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# Reservation-Based Federated Scheduling for Parallel Real-Time Tasks

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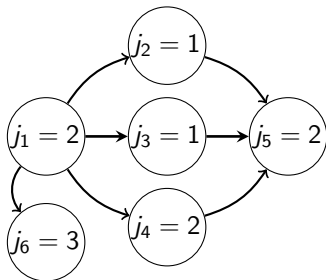
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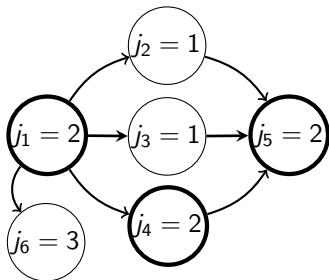
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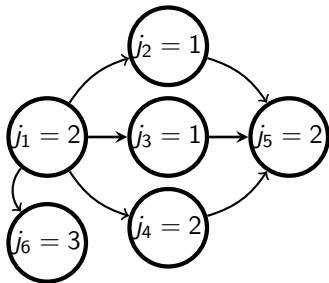
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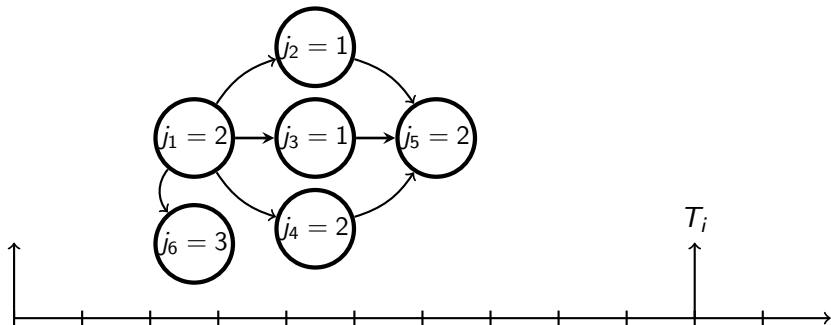
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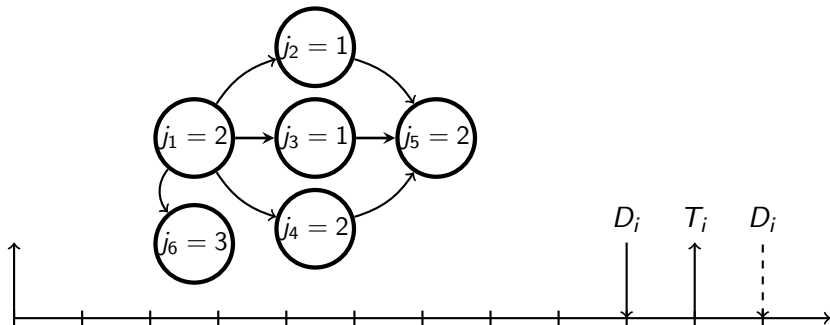
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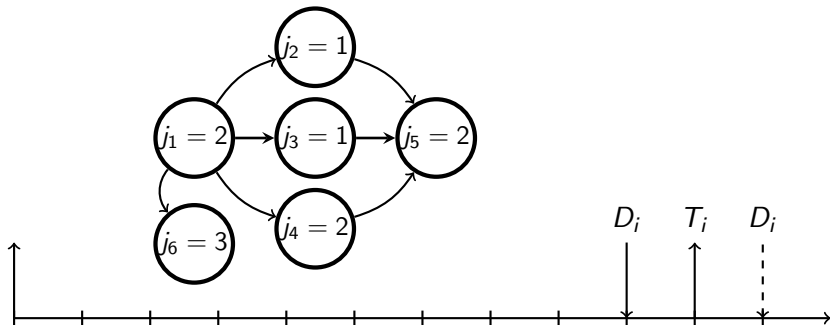
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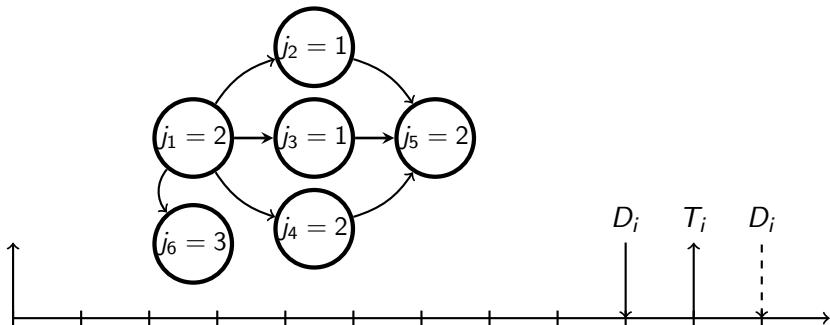
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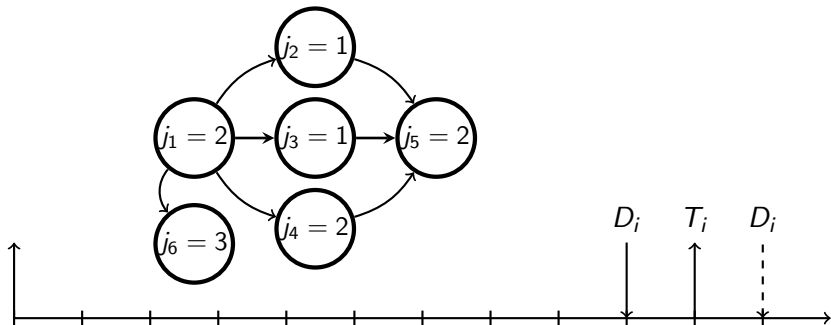
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$$\left[ \frac{\text{vol}(G_i) - \text{len}(G_i)}{\min\{D_i, T_i\} - \text{len}(G_i)} \right] - \left[ \frac{\text{vol}(G_i) - \text{len}(G_i)}{\min\{D_i, T_i\} - \text{len}(G_i)} \right]$$

