

# Complex Root Clustering

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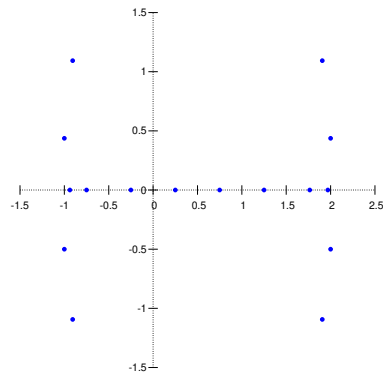
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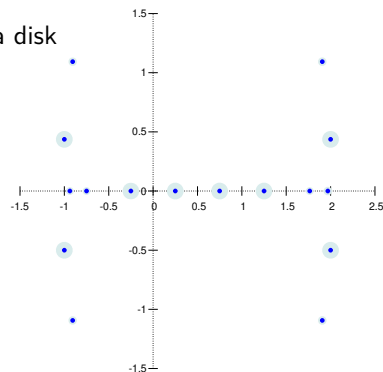


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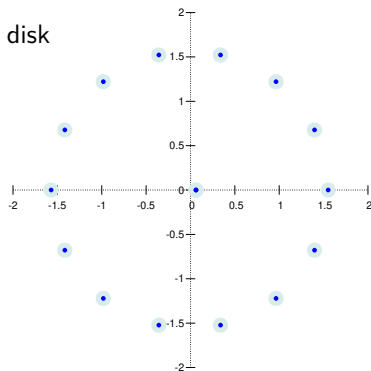
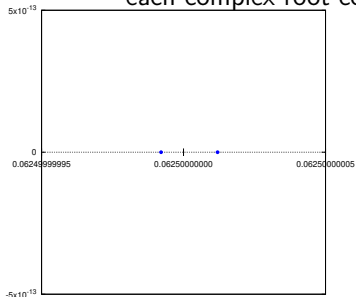


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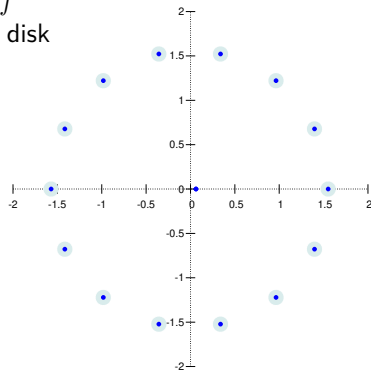
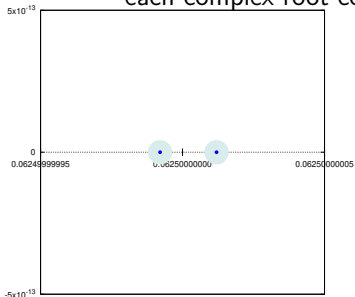


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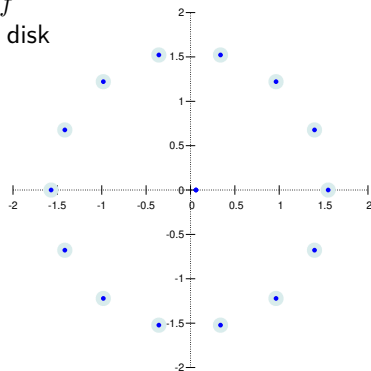
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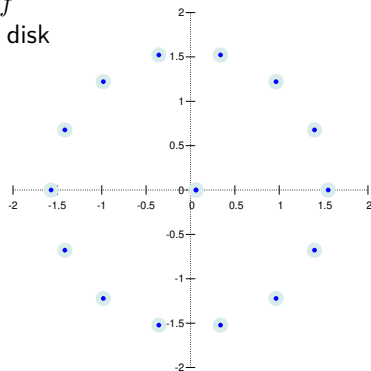
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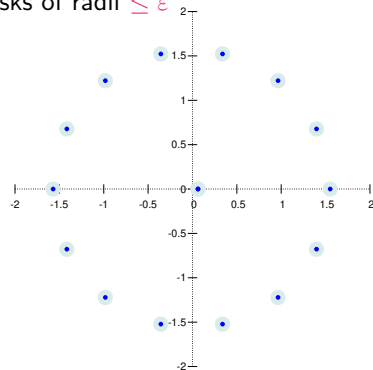
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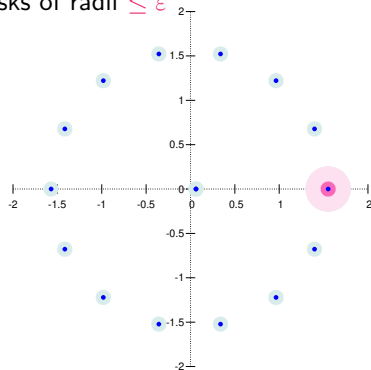


