Origin of Infinity

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Abstract

I am beginning with the origin of *Infinity*. Though this is mainly a proof of concept for our project; this also is an interesting part, that I think can contribute a lot.

1 Infinity

Though the earliest use of the mathematical concept of *Infinity*, it was not widespread with its symbol ∞ until the early 17th century (citation needed). The modern idea, outside of academic work is seen primarily in the infinite number line:

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