

Bidirectional flow analysis for a concurrent reversible programming language

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Reversibility in CS What/Why

- Energy/Computation Relation
Landauer's principle
- Fundamental computation paradigm
Reversible Turing Machine
- Reversible PL/Software Analysis
JANUS, R-FUN
- Reversibility in Communication and Concurrency
RCCS/CCSK, Hoey's Language, CRIL
- Low-energy circuits
- Quantum computation/circuits

Reversible Programming Language

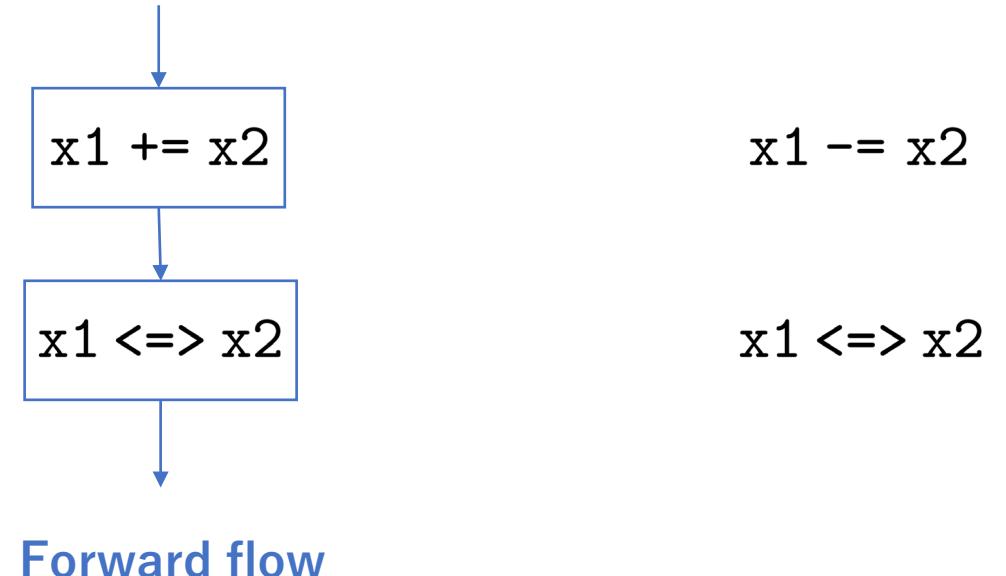
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            x2 += 1
  else n -= 1
    call fib(x1,x2,n)                     x1 <=> x2          x1 <=> x2
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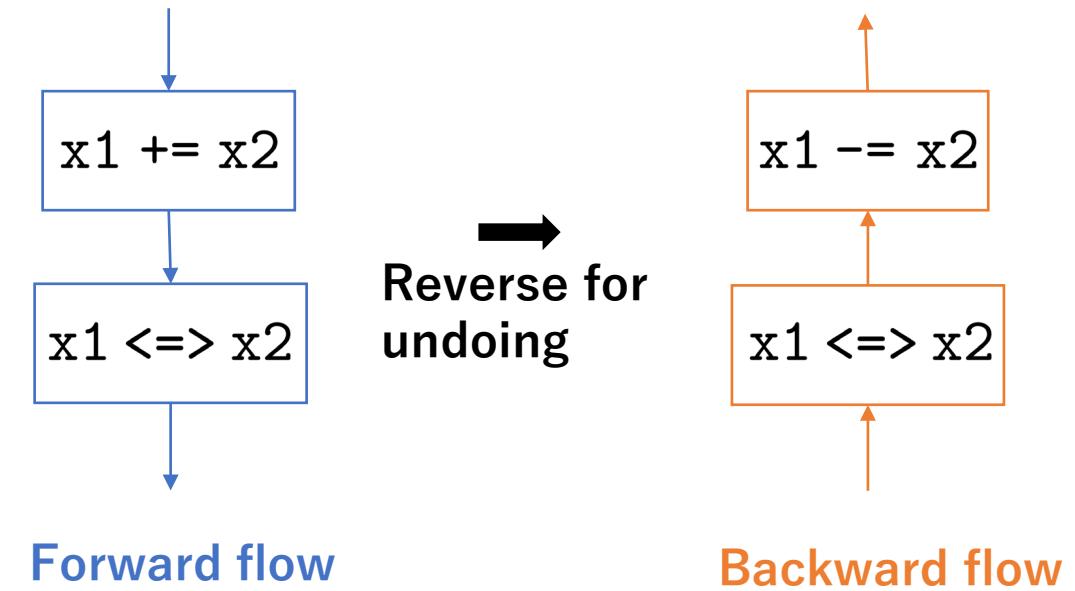
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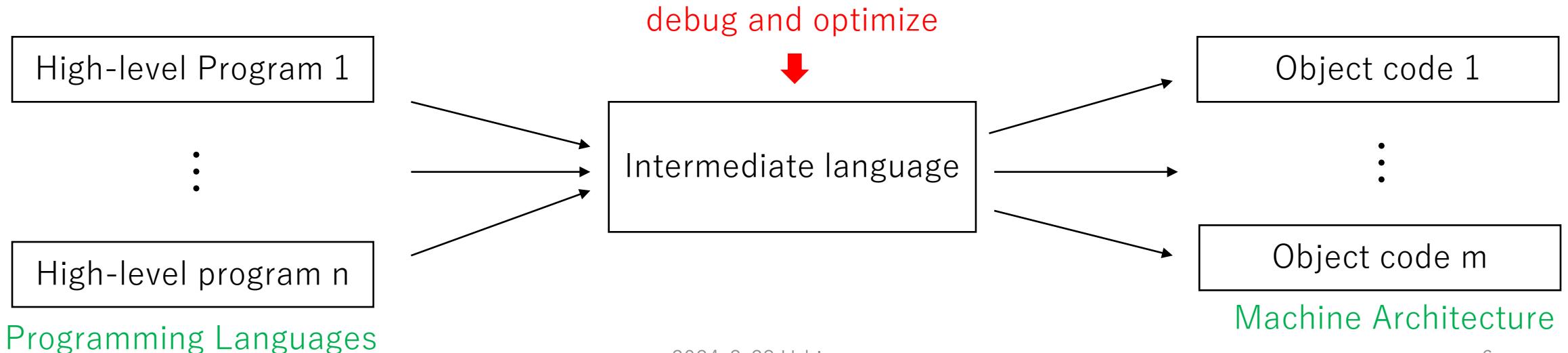
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Reversibility in program executions

- **Reversibility keeps all information of the execution** at any points.
- Reversibility enables behaviour analysis, such as **debugging, without replay** by **undoing execution**.
- Reversibility is useful for the analysis of programs where **replay is difficult**, such as **concurrent programs**.

Intermediate Language

- Intermediate languages, such as LLVM, are used to translate high-level language programs into machine-oriented forms, such as three-address codes.
- Intermediate languages are used for debugging and optimization.



RIL : Reversible Intermediate Language [Mogensen 16]

```
begin main
x += 0
→ entry
entry; loop ← x == 0
x += 1
x < 10 → loop; exit
exit ←
x += 3
end main
```

A RIL program[Mogensen 16]

- RIL is a reversible intermediate language to implement a heap manager for garbage collection and analyse the memory usage for functional reversible language [Mogensen 16].

RIL : Reversible Intermediate Language [Mogensen 16]

b1- [begin main Entry point
 x += 0 Instruction
 → entry Exit point

b2- [entry; loop ← x == 0 Conditional entry point
 x += 1 Instruction
 x < 10 → loop; exit Conditional exit point

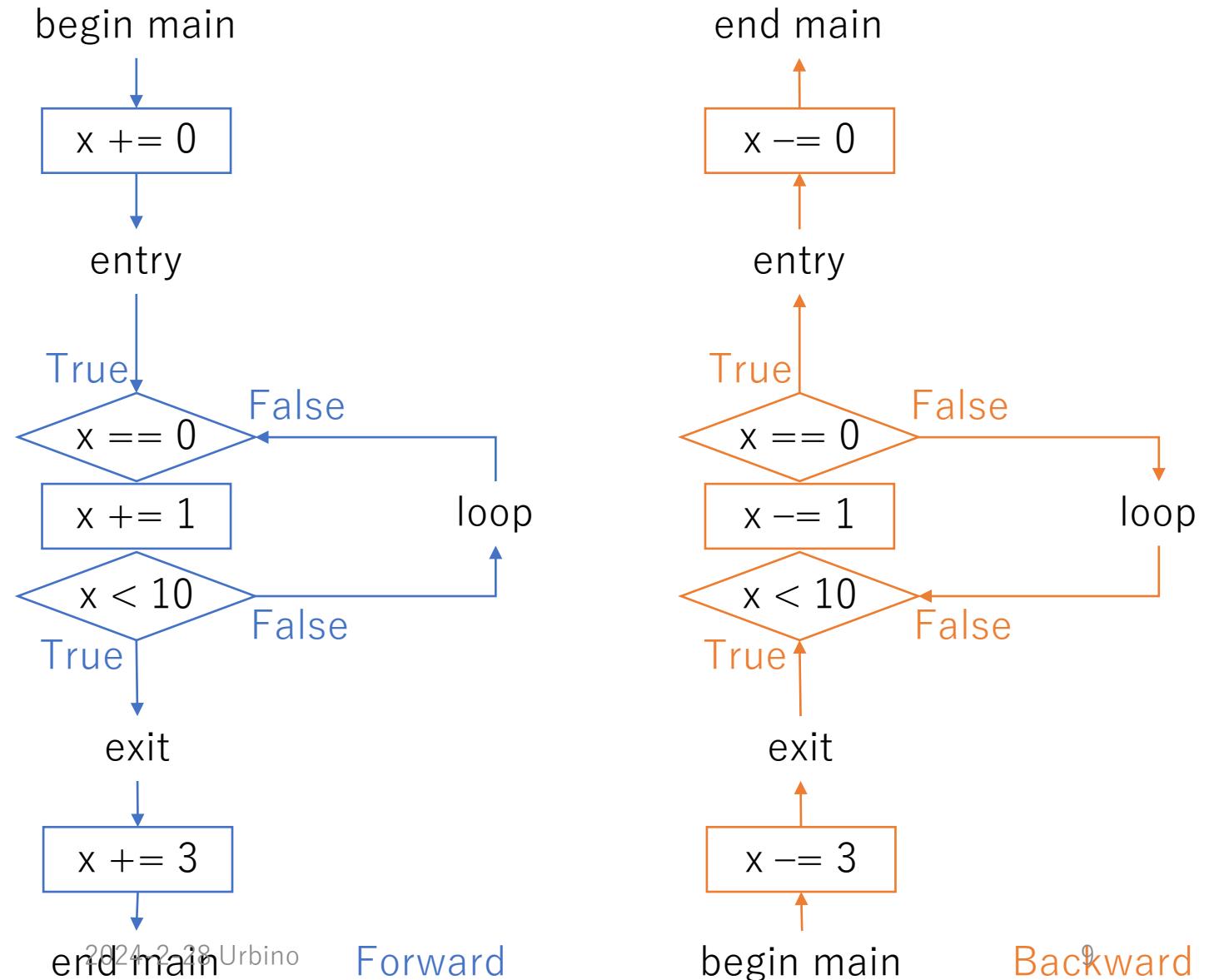
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CRIL : Concurrent RIL

- We propose CRIL, a concurrent reversible intermediate language by extending RIL.
- CRIL serves as a tool for **undoing concurrent programs**.
- CRIL enjoys the basic properties of reversibility.



Syntax of CRIL

```
 $Pg ::= b^*$ 
 $b ::= instb \mid callb$ 
 $instb ::= entry\ inst\ exit$ 
 $entry ::= l <- \mid l; l <- e \mid begin\ l$ 
 $exit ::= -> l \mid e -> l; l \mid end\ l$ 
 $inst ::= left \oplus= e \mid left <-> left$ 
 $\mid V\ x \mid P\ x \mid assert\ e \mid skip$ 
 $callb ::= l <- call\ l(, l)^* -> l$ 
 $e ::= right \odot right \mid !right$ 
 $left ::= x \mid M[x]$ 
 $right ::= k \mid left$ 
 $\oplus ::= + \mid - \mid ^$ 
 $\odot ::= \oplus \mid == \mid != \mid < \mid <= \mid >$ 
 $\mid >= \mid \&& \mid ||$ 
```

- CRIL allows multiple blocks to run concurrently and synchronization primitive.
- A program is **well-defined** if labels specify deterministic bi-directional control flow.
- Well-definedness is similar to RIL.

Operational Smantics

$$(Pg, \rho, \sigma, Pr) \xrightleftharpoons[\text{prog}]{p, Rd, Wt} (Pg, \rho', \sigma', Pr')$$

Forward direction 

Backward direction 

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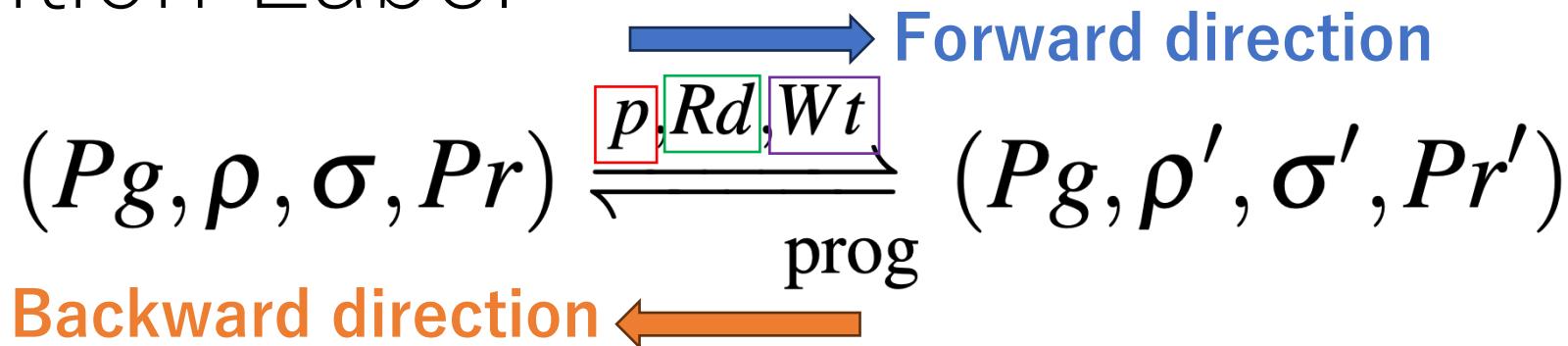
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A sequence of numbers.

$p \cdot i$ is the i -th subprocess of $p \in \mathbb{N}^*$.

$(l, stage)$, where l is the current label of the basic block and $stage$ is either **begin**, **run**, or **end**.

Transition Label



- p is the process id.
- Rd is the set of variables read.
- Wt is the set of variables updated.

Operational Semantics for Processes

$$\frac{\text{isleaf}(Pr_{act}, p) \quad b \in Pg \quad \text{entry}(b) \vdash (\rho, \sigma, l, stage) \quad \text{inst}(b) \triangleright (\rho, \sigma) \leftrightarrow (\rho', \sigma') \quad \text{exit}(b) \dashv (\rho', \sigma', l', stage')} {\text{Inst} \quad (Pg, \rho, \sigma, Pr[p \mapsto (l, stage)]) \xrightleftharpoons[\text{prog}]{p, \text{read}(b), \text{write}(b)} (Pg, \rho', \sigma', Pr[p \mapsto (l', stage')])}$$

$$\frac{\text{isleaf}(Pr_{act}, p) \quad (l' \leftarrow, \text{call } l_1, \dots, l_n, \rightarrow l'') \in Pg} {\text{CallFork} \quad (Pg, \rho, \sigma, Pr[p \mapsto (l', \text{run})]) \xrightleftharpoons[\text{prog}]{p, \emptyset, \emptyset} (Pg, \rho, \sigma, Pr[p \mapsto (l'', \text{run}), p \cdot 1 \mapsto (l_1, \text{begin}), \dots, p \cdot n \mapsto (l_n, \text{begin})])}$$

n subprocesses

$$\frac{\text{isleaf}(Pr_{act}, p) \quad (l' \leftarrow, \text{call } l_1, \dots, l_n, \rightarrow l'') \in Pg} {\text{CallMerge} \quad (Pg, \rho, \sigma, Pr[p \mapsto (l'', \text{run}), p \cdot 1 \mapsto (l_1, \text{end}), \dots, p \cdot n \mapsto (l_n, \text{end})]) \xrightleftharpoons[\text{prog}]{p, \emptyset, \emptyset} (Pg, \rho, \sigma, Pr[p \mapsto (l'', \text{run})])}$$

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Synchronization

$\vee x$ waits until $x = 0$ and sets $x = 1$.

↑
Symmetric

$\text{P } x$ waits until $x = 1$ and sets $x = 0$.

$$\frac{}{\text{V } x \triangleright (\rho[x \mapsto 0], \sigma) \rightsquigarrow (\rho[x \mapsto 1], \sigma)} \text{V-op}$$

$$\frac{}{\text{P } x \triangleright (\rho[x \mapsto 1], \sigma) \rightsquigarrow (\rho[x \mapsto 0], \sigma)} \text{P-op}$$

Expressions:

$$\frac{k \text{ is a constant}}{(\rho, \sigma) \triangleright k \rightsquigarrow k} \text{Con}$$

$$\frac{(\rho[x \mapsto m], \sigma) \triangleright x \rightsquigarrow m}{(\rho[x \mapsto m_1], \sigma[m_1 \mapsto m_2]) \triangleright M[x] \rightsquigarrow m_2} \text{Var}$$

$$\frac{}{(\rho[x \mapsto m_1], \sigma[m_1 \mapsto m_2]) \triangleright M[x] \rightsquigarrow m_2} \text{Mem}$$

$$\frac{(\rho, \sigma) \triangleright right_1 \rightsquigarrow m_1 \quad (\rho, \sigma) \triangleright right_2 \rightsquigarrow m_2 \quad m_3 = m_1 \odot m_2}{(\rho, \sigma) \triangleright right_1 \odot right_2 \rightsquigarrow m_3} \text{Exp1}$$

$$\frac{(\rho, \sigma) \triangleright right \rightsquigarrow 0}{(\rho, \sigma) \triangleright !right \rightsquigarrow 1} \text{Exp2}$$

$$\frac{(\rho, \sigma) \triangleright right \rightsquigarrow m \quad m \neq 0}{(\rho, \sigma) \triangleright !right \rightsquigarrow 0} \text{Exp3}$$

Instructions:

$$\frac{(\rho, \sigma) \triangleright e \rightsquigarrow m_3 \quad m_2 = m_1 \oplus m_3}{x \oplus= e \triangleright (\rho[x \mapsto m_1], \sigma) \rightsquigarrow (\rho[x \mapsto m_2], \sigma)} \text{AssVar}$$

$$\frac{(\rho, \sigma) \triangleright e \rightsquigarrow m_3 \quad m_2 = m_1 \oplus m_3}{\text{M}[x] \oplus= e \triangleright (\rho[x \mapsto m_4], \sigma[m_4 \mapsto m_1]) \rightsquigarrow (\rho[x \mapsto m_4], \sigma[m_4 \mapsto m_2])} \text{AssArr}$$

$$\frac{x \leftrightarrow y \triangleright (\rho[x, y \mapsto m_1, m_2], \sigma) \rightsquigarrow (\rho[x, y \mapsto m_2, m_1], \sigma)}{} \text{SwapVarVar}$$

$$\frac{x \leftrightarrow \text{M}[y] \triangleright (\rho[x, y \mapsto m_1, m_3], \sigma[m_3 \mapsto m_2]) \rightsquigarrow (\rho[x, y \mapsto m_2, m_3], \sigma[m_3 \mapsto m_1])}{x \leftrightarrow \text{M}[y] \triangleright (\rho[x, y \mapsto m_1, m_3], \sigma[m_3 \mapsto m_2]) \rightsquigarrow (\rho[x, y \mapsto m_2, m_3], \sigma[m_3 \mapsto m_1])} \text{SwapVarArr}$$

$$\frac{\rightarrow m_1, m_3, \sigma[m_3 \mapsto m_2]) \rightsquigarrow (\rho[x, y \mapsto m_2, m_3], \sigma[m_3 \mapsto m_1])}{n_4, \sigma[m_3, m_4 \mapsto m_1, m_2]) \rightsquigarrow (\rho[x, y \mapsto m_3, m_4], \sigma[m_3, m_4 \mapsto m_2, m_1])} \text{SwapArrVar}$$

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$$\frac{}{\rightsquigarrow (\rho[x \mapsto 1], \sigma)} \text{V-op}$$

$$\frac{}{\text{P } x \triangleright (\rho[x \mapsto 1], \sigma) \rightsquigarrow (\rho[x \mapsto 0], \sigma)} \text{P-op}$$

$$\frac{}{(x \rightsquigarrow (\rho, \sigma)) \rightsquigarrow (\rho, \sigma)} \text{Skip}$$

$$\frac{(\rho, \sigma) \triangleright e \rightsquigarrow m \quad m \neq 0}{\text{assert } e \triangleright (\rho, \sigma) \rightsquigarrow (\rho, \sigma)} \text{Assert}$$

Uncontrolled CRIL Behavior

- $\xrightarrow[p,Rd,Wt]{\text{prog}}$ is reversible in one-step.
- However, the operational semantics does not make a well-defined CRIL program reversible.
- We shall see **what happens** if **undo** is performed **without controlling backward execution**.

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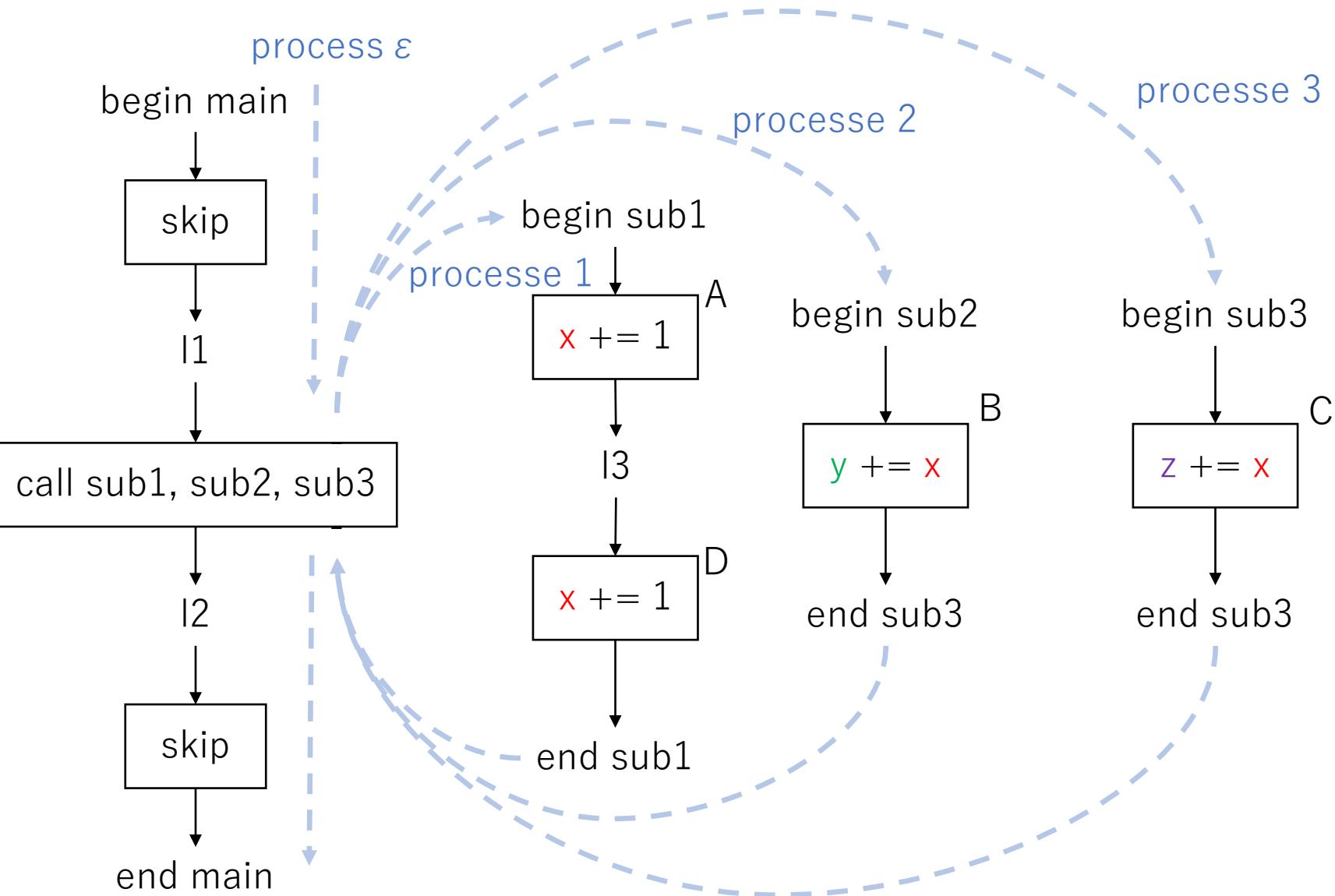
begin main
skip
-> l1
l1 <-
call sub1, sub2, sub3
-> l2
l2 <-
skip
end main

A begin sub1
x += 1
-> l3
l3 <-
x += 1
end sub1

B begin sub2
y += x
end sub2

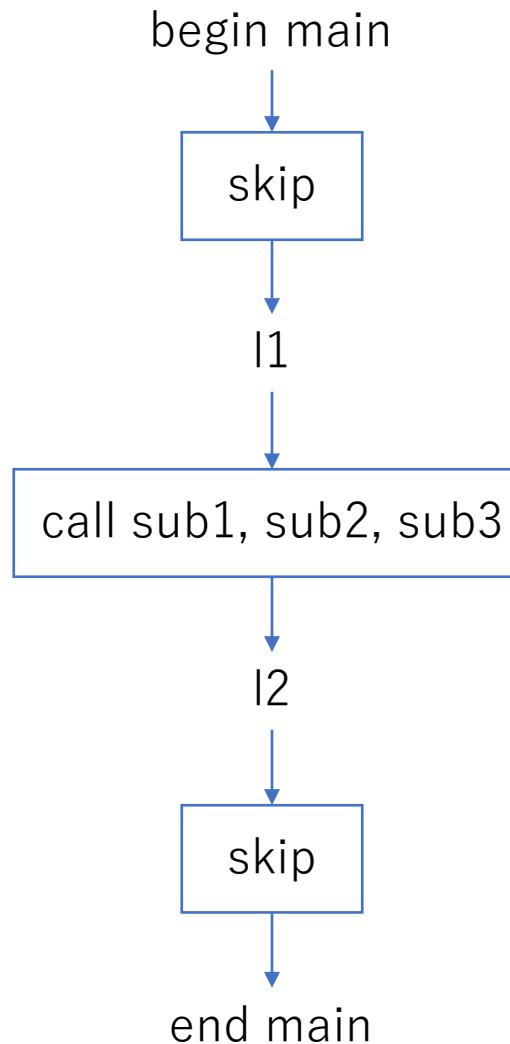
C begin sub3
z += x
end sub3

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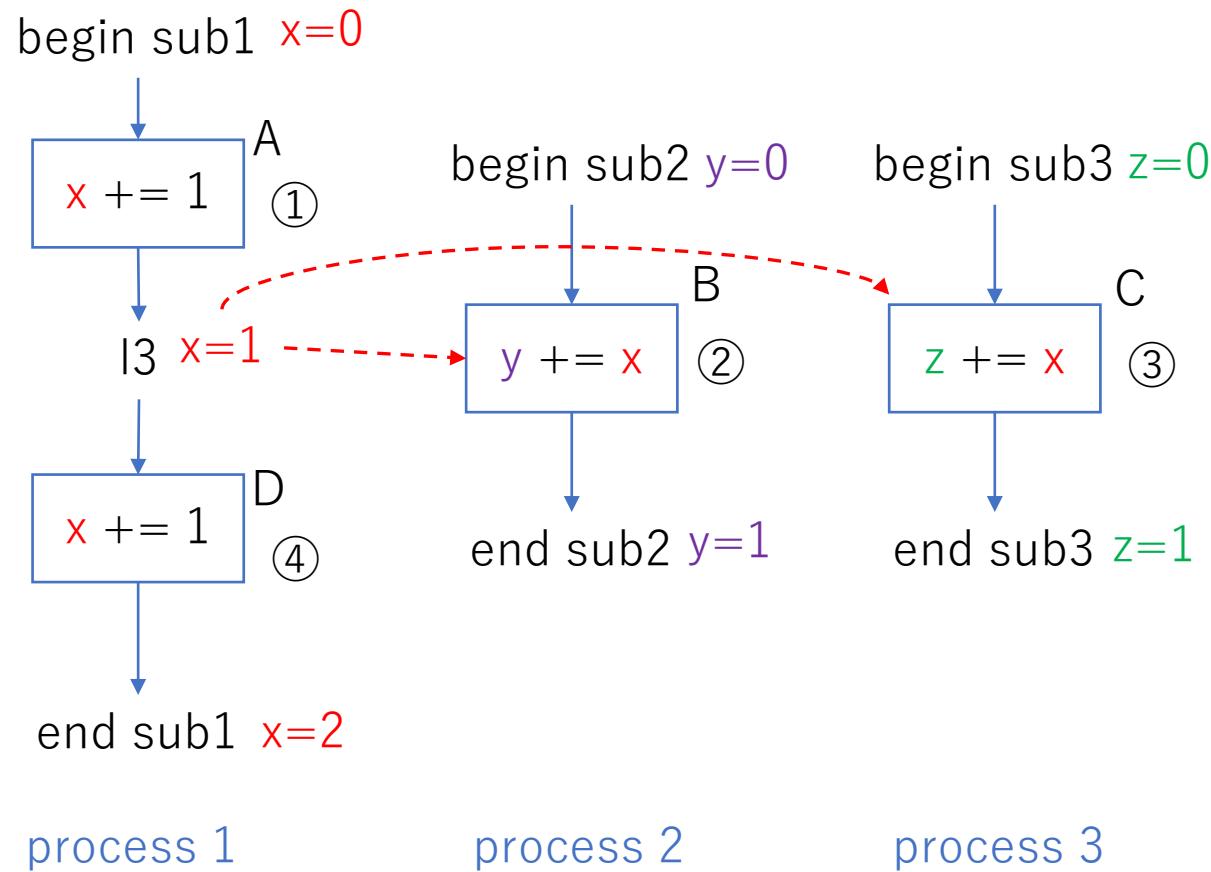
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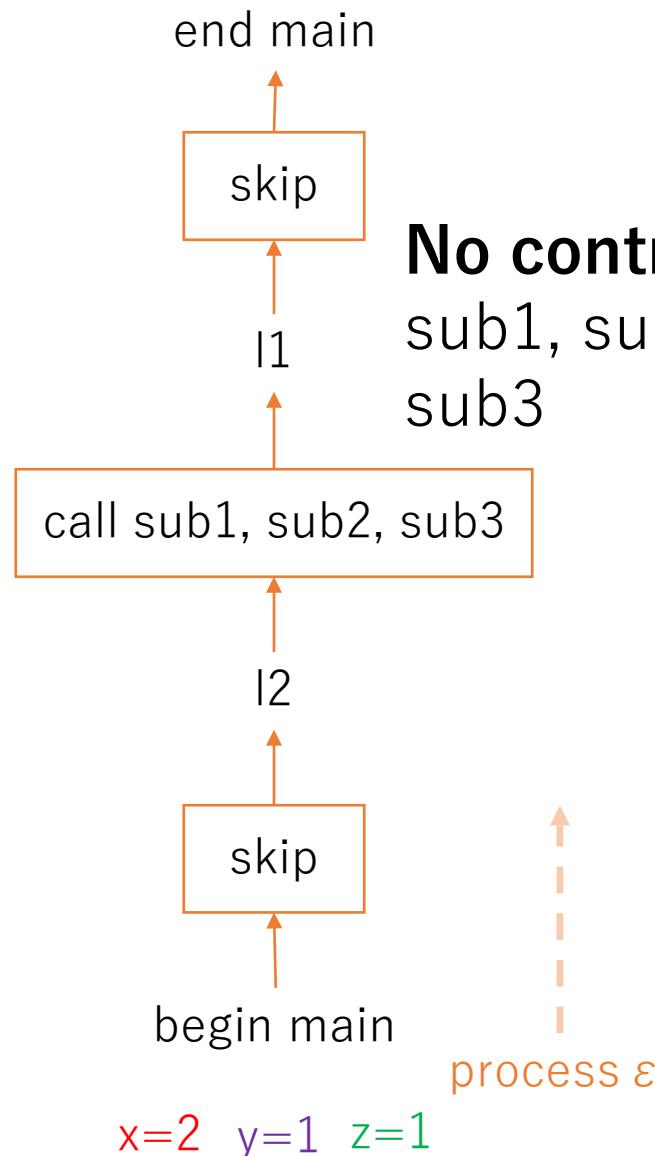
$x=0$ $y=0$ $z=0$



$x=2$ $y=1$ $z=1$
process ε

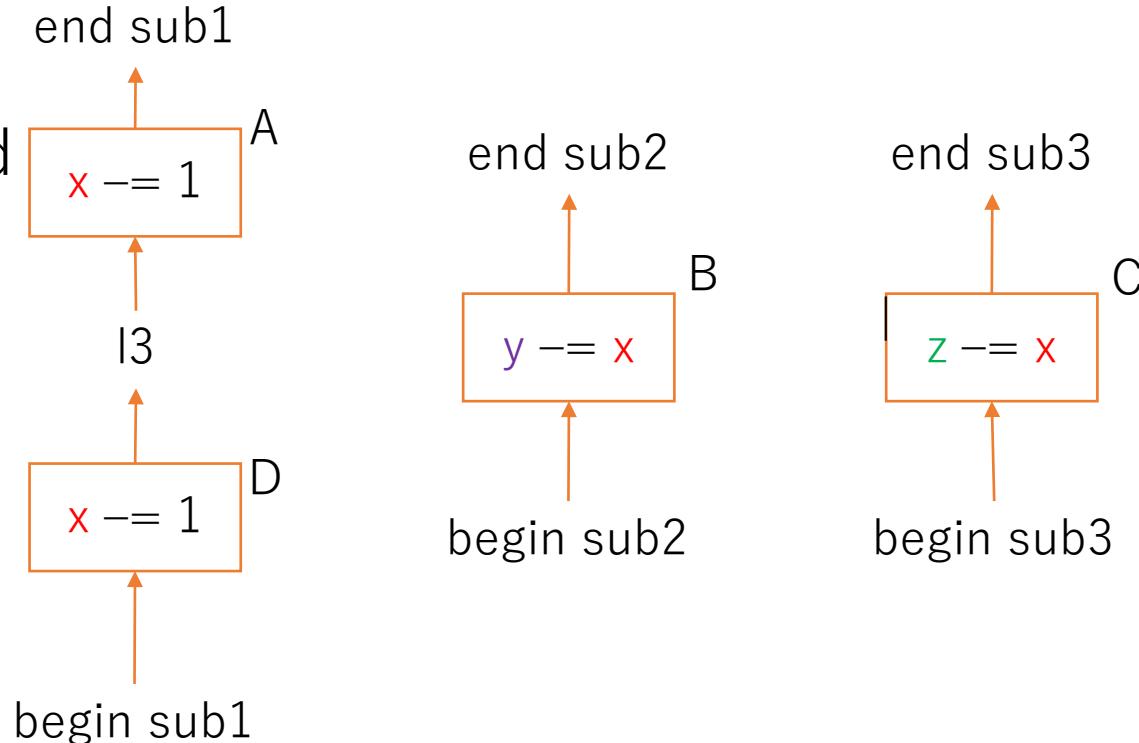
$A \rightarrow B \rightarrow C \rightarrow D$ in the **forward** direction.





