

*Polynomial Interpolation of a  
Vector Field  
on a Convex Polygonal Domain*

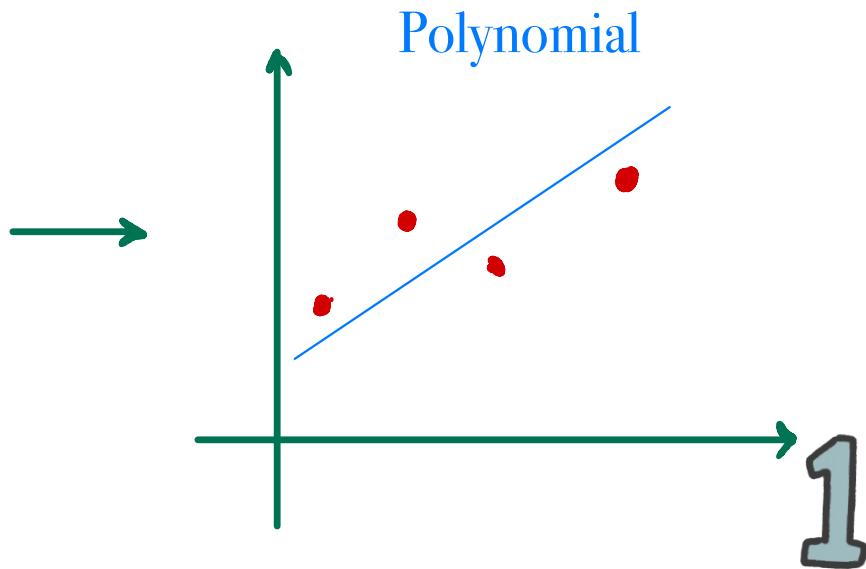
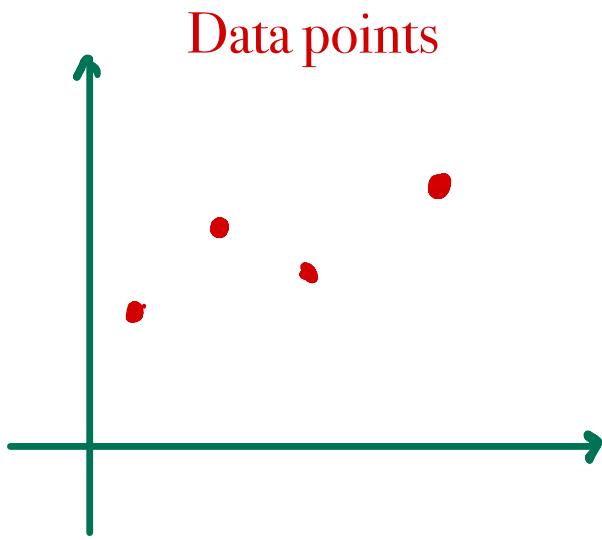
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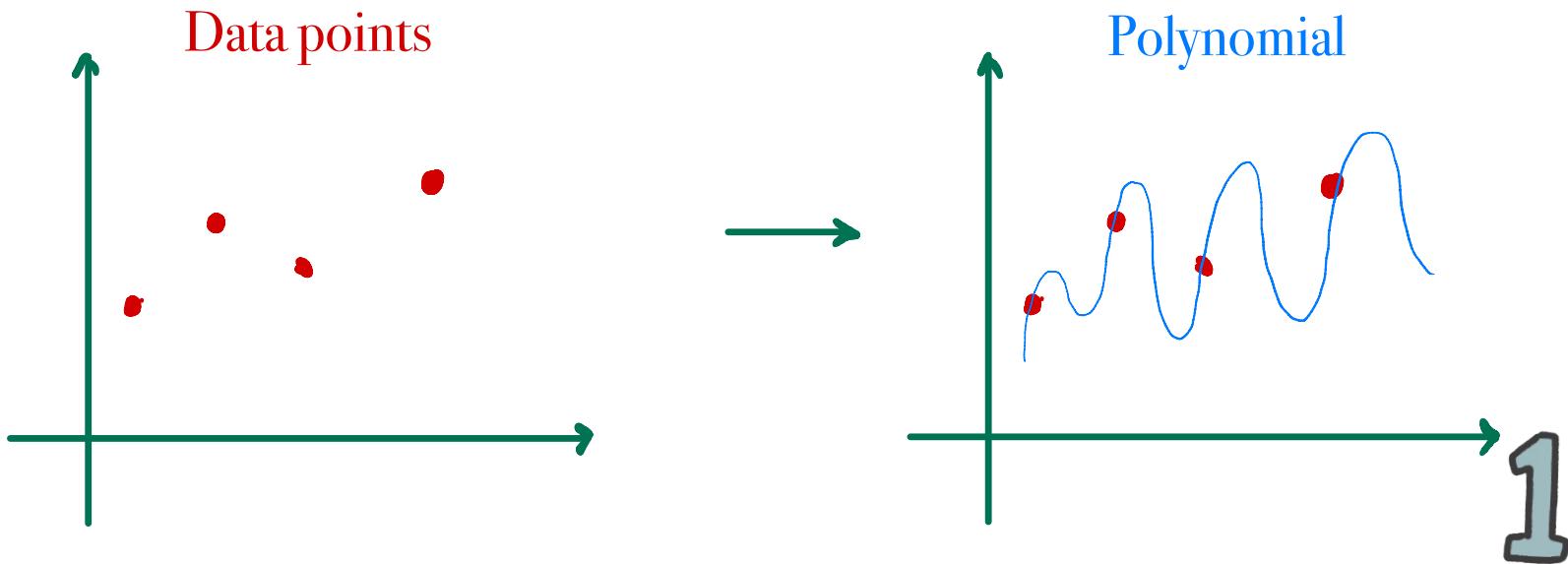
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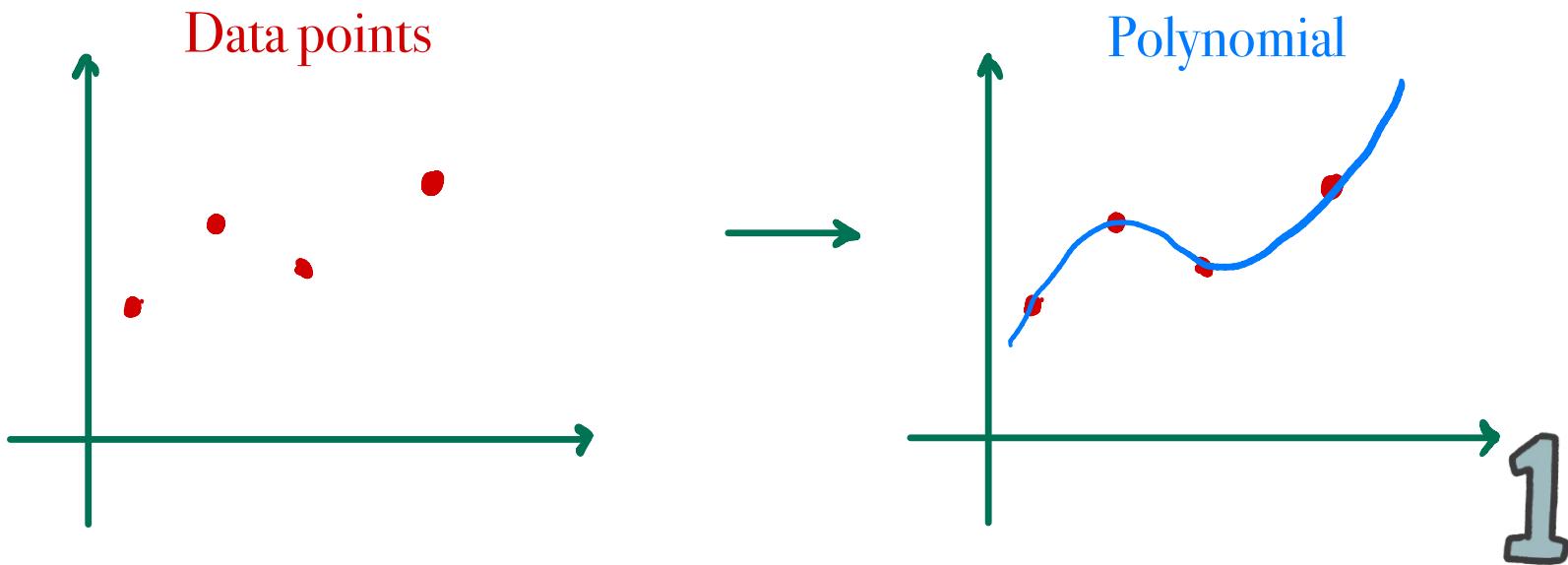
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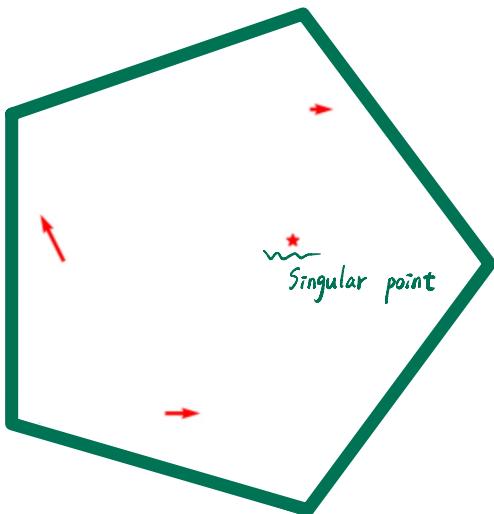
# Goal:

