

Efficient Bounded Reachability Computation for Rectangular Automata

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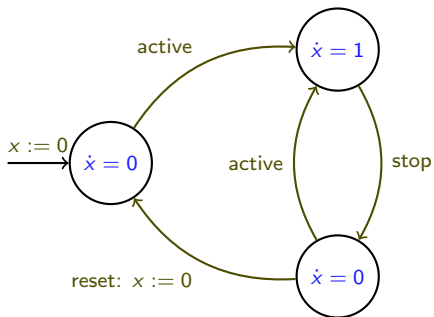
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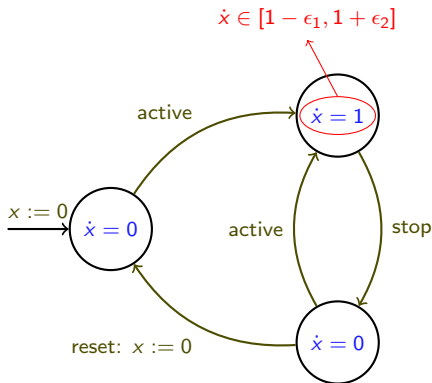
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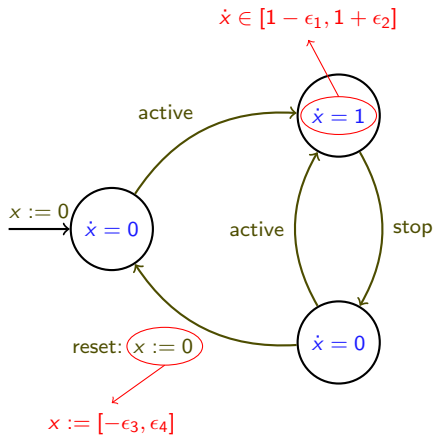
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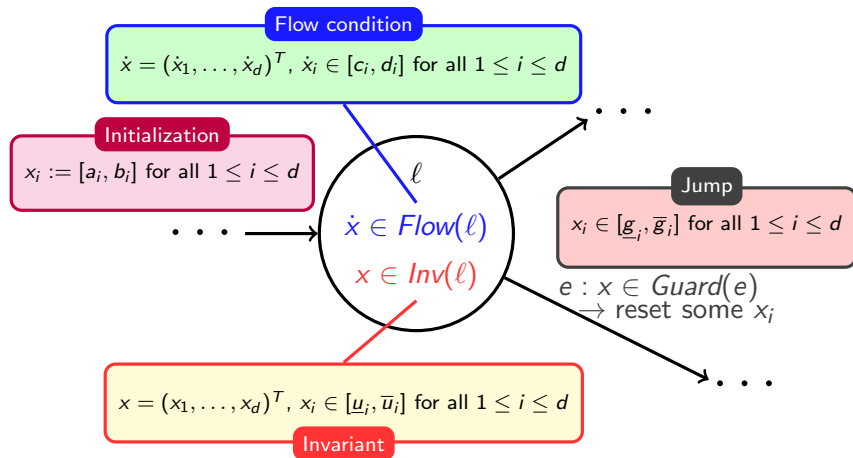
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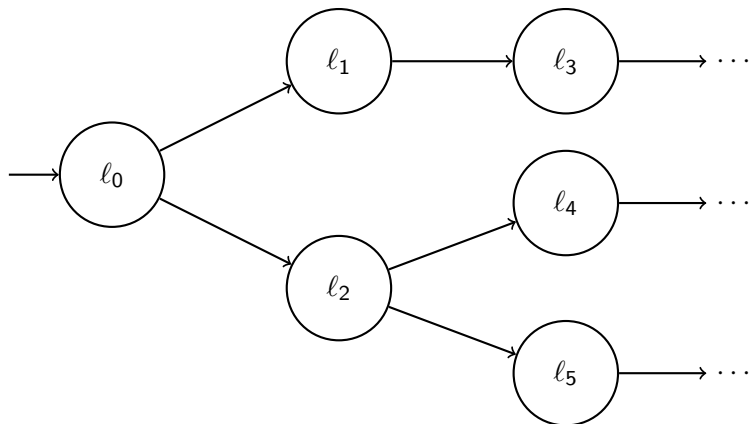


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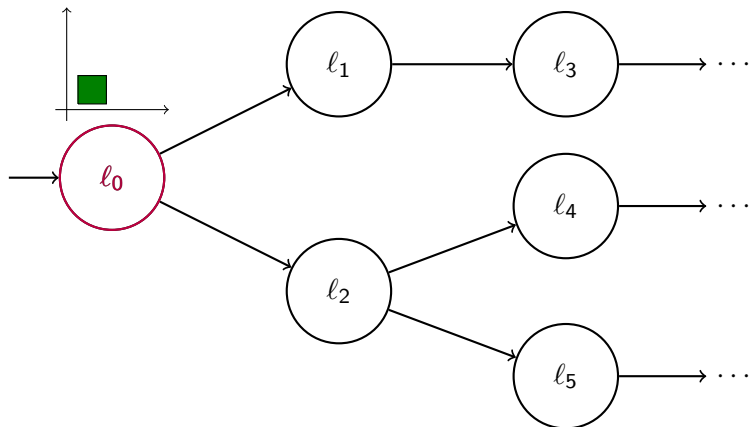


