

Controlled Asynchronism Improves Error Exponent

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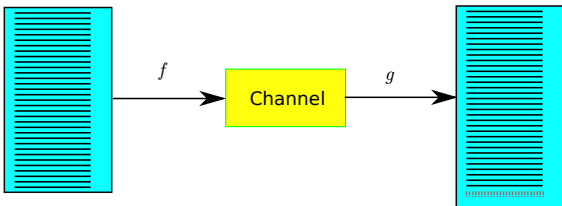


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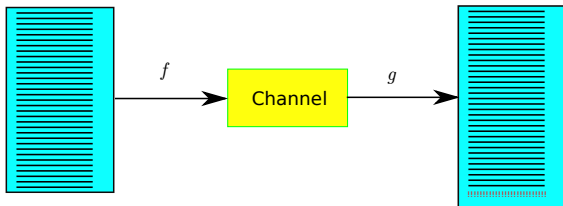
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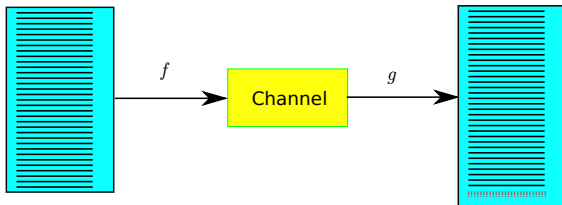
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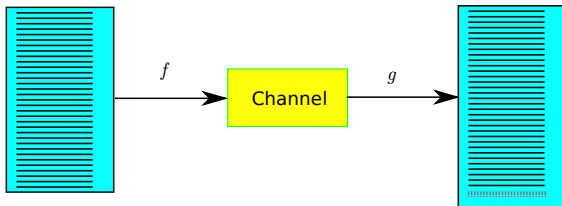
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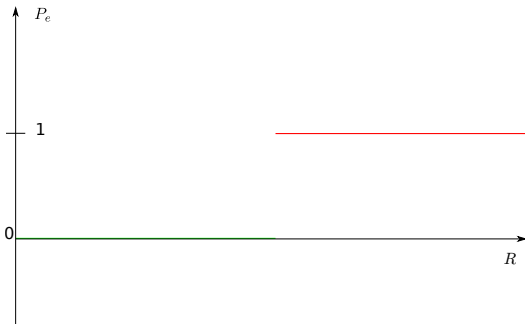
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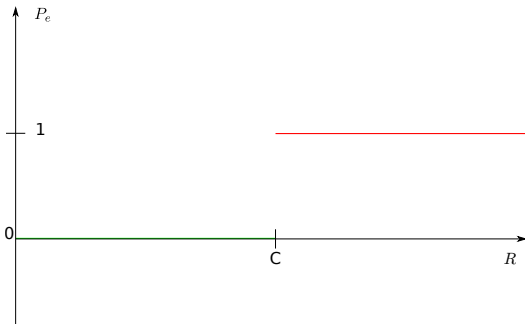
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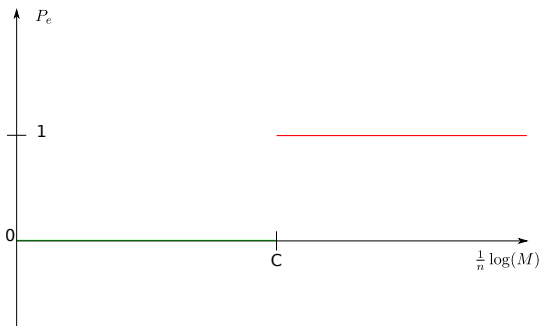
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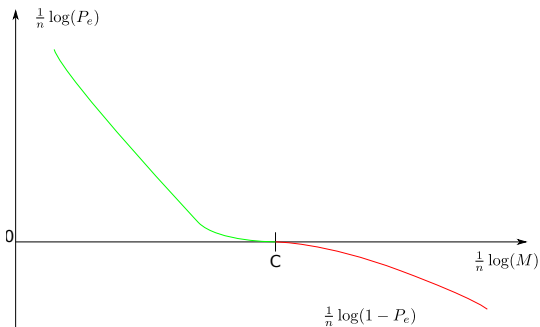


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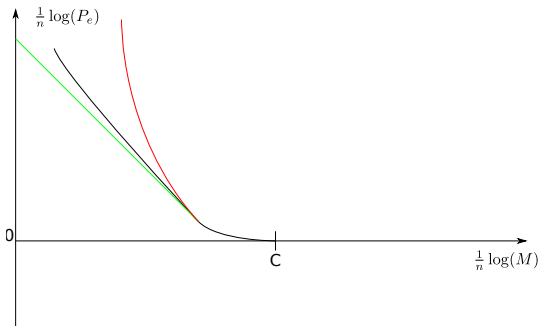
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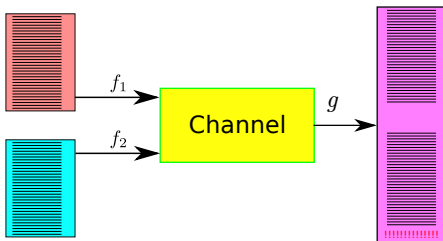
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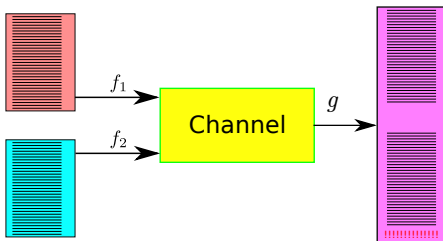
