

Disorientation faults in CSIDH

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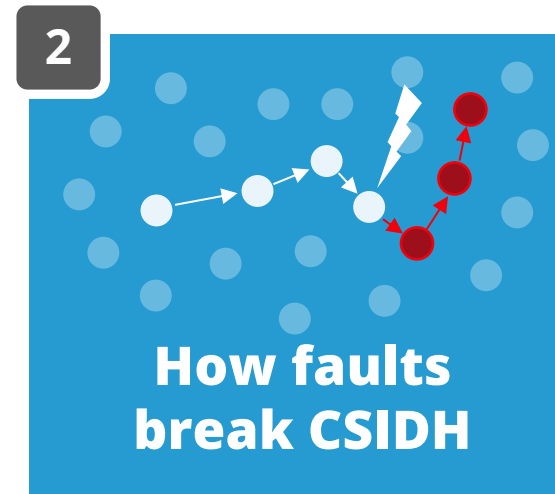
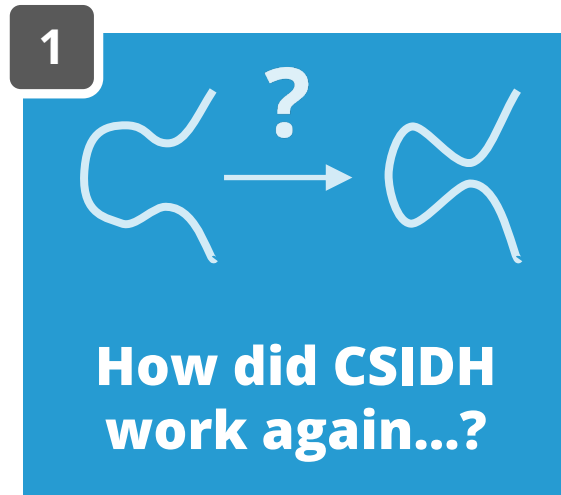
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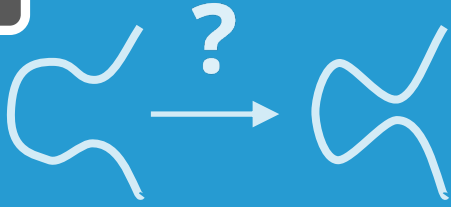
From disorientation attacks to key recovery



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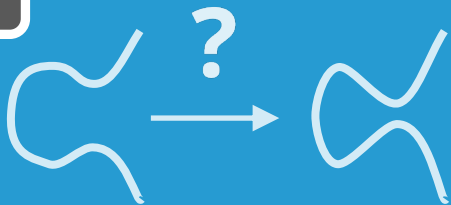


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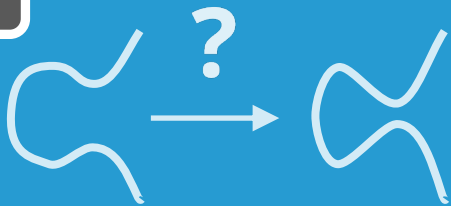
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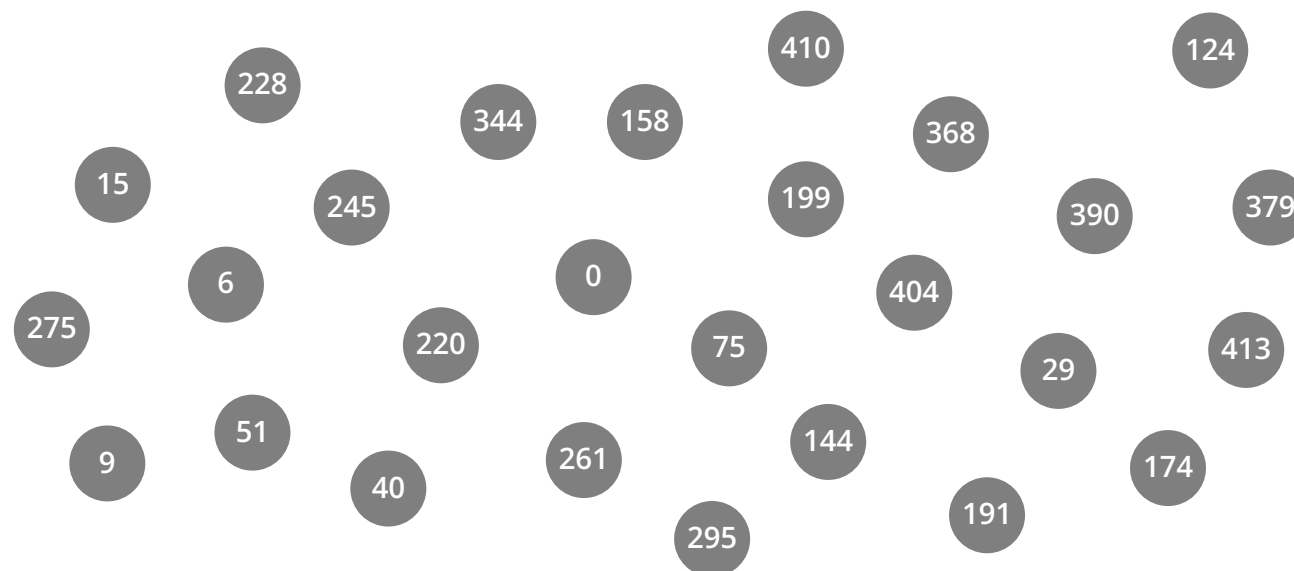
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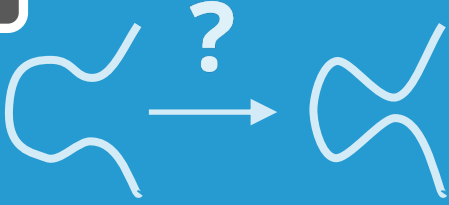
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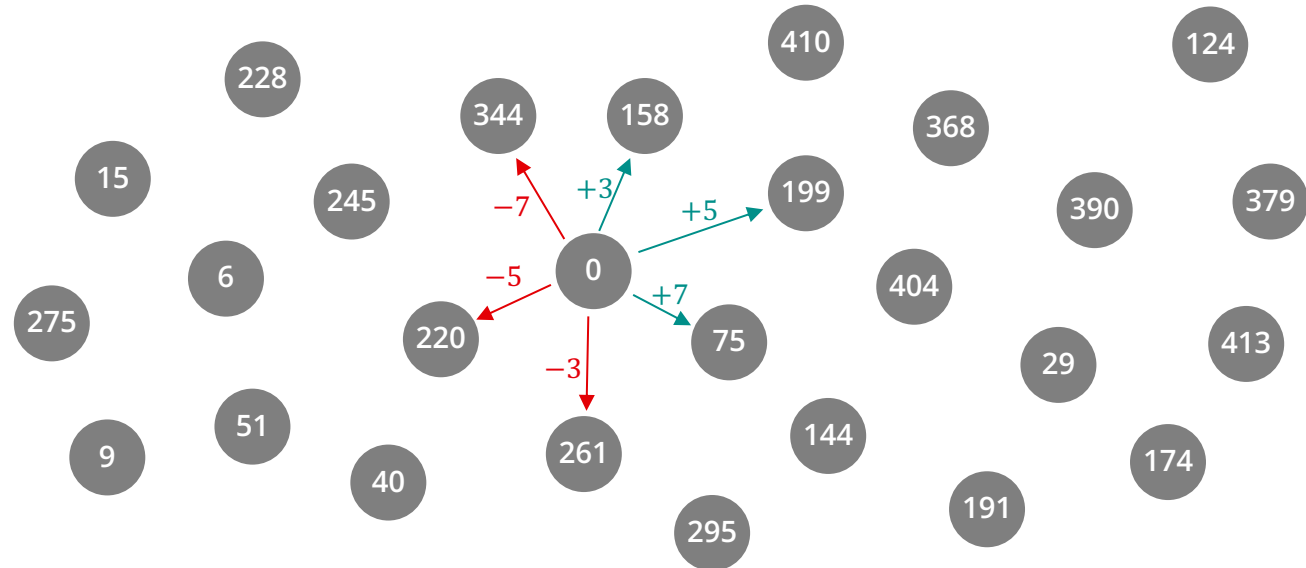
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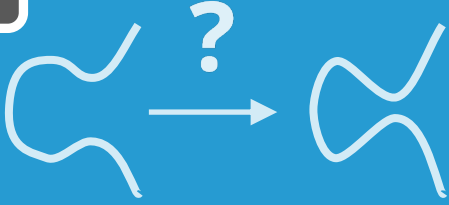
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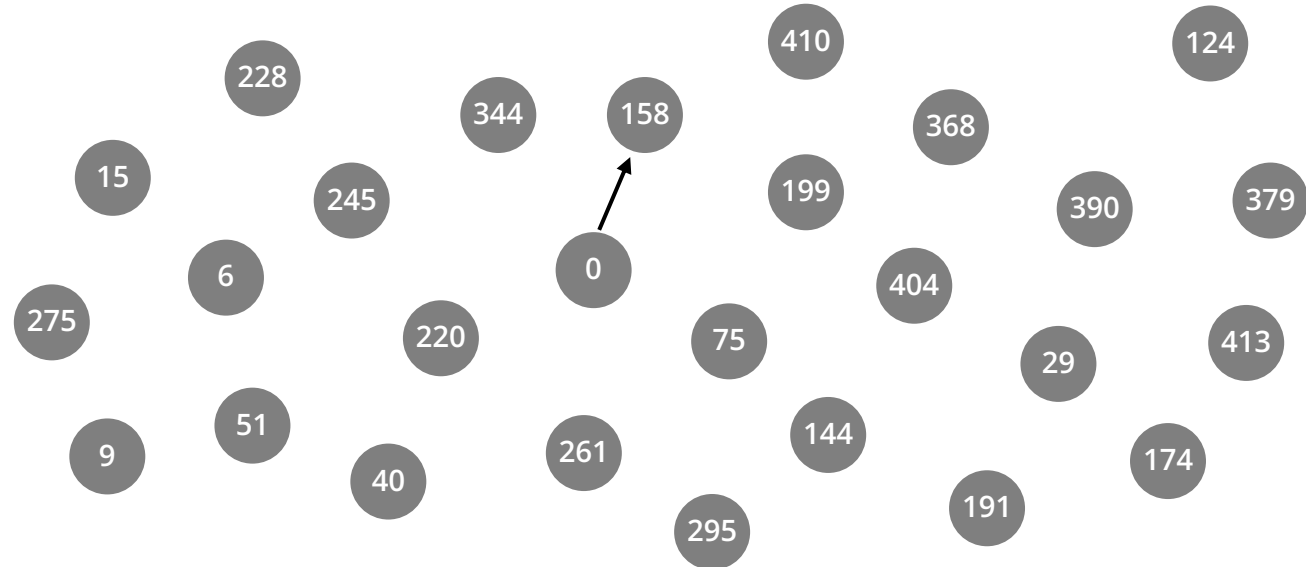
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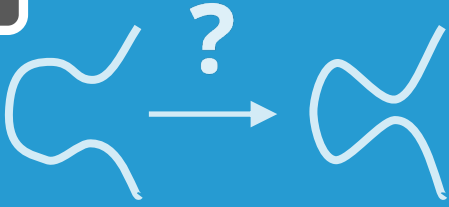
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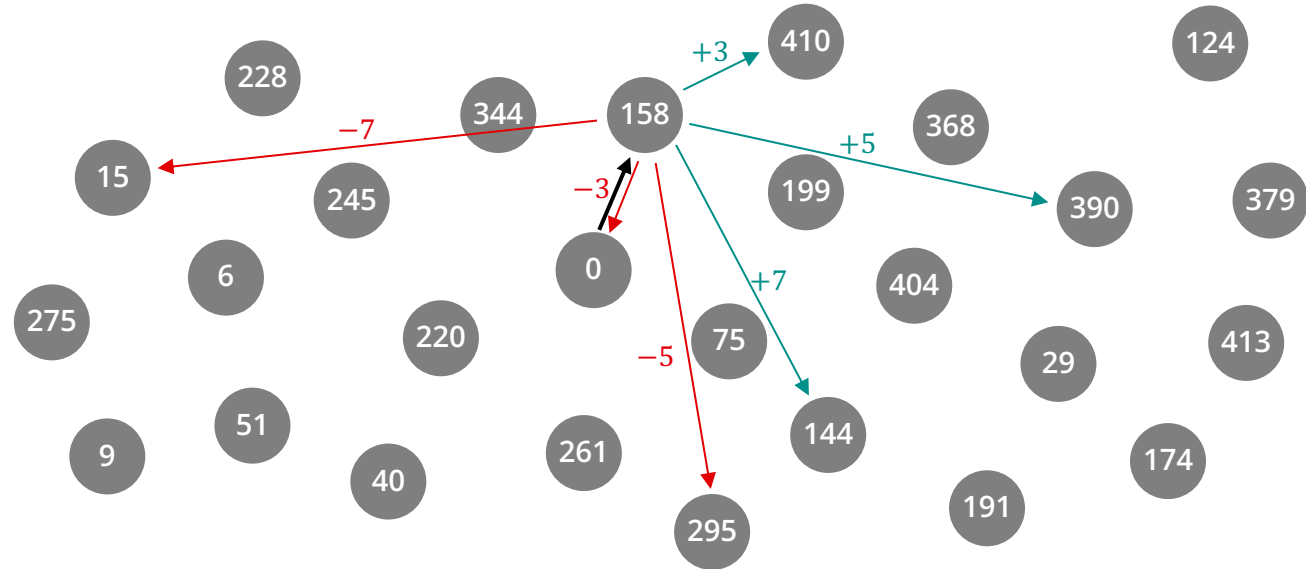
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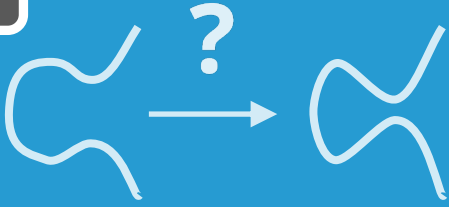
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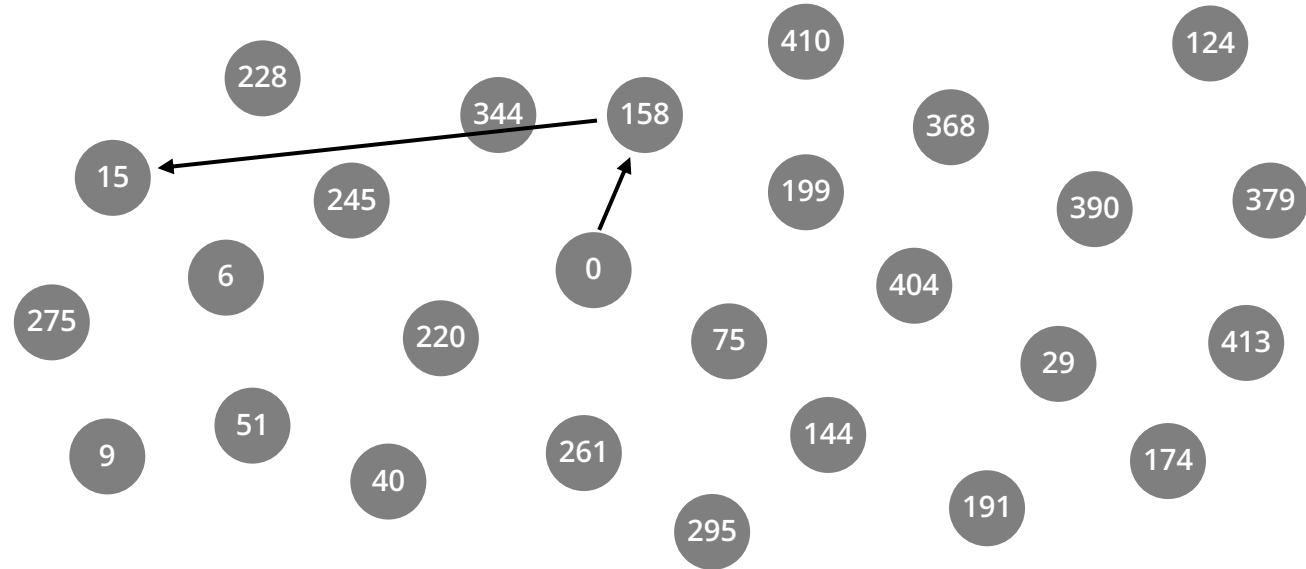
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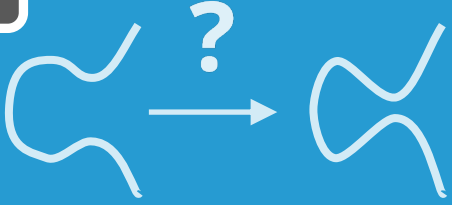
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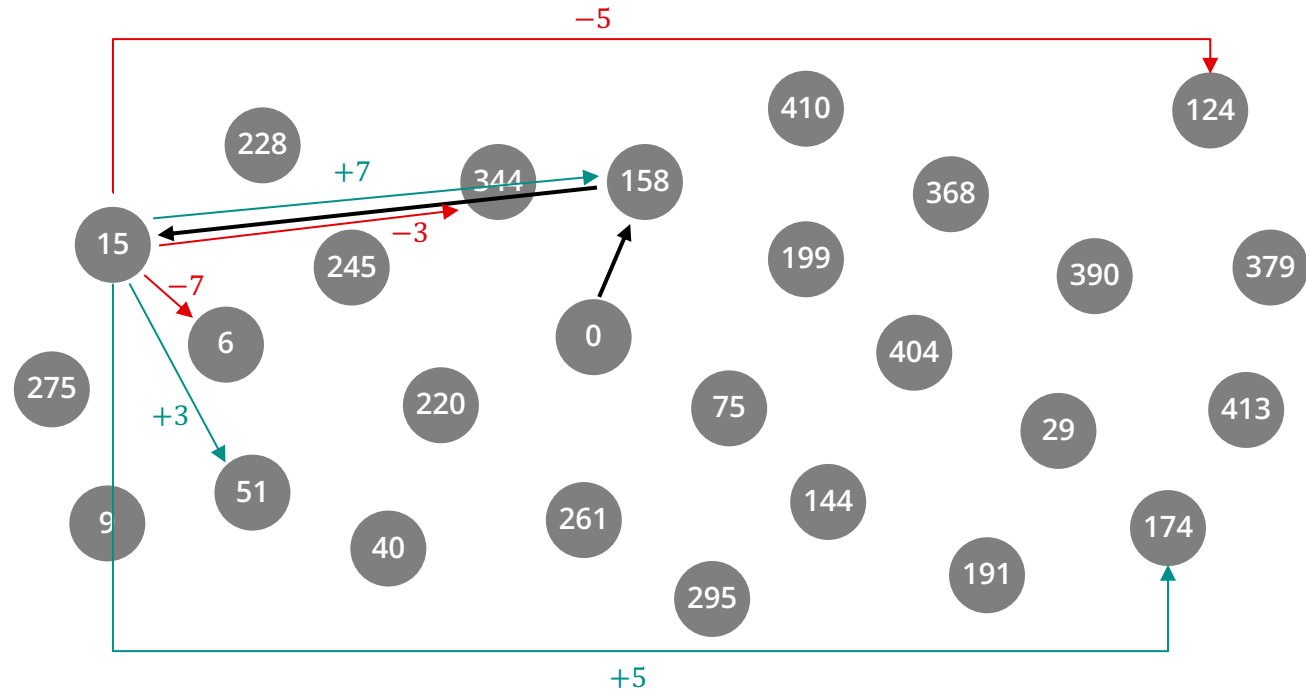
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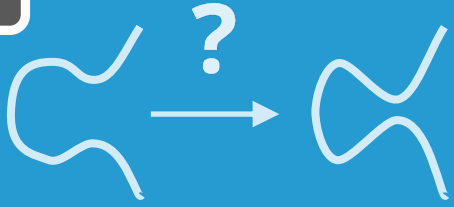
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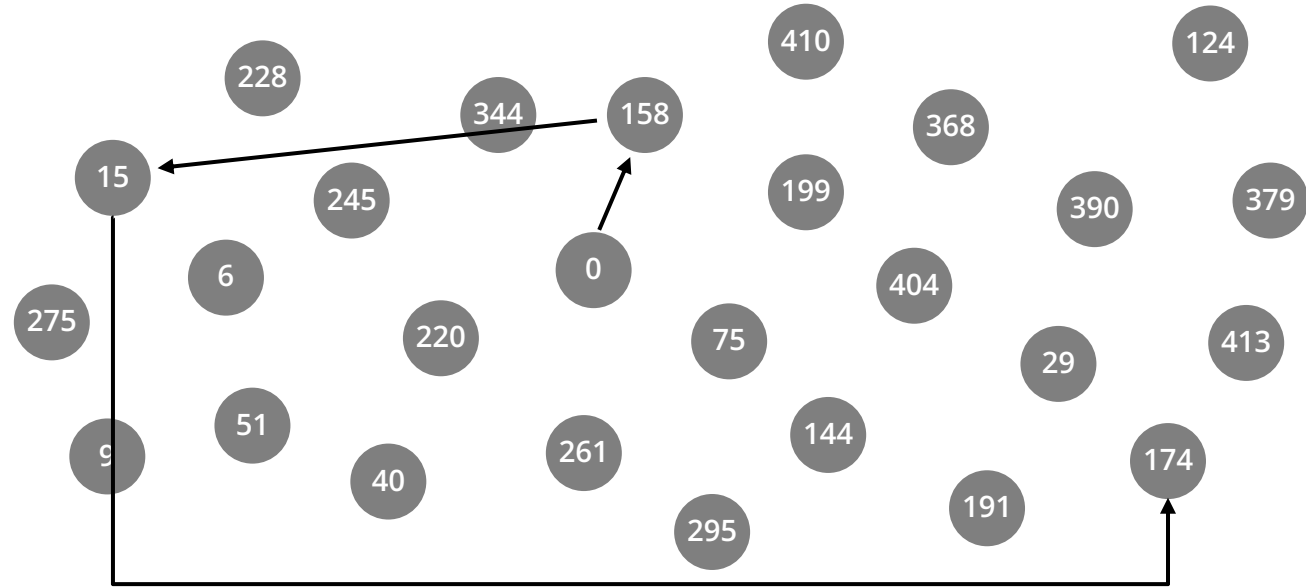
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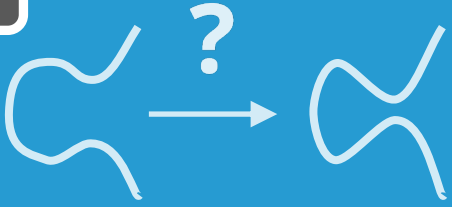
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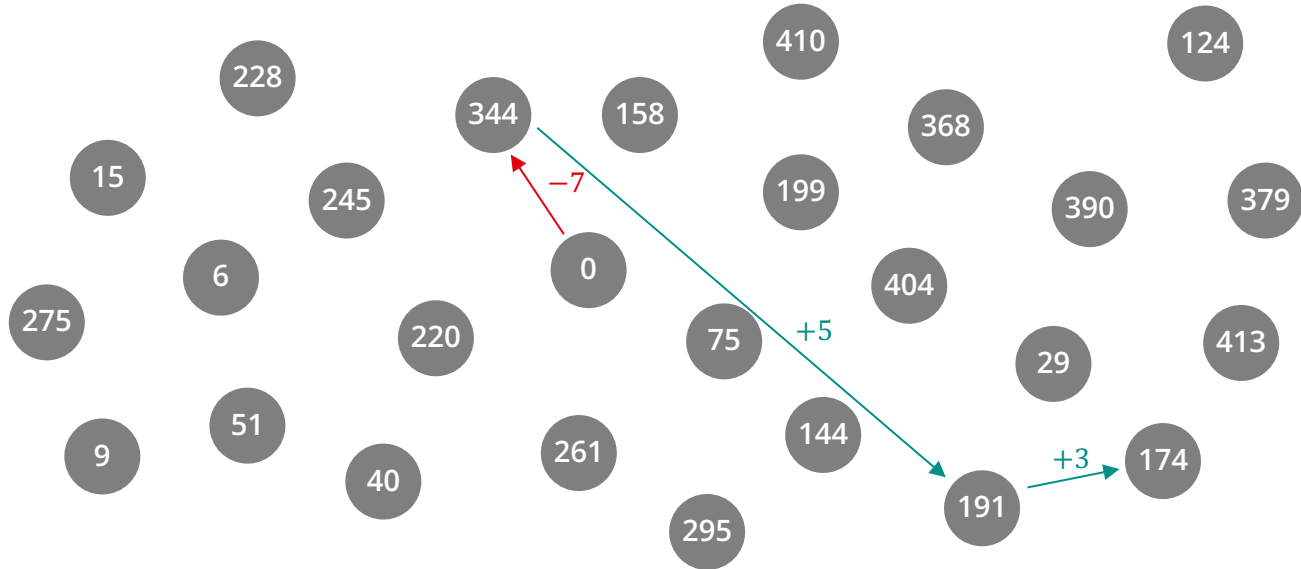
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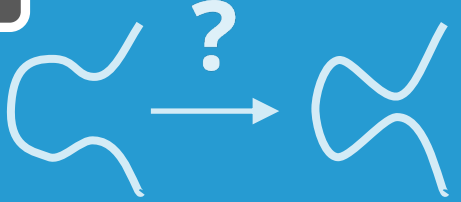
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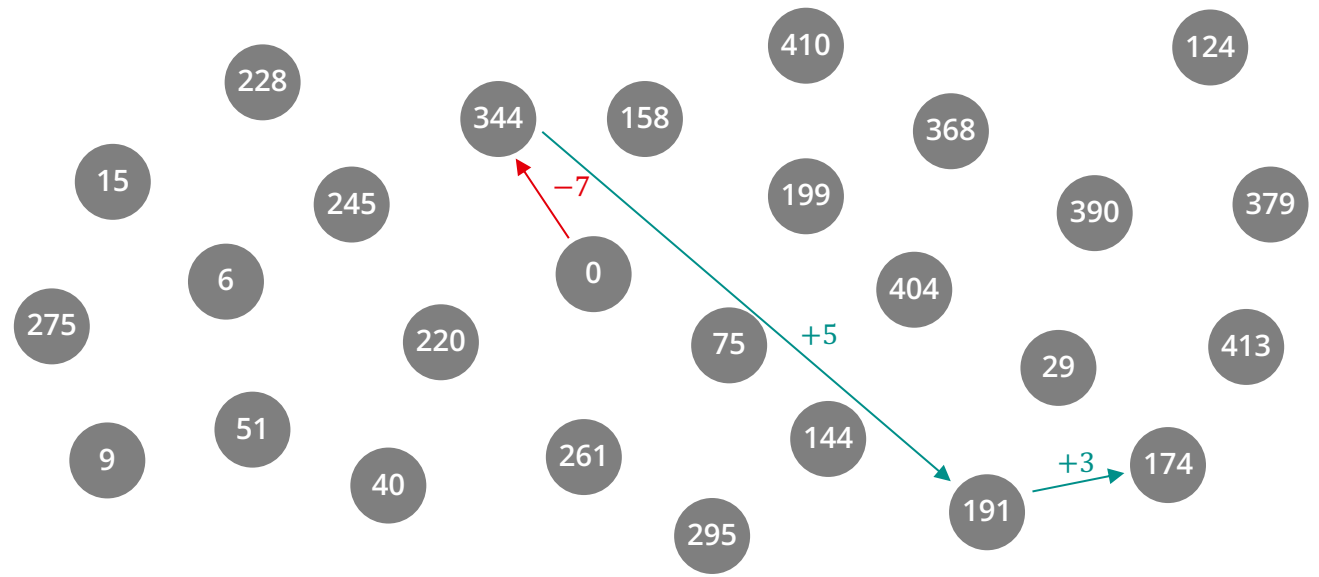
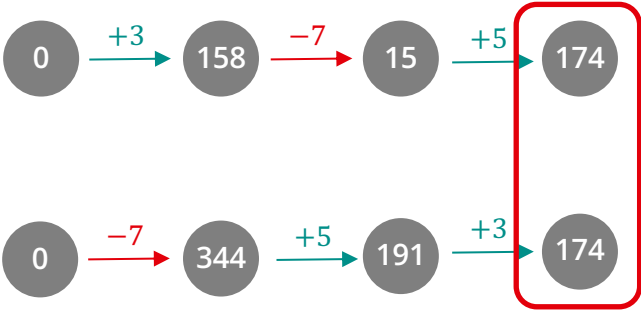
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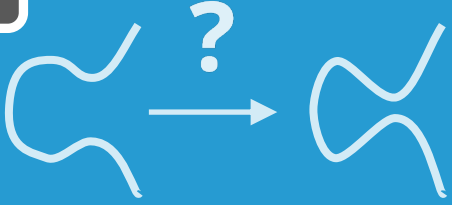
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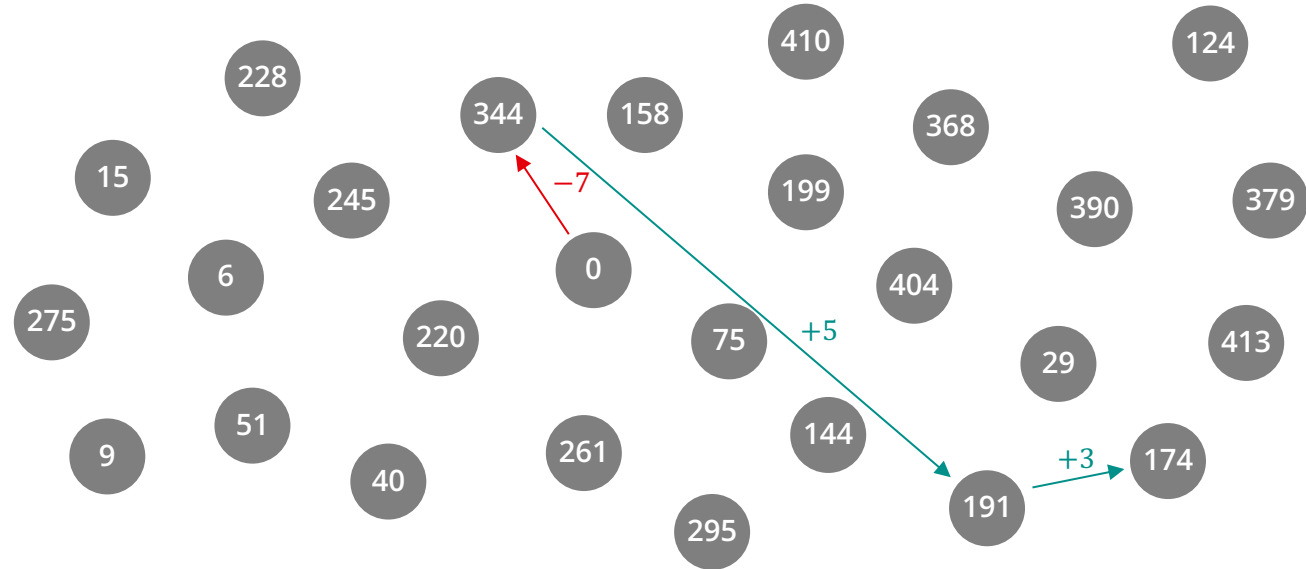
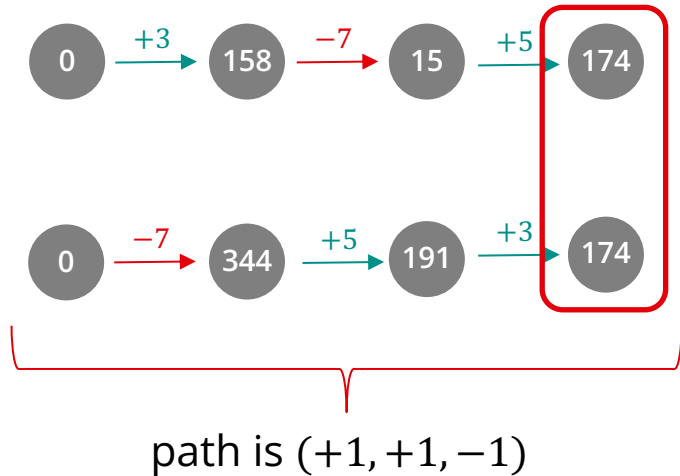
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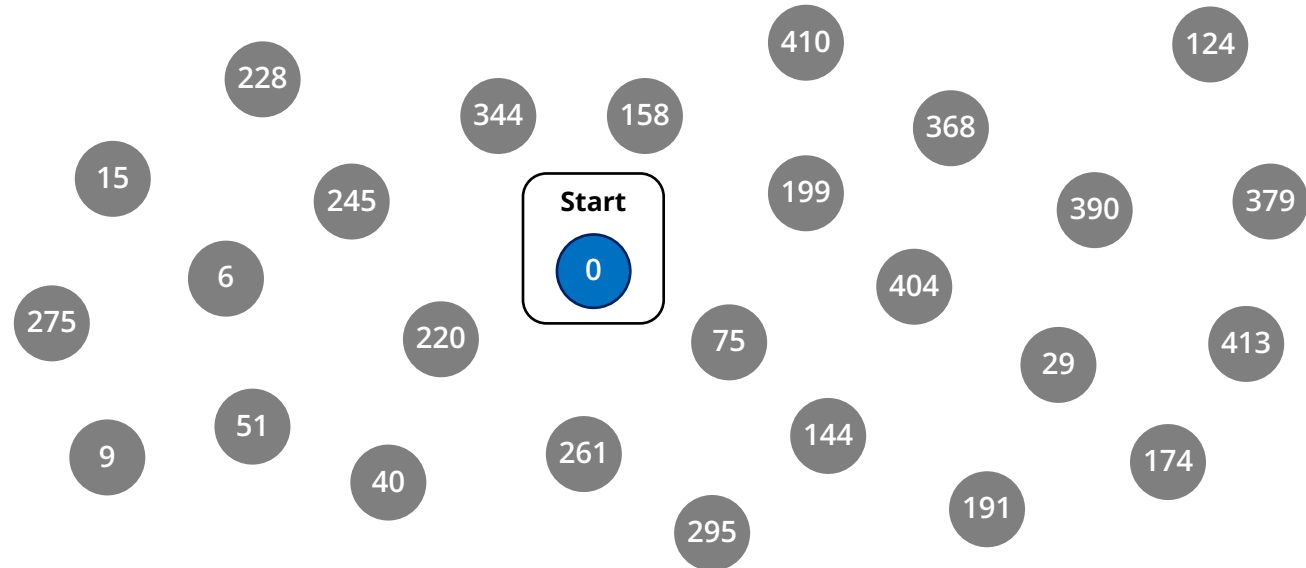
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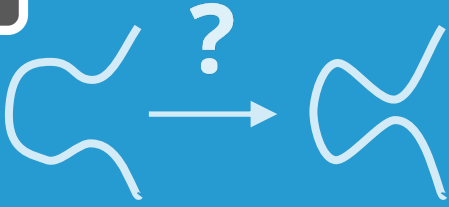


