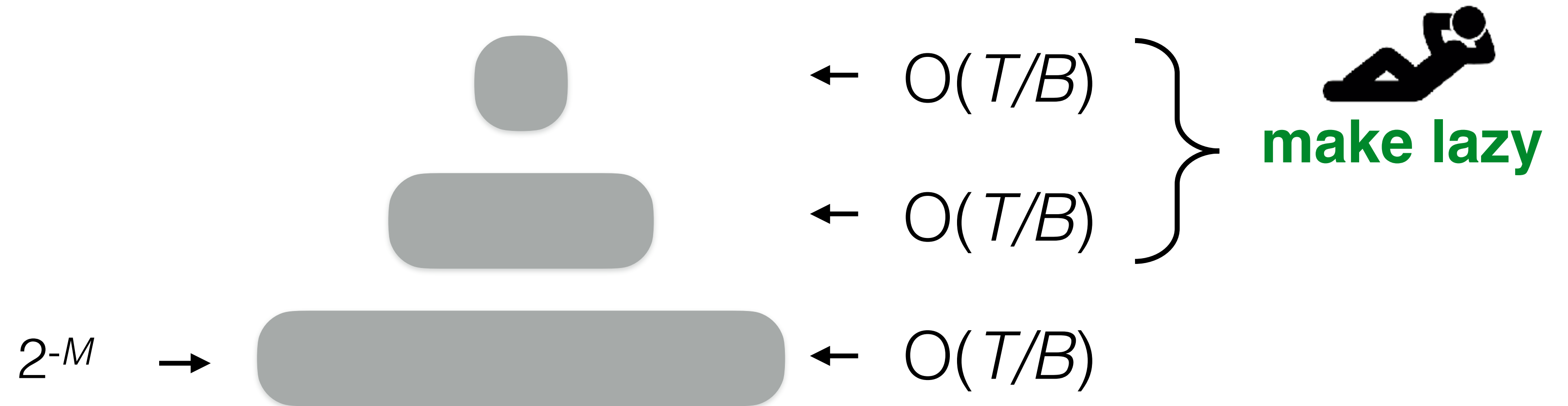


excessive

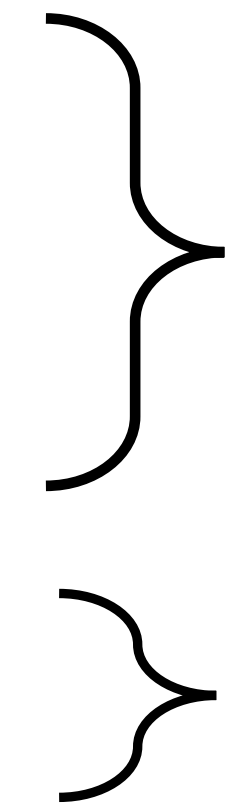
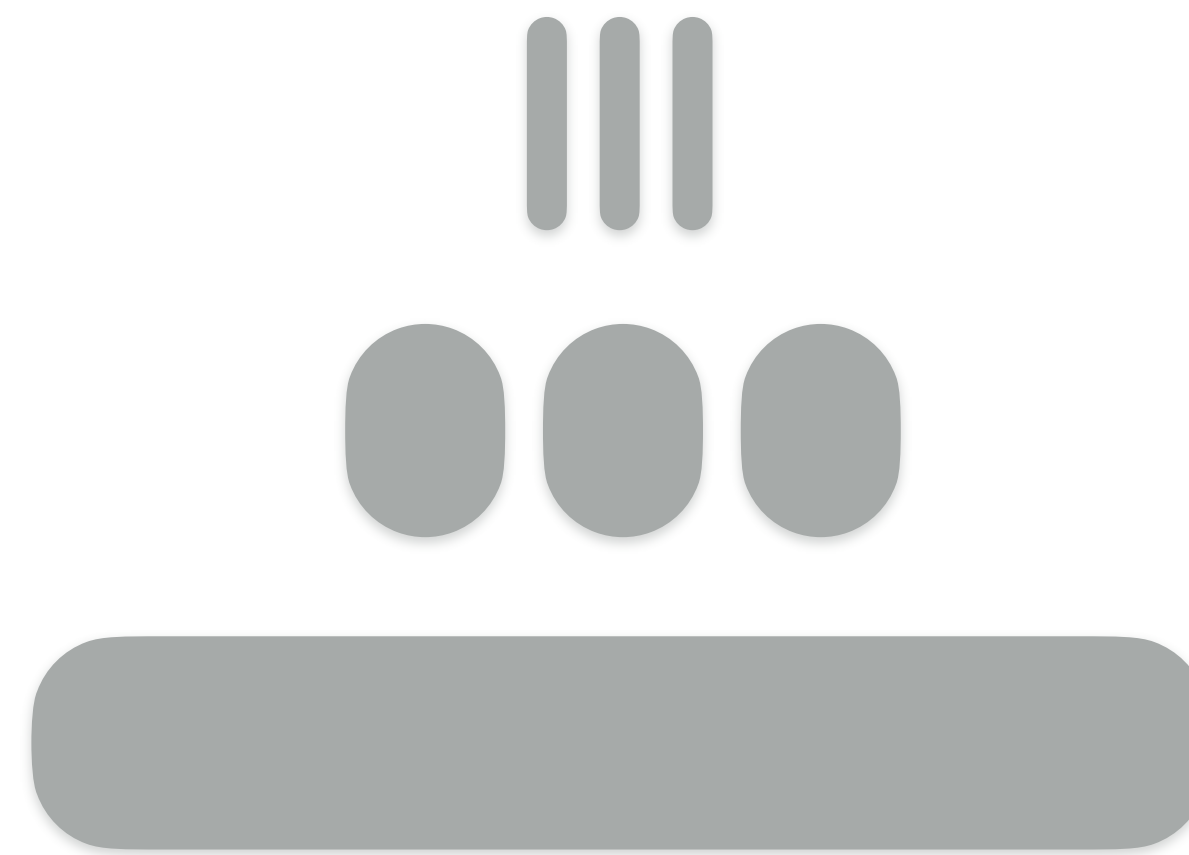


