

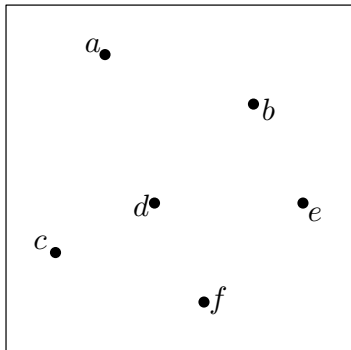
Degree-Driven Design of Geometric Algorithms for Point Location, Proximity, and Volume Calculation

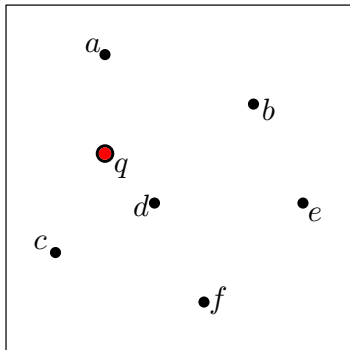
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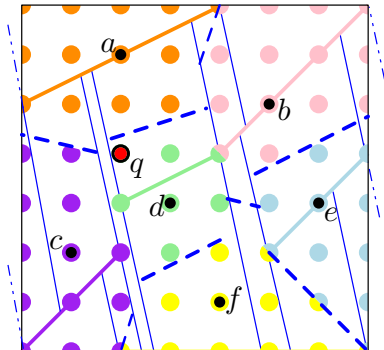
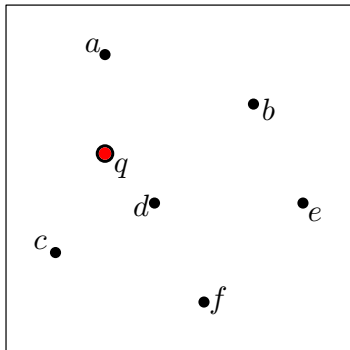
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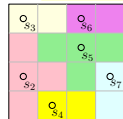
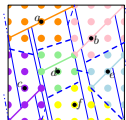






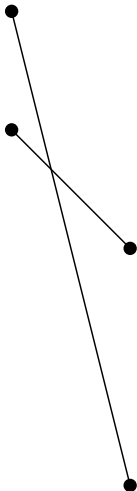
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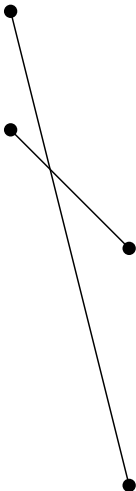
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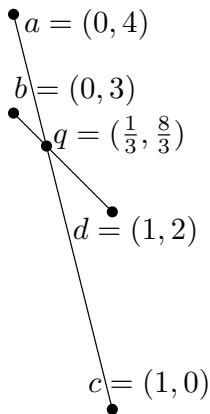
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Input Representation

Input: Geometric configuration specified by single precision numerical coordinates and relationships between coordinates.



E.g. DoSegsIntersect problem:

Numerical coordinates:

$(0, 4, 0, 3, 1, 0, 1, 2)$

Relationships between coordinates:

$a = (a_x, a_y) = (0, 4)$

$b = (b_x, b_y) = (0, 3)$

$c = (c_x, c_y) = (1, 0)$

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$\overline{ac} = (a, c)$

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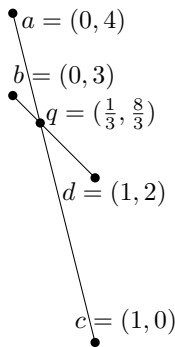
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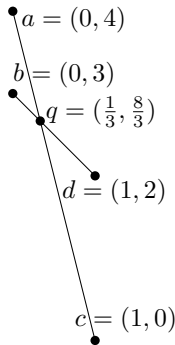
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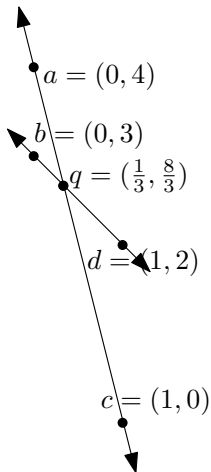
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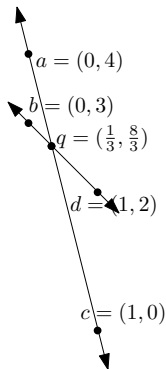
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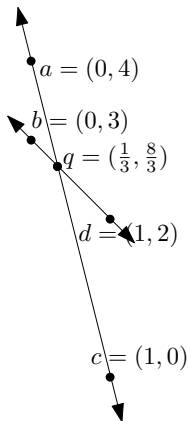


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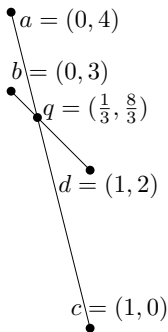
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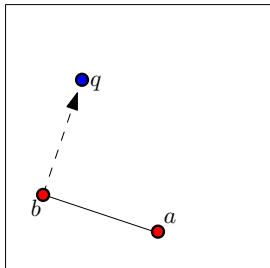
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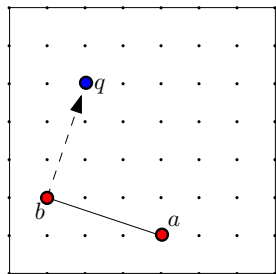
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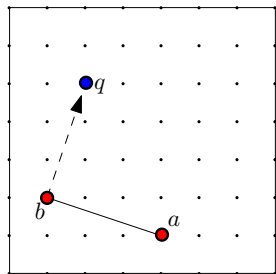
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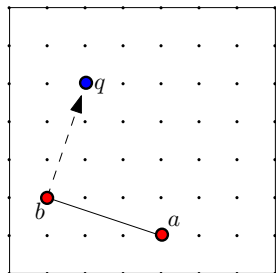
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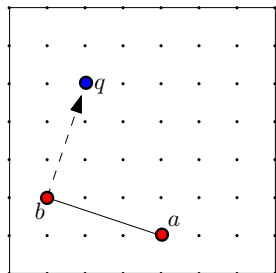
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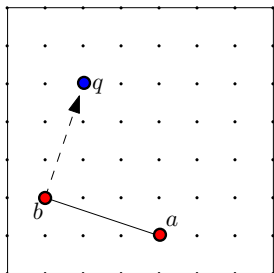
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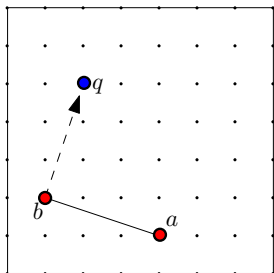
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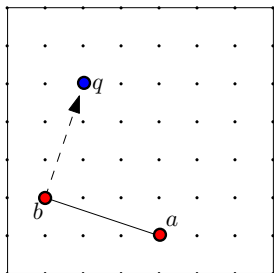
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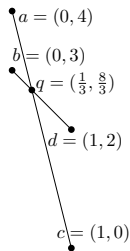
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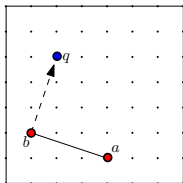
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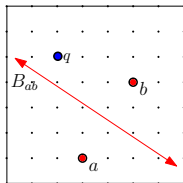
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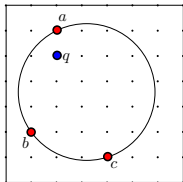
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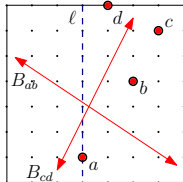
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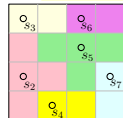
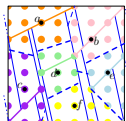


