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Computing a Complete Basis for Equalities

Implied by a System of LRA Constraints

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Linear Arithmetic / Linear Programming

Input: $\sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} \cdot x_j \leq b_i$ for $i = 1, \dots, m$

coefficients ($\in \mathbb{Z}$) variables bound ($\in \mathbb{Z}$)

Linear Arithmetic / Linear Programming

Input: $a_i^T \mathbf{x} \leq b_i$ for $i = 1, \dots, m$

Goal: $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ (LRA/LP) or $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{Z}^n$ (LIA/ILP)

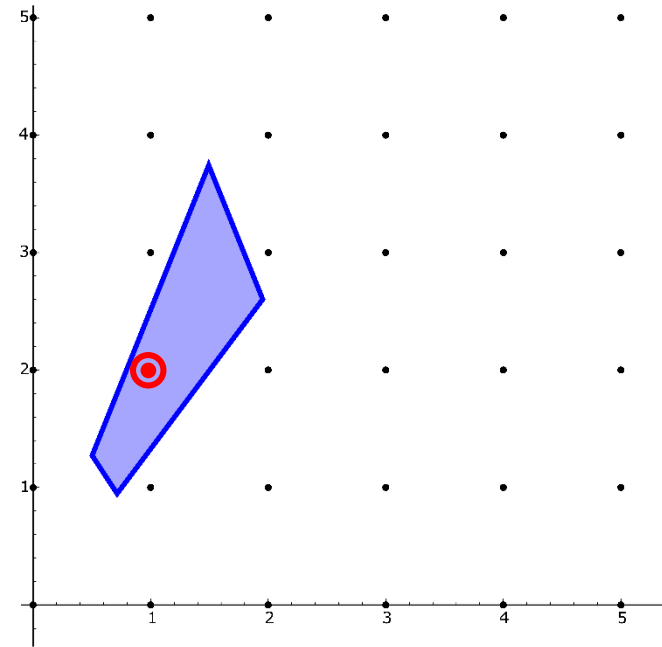
Complexity: **P**

NP

Example:

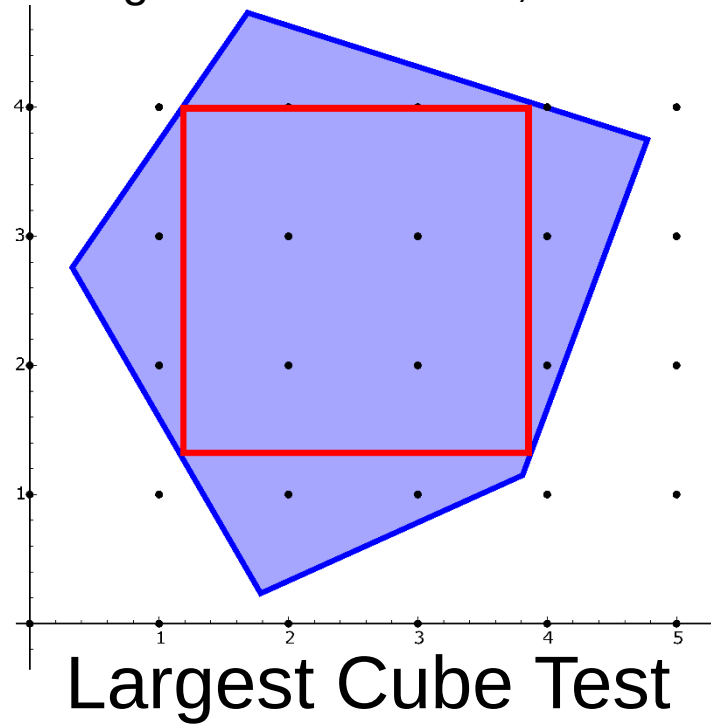
$$\begin{aligned} 2y &\leq 5x, & 3y &\geq 4x, \\ 2y &\leq -5x + 15, & 2y &\geq -3x + 4, \end{aligned}$$

LIA: $(x, y) = (1, 2)$



Fast Cube Tests for LIA constraint solving

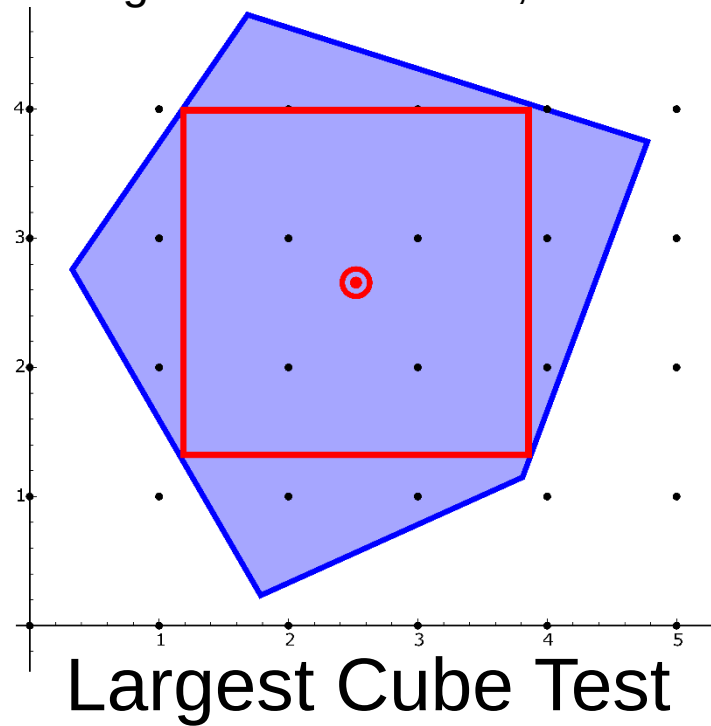
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- largest cube inside the set of real solutions

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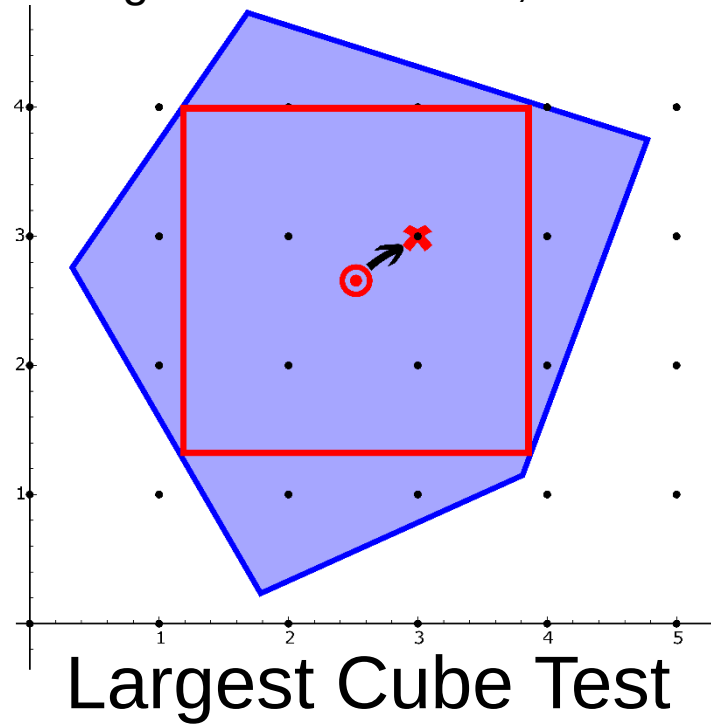
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- largest cube inside the set of real solutions
- center point

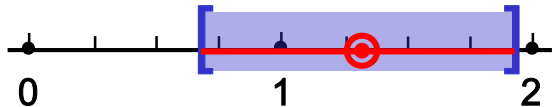
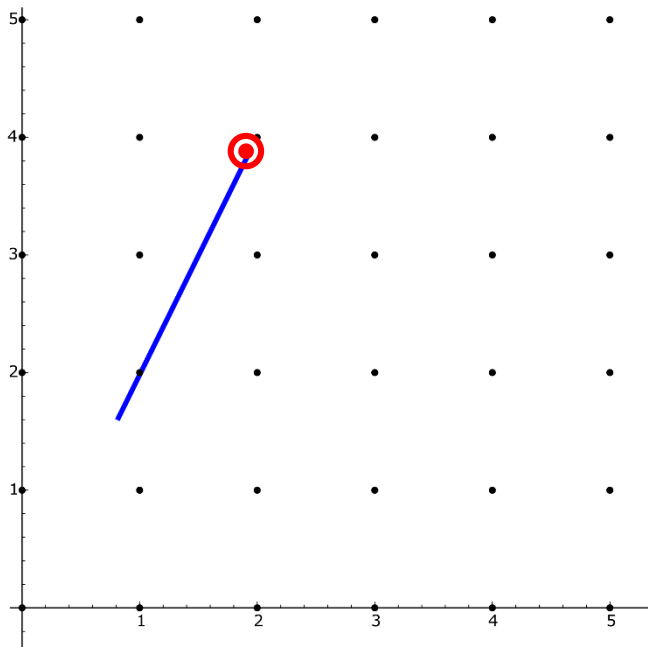
Fast Cube Tests for LIA constraint solving

