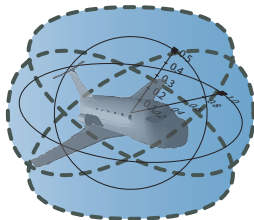


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03: Numerical versus Symbolic Analysis

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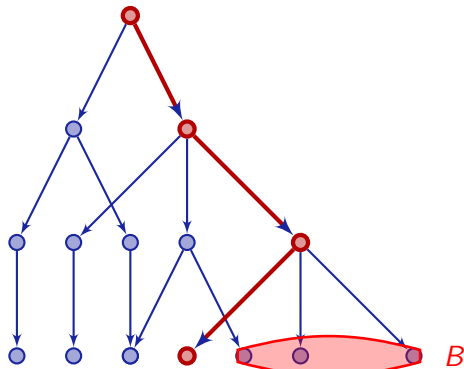
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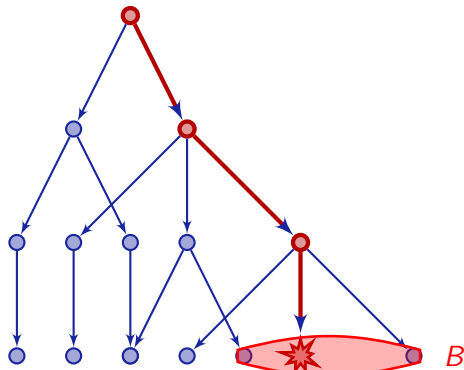
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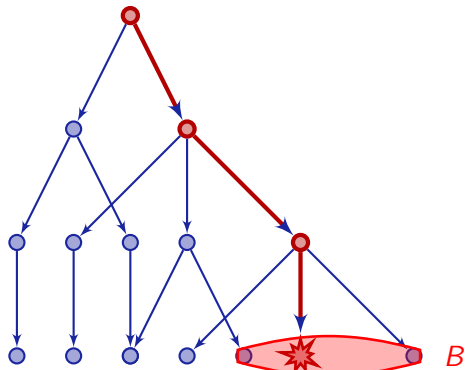
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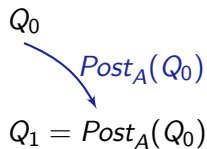
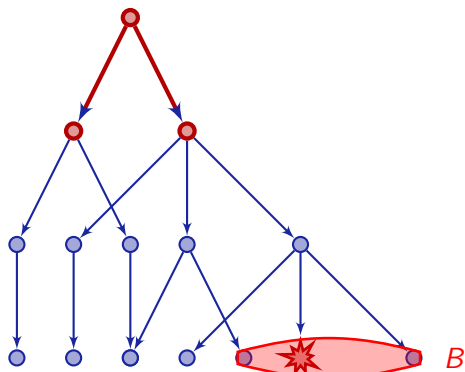
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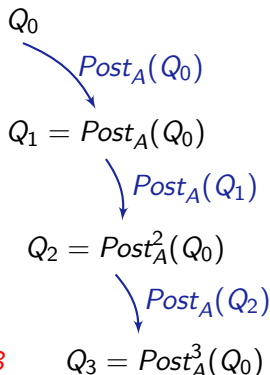
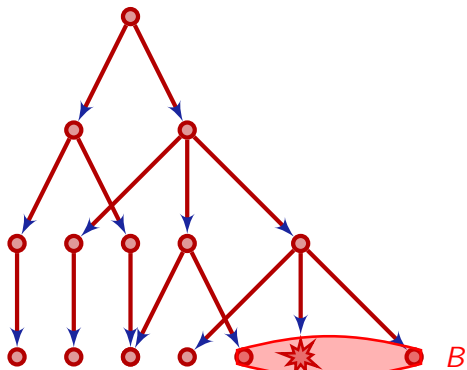
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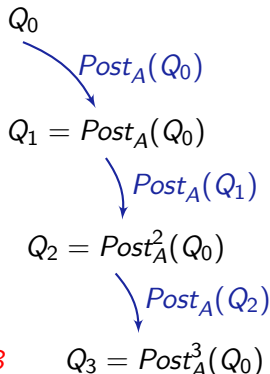
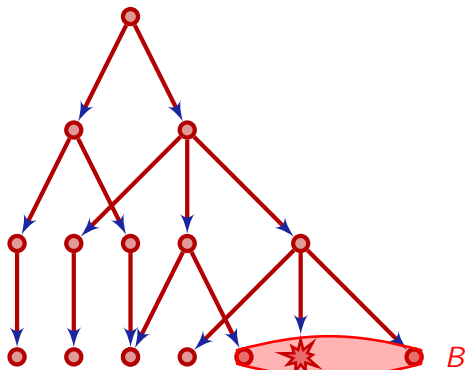
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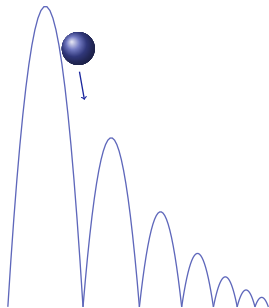
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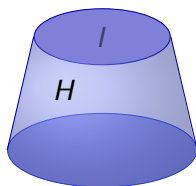
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contr_var: x, v;
synclabs: jump;
loc state:
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  // transitions
  when x==0&v<0 sync jump do {v'==-v*0.5&x'==x} goto state;
  when x==0&-0.1<v&v<0.1 sync jump do {v'==v&x'==x} goto frz
loc frz:
  while x>=0 & x<=10 & v<=10 & v>=-10 wait {x'==0&v'==0};
initially: state & x==2 & v==0;
end