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Techniques for implementing geometric algorithms using finite precision computer arithmetic:

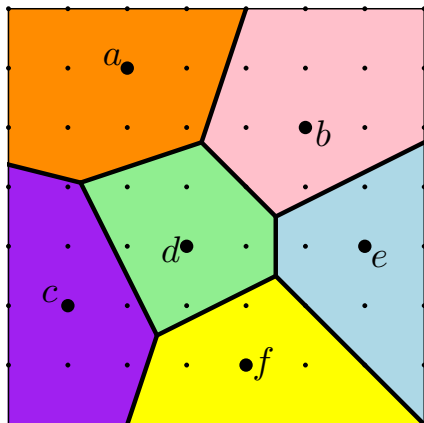
- Rely on machine precision ($+\epsilon$) [NAT90,LTH86,KMP*08]
- Topological Consistency [S99, S01, SI90, SI92, SII*00]
- Exact Geometric Computation [Y97]
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and [BP00,BS00,C00,MS01,MS09,MS10,MV11,MLC*12]

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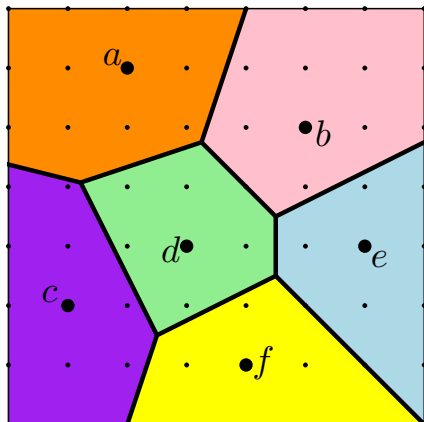
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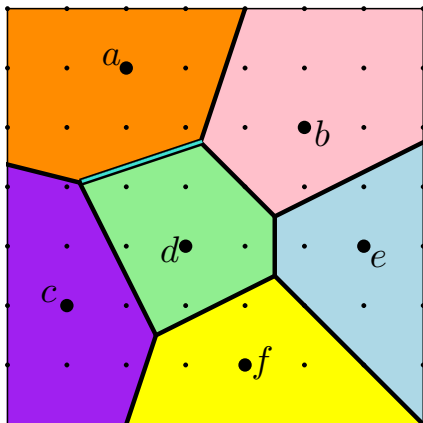
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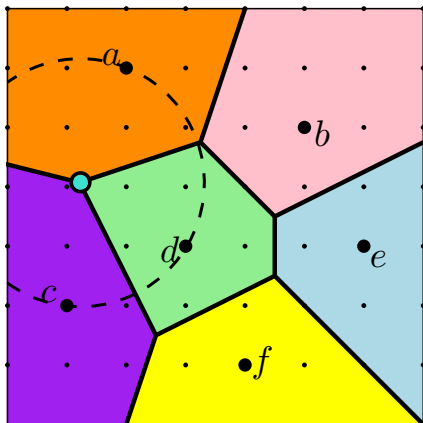
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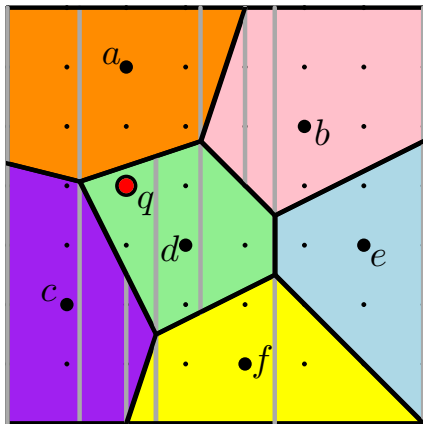
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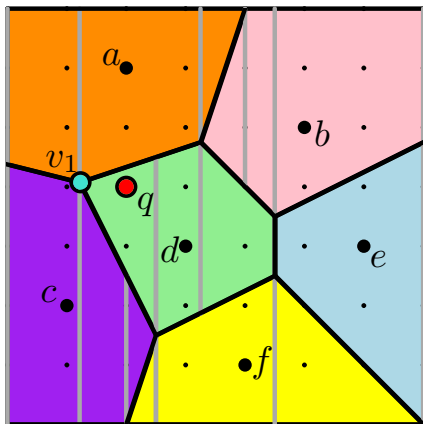


