

The Predicted-Updates Dynamic Model

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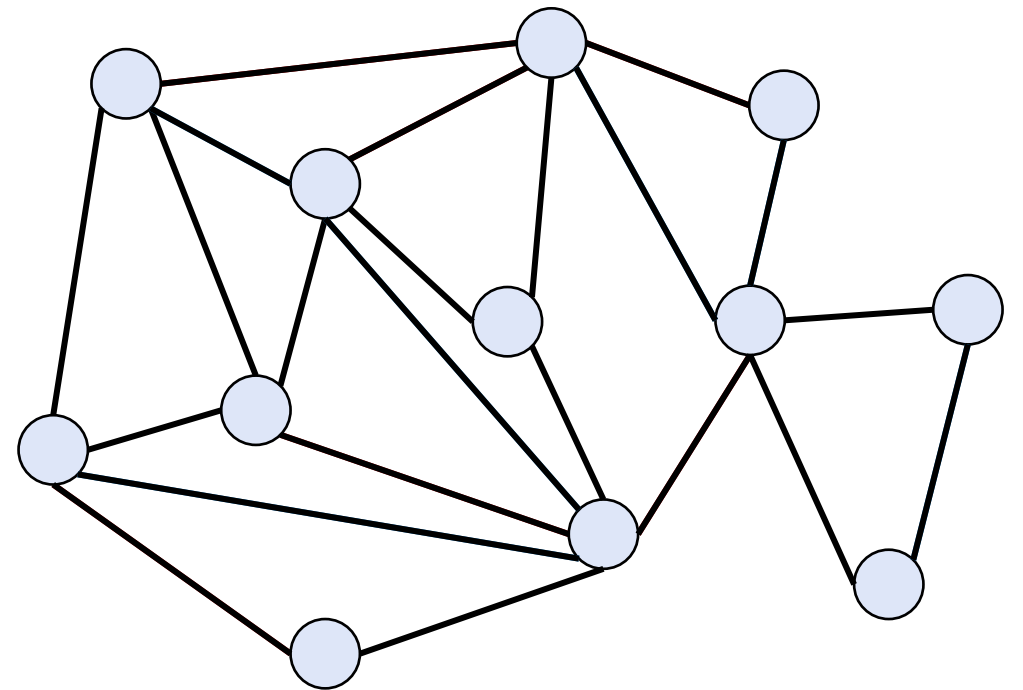


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- Updates to the dataset (e.g. graph) occurs where elements are added and deleted from the dataset