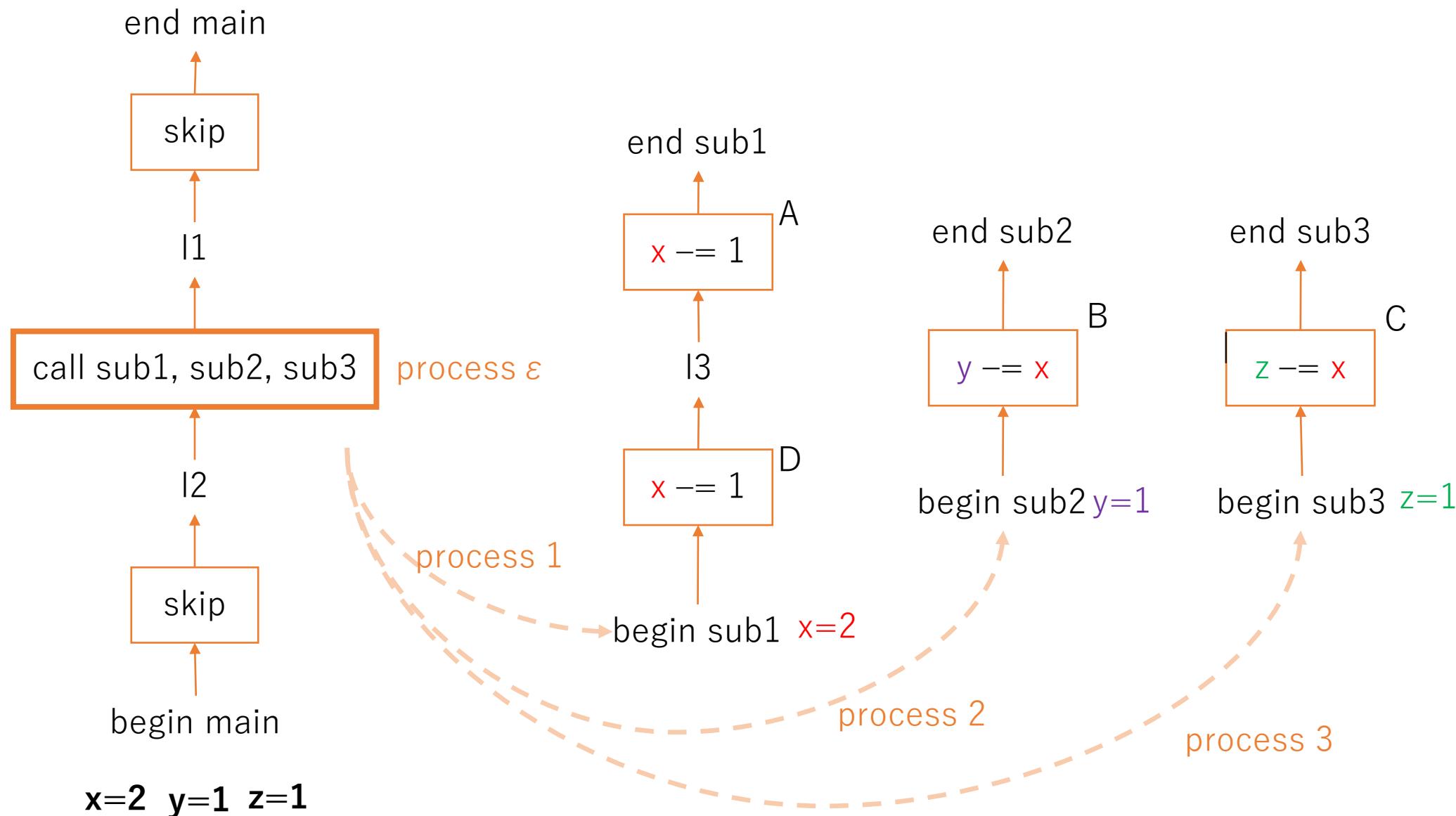
No control for
sub1, sub2, and
sub3

If the blocks are executed in the order
`C → B → D → A` (not `D → C → B → A`)
in the **backward** direction.

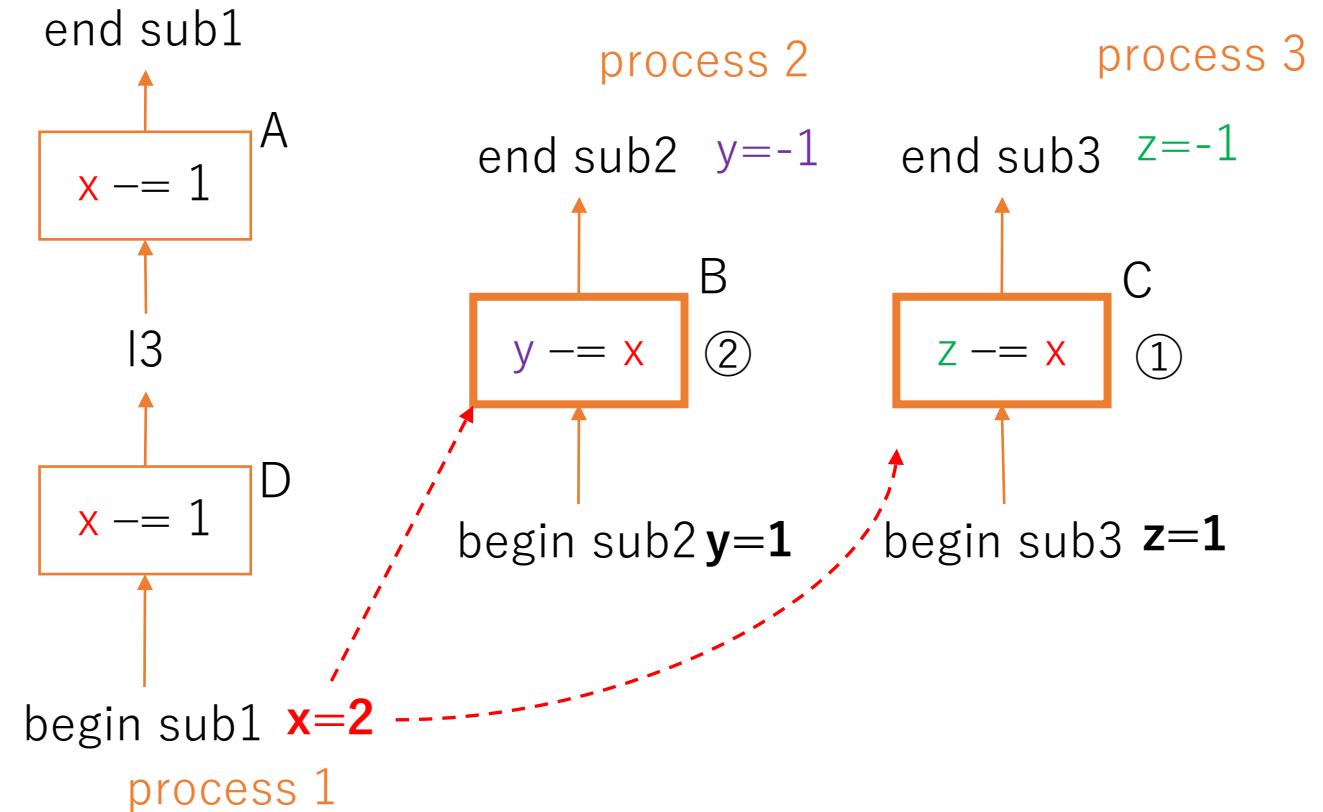
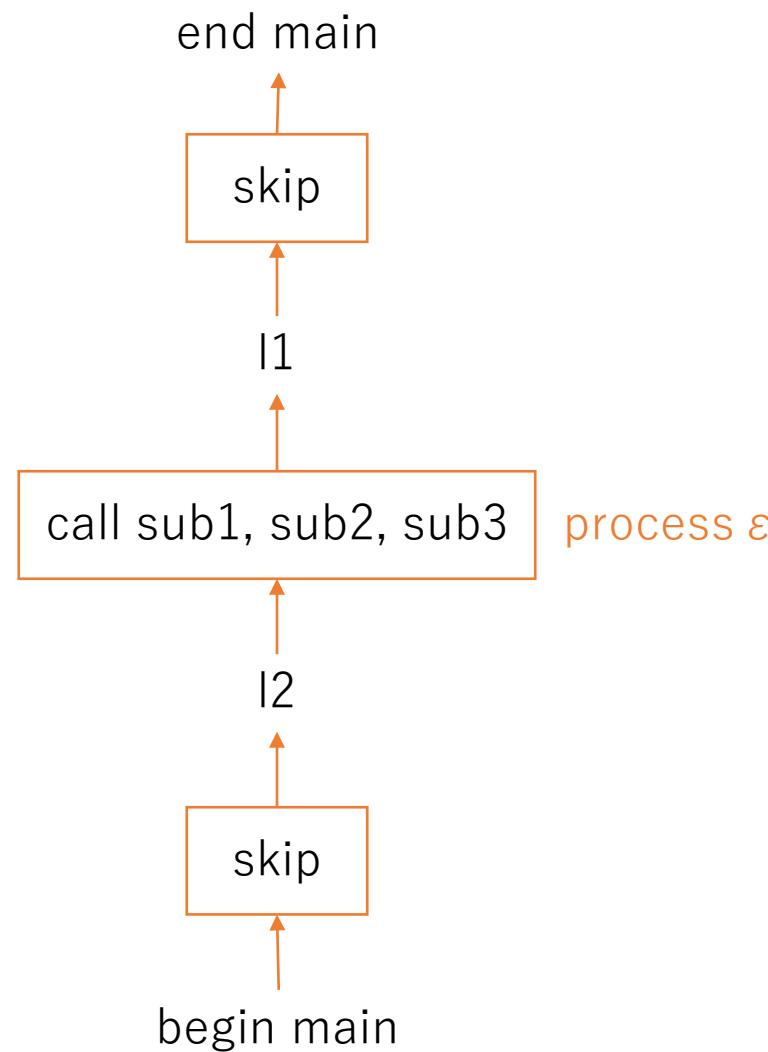


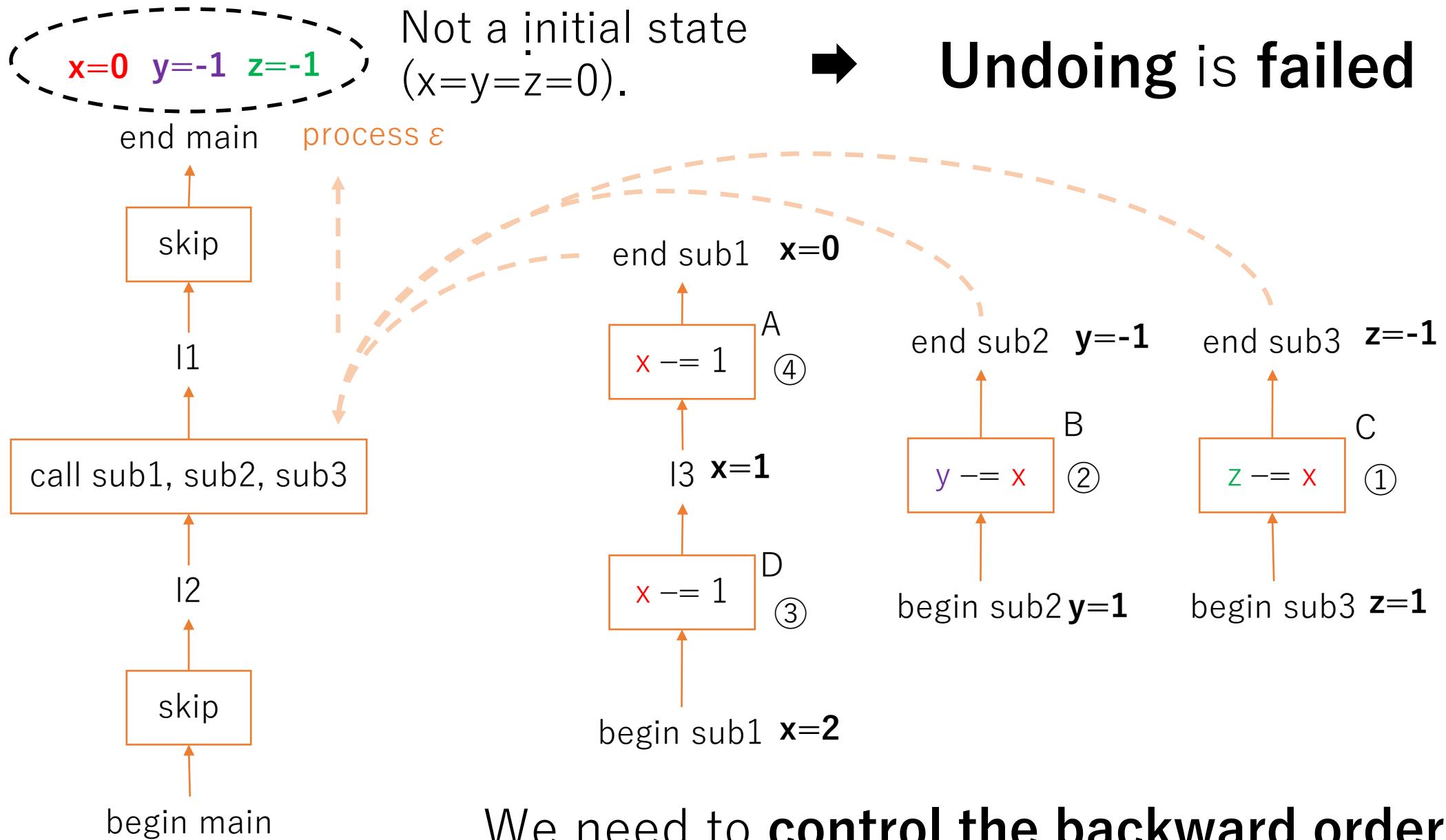
`x=2 y=1 z=1`

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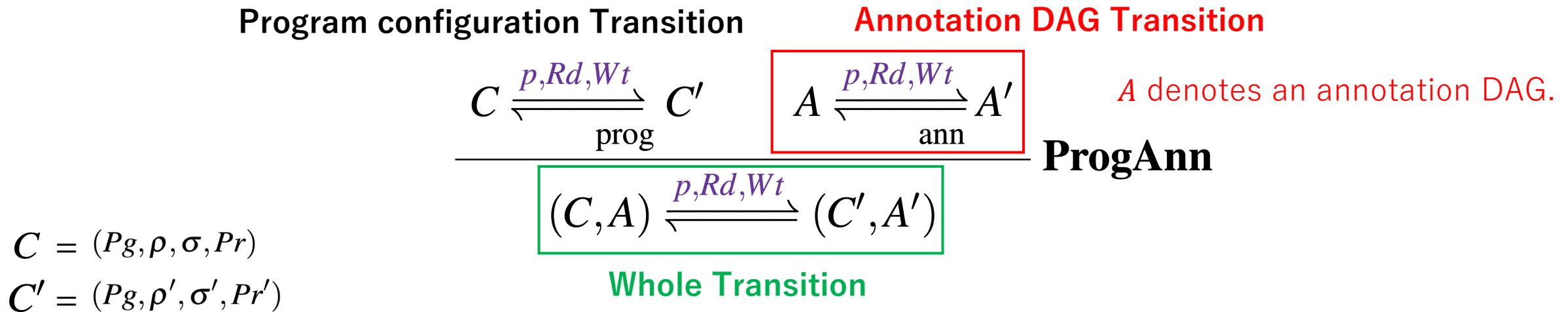
We need to **control the backward order**.

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Controlled semantics with Annotation DAG

- We require the information about **the causal relationship among basic blocks** (\Leftarrow the order of reading and updating for each variable).
- We introduce a data structure called **annotation DAG** (Directed Acyclic Graph).

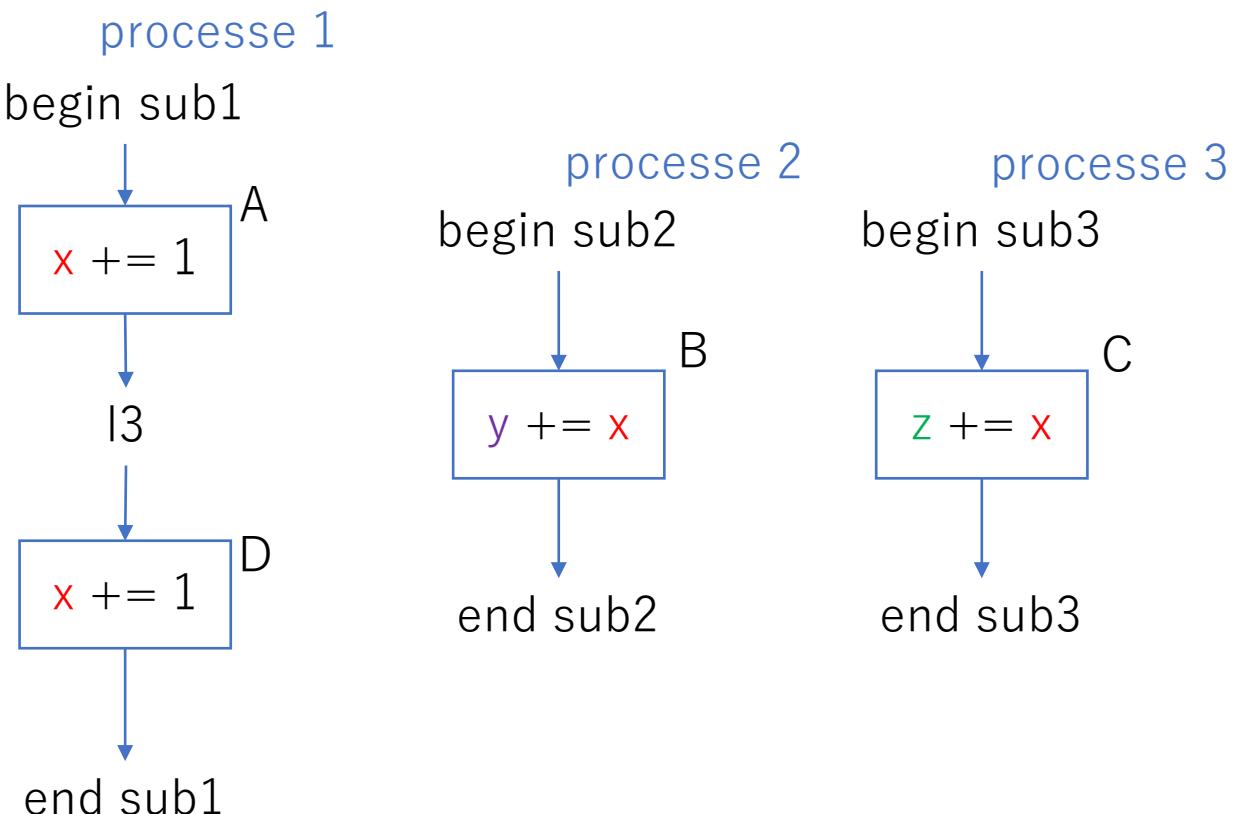


Forward accumulation of causality

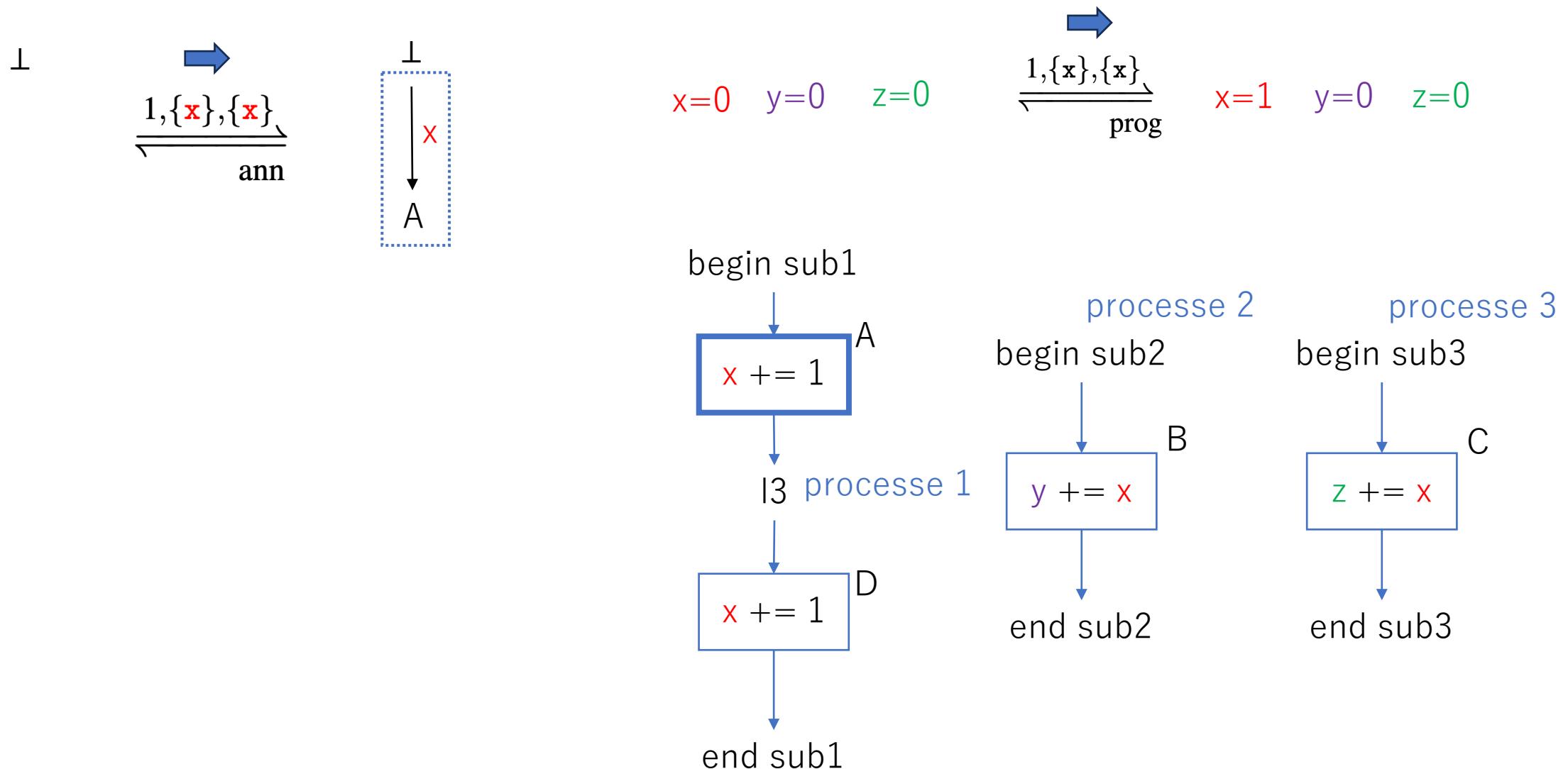
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In **forward** direction, the annotation DAG **memorizes** the **causality** among the basic blocks.

