

Toward Fast and Deterministic
Clone Detection
for Large **Anonymous RFID** Systems

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Anonymous RFID



unknown tag identifiers (IDs)

Anonymous RFID Clone Tag Detection



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any clone tags?



Cloning Attack



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Compromise tags & Produce Replicas/Clones;
Clone tags = Genuine tags.





Solution Goals

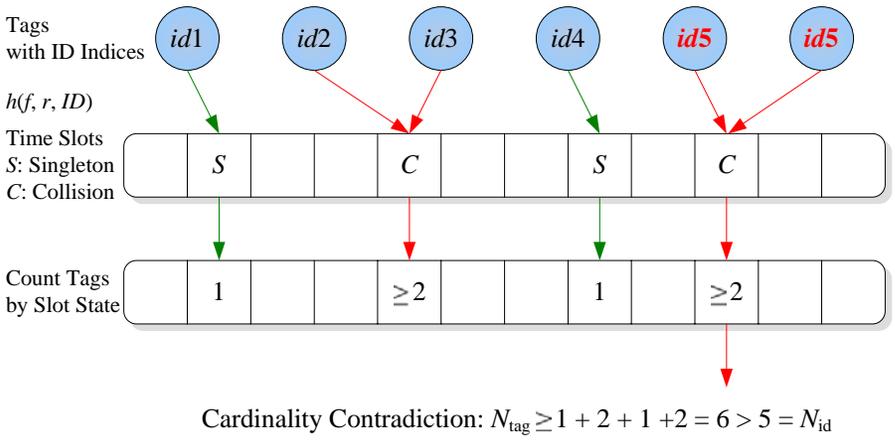
- Anonymity Preservation
- Deterministic Detection
- Fast Detection

Design Choices

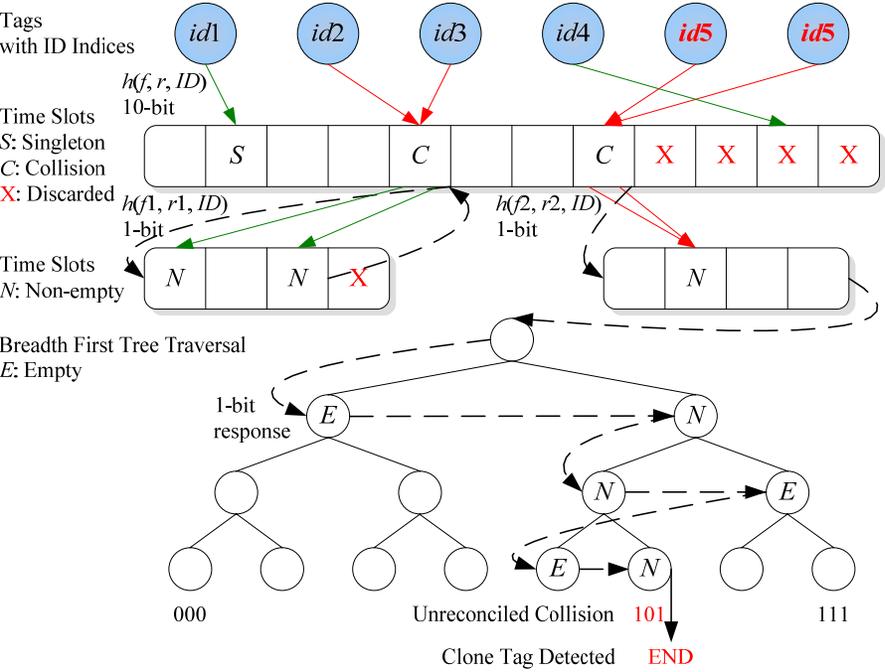
- Anonymity Preservation
isolate ID from protocol design
- Deterministic Detection
verify the existence of clones
- Fast Detection
minimize time and comm. cost

Fast & Deterministic Protocols

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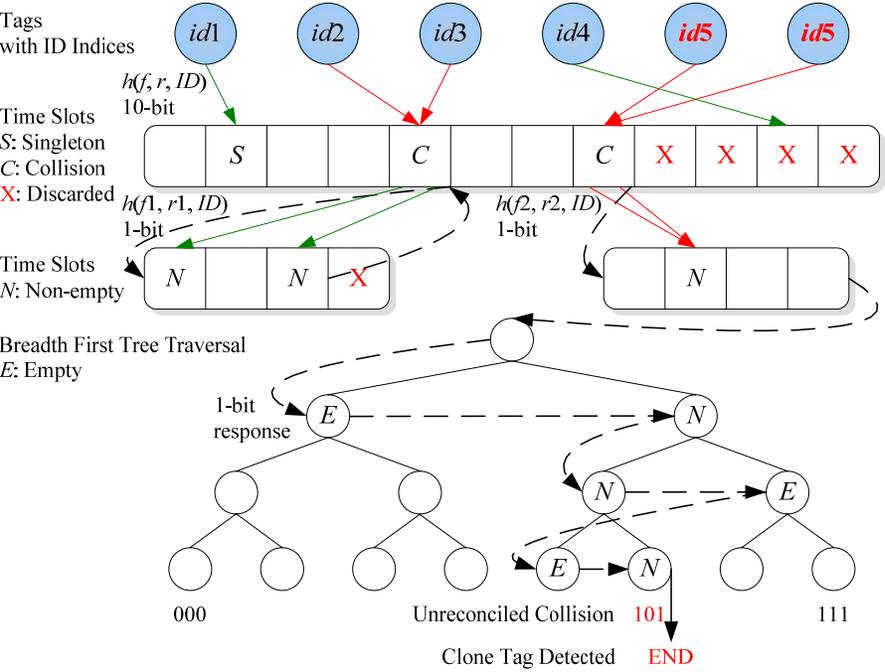
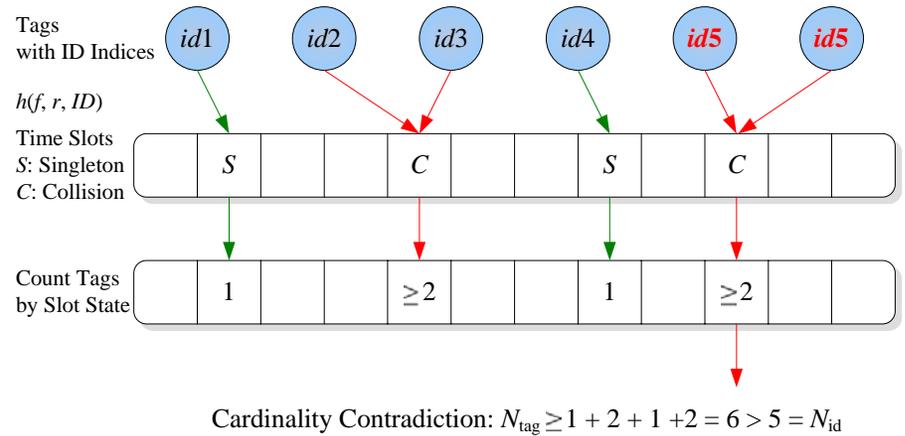