Edge **insertions/deletions**
arrive **sequentially**

Maintain **graph property** after
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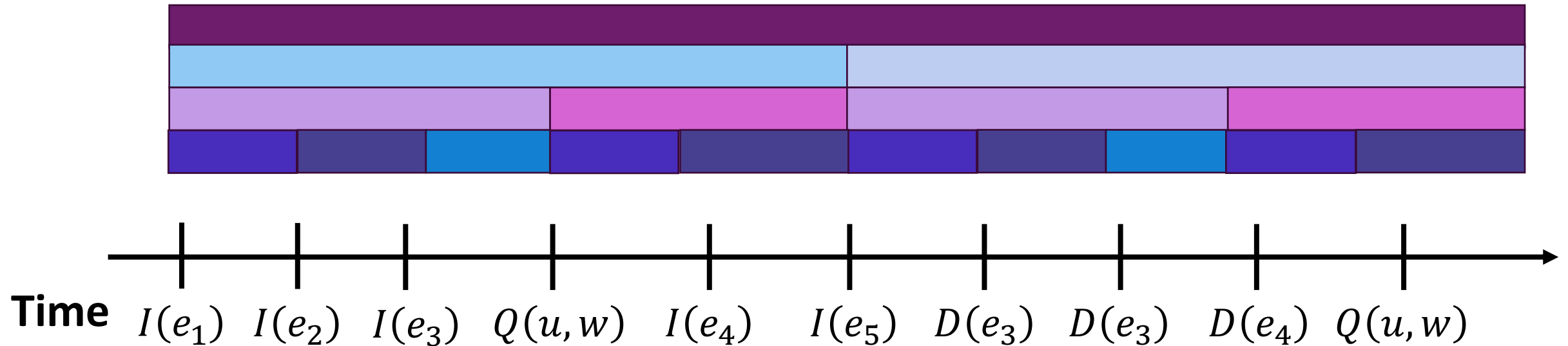
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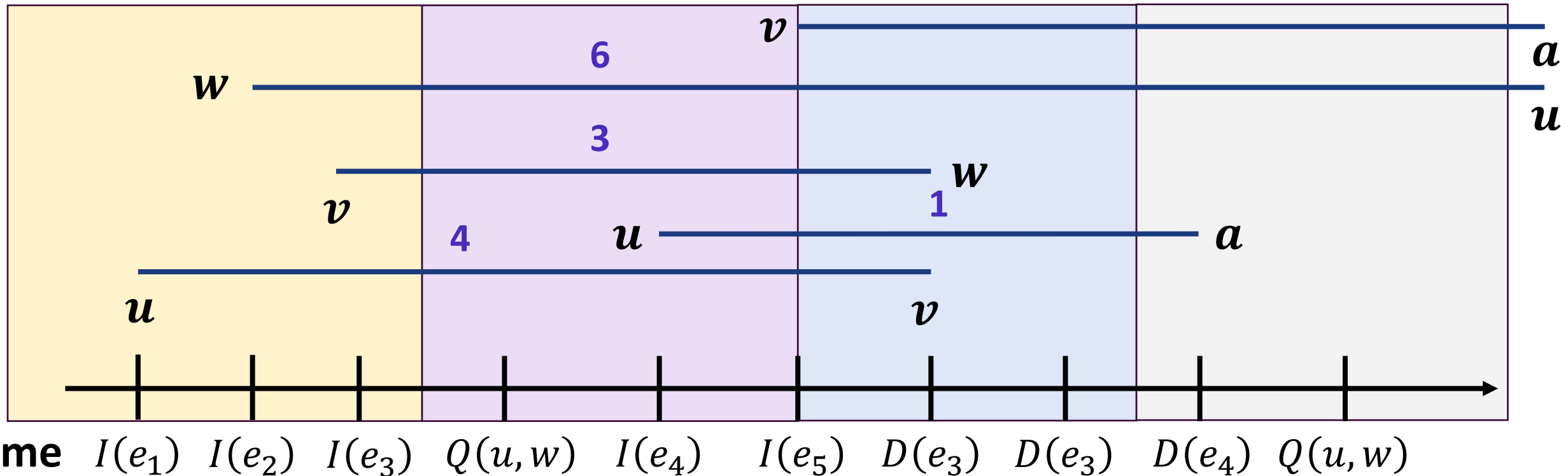
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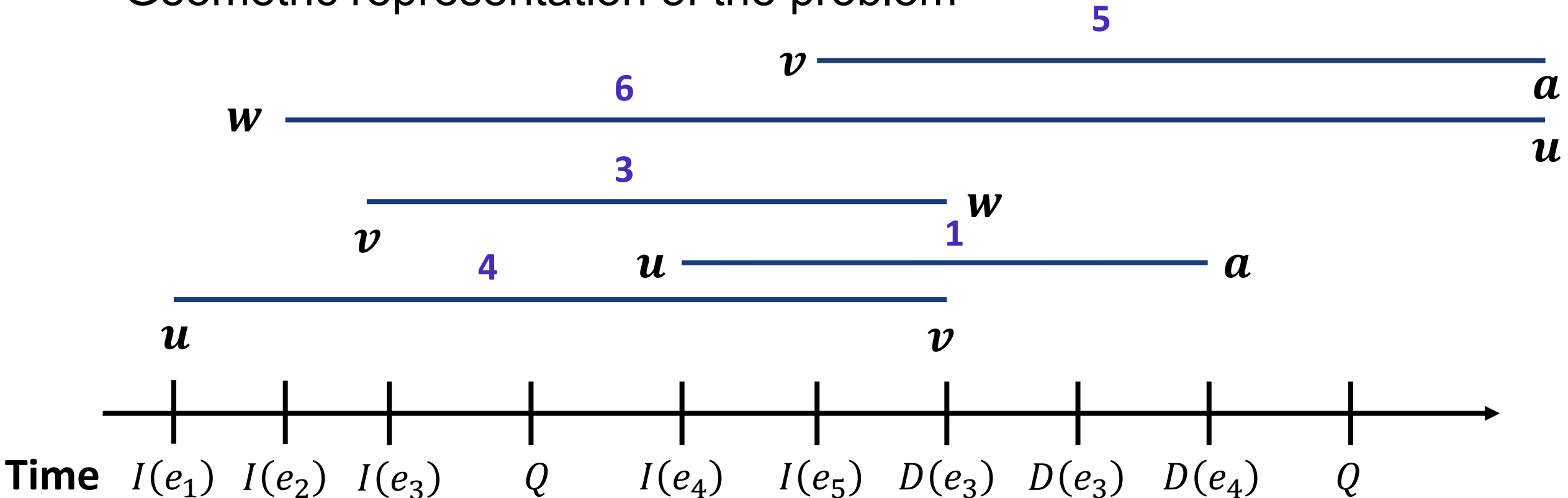
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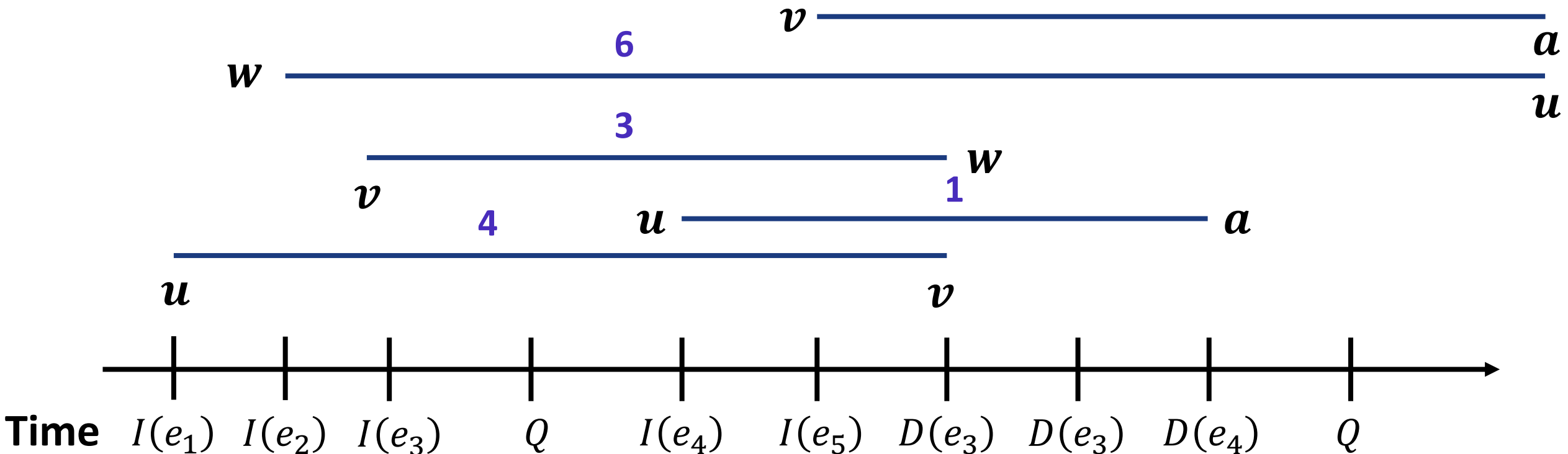
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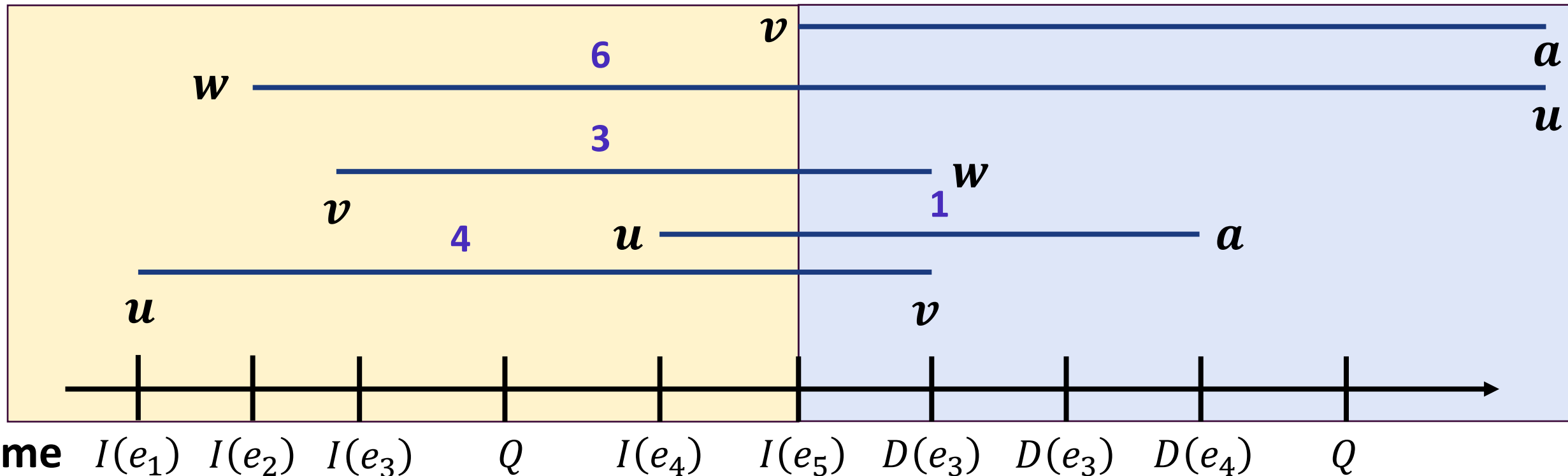
