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Global track finding algorithms

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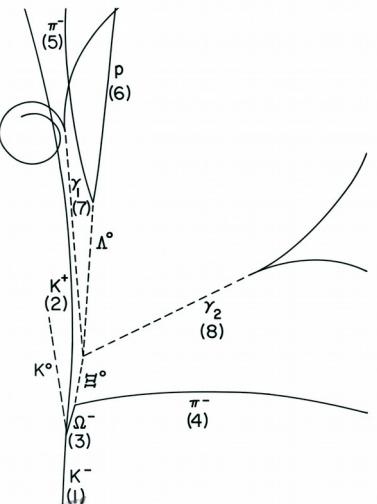
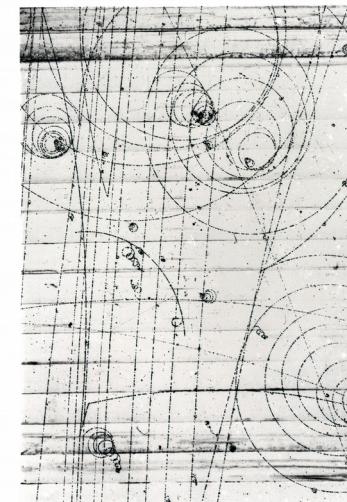
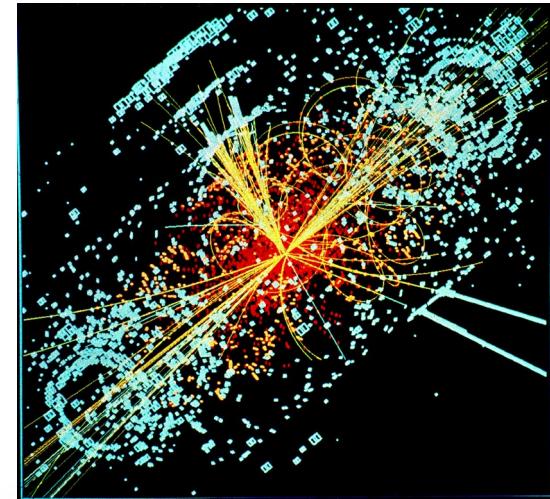
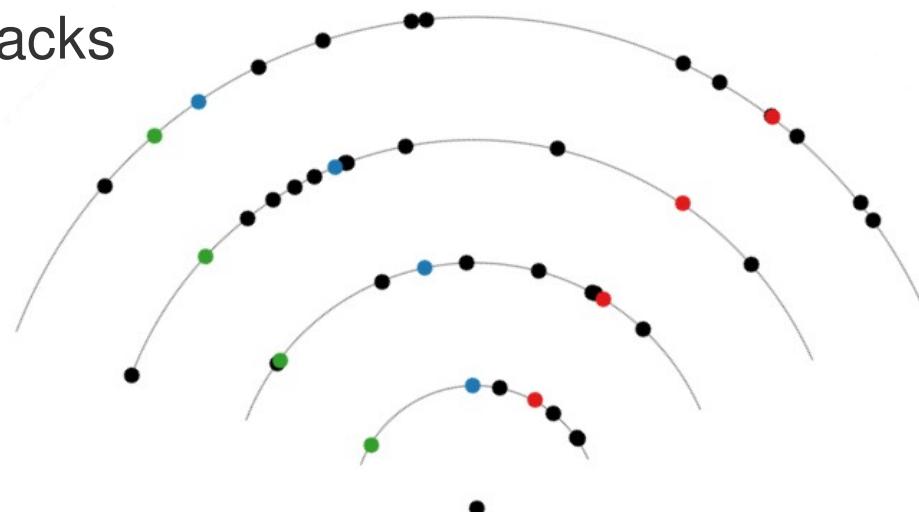
Who am I

- ▶ Belle II experiment, Japan
 - e+e- collider
 - B physics
- ▶ Search for magnetic monopoles
 - Non-helical tracking
- ▶ “Physics” background

Introduction

Physics

- ▶ Fundamental laws govern collisions
- ▶ Final state particles are all we get
- ▶ Charged particles produce tracks
 - Set of points (x,y,z) in space
- ▶ Disentangle all hits into subsets
- ▶ Fit tracks



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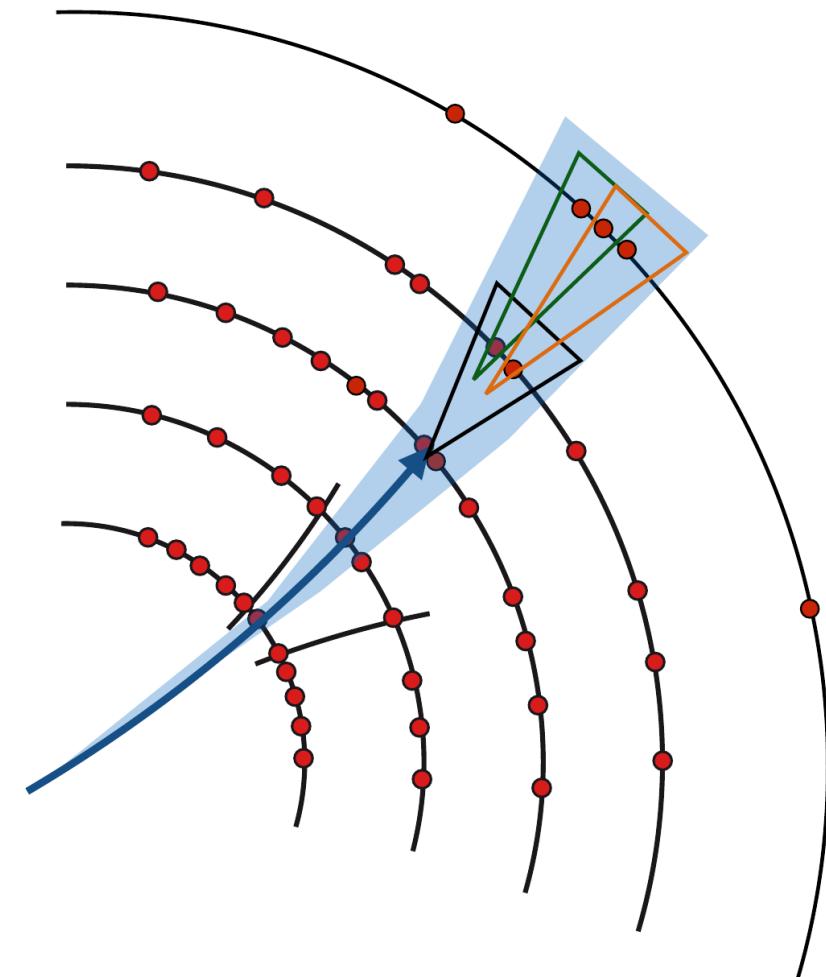
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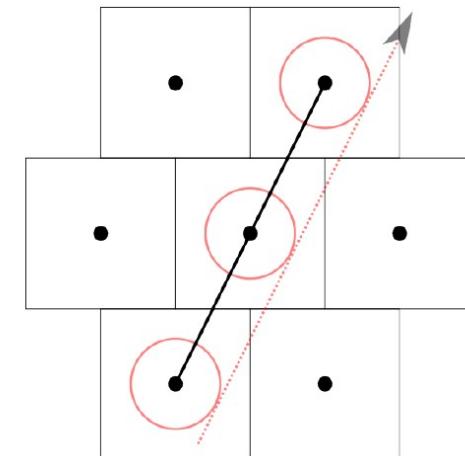
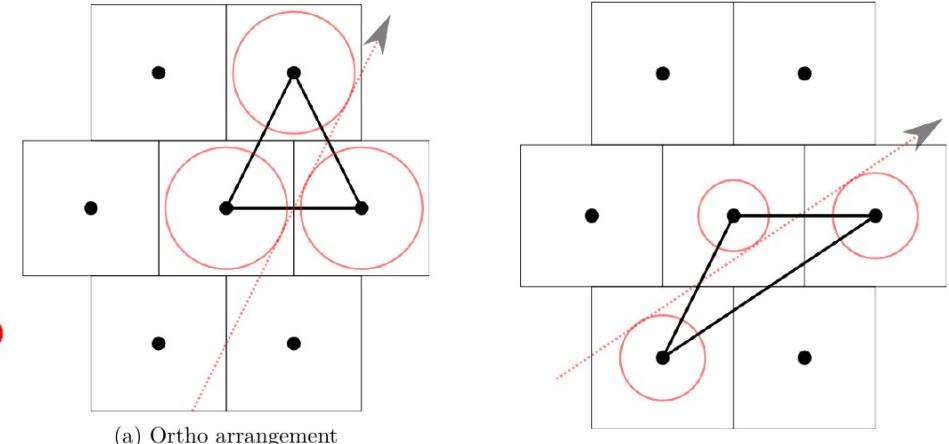
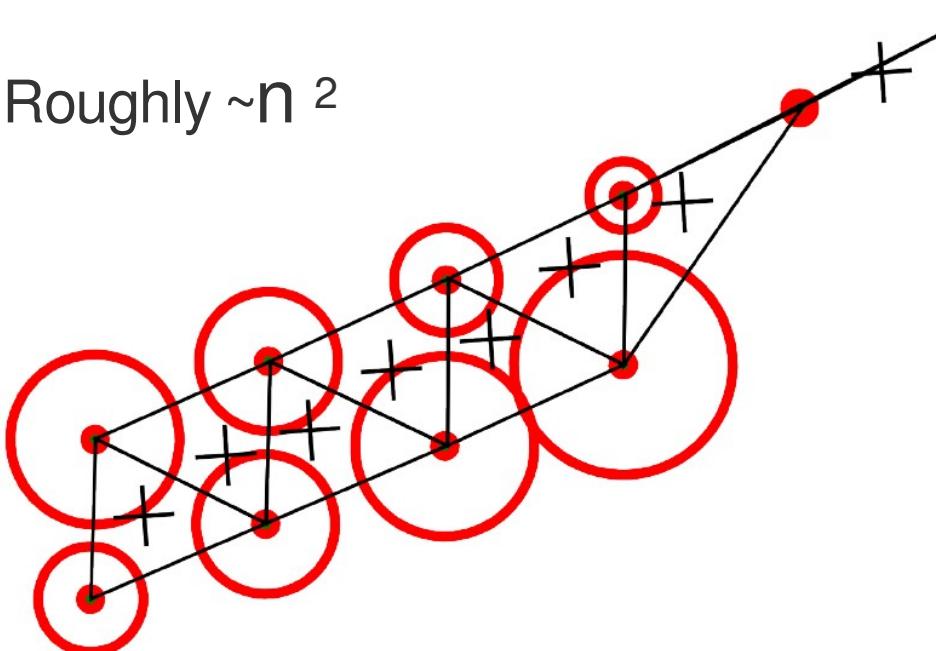
Track seeding and following

- ▶ Seed track window
- ▶ Find hits compatible with the track
- ▶ Update and advance to new layer
- ▶ Smart filters
- ▶ Roughly $\sim n^{2-3}$



Cellular automaton

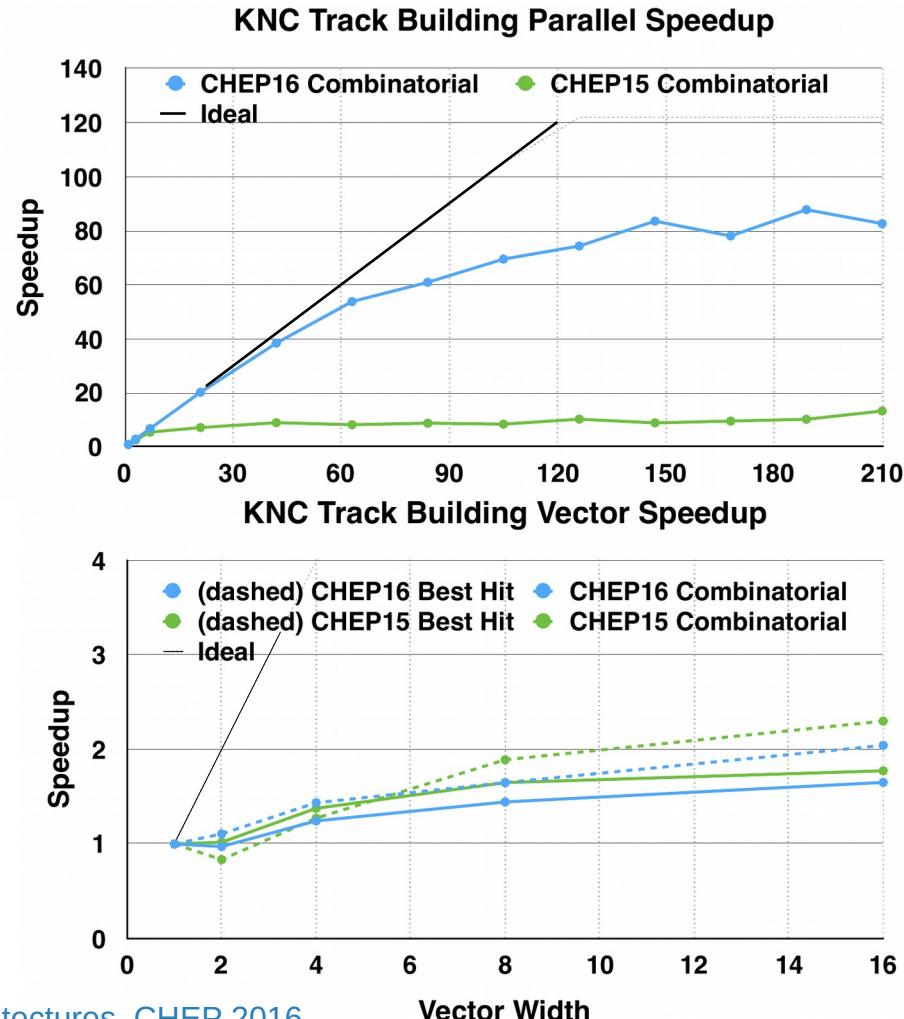
- ▶ Build clusters
- ▶ Build segments
- ▶ Build tracks
- ▶ Roughly $\sim n^2$



Speedup

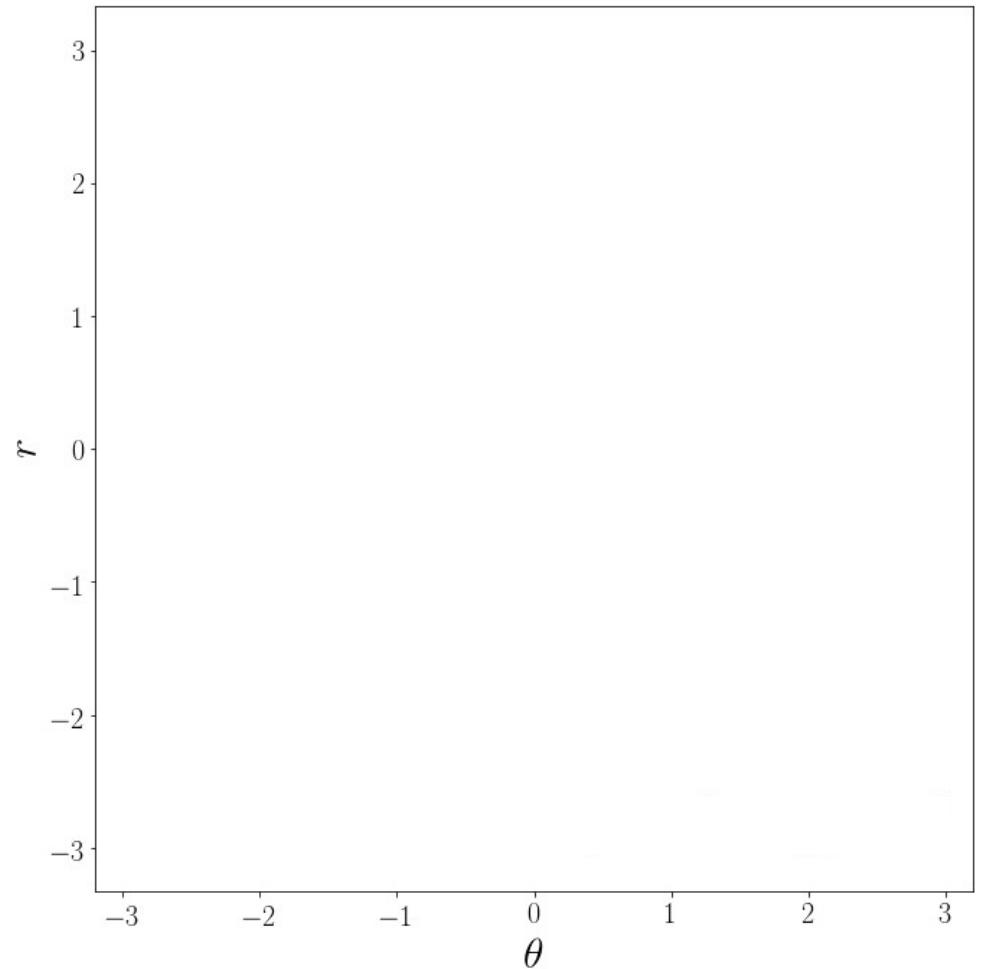
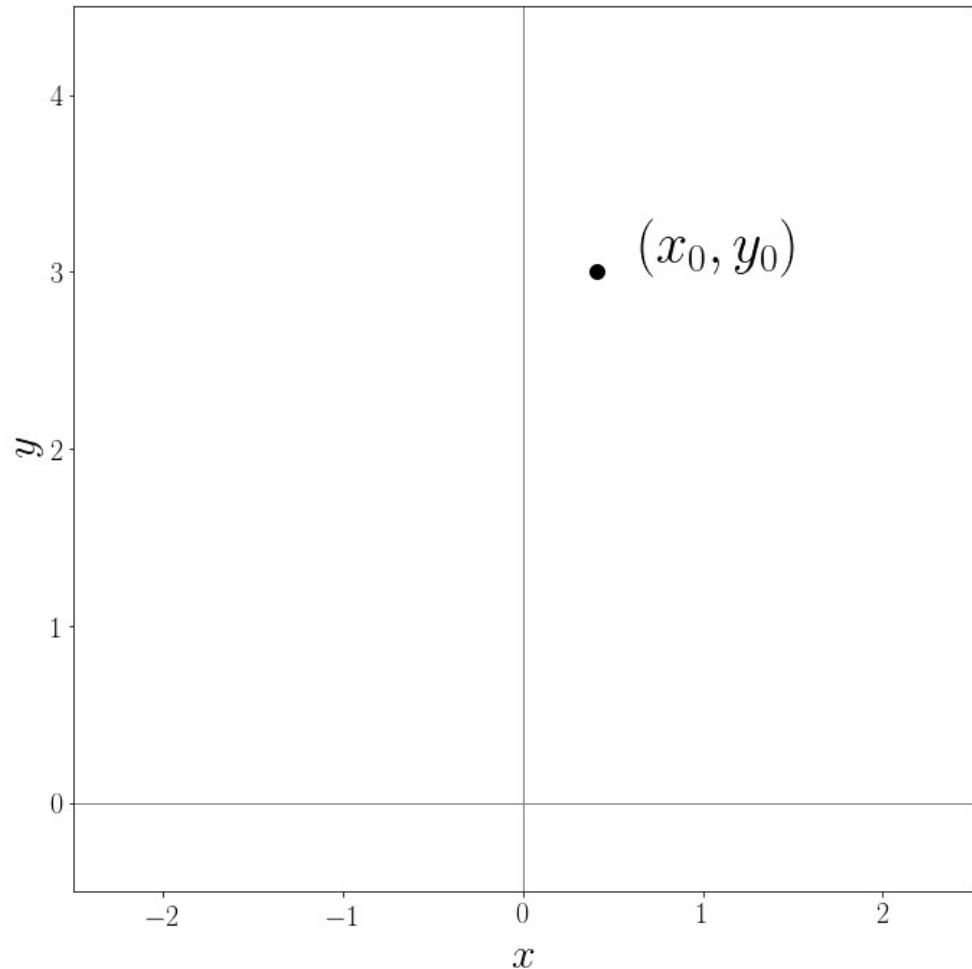
- ▶ Can be parallelised well

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	Xeon E5-2620 Sandy Bridge (SNB)	Xeon Phi 7120P Knights Corner (KNC)	Xeon Phi 7230 Knights Landing (KNL)	Tesla K40
Logical Cores	6x2x2	61x4	64x4	2880 CUDA cores
Clock rate	2.5 GHz	1.24 GHz	1.3 GHz	875 MHz
GFLOPS	120	1208	2660	1430
SIMD width	256 bits	512 bits	2x512 bits	32 thread warp
Memory	~64-384 GB	16 GB	16 & 384 GB	12 GB
Bandwidth	42.6 GB/s	352 GB/s	475 & 90 GB/s	288 GB/s



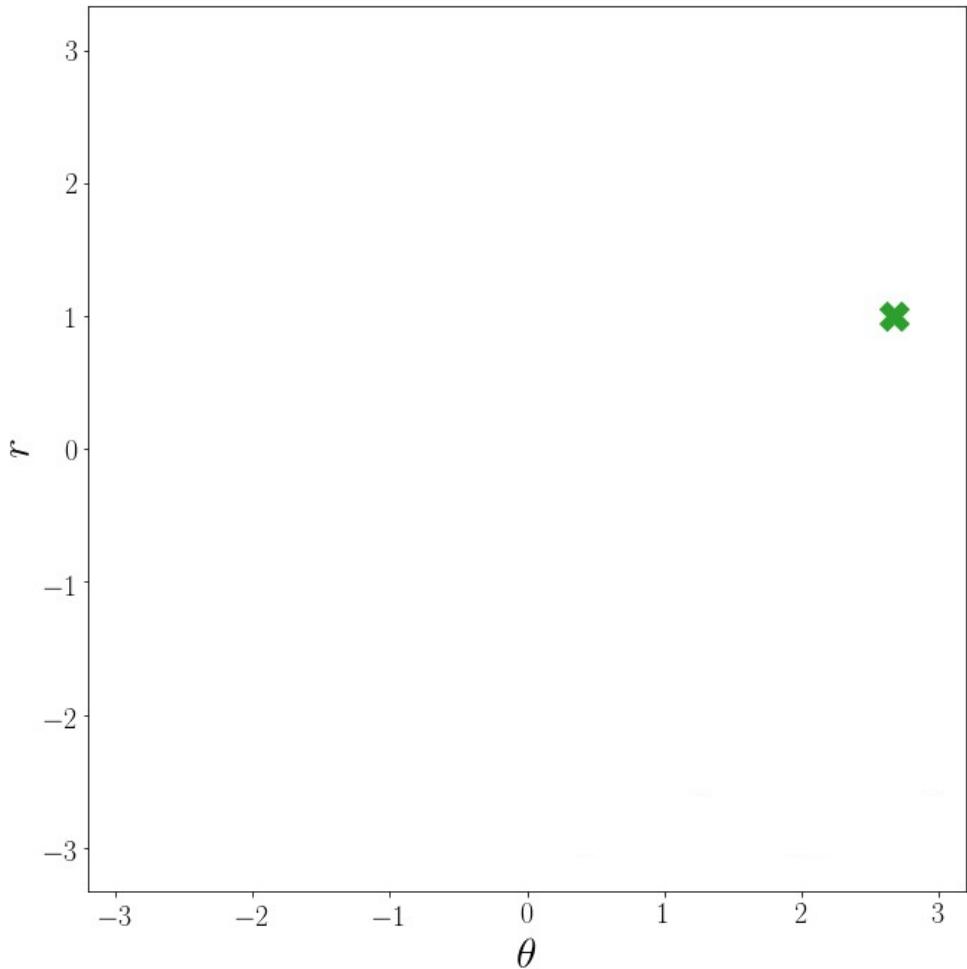
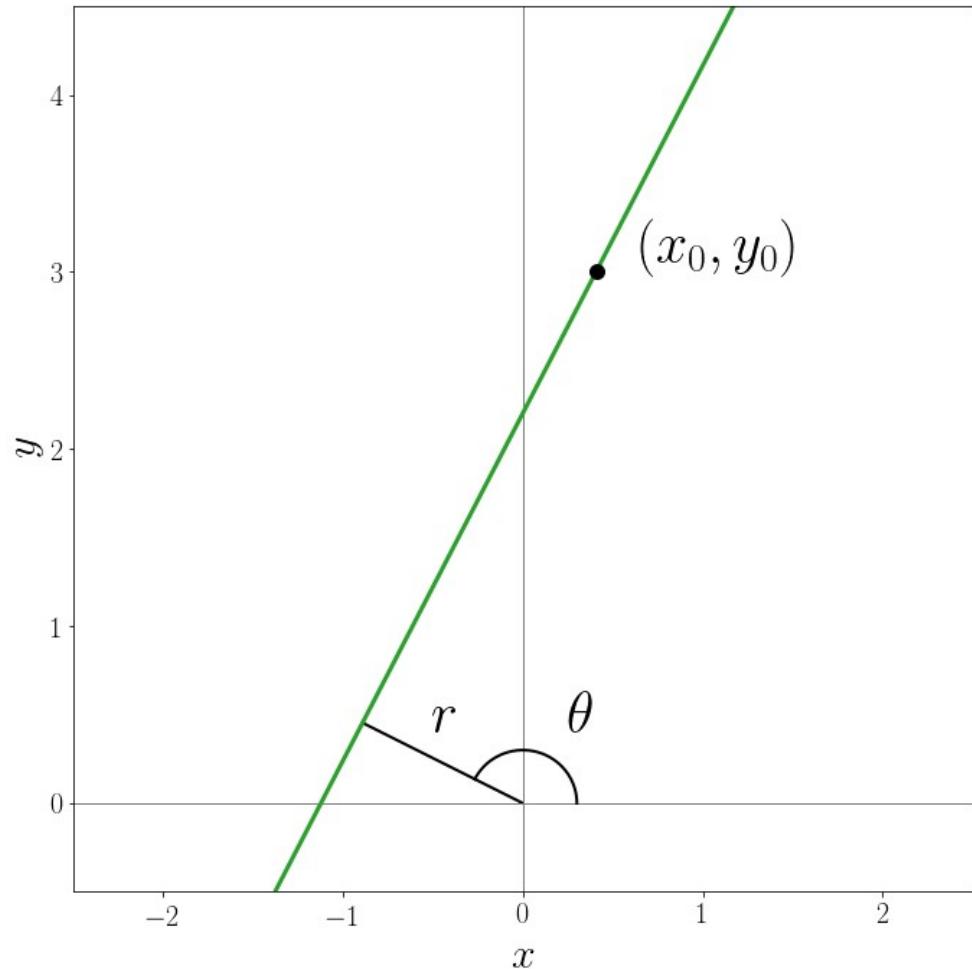
Global track finding