reg=bouncing_ball.reachable;
// reg=bouncing_ball.is_reachable(frz);
reg.print("out_reach",2); // output reachable set
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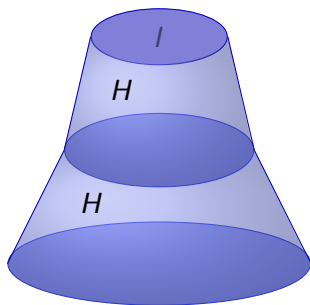
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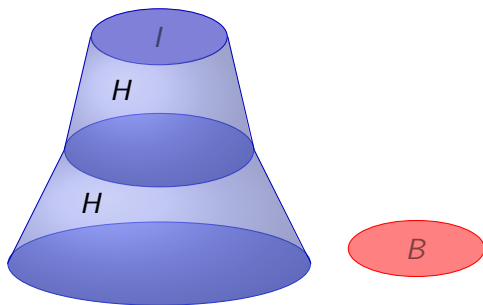
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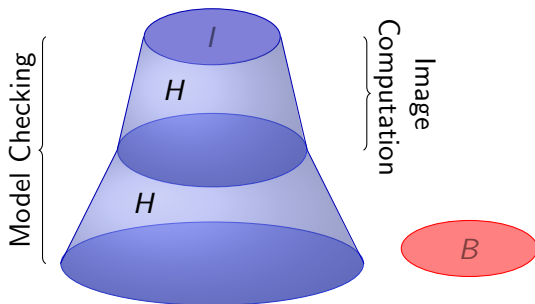
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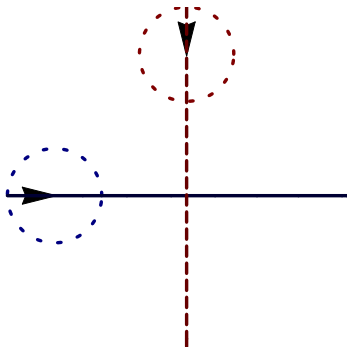
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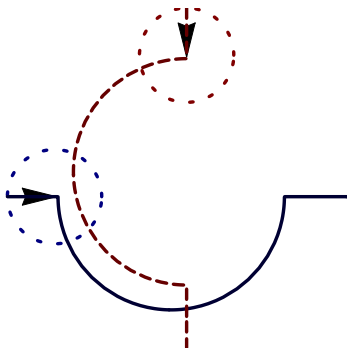


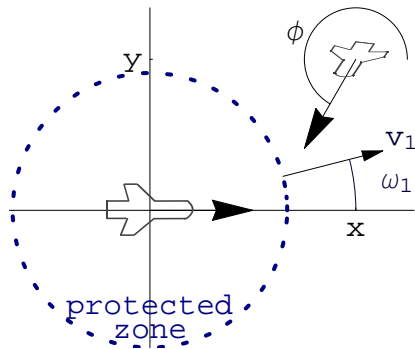
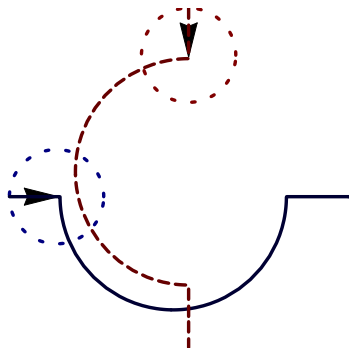
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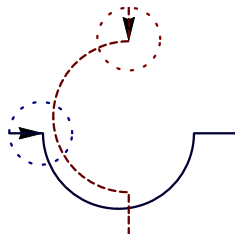
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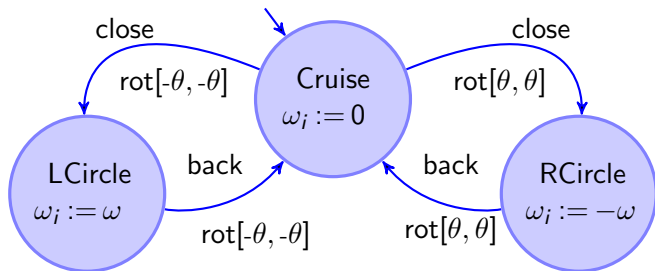