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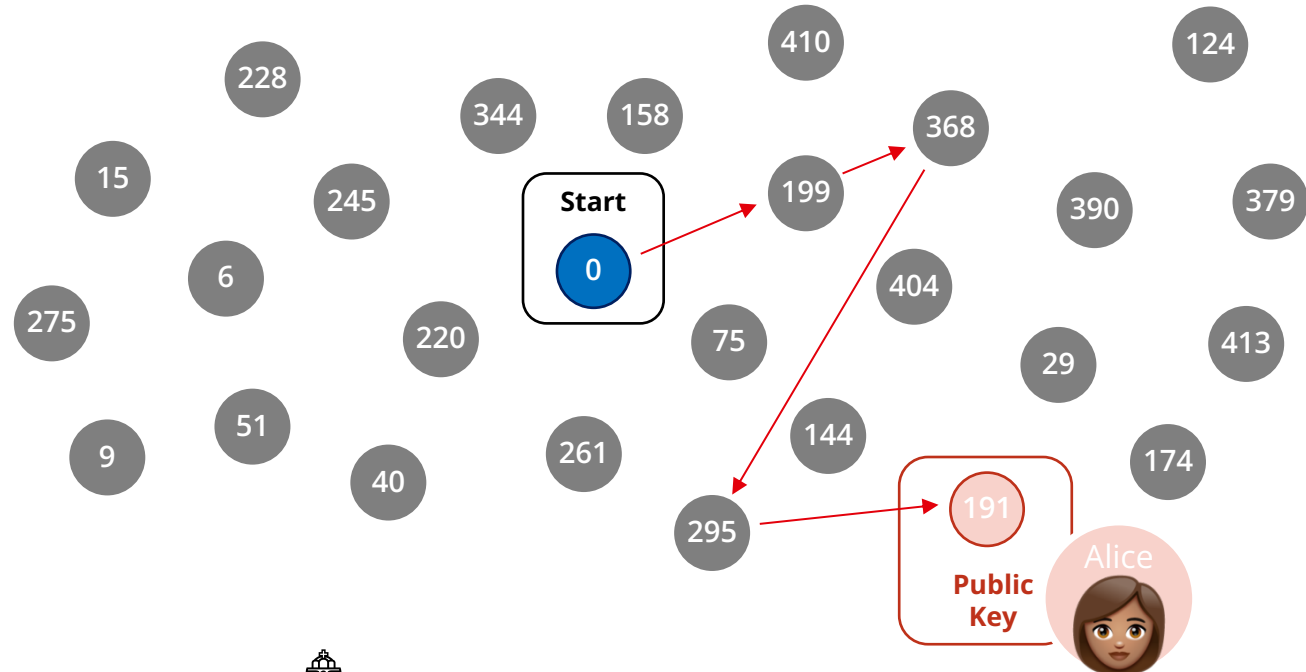
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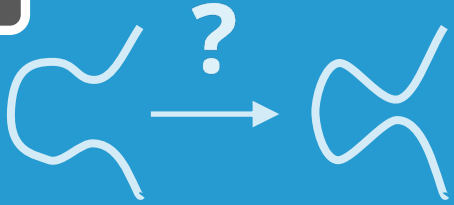
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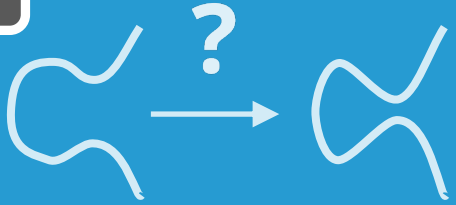
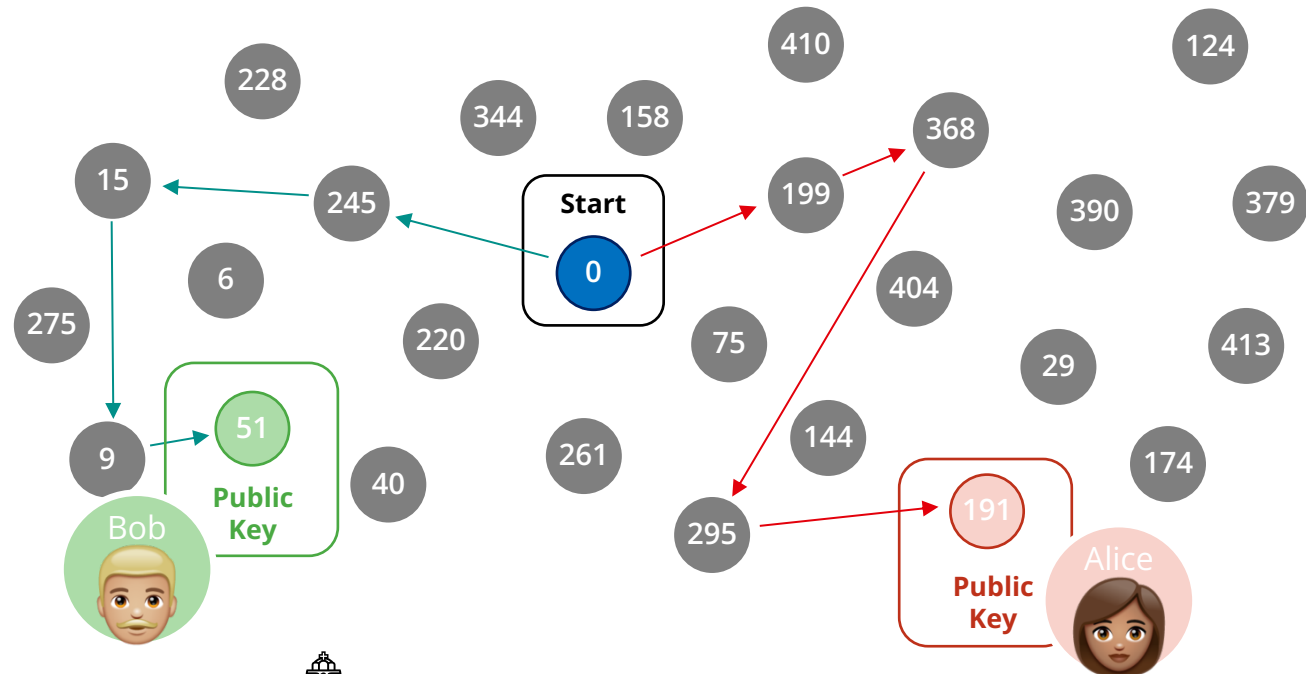
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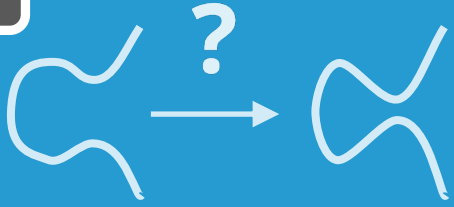
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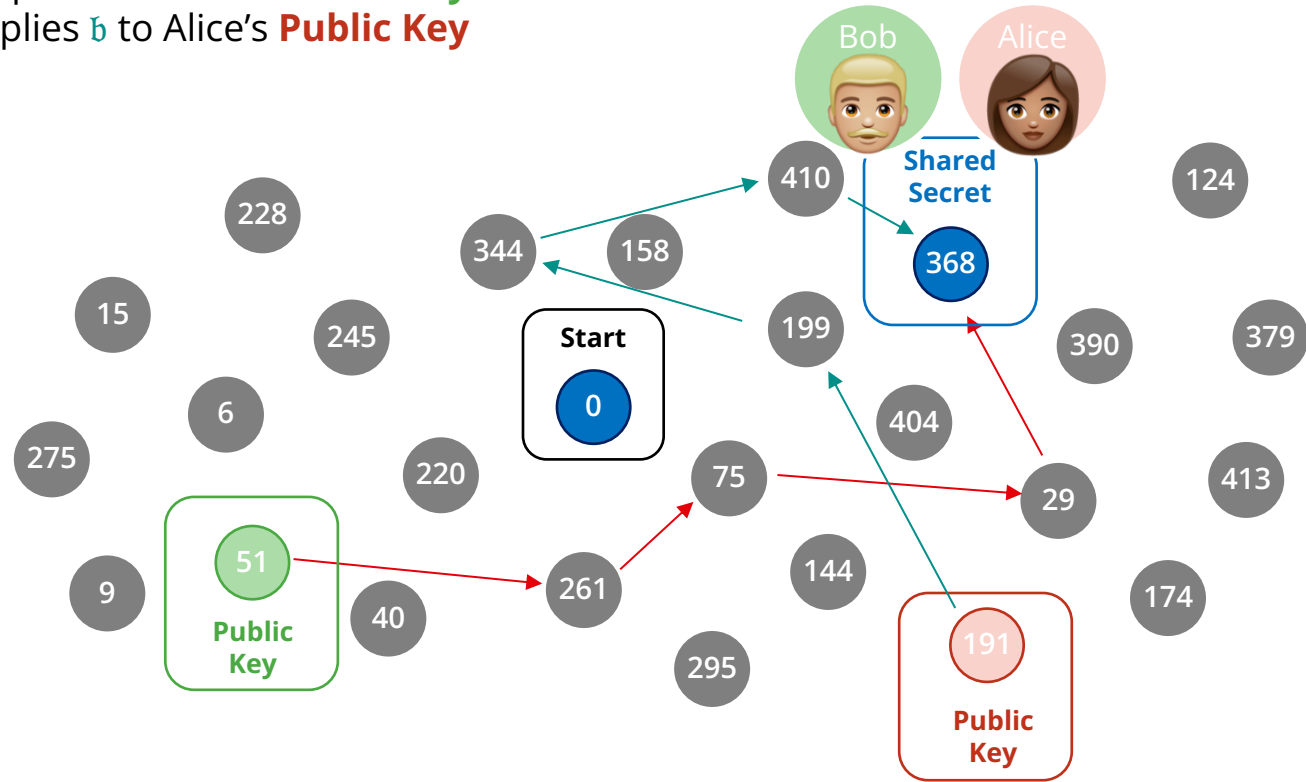
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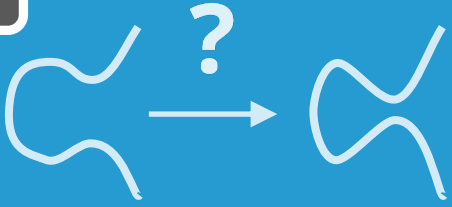
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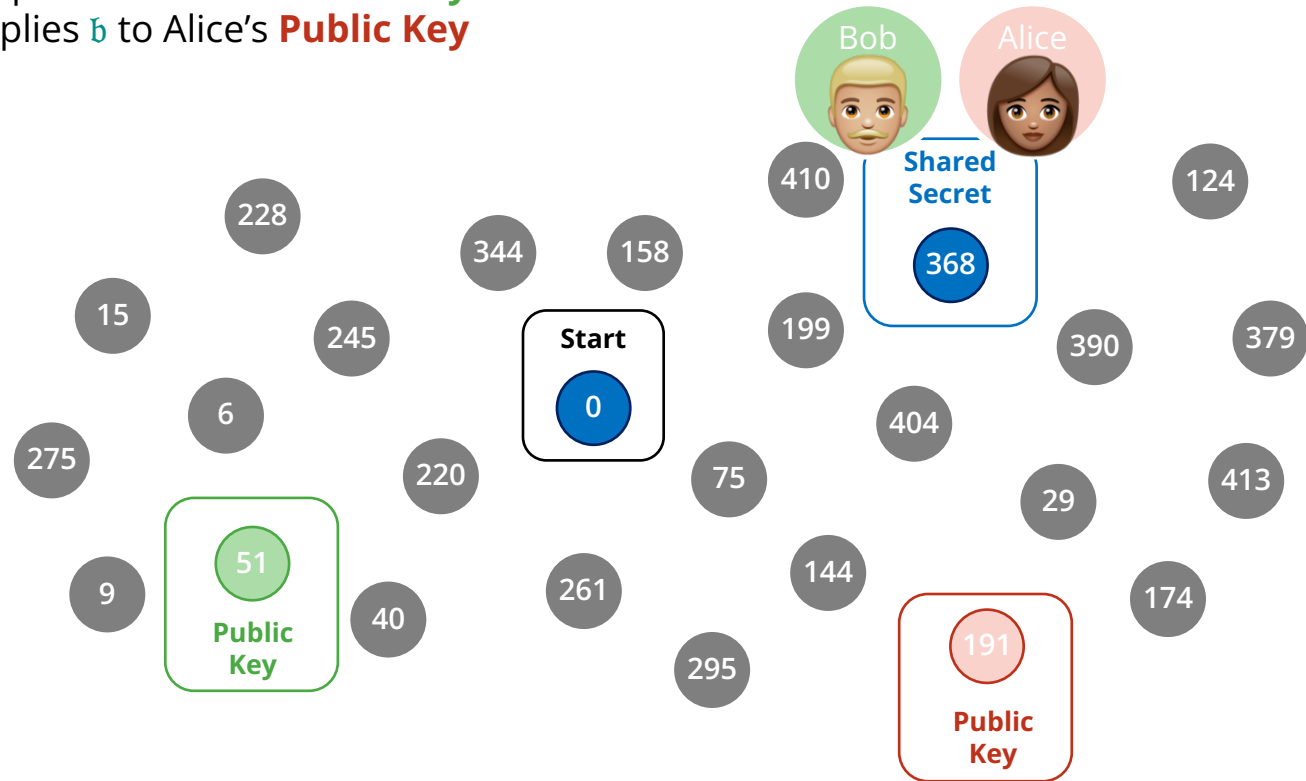
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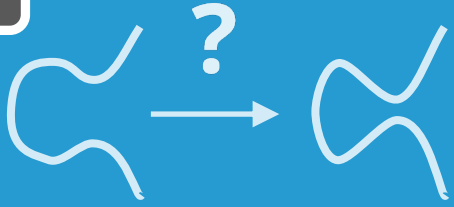
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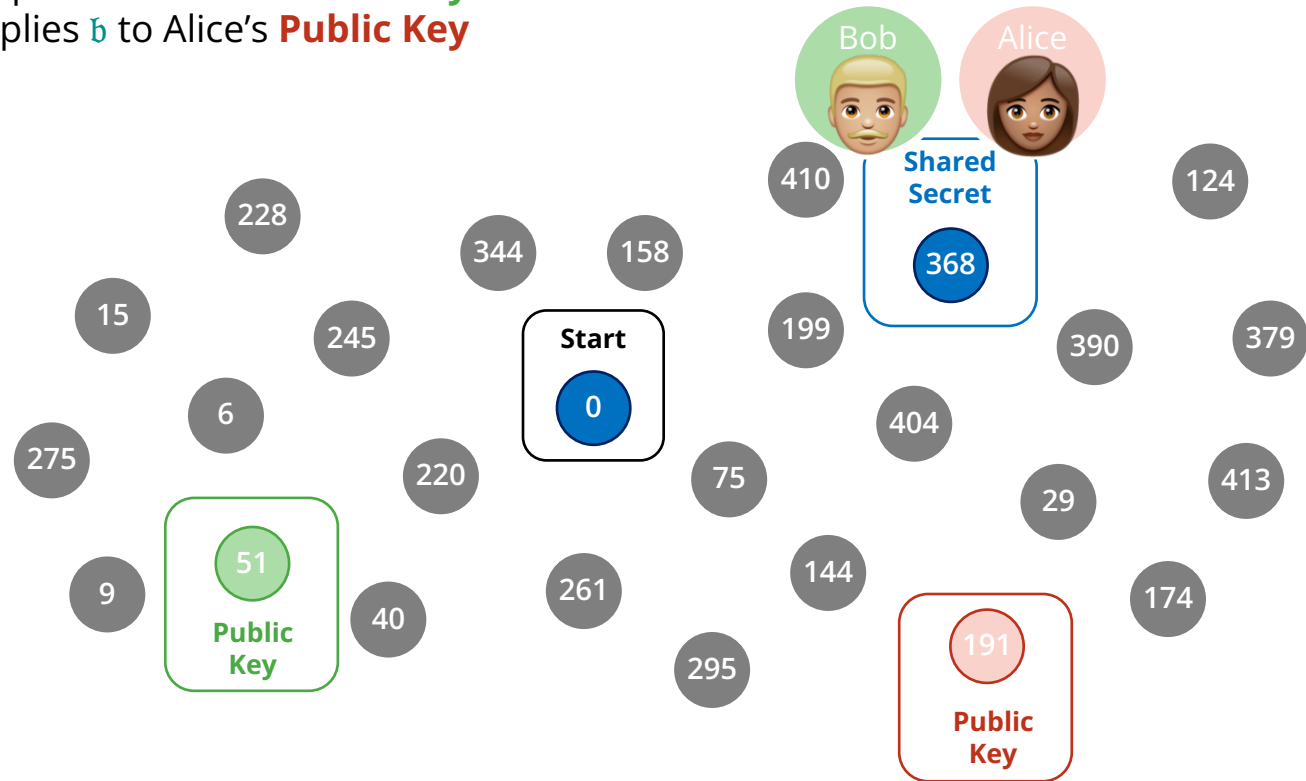
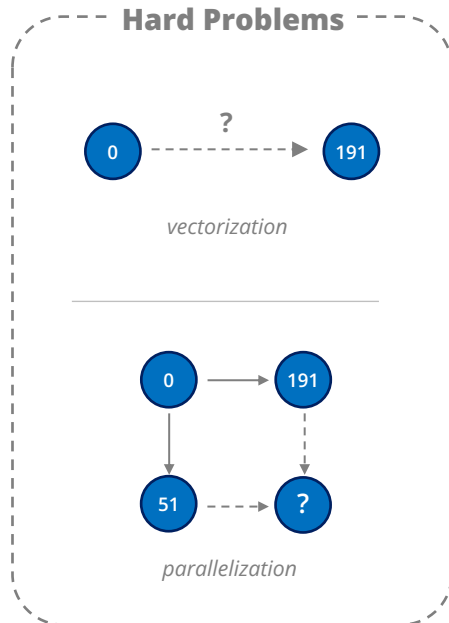
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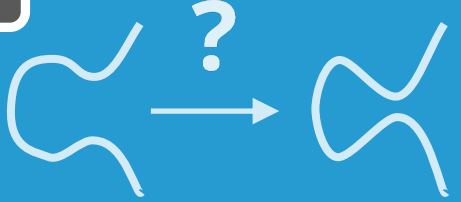
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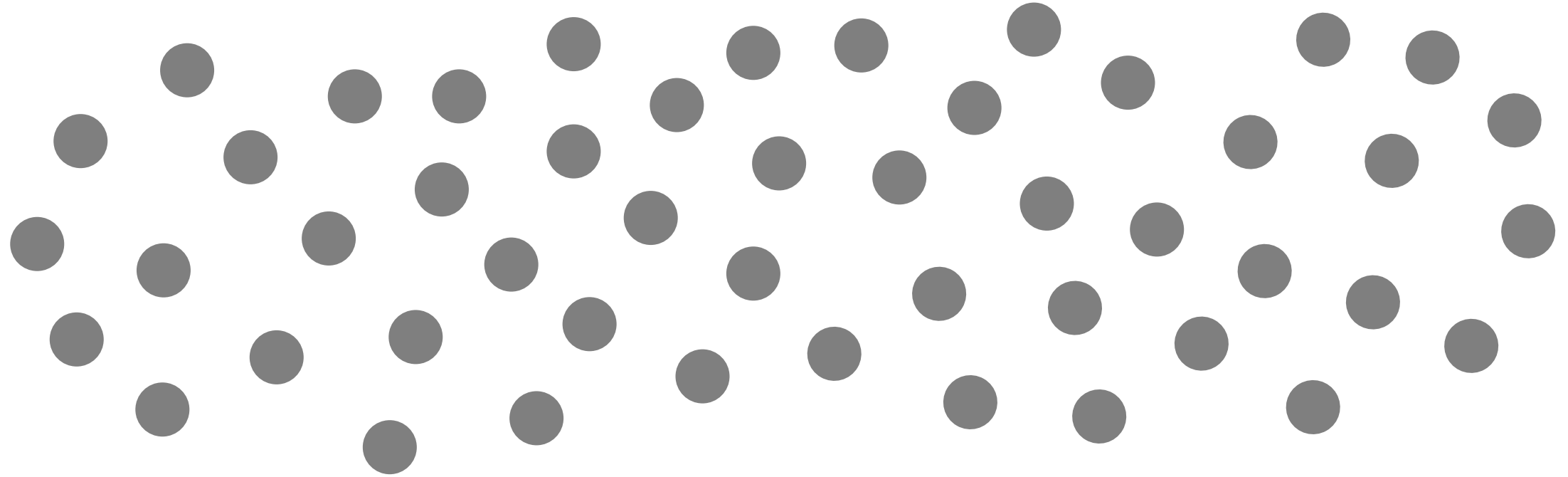
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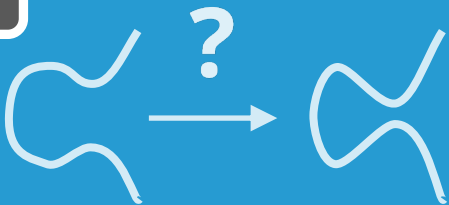
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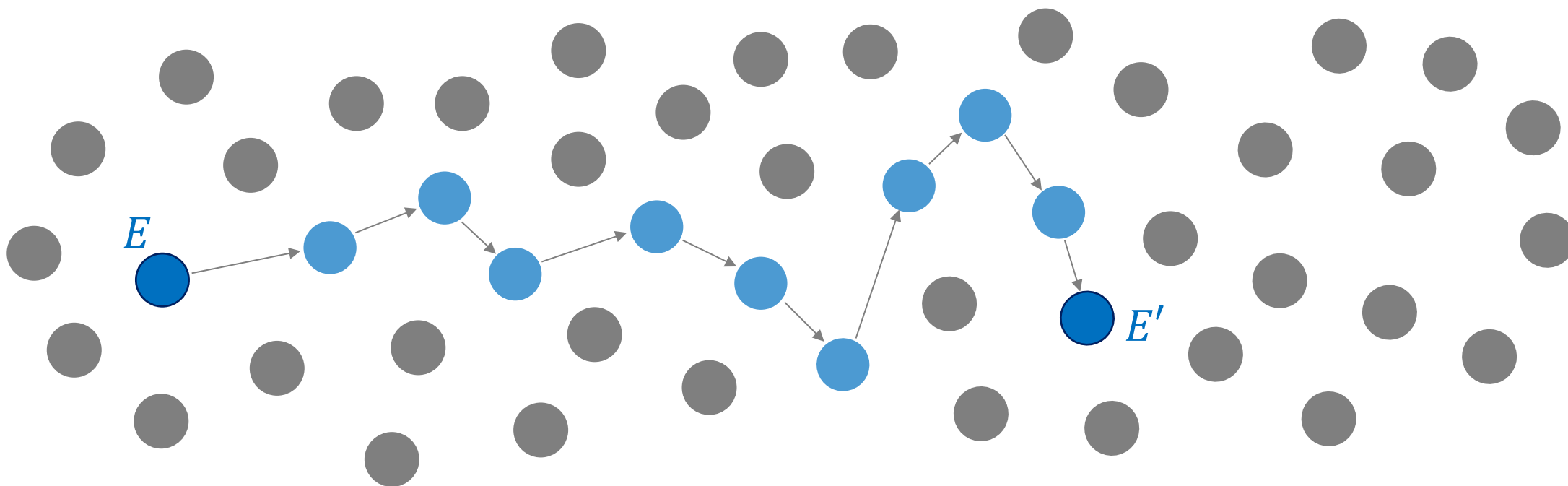
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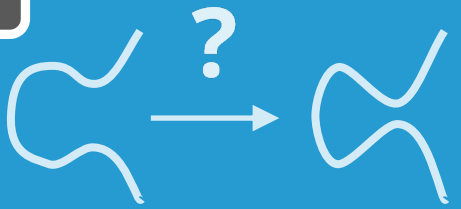
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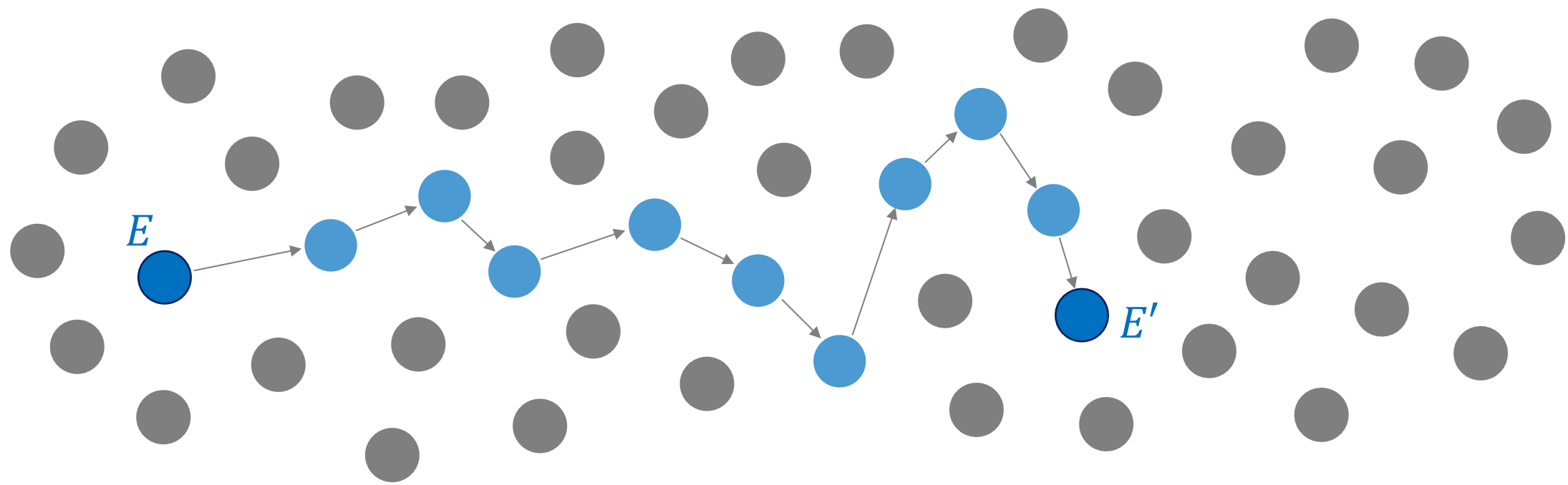