Input  $\xrightarrow[\text{vector field}]{\text{fitting a polynomial}}$  Output

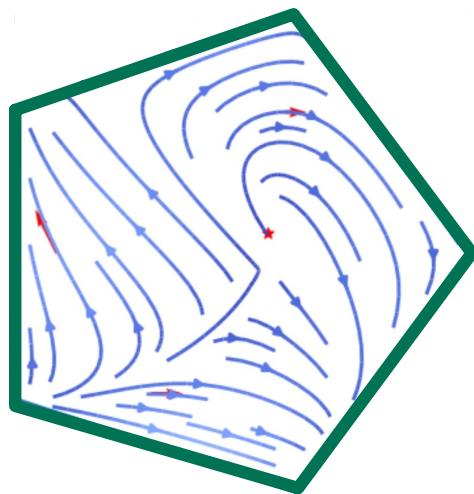
Key words:

Interpolation, Approximation, Data Fitting, Computing invariants (e.g., vorticity), Design

Data points

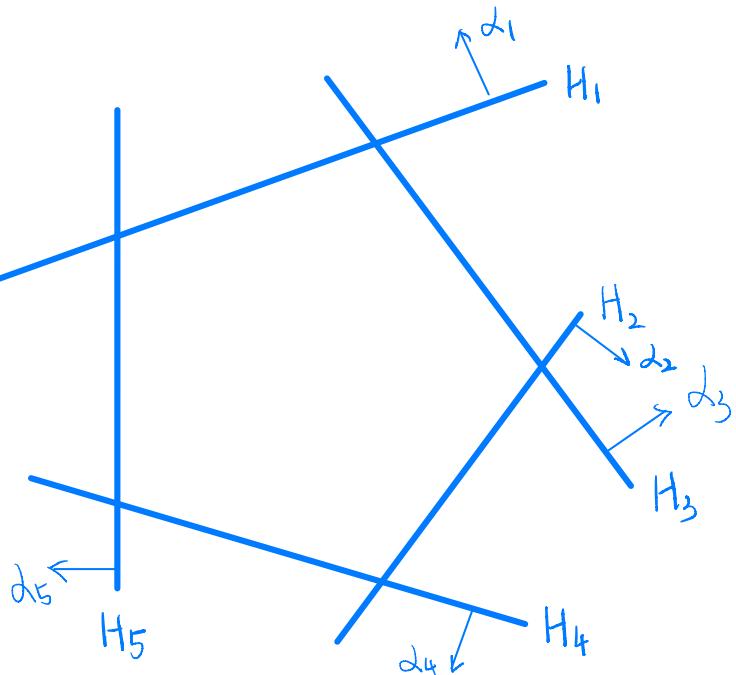


Polynomial vector field



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Example:  $d = 2$ .

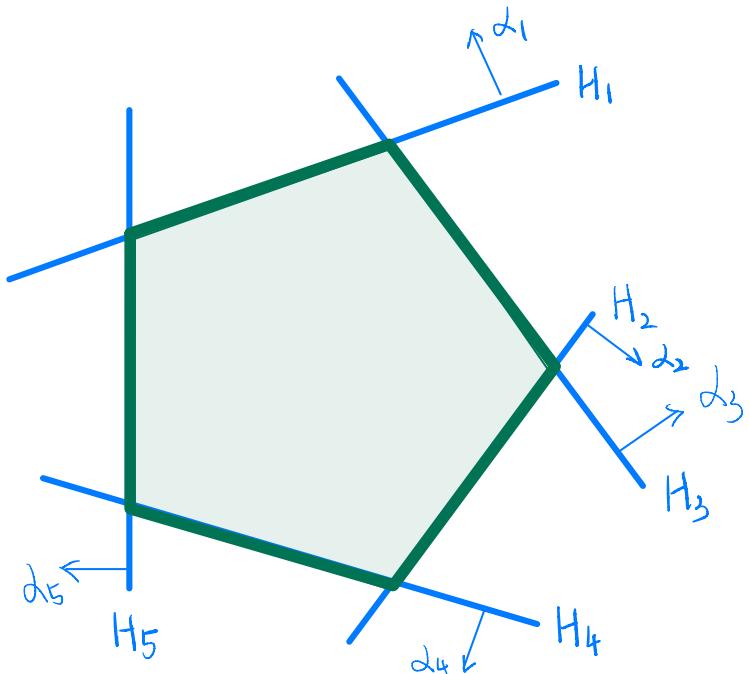


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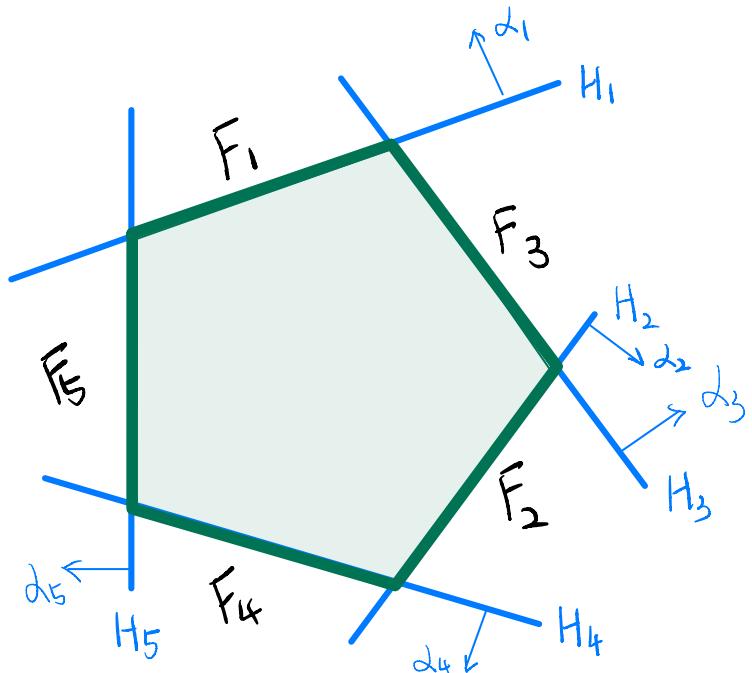
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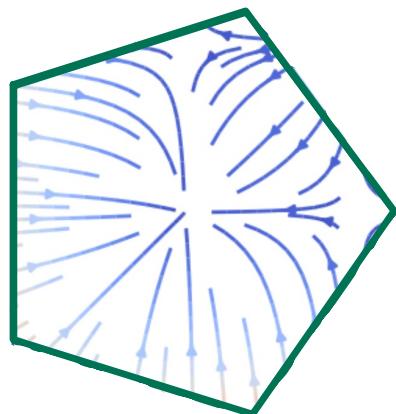
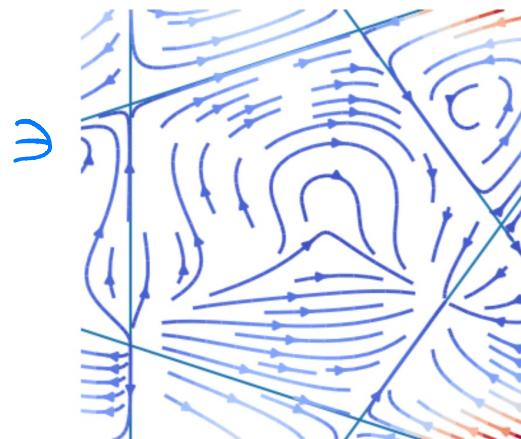
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face :

$$F_i := H_i \cap \partial P$$

$$\text{Vect}(P) = \left\{ \xi : P \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \right\} : \text{Space of vector fields on } P$$

Example:


$$\in \text{Vect}(P)$$


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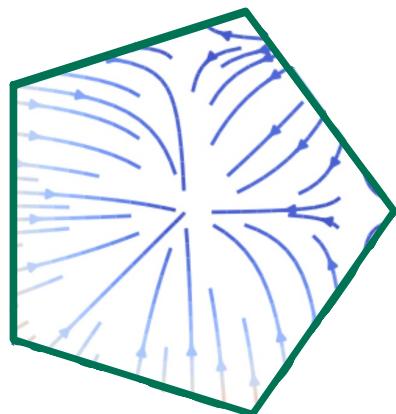
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$\text{Vect}_\partial(P) = \left\{ \xi \in \text{Vect}(P) \mid \langle \xi(x), \alpha_i \rangle = 0 \quad \forall x \in F_i \right\}$

skip boundary condition

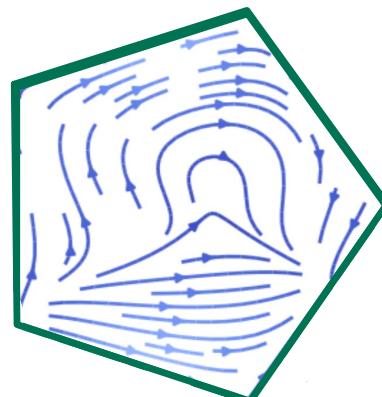
Example:

normal component is 0 along the boundary



$\in \text{Vect}(P) \rightarrow$

$\notin \text{Vect}_\partial(P) \rightarrow$



Space of polynomial vector fields:

$\text{Vect}(P)$

$\cup$

$$\circ \text{Poly}(P) = \left\{ \xi \in \text{Vect}(P) \mid \xi = (f_1, \dots, f_d), f_i \in \underbrace{\mathbb{R}[x]}_{\mathbb{R}[x_1, \dots, x_d]} \right\}$$

