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VORONOI DIAGRAM PART II

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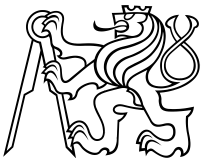
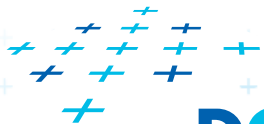
Talk overview

- Incremental construction
- Voronoi diagram of line segments
- VD of order k
- Farthest-point VD

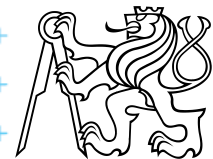
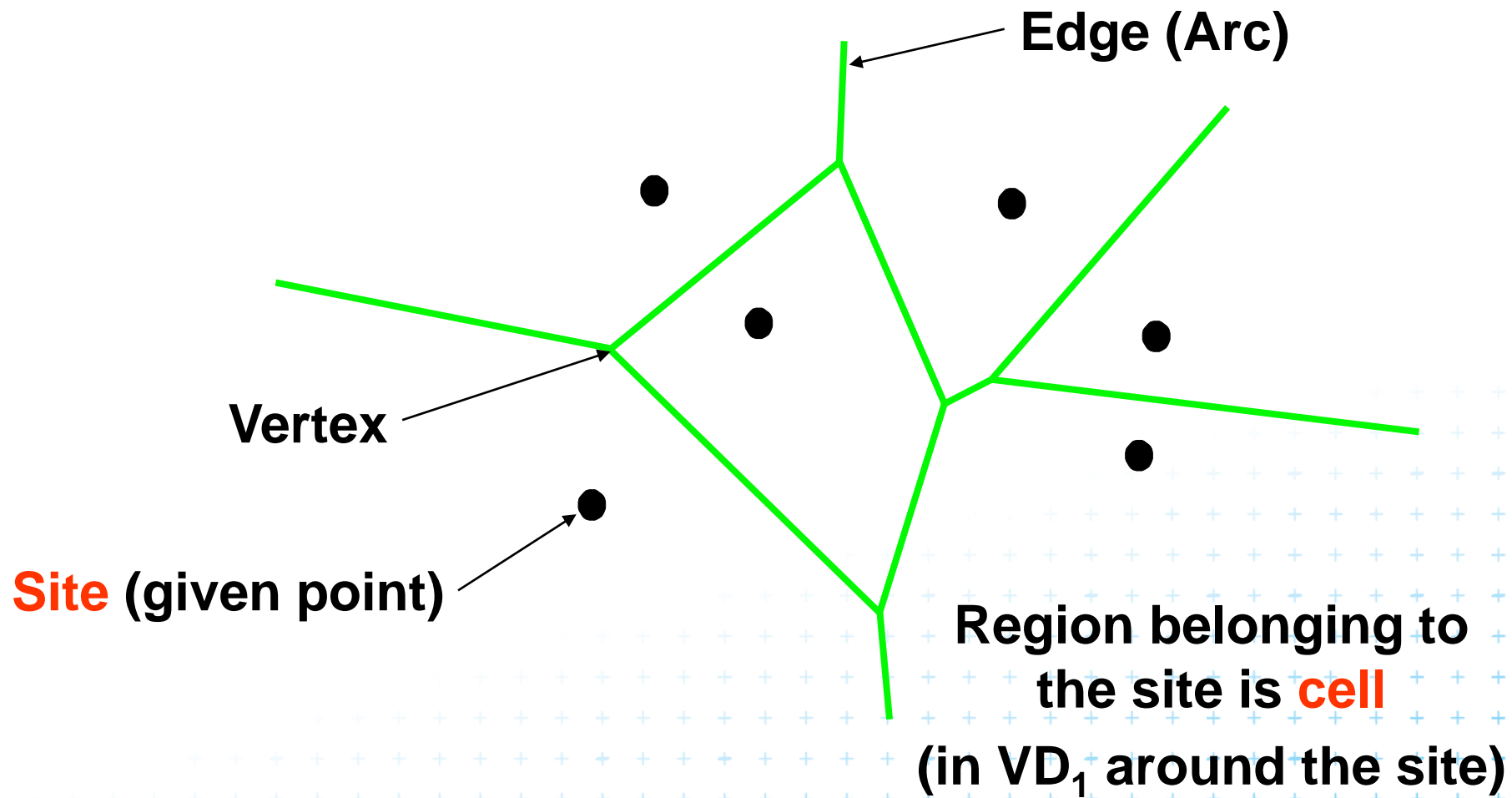


Summary of the VD terms

- Site = input point, line segment, ...
- Cell = area belonging to the site,
in VD_1 locus of points nearest to the site
- Edge, arc = part of Voronoi diagram
(border between cells)
- Vertex = intersection of VD edges



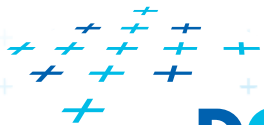
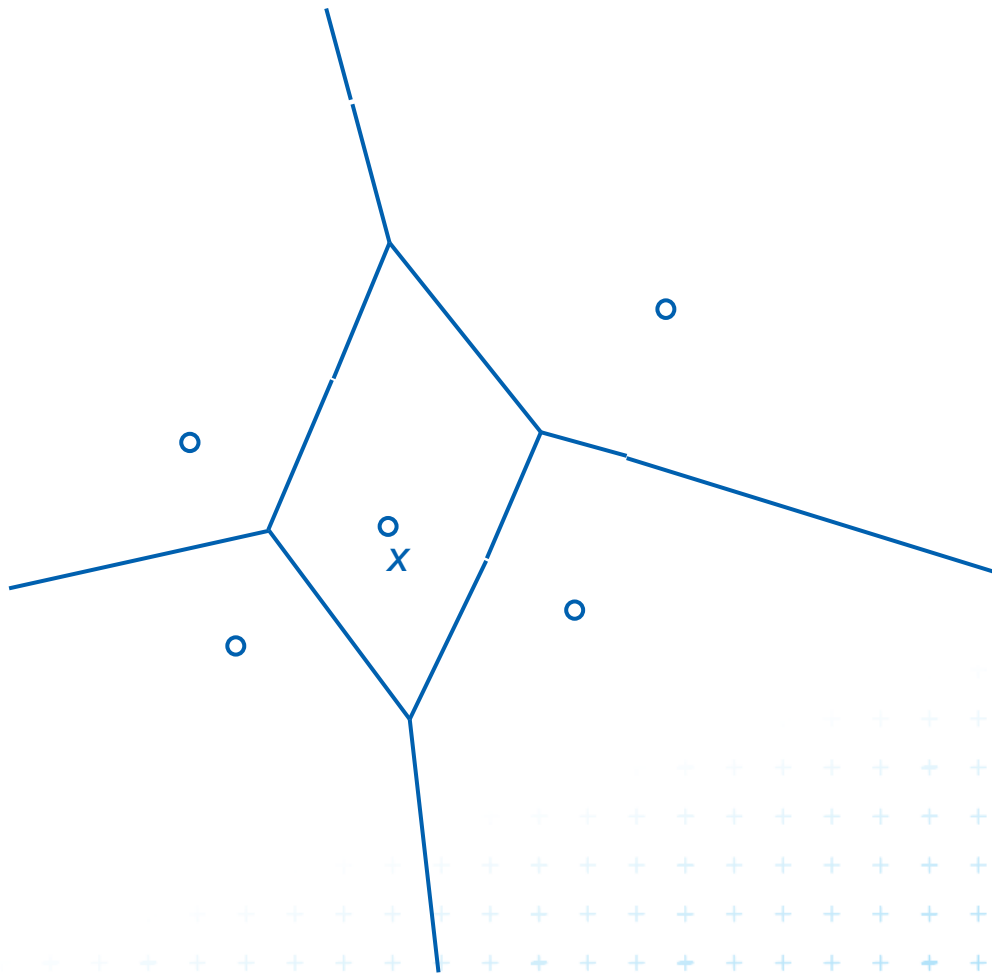
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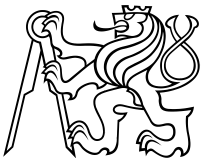
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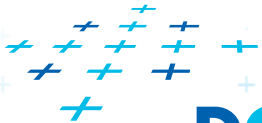
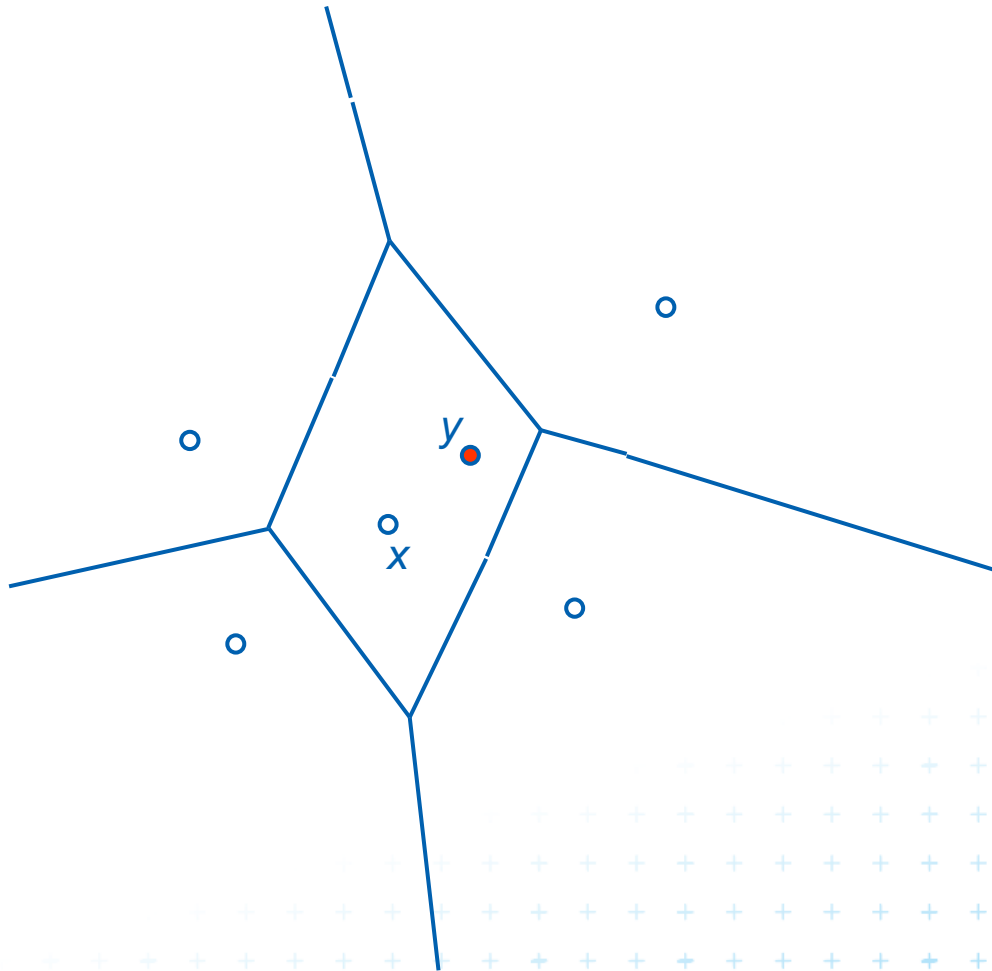
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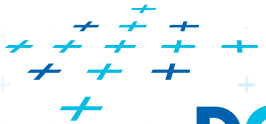
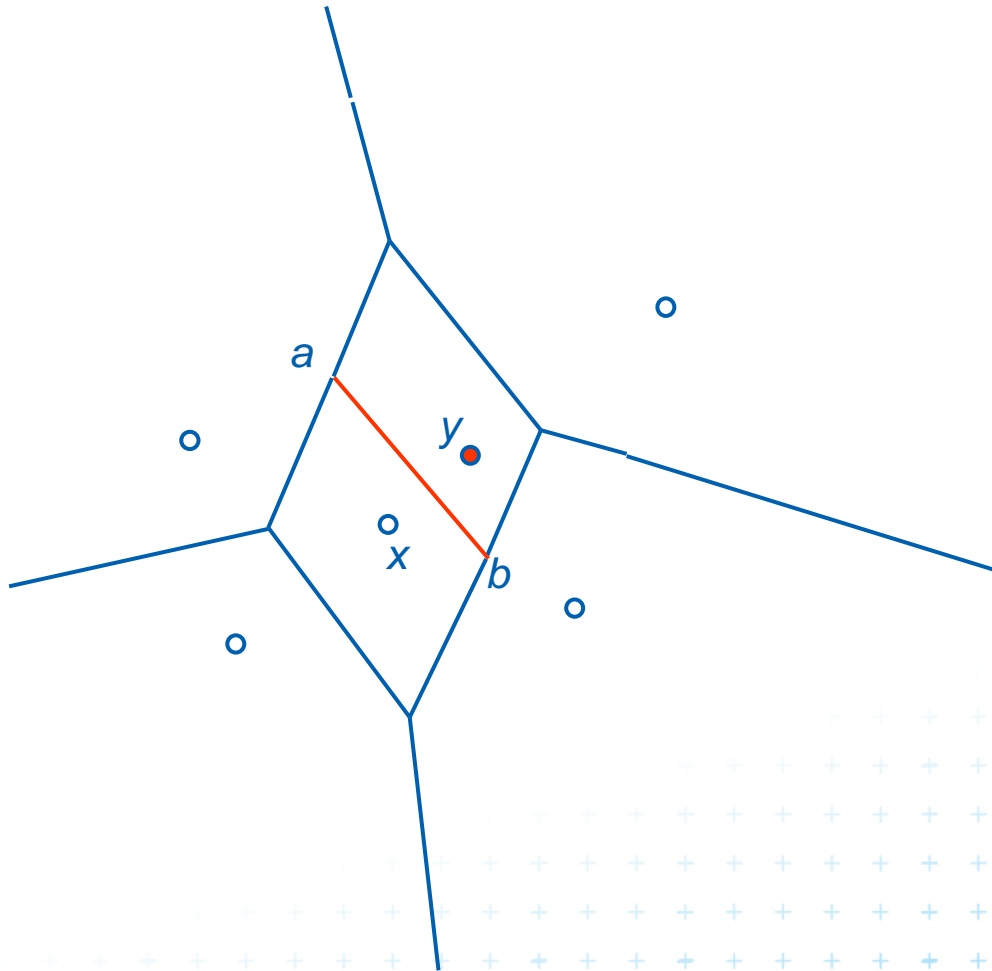
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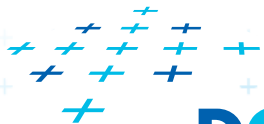
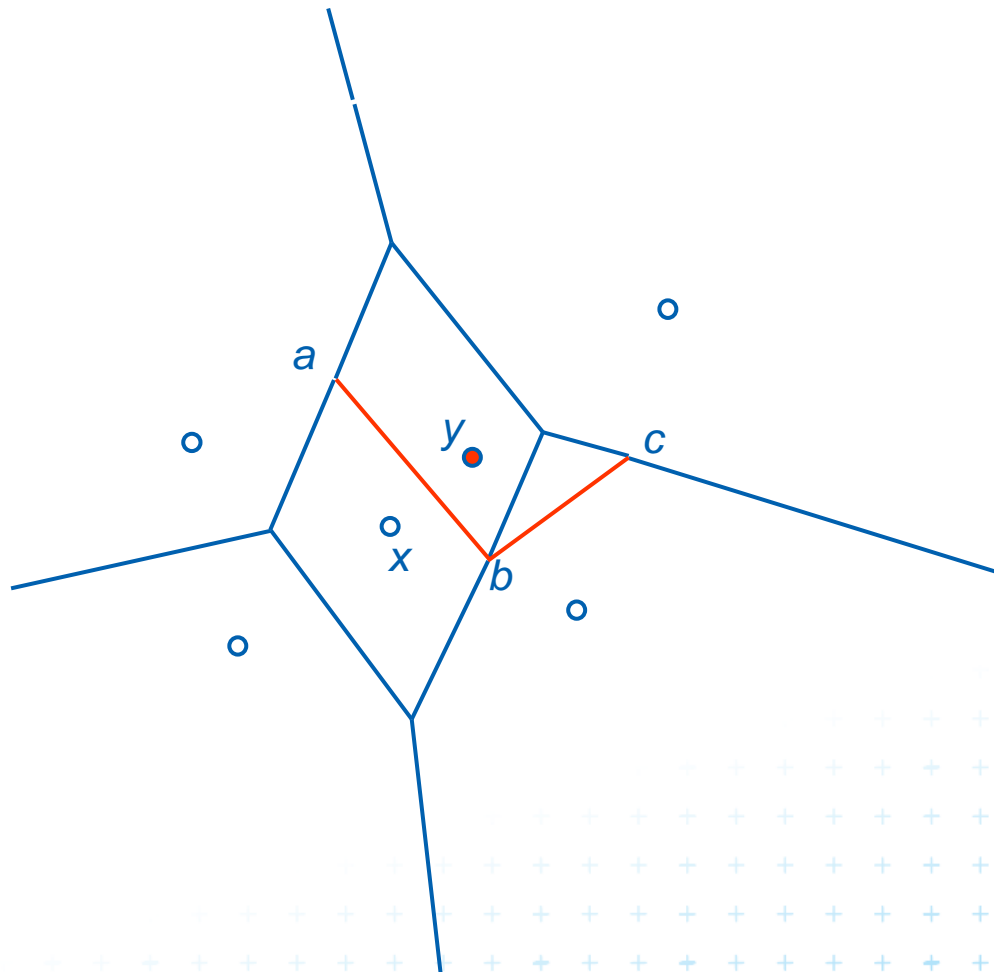
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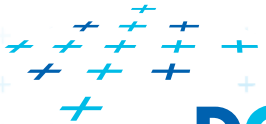
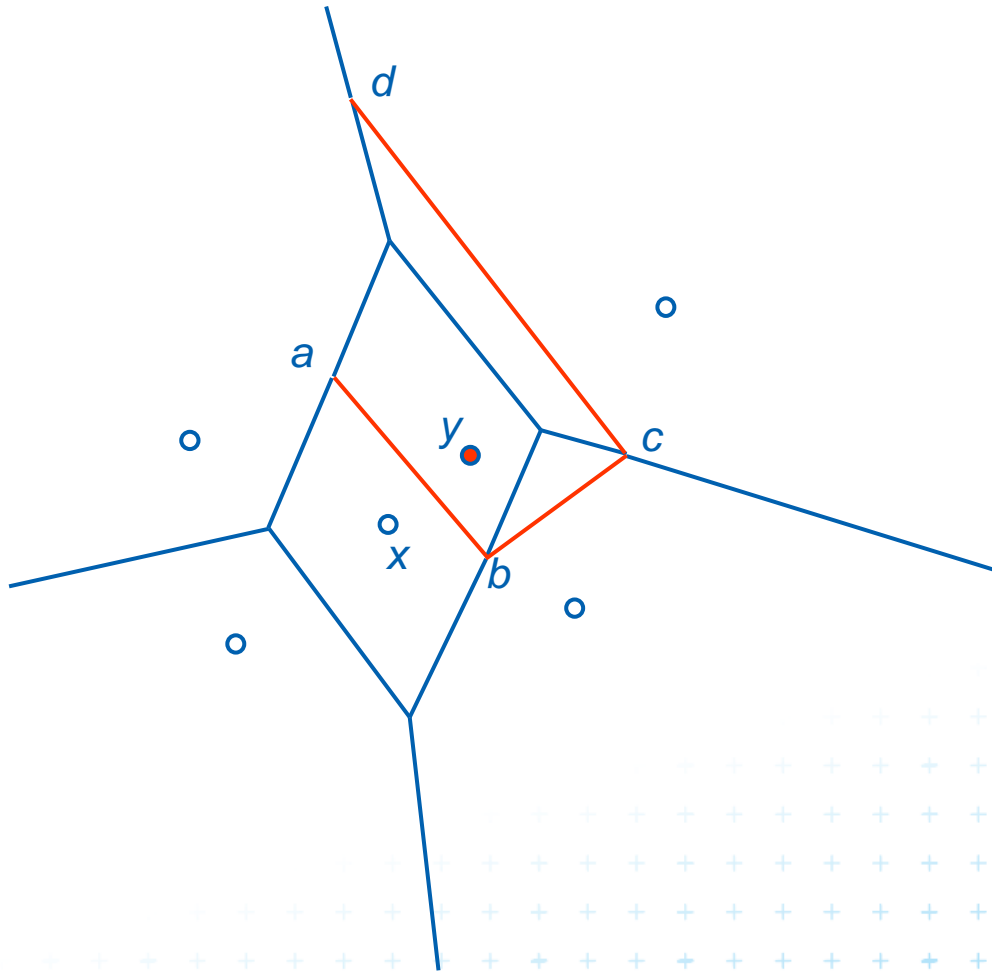
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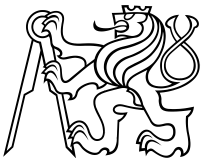
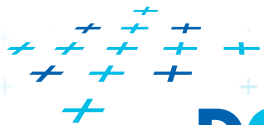
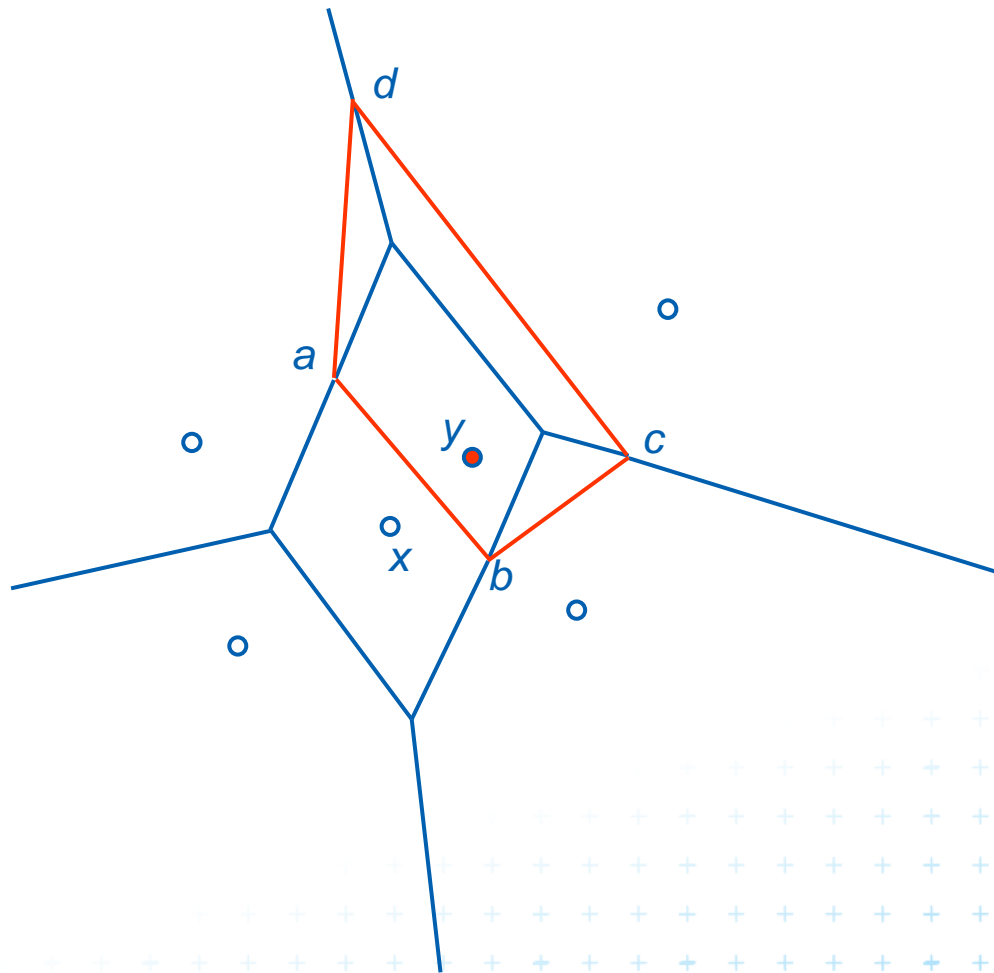
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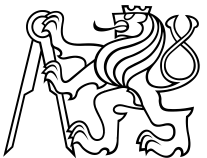
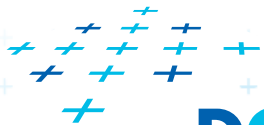
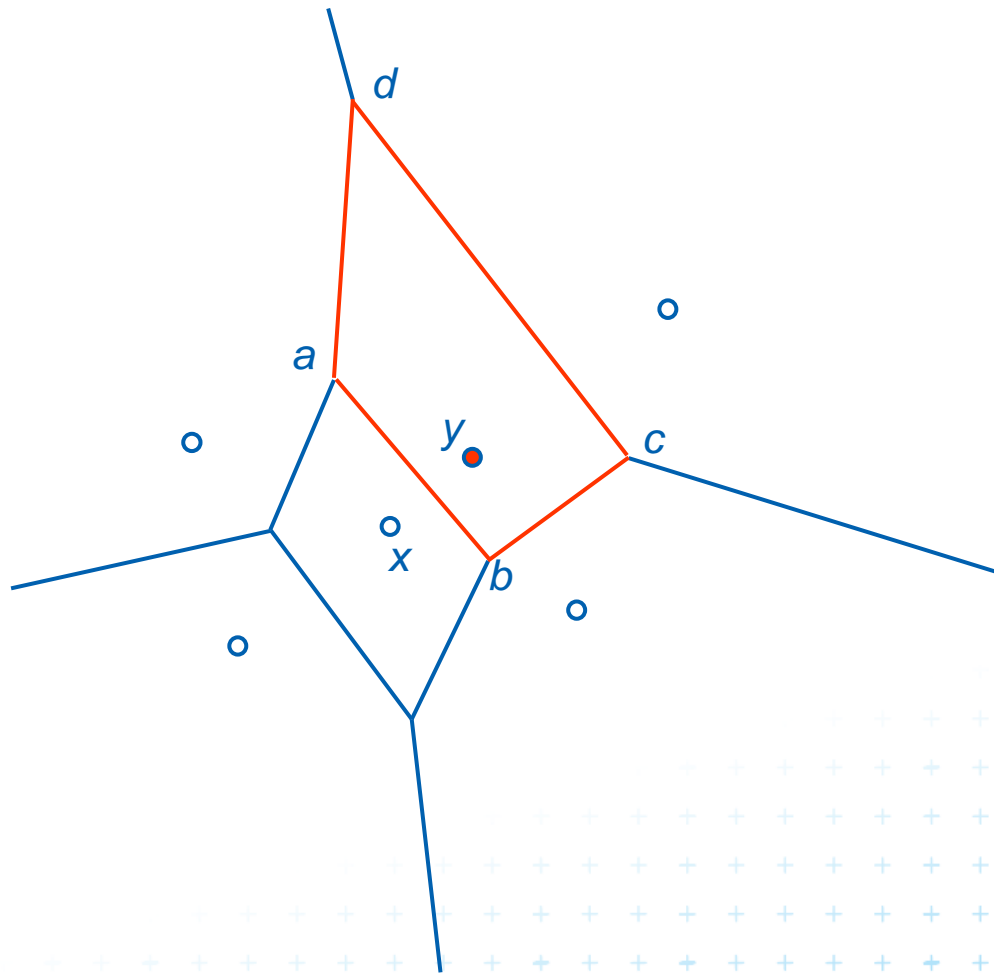
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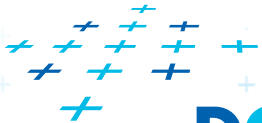
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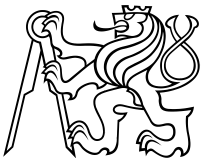
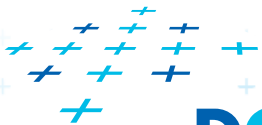
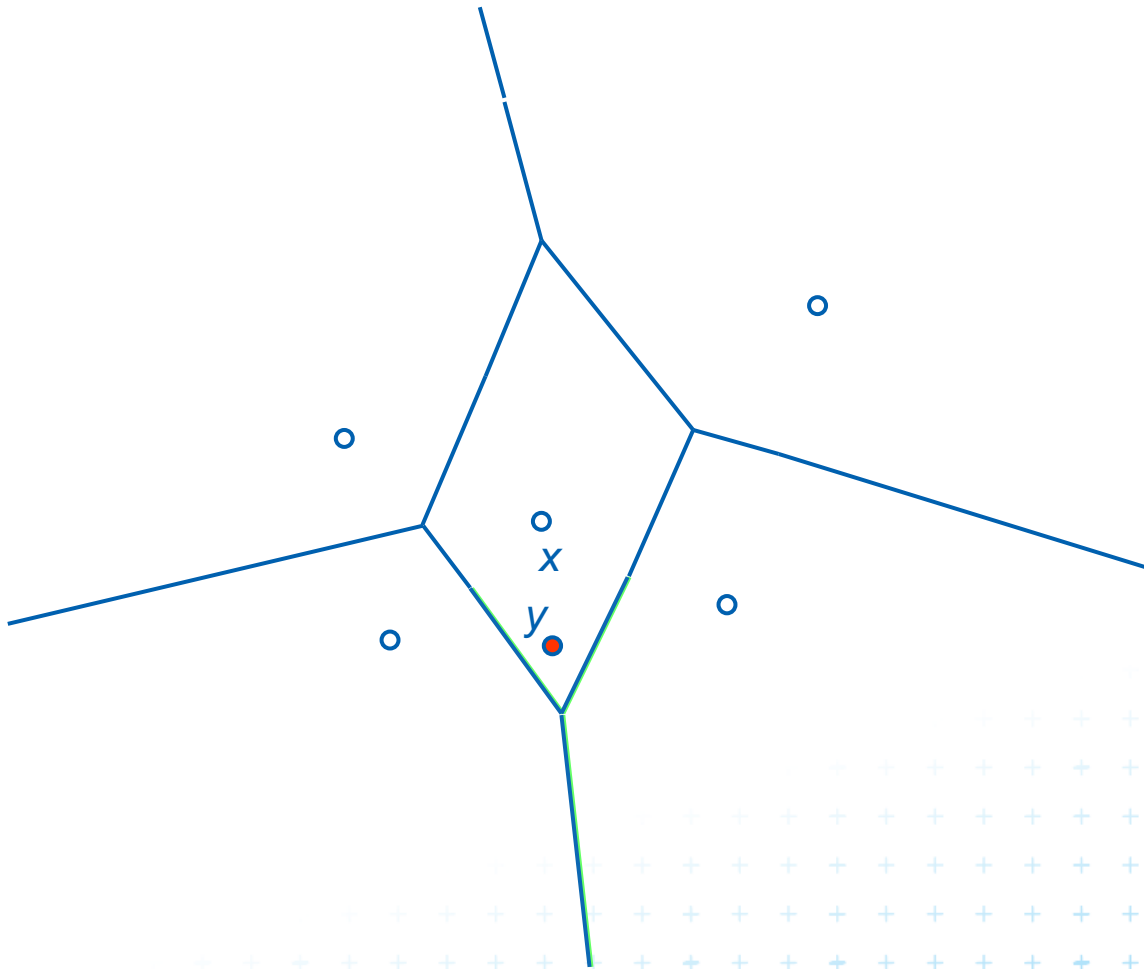
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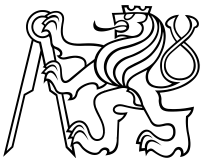
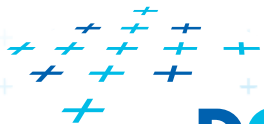
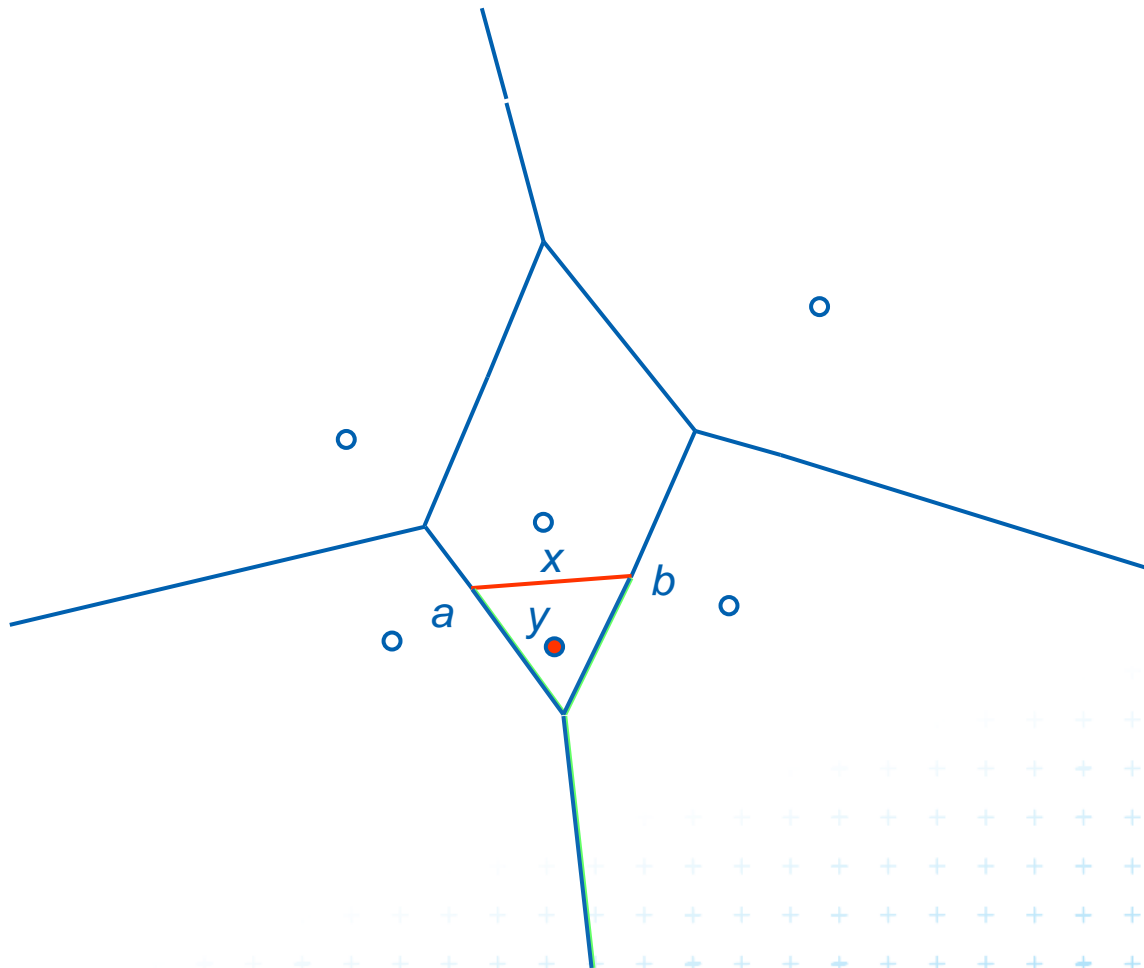
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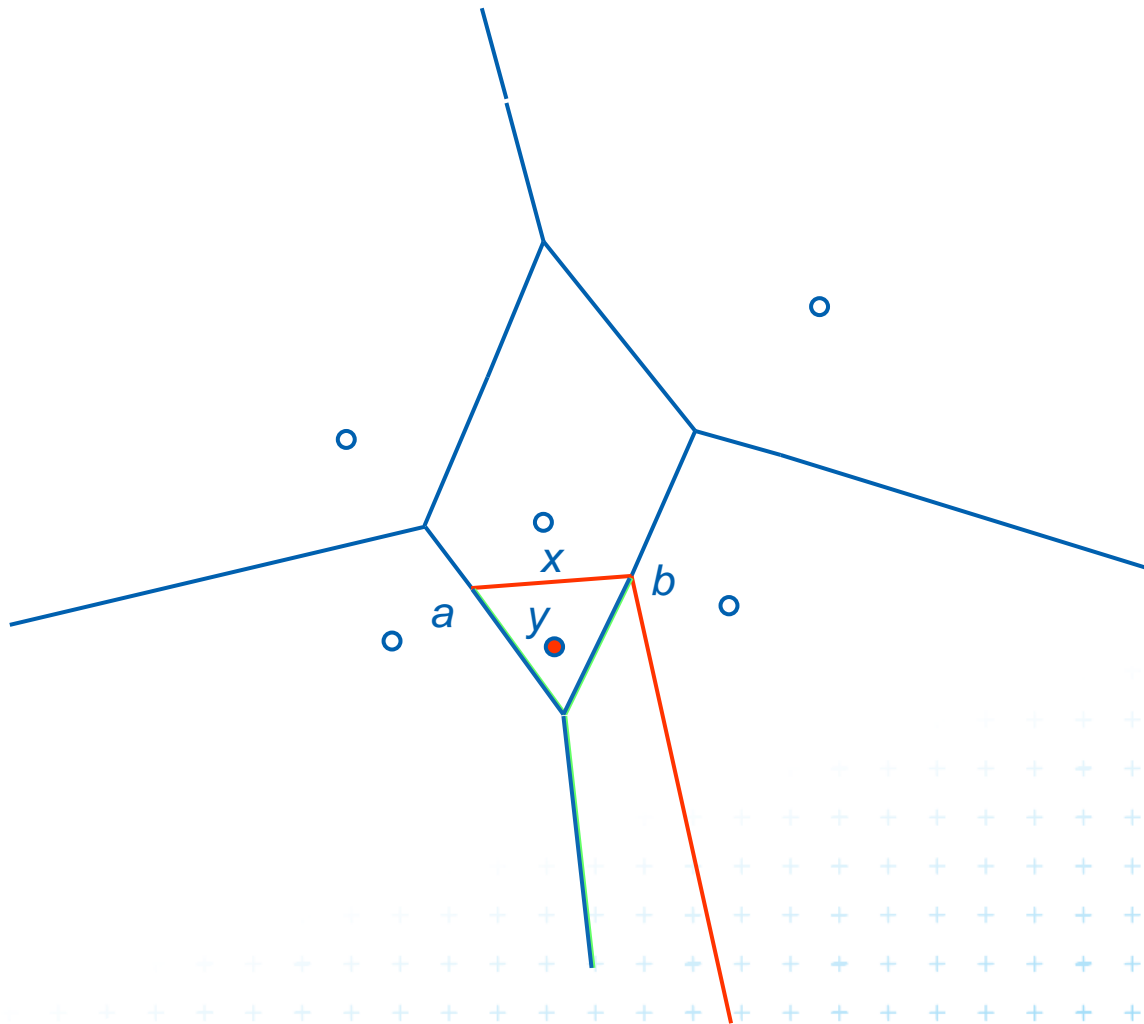
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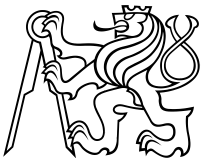
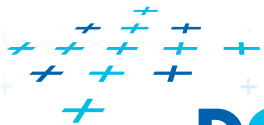
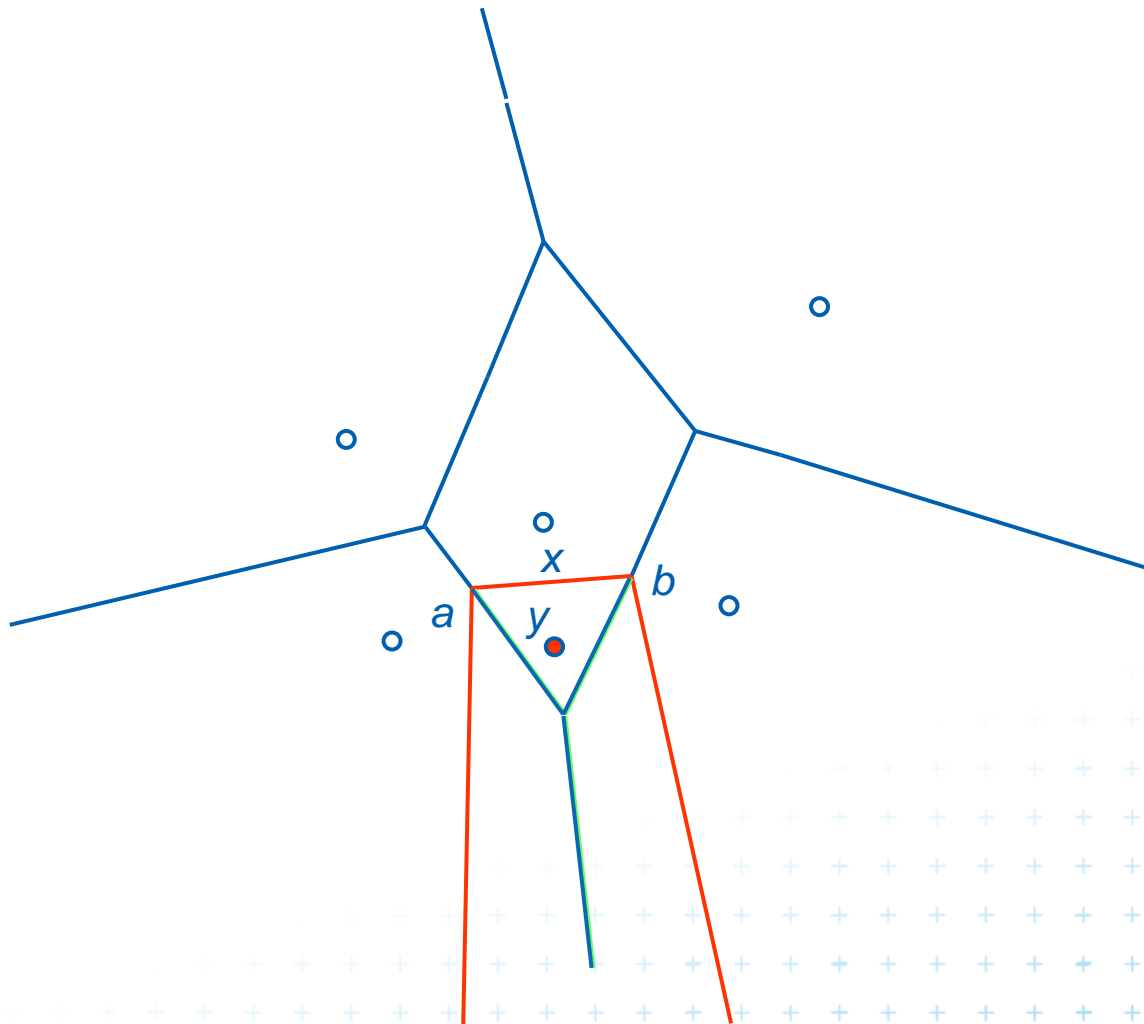
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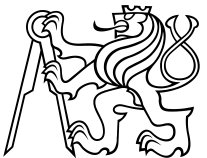
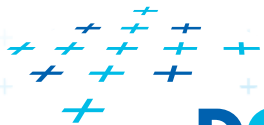
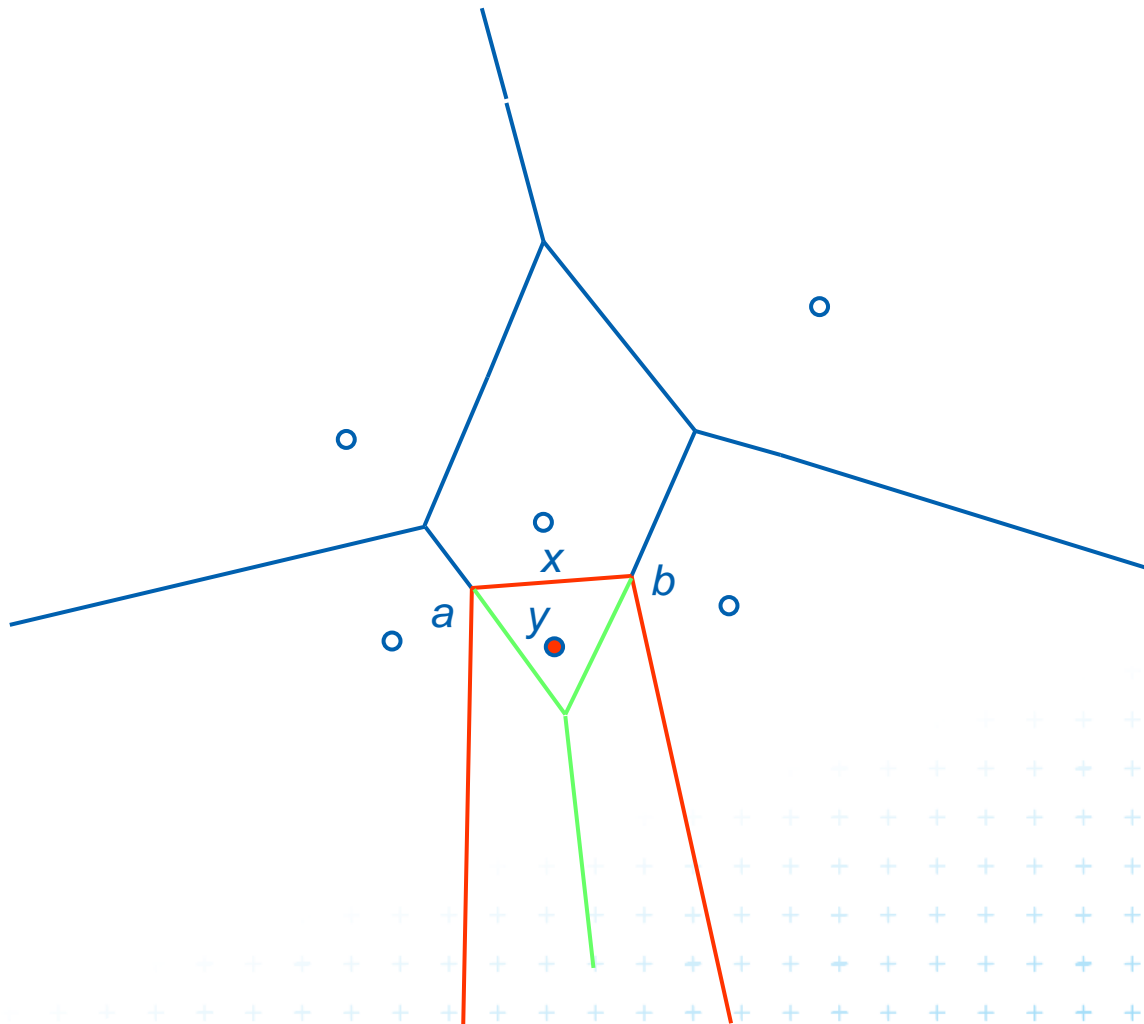
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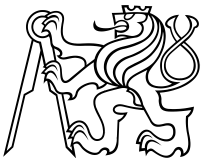
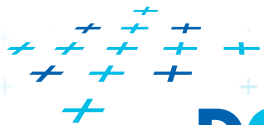
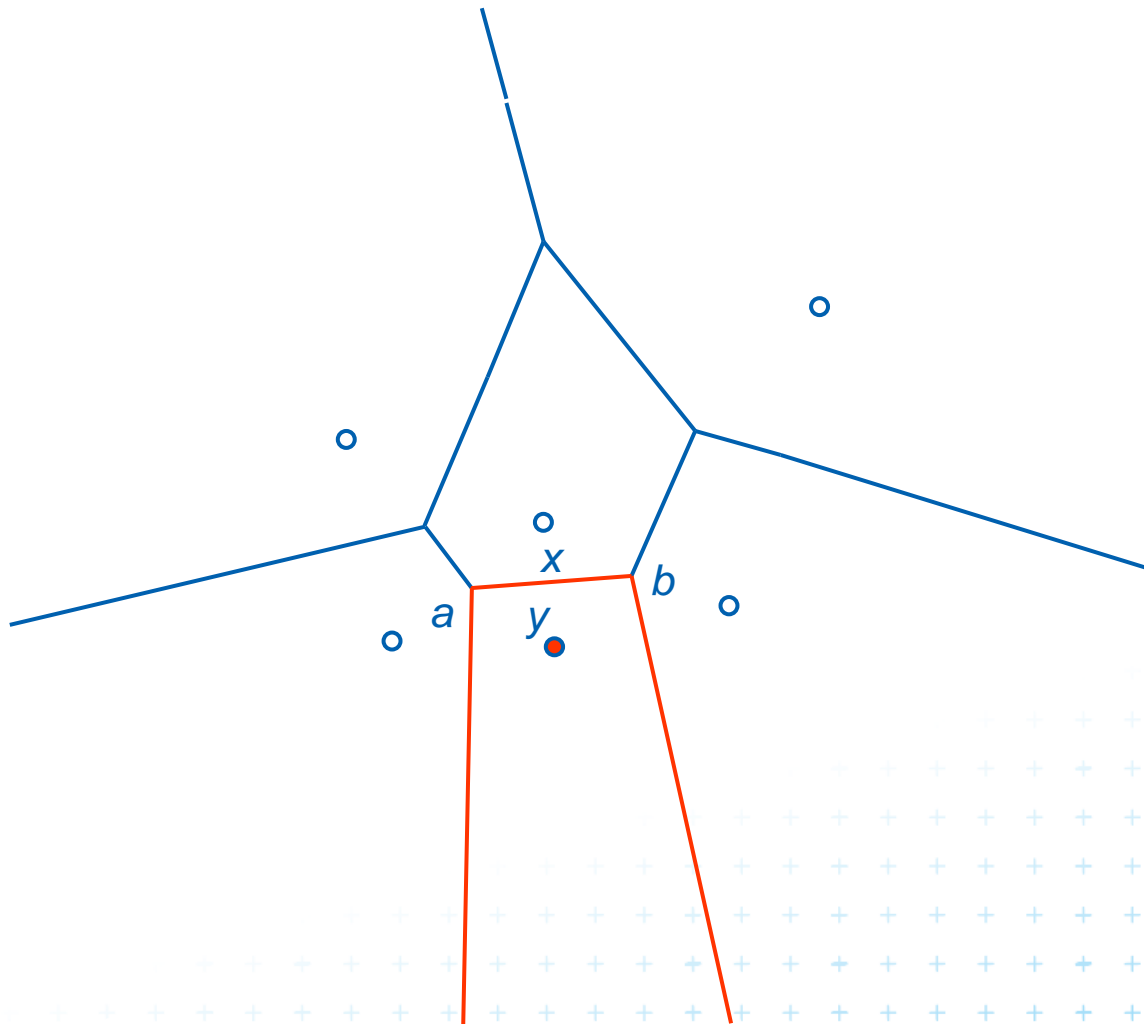
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Incremental construction algorithm

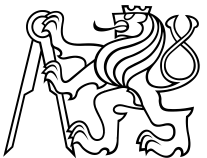
InsertPoint($S, \text{Vor}(S), y$) ... y = a new site

Input: Point set S , its Voronoi diagram, and inserted point $y \notin S$

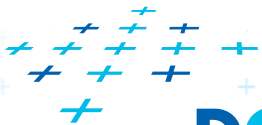
Output: VD after insertion of y

1. Find the site x in which cell point y falls, ... $O(\log n)$
2. Detect the intersections $\{a, b\}$ of bisector $L(x, y)$ with cell x boundary
=> create the first edge $e = ab$ on the border of site x ... $O(n)$
3. site $z =$ neighbor site across the border with intersection b ... $O(1)$
4. Set start intersection point $p = b$, set new intersection $c = \text{undef}$
5. while(exists(p) and $c \neq a$) // trace the bisectors from b in one direction
 - a. Detect intersection c of $L(y, z)$ with border of cell z
 - b. Report Voronoi edge pc
 - c. $p = c$, $z =$ neighbor site across border with intersec. c } ... $O(n^2)$
5. if($c \neq a$) then // open site \rightarrow trace the bisectors from a in other direction
 - a. $p = a$
 - b. Similarly as in steps 3,4,5 with a

$O(n^2)$ worst-case, $O(n)$ expected time for some distributions

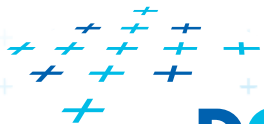
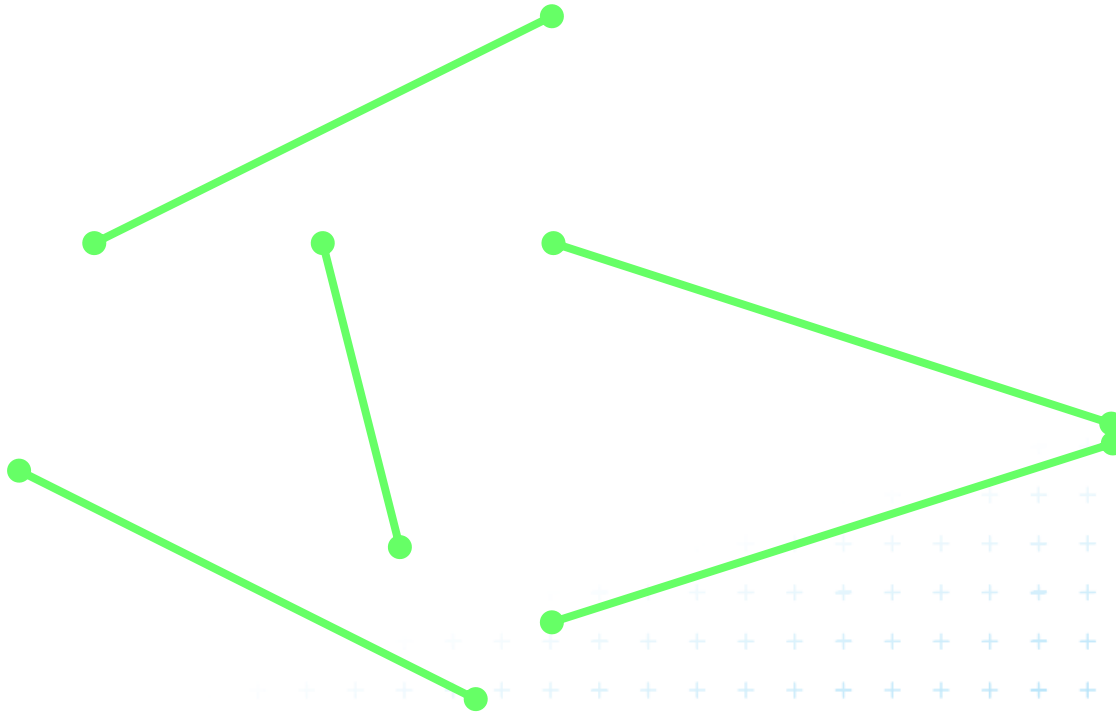


Voronoi diagram of line segments

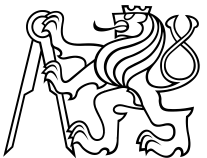


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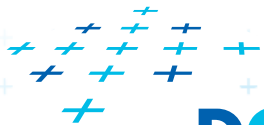
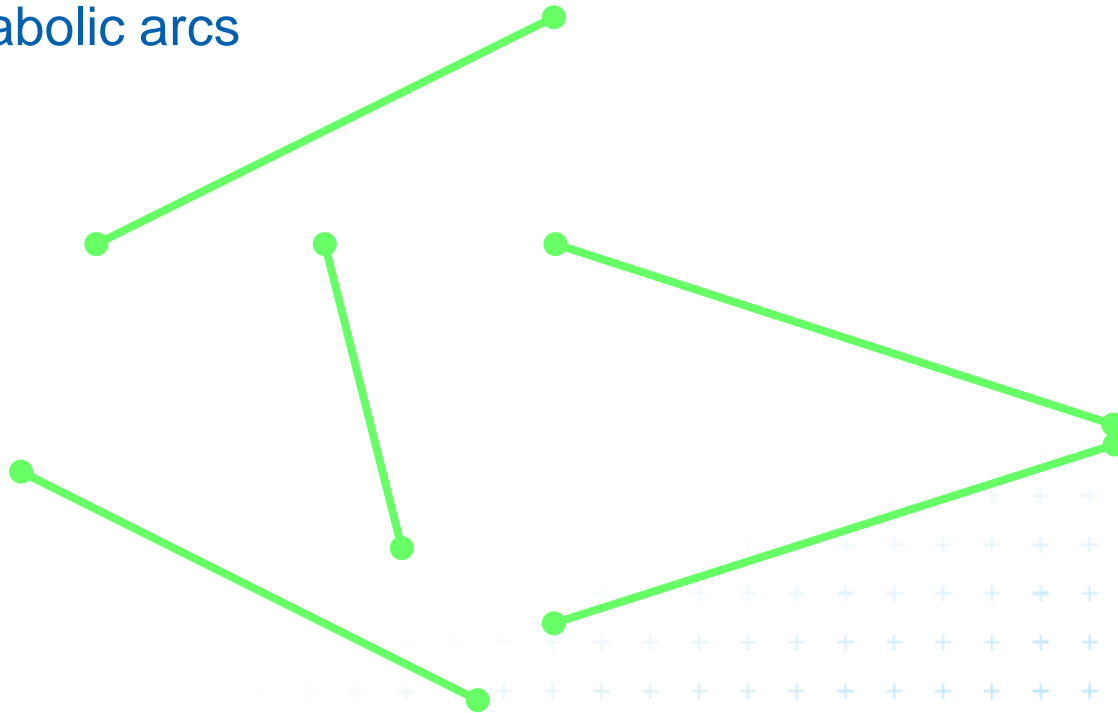


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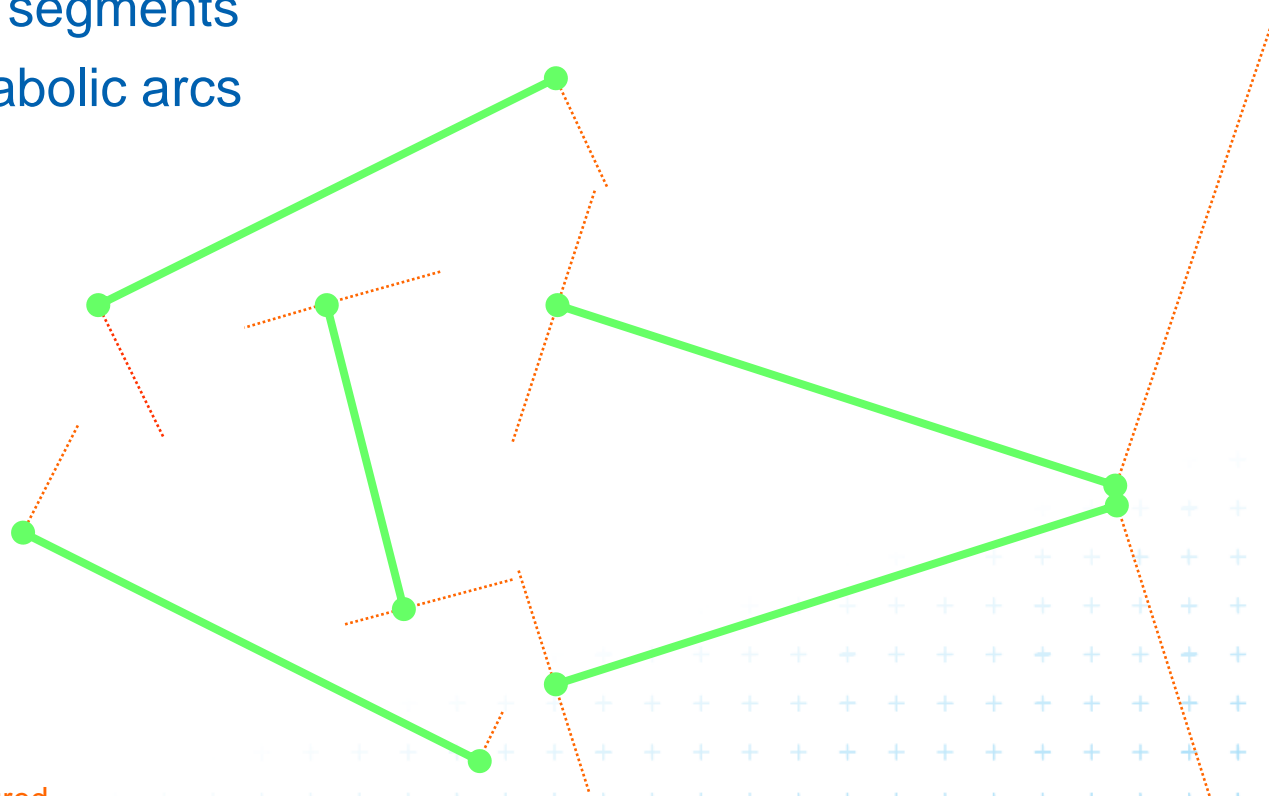


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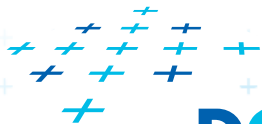
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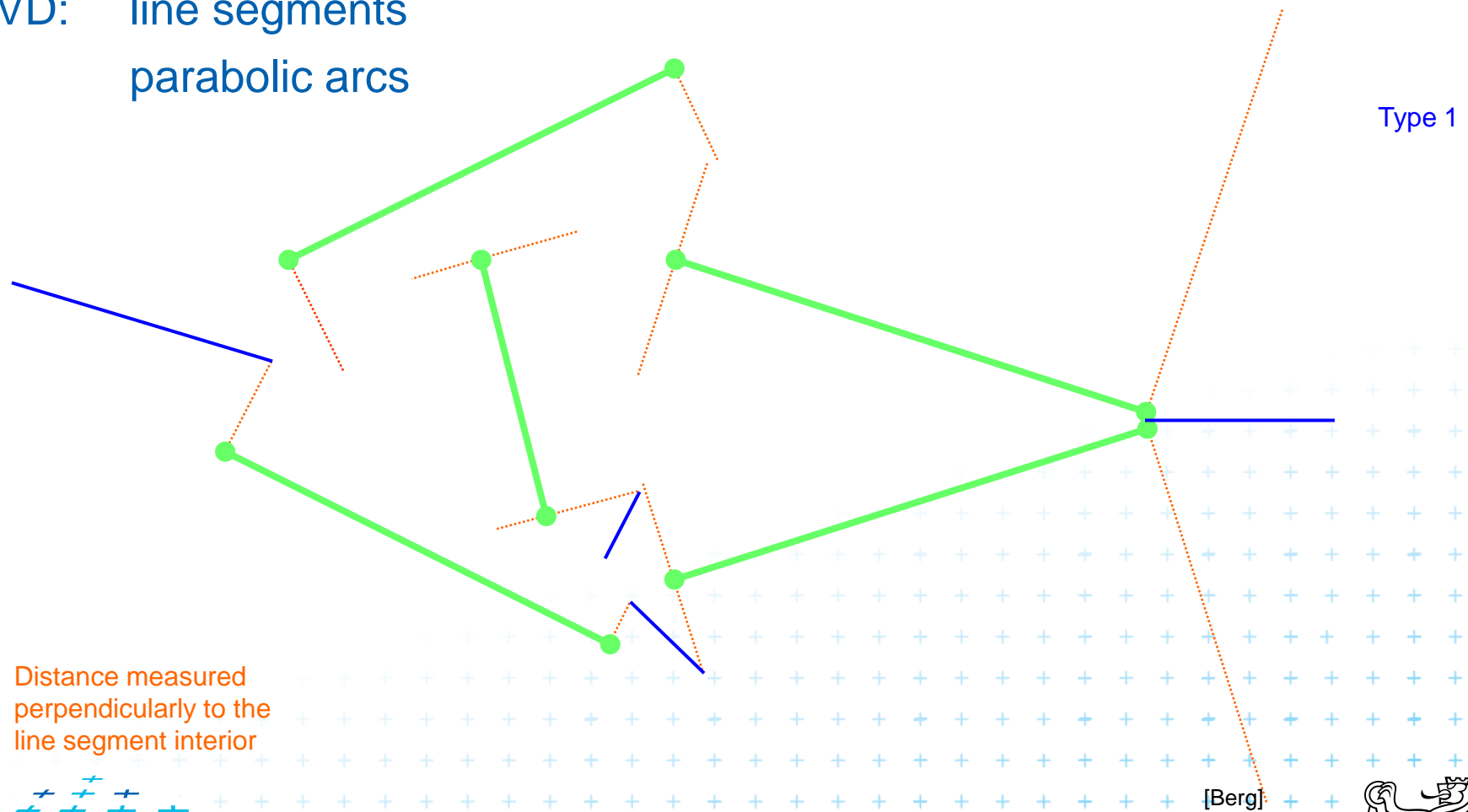


