

Multiparameter Continuation

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Implicitly defined "surface":

$$F(u)=0 \quad F:\mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{n-k}$$

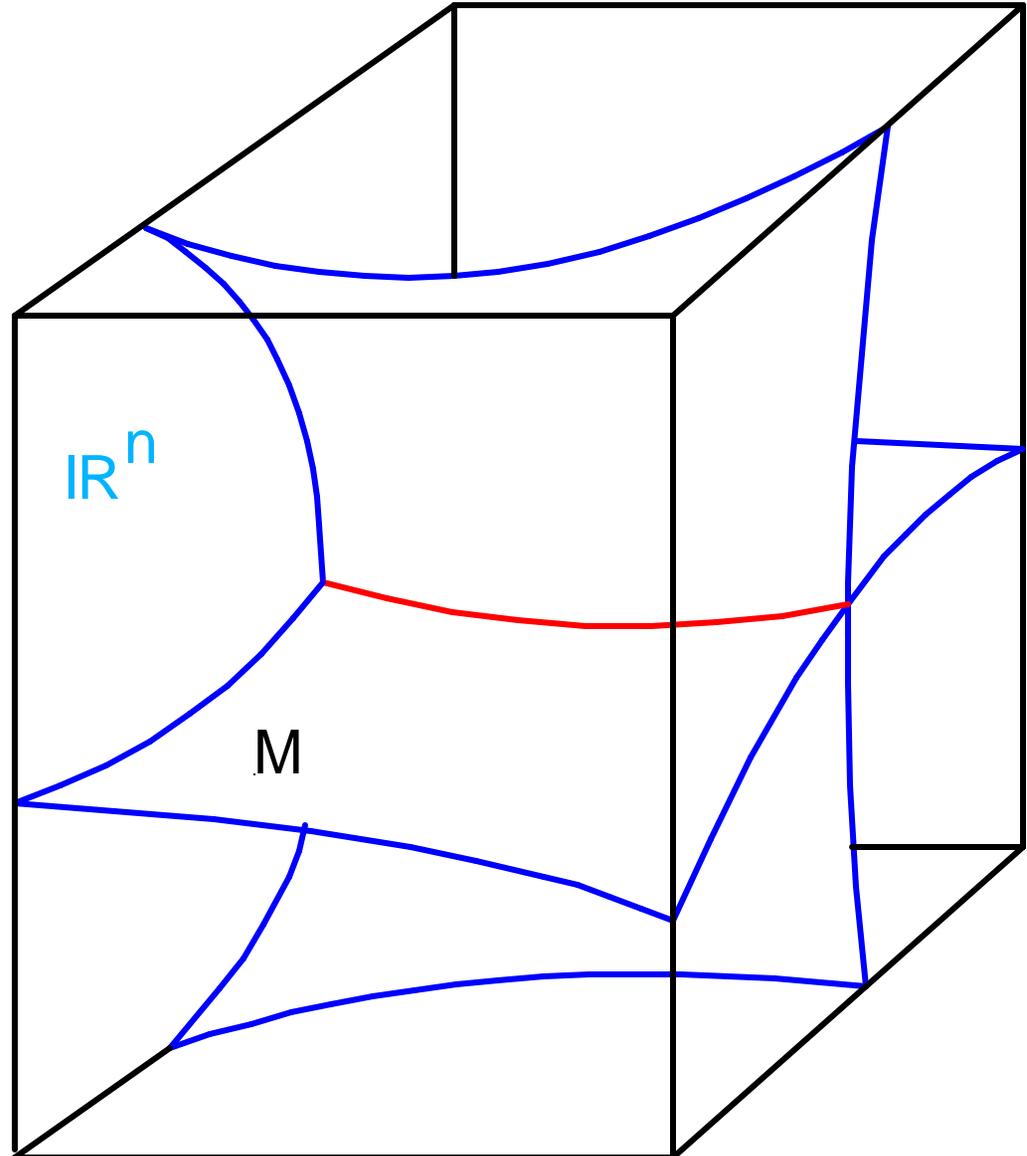
u might be (x,p) , with

x a steady state
or periodic motion

p a list of free parameters

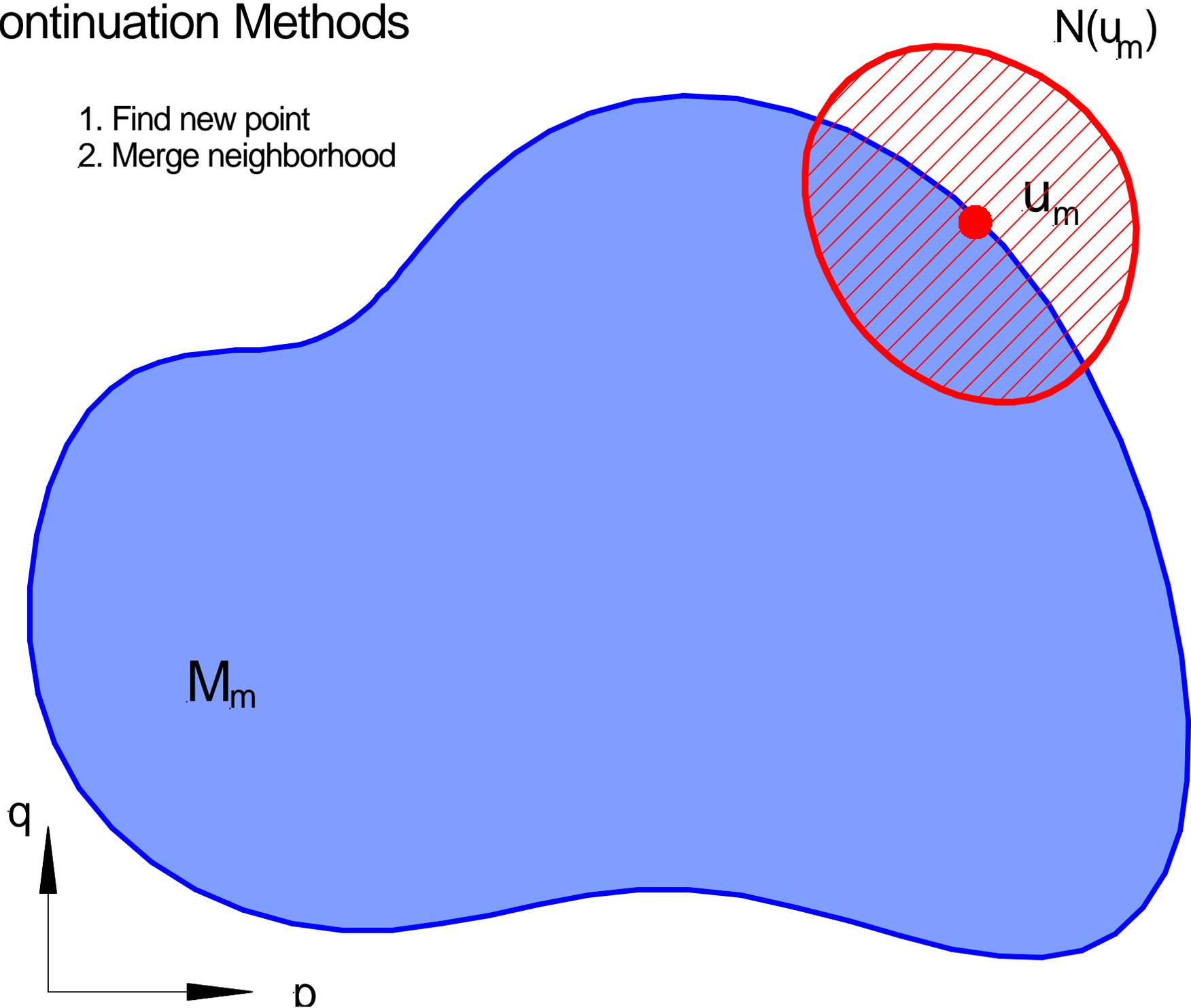
Solution manifold -- pieces of k -dimensional "surfaces" glued together along singular $k-1$ dimensional "curves".

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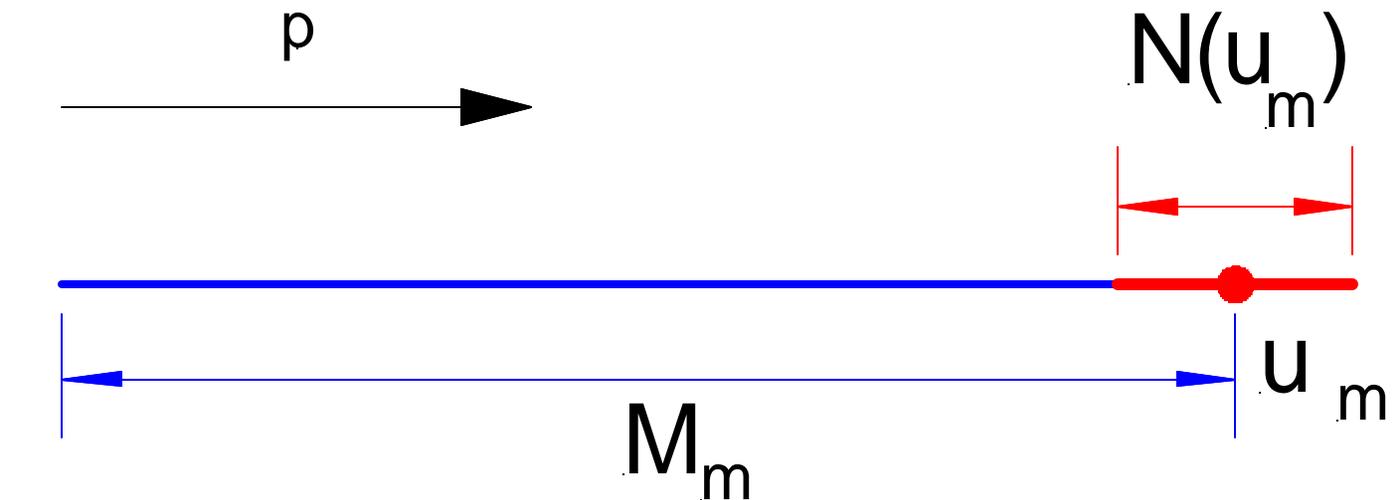


Continuation Methods

1. Find new point
2. Merge neighborhood



One dimension ($k=1$) is simple

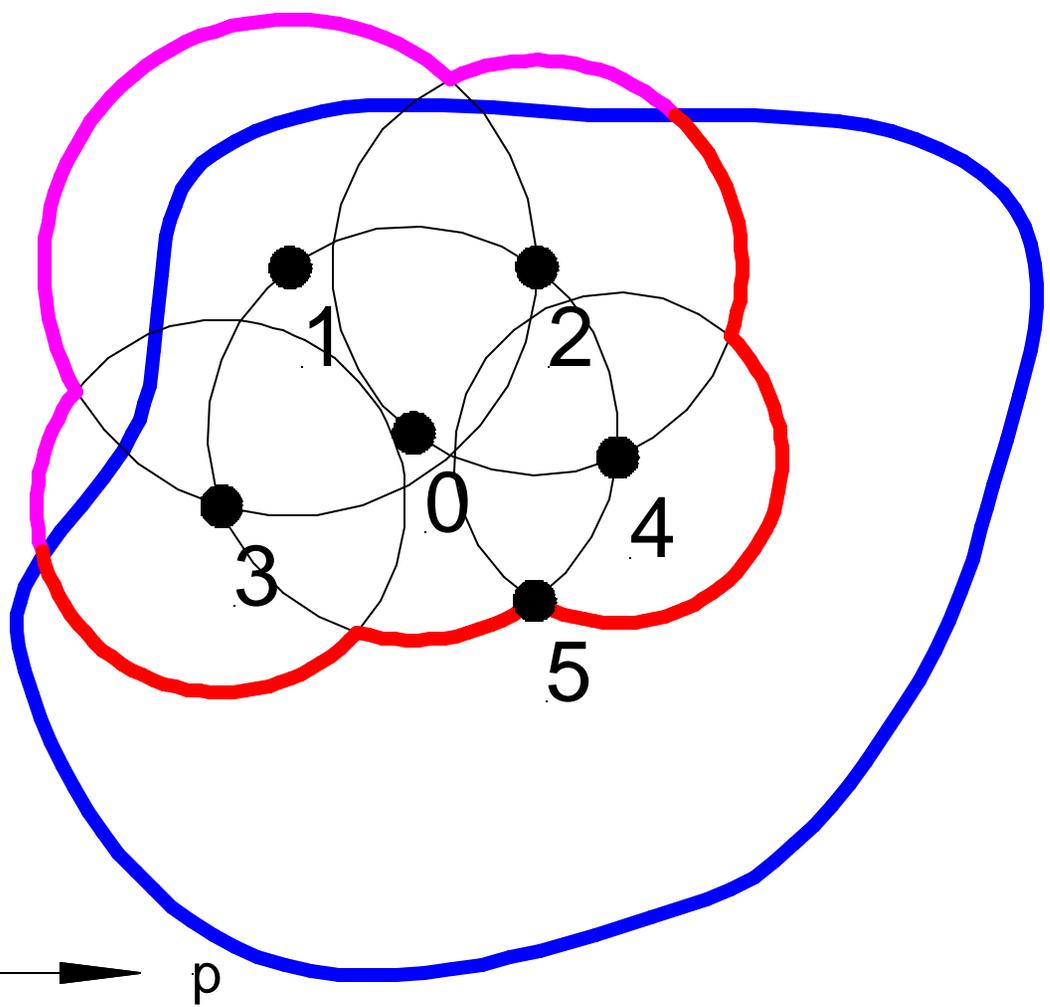


e.g.