DeClone



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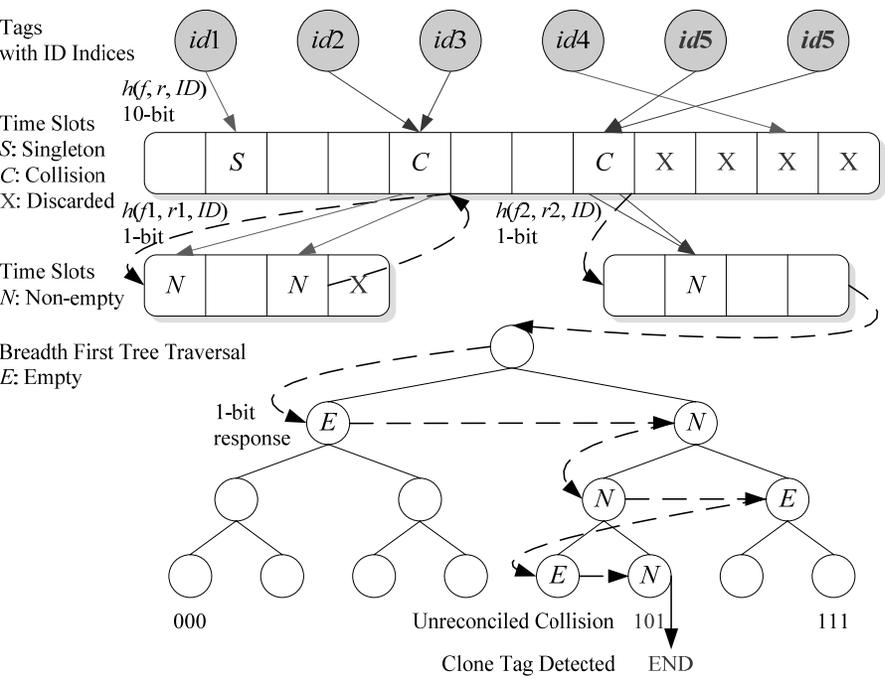
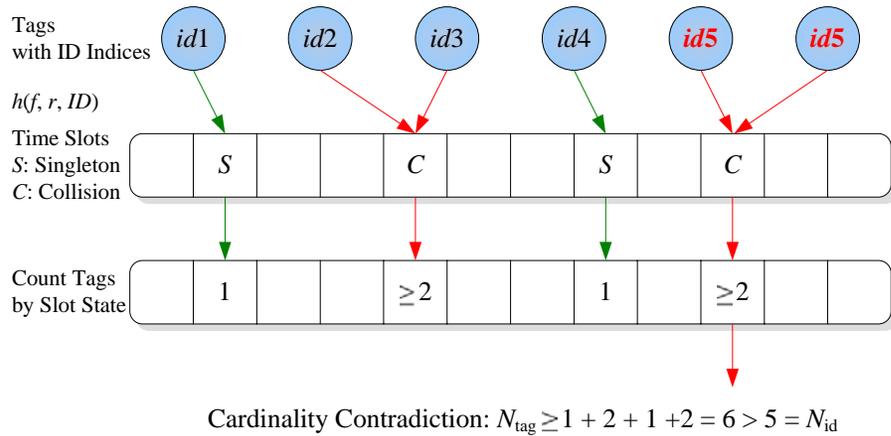
BASE using cardinality contradiction



DeClone using unreconciled collision

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BASE

- Motivation
clone tags make
tag cardinality $>$ ID cardinality



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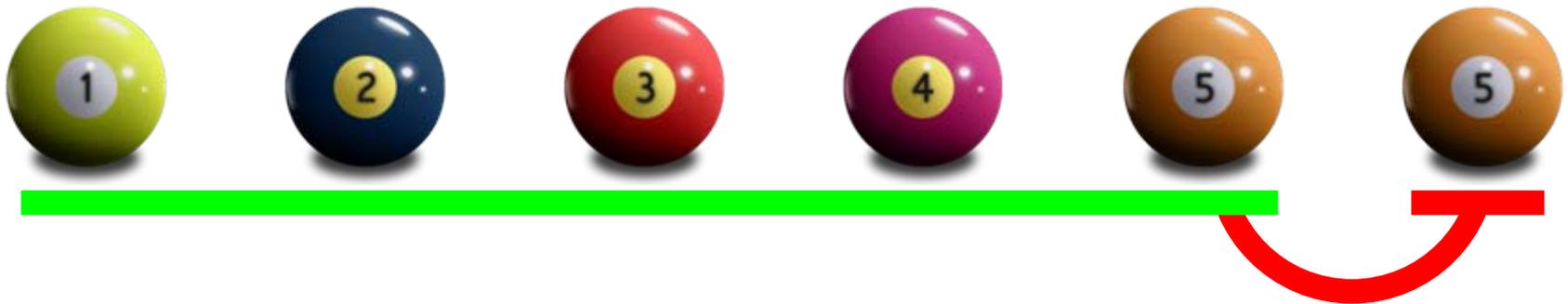
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$$N_{id} = 5$$