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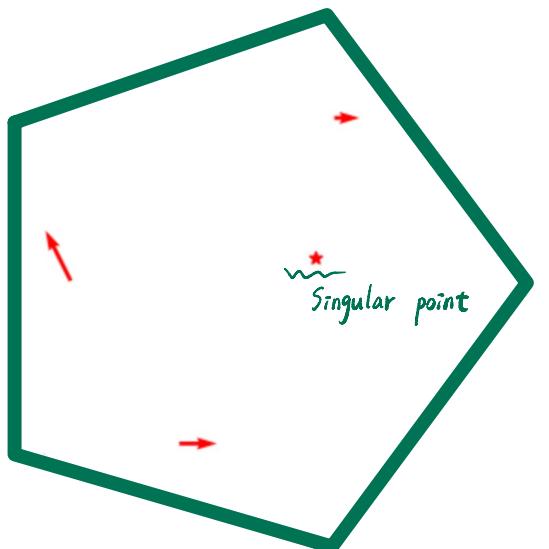
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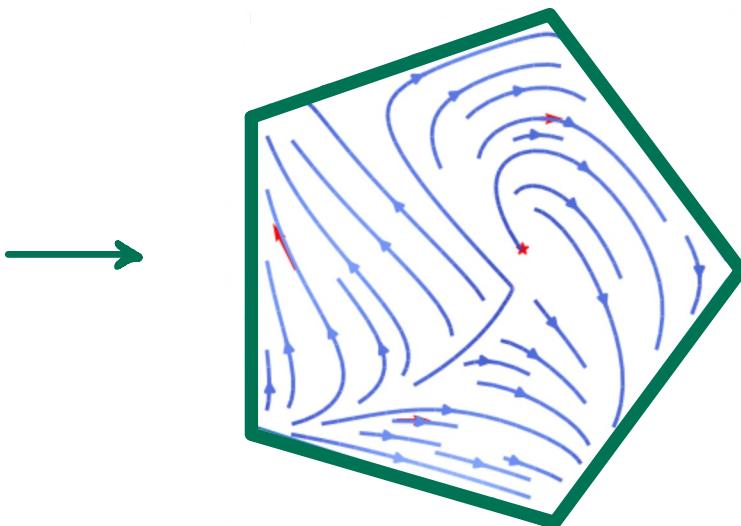
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Go back to our goal:

Data points



Polynomial vector field.



Given

$$\bar{P} = \left\{ p_i \right\}_{i=1}^s \subseteq P,$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \bar{\mathcal{G}} : & \bar{P} & \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^d \\ & \downarrow & \downarrow \\ & p_i & \longmapsto u_i \end{array}$$

fitting a  
polynomial  
vector field

Tangential polynomial field:

$$\mathcal{G} : P \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^d$$

## Question:

Given  $k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ , find  $\xi \in \text{Poly}(P)_k$

- Minimises squared error  $\sum_{i=1}^s |\xi(p_i) - \bar{\xi}(p_i)|^2$
- Satisfy boundary condition (as much as possible)

If we can identify the basis of  $Poly_{\partial}(P)_k$  ....

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fitting

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$$Poly_{\partial}(P)_k = \langle \mathcal{Z}_1, \dots, \mathcal{Z}_r \rangle_{\mathbb{R}}$$

$$\begin{cases} \mathcal{Z} = \sum_{j=1}^r c_j \mathcal{Z}_j \\ \mathcal{Z}(p_i) = u_i \end{cases}$$

least  
squares  
method

Tangential polynomial field:

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If we can identify the basis of  $\text{Poly}_\partial(P)_k$  ....

Problem 1: Given  $k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ , find  $\mathcal{S} \in \text{Poly}_\partial(P)_k$

minimises squared error  $\sum_{i=1}^s \left| \mathcal{S}(P_i) - \bar{\mathcal{S}}(P_i) \right|^2$

$k \uparrow$  - error  $\downarrow$

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Problem 2: Given  $\varepsilon \geq 0$ , find a minimum degree

$\xi \in \text{Poly}_\partial(P)_k$  with  $\sum_{i=1}^s |\xi(p_i) - \bar{\xi}(p_i)|^2 \leq \varepsilon$

## Question:

How can we identify the basis of  $Poly_{\partial}(P)_k$  ?

Lemma:

$\exists$  tangent to  $\partial P$   $\xrightarrow{\exists! \text{ extension}}$

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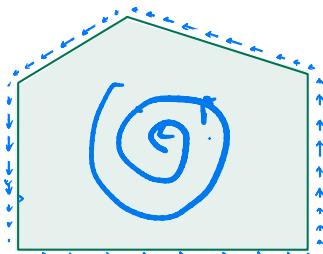
Poly( $P$ )

$\hat{\exists}$

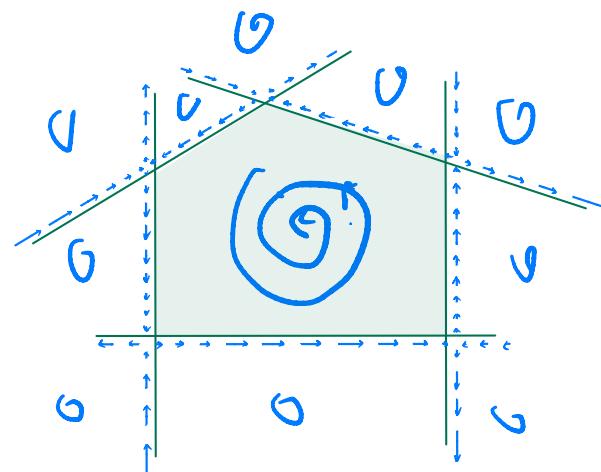
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Poly( $\mathbb{R}^d$ )

Example:



$\xrightarrow{\text{Lem}}$



## § Theory of hyperplane arrangements

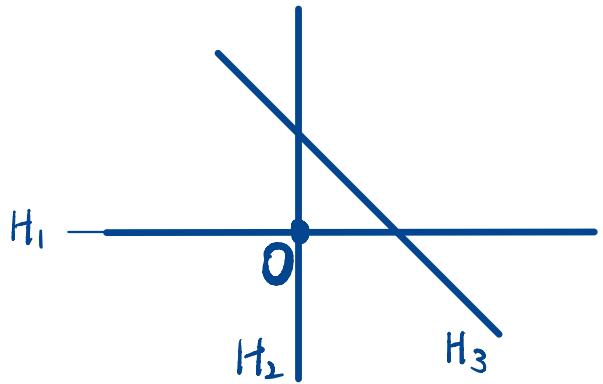
[c.f. P. Orlik and H. Terao, *Arrangements of hyperplanes*. Springer-Verlag, Berlin, 1992. ]

Def: affine (hyperplane) arrangement in  $\mathbb{R}^d$ :

$$\mathcal{A} = \left\{ H_i : \langle d_i, x \rangle + l_i = 0 \mid l_i \in \mathbb{R}, i=1, \dots, t \right\}.$$

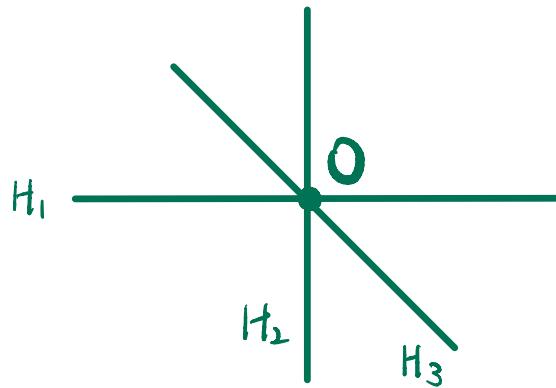
We say  $\mathcal{A}$  is central if  $l_i = 0$ .

Example:  $d = 2$ .



Affine arrangement

$$\mathcal{A} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$$



Central arrangement

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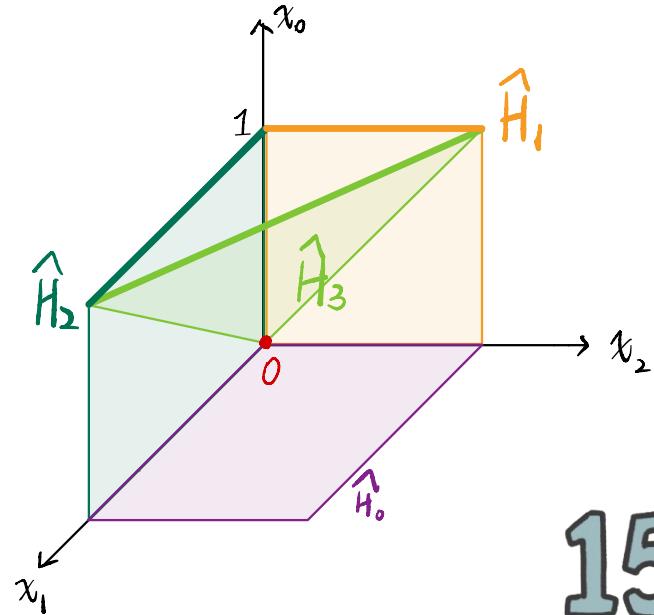
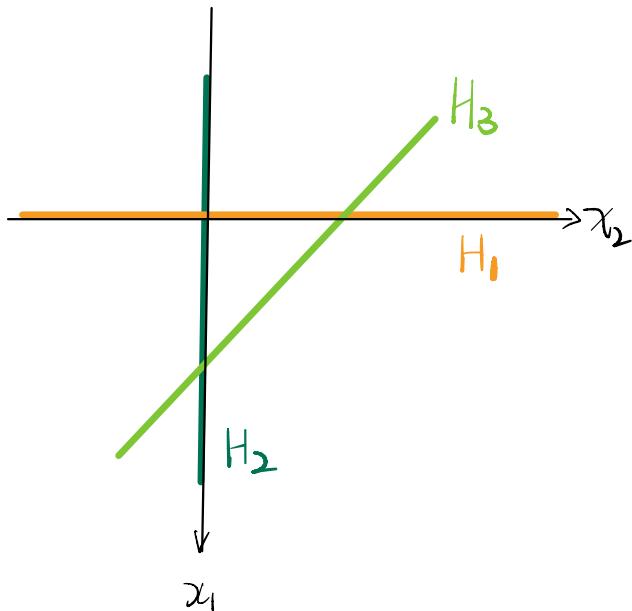
## Example:

affine arrangement  $\xrightarrow{\text{coning}}$  central arrangement

$$\mathbb{R}^2 \supseteq \mathcal{A}_z$$



$$\mathbb{R}^3 \supseteq \hat{\mathcal{A}}_z$$



affine arrangement  
in  $\mathbb{R}^d$

coning → central arrangement  
in  $\mathbb{R}^{d+1}$

$$\mathcal{A} = \{ H_1, \dots, H_t \} \longrightarrow \hat{\mathcal{A}} = \{ \hat{H}_0 = \{ x_0 = 0 \}, \hat{H}_1, \dots, \hat{H}_t \}$$

$$\hat{\alpha}_i = (l_i, \alpha_i)$$

$$\hat{x} = (x_0, x)$$

$$H_i : \\ \langle \alpha_i, x \rangle + l_i = 0$$

$$h_i = \sum_{j=1}^d a_j x_j + l_i \\ \alpha_i = (a_1, \dots, a_d)$$

$$\hat{h}_i(x_0, x_1, \dots, x_d) = x_0 h_i\left(\frac{x_1}{x_0}, \dots, \frac{x_d}{x_0}\right)$$

