

Matrix Lie Theory for the Roboticist

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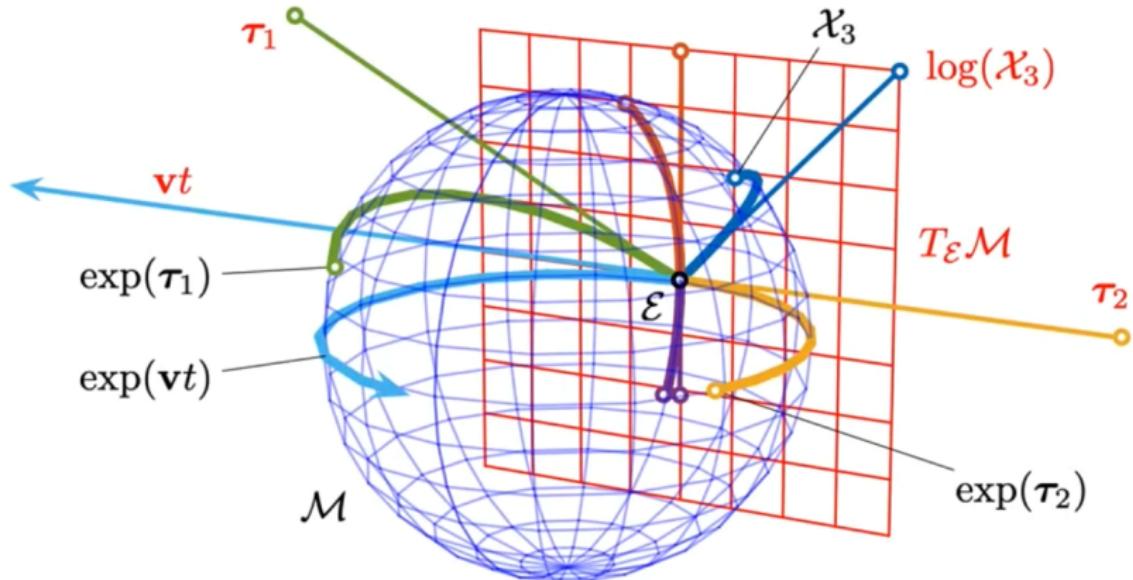
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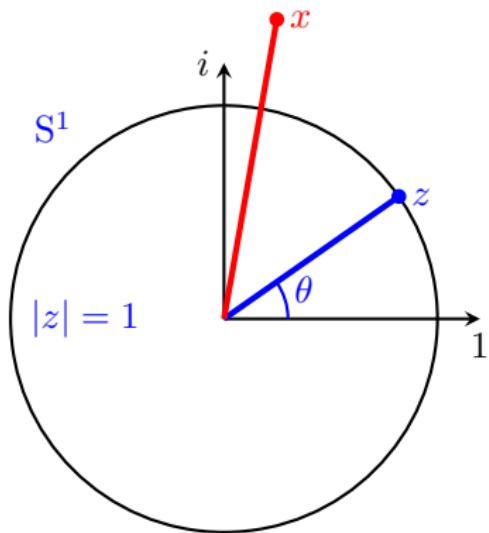
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Courtesy by Solà, J., Dery, J., and Atchuthan, D. (2021). A micro Lie theory for state estimation in robotics.

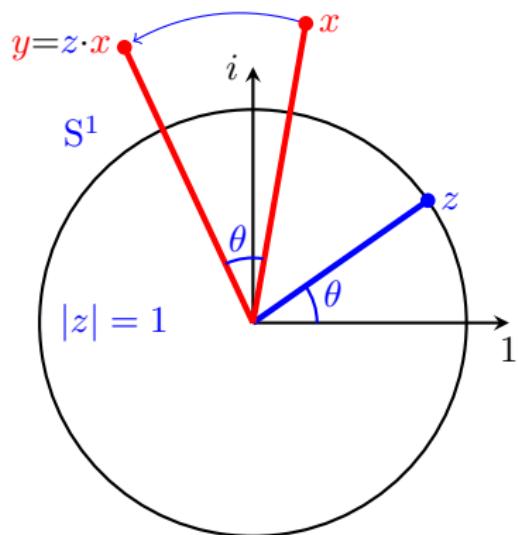
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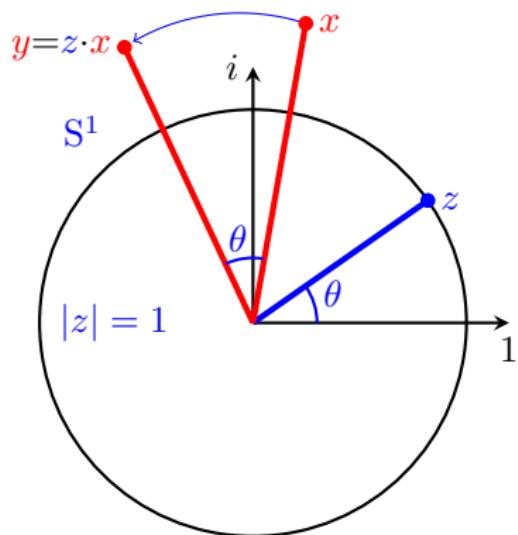
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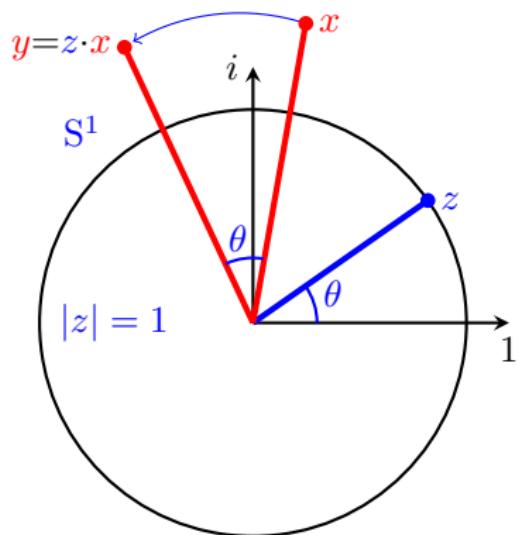


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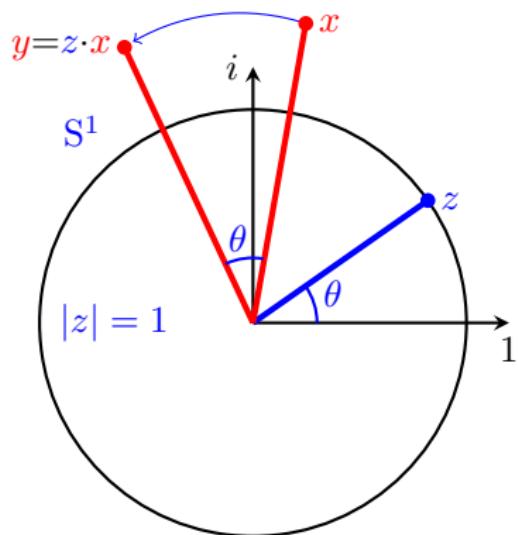


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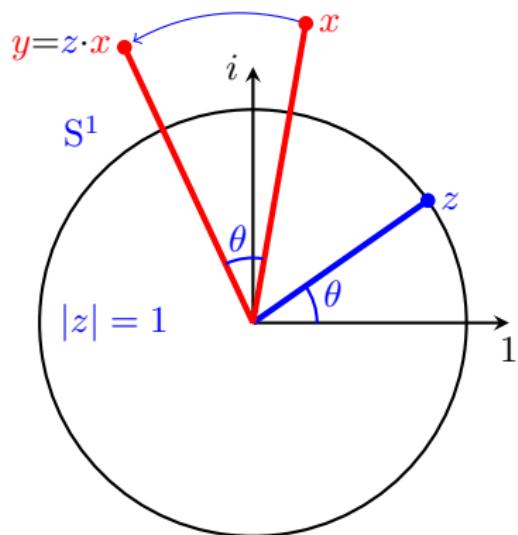


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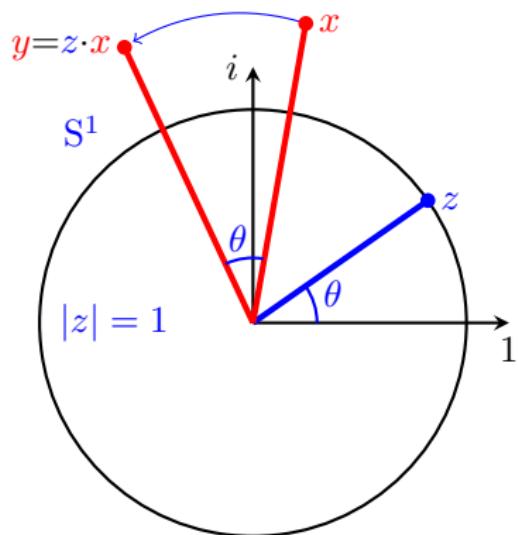


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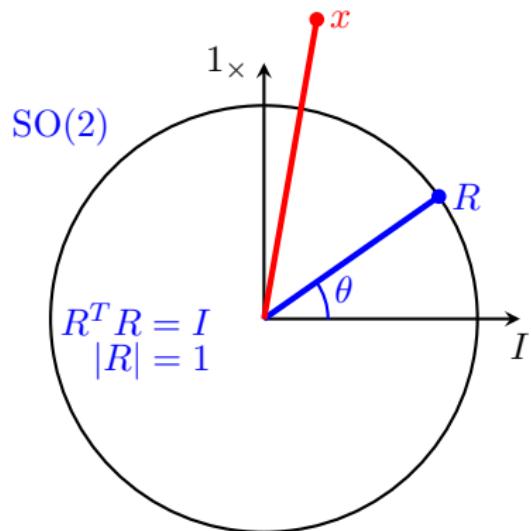


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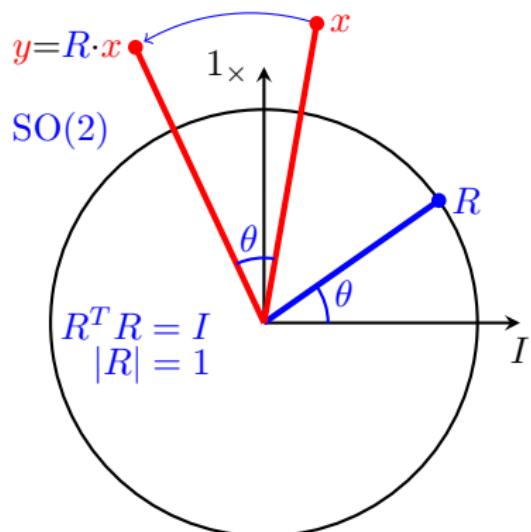
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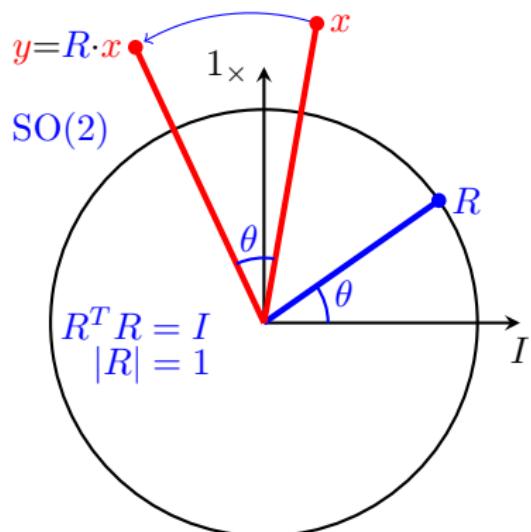


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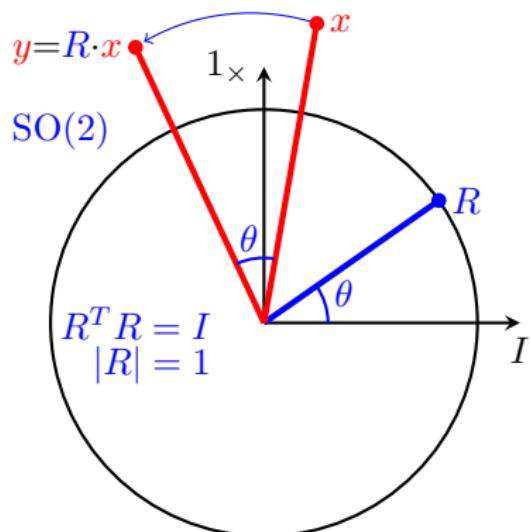


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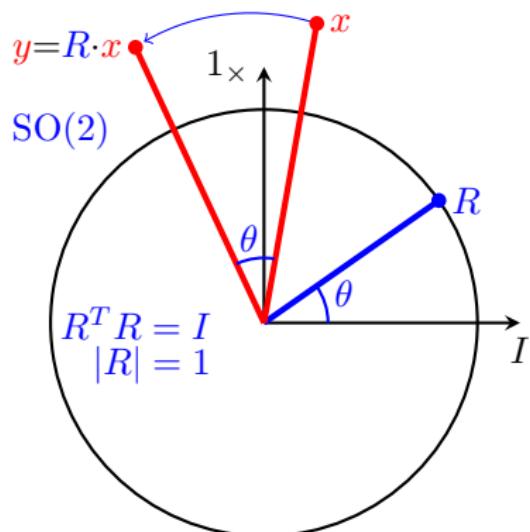


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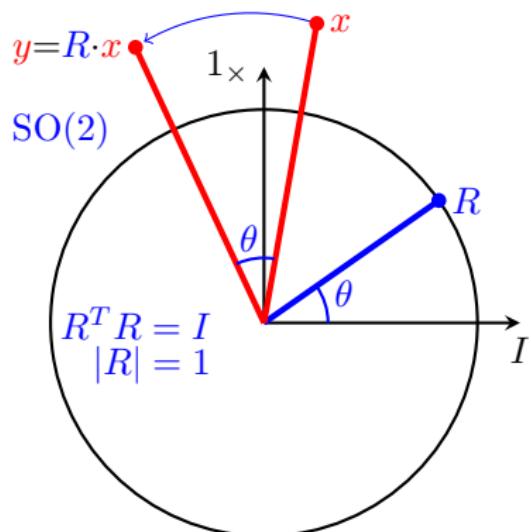
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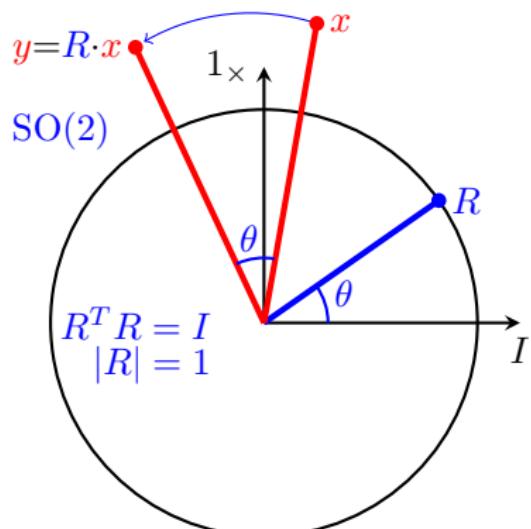


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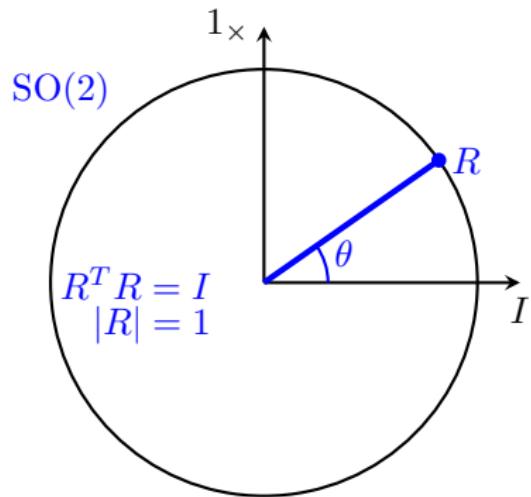


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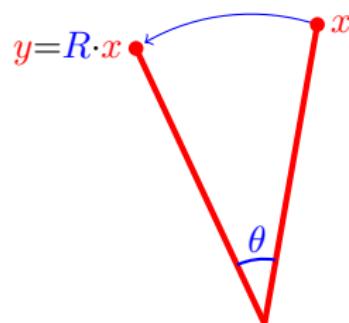
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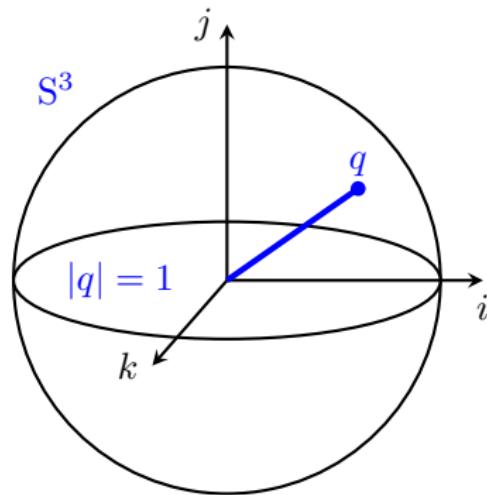
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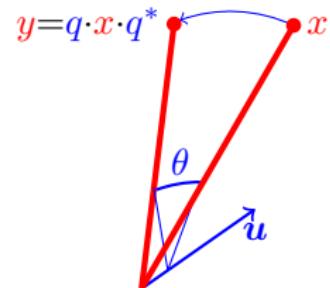
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The 3-sphere in \mathbb{R}^4