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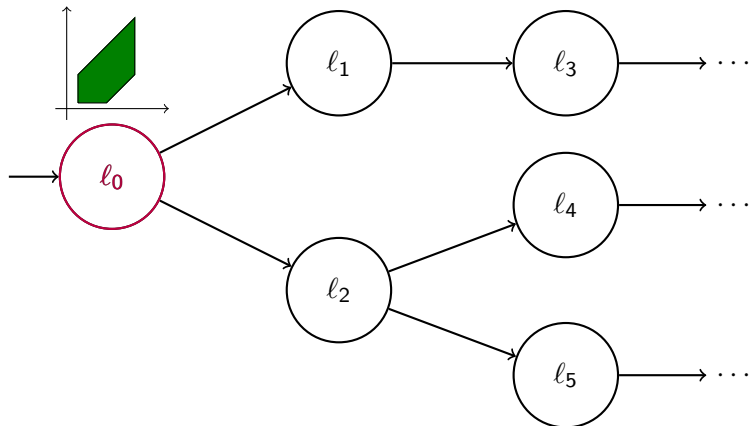
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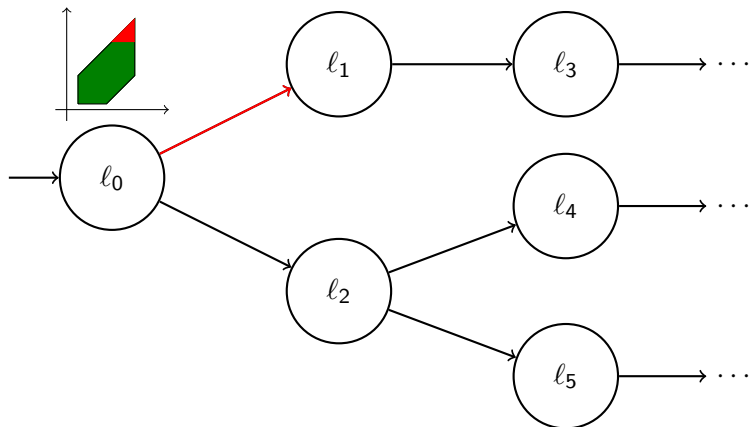
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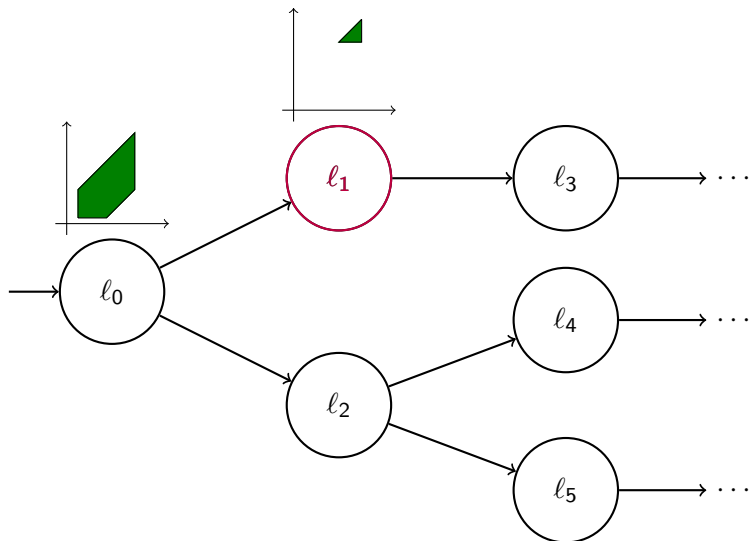
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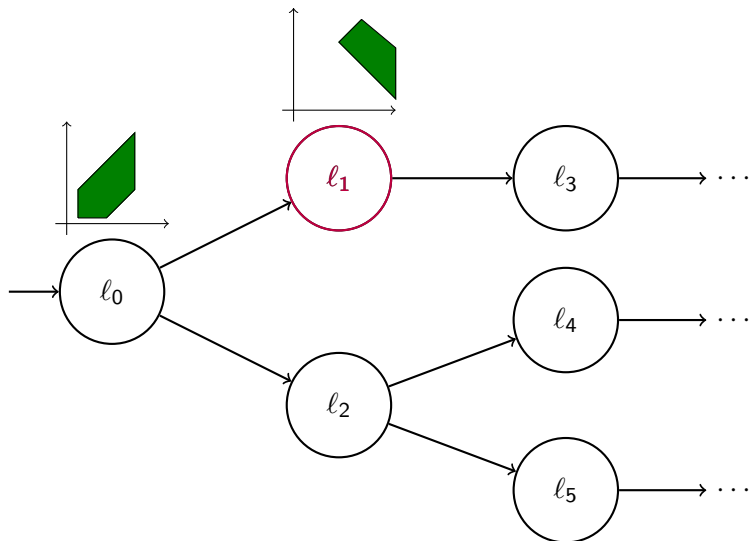
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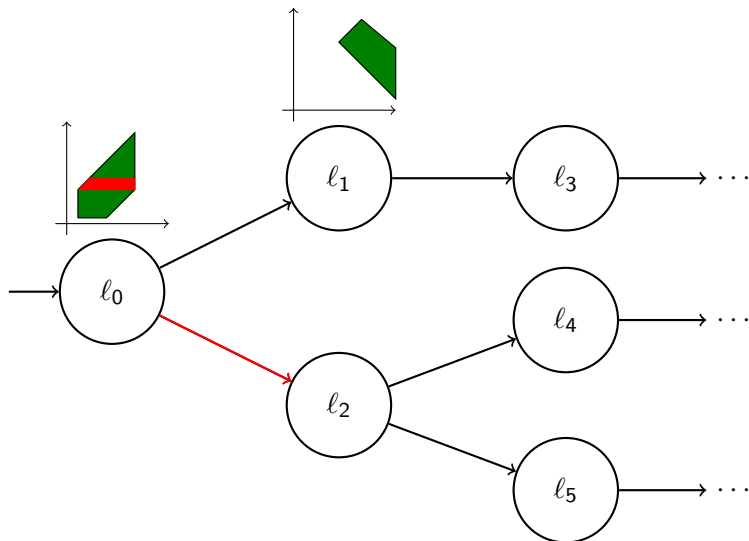
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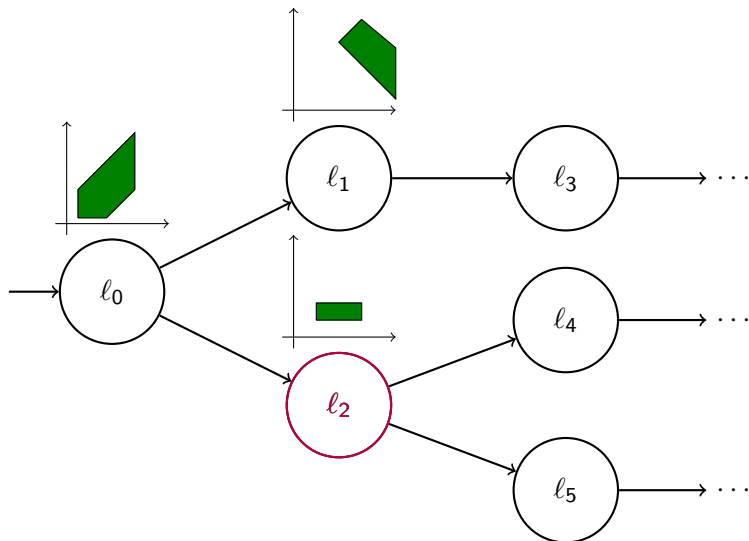
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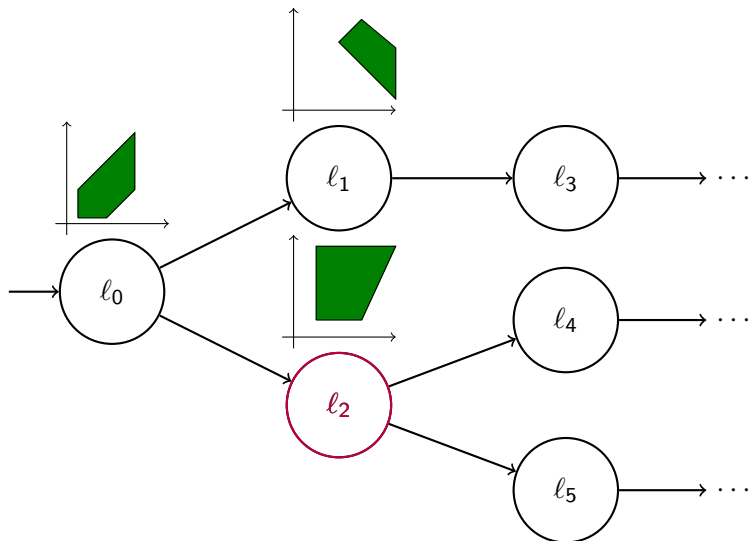
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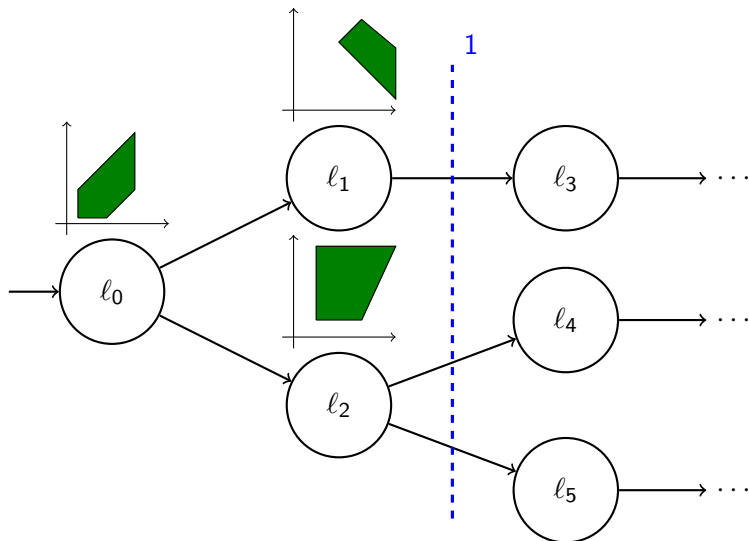
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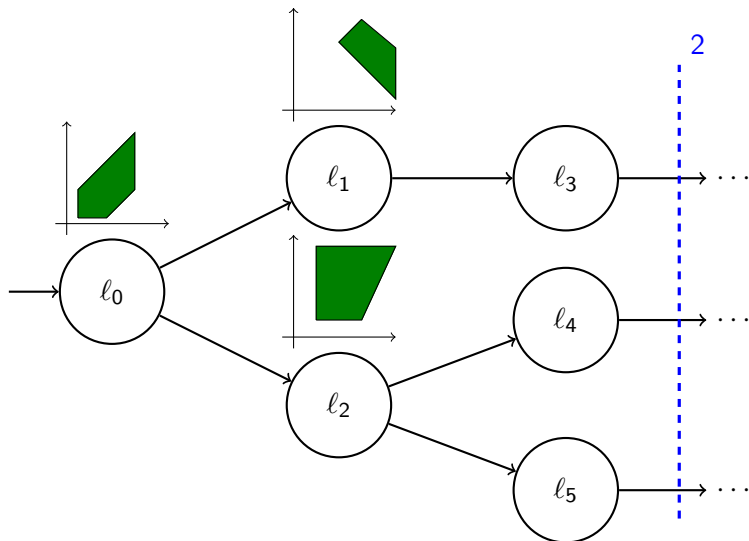
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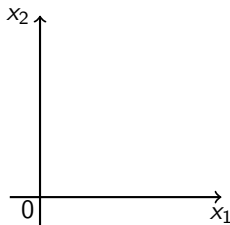
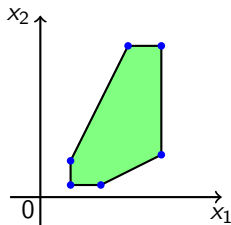
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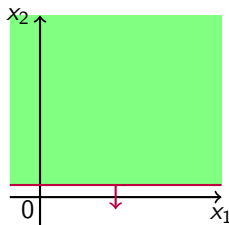
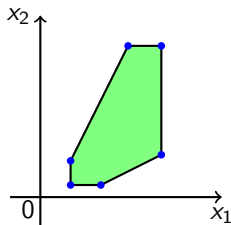
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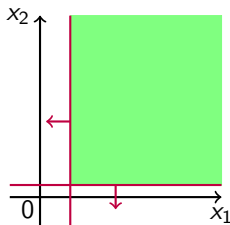
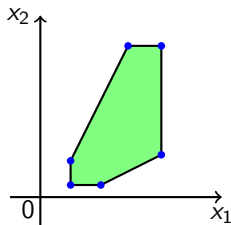
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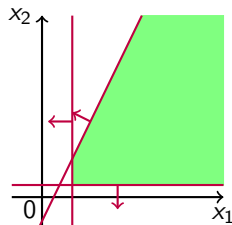
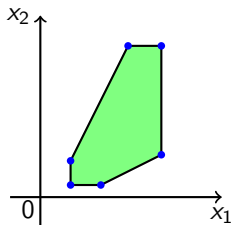
