

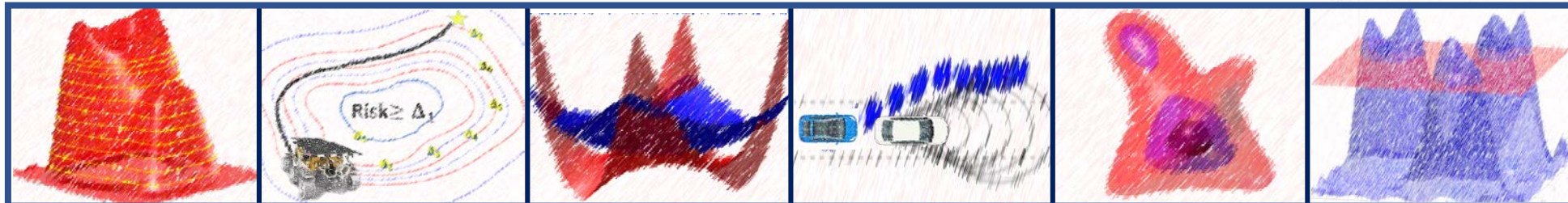
## Lecture 7

# Nonlinear Chance Constrained and Chance Optimization

## Moment-SOS Based SDP Approach

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## Topics

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- Geometrical Interpretation
