

Player-Centric Byzantine Agreement

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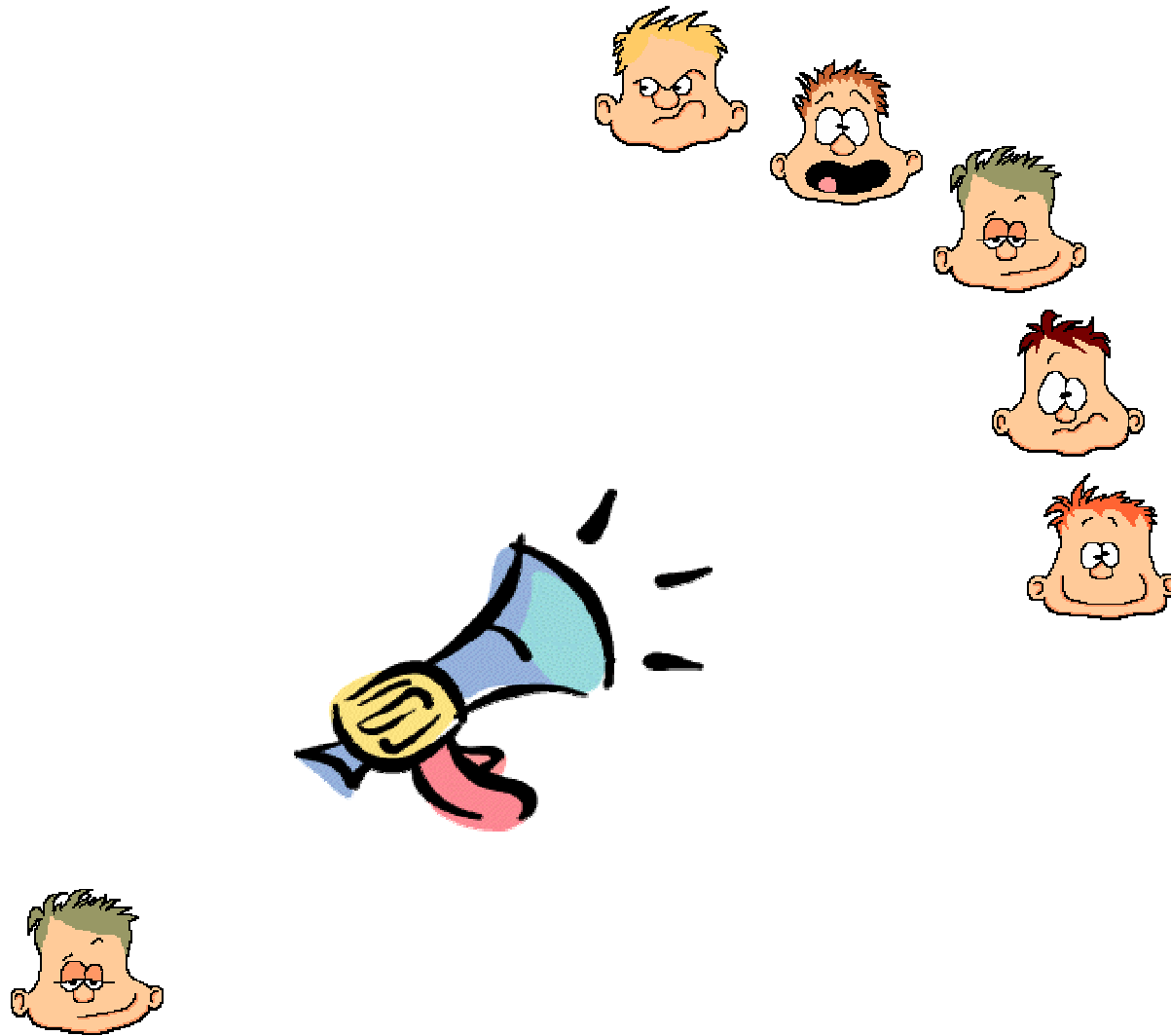
