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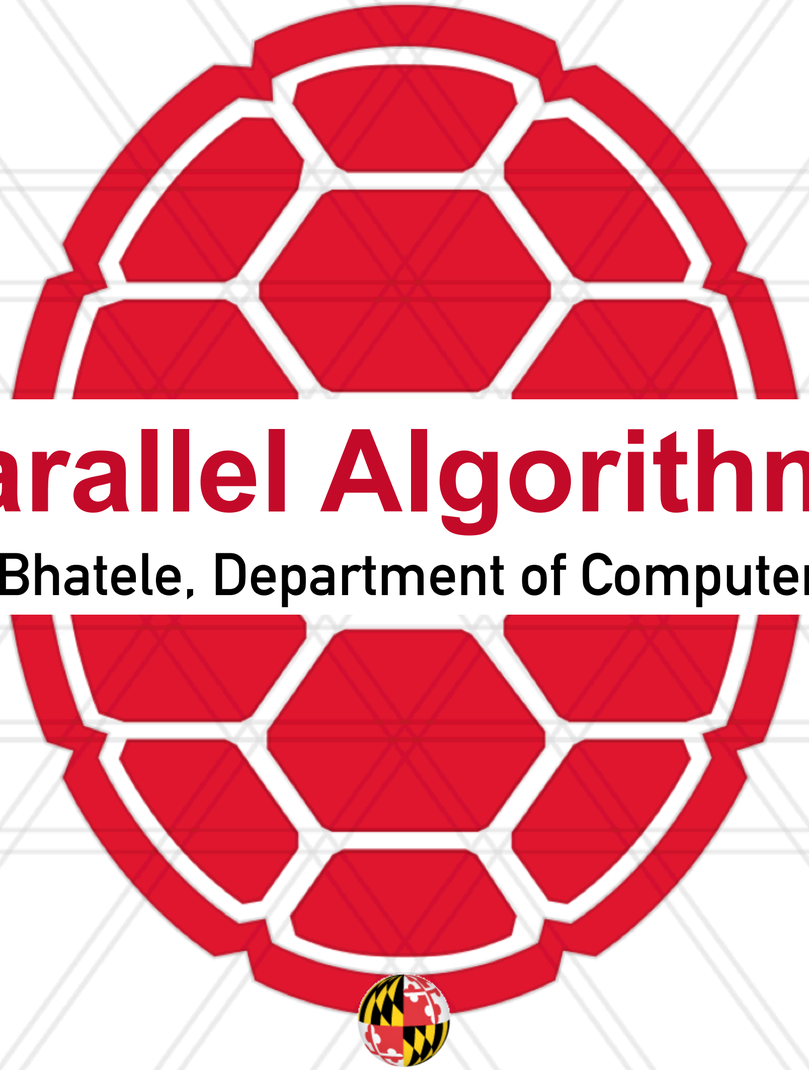

Parallel Algorithms

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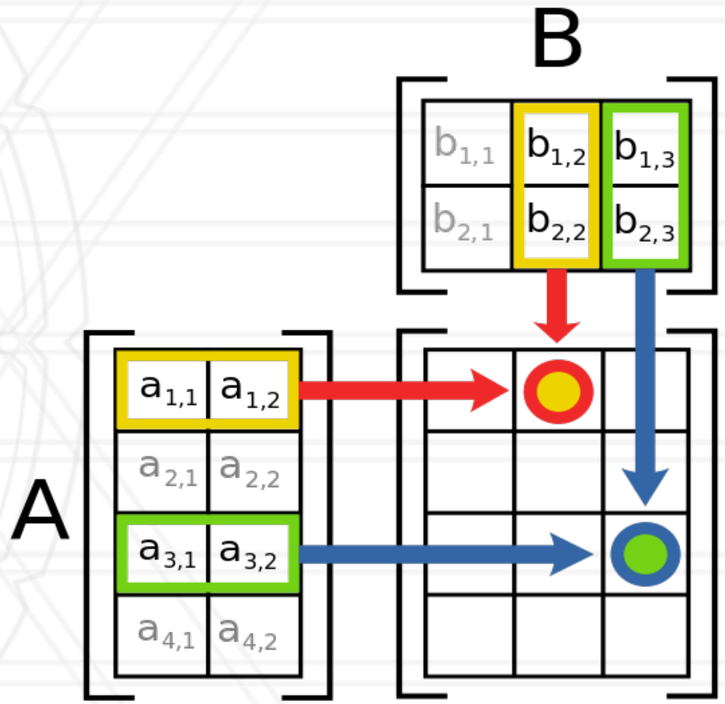

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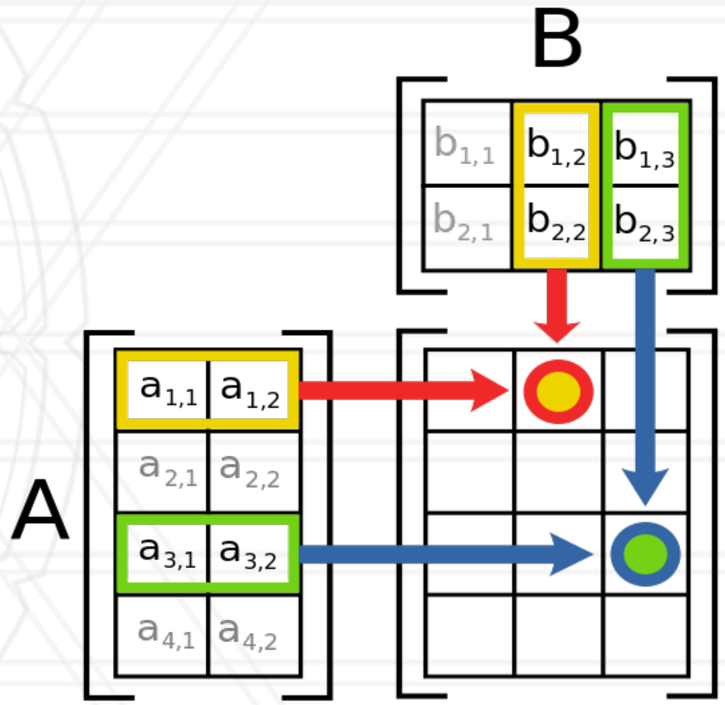

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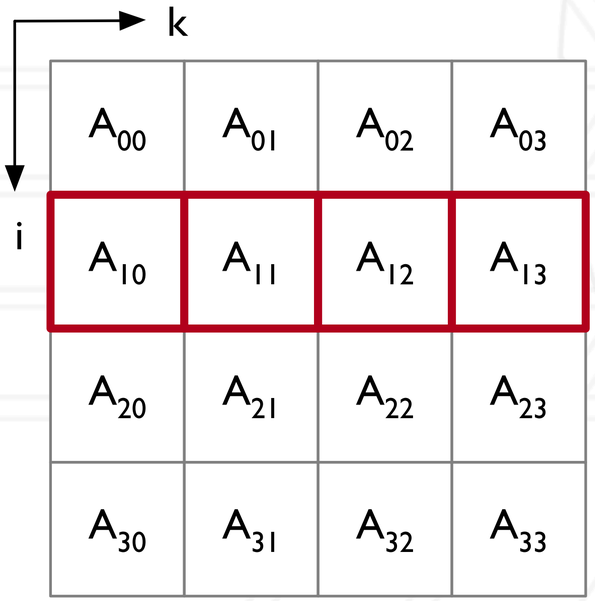

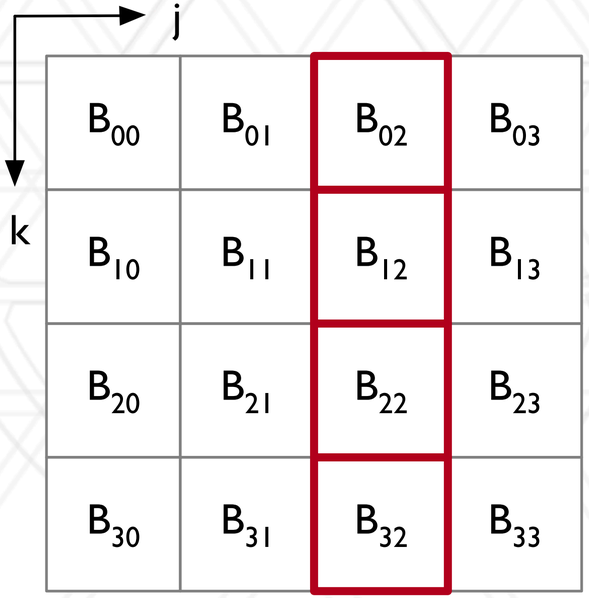

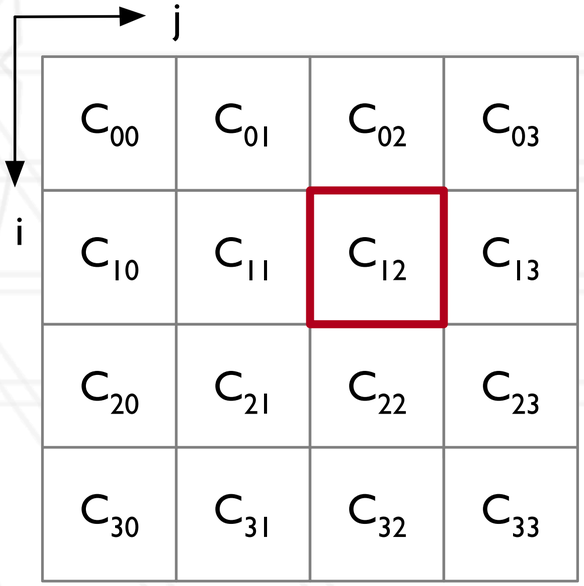

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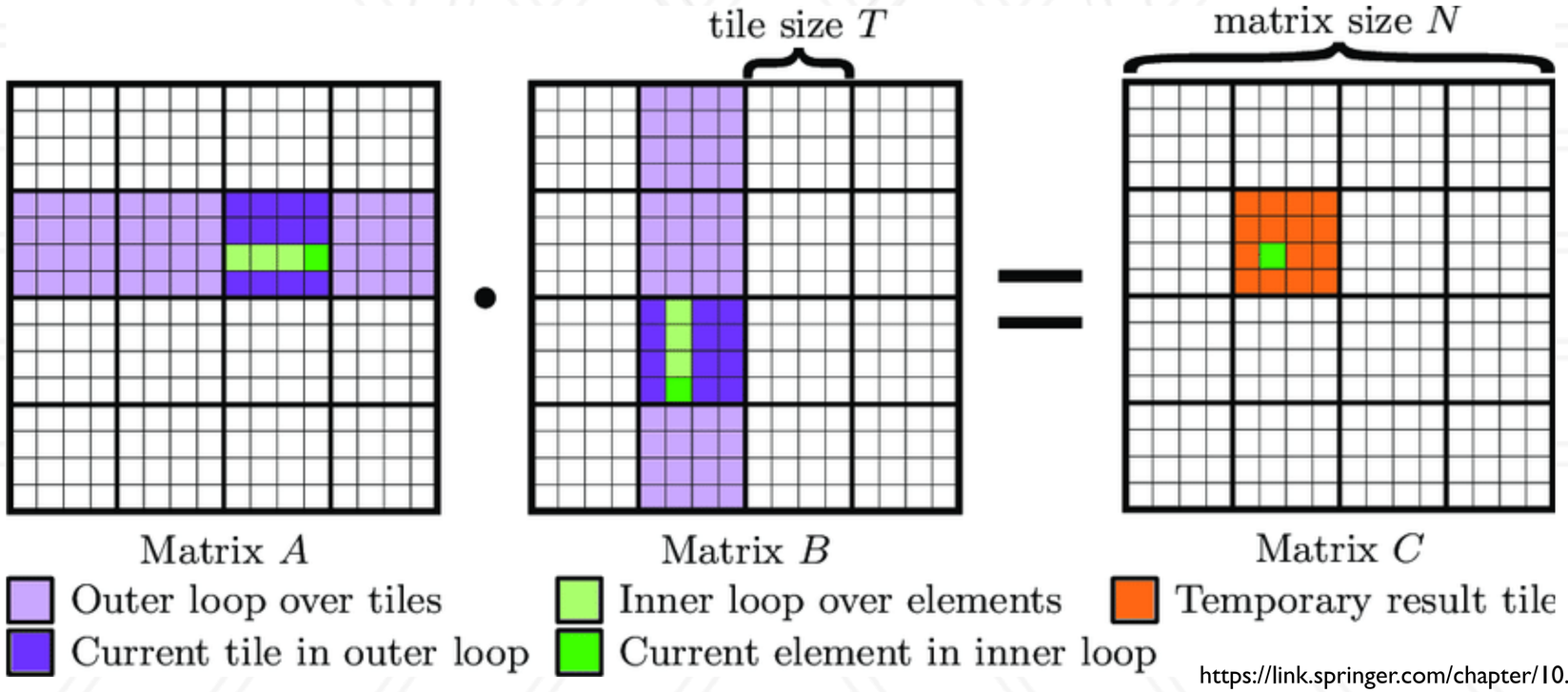

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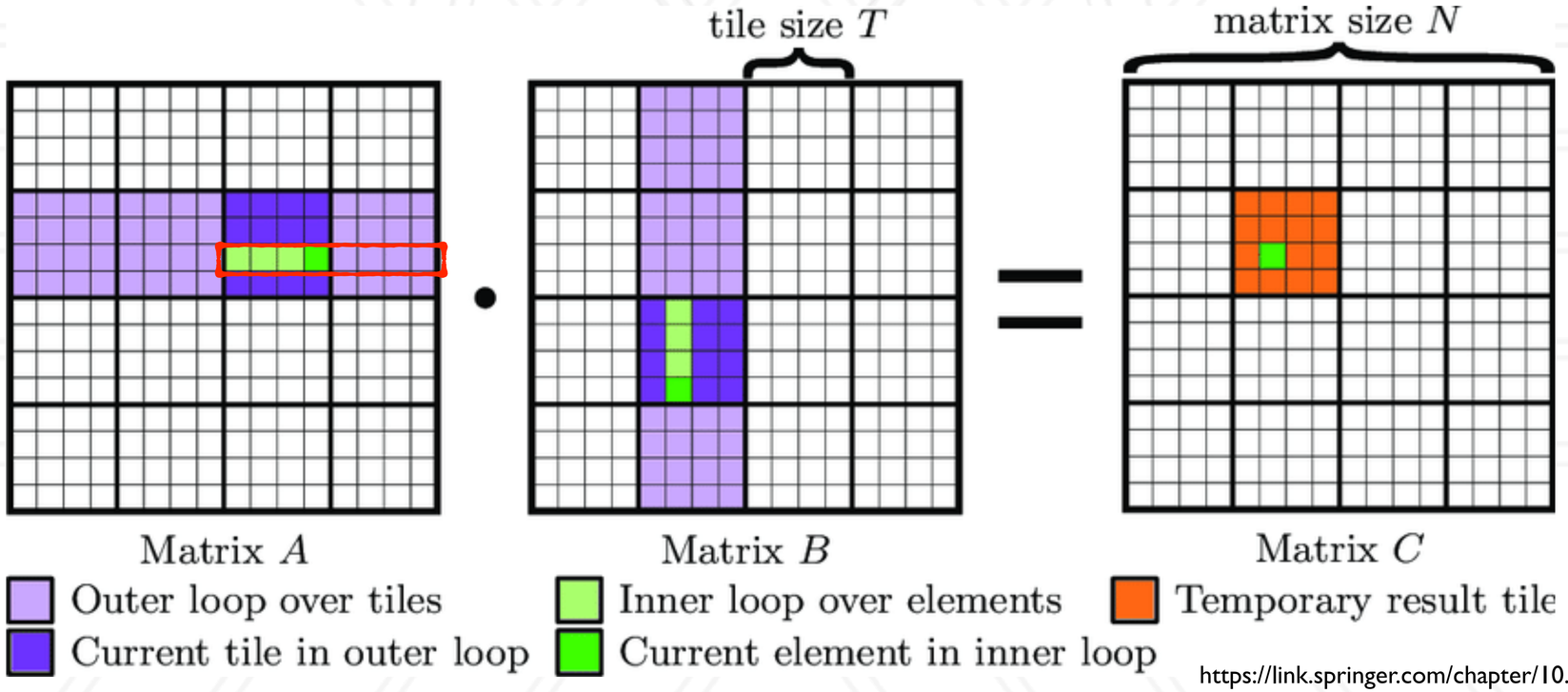

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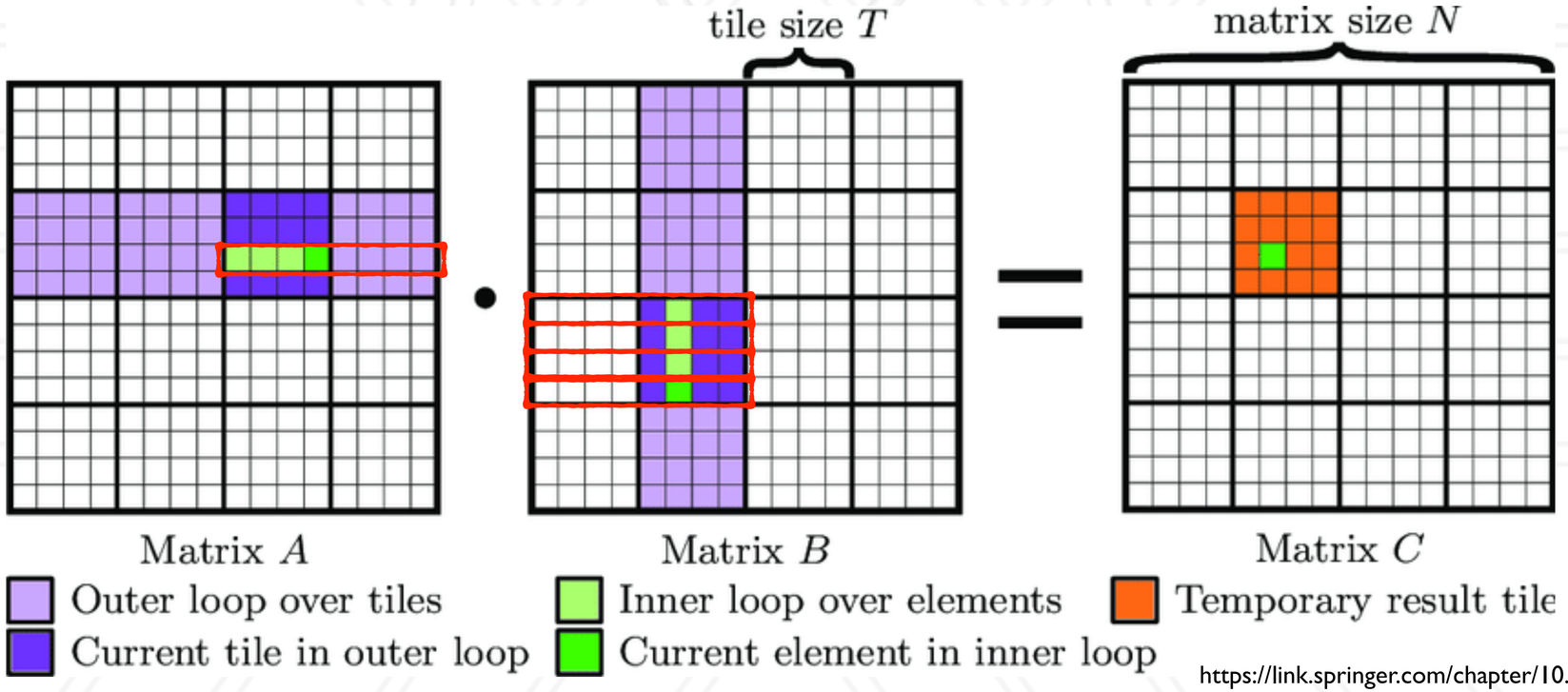