Homogenization

$$\hat{H}_i : \\ \langle \hat{\alpha}_i, \hat{x} \rangle = 0 \\ \hat{h}_i = \sum_{j=1}^d a_j x_j + l_i x_0$$

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Recall our Lemma:

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$\text{Poly}(P)$

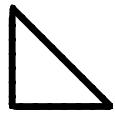
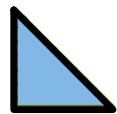
$\hat{\{}$  tangent to hyperplanes

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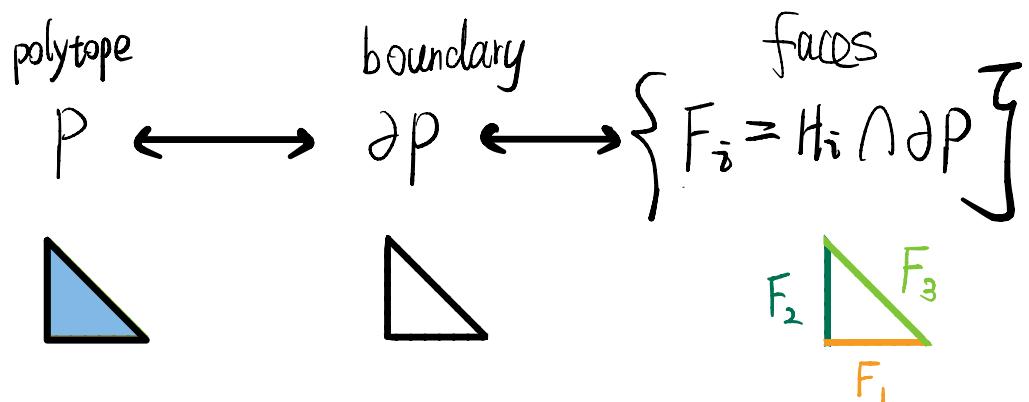
$\text{Poly}(\mathbb{R}^d)$

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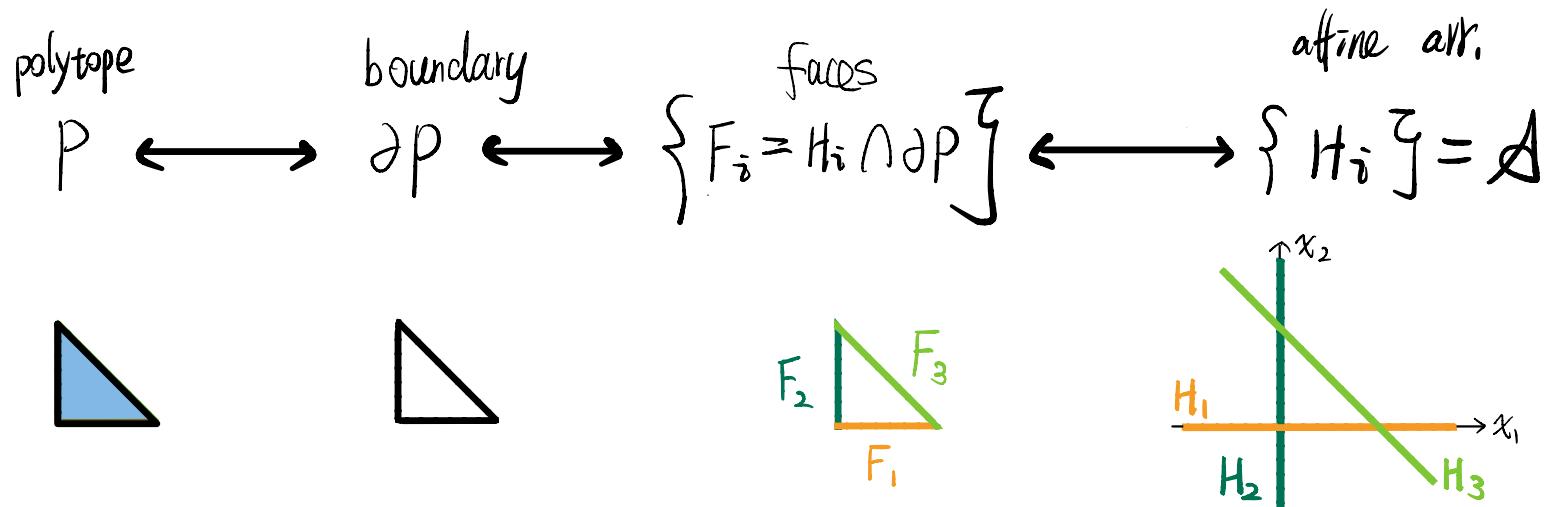
polytope                      boundary  
 $P$      $\longleftrightarrow$      $\partial P$



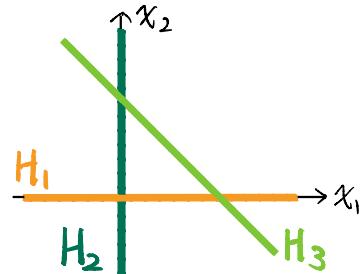
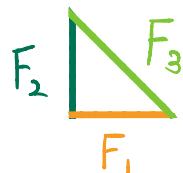
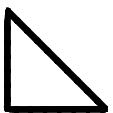
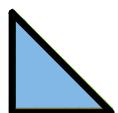
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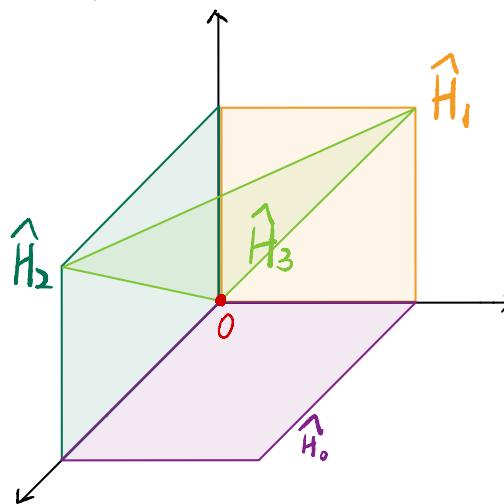


$$\begin{array}{c}
 \text{polytope} \\
 P \longleftrightarrow \text{boundary} \\
 \partial P \longleftrightarrow \left\{ F_i = H_i \cap \partial P \right\} \longleftrightarrow \left\{ H_i \right\} = \mathcal{A}
 \end{array}$$



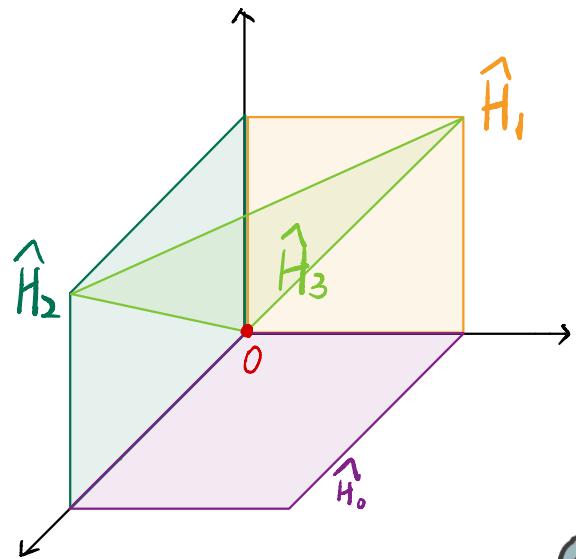
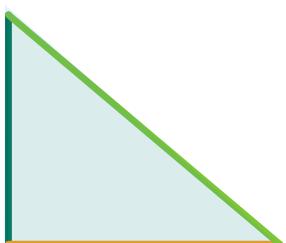
central arr.

coning  $\rightarrow \hat{\mathcal{A}} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^{d+1}$



polytope  $P \subseteq \mathbb{R}^d$   $\longleftrightarrow$  central arrangement  $\hat{\mathcal{A}} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^{d+1}$

Example:  $d=2$ .



Why do we want to connect with  
the central arrangement?