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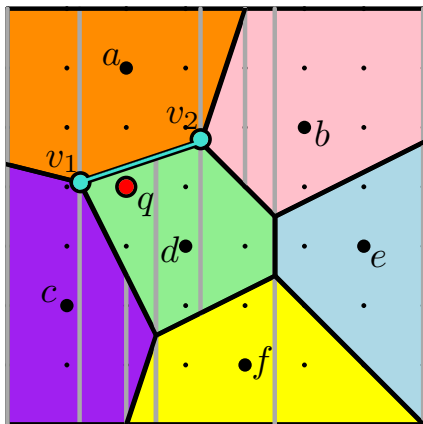
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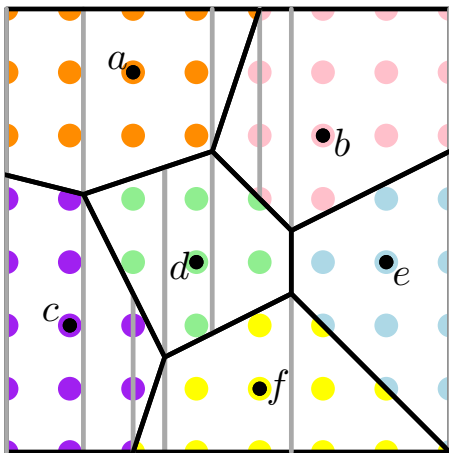
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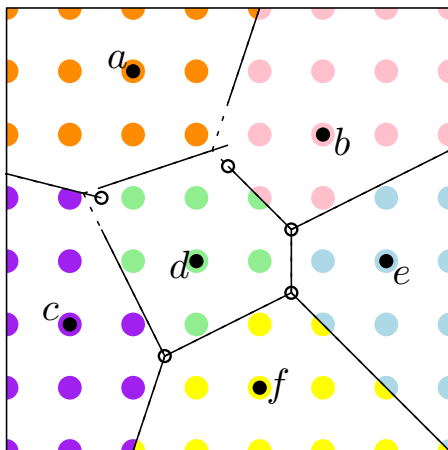
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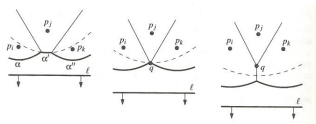
Trapezoid graph for proximity queries [LPT99]

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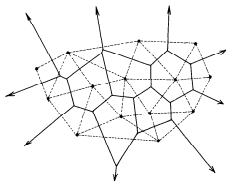
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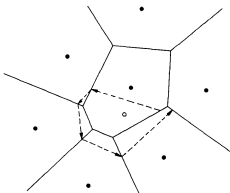
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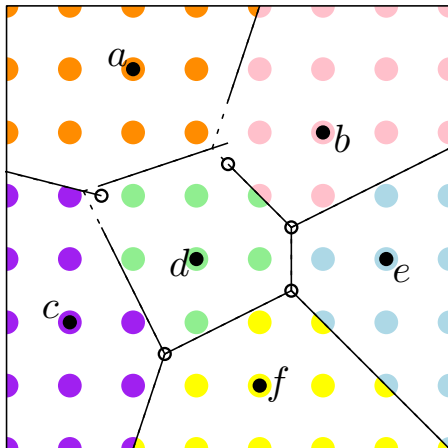
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Implicit Voronoi Diagram [LPT99]