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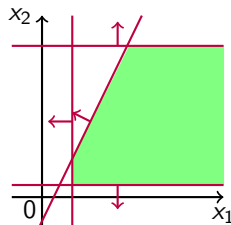
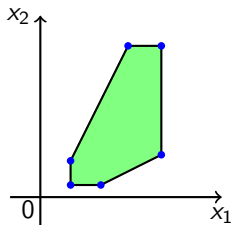
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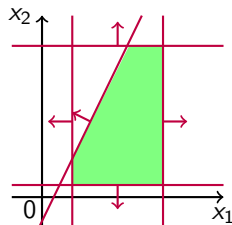
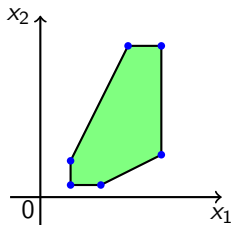
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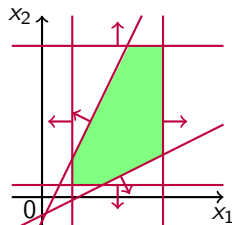
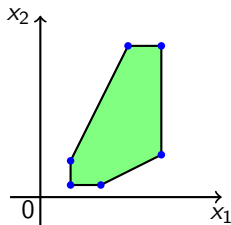
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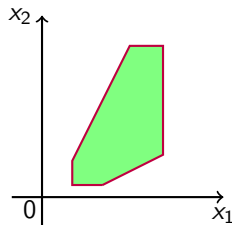
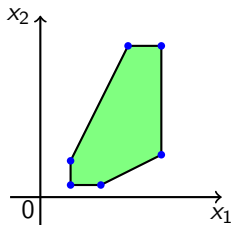
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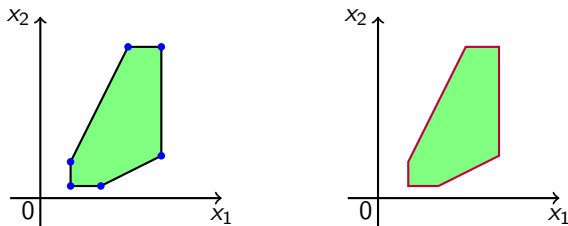
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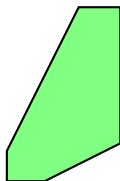
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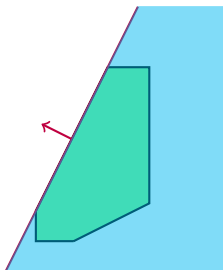
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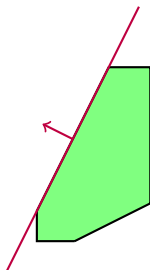
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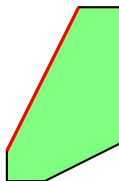
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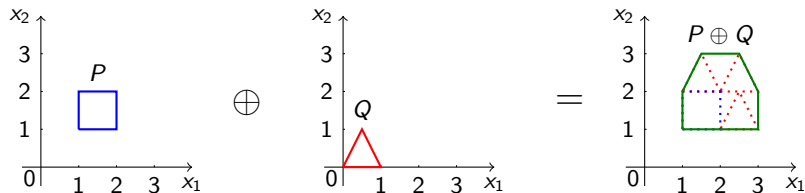
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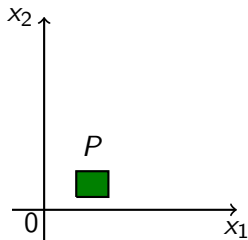
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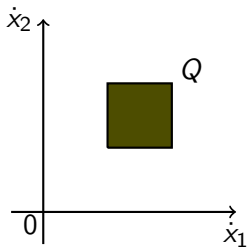
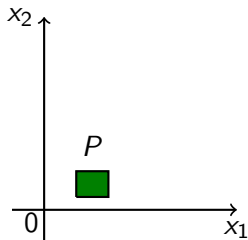
$$P \oplus Q = \{p + q \mid p \in P \text{ and } q \in Q\}$$