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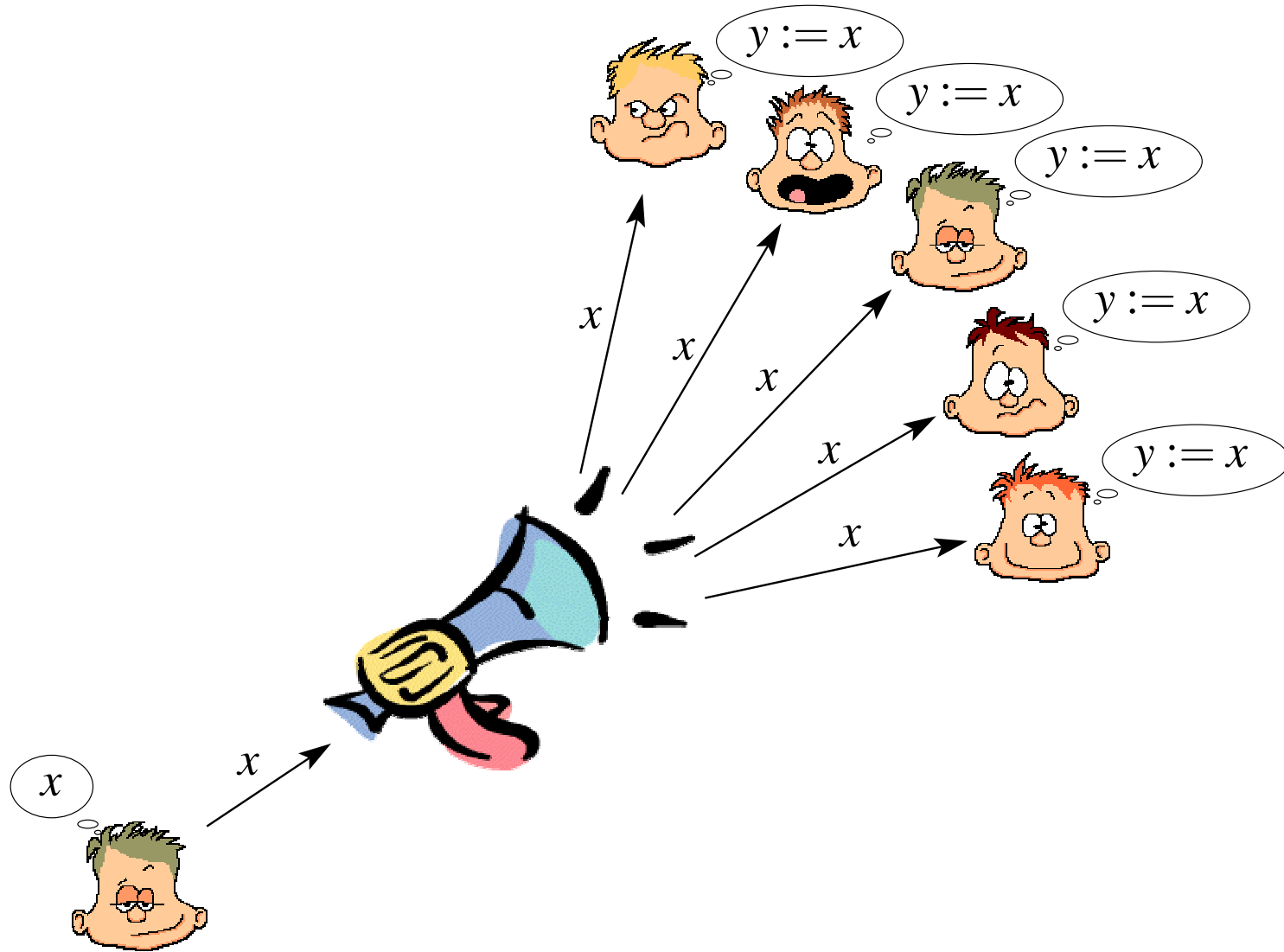
Rump Session

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