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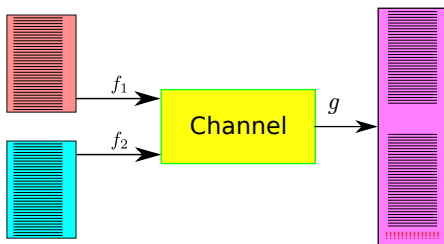
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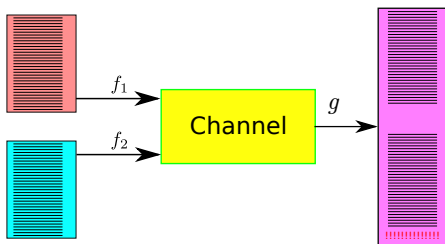
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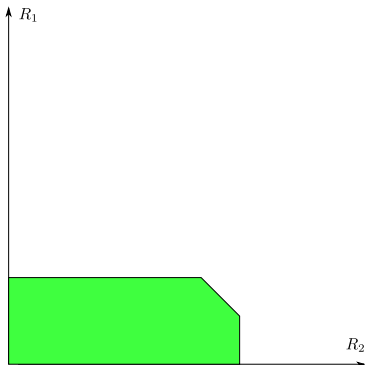
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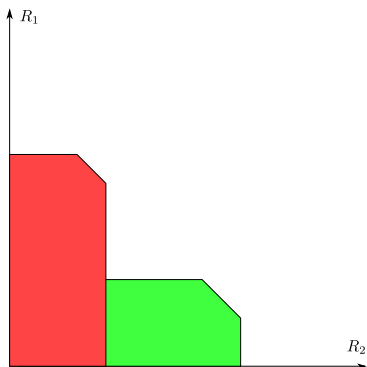
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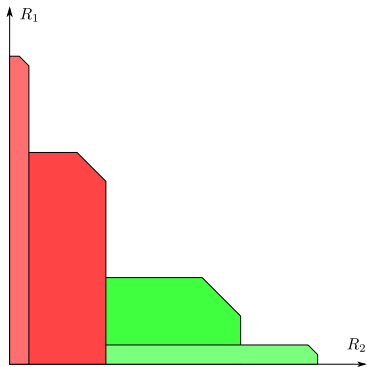
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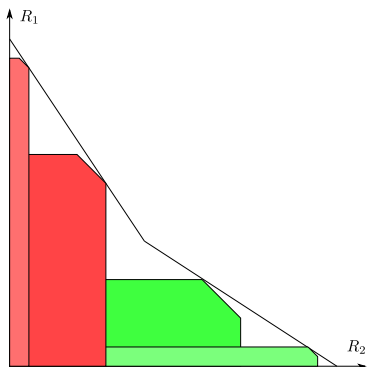
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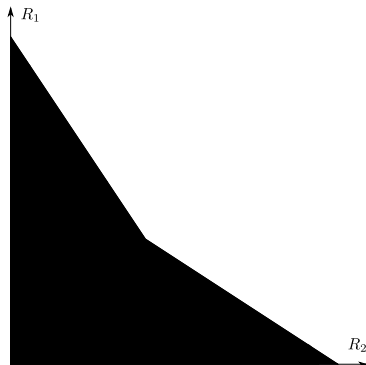


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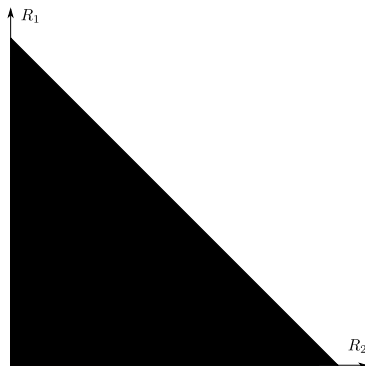
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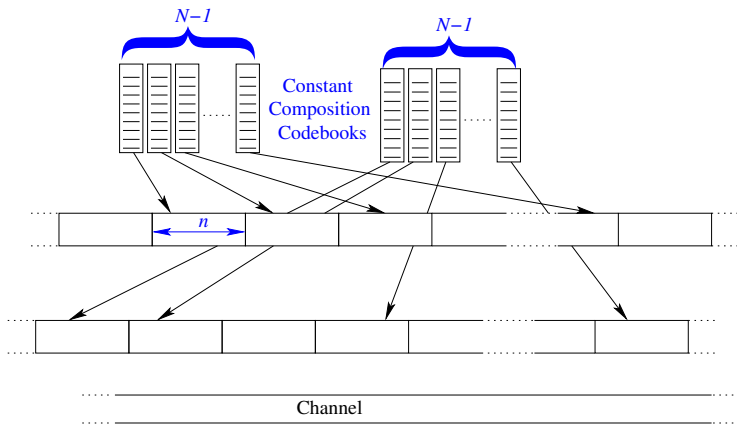
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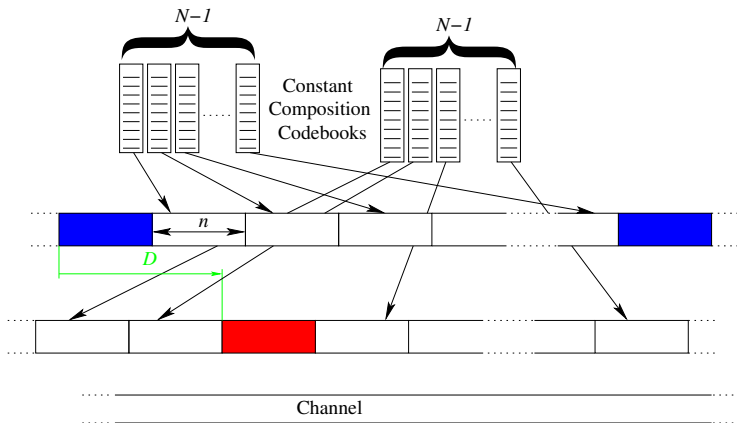
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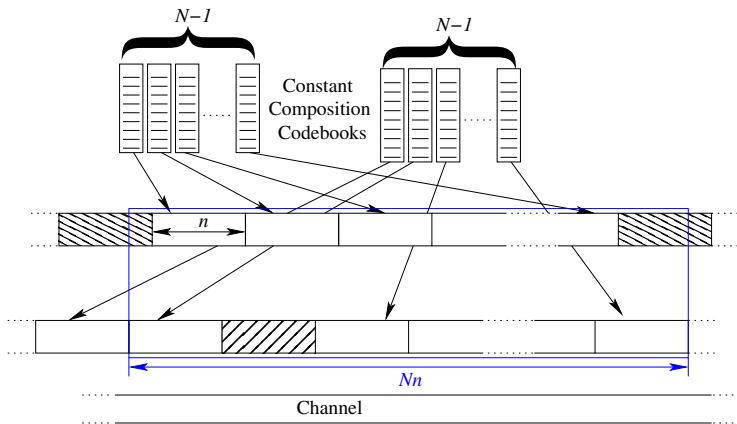
