

Announcements

- Exam 2 Solutions Online
- Homework 4 Online, Due Friday
- Change to time and location of Stanlislaw's Tuesday office hours

Today

- Dynamic Programming
- Longest Common Subsequence

Dynamic Programming (Ch 6)

- Background and past examples
- Longest Common Subsequence
- Knapsack
- Chain Matrix Multiplication
- All-Pairs Shortest Paths
- Independent Sets of Trees
- Travelling Salesman

Computing Fibonacci Numbers

Recall:

$$F_n = 1 \text{ if } n = 0 \text{ or } 1$$

$$F_n = F_{n-1} + F_{n-2} \text{ otherwise}$$

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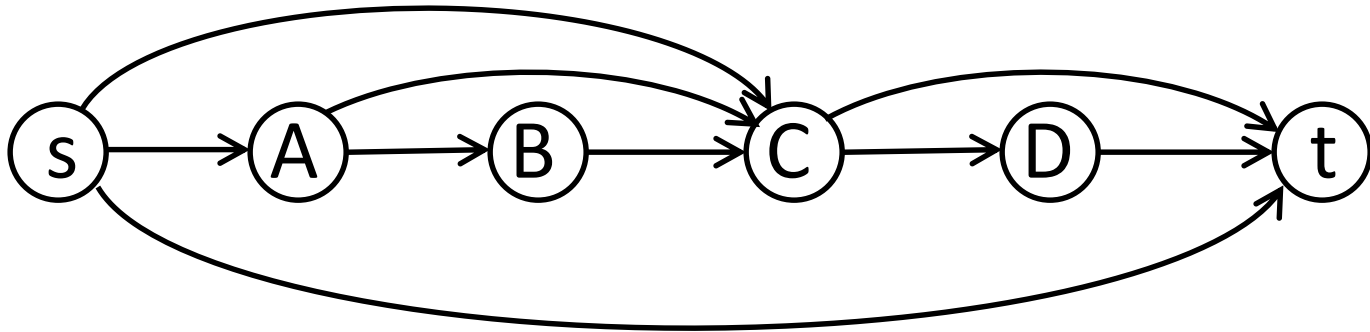
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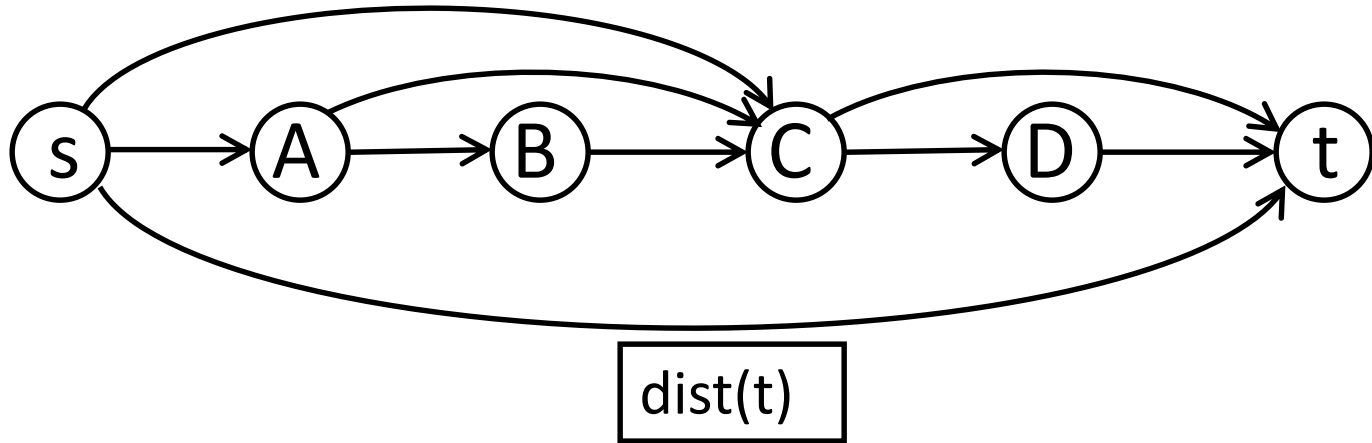
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applied to vertices in topological order.