How to generalize to $k > 1$?

$k > 1$



Methods differ in how they represent the M_m .

This choice makes finding a point and merging harder or easier.

Using a mesh make new point easy but merge hard.

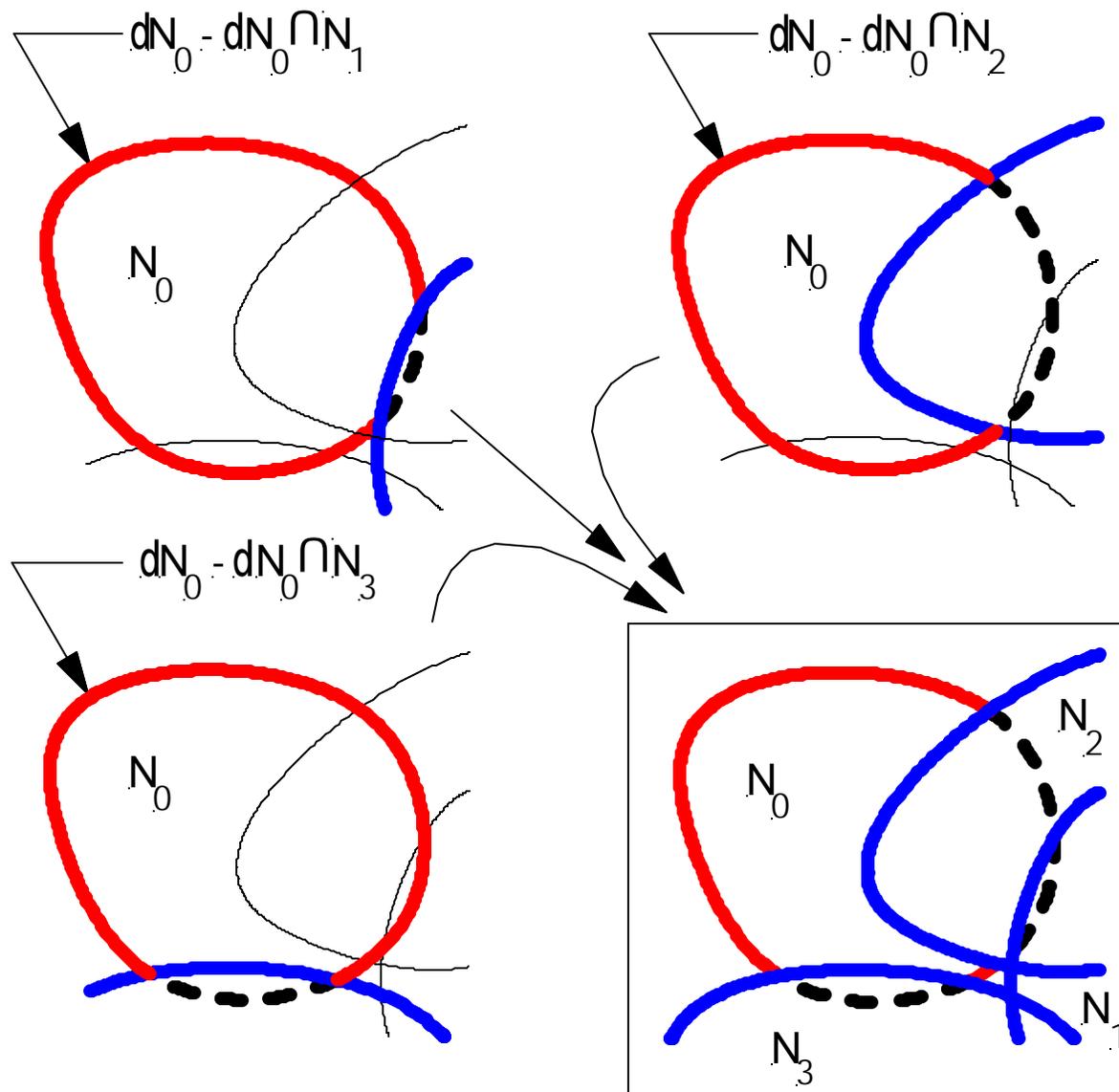
Using a covering makes merge easy but new point "hard".

Select new point from boundary in W .

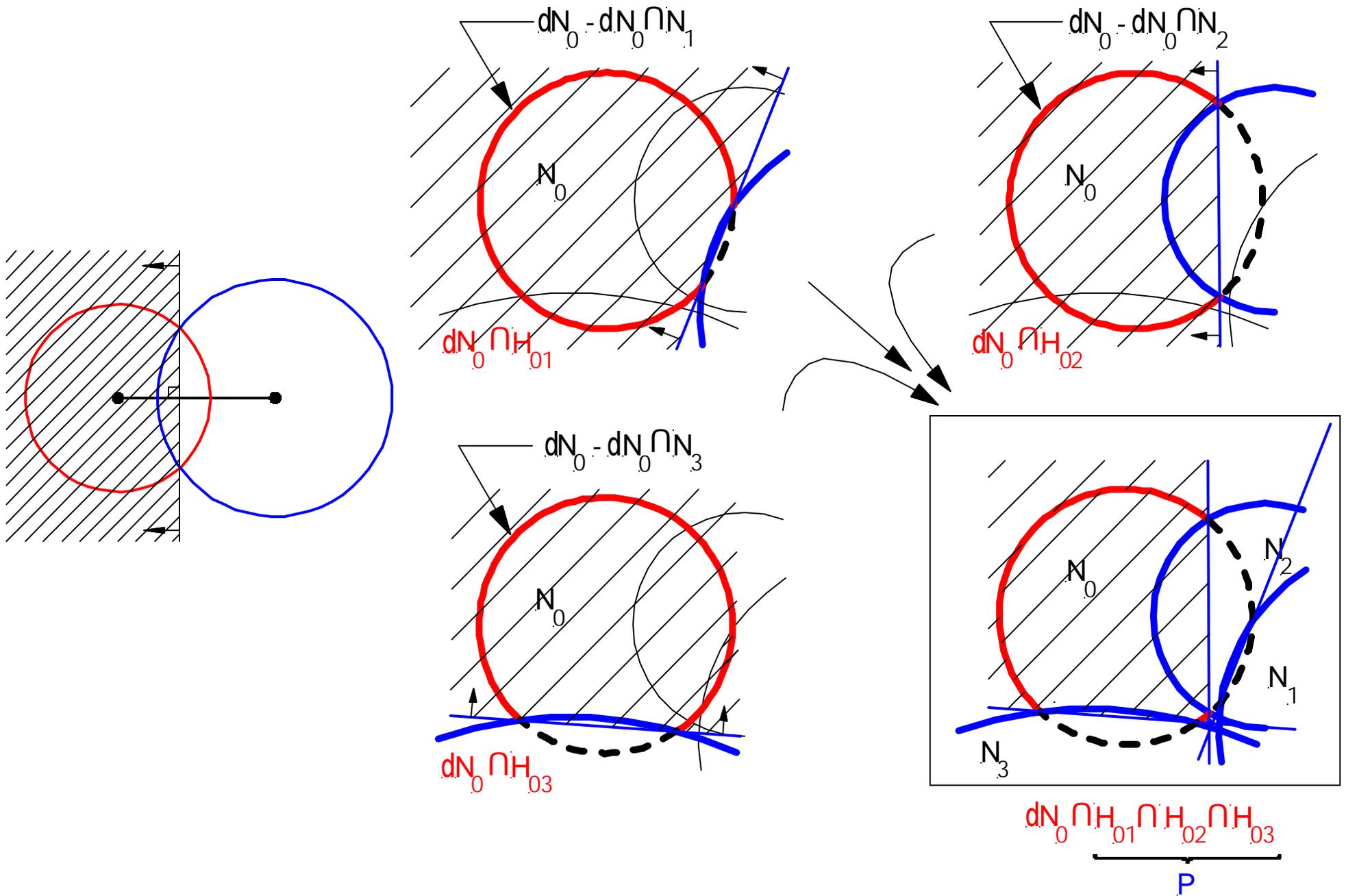
Volume covered keeps increasing.

