

# Multi-labeling Optimization on Hierarchies of Partitions

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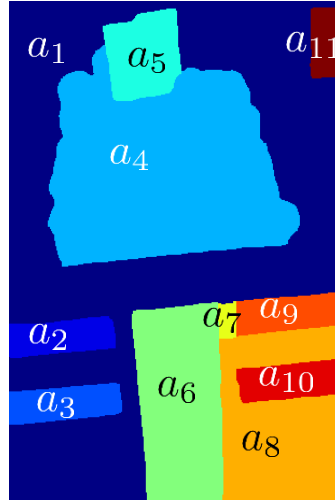
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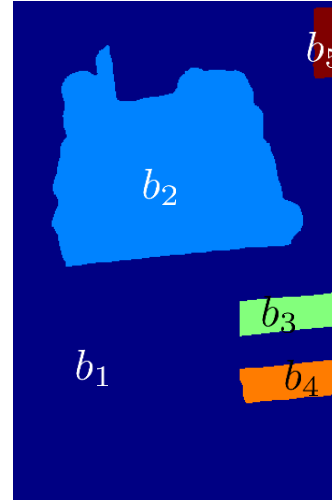
# Hierarchy of Labels



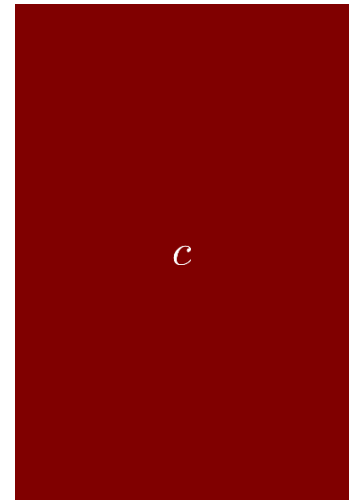
$N_0$



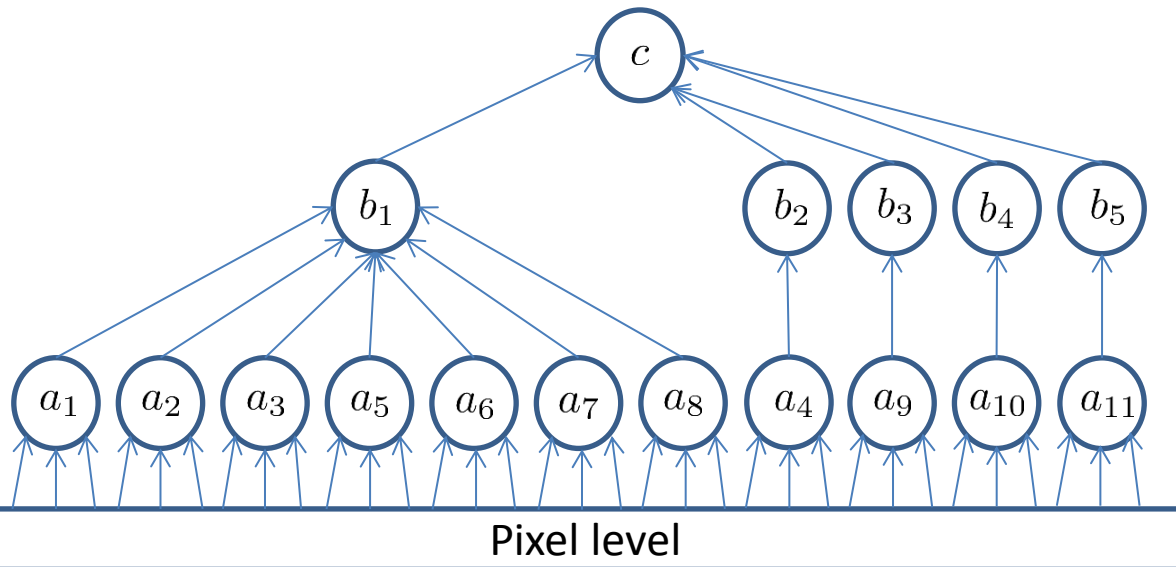
$N_1$



$N_2$



$N_3$



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$$N := \bigsqcup_{i=0}^{r-1} N_i$$

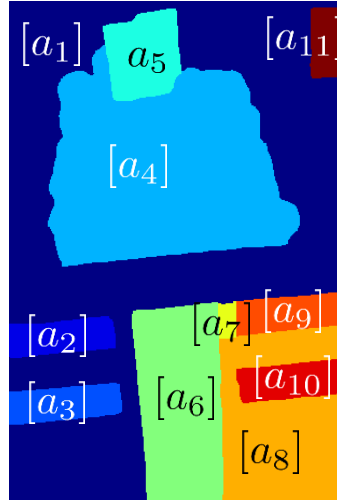
$$\bar{N} := N \sqcup N_r$$

$\text{idx}(l) = i$ , where  
 $l \in N_i, i \in \{1, 2, \dots, r\}$

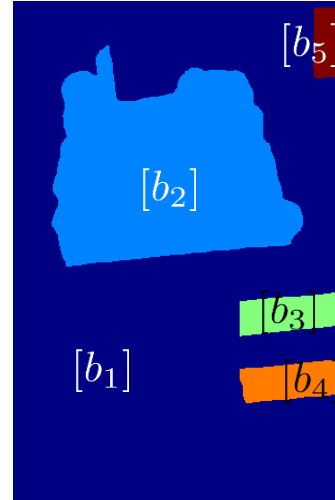
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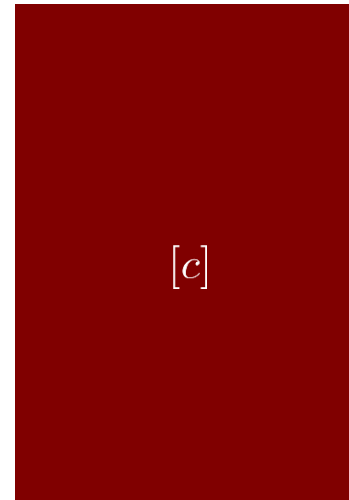
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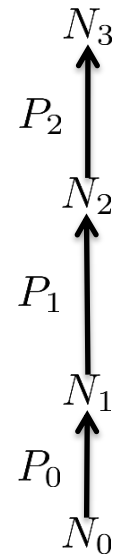
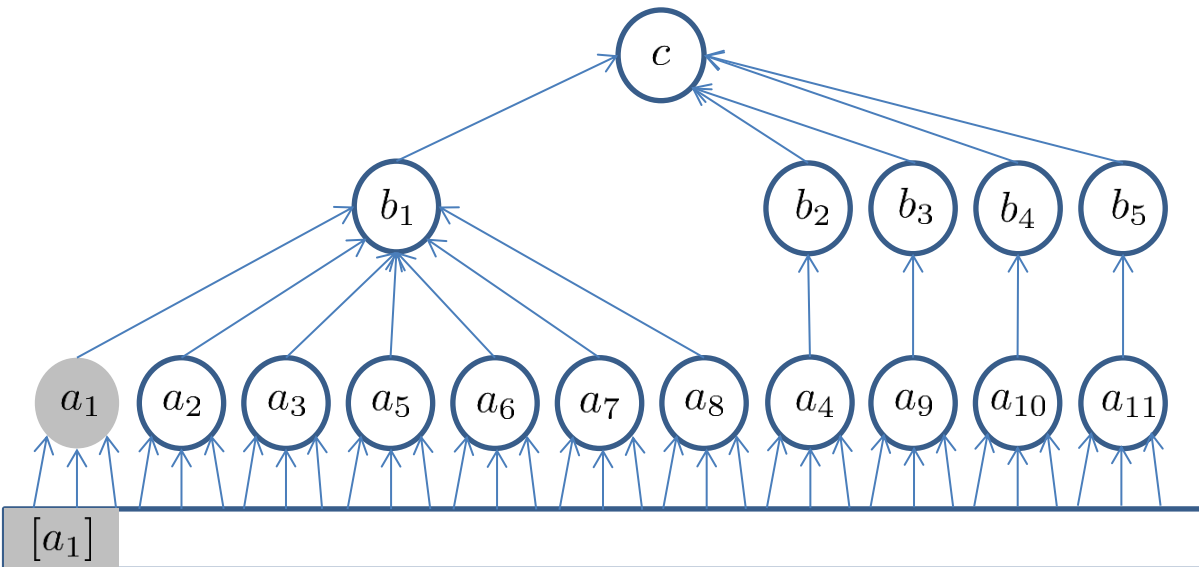
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$$P : N \rightarrow \bar{N}$$