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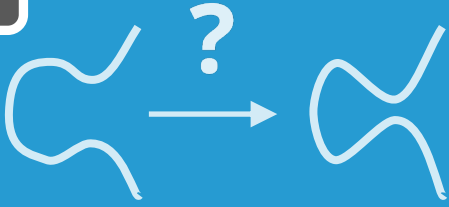
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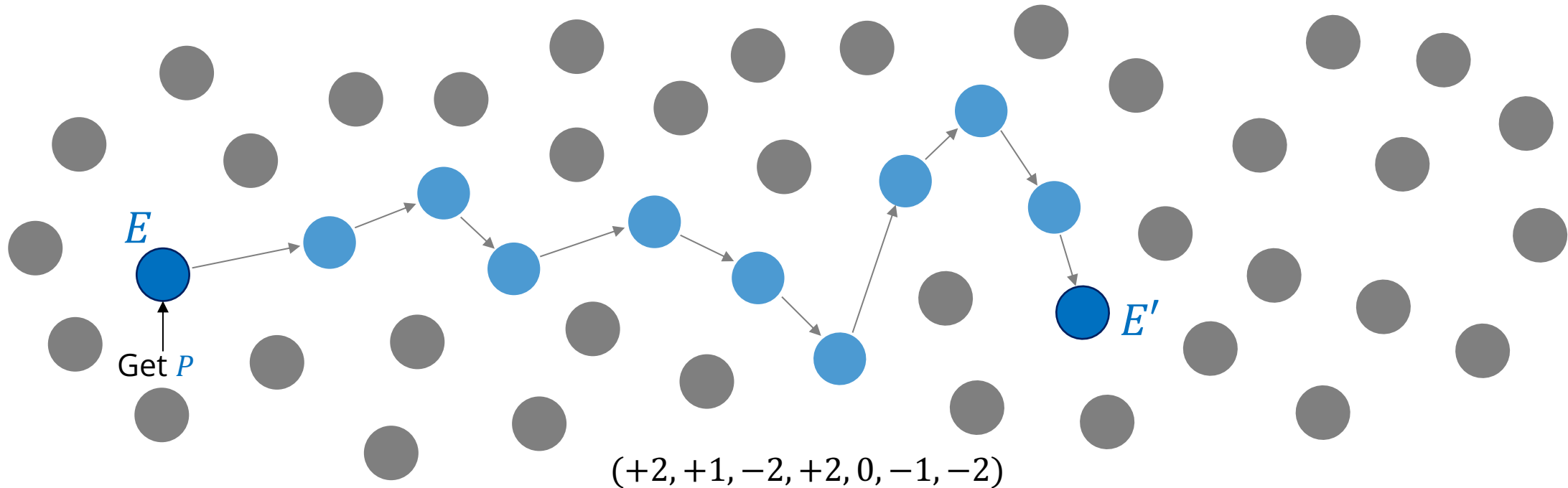


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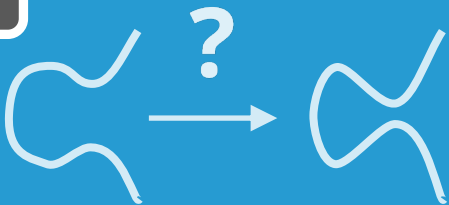
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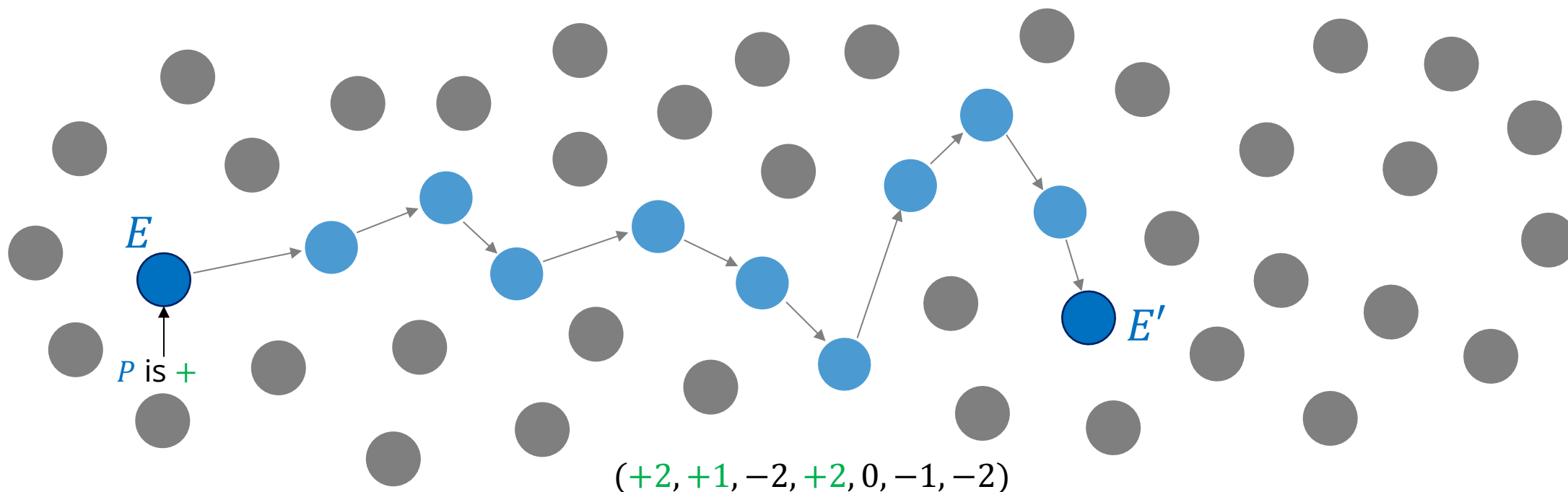


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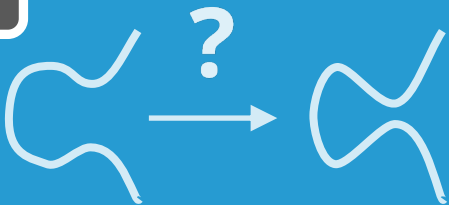
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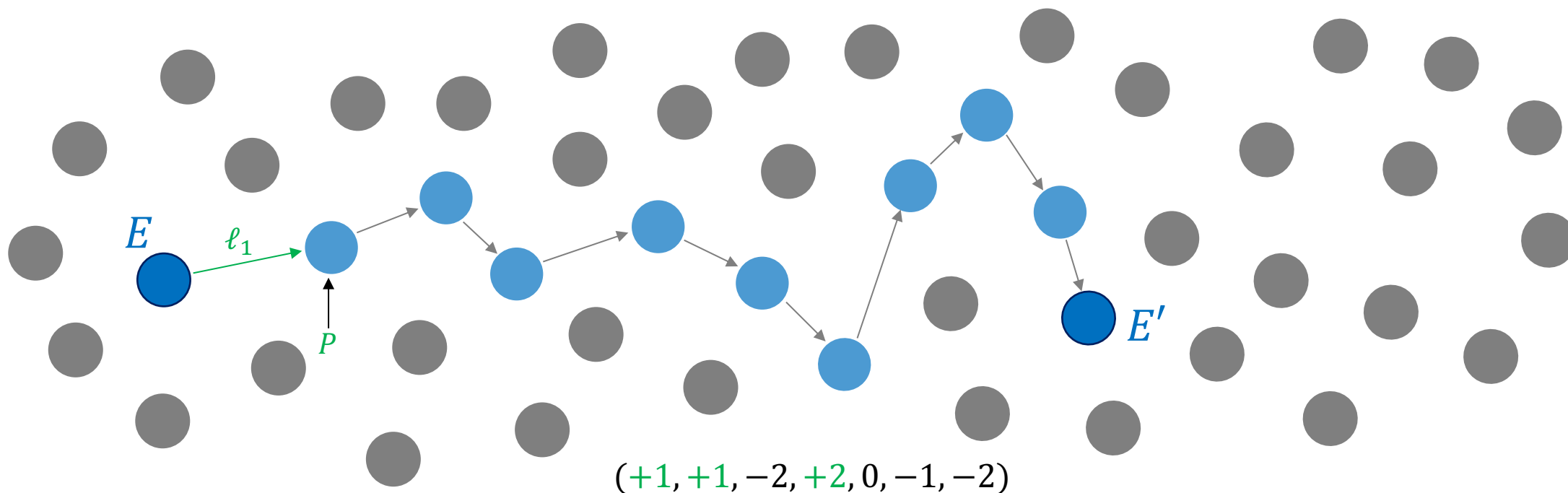


