

# Computational complexity theory for spaces of integrable functions

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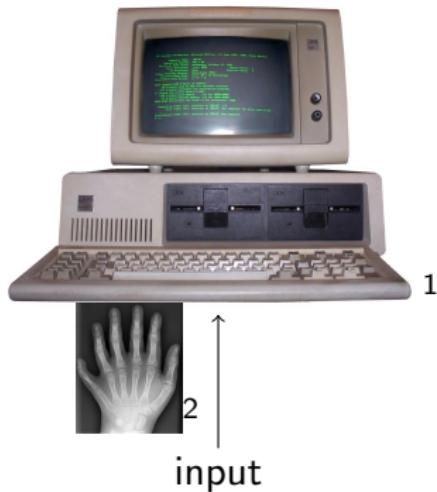
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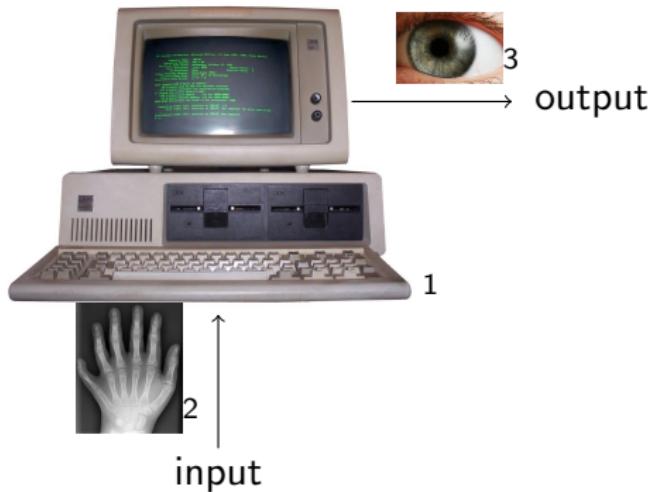
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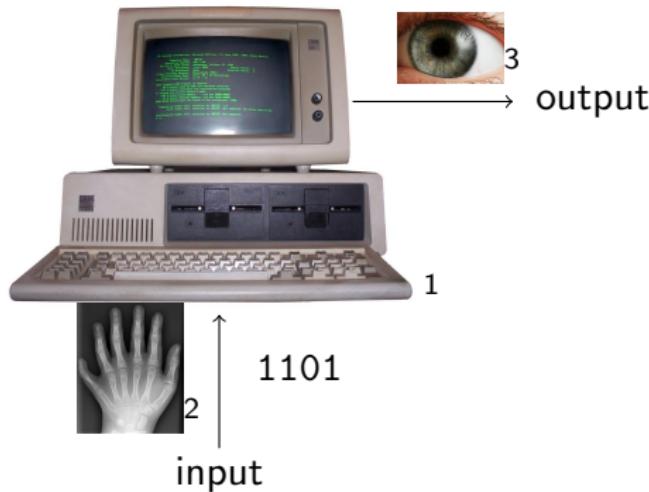


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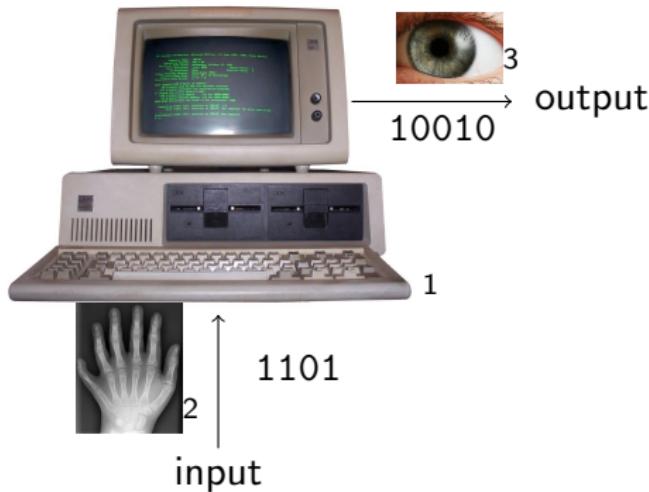


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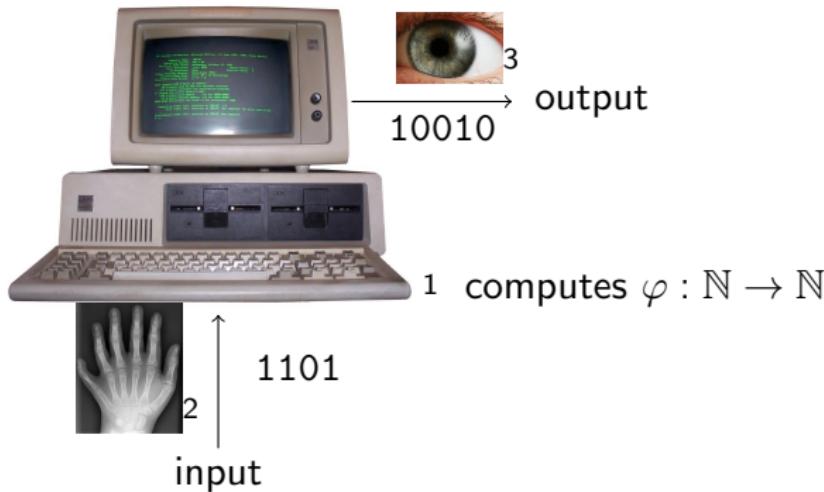


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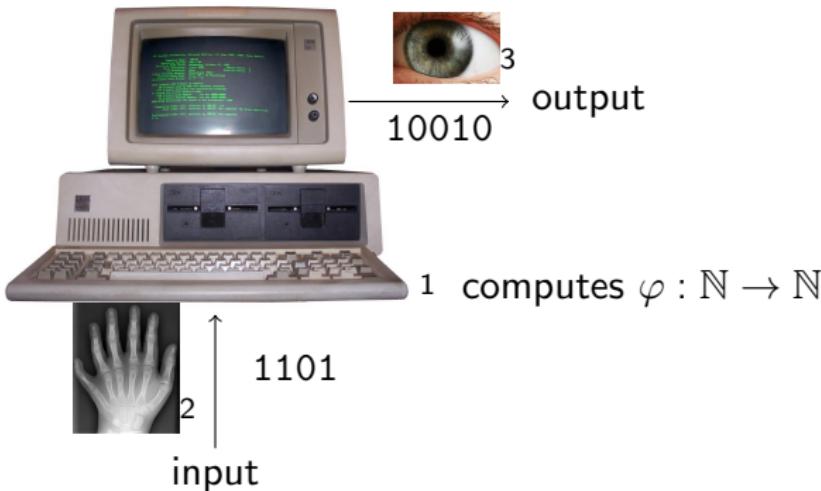
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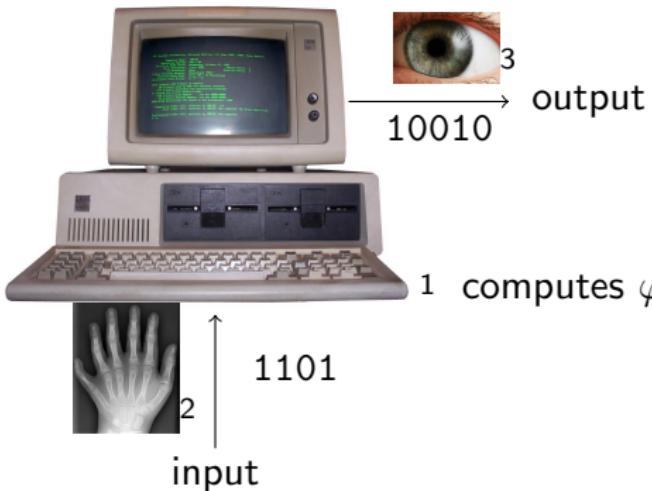


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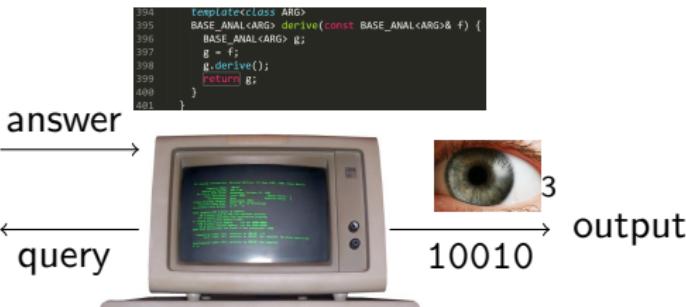