- Challenges
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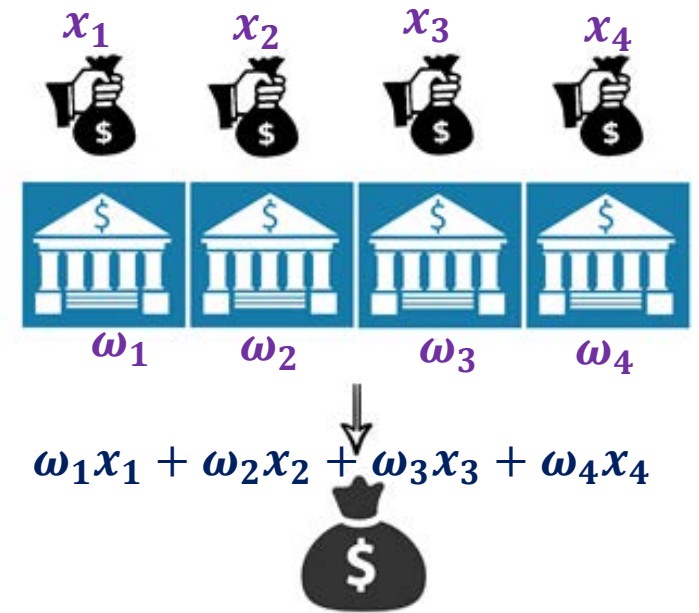
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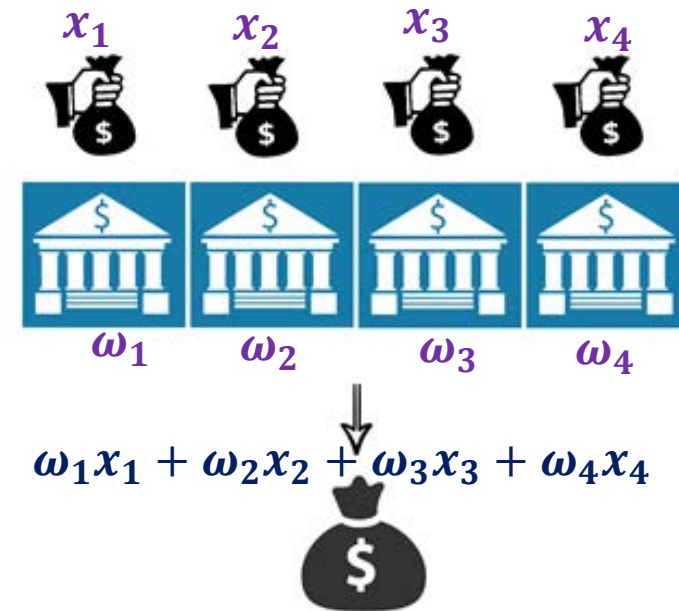


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