

Fourteen

Chain Rule:

$$(f \circ g)'(x) = f'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x)$$

Example:

$$\frac{d}{dx} \cos(x^2) = (-\sin(x^2)) \cdot (2x)$$

- ① Matrices
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- ③ The purpose of Jacobian matrices
- ④ Chain rule
- ⑤ The chain rule in practice

I Matrices

A $k \times n$ matrix is a matrix
with k rows and n columns.

$|x|$: 8

$|x_2|$: (4, 6)

$|x_3|$: (3, 7, 8)

2×1 : $\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$

2×2 : $\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 7 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$

2×3 : $\begin{pmatrix} 6 & 7 & 1 \\ 3 & 4 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$

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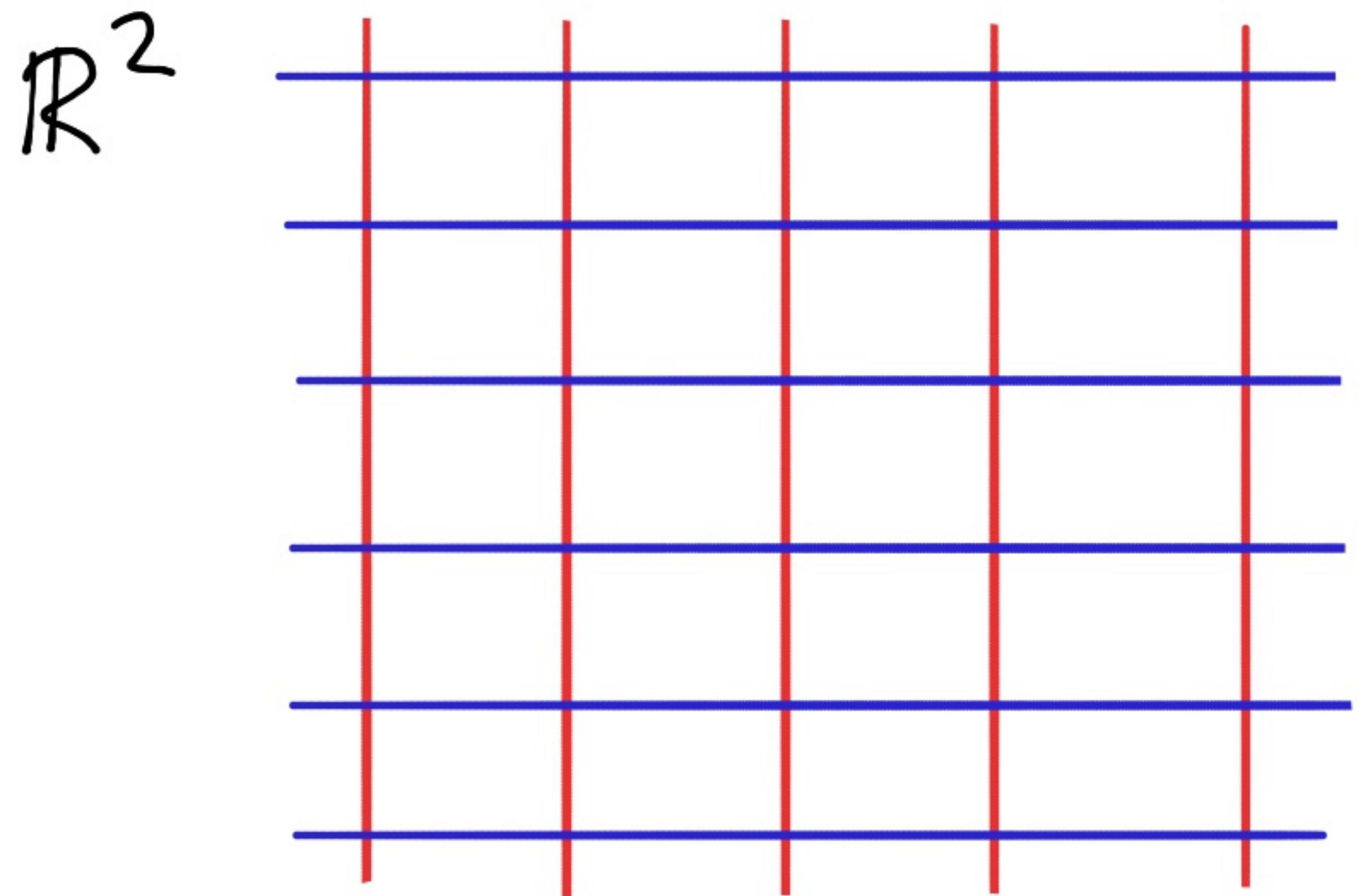
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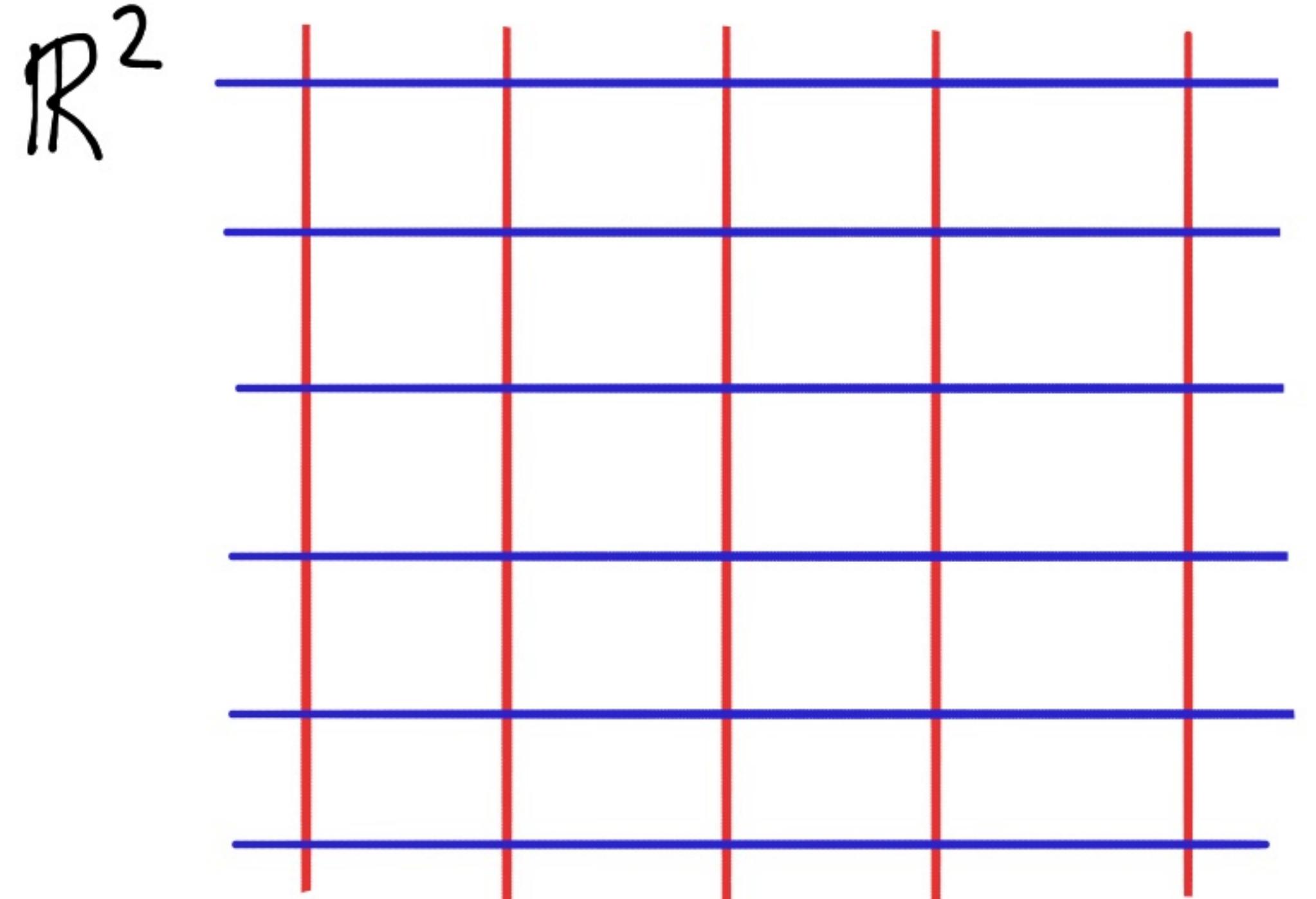
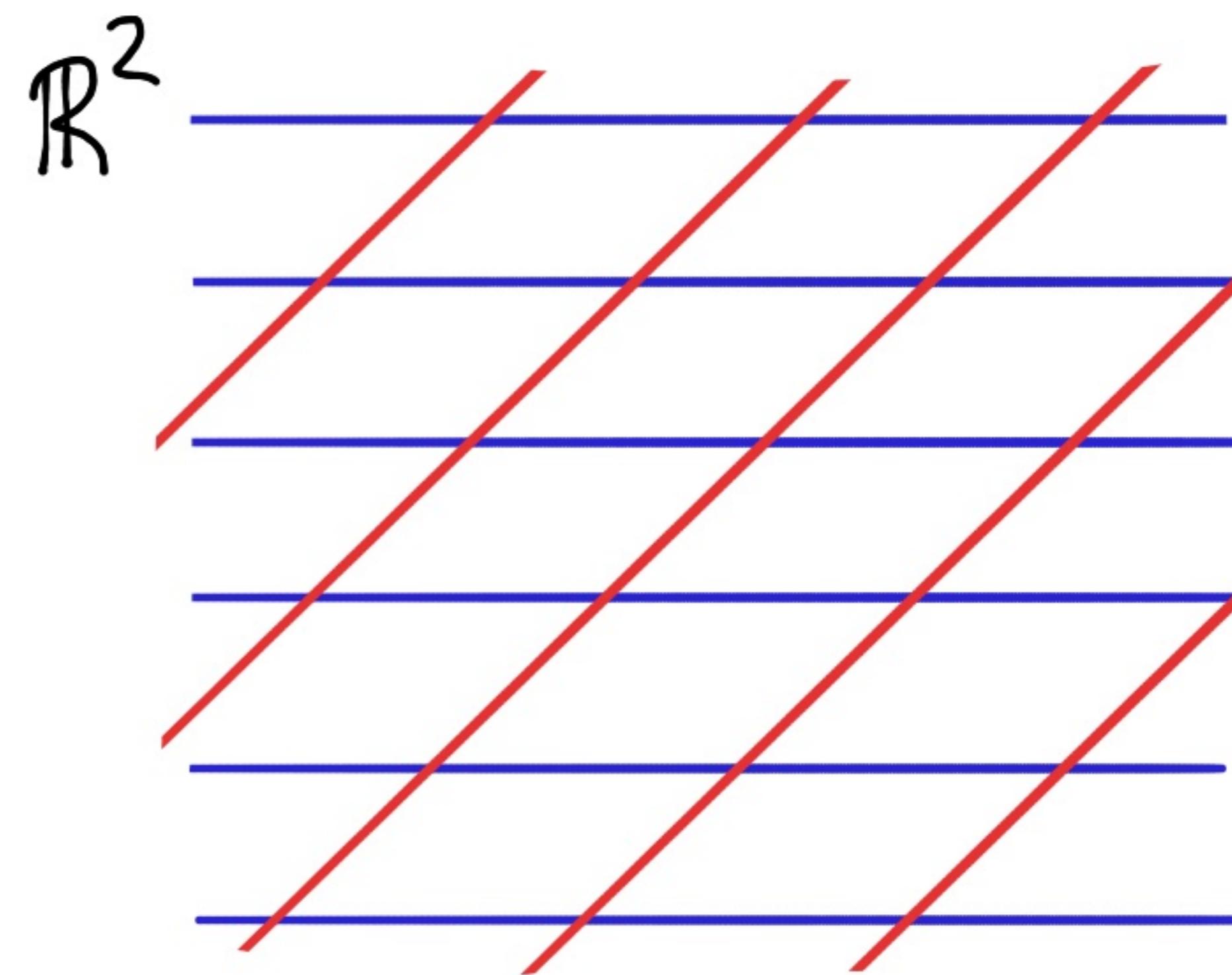
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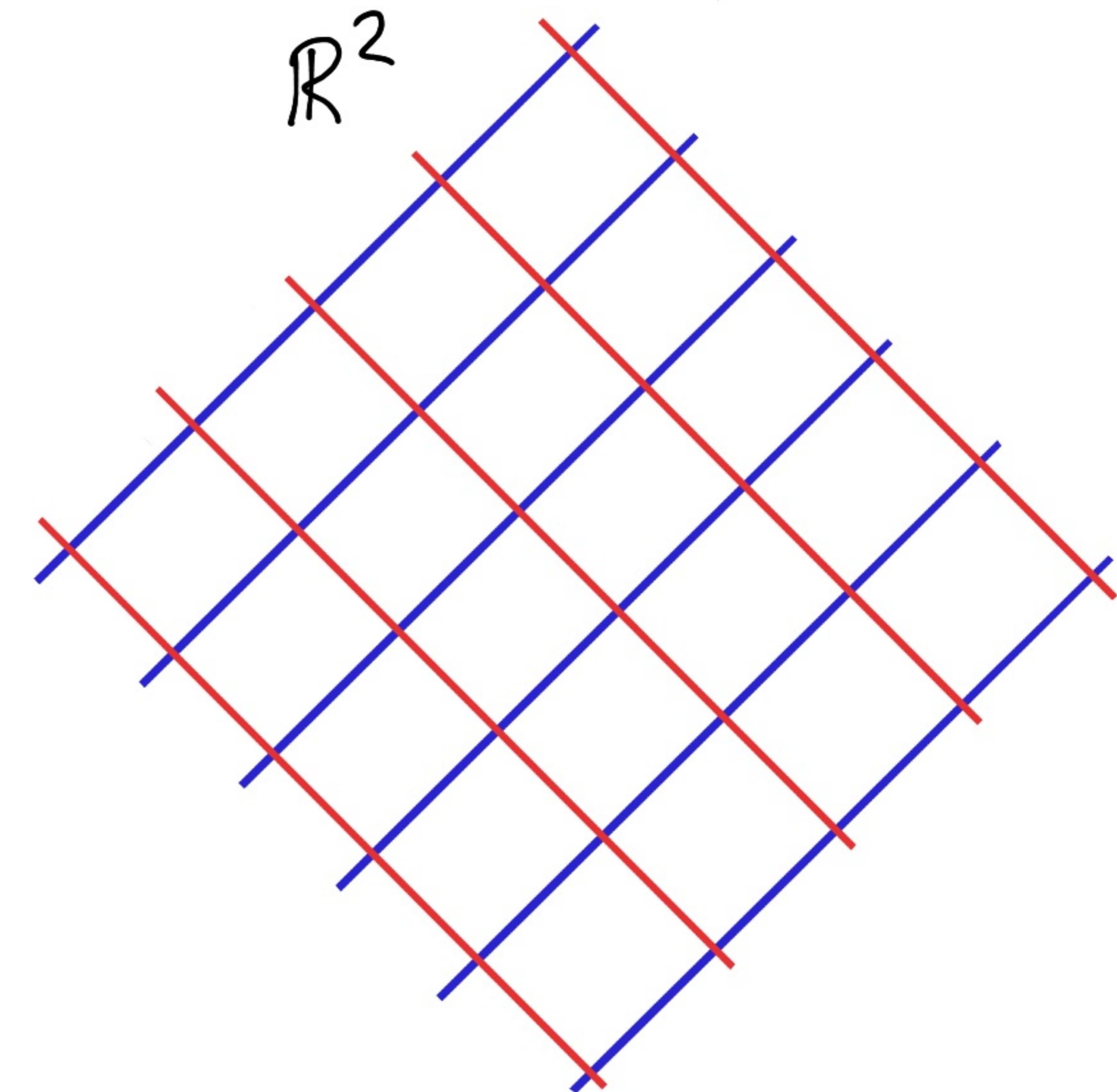
$$\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

A curved arrow points from the first matrix to the second 2D coordinate system.

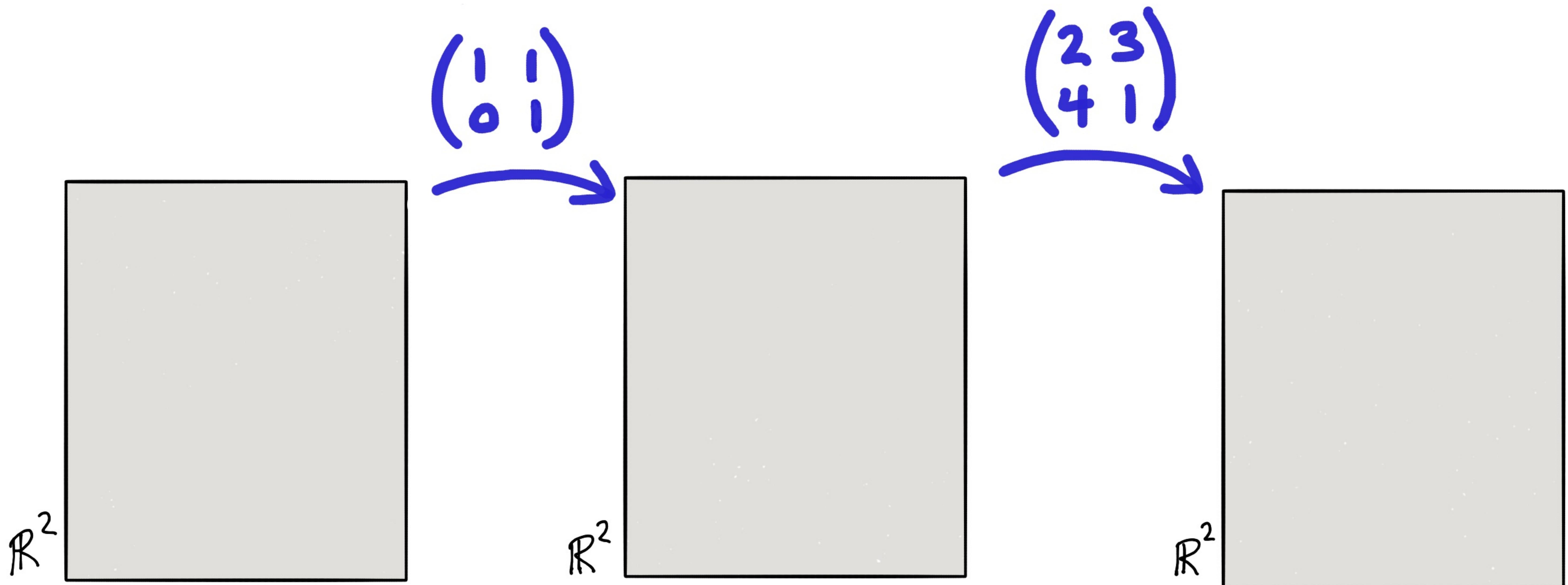


$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$

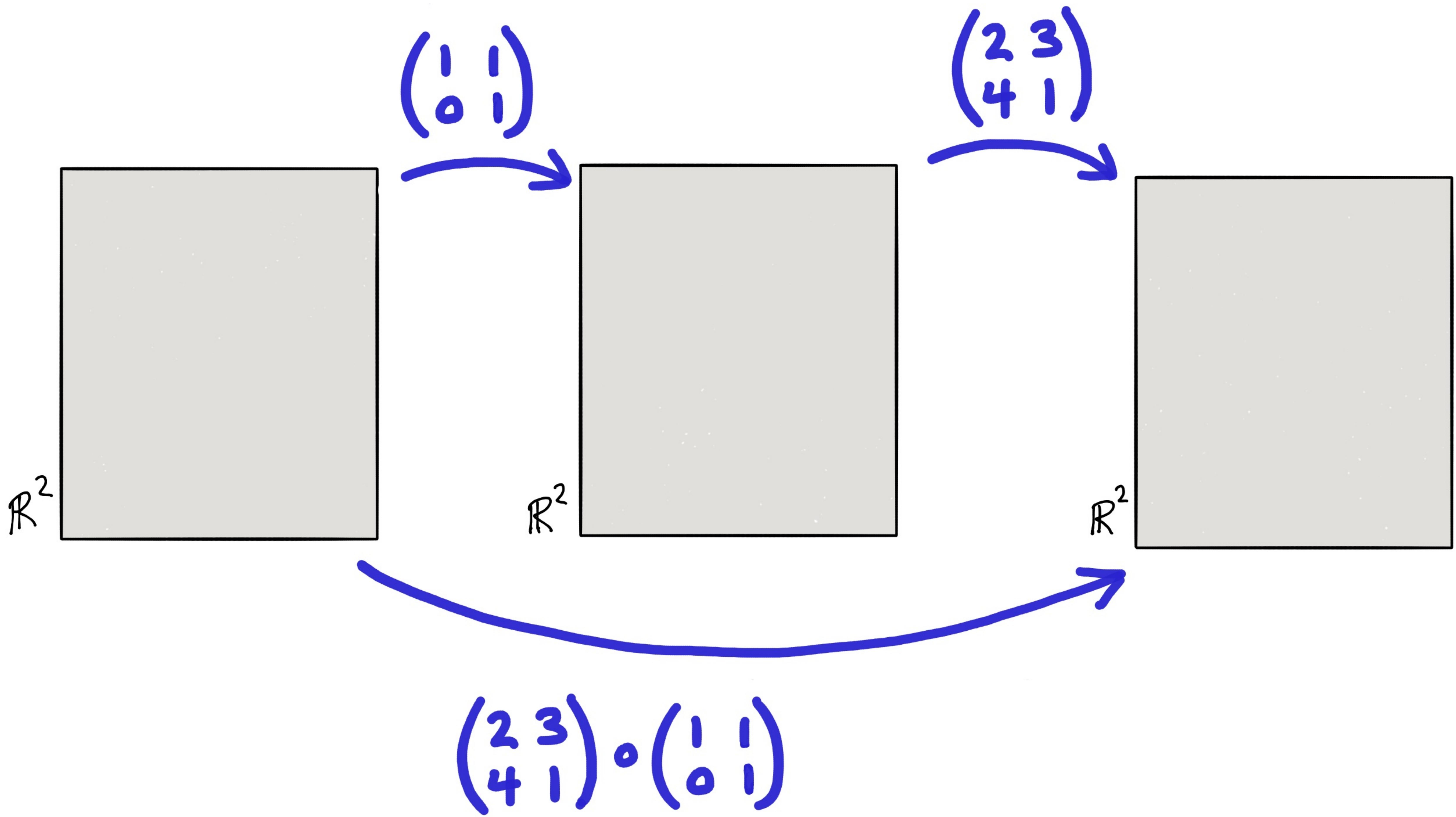
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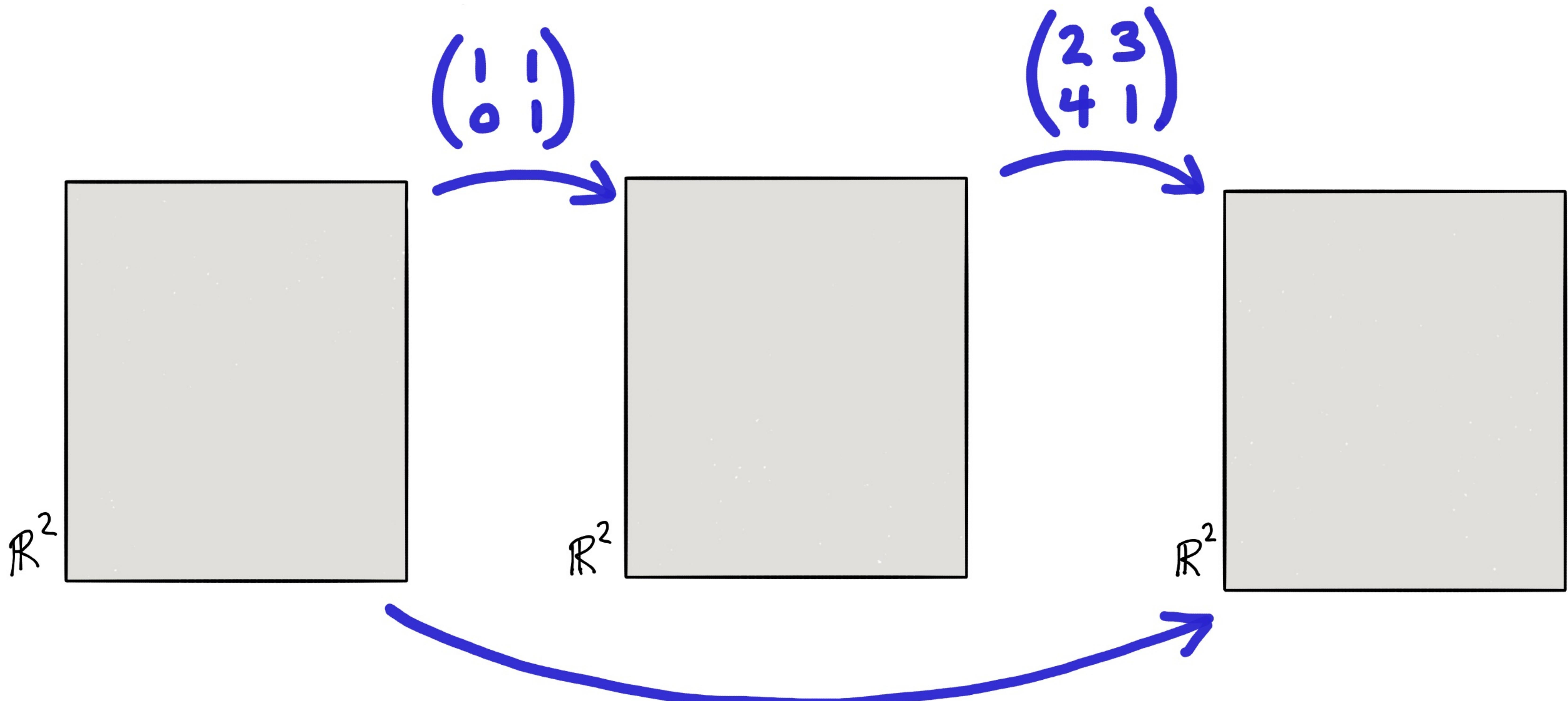
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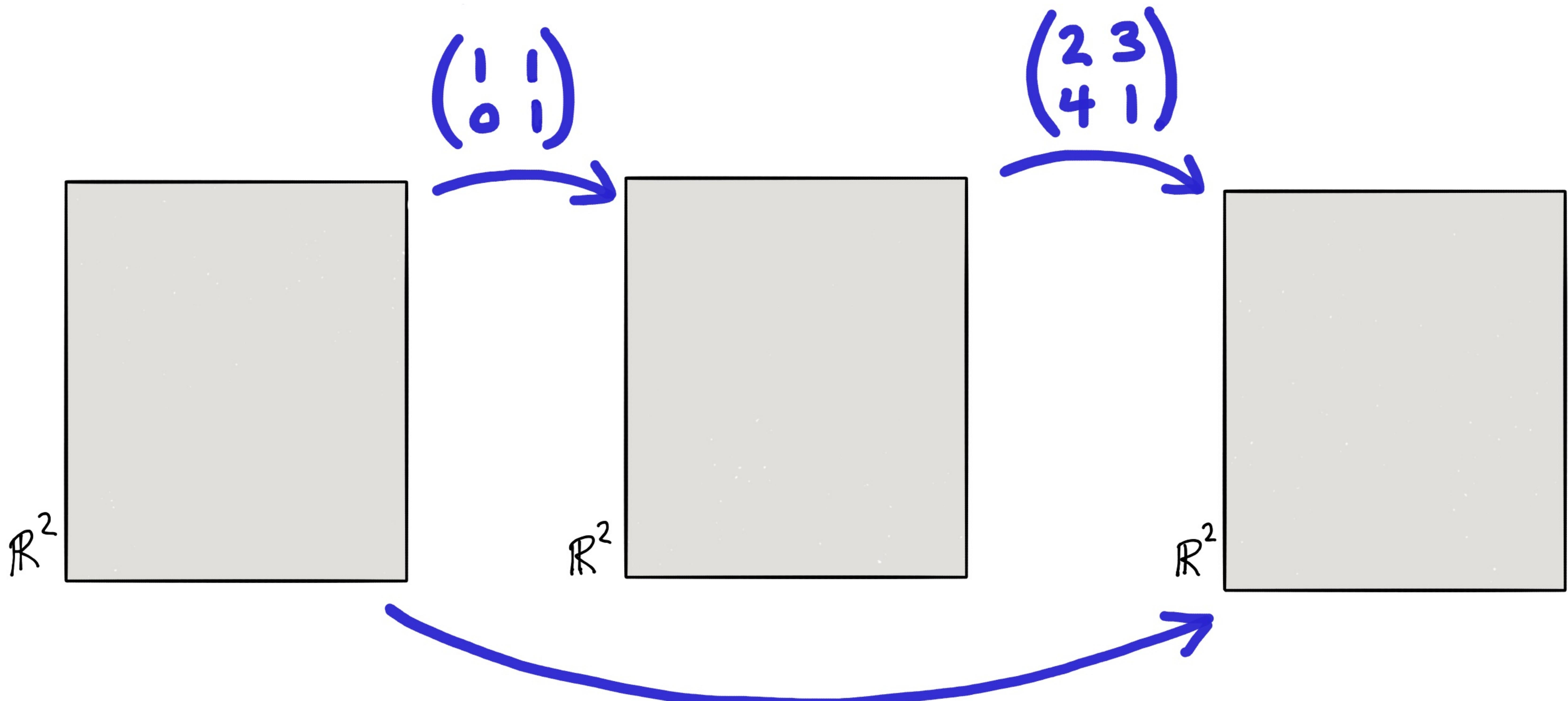