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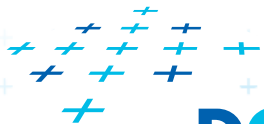
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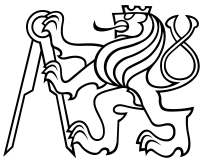
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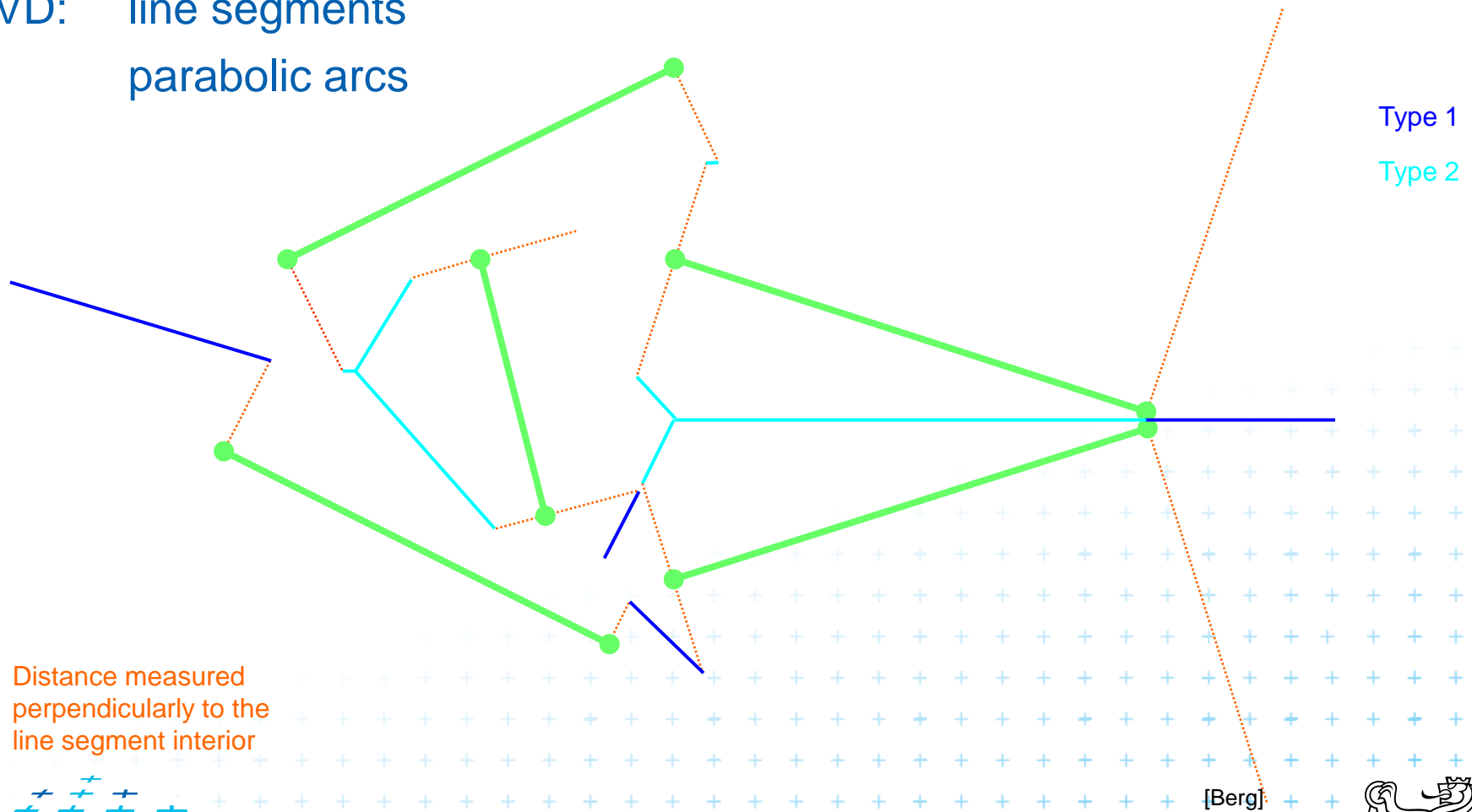


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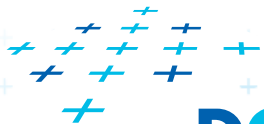
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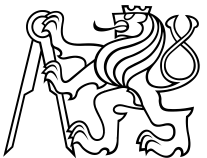
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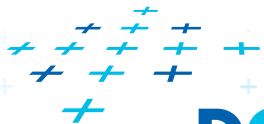
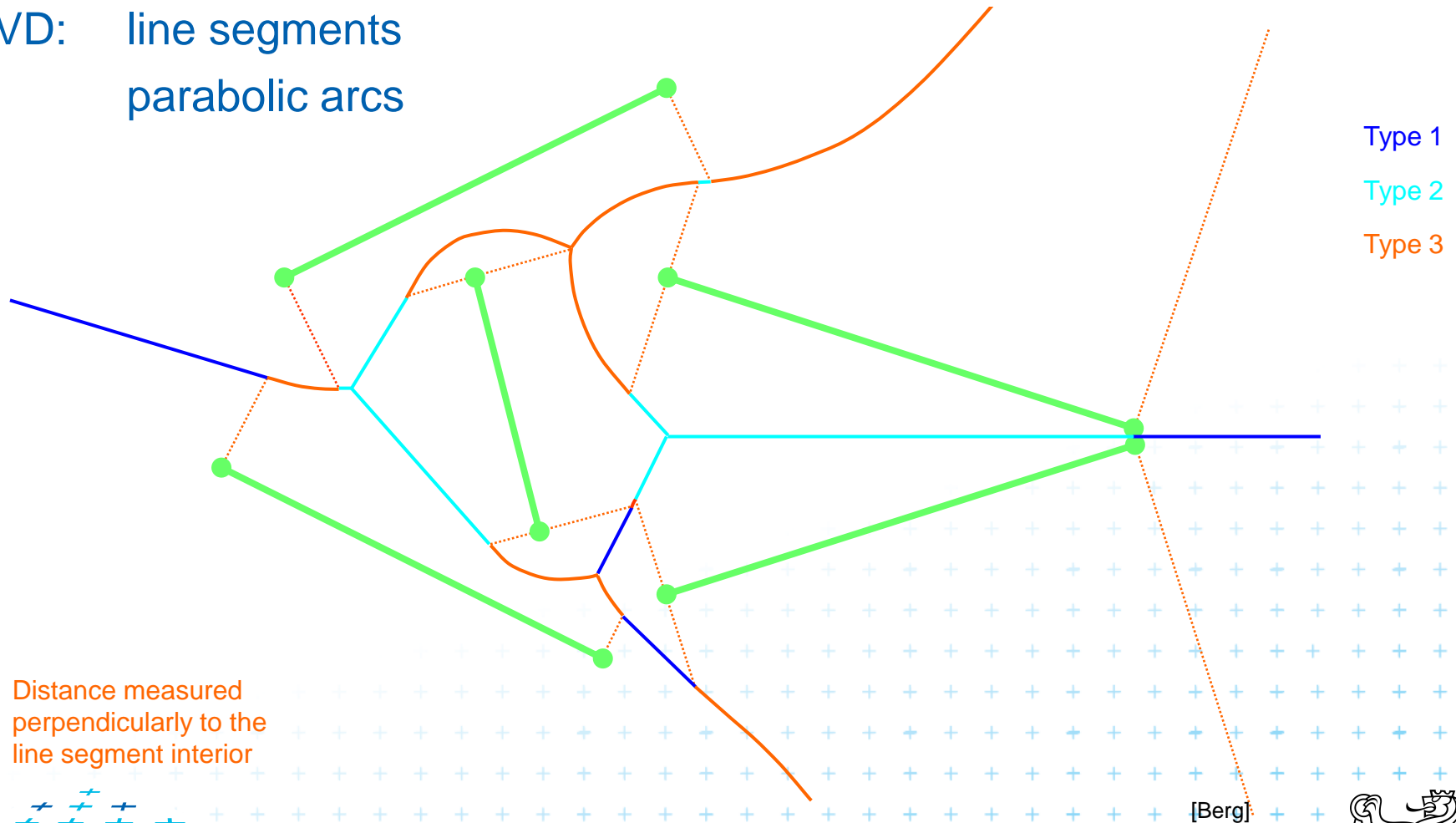
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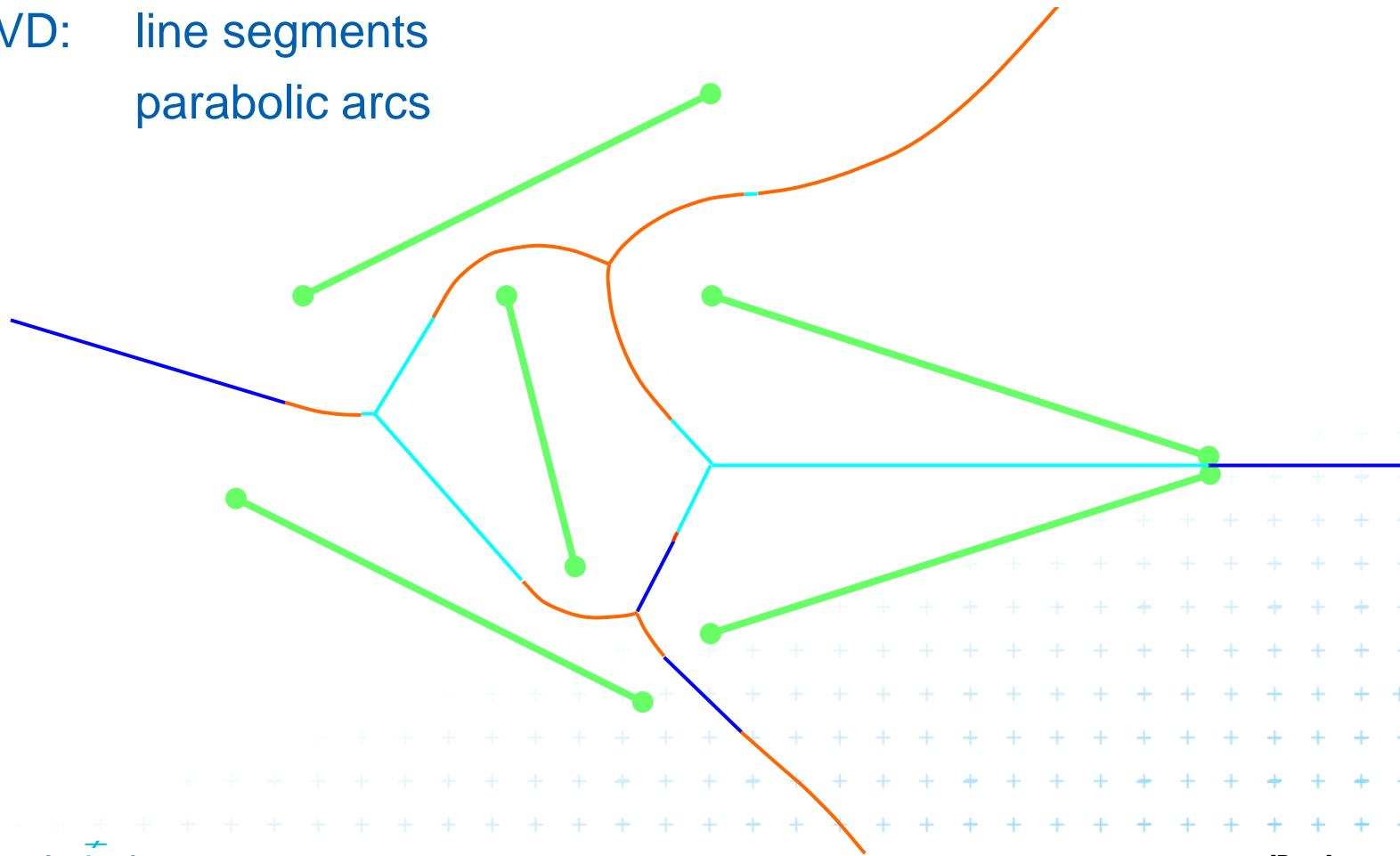
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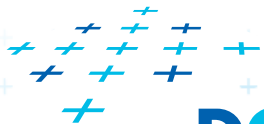
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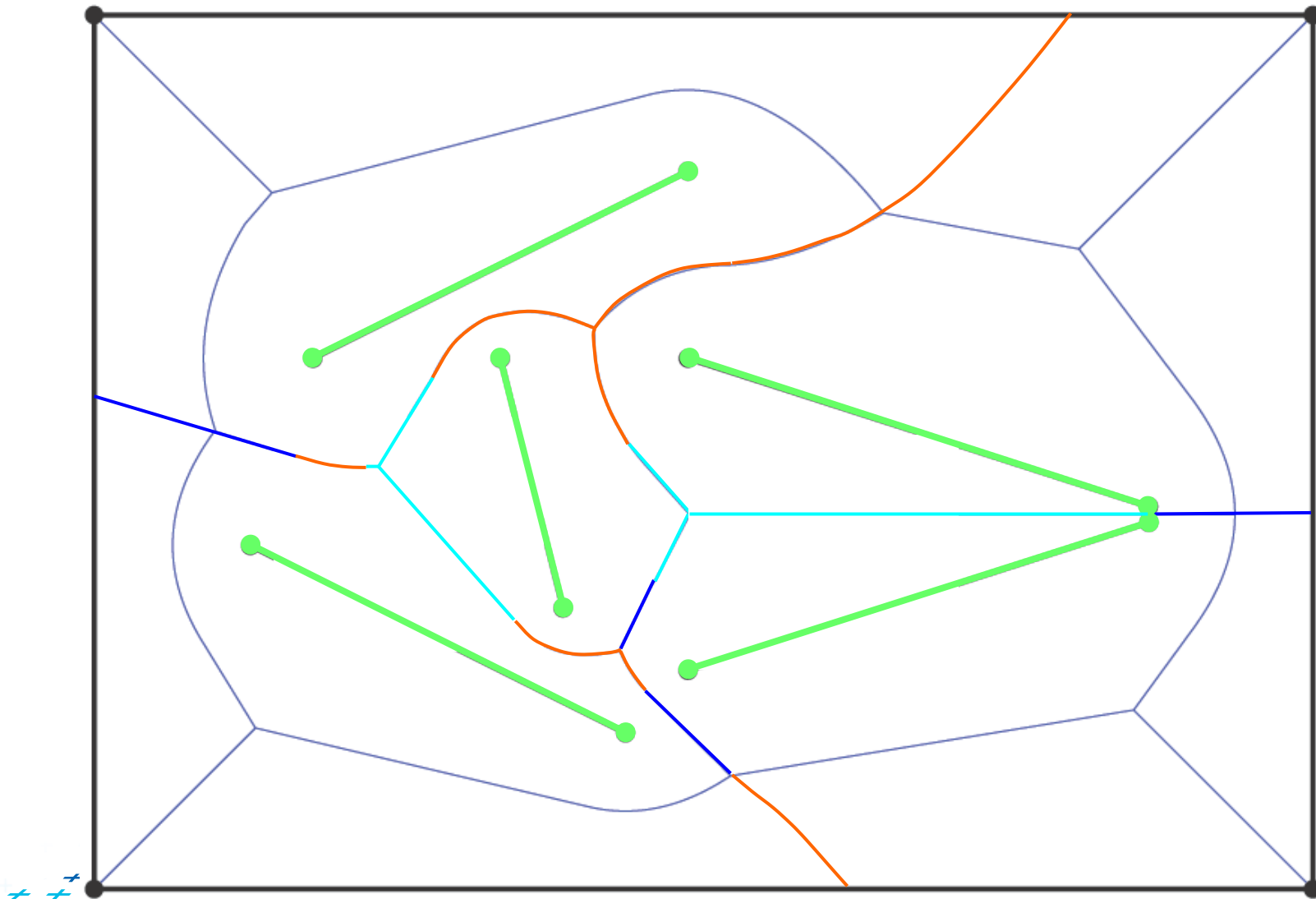
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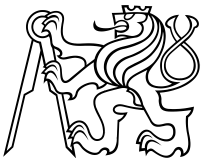
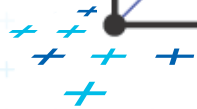
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VD of line segments with bounding box



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VD of 2 line-segments in detail

VD consists of line segments and parabolic arcs

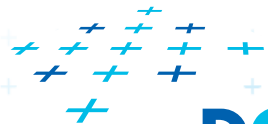
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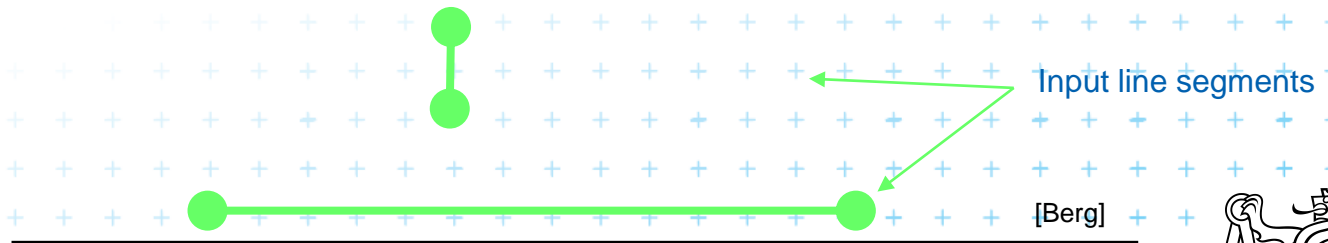
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Felkel: Computational geometry

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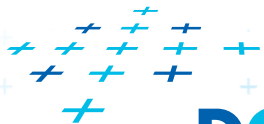
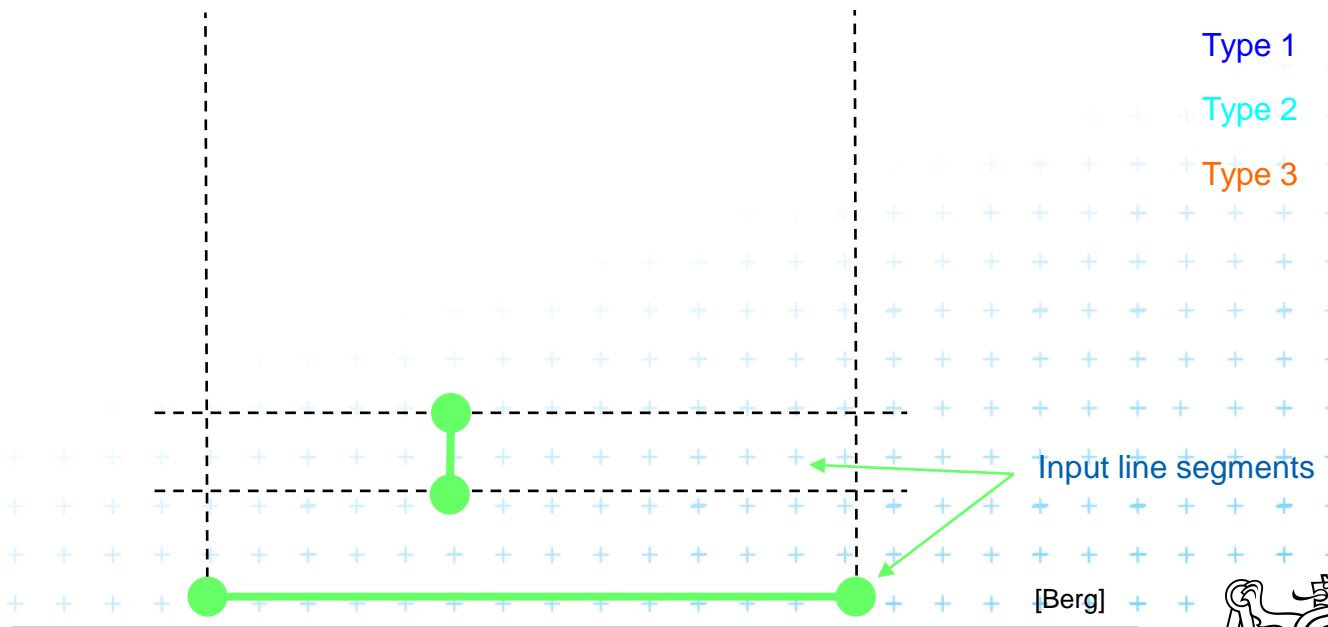


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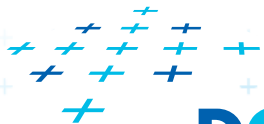
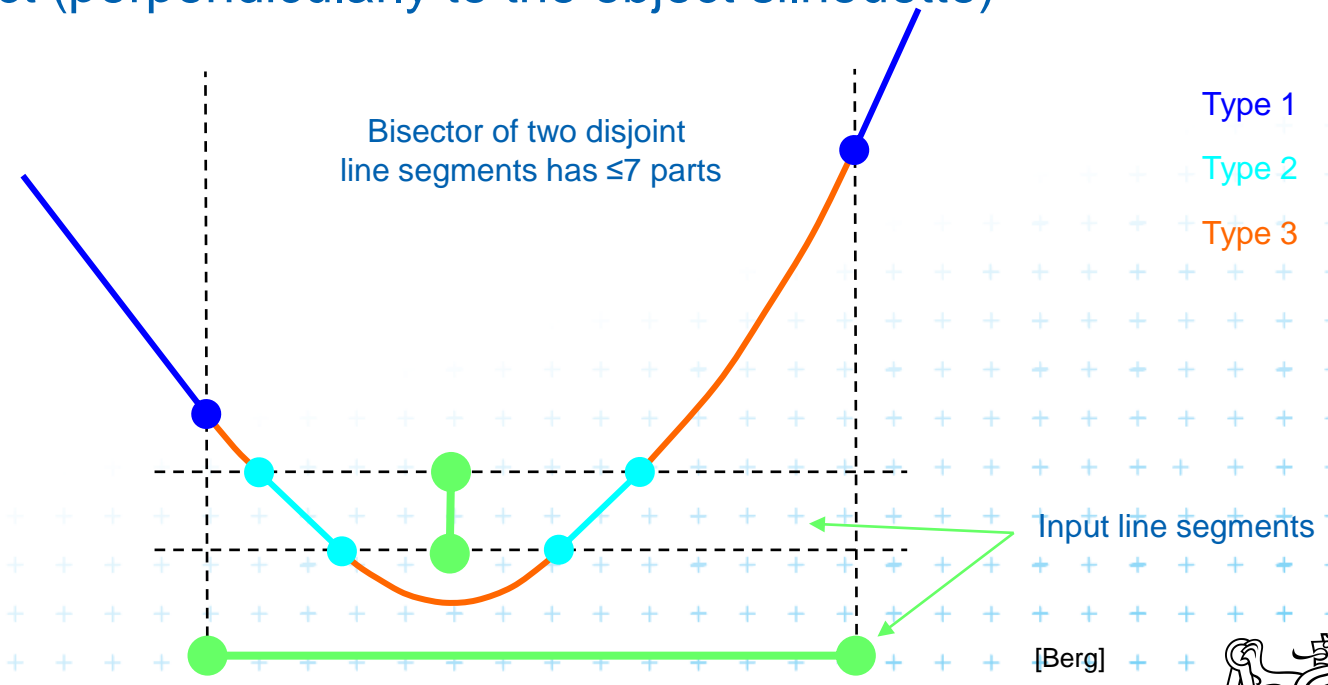


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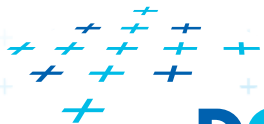
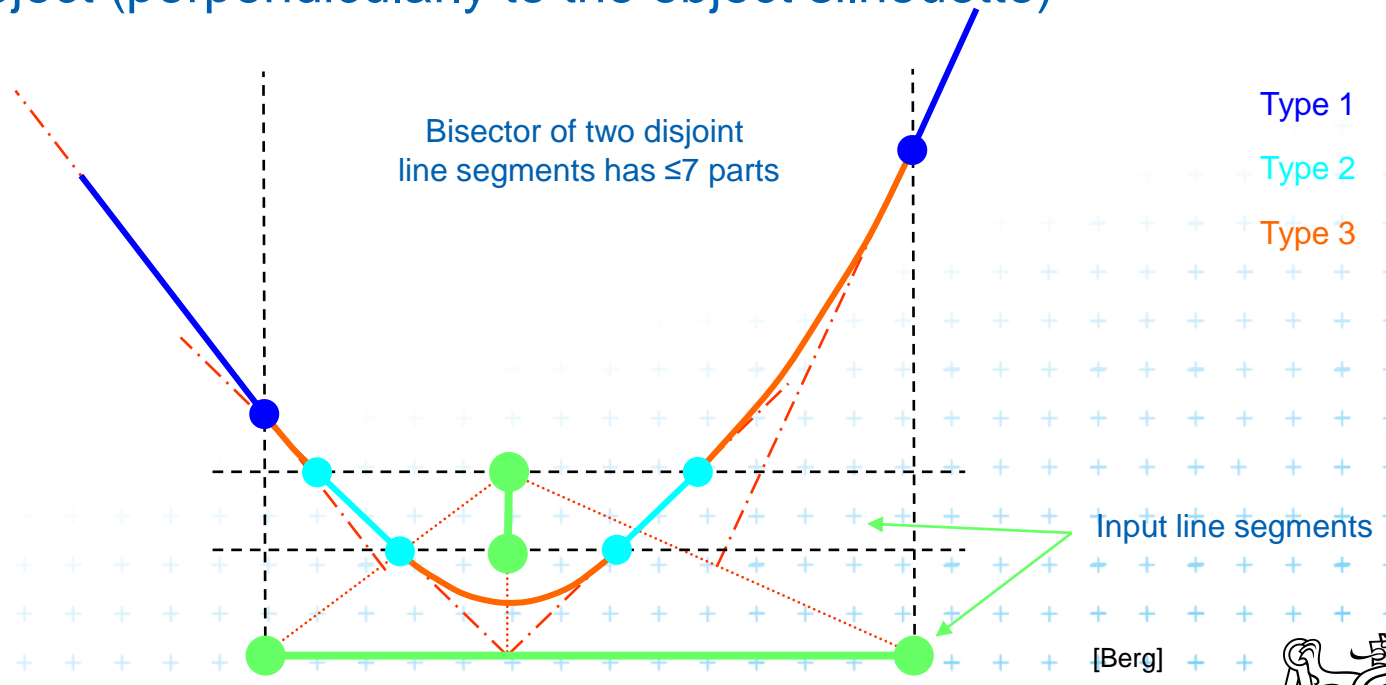


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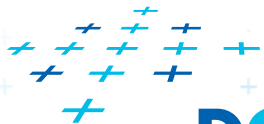
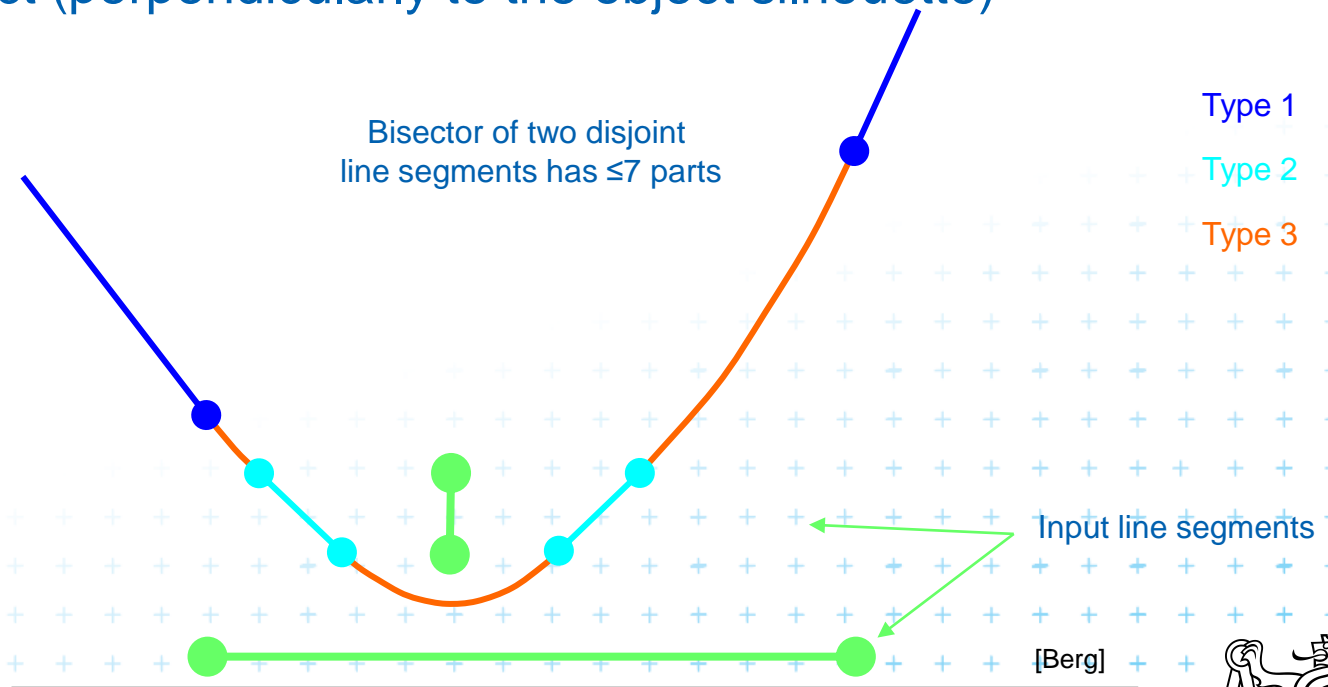


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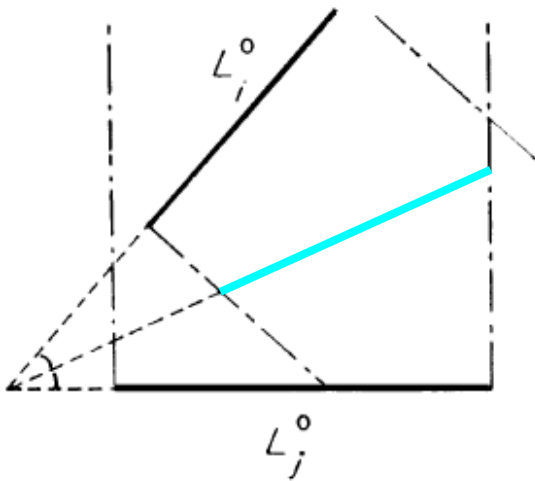
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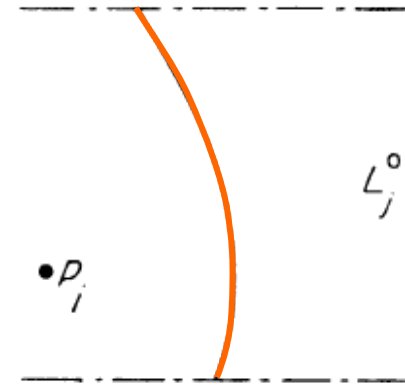


VD in greater details

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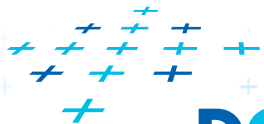


[Reiberg]

Bisector of two
line segment interiors

(in intersection of perpendicular slabs only)

Bisector of (end-)point and
line segment interior

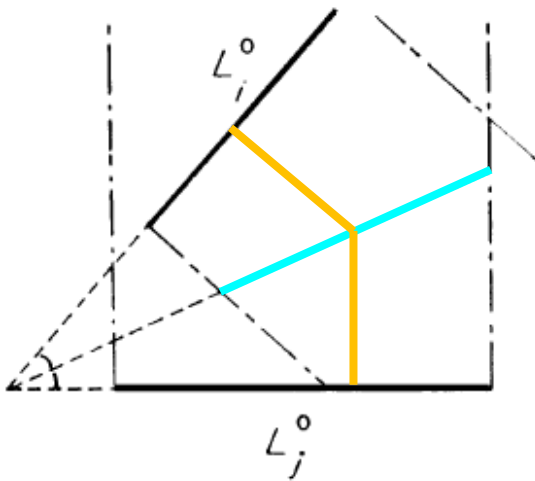


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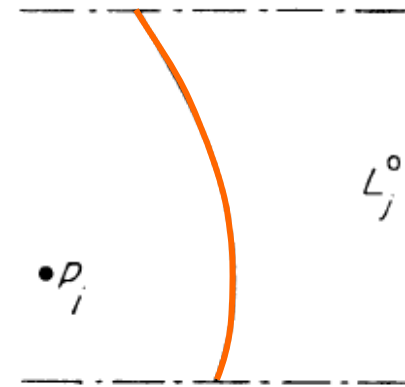


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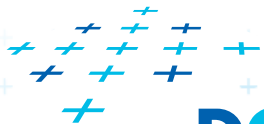


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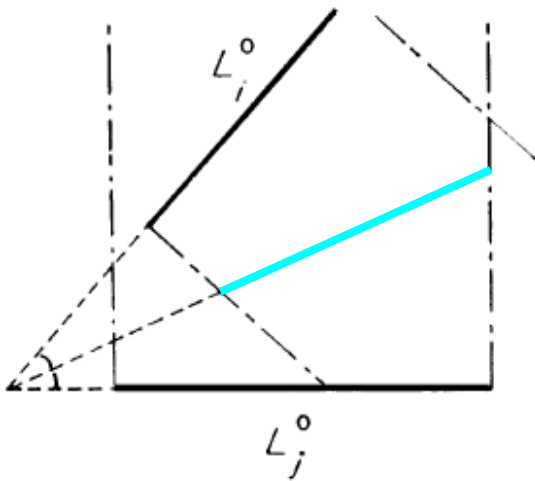


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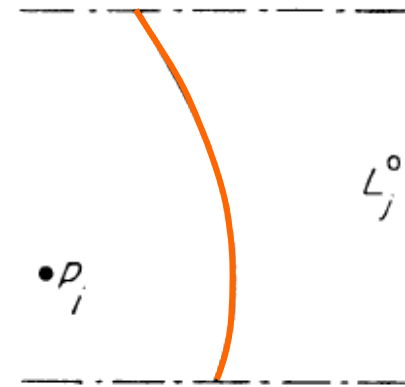


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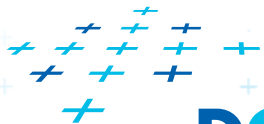


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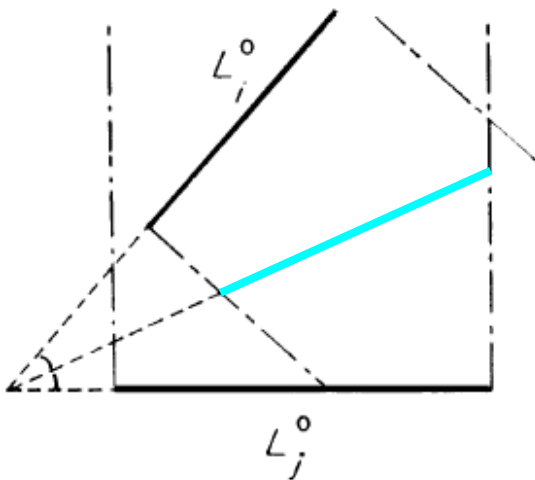


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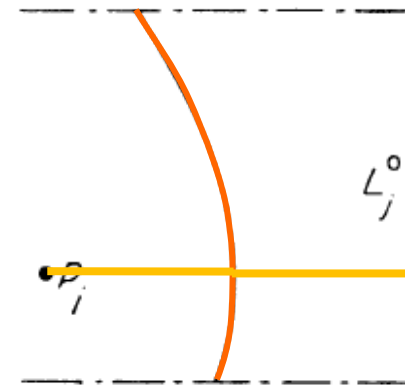


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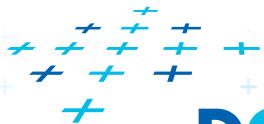


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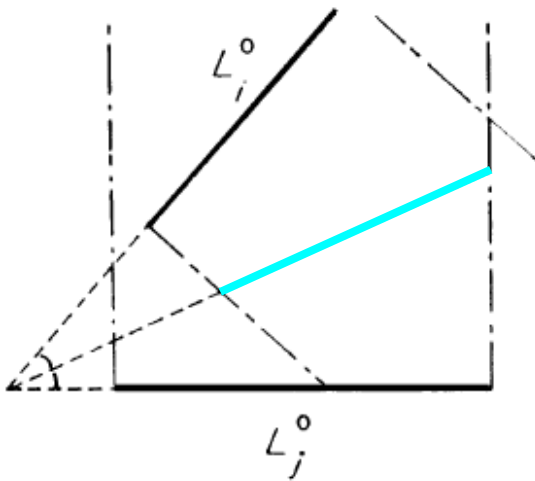


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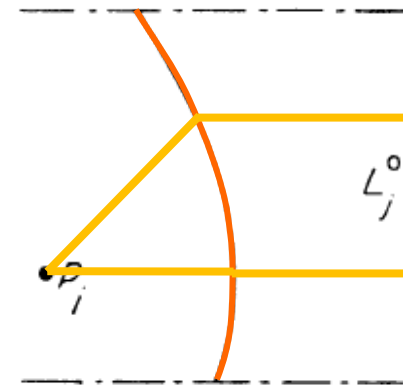


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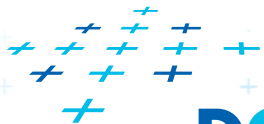


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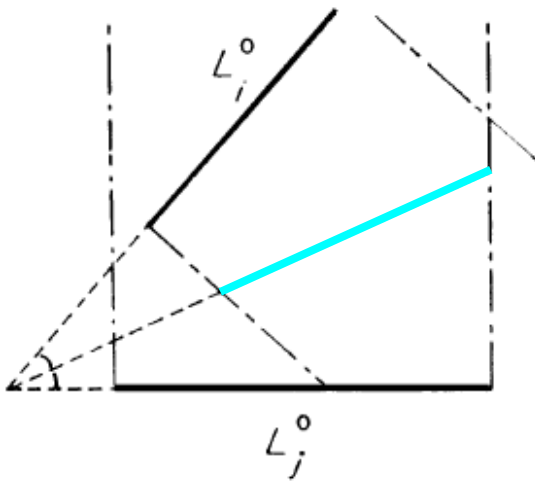


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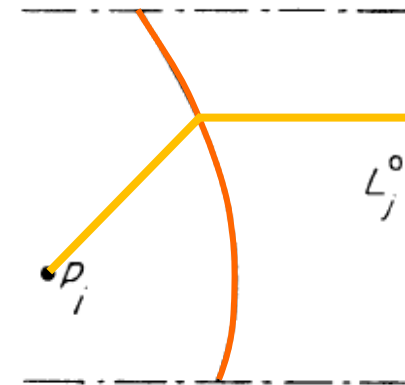


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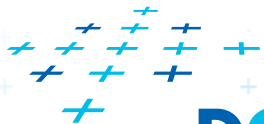


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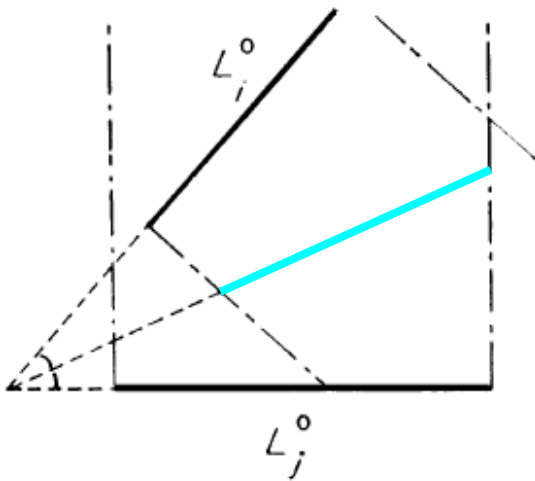


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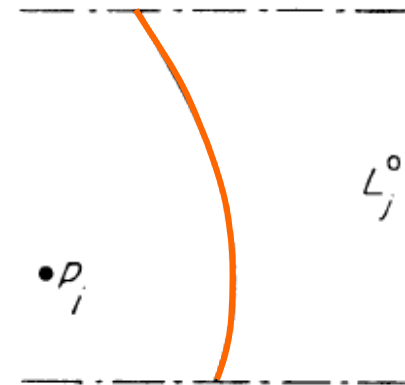


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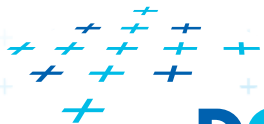


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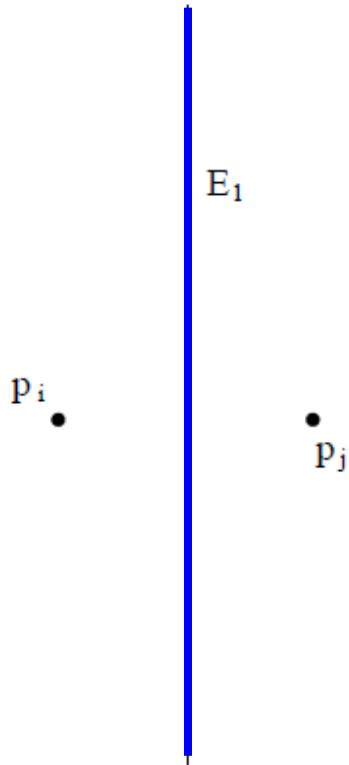


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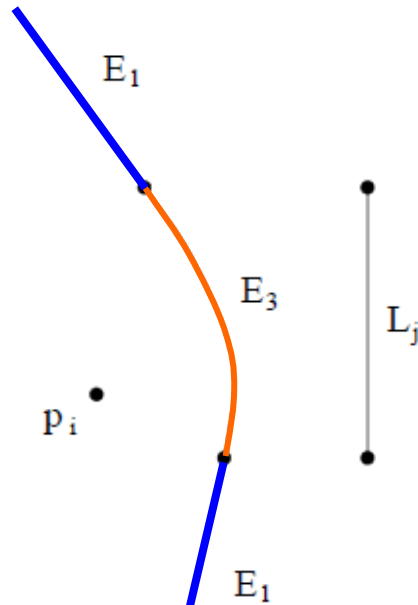
VD of points and line segments examples

2 points



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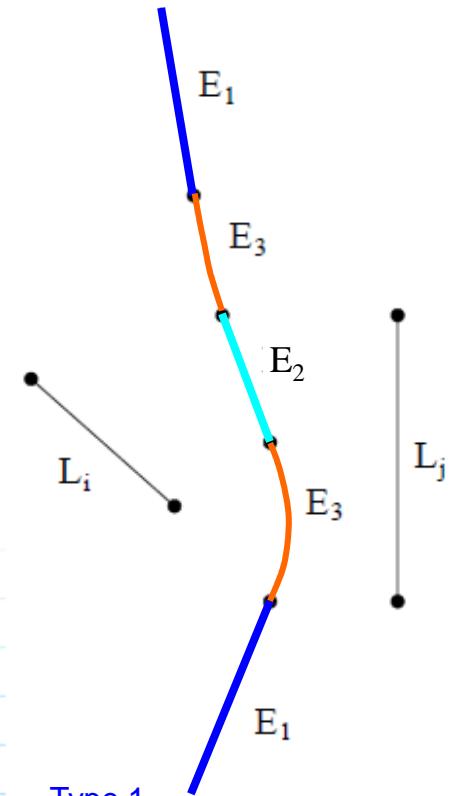
Point & segment



Type 1

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2 line segments

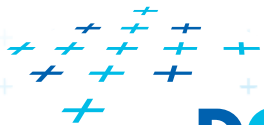


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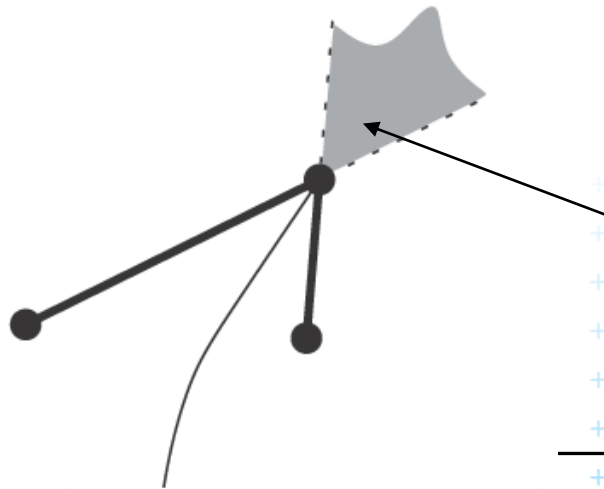
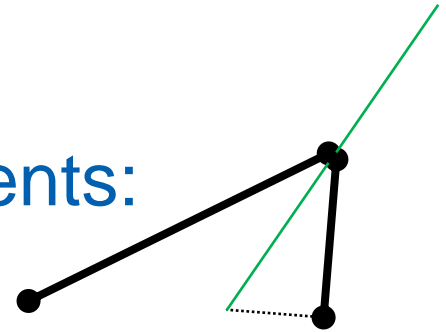


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Voronoi diagram of line segments

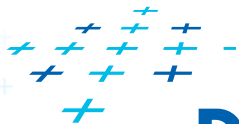
- Has more complex bisectors of line segments
 - VD contains line segments and parabolic arcs
- Still $O(n)$ combinatorial complexity
- Assumptions on the input line segments:
 - non-crossing
 - strictly disjoint end-points (slightly shorten the segm.)



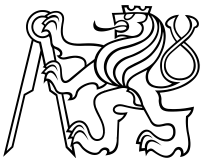
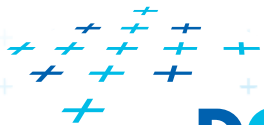
if (we allow touching segments)

Shared endpoints cause complication:

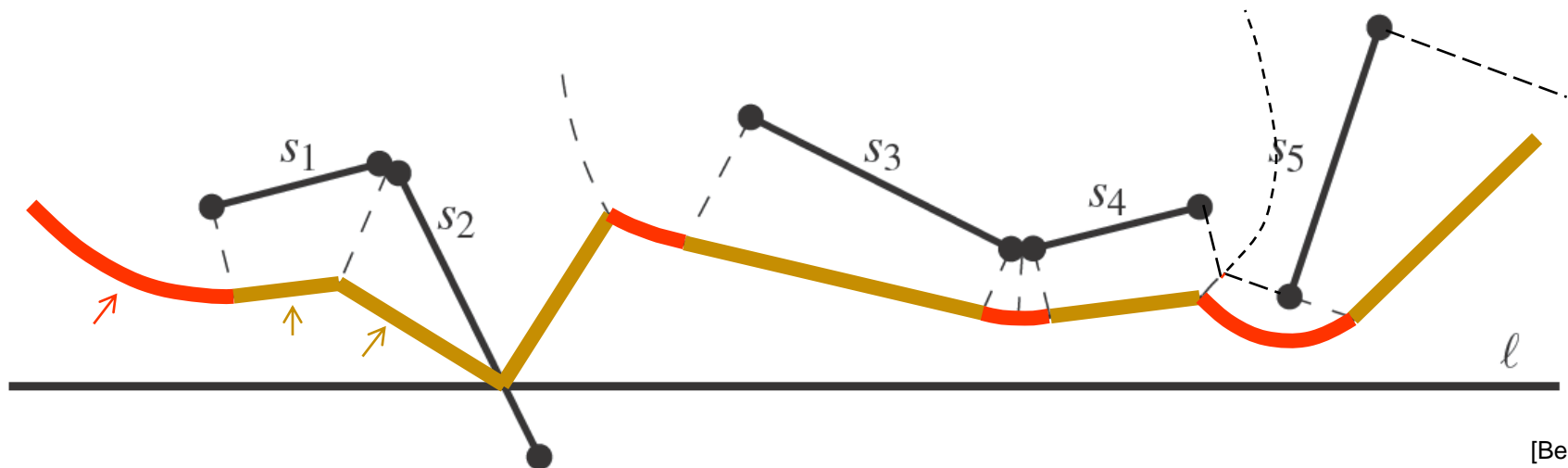
The whole region is equally close to two line segments



Fortune's algorithm for line segments



Shape of beach line for line segments



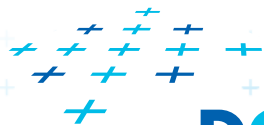
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Beach line = points with distance to the closest site above sweep line l equal to the distance to l

Beach line contains

- *parabolic arcs* when closest to a site end-point
- *straight line segments* when closest to a site interior (or just the part of the site interior above l if the site s intersects l)

(This is the shape of the beach line)



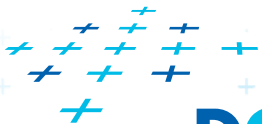
Beach line breakpoints types

site = line segment

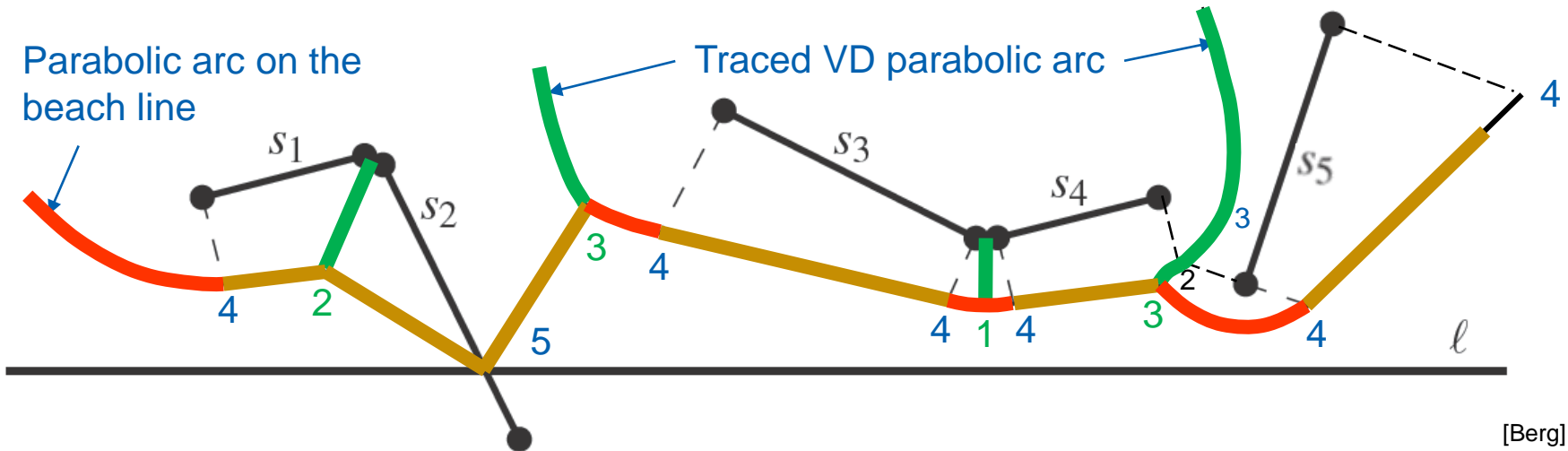
Breakpoint p on the beach line is equidistant from l and equidistant and closest to:

- | | | |
|----------|--|---|
| points | 1. two site end-points | => p traces a VD line segment |
| segments | 2. two site interiors | => p traces a VD line segment |
| | 3. end-point and interior | => p traces a VD parabolic arc |
| | 4. one site end-point | => p traces a line segment
(border of the slab
perpendicular to the site) |
| | 5. site interior intersects
the scan line l | => p = intersection, traces
the input line segment |

Cases 4 and 5 involve only one site and therefore do not form a Voronoi diagram edge (are used by alg. only)



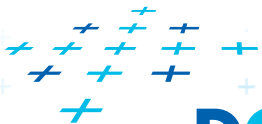
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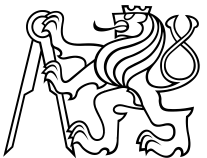
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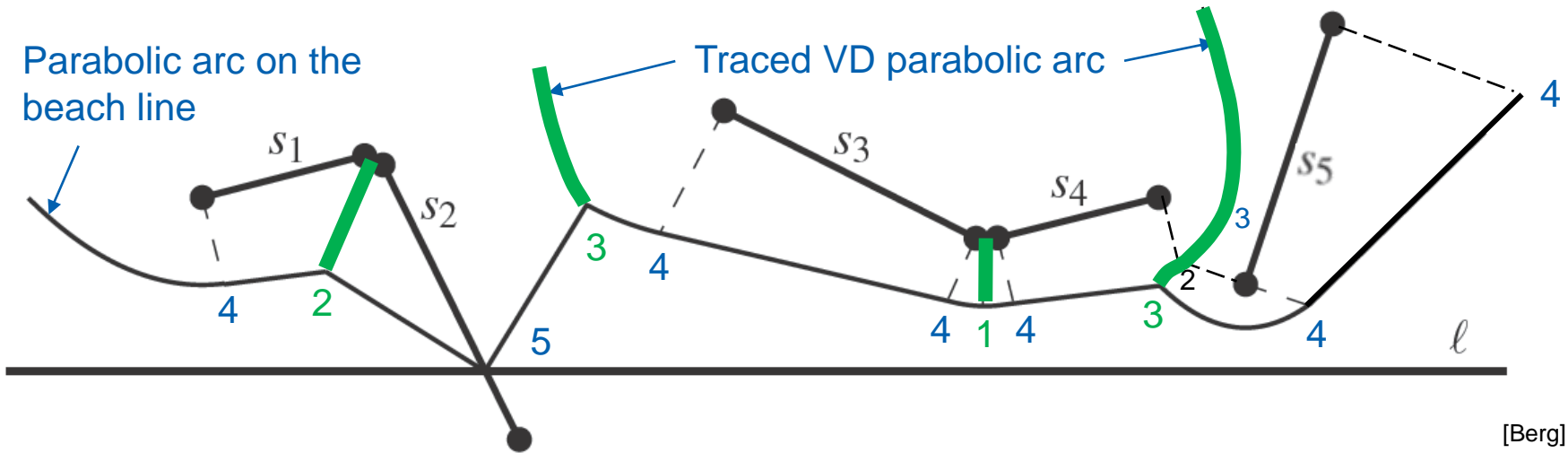
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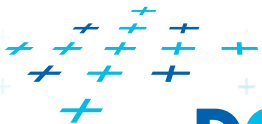


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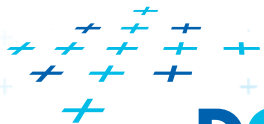
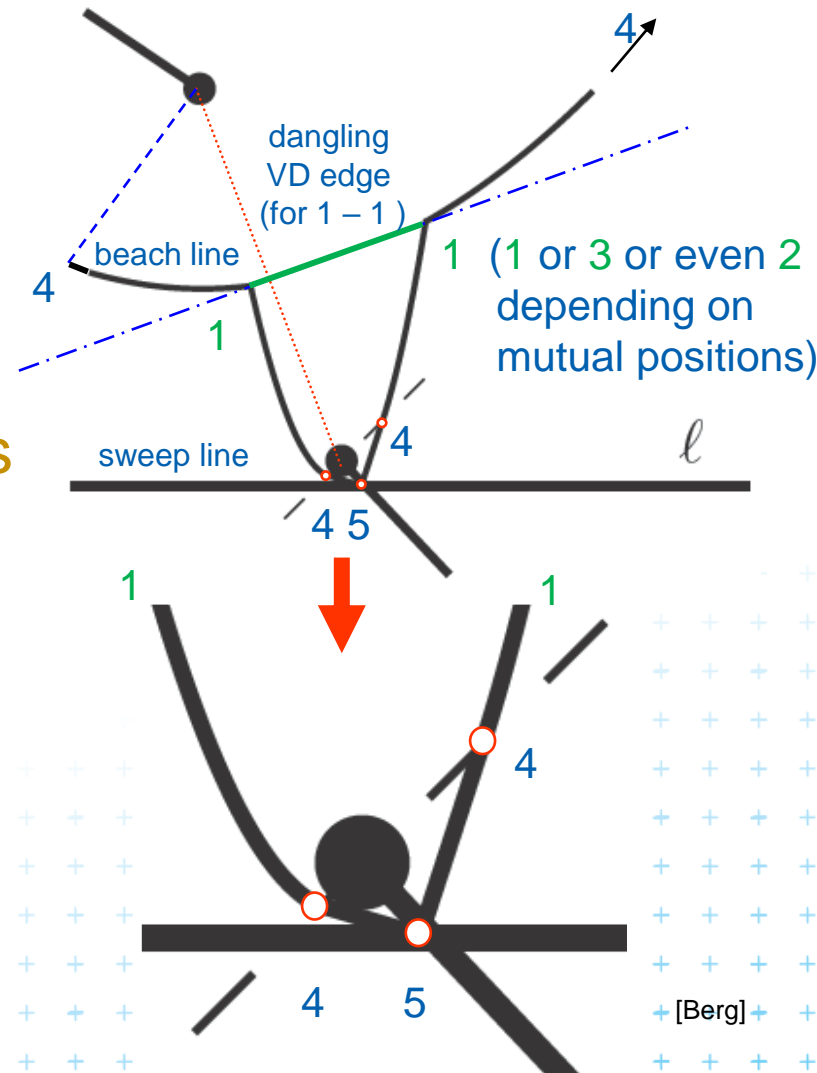
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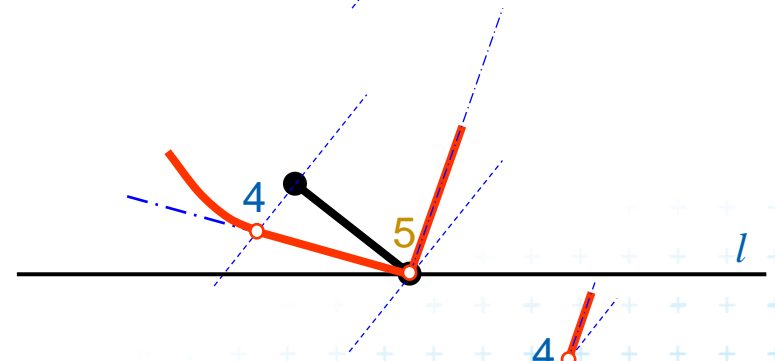
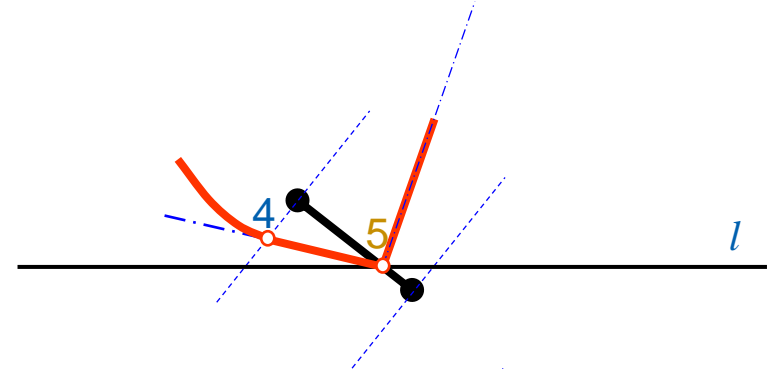
- I. At **upper endpoint** of 
- Arc above is split into two ¹⁻¹
 - four new arcs are created (2 segments + 2 parabolas) ^{4-5, 5-4} ^{1-4, 4-1}
 - Breakpoints for two **segments** are of type 4-5-4
 - Breakpoints for **parabolas** depend on the surrounding sites
 - Type 1 for two end-points
 - Type 3 for endpoint and interior
 - etc...