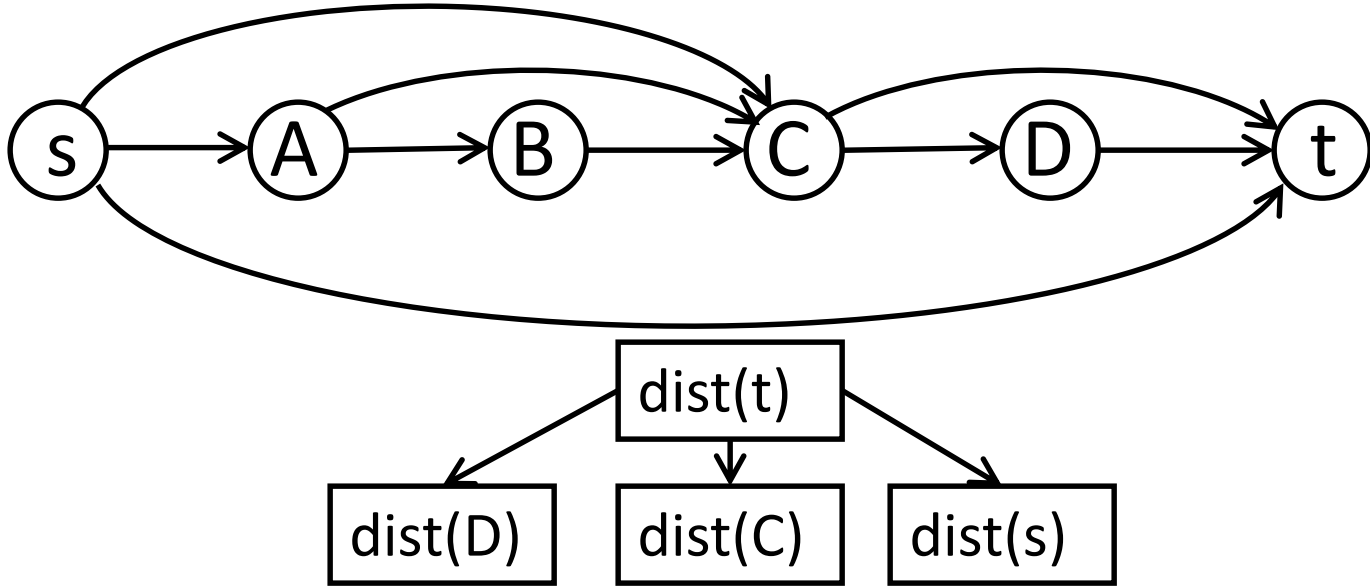
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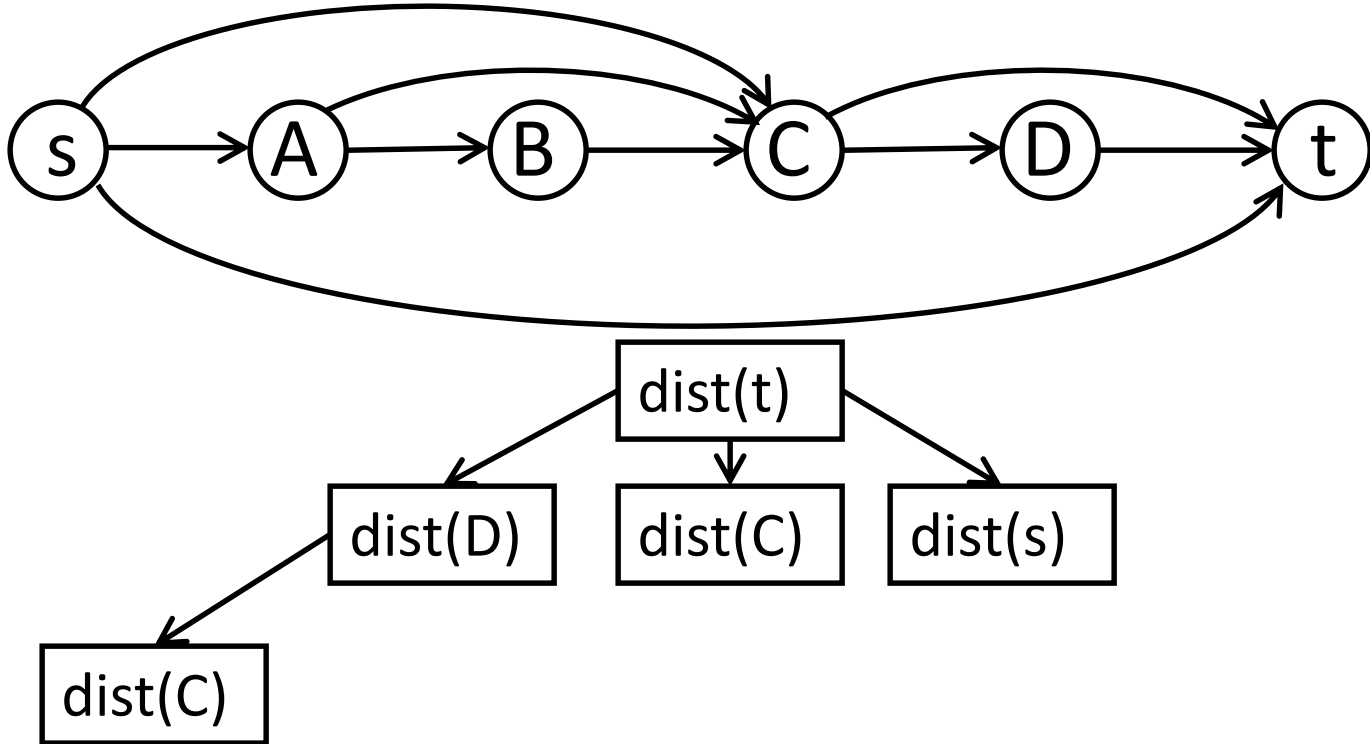
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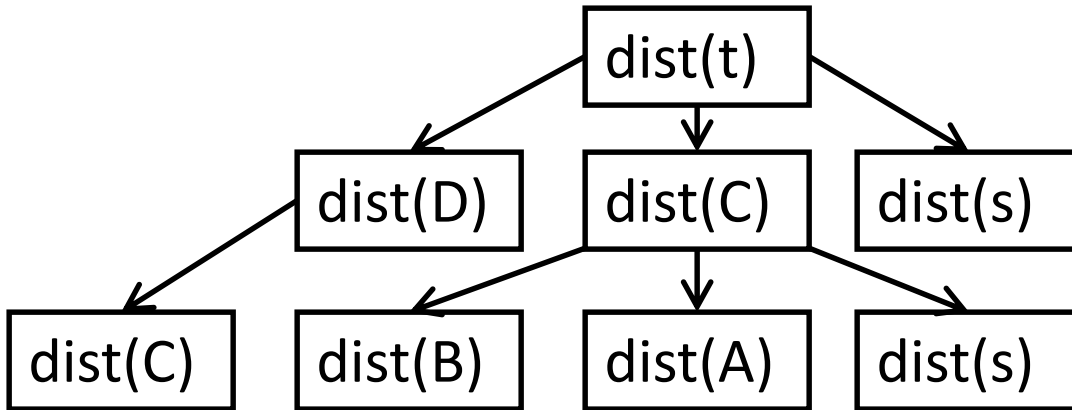