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- largest cube inside the set of real solutions
- center point $\rightarrow$ integer point
- optimization LP (LRA) + evaluation

Equalities



$$x \mapsto 1 \Leftrightarrow y \mapsto 2x \Leftrightarrow y \mapsto 2$$

$$2y \leq 2 + 3x, \quad 2y \geq -2 + 5x,$$

$$5y \leq 25 - 3x, \quad 2y \geq 4 - 2x,$$

$$y = 2x$$

substitute $\Downarrow y \mapsto 2x$

$$2 \cdot 2x \leq 2 + 3x, \quad 2 \cdot 2x \geq -2 + 5x,$$

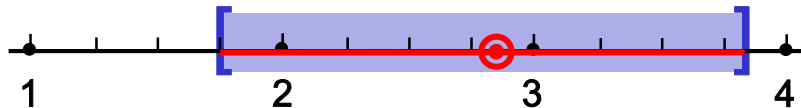
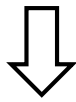
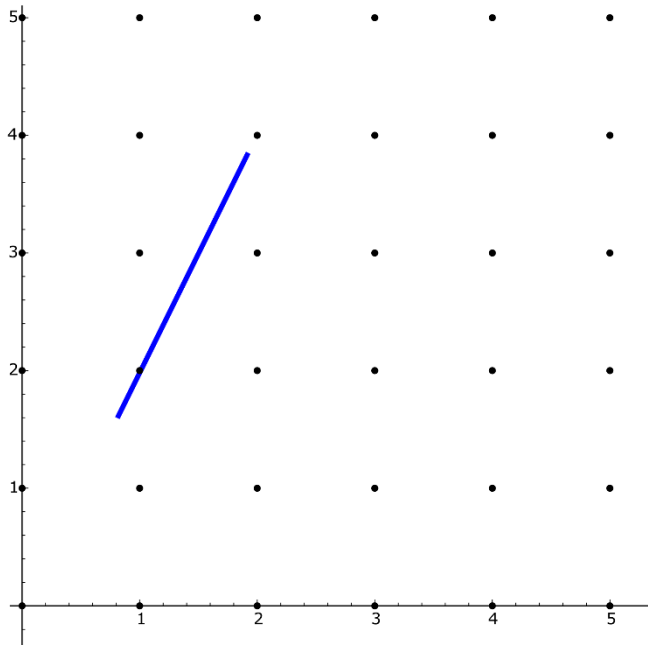
$$5 \cdot 2x \leq 25 - 3x, \quad 2 \cdot 2x \geq 4 - 2x,$$



$$x \leq 2, \quad 2 \geq x,$$

$$13x \leq 25, \quad 3x \geq 2,$$

Equalities



$$y \mapsto 3 \Leftrightarrow x \mapsto \frac{y}{2} \Leftrightarrow x \mapsto \frac{3}{2}$$

$$2y \leq 2 + 3x, \quad 2y \geq -2 + 5x,$$

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Diophantine Equation Handler

A Practical Approach to
Satisfiability Modulo Linear Integer Arithmetic

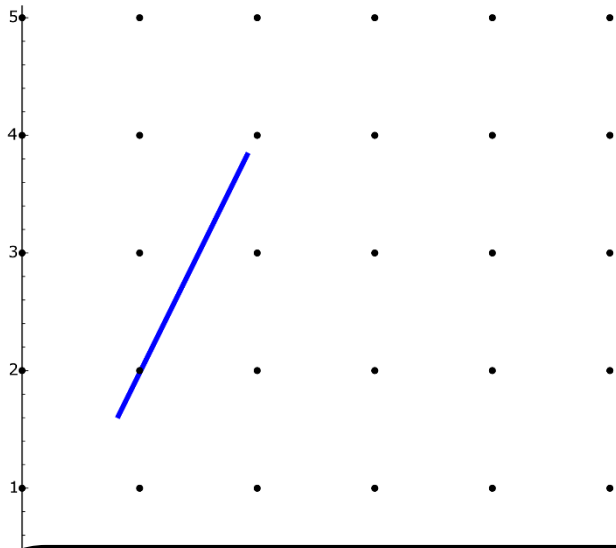
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$$y \leq 4, \quad 4 \geq y,$$

$$13y \leq 50, \quad 3y \geq 4,$$

Equalities



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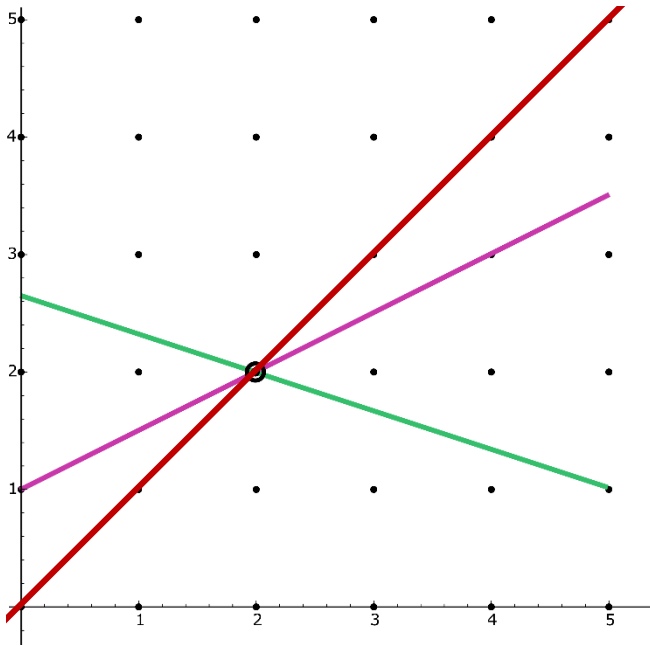
A Practical Approach to

Not Always Explicit!

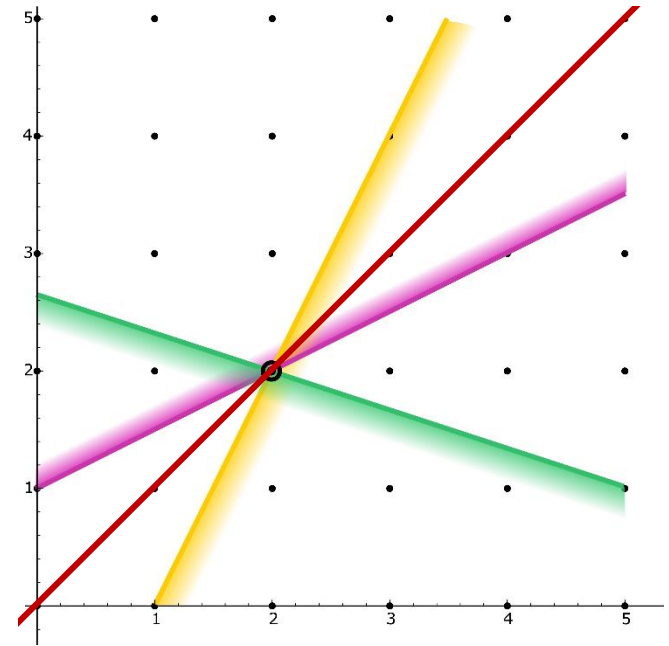
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Implied Equalities



$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$



explicit

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}^n. Ax \leq b \rightarrow d^T x = c$$

implicit

$$\begin{aligned} & 2y = x + 2, \\ & 3y \leq -x + 8, \quad 3y \geq -x + 8, \end{aligned}$$