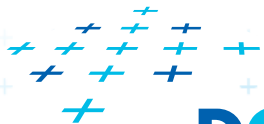
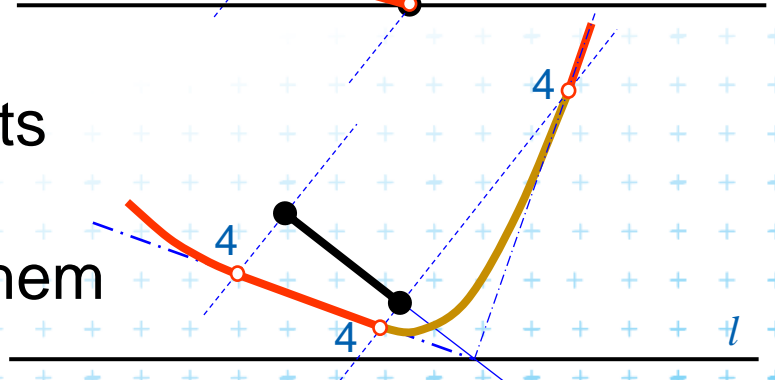
Site event – sweep line reaches an endpoint

II. At **lower endpoint** of 

- Intersection with interior
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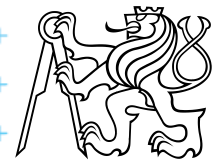


- is replaced by two breakpoints
(of type 4)
with **parabolic arc** between them

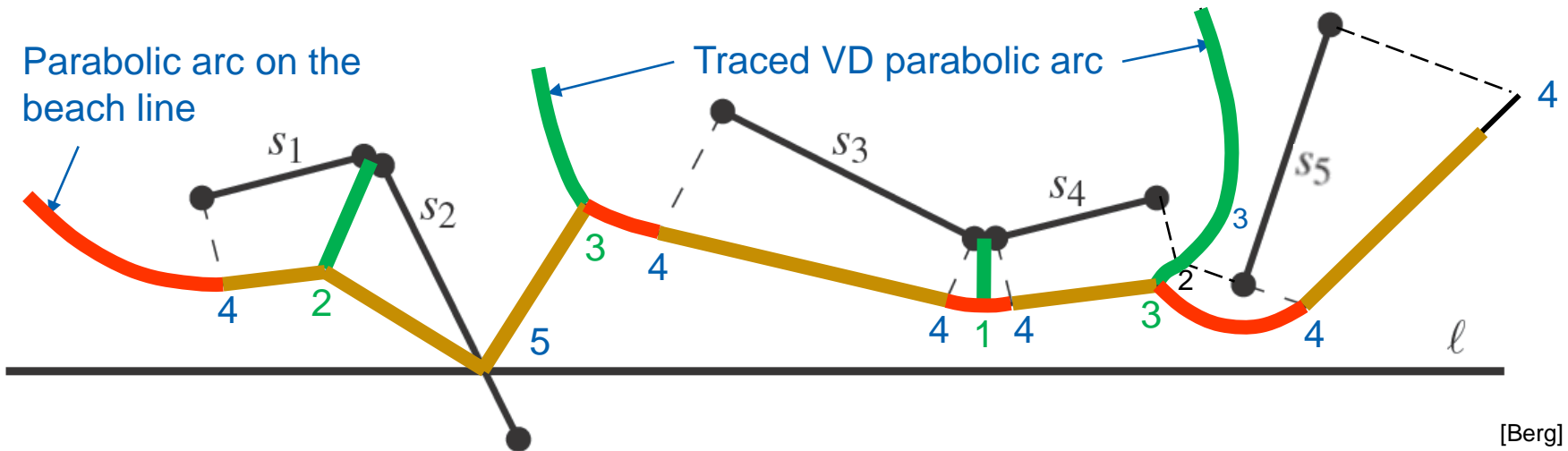


Circle event – lower point of circle of 3 sites

- Two breakpoints meet (on the beach-line)
- Solution depends on their type
 - Any of first three types (1,2,or 3) meet (circle event)
 - 3 sites involved – Voronoi vertex created
 - Type 4 (*segment interiors*) with something else
 - two sites involved – breakpoint changes its type
 - Voronoi vertex not created
(Voronoi edge may change its shape)
 - Type 5 (*on segment*) with something else
 - never happens for disjoint segments
(meet with type 4 happens before)



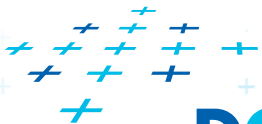
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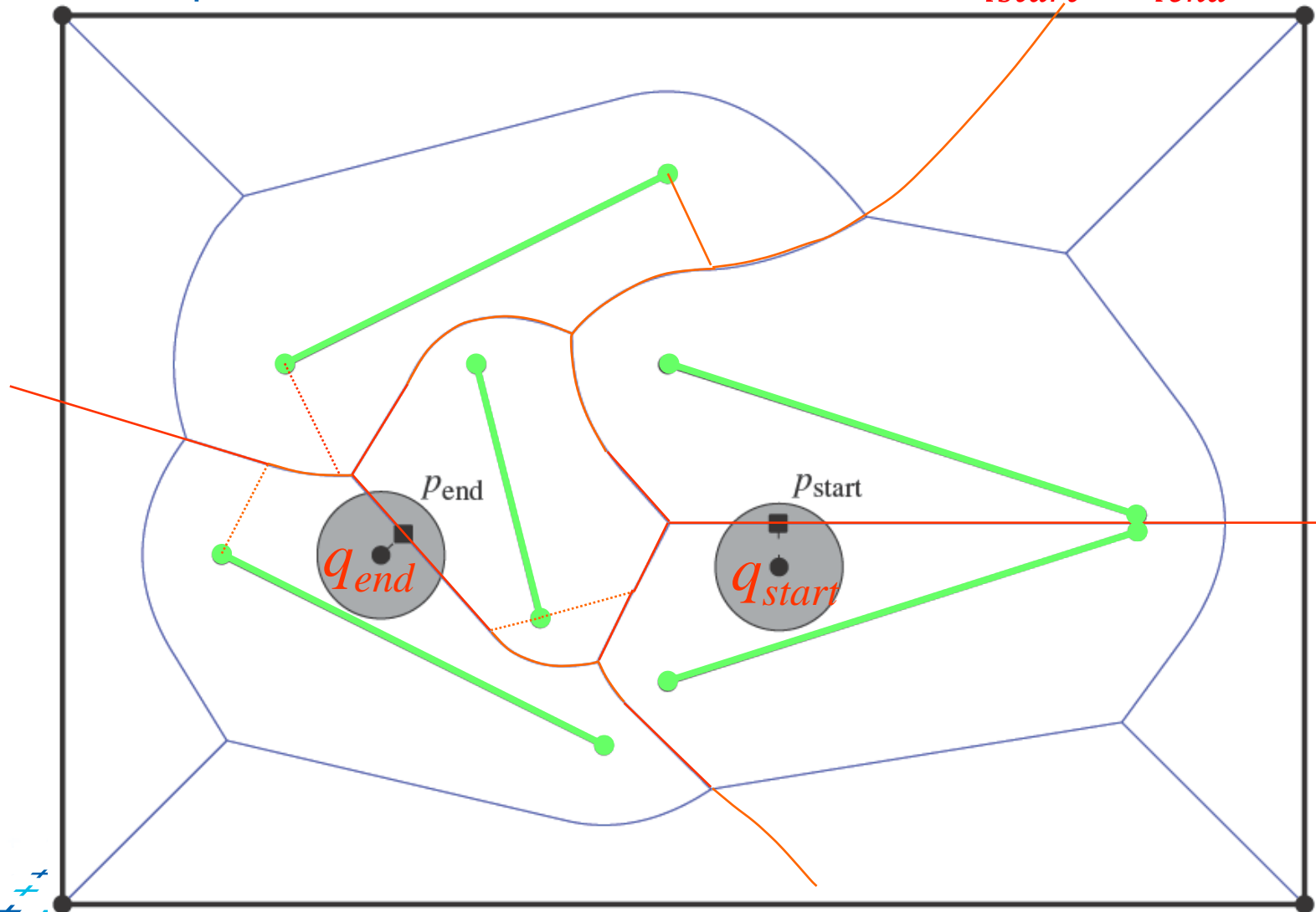
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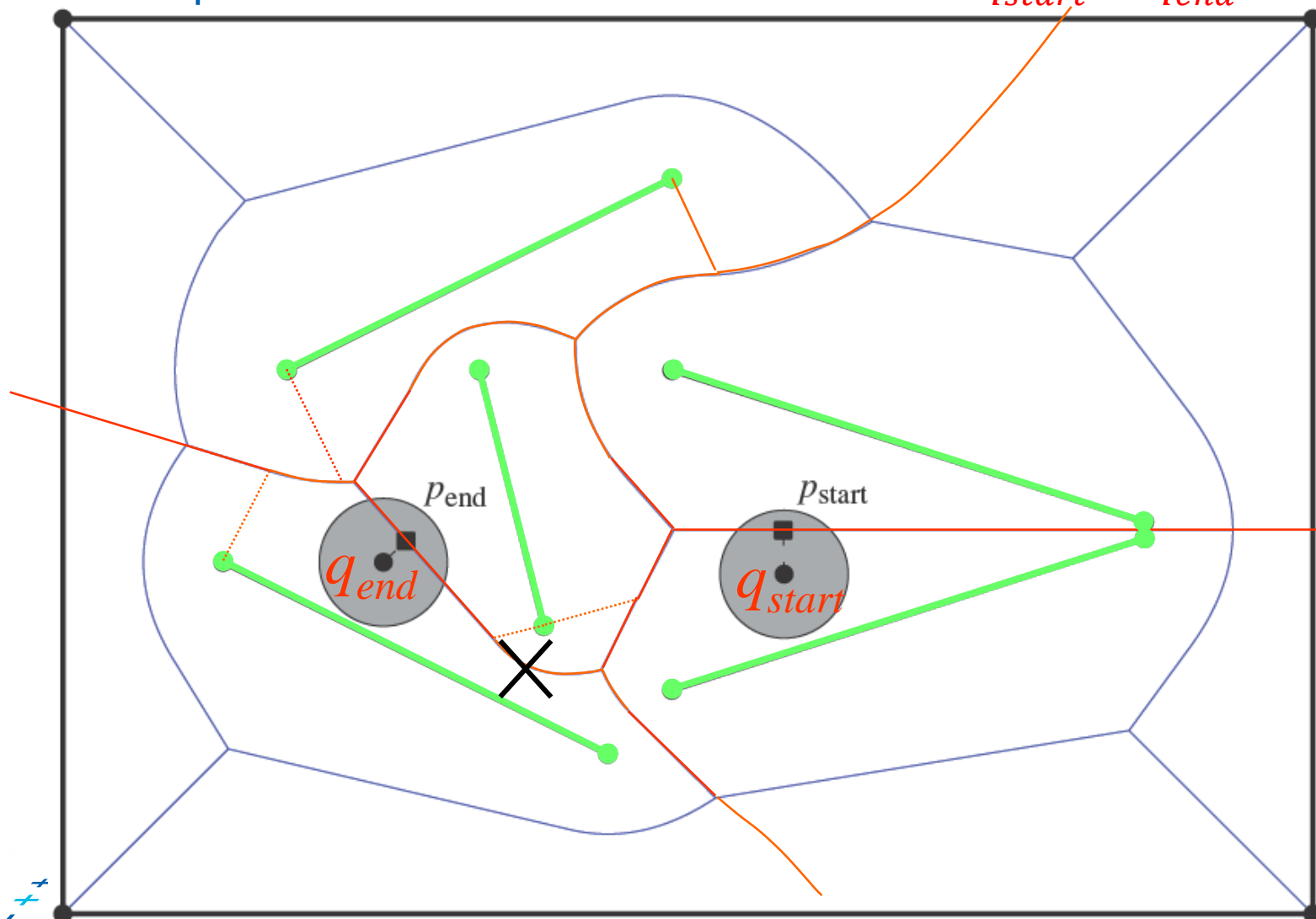
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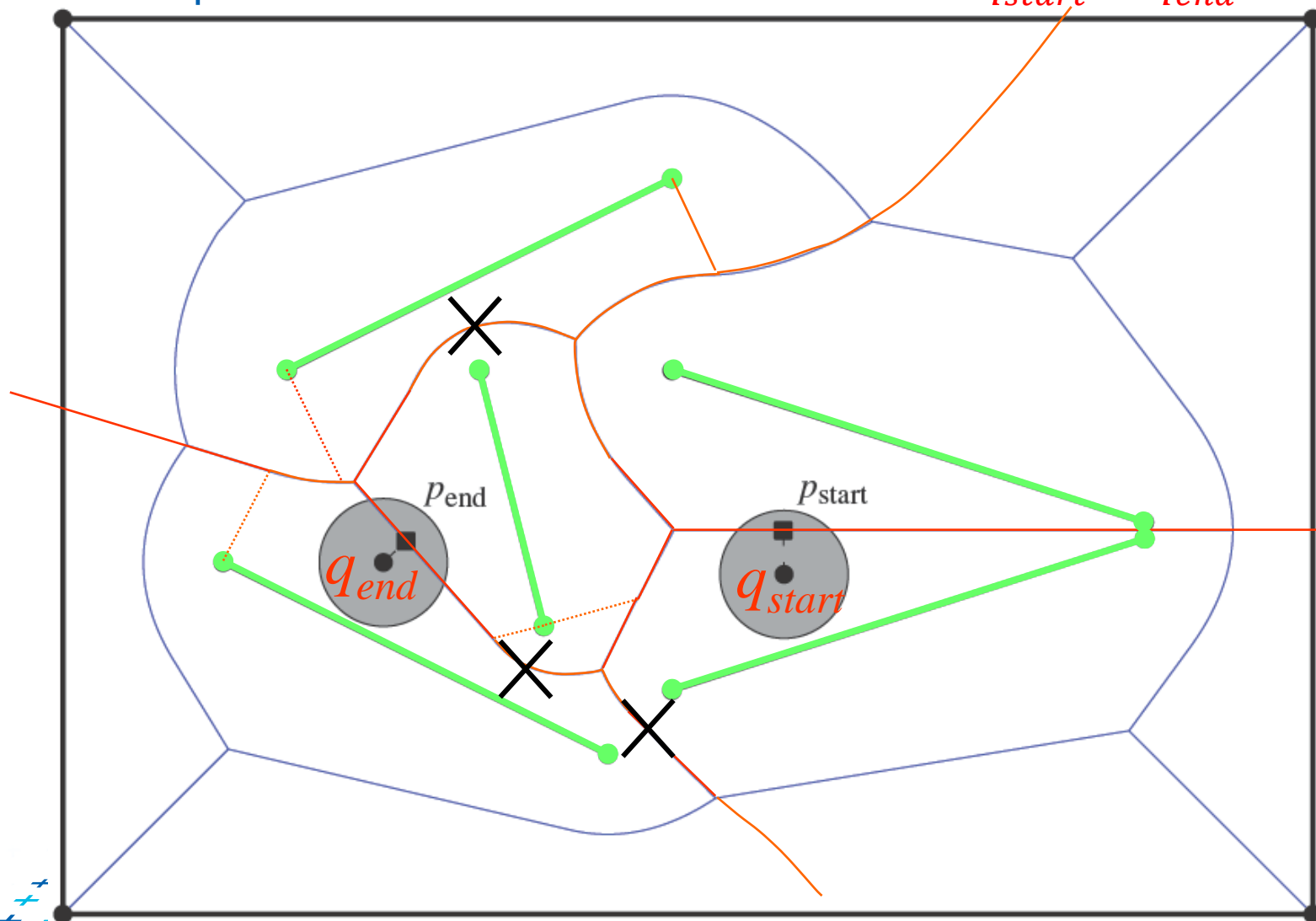
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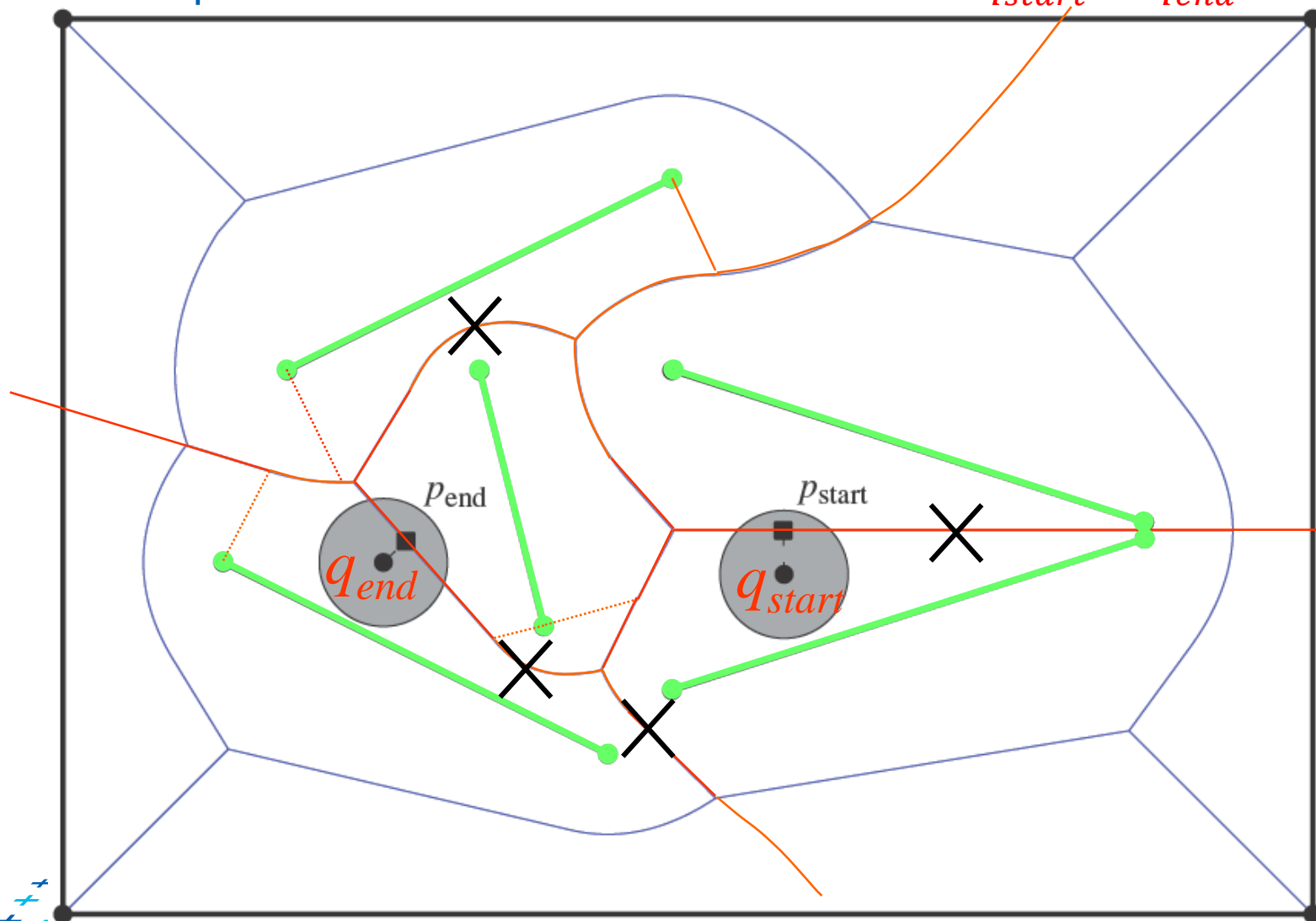
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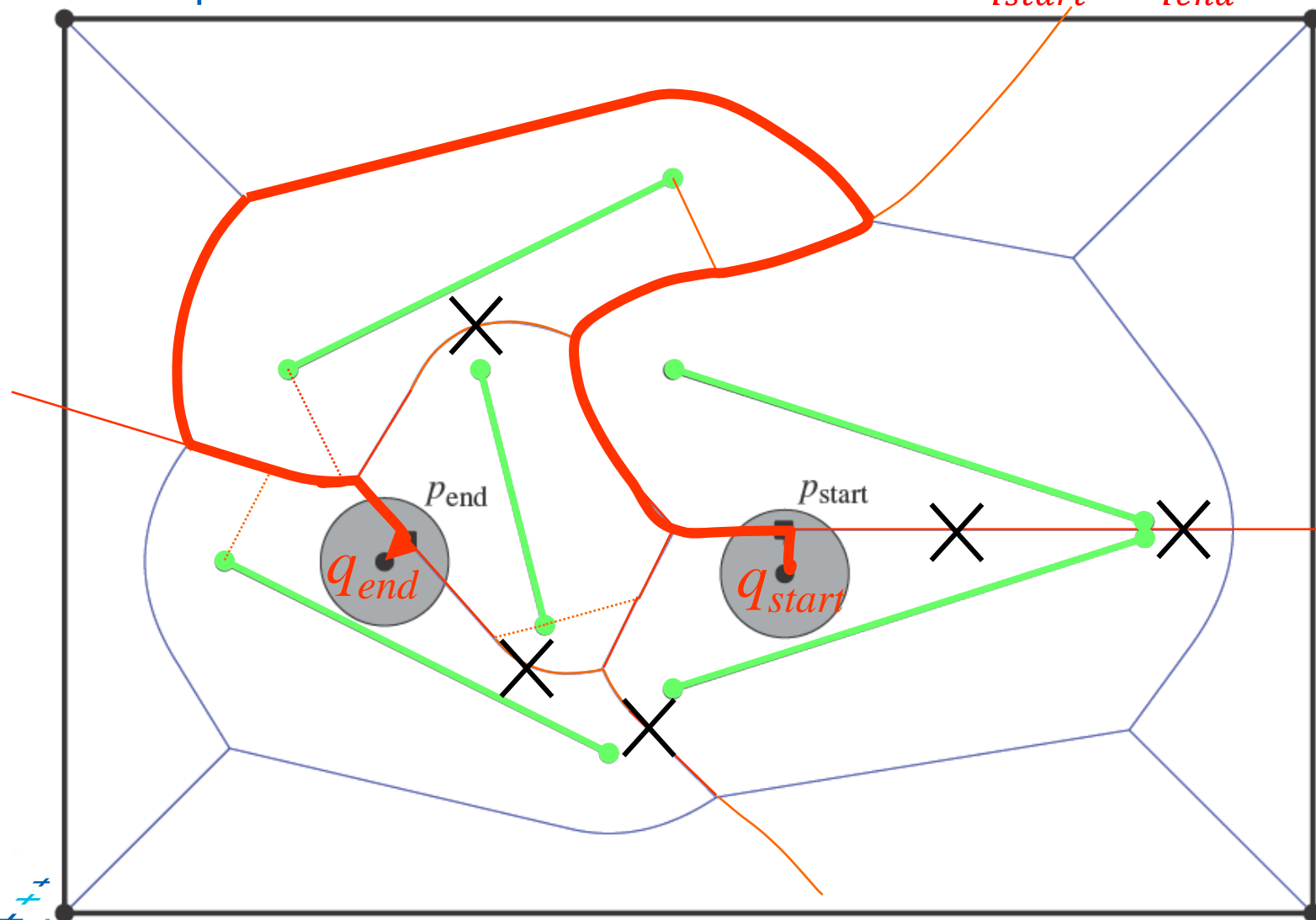
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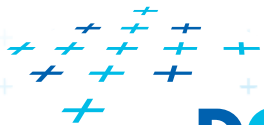
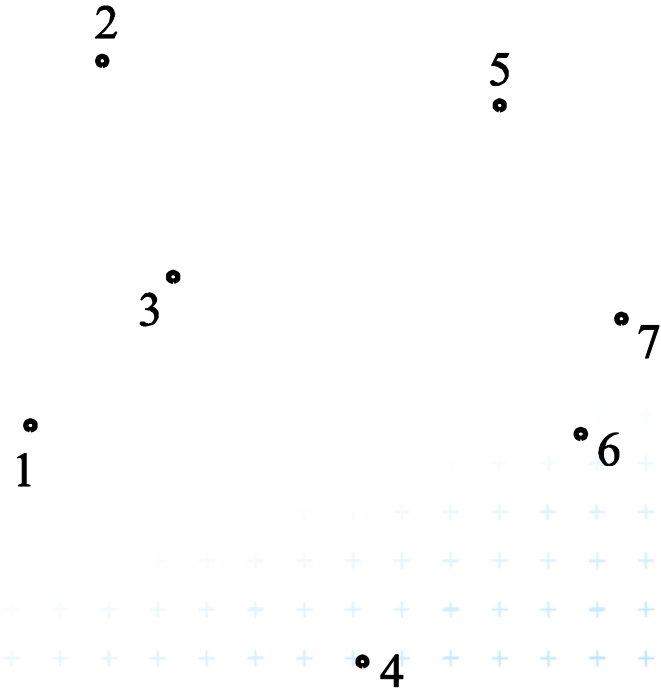
- Create Voronoi diagram of line segments, take it as a graph
- Project q_{start} and q_{end} to P_{start} and P_{end} on the VD
- Remove segments with distance to sites smaller than radius r of a robot
- Depth first search if path from P_{start} to P_{end} exists
- Report path $q_{start} P_{start} \dots path \dots P_{end} q_{end}$
- $O(n \log n)$ time using $O(n)$ storage



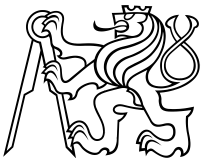
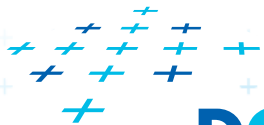
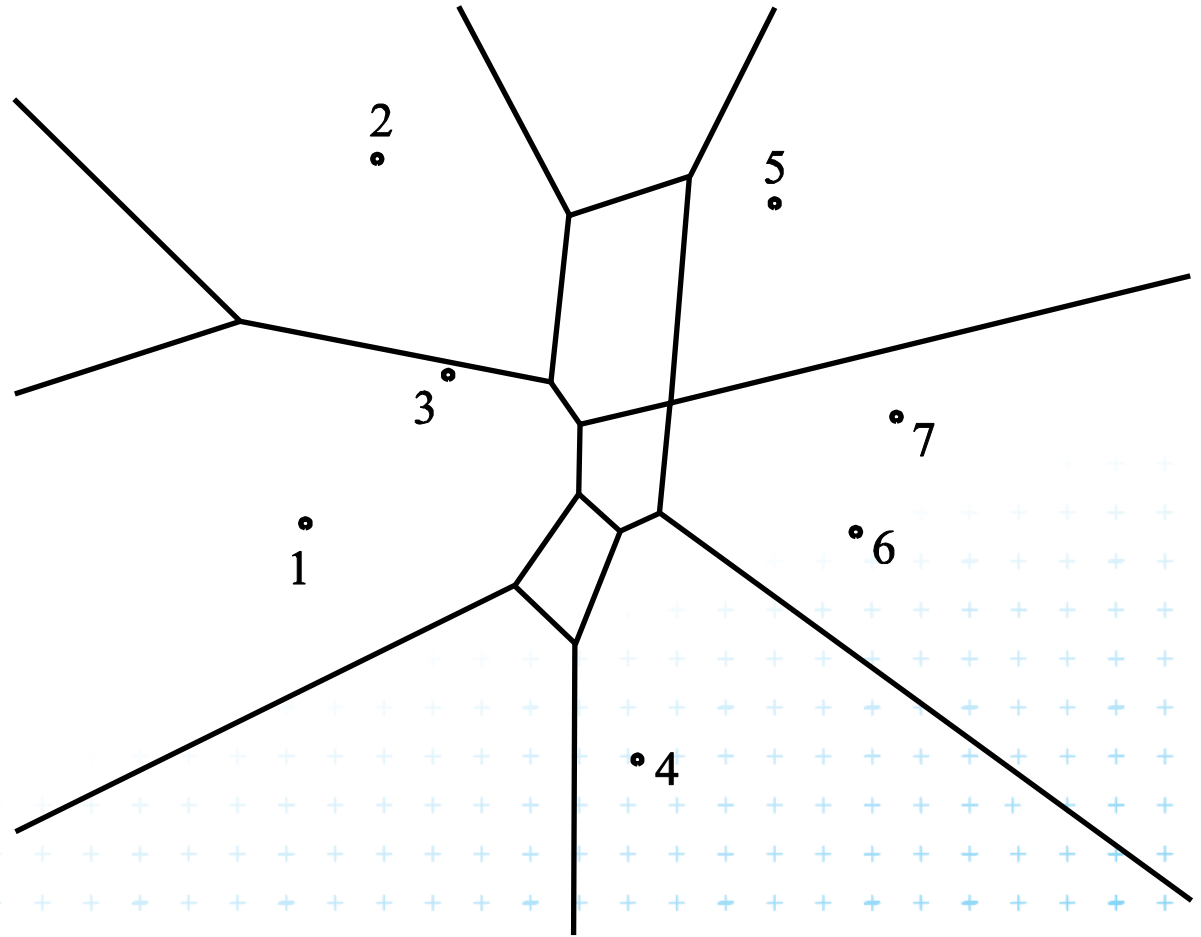
Higher order VD



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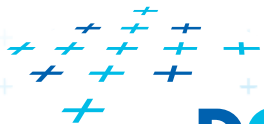
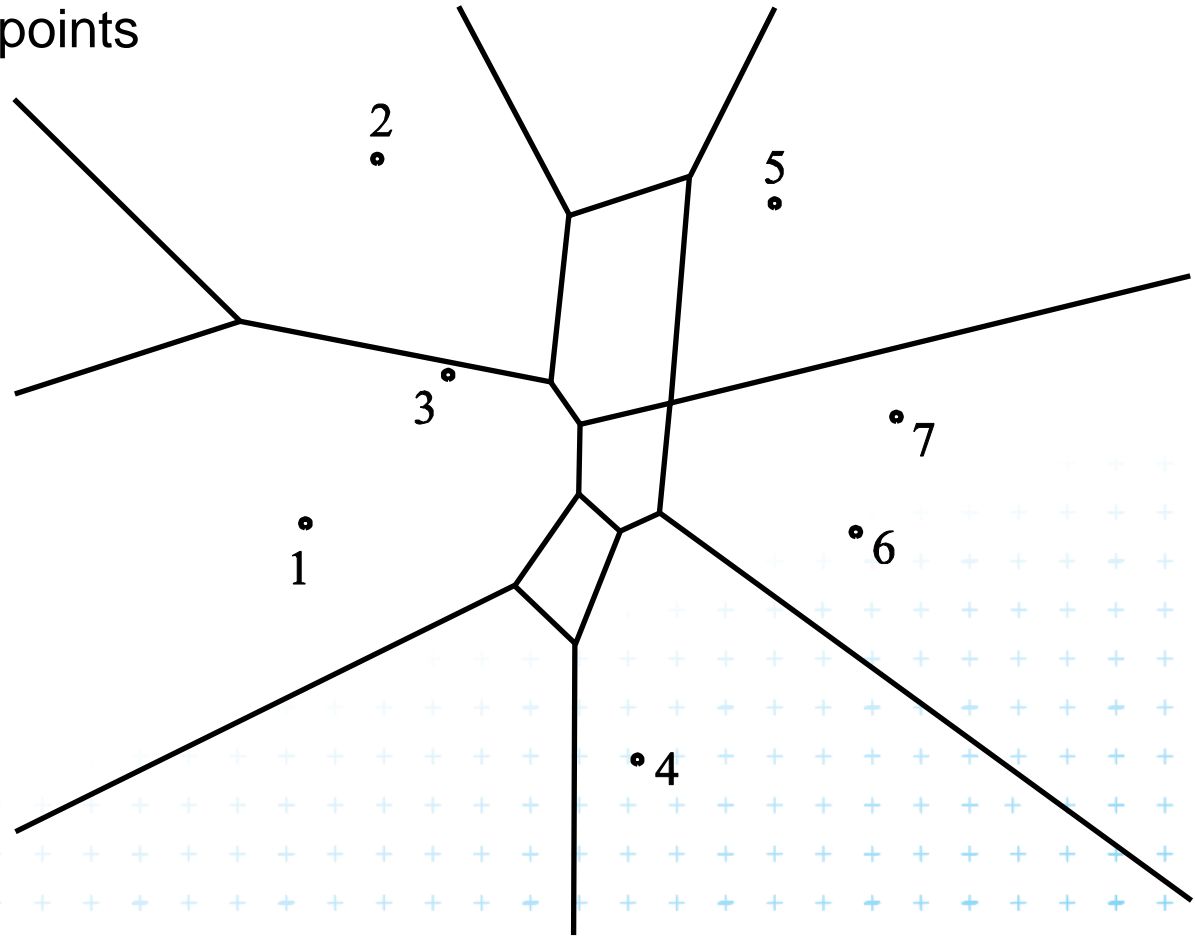


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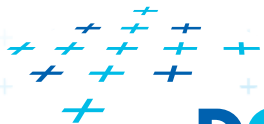
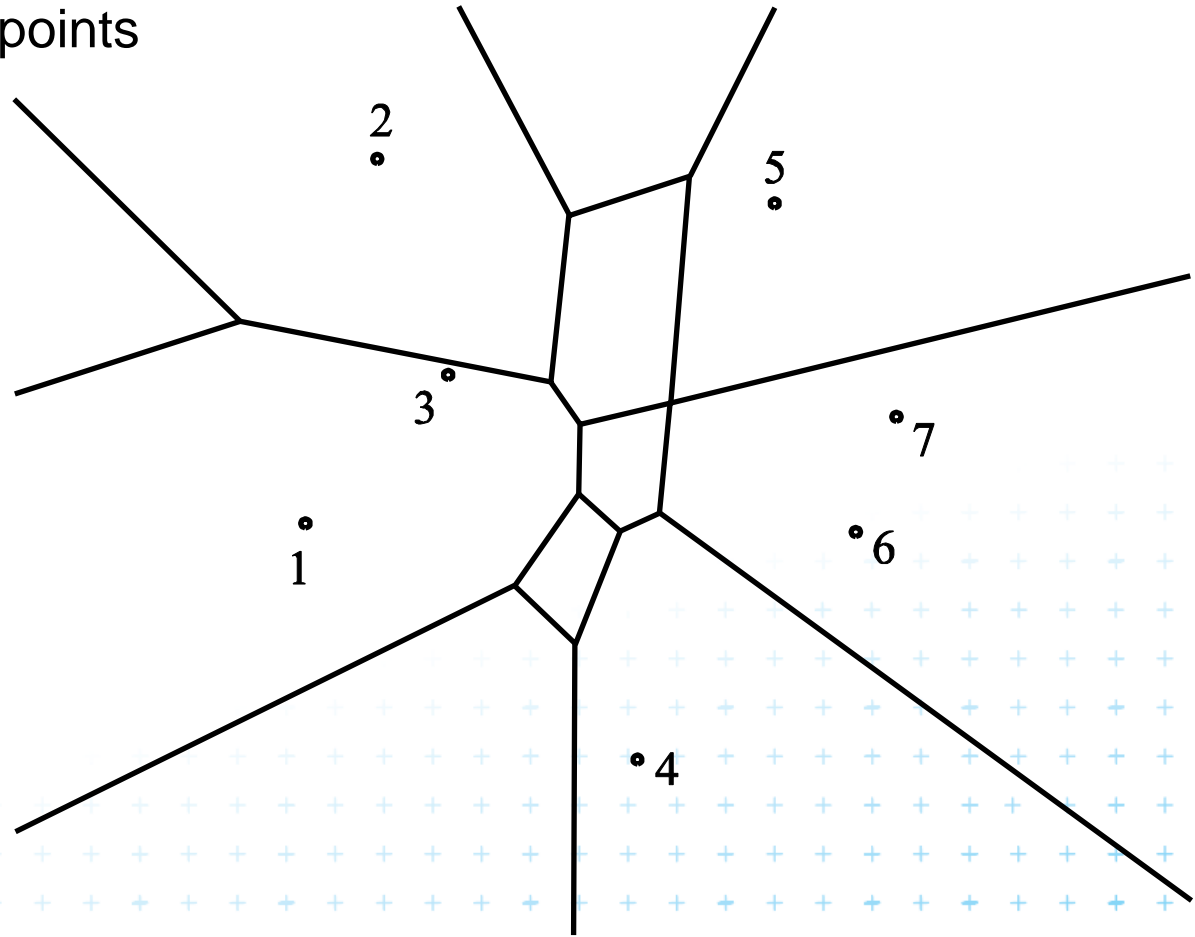


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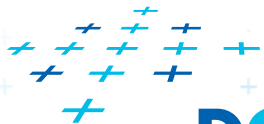
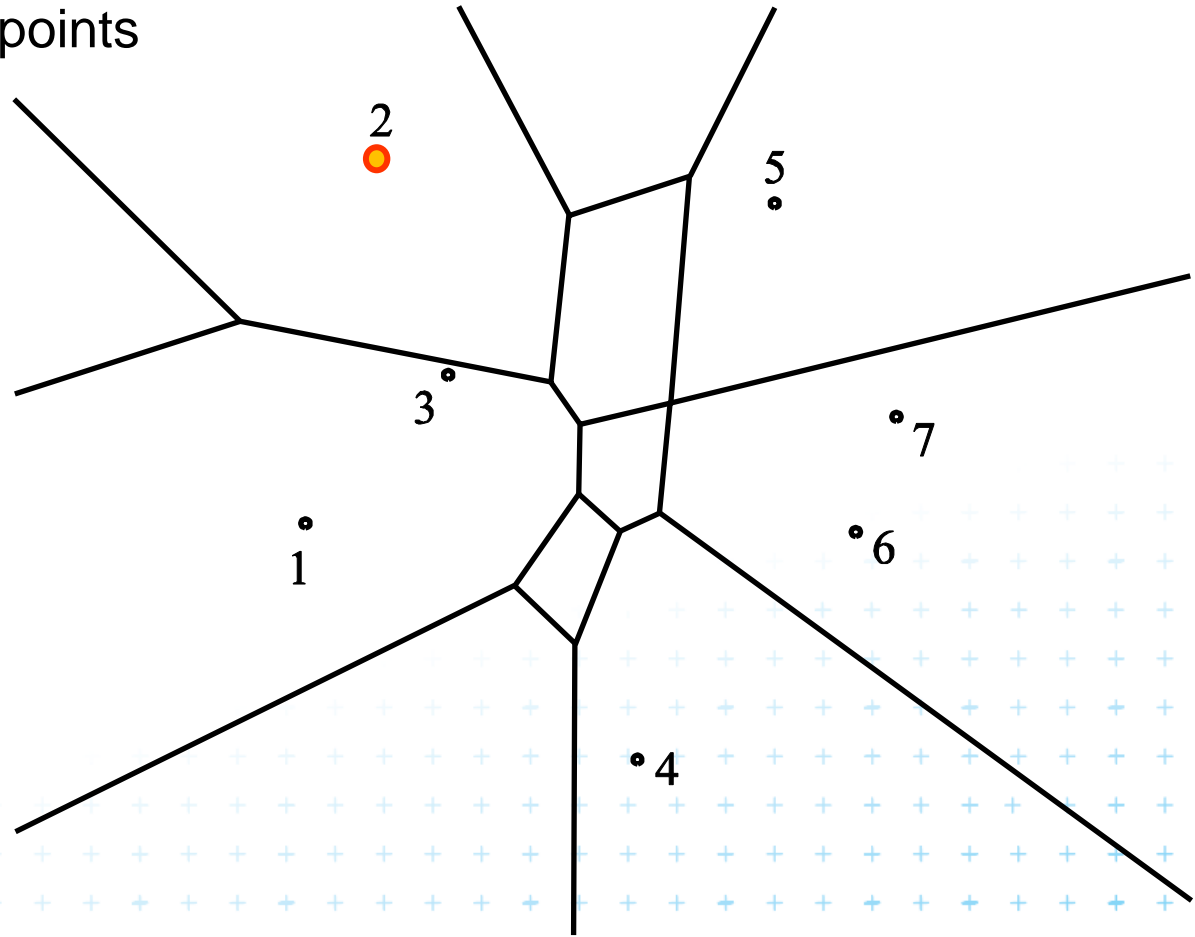


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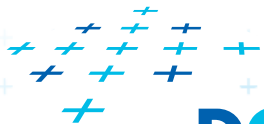
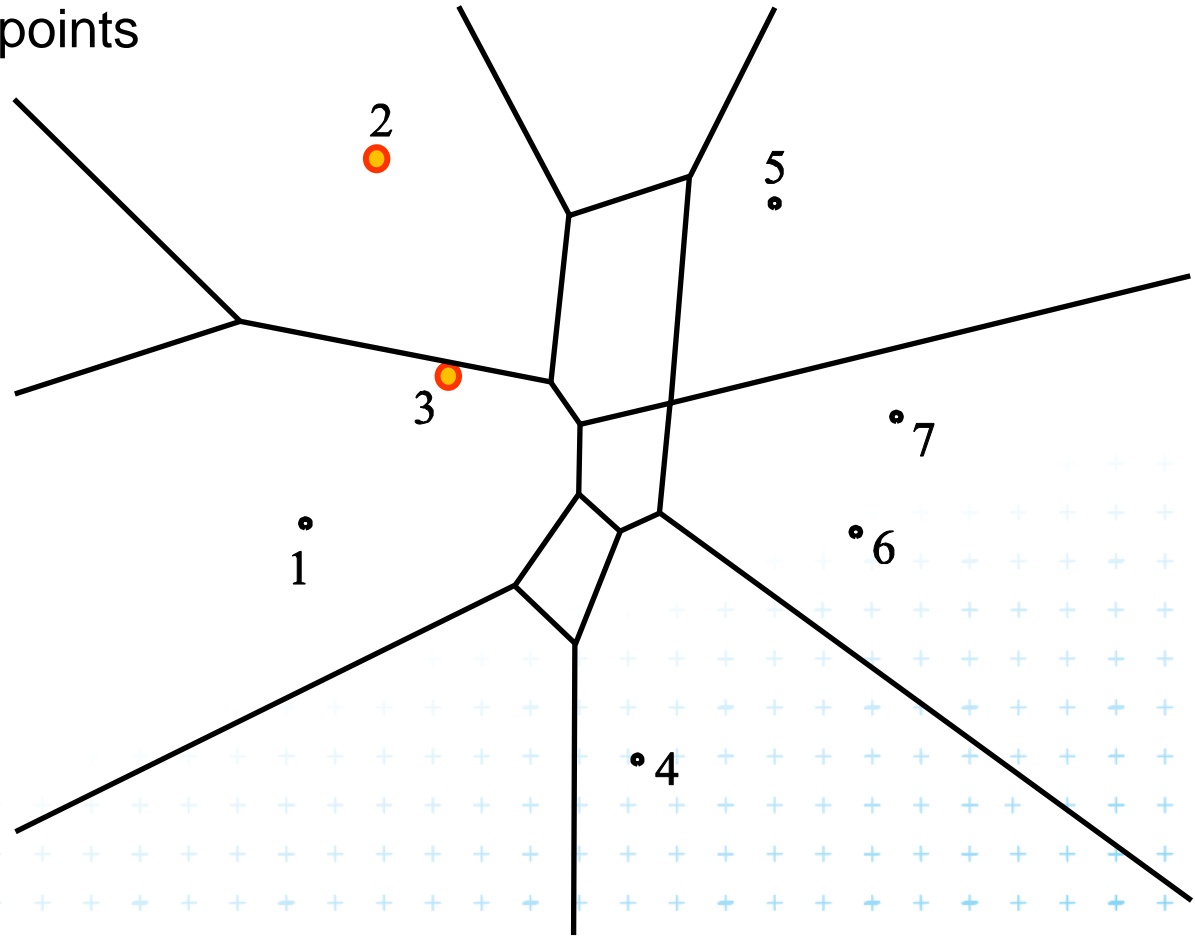


