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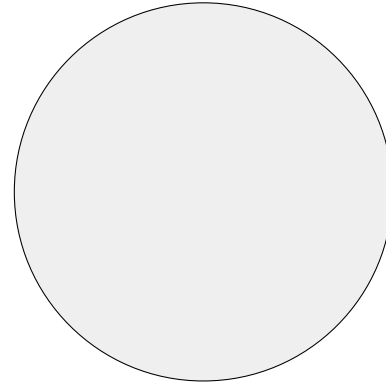
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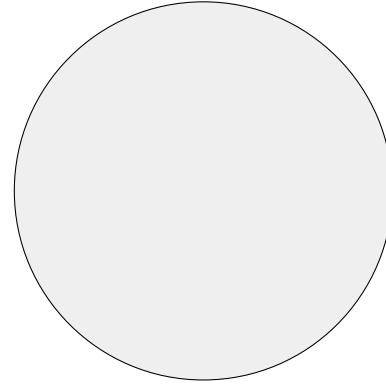
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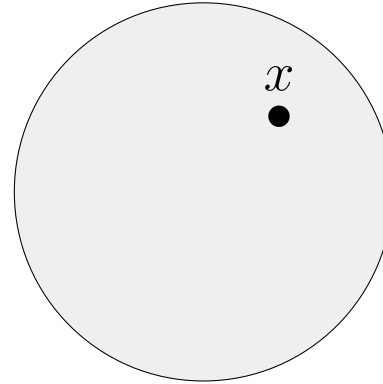
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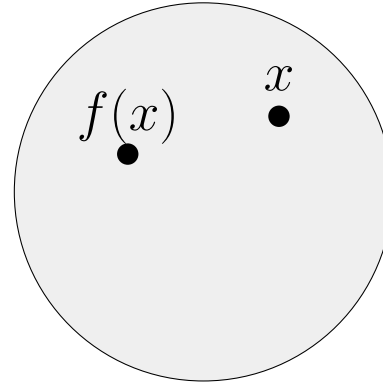
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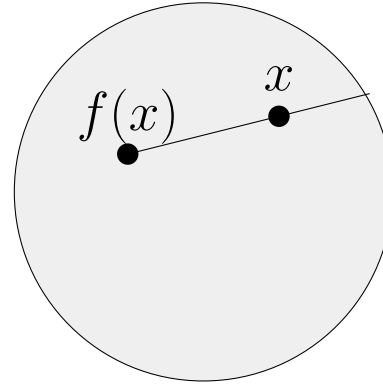
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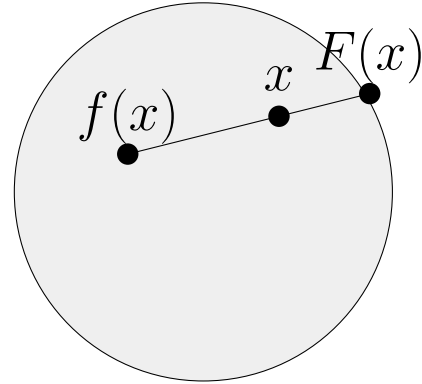
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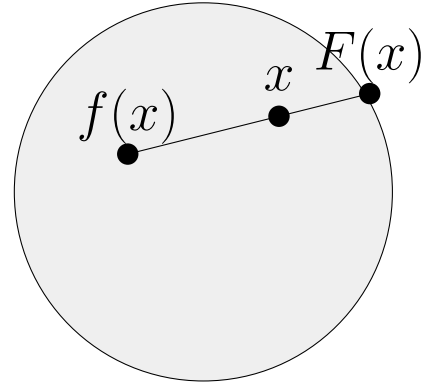
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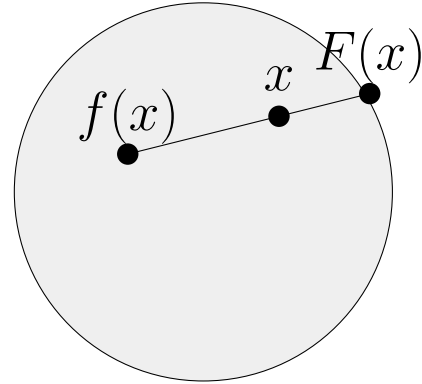
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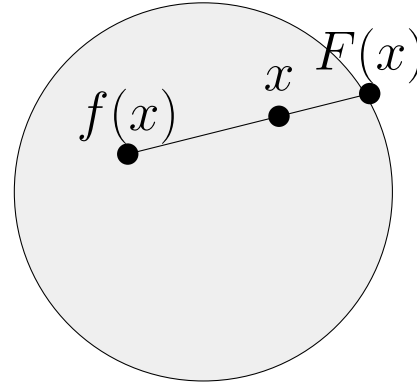
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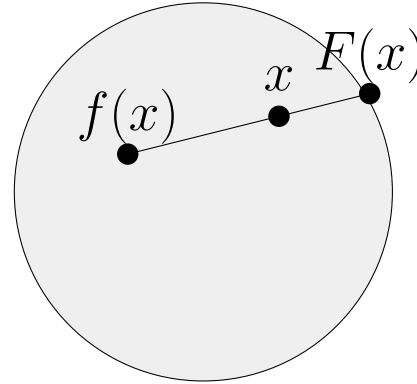
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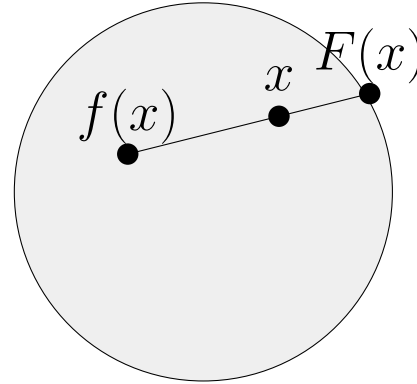
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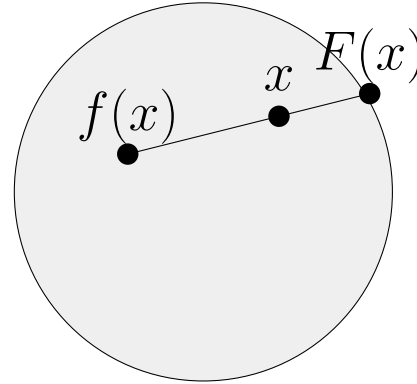
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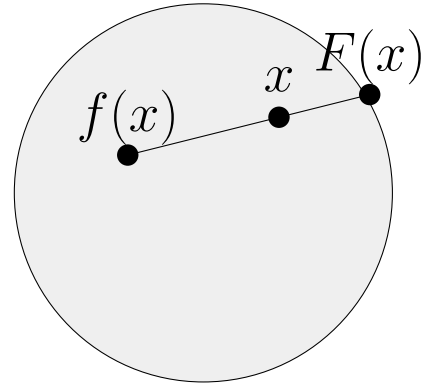
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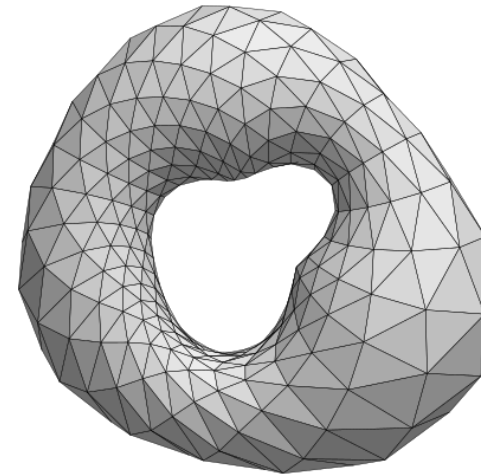