reads

writes



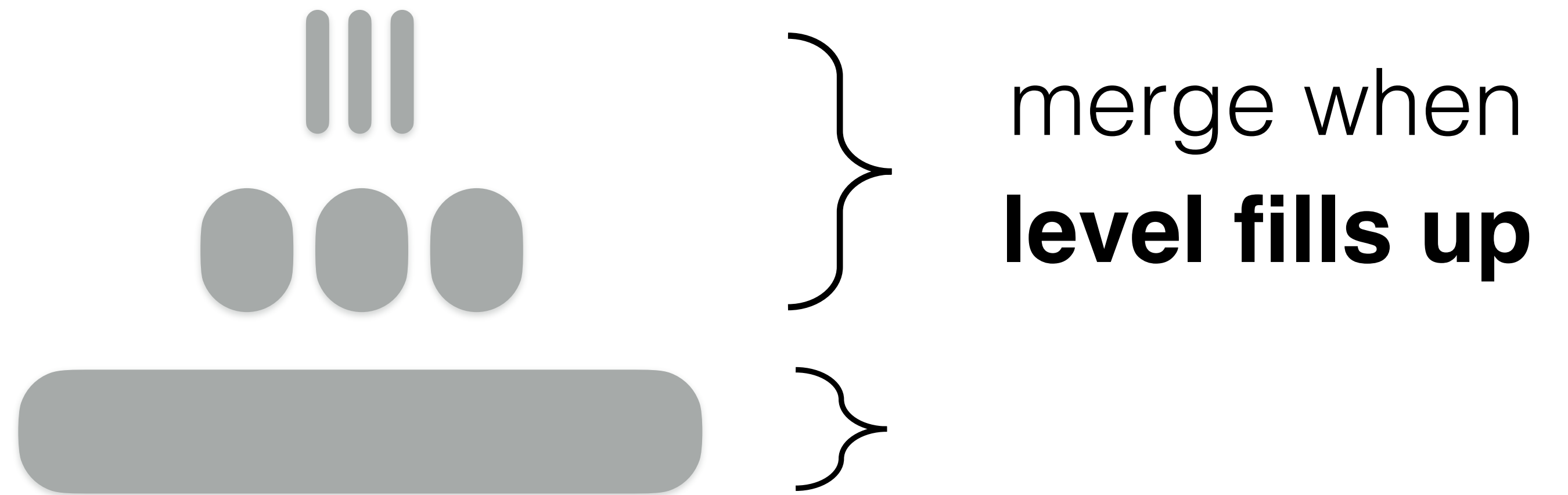
Dostoevsky



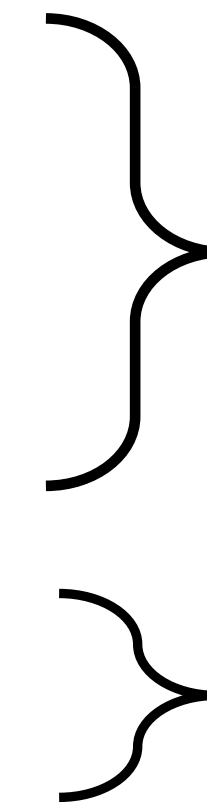
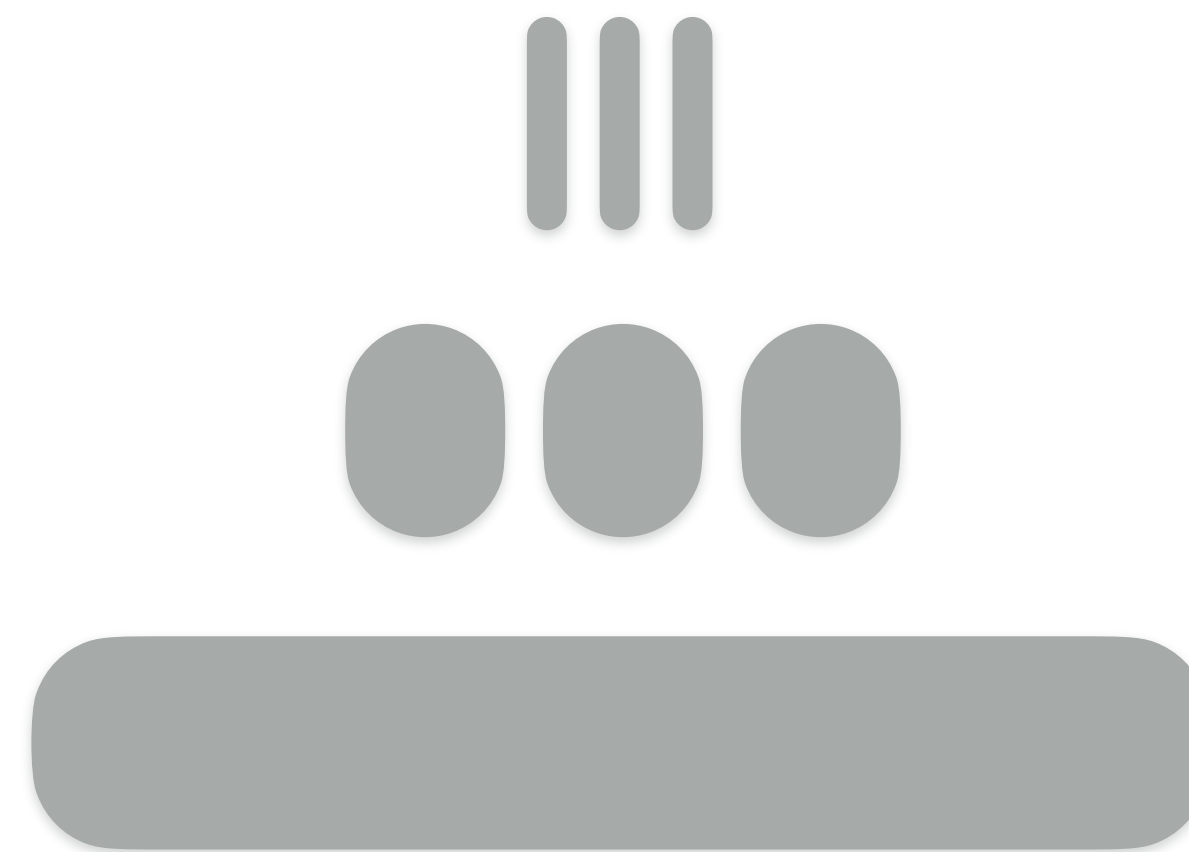
lazy

greedy

Dostoevsky



Dostoevsky



merge when
new run comes in

reads

writes



reads

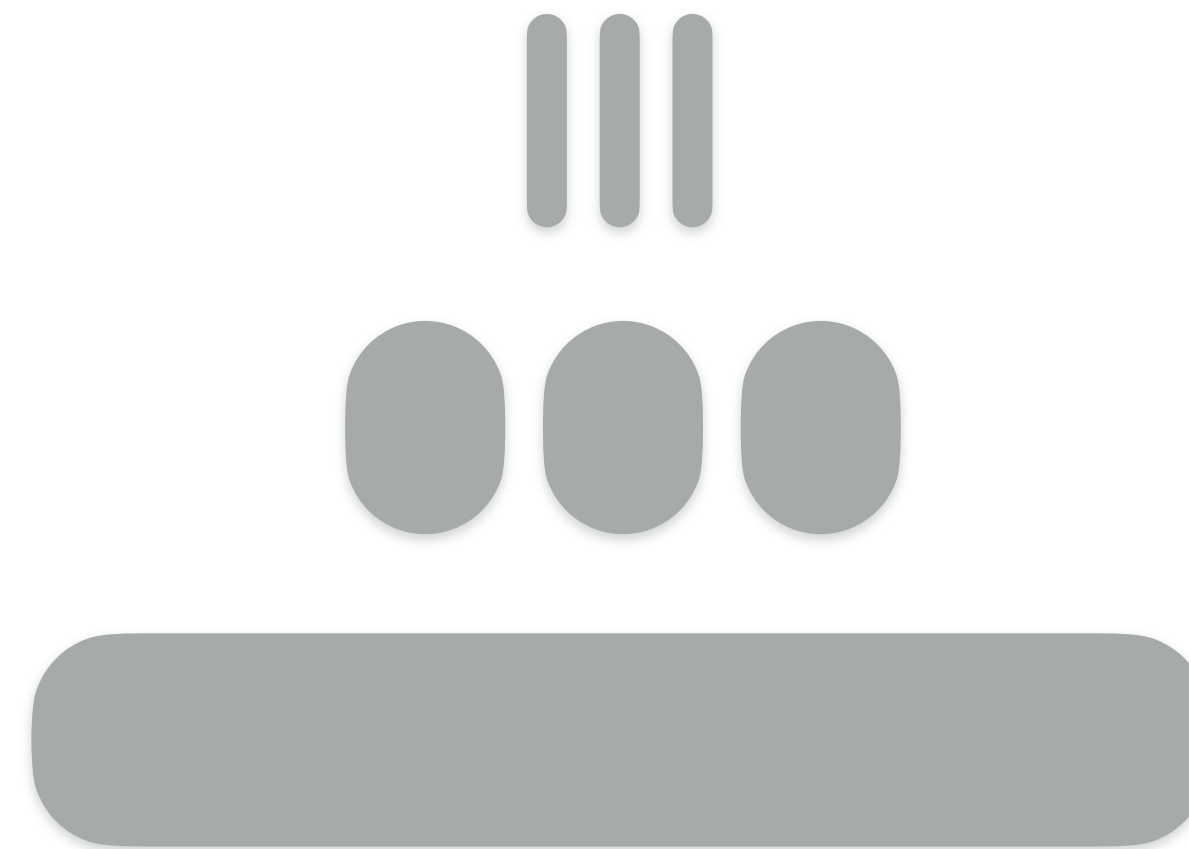
writes

false positive rates

$$2^{-M/T^3}$$

$$2^{-M/T^2}$$

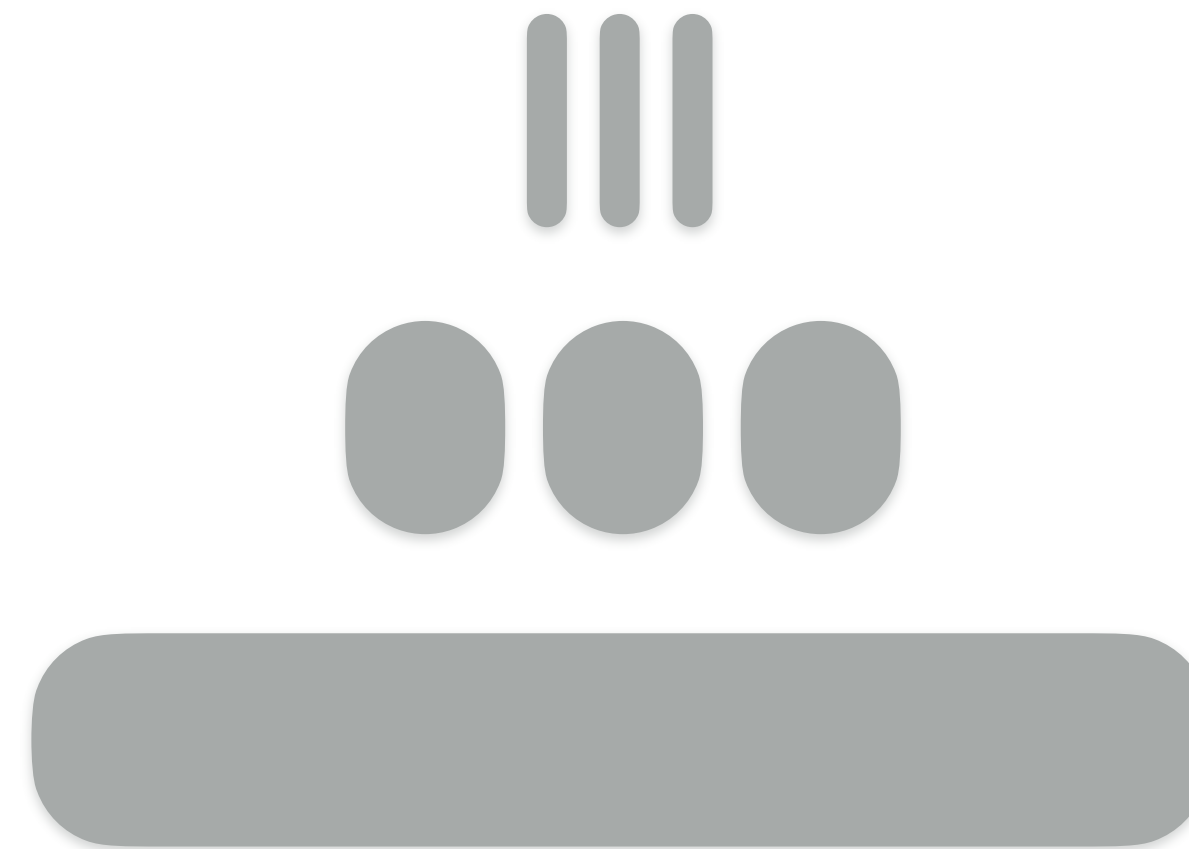
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reads

