

$F: X \times Y \rightarrow \{0,1\}$   $X = Y = \{0,1\}^n$

$D(f) = \min_P \text{dpr of } P; P \text{ is a protocol for } f$

Ex:  $EQ(x,y) = [x=y]$   $n+1$

$DISC(x,y) = [\exists i \text{ s.t. } x_i \neq y_i = 1]$   $n+1$

$NEQ(x,y) = \dots$   $\dots$



Combinatorial rectangle

$X = \{0,1\}^n$   $Y = \{0,1\}^n$

# Combinatorial rectangle

$$X = \{0,1\}^n \quad Y = \{0,1\}^m$$

•  $A \times B$

$A \subseteq X$

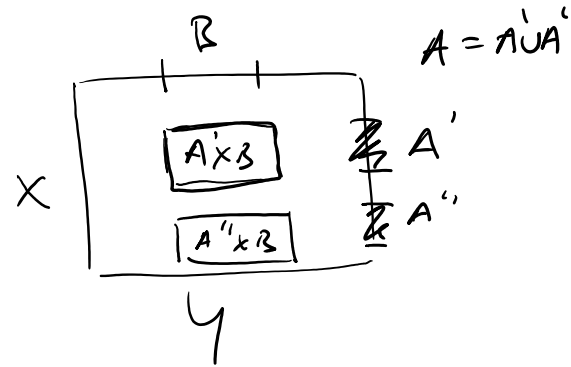
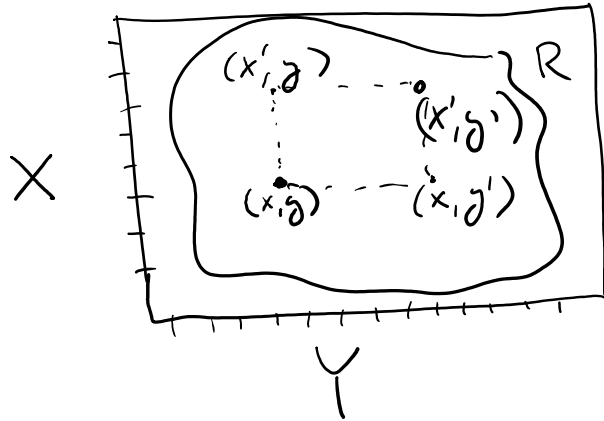
$B \subseteq Y$

↻ combinatorial rectangle

claim:  $R \subseteq \cancel{X} \times Y$ .

$R$  is a combinatorial rectangle iff

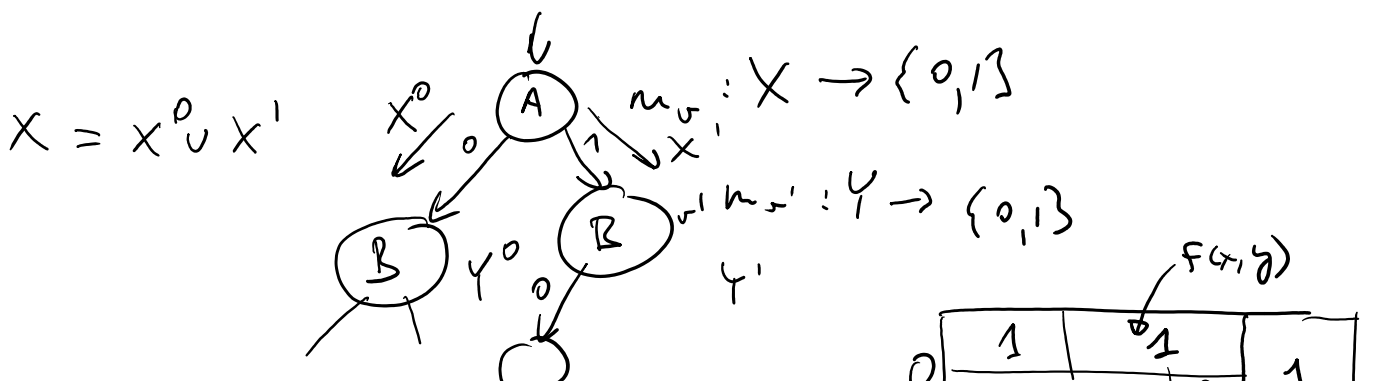
$$(*) \quad \forall (x,y), (x',y') \in R \quad ; \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} (x,y') \in R \\ (x',y) \in R \end{array} \right\} \text{true}$$



