

Efficient Coalgebraic Partition Refinement

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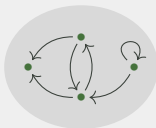
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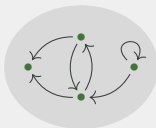


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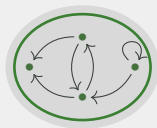
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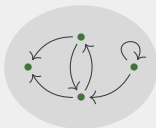
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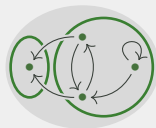
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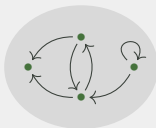
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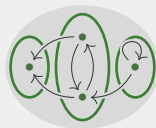
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3. Efficiency:

- (a) Incrementally compute partitions
- (b) Complexity Analysis

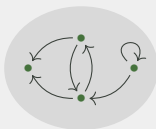
$$\mathcal{O}(m \cdot \log n)$$

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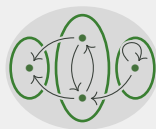
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Generic & Efficient
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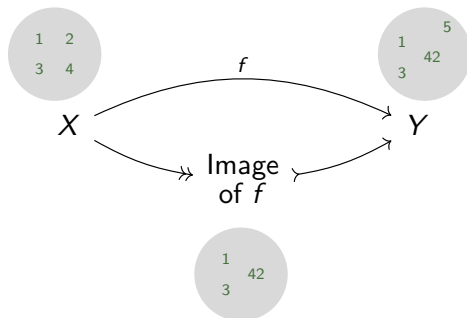
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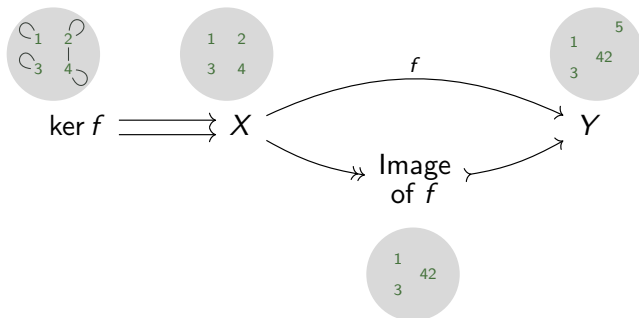
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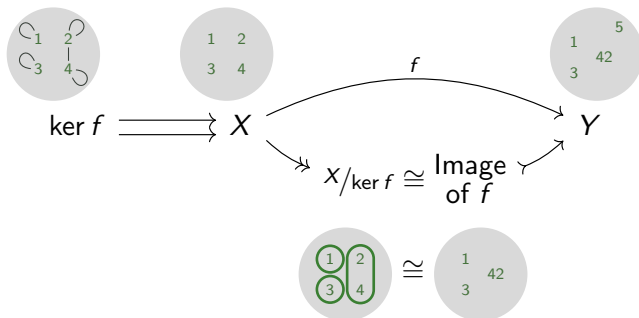
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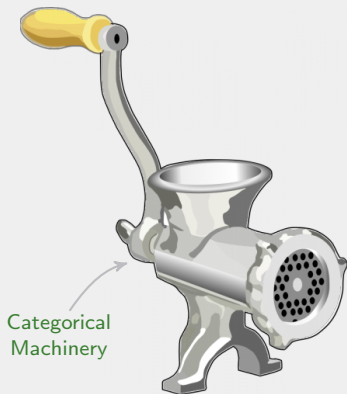
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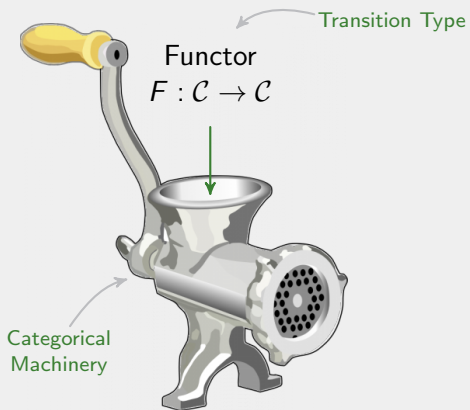