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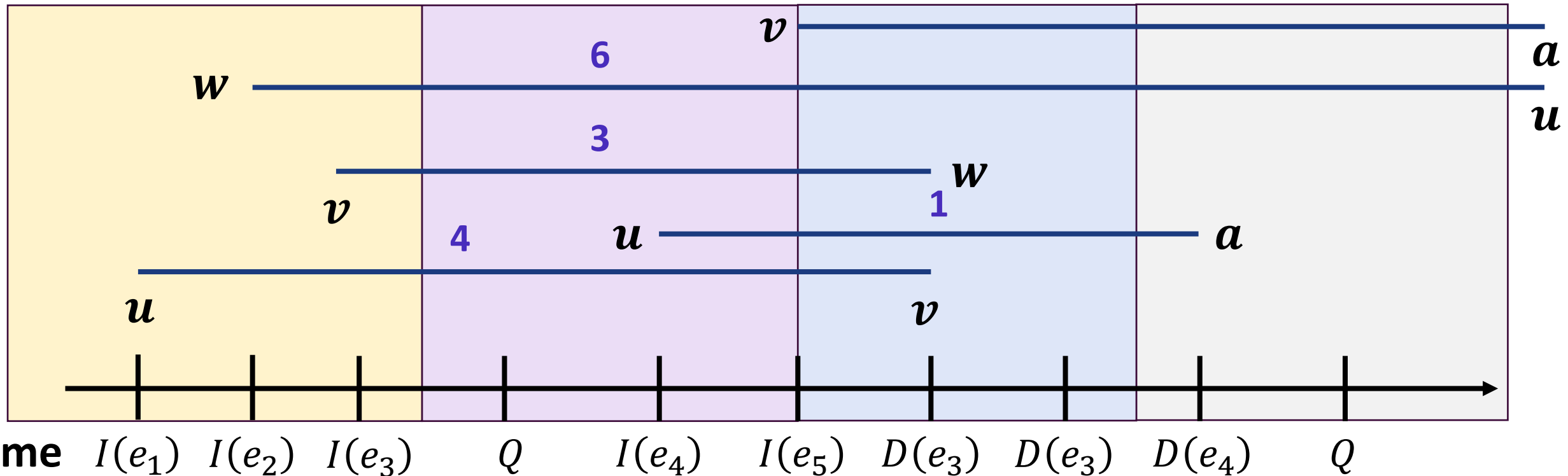
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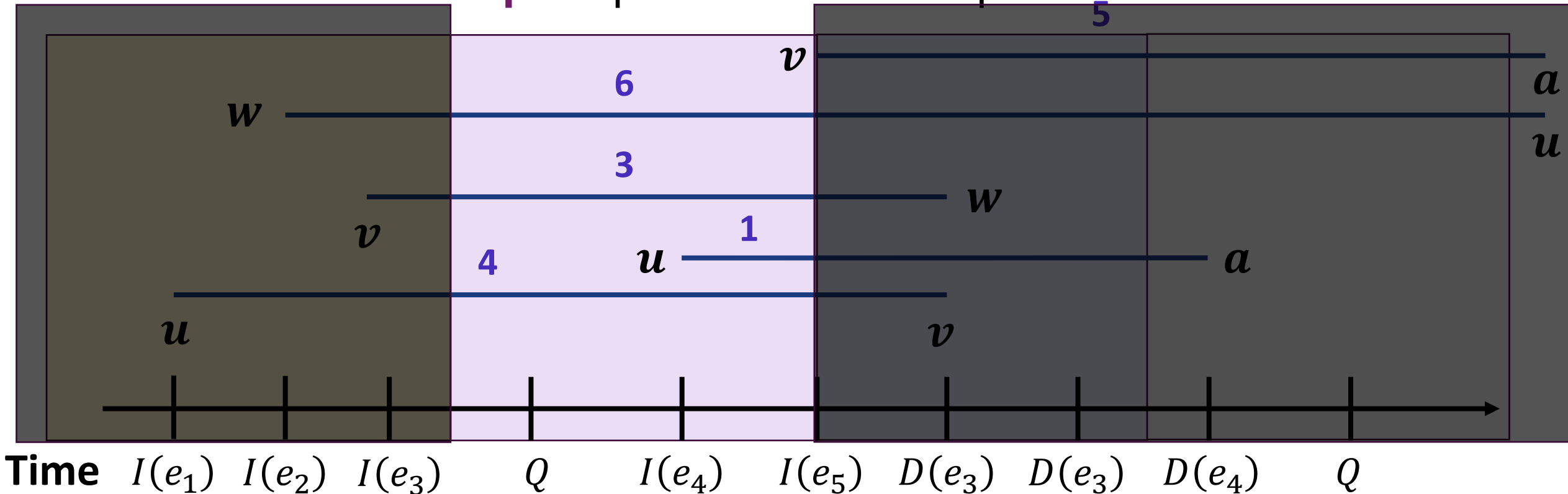
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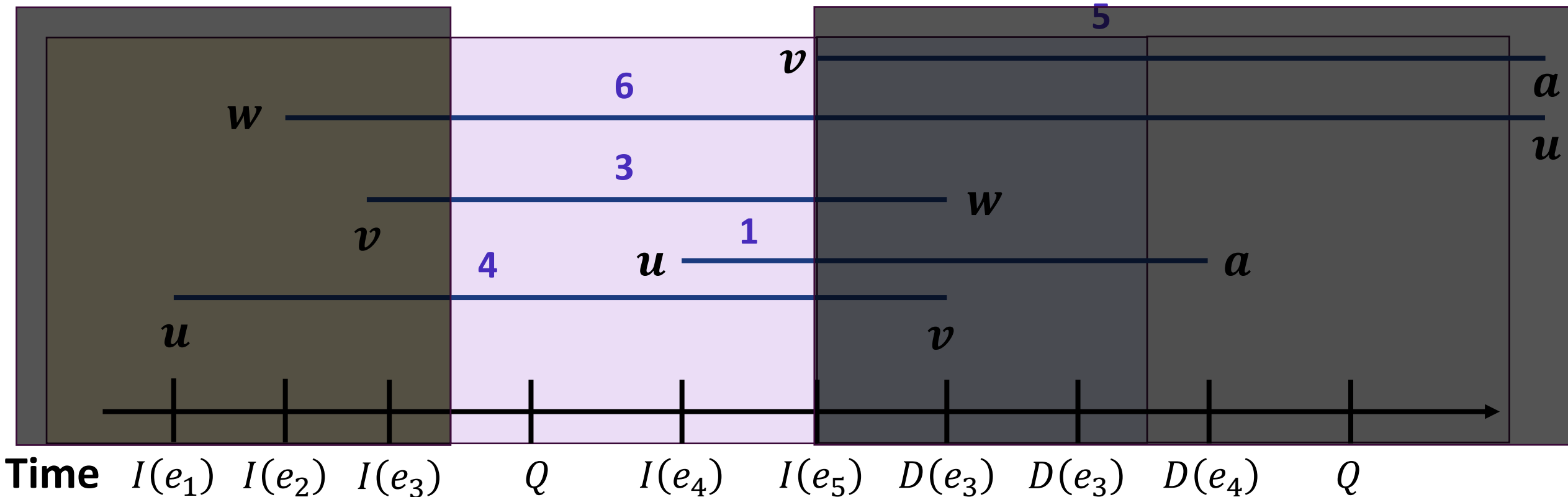
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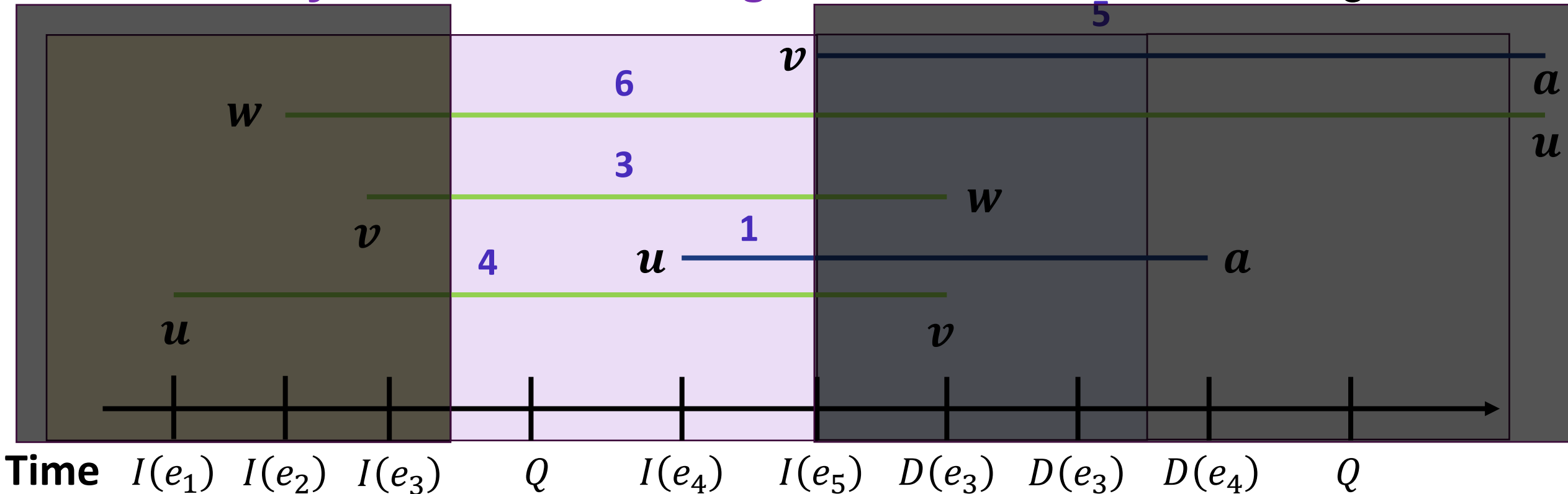
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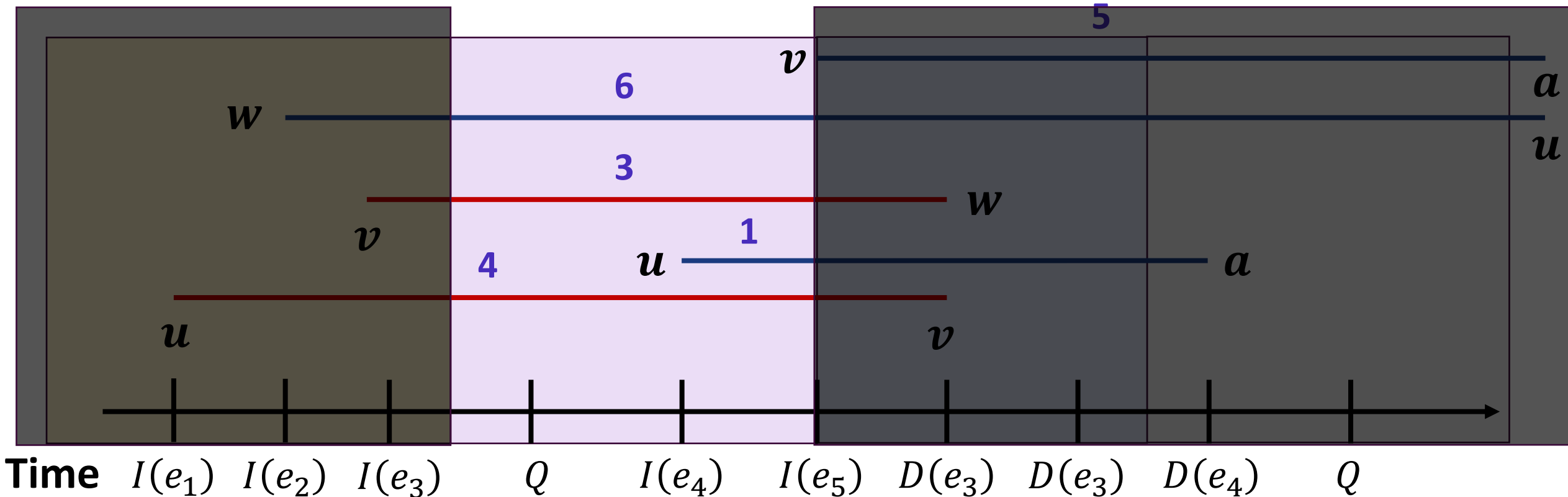
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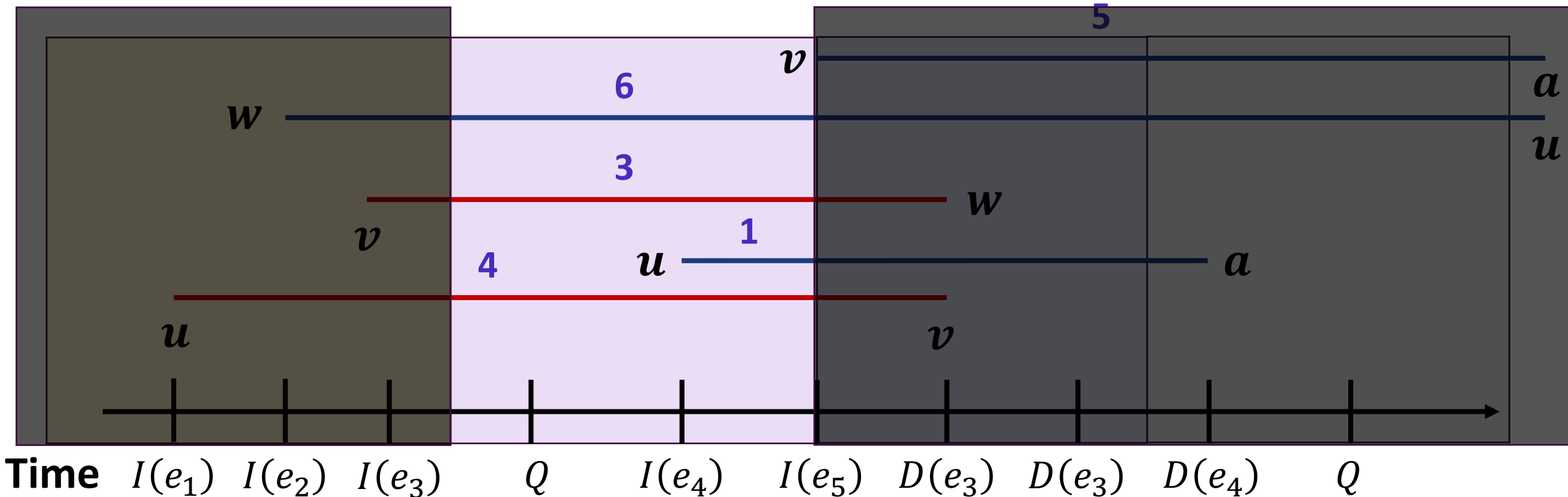
