

Perfect Hash Families

of Strength Three with Three Rows

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there exists at least one $h \in \mathcal{H}$ such that

$h|_X$ is one-to-one

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Applications

- Fast Retrieval of Frequently Used Data (Compact Storage)
- Secure Frame Proof Code (Finger Printing)
- Key Distribution Patterns
- Broadcast Encryption
- Threshold Cryptography
- Group Testing

Bounds

PHFN(k, v, t) : the smallest N for which a
PHF($N; k, v, t$) exists

There is a PHF($N; k, v, 2$) iff $k \leq v^N$

$$\text{PHFN}(k, v, 2) = \lceil \log_v k \rceil$$

Mehlhorn(1982)

$$PHFN(k, v, t) \geq \frac{\log k}{\log v}$$

Fredman and Komlos(1984)

$$PHFN(k, v, t) \geq \frac{\binom{k-1}{t-1} v^{t-2} \log(k-t+2)}{\binom{v-1}{t-2} k^{t-2} \log(v-t+2)}$$

Points and Blocks

$$h_i : A \rightarrow B$$

$$|A| = k, \quad |B| = v$$

Point Set : Domain of the functions h_i

Blocks : $B_{i,b} = \{a \mid h_i(a) = b, \},$
 $b \in B, \quad 1 \leq i \leq |\mathcal{H}|$

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t -Separating Resolvable Block Design (t -SRBD)

(defined by Atici, Magliveras, Stinson and Wei)

1. A is a finite set (*points*)
2. Π is a set of parallel classes (the members of a classe are called *blocks*)
3. For any t -subset X of A , there exists a parallel class π such that the t points in X occur in t different blocks of π

Theorem

There exists a PHF($N; k, v, t$) if and only if there exists t -SRBD(k, b, N, v),

where $|A| = k$

$|\Pi| = N$

b : the number of blocks

$v = \max\{|\pi| : \pi \in \Pi\}$

from Resolvable BIBD

Theorem (Atici, Magliveras, Stinson and Wei, 1996)

If there exists a resolvable (v, b, r, k, λ) BIBD,
then there exists a PHF $(N; v, v/k, t)$,

where $r \geq N > \lambda \binom{t}{2}$

Resolvable $(9,12,4,3,1)$ BIBD

| | | |
|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 |
| $\{1, 2, 3\}$ | $\{4, 5, 6\}$ | $\{7, 8, 9\}$ |
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PHF(4; 9,3,3)

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Strength Three with Three Rows