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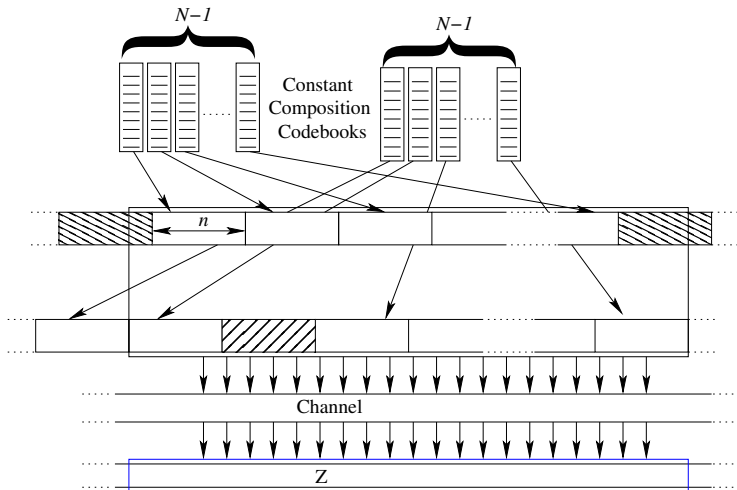
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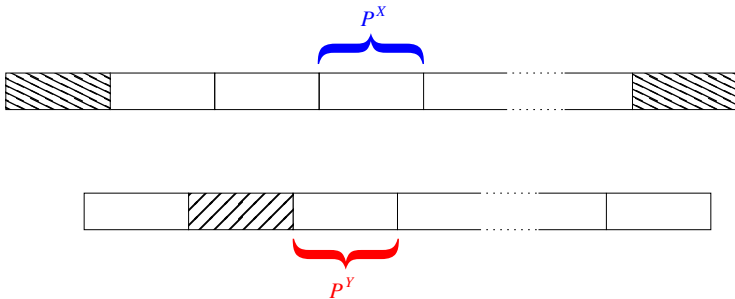
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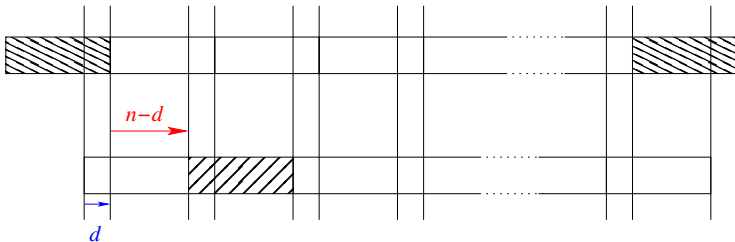
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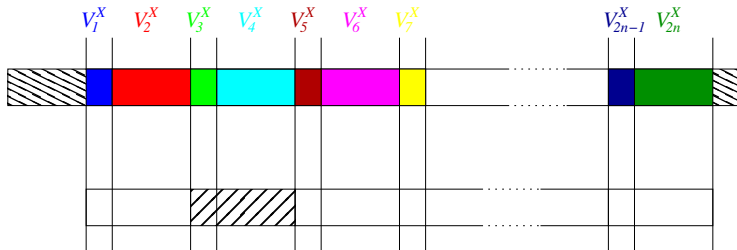
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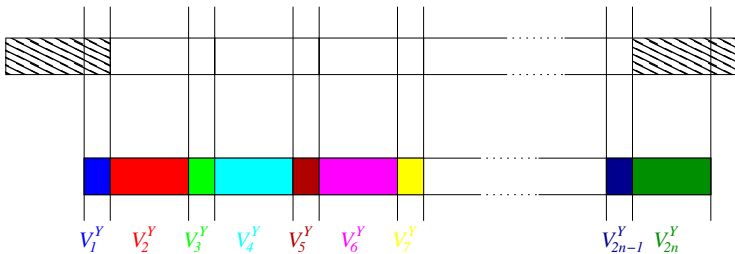
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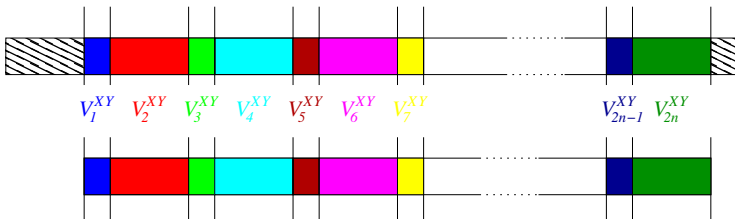
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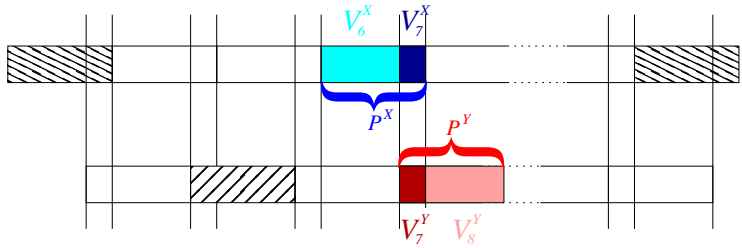
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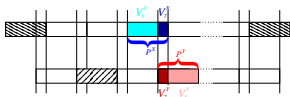
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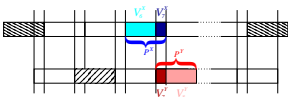
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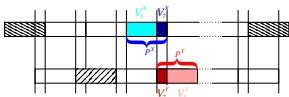
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- The non-negative exponent $F(V_6^X, V_7^X)$ is called Jensen-Shannon divergence.