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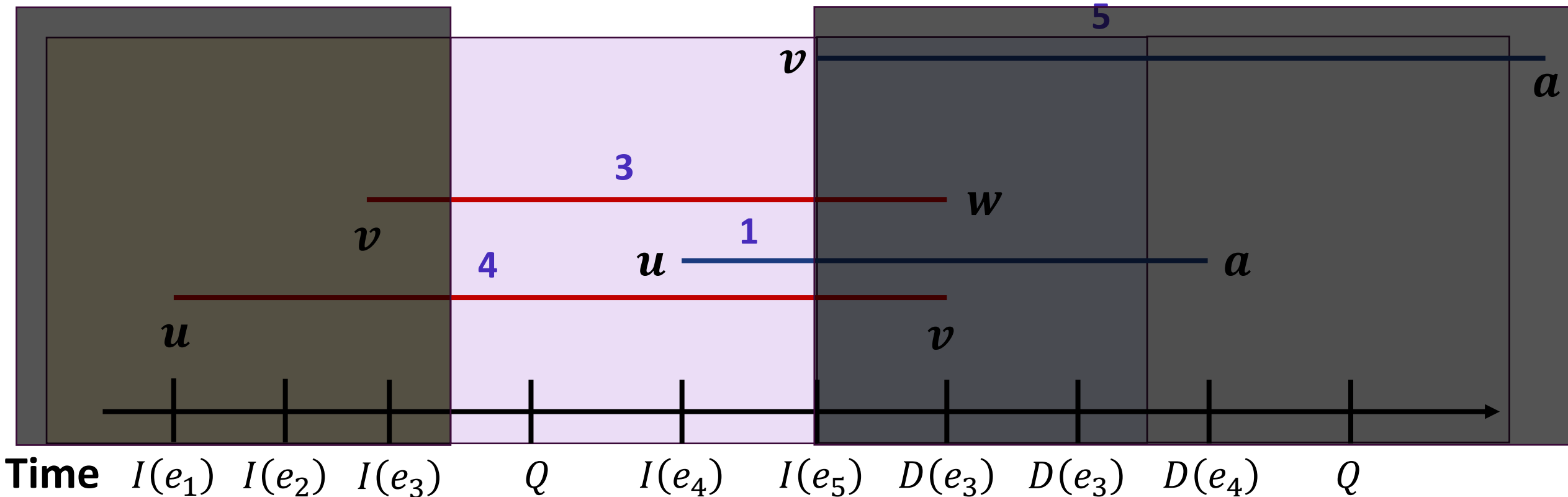
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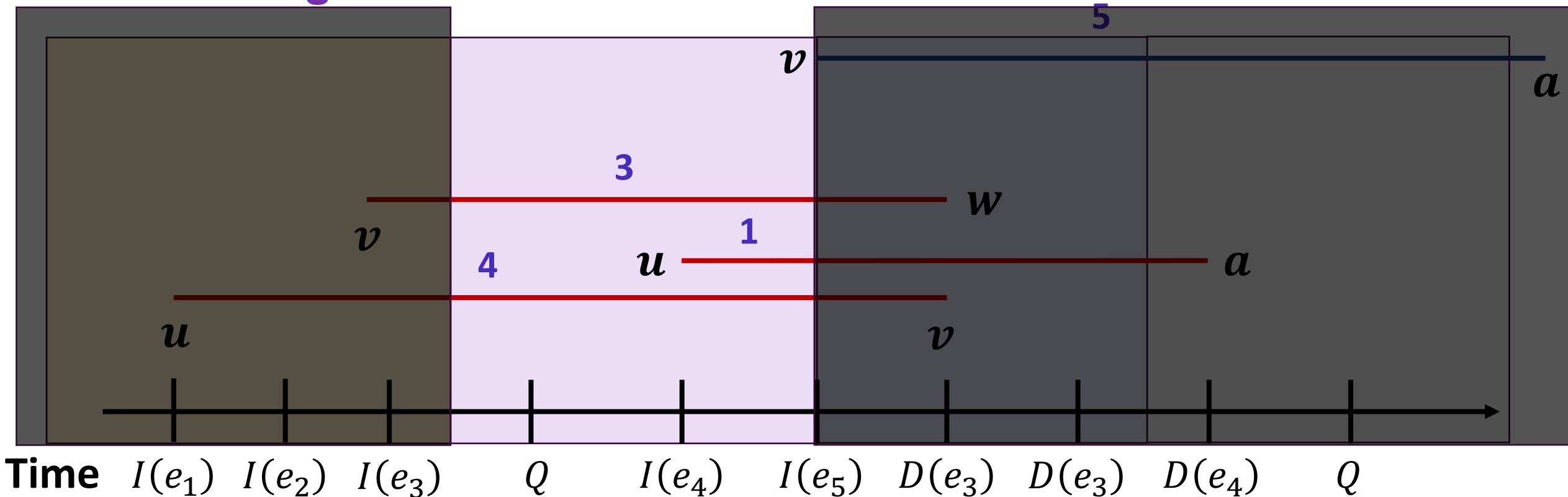
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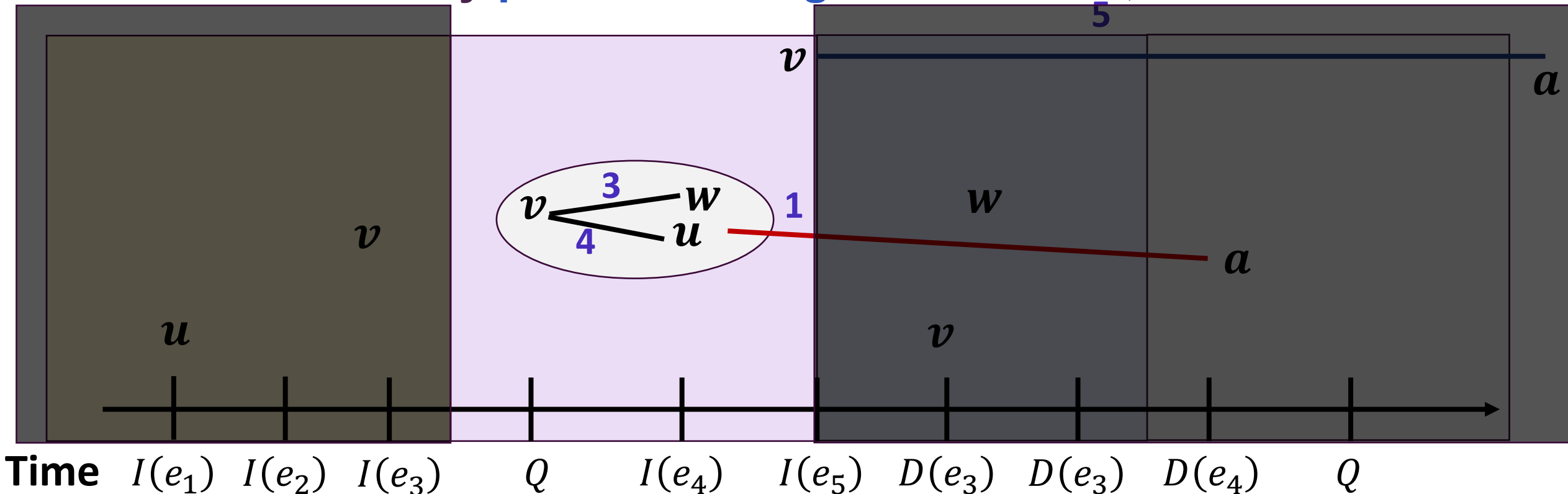
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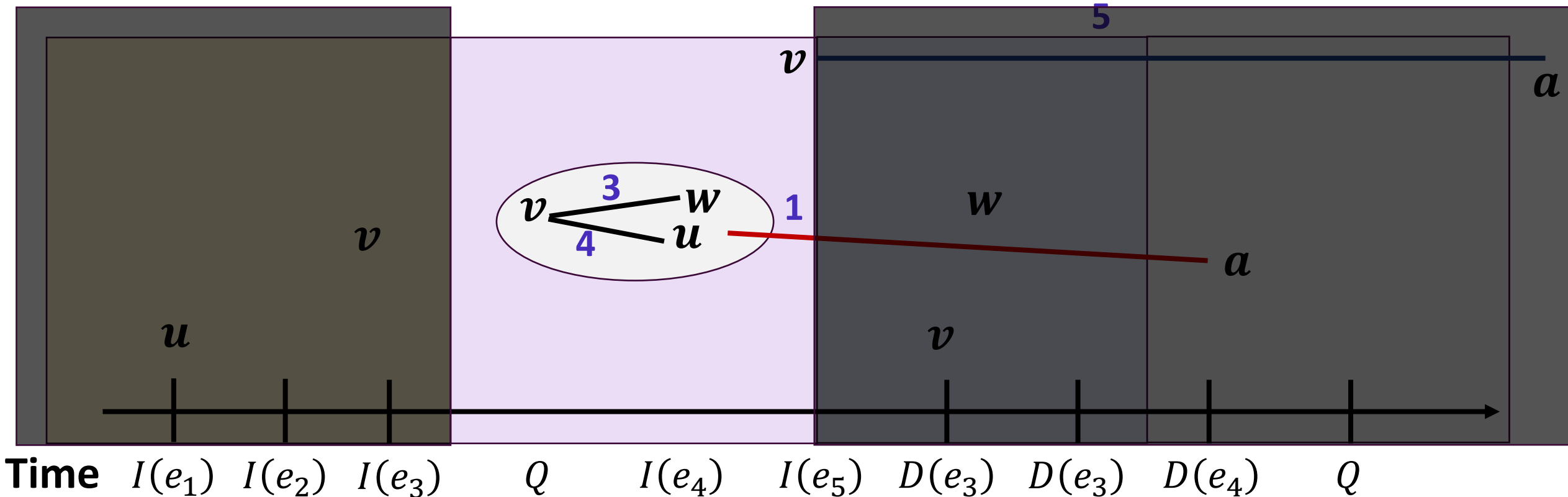
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- “Contract” any **permanent edges in the MST**; link-cut tree



