

Note Title

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Fun undecidable problems

Post's Correspondence Problem

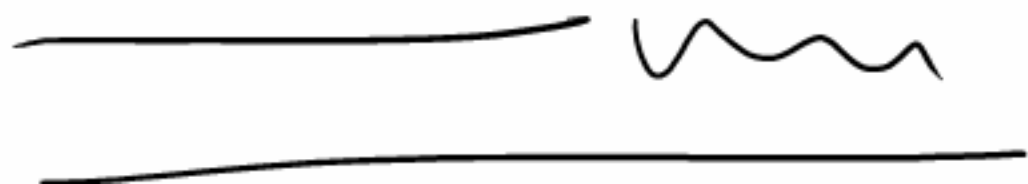
$\left[\begin{array}{c} ab \\ \hline bc \end{array} \right]$ is a domino.

$\left\{ \left[\begin{array}{c} b \\ ca \end{array} \right], \left[\begin{array}{c} a \\ ab \end{array} \right], \left[\begin{array}{c} ca \\ a \end{array} \right], \left[\begin{array}{c} abc \\ c \end{array} \right] \right\}$

Match: $\left[\begin{array}{c} a \\ \underline{ab} \end{array} \right] \left[\begin{array}{c} \underline{b} \\ \underline{ca} \end{array} \right] \left[\begin{array}{c} ca \\ a \end{array} \right] \left[\begin{array}{c} a \\ ab \end{array} \right] \left[\begin{array}{c} abc \\ c \end{array} \right]$

$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} ab \\ b \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} bc \\ ab \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} c \\ abc \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} abc \\ a \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} bc \\ b \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} abab \\ a \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

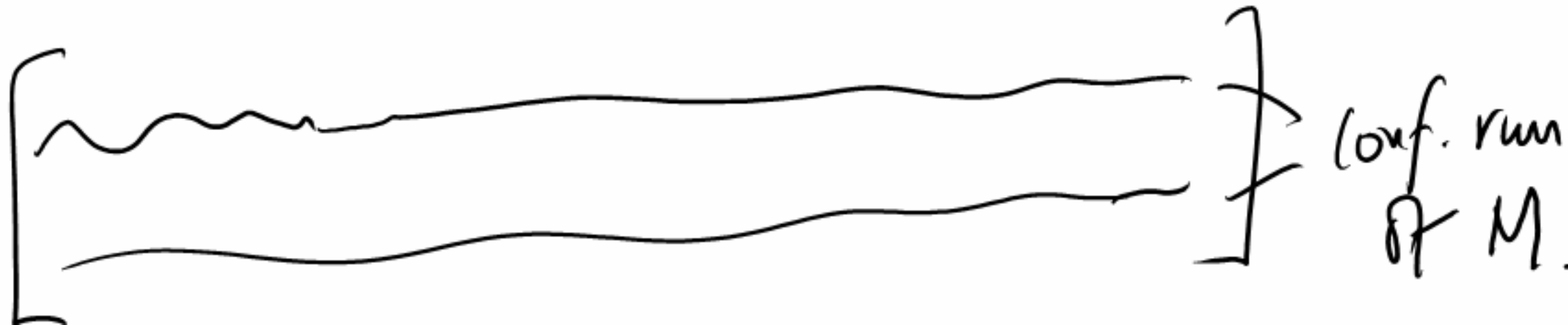


PCP = $\{ \langle P \rangle \mid P \text{ has a match} \}$

MPCP = $\{ \langle P, \phi_0 \rangle \mid P \text{ has a match starting with domino } \phi_0 \in P \}$

$A_{TM} = \{ \langle M, w \rangle \mid M \text{ accepts } w \}$

$$M = (Q, \bar{\Sigma}, \Pi, \delta, q_0, q_{acc}, q_{rej})$$



I. $\begin{bmatrix} \# \\ \# \underline{q_0} w_1 w_2 \dots w_n \end{bmatrix} \in P$ & is initial do.

II. If $\delta(q, a) = (r, b, R)$

$$\left[\begin{array}{c} q \ a \\ \hline b \ R \end{array} \right]$$

III. If $\delta(q, a) = (r, b, L)$

$$\boxed{\begin{array}{c} c \ q \ a \\ \hline r \ c \ b \end{array}}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \underline{w_1} \ c \ q \ a \ \underline{w_2} \\ \underline{w_1} \ r \ c \ b \ \underline{w_2} \end{array}$$