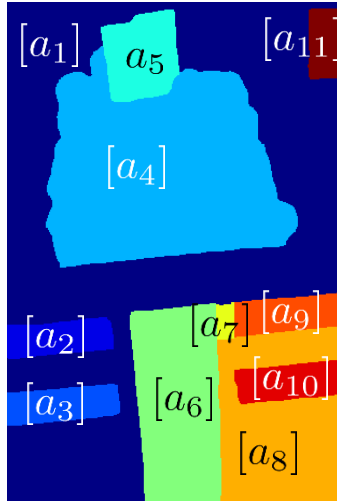
$$P|N_i = P_i$$

$$[l] = \begin{cases} \{l\}, & \text{if } l \in N_0 \\ P^{-i}(l), & \text{if } l \in N_i \end{cases}$$

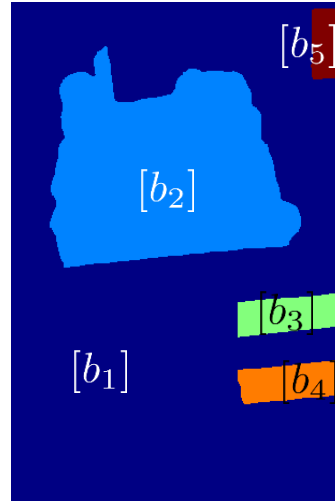
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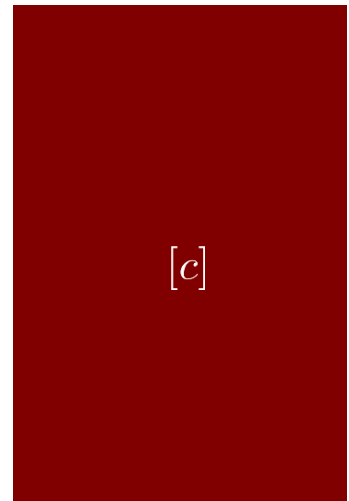
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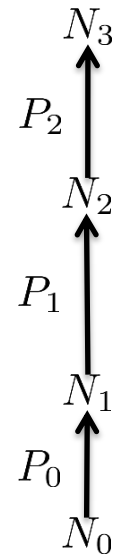
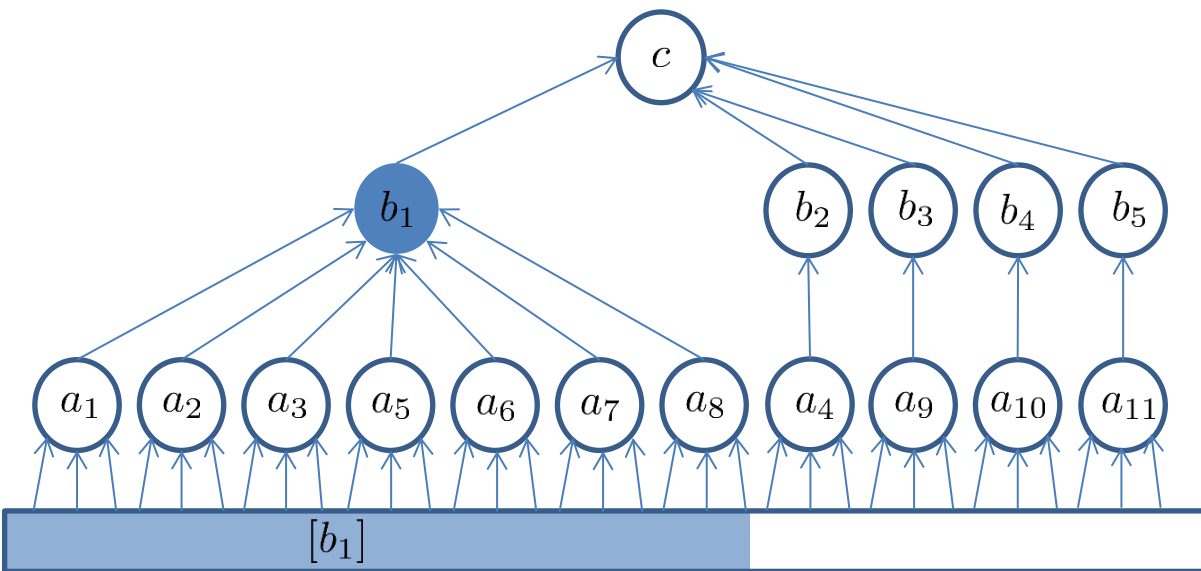
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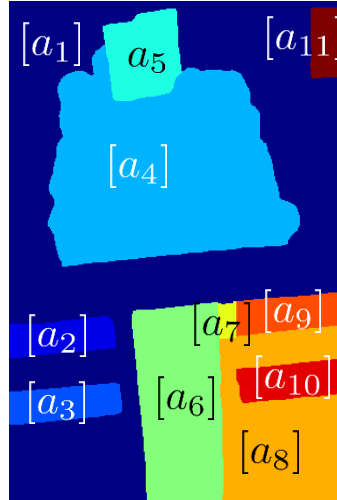
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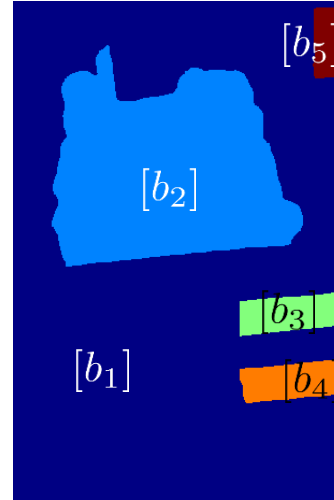
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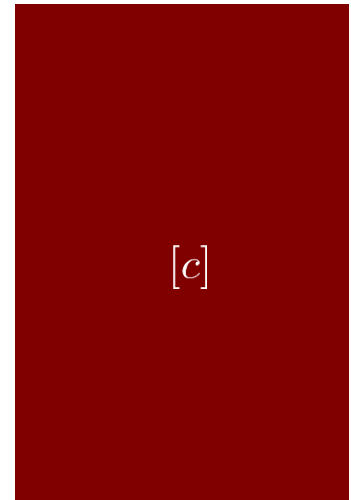
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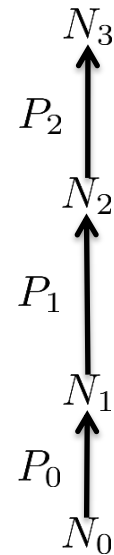
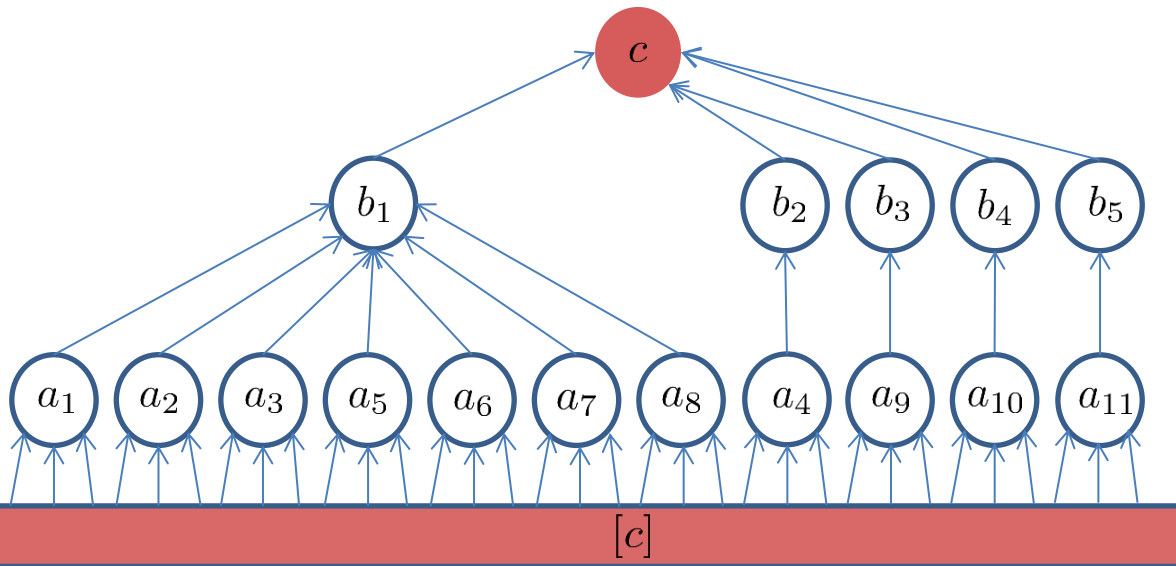
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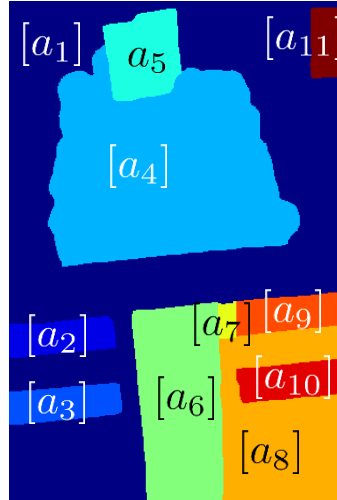
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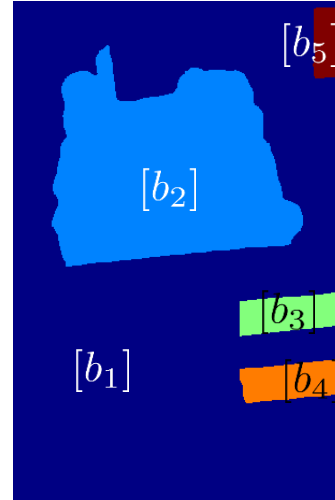
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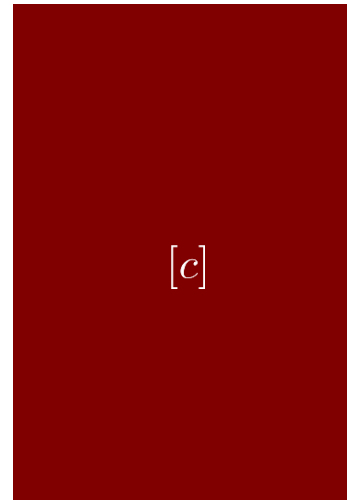
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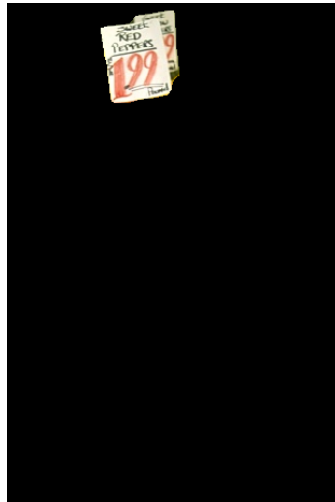
$N_2$