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II Jacobian matrices

$$f: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$
$$\begin{matrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{matrix} \quad w$$
$$f(x, y, z) = w$$

Jacobian matrix:

$$D_p f = \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \Big|_p, \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} \Big|_p, \frac{\partial w}{\partial z} \Big|_p \right)$$

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Jacobian matrix:

output variable \downarrow w

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input variables \longrightarrow

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$x \quad y \quad z$

input variables →

$$f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$$

$$t \quad x \ y \ z$$

$$f(t) = (x, y, z)$$

Jacobian matrix:

output variables ↓

$$D_P f = \begin{pmatrix} x & \left| \begin{array}{c} \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} \end{array} \right|_P \\ y & \left| \begin{array}{c} \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} \end{array} \right|_P \\ z & \left| \begin{array}{c} \frac{\partial z}{\partial t} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial z}{\partial t} \end{array} \right|_P \\ t & \end{pmatrix}$$

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$$f: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$$

Δt $x \ y$

$$f(\Delta t) = (x, y)$$

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$\downarrow x$

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Δ t

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$$= \begin{pmatrix} 6 & 2 \\ 27 & 27 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$f: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$$

$x \ y \ z$ $u \ w$

$$f(x, y, z) = (u, w)$$

Jacobian matrix:

output variables

↓

u

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x y z

input variables →

$$f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad f(\textcolor{red}{t}) = \textcolor{green}{z}$$

$\textcolor{red}{t}$ $\textcolor{green}{z}$

Jacobian matrix:

output
variable

$\downarrow z$

$$D_p f = \frac{\partial z}{\partial t} \Big|_p$$

t

input variable →

$$f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad f(t) = z$$

t z

Jacobian matrix:

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$$D_p f = \frac{\partial z}{\partial t} \Big|_P = \frac{dz}{dt} \Big|_P = f'(P)$$

$\downarrow z$

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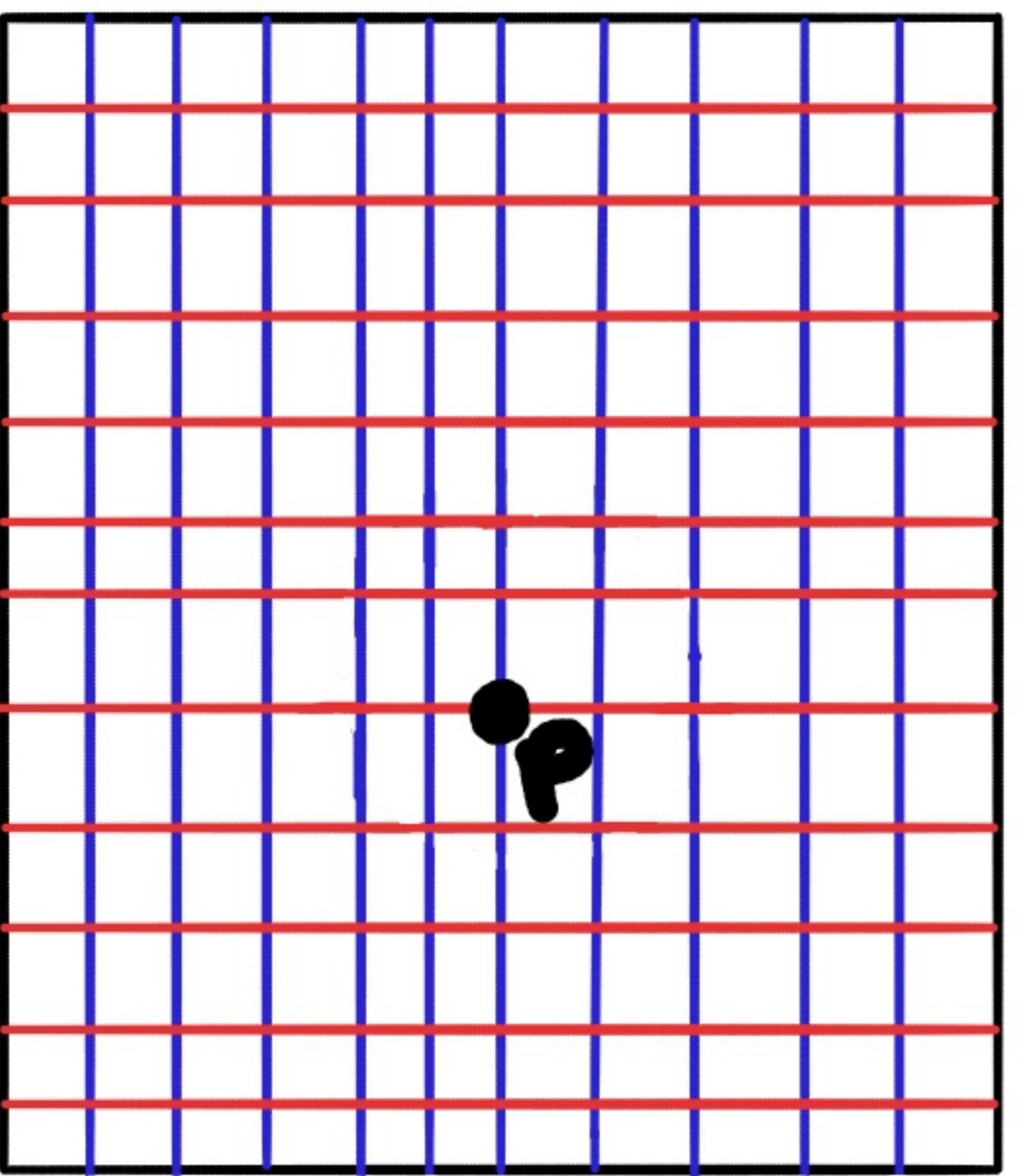
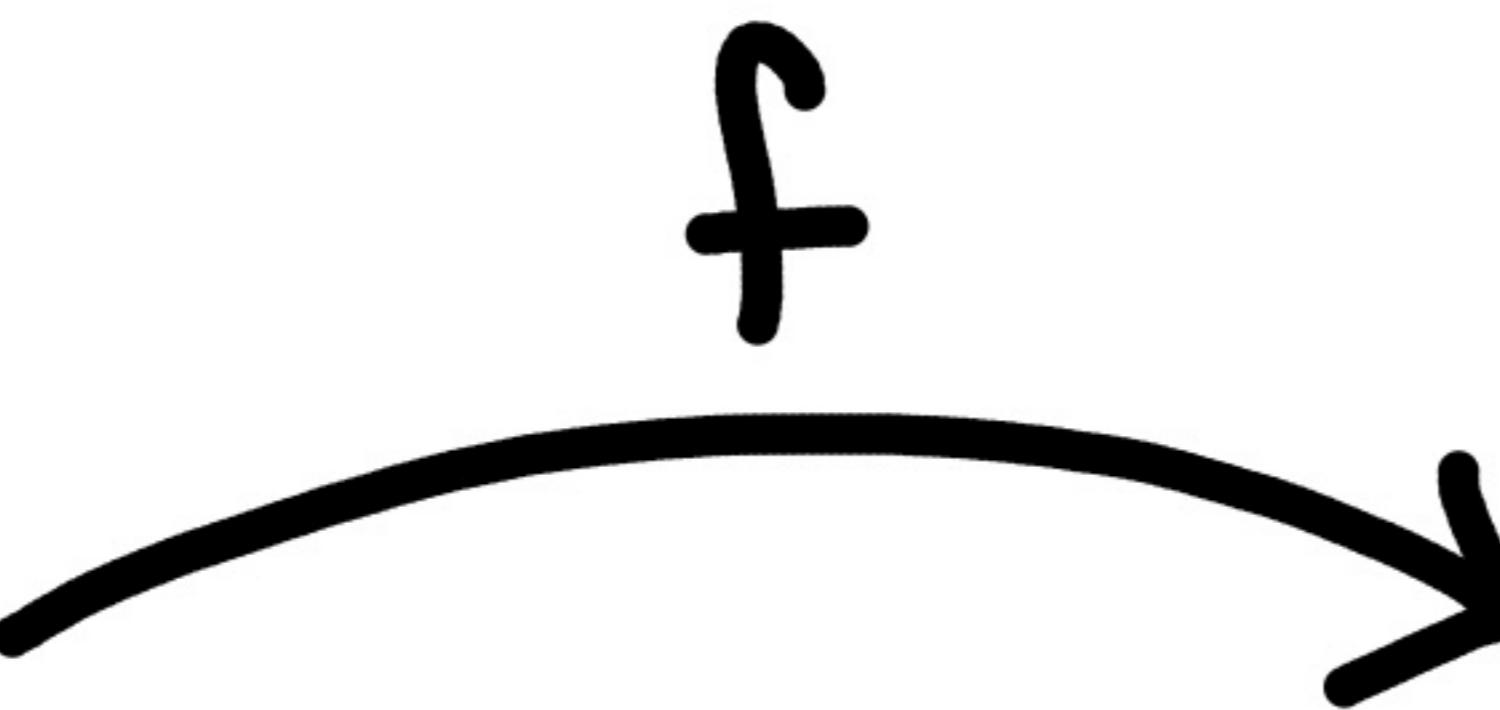
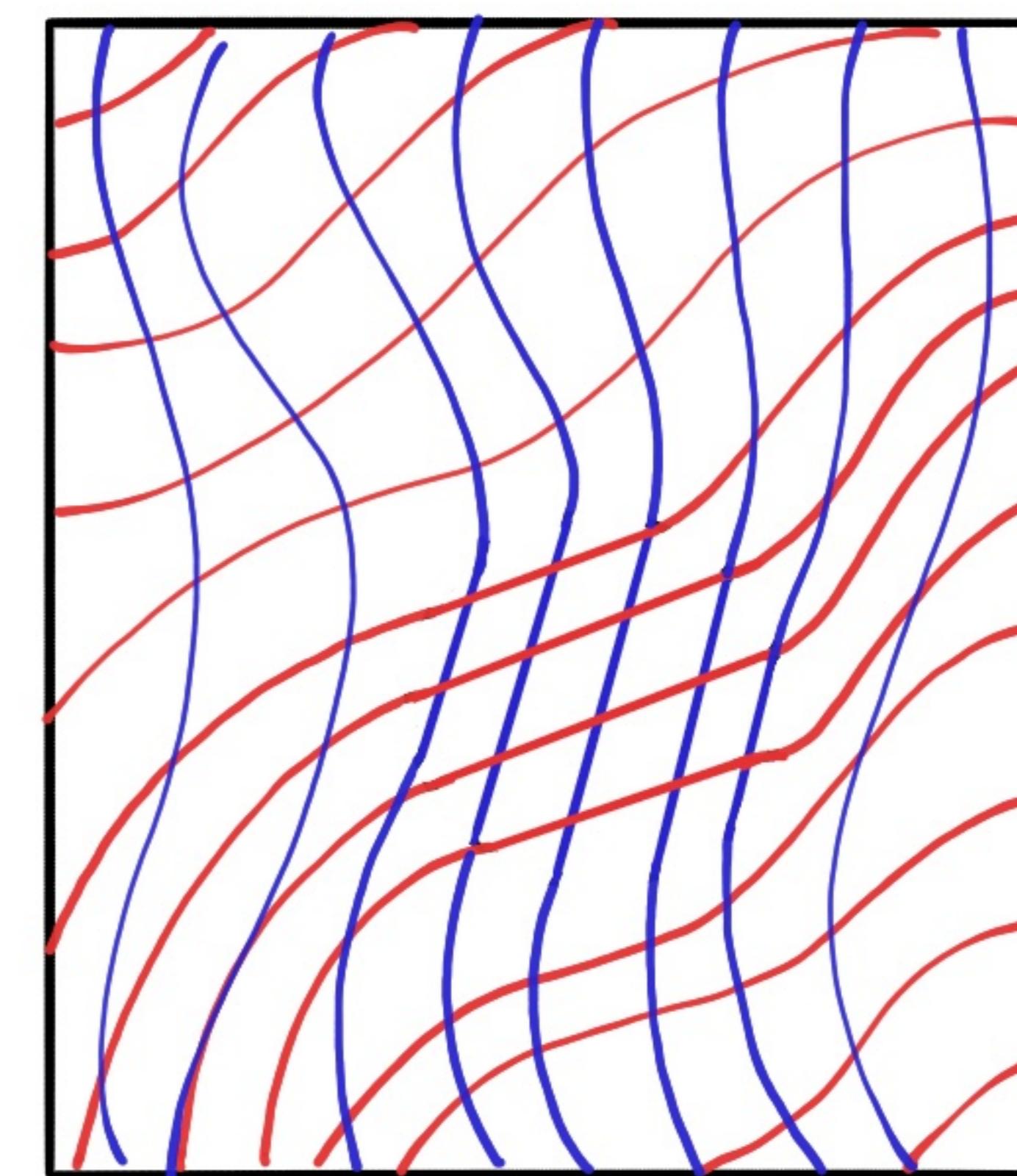
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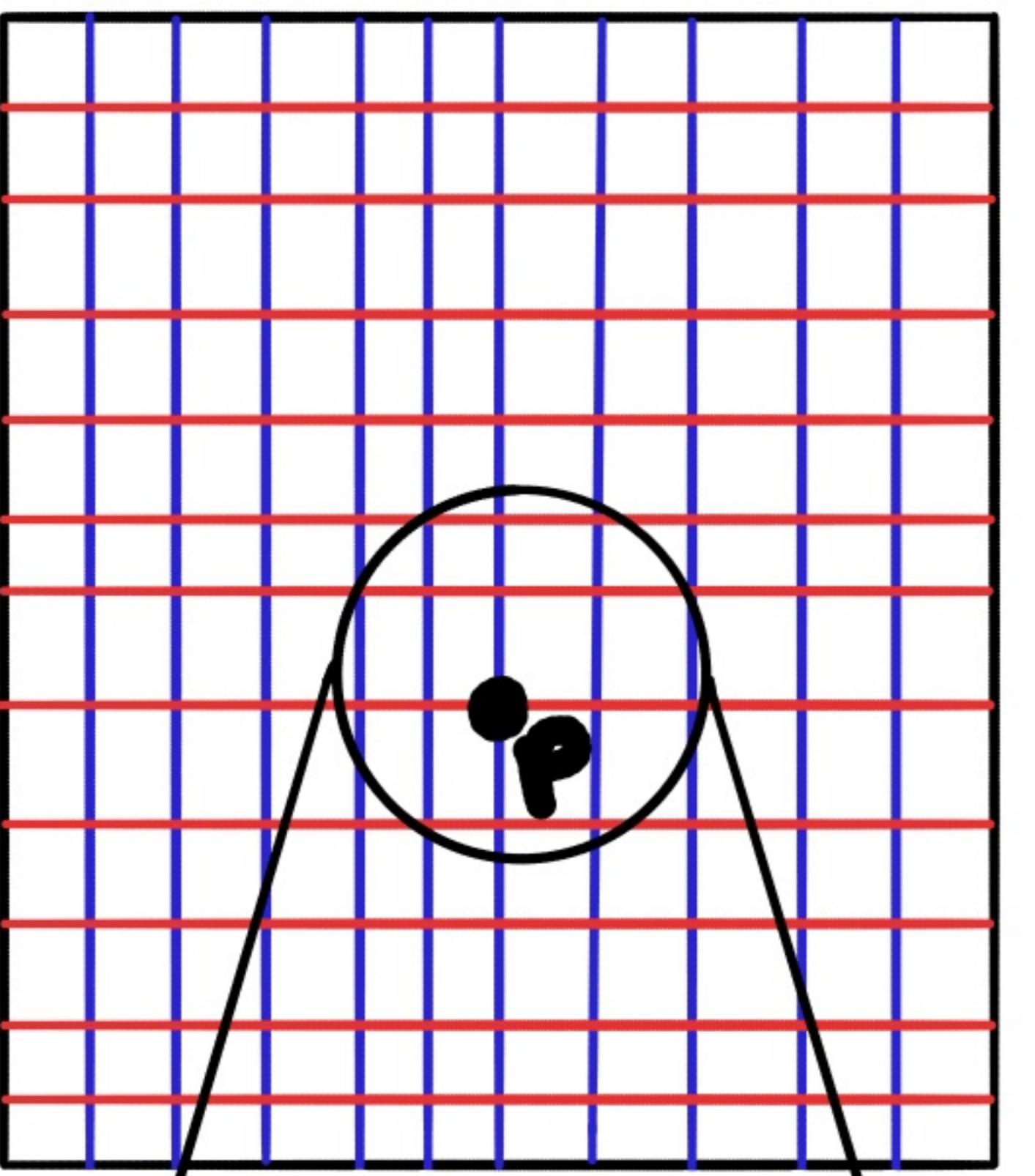
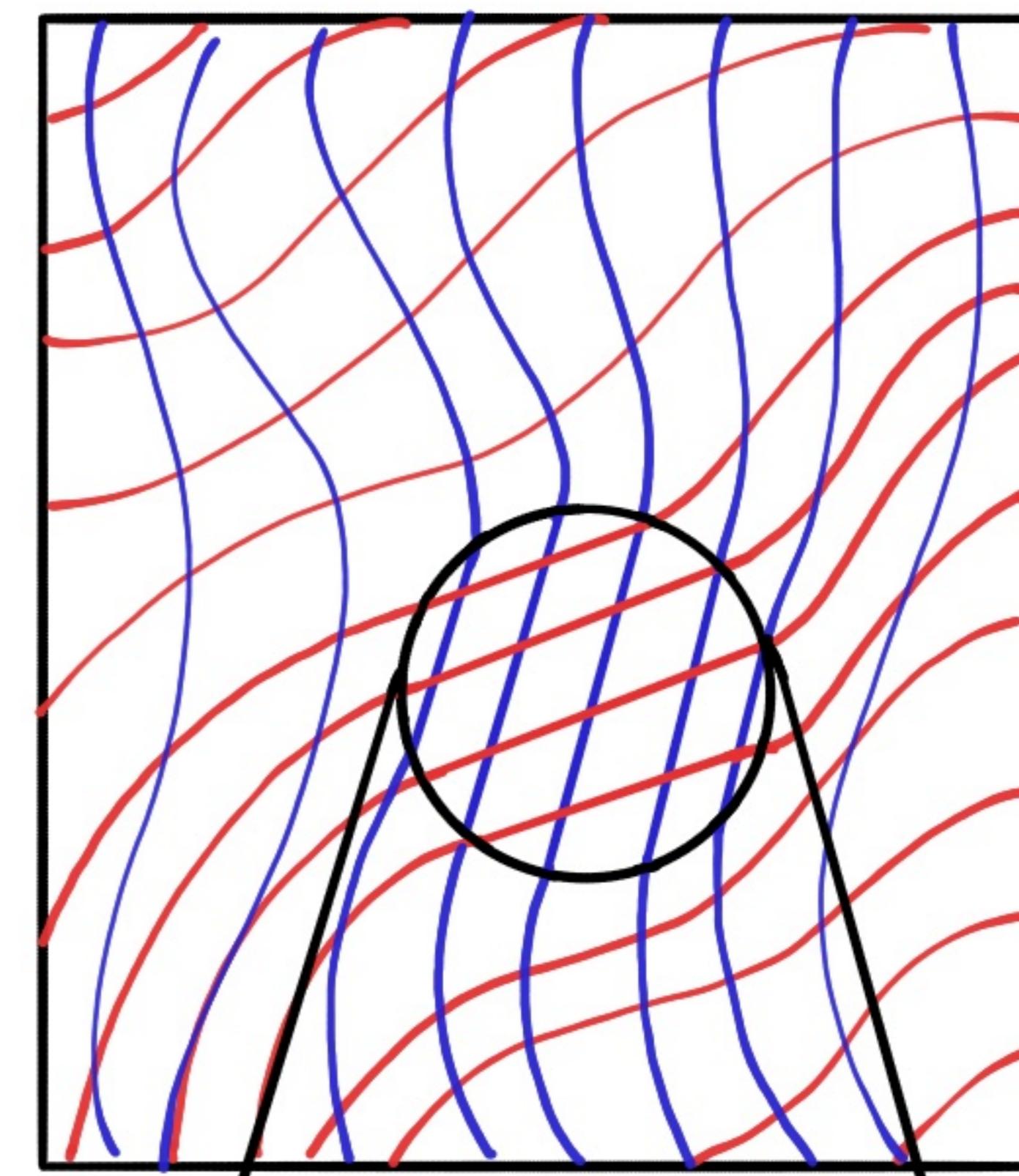
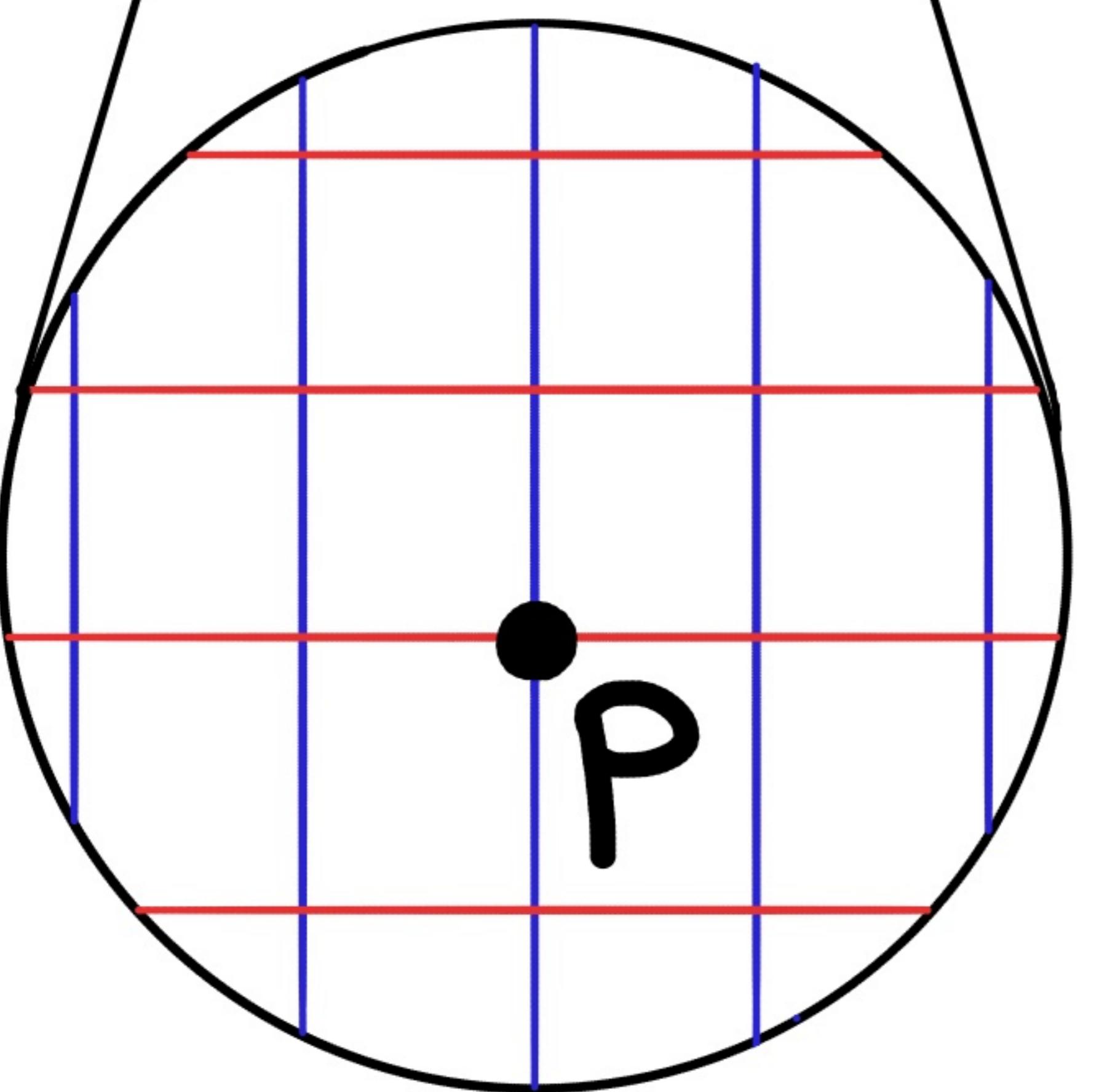
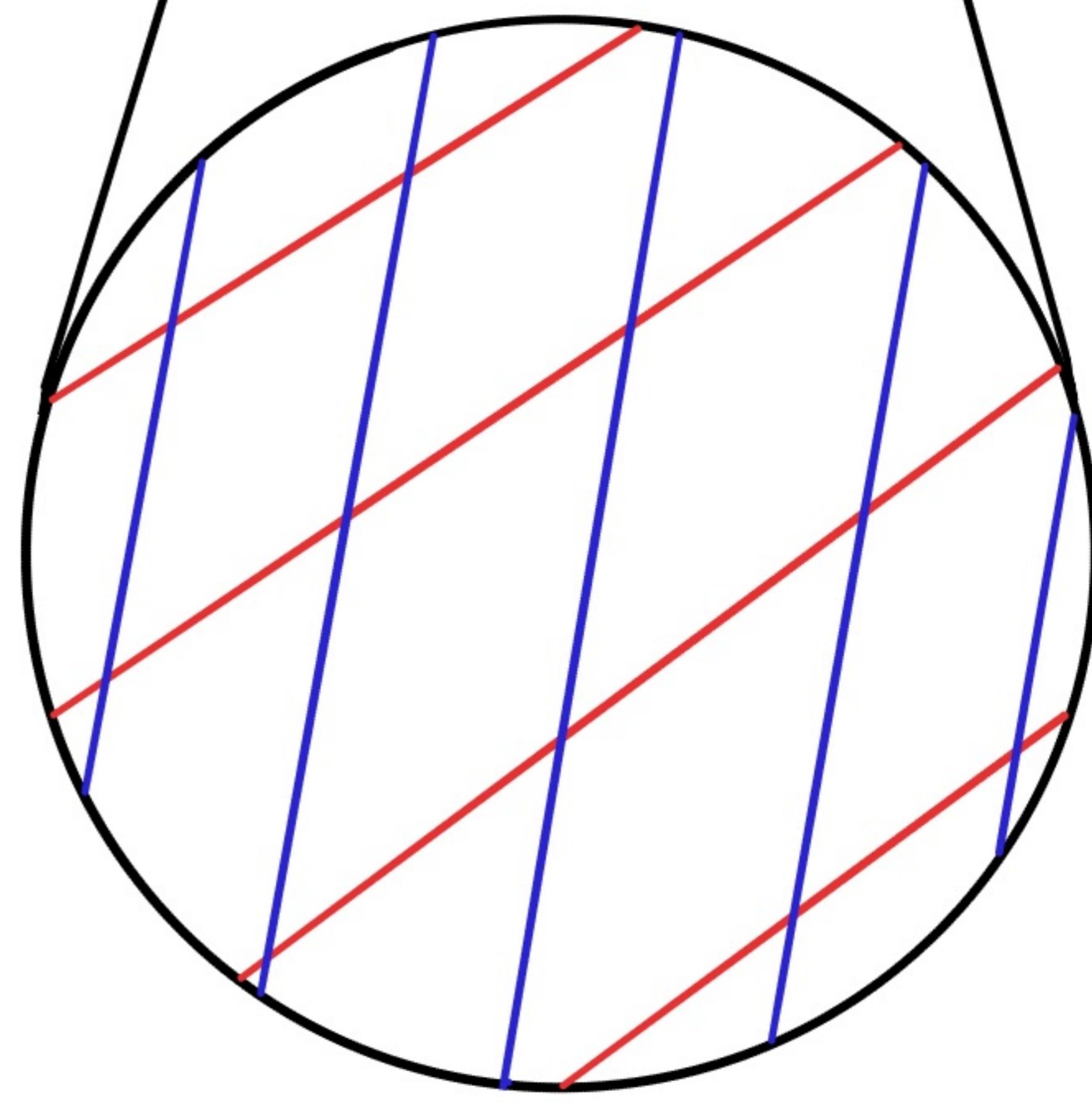
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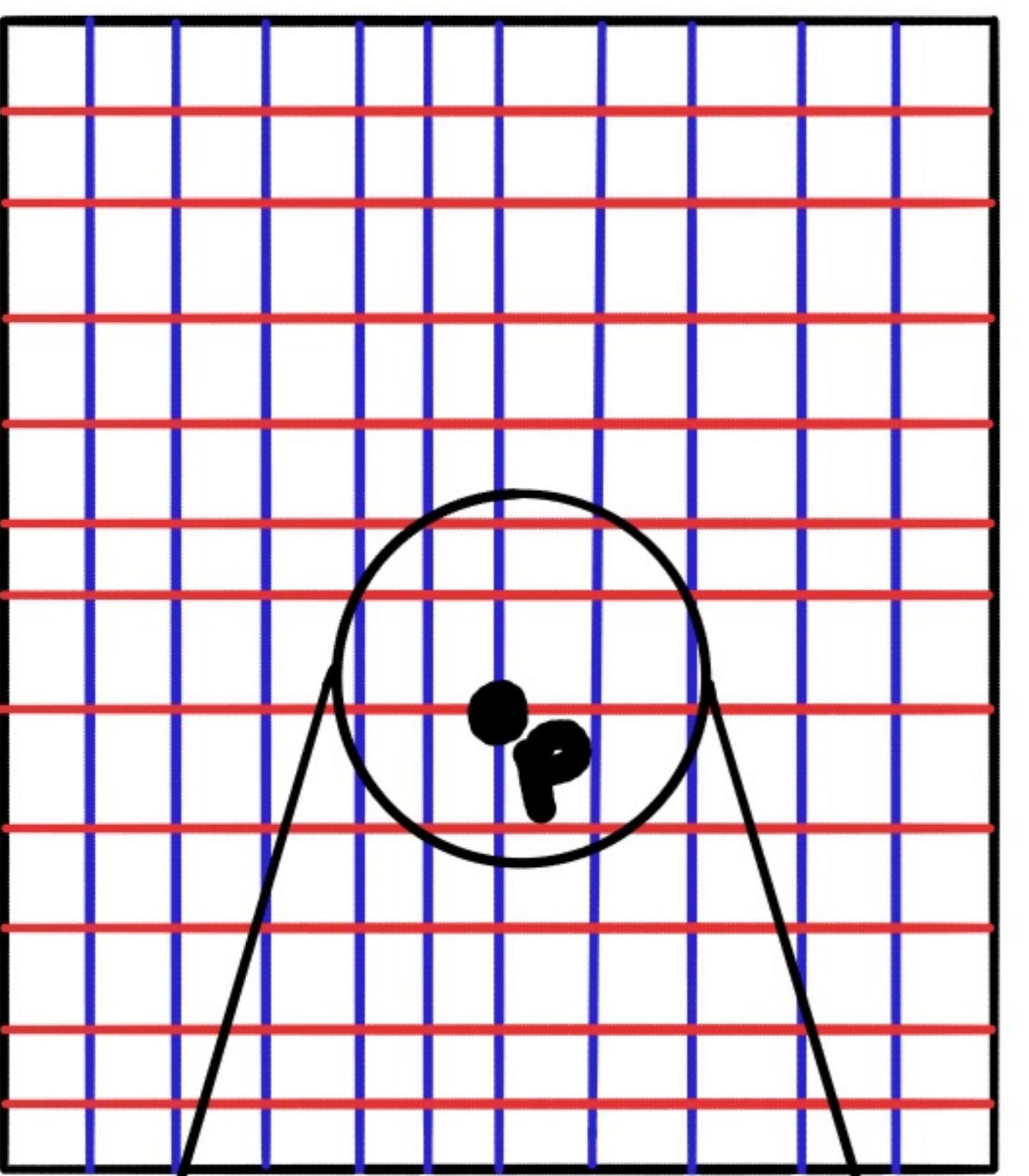
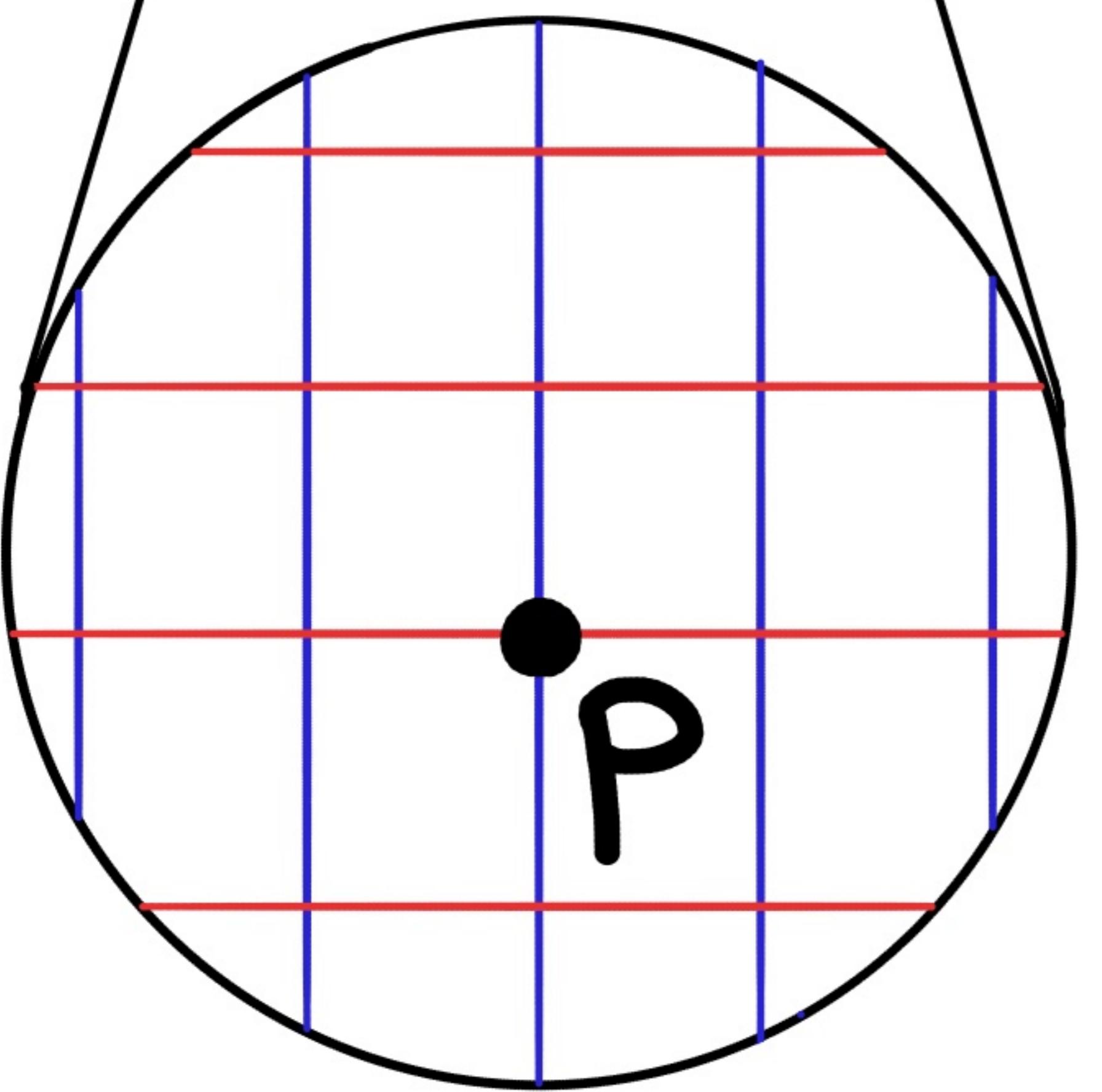
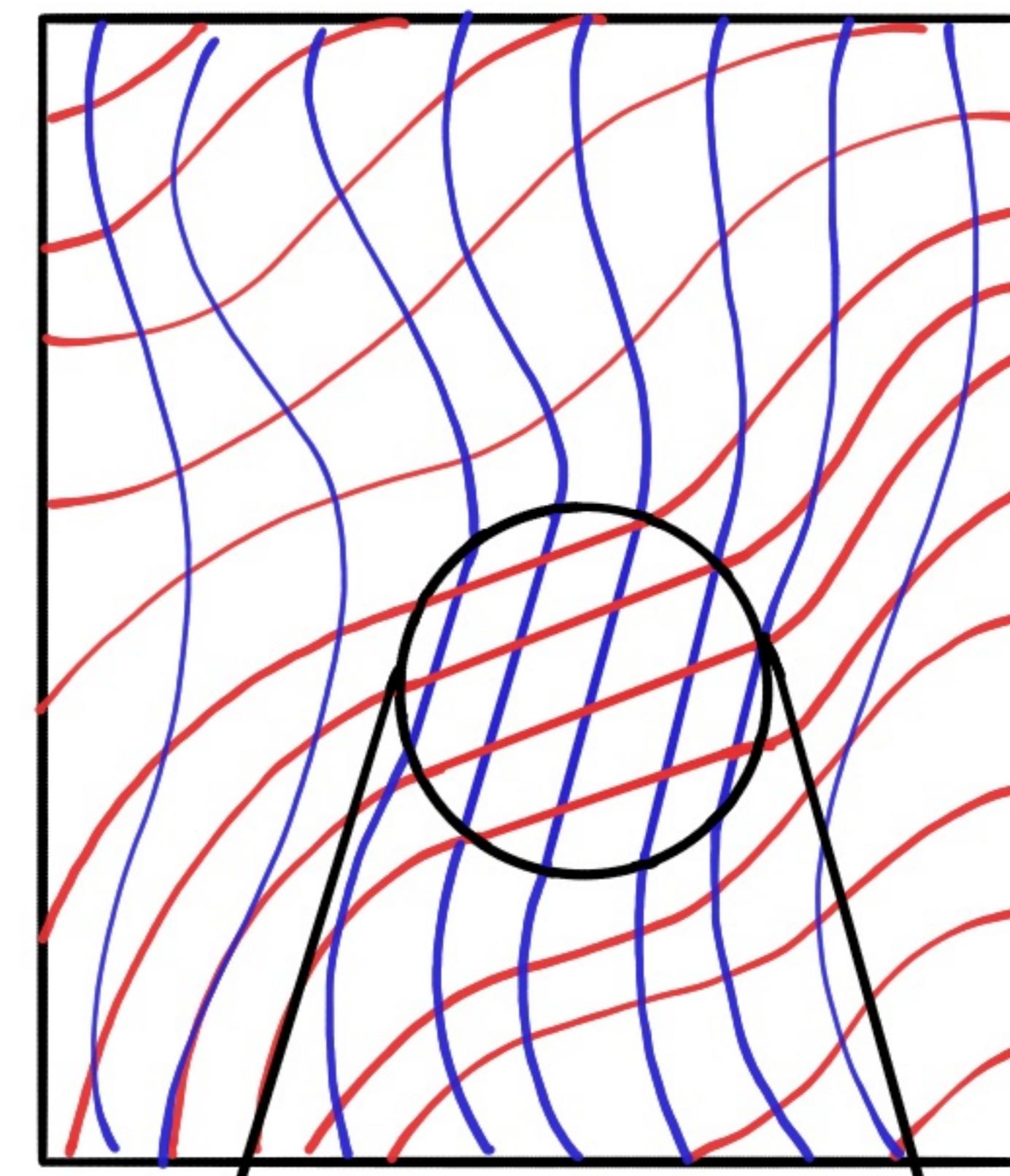
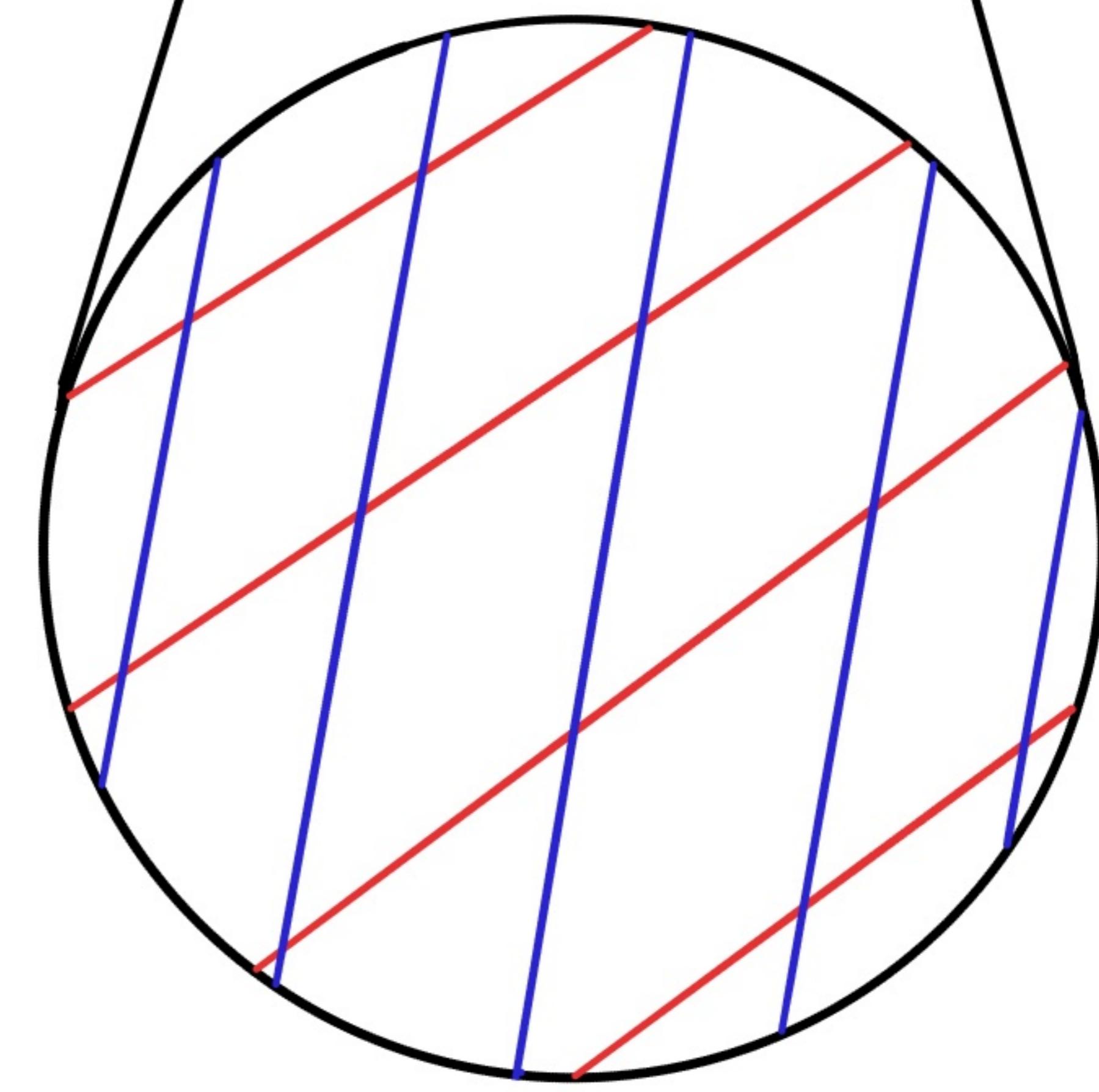
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③ The purpose of Jacobian matrices