IV $\begin{bmatrix} \# \\ \# \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \# \\ \sqcup \ \# \end{bmatrix}$

V $\begin{bmatrix} q \\ a \end{bmatrix} \forall a \in P$

VI $\begin{bmatrix} a \ q_{acc} \\ q_{acc} \end{bmatrix} \left\| \begin{array}{c} q_{acc} \ a \\ q_{acc} \end{array} \right\| \begin{array}{c} \underline{c_1 \ c_2 \ c_3 \dots c_7} \\ c_1 \ c_2 \ c_3 \dots c_7 \ c_8 \\ q_{acc} \end{array}$

VII $\begin{bmatrix} q_{acc} \ \# \ \# \\ \# \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \# \\ \# \underline{r_0} 0100 \# \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \underline{r_0} 0 \\ 2 \underline{r_7} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\delta(r_0, 0) = (r_7, 2, R)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} r_0 0 \\ 2 r_7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \# \\ \# \underline{r_0} 0100 \# \\ a_0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \# \\ \# \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} r_0 1 \\ 2 r_7 \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$\delta(r_7, 1) = (r_5, 0, L)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 r_7 1 \\ r_5 2 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 r_7 1 \\ r_5 1 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 r_7 1 \\ r_5 0 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

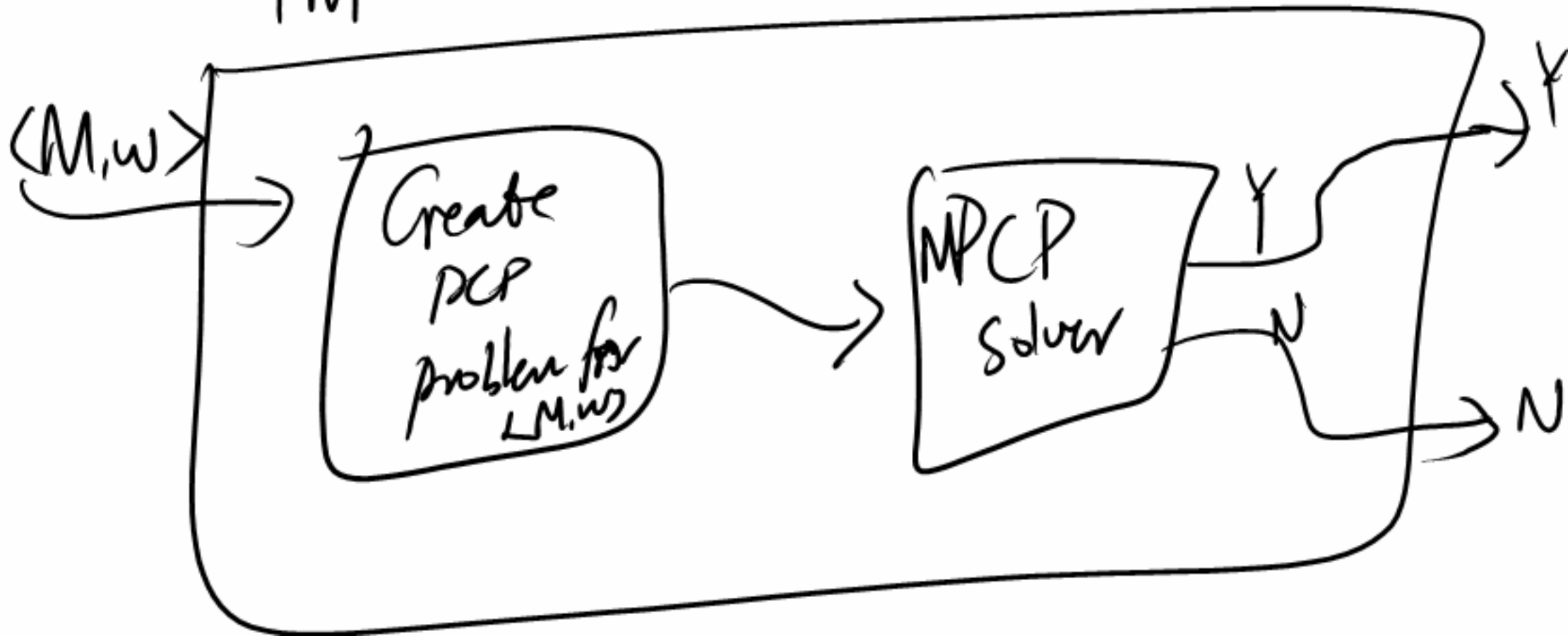
$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 r_7 1 \\ r_5 2 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \# \\ \# \end{bmatrix} \quad r_5 \underline{acc}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} r_5 2 \\ r_5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \# \\ \# \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} r_5 2 \\ r_5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} r_5 0 \\ r_5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \# \\ \# \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} r_5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \# \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} r_5 \# \# \\ \# \end{bmatrix}$$

