

Computational Geometry

Winter term 2016/17

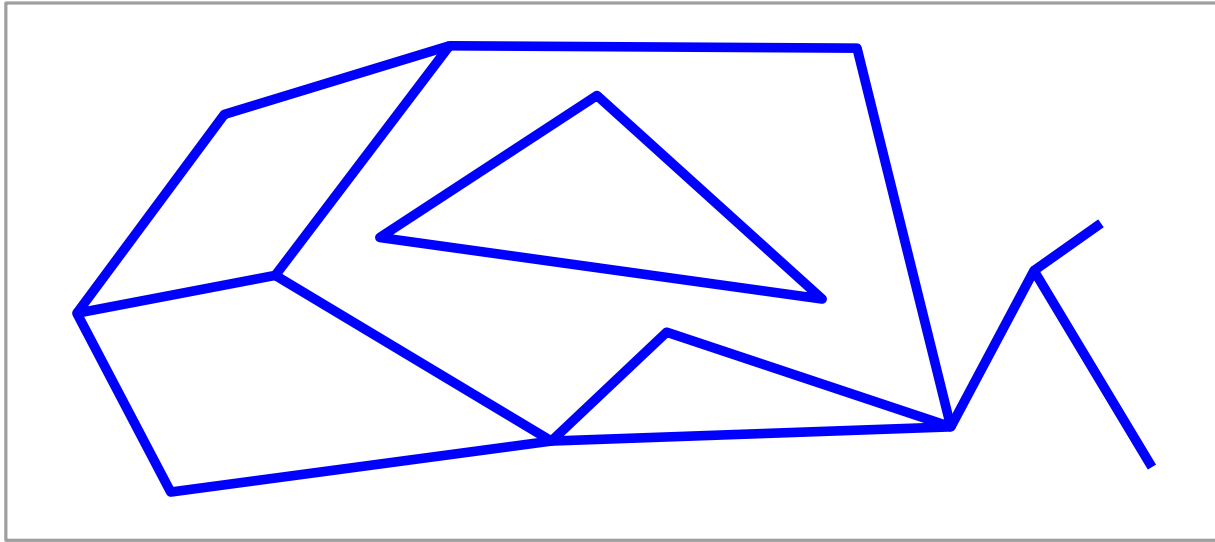
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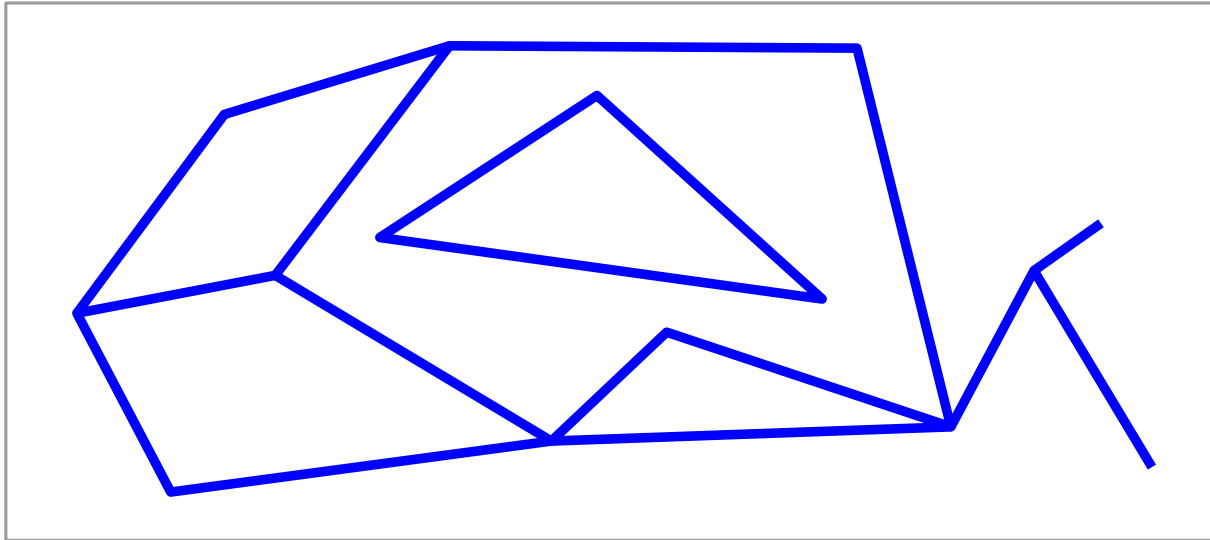
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Lecture #6

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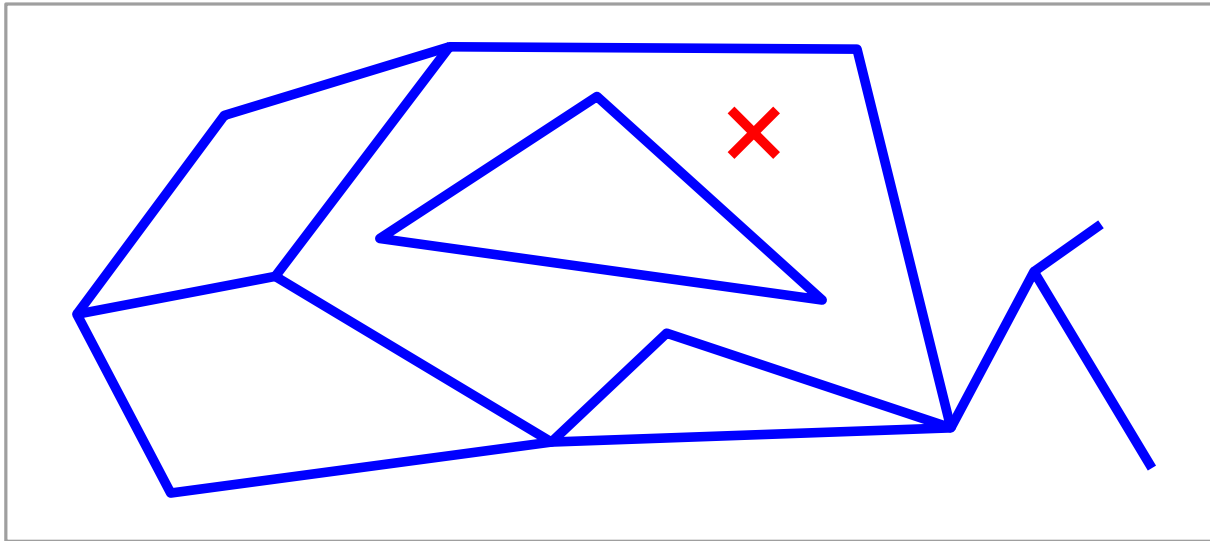


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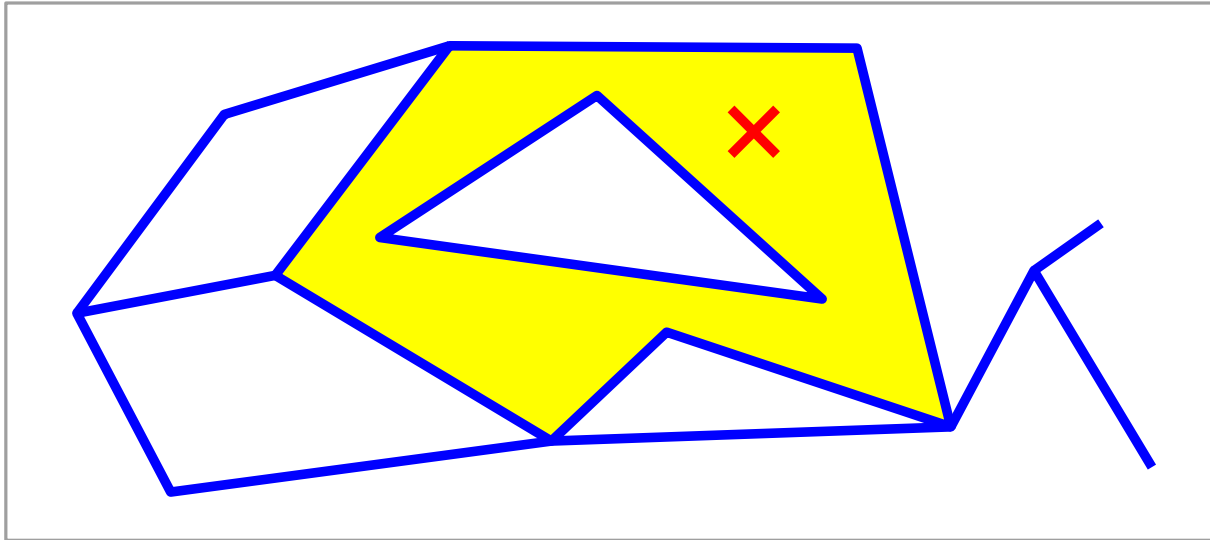
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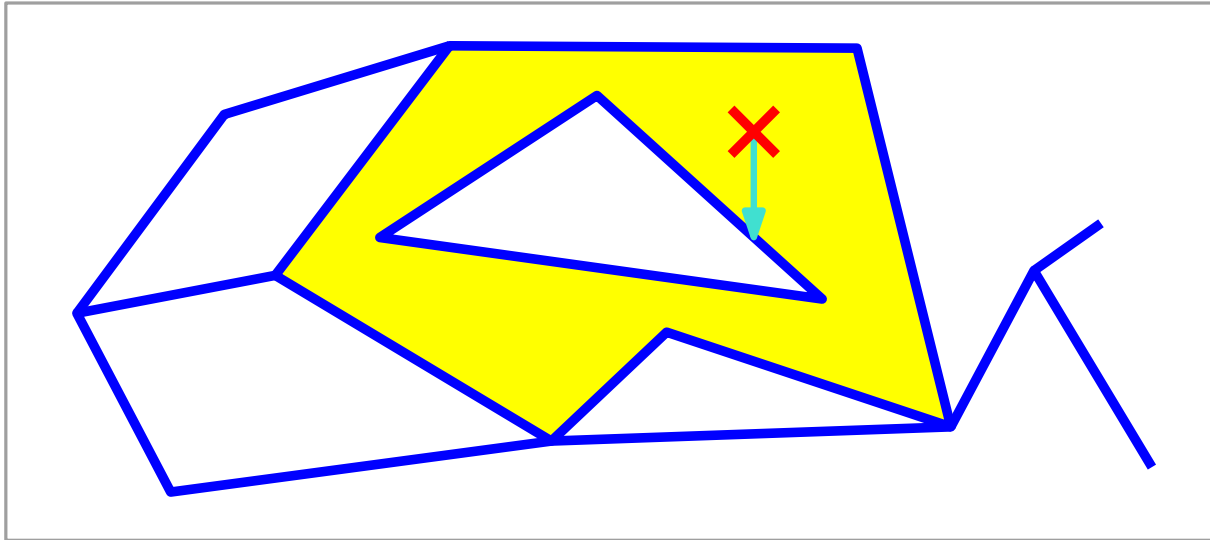
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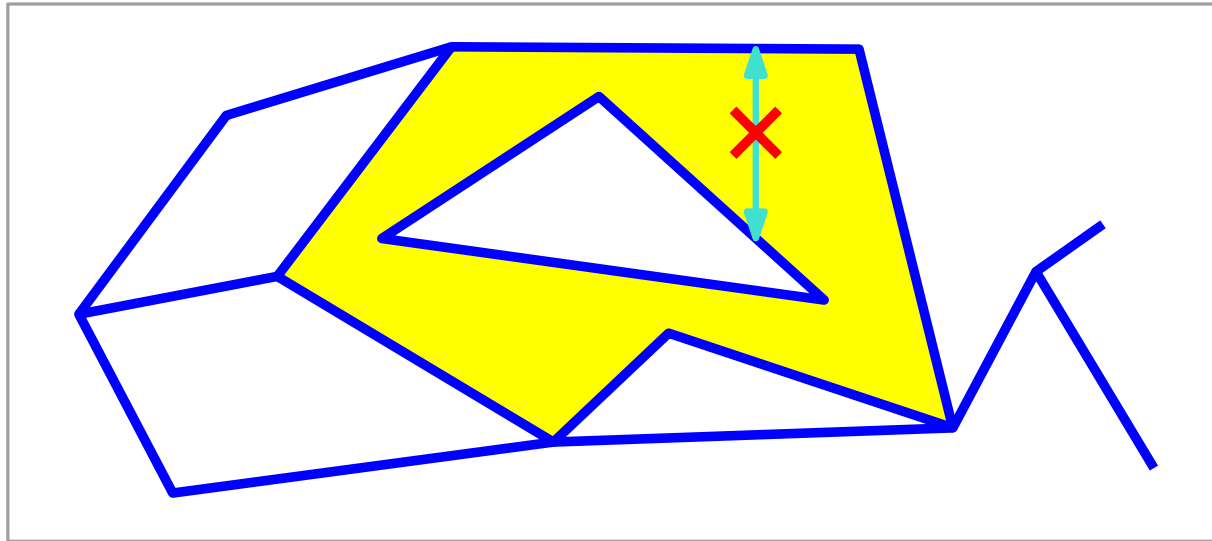
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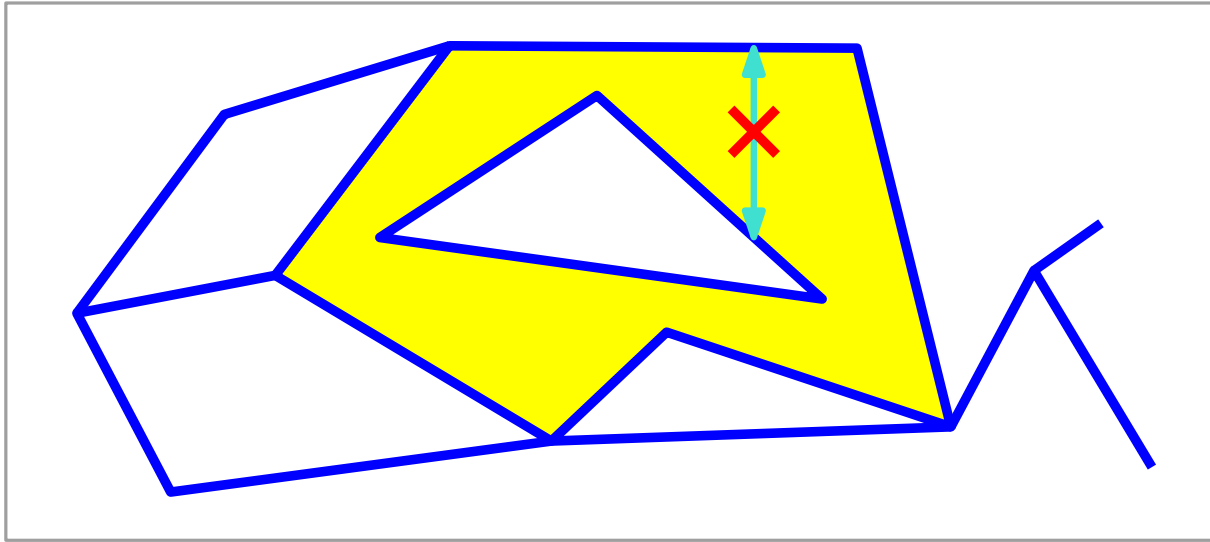
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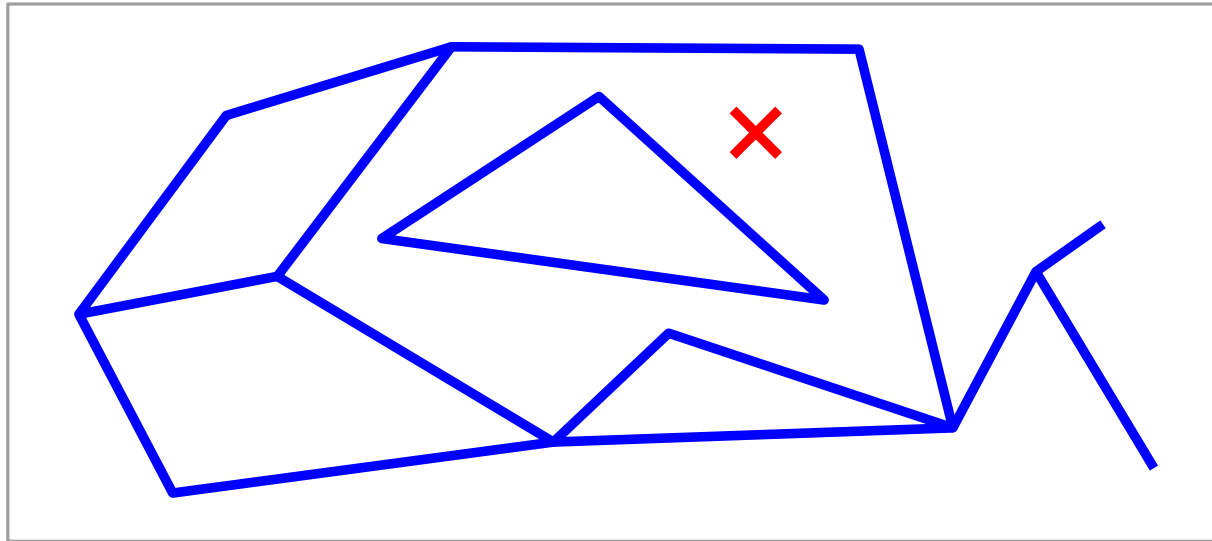


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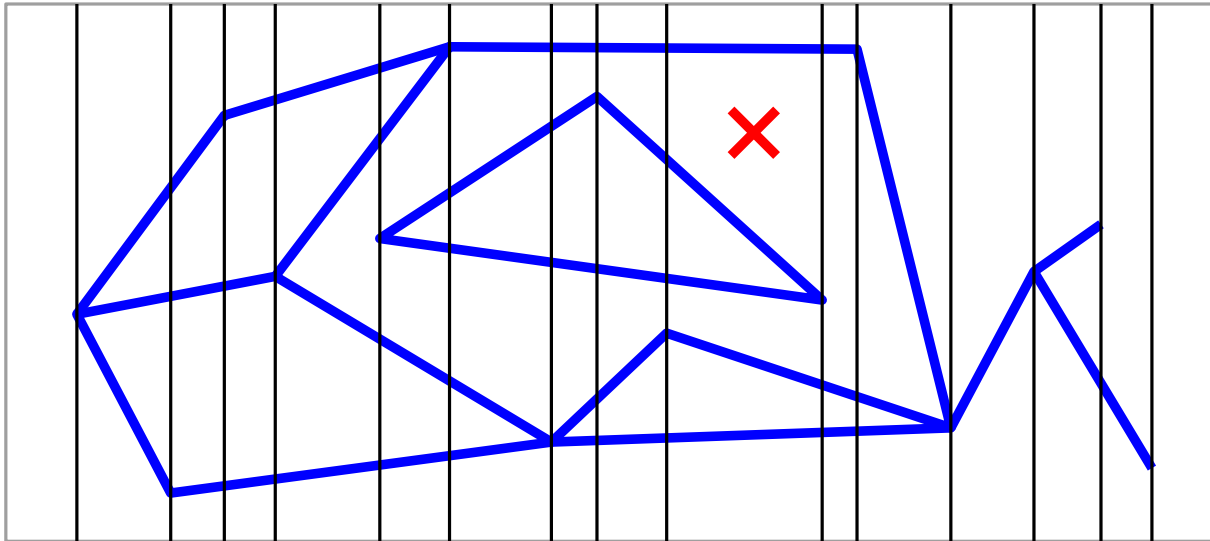
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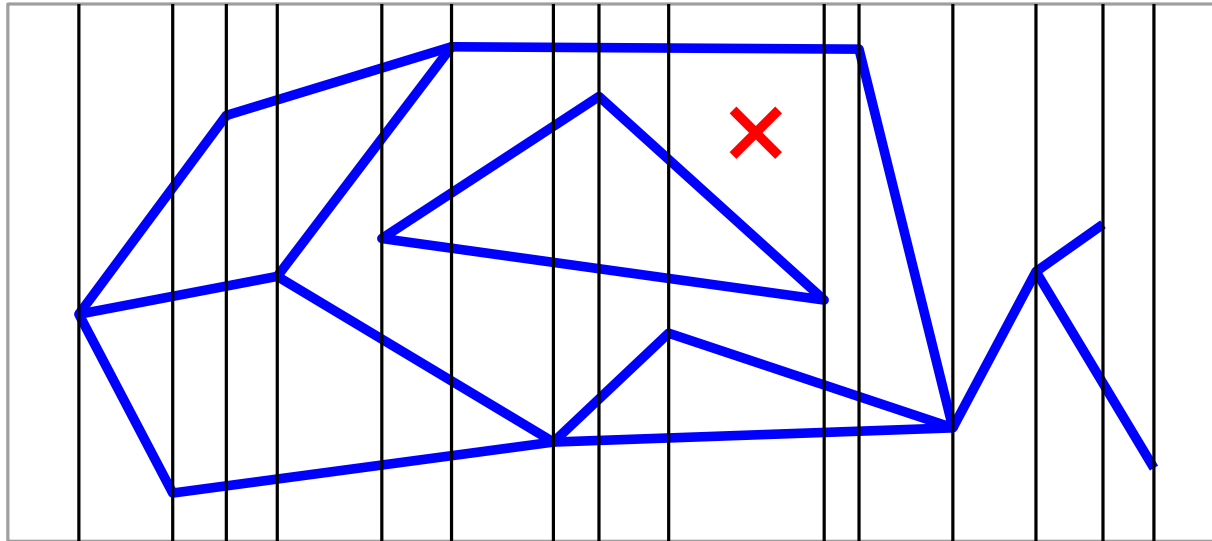
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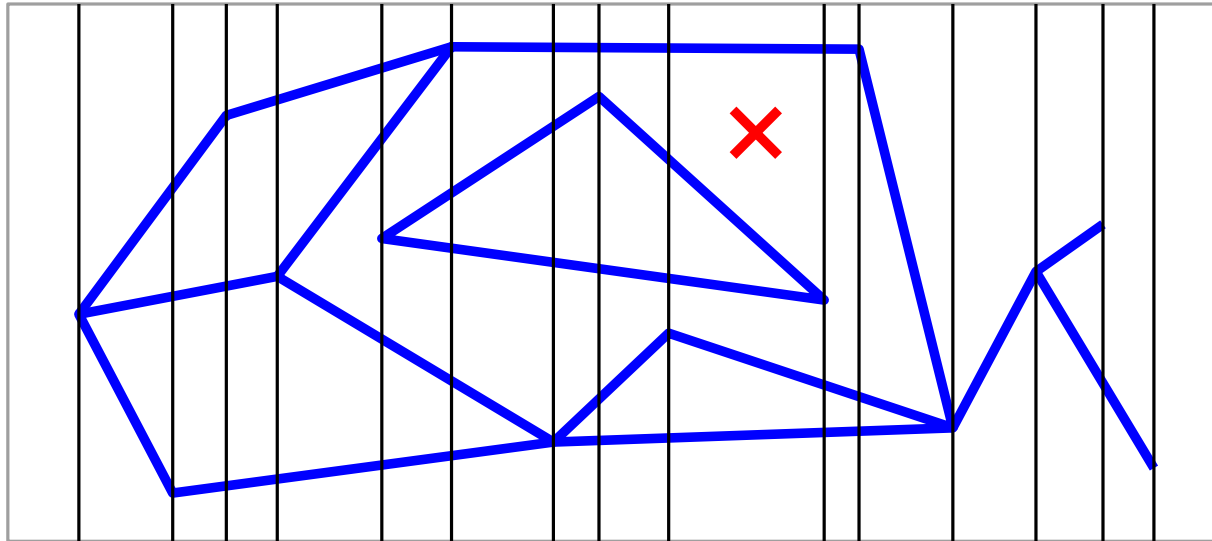


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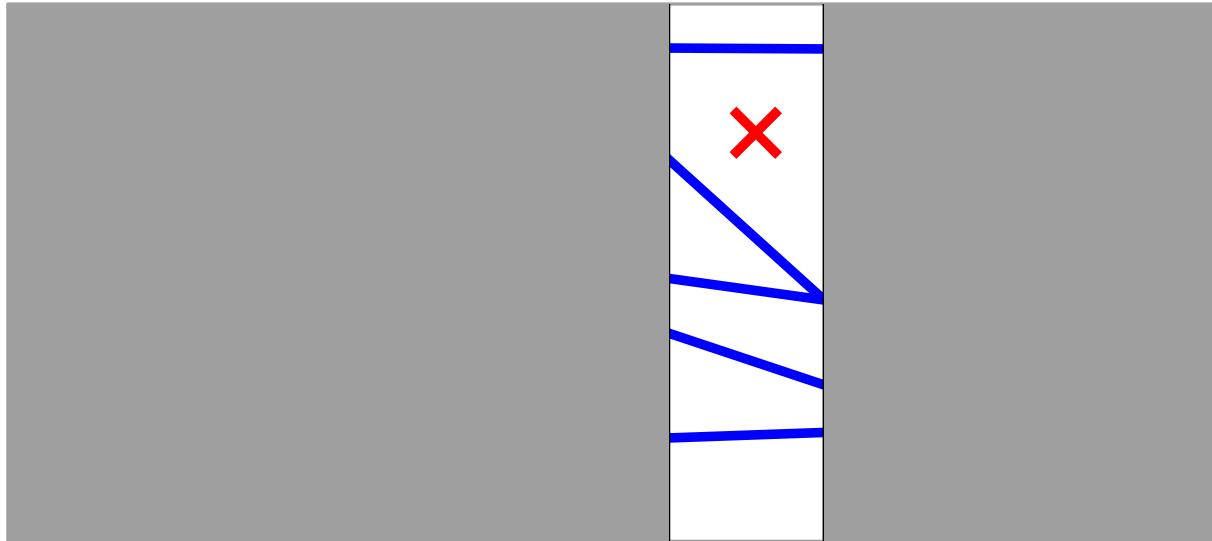