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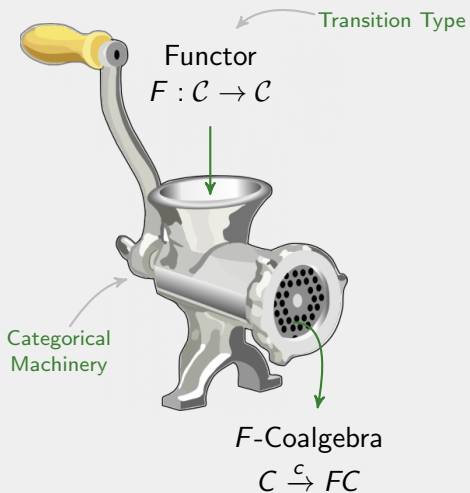
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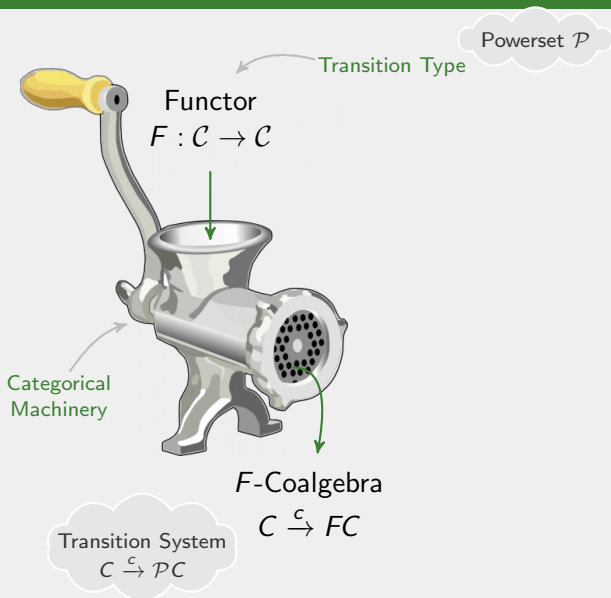
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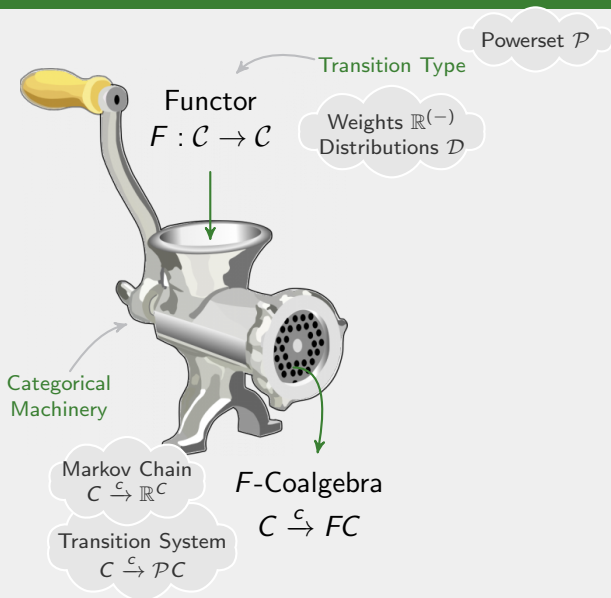
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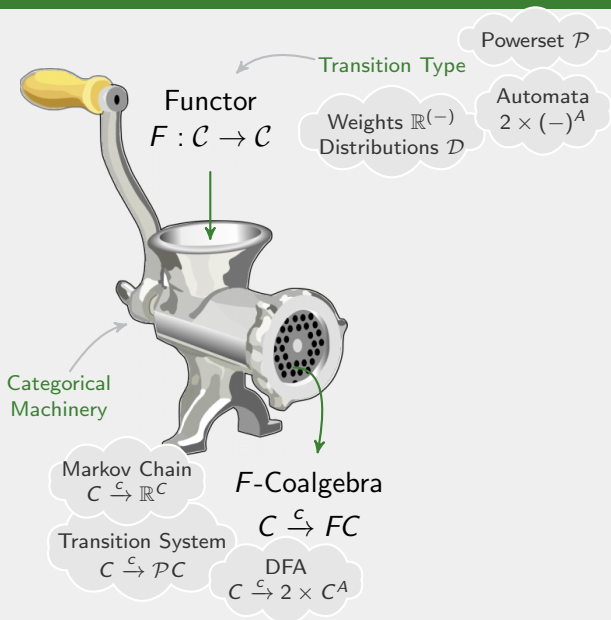