$N_3$



$[a_1]$



$[a_5]$



$[b_2]$



$[c]$

# Global Energy

$$E(P) = \sum_{i=1}^r \left[ \sum_{l \in N_i} \int_{[l]} f_l(x) dx + \lambda_i \sum_{l < m \in N_i} d(l, m) \cdot \text{Length}(\partial[l] \cap \partial[m]) \right]$$

- $f_l$  is the negative log-likelihood of a probabilistic model
- $d(l, m) := \text{idx}(l \vee m) - \text{idx}(l) = d(m, l)$
- Length is weighted by  $d(l, m)$  the distance to their maximum.

# Global Energy

$$E(P) = \sum_{i=1}^r \left[ \underbrace{\sum_{l \in N_i} \int_{[l]} f_l(x) dx}_{\text{Data term}} + \lambda_i \underbrace{\sum_{l < m \in N_i} d(l, m) \cdot \text{Length}(\partial[l] \cap \partial[m])}_{\text{Length term}} \right]$$



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Geodesic Length:  $\text{Len}_{l,m}(s) = d(l, m) \cdot g_{l,m}(s)$

$$E(P) = \sum_{i=0}^{r-1} \sum_{u \in N_i} \int_{[u]} f_{P_i(u)}(x) dx + \sum_{i=1}^r \lambda_i \cdot \sum_{l < m \in N_i} \int_{\partial[l] \cap \partial[m]} \text{Len}_{l,m}(s) ds$$

# Global Energy

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$$D_u(l) = \int_{[u]} f_l(x) dx$$

Neighbourhoods  $\mathcal{N}_i \subset N_i \times N_i$

$$E(P) = \sum_{i=0}^{r-1} \left[ \sum_{u \in N_i} D_u(P_i(u)) + \lambda_i \sum_{u,v \in \mathcal{N}_i} V_{u,v}(P_i(u), P_i(v)) \right]$$

# Global Energy

$$\begin{aligned} E(P) &= \sum_{i=0}^{r-1} \left[ \sum_{u \in \mathcal{N}_i} D_u(P_i(u)) + \lambda_i \sum_{u,v \in \mathcal{N}_i} V_{u,v}(P_i(u), P_i(v)) \right] \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^{r-1} E_i(P_i) \end{aligned}$$

$$E_i(P_i) = \left[ \sum_{u \in \mathcal{N}_i} D_u(P_i(u)) + \lambda_i \sum_{u,v \in \mathcal{N}_i} V_{u,v}(P_i(u), P_i(v)) \right]$$

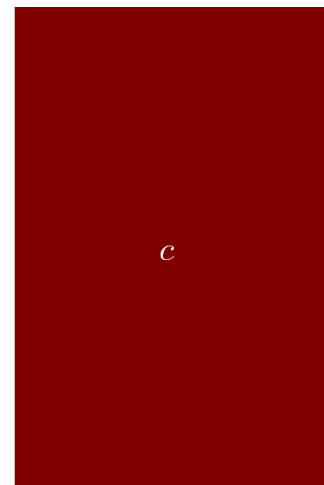
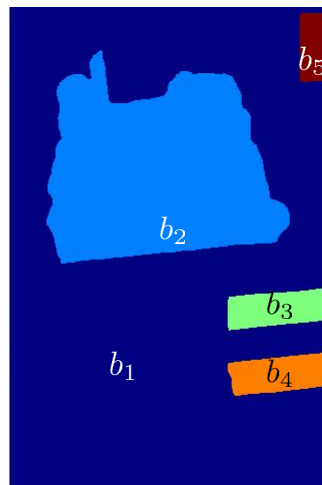
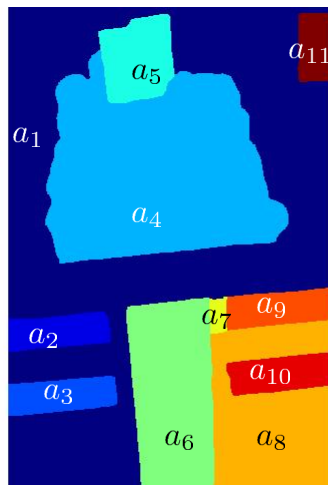
$E_i$  can be optimized via  $\alpha$ -expansion.

This results in a new hierarchy  $\hat{P}$  with  $E(\hat{P}) \leq E(P)$ .