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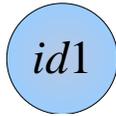


$$N_{\text{id}} = 5 \longrightarrow N_{\text{tag}} = 6$$

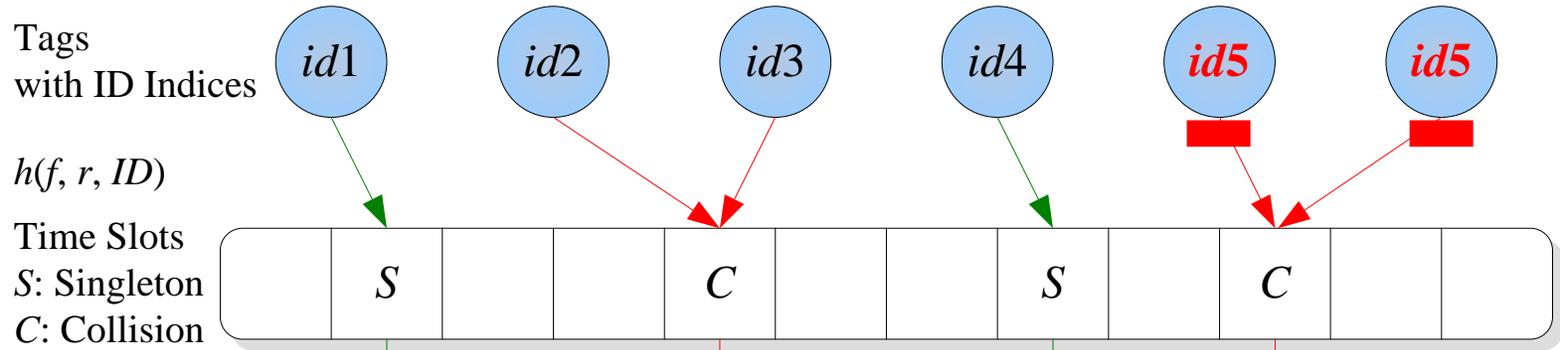
cardinality contradiction

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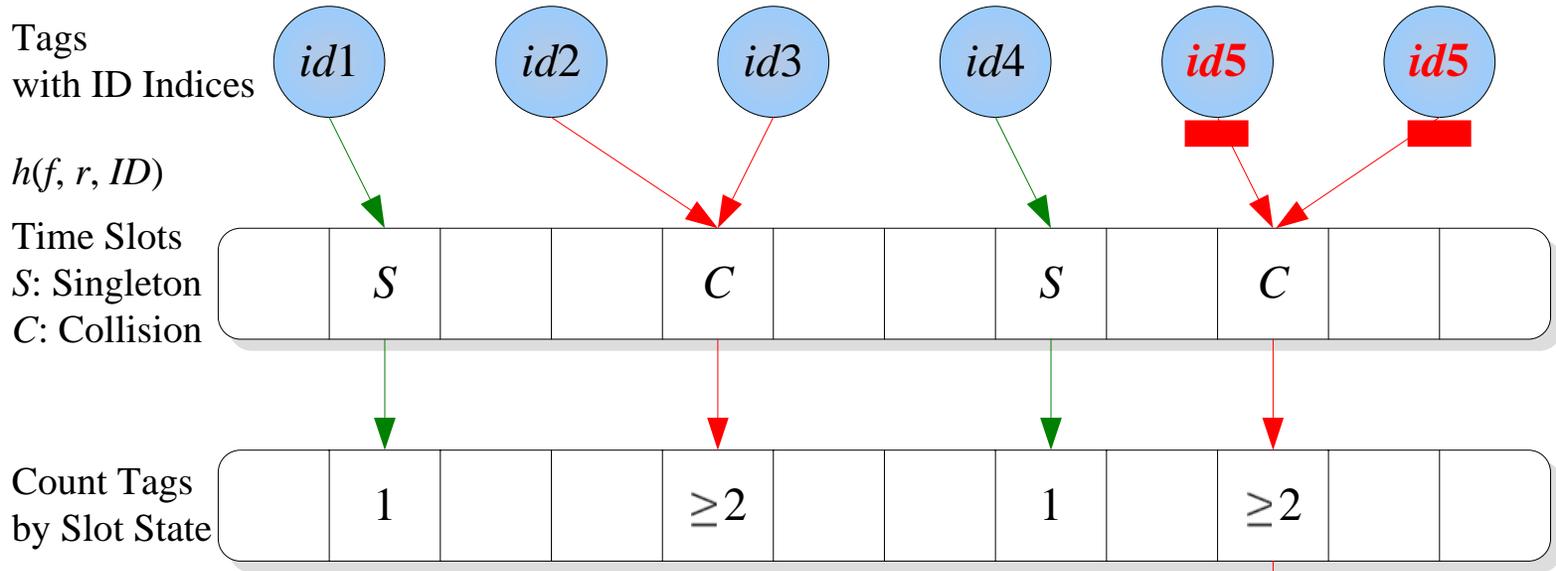
Tags
with ID Indices



