

Near Optimal Subdivision Algorithms for Real Root Isolation

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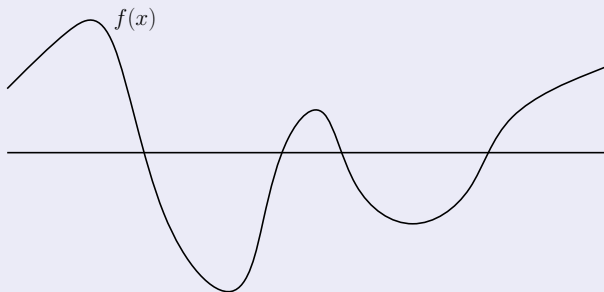
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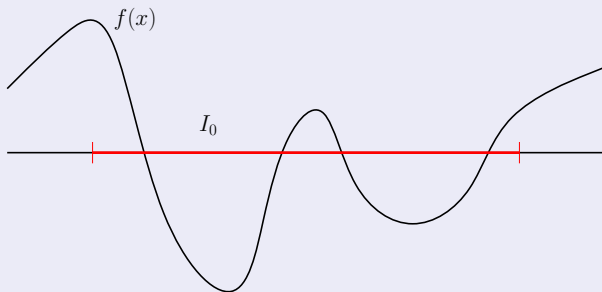


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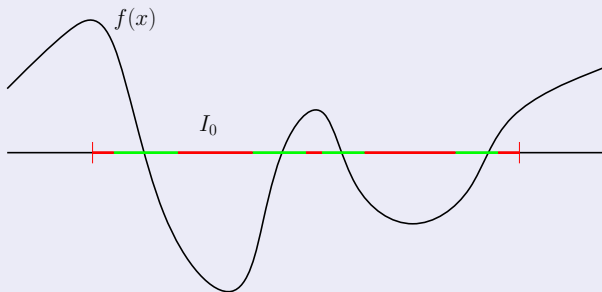


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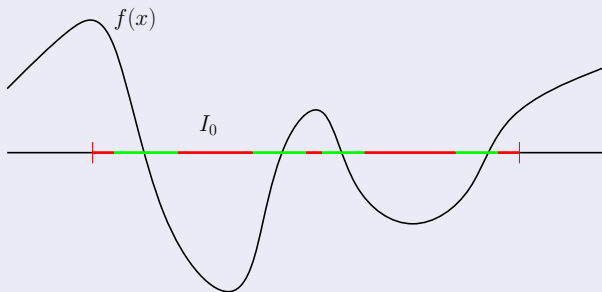


