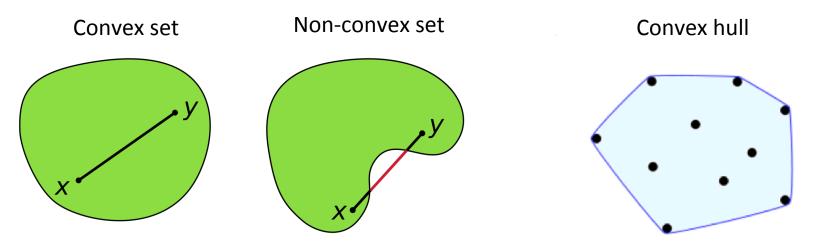
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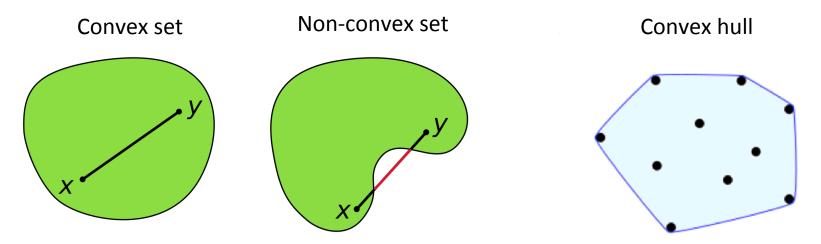




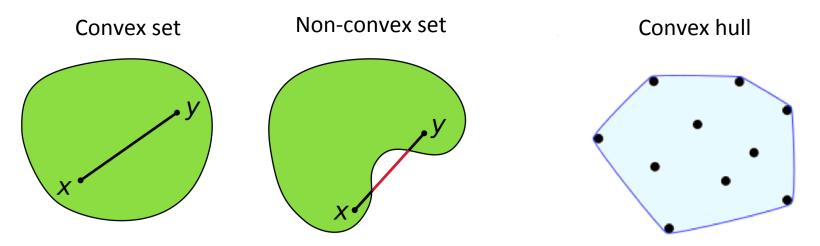
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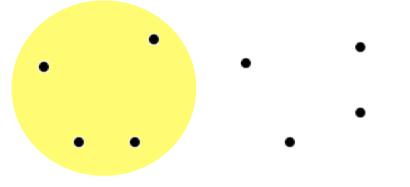


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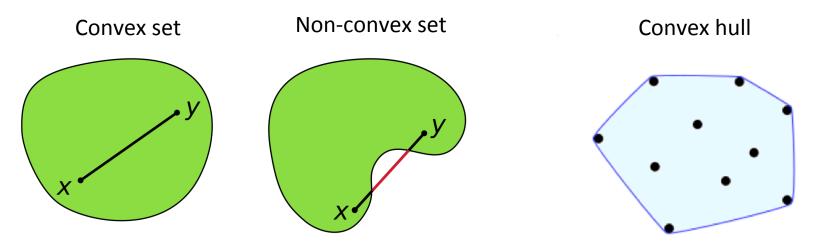


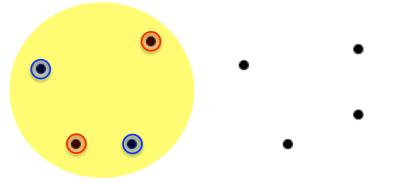
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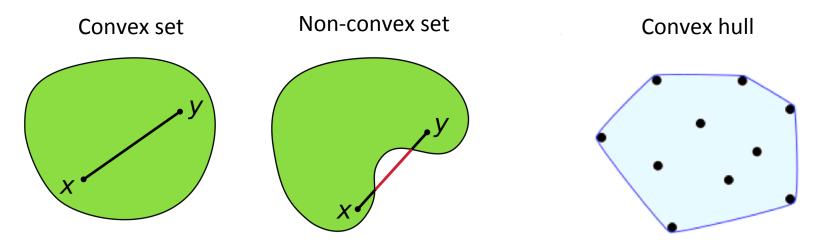


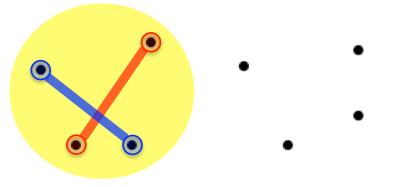
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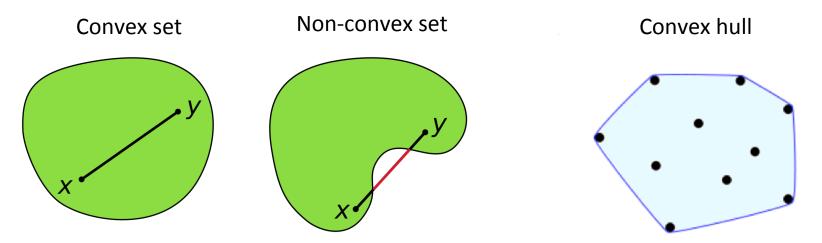


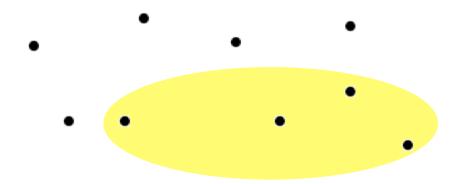
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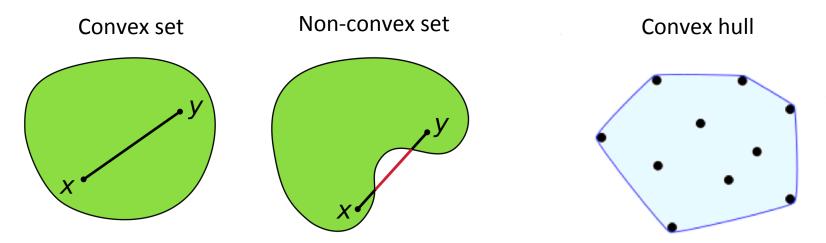


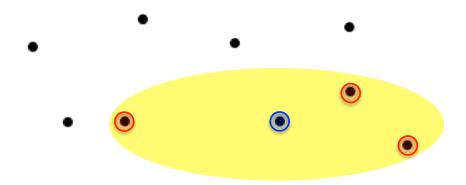
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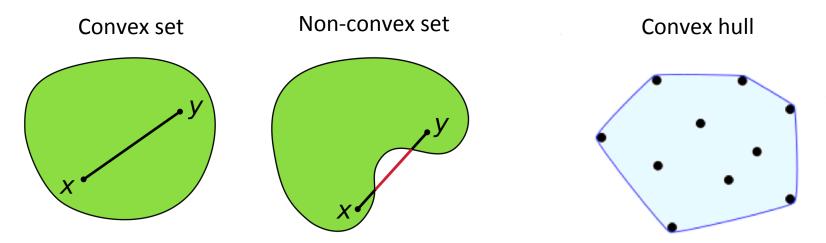


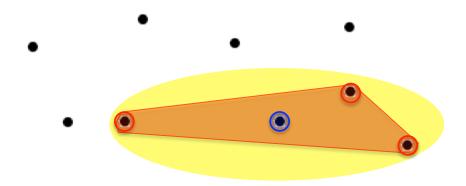
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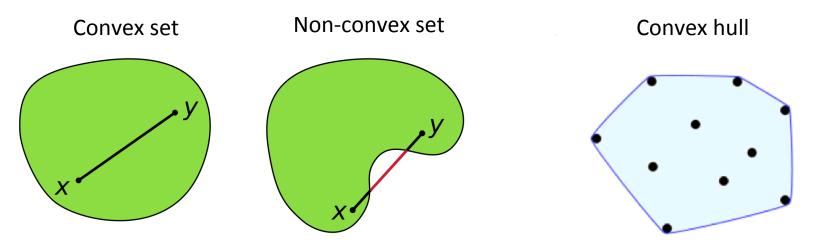