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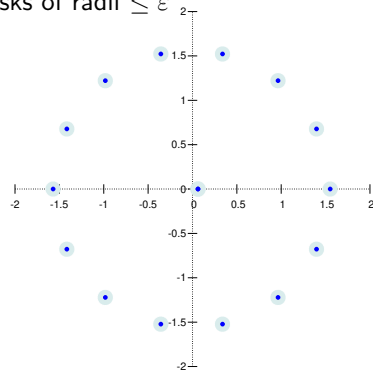
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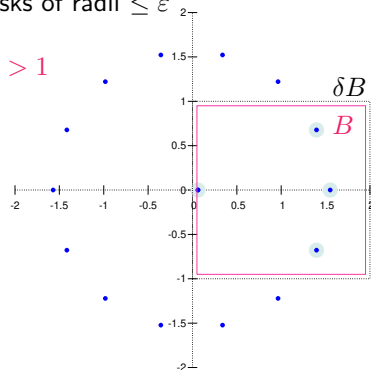
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**Benchmark problem:** Isolate all roots of  $f \in \mathbb{Z}[z]$  squarefree

$d$ : degree,  $\sigma$ :  $\log \|f\|_\infty$

**Notation:**  $\tilde{O}$ :  $O$  without logarithmic factor

## Multivariate root finding

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# Soft Exact computation

Numerical methods are fast

but not robust to **Zero problems**

Zero problems can be tackled with exact computation

in only a few cases

Soft exact computation (for instance **local root clustering**)

is a middle path?

avoids Zero problem

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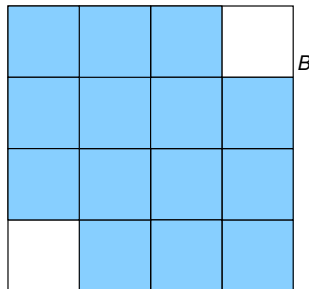
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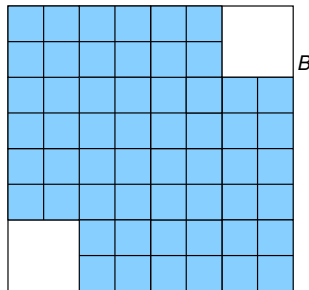
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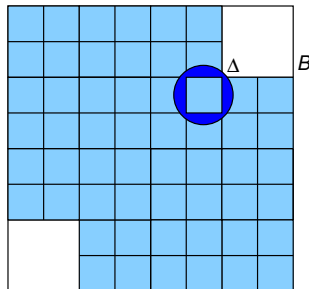
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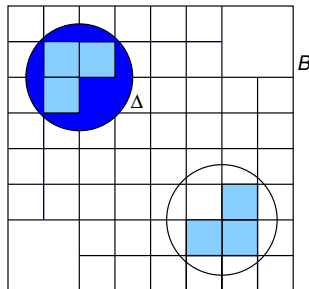


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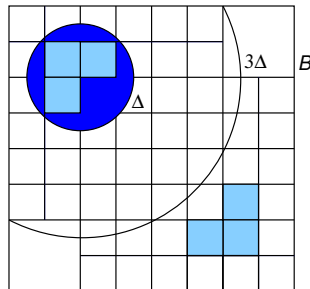
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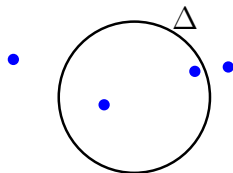
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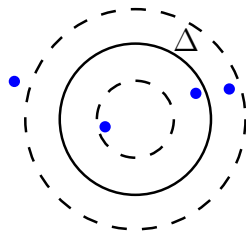
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# ToC

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[IPY20] Rémi Imbach, Marc Pouget, and Chee Yap.

Clustering complex zeros of triangular systems of polynomials.