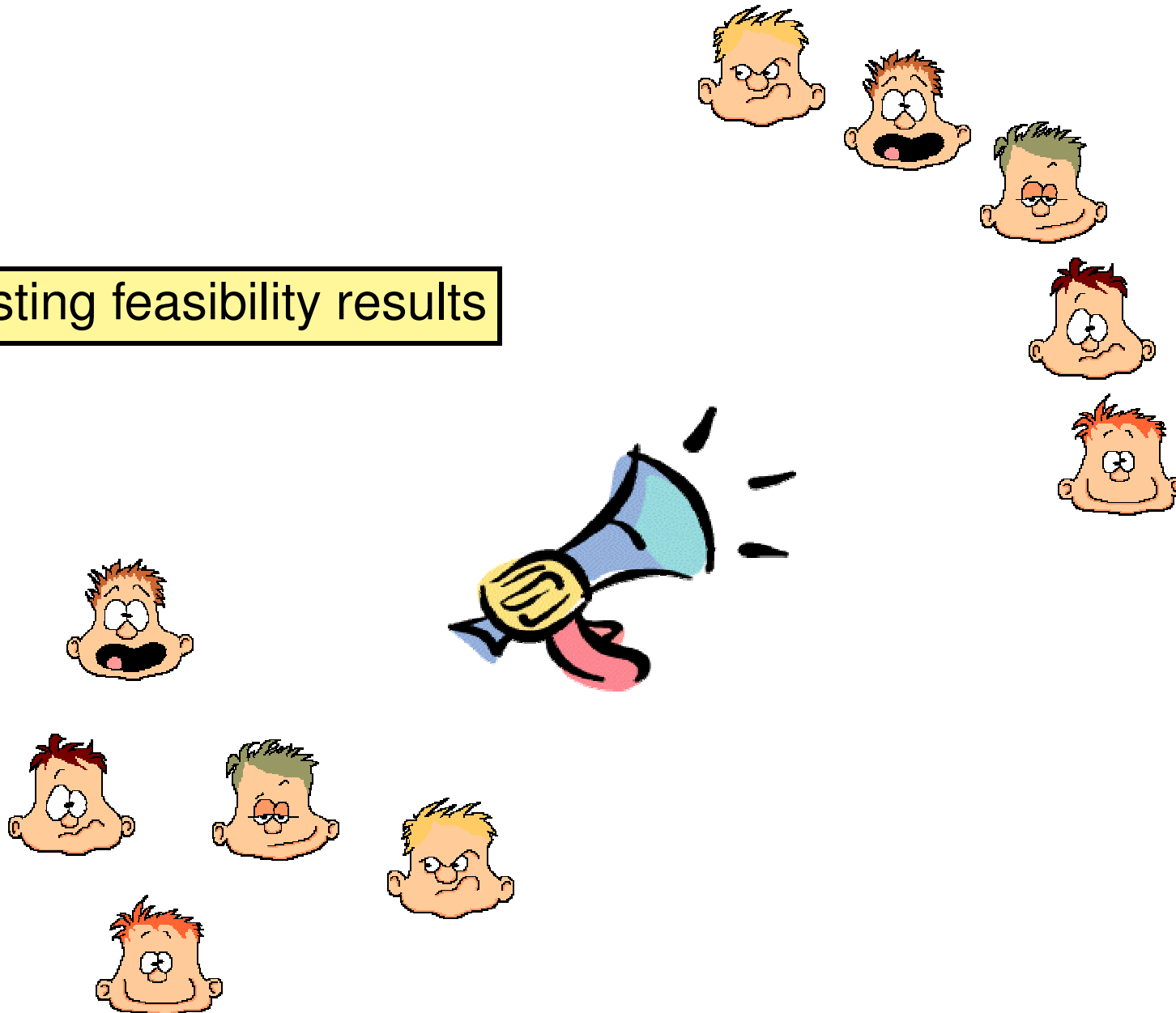


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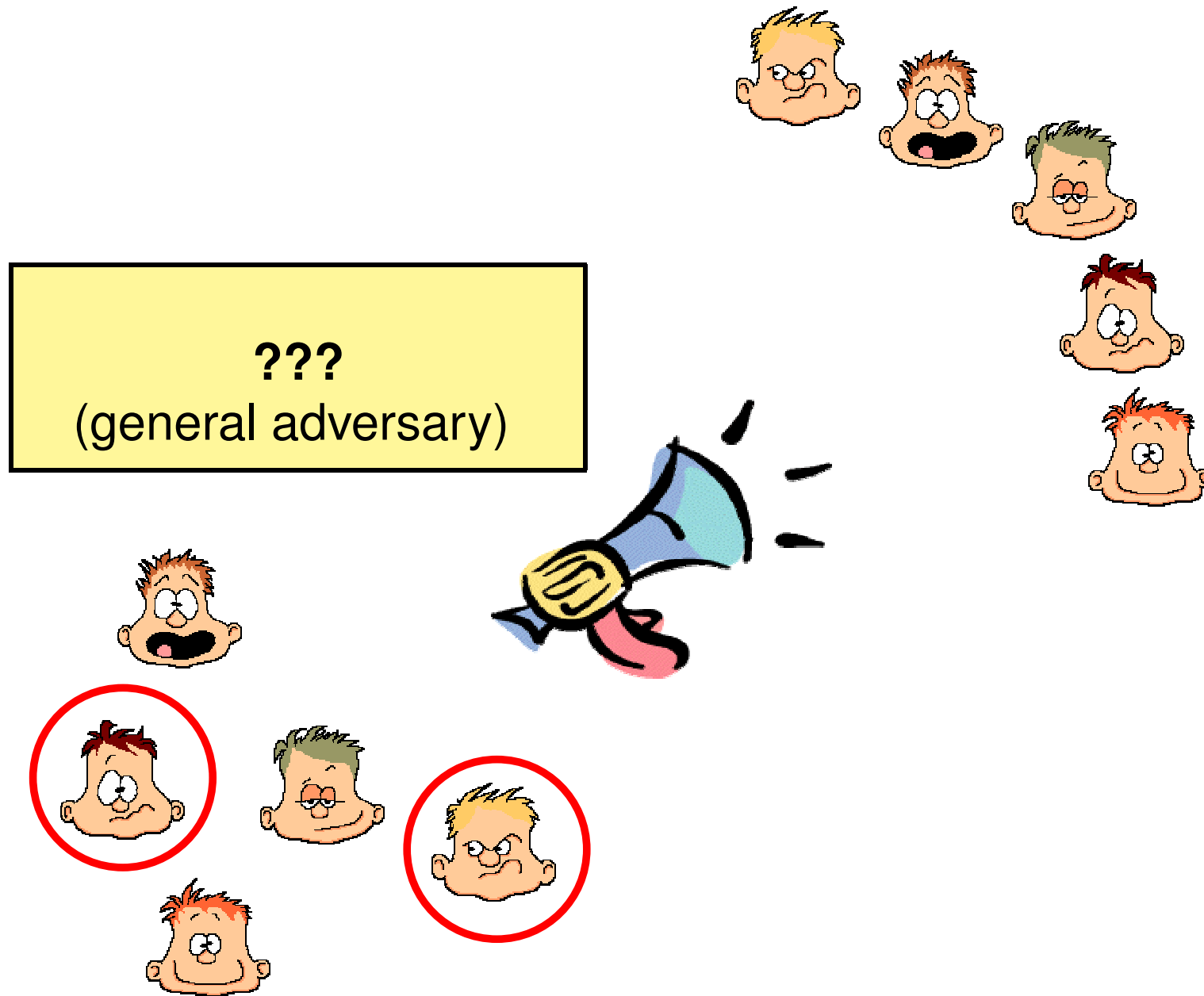


