



When Do We Need Quantum Probability Instead of the Classical One

(Kdy potřebujeme kvantovou pravděpodobnost místo klasické)

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ANO	18.7	12.1	13	16.1	16.5	11.6	16.9	16
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ODS	7.7	7.2	8	8.6	6.5	7.5	5.5	7
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SPOZ	1.5	4.7	5	2.6	3.5	5.2	3.7	4
ostatní	7.8	9	6.5	9	8.5	9	13	10.5
Účast	59.5	54	60	67	63	59.3	71	78
χ^2 -test		≈ 0	≈ 0	$5 \cdot 10^{-6}$	$2 \cdot 10^{-12}$	≈ 0	≈ 0	$3 \cdot 10^{-10}$

Tučně jsou vyznačeny předpovědi, které se vejdu do 95% symetrického intervalového odhadu. χ^2 -**test dobré shody** ukazuje, že u nejúspěšnější agentury lze hypotézu o shodě rozdělení zamítnout na hladině významnosti $5 \cdot 10^{-6}$, tj. takový výsledek bychom při shodě rozdělení dostali s pravděpodobností 1/200 000, u ostatních agentur ještě menší.

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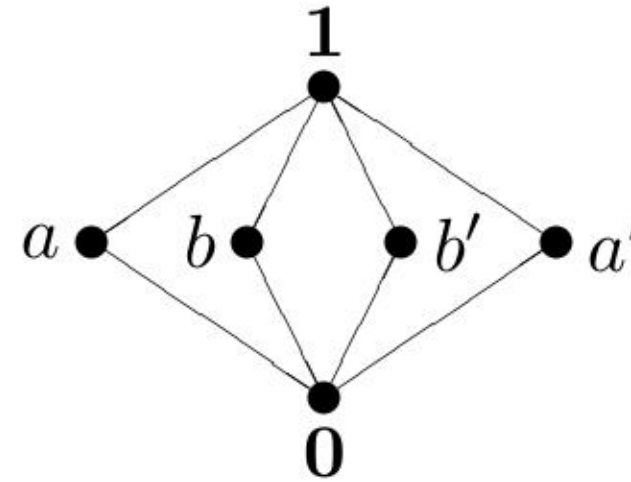