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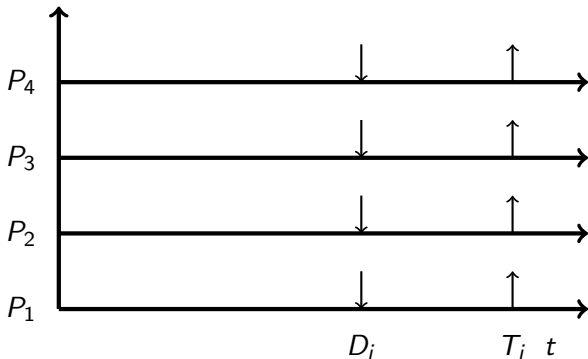
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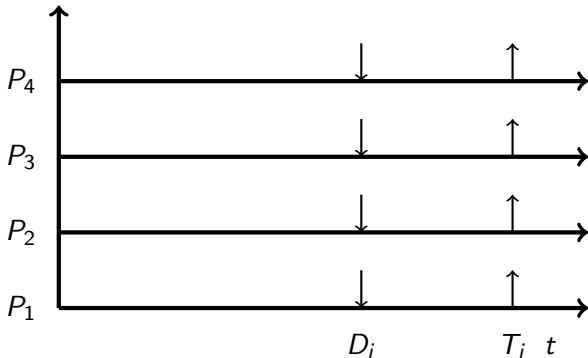
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$\max \left\{ 0, \frac{T_i - D_i}{T_i} \right\}$  of processor capacity is at least wasted