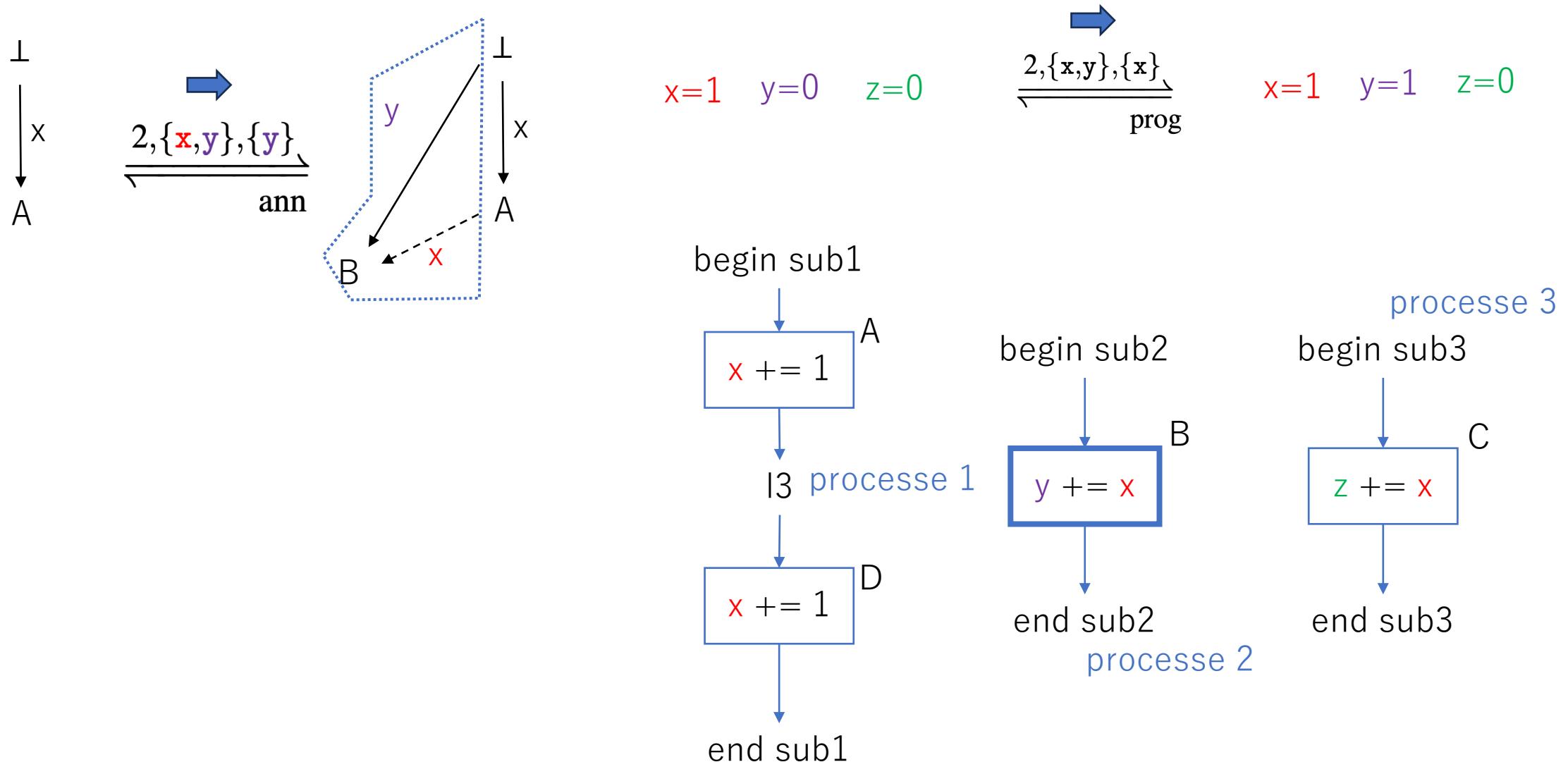
$$x=0 \quad y=0 \quad z=0$$



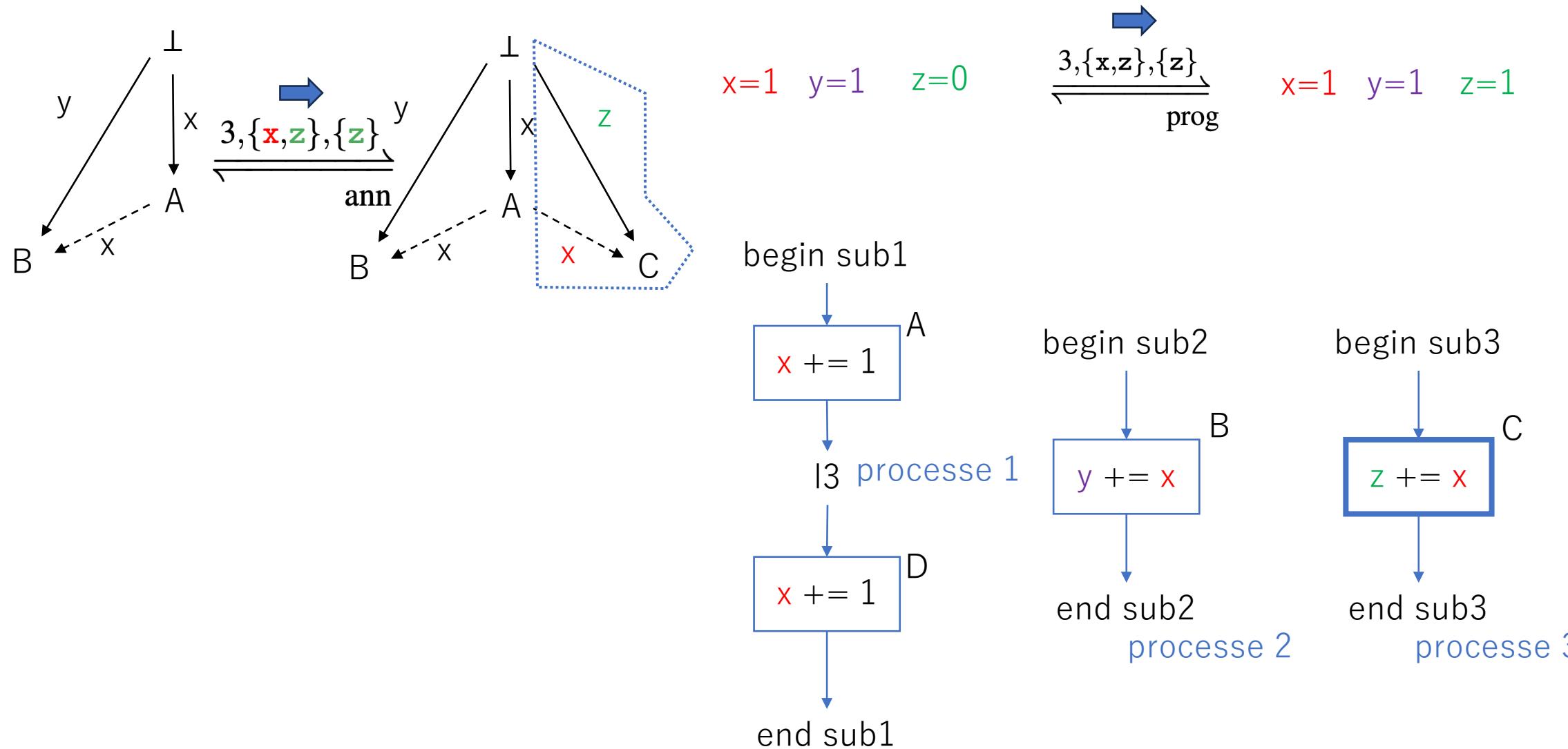
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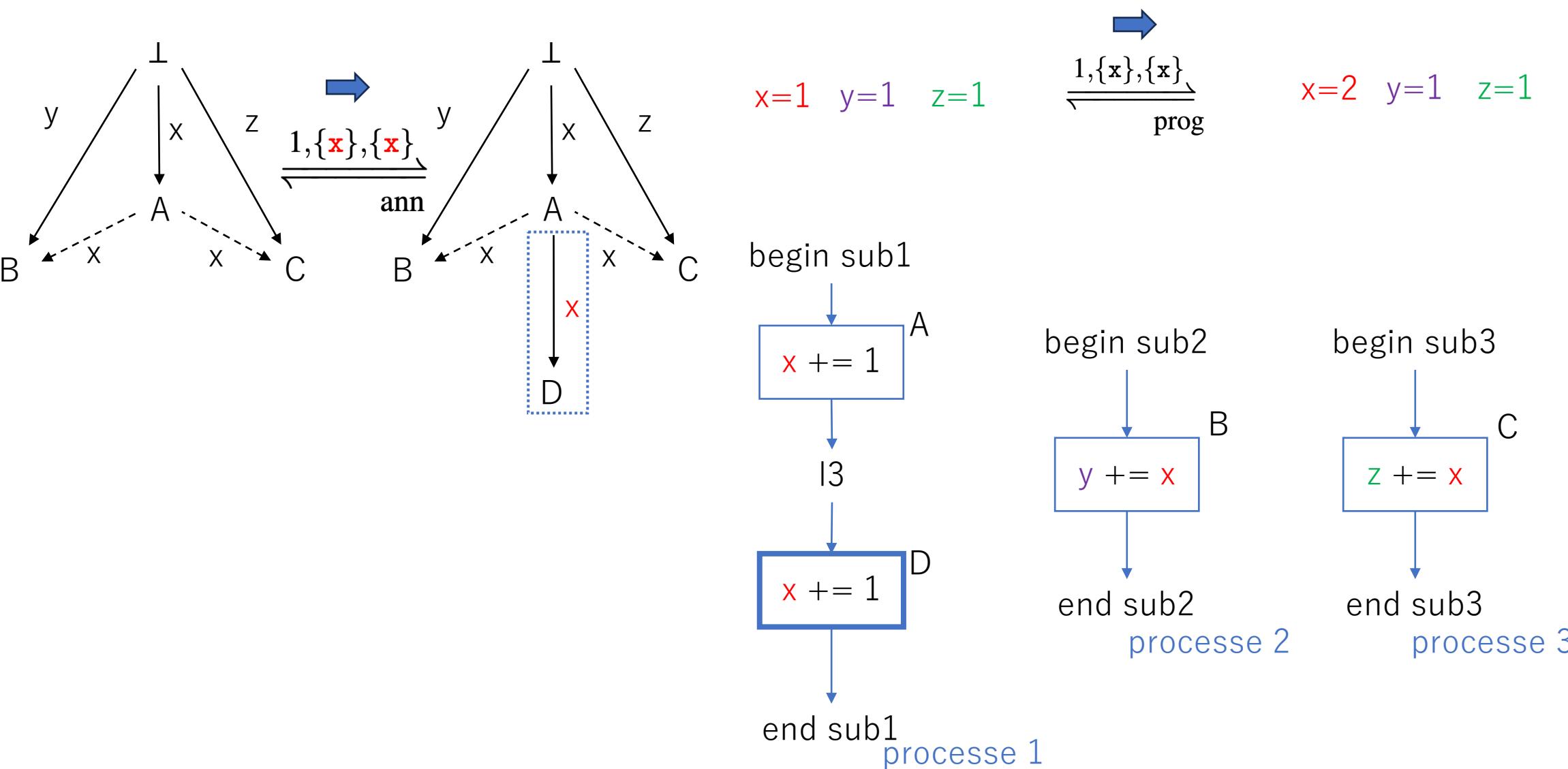
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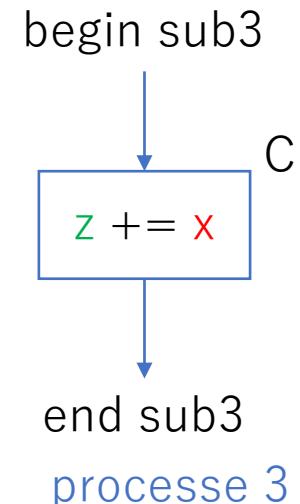
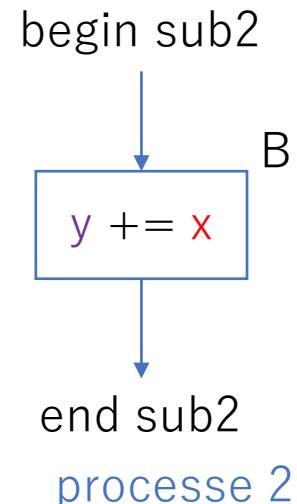
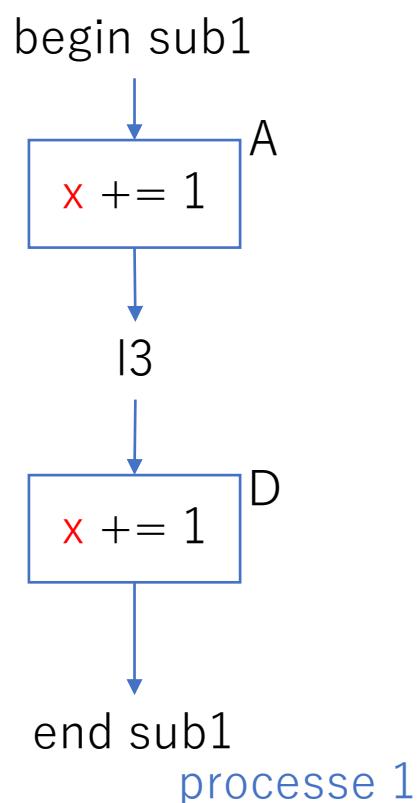
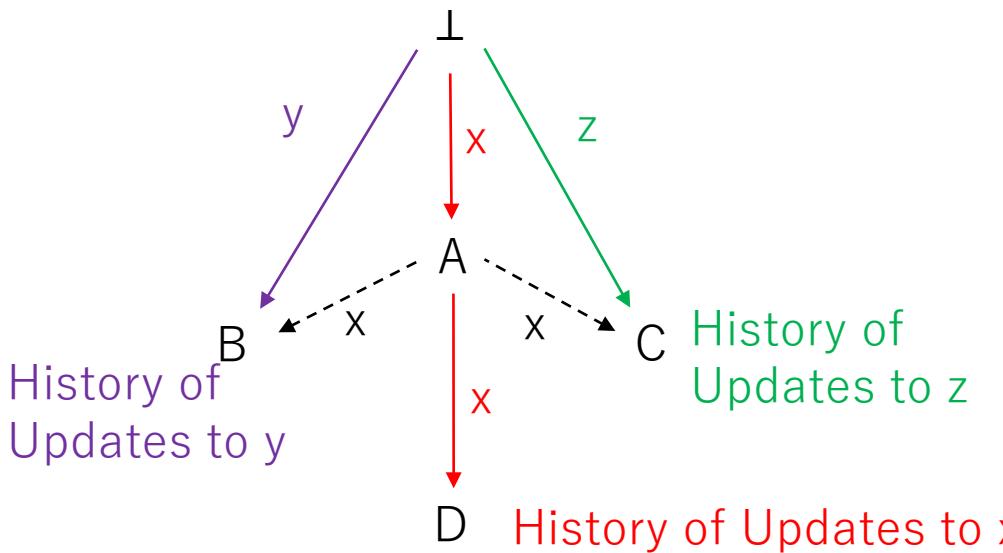


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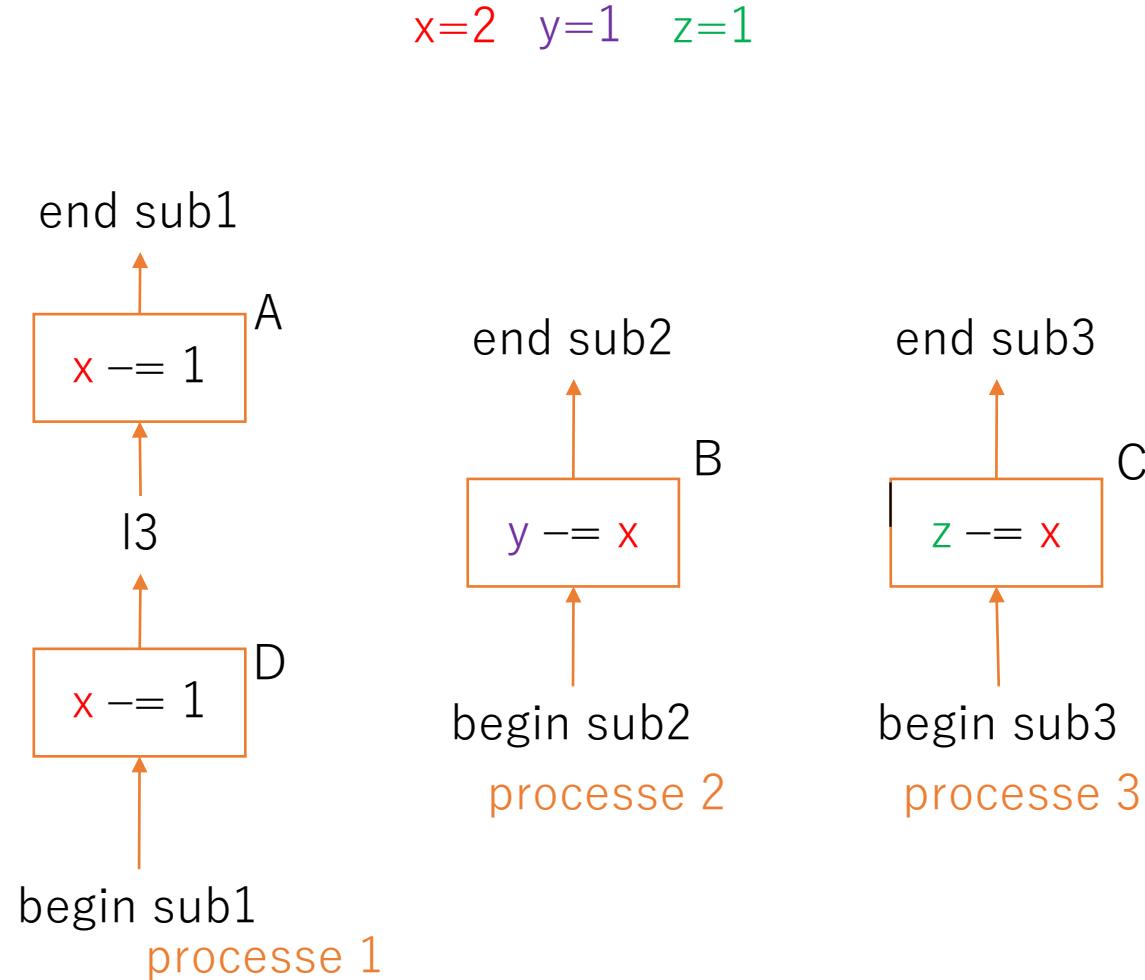
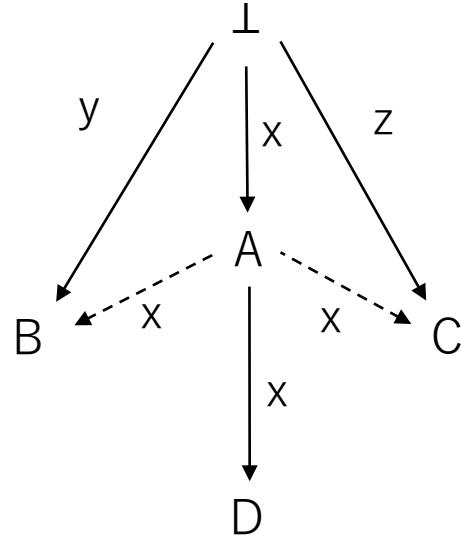
Note: an annotation DAG **does not remember** the **values of variables**.



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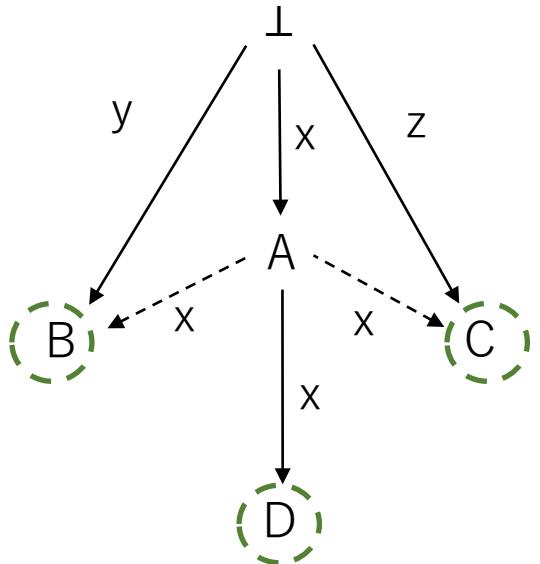
Backward rollback of causality

In **backward** direction, the Annotation DAG **controls** the execution by **matching the causality**.

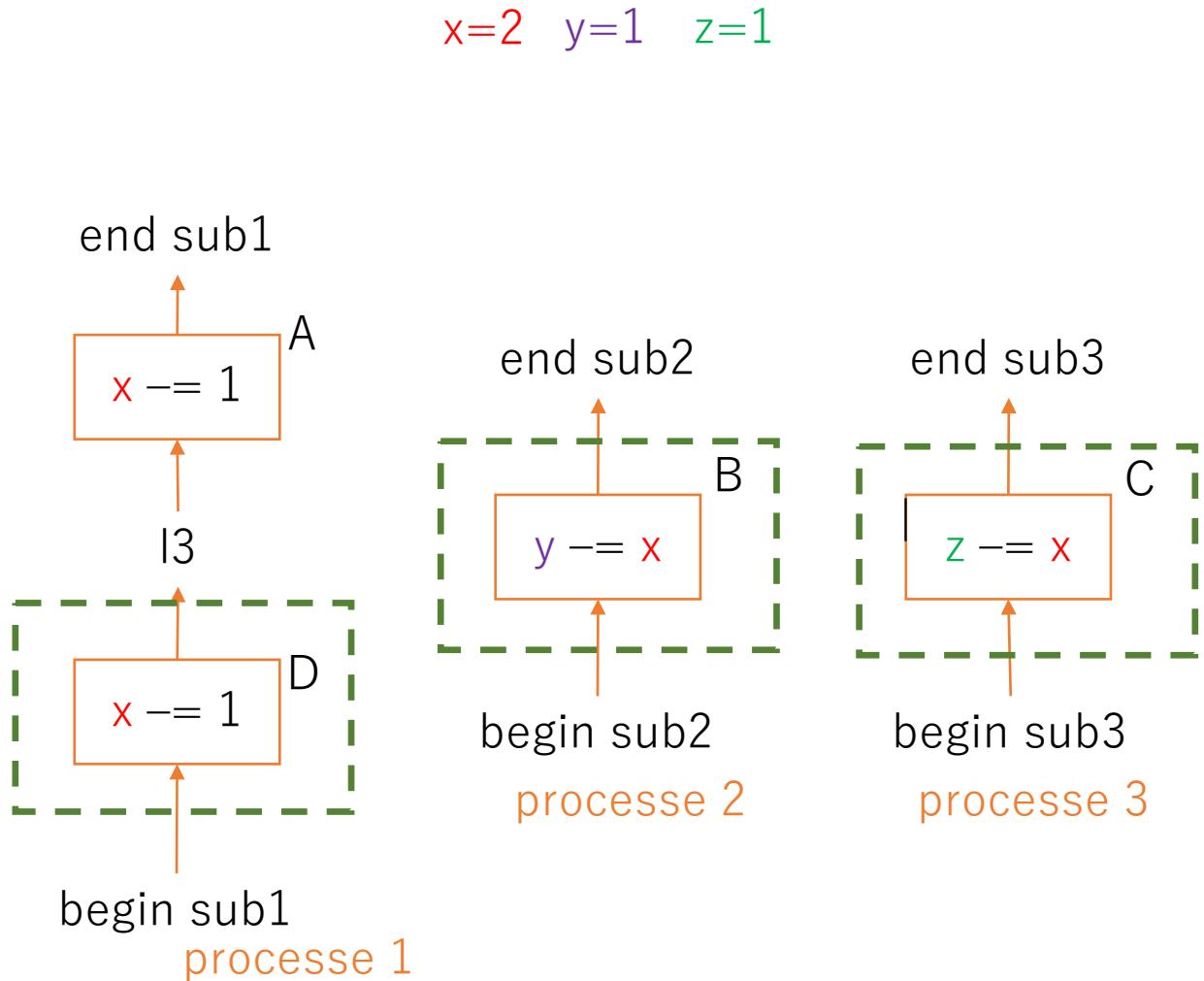


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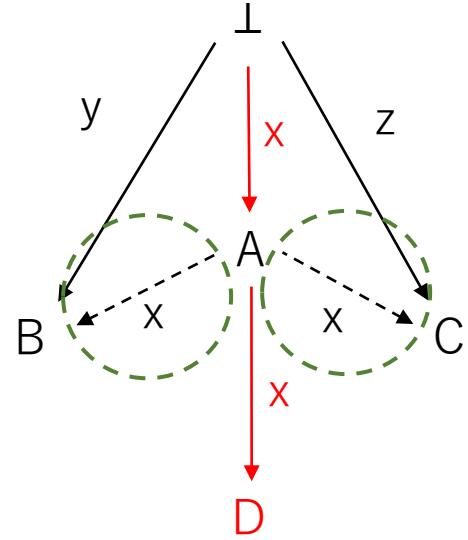
B and C receive the value of x from



B, C, or D may be executed backward.



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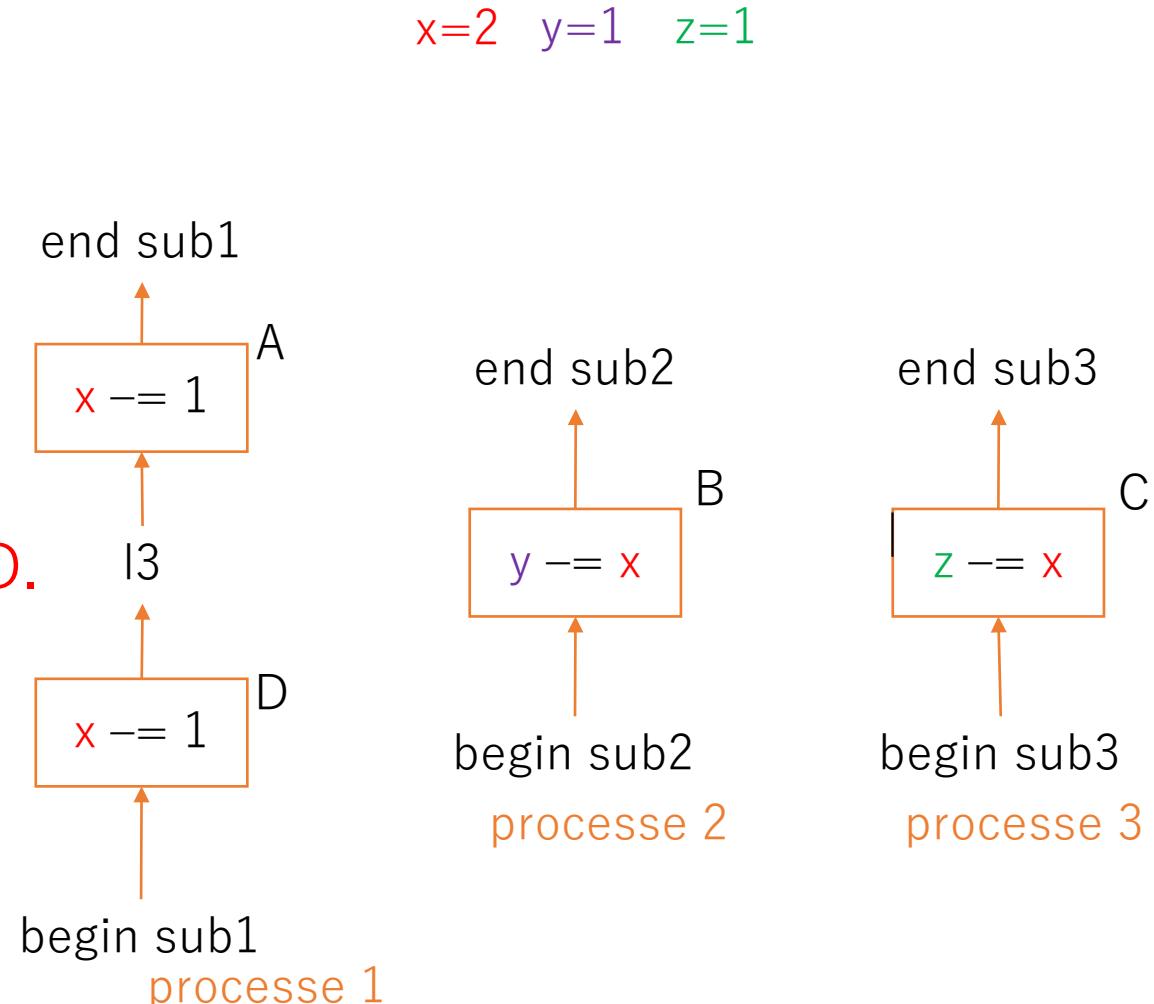


The current value of x is defined by D.

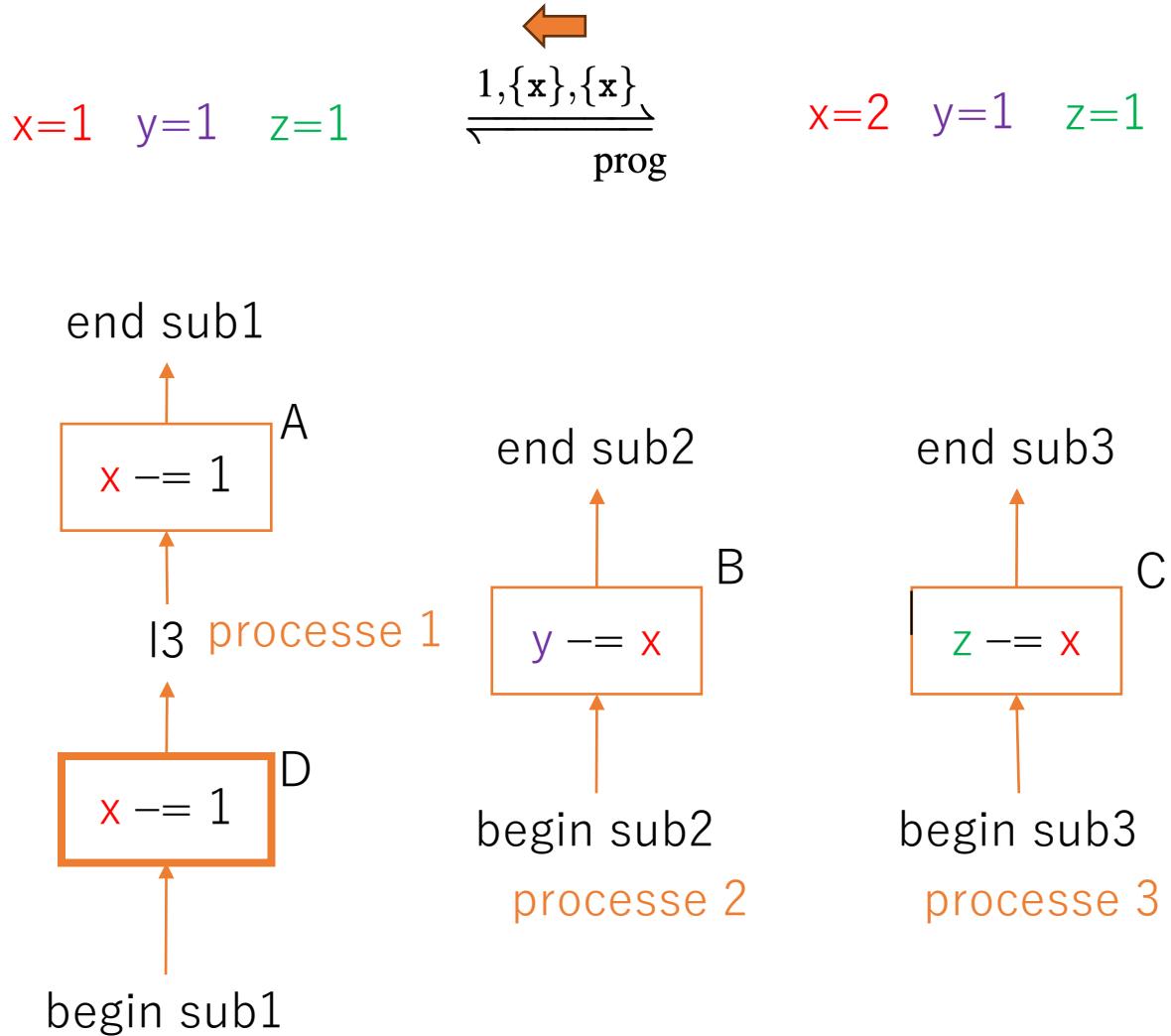
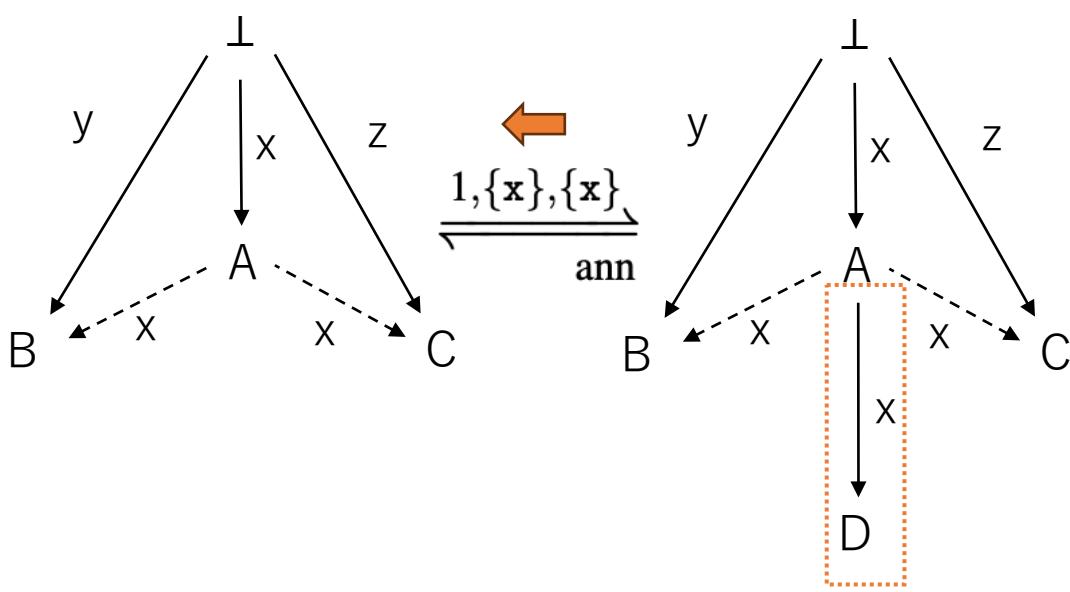
However, B and C do not receive the current value of x .



B and C **cannot** be reversed.



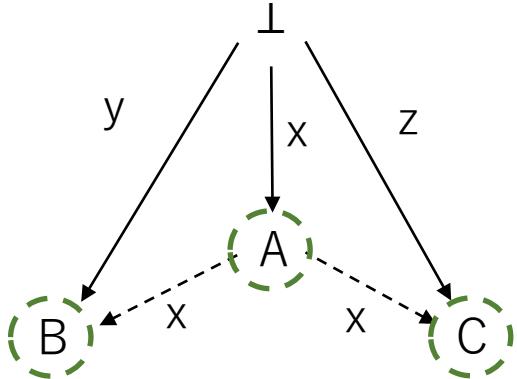
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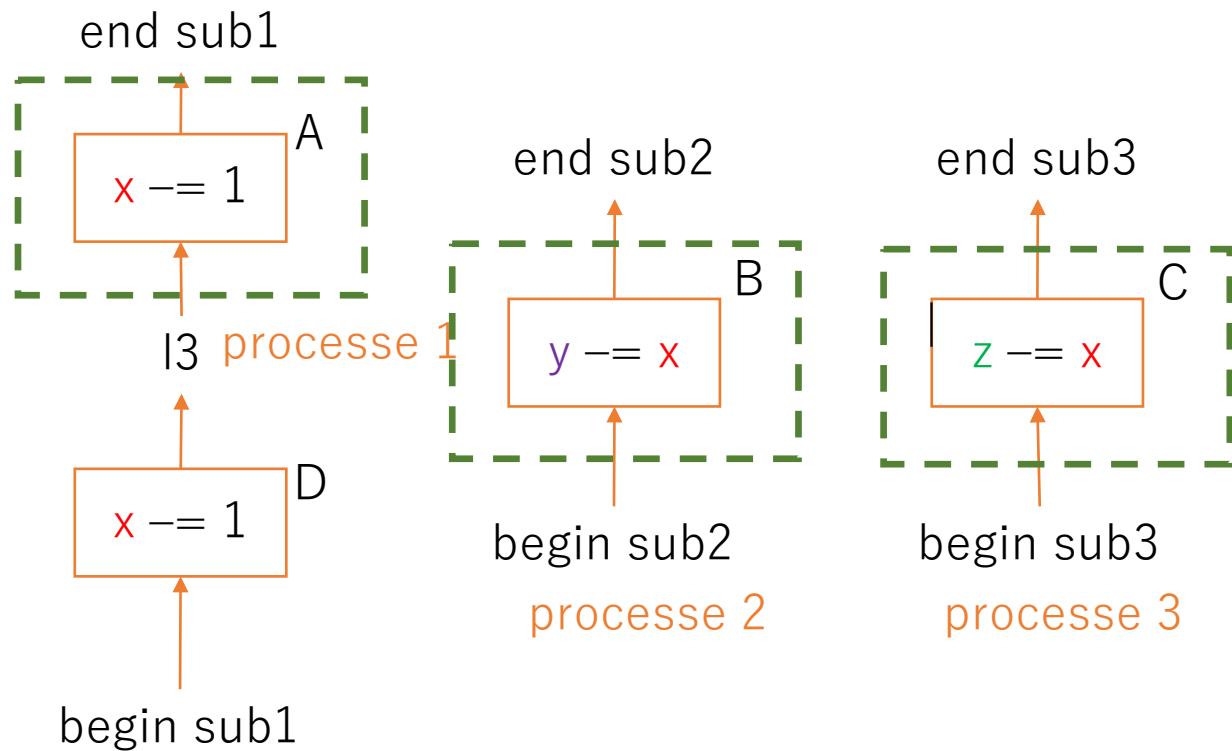
Only D **can** be reversed.

