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Low complexity scheduling algorithms minimizing the energy for tasks with agreeable deadlines

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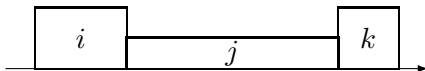
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Motivation

- ▶ In 2010, server farm consumed 2% of all electricity
- ▶ 20 to 30% of servers are idle most of time
- ▶ We want to save the energy

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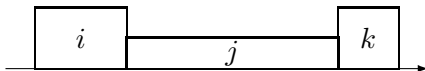
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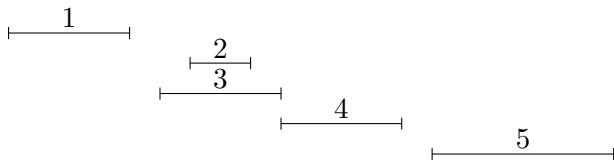
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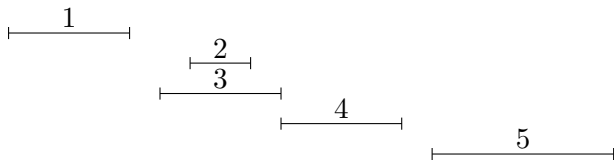
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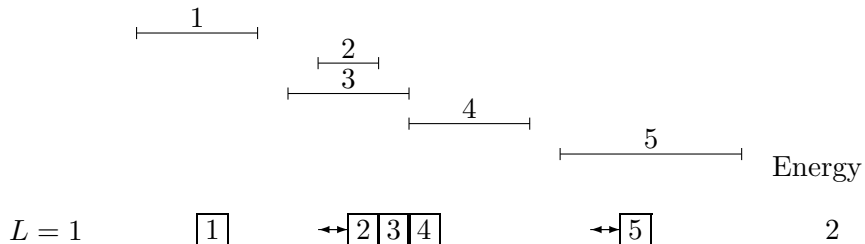
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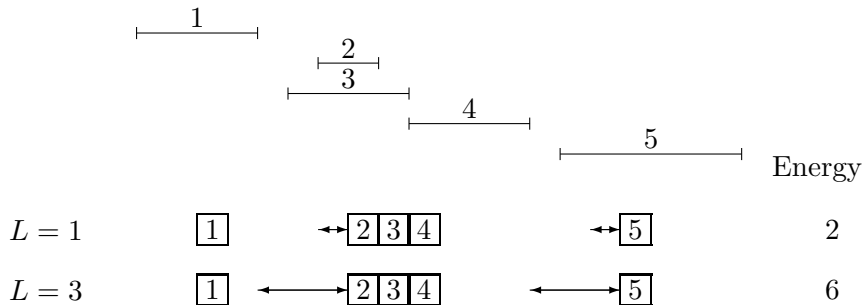
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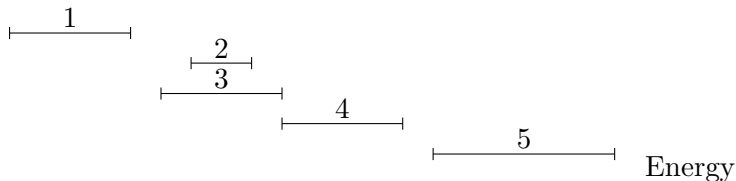
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What's known?

# of processor	L	p_j	Assumption	Time
1	\forall	1		$O(n^7)$ [B'06] $O(n^4)$ [BCD'08]
1	\forall	\forall		$O(n^5)$ [BCD'08]
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[B'06] = Baptiste