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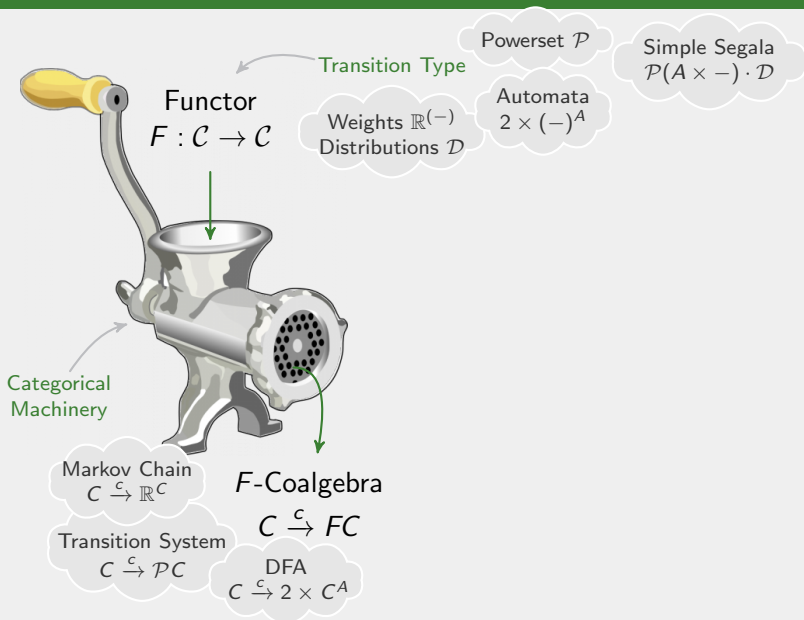
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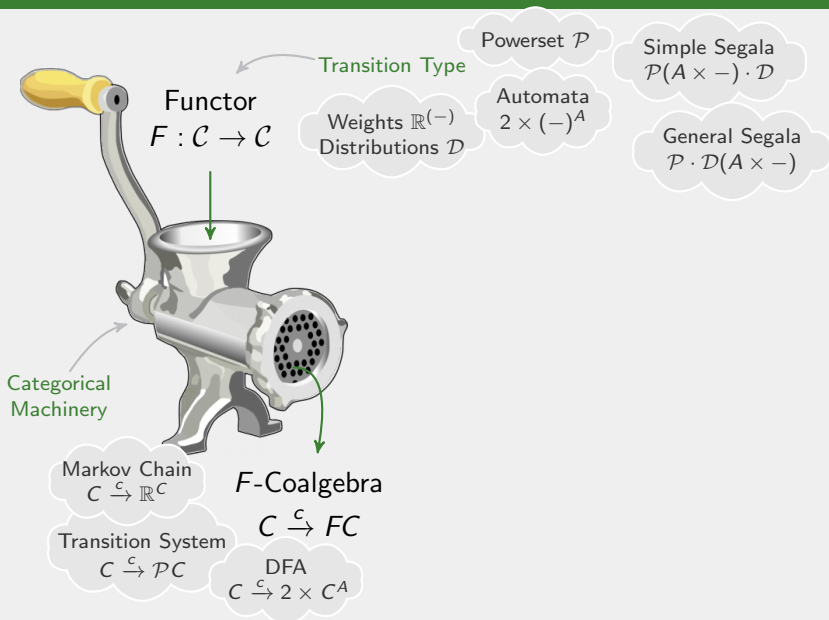
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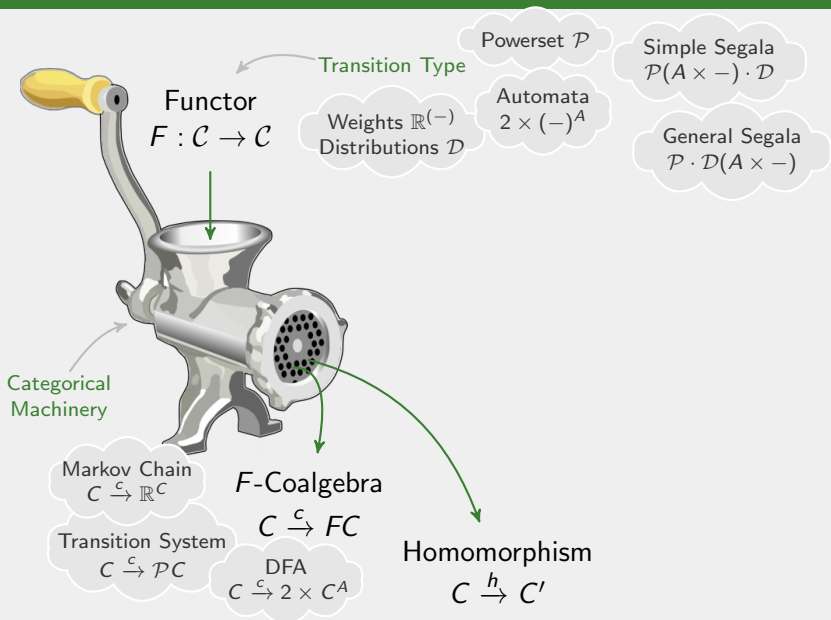