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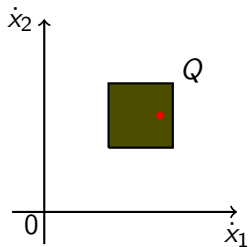
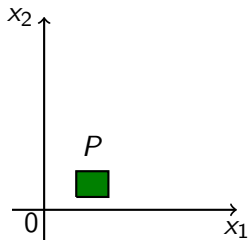
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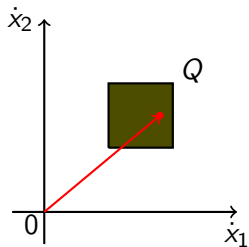
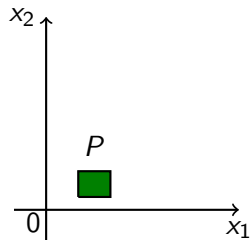
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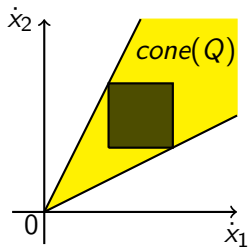
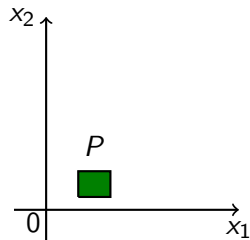
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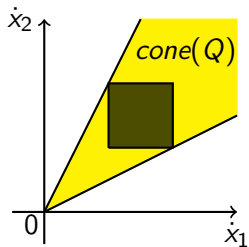
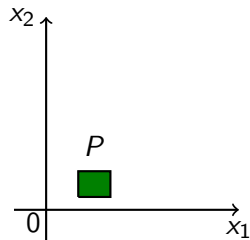
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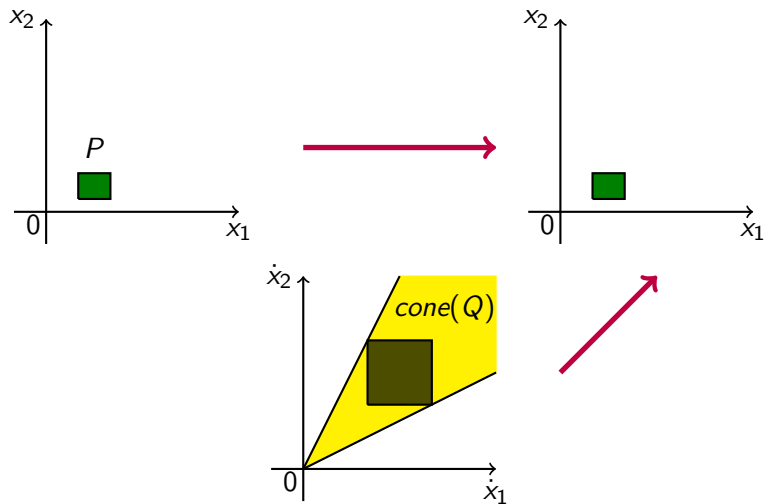
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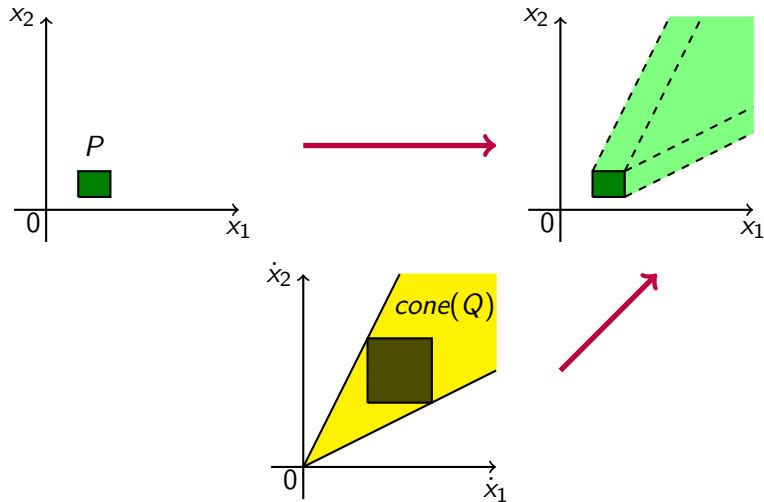
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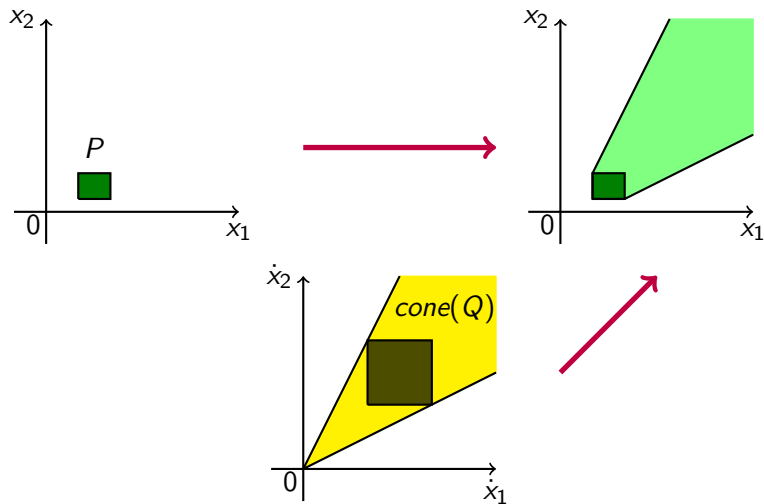
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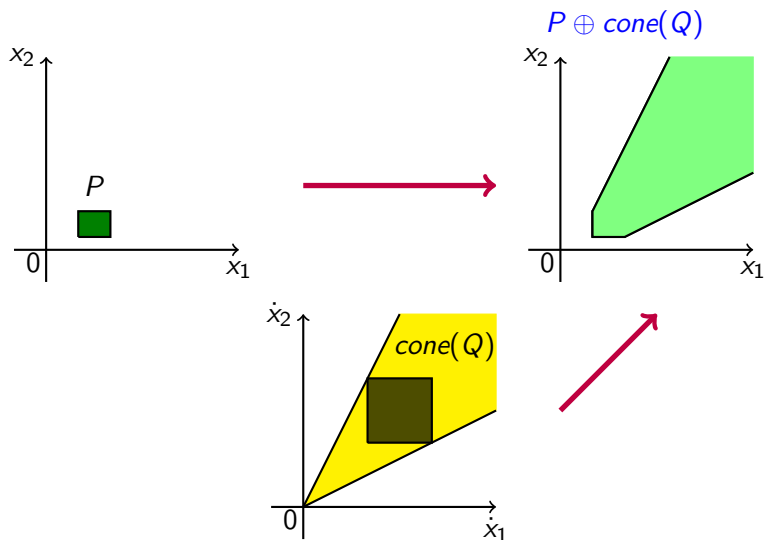
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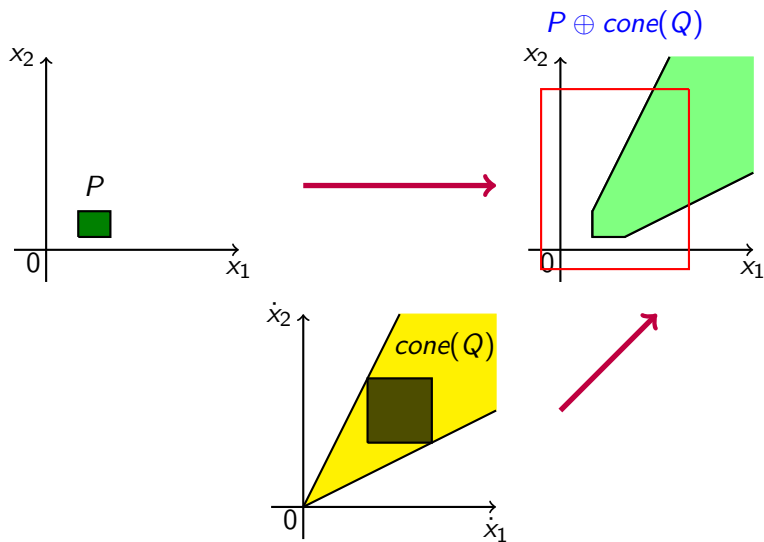
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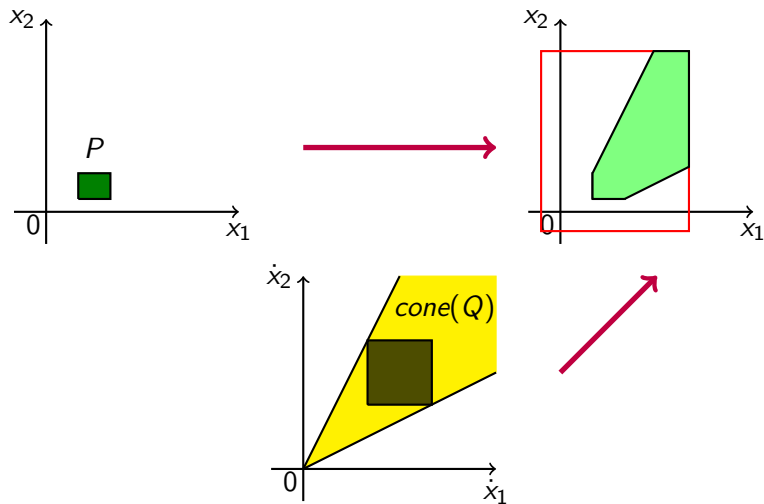
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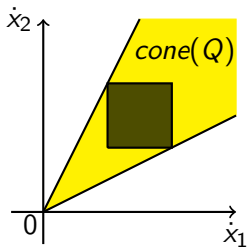
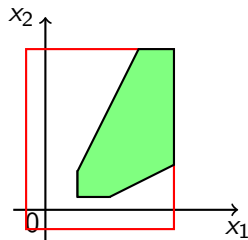
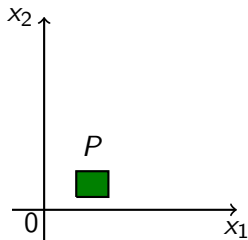