The boundary of a union of neighborhoods - *points not interior to any N_i*

Can form the boundary from pairwise subtractions

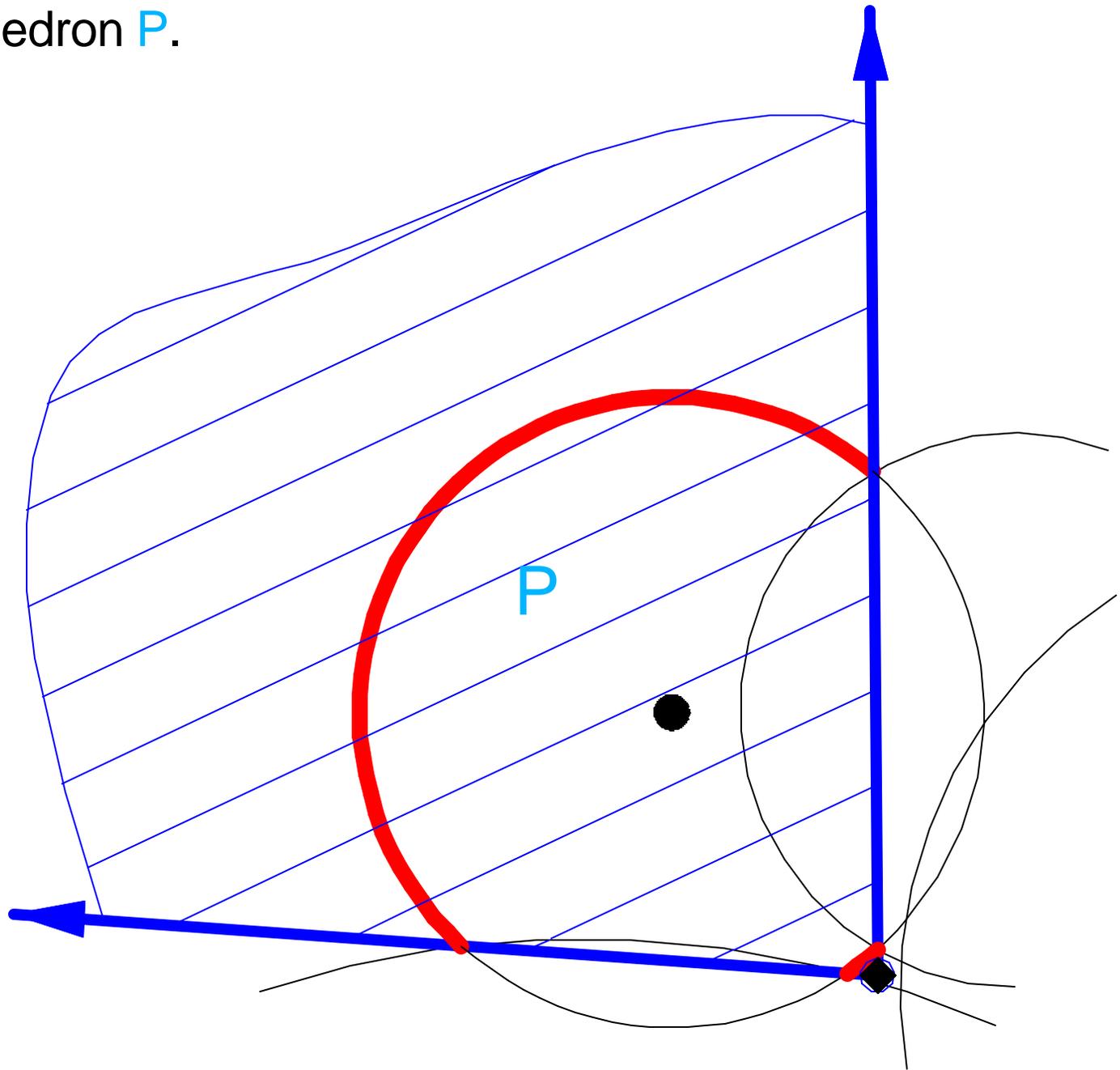


If N_i is a spherical ball

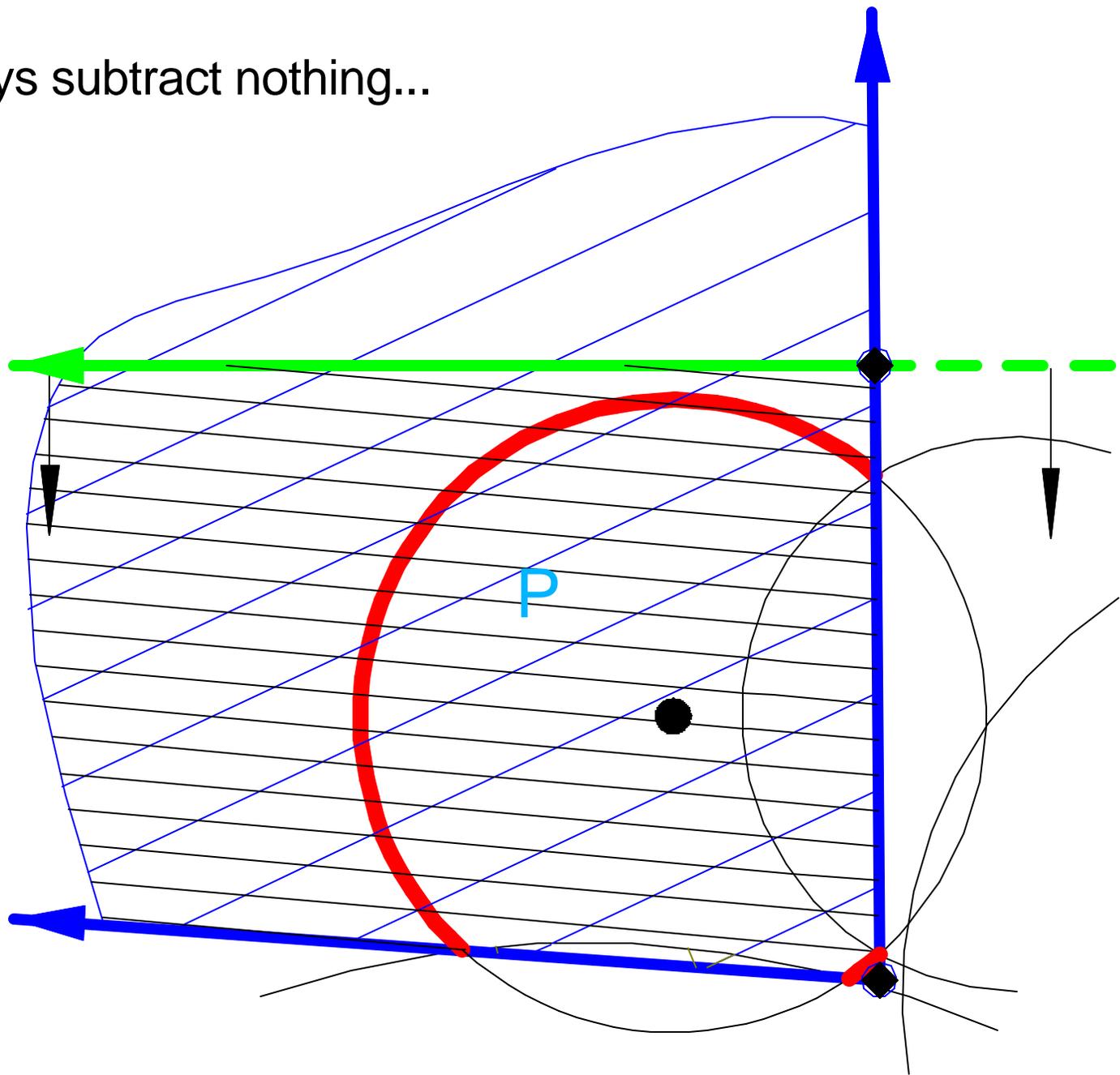


Instead of doing the subtractions can use
the blue polyhedron P .

P is convex

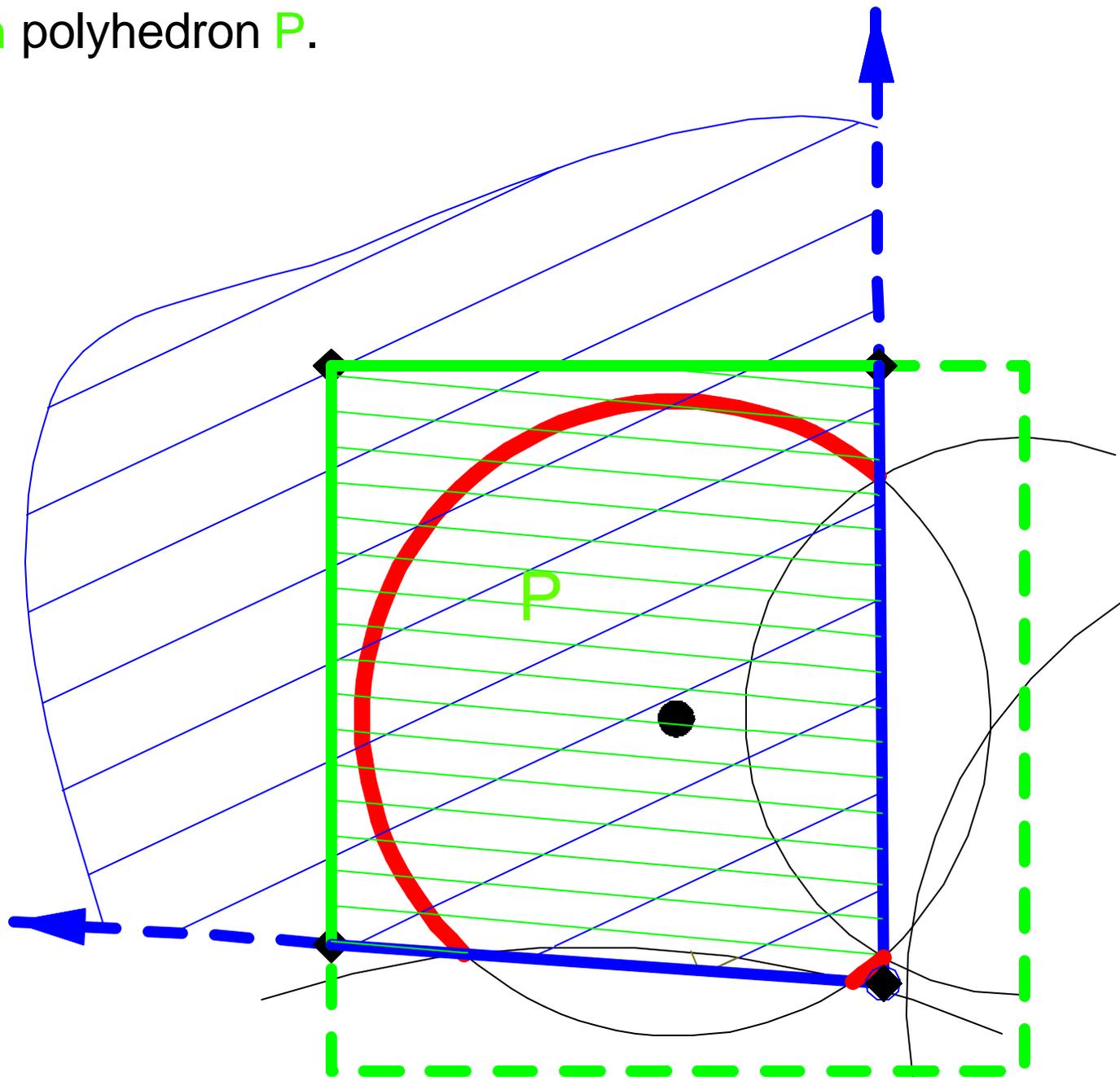


Can always subtract nothing...



Instead of doing the subtractions can use
the blue green polyhedron P .

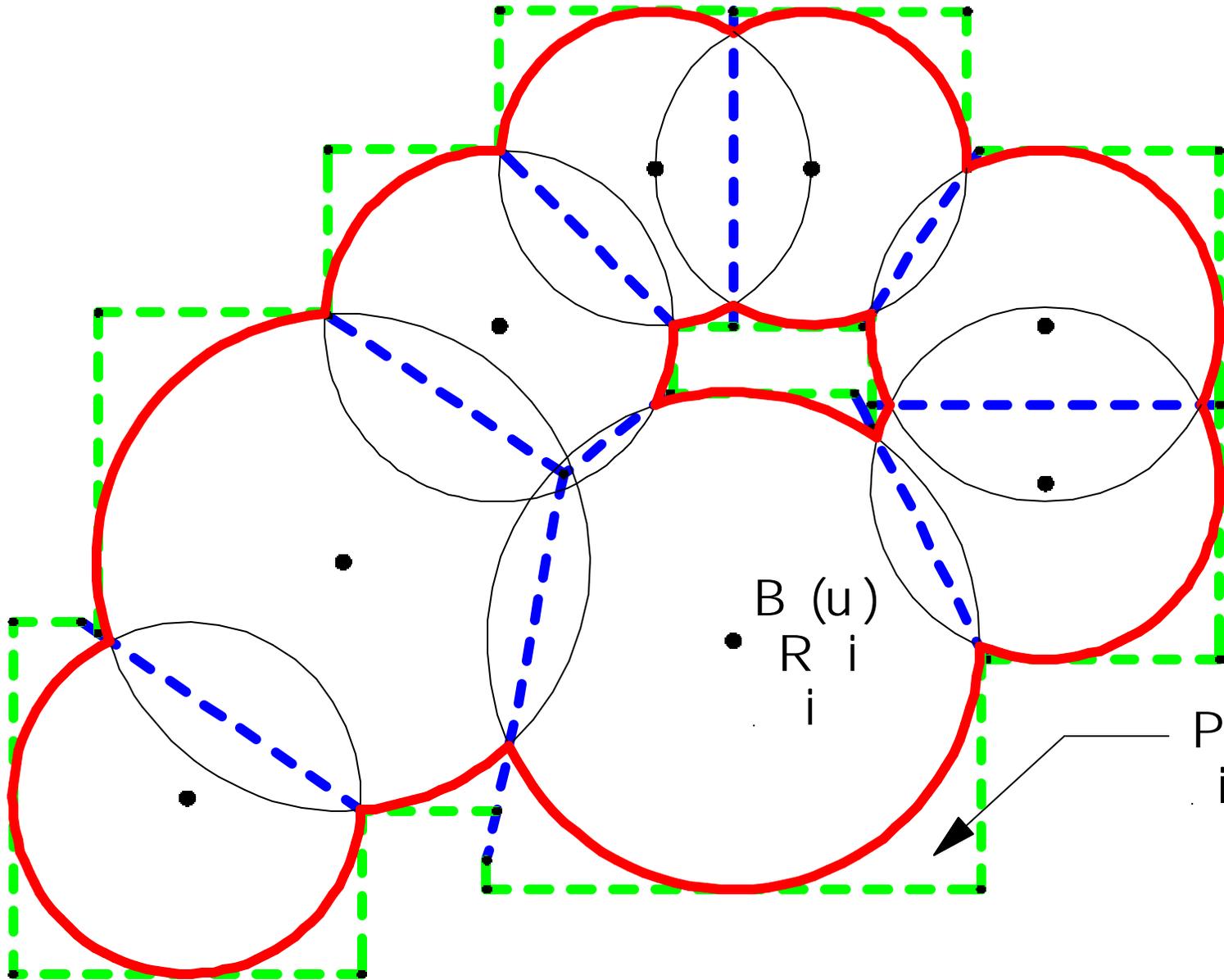
P is finite, convex



Boundary -> on Sphere and in Polyhedron

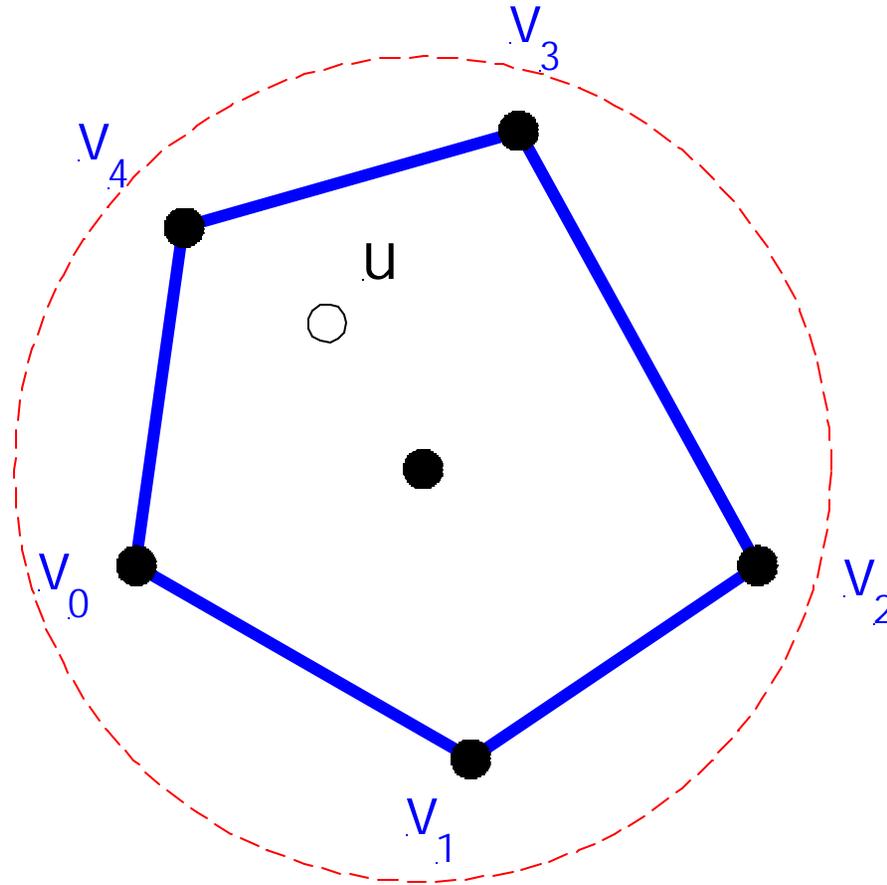
Power Diagram a.k.a.
"Restricted Laguerre Voronoi Diagram"