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Blocked (tiled) matrix multiply

```
for (ii = 0; ii < n; ii+=B) {
  for (jj = 0; jj < n; jj+=B) {
    for (kk = 0; kk < n; kk+=B) {
      for (i = ii; i < ii+B; i++) {
        for (j = jj; j < jj+B; j++) {
          for (k = kk; k < kk+B; k++) {
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Original code

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Parallel matrix multiply

- Store A and B in a distributed manner
- Communication between processes to get the right sub-matrices to each process
- Each process computes a portion of C

Cannon's 2D matrix multiply

- Arrange processes in a 2D virtual grid
- Assign sub-blocks of A and B to each process
- Each process responsible for computing a sub-block of C
- Requires other processes in its row and column to send A and B blocks so can it can compute the final values of its sub-block

Cannon's 2D matrix multiply

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0	1	2	3
4	5	**6**	7
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2D process grid

A_{00}	A_{01}	A_{02}	A_{03}
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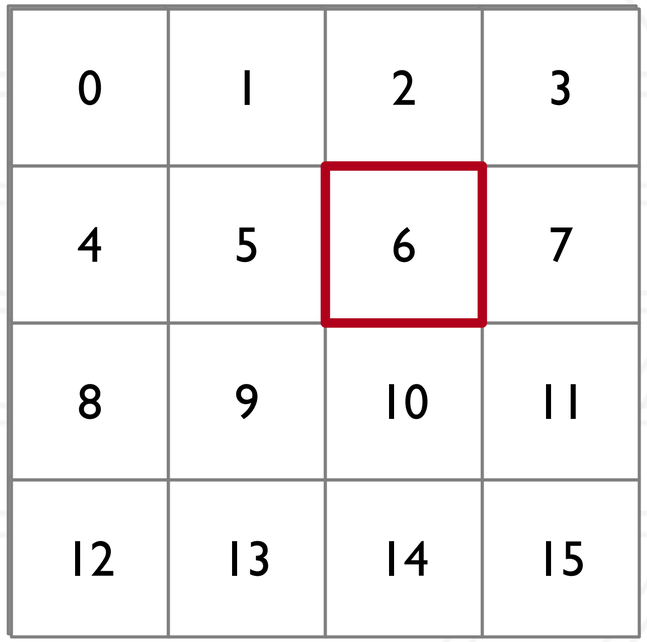

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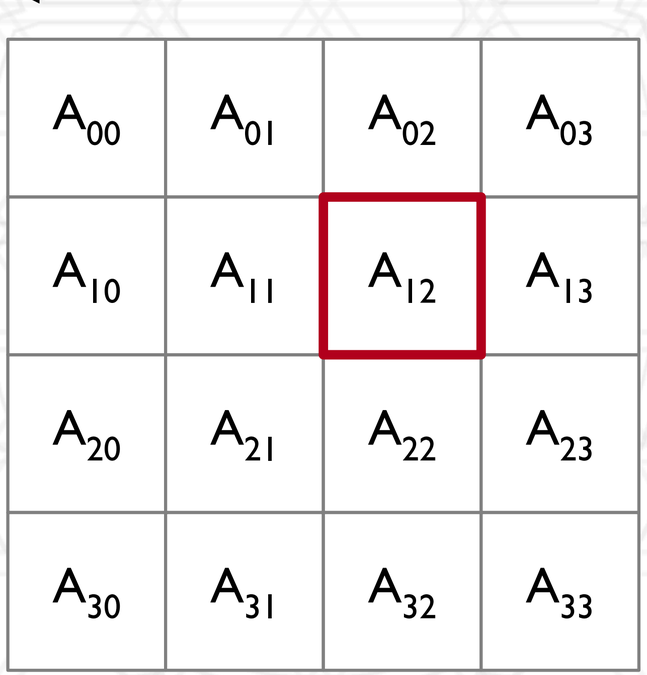

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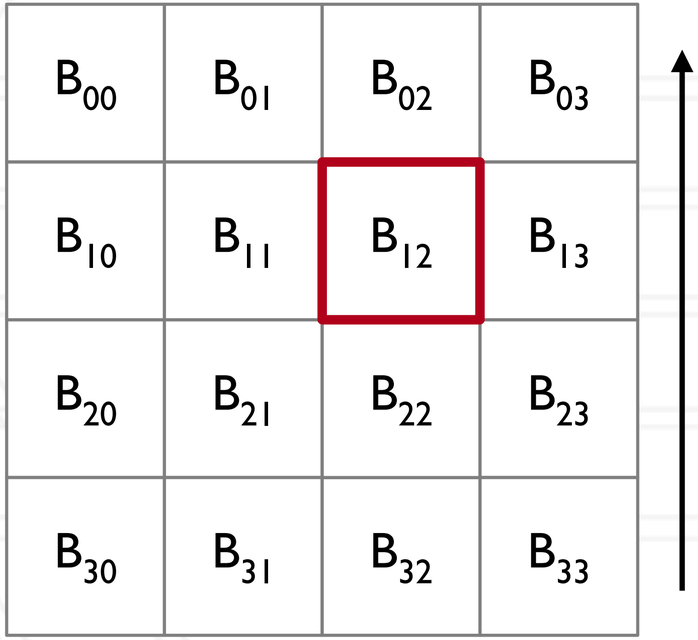

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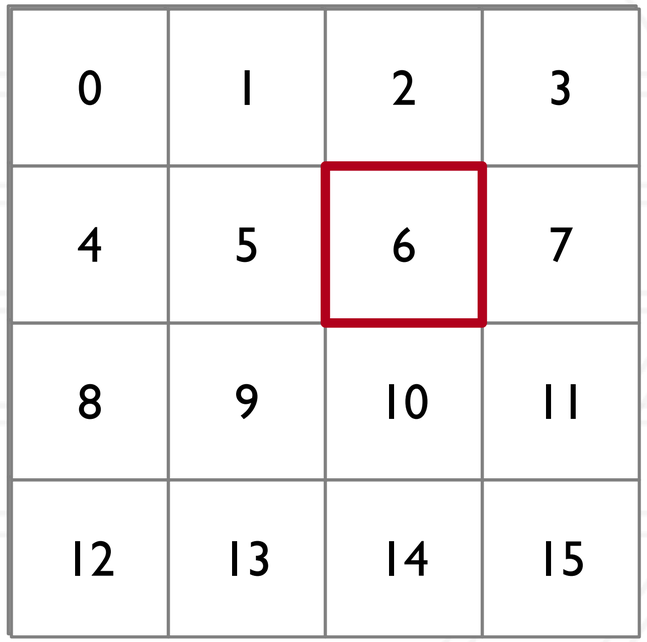

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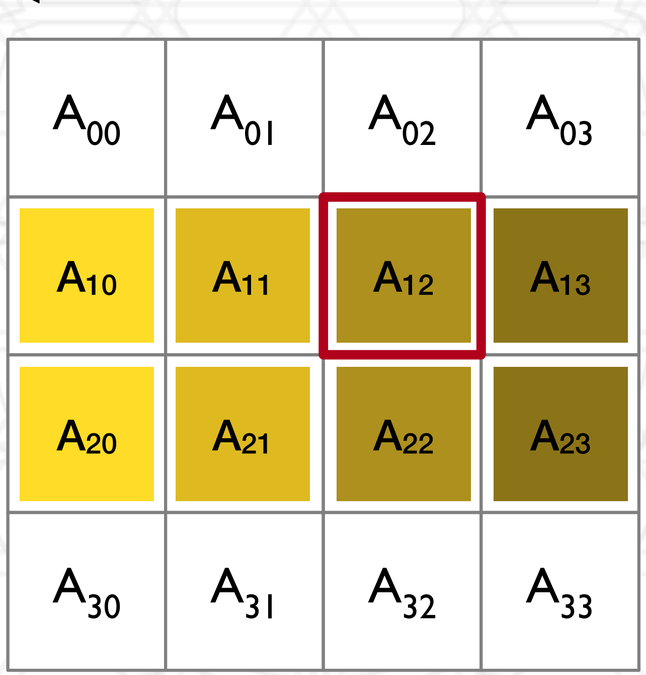

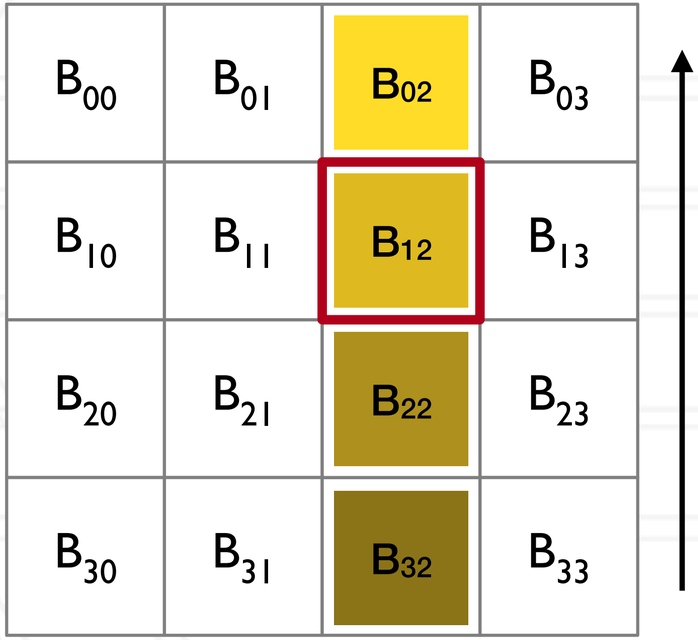