Reserve **sufficient resources** for heavy tasks

but **not** necessarily **entire processors**

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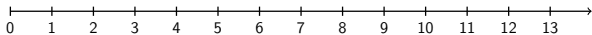
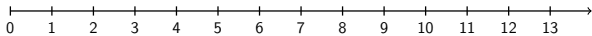
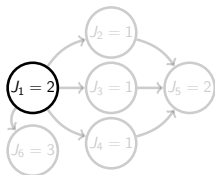
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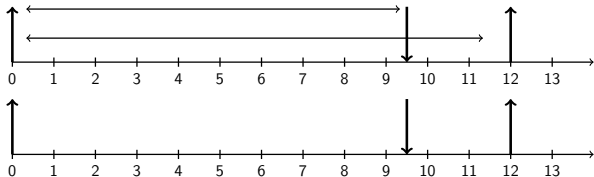
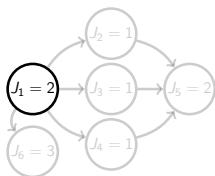
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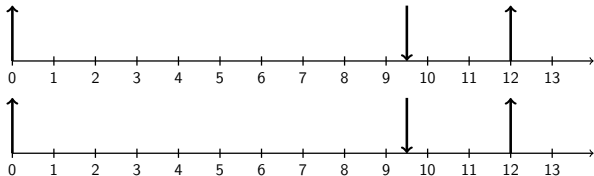
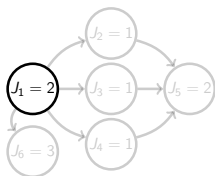


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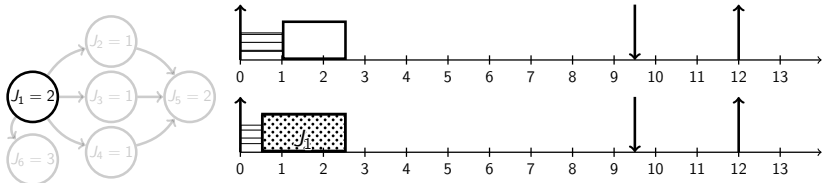
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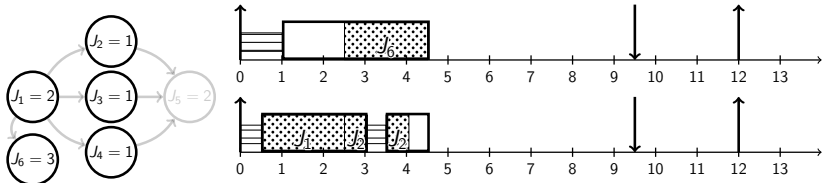
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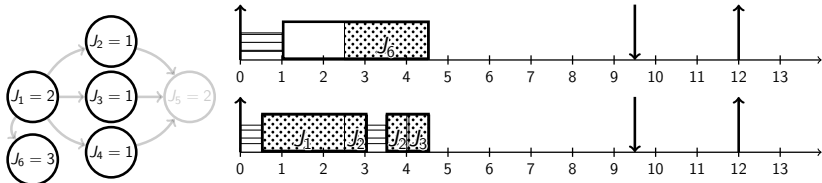
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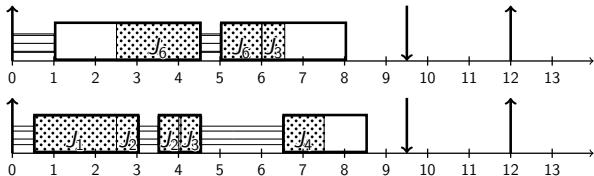
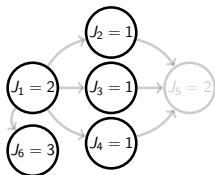