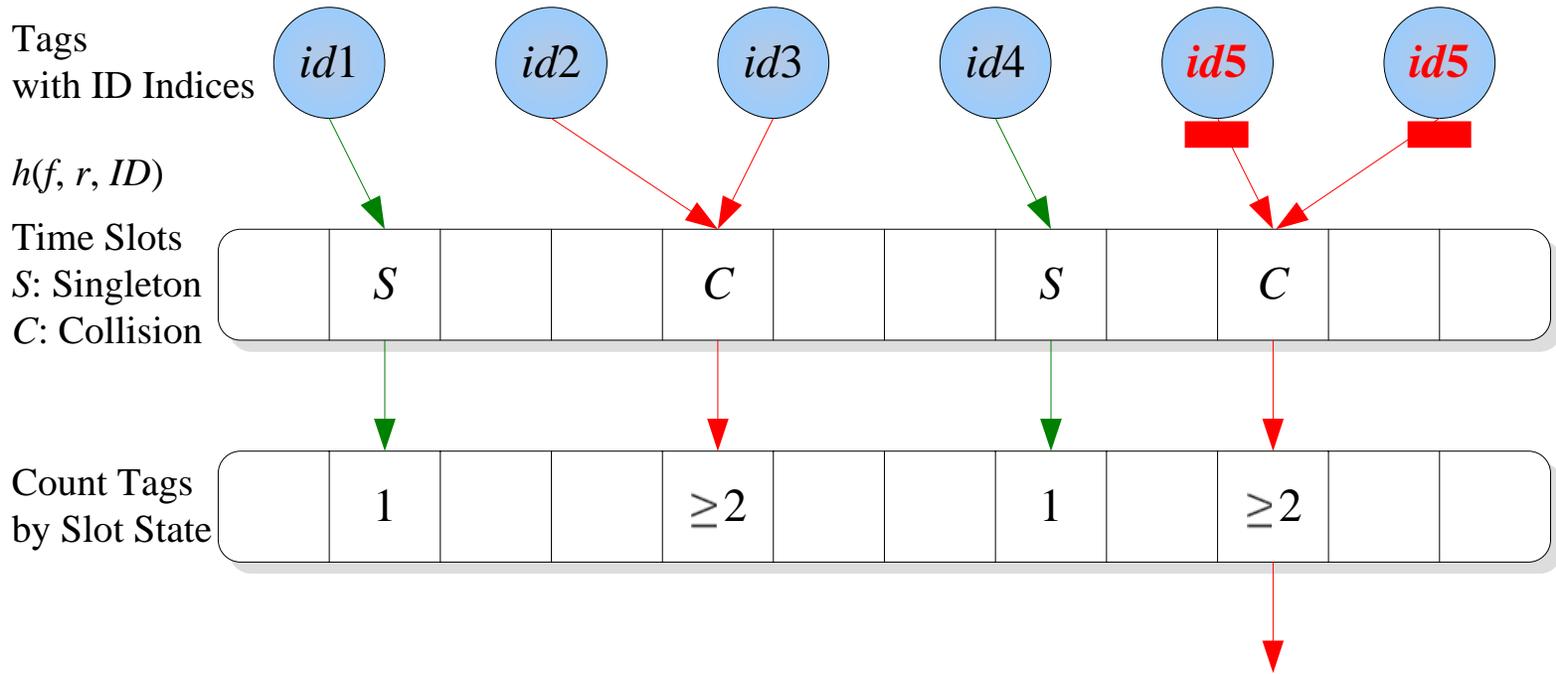
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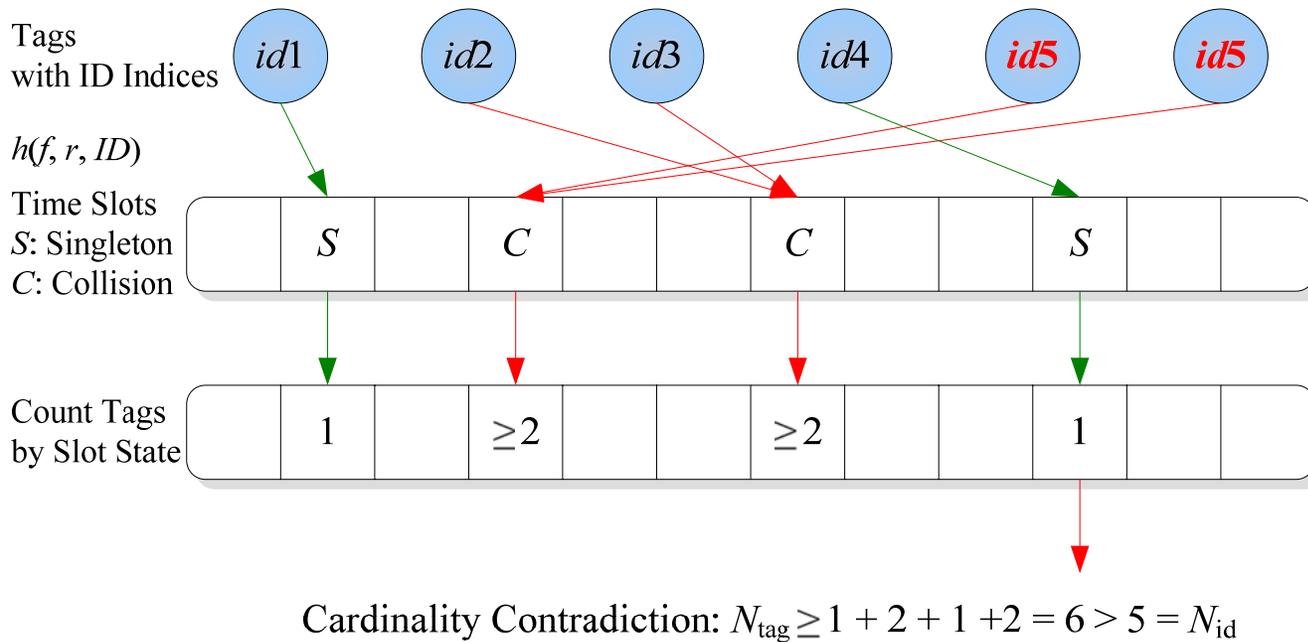