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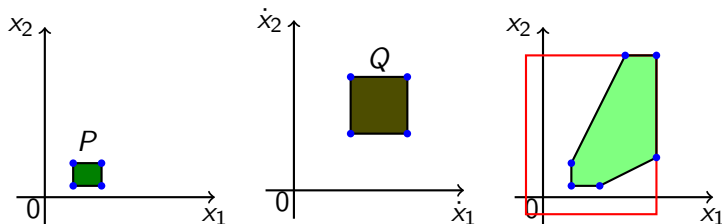
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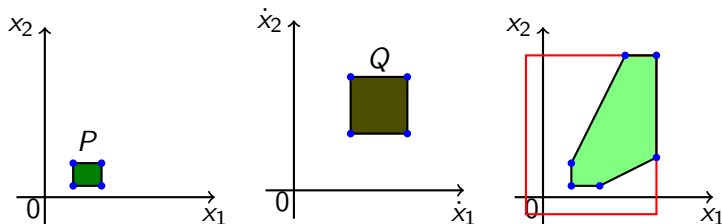
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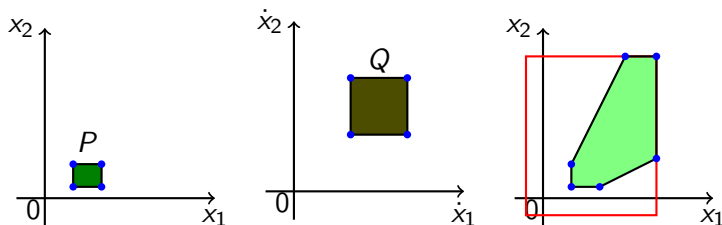


