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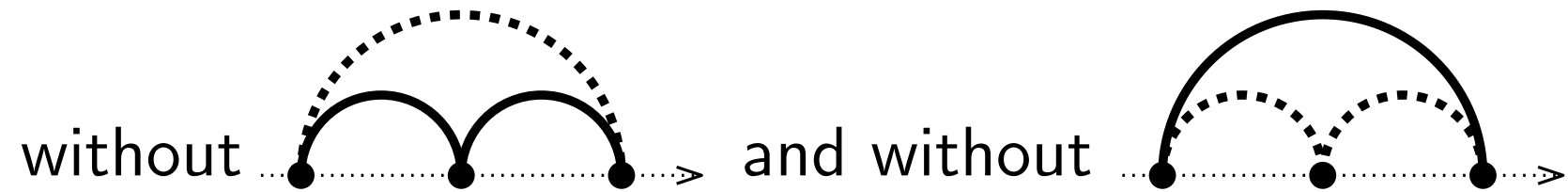
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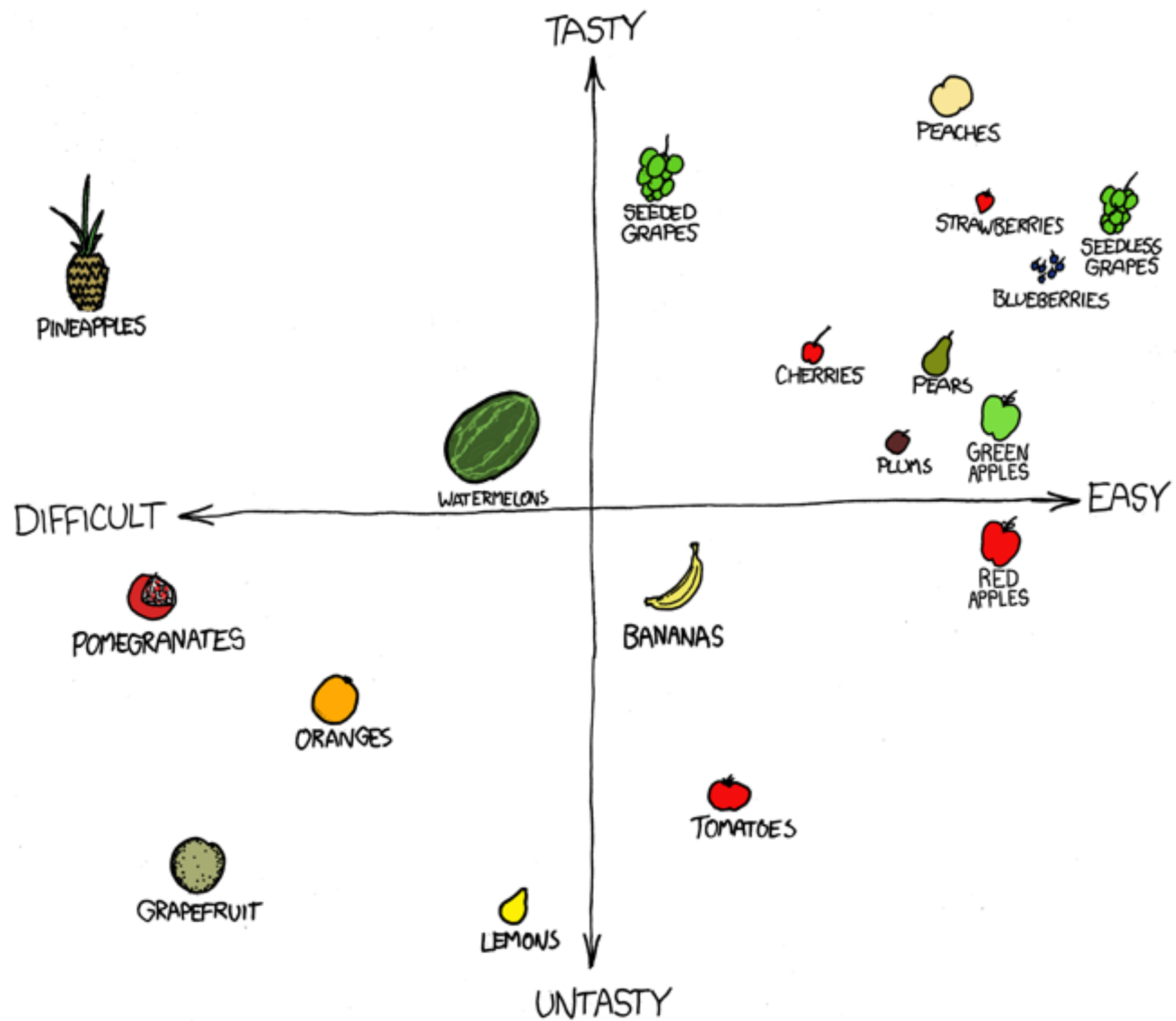
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- (ii) There exists a vertex ordering σ of G

