

Review on the strong measure zero σ -ideal and Yorioka's σ -ideals

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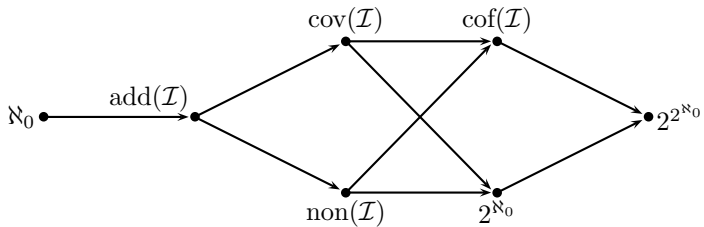
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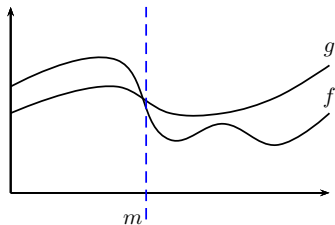
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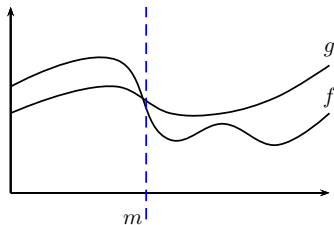
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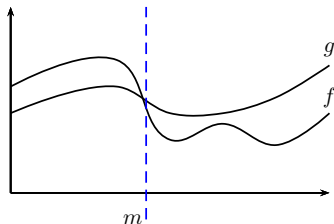
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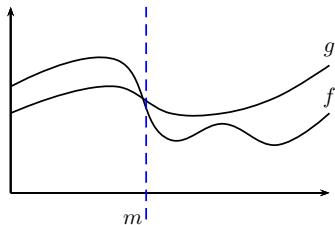
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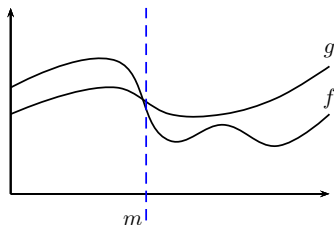


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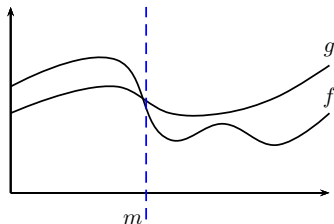
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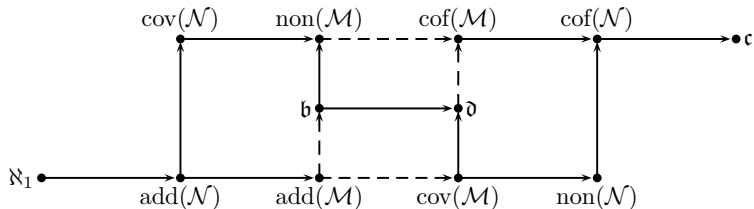
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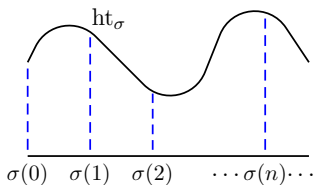
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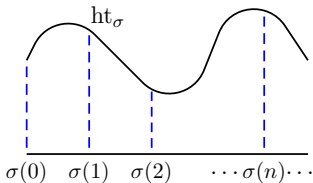
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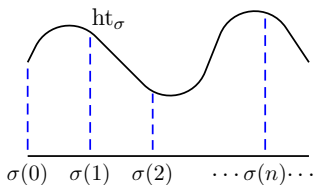


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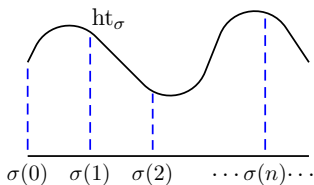