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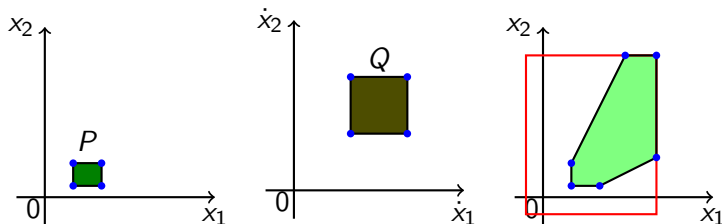


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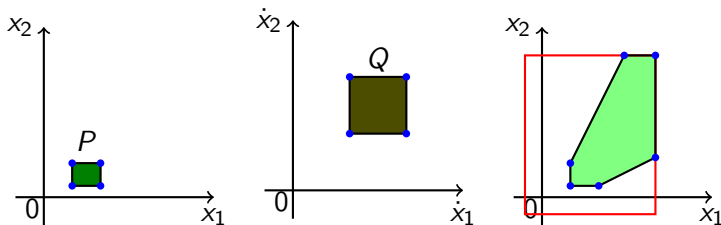


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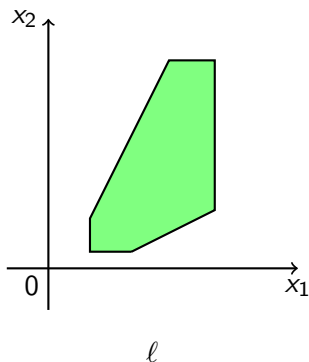
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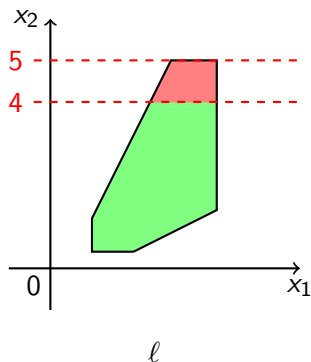
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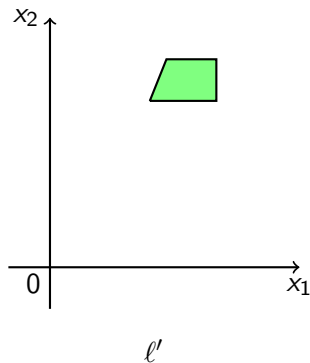
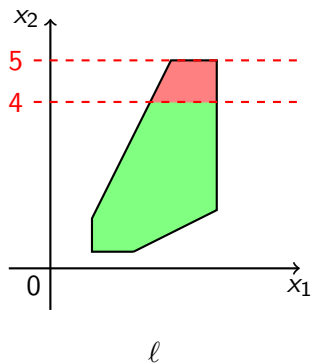
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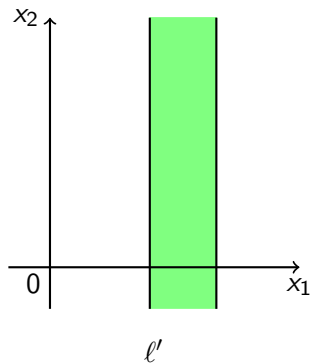
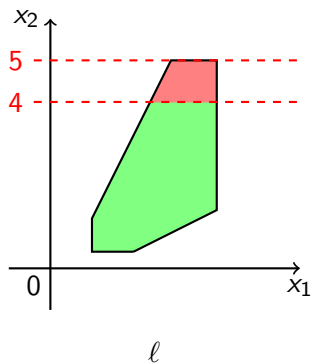
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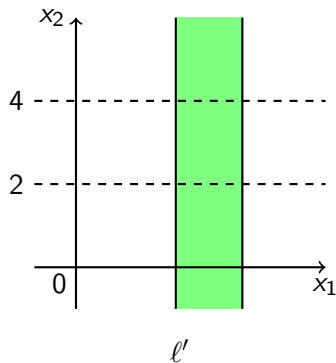
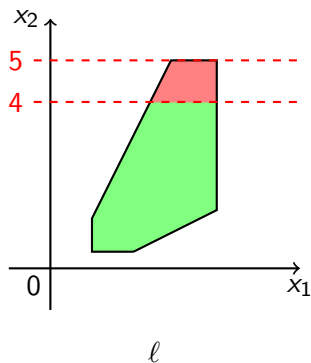
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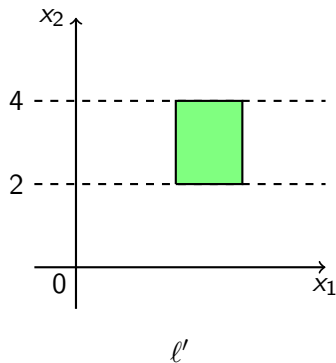
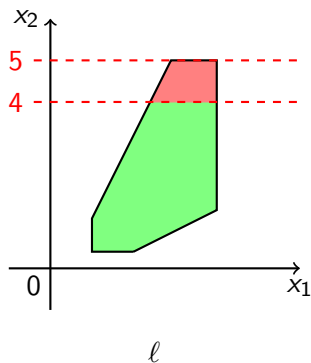
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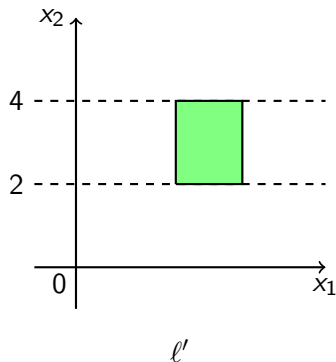
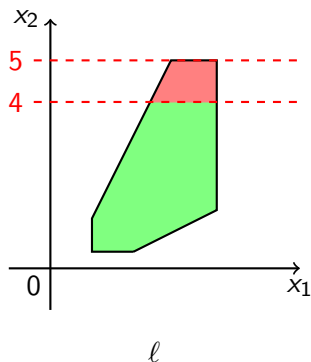
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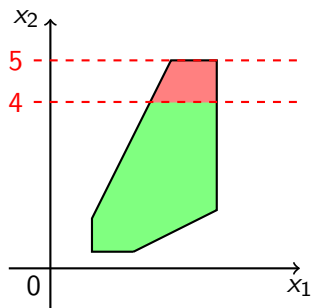