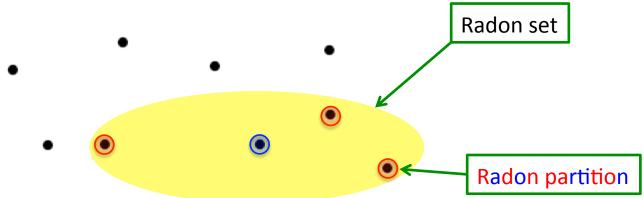
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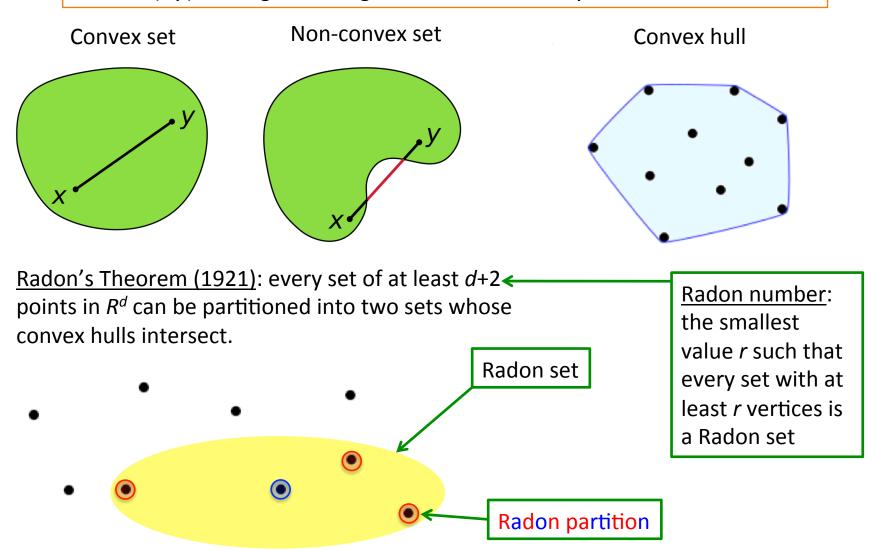


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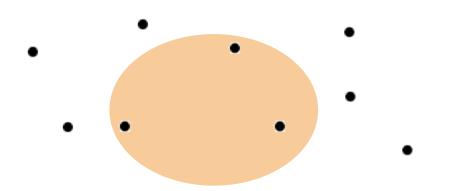
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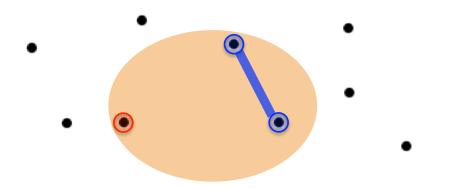
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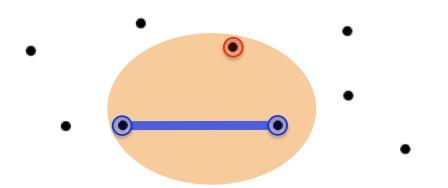


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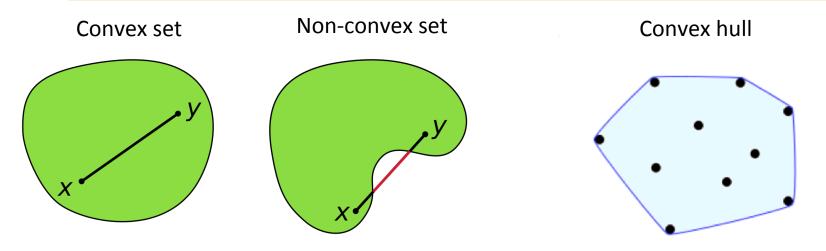
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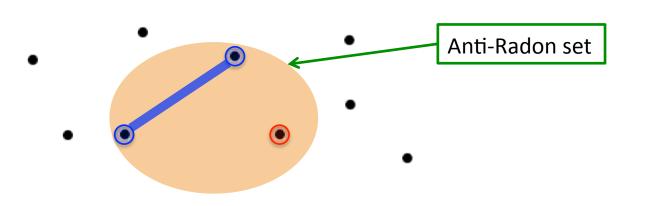


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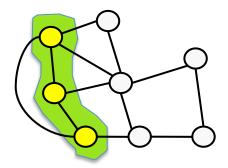
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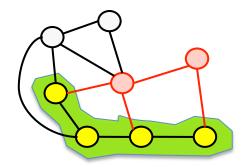
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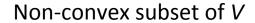
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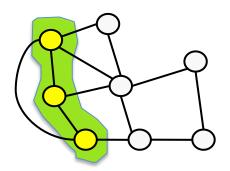


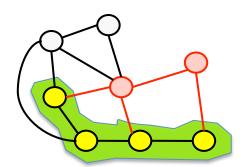


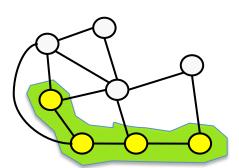
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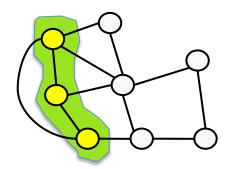


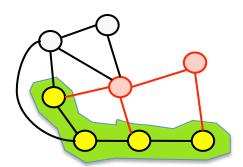


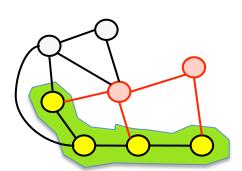
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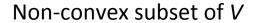
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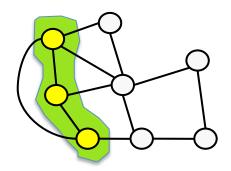


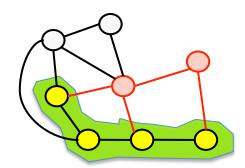


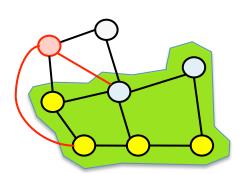
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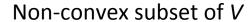
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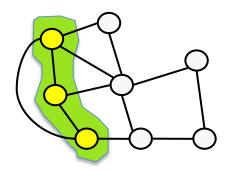


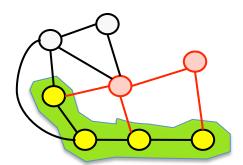


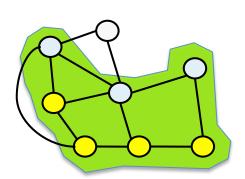
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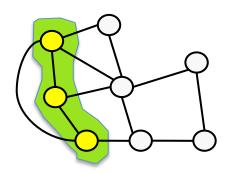


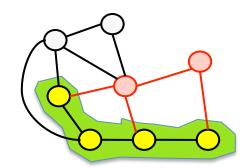
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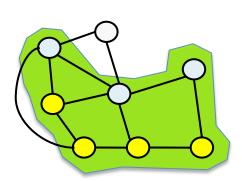
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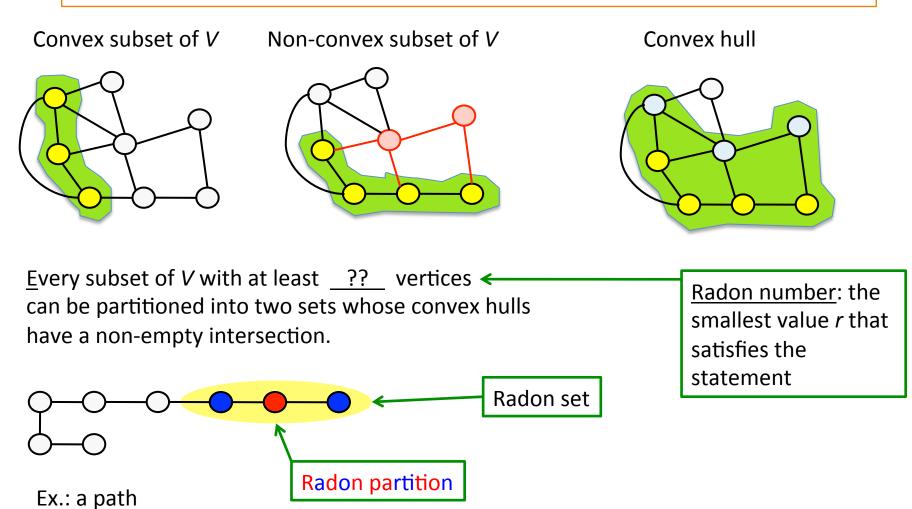