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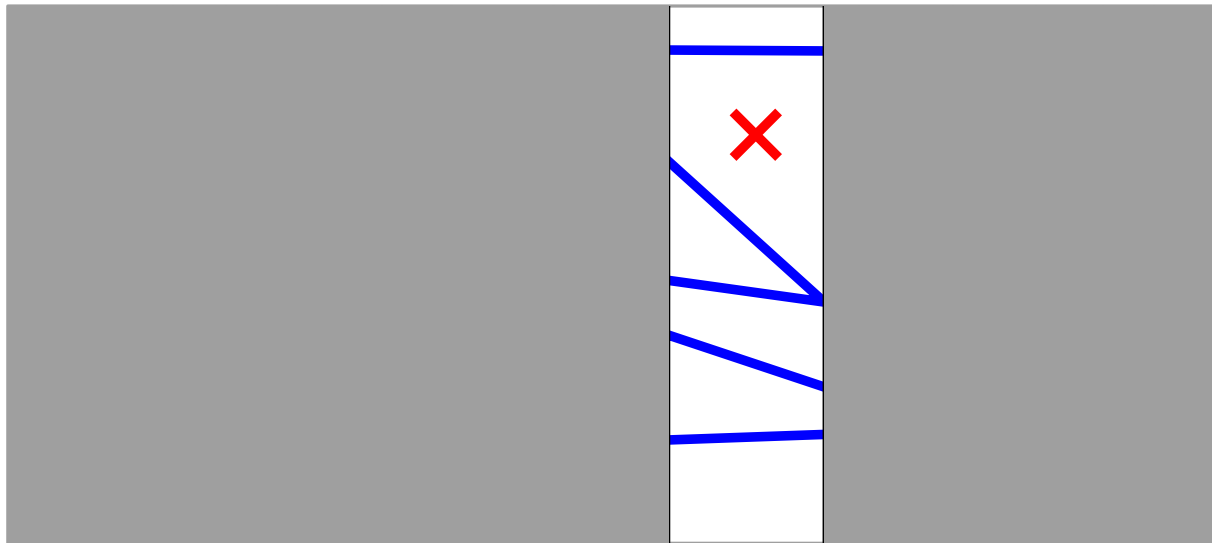


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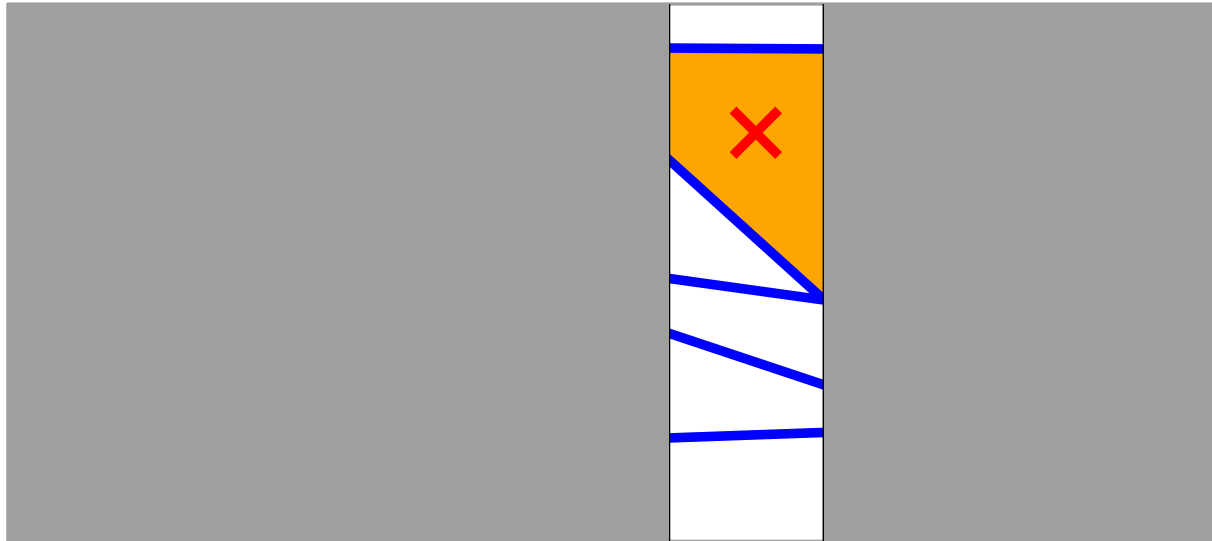


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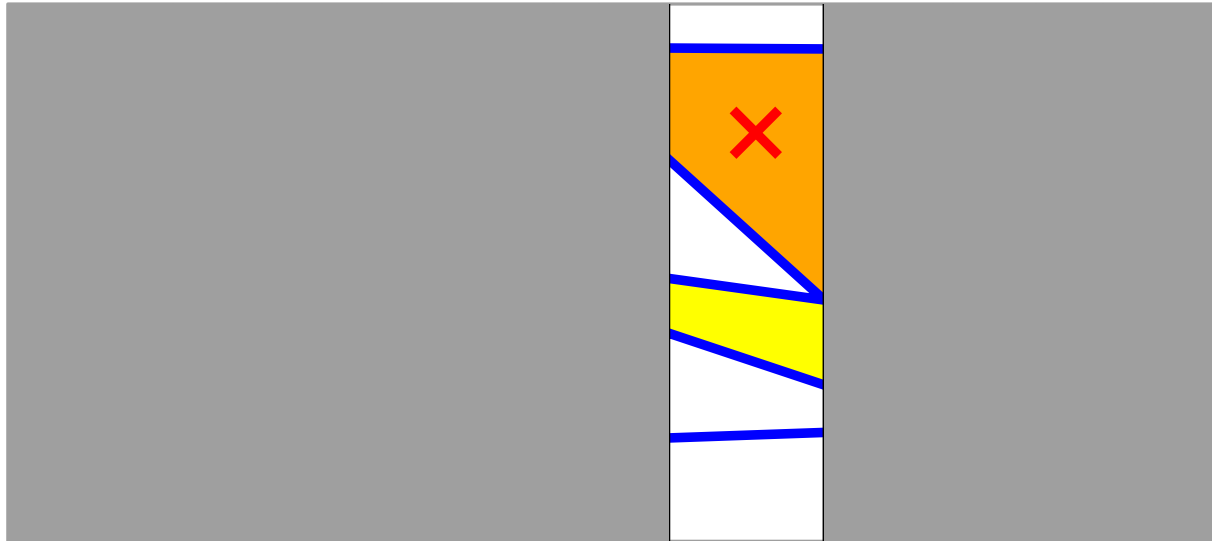


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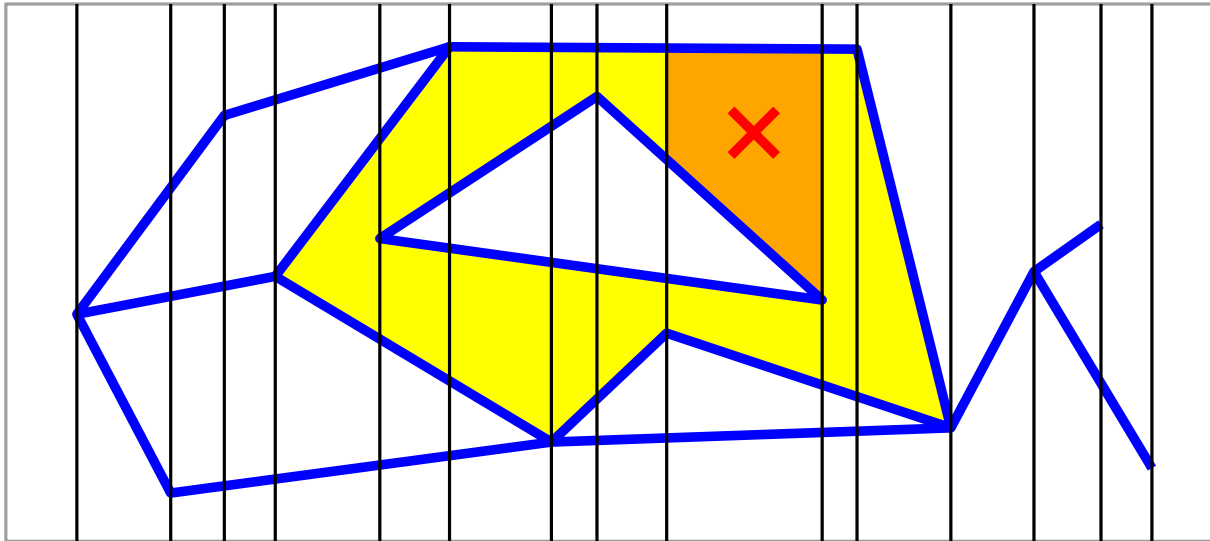


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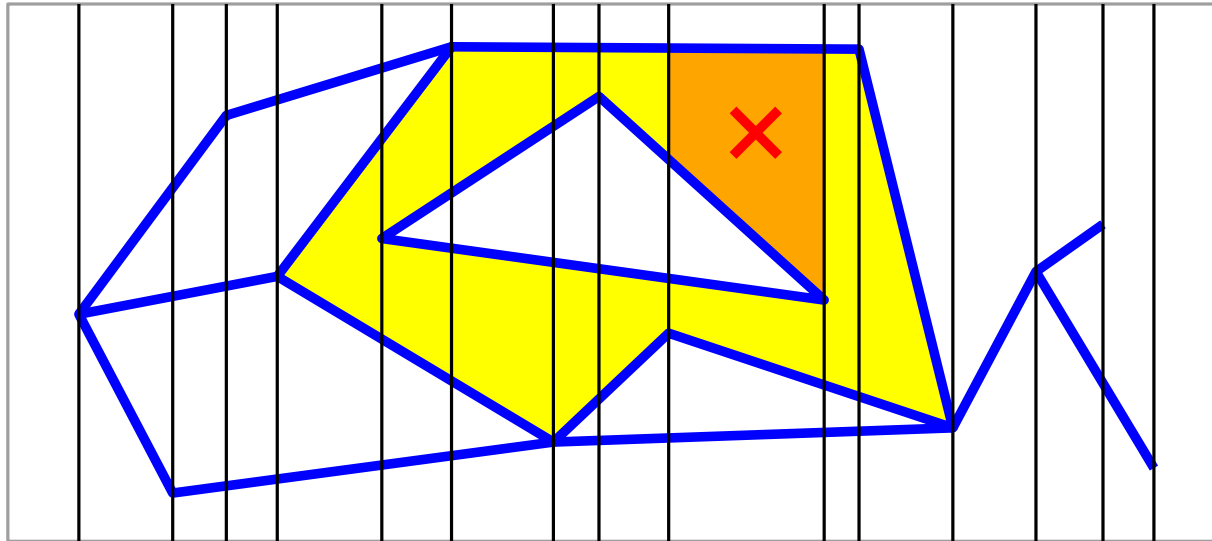


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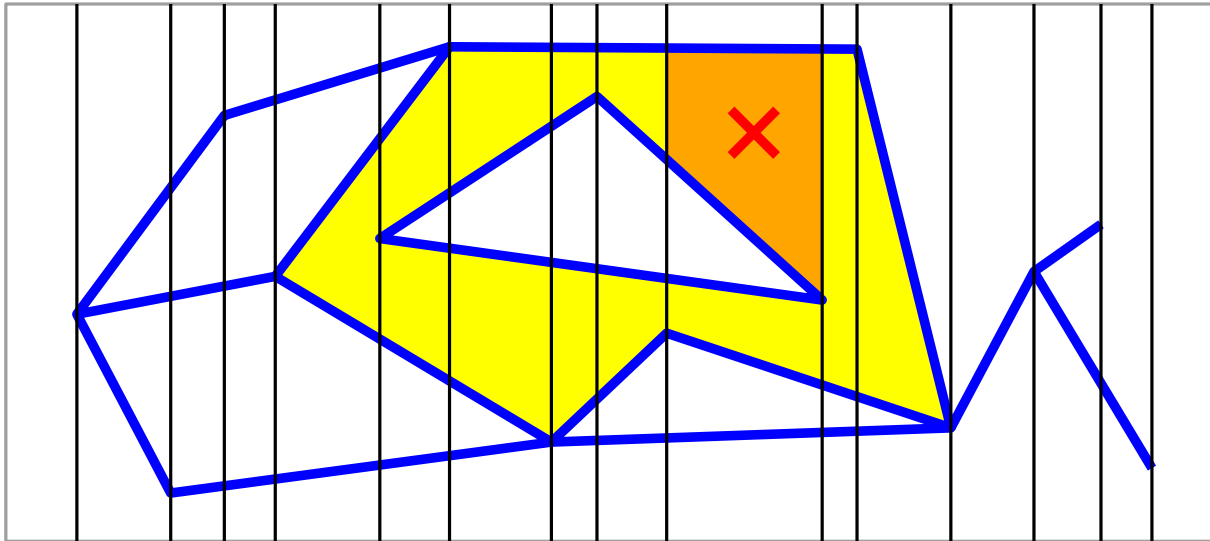
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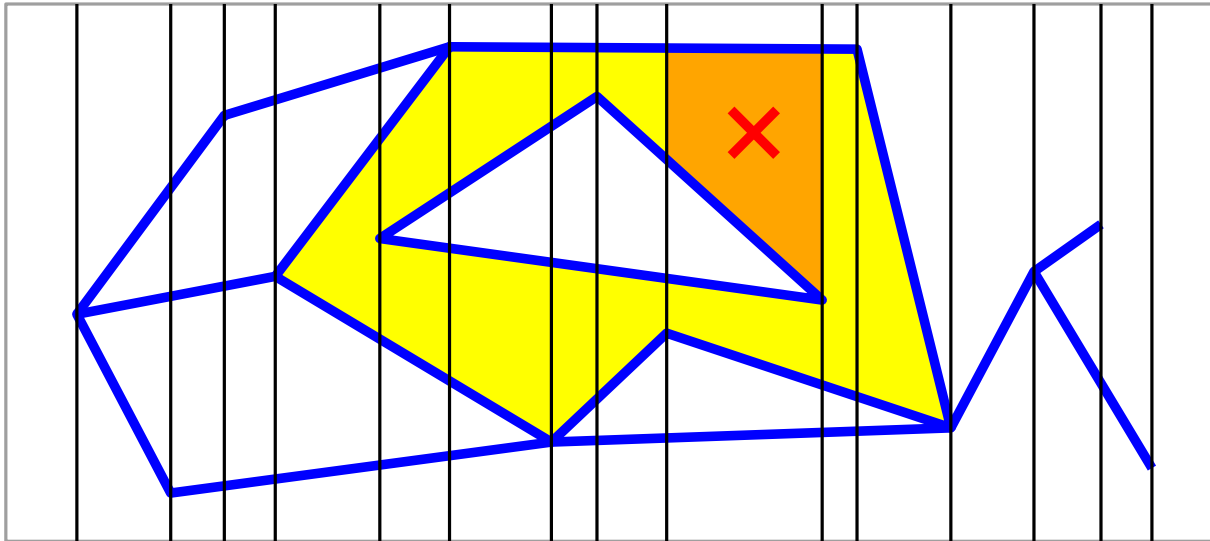
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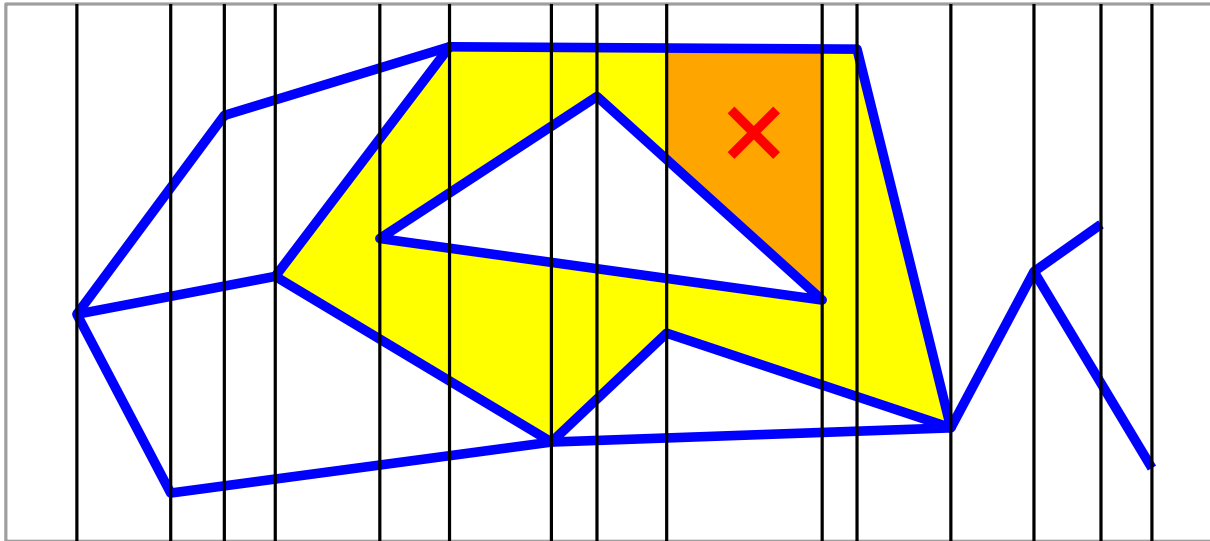
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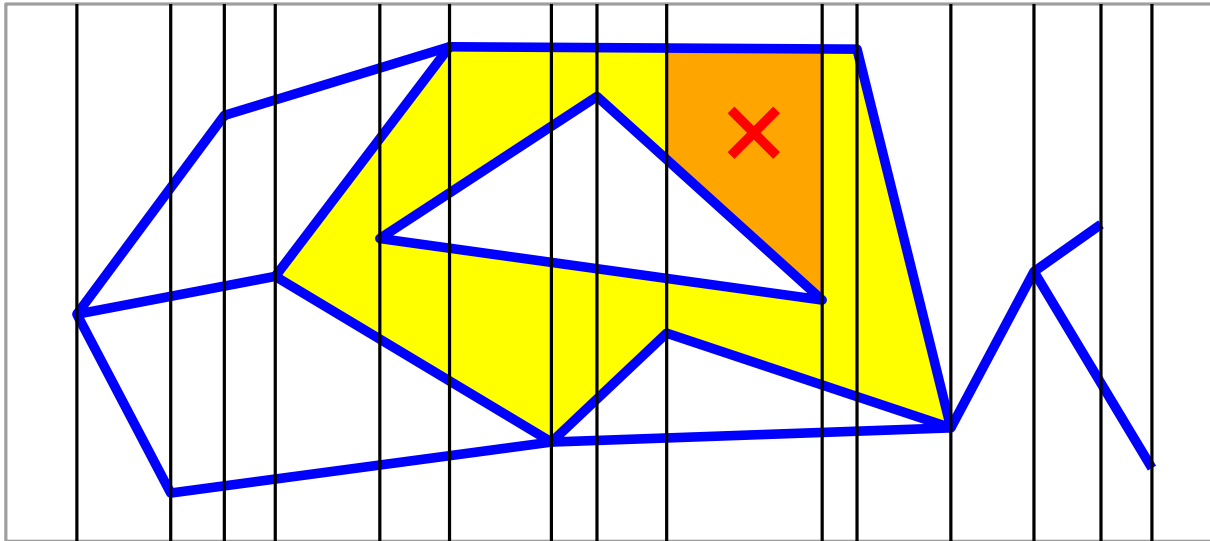
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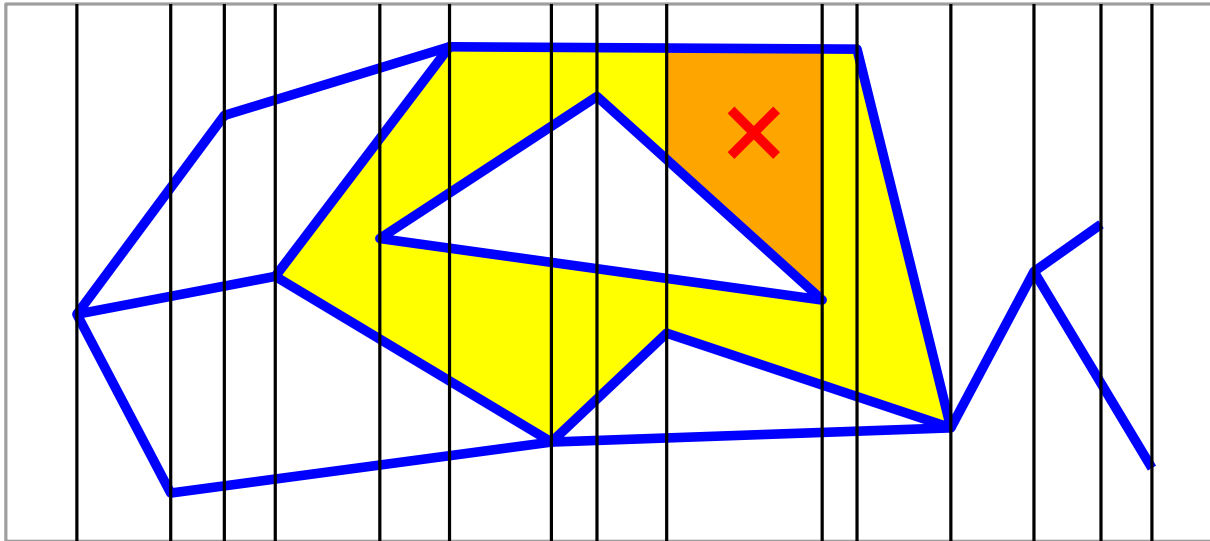
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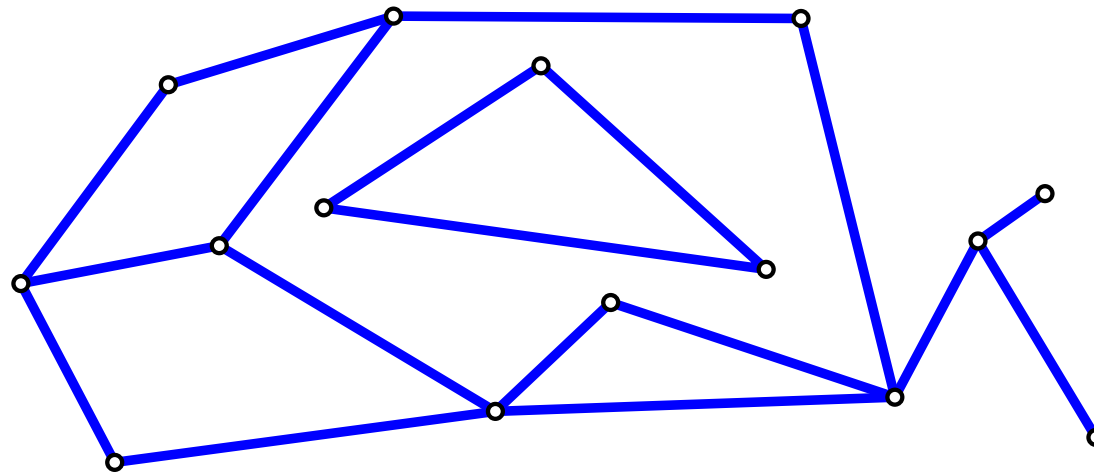
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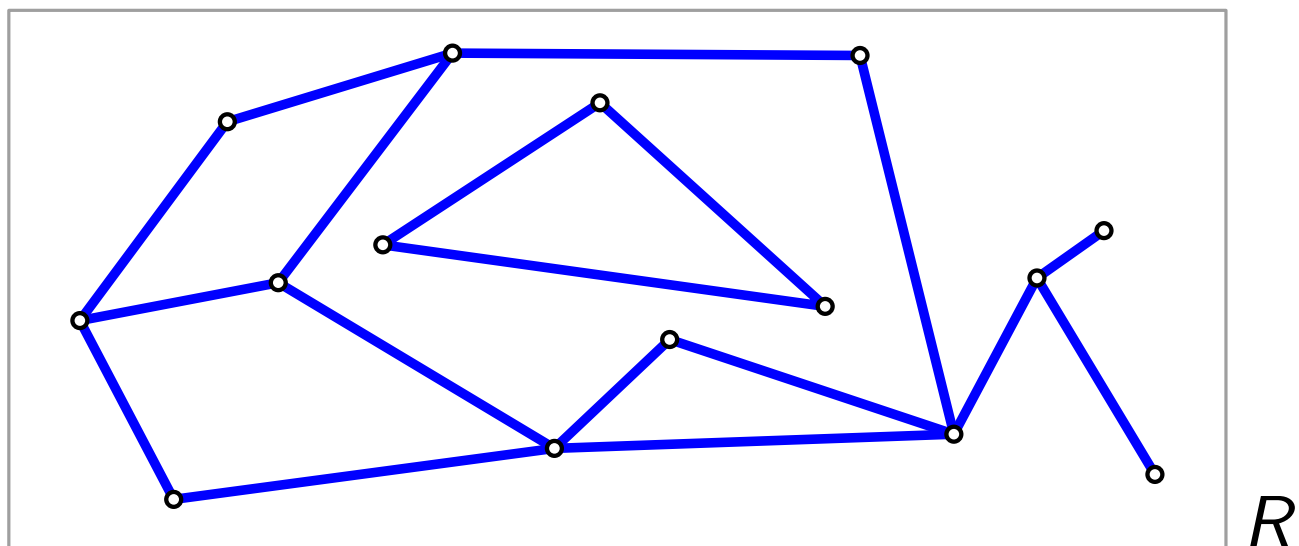