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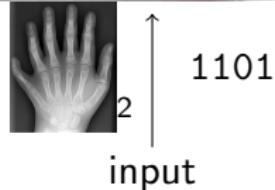
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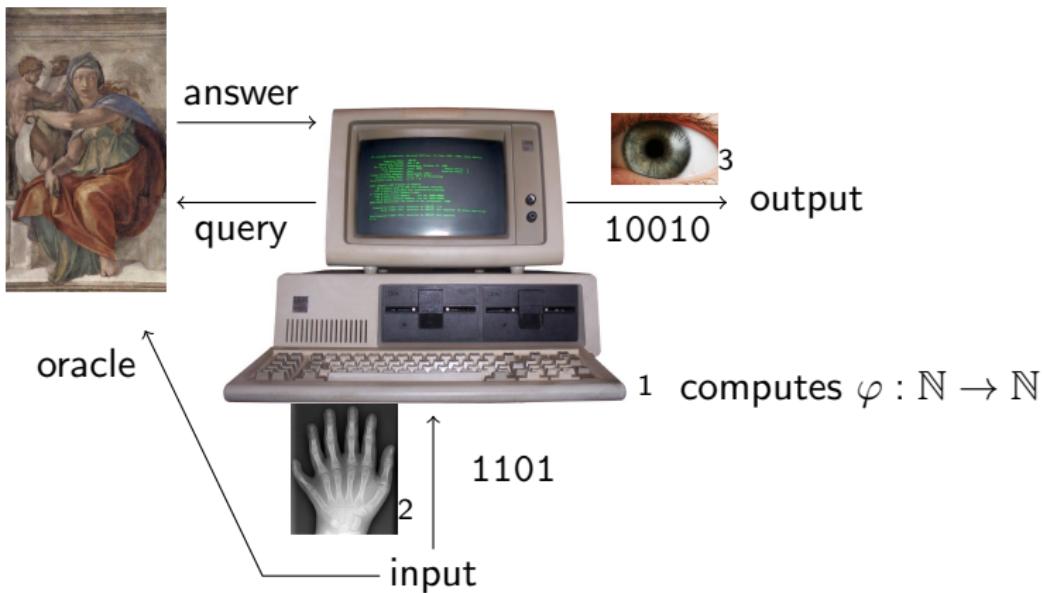
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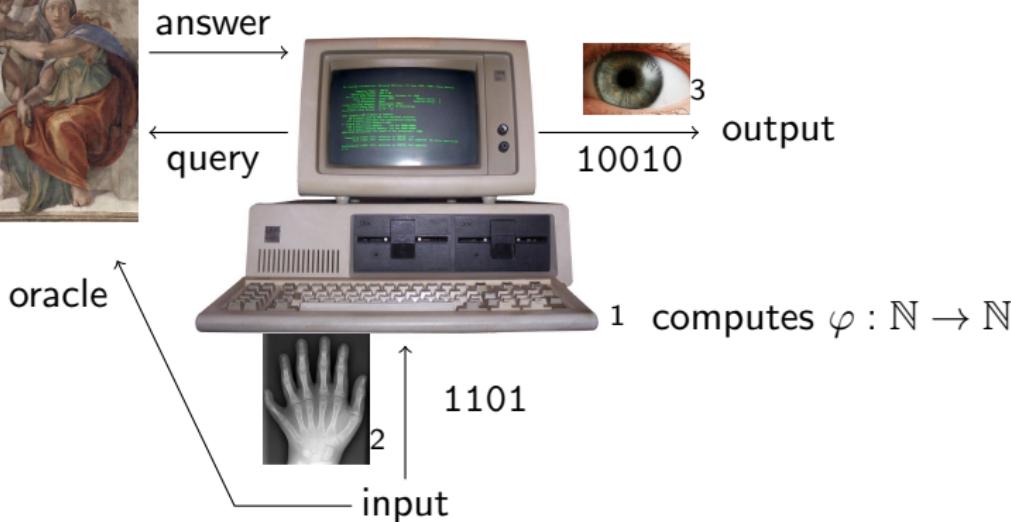
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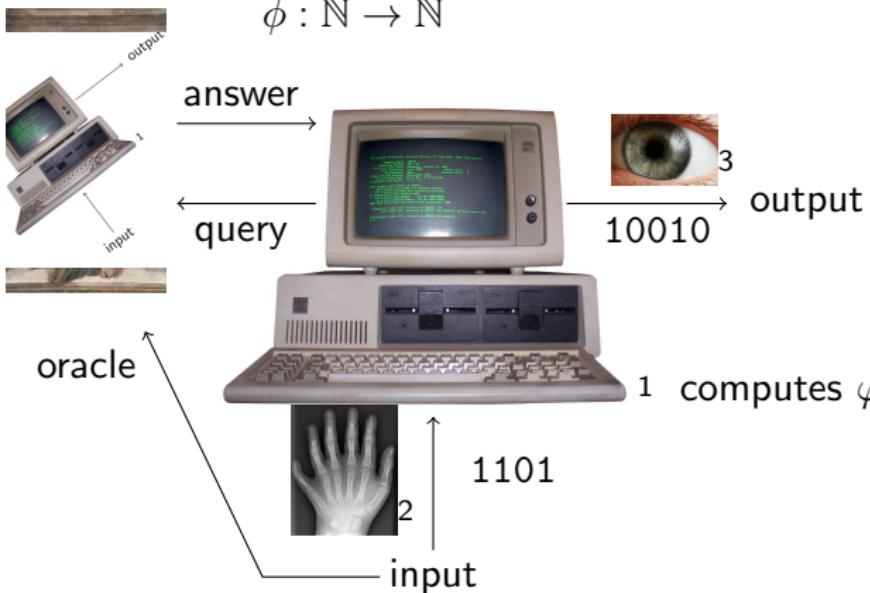


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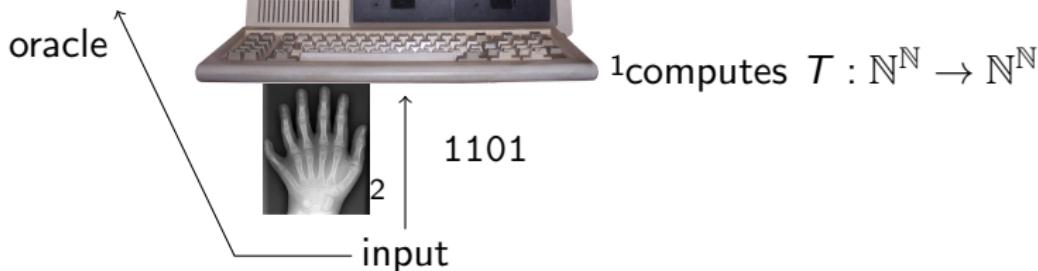
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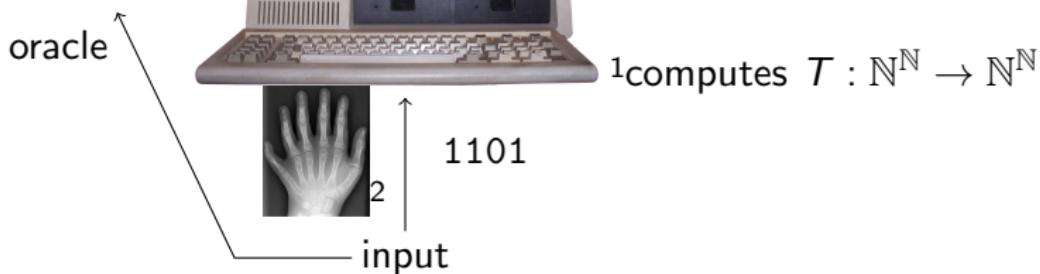
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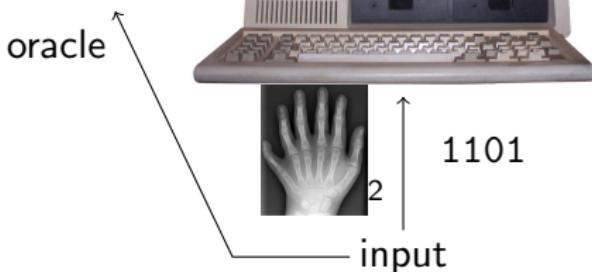
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answer