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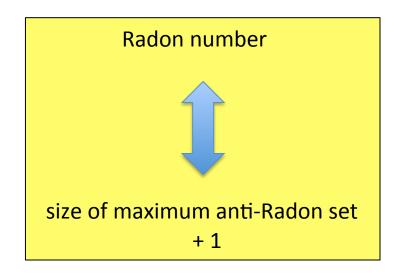
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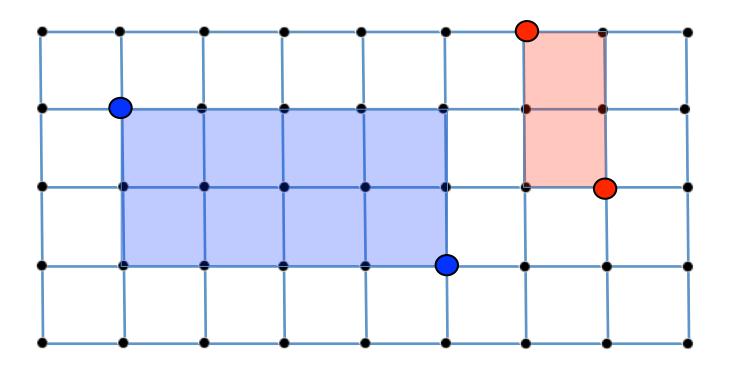
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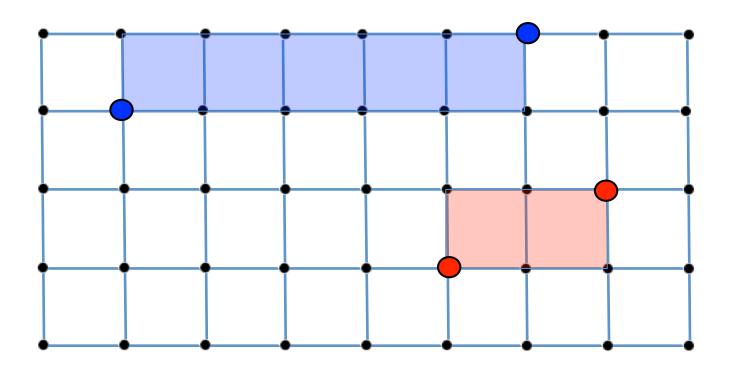
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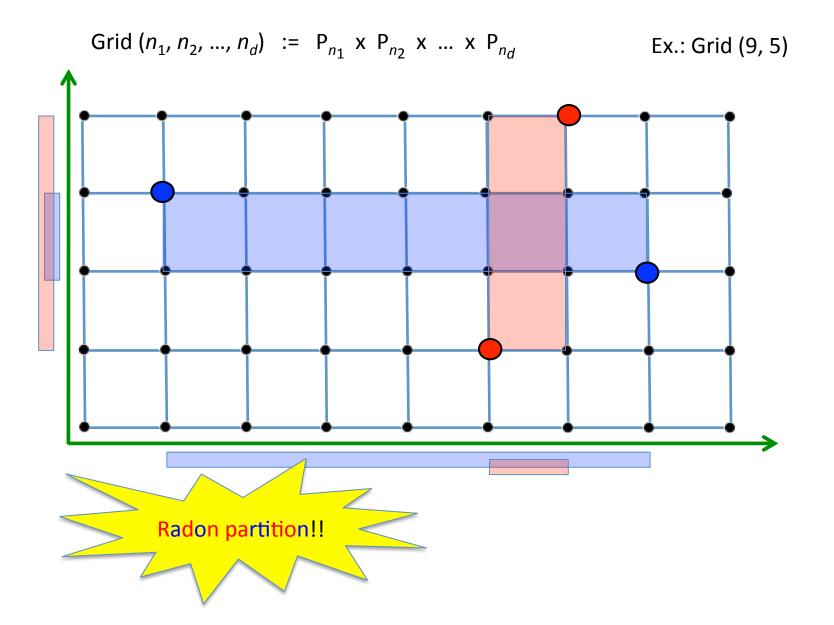
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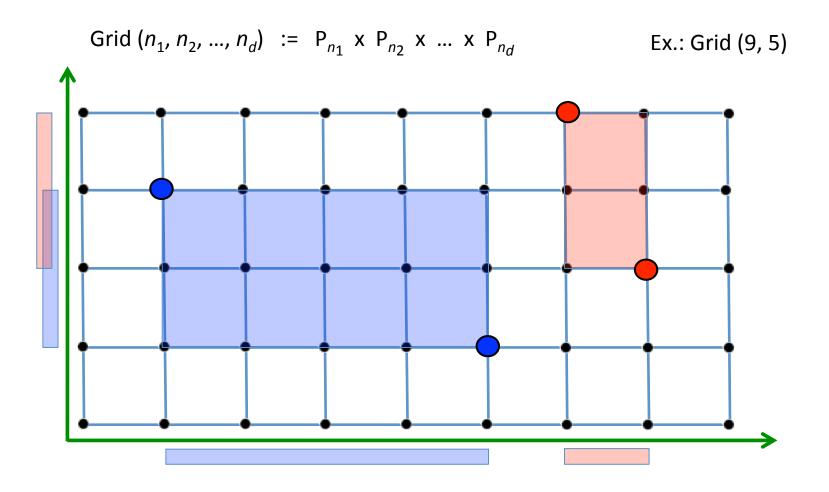
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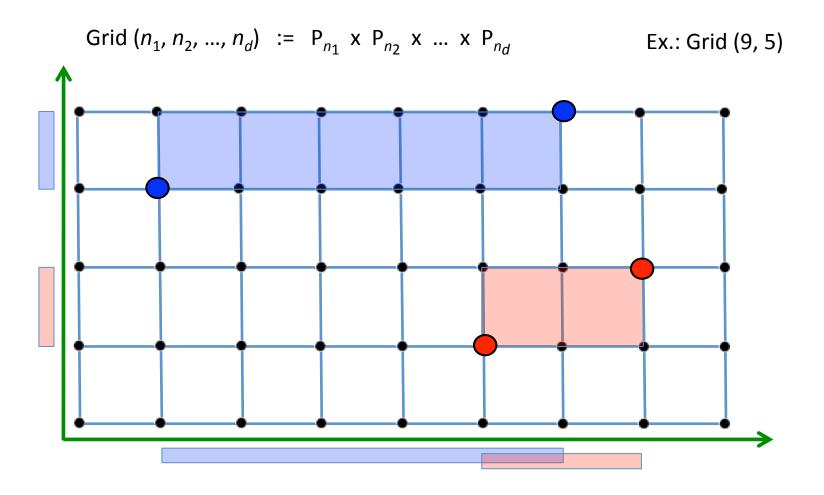


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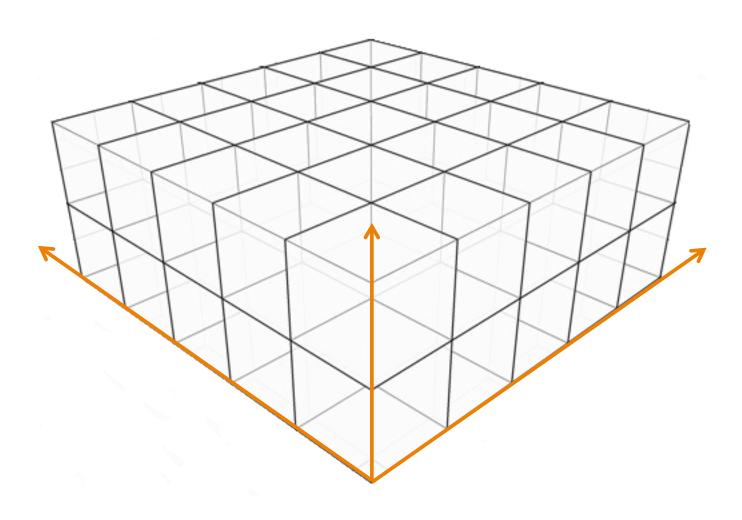