$O(2^{-M})$

writes



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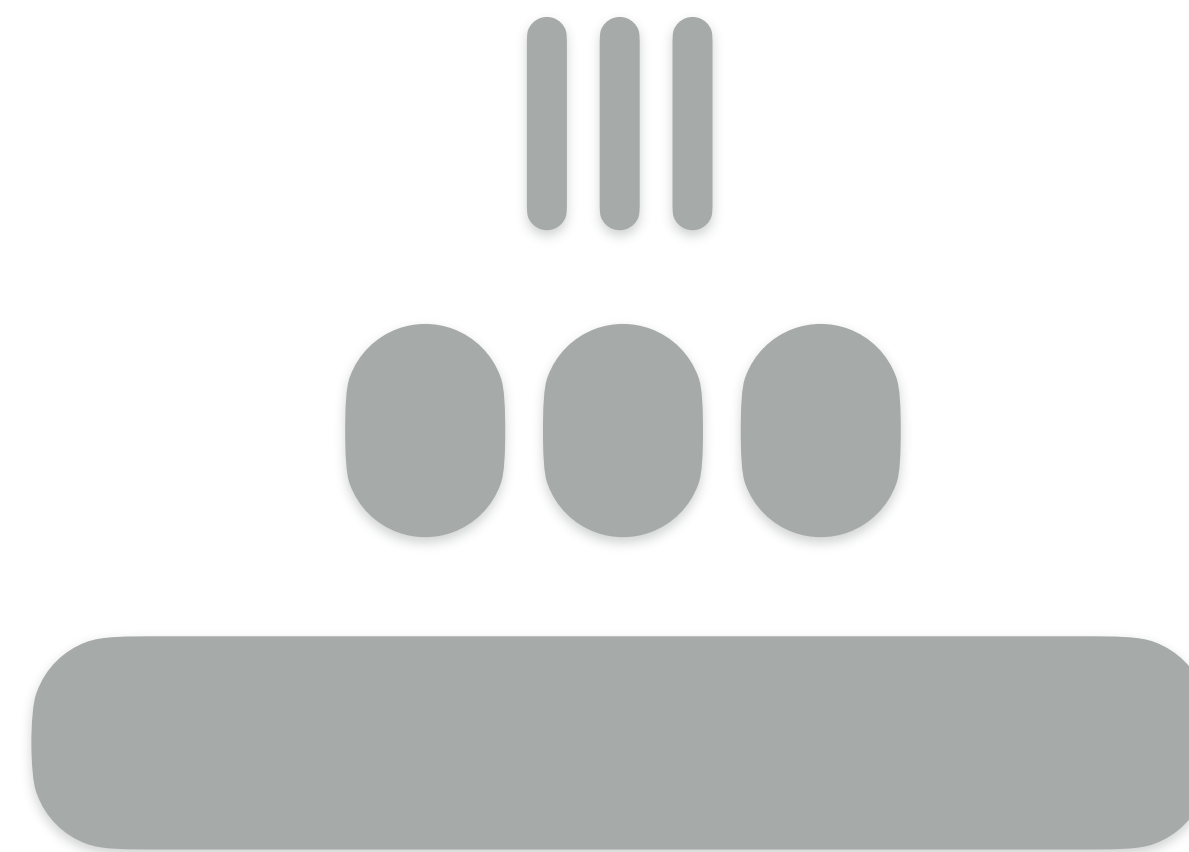
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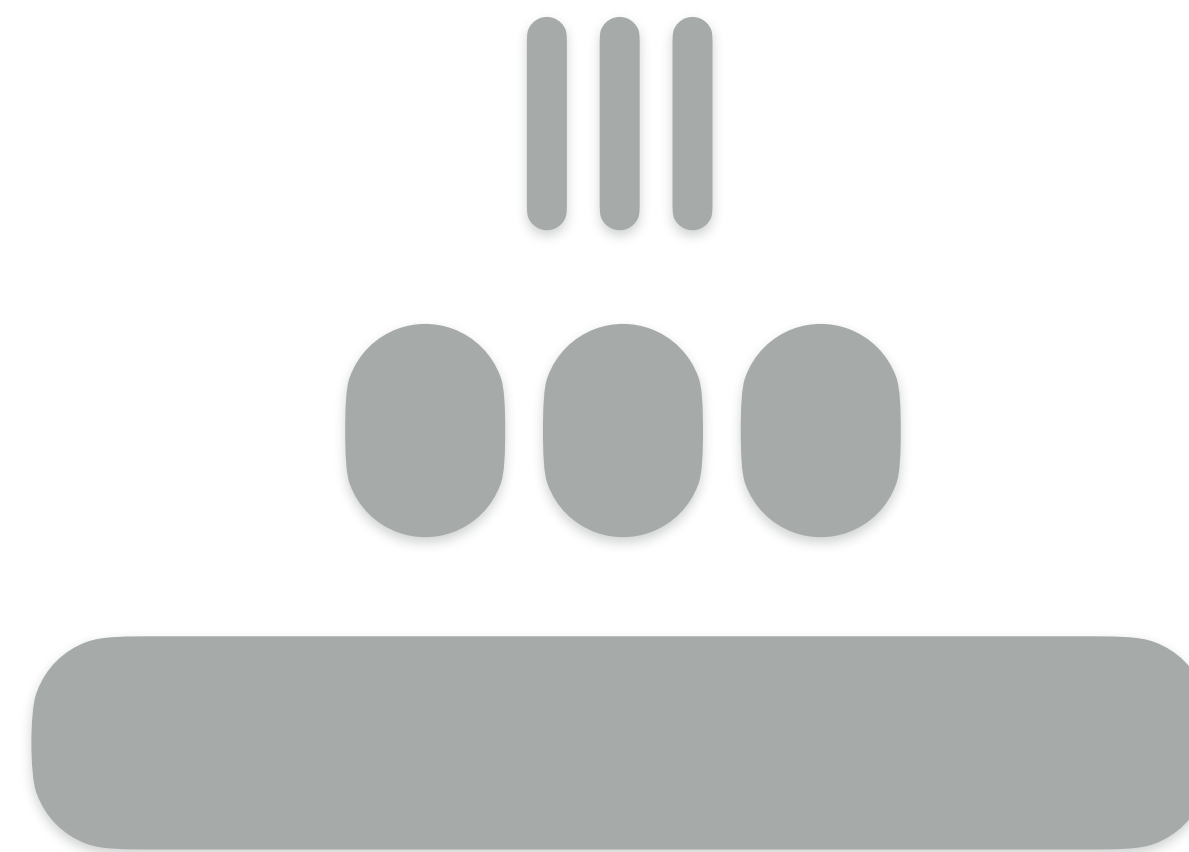
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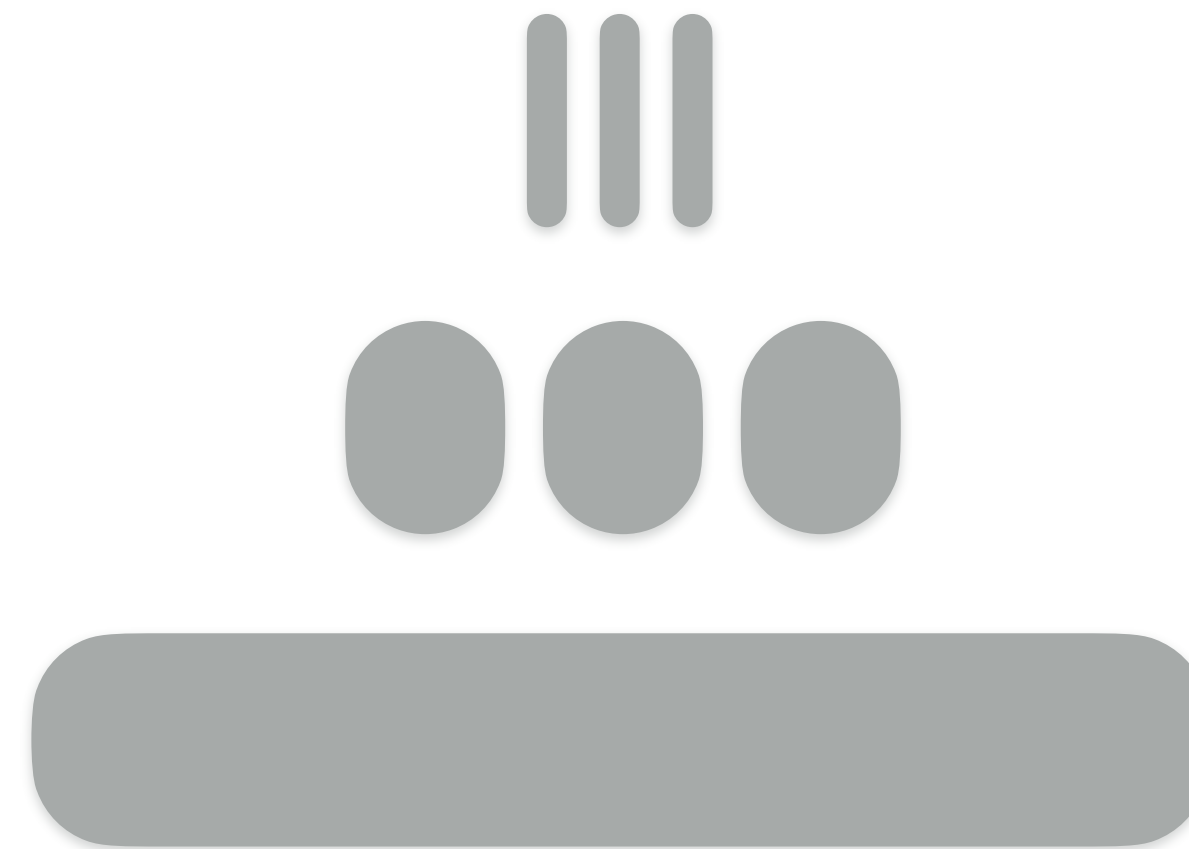
$$O((\mathbf{T + L})/B)$$