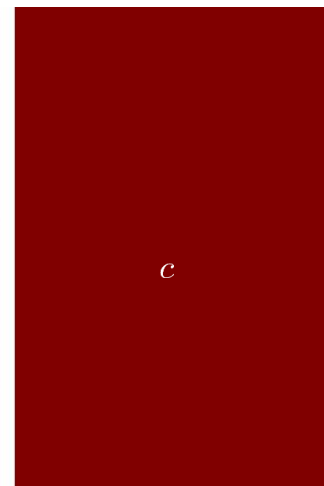
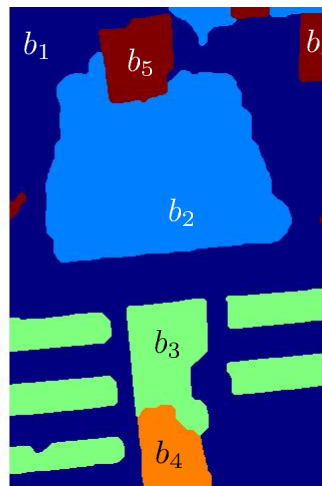
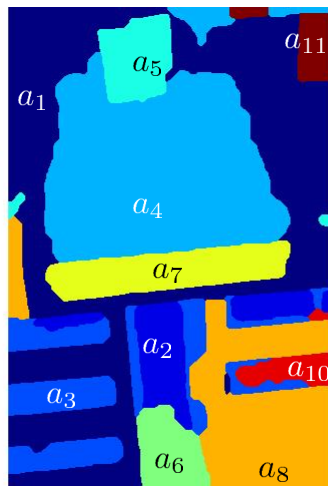
# Input Hierarchy Vs Output Hierarchy

# Berkeley Ultrametric Contour Map(UCM)

In



Out



$N_0$

$N_1$

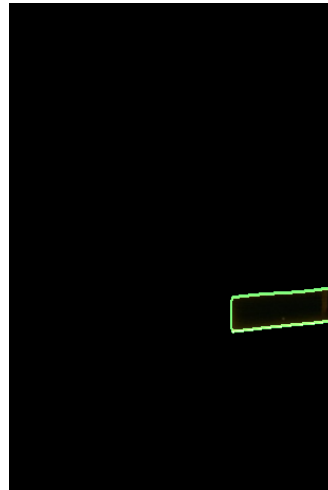
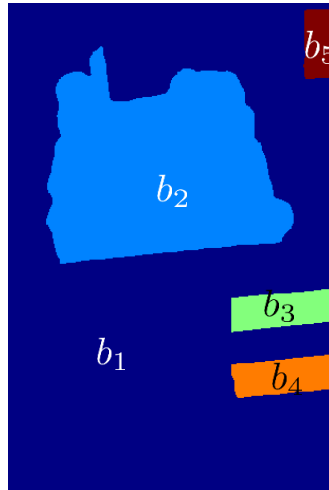
$N_2$

$N_3$

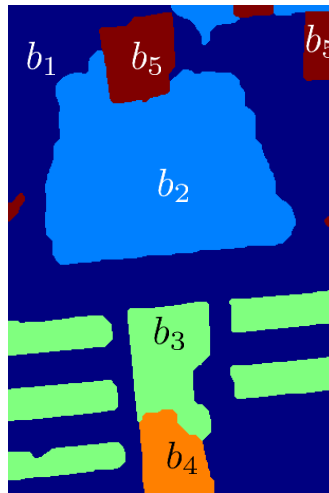
# Before and After Optimization: Selected Classes



In



Out



$N_2$

$[b_3]$

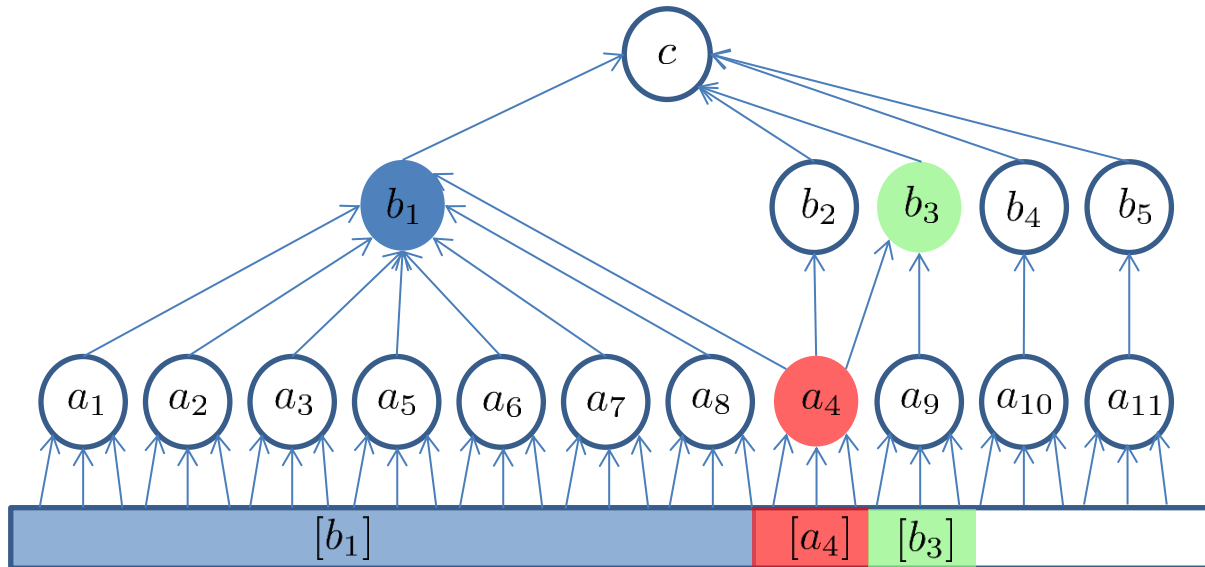
$[b_1]$

# Parent Label Costs

$$D_u(l) = \int_{[u]} f_l(x) dx$$

$$D_{a_4}(b_1) = \int_{[a_4]} -\log f_{b_1}(x) dx$$

$$D_{a_4}(b_3) = \int_{[a_4]} -\log f_{b_3}(x) dx,$$



# Hierarchical Structure Costs

	$a_1$	$a_2$	$a_3$	$a_4$	$a_5$	$a_6$	$a_7$	$a_8$	$a_9$	$a_{10}$	$a_{11}$
$a_1$	0	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	2	2
$a_2$	1	0	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	2	2
$a_3$	1	1	0	2	1	1	1	1	2	2	2
$a_4$	2	2	2	0	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
$a_5$	1	1	1	2	0	1	1	1	2	2	2
$a_6$	1	1	1	2	1	0	1	1	2	2	2
$a_7$	1	1	1	2	1	1	0	1	2	2	2
$a_8$	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	0	2	2	2
$a_9$	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	0	2	2
$a_{10}$	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	0	2
$a_{11}$	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	0

$$d(l, m) = \text{idx}(l \vee m) - \text{idx}(l)$$

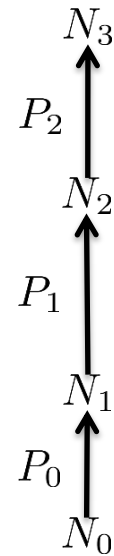
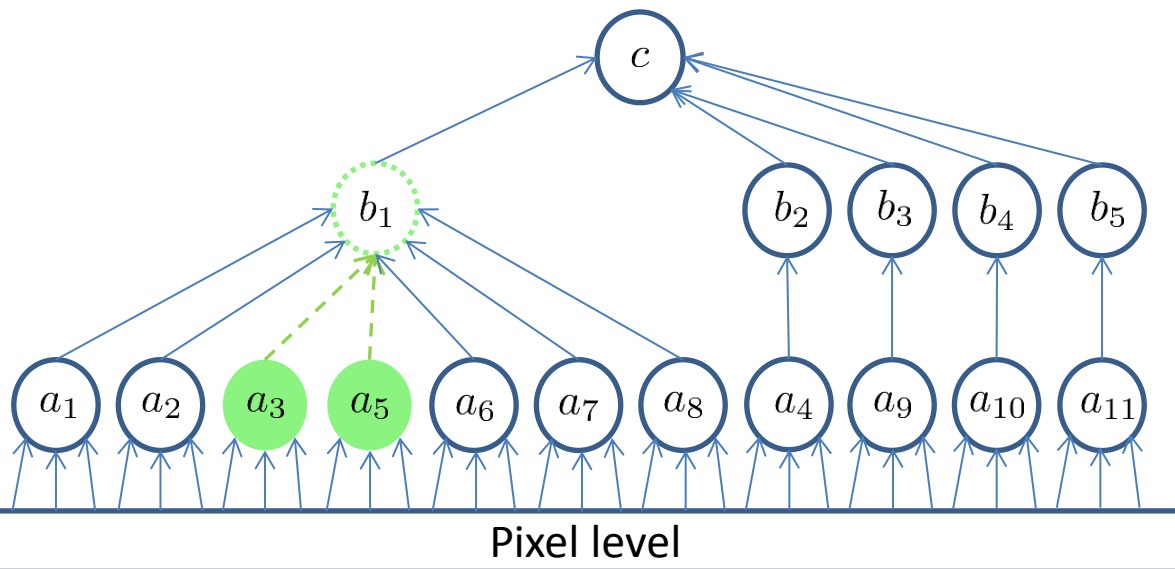
	$b_1$	$b_2$	$b_3$	$b_4$	$b_5$
$b_1$	0	1	1	1	1
$b_2$	1	0	1	1	1
$b_3$	1	1	0	1	1
$b_4$	1	1	1	0	1
$b_5$	1	1	1	1	0