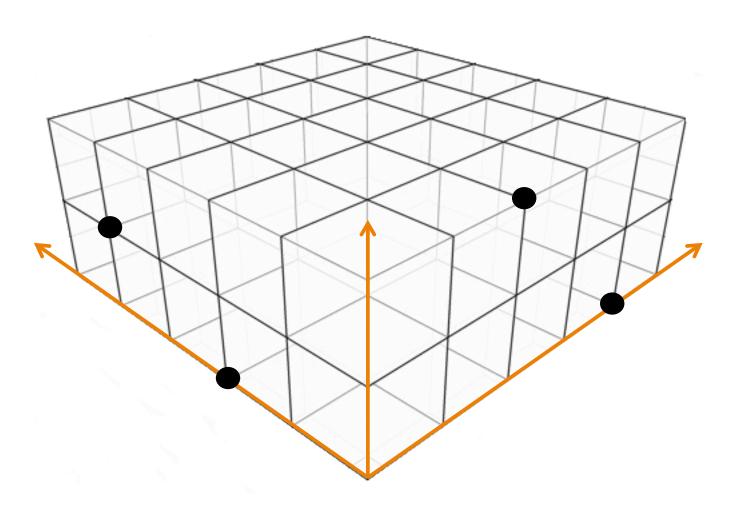


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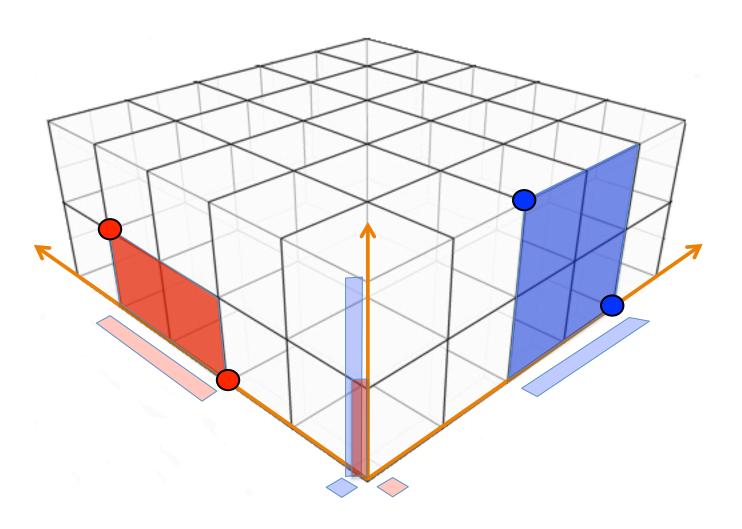
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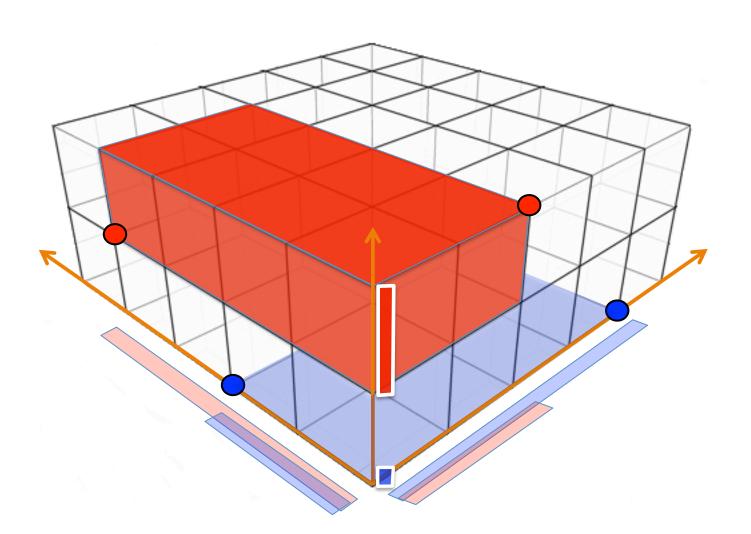


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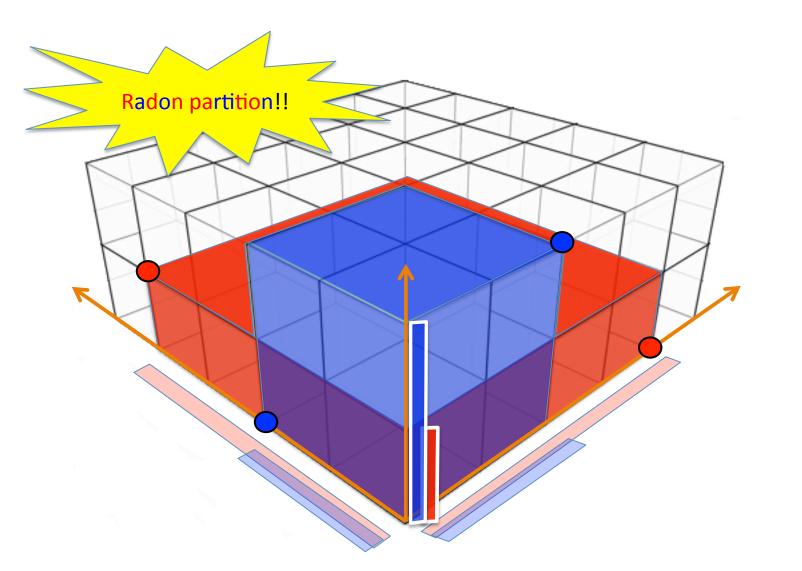
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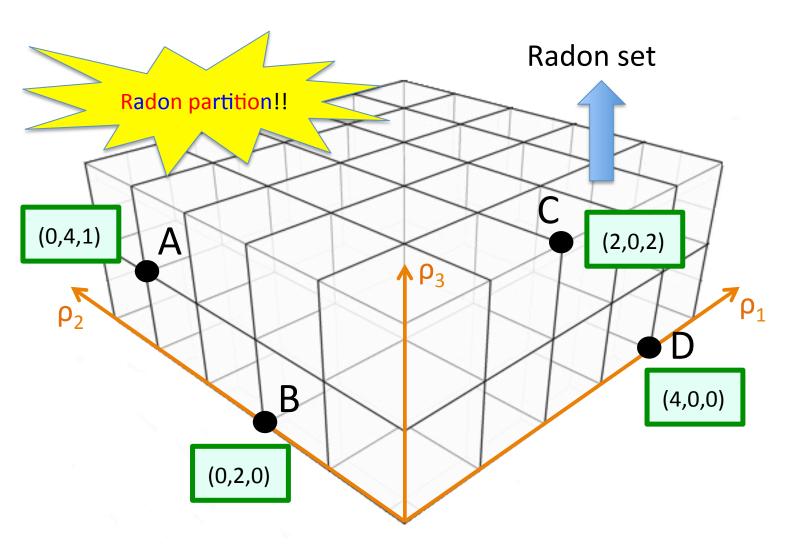


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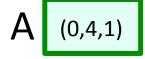


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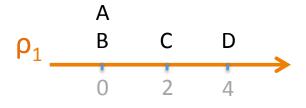


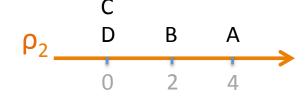
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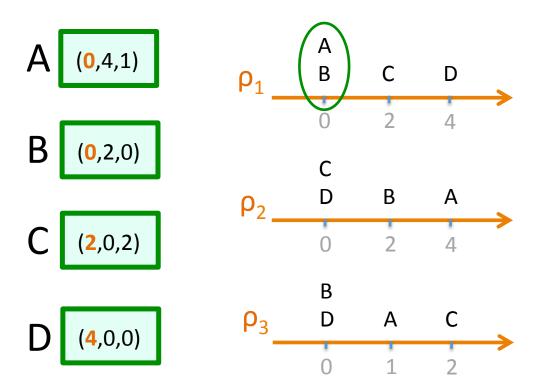






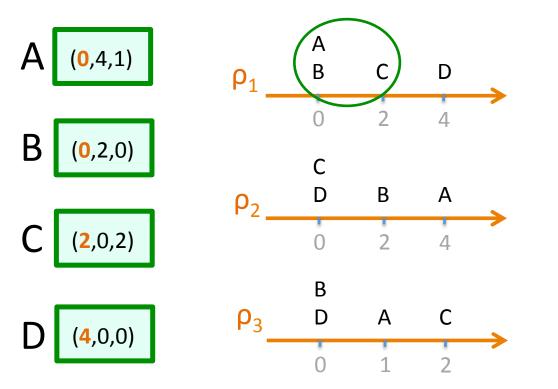
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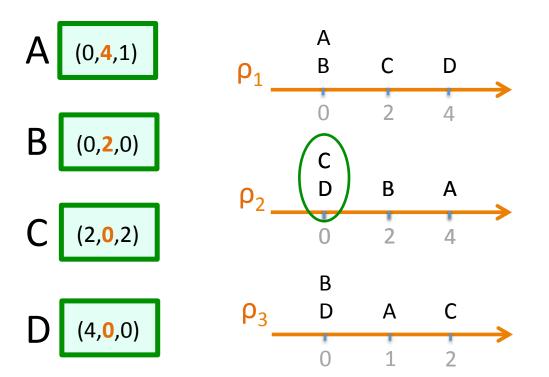
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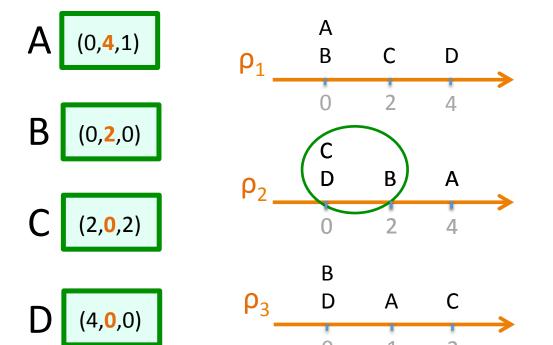
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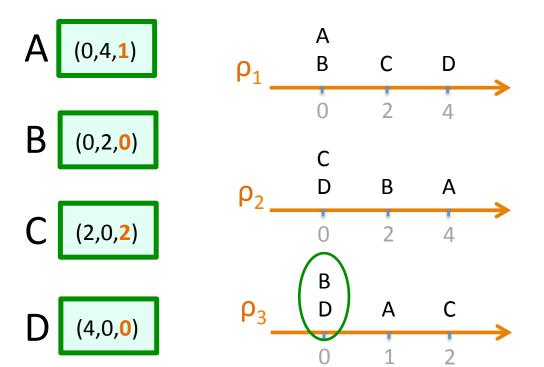
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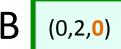
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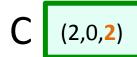