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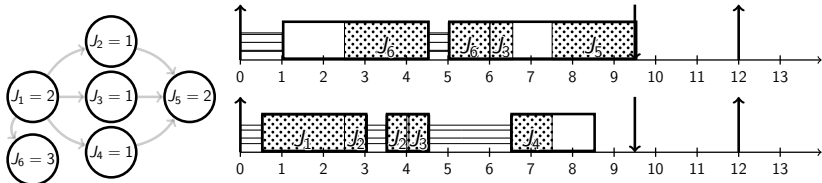
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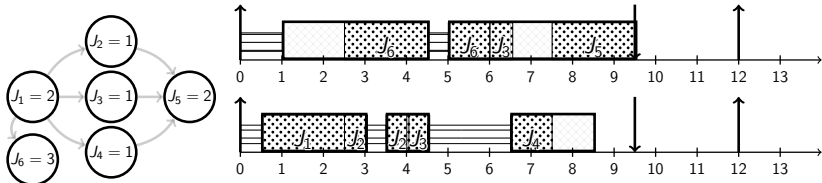
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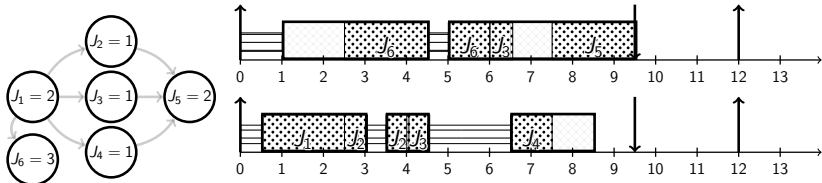
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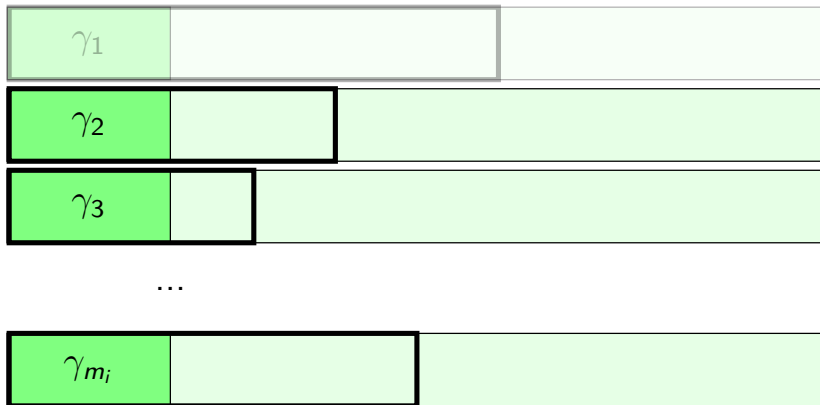


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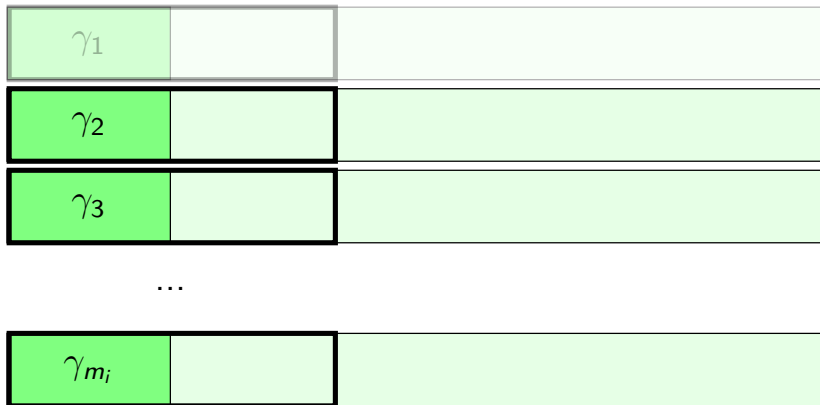
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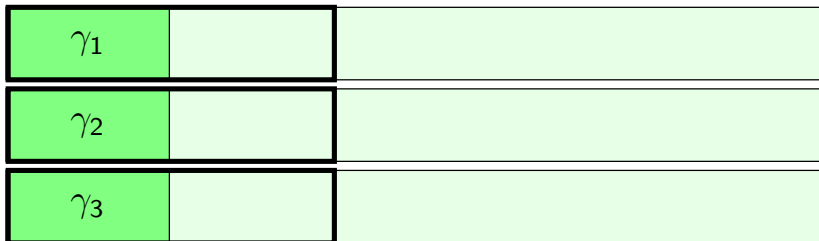