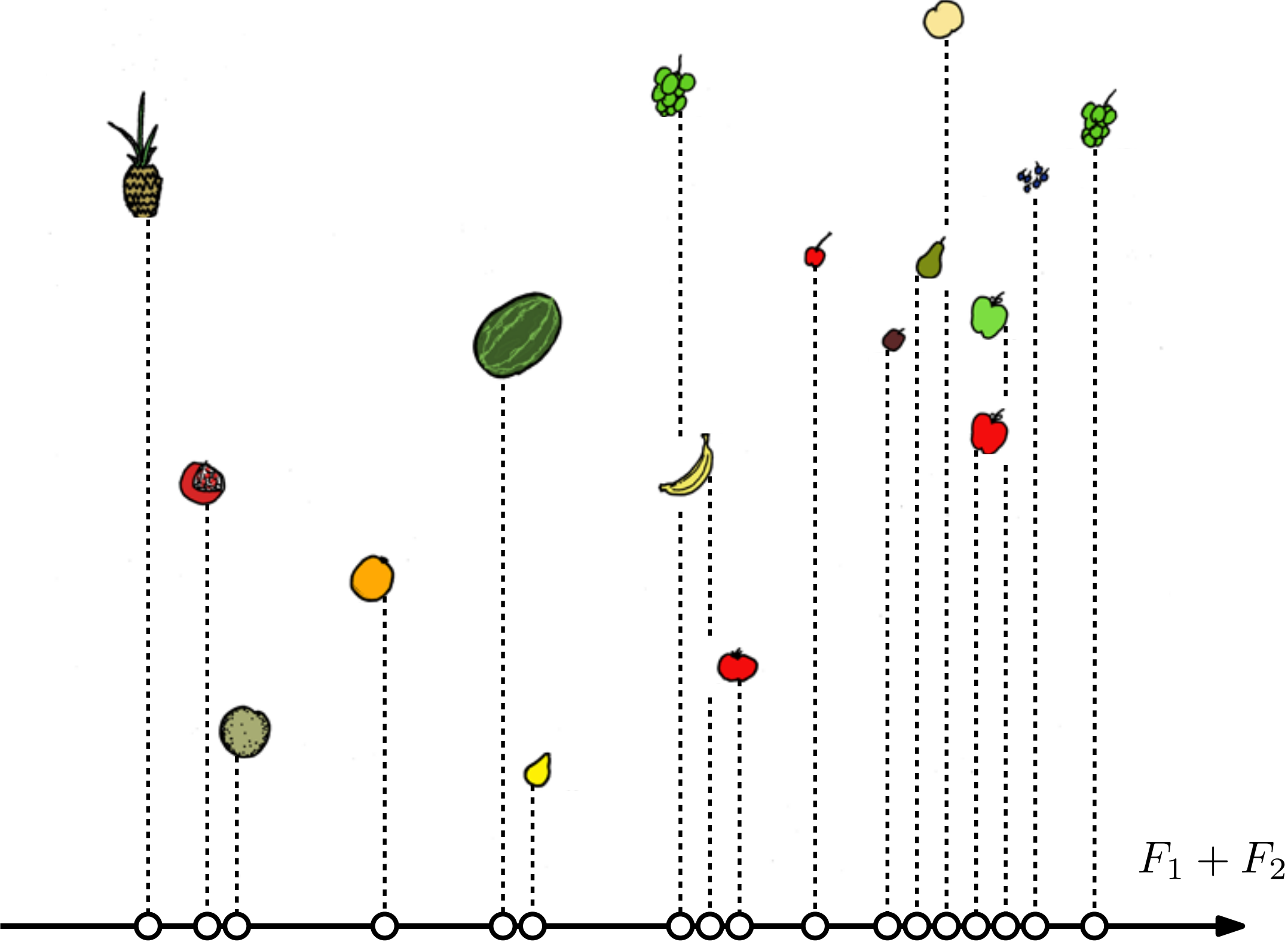


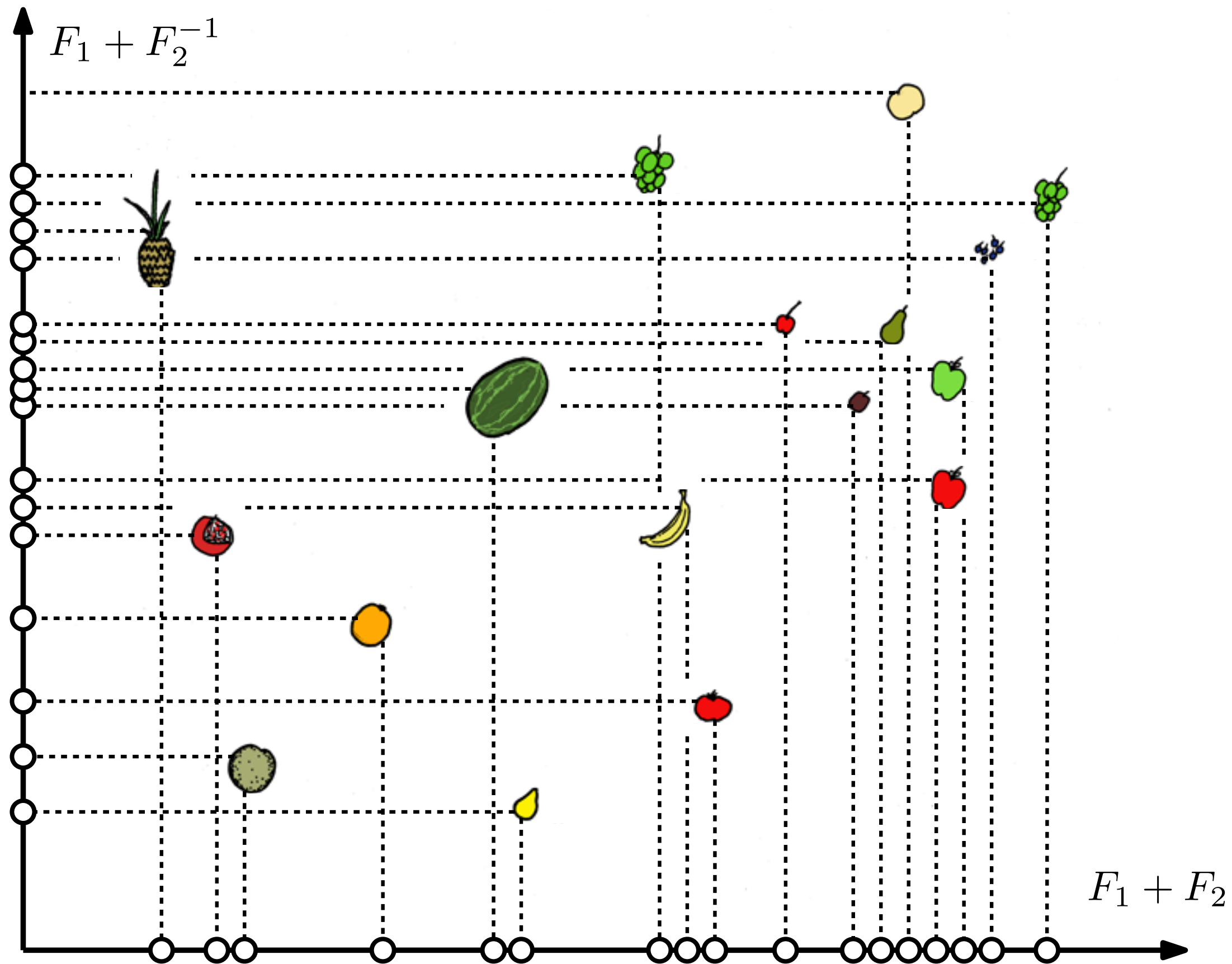
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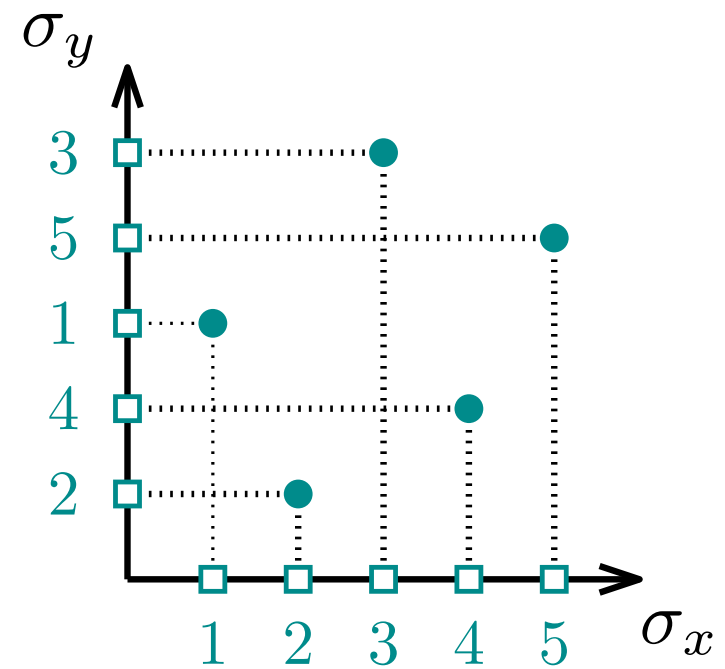
$$uv \in E \quad \text{if and only if} \quad u_x < v_x \Leftrightarrow u_y < v_y$$