query



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output

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input

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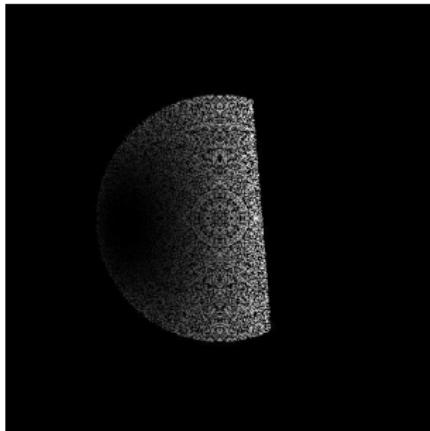
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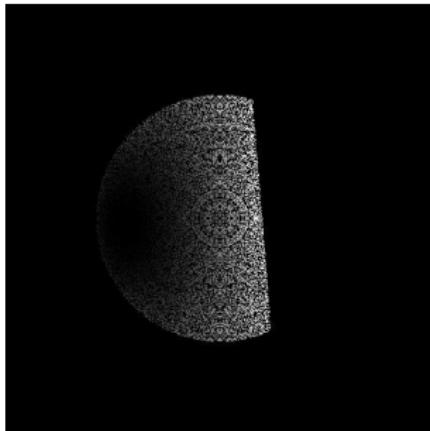
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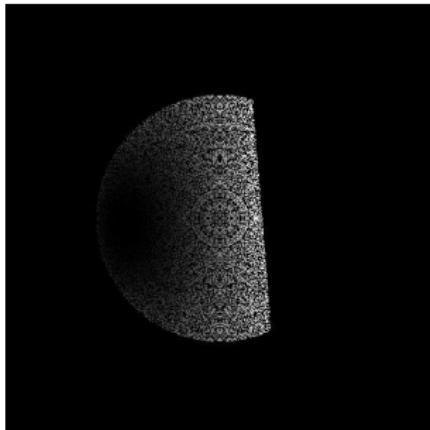
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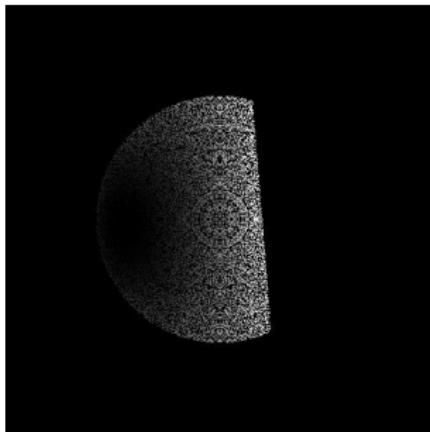
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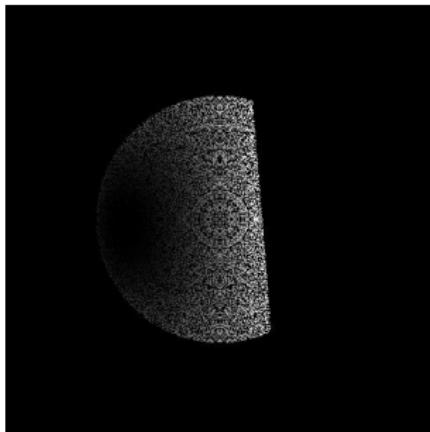
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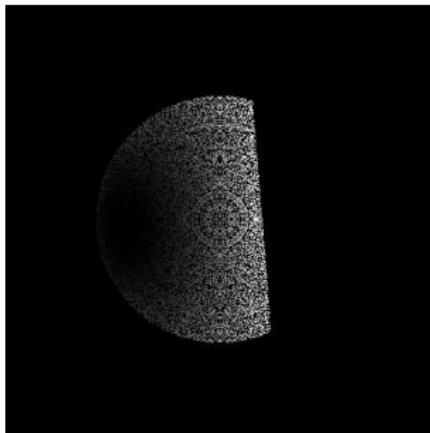


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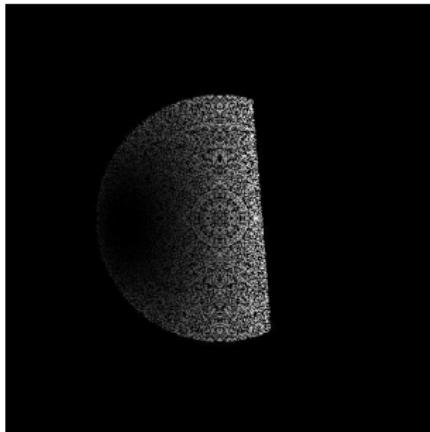


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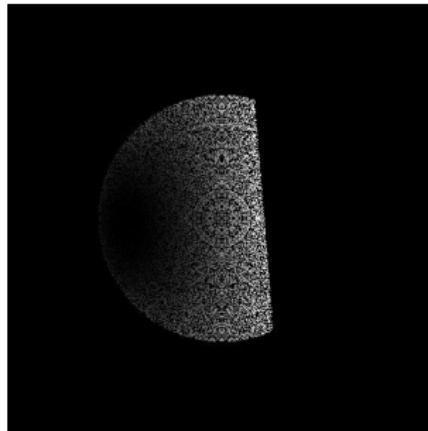


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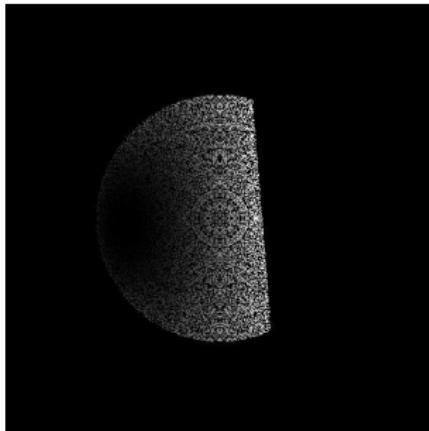
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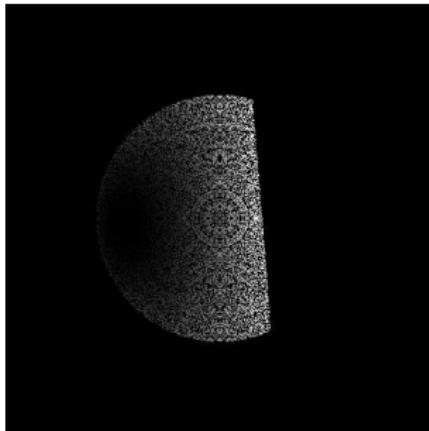
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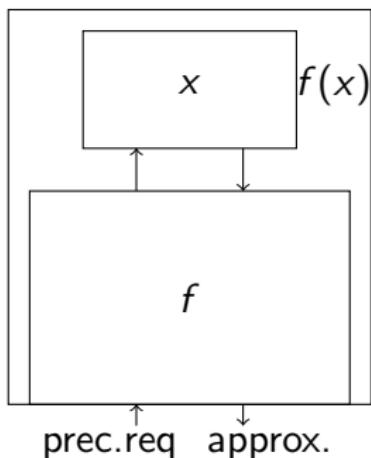
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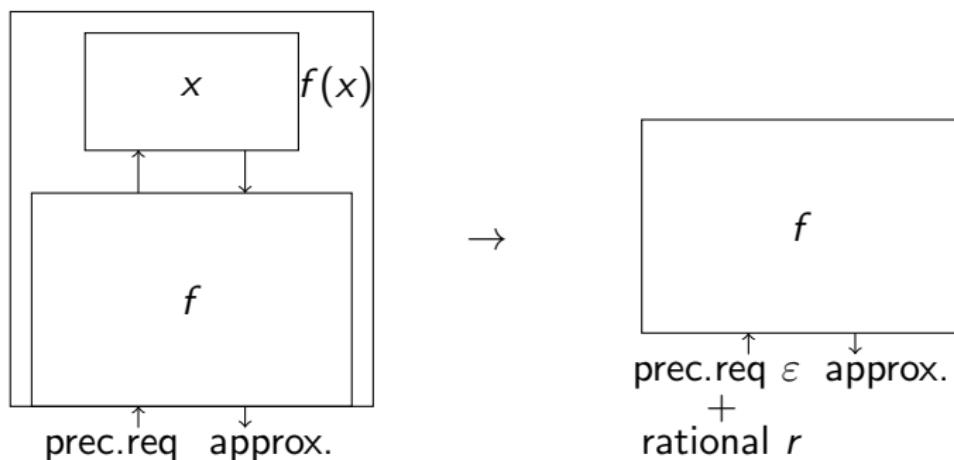
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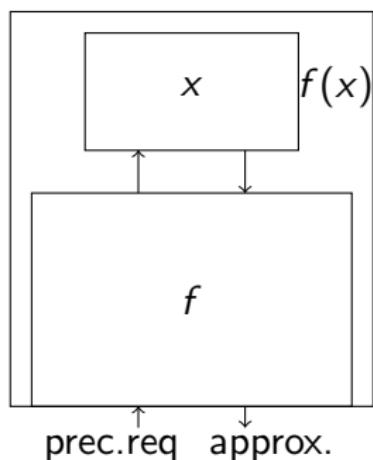
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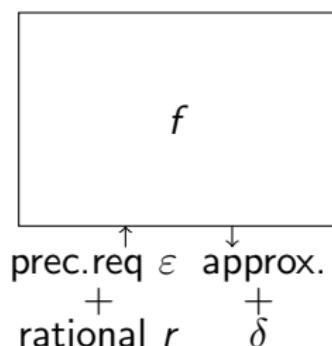
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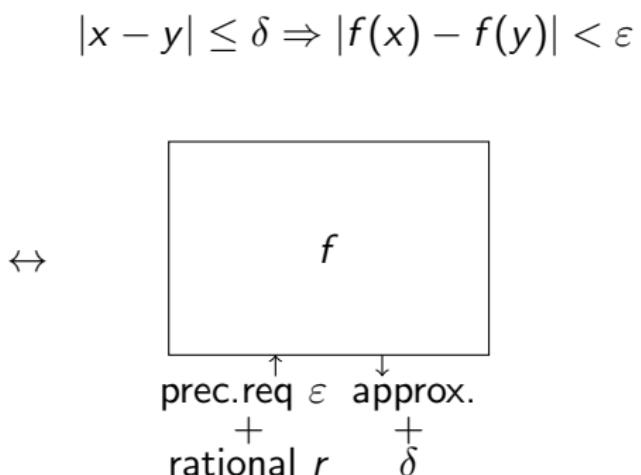
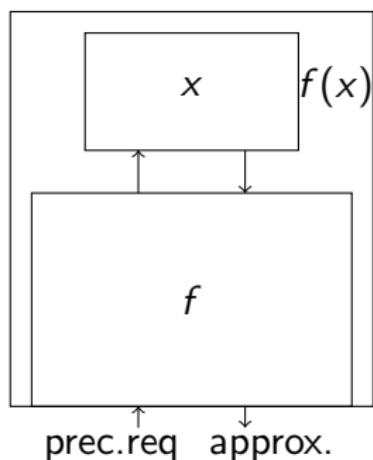
$$|x - y| \leq \delta \Rightarrow |f(x) - f(y)| < \varepsilon$$