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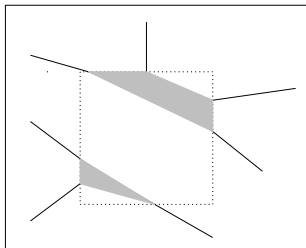
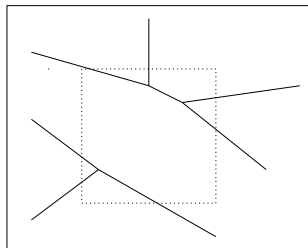
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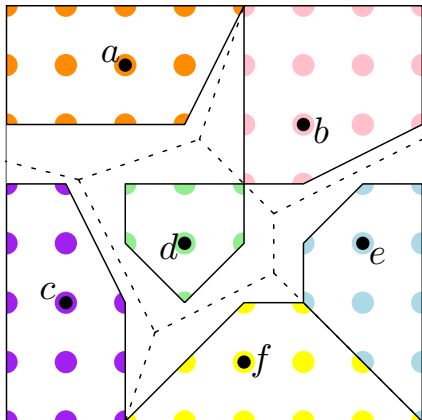
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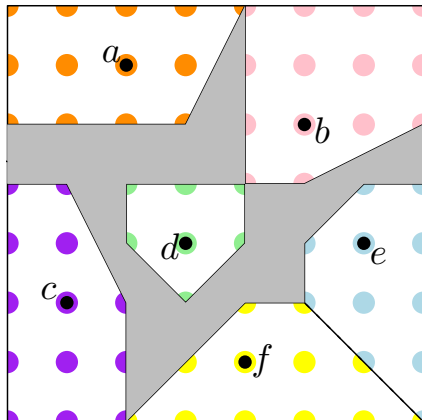
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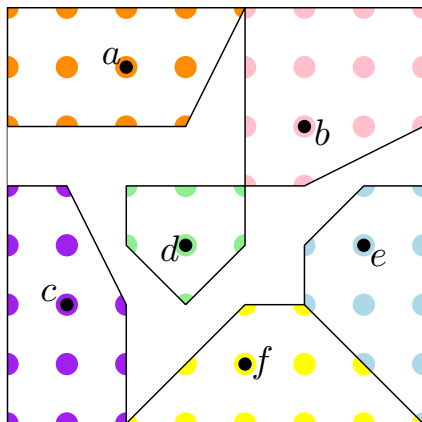
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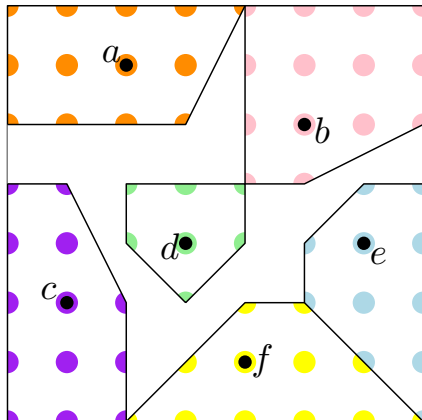
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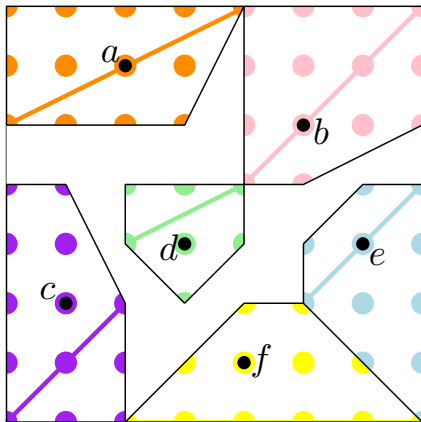
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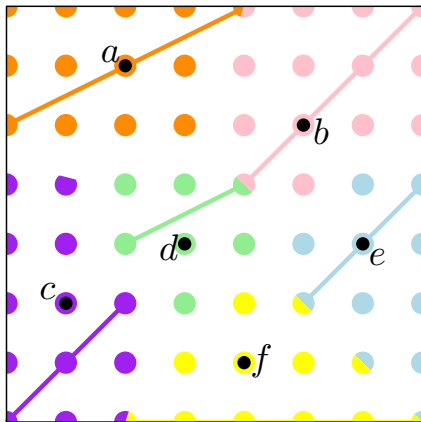
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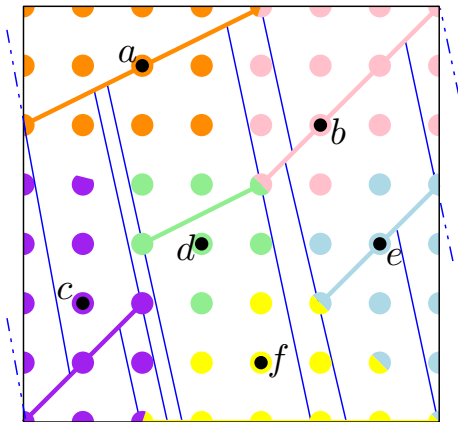
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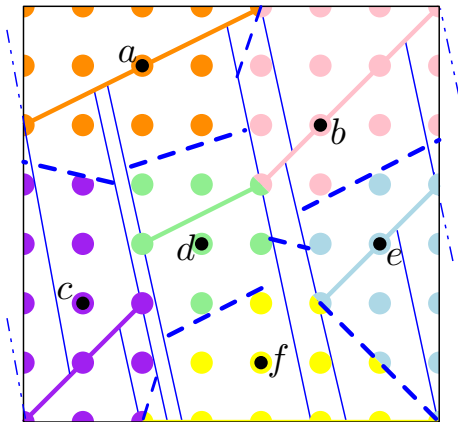
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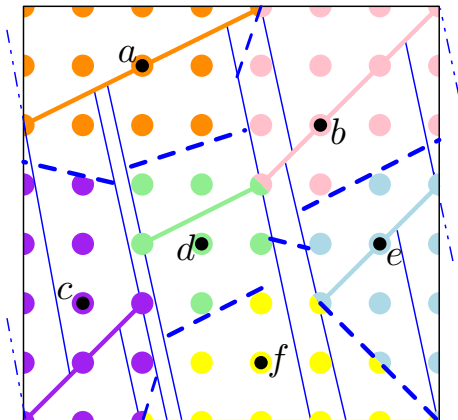
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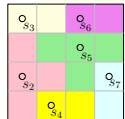
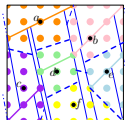
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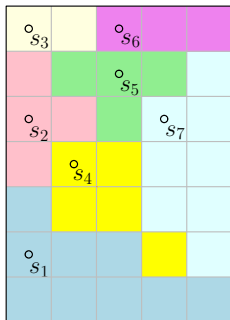
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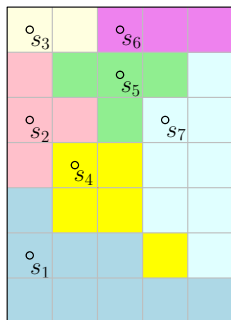
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Discrete Voronoi diagram [C06, MQR03]	degree 3	$O(U^2)$
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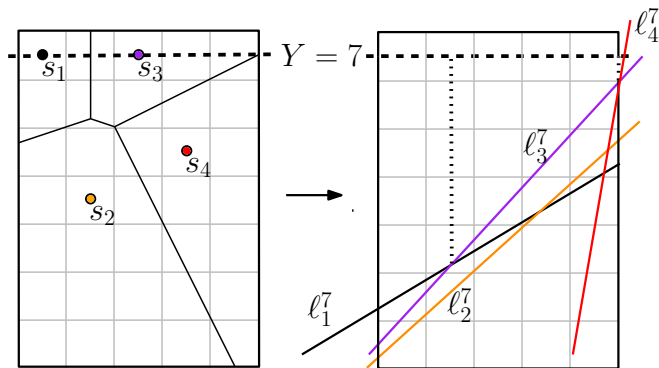
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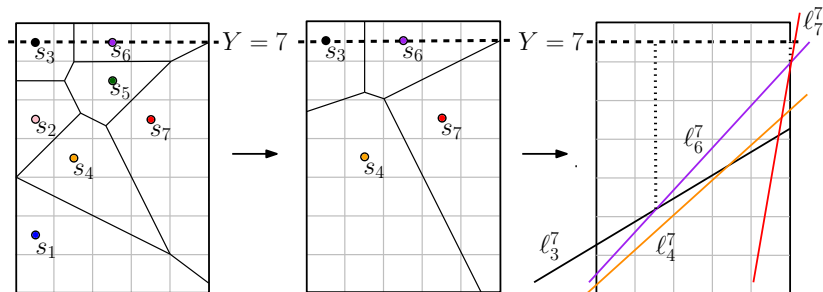
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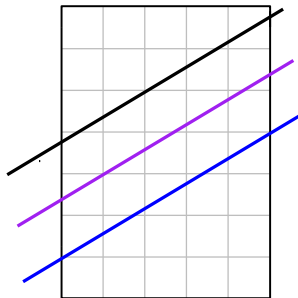
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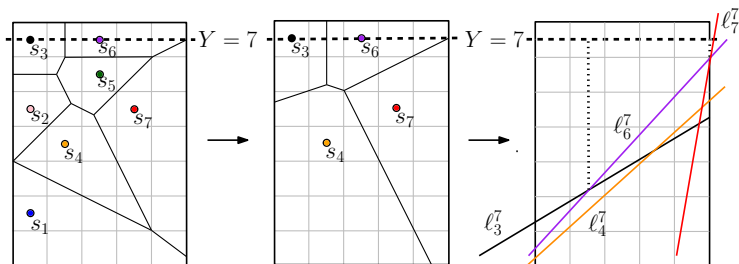
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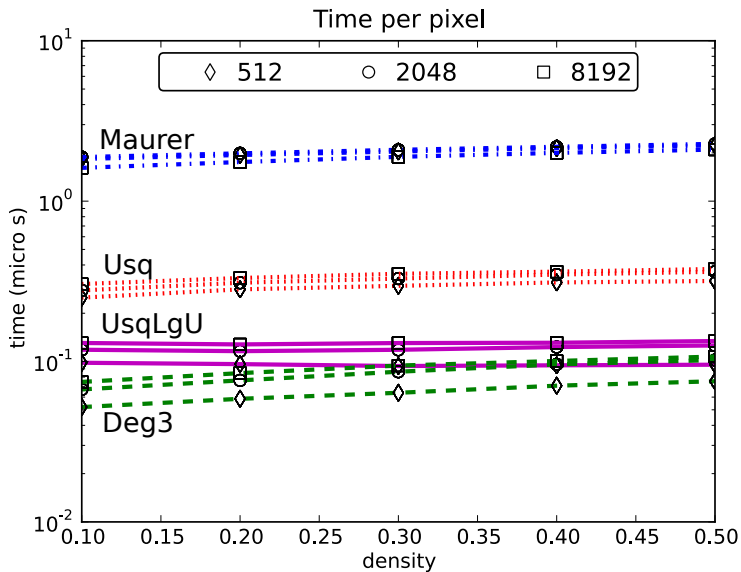
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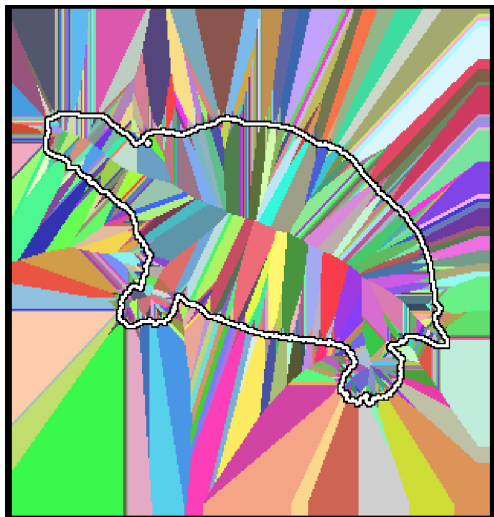
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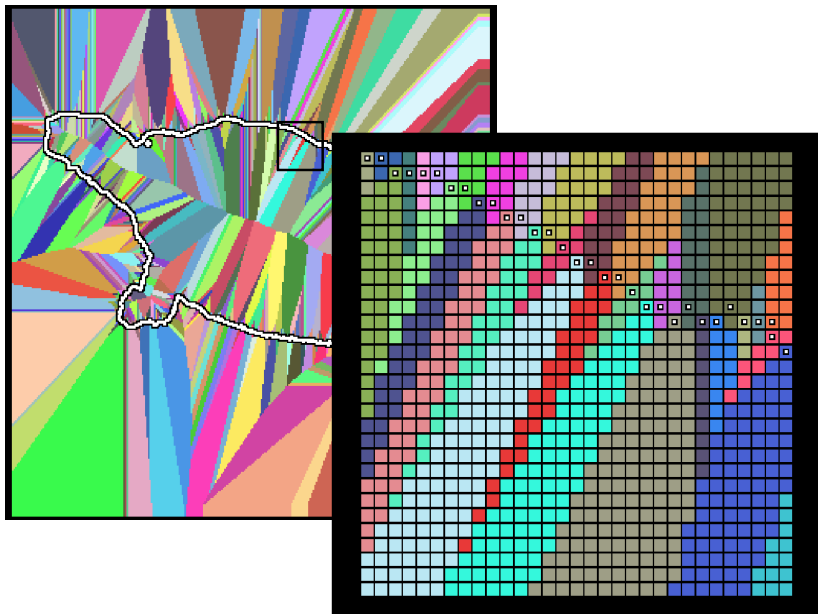