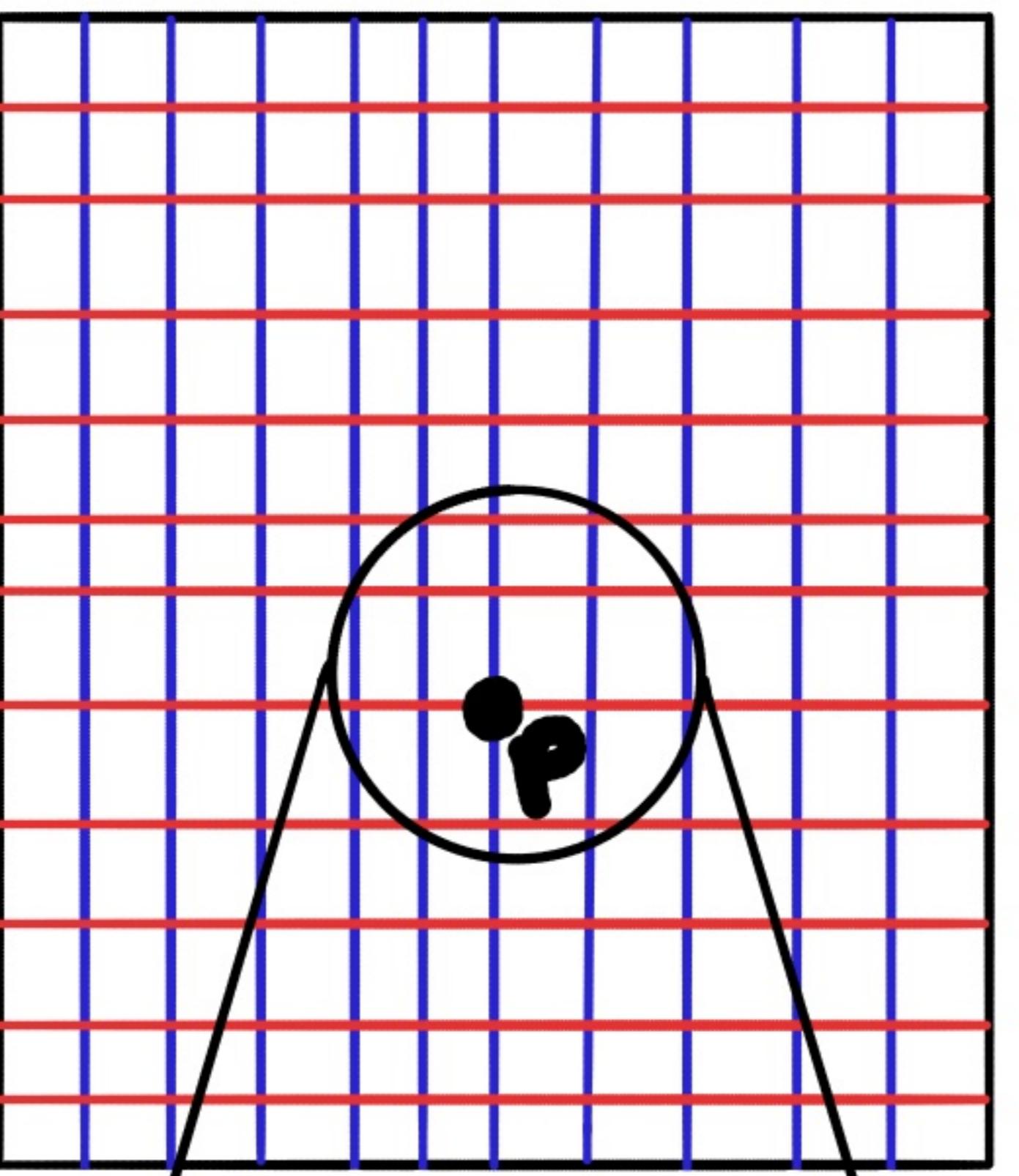
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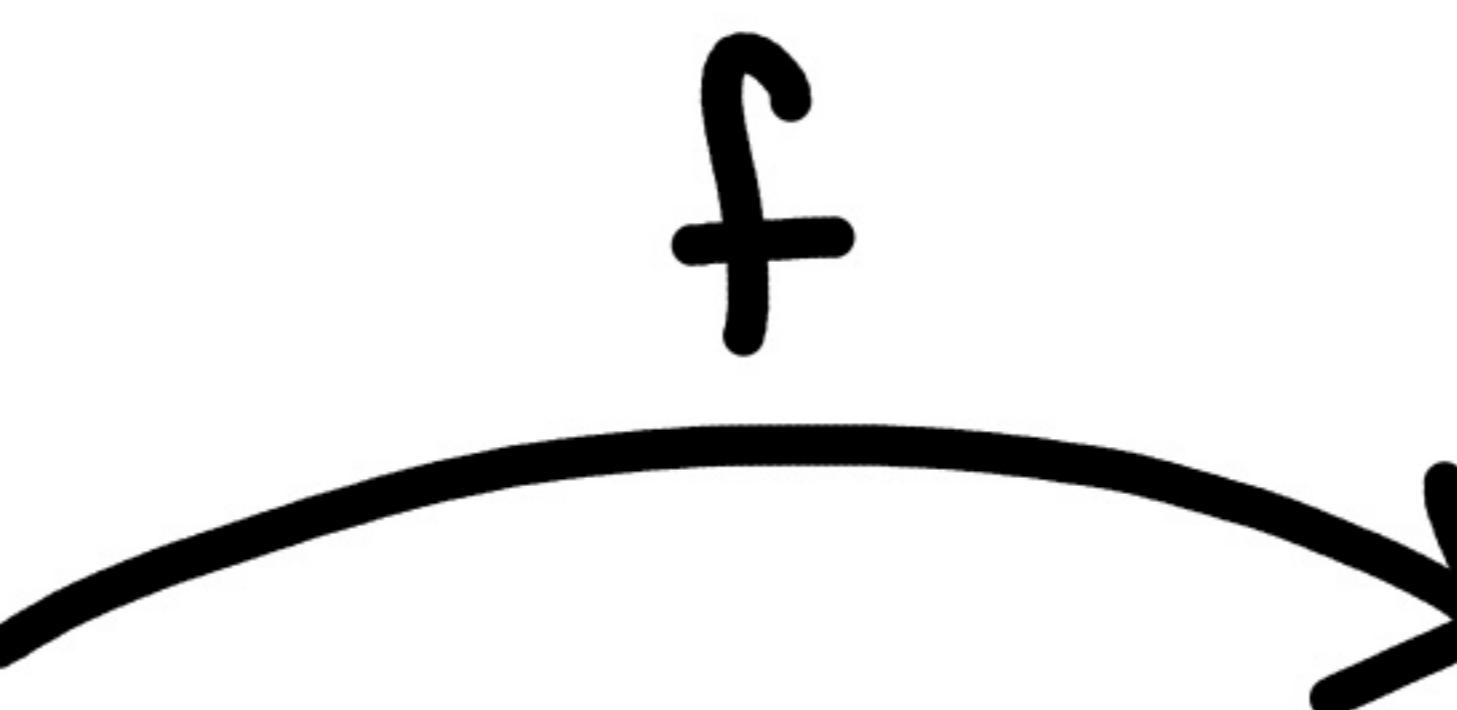
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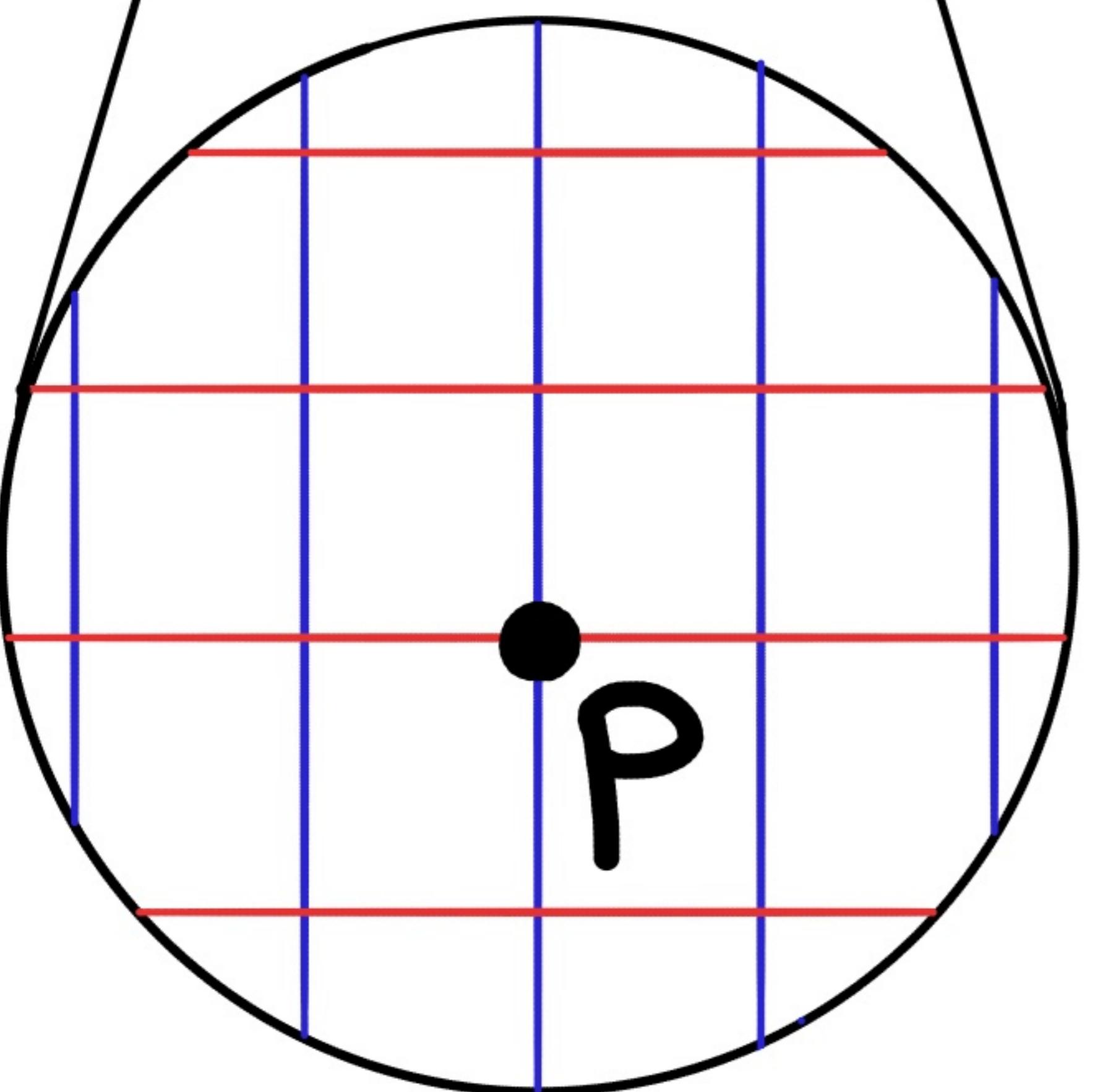
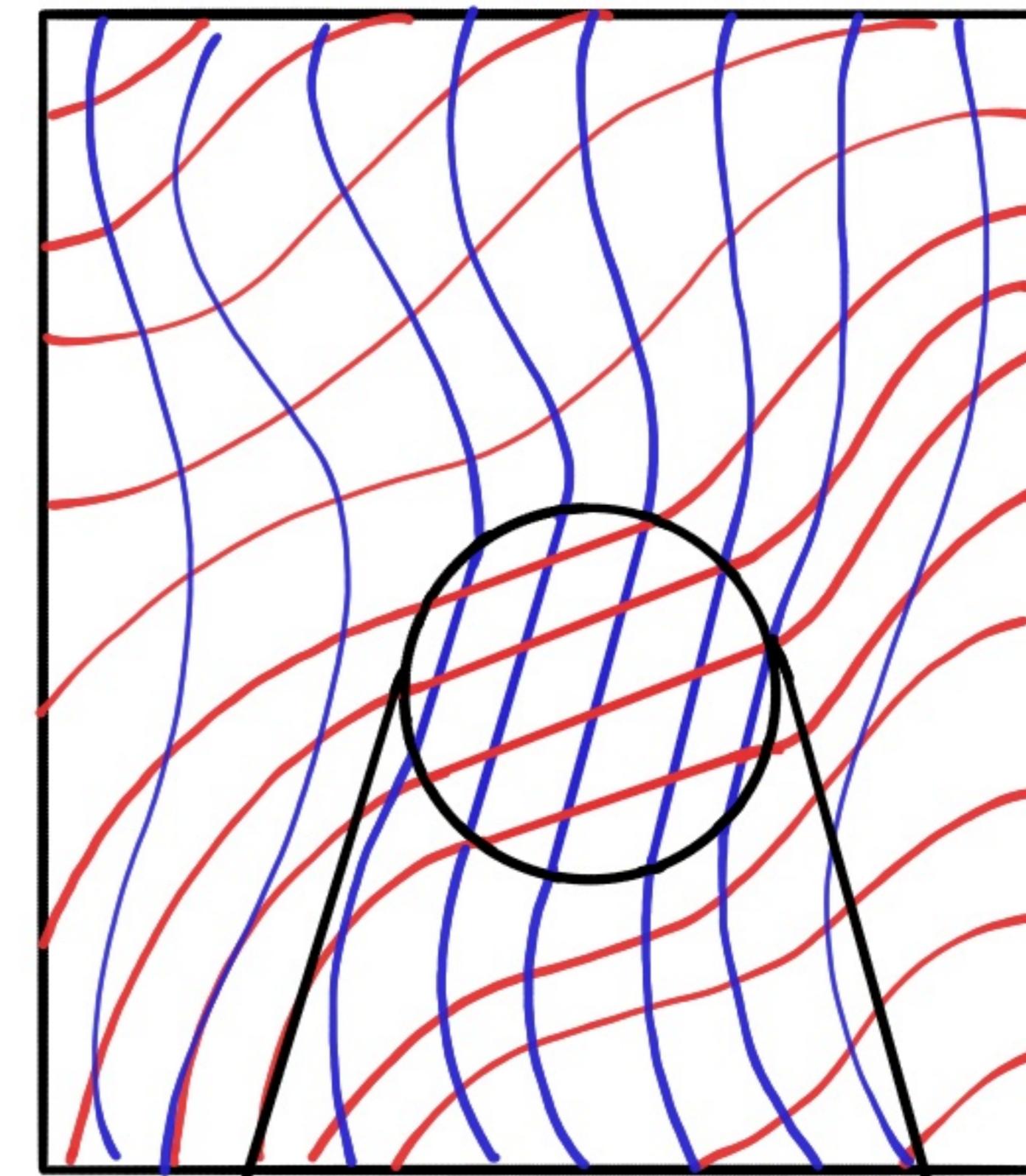
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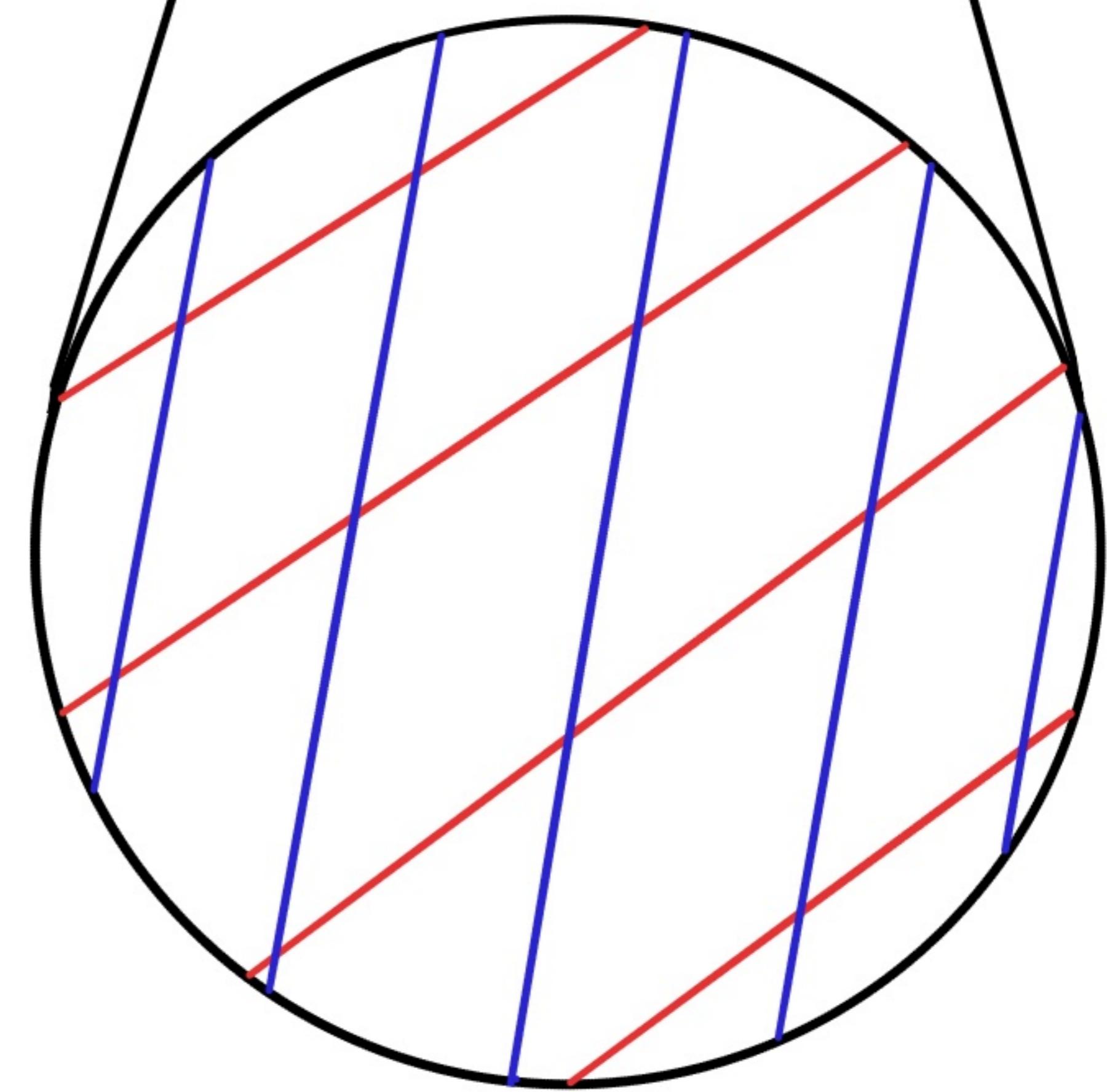
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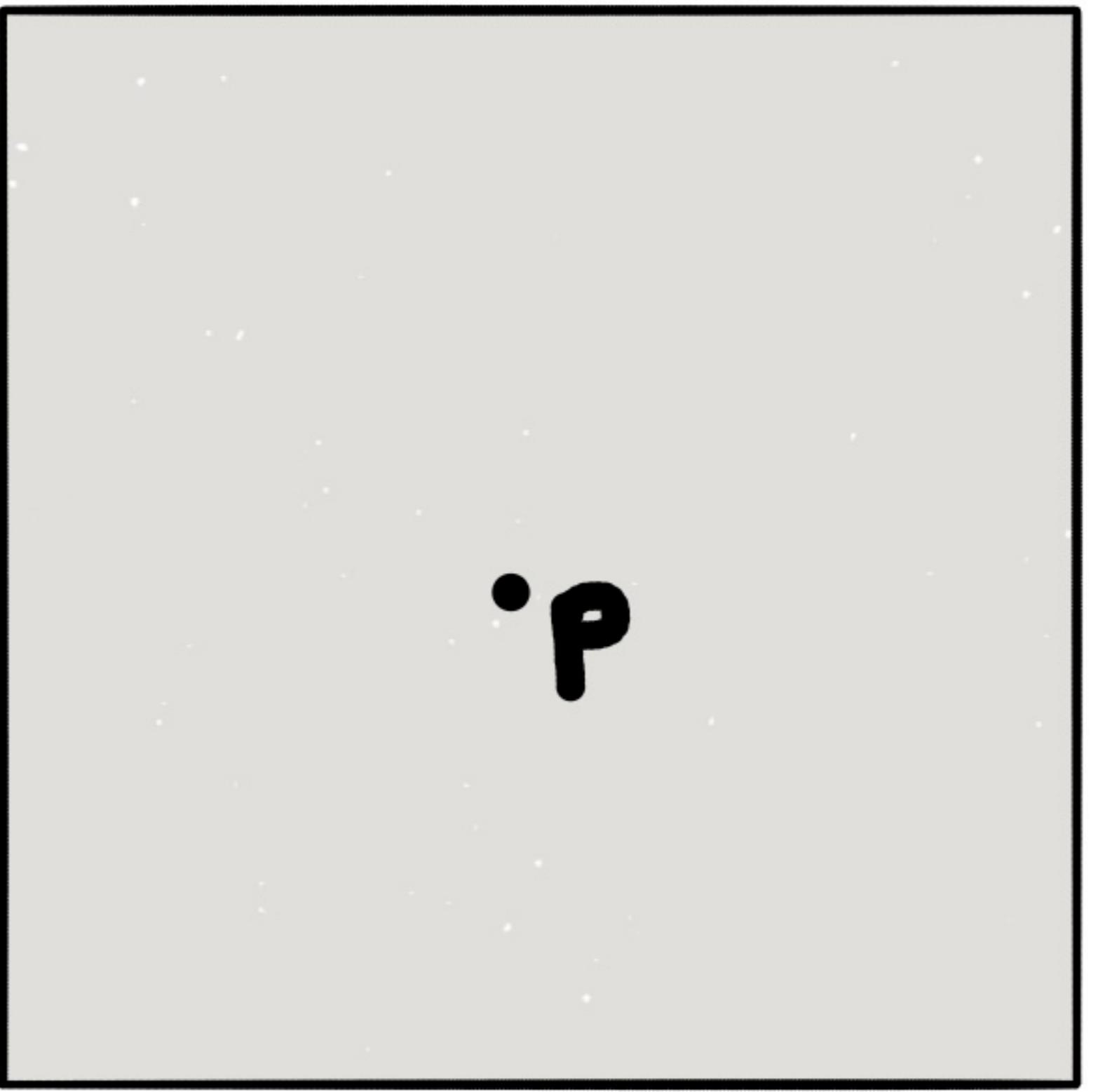