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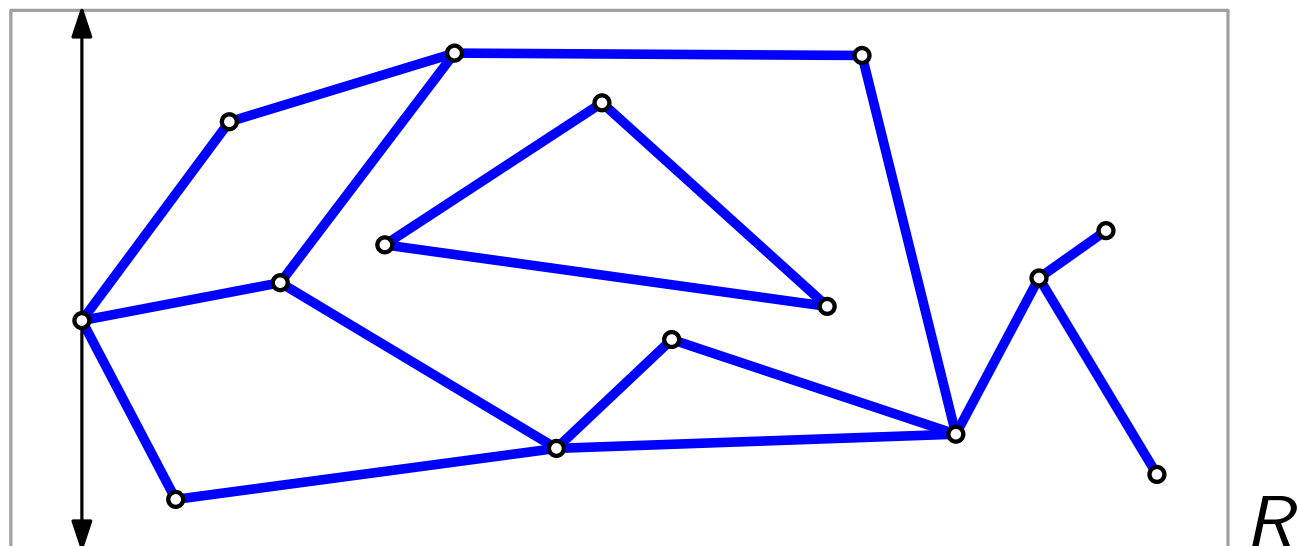


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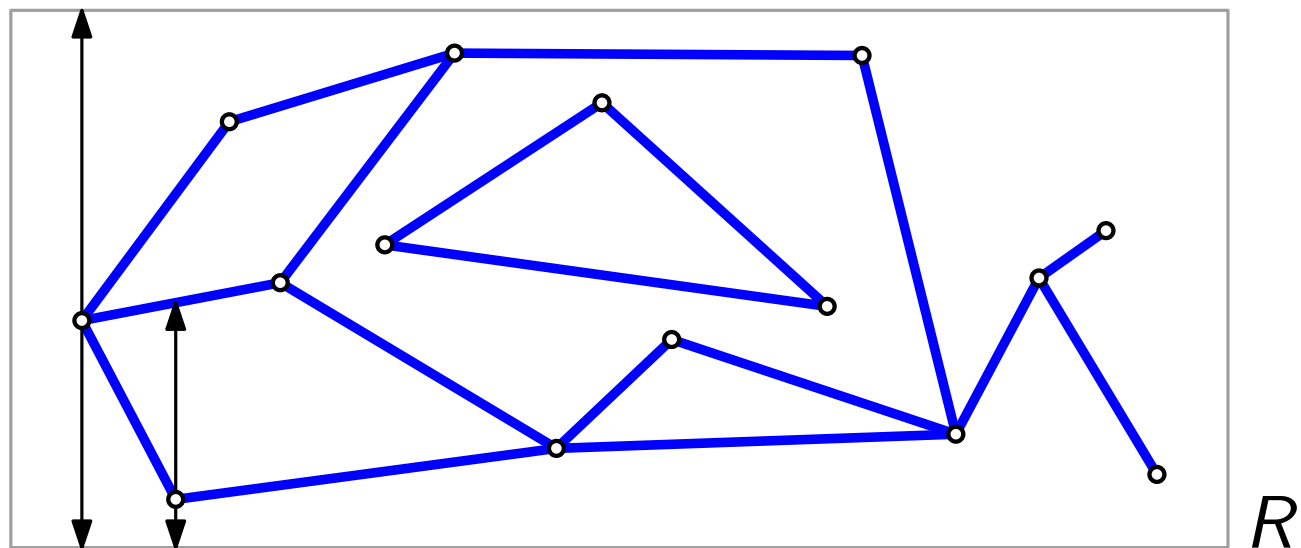


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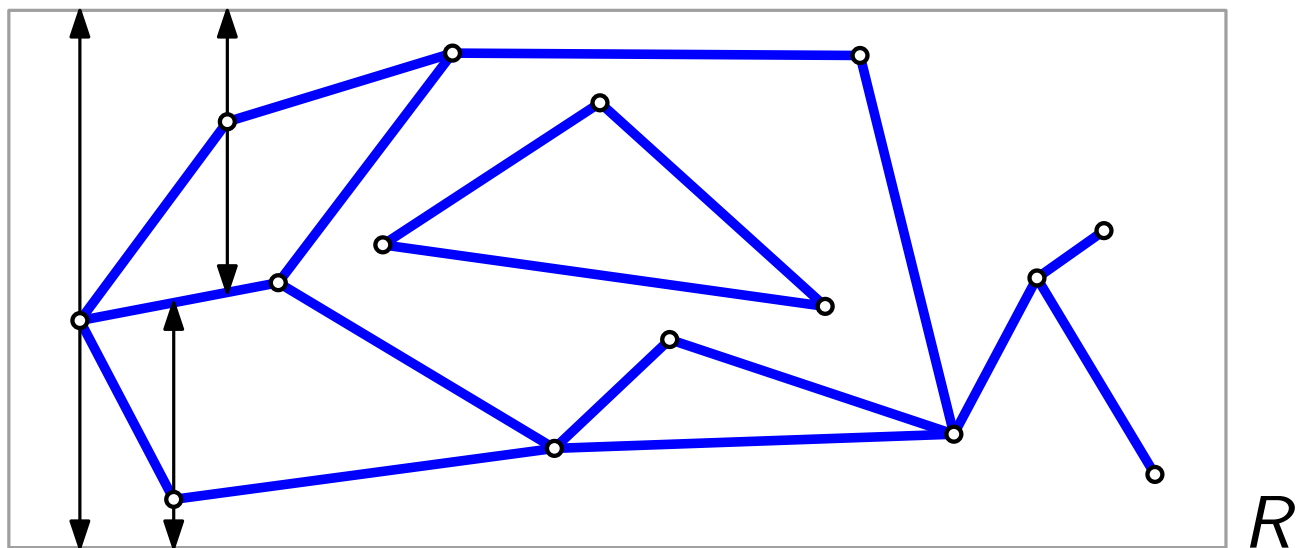


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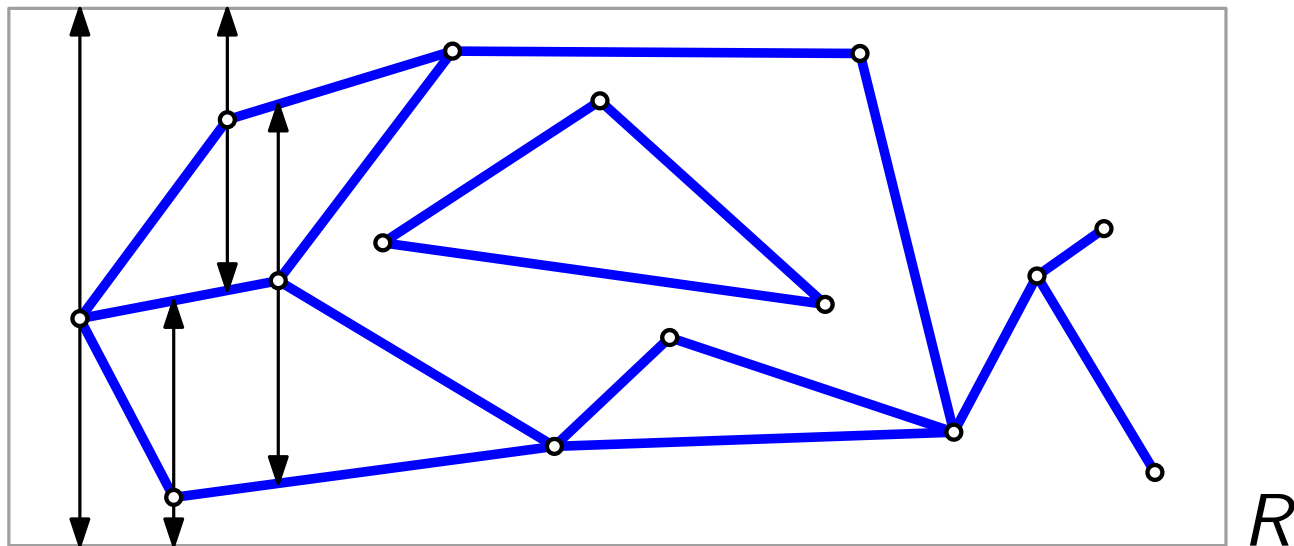


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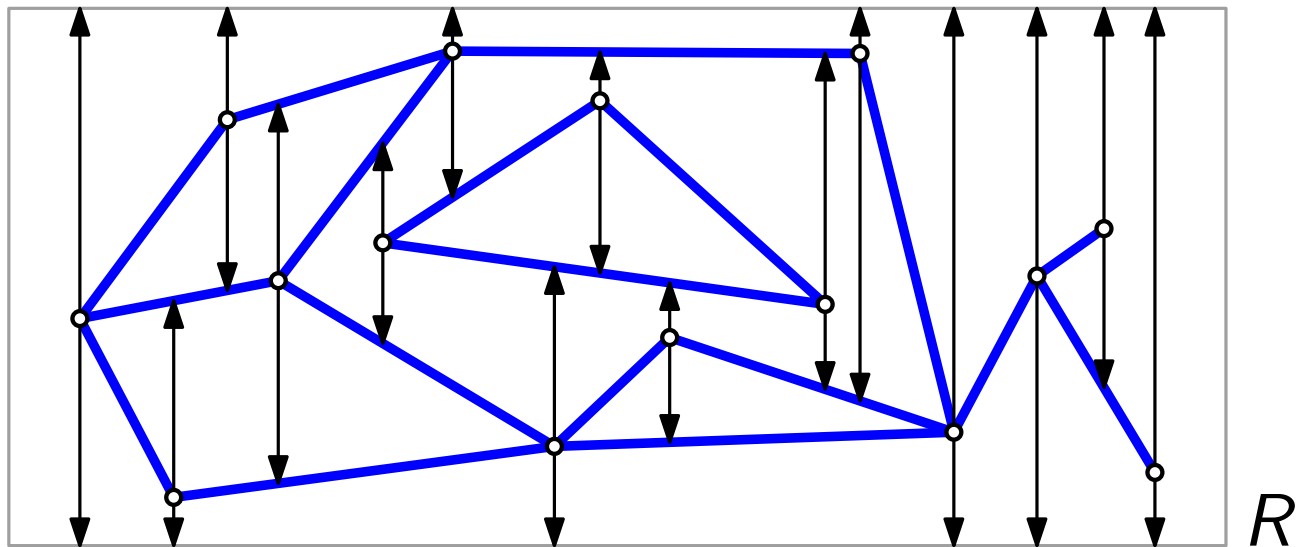


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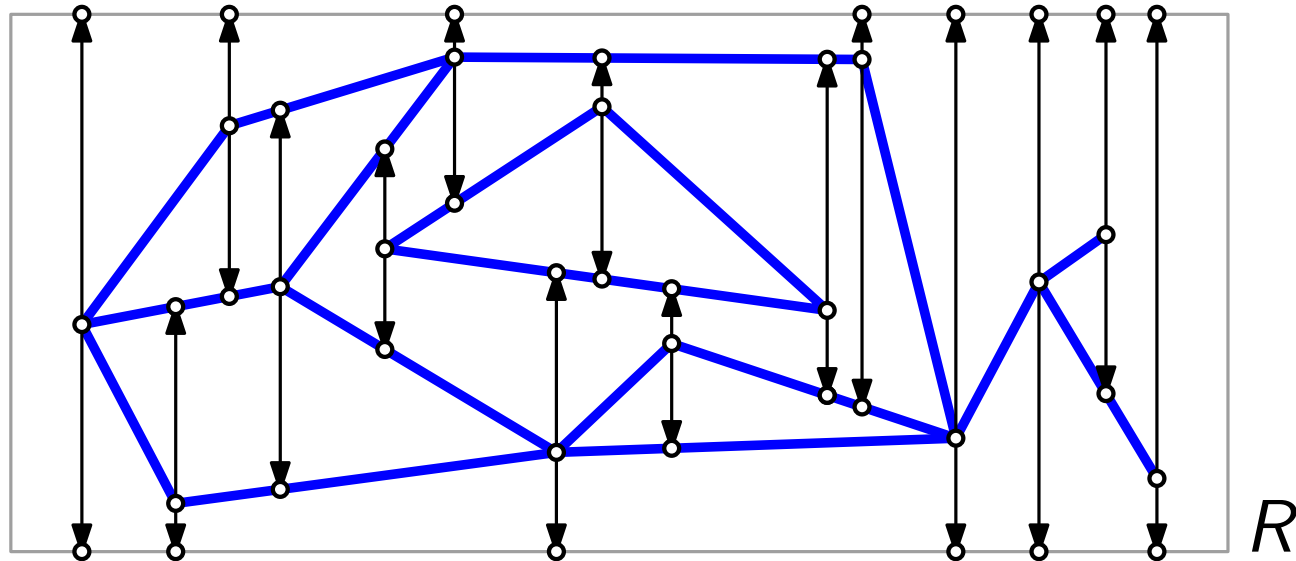


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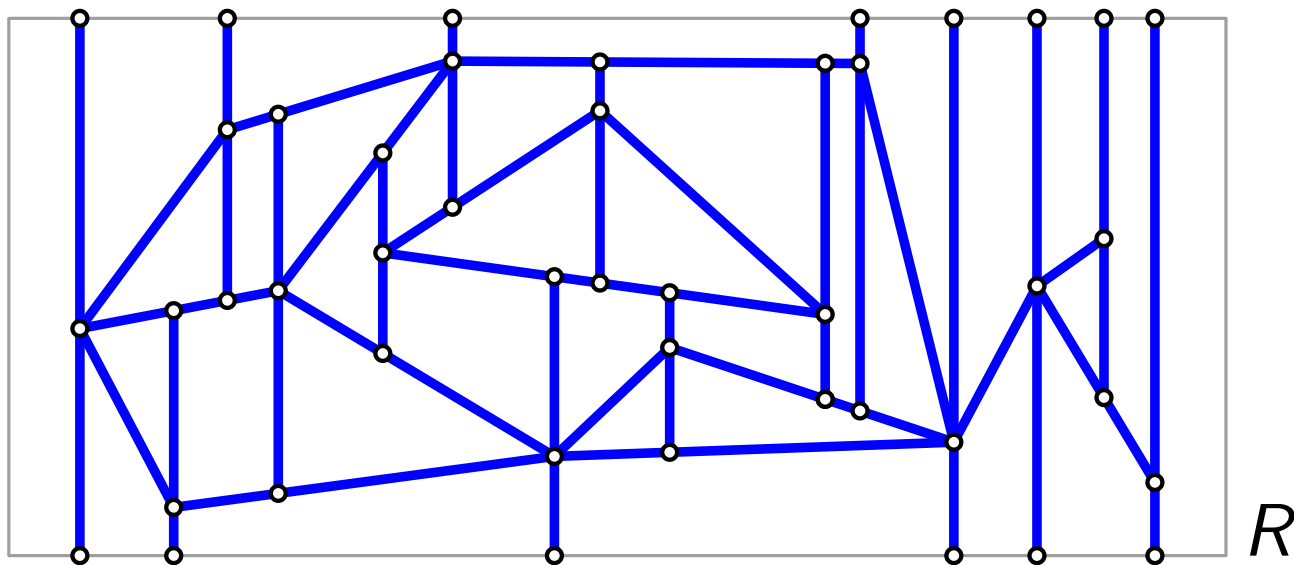


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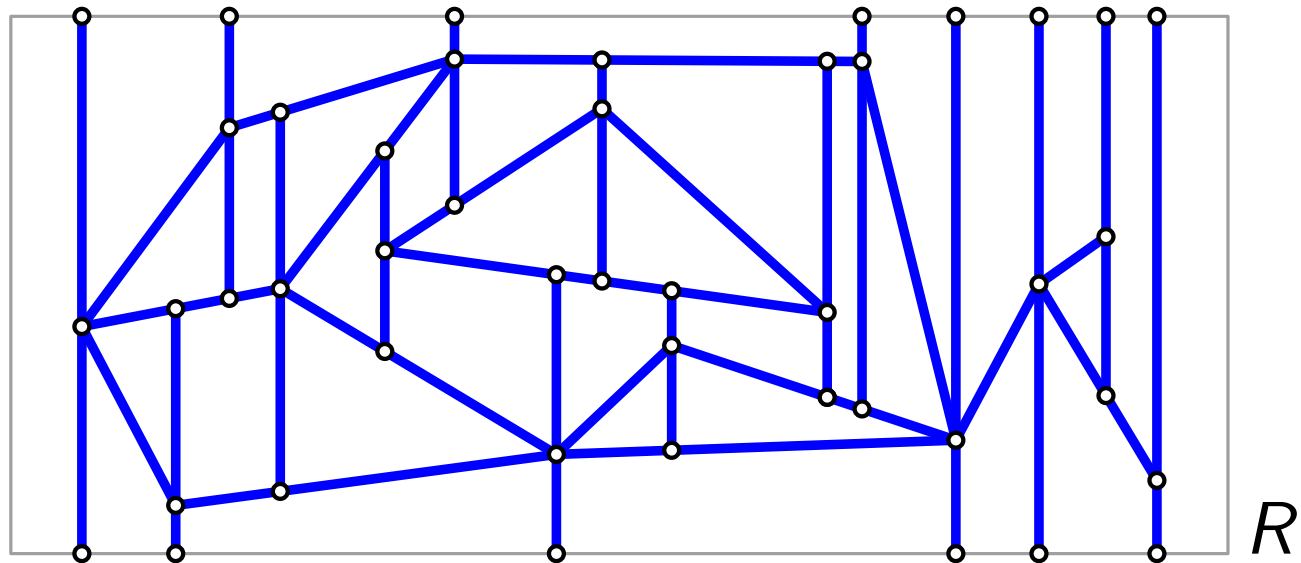


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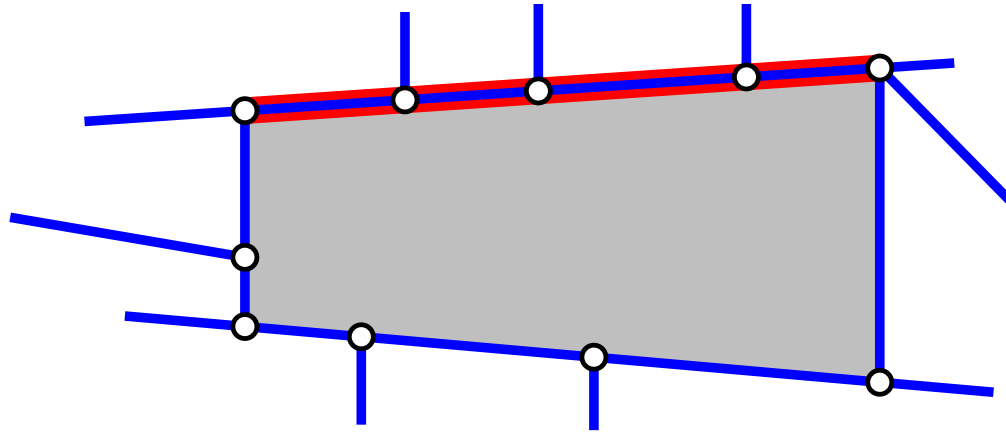
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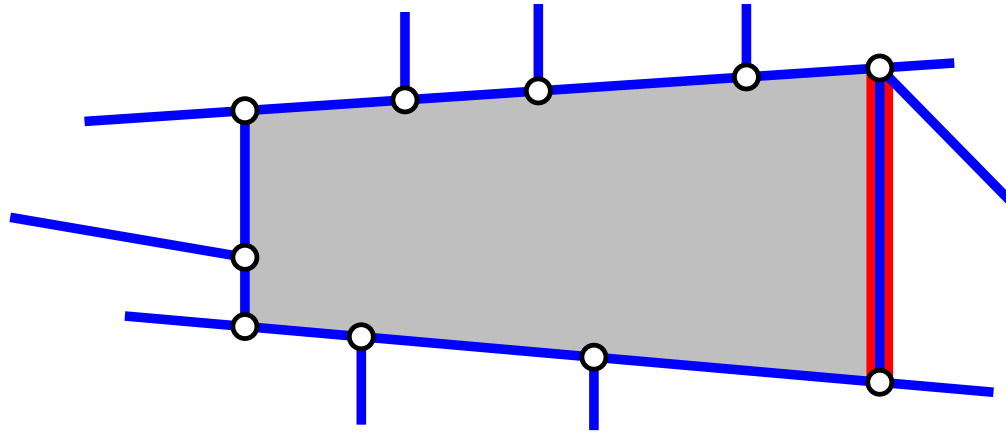
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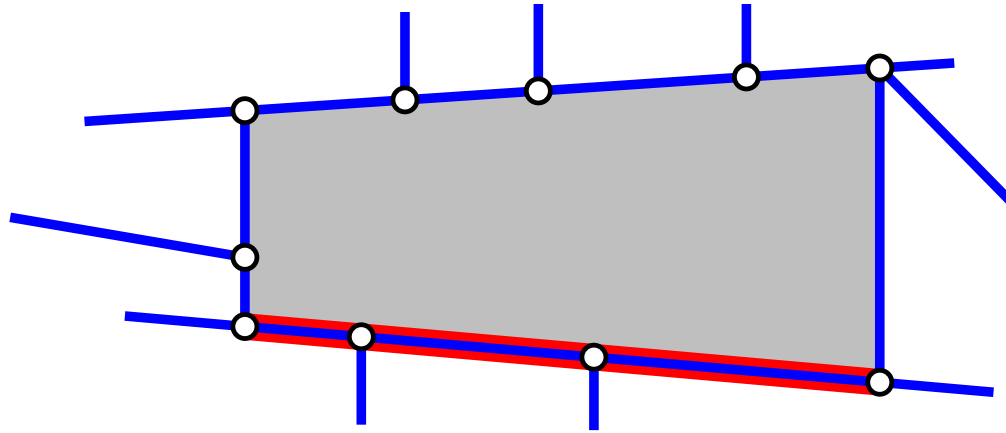
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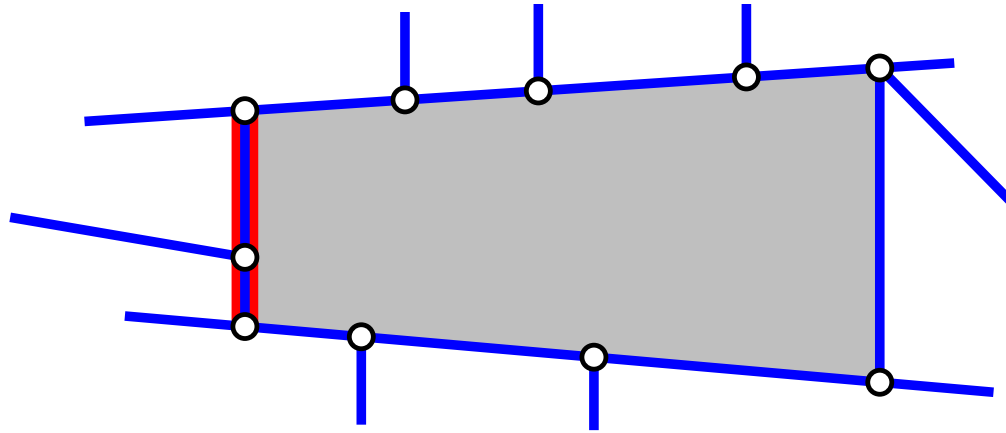
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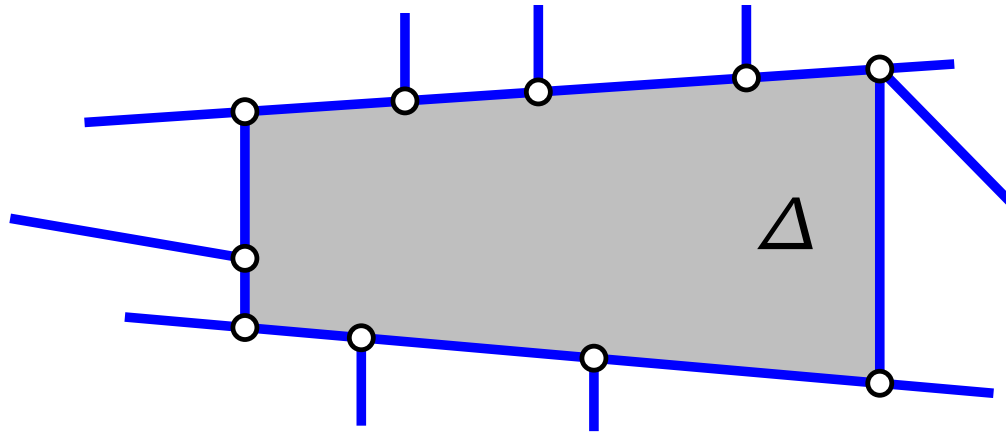
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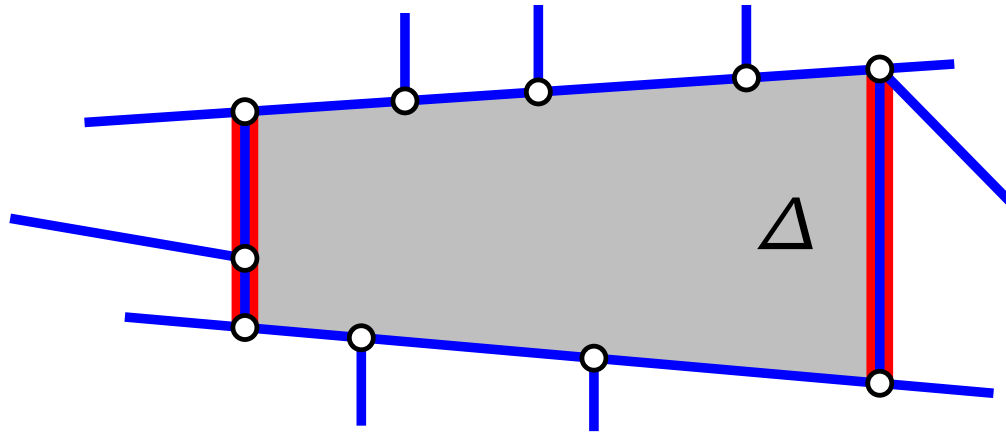
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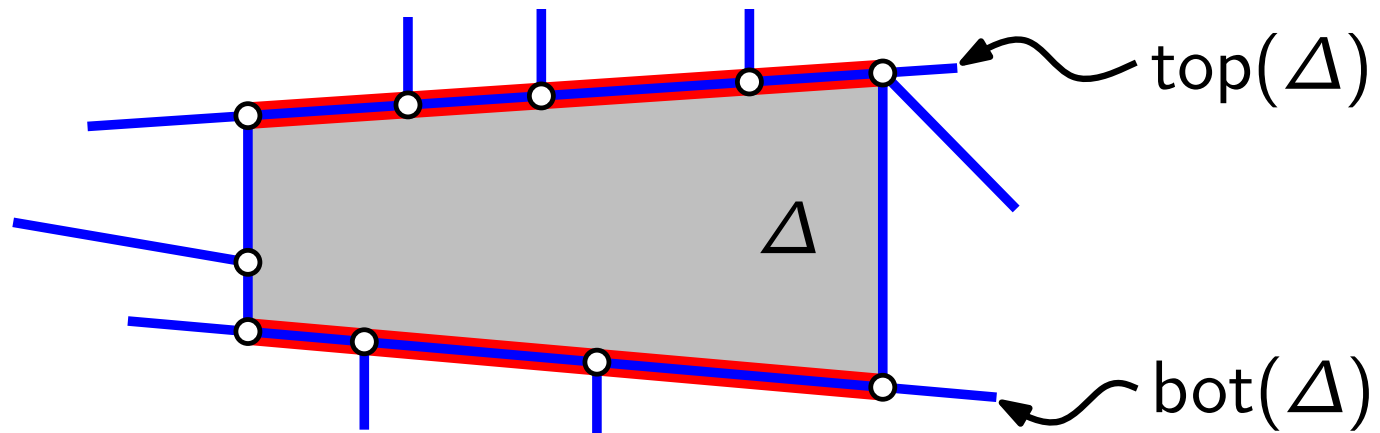
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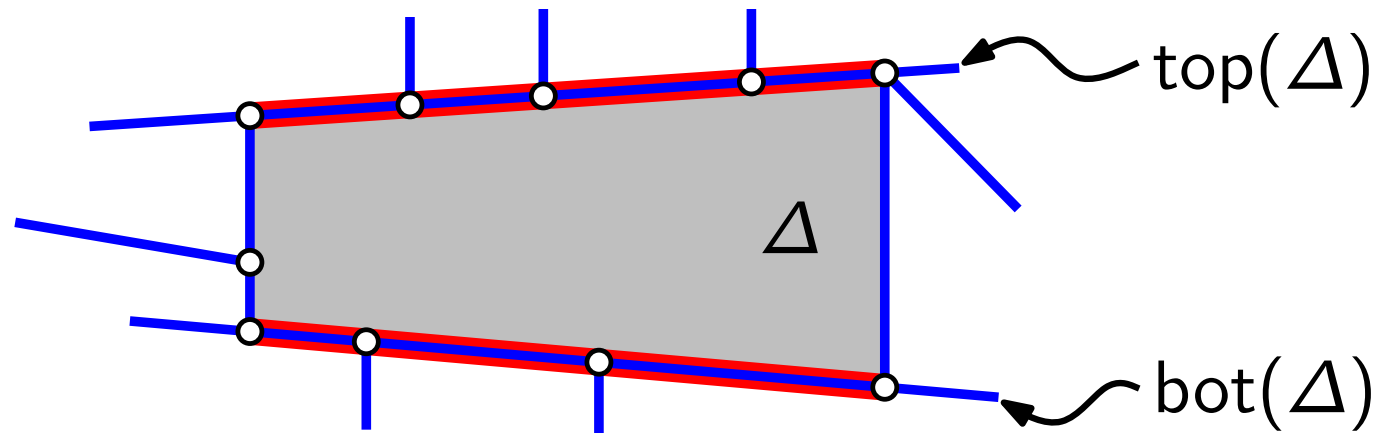