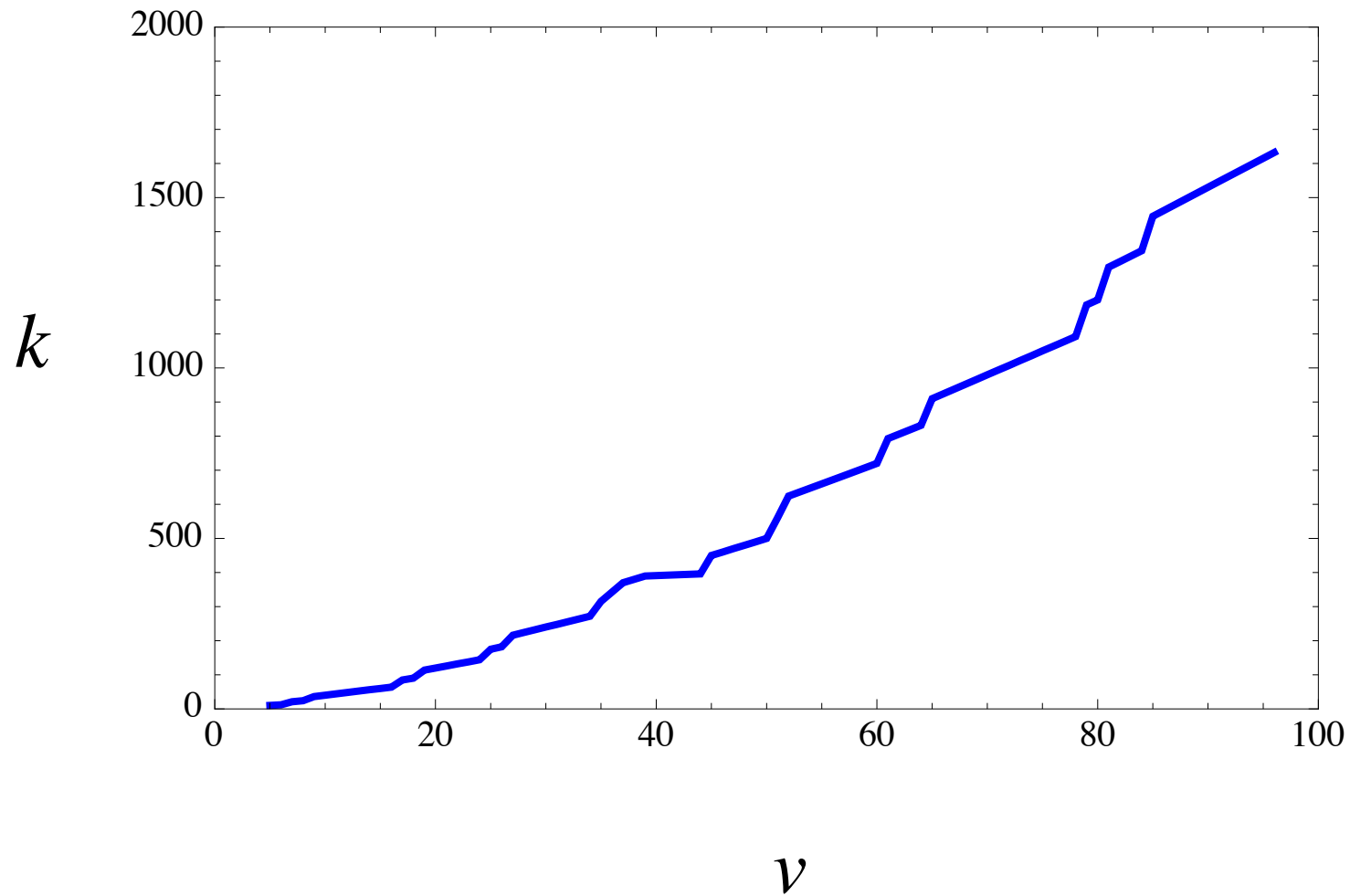
The smallest nontrivial case

The table by Walker II and Colbourn

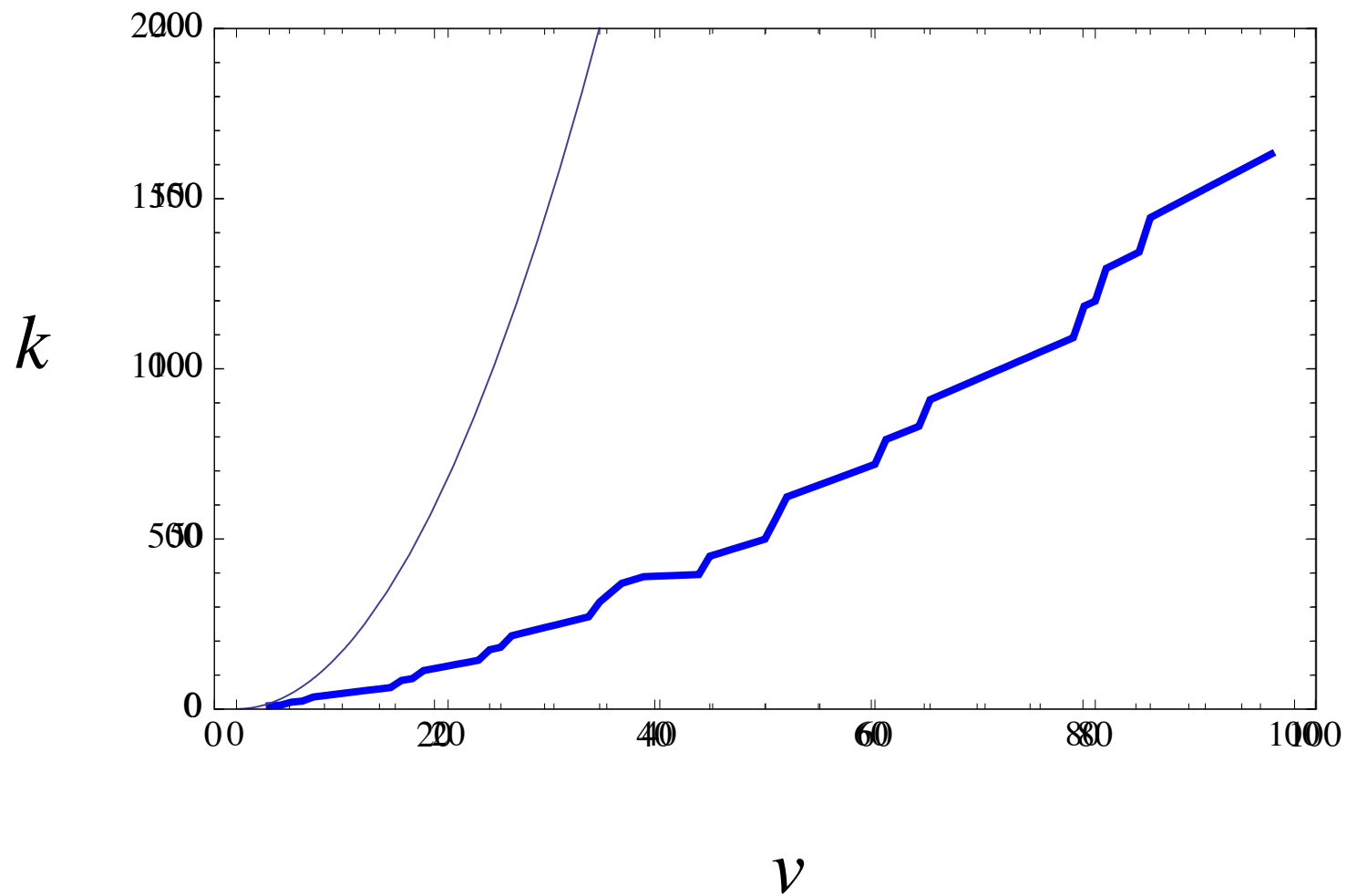
(Perfect Hash Families: Constructions and Existence, J. of Math, Crypto. , 2007)

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|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| PHF(3; 10, 5, 3) | PHF(3; 12, 6, 3) | PHF(3; 21, 7, 3) | PHF(3; 24, 8, 3) |
| PHF(3; 36, 9, 3) | PHF(3; 40, 10, 3) | PHF(3; 44, 11, 3) | PHF(3; 48, 12, 3) |
| PHF(3; 52, 13, 3) | PHF(3; 56, 14, 3) | PHF(3; 60, 15, 3) | PHF(3; 64, 16, 3) |
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| PHF(3; 272, 34, 3) | PHF(3; 315, 35, 3) | PHF(3; 370, 37, 3) | PHF(3; 390, 39, 3) |
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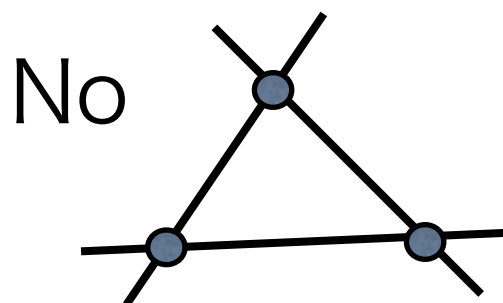
trrls (Walker II and Colbourn)

(triangle-free 3-regular resolvable linear space)

Linear space : no pair occurs in more than one block

3-regular = 3 resolution classes

triangle-free :



Theorem (Walker II and Colbourn)

If there exists a $trrls$, then there exists a PHF of strength 3 with 3 rows

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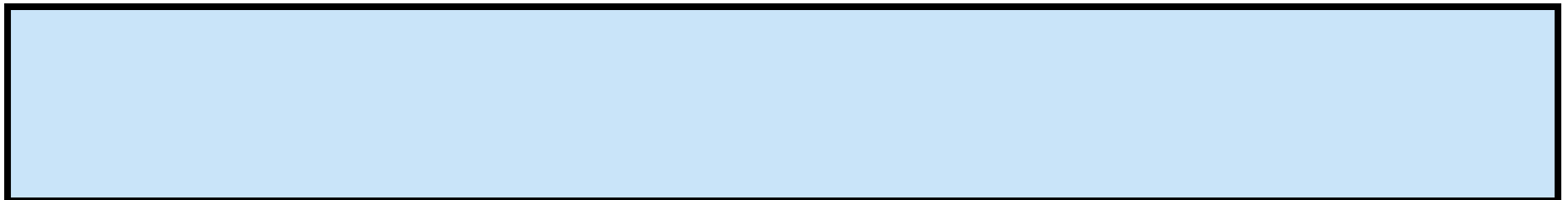
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This system is equivalent to PHF(3; $k, v, 3$)

Constructions

using

- Quadrics in $\text{PG}(4, q)$
- Hermitian Varieties in $\text{PG}(3, q^2)$

Quadrics in $\text{PG}(4, q)$, $\text{Q}(4, q)$

$P = (x_0, x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4)$ point of $\text{PG}(4, q)$

$$x_0^2 + x_1x_2 + x_3x_4 = 0 \quad (\text{canonical form})$$

$(q^2 + 1)(q + 1)$ points of $\text{PG}(4, q)$

$(q^2 + 1)(q + 1)$ lines of $\text{PG}(4, q)$

This quadric is a linear space and
triangle-free (Generalized Quadrangle)

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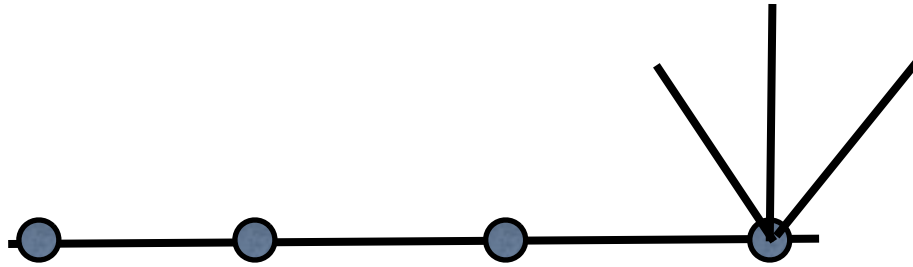
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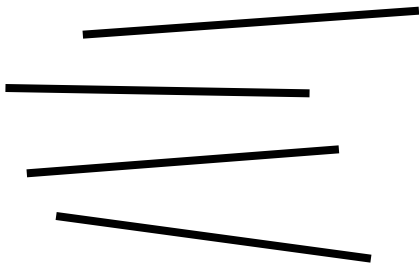
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$Q(4,q)$