reads

$$O(2^{-M})$$

writes

$$O((T + L)/B)$$



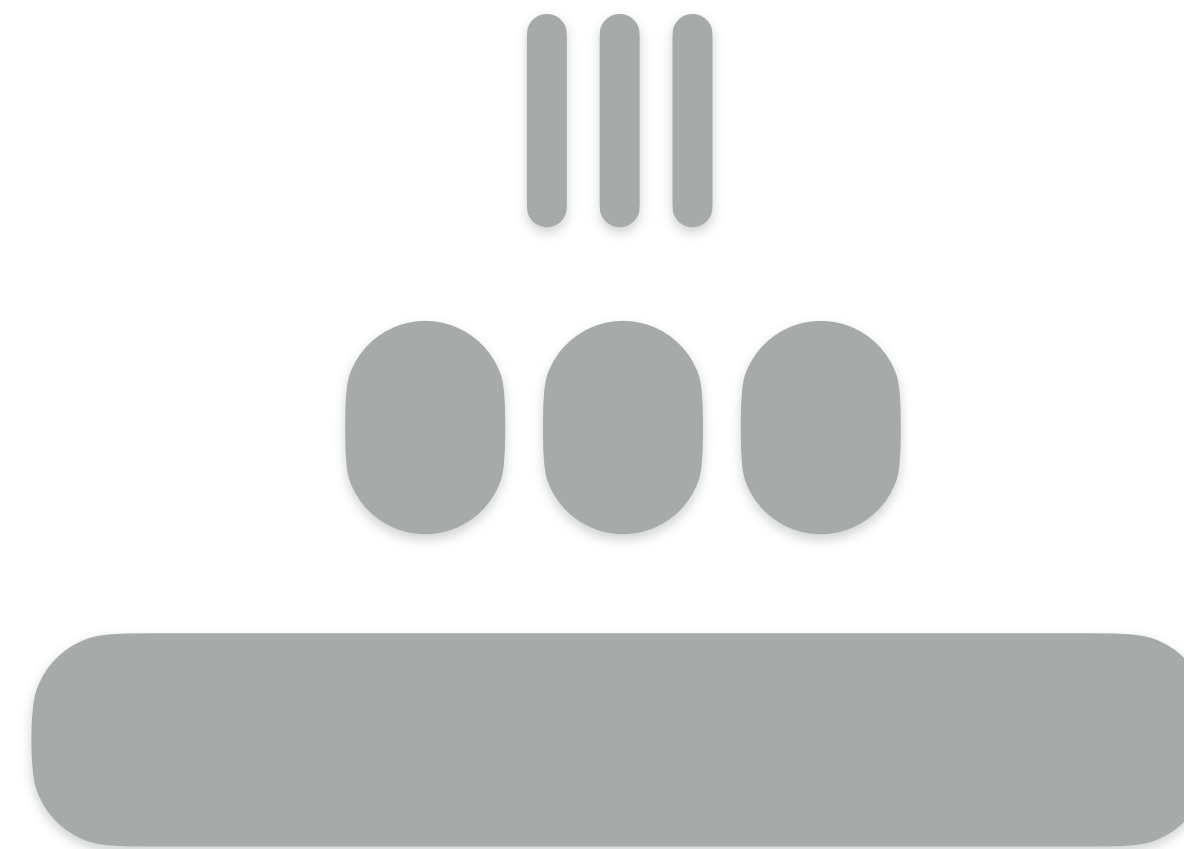
What would our read cost have been if we employed uniform FPRs at all levels?

reads

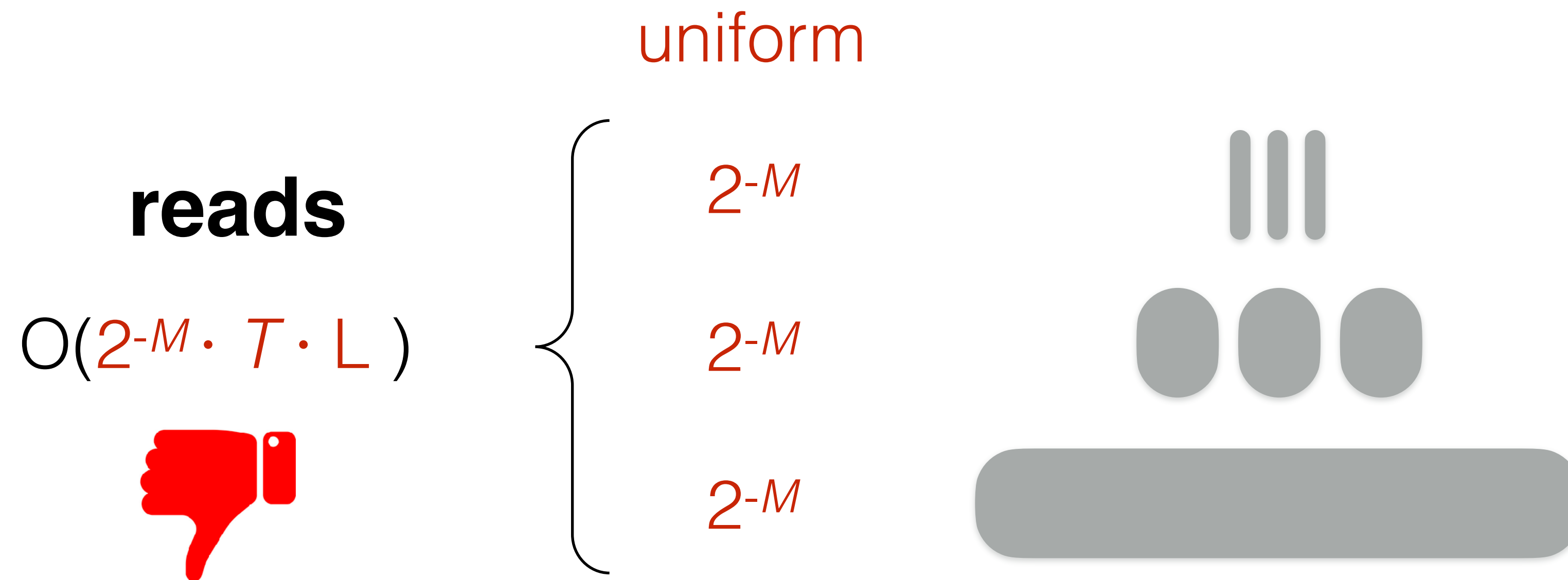
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writes