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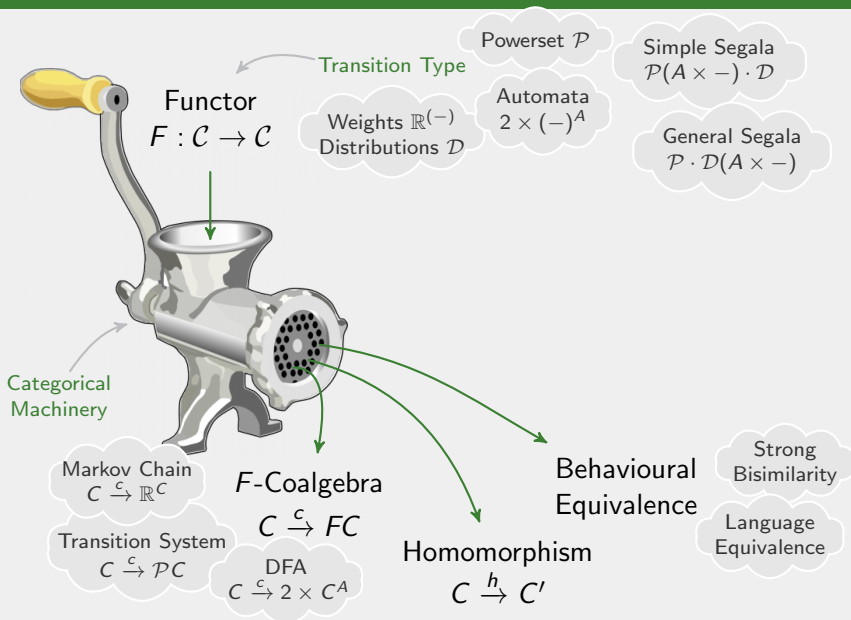
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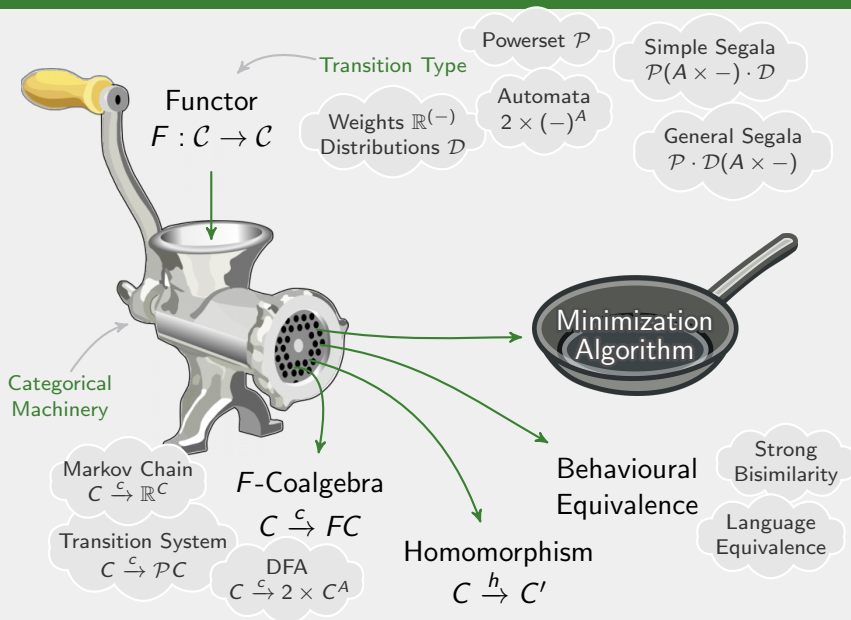
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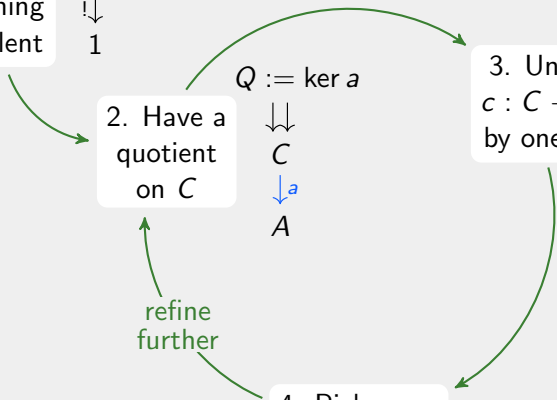
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\xrightarrow{b} (dashed red arrow from C to B)

