

# Classification of

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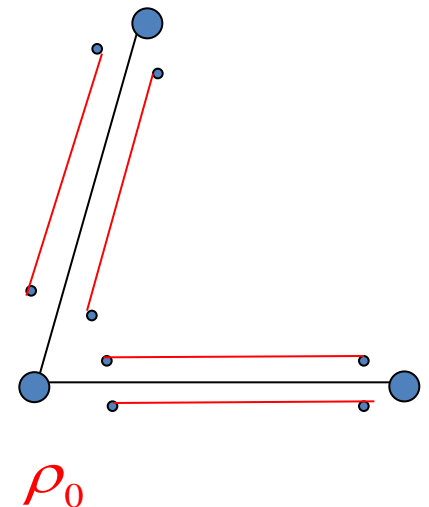
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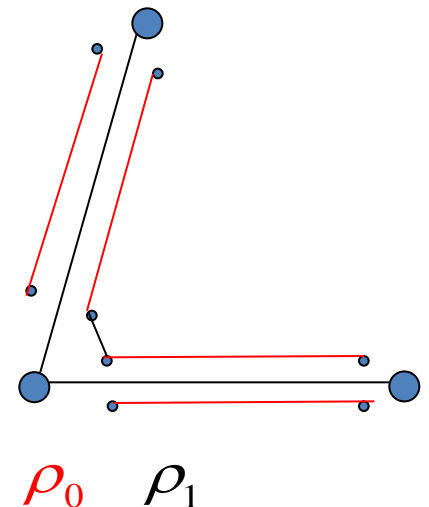
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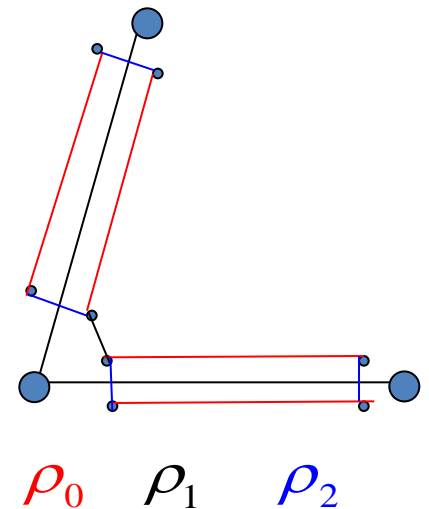
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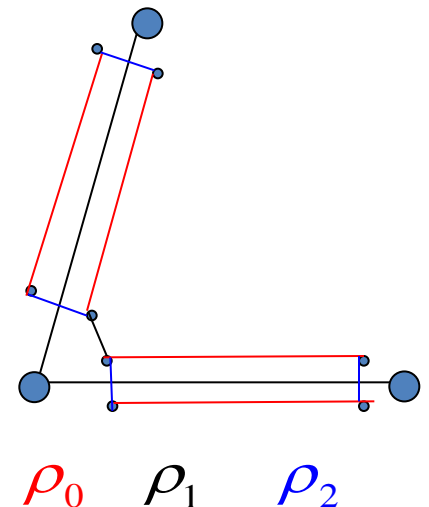
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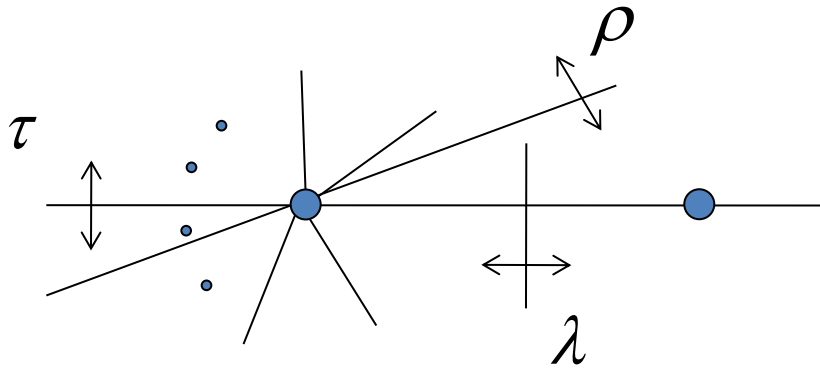
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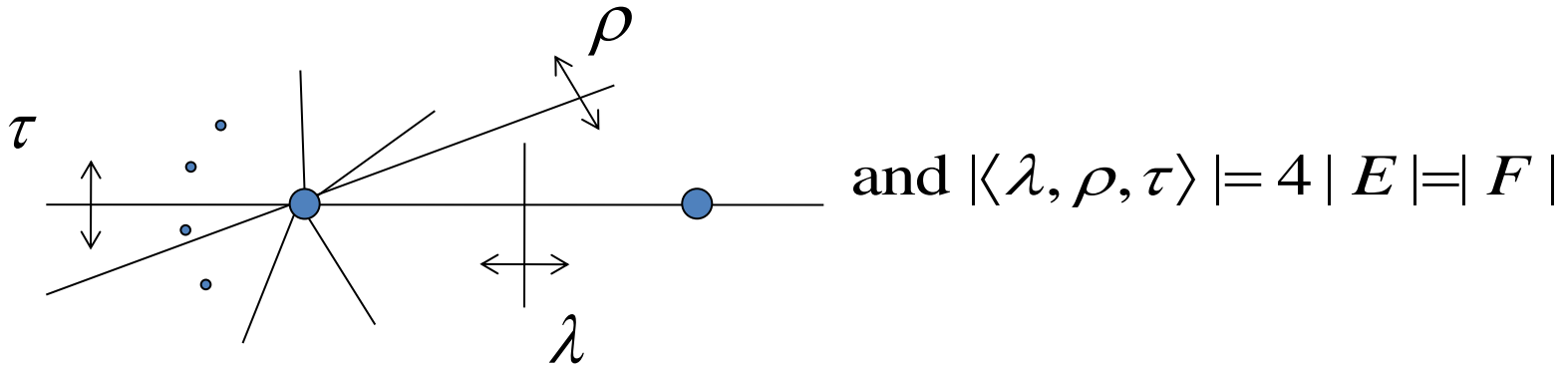