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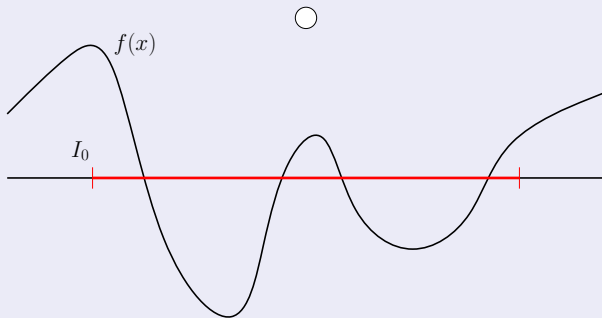
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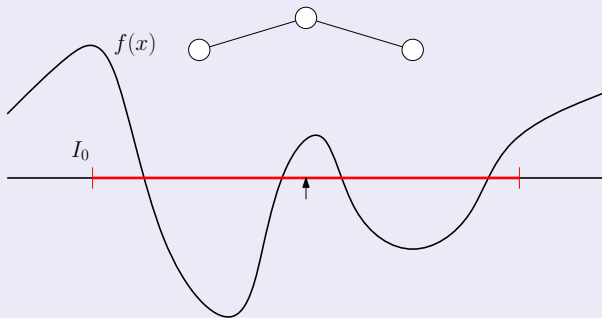
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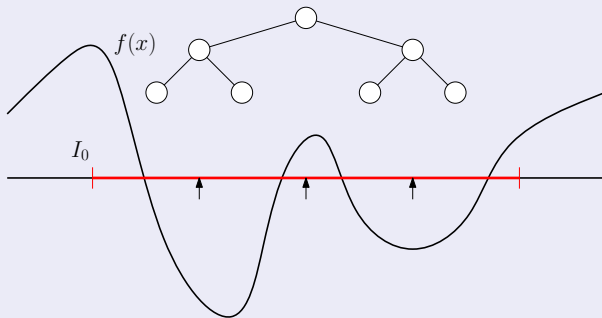
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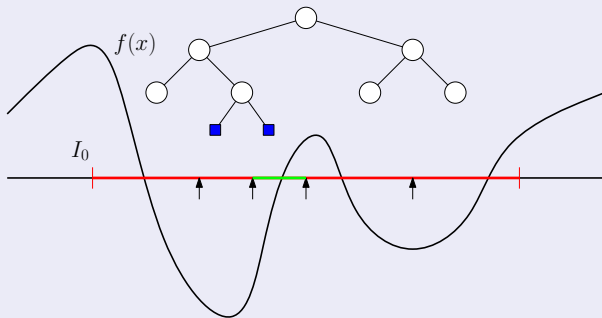
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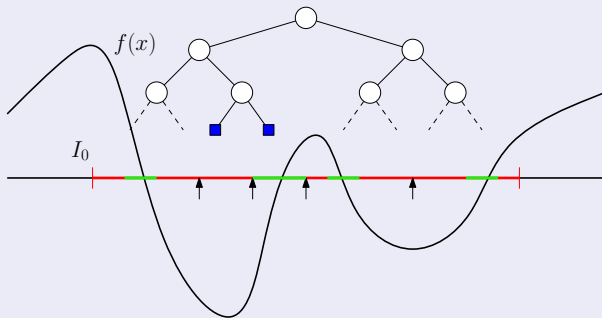
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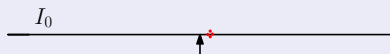
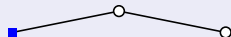
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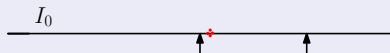
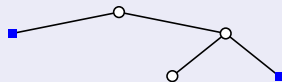
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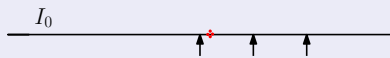
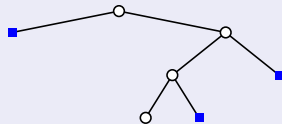
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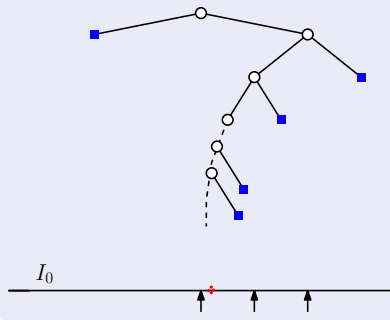
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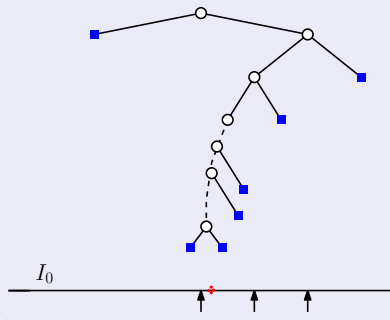
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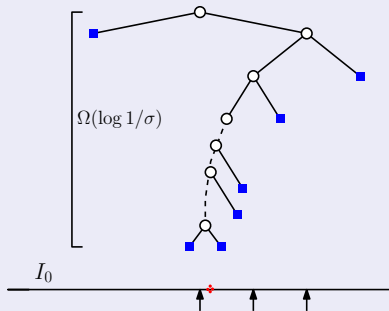
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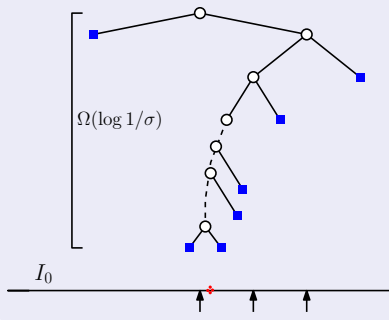
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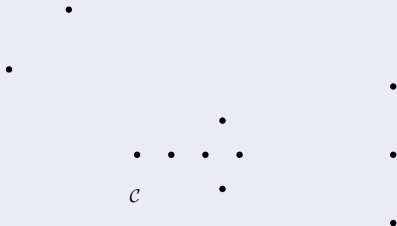