Cardinality Contradiction: $N_{\text{tag}} \geq 1 + 2 + 1 + 2 = 6 > 5 = N_{\text{id}}$

clone detected

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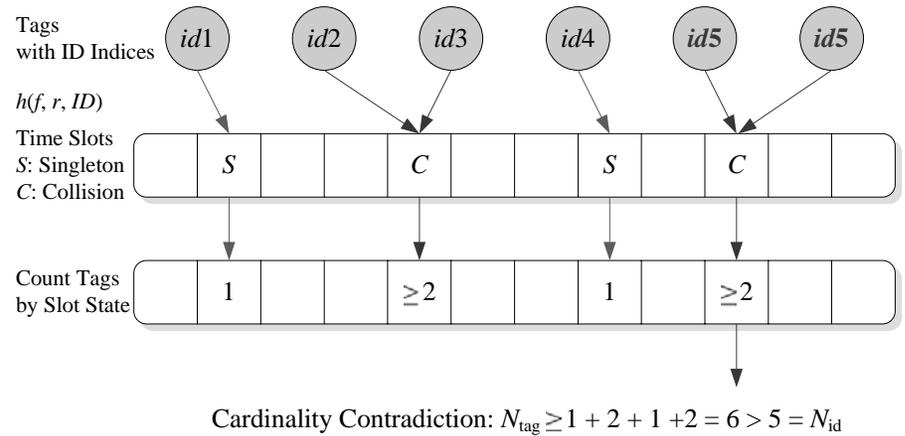
- Limitation
not that fast for large systems



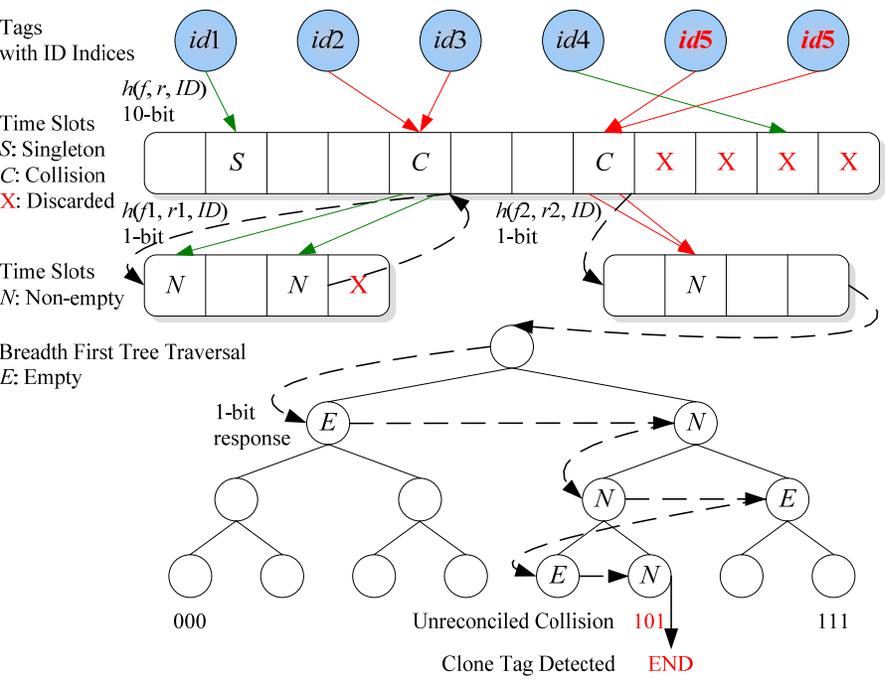
detect clones when almost all tags are counted;
but clone tags may respond earlier.

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BASE using cardinality contradiction