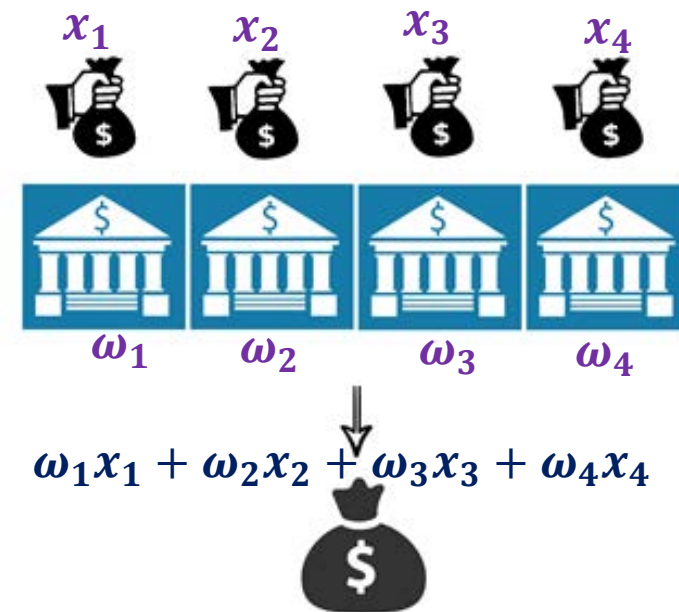
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## Mathematical Formulation:

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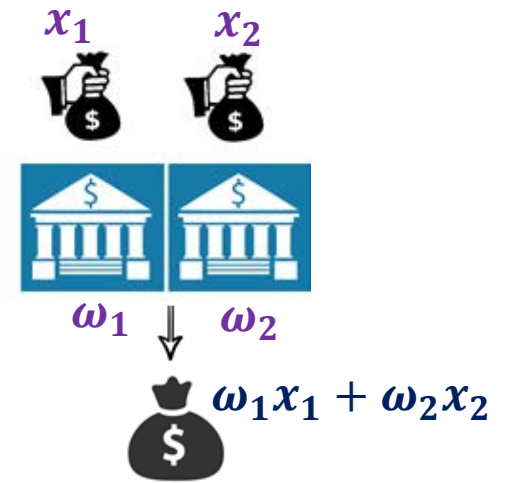


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