$d_{N_1}$

$d_{N_2}$

	$c$
$c$	0

$d_{N_3}$



$$P : N \rightarrow N$$

$$P|_{N_i} = P_i$$

$$[l] = \begin{cases} \{l\}, & \text{if } l \in N_0 \\ P^{-i}(l), & \text{if } l \in N_i \end{cases}$$

# Hierarchical Structure Costs

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$a_1$	0	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	2	2
$a_2$	1	0	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	2	2
$a_3$	1	1	0	2	1	1	1	1	2	2	2
$a_4$	2	2	2	0	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
$a_5$	1	1	1	2	0	1	1	1	2	2	2
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$a_9$	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	0	2	2
$a_{10}$	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	0	2
$a_{11}$	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	0

$d_{N_1}$

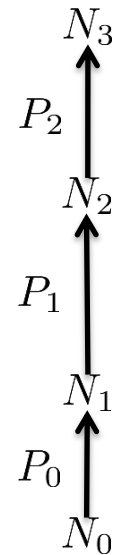
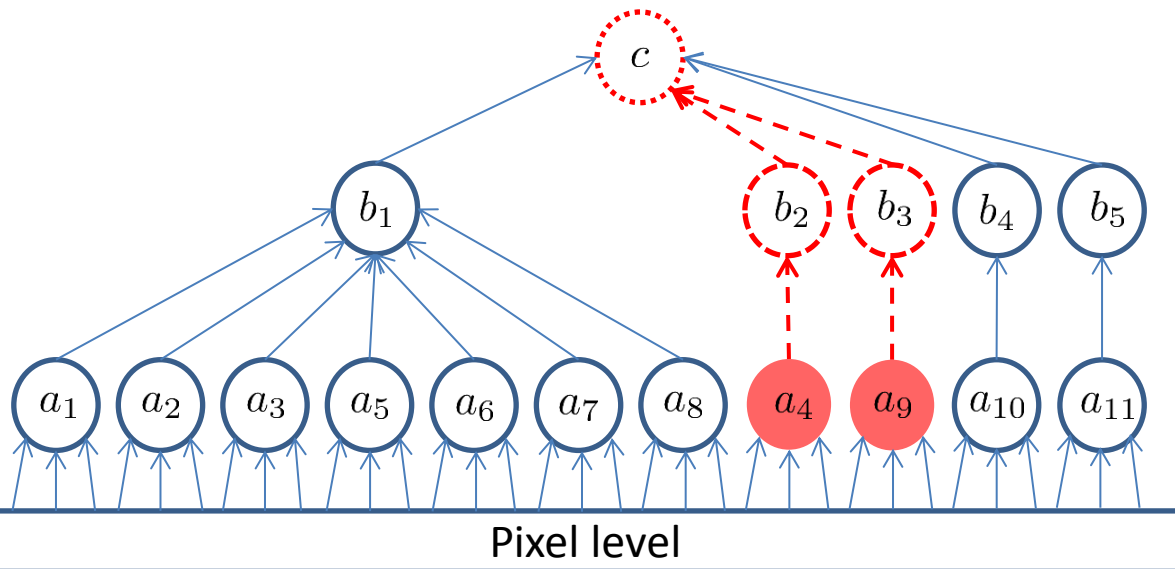
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$b_3$	1	1	0	1	1
$b_4$	1	1	1	0	1
$b_5$	1	1	1	1	0

$d_{N_2}$

$$d(l, m) = \text{idx}(l \vee m) - \text{idx}(l)$$

	$c$
$c$	0

$d_{N_3}$



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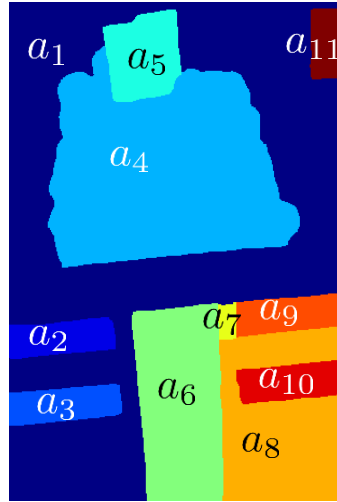
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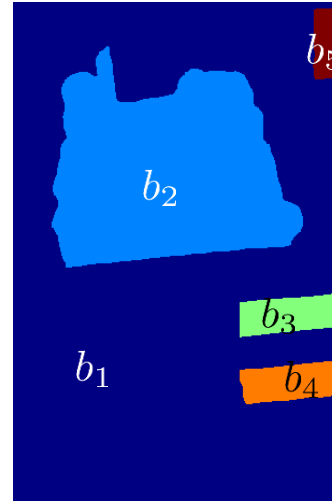
# Inputs: Hierarchy 4 Levels



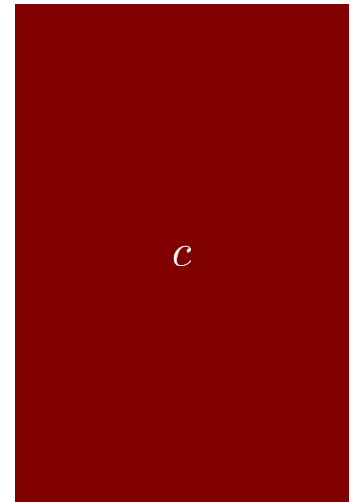
$N_0$



$N_1$



$N_2$



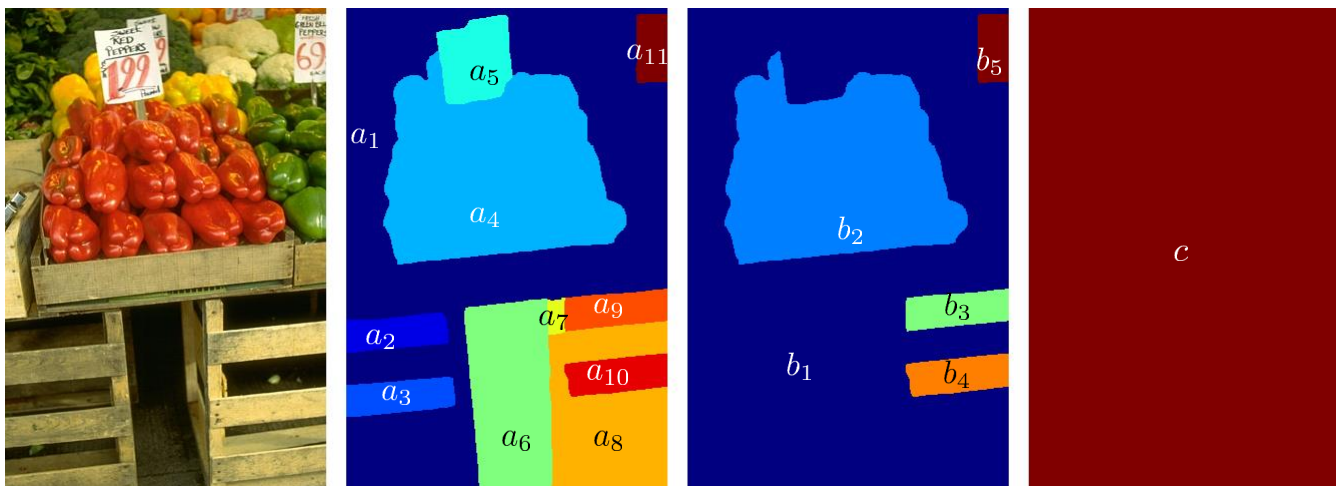
$N_3$

Iterate until convergence:

1. Optimizing  $E_0(\alpha\text{-Expansion, EM})$
2. Optimizing  $E_1(\alpha\text{-Expansion, EM})$
3. Optimizing  $E_2$  (Trivial solution)