$$O((T + L)/B)$$

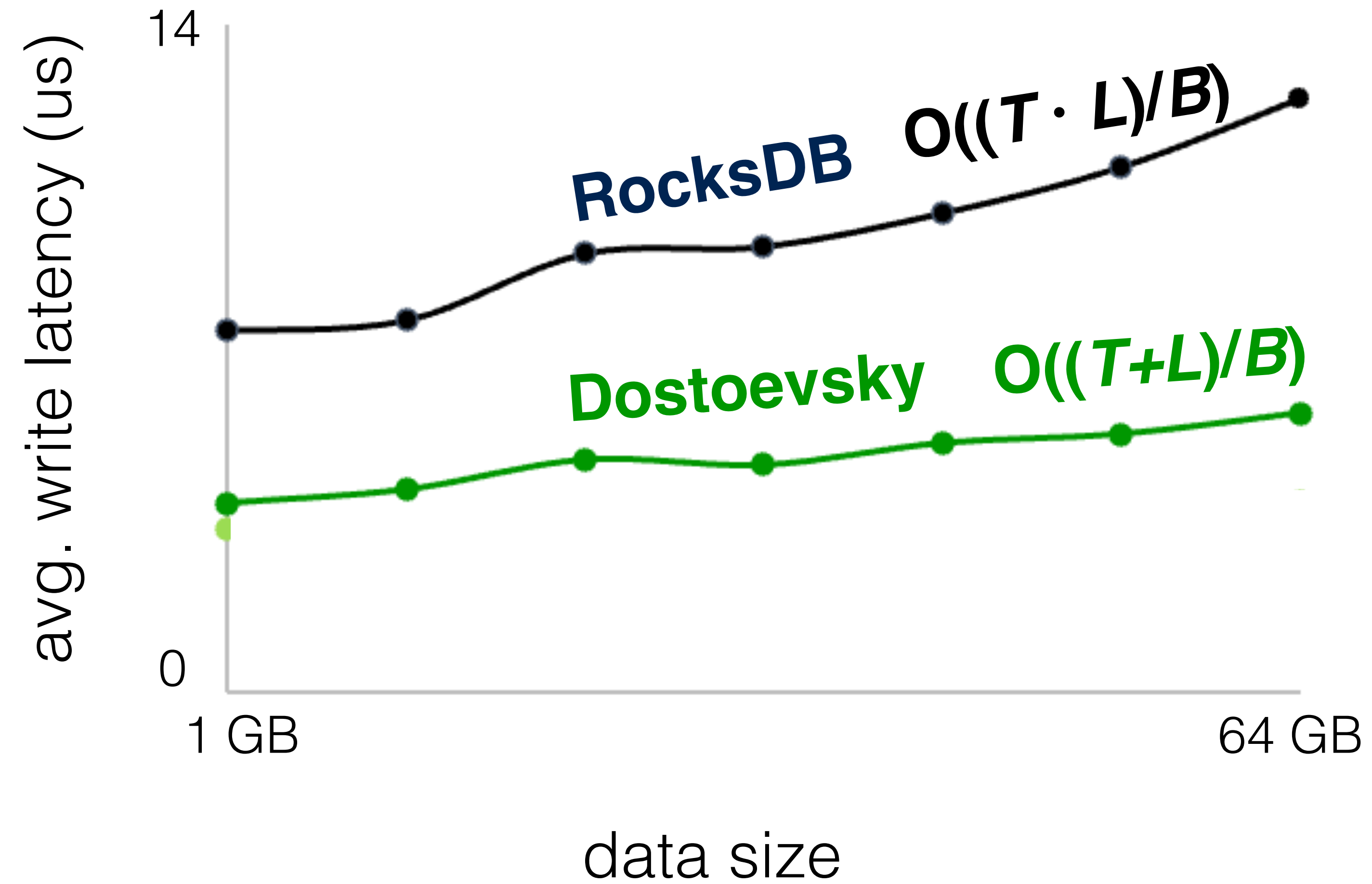


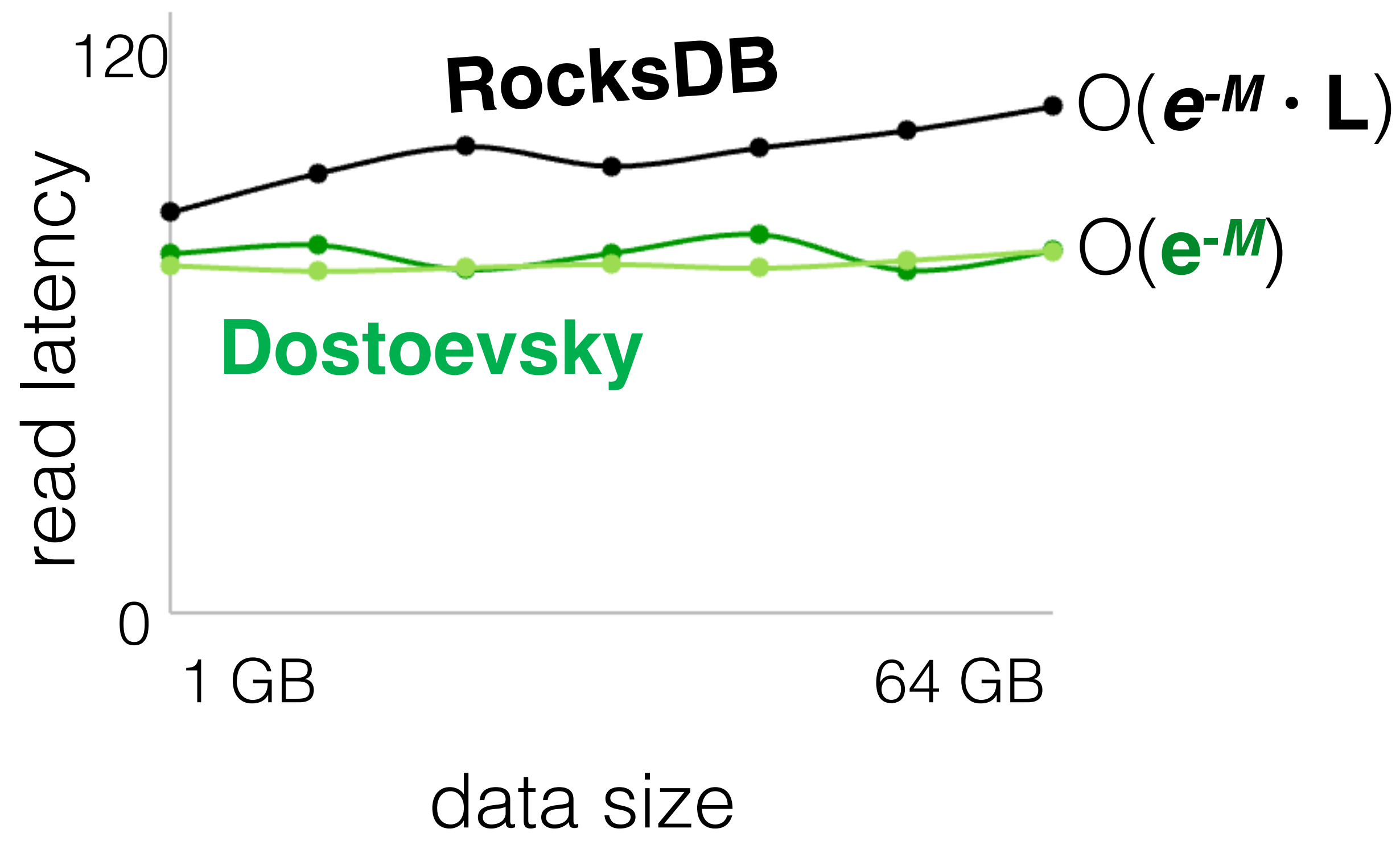
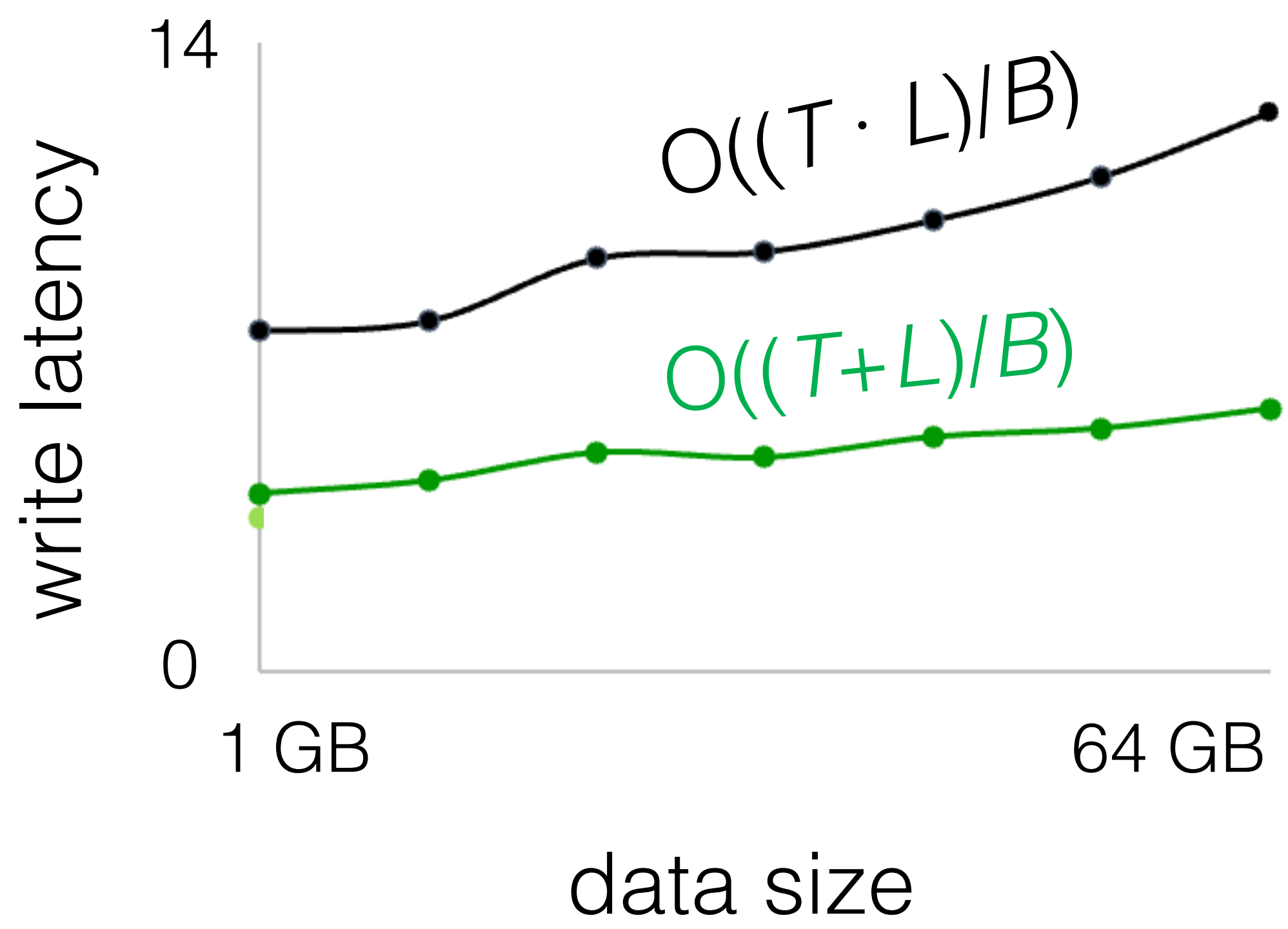
What would our read cost have been if we employed uniform FPRs at all levels?