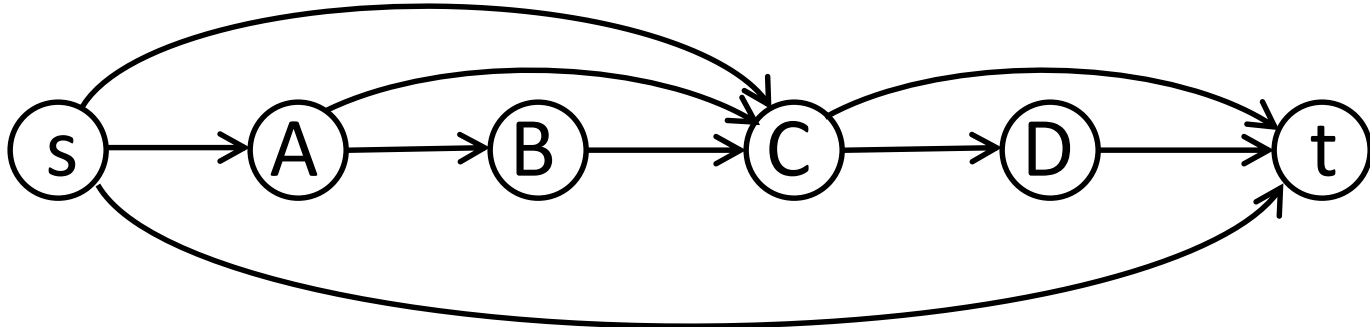
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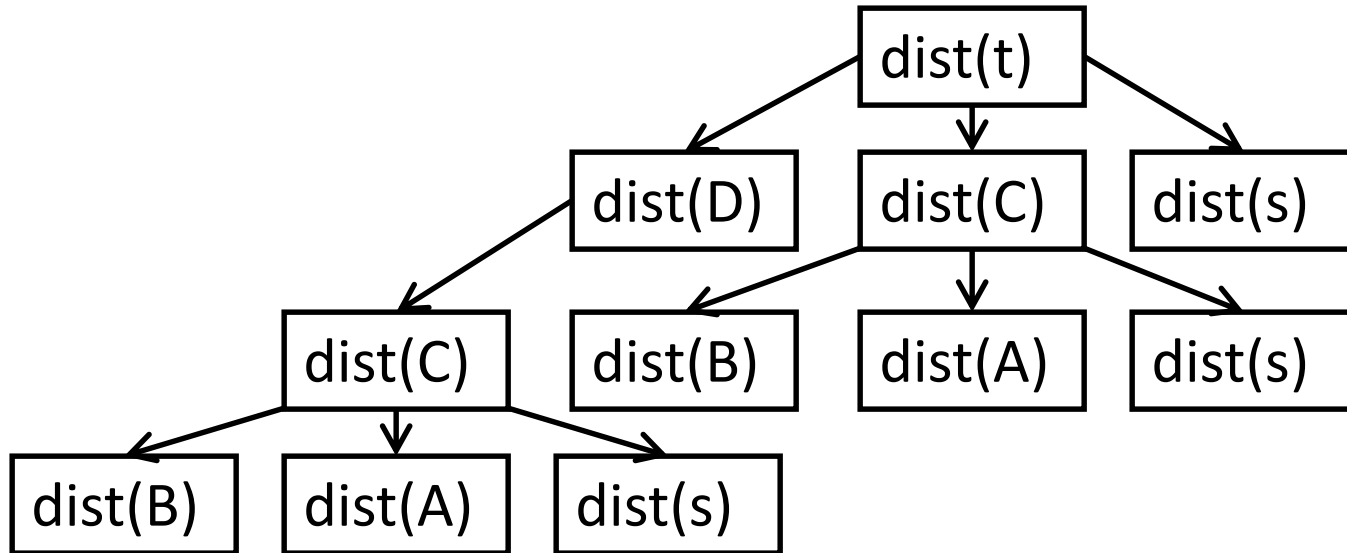
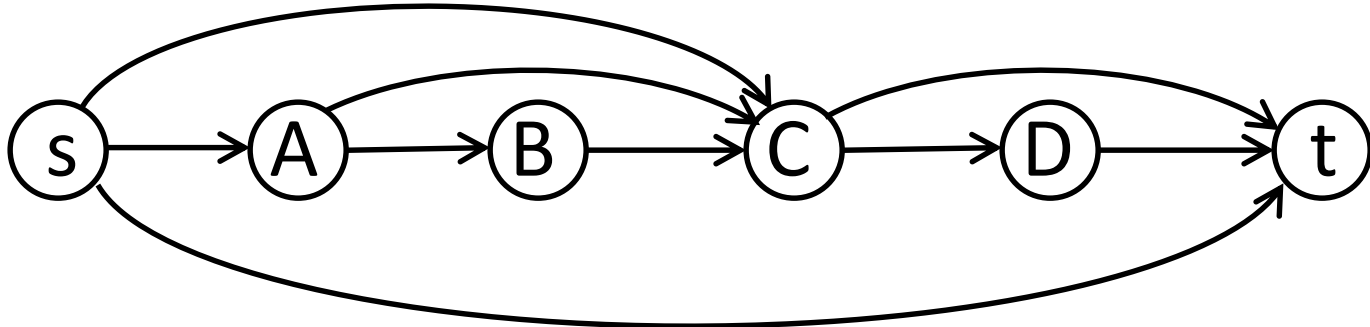
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