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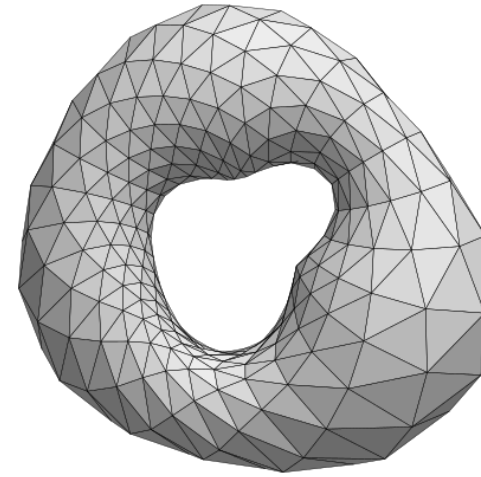


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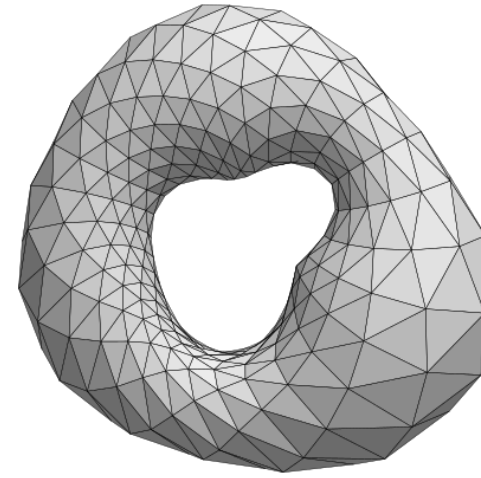


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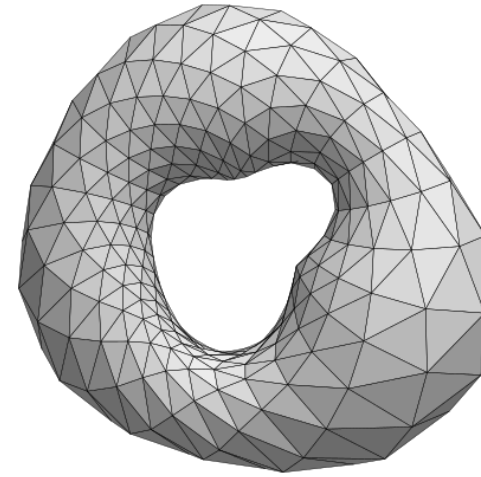


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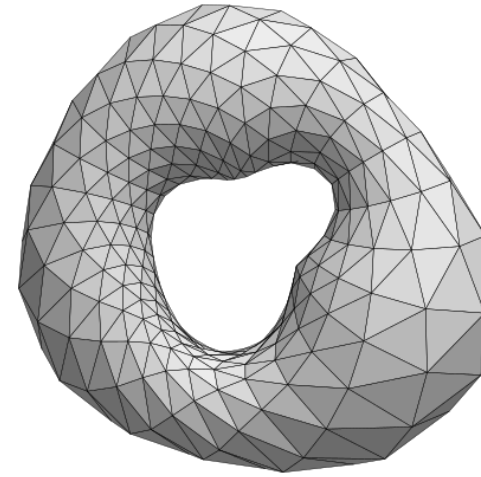


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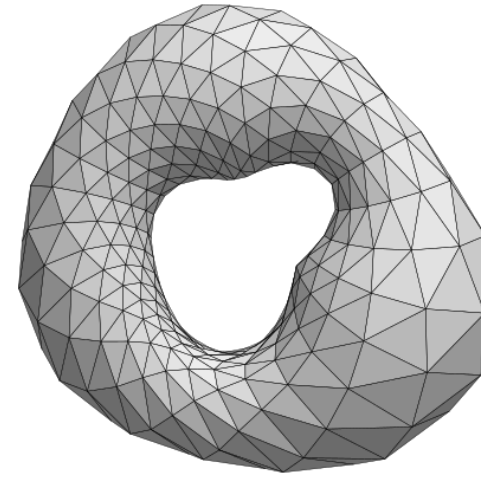


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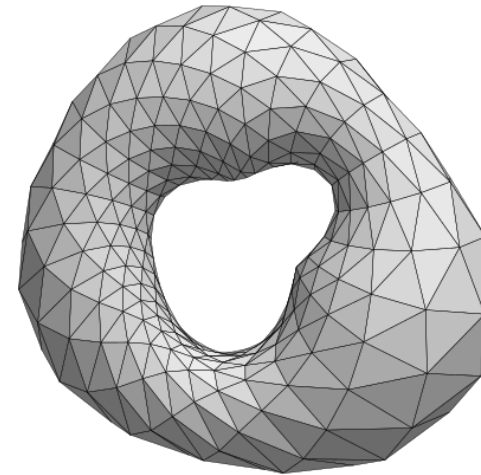


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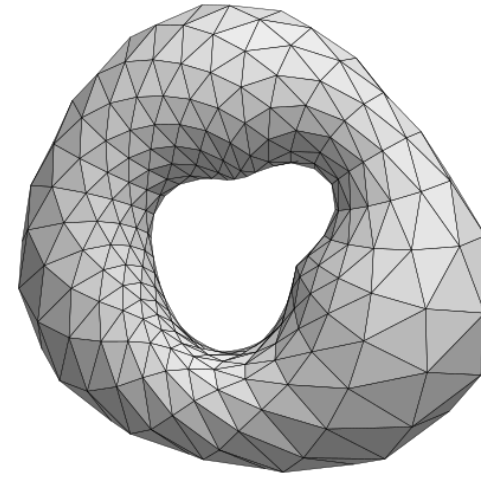


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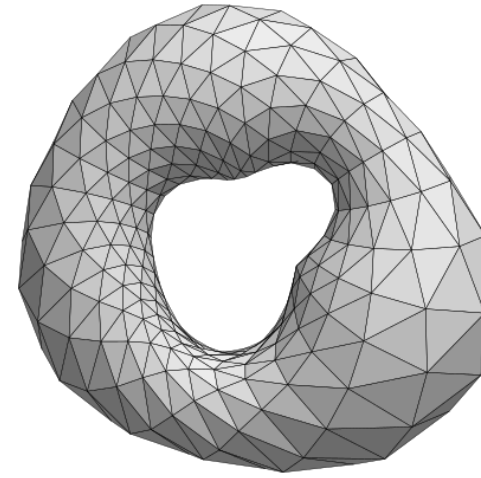