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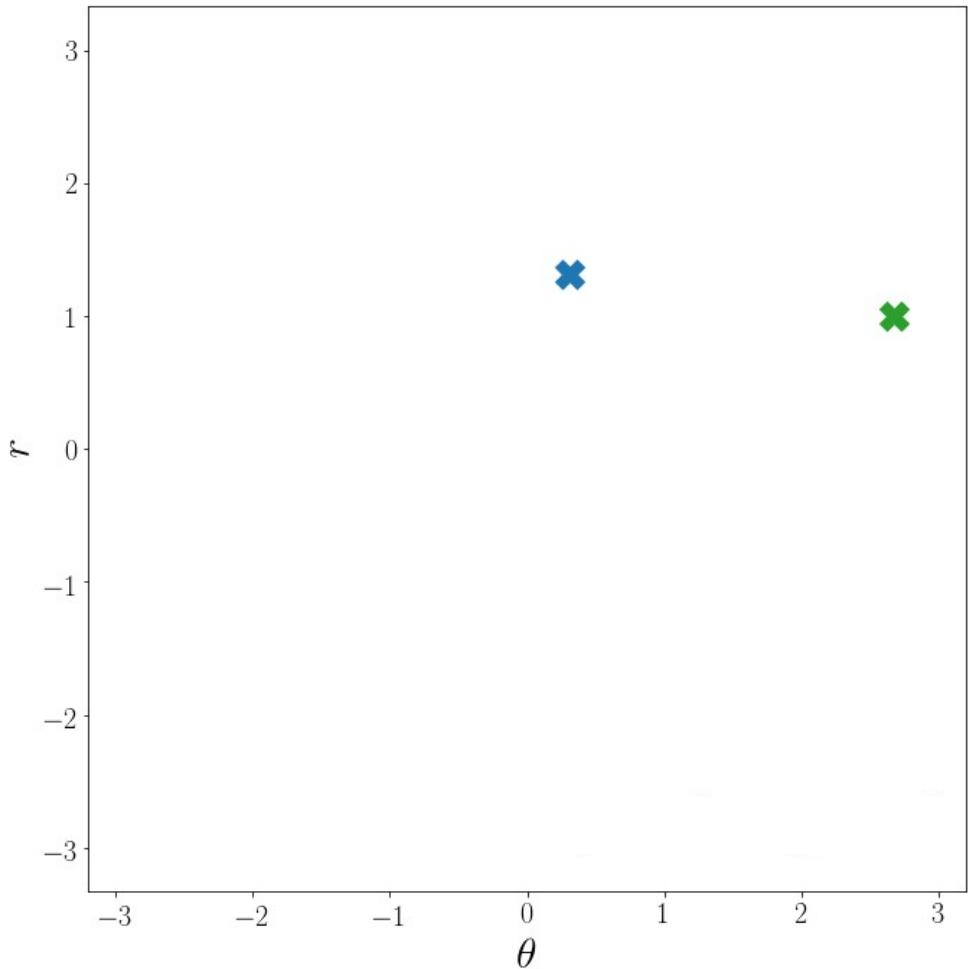
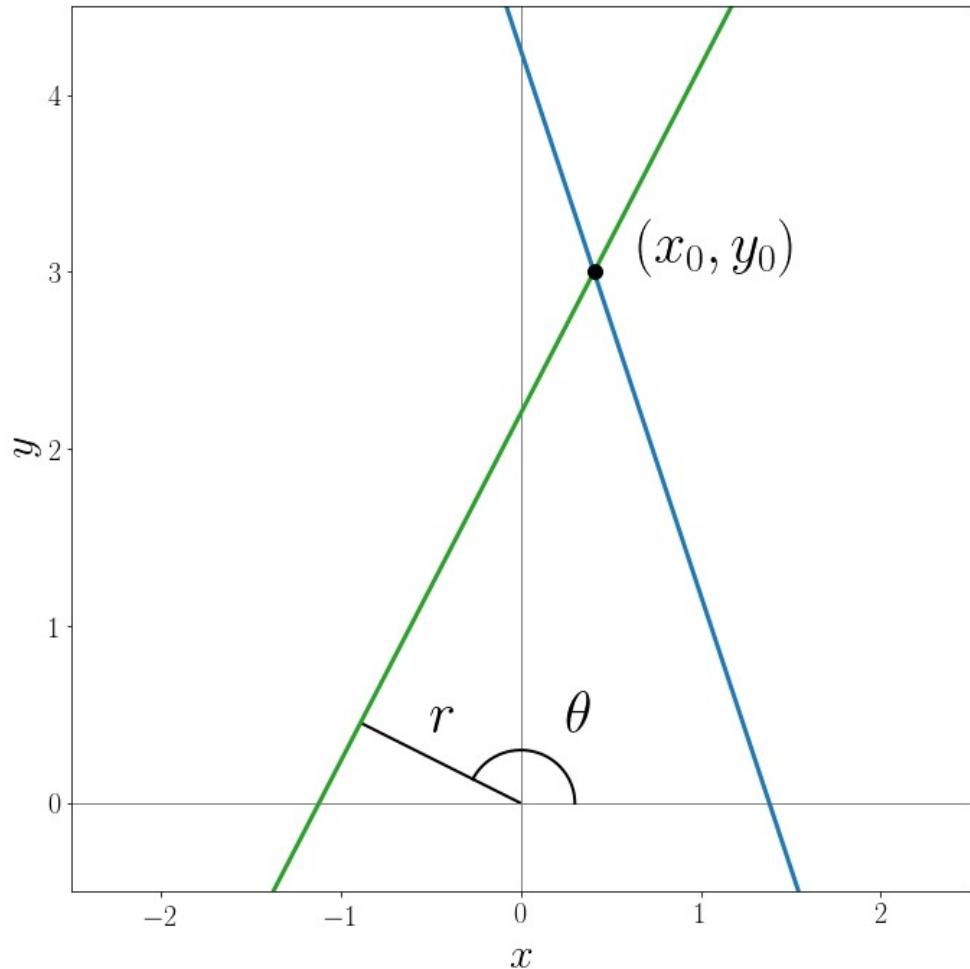


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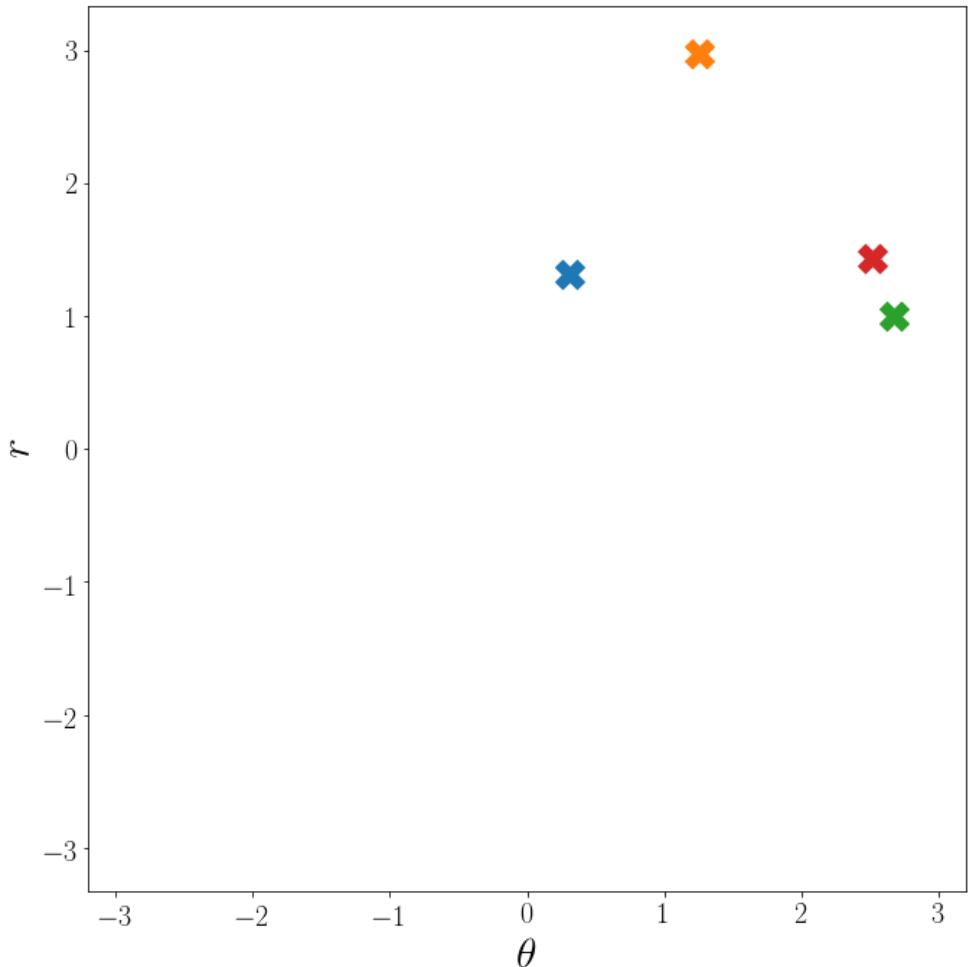
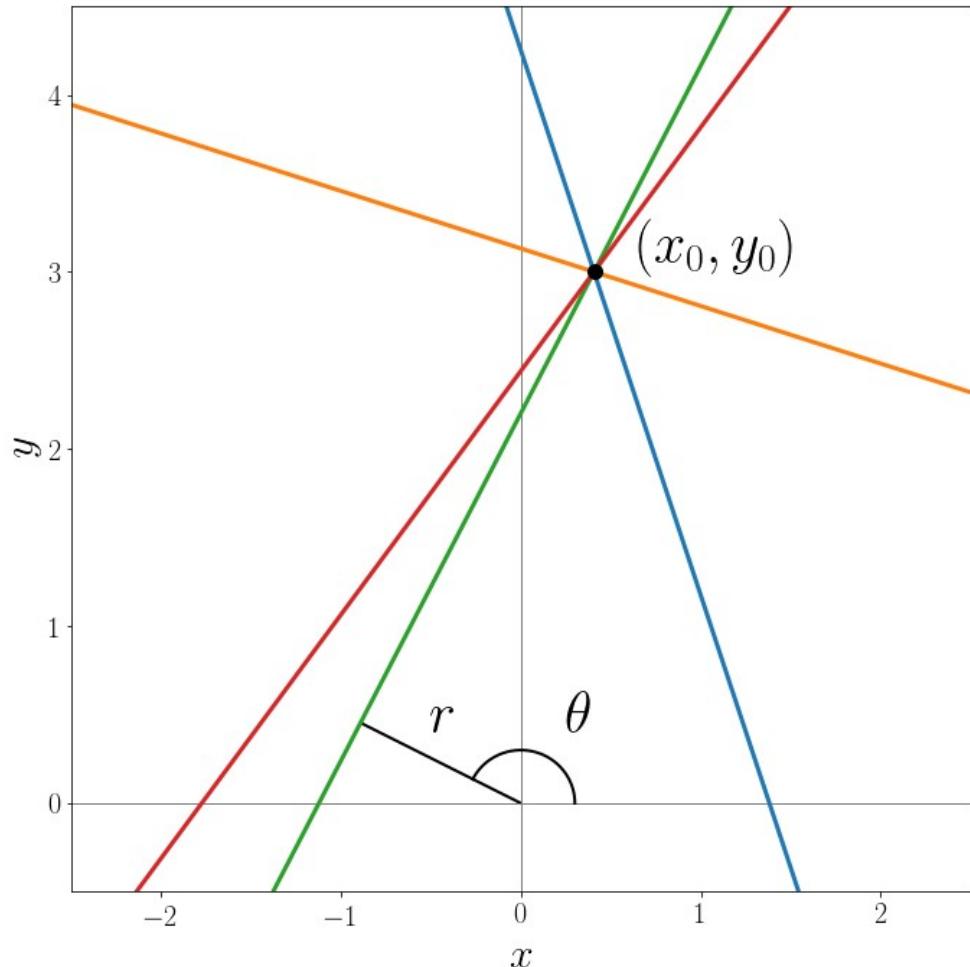
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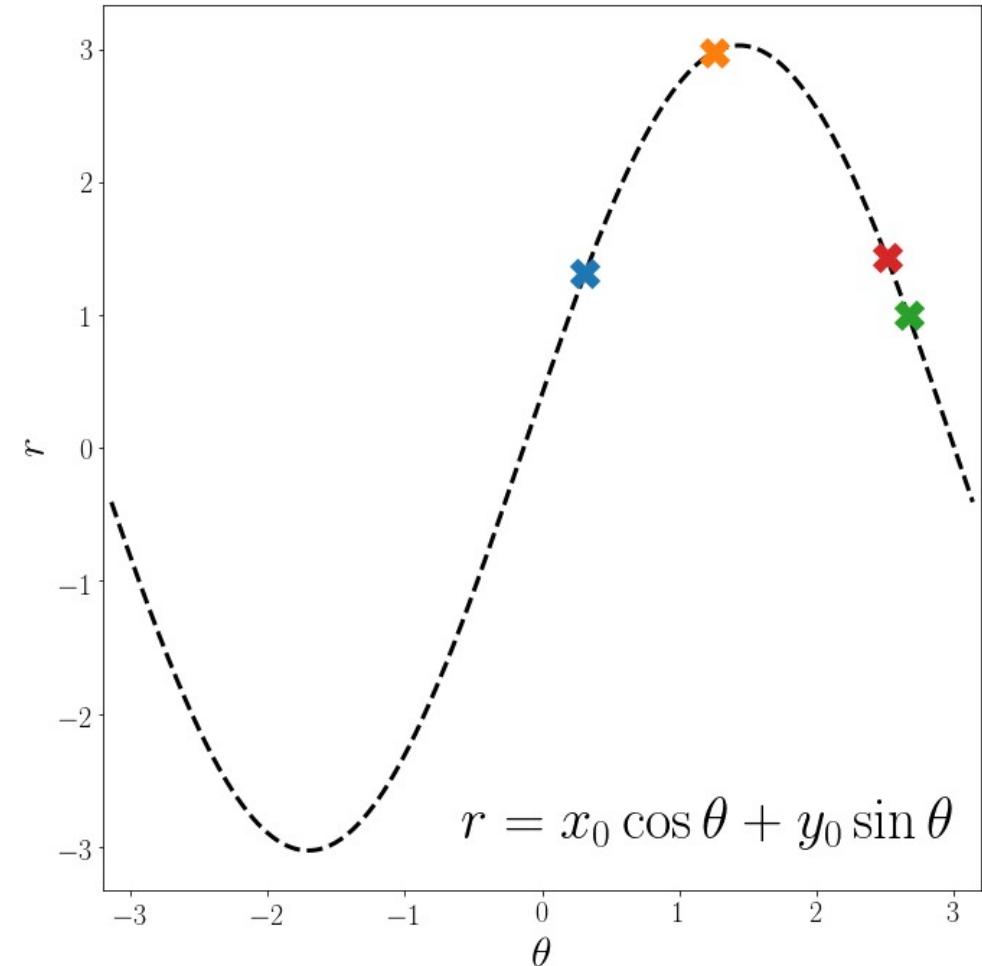
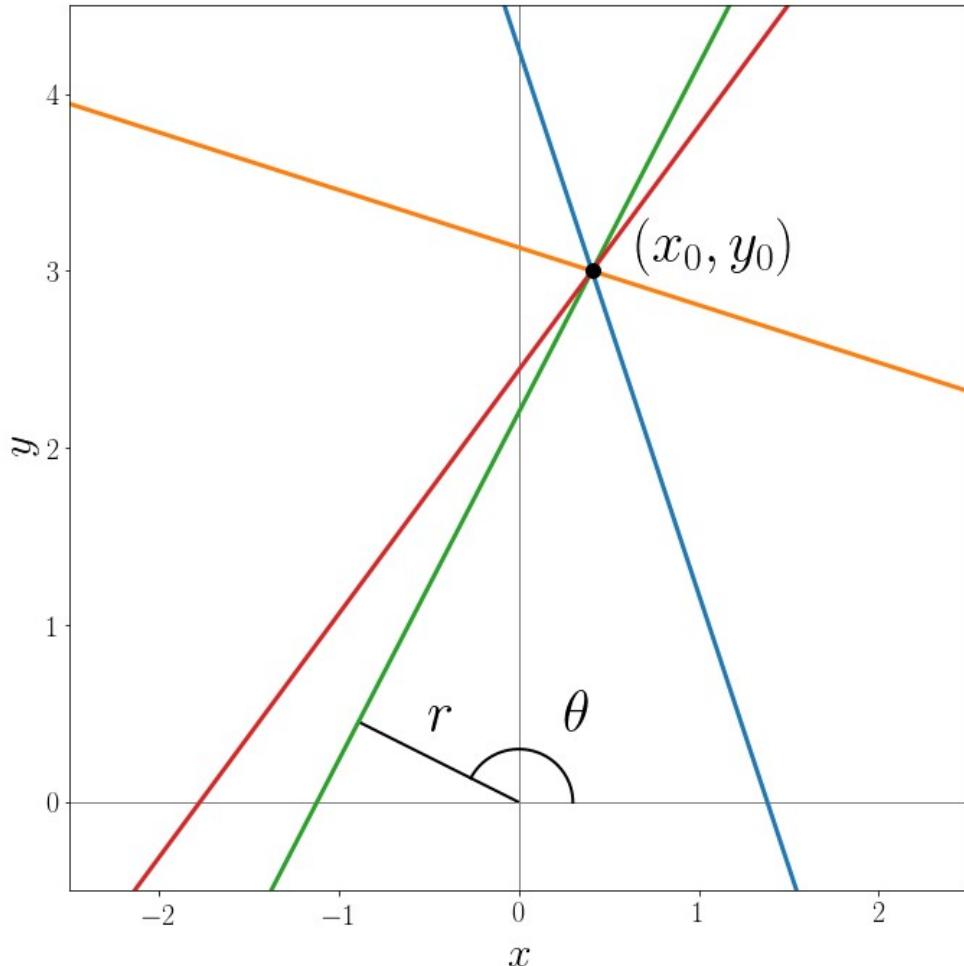


