

Let  $f_{n,m} : [n] \rightarrow [m]$  be a uniformly random function. Consider the convex hull around  $\{(1, f(1)), \dots, (n, f(n))\}$

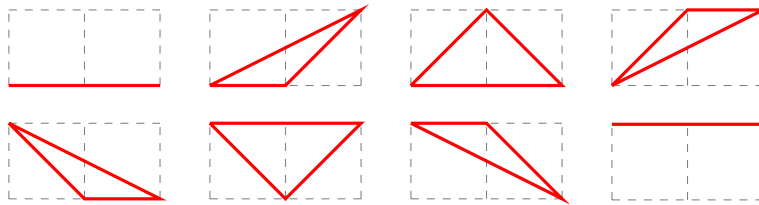


Figure 1: Examples of  $f_{3,2}$ . Here the expected number of vertices on a convex hull is 2.75

**Question.** What is the probability of seeing a  $k$ -gon (for some fixed  $k$ ), when given a uniformly random function  $f_{n,m}$ ?

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