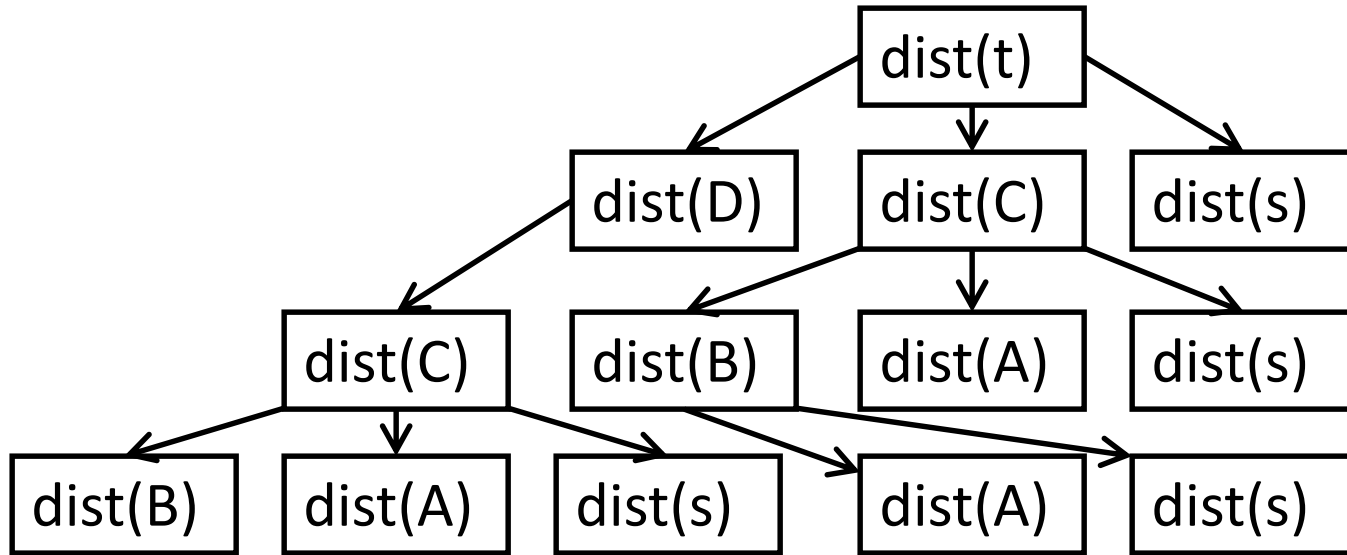
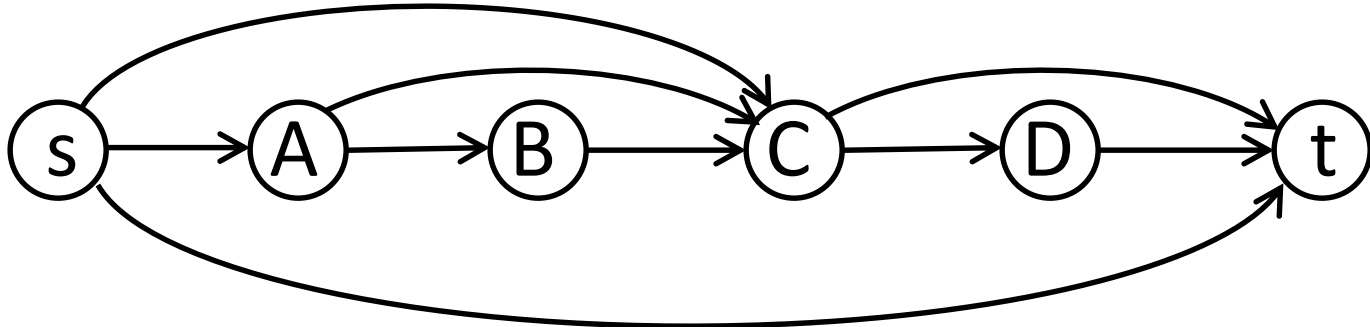
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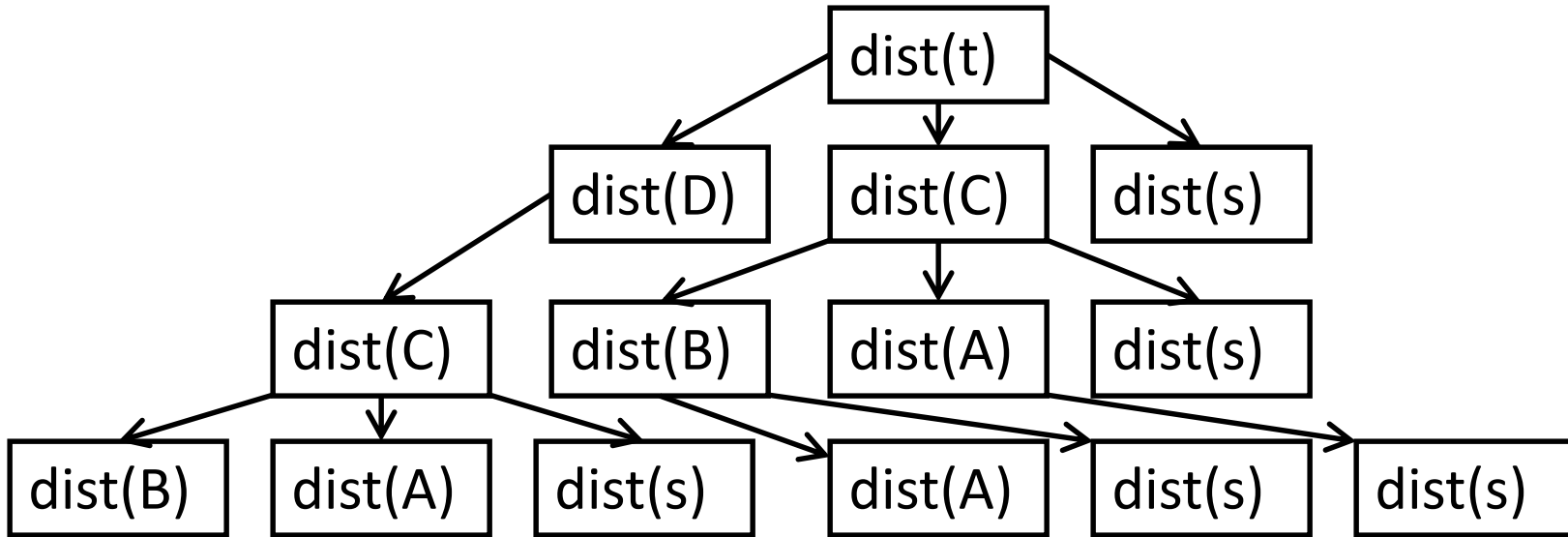
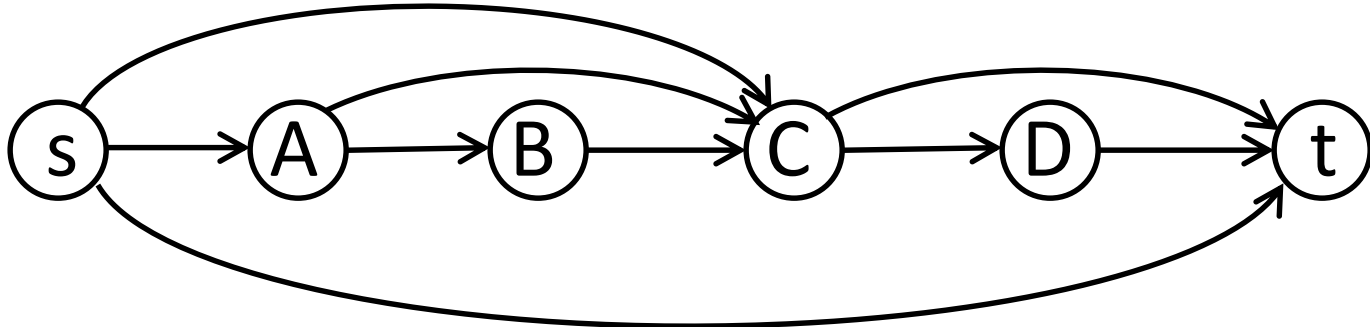