Def : logarithmic derivation module of  $\hat{x}$ :

$$DL(\hat{x}) = \left\{ \theta = \sum_{i=0}^d \hat{f}_i \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \mid \begin{array}{l} \hat{f}_i \in R[\hat{x}] \\ \hat{h}_i \mid \theta(\hat{h}_i) \end{array} \right\}$$

$\uparrow$   
derivation

Def: logarithmic derivation module of  $\hat{A}$ : polynomial

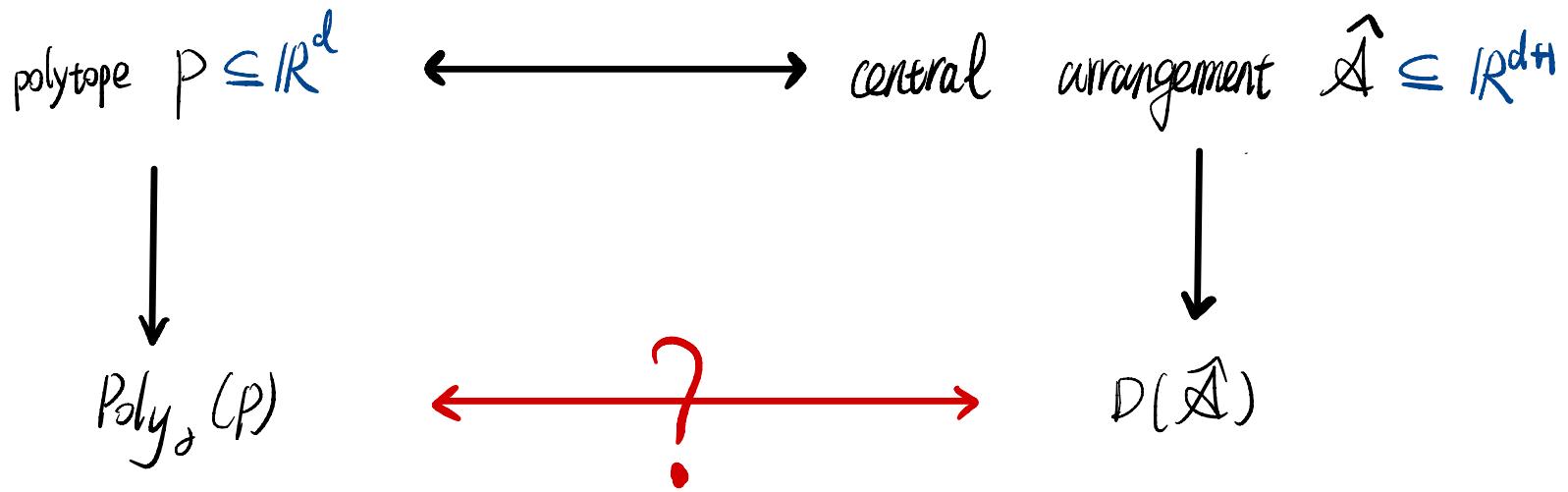
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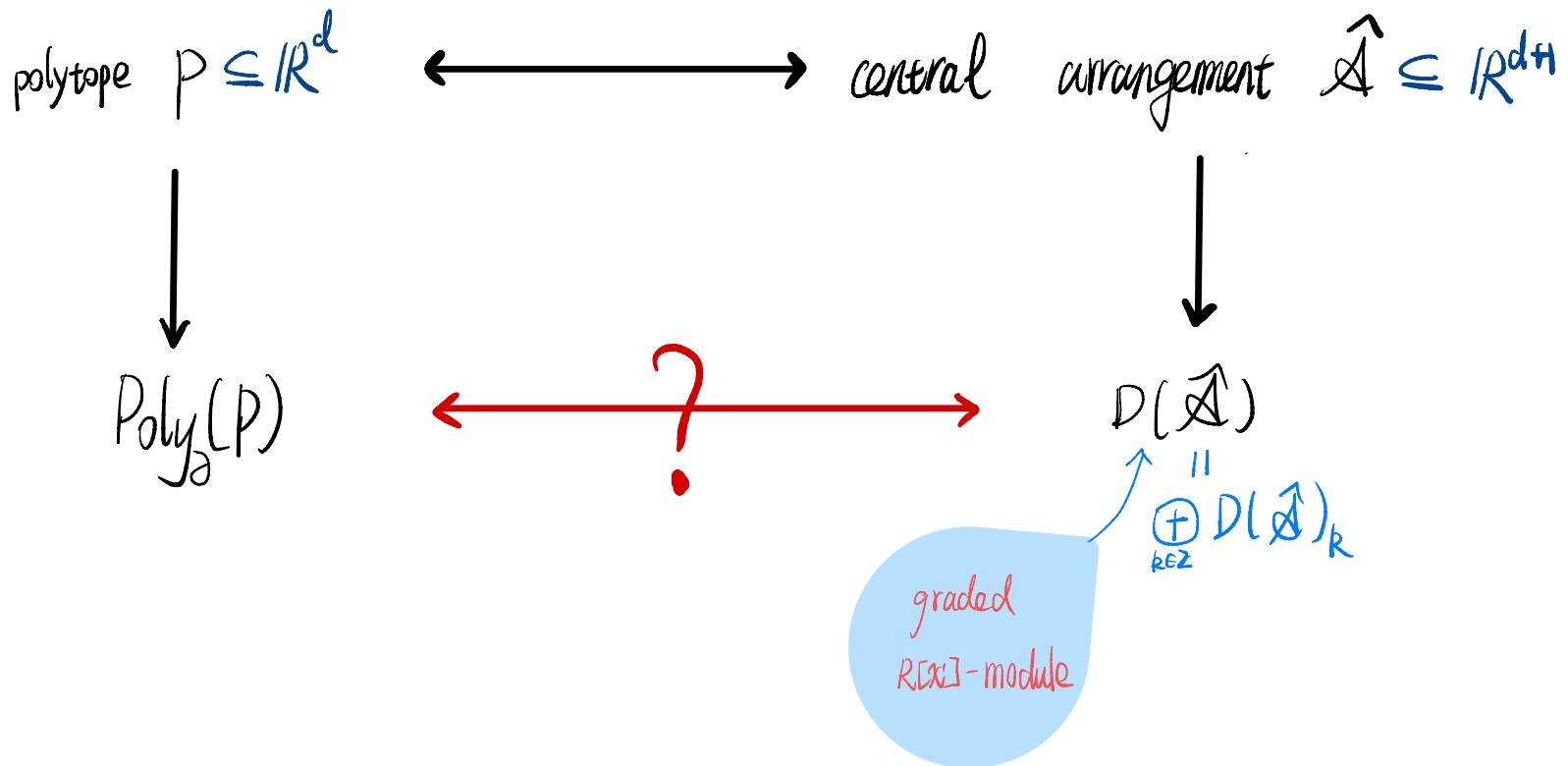
↑  
derivation

tangent condition

$$\hat{h}_i \mid \theta(\hat{h}_i) \iff \langle (\hat{f}_0(\hat{x}), \dots, \hat{f}_d(\hat{x})), \hat{\lambda}_i \rangle \geq 0, \forall \hat{x} \in \hat{H}_i$$

