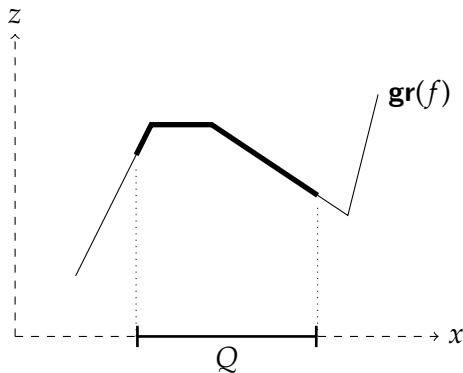


Building advanced MIP formulations for branching

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Application: Power systems

- Optimal power flow problem: Generate power to meet demand at buses (nodes) on network
- Surge of interest recently [Jabr 2006, Kocuk 2015, Low 2014, ...]
- Voltage at bus:

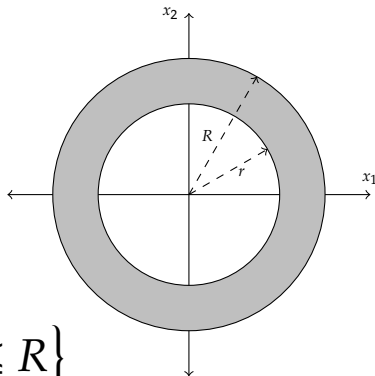
$$z = x_1 + x_2 \mathbf{i}$$

- Bounds on voltage magnitude:

$$1 - \epsilon \leq |z| \leq 1 + \epsilon$$

- Want x to lie in the *annulus*:

$$\mathcal{A} = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^2 : r \leq \|x\|_2 \leq R\}$$



Application: Robotics

- Footstep planning problem in robotics [Deits 2014, Kuindersma 2016]: θ is rotation of body
- Angle determines feasible region for next step
- Model angle as

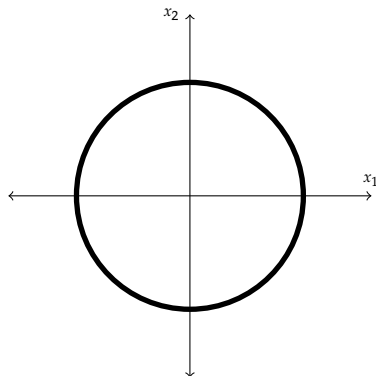
$$x = (\cos(\theta), \sin(\theta))$$

- Must satisfy identity

$$x_1^2 + x_2^2 = 1$$

- Want x to lie on the unit circle:

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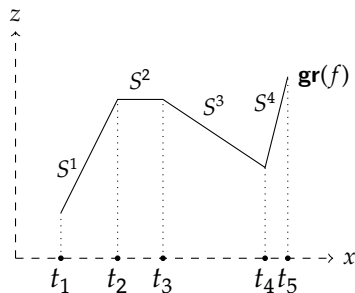
$$t_i y_i \leq x^i \leq t_{i+1} y_i \quad \forall i \in \llbracket 4 \rrbracket$$

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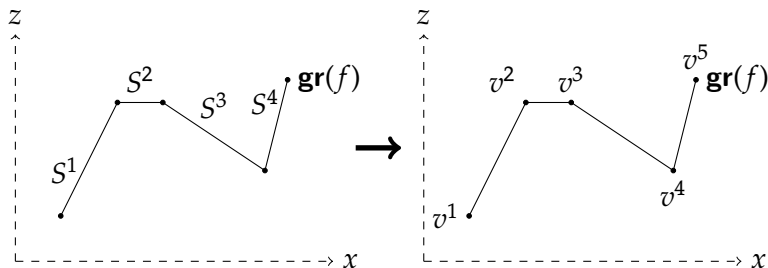
$$(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R} \times \{0, 1\}^4 \times \mathbb{R}$$