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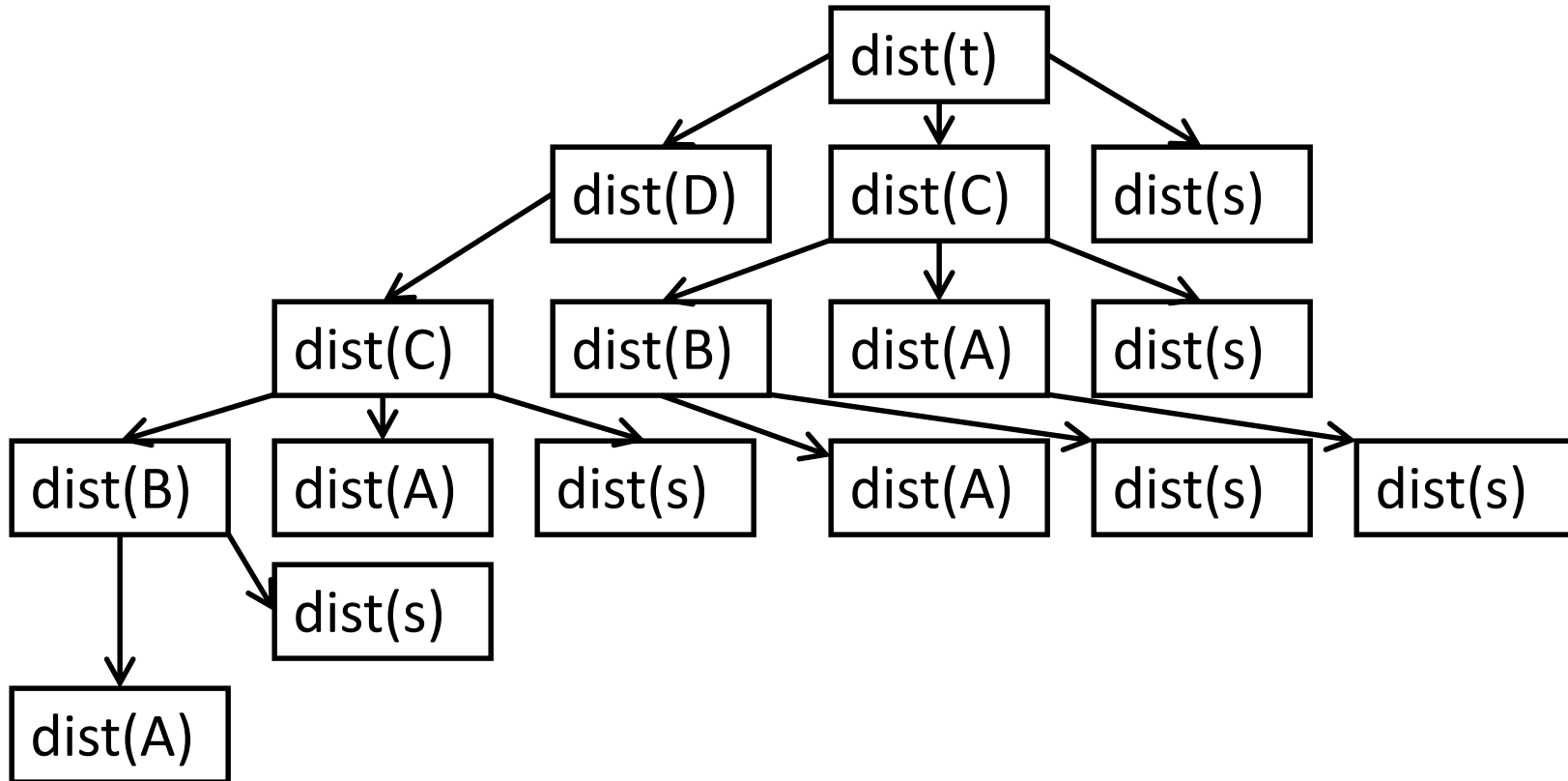
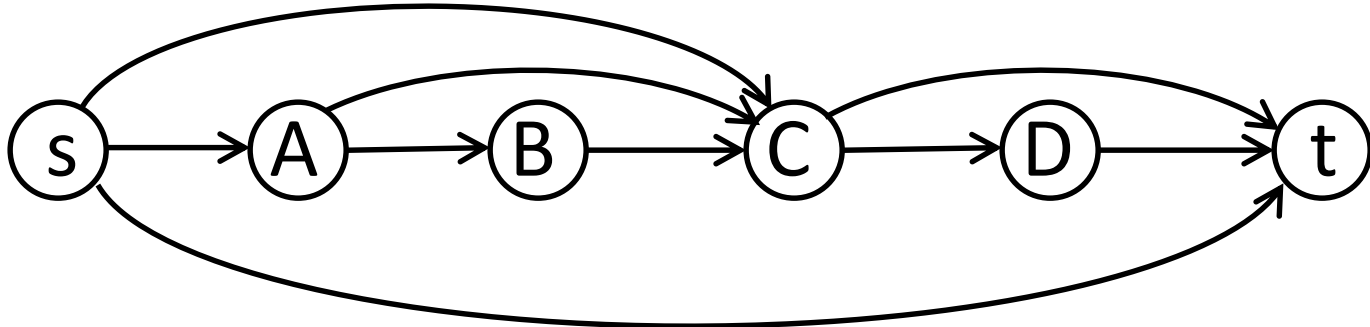
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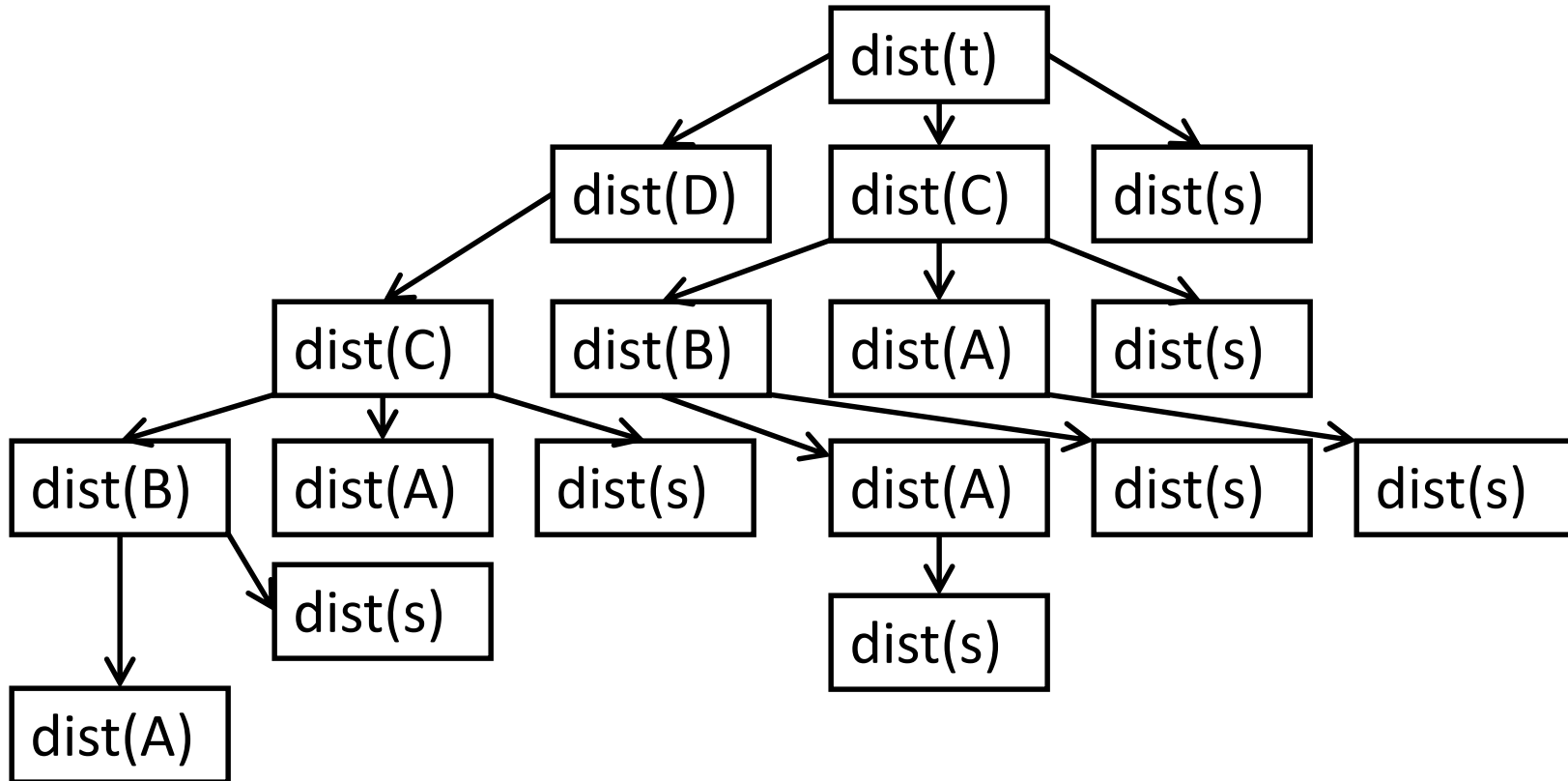
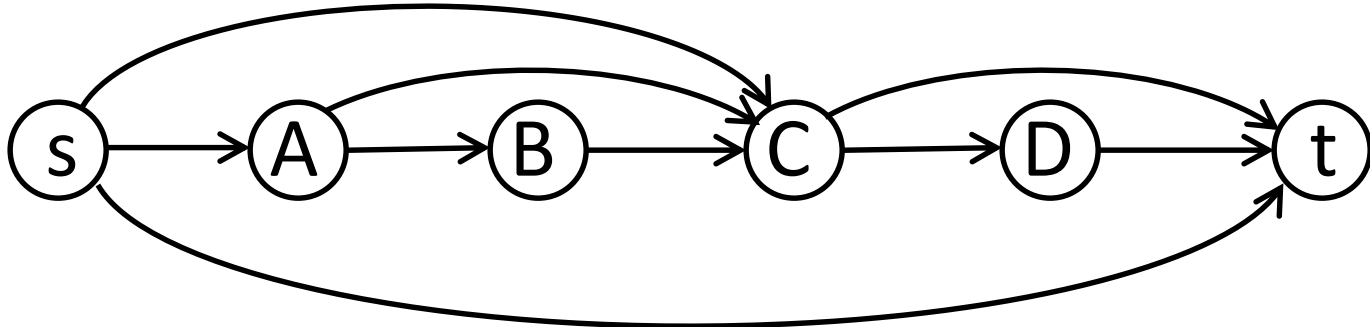