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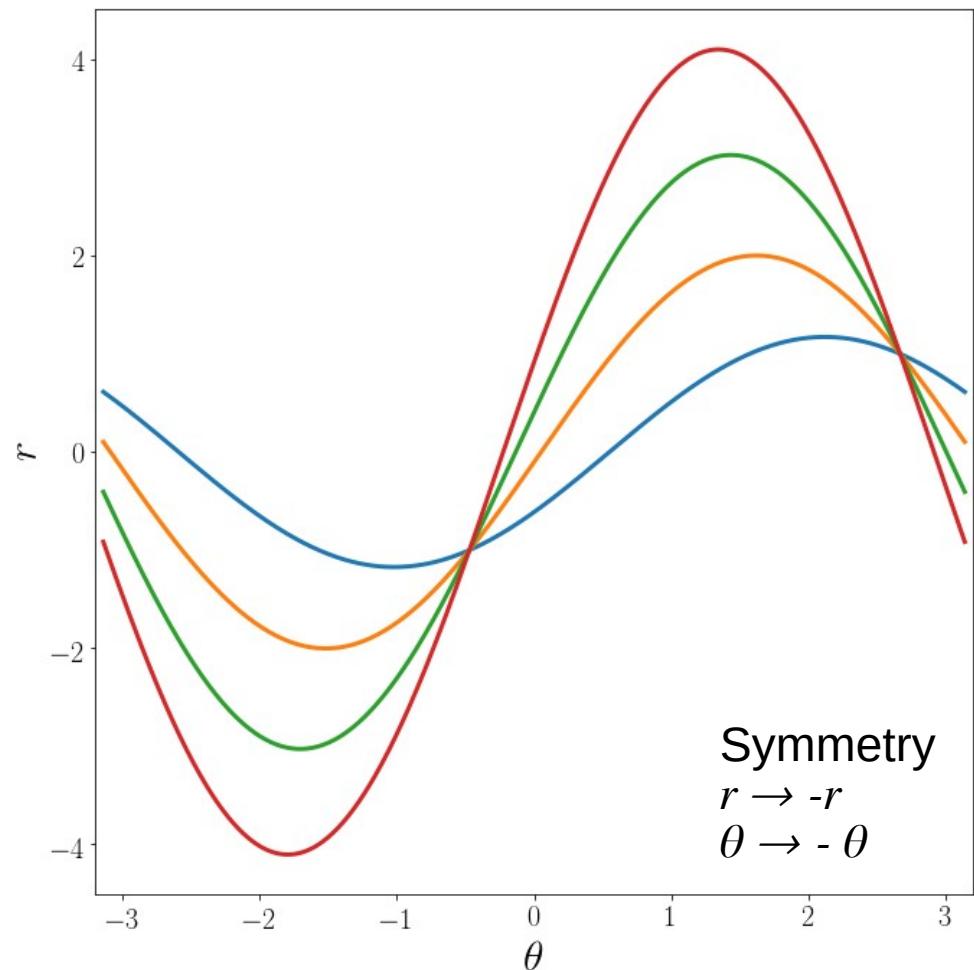
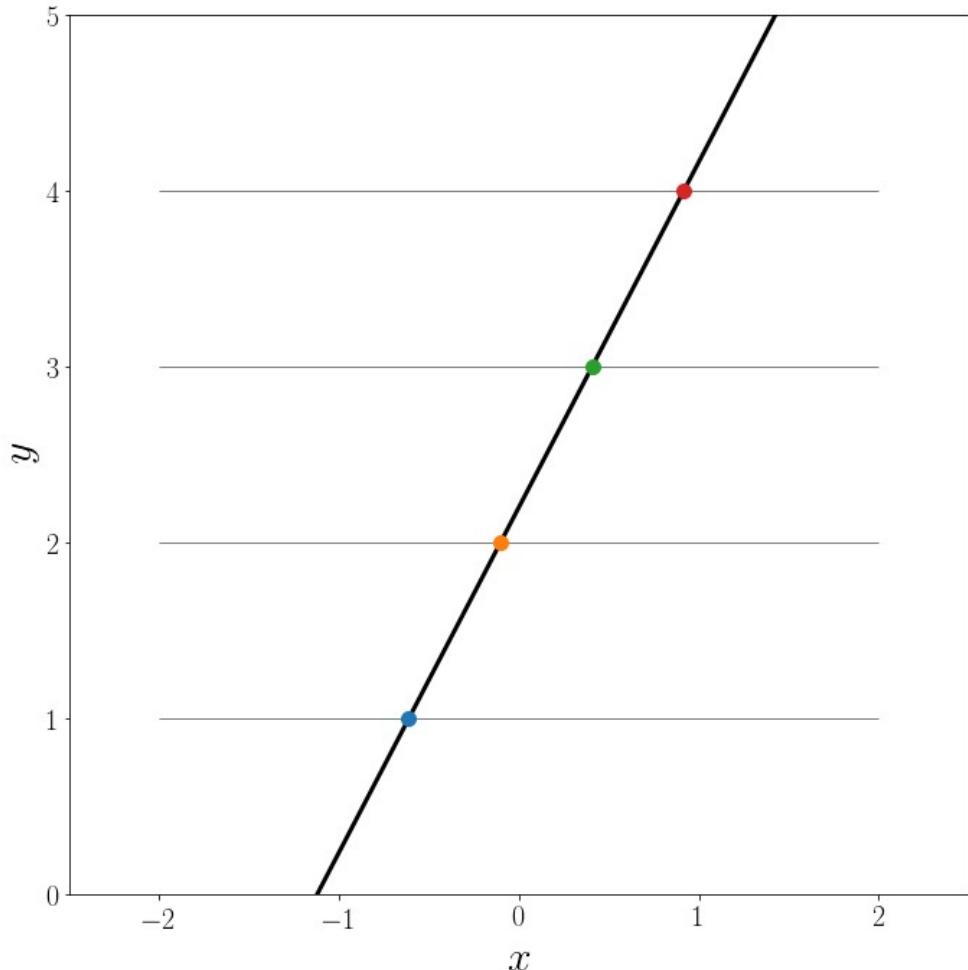
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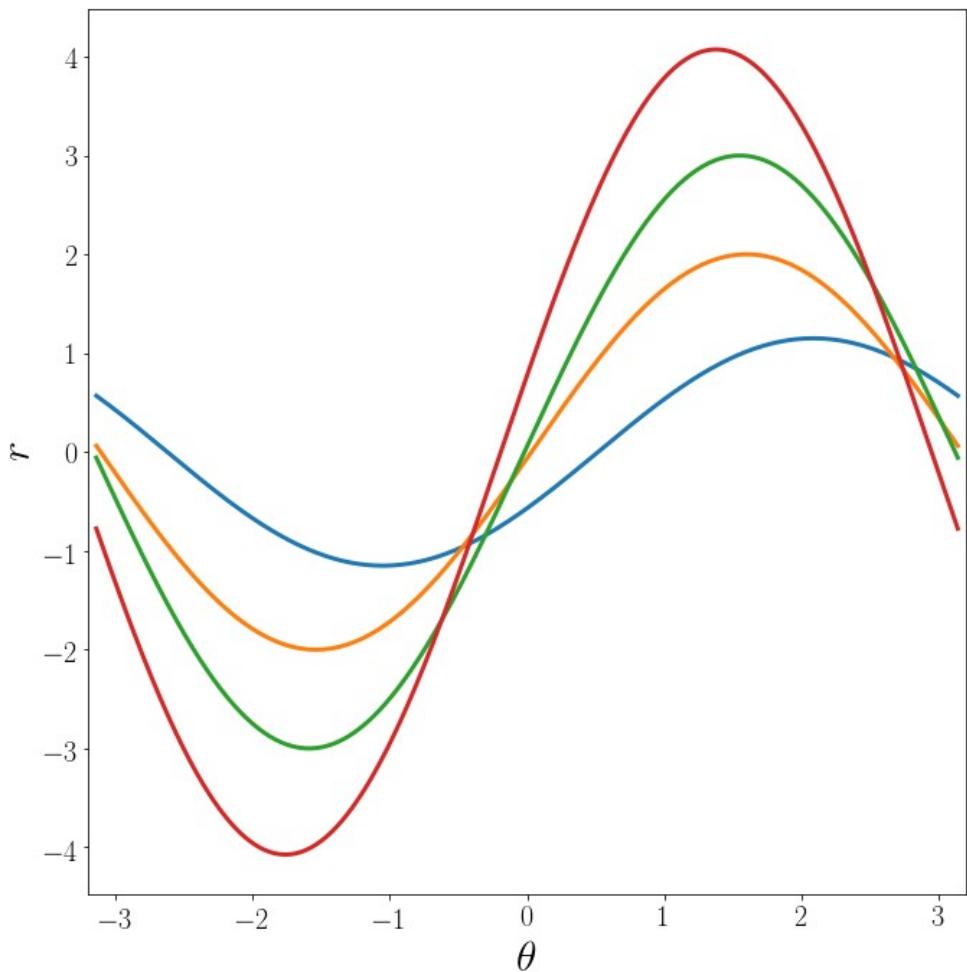
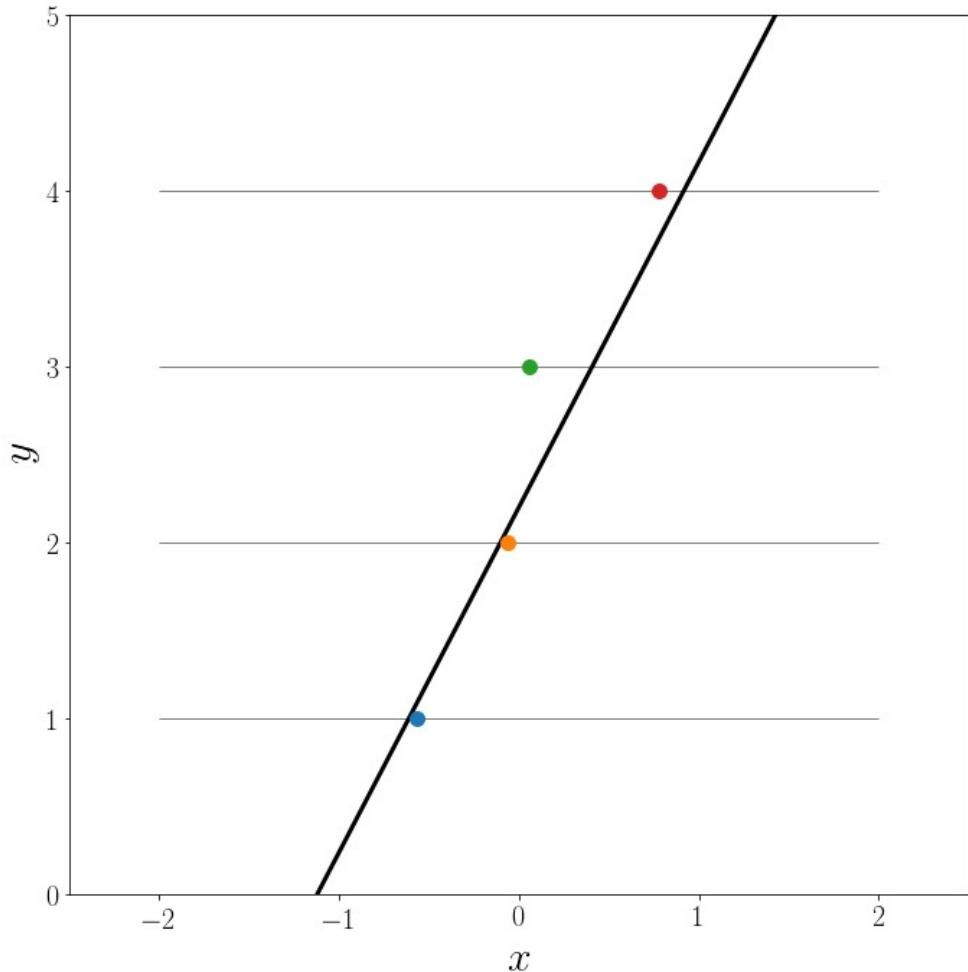
Hough transform: finding a line

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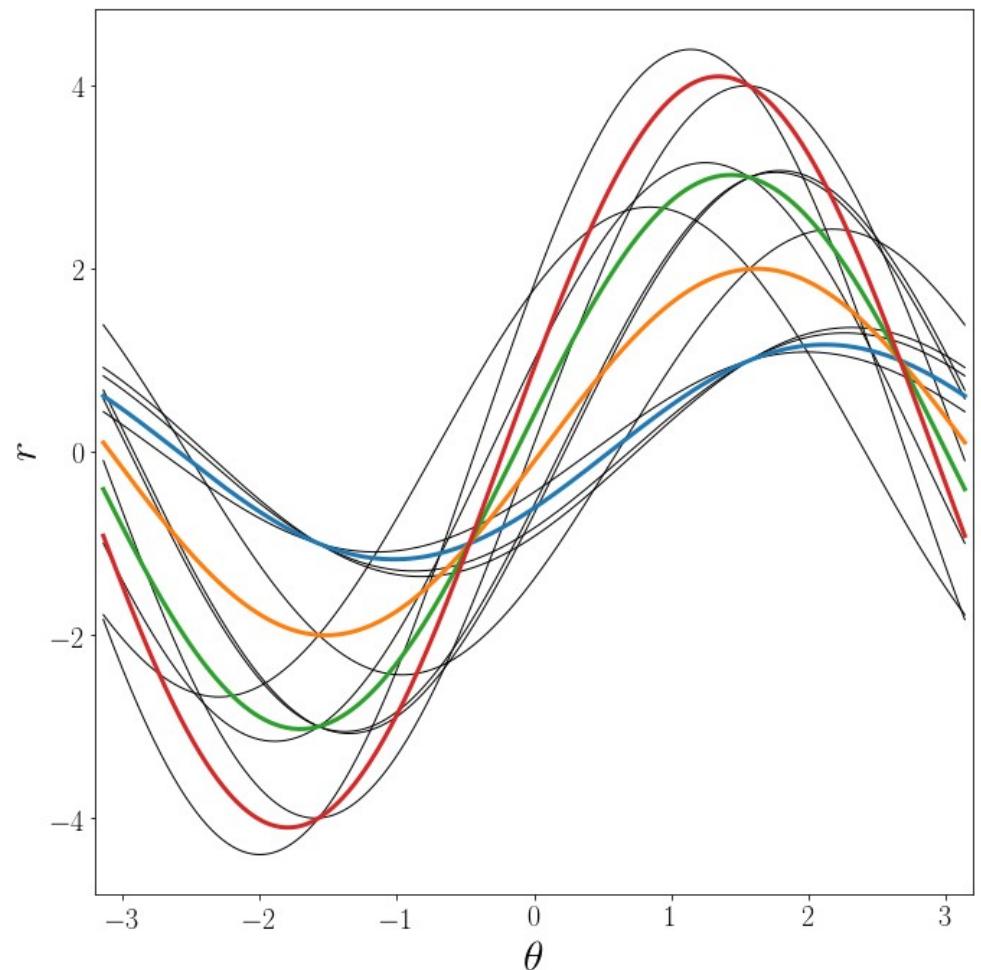
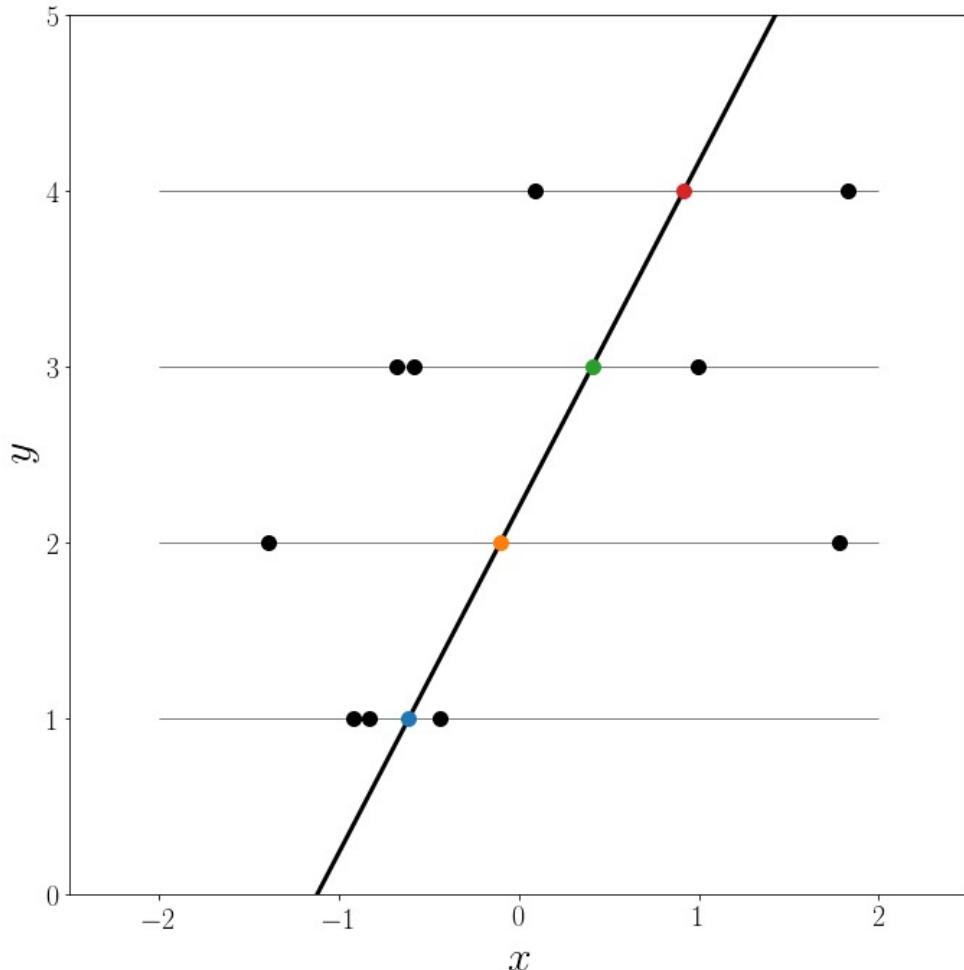
Hough transform: errors

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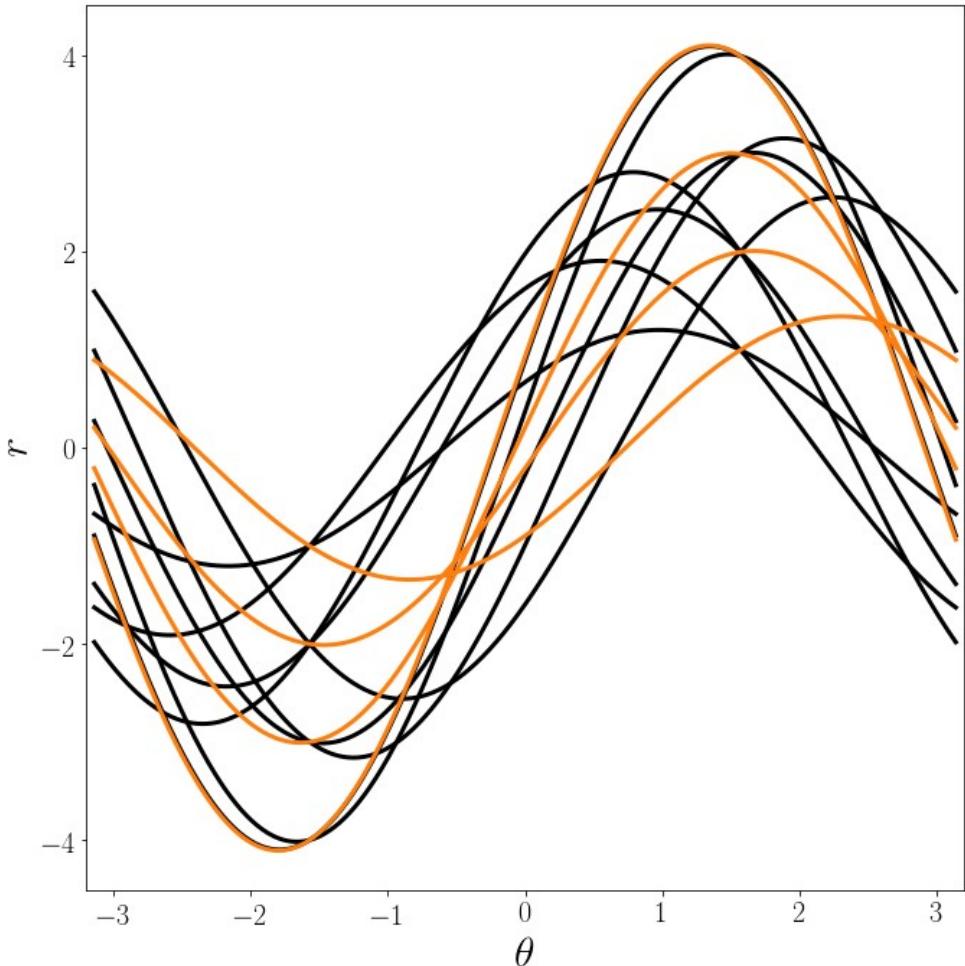
Hough transform: noise

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Hough transform summary

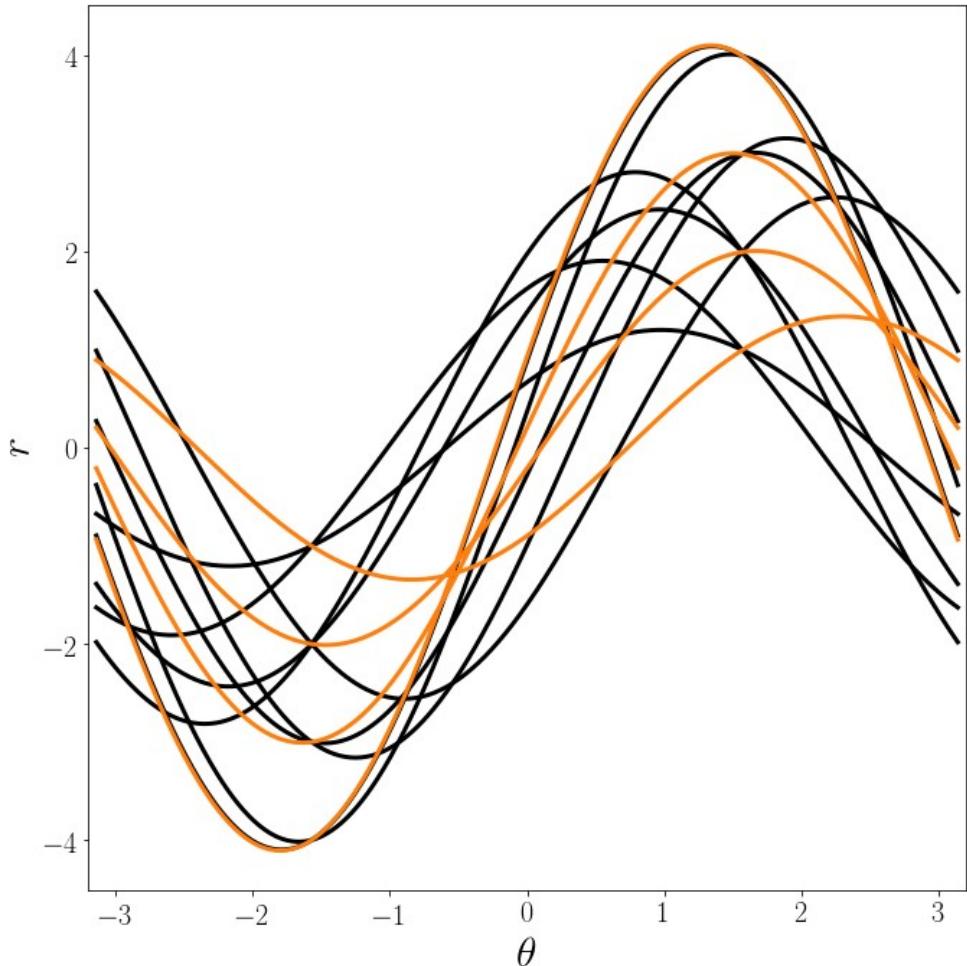
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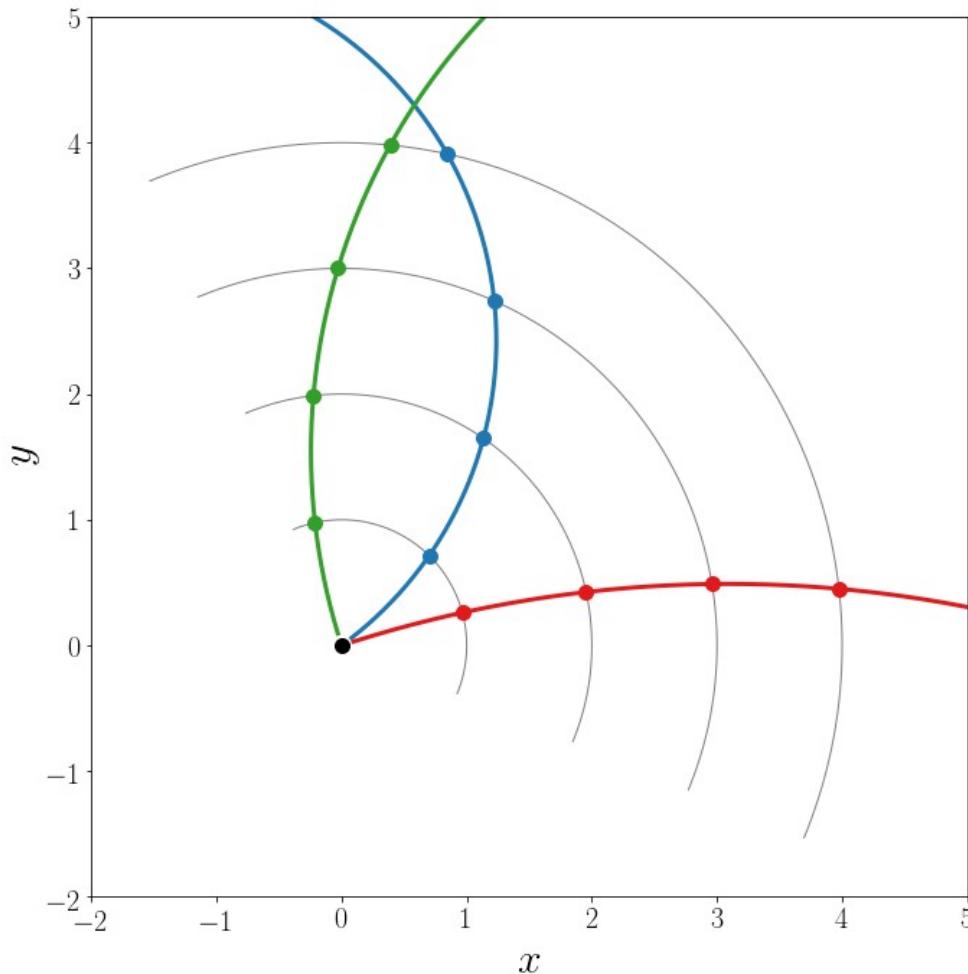
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- ▶ Pattern finding translated to finding most dense regions in hough space
- ▶ Basic idea behind global track finders
- ▶ Can be extended