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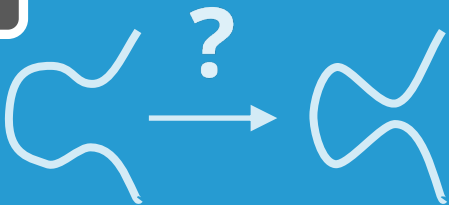
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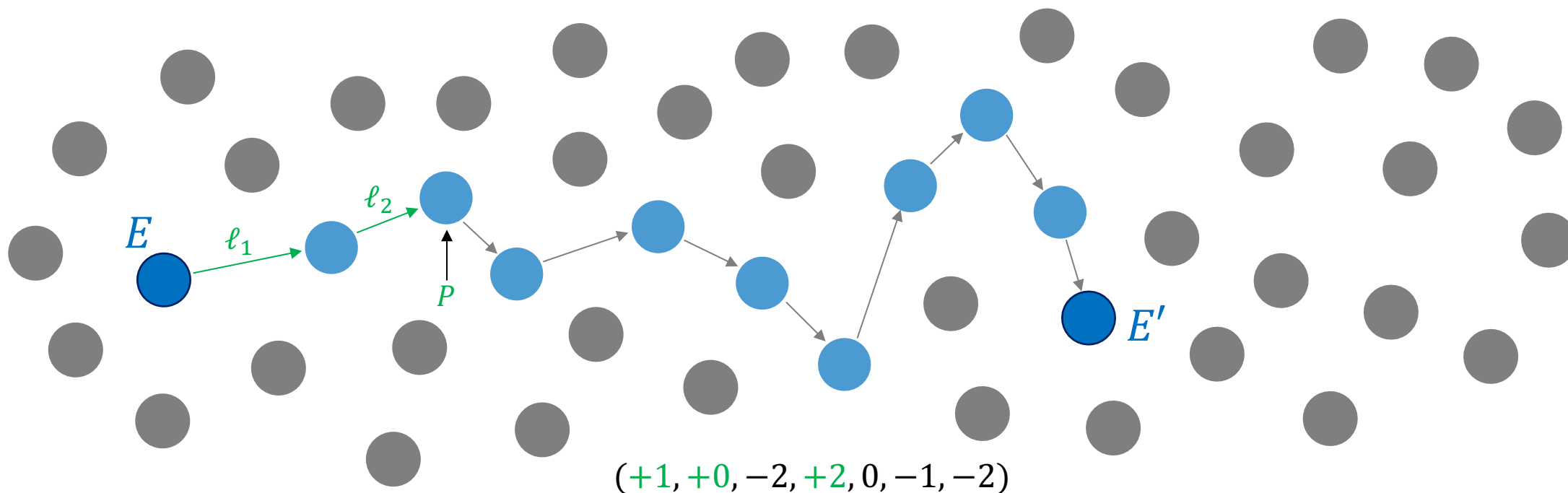


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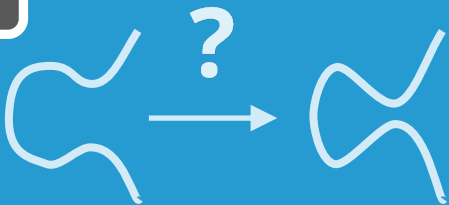
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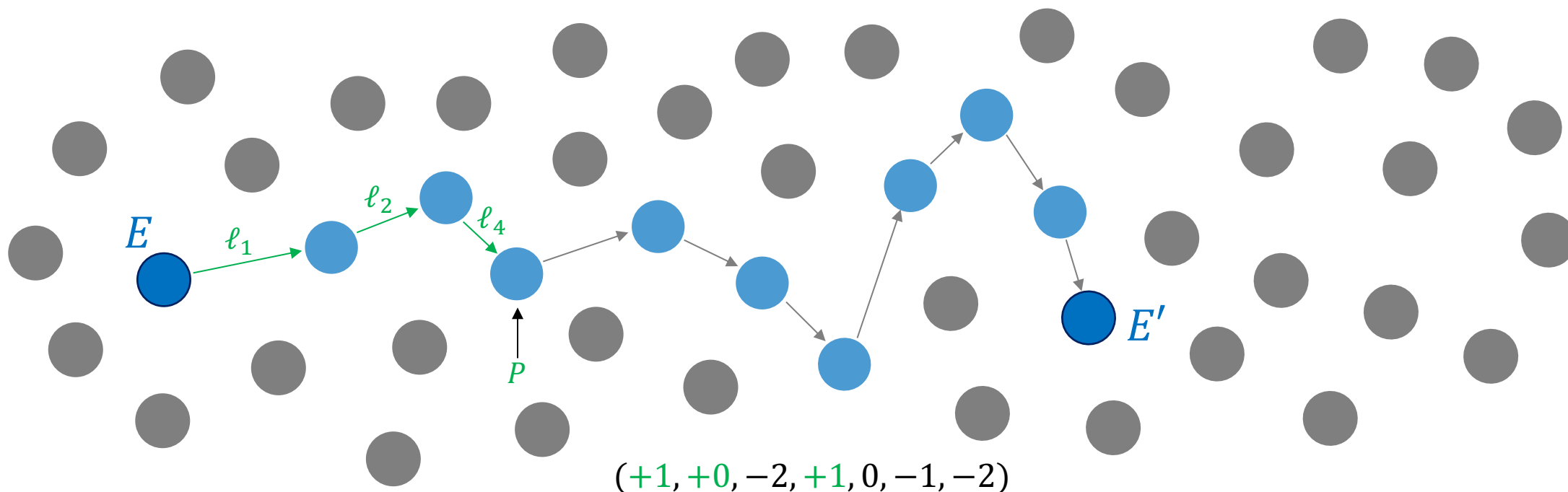


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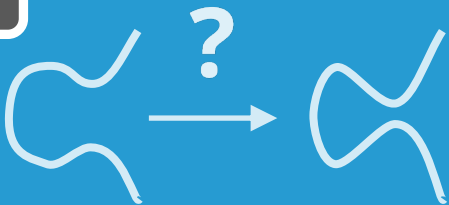
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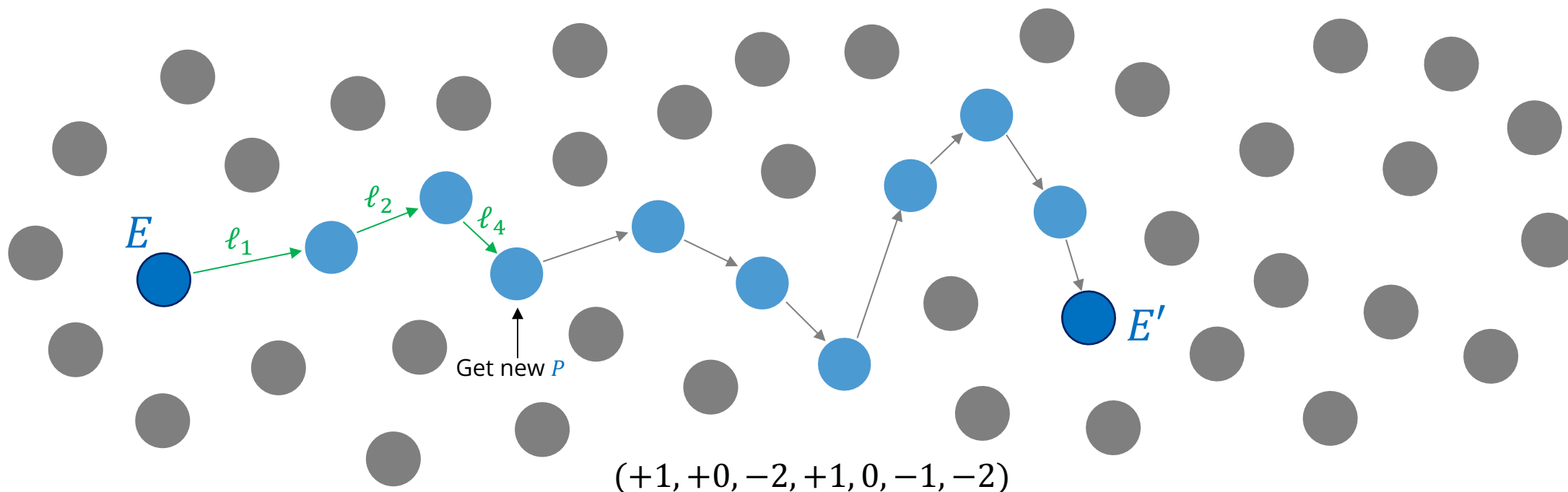


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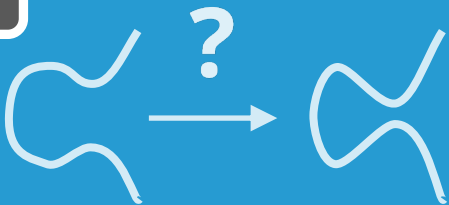
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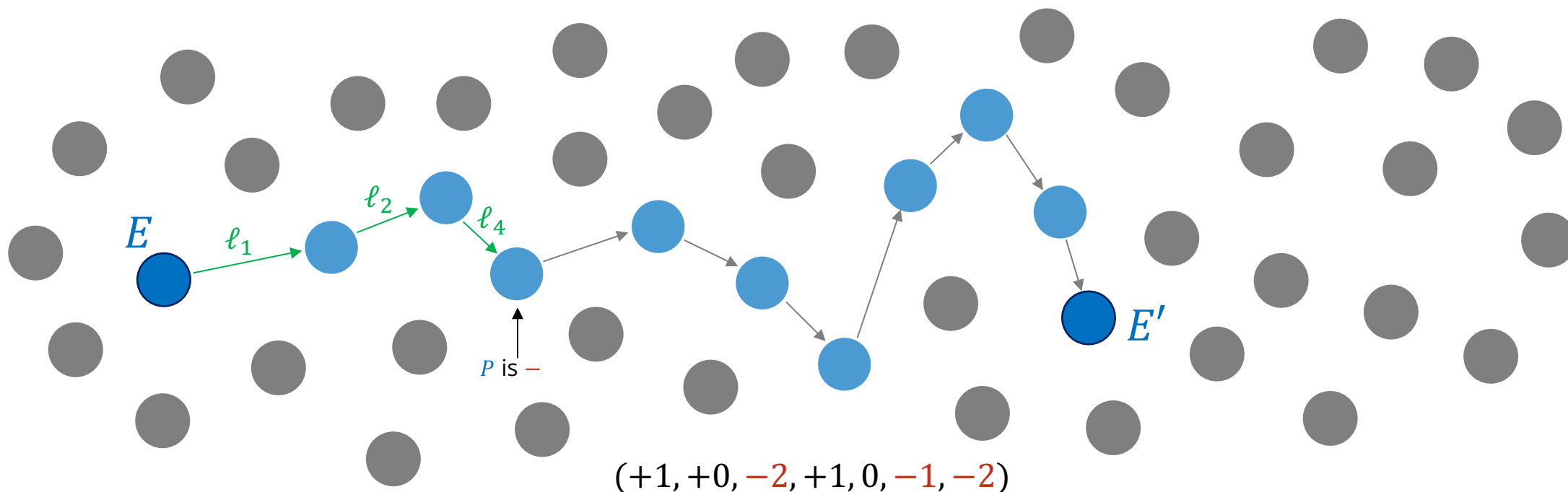


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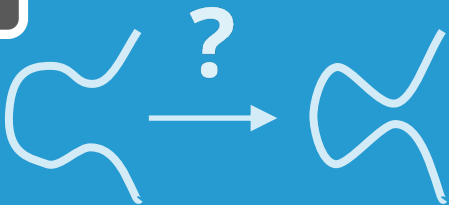
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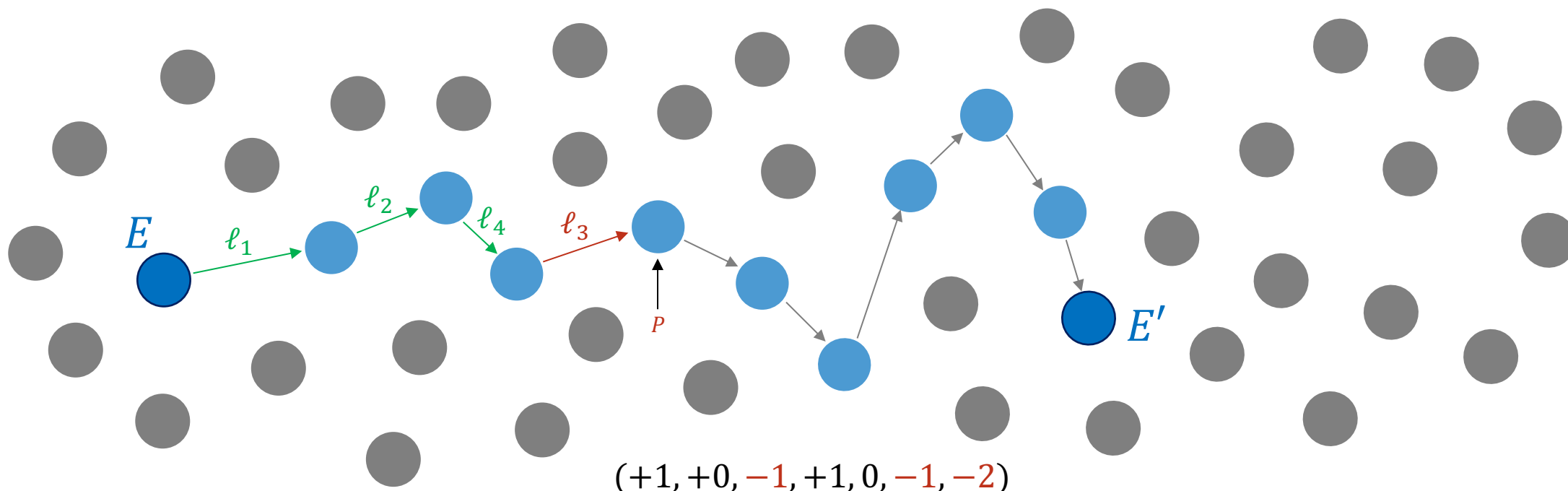


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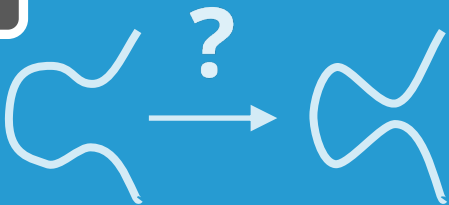
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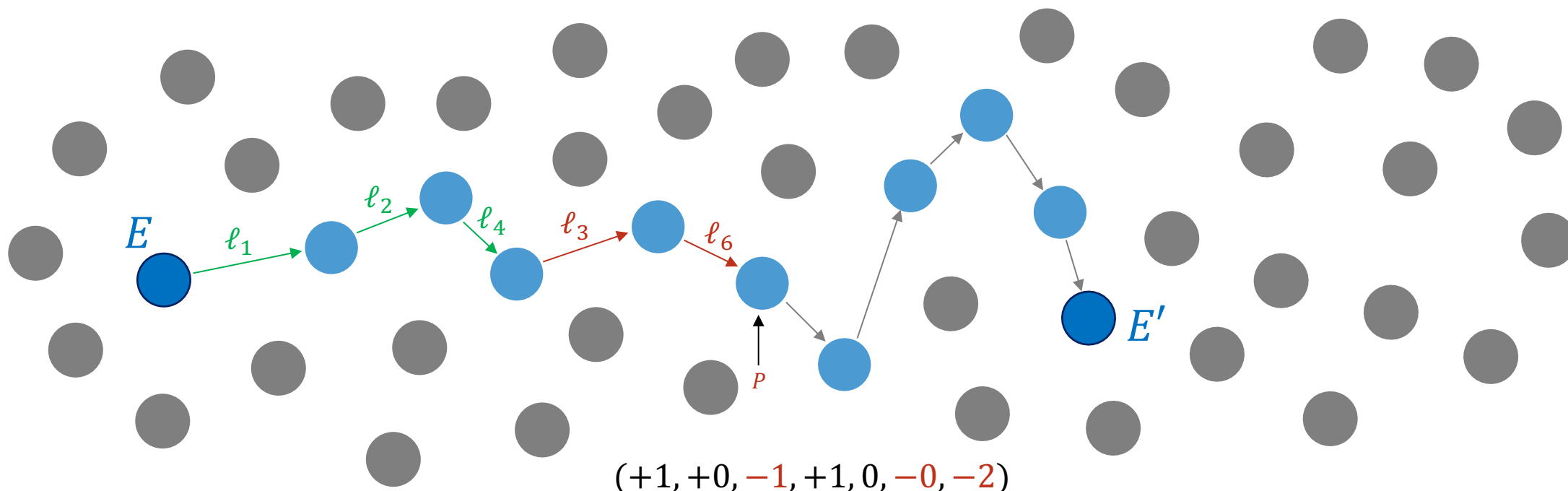


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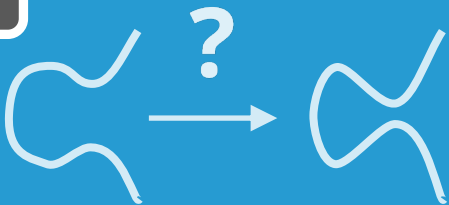
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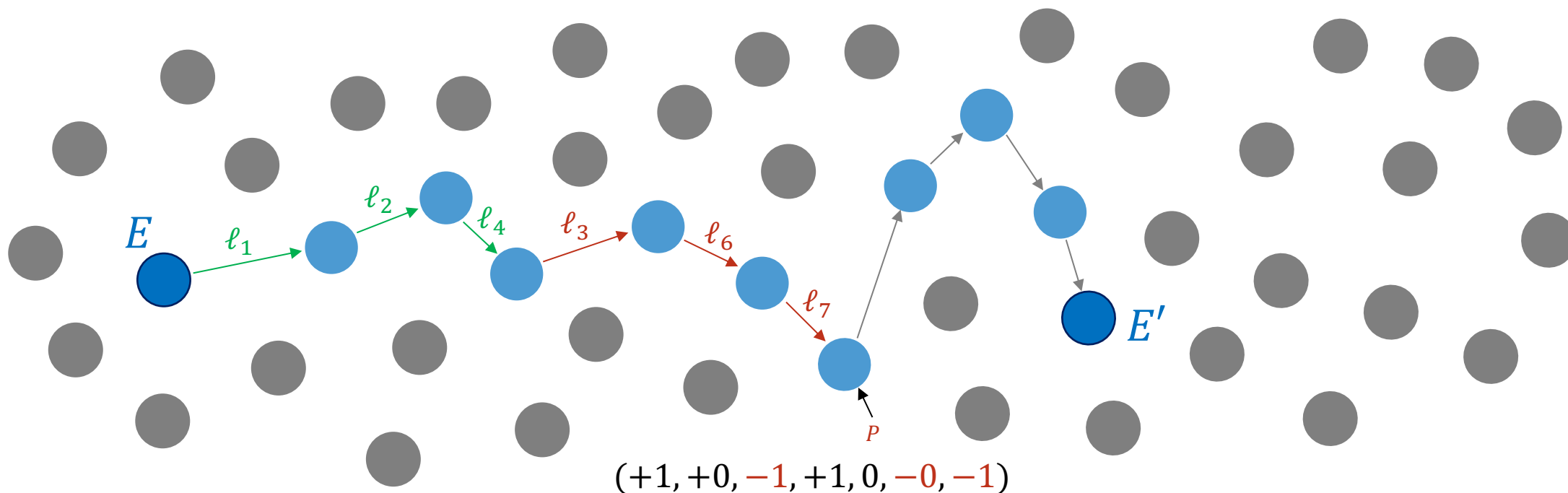


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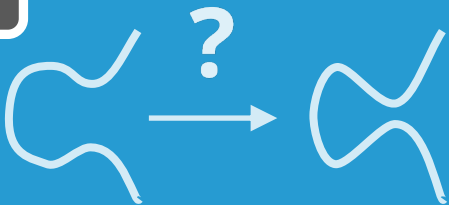
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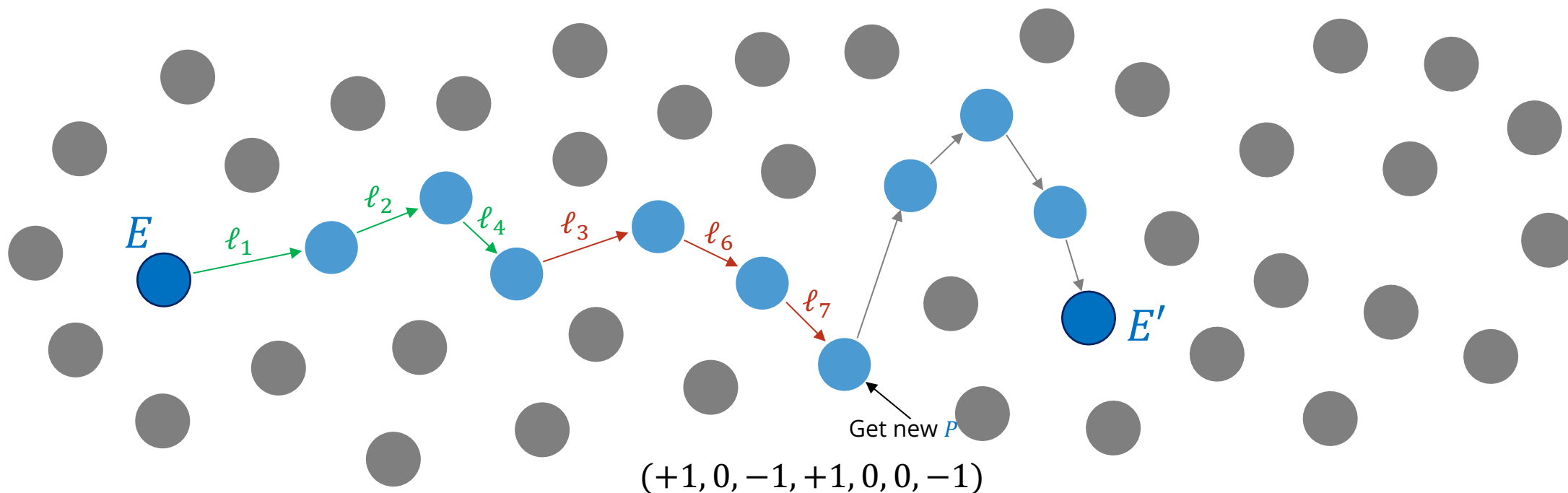


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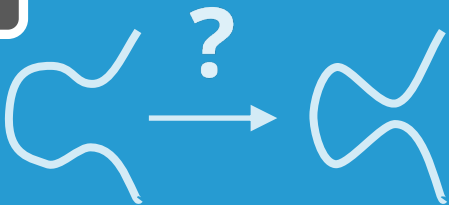
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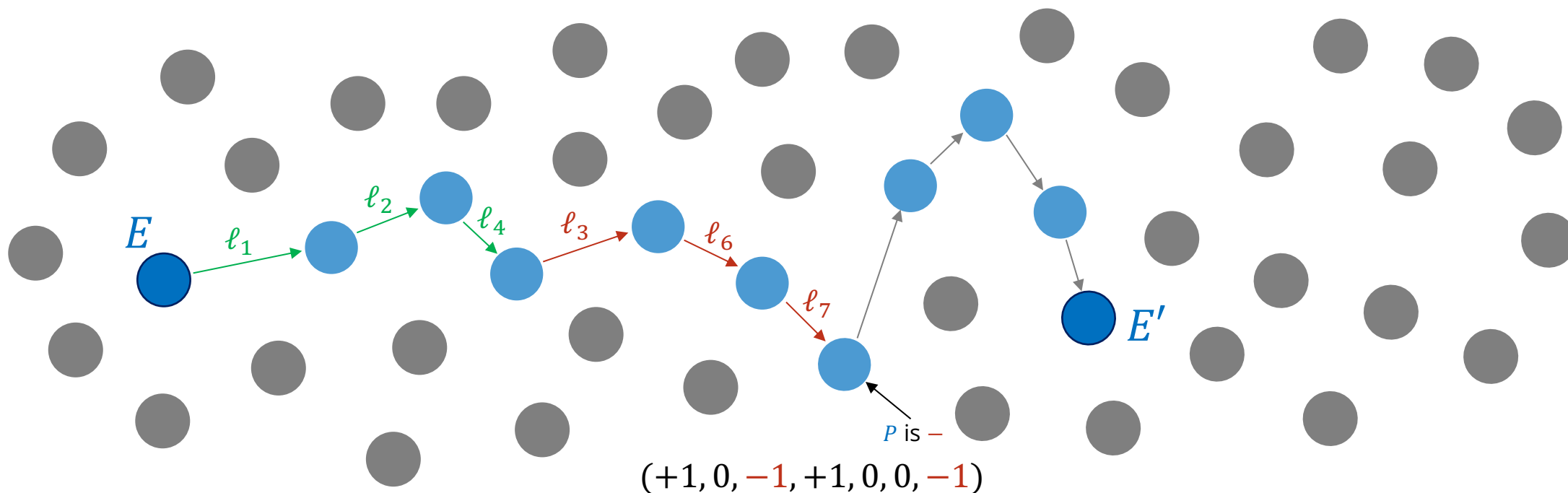