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$$u = iu_x + ju_y + ku_z$$

$$q = \cos(\theta/2) + \mathbf{u} \sin(\theta/2)$$

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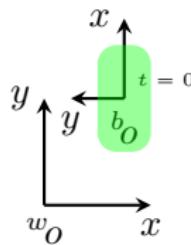
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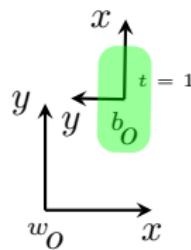
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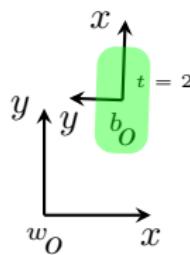
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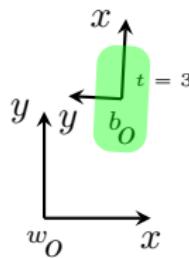
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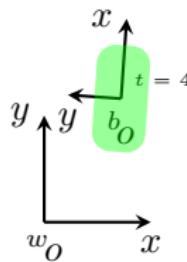
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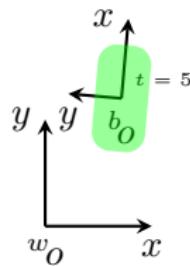
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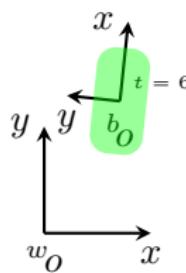
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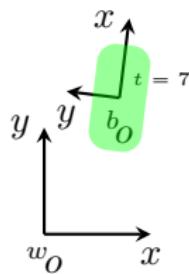
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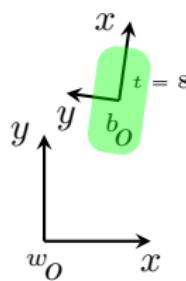
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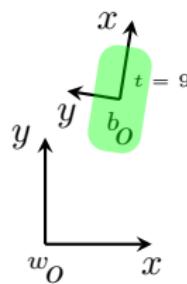
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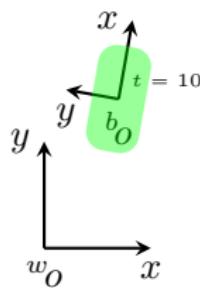
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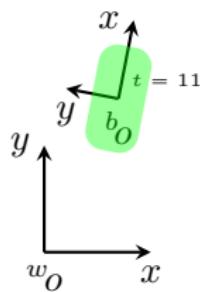
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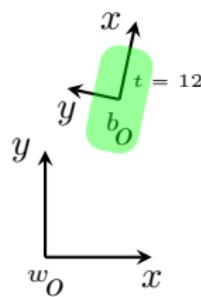
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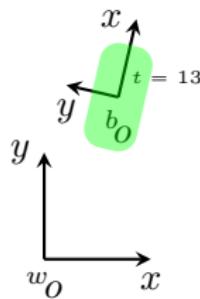
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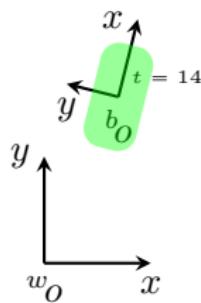
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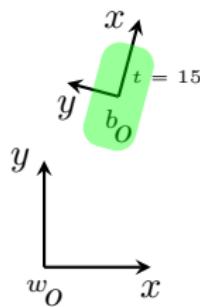
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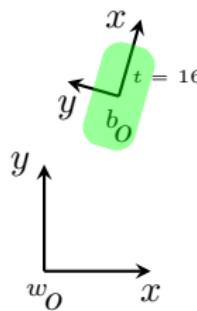
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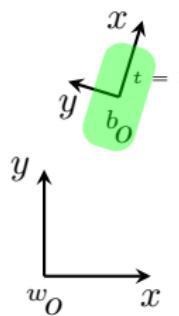
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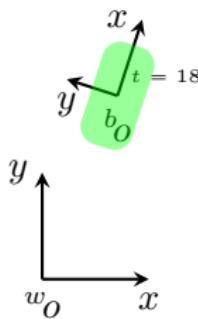
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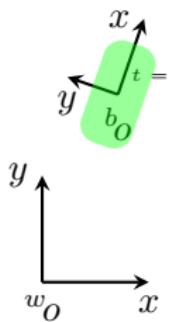
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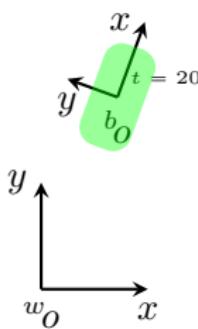
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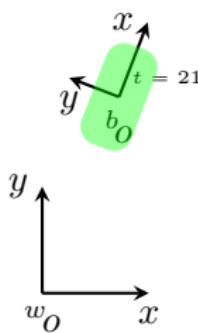
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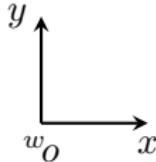
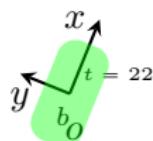
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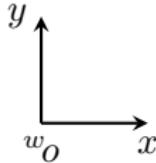
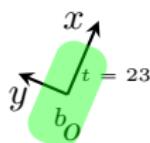
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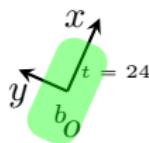


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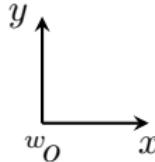
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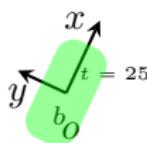


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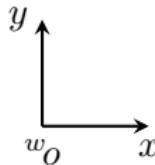
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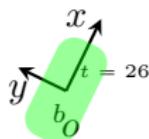


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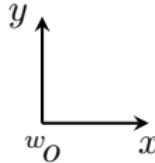
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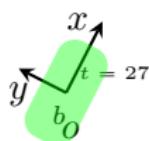


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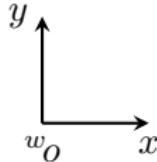
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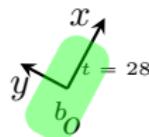


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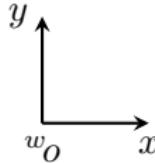
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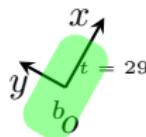


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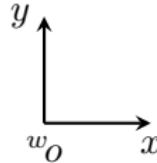
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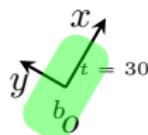


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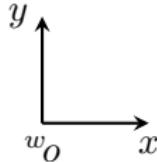
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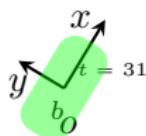


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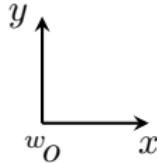
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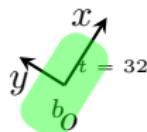


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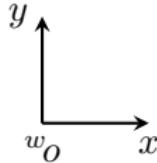
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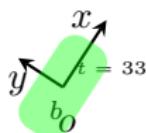


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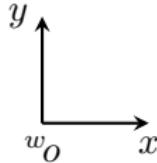
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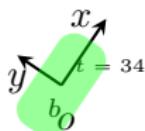


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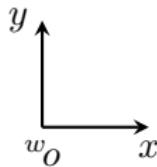
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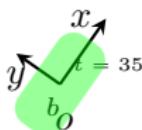


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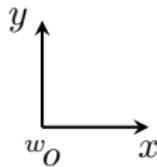
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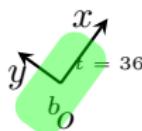


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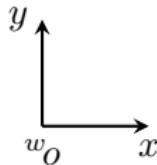
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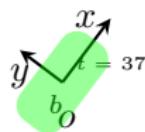


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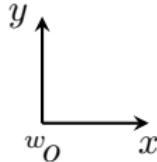
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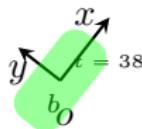


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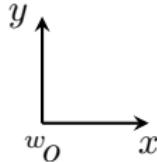
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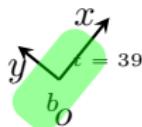


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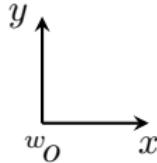
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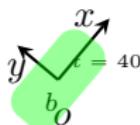


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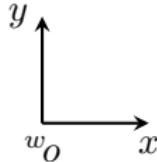
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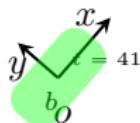


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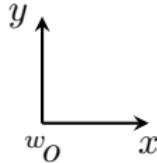
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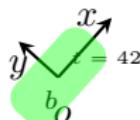


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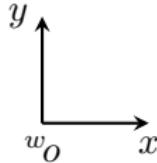
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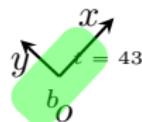


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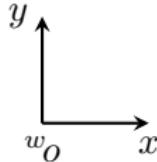
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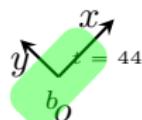


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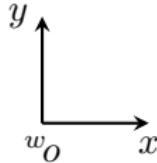
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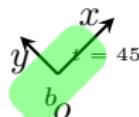


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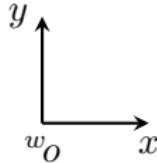
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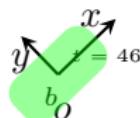


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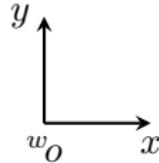
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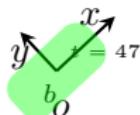


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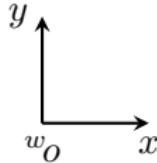
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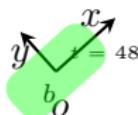


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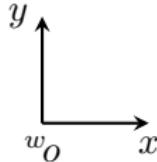
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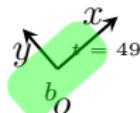


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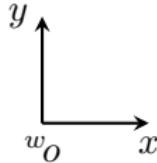
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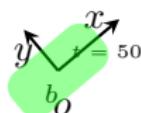


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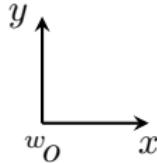
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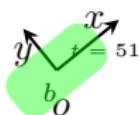


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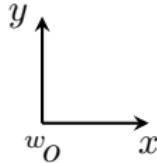
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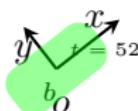


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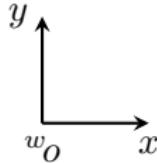
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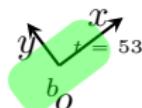


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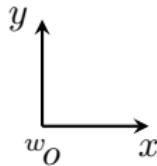
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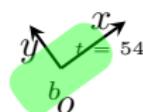


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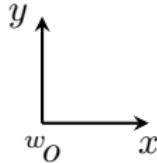
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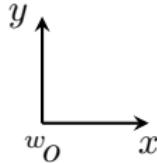
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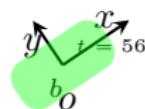


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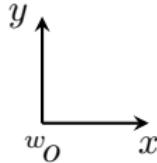
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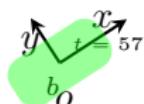


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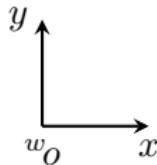
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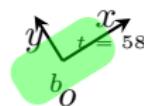


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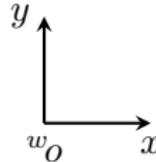
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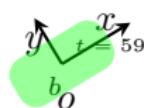


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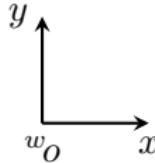
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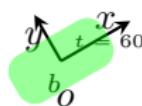


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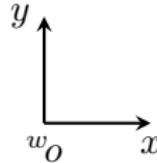
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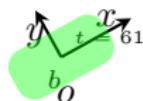


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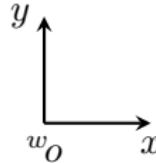
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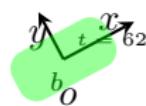


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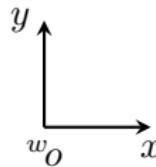
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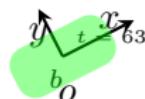


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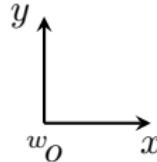
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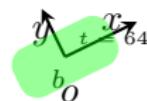


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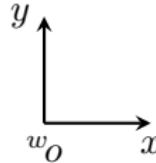
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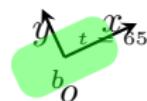


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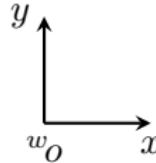
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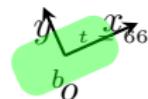


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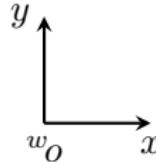
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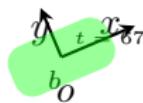


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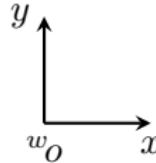
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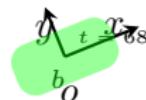


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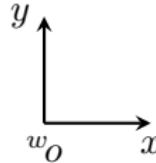
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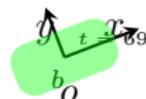
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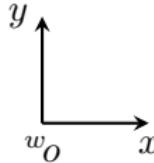
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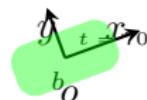
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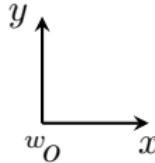
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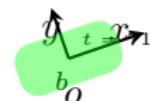


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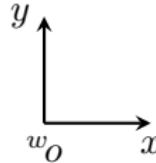
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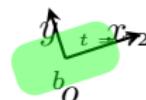
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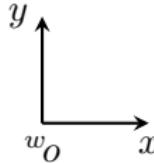
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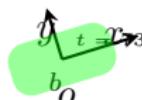
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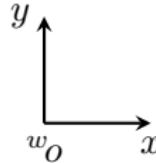
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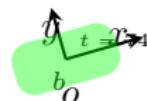
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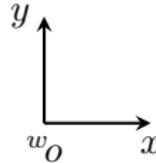
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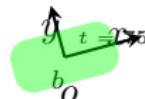
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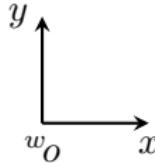
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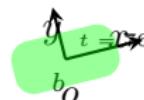
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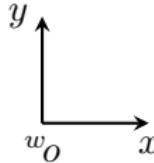
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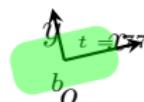
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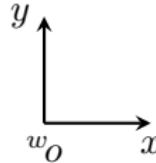
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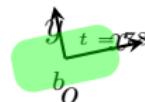
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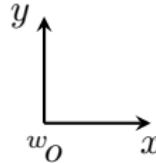
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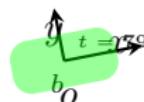
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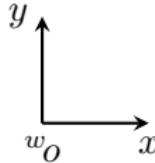
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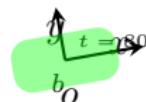
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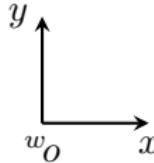
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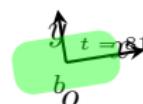
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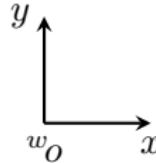
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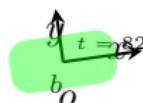
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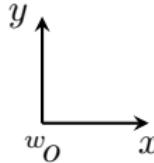
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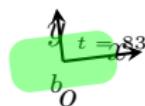
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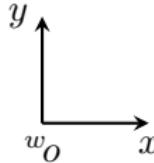
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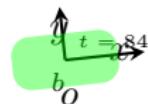
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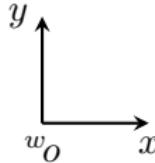
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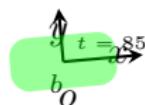
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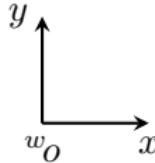
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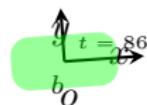
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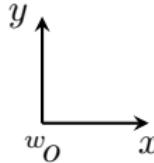
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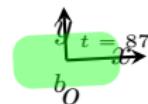
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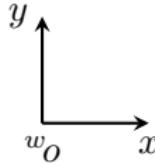
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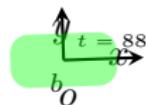
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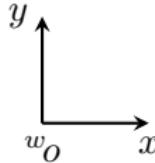
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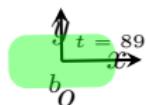
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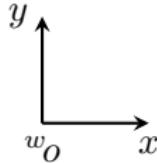
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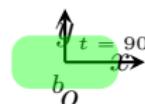
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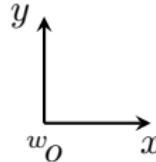
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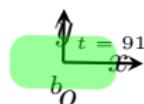
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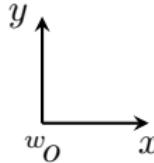
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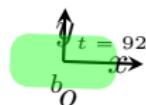
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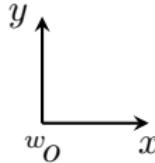
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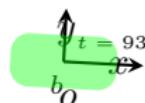
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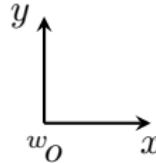
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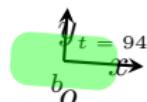
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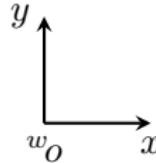
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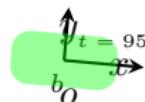
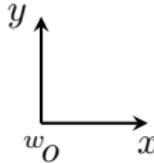
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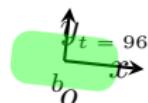