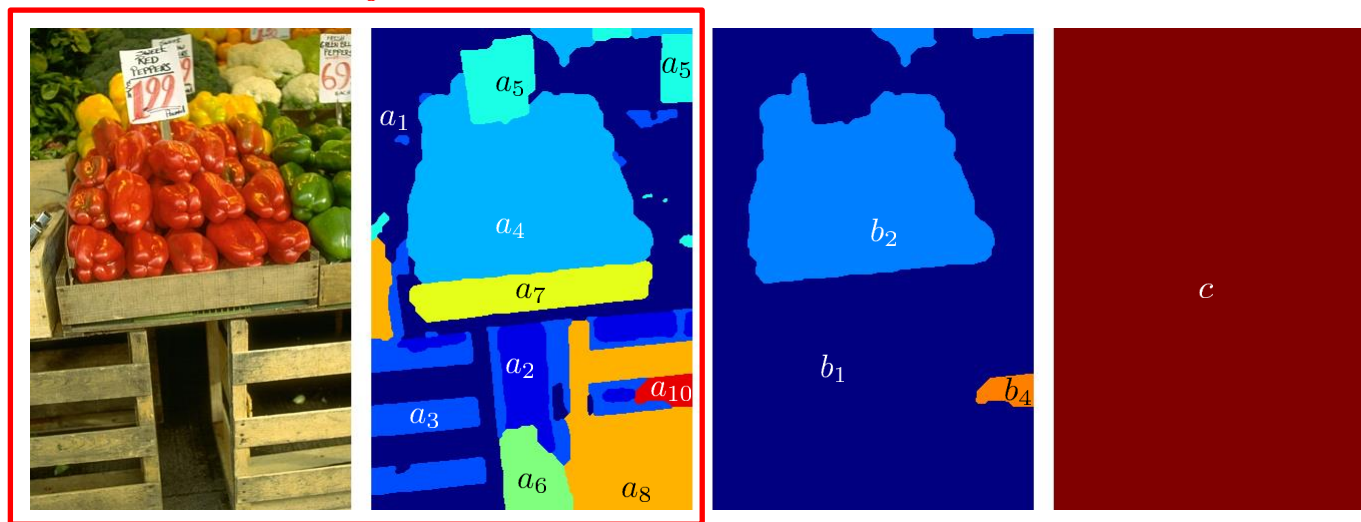
# Iteration 1: Optimizing $E_0$

In



$P_0$

Out



$N_0$

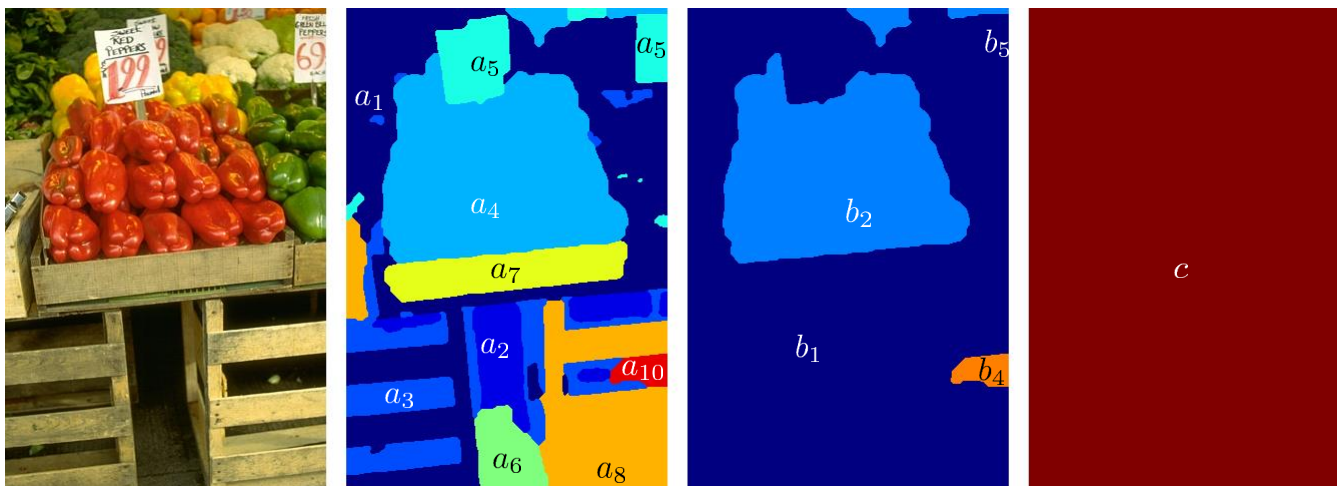
$N_1$

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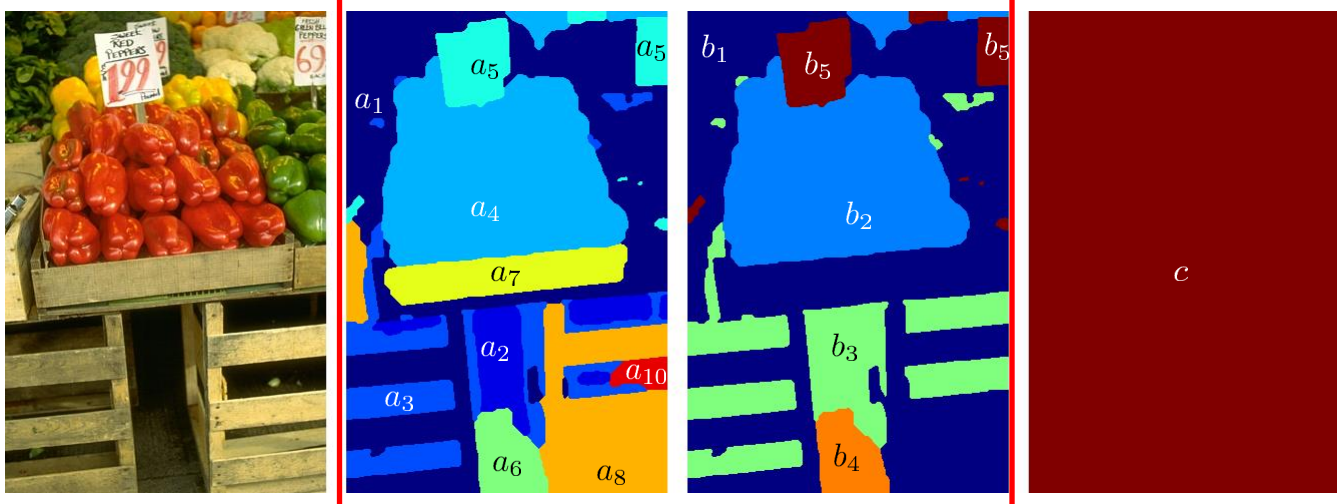
# Iteration 1: Optimizing $E_1$