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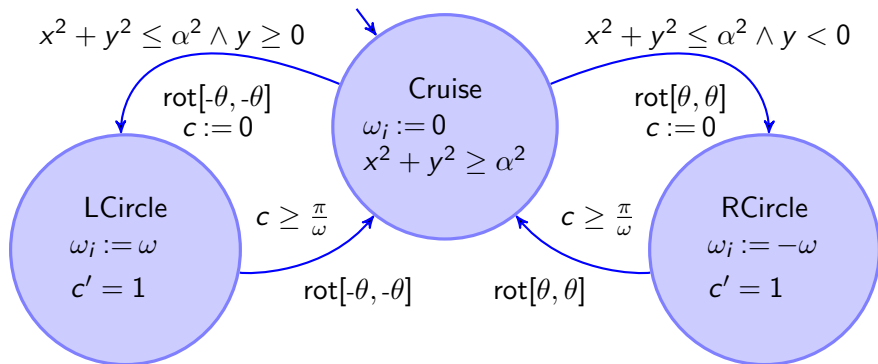
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► Details

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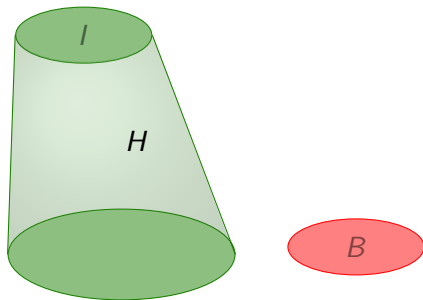
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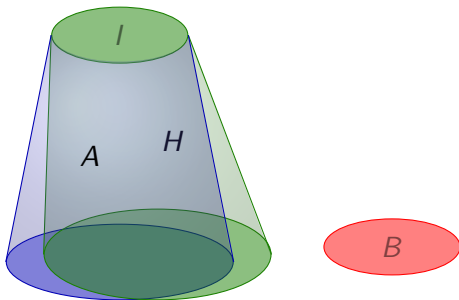
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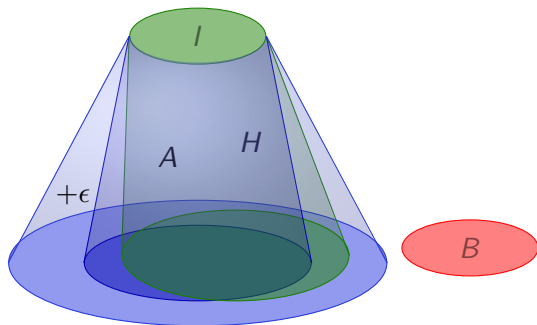
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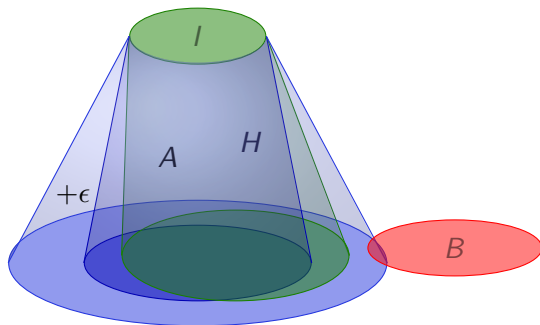
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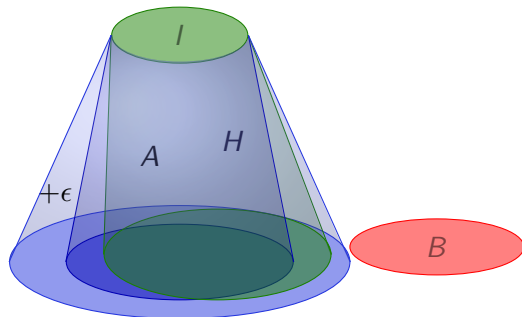
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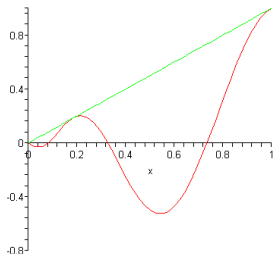
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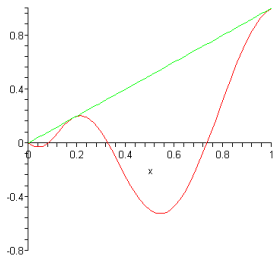