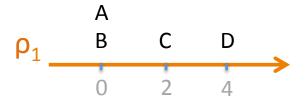
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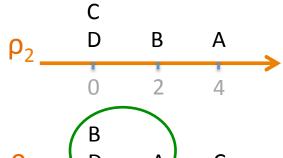
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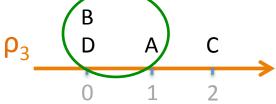












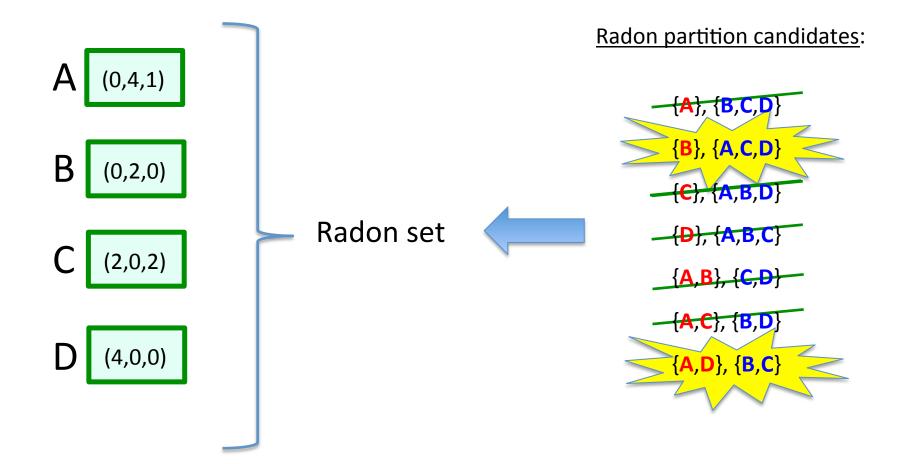
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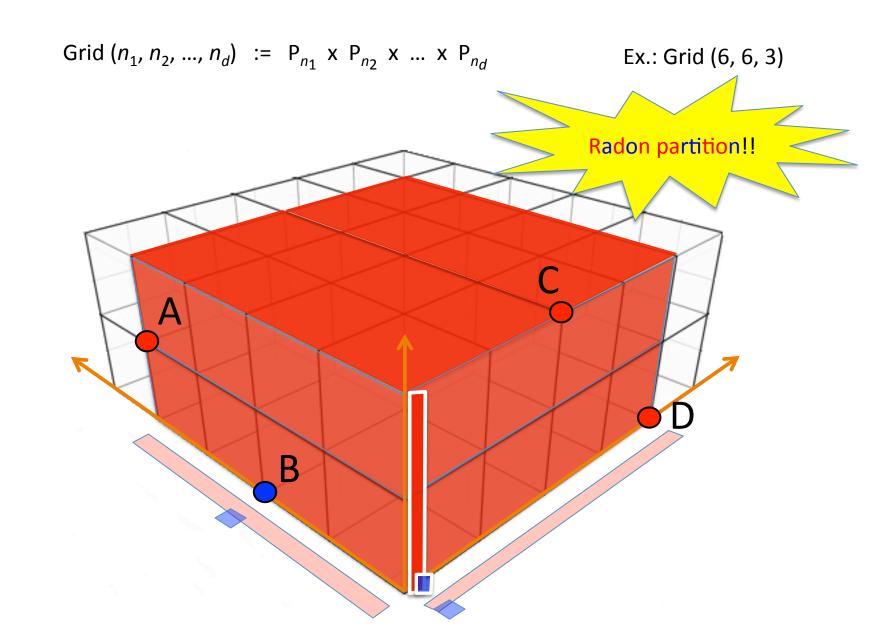
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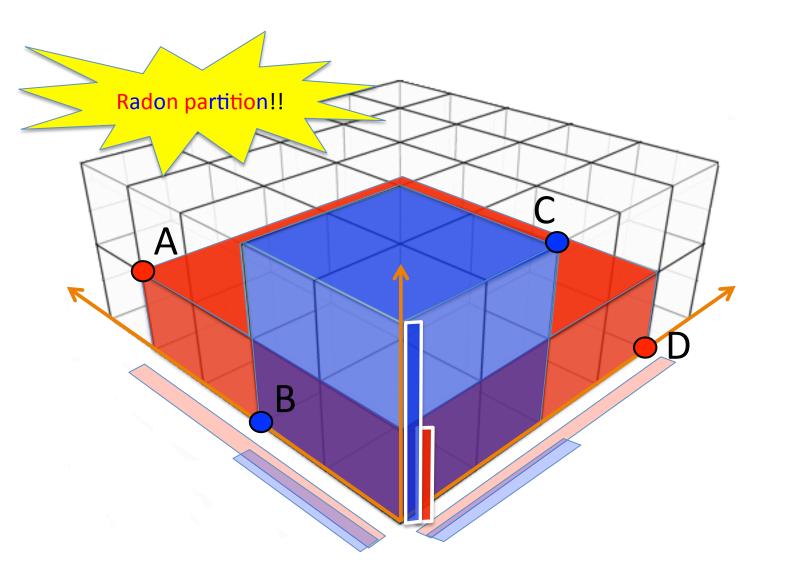
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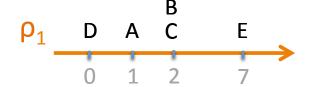
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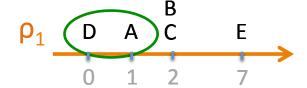
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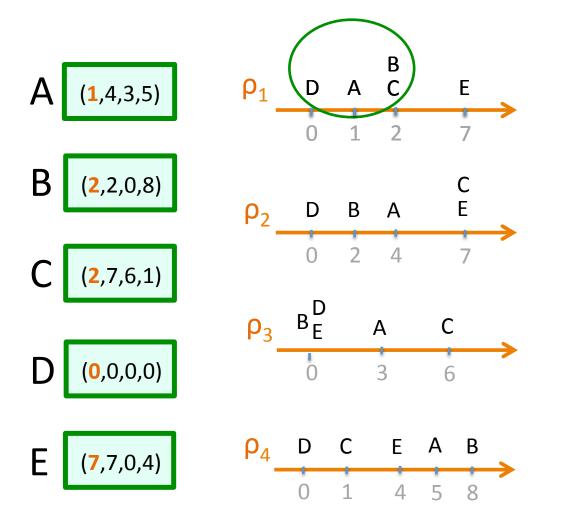





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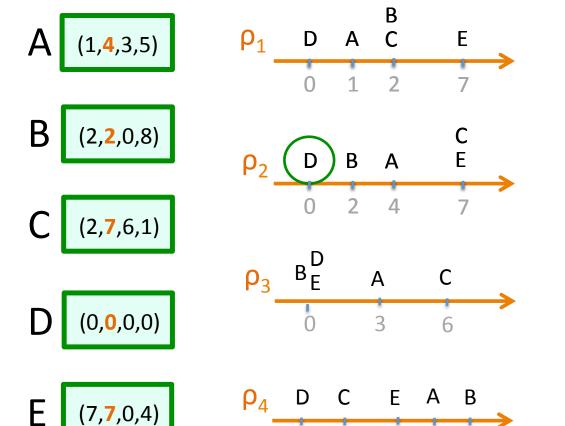
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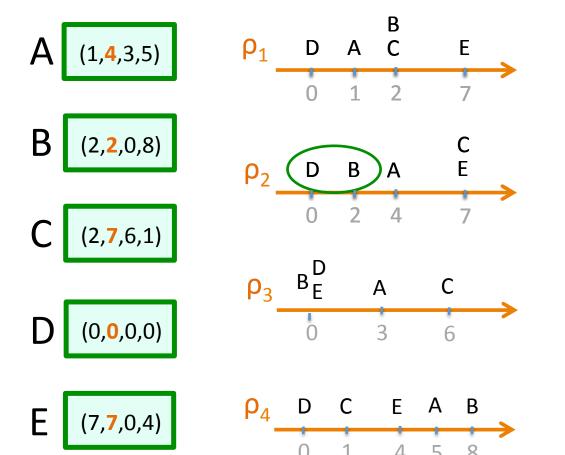
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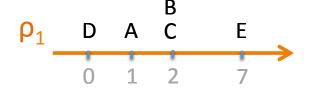