[BCD'08] = Baptiste, Chrobak, Dürr

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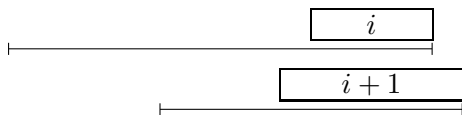
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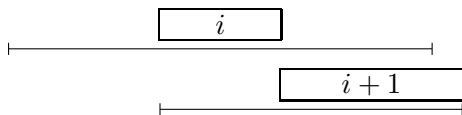
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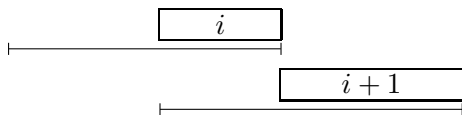
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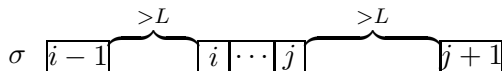
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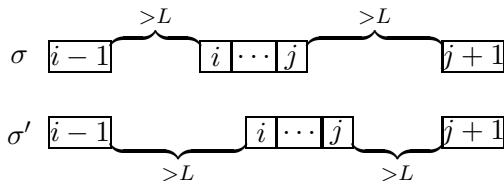
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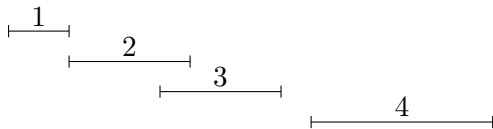
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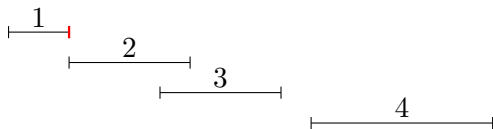
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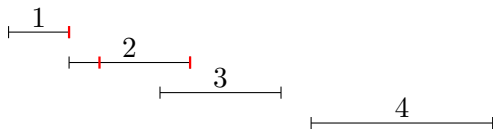
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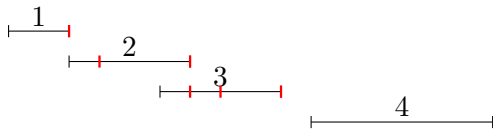
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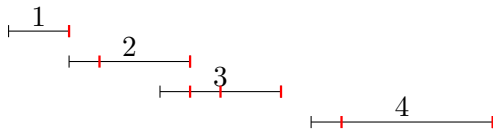
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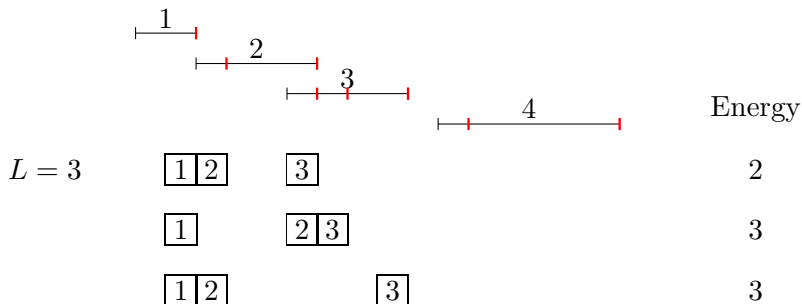
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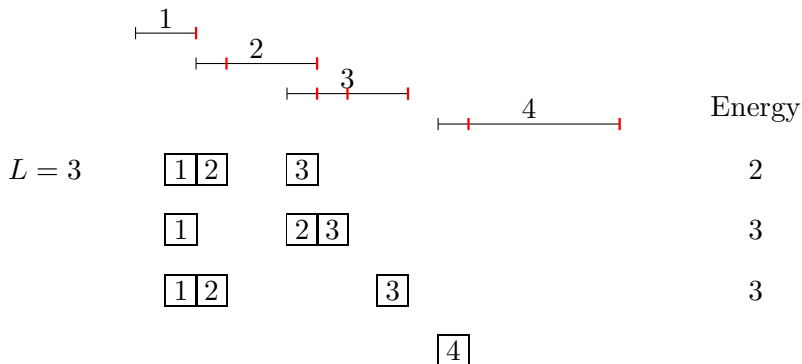
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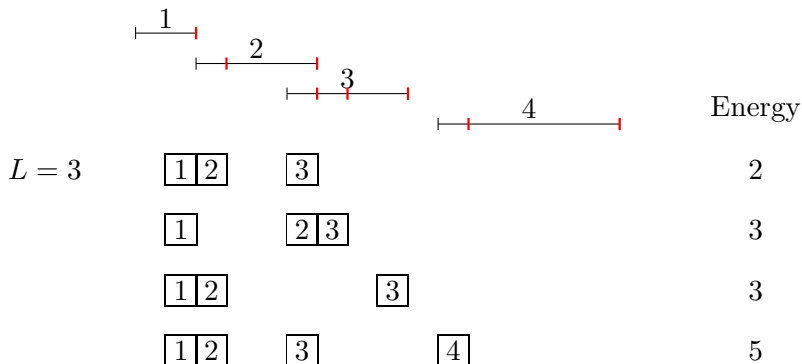
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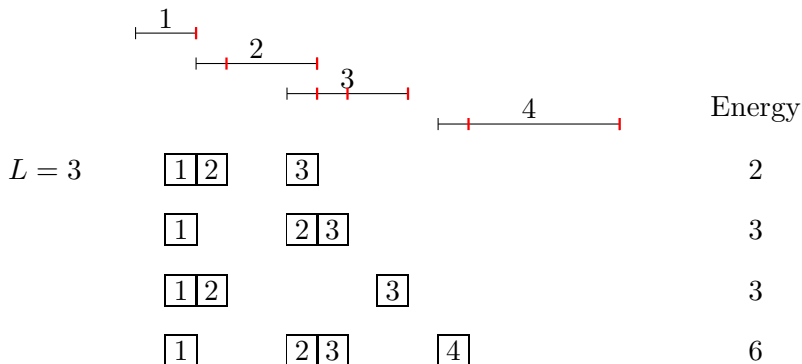
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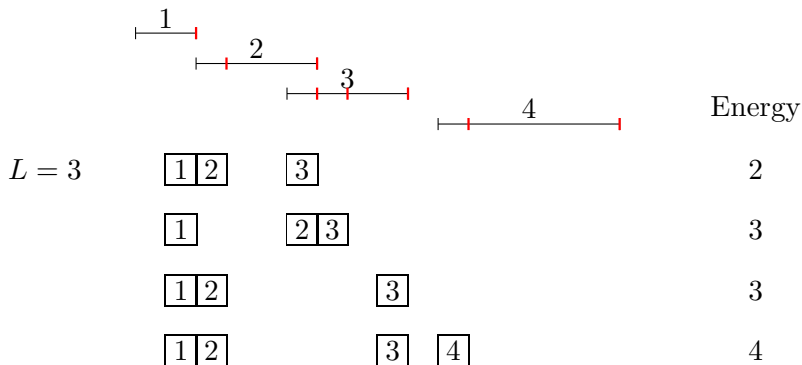
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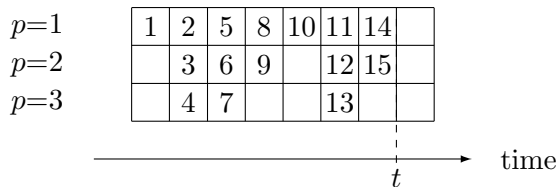
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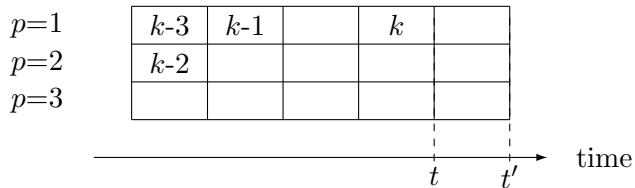
Computed in $O(n^2)$