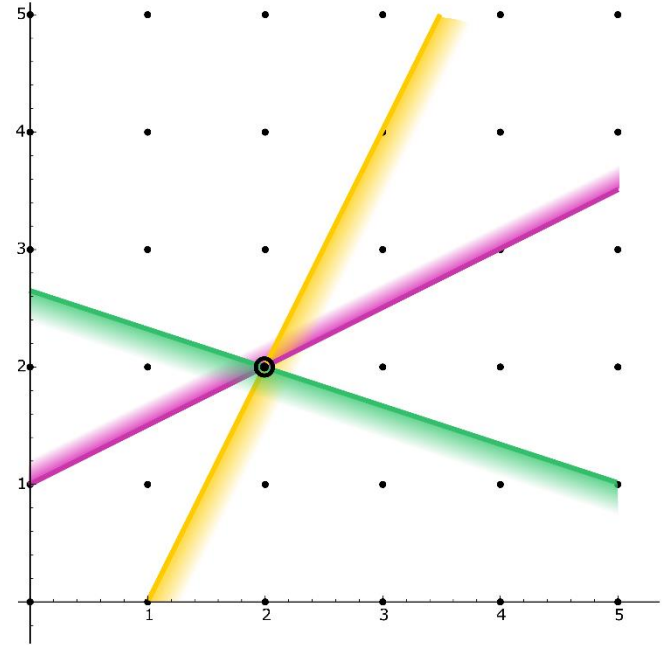
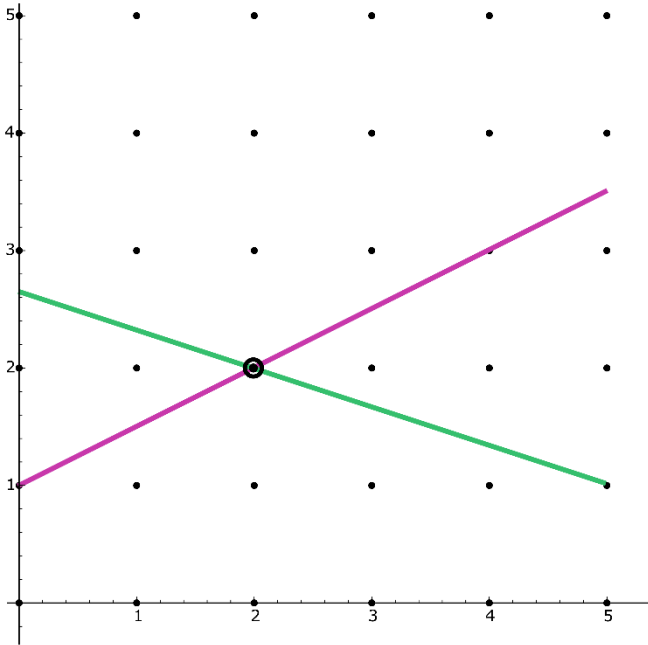
$$\begin{aligned} & 2y = x + 2 \\ & 3y = -x + 8 \end{aligned} \quad y = 2x - 2,$$

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Equality Basis



explicit

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}^n. Ax \leq b \rightarrow d^T x = c$$

implicit

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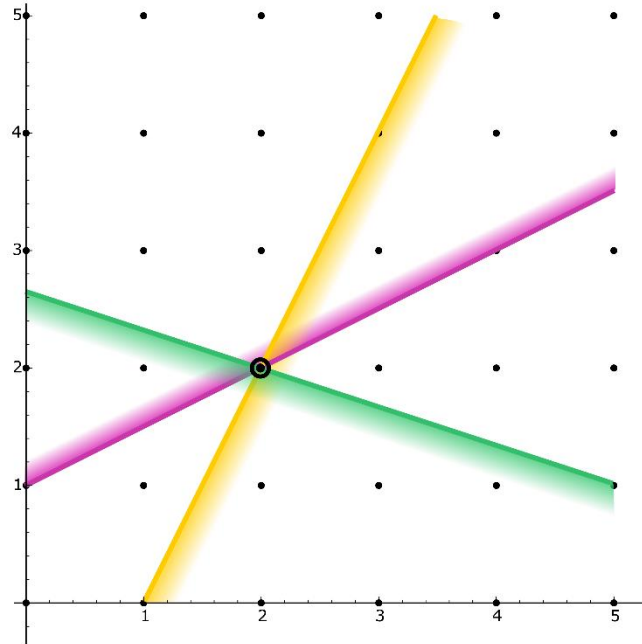


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Equality Basis

Equality Basis:

1. set of linear independent equalities
2. maximal



Implied Equalities:

All
linear combinations
of the
Equality Basis

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}^n. Ax \leq b \rightarrow d^T x = c$$

$$2y \geq x + 2,$$

$$3y \leq -x + 8,$$

$$y \leq 2x - 2,$$

$$2y = x + 2$$

$$3y = -x + 8$$

$$y = 2x - 2,$$

$$\lambda_1, \lambda_2 \in \mathbb{R}$$

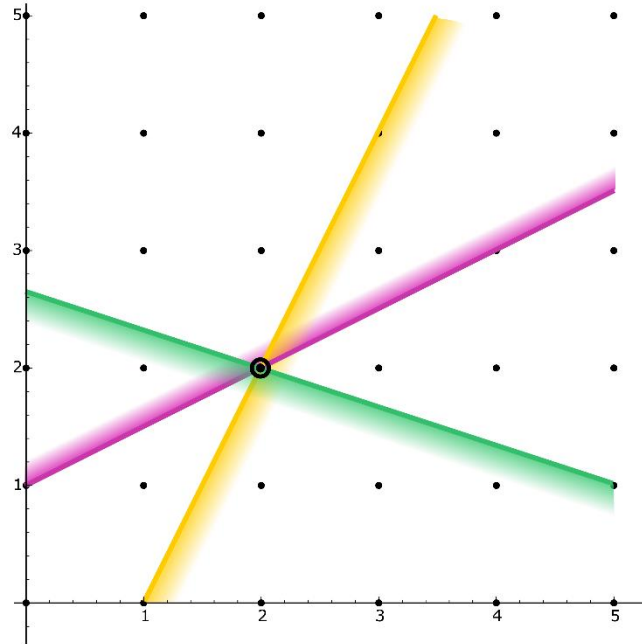
$$\lambda_1 \cdot 2y = x + 2 + \lambda_2 \cdot 3y = -x + 8$$

$$(2\lambda_1 + 3\lambda_2)y = (\lambda_1 - \lambda_2)x + (2\lambda_1 - 8\lambda_2)$$

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$$2y = x + 2$$

$$3y = -x + 8$$

$$\frac{7}{5} \cdot 2y = x + 2 - \frac{3}{5} \cdot 3y = -x + 8$$

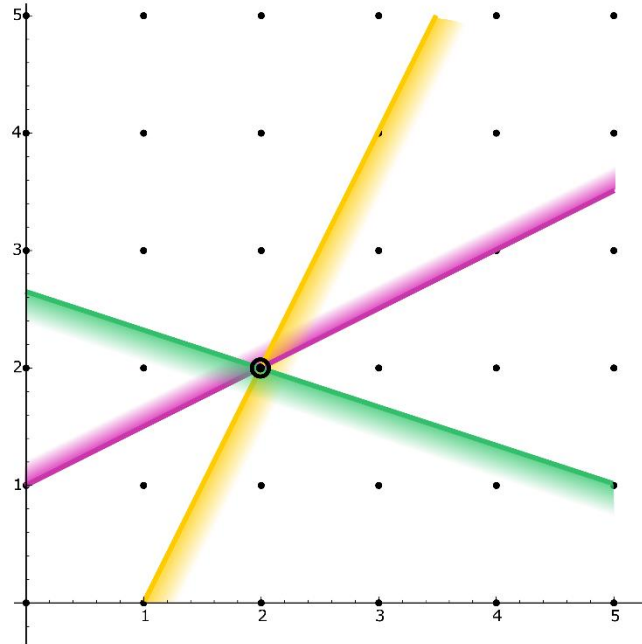


$$y = 2x - 2,$$

Equality Basis

Simplification:

Eliminating
Equalities
via
Substitution



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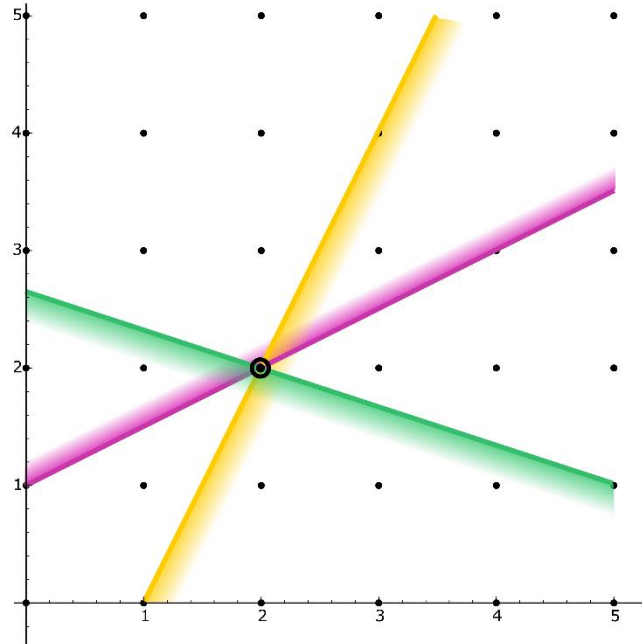
$$5y = 10$$

$$y \mapsto 2$$

Equality Basis

Simplification:

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Verifying
Implied Equalities:

via
Substitution
(Nelson-Oppen)

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}^n. Ax \leq b \rightarrow d^T x = c$$

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$$3y \leq -x + 8,$$

$$y \leq 2x - 2,$$

$$2y = x + 2$$

$$3y = -x + 8$$

$$x \mapsto 2y - 2$$

$$y \mapsto 2$$

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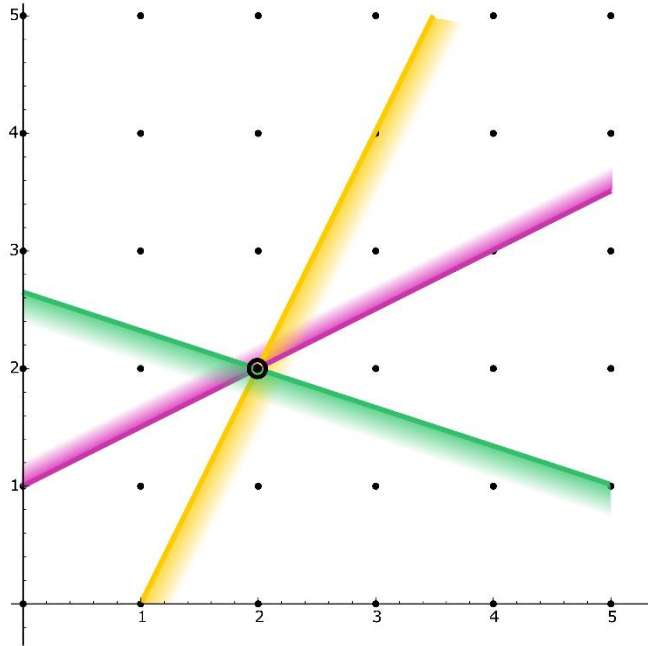
$$y = 2x - 2$$

$$y = 4y - 6$$

$$0 = 0$$

Nelson-Oppen Combination

$$u = v$$



pairs of
equivalent
variables

$\mathcal{T}$

$$w = z$$

$$\sigma := \left\{ \boxed{x \mapsto 2y - 2}, \boxed{y \mapsto 2} \right\}$$

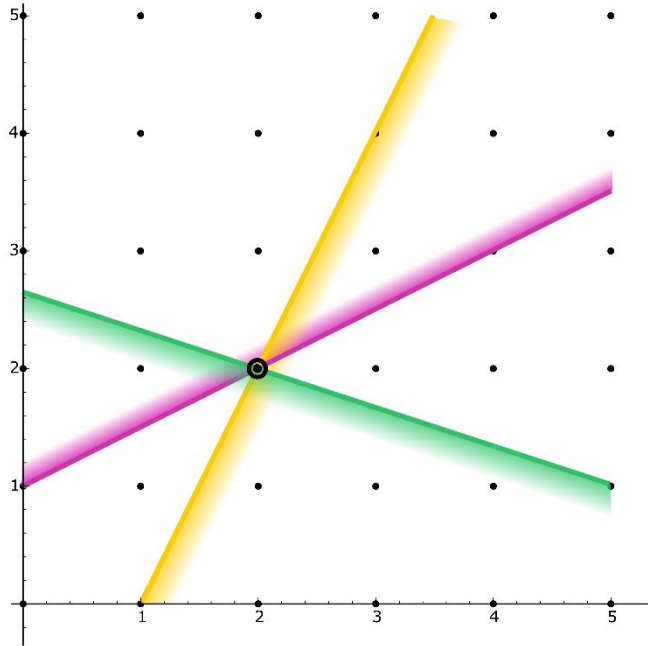
$$x\sigma = 2$$

$$y\sigma = 2$$

$$\longrightarrow x = y$$

Nelson-Oppen Combination

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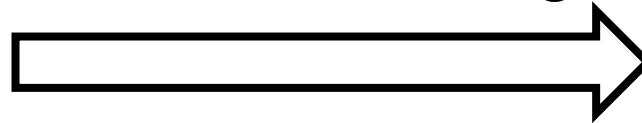
pairs of
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$\mathcal{T}$

$$w = z$$

semantic
equivalence

σ + normalizing



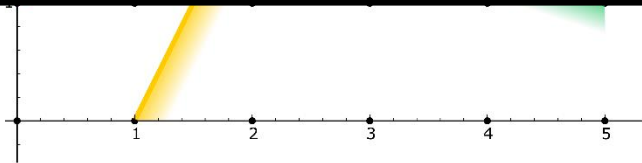
syntactic
equivalence

Find equivalent variables with DAGs!

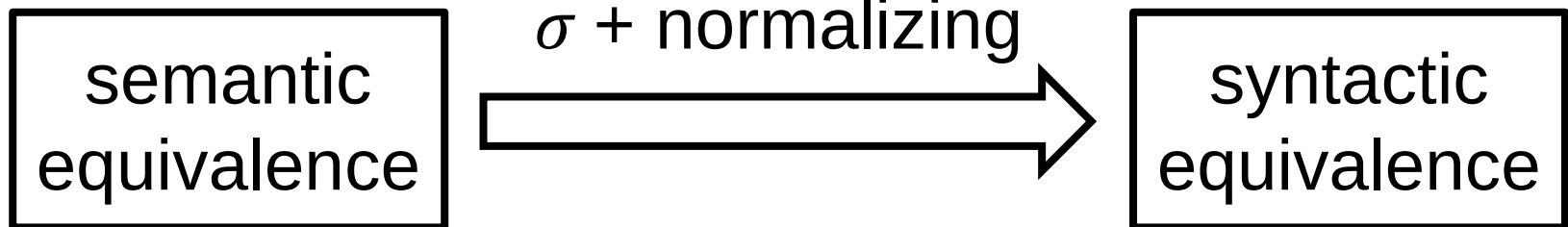
Nelson-Oppen Combination

$$u = v$$

How do we find equalities?



$$w = z$$



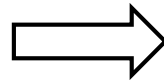
Find equivalent variables with DAGs!

Largest Cube Test

subject to:

$$a_i^T x \leq b_i$$

for $i = 1, \dots, m$



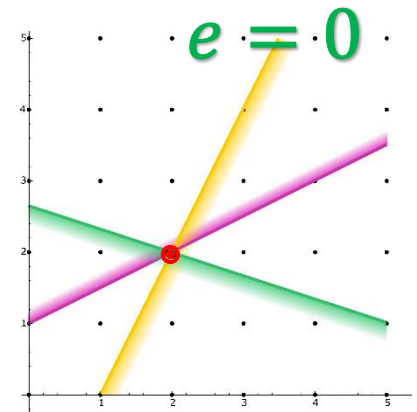
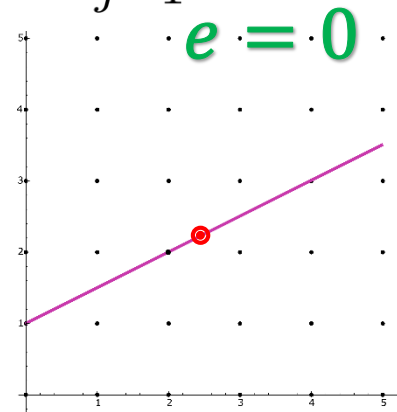
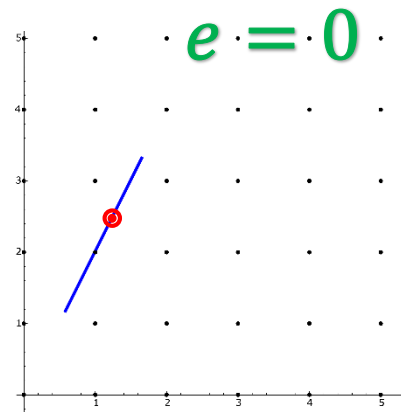
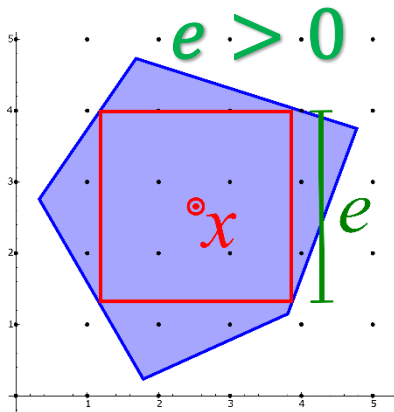
maximize e