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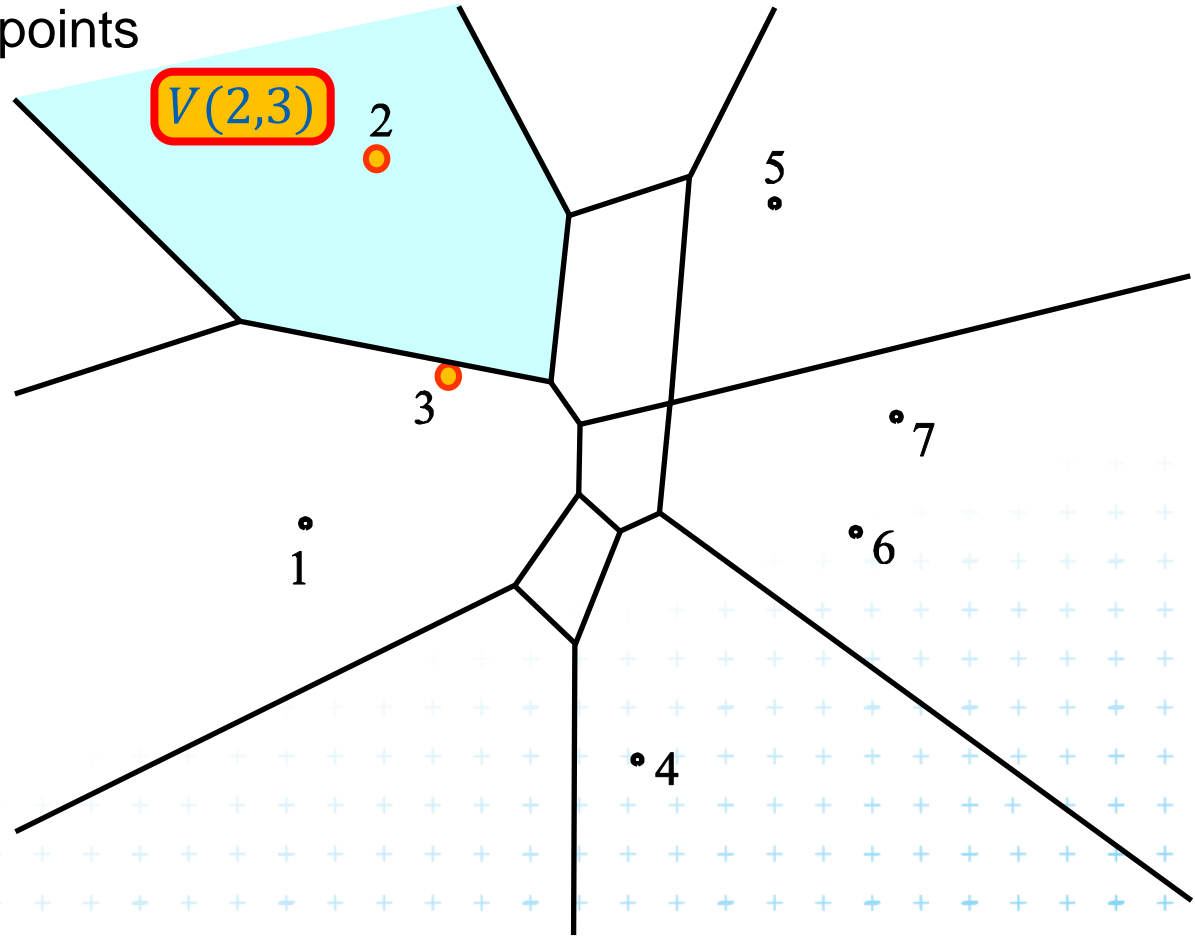
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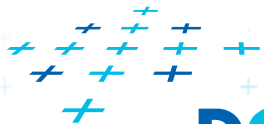
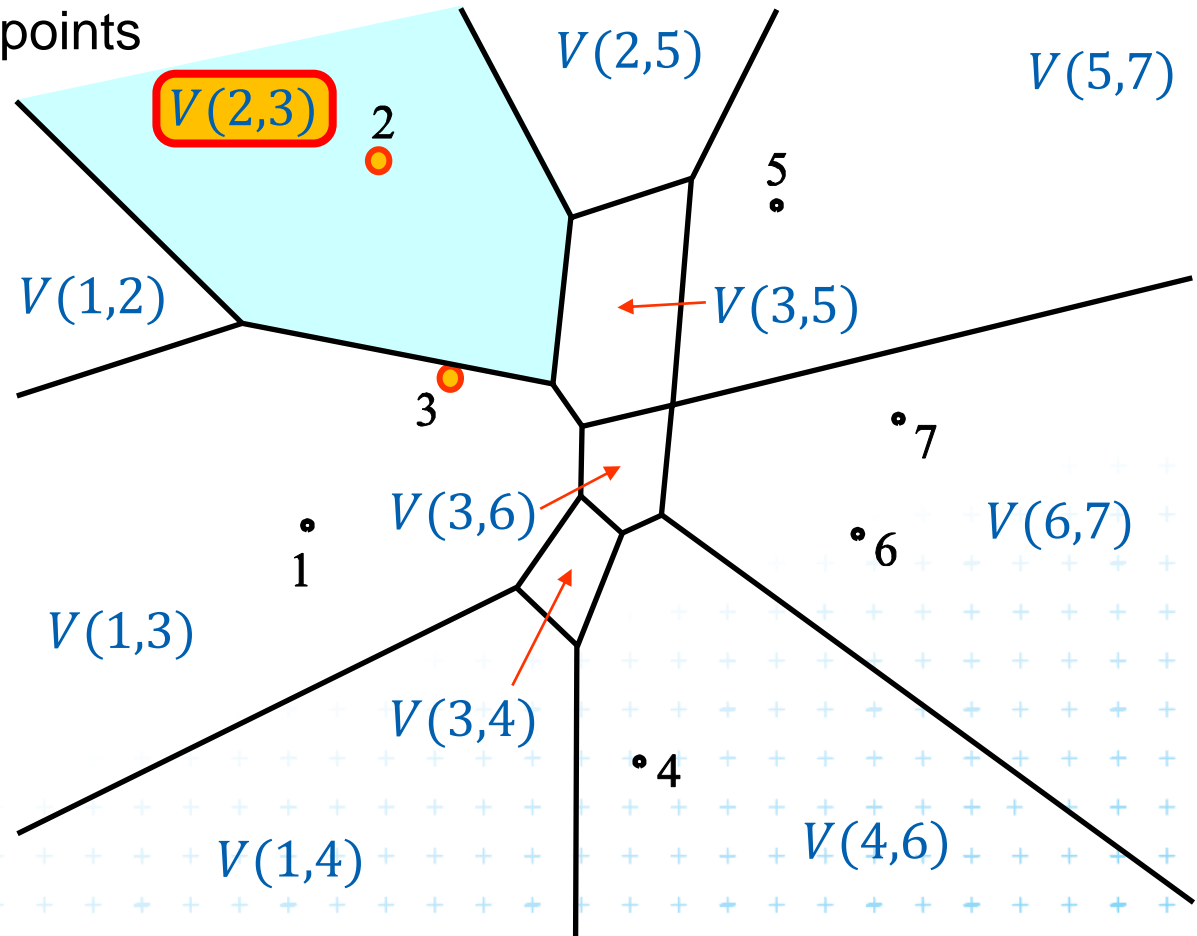
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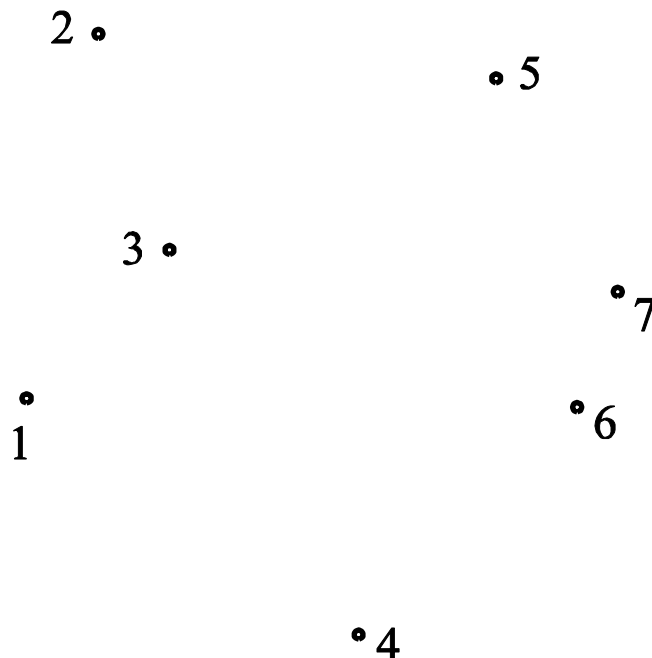
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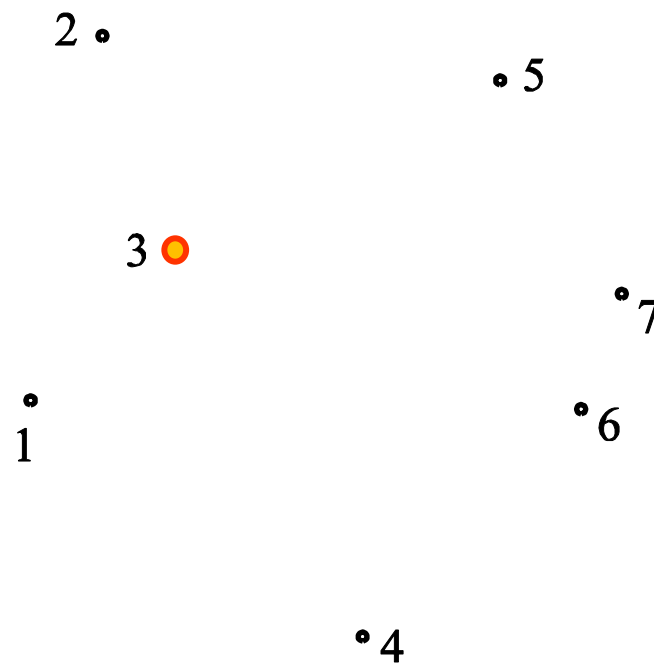
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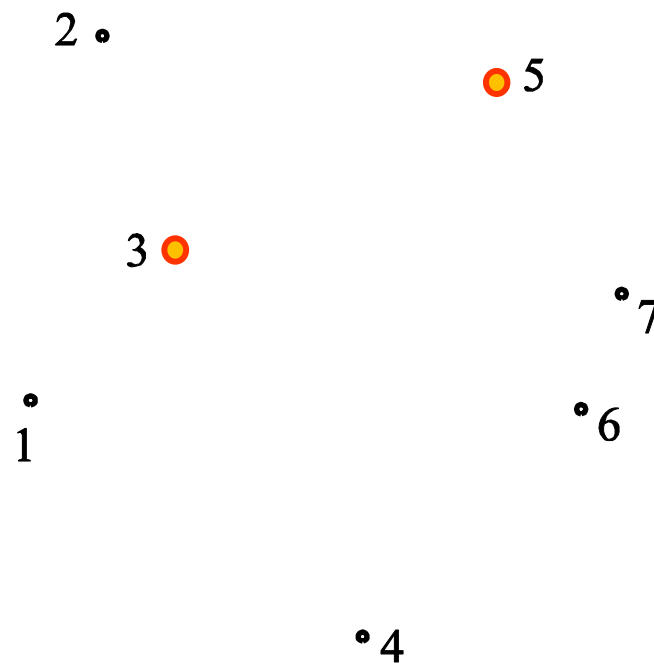
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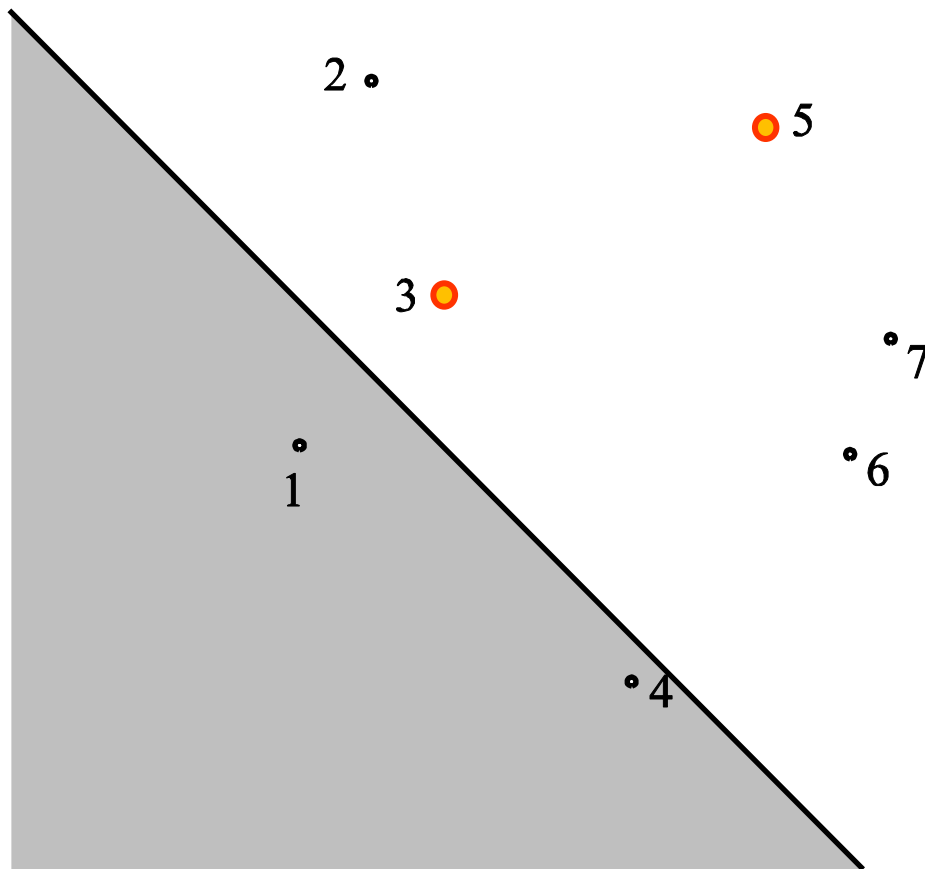
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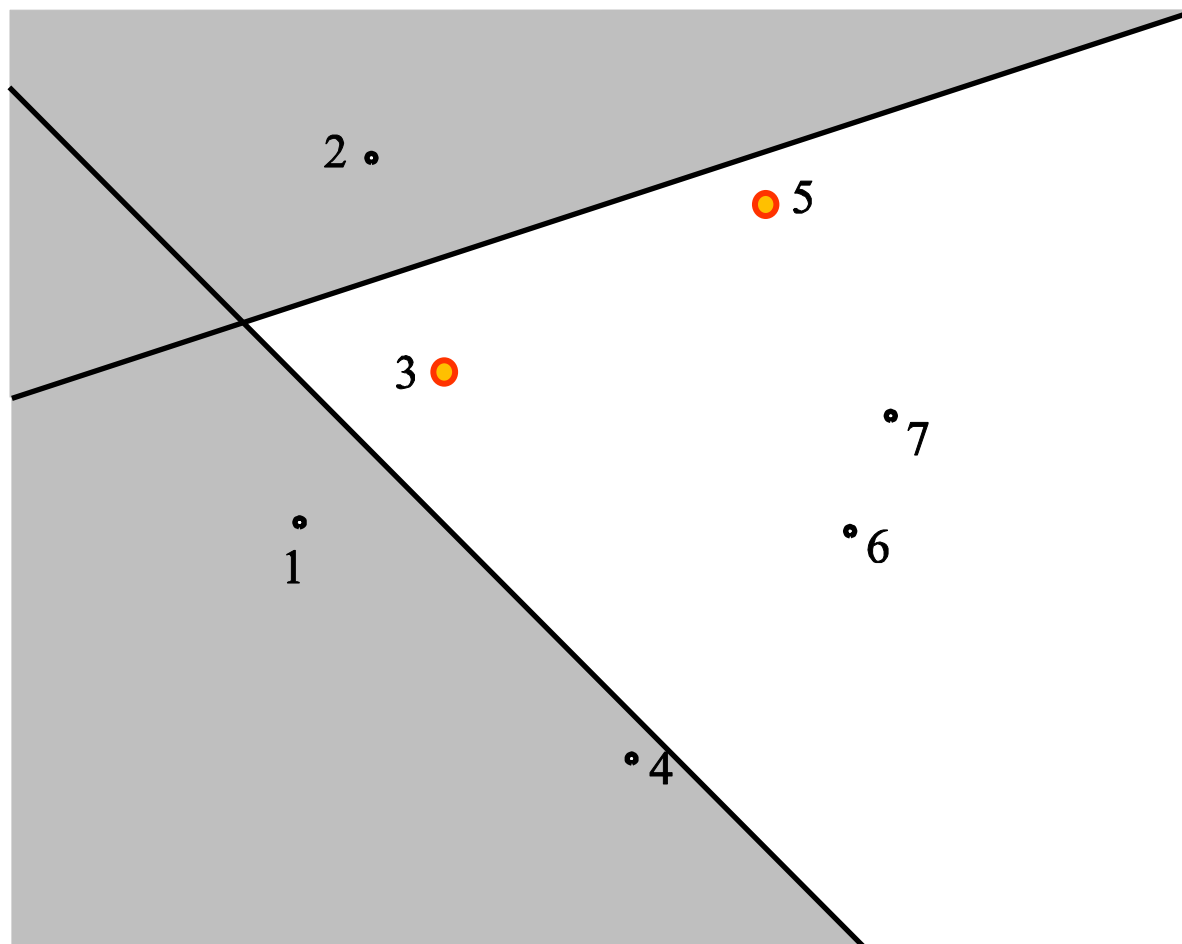
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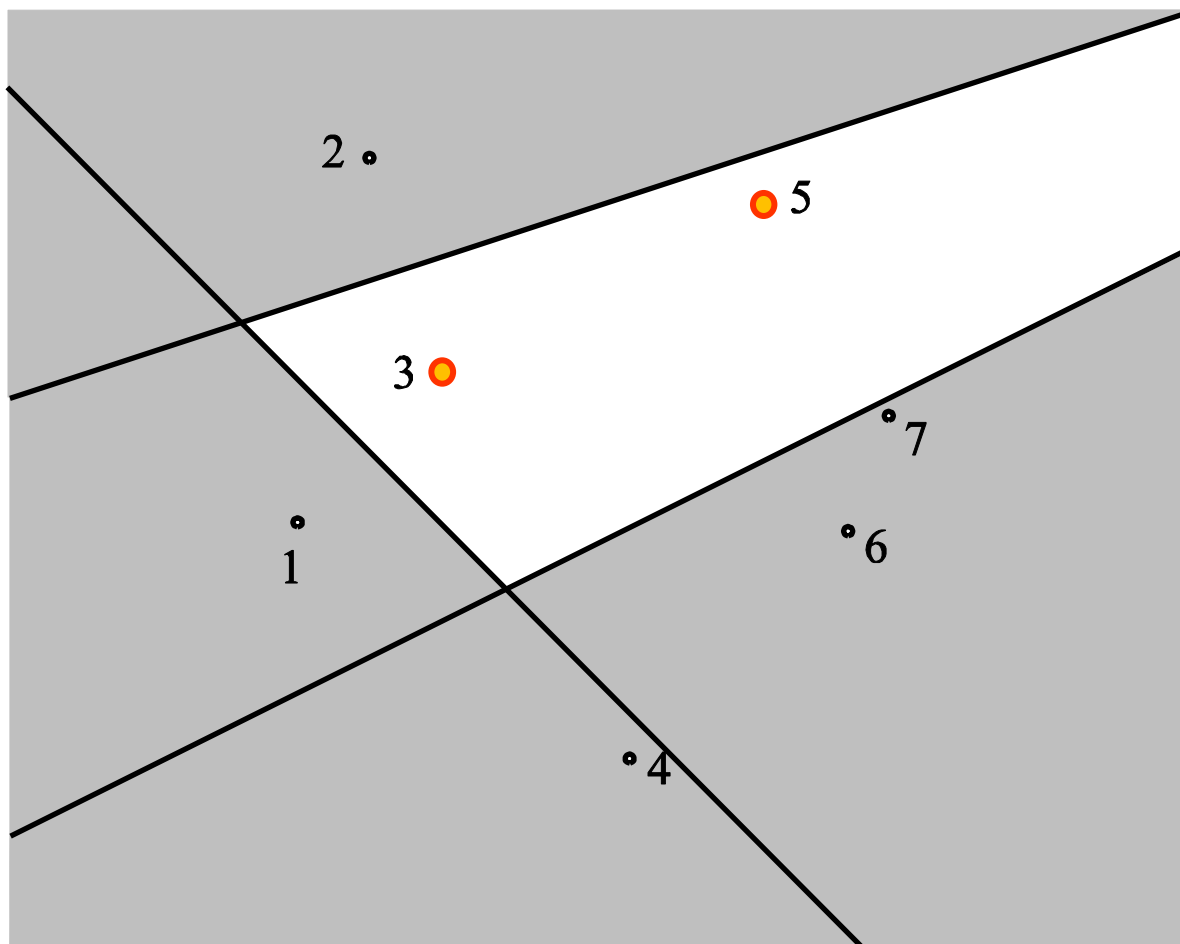
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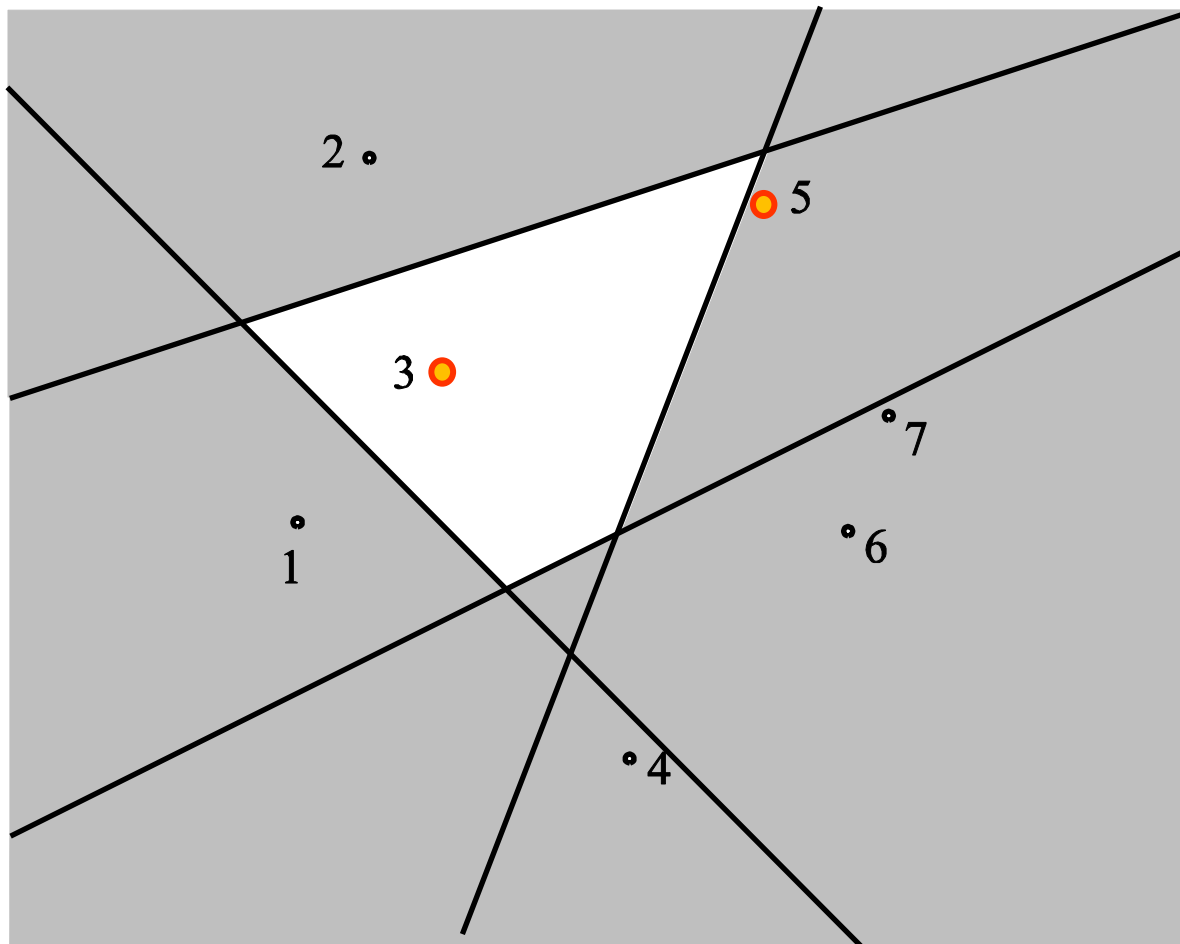
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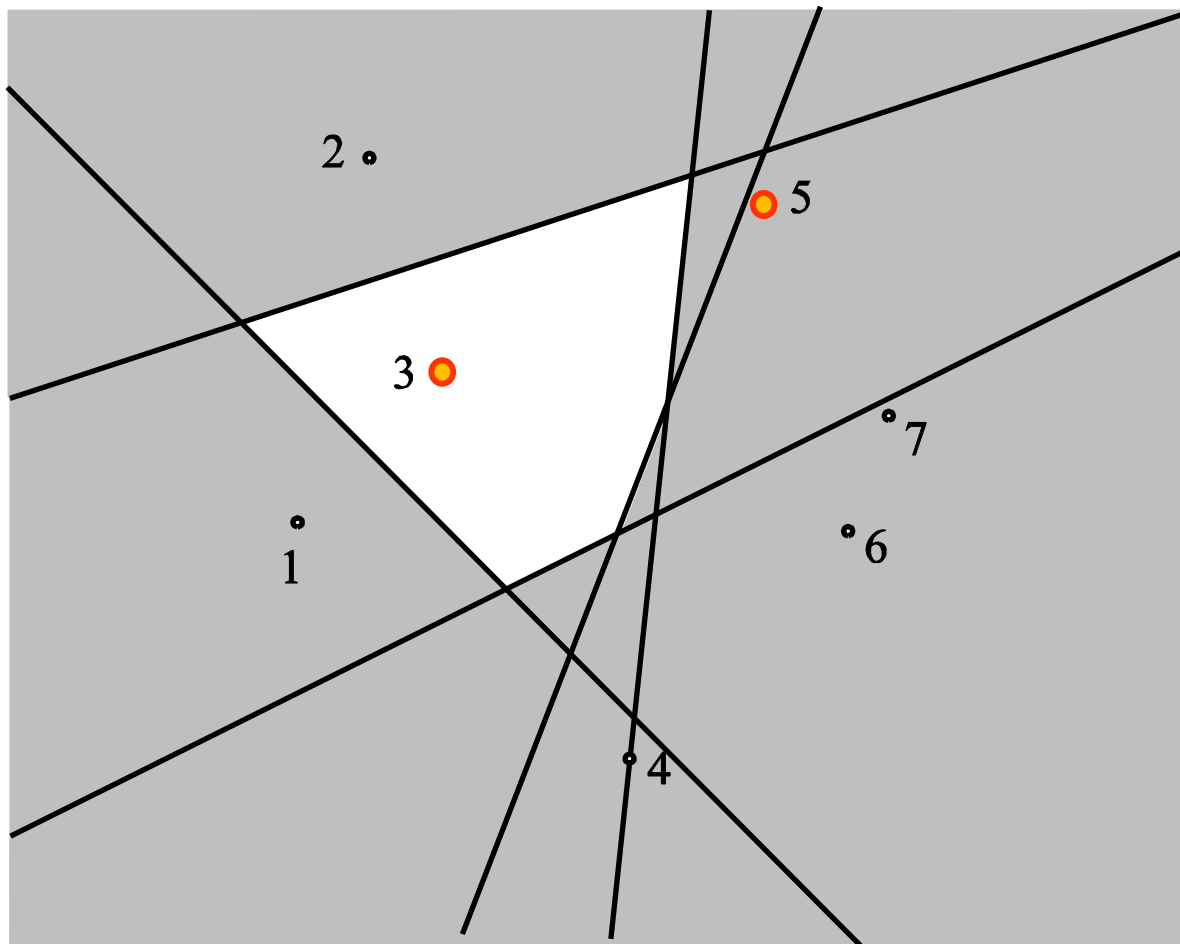
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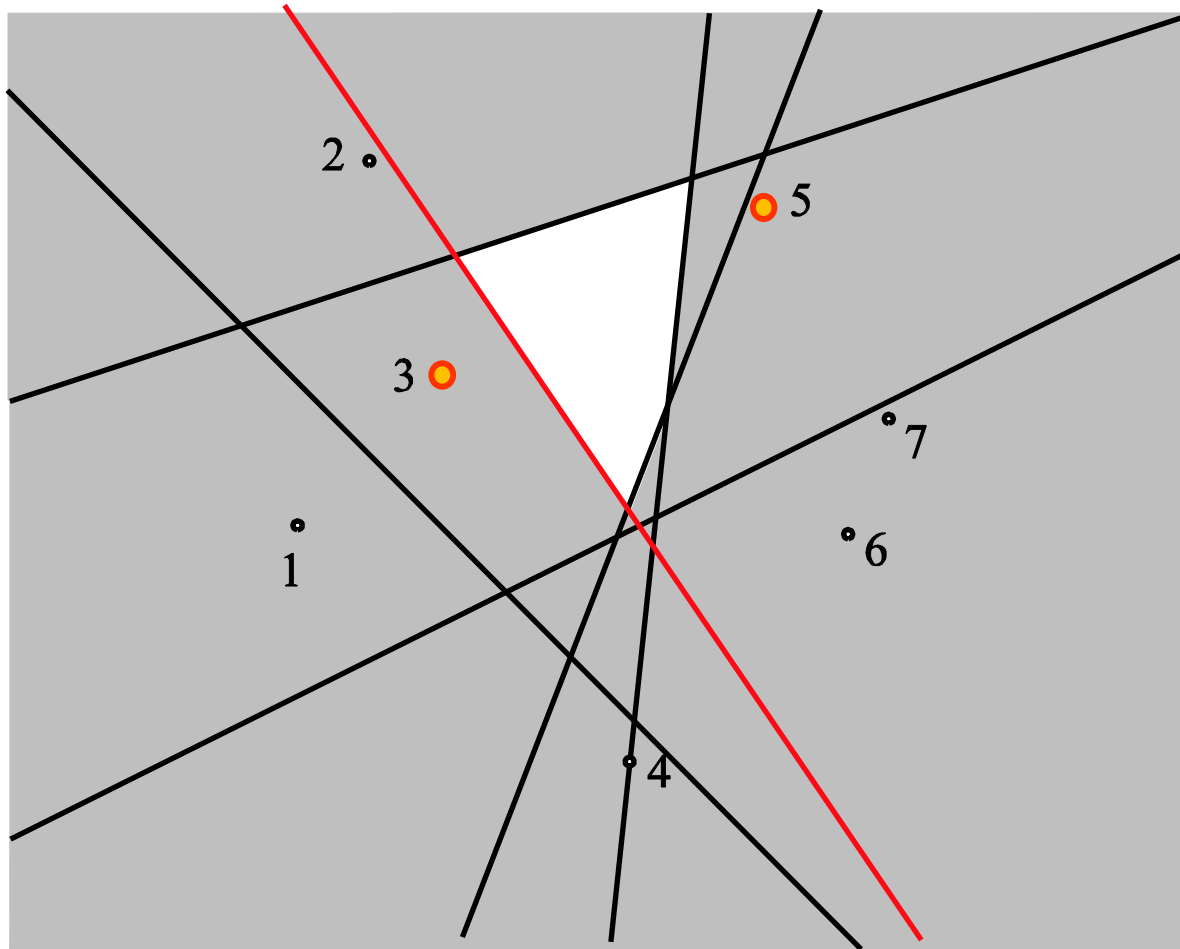
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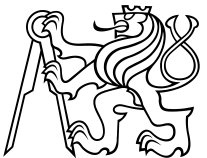
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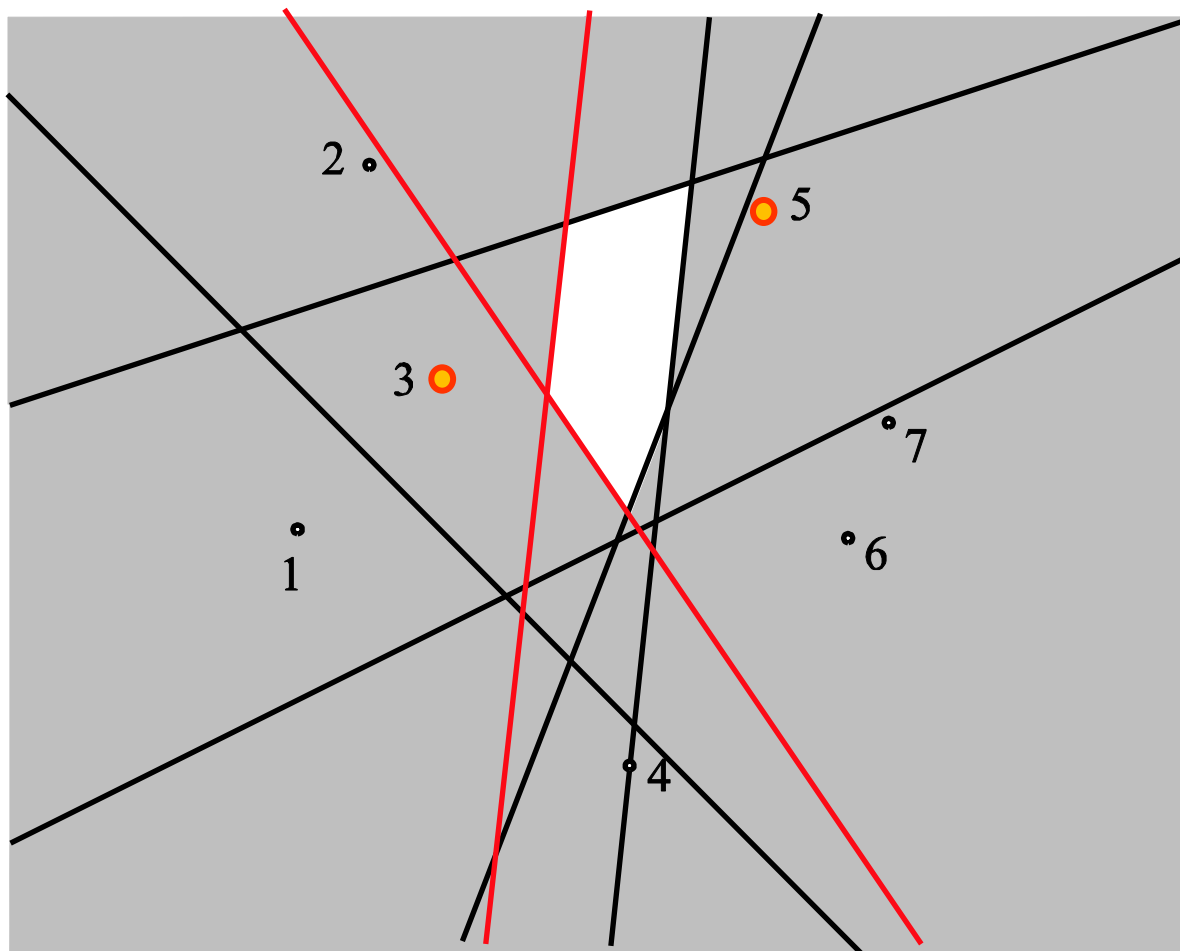
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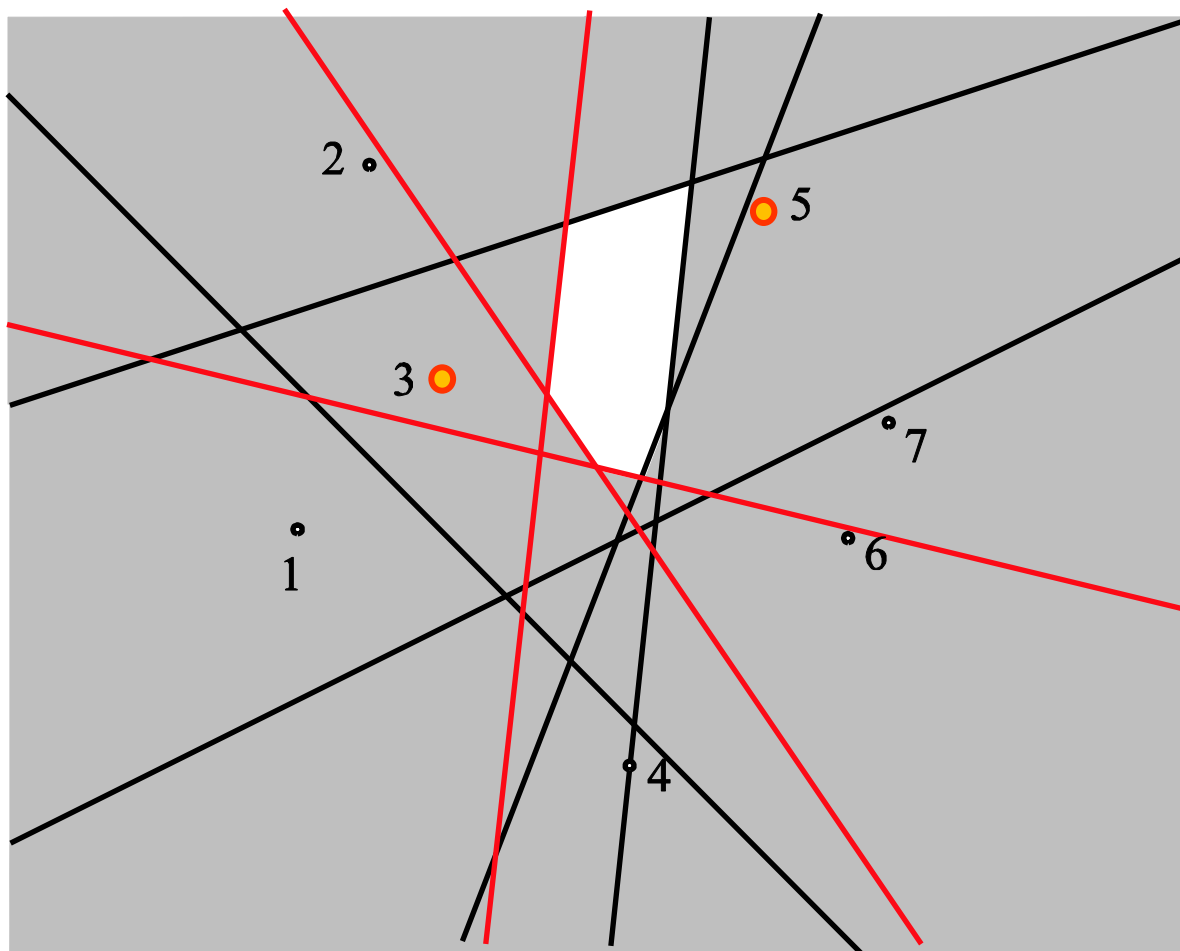
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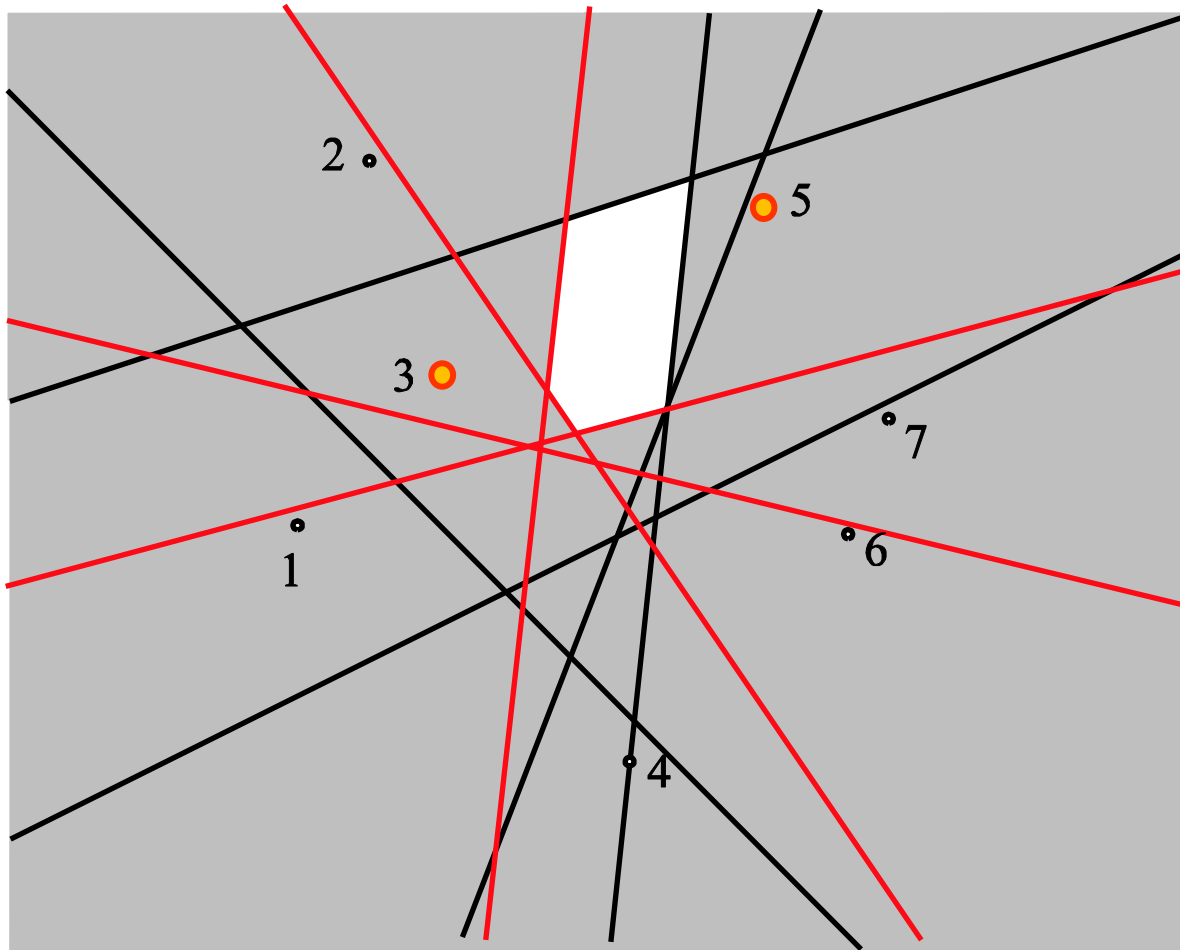
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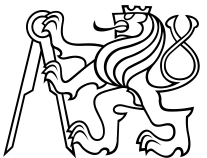
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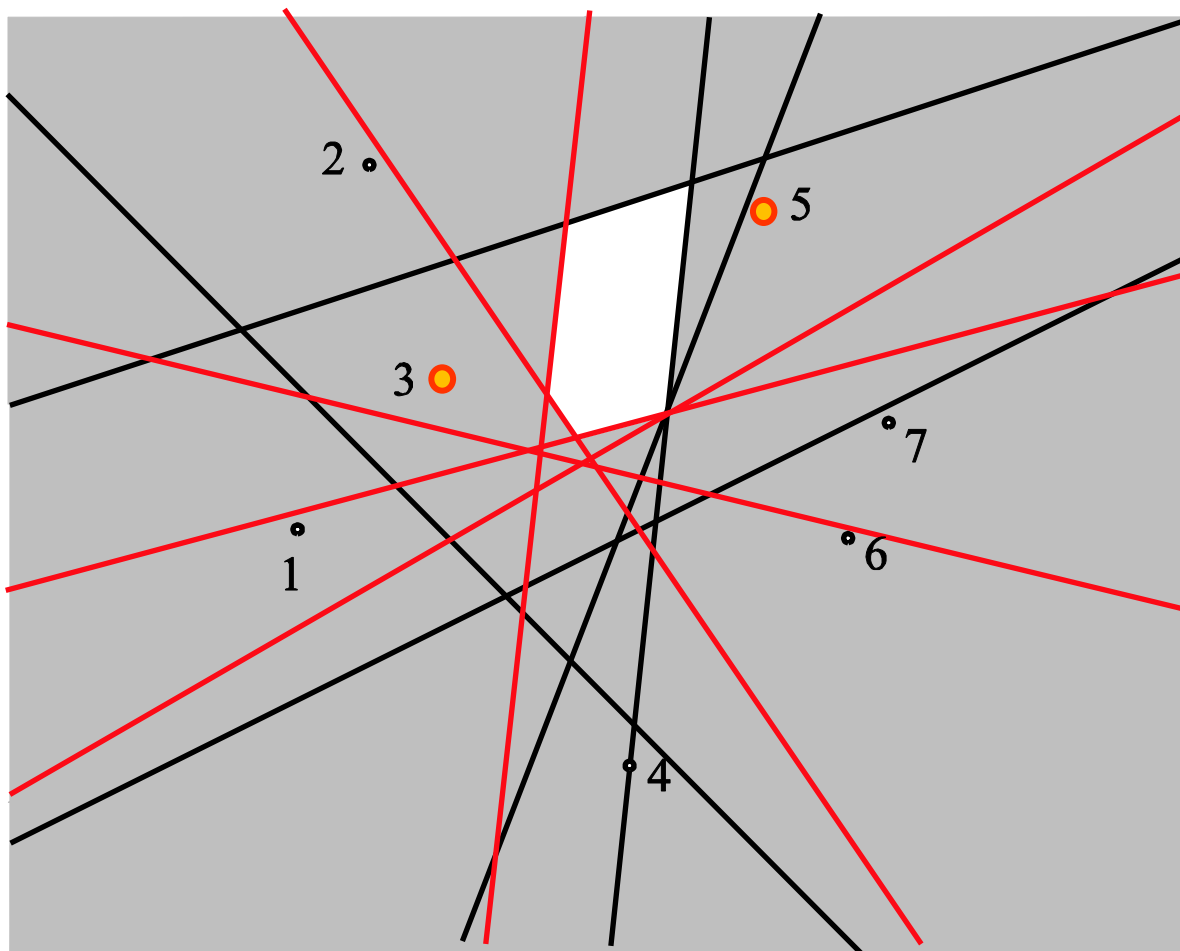
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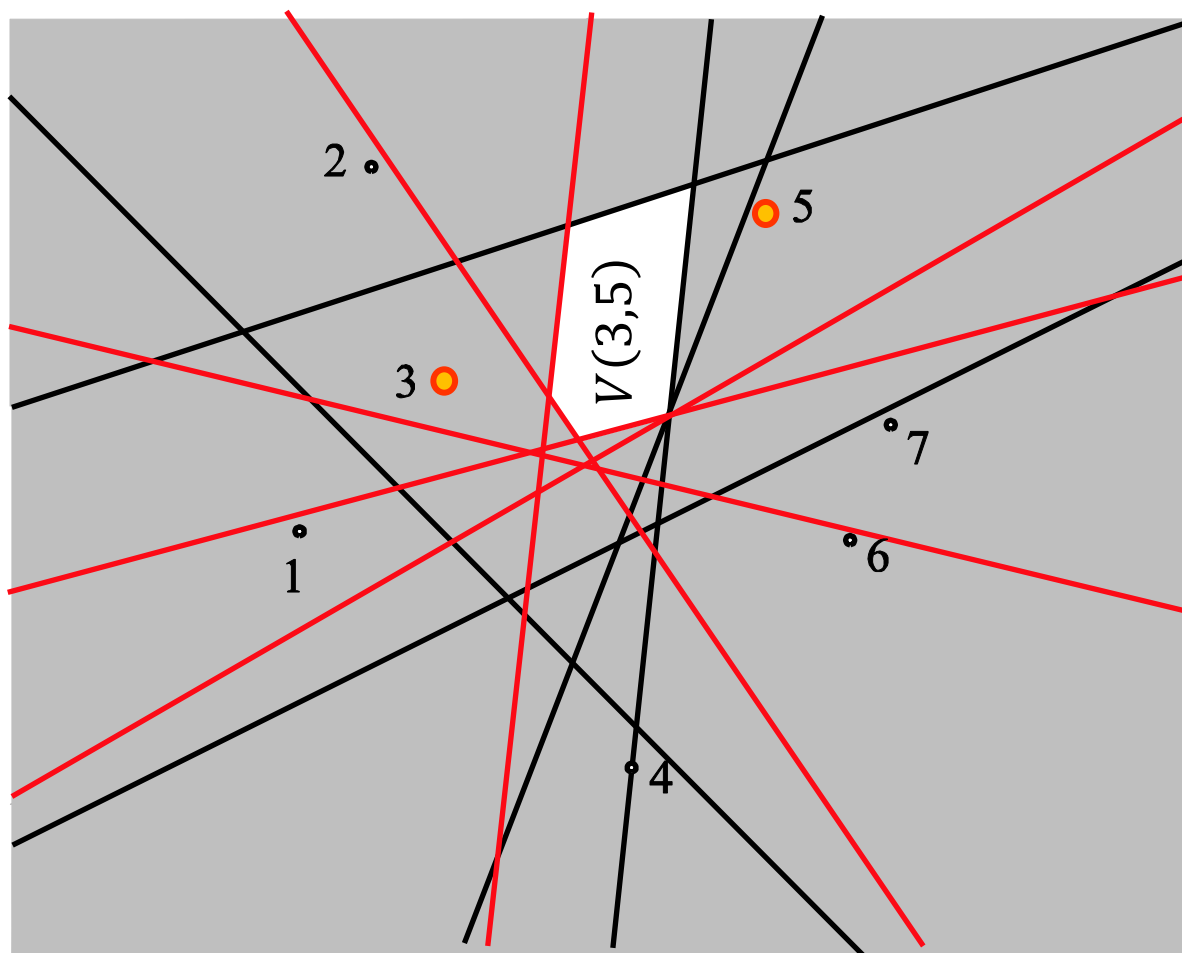
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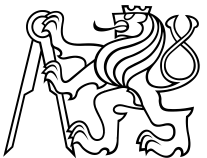
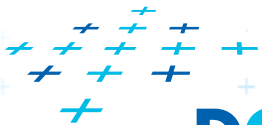
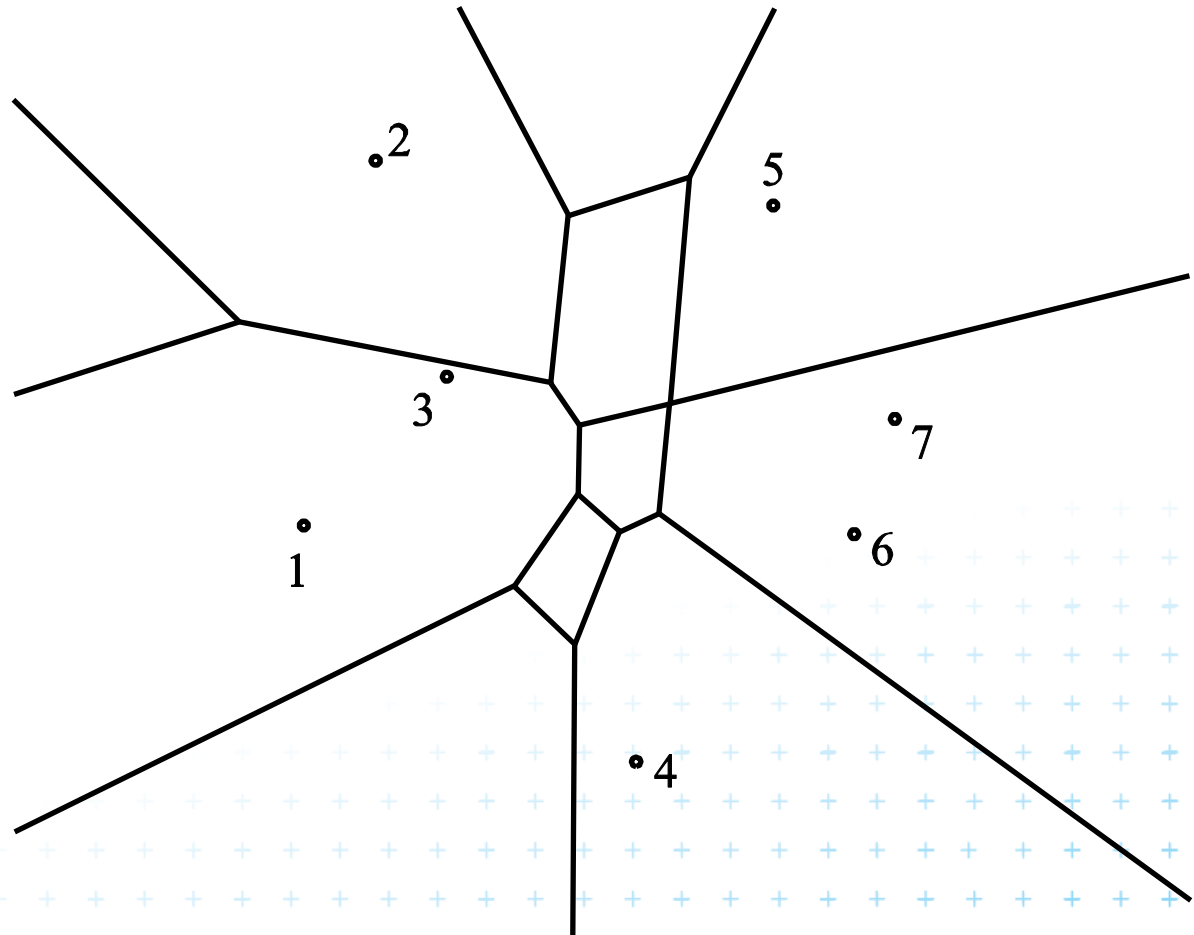
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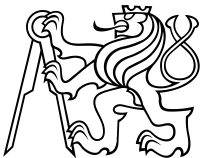
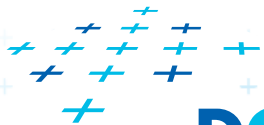
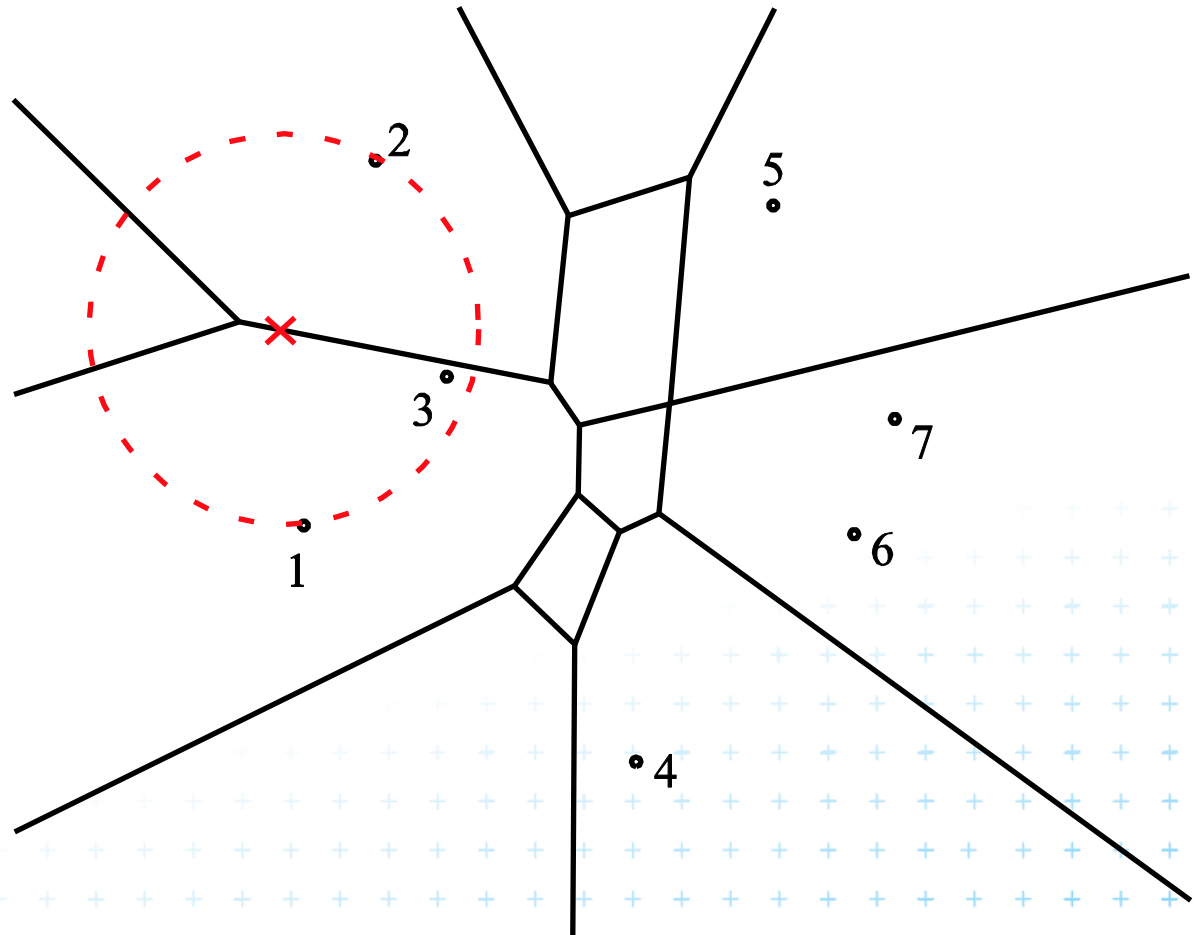
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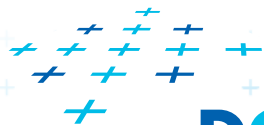
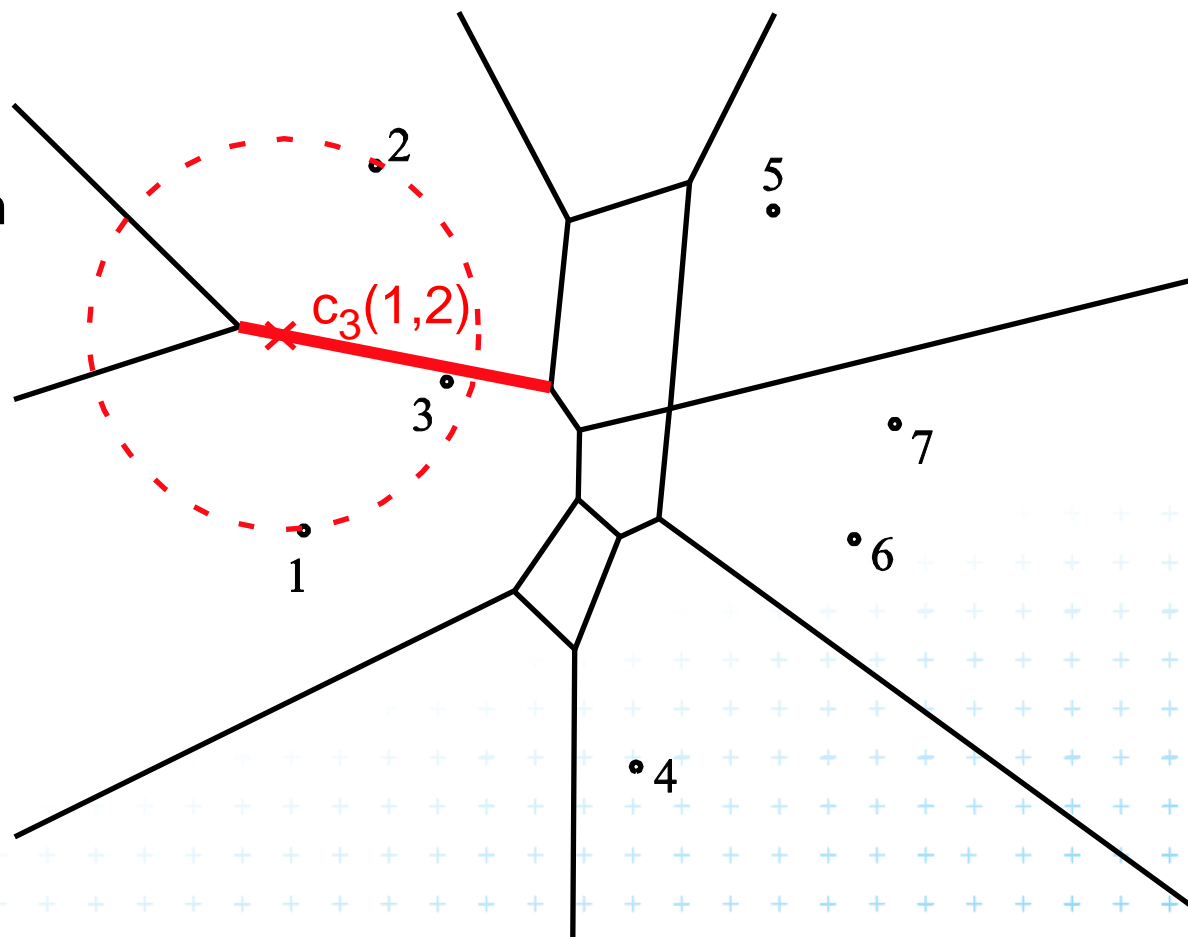
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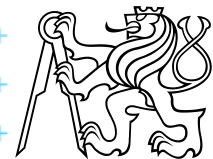
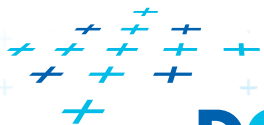
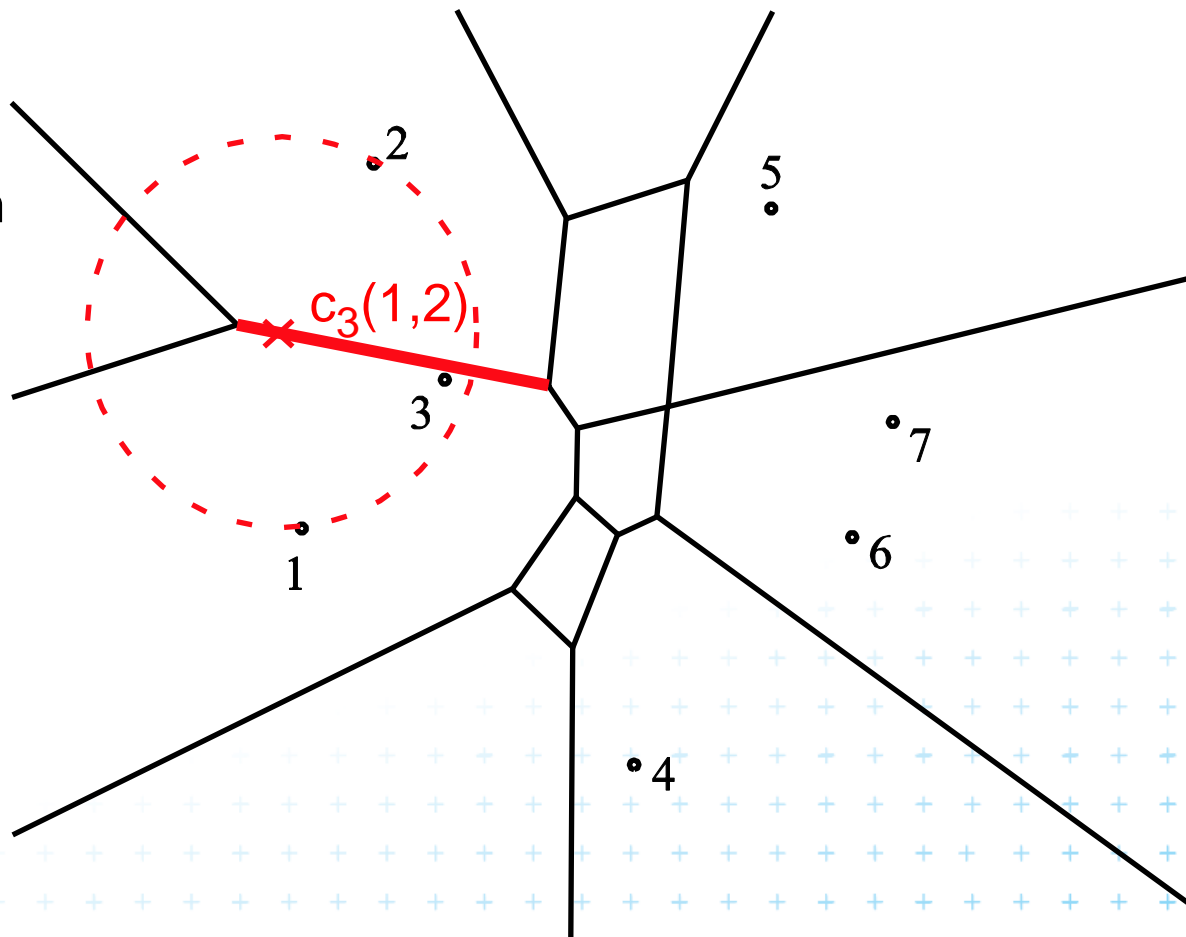


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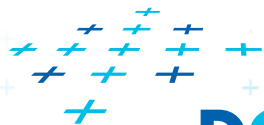
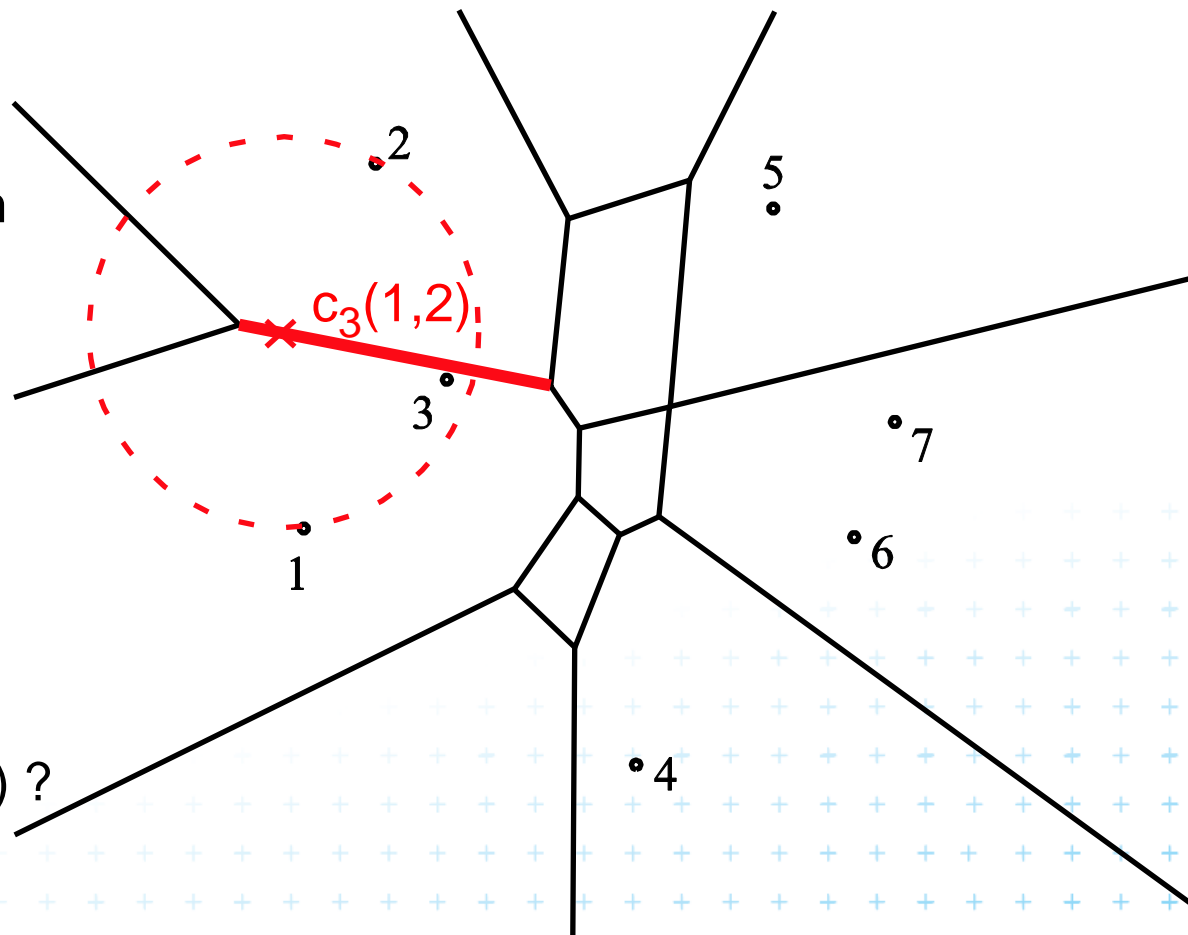
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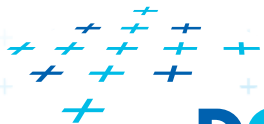
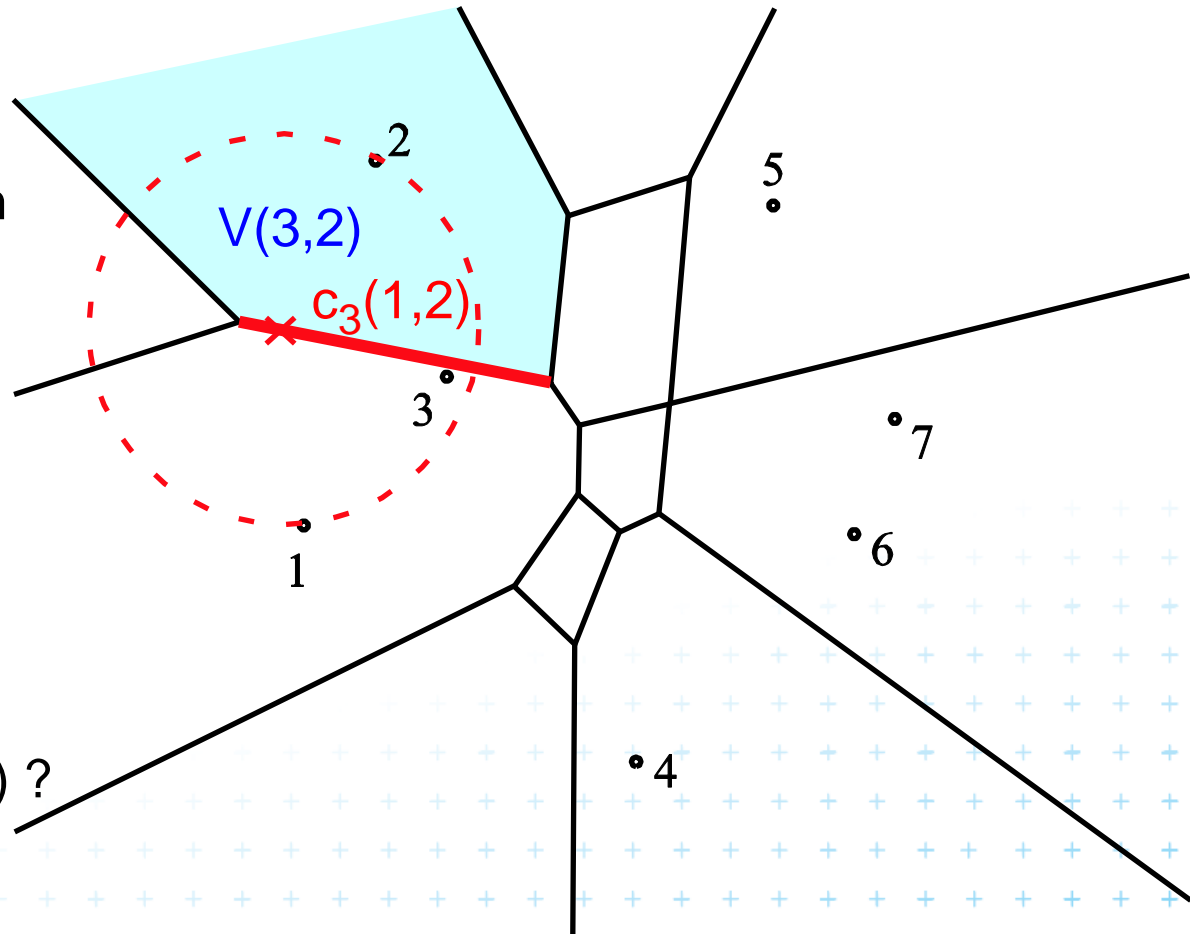
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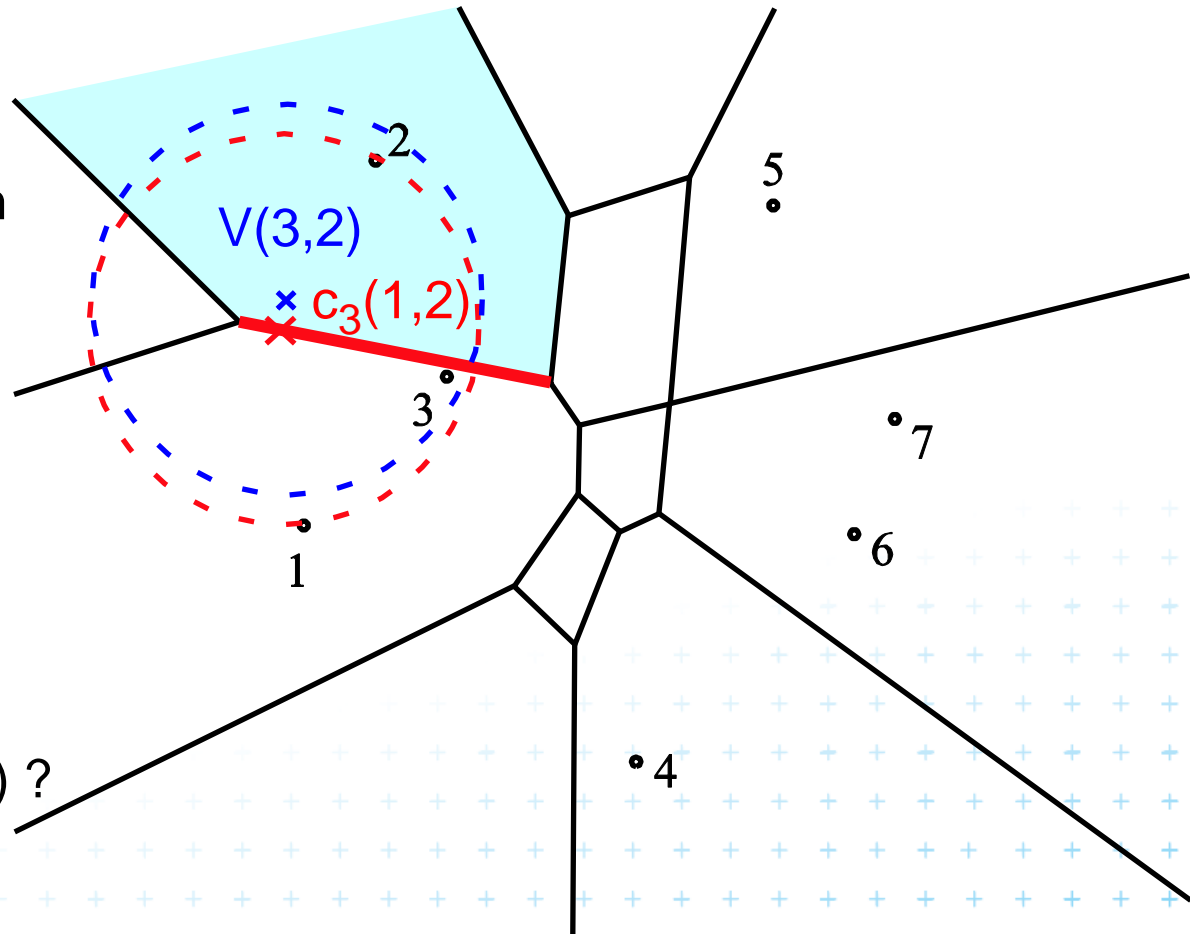