Configuration

buffer 2MB
size ratio: 5
1KB entries
SSD storage





get I/O
cost

$$O(2^{-M} \cdot L)$$



$$O(2^{-M})$$

insert I/O
cost

$$O((T \cdot L)/B)$$



$$O((T+L)/B)$$

$$L = \log_T N/P$$

(Costs assuming leveling)

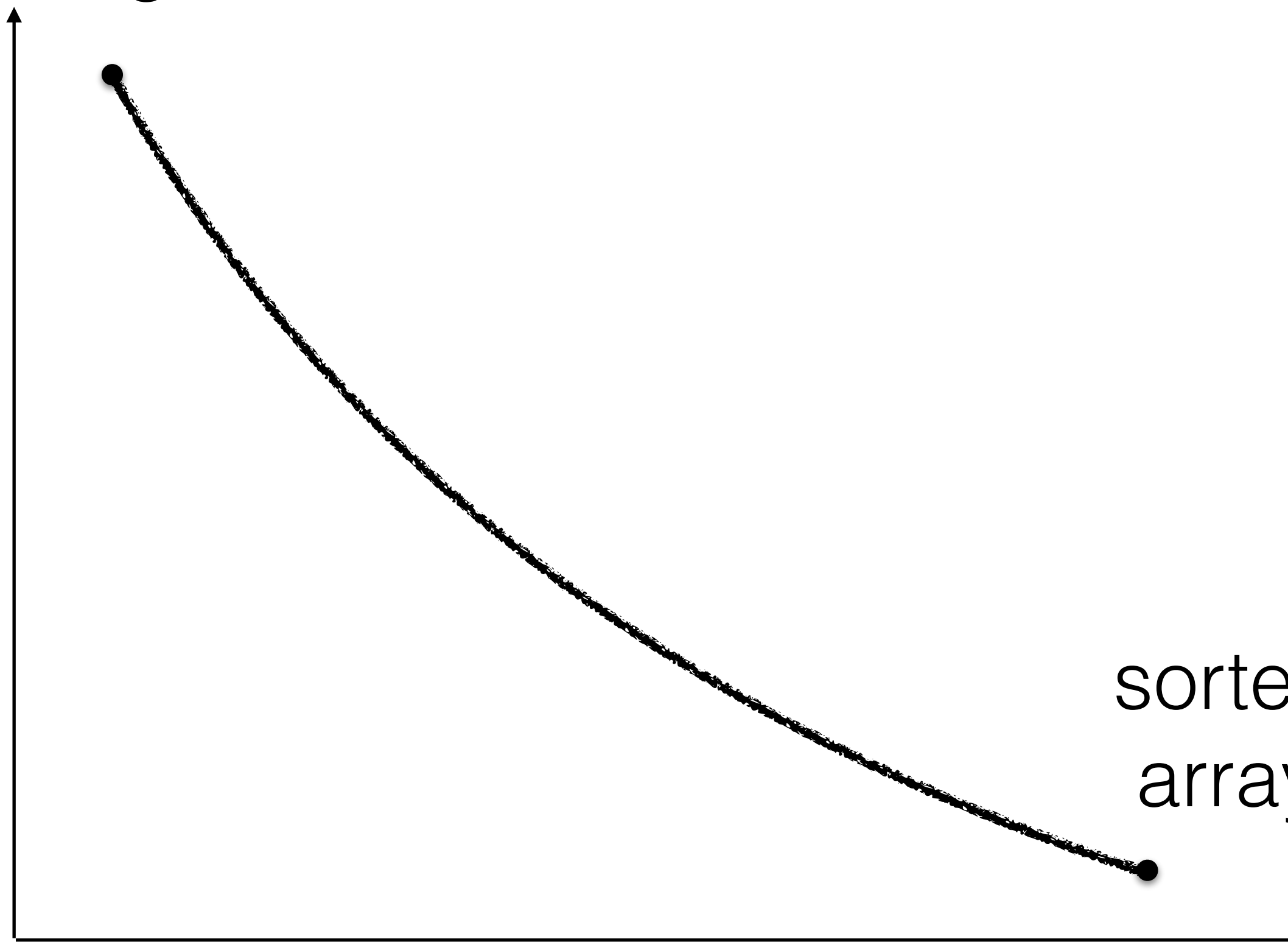
Better scalability with data growth



Reads



log

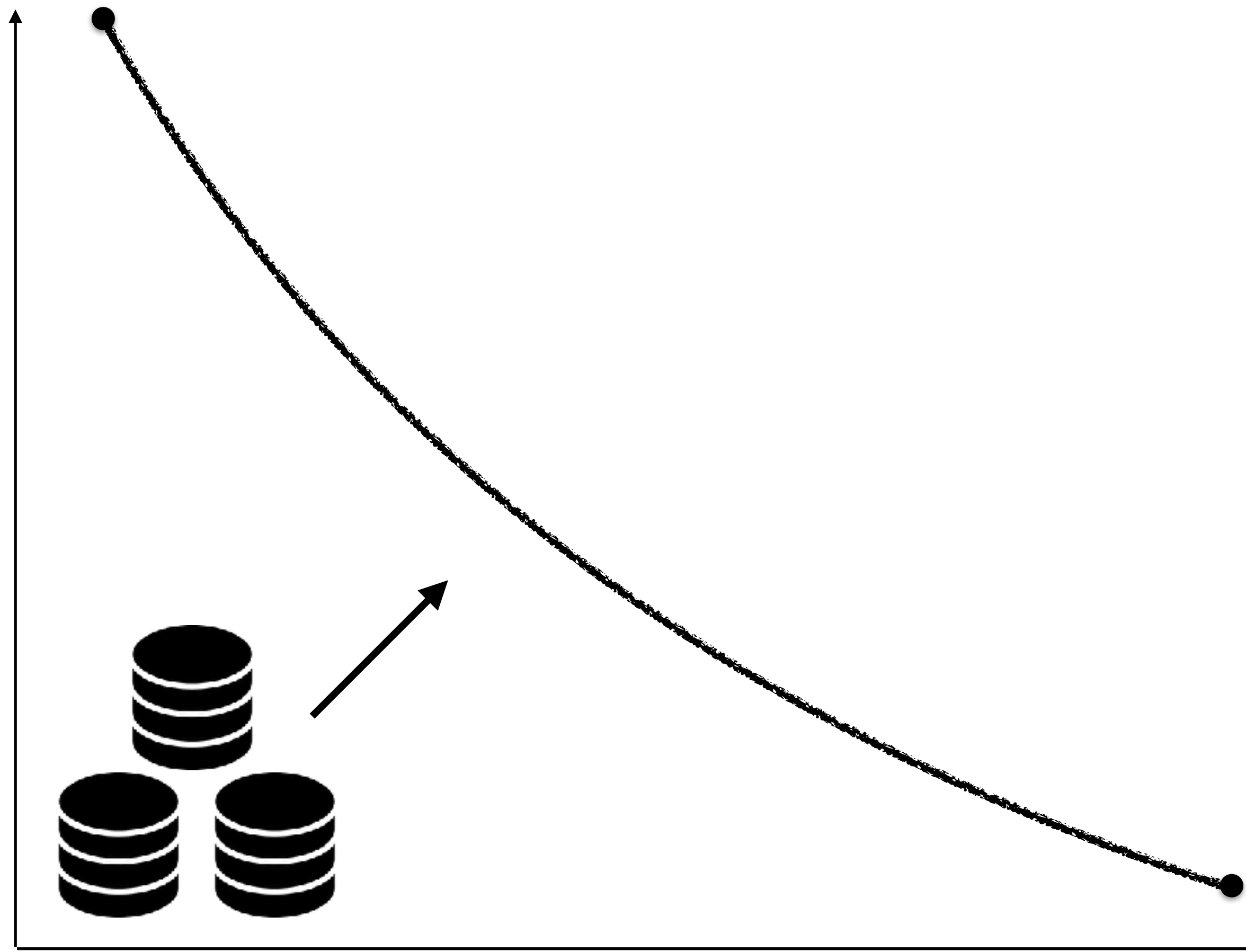