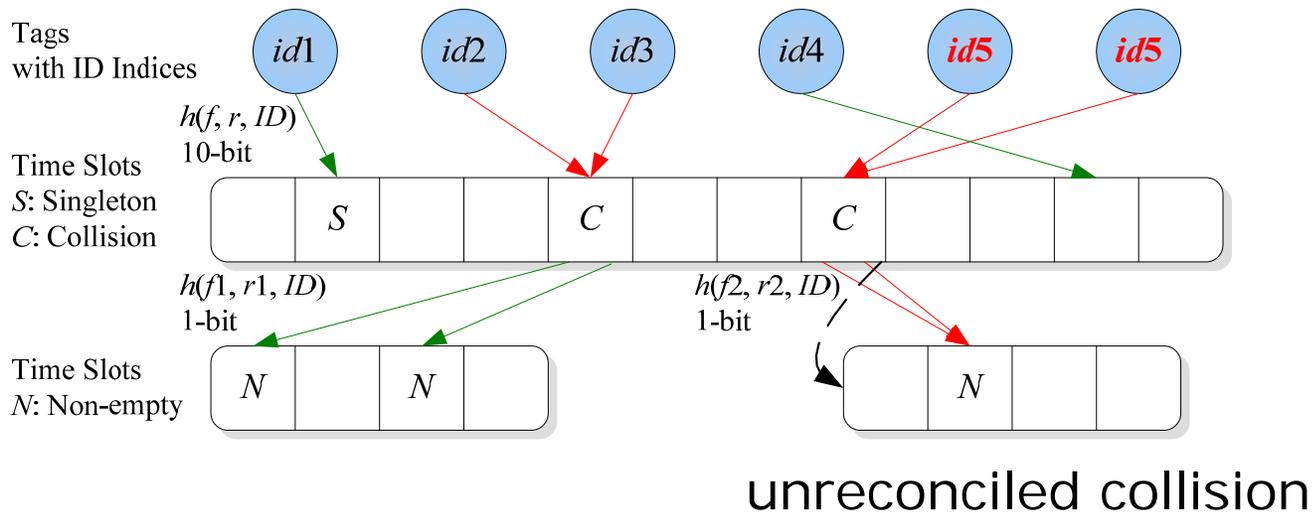


DeClone using unreconciled collision



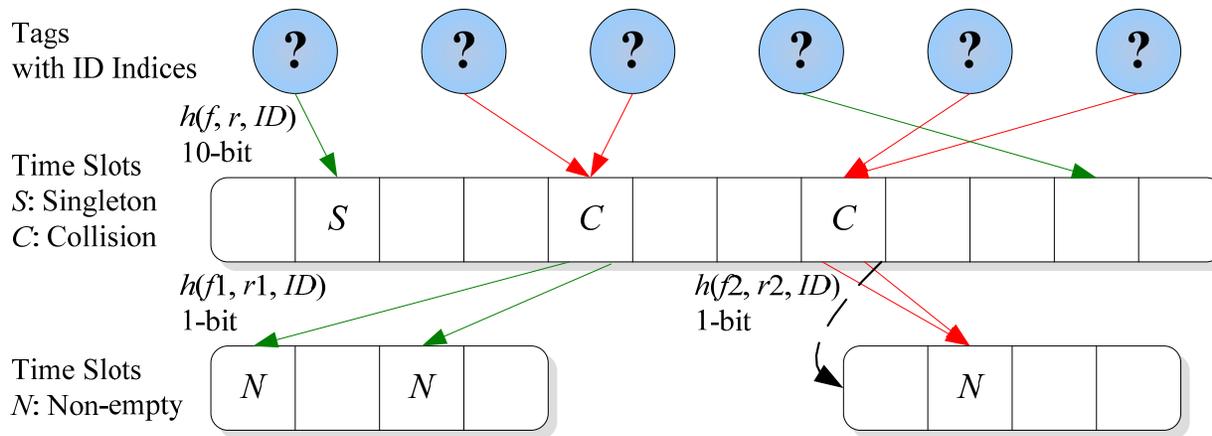
DeClone

- Motivation
clone tags induce collisions that cannot be reconciled via re-arbitration



DeClone

- Challenge
verify unreconciled collision
without tag IDs known a priori?

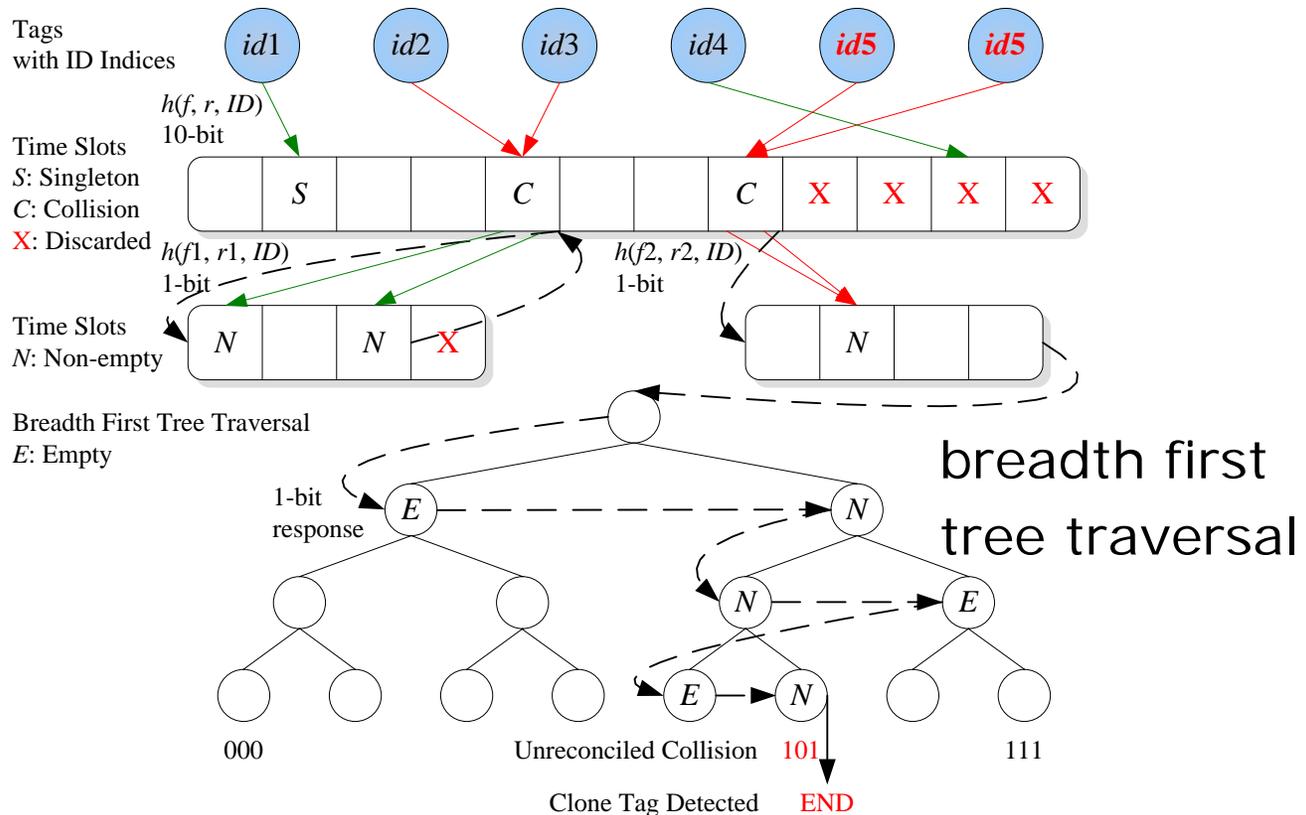


unreconciled collision
due to two same-ID tags?