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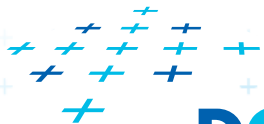
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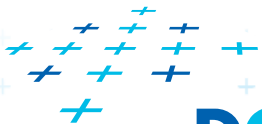
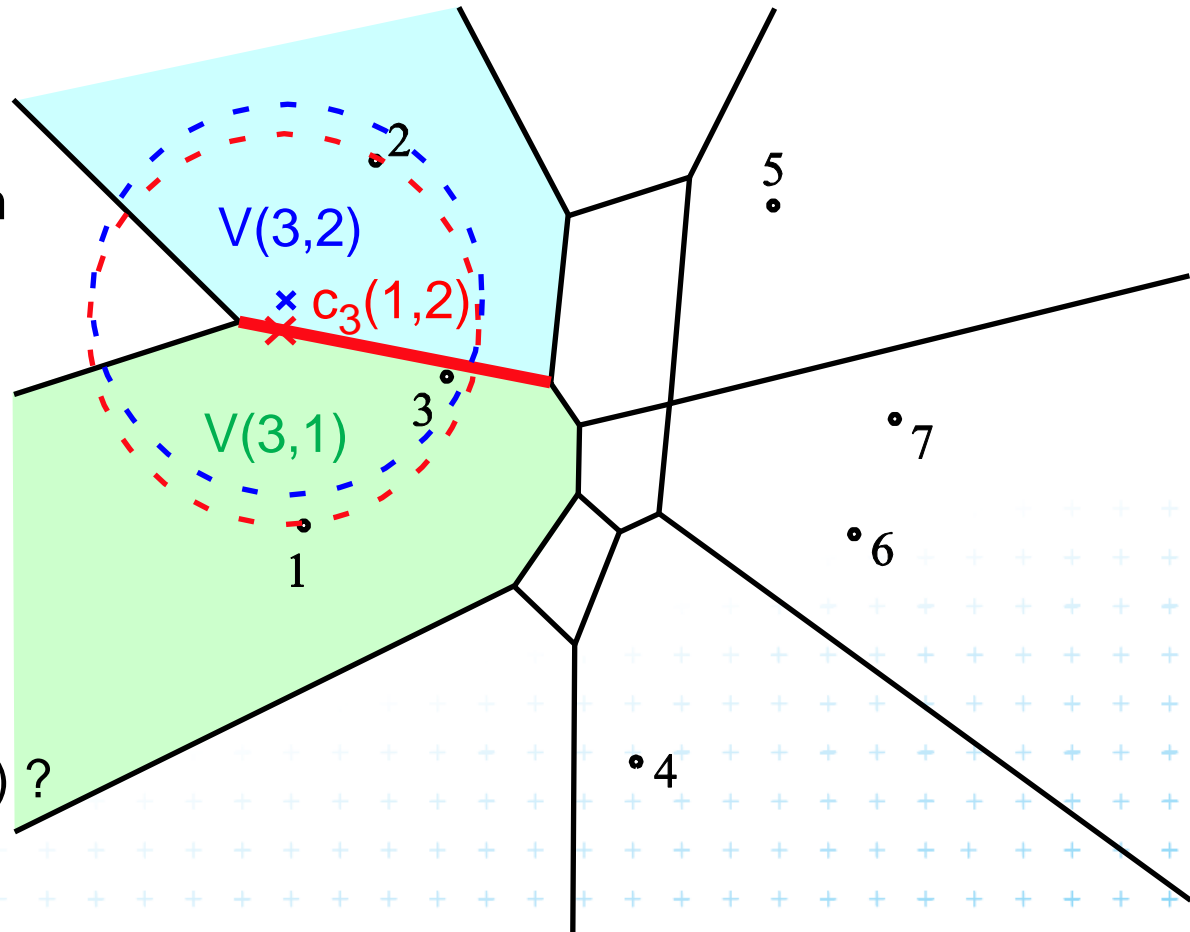
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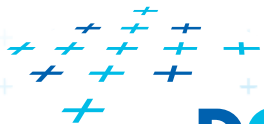
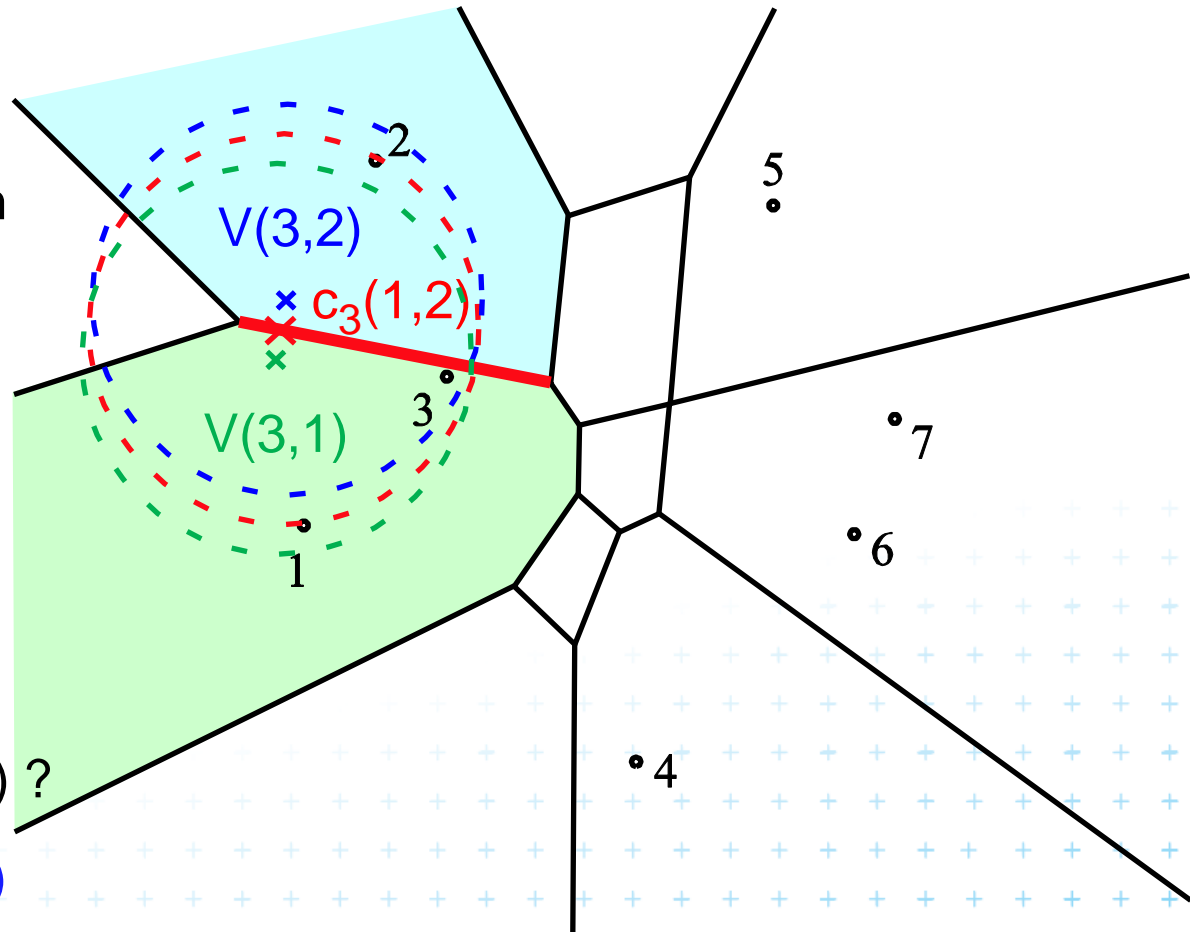
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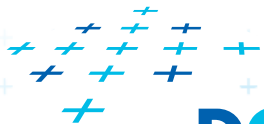
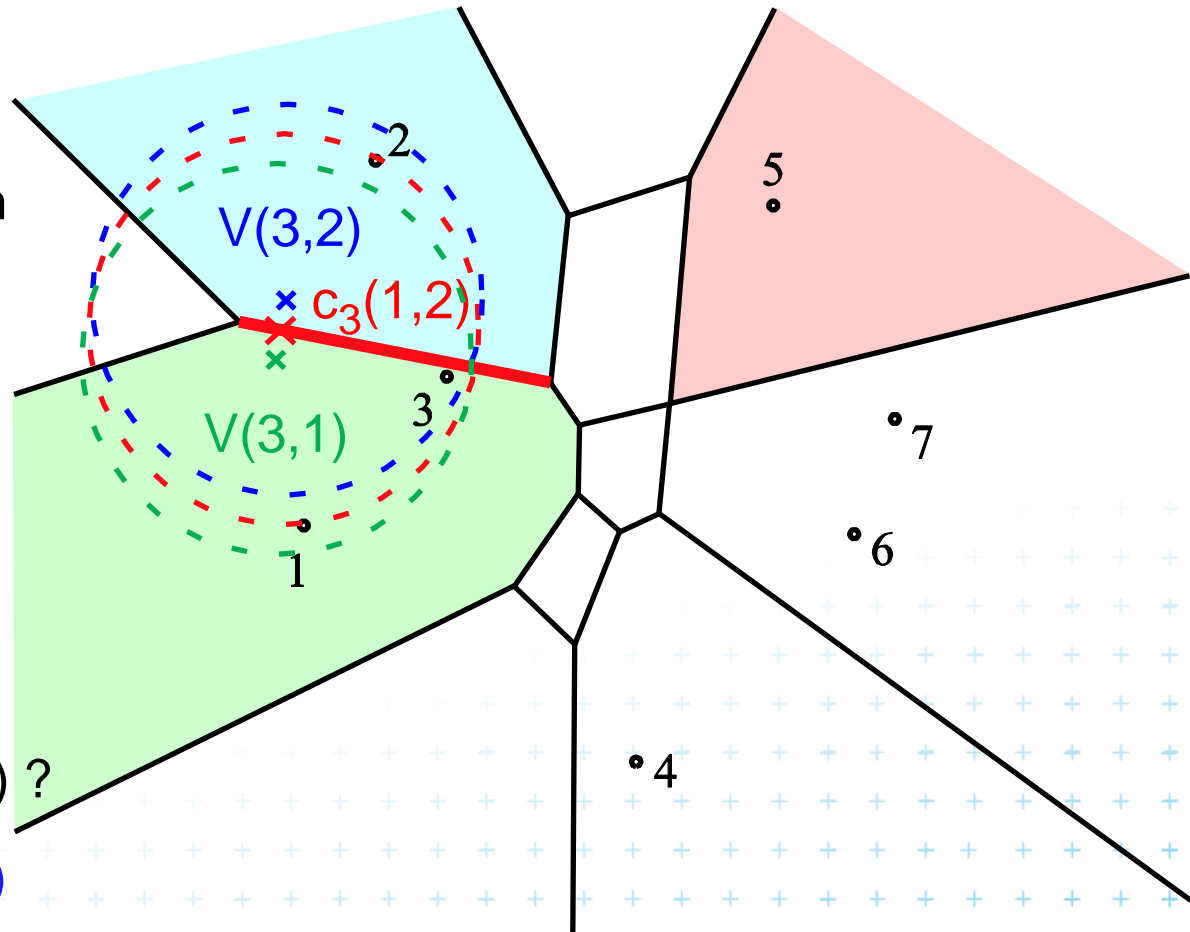
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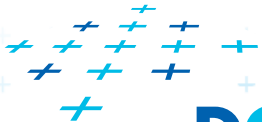
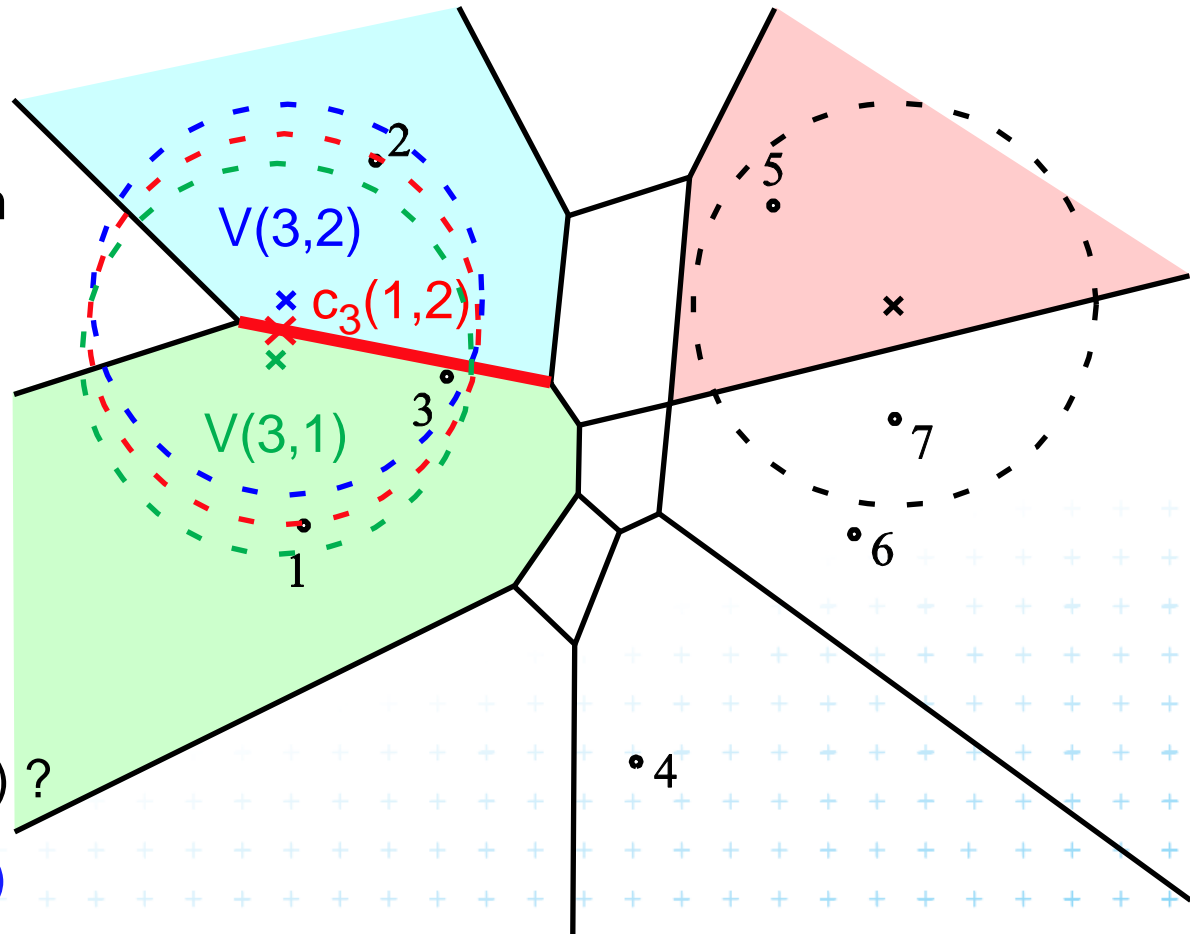
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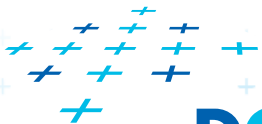
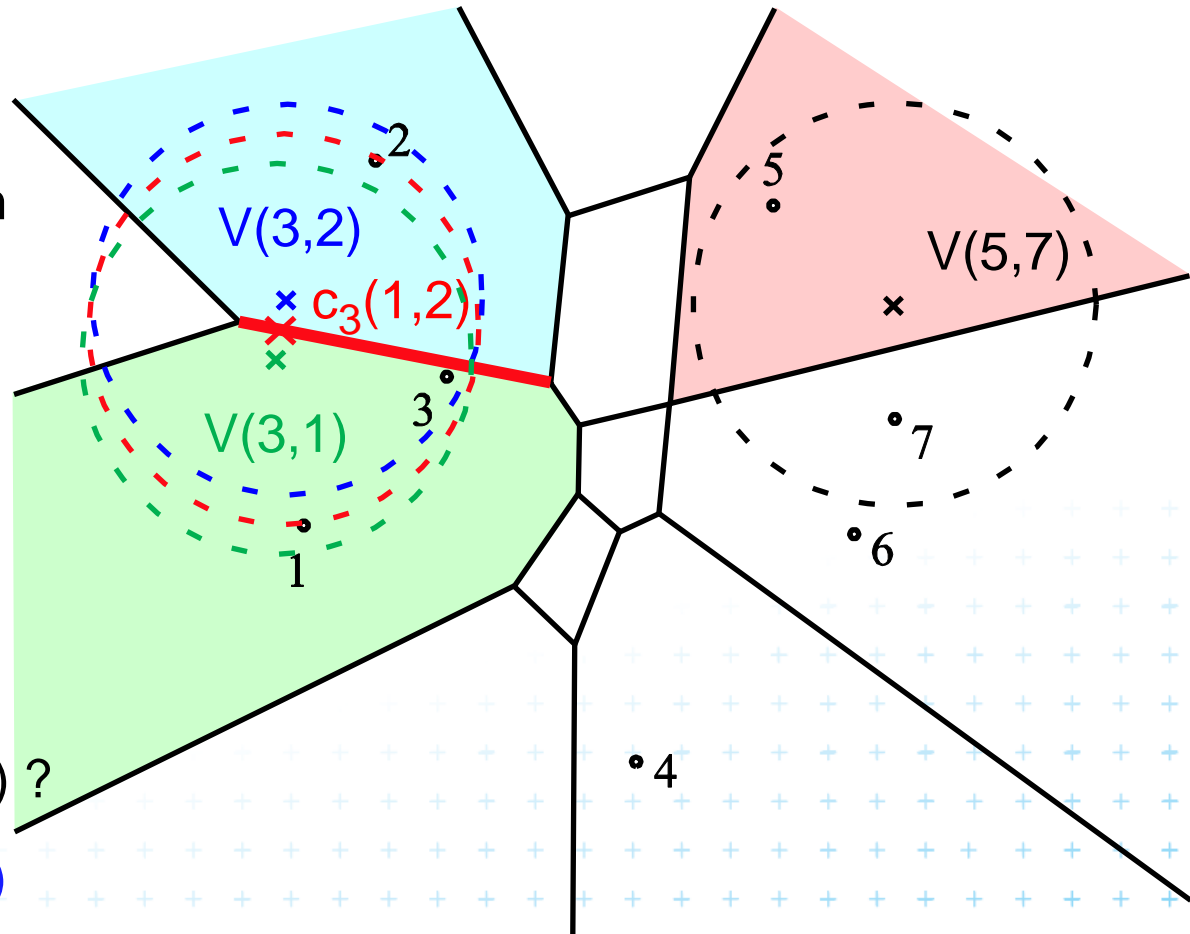
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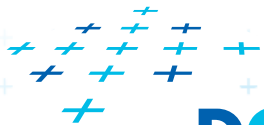
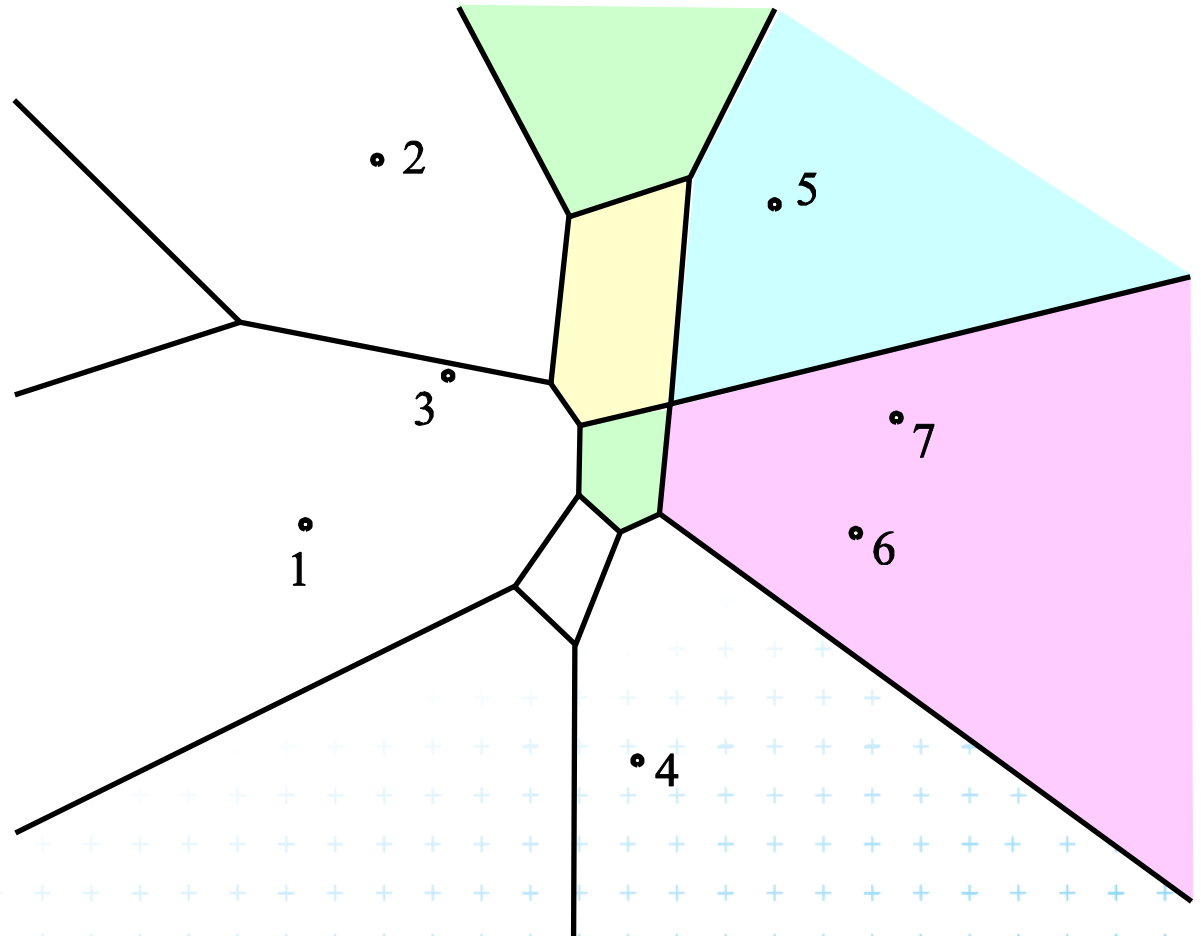
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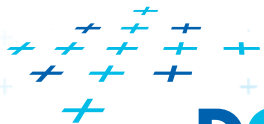
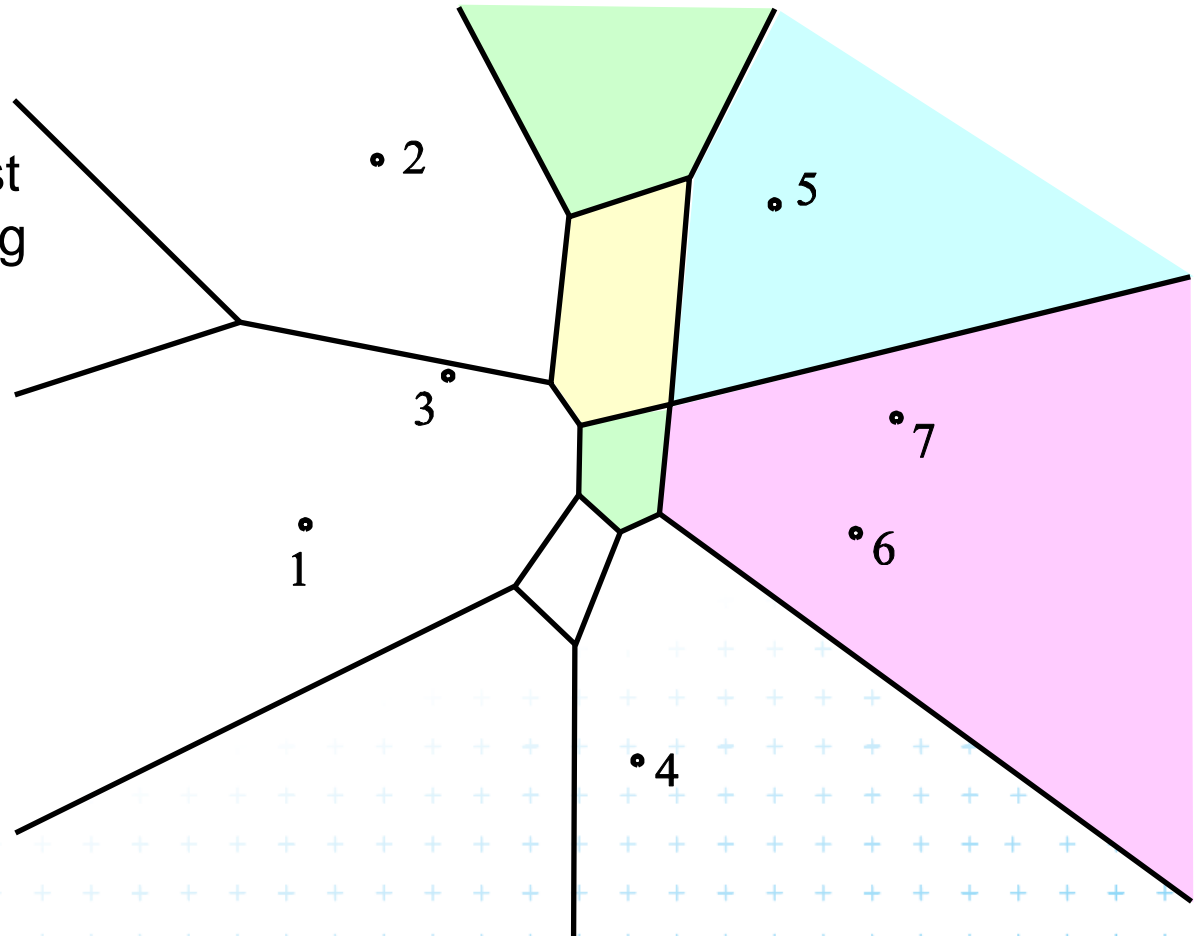


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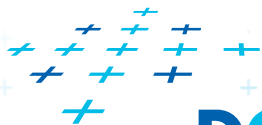
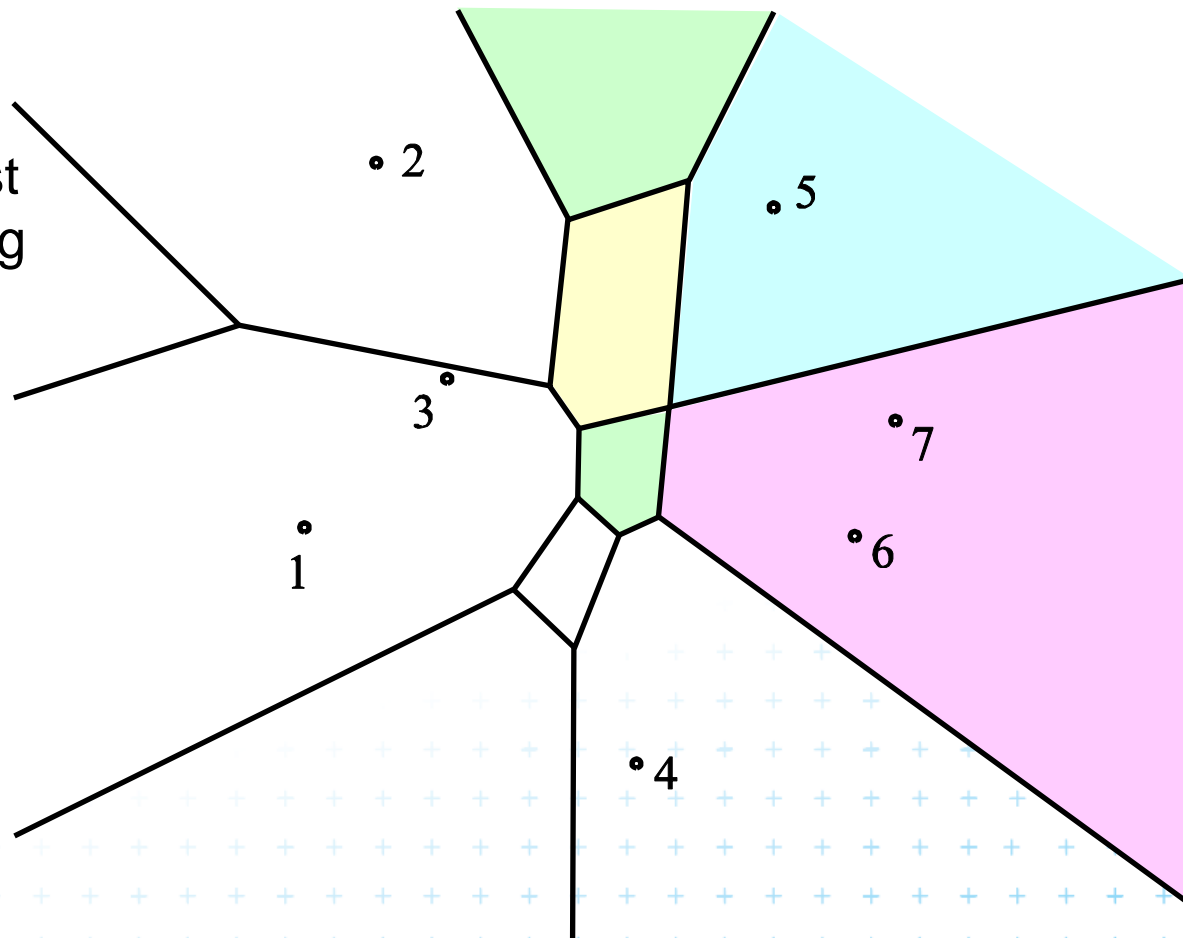
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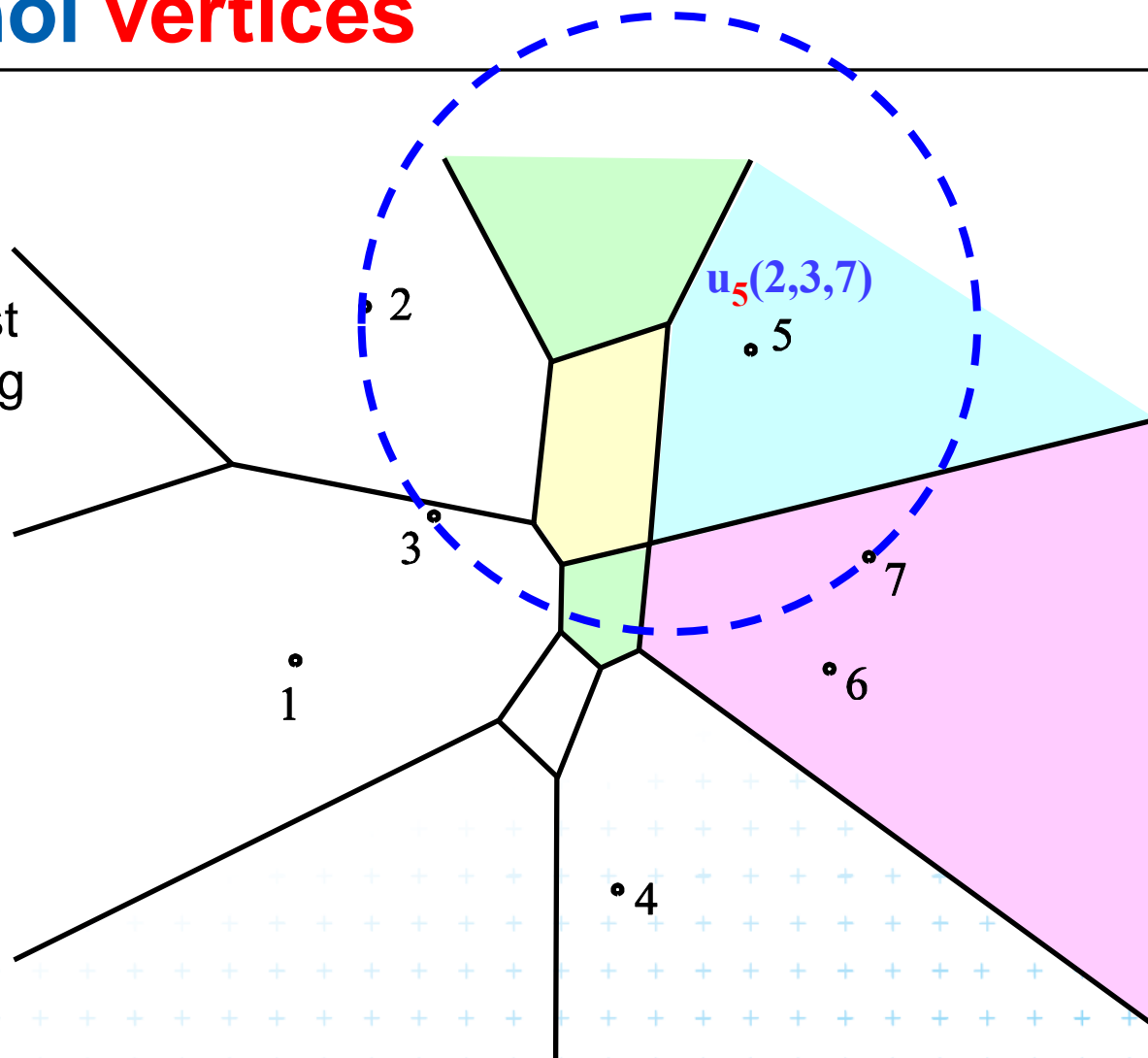
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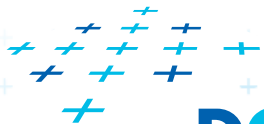
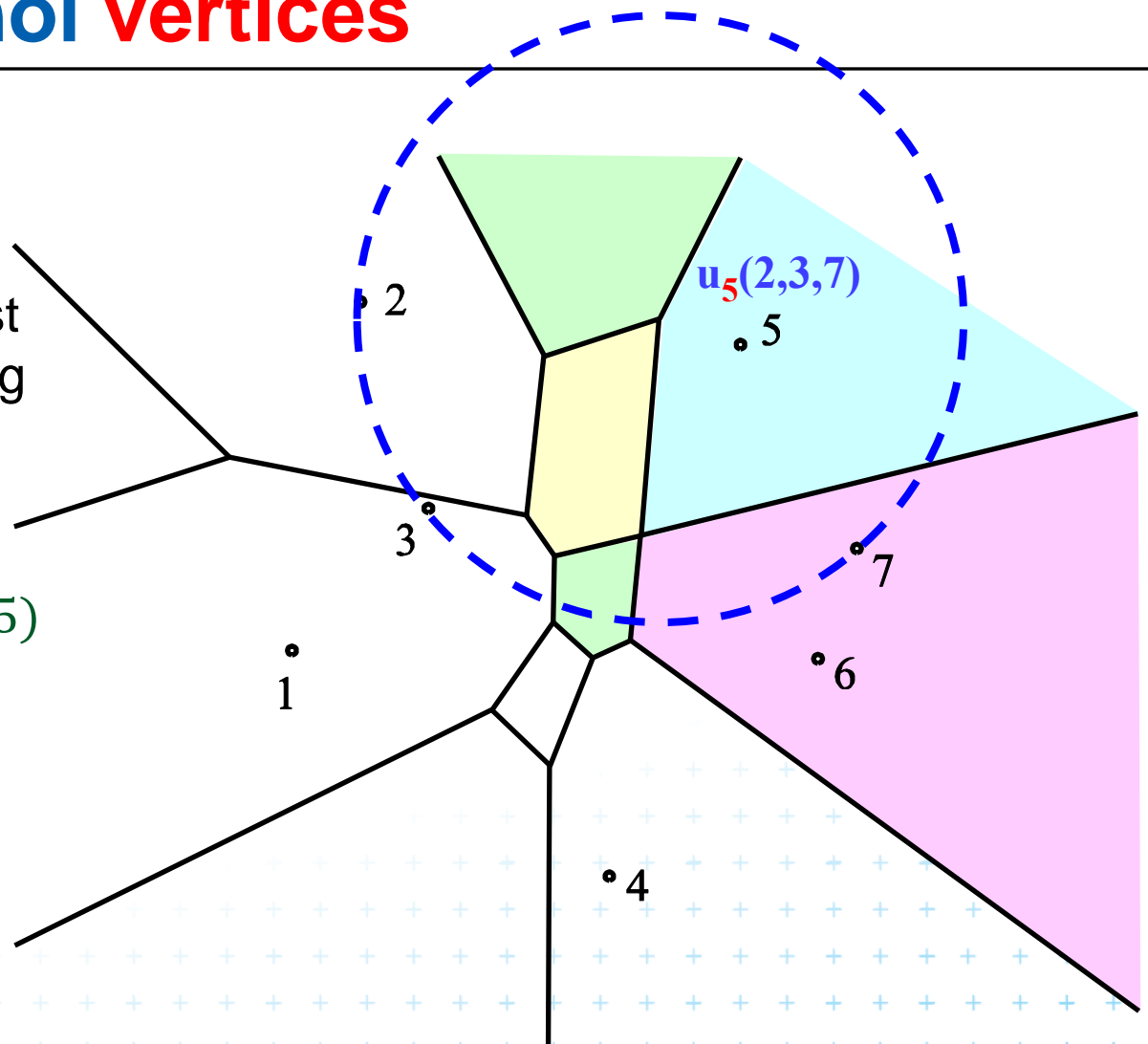
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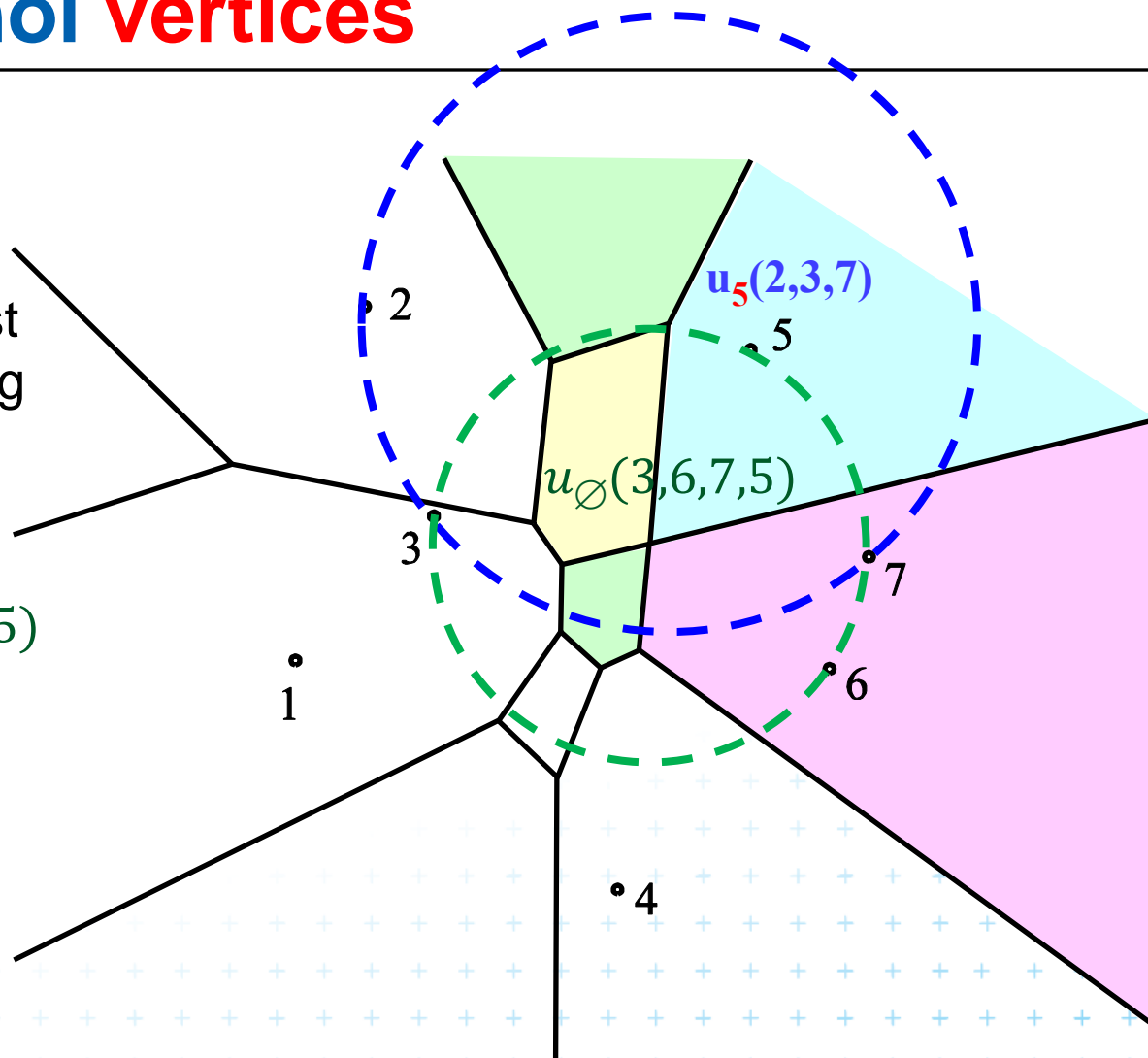
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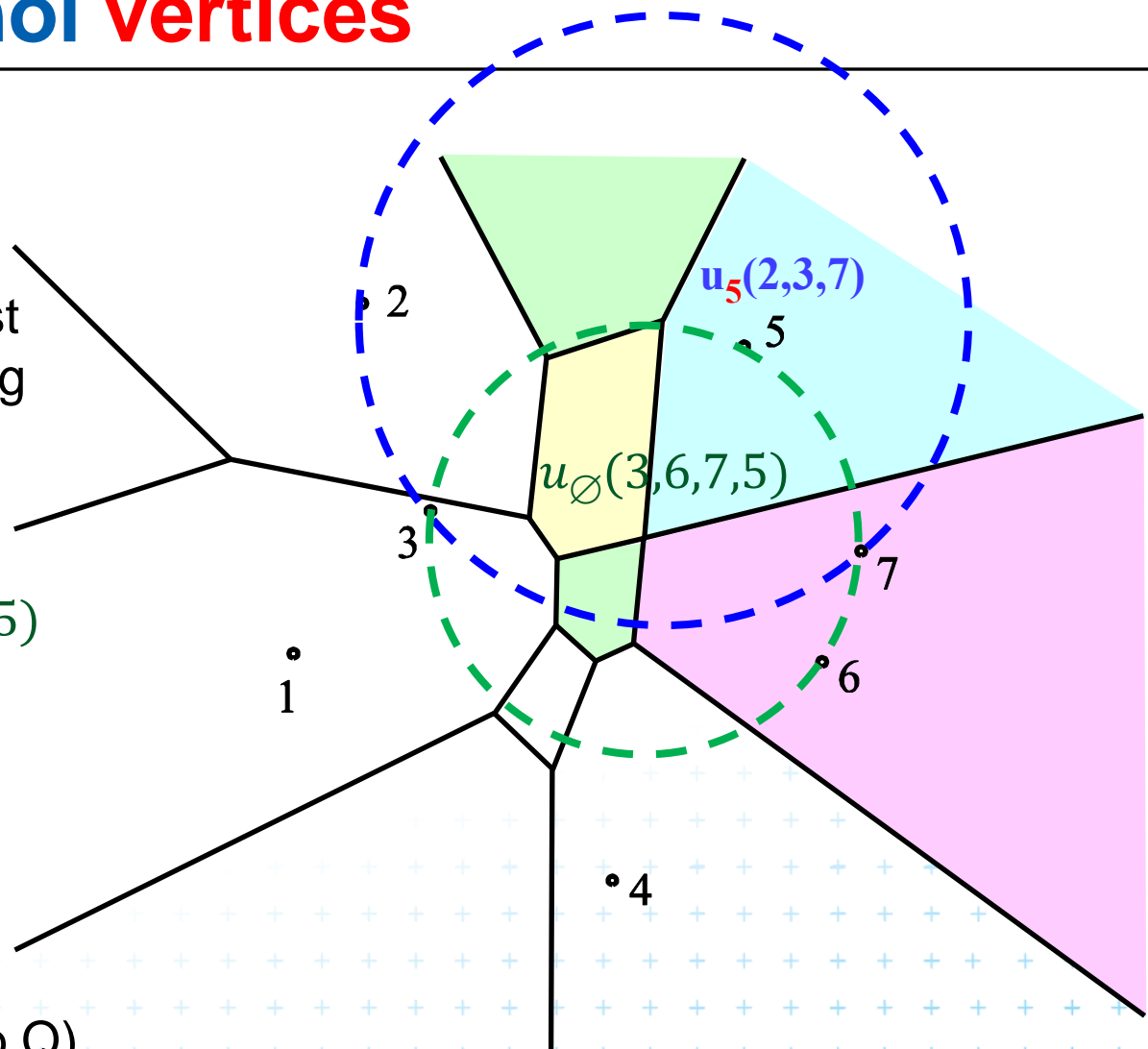
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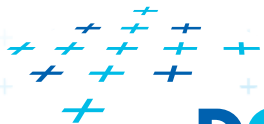
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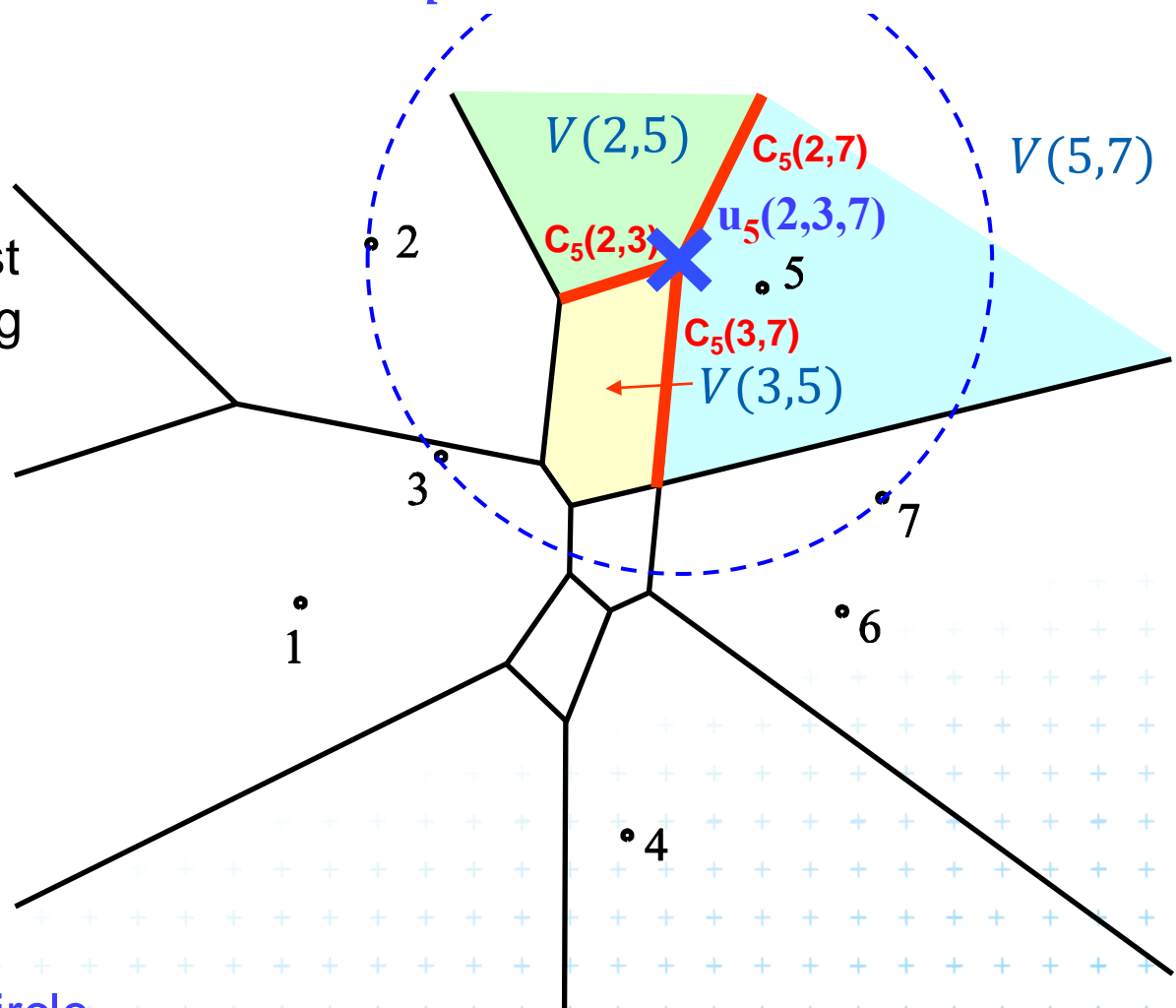
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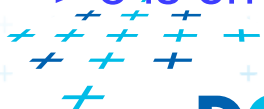
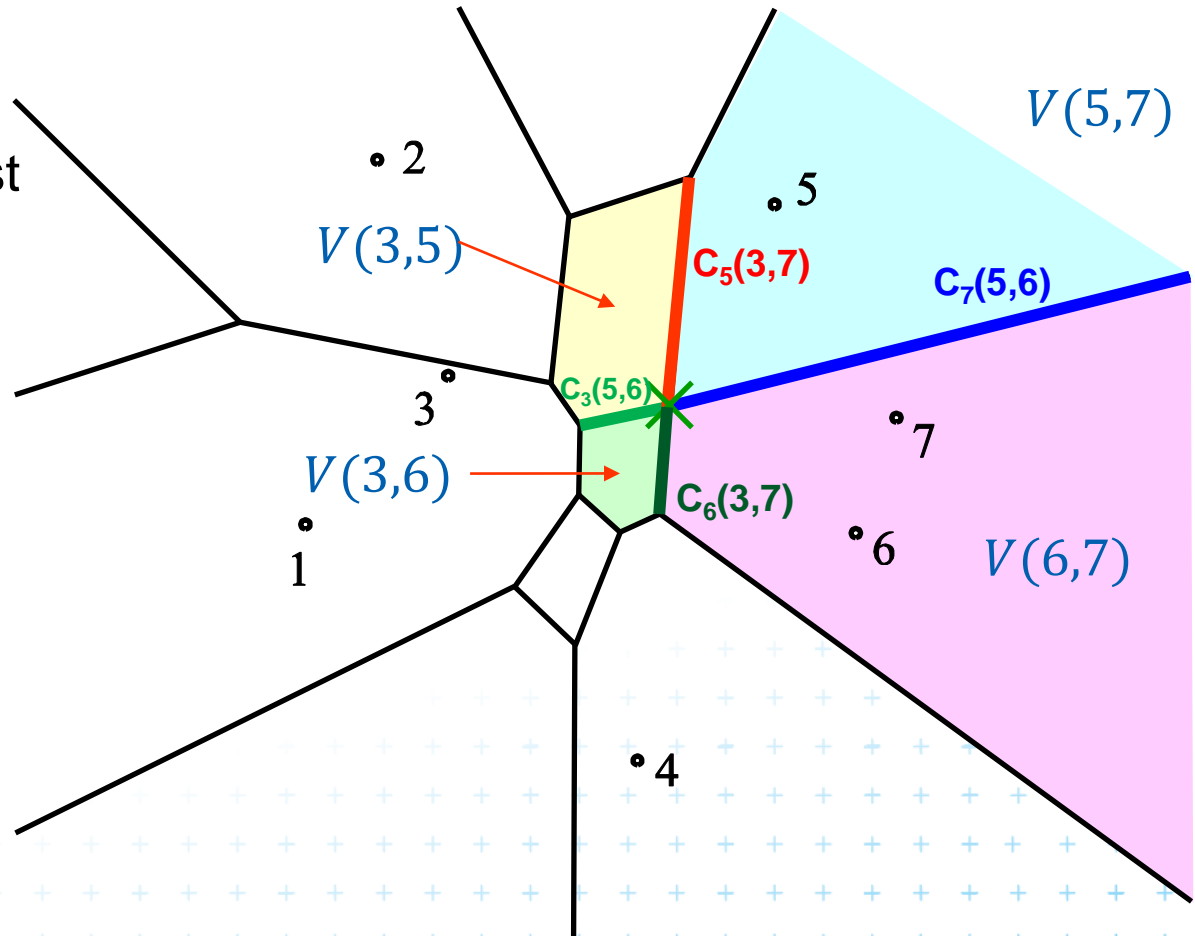
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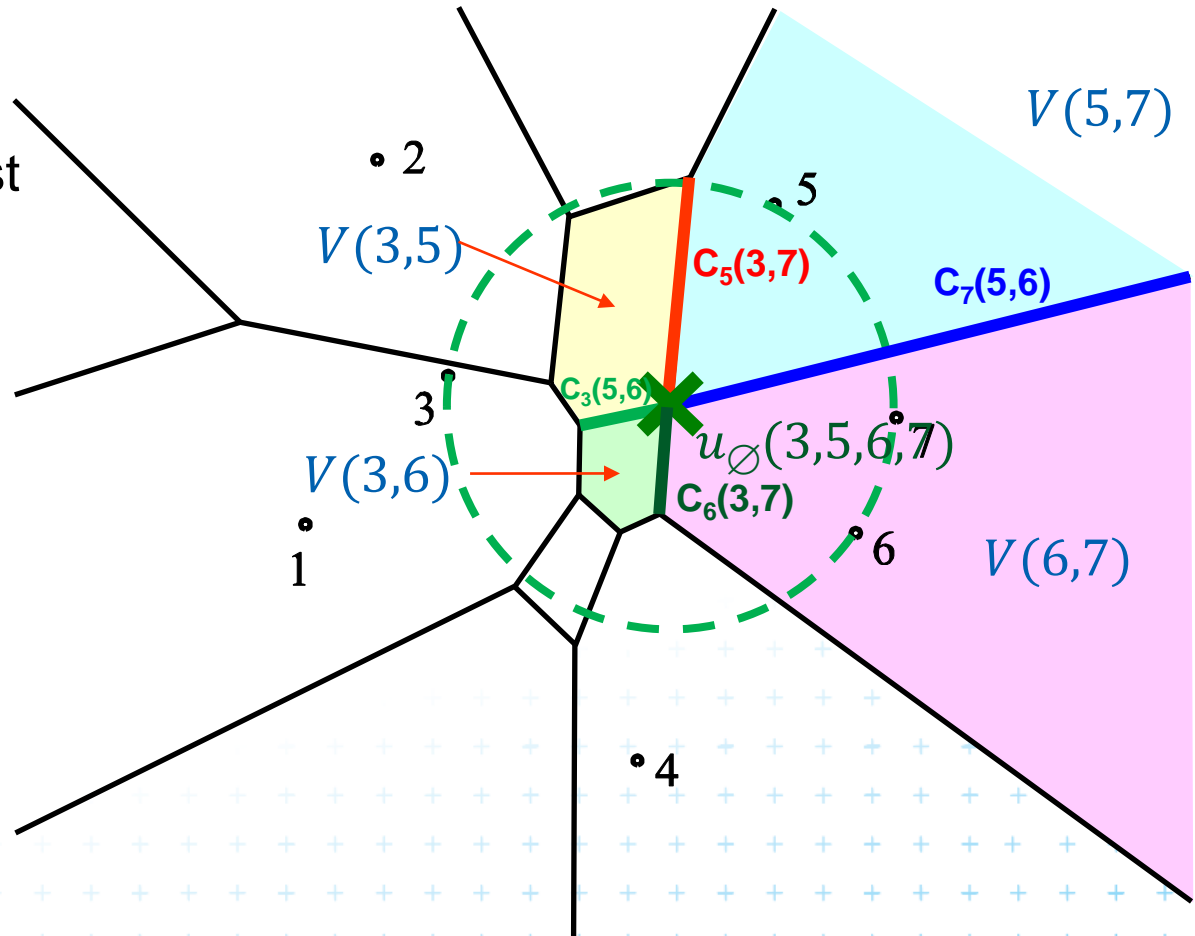
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Order-k Voronoi Diagram

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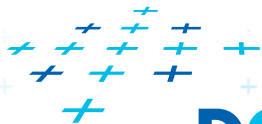
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Globally

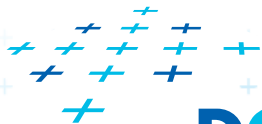
$$\sum_{i=1}^{k-1} O(in \log n) = O(k^2 n \log n)$$

From $V_1 \rightarrow V_k$

The order- k diagram can be iteratively constructed in $O(k^2 n \log n)$ time from the pointset of size n



Order $n-1$ VD (Farthest-point Voronoi diagram)





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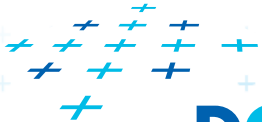
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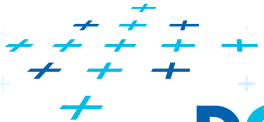
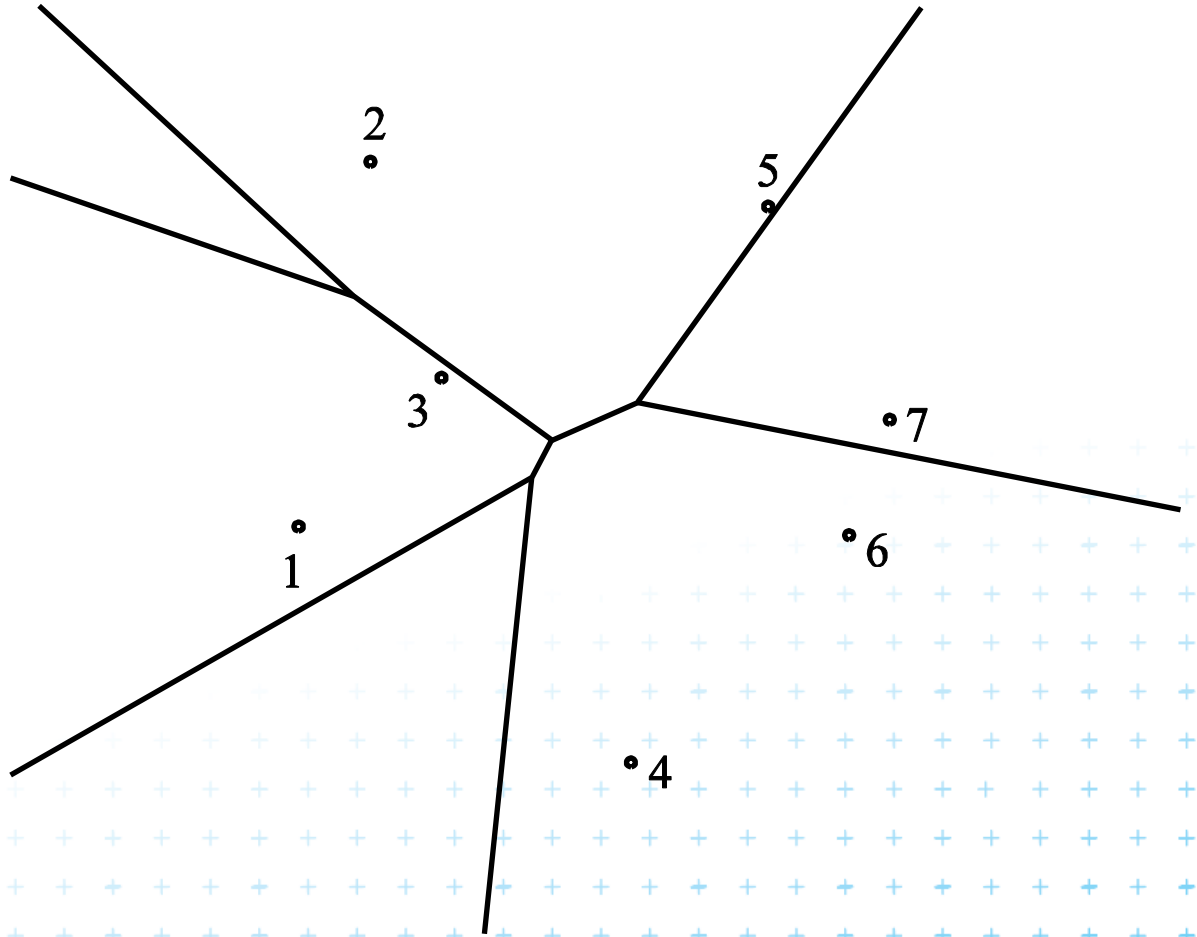
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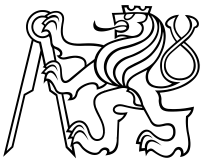
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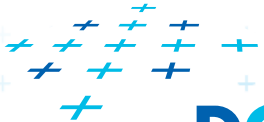
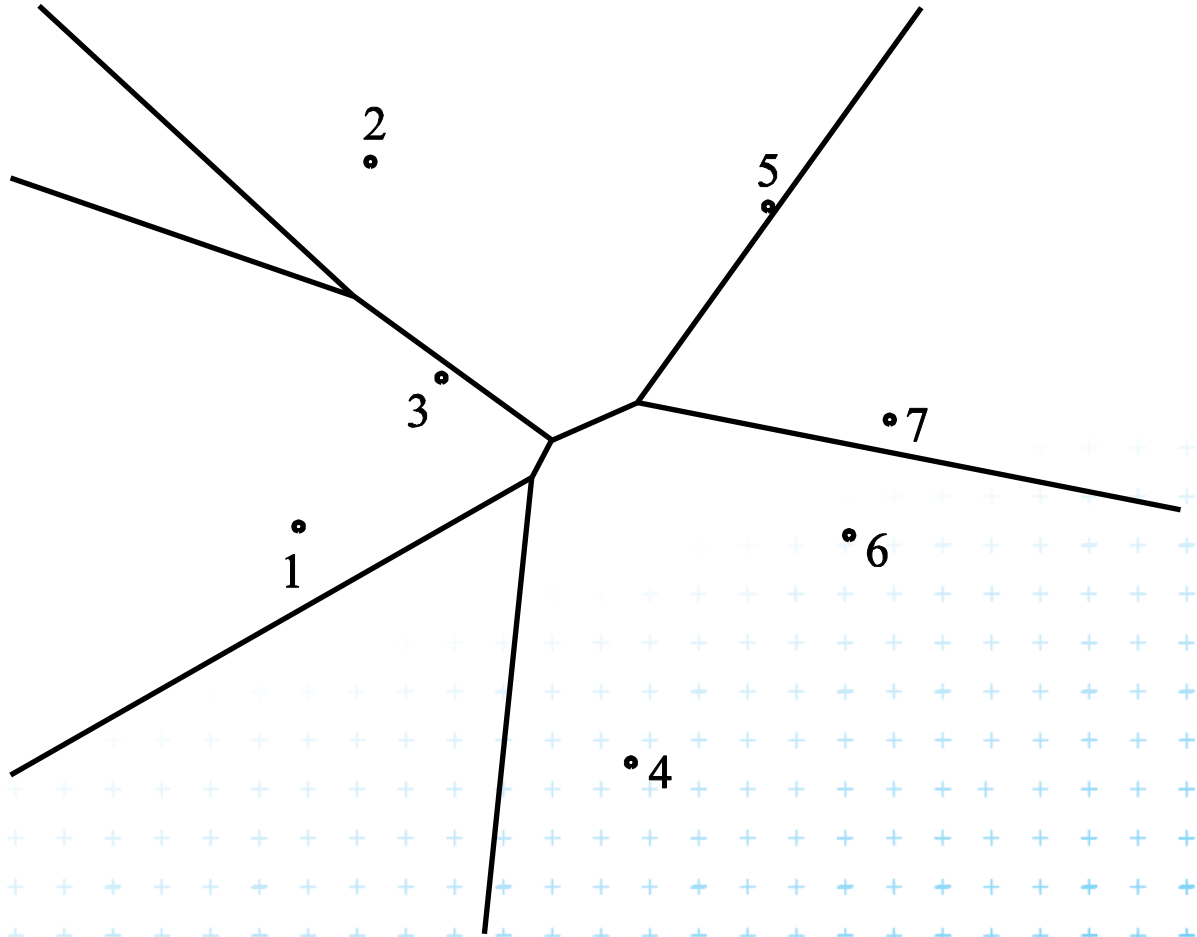
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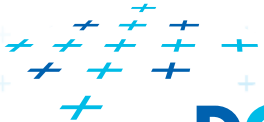
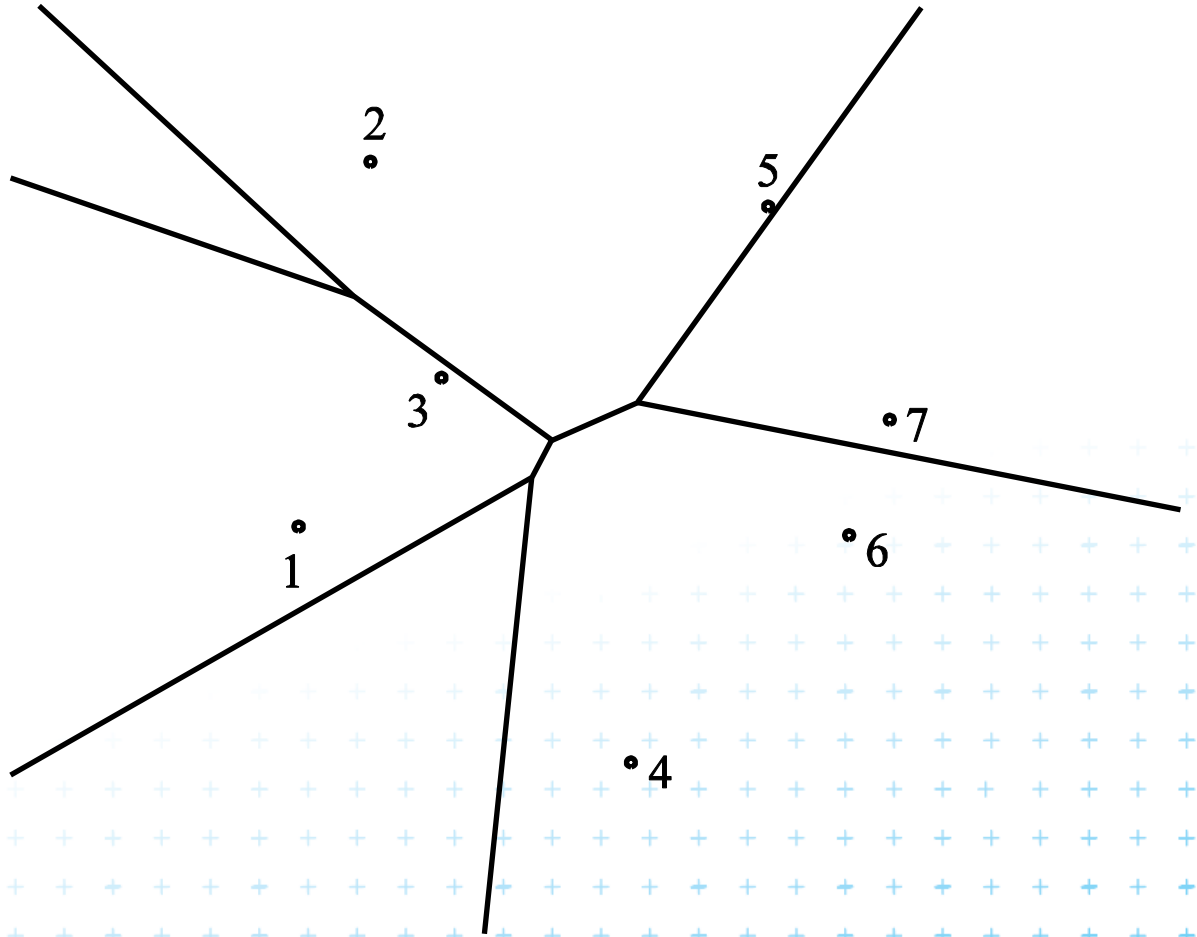
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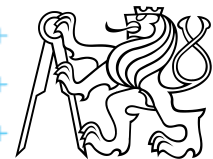
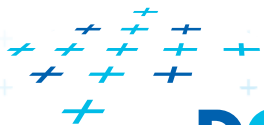
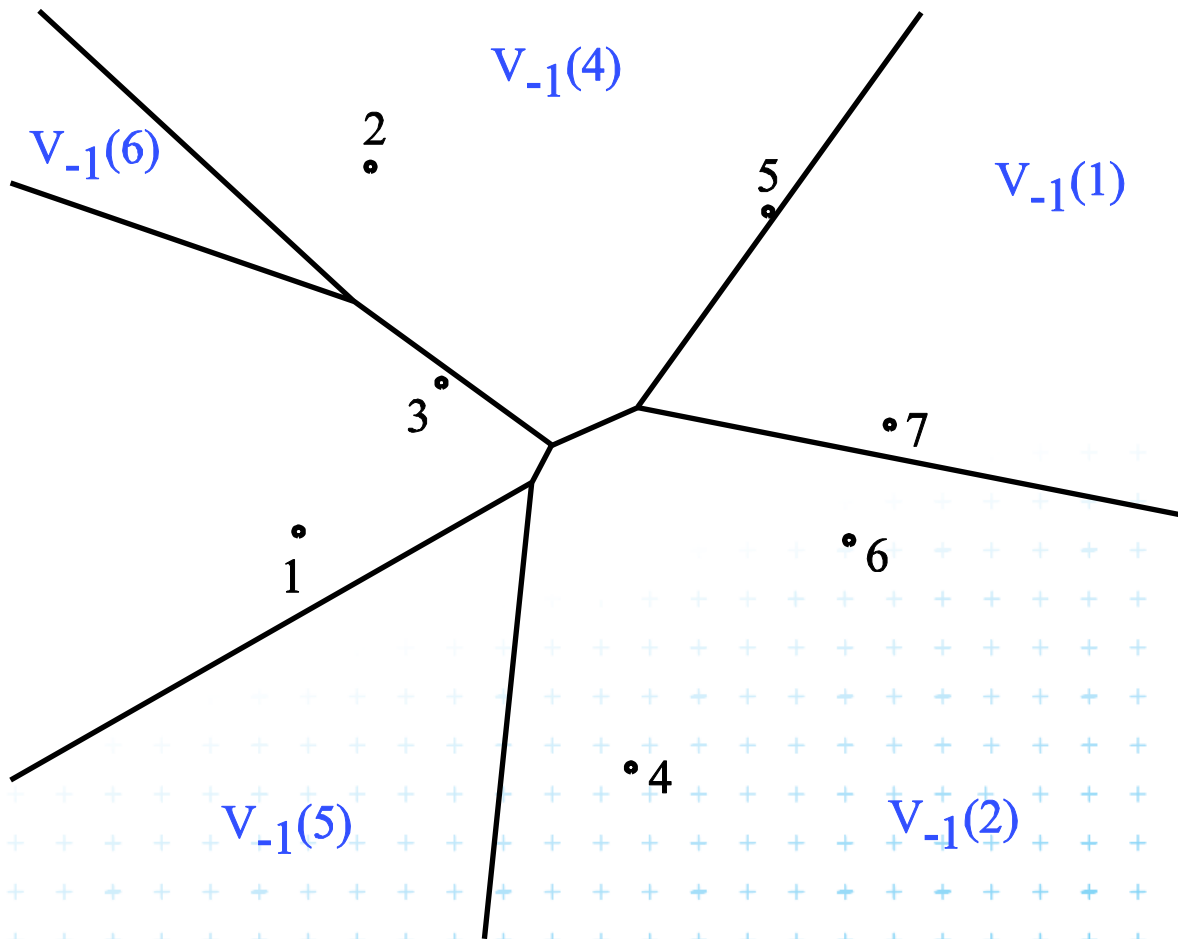
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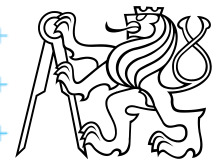
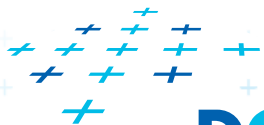
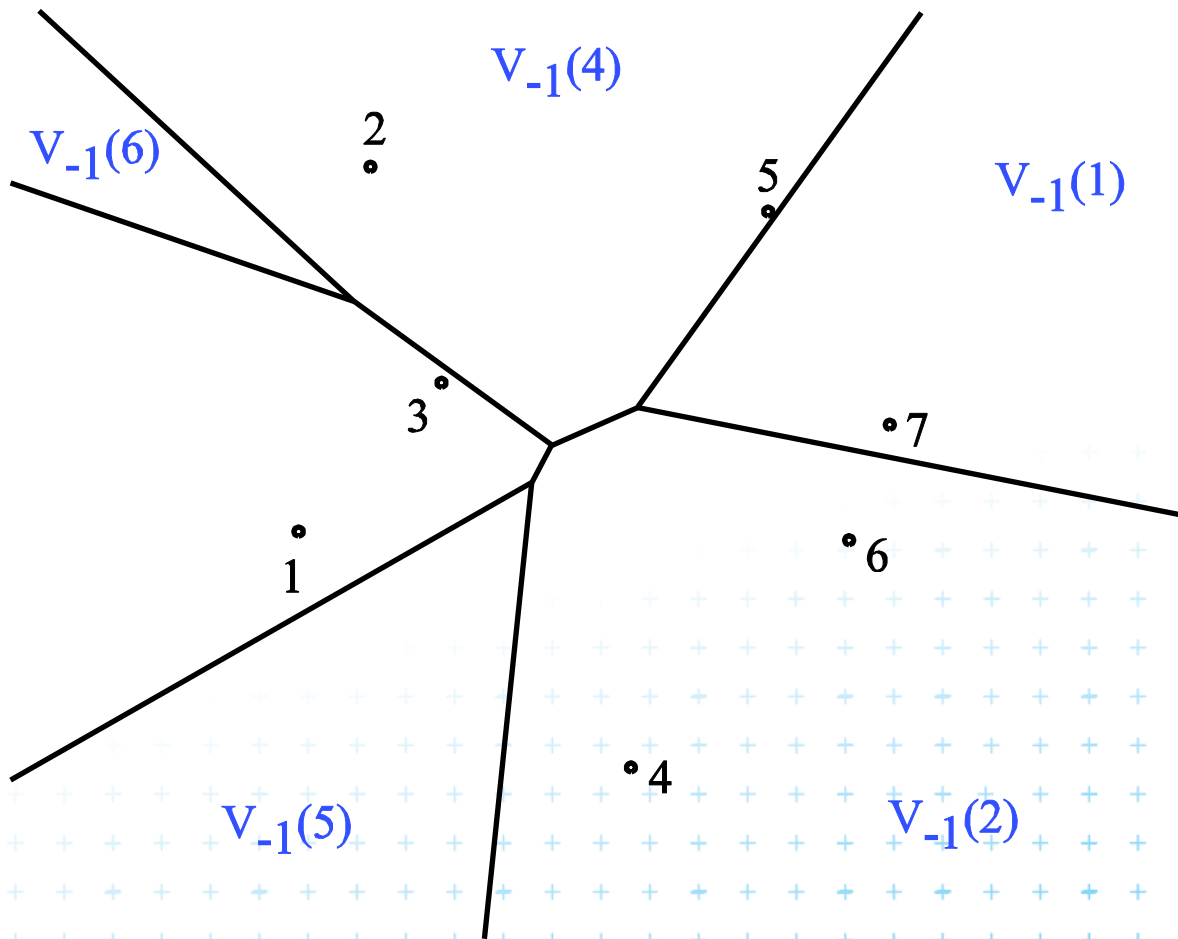