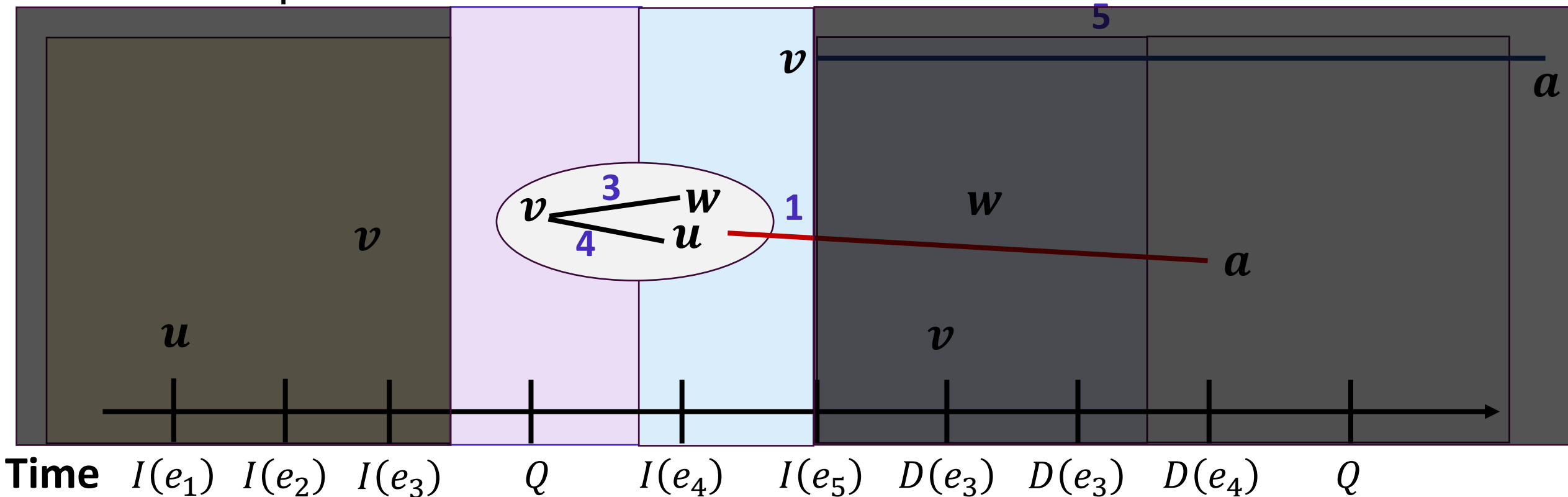
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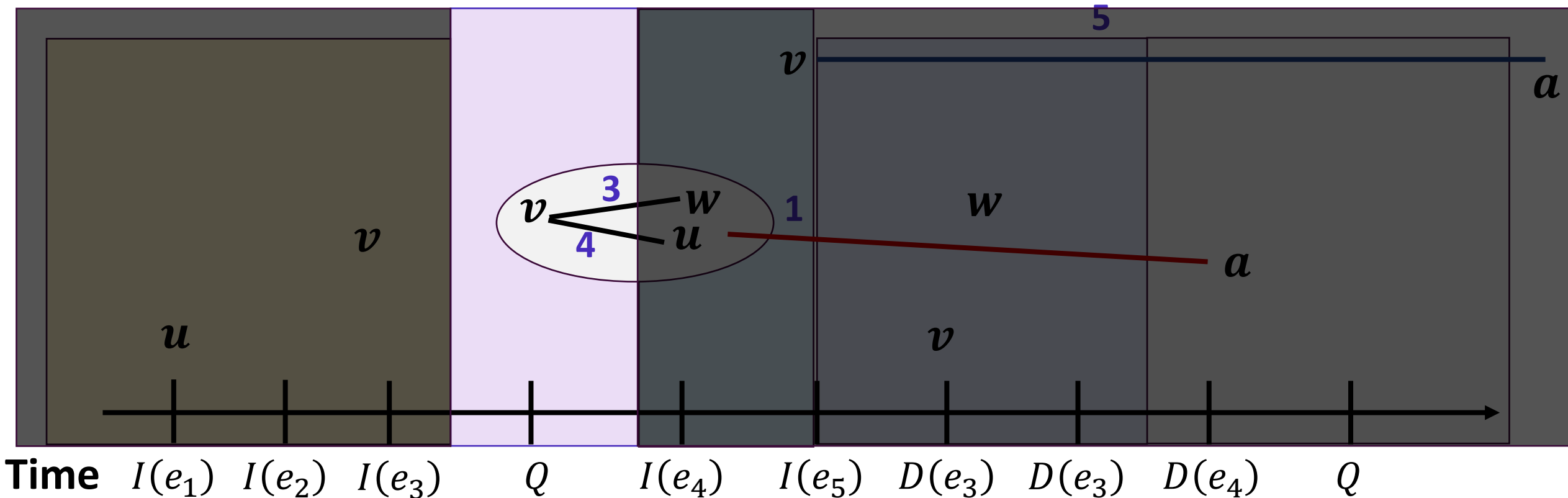
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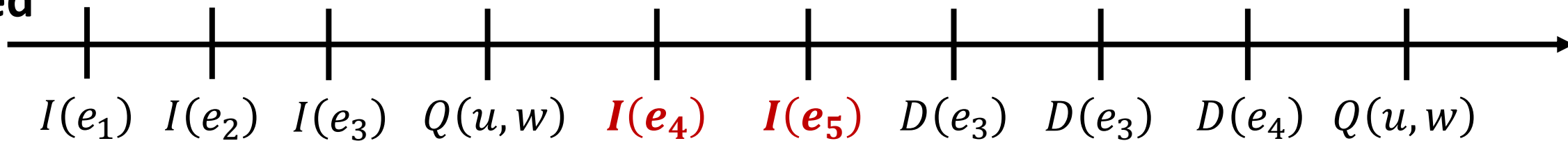
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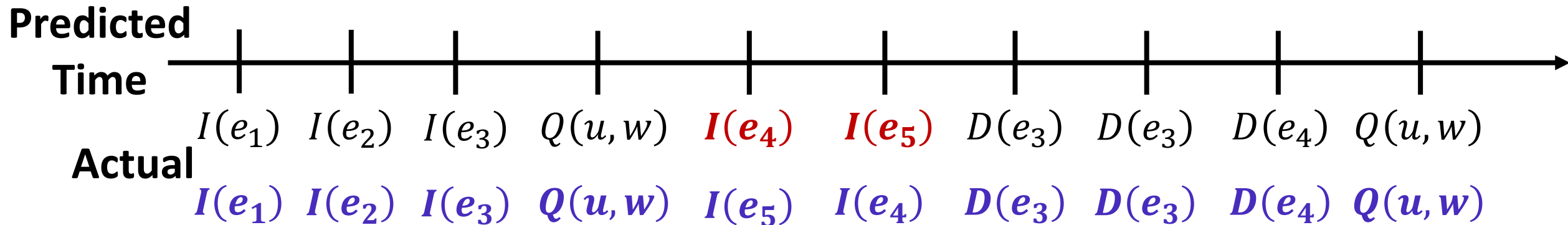