D is removed from the annotation DAG

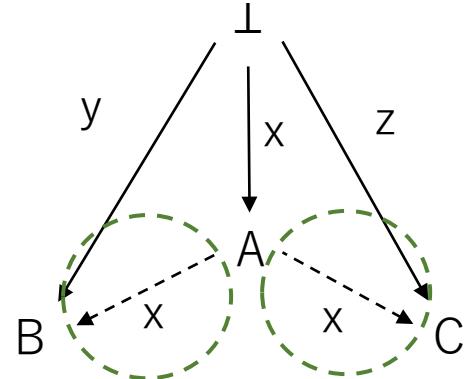
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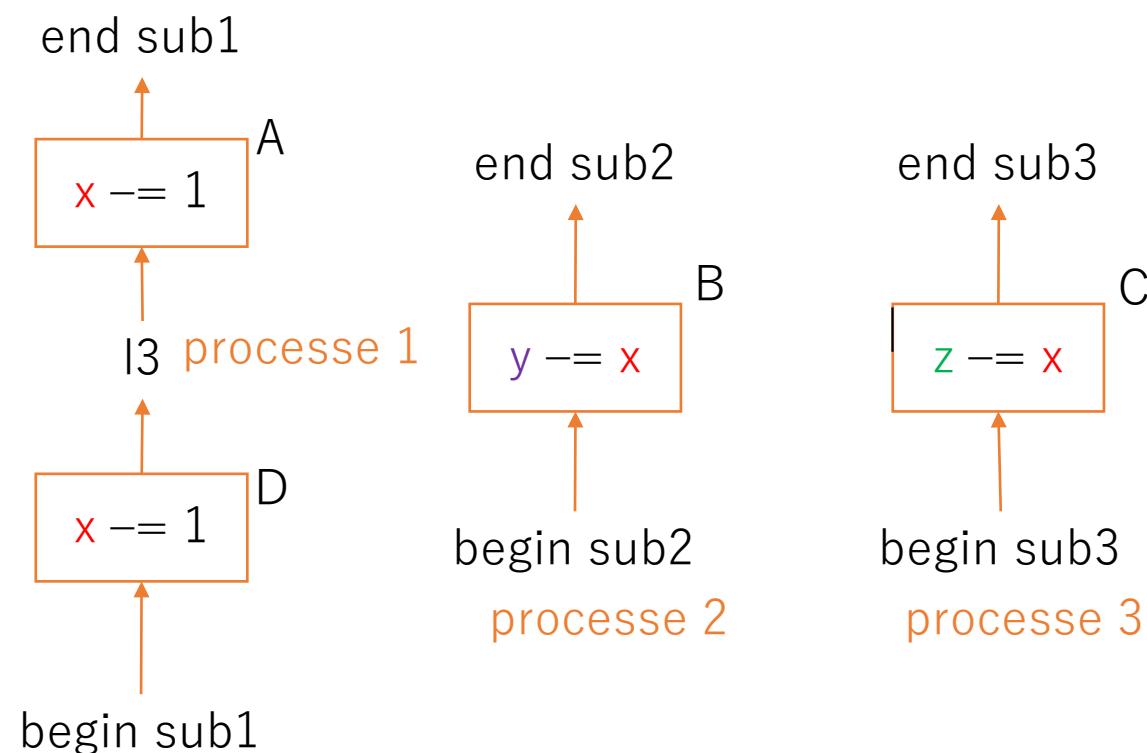
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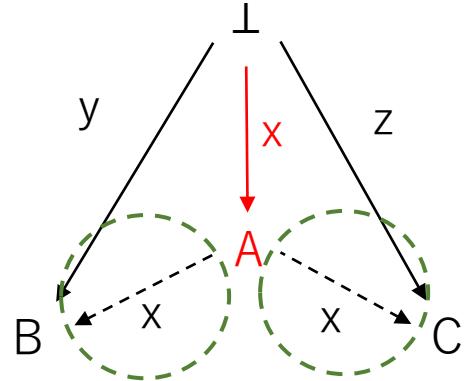
There is still causality from A to B and C.



A **cannot** be reversed



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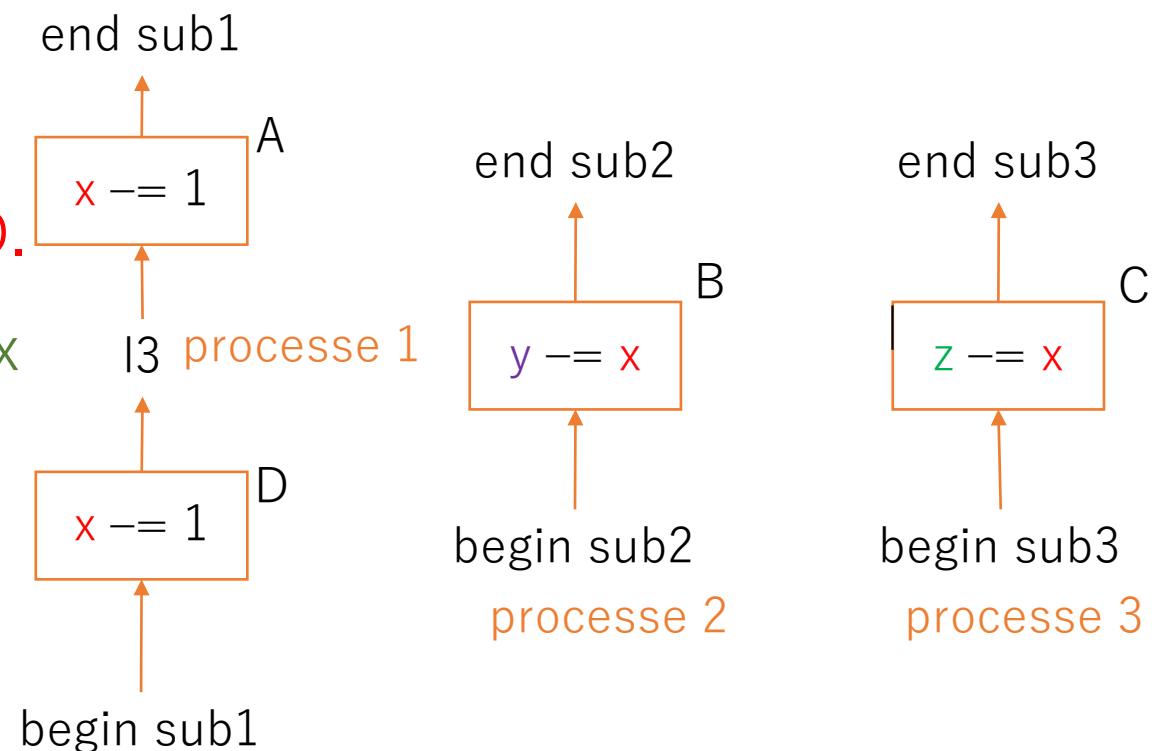


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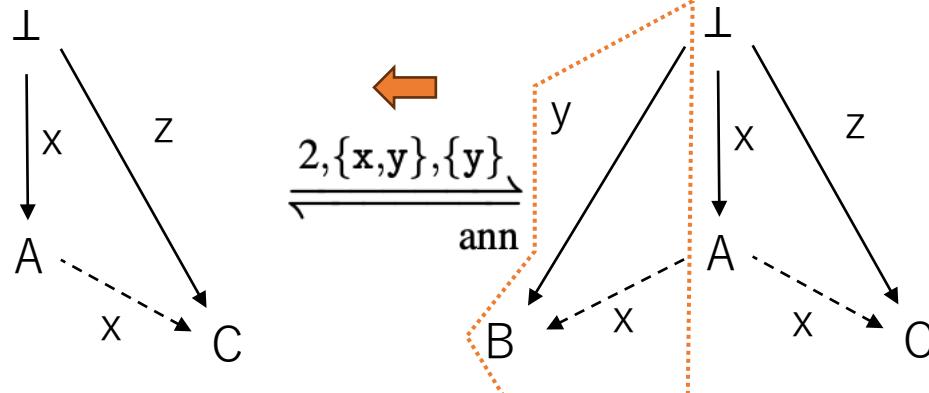
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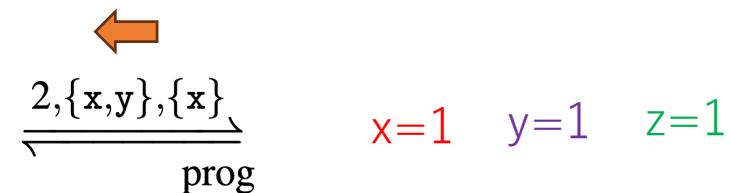
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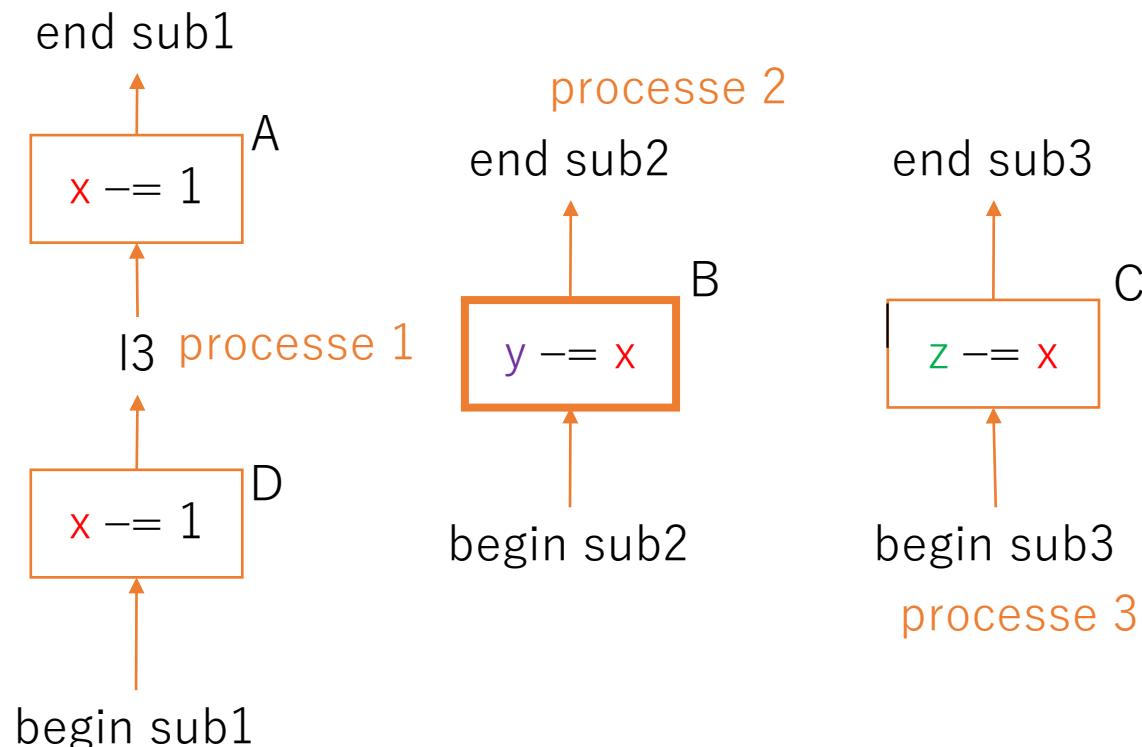
$x=1 \quad y=0 \quad z=1$



$x=1 \quad y=1 \quad z=1$

We can reverse **either B or C first.**

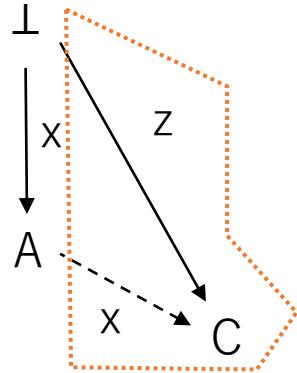
B is reversed first.



Backward rollback of causality

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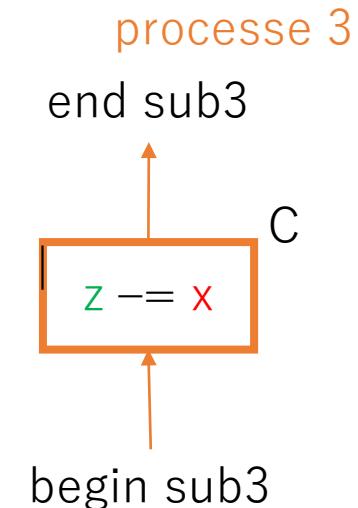
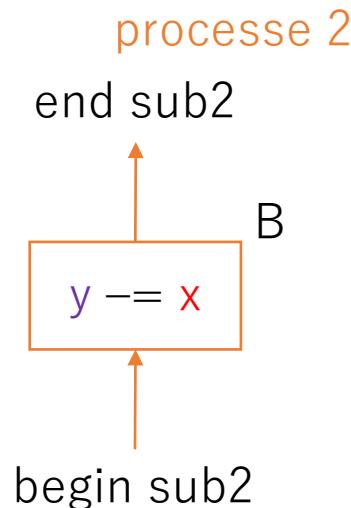
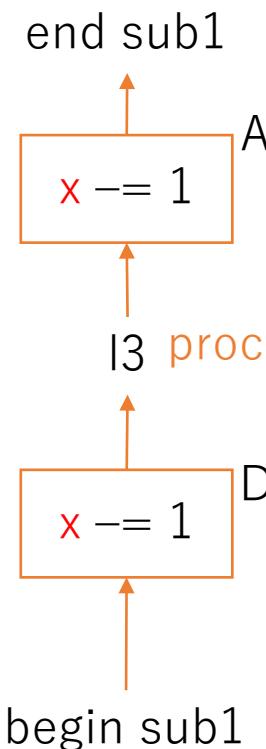
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$x=1 \quad y=0 \quad z=0$

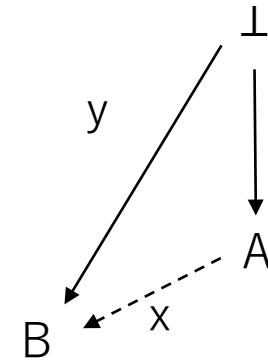
$\xleftarrow[prog]{3,\{x,z\},\{z\}}$

$x=1 \quad y=0 \quad z=1$

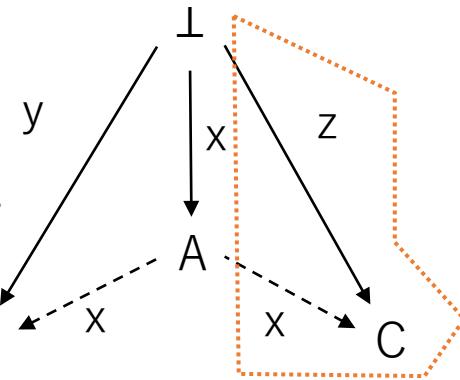


Next, C is reversed.

Backward rollback of causality

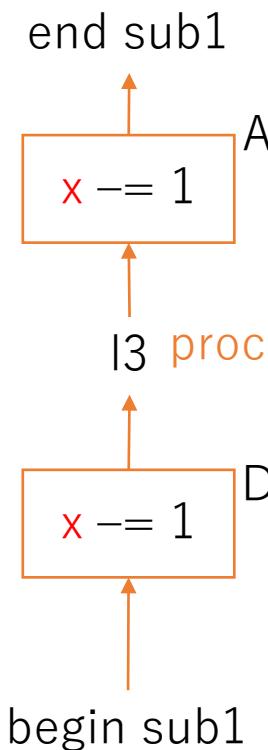


$$\xrightarrow{3, \{x, z\}, \{z\}} \text{ann}$$



C is reversed first.

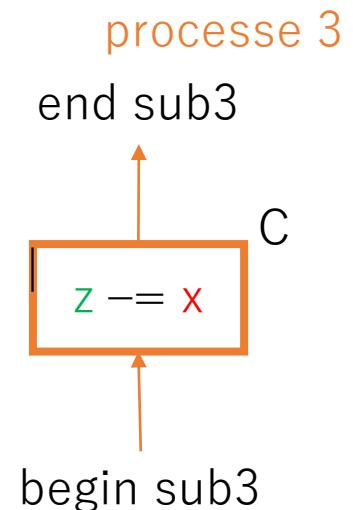
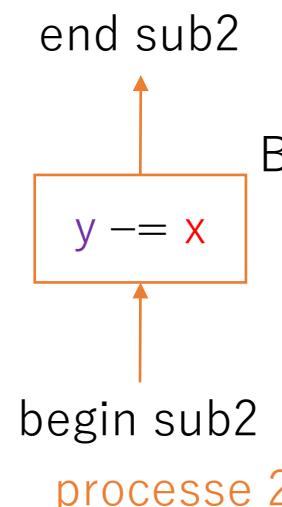
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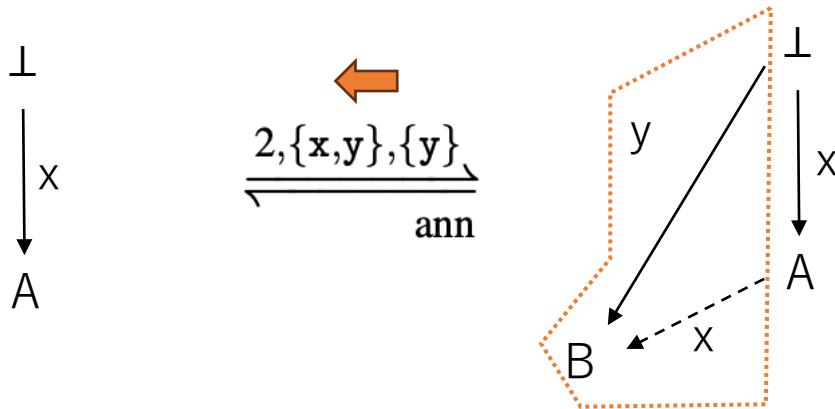
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$$\xleftarrow{3, \{x, z\}, \{z\}} \text{prog}$$

$$x=1 \quad y=1 \quad z=1$$



Backward rollback of causality

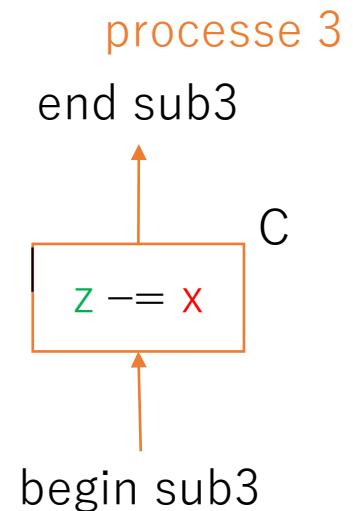
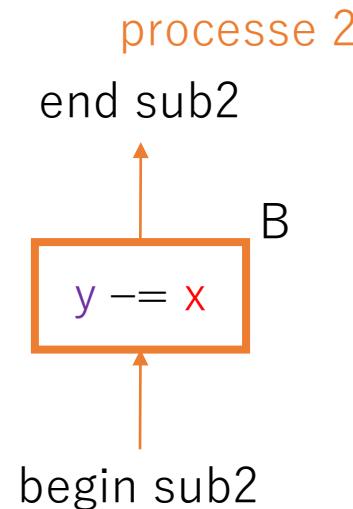
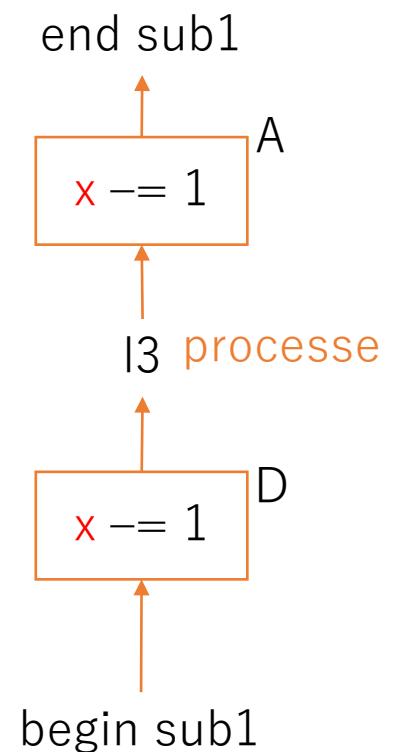


$x=1 \quad y=0 \quad z=0$

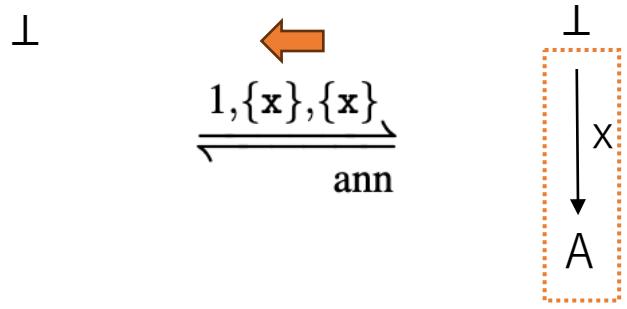
$\xleftarrow[2, \{x, y\}, \{x\}]{\text{prog}}$
 $x=1 \quad y=1 \quad z=0$

Next, B is reversed.

Whether B or C is executed first,
we get the same annotation DAG.



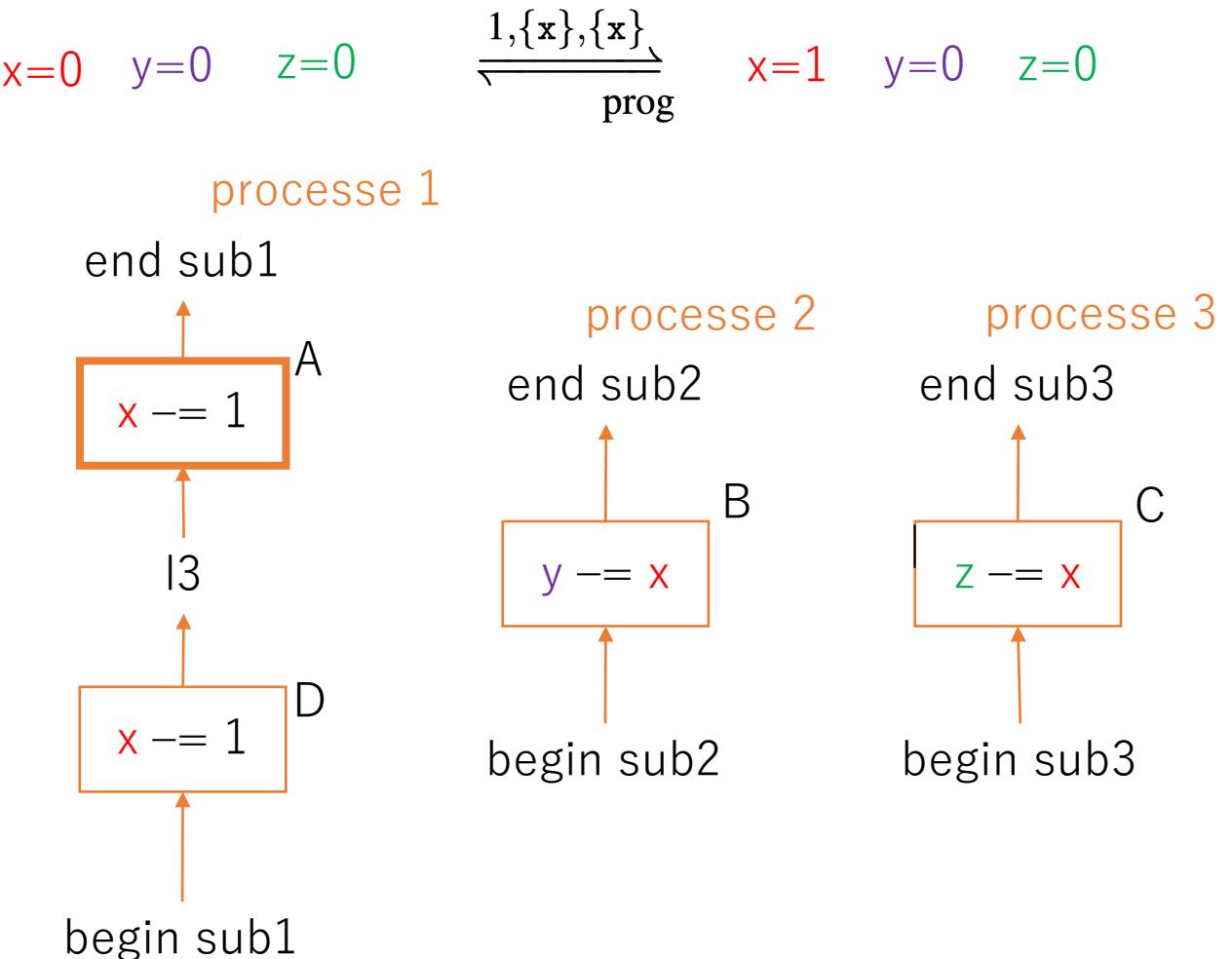
Backward rollback of causality



No one receives a value from A.



A **can** be reversed.



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Causal Safety and Causal Liveness

We show CRIL has the Causal Safety and the Causal Liveness[Lanese + 2020].

Causal Safety (CS) : An action can not be reversed until any actions caused by it have been reversed

Causal Liveness (CL) : We should allow actions to reverse in any order compatible with Causal Safety, not necessarily the exact inverse of the forward order.

In CRIL,

- **CS** ensures that the **same value** is used **in both forward and backward** direction.
- **CL** ensures that a program **does not deadlock** without returning to its initial state in backward direction.

Independence Relation

CS and **CL** hold in an LTS with independence if some axioms are valid in it [Lanese + 20].

Two transitions are independent if

1. two processes are **not** in a **parent-child relationship**; and
2. one of them **does not read** a variable **written by the other**.

1.

$$p_1 \not\preceq p_2 \wedge p_2 \not\preceq p_1$$

2.

$$Rd_1 \cap Wt_2 = \emptyset \wedge Rd_2 \cap Wt_1 = \emptyset$$

p_2 is not the subprocess of p_1

Axiomatic Approach [Laneese+ 20]

SP, BTI, WF, CPI, and IRE hold for LTSI of CRIL

Acronym	Name	Defined in	Proved in	using
SP BTI WF CPI IRE CIRE IEC	Square Property	Def. 3.1	Axiom	-
	Backward Transitions are Independent	Def. 3.1	Axiom	-
	Well-Founded	Def. 3.1	Axiom	-
	Coinitial Propagation of Independence	Def. 4.2	Axiom	-
	Independence Respects Events	Def. 4.12	Axiom	-
	Coinitial Independence Respects Events	Def. 4.29	Axiom	implied by IRE
PL CC UT ID RPI CS CL CS< CL< CS_ci CL_ci NRE RED	Independence of Events is Coinitial	Def. 4.16	Axiom	-
	Parabolic Lemma	Def. 3.3	Prop. 3.4	BTI, SP
	Causal Consistency	Def. 3.5	Prop. 3.6	WF, PL
	Unique Transition	Def. 3.7	Cor. 3.8	CC
	Independence of Diamonds	Def. 4.6	Prop. 4.7	BTI, CPI
	Reversing Preserves Independence	Def. 4.17	Prop. 4.18	SP, CPI, IRE, IEC
	Causal Safety	Def. 4.11	Thm. 4.13	SP, BTI, WF, CPI, IRE
	Causal Liveness	Def. 4.11	Thm. 4.14	SP, BTI, WF, CPI, IRE
	ordered Causal Safety	Def. 4.24	Prop. 4.39	SP, BTI, WF, CPI, NRE
	ordered Causal Liveness	Def. 4.24	Prop. 4.39	SP, BTI, WF, CPI, CIRE
	coinitial Causal Safety	Def. 4.27	Thm. 4.28	SP, BTI, WF, CPI
	coinitial Causal Liveness	Def. 4.27	Thm. 4.30	SP, BTI, WF, CPI, CIRE

CRIL also has PL, CC, UT, ID, and RPI.

Acronym	Name	Defined in	Proved in	using
SP	Square Property	Def. 3.1	Axiom	-
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CPI	Coinitial Propagation of Independence	Def. 4.2	Axiom	-
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ID	Independence of Diamonds	Def. 4.6	Prop. 4.7	BTI, CPI
RPI	Reversing Preserves Independence	Def. 4.17	Prop. 4.18	SP, CPI, IRE, IEC
CS	Causal Safety	Def. 4.11	Thm. 4.13	SP, BTI, WF, CPI, IRE
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CS _{<}	ordered Causal Safety	Def. 4.24	Prop. 4.39	SP, BTI, WF, CPI, NRE
CL _{<}	ordered Causal Liveness	Def. 4.24	Prop. 4.39	SP, BTI, WF, CPI, CIRE
CS _{ci}	coinitial Causal Safety	Def. 4.27	Thm. 4.28	SP, BTI, WF, CPI
CL _{ci}	coinitial Causal Liveness	Def. 4.27	Thm. 4.30	SP, BTI, WF, CPI, CIRE
NRE	No Repeated Events	Def. 4.35	Prop. 4.42	SP, BTI, WF, CPI, CIRE
RED	Reverse Event Determinism	Def. 4.40	Prop. 4.41	SP, BTI, WF, CPI, NRE

CRIL is Label-Generated
[Lanese + 23].

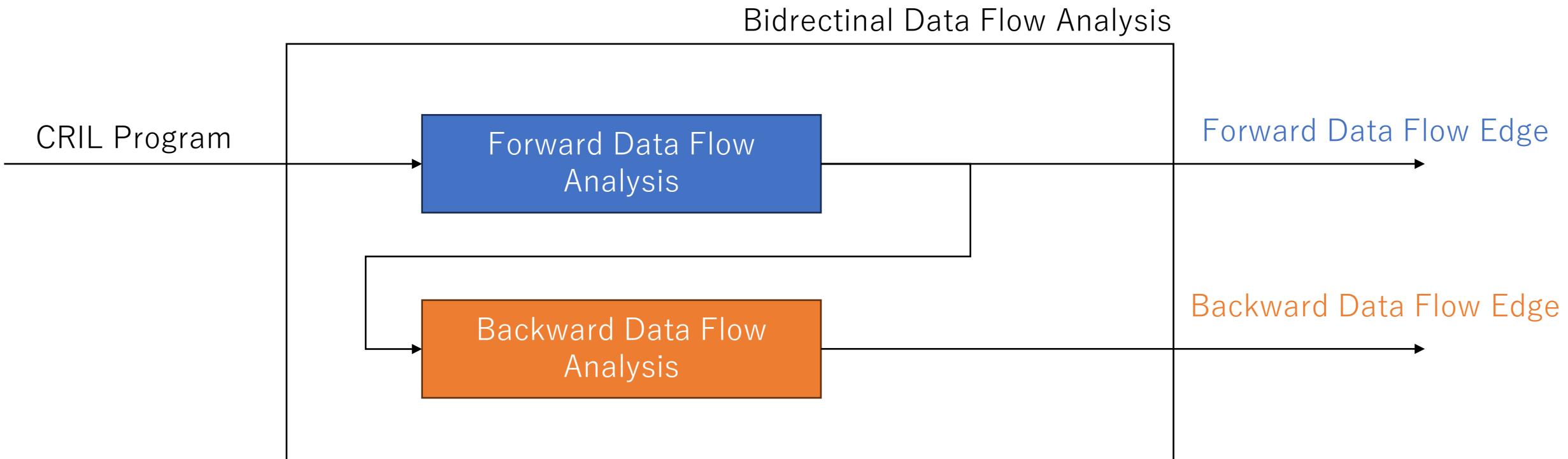
RPI is derived from LG
(not from IEC.)