subject to:

$$a_i^T x + \|a_i\|_1 \frac{e}{2} \leq b_i$$

for $i = 1, \dots, m$

where $\|a_i\|_1 := \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{ij}|$

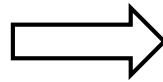


Equality Test

subject to:

$$a_i^T x \leq b_i$$

for $i = 1, \dots, m$



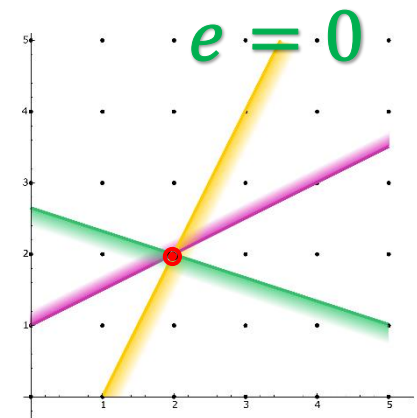
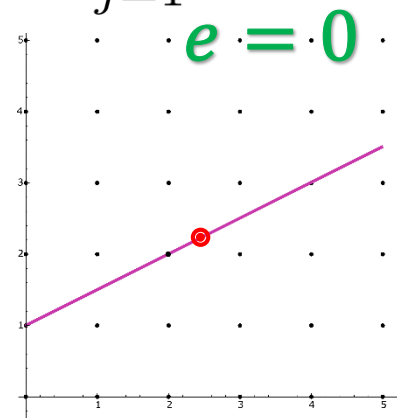
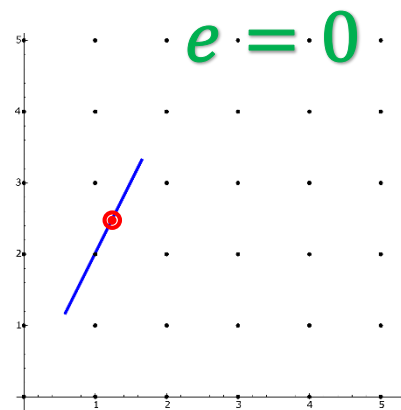
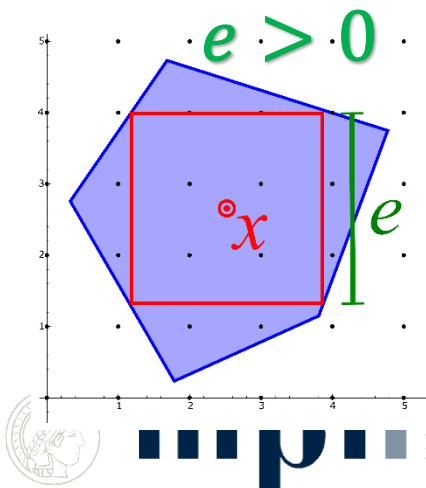
$$e > 0$$

subject to:

$$a_i^T x + e \leq b_i$$

for $i = 1, \dots, m$

$$\text{where } \|a_i\|_1 := \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{ij}|$$

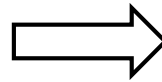


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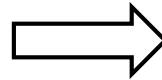
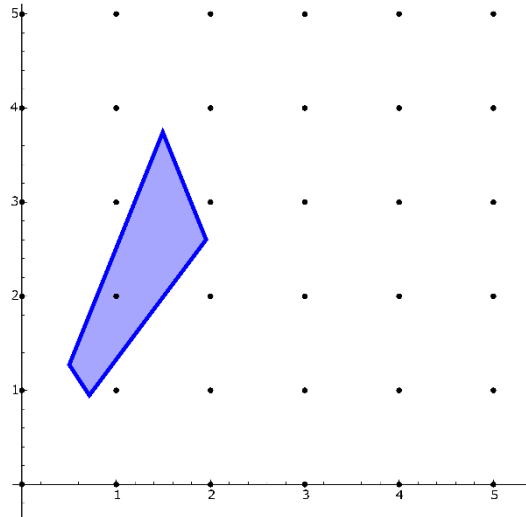


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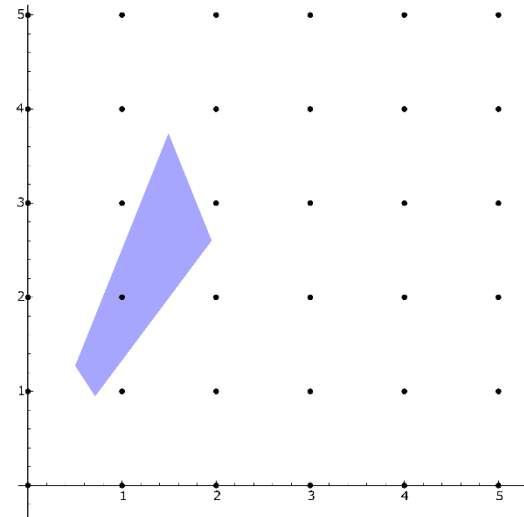
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Interior & Surface



Interior

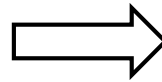


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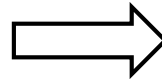
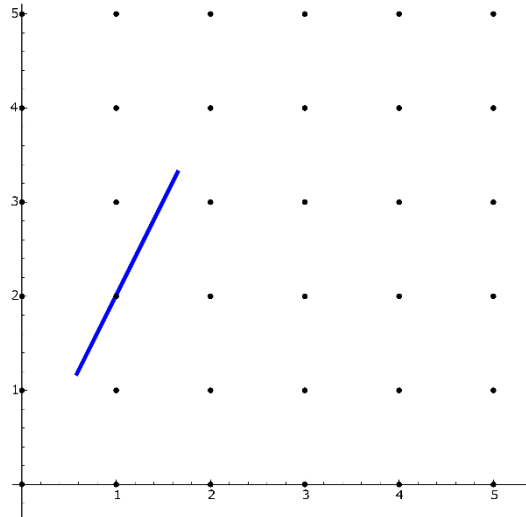


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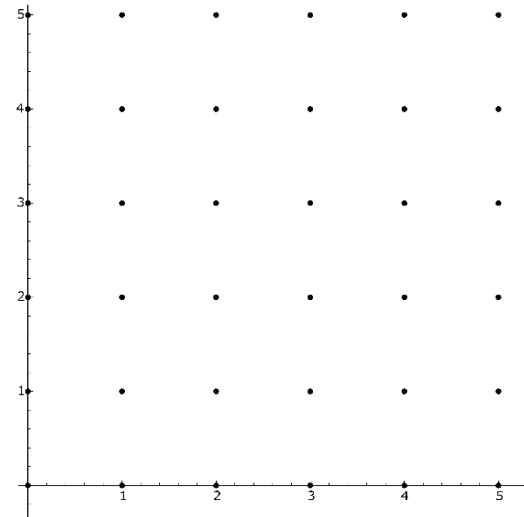
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for $i = 1, \dots, m$

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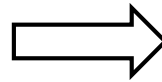


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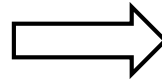
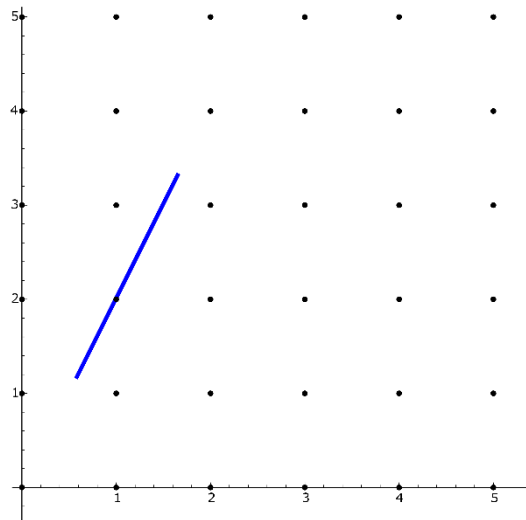


