

# Job-tree

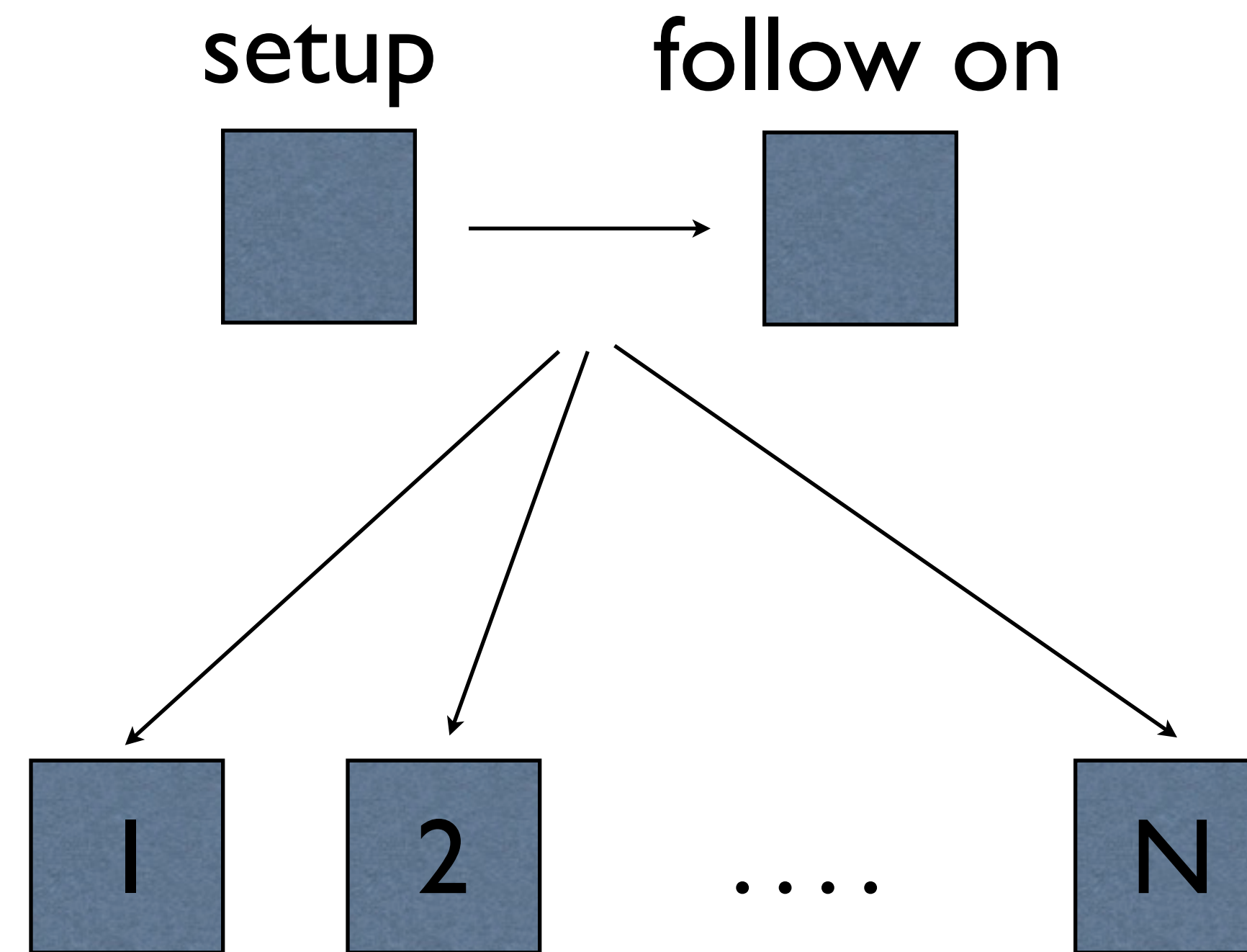
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# First off...

- Get it at github...
- <https://benedictpaten@github.com/benedictpaten/jobTree.git>
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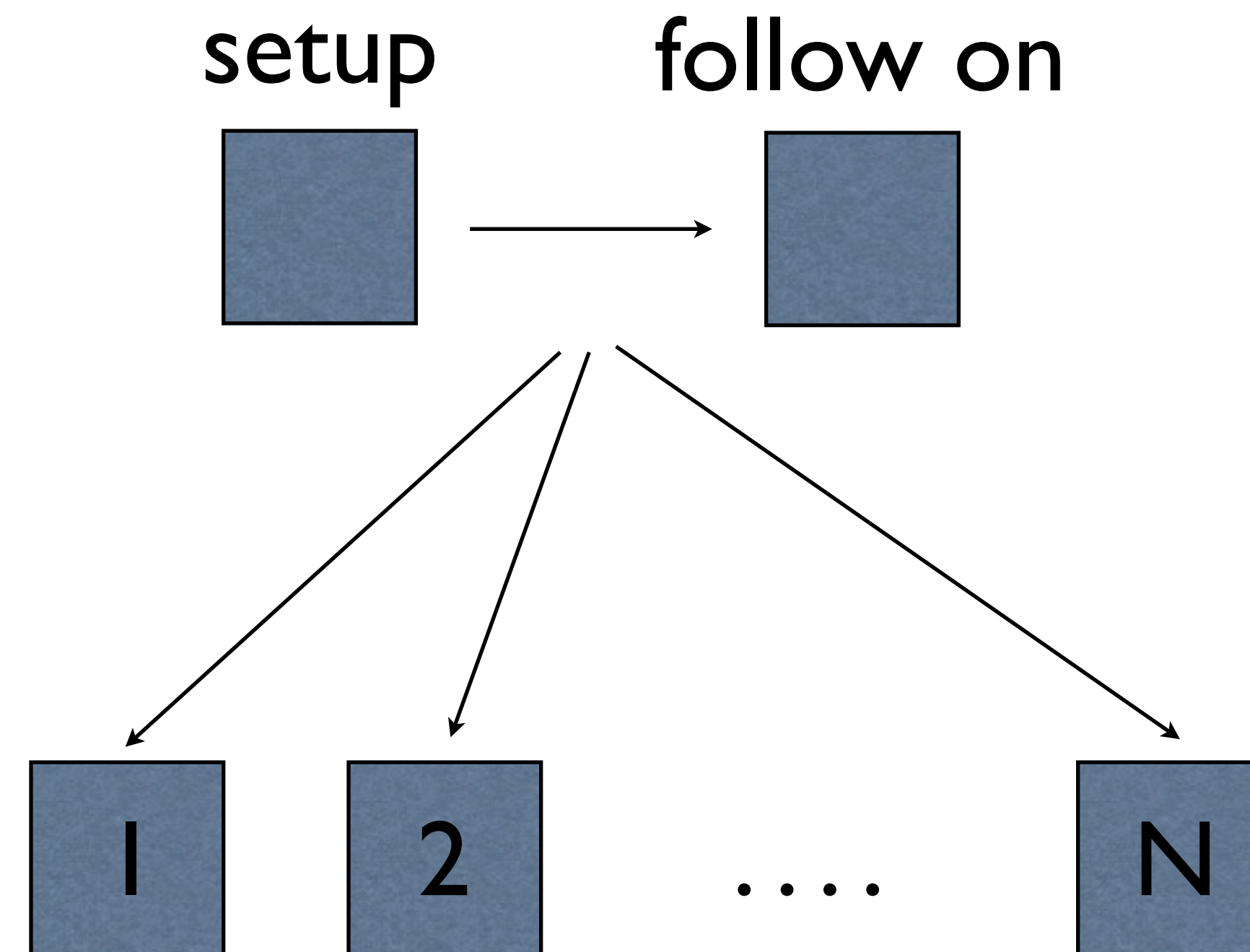
# Traditional Batch System

- Composed of a series of 'jobs'
- Single 'setup' job
- Parallel 'child' job
- Single 'follow on' job



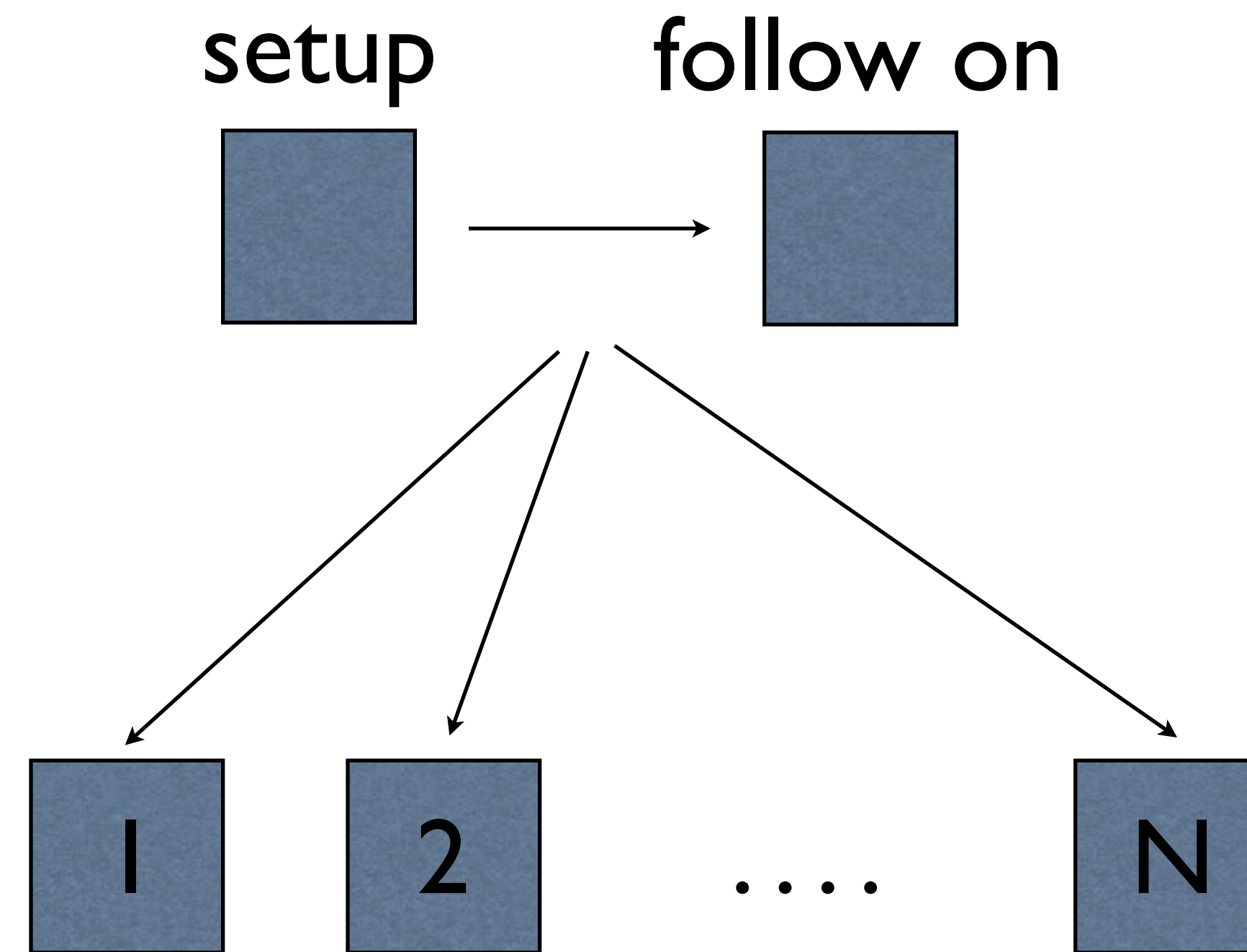
# Traditional Batch System

- Setup creates inputs for children
- Children create output
- Follow on aggregates output



# Traditional Batch System

- Jobs can get lost at any point during their runtime.
- To maintain 'atomicity' jobs must always be restartable, therefore:
  - No job must alter its own input.
  - The follow on 'cleans up' the setup job



# Traditional Batch System Summary

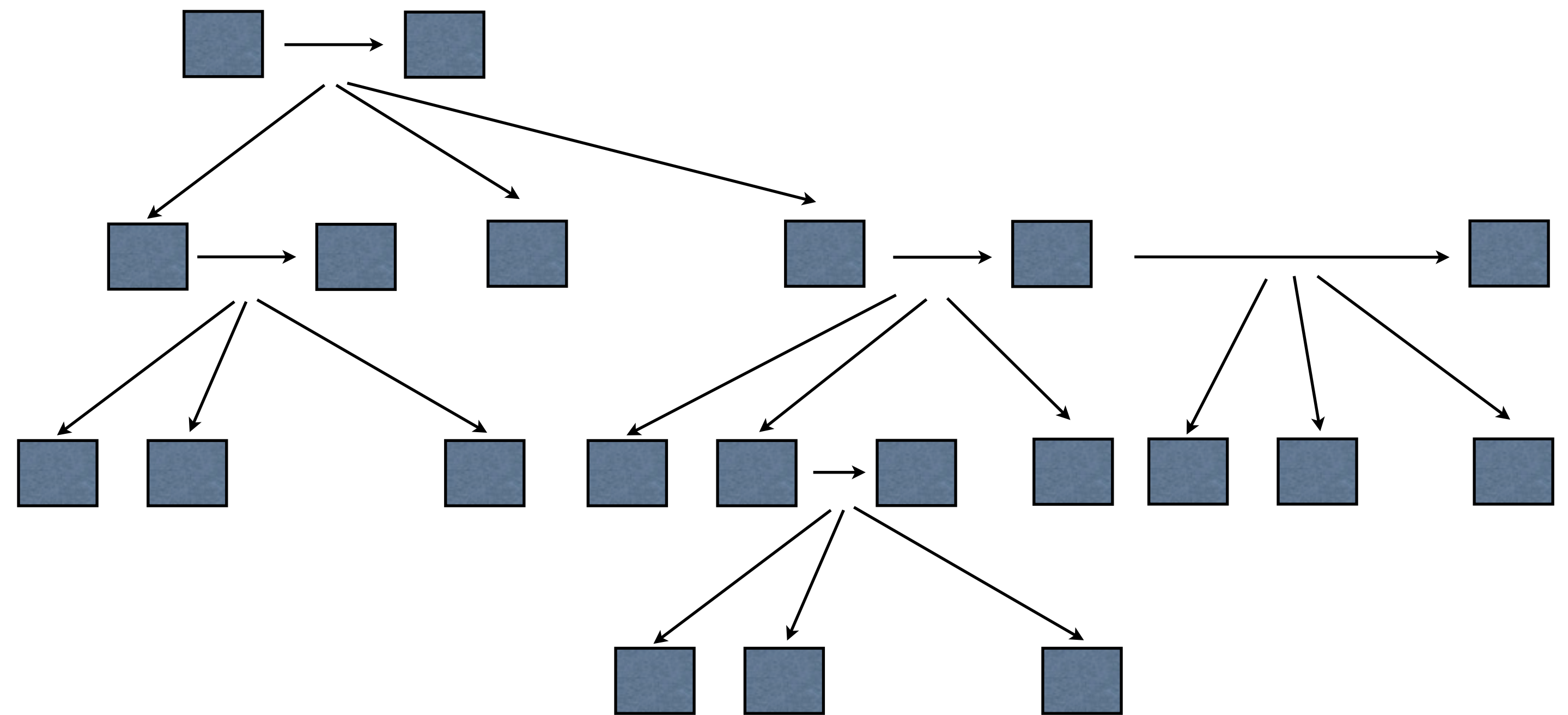
- Traditional batch system can be described, from the users point of view, as a parallel 'for' loop.
- Robust pipelines must maintain atomicity

# Job-tree

- For loops are useful, but what if..
  - I want to further parallelise a 'child' job?
  - I want to do this selectively?
  - I want to do this dynamically and recursively?

# Job-tree

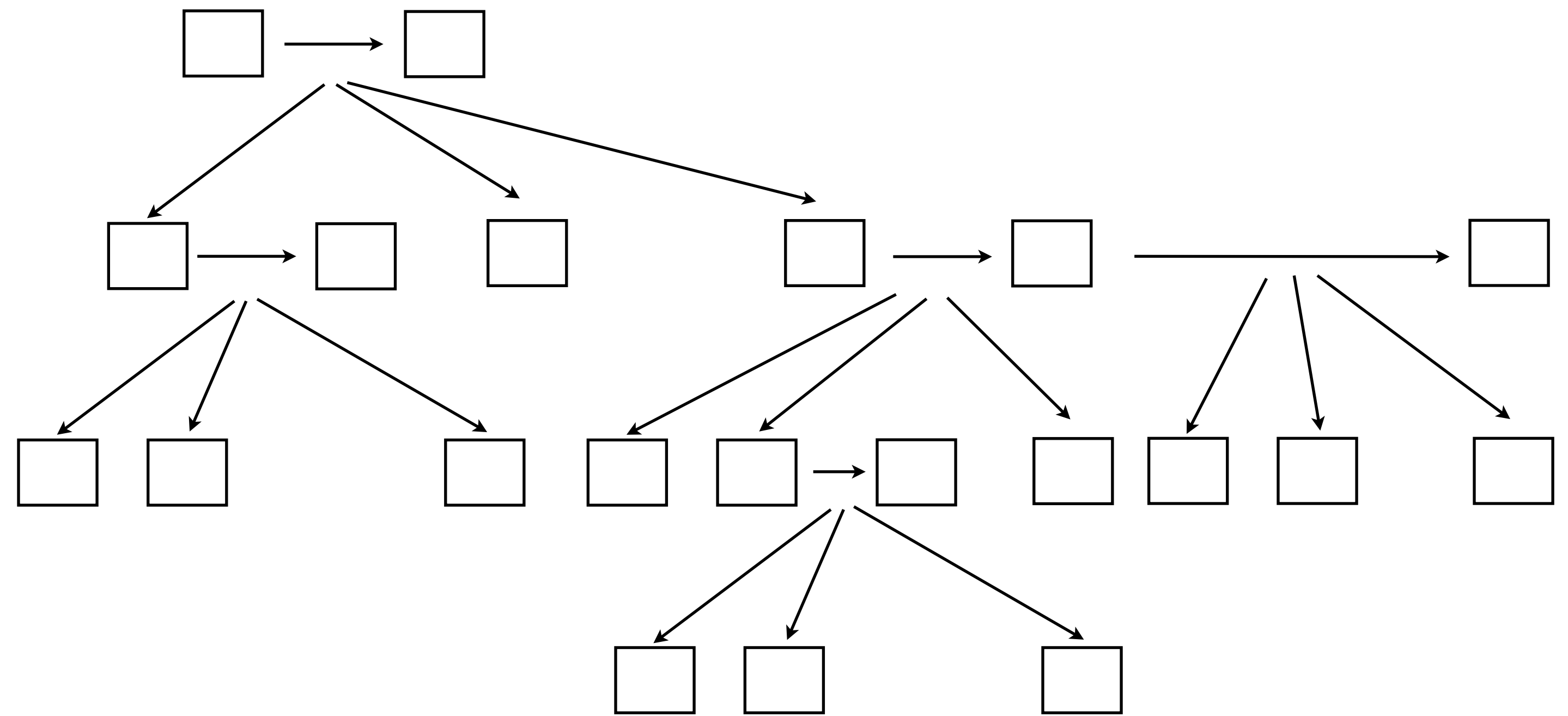
- Job-tree allows you to create arbitrary 'job-trees'





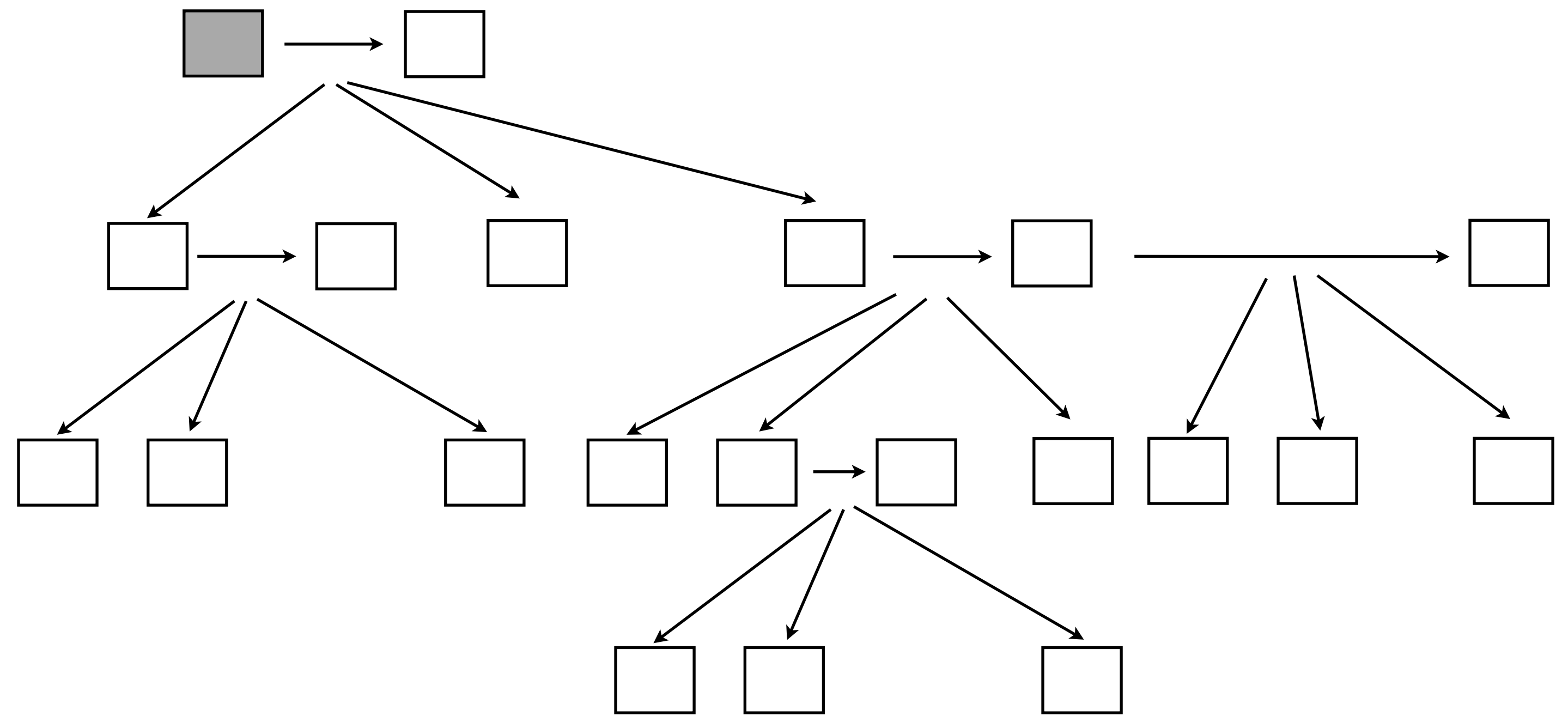
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- Let's walk through an example.