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Bidirectional Data Flow Analysis

- Calculate **backward** data flow using the **forward** data flow.



Example for Data Flow Analysis

- `sub1` and `sub2` manipulate `a` and `b`.

```
:          :  
a += 1   a += 1  
→ |1      b += 1  
|1 ←      :  
b += 1  
:  

```

Abbreviate

```
[ begin main  
  a += 1  
  b += 1  
  call sub1, sub2  
  b -= 3  
  a -= 4  
 end main ]
```

```
[ begin sub1  
  V y  
  b += a  
  P y  
  V x  
  b += 2  
 end sub1 ]
```

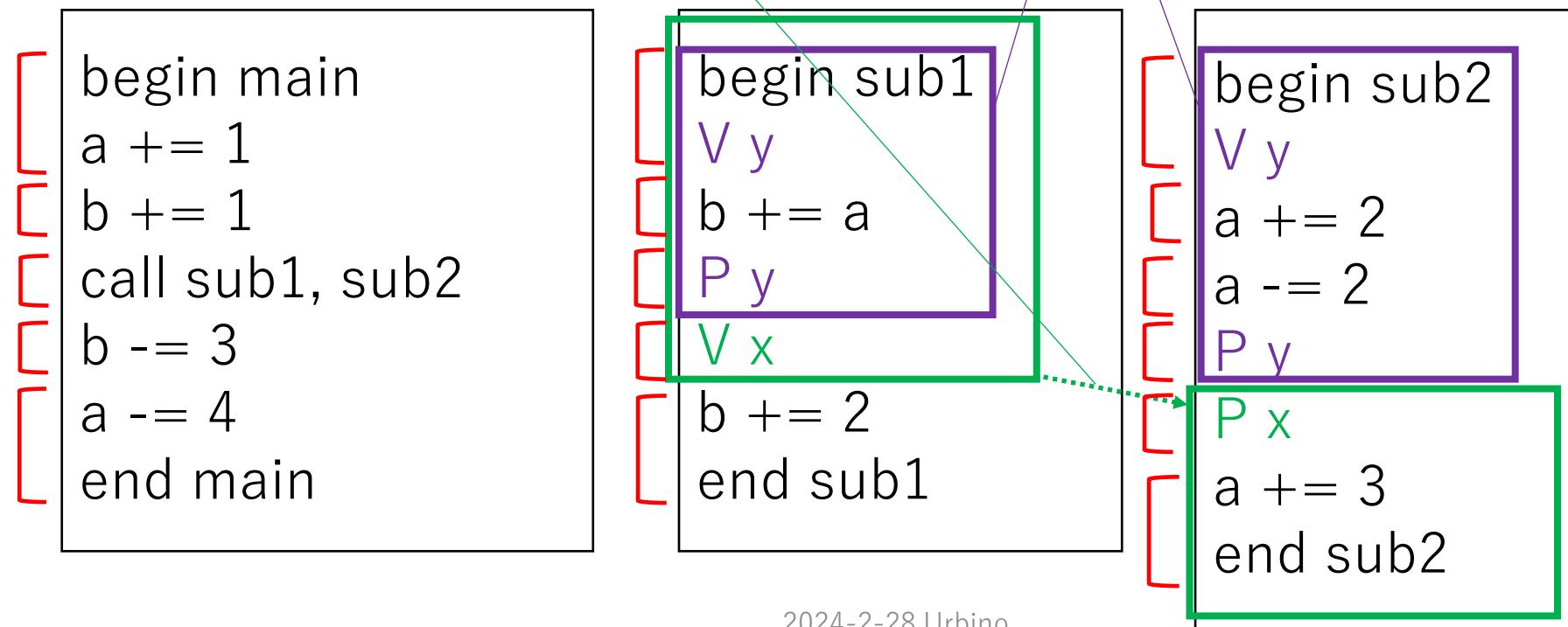
```
[ begin sub2  
  V y  
  a += 2  
  a -= 2  
  P y  
  P x  
  a += 3  
 end sub2 ]
```

Control by P-V operations

- $V y$ and $P y$ makes two critical regions.
- The ordering relationship occurs since $P x$ waits for the execution of $V x$.

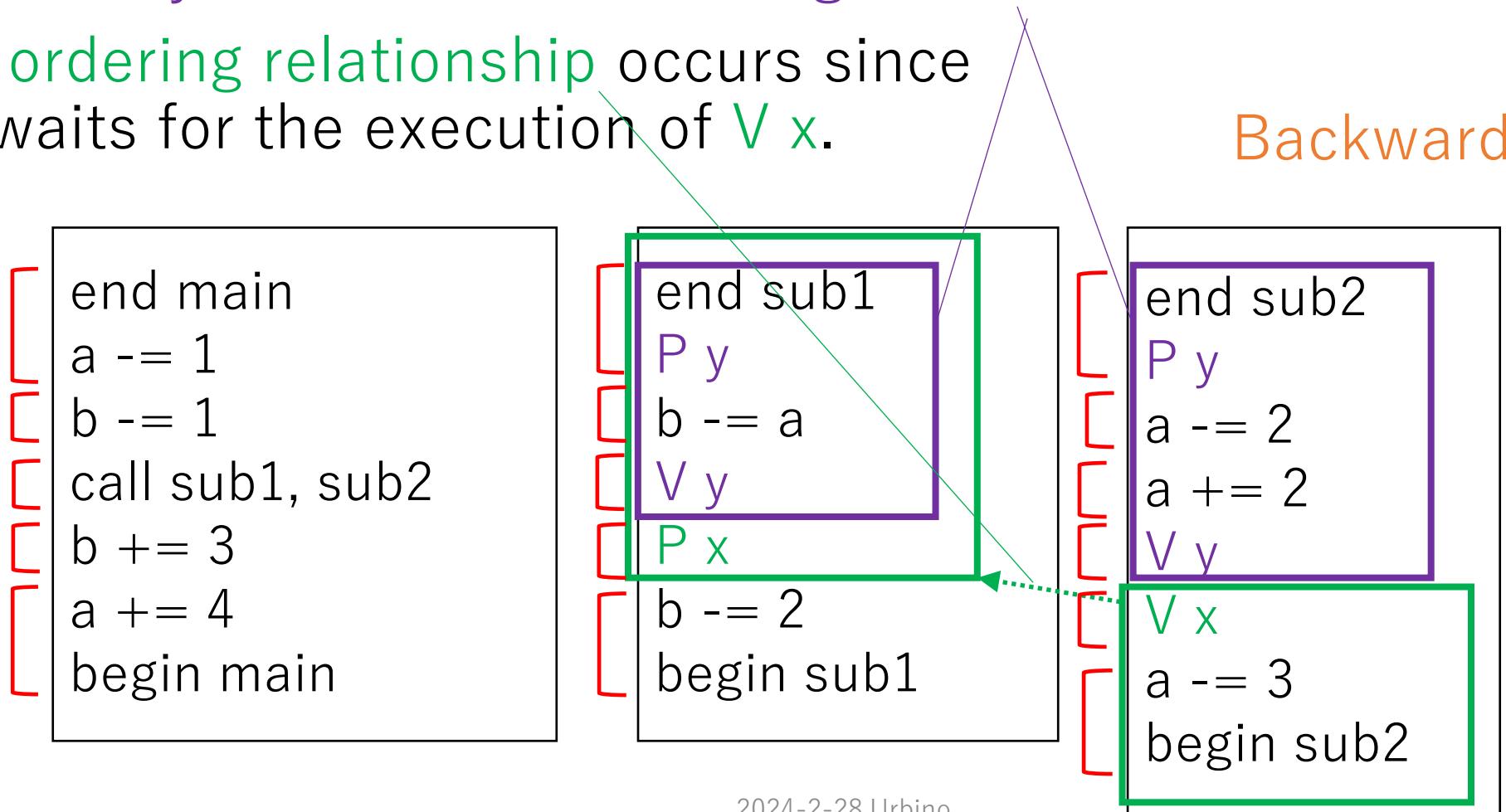
Note that x and y start from and end to 0

Forward

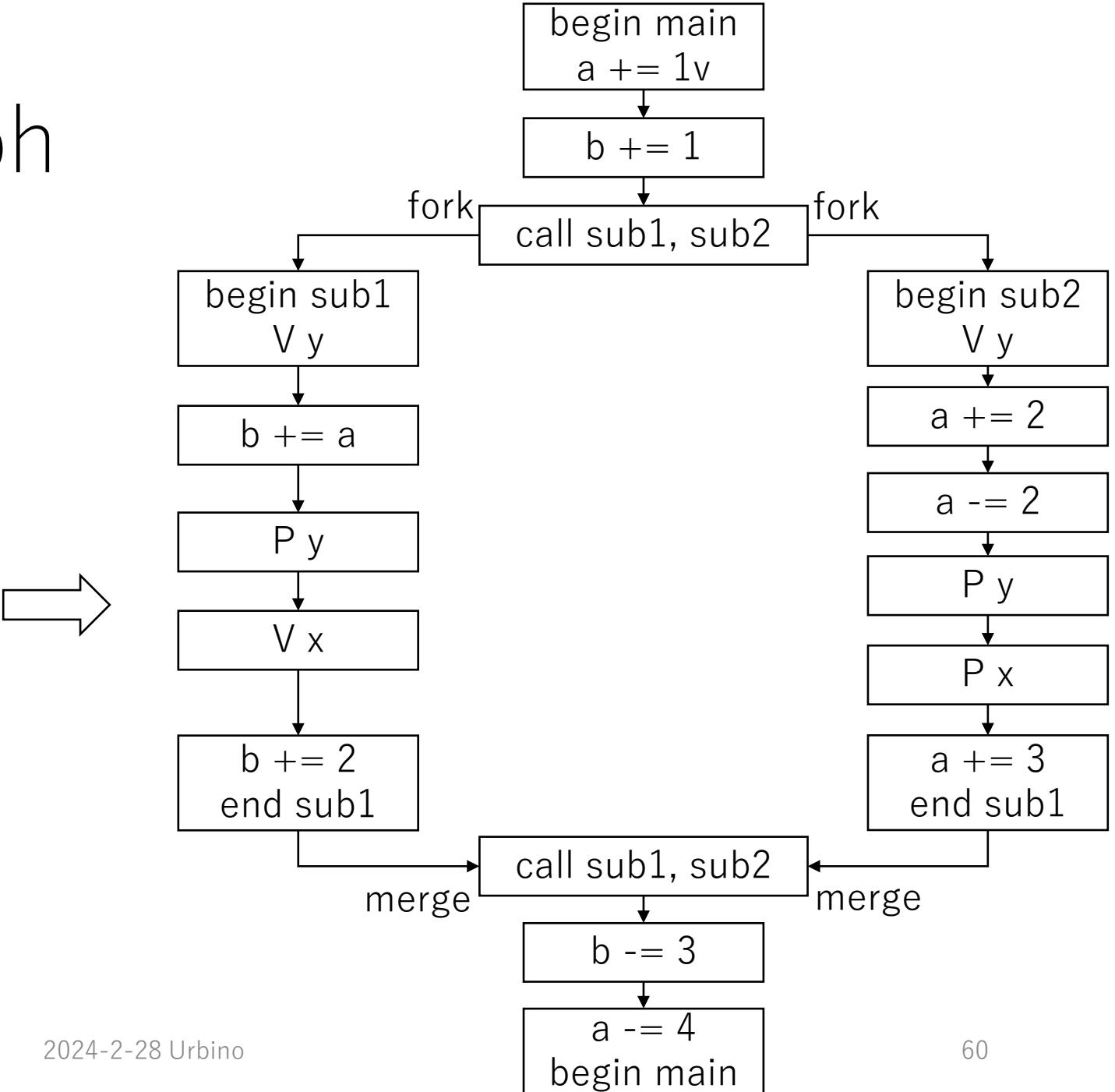
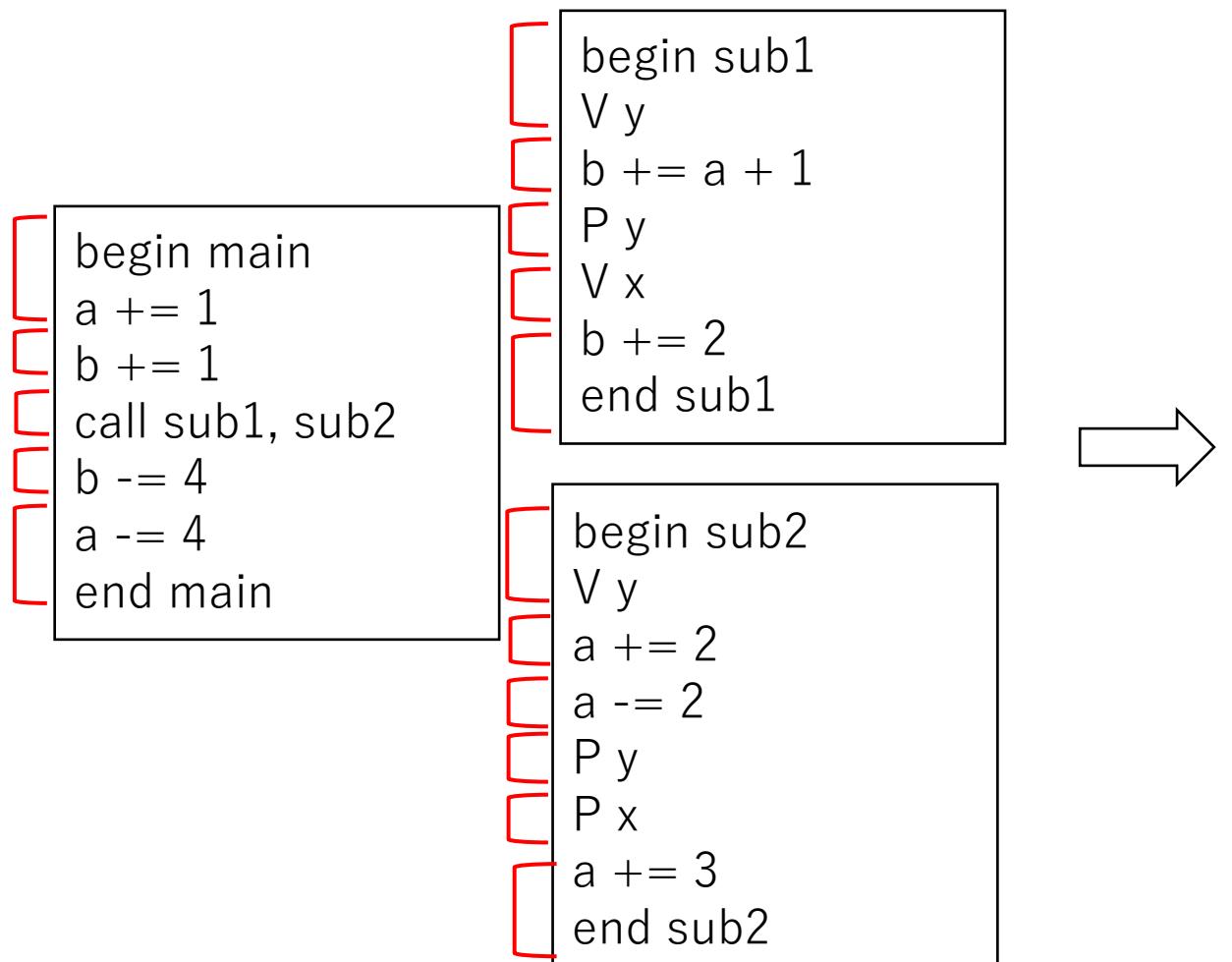


P-V operations in Backward Direction

- $V y$ and $P y$ makes two critical regions.
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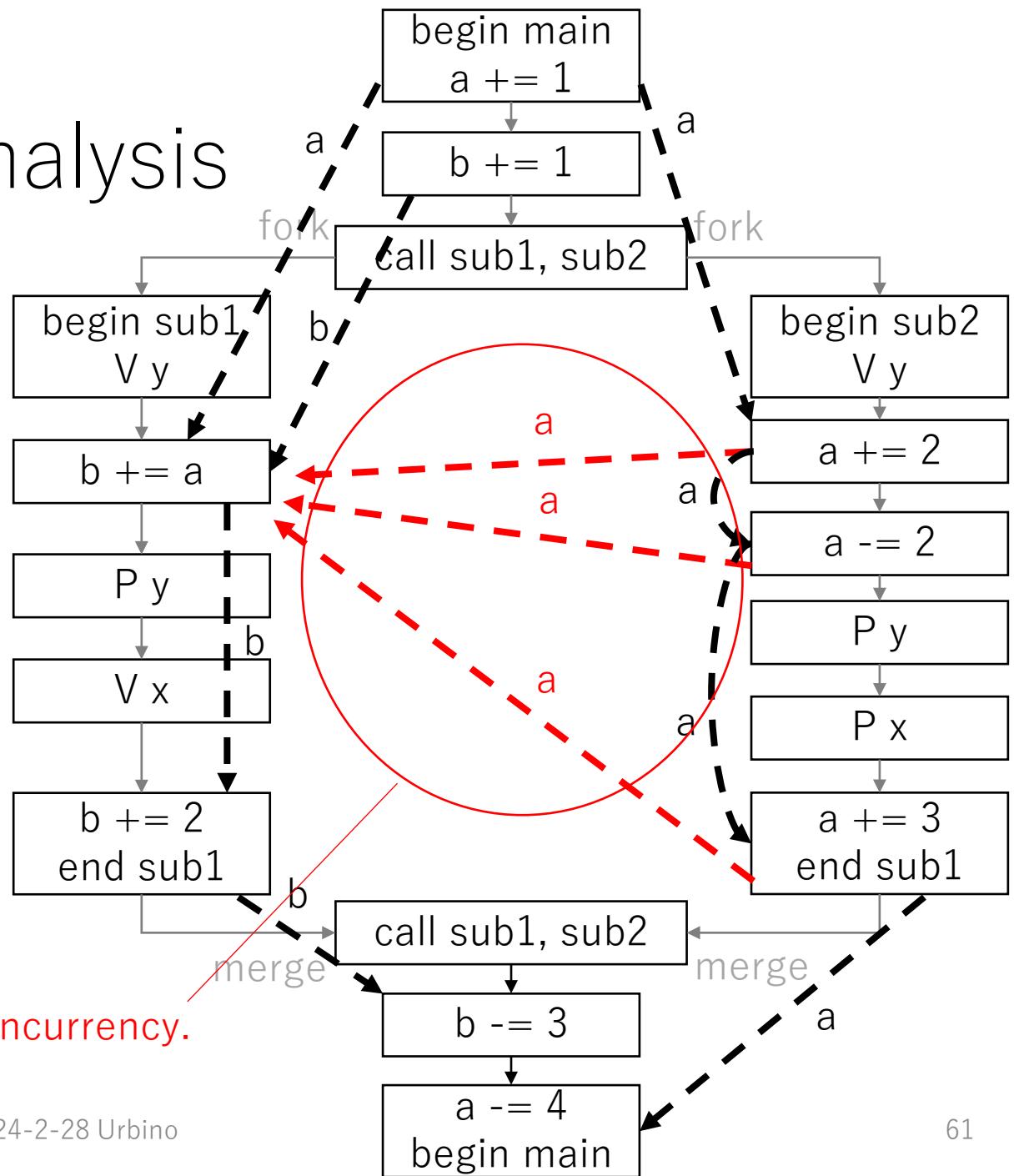
Control Flow Graph



Forward Data Flow Analysis

- We represent data flow by **edges labeled variables** among basic blocks.
- We apply use-def analysis like forward-only sequential program.

Generated by concurrency.



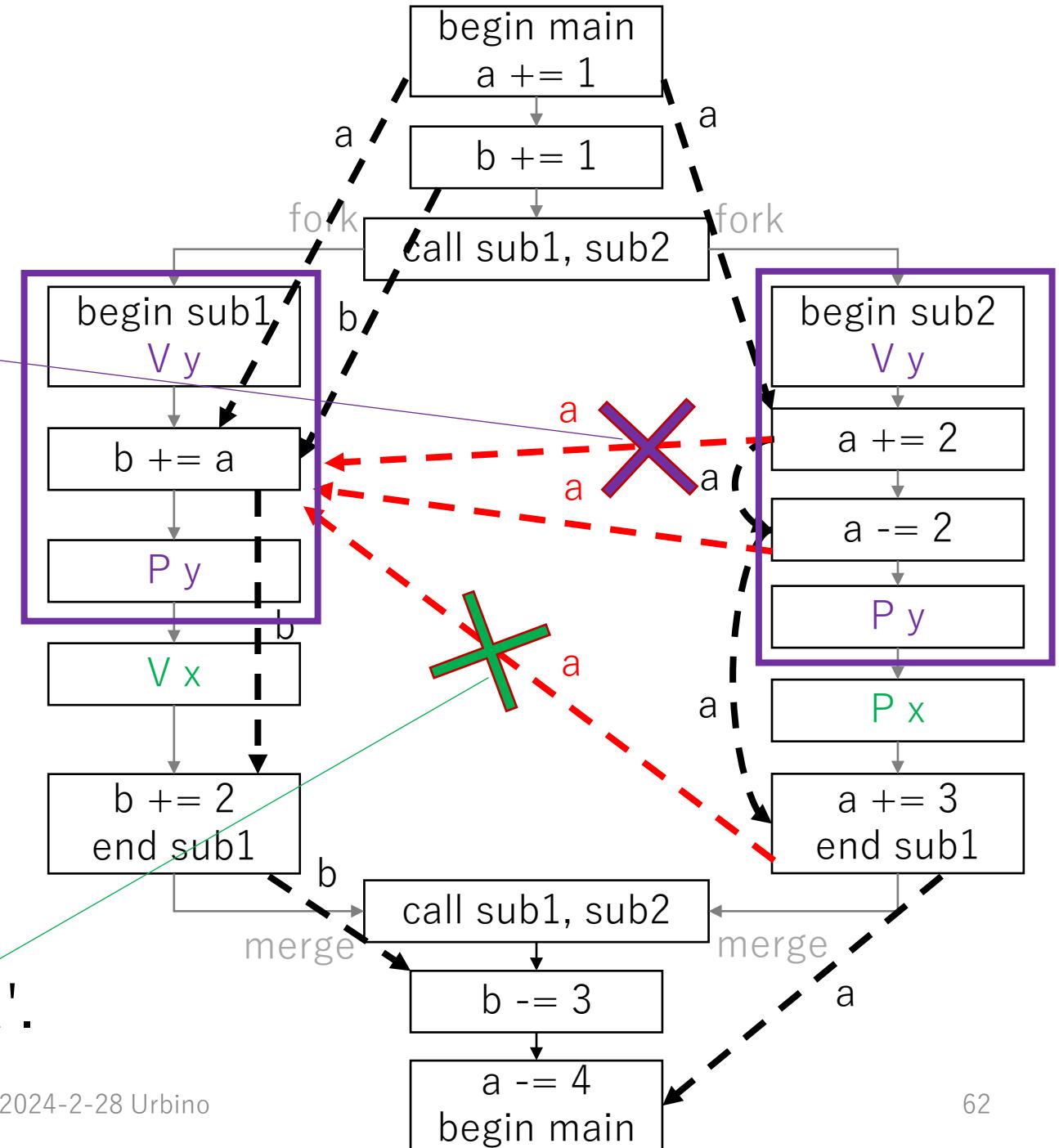
Edge Elimination

[Critical reagion analysis]

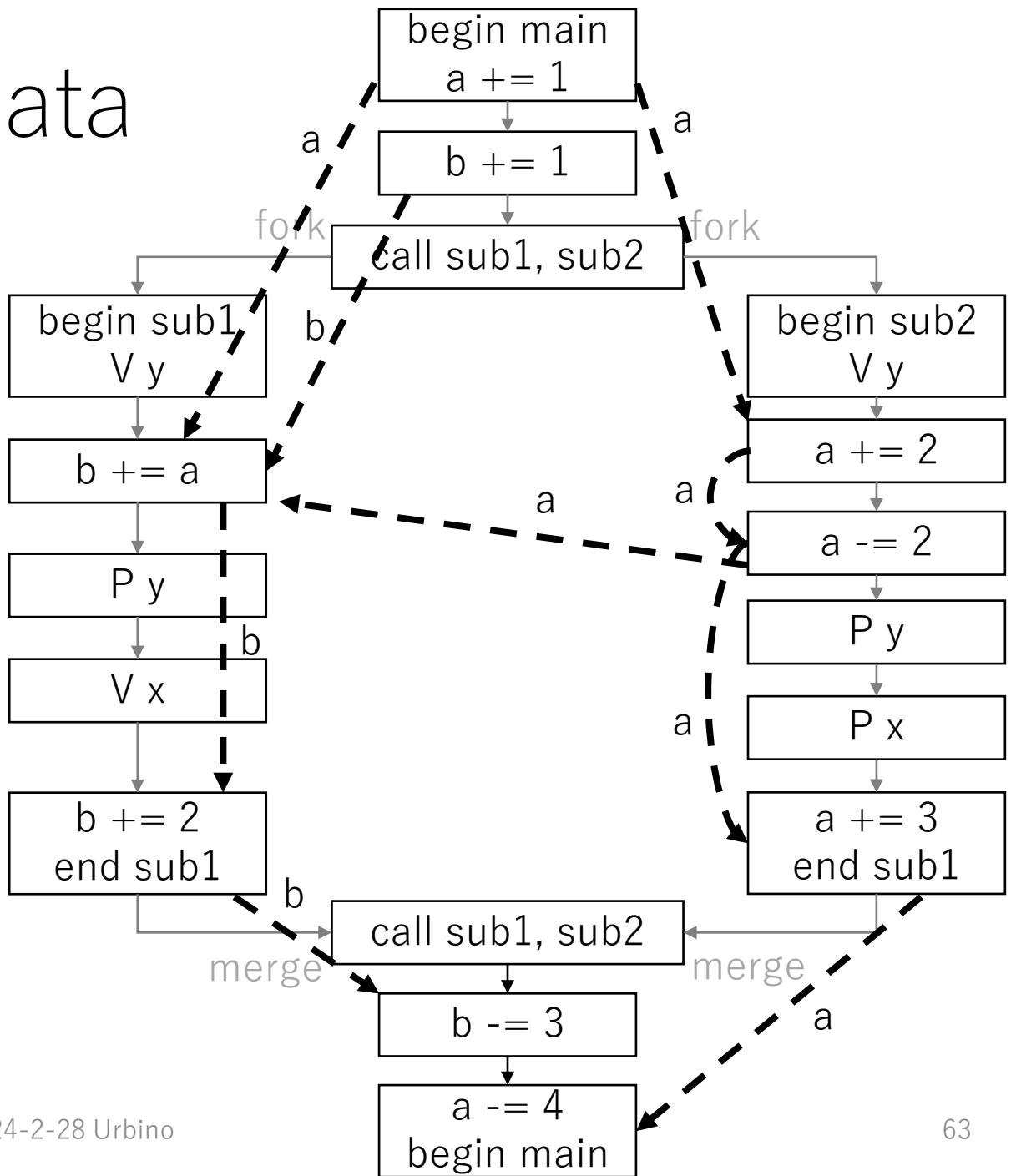
The definition of 'a-=2' is killed by 'a-=2'.

[Synchronization analysis]

'a+=3' is executed after 'b+=a'.



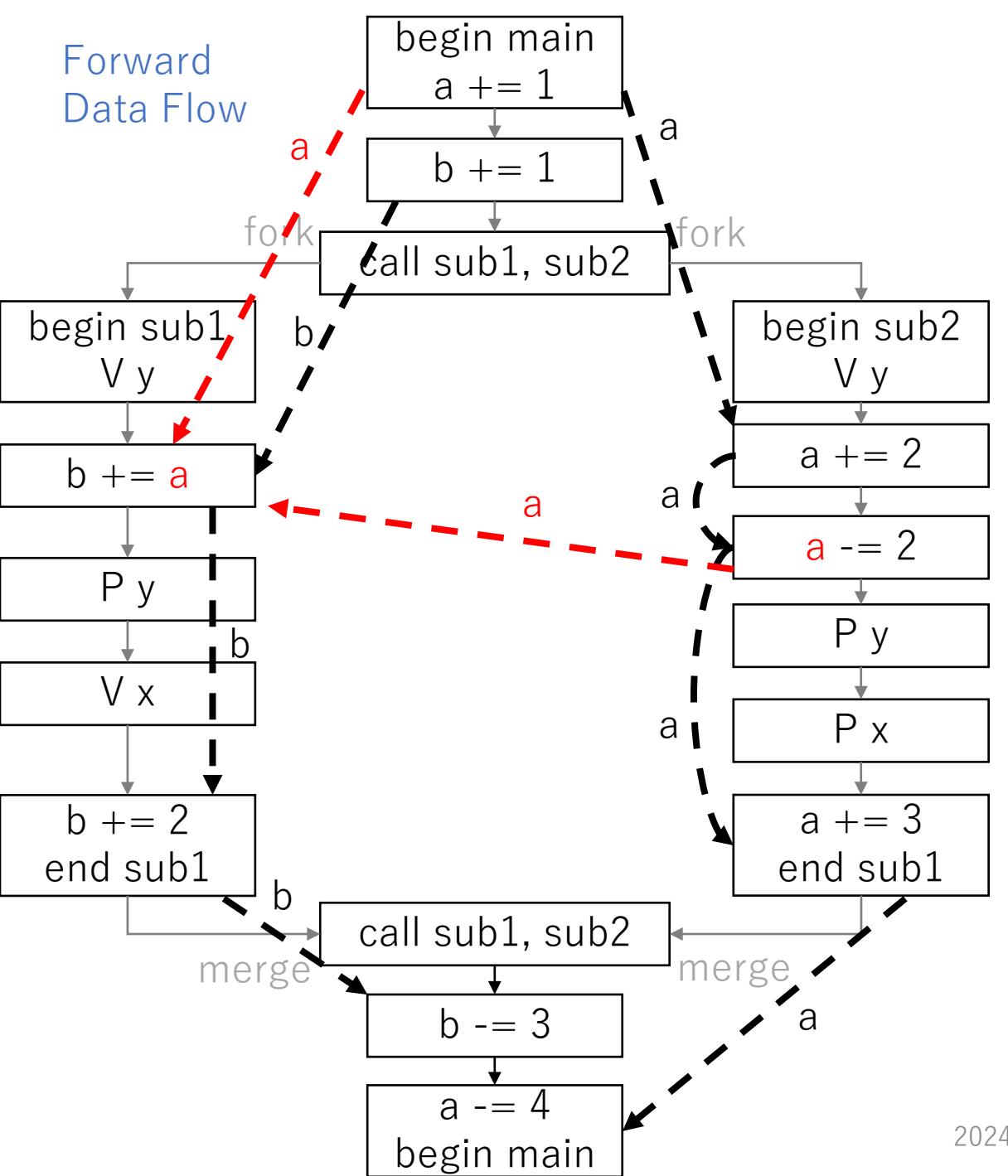
Result of Forward Data Flow Analysis



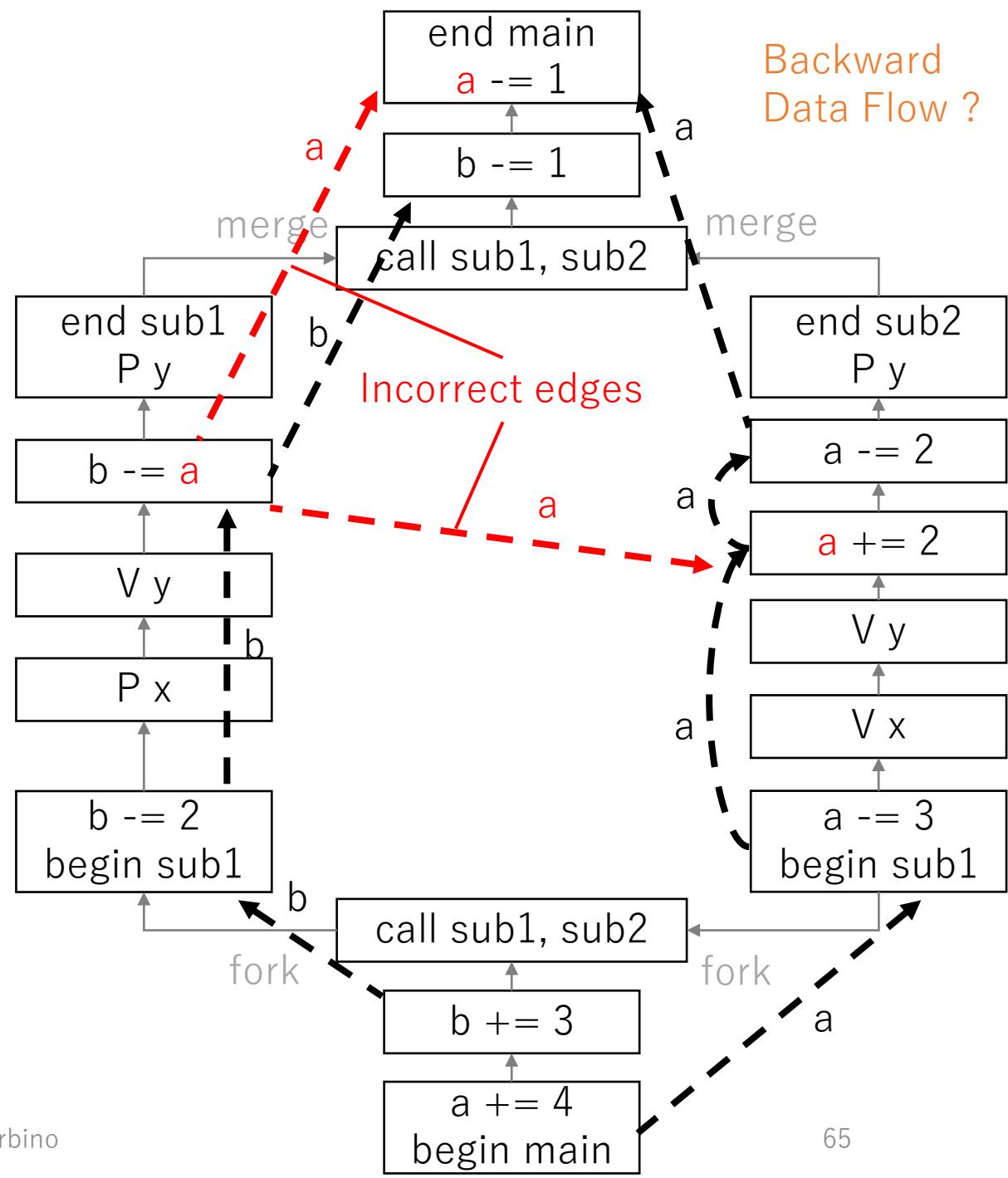
Backward Data Flow Analysis

- Calculate **backward** data flow by **transforming** the result of **forward** data flow analysis.
- **Simply reversing edges** does **not** yield backward data flow.