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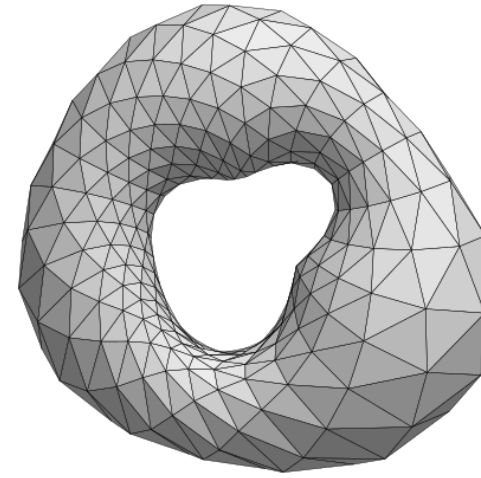
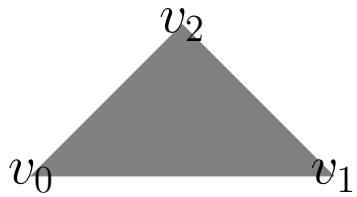


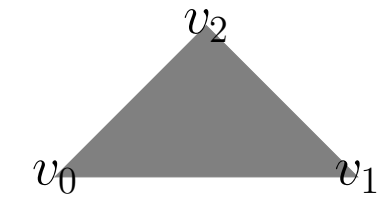
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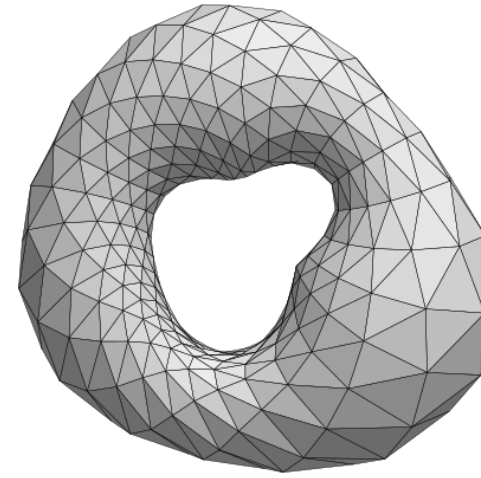


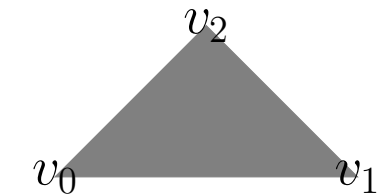
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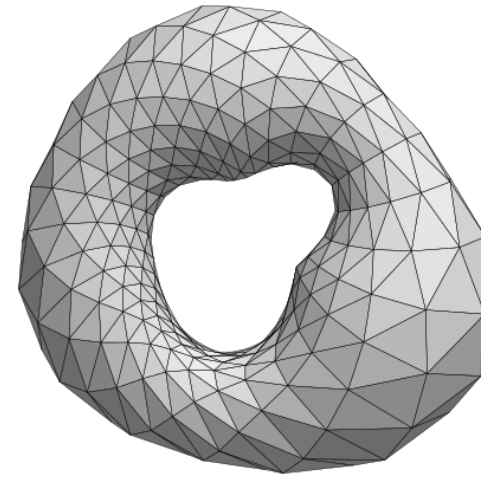


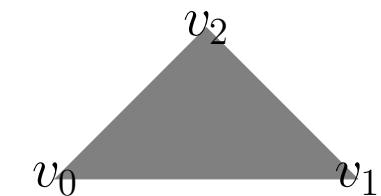
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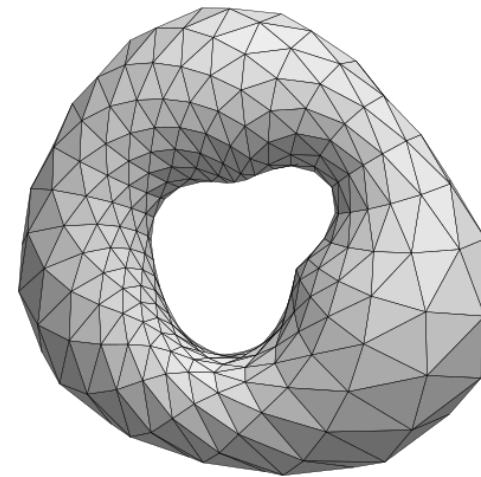


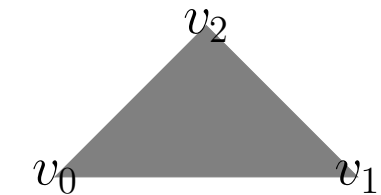
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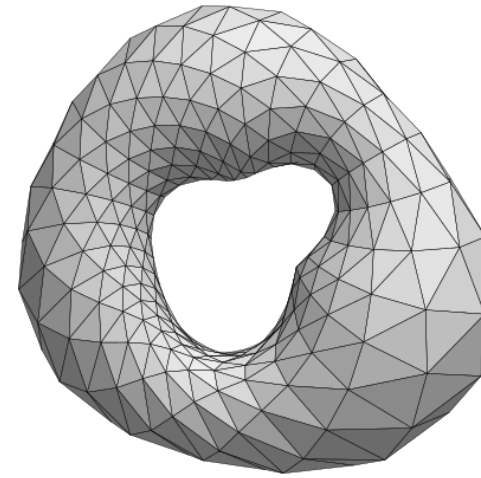


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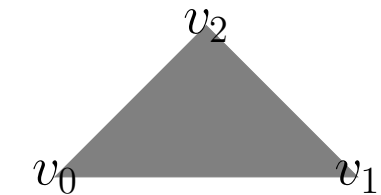
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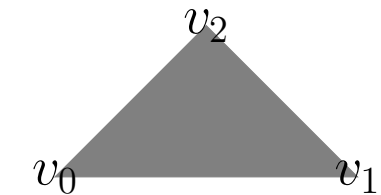
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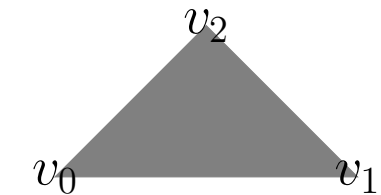
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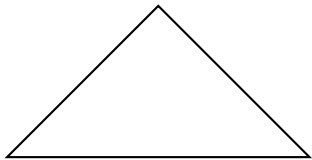
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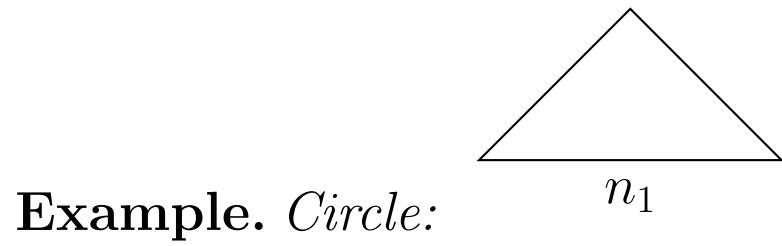
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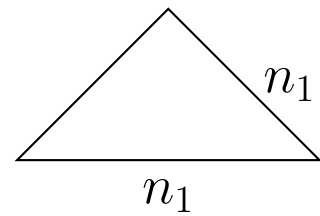
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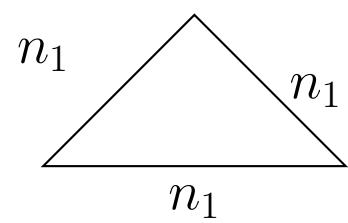
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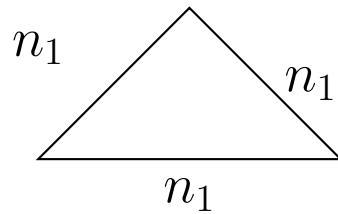
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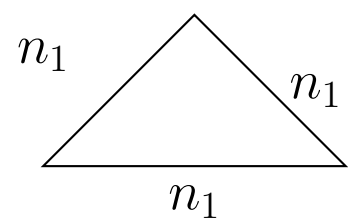
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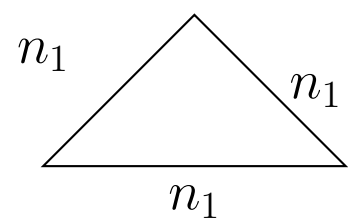
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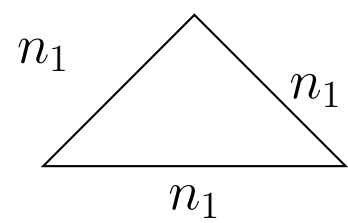
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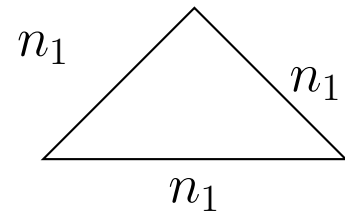
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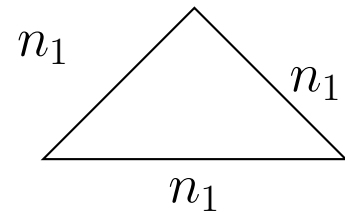
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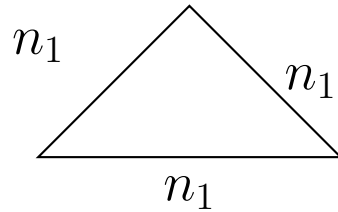
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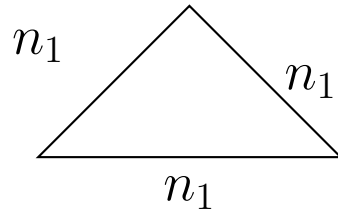
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Singular homology