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Finding a point on the boundary

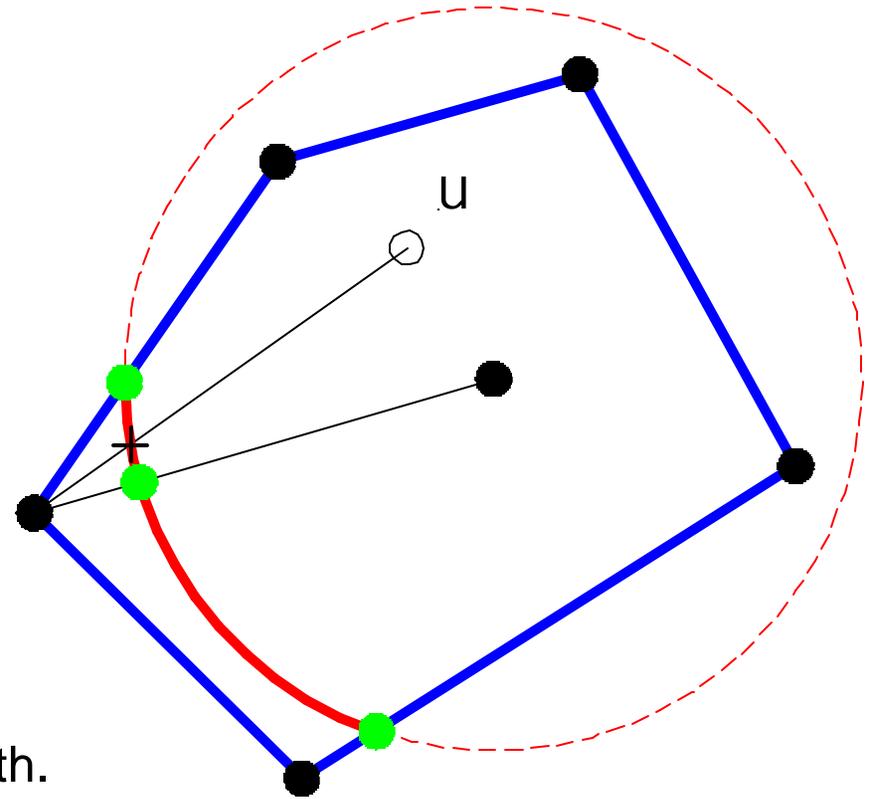
If all vertices of the polyhedron lie inside the ball --



no contribution to boundary of union.

Finding a point on the boundary

If a vertex of the polyhedron lies outside the ball --



"All" we have to do is find a point u in both.

Edge that crosses.

-- or --

If ratio of radii $< \sqrt{2}$ center is in P and can use the origin.

Continuation

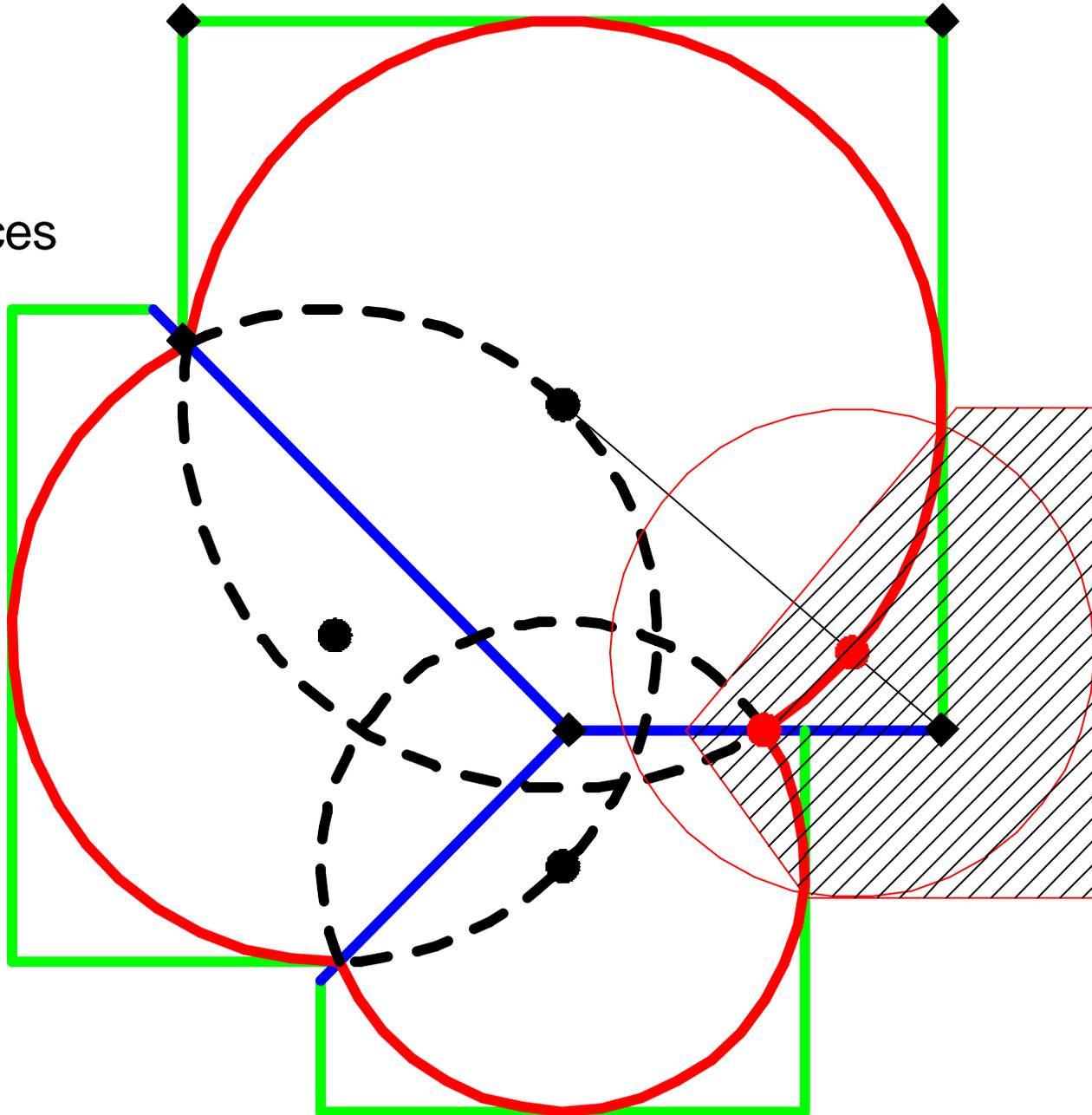
Find a P w/ ext. vert.