In



$P_1$

Out



$N_0$

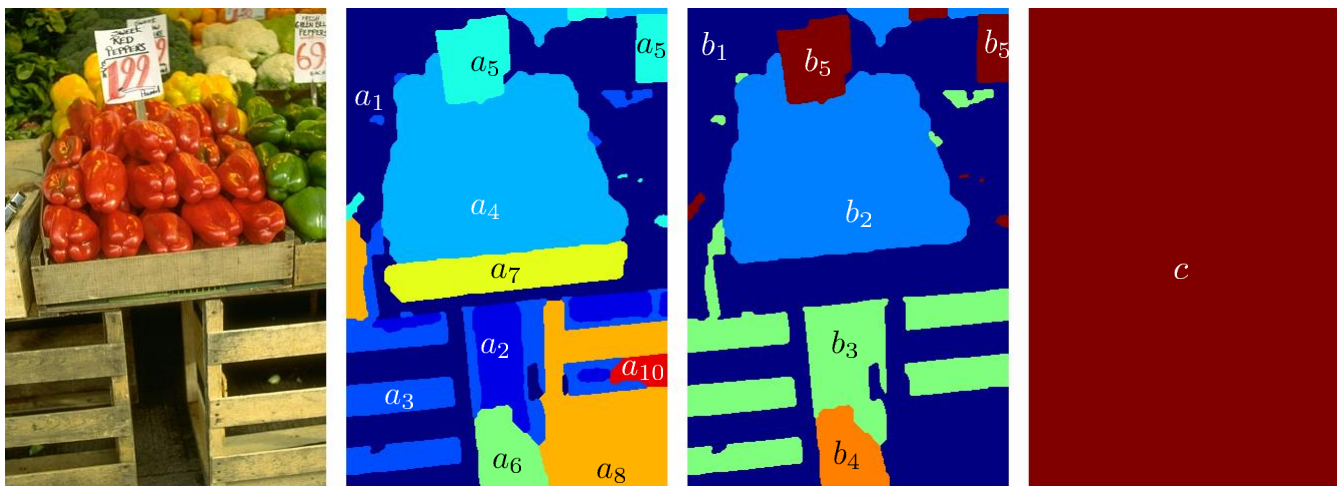
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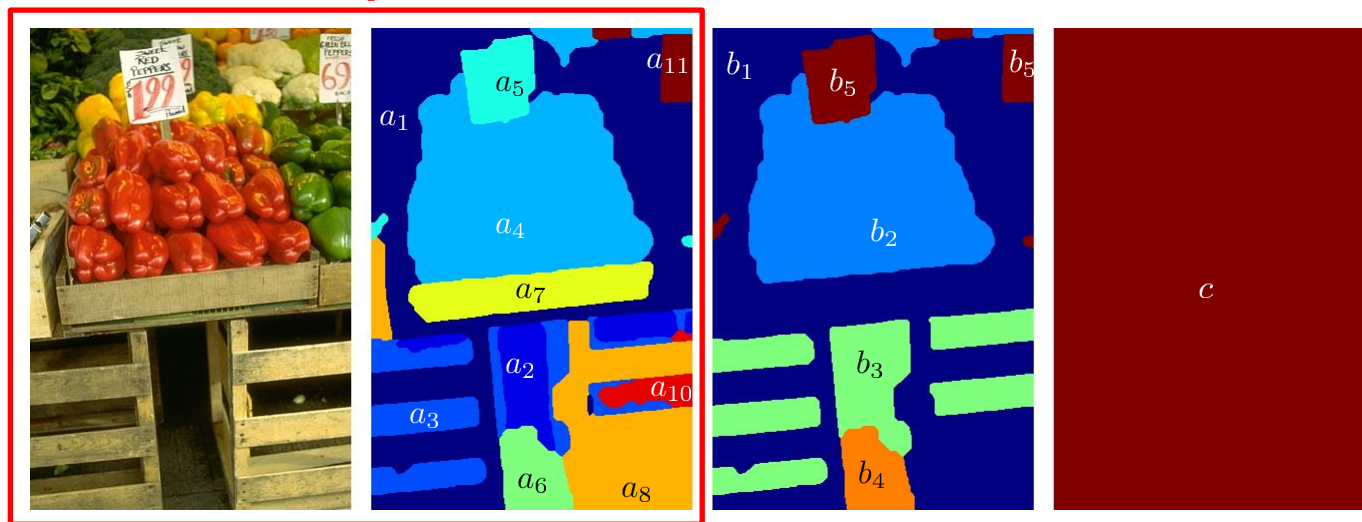
# Iteration 2: Optimizing $E_0$

In



$P_0$

Out



$N_0$

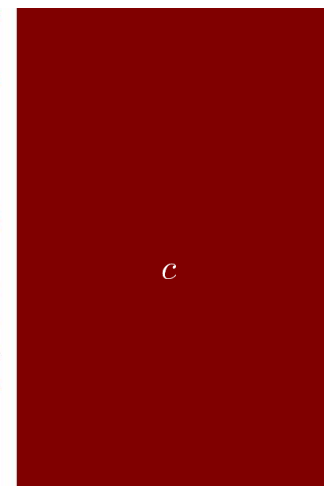
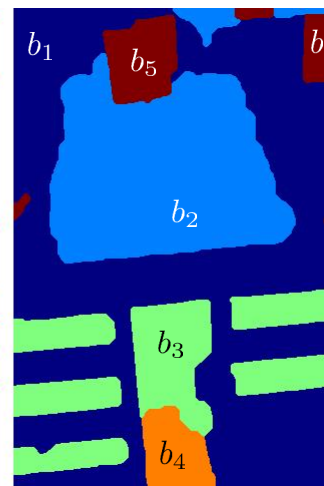
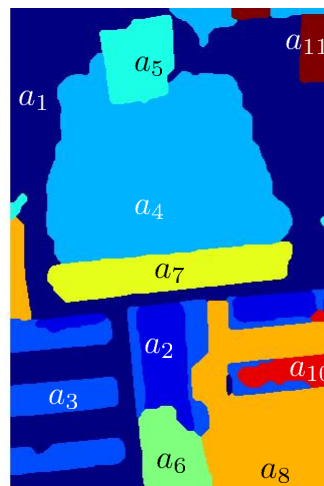
$N_1$

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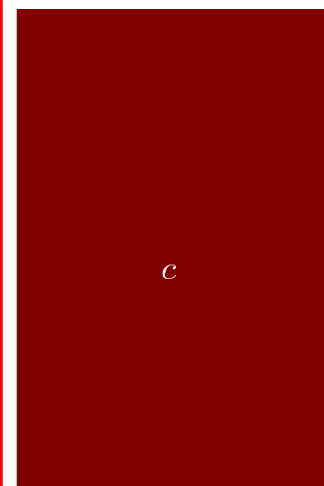
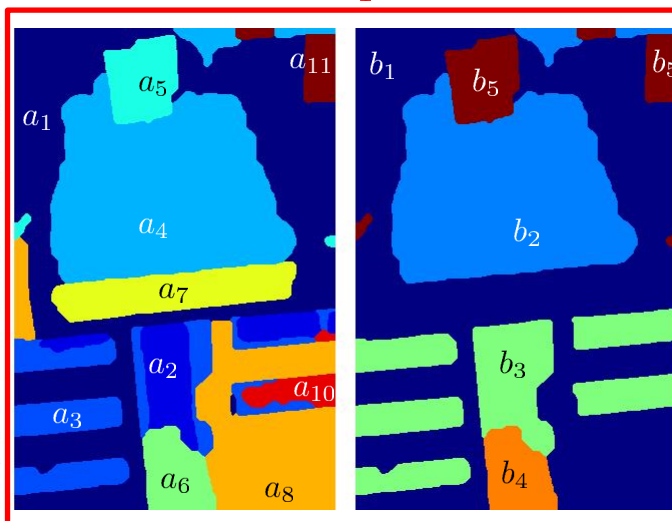
# Iteration 2: Optimizing $E_1$

In



$P_1$

Out



$N_0$

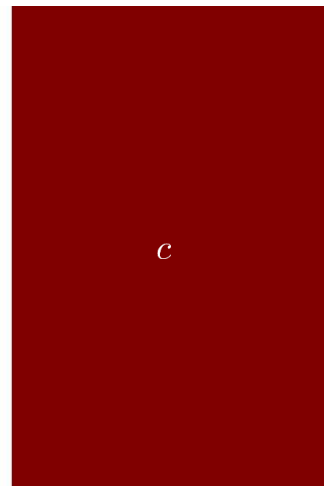
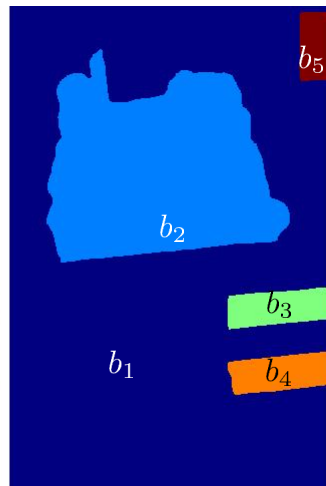
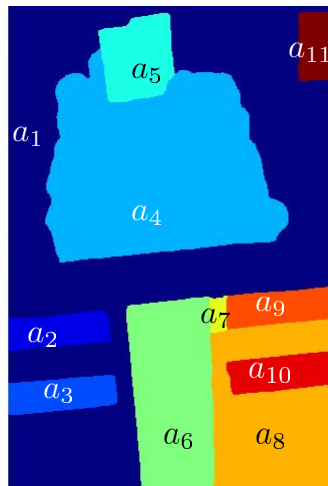
$N_1$