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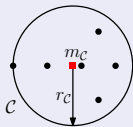
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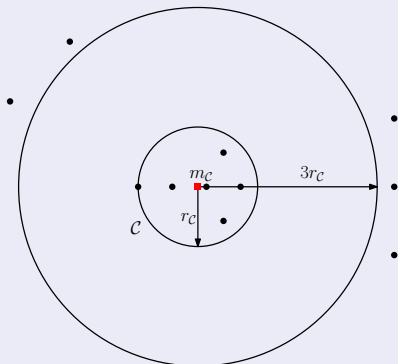
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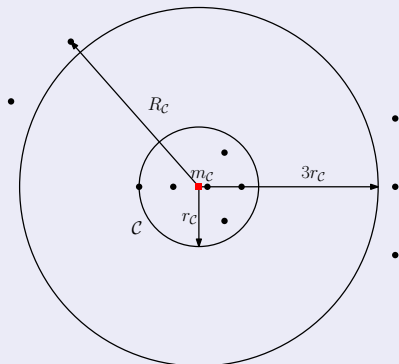
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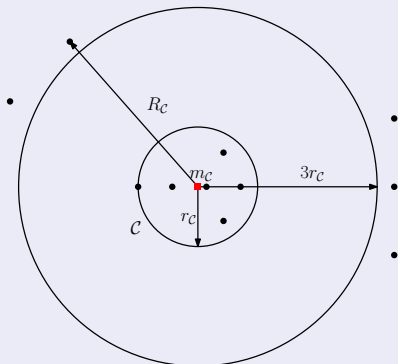
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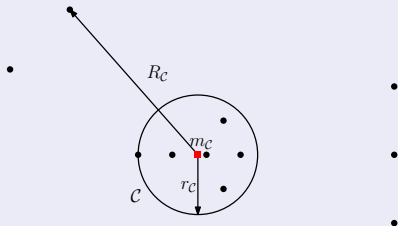
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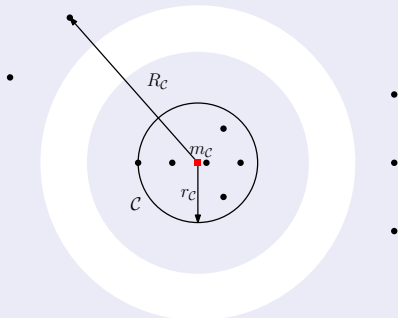
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Our result

- Choice of any inclusion-exclusion predicate, Newton iteration.
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- Analysis is independent of root bounds, uses geometry of clusters.
- Use the framework of continuous amortization.