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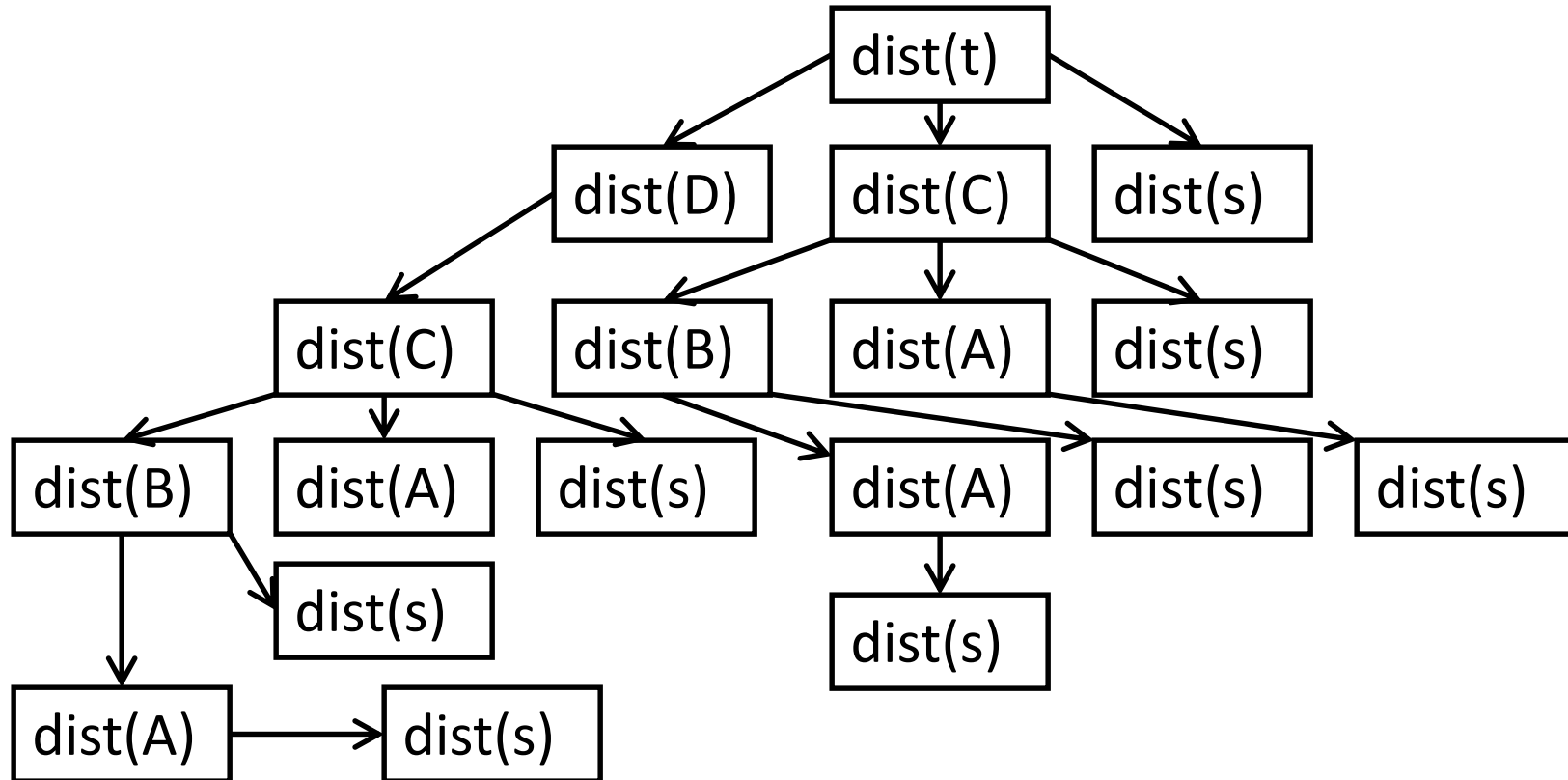
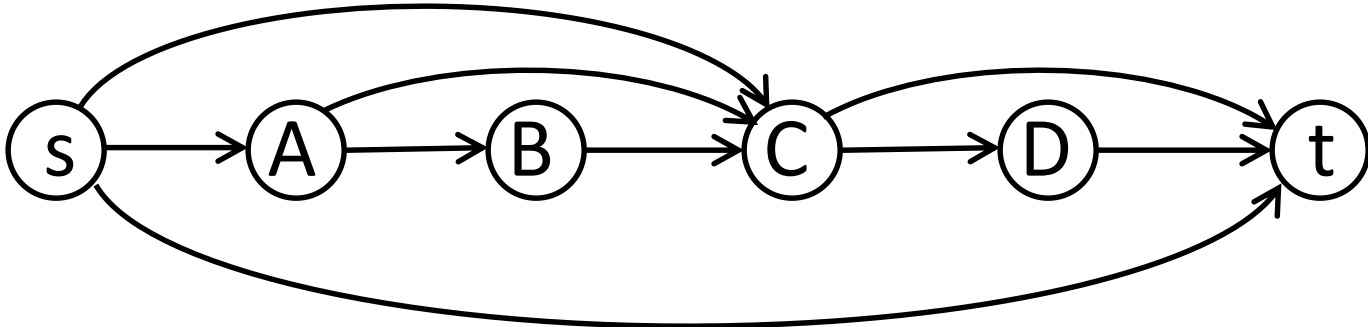
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Simplify by Tabulating