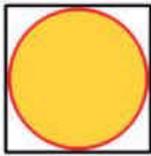
Get pt. on dM

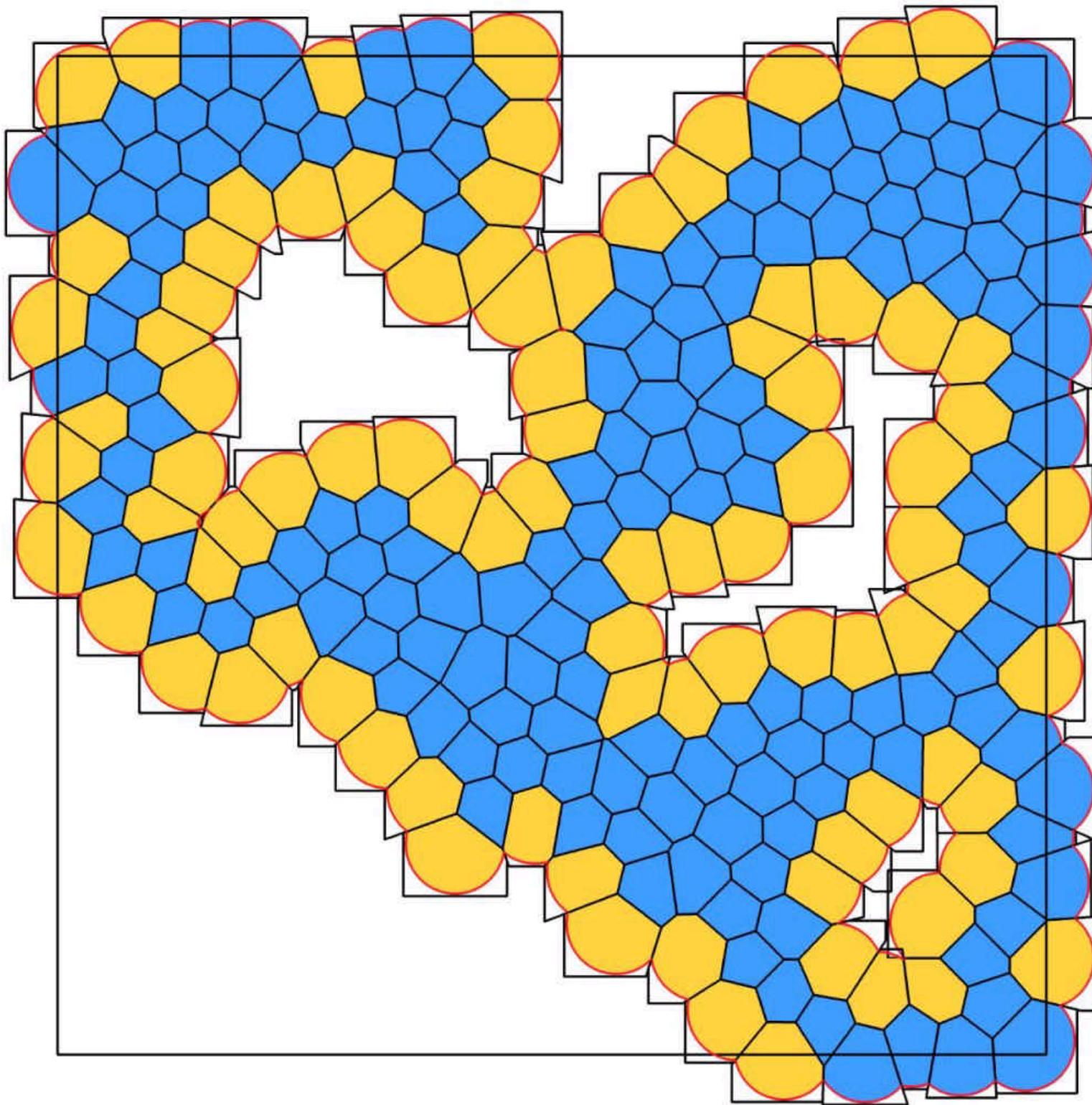
P =cube

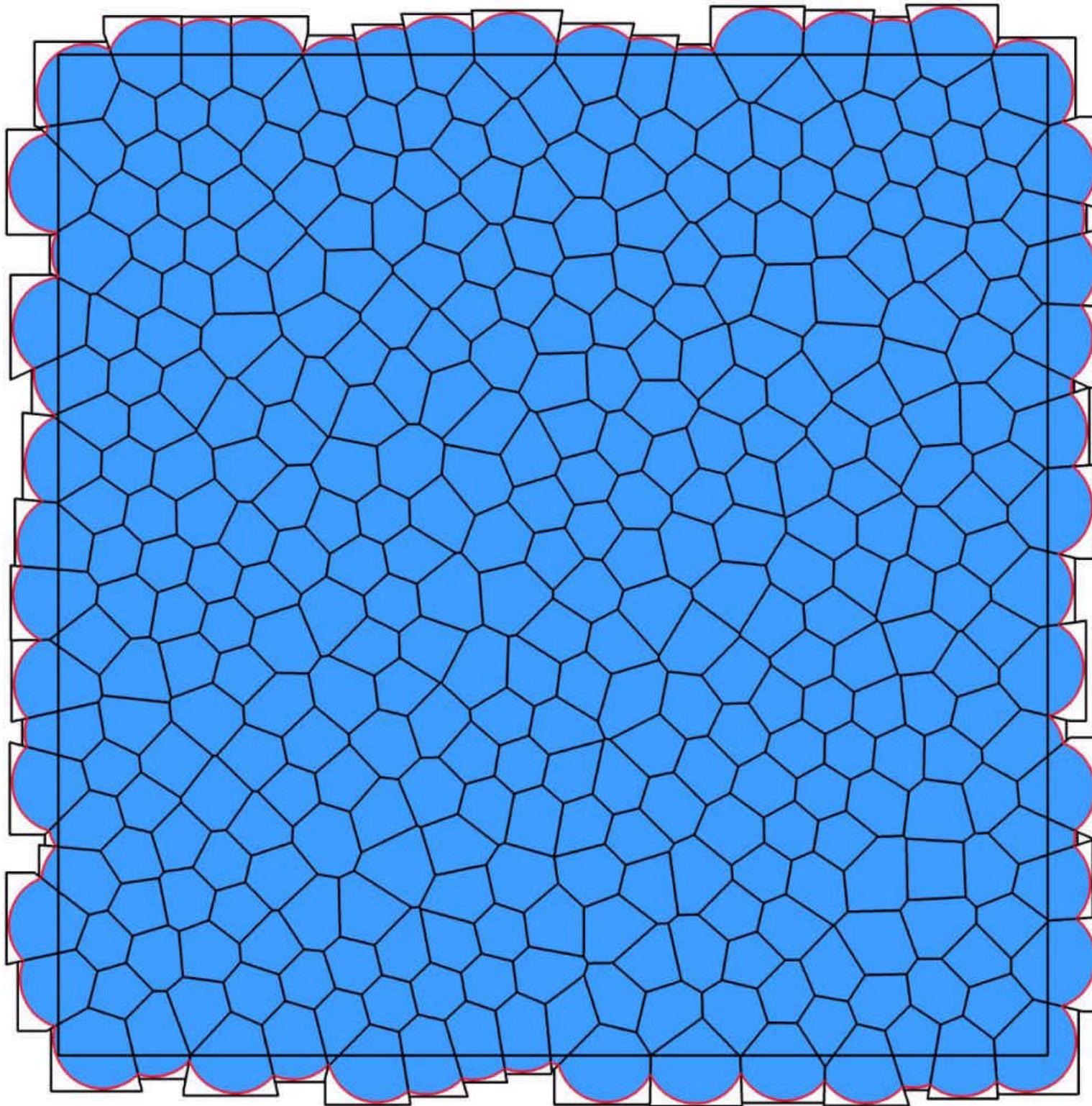
Find overlaps

Remove 1/2 spaces

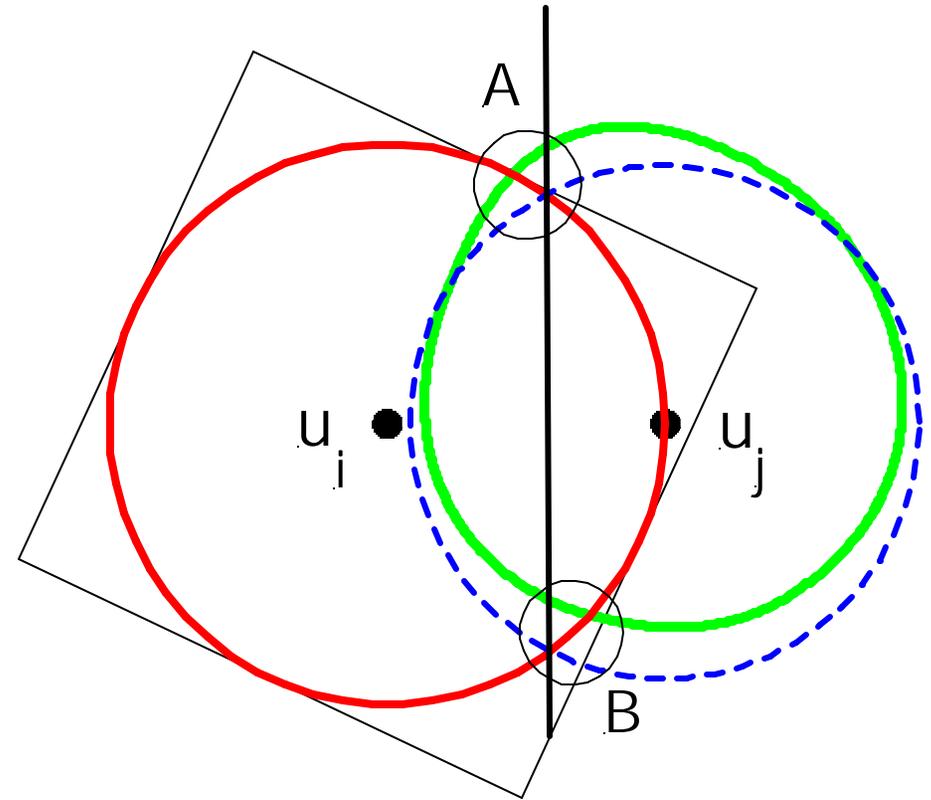
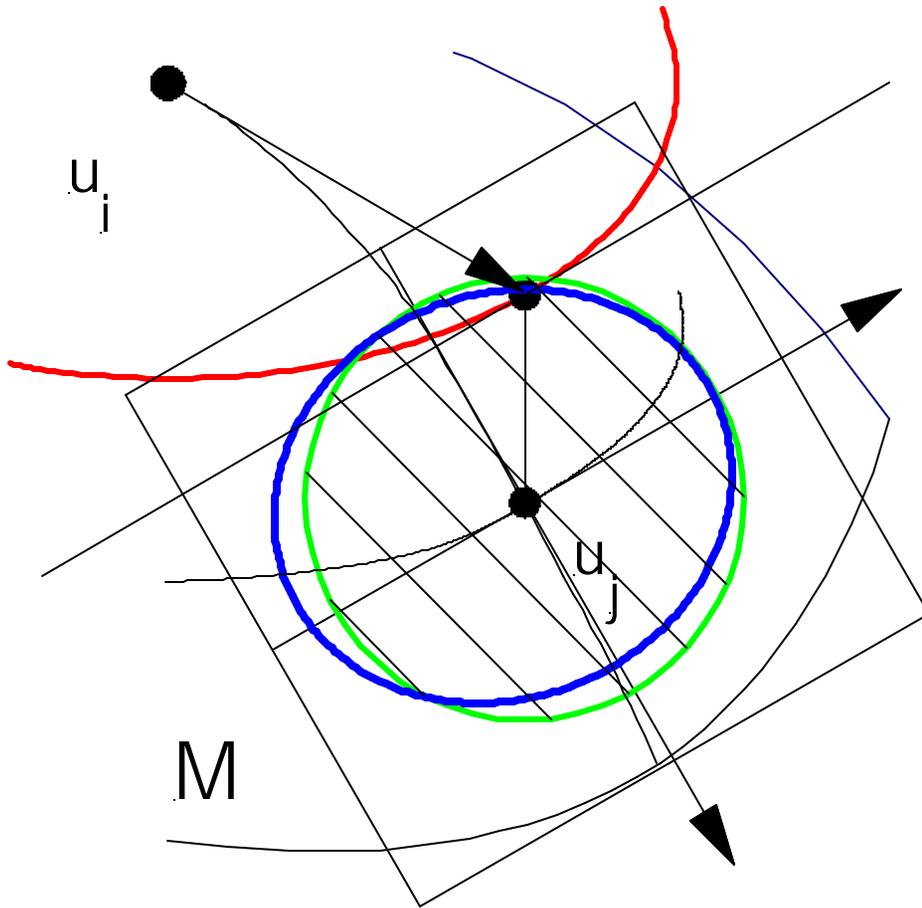




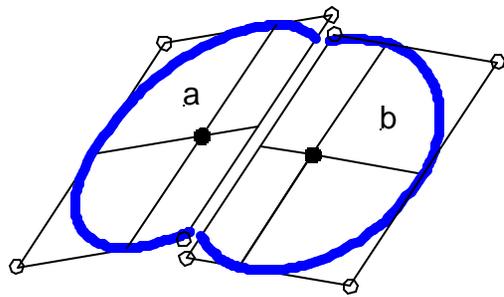
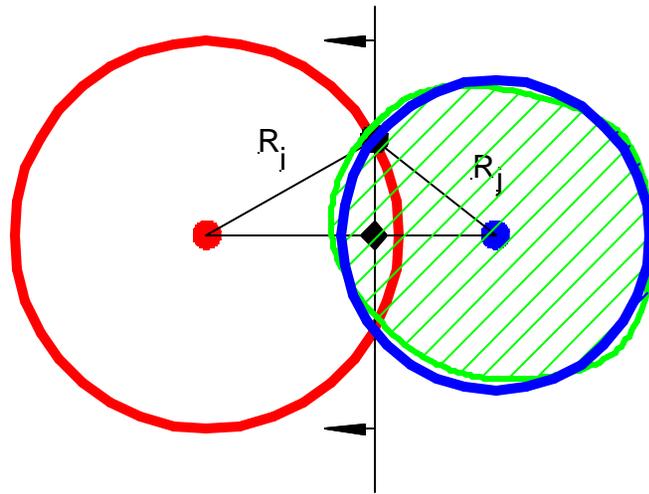




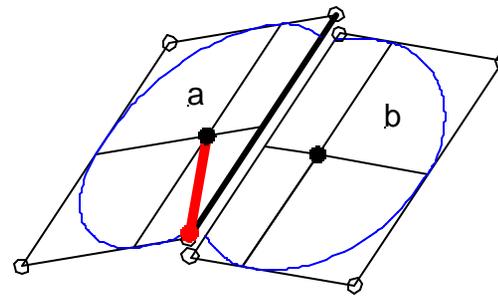
Surfaces that aren't flat -- Charts



Adding a new ball when M not flat.

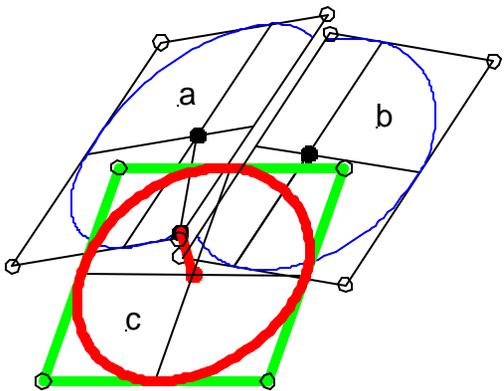


1. Initial

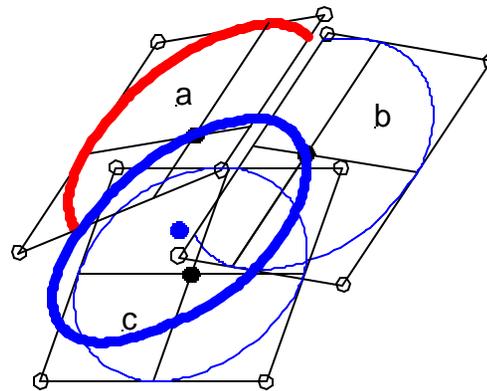


2. Find Pnt on Bnd

Norm in \mathbb{R}^k

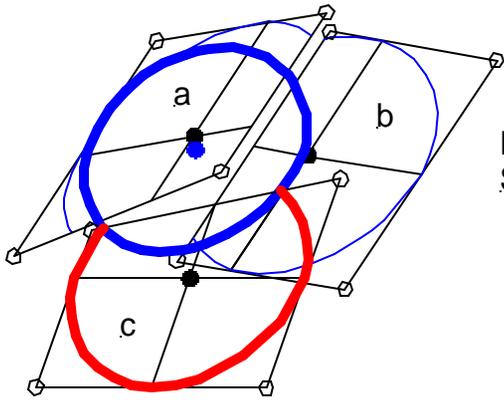


3. Project, create new ball/TS



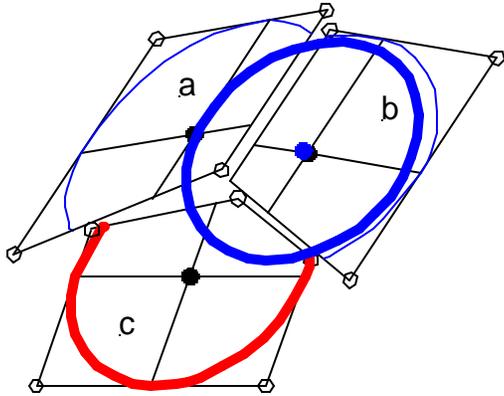
4. Subtract c from a

Project center onto k -space,
Subtract half space



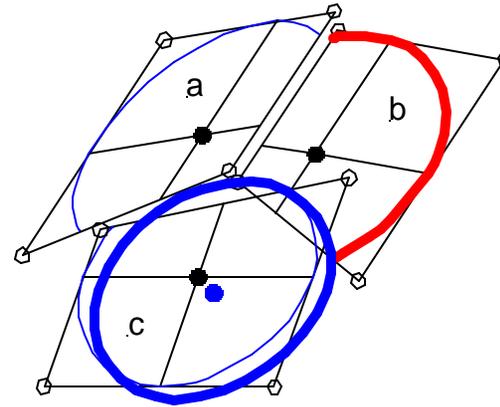
Project center onto k-space,
Subtract half space