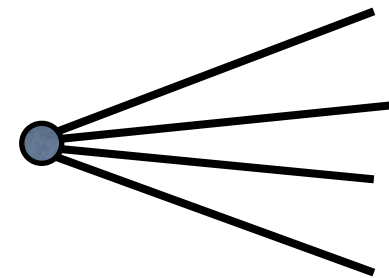


$q+1$ points on a line
 $q+1$ lines at a point

$Q(4,q)^*$: Dual of $Q(4,q)$

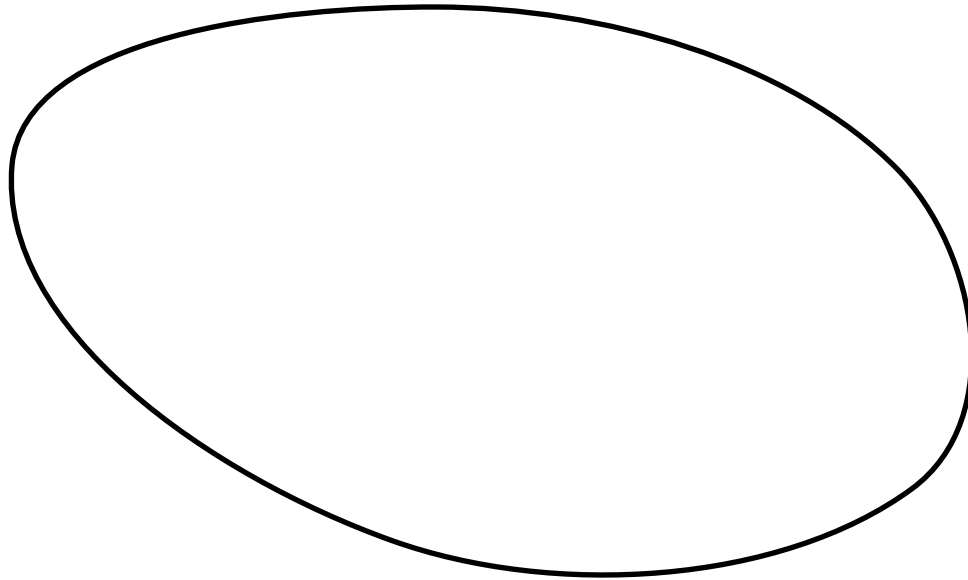


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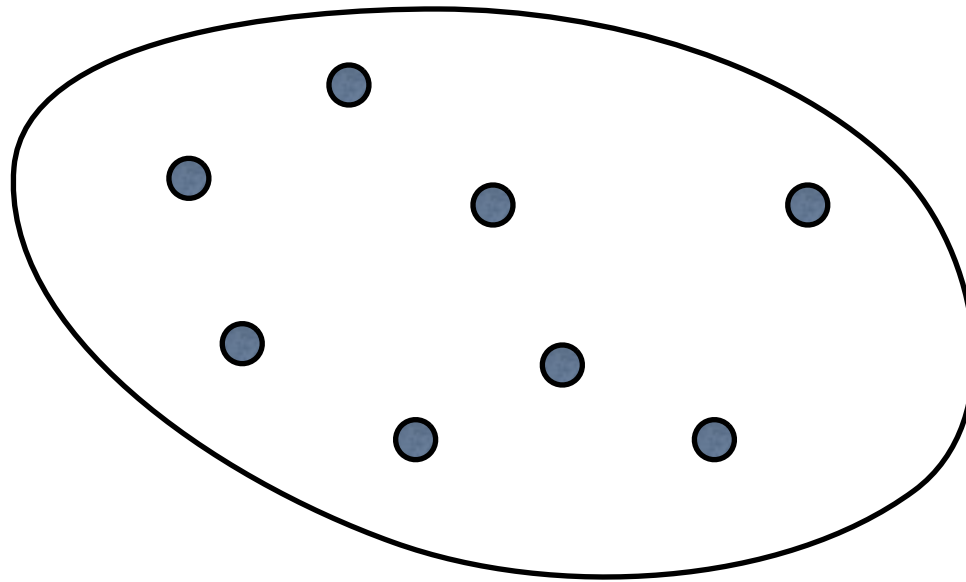


Block (cone)

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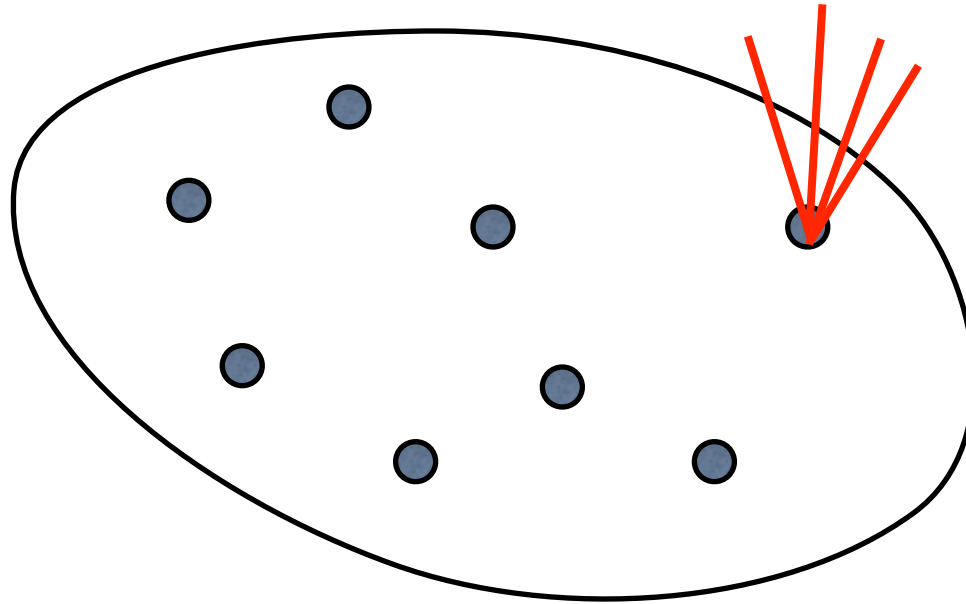