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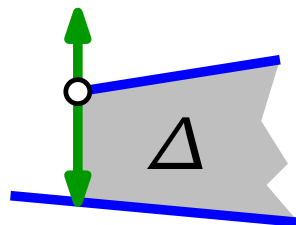
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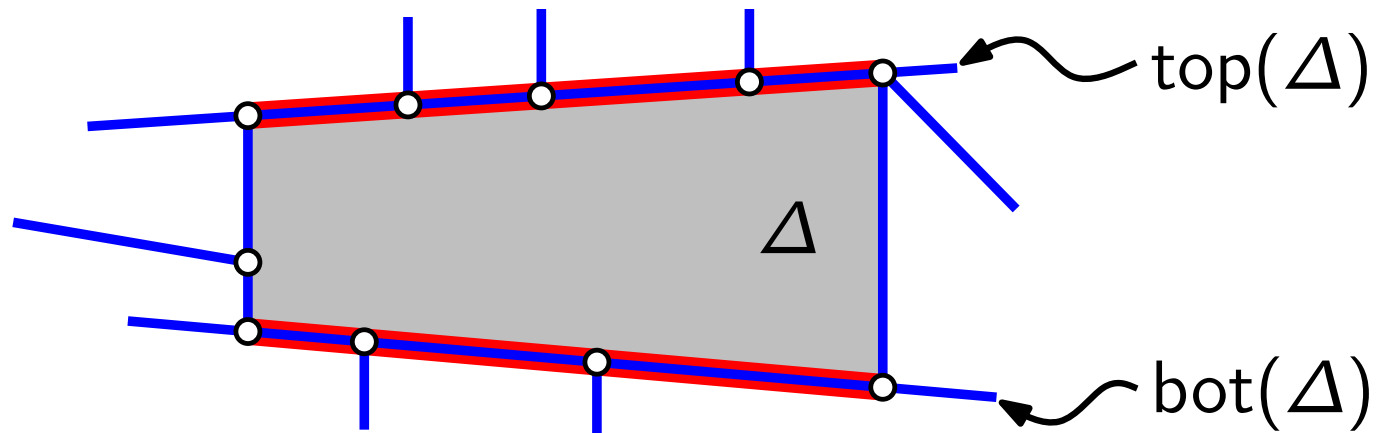
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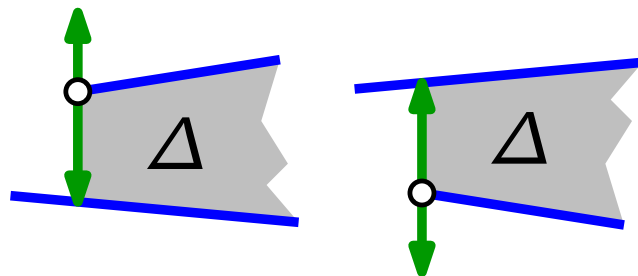
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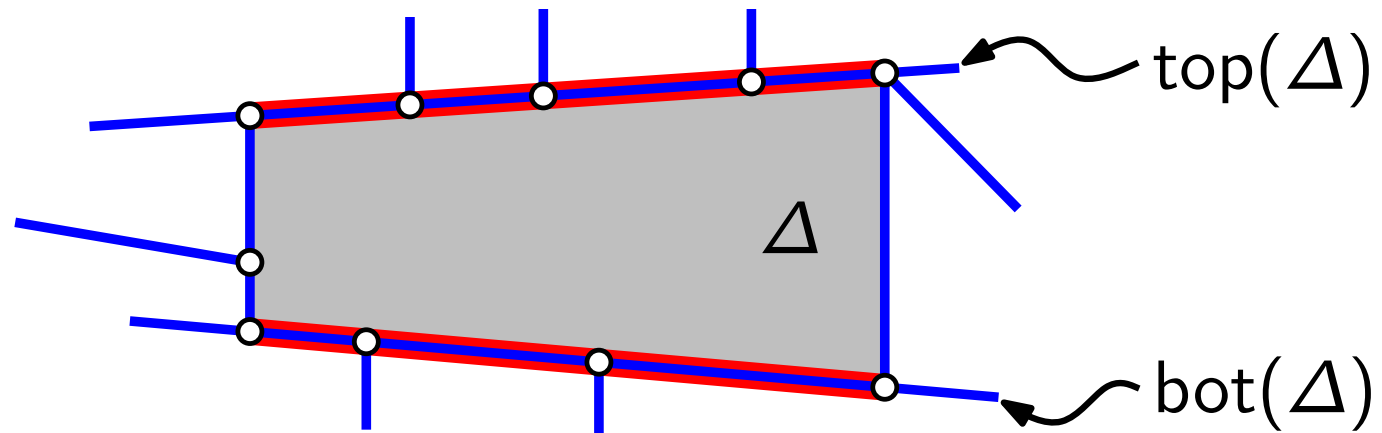
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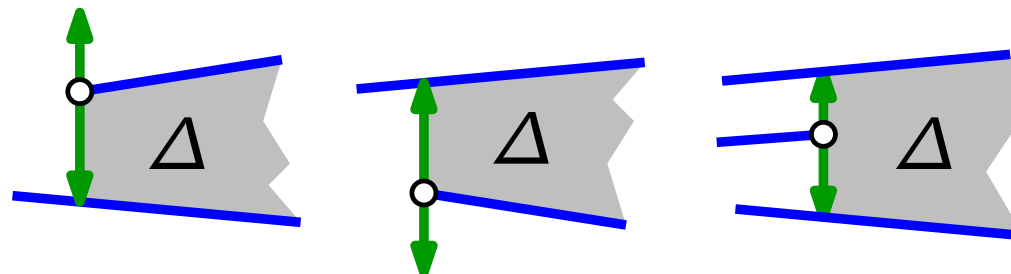
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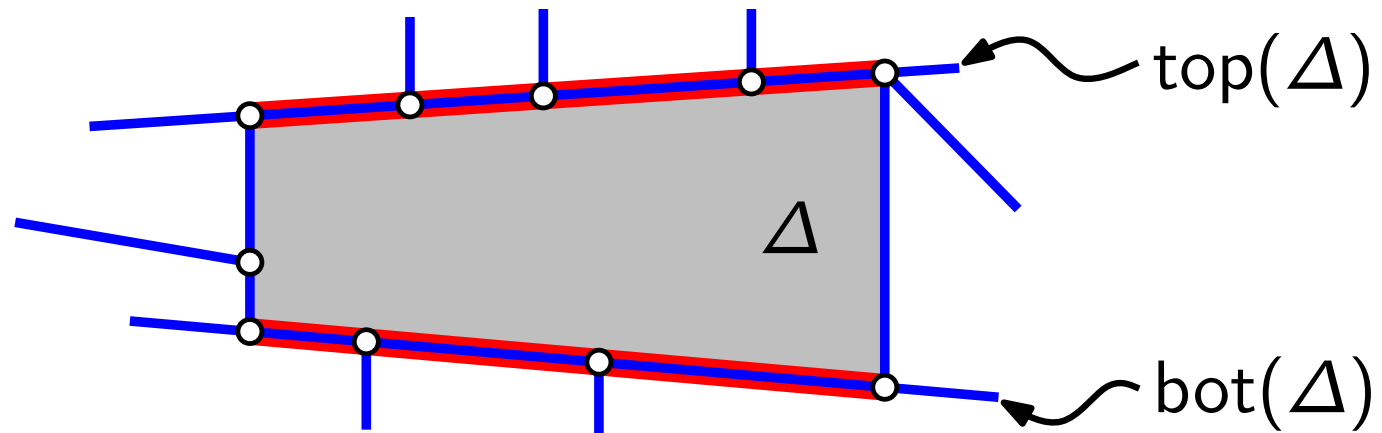
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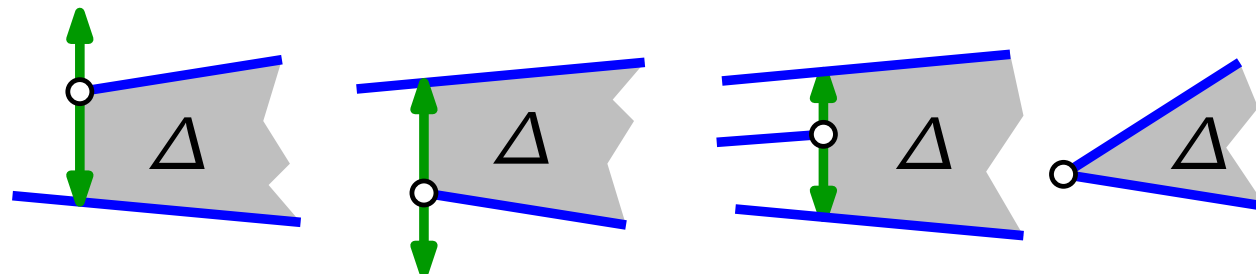
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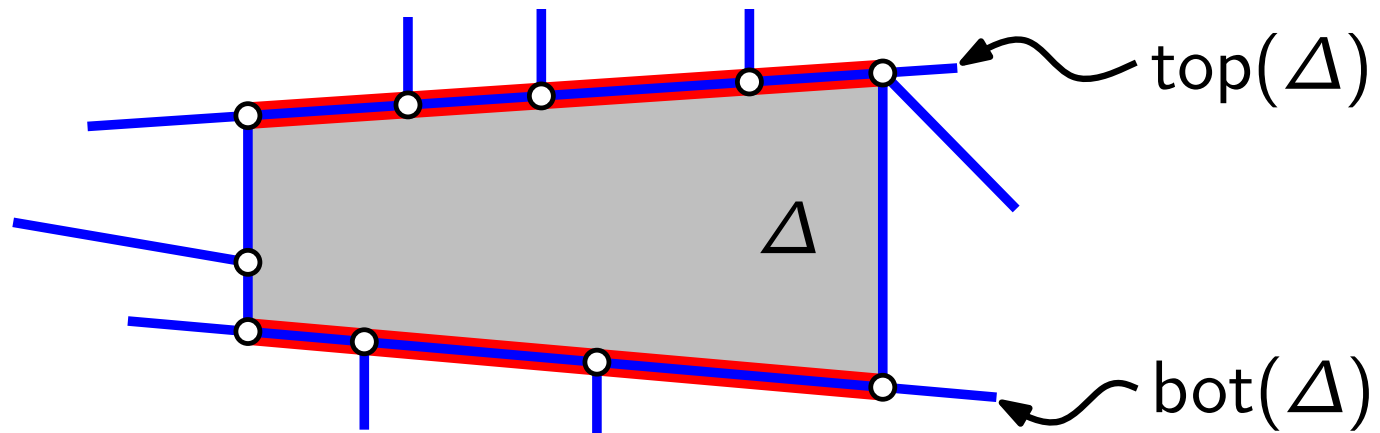
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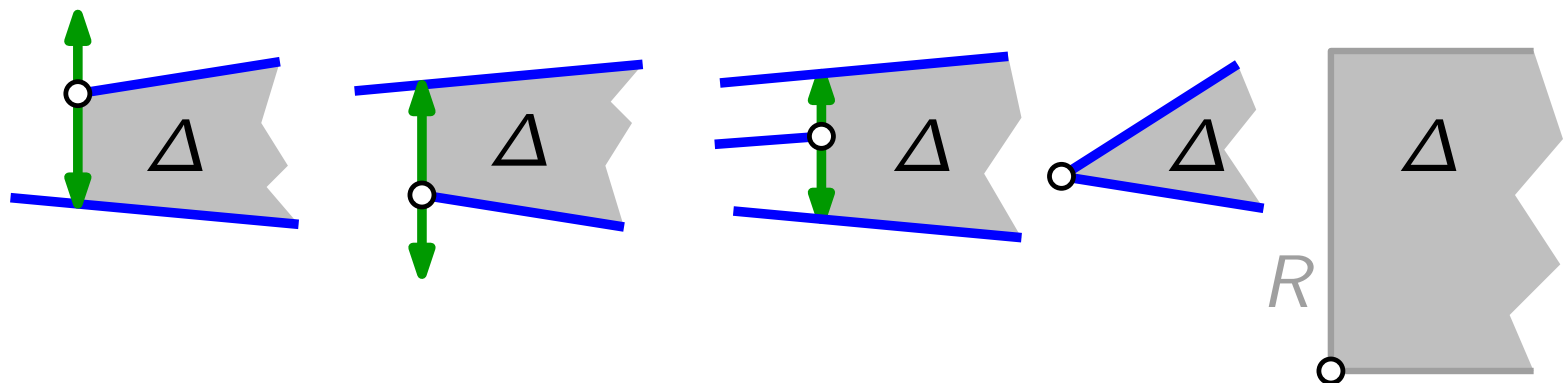
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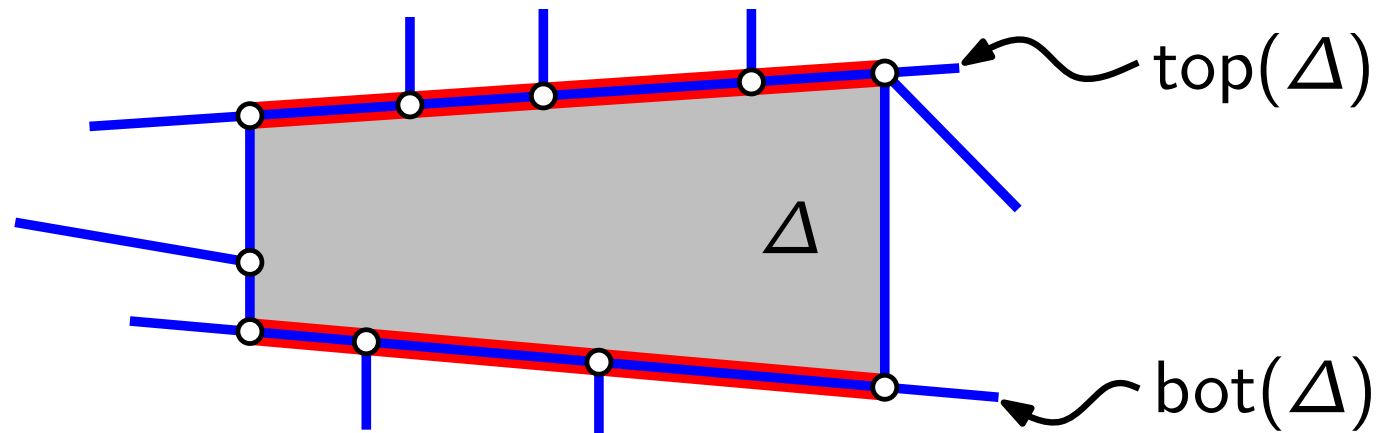
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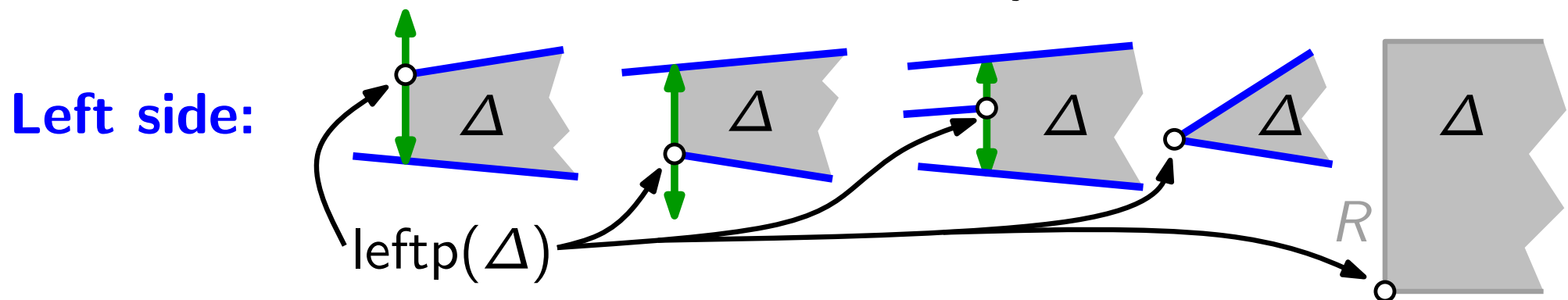
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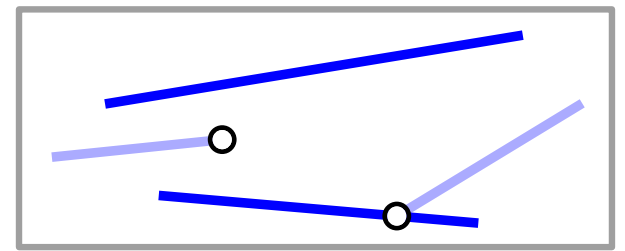
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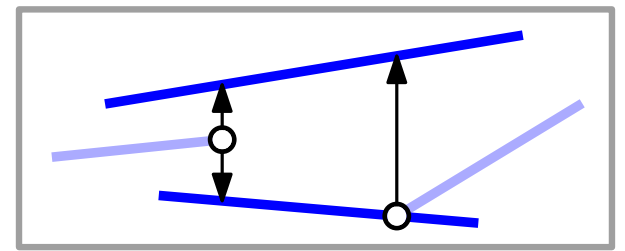
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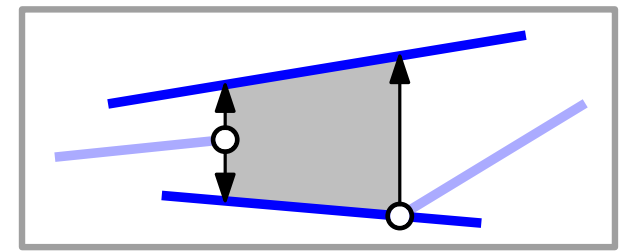
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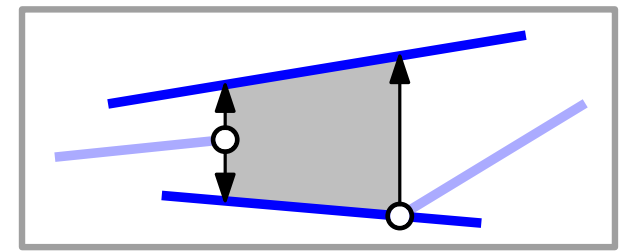
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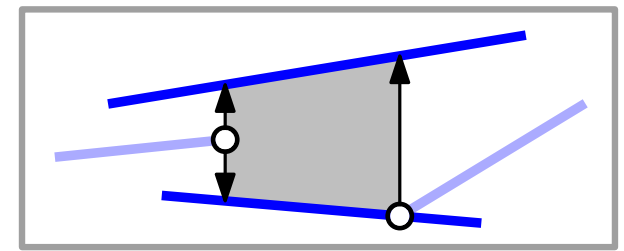
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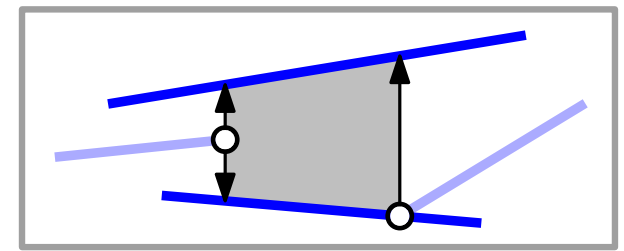


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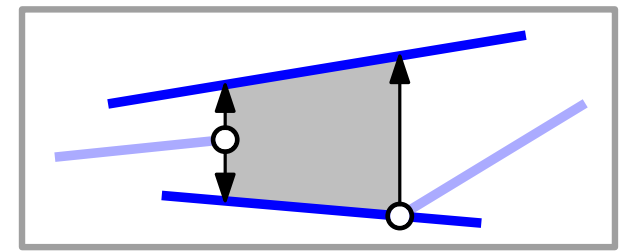