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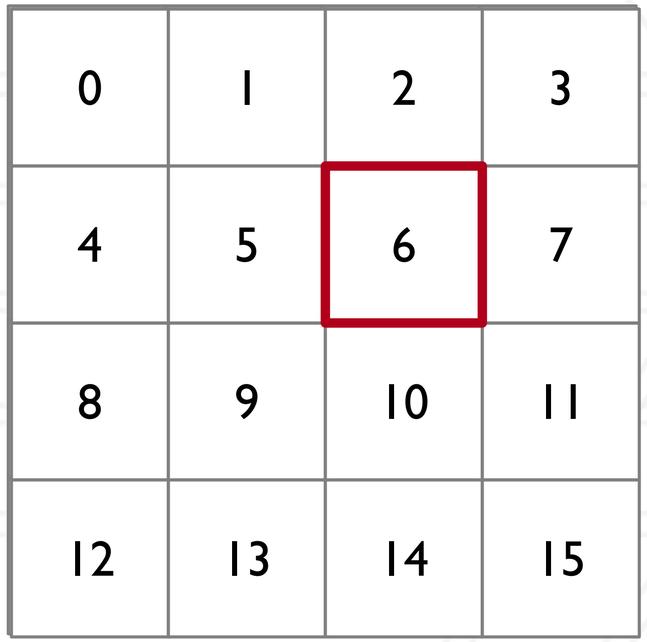

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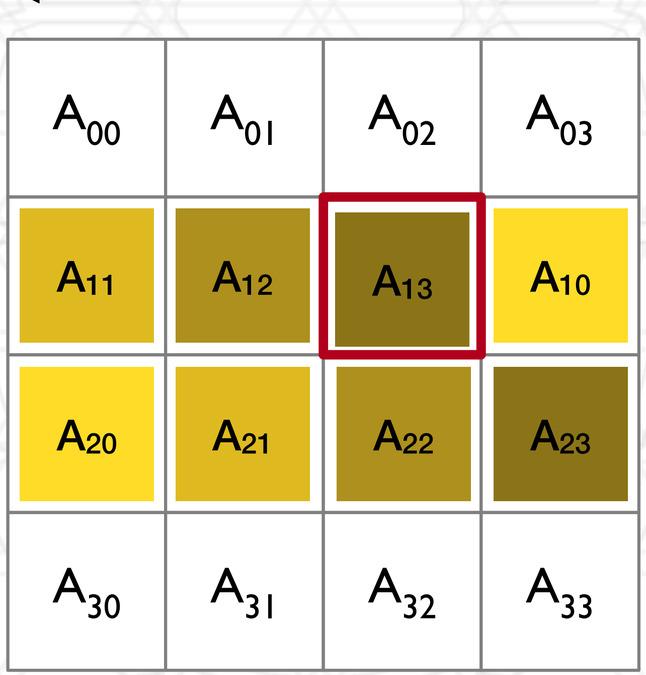

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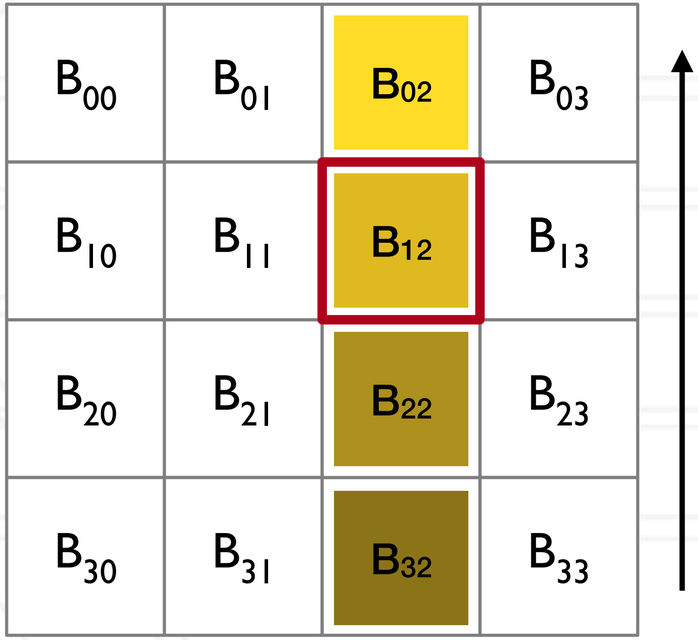

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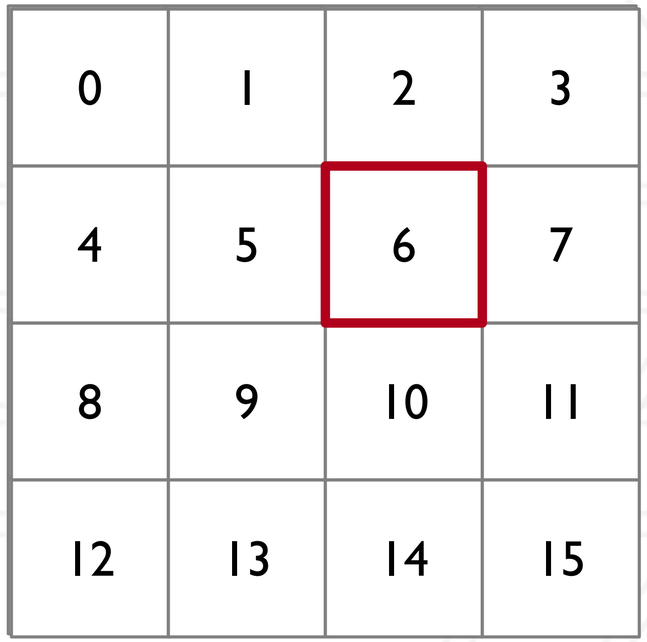

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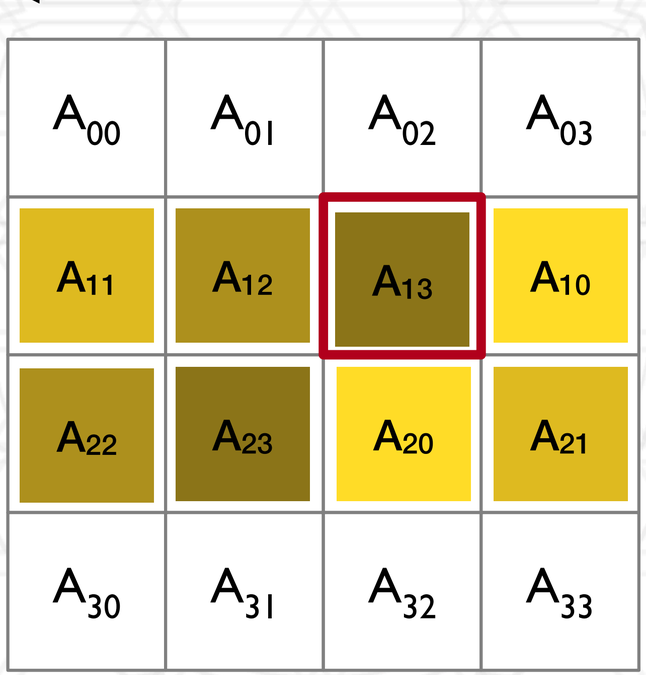

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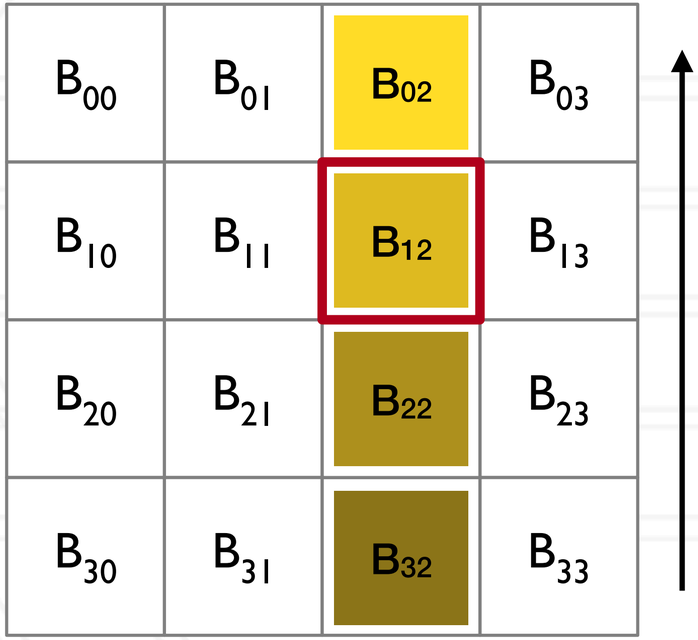

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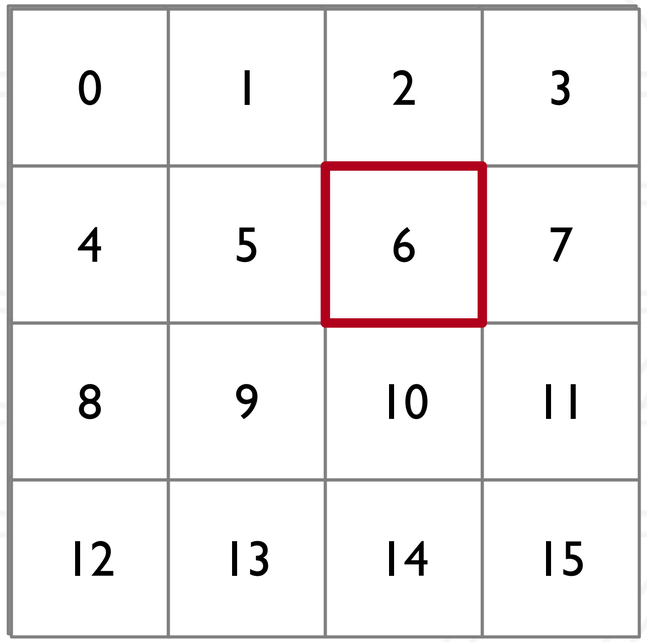

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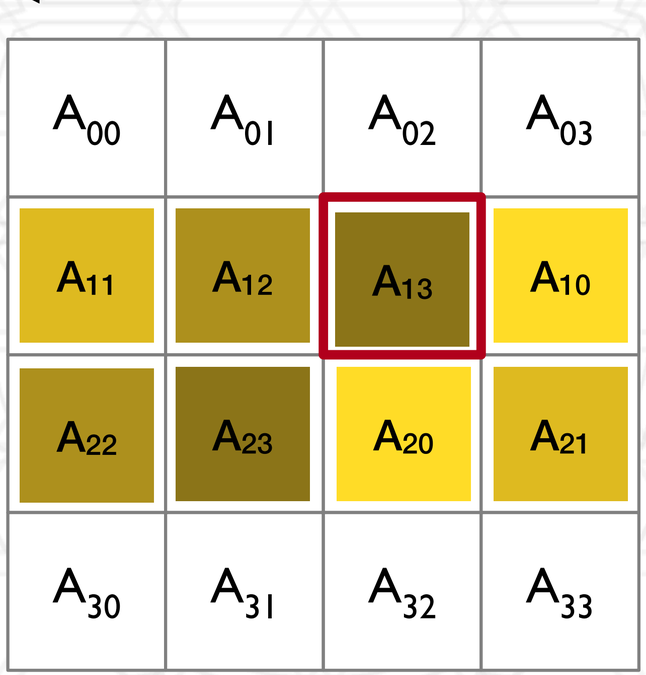

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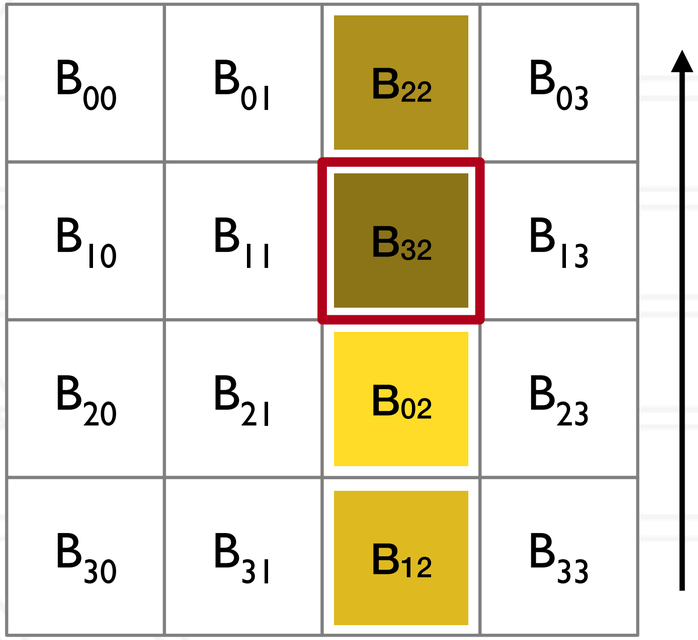