$A_{TM} : \langle M, w \rangle$



Tiles

T

t_0	t_1	t_2	t_3	

PCP is undecidable

We know

MPCP is undecidable

MPCP problem $P = \{ \underline{d_0}, d_1, \dots, d_k \}$
 d_0 is initial domino

$$*u = u_1 \dots u_k$$

$$*u = *u_1 *u_2 * \dots u_k$$

$$u* = u_1 *u_2 * \dots u_k *$$

$$*u* = *u_1 *u_2 \dots u_k *$$

$P = \{ \begin{bmatrix} t_1 \\ \underline{b_1} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} t_2 \\ b_2 \end{bmatrix}, \dots, \begin{bmatrix} t_k \\ b_k \end{bmatrix} \}$ — MPCP problem

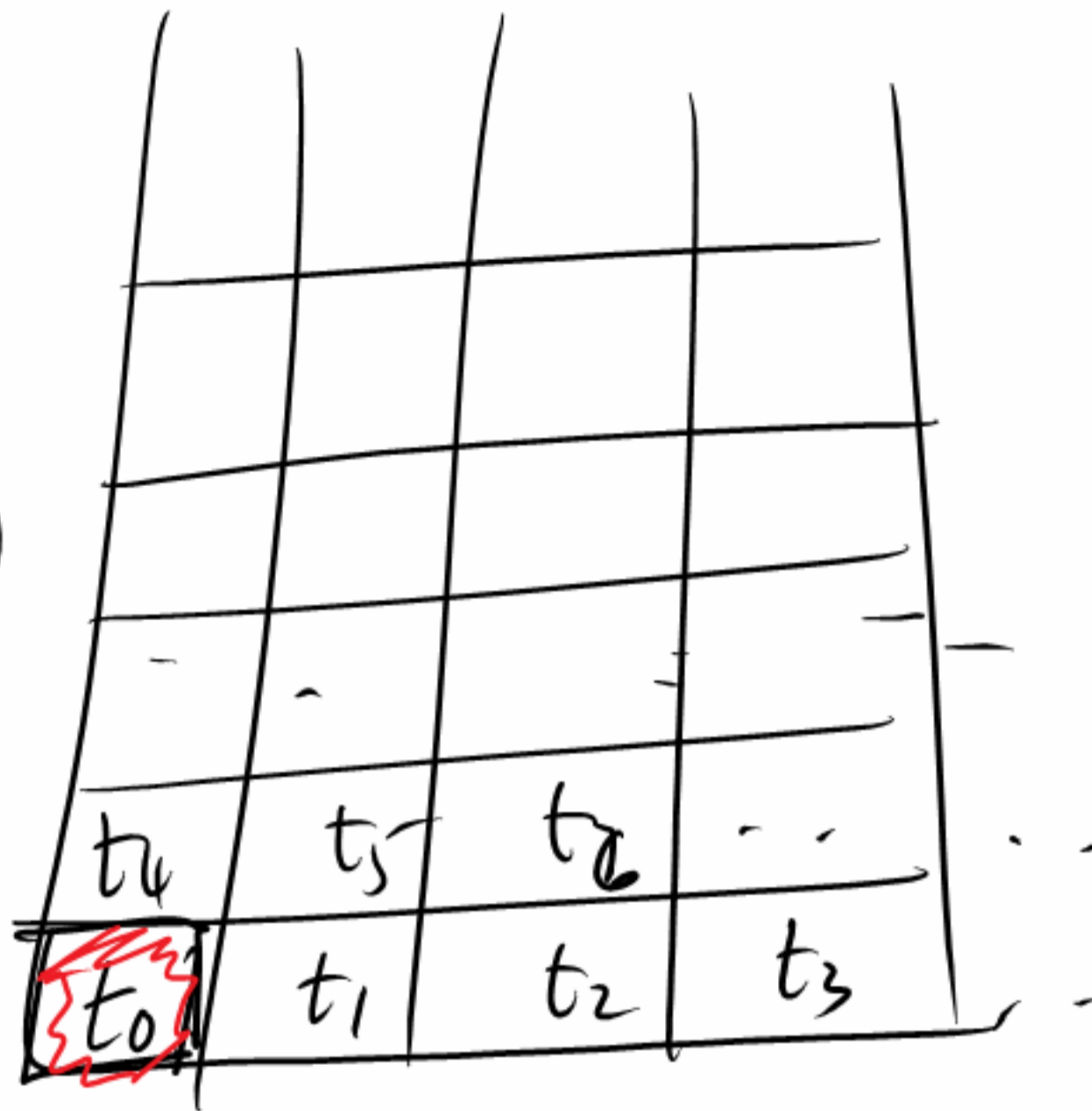
$P' = \{ \begin{bmatrix} *t_1 \\ *b_1* \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} *t_1 \\ b_1* \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} *t_2 \\ b_2* \end{bmatrix}, \dots, \begin{bmatrix} *t_k \\ b_k* \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} * \diamond \\ \diamond \end{bmatrix} \}$