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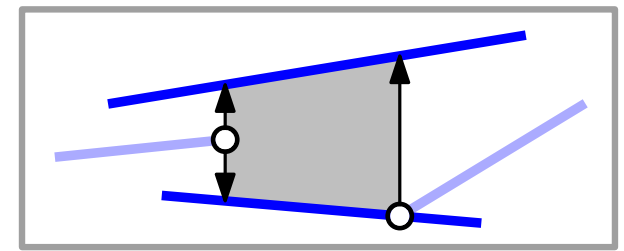
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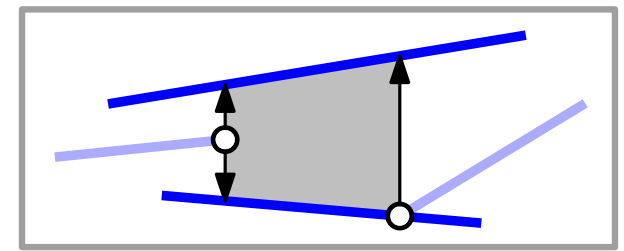
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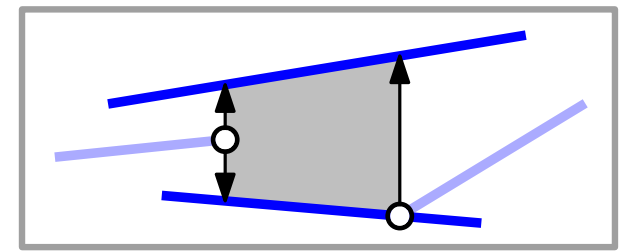
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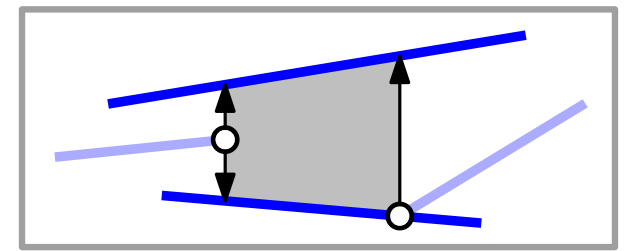
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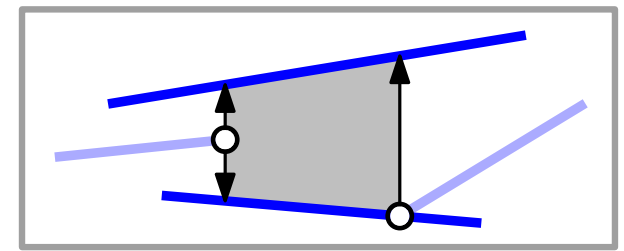
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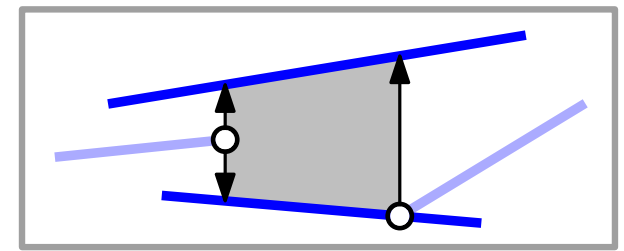
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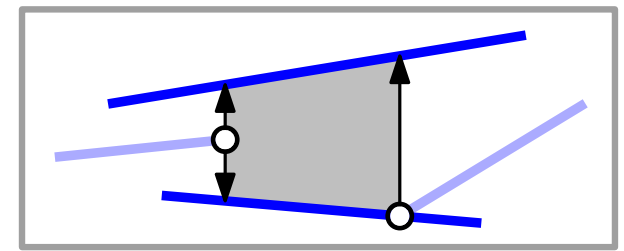
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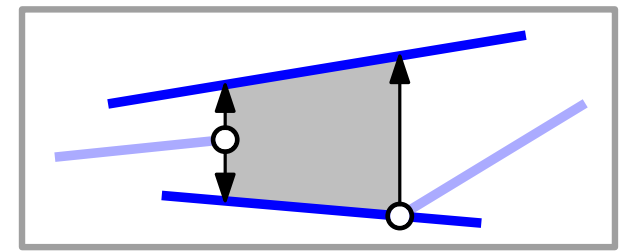
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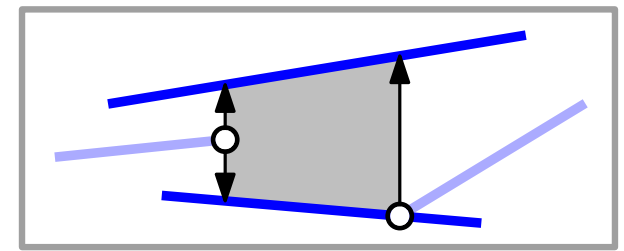
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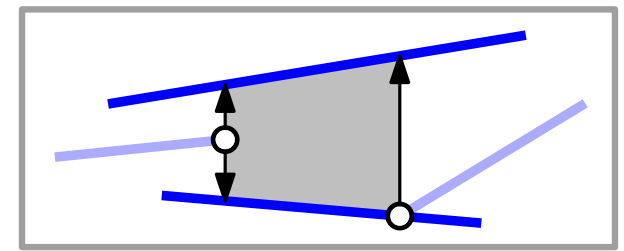
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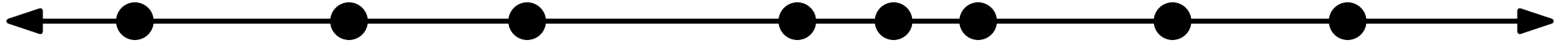


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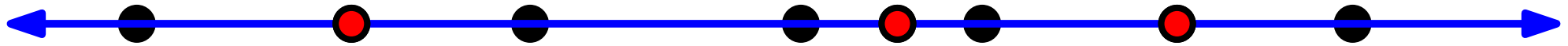
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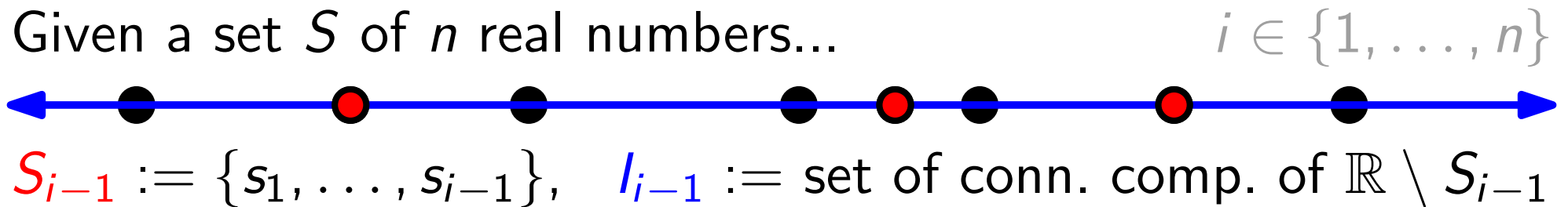
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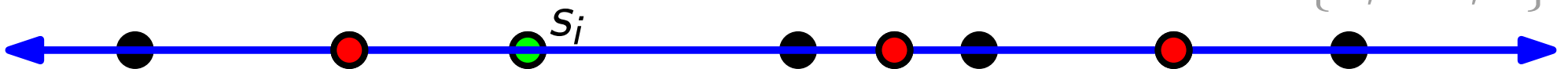
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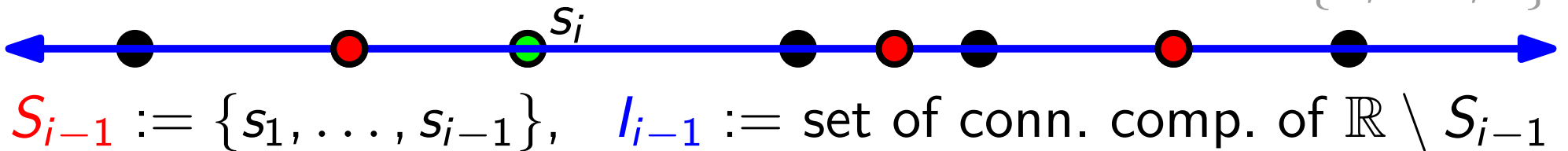


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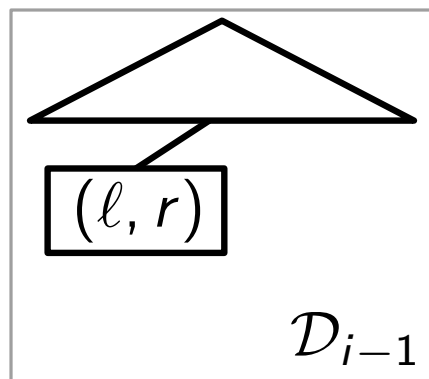
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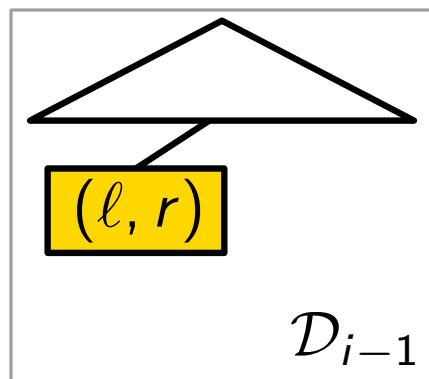
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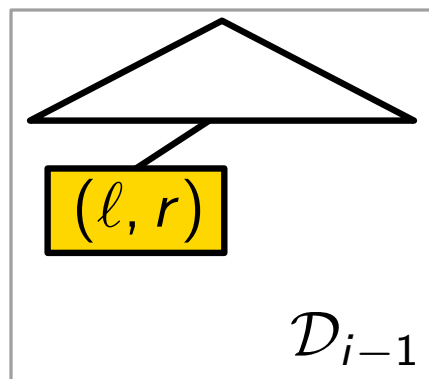
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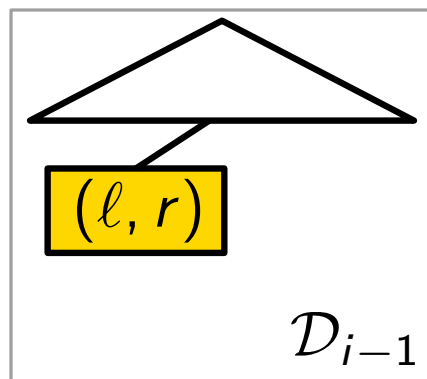
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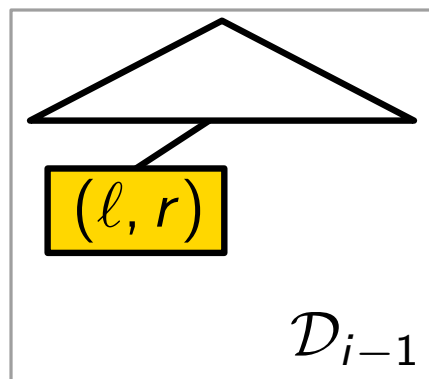
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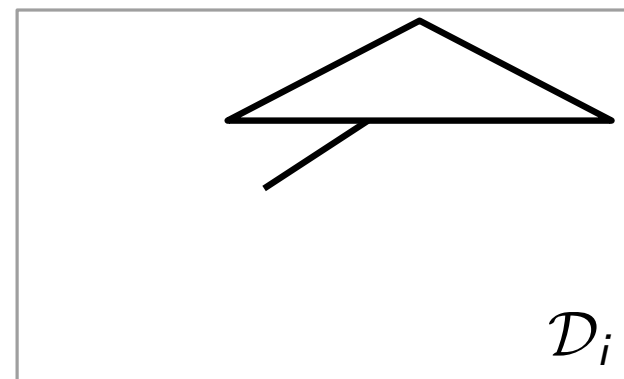
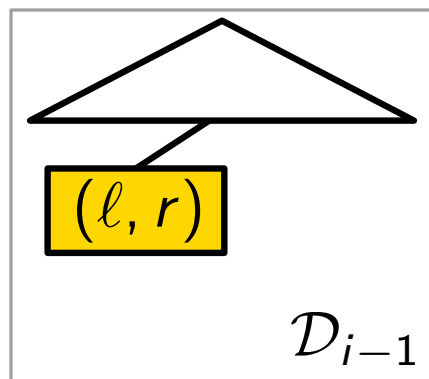
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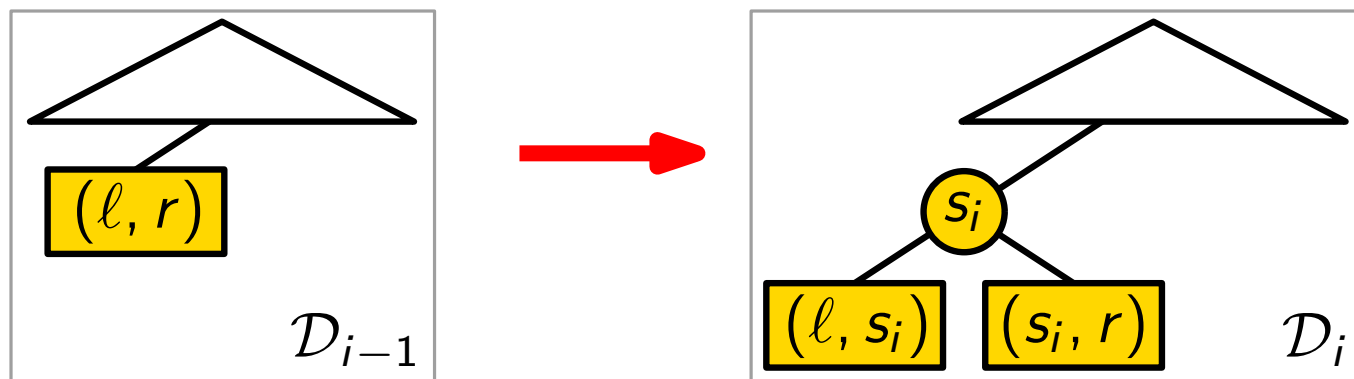
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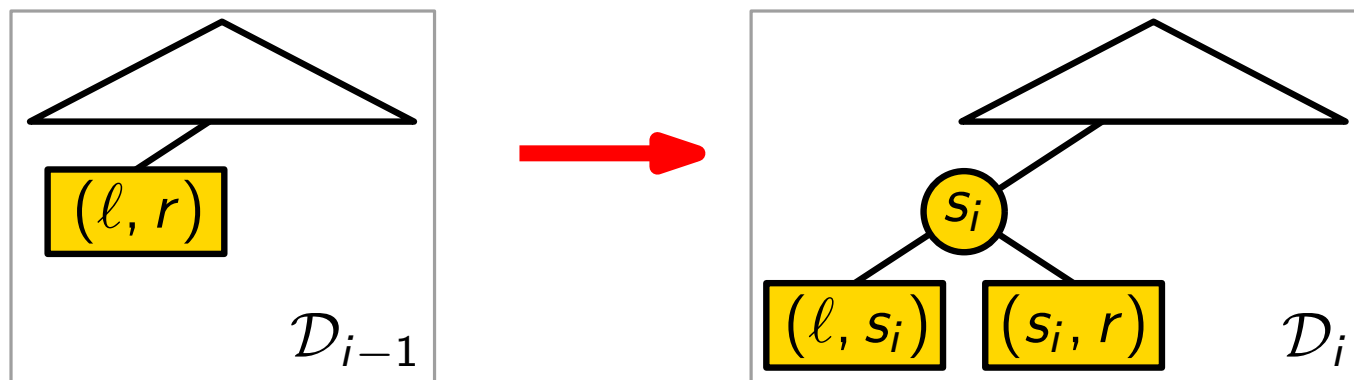
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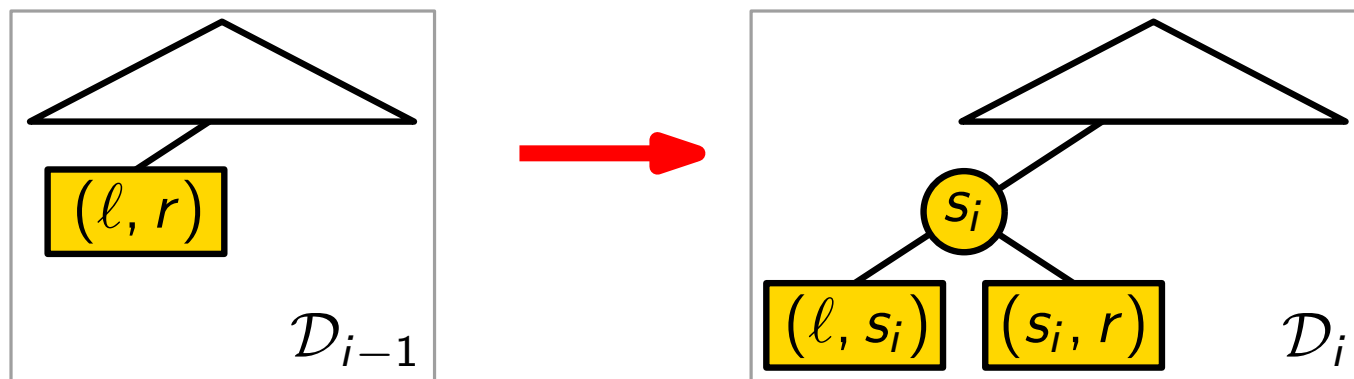
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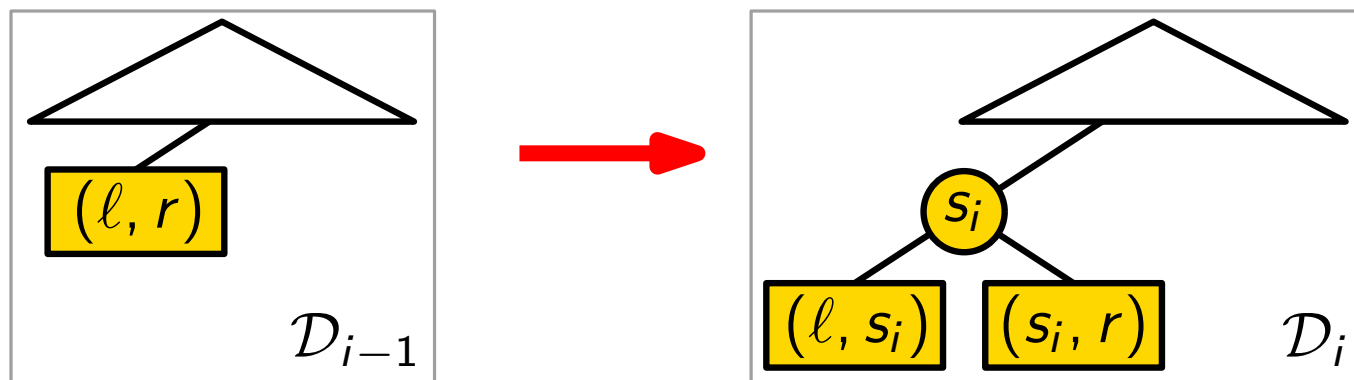


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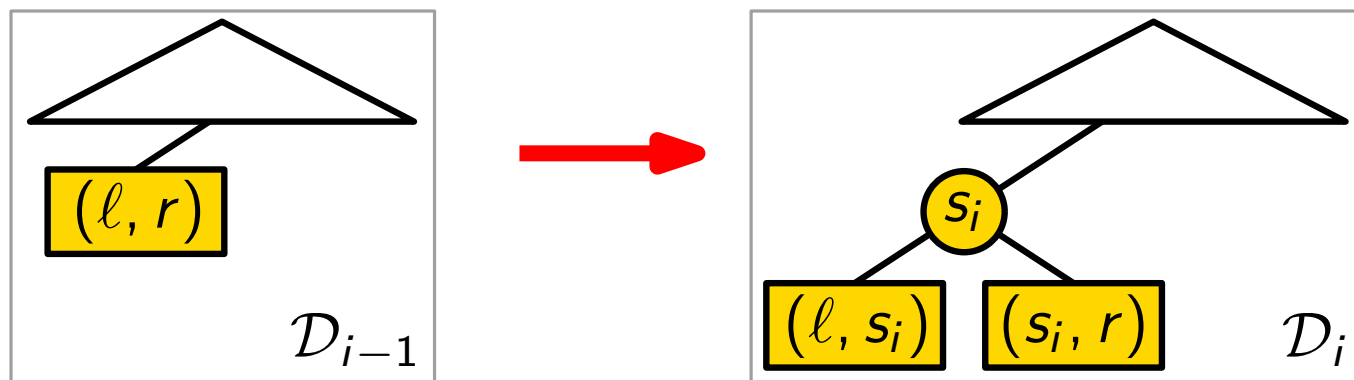


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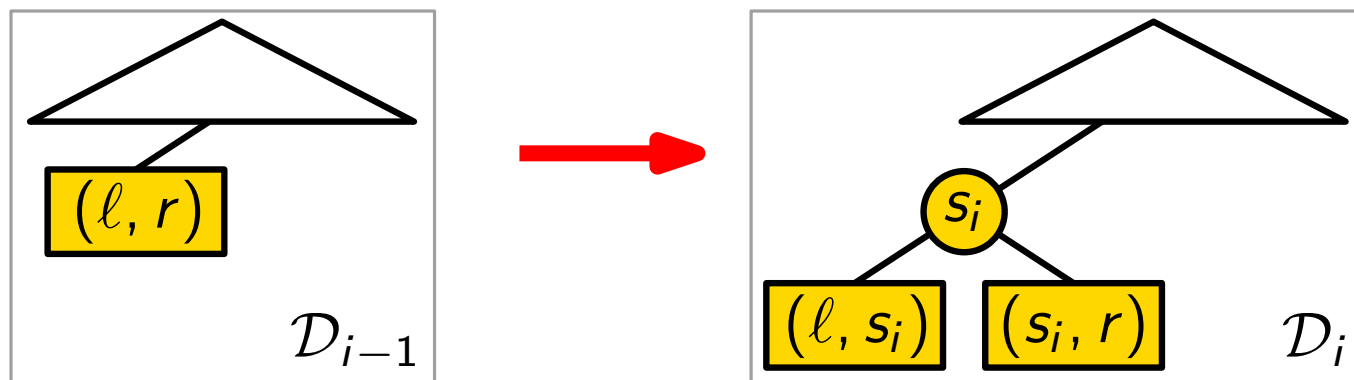


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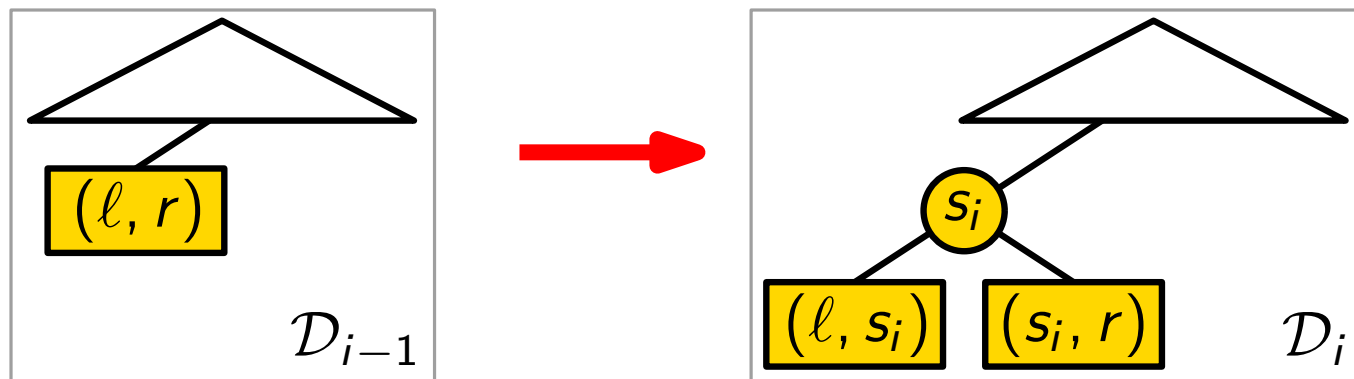


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Solution: *random!*

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- split interval (ℓ, r) of I_{i-1} containing s_i

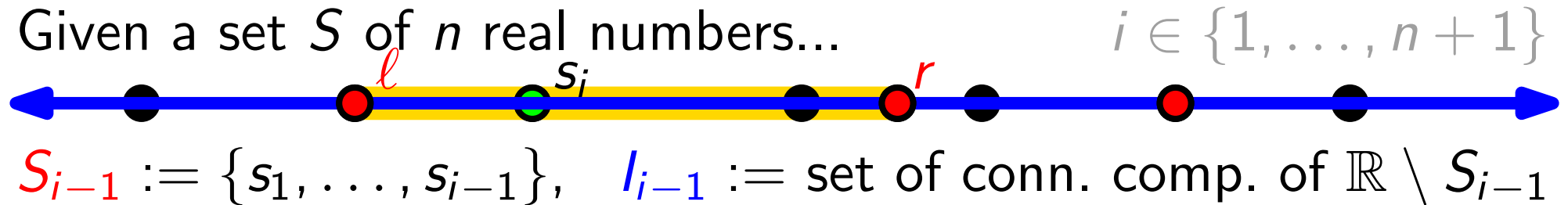
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~~**Problem:** long search paths!~~