$N_2$

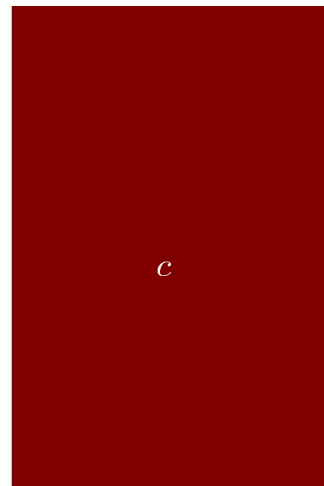
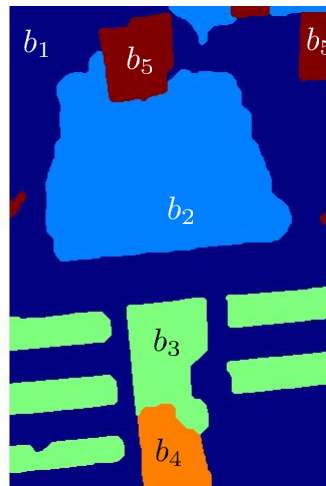
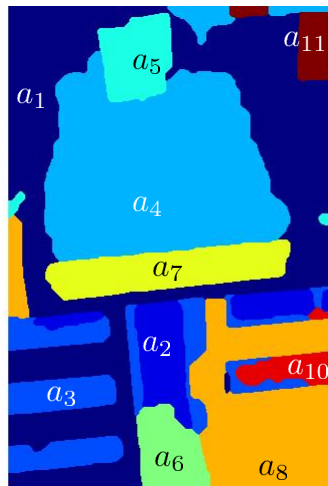
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# Input Hierarchy Vs Output Hierarchy

In



Out



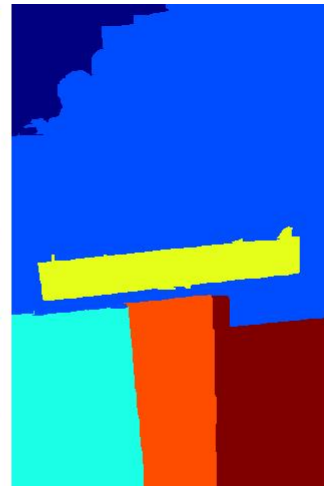
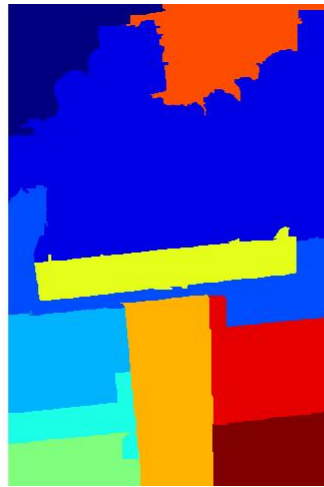
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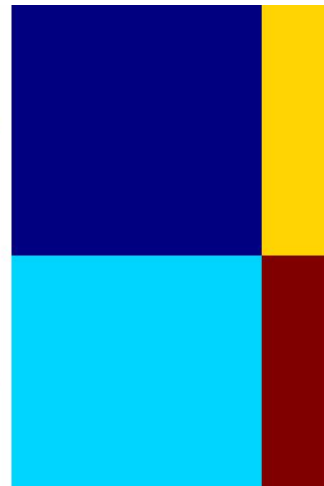
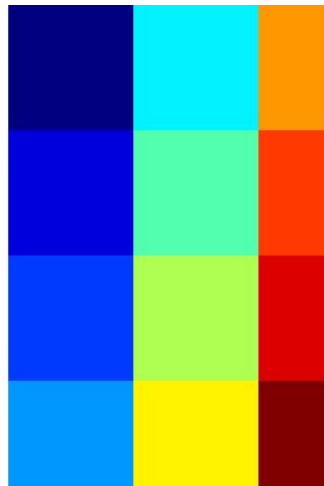
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## Two other Hierarchies



## Topological Watershed



## Block Hierarchy

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$N_1$

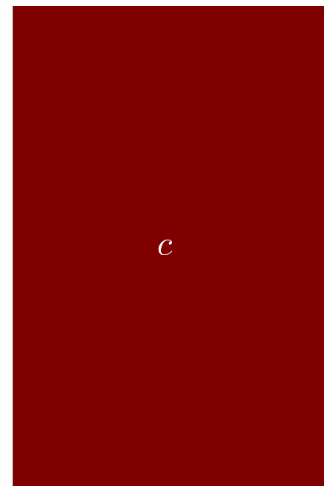
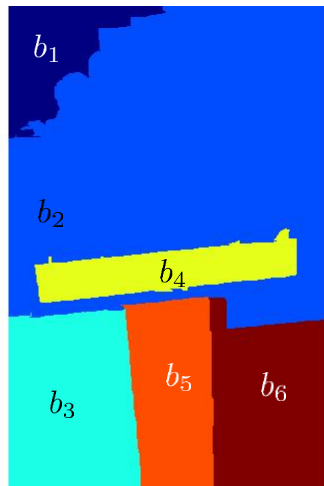
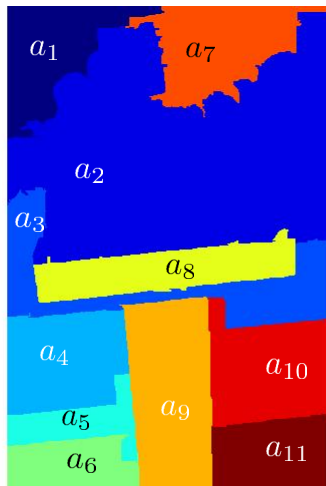
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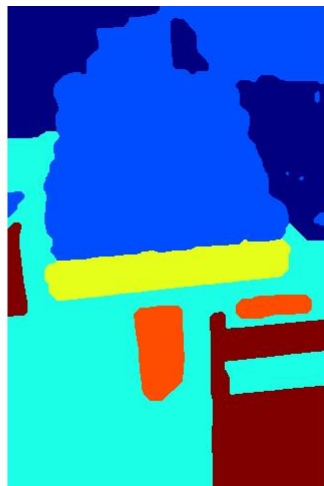
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# Topological Watershed

In



Out



$N_0$

$N_1$

$N_2$

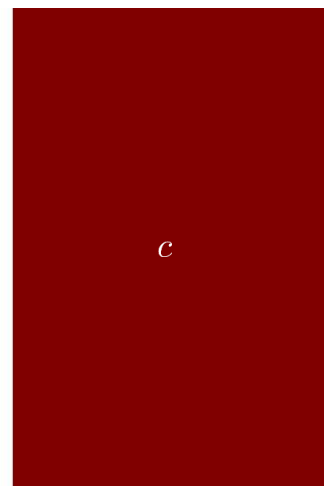
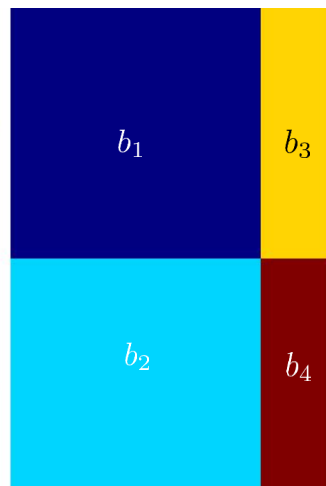
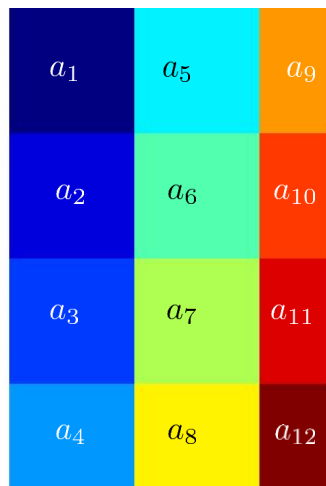
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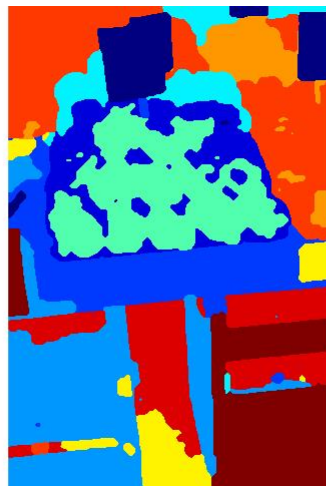
# Input Hierarchy Vs Output Hierarchy

# Block Hierarchy

In



Out



$N_0$

$N_1$

$N_2$

$N_3$