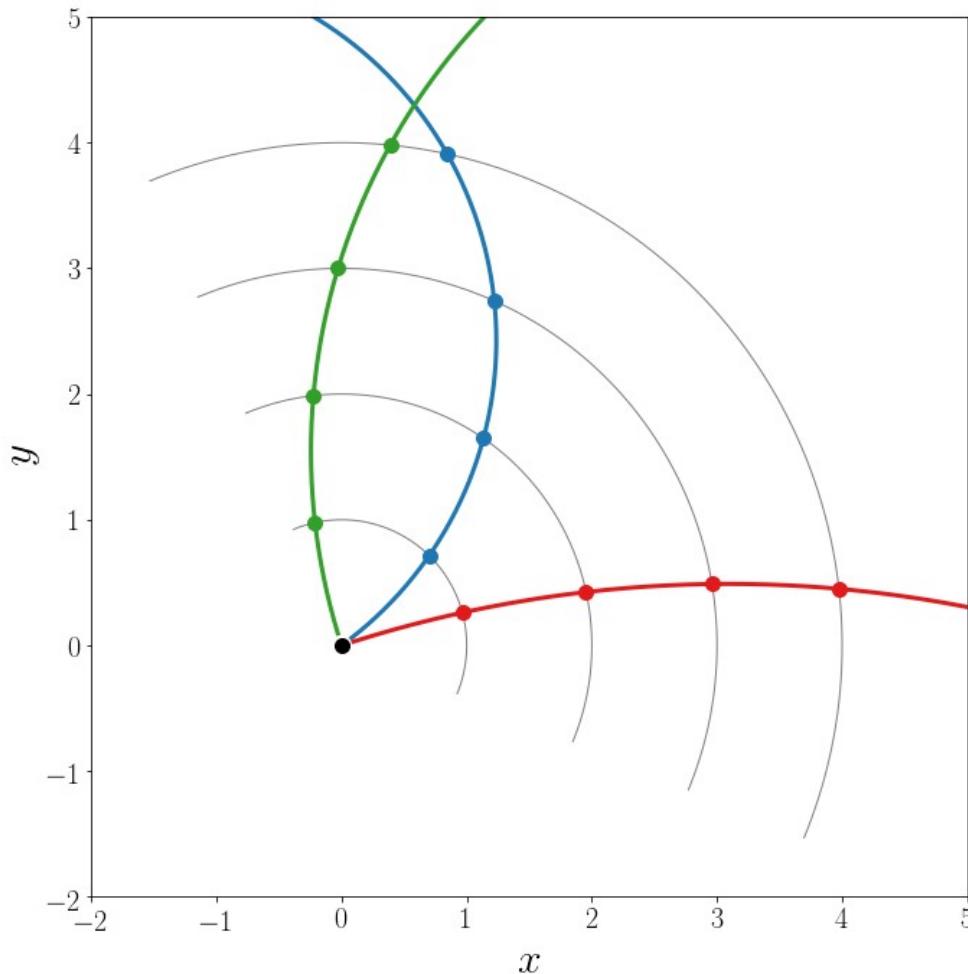


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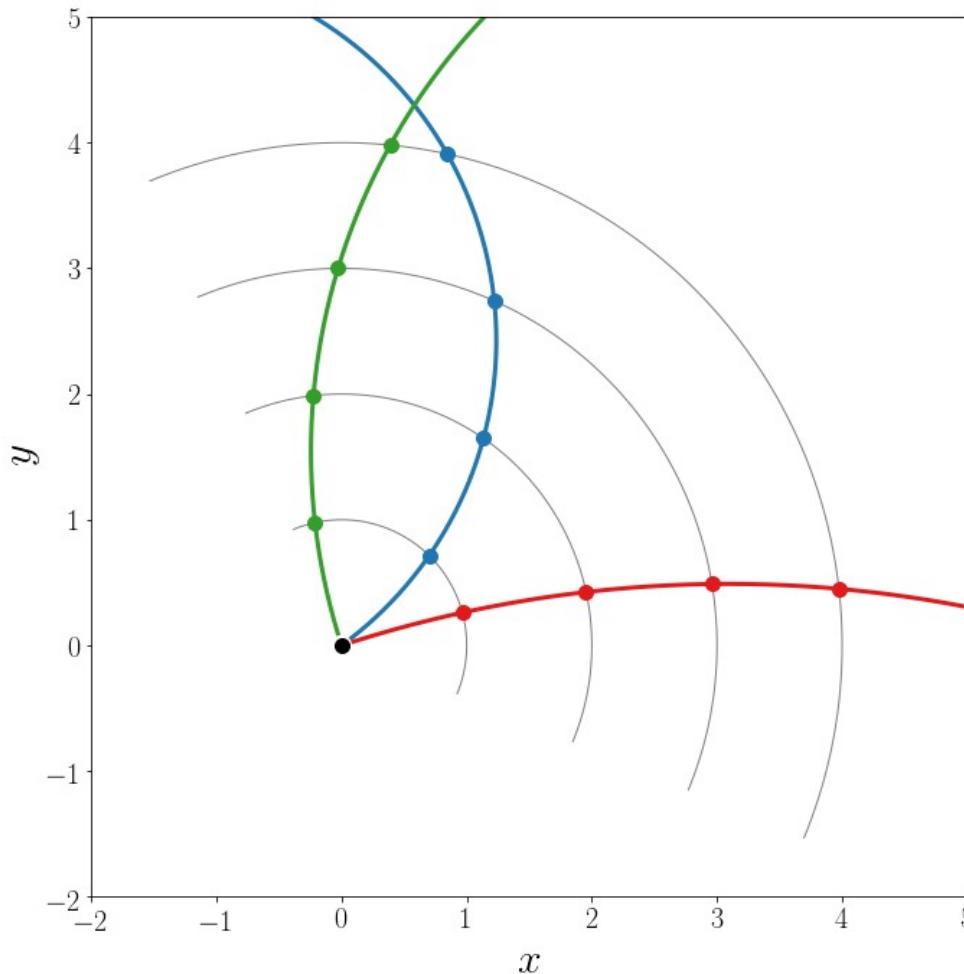
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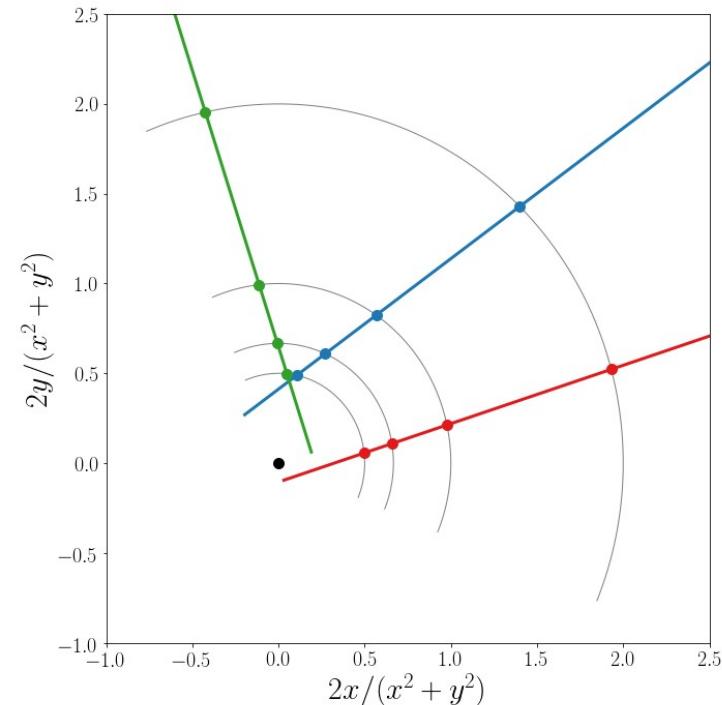
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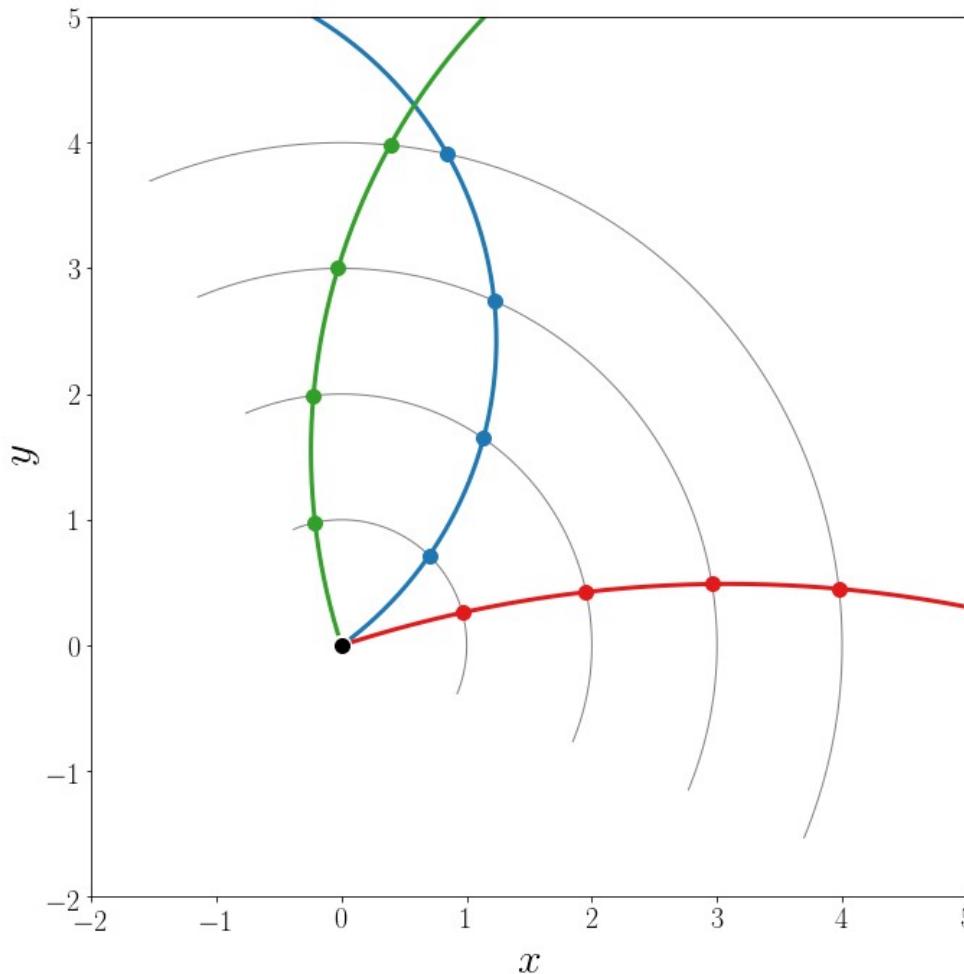


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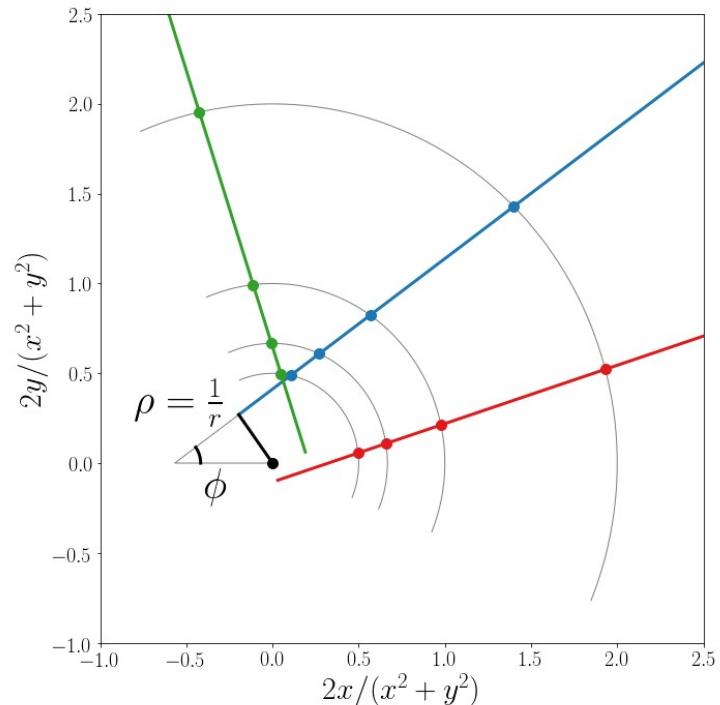
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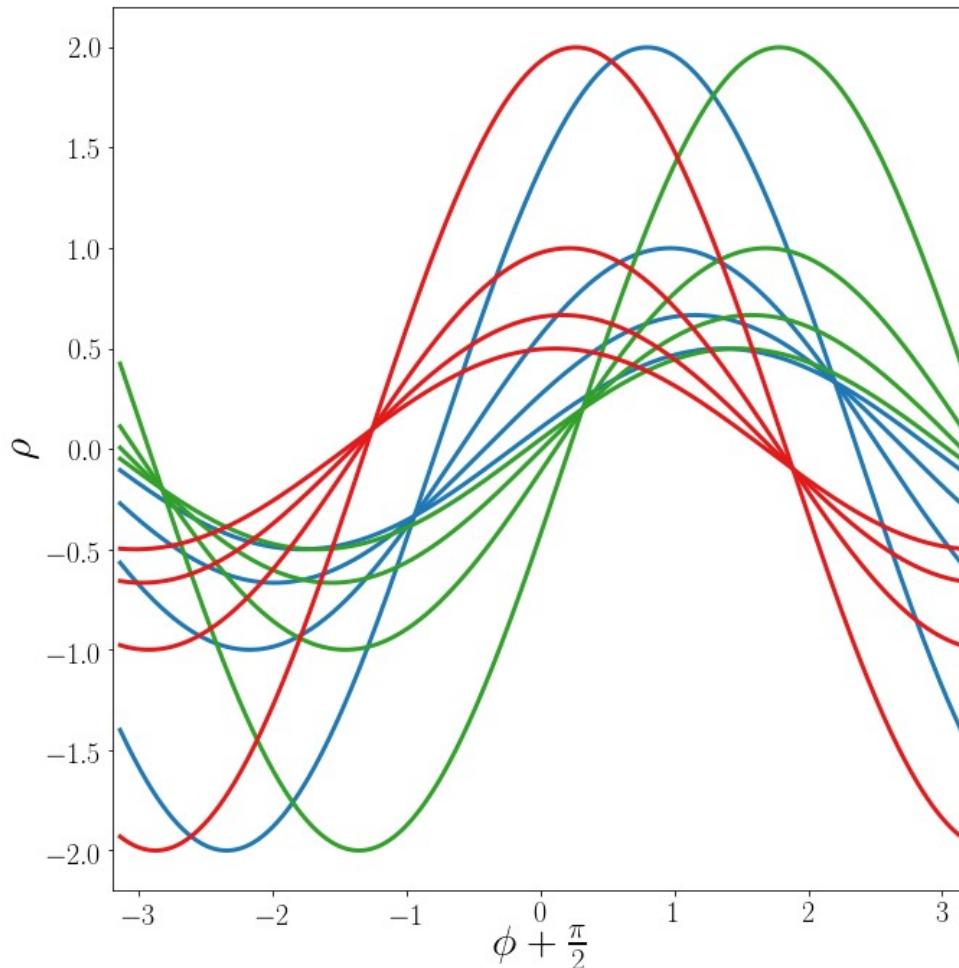
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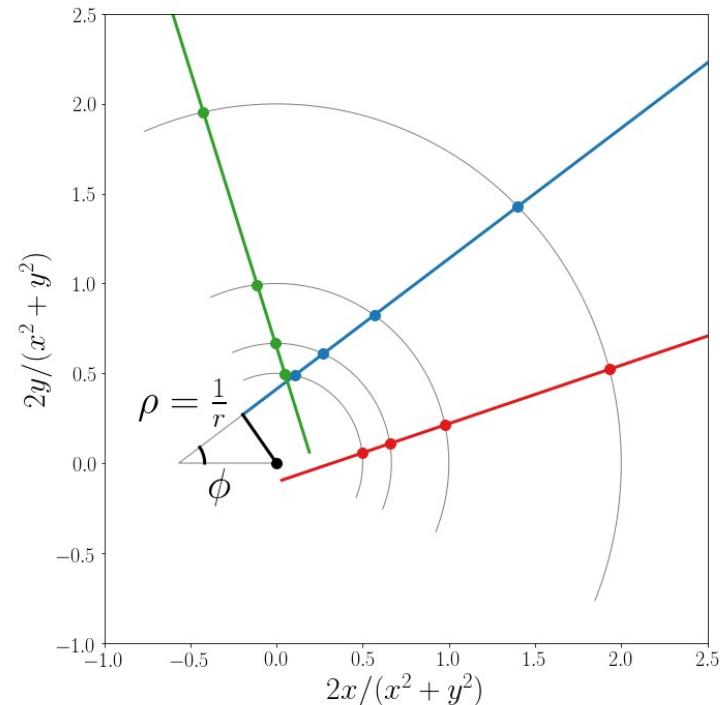
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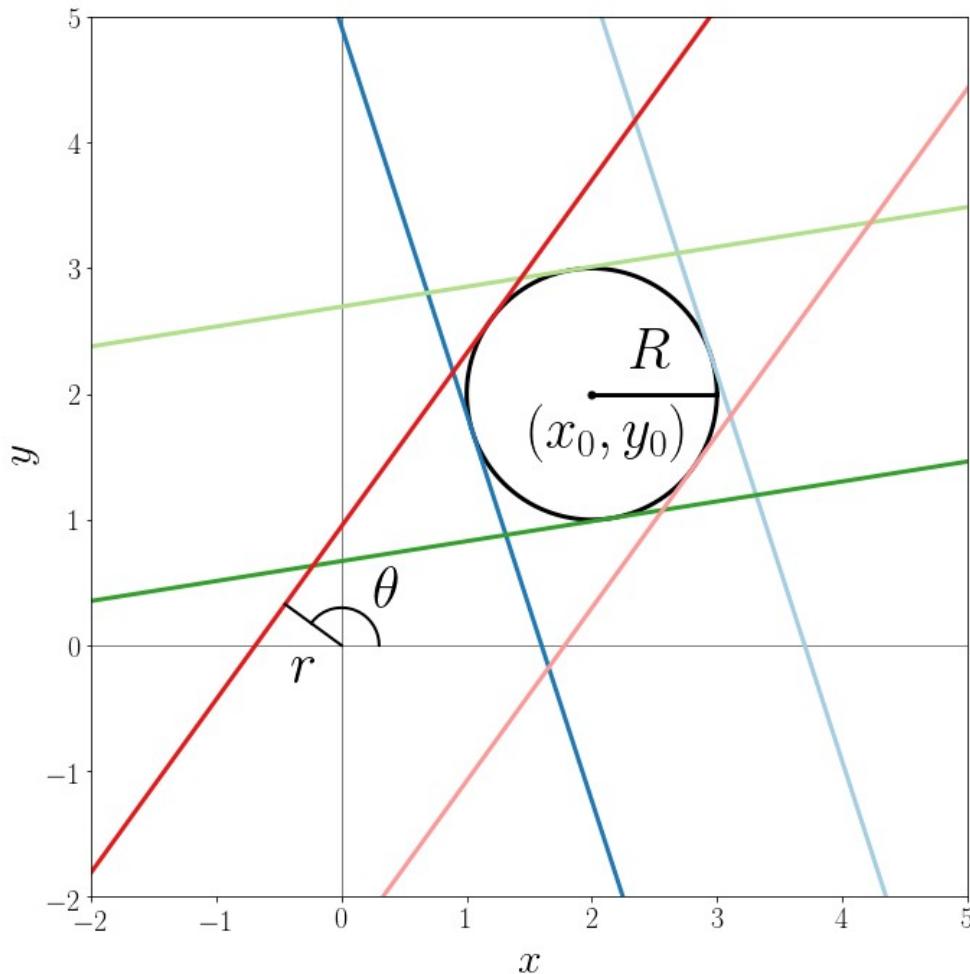


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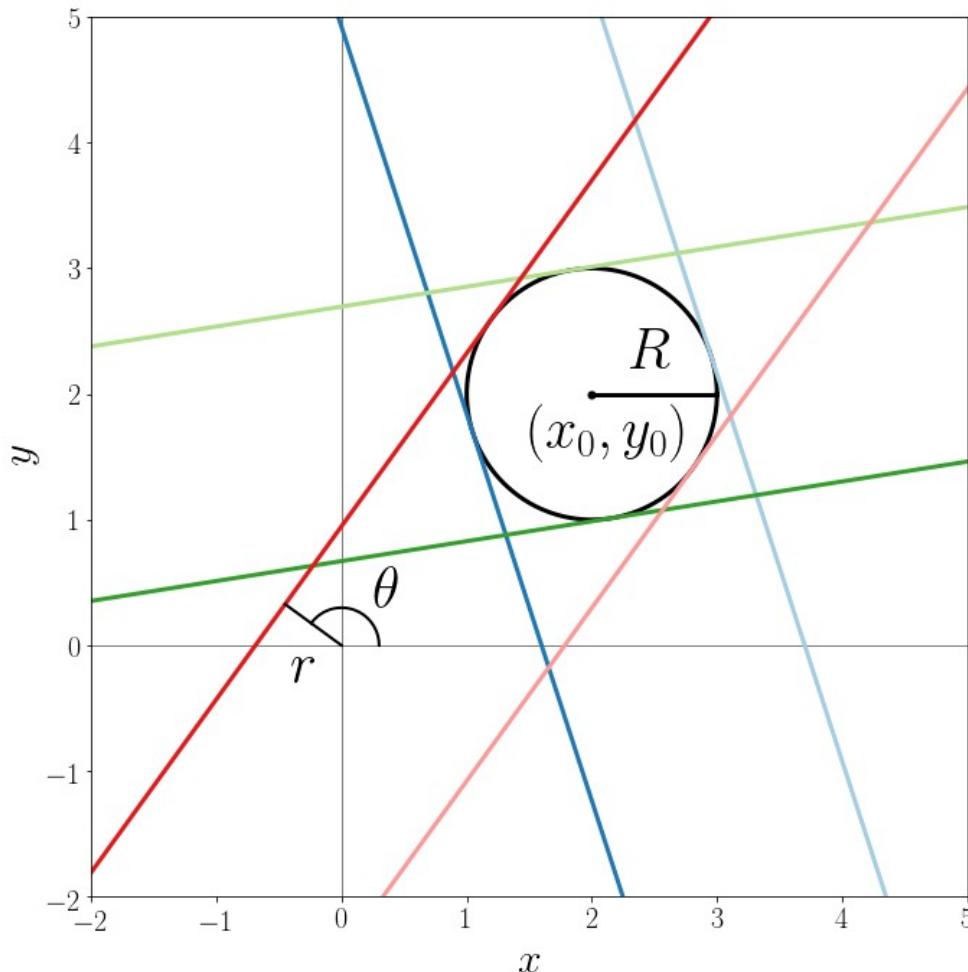
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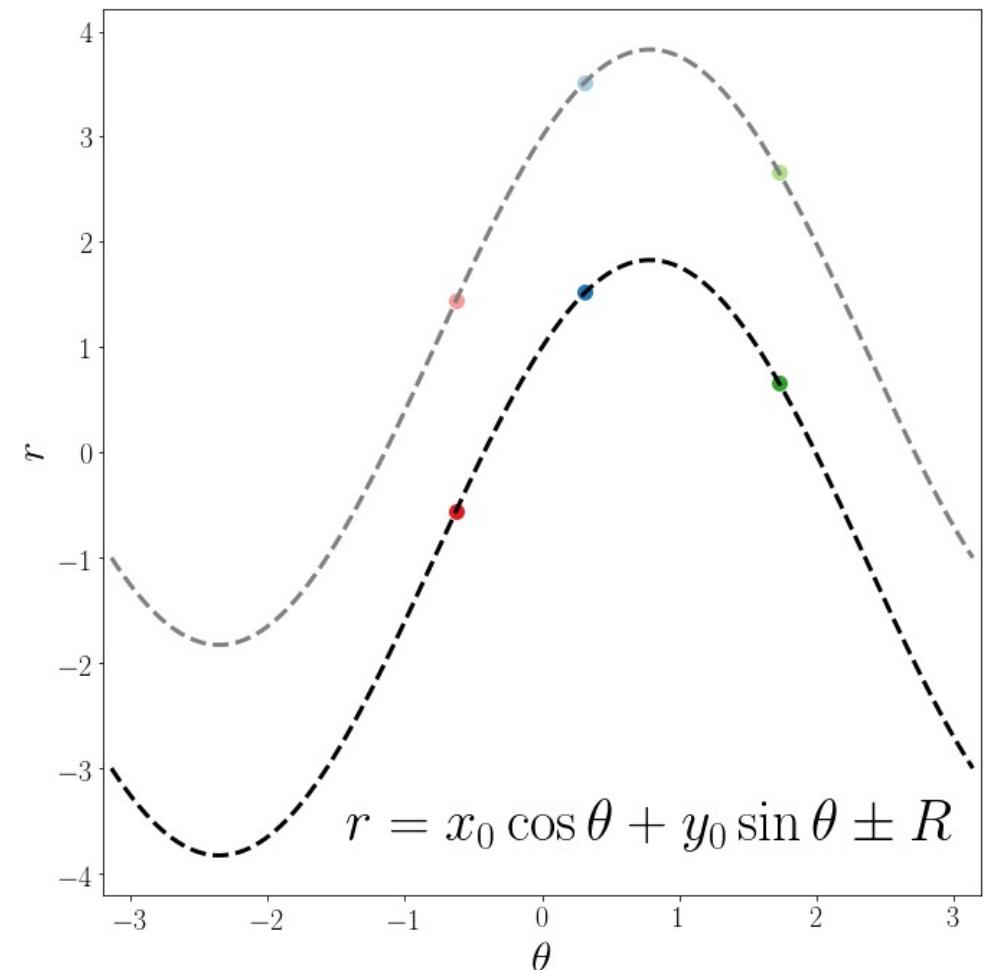
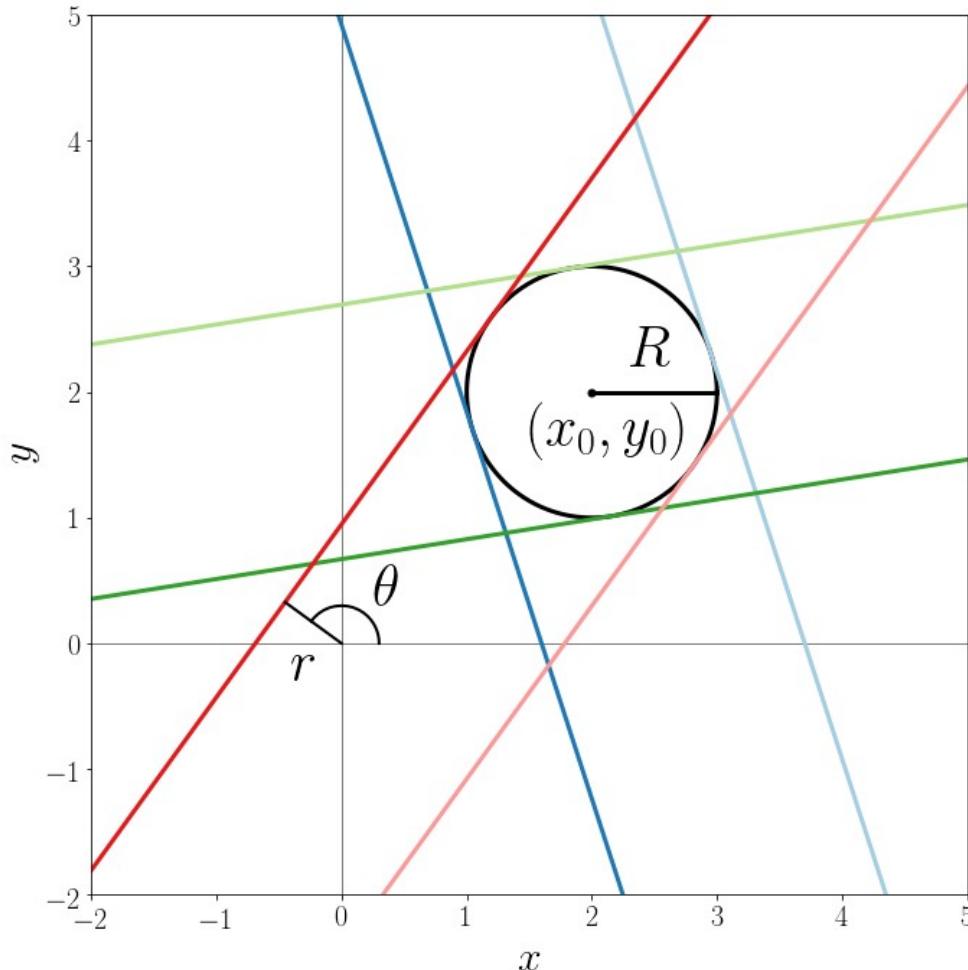
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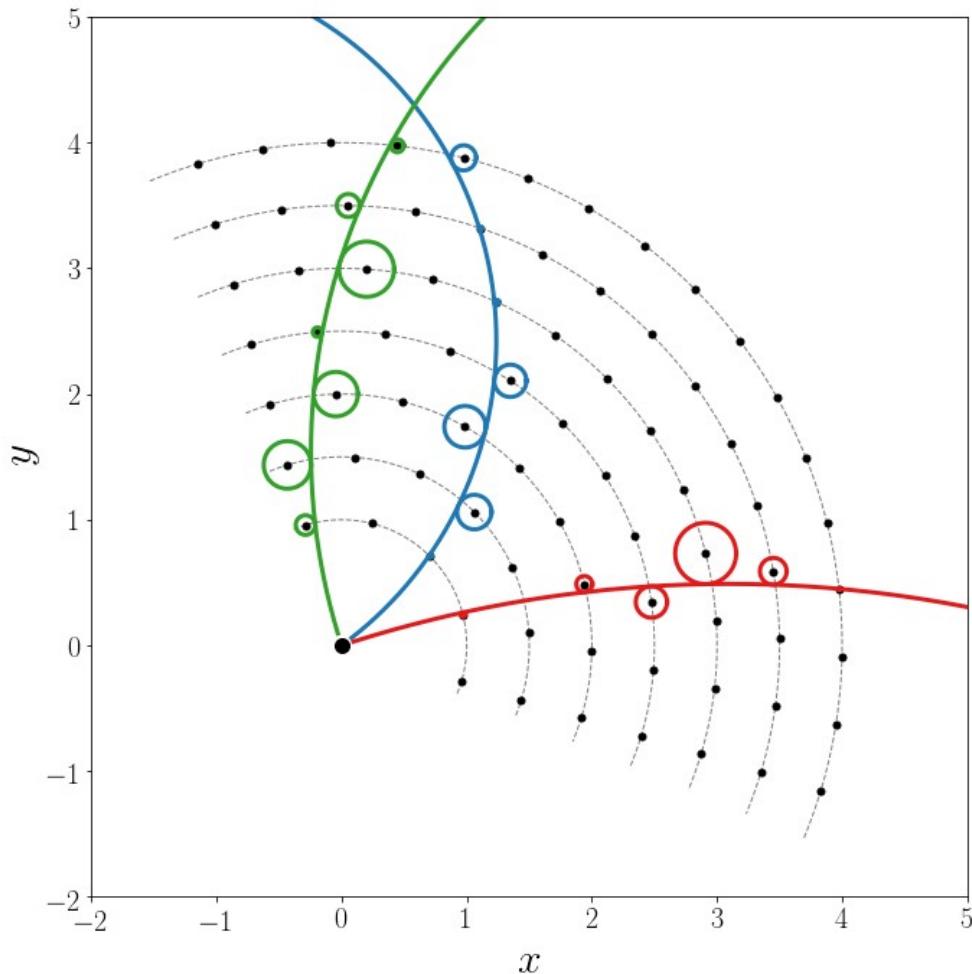
- ▶ For drift circles
- ▶ Pairs of tangents
- ▶ Same idea