Forward
Data Flow



Backward
Data Flow ?

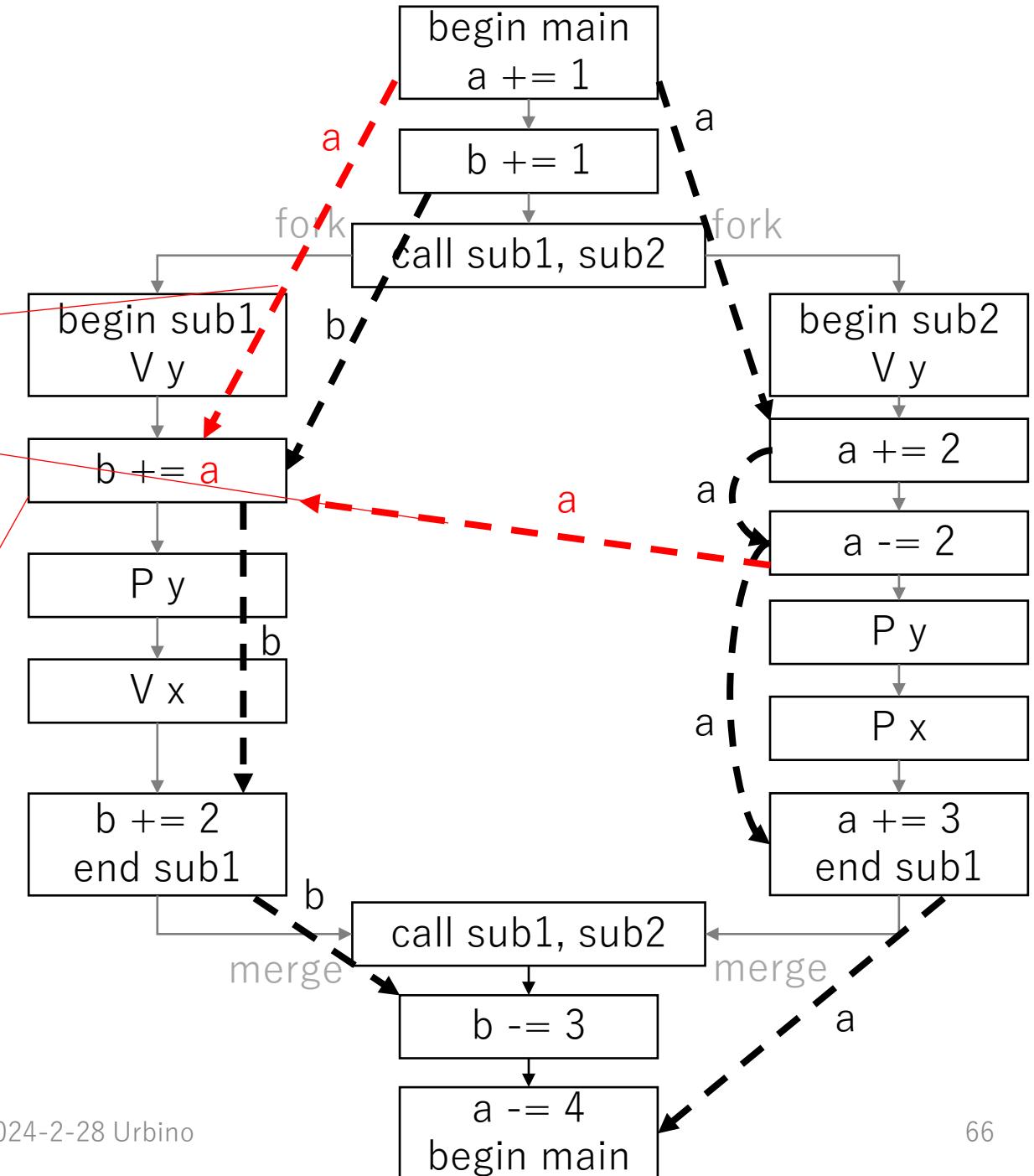


Read Only Edge

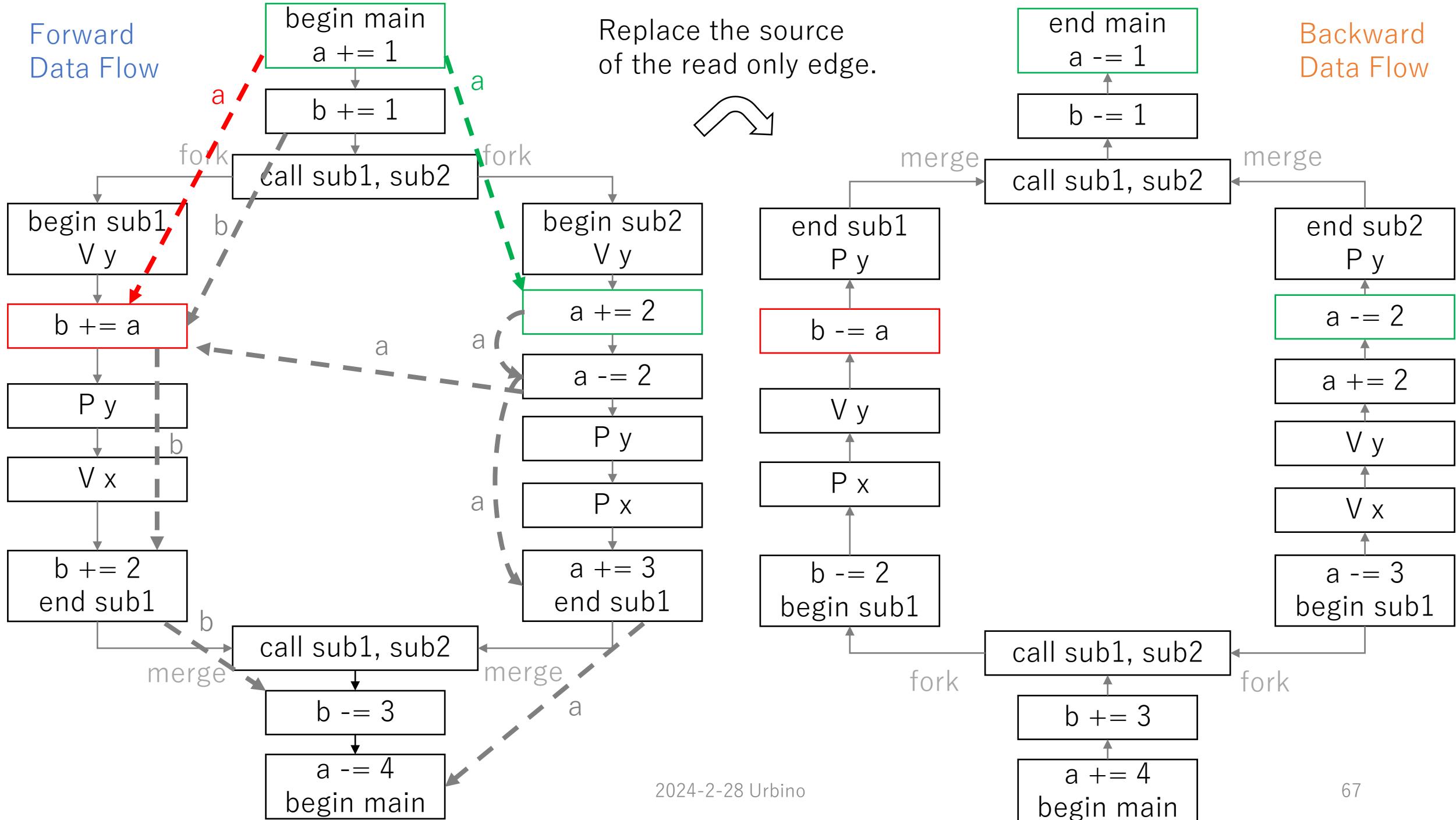
- A **read only edge** refers to an edge where the destination does not write to variables labeled.

Do not write a.

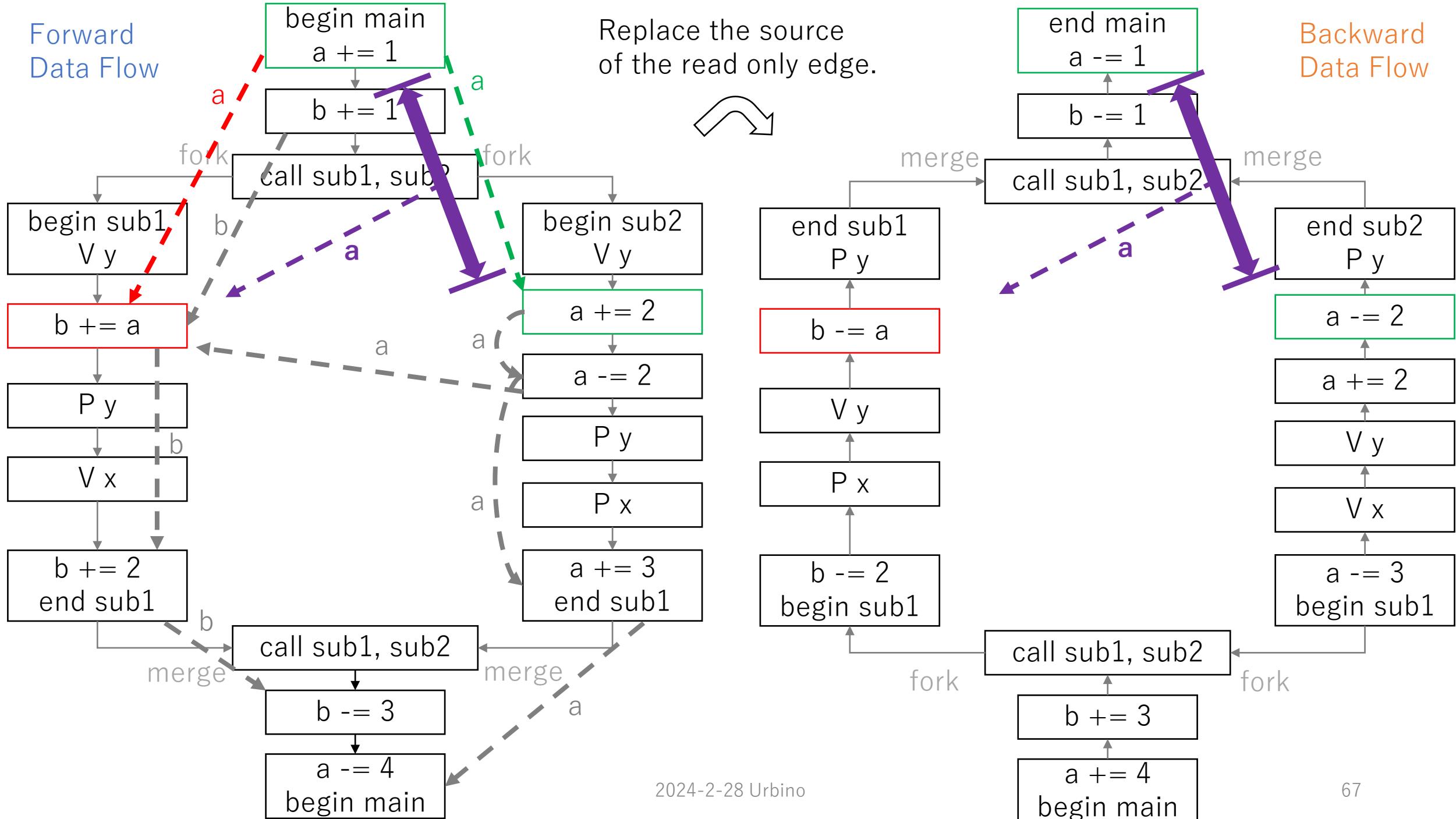
- We **replace** the **source** of read only edges.



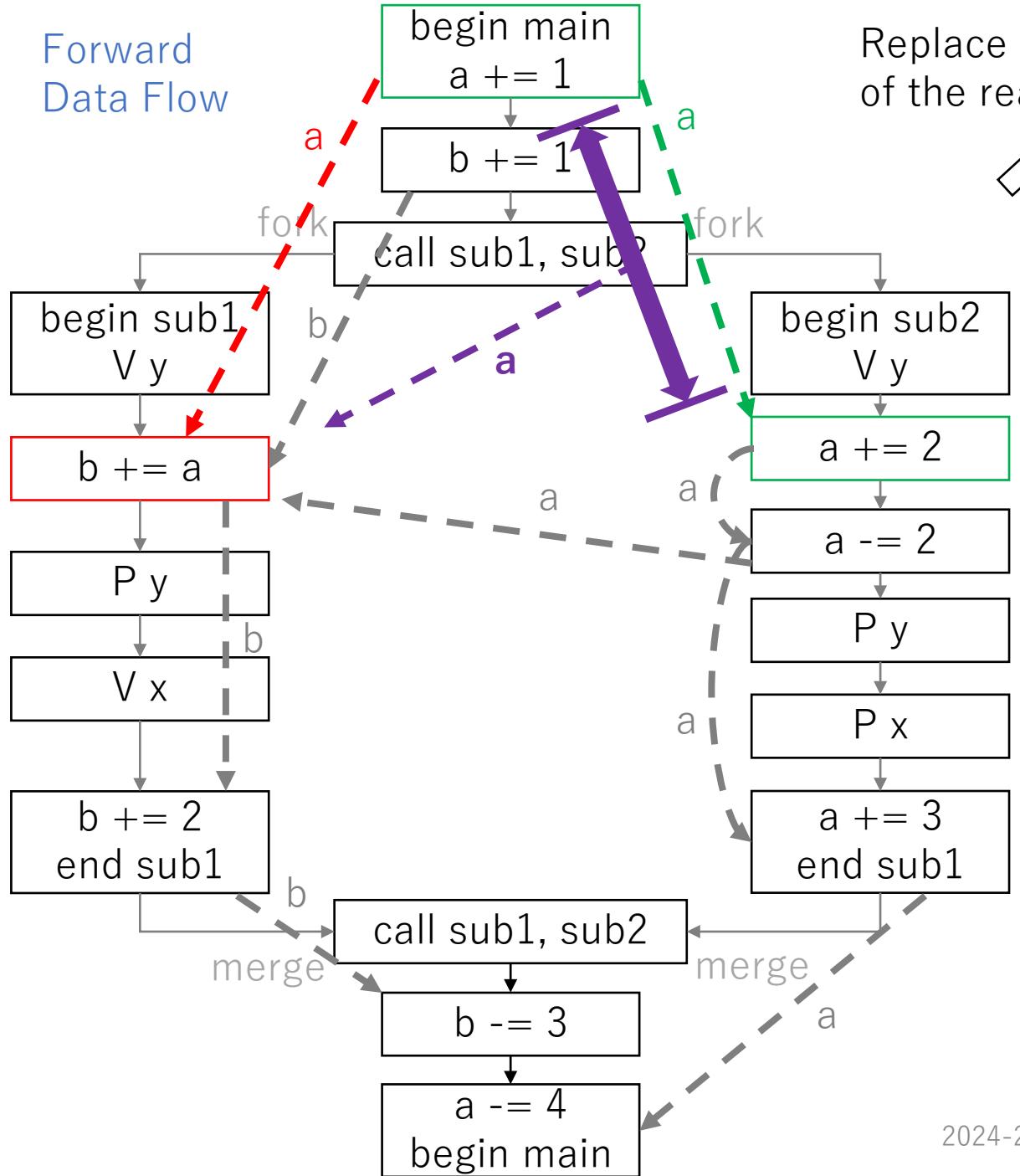
Forward
Data Flow



Forward Data Flow



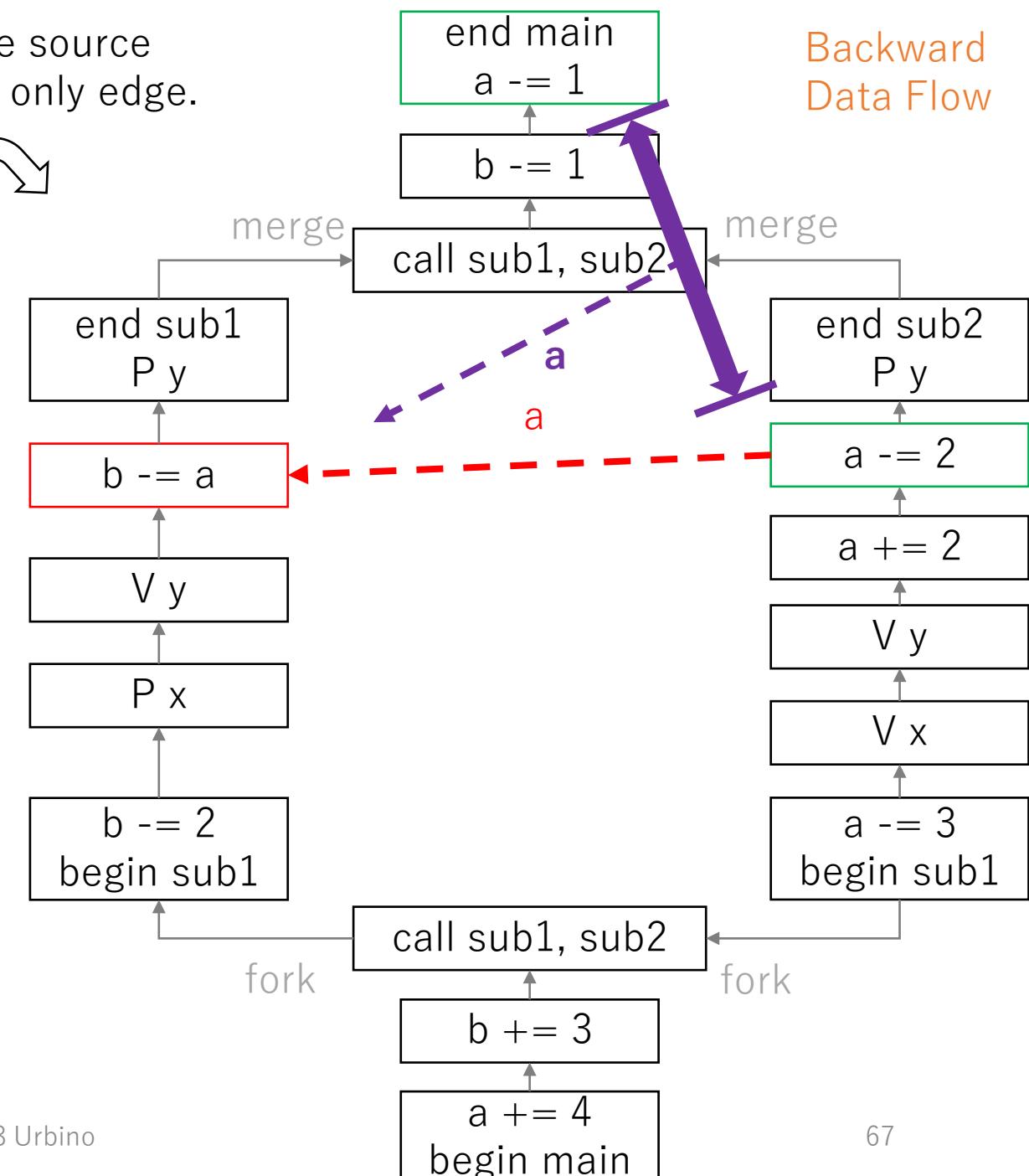
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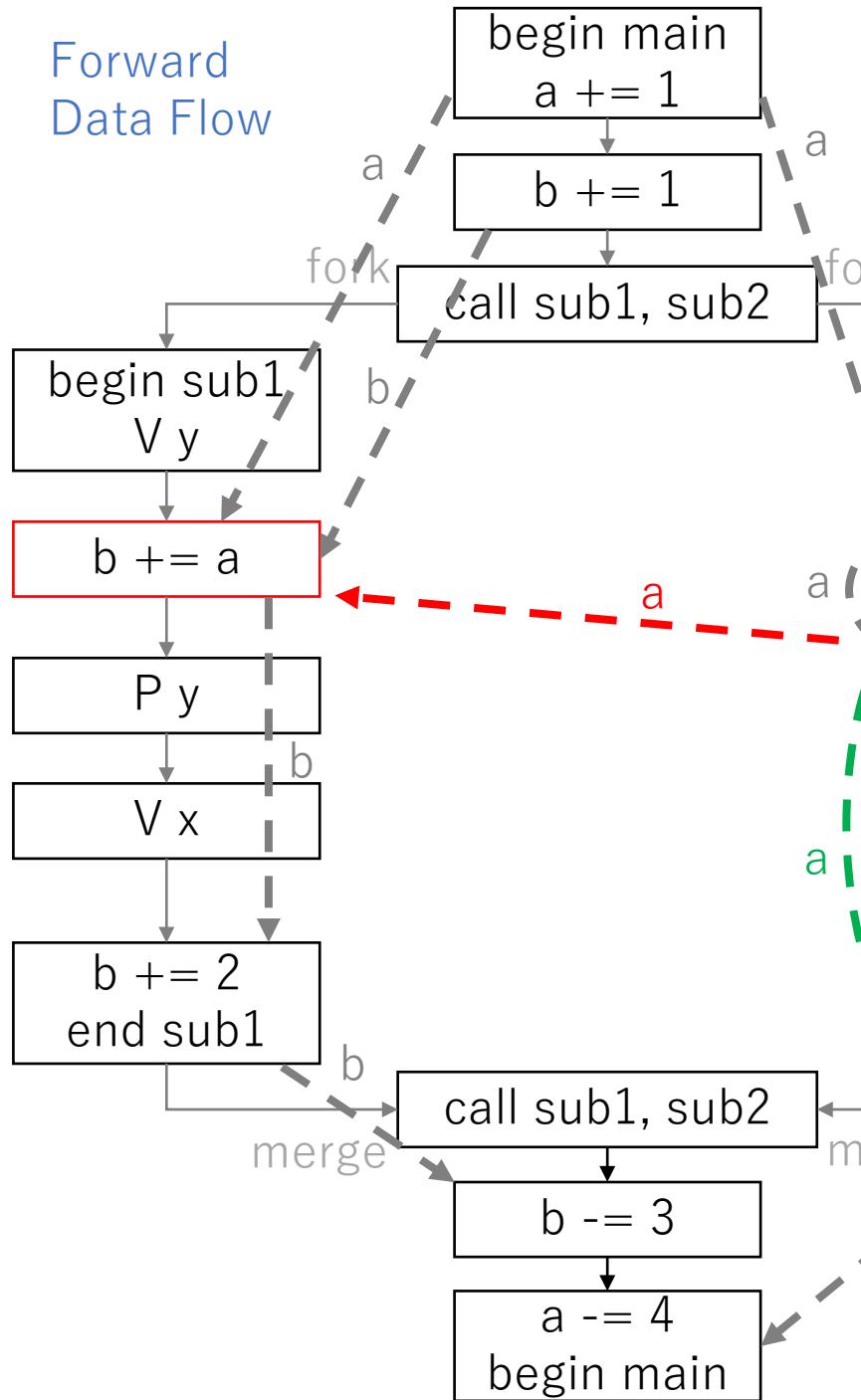
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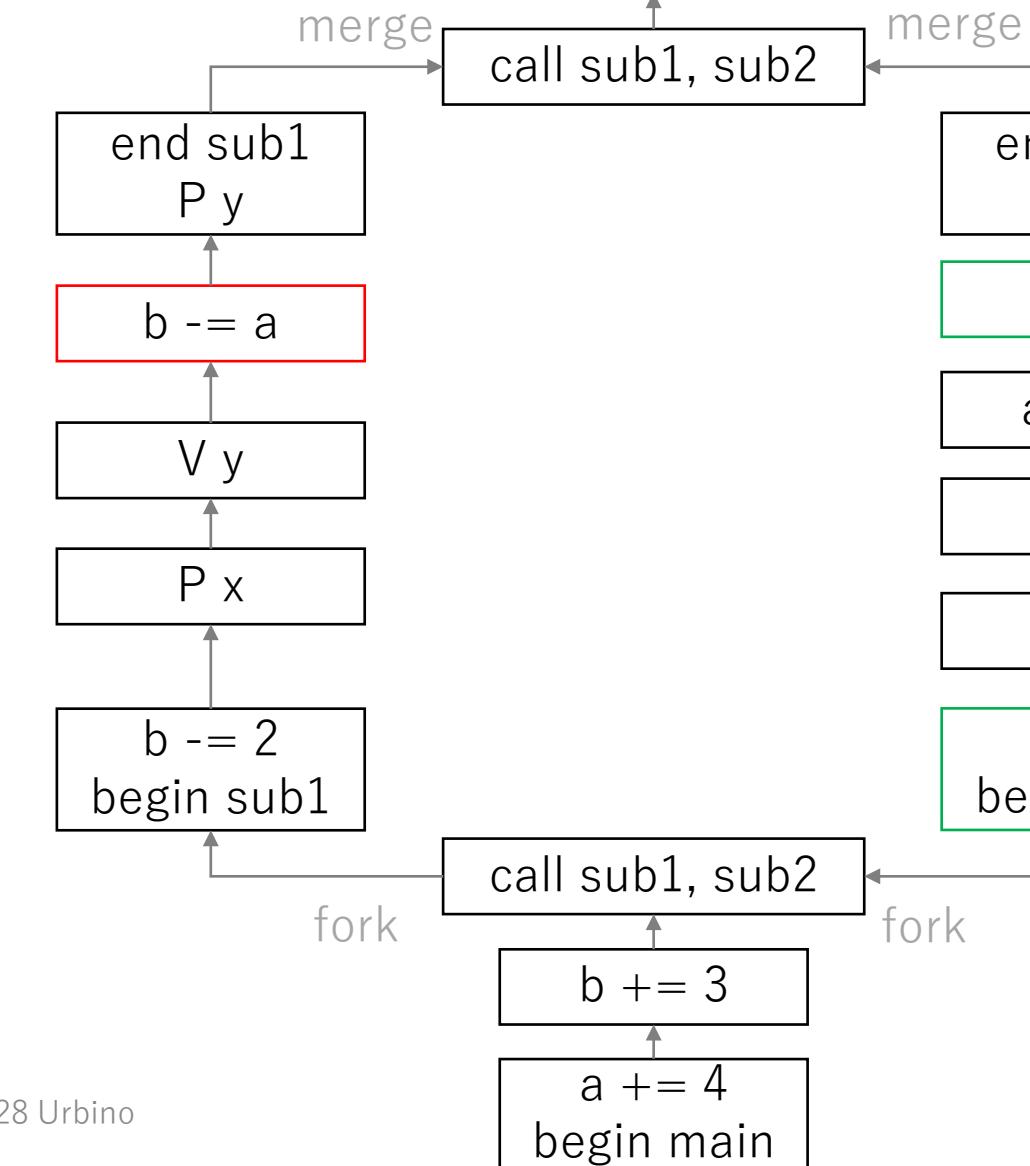
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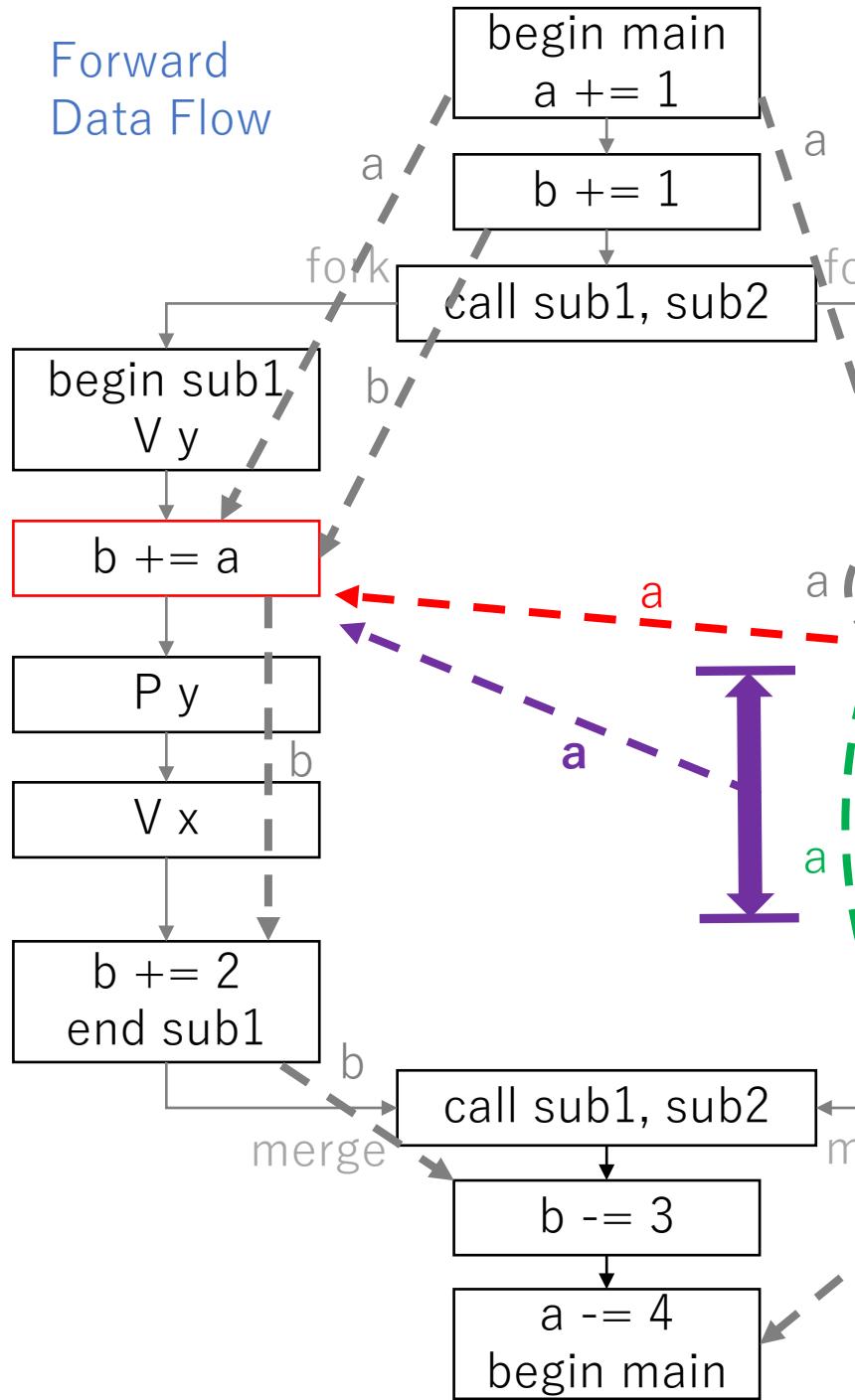