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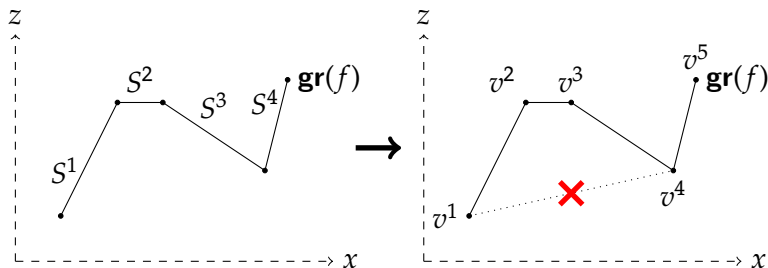


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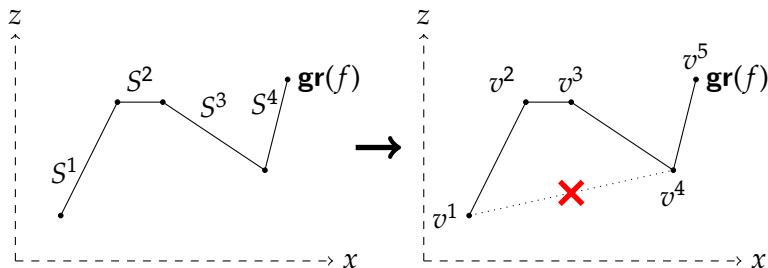


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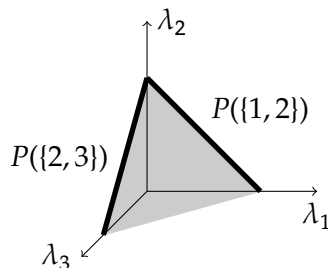
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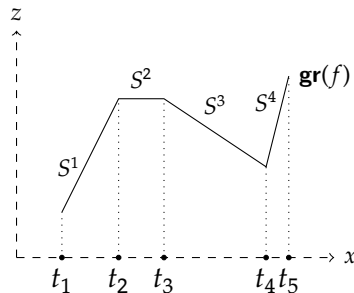
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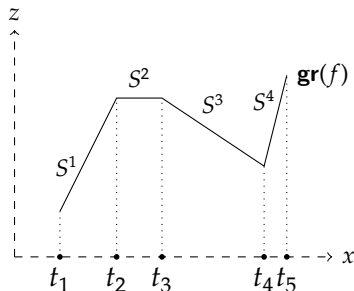
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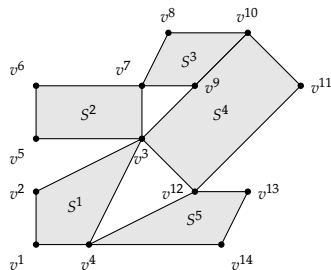
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✗ $\lambda = (1/2, 1/2, 0, 0, 0),$
 $y = (1/2, 0, 1/2, 0)$

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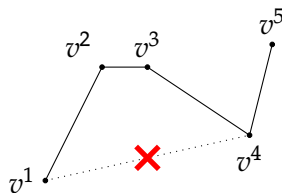
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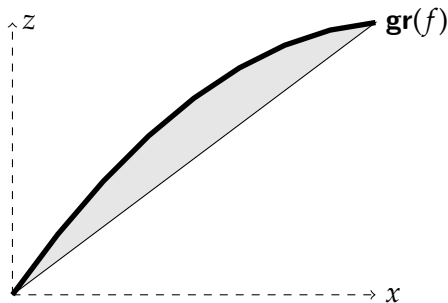
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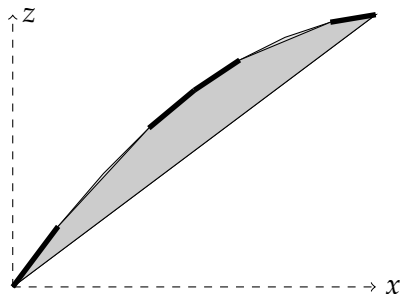
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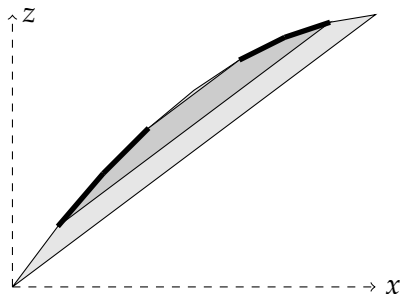
LP relaxation of any ideal formulation

- Log is as strong as possible (w.r.t. LP relaxation)
- What about after branching?