tangent condition  $\longleftrightarrow$  slip boundary condition





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$\text{Poly}_\delta(P)_k$

$\longleftrightarrow ?$



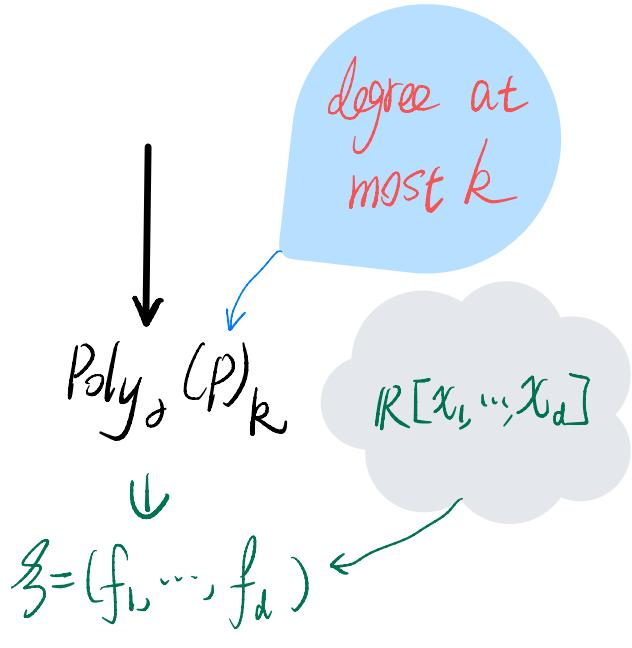
$D(\hat{\mathcal{A}})_k$

$\Downarrow$

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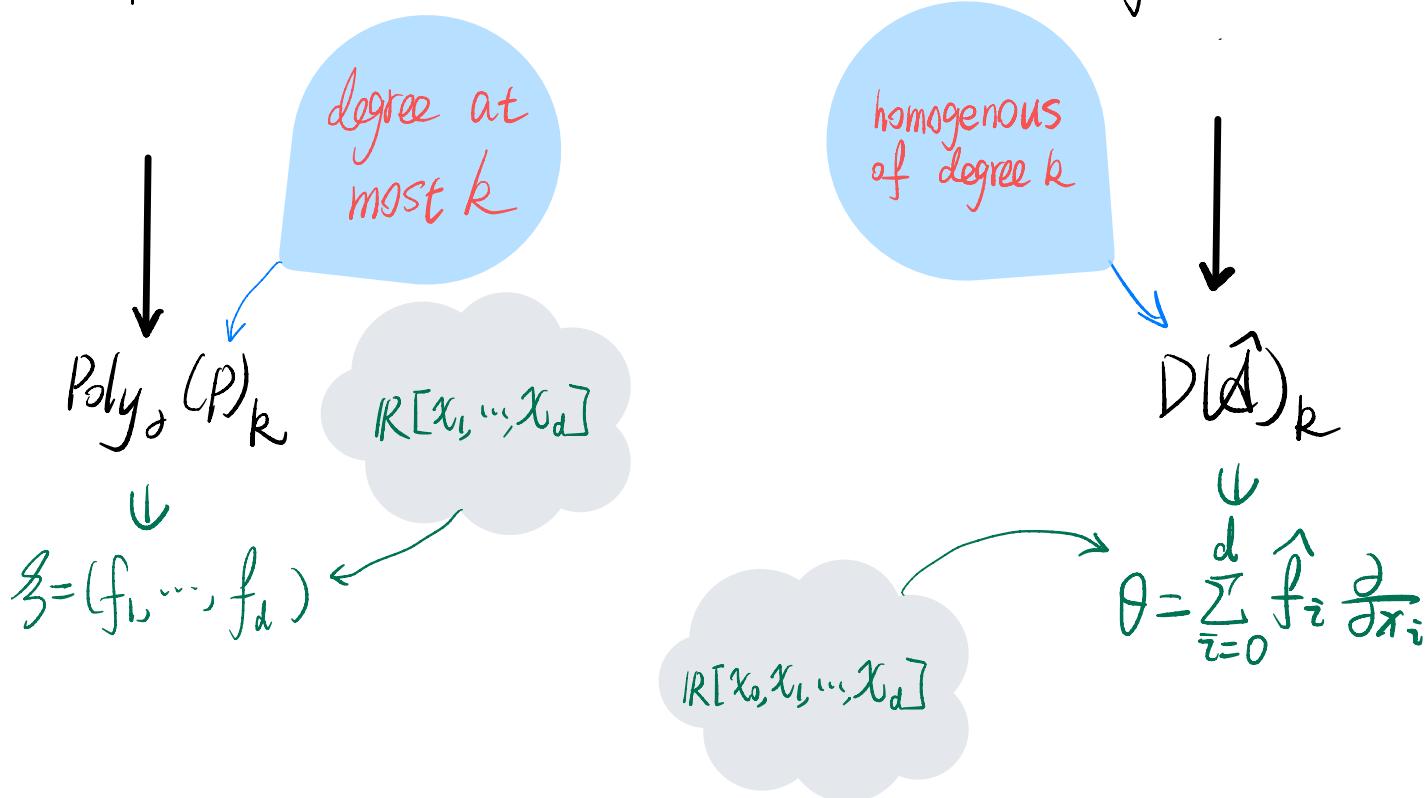
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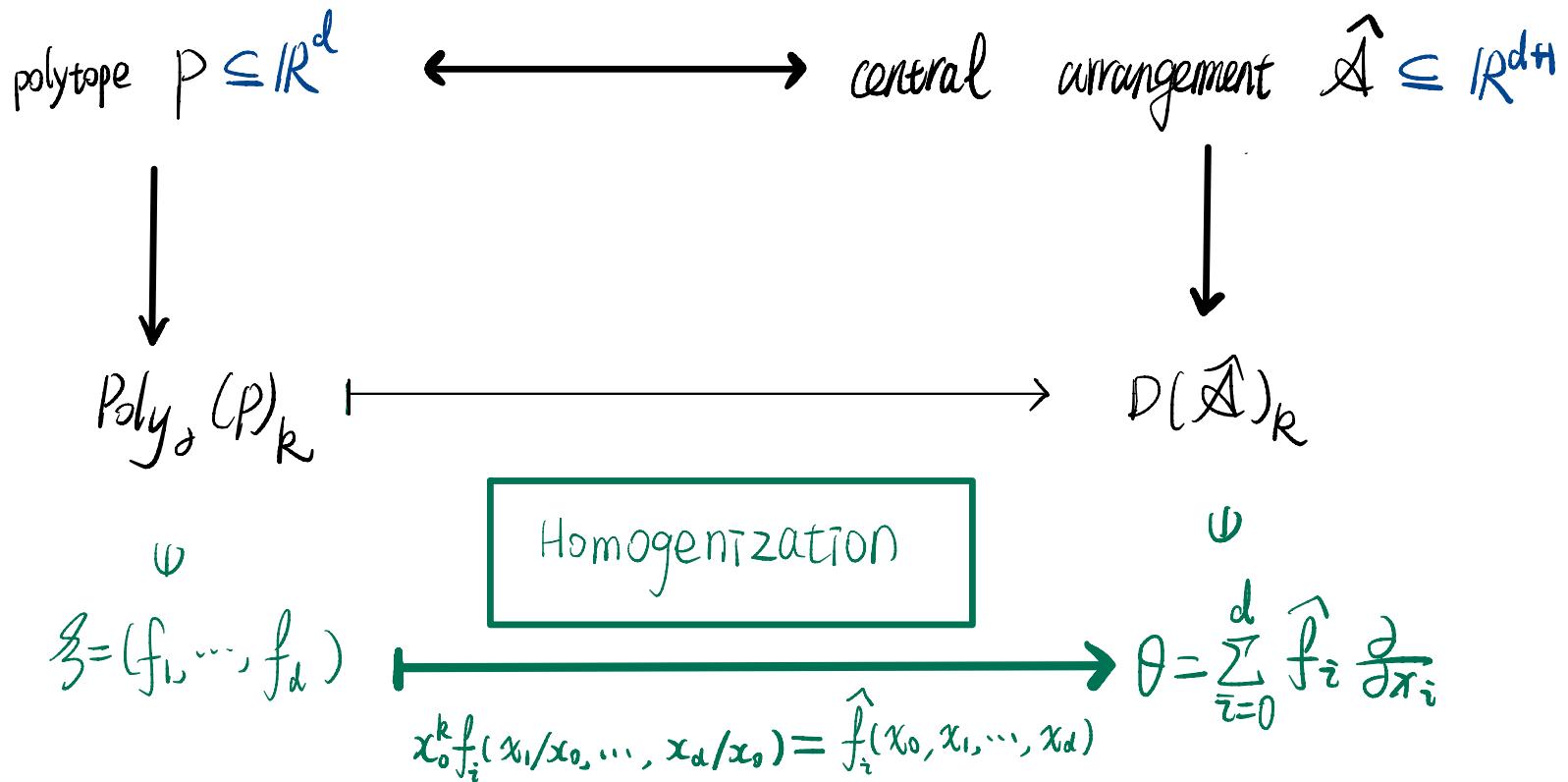
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$\downarrow$   
 $\text{Poly}_d(P)_k$

$\xleftarrow{\text{ISO. ?}}$

$\downarrow$   
 $D(\hat{\mathcal{A}})_k$

$\Downarrow$   
 $\mathcal{F} = (f_1, \dots, f_d)$

$\xrightarrow{\text{Homogenization}}$        $\theta = \sum_{i=0}^d \hat{f}_i \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i}$

$$x_0^k \hat{f}_i(x_1/x_0, \dots, x_d/x_0) = \hat{f}_i(x_0, x_1, \dots, x_d)$$

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$\text{Poly}_d(P)_k$

$\Phi$   
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ISO.?



$D(\hat{\mathcal{A}})_k$

$\Phi$

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$$\theta = \sum_{i=0}^d \hat{f}_i \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i}$$

wave line

since  $\hat{f}_0 \equiv 0$



NO.

Def:  $D(\vec{A})$

U1

$$\circ D_{\vec{H}_0}(\vec{A}) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \sum_{i=0}^d \hat{f}_i \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \\ \parallel \\ 0 \end{array} \in D(\vec{a}) \mid \hat{f}_0 = 0 \right\}$$

U1

$$\circ D_{\vec{H}_0}(\vec{A})_k = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \theta \in D(\vec{a})_k \\ \mid \hat{f}_0 = 0 \end{array} \right\}$$

# Main Theorem:

polytope  $P \subseteq \mathbb{R}^d$      $\longleftrightarrow$     central arrangement  $\hat{\mathcal{A}} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^{d+1}$



$$\text{Poly}_d(P)_k$$

↓

$\xleftarrow{\text{Thm [C-KajT]}}$

$$D_{\hat{A}_0}(\hat{A})_k$$

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$$\mathcal{F} = (f_1, \dots, f_d)$$

