

What We Talk About When We Talk About Isomorphism Theorems

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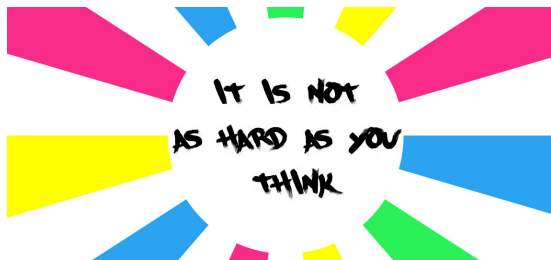
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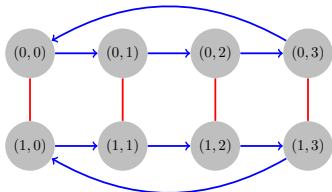
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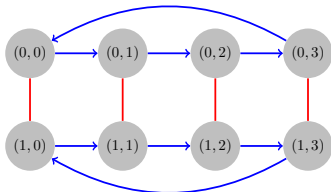
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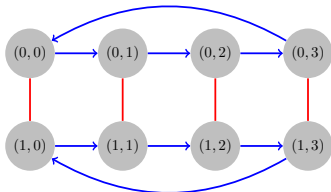
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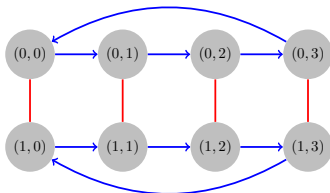
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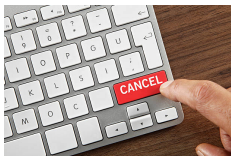
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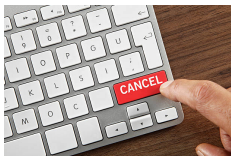
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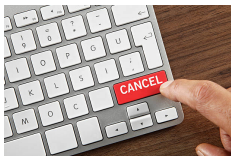
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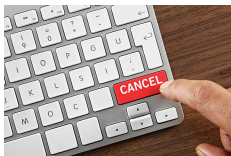
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“On Cancellation in Groups” by R. Hirshon, 1969

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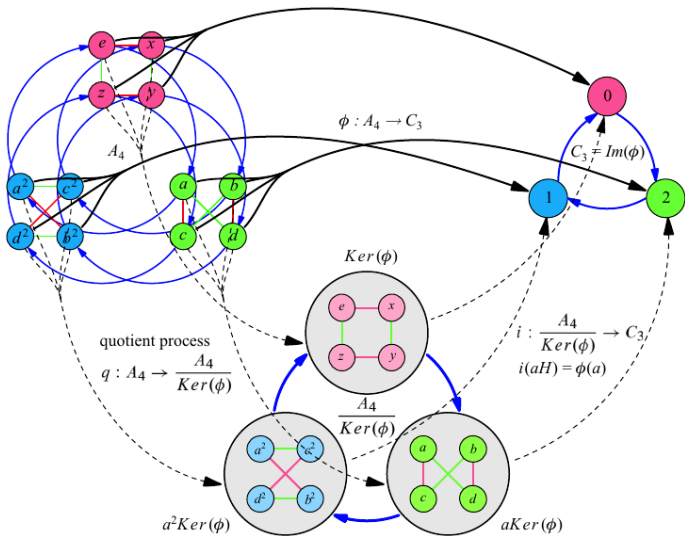
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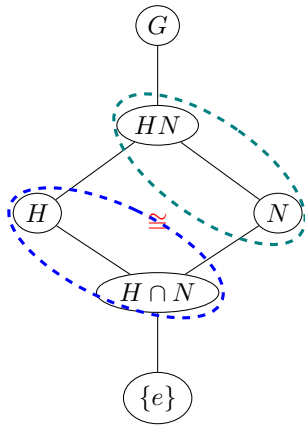
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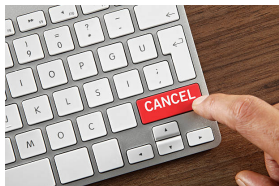
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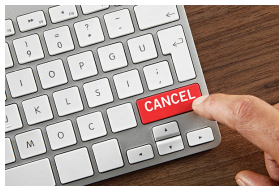
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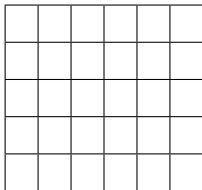
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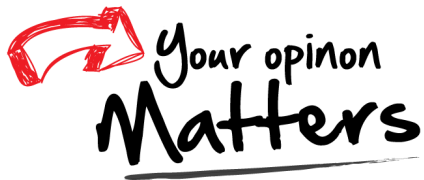
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$$\{0, 1\} \cong \frac{\{0, 1, 2, \dots, 9\}}{\{0, 2, 4, 6, 8\}}$$





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