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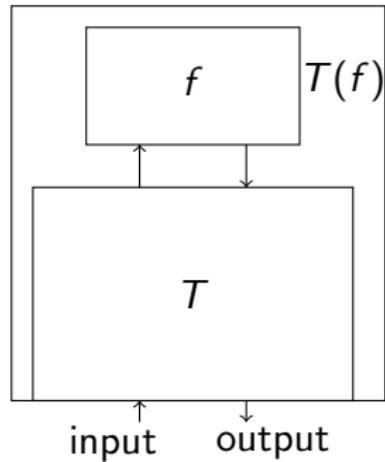
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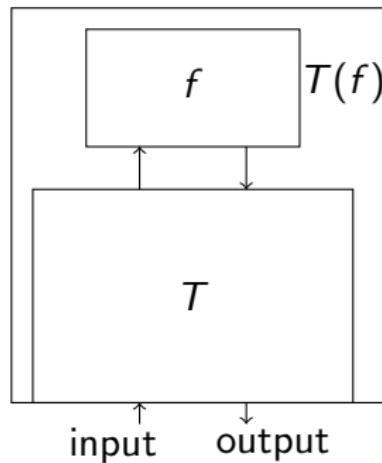
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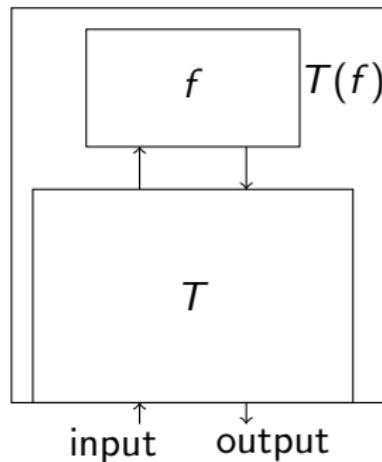


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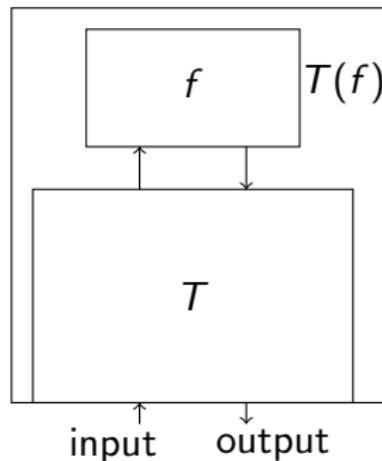
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## Theorem (Pour-El, Richards 1989)

*There is a computable function  $f$  such that the solution of the wave equation*

$$\Delta u = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2}$$

$$u(0) = f$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = 0$$

*is not computable at time 1.*

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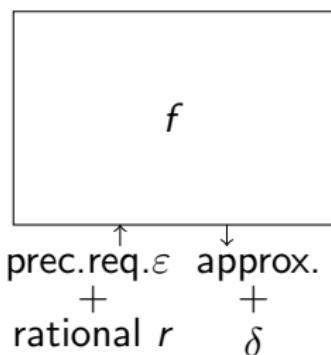
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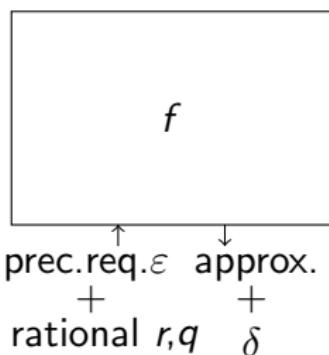
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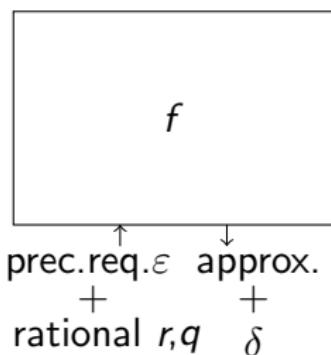
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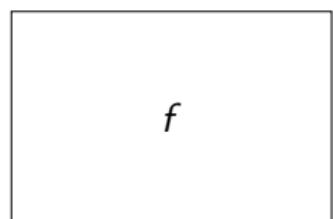


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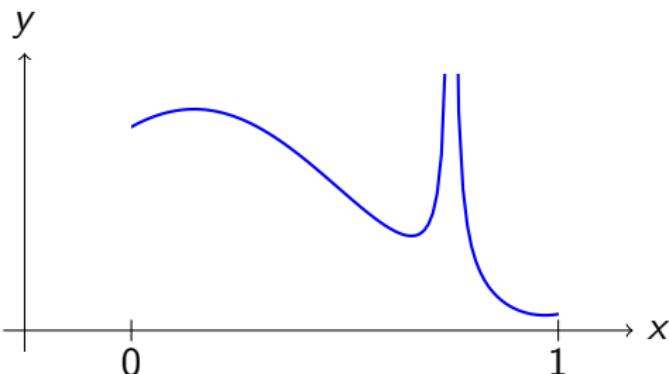
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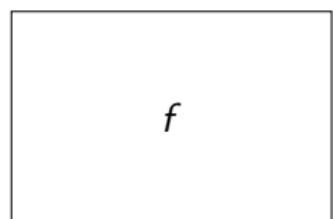


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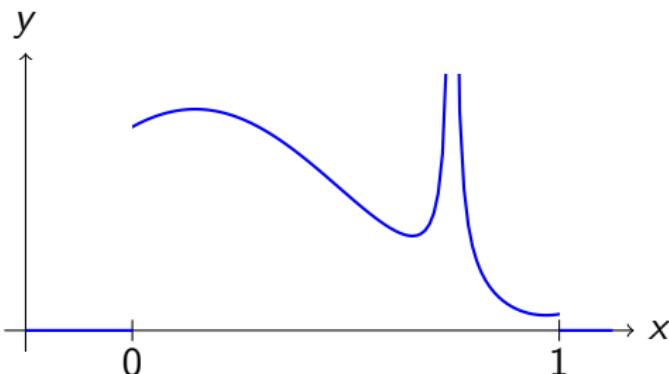
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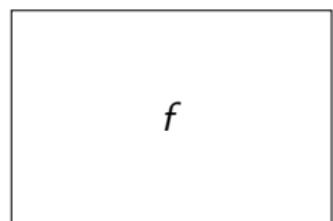


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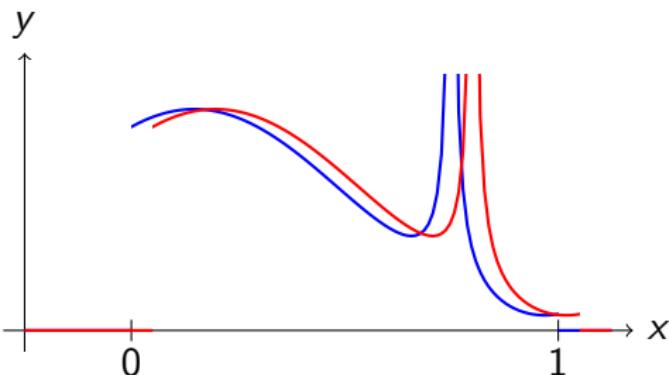
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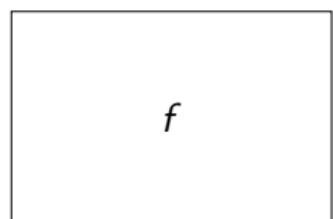


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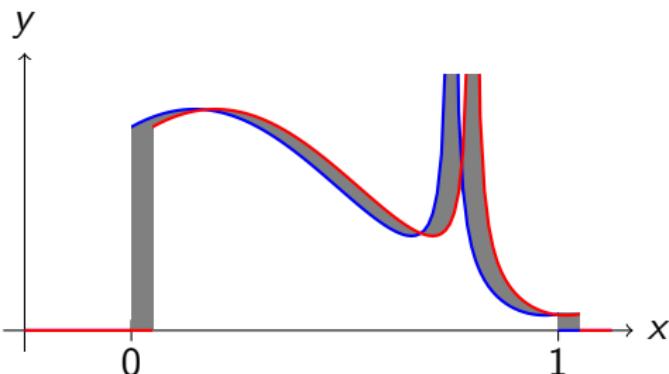
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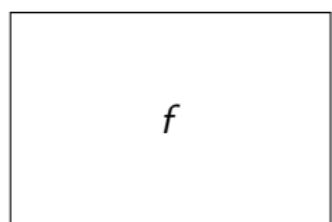