Δ_n : standard n -simplex

$\sigma : \Delta_n \rightarrow X$: singular simplex in X

$$C_n(X) := \{ \sum_i n_i \sigma_i \mid \sigma_i : \Delta_n \rightarrow X, n_i \in \mathbb{Z} \}$$

$\sigma^{(i)}$: i th face

$\partial_n : C_n(X) \rightarrow C_{n-1}(X)$ (boundary map)

$$\partial_n(\sigma) = \sum_i (-1)^i \sigma^{(i)}$$

$$\boxed{\partial_n \circ \partial_{n+1} = 0}$$

$$Z_n(X) := \ker \partial_n$$

$$B_n(X) := \operatorname{Im} \partial_{n+1}$$

$$B_n(X) \subset Z_n(X)$$

$$H_n(X) := \frac{Z_n(X)}{B_n(X)}$$

Example 2: $H_0(X)$

Any path $\gamma : [0, 1] \rightarrow X$ is a (singular) 1-simplex.

$$\partial \gamma = \gamma(1) - \gamma(0)$$

Therefore, $[\sum_i n_i \sigma_i] = [(\sum_i n_i) \sigma_0]$

$$[n \sigma_0] = [0]??, \text{ i.e. } n \sigma_0 = \partial c??$$

$$\epsilon : C_0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\epsilon(\sum_i n_i \sigma_i) = \sum_i n_i$$

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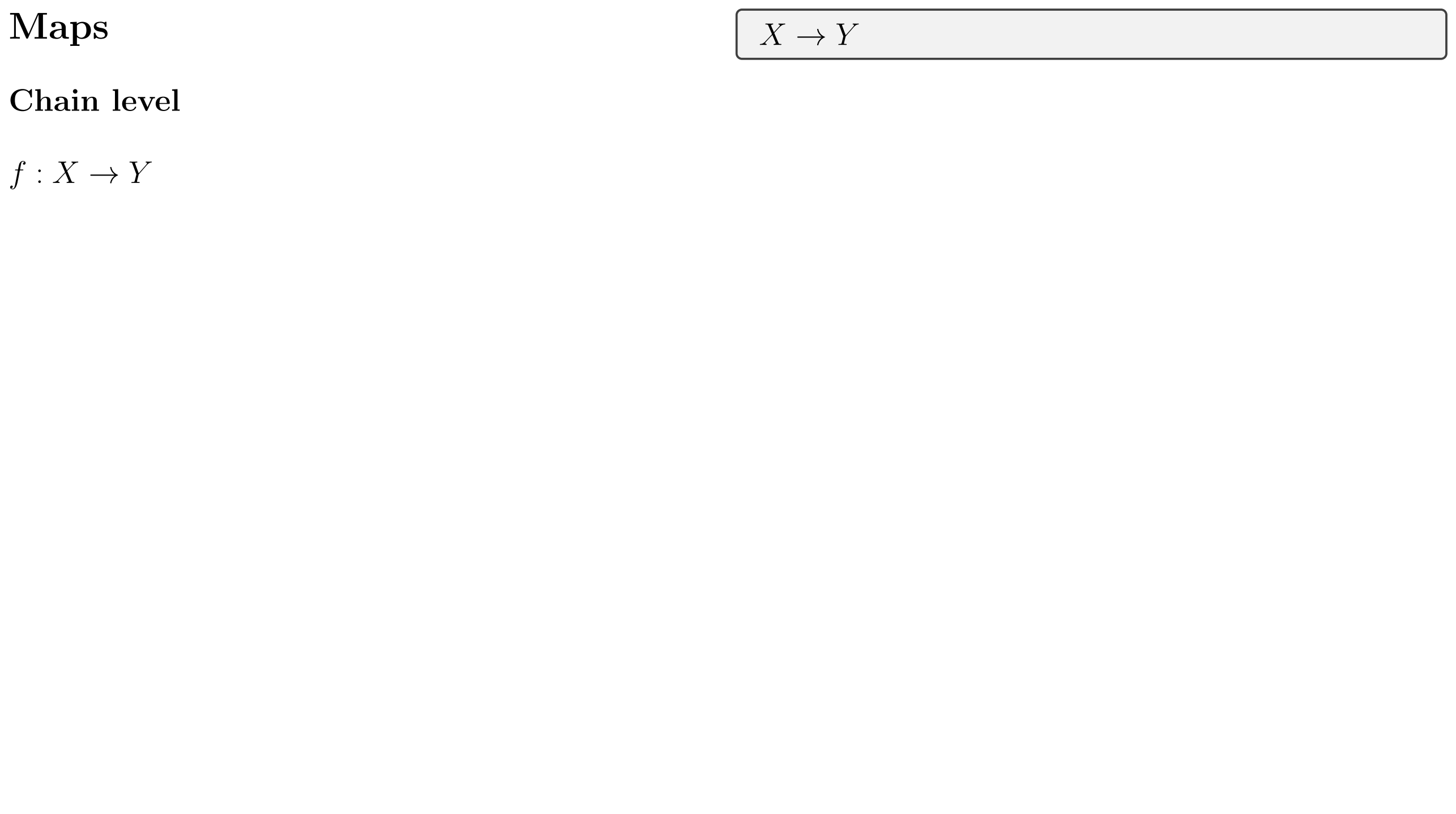
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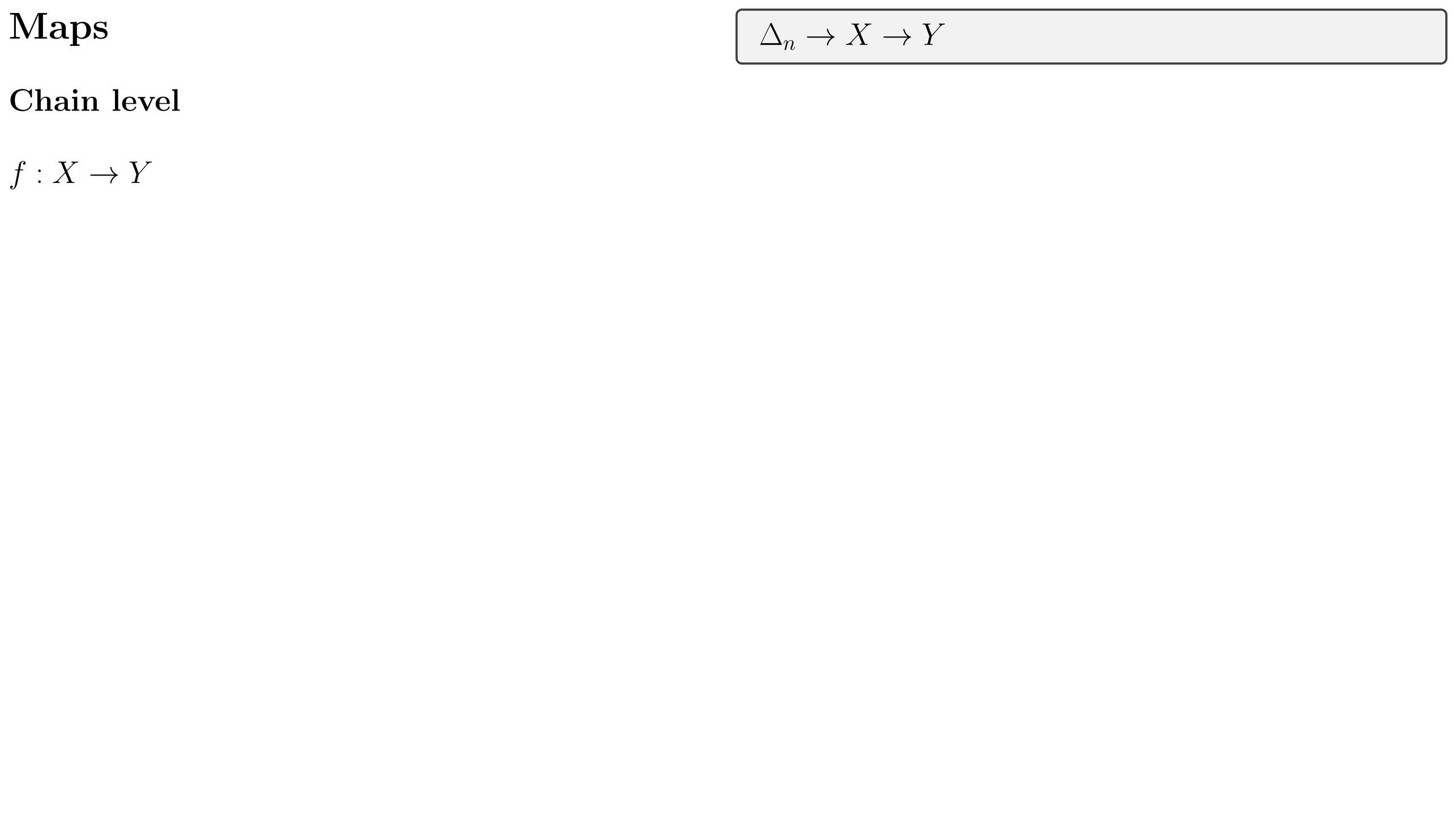
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(Exercise)