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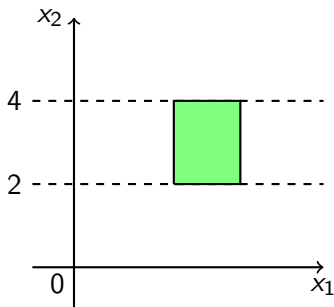


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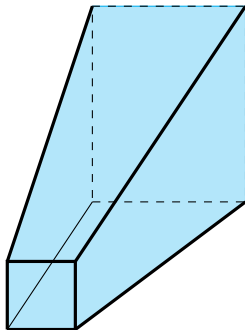
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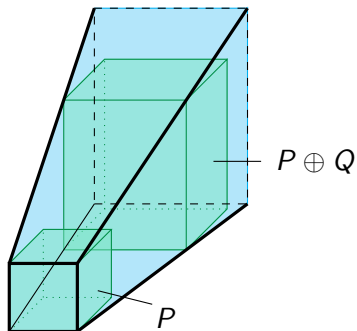
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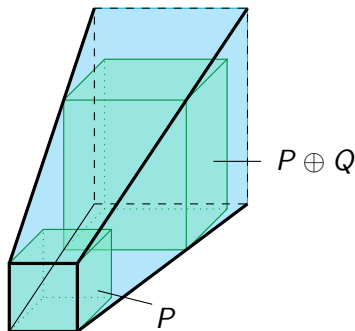
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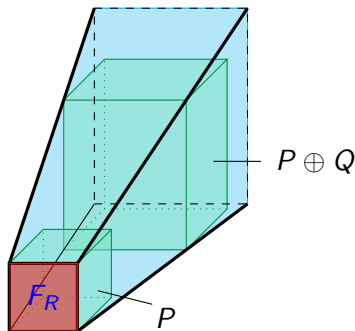
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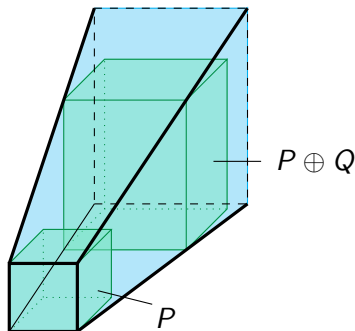
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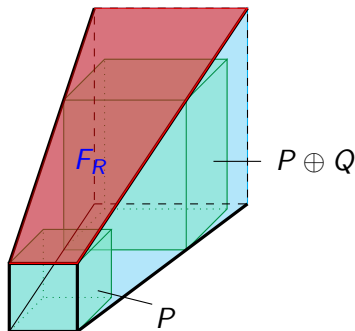
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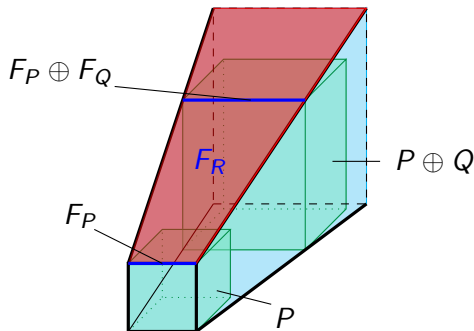
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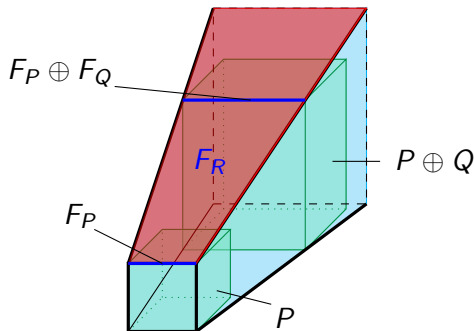
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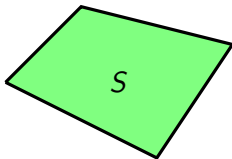
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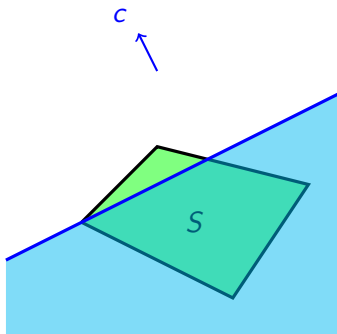
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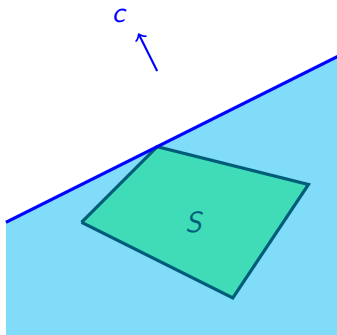
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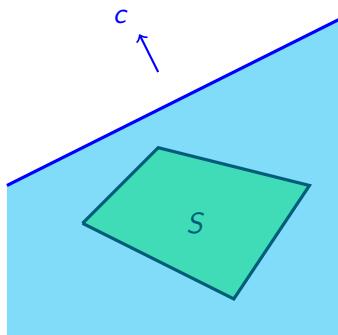
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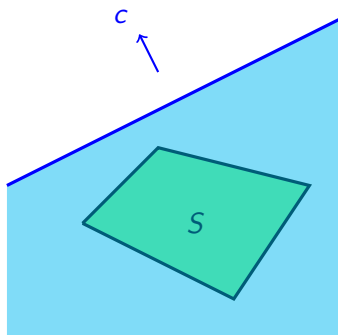
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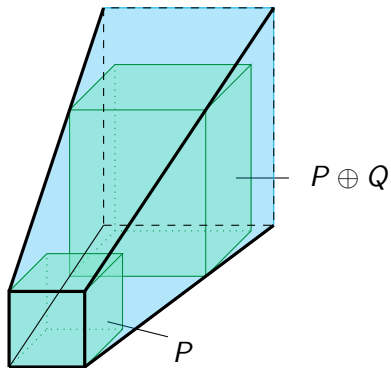
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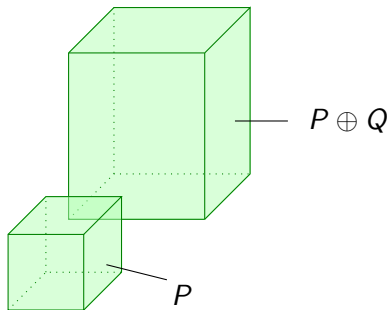
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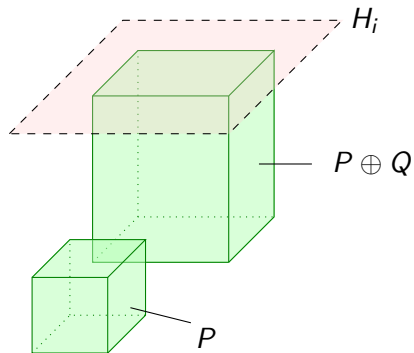
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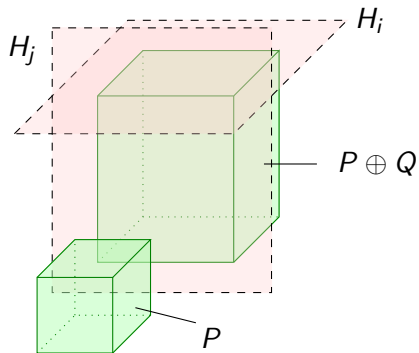
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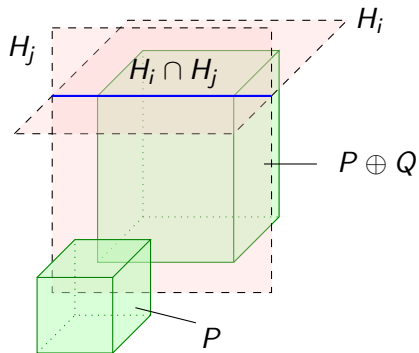
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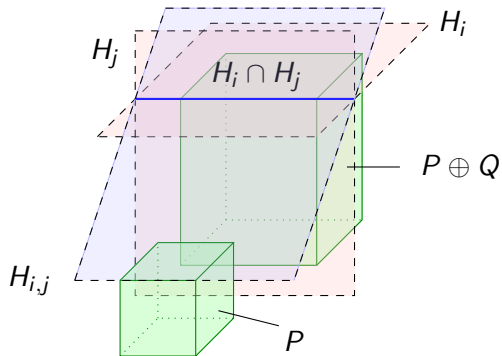
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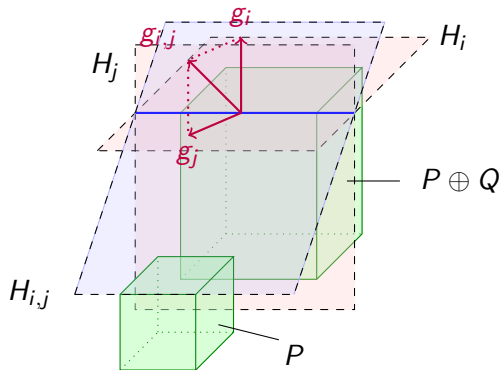
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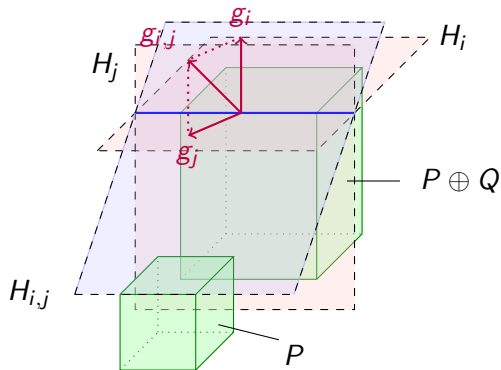