Branching and the Log formulation



LP relaxation + $y_1 \leq 0$



LP relaxation + $y_1 \geq 1$

- Branching $y_1 \leq 0$ restricts to $d/2$ segments of graph...
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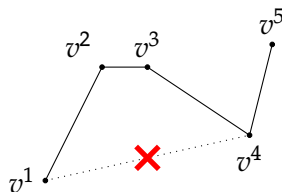
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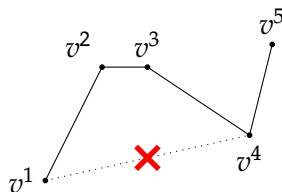
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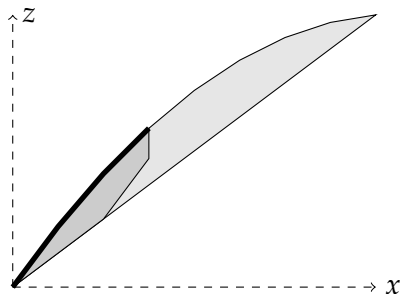
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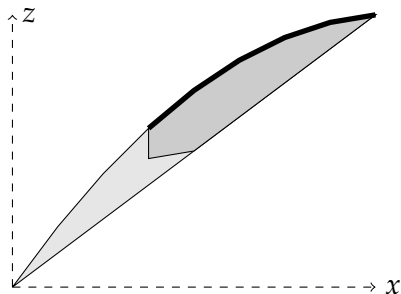


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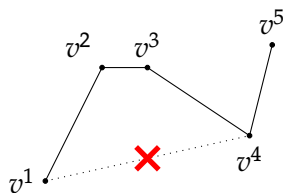
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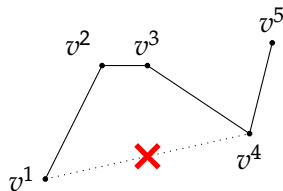
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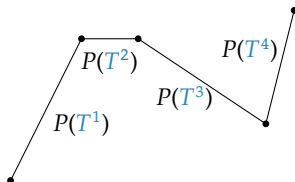
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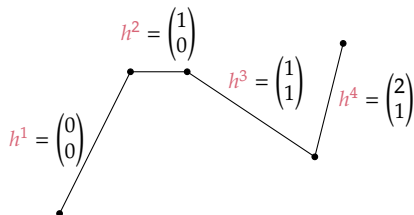
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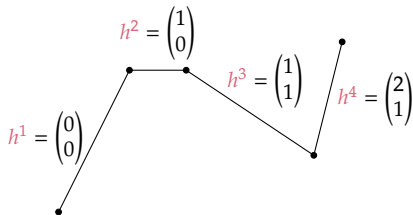
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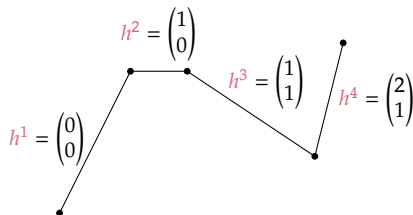
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Build *embedding*:

$$\text{Em}(\mathcal{T}, H) = \begin{pmatrix} P(T^1) \\ h^1 \end{pmatrix} \cup \begin{pmatrix} P(T^2) \\ h^2 \end{pmatrix} \cup \dots \cup \begin{pmatrix} P(T^d) \\ h^d \end{pmatrix}$$

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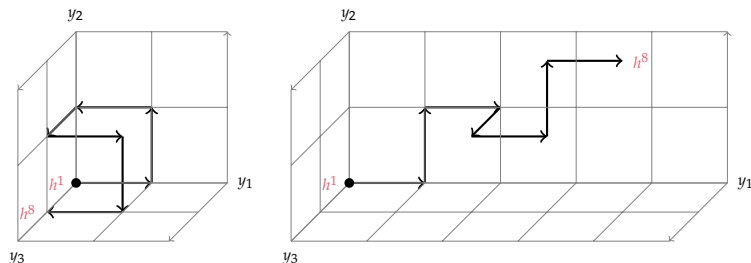
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Crucial points:

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2. # constraints = $2 \times (\# \text{ hyperplanes})$

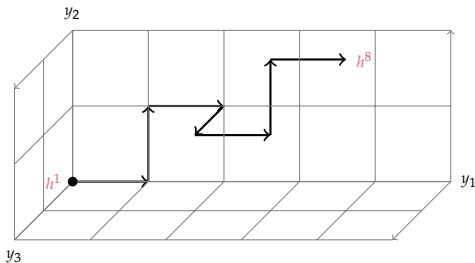
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(Left) binary reflected Gray codes, (Right) ZigZag codes

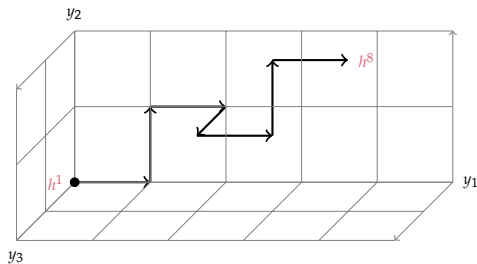
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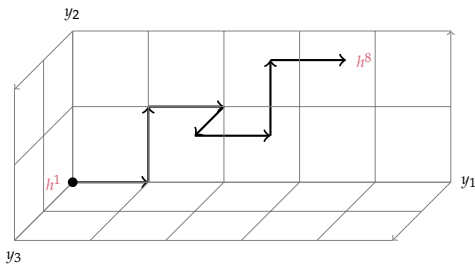
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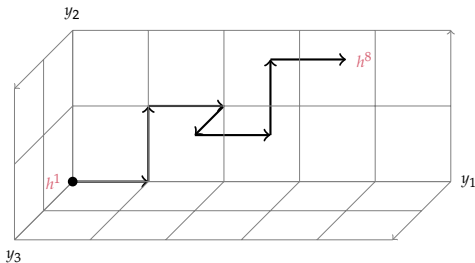
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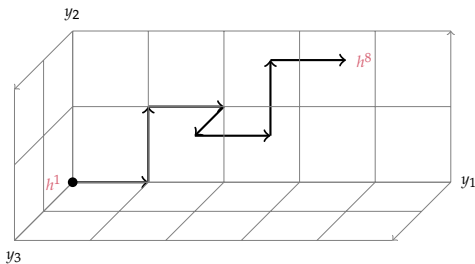
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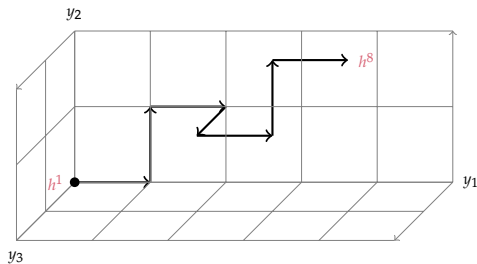
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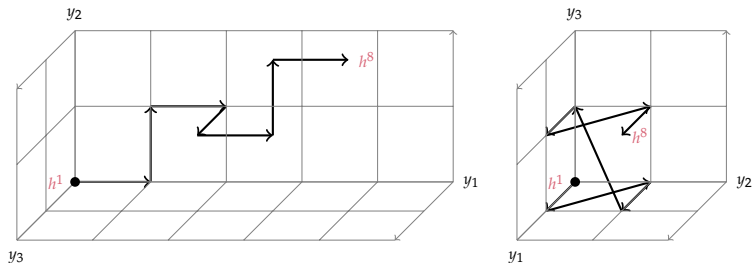
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2. directions in C are axis-aligned $\implies 2\log_2(d)$ constraints

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(Left) ZigZag codes, (Right) B-ZigZag codes

- B-ZigZag = linear map of ZigZag to unit hypercube

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Theorem (H. and Vielma 2017a)

If \mathcal{T} is path connected and H is in convex position, then $\text{Conv}(\text{Em}(\mathcal{T}, H))$ is

$$\sum_{v=1}^n \min_{s: v \in T^s} \{b \cdot h^s\} \lambda_v \leq b \cdot y \leq \sum_{v=1}^n \max_{s: v \in T^s} \{b \cdot h^s\} \lambda_v \quad \forall b \in B$$
$$(\lambda, y) \in \Delta^n \times \text{aff}(H),$$

where B contains normal directions to all hyperplanes spanned by $C = \{h^j - h^i : T^i \cap T^j \neq \emptyset\}$ in $\text{span}(C)$.