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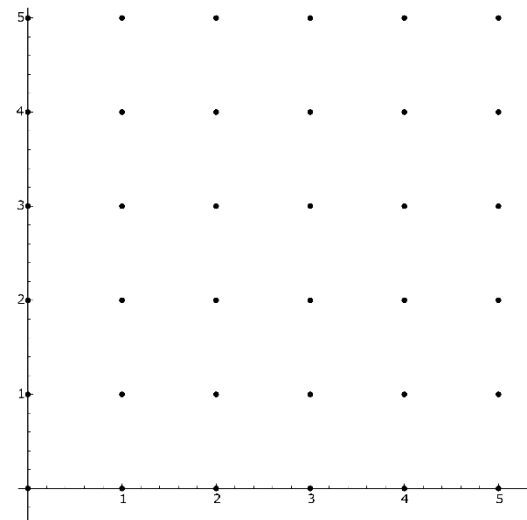
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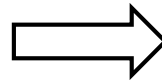


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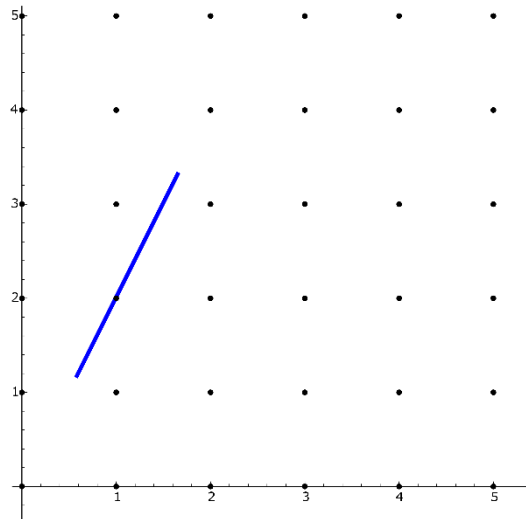


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Conflict: $C \subseteq \{1, \dots, m\}$

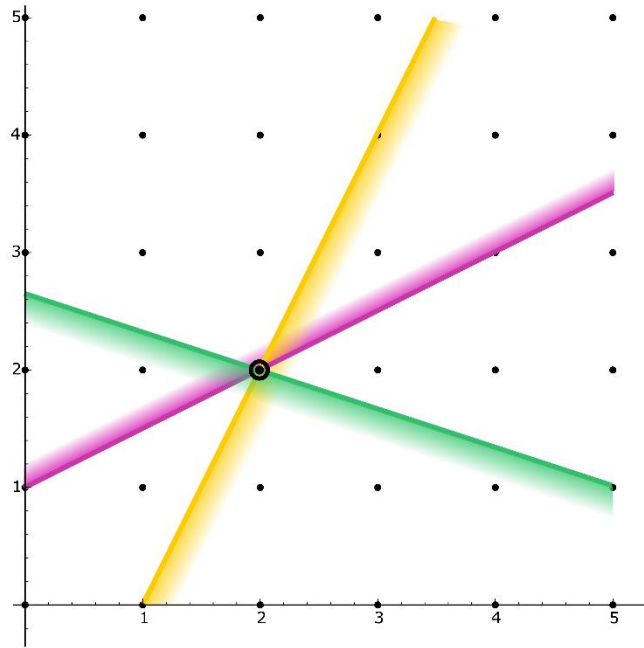
$$a_i^T x < b_i \quad \text{for } i \in C$$

unsat



$$a_i^T x = b_i \quad \text{for } i \in C$$

Equality Explanation



original

$$-2x + y \leq -2,$$

$$x + 3y \leq 8,$$

$$x - 2y \leq -2,$$

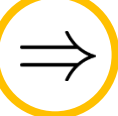


Positive
Linear

Combinations

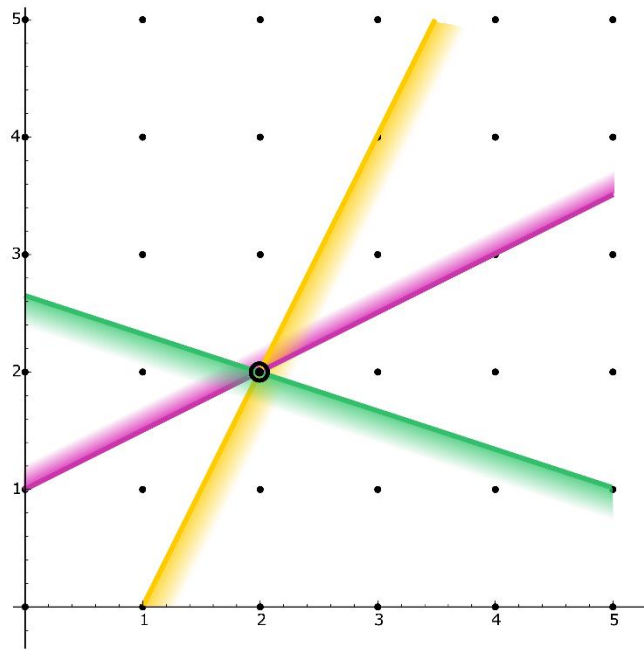
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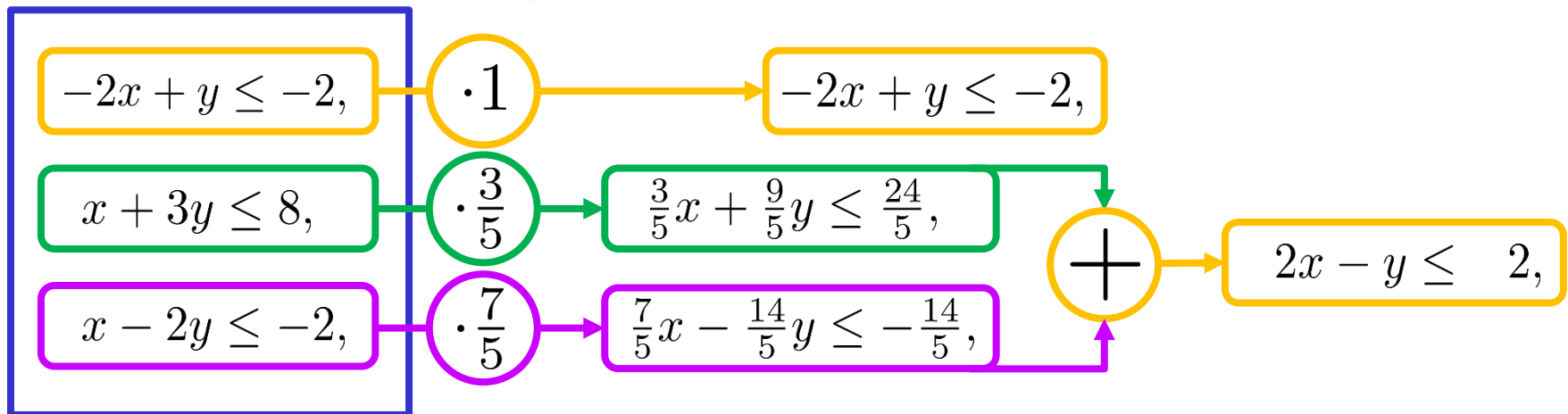