Homogenization

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find the basis of  $\text{Poly}_2(P)_k$

~~~~~> find the basis of  $D_{A_0}(\mathbb{A})_k$

Prop.:

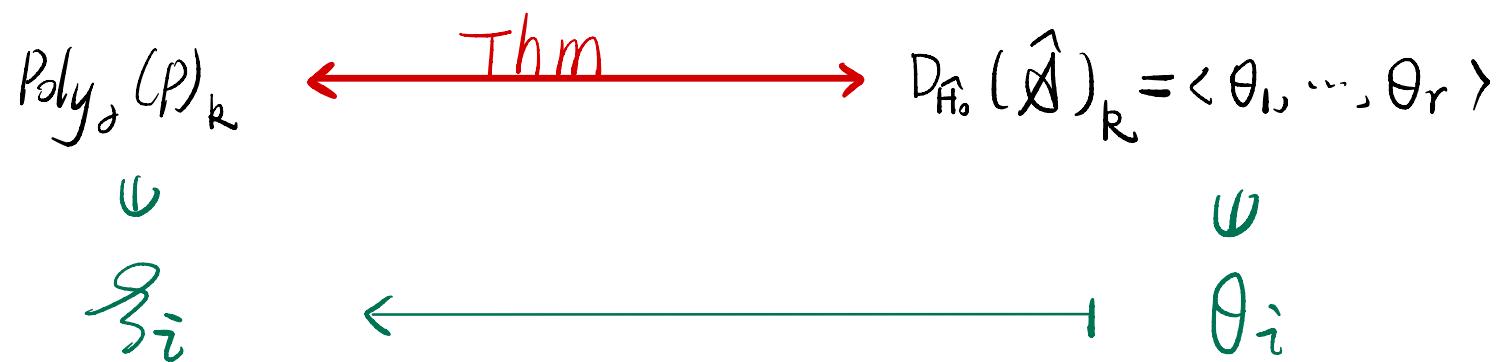
$$D_{\widehat{H}_0}(\widehat{\mathcal{A}}) \cong \text{Syz}(\text{J}(Q_{\widehat{\mathcal{A}}})),$$

where  $Q_{\widehat{\mathcal{A}}} = \prod_i \widehat{h_i}$  equation of  $\widehat{H}_i$

6. A. Basis

→ We can compute the basis of  
the vector space  $D_{\widehat{H}_0}(\widehat{\mathcal{A}})_k$ , So can  $\text{Poly}_s(P)_k$

Say  $D_{\widehat{H}_0}(\widehat{\mathcal{A}})_k = \langle \theta_1, \dots, \theta_r \rangle_R$



polytope  $P \subseteq \mathbb{R}^d$   $\longleftrightarrow$  central arrangement  $\hat{\mathcal{A}} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^{d+1}$



$\text{Poly}_s(P)_k$

$\xleftarrow{\text{Thm}}$

$D_{\hat{\mathcal{A}}_0}(\hat{\mathcal{A}})_k$

$\Downarrow$

$$\underbrace{g = \sum_{i=1}^r c_i g_i}_{\text{green}}$$

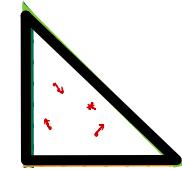
$\xleftarrow{\quad}$

$$\theta = \sum_{i=1}^r c_i \theta_i$$

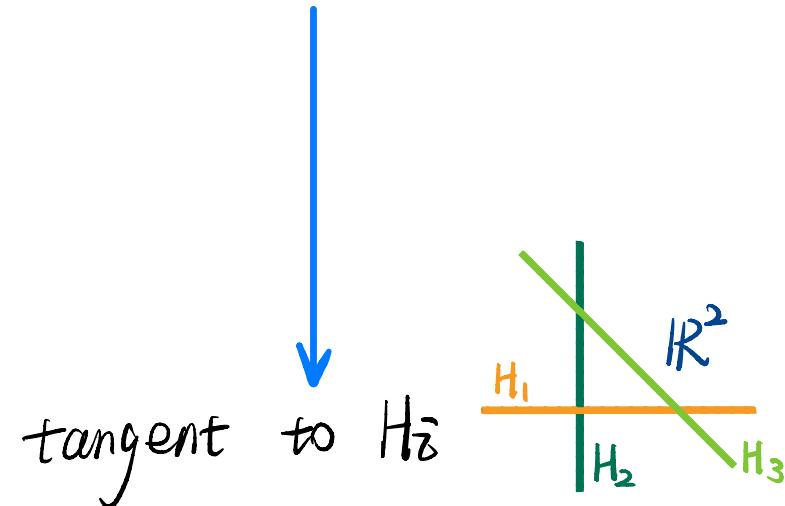
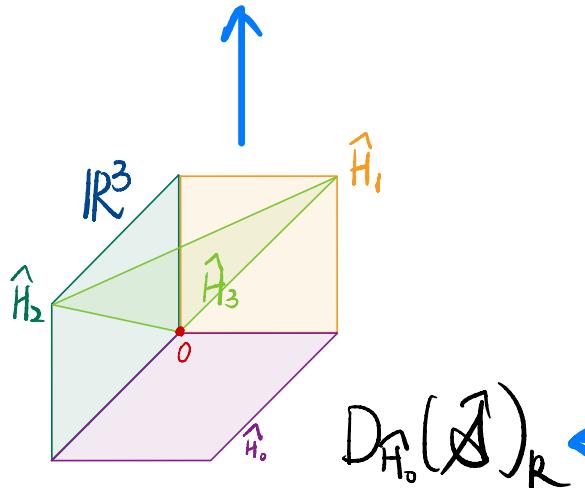
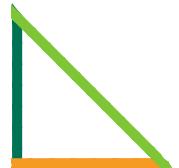
Exactly satisfy the boundary condition.

Summarize:

Given data points in  $P$ .

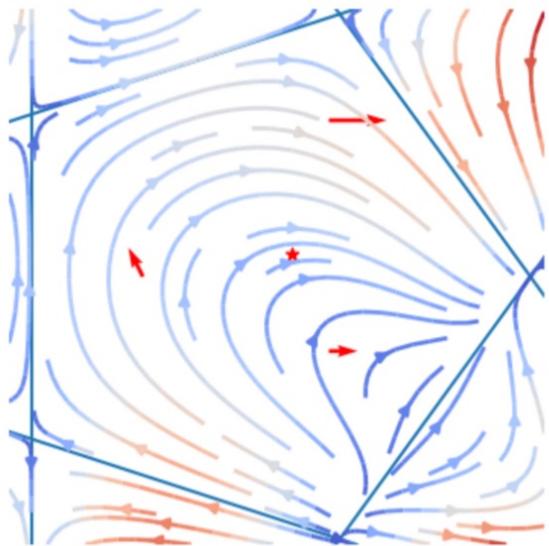


→ fitting a polynomial vector field tangent to  $\partial P$