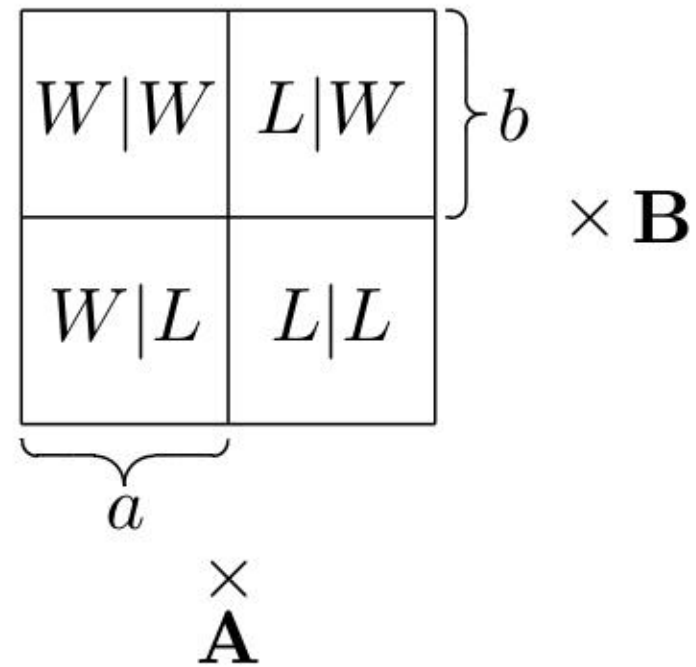
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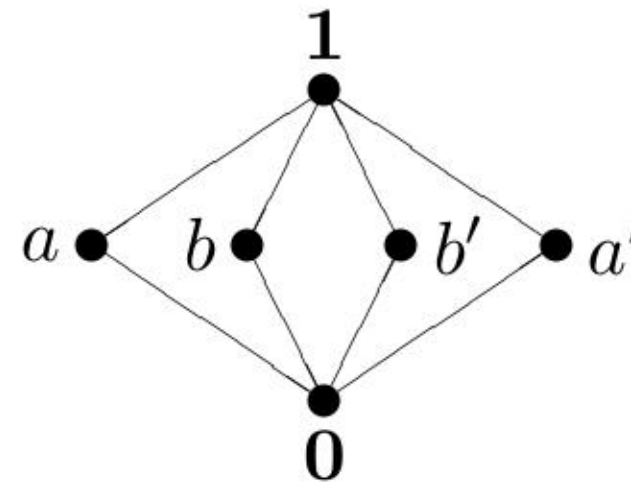
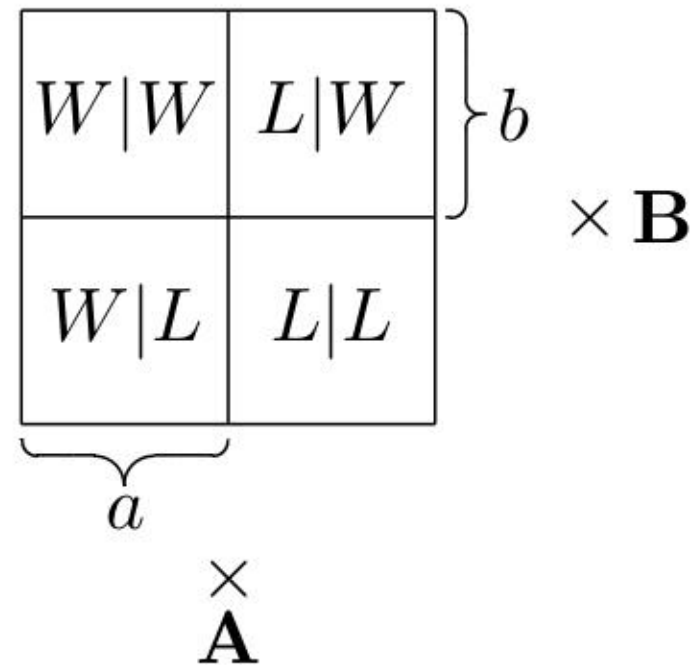
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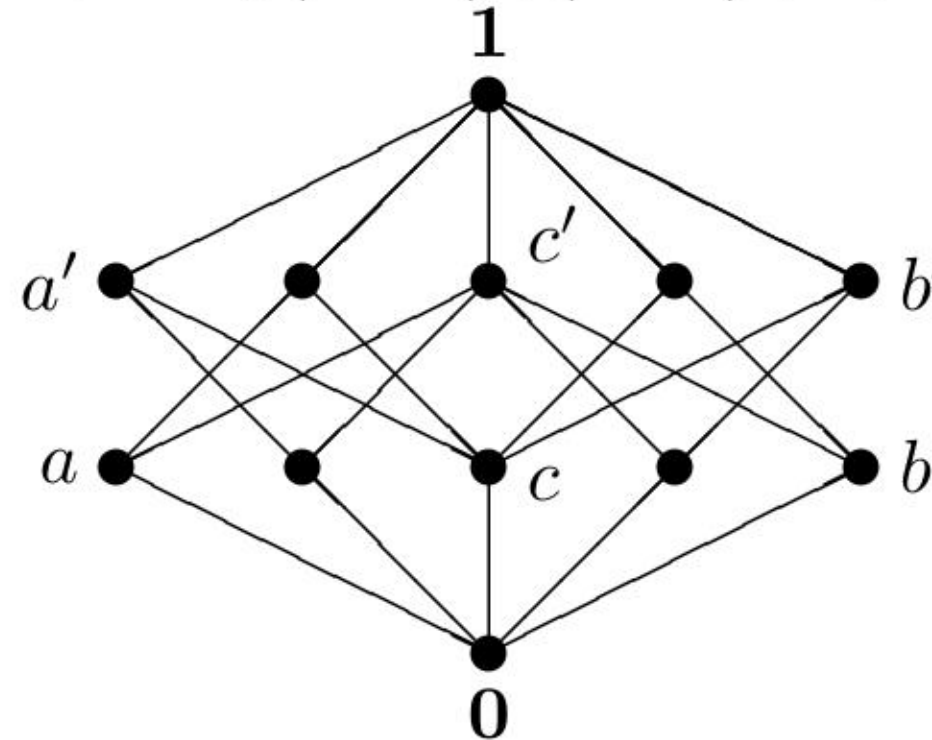
