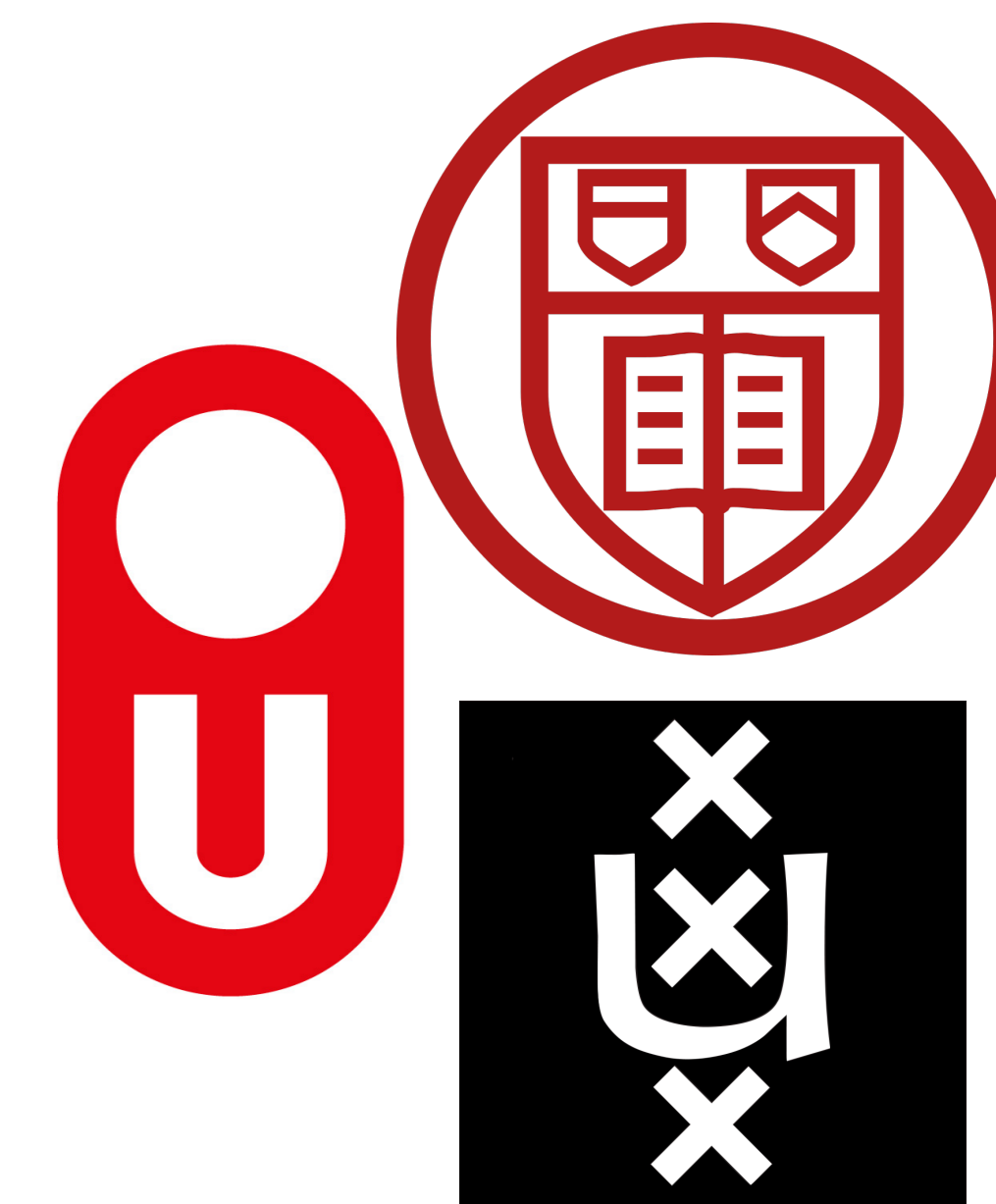




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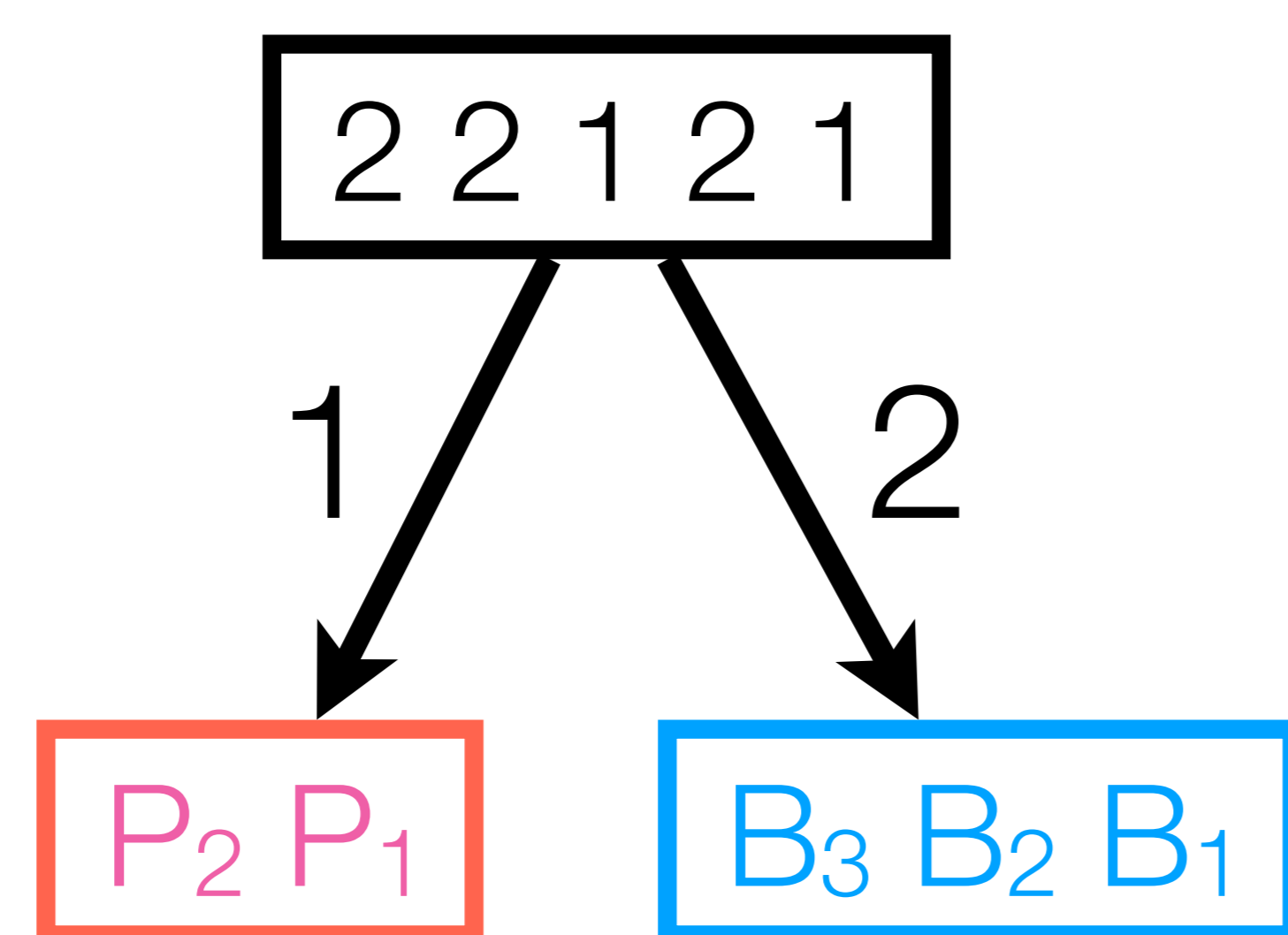
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Interleave R and B;  
interleave P and T.



PIFO tree! Done!