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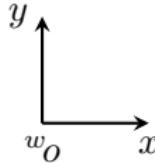
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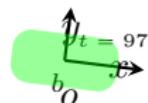
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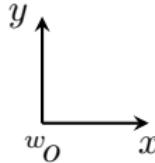
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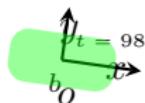
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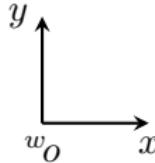
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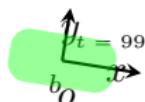
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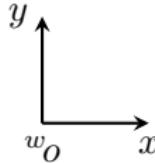
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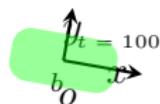
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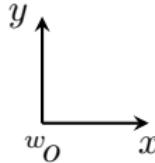
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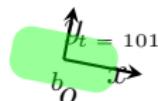
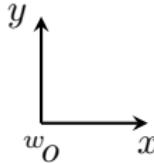
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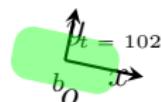
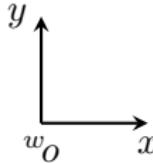
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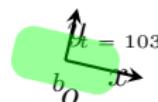
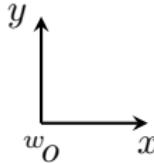
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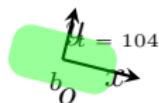
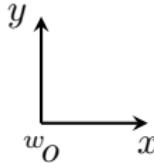
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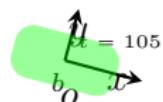
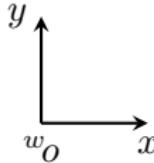
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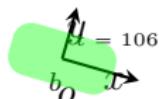
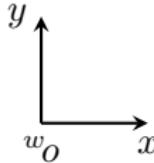
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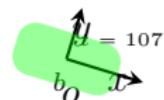
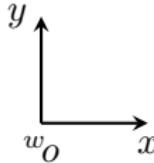
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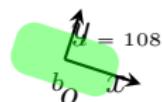
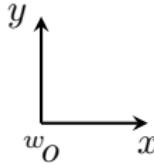
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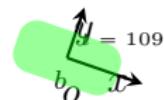
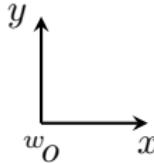
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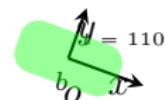


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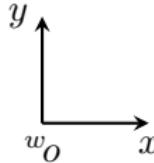
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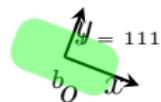
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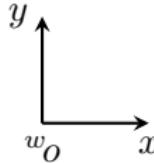
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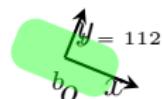
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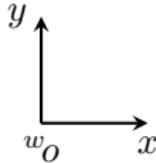
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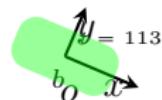
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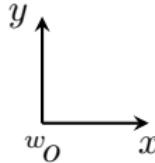
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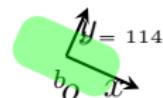
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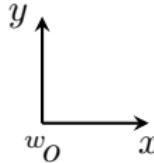
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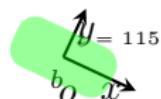
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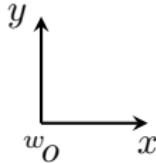
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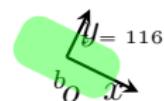
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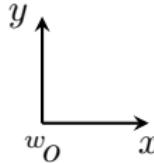
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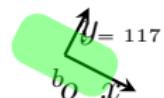
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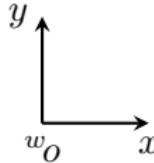
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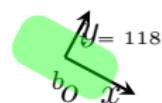
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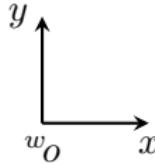
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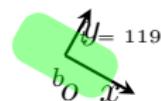
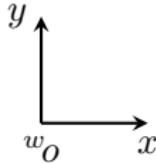
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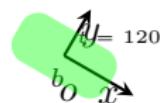
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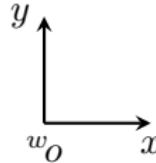
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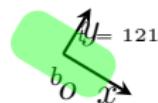
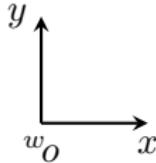
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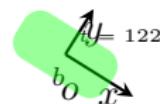


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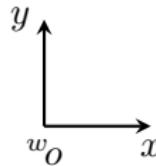
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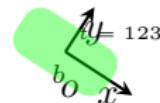
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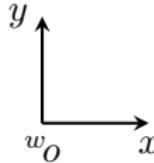
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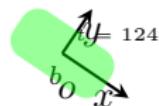
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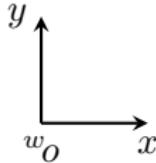
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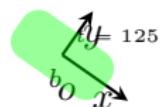
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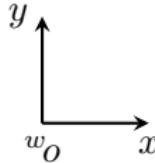
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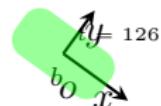
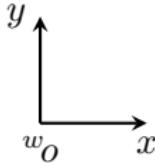
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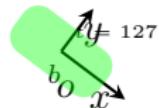
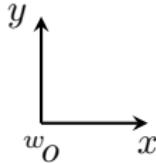
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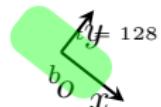