sorted
array



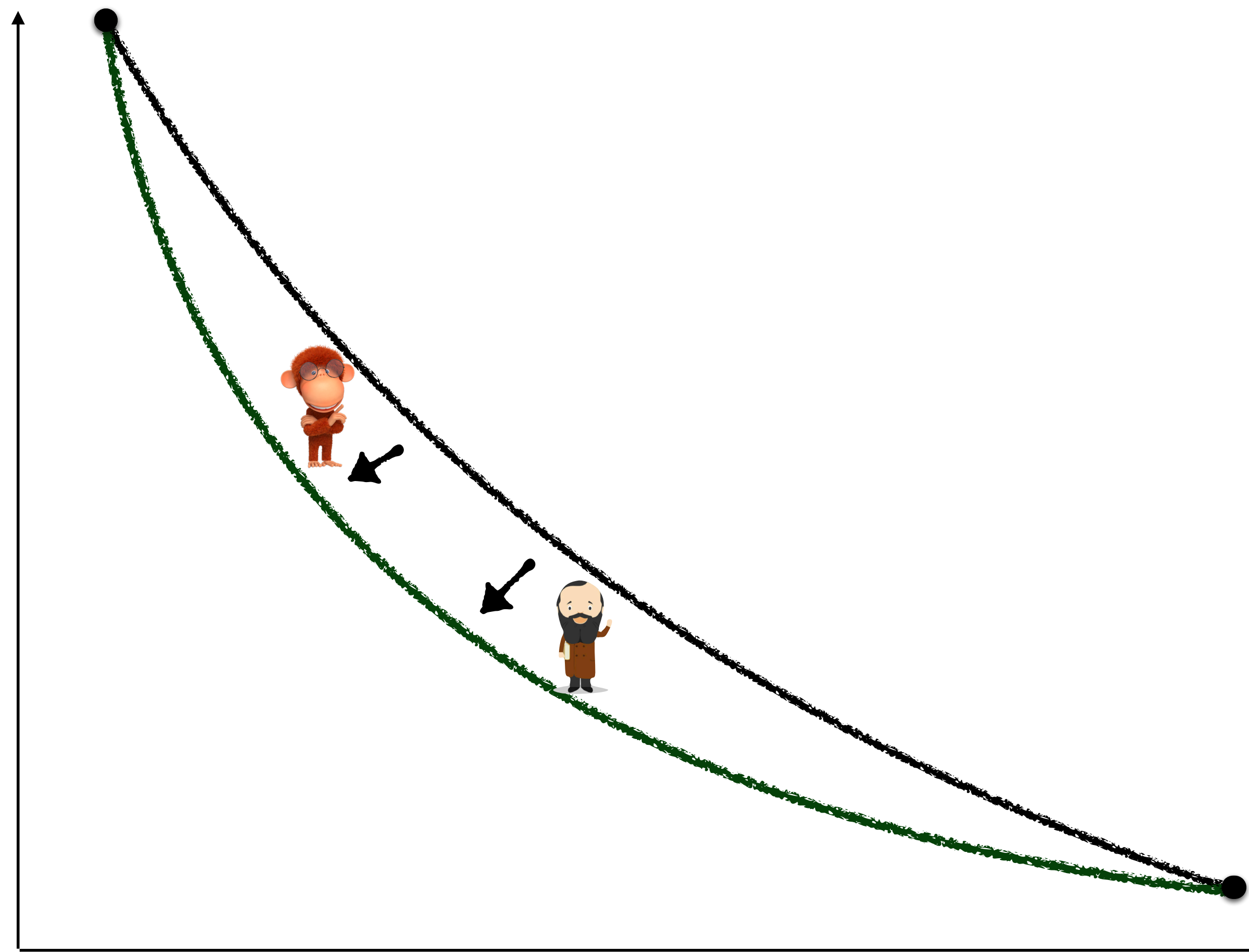
Writes

Reads



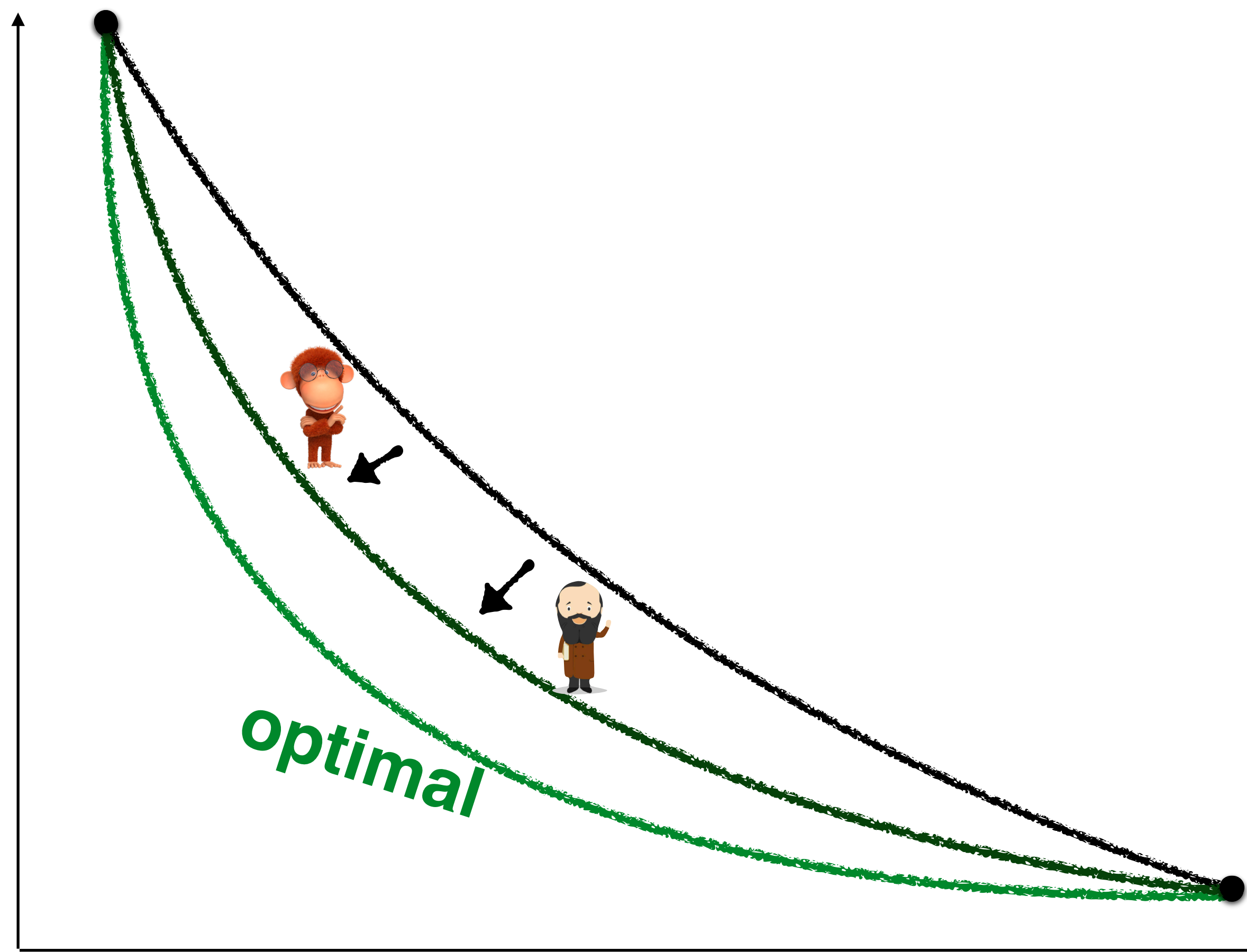
Writes

Reads



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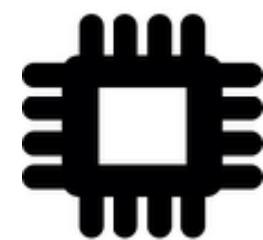


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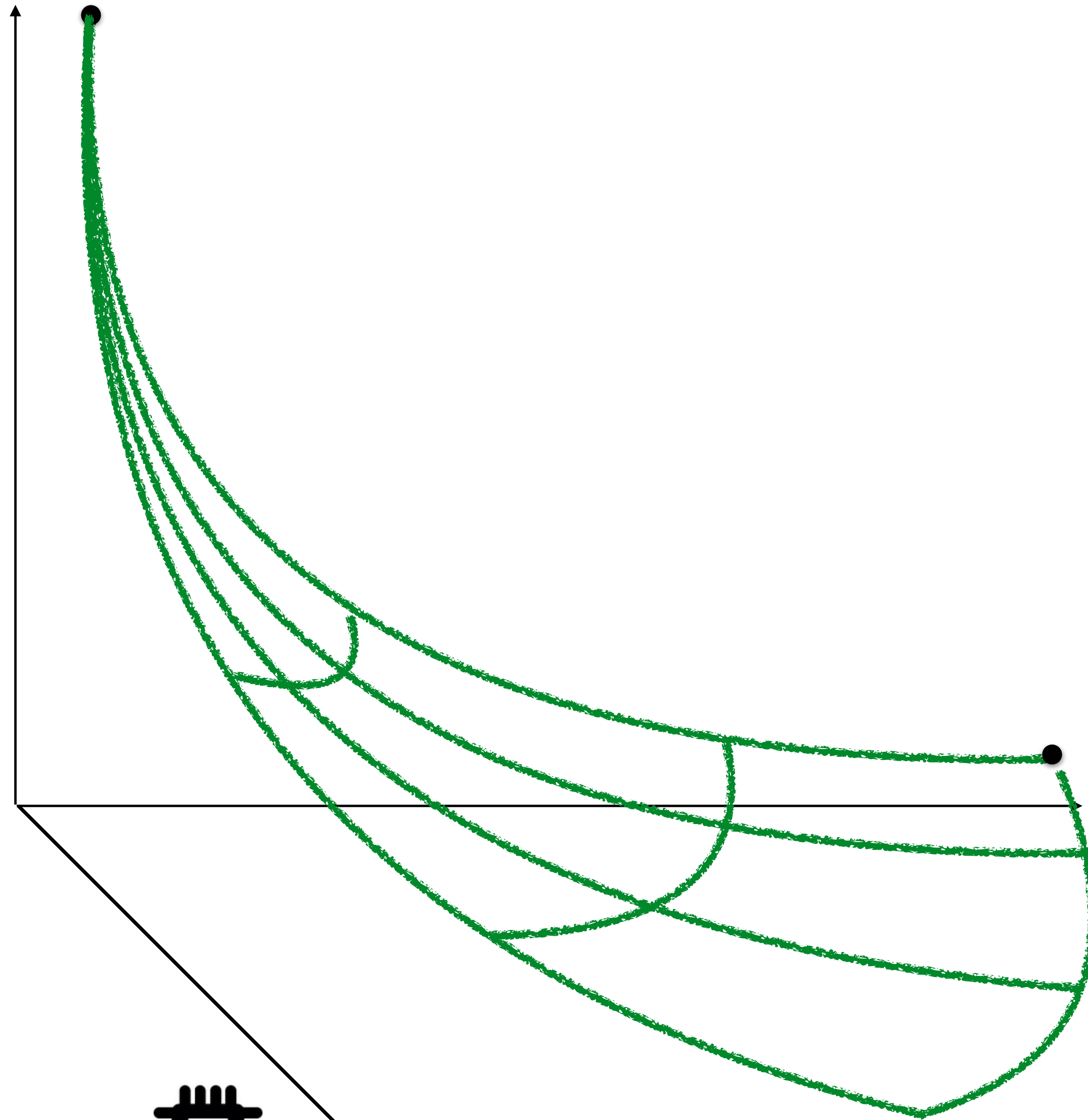
Reads