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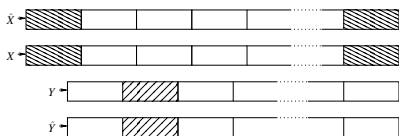


Packing Lemma in Synchronous Multi User Case

- In synchronous multi-user case the maximal multi Information decoder works if the logarithm of number of quadruples $(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}), (\hat{\mathbf{x}}, \hat{\mathbf{y}})$ with type V is also inversely proportional to

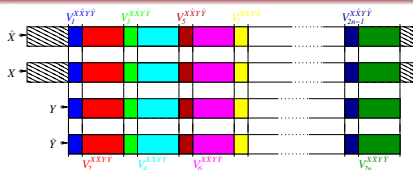
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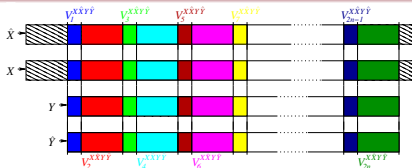


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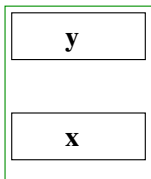
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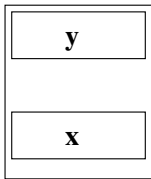


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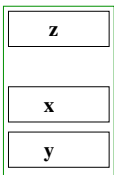
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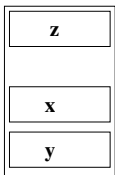
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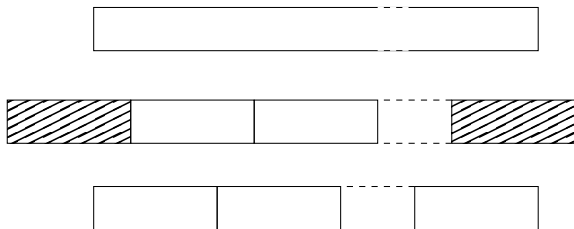