$\xrightarrow{\text{heuristic}}$ (curved arrow from C/Q to B)

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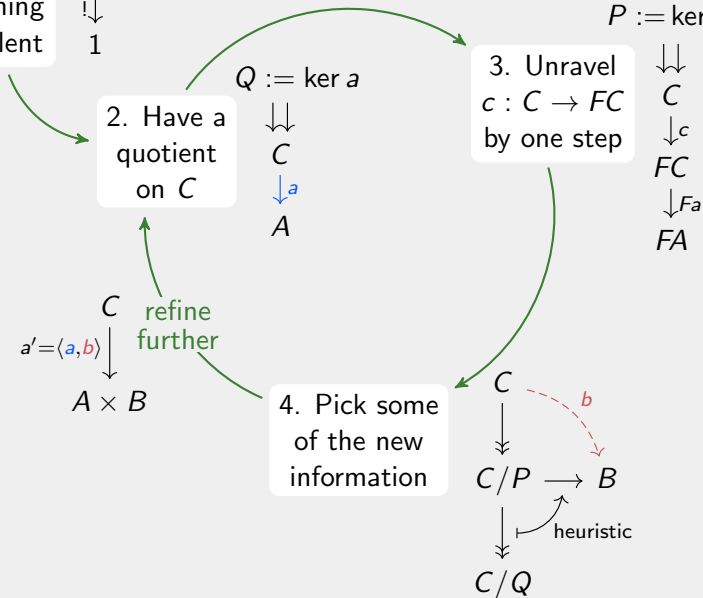
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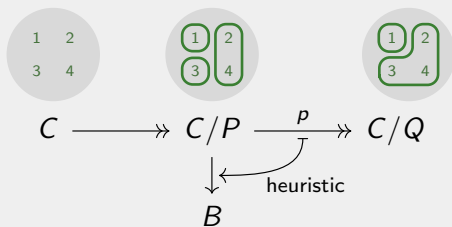
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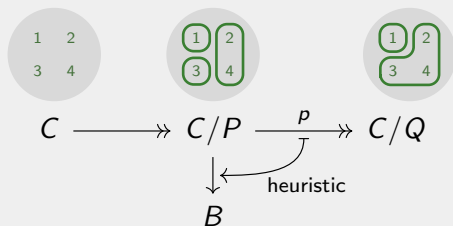
id on C/P :
use all new information