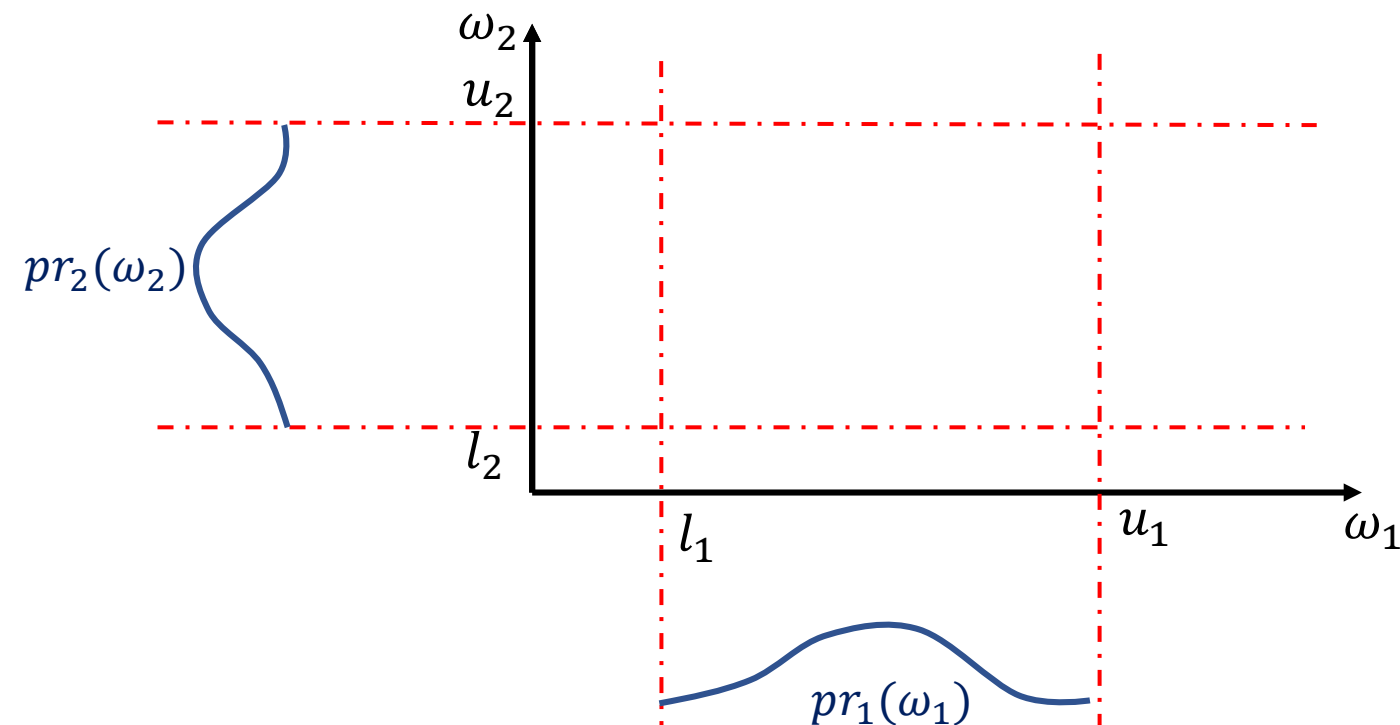
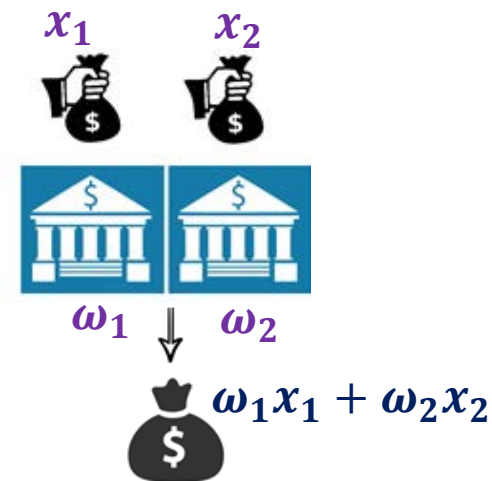
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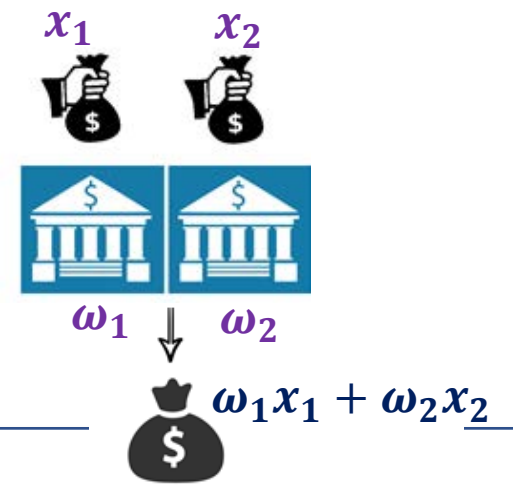
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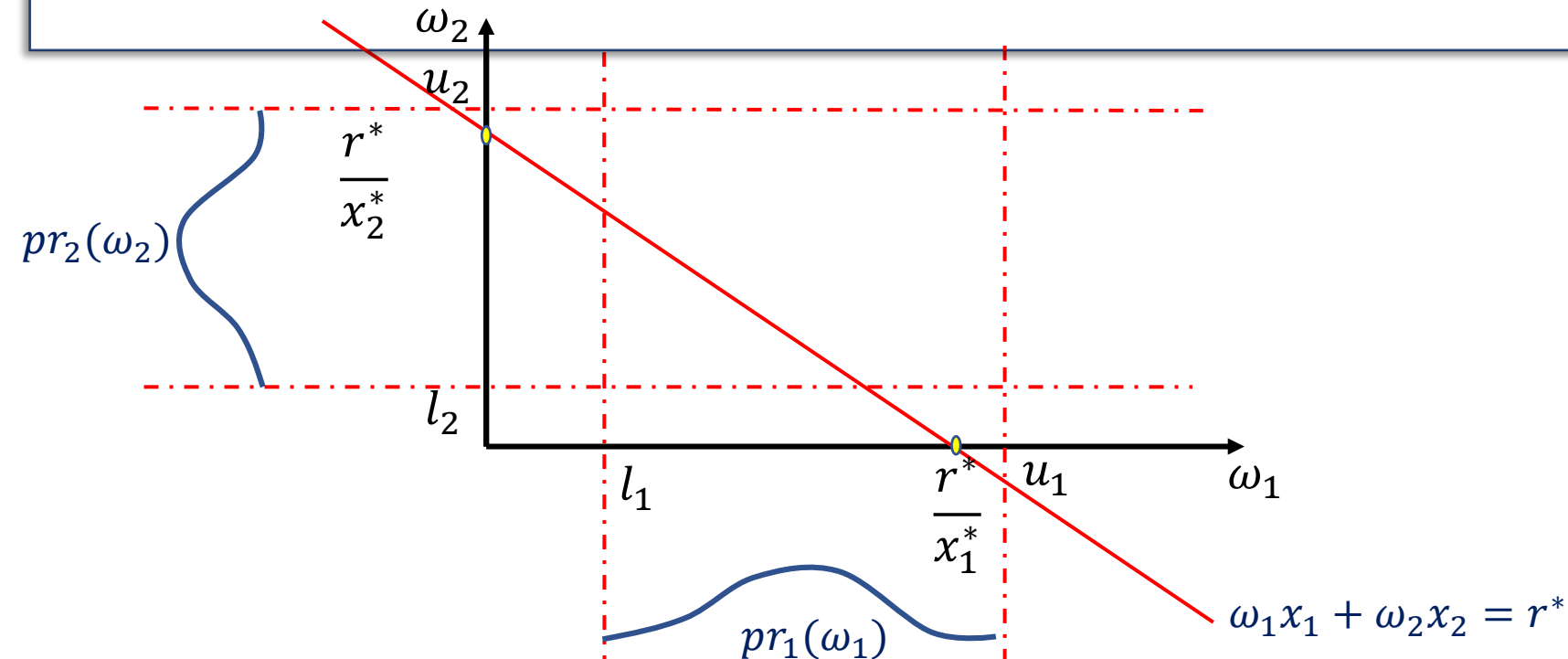