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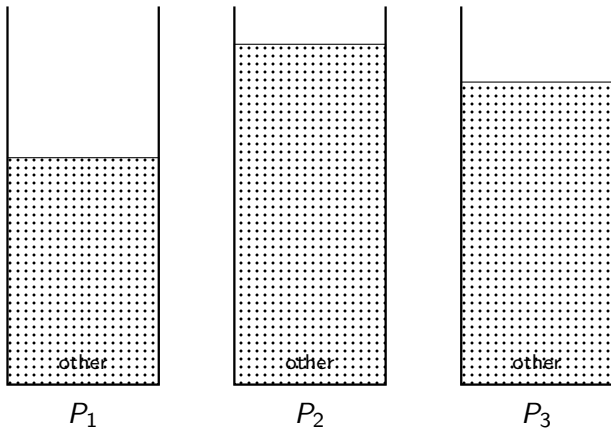
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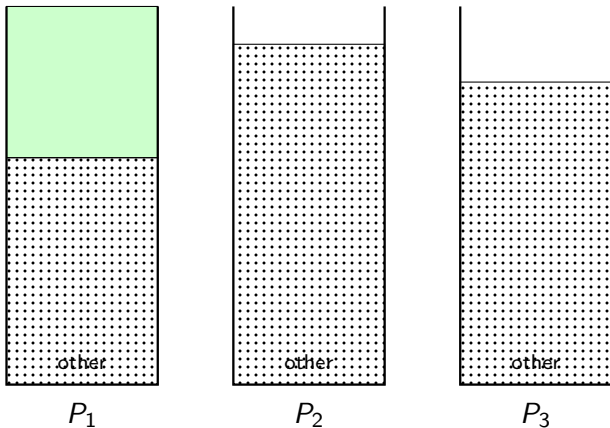
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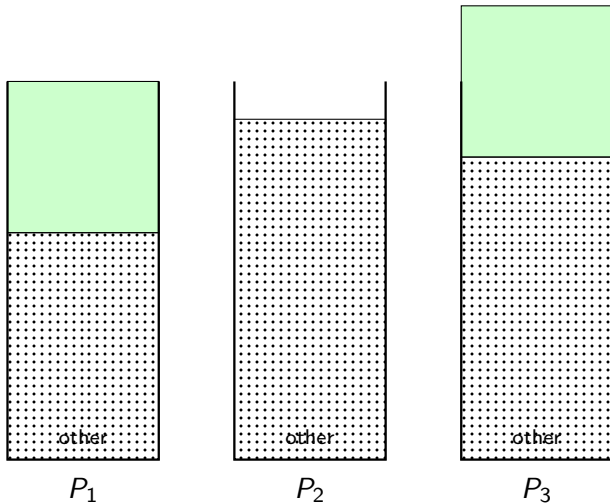
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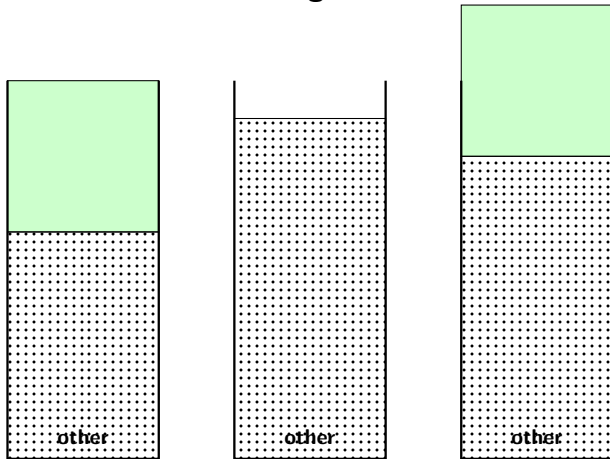
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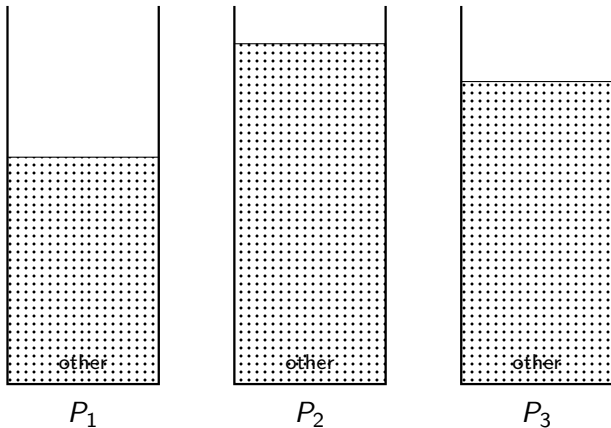
$$\text{vol}(G_i) + \text{len}(G_i) \cdot (4 - 1) \leq \text{len}(G_i) \cdot (\gamma_1 + \gamma_2 + \gamma_3 + \gamma_4)$$