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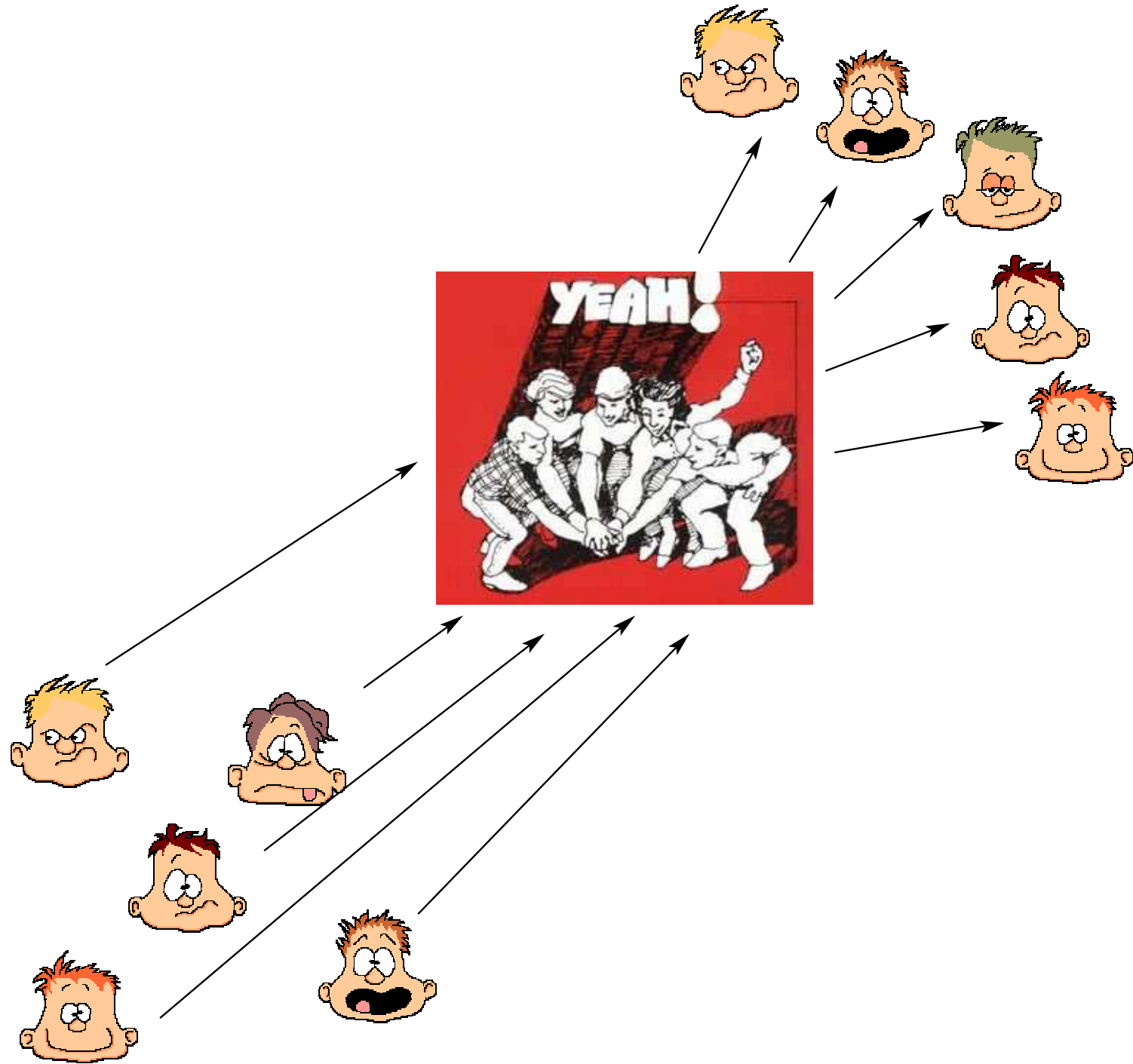
Existing feasibility results



