#### DIRECTED ALGEBRAIC TOPOLOGY

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## CONCURRENCY

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Proof: any connected block is contained in a maximal connected block (by the Hausdorff maximal principle).

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Theorem: if A, B, and X are isothetic regions, then so are frw(A, B),  $cone^{f}A$ ,  $\overline{A}^{f}$ , and their duals.

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#### init: pqpq

q = P(b); P(c); V(c); V(b)

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## Factoring a program

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