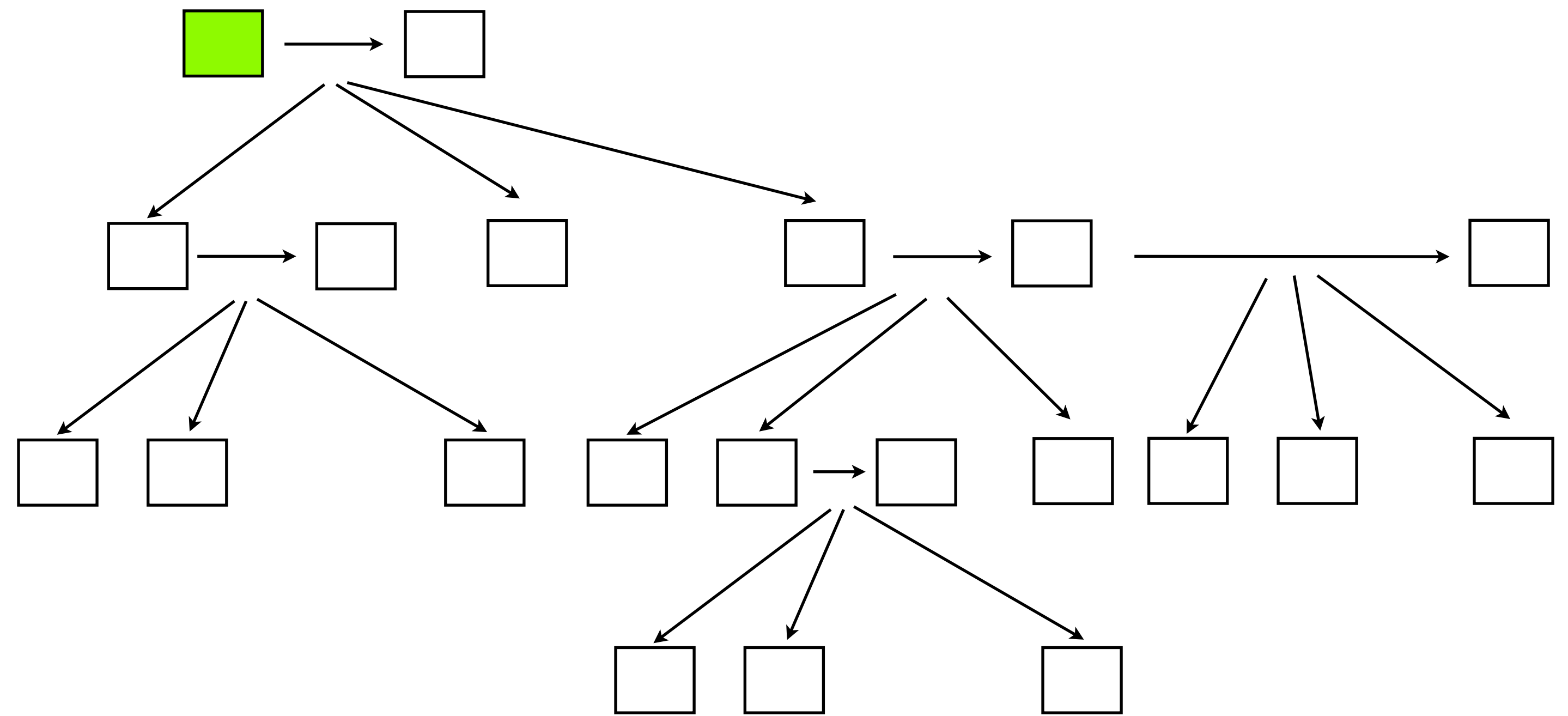
# Job-tree

- The first job is issued to the system (grey)
- White boxes are jobs not yet created.



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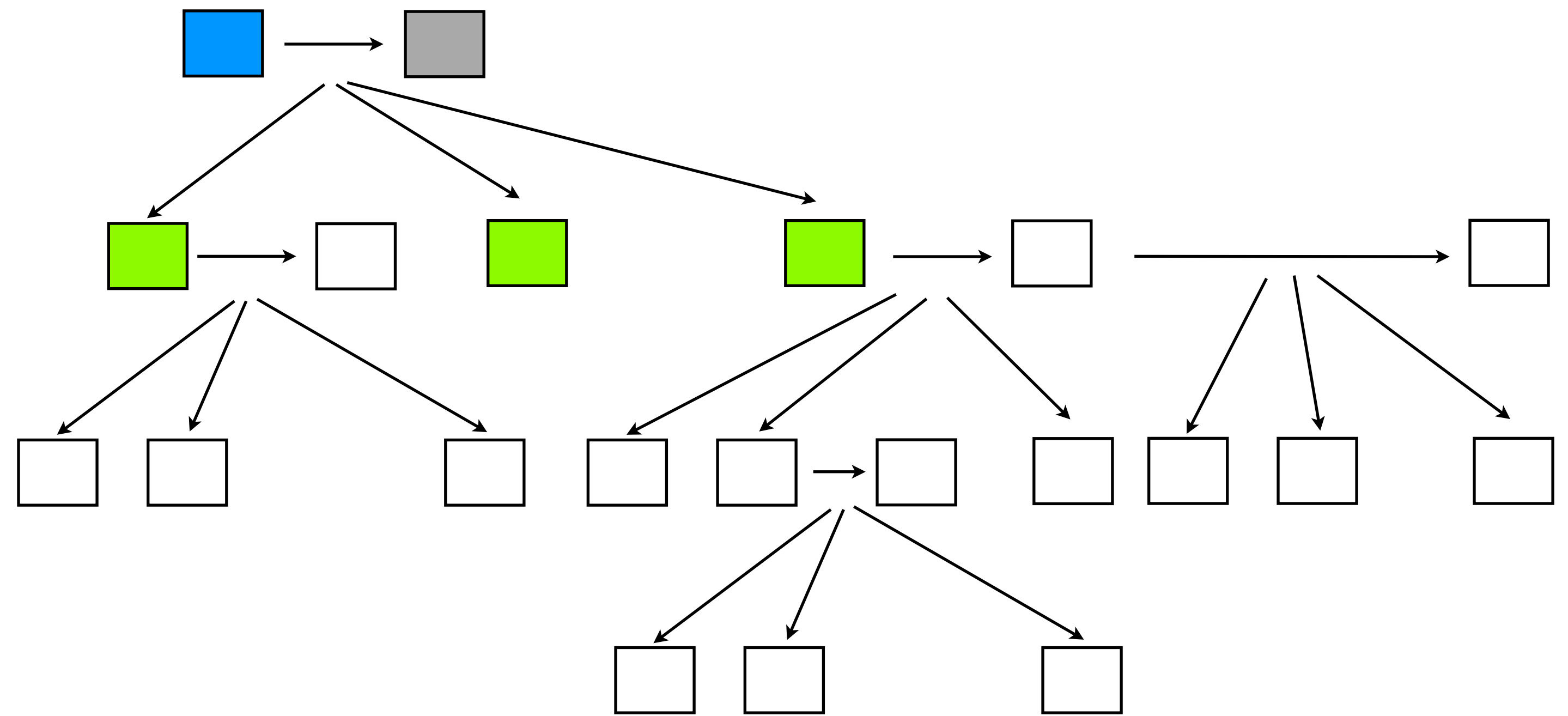
- The first job is run (green)





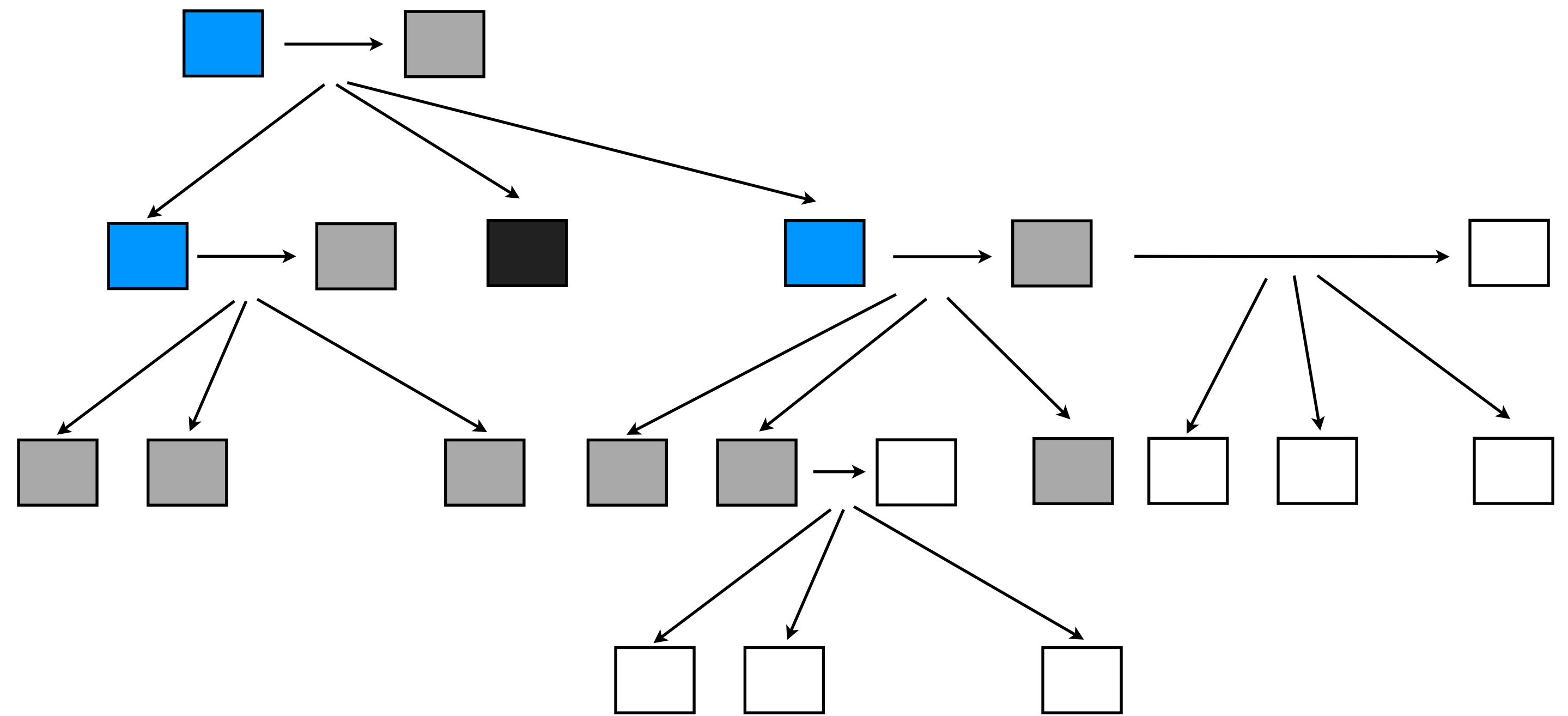
# Job-tree

- The children are run



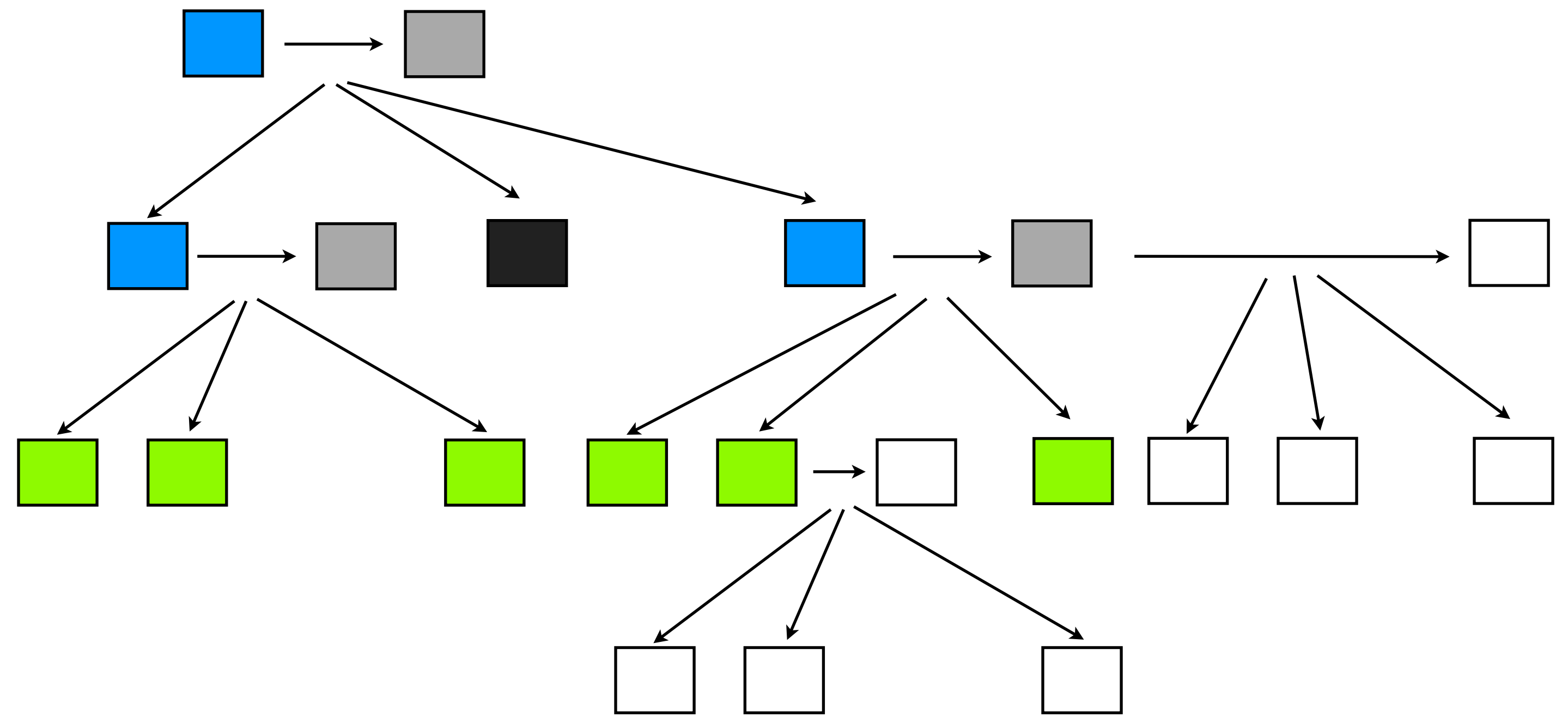
# Job-tree

- Some create children and follow ons.
- Some do not, they are now complete (coloured black)



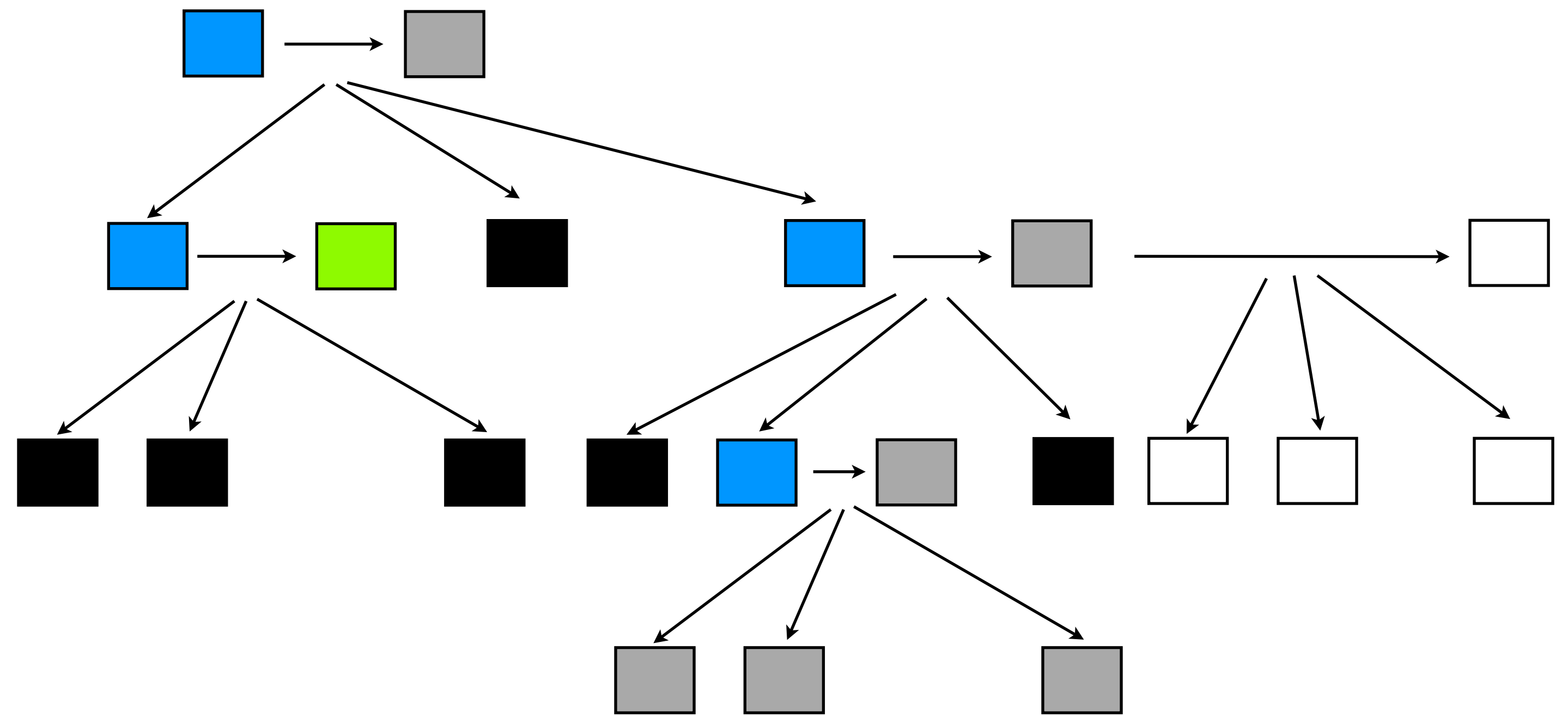
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- More children are run



# Job-tree

- Most are finished, one creates more children, and one follow can be run

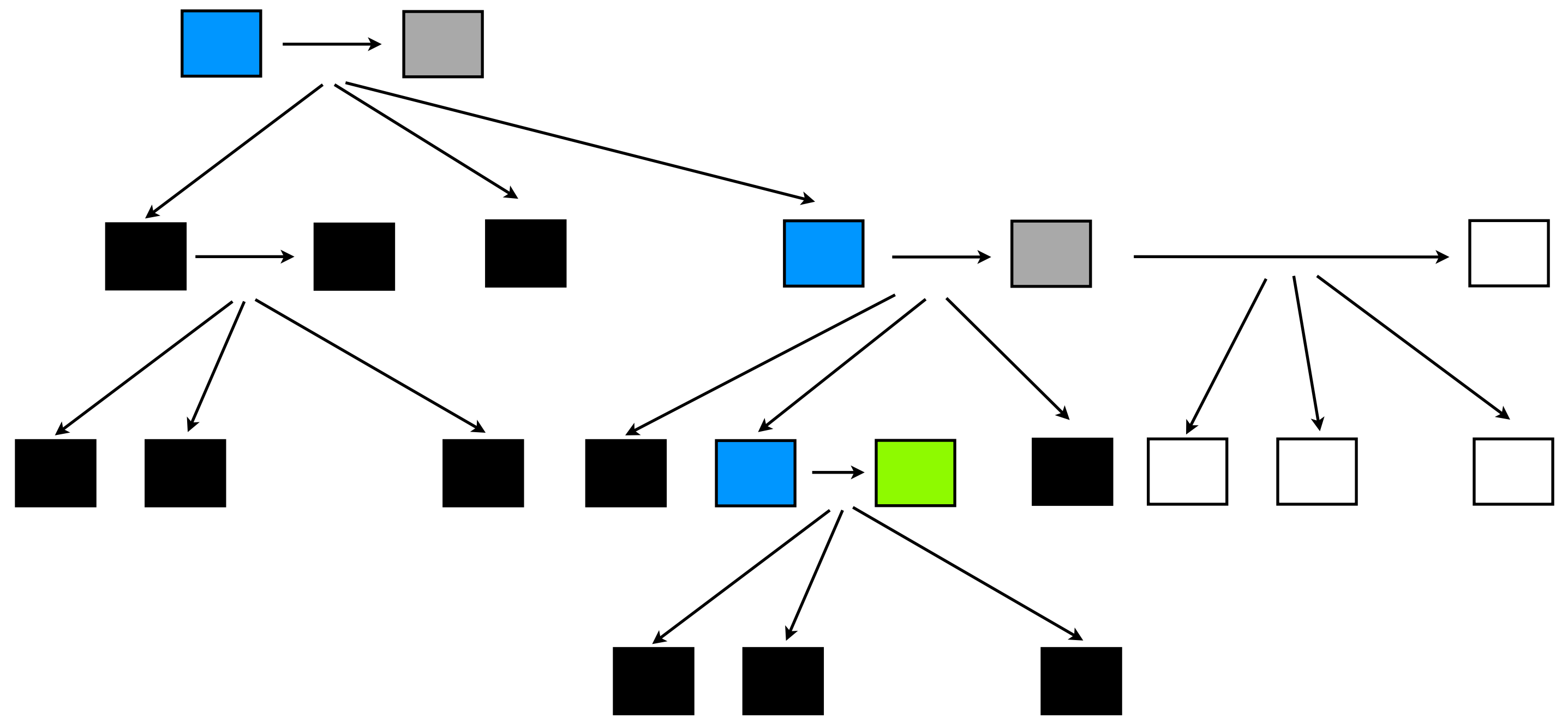






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- etc, etc..