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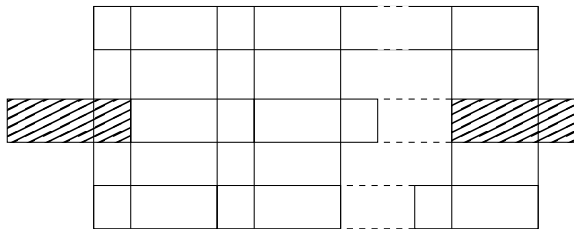
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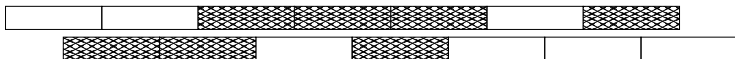
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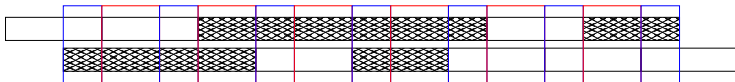
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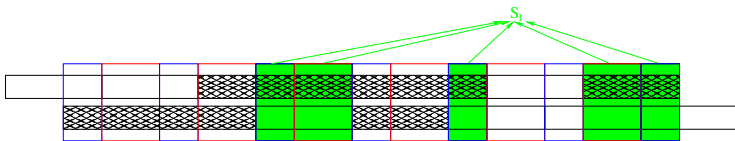
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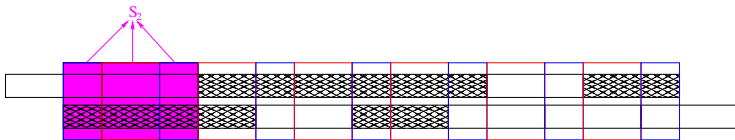
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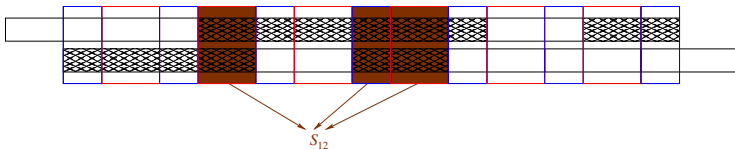
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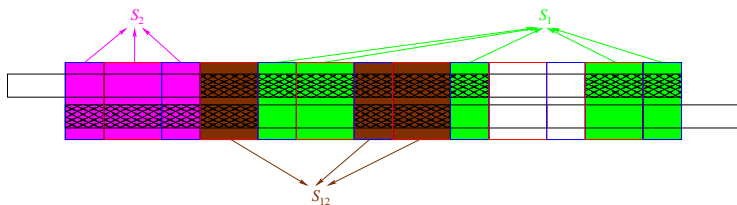
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The Intermediate Error Exponent

Theorem (Farkas, Kóí)

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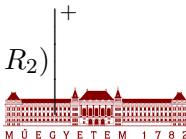
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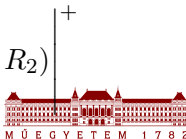


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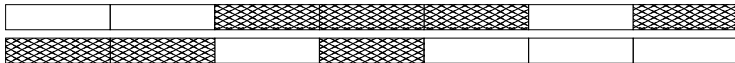