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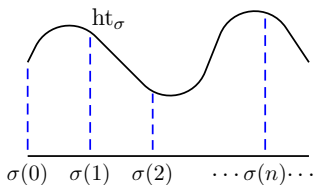
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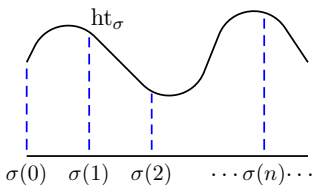
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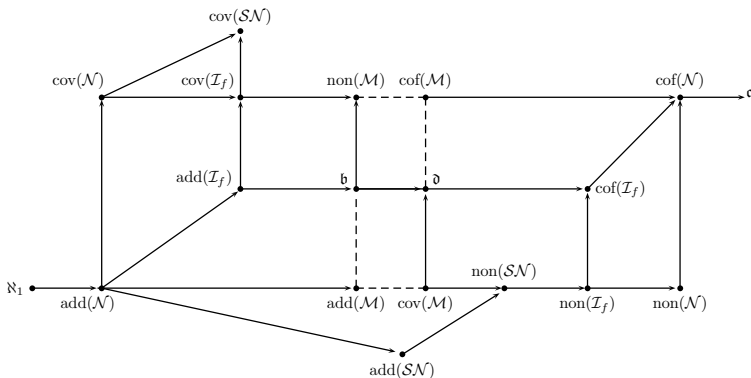
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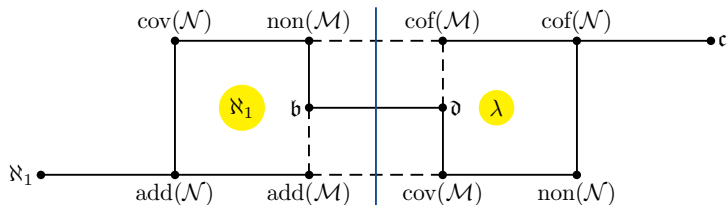
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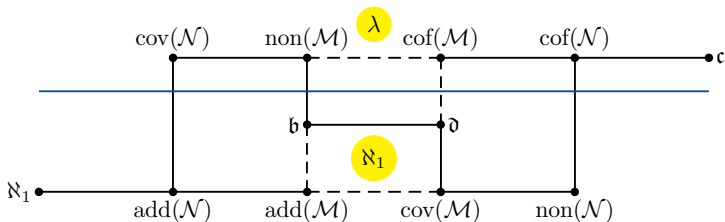
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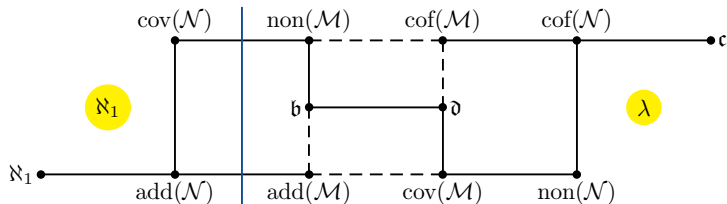
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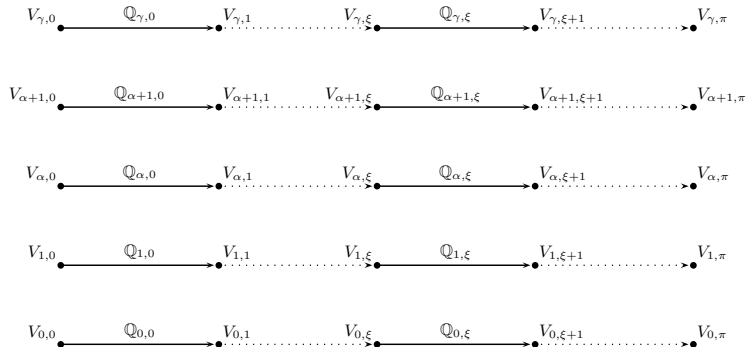


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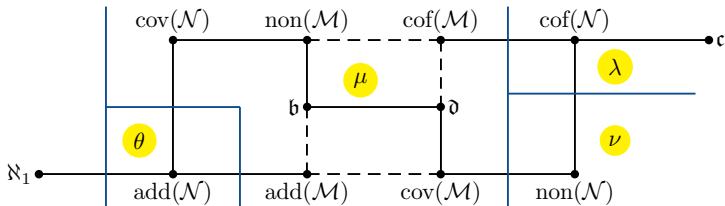


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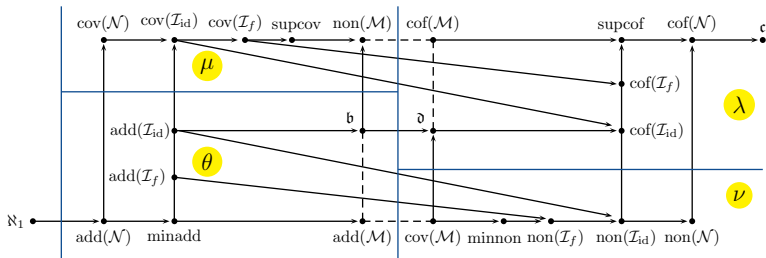
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Thank you for your attention!