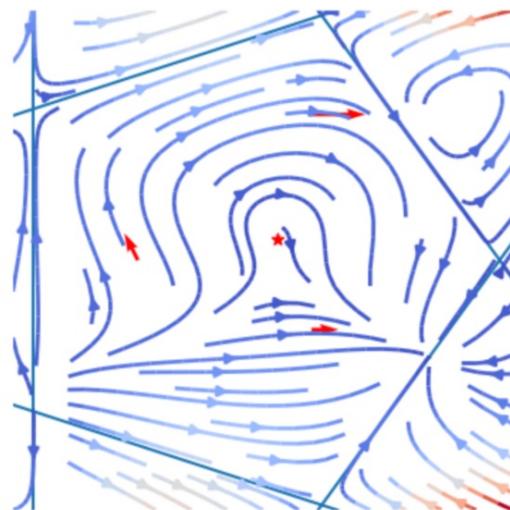


# Example A:

Degree: 4  
Error: 2.8

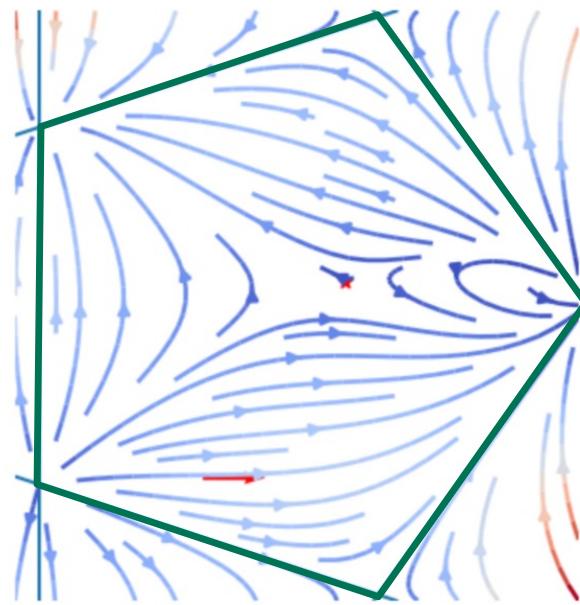
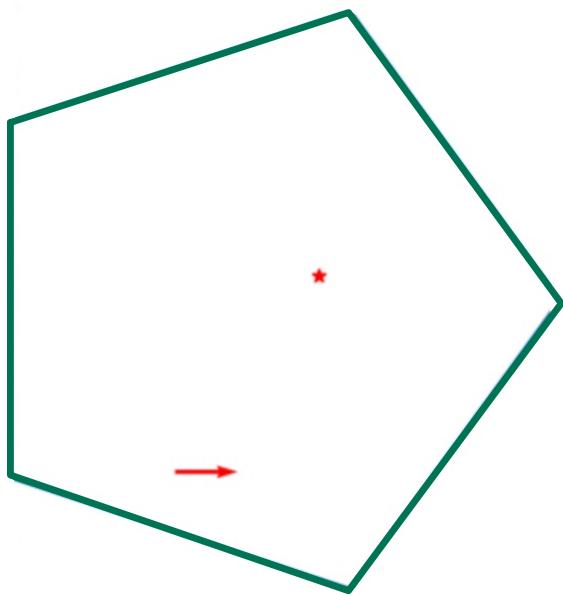


Degree: 5  
Error:  $3.0 \times 10^{-27}$



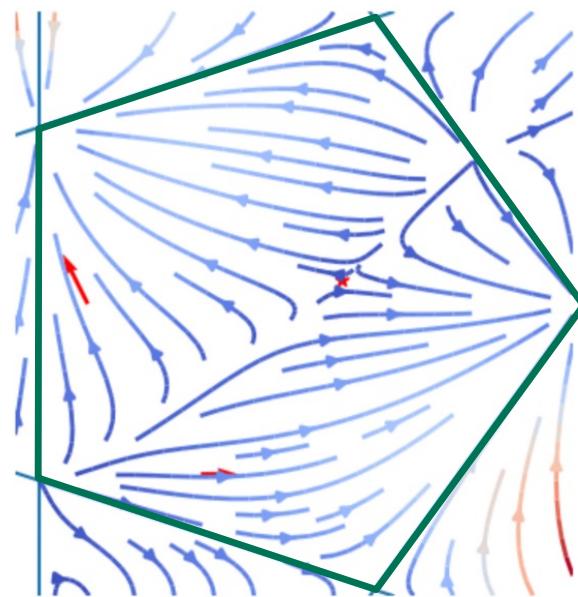
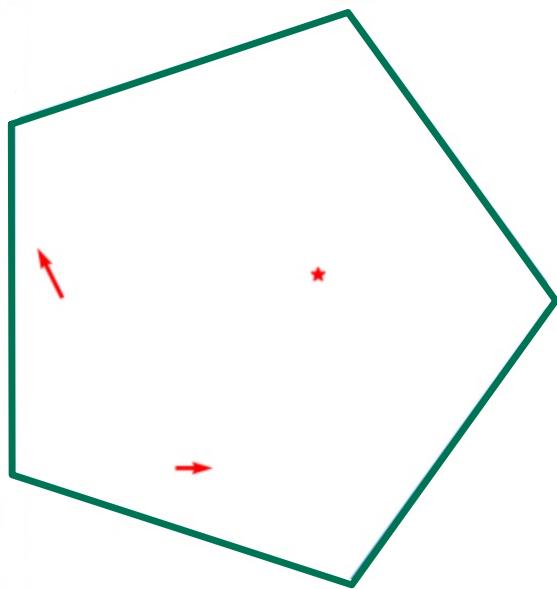
Example B: Given degree=5  $\rightarrow$  Error:  $9.1 \times 10^{-29}$

dim=12  
error: 9.111343455302686e-29



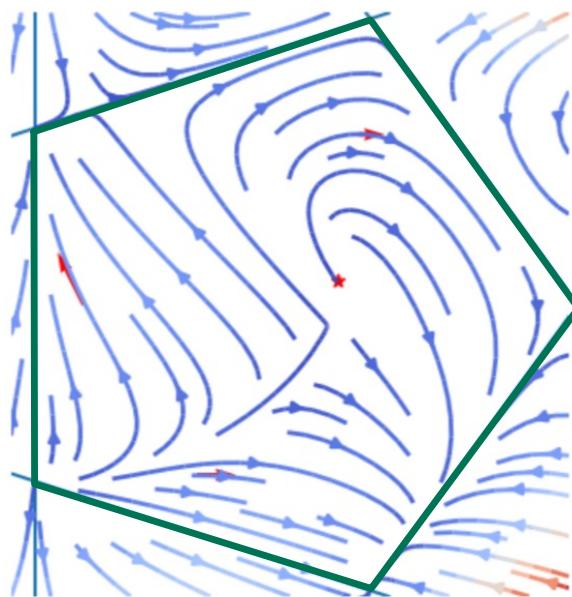
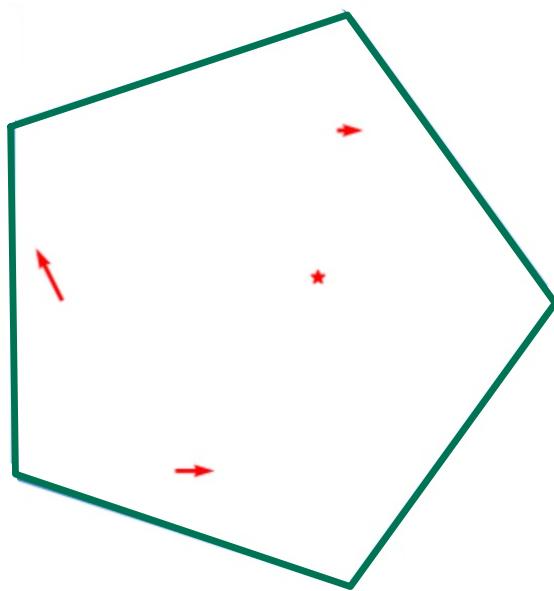
Example B: Given degree=5  $\rightarrow$  Error:  $1.4 \times 10^{-25}$

dim=12  
error: 1.3636427101354085e-25



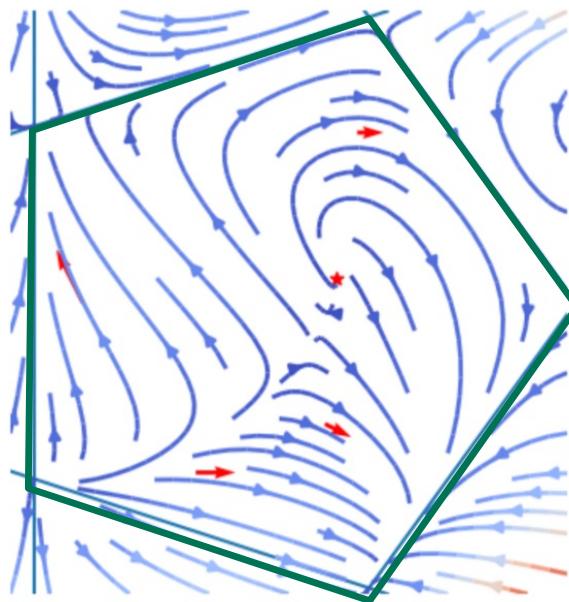
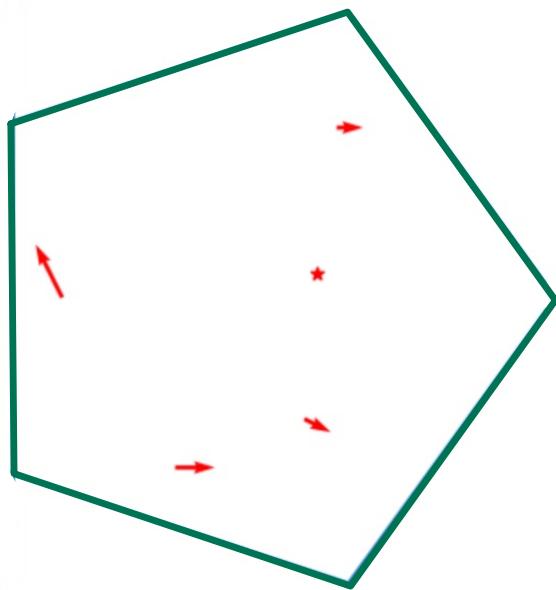
Example B: Given degree=5  $\rightarrow$  Error:  $2.8 \times 10^{-26}$

dim=12  
error: 2.833903915915963e-26

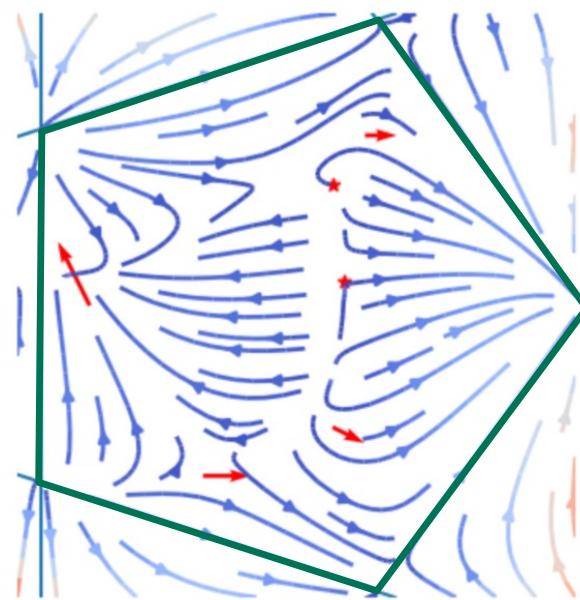
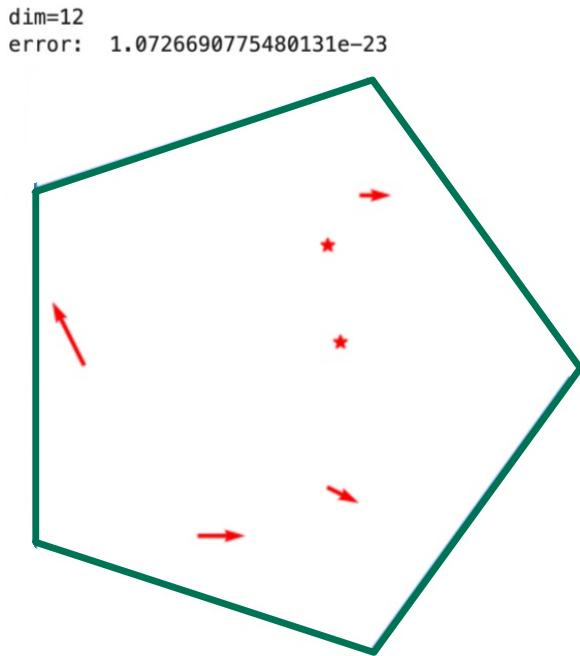


Example B: Given degree=5  $\rightarrow$  Error:  $6.1 \times 10^{-26}$

dim=12  
error: 6.11398755982493e-26



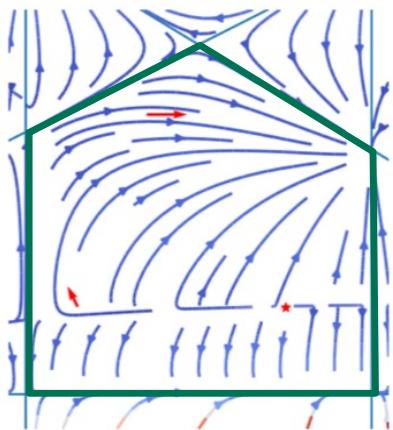
Example B: Given degree=5  $\rightarrow$  Error:  $1.1 \times 10^{-23}$



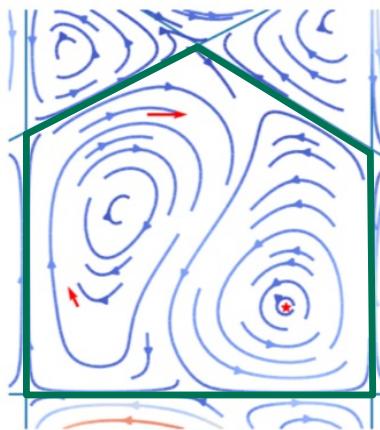
# Example C:

Given degree=7

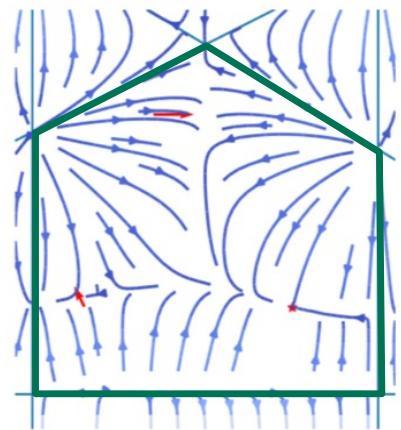
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divergence free



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