*Mathematics in Computer Science*, pages 1–22, 2020.

$$\begin{cases} f_1(z_1) &= 0 \\ f_2(z_1, z_2) &= 0 \end{cases}, \deg_{z_i}(f_i) \geq 1, \quad f_i \in \mathbb{Q}[z_1, z_2]$$

Usual assumption:  $f_1 = f_2 = 0$  is **regular**

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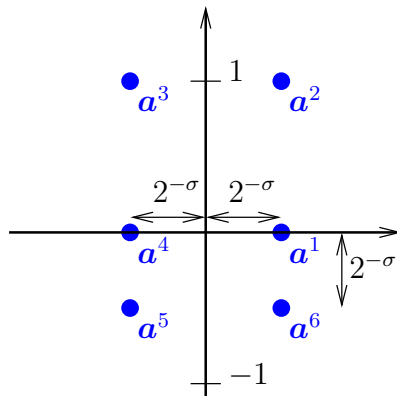
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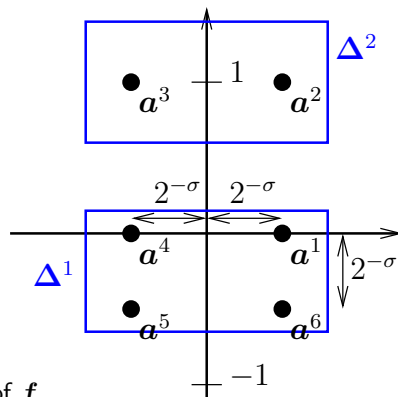
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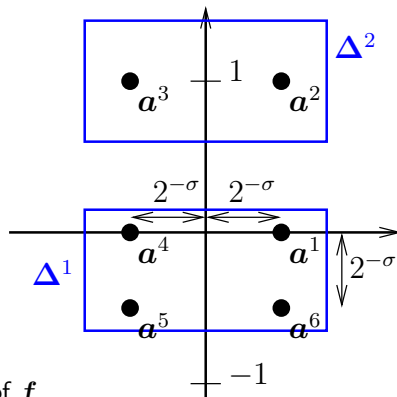
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**Proof:** direct consequence of

**Theorem [ZFX11]:** Let  $\alpha \in Z(\mathbb{C}^2, \mathbf{f})$ ,  $\alpha = (\alpha_1, \alpha_2)$ . Then

$$m(\alpha, \mathbf{f}) = m(\alpha_2, f_2(\alpha_1)) \times m(\alpha_1, f_1)$$

[ZFX11] Zhihai Zhang, Tian Fang, and Bican Xia.

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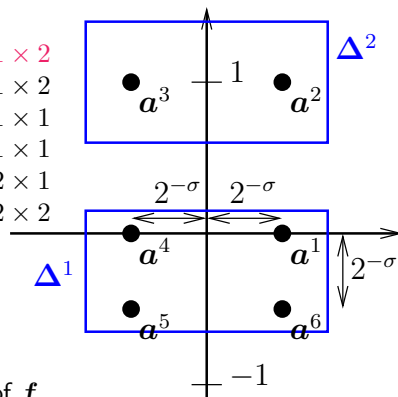
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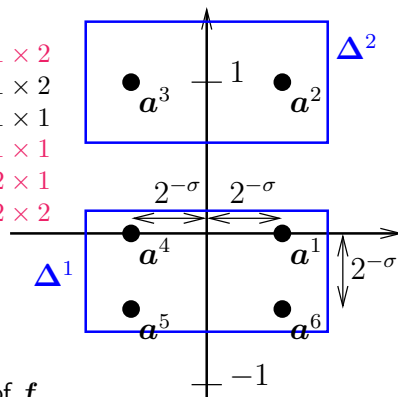
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# Example

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**Solutions:**  $\mathbf{f}(z) = \mathbf{0}$  has 6 solutions, all real:

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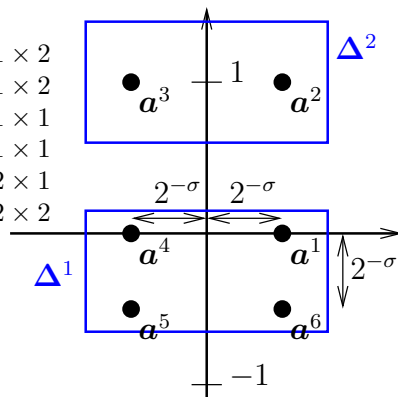
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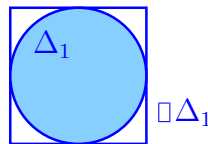
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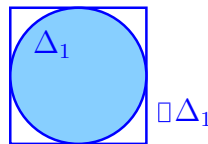
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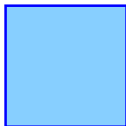
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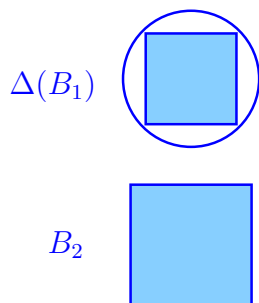
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 $B_1$  $B_2$ 

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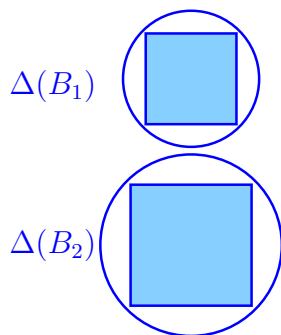
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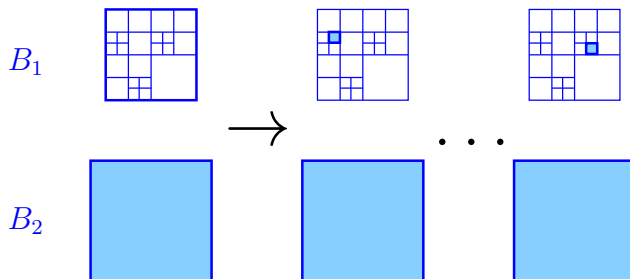
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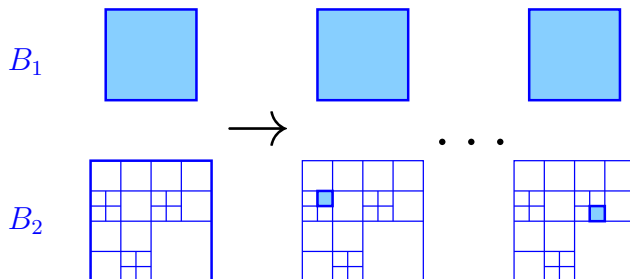
**Cluster1(  $f, \mathcal{T}$  )**

**Input:**  $f = (f_1, f_2)$ ,  $\mathcal{T} = \langle \ell, \mathbf{B}, \mathbf{L} \rangle$  a tower

**Output:** a list of towers at level 1

1. call **ClusterOracle** for  $f_1, B_1, 2^{-L_1}$

# Lift of a tower from level 1 to level 2



## Cluster2( $f, \mathcal{T}$ )

**Input:**  $f = (f_1, f_2)$ ,  $\mathcal{T} = \langle \ell, B, L \rangle$  a tower at level 1

**Output:** a flag in  $\{\text{success}, \text{fail}\}$  and a list of towers at level 2

1. call **ClusterInterval** for  $f_2(\square\Delta(B_1))$ ,  $B_2$ ,  $2^{-L_2}$

**fail** if SoftPelletTest returns -2 (i.e. not enough prec. on  $\square\Delta(B_1)$ )

# Main algorithm

## ClusterTri( $f, B, L$ )

**Input:** a triangular system  $f(z) = 0$ , a polybox  $B$ ,  $L > 0$


**Output:** a set of natural  $2^{-L}$ -towers solving the LCP

1. ... //interleave Cluster1 and Cluster2



# Our implementation

**Ccluster**: library in C based on

- FLINT<sup>1</sup>: arithmetic for the geometric algorithm
-  Arb<sup>2</sup>: arbitrary precision floating arithmetic with error bounds

Available at <https://github.com/rimbach/Ccluster>

**Ccluster.jl**: package for <sup>3</sup> based on  $\text{Ne}^m \mathcal{O}^4$

- interface for Ccluster
- **Tcluster**: implementation of ClusterTri

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(6,6,6,6)	(81.6 : 10.2)	0.21	(1296 : 162)	1.28				