$$-2x + y = -2,$$

Equality Explanation



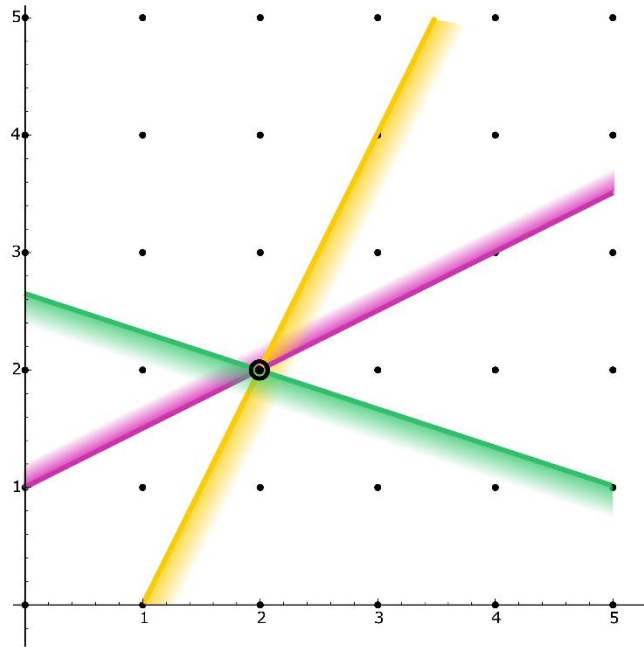
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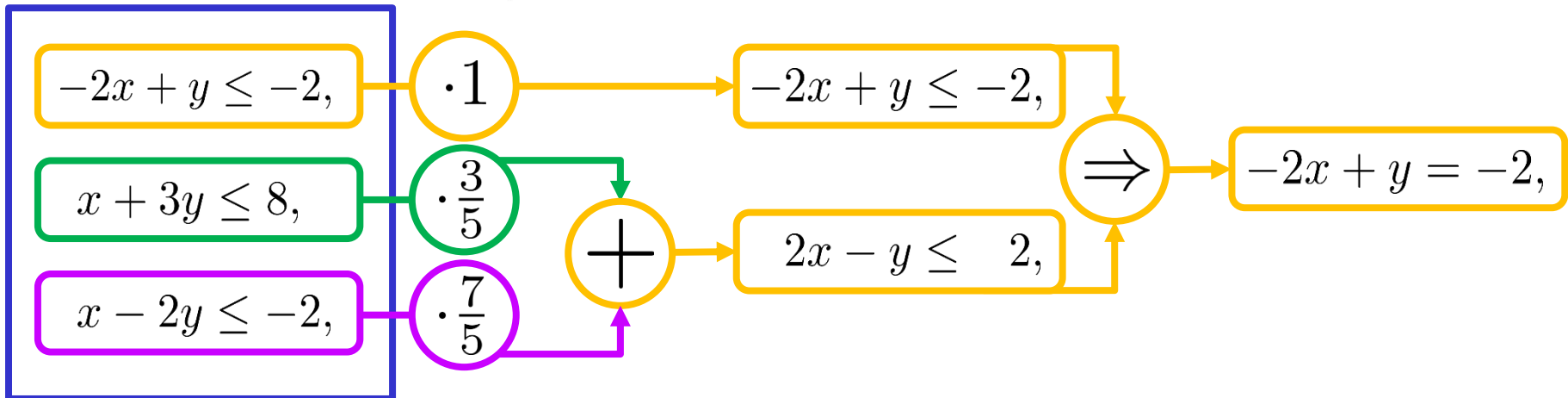
Equality Explanation

strict

$$\begin{aligned} -2x + y &< -2, \\ x + 3y &< 8, \\ x - 2y &< -2, \end{aligned}$$

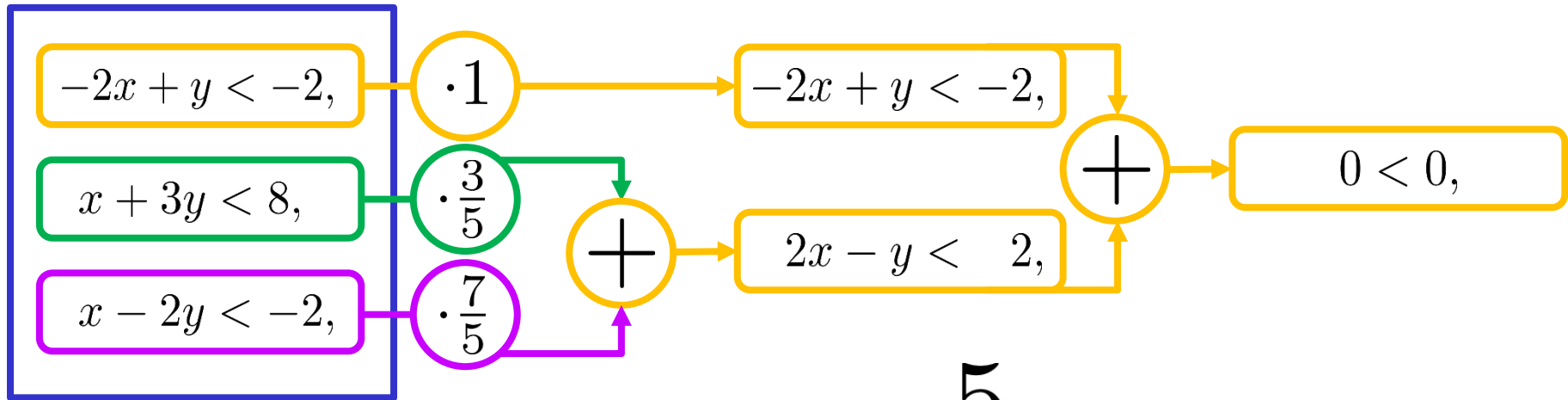


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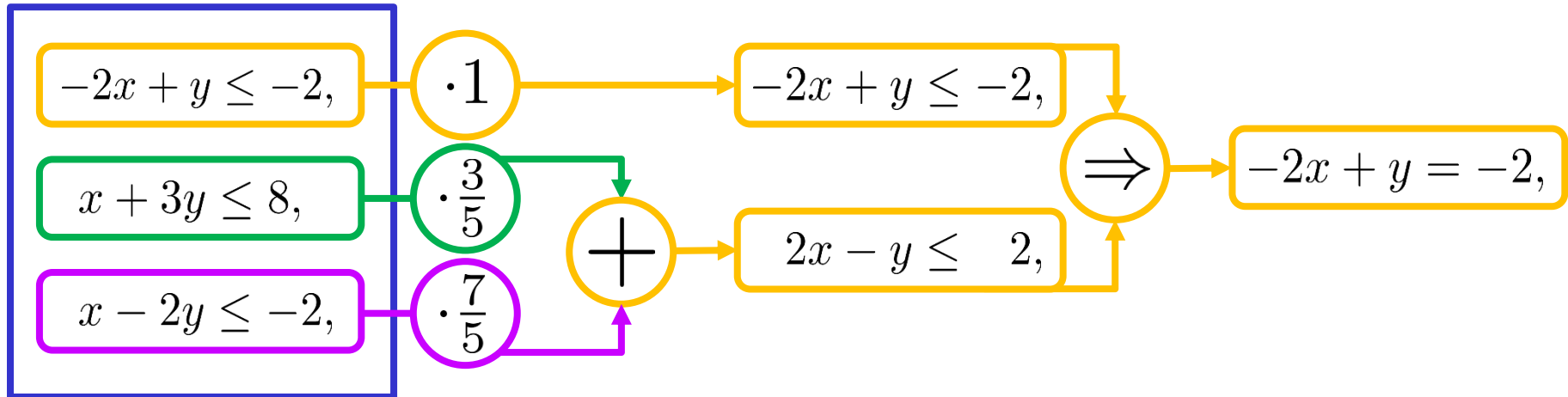
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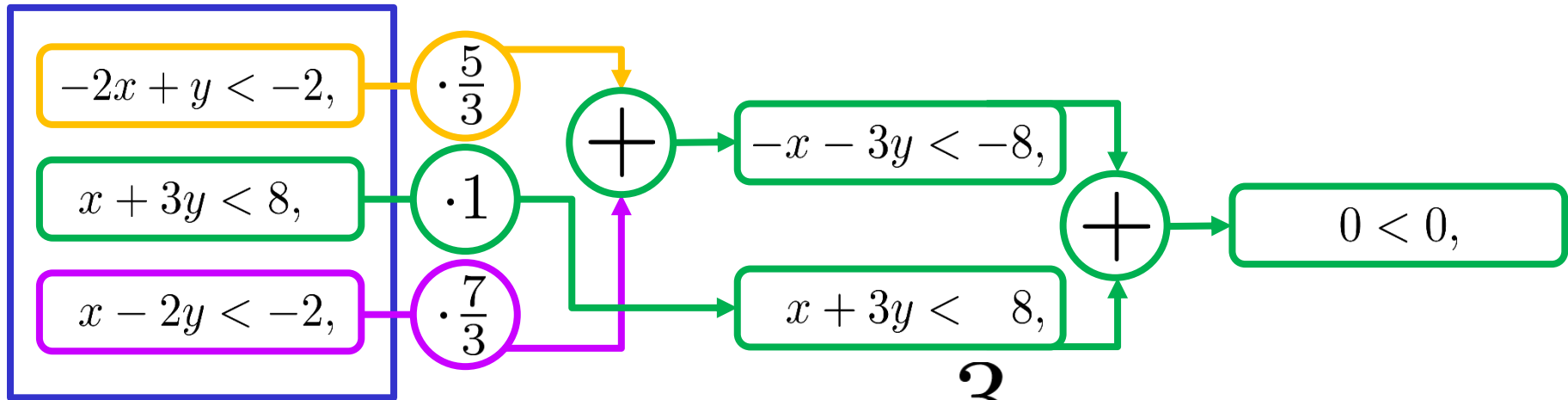
Multiply $\cdot \frac{5}{3}$