(P, d_0) has an MPCP solution
iff P' has a PCP solution.

PCP is undecidable

T

t_0 should be in $(0,0)$



$H \subseteq \text{TXT}$

$V \subseteq \text{TXT}$

$(a,b) \in H$

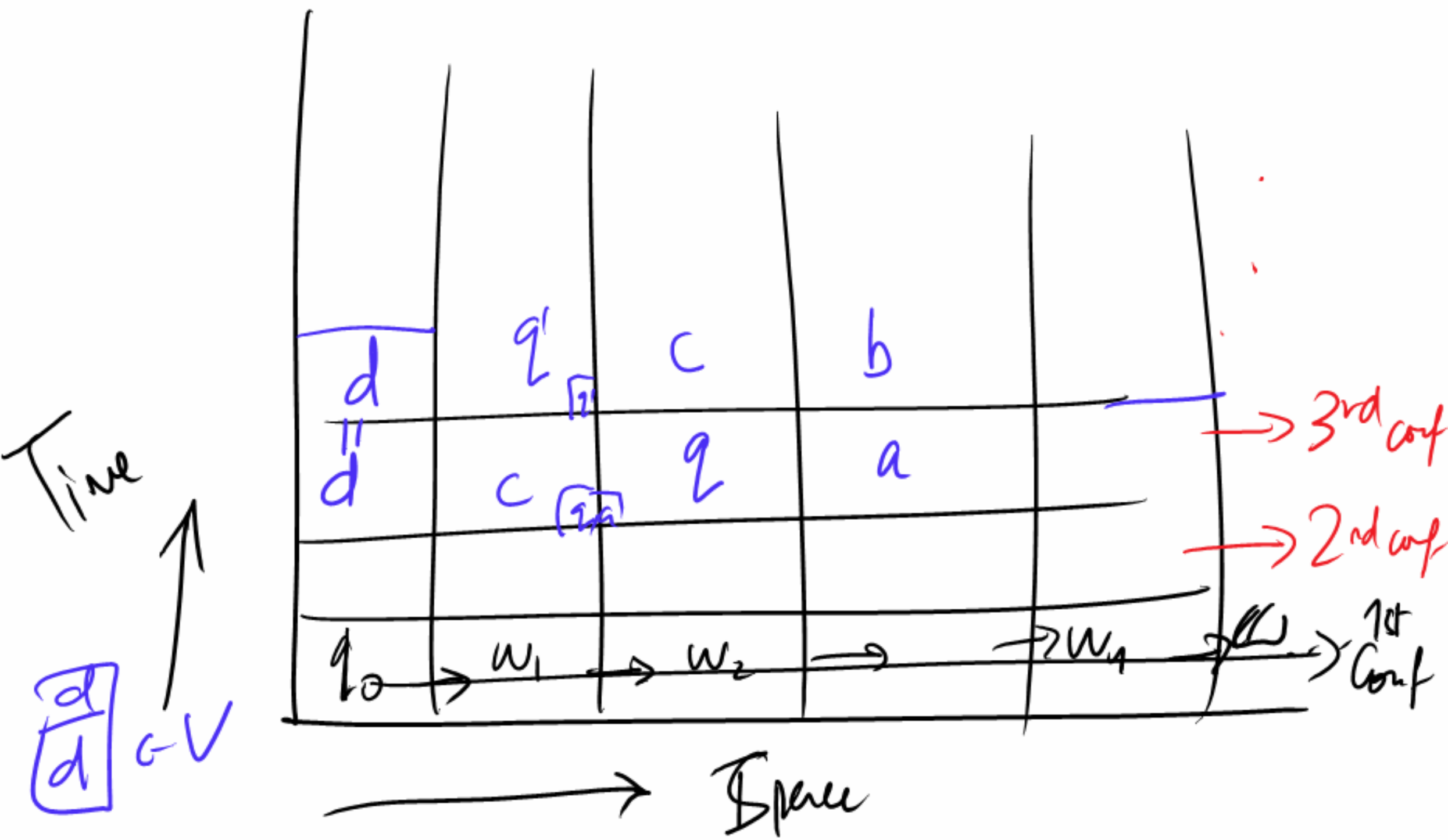
$(a|b)$

Question Given (T, t_0, H, V)