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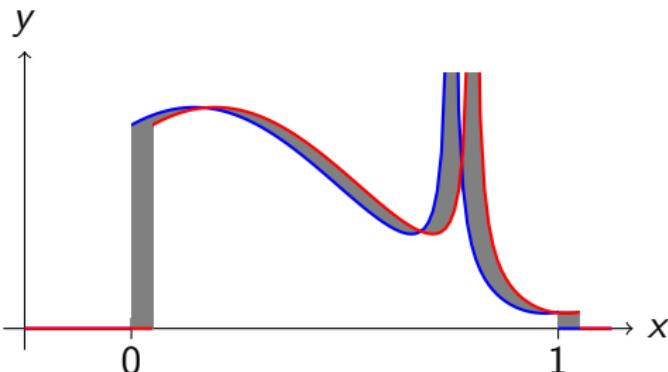
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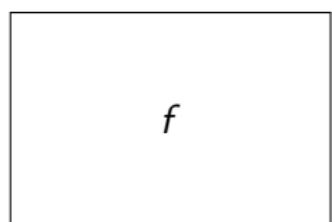


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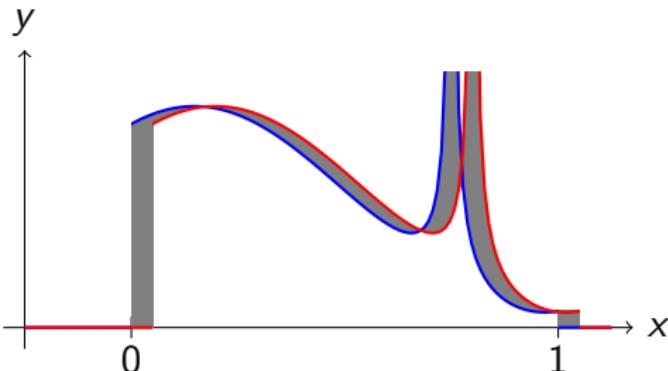
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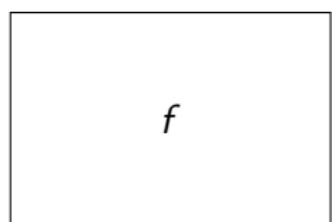
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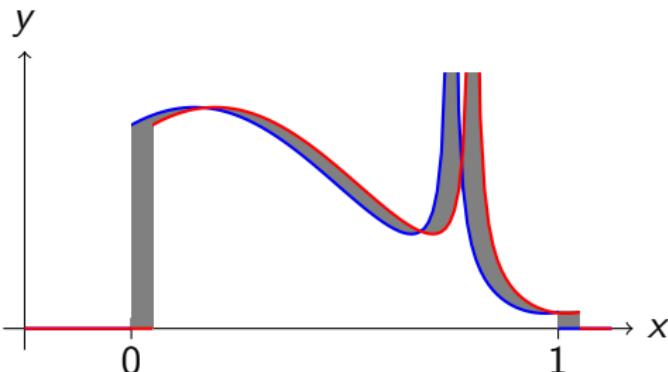
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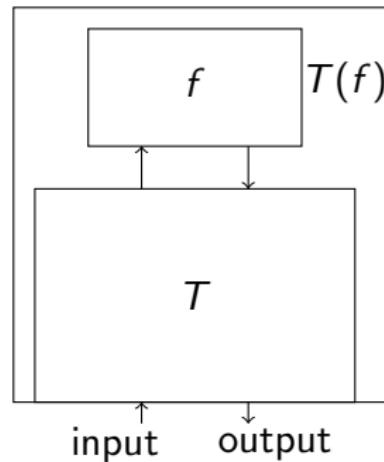
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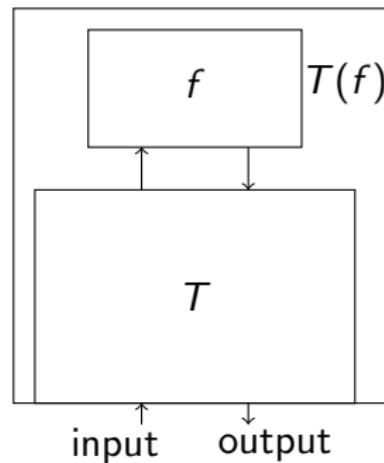
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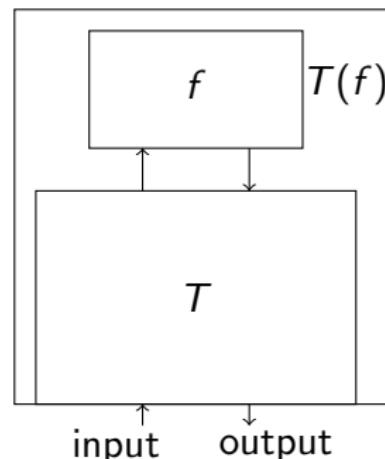
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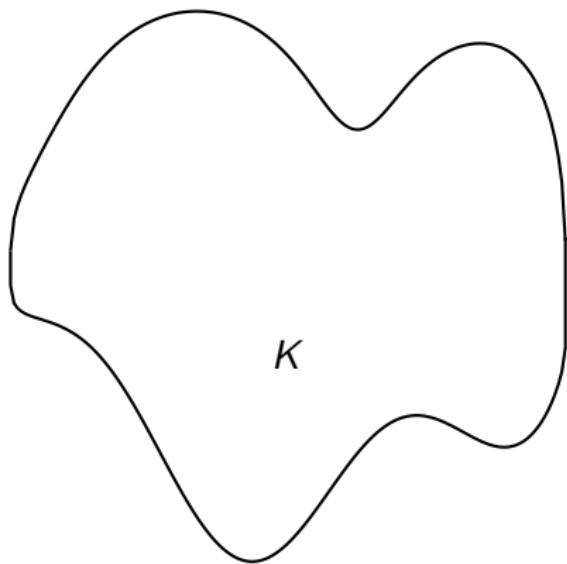
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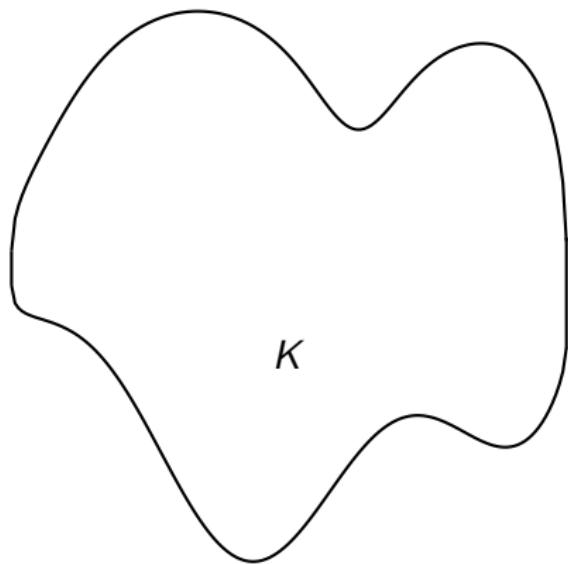
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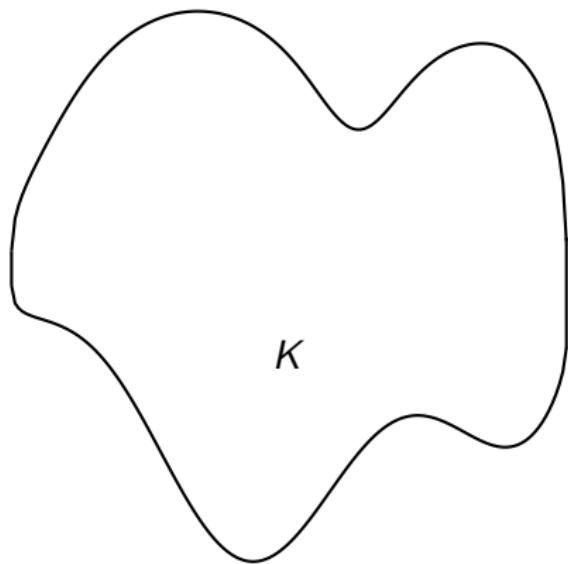


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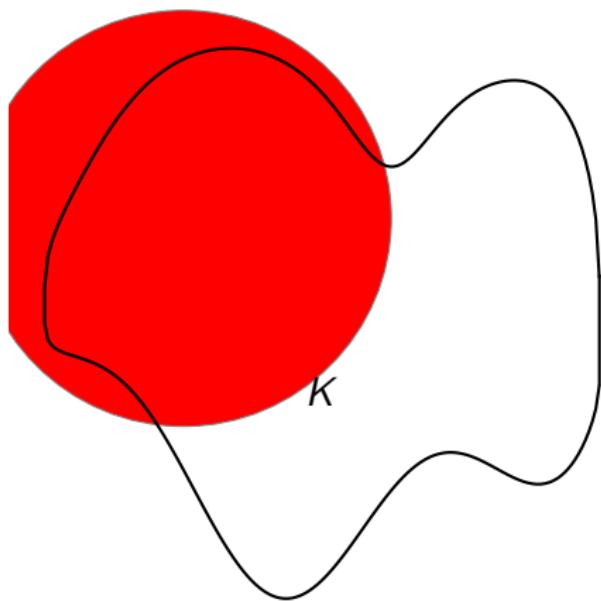