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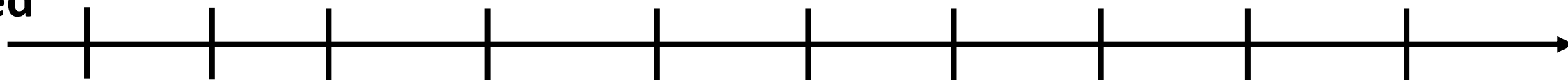
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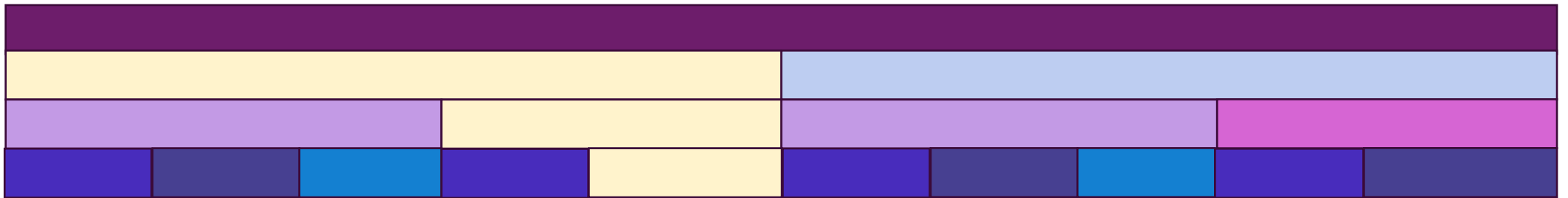
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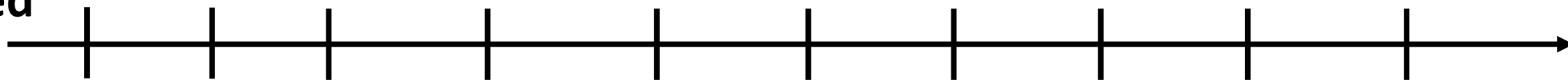
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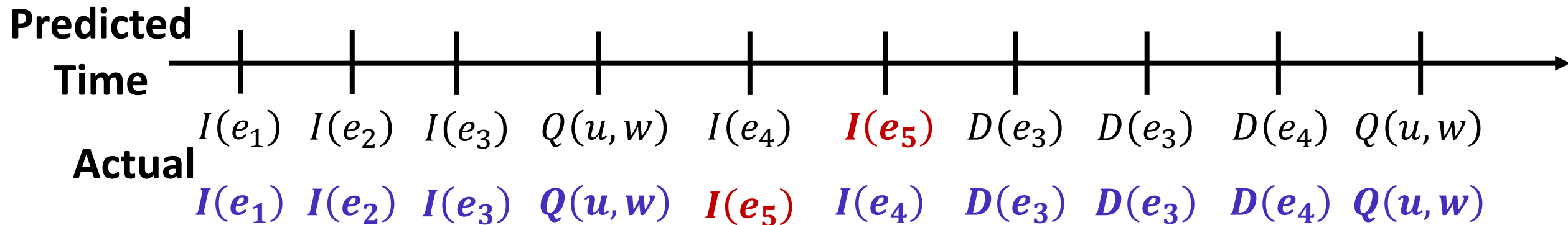
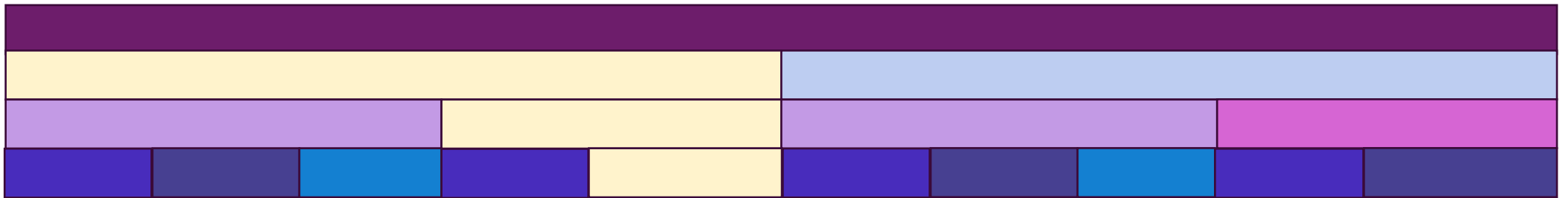
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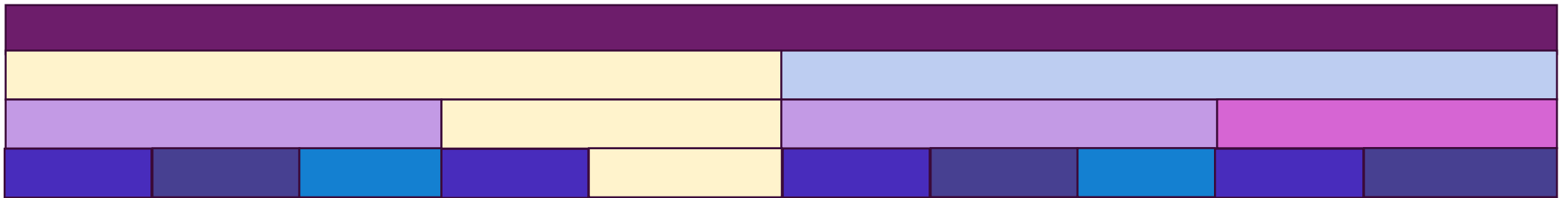
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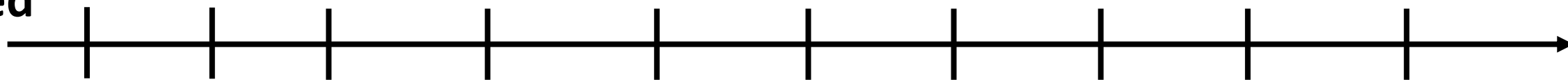
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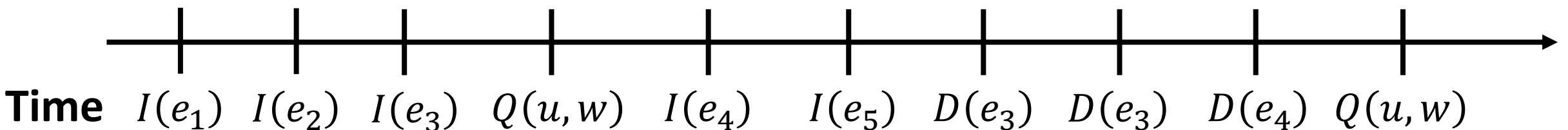
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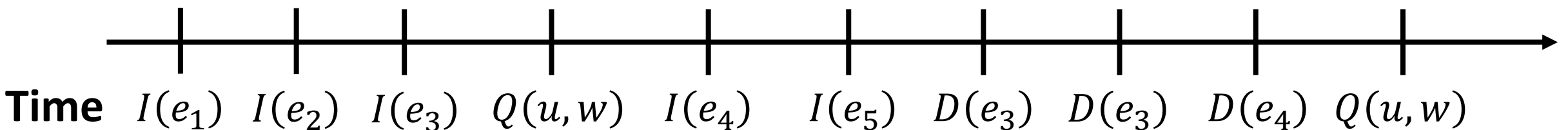
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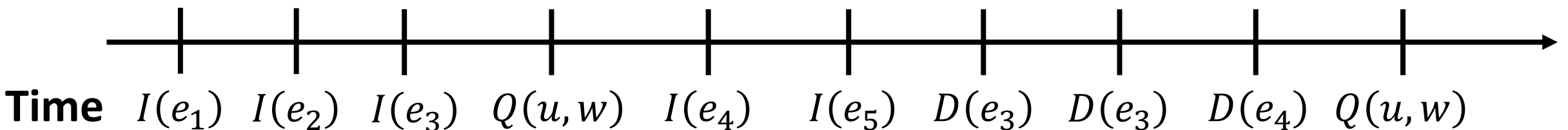
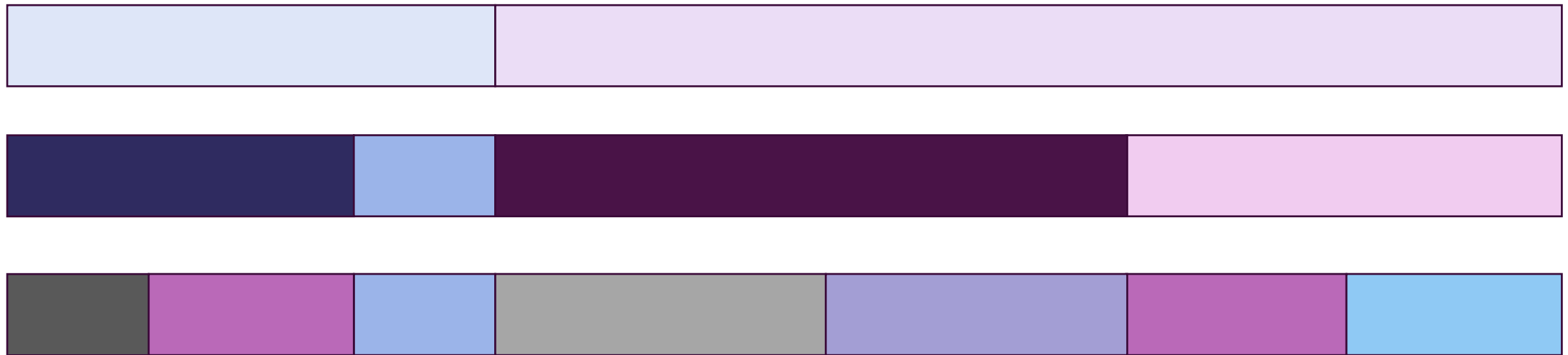