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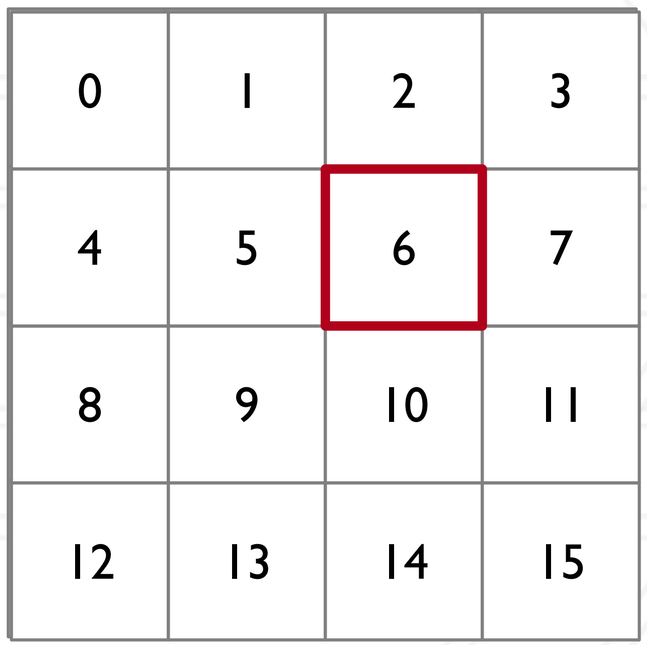

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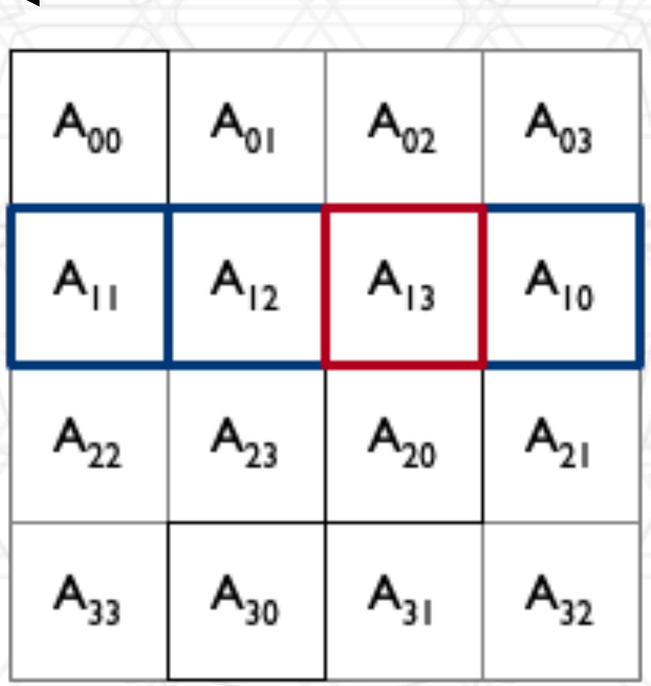

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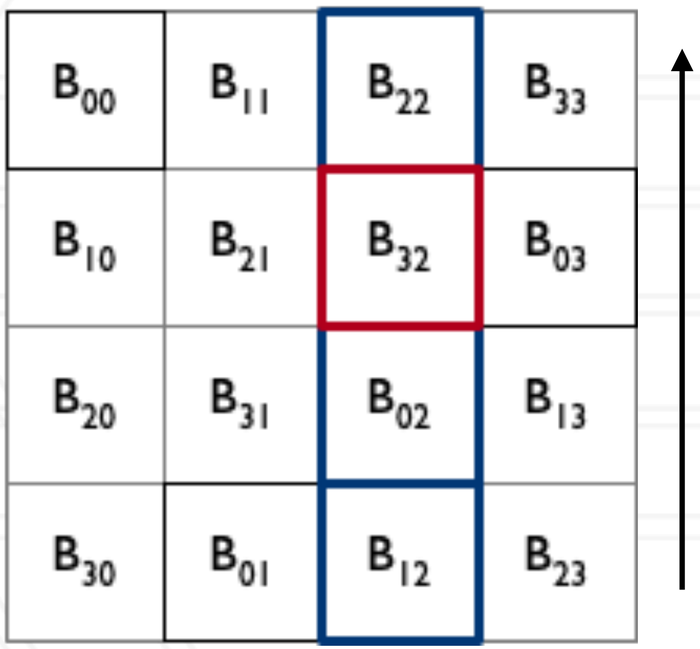

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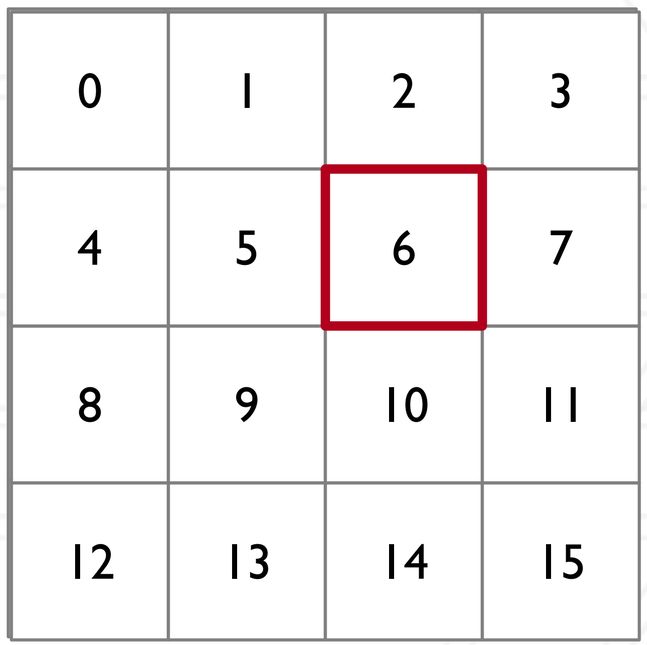

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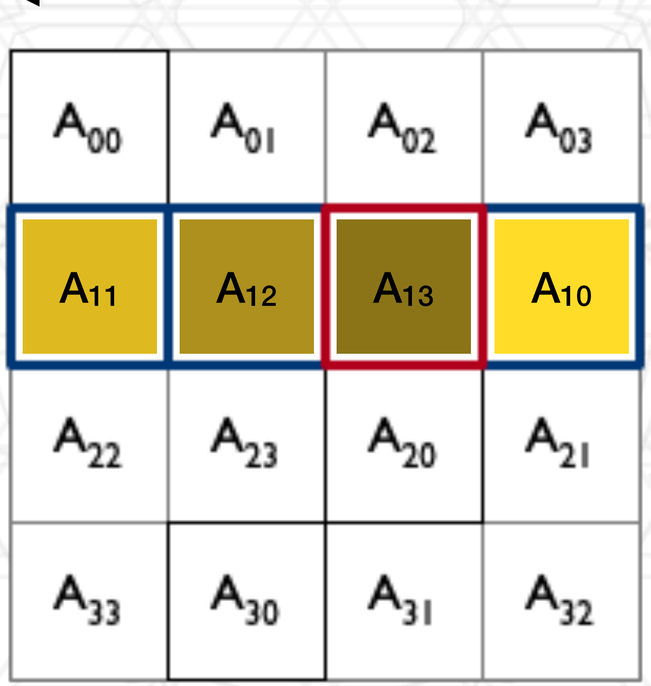

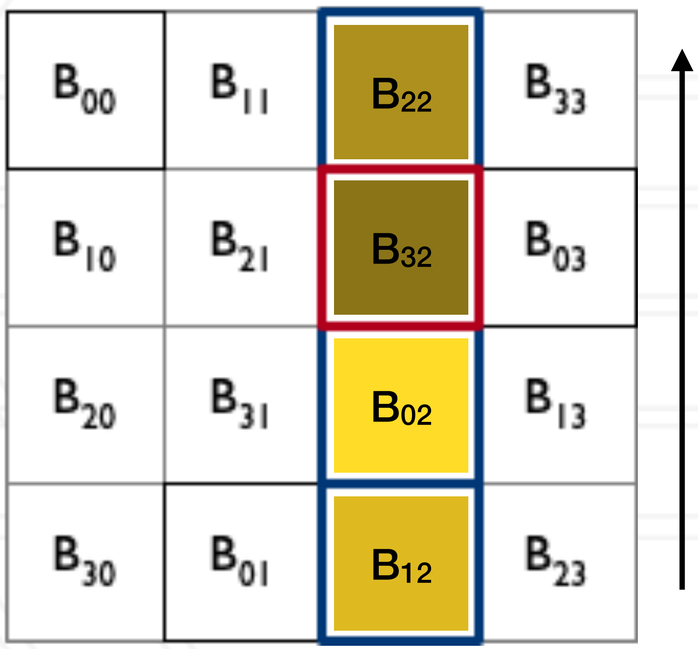

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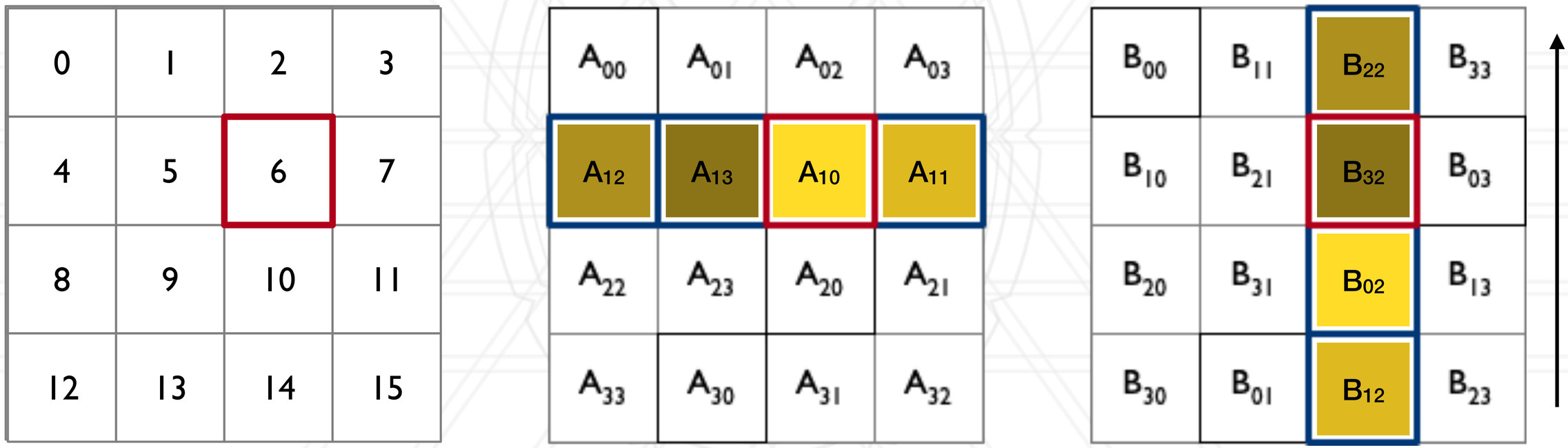

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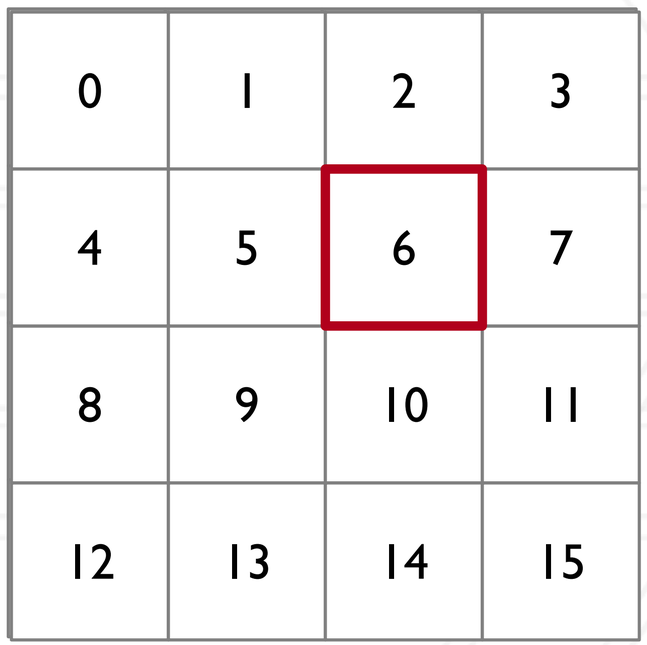

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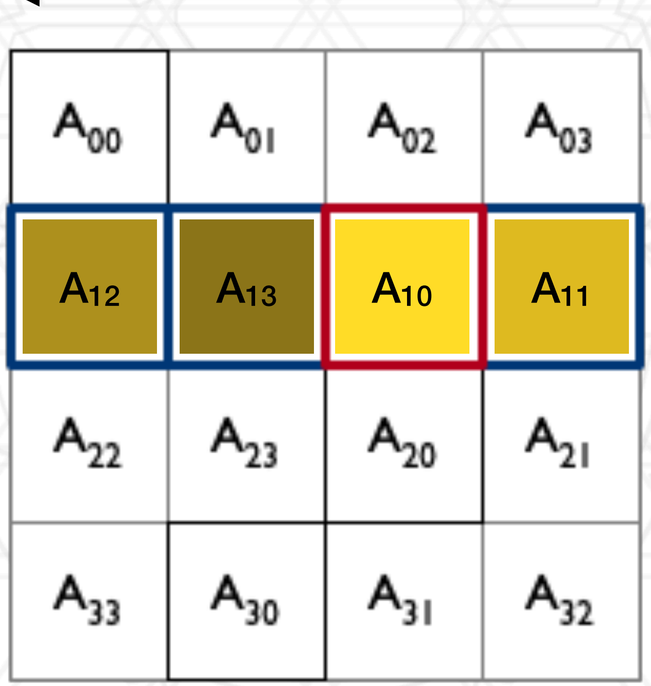