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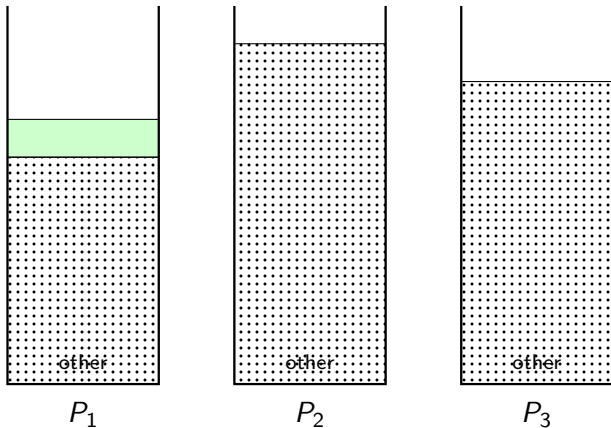
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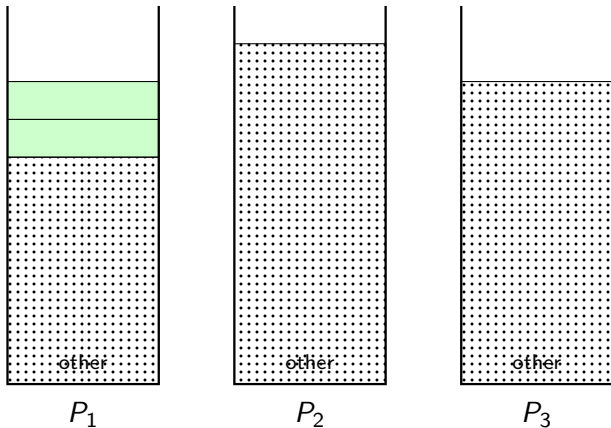
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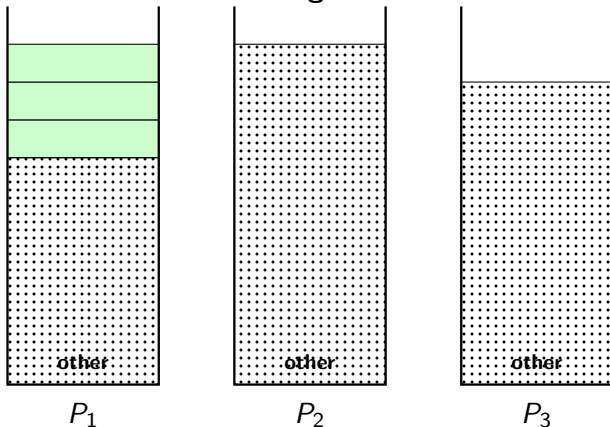
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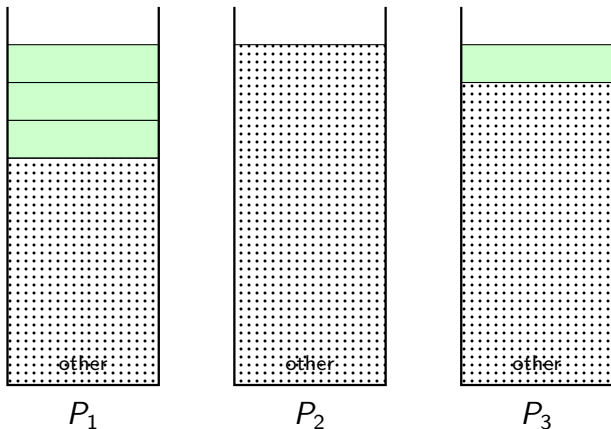
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## Experimental Results