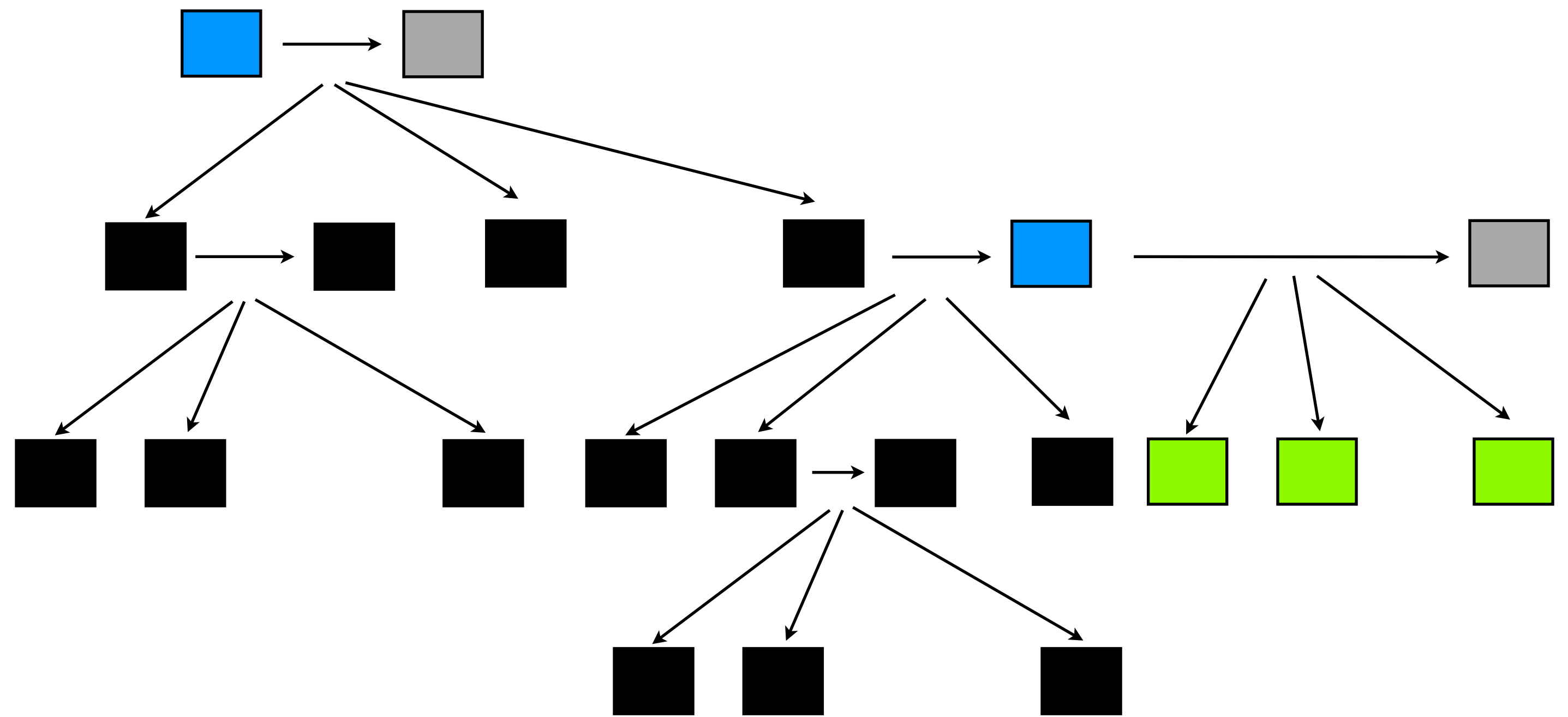






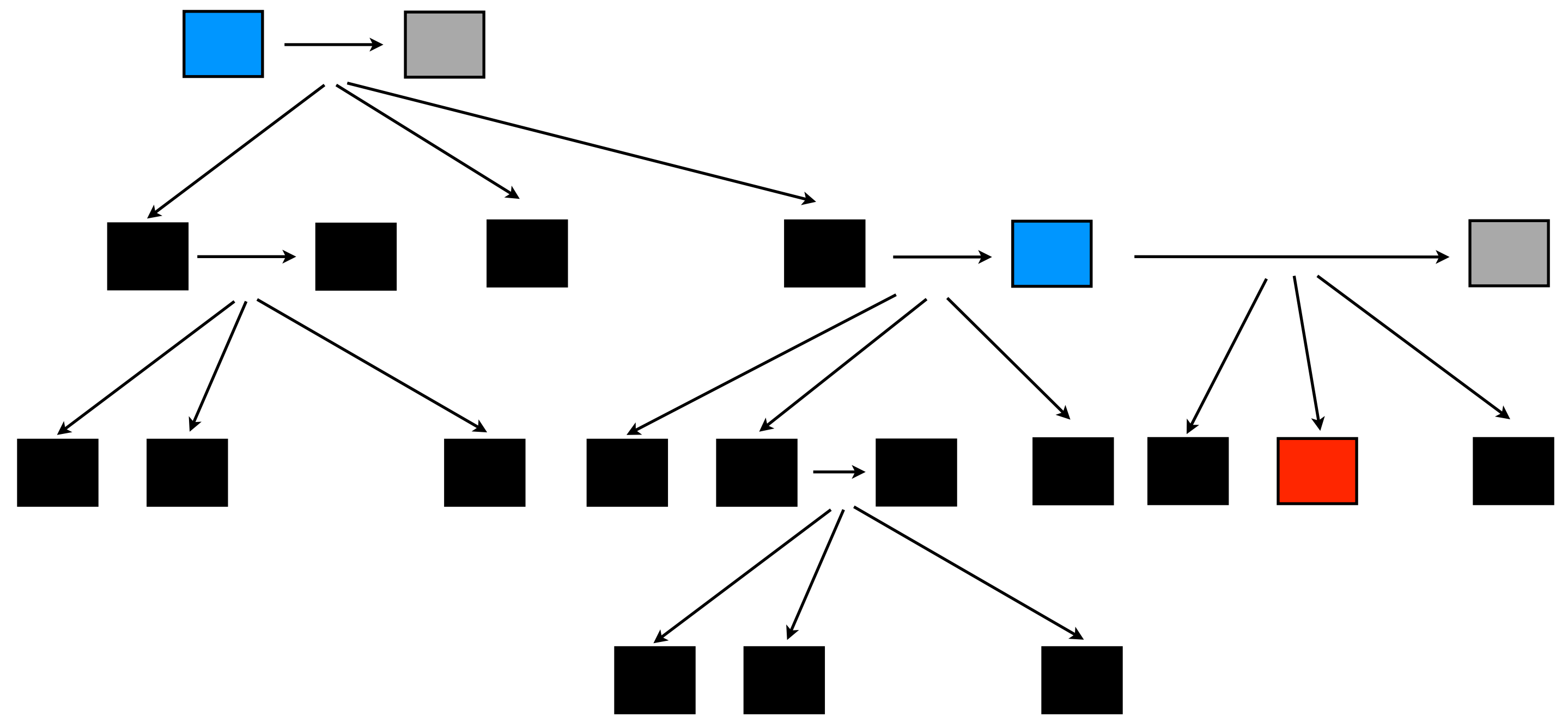
# Job-tree

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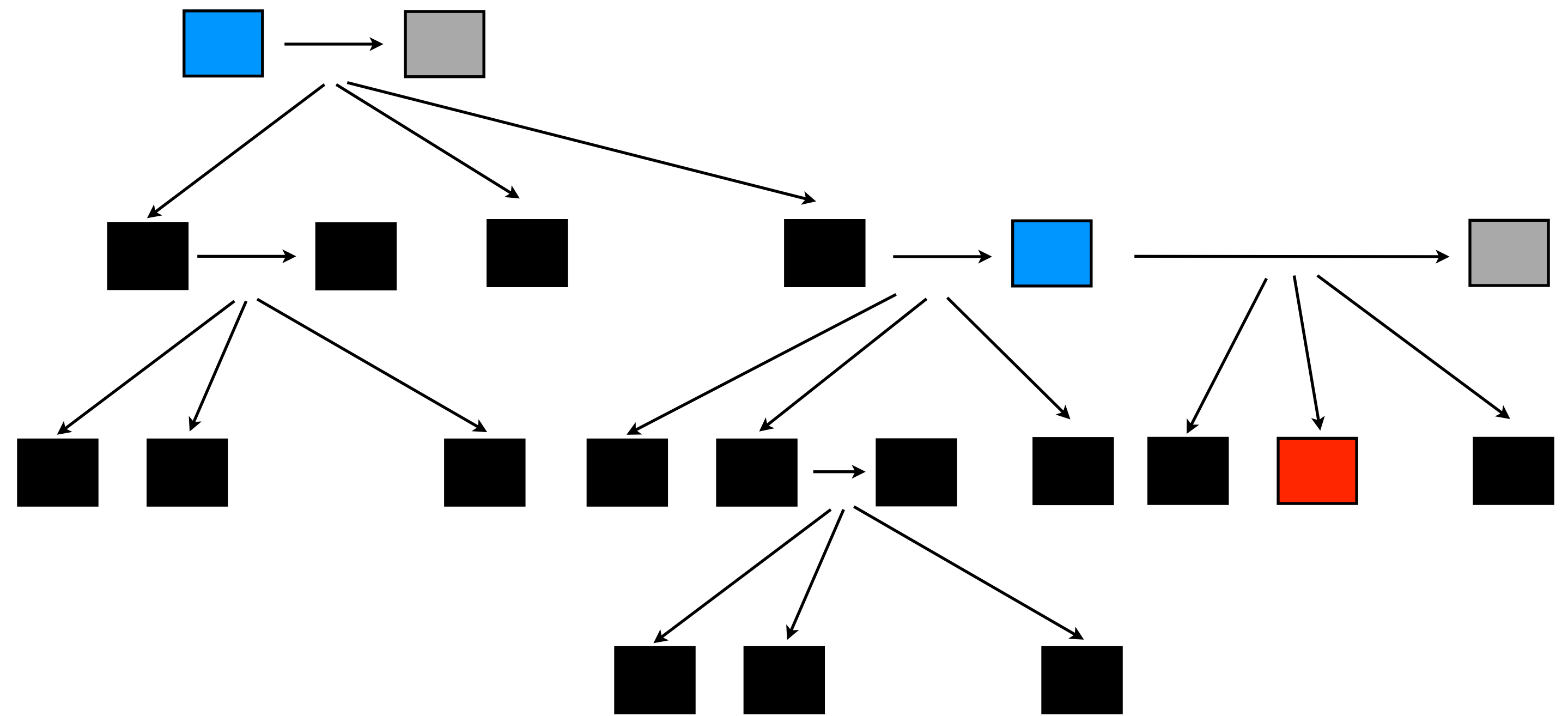
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- Oh no! A job failed (coloured red)
- It will be restarted a preset number of times.



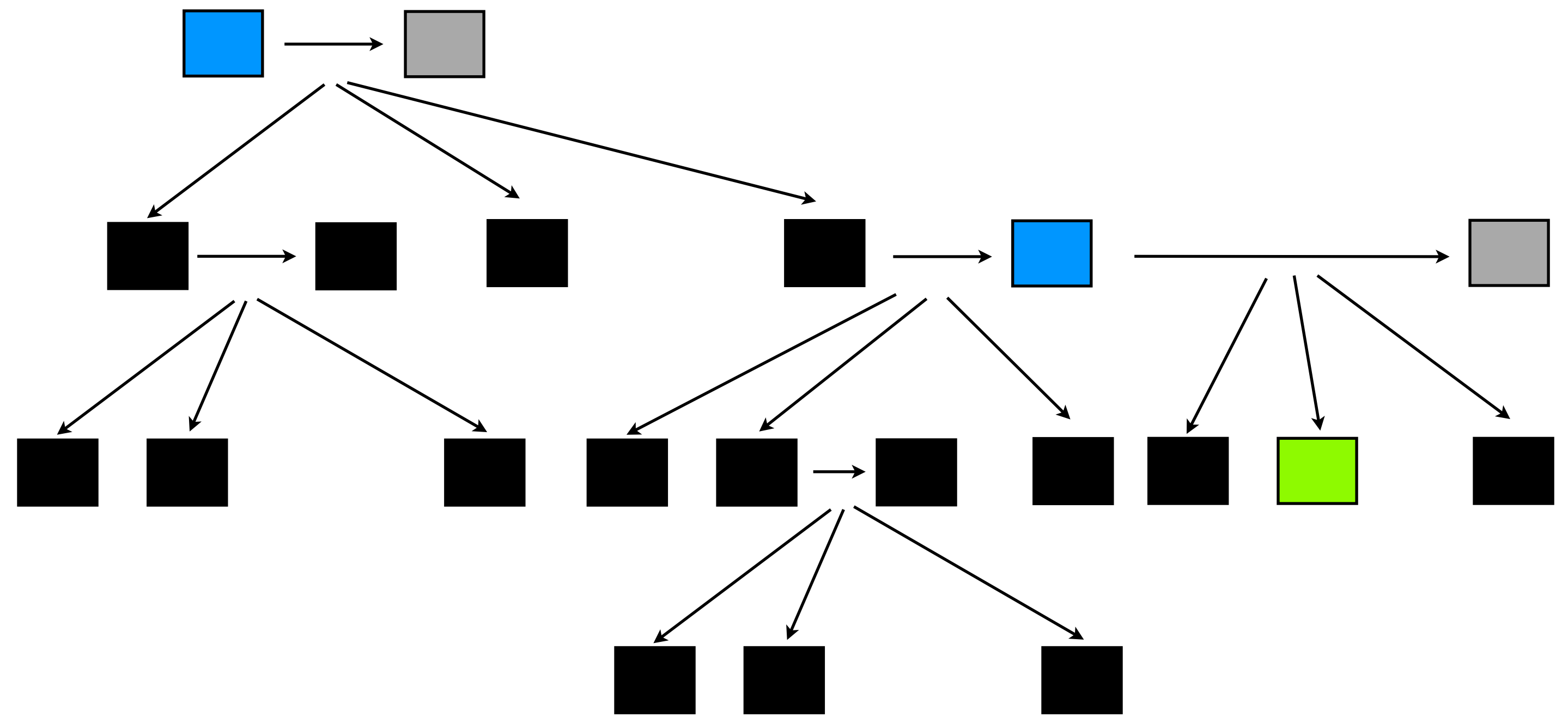
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- If it still fails Job-tree will continue as far as it can, then return, so you can fix the job.
- Job-tree will then re-start from that point.



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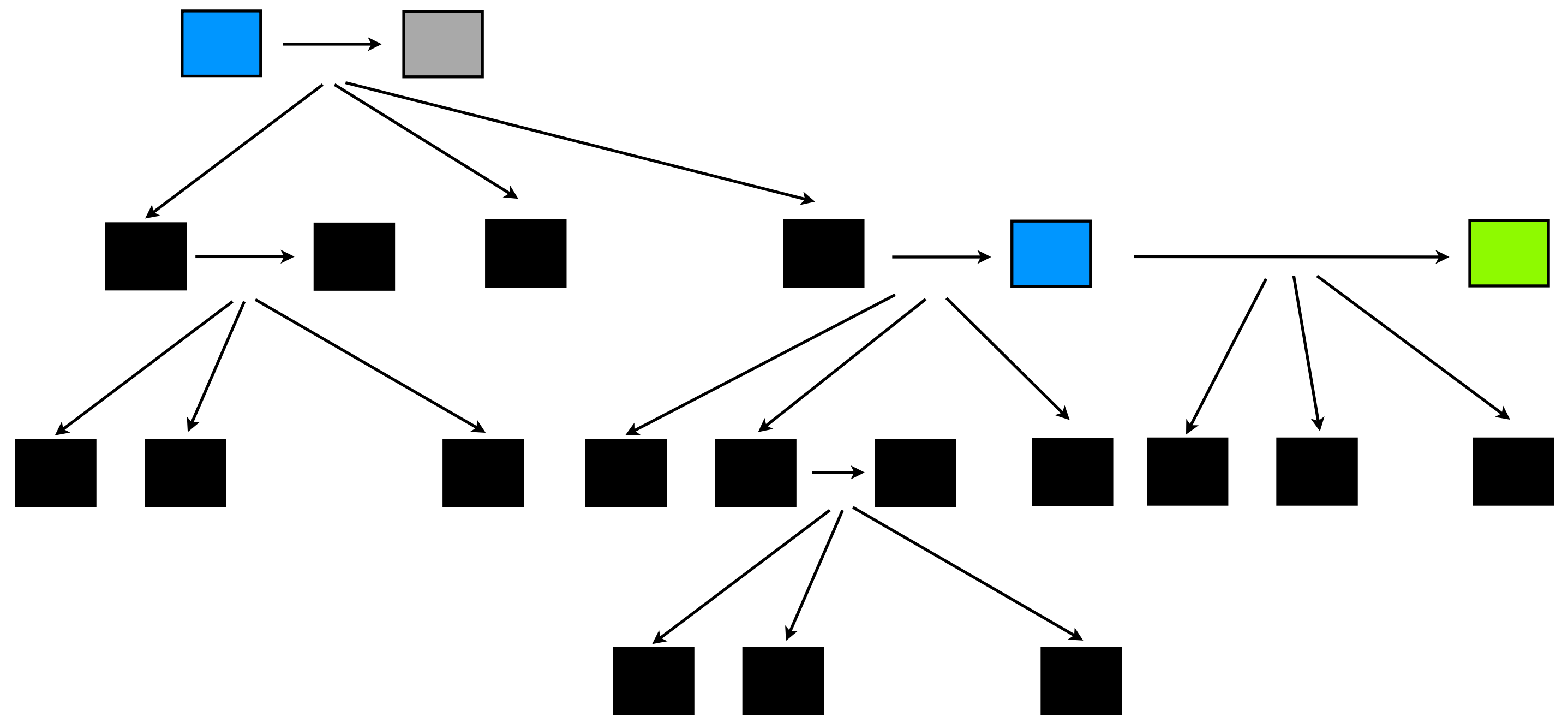
- So now we're running again..