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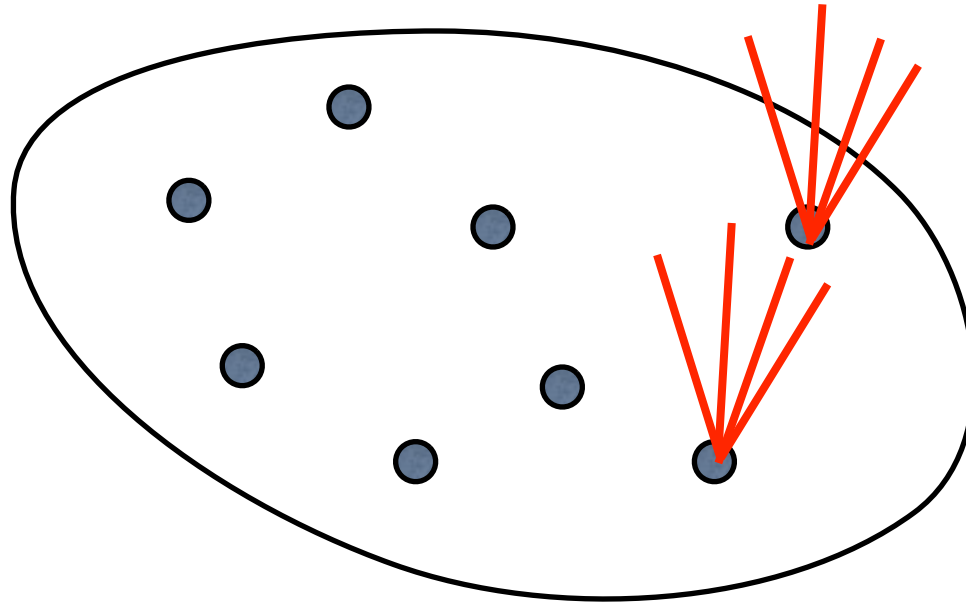
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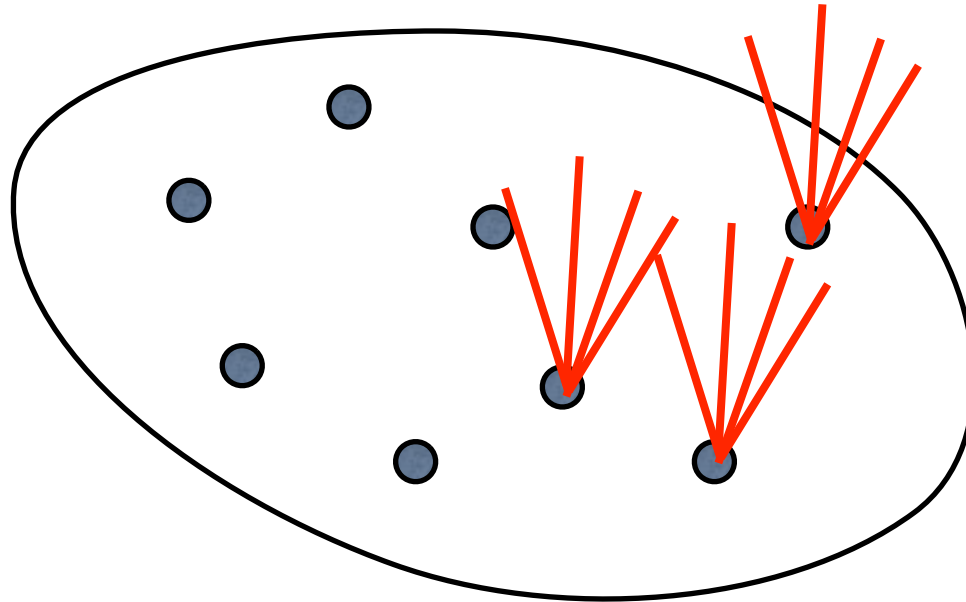
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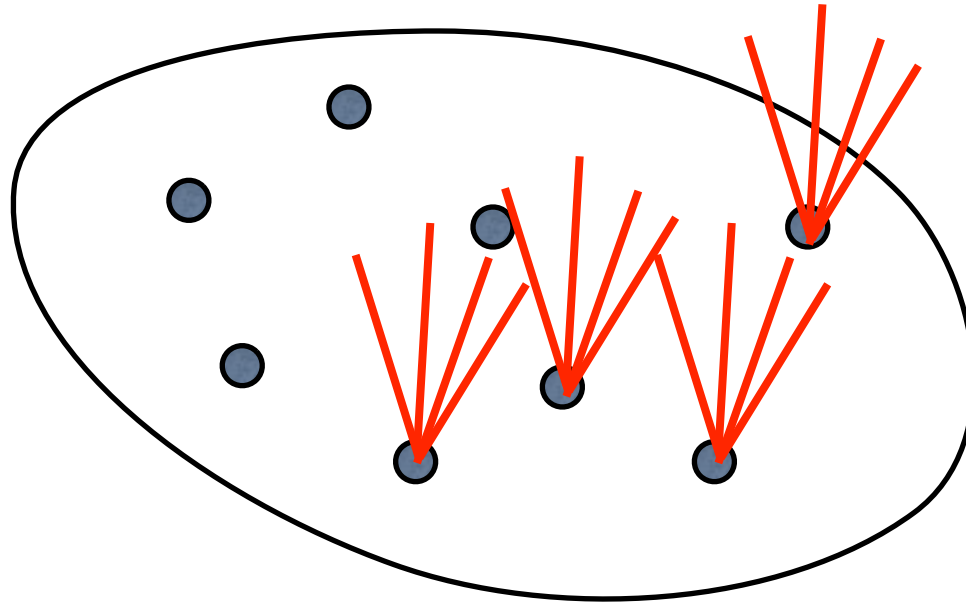
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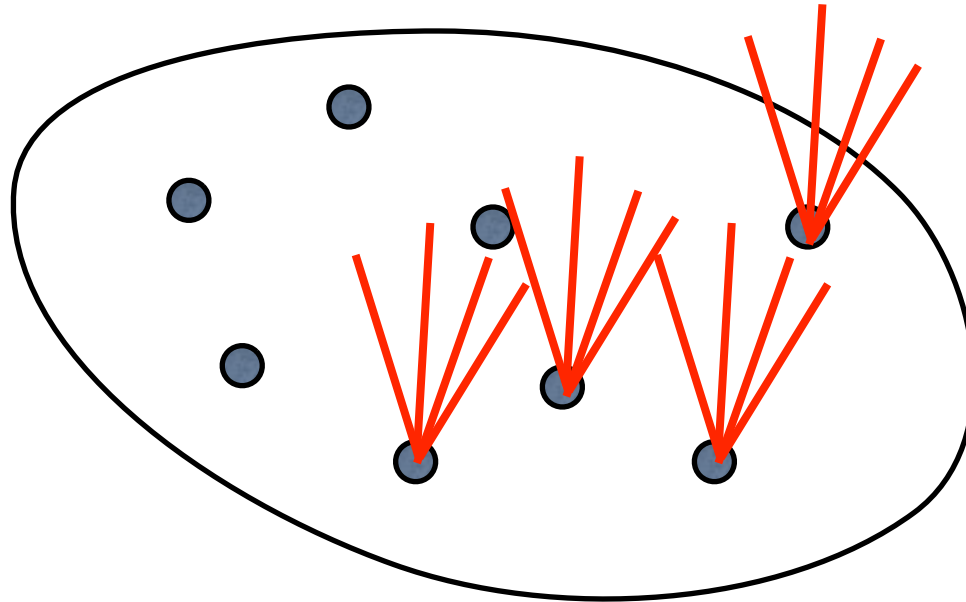
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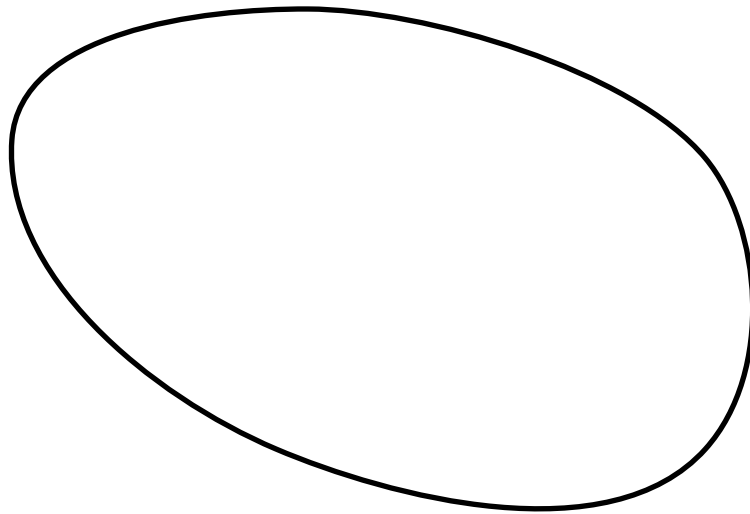
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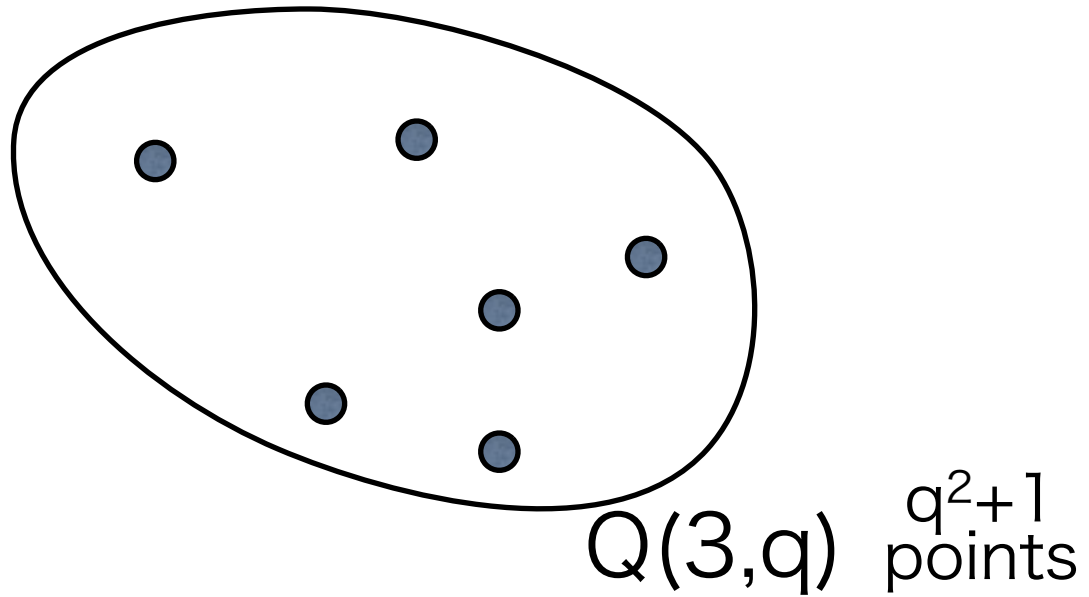
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A spread of $Q(4,q)^*$