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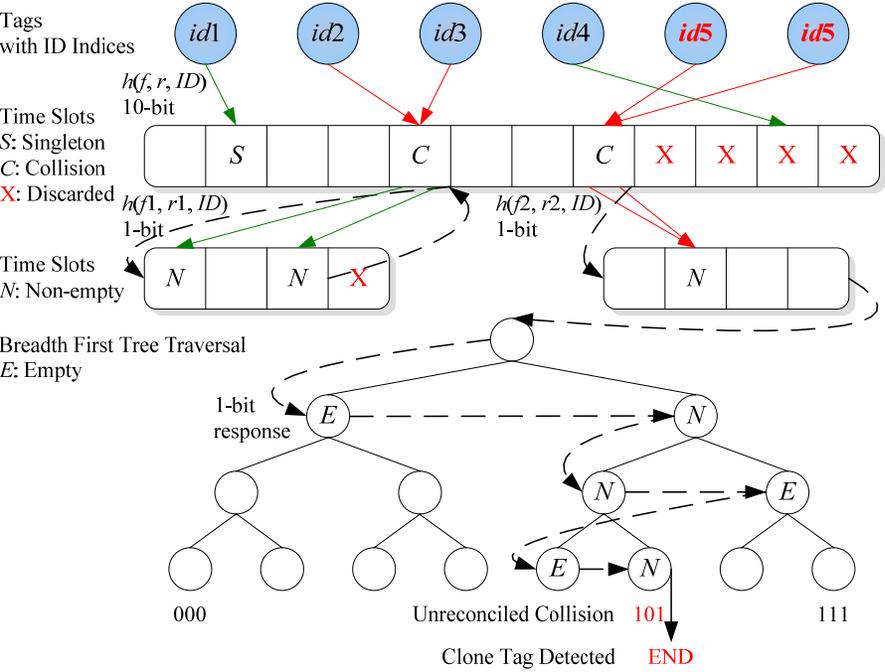
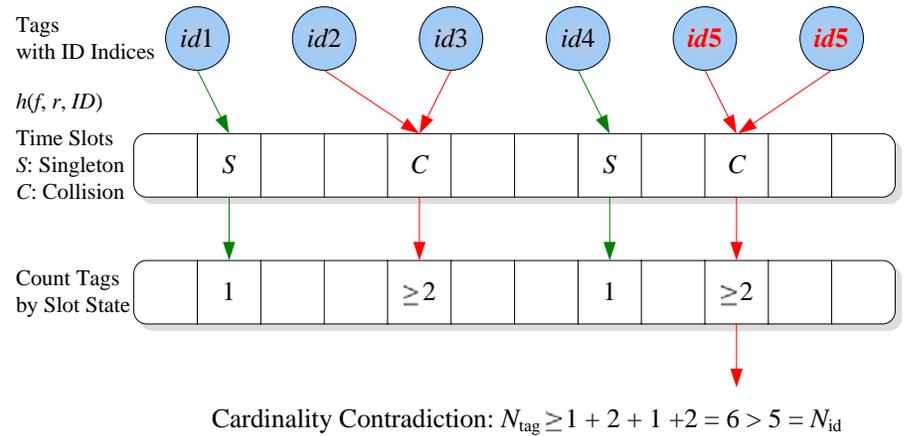
- Design

marry up slotted Aloha and tree traversal



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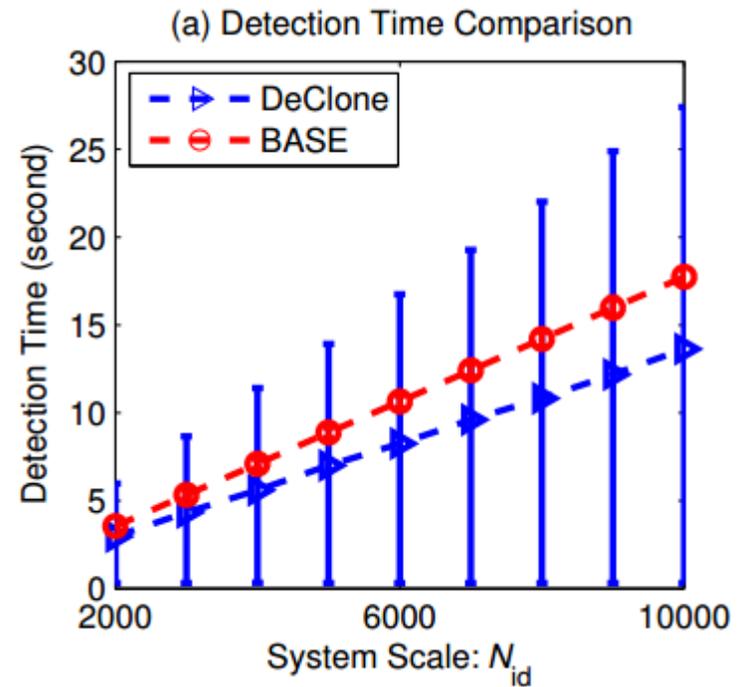
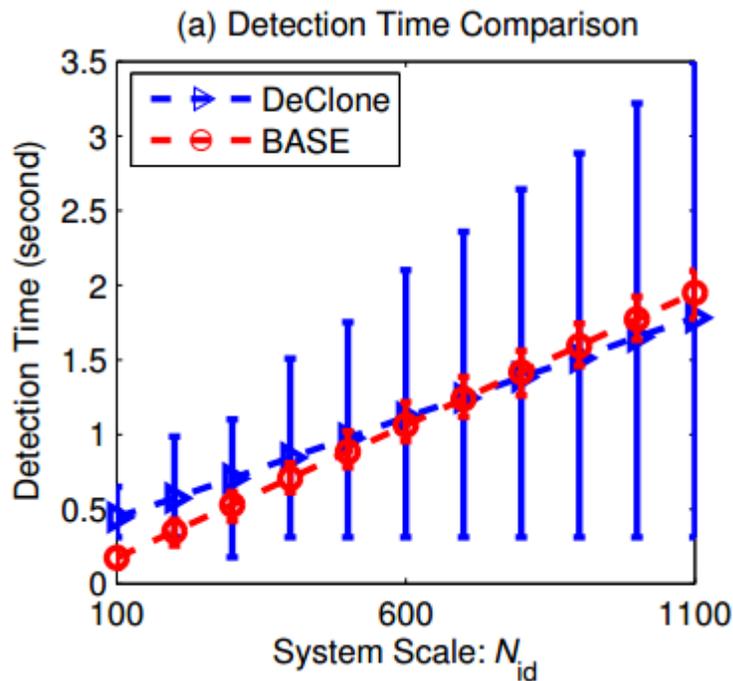