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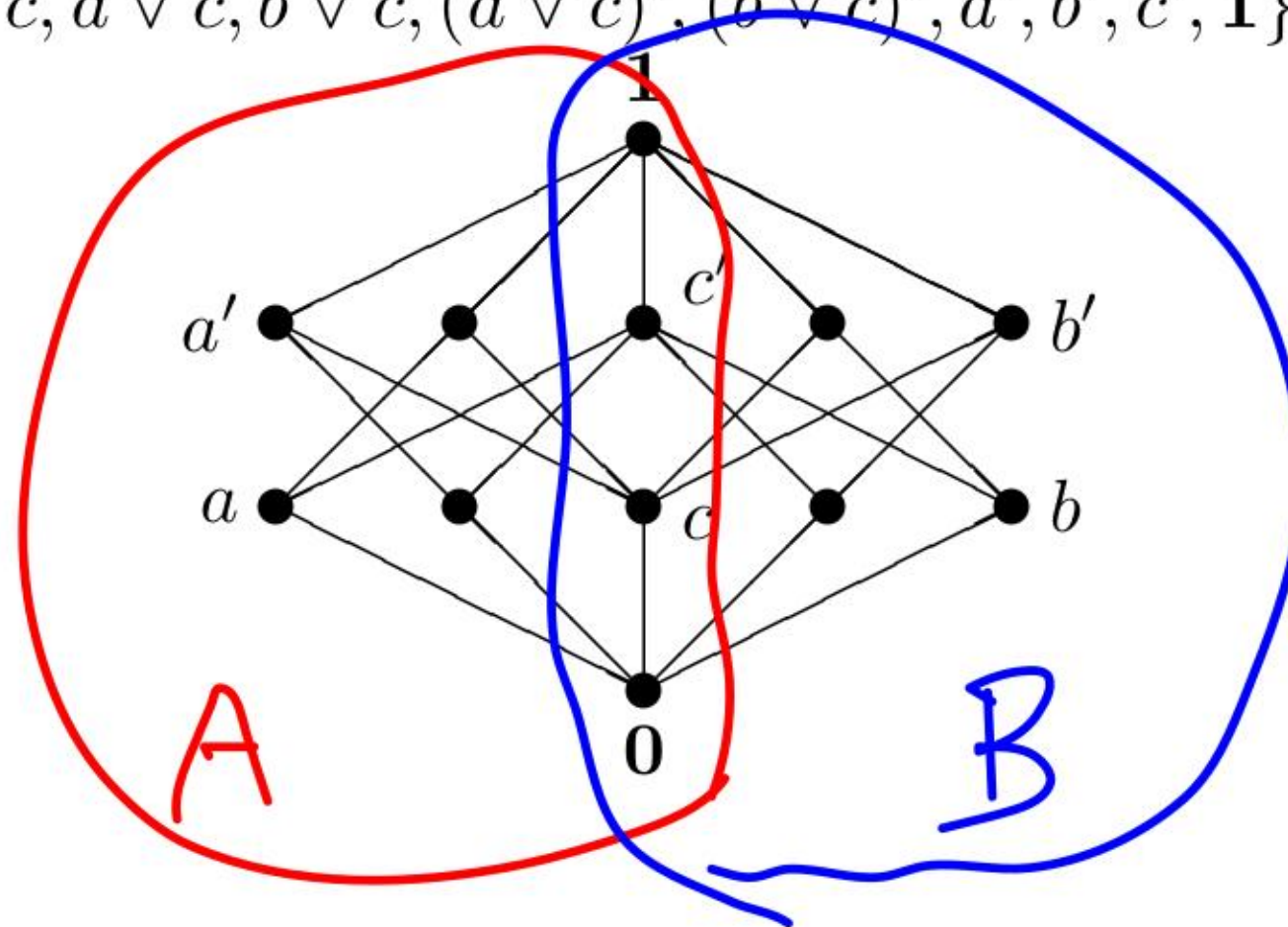
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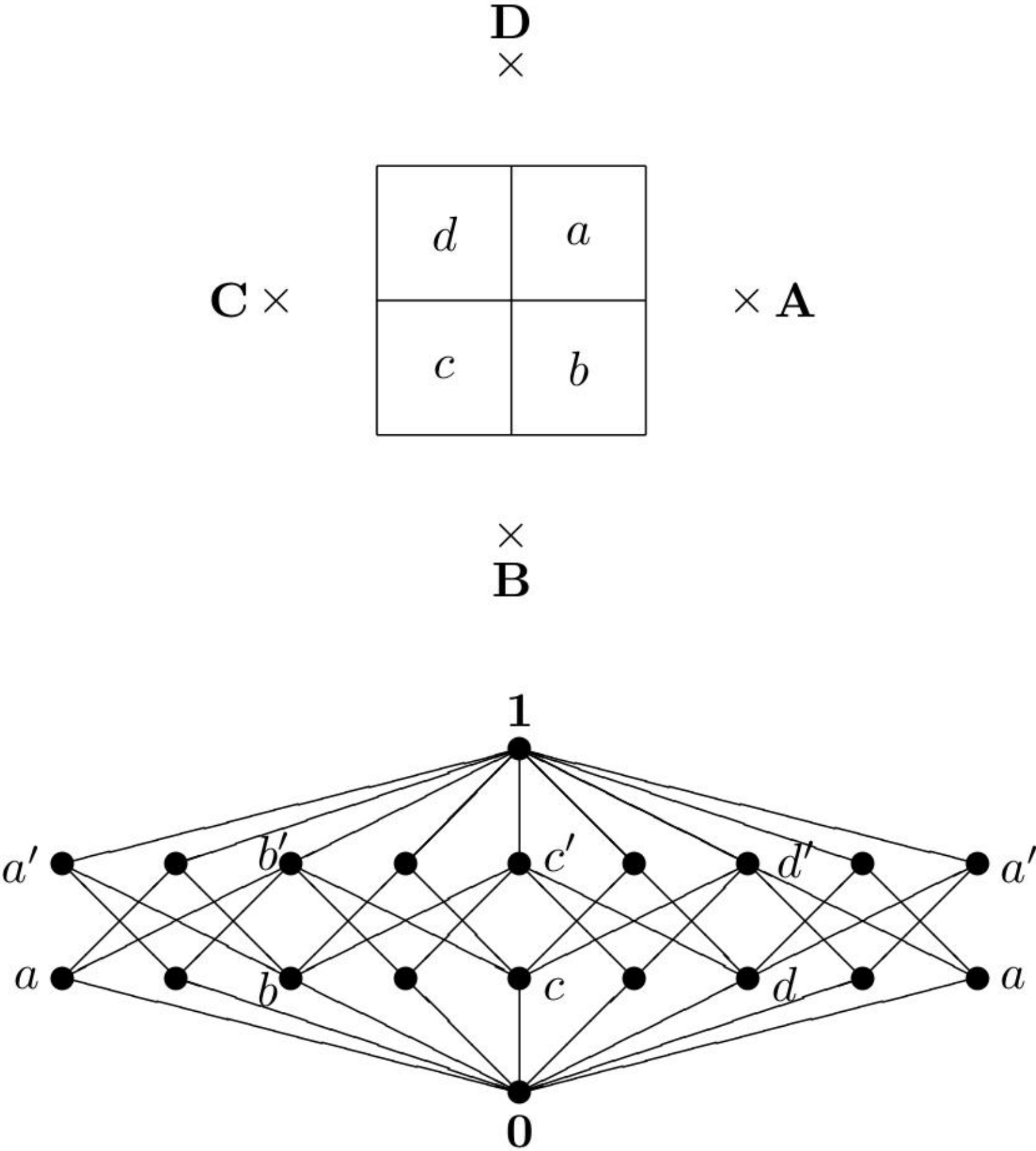
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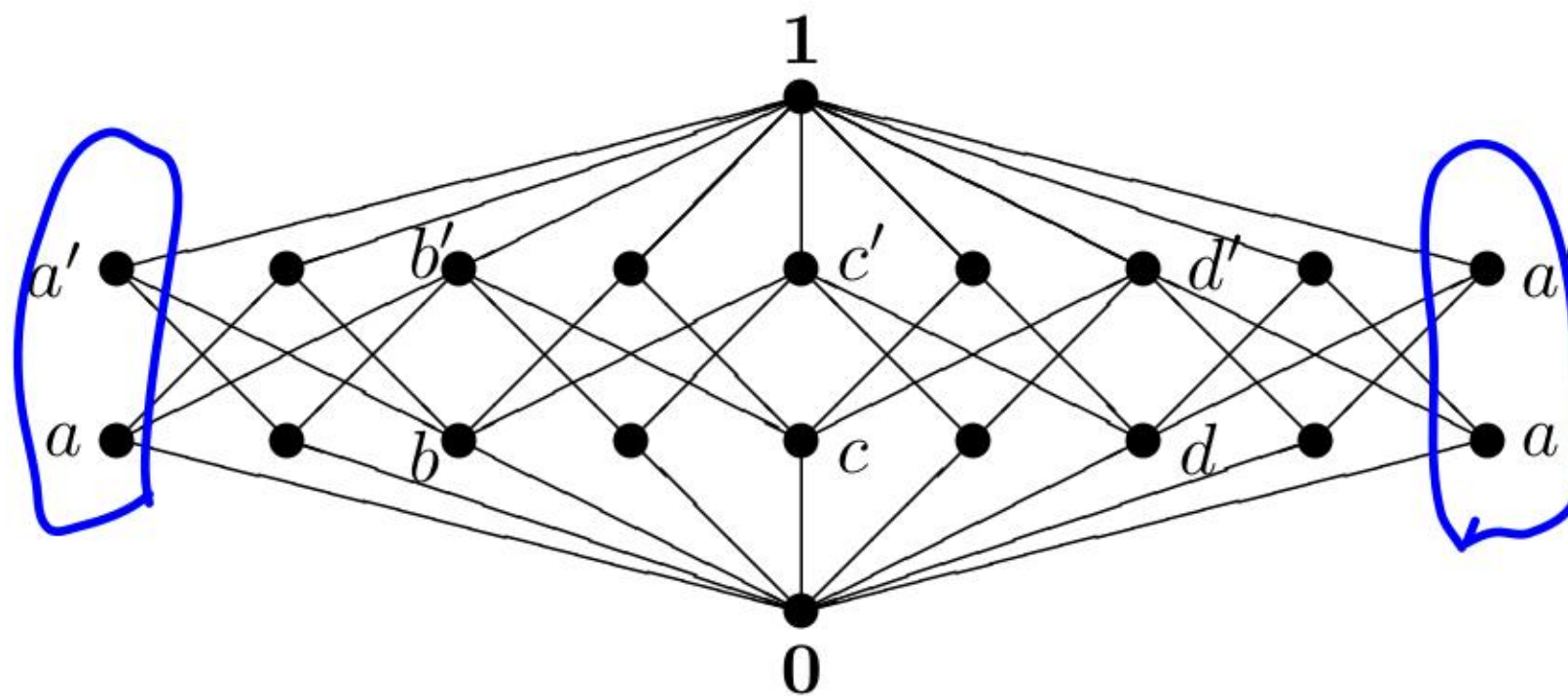
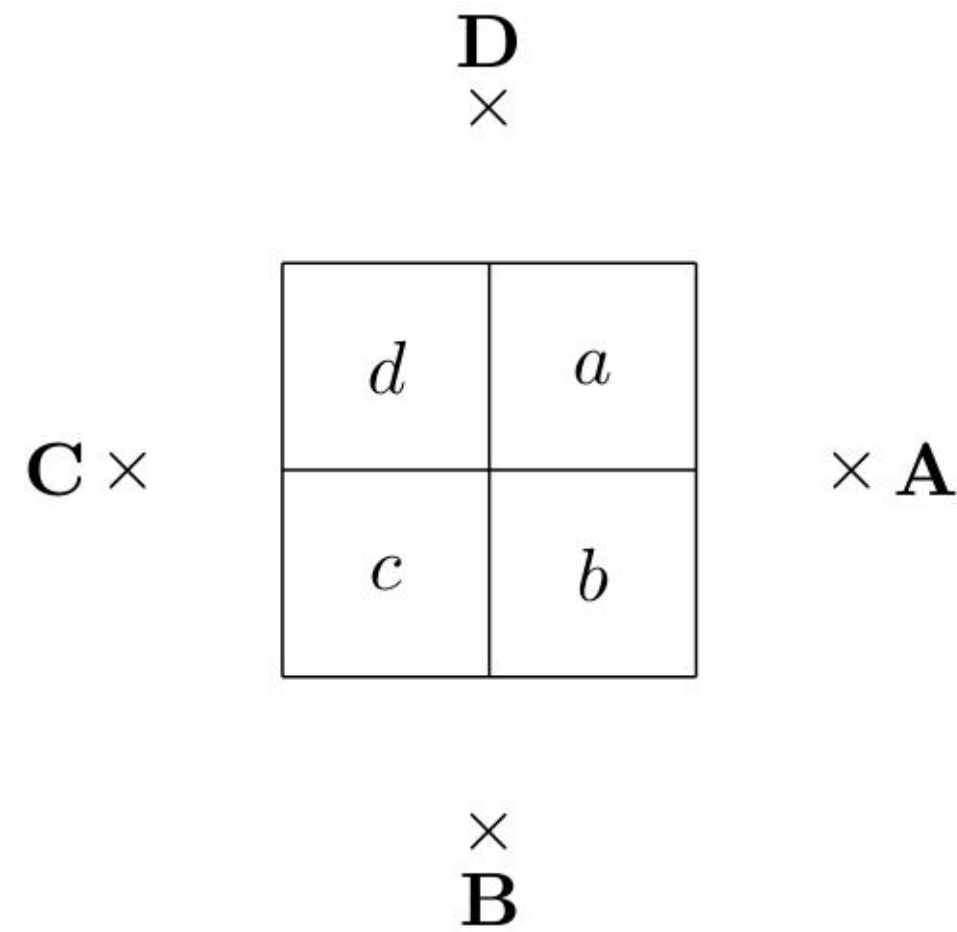