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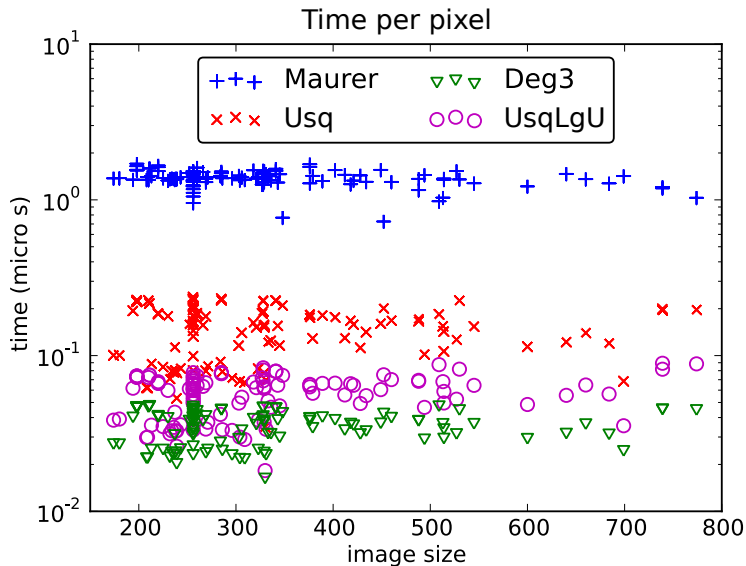


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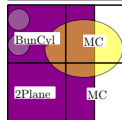
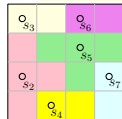
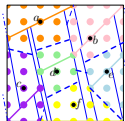
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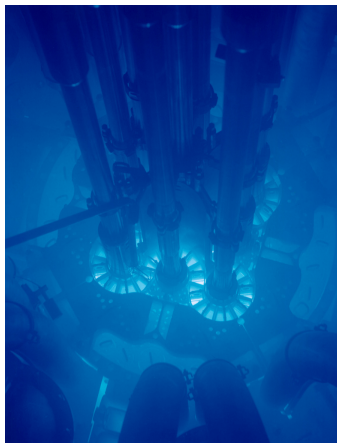


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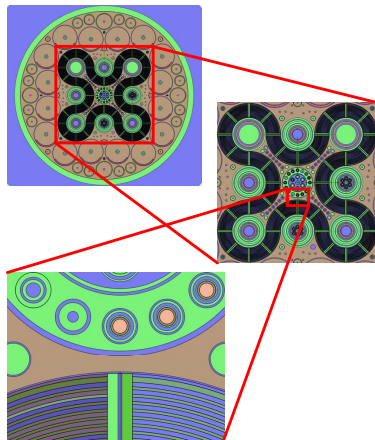
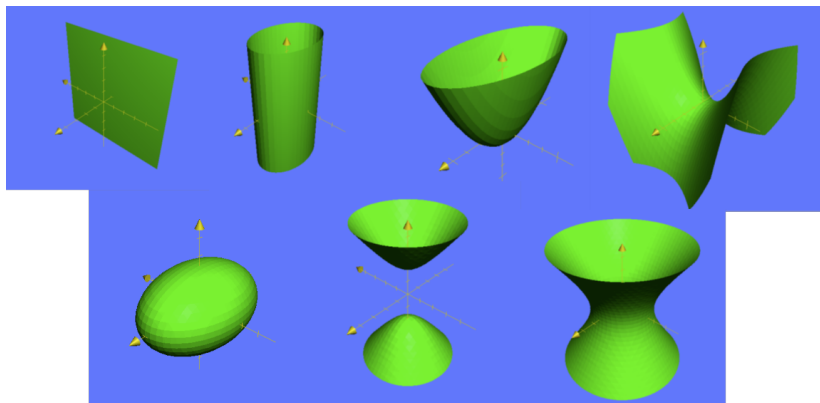