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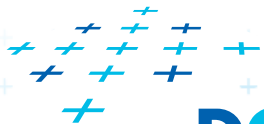
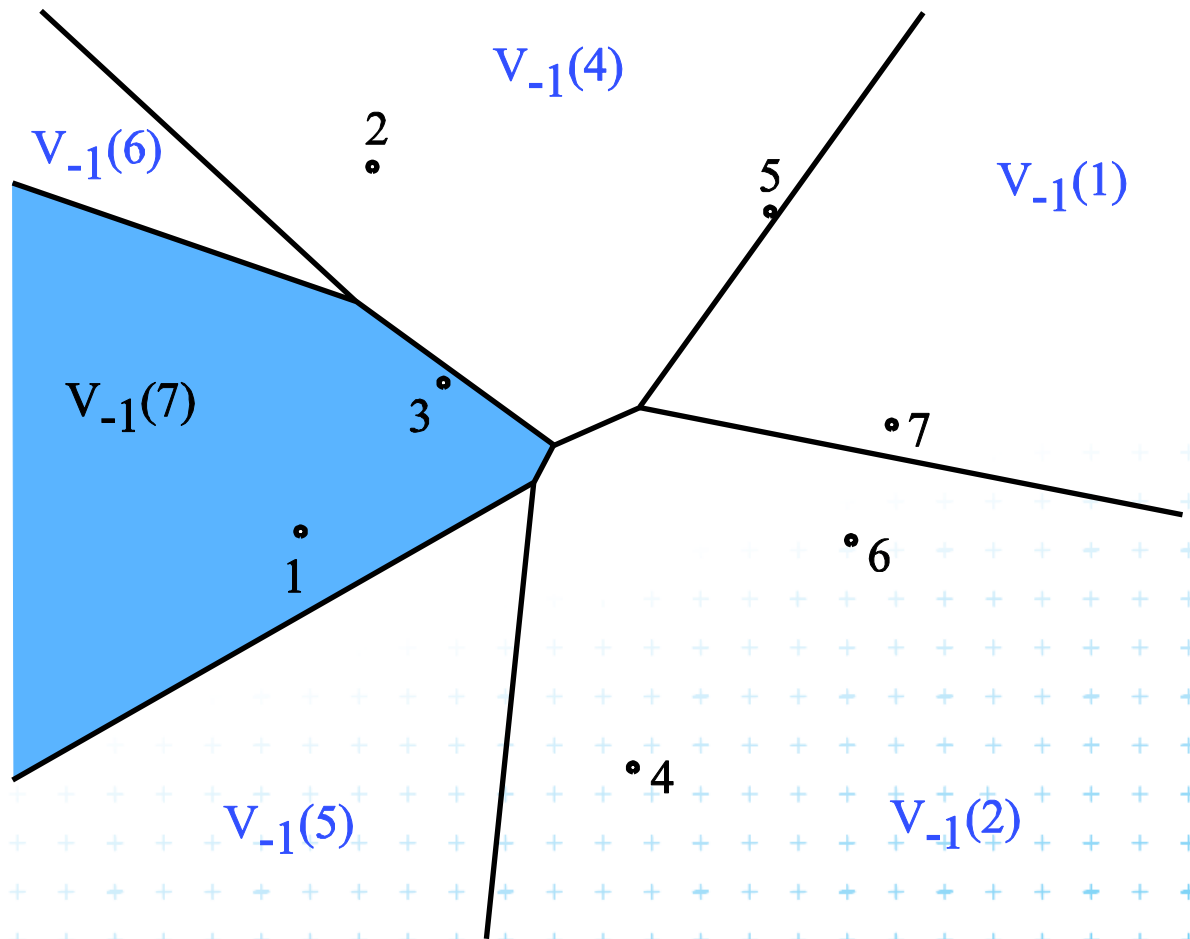
Farthest-point Voronoi diagram

$V_{-1}(p_i)$ cell

= set of points in the plane farther from p_i than from any other site

$\text{Vor}_{-1}(P)$ diagram

= partition of the plane formed by the farthest point Voronoi regions, their edges, and vertices

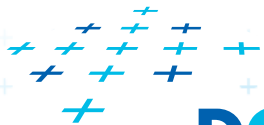
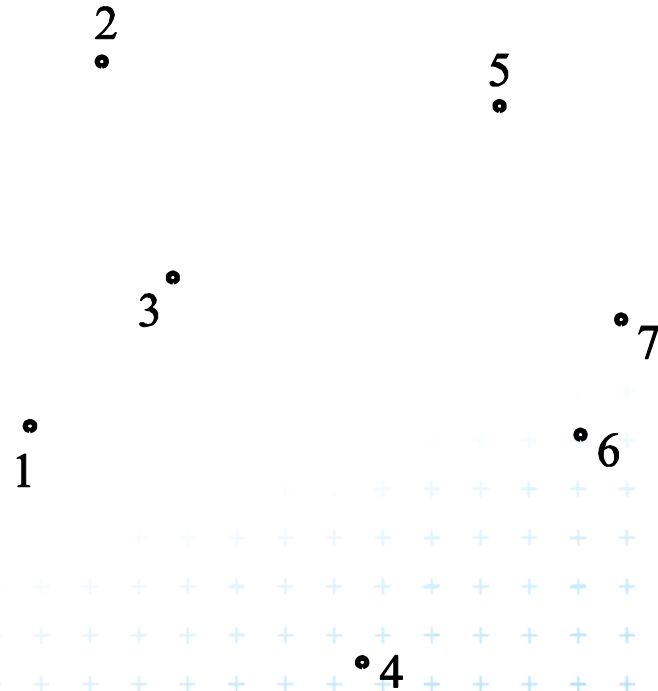


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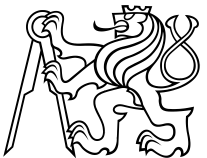
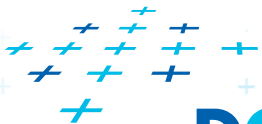
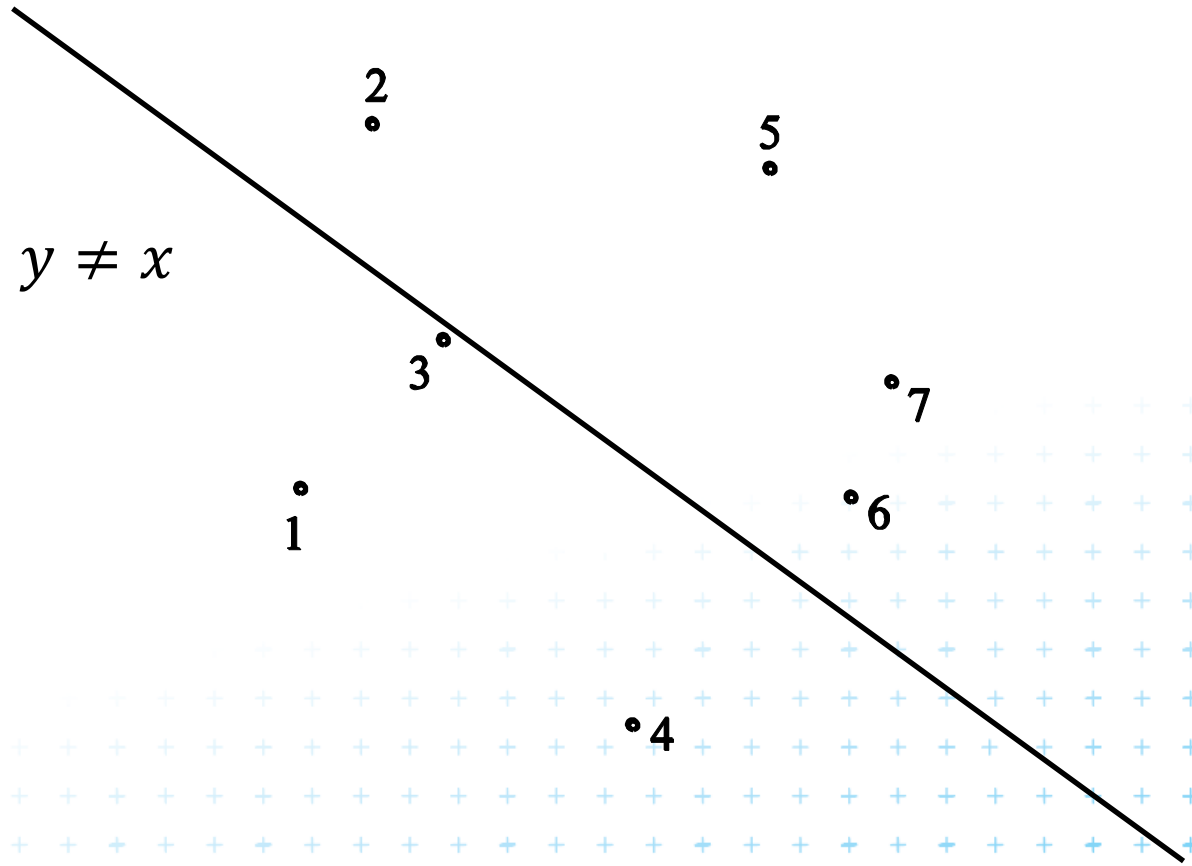


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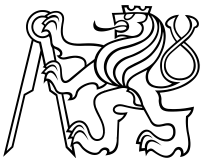
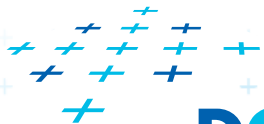
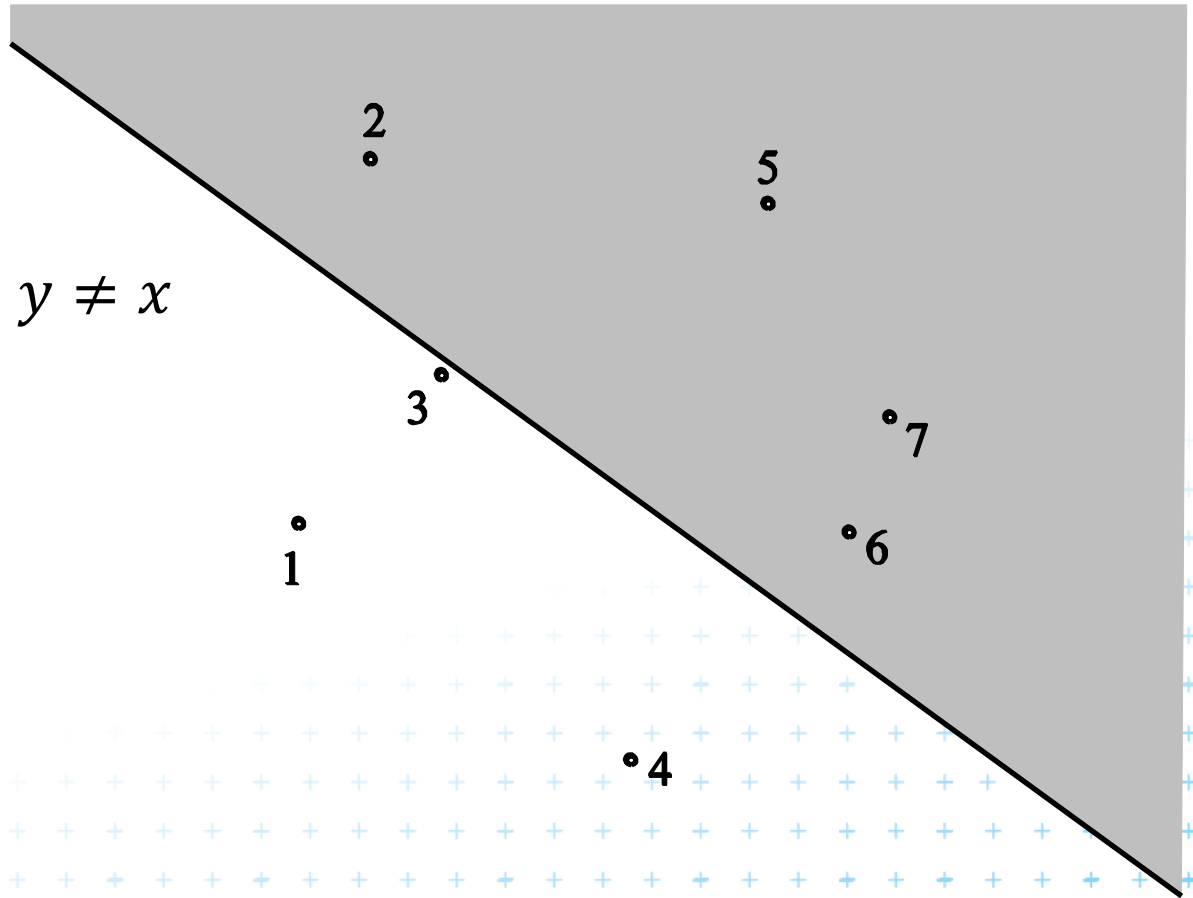


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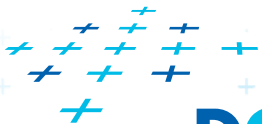
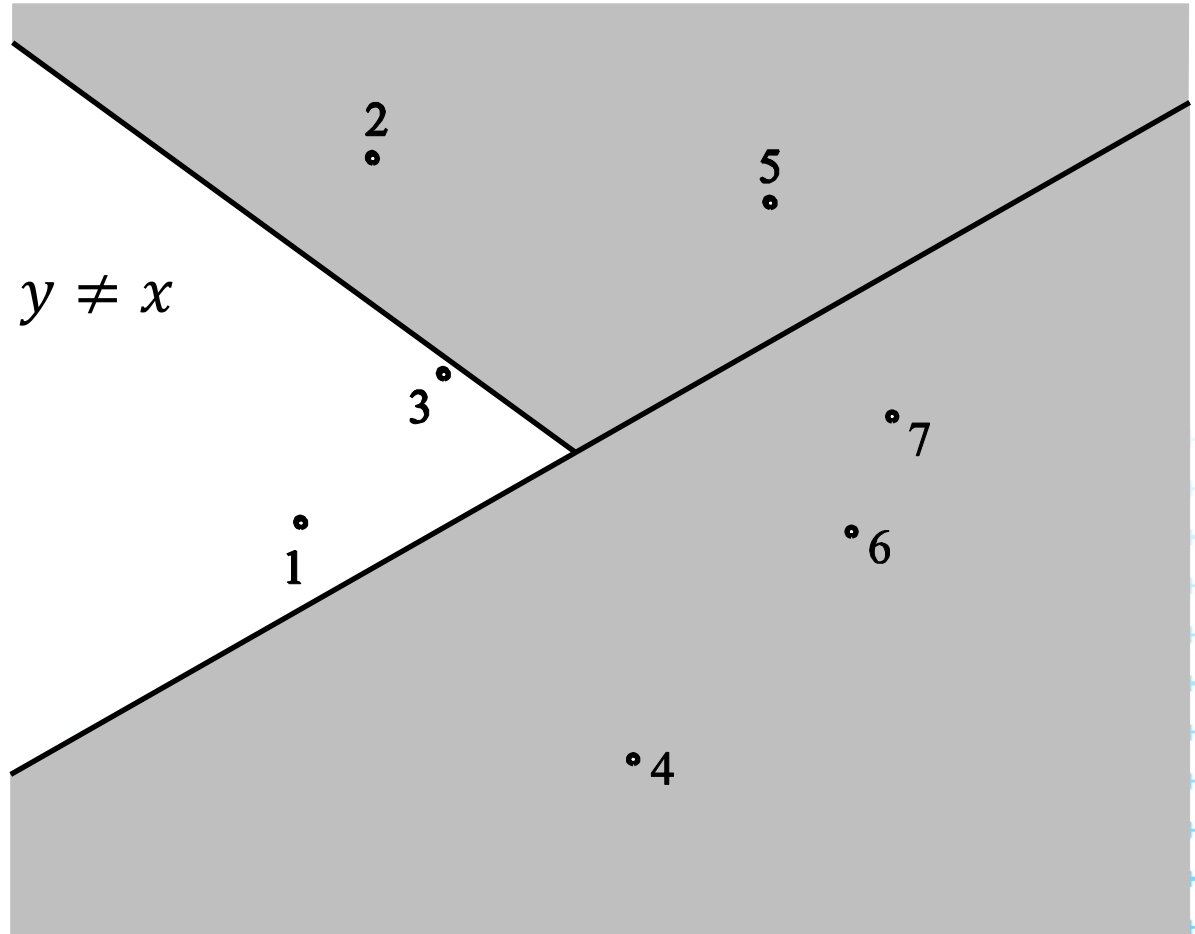


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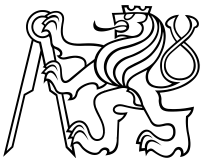
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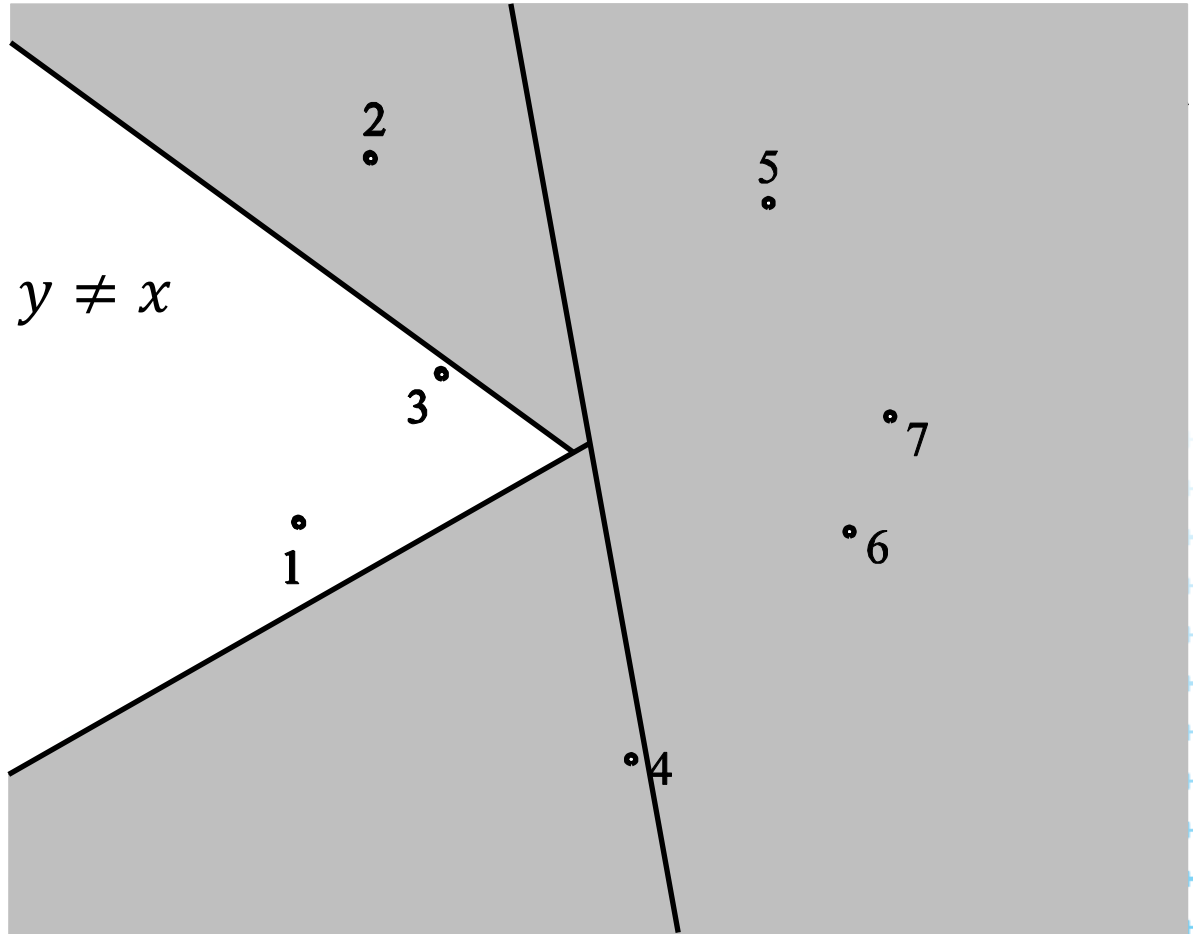


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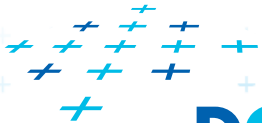
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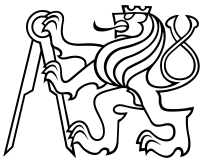
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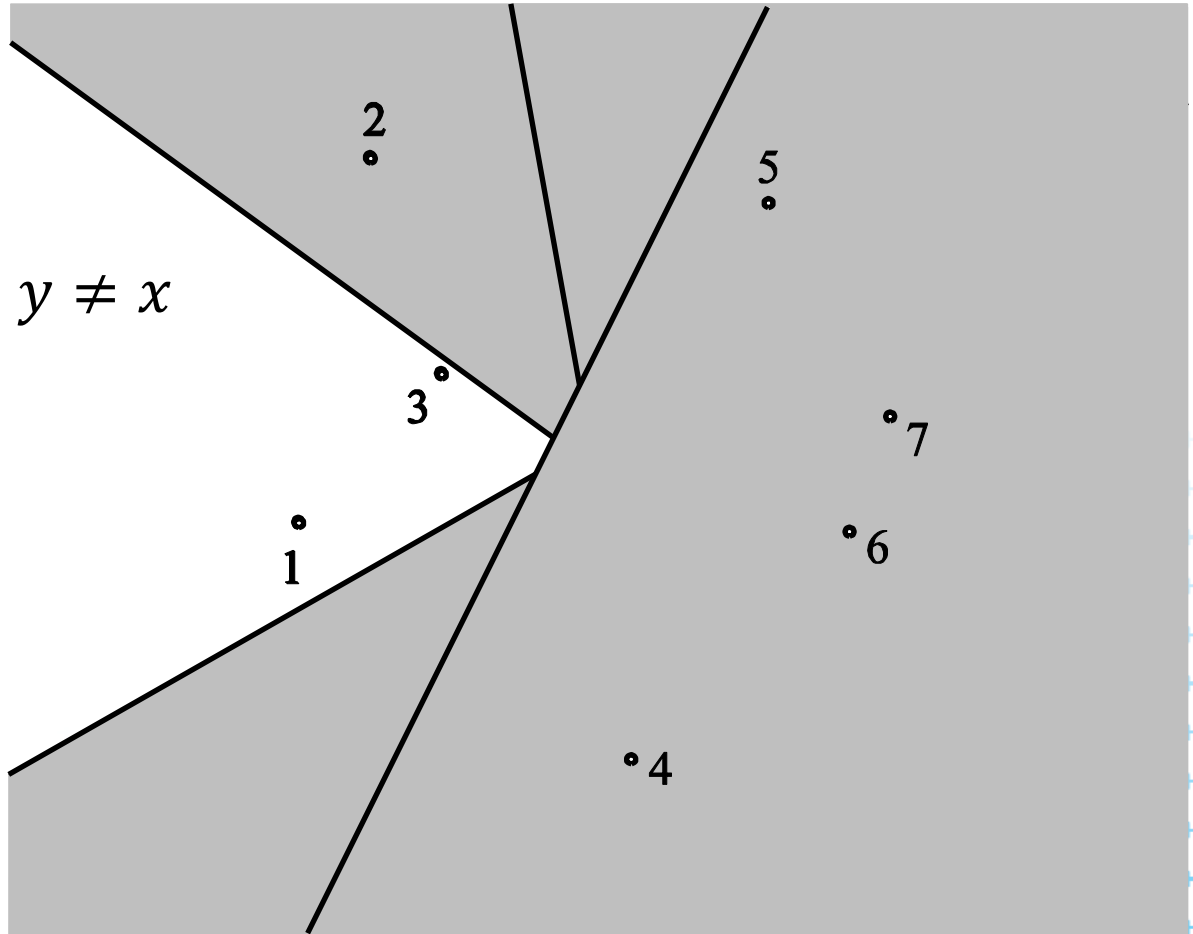


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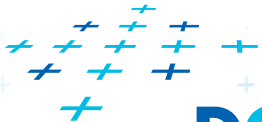
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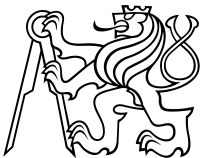
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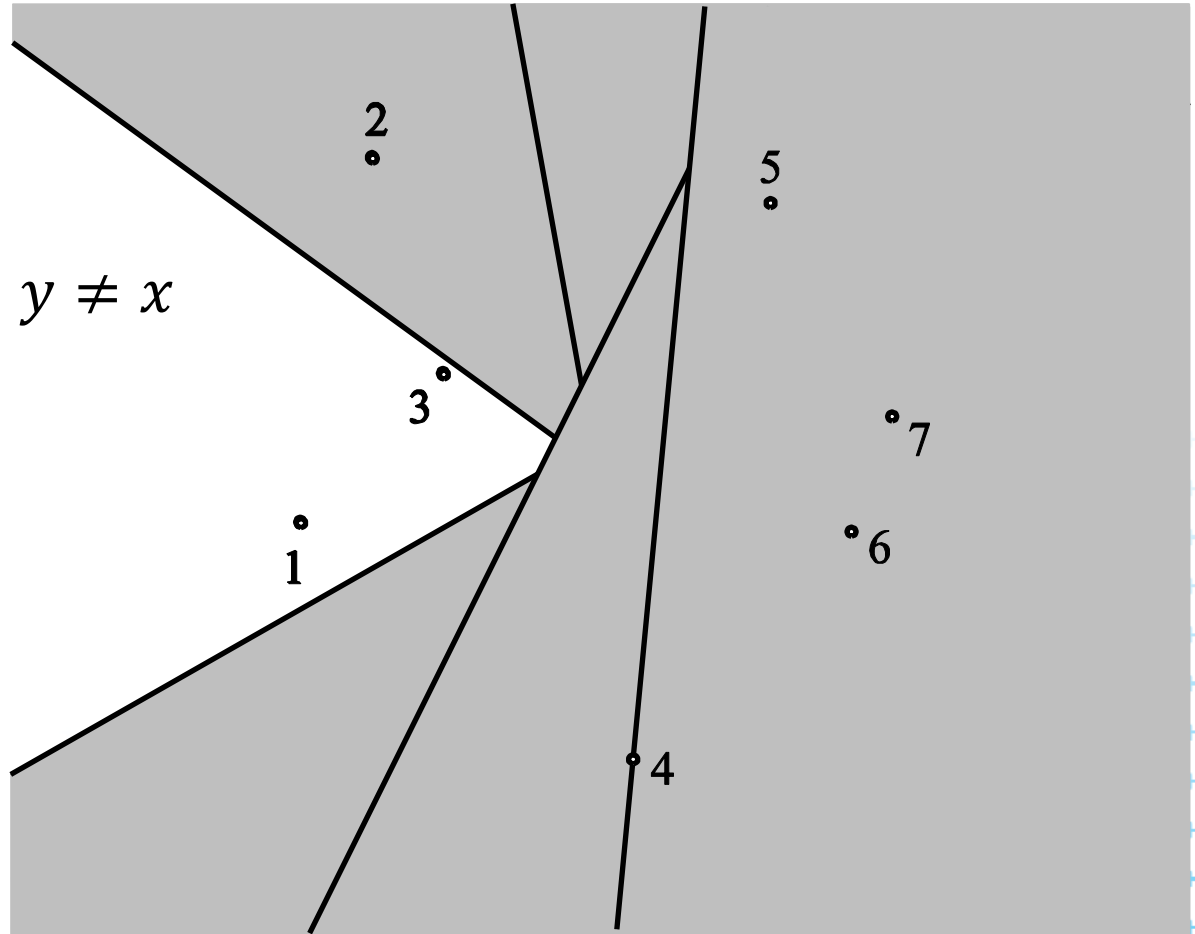


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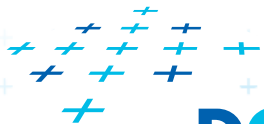
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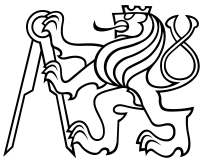
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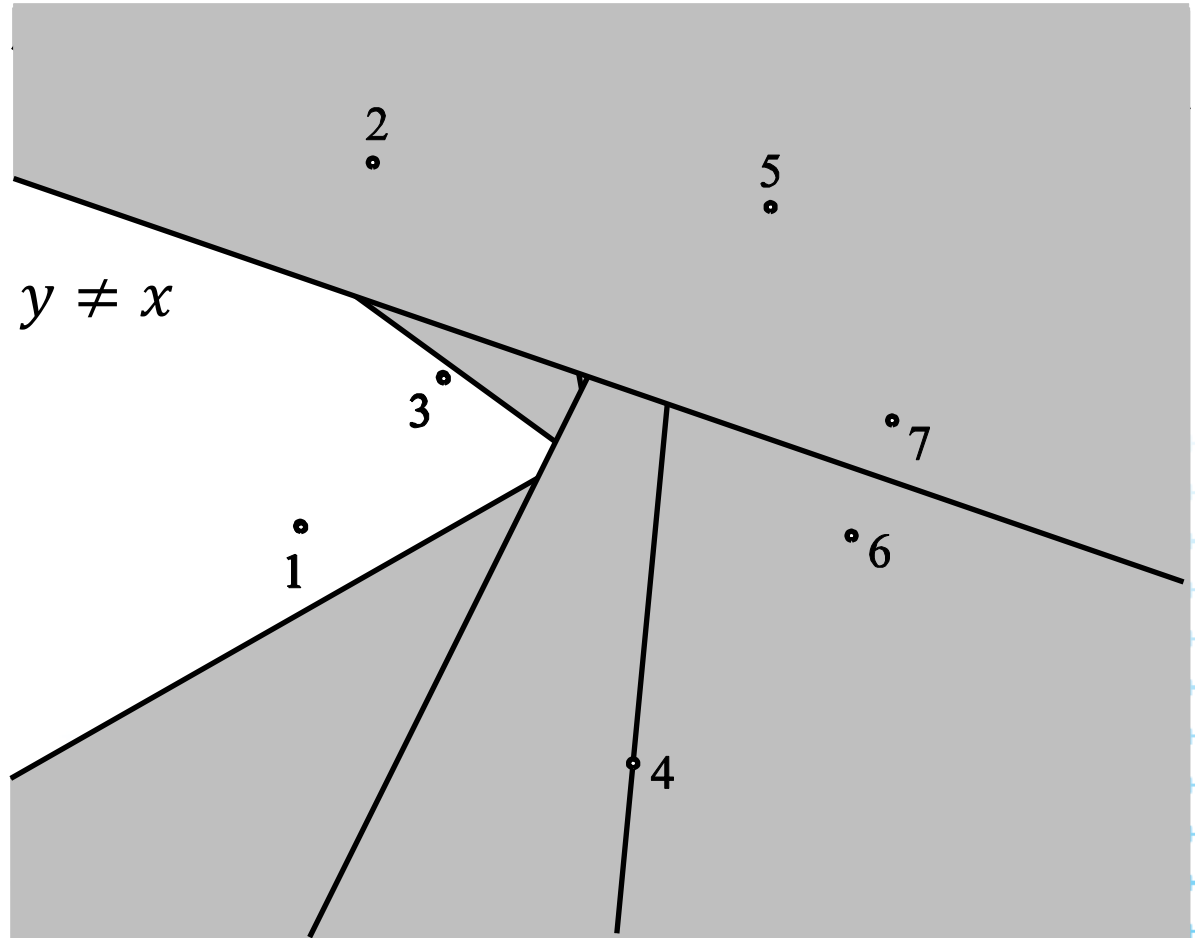


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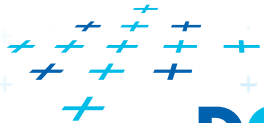
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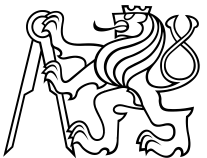
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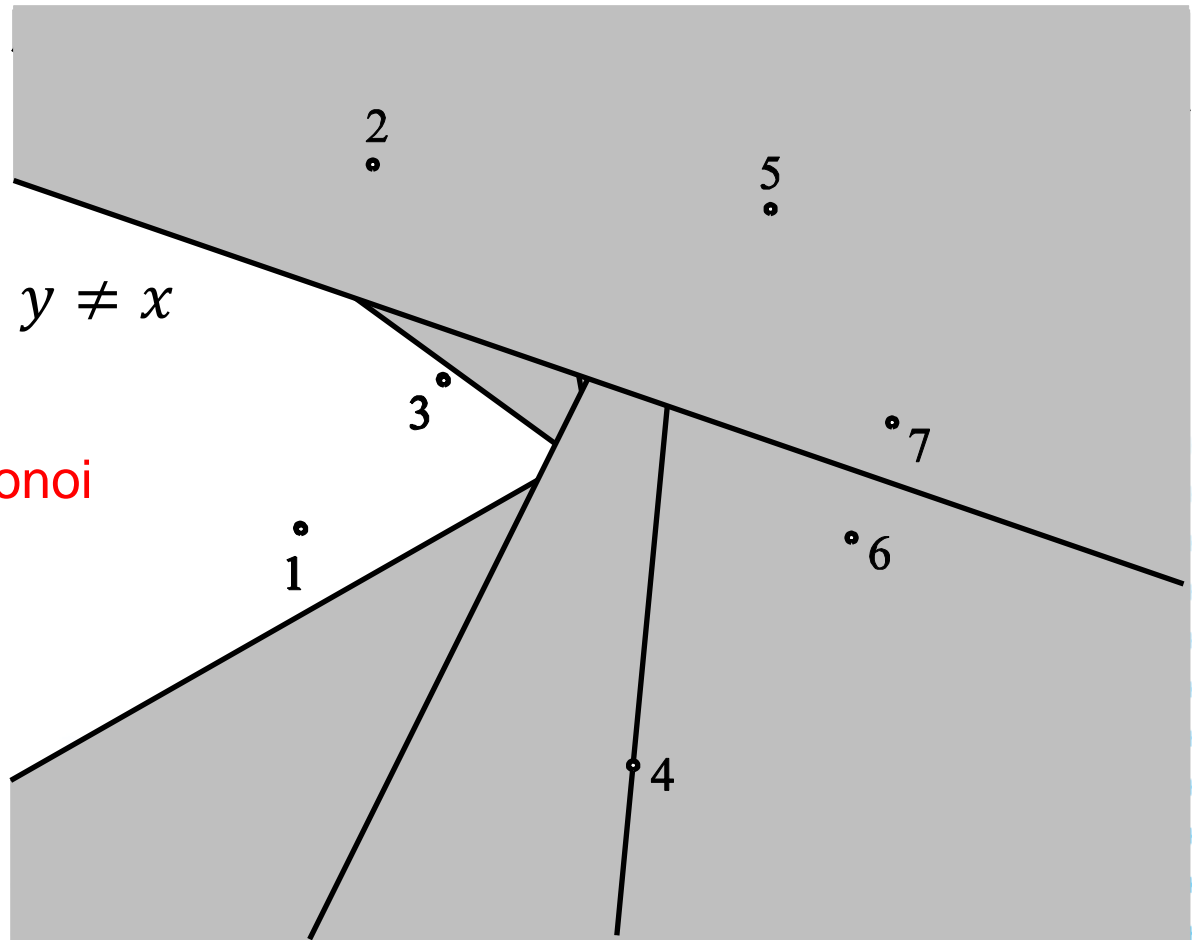
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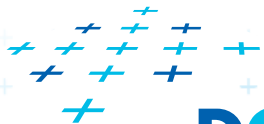
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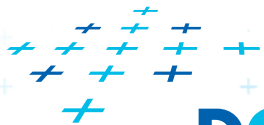
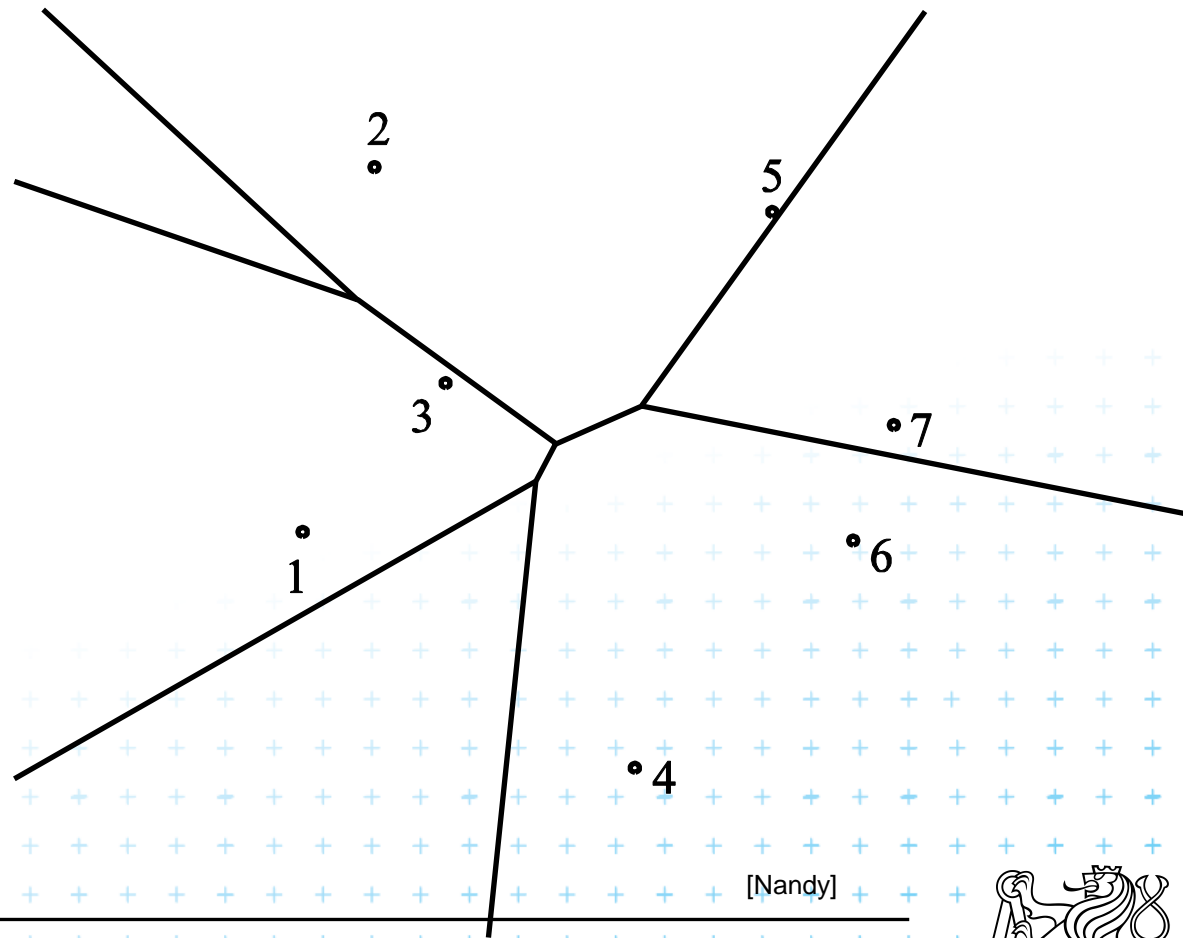


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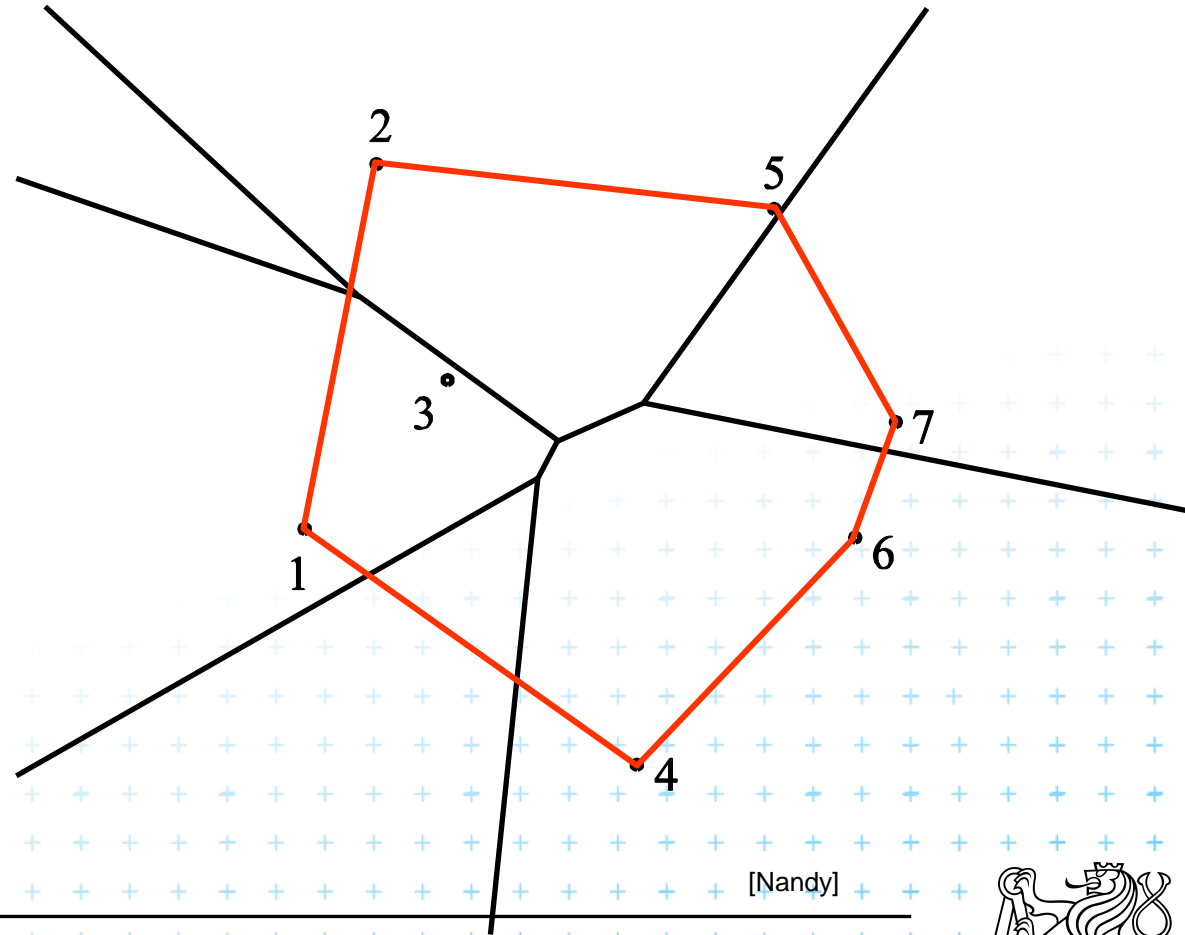
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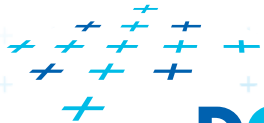
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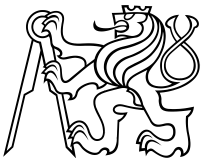
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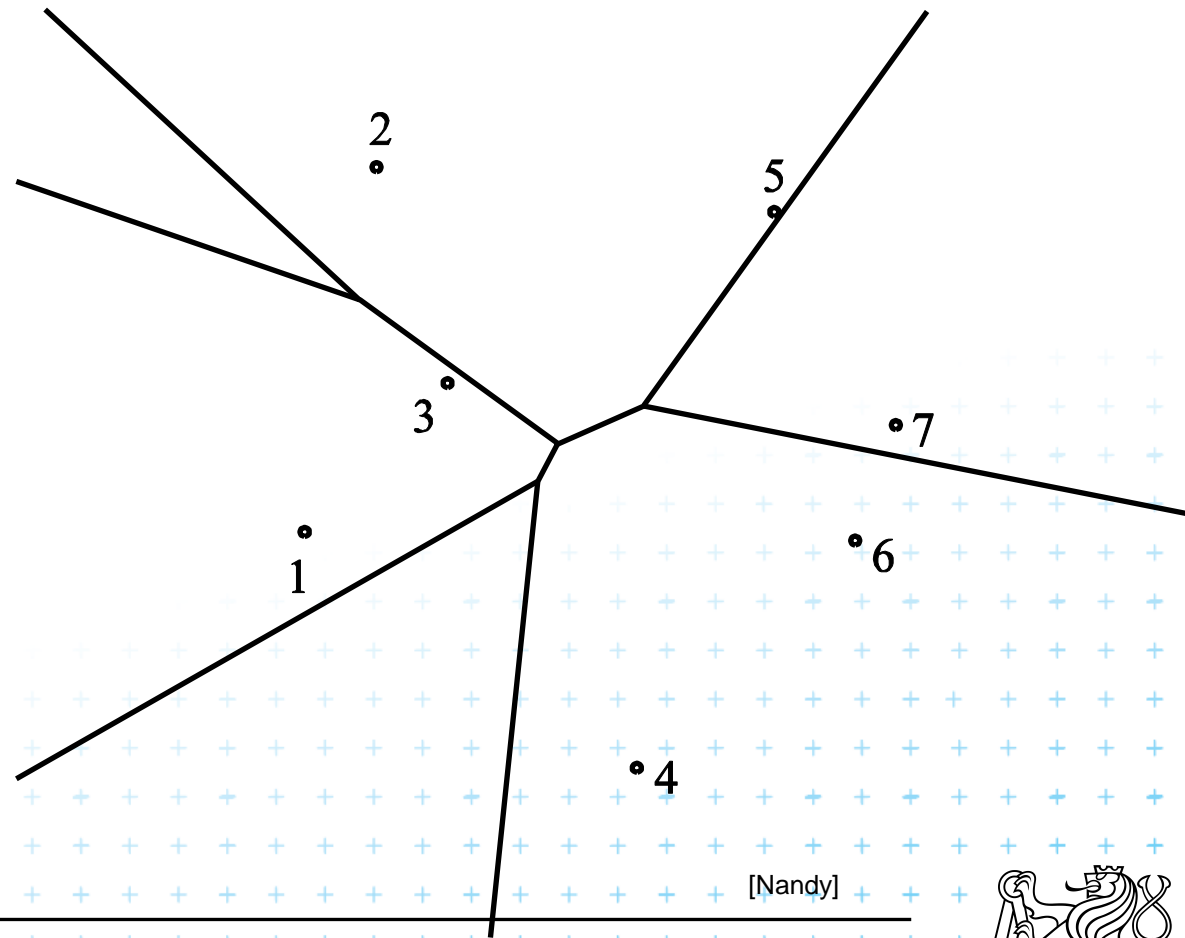
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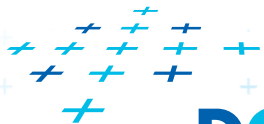
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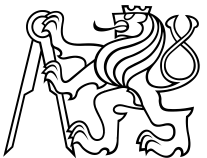
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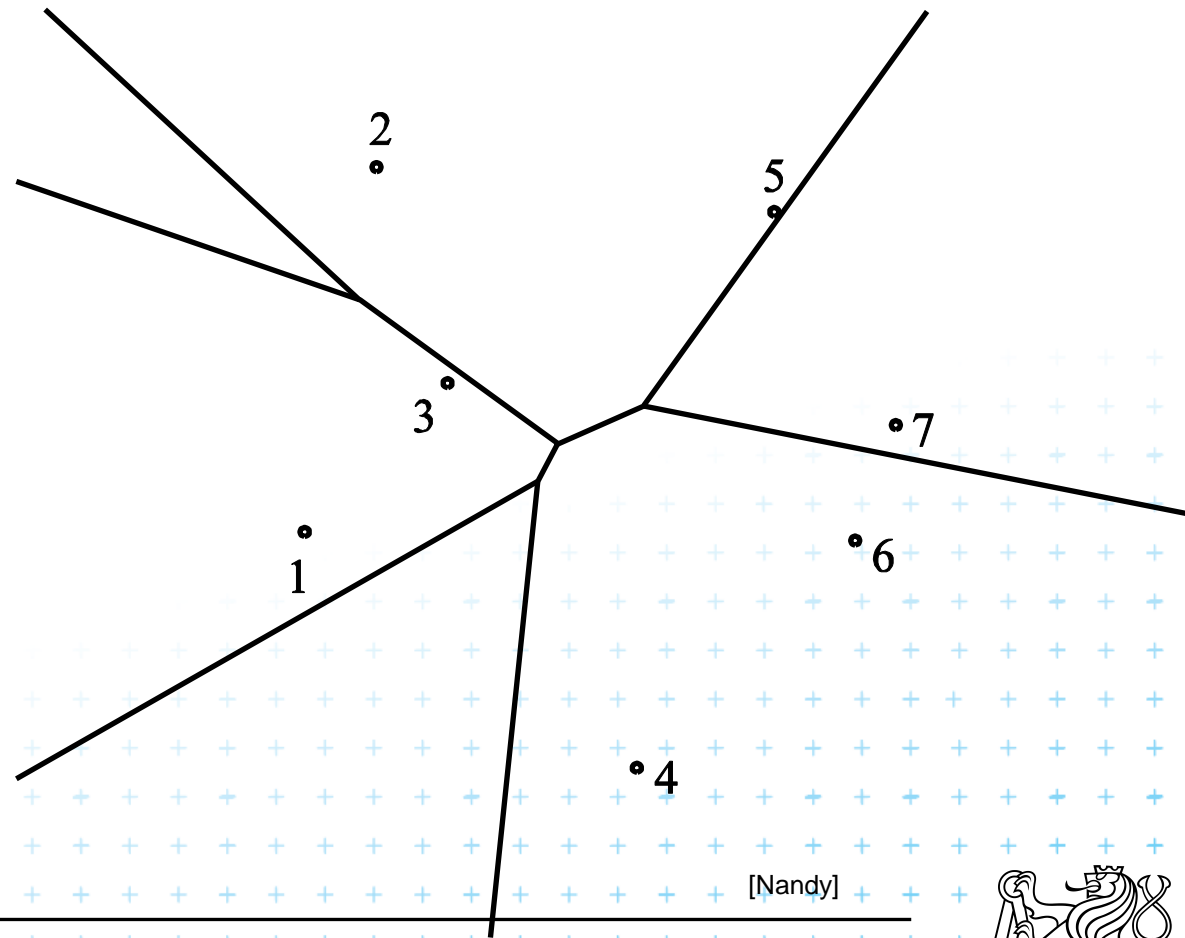
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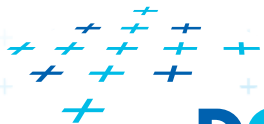
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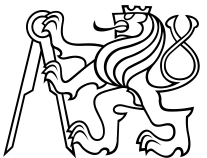
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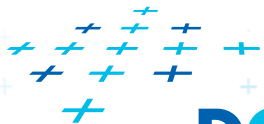
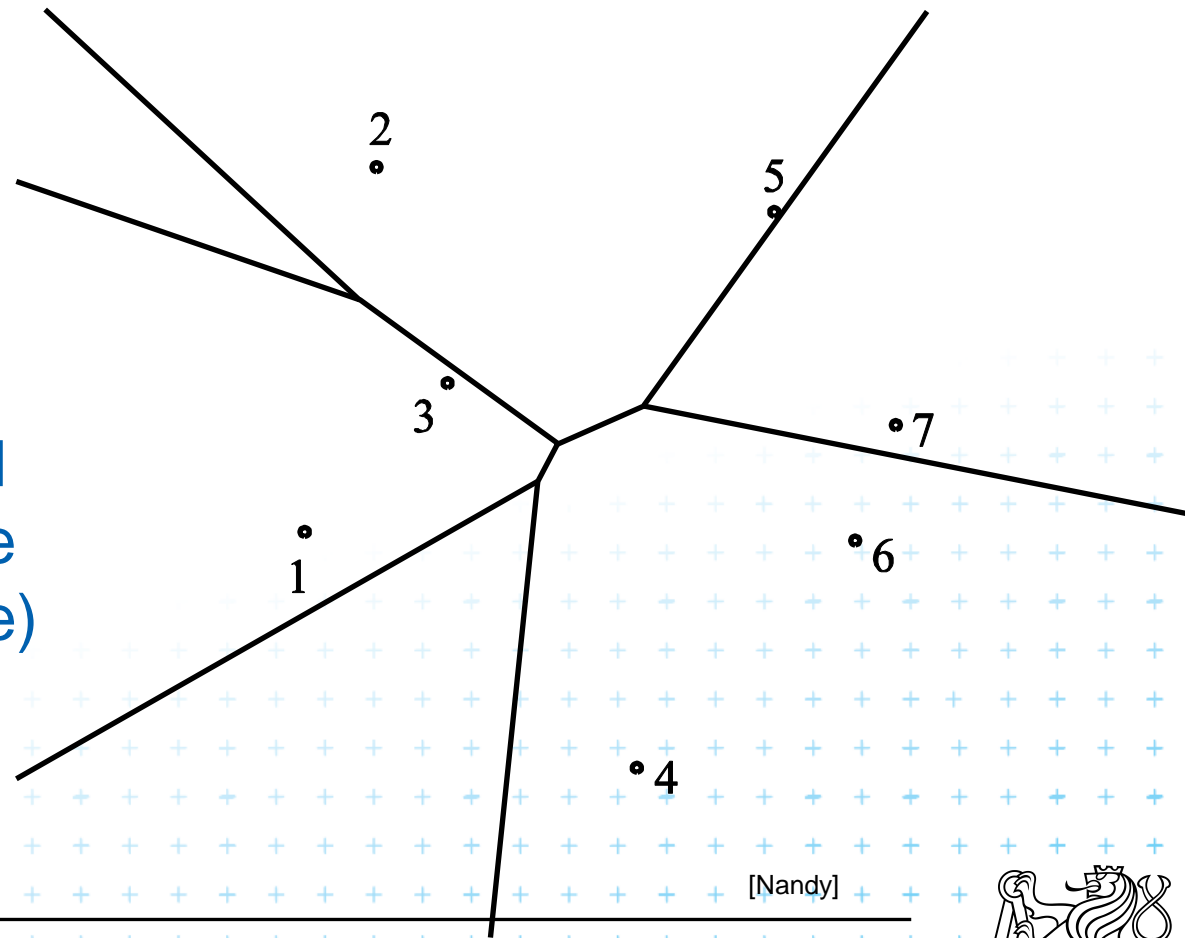
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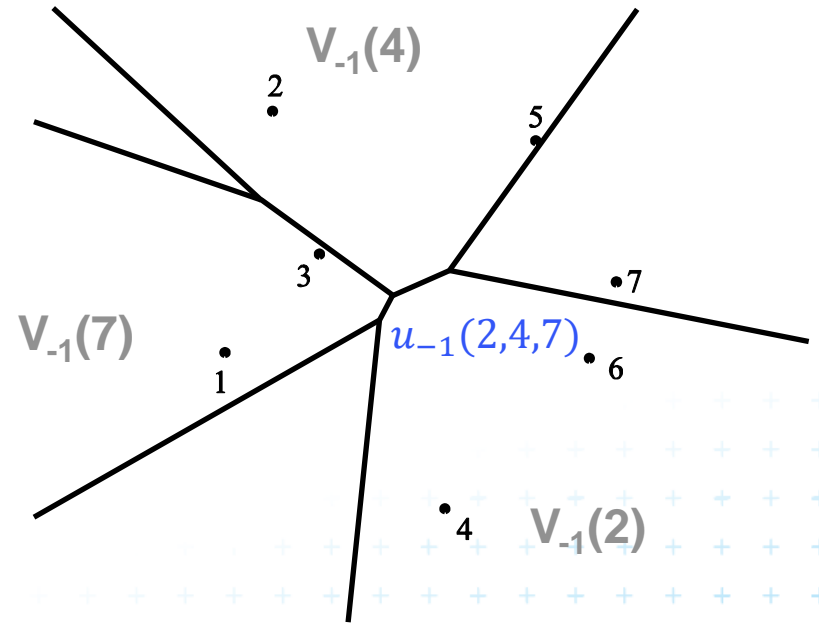
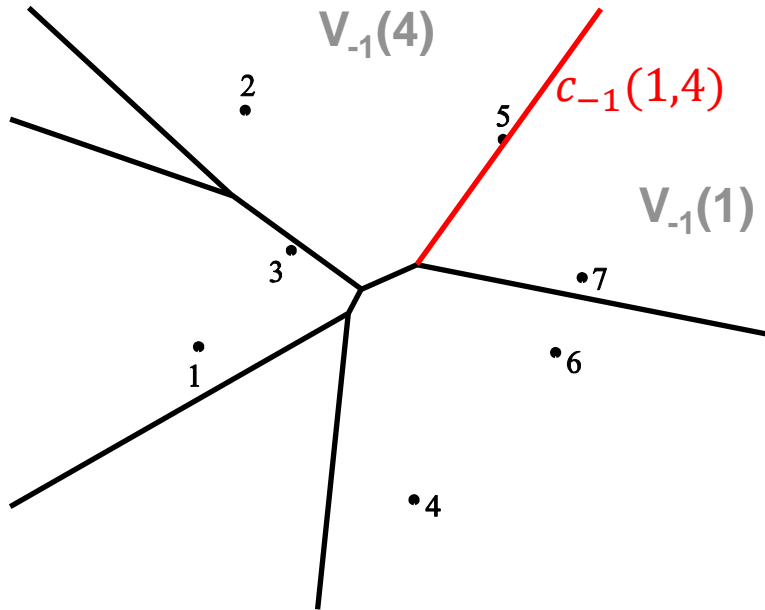
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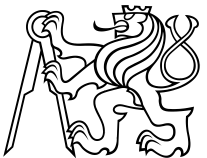
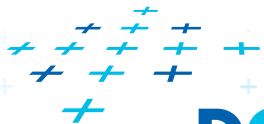
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- The farthest point Voronoi edges and vertices form a tree (in the graph sense)