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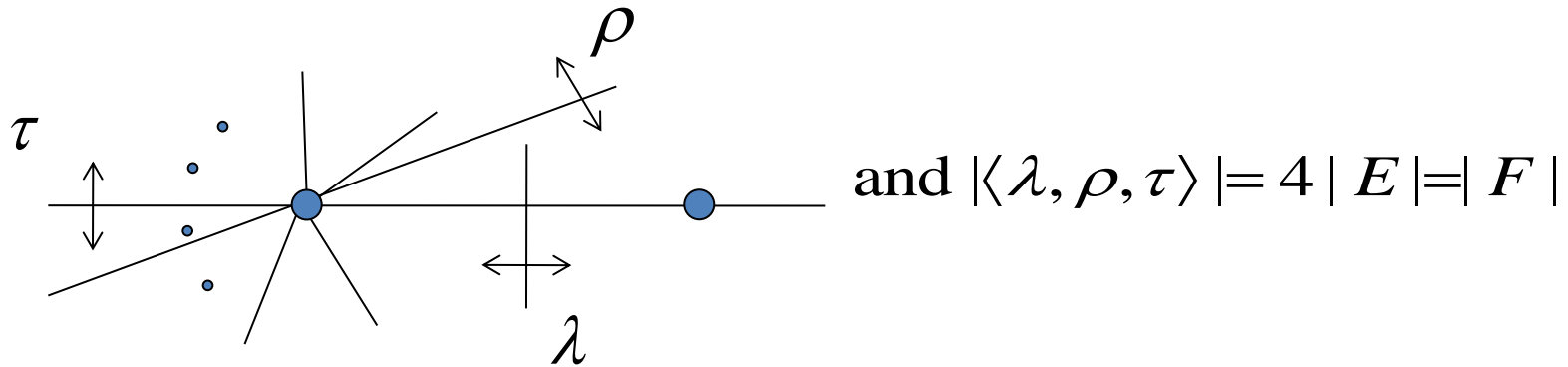
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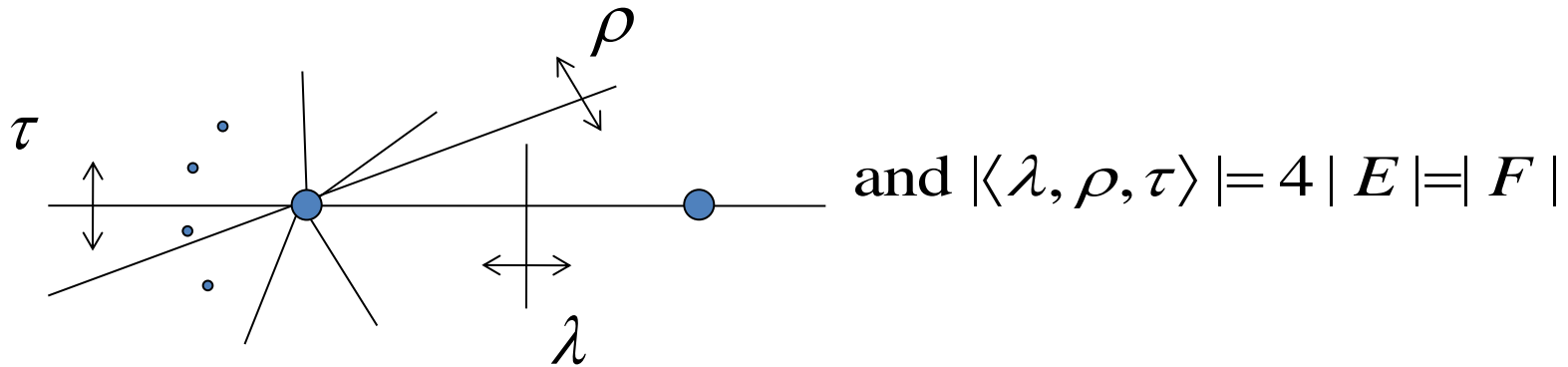