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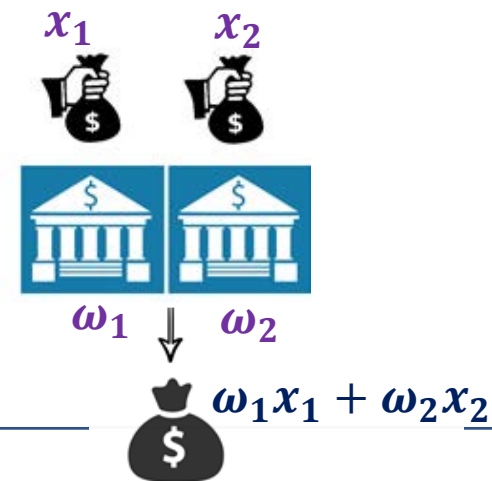


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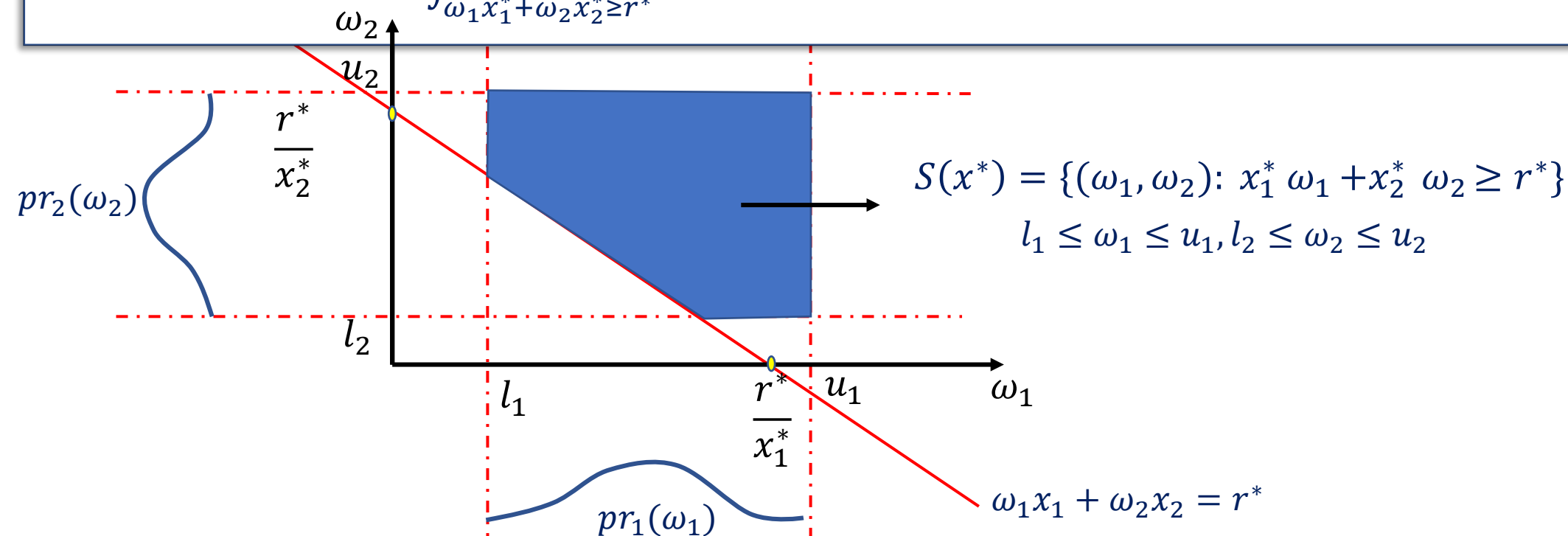
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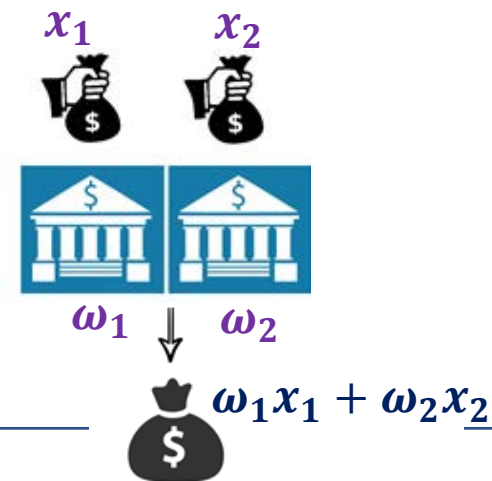