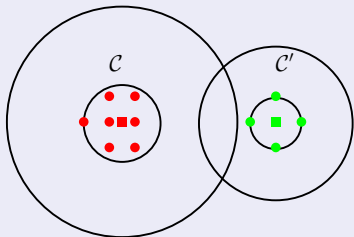
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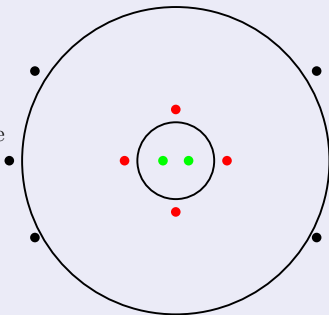
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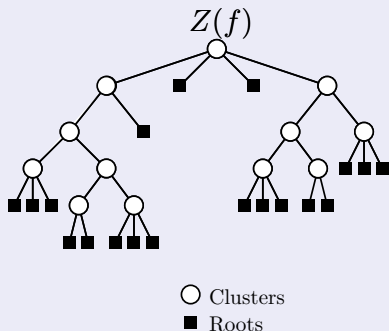
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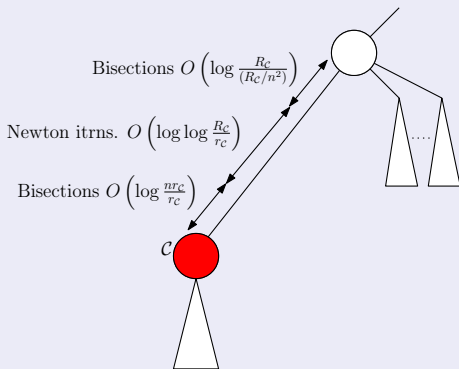
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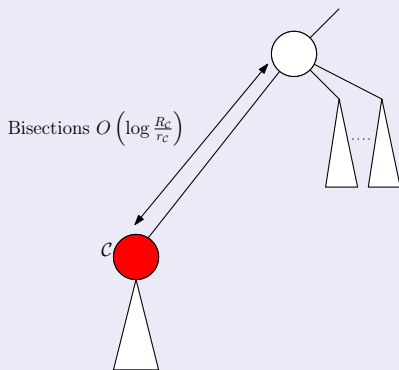
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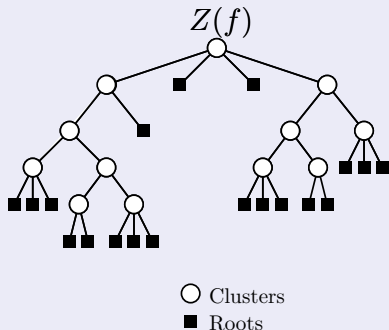
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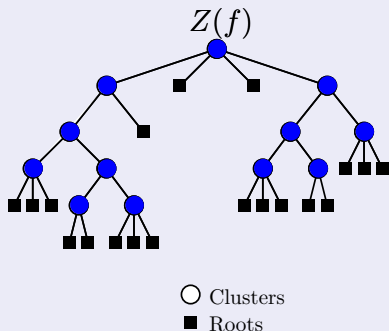
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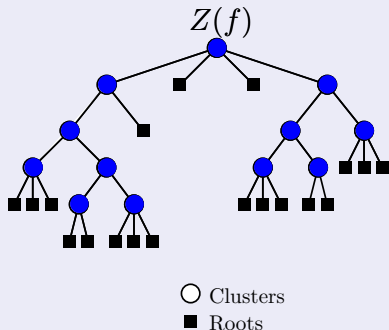
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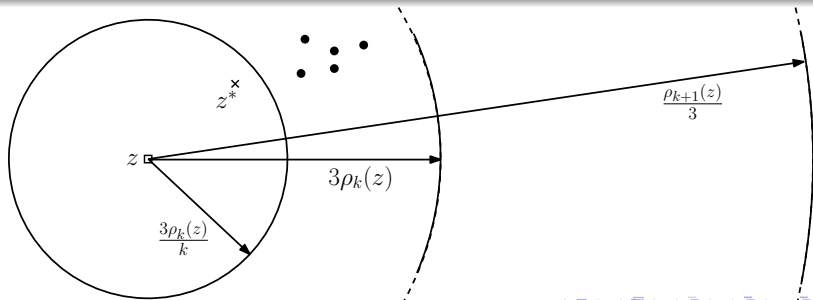
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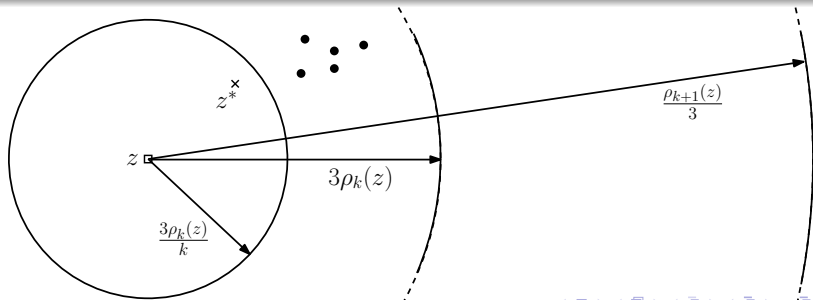


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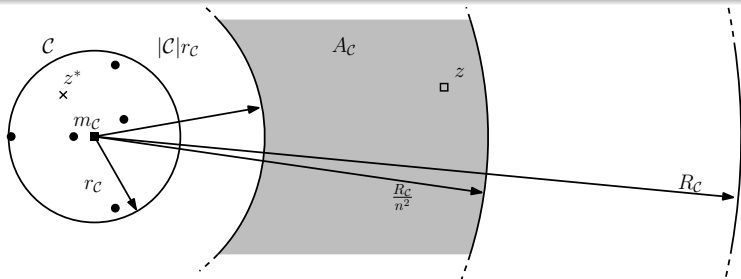