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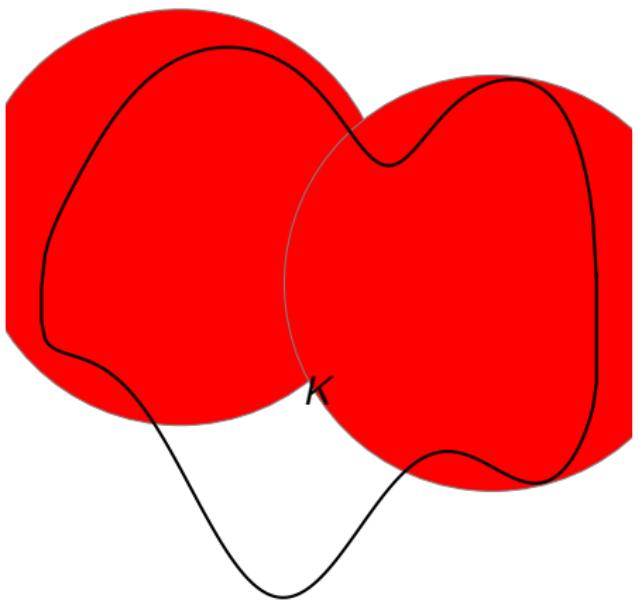


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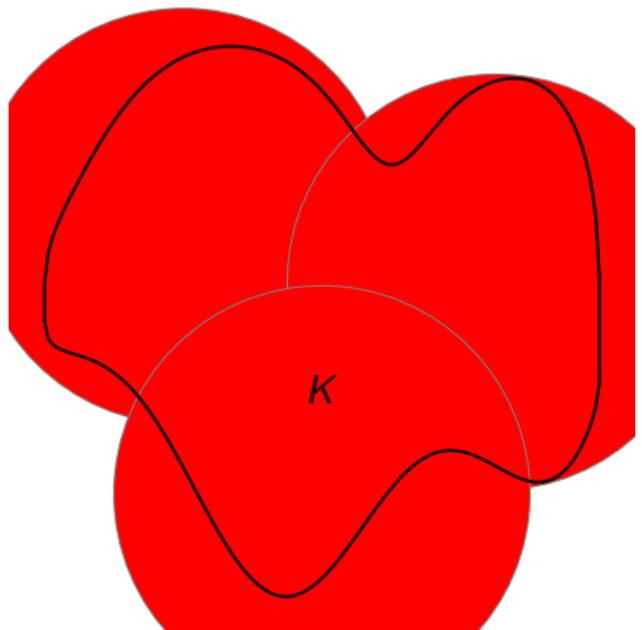
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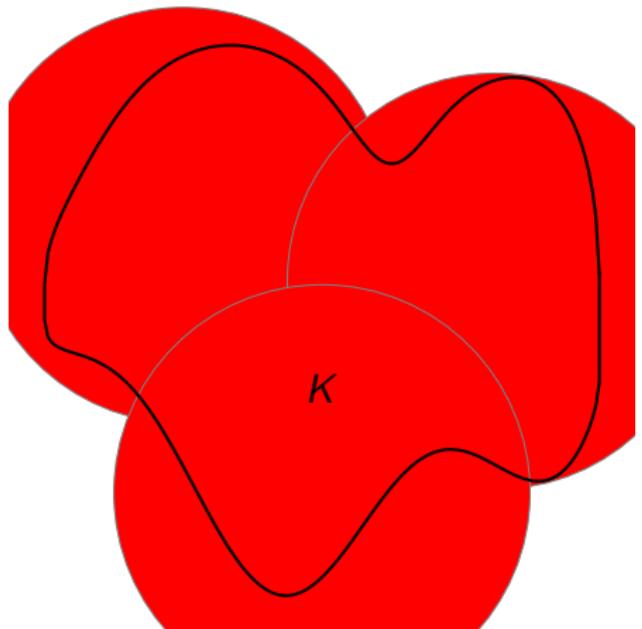


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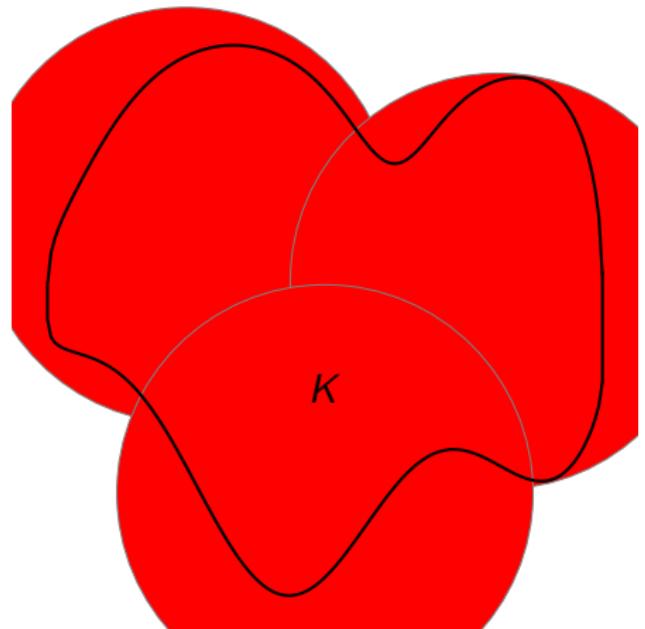
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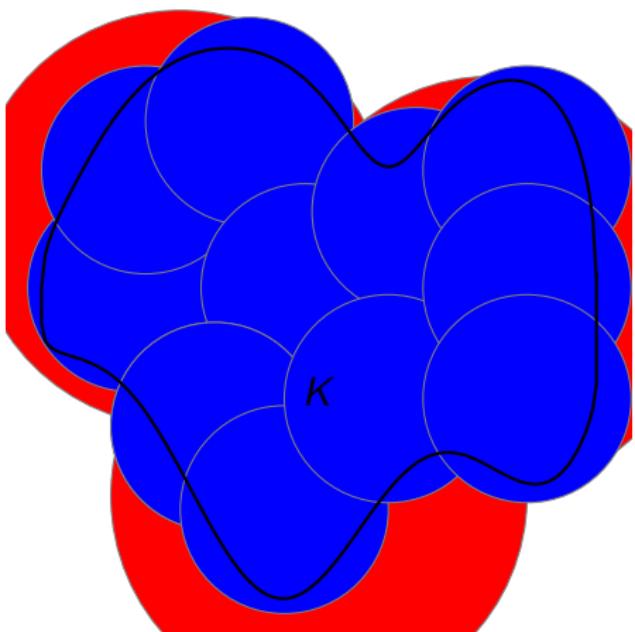
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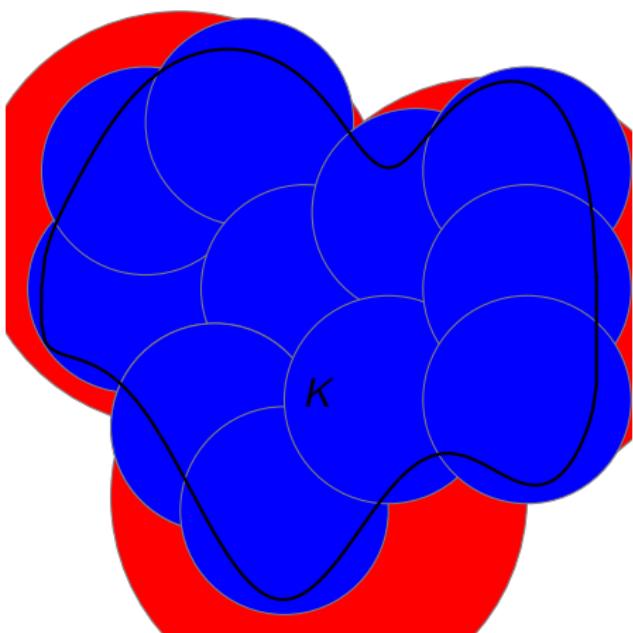
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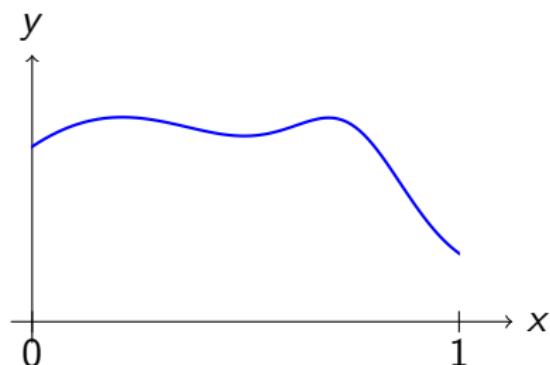
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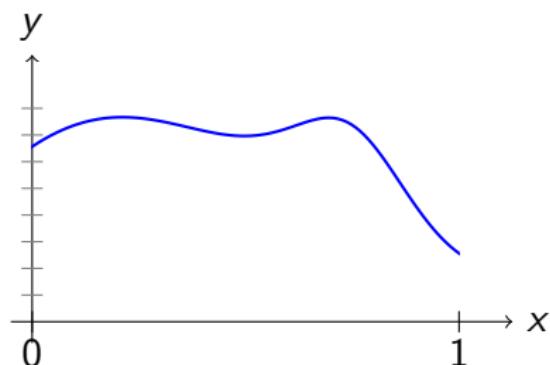