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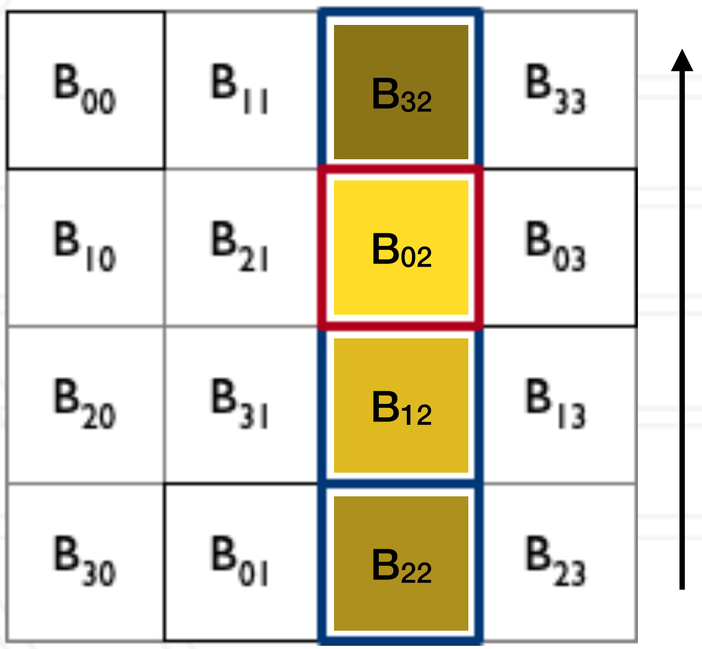

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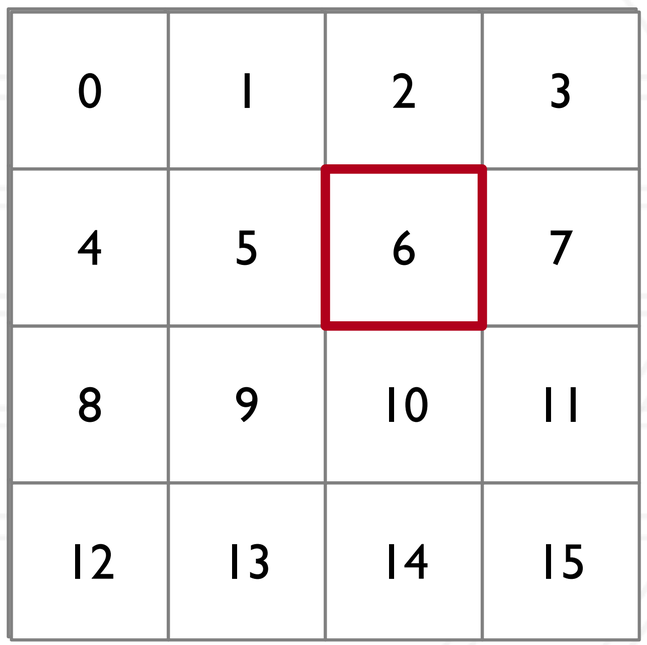

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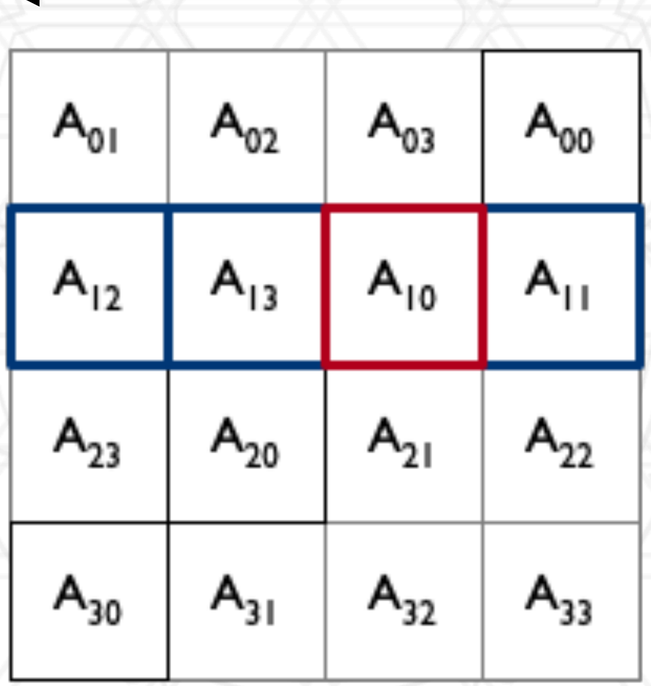

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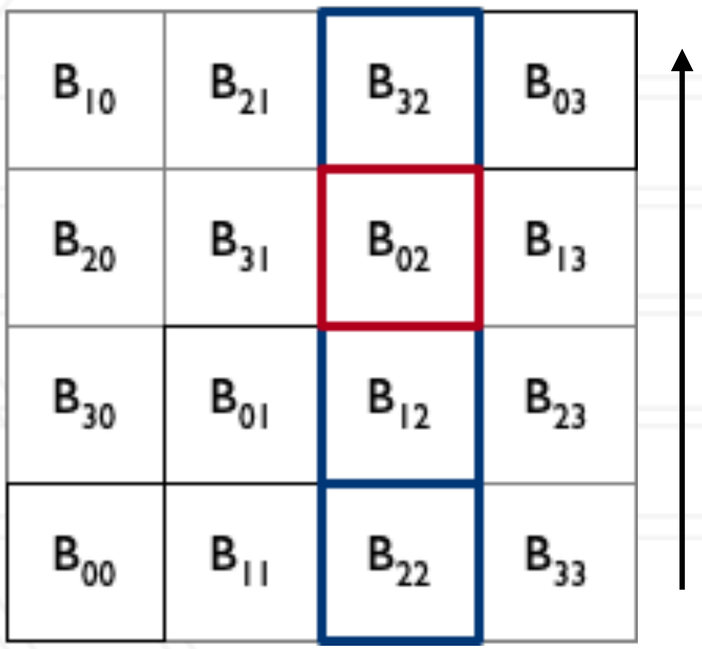

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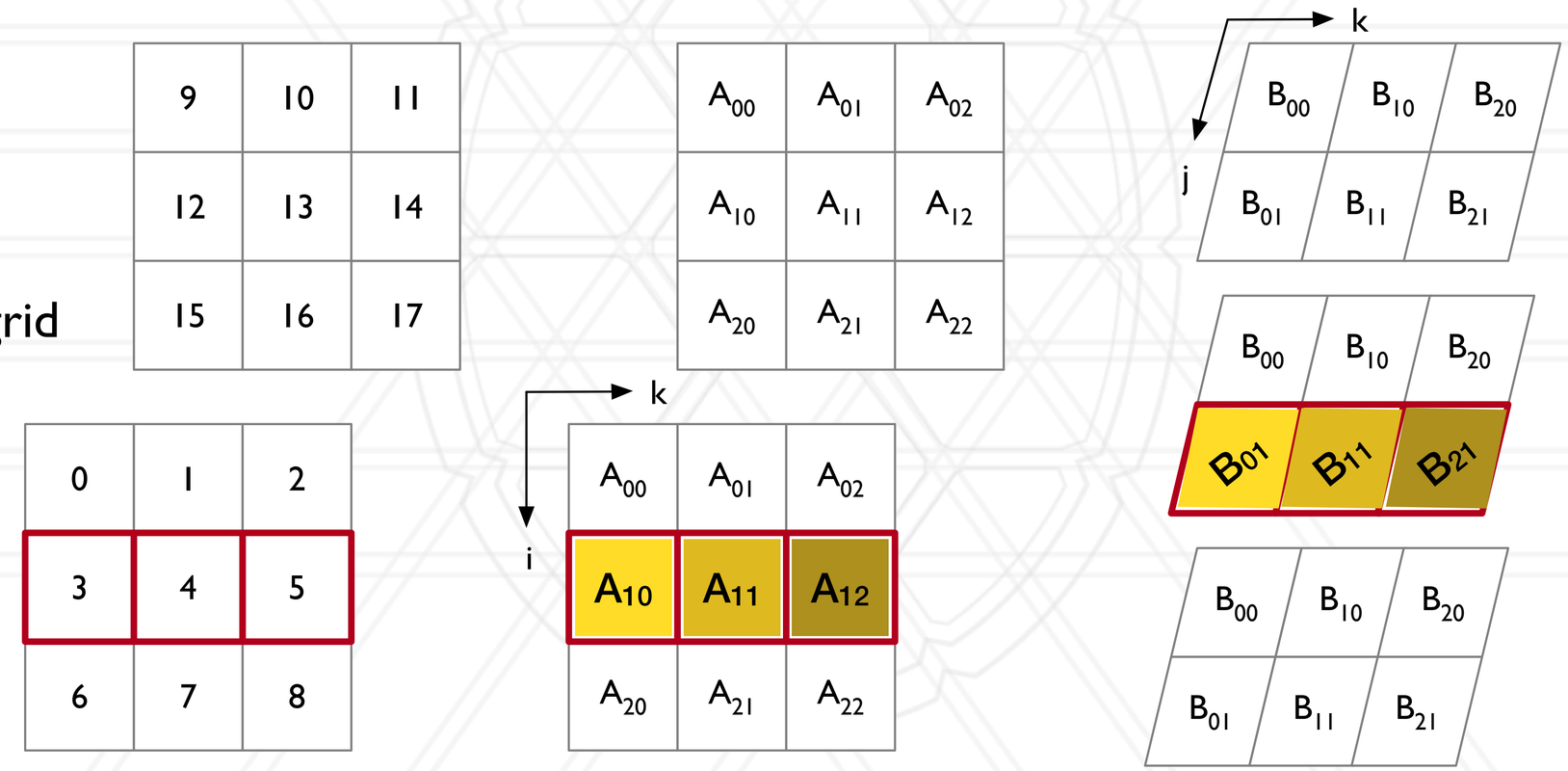
Agarwal's 3D matrix multiply

- Arrange processes in a 3D virtual grid
- Assign sub-blocks of A and B to each process
  - In this algorithm, there are multiple copies of A and B (one in each plane)
- Each process computes a *partial* sub-block of C
- Data movement is done only once before computation and once after computation