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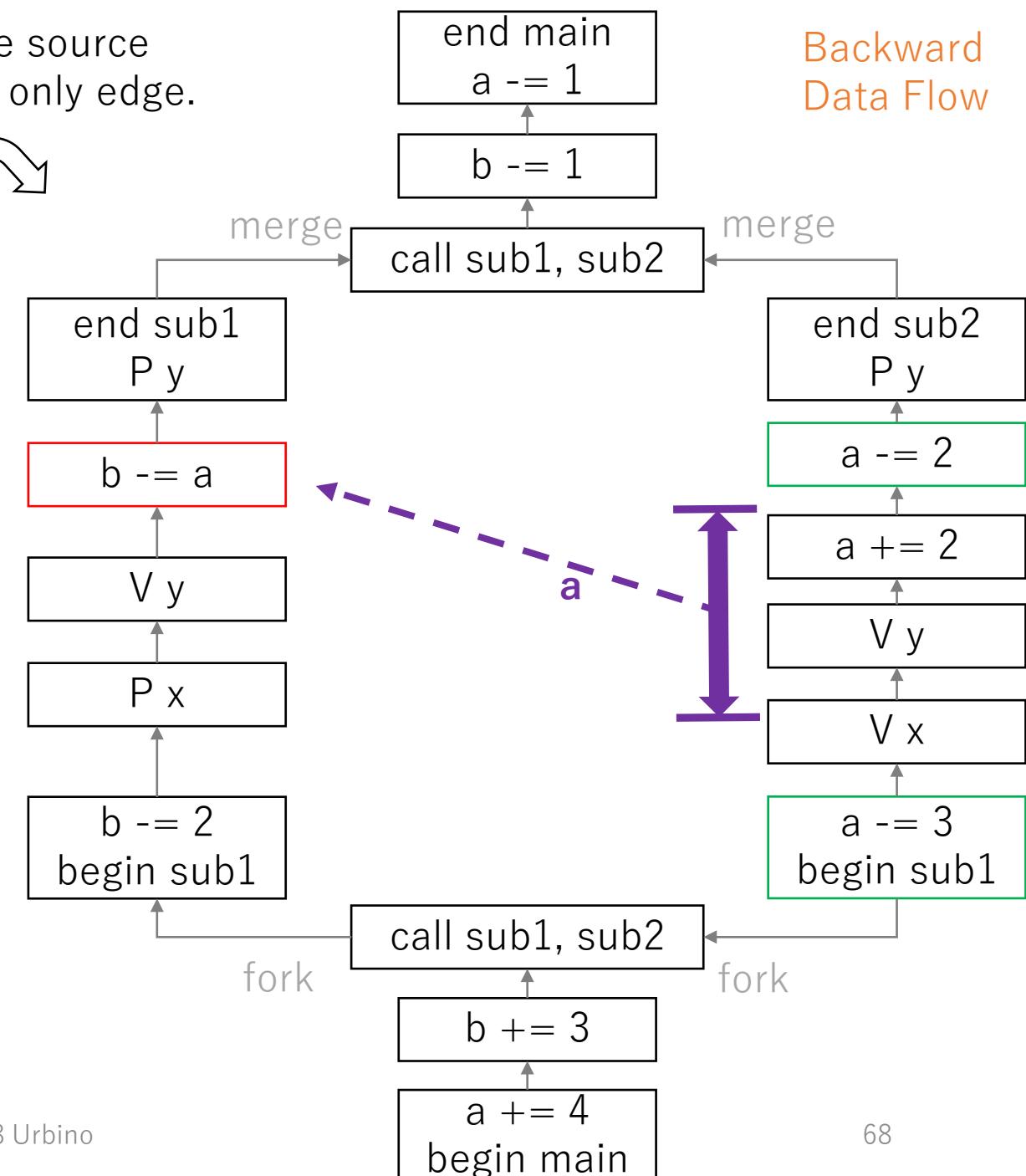
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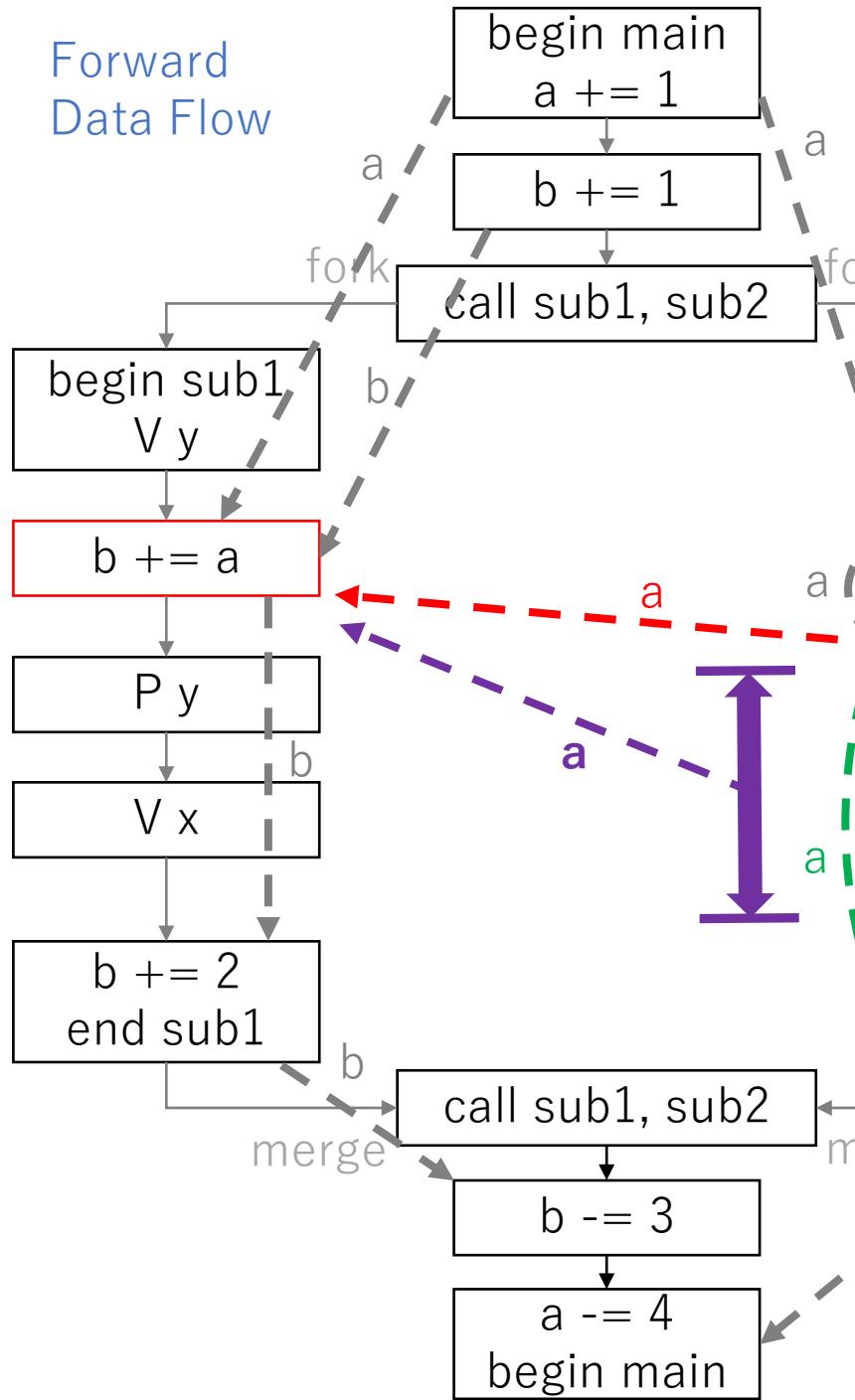
Replace the source of the read only edge.



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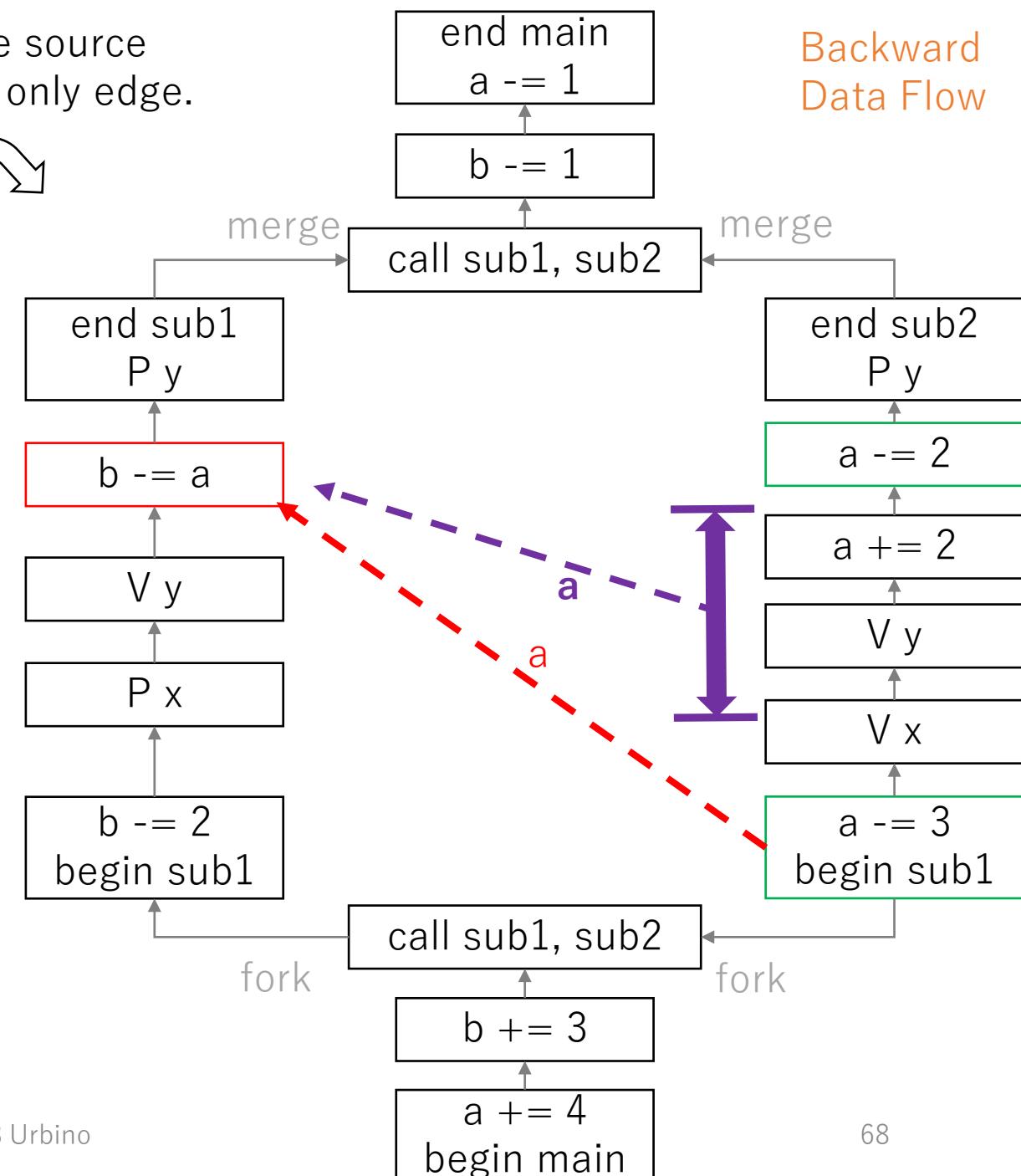
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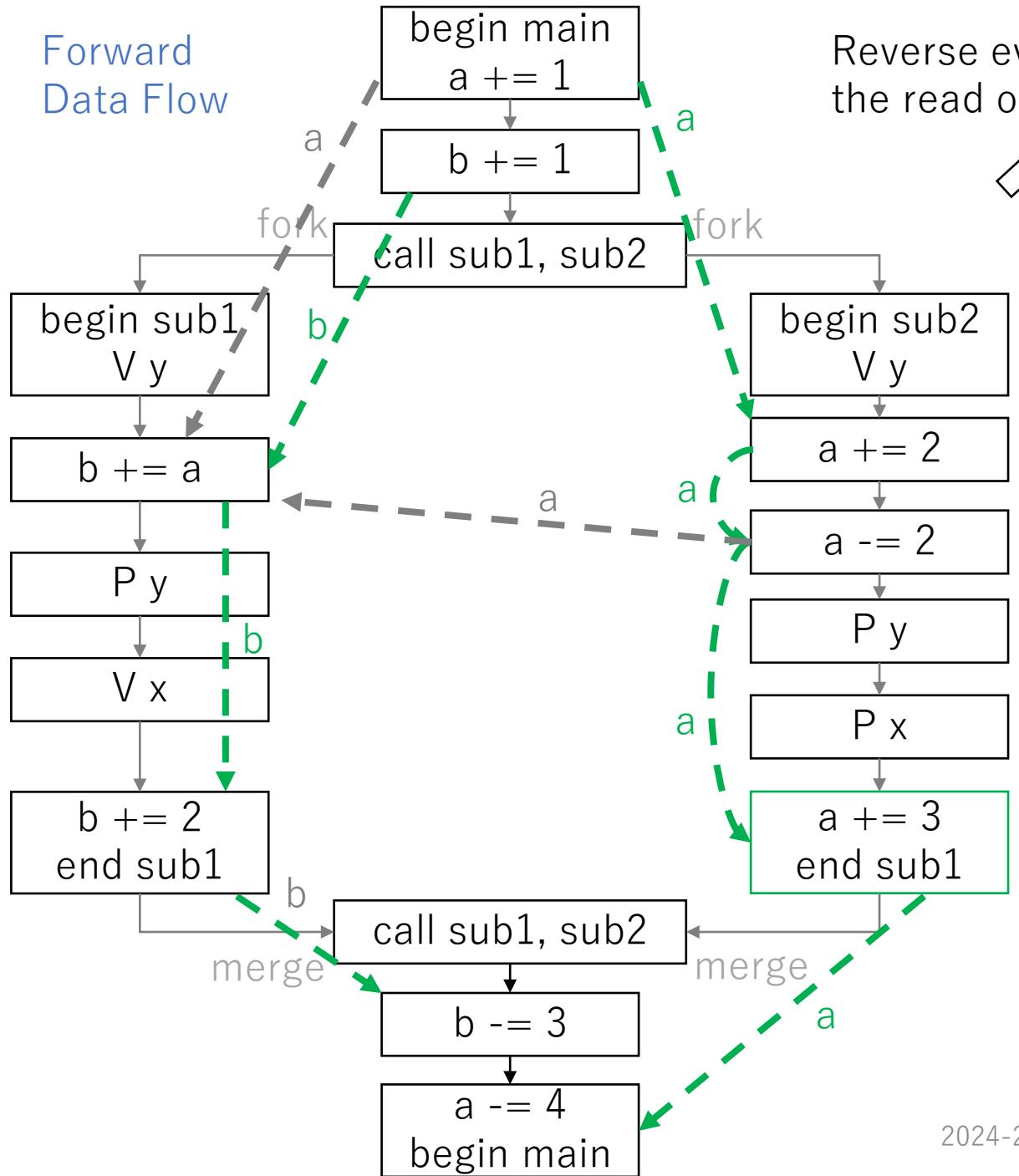
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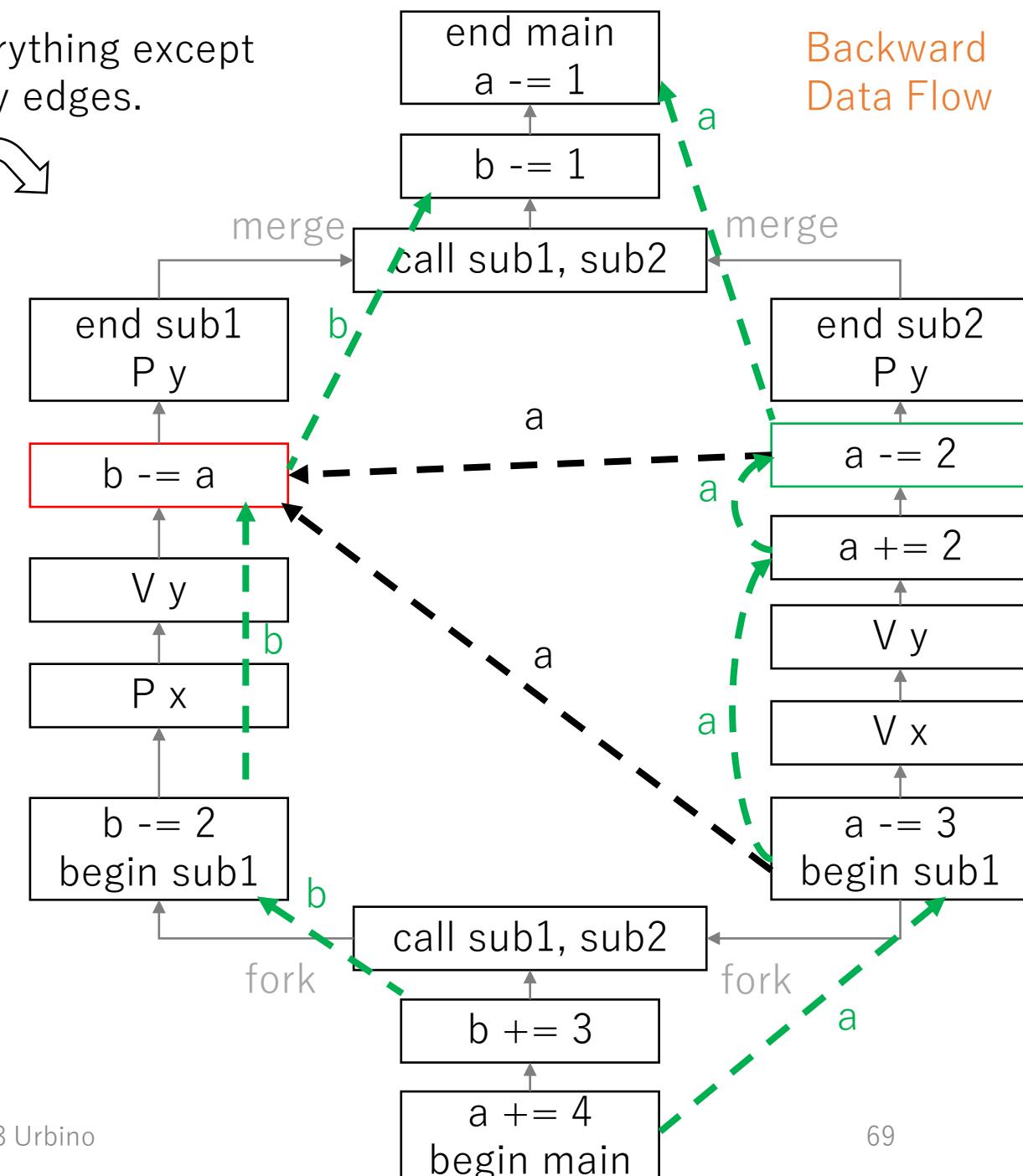
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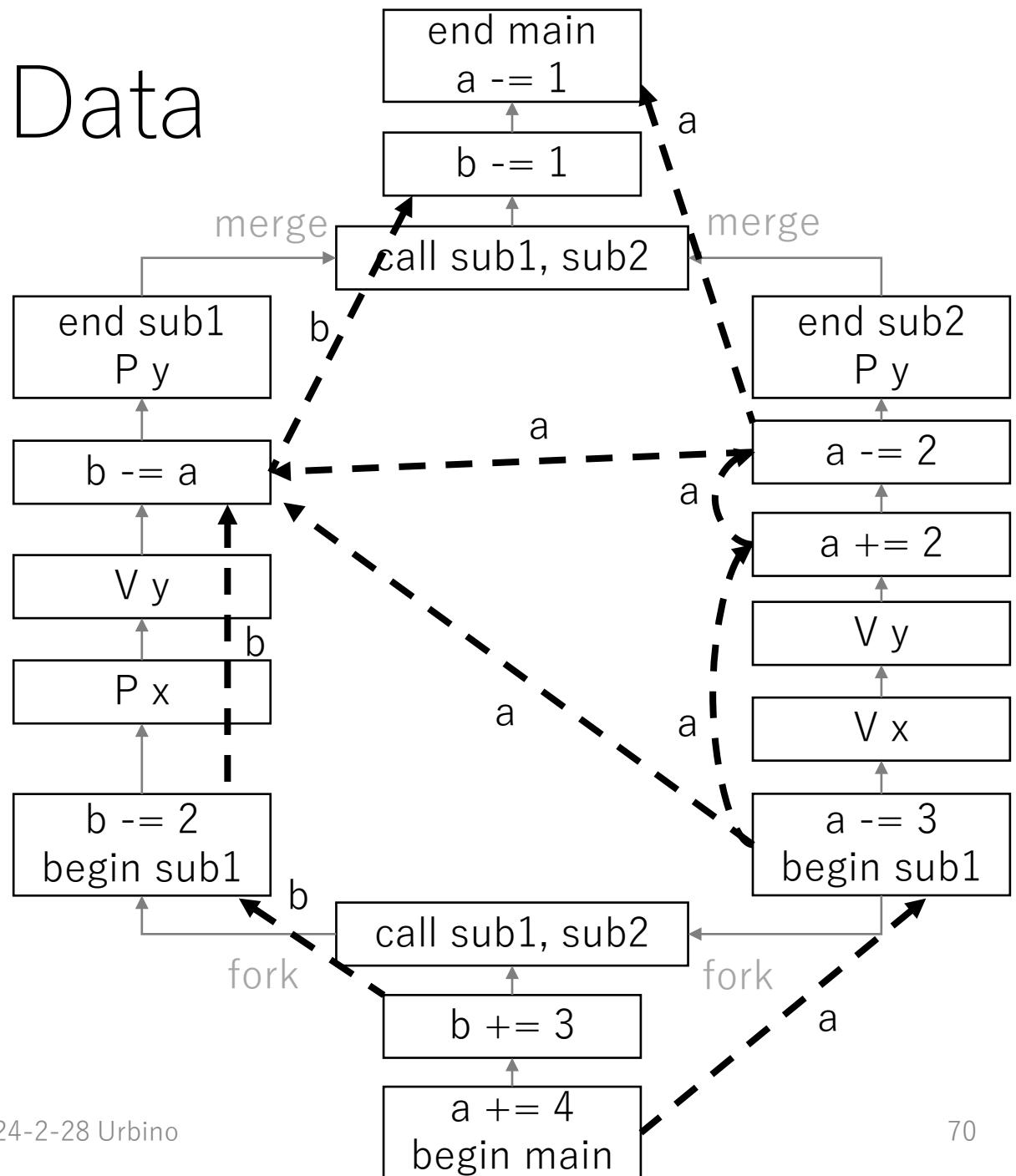
Reverse everything except the read only edges.



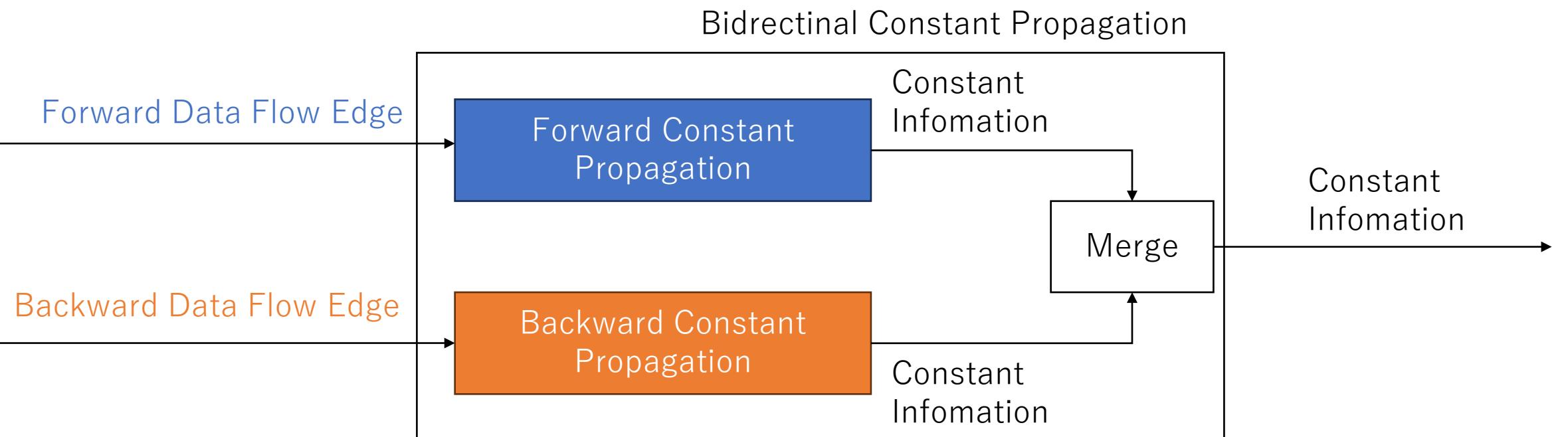
Backward Data Flow



Result of Backward Data Flow Analysis



Constant Propagation in CRIL



Example for Constant Propagation

```
b0 begin main  
b1 a += 0  
b2 b += 1  
b3 c += 2  
b4 d += 3  
b5 call s1, s2  
b6 d == 6  
b7 c == 7  
b8 b == 6  
a == 6  
end main
```



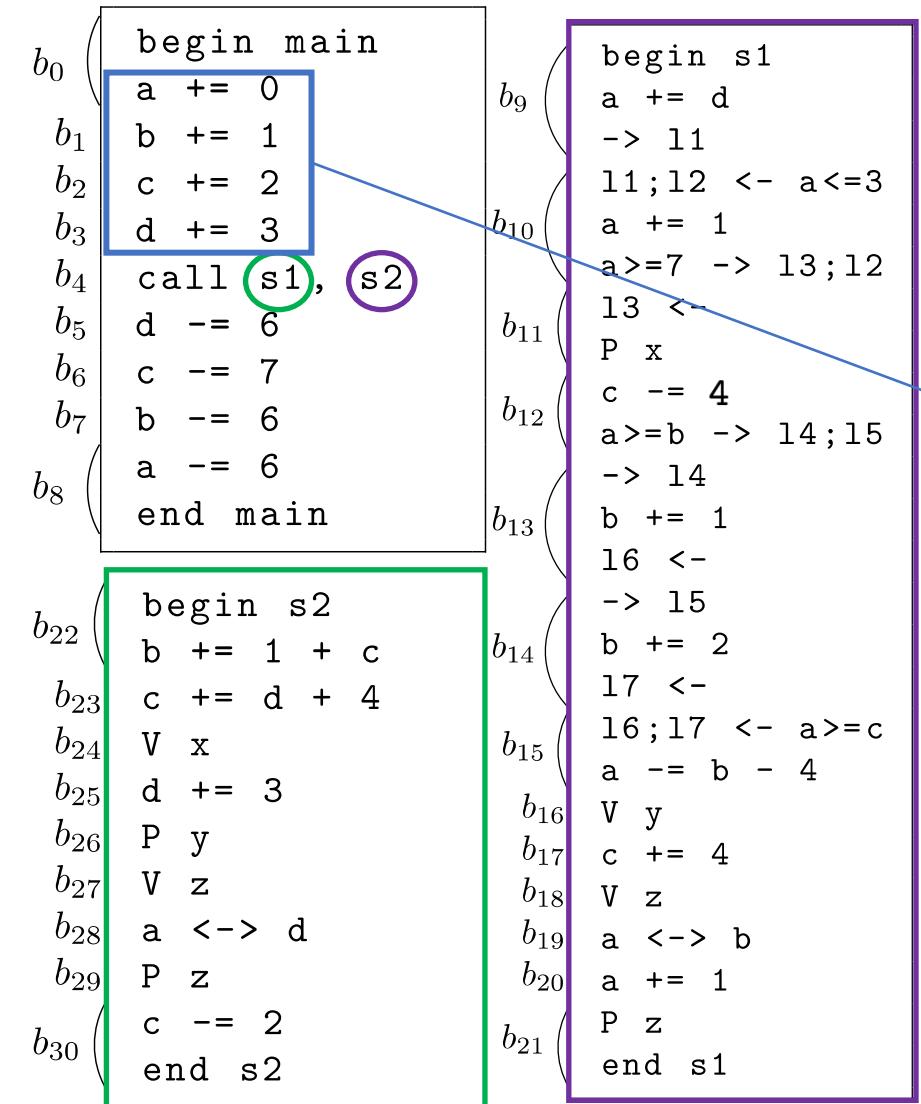
```
b22 begin s2  
b23 b += 1 + c  
b24 c += d + 4  
V x  
b25 d += 3  
P y  
V z  
b28 a <-> d  
P z  
c == 2  
end s2
```



```
b9 begin s1  
a += d  
-> l1  
l1;l2 <- a<=3  
a += 1  
a>=7 -> l3;l2  
l3 <-  
P x  
c == 4  
a>=b -> l4;l5  
-> l4  
b += 1  
l6 <-  
-> l5  
b += 2  
l7 <-  
l6;l7 <- a>=c  
a == b - 4  
V y  
b17 c += 4  
V z  
b18 a <-> b  
b19 a += 1  
P z  
b21 end s1
```

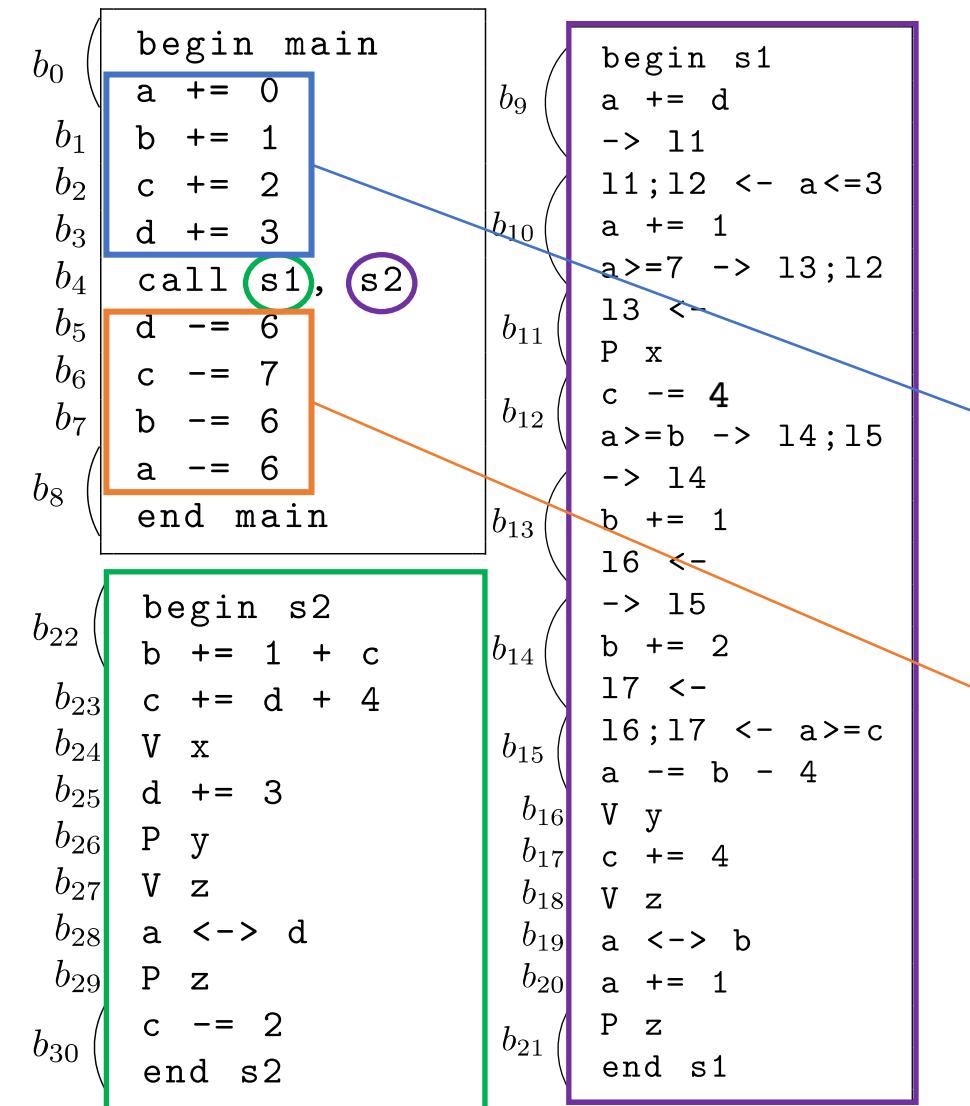
- We assume all the values of variables starts from and ends to 0 (common in reversible programming).