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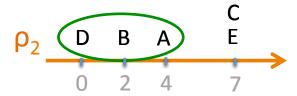
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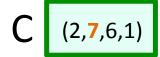
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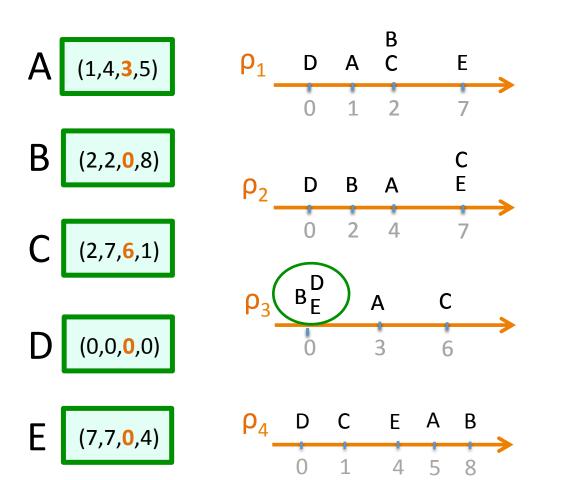


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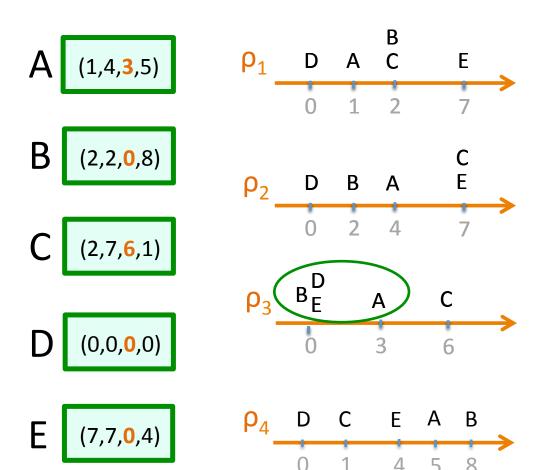
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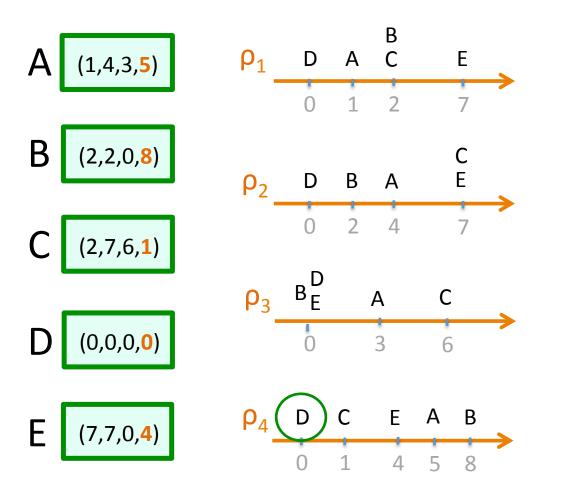
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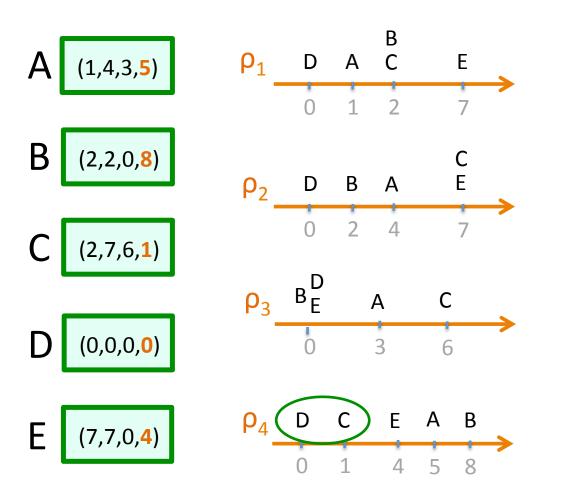
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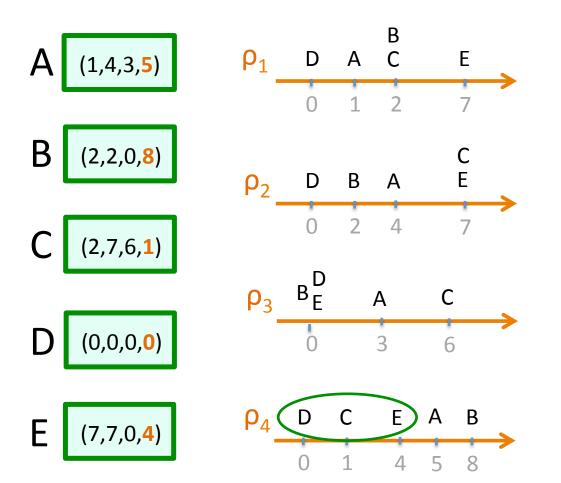
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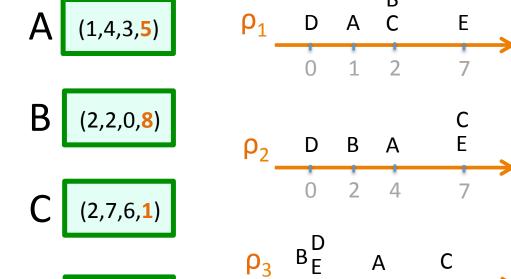
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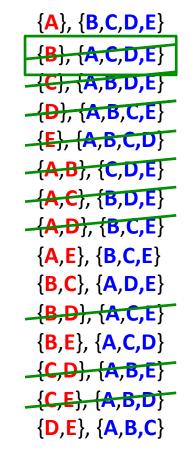
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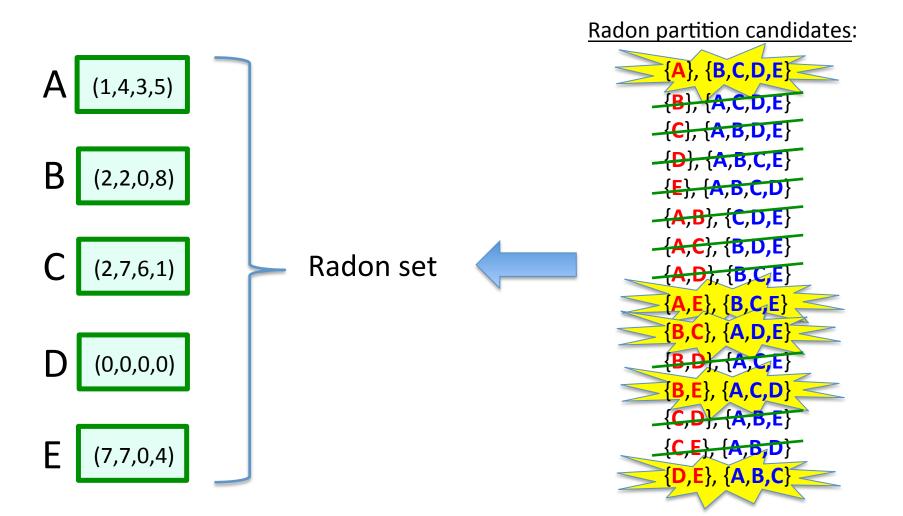
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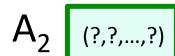
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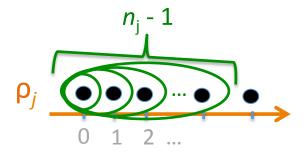
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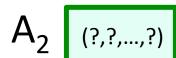
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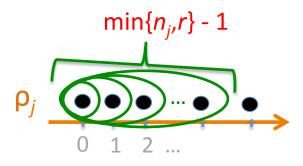
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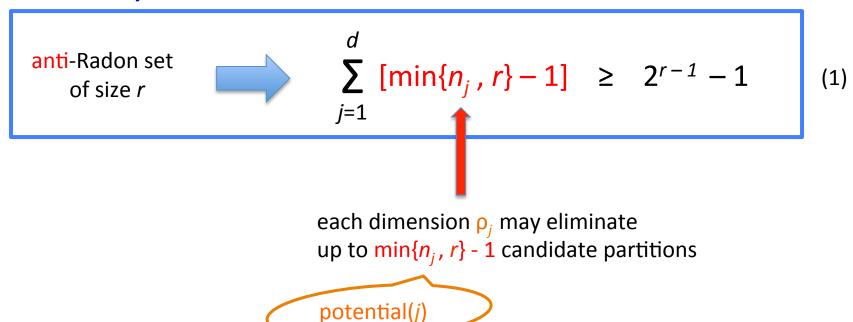
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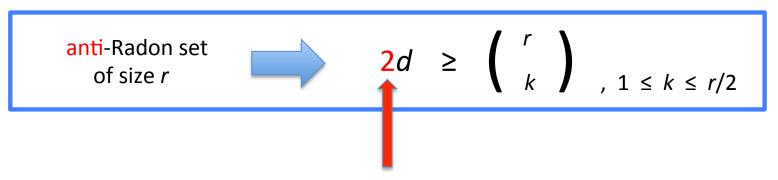
anti-Radon set of size
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$$\sum_{j=1}^{d} \left[\min\{n_j, r\} - 1 \right] \ge 2^{r-1} - 1$$
 (1)

Not sufficient, though.

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Another (tighter) necessary condition...