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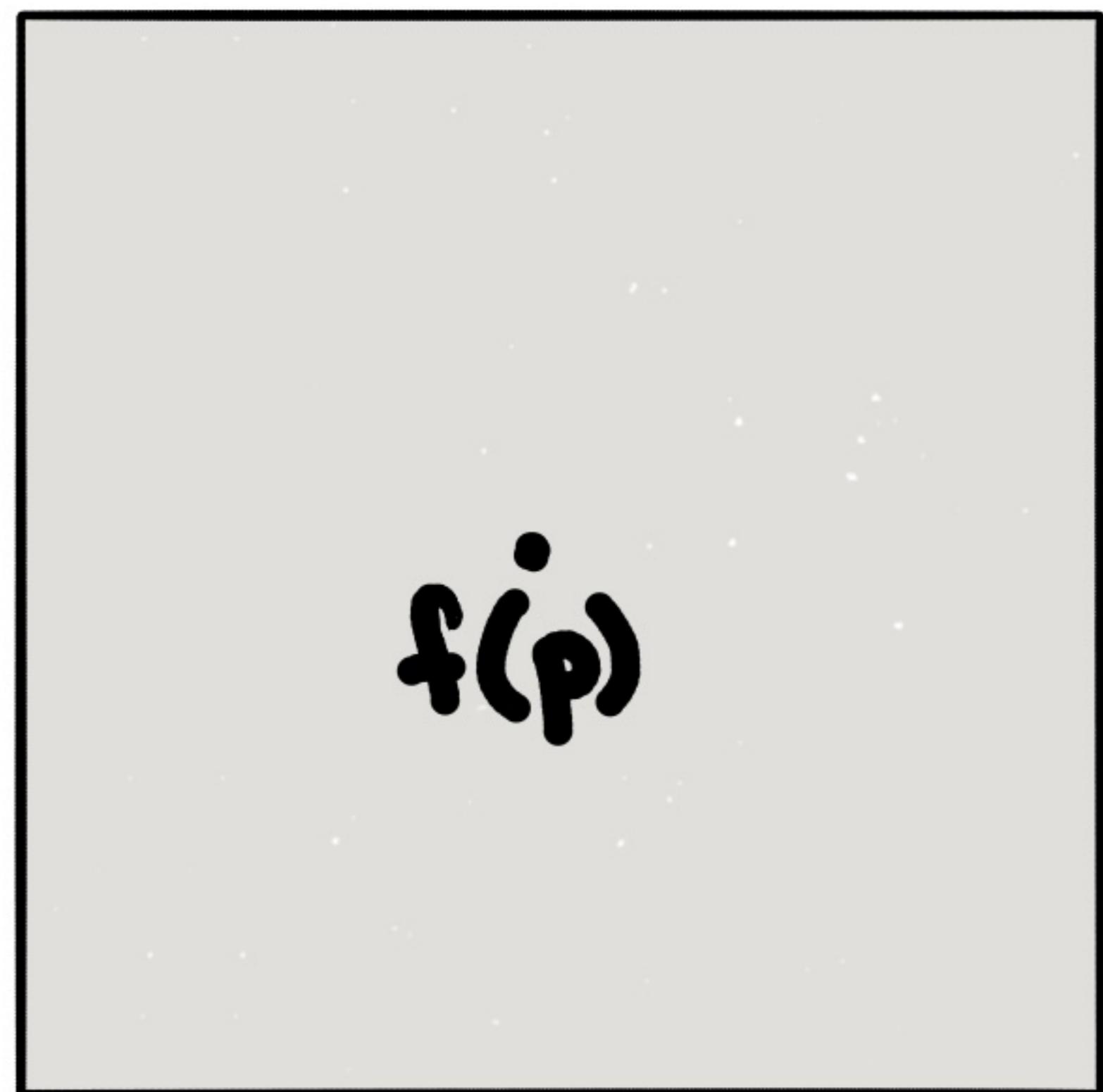
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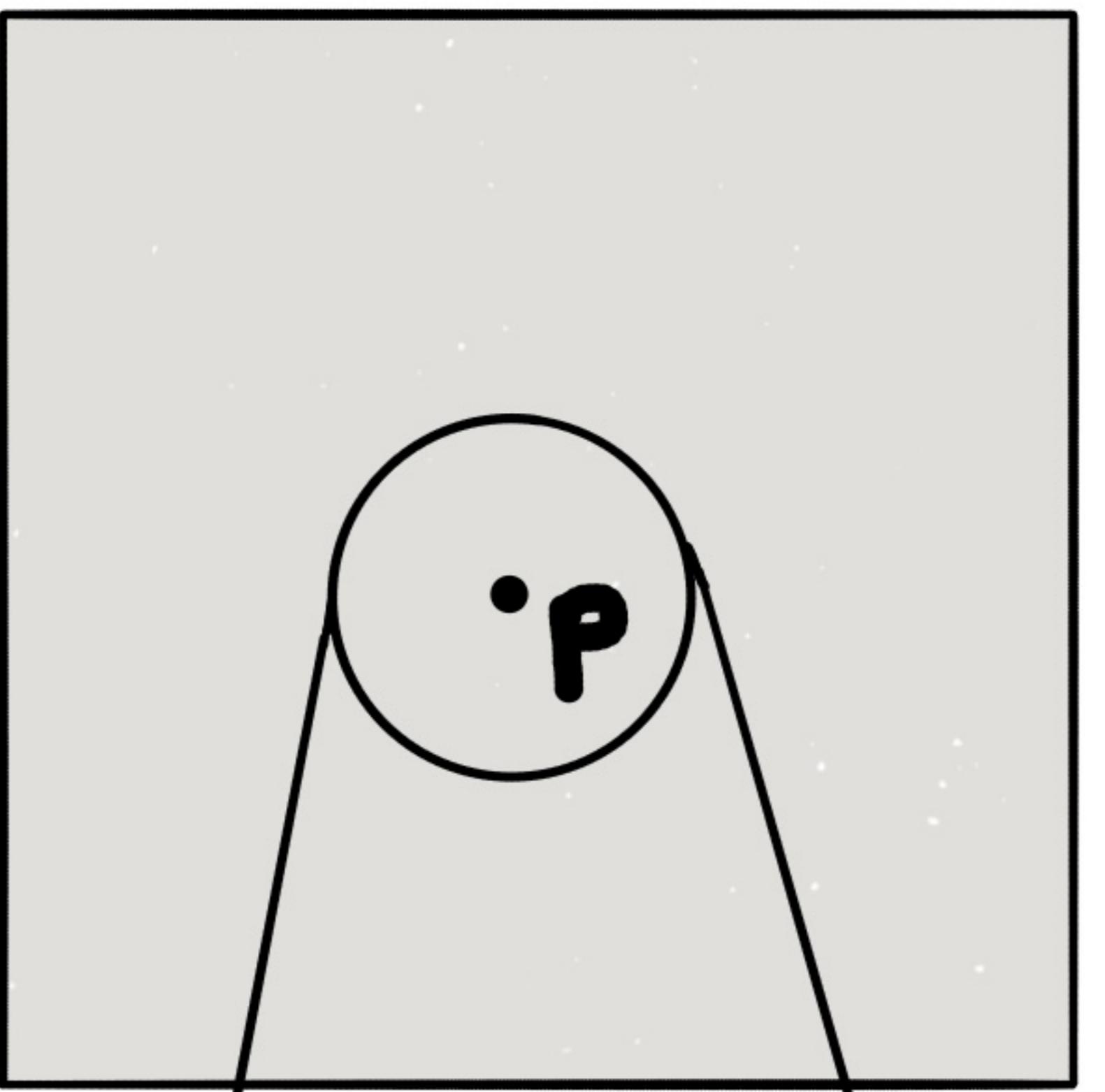
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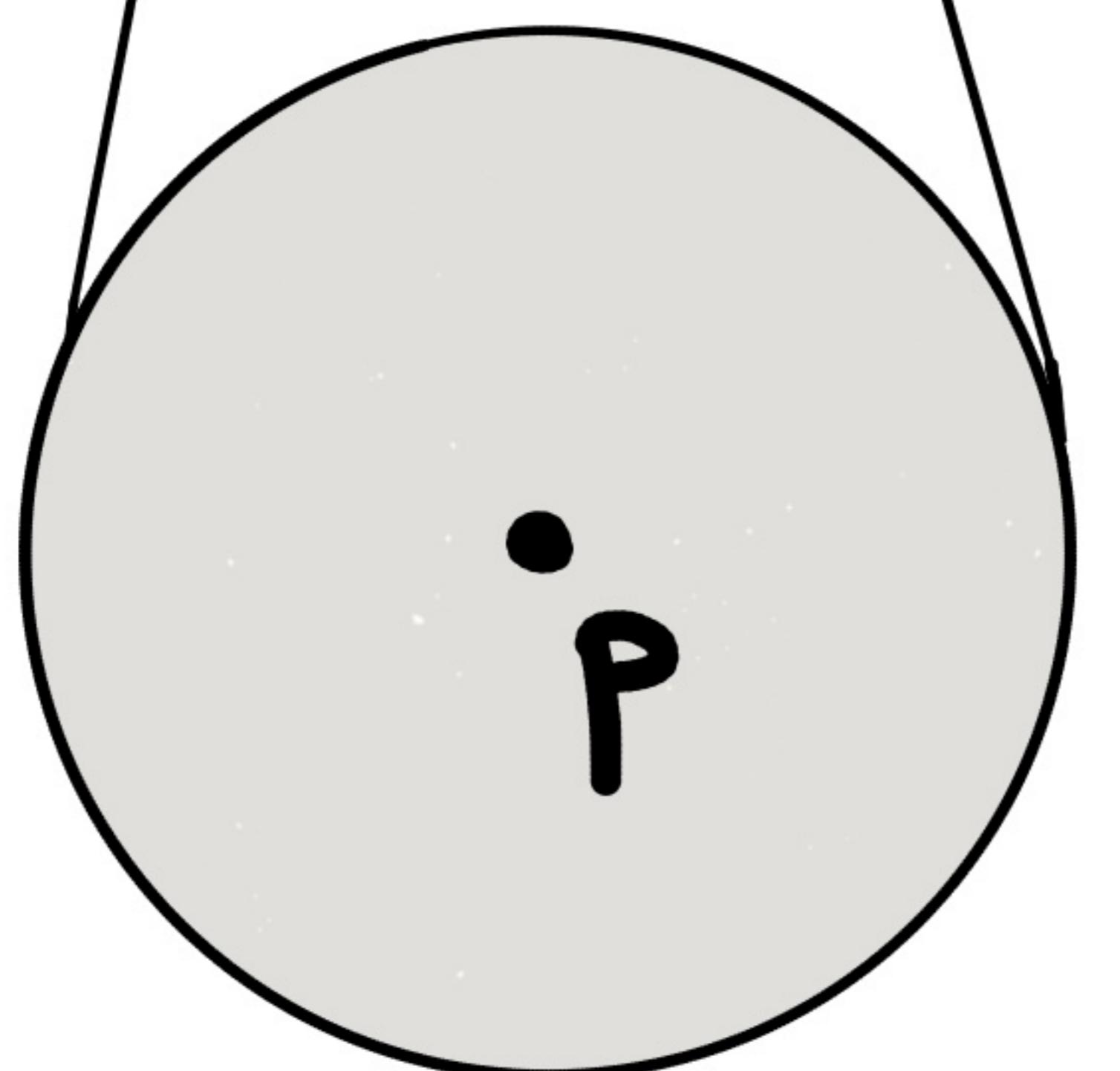
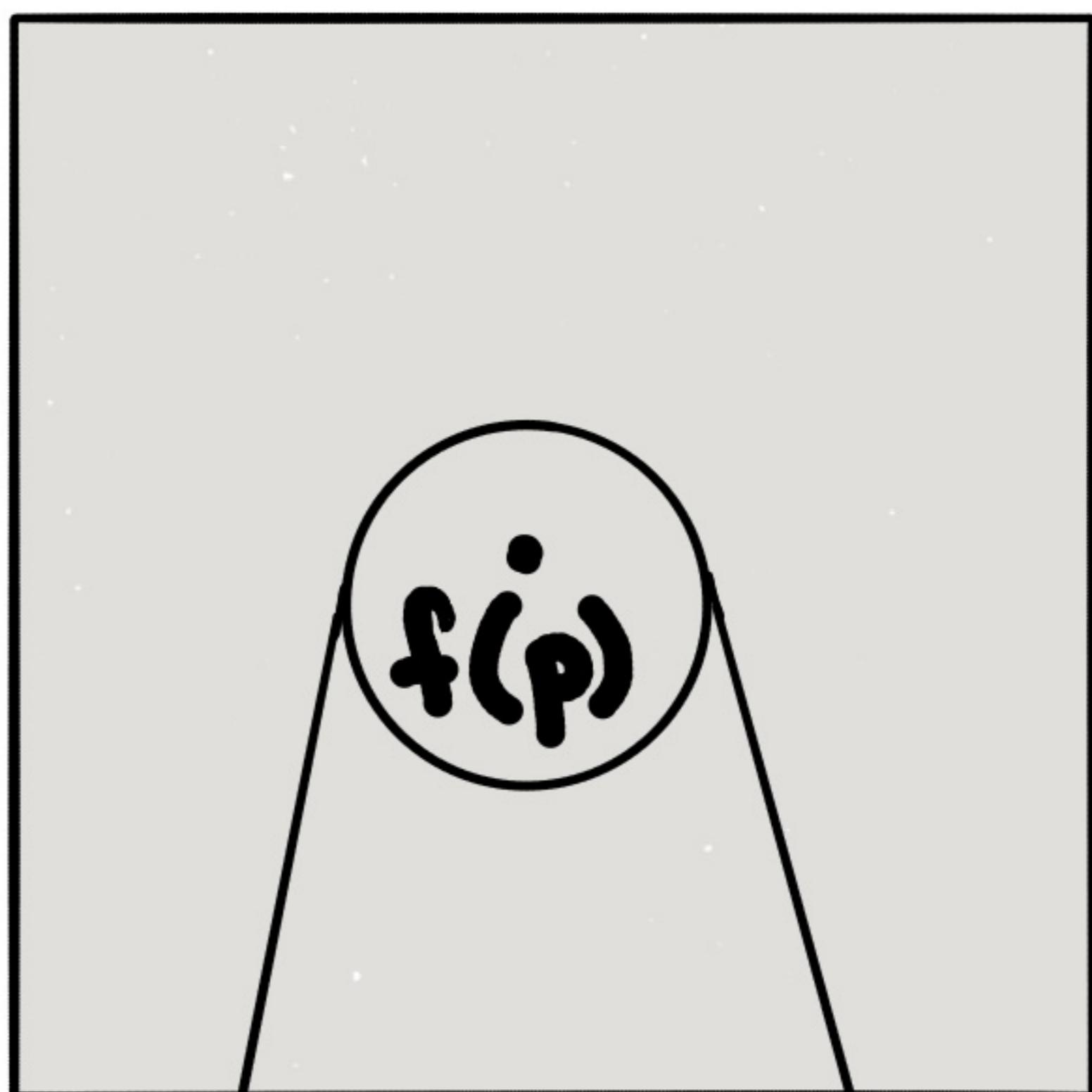
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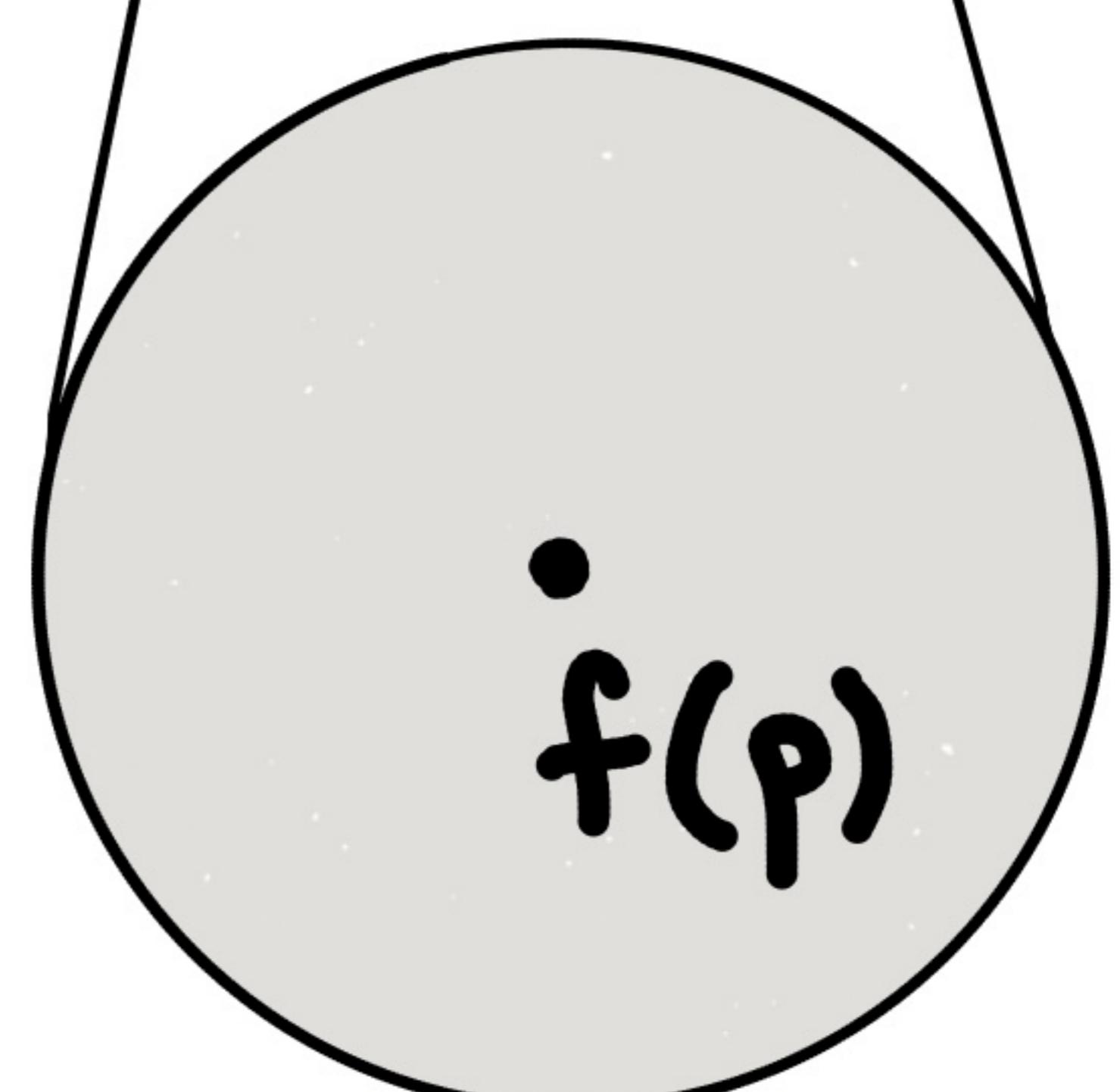