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- Task  $\tau_i = (vol(G_i), len(G_i), D_i, T_i)$
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- Uniformly distributed random variables:  $\alpha, \beta, U_i, T_i$ :
  - 1  $0 < U_i \leq M$  ( $M$  is number of homogeneous processors)
  - 2  $0 < T_i \leq 100$
  - 3  $vol(G_i) = U_i \cdot T_i$
  - 4  $D_i = \alpha \cdot T_i$ , and  $len(G_i) = \beta \cdot D_i$

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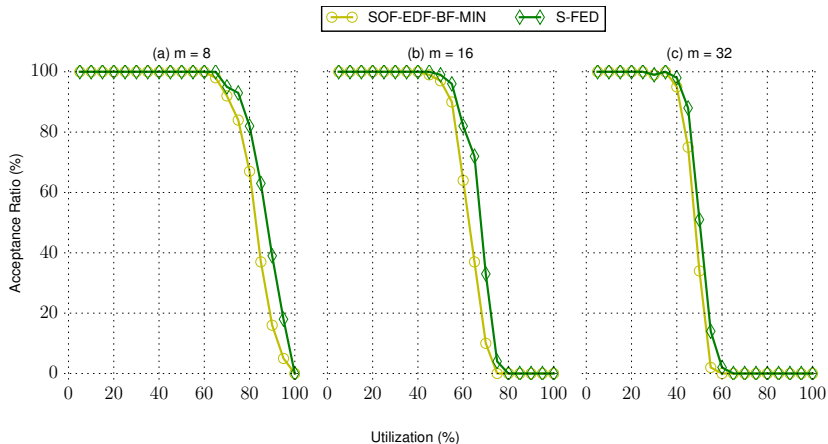
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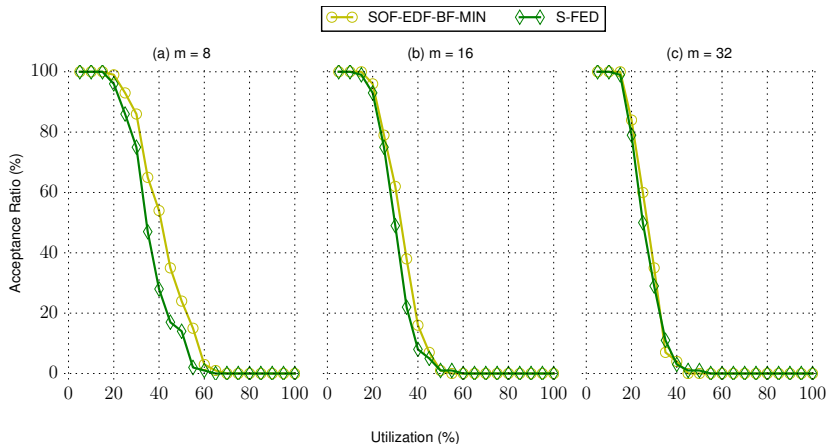
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# Implicit-deadline DAG task sets



# Constrained-deadline DAG task sets



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