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“ f_0 and f_1 are homotopic”

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Corollary. *If,*

$$f : X \rightarrow Y$$



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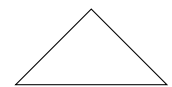
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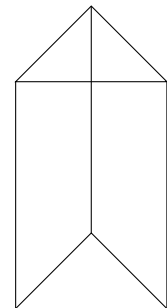
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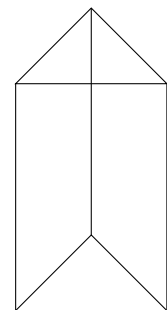
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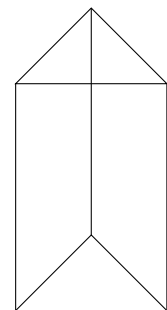
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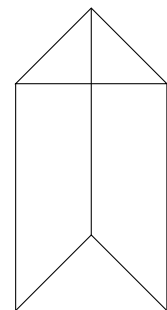
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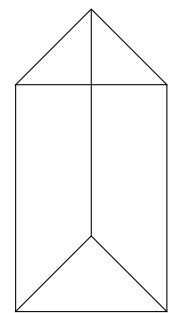
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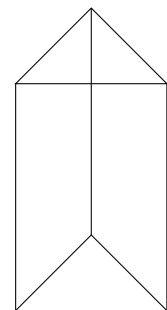
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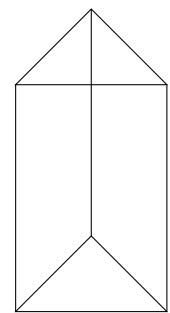
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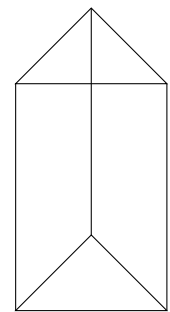
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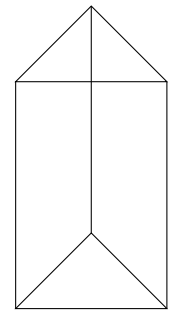
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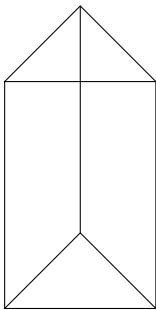
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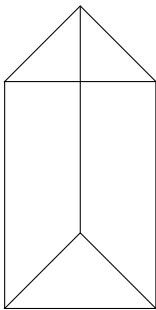
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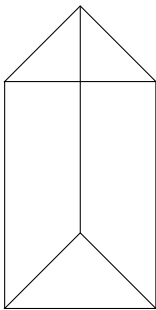
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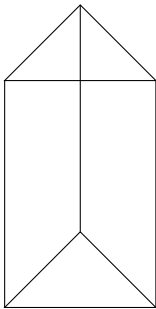
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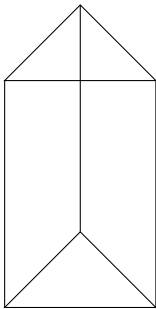
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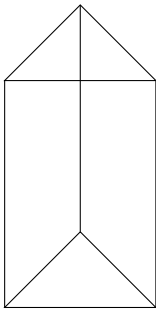
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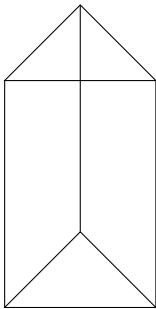