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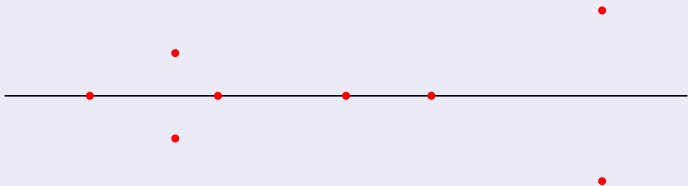
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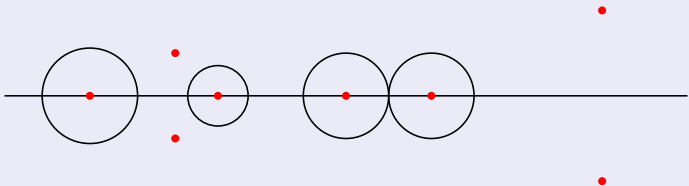
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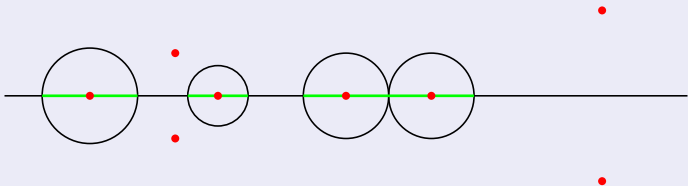
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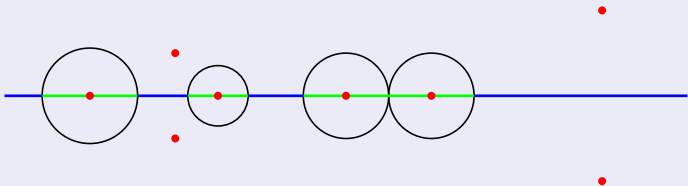
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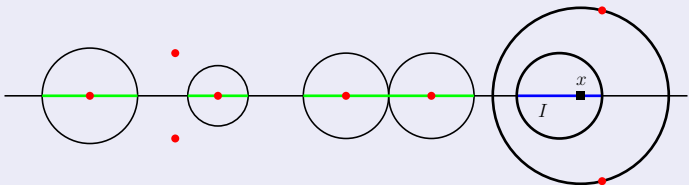
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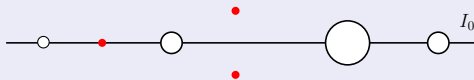
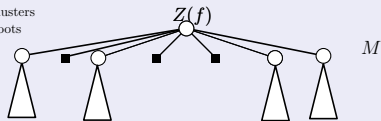
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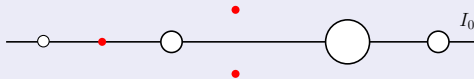
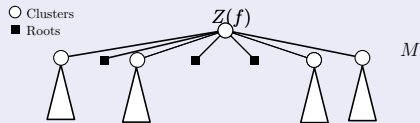


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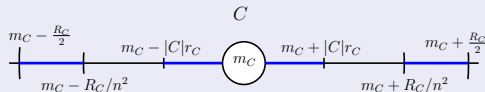
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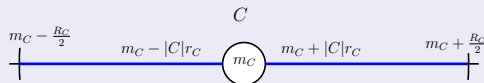
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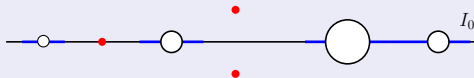
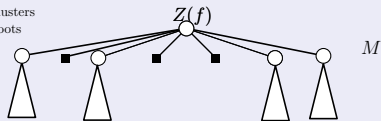
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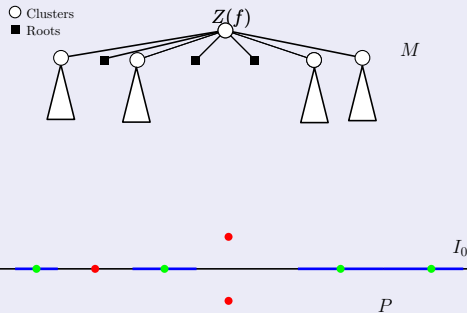


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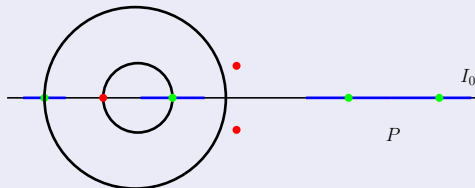
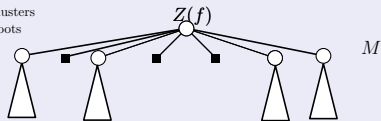
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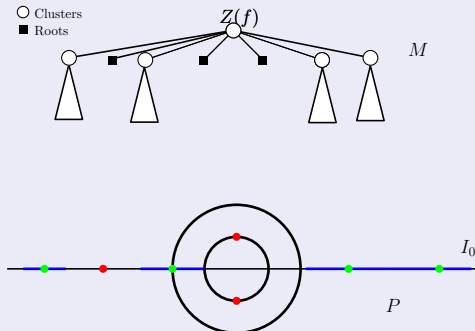


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Bounding treesize for Descartes's rule of signs

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$\int_{I_0 \setminus \cup_C A_C} G(x) dx = O(|T| \log n)$, where C are ssc, T is cluster tree?