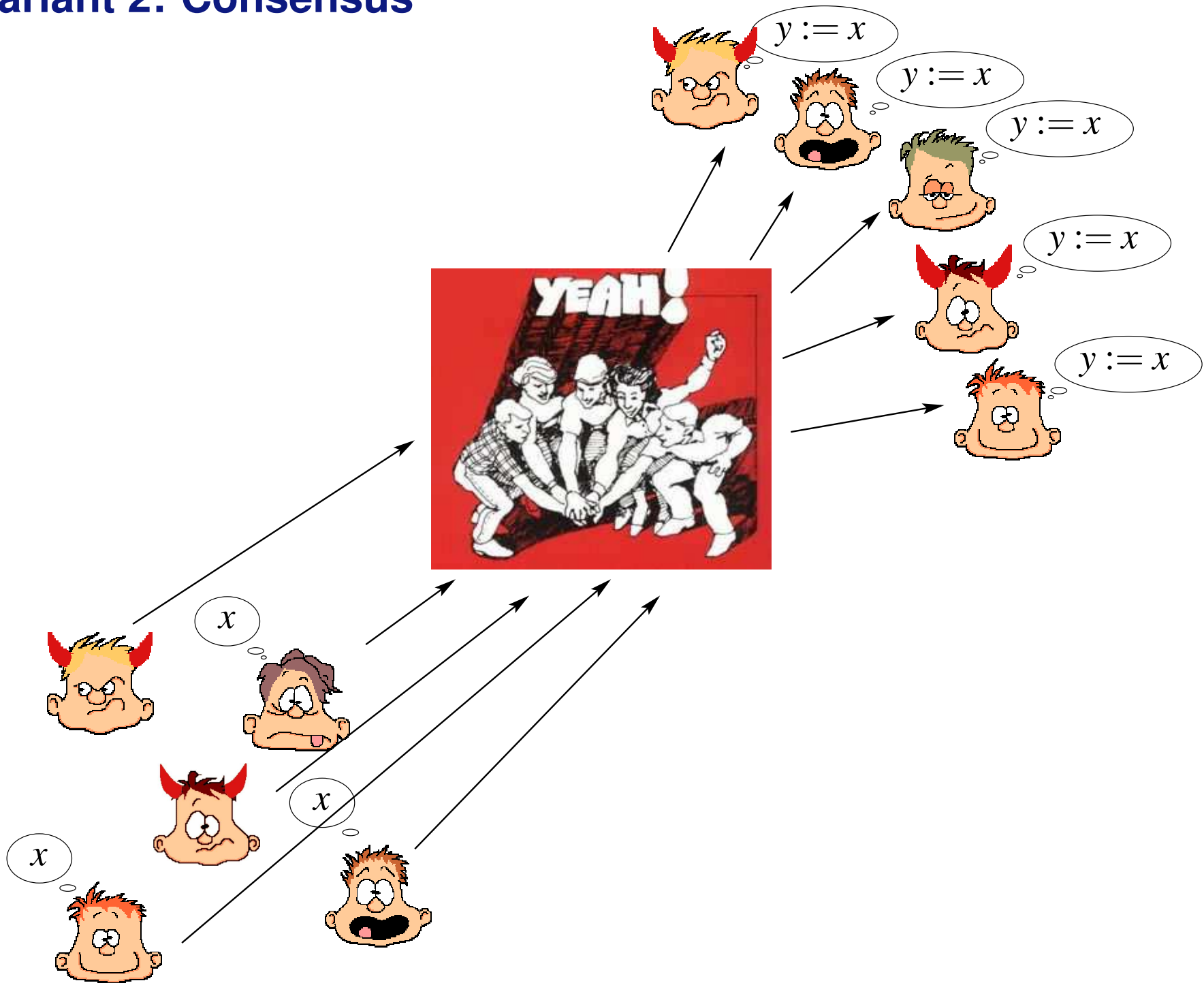
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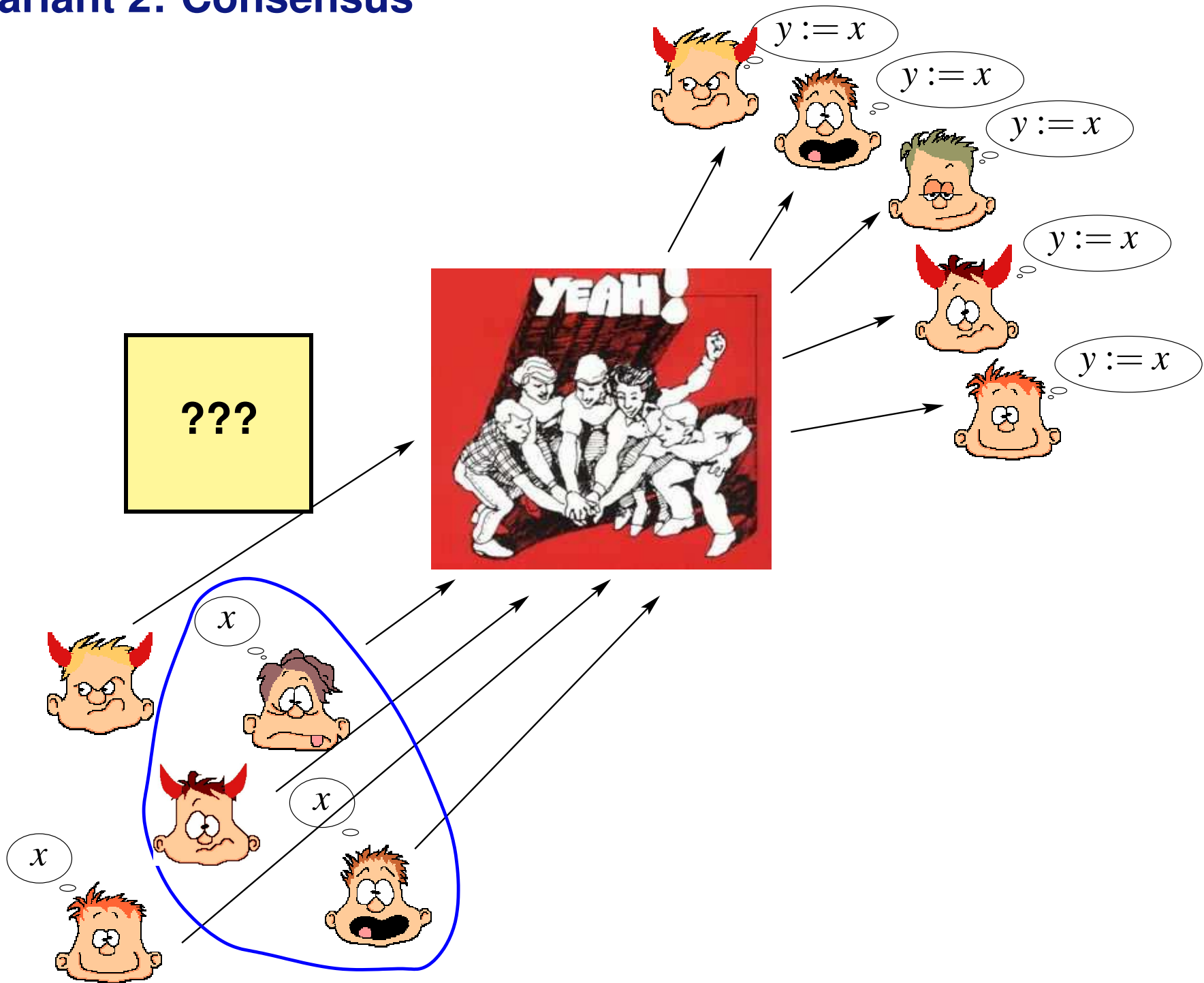