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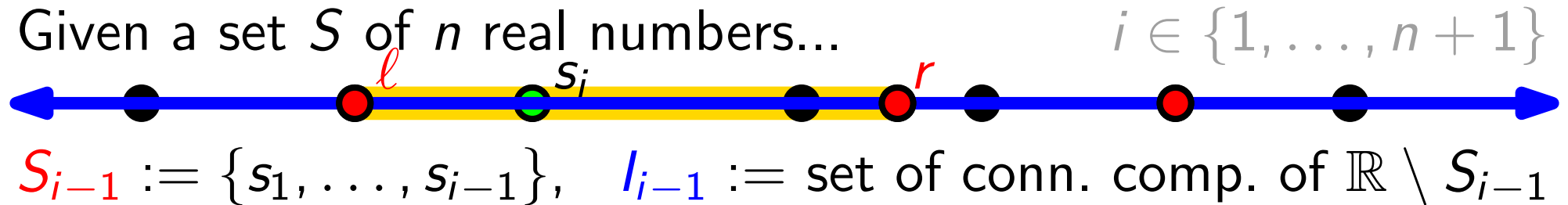


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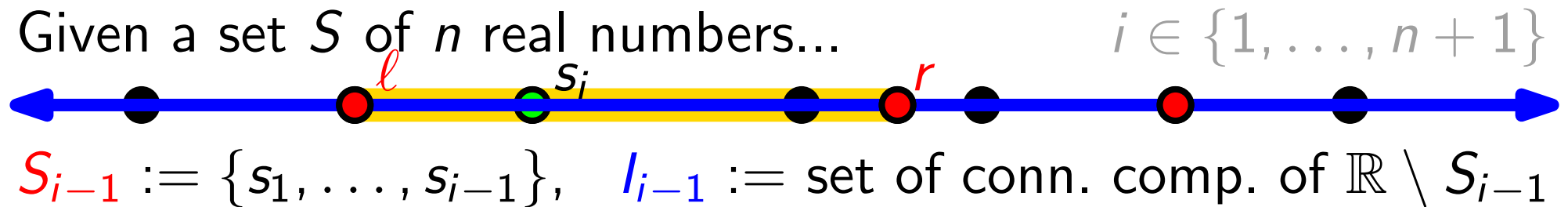
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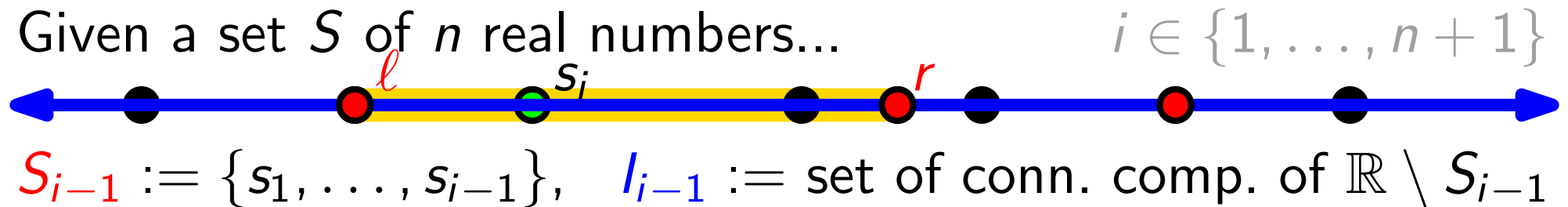
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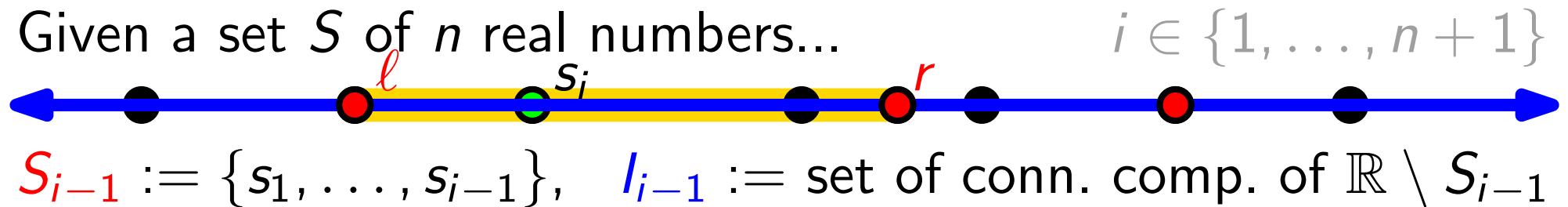
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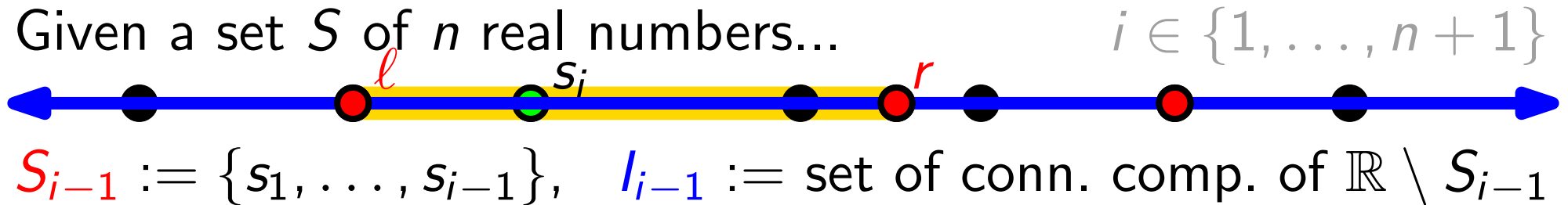
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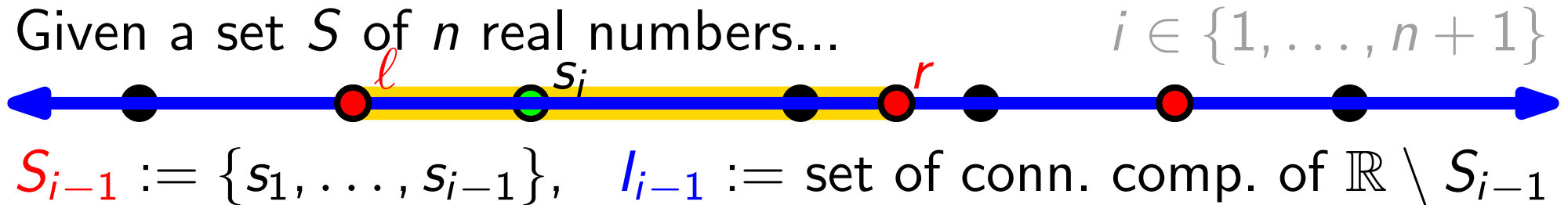
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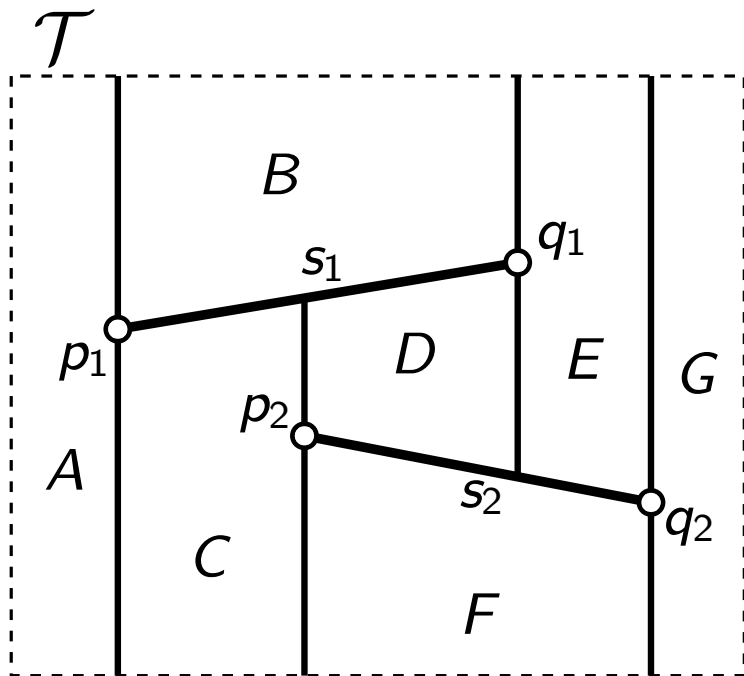
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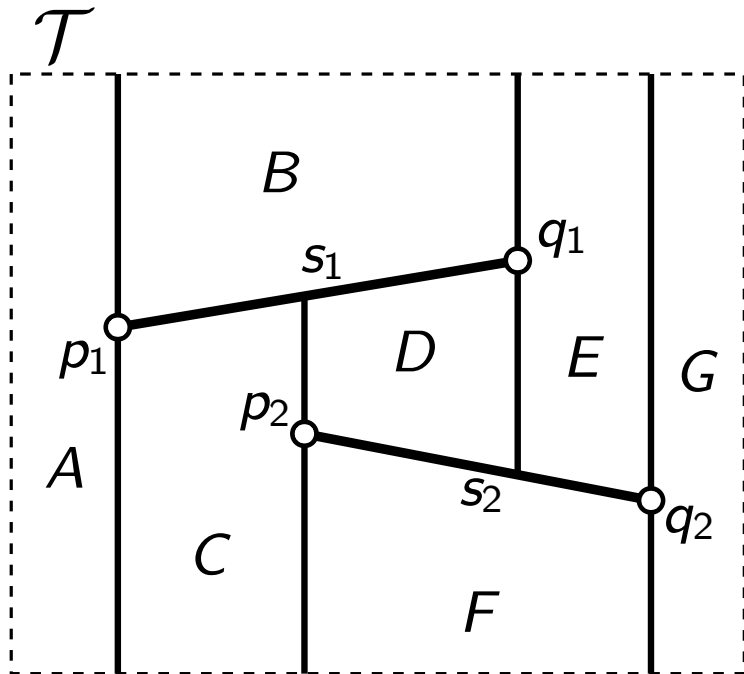
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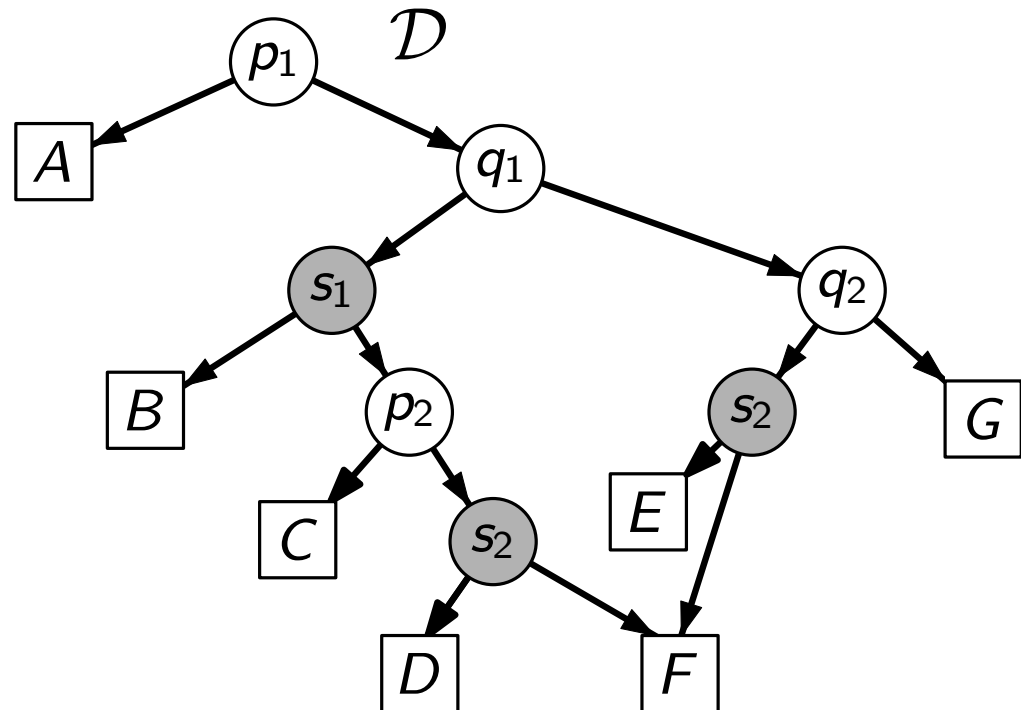
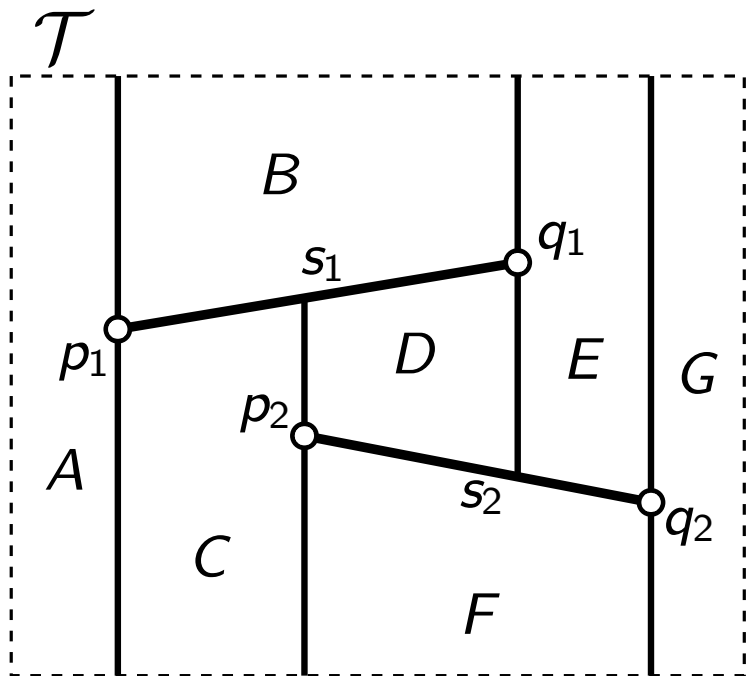
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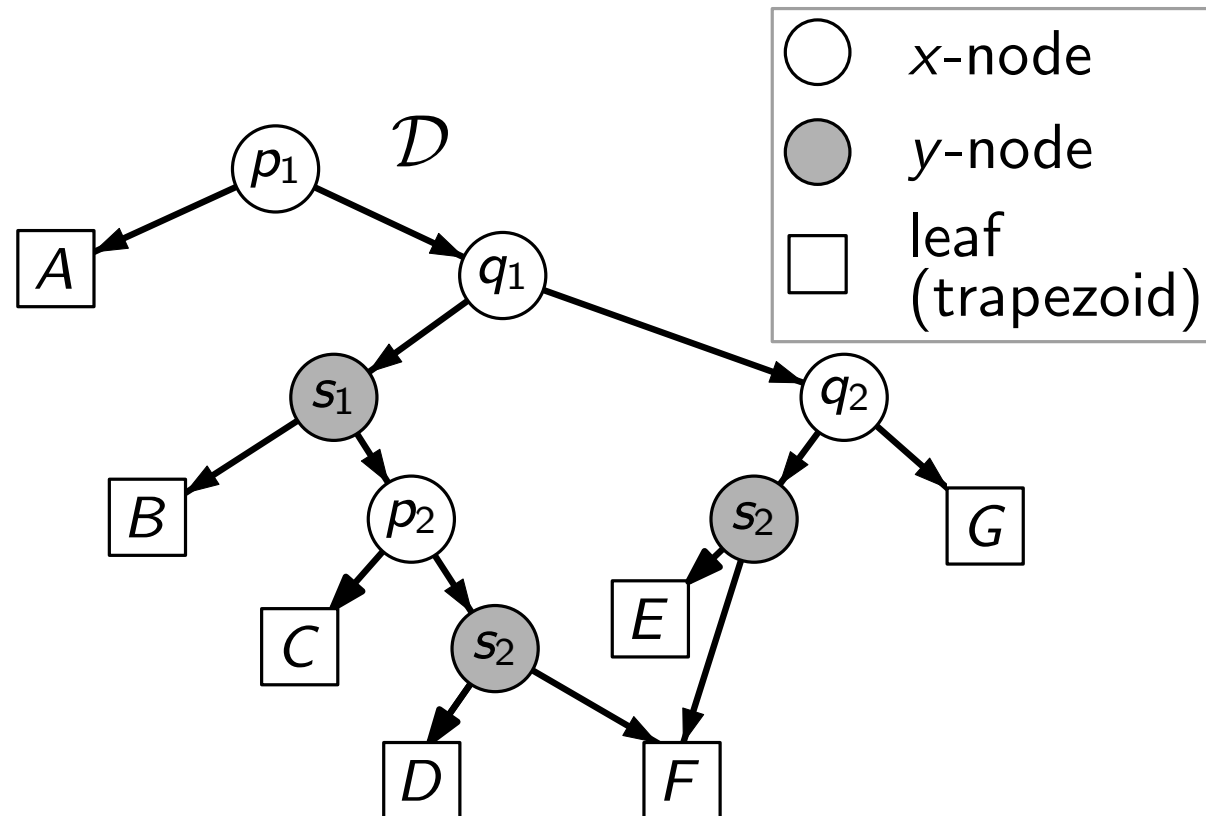
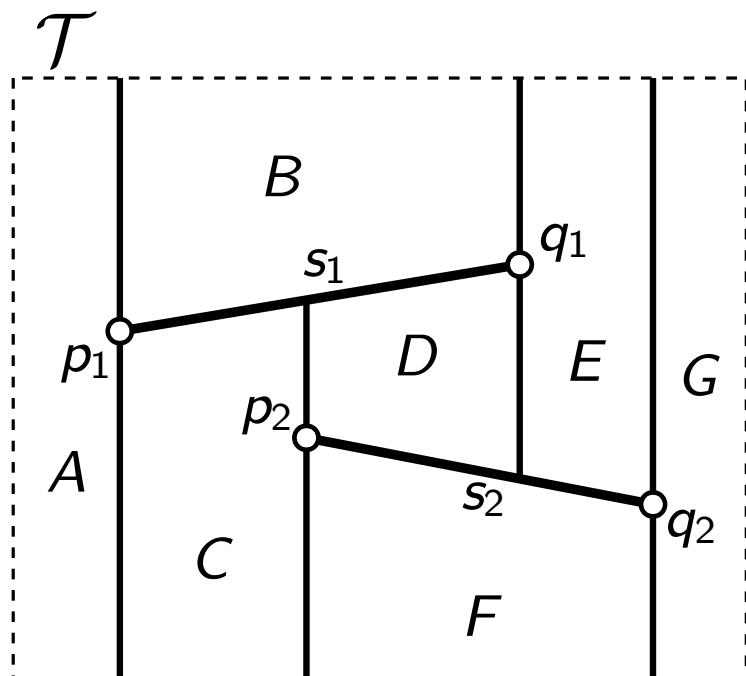
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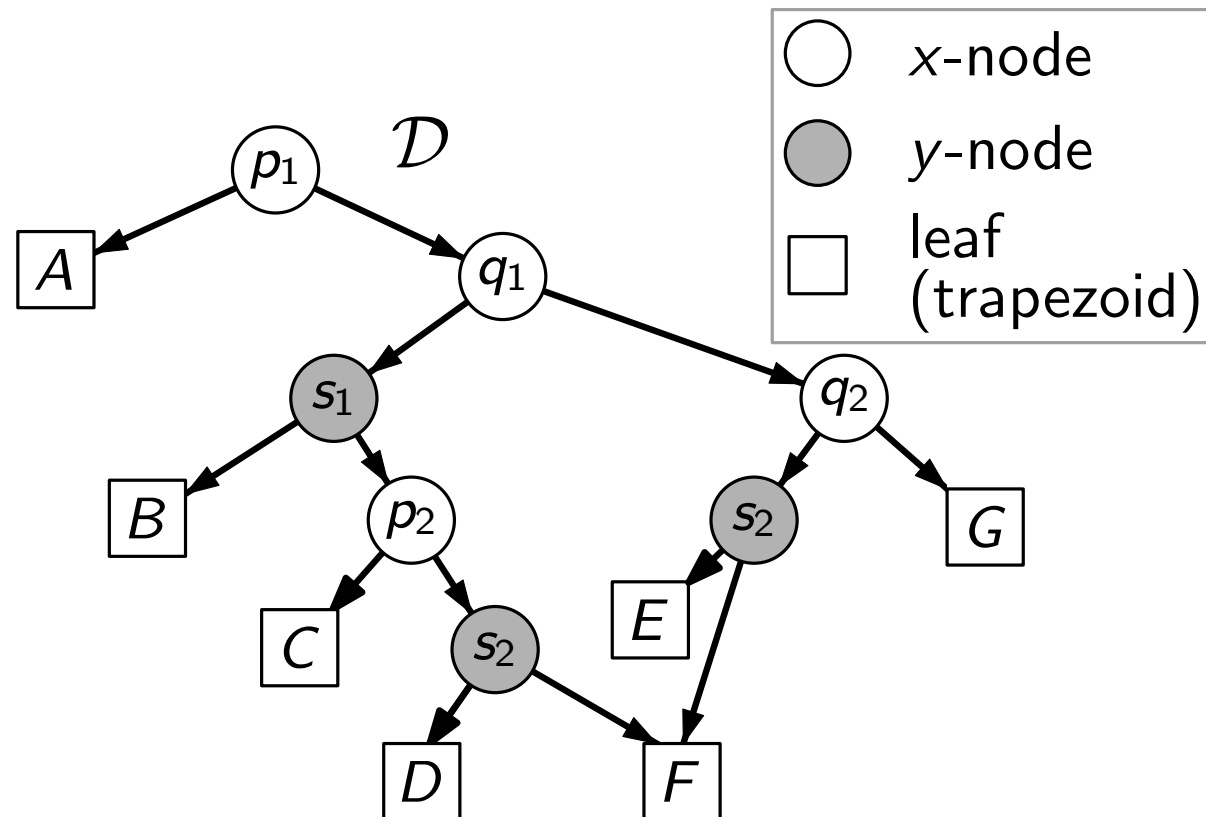
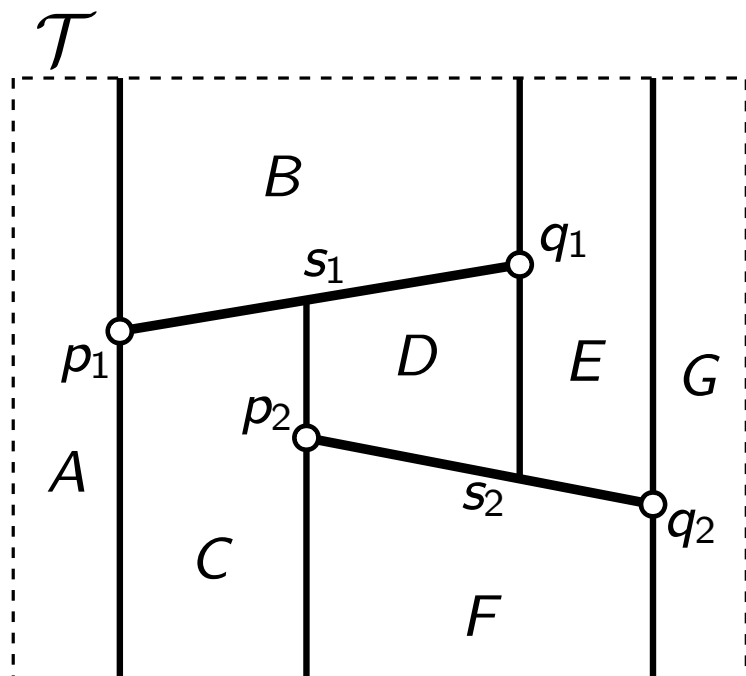
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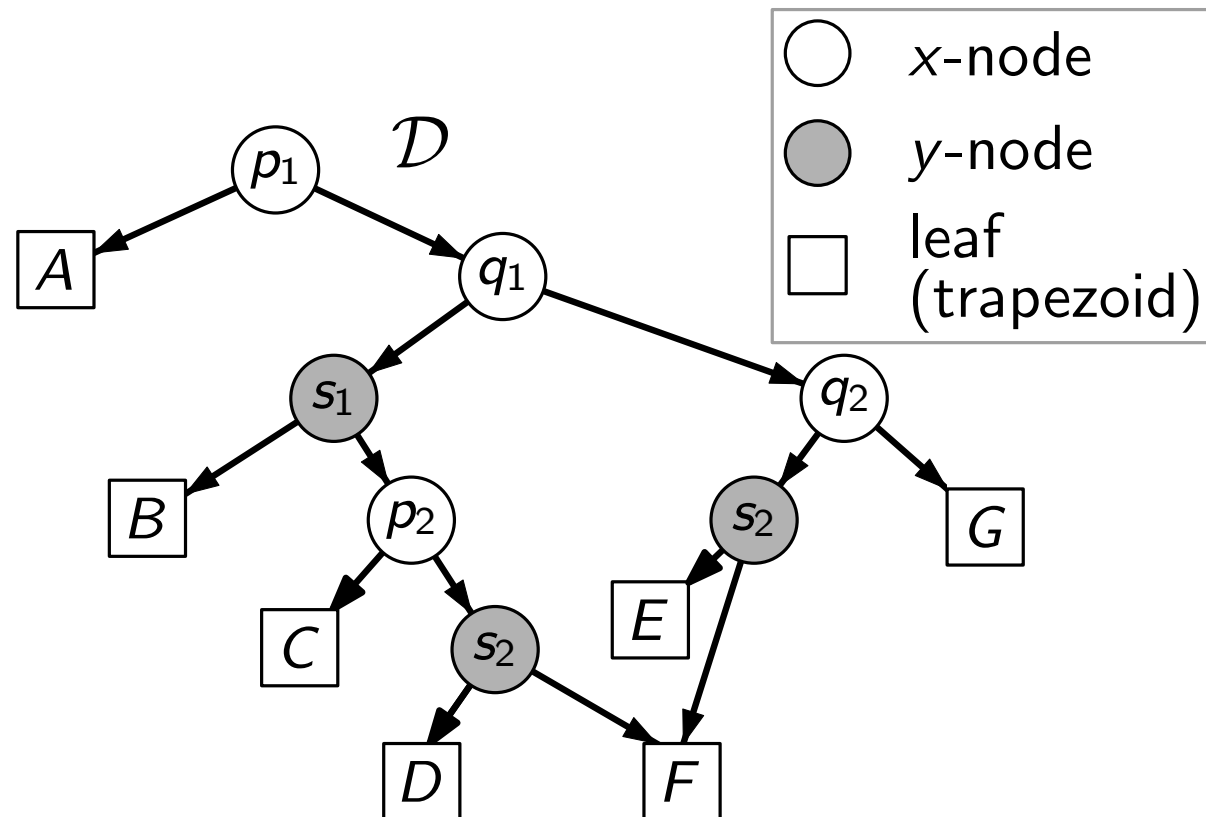
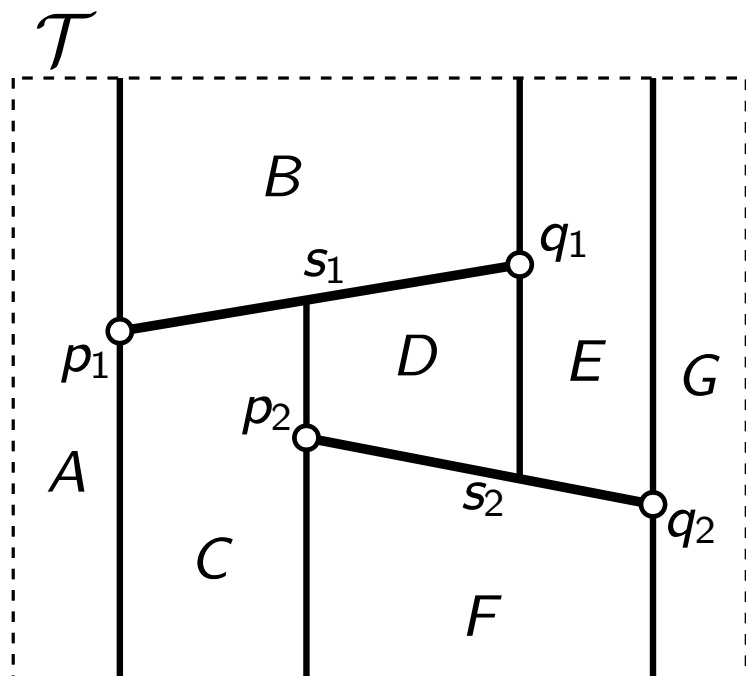
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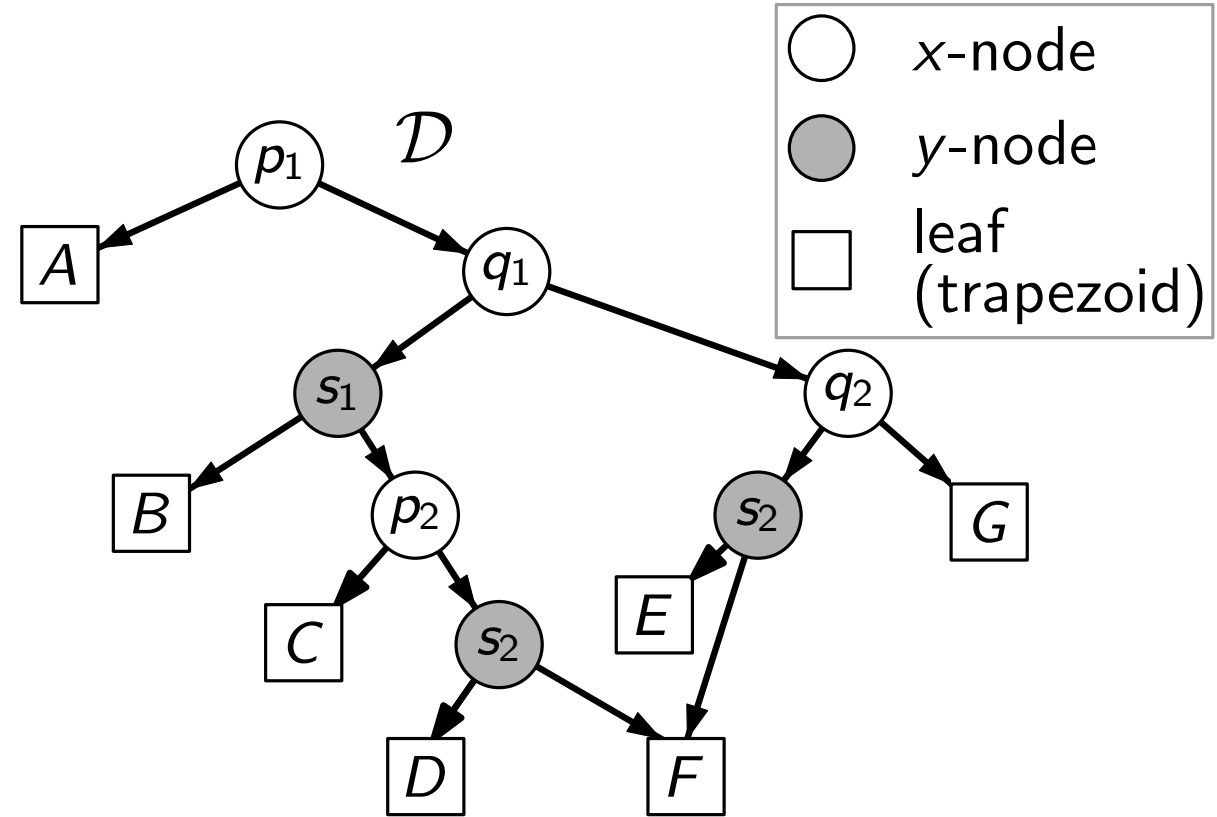
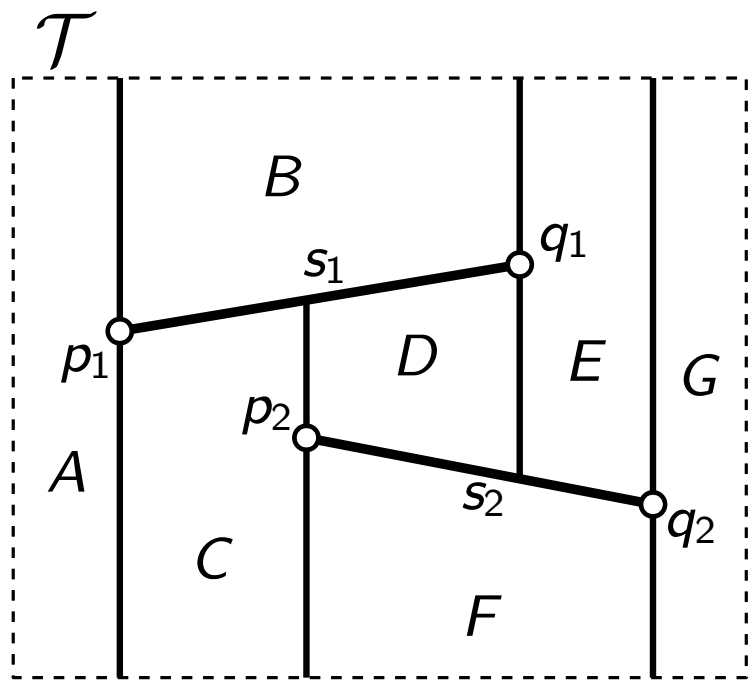
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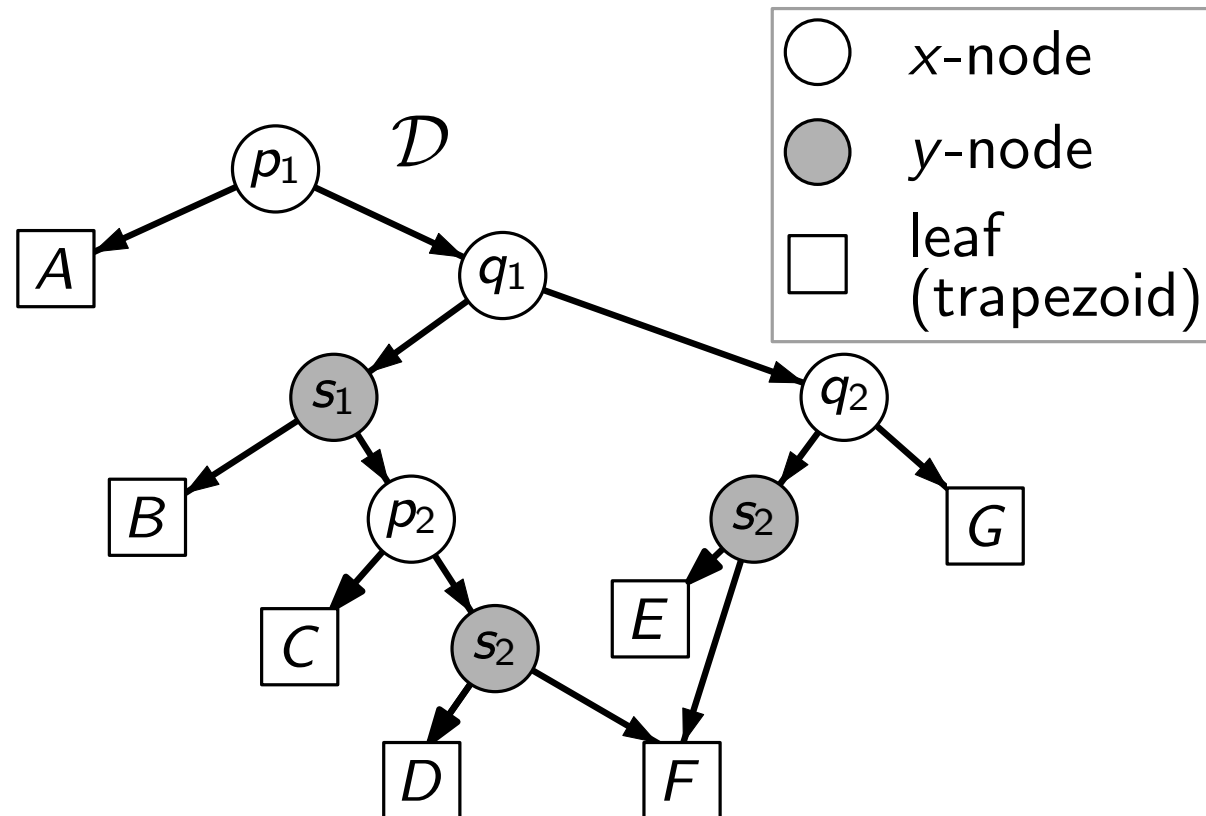
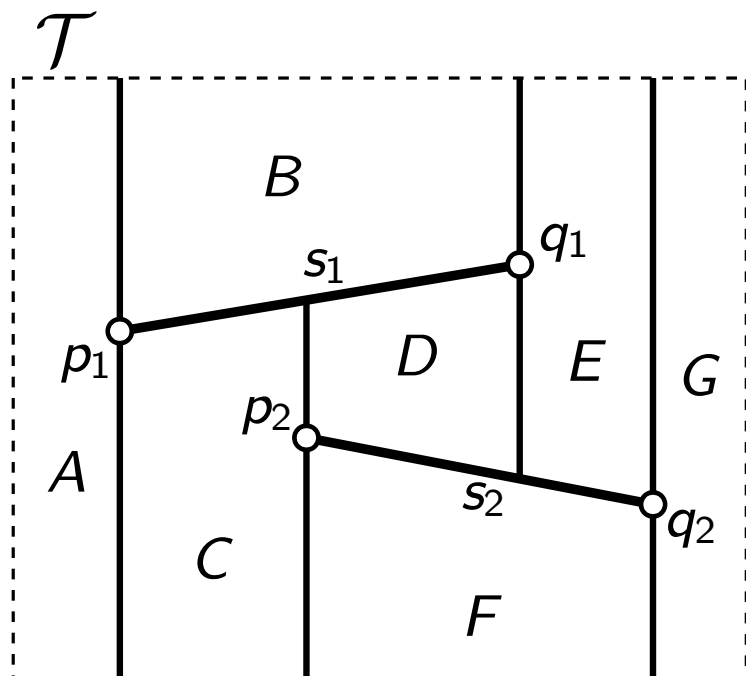
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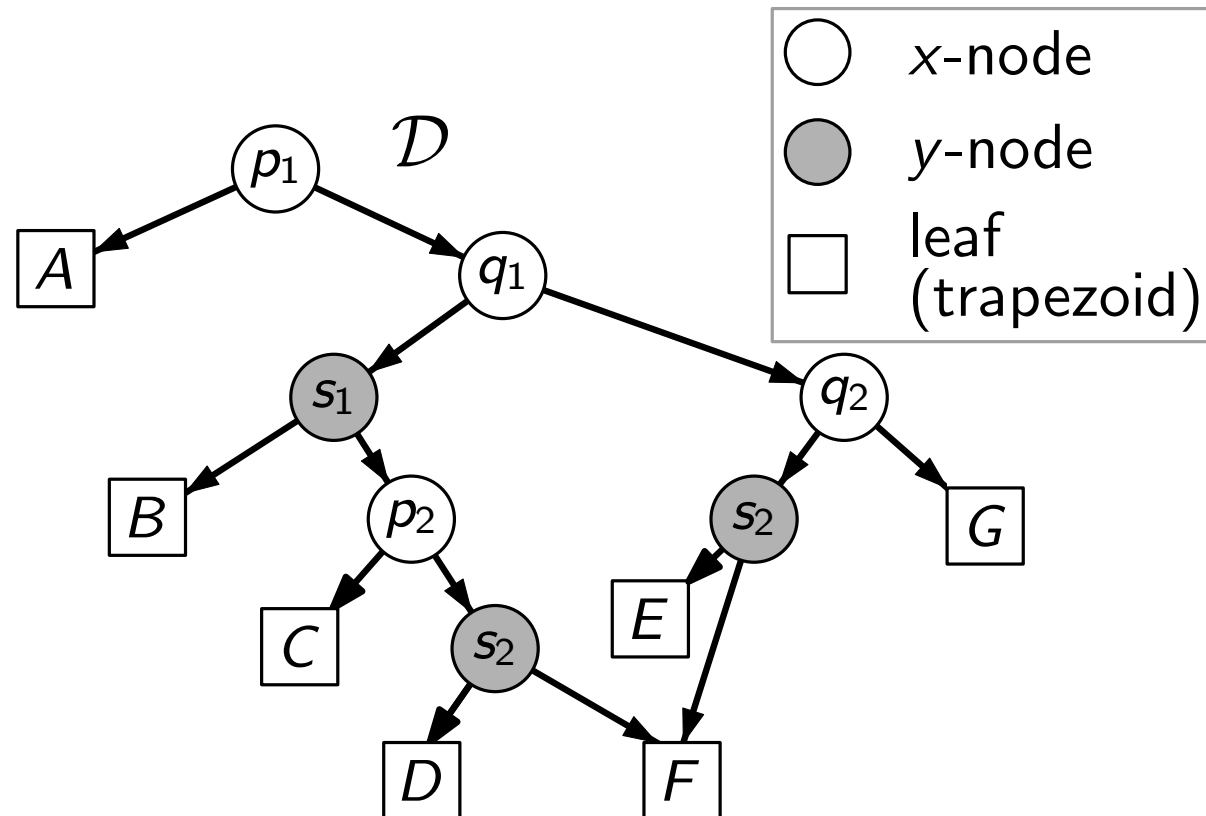
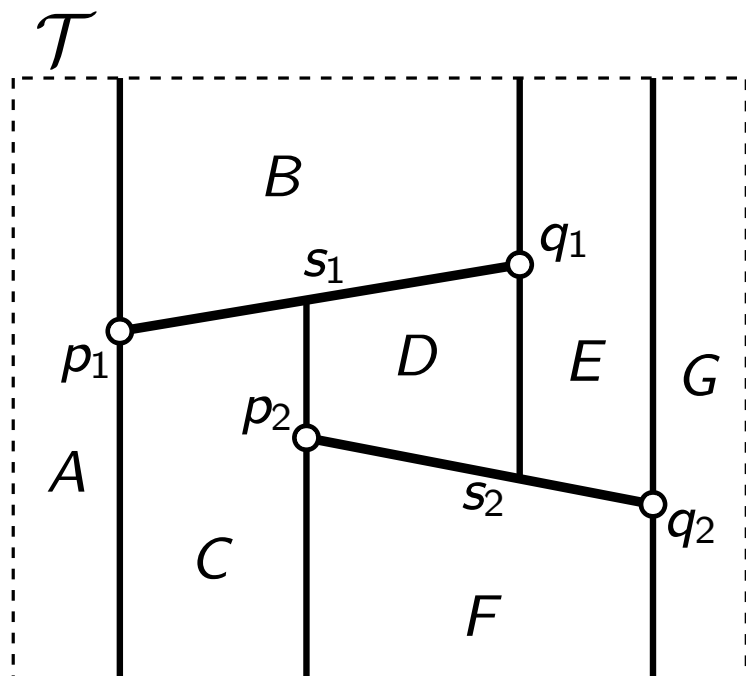
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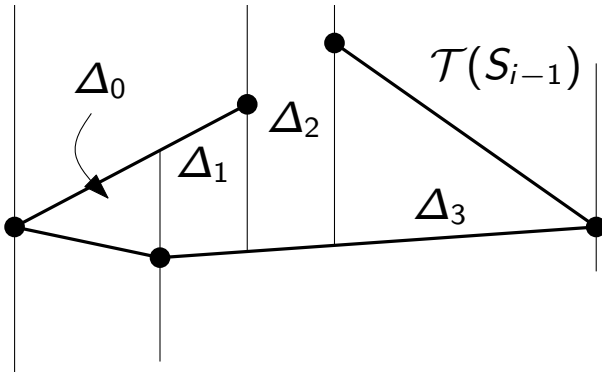
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Walking through \mathcal{T} and Updating \mathcal{D}