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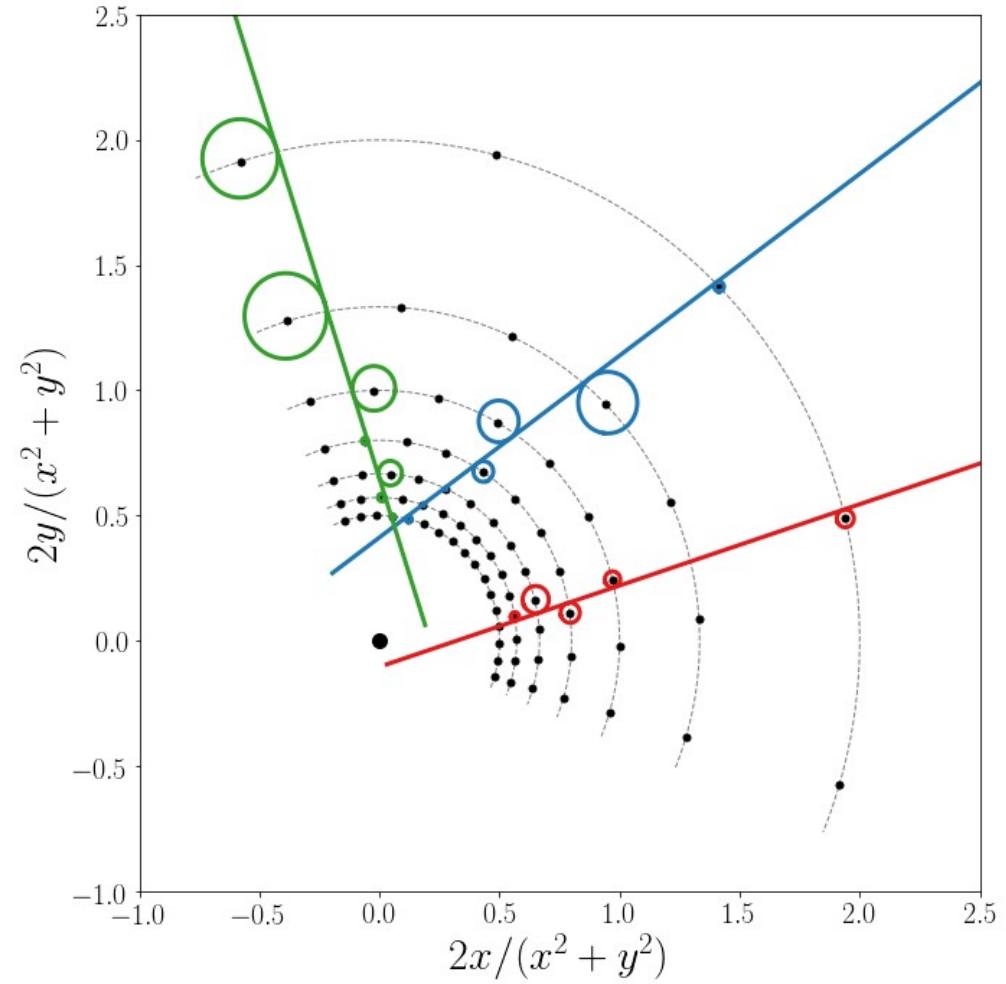
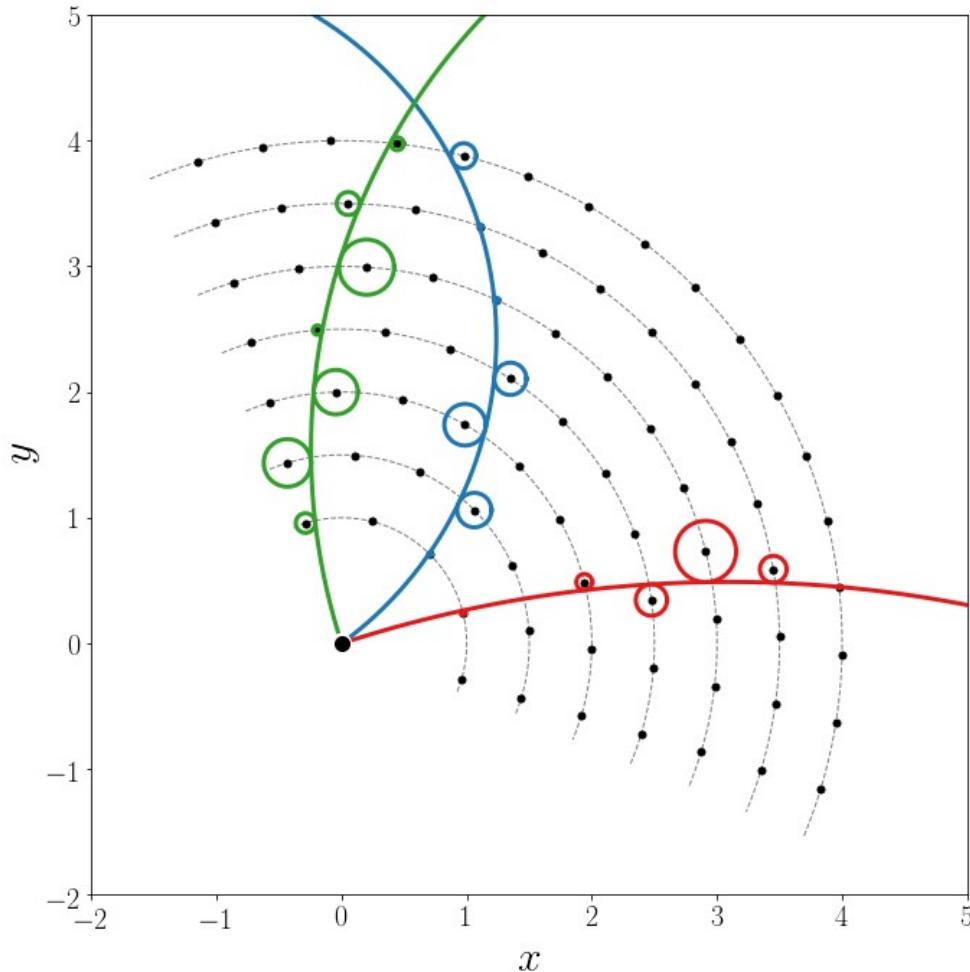
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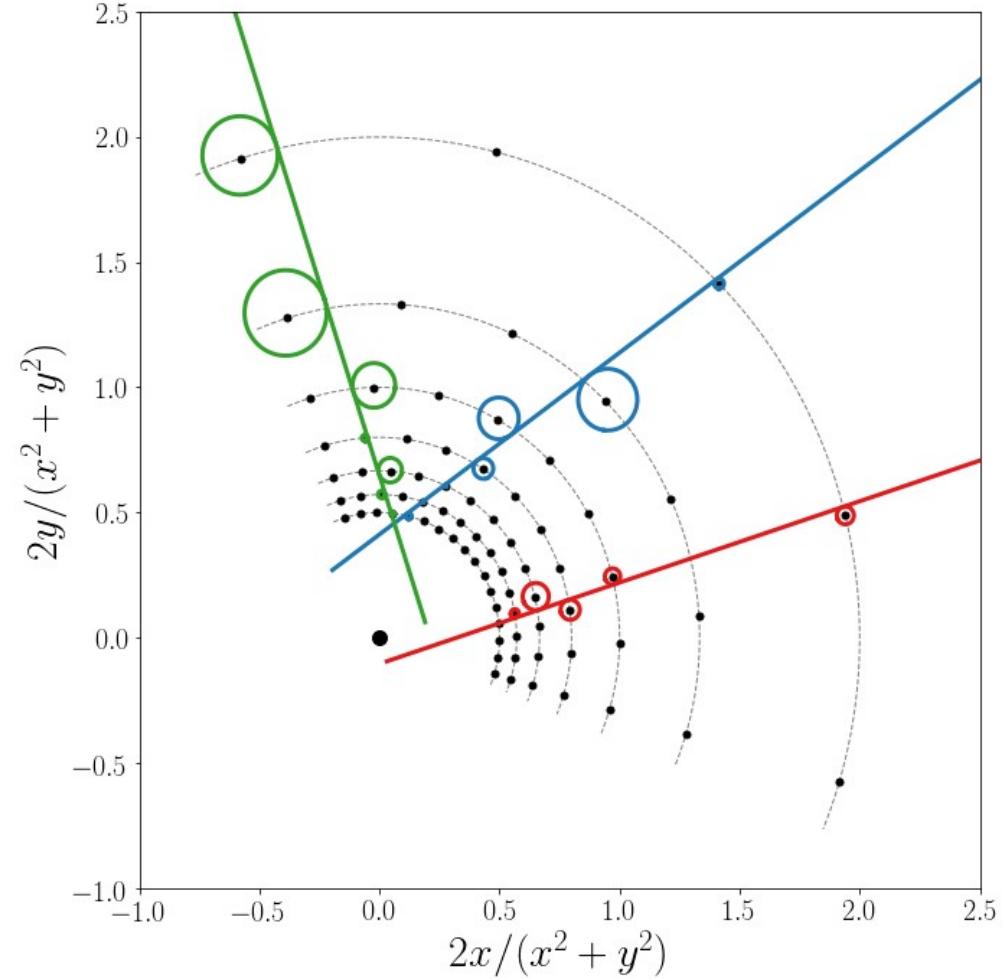
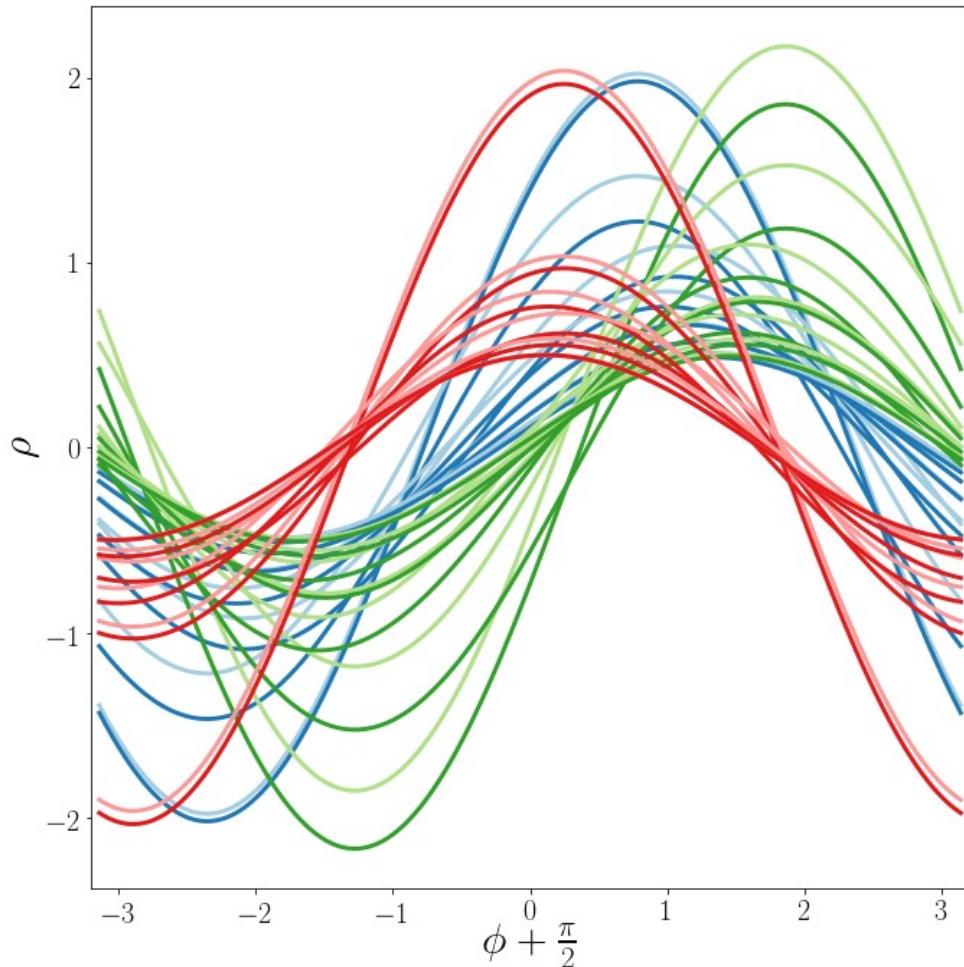
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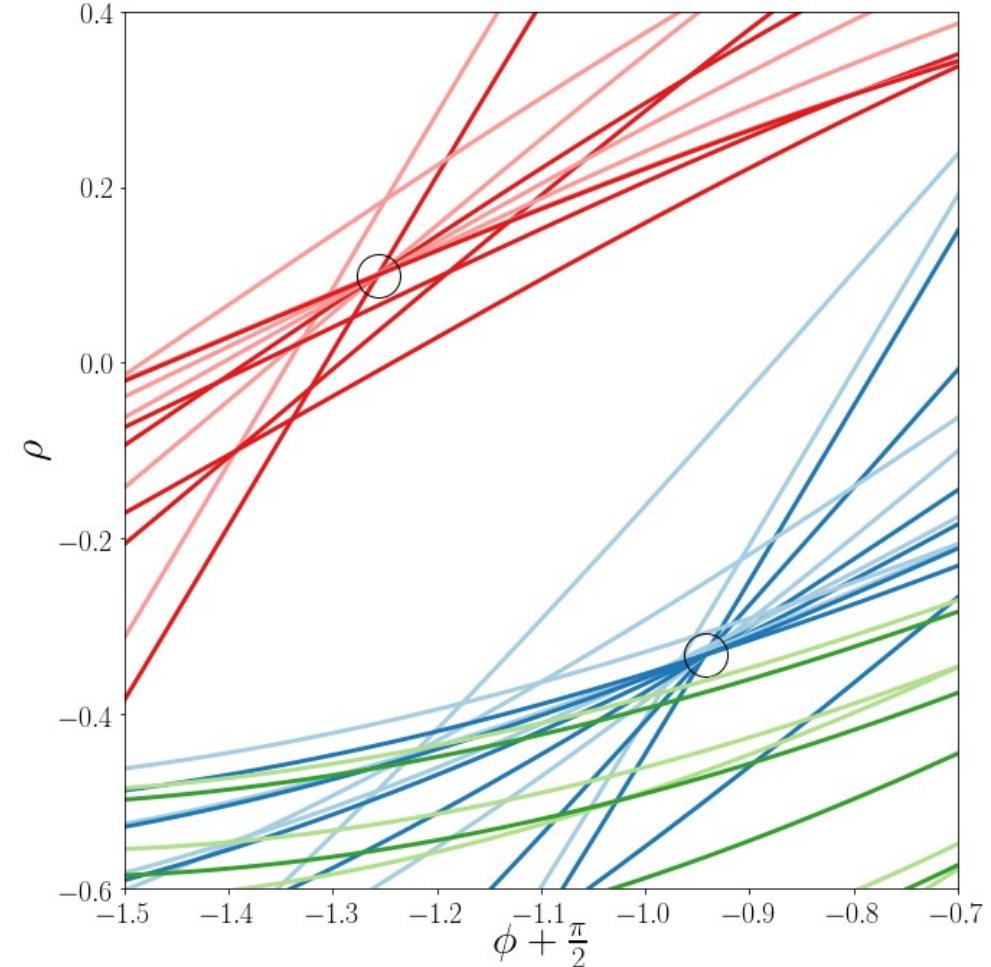
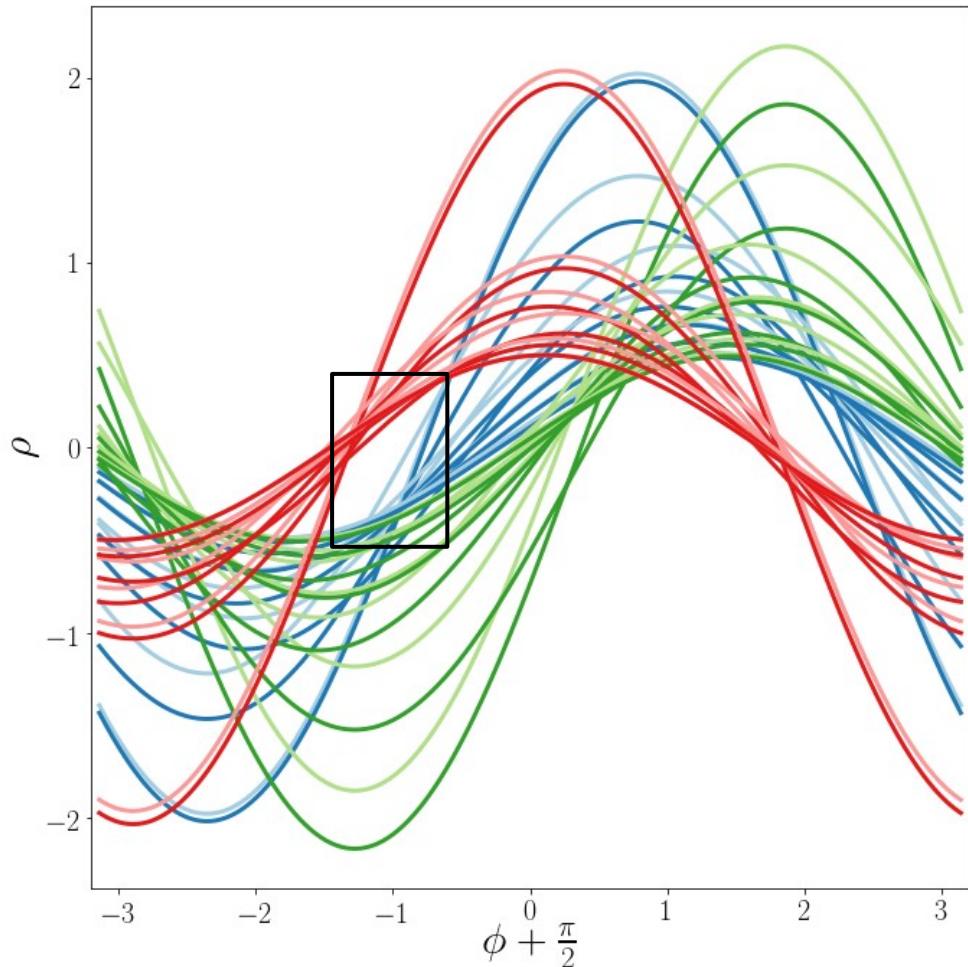
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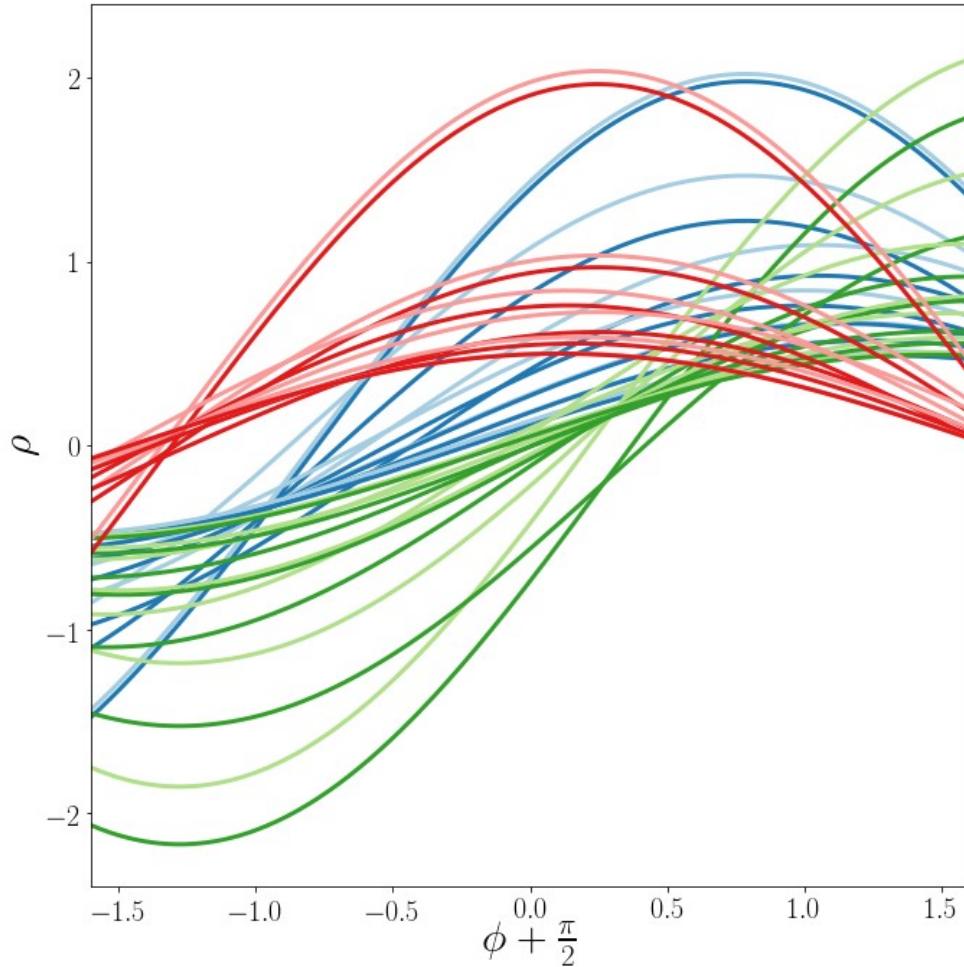
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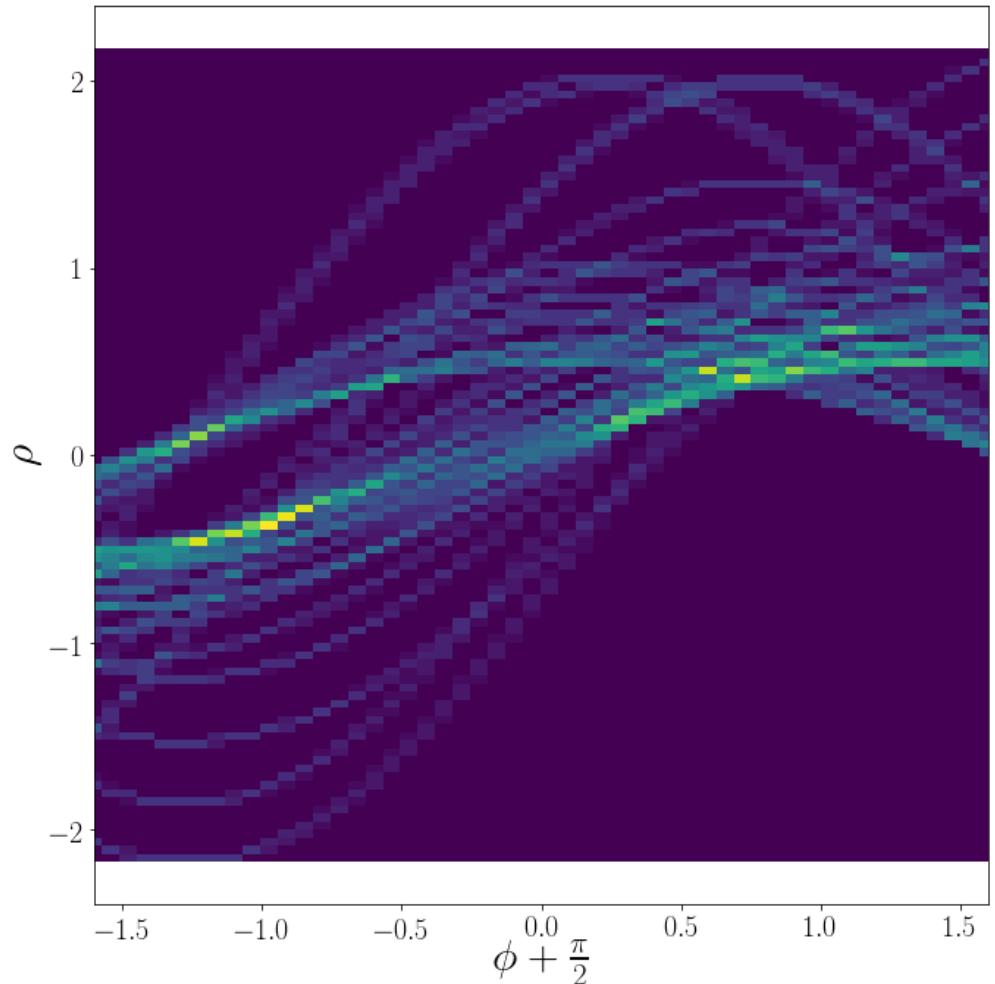
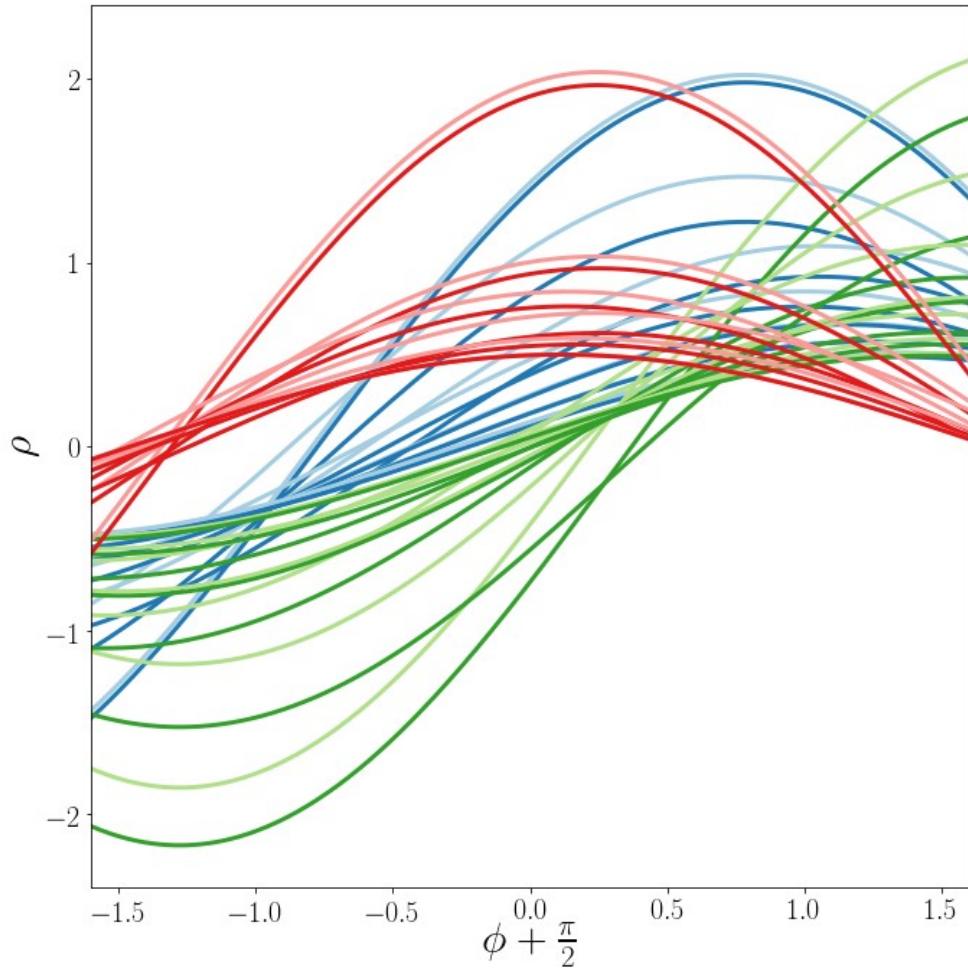