Memory

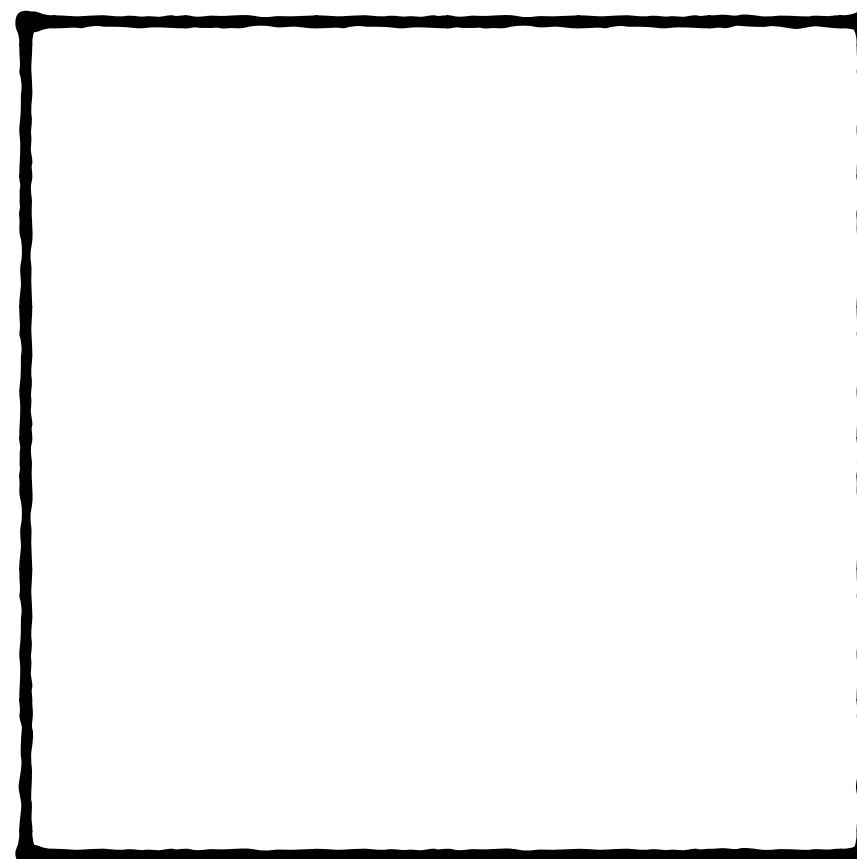


Writes



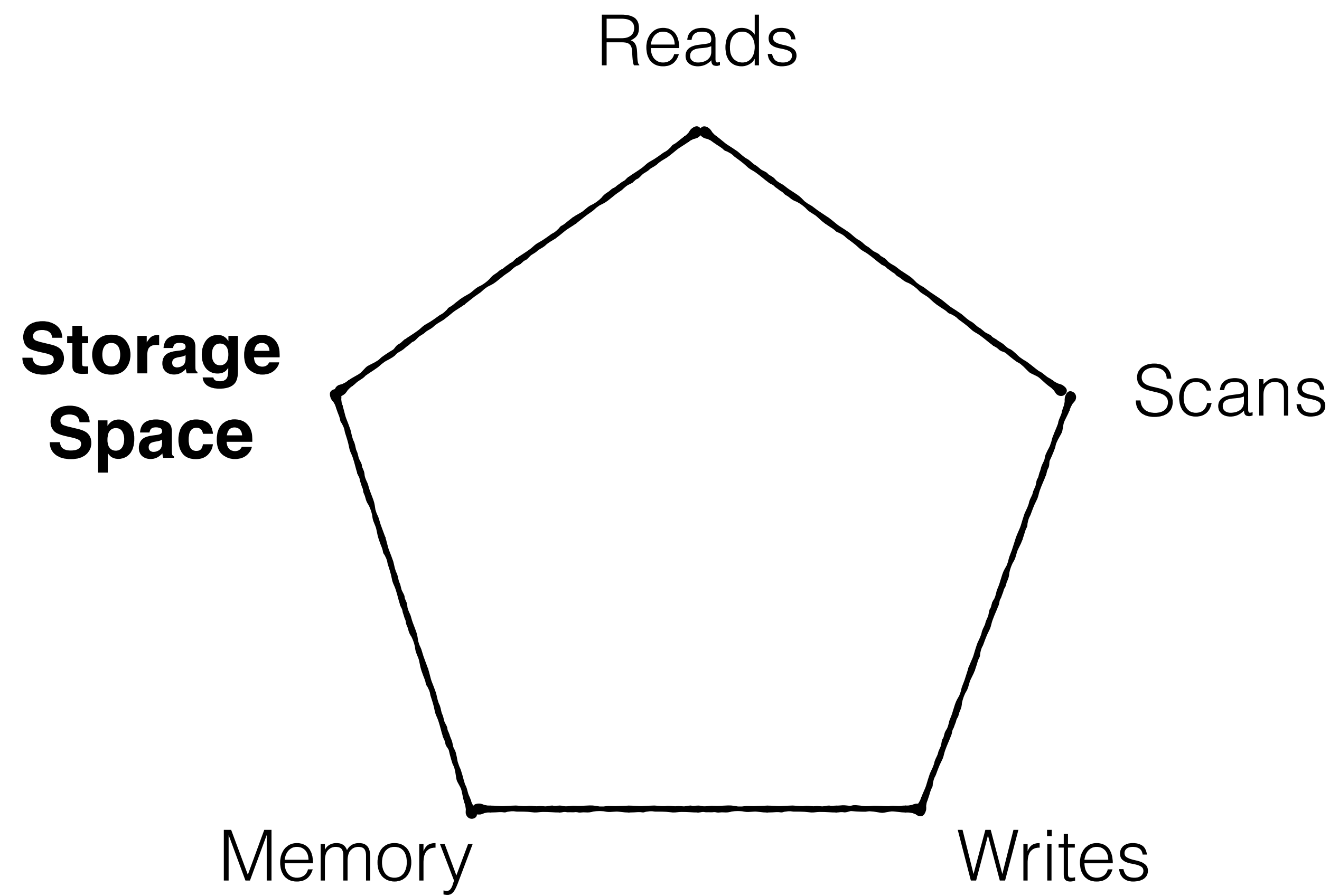
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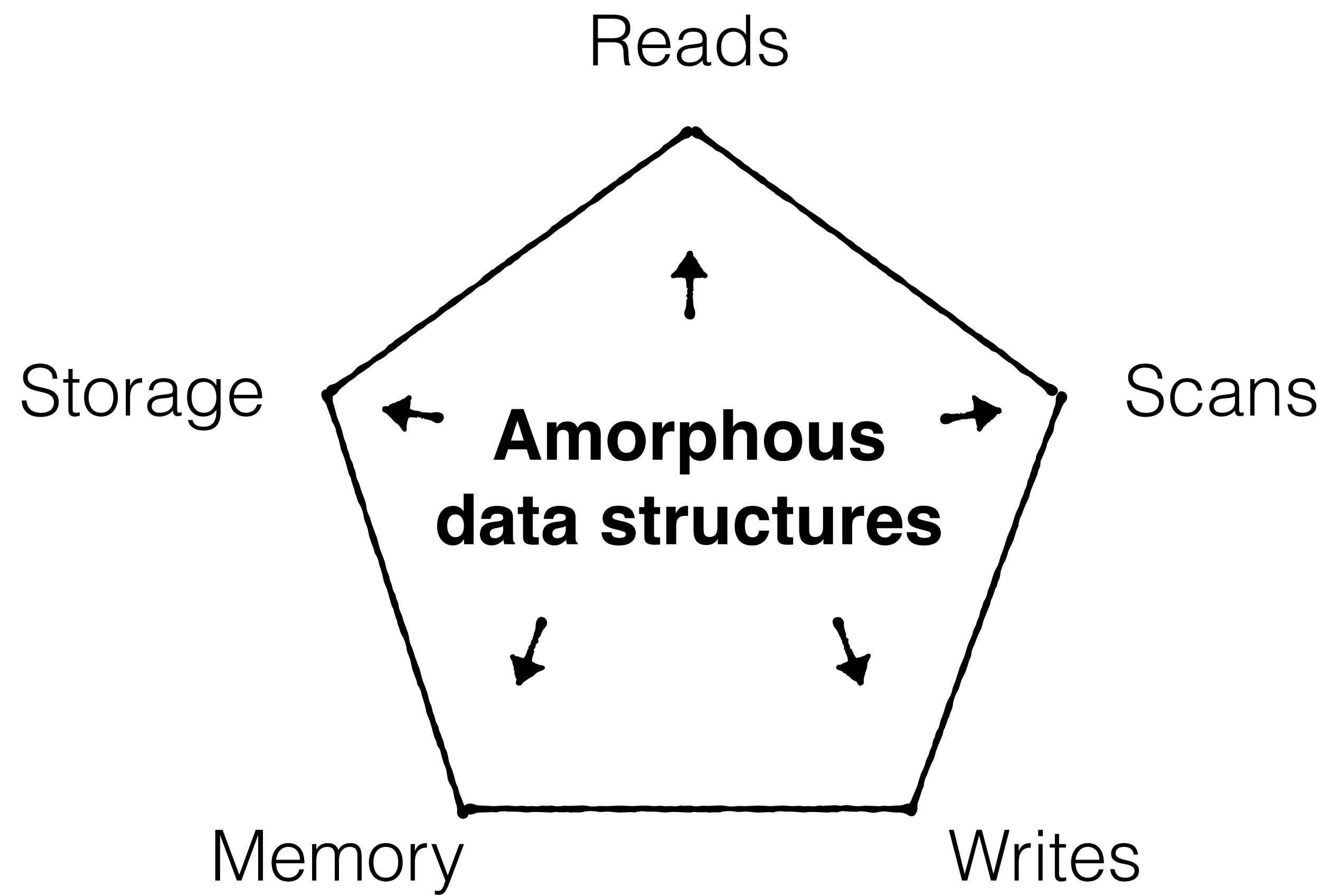
Range Scans



Memory

Writes





Thanks