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Primitives: Signed Quadratic Surfaces

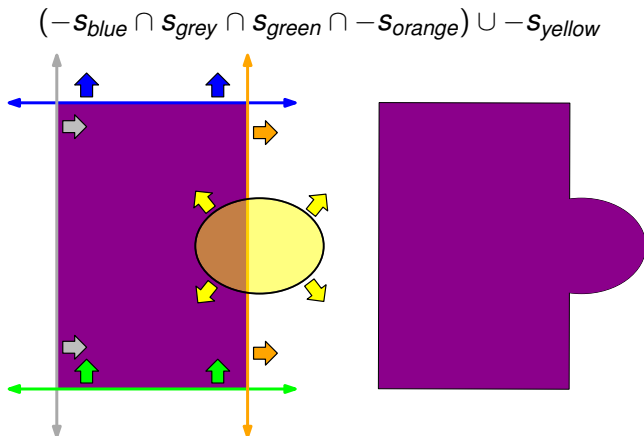


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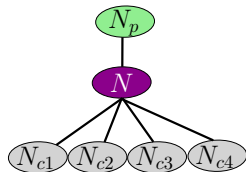
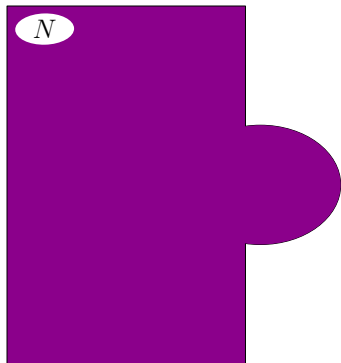
A *basic component* defined by intersections and unions of signed surfaces.



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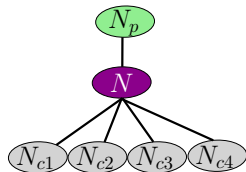
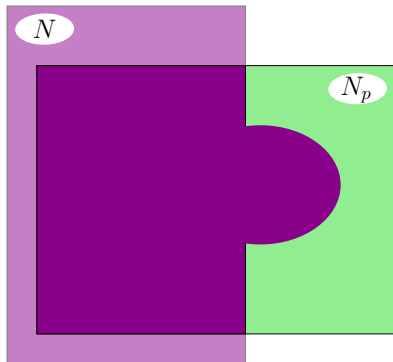


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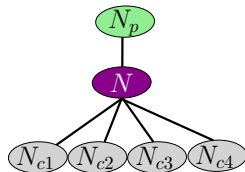
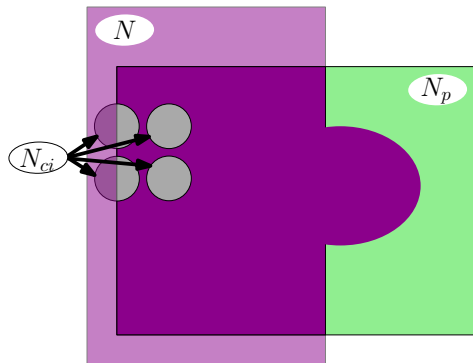
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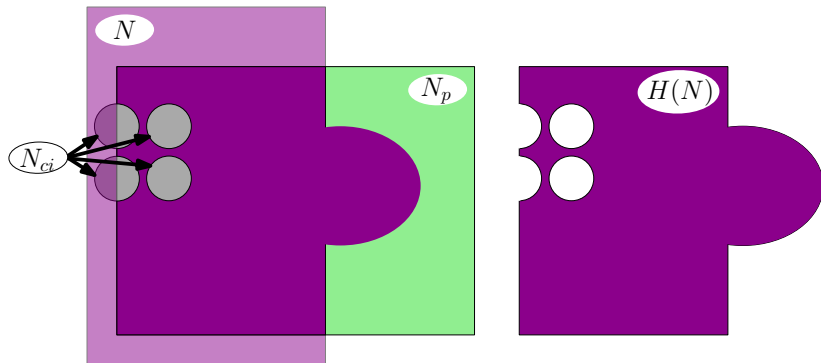
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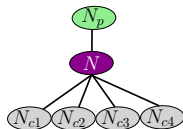
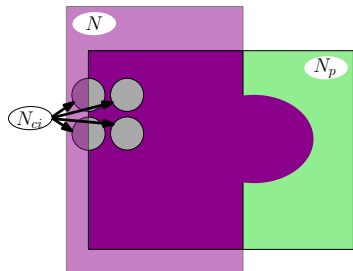
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Volume Calculation



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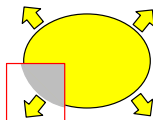
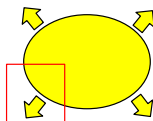
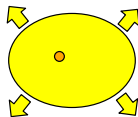
Compute

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Operations on Surfaces

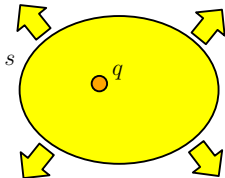
Operations on signed surfaces s with a query point q or an axis-aligned box b :

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- $\text{Classify}(s, b)$ – return if the points in b are inside, outside or both with respect to s .
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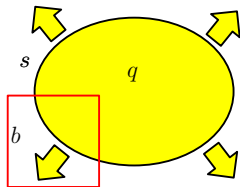


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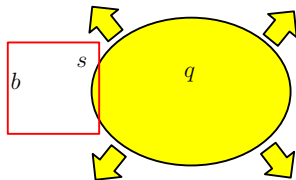
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$\text{Classify}(s, b)$, check if:

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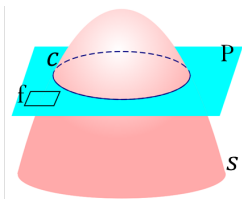
$$b_i, s_i \in \{-U, \dots, U\}$$

$\text{Classify}(s, b)$, check if:

- 1 any Vertices of b are on different sides of s . – Degree 3
- 2 any Edge of b intersects s . – Degree 4
- 3 any Face b intersects s . – Degree 5

Face Test

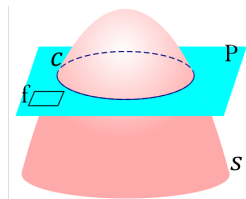
Test if a face f intersects s .