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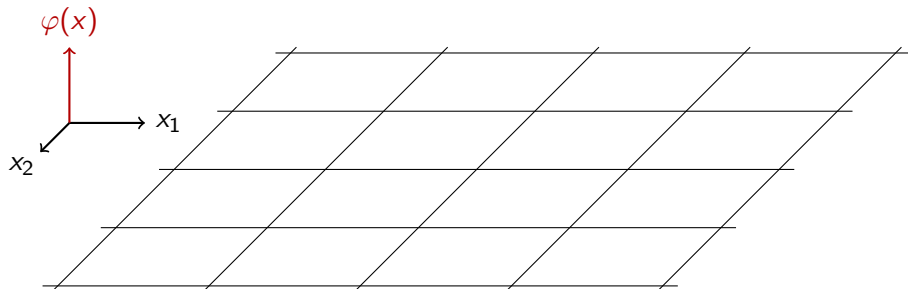
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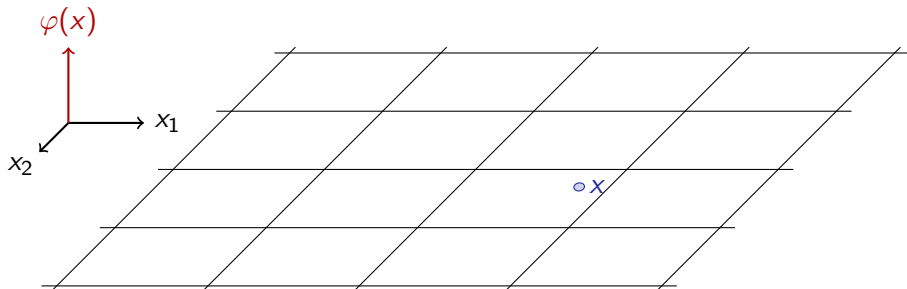
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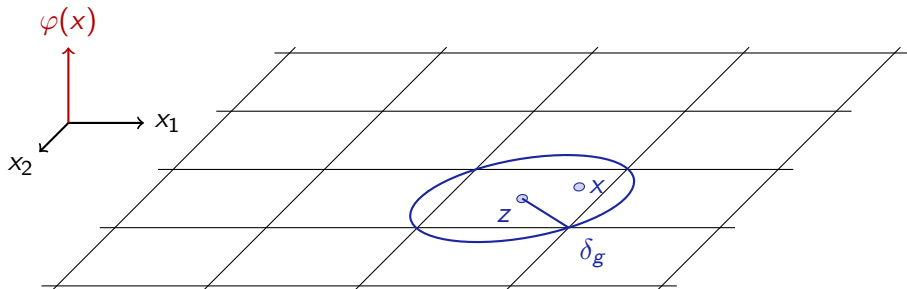
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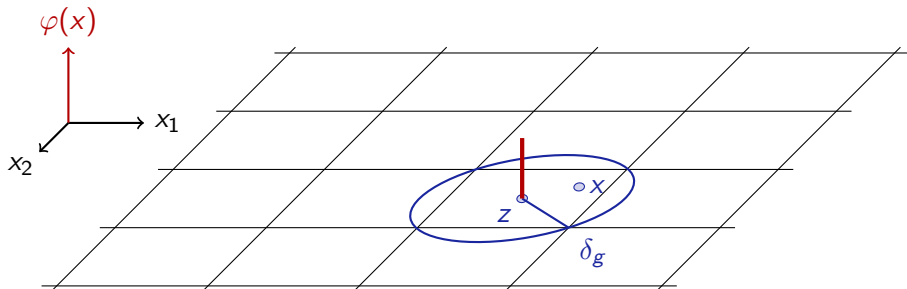
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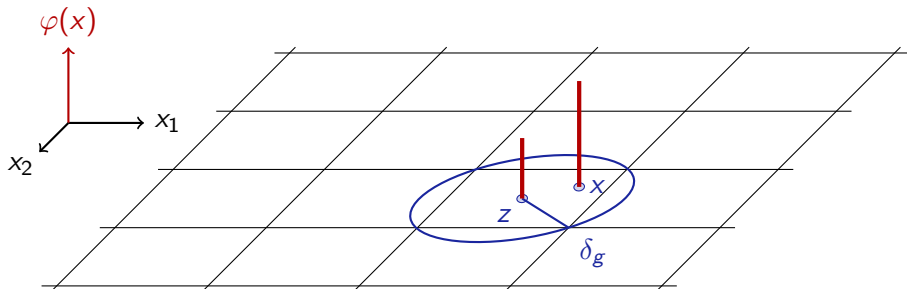
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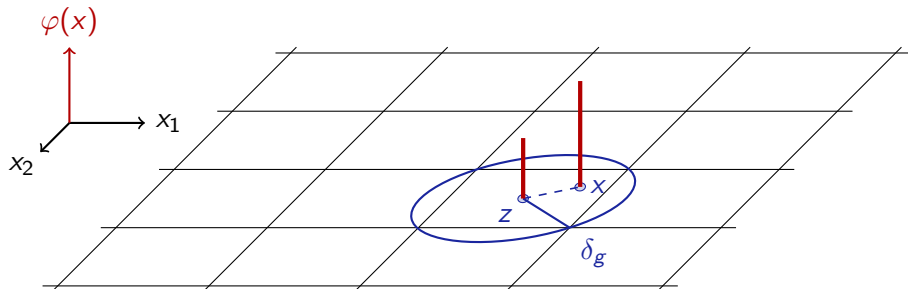
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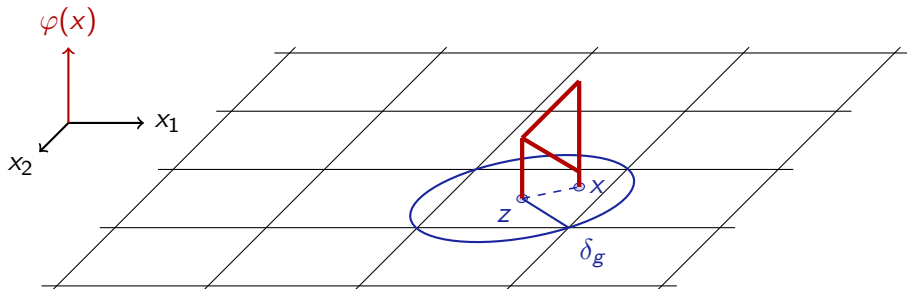
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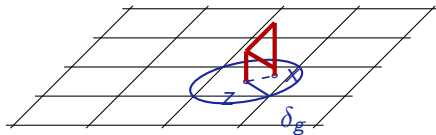
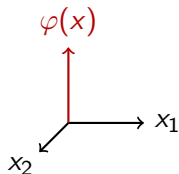
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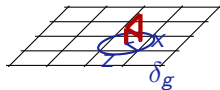