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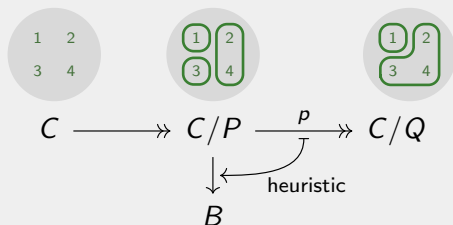


Use all new information

$B = C/P \rightsquigarrow$ Final Chain algorithm

König, Küpper '14

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Process the smaller half

Surrounding block in C/Q

Let $S \in C/P$, such that $2 \cdot |S| \leq |p(S)|$

$B = \{ \overset{\{3\}}{\text{ChosenBlock}}, \overset{\{2, 4\}}{\text{SameSurroundingBlock}}, \overset{\{1\}}{\text{RemainingBlocks}} \}$

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If $P_i \cong Q_i$, then this

1. is a coalgebra
2. has no proper quotient

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Question: When is $\ker F\langle a, b \rangle = \ker \langle Fa, Fb \rangle$?

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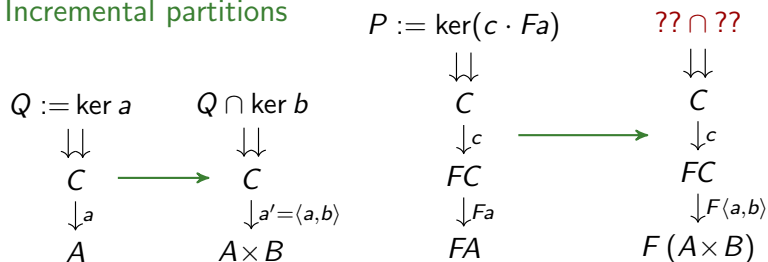
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 \xrightarrow{\quad}
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Process smaller half for $X \xrightarrow{f} F \xrightarrow{g} G$

Find $x \in X$, with $S := [x]_f$, $C := [x]_{gf}$, such that $2 \cdot |S| \leq |C|$.

Return $\langle \chi_S, \chi_C \rangle : X \rightarrow 2 \times 2$

Functor encoding

- internal weights $W, w : FX \rightarrow \mathcal{P}X \rightarrow W$
- edge labels L
- $b : FX \rightarrow \mathcal{B}_f(L \times X)$
- update : $\mathcal{B}_f(L) \times W \longrightarrow W \times F(2 \times 2) \times W$



Functor:	$G(-)$	\mathcal{B}_f	\mathcal{D}	\mathcal{P}	F_Σ
Labels L :	G	\mathbb{N}	$[0, 1]$	1	\mathbb{N}
Weights W :	$G^{(2)}$	$\mathcal{B}_f 2$	$\mathcal{D} 2$	\mathbb{N}	$F_\Sigma 2$
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