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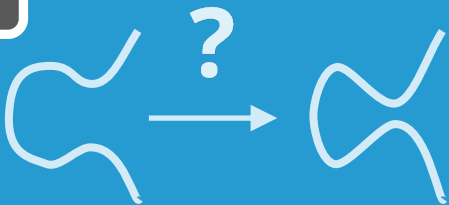
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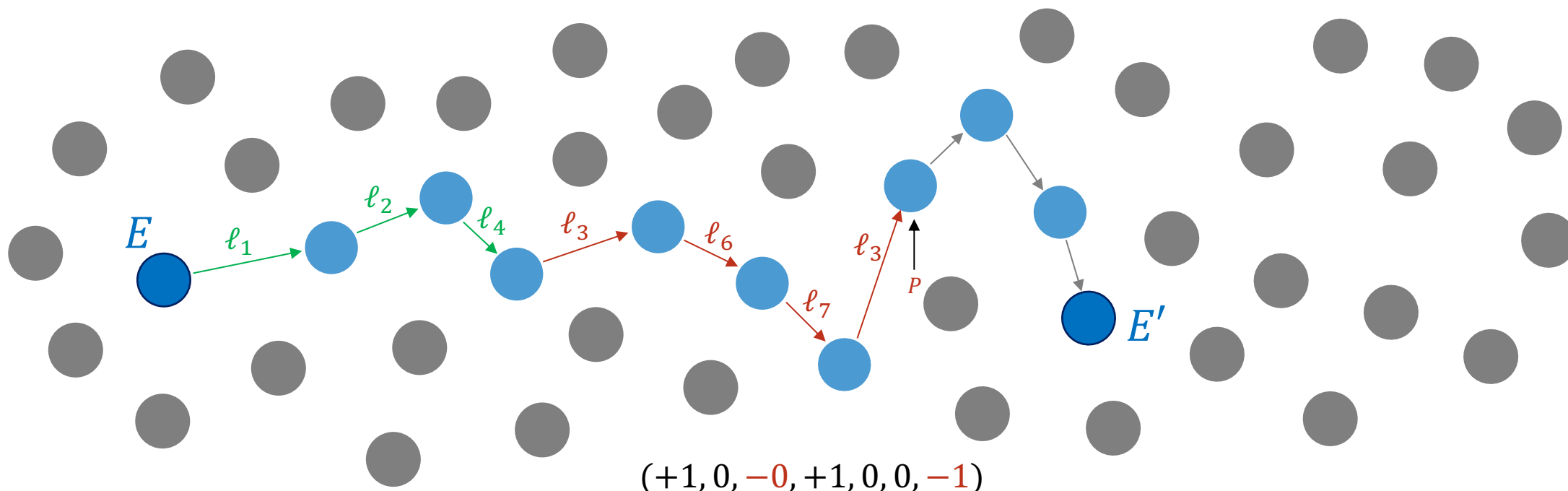


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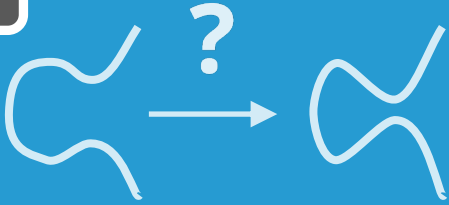
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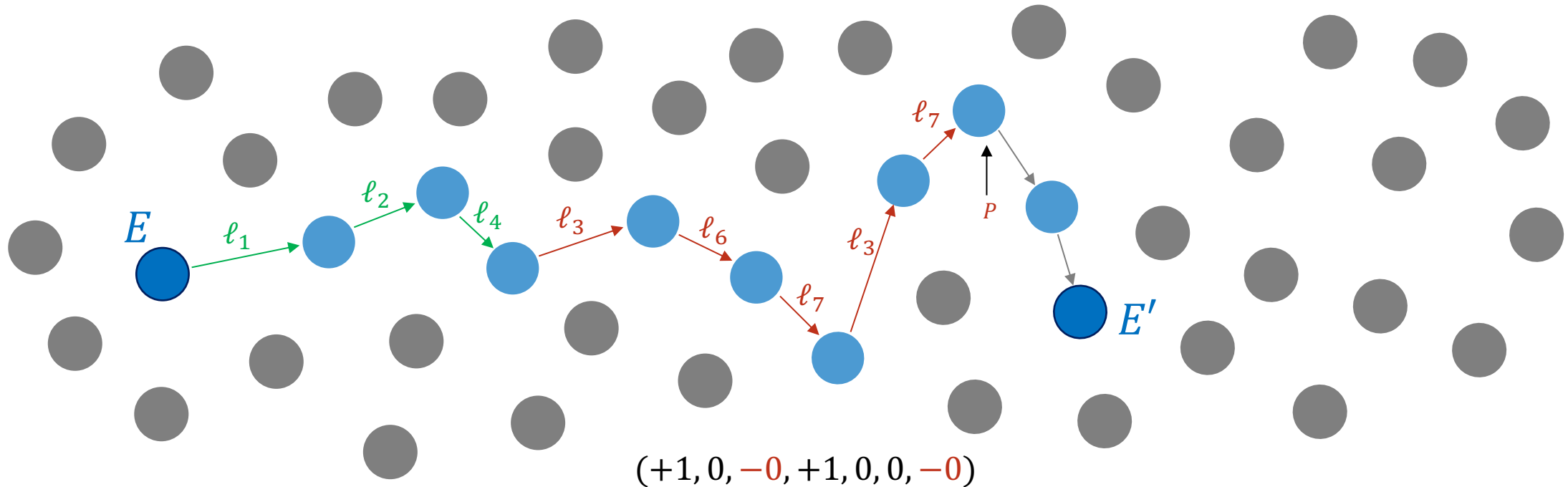


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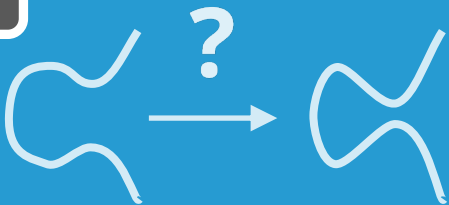
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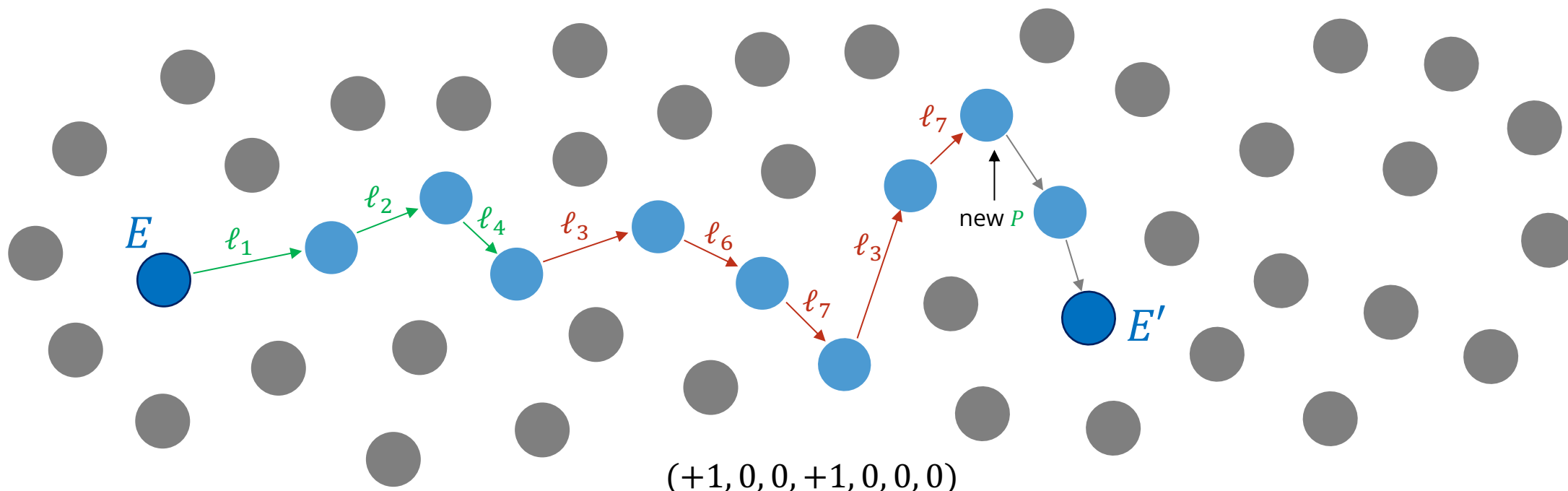


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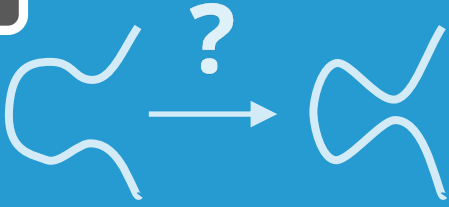
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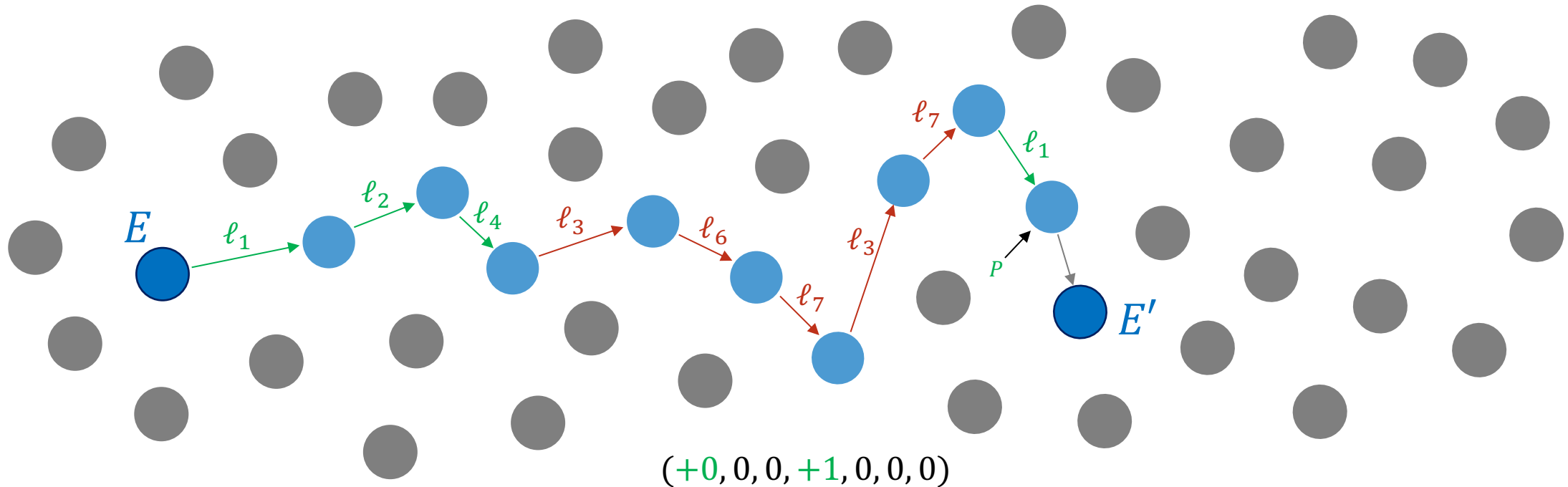


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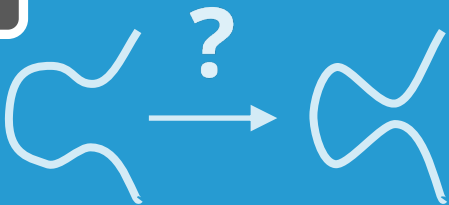
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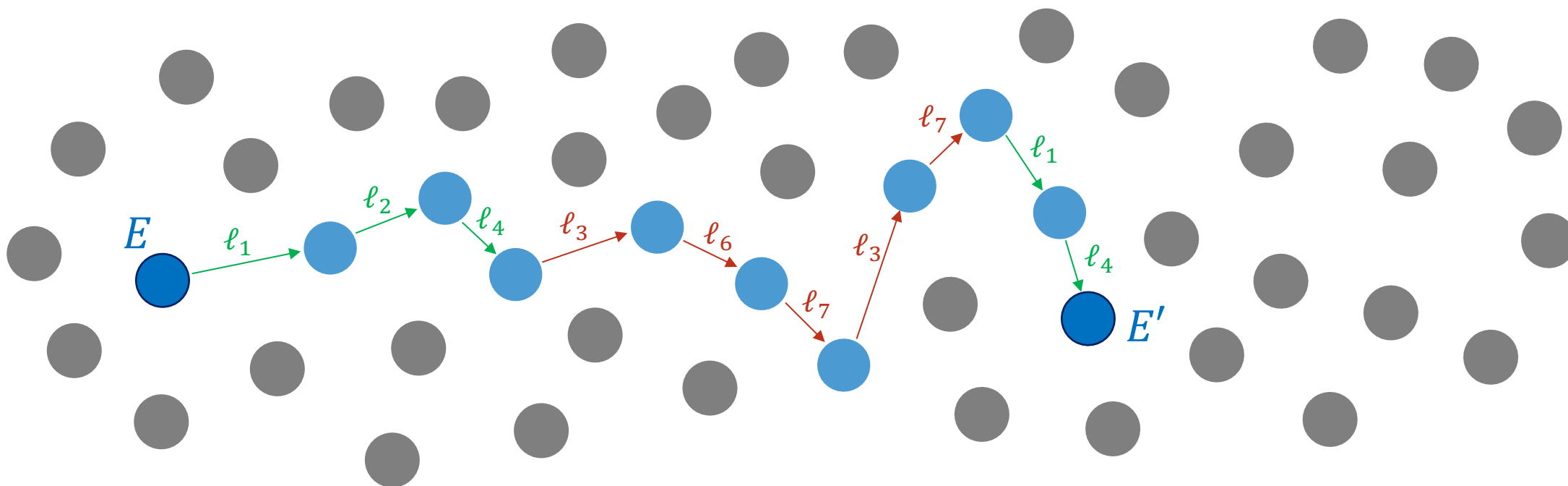


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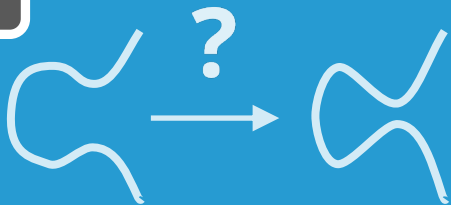
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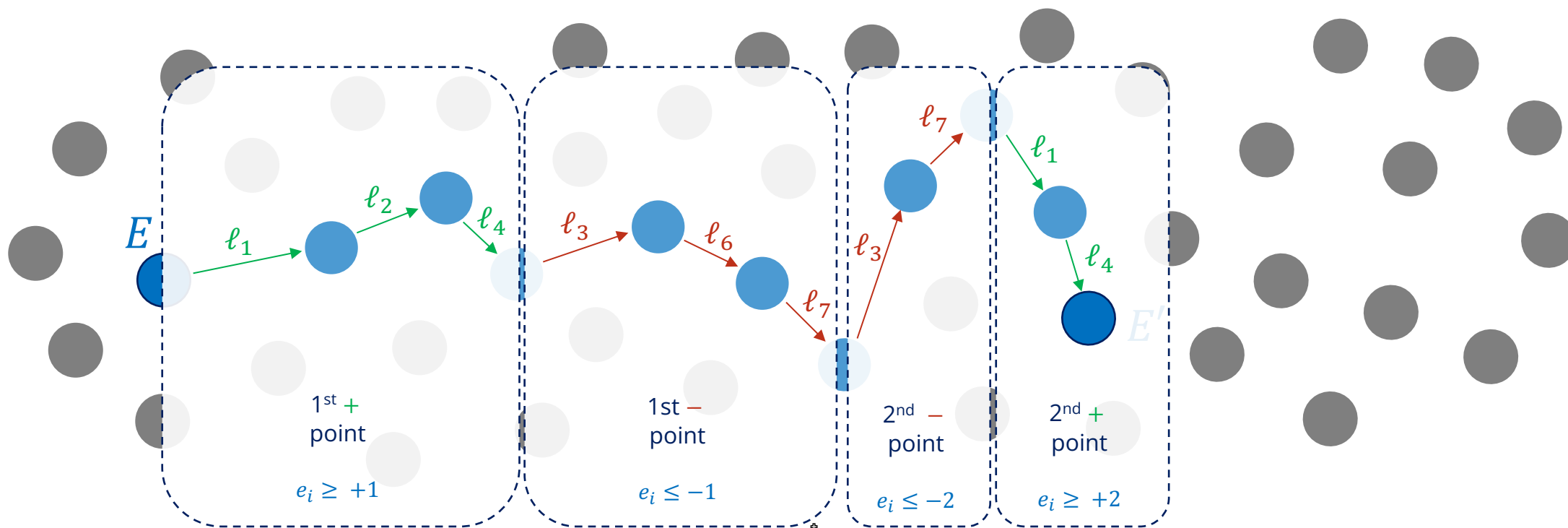


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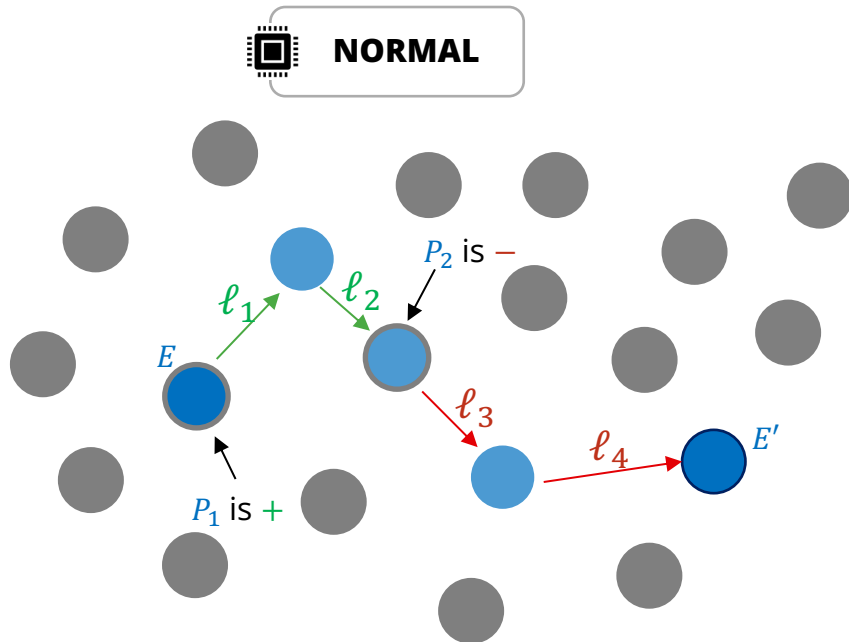