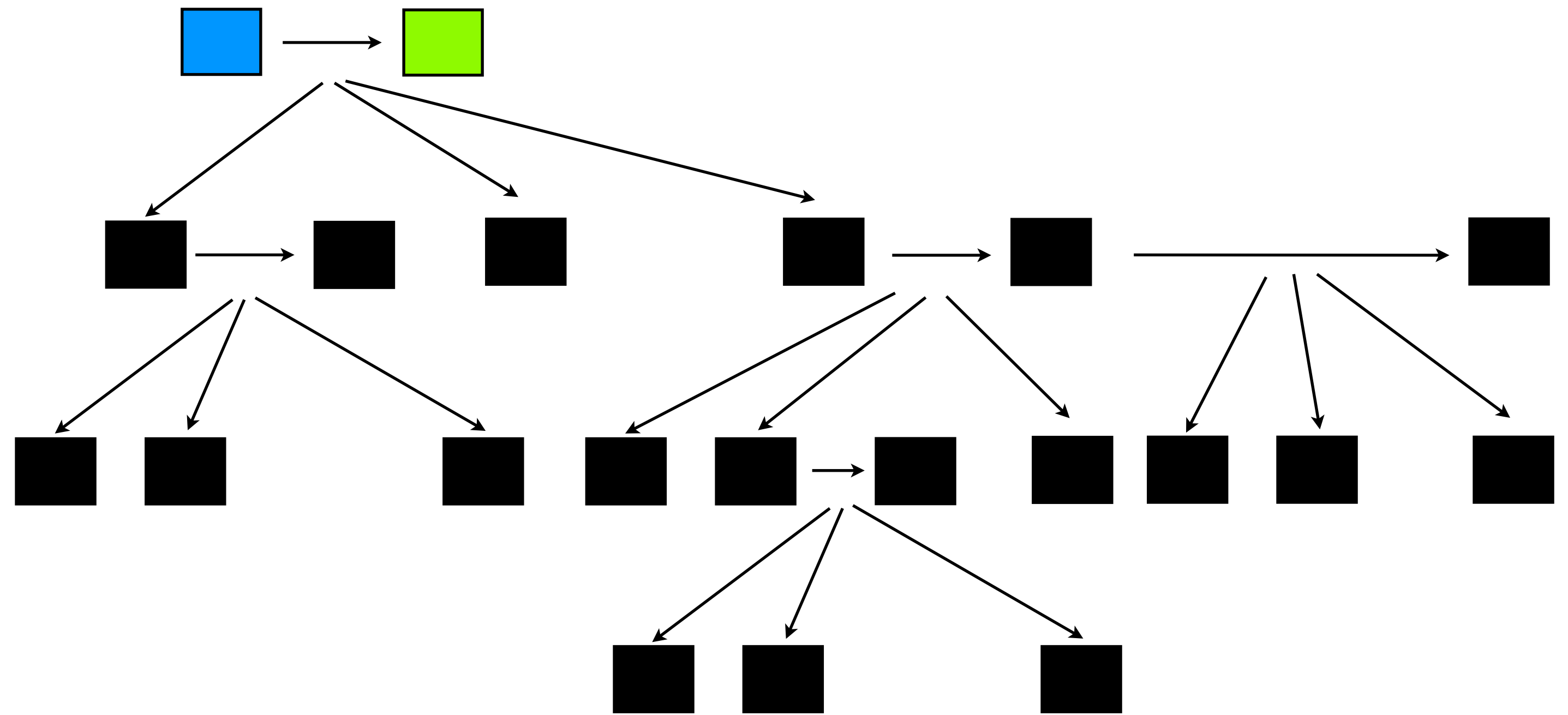
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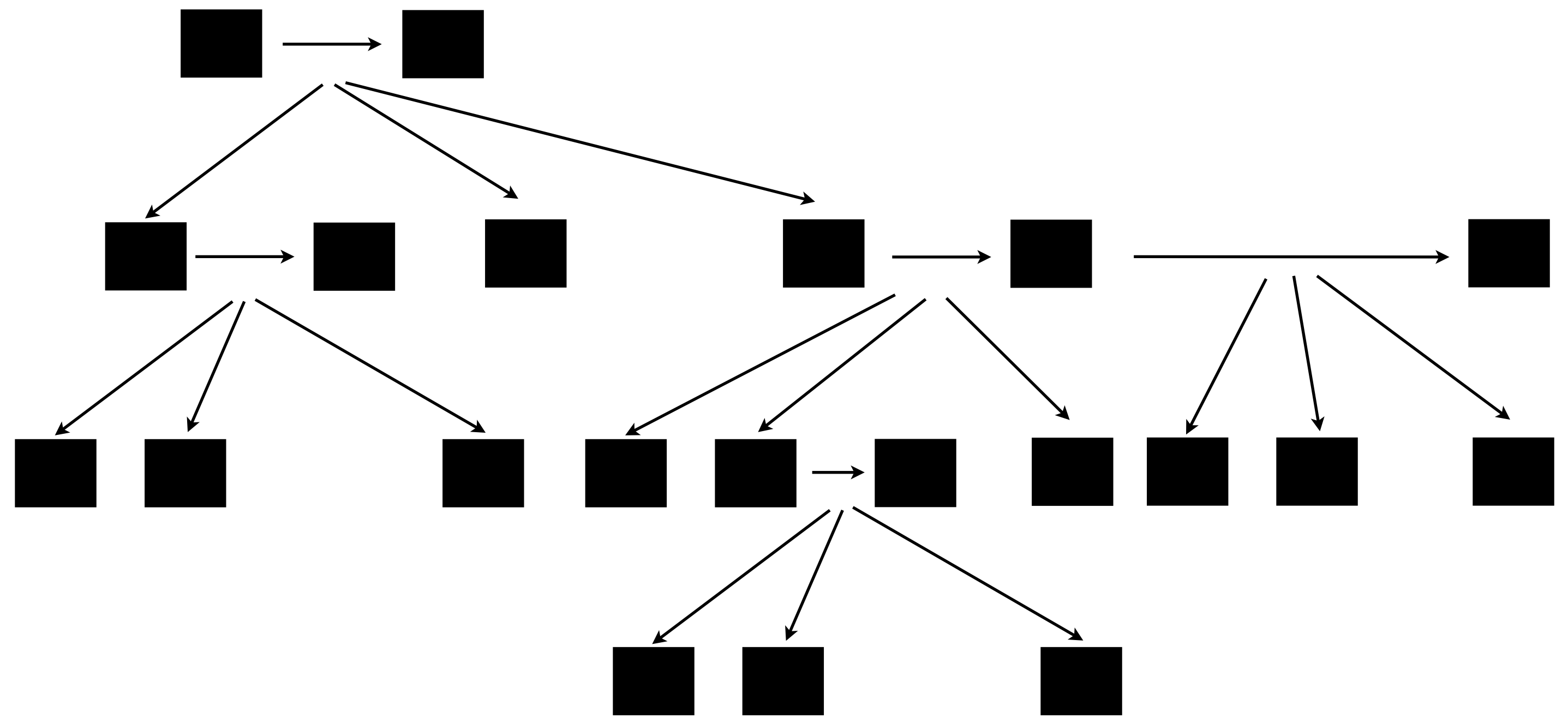
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- etc, etc..



# Job-tree

- And we're done.



# Job-tree/Script-tree

- jobTree communicates by clunky XML files. Each job is passed a an xml file, which it edits and when the job is complete this file is processed.
- scriptTree removes this pain, you just inherit a 'Target' python class, as follows (we'll look at example for doing parallel merge sort).

# Job-tree/Script-tree

```
import os
from workflow.jobTree.scriptTree.target import Target

class Setup(Target):
    """Sets up the sort.
    """
    def __init__(self, inputFile, N):
        Target.__init__(self, time=1, memory=1000000, cpu=1)
        self.inputFile = inputFile
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    def run(self):
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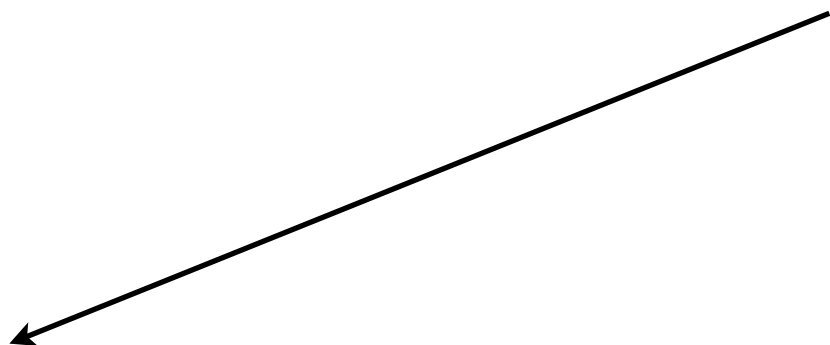
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Estimated runtime lets the  
meta-scheduler be more  
efficient



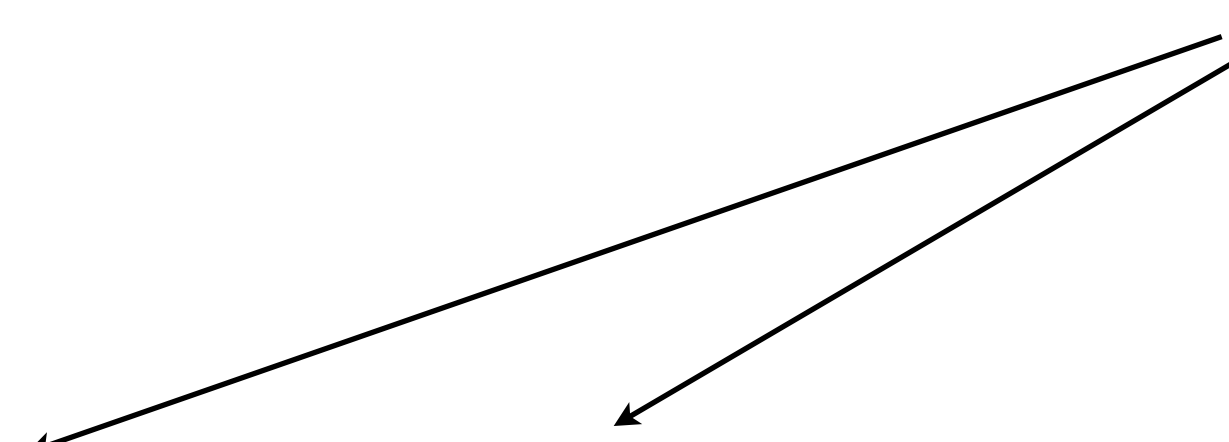
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Memory (bytes) and cpu requirements can be specified



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Run, where you create children, a follow on and do work





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Creating a child



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Creating the follow on



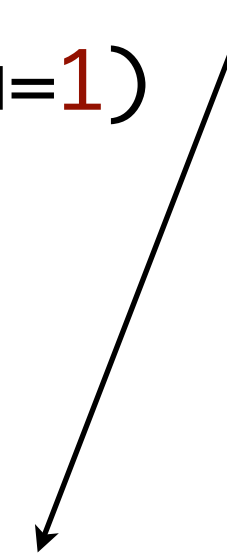
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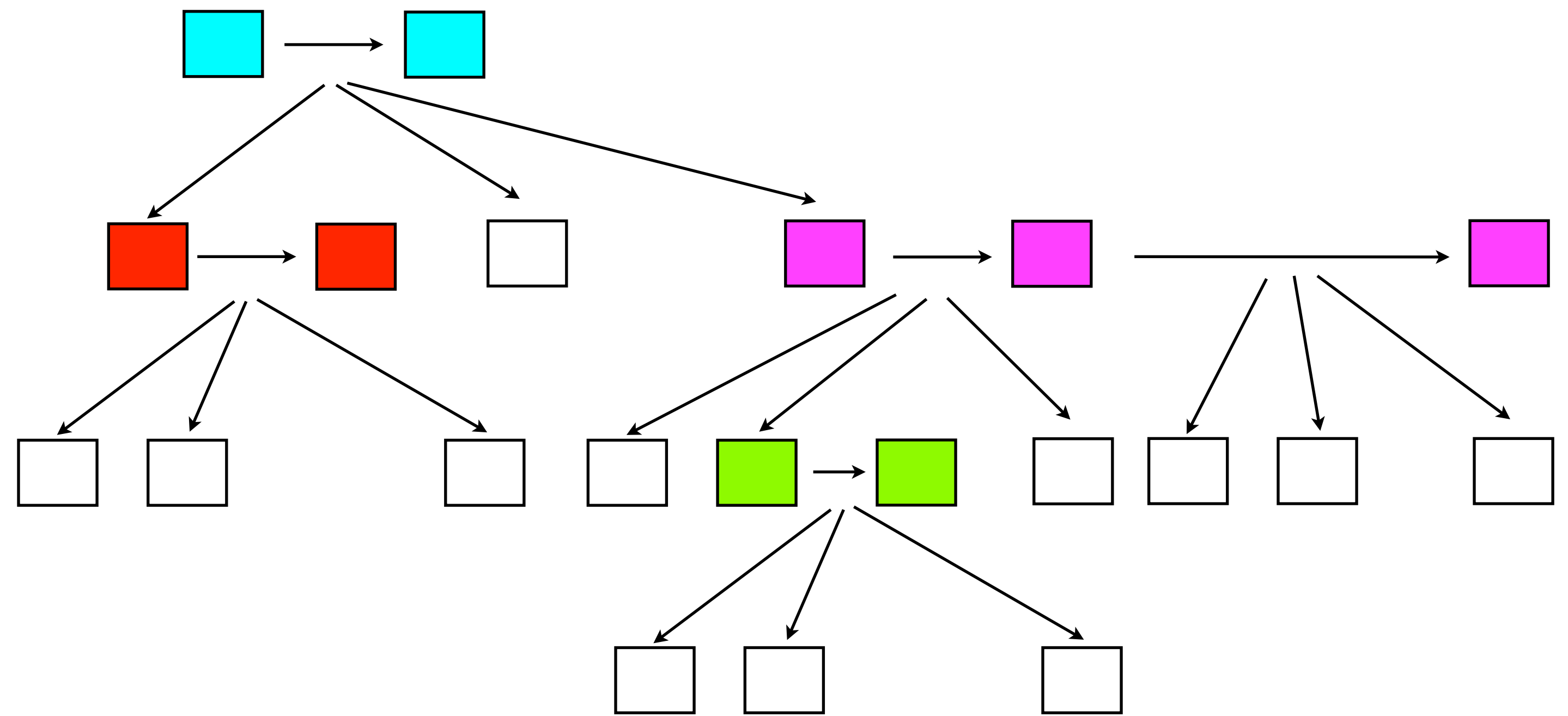
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A global (visible to all machines on the cluster) temporary directory that exists for the life of the job, its setup jobs and its follow ons.



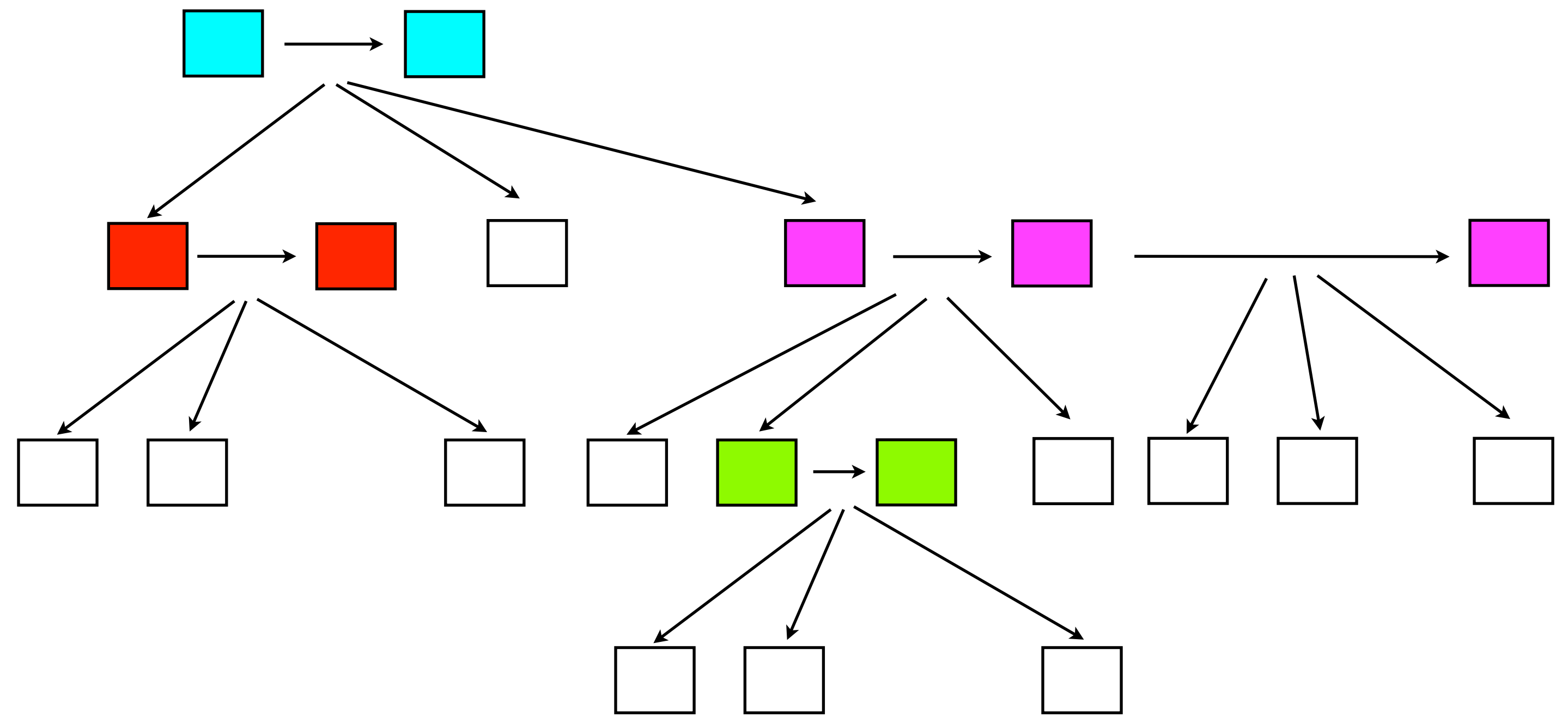
# GlobalTempDir

- A chain consists of a founder, a sequence of successive follow ons and a closer.
- Non-trivial chains are coloured in example



# GlobalTempDir

- A 'globalTempDir' temporary directory is created for each chain.





# Job-tree/Script-tree

```
#!/usr/bin/env python

"""A demonstration of jobTree. Sorts the lines of a file into ascending order by doing a parallel merge
sort.
"""

from optparse import OptionParser
import os
import shutil
from sonLib.bioio import getTempFile
from workflow.jobTree.scriptTree.target import Target
from workflow.jobTree.scriptTree.stack import Stack
from workflow.jobTree.test.sort.lib import merge, sort, copySubRangeOfFile, getMidPoint

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class Cleanup(Target):
    """Copies back the temporary file to input once we've successfully sorted the temporary file.
    """
    def __init__(self, tempOutputFile, outputFile):
        Target.__init__(self)
        self.tempOutputFile = tempOutputFile
        self.outputFile = outputFile

    def run(self):
        shutil.copyfile(self.tempOutputFile, self.outputFile)
```

```
class Down(Target):
    """Input is a file and a range into that file to sort and an output location in which
to write the sorted file.
If the range is larger than a threshold N the range is divided recursively and
a follow on job is then created which merges back the results else
the file is sorted and placed in the output.
    """
    def __init__(self, inputFile, fileStart, fileEnd, N, outputFile):
        assert fileStart >= 0
        assert fileStart <= fileEnd
        Target.__init__(self, time=0.05)
        self.inputFile = inputFile
        self.fileStart = fileStart
        self.fileEnd = fileEnd
        self.N = N
        self.outputFile = outputFile

    def run(self):
        length = self.fileEnd - self.fileStart
        assert length >= 0
        if length > self.N:
            midPoint = getMidPoint(self.inputFile, self.fileStart, self.fileEnd)
            assert midPoint >= self.fileStart
            assert midPoint+1 < self.fileEnd
            #We will subdivide the file
            tempFile1 = getTempFile(rootDir=self.getGlobalTempDir())
            tempFile2 = getTempFile(rootDir=self.getGlobalTempDir())
            self.addChildTarget(Down(self.inputFile, self.fileStart, midPoint+1, self.N, tempFile1))
            self.addChildTarget(Down(self.inputFile, midPoint+1, self.fileEnd, self.N, tempFile2)) #Add
one to avoid the newline
            self.setFollowOnTarget(Up(tempFile1, tempFile2, self.outputFile))
        else:
            #We can sort this bit of the file
            copySubRangeOfFile(self.inputFile, self.fileStart, self.fileEnd, self.outputFile)
            sort(self.outputFile)

class Up(Target):
    """Merges the two files and places them in the output.
    """
    def __init__(self, inputFile1, inputFile2, outputFile):
        Target.__init__(self, time=0.05)
        self.inputFile1 = inputFile1
        self.inputFile2 = inputFile2
        self.outputFile = outputFile

    def run(self):
        merge(self.inputFile1, self.inputFile2, self.outputFile)
```

# Running Job-tree/Script-tree

```
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    parser = OptionParser()
    Stack.addJobTreeOptions(parser)

    parser.add_option("--fileToSort", dest="fileToSort",
                    help="The file you wish to sort")

    options, args = parser.parse_args()

    if options.fileToSort == None:
        raise RuntimeError("No file to sort given")

    #Now we are ready to run
    i = Stack(Setup(options.fileToSort, int(options.N))).startJobTree(options)

    if i:
        raise RuntimeError("The jobtree contained %i failed jobs" % i)

if __name__ == '__main__':
    from workflow.jobTree.test.sort.Script-treeTest_Sort import *
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Create a parser for the script and  
add the Job-tree options to it.