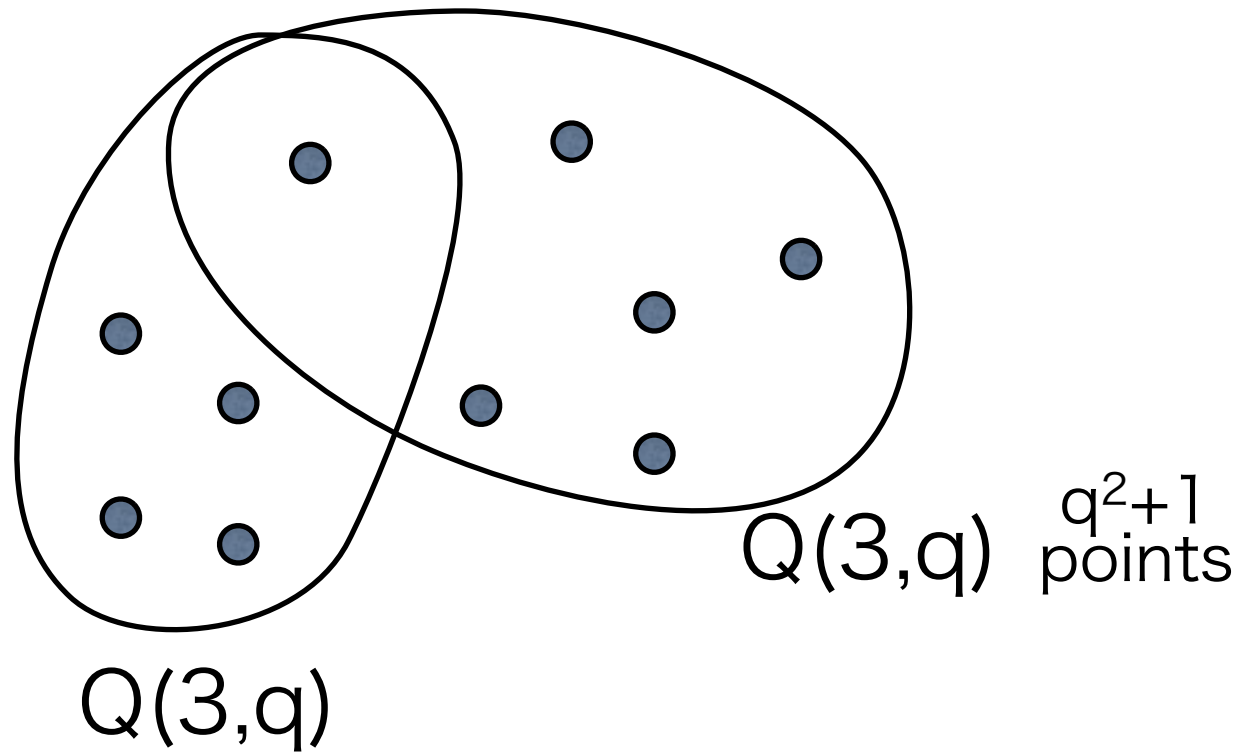
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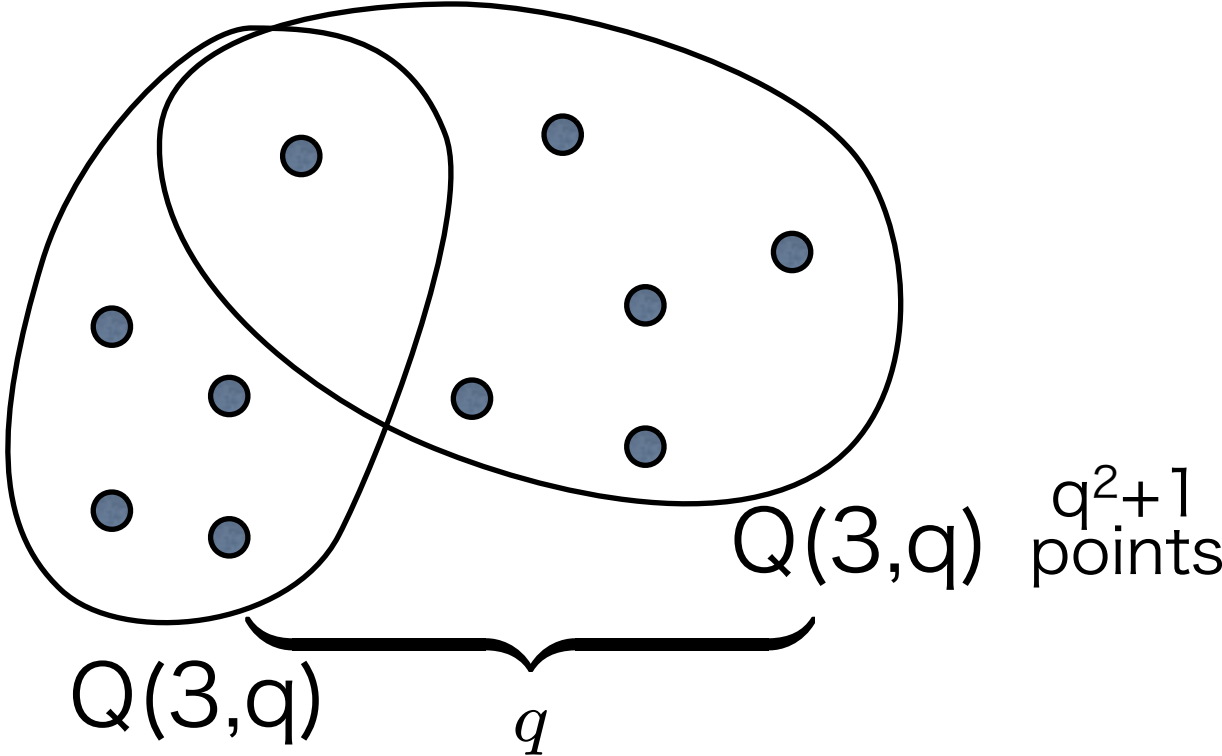
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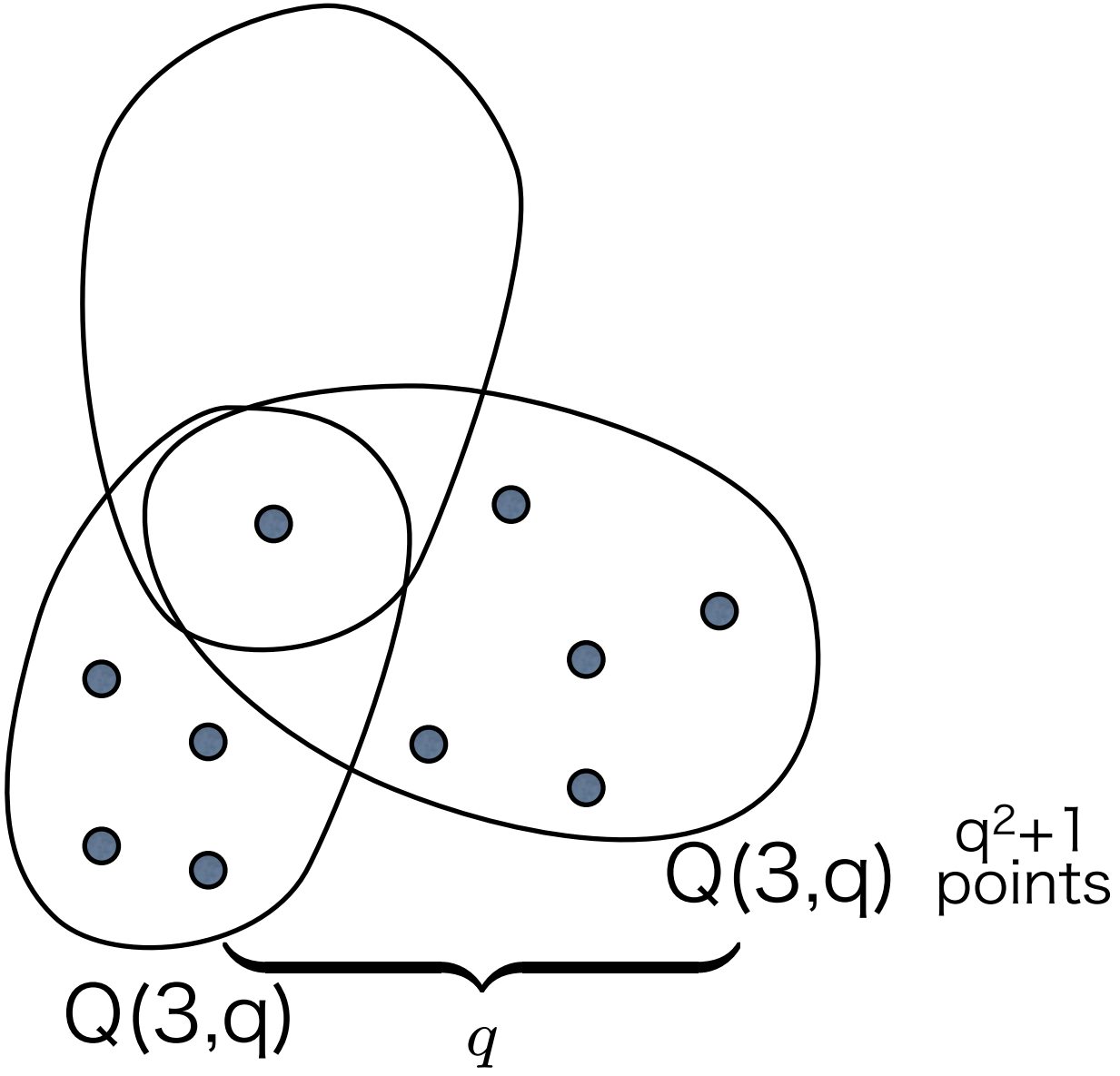