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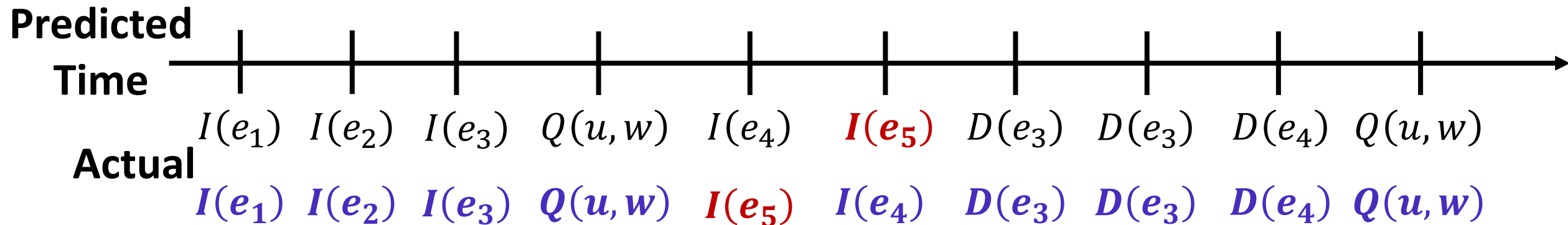
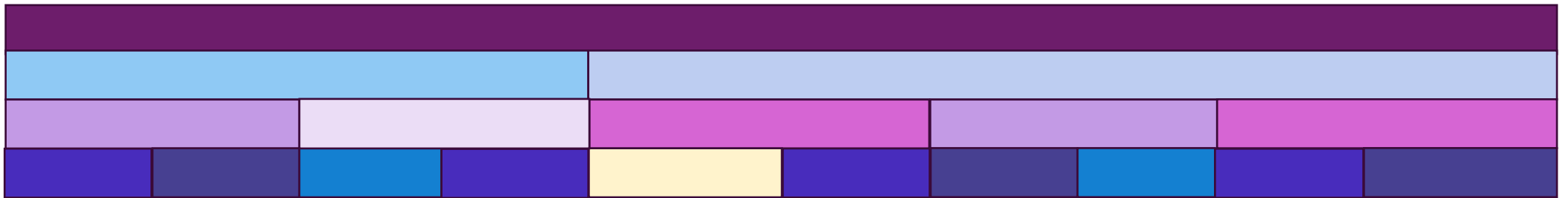
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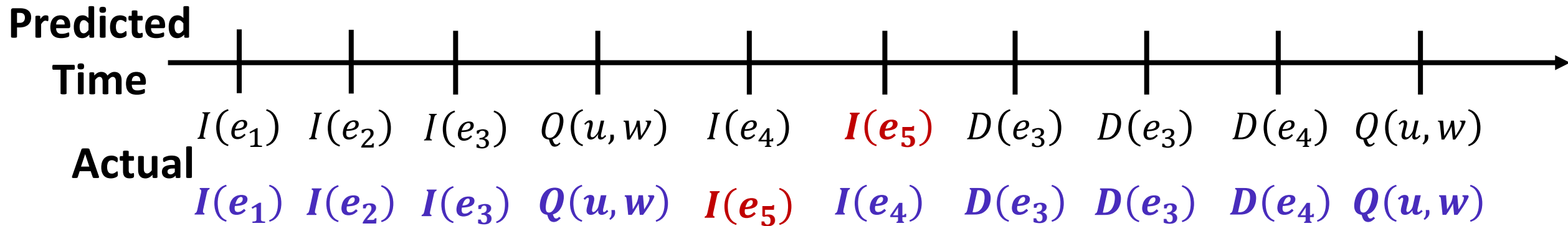
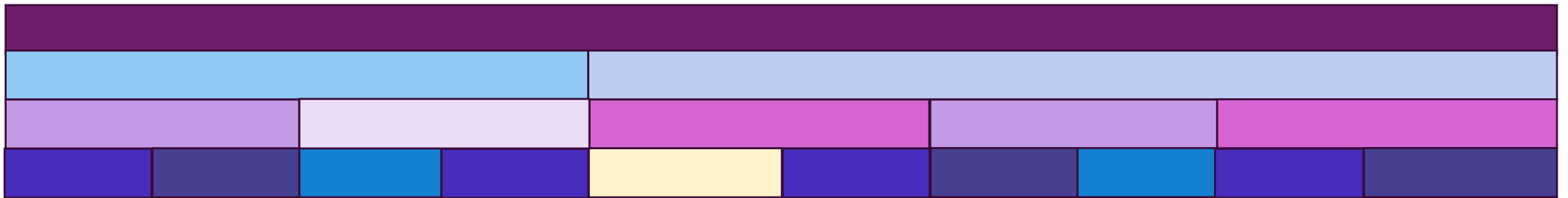
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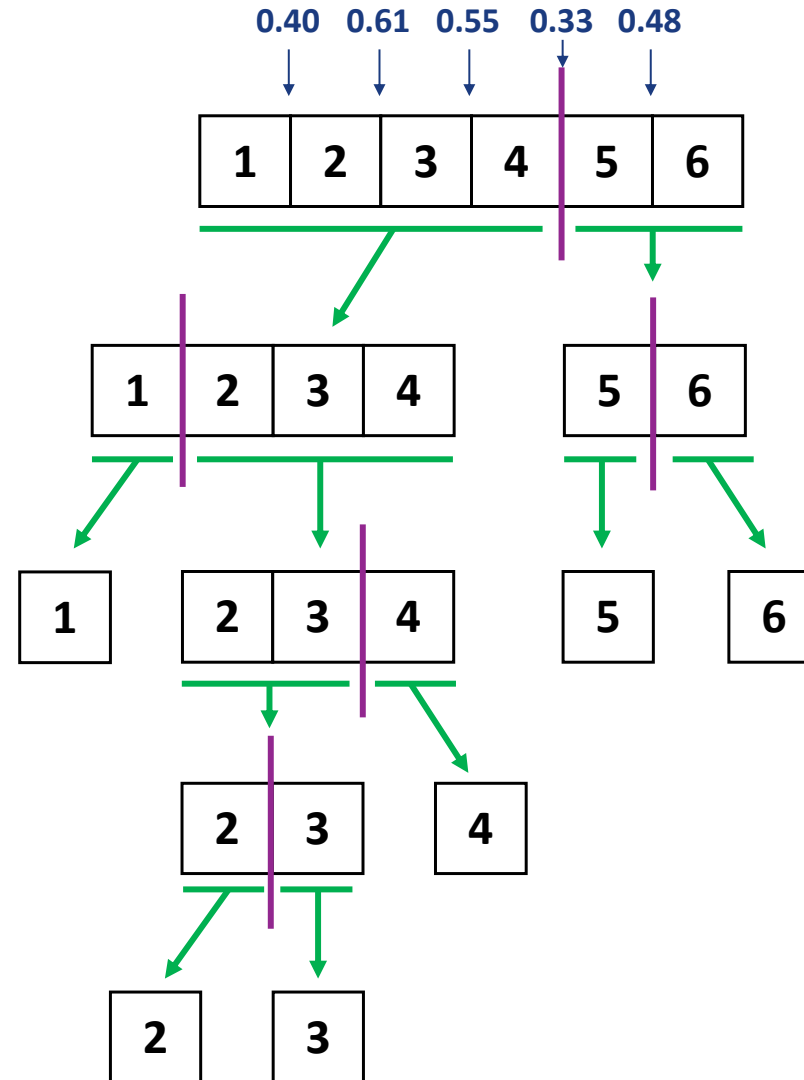
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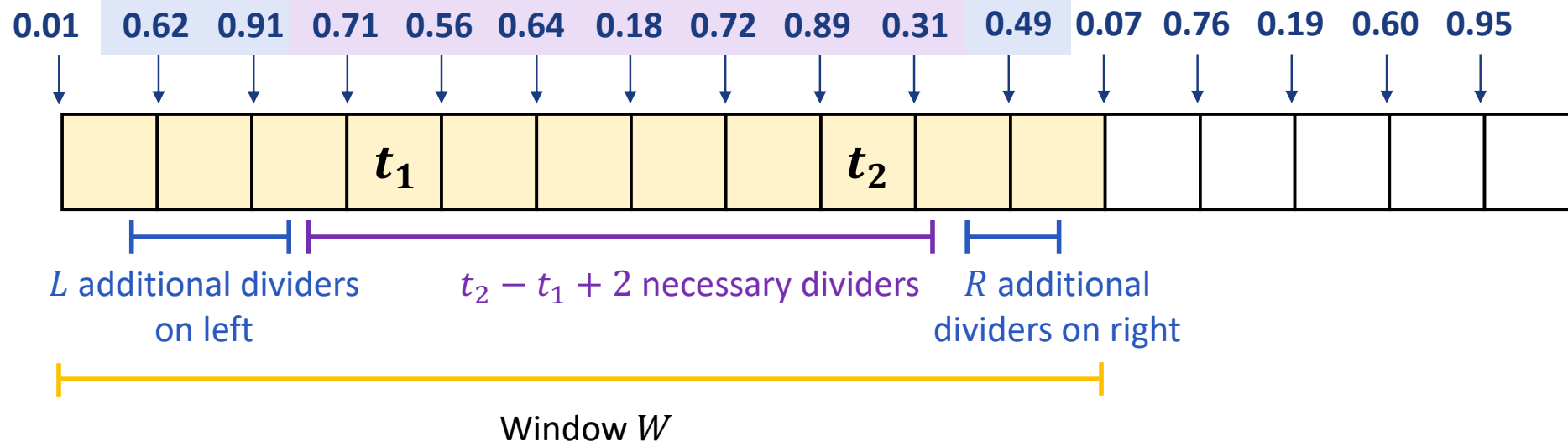
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Example Random Tree
produced via drawing
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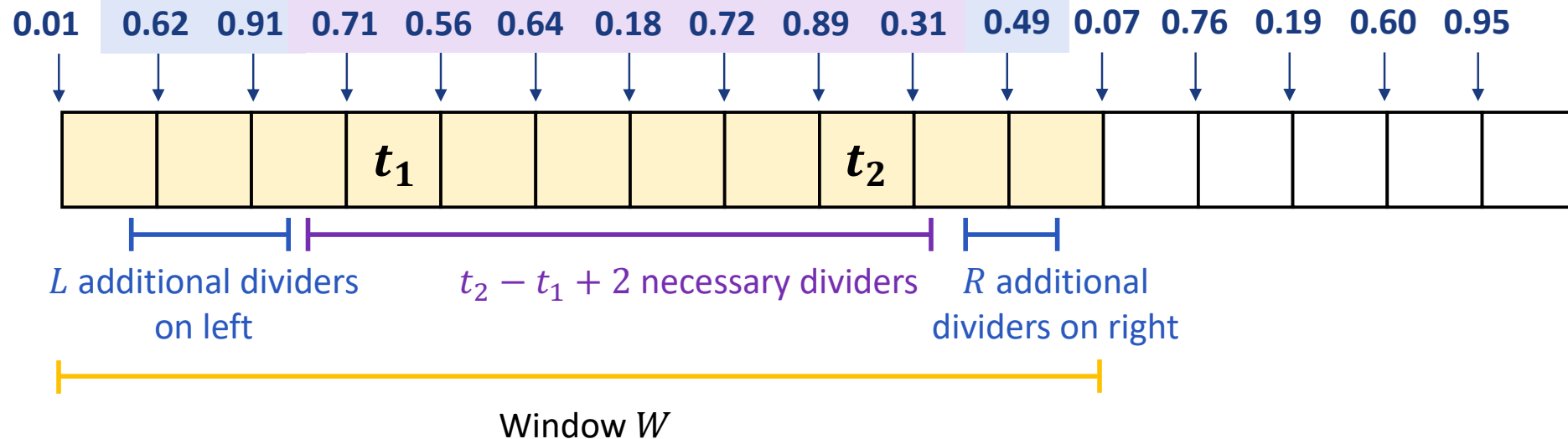
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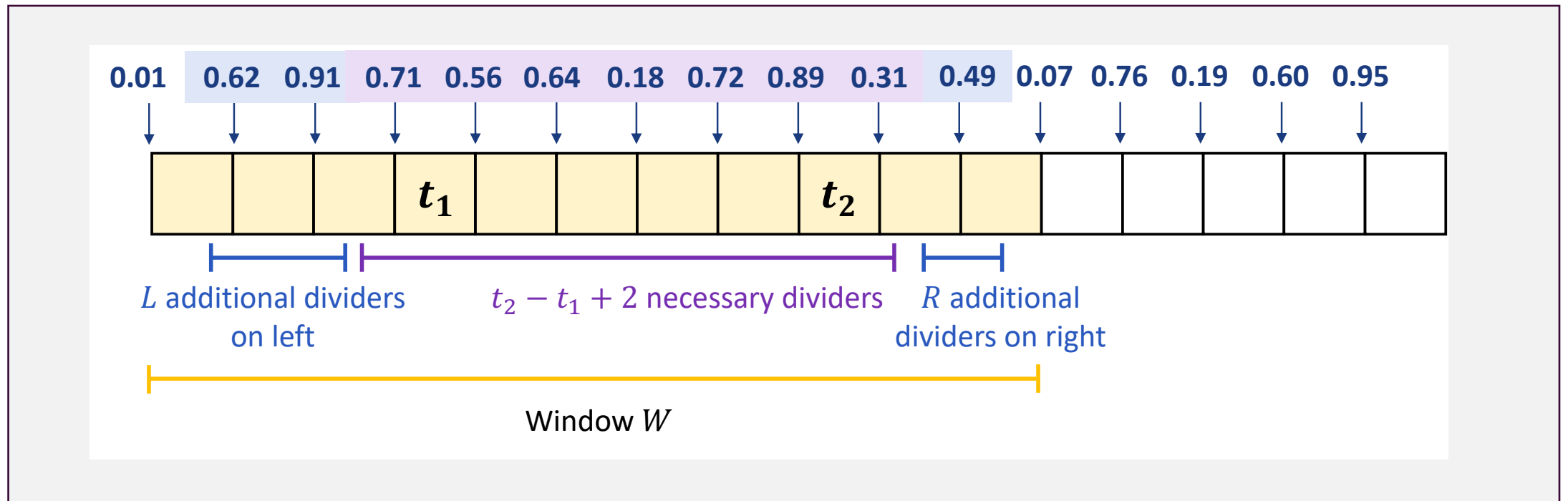
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Expected window W size is equal to $L + R + (t_2 - t_1 + 1)$