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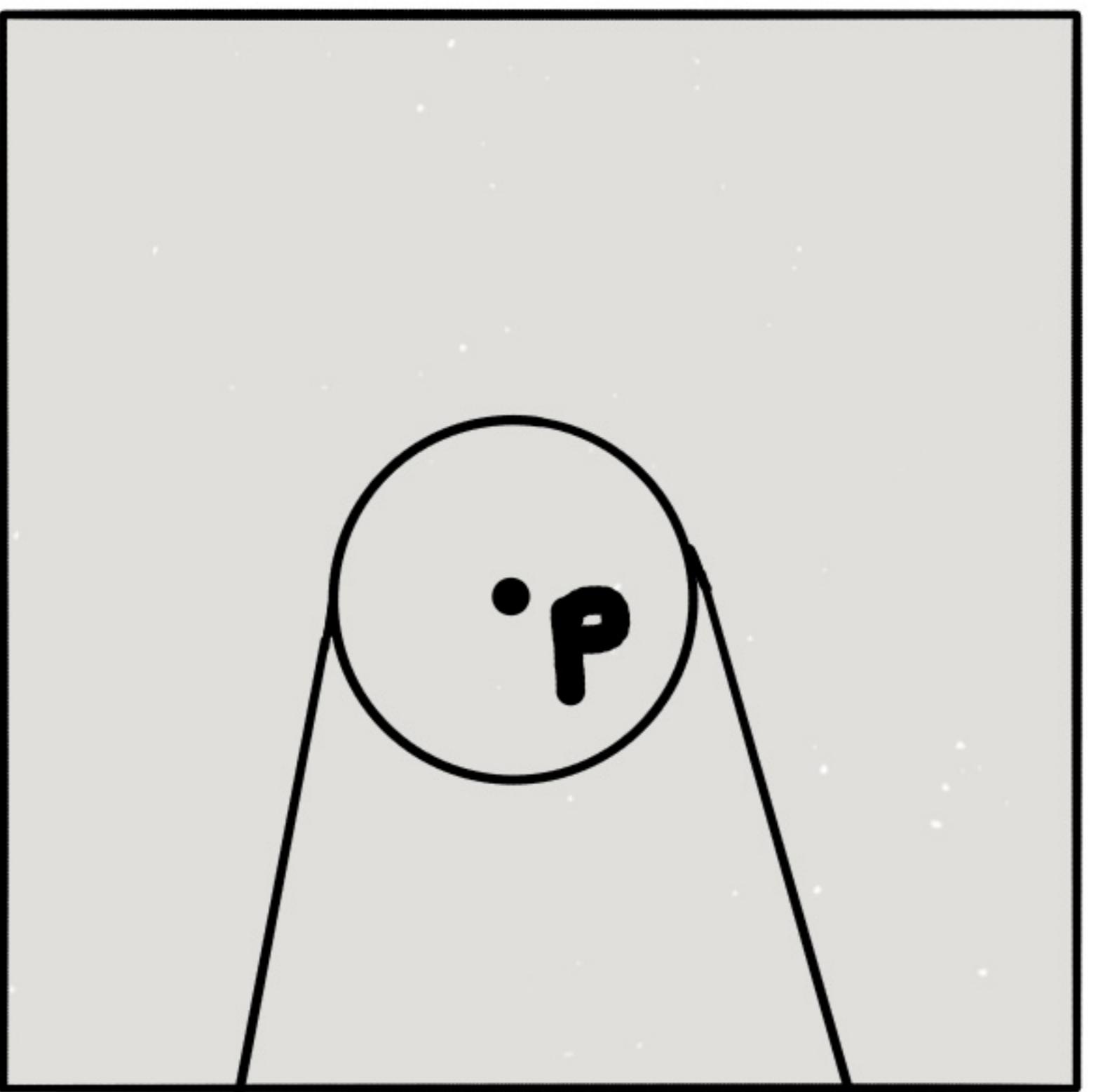


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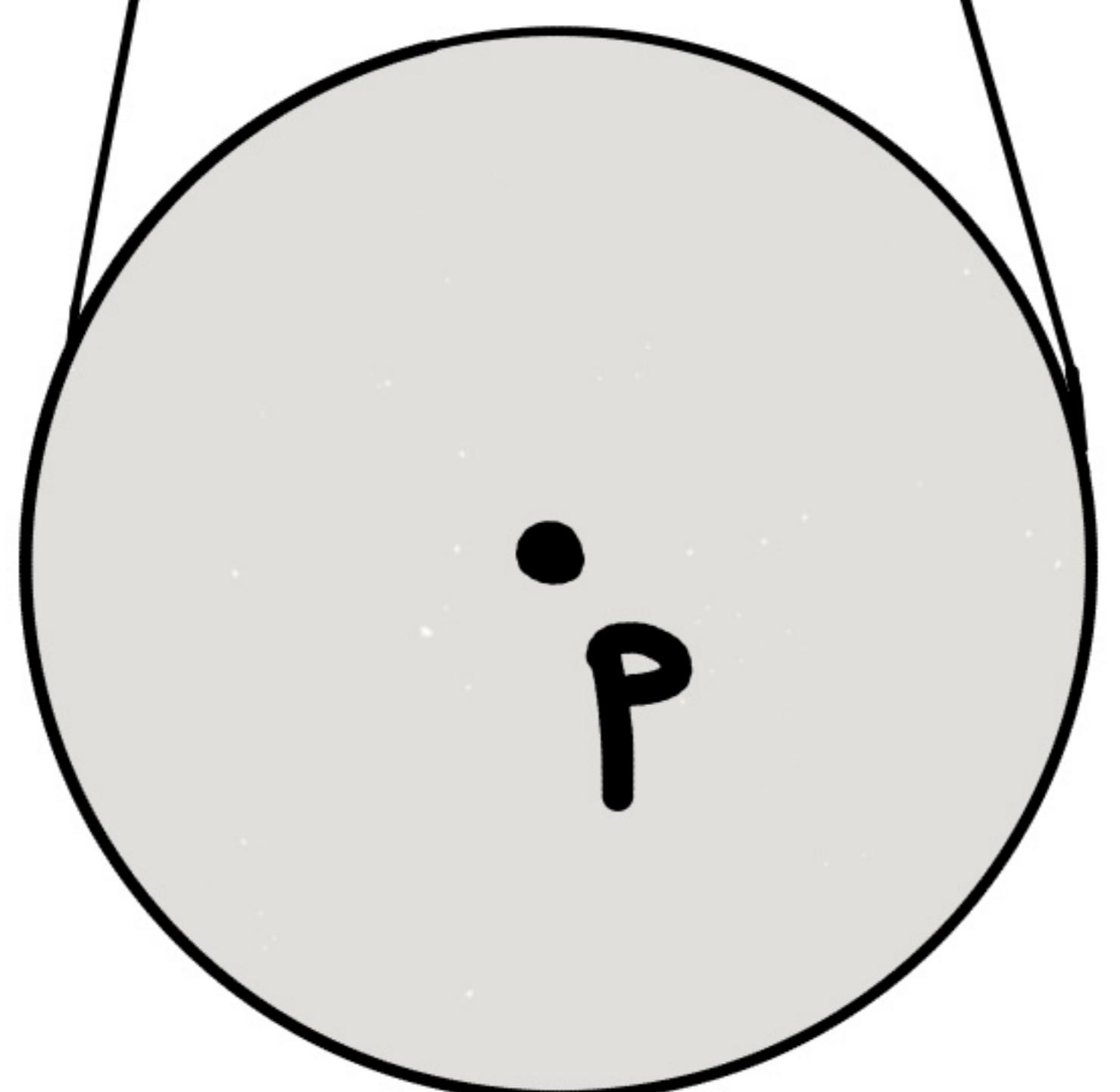
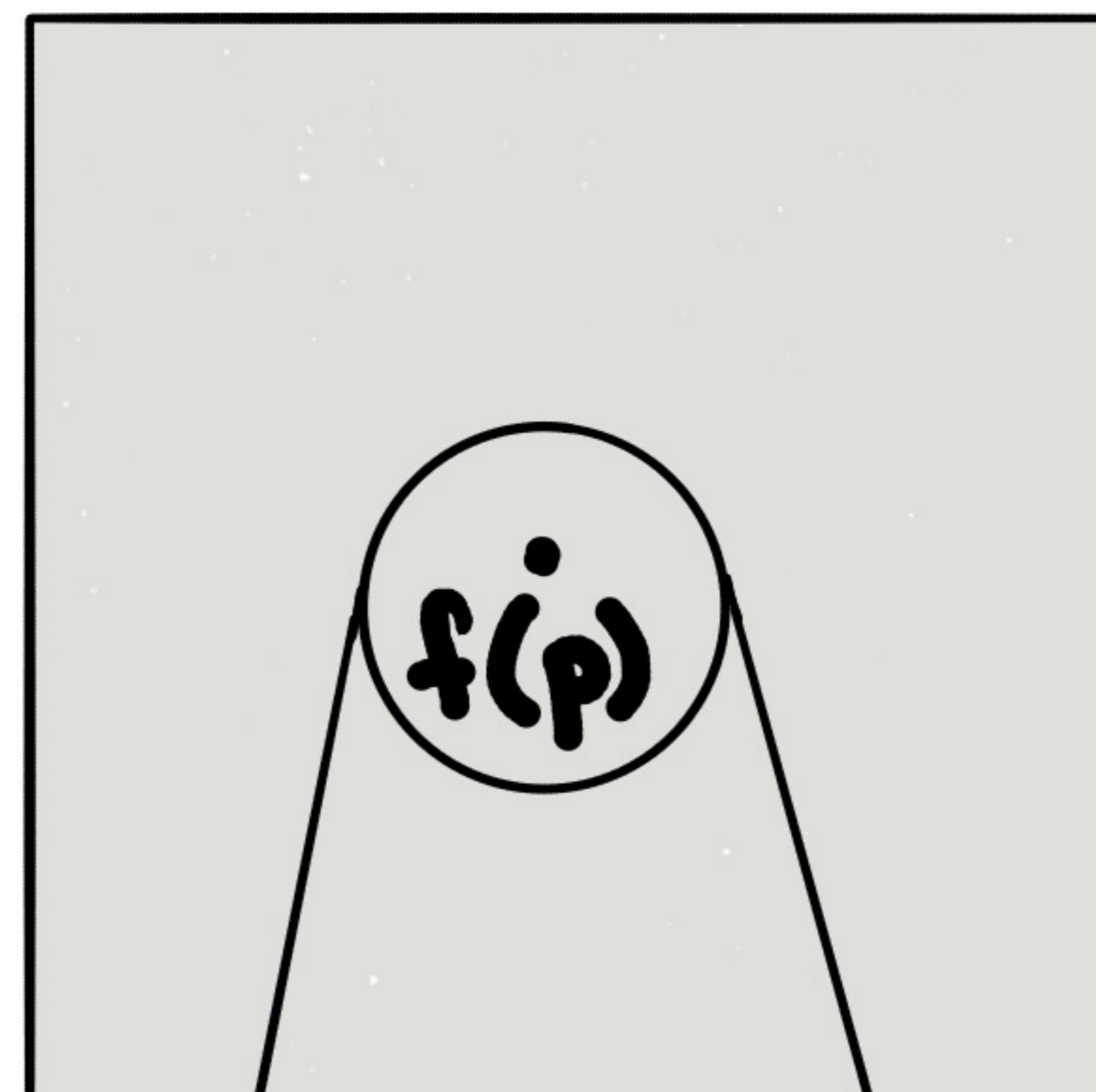
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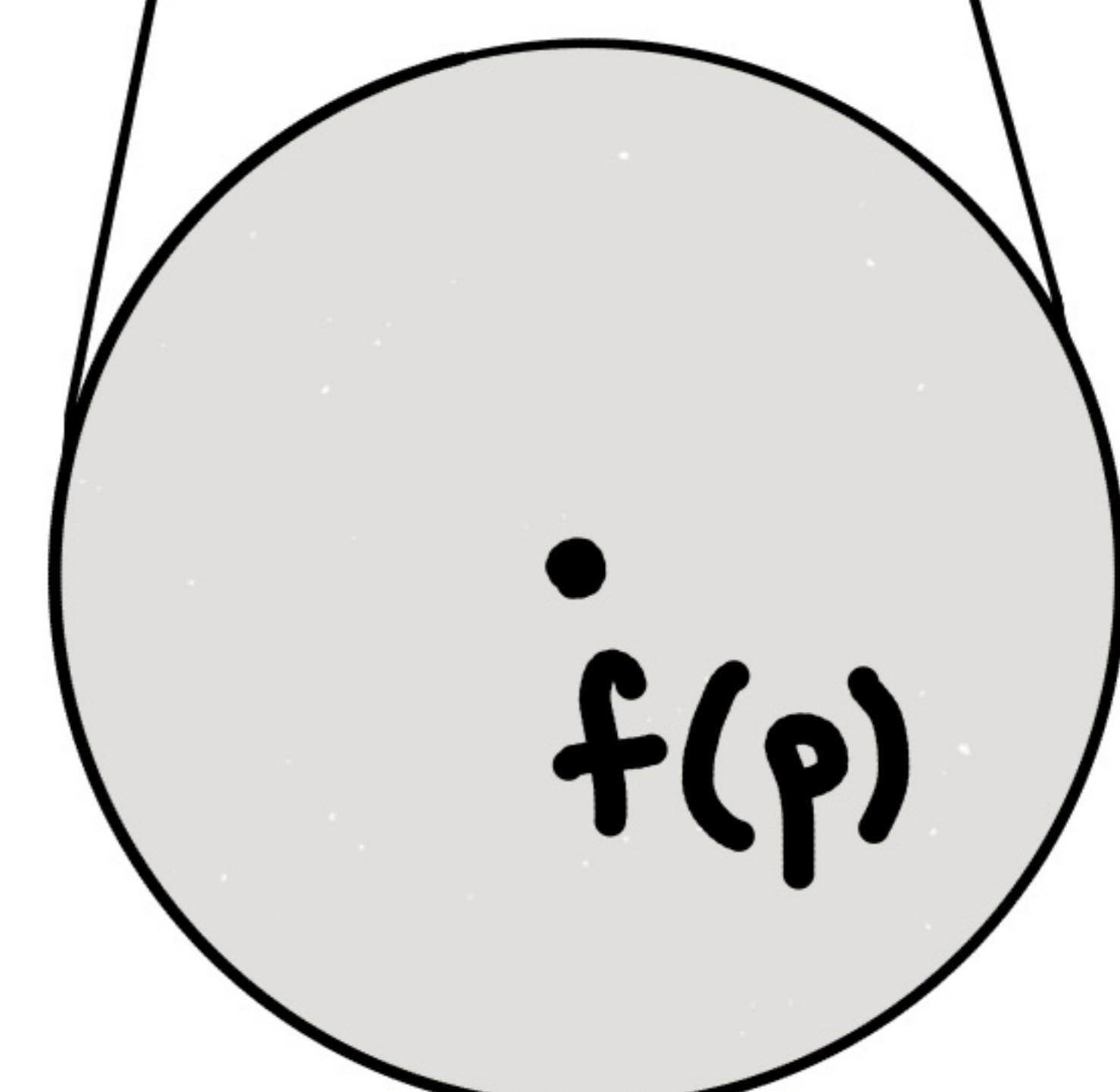


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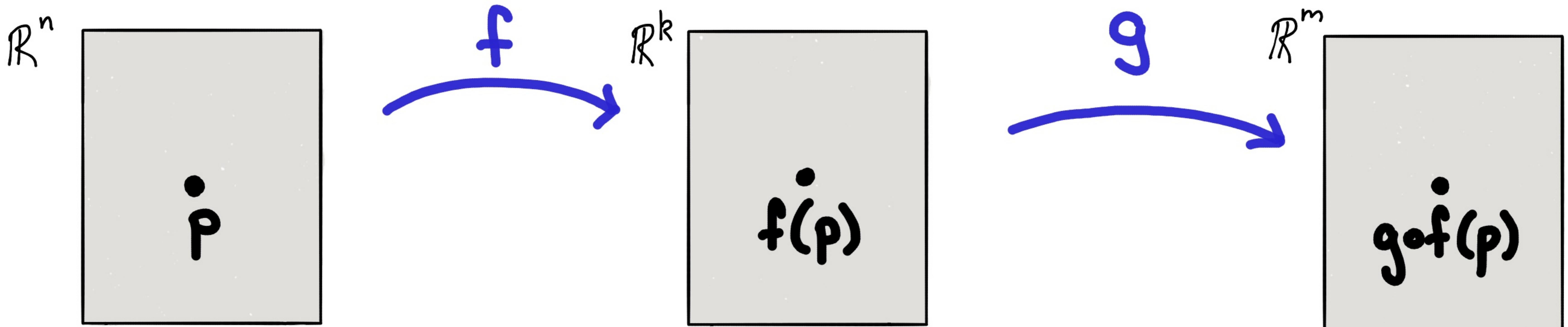
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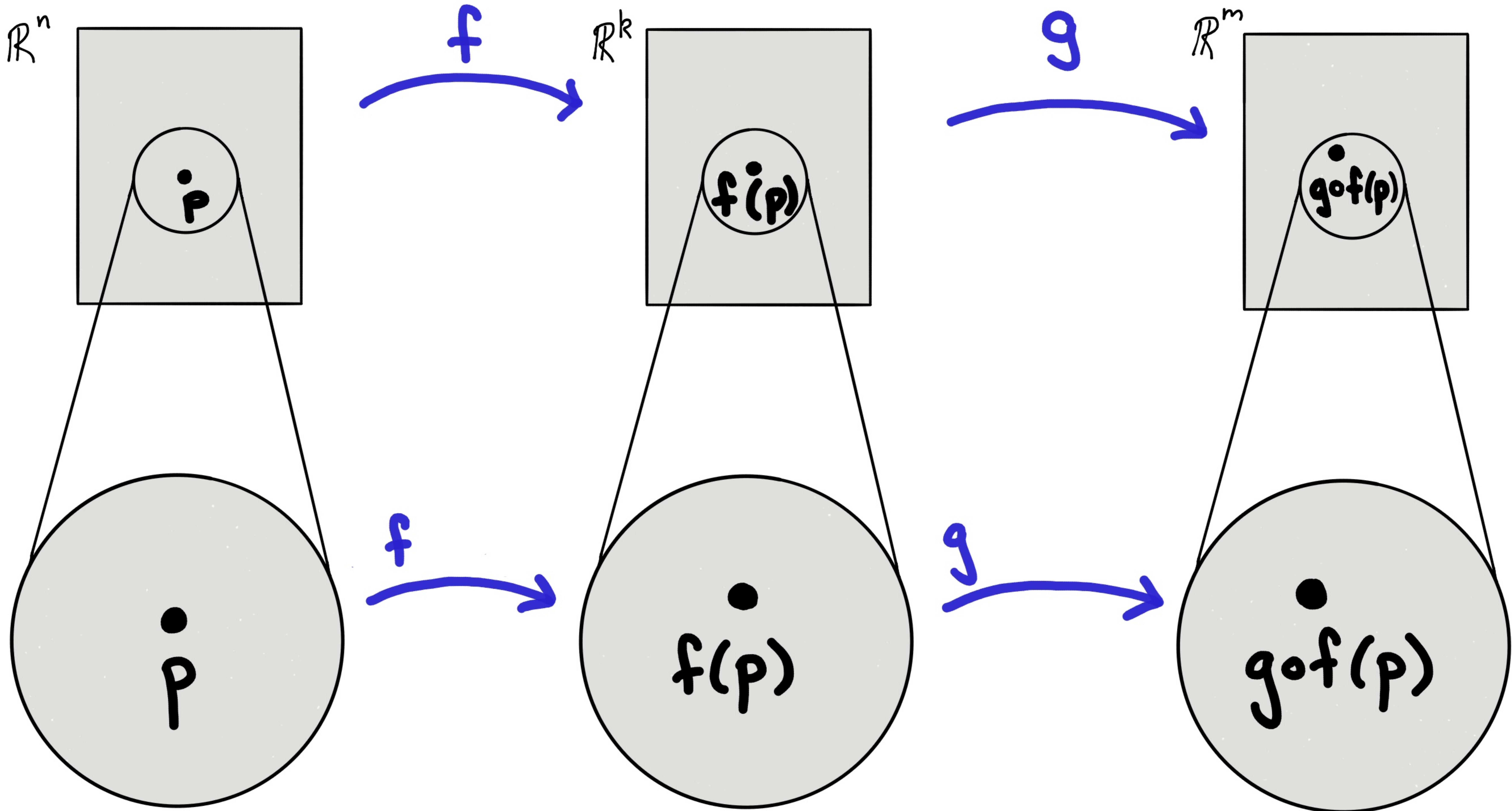
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Chain rule