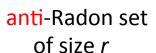
each dimension may eliminate up to

2 candidate partitions having a partite set of size k

k-quota(*j*)

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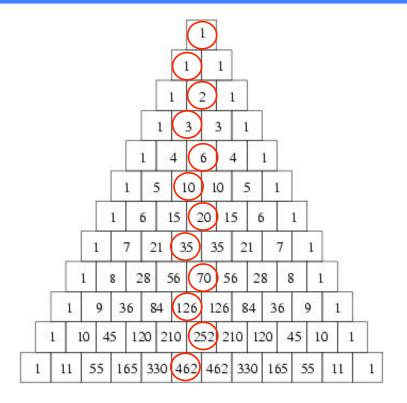




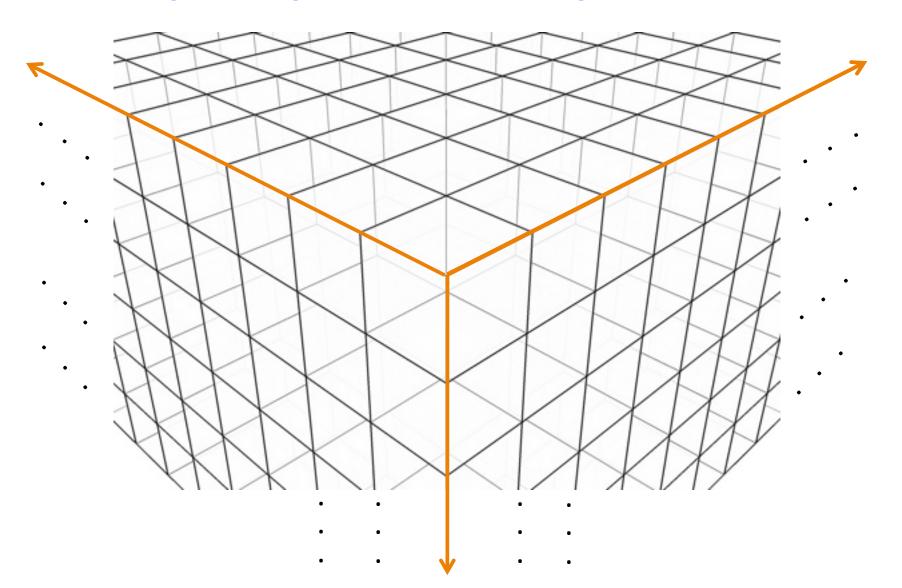
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(2)

(Eckhoff 1969)

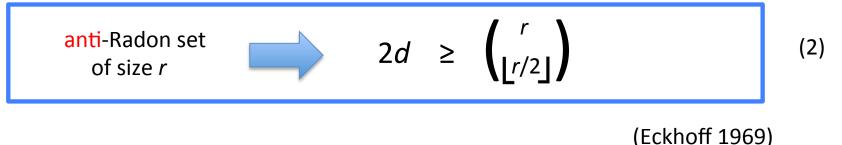


"Large enough" d-dimensional grids



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Another (tighter) necessary condition...



...which is also sufficient for "large enough" grids!

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Theorem: Let r^* be the maximum integer satisfying (2).

If n_j \ge r^* for all j,

then Max anti-Radon set size = r^*

Radon number = r^* + 1
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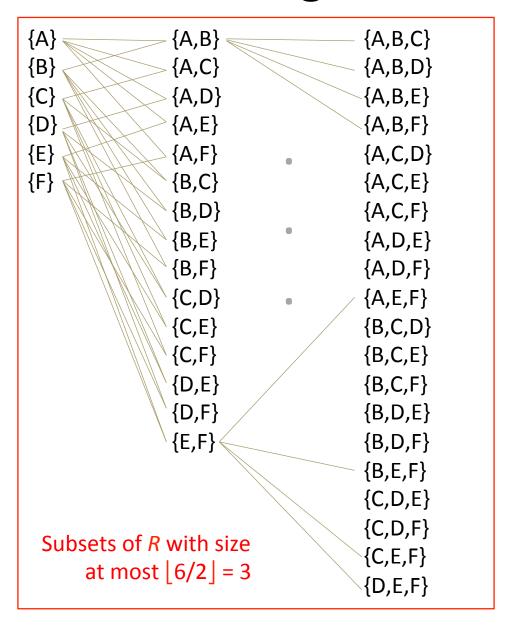
(Jamison-Waldner 1981)

Example: *d* = 10

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$$\begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = 20 \le 2d$$

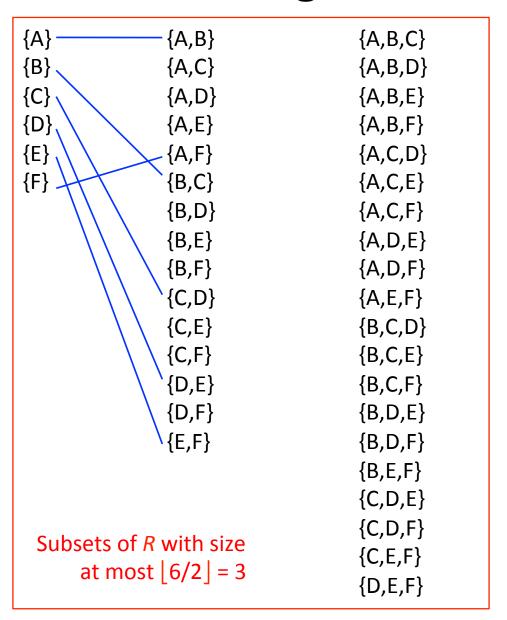
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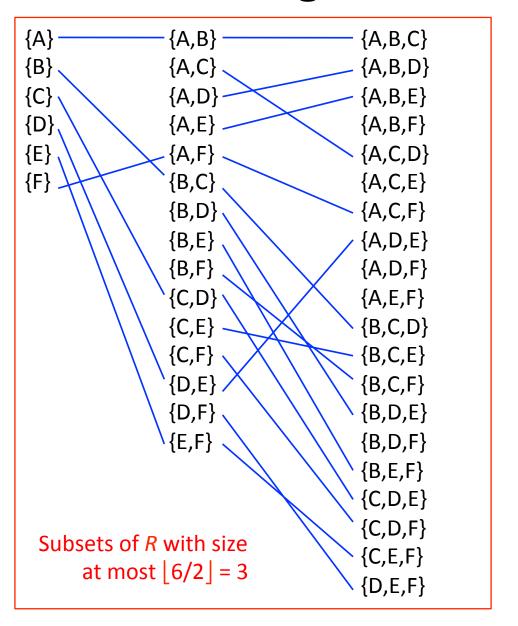
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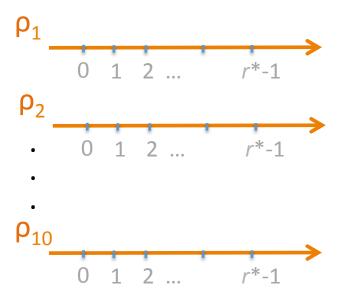


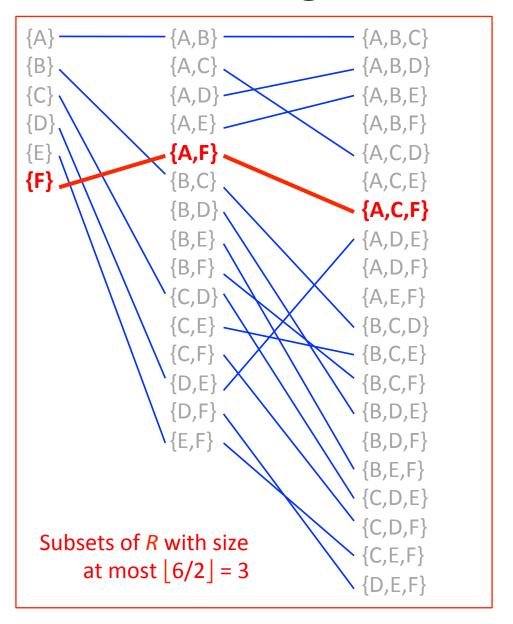
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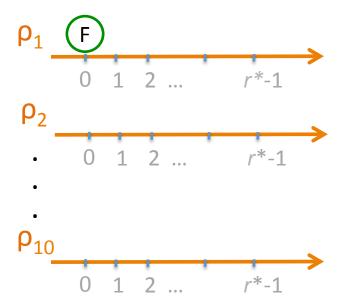