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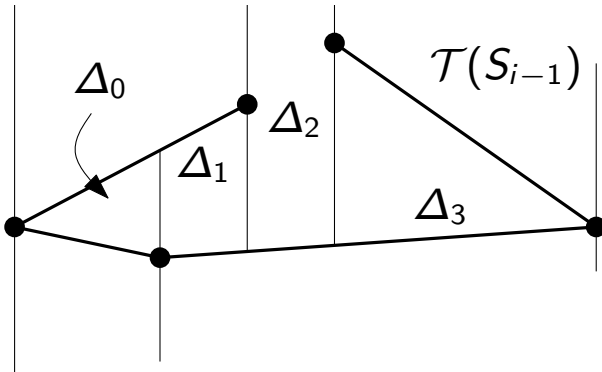
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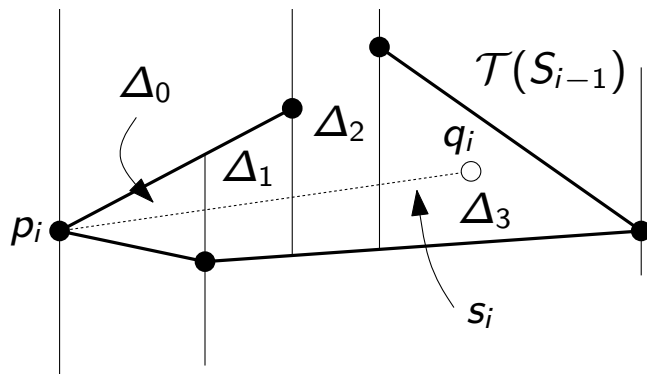
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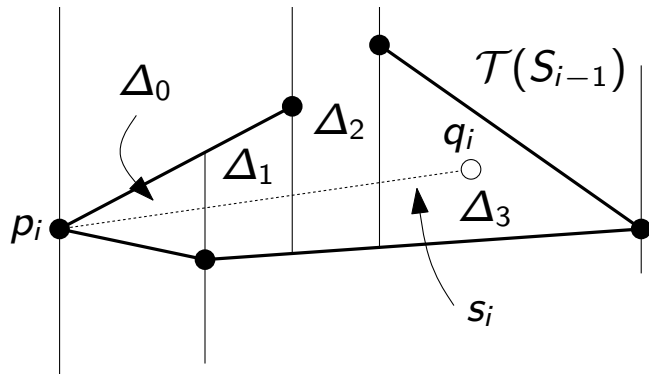
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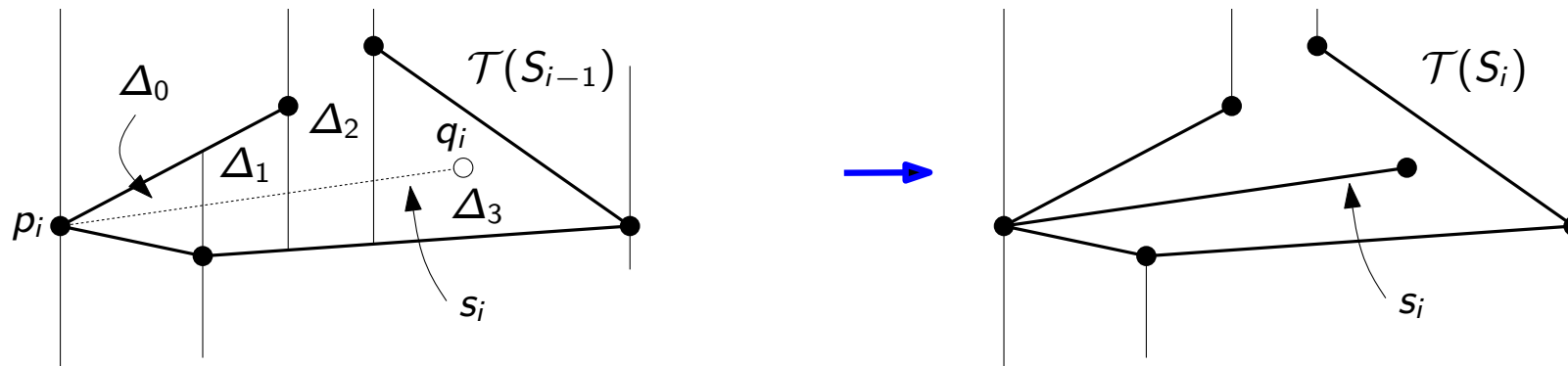
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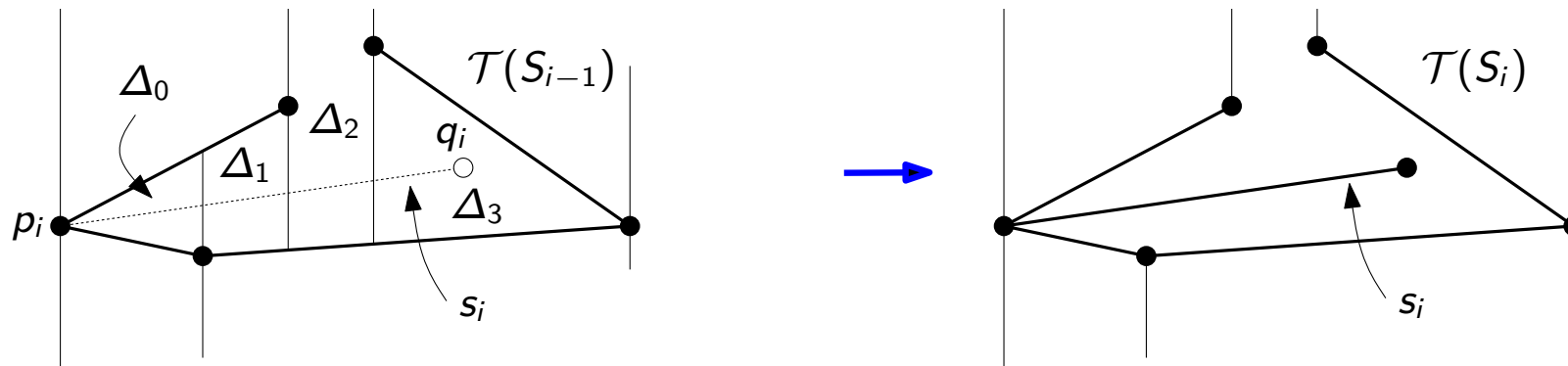
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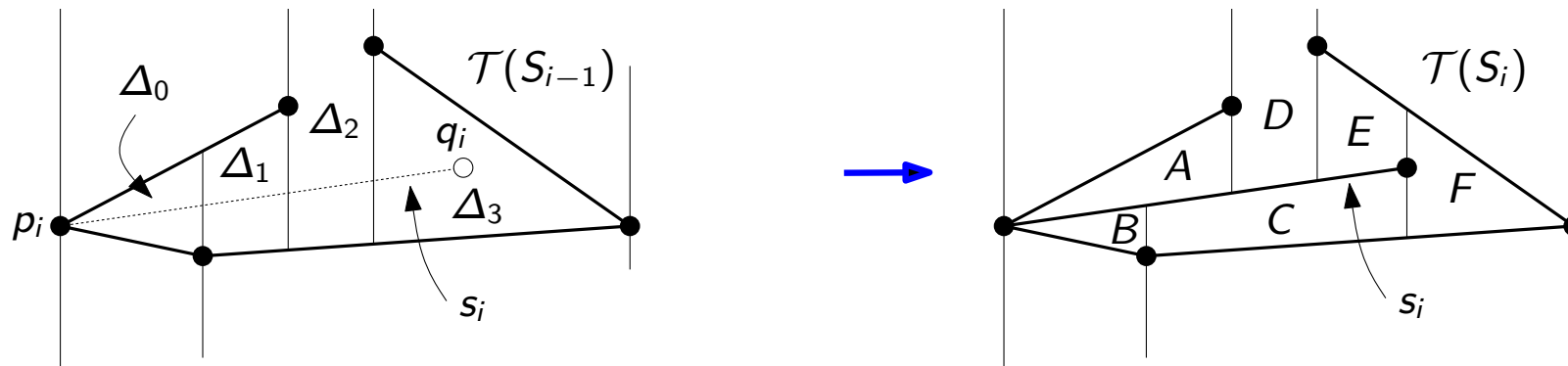
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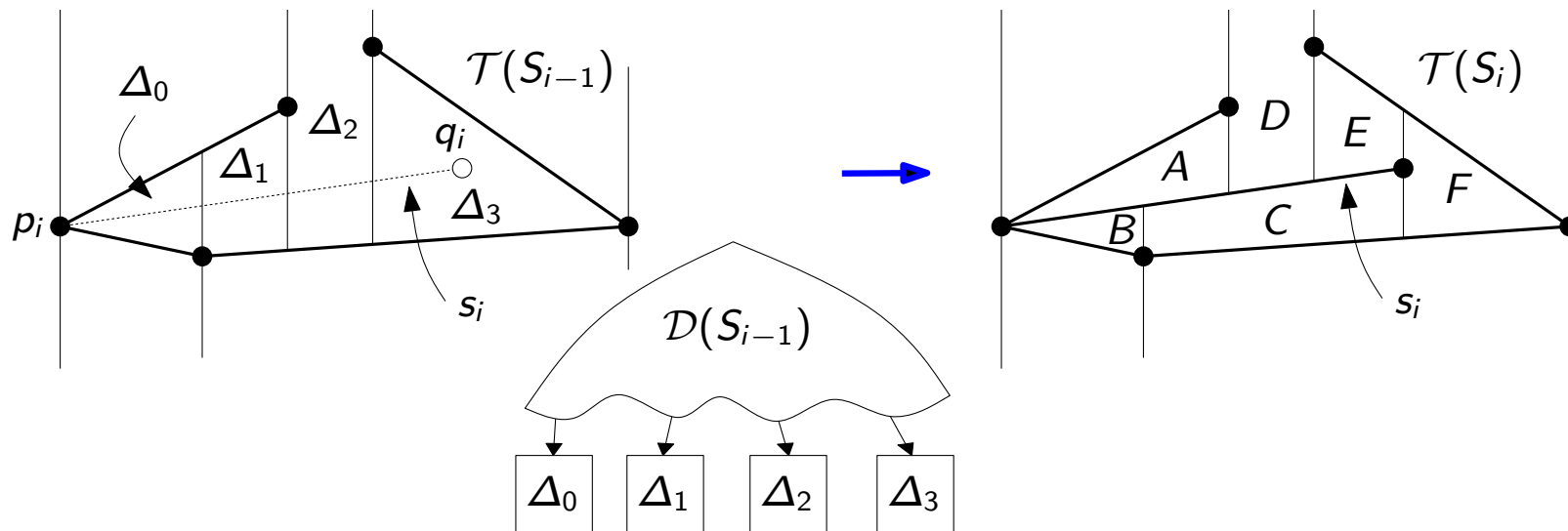
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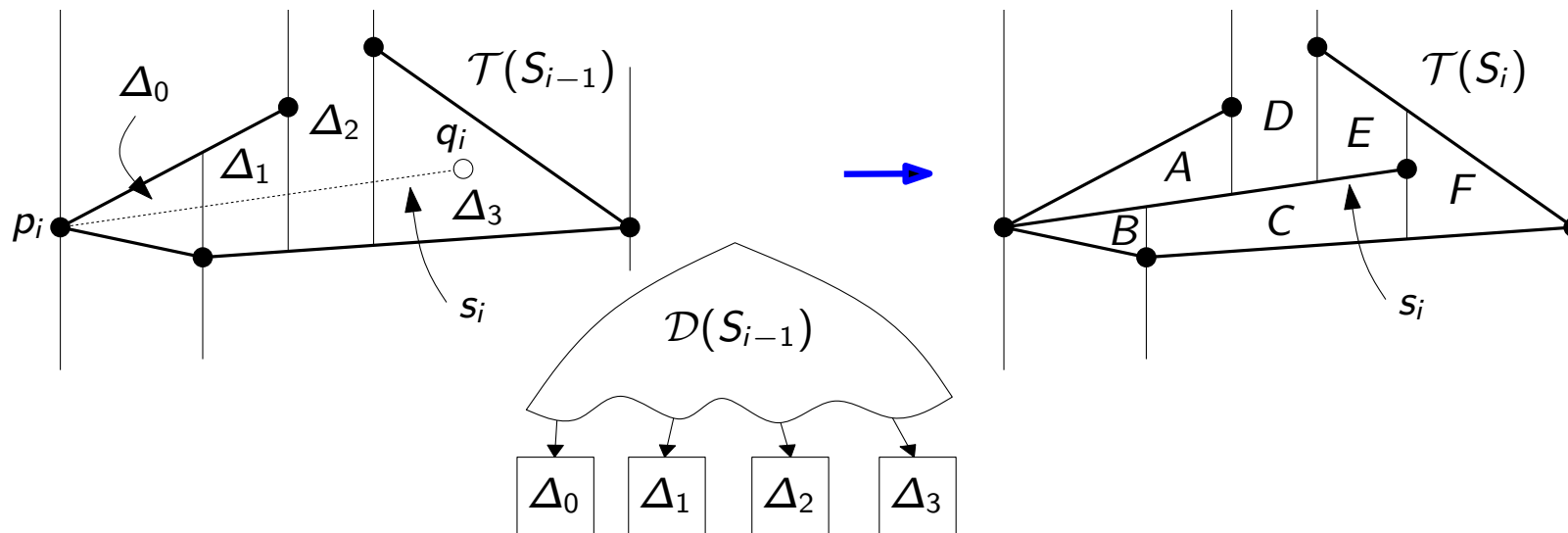
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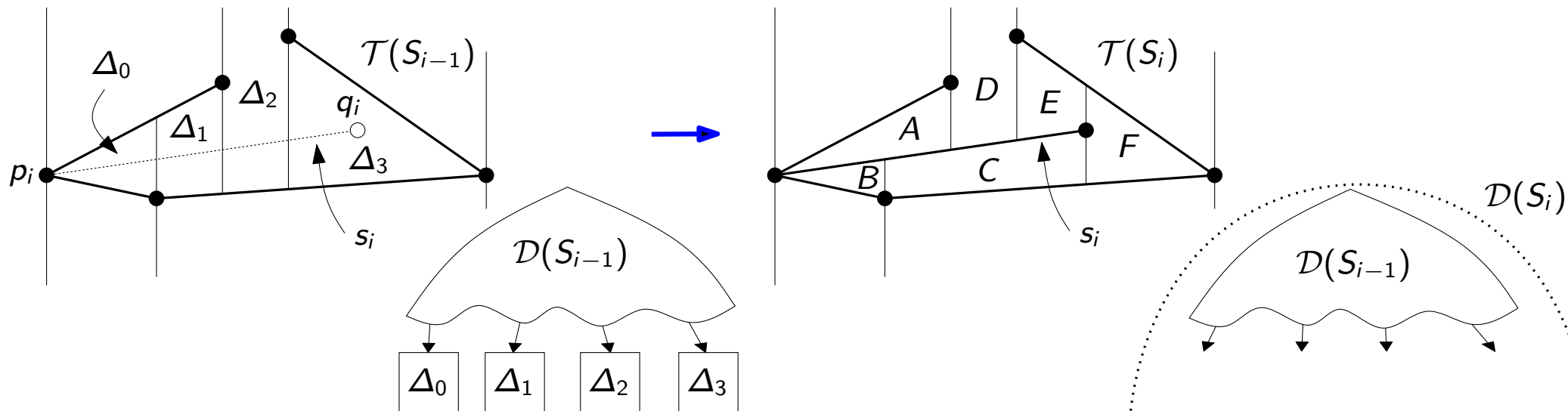
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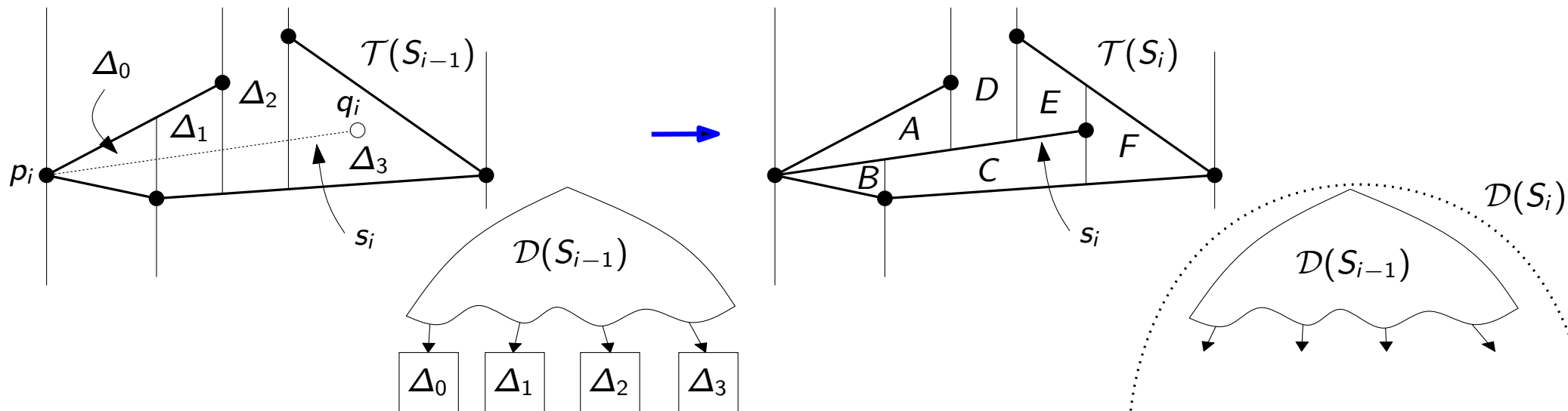
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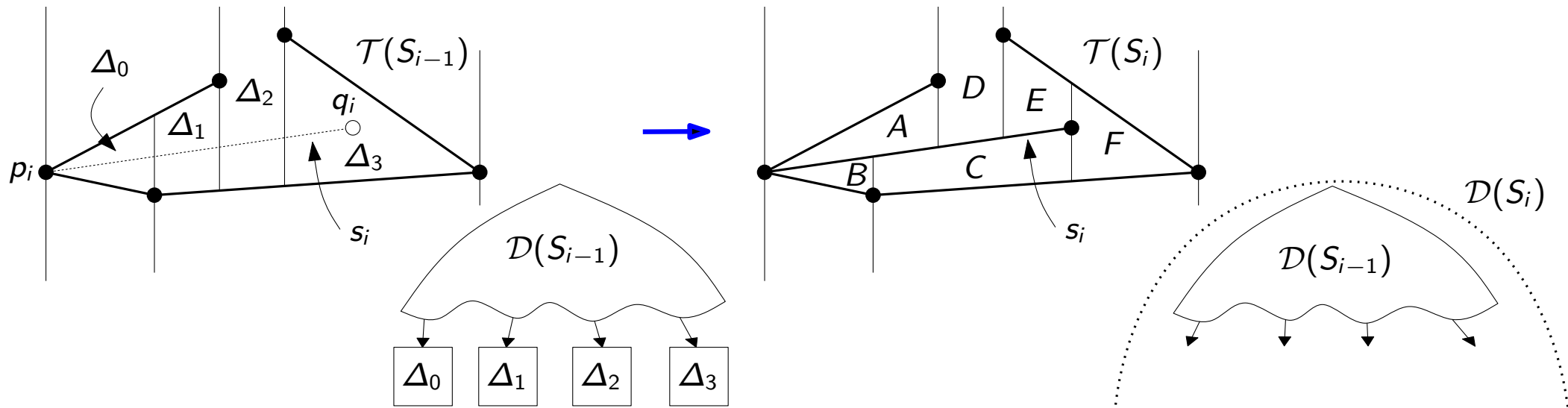
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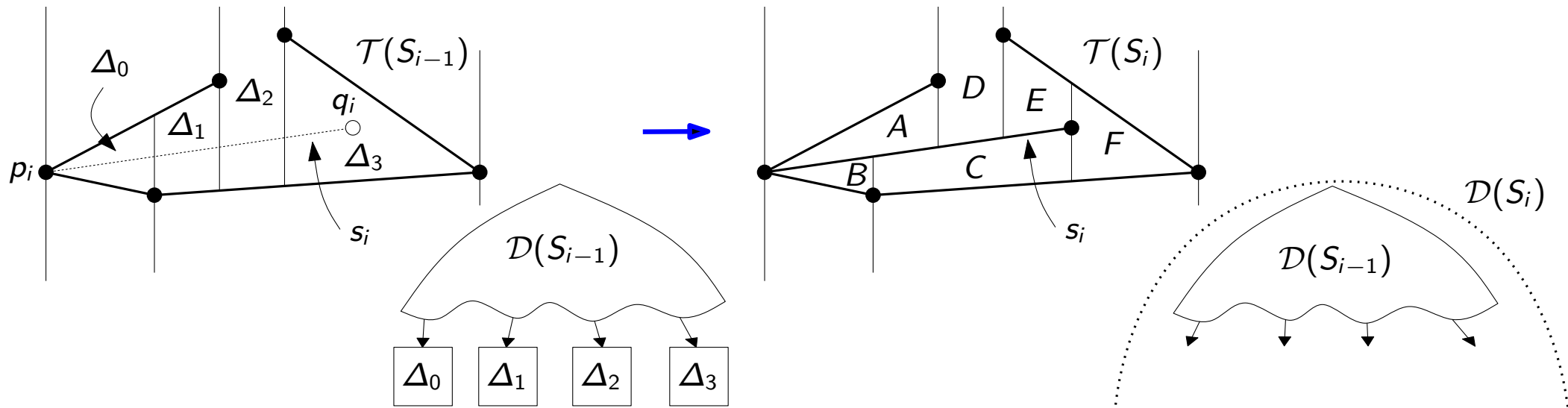
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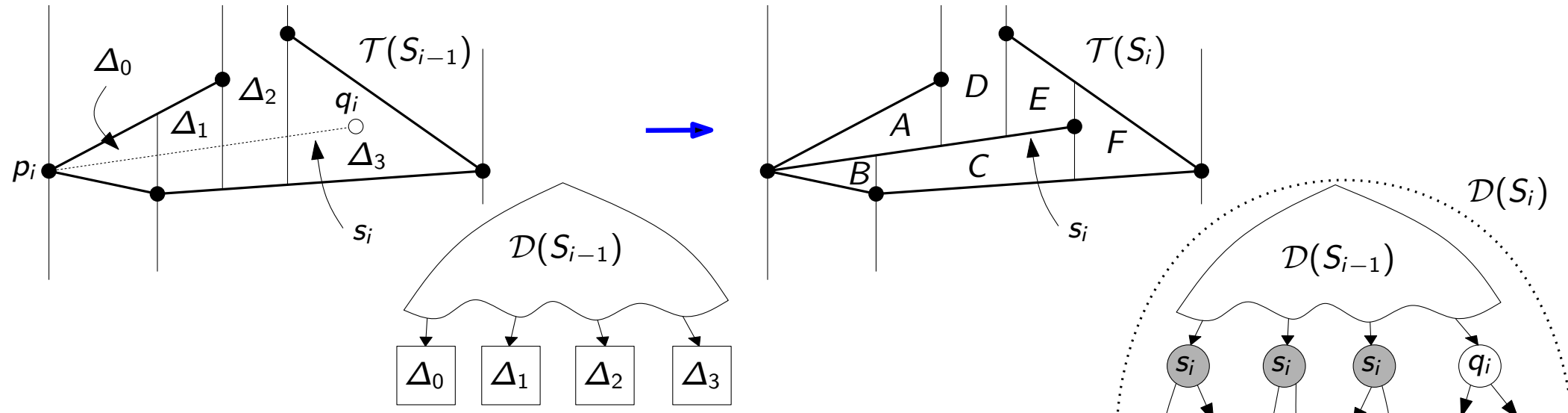
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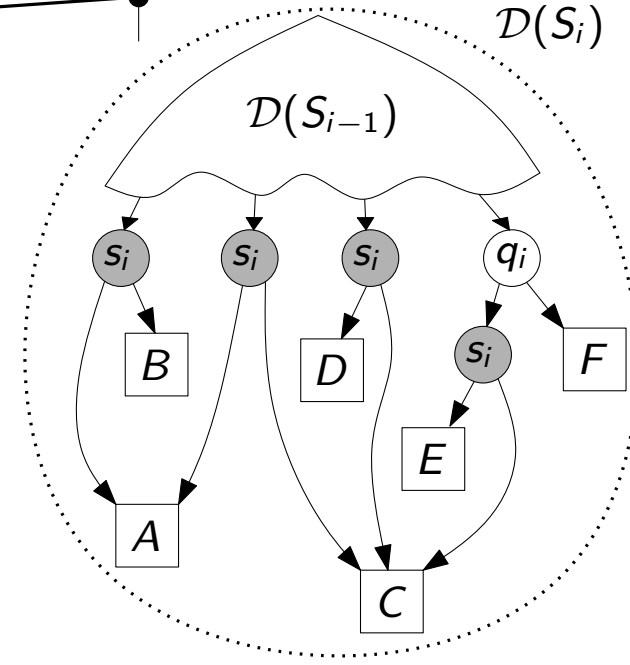
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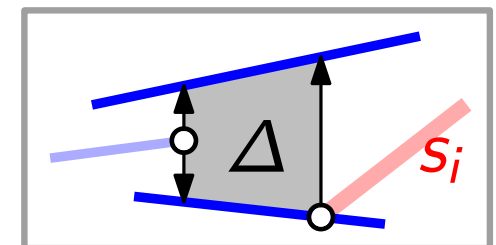
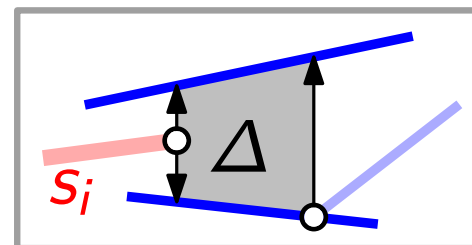
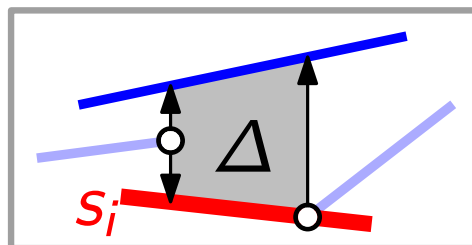
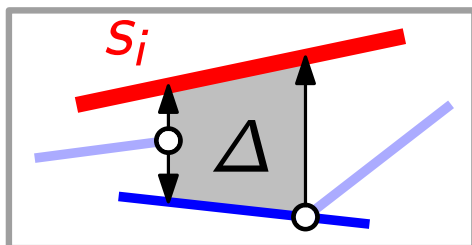
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p_i = prob. that the search path Π_q of q in \mathcal{D} contains a node that was created in iteration i .