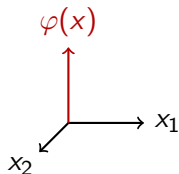
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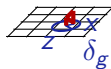
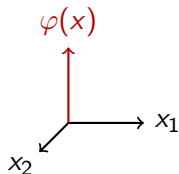
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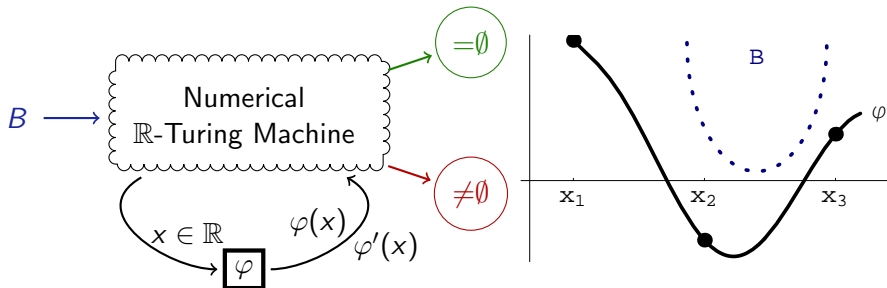
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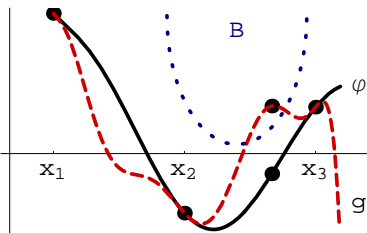
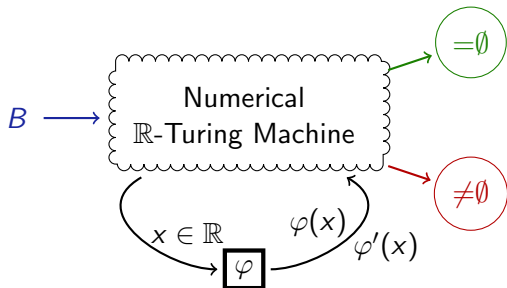
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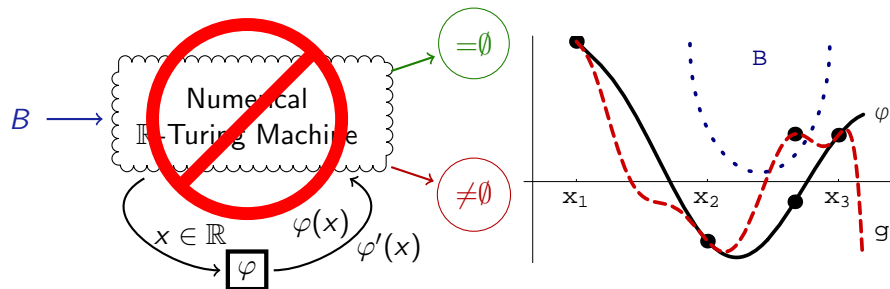
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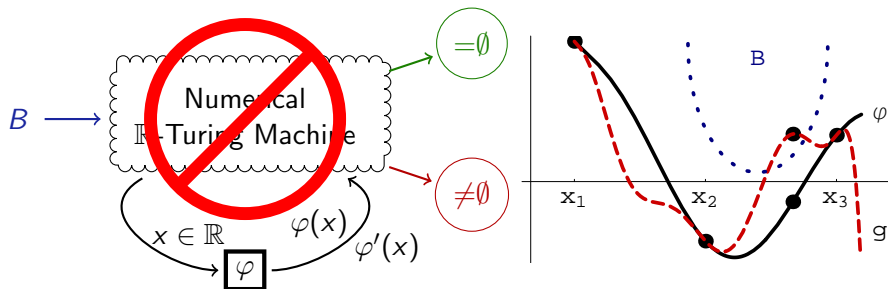
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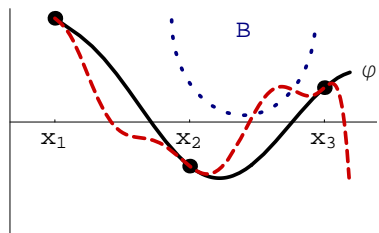
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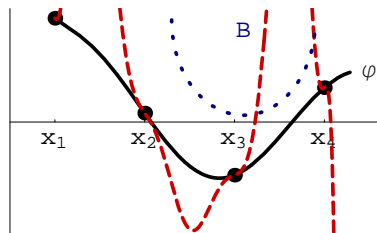
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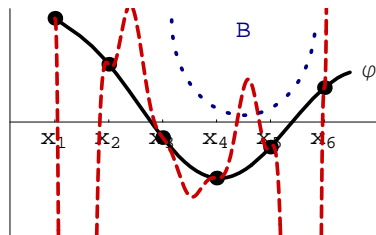