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Compatibility: $a \leftrightarrow b \iff \exists$ Boolean subalgebra $\mathcal{M}$: $a, b \in \mathcal{M}$

Atom: $a \in \mathcal{L} \setminus \{0\}$ such that there is no b satisfying $0 < b < a$

$\mathcal{A}(\mathcal{L}) :=$ the set of all atoms of $\mathcal{L}$

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This is a mathematical peculiarity, for physical applications we need “enough” states:

Definition: An OMP L is **rich** iff $\forall a, b \in L, a \not\leq b \exists \text{state } s : s(a) = 1 = s(b)$.

Theorem: All rich OMLs form a variety.

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$$s(a) + s(b) - s(a \wedge b) \leq 1$$

$$0 \geq s(a \wedge b) + s(b \wedge c) + s(c \wedge d) - s(a \wedge d) - s(b) - s(c)$$

$$s(a) + s(b) + s(c) - s(a \wedge b) - s(a \wedge c) - s(b \wedge c) \leq 1$$

$$s(a \wedge b) + s(b \wedge c) + s(c \wedge d) - s(a \wedge d) - s(b) - s(c) \geq -1$$

The first is equivalent to the **valuation property**:

$$s(a \wedge b) + s(a \vee b) = s(a) + s(b)$$

If a rich OML is not a Boolean algebra, all Bell inequalities are violated.

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H ... a separable Hilbert space (real or complex)

$L(H)$... the set of all closed subspaces of H (equivalently, all projectors of H)

$$\mathbf{0} = \{0\},$$

$$\mathbf{1} = H,$$

$$A \leq B \iff A \subseteq B,$$

$$A \wedge B = A \cap B,$$

$$A' = \{x \in H \mid \forall y \in A : y \perp x\},$$

$$A \vee B = \text{Lin}(A \cup B),$$

where Lin denotes the closed linear hull

For projectors, compatibility is equivalent to commutation, $PQ = QP$, therefore the term “*noncommutative measure theory*”

Problem [Birkhoff, von Neumann, Mackey]: Find (well-motivated, verifiable) properties which characterize Hilbert lattices among OMLs.