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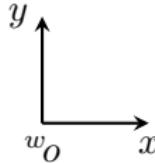
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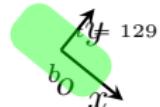
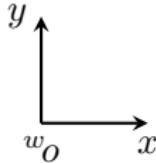
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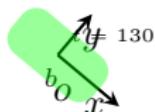
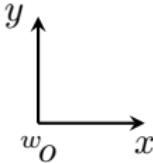
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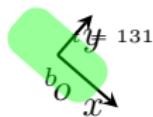
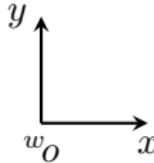
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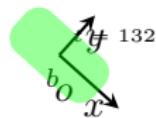
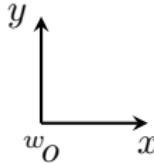
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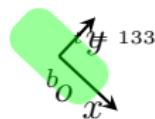
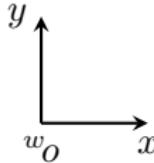
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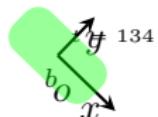
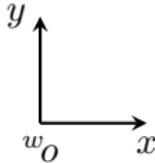
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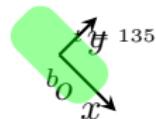
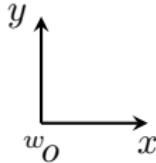
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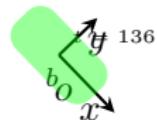
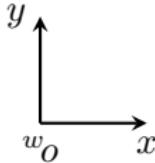
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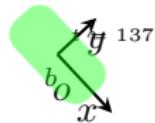
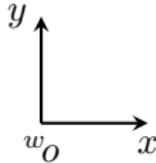
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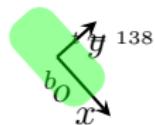
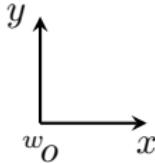
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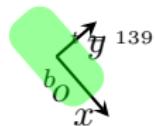
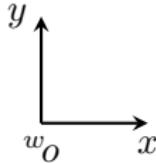
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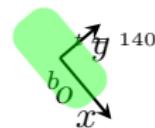
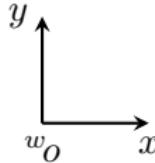
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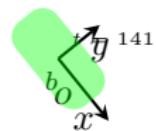
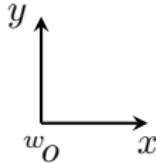
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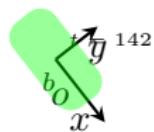
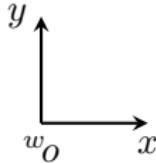
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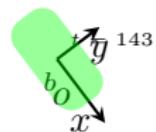
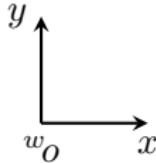
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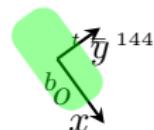
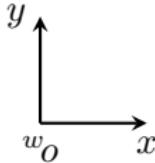
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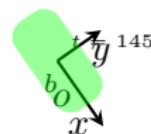
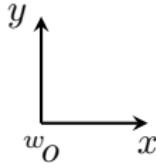
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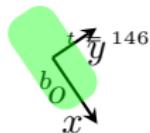
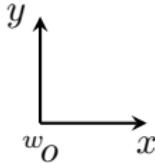
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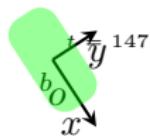
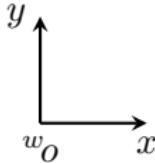
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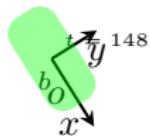
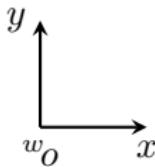
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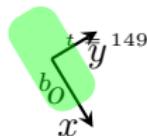
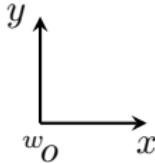
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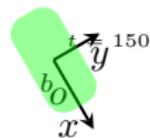
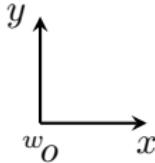
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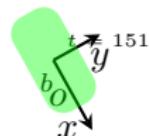
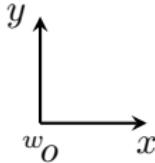
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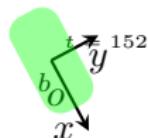
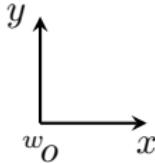
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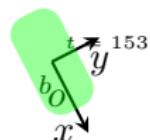
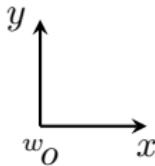
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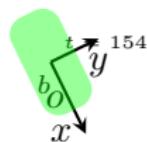
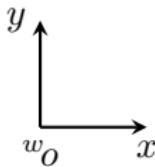
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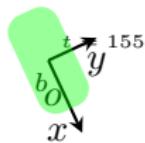
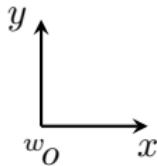
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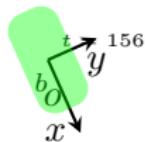
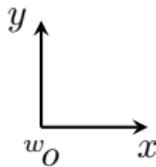
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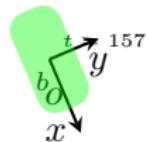
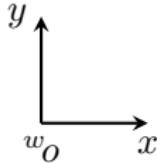
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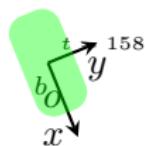
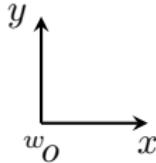
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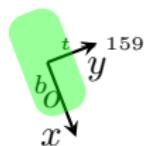
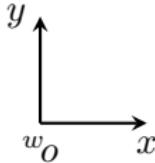
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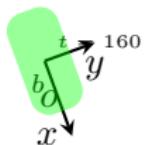
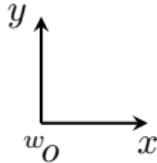
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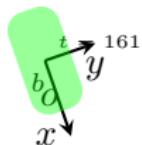
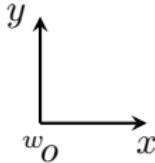
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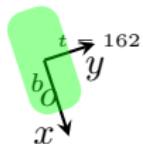
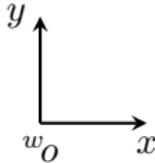
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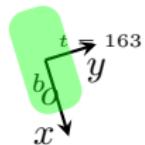
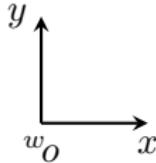
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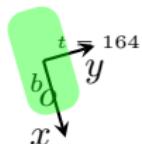
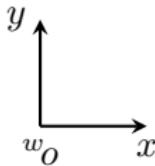
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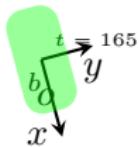
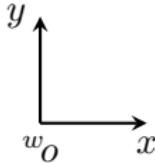
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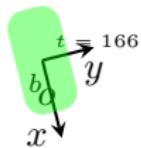
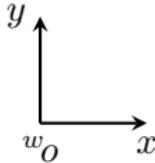
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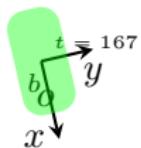
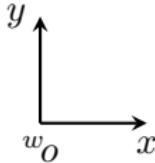
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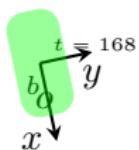
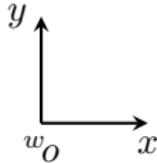
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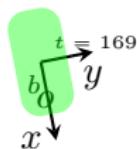
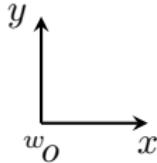
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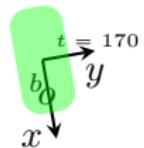
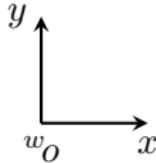
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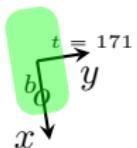
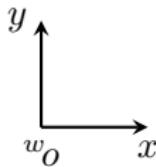
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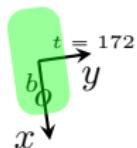
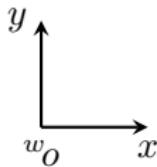
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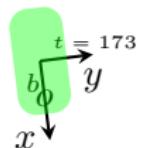
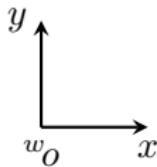
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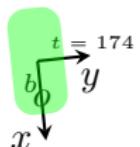
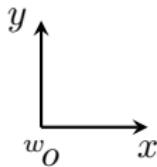
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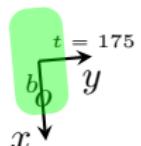
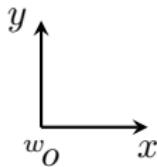
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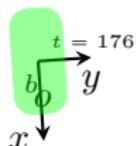
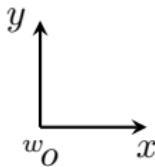
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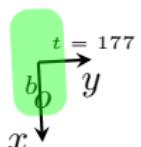
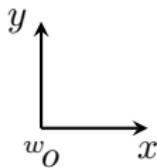
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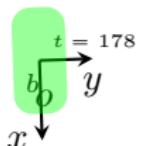
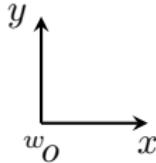
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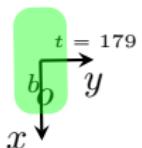
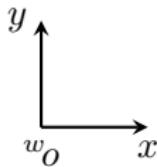
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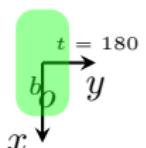
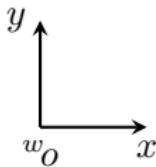
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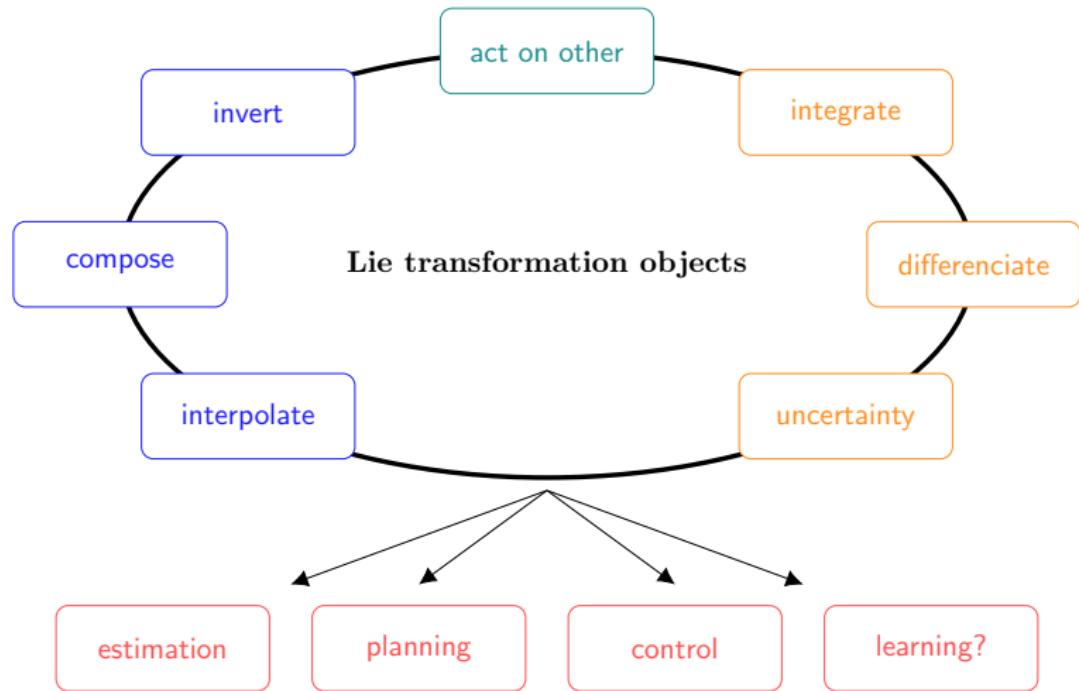
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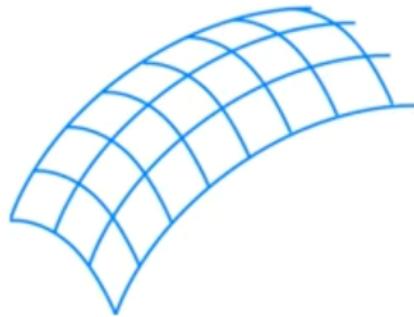
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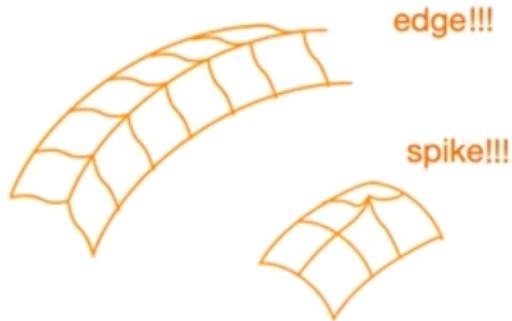
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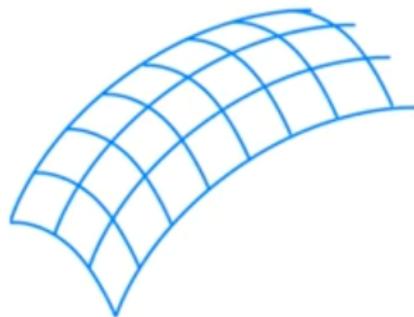
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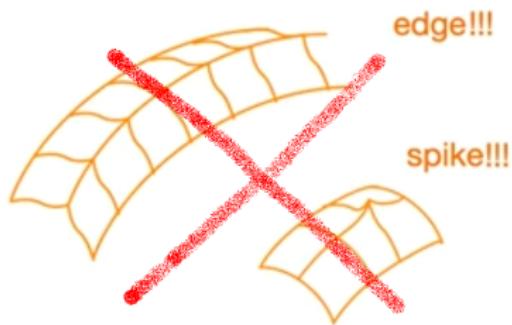
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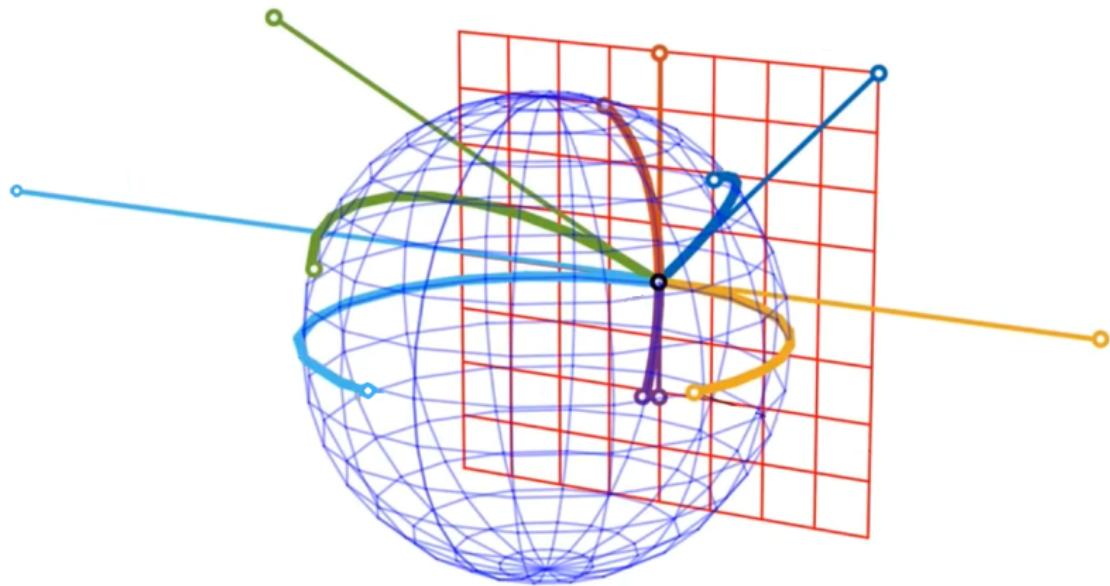
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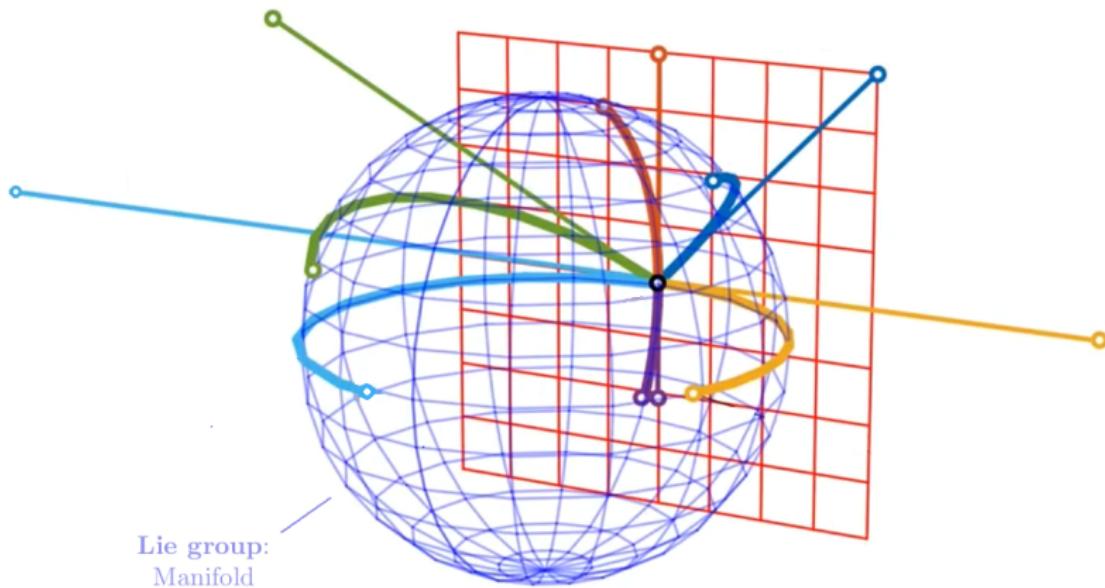
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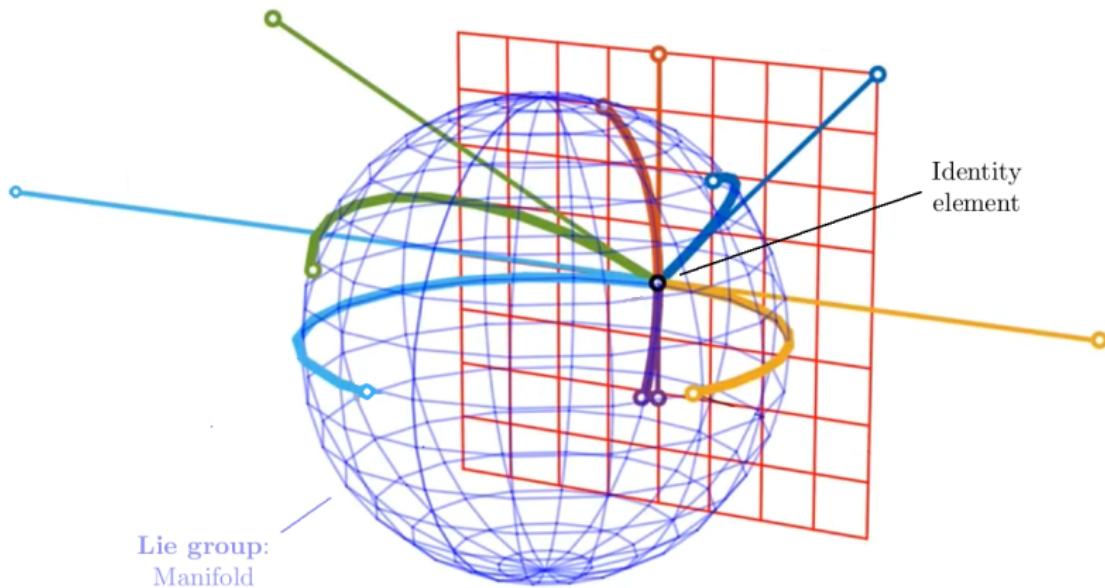
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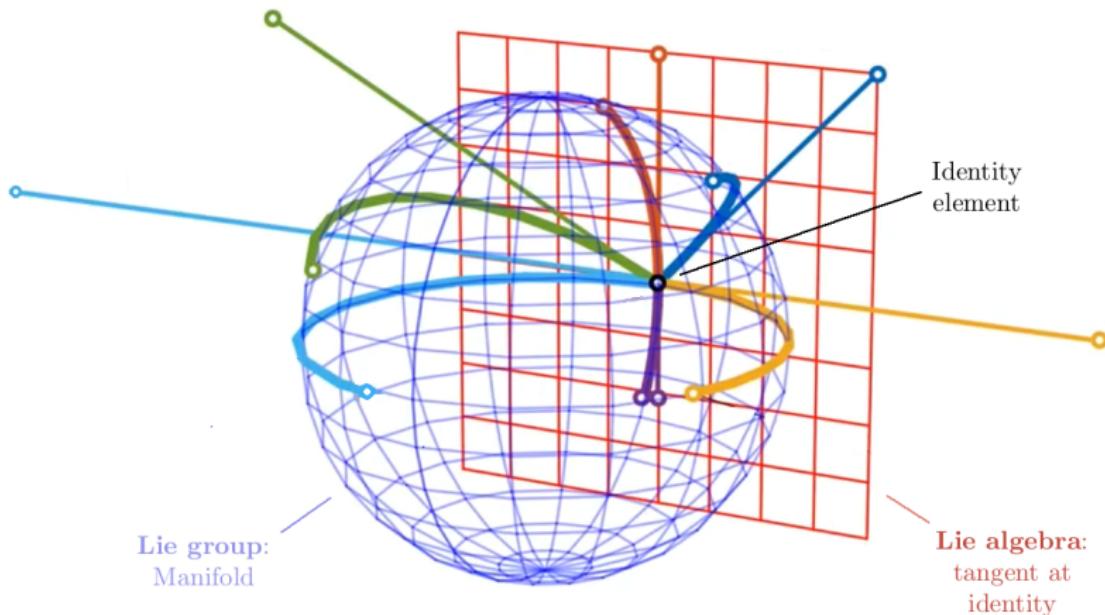
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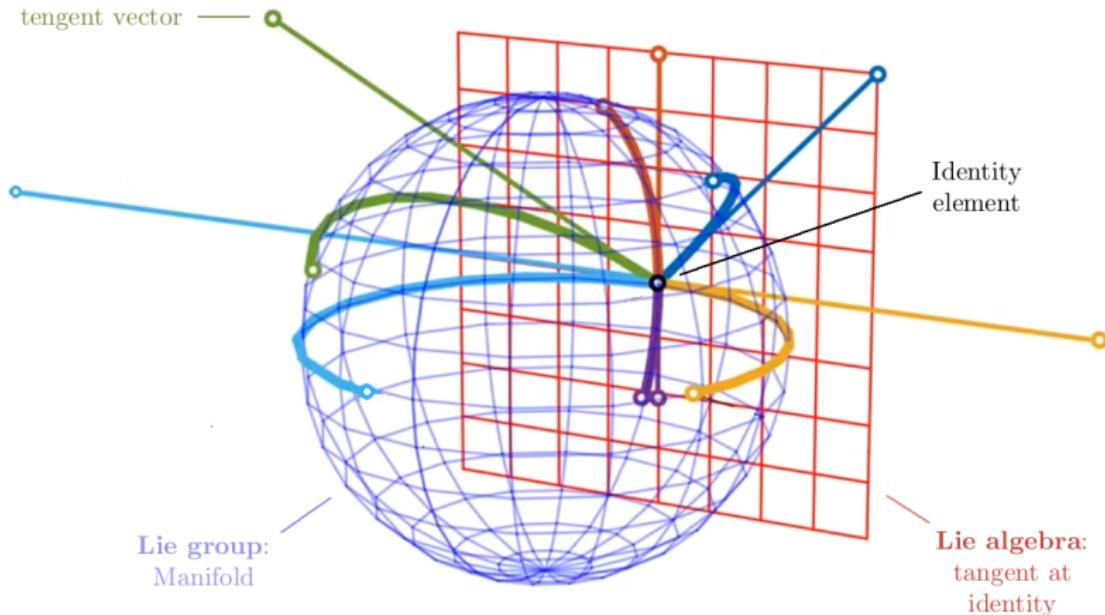
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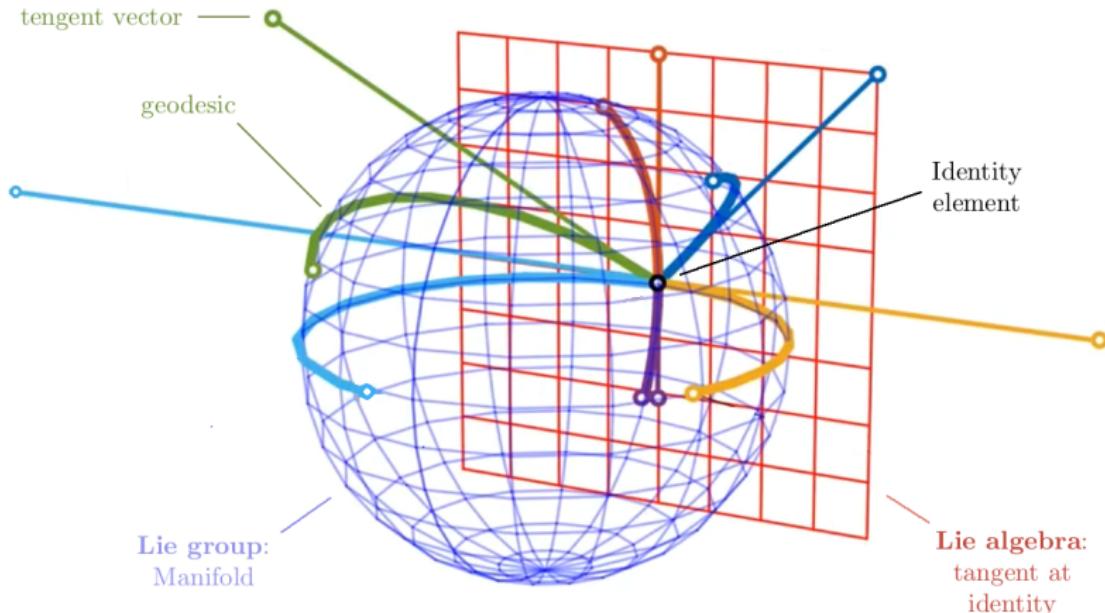
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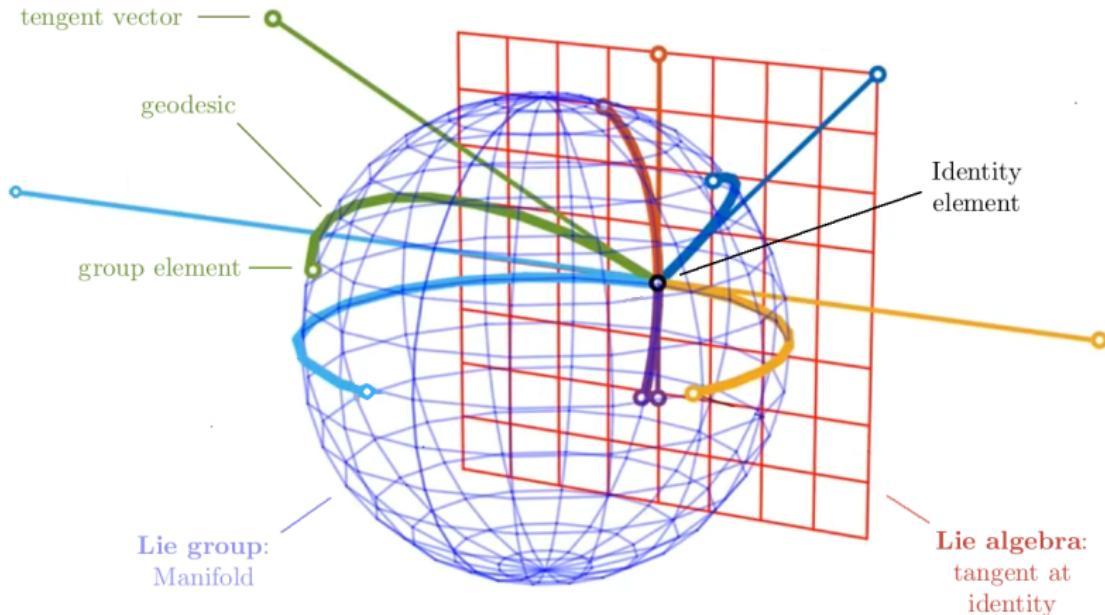
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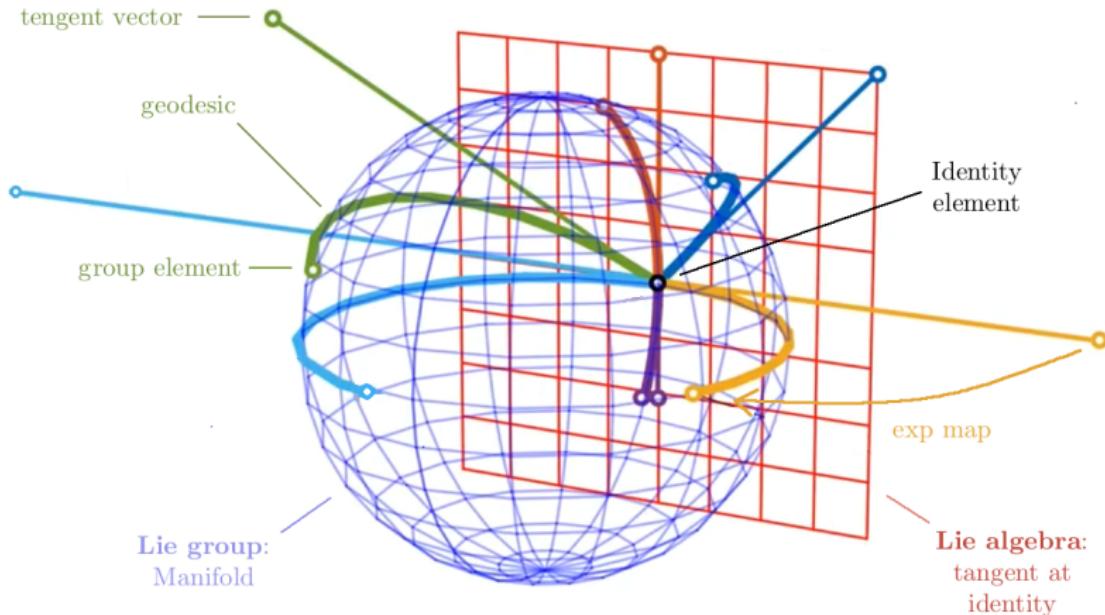
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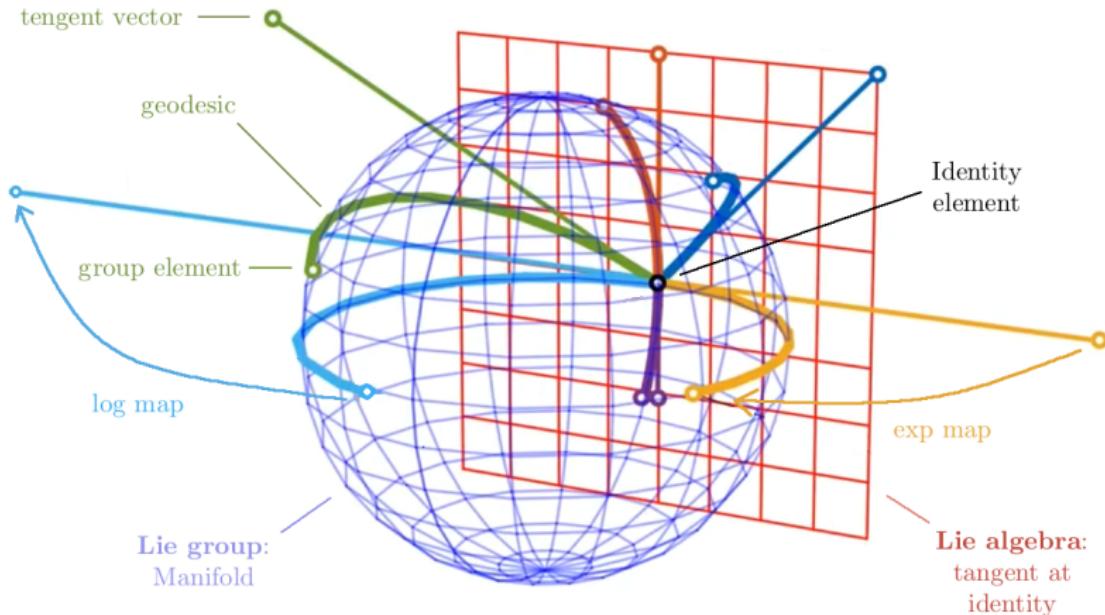
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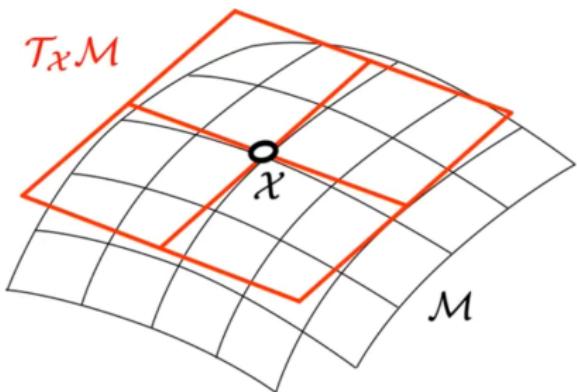
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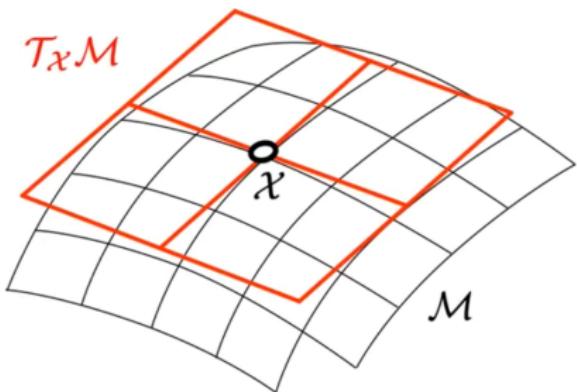