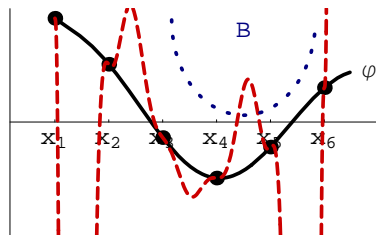
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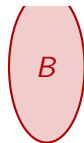


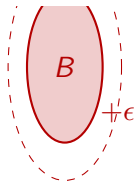


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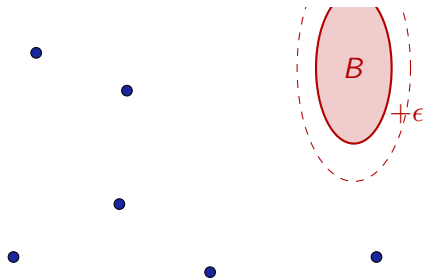
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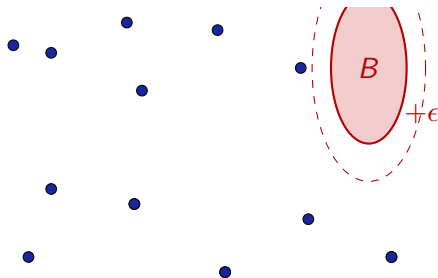




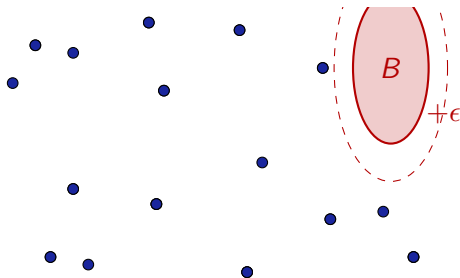
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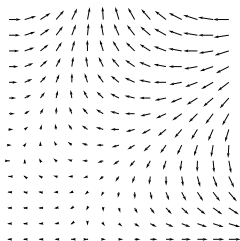
Proof. (for problem with tolerance $\epsilon > 0$).