5. Subtract a from c



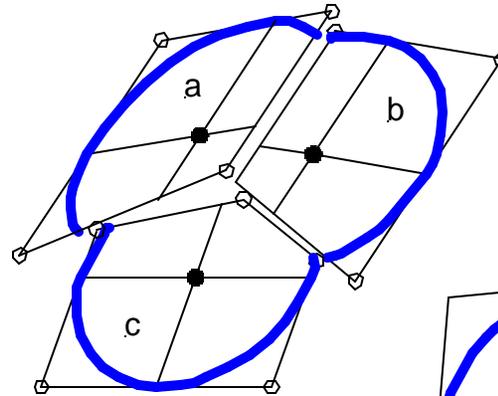
Project center onto k-space,
Subtract half space

7. Subtract b from c

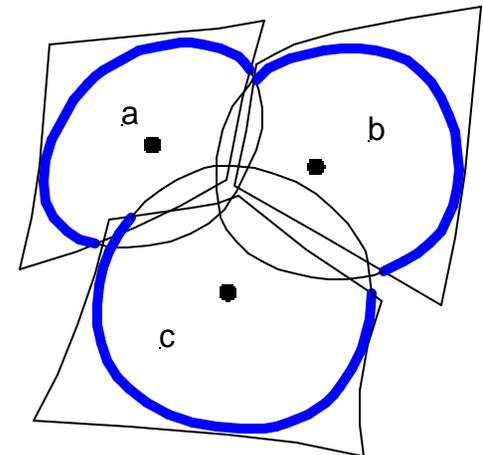


Project center onto k-space,
Subtract half space

6. Subtract c from b



8. Final

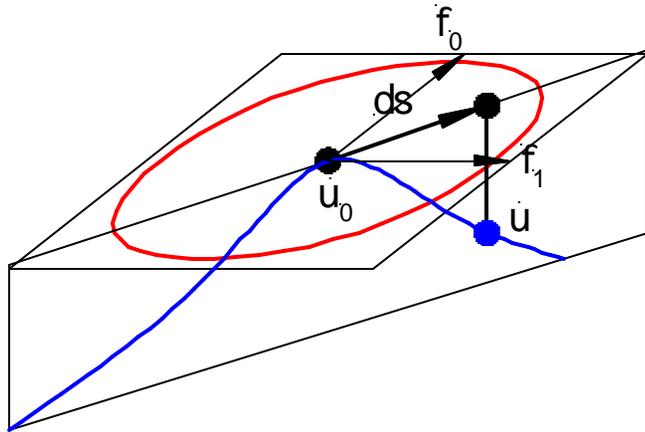


Need:

All operations basic linear algebra
plus subtract 1/2 space from polyhedron

Project from TS to M
Find TS.

Project a point onto M



F is the matrix whose columns are $\mathbf{f}_0, \mathbf{f}_1, \dots$, an orthonormal basis for the tangent space

ds is a k vector

$$F(u) = 0$$

$$\mathbf{F}^T (u - u_0) = ds$$

k pseudo-arclength constraints.

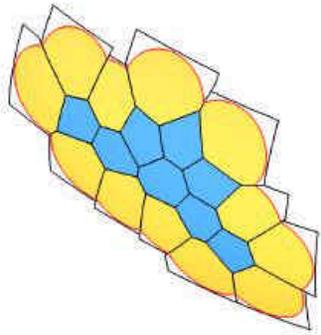
Find Tangent space

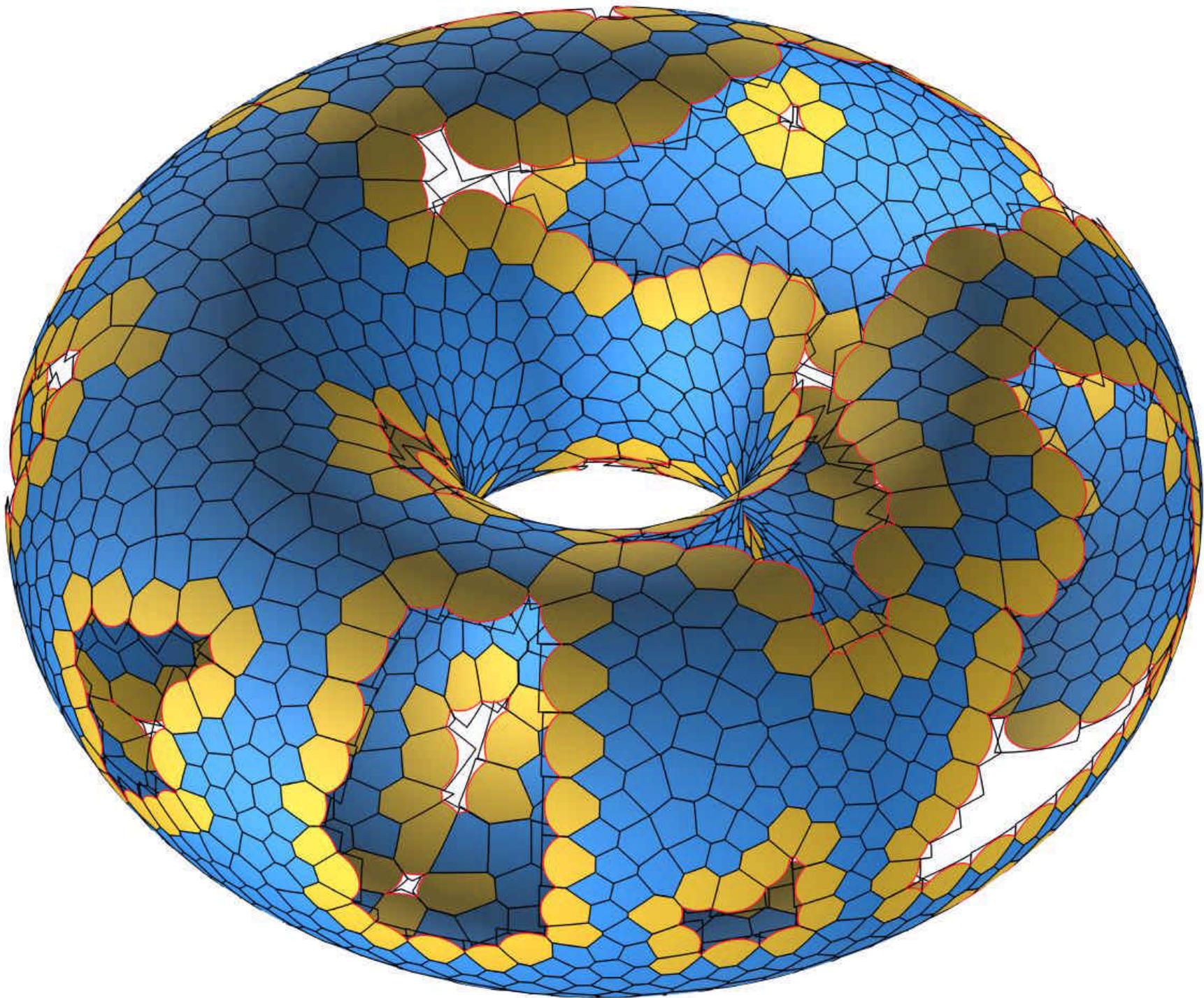
$$\mathbf{F} = \text{Null}(F_u(u))$$

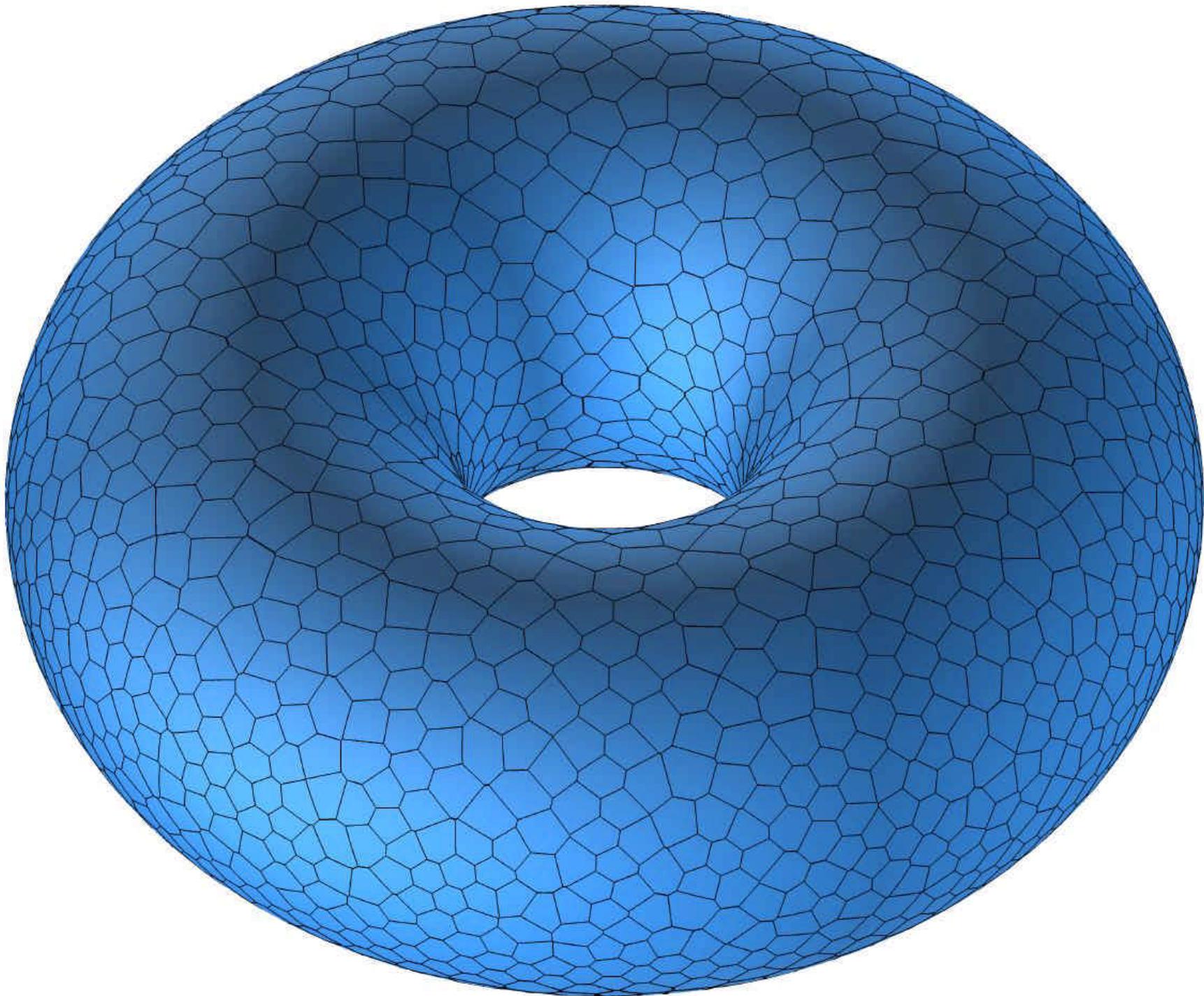
$$F_u(u) \mathbf{F} = 0$$

$$\mathbf{F}_0^T \mathbf{F} = \mathbf{I}$$

Then orthonormalize.