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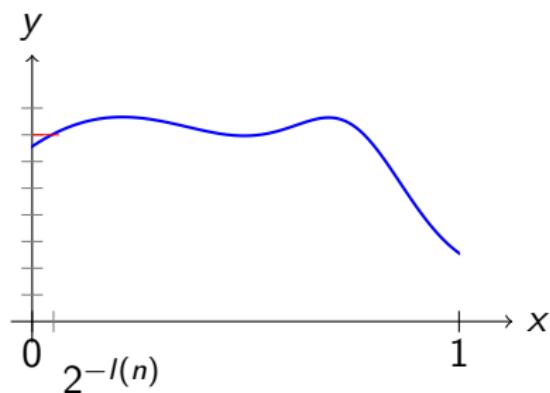


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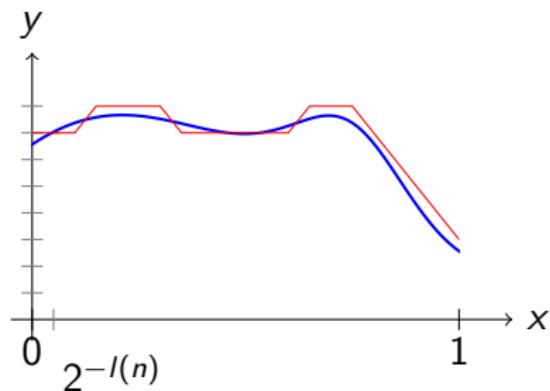


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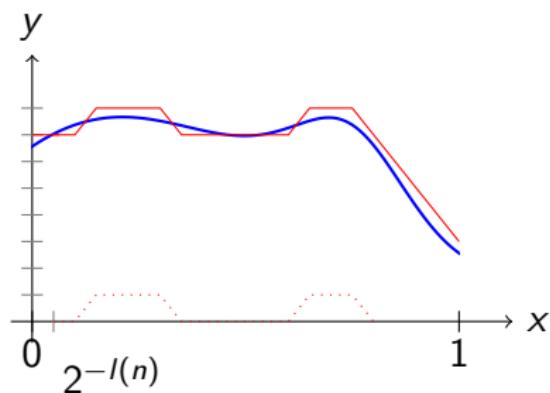


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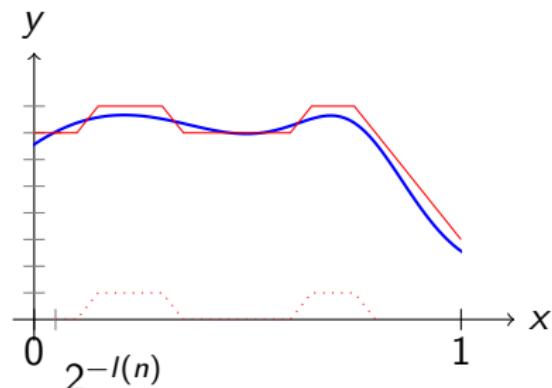