Instead of computing these values recursively, compute them one at a time, recording them. Then in the future, you only need to do table lookups.

Dynamic Programming

Our final general algorithmic technique:

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2. Find recursive formula solving one subproblem in terms of simpler ones.
3. Tabulate answers and solve all subproblems.

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Problem: Given two sequences compute the longest common subsequence. That is the subsequence with as many letters as possible.

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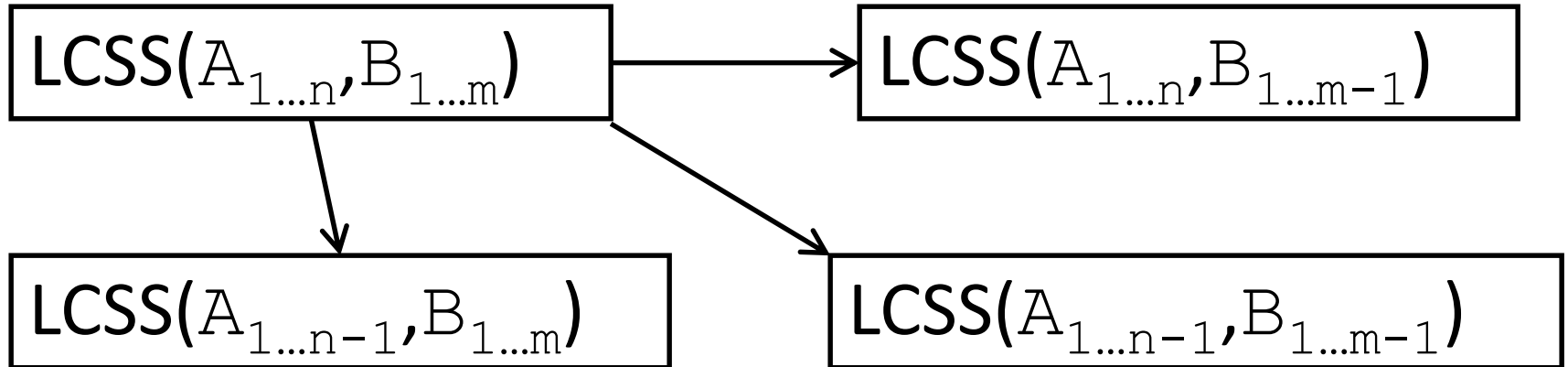
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[where the last option is only allowed if $A_n = B_m$]

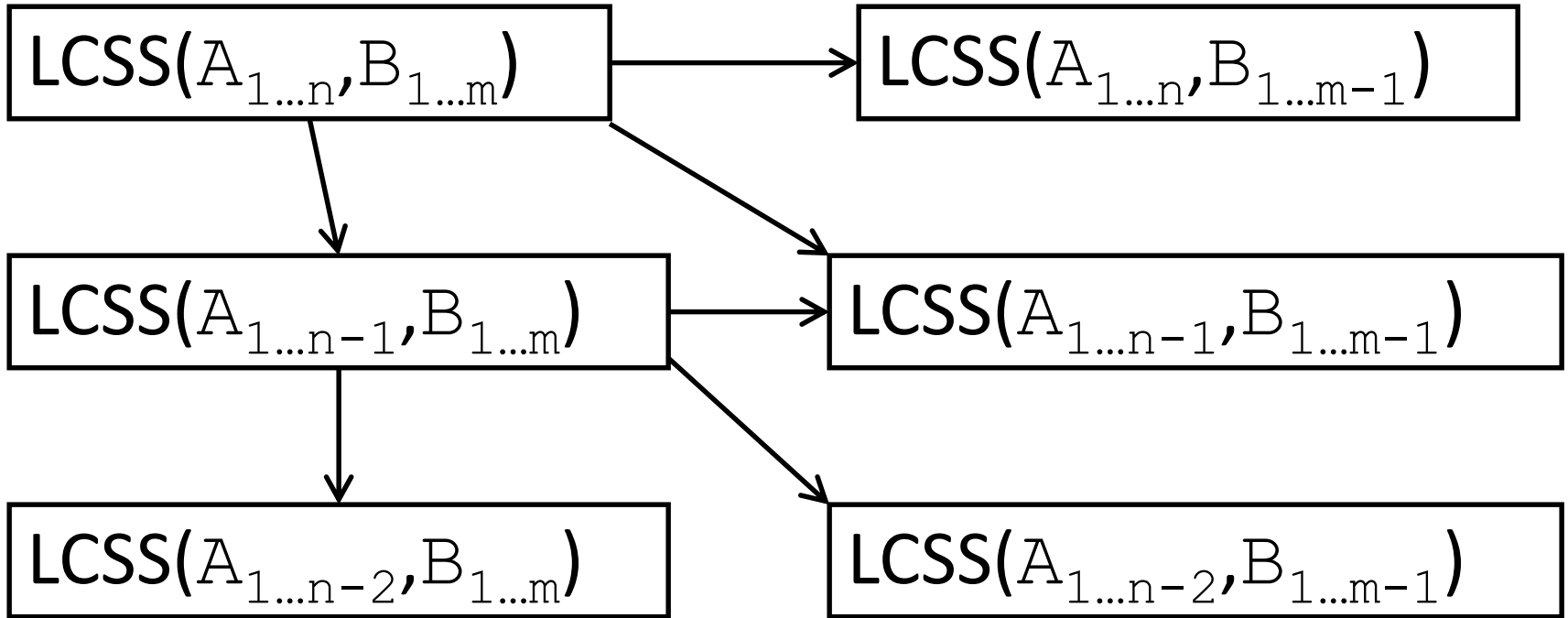