General Idea for Multiprocessor case

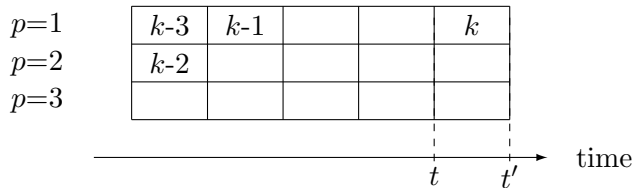
- ▶ Compact schedule
 - ▶ if a job j is scheduled at time t on a processor $p > 1$, then all lower-numbered processors $1 \leq q < p$ are also occupied at time t .
- ▶ EDF order
- ▶ Task k has additional positions : just before the task $k + 1$
- ▶ Set D_k for task k still contains $O(n)$ positions.



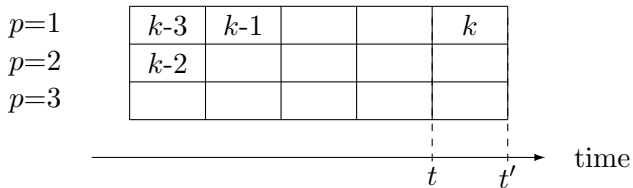
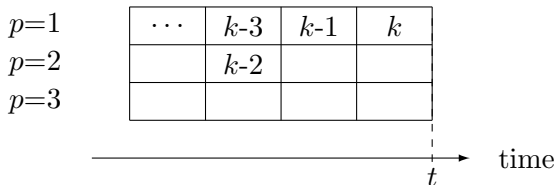
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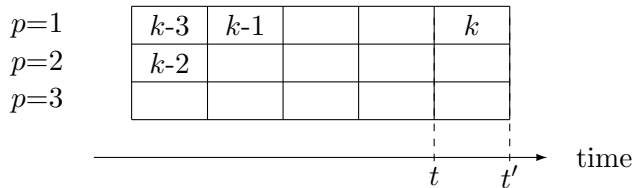
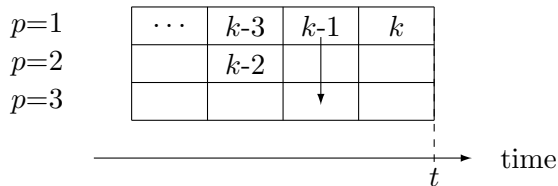
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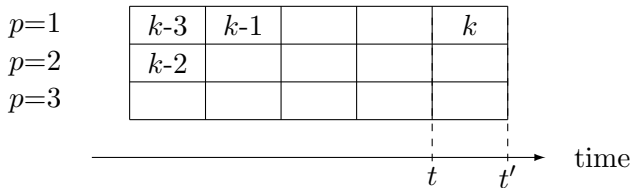
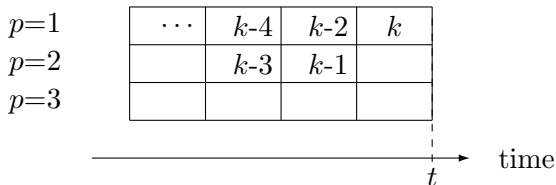
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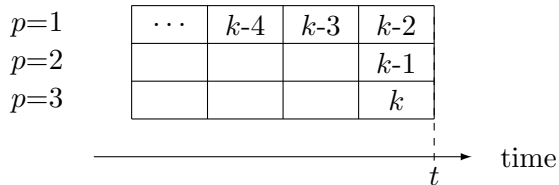
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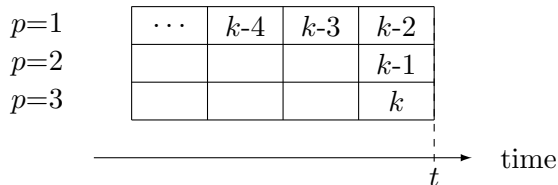
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- ▶ Fast approximations : $1+\varepsilon$ -approx. in $O(n)$ time ?

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