Partial results: [Pulmannová], [Bunce, J.D.M. Wright] ...

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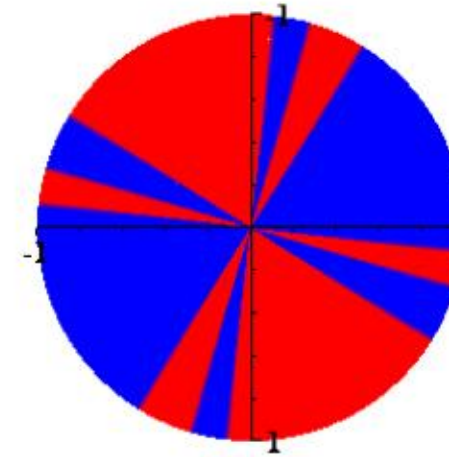
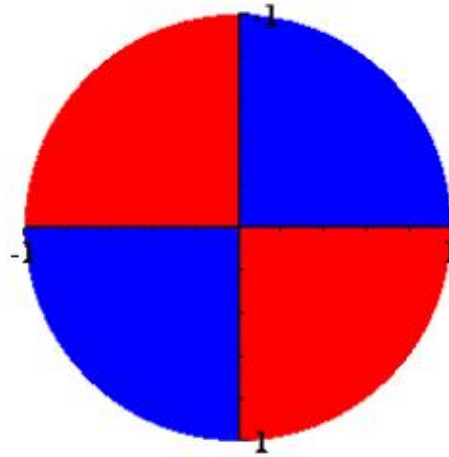
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The only restriction of states for $\dim P = 1$: $s(P') = 1 - s(P)$

Many two-valued states = colourings of non-zero vectors by two colors (blue, red) such that each orthogonal basis contains exactly one red vector



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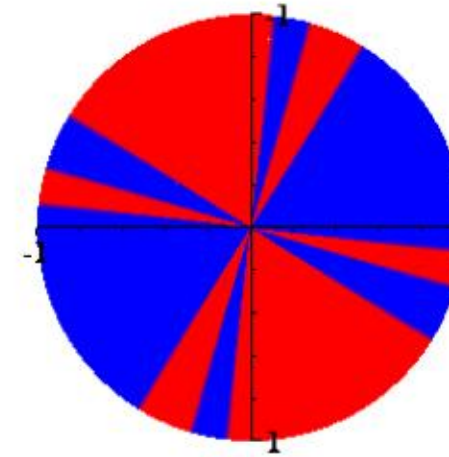
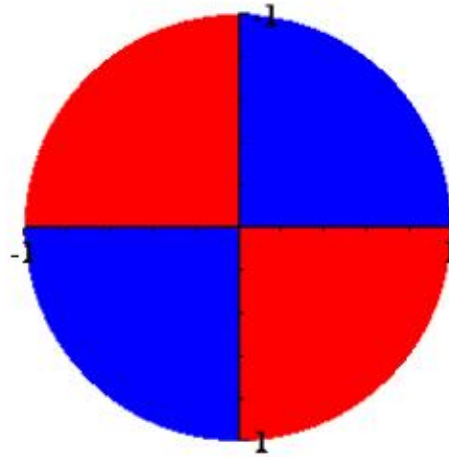
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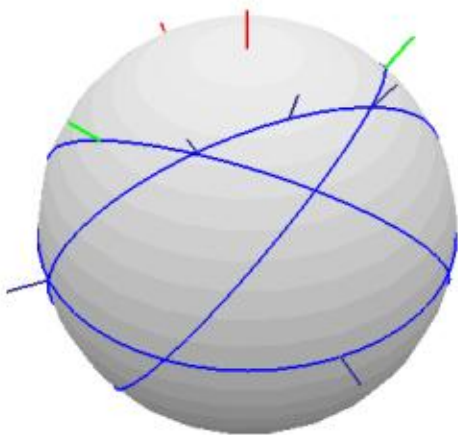
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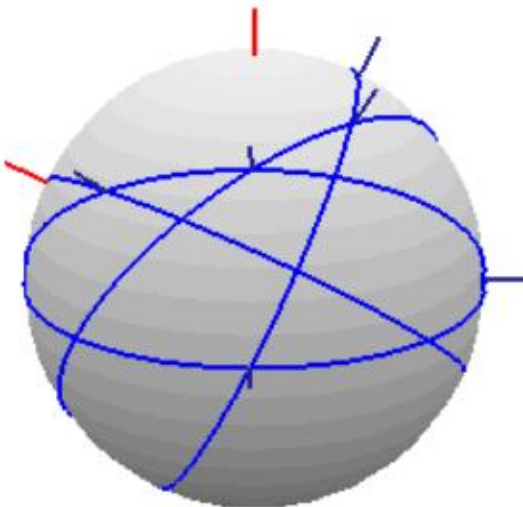
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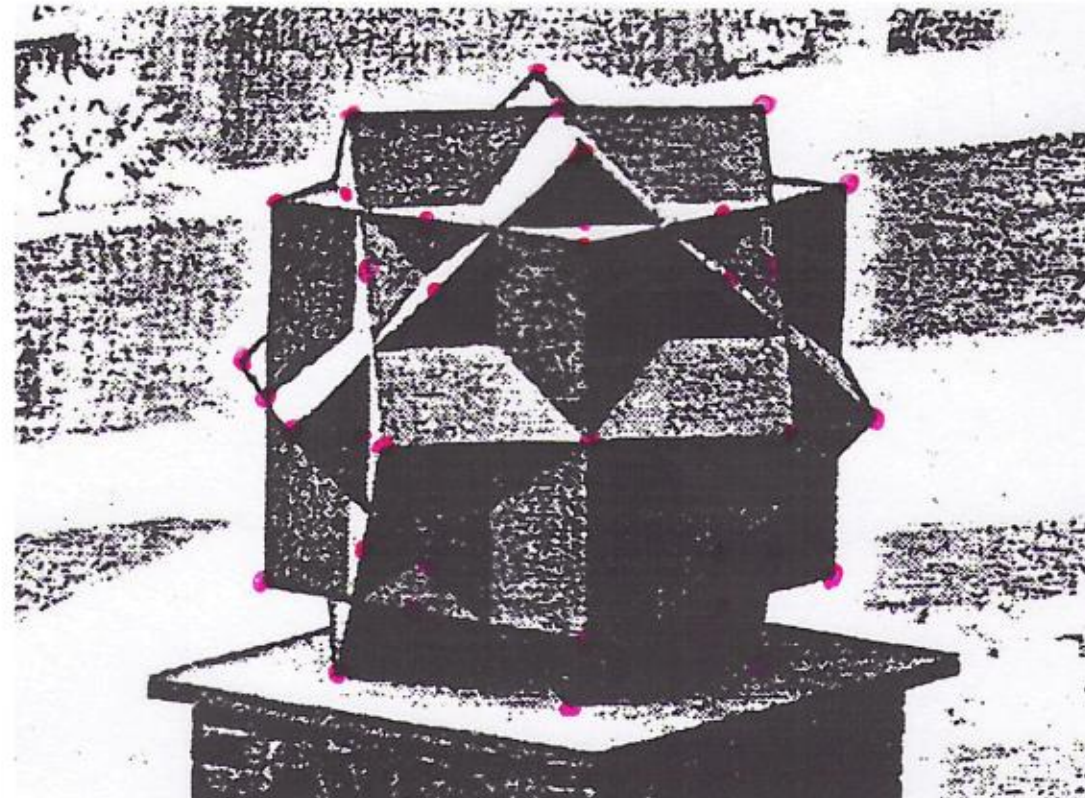