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Parse the options and args



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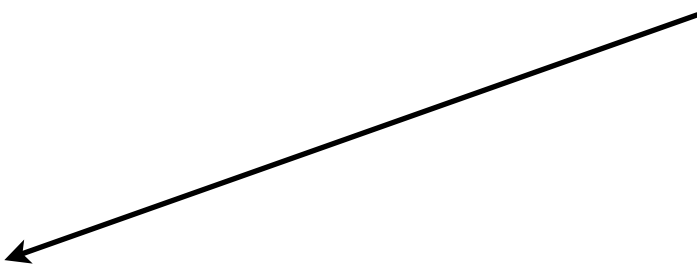
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Run Job-tree (alternatively  
you can pass in the options to jobtre  
manually and use your own options/args  
parser)



```
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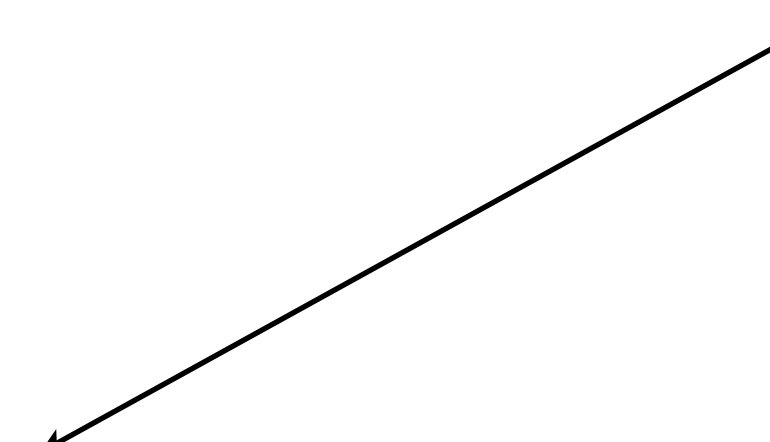
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The command line



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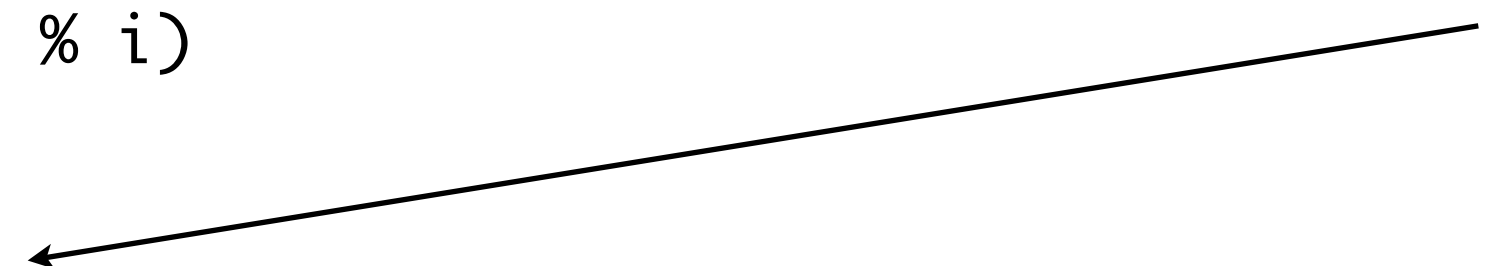
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Oh, and a little voodoo  
required by  
the pickler



```
benedict$ Script-treeTest_Sort.py --jobTree foo/Job-tree --logDebug --fileToSort bar.txt
```

# Restarting a job-tree

- A job-tree is run initially by executing the script.
- If it fails call:
  - `jobTree --jobTree FOO`
  - Where foo is the location of the jobTree
- The job-tree will restart from where it failed.

# Cleaning up

- Once a job-tree finishes up you can check it completed okay by running:
- `jobTreeStatus --jobTree FOO`
- Where FOO is the jobTree
- Adding the `--verbose` flag will print out any error log files associated with failed jobs
- To finish up, simply delete the job-tree.

# Job-tree/Script-tree Misc.

- Your environment variables are inherited from the executing shell, so you can use relative path names and program names without stressing.
- Can run on a parasol cluster, a grid engine cluster, or in single machine mode (using multiple threads), so you can test on a workstation before you push your pipeline to the cluster.
- Is (theoretically) easily extended to work on another batch system - just inherit the abstract batch system class.



# Job-tree Summary

- Allows you to dynamically create arbitrarily parallelised batches of jobs.
- Provides other nice features.
- Is stable and used by me, Dent, Krish, Charlie, Daniel, Ngan and run by others, including Wendy, Ted, Bernard, etc.
- Unfortunately, the code is pretty dense and prototype-y, and there are some clunky edges.

# Utilities

- These next slides detail the utilities for job-tree

# jobTreeStats

- Run as `jobTreeStats --jobTree foo`
- Reports status of tree, importantly telling you how many jobs are failed etc.
- Verbose flag will report log files of failed jobs
- Output could be improved!

# jobTreeKill

- To kill a jobtree, first kill the master process, then run:
- `jobTreeKill --jobTree foo`
- Kills all queued and running jobs associated with the job-tree on the batch system (only works with parasol currently, not grid engine).
- Does not remove the batch (can be restarted again)

# jobTreeStats: Balancing job-trees

- Your jobs on the cluster should run for some ‘ideal’ time in order to efficient.
- Job-tree will attempt to agglomerate your short running jobs to avoid paying scheduling costs (which may be a few seconds of latency per job!)
- Running job-tree with `--stats` option allows you to run jobTreeStats

```
benedict$ Script-treeTest_Sort.py --jobTree foo/Job-tree --logDebug --fileToSort bar.txt --stats  
benedict$ jobTreeStats --jobTree foo/Job-tree
```

# jobTreeStats: Balancing job-trees

```
<collated_stats batch_system="single_machine" default_cpu="1" default_memory="2147483648" job_time="0.5" max_jobs="922337203
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Example from  
script-  
treeTest\_Sort.py

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Total runtime and  
stats about job  
tree.

# jobTreeStats: Balancing job-trees

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Times on targets,  
which are  
agglomerated into  
jobs



# jobTreeStats: Balancing job-trees

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Times on individual targets, showing how close your estimated jobs came to the actual run-times

# jobTreeStats: Balancing job-trees

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This example ran 8193 targets, in a single thread in 8.5 seconds!

# jobTreeStats: Balancing job-trees

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Times that the slaves ran 'jobs', in this case we've asked for a job-runtime of 0.5 seconds, the actual average was 0.55 seconds

# Grid-engine cluster

- PK cluster + memk + (shortly) kolossus
- Heterogenous cluster, with machines:
  - from 2 to 64 cpus.
  - from 4 to 1024 gigs of memory
  - ~400 nodes
- Within the cancer firewall, still working out the kinks.

# Charlie

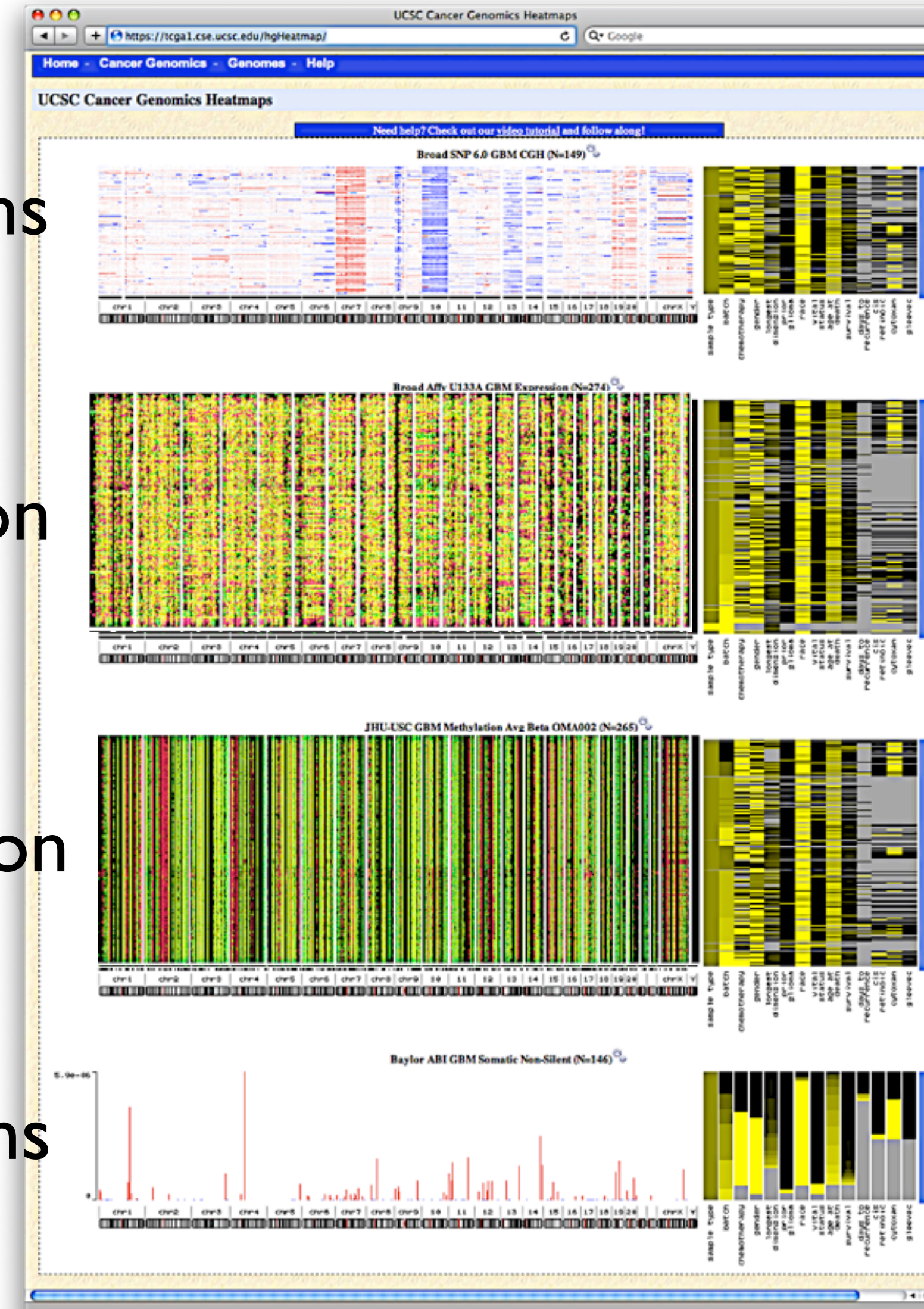
# Cancer Functional Genomics

Copy Number Aberrations

Gene Expression

DNA Methylation

Genomic Mutations



Data on the horizon:

Chromatin Structure

Histone Marks

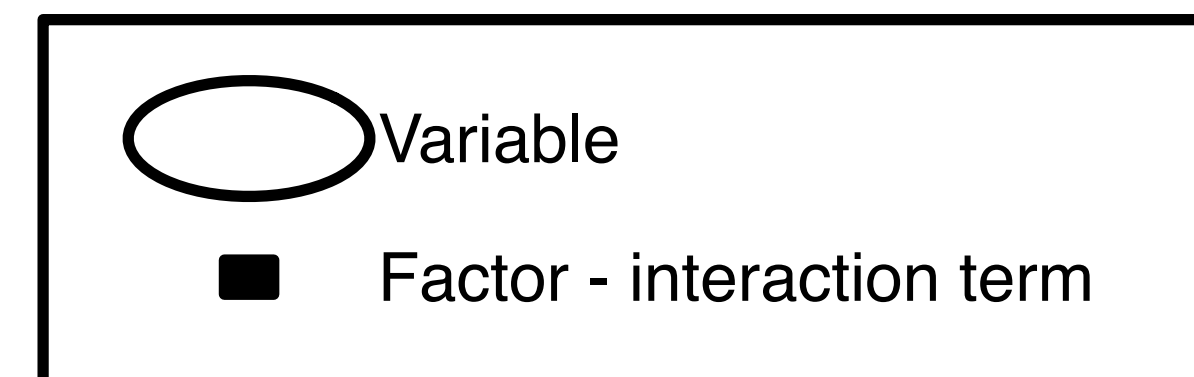
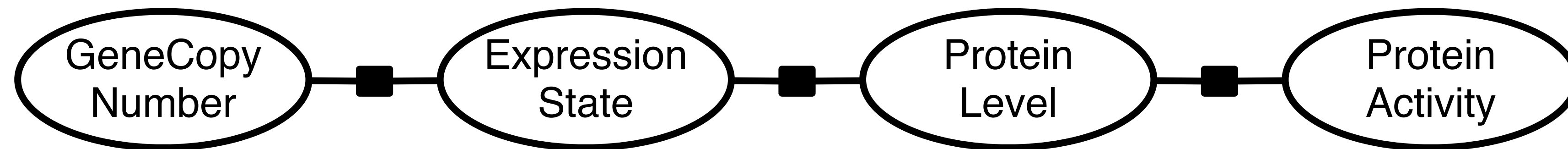
Proteomics

Metabolomics

Zhu J, *Nature Methods*, 2009

<http://genome-cancer.ucsc.edu>

# Gene Model

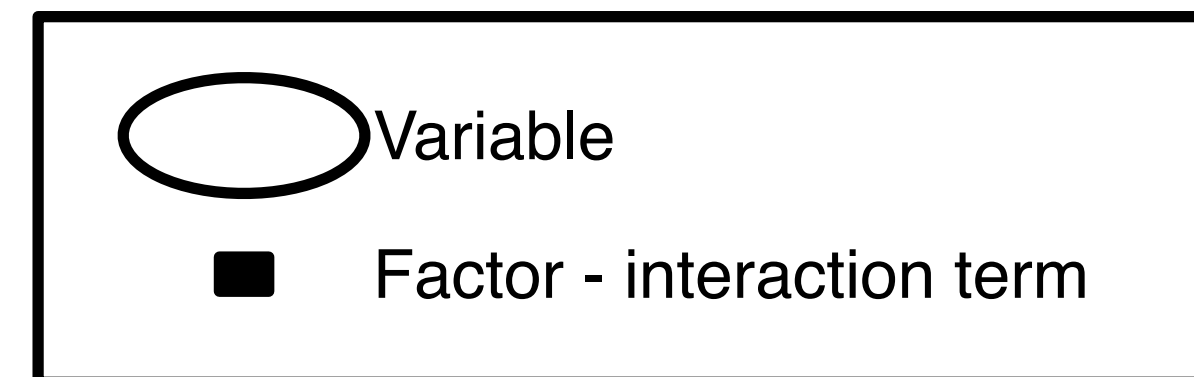
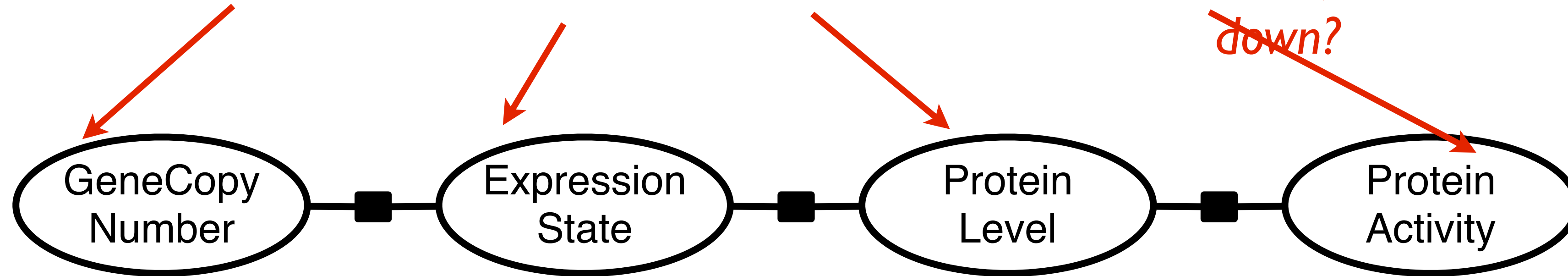


# Gene Model

3-state discrete variables

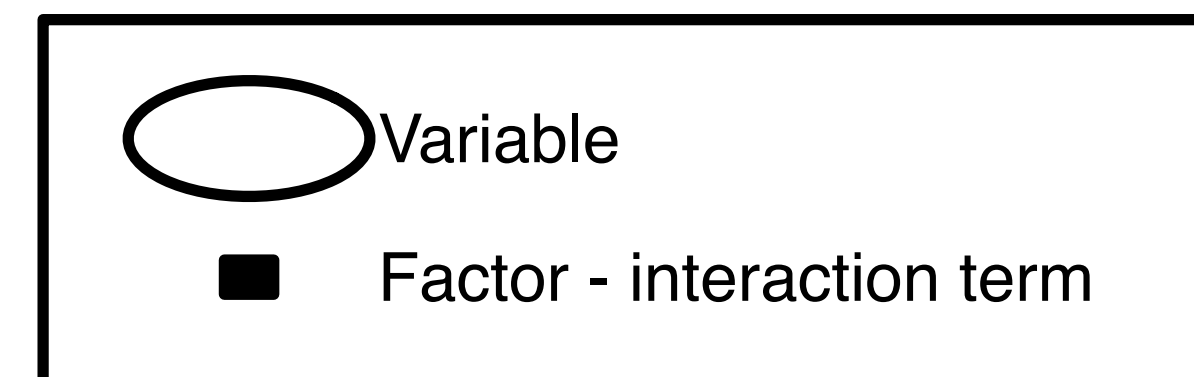
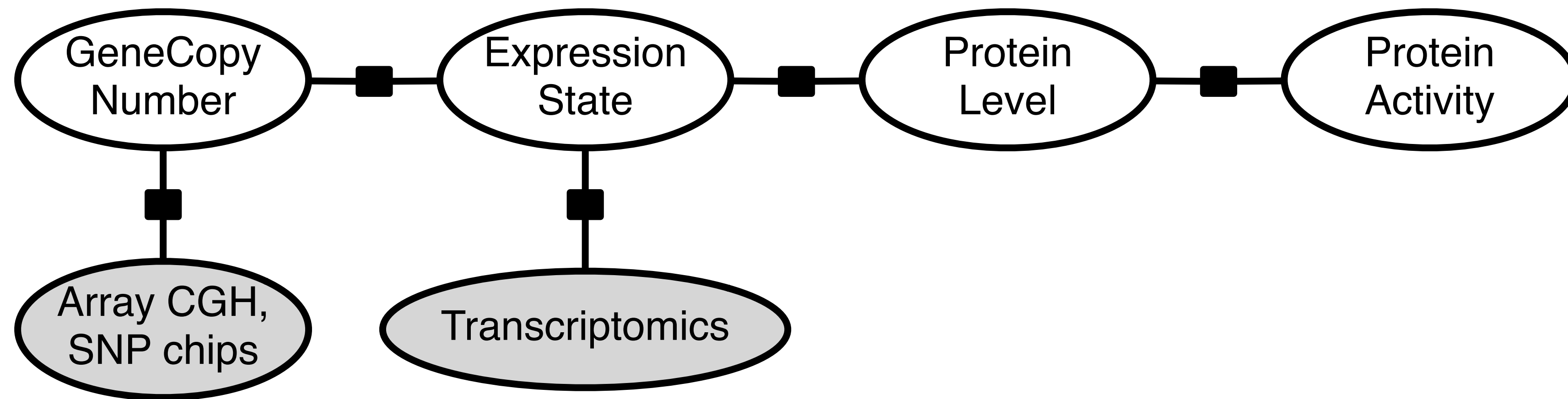
relative to non-cancer,  
is this sample:

*up,*  
*same,*  
~~*down?*~~

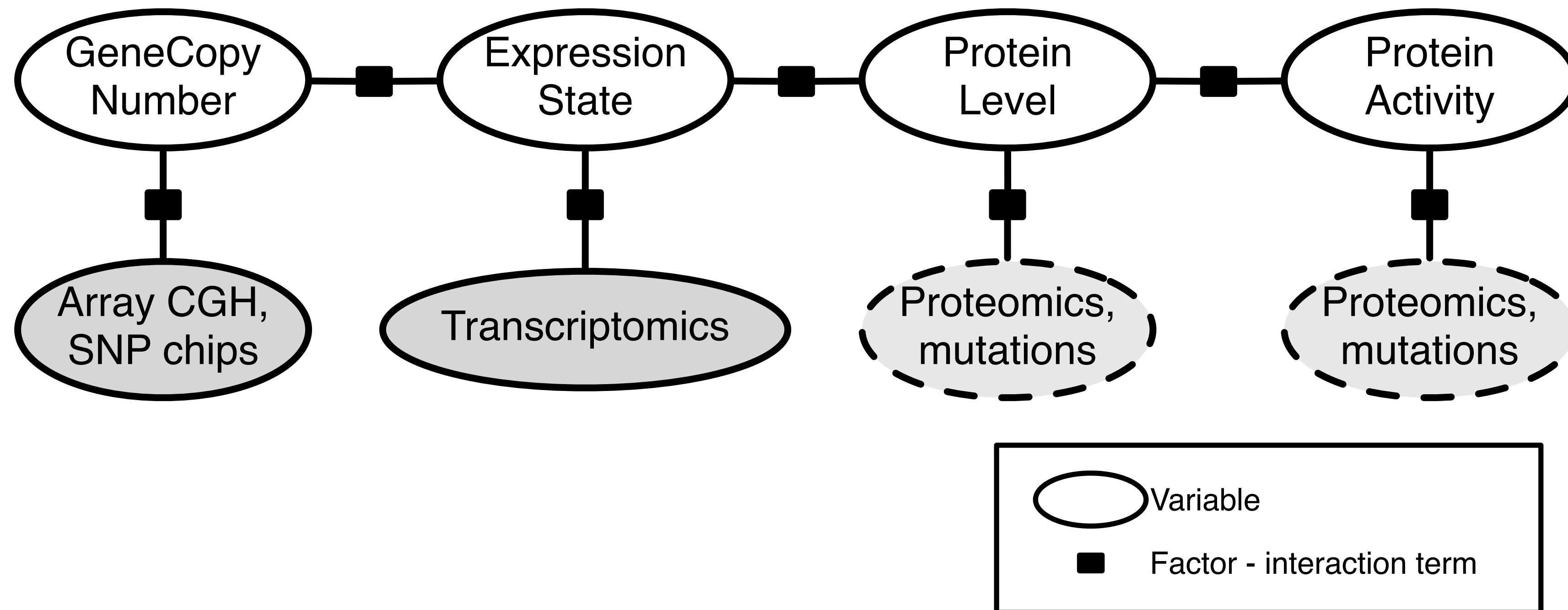




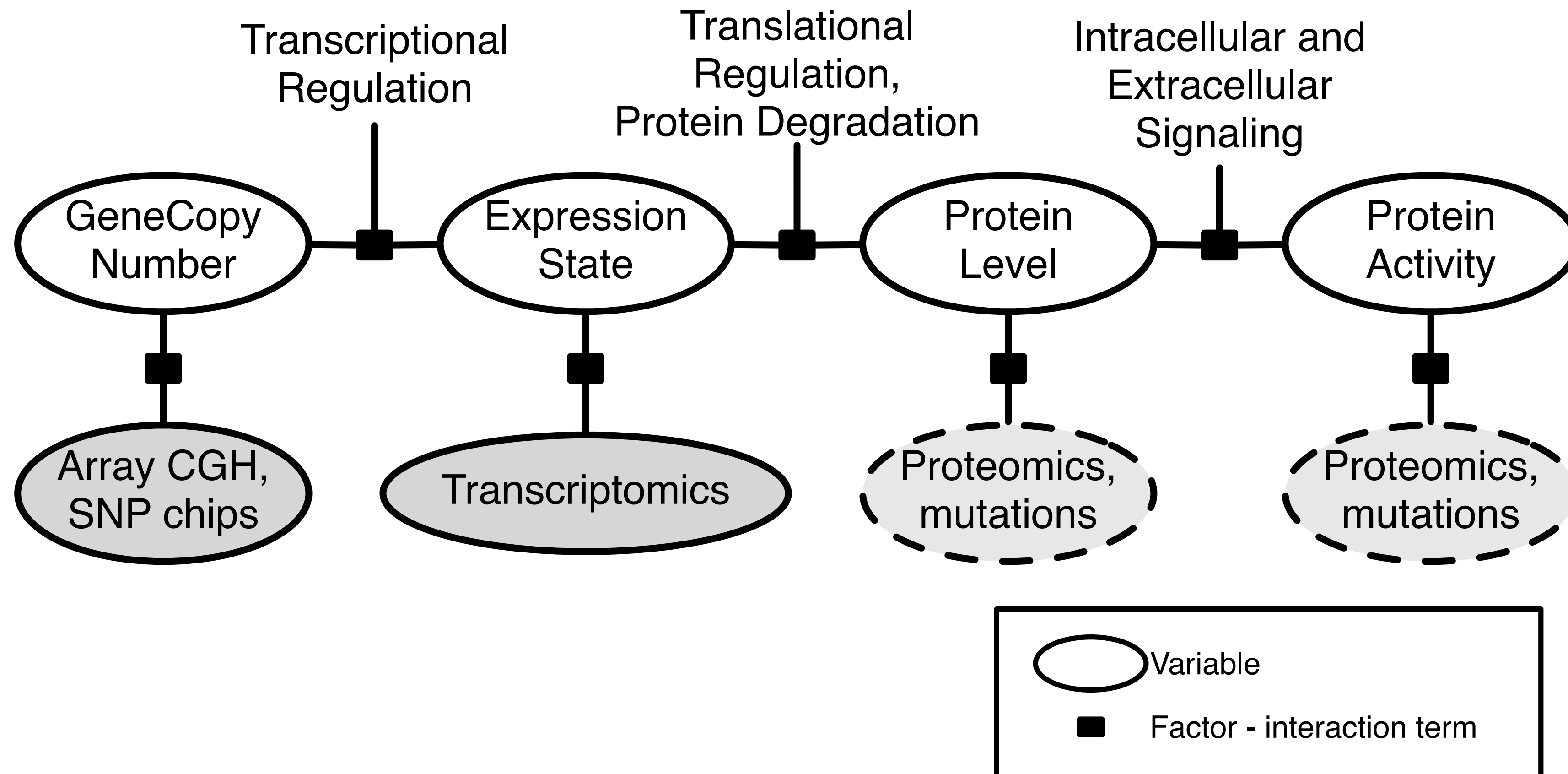
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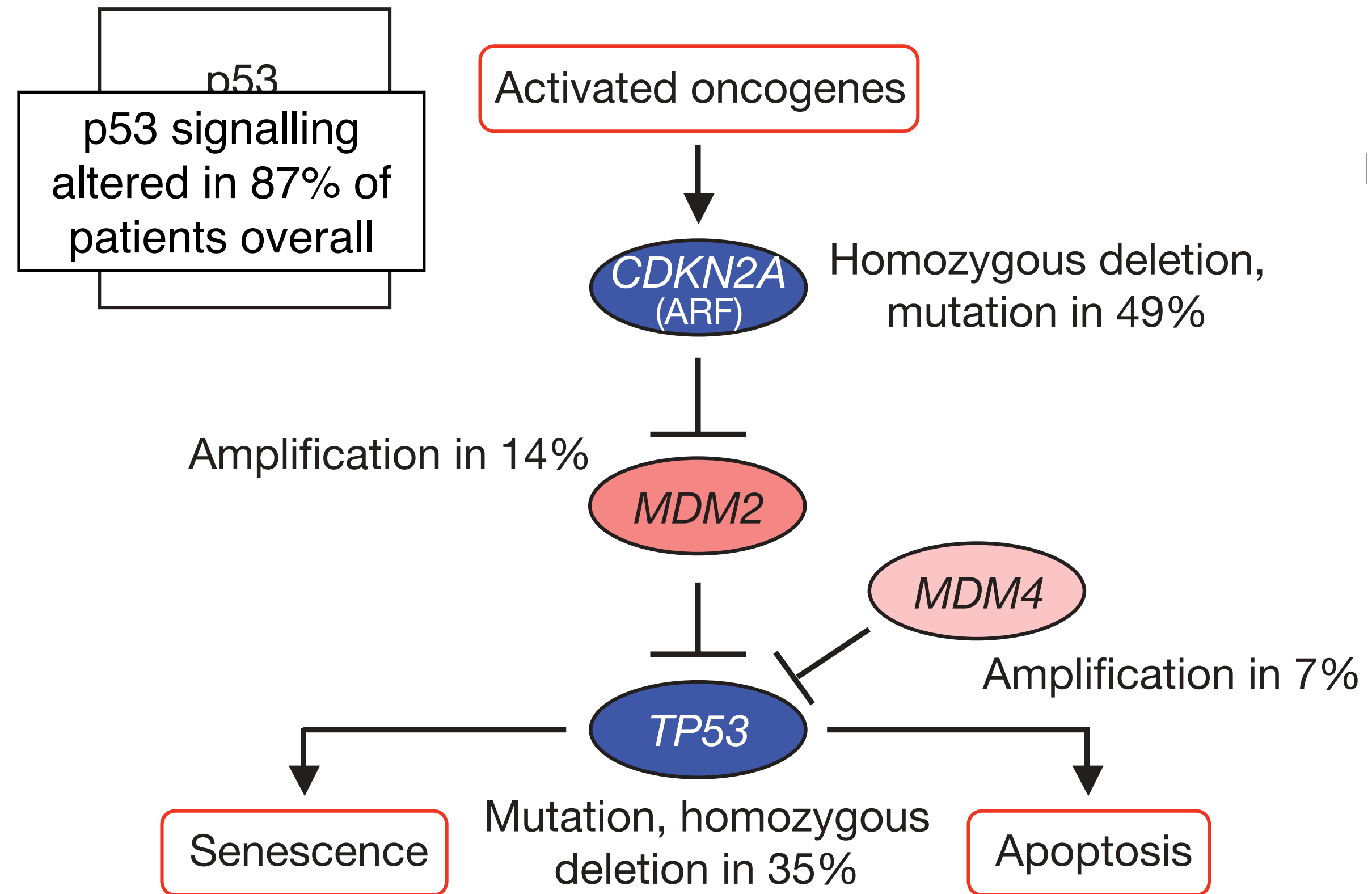


# Gene Model



# Pathway as genetic unit

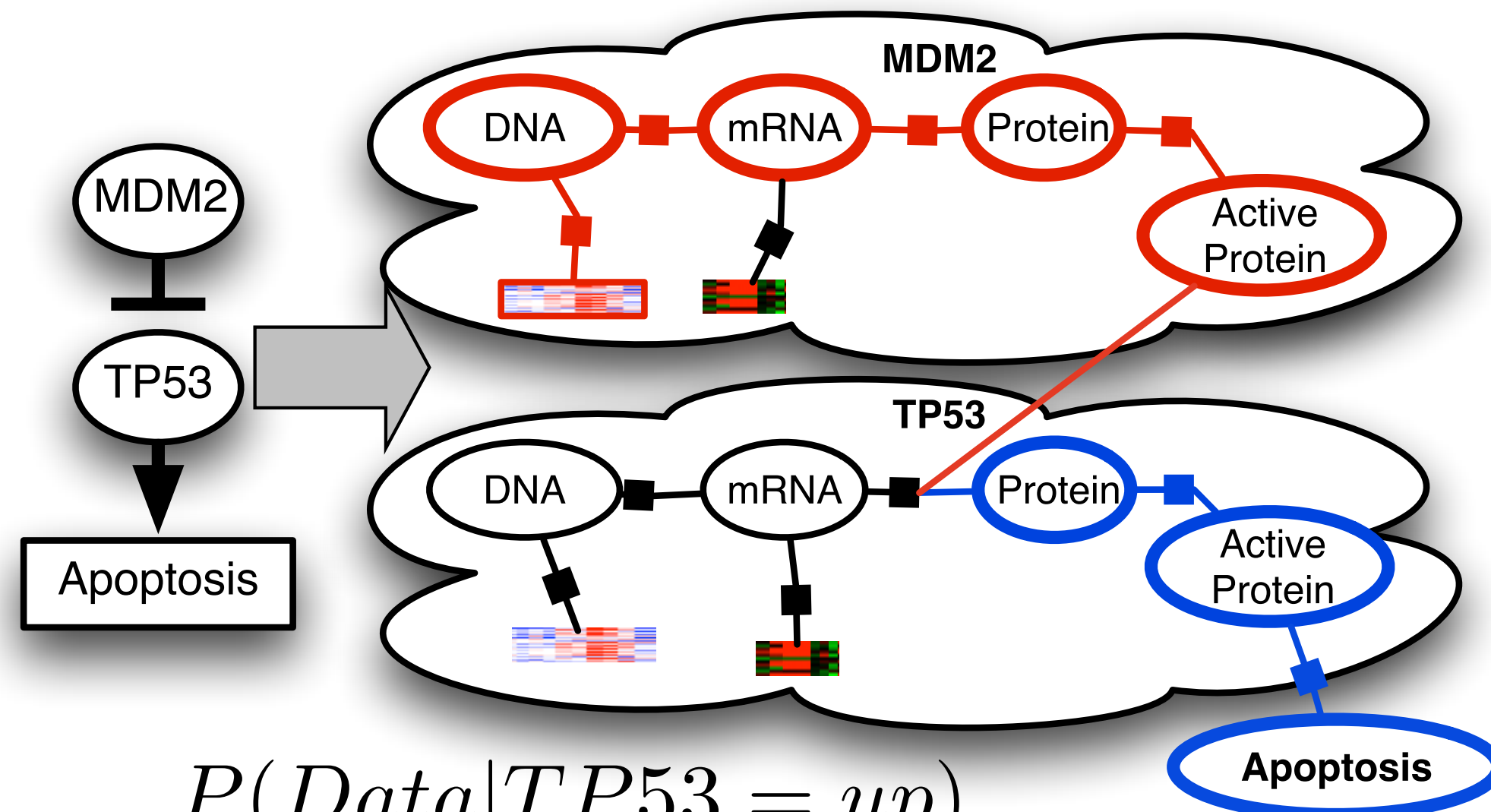
- No single gene is universally recurrent
- Subsets of cellular network (pathways) are much more recurrent
- Interaction sign matters
- Need many data types to find lesions



## Glioblastoma Multiforme

The Cancer Genome Atlas,  
*Nature*, 2008

# Integrated Pathway Activity (IPA)



$$\log_{10} \frac{P(Data|TP53 = up)}{P(Data|TP53 \neq up)} \approx 0.1$$

$$\log_{10} \frac{P(Data|TP53 = same)}{P(Data|TP53 \neq same)} \approx -0.5$$

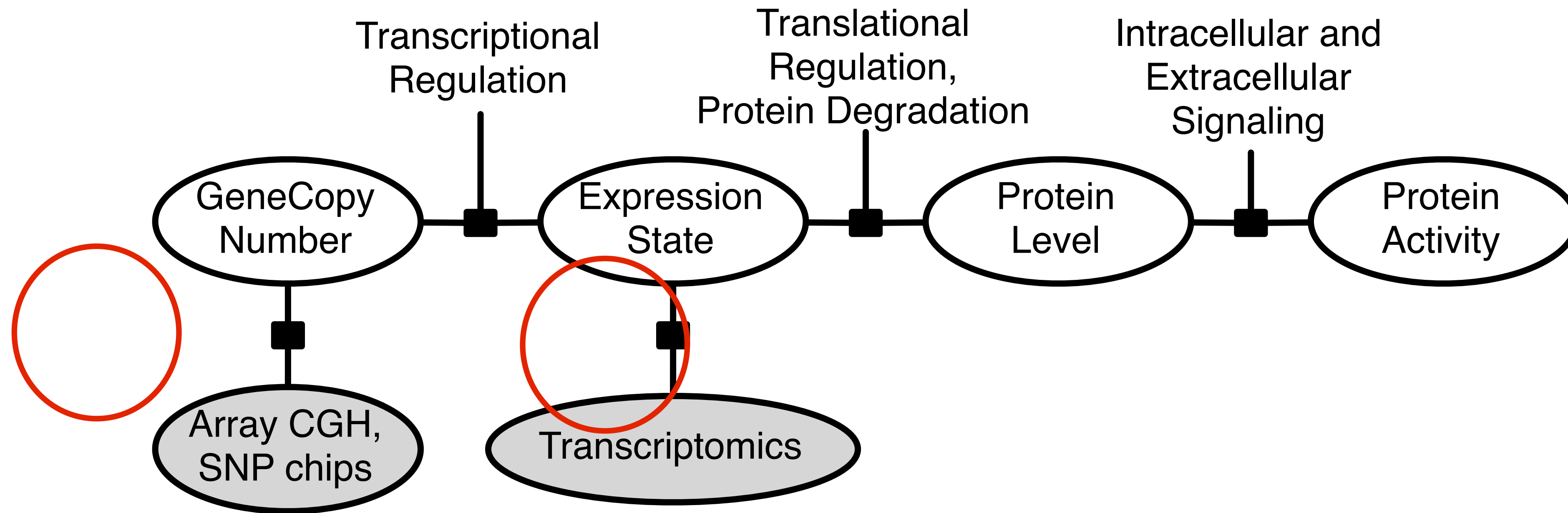
$$\log_{10} \frac{P(Data|TP53 = down)}{P(Data|TP53 \neq down)} \approx 1.5$$

$$IPA(TP53) \approx -1.5$$

$\times -1$   
 $\downarrow$

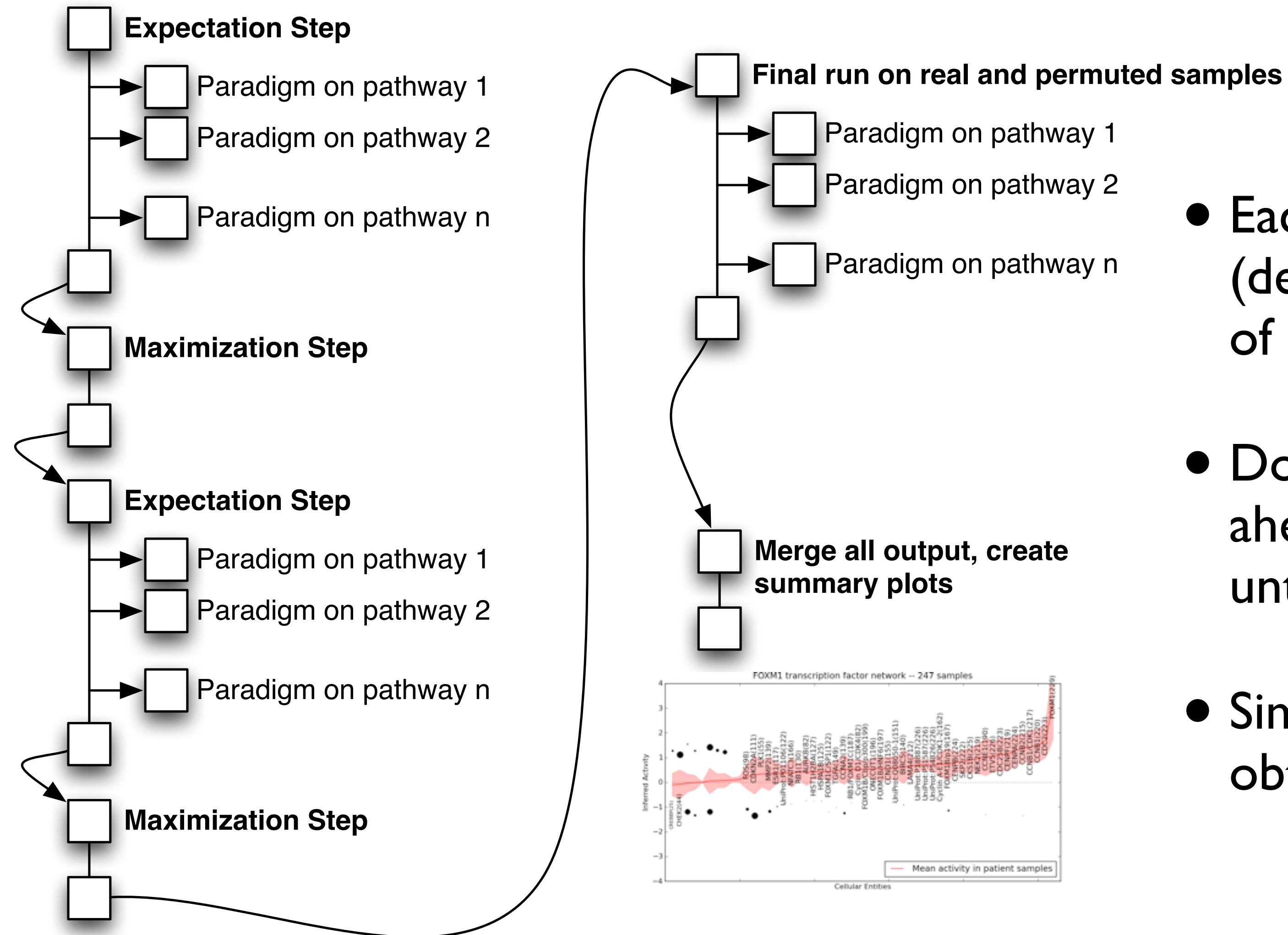
- Abstract notion of a biological entity's activity within a pathway context
- Calculate log-likelihood ratio of *up*, *same*, and *down* states
- IPA is the max of the three states, multiplied by the sign of the state