FAULT INJECTIONS

Or: How I Learned to Stop Worrying and Love the Laser

How faults break CSIDH

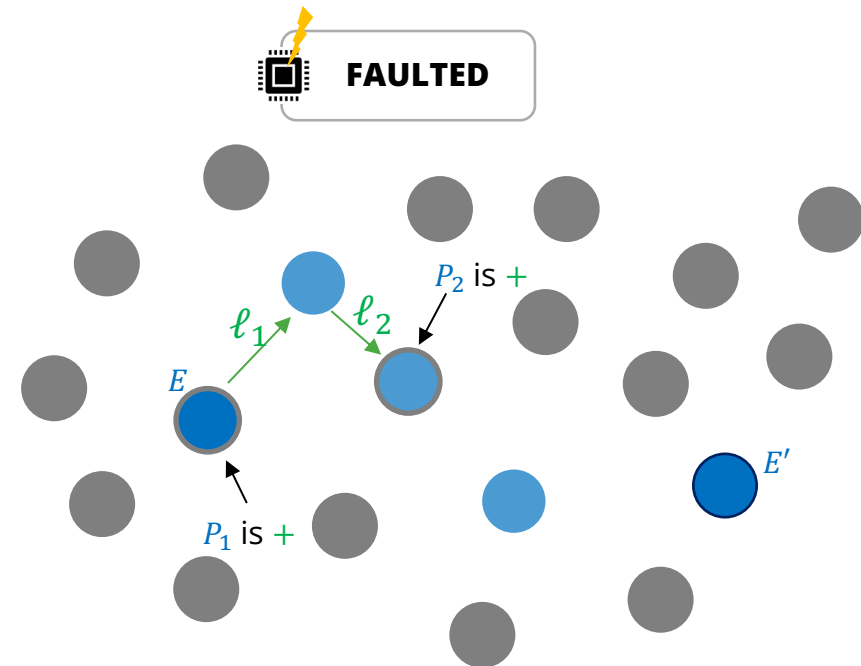
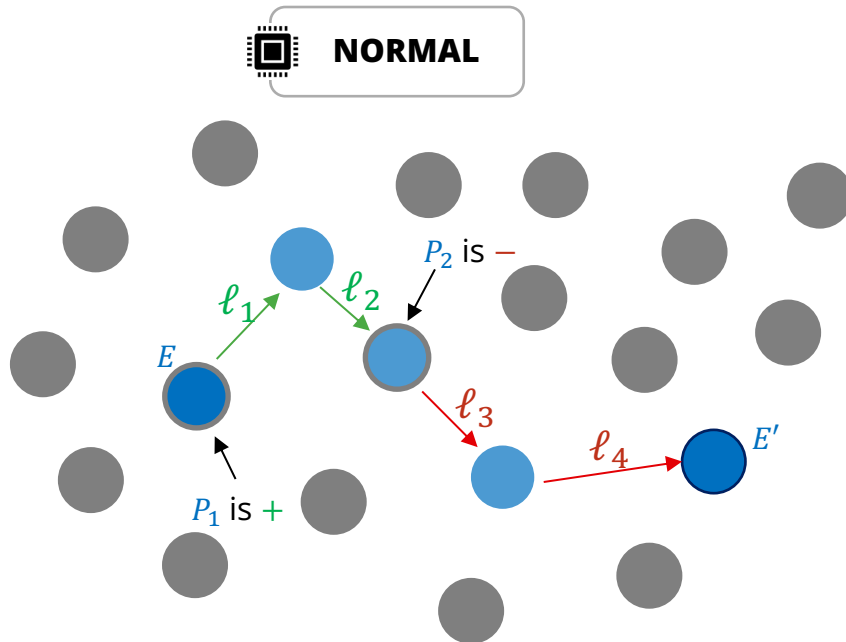
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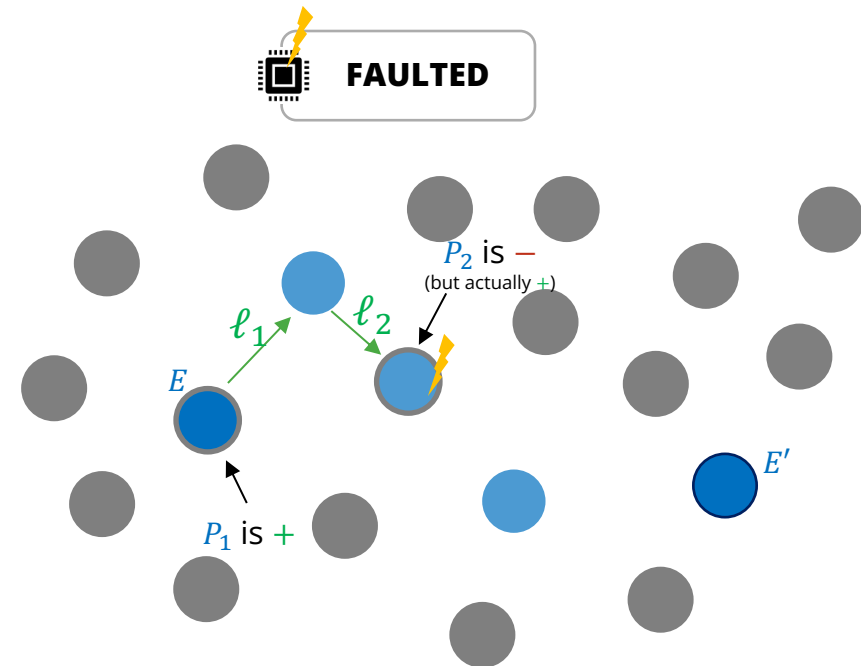
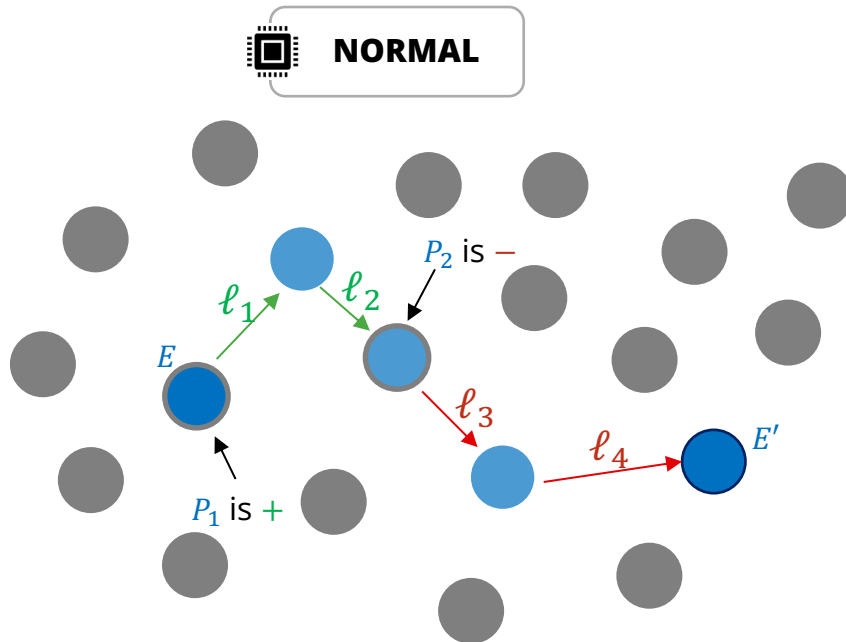
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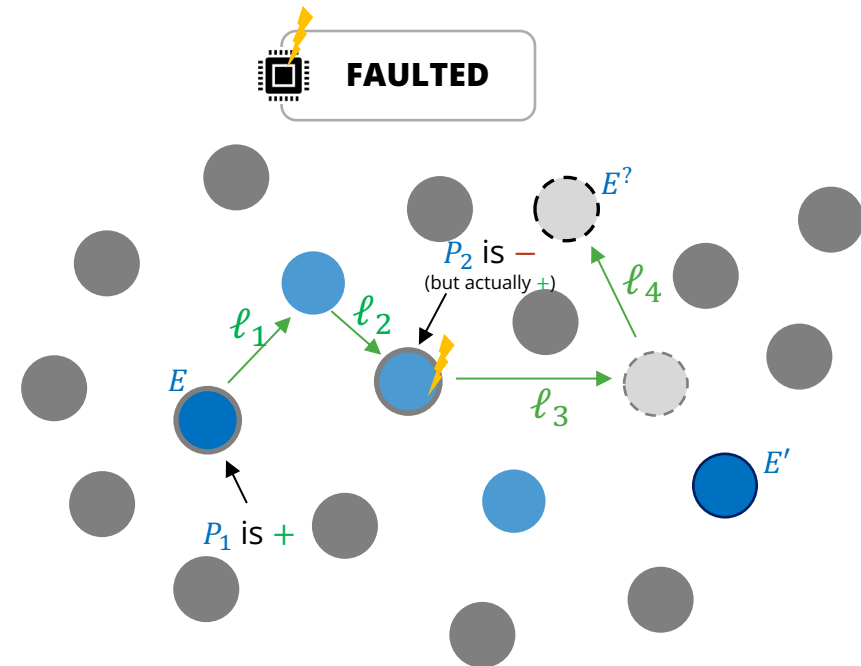
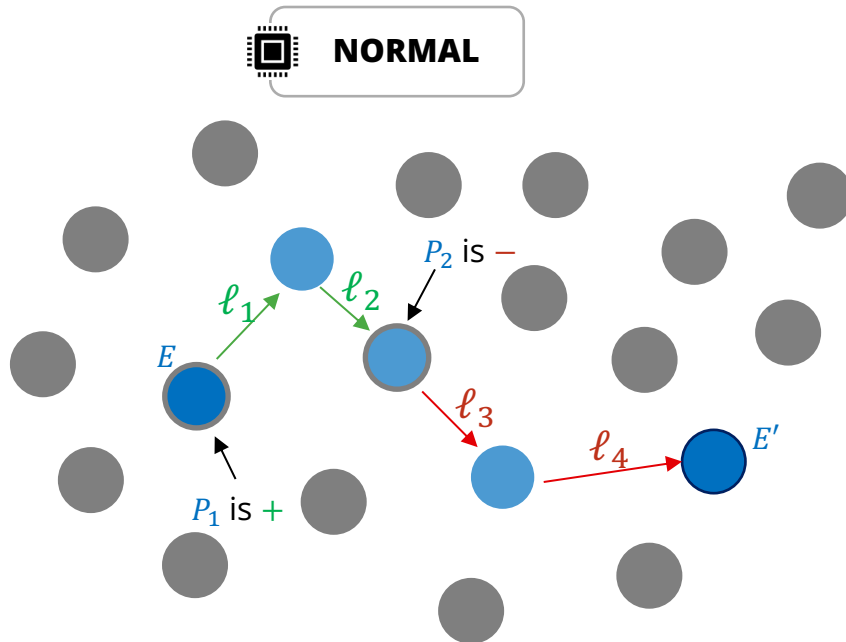
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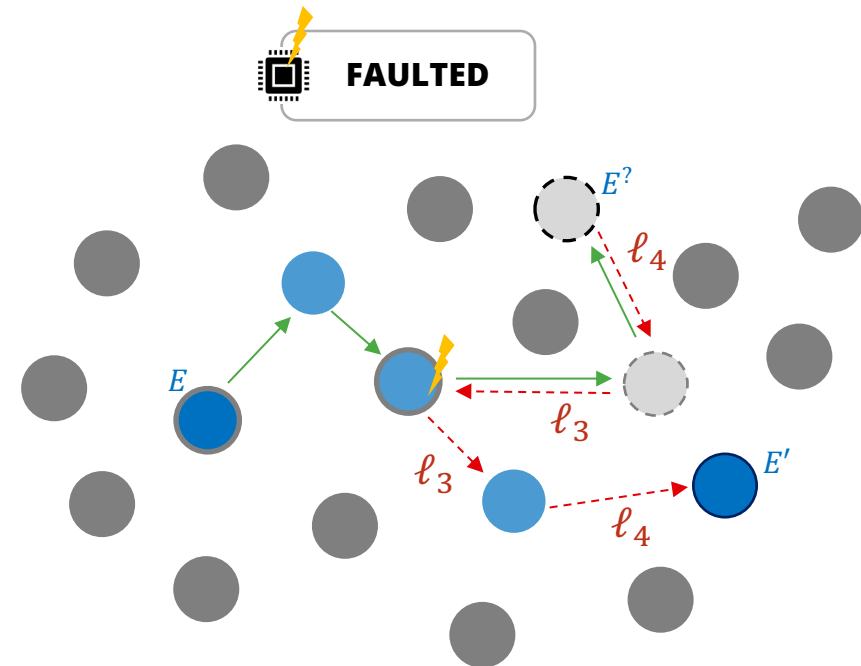
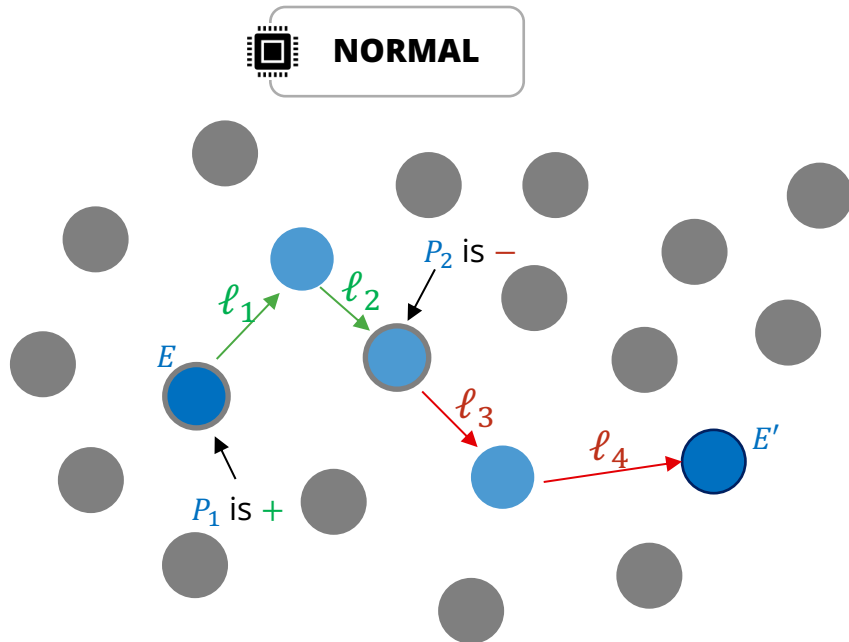
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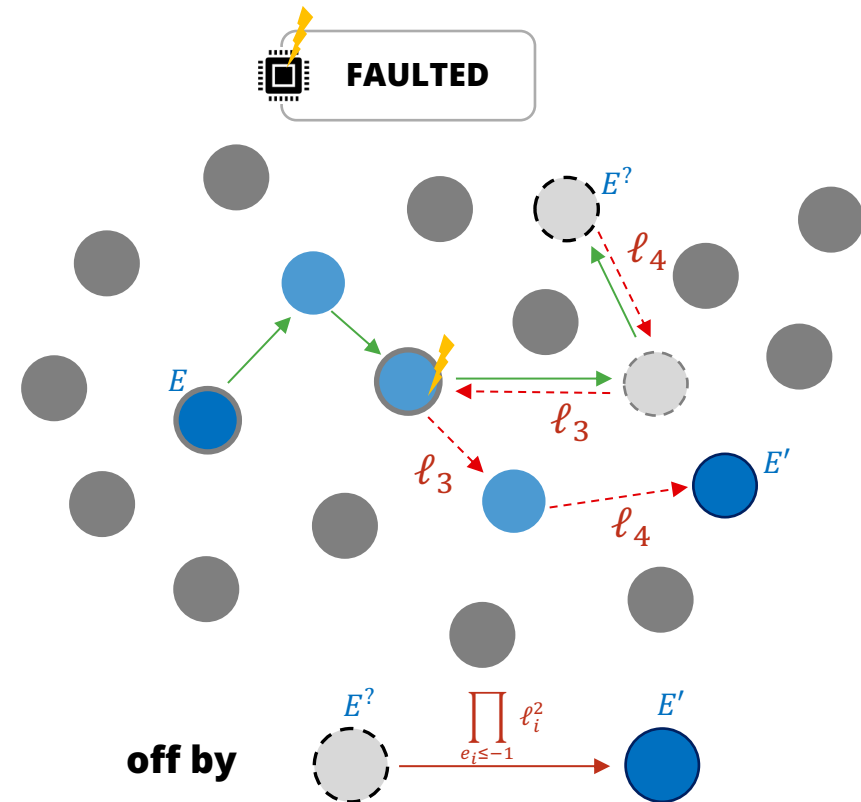
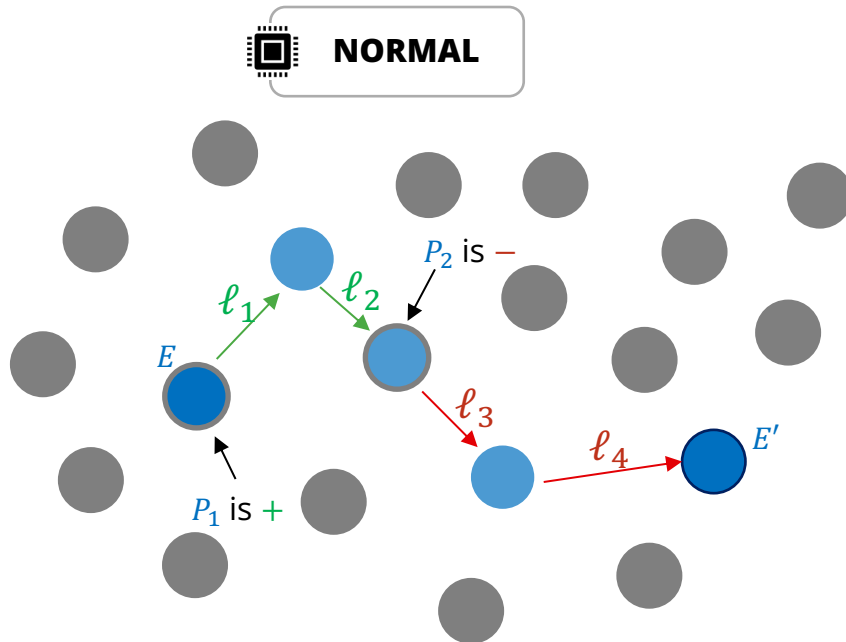
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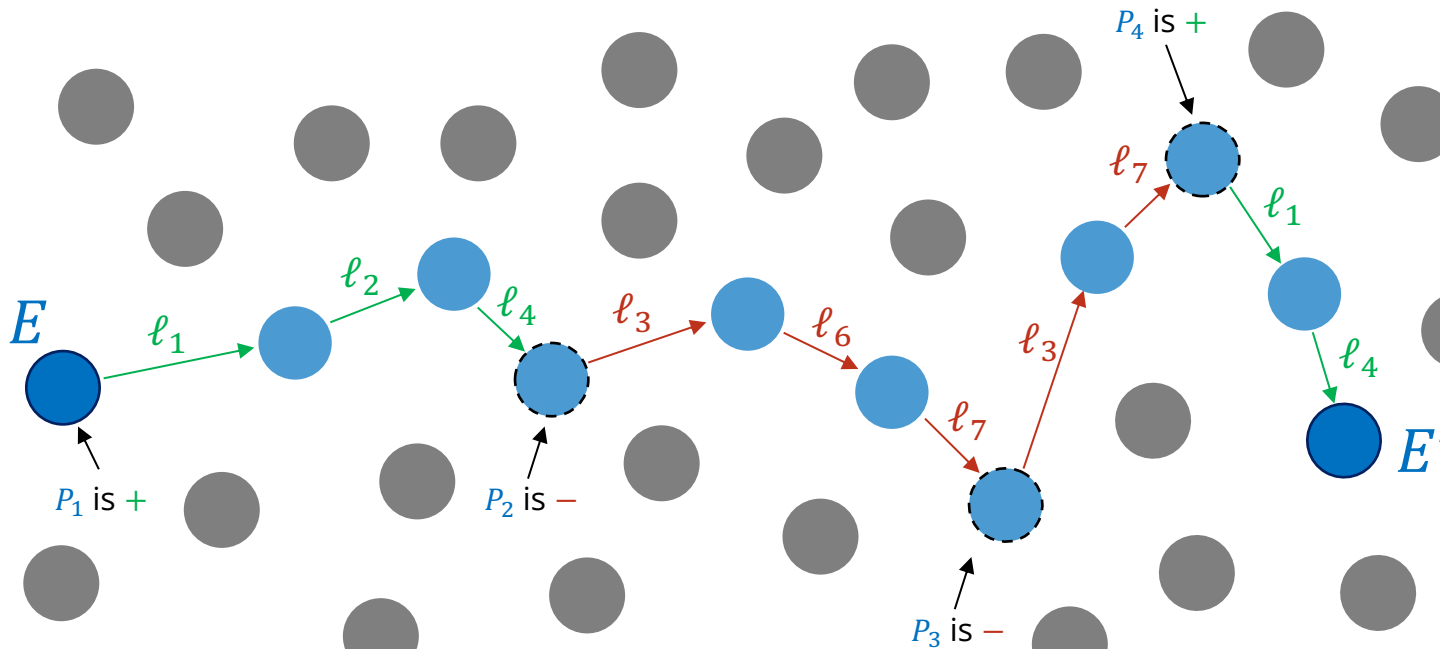
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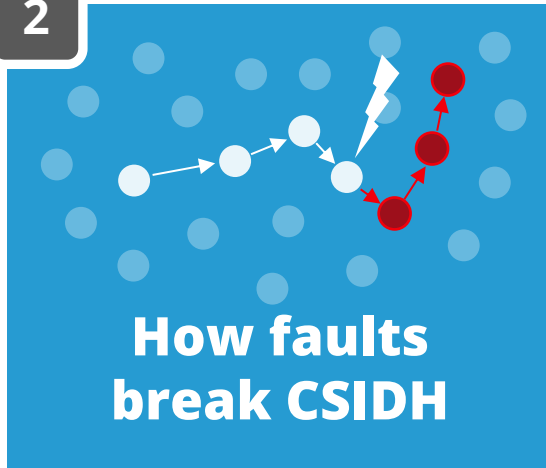


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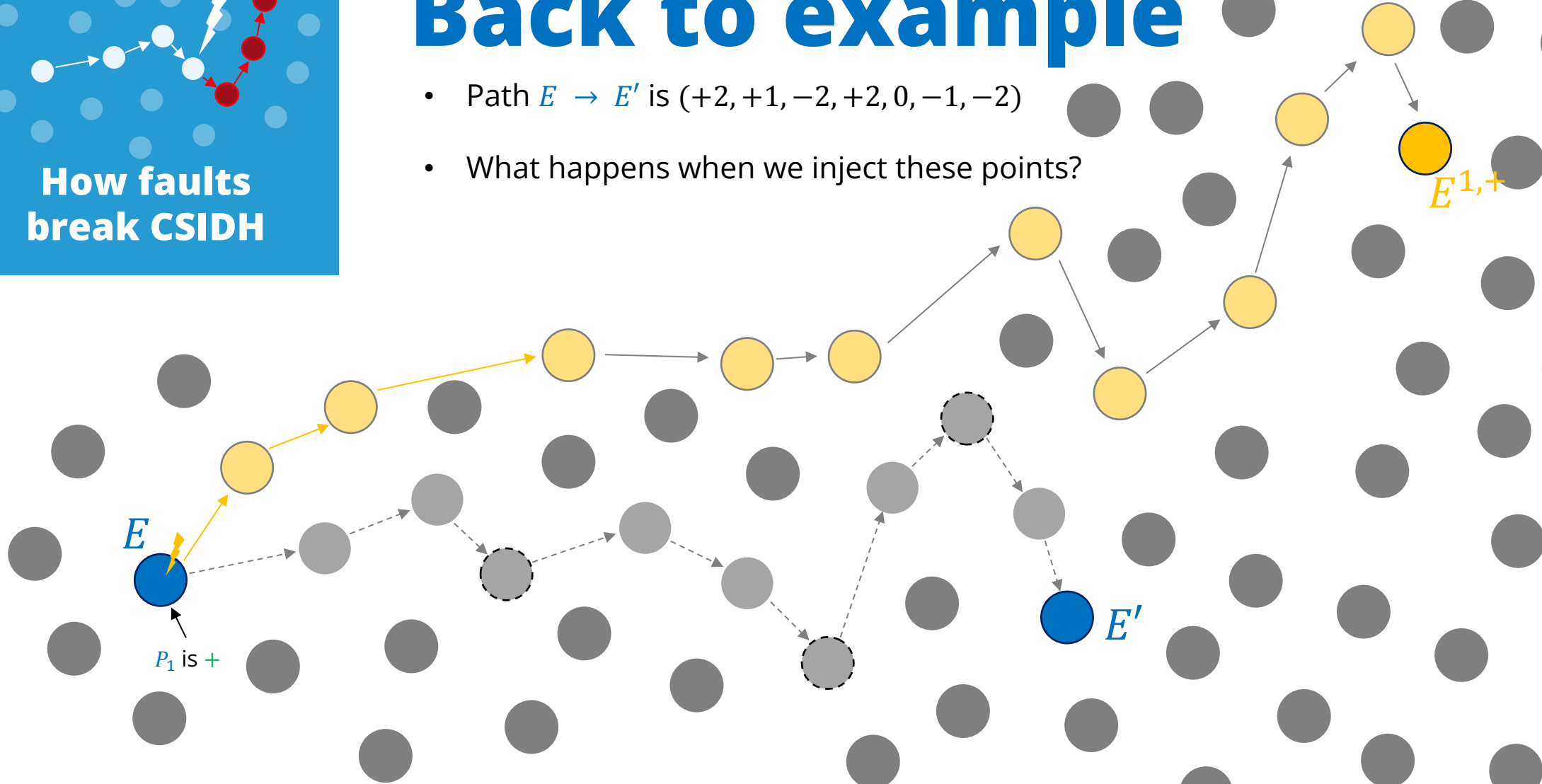
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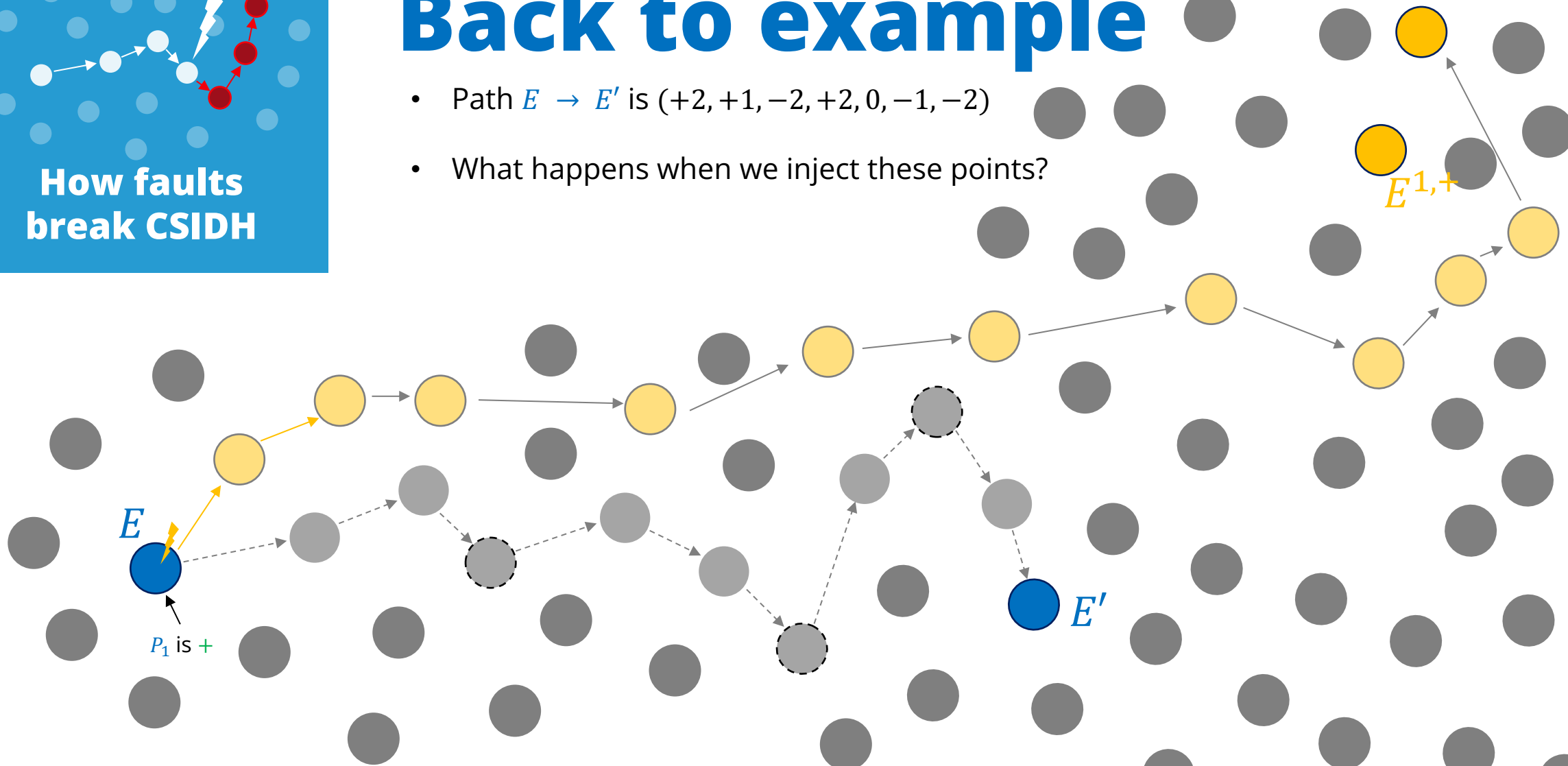