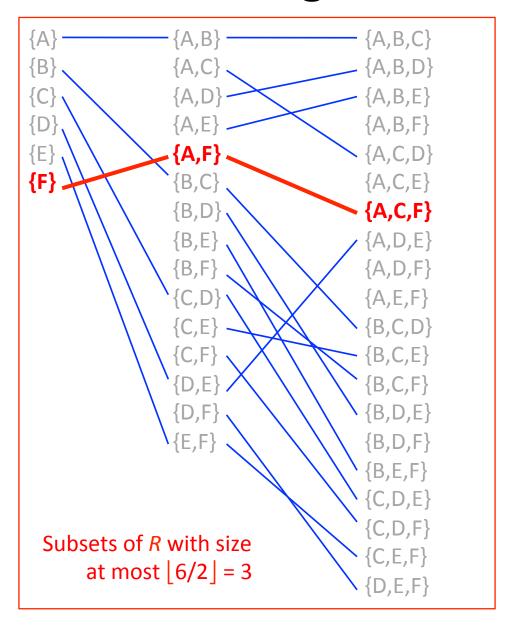
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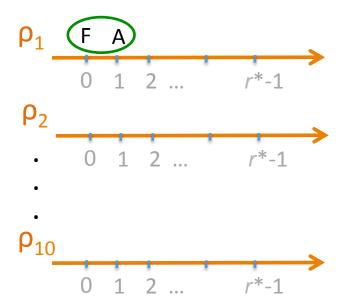
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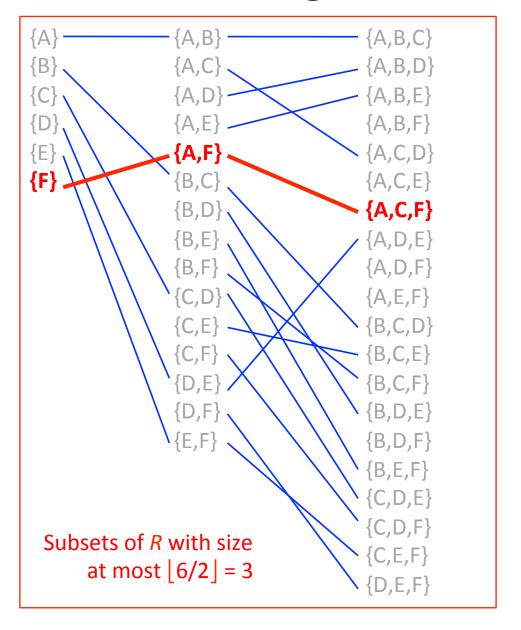
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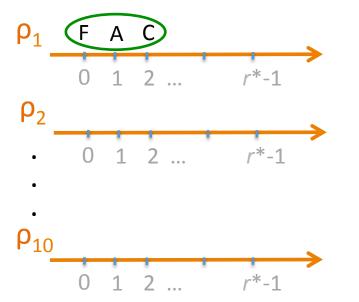
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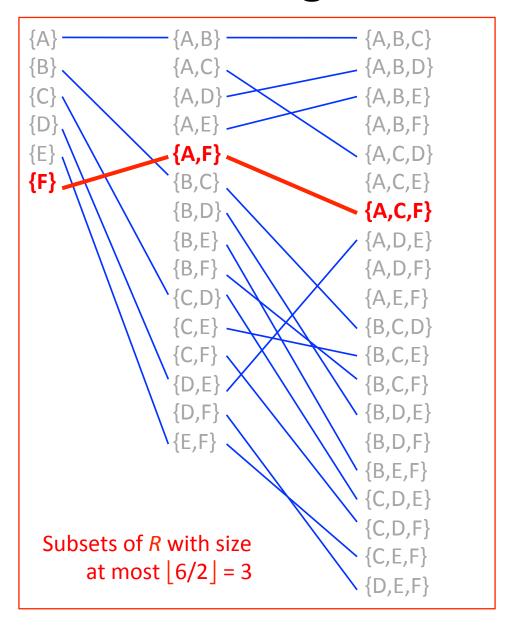
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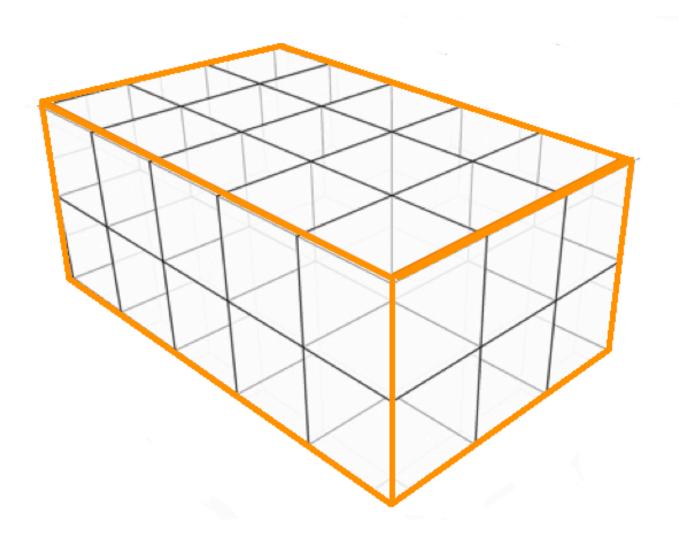
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What about grids that are not "large enough"??



anti-Radon set of size
$$r$$

$$2d \geq {r \choose \lfloor r/2 \rfloor}$$
 (2)

- 2. For $r = r^*, r^* 1, ..., 2$ do:
- 3. For k = r/2, r/2 1, ..., 1 do:
- Greedily assign a dimension j to each one of the binomial(r, k) permutations having a partite set with k elements. Criteria: potential(j) > 0 is maximum; k-quota(j) not exceeded.
- 5. If no dimension *j* can be chosen, proceed to the next value of *r* (line 2).
- 6. Decrement potential(*j*).
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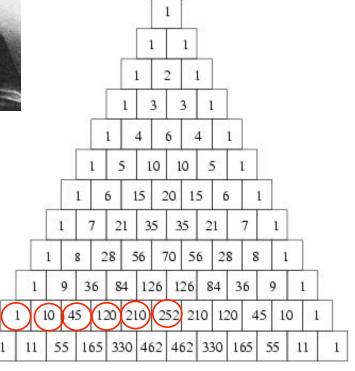
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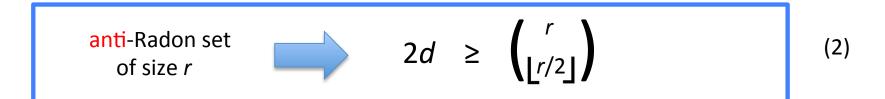
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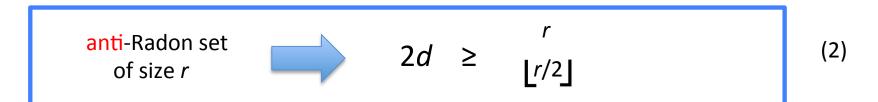
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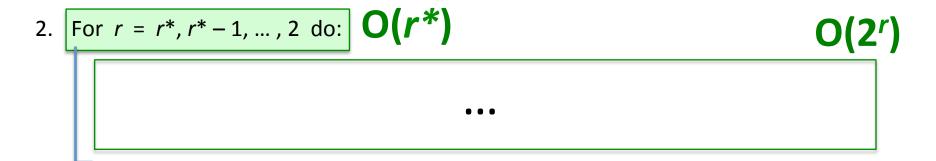
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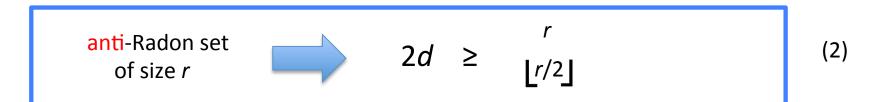
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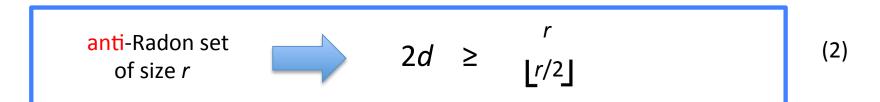


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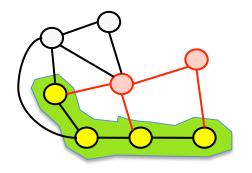
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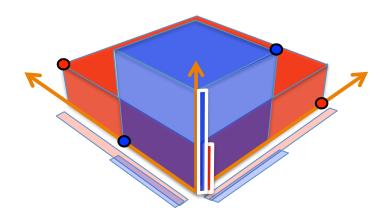
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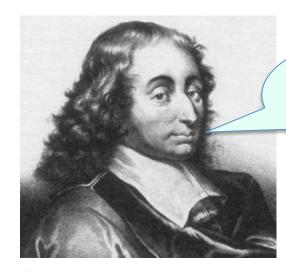
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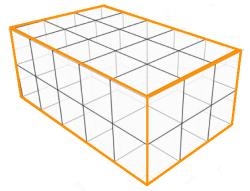
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