Let c be the intersection curve of the plane P containing f and s .

$$c(x, y) = (x \quad y \quad 1) \begin{pmatrix} \textcircled{1} & \textcircled{1} & \textcircled{2} \\ \textcircled{1} & \textcircled{1} & \textcircled{2} \\ \textcircled{2} & \textcircled{2} & \textcircled{3} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Test if a face f intersects s .



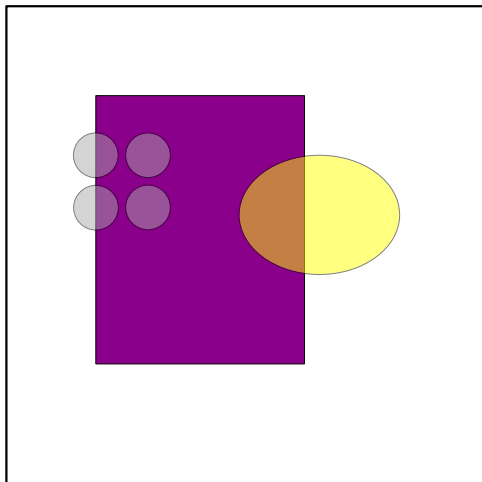
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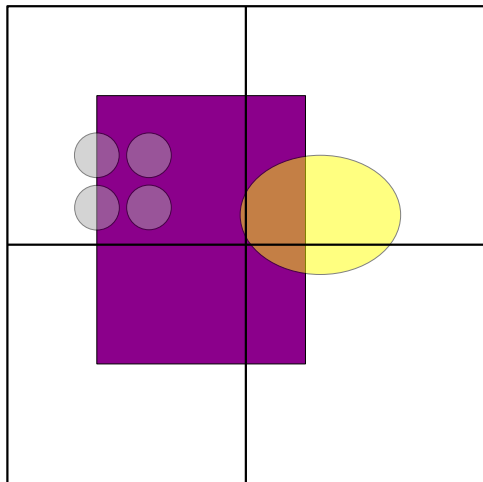
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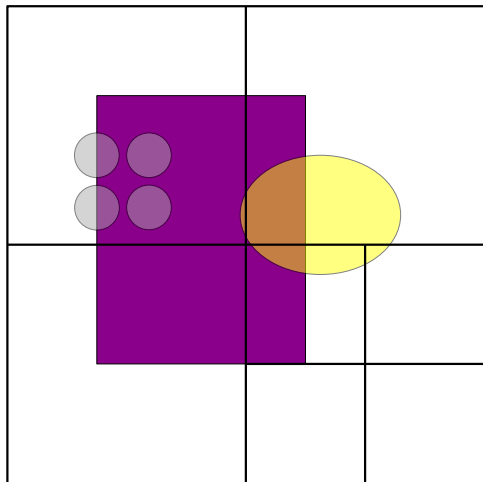
To determine if s intersects f , test properties of the matrix.

Test if c is an ellipse: $\text{sign} \left(\begin{vmatrix} \textcircled{1} & \textcircled{1} \\ \textcircled{1} & \textcircled{1} \end{vmatrix} \right) = \text{sign}(\textcircled{2})$

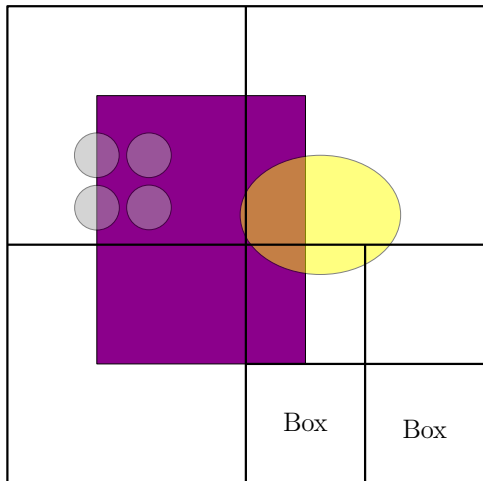
Test if c is real or img: $\text{sign} \left(\begin{vmatrix} \textcircled{1} & \textcircled{1} & \textcircled{2} \\ \textcircled{1} & \textcircled{1} & \textcircled{2} \\ \textcircled{2} & \textcircled{2} & \textcircled{3} \end{vmatrix} \right) = \text{sign}(\textcircled{5})$