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Compute the reachable set after a jump

Assume \mathcal{L} defines the reachable set under a flow condition.

- 1 Eliminate all reset variables from the constraints in \mathcal{L} by **Fourier-Motzkin elimination**.
- 2 Add the constraints $x_i \leq b, -x_i \leq -a$ into the new constraint set if there is a reset $x_i := [a, b]$.

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- The set of bounded executions along the location sequence:

$$l_0 \xrightarrow{e_1} l_1 \xrightarrow{e_2} \dots \xrightarrow{e_k} l_k$$

- The corresponding computation sequence:

$$R_{l_0}(X_0) \xrightarrow{e_1} R_{l_1}(X_1) \xrightarrow{e_2} \dots \xrightarrow{e_k} R_{l_k}(X_k)$$

where $X_j = R_{e_j}(R_{l_{j-1}}(X_{j-1}) \cap \text{Guard}(e_j) \cap \text{Inv}(l_{j-1}))$ for $1 \leq j \leq k$.

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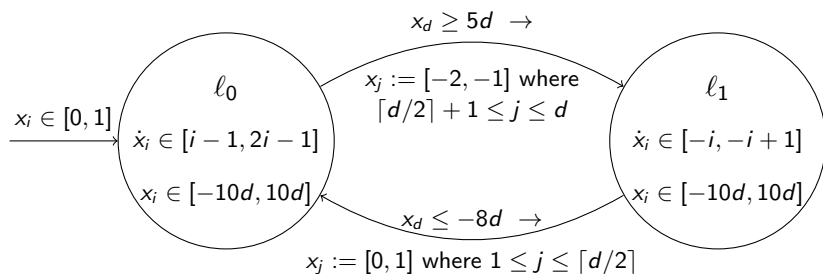
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- If j is fixed, then \mathcal{F}_j is polynomial in d when d is large enough.

Theorem

*The computational complexity of the reachable set with a bounded number of jumps is **polynomial in d** if the bound is viewed as a constant and d is large enough.*

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The experimental results

Dim	Jmp	PHAVer		Our method (on MATLAB)				
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7	2	235.7	529.01	< 10	15.95	15.28	7214	163
8	2	-	-	< 10	27.42	26.48	10517	209
9	2	-	-	< 10	107.99	105.59	23639	287
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5	4	10.2	1.51	< 10	4.82	4.50	3734	167
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7	4	248.1	1191.64	< 10	32.93	31.60	16101	352
8	4	-	-	< 10	72.04	69.81	27375	466
9	4	-	-	< 10	240.51	235.61	64863	641
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- Bounded reachability computation for linear hybrid automata.
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