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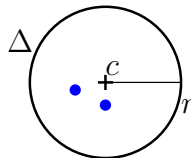
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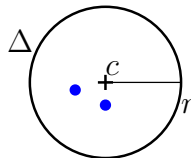
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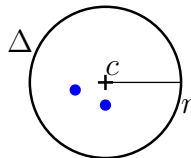
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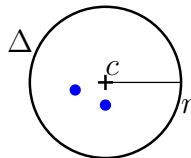
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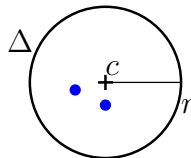
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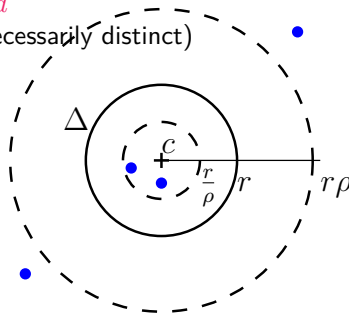
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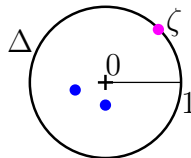
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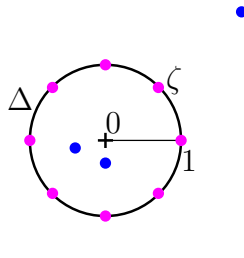


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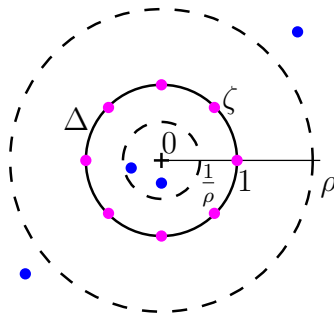
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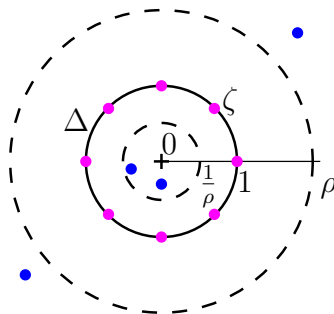
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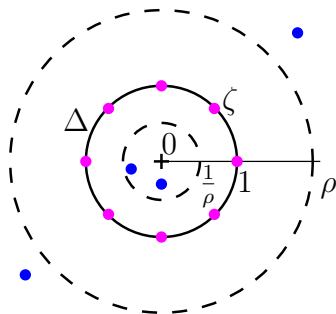
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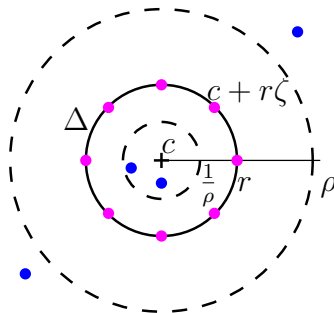


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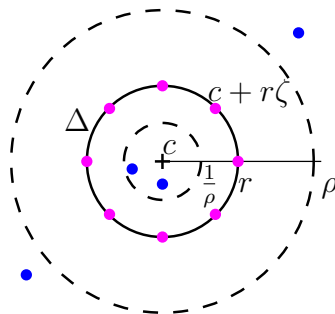
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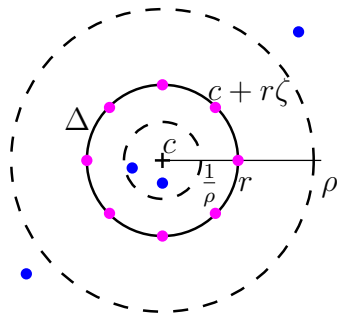
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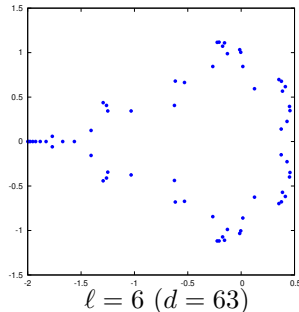
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- **faster for sparse and procedural polynomial**

**Procedure:** Mandelbrot $_{\ell}(z)$

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2.     **return**  $z$
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## Ongoing and future works

**Deterministic support** for the Cauchy root counter with unknown  $\rho$   
→ now requires  $O(d)$  evaluations ... can we afford this in practice?

**Cauchy subdivision root finder**

→ without coefficients of  $f$

→ only black box for evaluation of  $f$  and  $f'$

# Soft Exact computation

Numerical methods are fast

but not robust to Zero problems

Zero problems can be tackled with exact computation

in only a few cases

Soft exact computation (for instance local root clustering)

is a middle path?

avoids Zero problem