
Stable vectorization of Multiparameter Persistent Homology using Signed Barcodes as Measures

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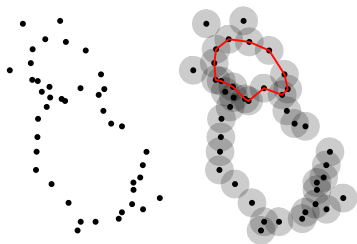
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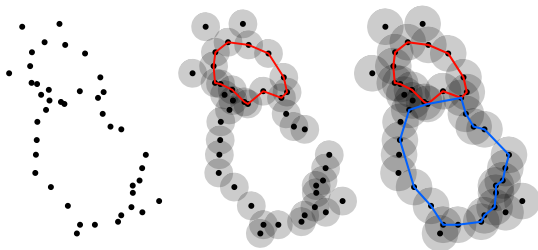


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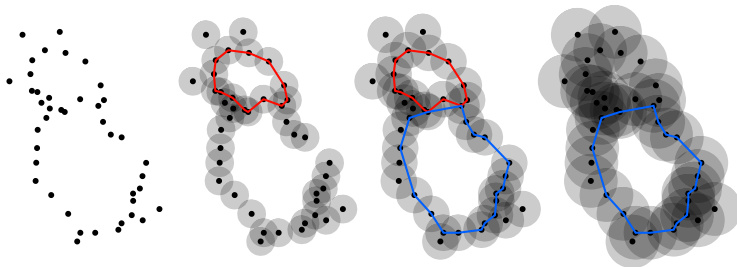


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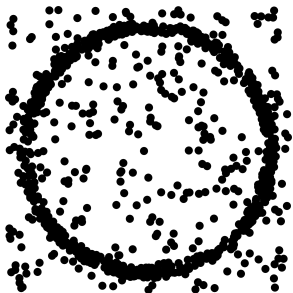
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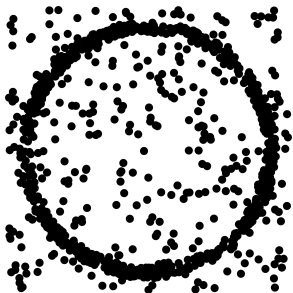
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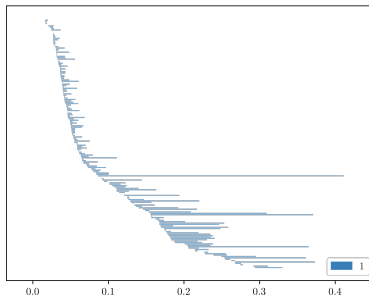
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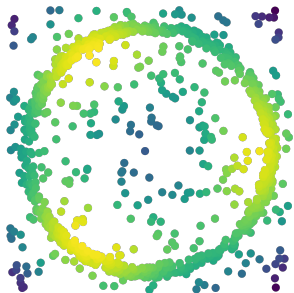