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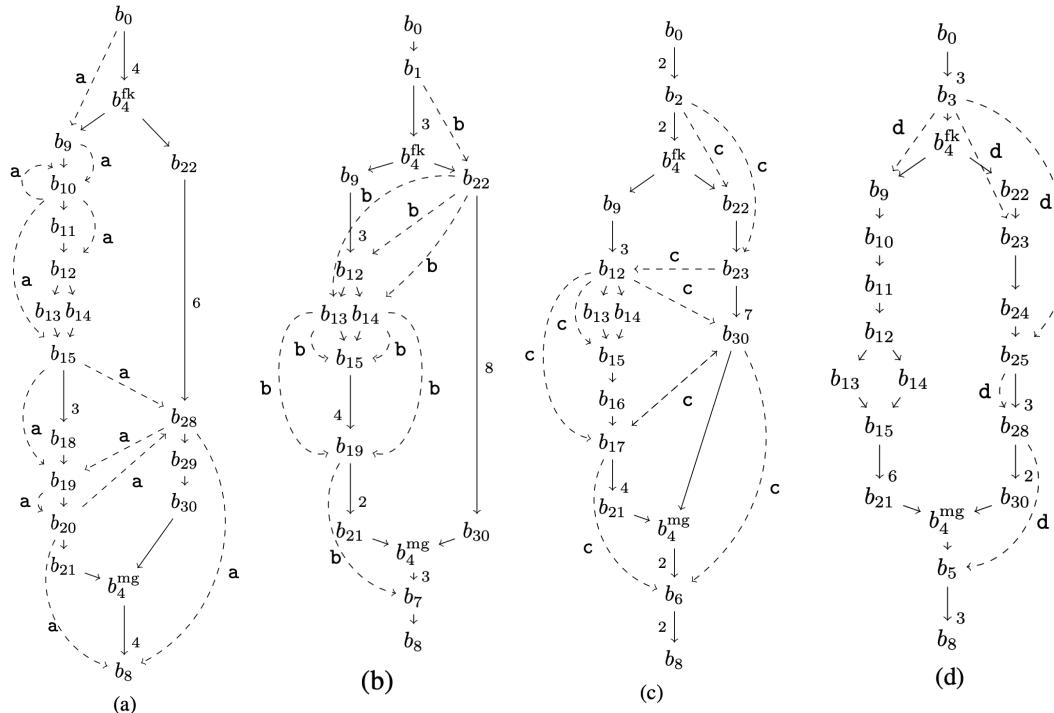
- We assume all the values of variables starts from and ends to 0 (common in reversible programming).
- In **forward** direction, the variables are set to $a=0$, $b=1$, $c=2$, $d=3$ at first.

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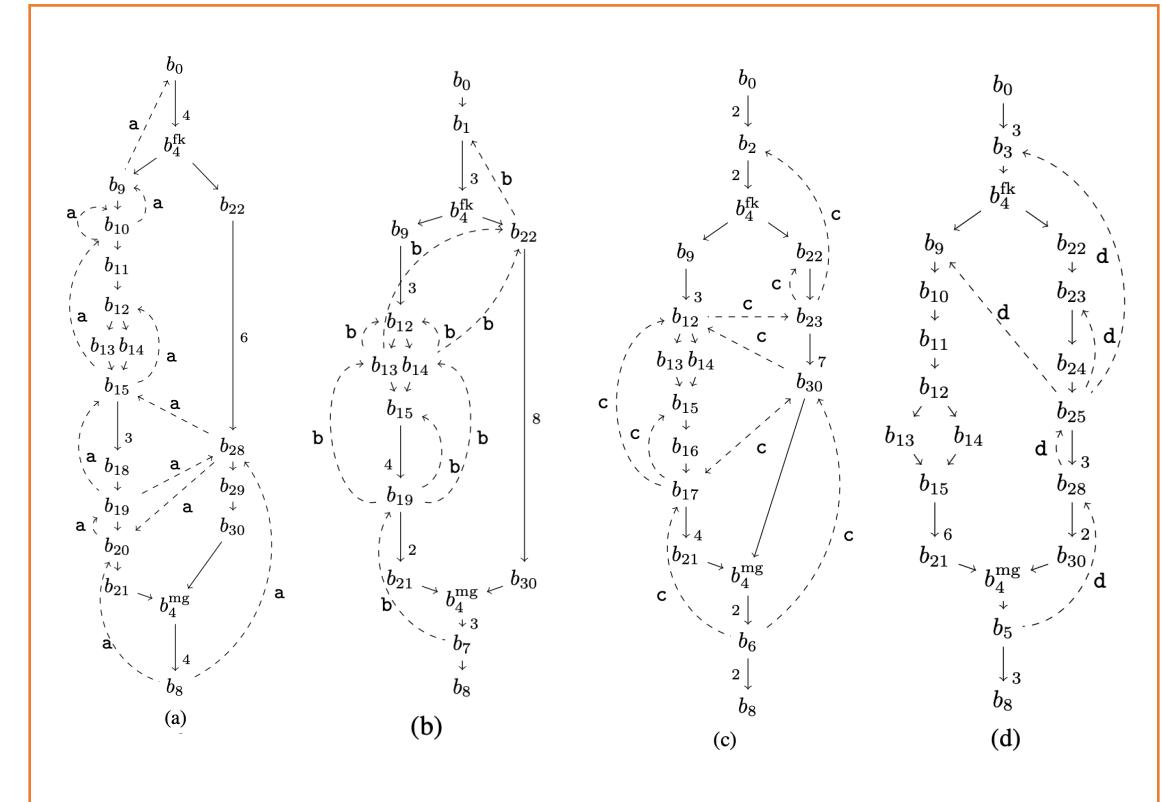


- We assume all the values of variables starts from and ends to 0 (common in reversible programming).
- In **forward** direction, the variables are set to $a=0, b=1, c=2, d=3$ at first.
- In **backward** direction, the variables are set to $a=6, b=6, c=7, d=6$ at first.

Calculating Data Flow

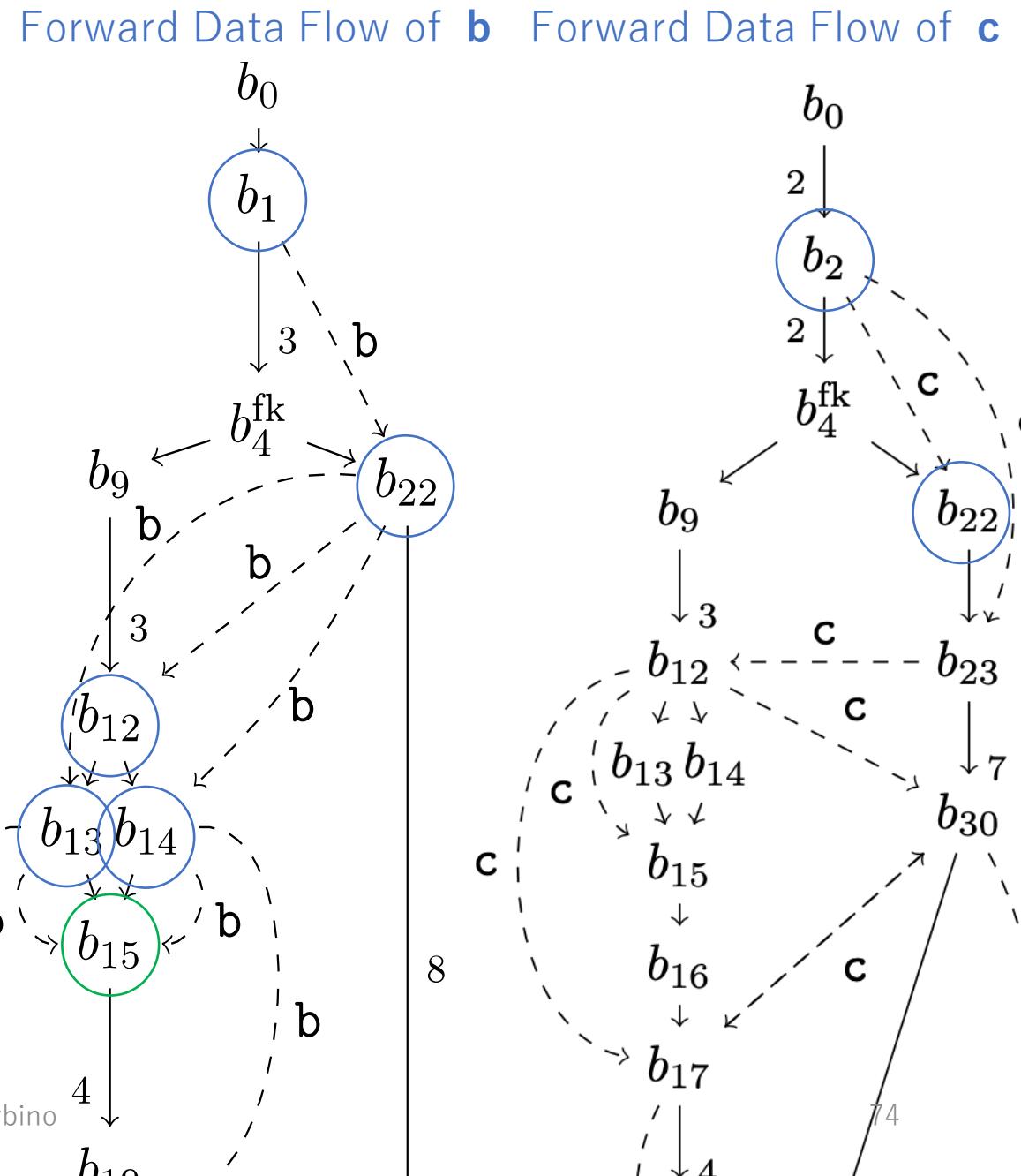
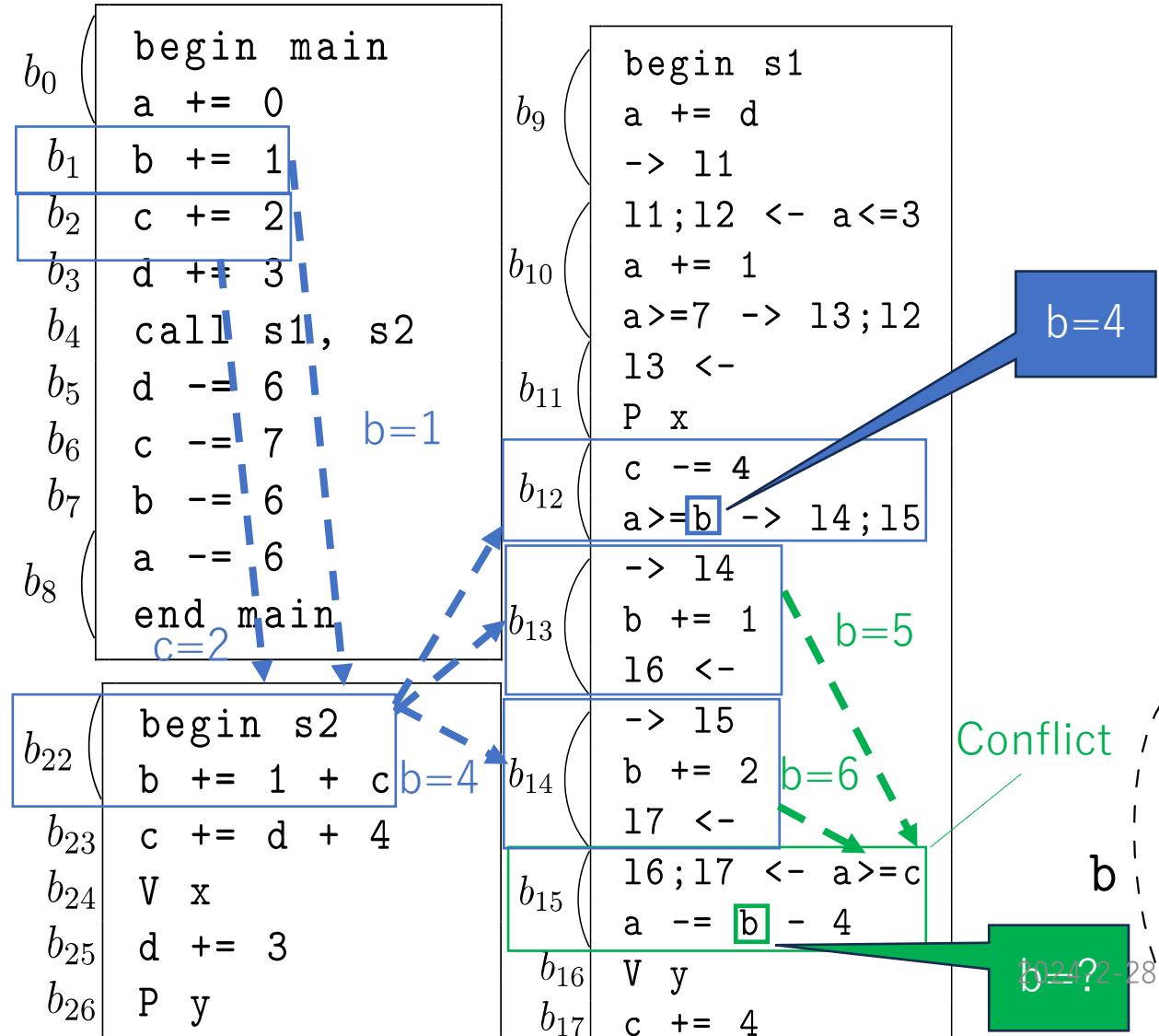


Forward data flow



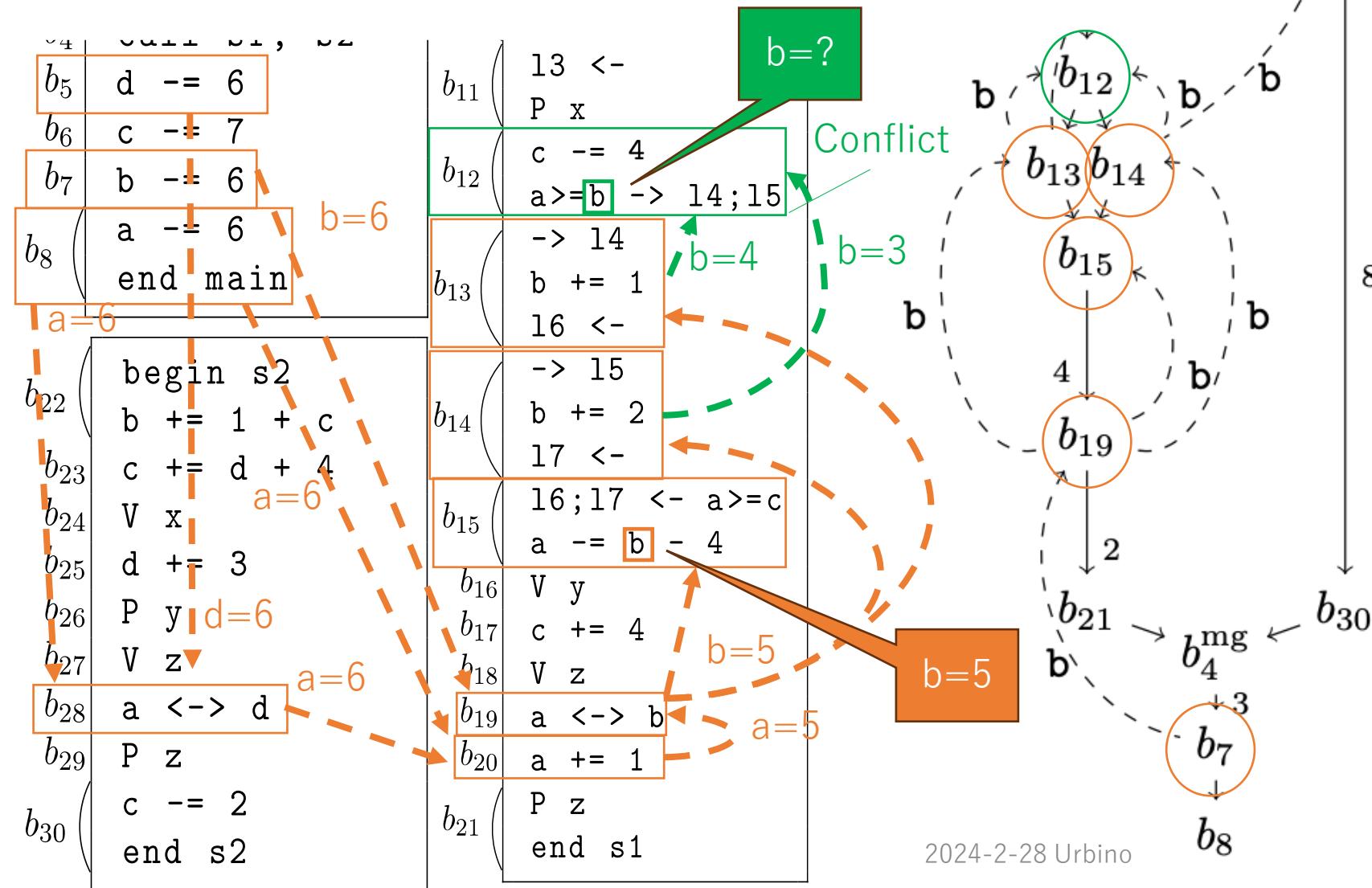
Backward data flow

Forward Propagation

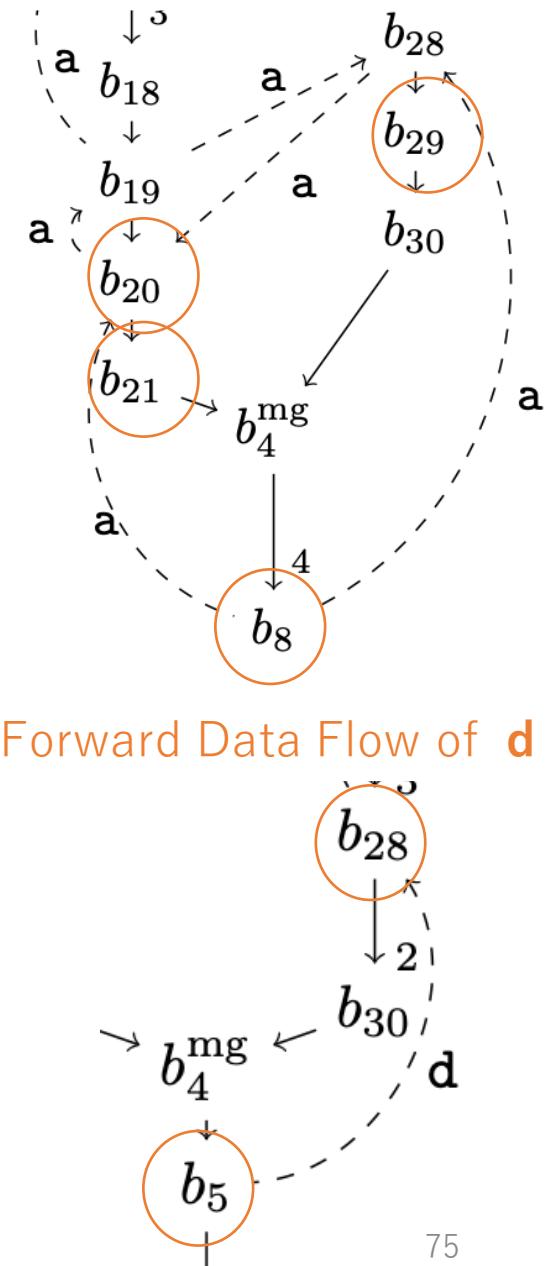


Forward Data Flow of **b**

Backward Propagation



Forward Data Flow of **a**



Backward Propagation

```

b0 begin main
b1 a += 0
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b3 c += 2
b4 d += 3
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b6 d == 6
b7 c == 7
b8 b == 6
a == 6
end main

b22 begin s2
b23 b += 1 + c
b24 c += d + 4
V x
b25 d += 3
P y
b26 V z
b27 a <-> d
b28 P z
c -= 2
end s2
  
```

b9 begin s1
 a += d
 -> 11
 11;12 <- a<=3
 a += 1
 a>=7 -> 13;12
 13 <-
 P x

b10
 b11
 b12 c == 4
 a>=b -> 14;15
 -> 14
 b += 1
 16 <-
 -> 15
 b += 2
 17 <-
 b13
 b14
 b15 16;17 <- a>=c
 a -= b - 4
 V y
 b16
 b17 c += 4
 V z
 b18
 a <-> b
 b19
 a += 1
 P z
 b20
 b21 end s1

Forward Propagation

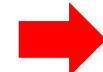
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Backward Propagation

b=?

Result

b=4

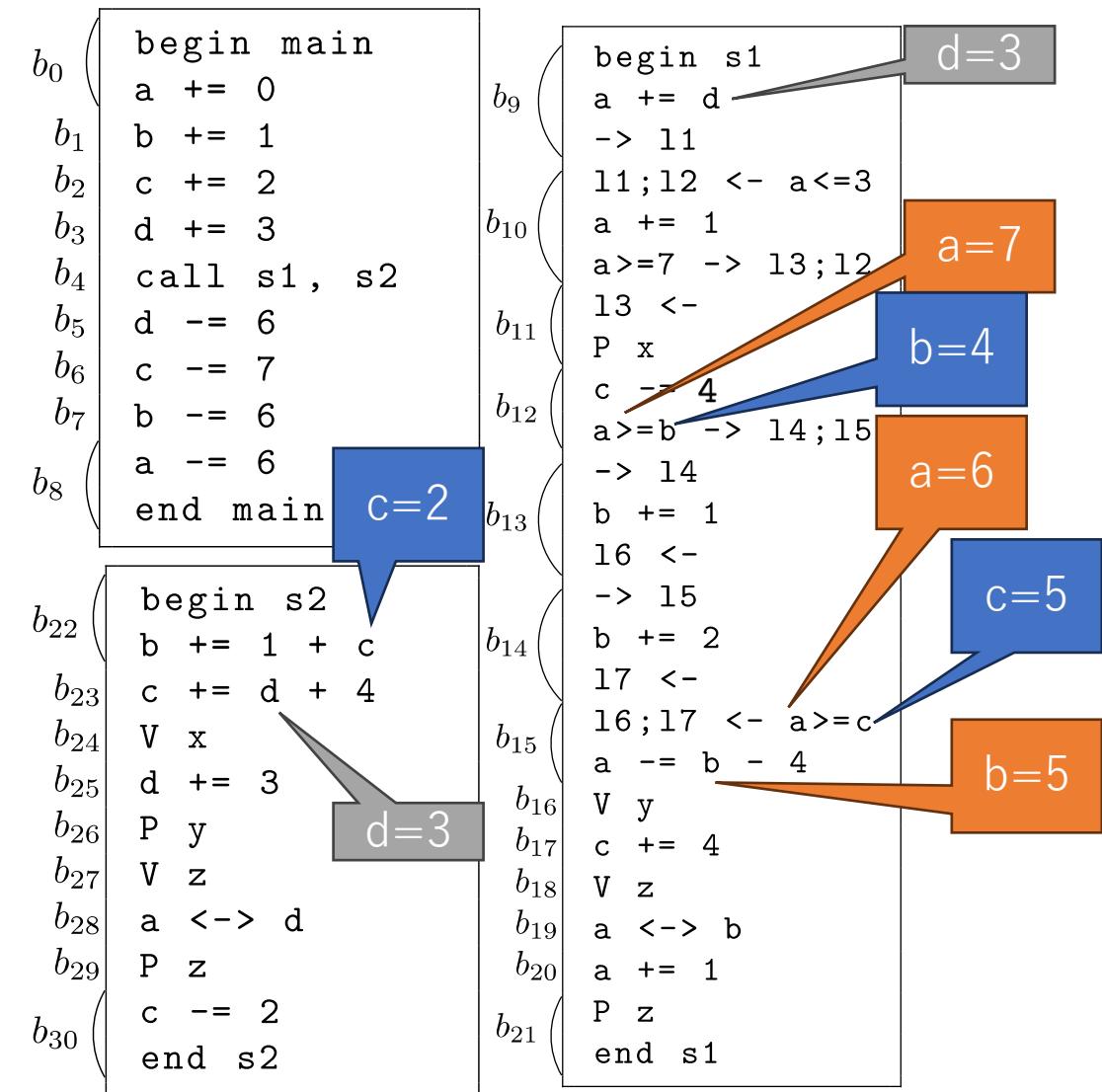


b=?

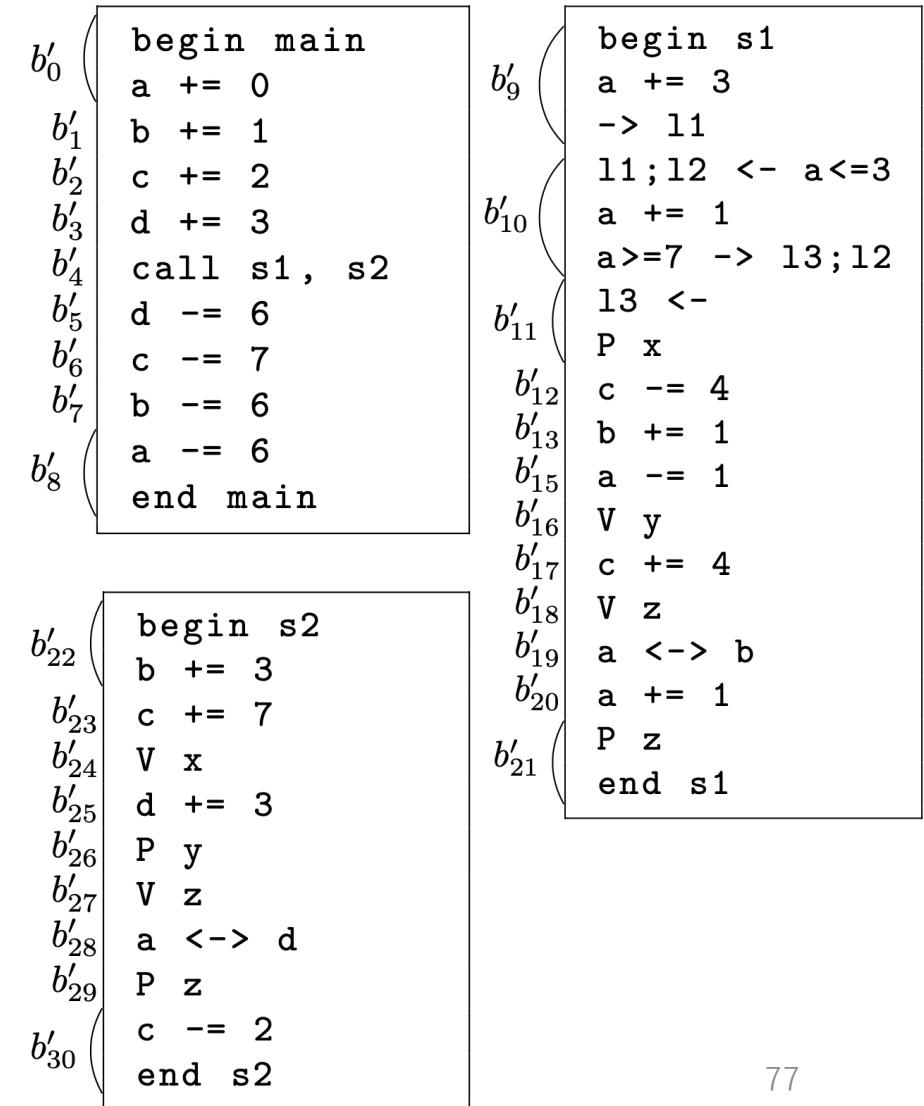
b=5

b=5

Result of Constant Propagation

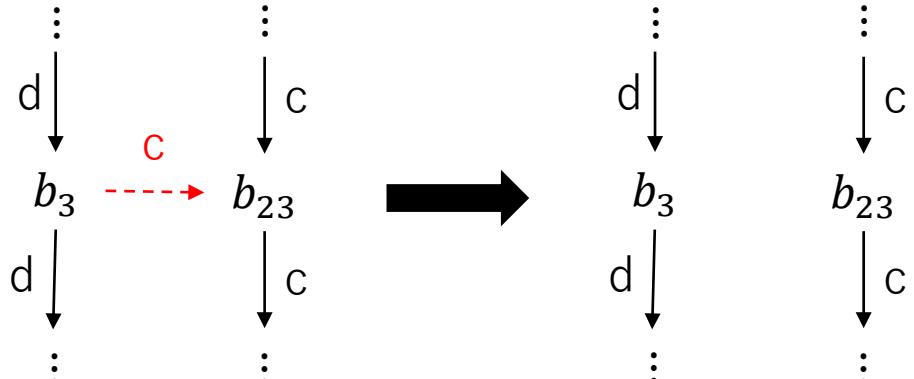


Optimization



Effect of Constant Propagation

- The program becomes simpler.
- The number of **variable reads** decrease.
- The annotation DAG after optimization is smaller than the pre-optimized version.



b'_0	begin main a += 0 b += 1 c += 2 d += 3 call s1, s2 d -= 6 c -= 7 b -= 6 a -= 6 end main	b'_9	begin s1 a += 3 -> 11 11;12 <- a<=3 a += 1 a>=7 -> 13;12 13 <- P x c -= 4 b += 1 a -= 1 V y c += 4 V z a <-> b a += 1 P z end s1
b'_1		b'_{10}	
b'_2		b'_{11}	
b'_3		b'_{12}	
b'_4		b'_{13}	
b'_5		b'_{15}	
b'_6		b'_{16}	
b'_7		b'_{17}	
b'_8		b'_{18}	
b'_{22}	begin s2 b += 3 c += 7 V x d += 3 P y V z a <-> d P z c -= 2 end s2	b'_{19}	
b'_{23}		b'_{20}	
b'_{24}		b'_{21}	
b'_{25}			
b'_{26}			
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b'_{29}			
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- **CRIL** as a concurrent reversible intermediate language.
- Contorlled semantics with **annotation DAG**
- The Controlled semantics has **Causal Safety** and **Causal Liveness**,
- **Bidirectional data flow analysis** in CRIL
- **Constant propagation** to CRIL

Future work

- A variant of **SSA** (Static Single Assignment) form for other optimization techniques
(Work-in-progress) An extension of RSSA
- **Channel-based communication** for the message-passing.
Application/Extension for Go?
- **Effect of Annotation DAG in Reversibility**
Less reversible with less dependency structure?