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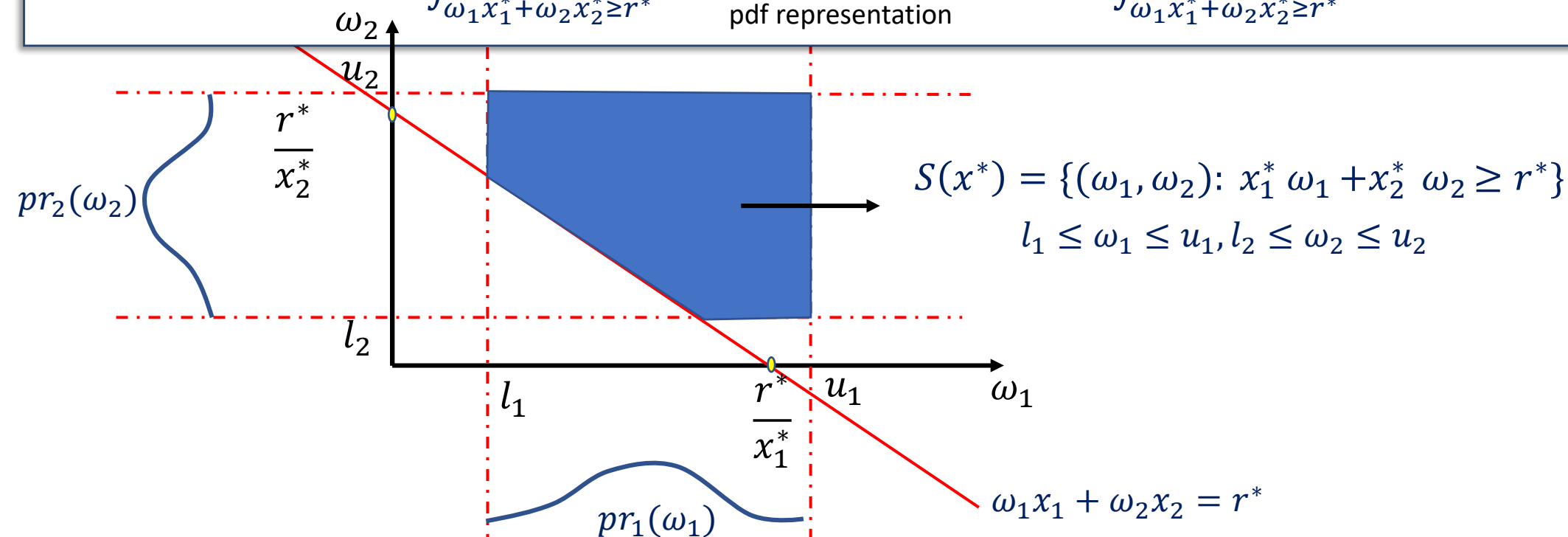
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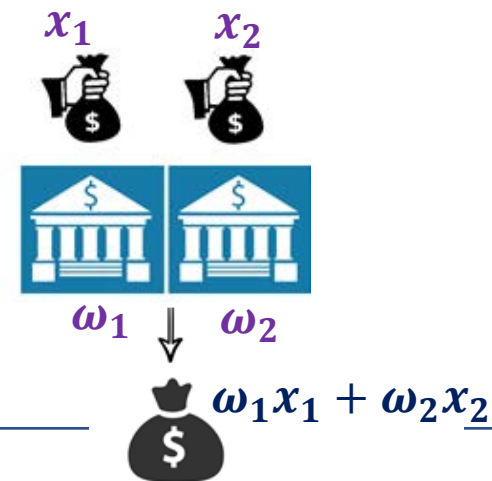
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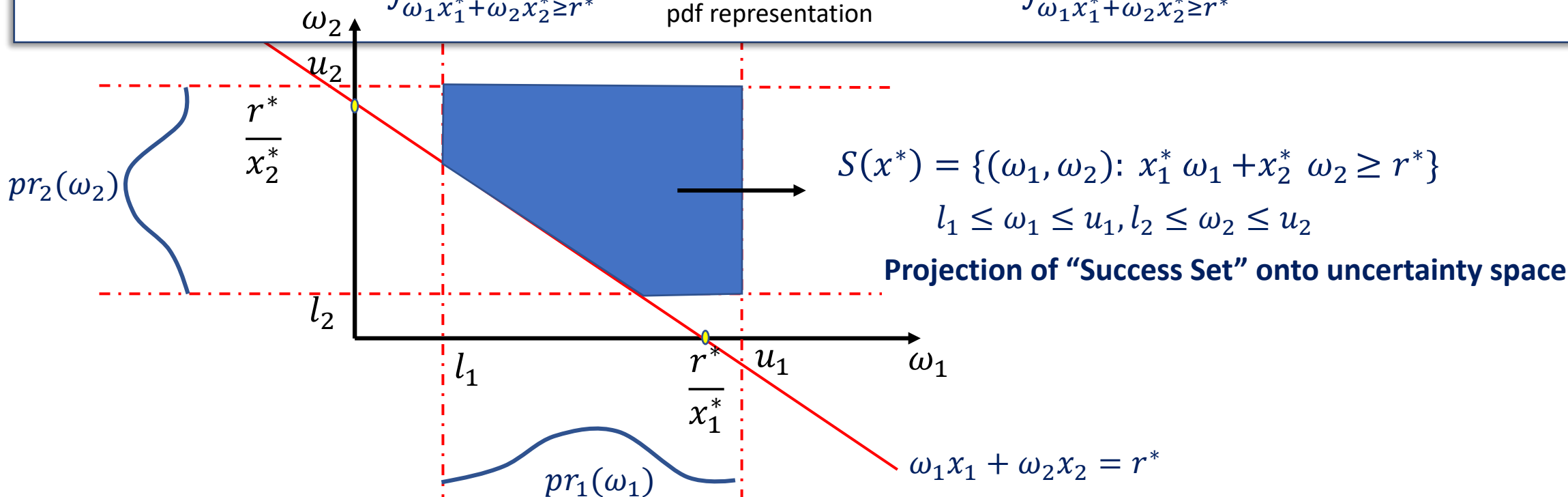