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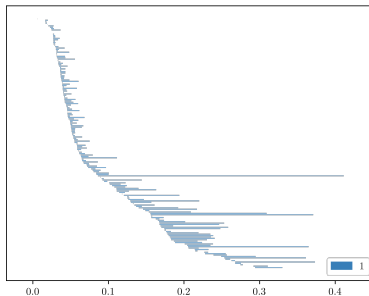
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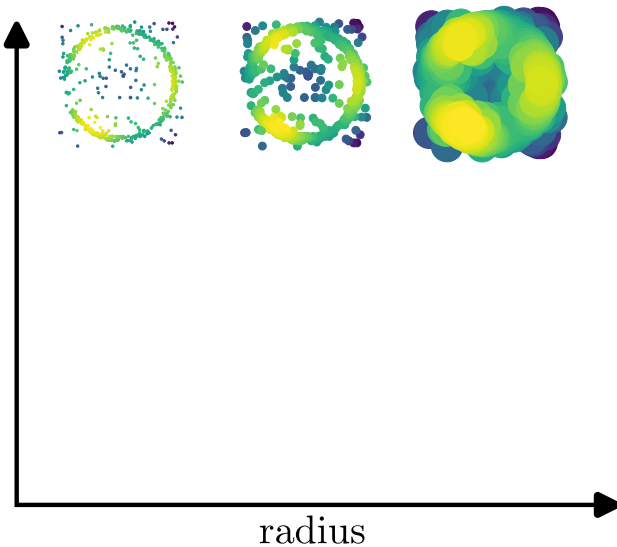
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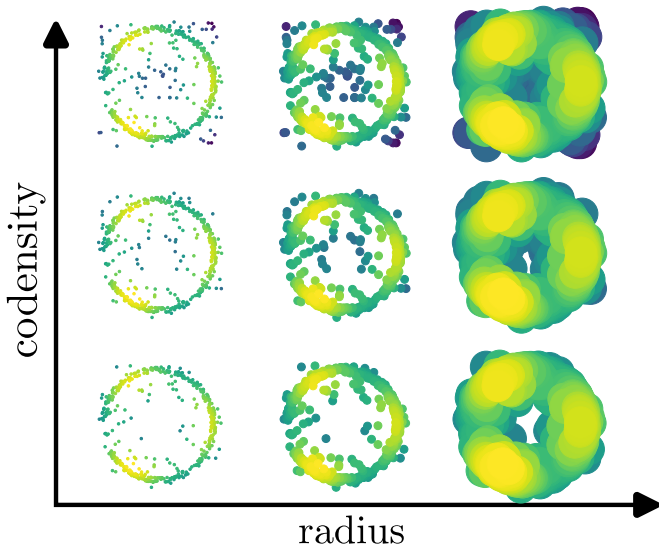
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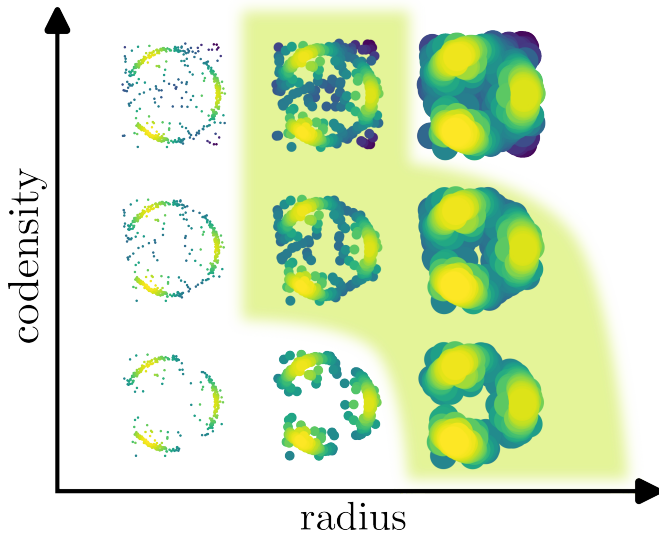
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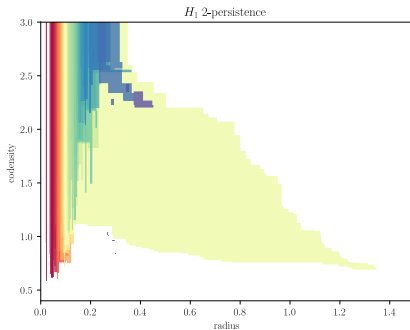
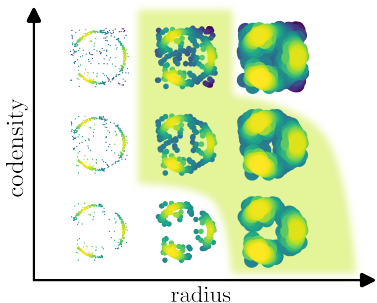
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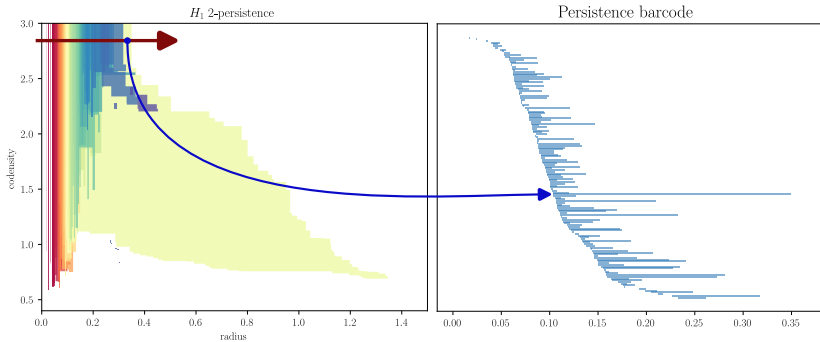
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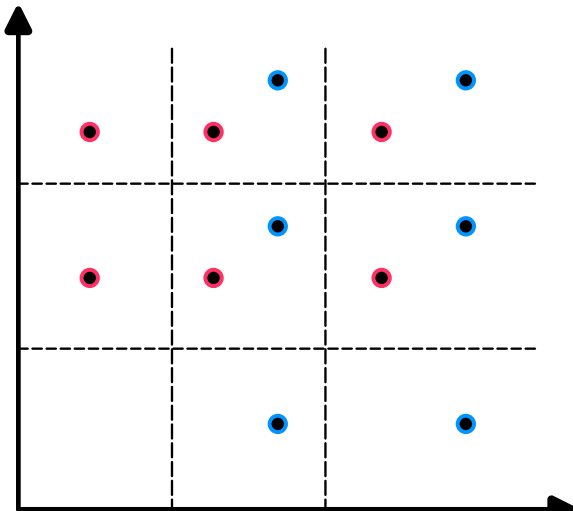


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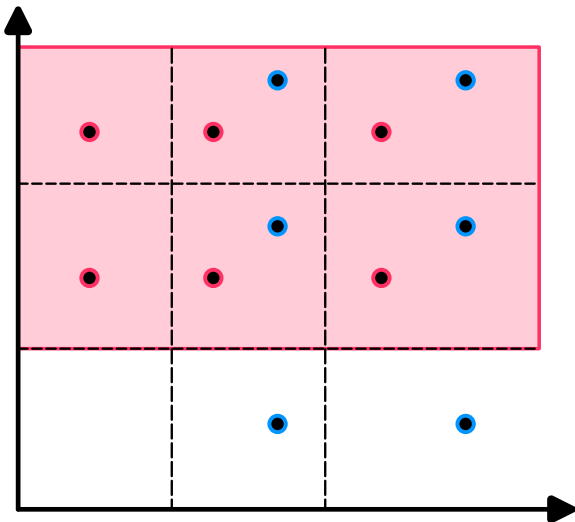