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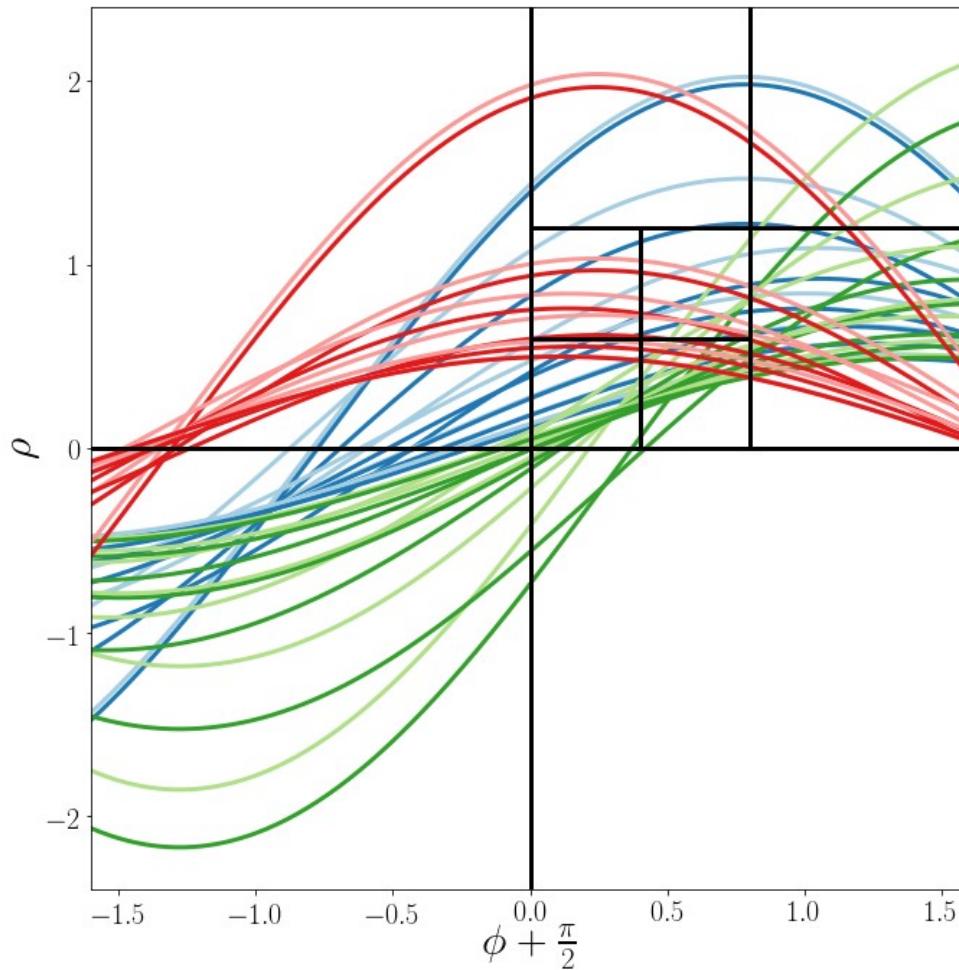
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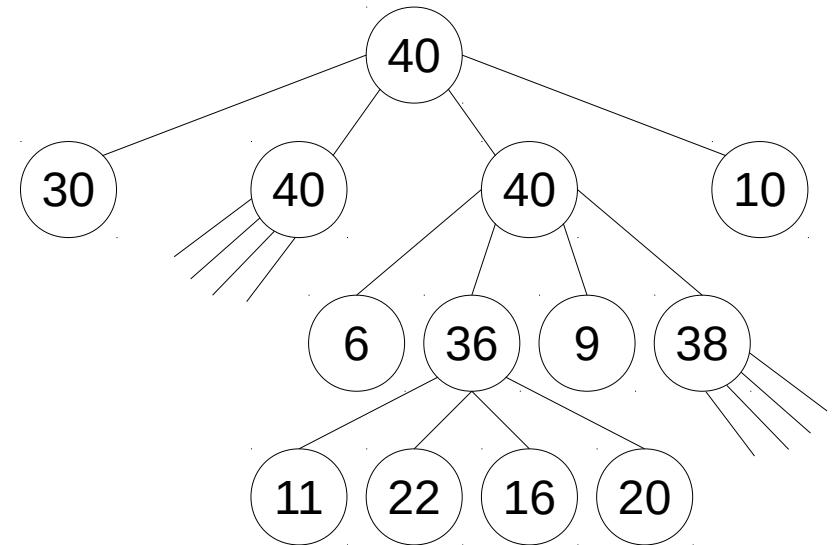
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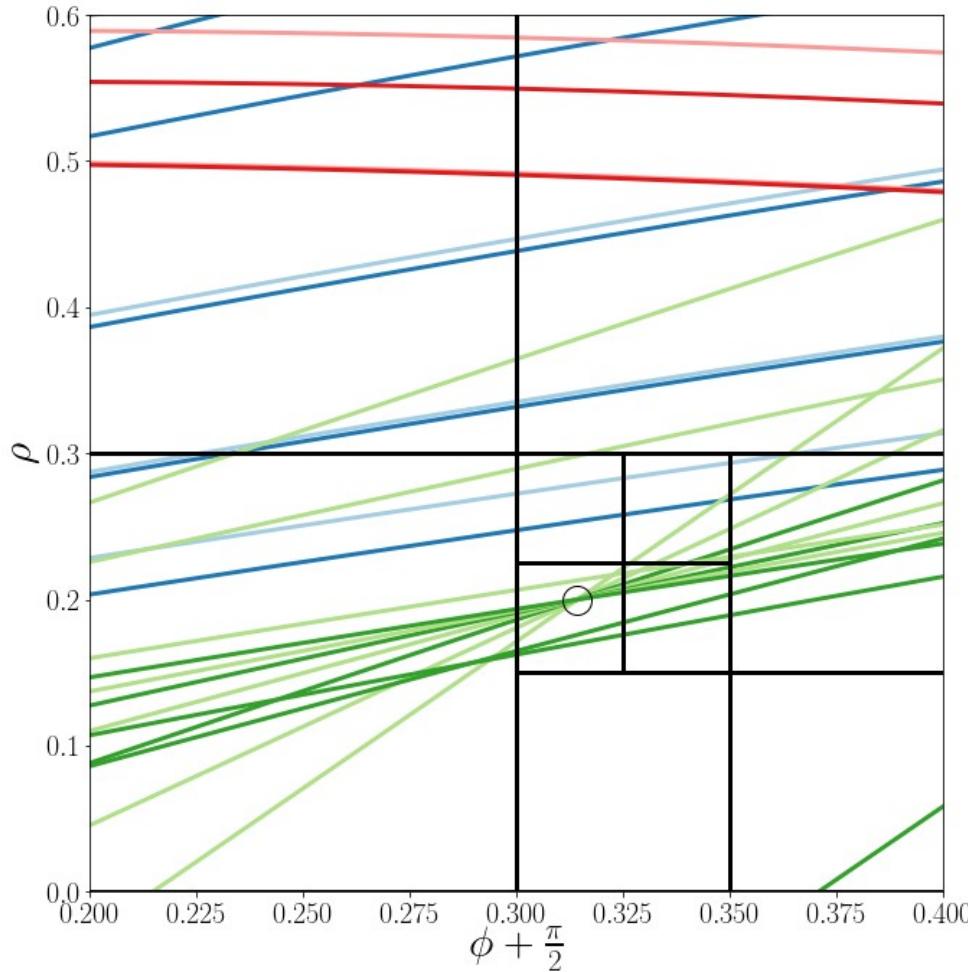
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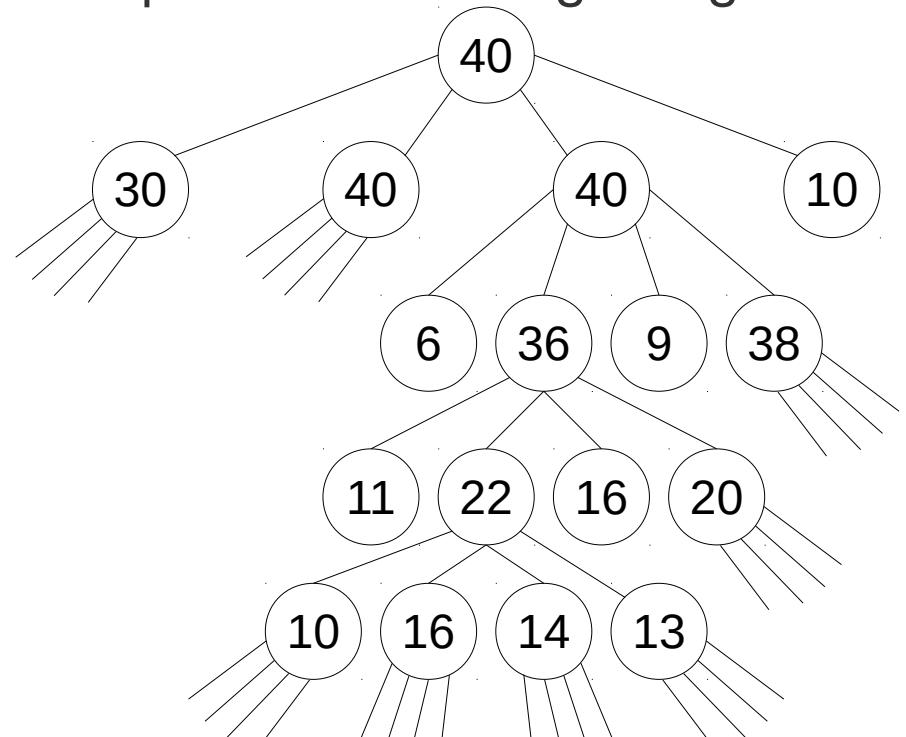
- ▶ 2D binary search
- ▶ At each step follow node with highest number of hits



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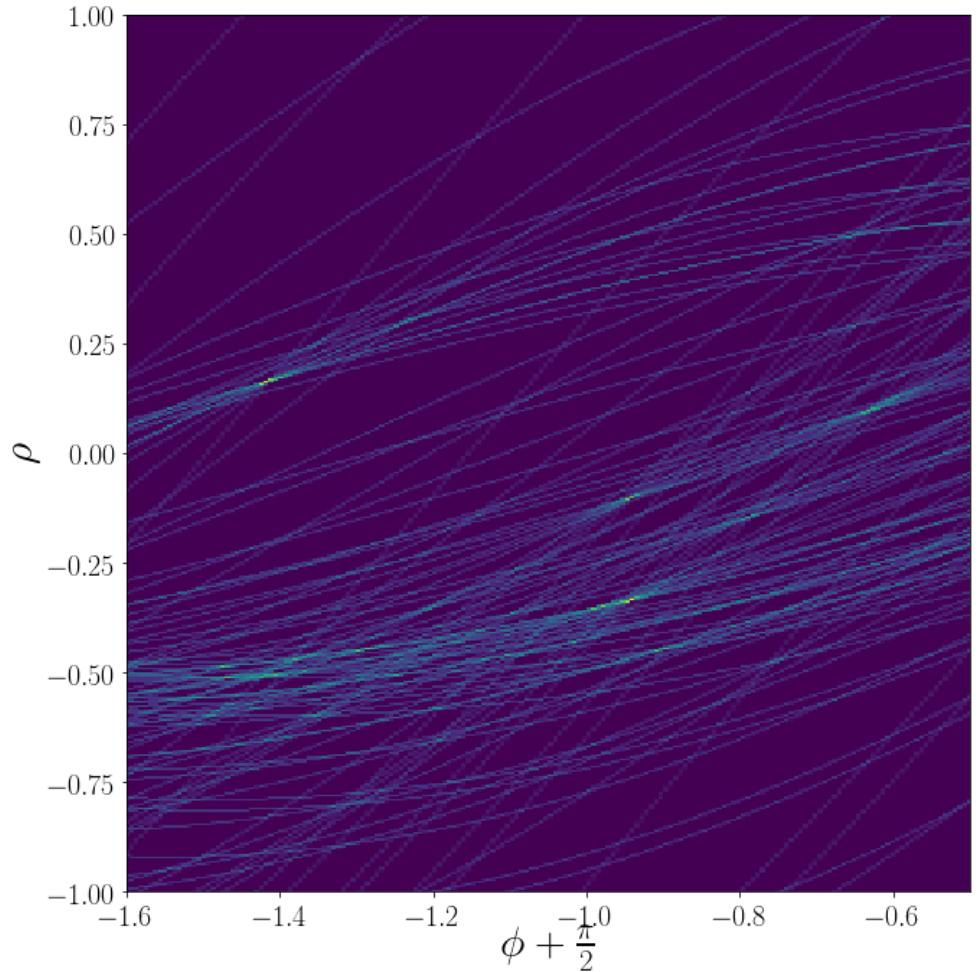


- ▶ Stop when desired precision or depth is reached
- ▶ Take found hits
- ▶ Repeat from the beginning