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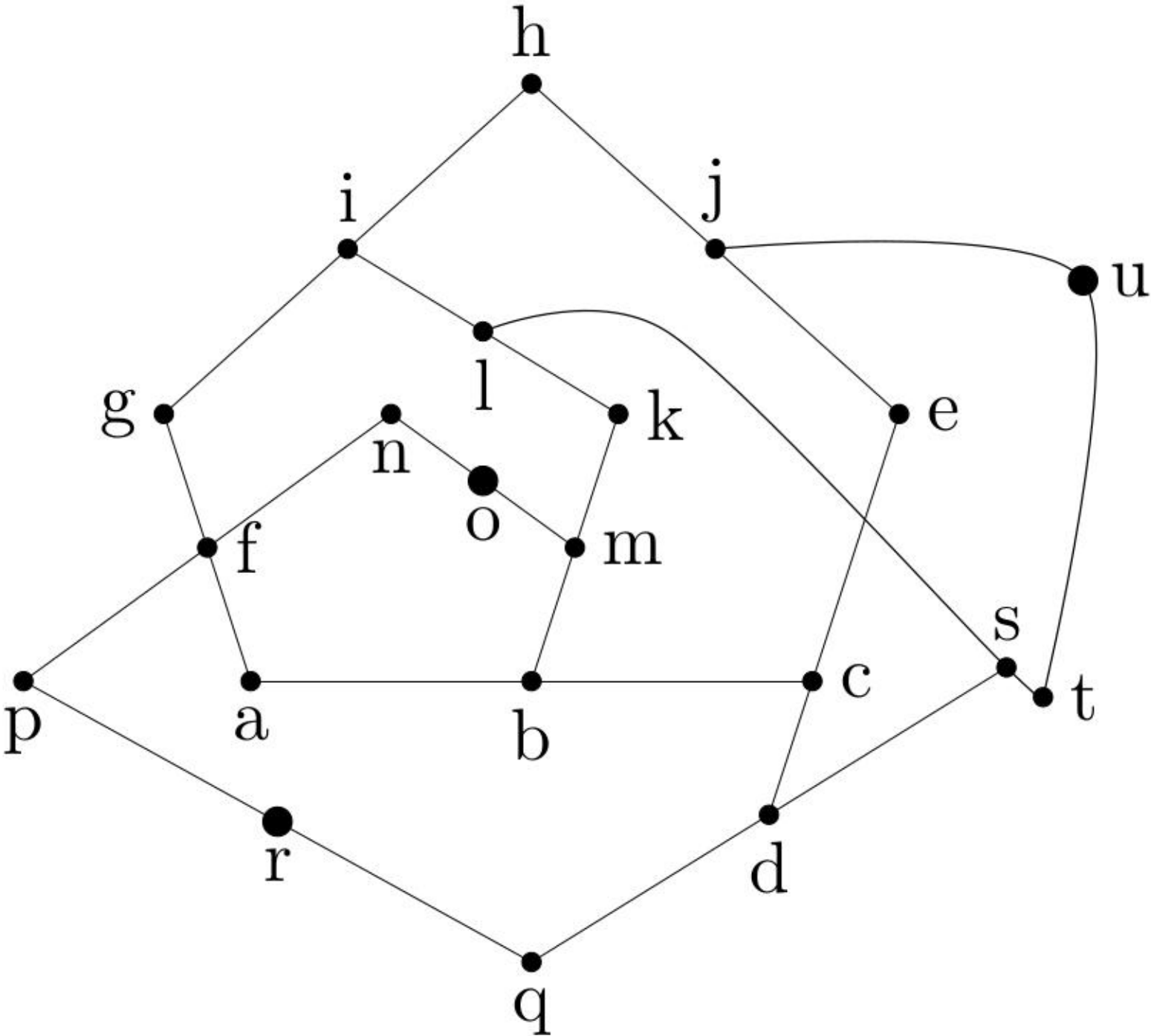
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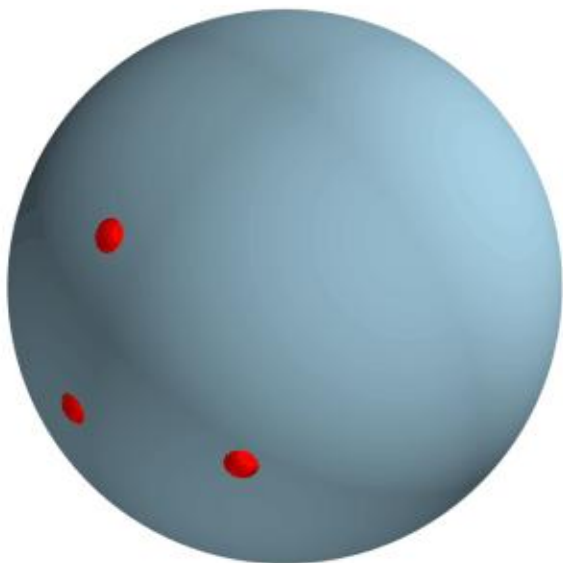
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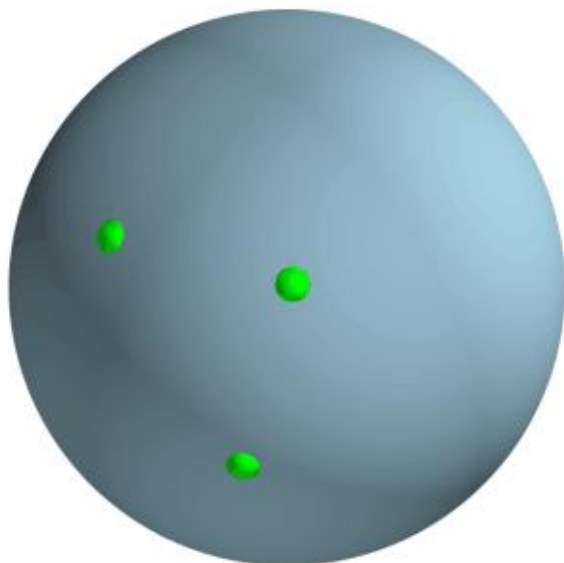
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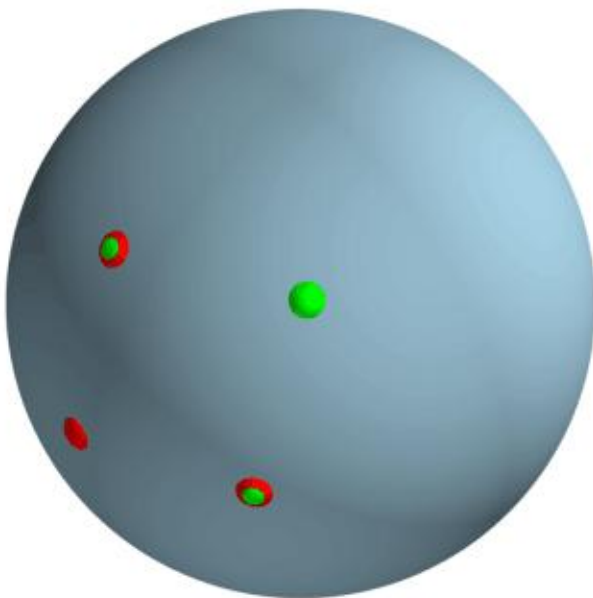
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