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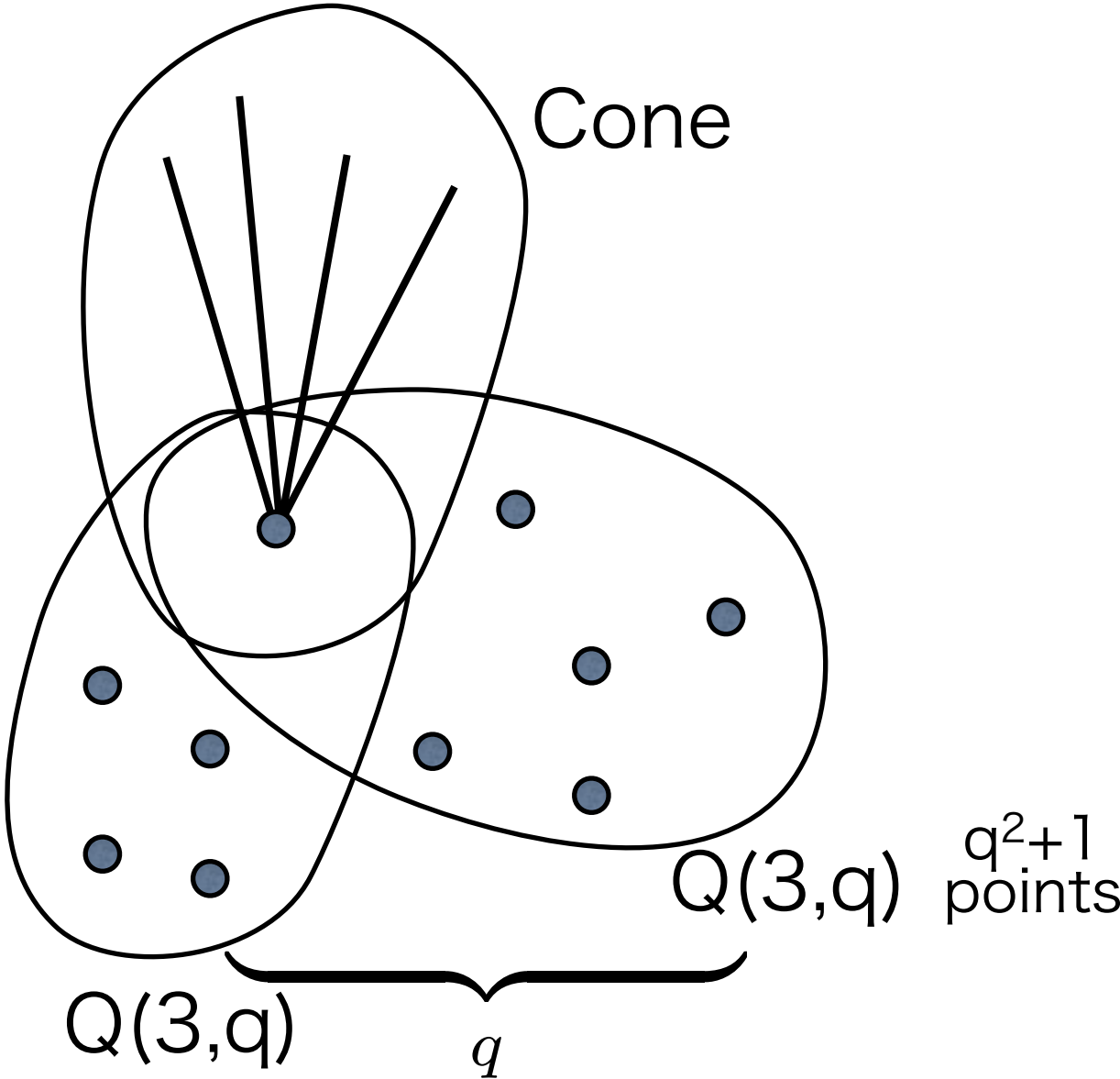
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$Q(4, q)^* \setminus C_0$