"  $\Rightarrow$  " trivial  
 "  $\Leftarrow$  "  $A = \{x; \exists y (x,y) \in R\}$   $B = \{y; \exists x (x,y) \in R\}$

$$A \times B = R \quad R \subseteq A \times B$$

$A \times B \subseteq R$   
 $(x,y) \in A \times B \Rightarrow x \in A \Rightarrow \exists y' (x,y') \in R \quad \exists x' (x',y) \in R$   
 $\hookrightarrow (*) (x,y) \in R \Rightarrow R = A \times B$





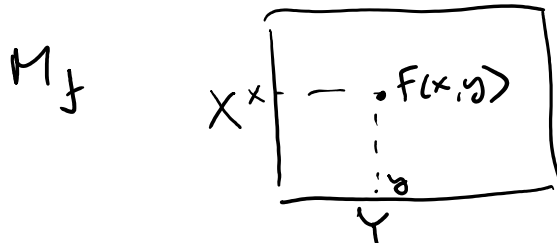
the inputs that reach a particular node in the protocol form a combinatorial rectangle

	1	1	1	$x^0$
0		0	1	
$x^1$	1	0	0	$x^0$
$x'$	1	1	0	
	$y$	$y$	$y'$	

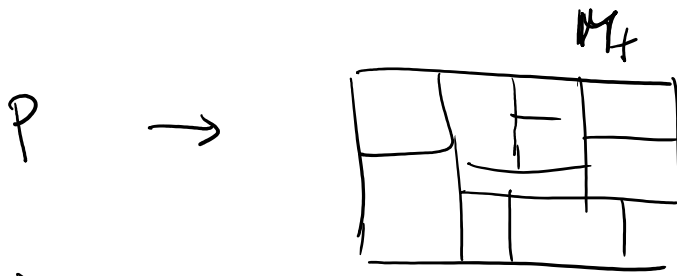
$(x, y)$   $(x', y')$  reach the same node  
 then  $(x', y)$  would also reach the same node  
 $(*, y')$

monochromatic rectangle ... rectangle of inputs  $(x, y)$  with the same  $f(x, y)$  value.

0-rectangle  $f(x, y) = 0$   
 1-rectangle  $f(x, y) = 1$



• protocol for  $F$  splits  $M_f$  into monochromatic rectangles.



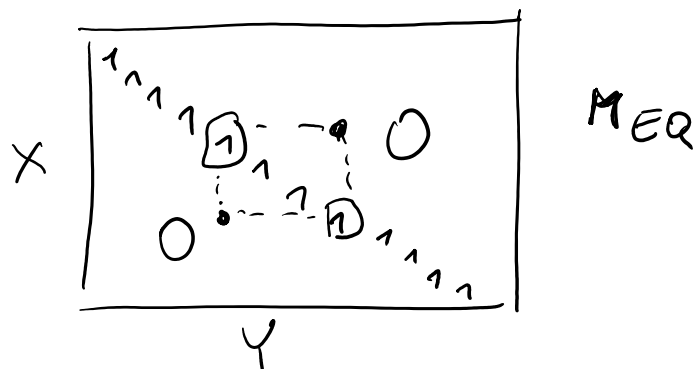
$d(P)$  # rectangles  $\leq 2^{d(P)}$

• If  $F$  has com. cost  $D(F)$  then  $M_f$  can ...

be partitioned into  $\leq 2^{D(f)}$  monochromatic combinatorial rectangles.