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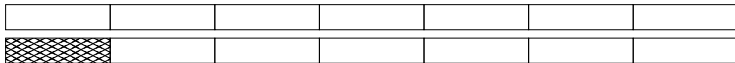
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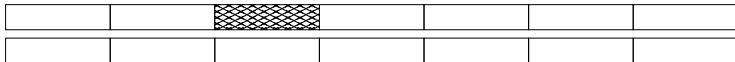
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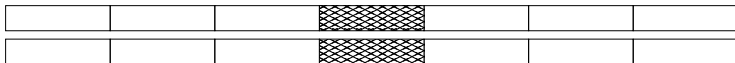
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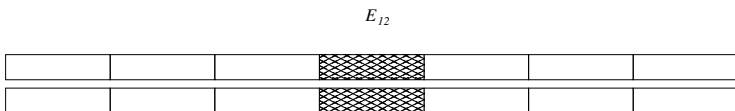
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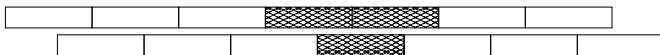
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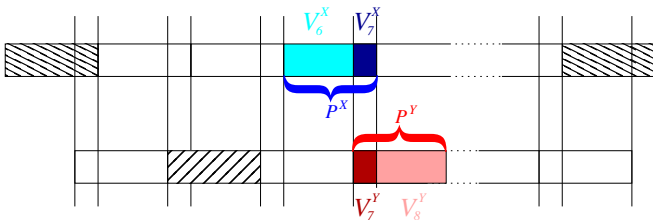
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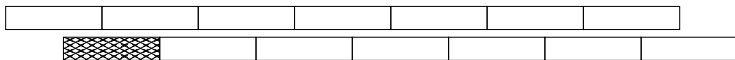
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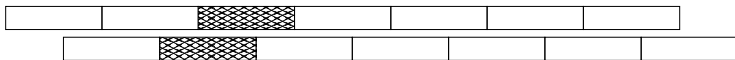
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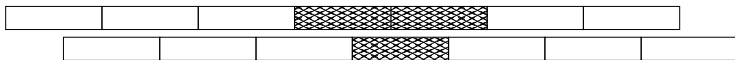
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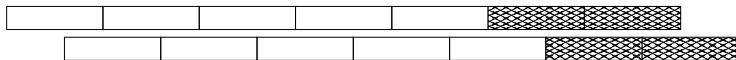
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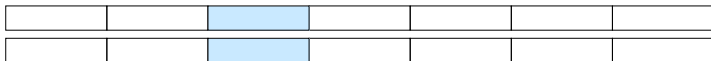