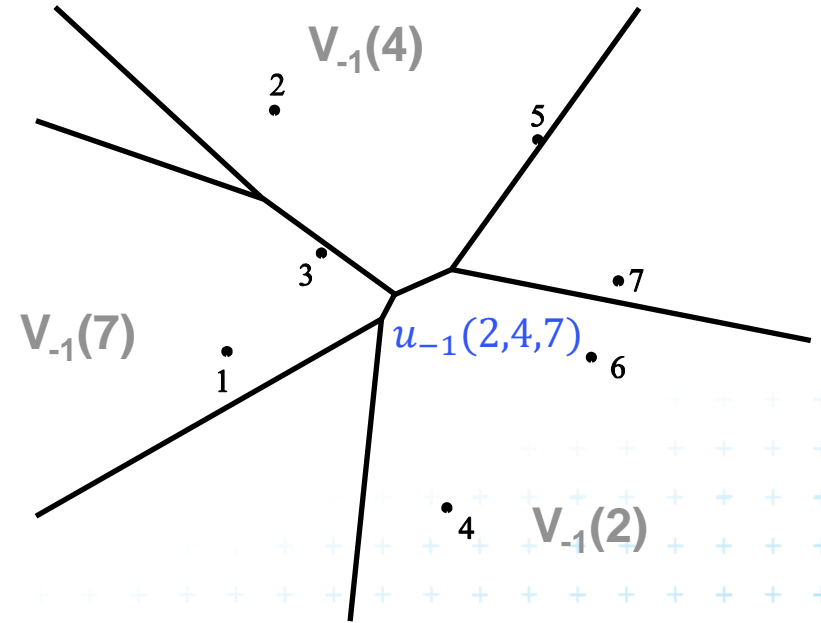
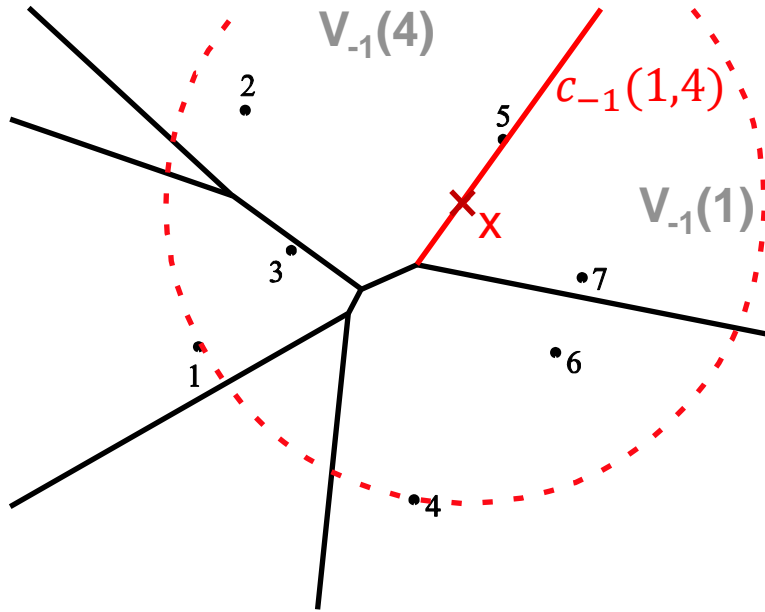
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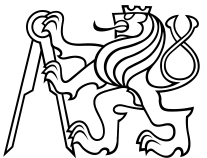
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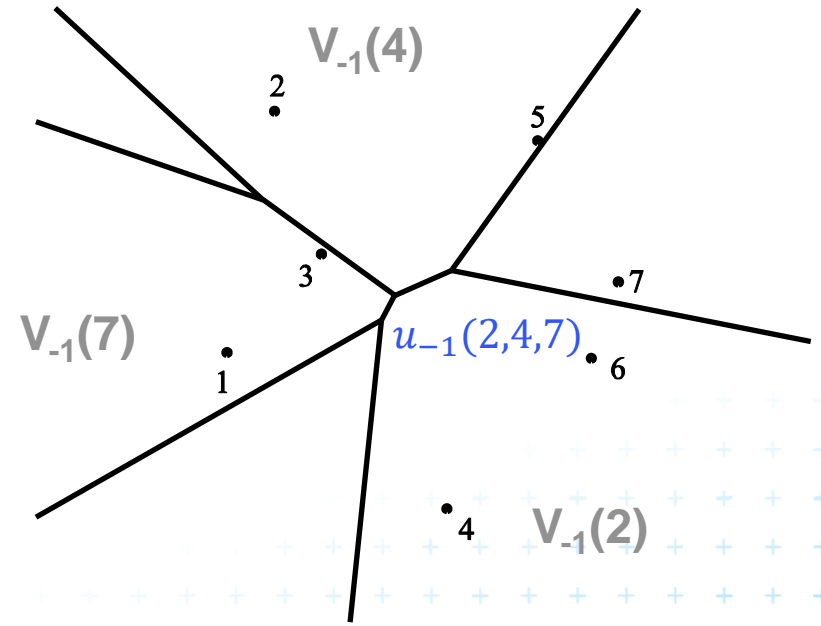
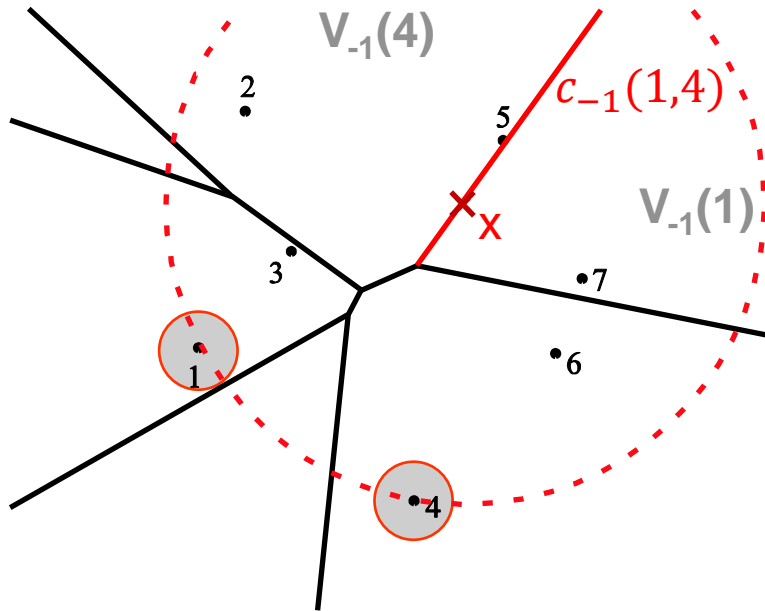
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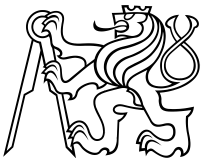
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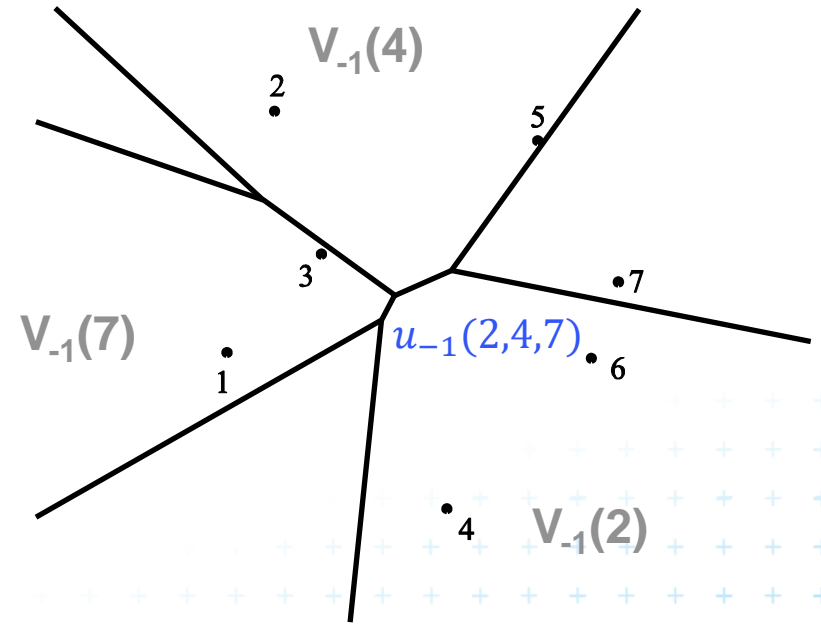
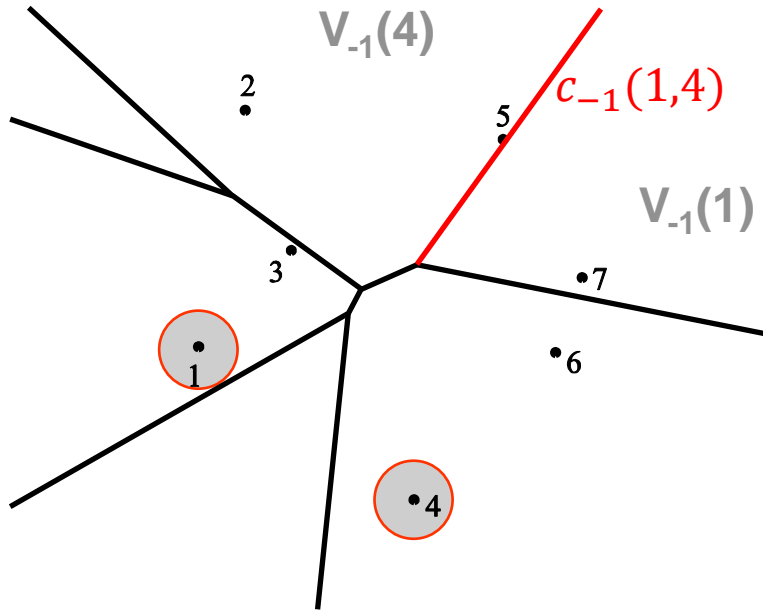
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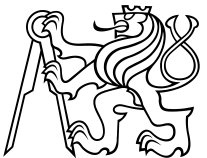
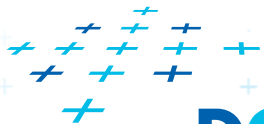
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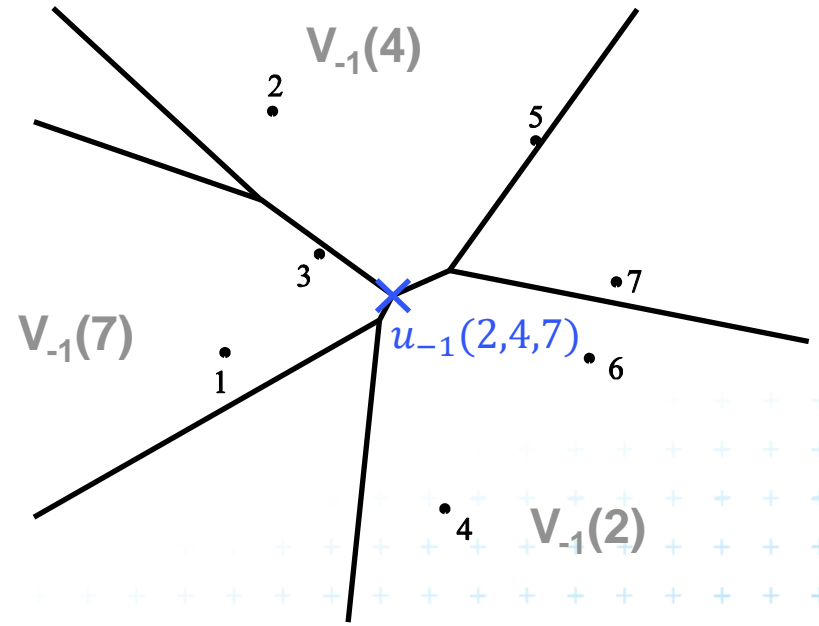
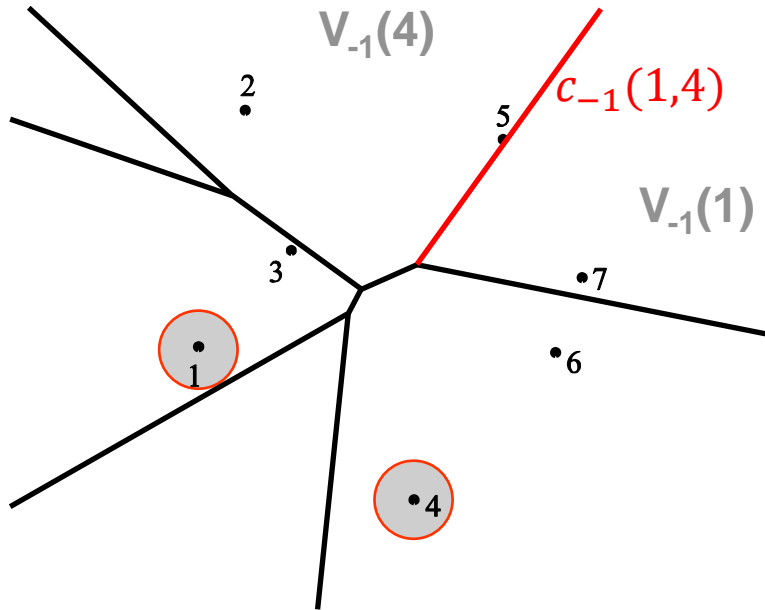
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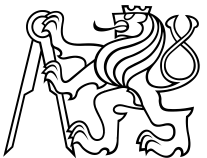
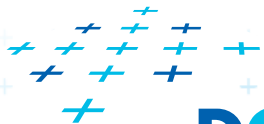
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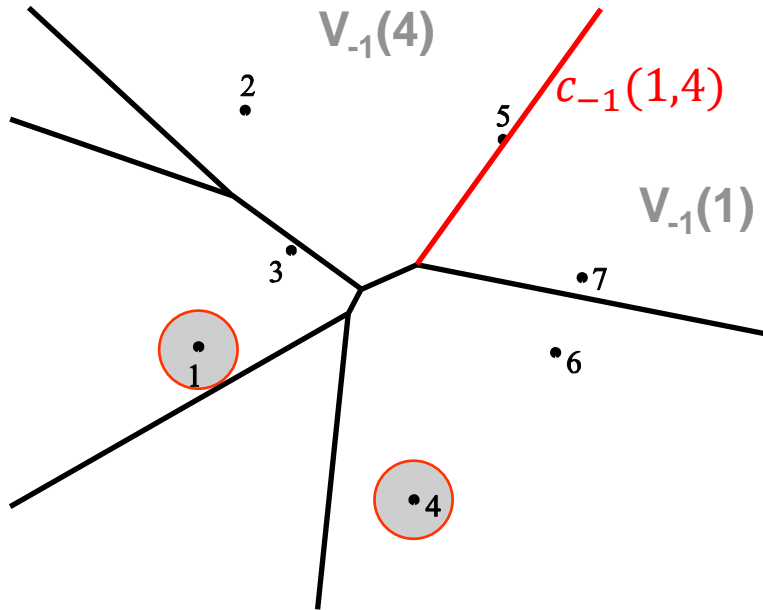
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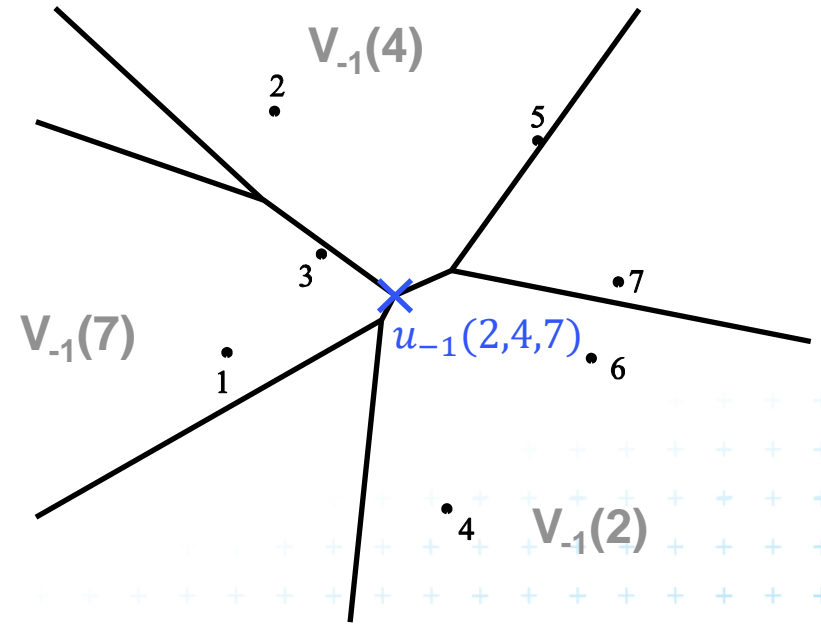
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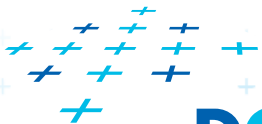
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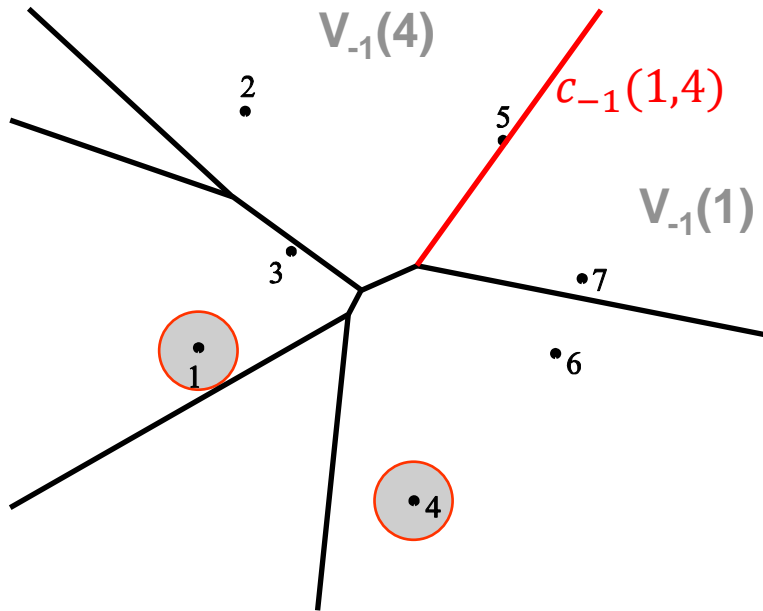
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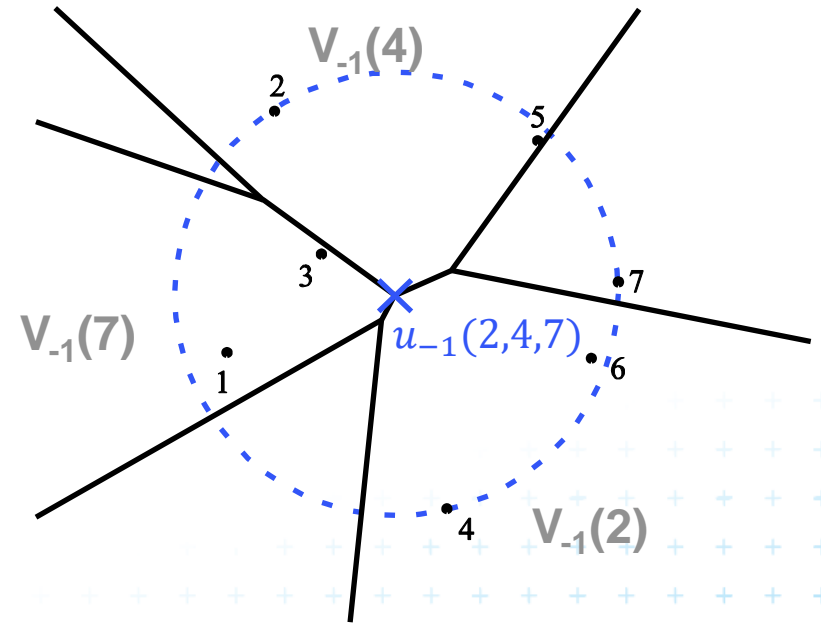
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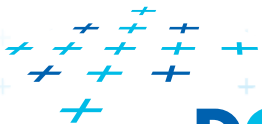
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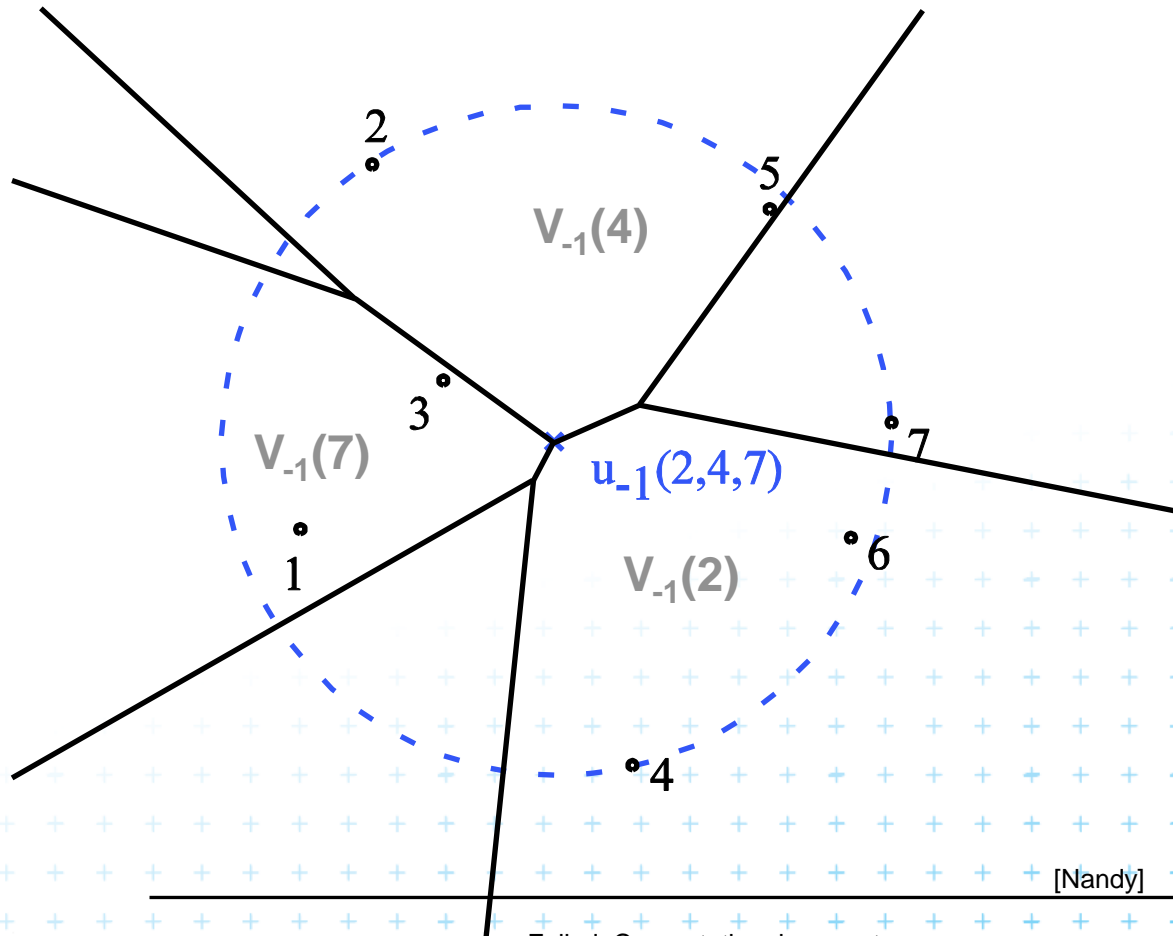


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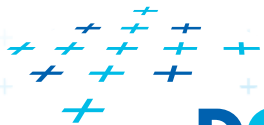


Application of $\text{Vor}_{-1}(P)$: Smallest enclosing circle

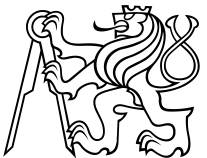
- Construct $\text{Vor}_{-1}(P)$ and find minimal circle with center in $\text{Vor}_{-1}(P)$ vertices or on edges



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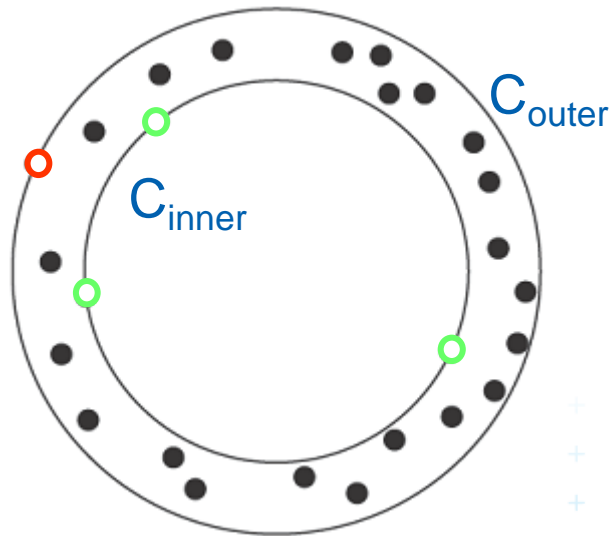


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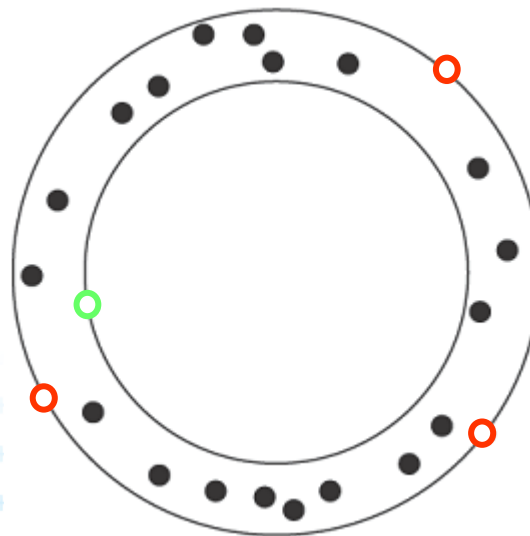
Roundness of manufactured objects

- Input: set of measured points in 2D
- Output: width of the smallest-width annulus mezikruží s nejmenší šířkou (region between two concentric circles C_{inner} and C_{outer})

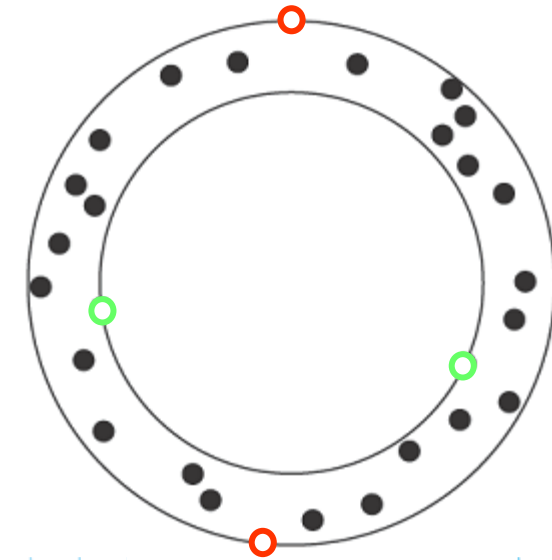
Three cases to test – one will win:



a) 3 in – 1 out



b) 1 point in – 3 out



c) 2 in – 2 out

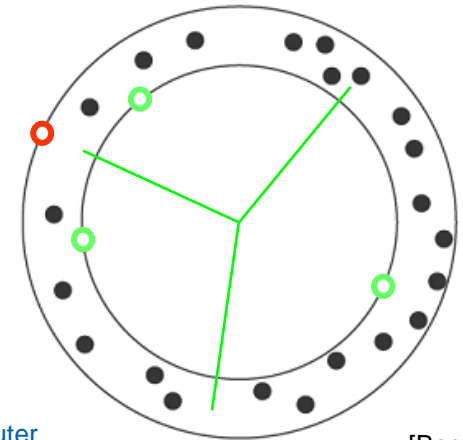


Smallest width annulus – cases with 3 pts

a) C_{inner} contains at least 3 points

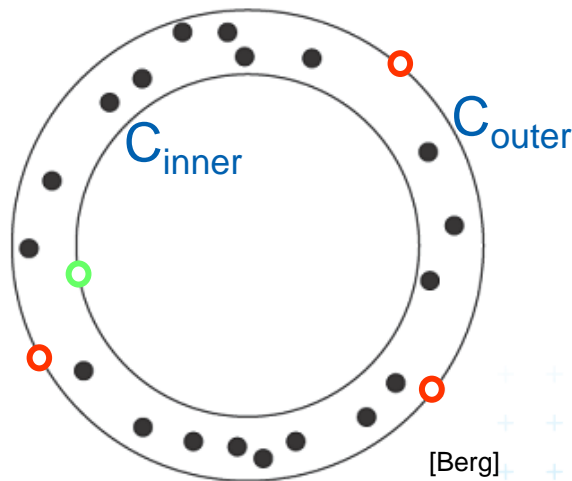
- Center is the *vertex of normal Voronoi diagram* (1st order VD)
- The **remaining point** on C_{outer} in $O(n)$ for each vertex

⇒ not the largest (inscribed) empty circle - as discussed on seminar as we must test all VD vertices in combination with point on C_{outer}
 ⇒ $O(n^2)$



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3 in – 1 out



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1 point in – 3 out

b) C_{outer} contains at least 3 points

- Center is the *vertex of the farthest Voronoi diagram*
- The **remaining point** on C_{inner} in $O(n)$

⇒ not the smallest enclosing circle - as discussed on seminar as we must test all vertices **in combination** with point on C_{inner}
 ⇒ $O(n^2)$



Smallest width annulus – case with 2+2 pts

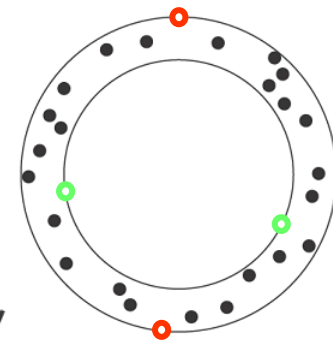
c) C_{inner} and C_{outer} contain 2 points each

- Generate vertices of overlay of **Voronoi** (—) and **farthest-point Voronoi** (- - -) diagrams

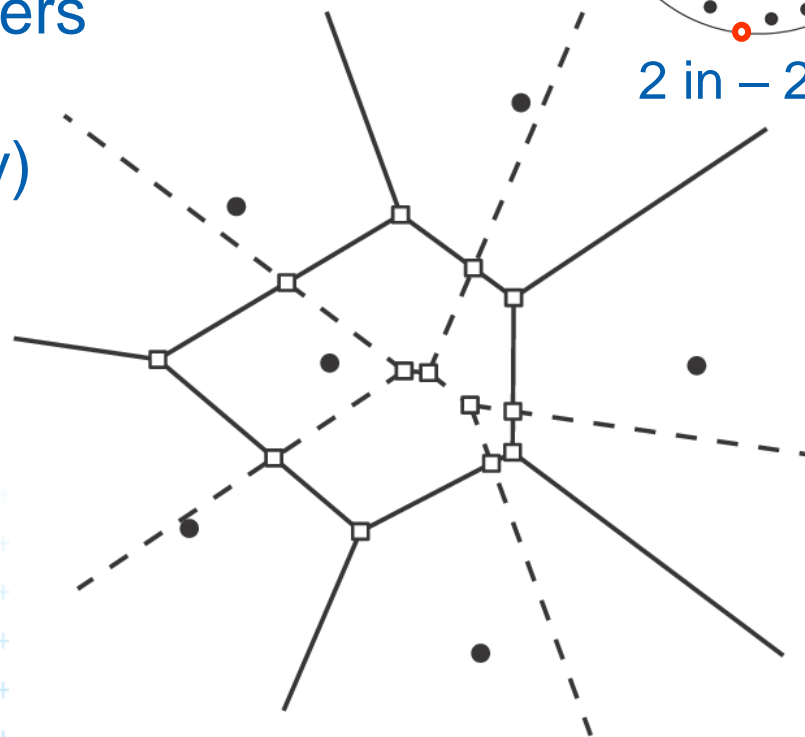
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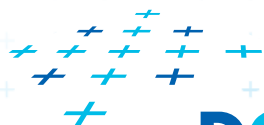
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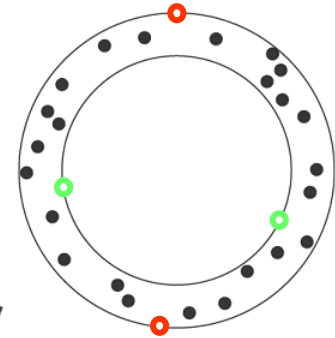
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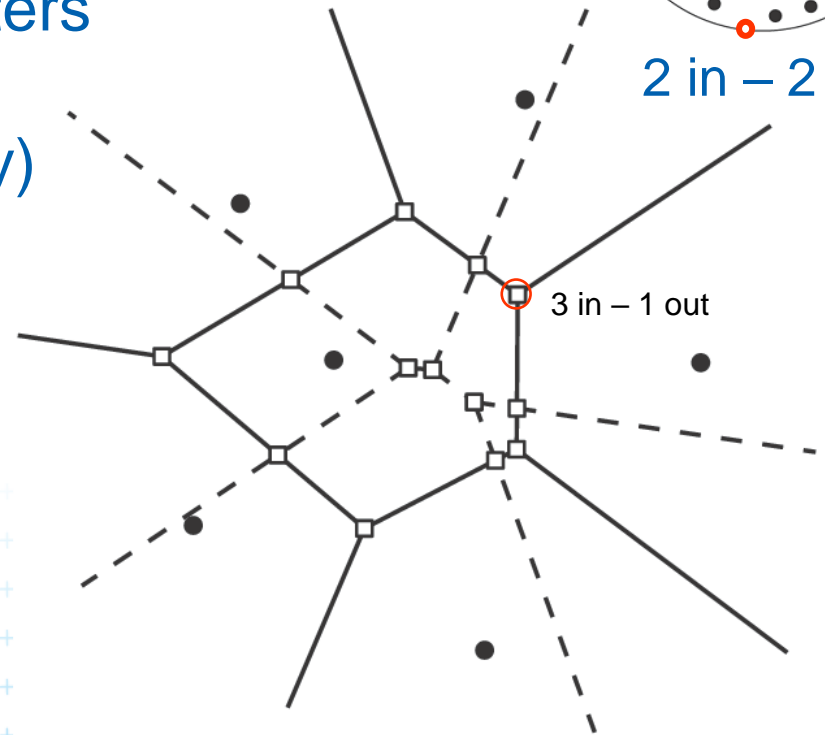
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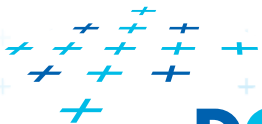
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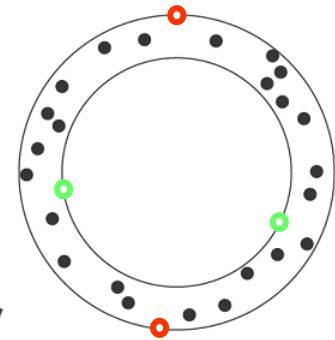
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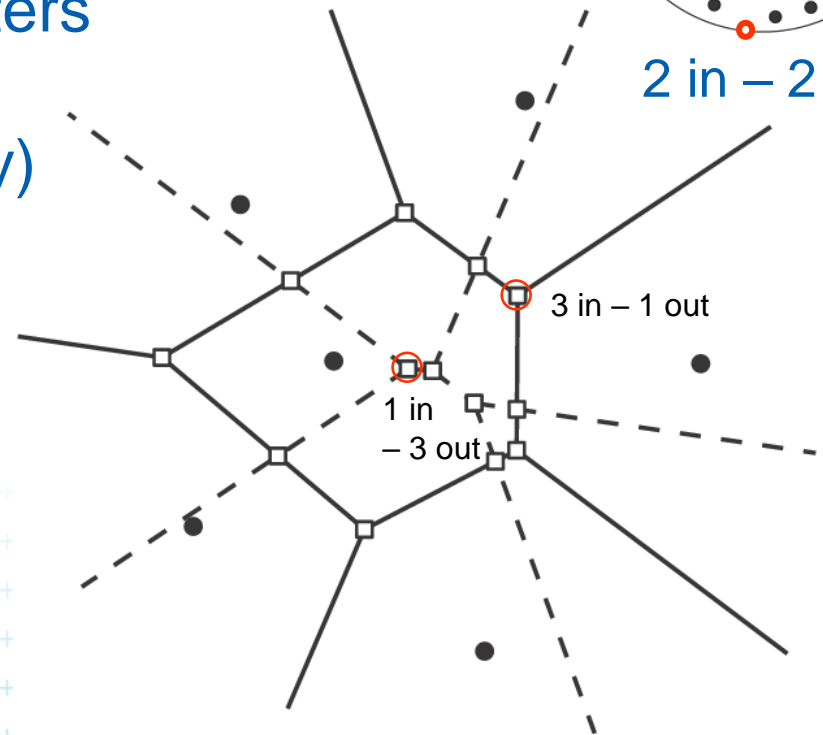
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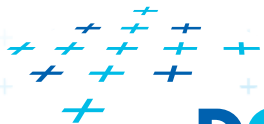
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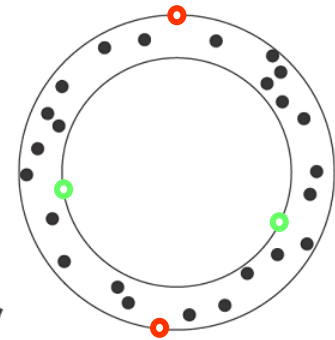
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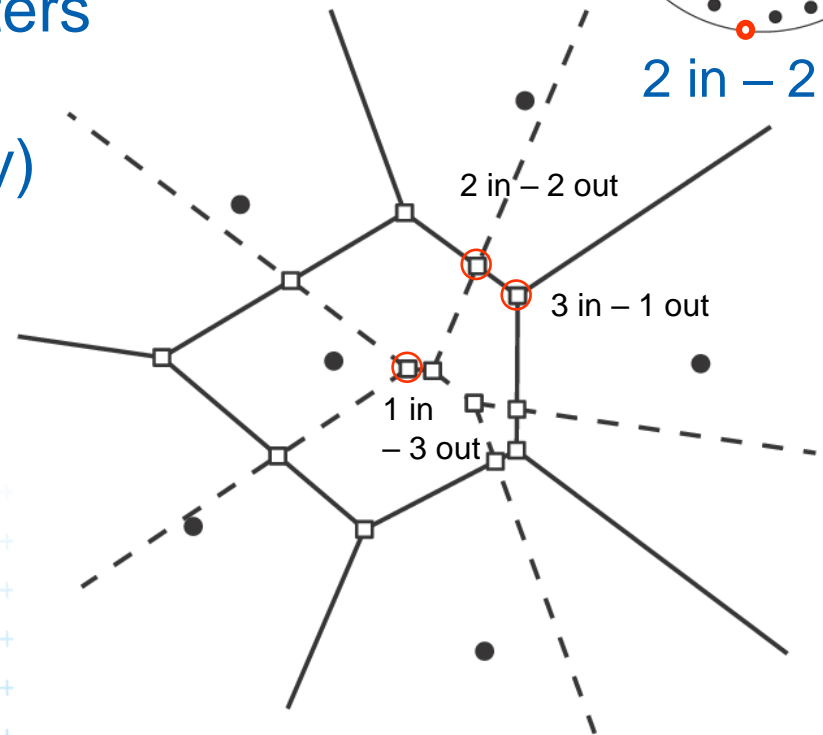
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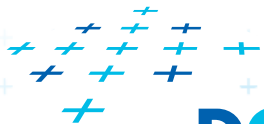
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Smallest width annulus

Smallest-Width-Annulus

Input: Set P of n points in the plane

Output: Smallest width annulus center and radii r and R (roundness)

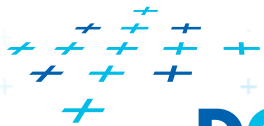
1. Compute **Voronoi diagram** $\text{Vor}(P)$ and **farthest-point Voronoi diagram** $\text{Vor}_{-1}(P)$ of P
2. For each vertex of $\text{Vor}(P)$ (r) determine the *farthest point* (R) from P
 $\Rightarrow O(n)$ sets of four points defining candidate annuli – case a)
3. For each vertex of $\text{Vor}_{-1}(P)$ (R) determine the *closest point* (r) from P
 $\Rightarrow O(n)$ sets of four points defining candidate annuli – case b)
4. For every pair of edges $\text{Vor}(P)$ and $\text{Vor}_{-1}(P)$ test if they intersect
 \Rightarrow another set of four points defining candidate annulus – c)
5. For all candidates of all three types chose the smallest-width annulus

1. $O(n \log n)$
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$O(n^2)$ time using $O(n)$ storage

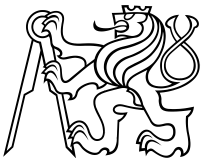
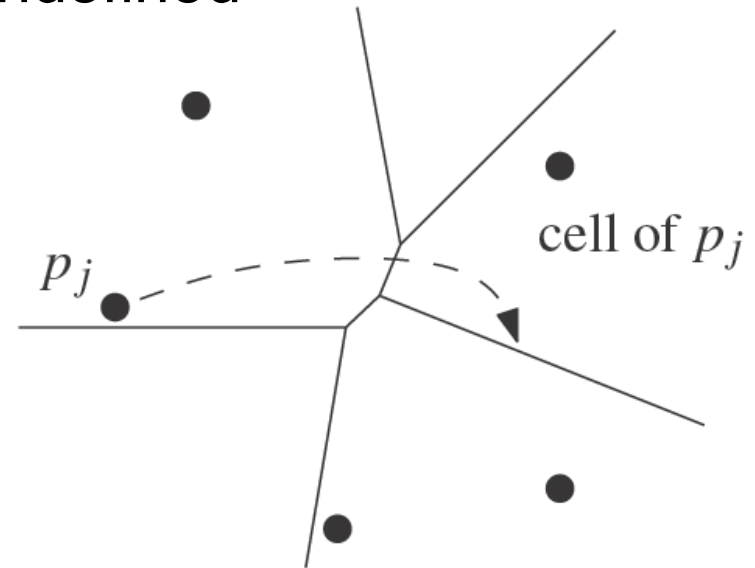


Order $n-1$ VD construction



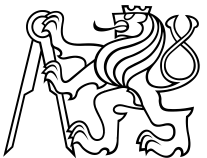
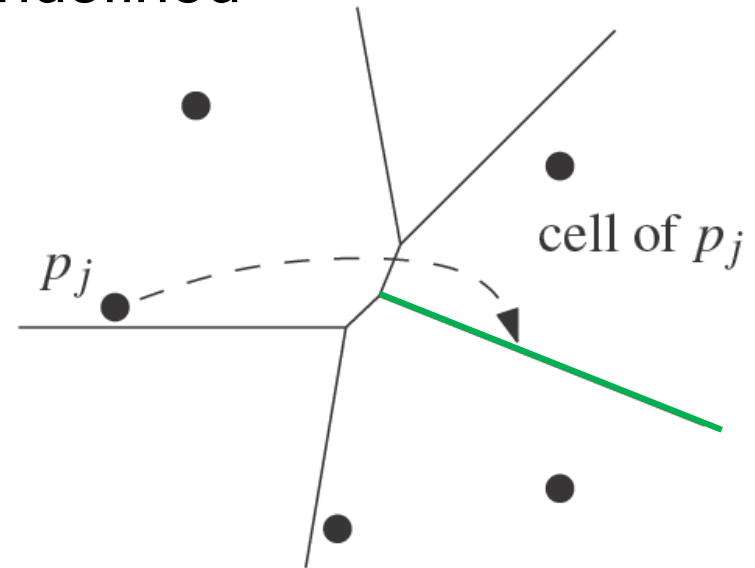
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- Half-edges with origin in infinity
 - Special vertex-like record for origin in infinity
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- For each inserted site p_j
 - store a **pointer to the most CCW half-infinite half-edge** of its cell in DCEL



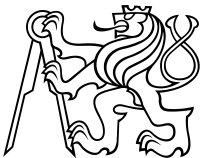
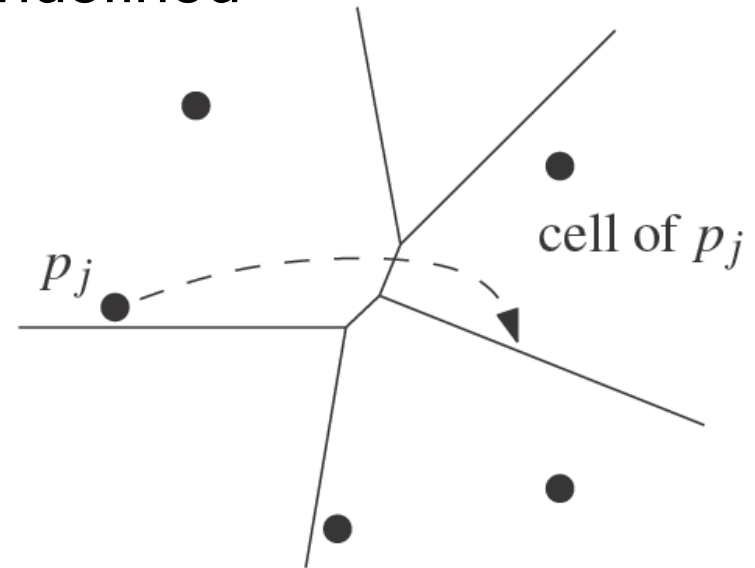
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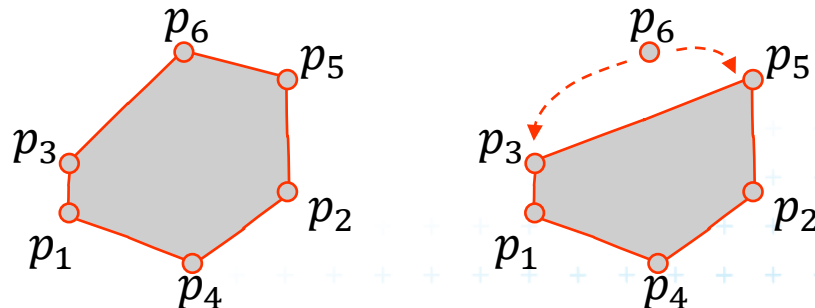
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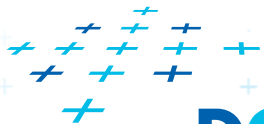


Idea of the algorithm

1. Create the convex hull and number the CH points randomly
2. Remove the points starting in the last of this random order and store $cw(p_i)$ and $ccw(p_i)$ points at the time of removal.
3. Include the points back and compute V_{-1}



p_i	$ccw(p_i)$	$cw(p_i)$
p_6	p_3	p_5
p_5	p_3	p_2
...		



Farthest-point Voronoi d. construction

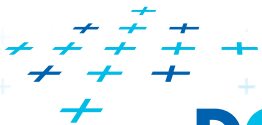
Farthest-point Voronoi

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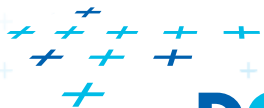
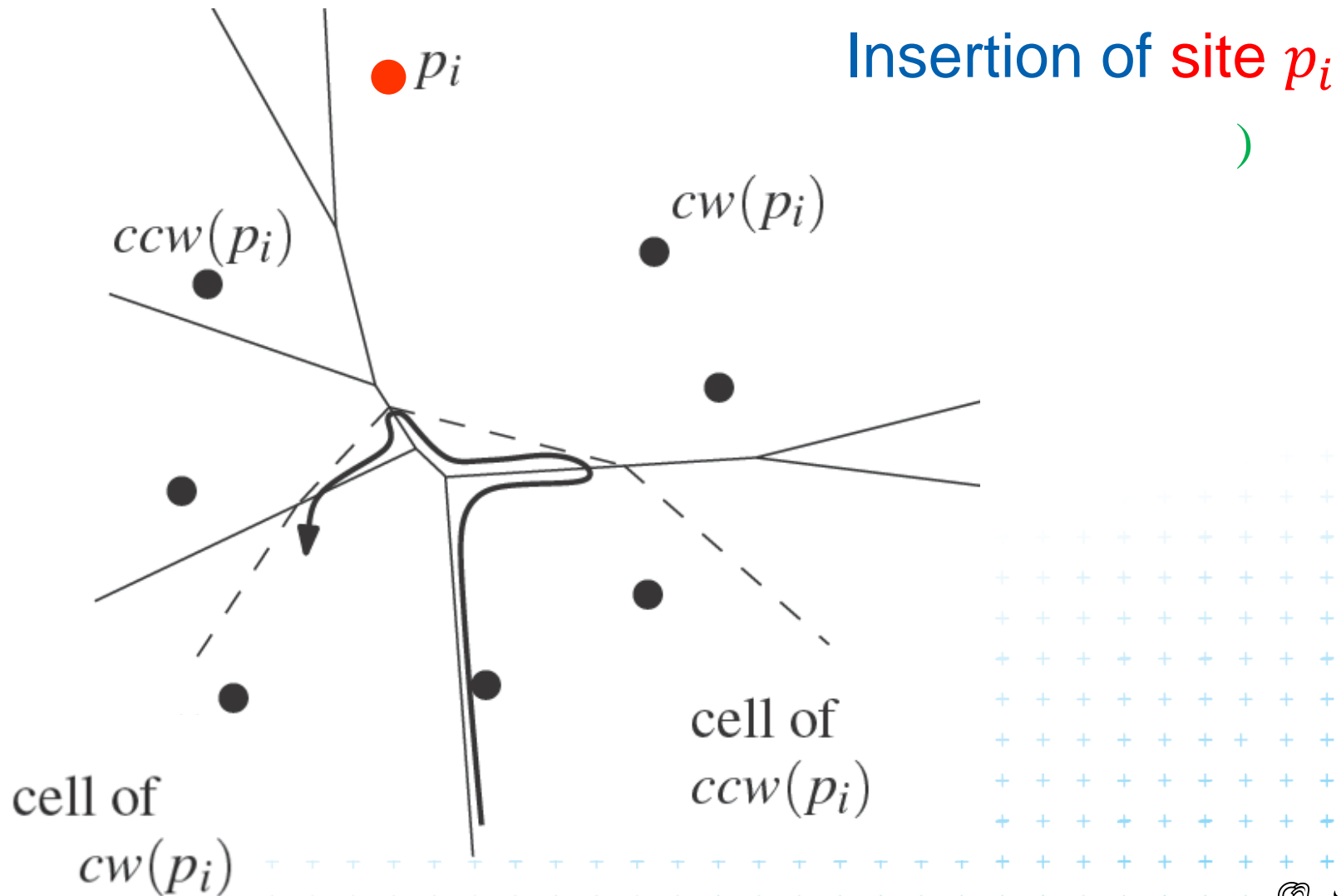
Input: Set of points P in plane

Output: Farthest-point VD $\text{Vor}_{-1}(P)$

1. Compute convex hull of P
2. Put points in $\text{CH}(P)$ of P in random order p_1, \dots, p_h
3. Remove p_h, \dots, p_4 from the cyclic order (around the CH).
When removing p_i , store the neighbors: $\text{cw}(p_i)$ and $\text{ccw}(p_i)$ at the time of removal. (This is done to know the neighbors needed in step 6.)
4. Compute $\text{Vor}_{-1}(\{p_1, p_2, p_3\})$ as init
5. **for** $i = 4$ **to** h **do**
6. Add site p_i to $\text{Vor}_{-1}(\{p_1, p_2, \dots, p_{i-1}\})$ between site $\text{cw}(p_i)$ and $\text{ccw}(p_i)$
7. - start at most CCW edge of the cell $\text{ccw}(p_i)$
8. - continue CW to find intersection with bisector($\text{ccw}(p_i), p_i$)
9. - trace borders of Voronoi cell p_i in CCW order, add edges
10. - remove invalid edges inside of Voronoi cell p_i



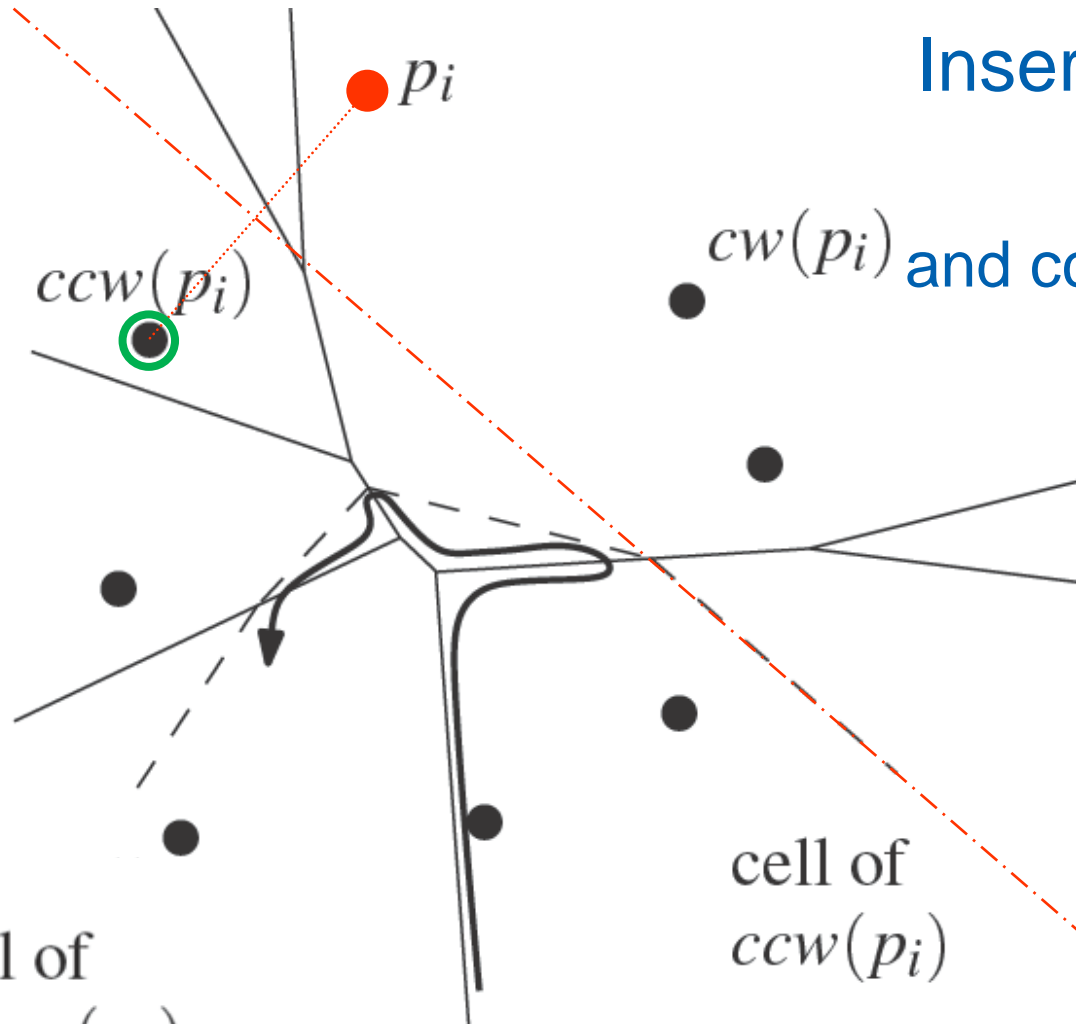
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Insertion of site p_i

$cw(p_i)$ and ccw edge of its cell

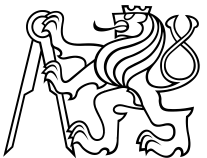


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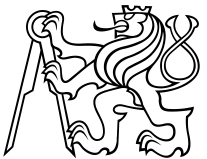
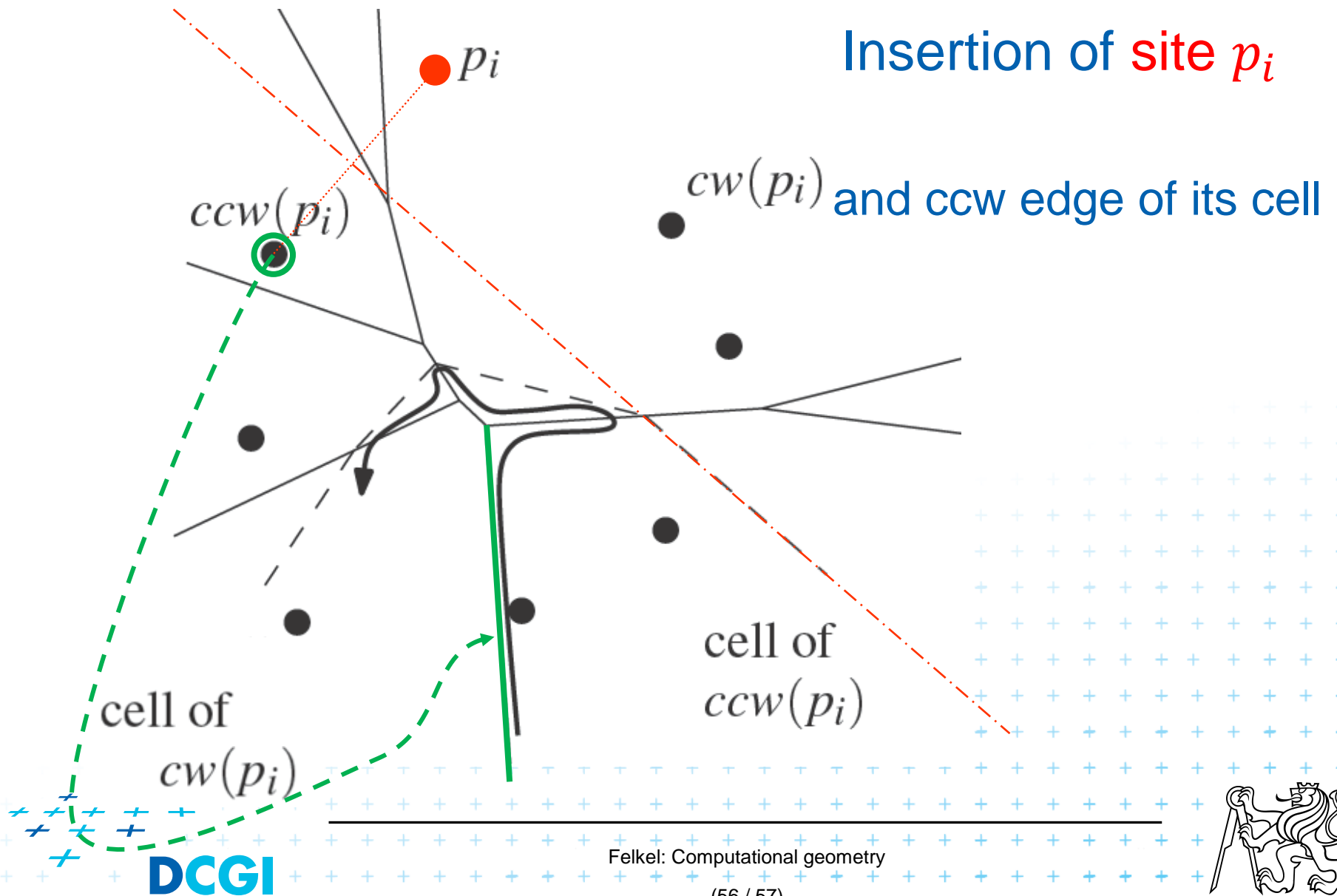
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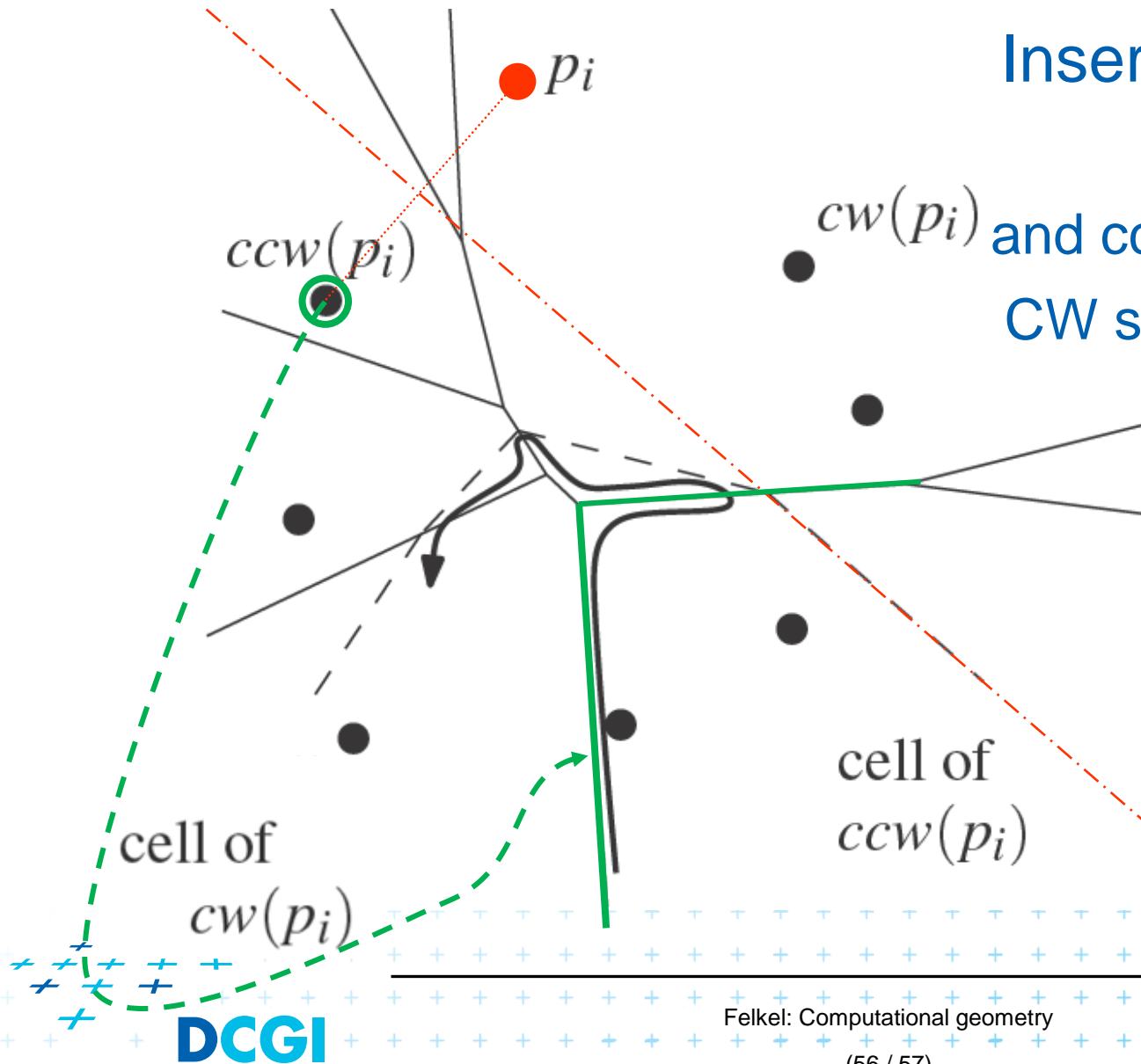
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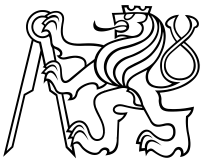


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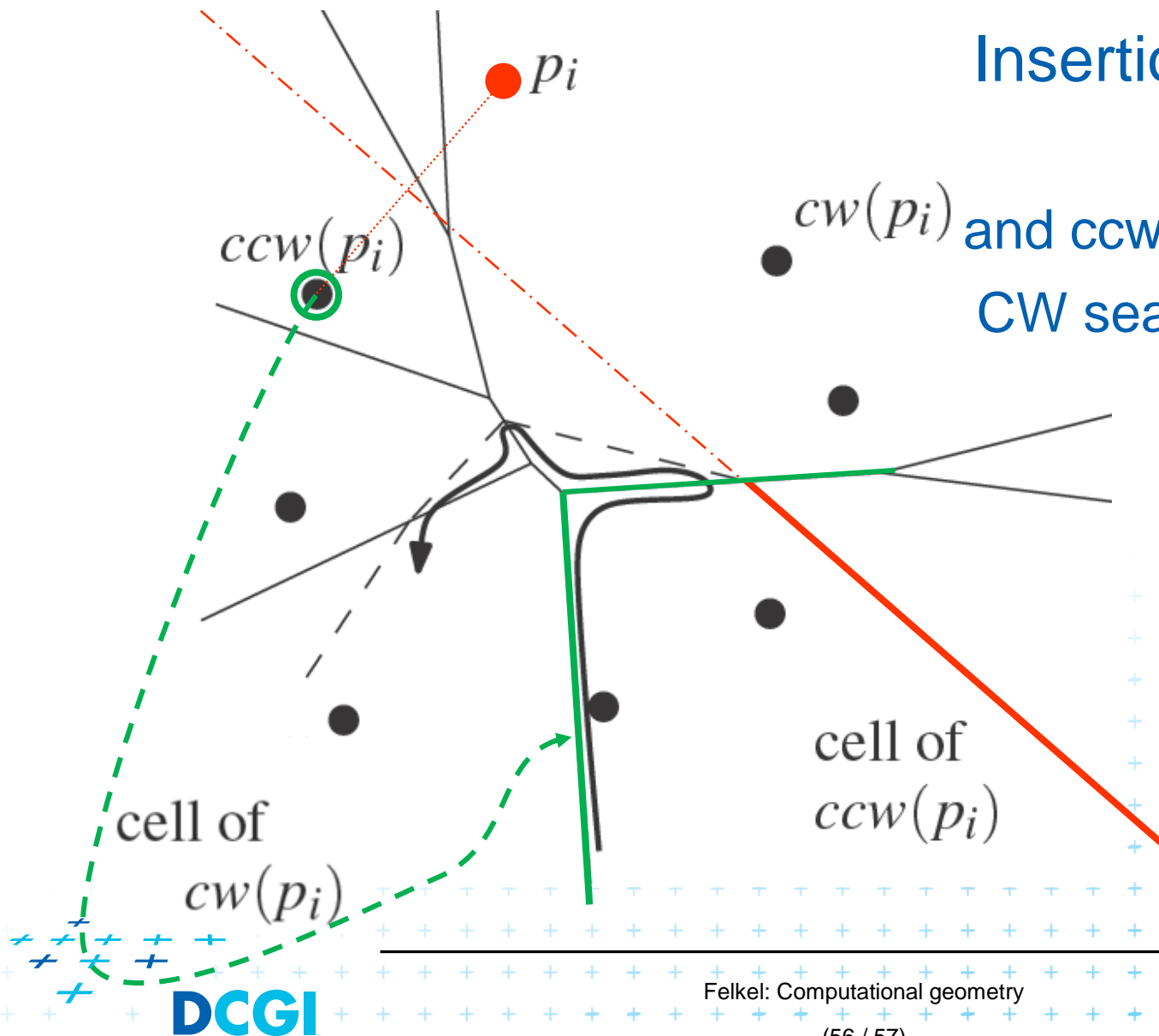
$ccw(p_i)$ and ccw edge of its cell