C_0 : a cone

$q^2(q+1)$ points

q^2 blocks in a parallel class

q parallel classes

Theorem

There exists a PHF(3, $q^2(q+1)$, q^2 , 3)
for any prime power q , $q \geq 3$.

The Number of Columns k

| $v=q^2$ | W&C | $Q(4,q)^*$ |
|---------|------|------------|
| 9 | 36 | 36 |
| 16 | 64 | 80 |
| 25 | 175 | 150 |
| 49 | 490 | 392 |
| 64 | 832 | 576 |
| 81 | 1296 | 810 |

Hermitian Varieties in $PG(3, q^2)$, $H(3, q^2)$

$$x_0^{q+1} + x_1^{q+1} + x_2^{q+1} + x_3^{q+1} = 0$$

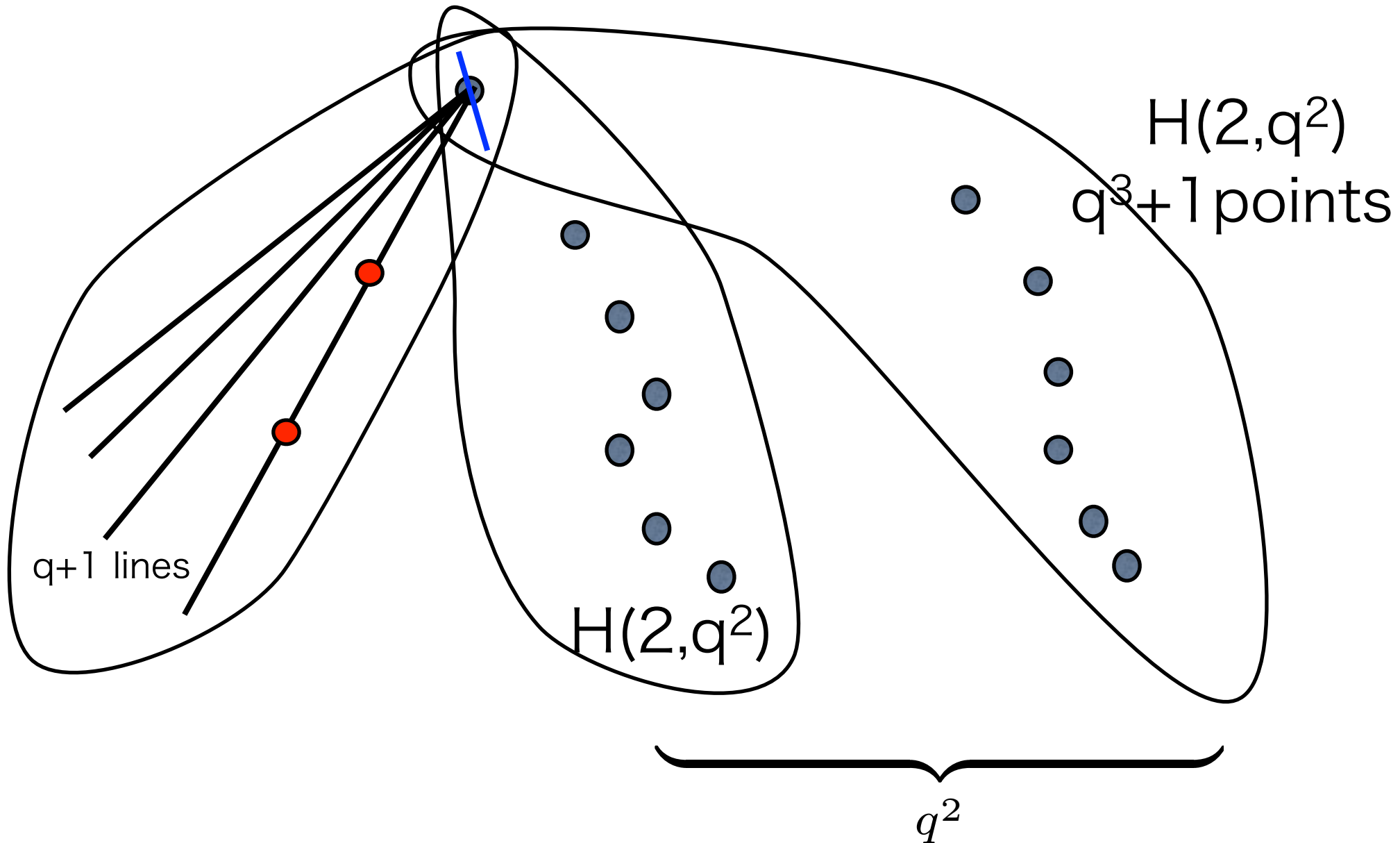
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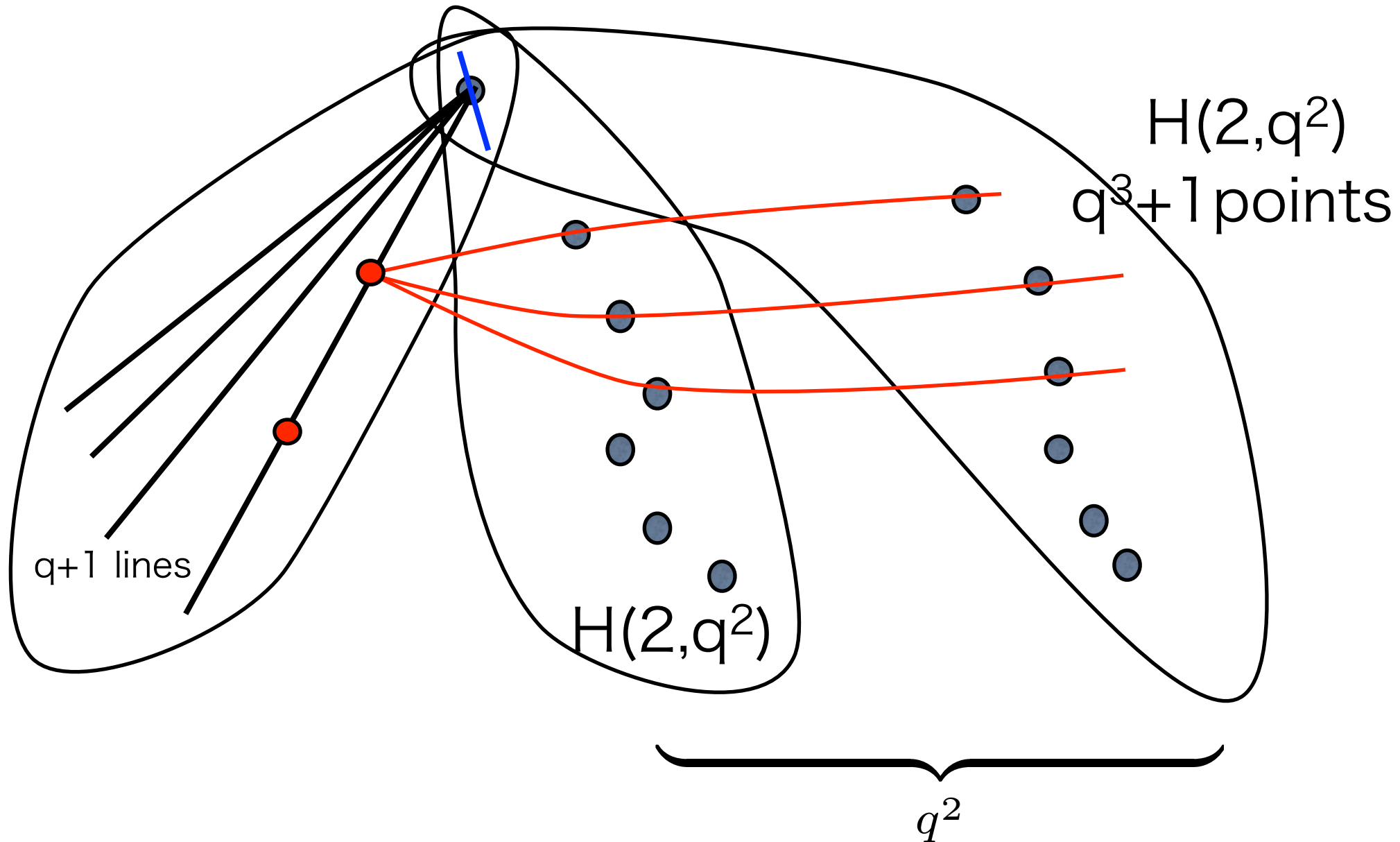
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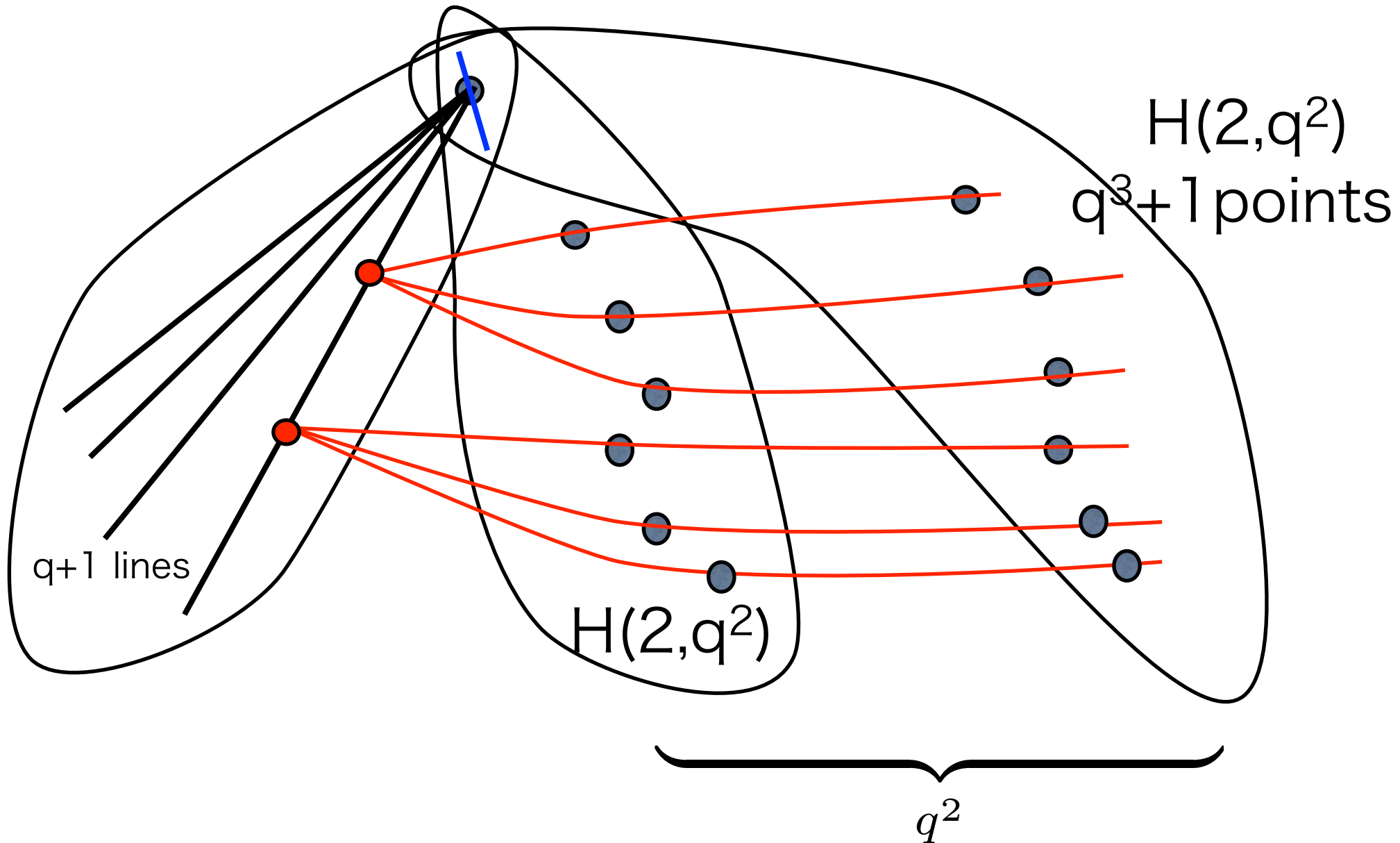
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$H(3, q^2) \setminus C_0$:

q^5 points

$q^3(q+1)$ lines

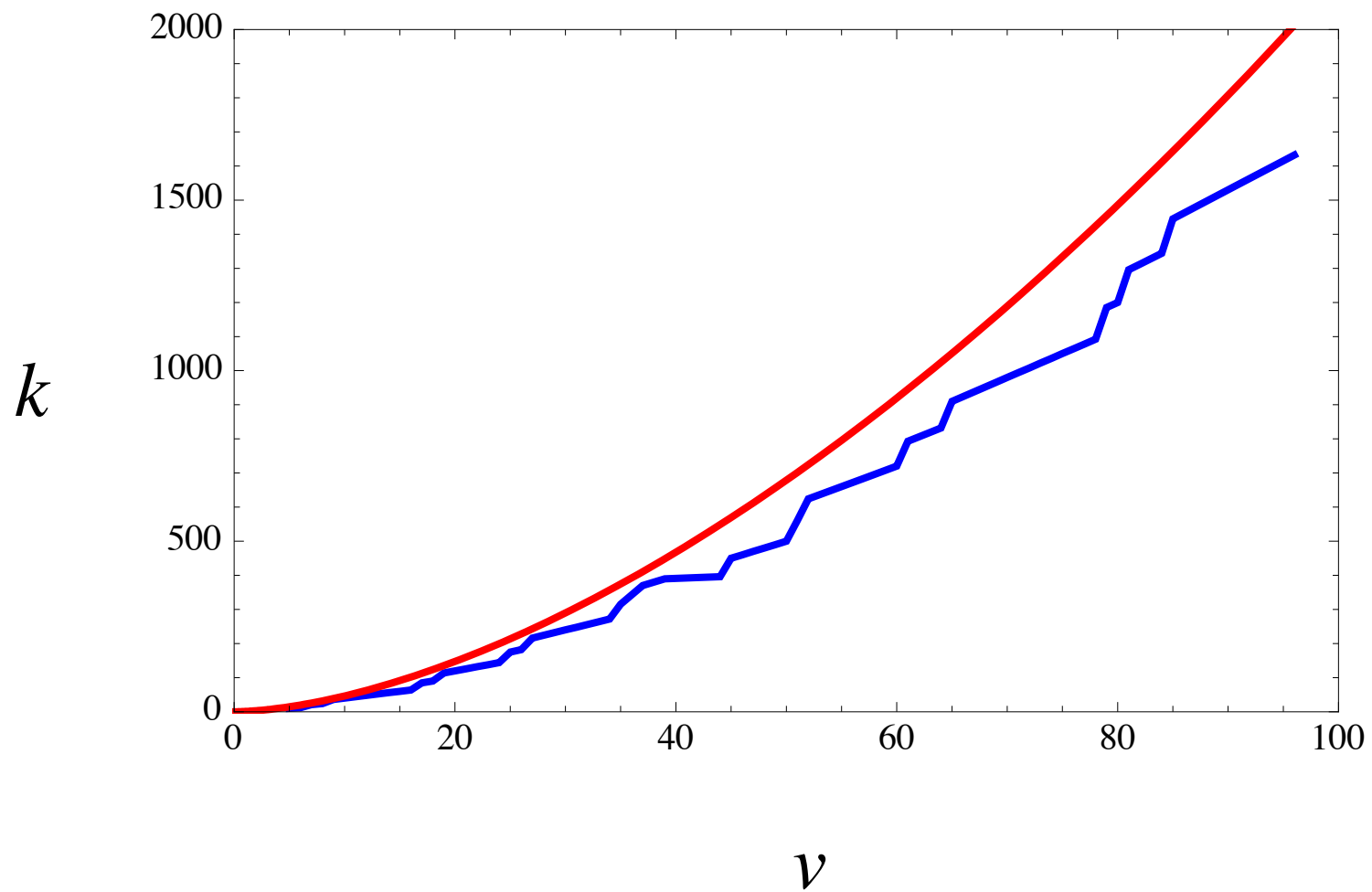
q^3 blocks in a spread

$q+1$ spreads

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The curve of $k=v^{(5/3)}$



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