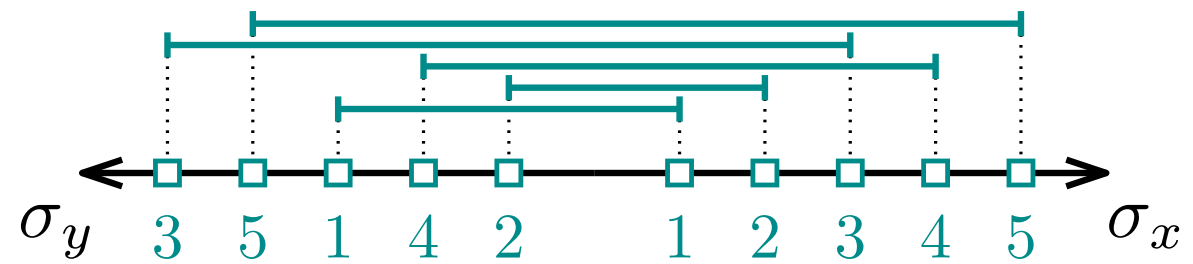




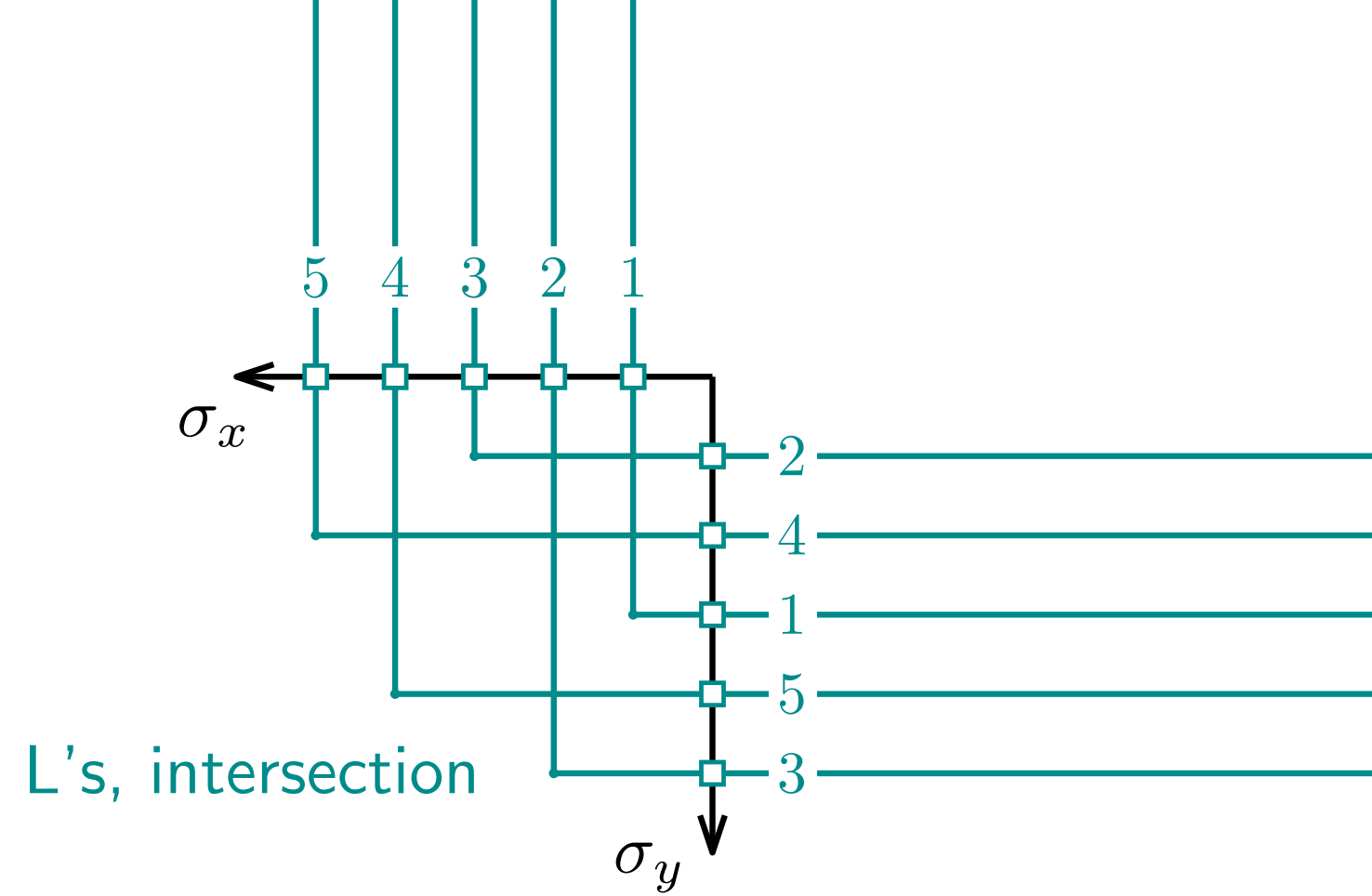




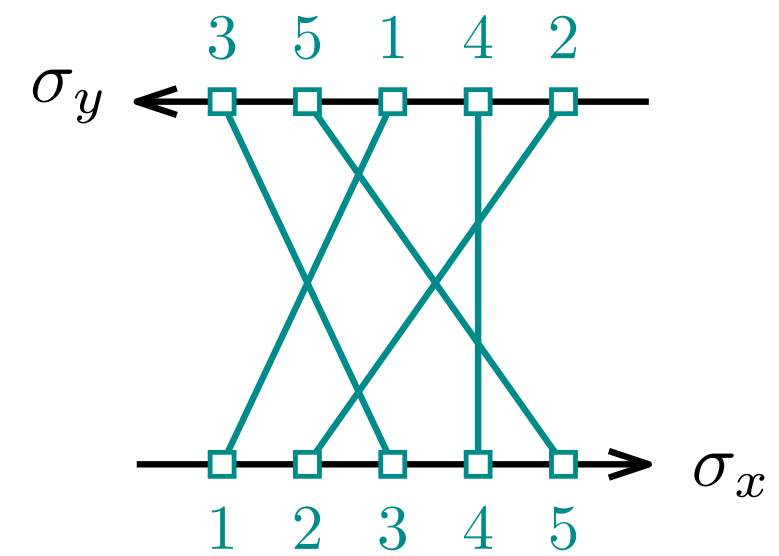
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- (i) G is an interval graph.
- (ii) $\exists$ vertex ordering σ without 
- (iii) G is chordal and $\overline{G}$ is a comparability graph.
- (iv) $C_4 \not\subseteq_{\text{ind}} G$ and $\overline{G}$ is a comparability graph.
- (v) There exists an ordering $A_1, \dots, A_x$ of the inclusion-maximal cliques in G such that
 $\forall v \in V$ the numbers in $\{i \mid v \in A_i\}$
are consecutive in $\{1, \dots, x\}$.

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- 5 **Return** whether σ_4 contains forbidden pattern;

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