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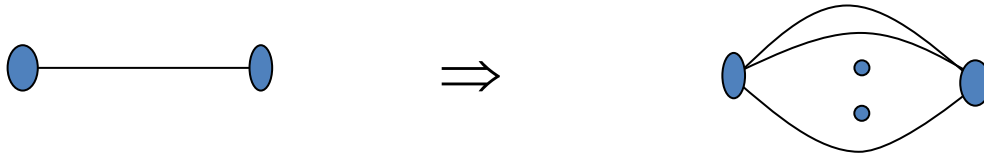
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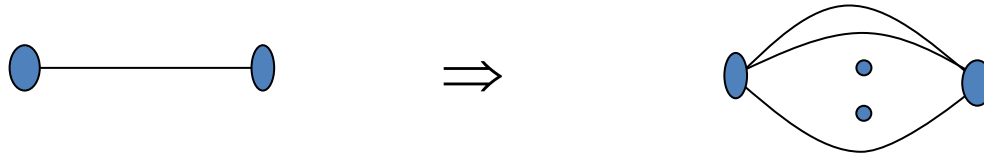
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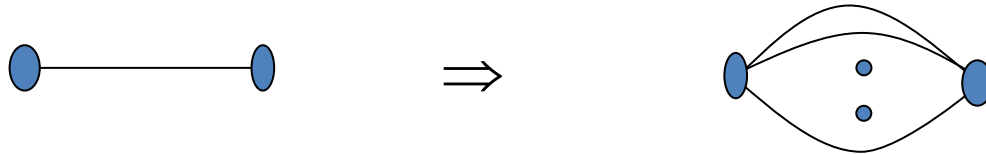
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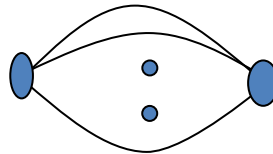
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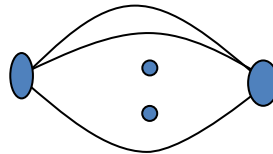