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- If $\varphi(x_i) \in \mathcal{U}_\epsilon(B)$ for a $x_i \in X$, output “ $\neq \emptyset$ ” correct with tolerance ϵ .
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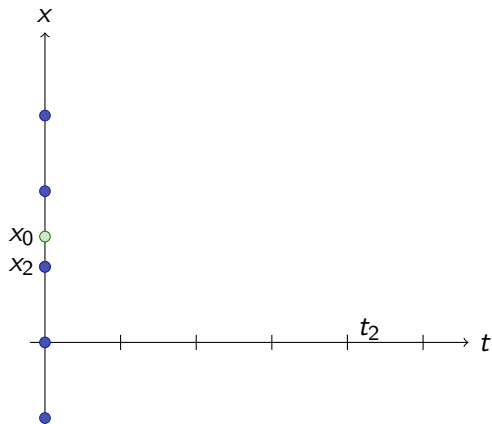
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Proposition

- Flow φ is solution of $x'(t) = f(t, x)$
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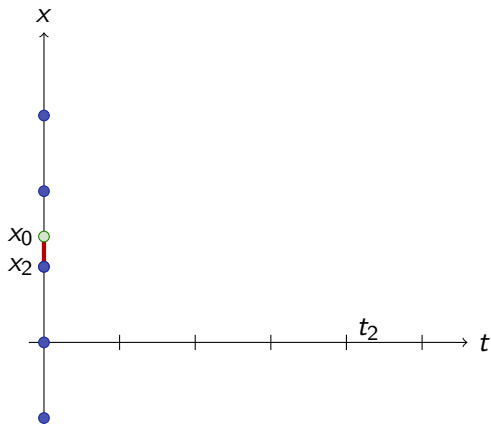


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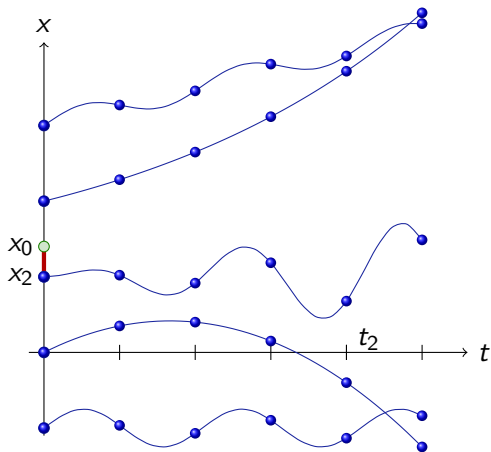


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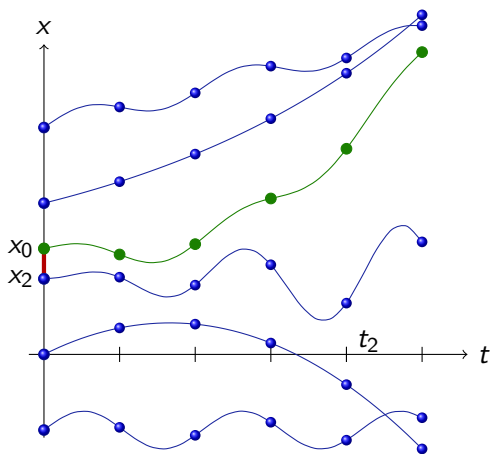


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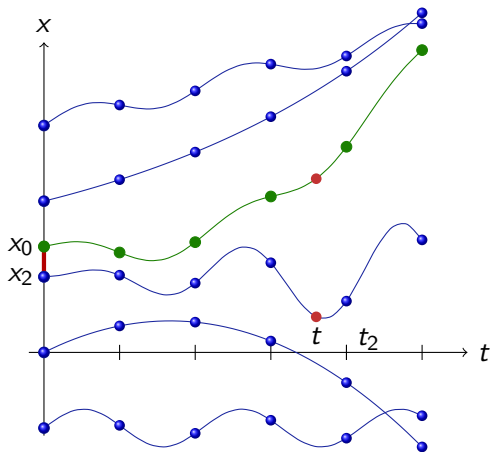


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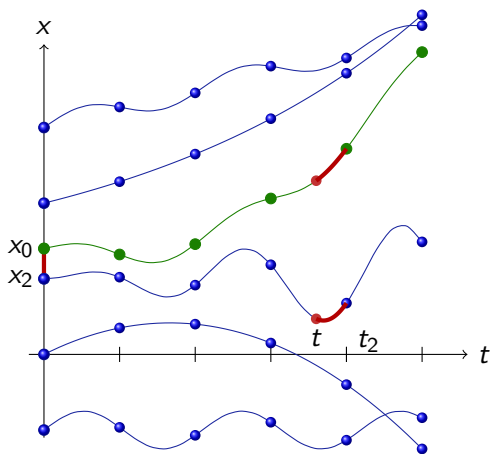