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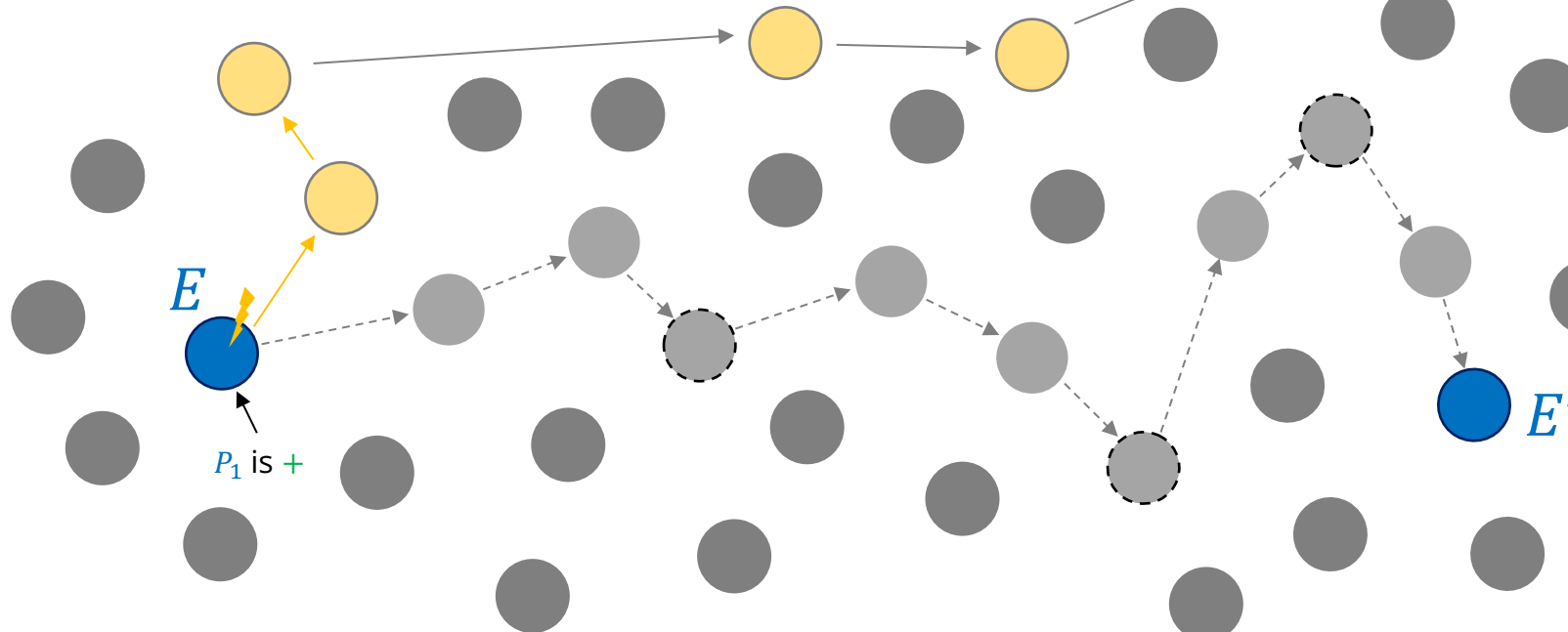
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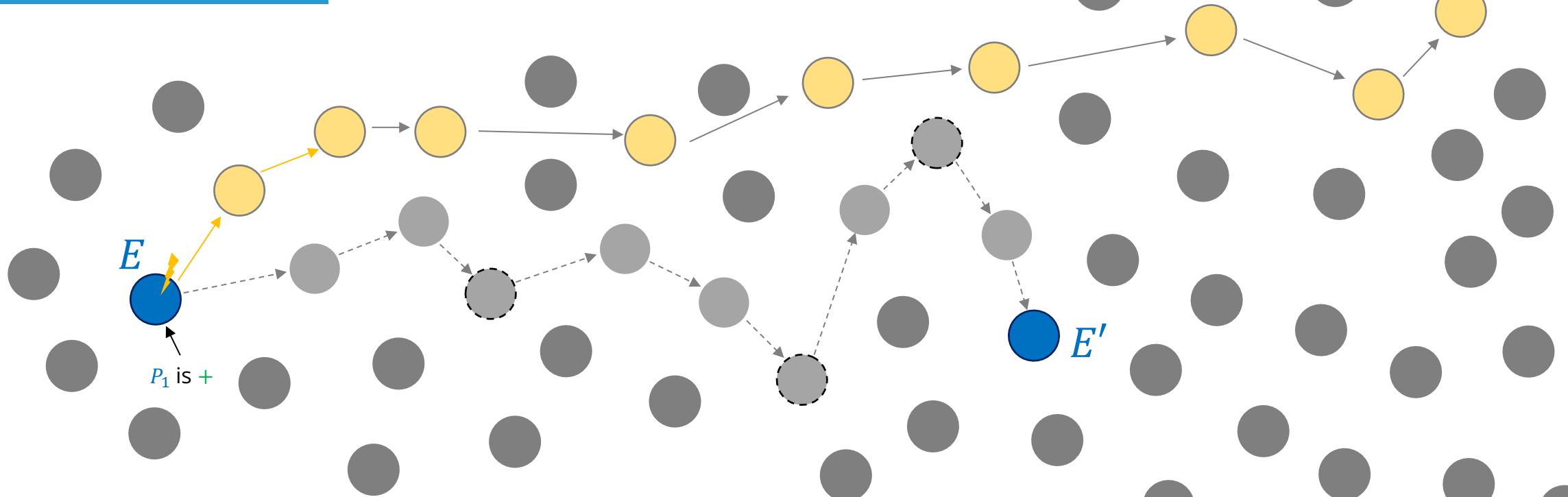


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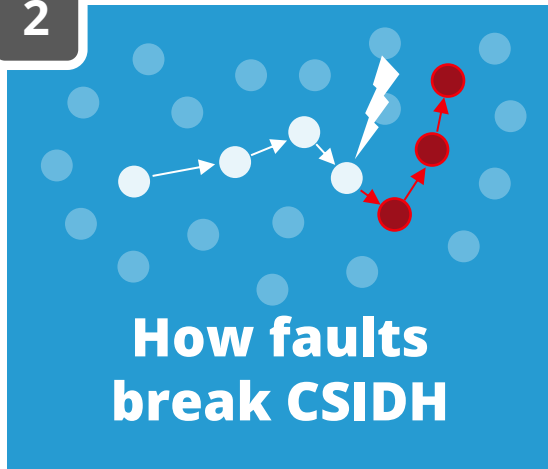
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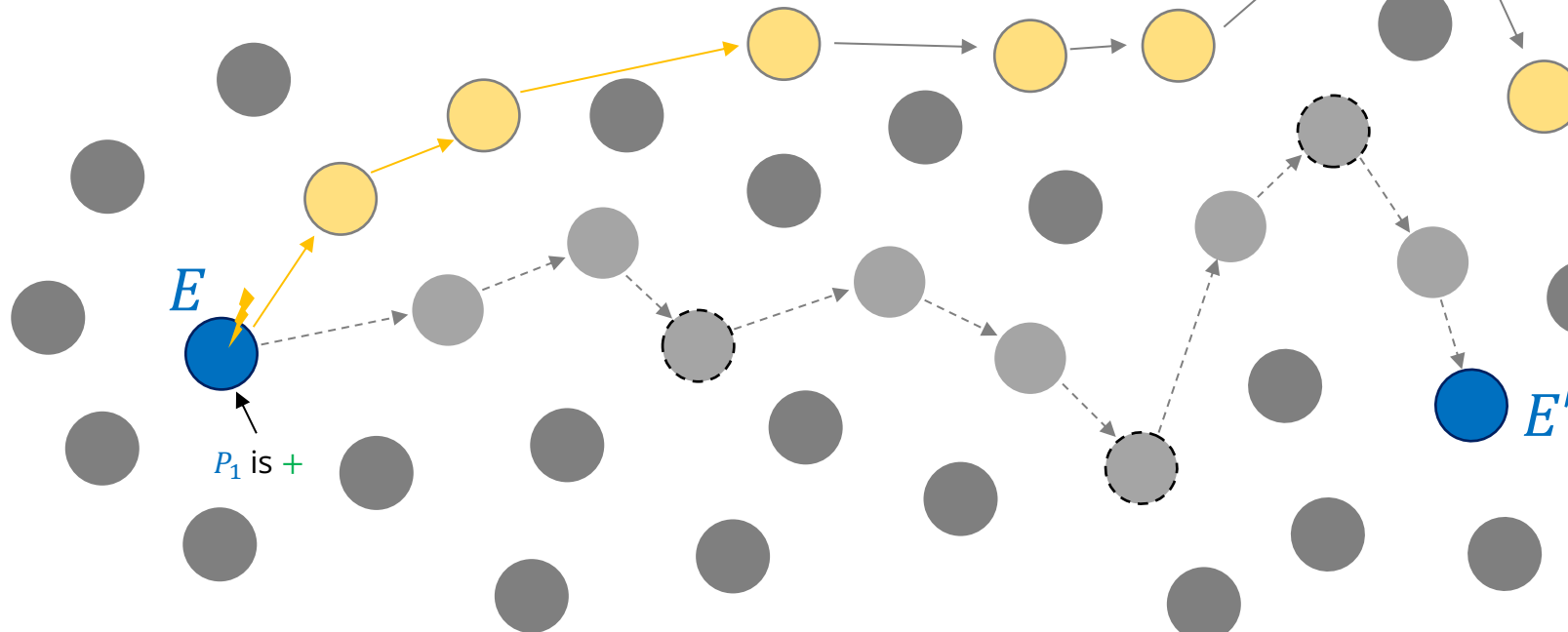


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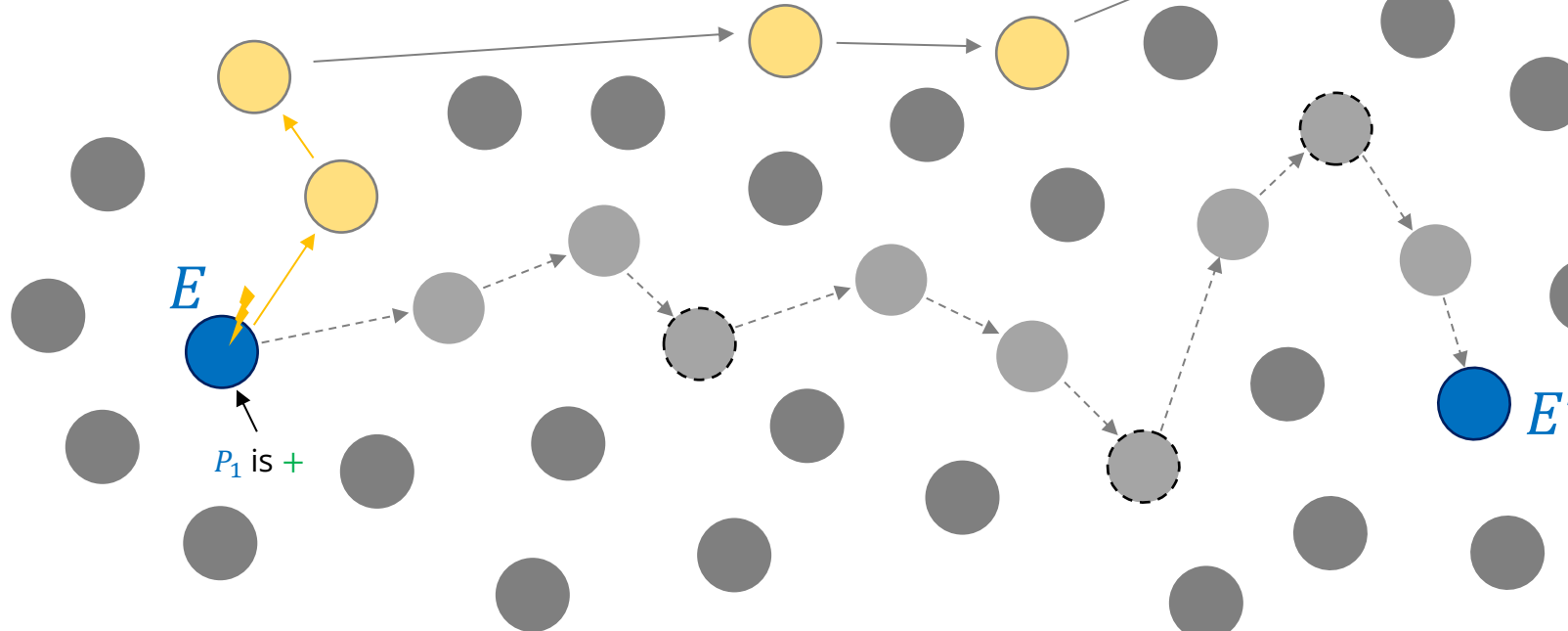


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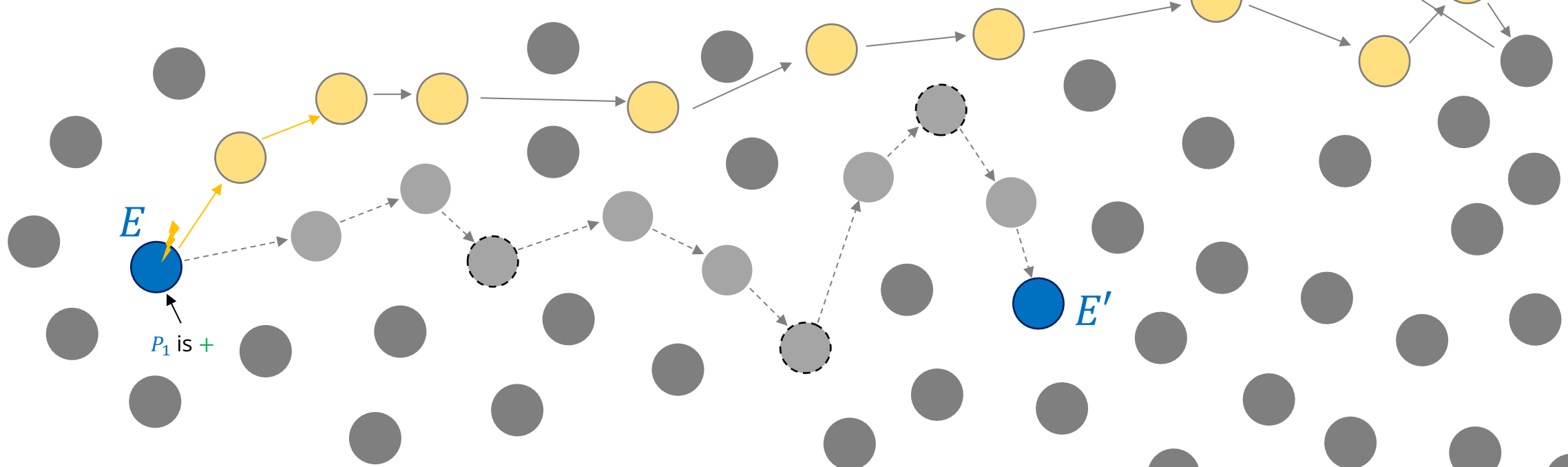


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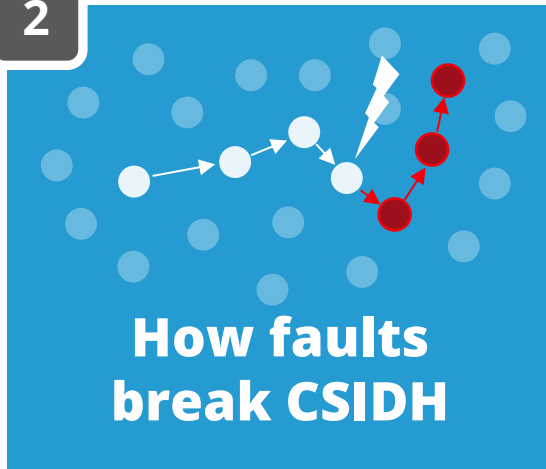
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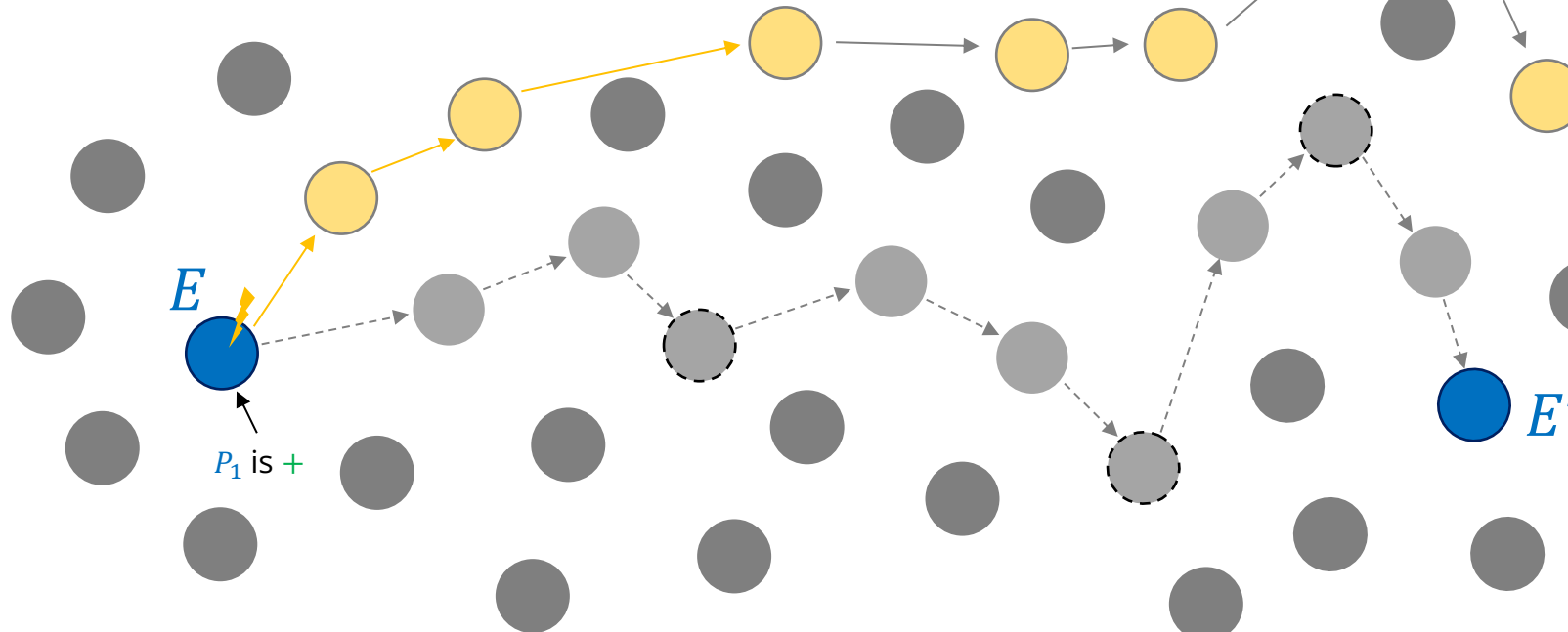


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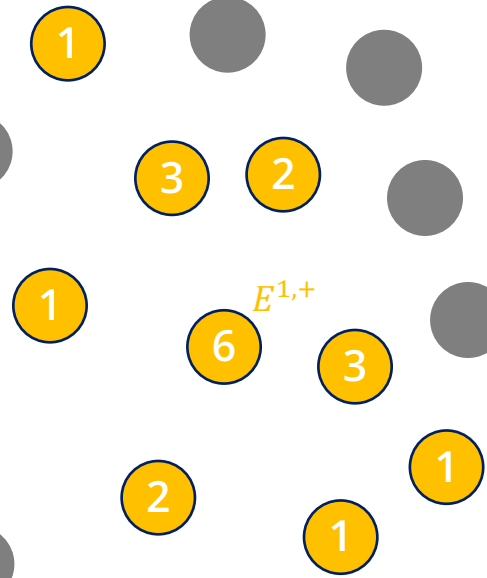
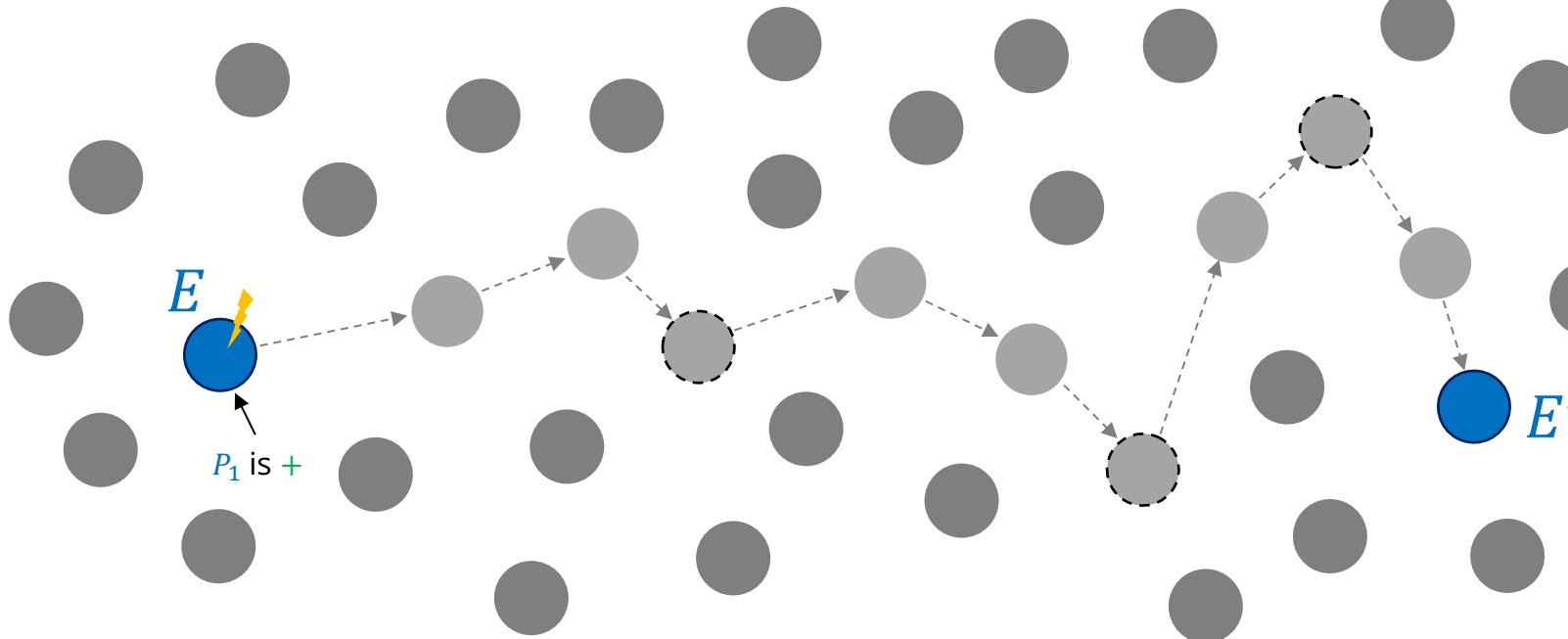