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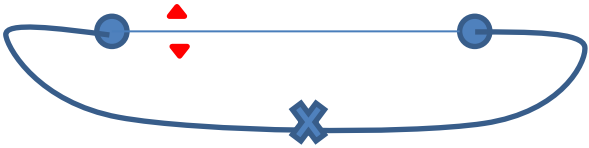


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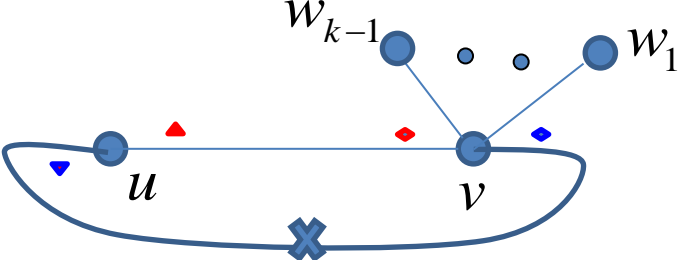
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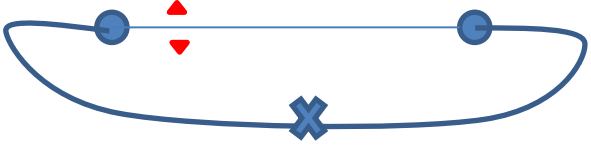
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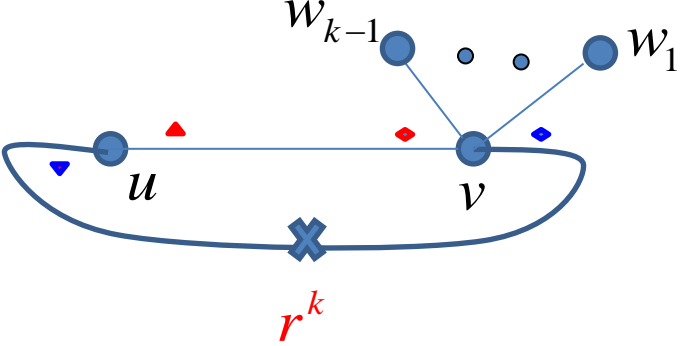
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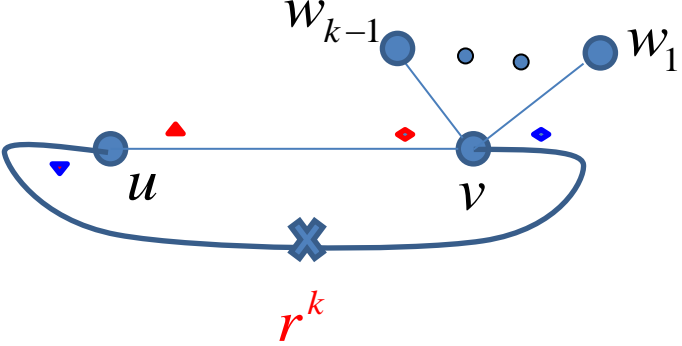
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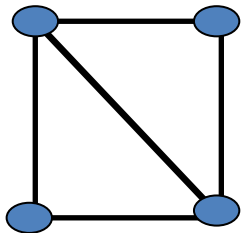
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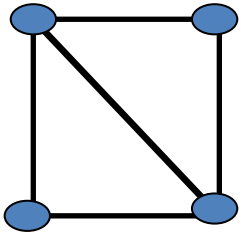
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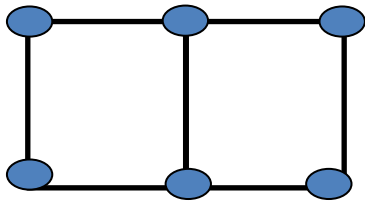
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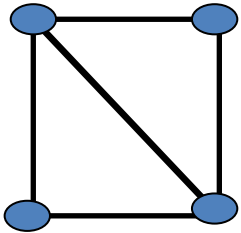
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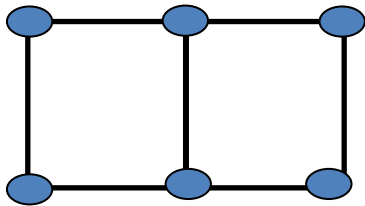
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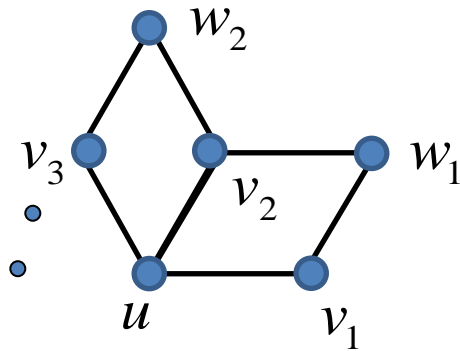
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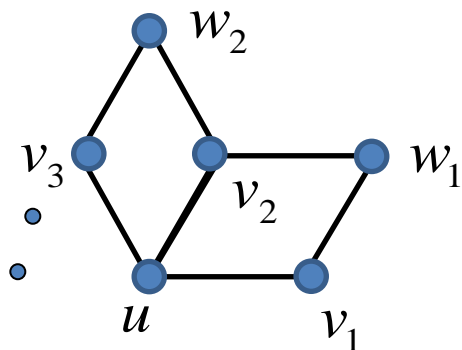
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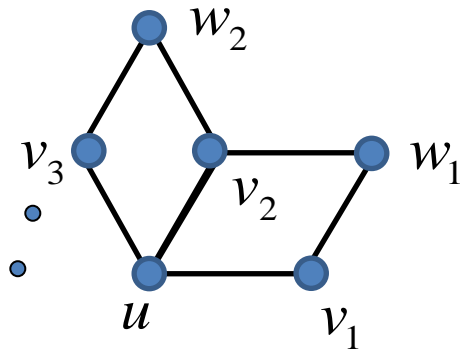