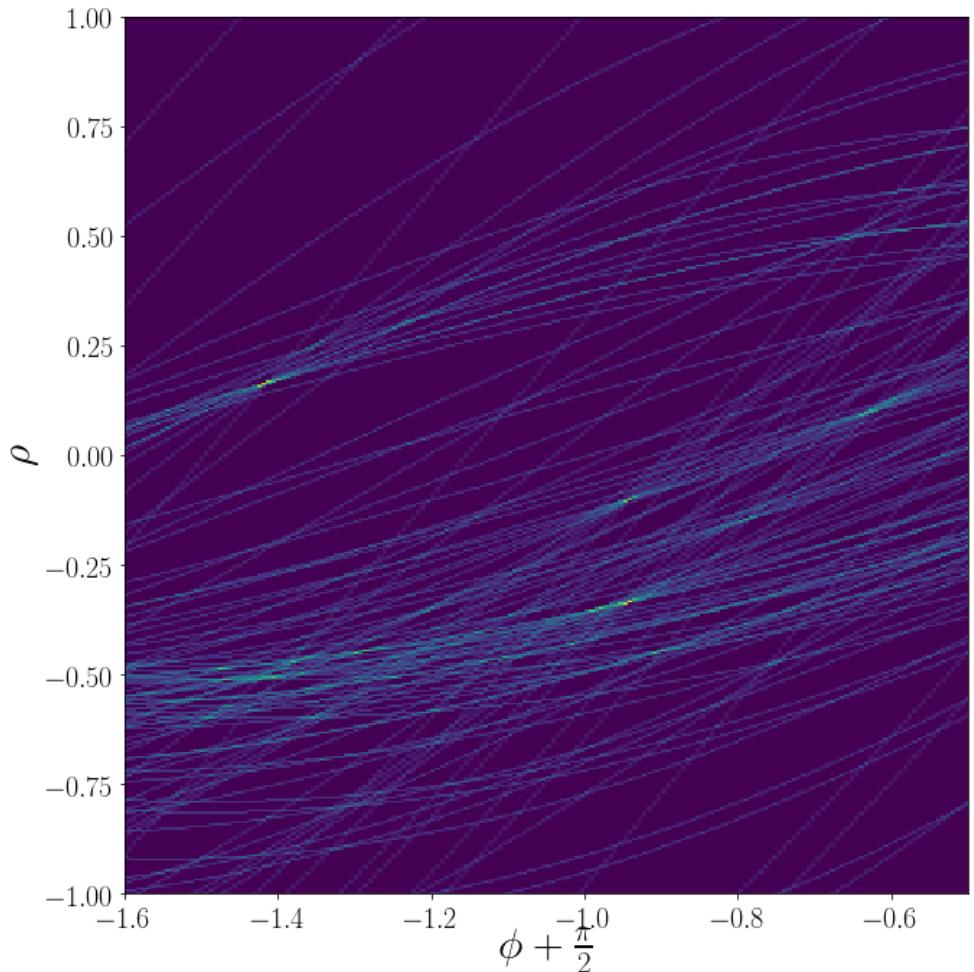
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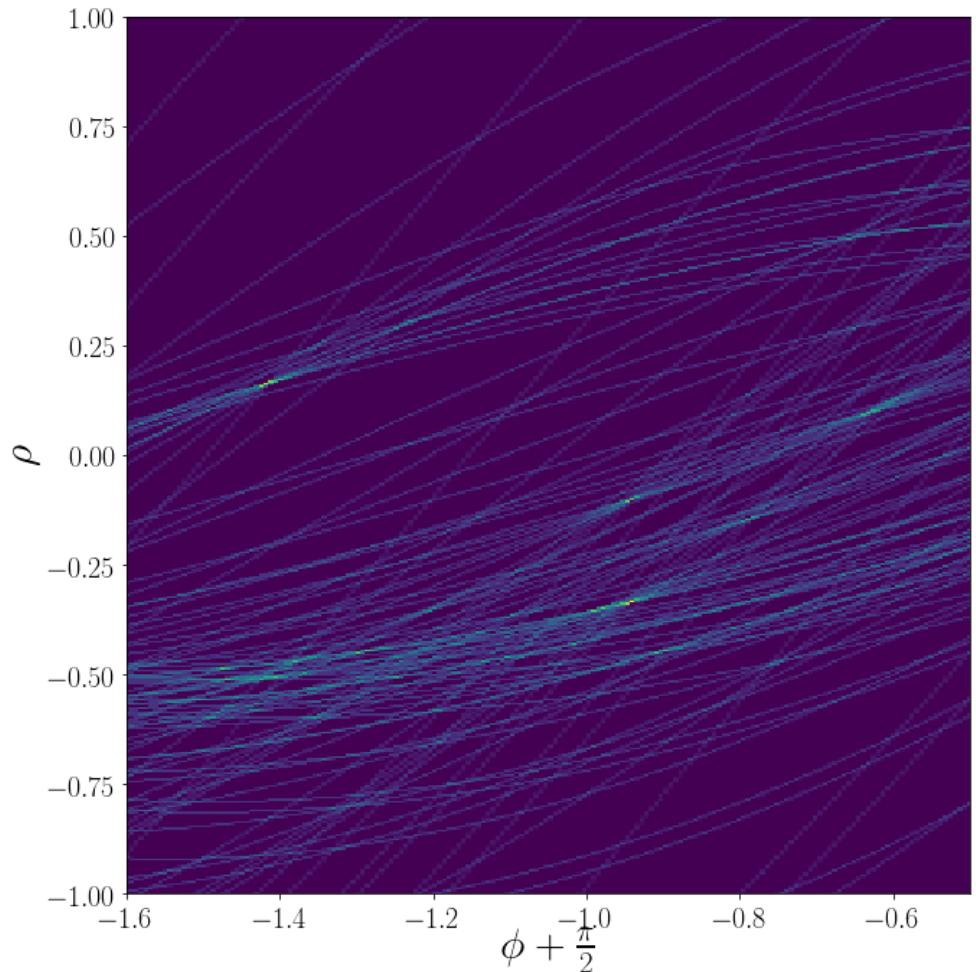
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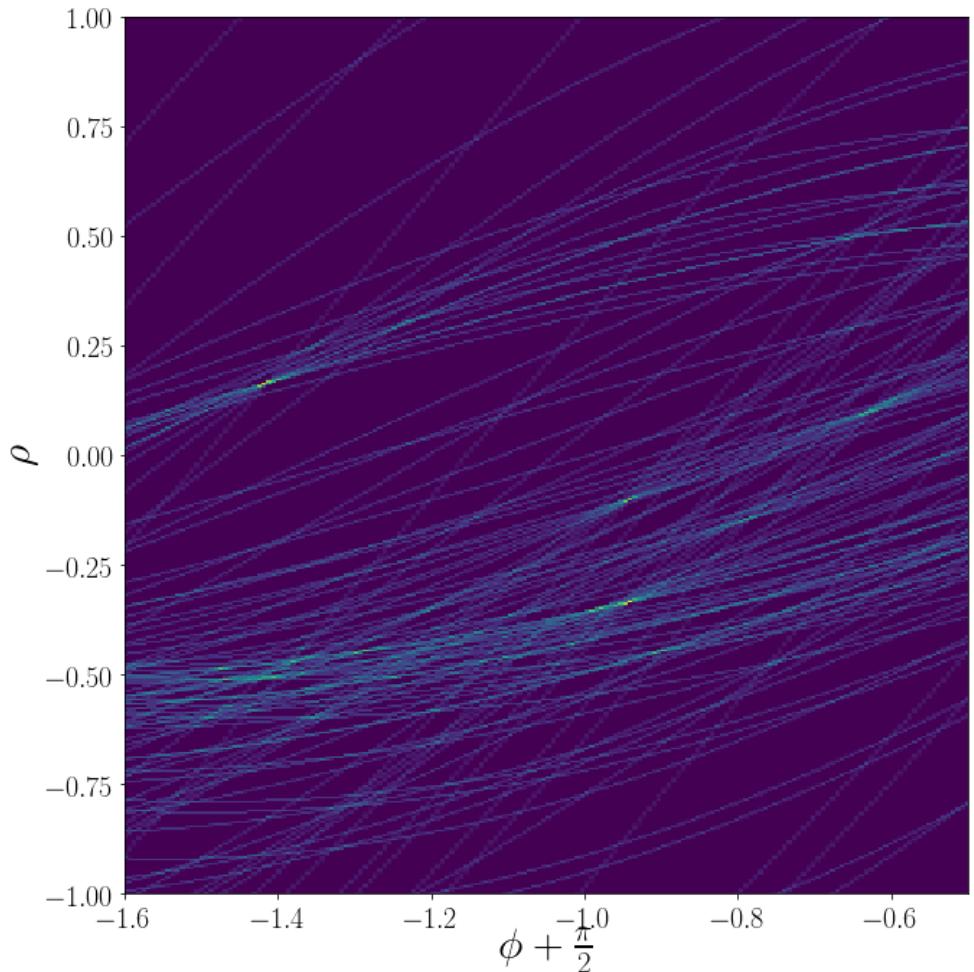
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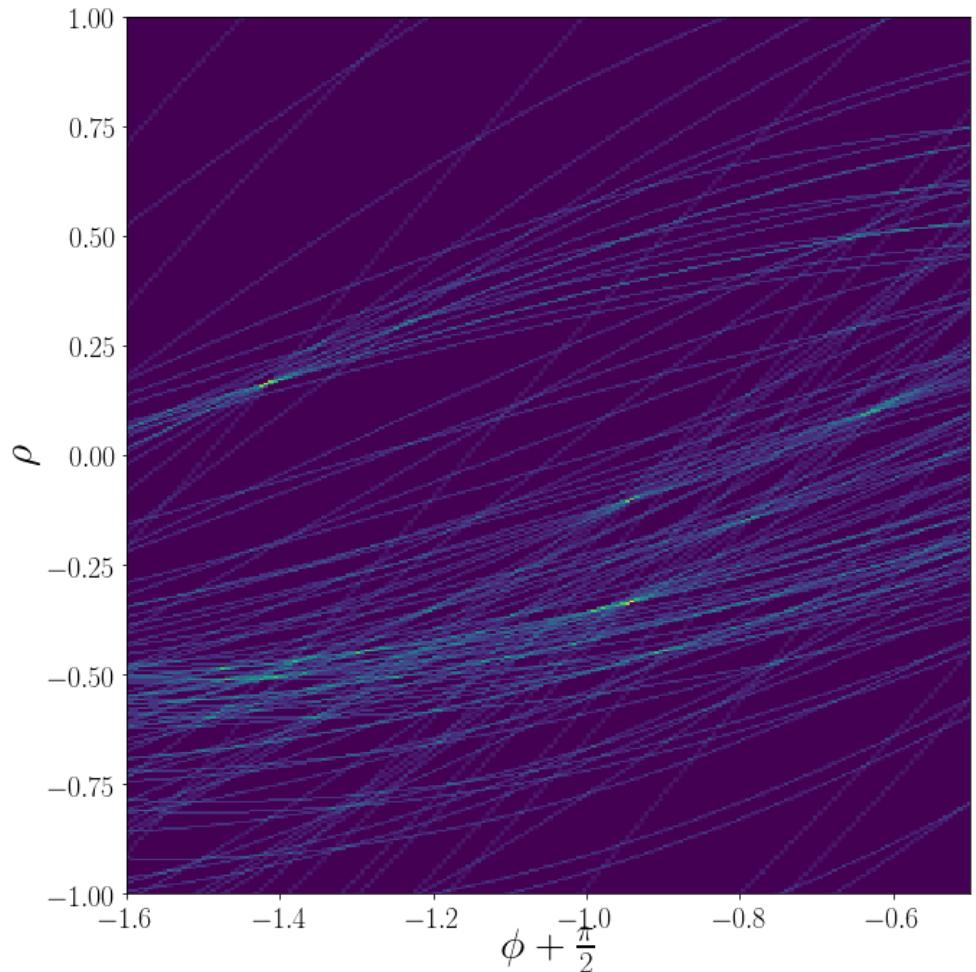
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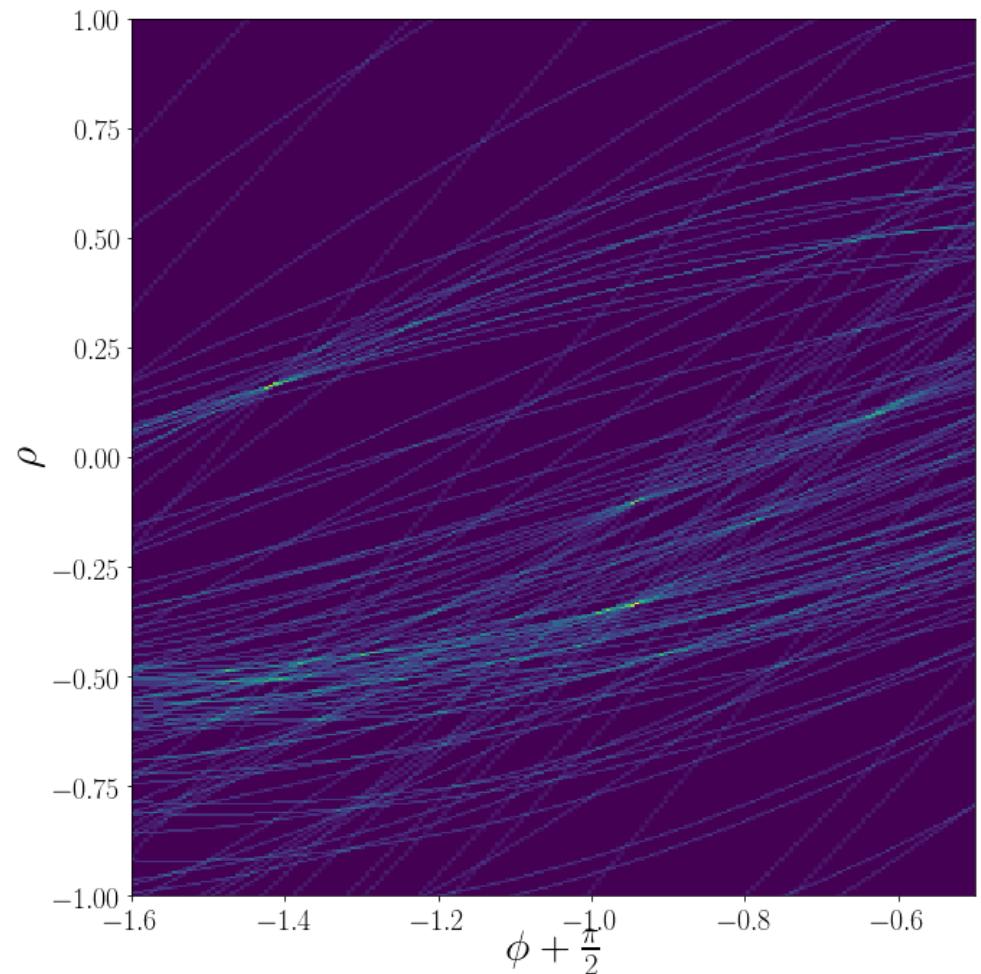
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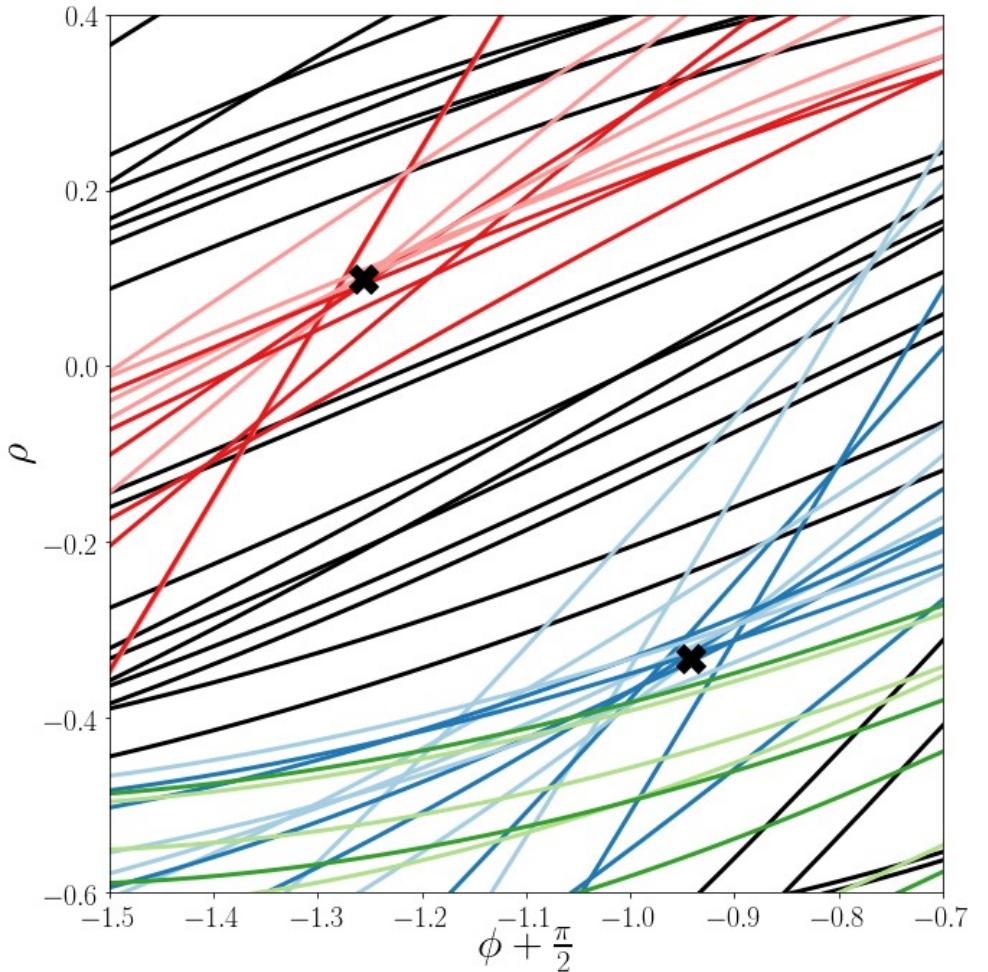
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BG x1	123.22 ms
BG x2	161.68 ms
BG x3	224.11 ms

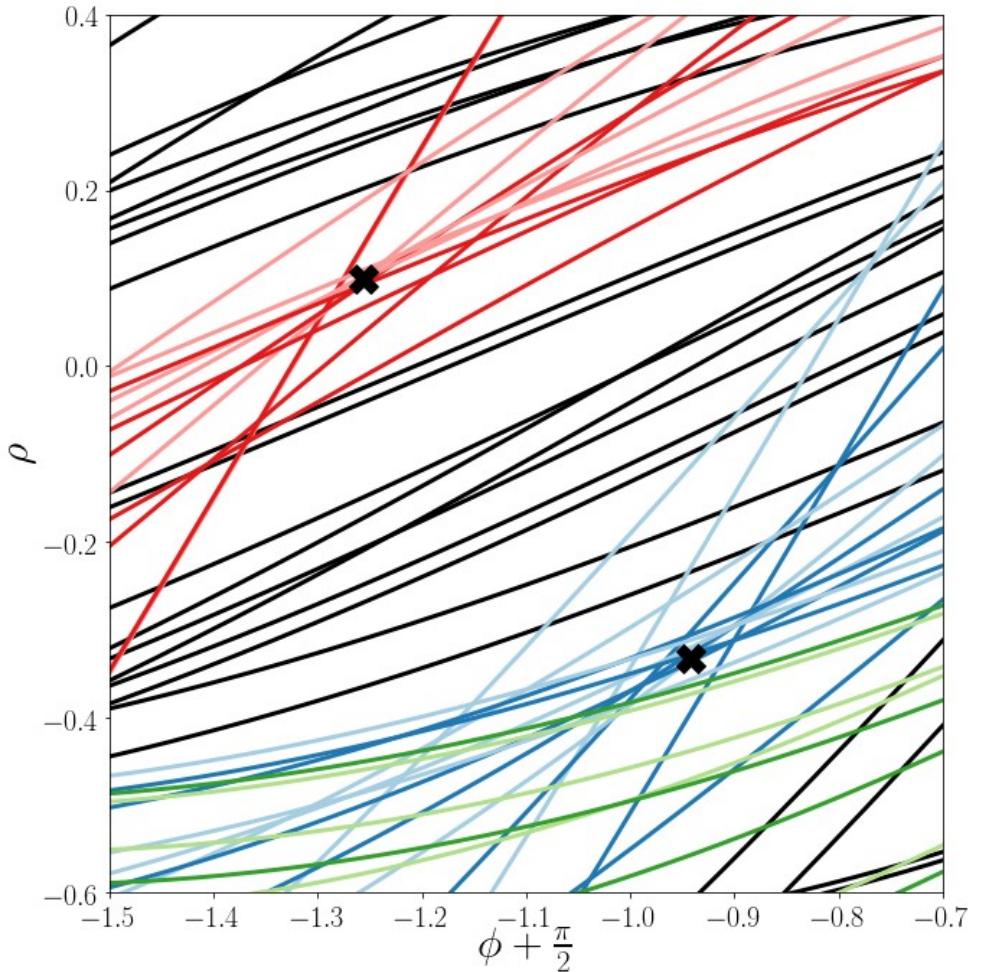


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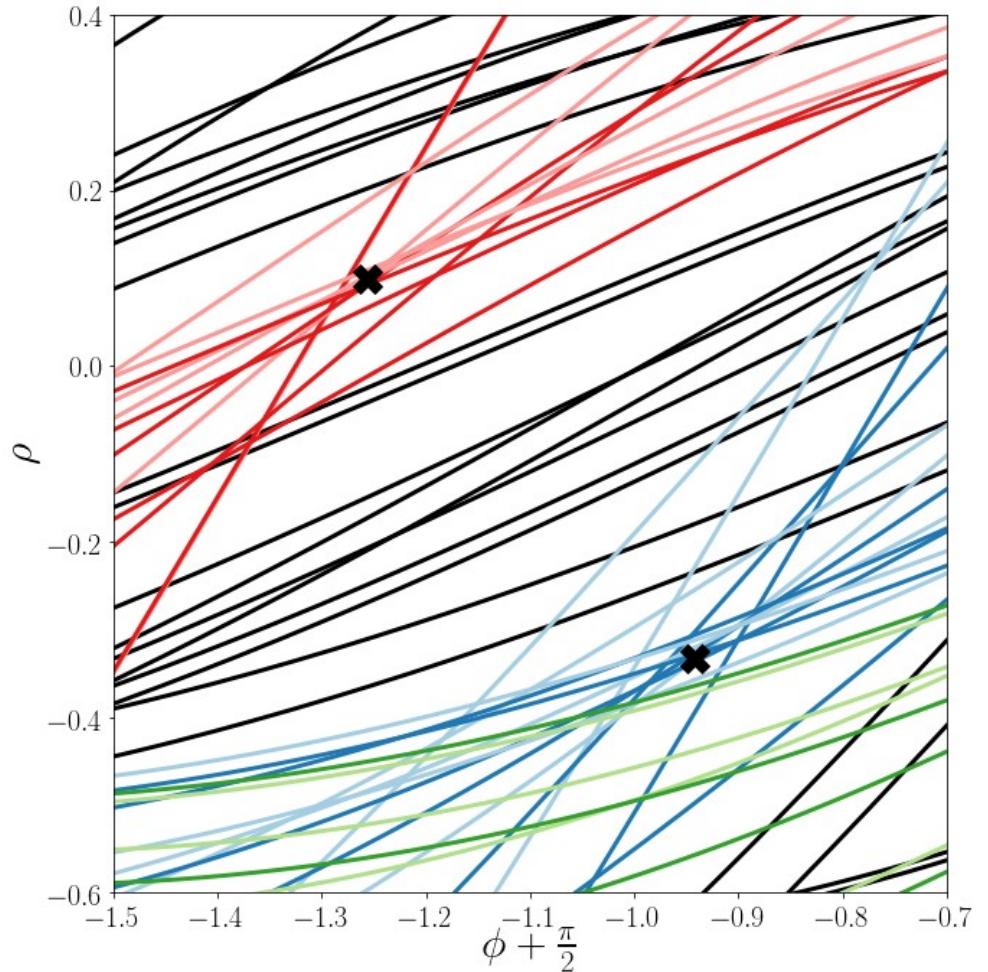
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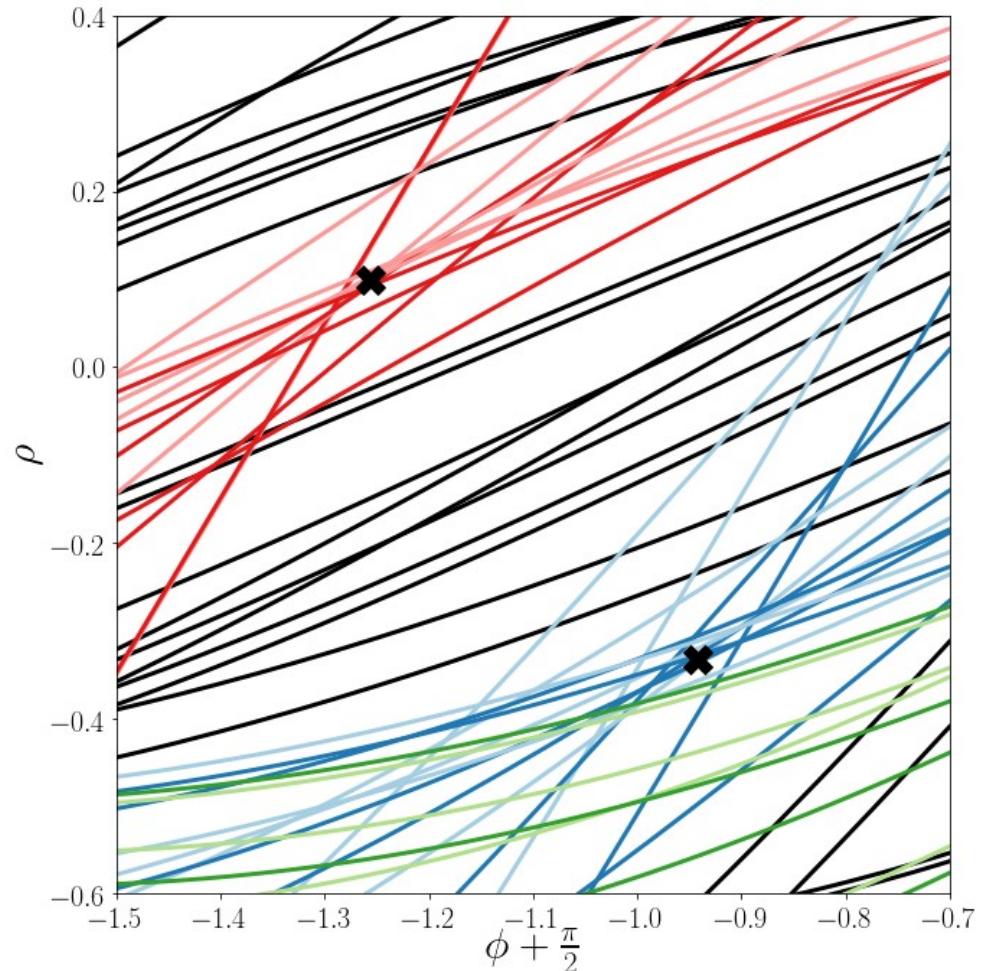
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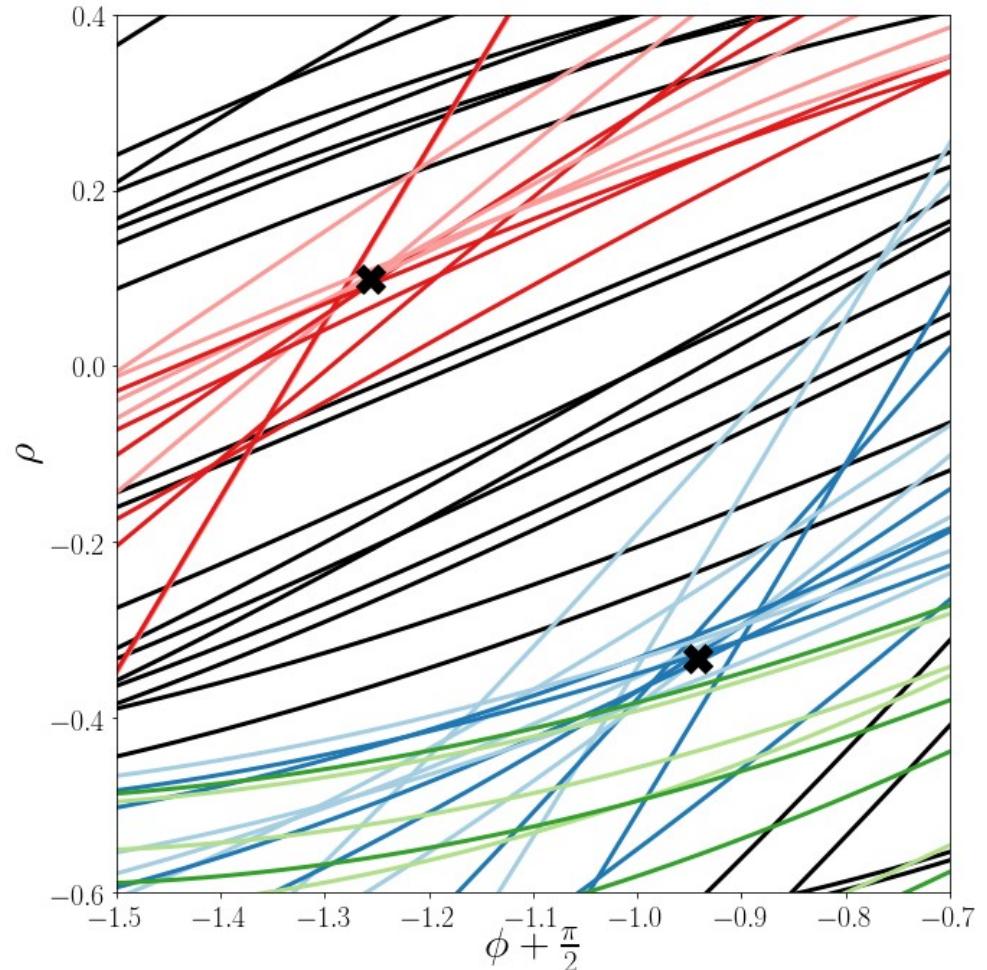
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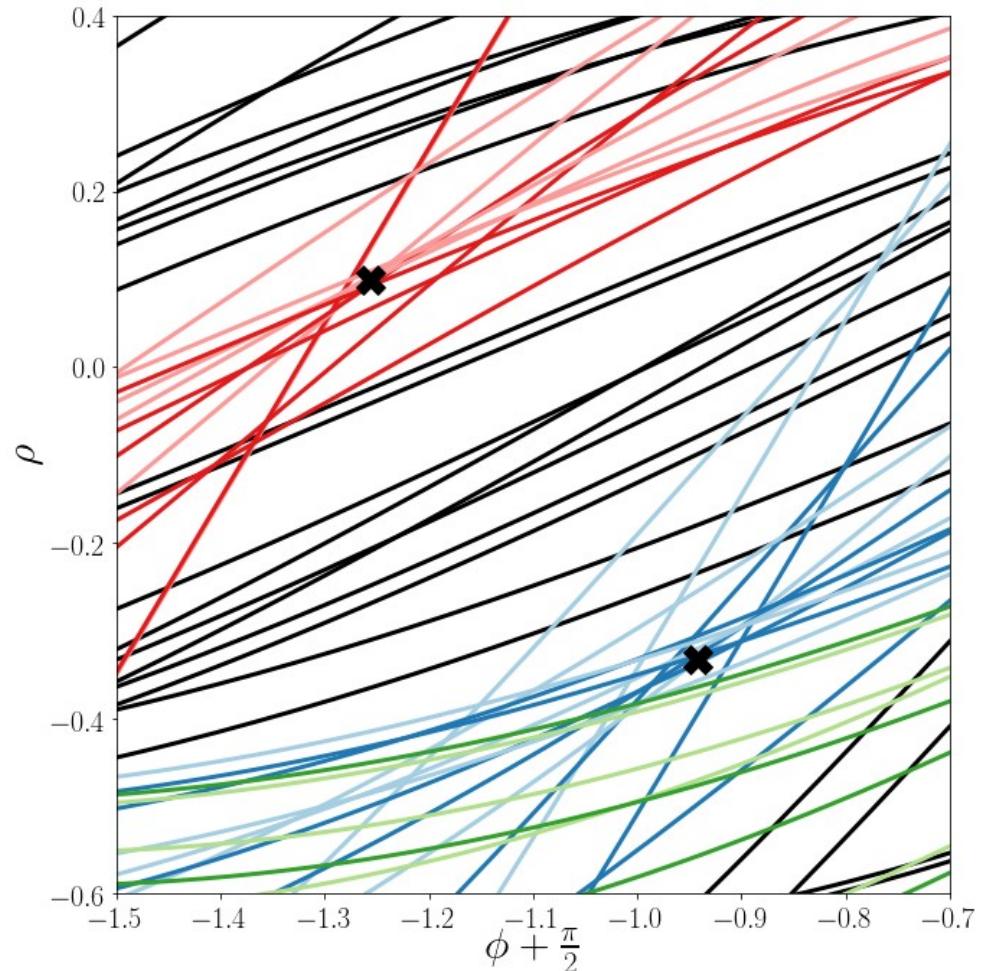
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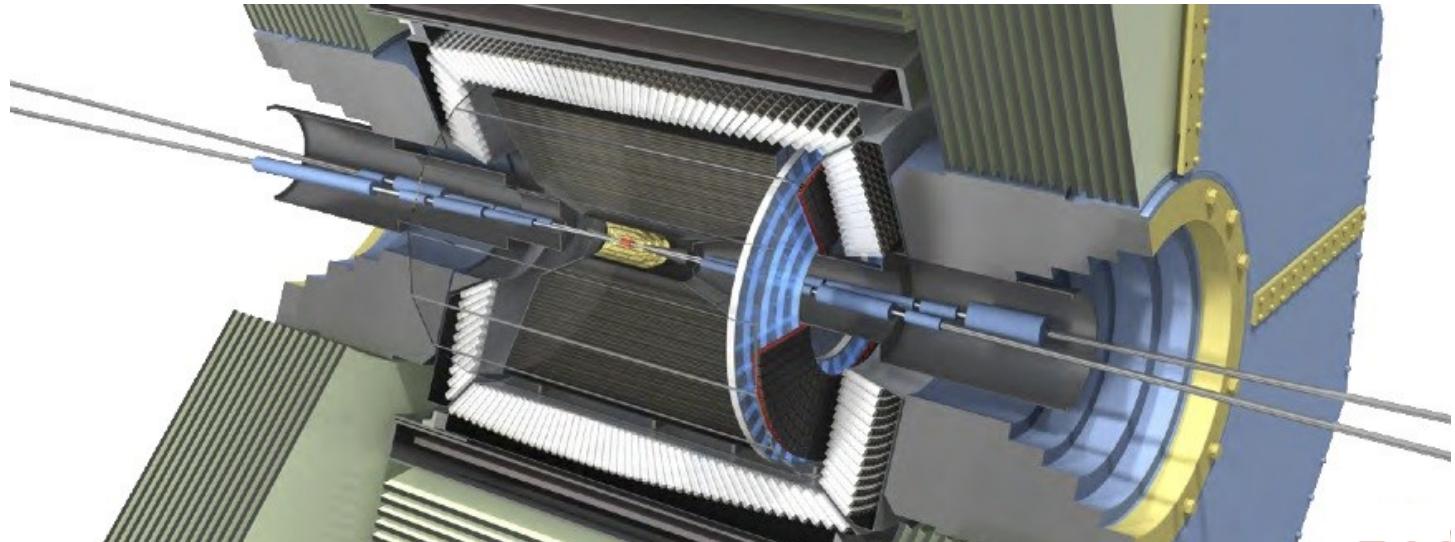
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- ▶ High multiplicity