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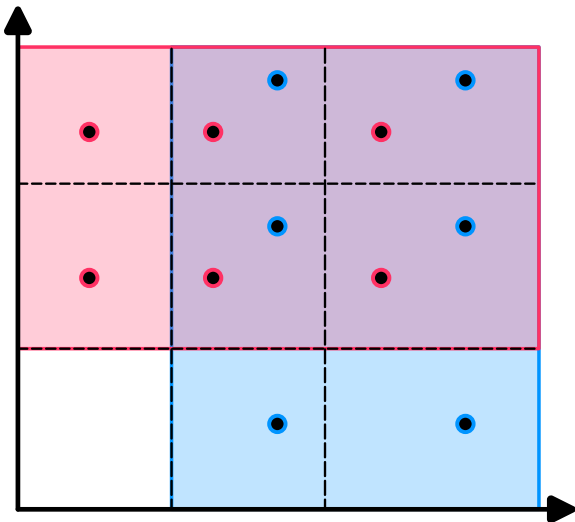
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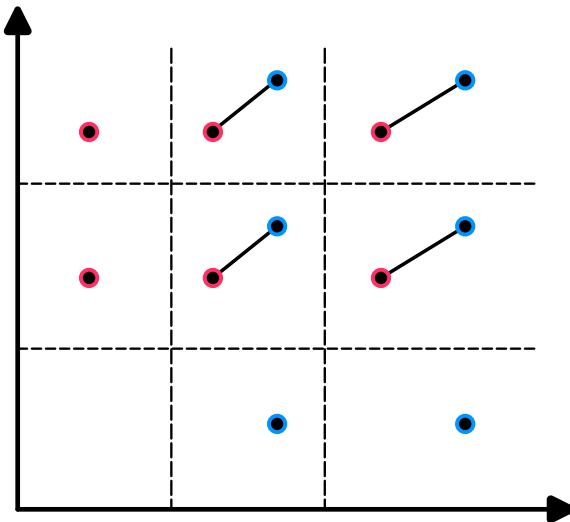
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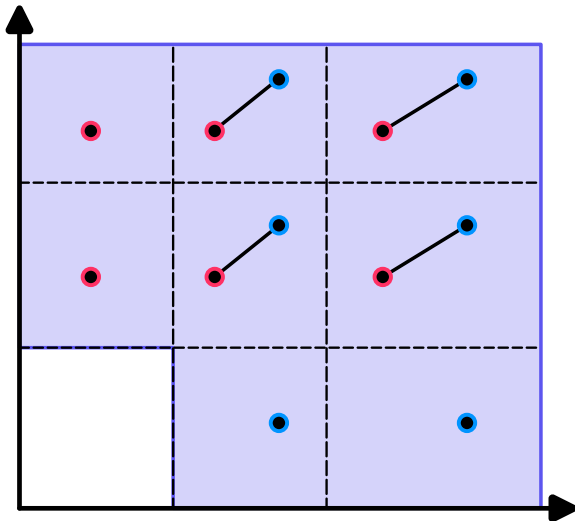
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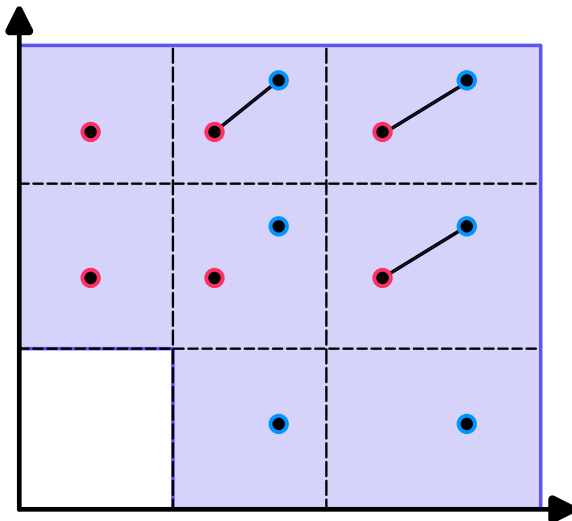
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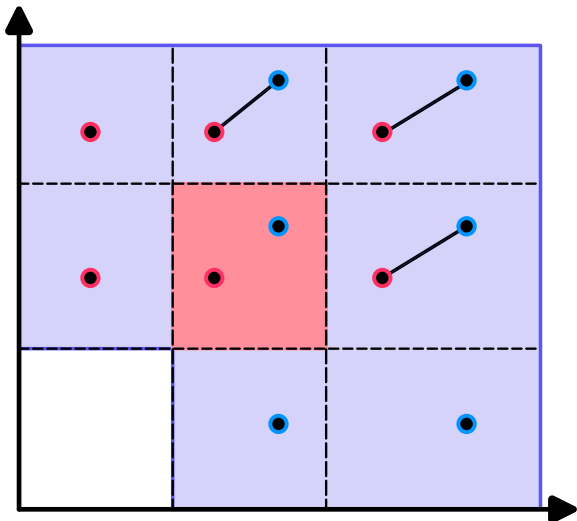
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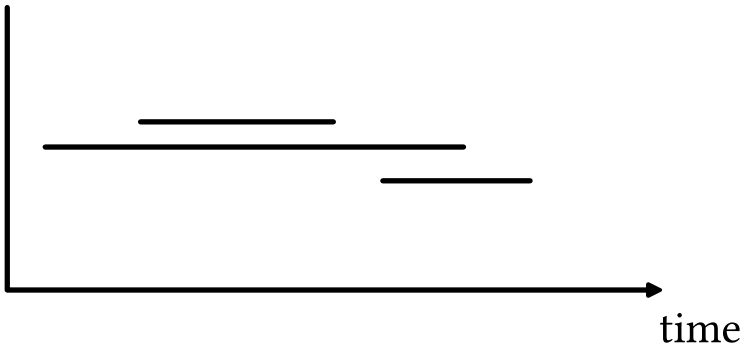


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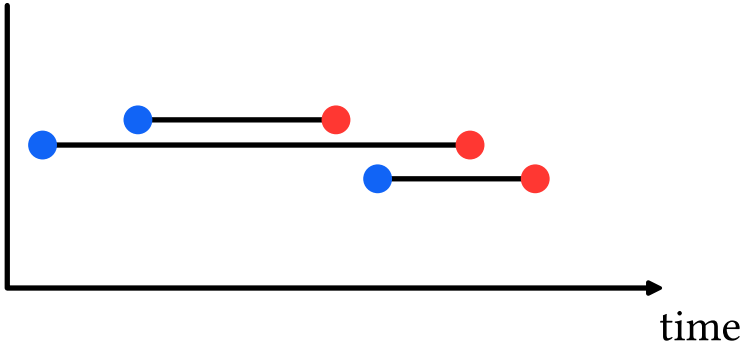
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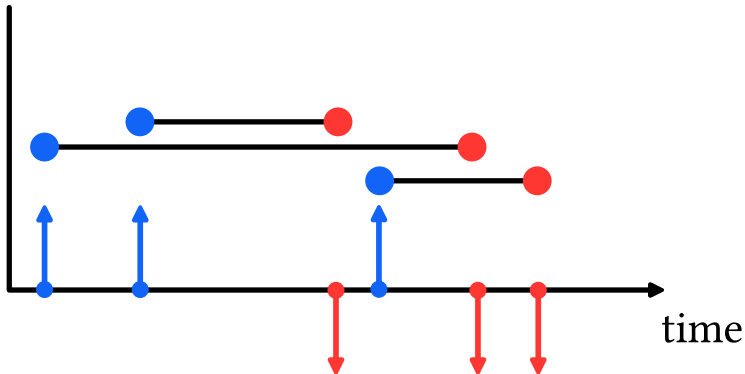
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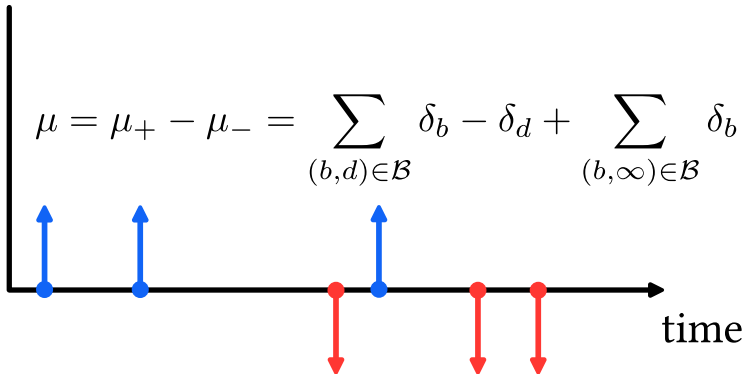