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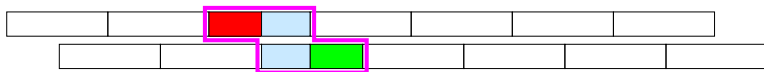
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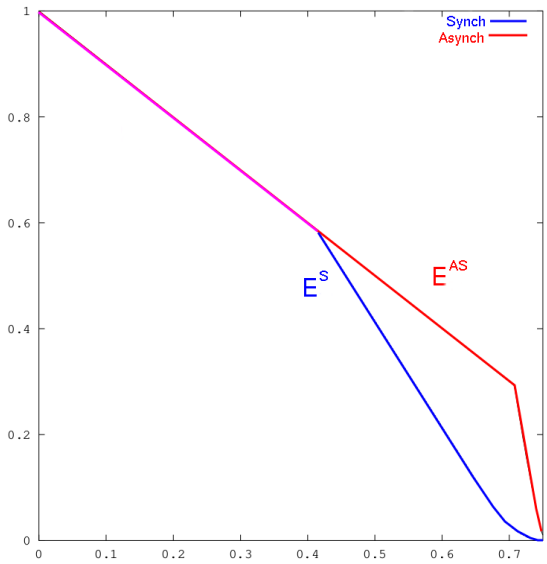
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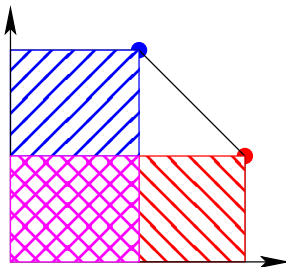
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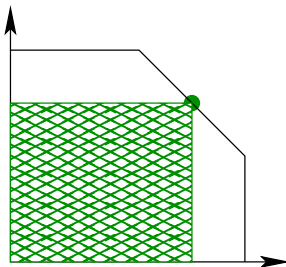
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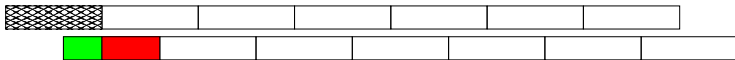
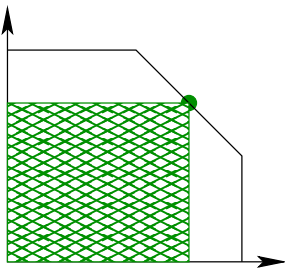
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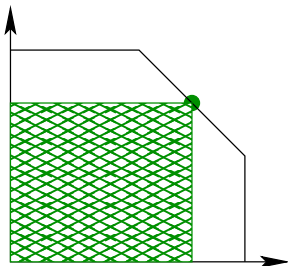
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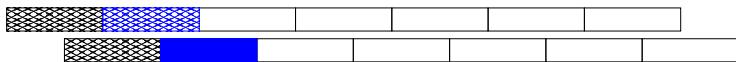
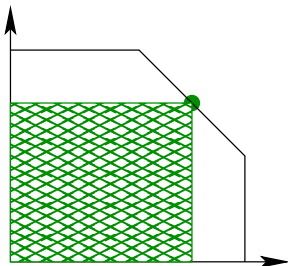
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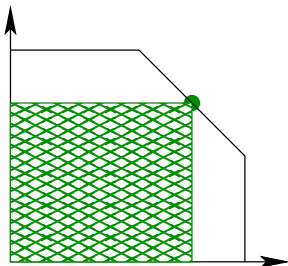
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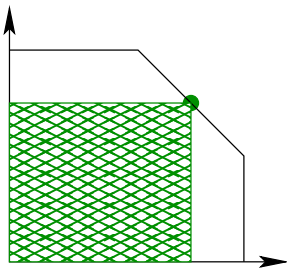
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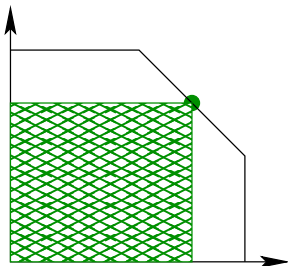