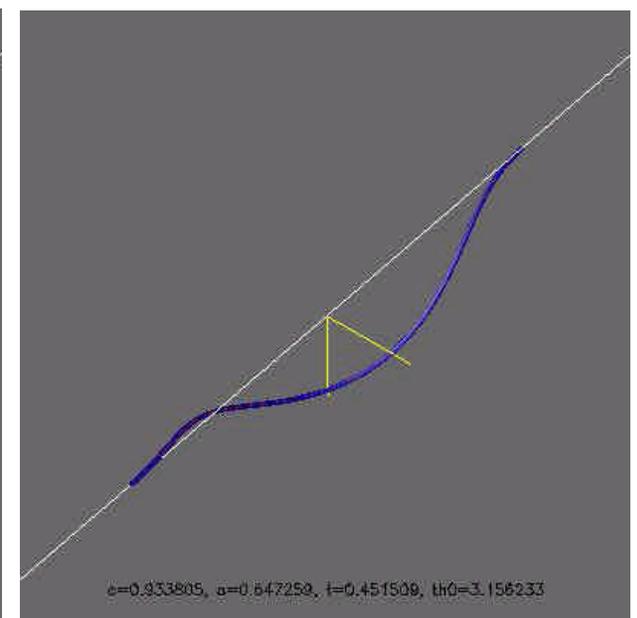
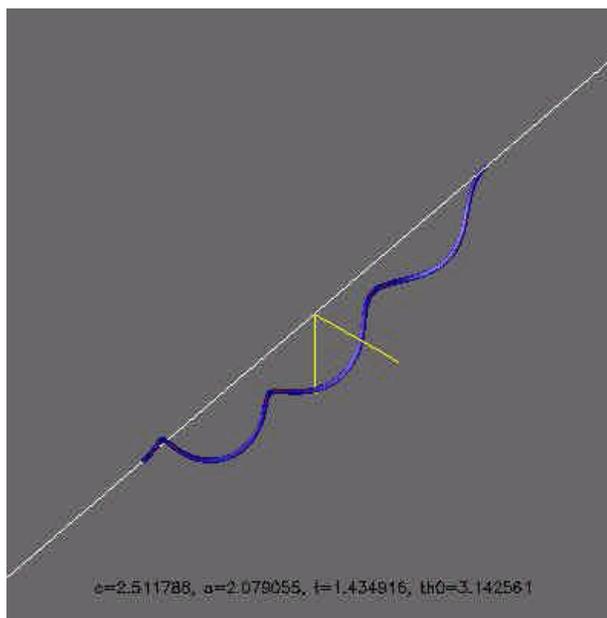
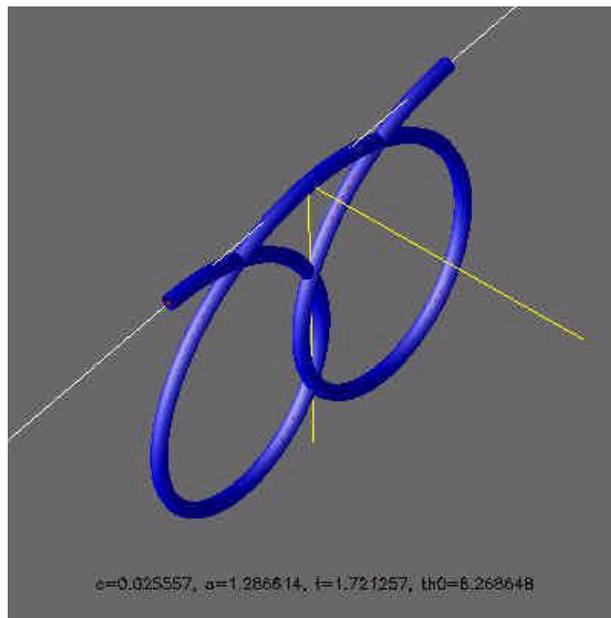
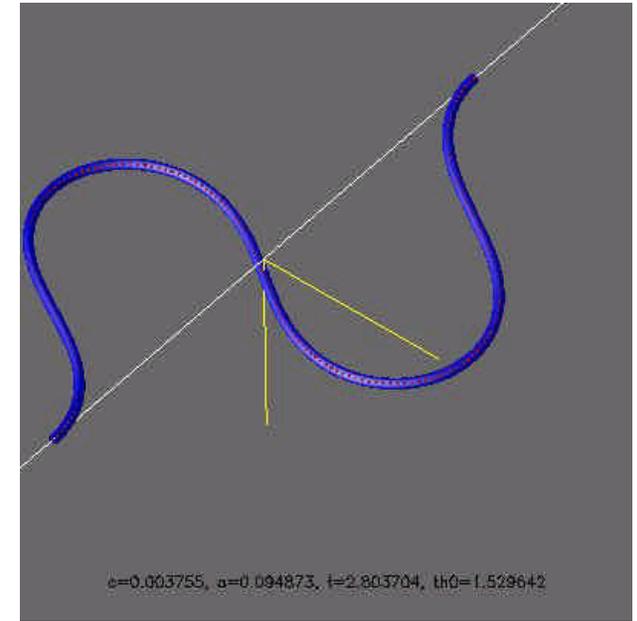
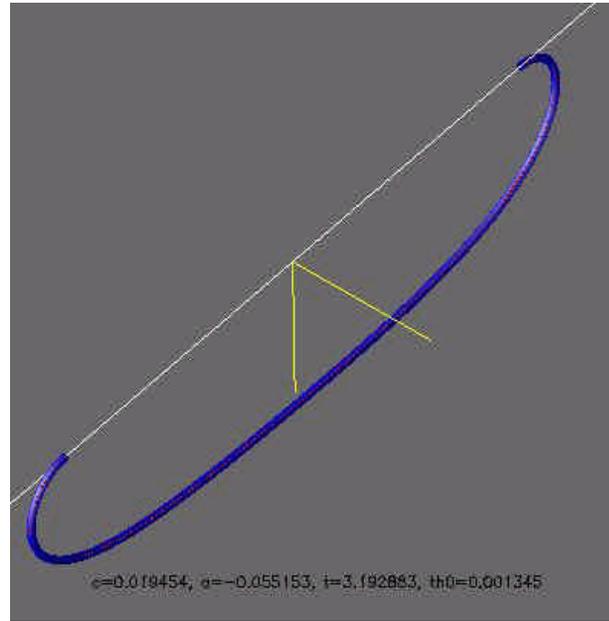
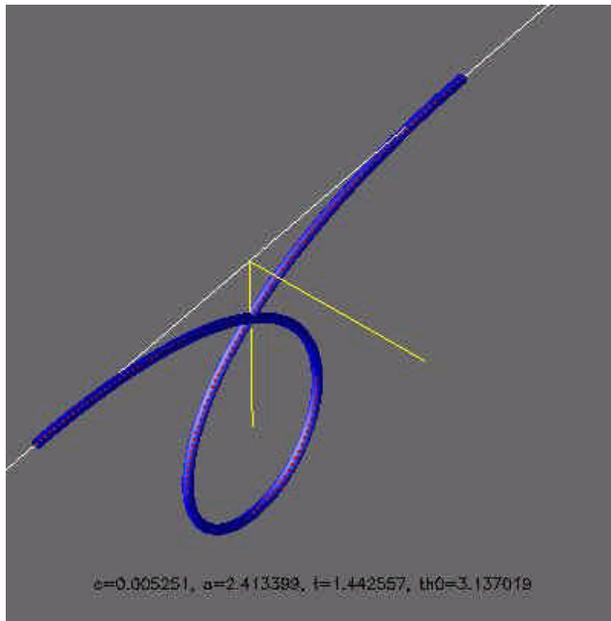