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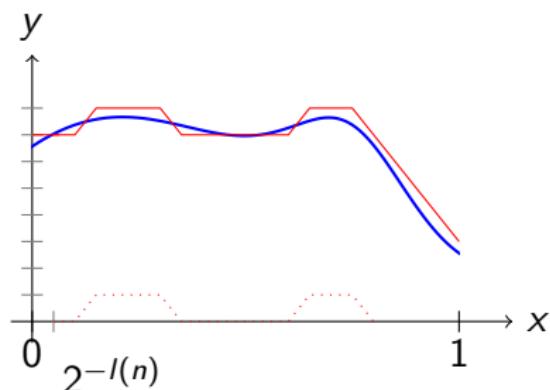
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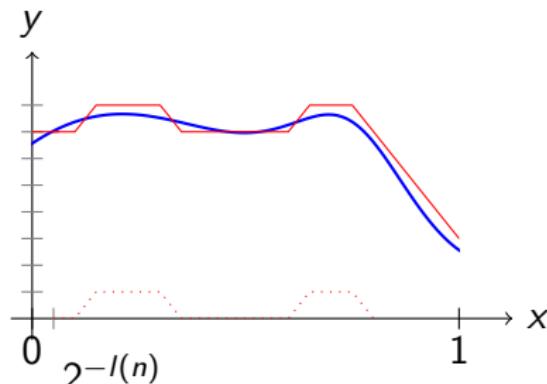
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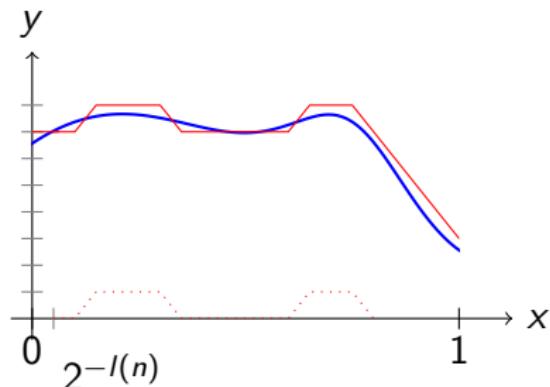
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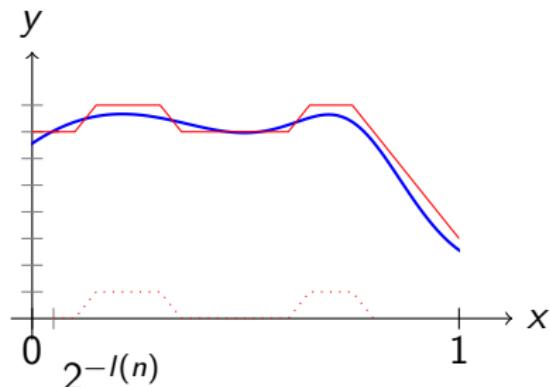
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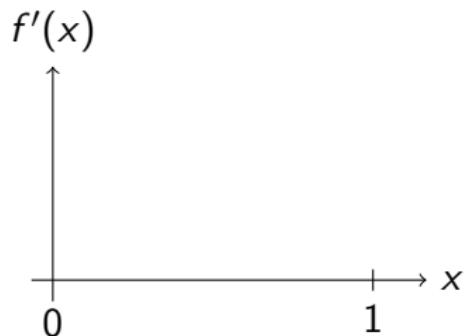
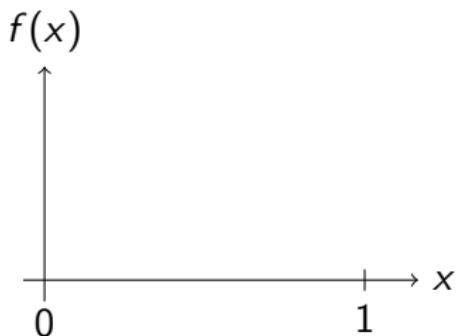
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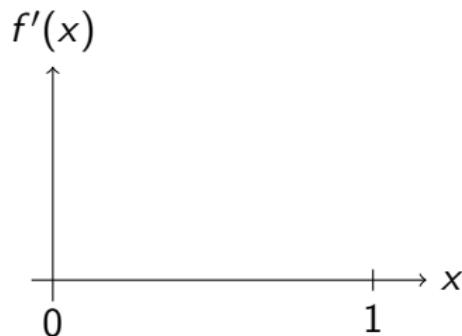
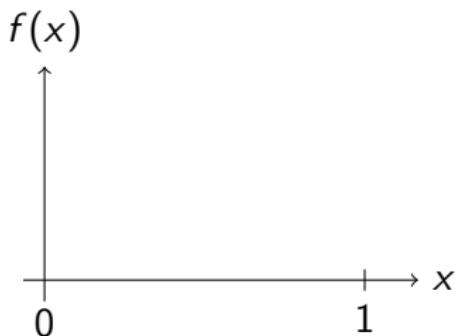
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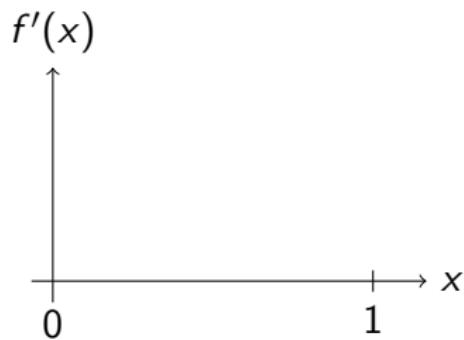
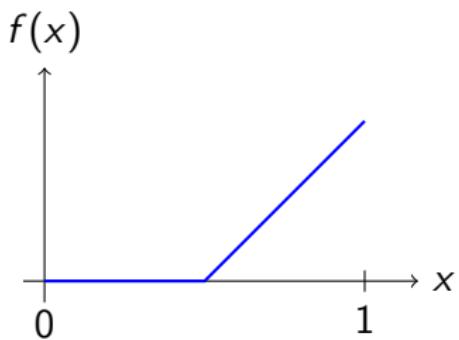
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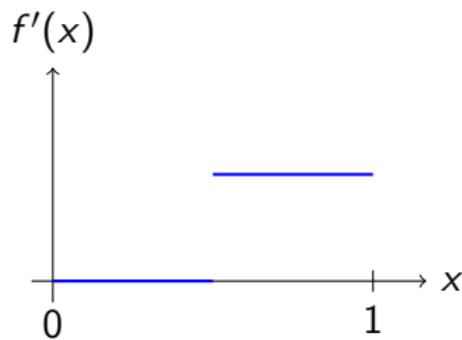
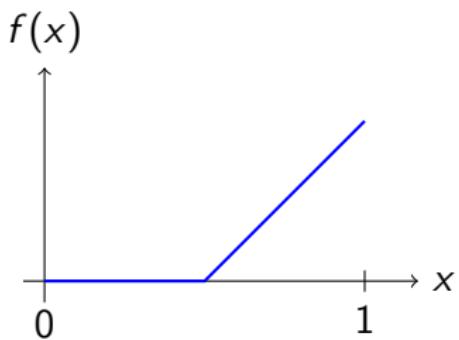
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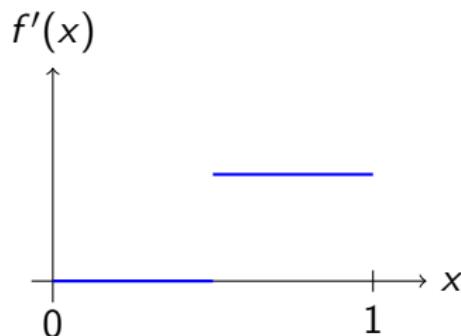
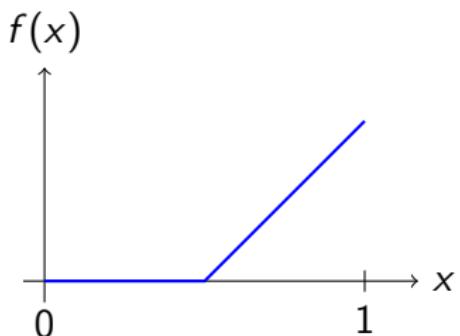
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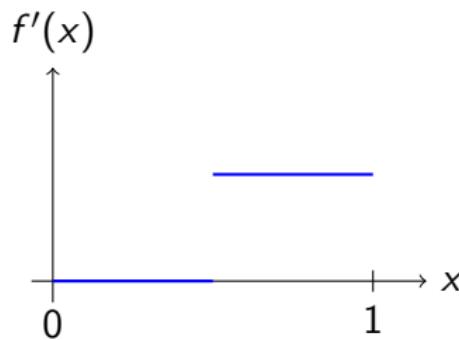
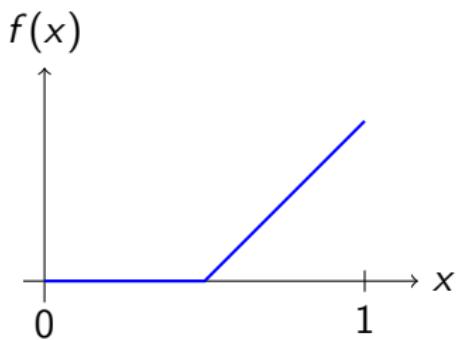
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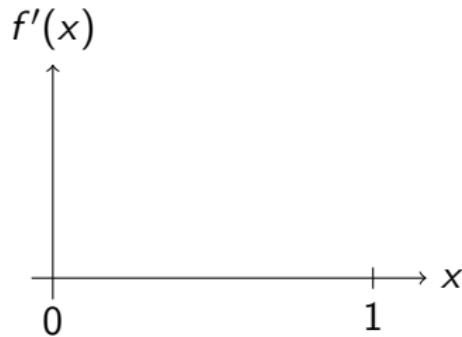
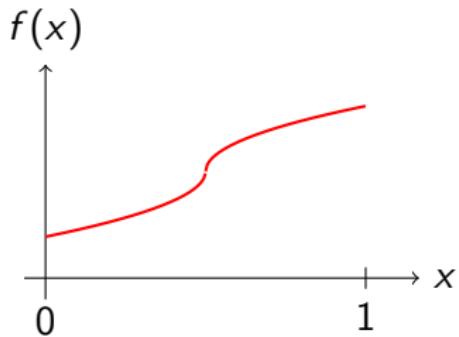
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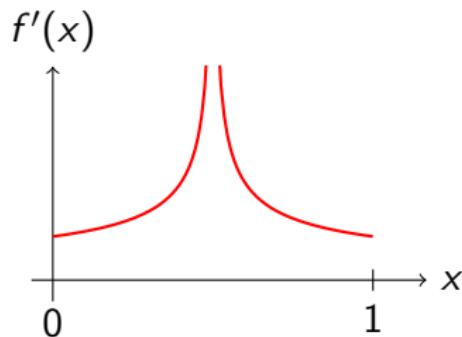
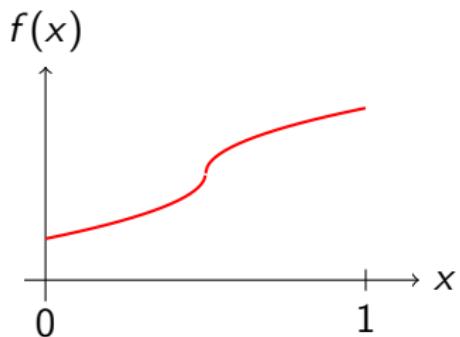
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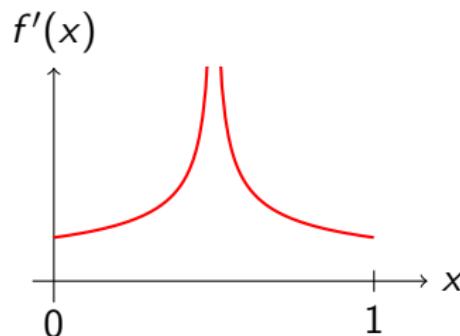
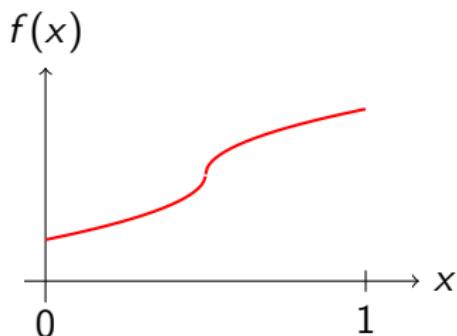


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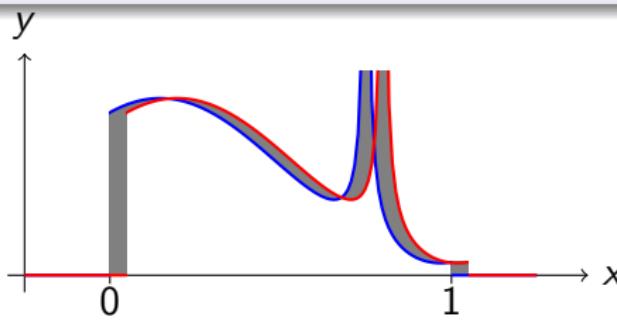
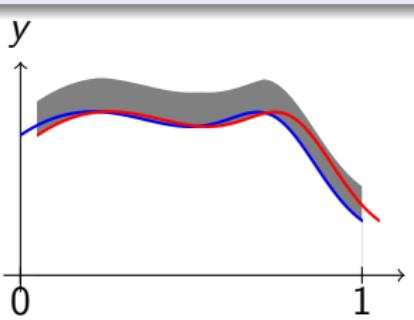
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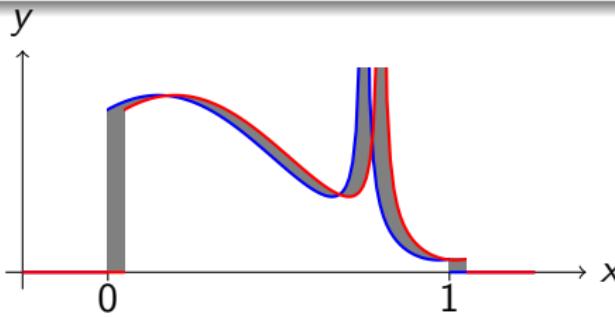
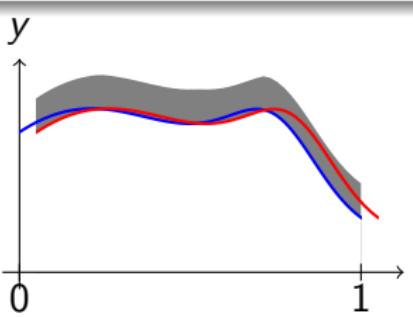
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