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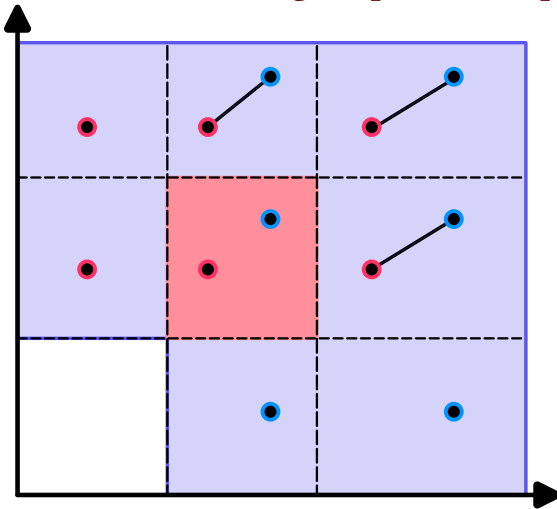
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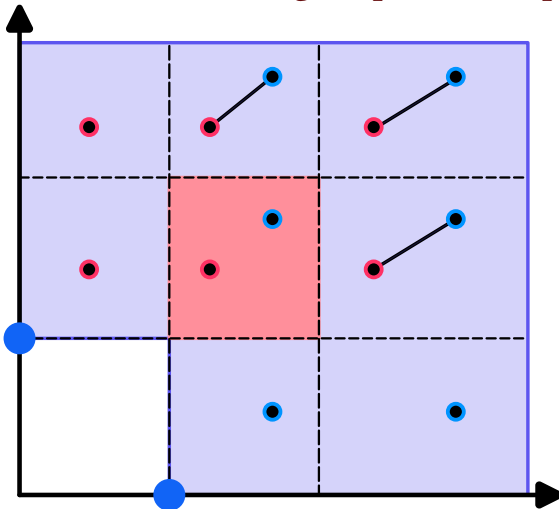
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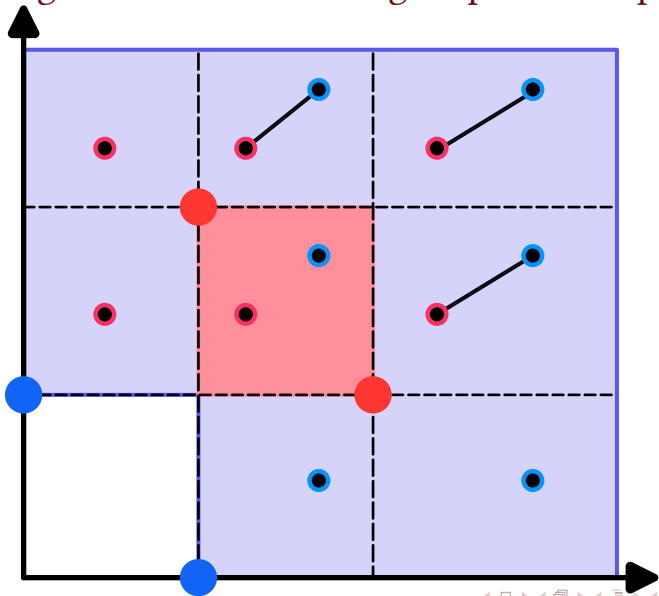
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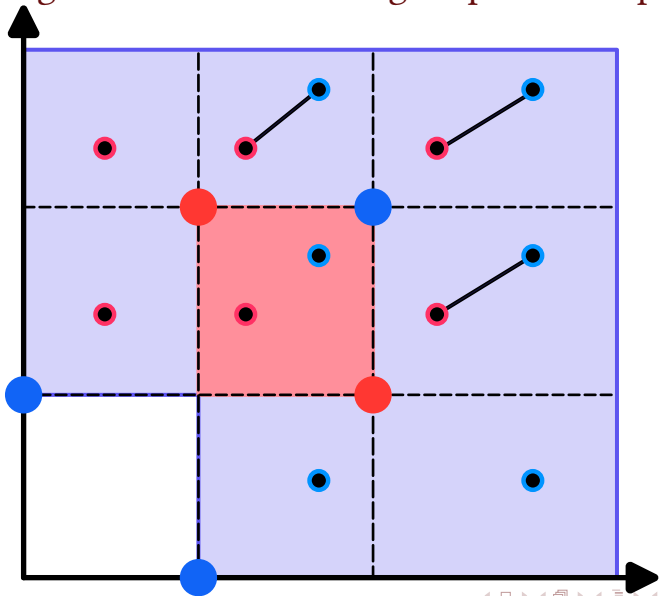
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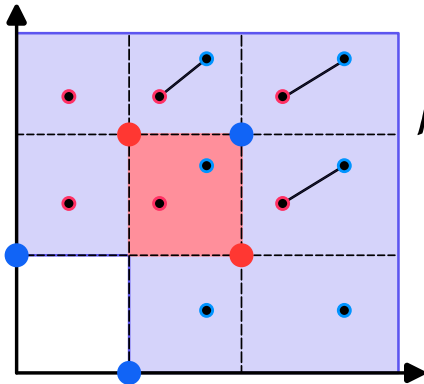
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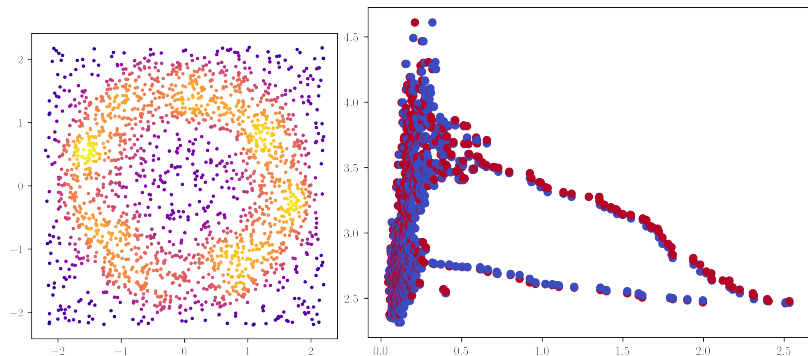
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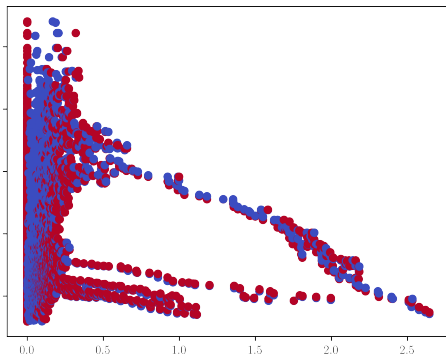
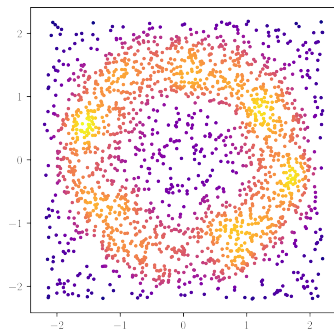


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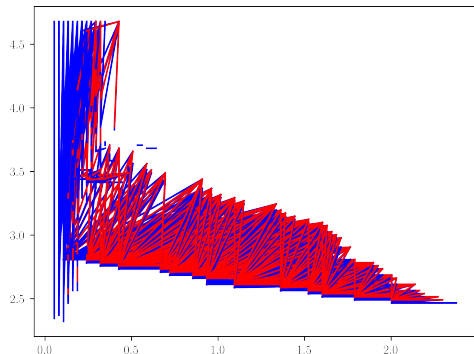