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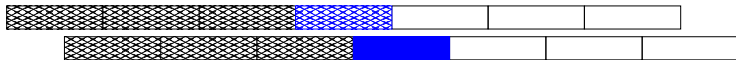
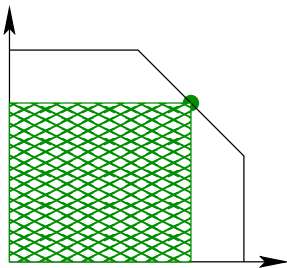
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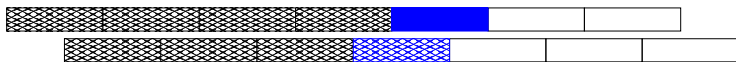
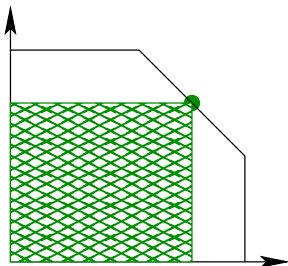
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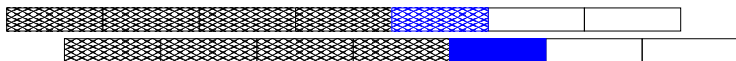
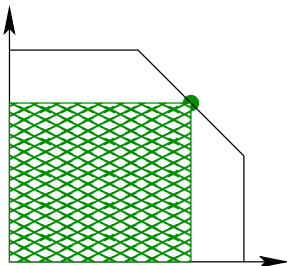
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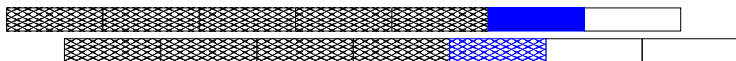
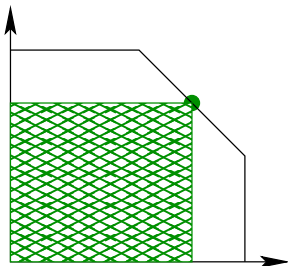
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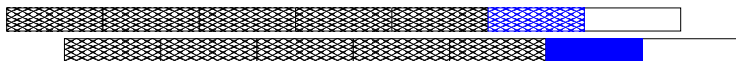
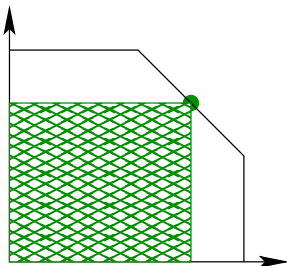
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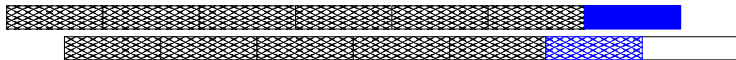
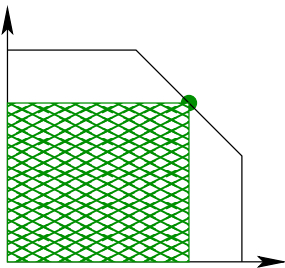
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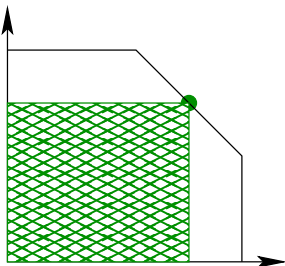
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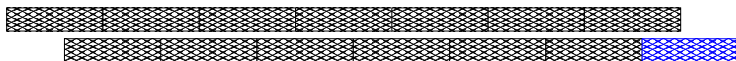
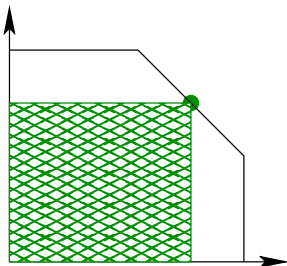
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