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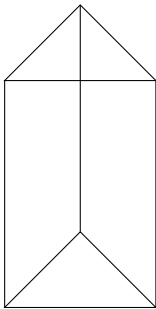
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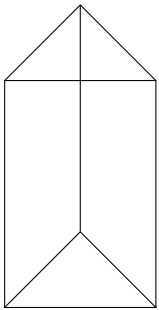
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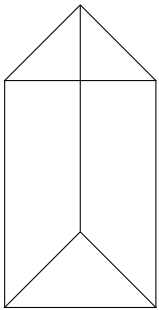
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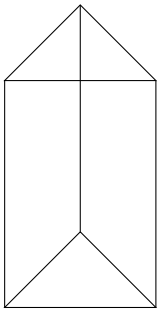
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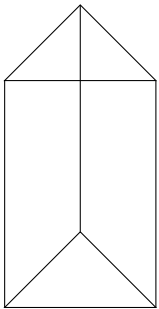
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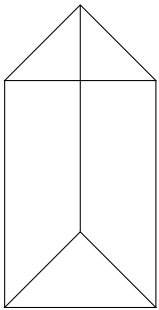
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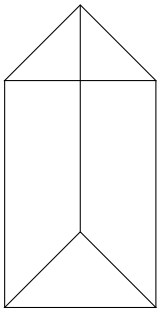
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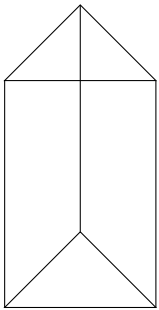
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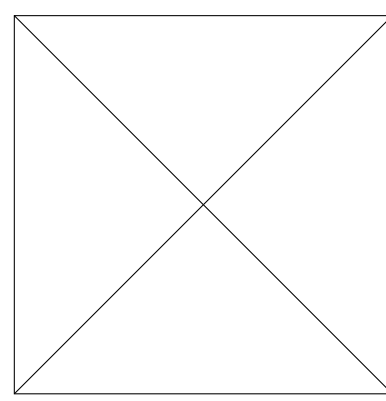
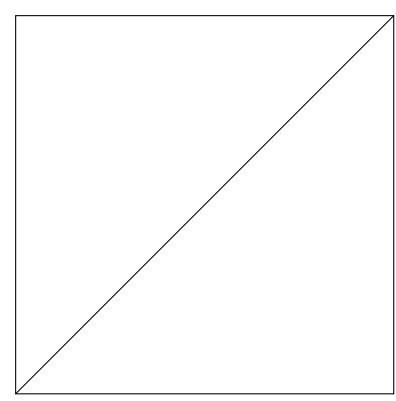
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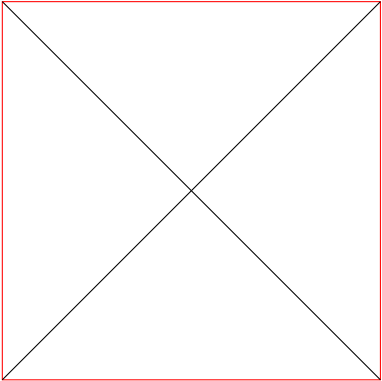
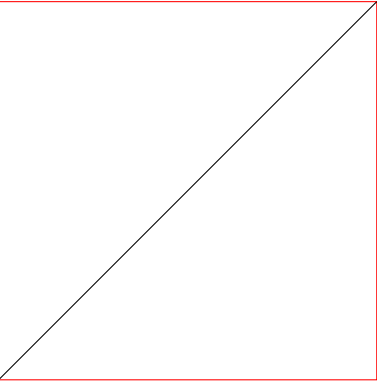
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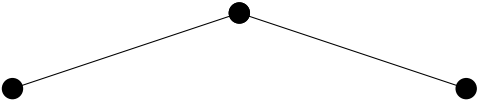
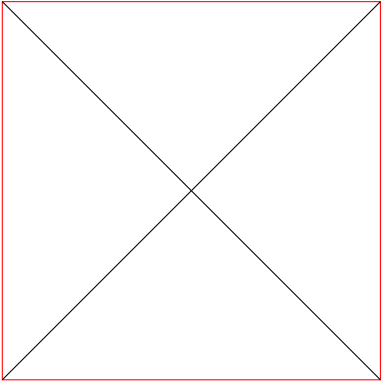
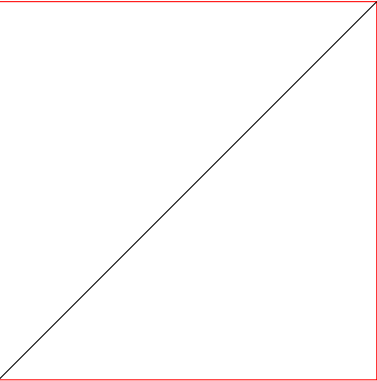
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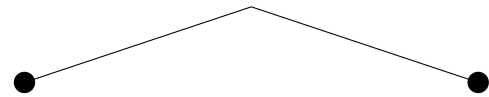
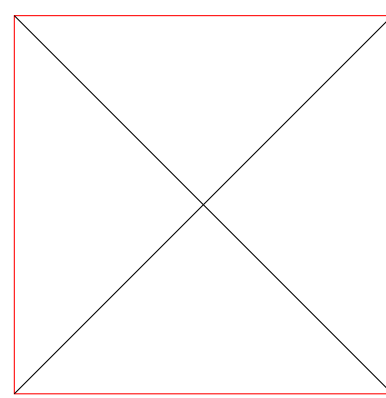
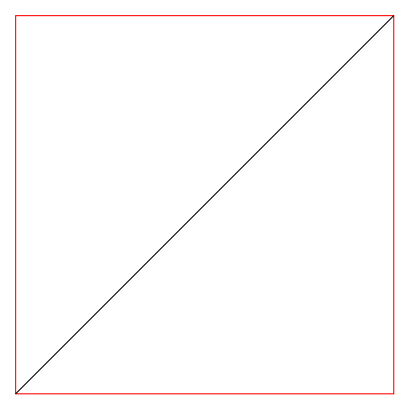
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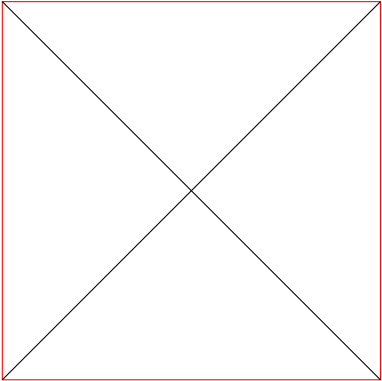
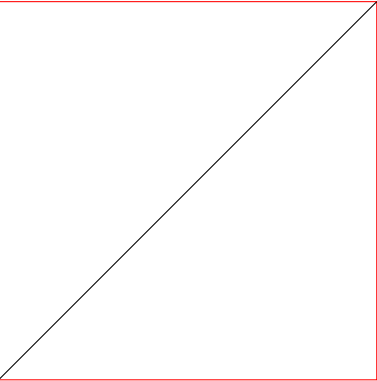
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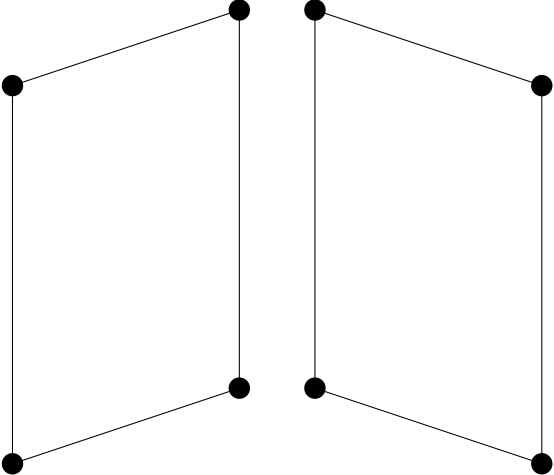
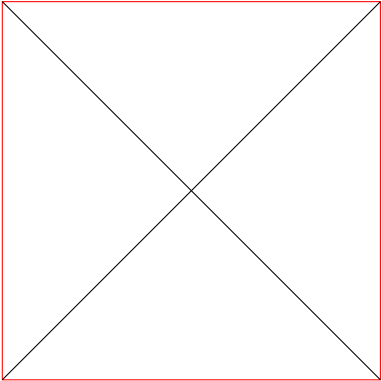
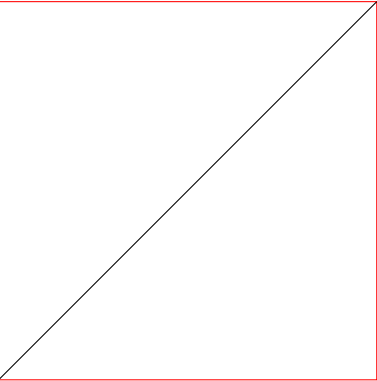