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Evaluation

BASE is faster for small systems

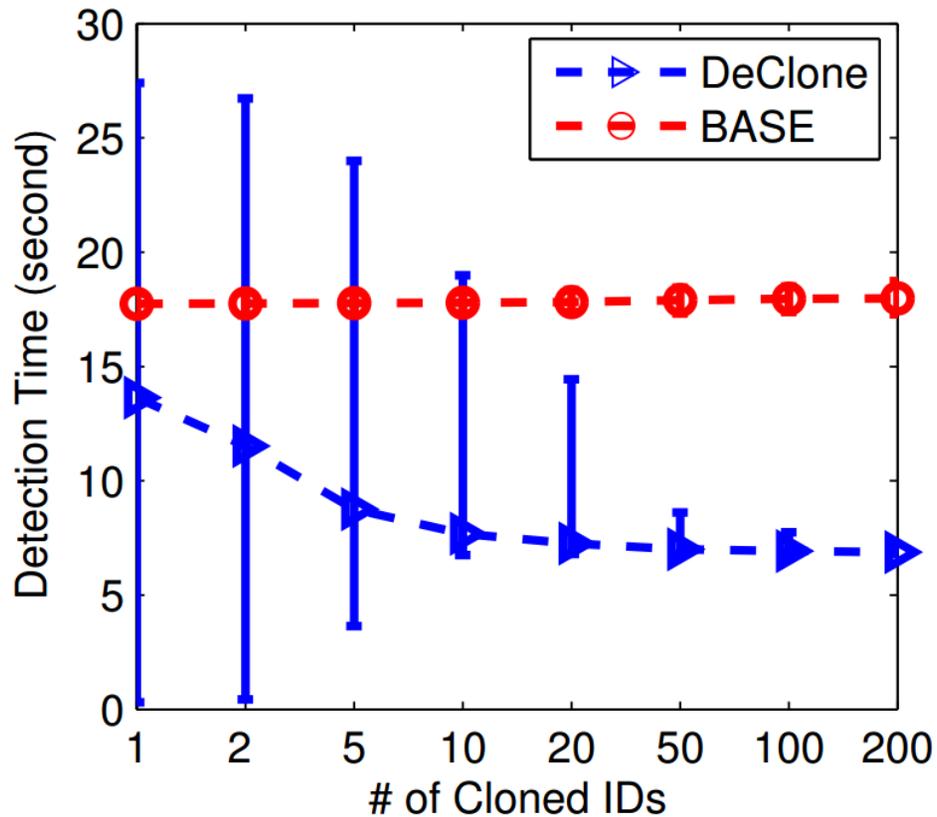
DeClone is faster for large ones



Evaluation

DeClone is faster as clone ratio increases
BASE is nearly constant

(a) Detection Time Comparison

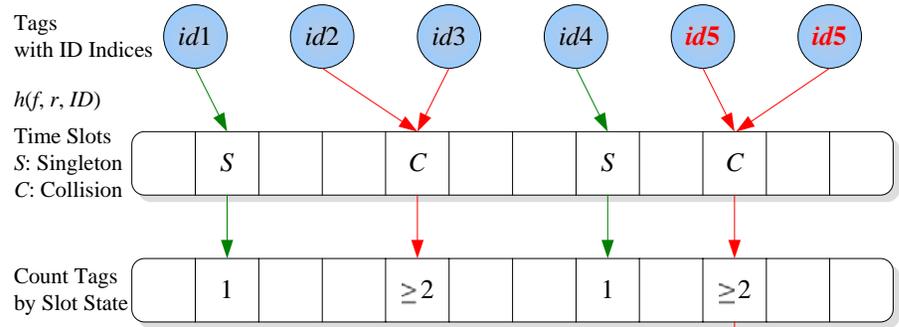


CONCLUSION

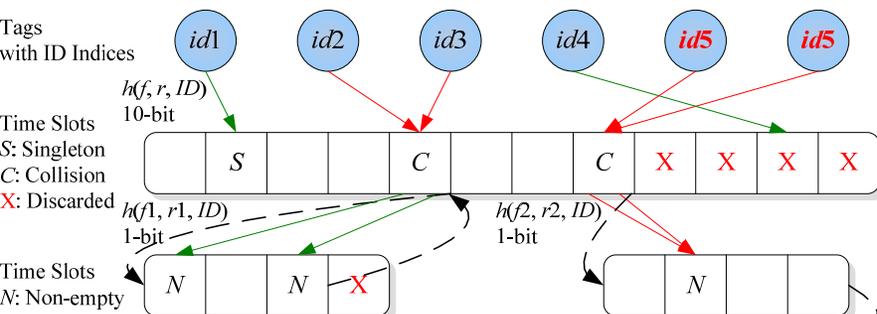
Two Fast & Deterministic Protocols

BASE

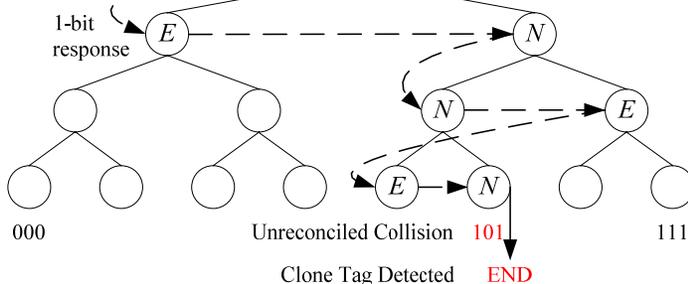
using cardinality contradiction
faster for small systems



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Breadth First Tree Traversal
E: Empty



DeClone

using unreconciled collision
faster for large systems
esp when clone ratio \uparrow

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