Agarwal's 3D matrix multiply

- Copy A to all i-k planes and B to all j-k planes

3D process grid



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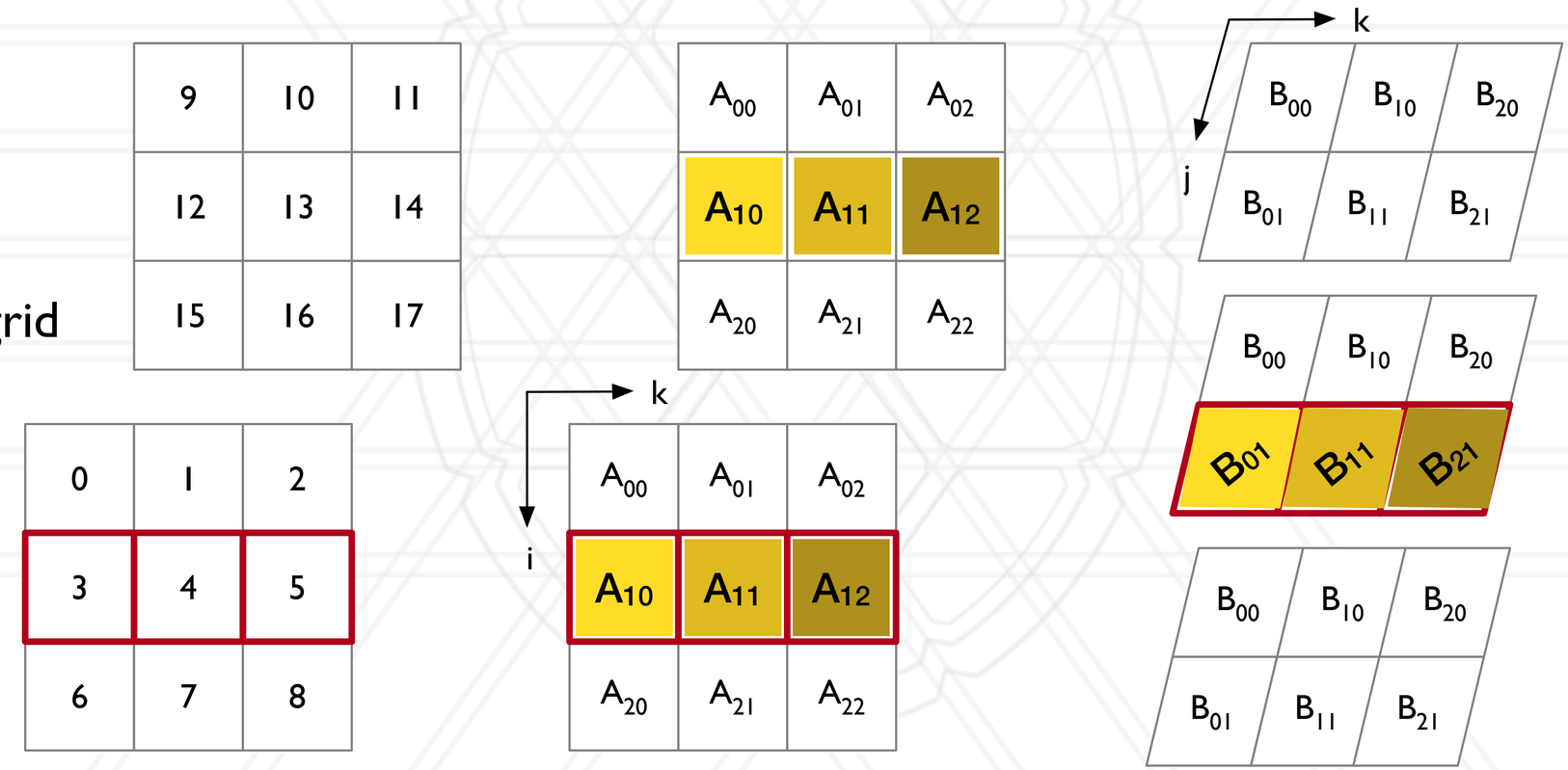

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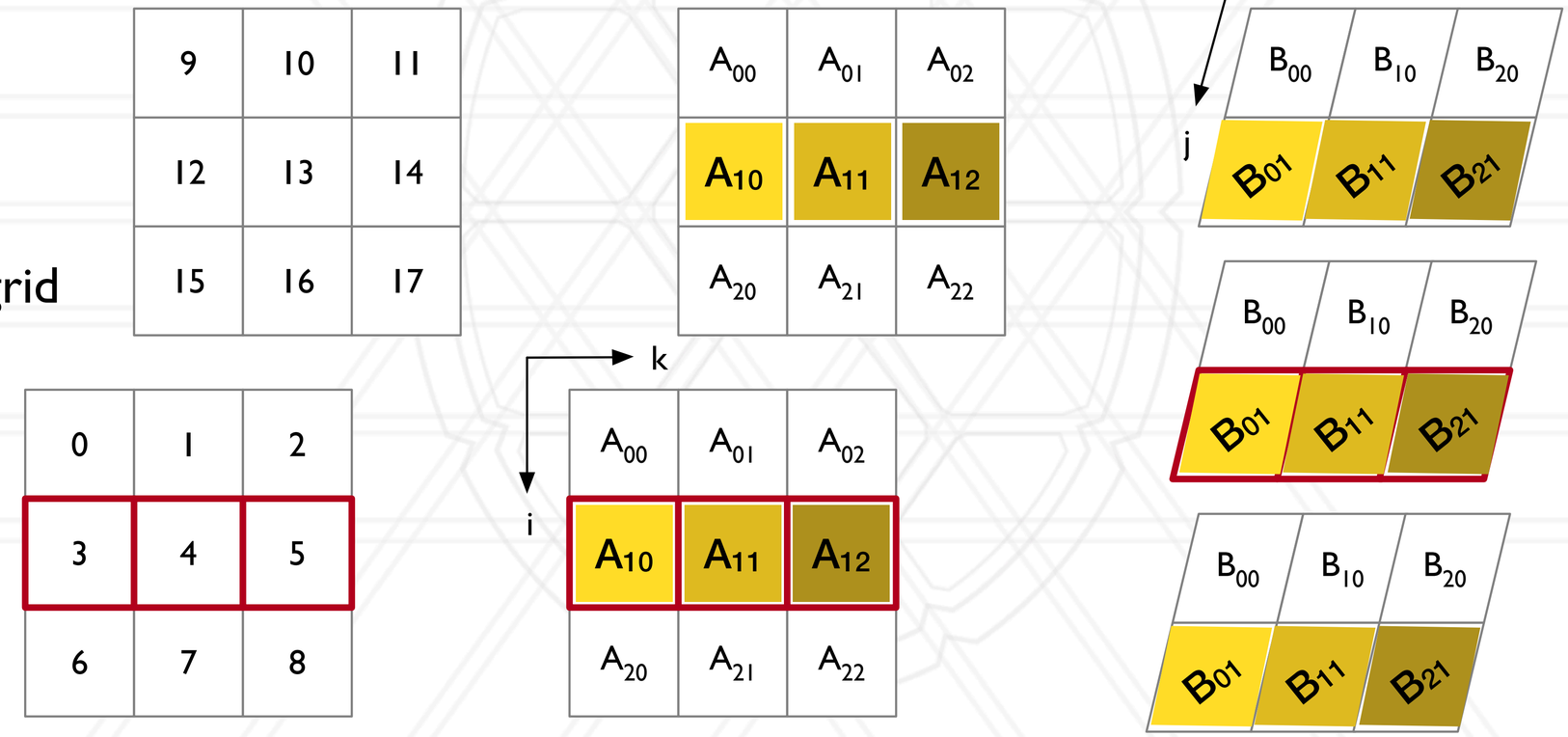
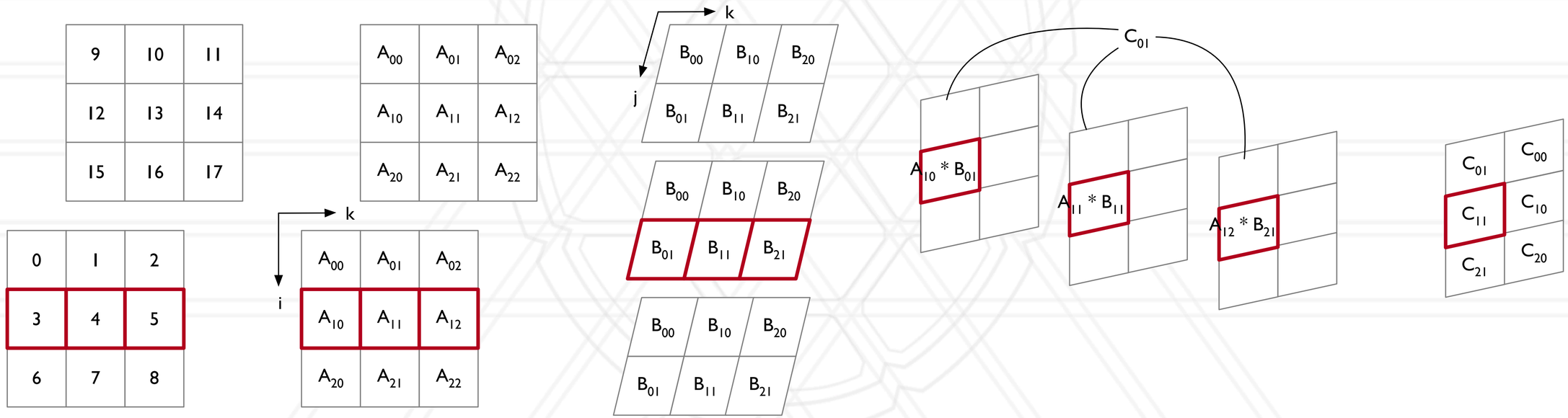


Agarwal's 3D matrix multiply

- Perform a single matrix multiply to calculate partial C
- Allreduce along i-j planes to calculate final result



Communication algorithms

- Reduction
- All-to-all

Types of reduction

- Scalar reduction: every process contributes one number
  - Perform some commutative associate operation
- Vector reduction: every process contributes an array of numbers

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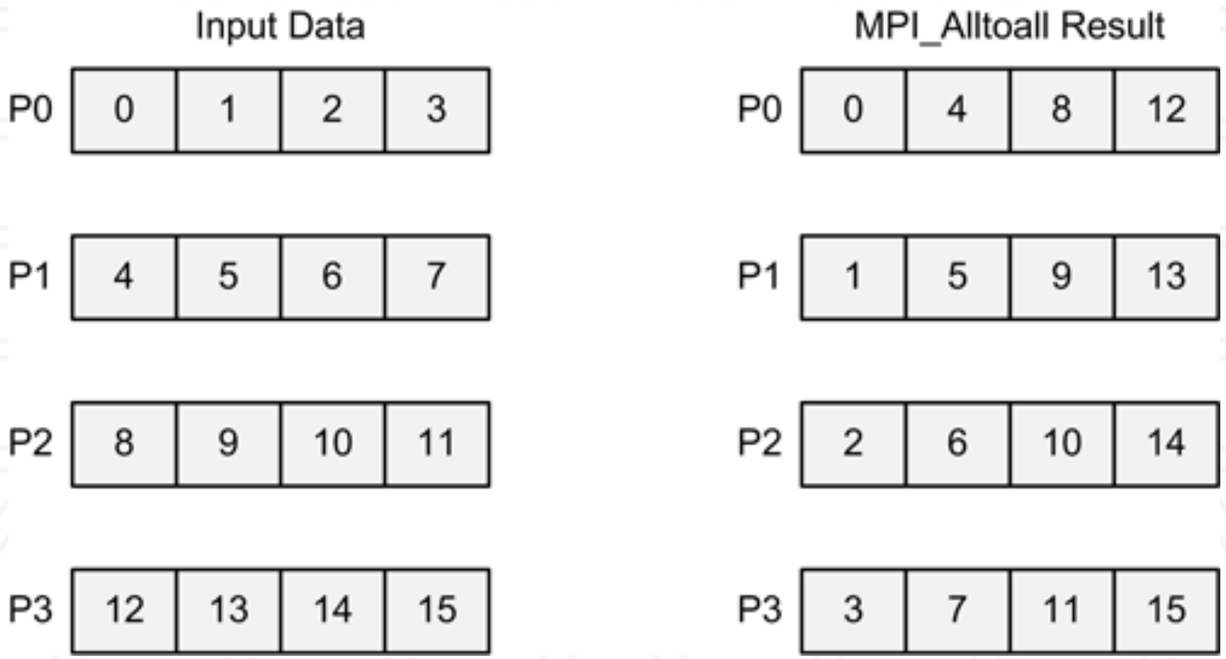