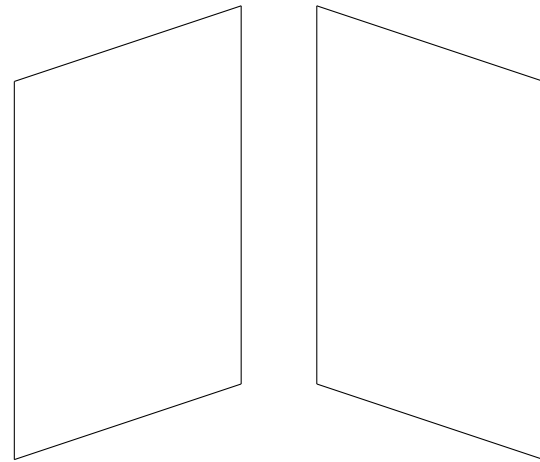
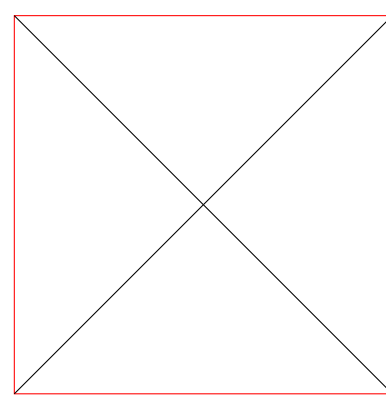
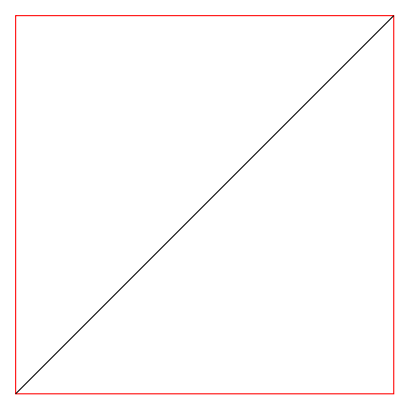


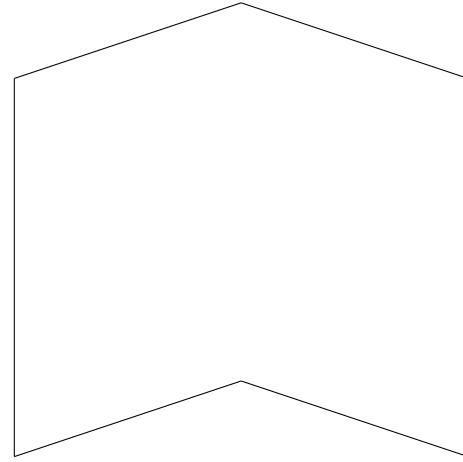
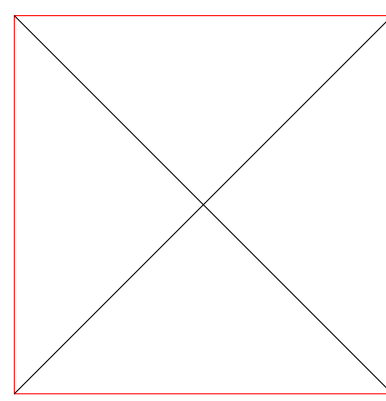
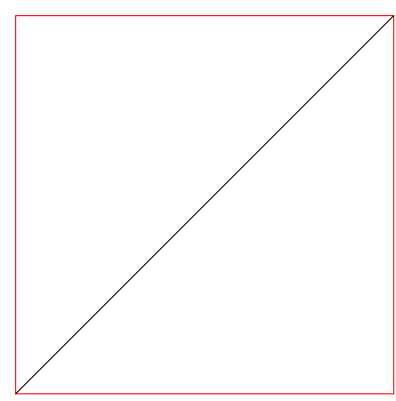