original



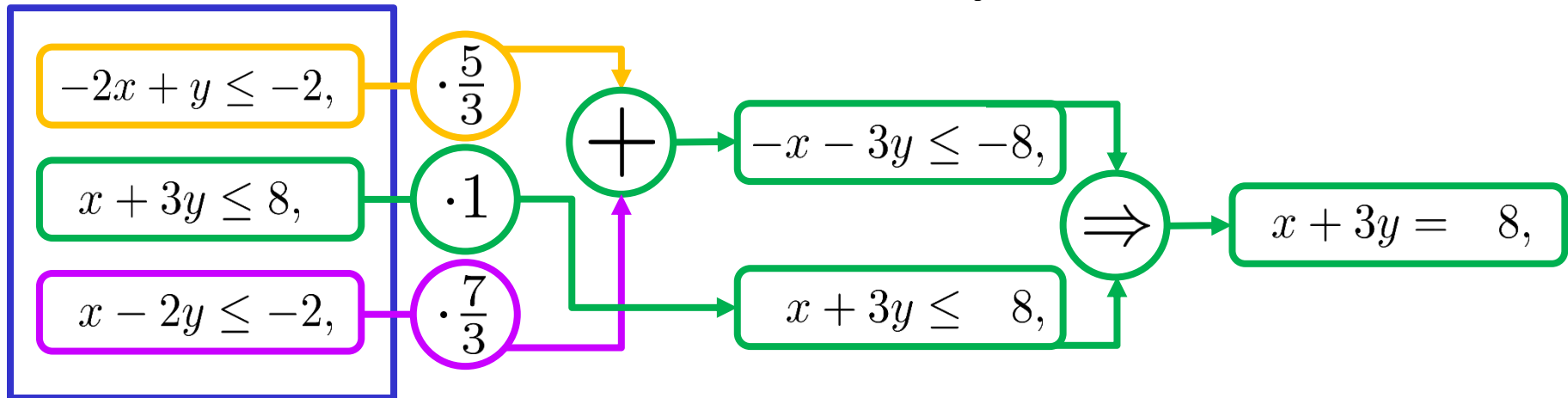
Equality Explanation

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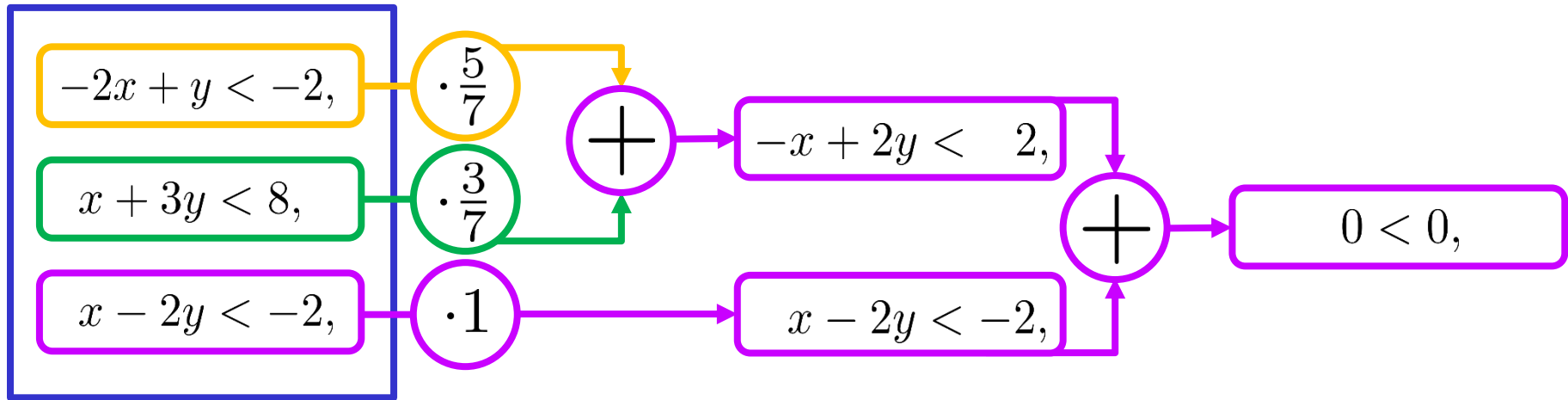
Multiply $\cdot \frac{3}{7}$

original

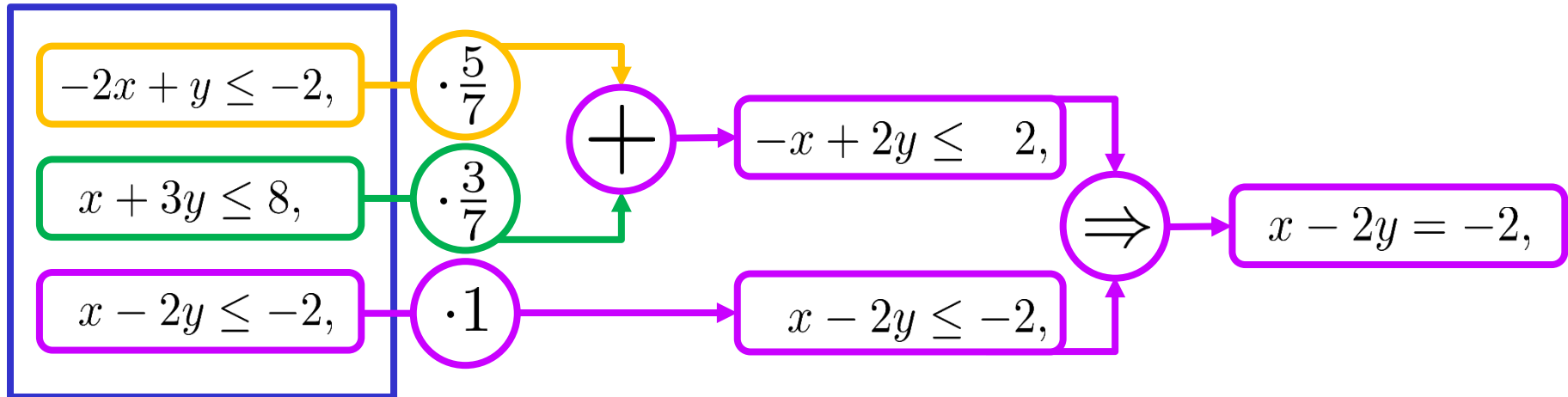


Equality Explanation

strict



original



Equality Test

Original System of Constraints $\mathcal{P}$

actual
inequalities

$$a_i^T \mathbf{x} \leq b_i$$

$$\mathcal{P} \not\rightarrow a_i^T \mathbf{x} = b_i$$

implying
inequalities

$$a_i^T \mathbf{x} \leq b_i$$

$$\mathcal{P} \rightarrow a_i^T \mathbf{x} = b_i$$

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System for Equality Test

Equality Test

Original System of Constraints $\mathcal{P}$

actual
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Satisfiable Assignment for $\mathcal{P}$

$$x \mapsto 1 \quad y \mapsto 2 \quad v \mapsto 1$$

$$2y \geq 2v - x, \Leftrightarrow 2 \cdot 2 \geq 2 \cdot 1 - 1, \Leftrightarrow 4 \geq 3,$$

$$y \geq 2x, \Leftrightarrow 2 \geq 2 \cdot 1, \Leftrightarrow 2 \geq 2,$$

Equality Test

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System for Equality Test

Computing an Equality Basis

original

$$\begin{aligned}2u &\geq 2 + v - x, \\3u &\leq 8 - v - 4x, \\u &\leq -2 + 2v + x, \\2y &\leq 9 + 3u - 2x, \\2y &\geq 2v - x, \\y &\leq 4 - v - u, \\y &\geq 2x,\end{aligned}$$

sat

strict

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unsat

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$$2u = 2 + v - x,$$

substitutions

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$$u \stackrel{?}{=} v \Leftrightarrow u = -2 + 2u + x \Leftrightarrow 2 - x = 2 - x \Leftrightarrow 0 = 0$$

Nelson-
Oppen



Conclusions

Finding Equalities:

$Ax \leq b \xrightarrow{\text{green}} Ax < b \xrightarrow{\text{red}} \text{Conflict} \Rightarrow \text{Equality}$

A Basis for Equalities:

$Ax \leq b \xrightarrow{\text{green}} Ax < b \xrightarrow{\text{red}} \text{Equality} \Rightarrow \text{Basis}$

Substitution

Applications:

- Simplify for LIA
- Nelson-Oppen for LRA

Thank you for your attention!

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Equality Test

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Equality Basis

$$a_i^T \mathbf{x} = b_i \quad \text{for } i \in I \subseteq \{1, \dots, m\}$$

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