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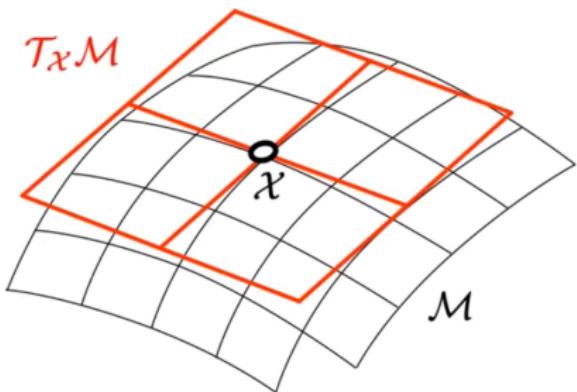
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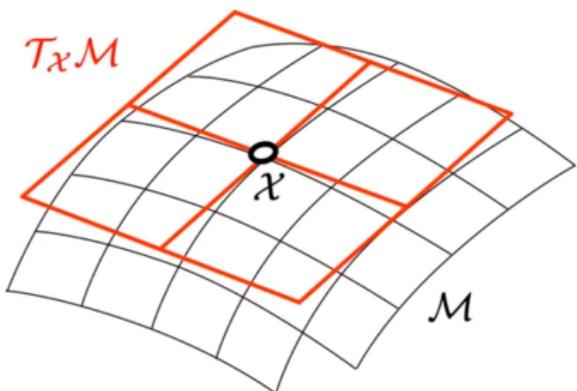
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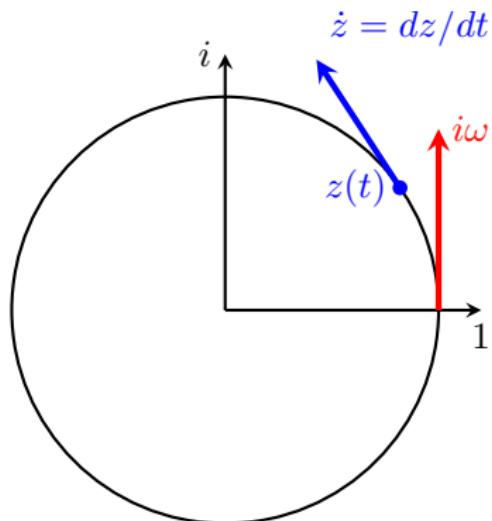