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for each recomputation over window $[t_1, t_2]$ (leaf dominated divide-and-conquer)

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Boosting to high probability via $O(\log n)$ independent trials

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- Runtime in terms of L_1 -error between predictions and real
 - \mathbf{p} vector of **predicted** timestamps
 - \mathbf{r} vector of **real** timestamps
 - L_1 error: $\|\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{r}\|_1$

update is worst-case update time of **incremental/decremental** algorithm

Runtime same as partially dynamic with total

$$\tilde{O} \left(\left(\|\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{r}\|_1 + T \right) \cdot \textit{update} \right)$$

time for T updates

[L-Srinivas COLT '24]

The Predicted-Updates Model

	Best Fully Dynamic		Best Predicted-Updates when $\ p - r\ _1 = \tilde{O}(T)$	
Planar Digraph APSP	$\tilde{O}(n^{2/3})$	[FR06, Kle05]	$\tilde{O}(\sqrt{n})$	[DGWN22]
Triconnectivity	$O(n^{2/3})$	[GIS99]	$\tilde{O}(1)$	[HR20, PSS17]
k -Edge Connectivity	$n^{o(1)}$	[JS22]	$\tilde{O}(1)$	[CDK ⁺ 21]
APSP	$(\frac{256}{k^2})^{4/k}$ -Approx $\tilde{O}(n^k)$ update $\tilde{O}(n^{k/8})$ query	[FGNS23]	$(2r - 1)^k$ -Approx $\tilde{O}(m^{1/(k+1)}n^{k/r})$	[CGH ⁺ 20]
AP Maxflow/Mincut	$O(\log(n) \log \log n)$ -Approx $\tilde{O}(n^{2/3+o(1)})$	[CGH ⁺ 20]	$O(\log^{8k}(n))$ -Approx. $\tilde{O}(n^{2/(k+1)})$	[Gor19, GHS19]
MCF	$(1 + \varepsilon)$ -Approx $\tilde{O}(1)$ update $\tilde{O}(n)$ query	[CGH ⁺ 20]	$O(\log^{8k}(n))$ -Approx. $\tilde{O}(n^{2/(k+1)})$ update $\tilde{O}(P^2)$ query	[Gor19, GHS19]
Uniform Sparsest Cut	$2^{O(\log^{5/6}(n))}$ -Approx $2^{O(\log^{5/6}(n))}$ update $O(\log^{1/6}(n))$ query	[GRST21]	$O(\log^{8k}(n))$ -Approx $\tilde{O}(n^{2/(k+1)})$ $O(1)$ query	[Gor19, GHS19]
Submodular Max	1/4-Approx $\tilde{O}(k^2)$	[DFL ⁺ 23]	0.3178-Approx $\tilde{O}(\text{poly}(k))$	[FLN ⁺ 22]

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