CW search of intersection

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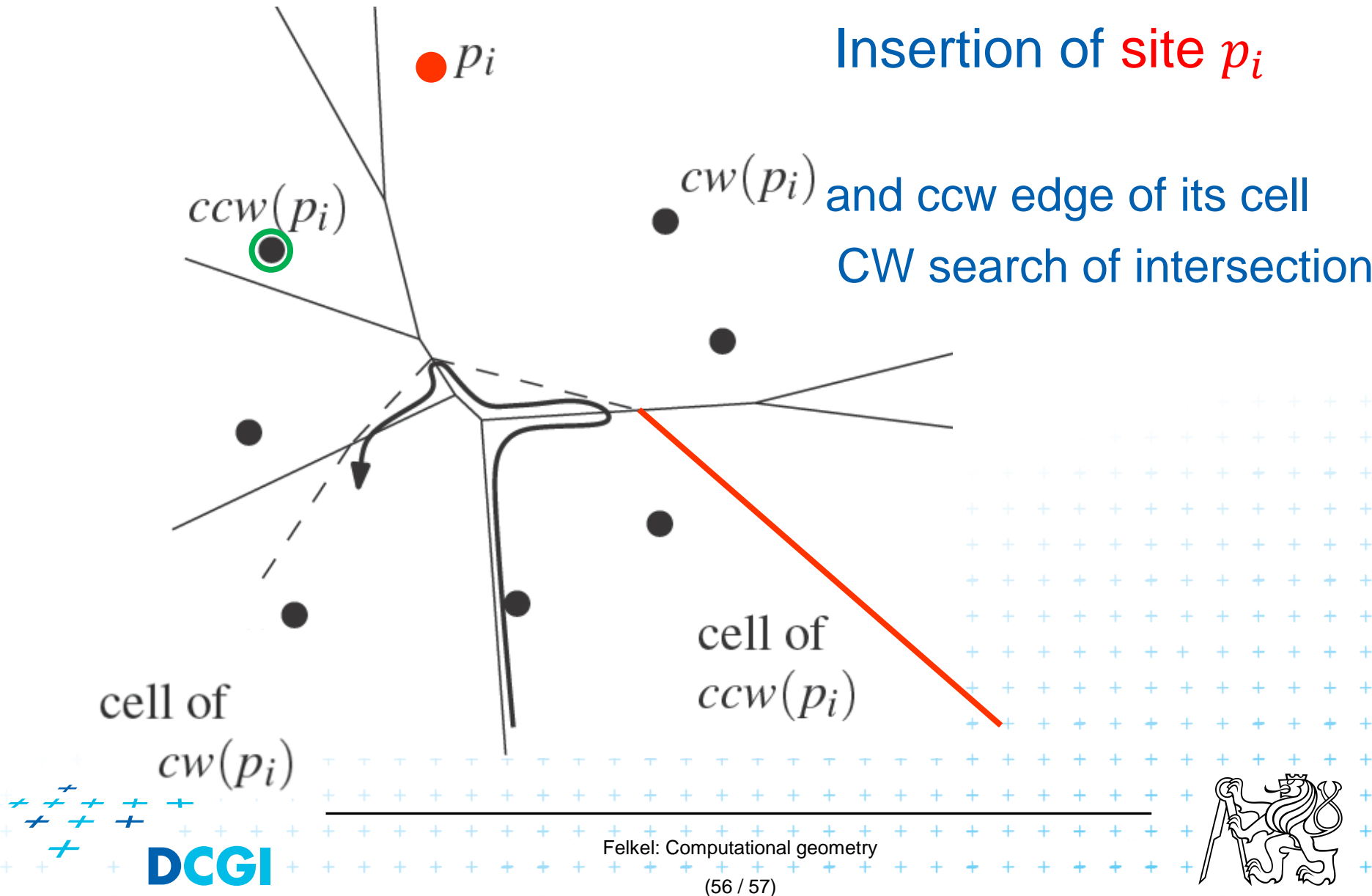


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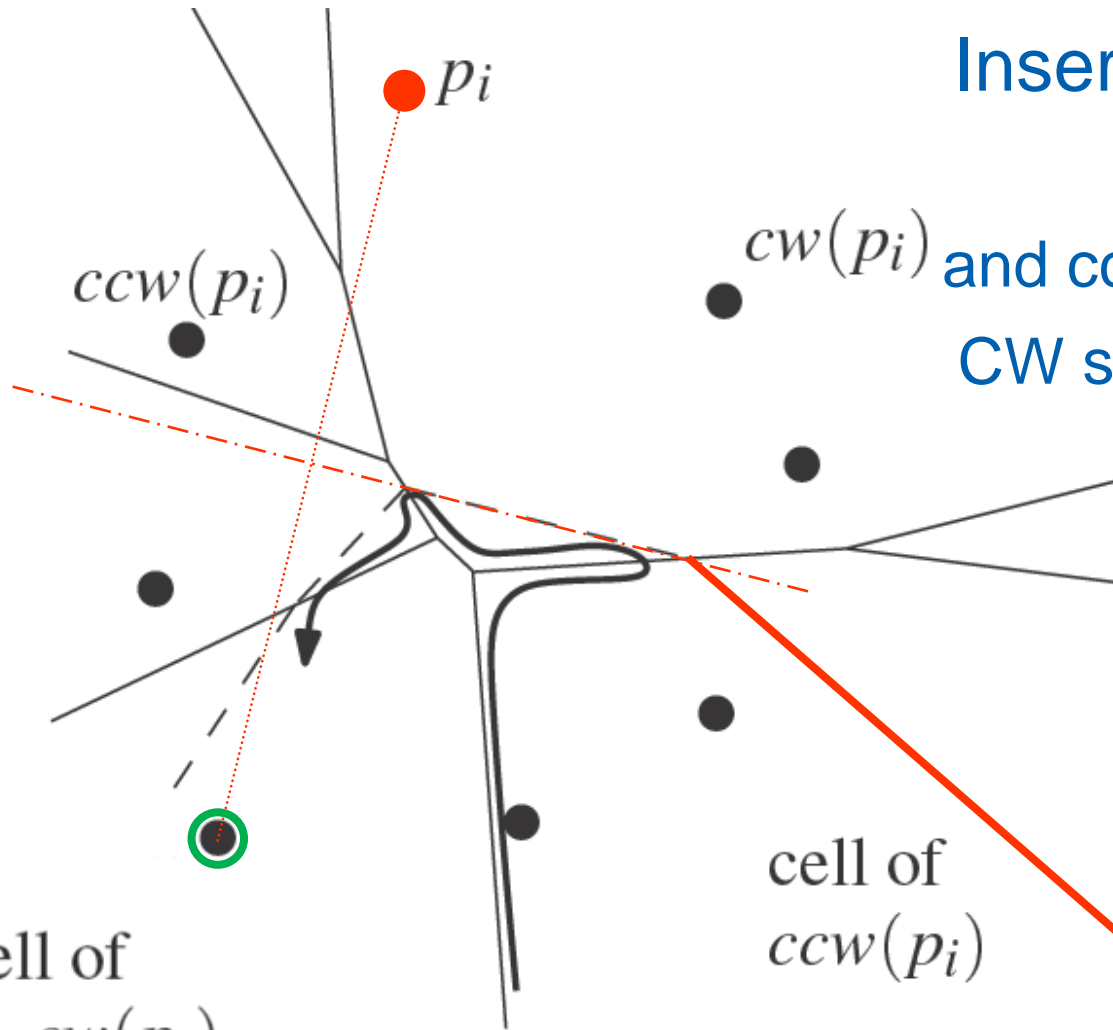


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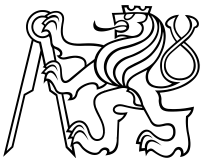
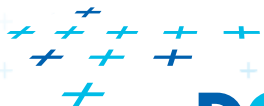


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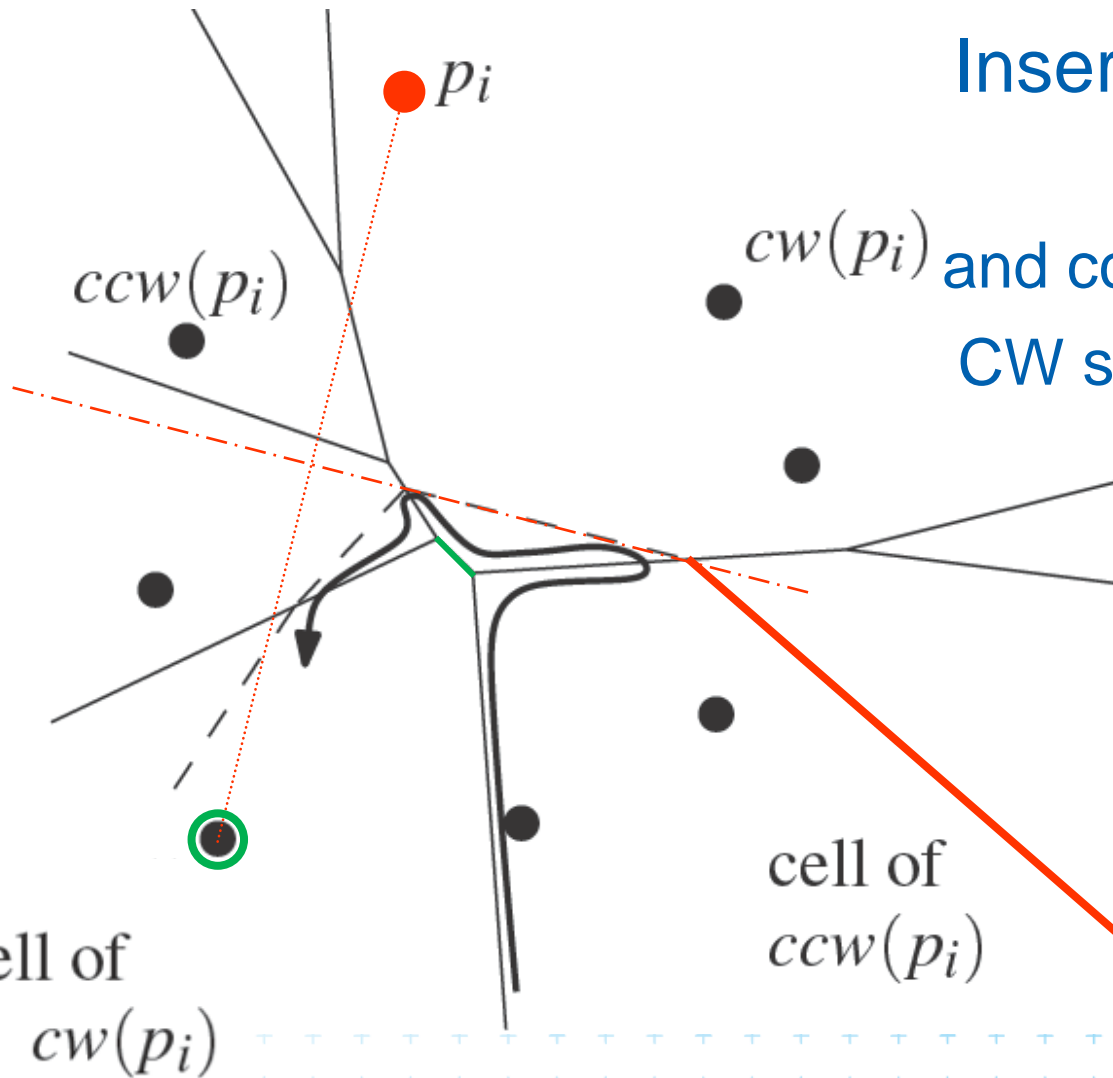


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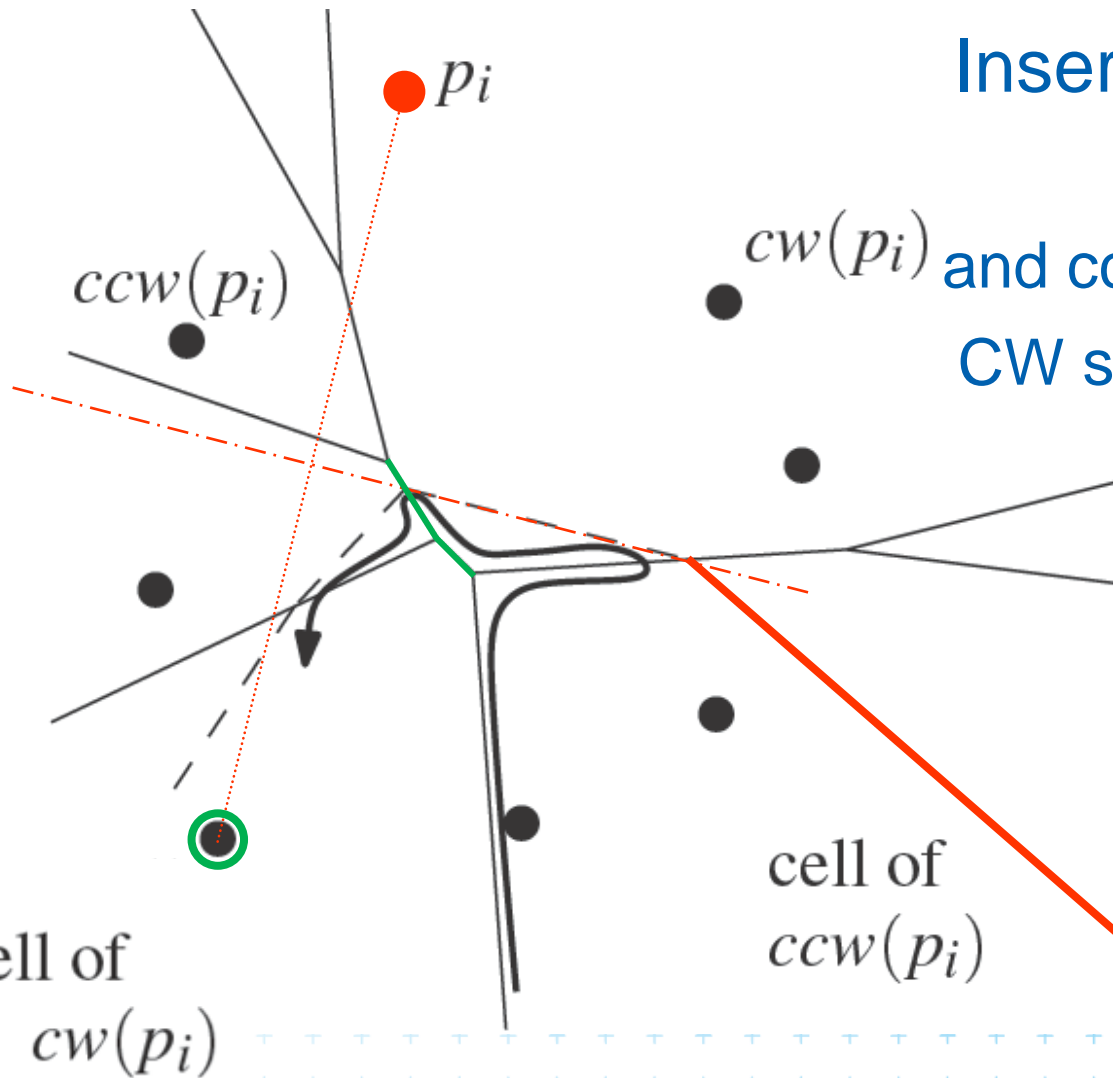
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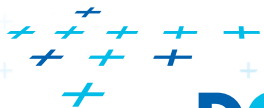
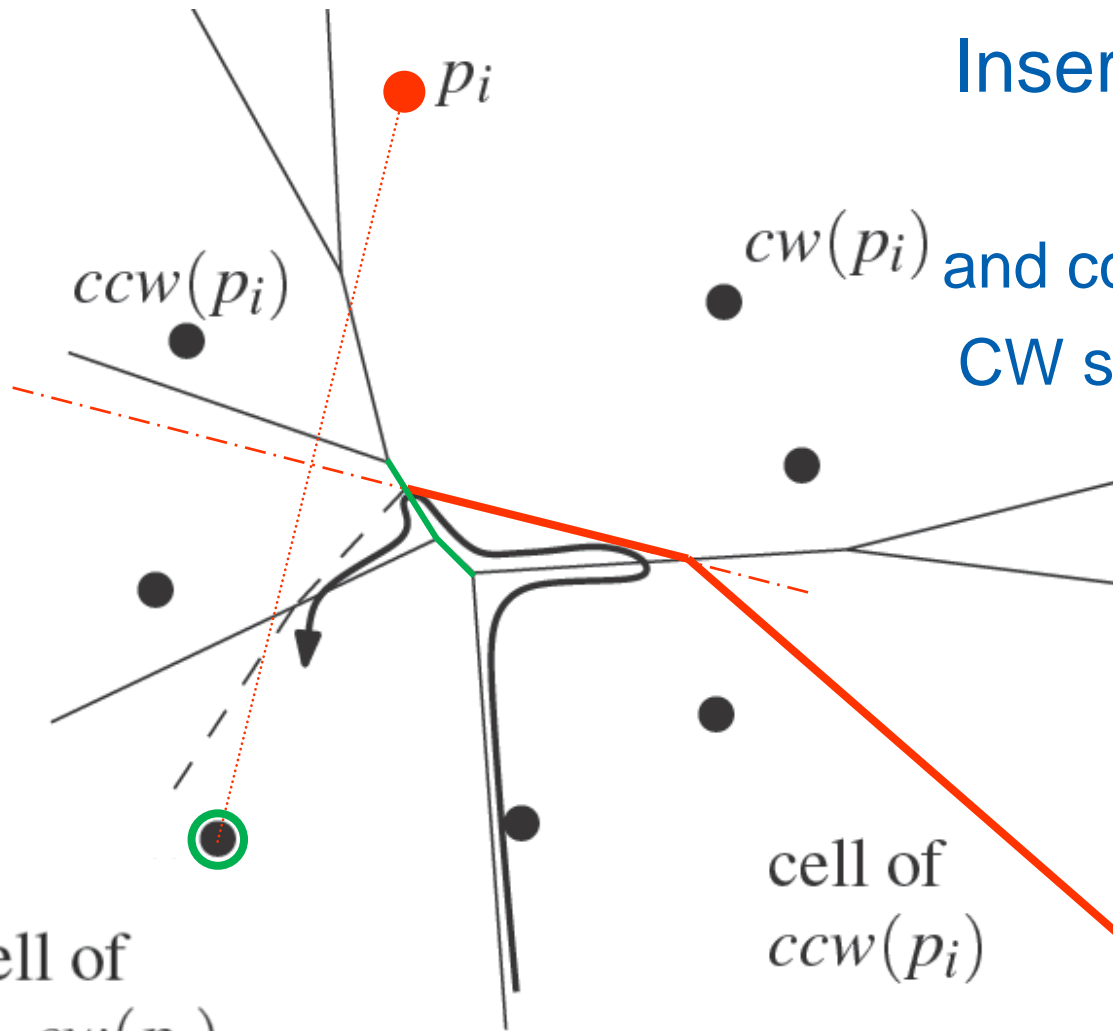


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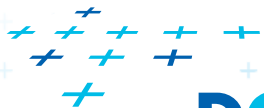
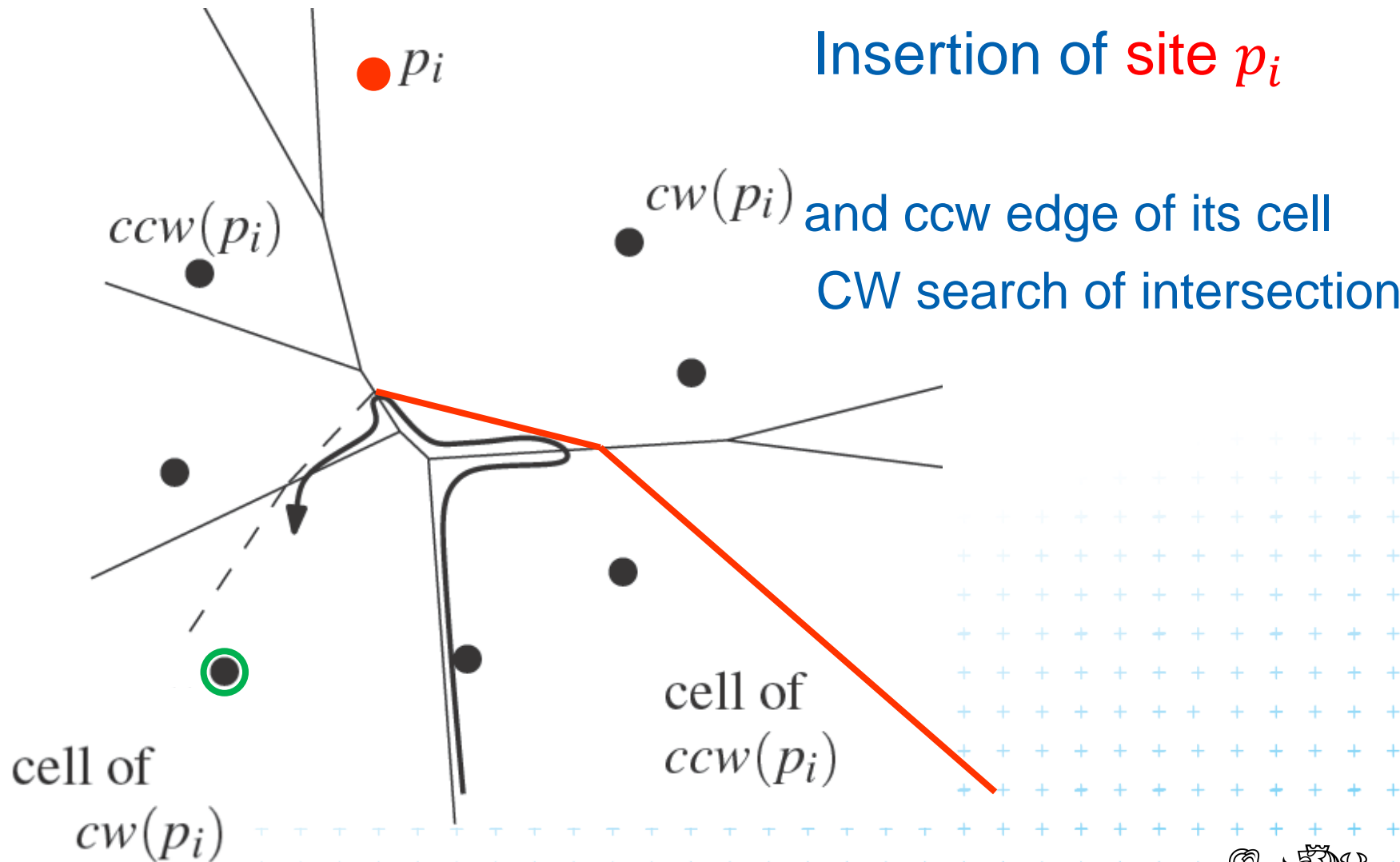


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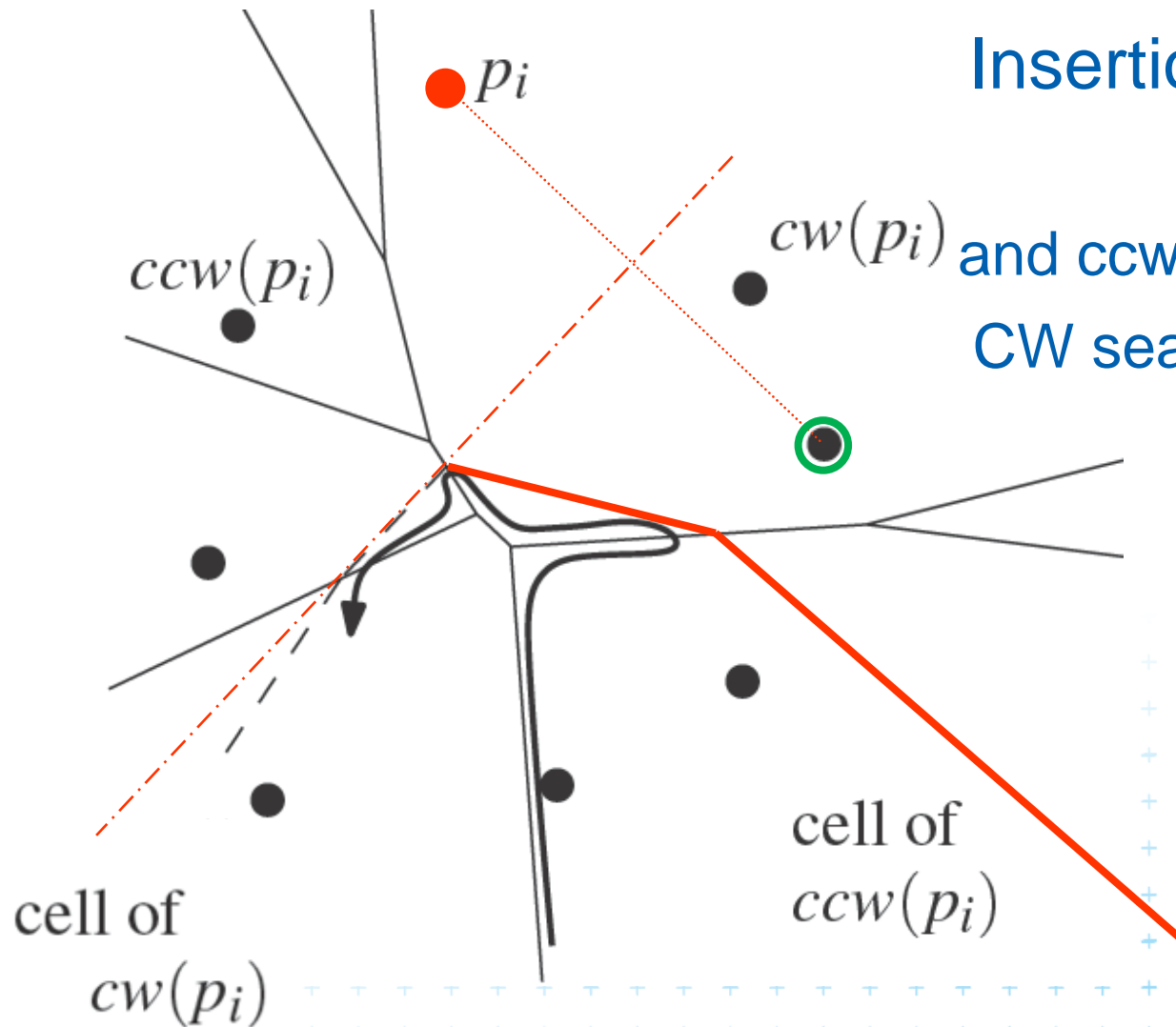
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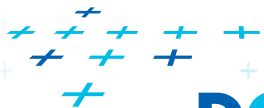
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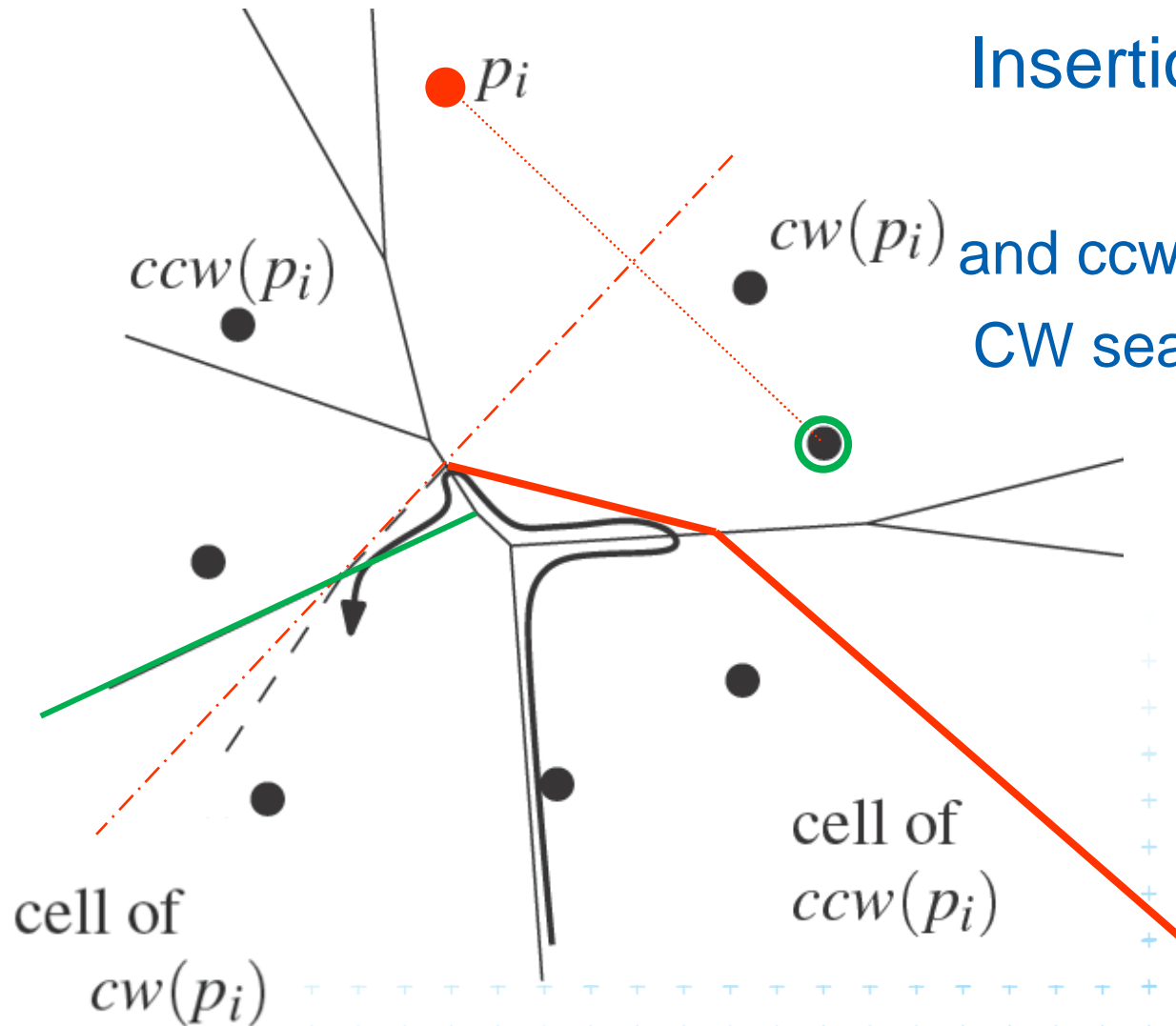
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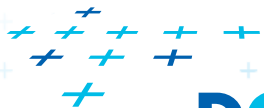
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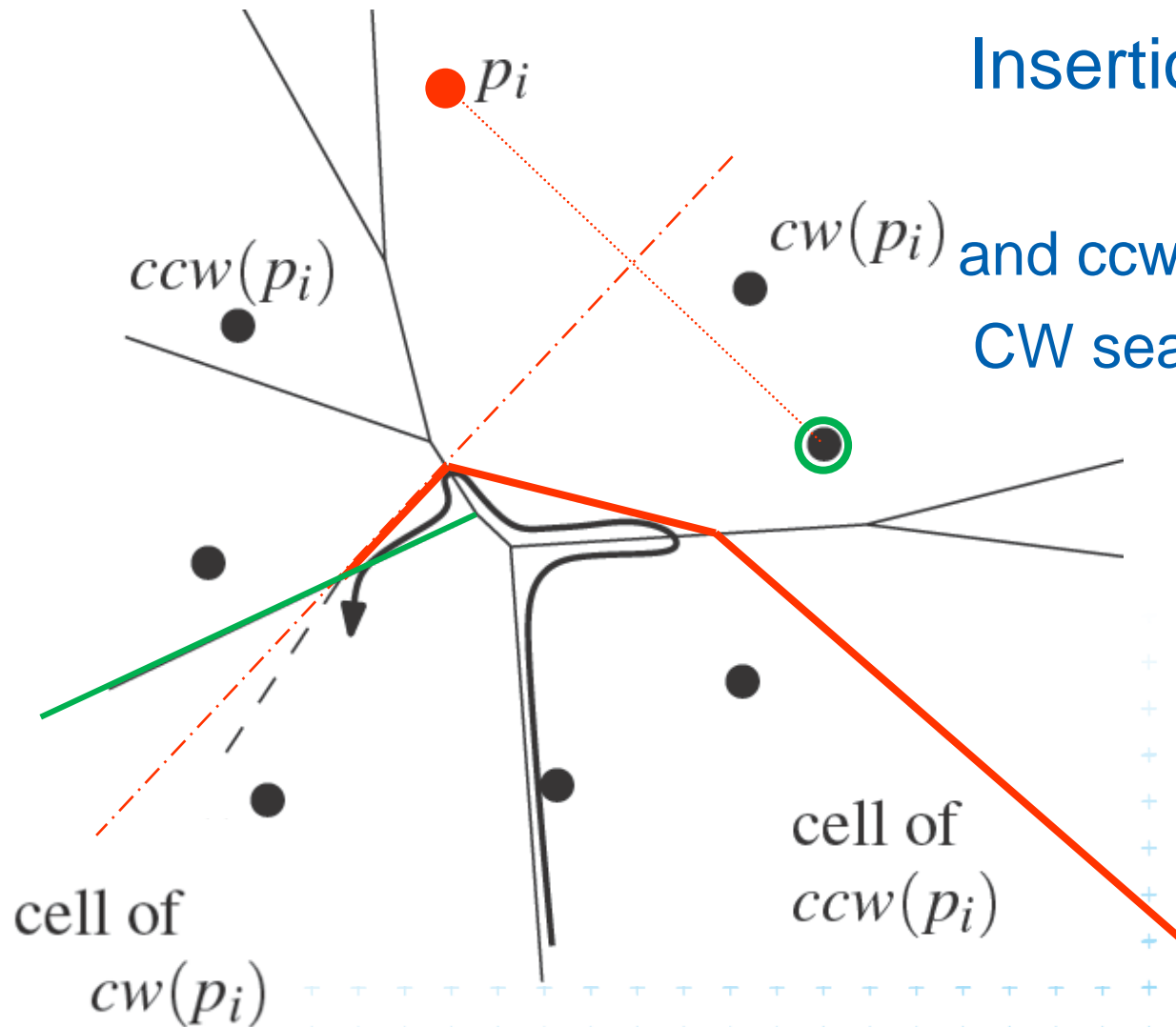
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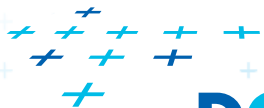
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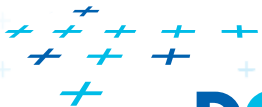
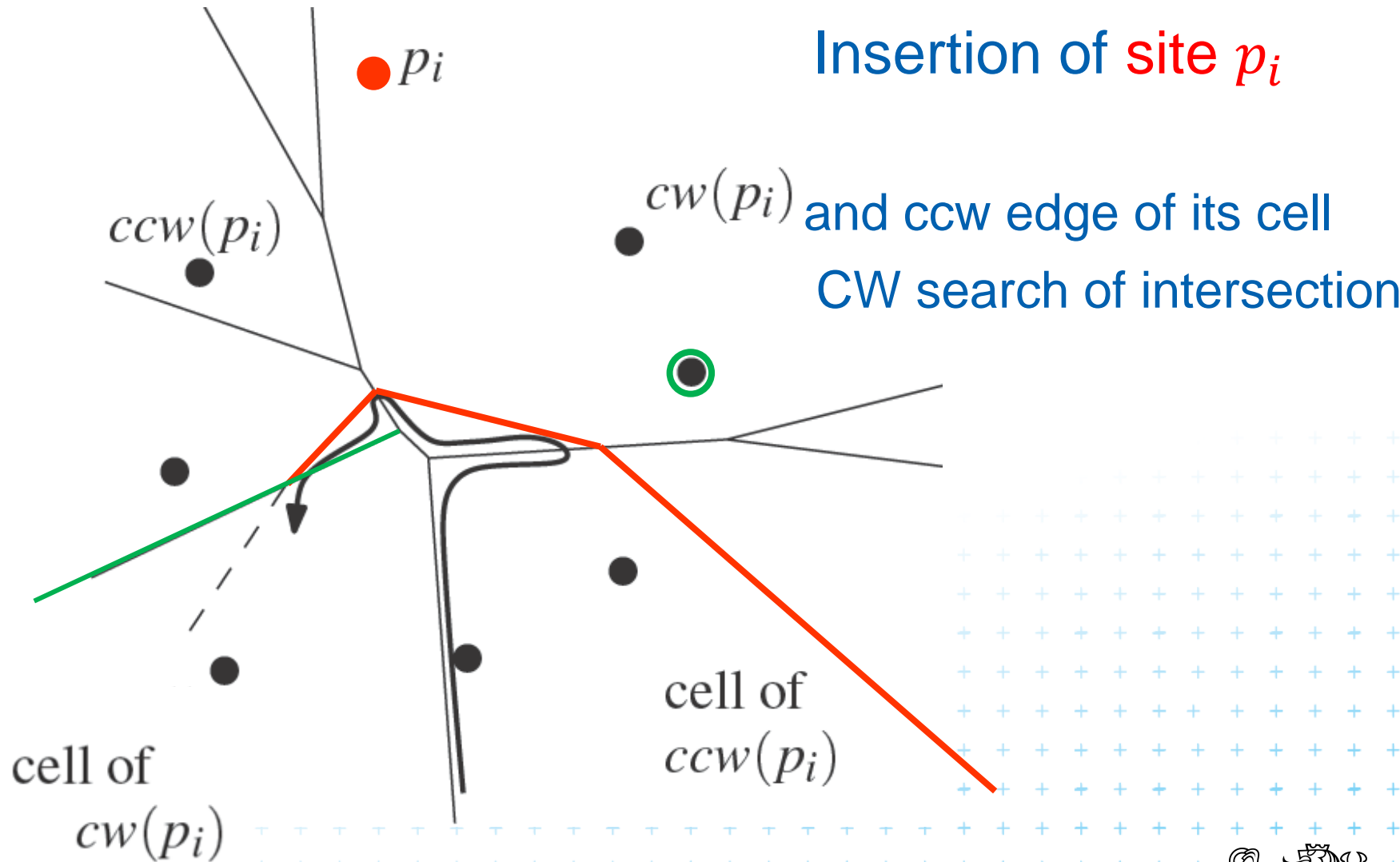
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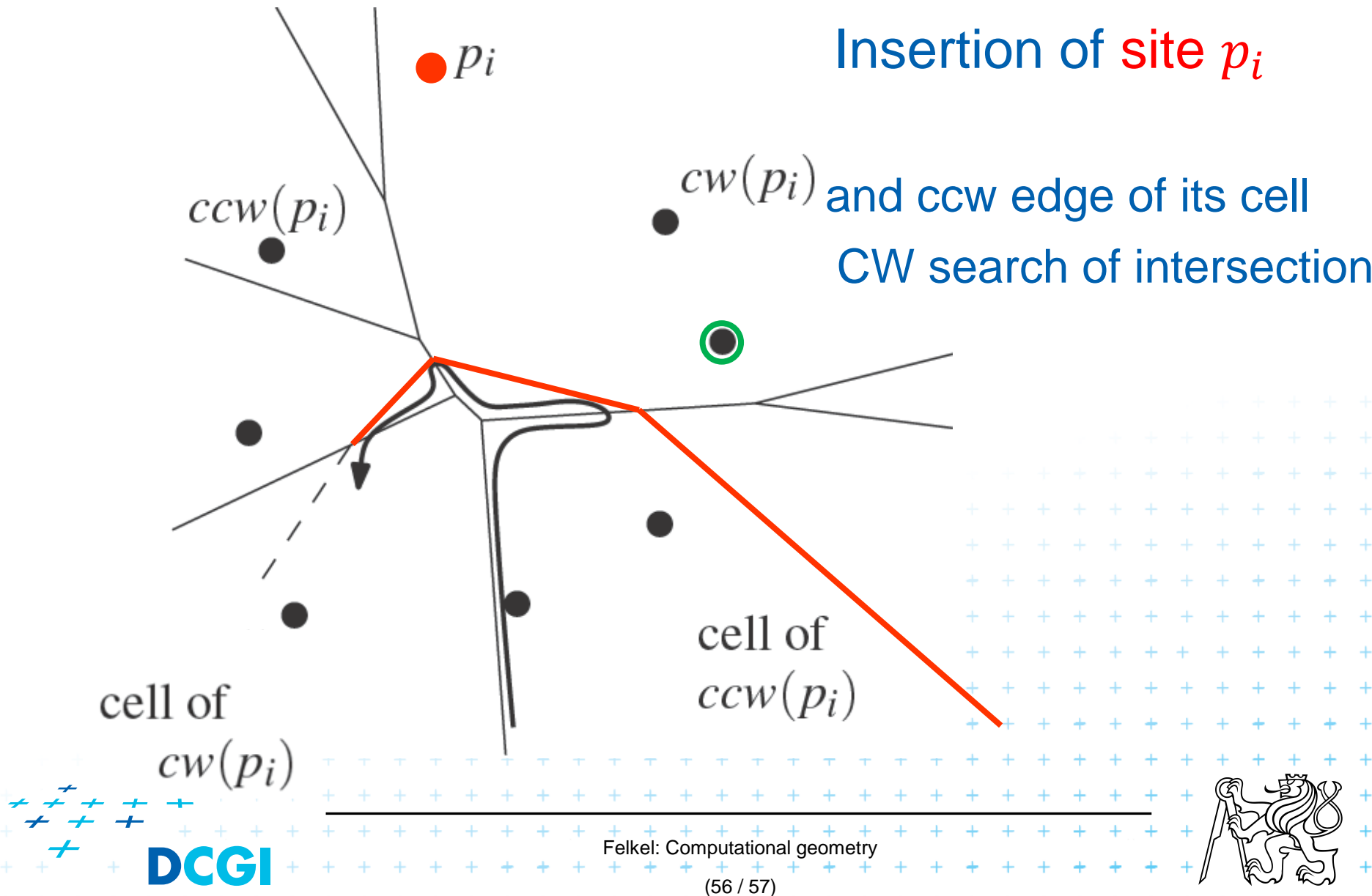
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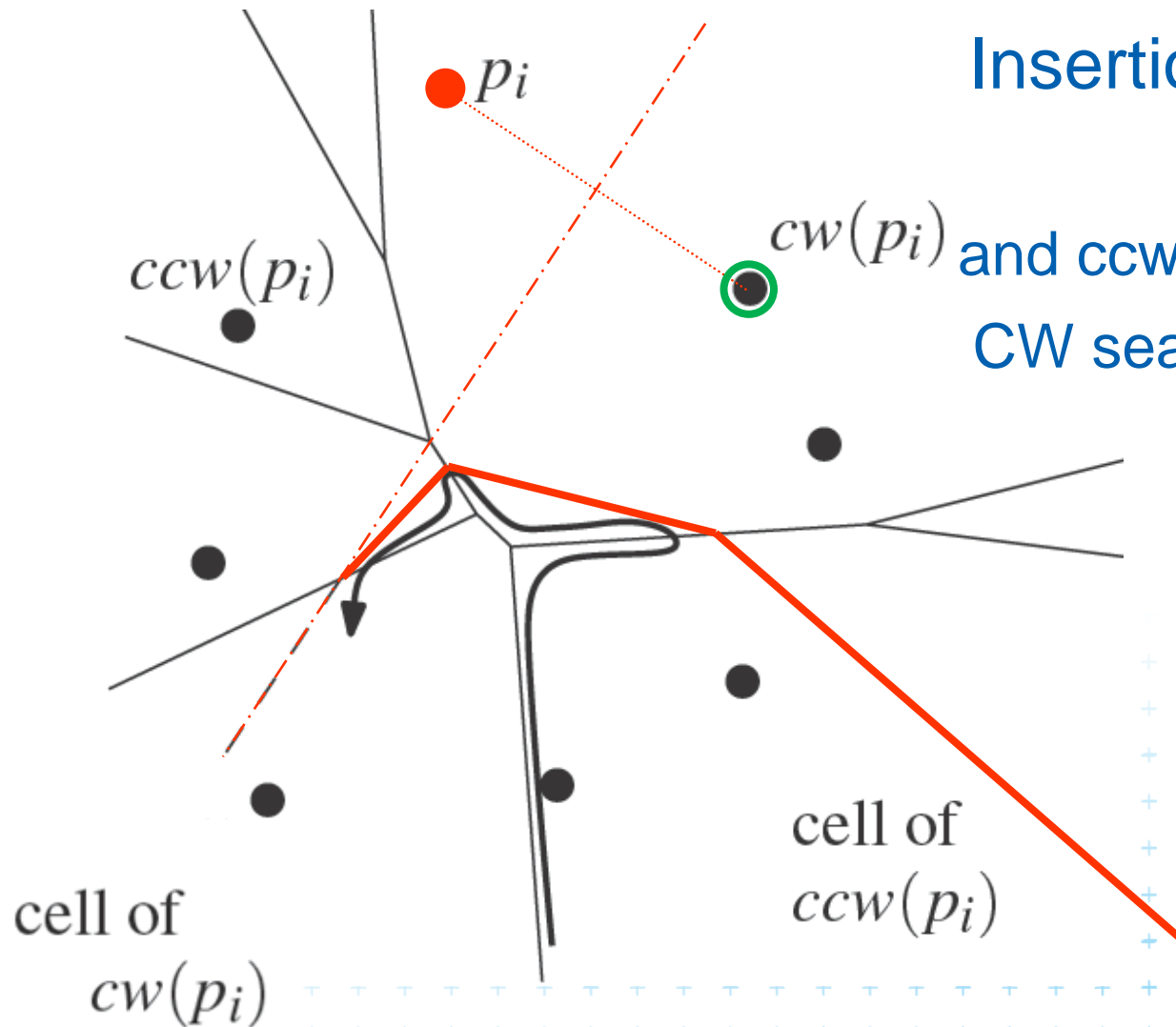
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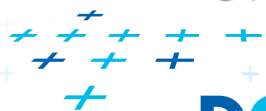
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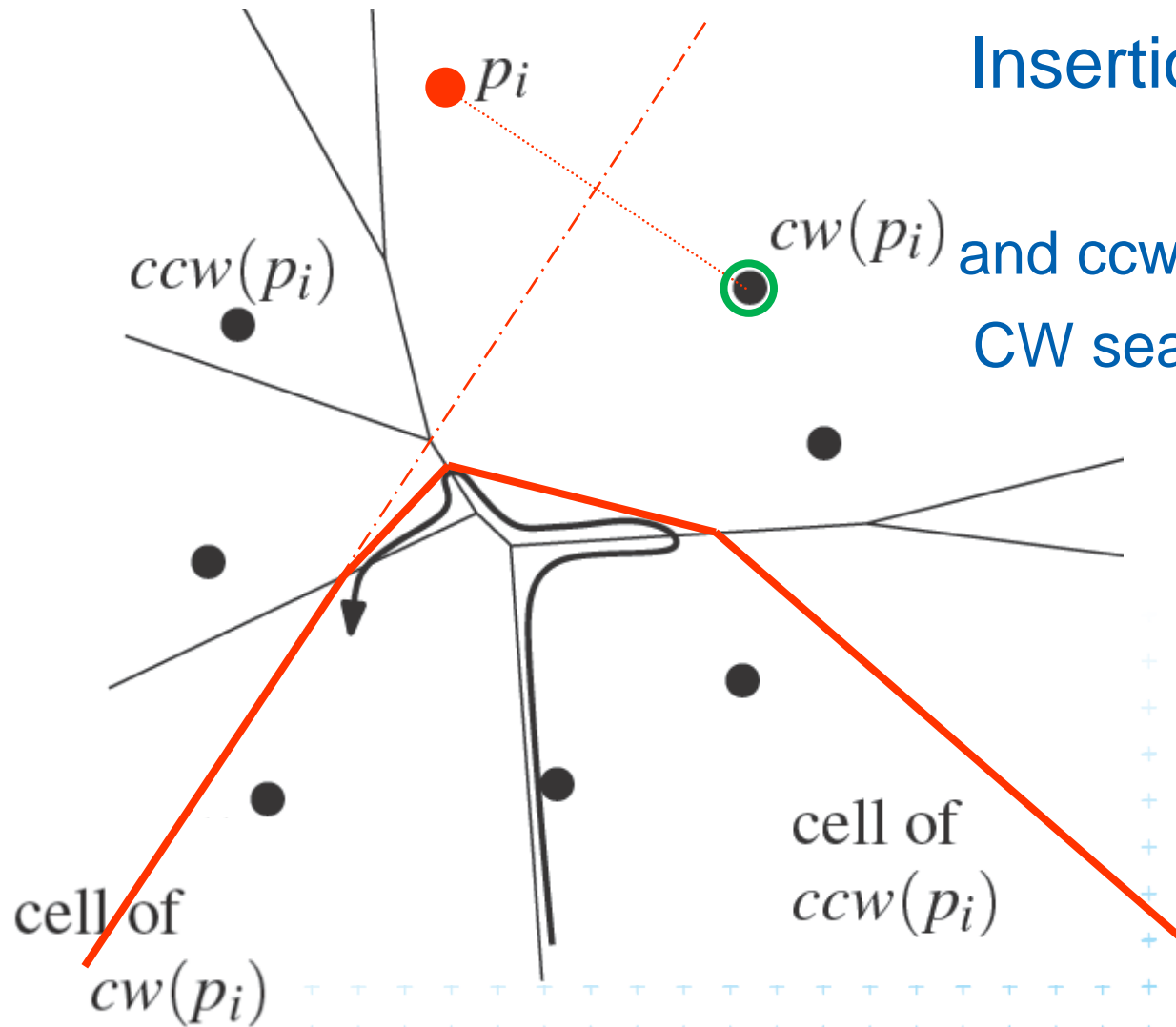
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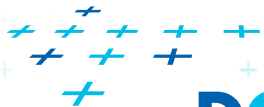
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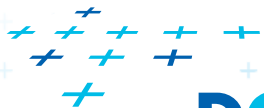
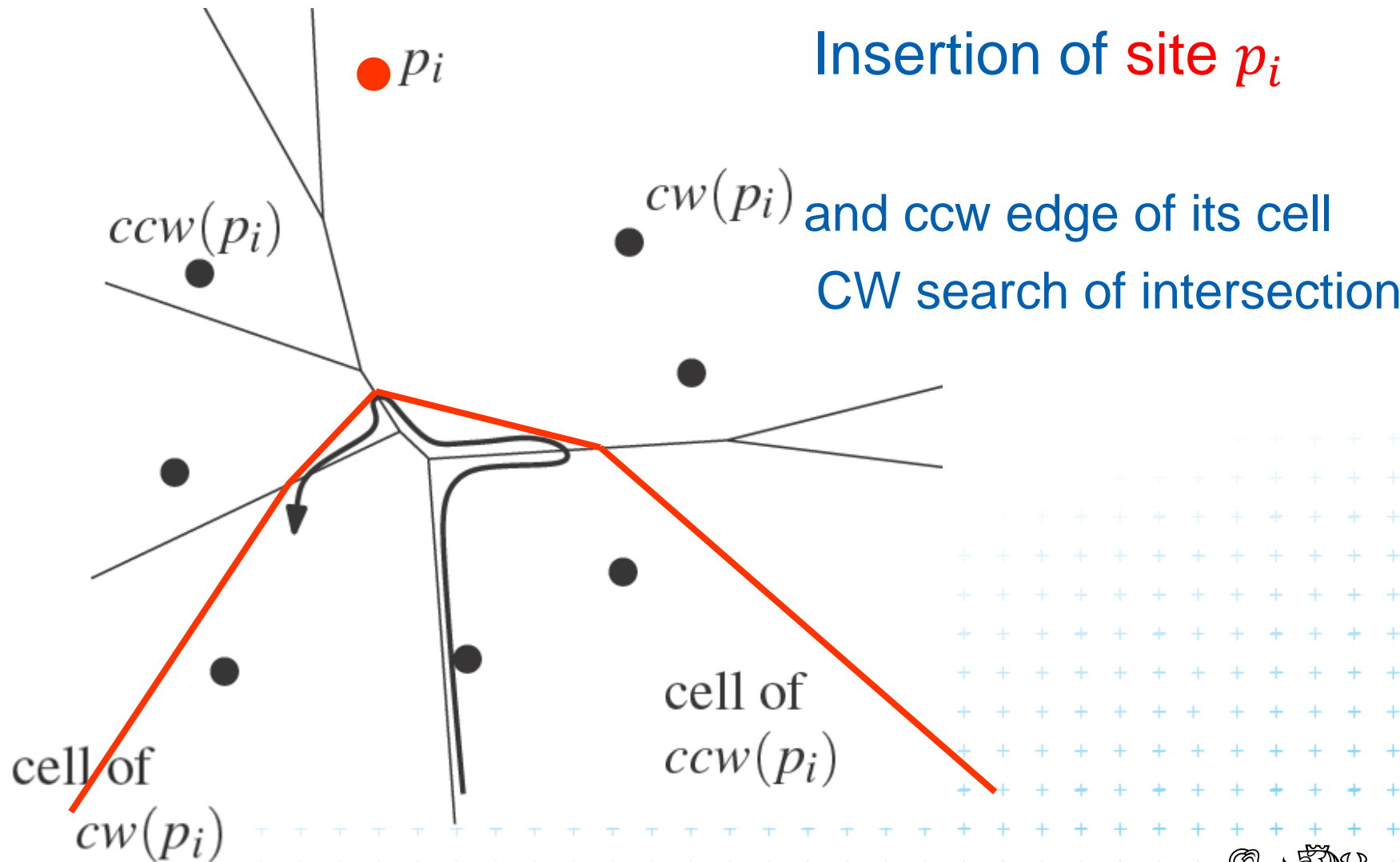
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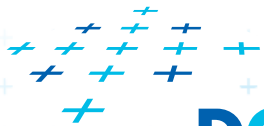
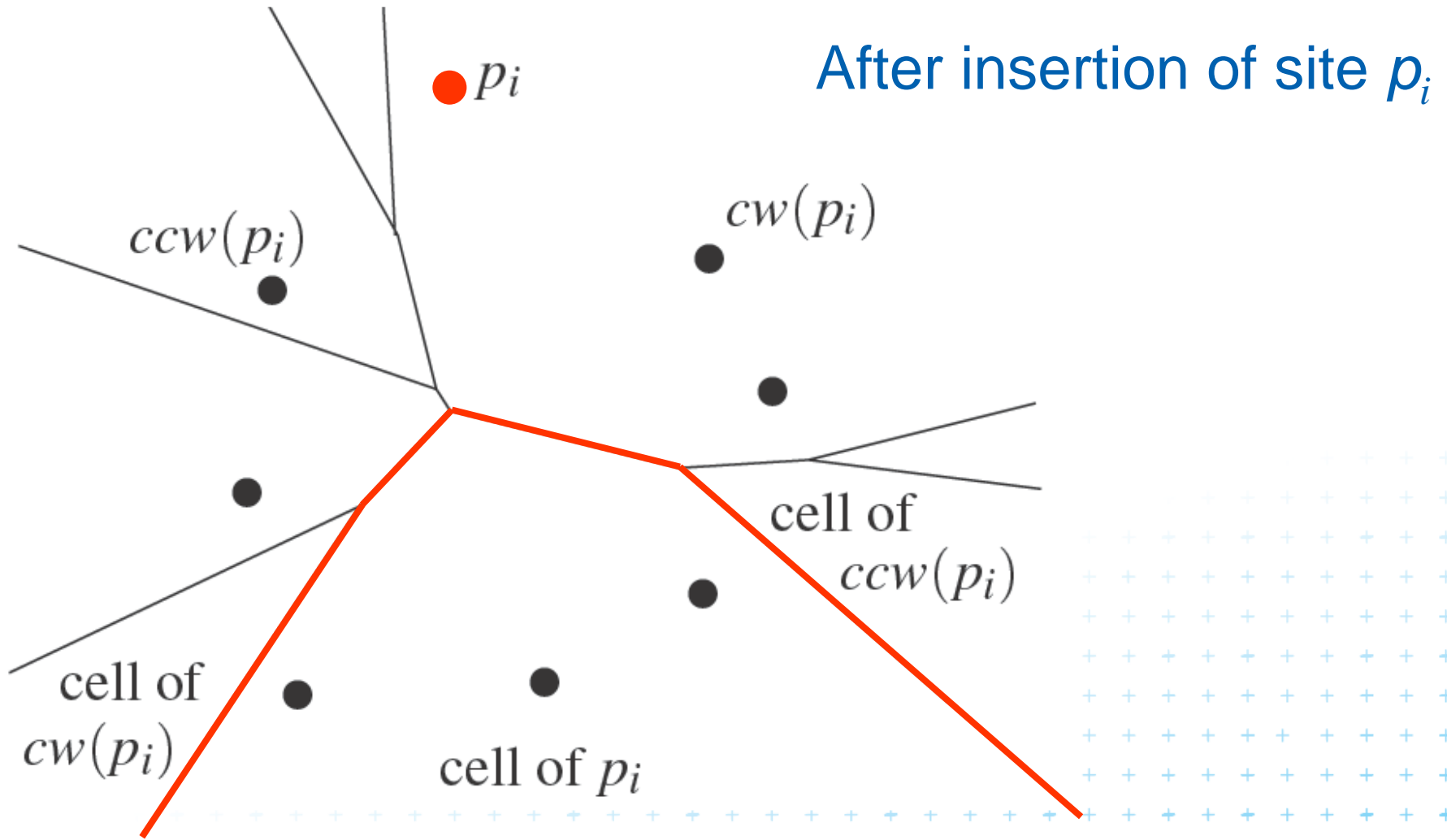
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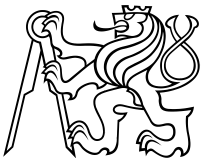
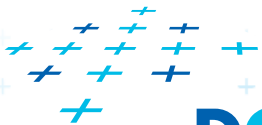
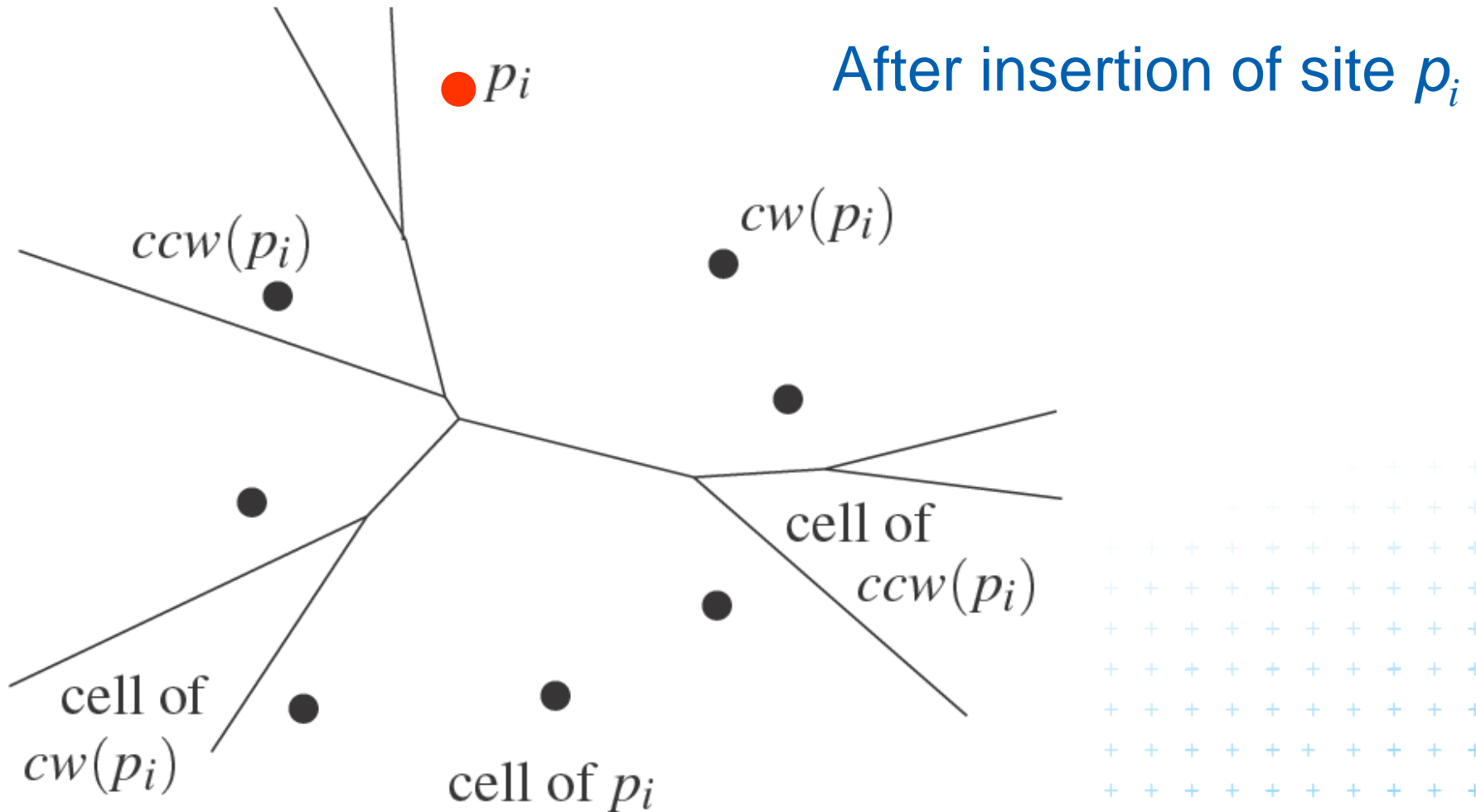
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