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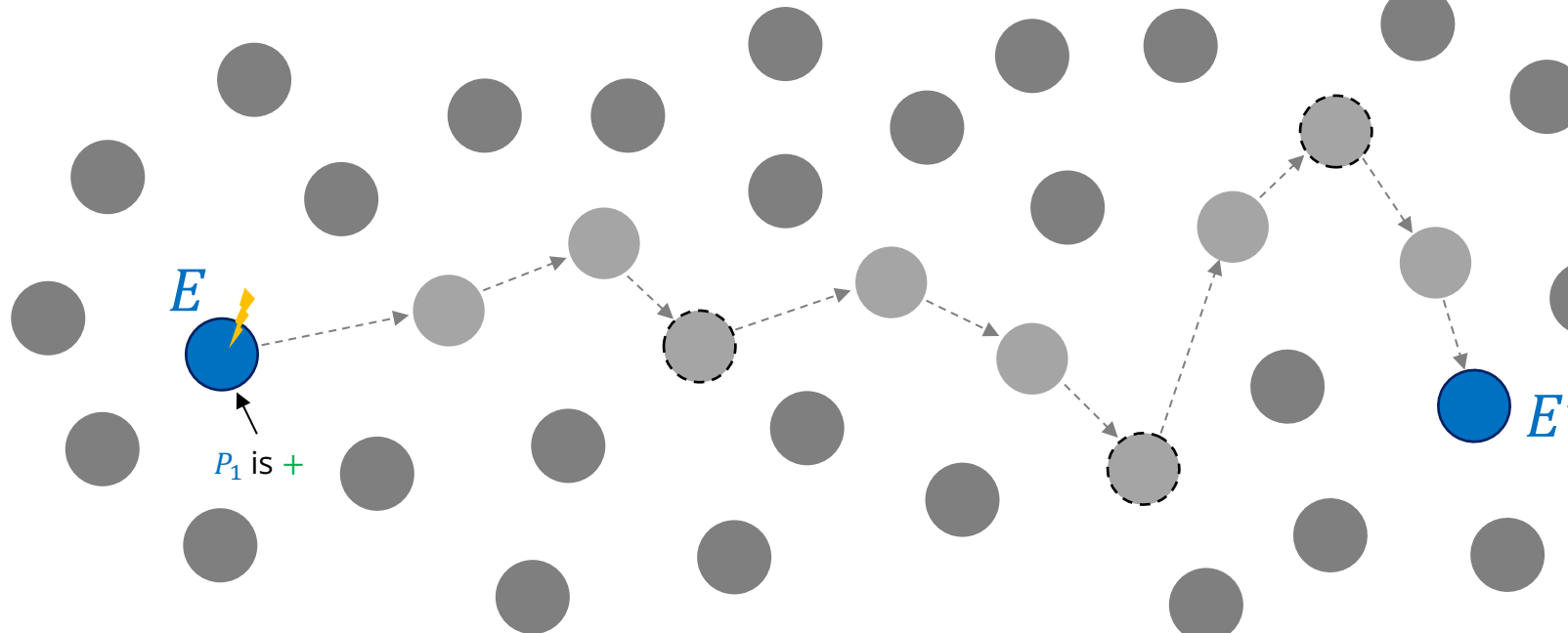
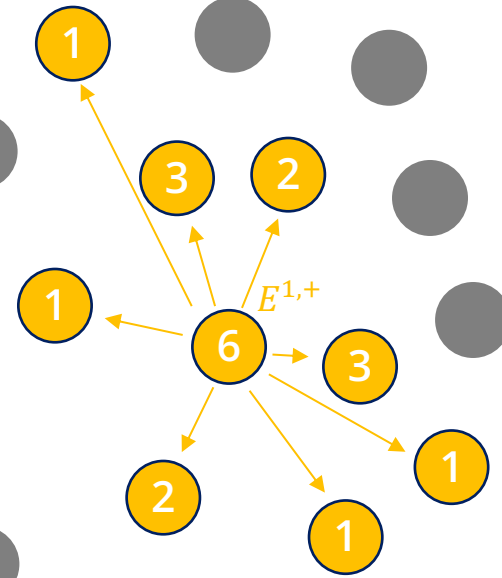


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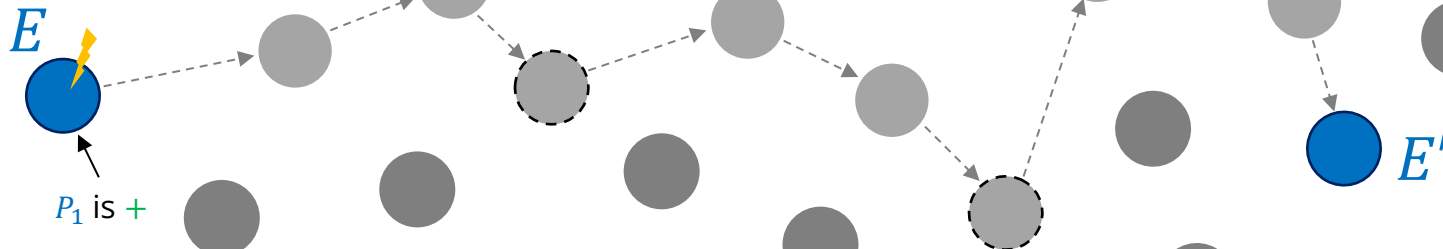
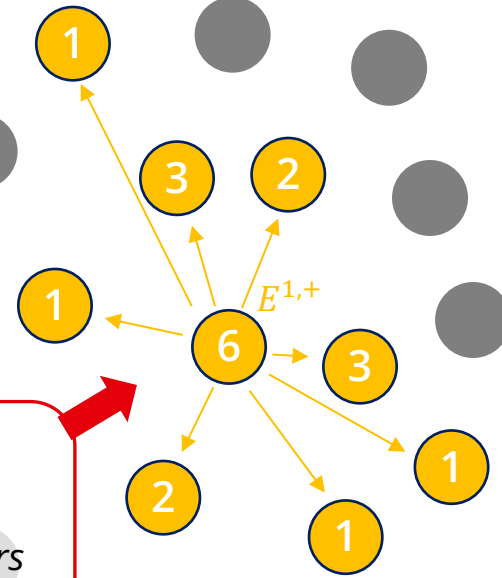
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Back to example

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- What happens when we inject these points?

- *easy to find*
- *if ℓ_i appears then $e_i \geq +1$*



P_1 is +

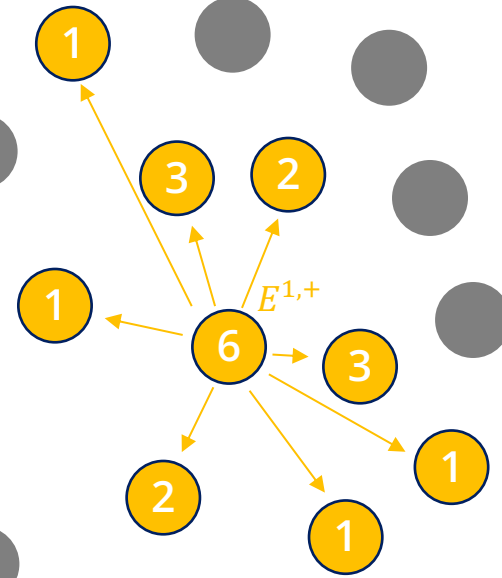


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E

E'

P_2 is $-$

$E^{1,-}$



FAULTING 2nd POINT

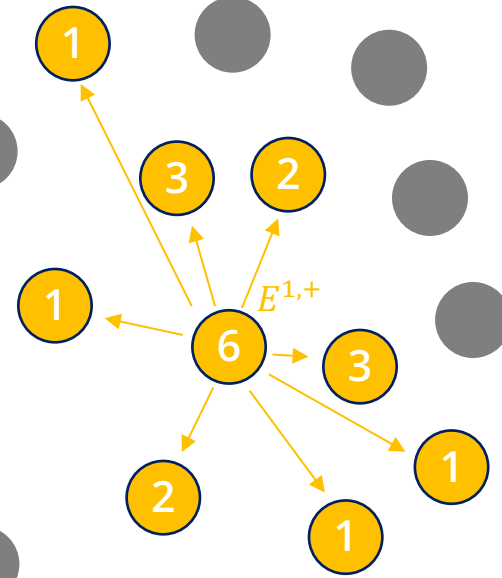
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P_2 is -



FAULTING 2nd POINT

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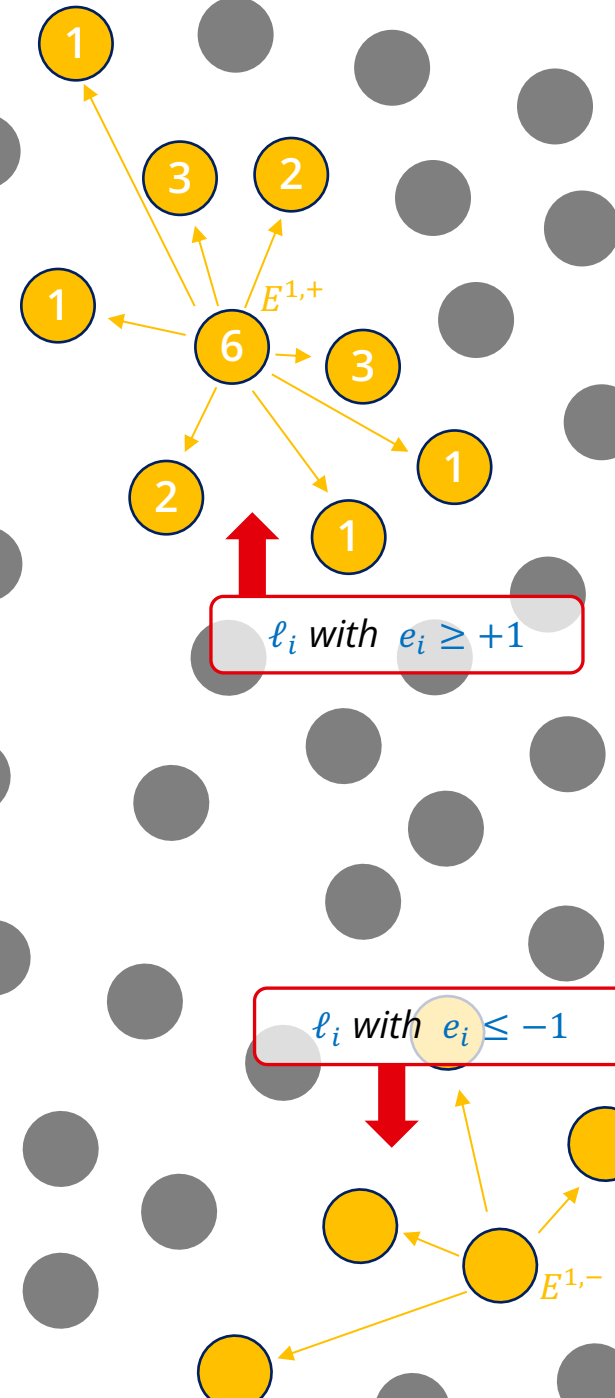
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P_2 is -

E'



FAULTING 2nd POINT



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Back to example

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E

P_2 is $-$

E'

$E^{2,+}$

ℓ_i with $e_i \geq +1$

ℓ_i with $e_i \leq -1$

$E^{2,-}$

$E^{1,-}$



FAULTING ALL POINTS

How faults break CSIDH

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E

P_2 is -

E'

$E^{2,+}$

ℓ_i with $e_i \geq +1$

ℓ_i with $e_i \geq +2$

ℓ_i with $e_i \leq -2$

ℓ_i with $e_i \leq -1$

$E^{2,-}$

$E^{1,-}$



GENERAL SITUATION

How faults break CSIDH

Back to example

- Path $E \rightarrow E'$ is $(+2, +1, -2, +2, 0, -1, -2)$
- What happens when we inject these points?

E

P_2 is -

of degree $\prod \ell_i^2$
for those $e_i = +2$

of degree $\prod \ell_i^2$
for those $e_i = -2$

of degree $\prod \ell_i^2$
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E'

$E^{2,-}$

$E^{1,-}$

$E^{2,+}$

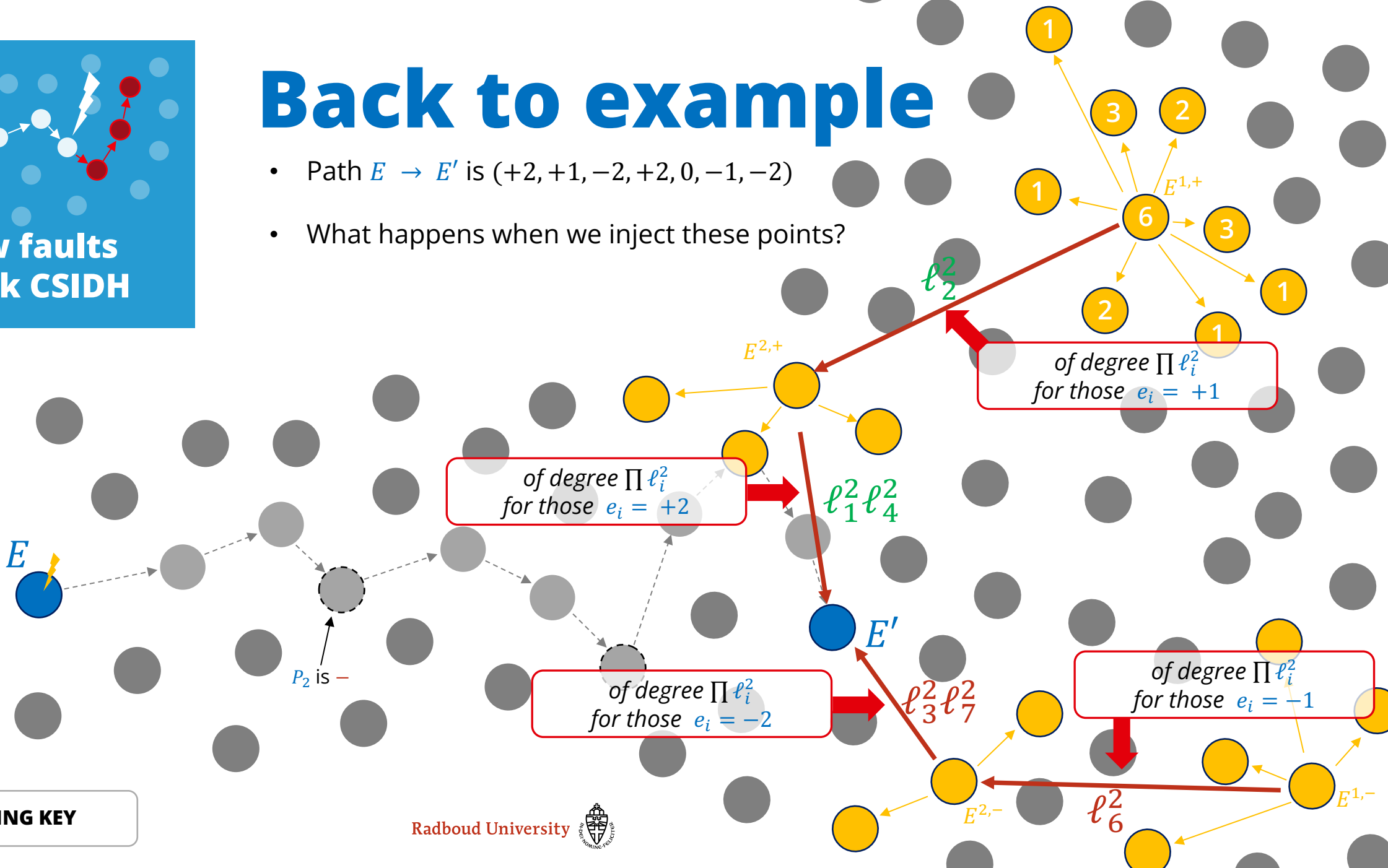
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How faults break CSIDH

Back to example

- Path $E \rightarrow E'$ is $(+2, +1, -2, +2, 0, -1, -2)$
- What happens when we inject these points?

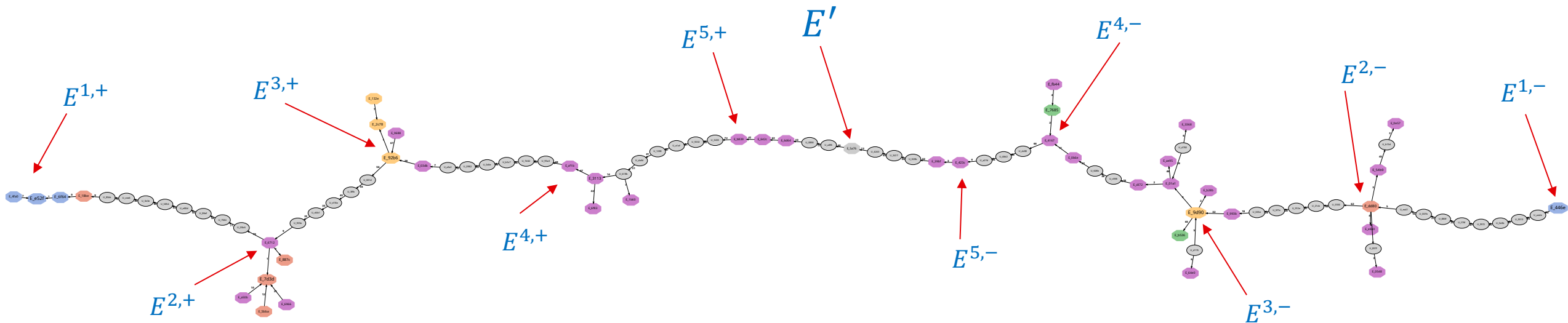


RECOVERING KEY

How faults break CSIDH

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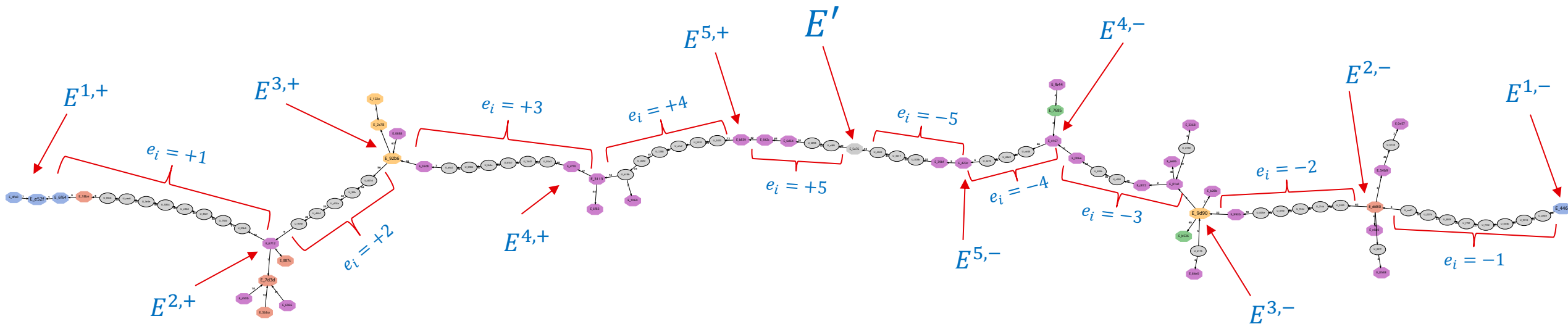
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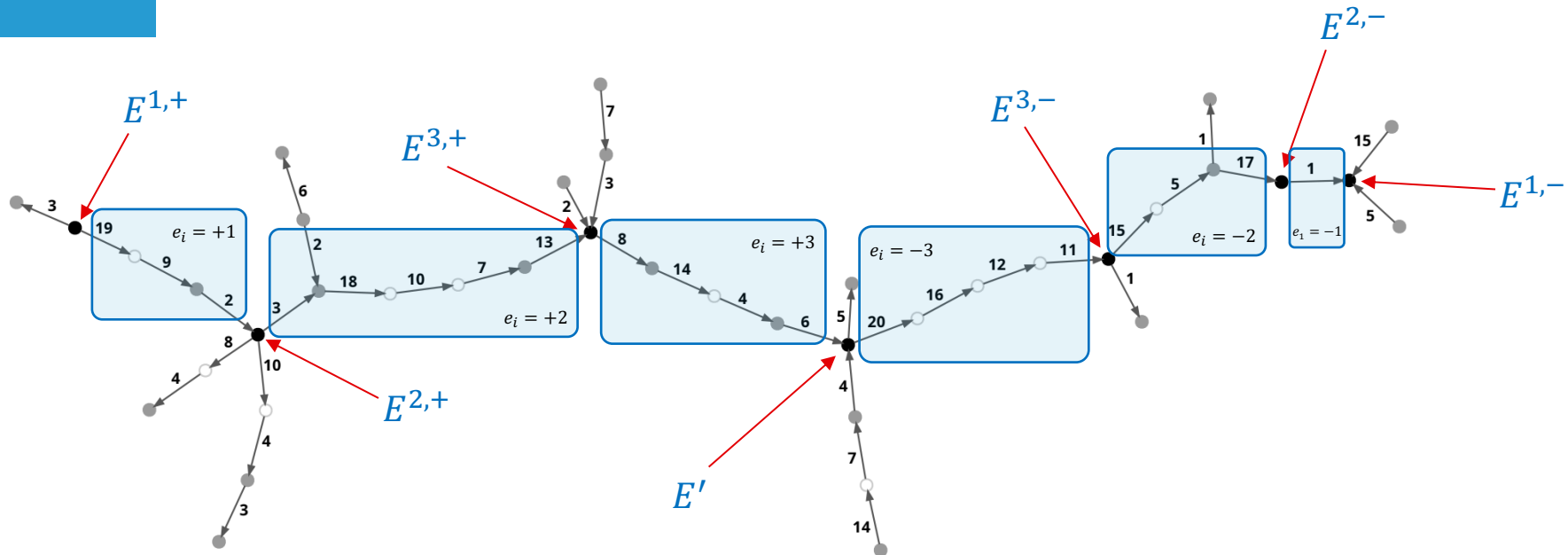
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CSIDH-103



$$[\alpha] \sim (-1, +1, +2, +3, -2, +3, +2, +3, +1, +2, -3, -3, +2, +3, -2, -3, -2, +2, +1, -3, 0)$$



IN SUMMARY

- fault injections allow us to break CSIDH-512 in about **100 samples** (one sample is a computation of group action with a single fault injection)
- similar strategy applied to CTIDH-512 needs only **40 samples**
- more advanced tricks (using the twist) moves most of computational effort to break CTIDH-512 to **one-off precomputation**
- countermeasure: **Elligreator**. (about 5% extra cost)
- hashed version: requires more samples and computations, still feasible