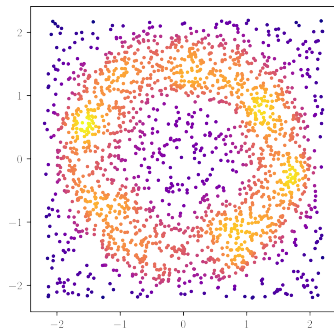


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In particular, we can consider *Wasserstein* norms on **signed measures**

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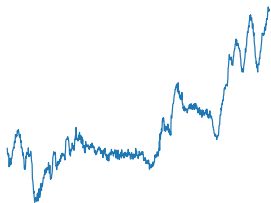
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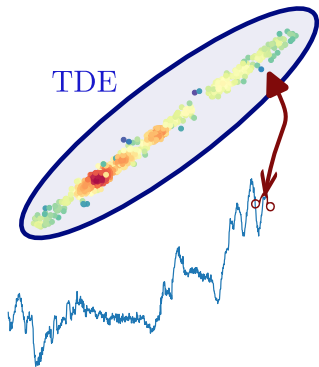
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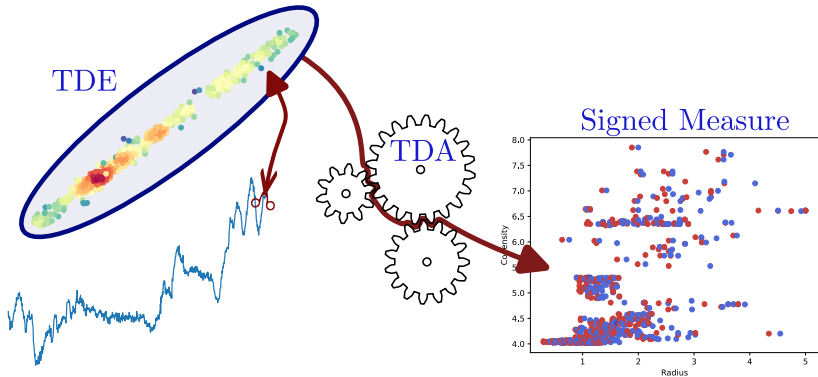
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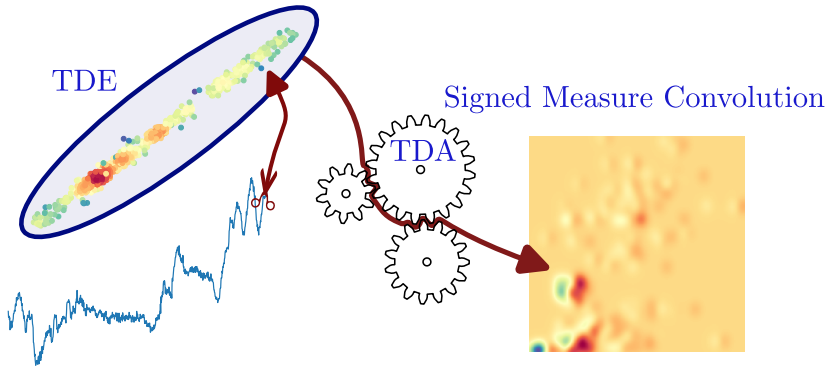
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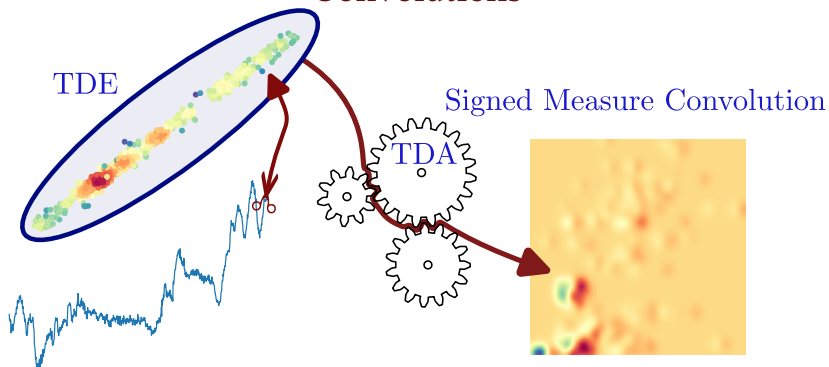
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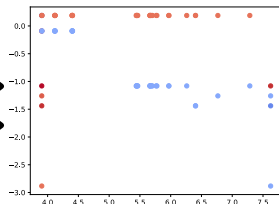
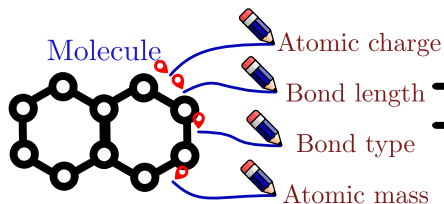