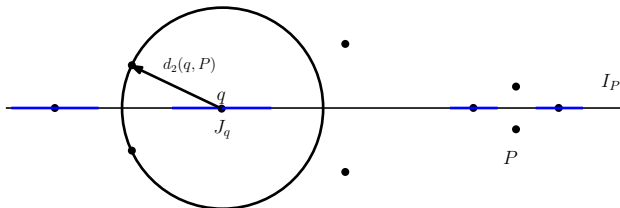


- Cluster C , $I_C := [m_C \pm 2r_C]$.
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- Near C , integral is $O(\log n)$.
- $|M| + \sum_{C \in M} |T_C| = O(|T|)$.
- Shrink clusters to points to get P .
- Resulting pointset is **dense**.

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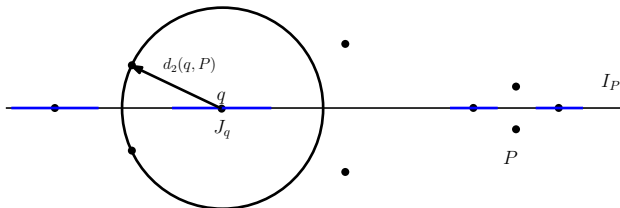
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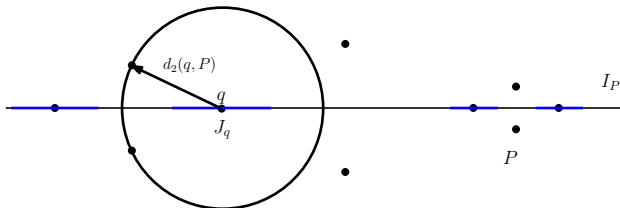
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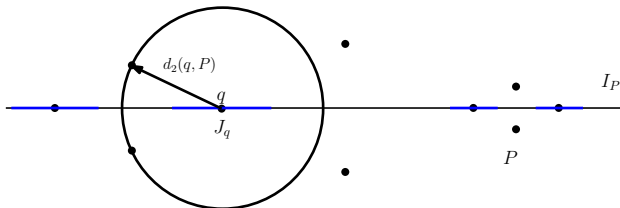
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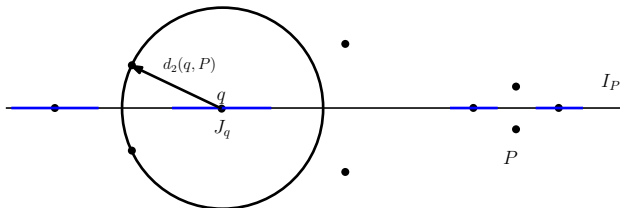


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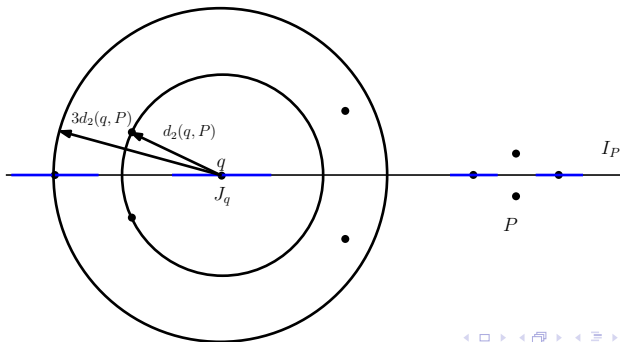


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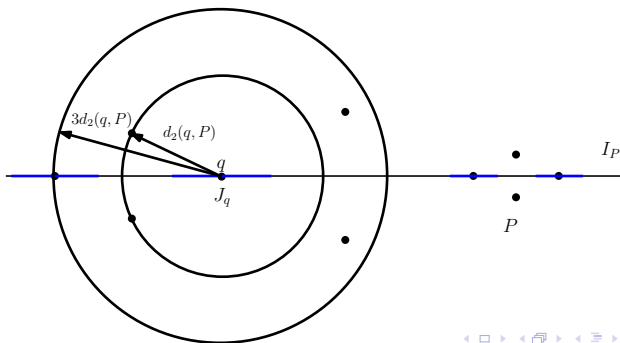


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