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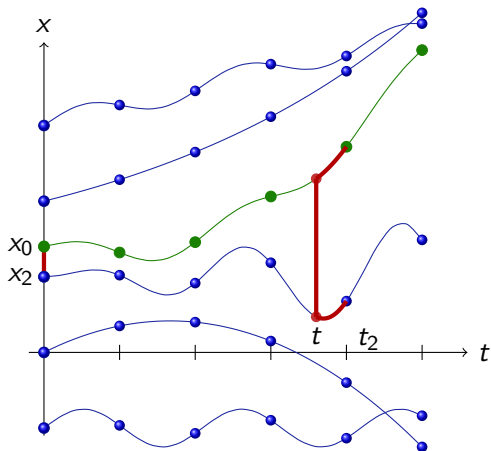


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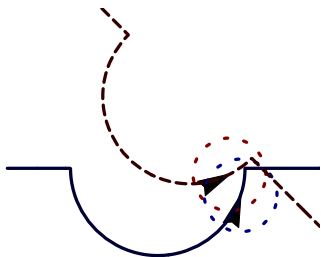
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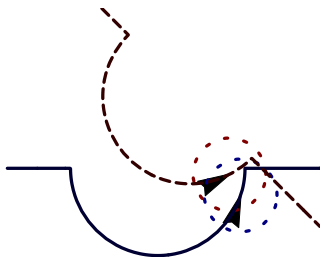
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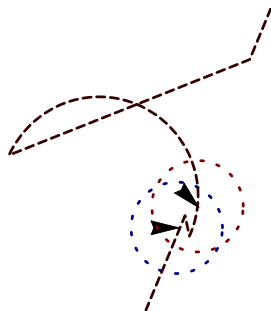
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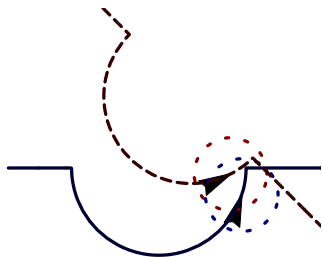
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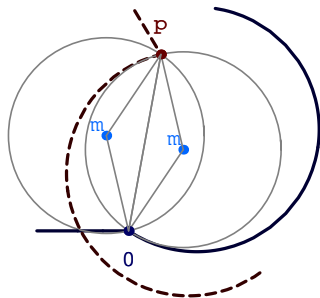
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classical



tangential



 No more counterexamples found



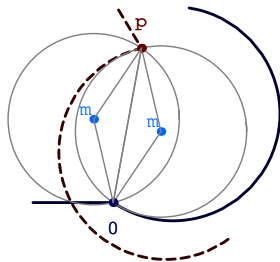
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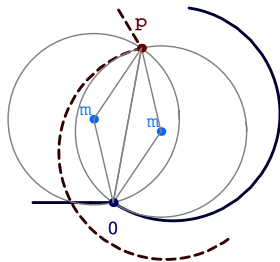
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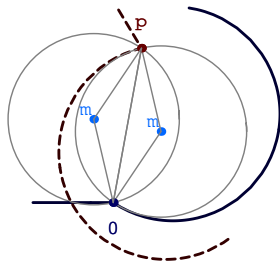
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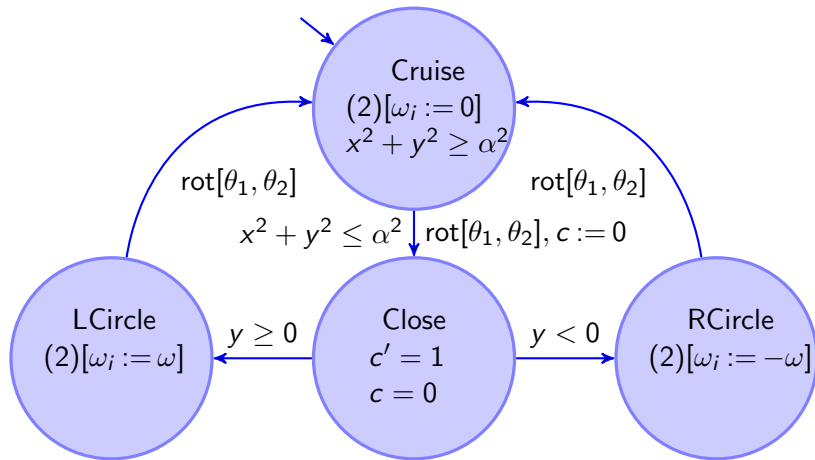


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flows	approx / image computation
continuous	uniform approx exists, but. . .
smooth	undecidable by evaluation
bounded by b	decidable
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