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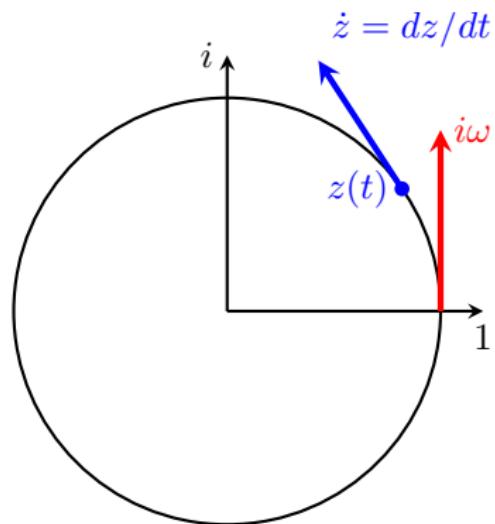
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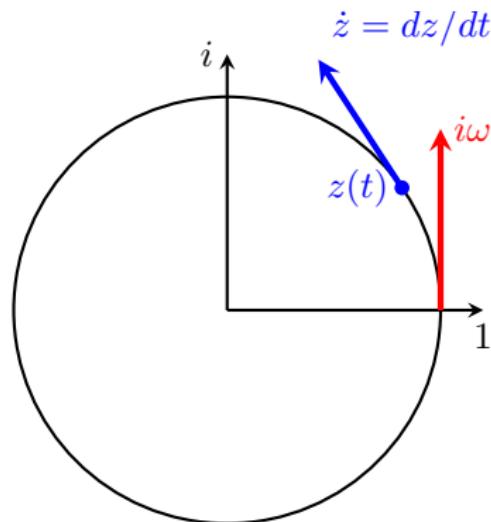
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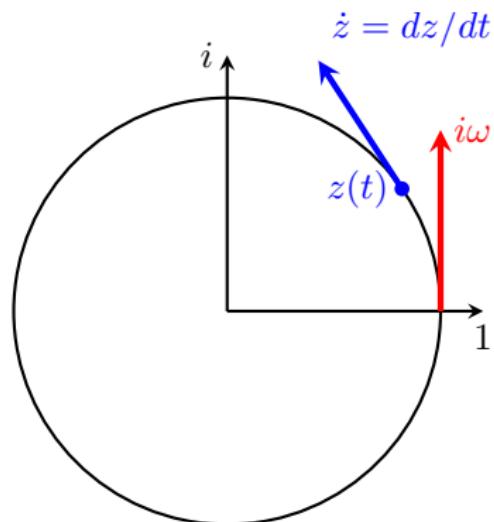
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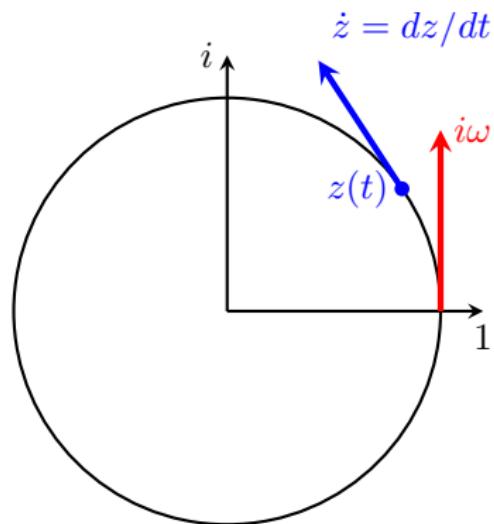
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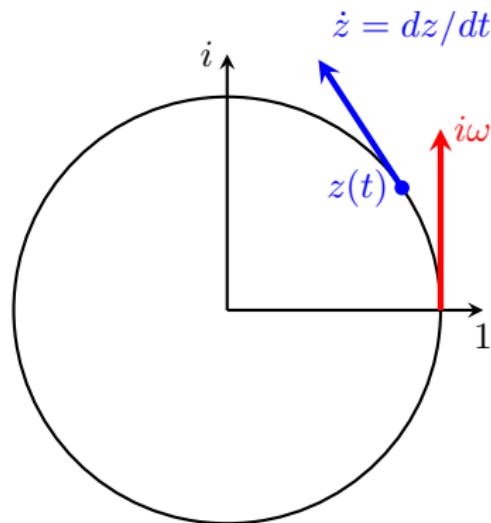
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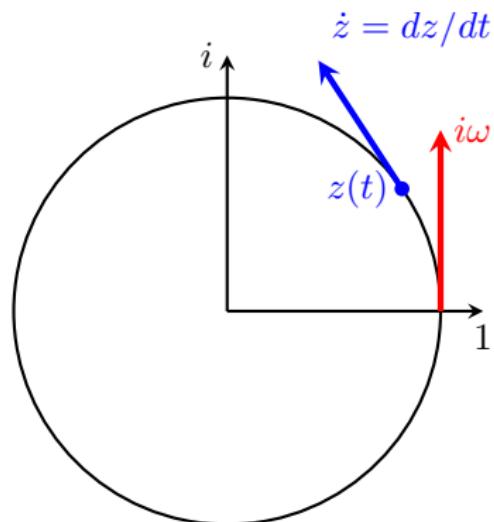
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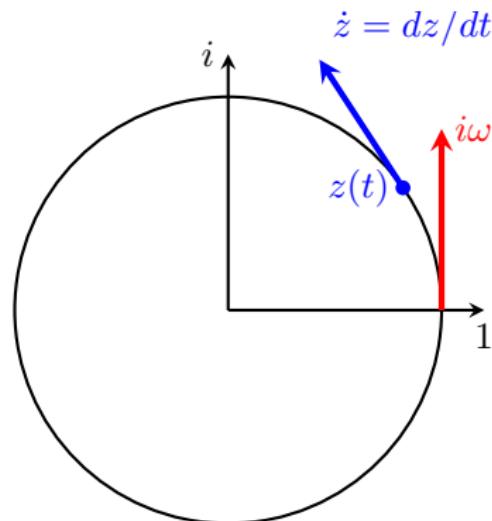
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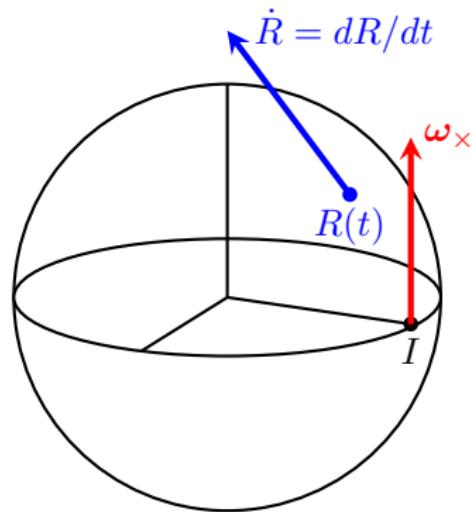
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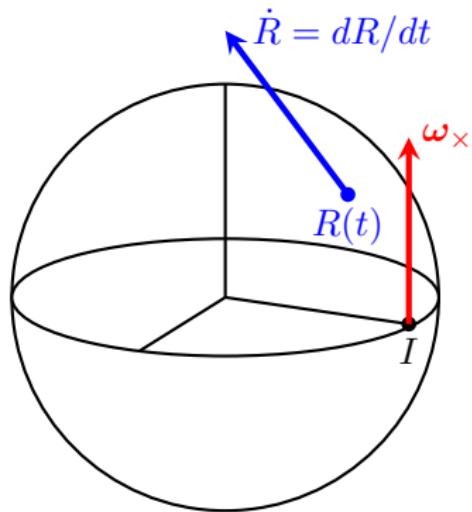
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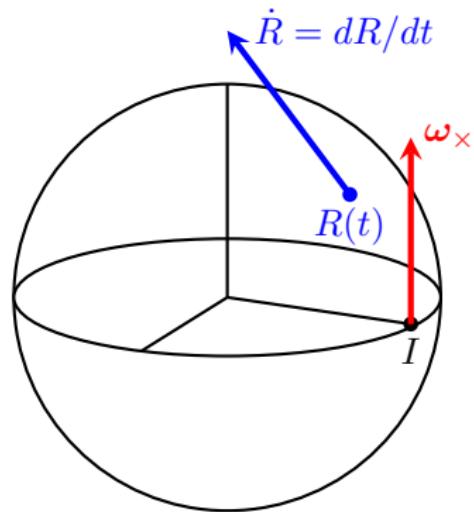
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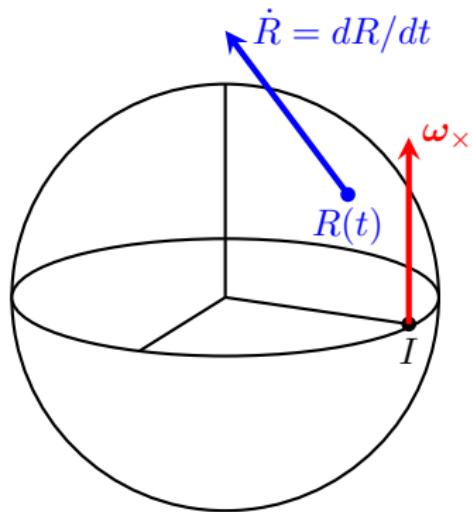
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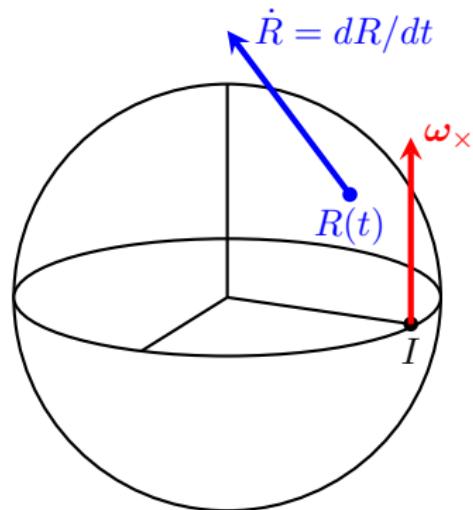
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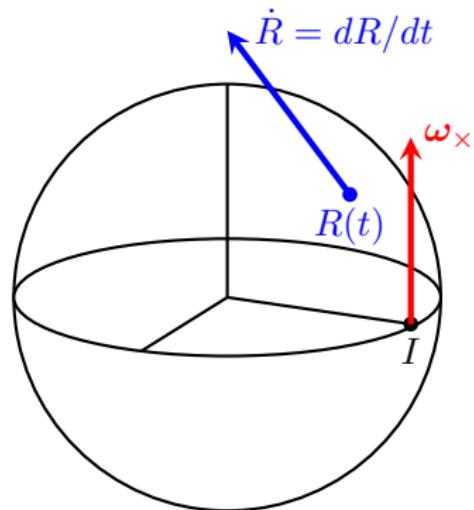
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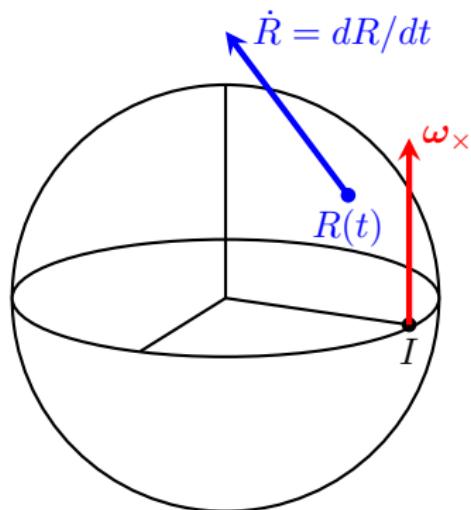
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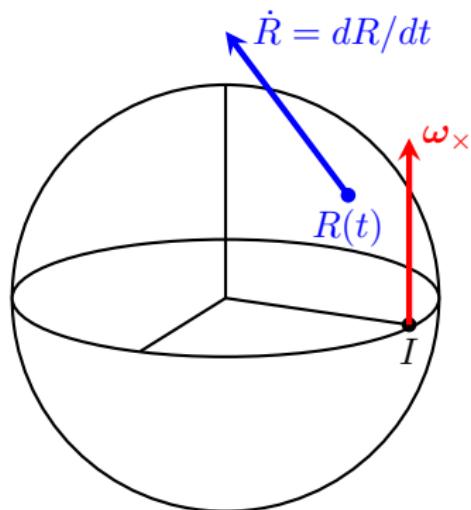
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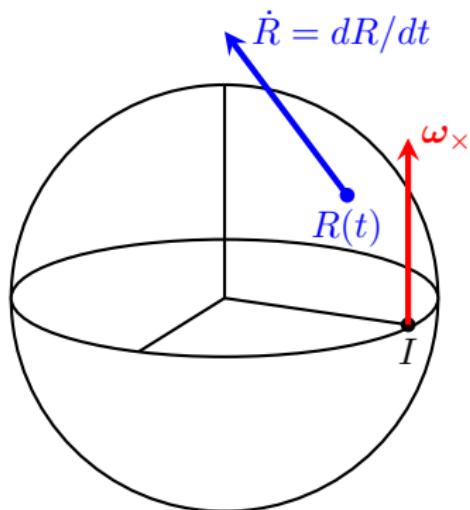
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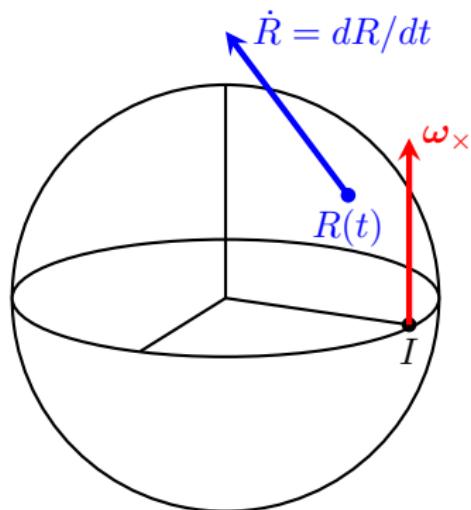
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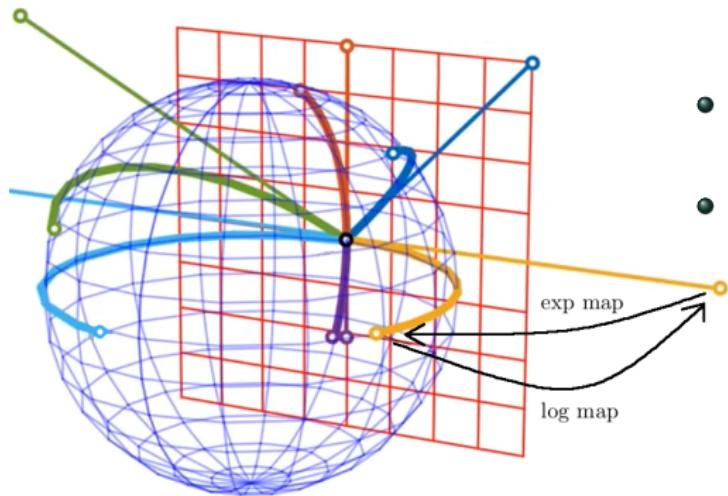
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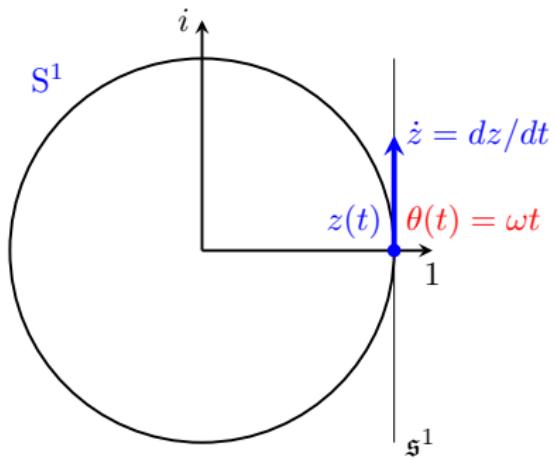
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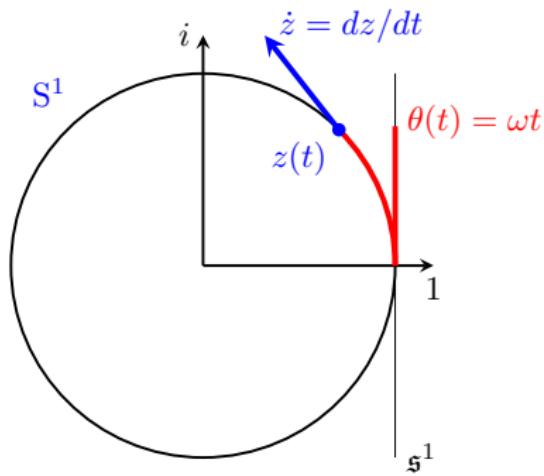
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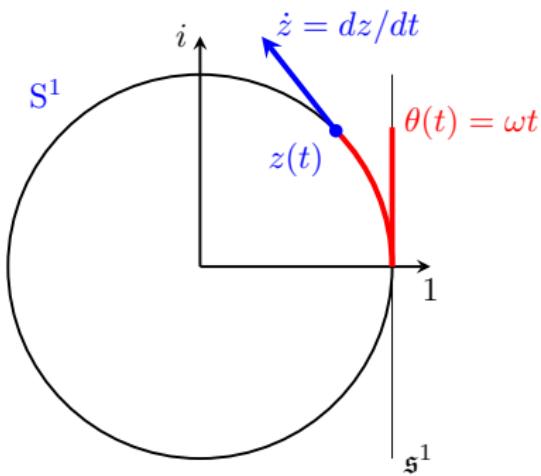
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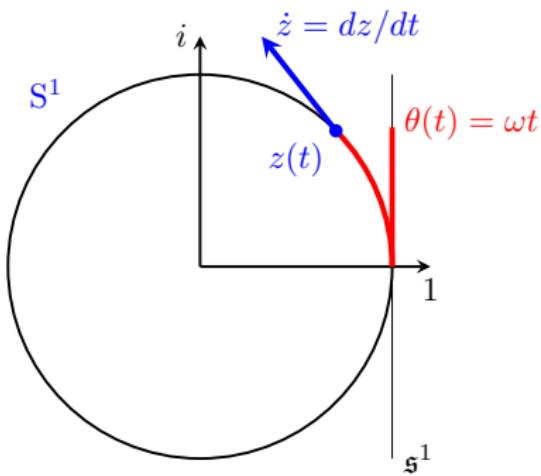
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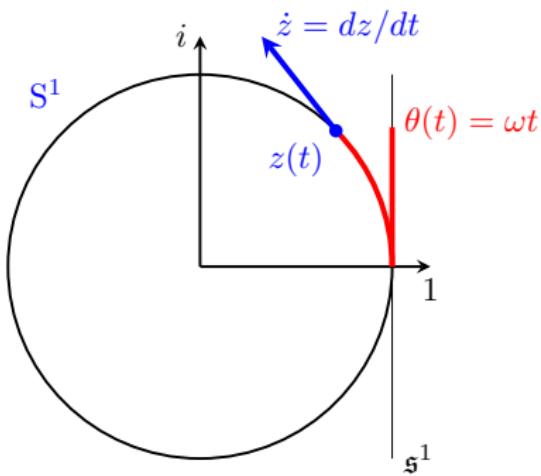
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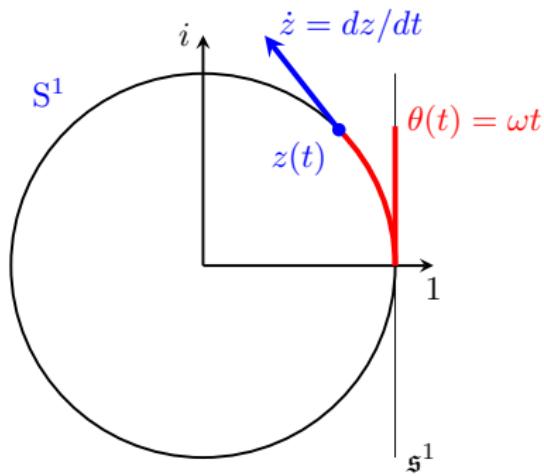
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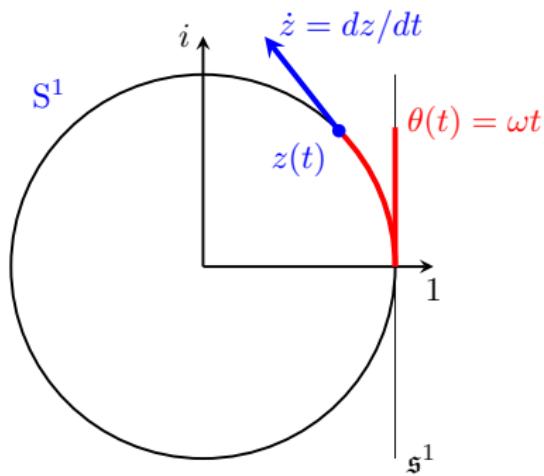
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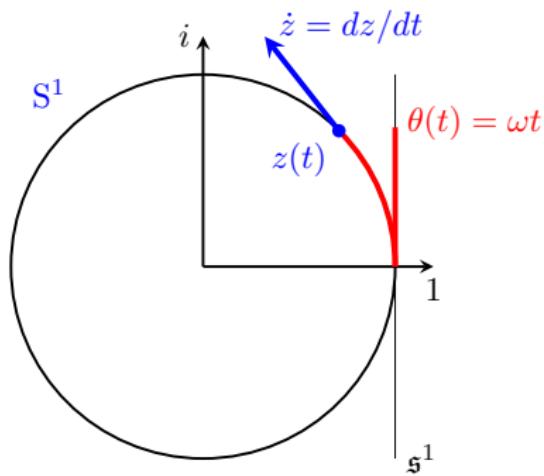
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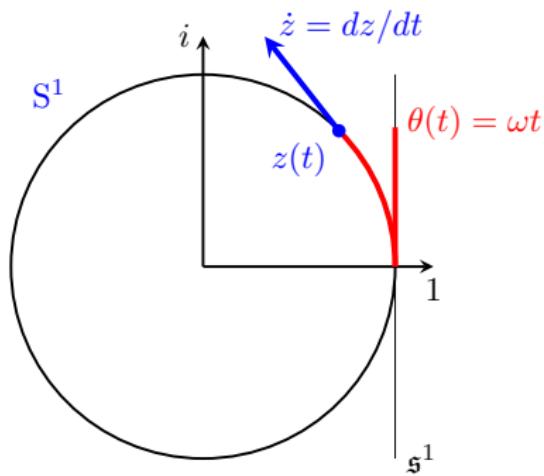
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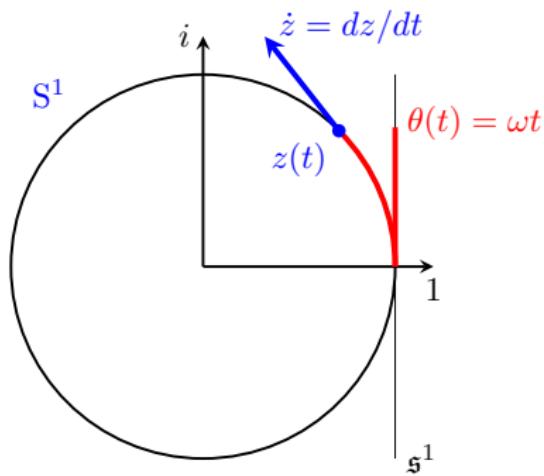
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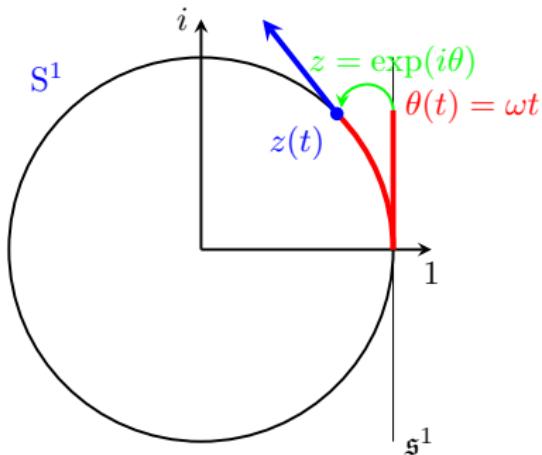
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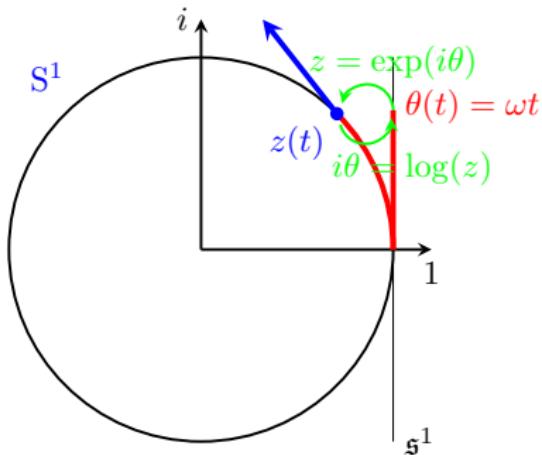
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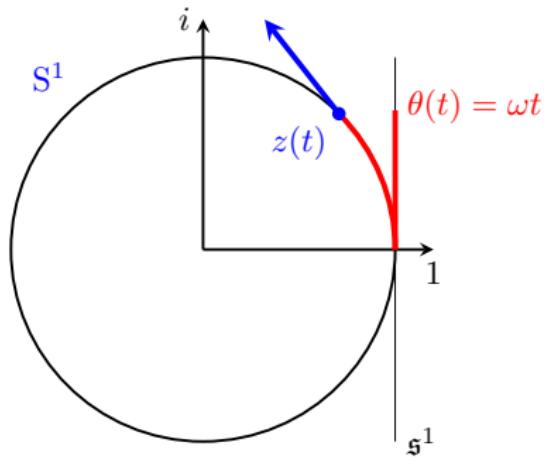
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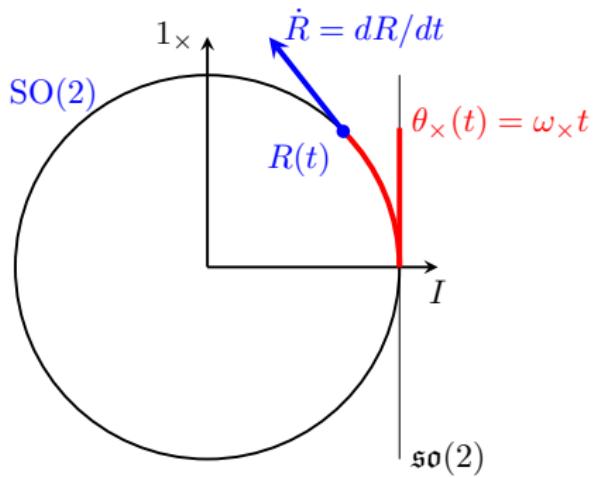
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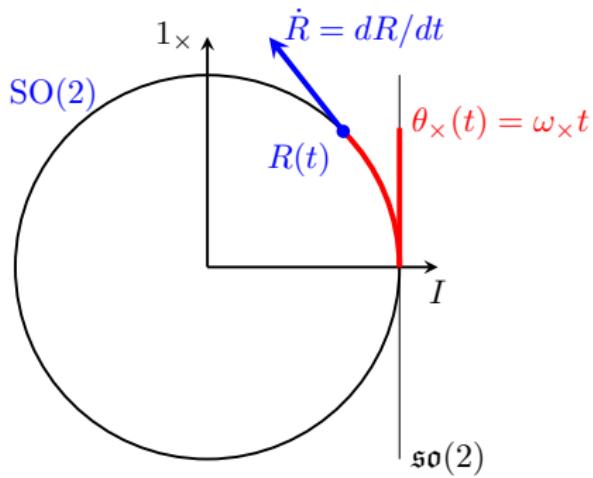
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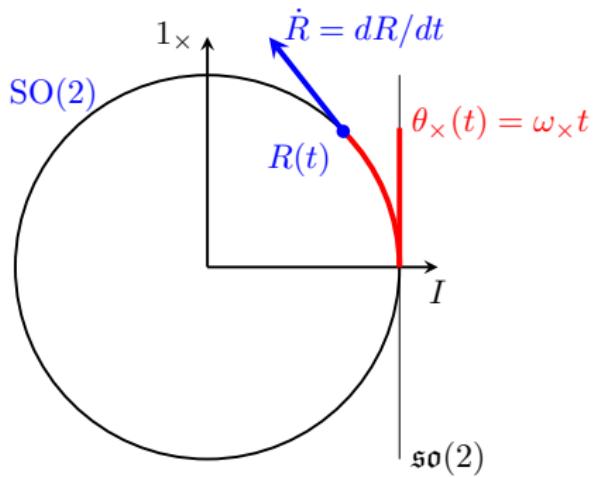
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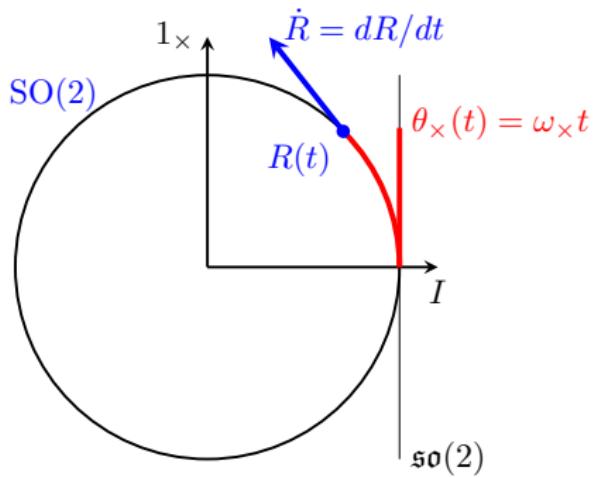
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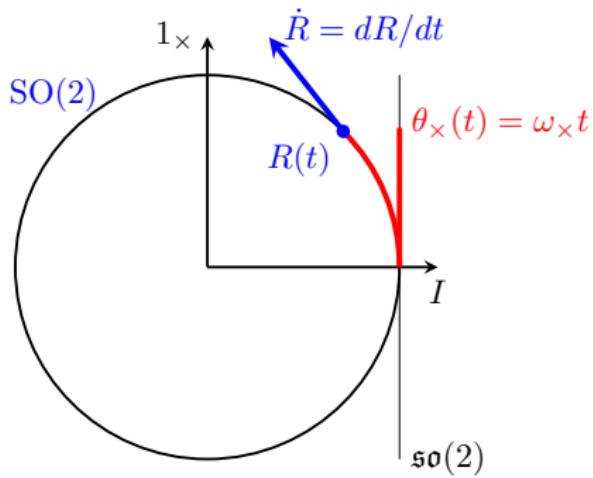
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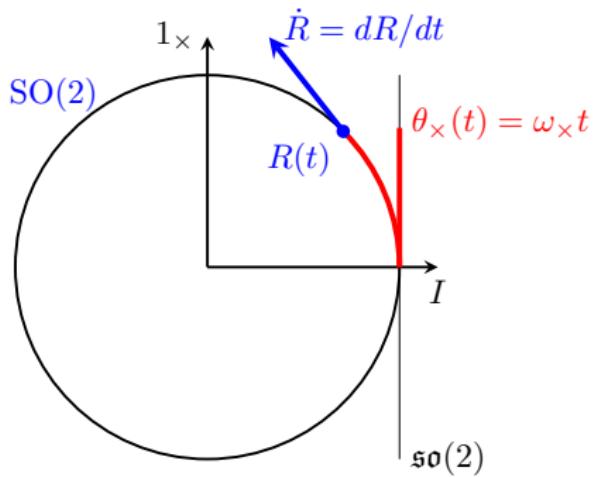
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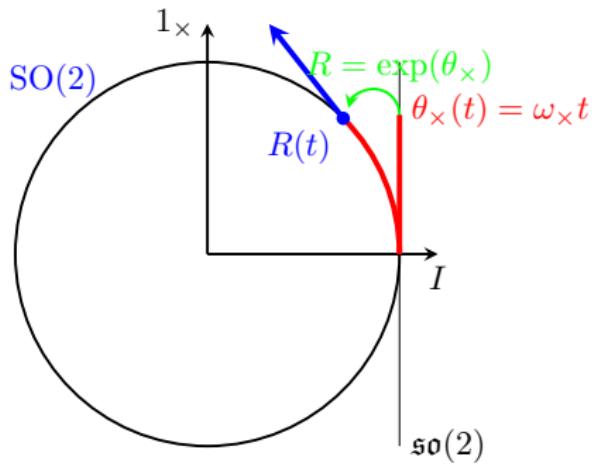
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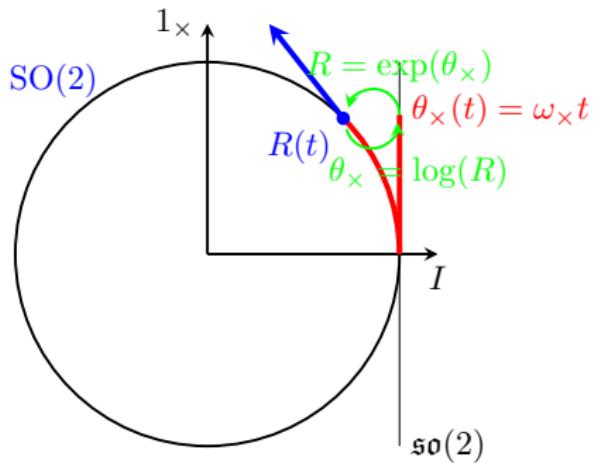
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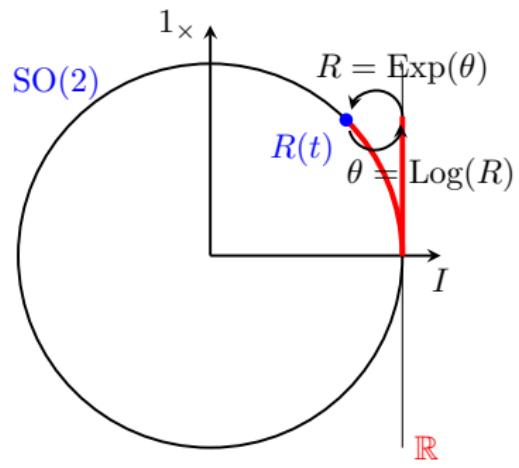
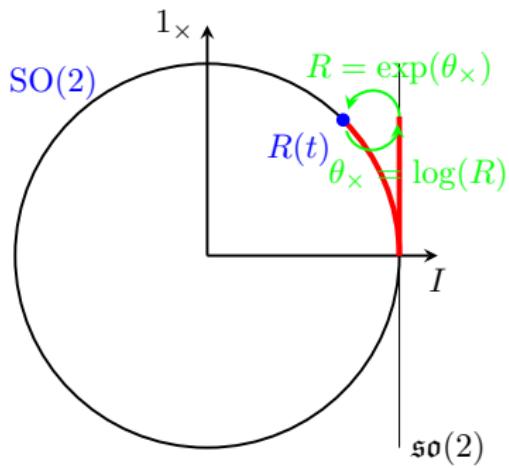
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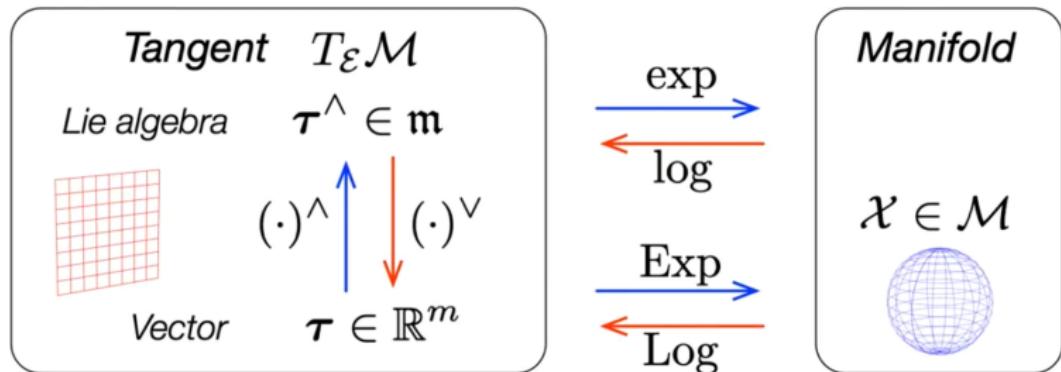
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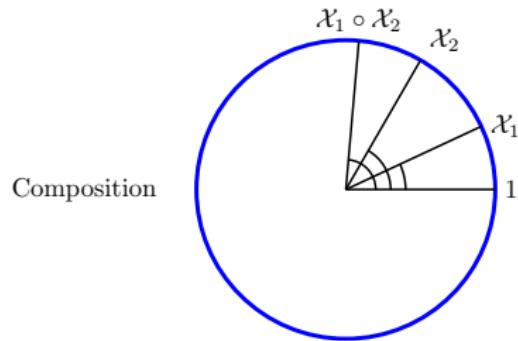
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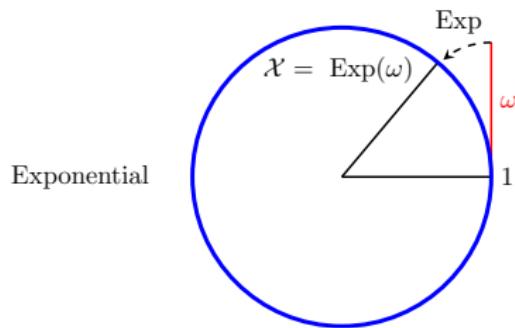
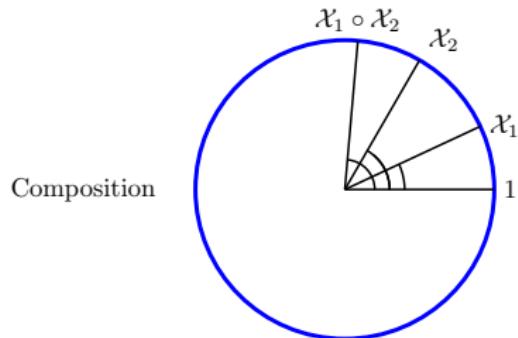
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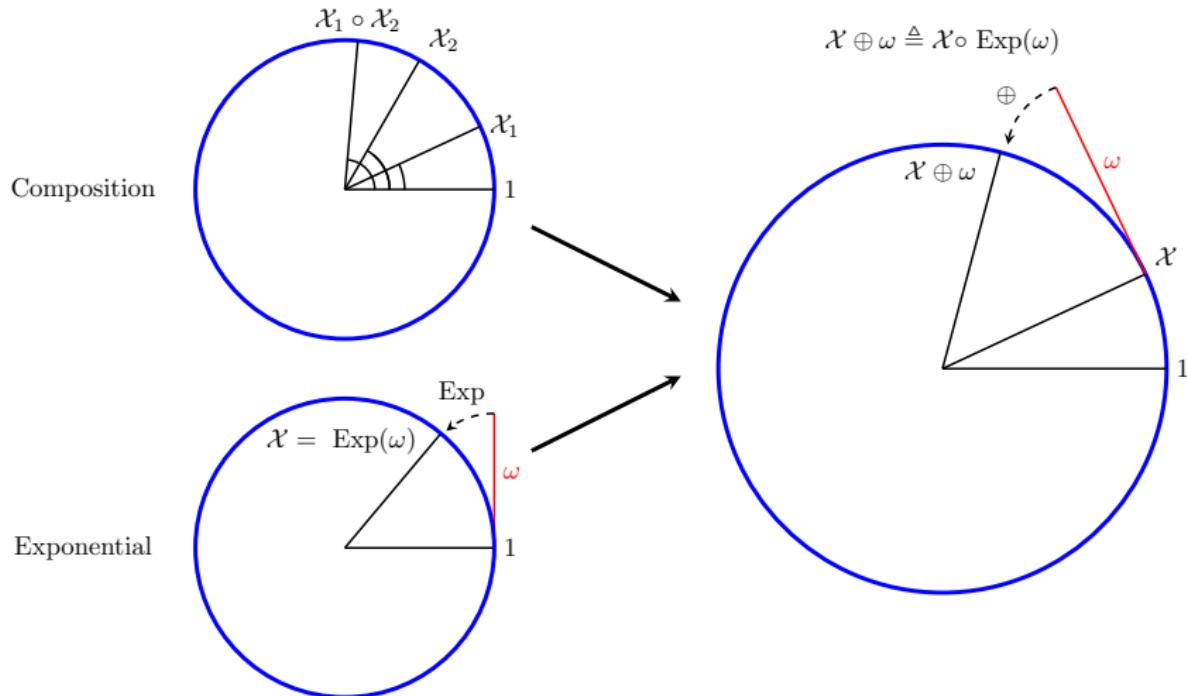
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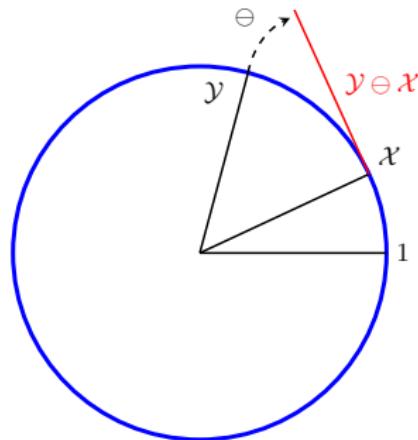
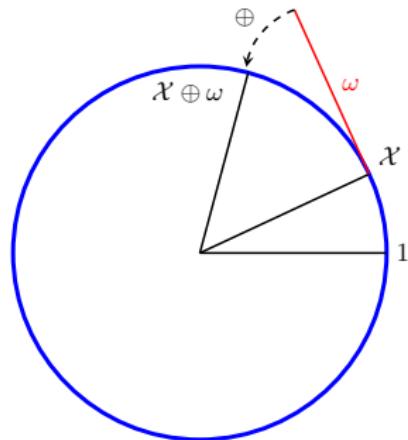