EX: EQ[x=y]

$$X=Y=\{0,1\}^n$$



- How many mono. comb. rectangles to cover  $M_{EQ}$ ?
- each one  $(x,x)$  has to be in a separate comb. rect.

$$2^{D(f)} \geq \# \text{ mono rect.} \geq 2^n + 1$$

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$$f = EQ$$

$$2^{n+1}$$

$$D(f) > n$$

$$D(f) \leq n+1$$

$$\Rightarrow D(f) = n+1$$

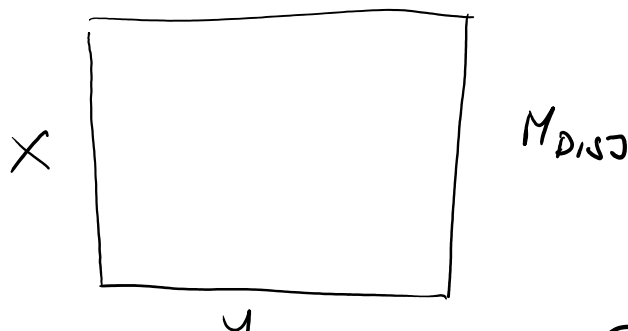
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$$\begin{array}{l}
 A: x B_i \\
 A'_i: x B'_i
 \end{array}
 \quad
 \begin{array}{l}
 i \dots \\
 A_i = \{x_i; x_i = 1\} \\
 A'_i = \{x_i; x_i = 0\}
 \end{array}
 \quad
 \begin{array}{l}
 B_i = \{y_i; y_i = 0\} \\
 B'_i = \{y_i; y_i = 1\}
 \end{array}$$

↳ overlapping

EX:  $DISJ(x,y) = [\exists i, x_i = y_i = 1]$

$$X=Y=\{0,1\}^n$$



$$DIS(x, y) = 0 \quad \begin{matrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ (x, \bar{x}) & & (x', \bar{x}') \end{matrix}$$

$$x \neq x' \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} x \cap \bar{x}' \neq \emptyset & \text{or} & x' \cap \bar{x} \neq \emptyset \\ 1 & \text{or} & 1 \end{matrix}$$

$$\geq 2^n \quad \text{0-mono rectangles}$$

$$\Rightarrow \geq 2^n + 1 \quad \Rightarrow \quad D(DIS) \geq n+1$$

$$\Rightarrow \quad D(DIS) = n+1 \quad \square$$

F ... How to cover  $M_f$  by monochromatic rectangles.

• If you need at least  $t$  of them then  $D(f) \geq t$ .

Ex:

	1	0	0	1
x	1	1	1	2
	0	0	1	3
		y		

$M_f$

$$|X| = |Y| = 3$$

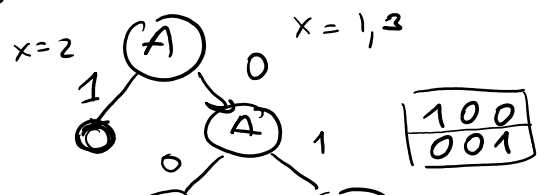
Bad example  
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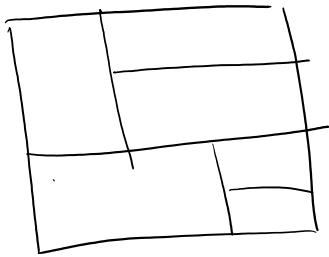
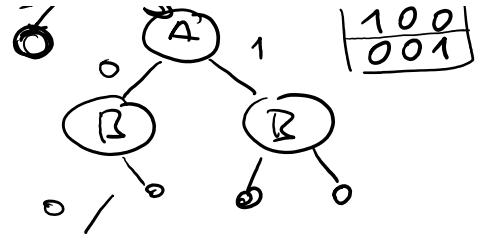
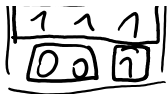
$C(f)$  ... # mono rectangles to cover  $M_f$ . 5