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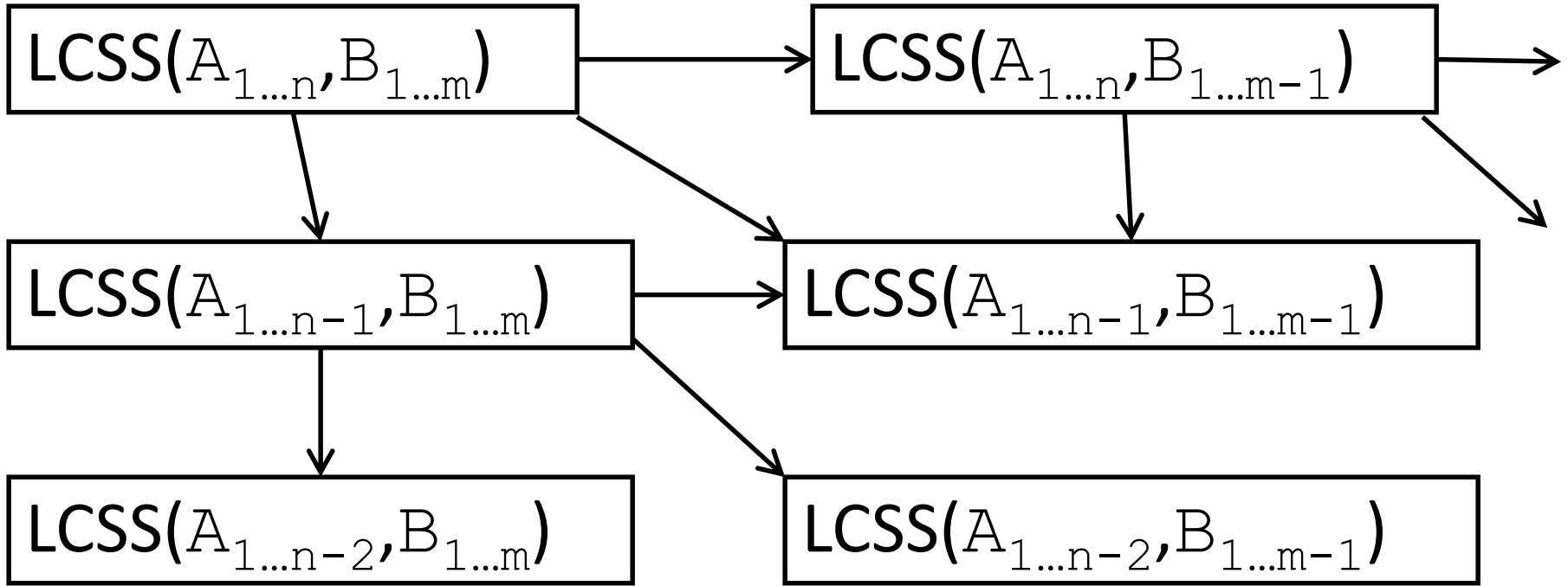
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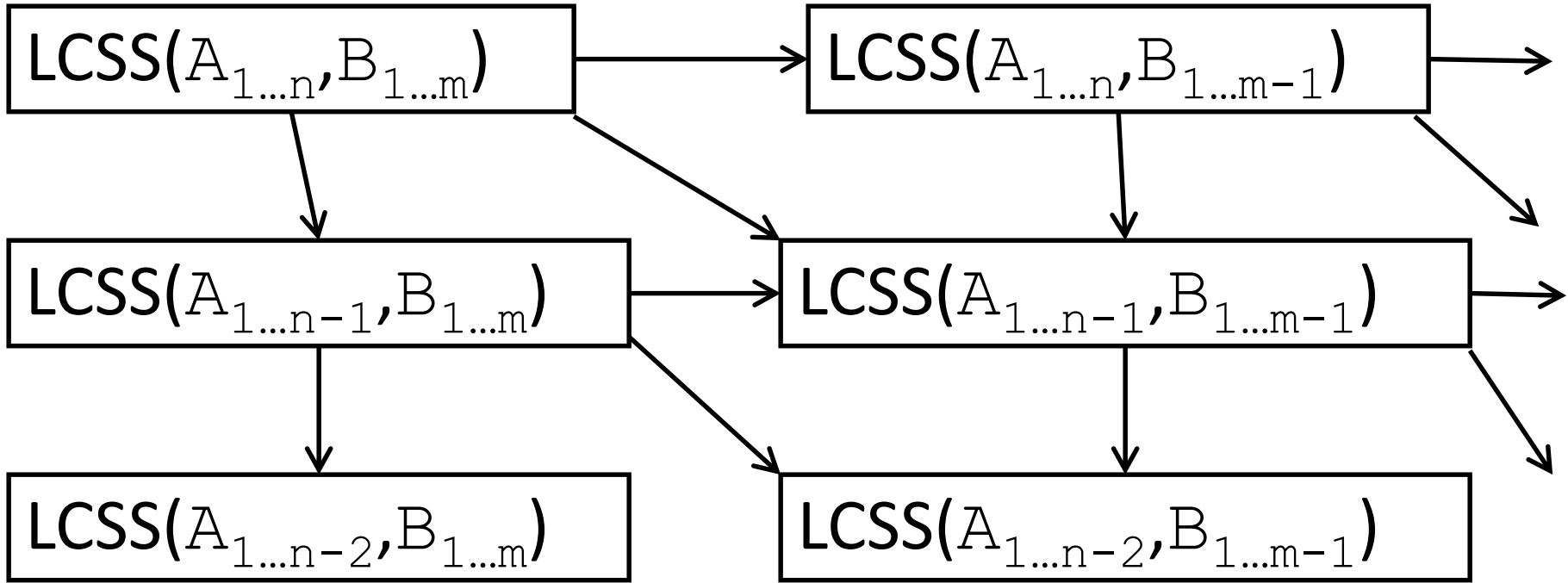
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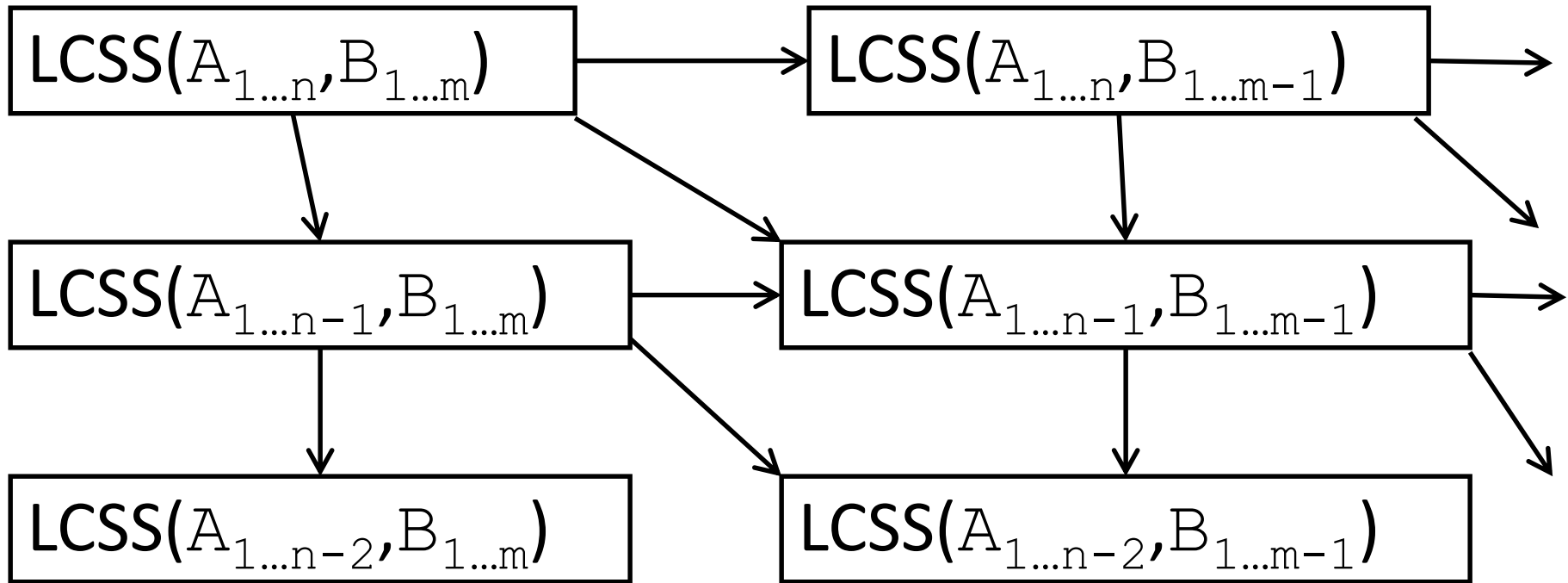
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Key Point: Subproblem reuse

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In this case we have:

$$\text{LCSS}(\emptyset, B_1 B_2 \dots B_m) = \text{LCSS}(A_1 A_2 \dots A_n, \emptyset) = 0.$$

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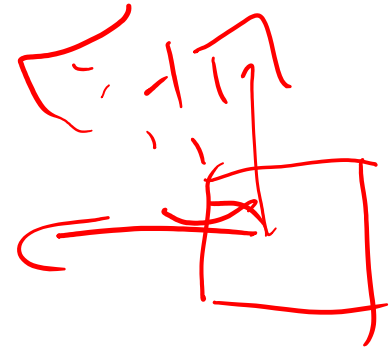
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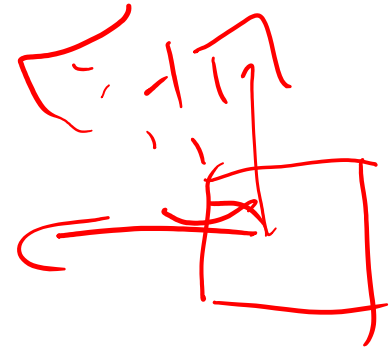
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