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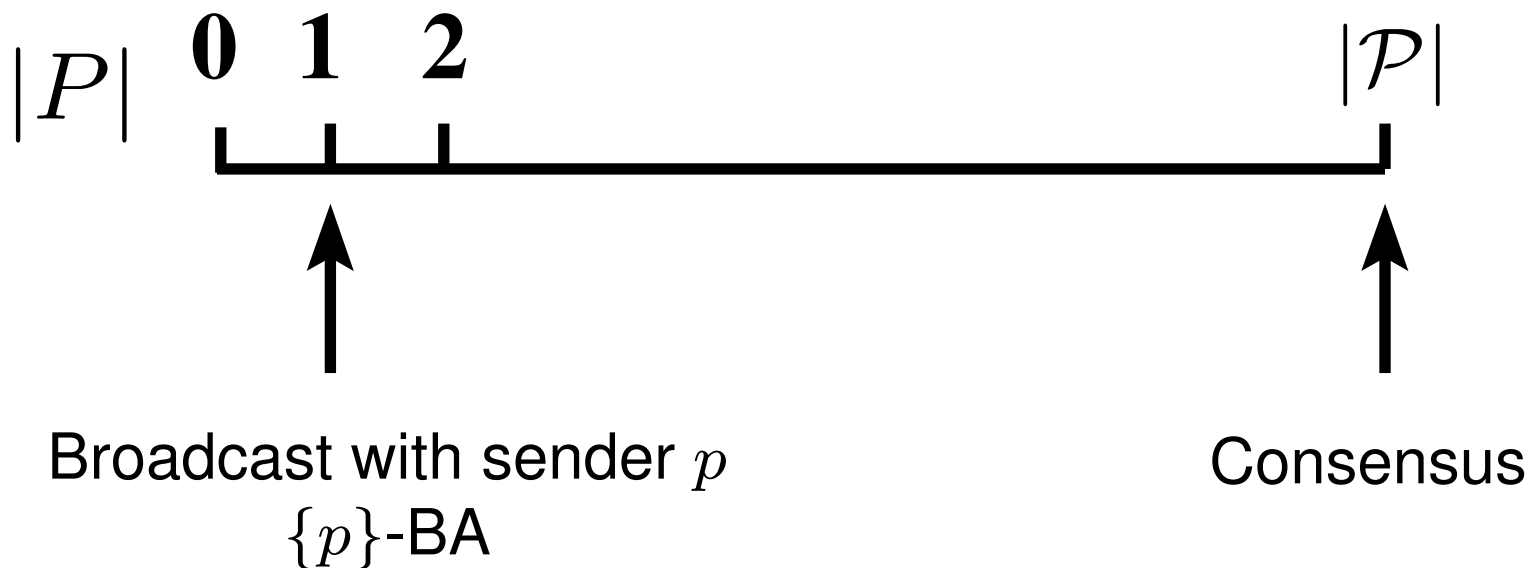
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- **Comp** **Leads to ...**

Play

- Player-Centric MPC (**Who** can give input?)

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