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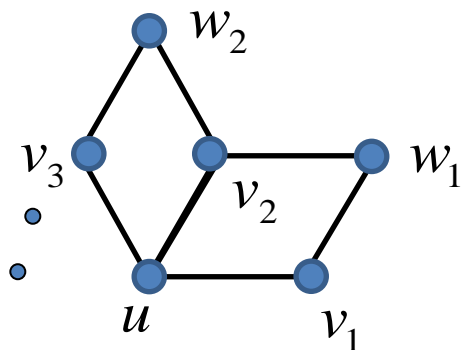
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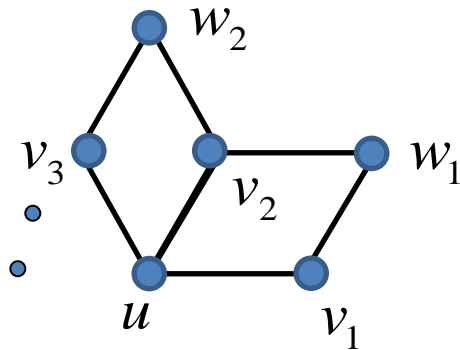
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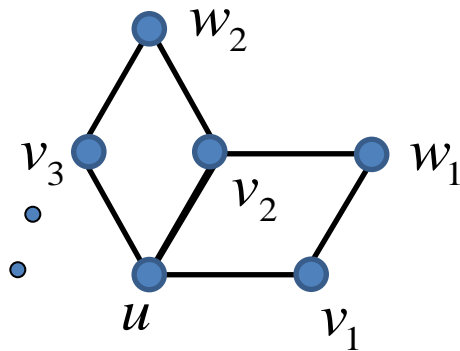
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$(t,k)=(5,5),(5,6),(7,3)$ : smooth represented finite.

$(t,k)=(5,10),(6,5),(6,6),\dots$ : smooth represented infinite.

Thank you!!!!