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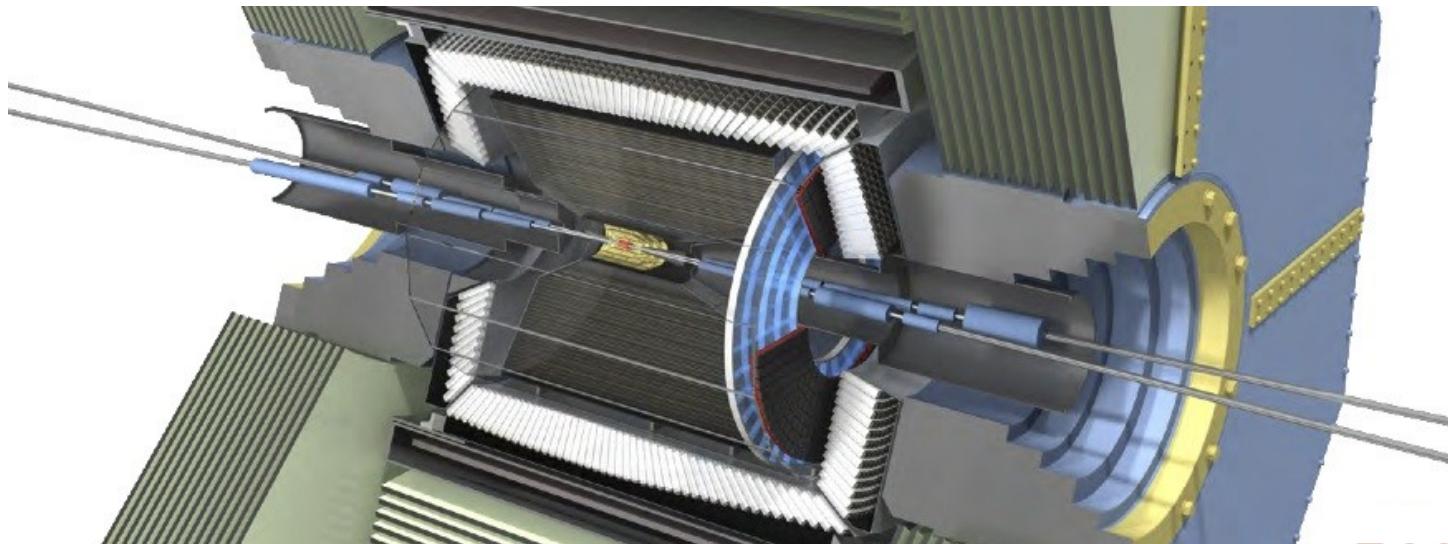
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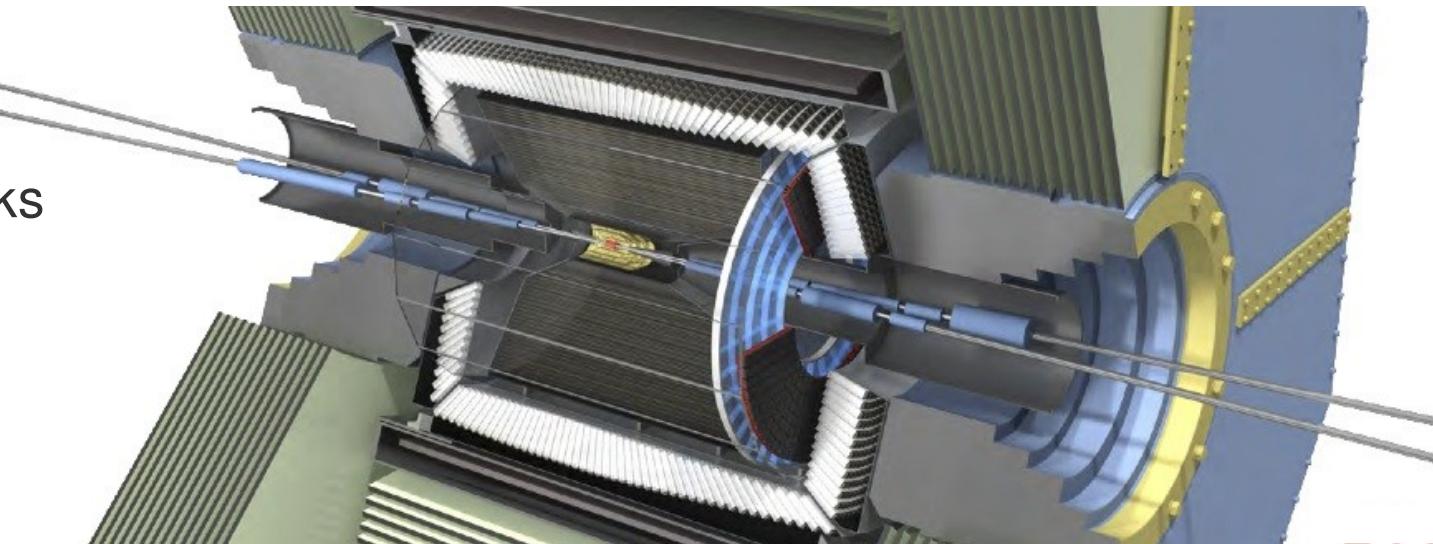
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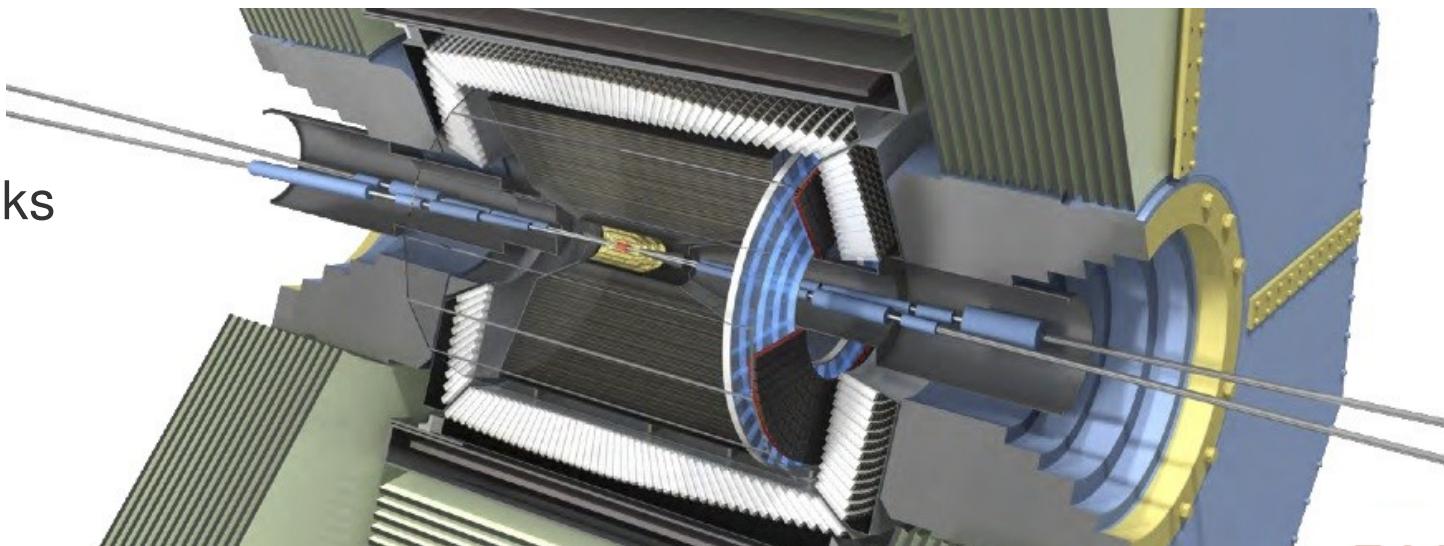
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 - Reconstruct **all** tracks
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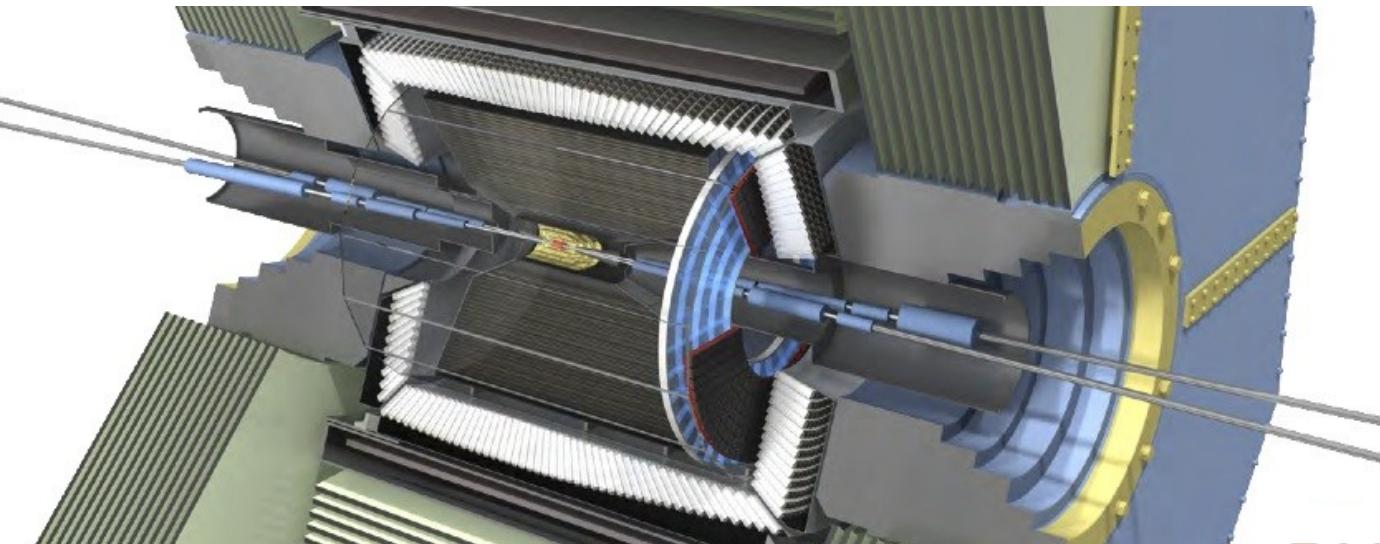
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+
Cellular automaton



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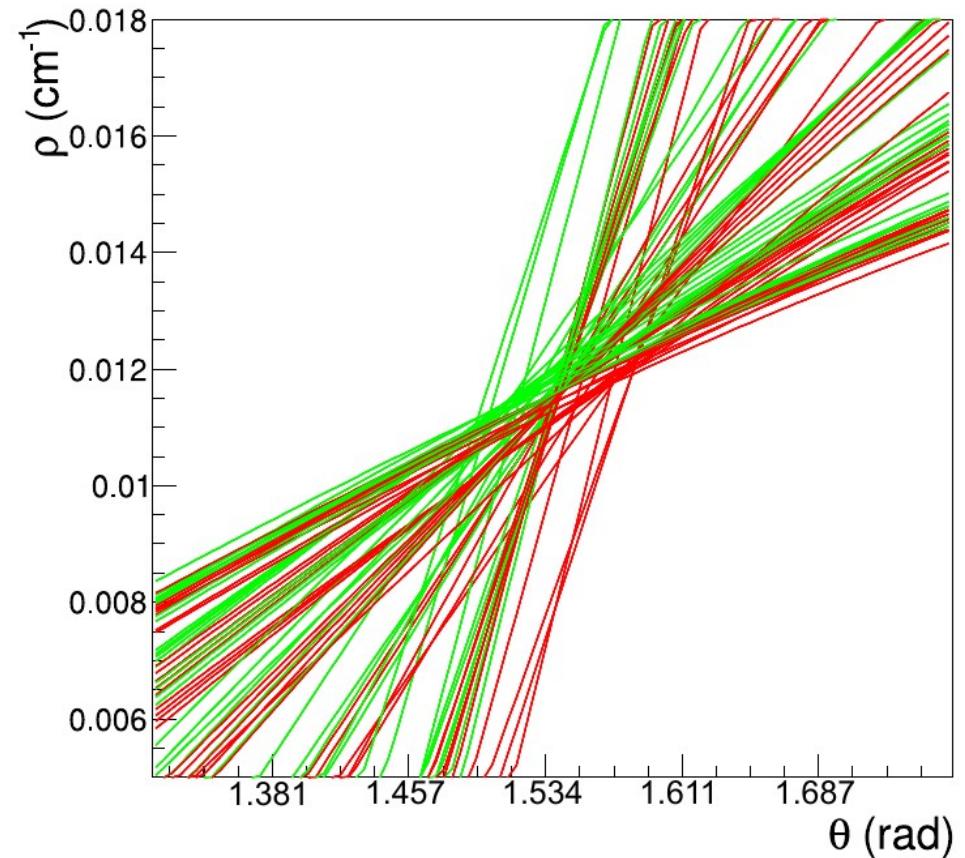
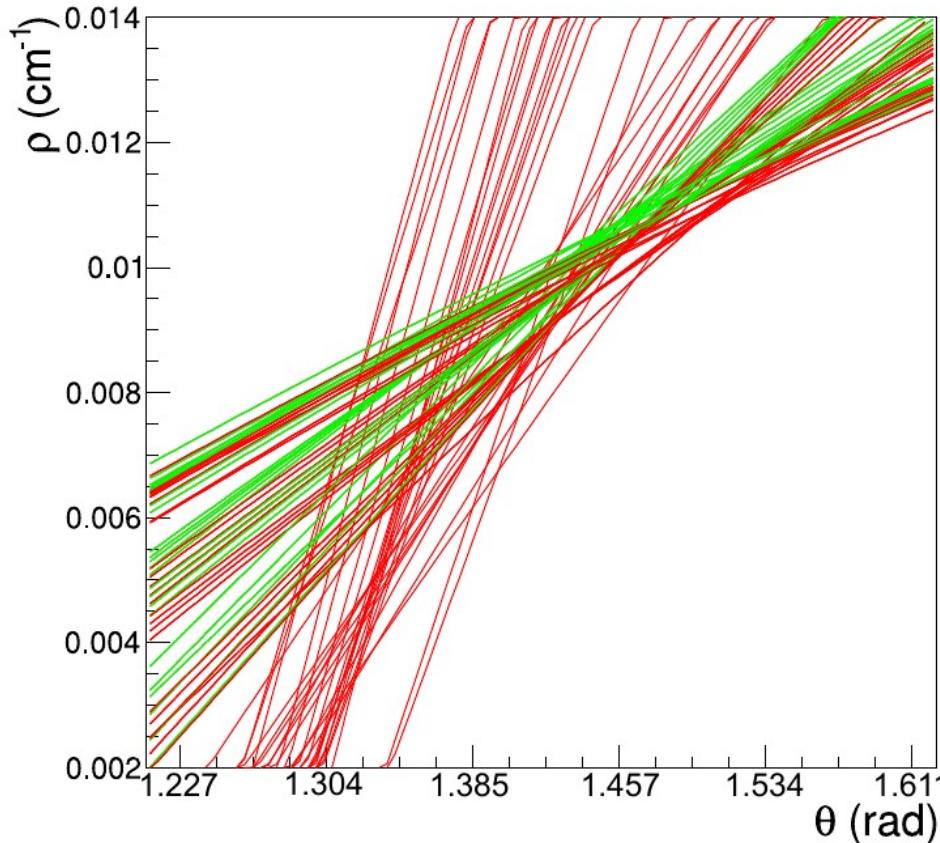


Thank you

Backup

Tracks from a slightly displaced vertex

- ▶ Repeat search wrt point of closest approach of a candidate



(b) Reference to POCA after the fitting

Legendre: Mathematical sense

- ▶ Switching to different variables
- ▶ By the simple fact of

$$d(xy) = xdy + ydx$$

- ▶ Thermodynamics
 - Internal energy \leftrightarrow Enthalpy etc.
- ▶ Theoretical mechanics
 - Lagrangian \leftrightarrow Hamiltonian

$$f(x, y) \quad u = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \quad w = \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$$

$$df = udx + wdy$$

$$dg = udx - ydw$$

$$dh = -xdu + wdy$$

$$dk = -xdu - ydw$$

$$g(x, w) = f - wy$$

$$h(u, y) = f - ux$$

$$k(u, w) = f - ux - wy$$

Legendre: Geometrical sense

- For one-dimensional functions

$$f(x) \leftrightarrow F(p)$$

- Concave case

$$F(p) = \sup_x [px - f(x)] = -\inf_x [f(x) - px]$$

- Convex case

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- Supremum is found at a x_0 where

$$\frac{df}{dx} \Big|_{x=x_0} = p$$

$(p, F(p))$ in Legendre space corresponds to a certain tangent line to the original function $f(x)$

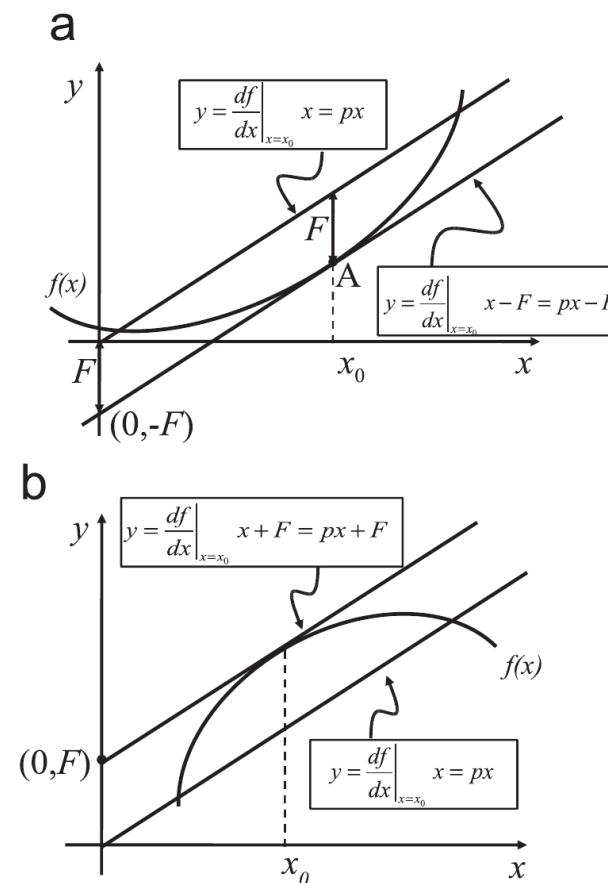


Fig. 1. The Legendre transform corresponding (a) to a convex and (b) to a concave function.

(Drift) circles

- ▶ Derivative

$$p = -\frac{x - x_0}{\sqrt{R^2 - (x - x_0)^2}} \Rightarrow x = x_0 \frac{|p|R}{\sqrt{p^2 + 1}}$$

- ▶ Concave and convex parts

$$F_1(p) = f_1(x) - px = y_0 - x_0 p + R\sqrt{p^2 + 1}$$

$$F_2(p) = x_0 p - y_0 + R\sqrt{p^2 + 1}$$

- ▶ Switch to polar coordinates

$$r = x \cos(\theta) + y \sin(\theta)$$

All tangent lines to a circle in real space are represented as two sinograms in legendre space