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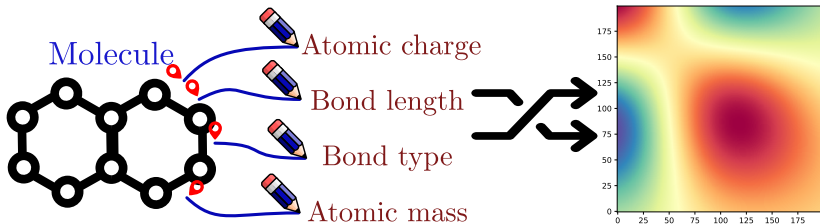
Let $K: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a kernel satisfying $\|K_x - K_y\|_2 \lesssim \|x - y\|_2$.
 Then if $\mu, \nu \in \mathcal{M}$ have the same total mass,

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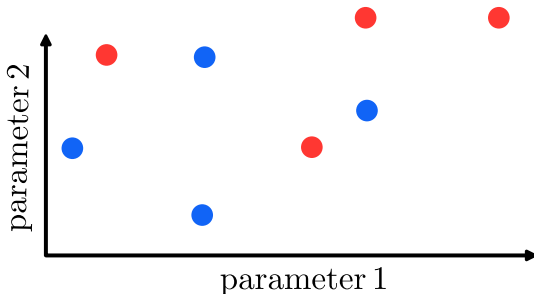
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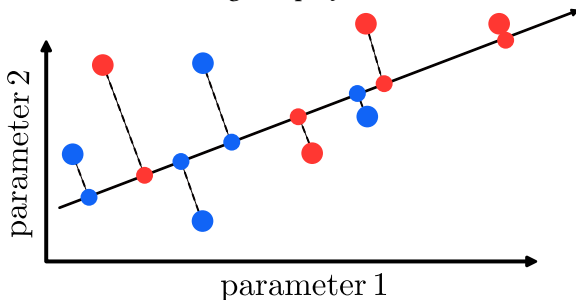
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$$\|\Phi_{\text{SW}}^\alpha(\mu) - \Phi_{\text{SW}}^\alpha(\nu)\|_{\mathcal{H}} \leq 2\alpha(S^{n-1}) \|\mu - \nu\|_2^K$$

and

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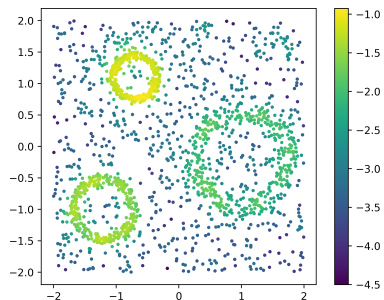