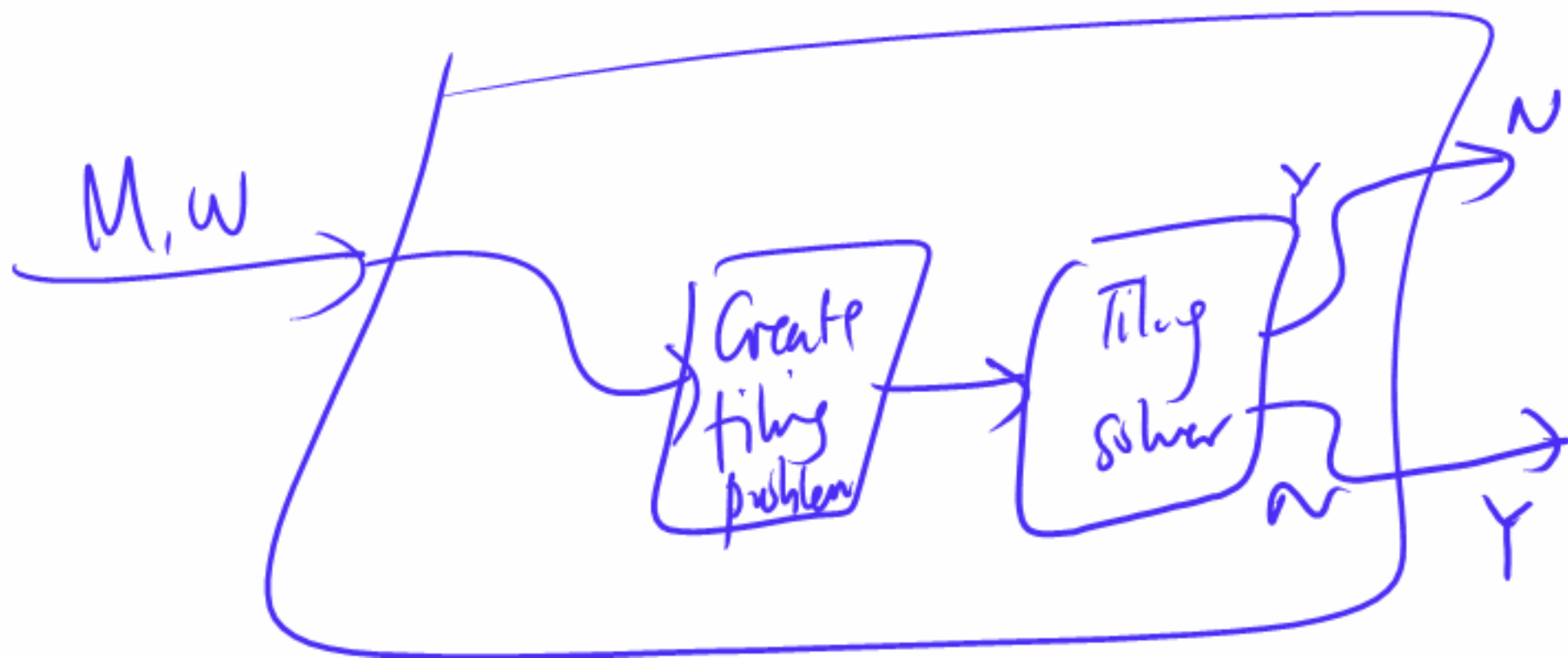
$(a|c)$

is the entire quadrant of the plane
tilable?

16 tiles can create aperiodic tiling.



TM M halts on w iff there is no tiling



PCP is Turing-recognizable

Tiling is not Turing recognizable.

\bar{L} is Turing recog. co-RE

Turing recogn.