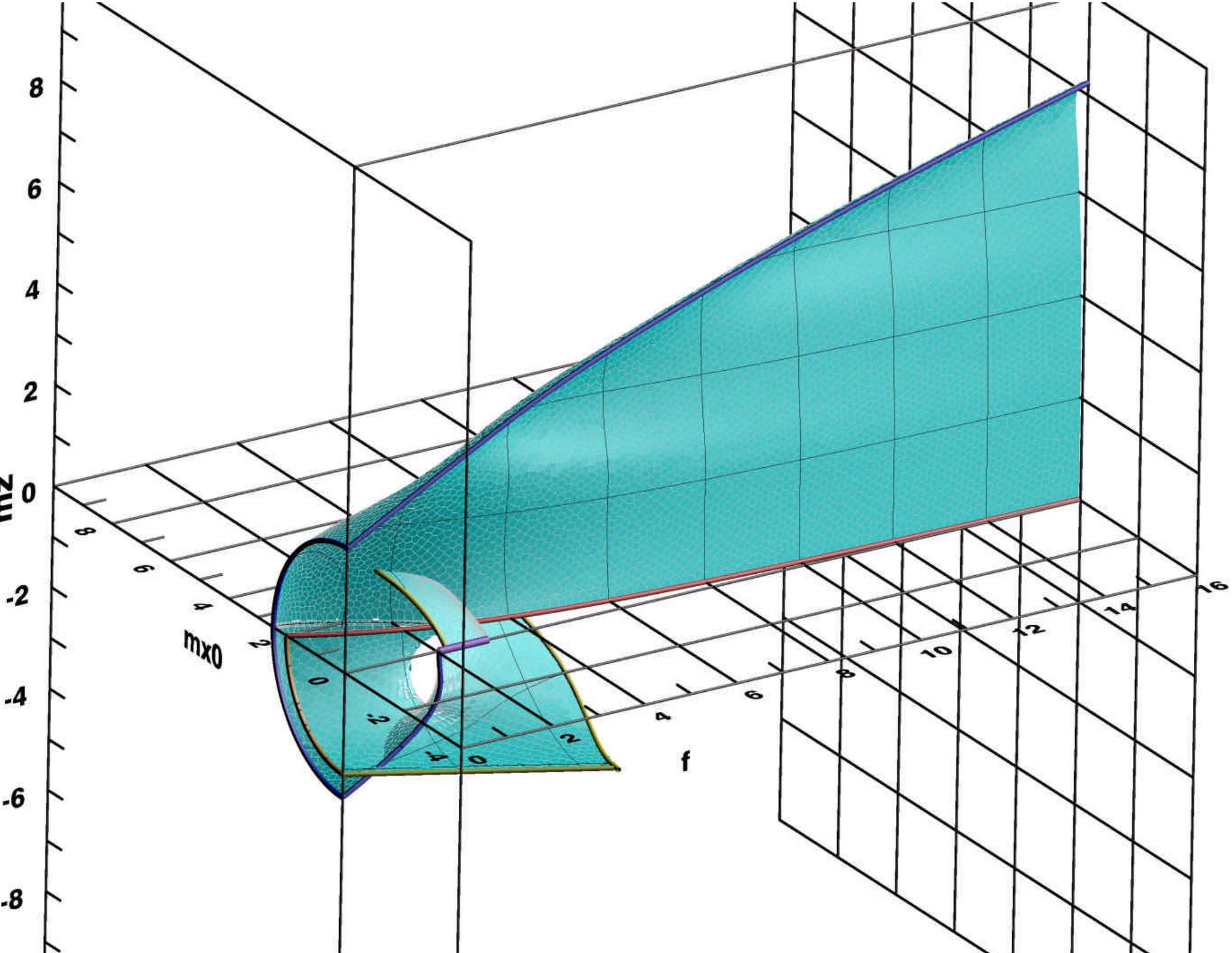


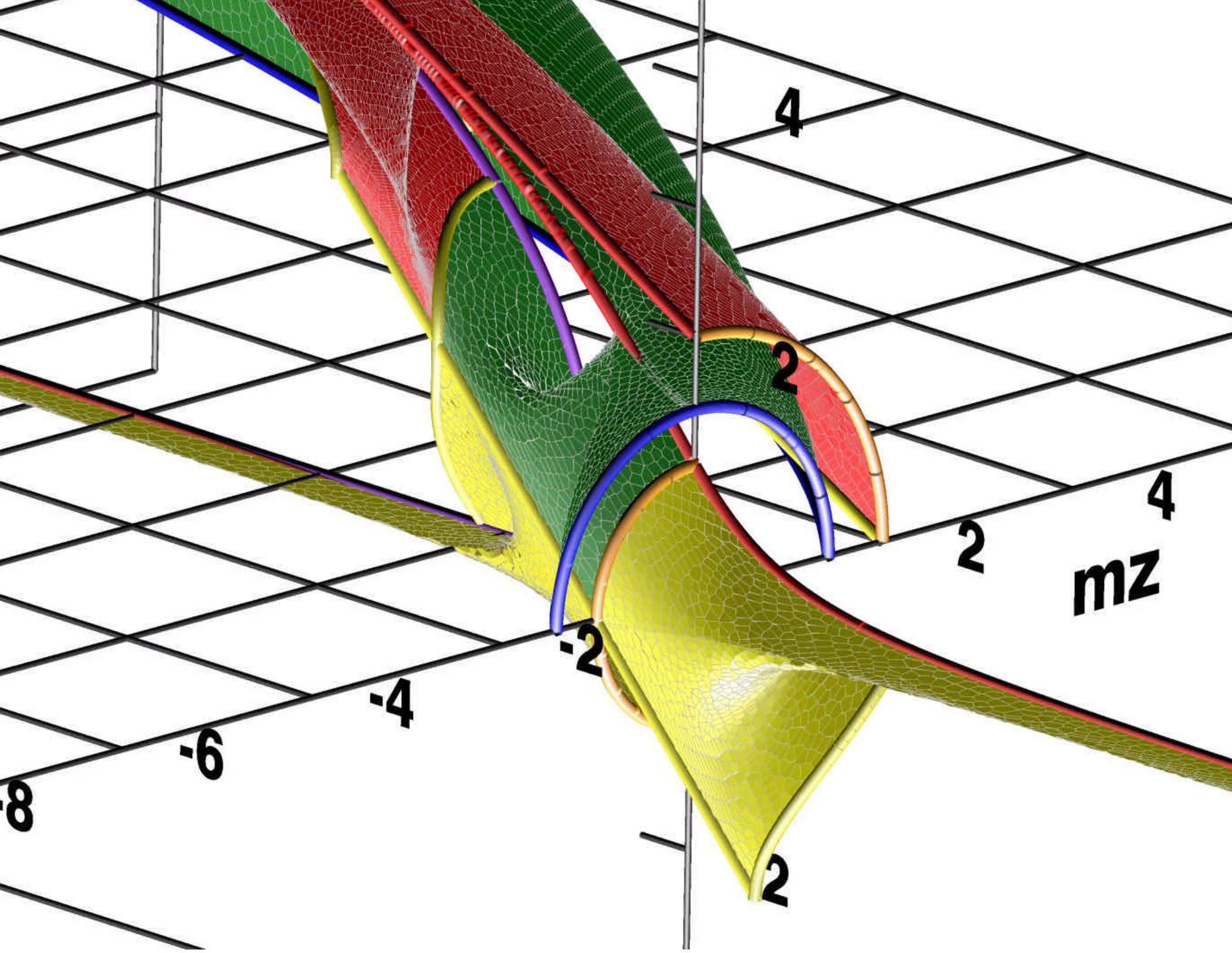


Twisted Rod

Sebastien Neukirch

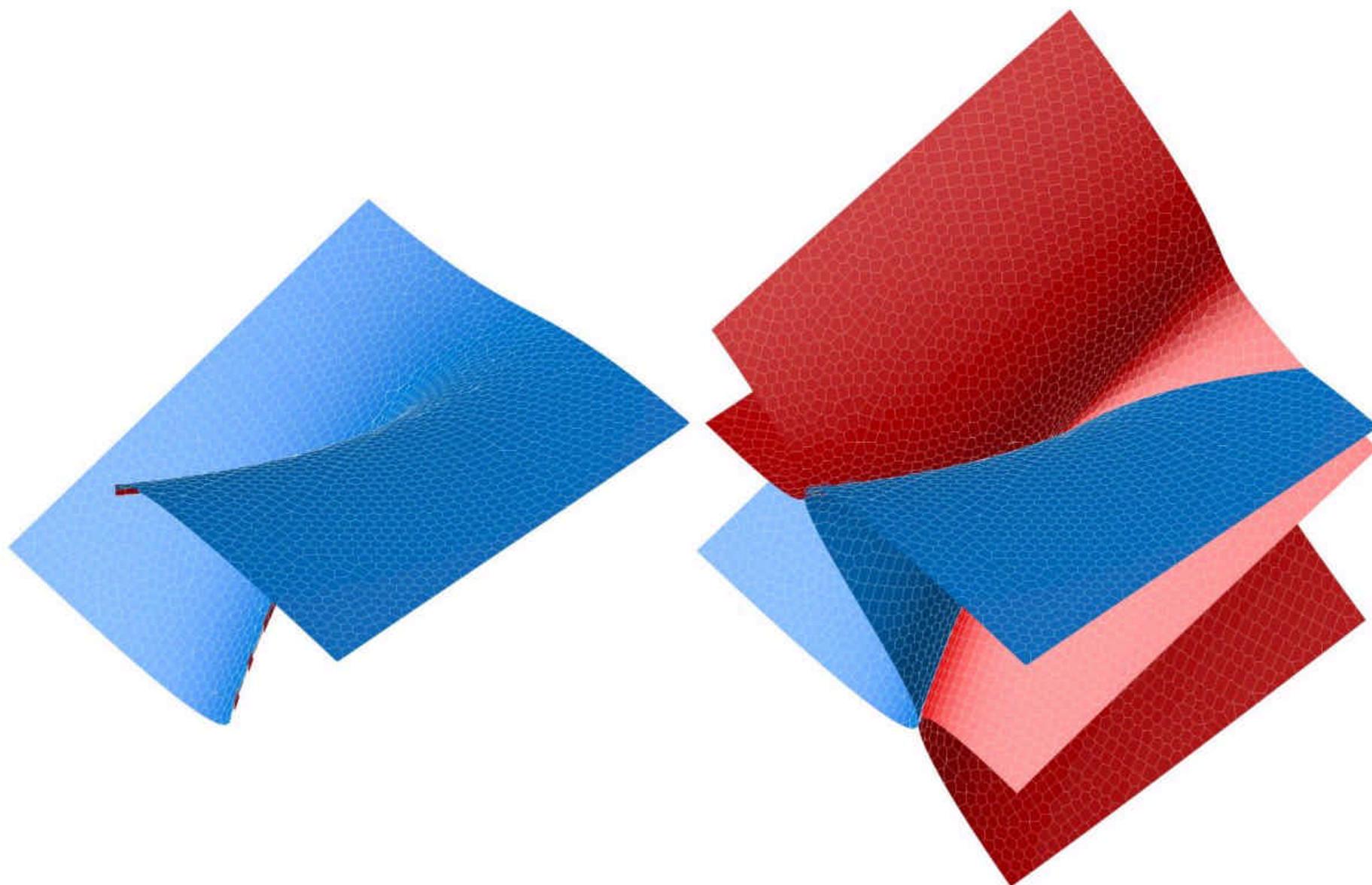






Complex Cusp

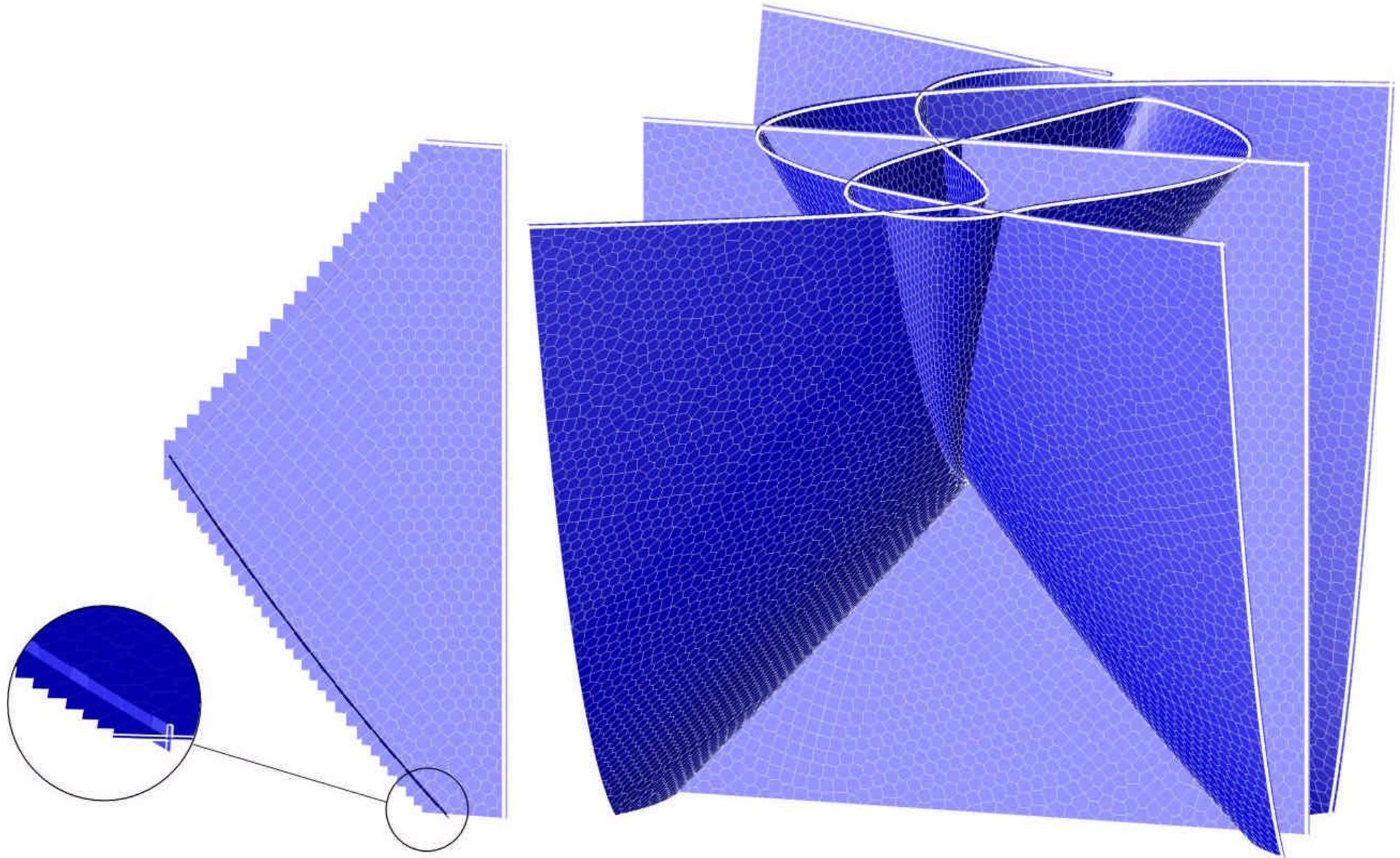
$n=4, k=2$



$$u(u^2 - 1) = m$$

Model of (2,4) mode interaction in Taylor-Couette Flow

$n=4, k=2$



Summary - compute a k -dim "surface" M

Covers M with a set of well distributed points/polyhedra.

Adds points (neighborhoods) from boundary.

Finds boundary in terms of polyhedra P (like Voronoi polyhedra).



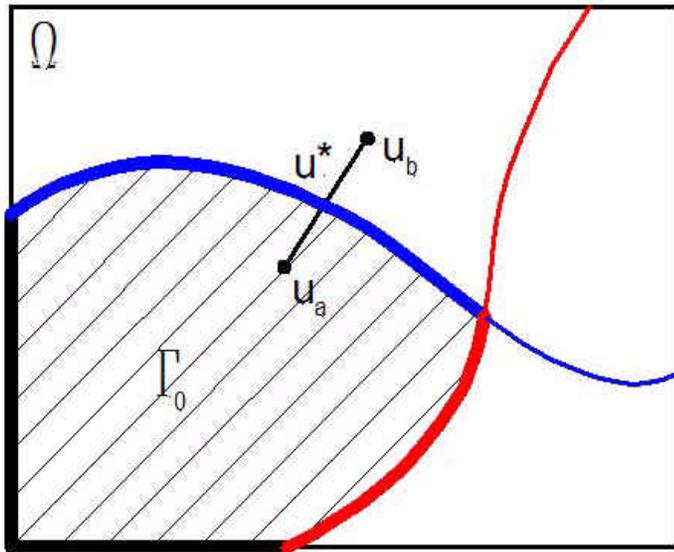
Works in any dimension (subtract half space from P).

Parallel search branch switching.

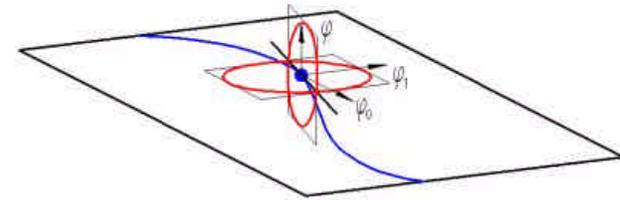
www.coin-or.org/multifario (Open Source)

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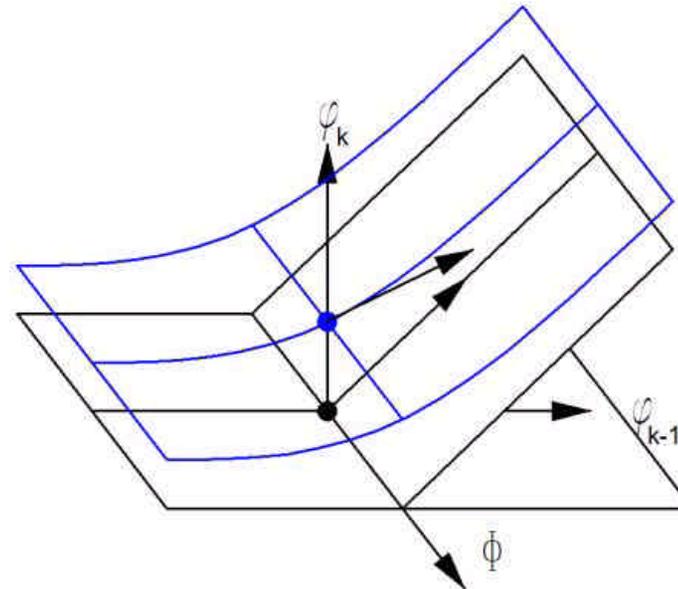
Branch Switching



Detection



Parallel search



Find tangent space of perturbed problem
Common subspace is tangent to sing. crv.