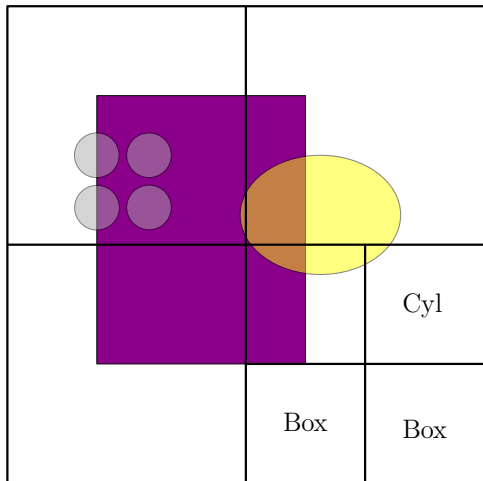




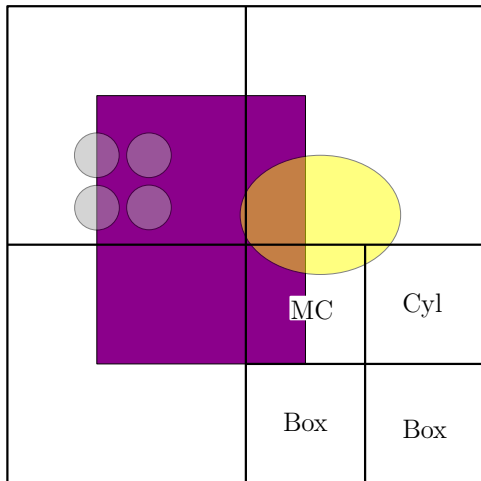
Algorithm Animation



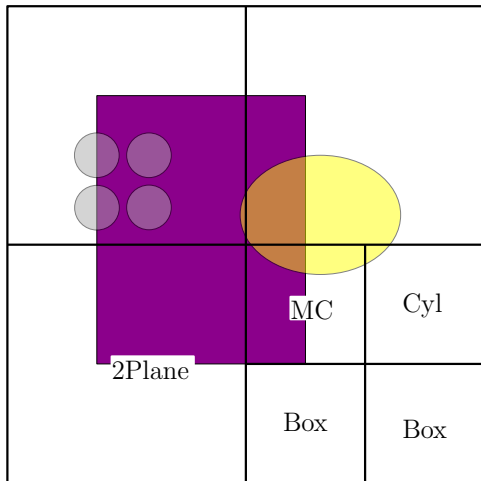
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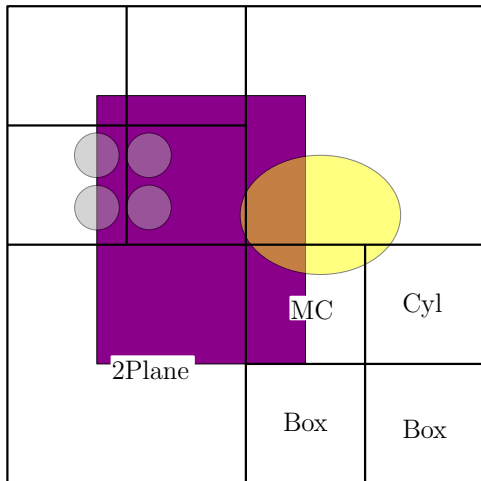
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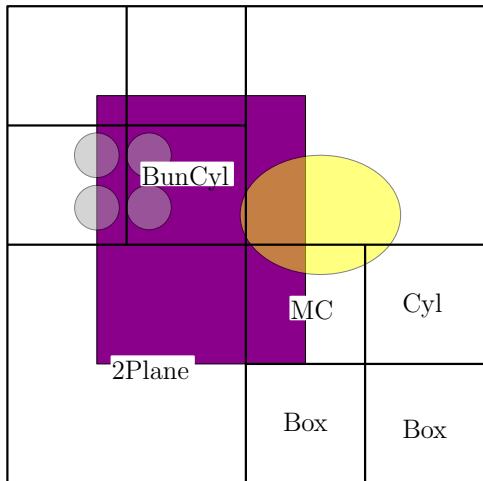
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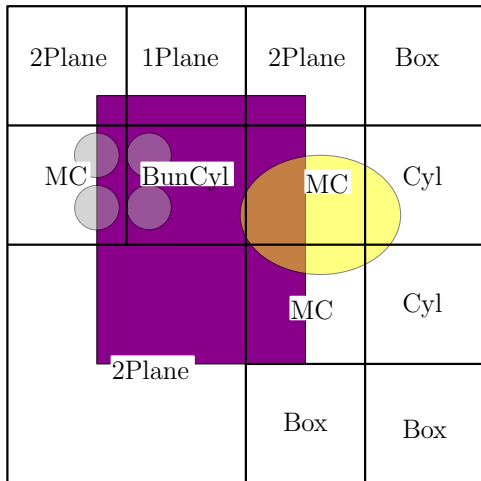
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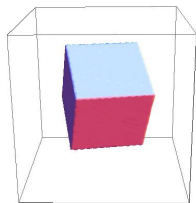
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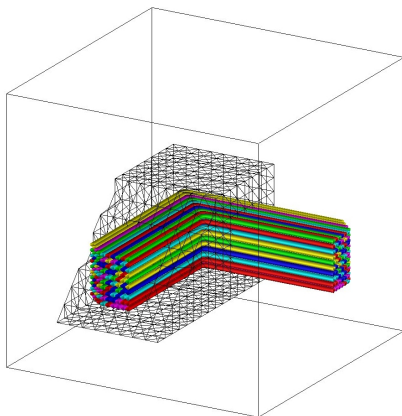
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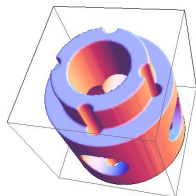
Experiments: Models



Cube

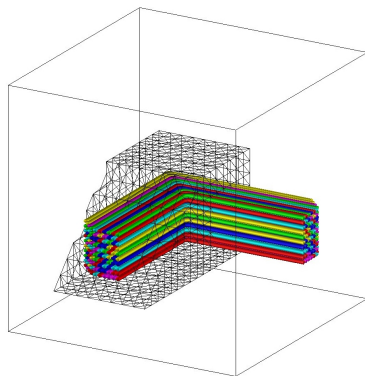


L-Pipe12,
L-Pipe100, and L-Pipe10k



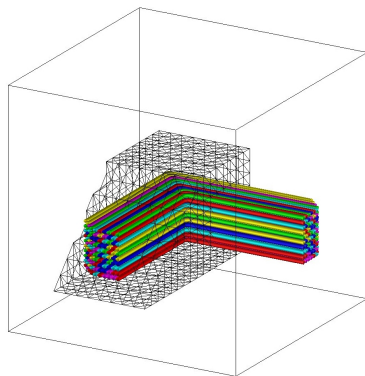
DrillCyl

Experiments: Accuracy and Time for L-Pipe100



Algorithm	Requested Accuracy	Error	Time (sec)
MC	$1e-4$	$<1e-4$	790.28
New	$1e-4$	$<1e-6$	1.41

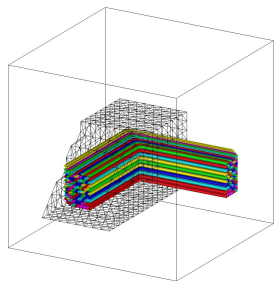
Experiments: Accuracy and Time for L-Pipe100



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Experiments: Larger Model for L-Pipe10k

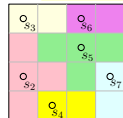
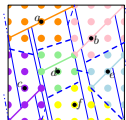
L-Pipe10k is similar to L-Pipe100 but defined by over 40k surfaces.



Algorithm	Requested Accuracy	Error	Time
MC	1e-4	-	> 12.00h*
New	1e-4	<1e-6	9.43s

*Halted after 12 hours. Extrapolating from other experiments, 76 hours.

Overview



- Compute point location data structure with double & triple precision
- Compute nearest neighbor transform with double precision
- Compute volumes of CSG models with five-fold precision



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