$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{E}[X_i] = \sum_{j=0}^3 j \cdot \mathbf{P}[X_i = j] \leq \sum_{j=0}^3 3 \cdot \mathbf{P}[X_i \geq 1] = 3p_i$$

$\Delta_q(S_i) :=$ trapezoid in $\mathcal{T}(S_i)$ that contains q .

Key idea: Iteration i contributes a node to Π_q iff
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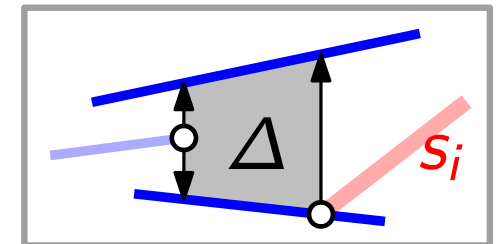
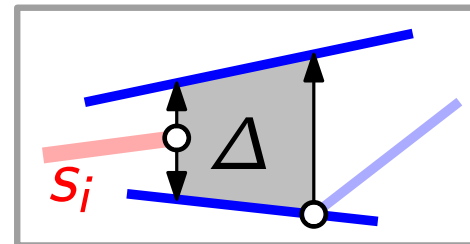
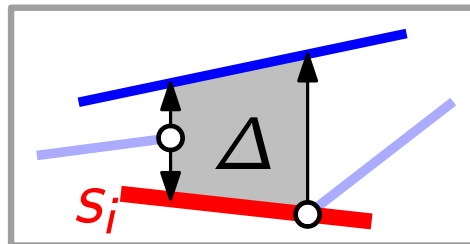
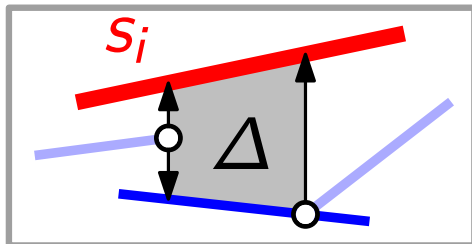
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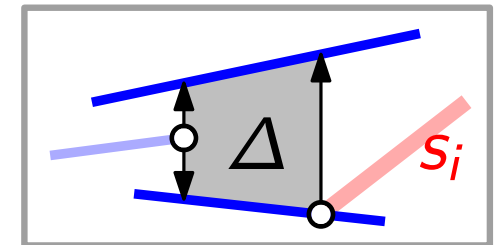
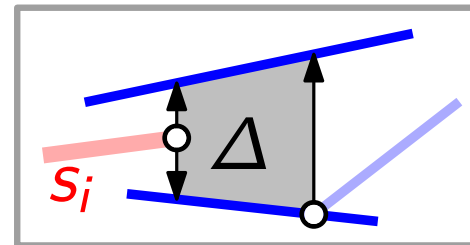
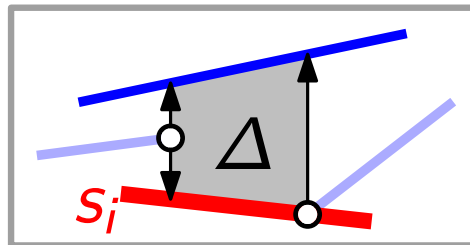
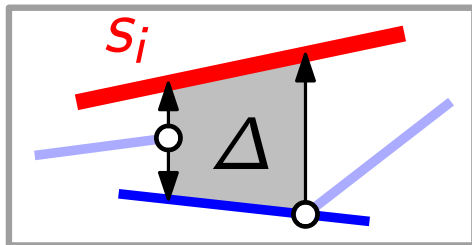
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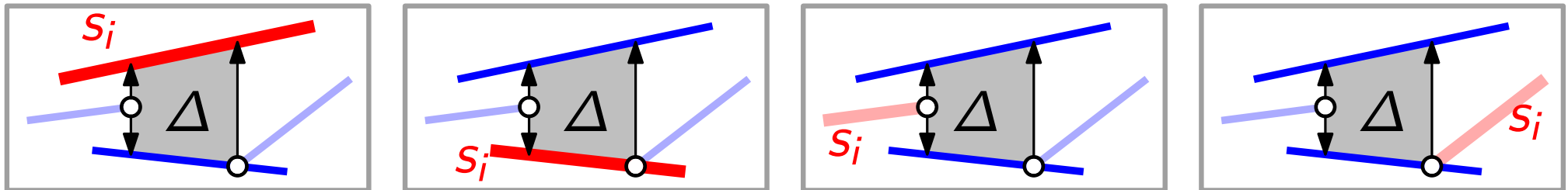
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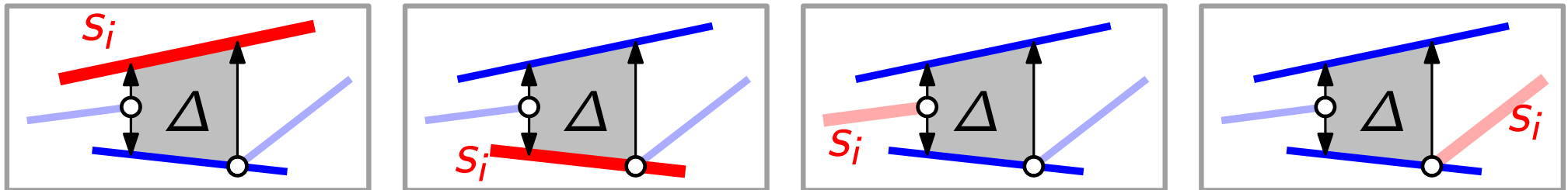
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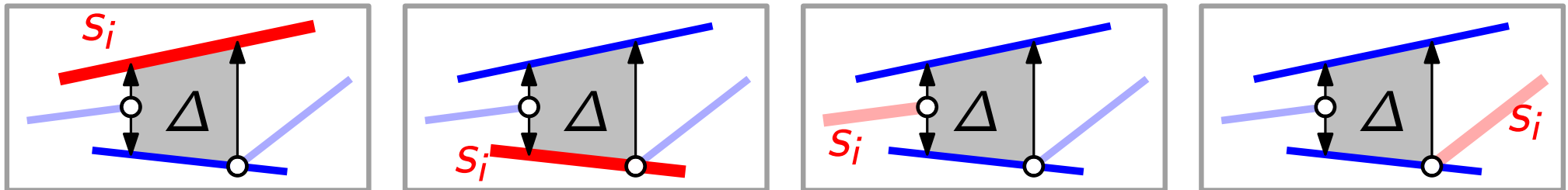
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