# Observation Parameters

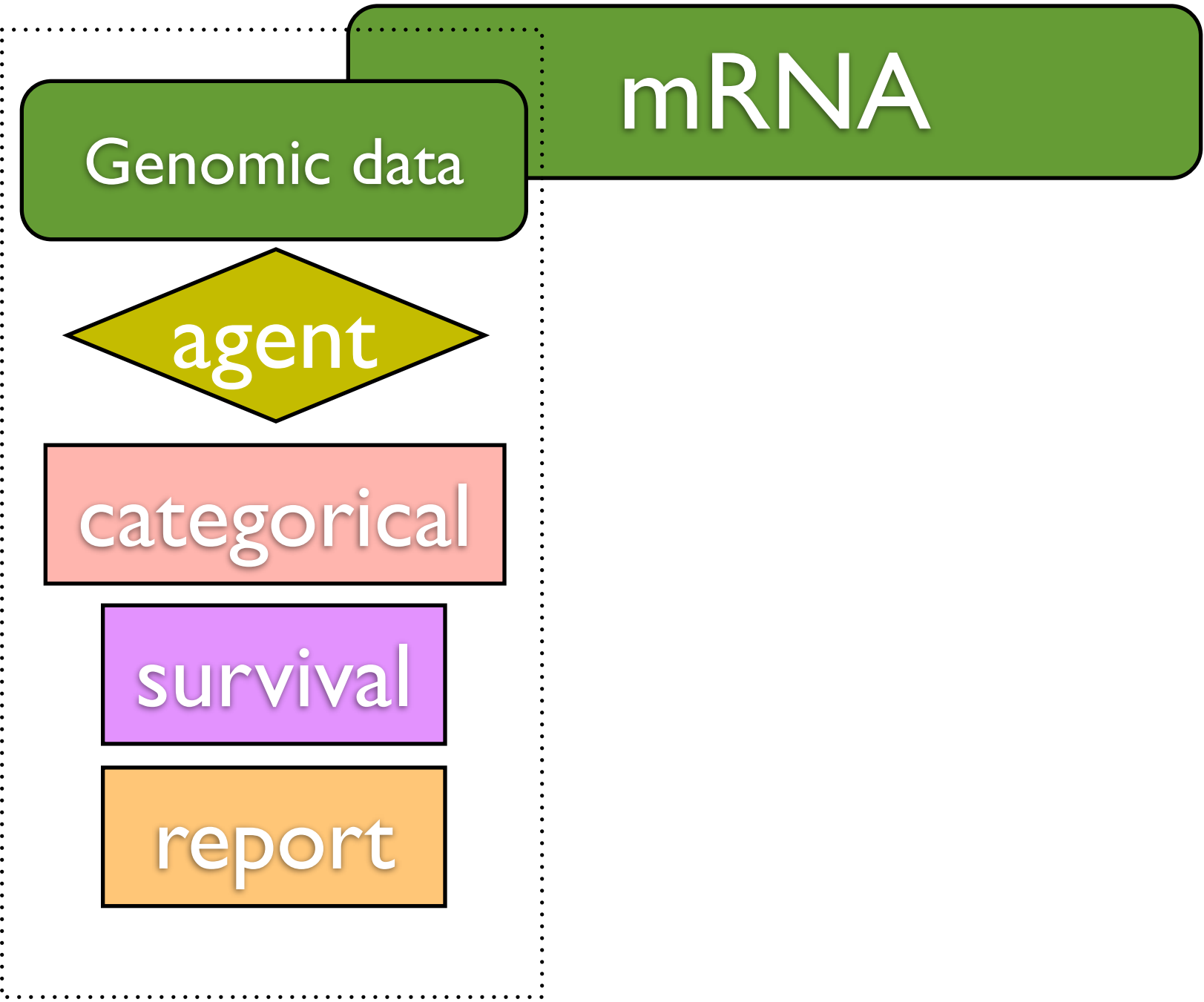


Learn via Expectation-Maximization

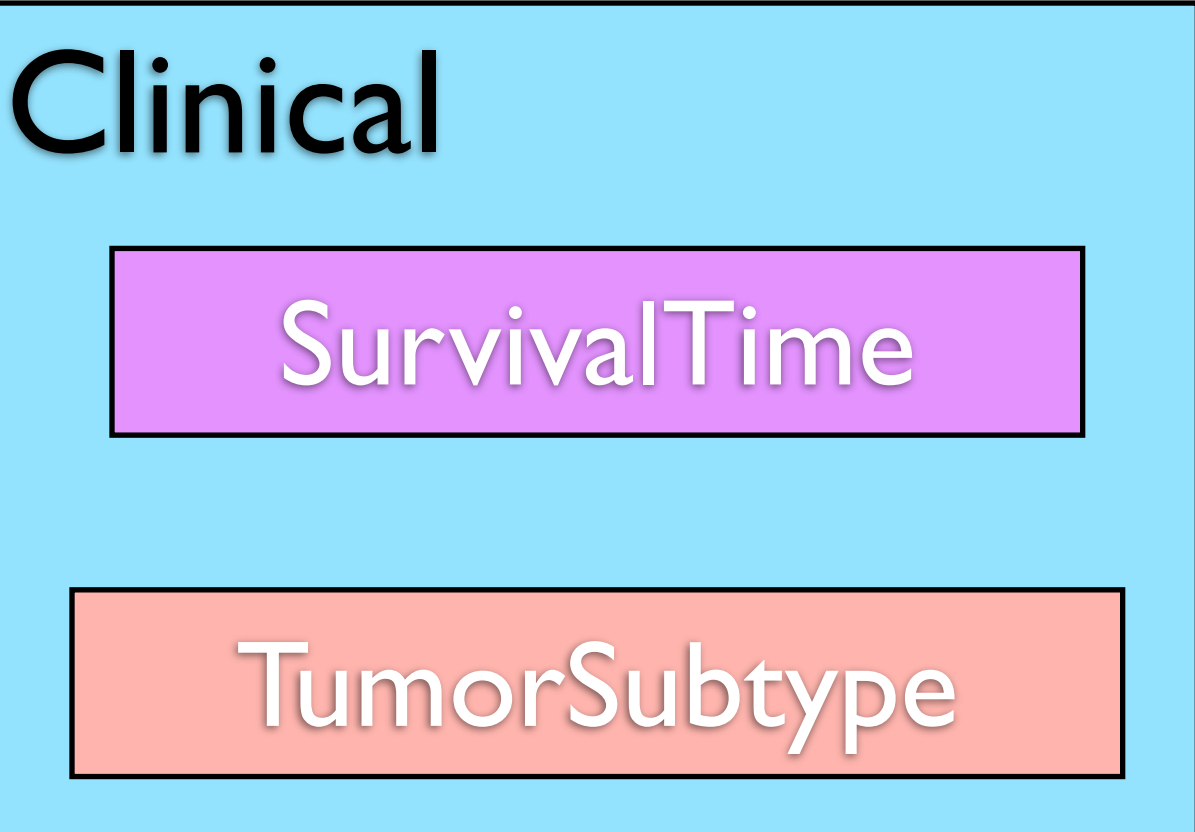
# jtParadigm.py



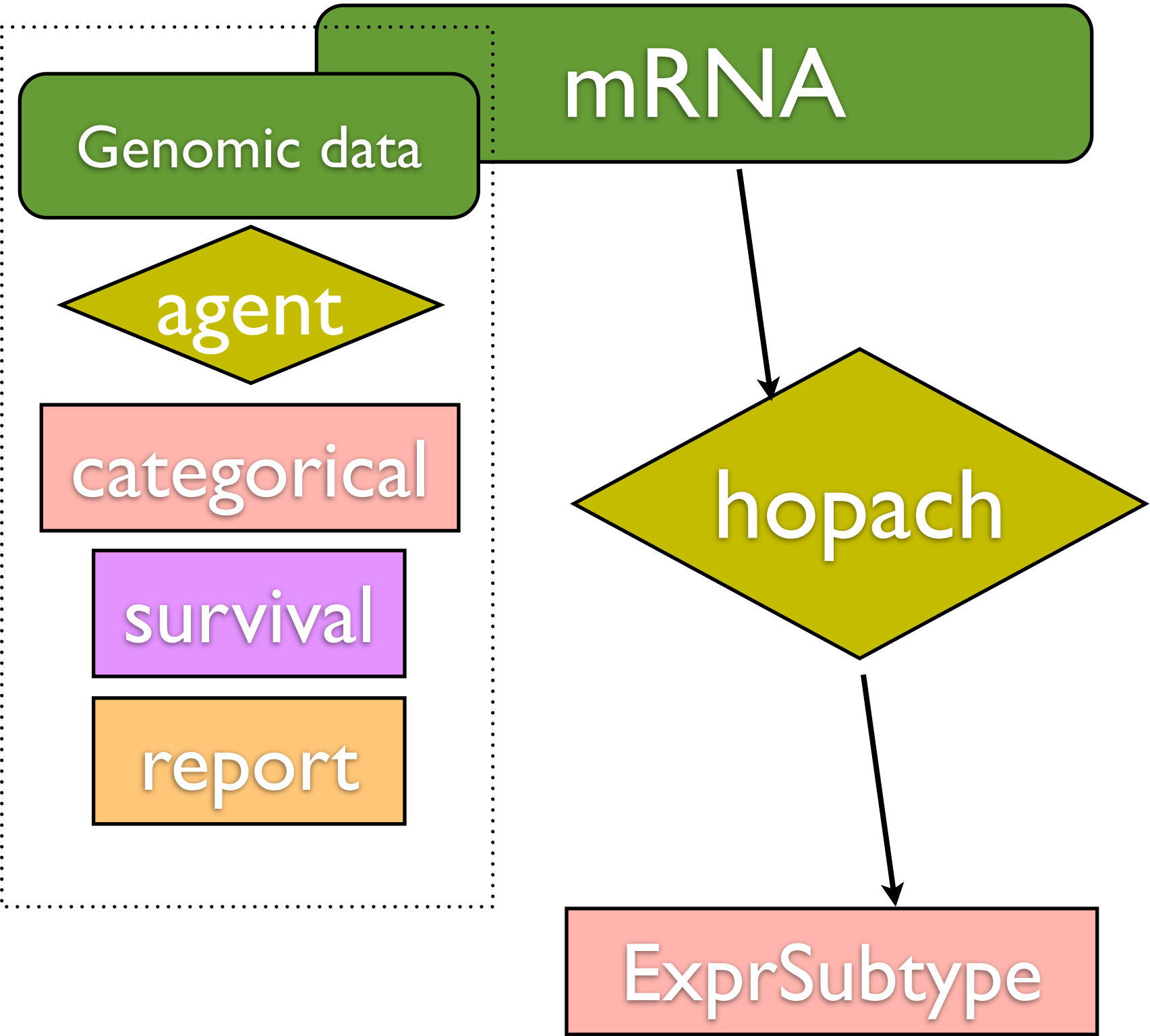
- Each E-step takes 1-200 hours (depending on pathway DB, number of samples)
- Don't know number of EM steps ahead of time, dynamically add jobs until convergence
- Simple Python wrapper around obtuse C++ program



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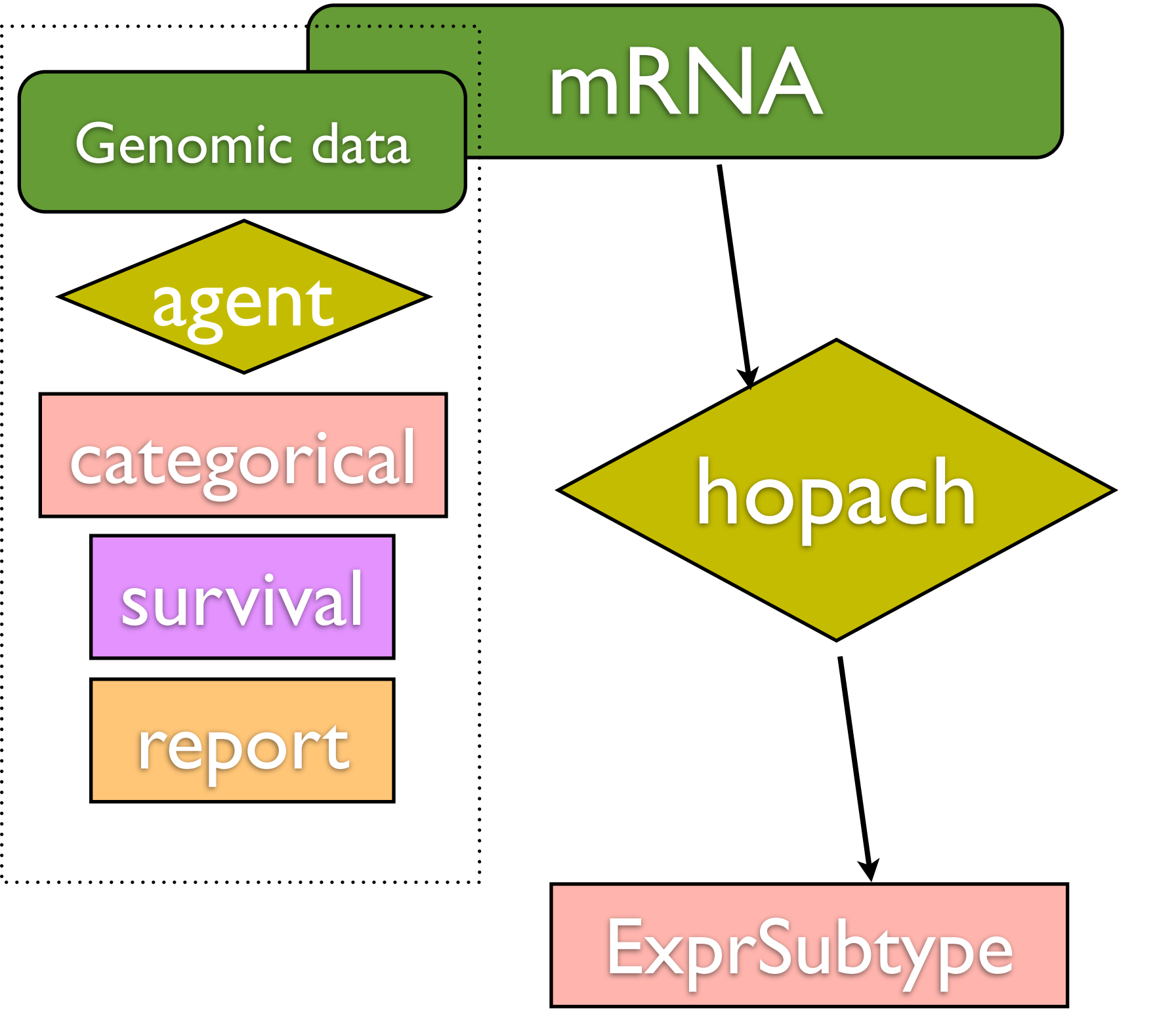