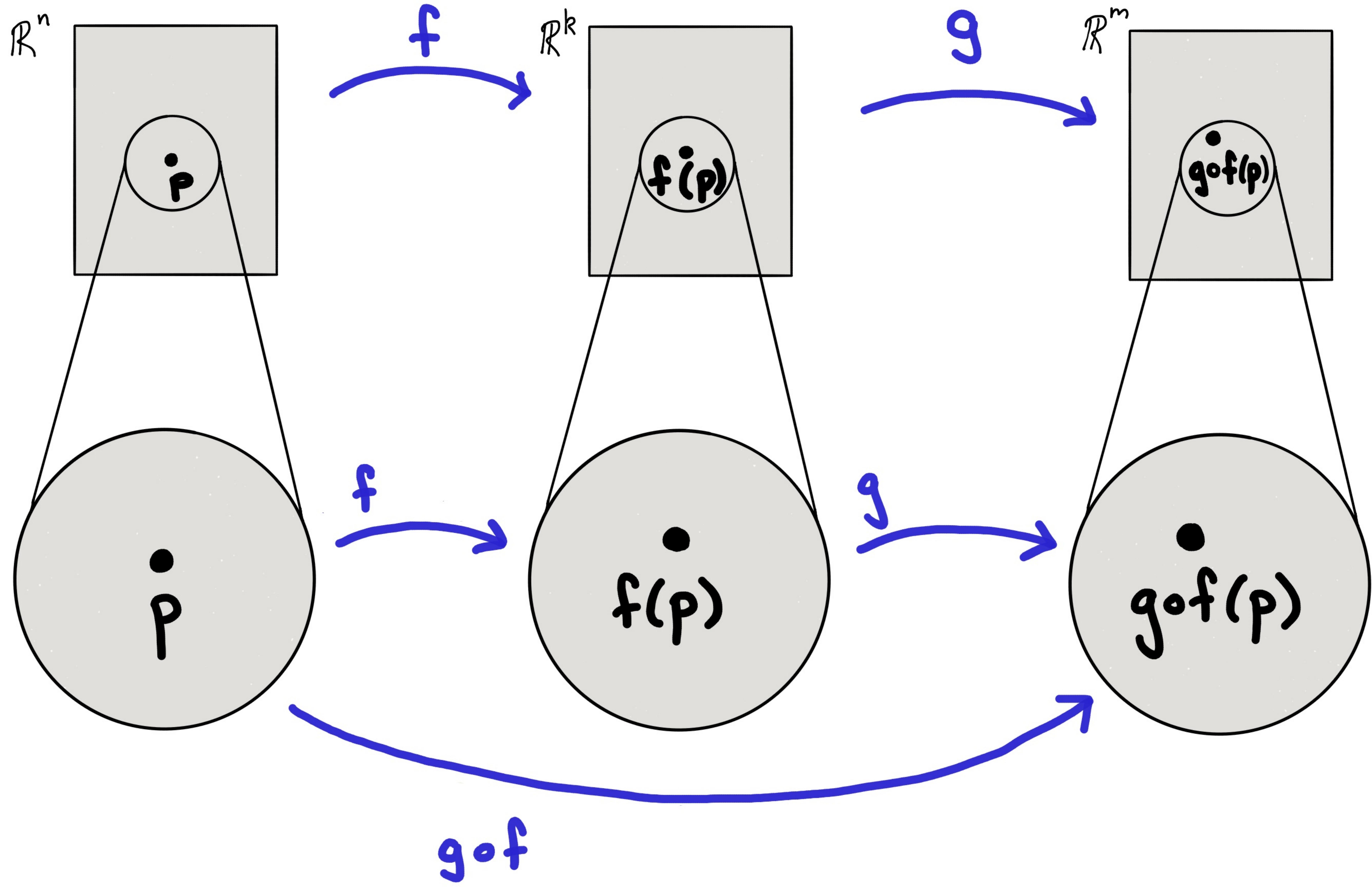
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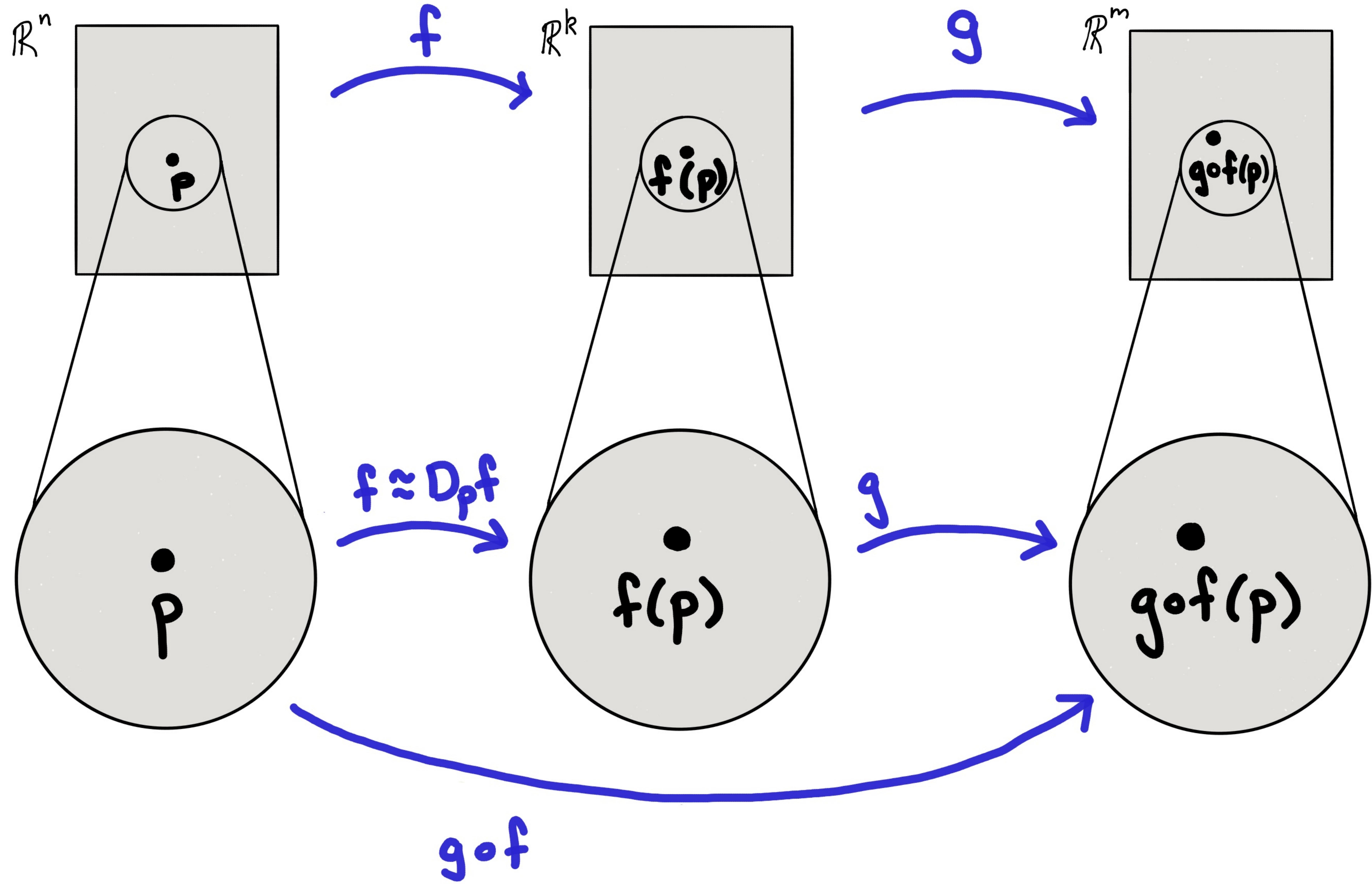
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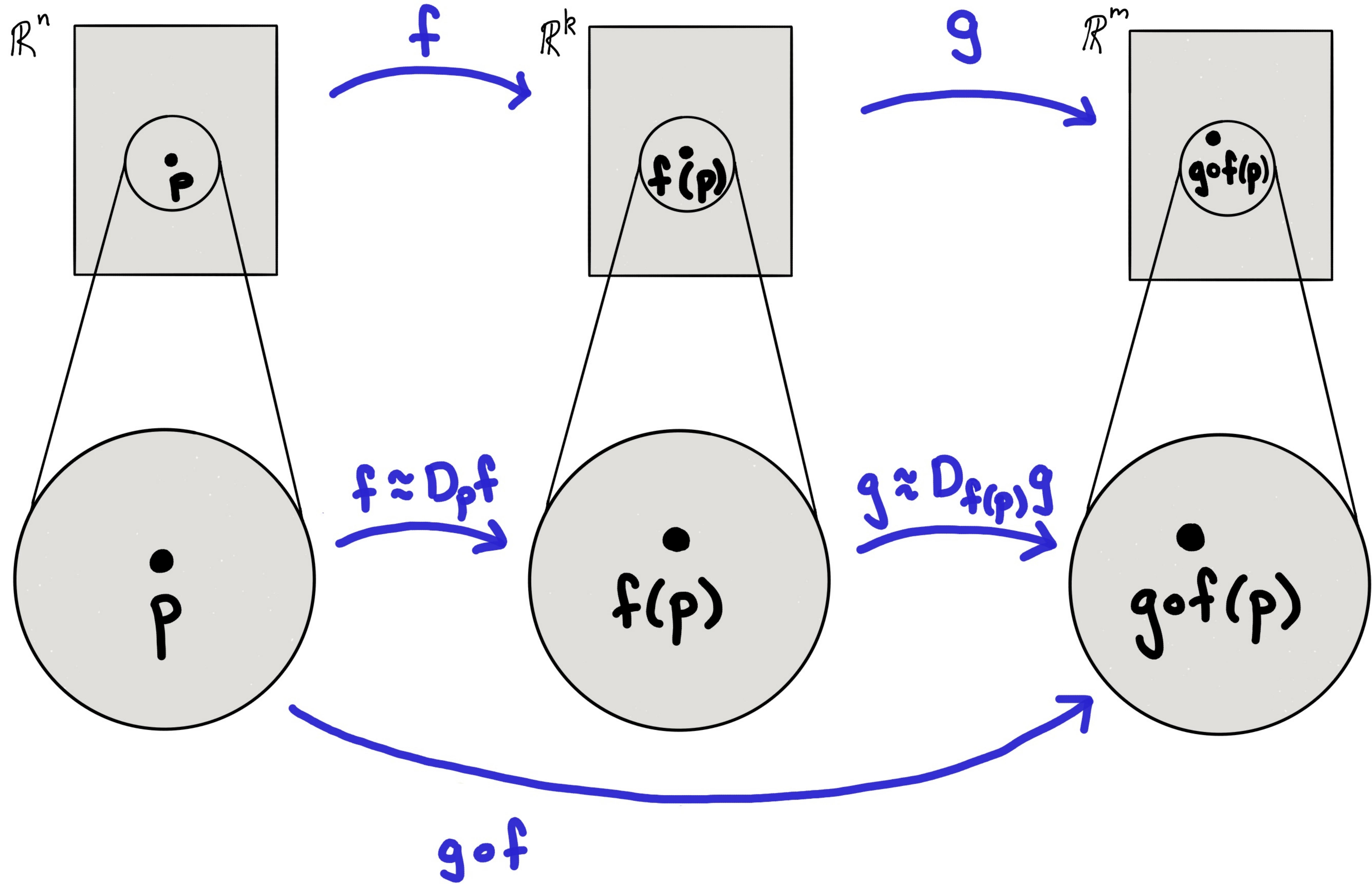
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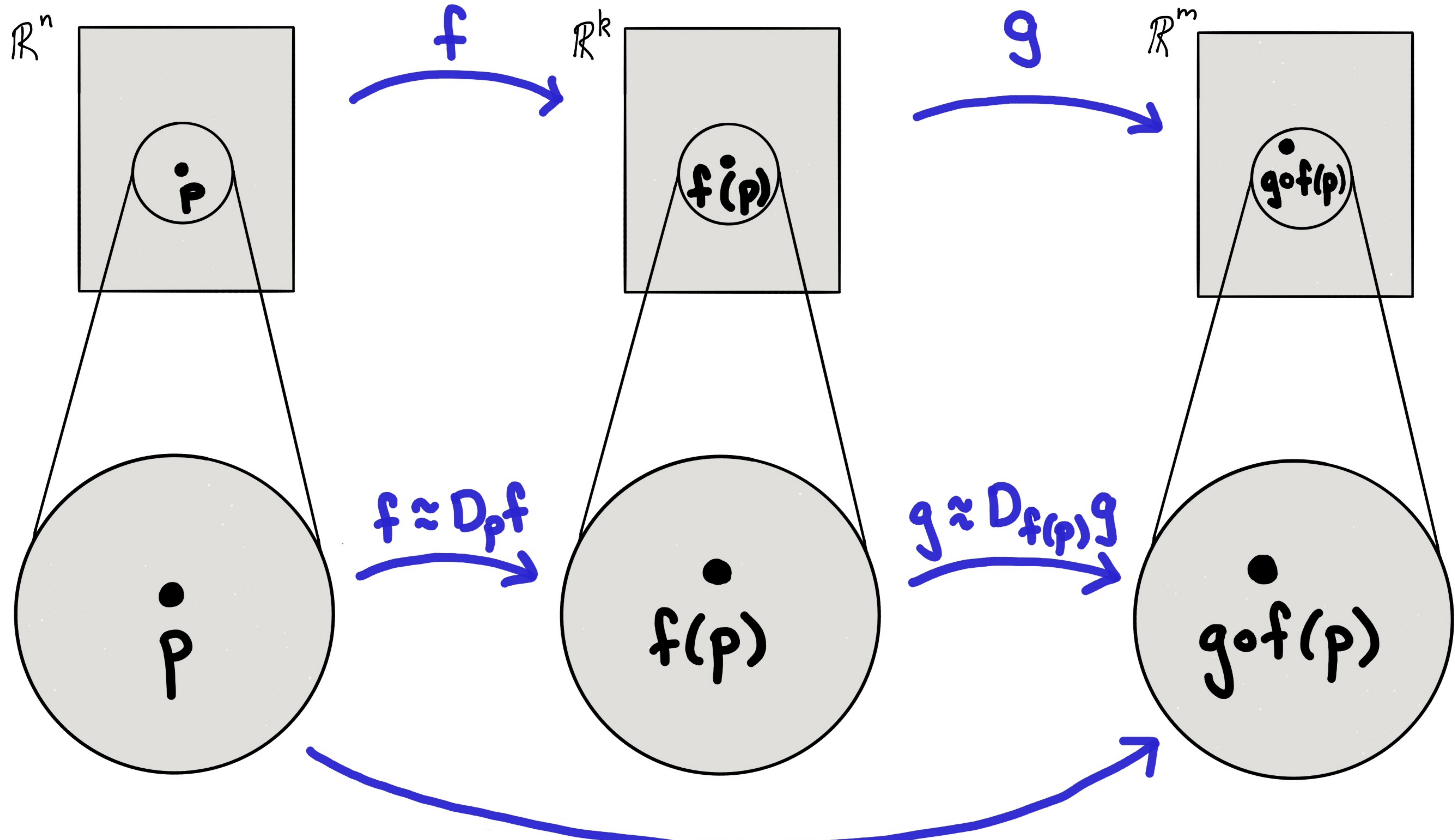
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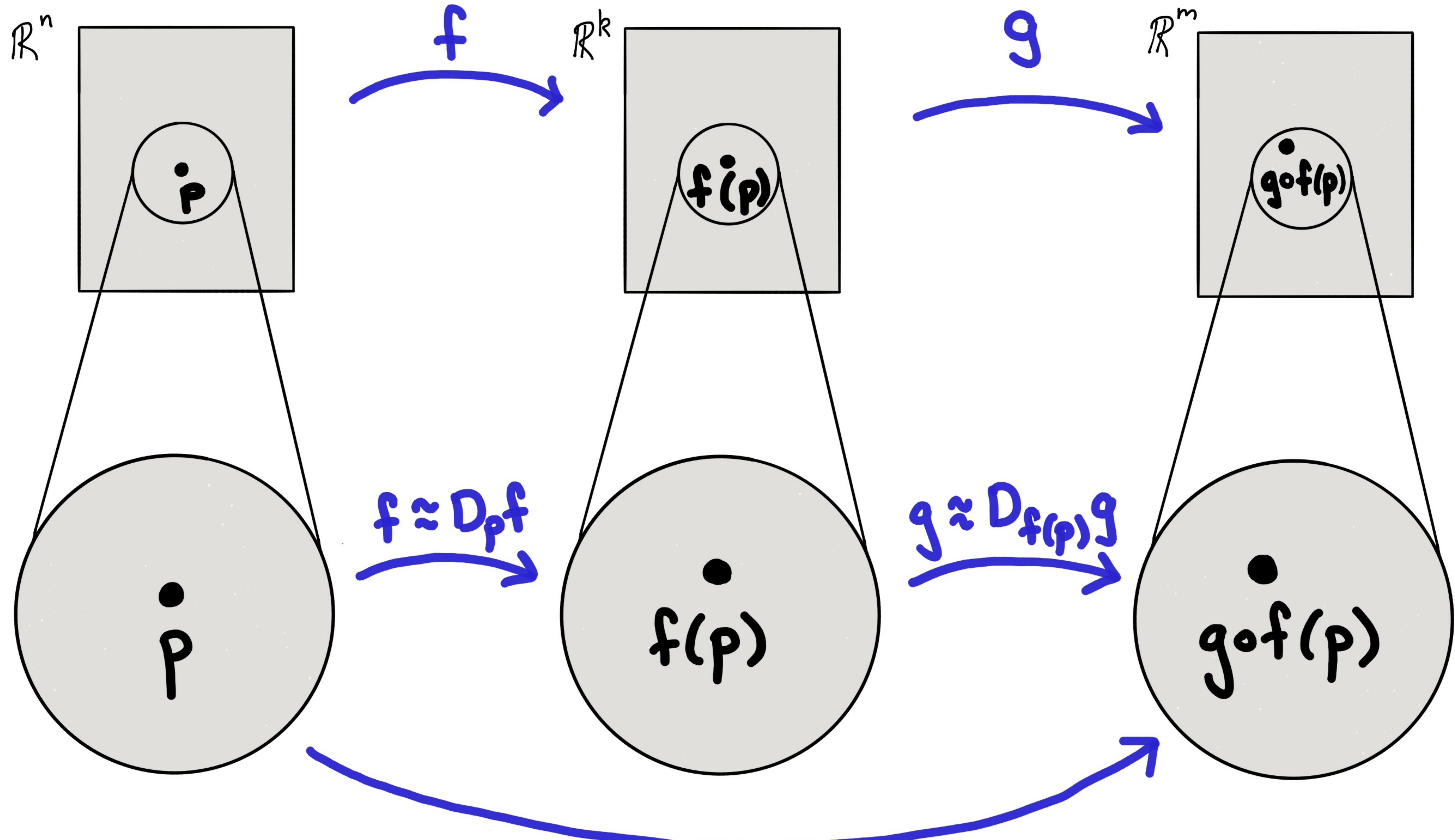


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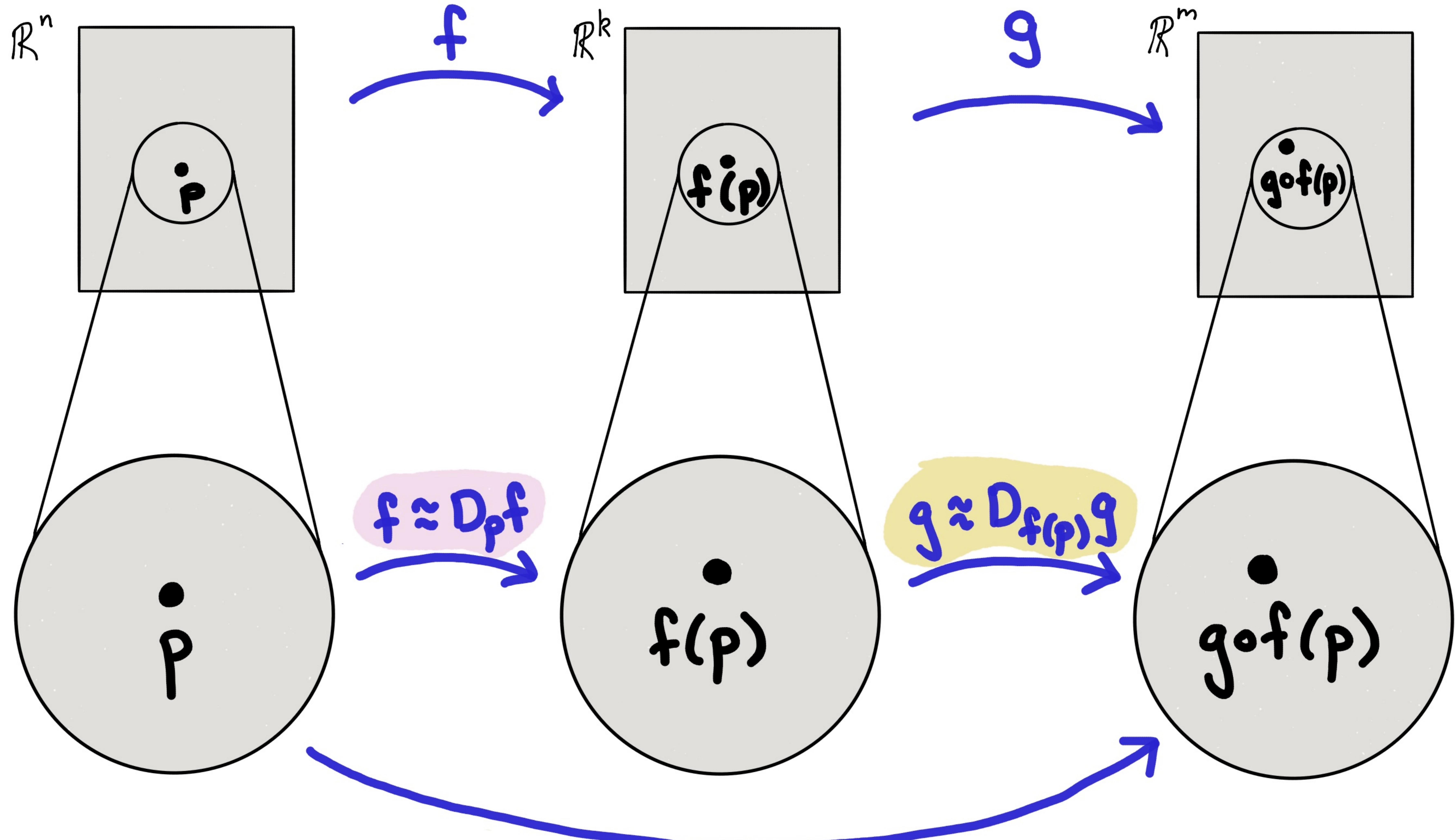
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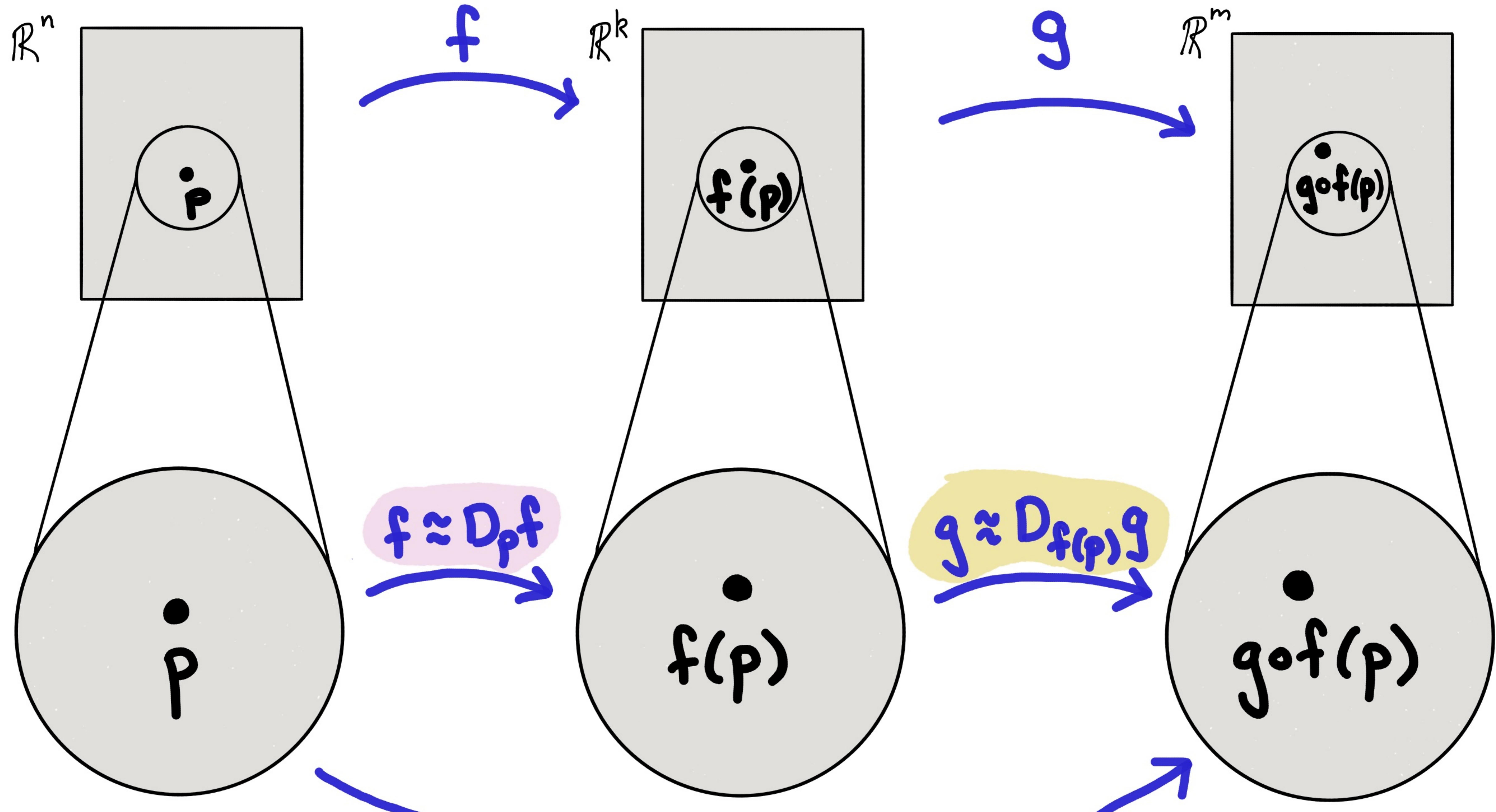
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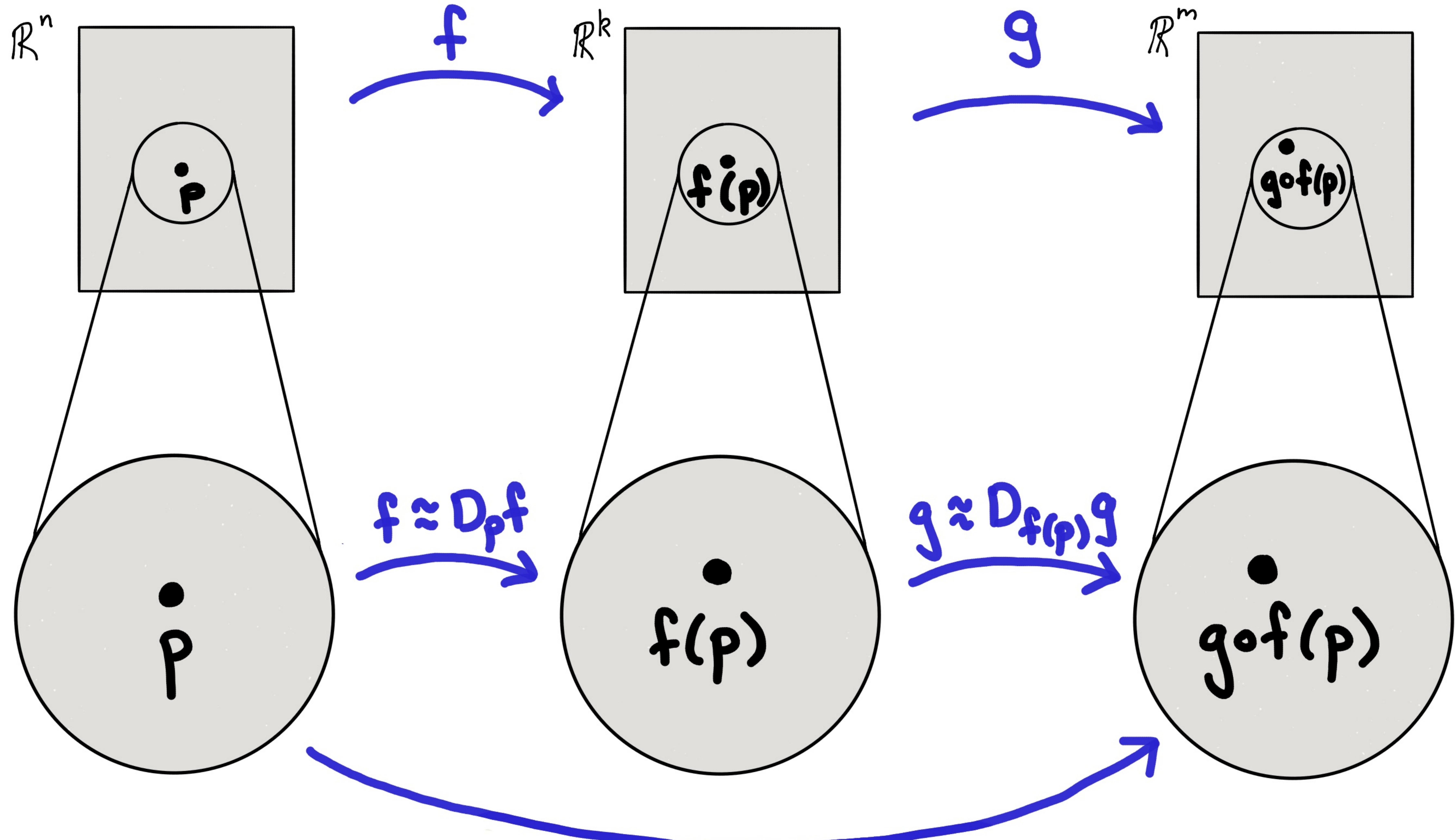
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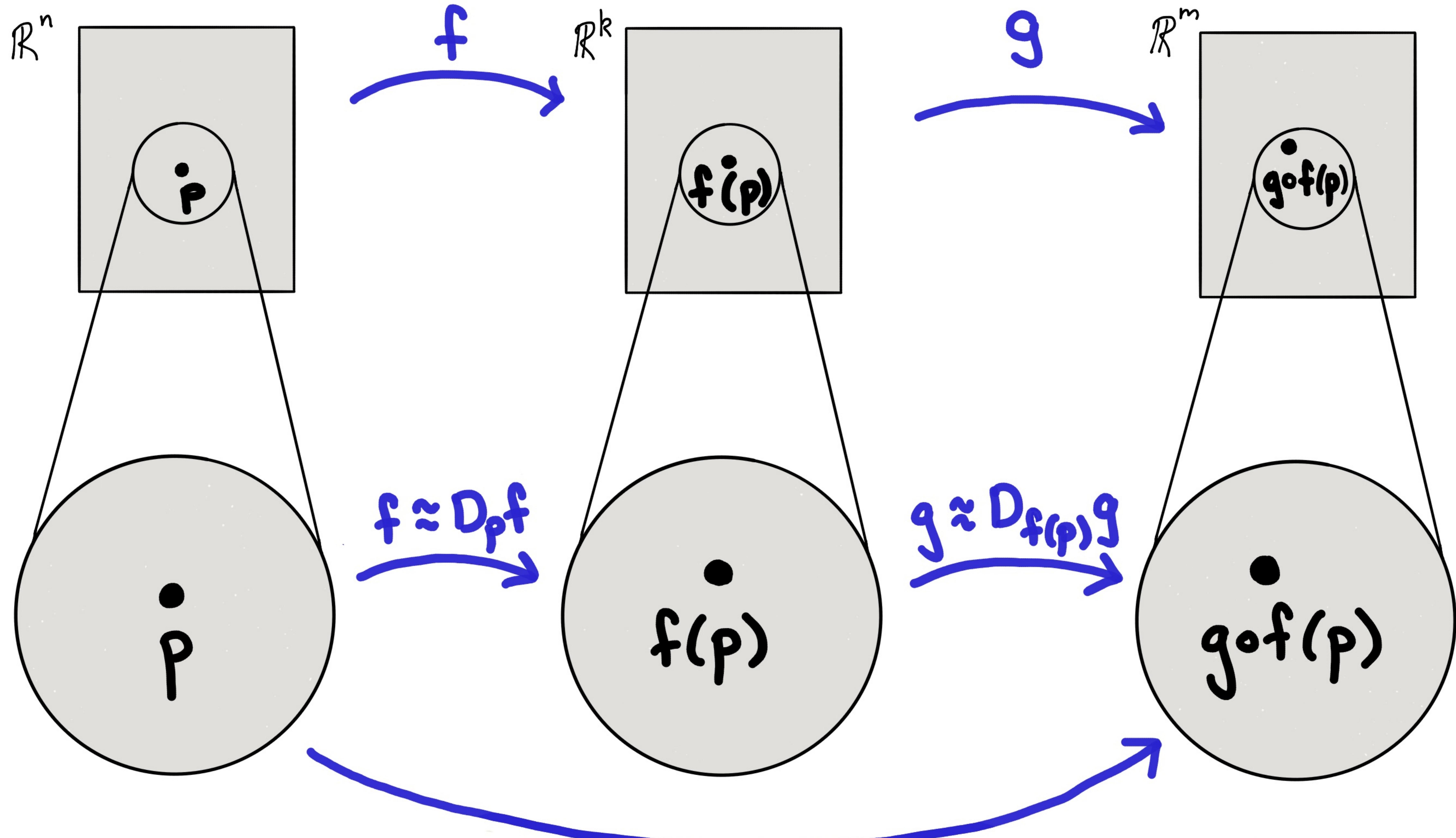
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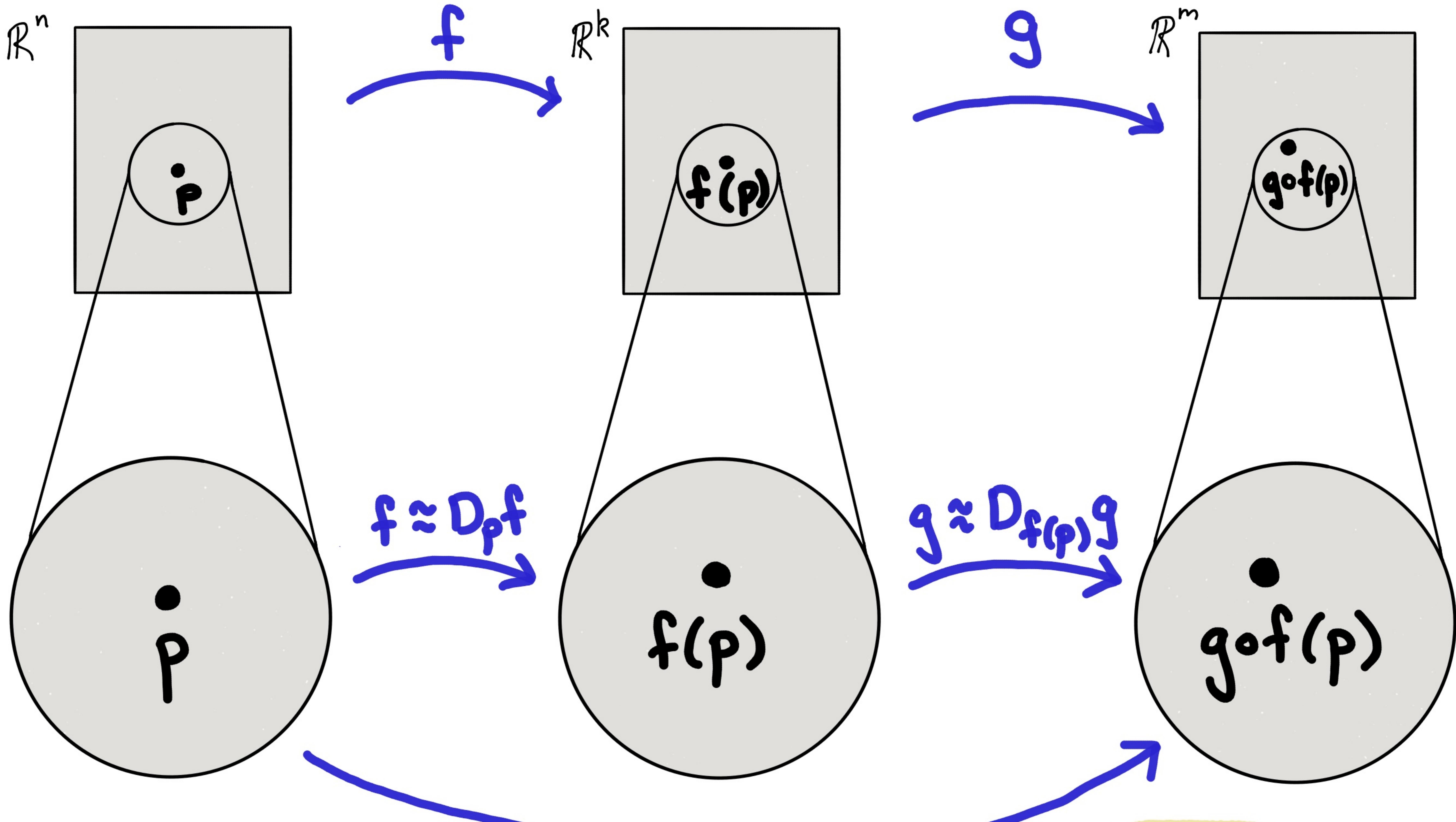
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then