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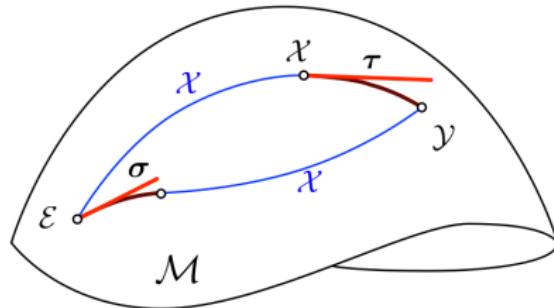
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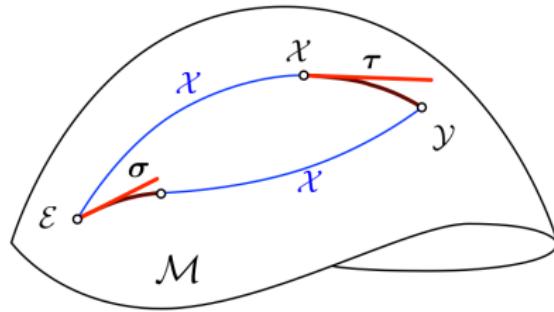


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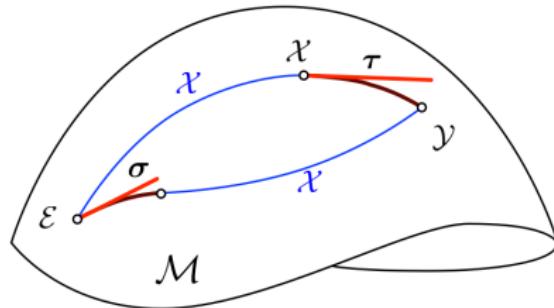


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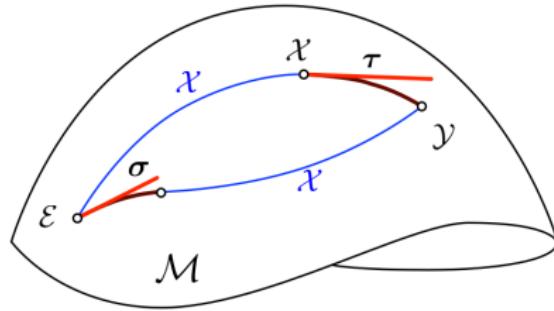


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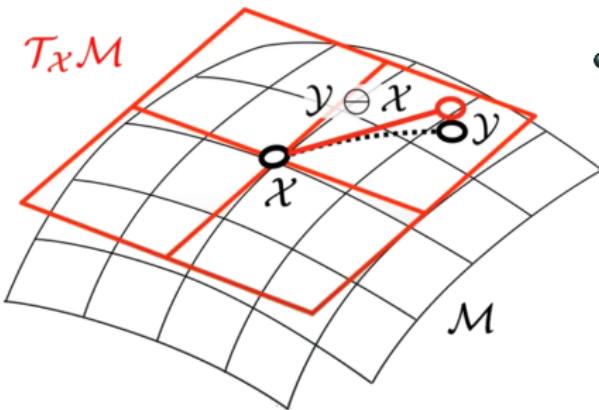
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Calculus on Lie groups

Use the plus and minus operators!