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TumorSubtype

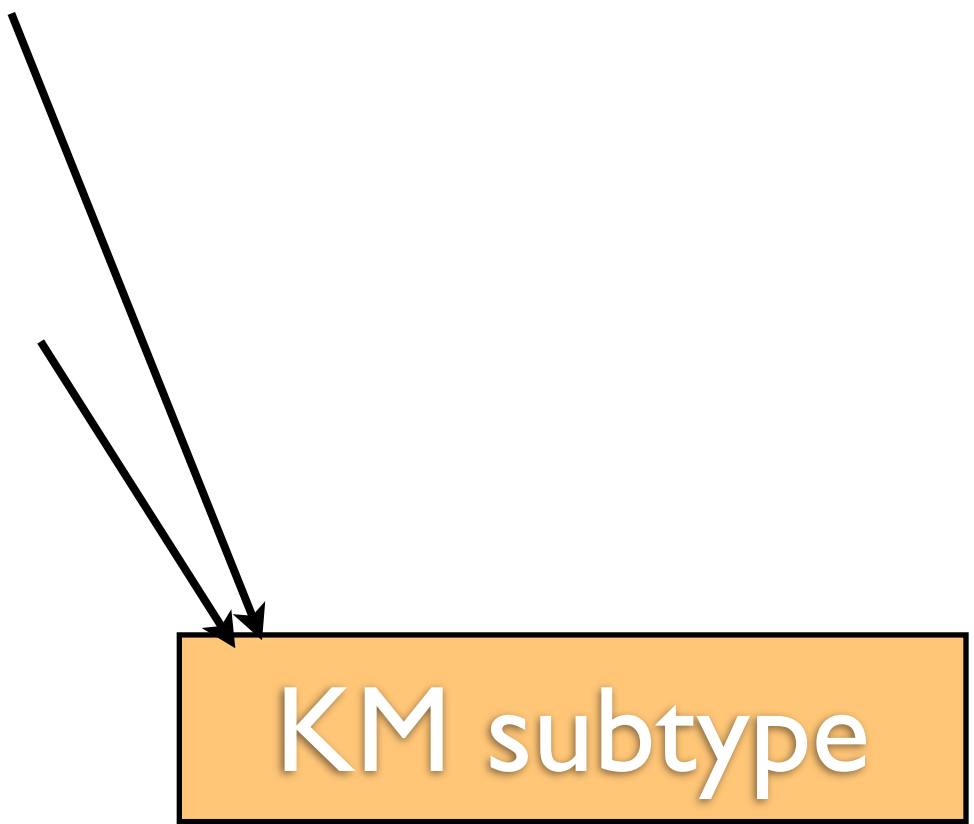


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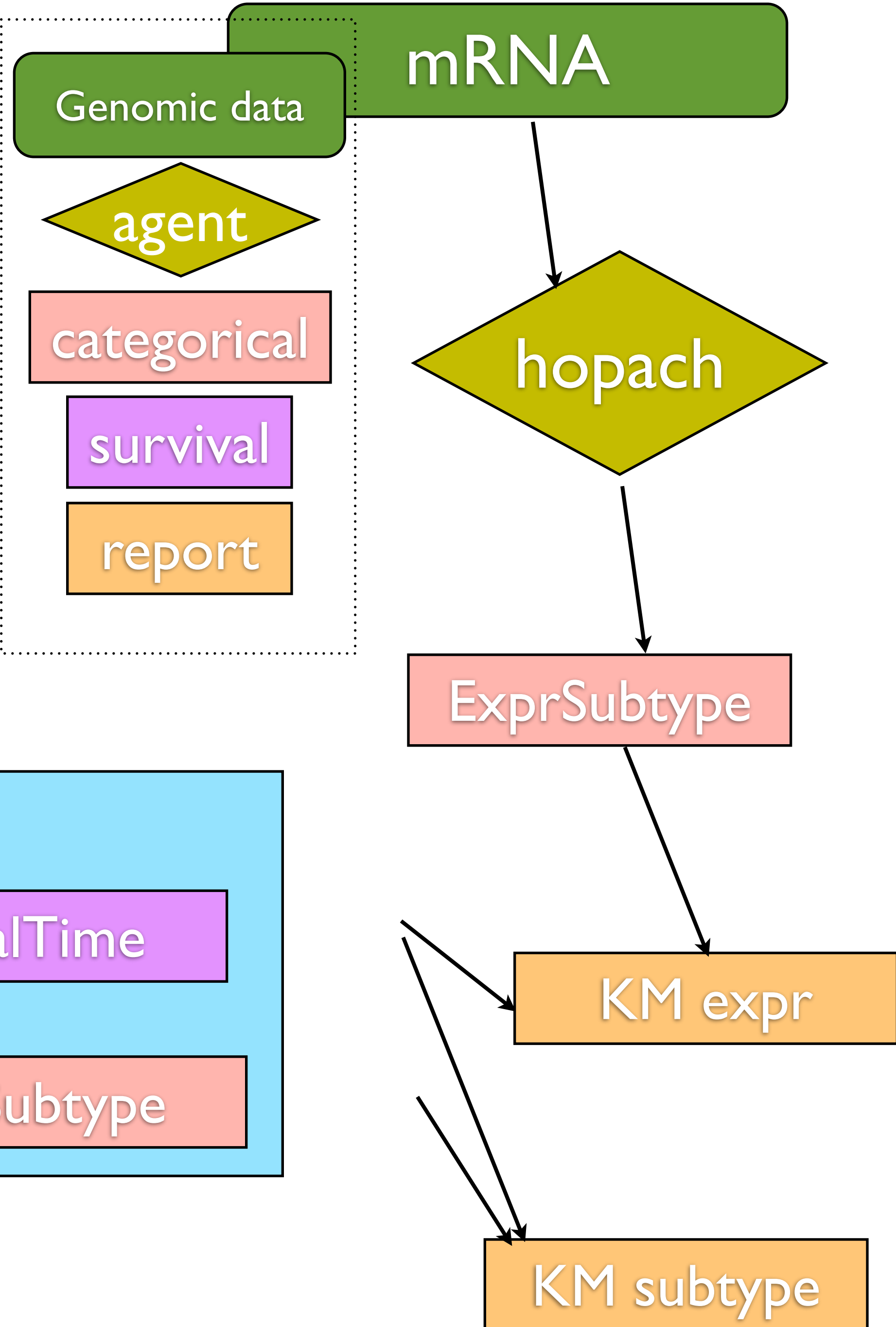
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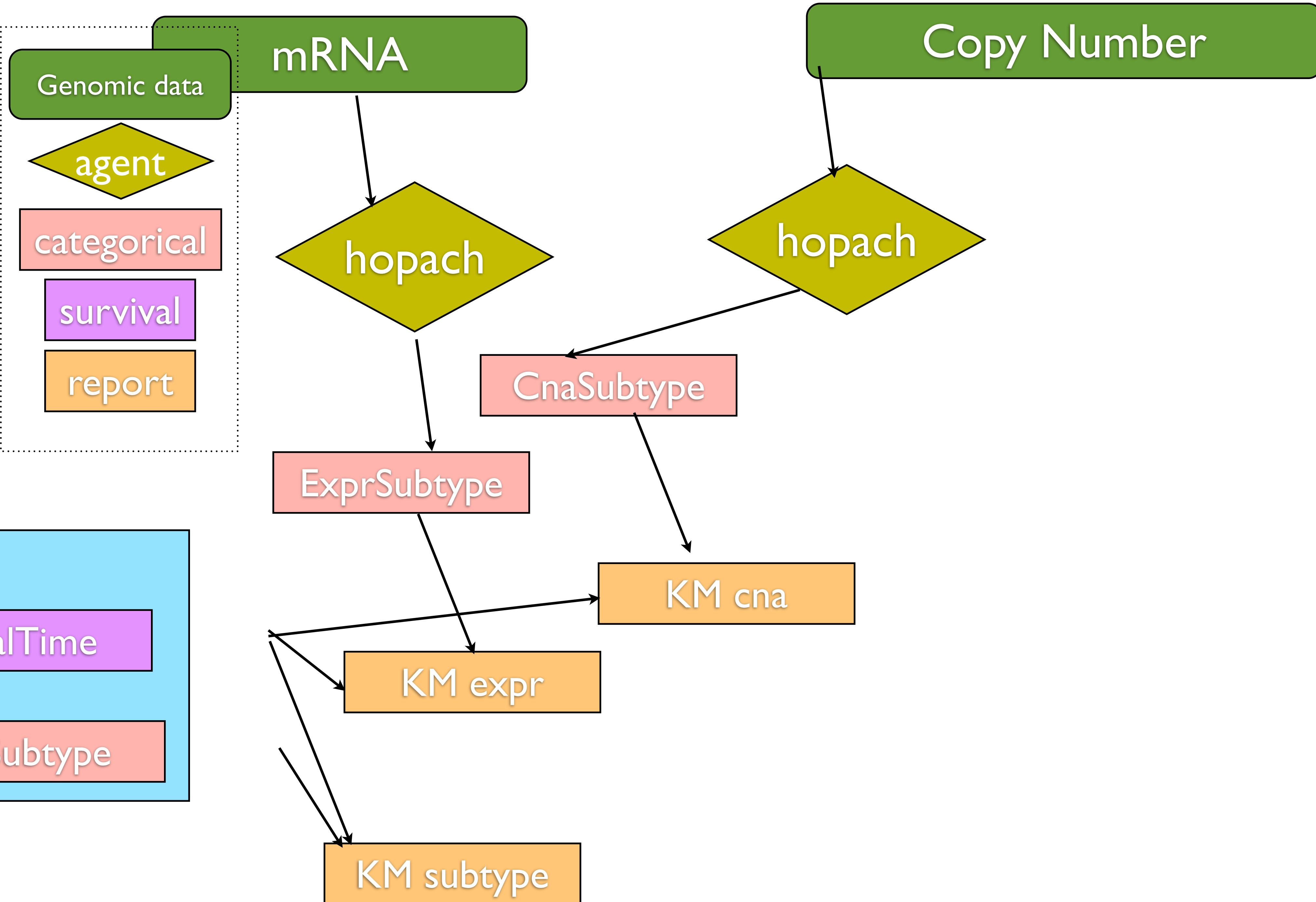
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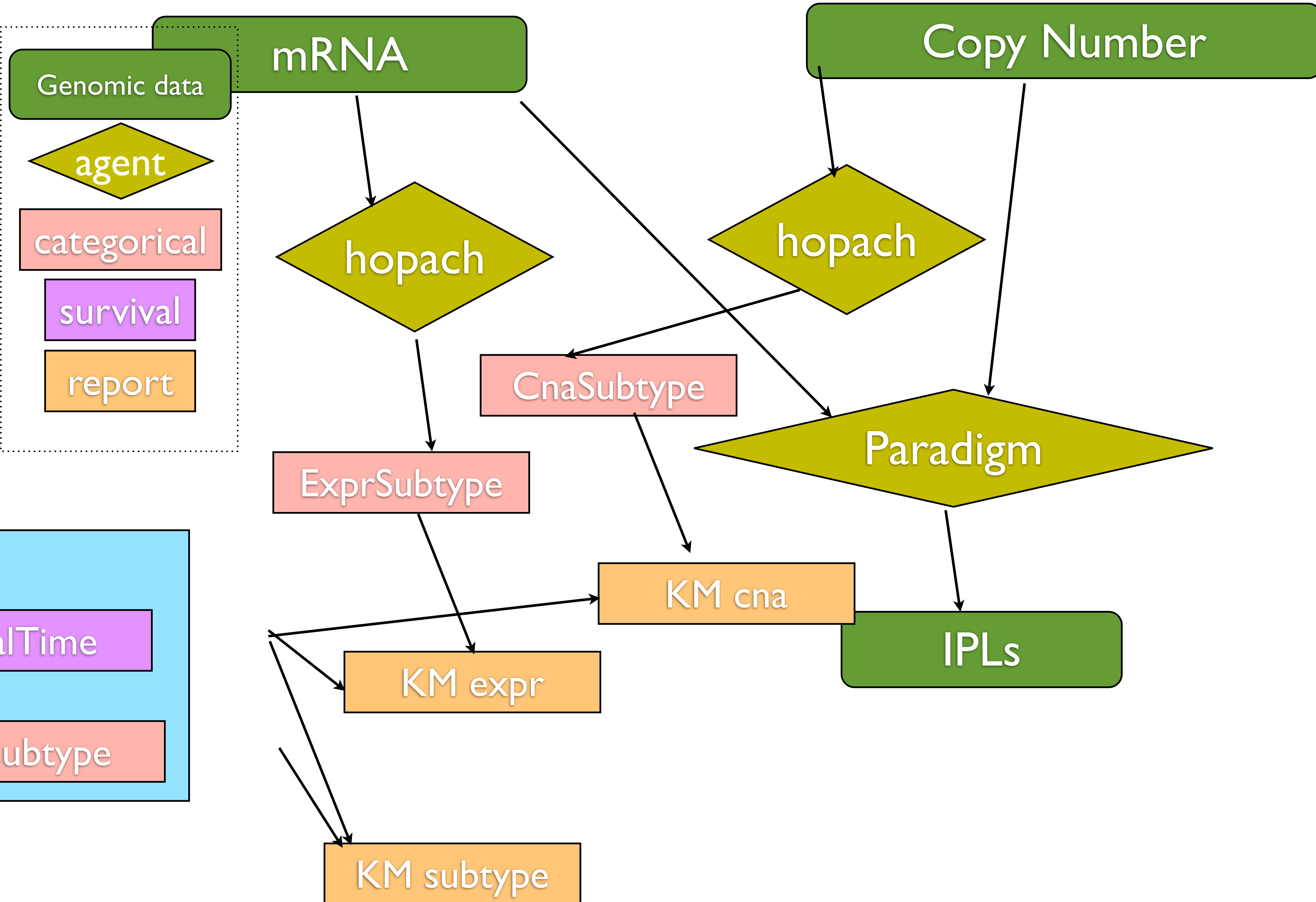




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Genomic data

agent

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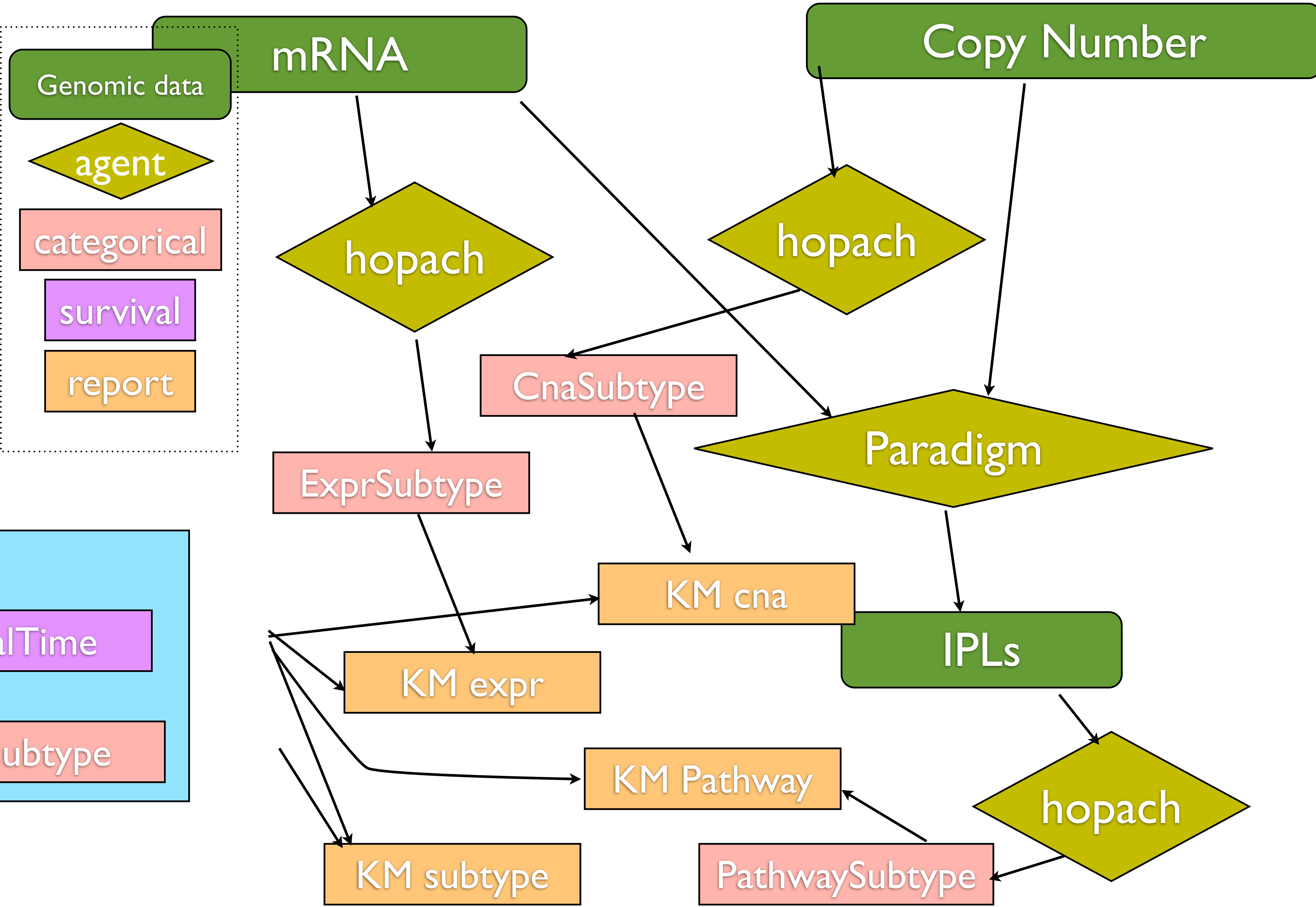
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TumorSubtype



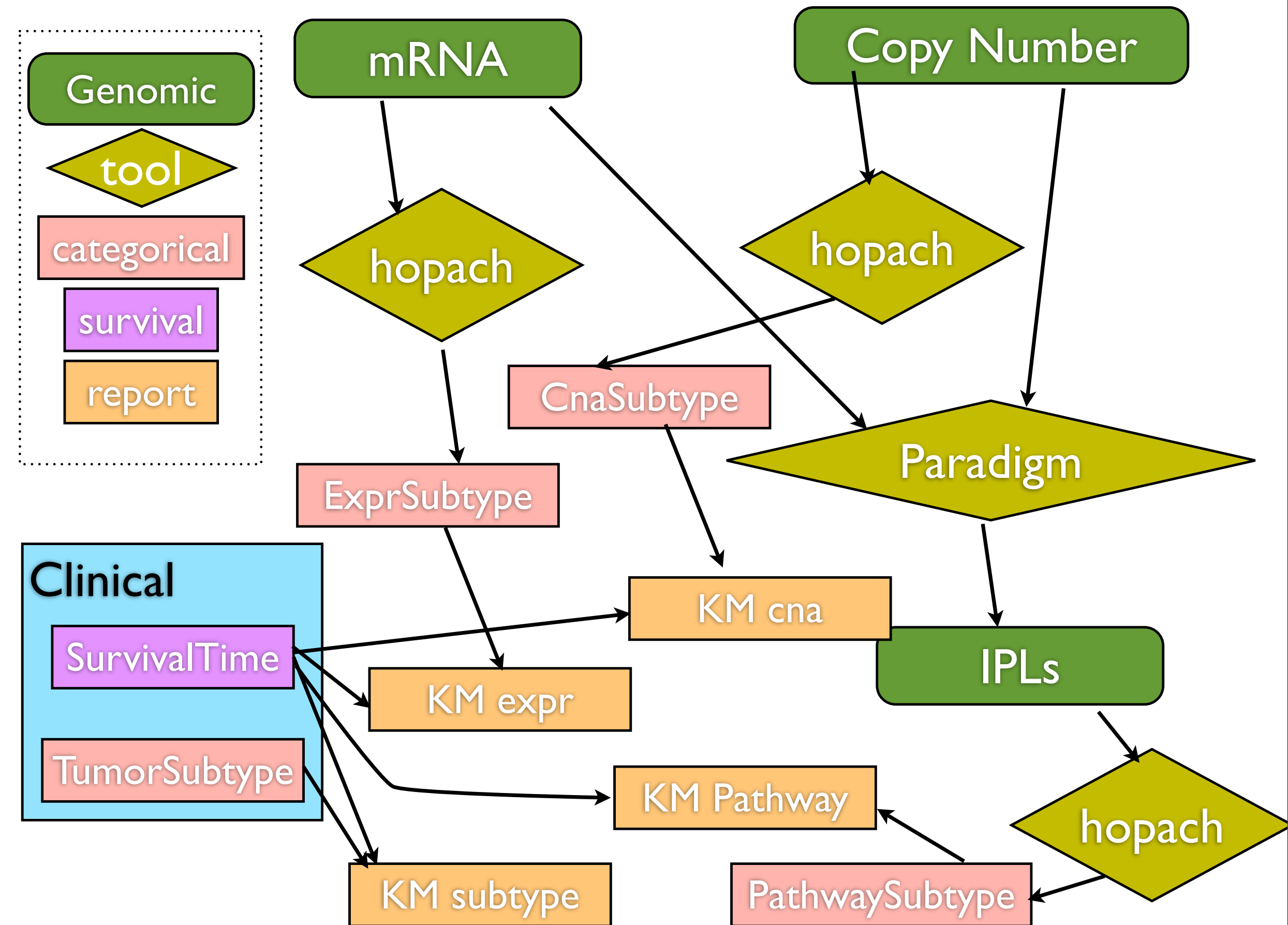
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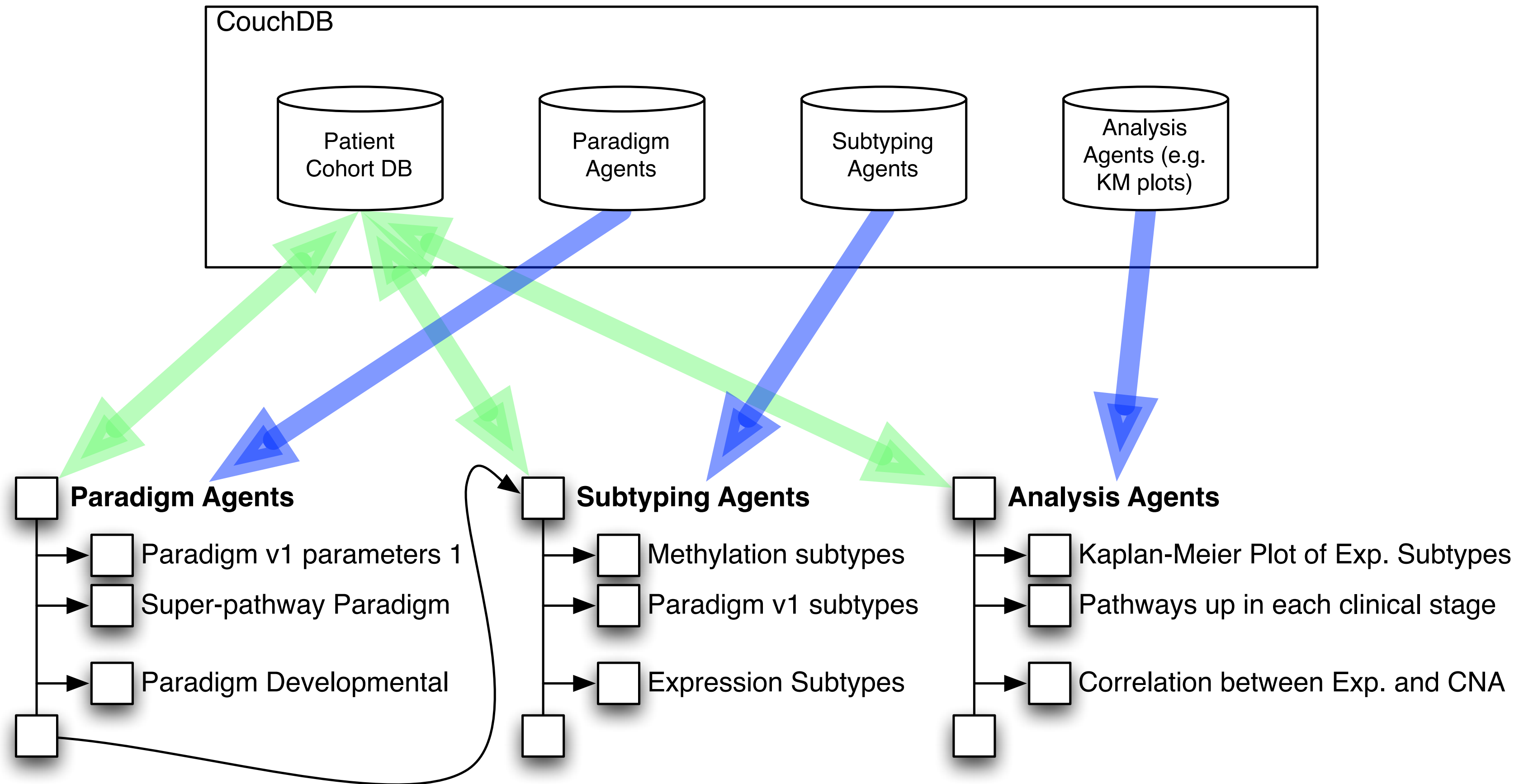
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# Longboard

- System for running Paradigm and relevant downstream analyses, built on JobTree
- Unlike other pipeline systems, it's "agent" based—agents run on every input that meets their input filter
- In contrast, other systems require human steering
- Cancer group doesn't have enough people to steer analysis of 20+ cancers in TCGA



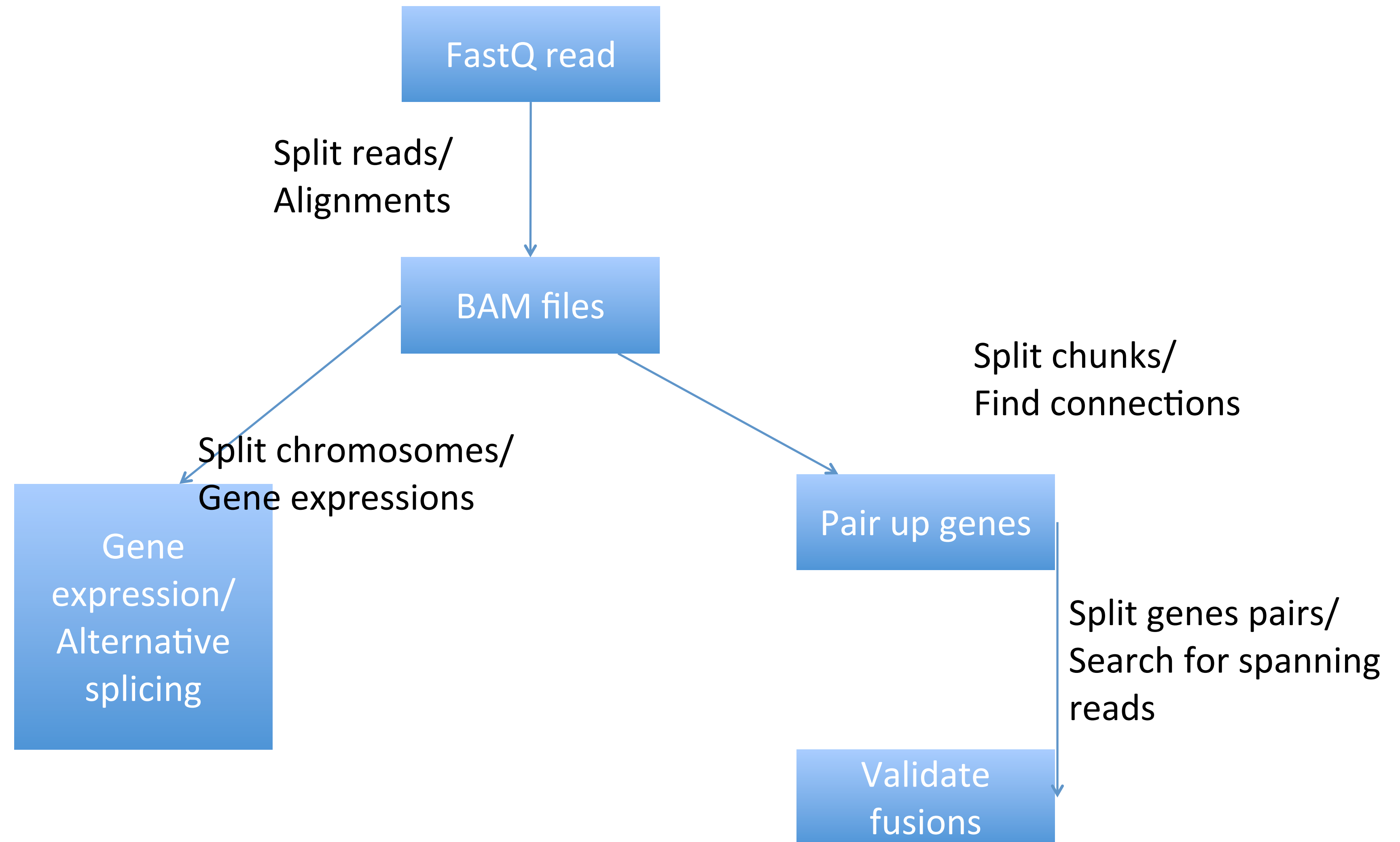
# longboardRun.py





# Daniel

# RNAseq pipeline



# RNAseq pipeline 2