All-to-all collective call

- Each process sends a distinct message to every other process
- Naive algorithm: every process sends the data pair-wise to all other processes



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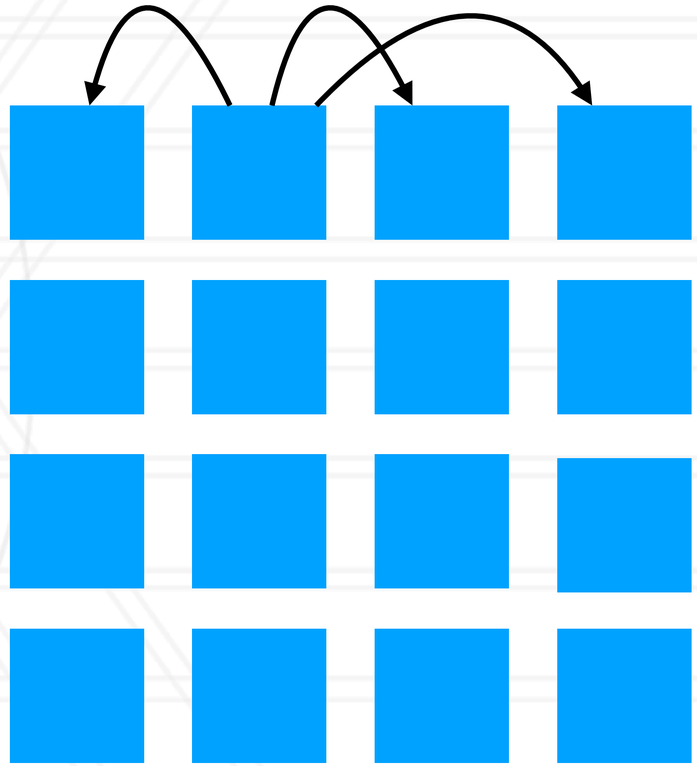
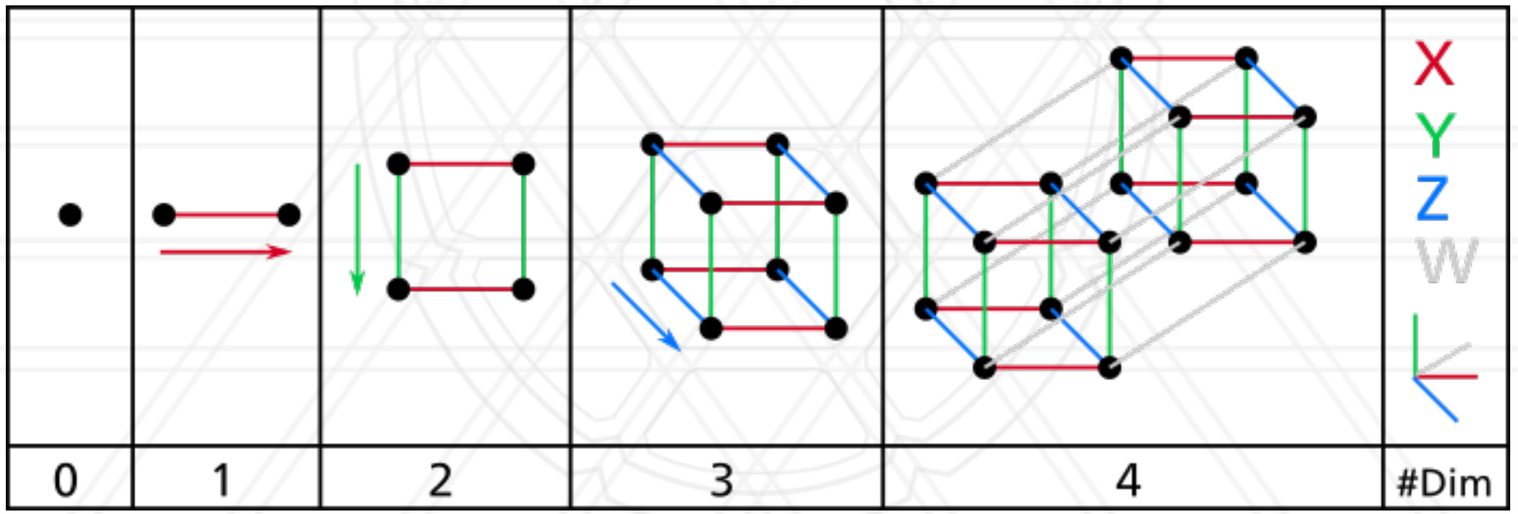
Virtual topology: 2D mesh

- Alternative algorithm: send messages along the rows and columns of a 2D mesh
- Phase 1: every process sends to its row neighbors
- Barrier: wait for phase 1 to complete
- Phase 2: every process sends to column neighbors



Virtual topology: hypercube

- Hypercube is an n-dimensional analog of a square (n=2) and cube (n=3)
- Special case of k-ary d-dimensional mesh



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