- Express as Cartesian vector:
 - Perturbations, errors, increments, ...
- And define easily:
 - Jacobians of functions $f : \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{N}$
 - Covariances of elements \mathcal{X} in \mathcal{M}

Jacobians on Lie groups

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Vector spaces

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Lie groups

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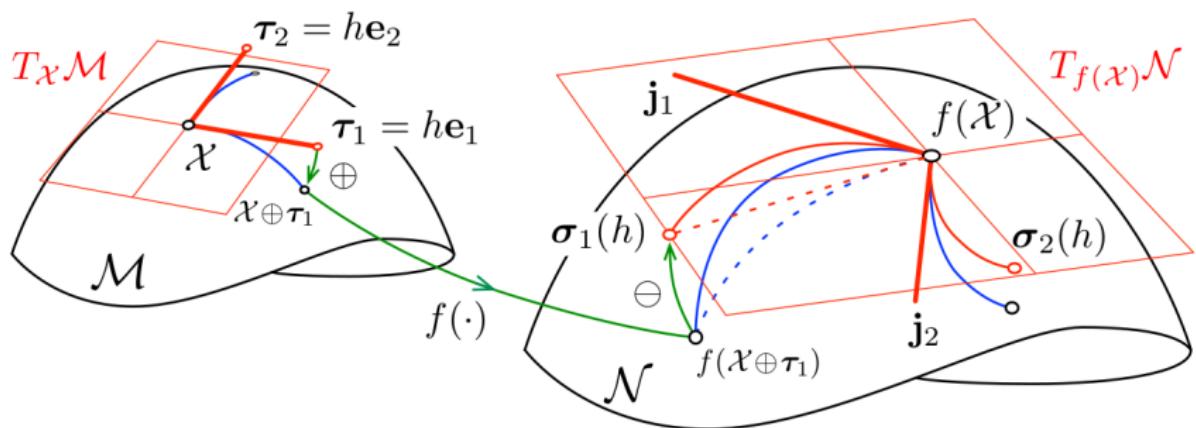
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Differentiation rules on Lie groups

From elementary Jacobian blocks to any Jacobian

For each group

adjoint

$\text{Ad}_{\mathcal{X}}$

inverse

$$\frac{D\mathcal{X}^{-1}}{D\mathcal{X}} = -\text{Ad}_{\mathcal{X}}$$

Deduce from the previous

right
Jacobi
an

$$J_r = \frac{D\text{Exp}(\tau)}{D\tau}$$

comp.

$$\text{action} \quad \frac{D\mathcal{X} \cdot p}{D\mathcal{X}}, \frac{D\mathcal{X} \cdot p}{Dp}$$

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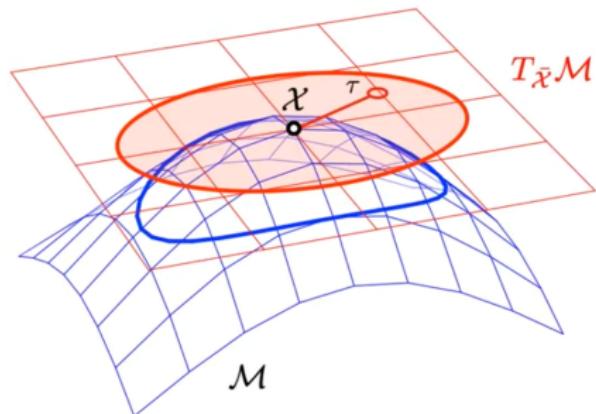
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Use the chain rule for any other Jacobian!

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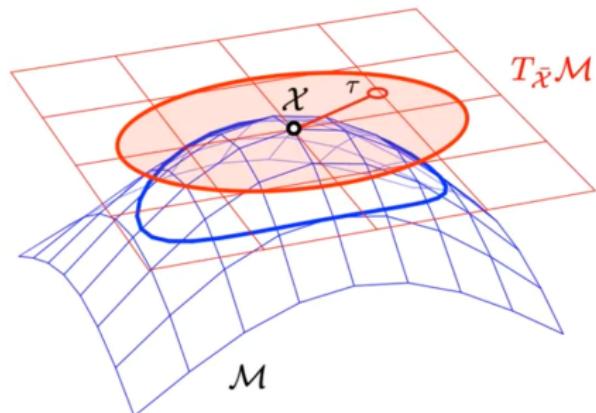
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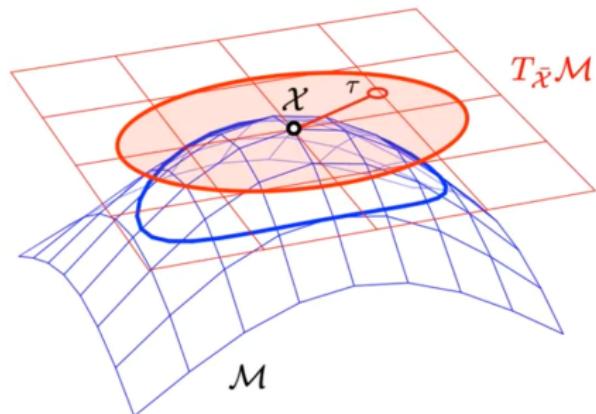
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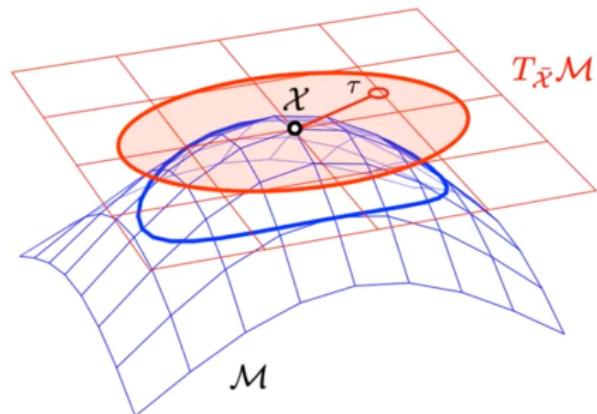
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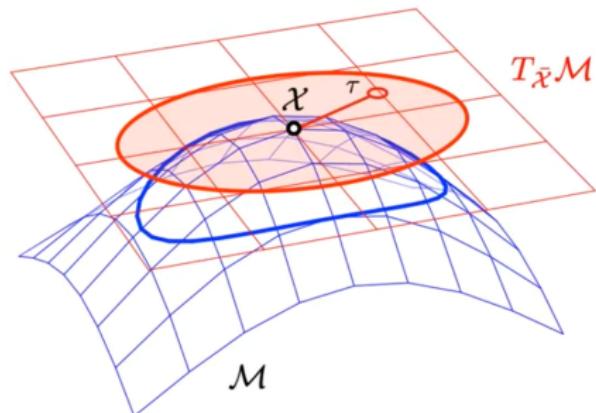
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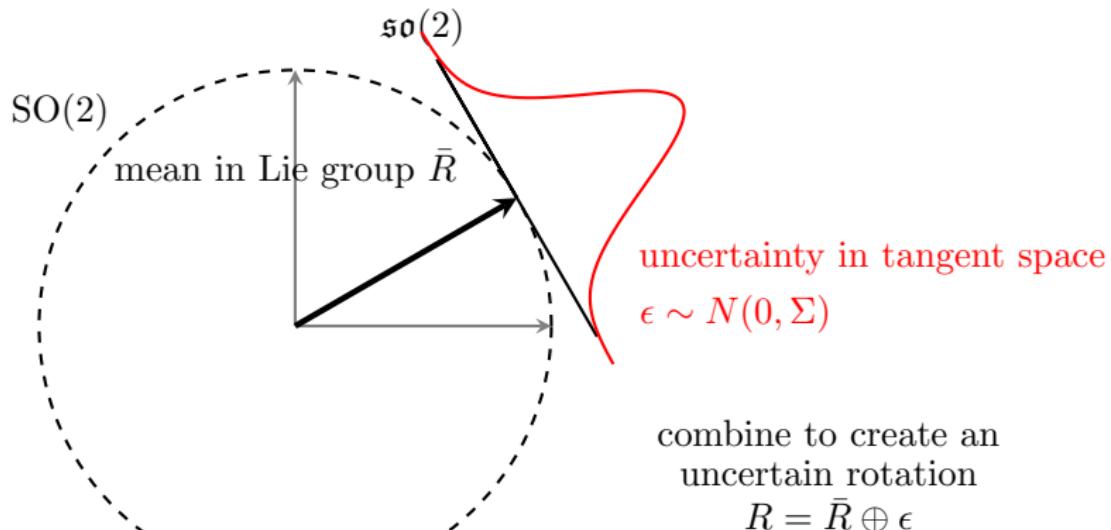
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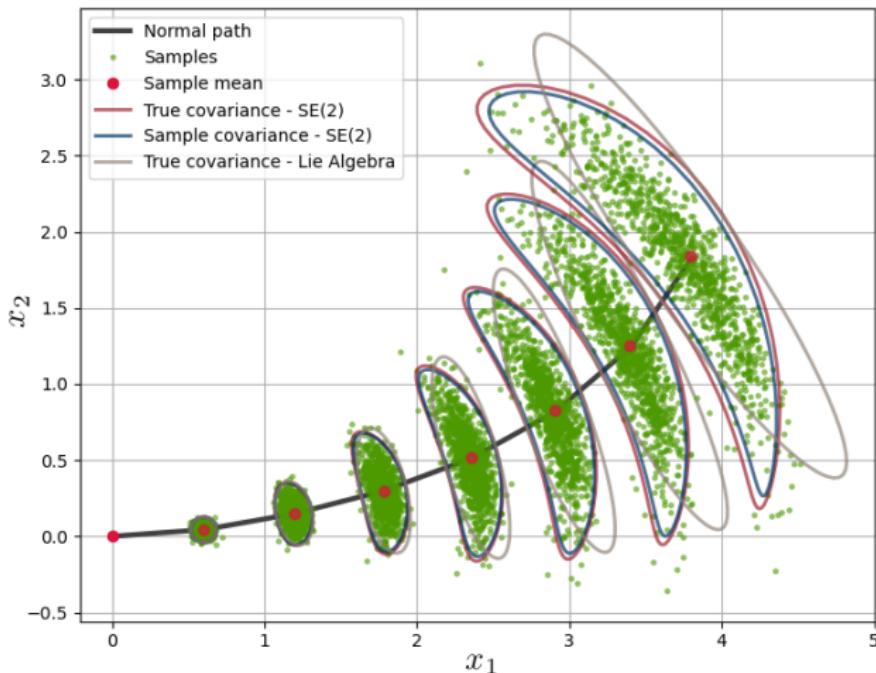
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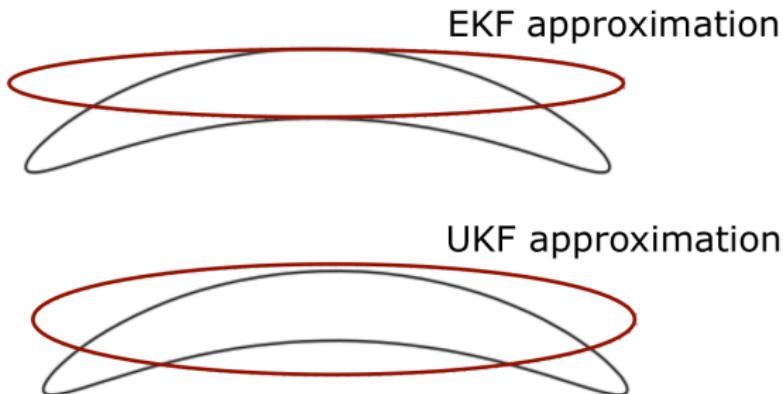
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Compare with traditional EKF and UKF approach

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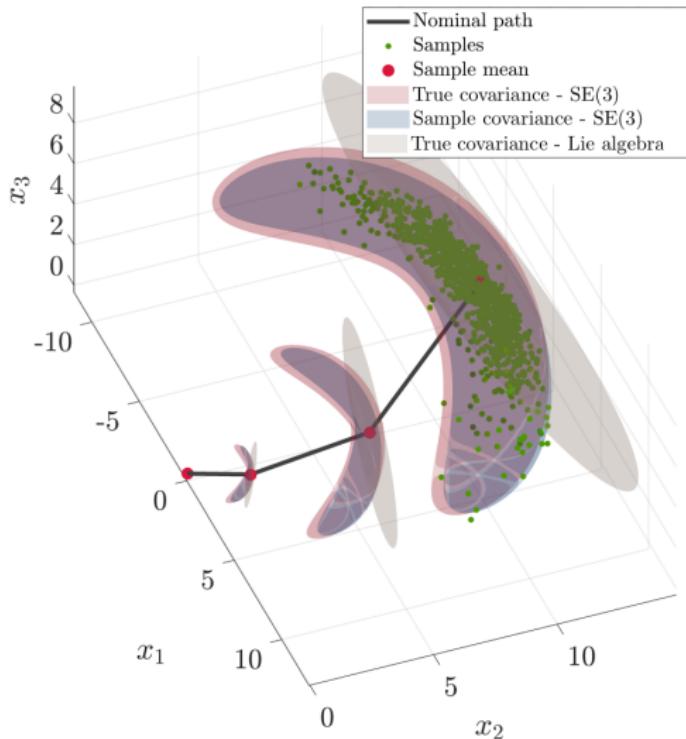
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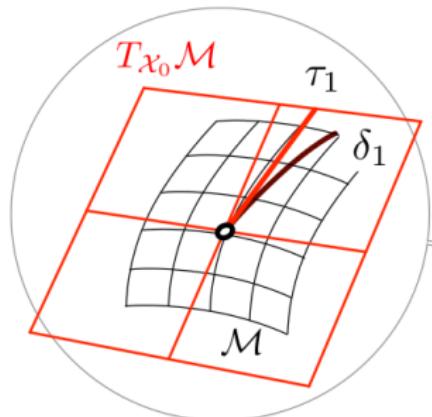
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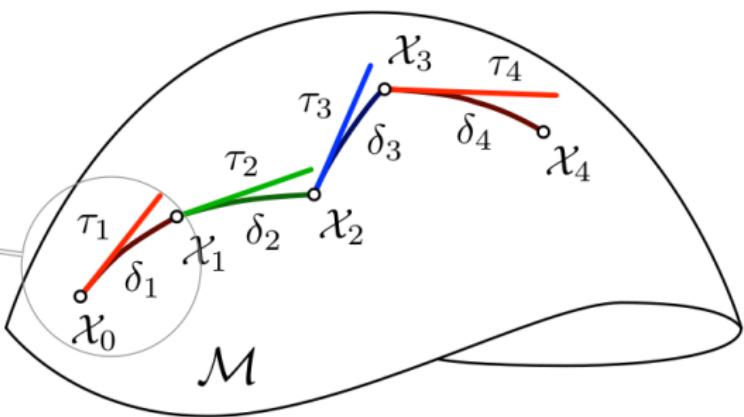


Integration on Lie groups

continuous time, ω const



discrete time, ω piecewise constant



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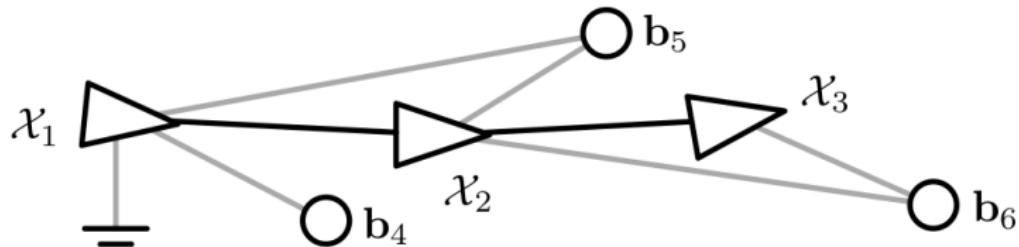
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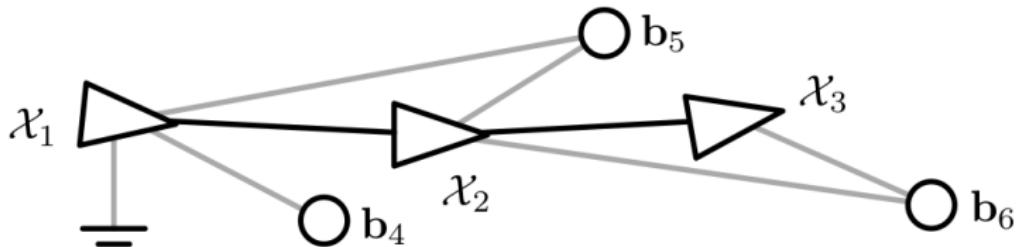
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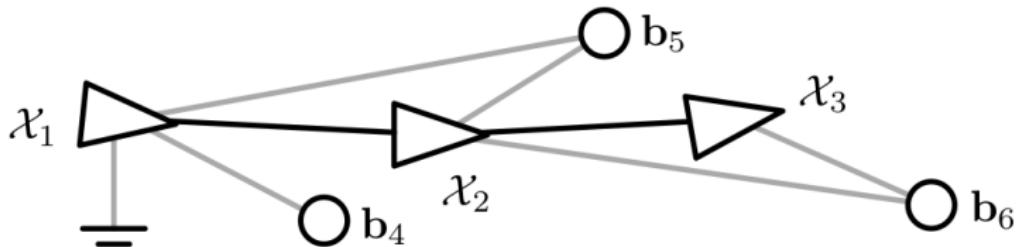
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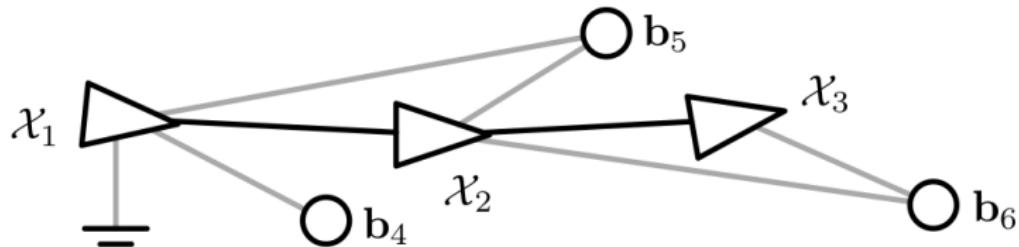
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