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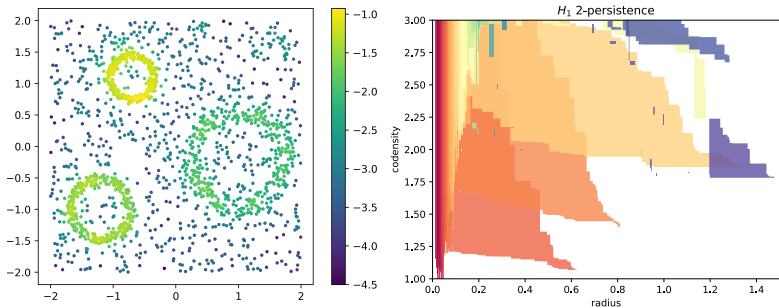
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- *Python* library, available as a  **GUDHI** Geometry Understanding in Higher Dimensions extension at :
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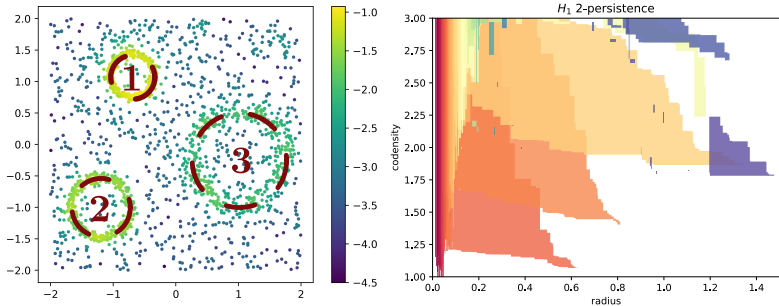
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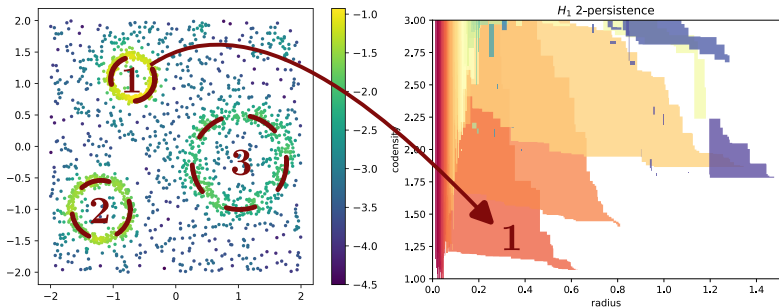
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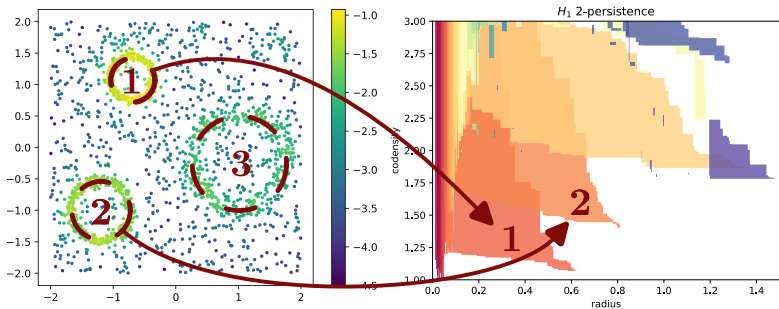
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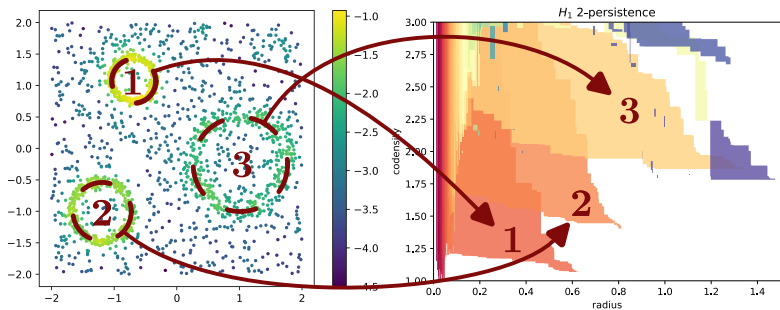
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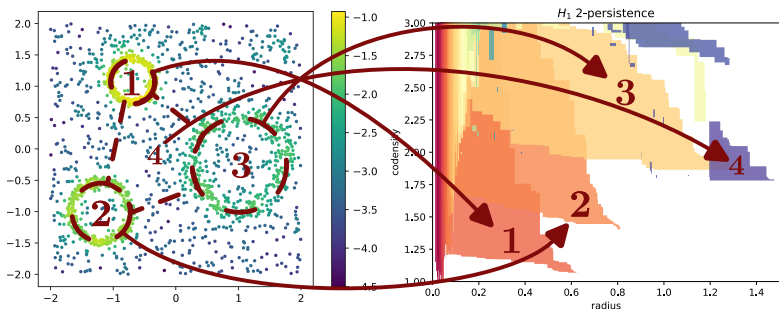
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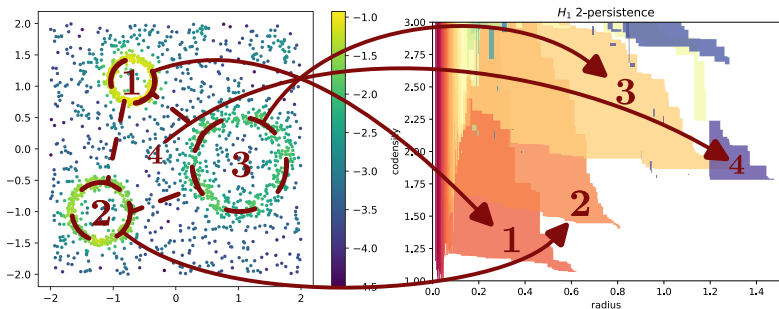