## Key Insight

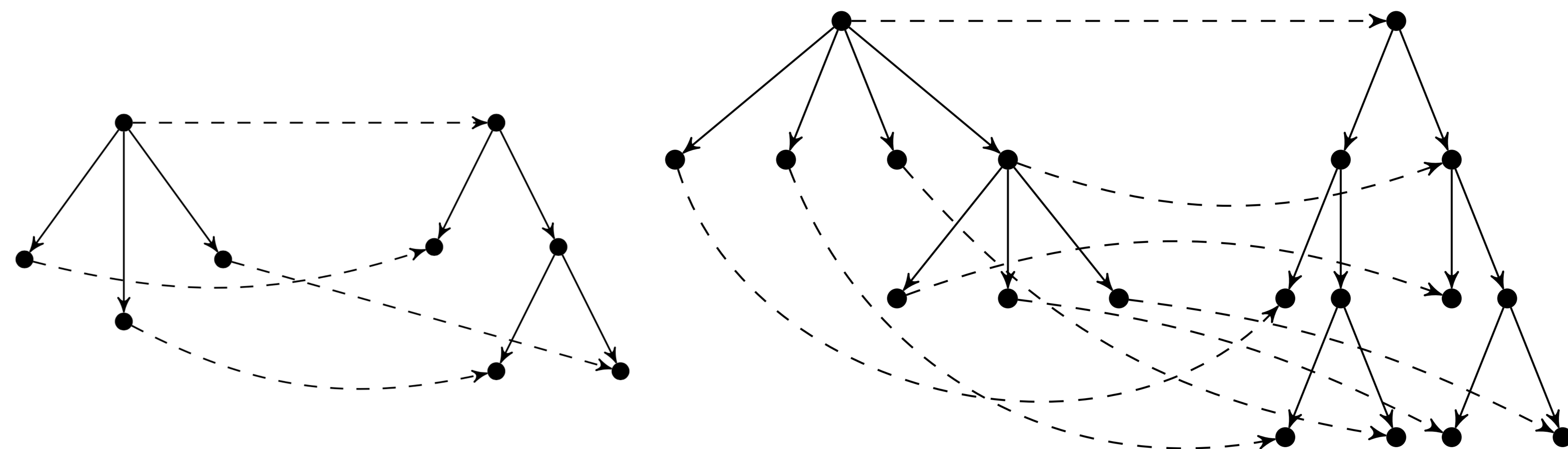
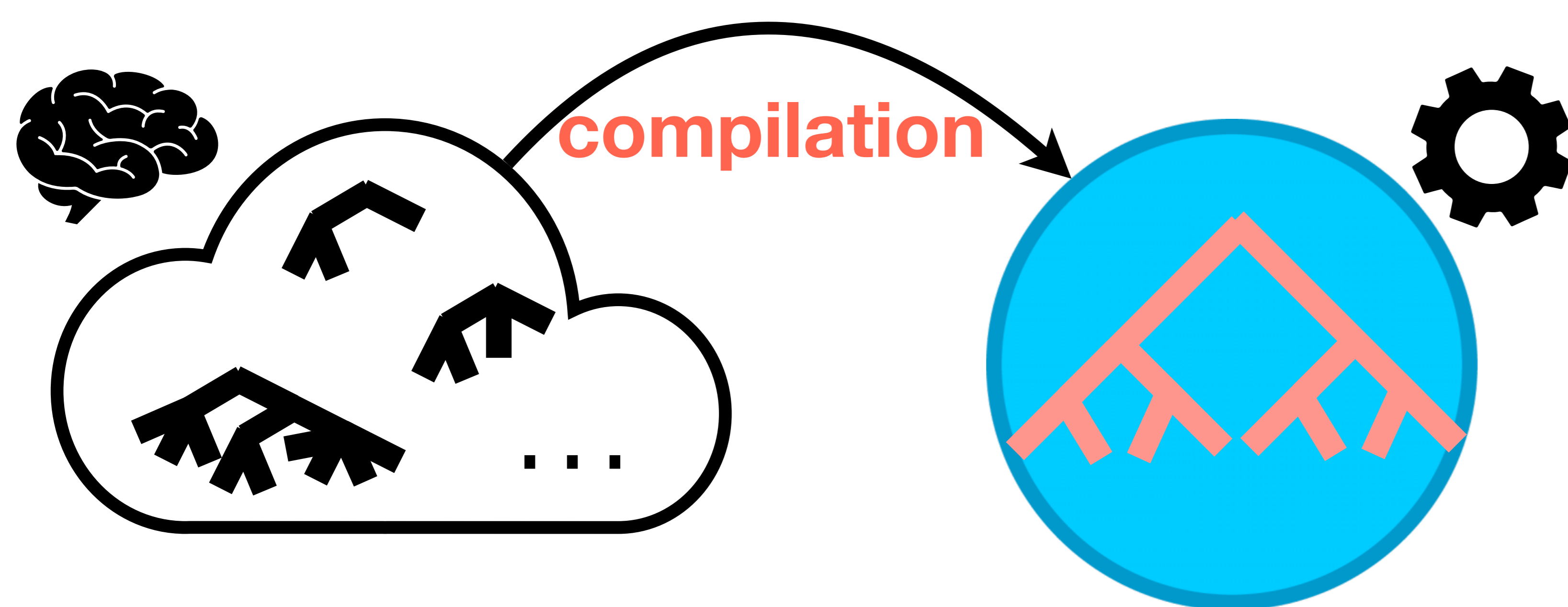
A PIFO tree manifests a *programming language*.  
tree shape  $\longleftrightarrow$  language expressivity

*Expressivity captured by homomorphic embedding.*  
Map root to root, leaves to leaves, respect ancestry.

## PL Challenge

Can we *compile* a scheduler written for one tree so it runs on a new tree?

But we're not done.  
We lack a general deployment strategy.



*Compilation achieved by lifting the embedding.*  
Stretch paths, duplicating ranks if needed.