Crucial points:

1. # variables = # of components of codes in H
2. # constraints = $2 \times (\# \text{ hyperplanes})$

Proof sketch

- Take each facet $F = a \cdot \lambda \leq b \cdot y$ of $Q = \text{Conv}(\text{Em}(\mathcal{T}, H))$
 - Use $\sum_{v=1}^n \lambda_v = 1$ to remove any constant offset
- Extreme points easy to understand: $\text{ext}(Q) = \{(\mathbf{e}^v, \mathbf{h}^s) : v \in T^s\}$
- Take “directions in C that are orthogonal to b and support F ”:

$$\tilde{C} = \{\mathbf{h}^j - \mathbf{h}^i \in C : \exists v \text{ s.t. } (\mathbf{e}^v, \mathbf{h}^i), (\mathbf{e}^v, \mathbf{h}^j) \in F\}$$

Three cases to worry about:

1. $\dim(\tilde{C}) = \dim(C)$

- $b \in \text{span}(C)^\perp$, so F is a variable bound ($\lambda_v \geq 0$)

2. $\dim(\tilde{C}) = \dim(C) - 1$

- b is normal direction to hyperplane spanned by \tilde{C} in $\text{span}(C)$
- General inequality facet, so

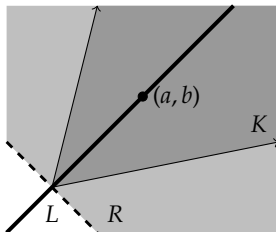
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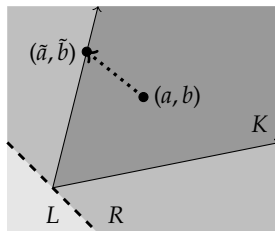


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Path connectivity of $\mathcal{F} \implies \dim(C) = \dim(H) \implies \dim(L) > 1$

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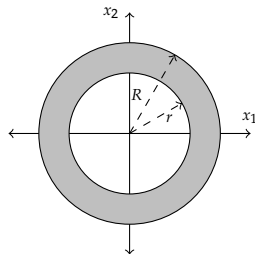
Now turn this into code.

Univariate functions: Computational tools

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using JuMP, PiecewiseLinearOpt
model = Model()
@variable(model, x[i in S, j in D] >= 0)
for j in D
    @constraint(model, sum(x[i,j] for i in S) == d[j])
end
for i in S
    @constraint(model, sum(x[i,j] for j in D) == s[i])
end
for i in S, j in D
    z[i,j] = piecewiselinear(model, x[i,j], t[i,j],
        ↪ f[i,j], method=:ZigZag)
end
@objective(model, Min, sum(z))
solve(model)
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Annulus constraints

$$\mathcal{A} = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^2 : r \leq \|x\|_2 \leq R\}$$

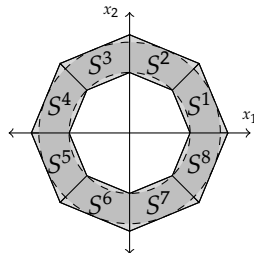


How do we optimize over the annulus?

- Not *mixed-integer convex representable*! [Lubin 2017]

Annulus constraints

$$\mathcal{A} \approx \hat{\mathcal{A}} = \bigcup_{i=1}^d S^i$$



Discretization proposed for OPF by [Foster 2013]

Theorem (H. and Vielma 2017a)

Both the reflected binary Gray and the ZigZag codes yield ideal formulations for $\hat{\mathcal{A}}$ that use $\lceil \log_2(d) \rceil$ integer variables and $O(\text{polylog}(d))$ general inequality constraints.

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