$C^D(f)$  ... # of rectangles partitioning  $M_f$  monochromatically

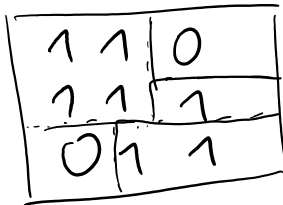
$C^P(f)$  ... # of rectangles given by a protocol for  $f$  6

1	0	0
1	1	1
0	0	1



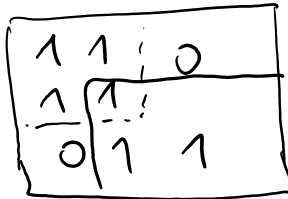


Ex:



non-overlapping  $C^D(f) = 5$

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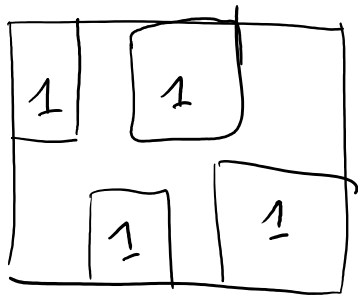


overlapping

~~C(f)~~  
 $C(f) = 4$

$$\underline{C(f)} \leq C^D(f) \leq C^P(f) \leq 2^{\underline{D(f)}}$$

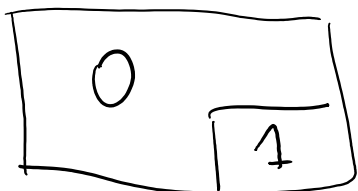
Ex: •  $M_f$  has rank  $\geq r$  then ~~rank~~  $D(f) \geq \underline{\lg r}$ .



$M_f$

$\text{rank}(M_f) \leq \overbrace{\# \text{ 1-row rectangles}}^m$

$M_f = \sum_{i=1}^r \text{sum of } m \text{ rank 1 matrices}$



rank 1 matrix

$$D(f) \geq \lg \text{rank}(M_f)$$

•  $\text{rank}(M_{EQ}) = 2^n$

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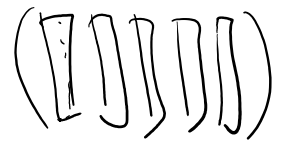
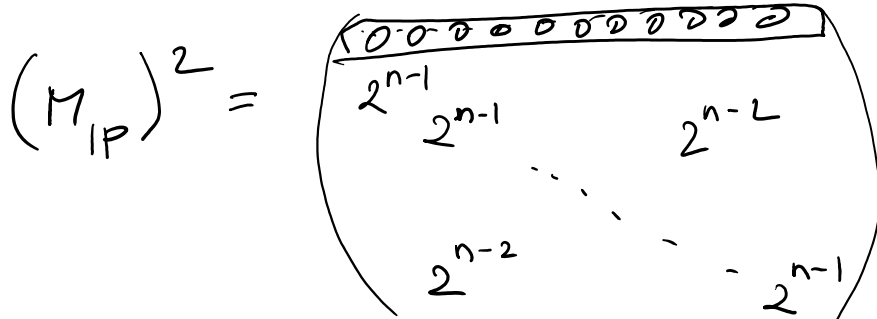
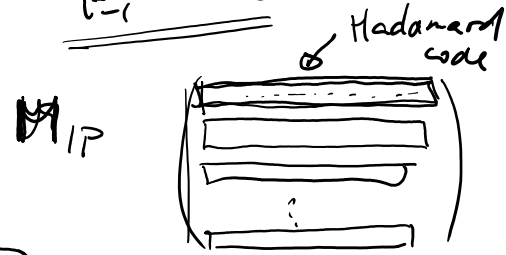
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•  $IP: \{0,1\}^n \times \{0,1\}^n \rightarrow \{0,1\}$

$IP(x,y) = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i \cdot y_i \pmod 2$

$\text{rank}(IP) \geq 2^n - 1$

$\Rightarrow D(IP) \geq n$



$\text{rank}(M_{IP}^2) = 2^n - 1$

$(2^{n-2} \dots 2^{n-2})$