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Example:

$$(g \circ f)'(p) = g'(f(p)) f'(p)$$

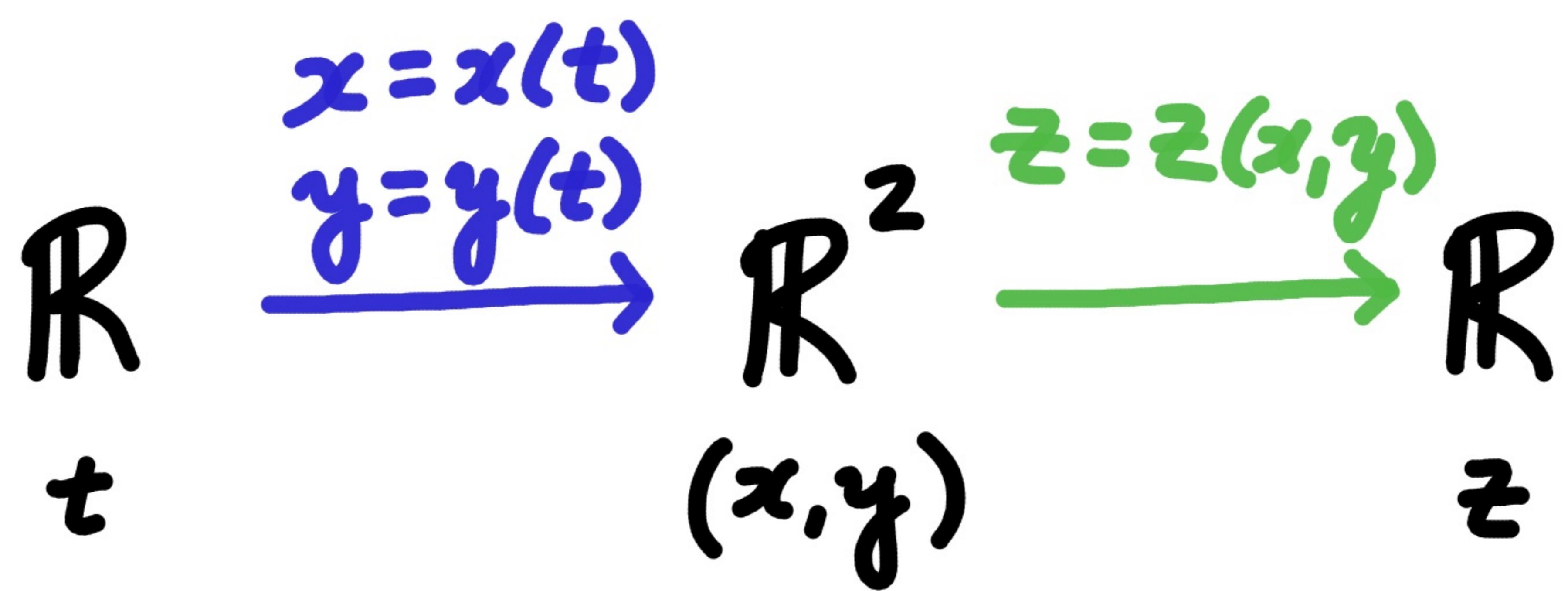
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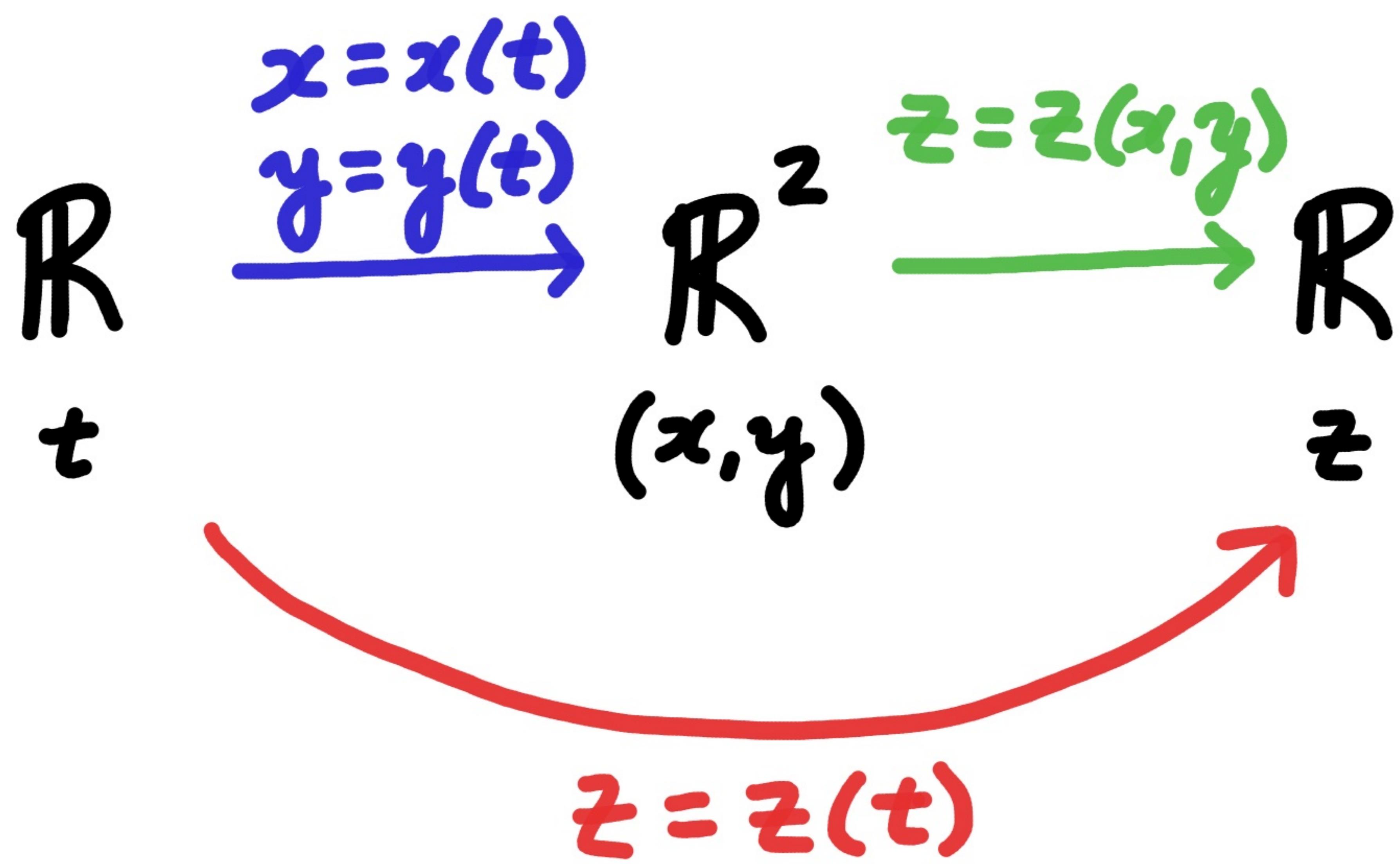
The chain
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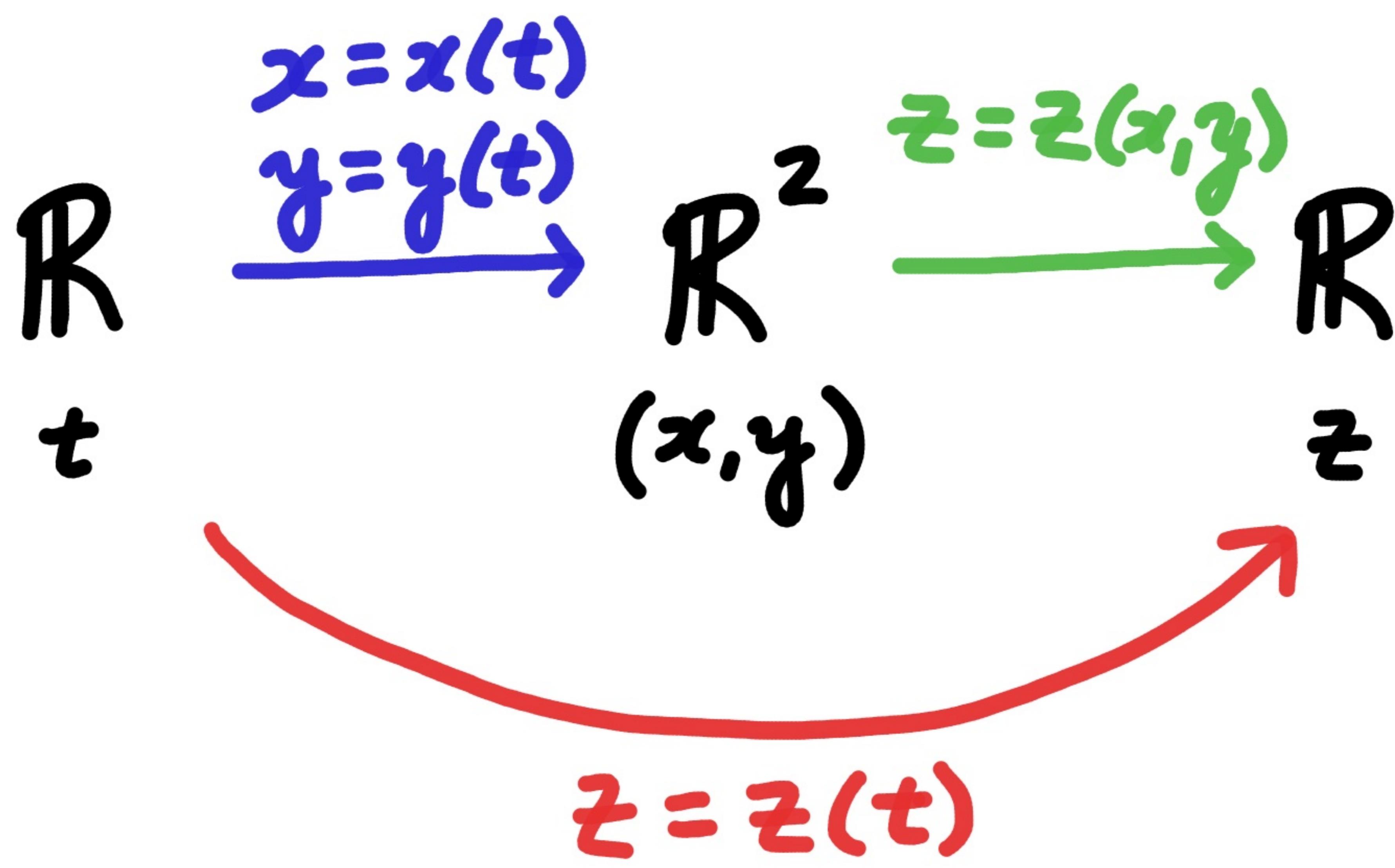
\mathbb{R}
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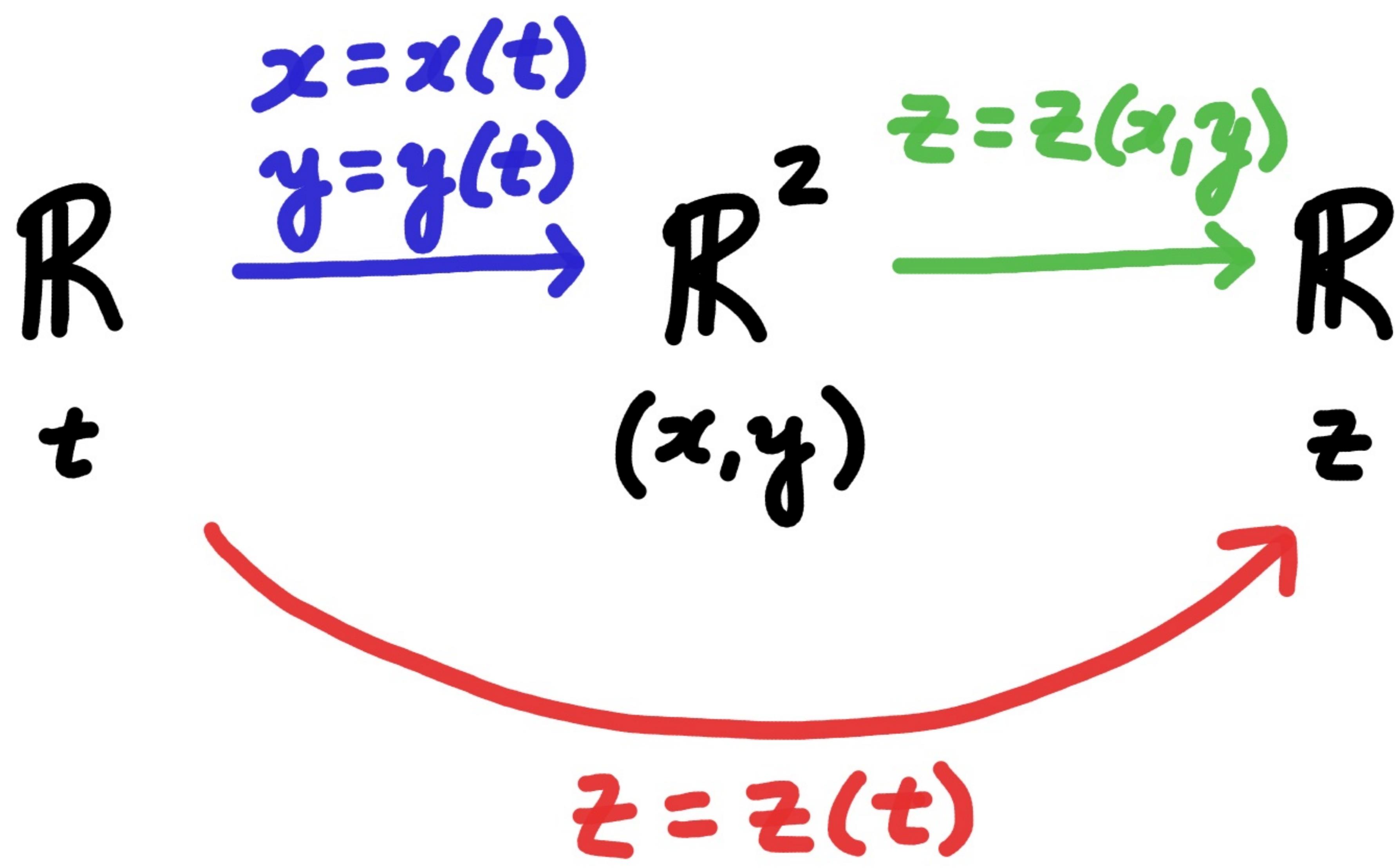