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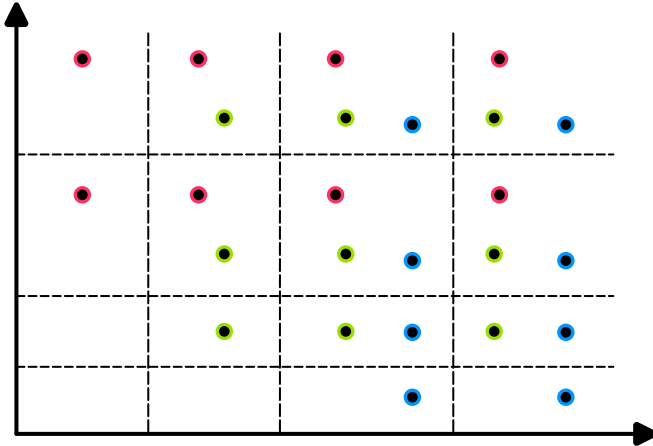


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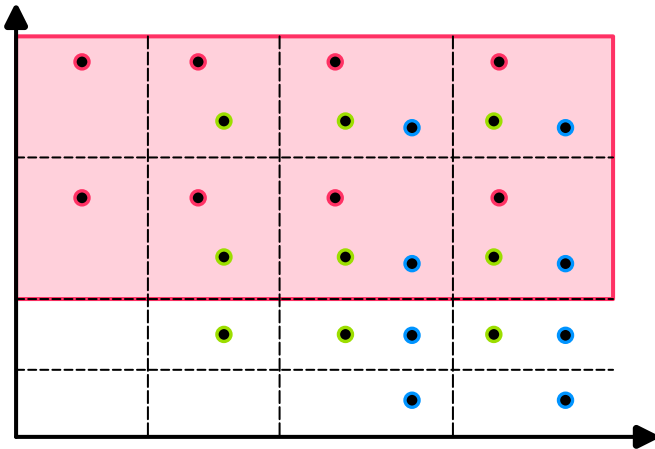


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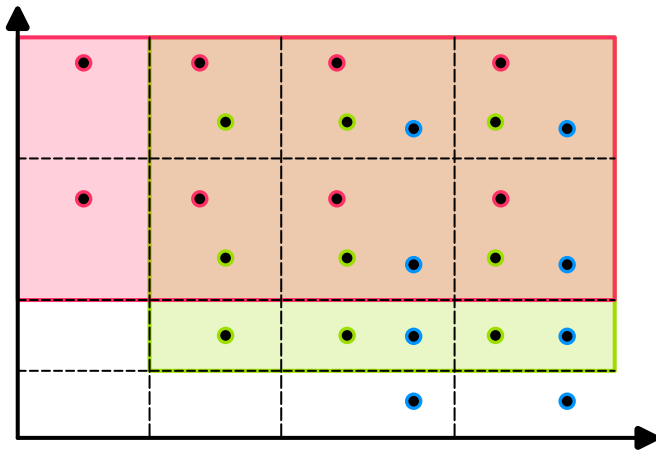
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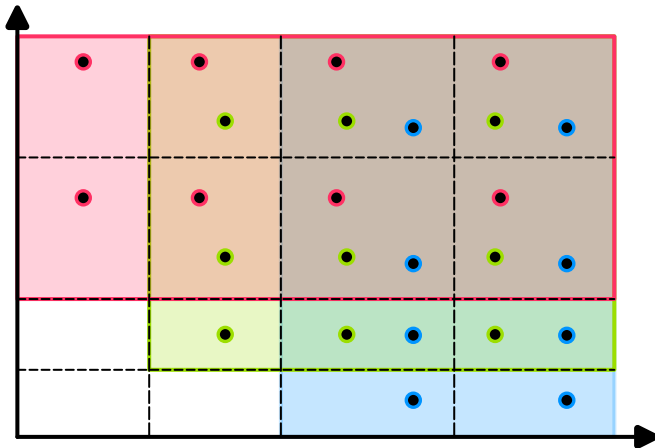
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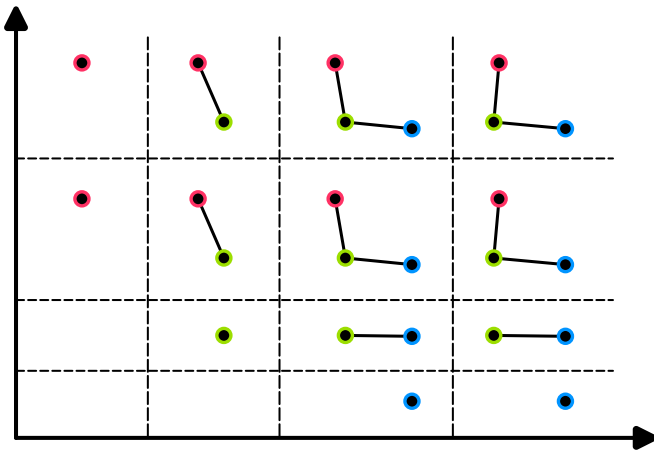
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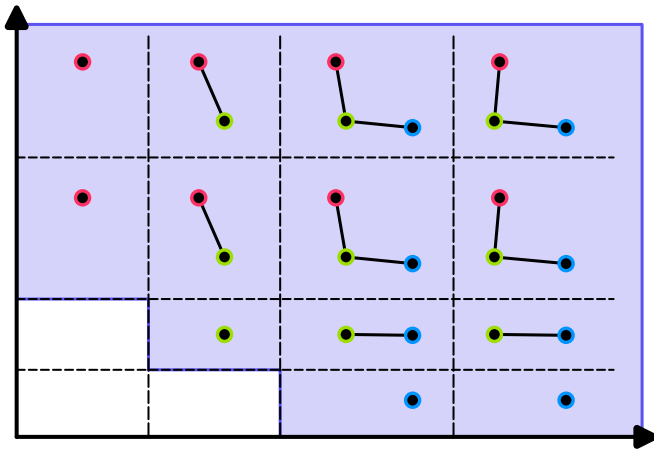
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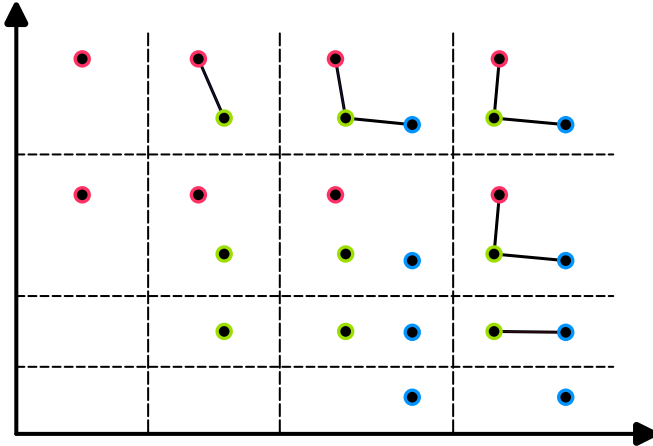
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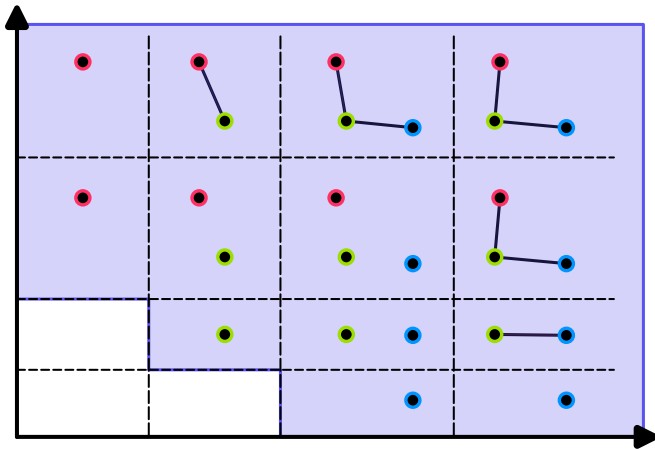
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