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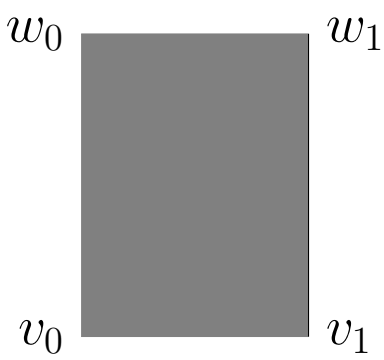
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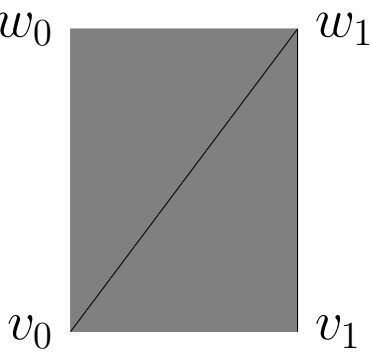
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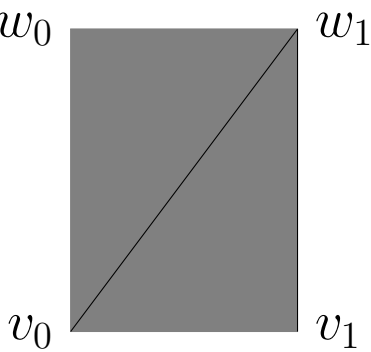
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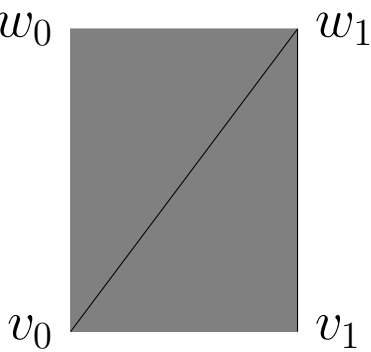
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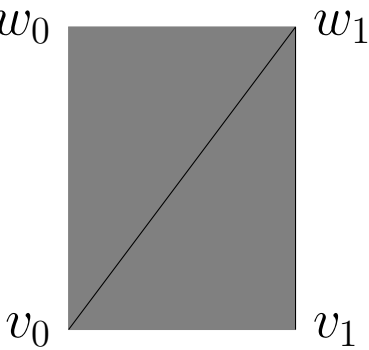
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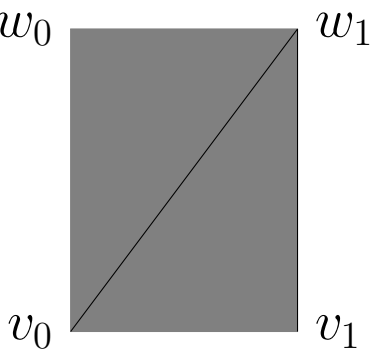
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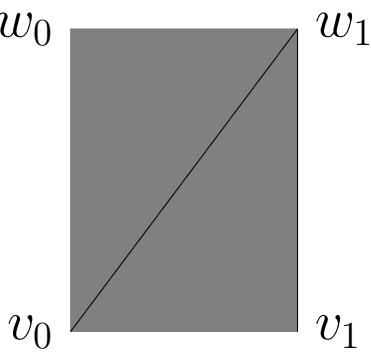
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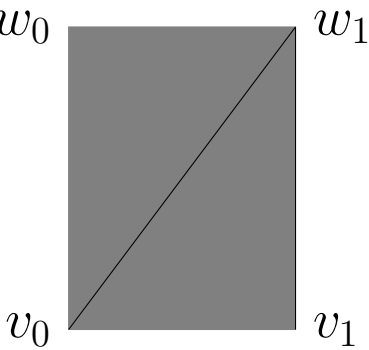
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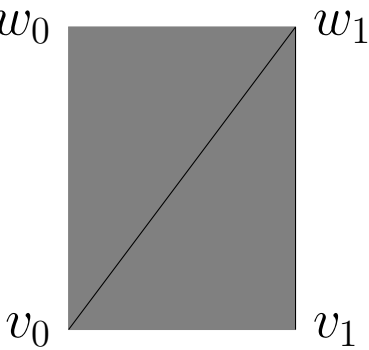
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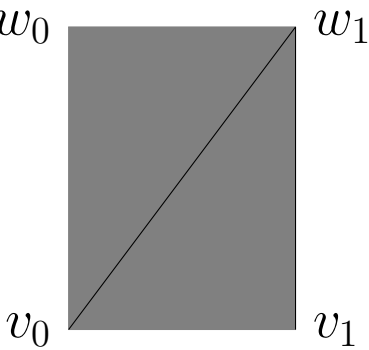
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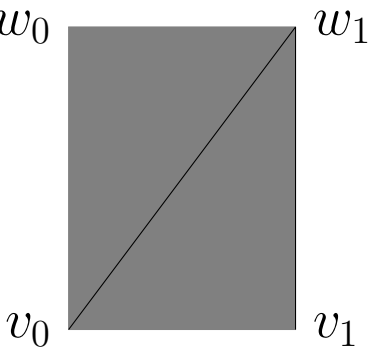
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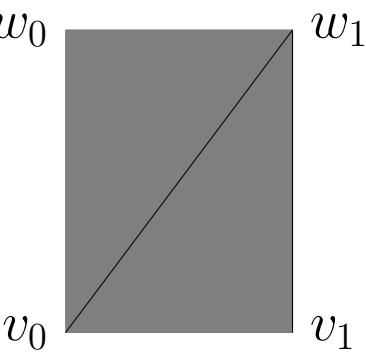
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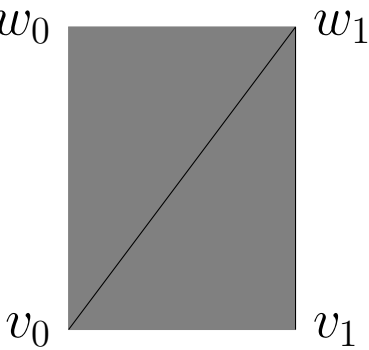
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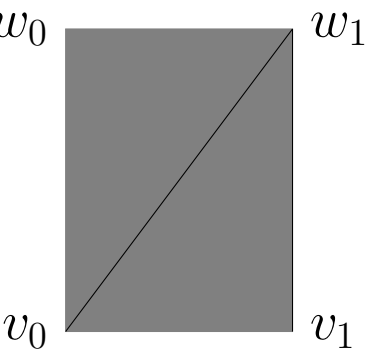
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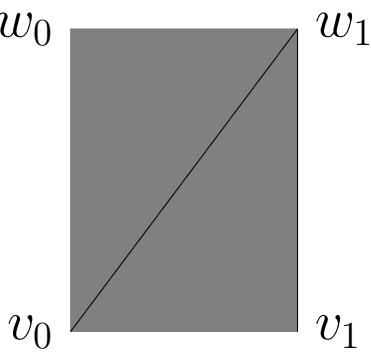
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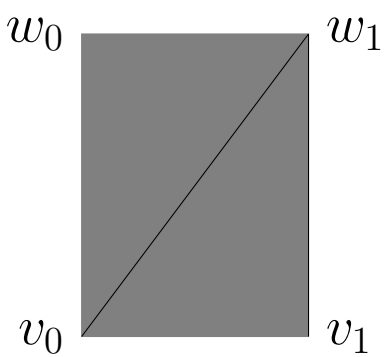
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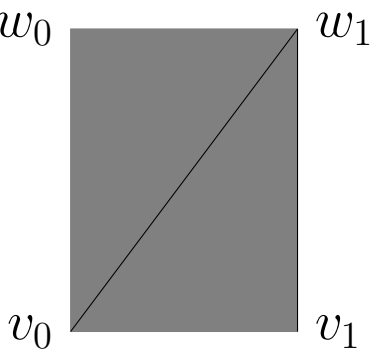
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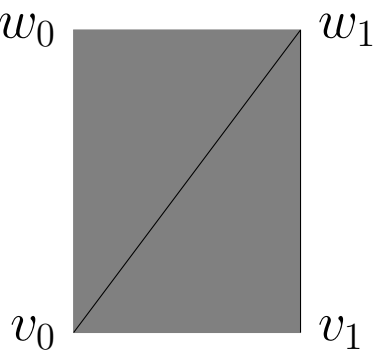
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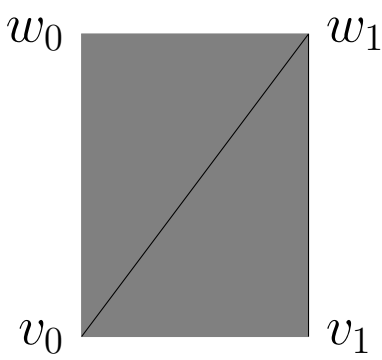
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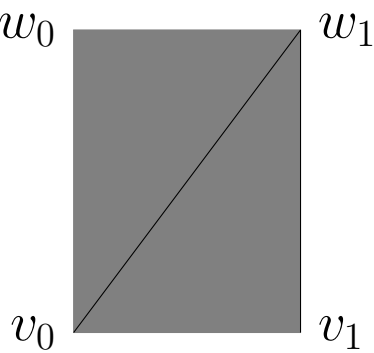
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