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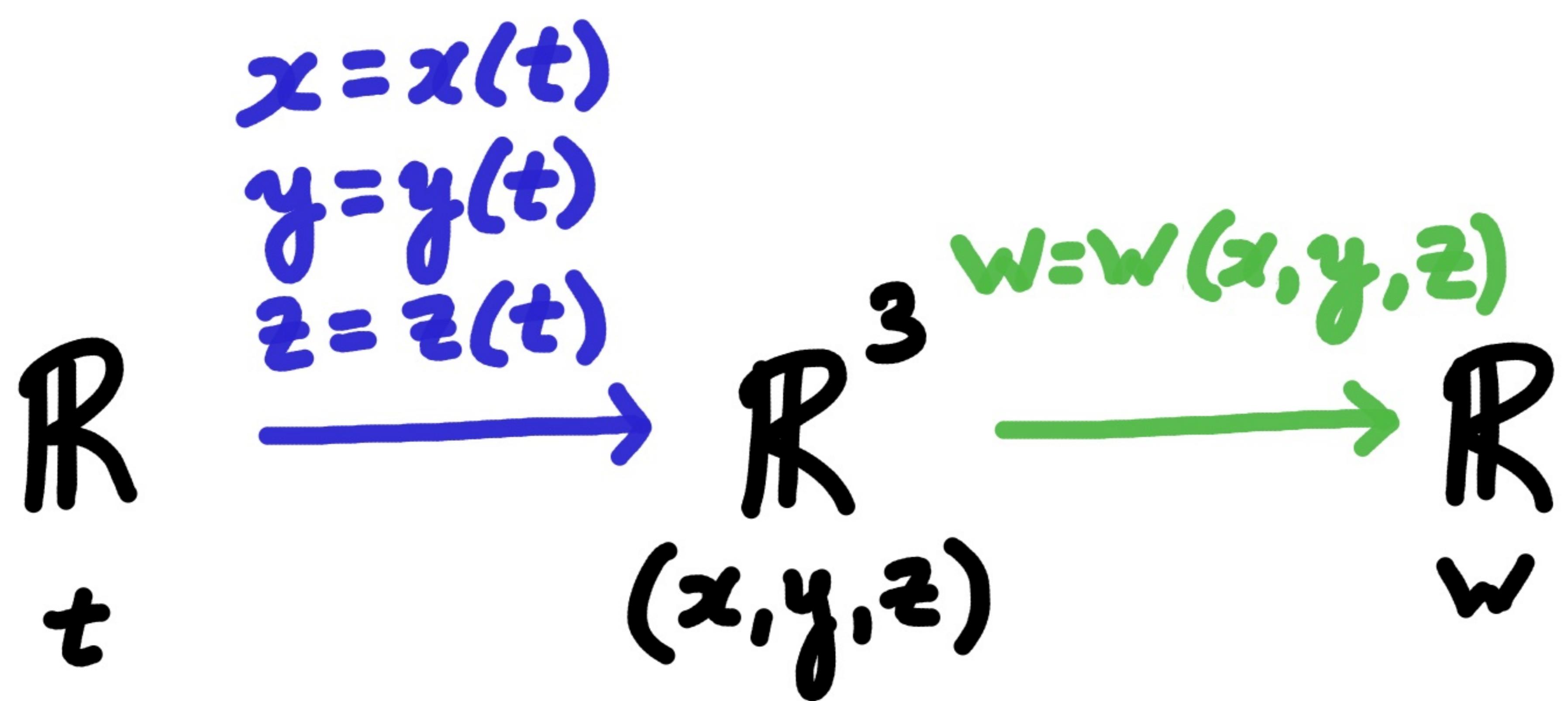
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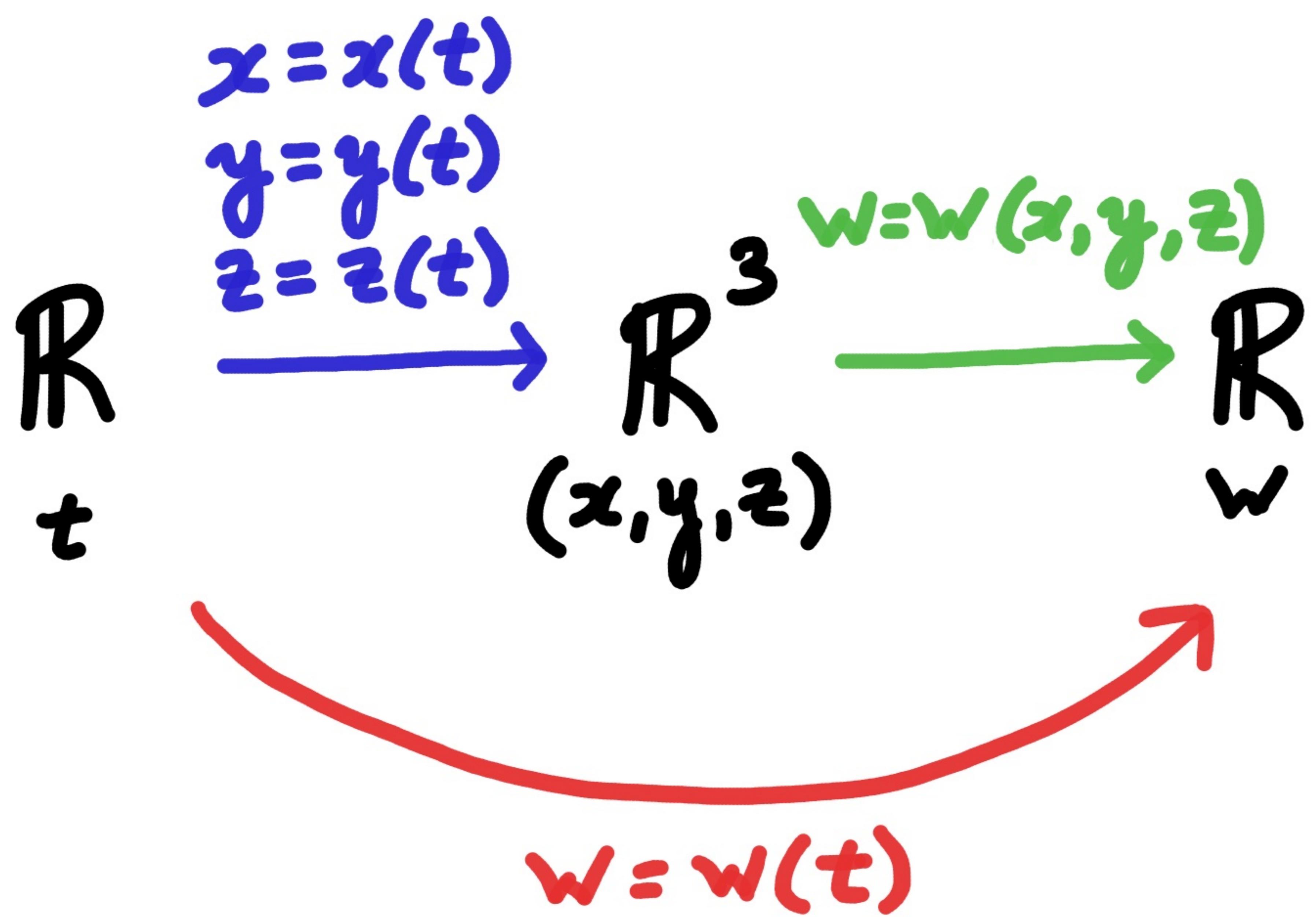
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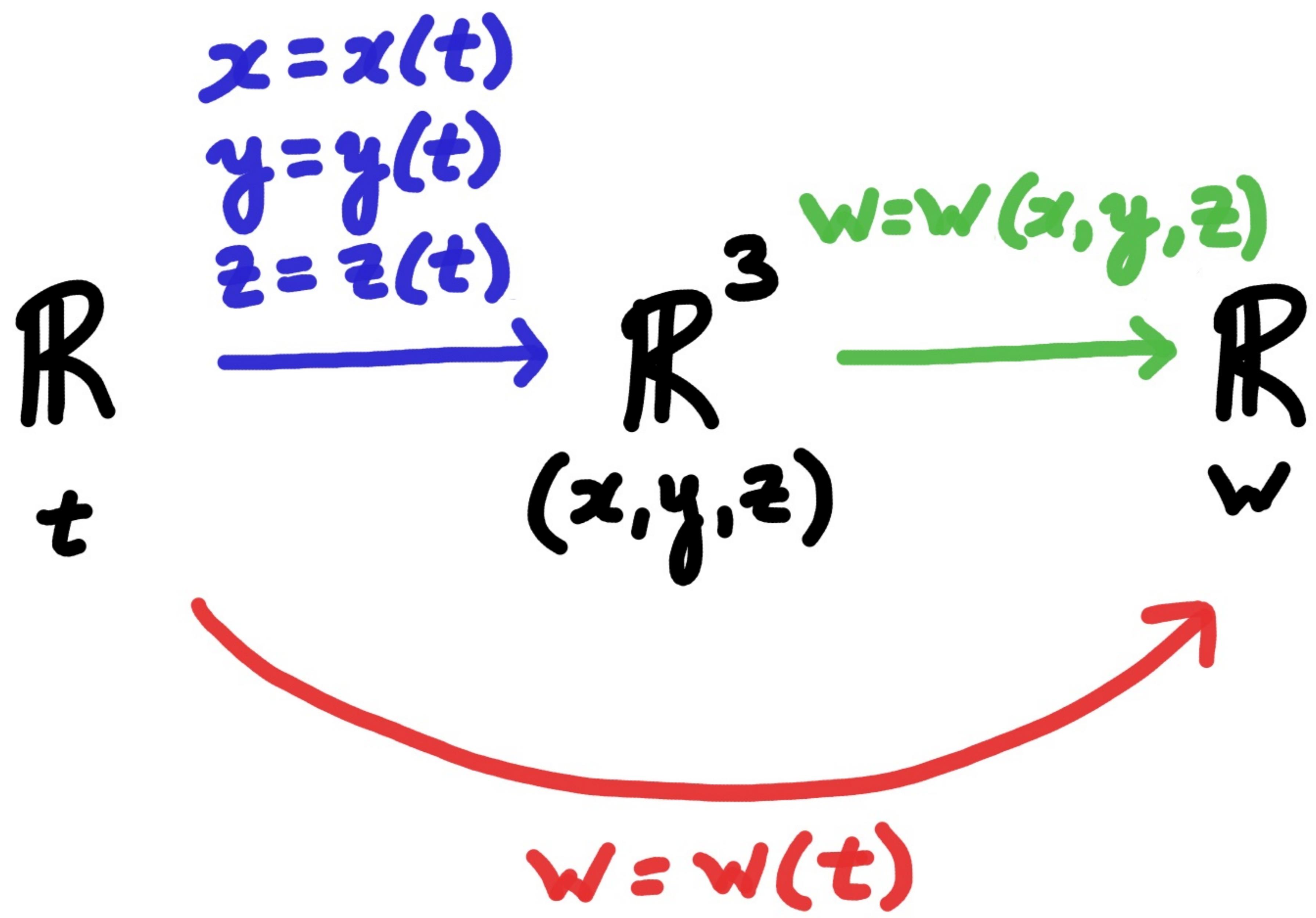
R_t

R^3
(x,y,z)

R_w

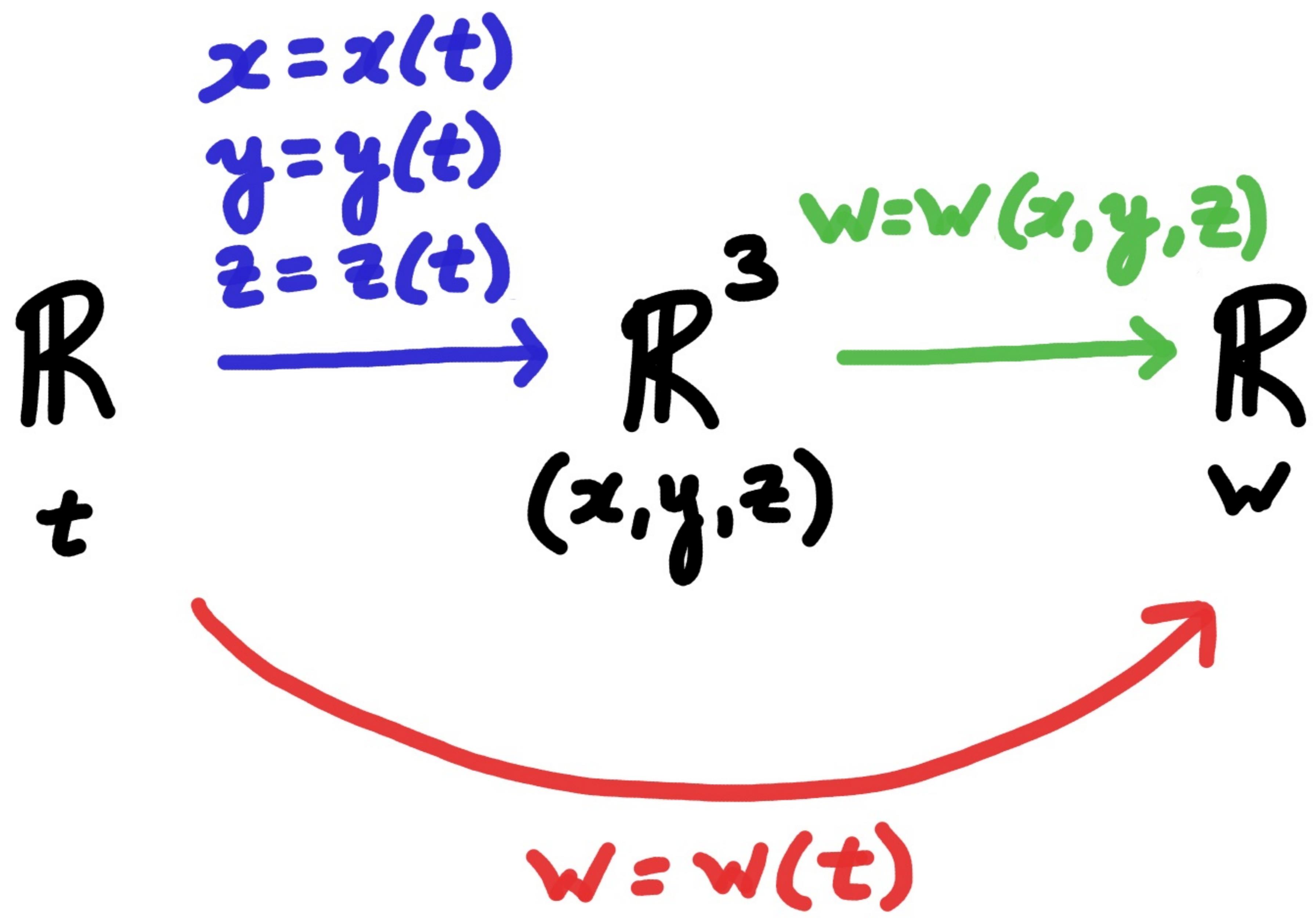






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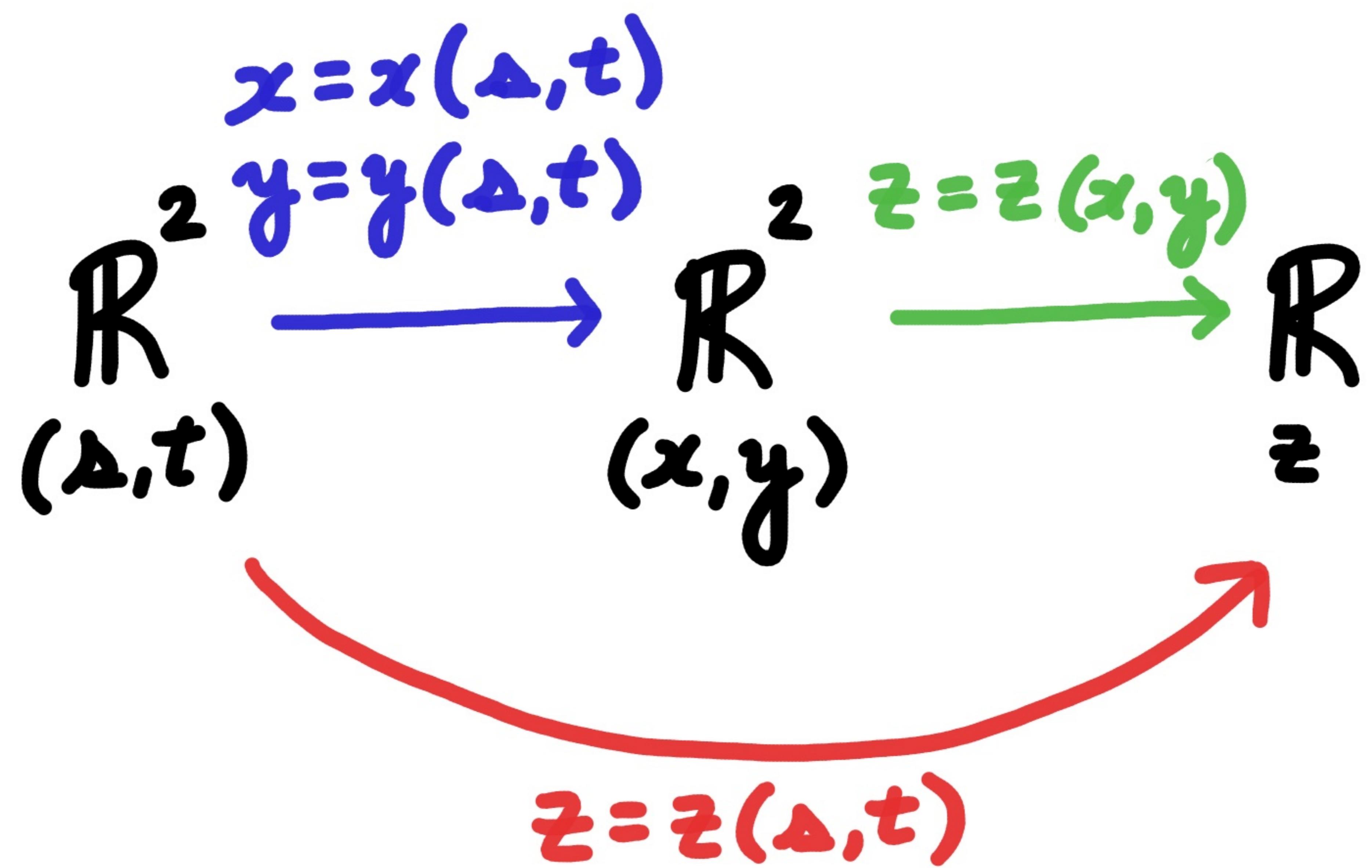


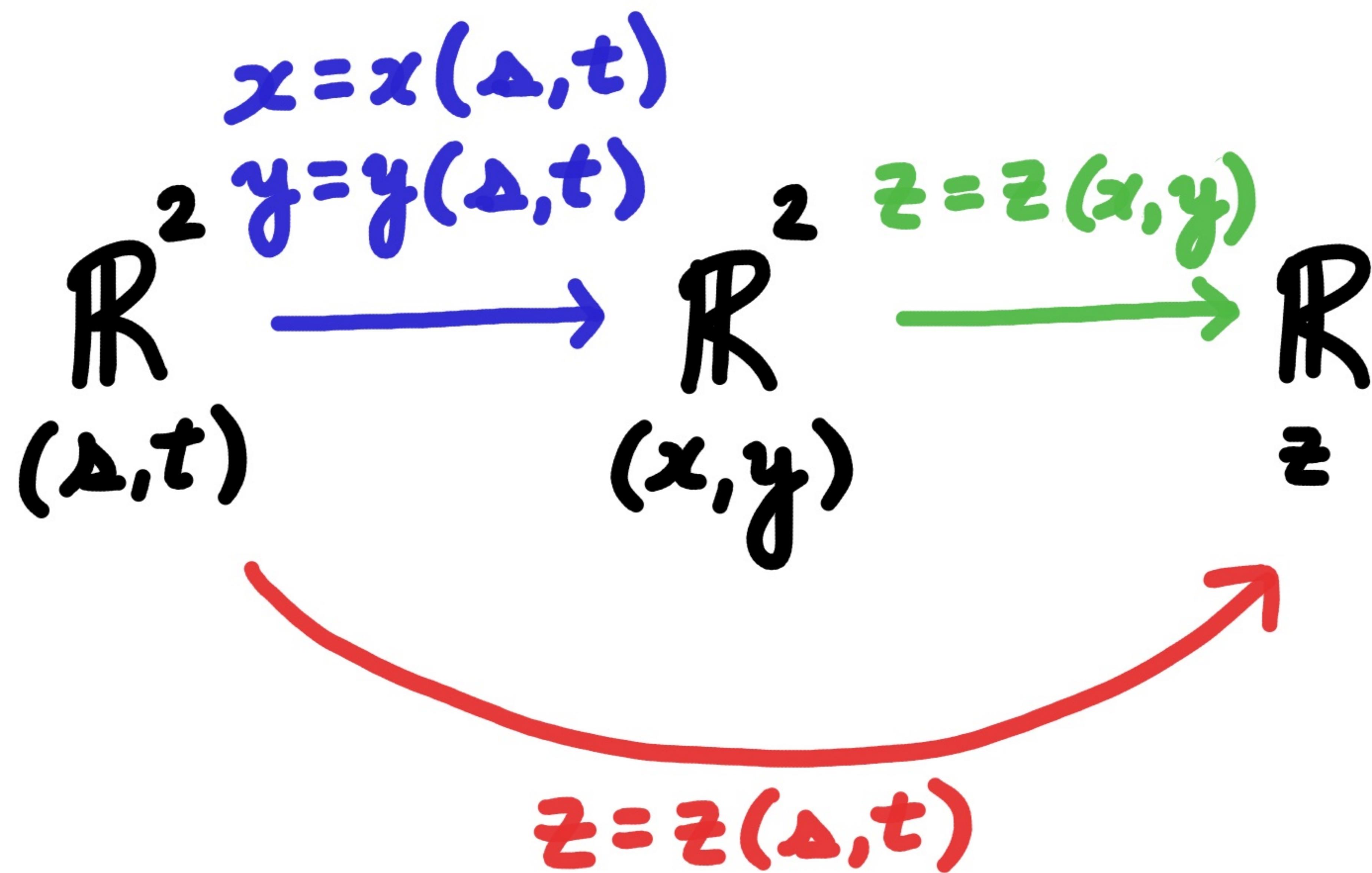
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$$\mathbb{R}^2$$
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$$\mathbb{R}$$
$$z$$

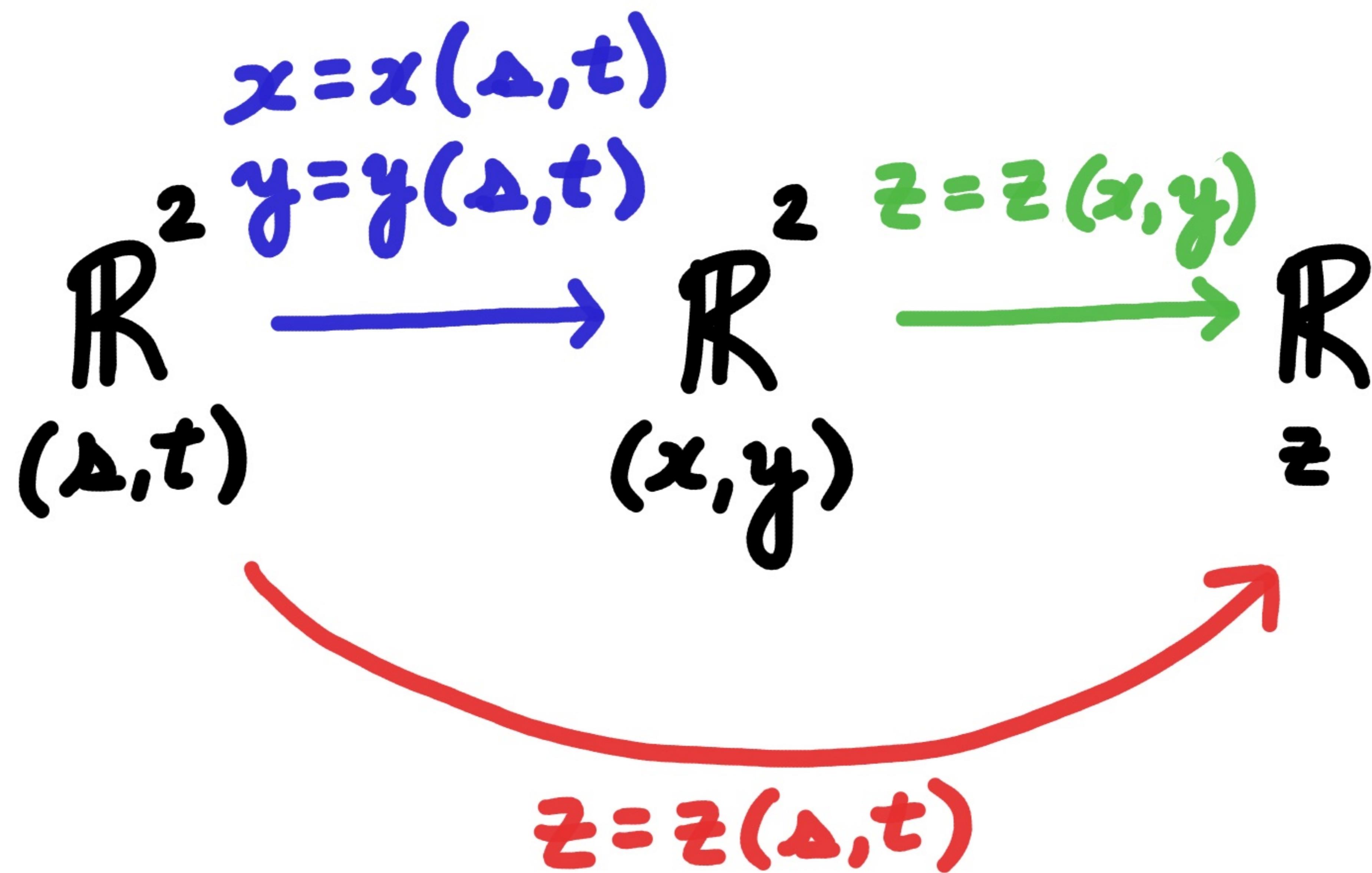
$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{R}^2 & \xrightarrow{x=x(\Delta,t) \quad y=y(\Delta,t)} & \mathbb{R}^2 \\ (\Delta, t) & \longrightarrow & (x, y) \\ & & z = z(x, y) \\ & & z \end{array}$$





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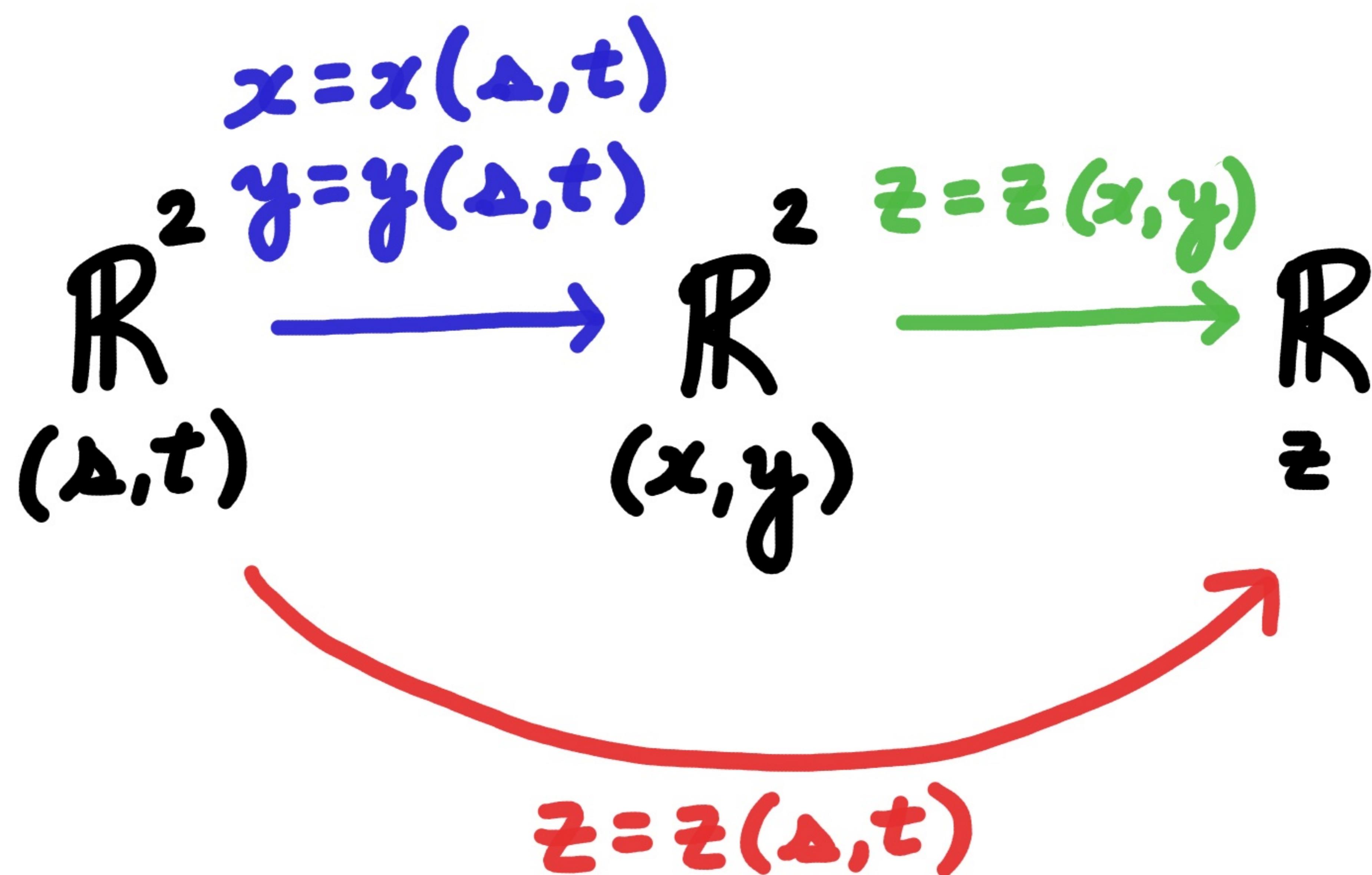
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$$= 3\Delta t^2 + 2\Delta^2 t$$