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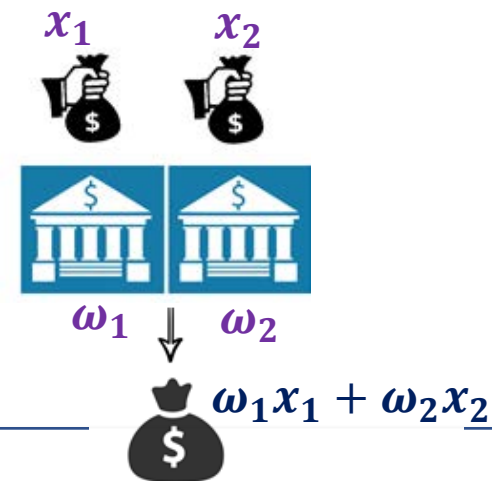
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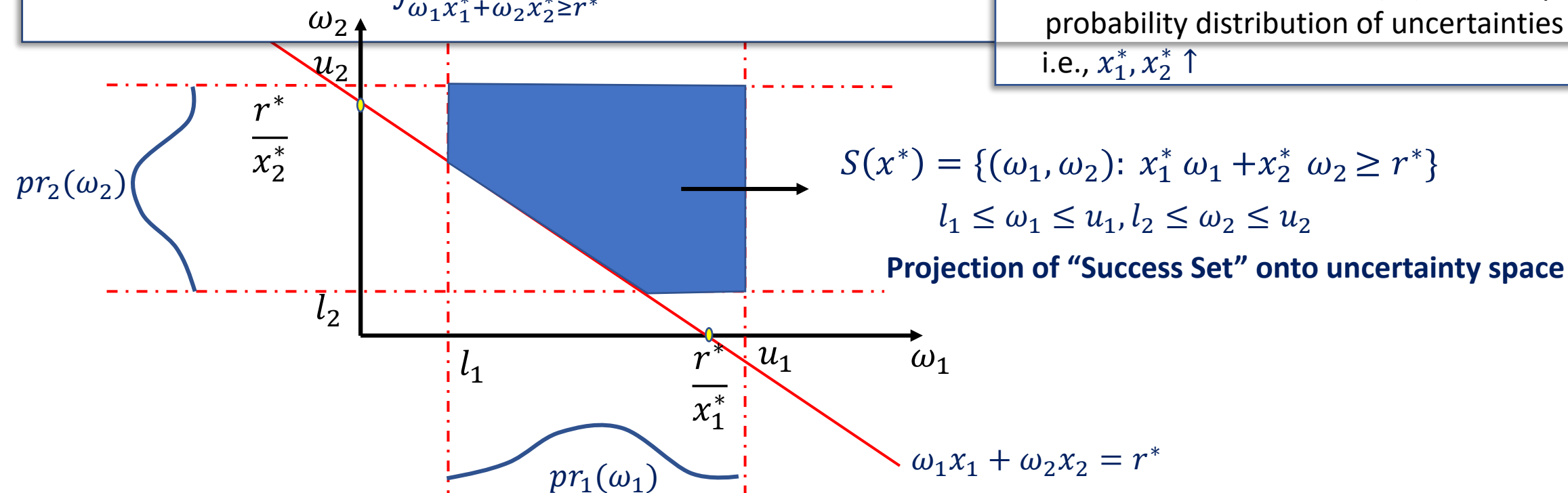
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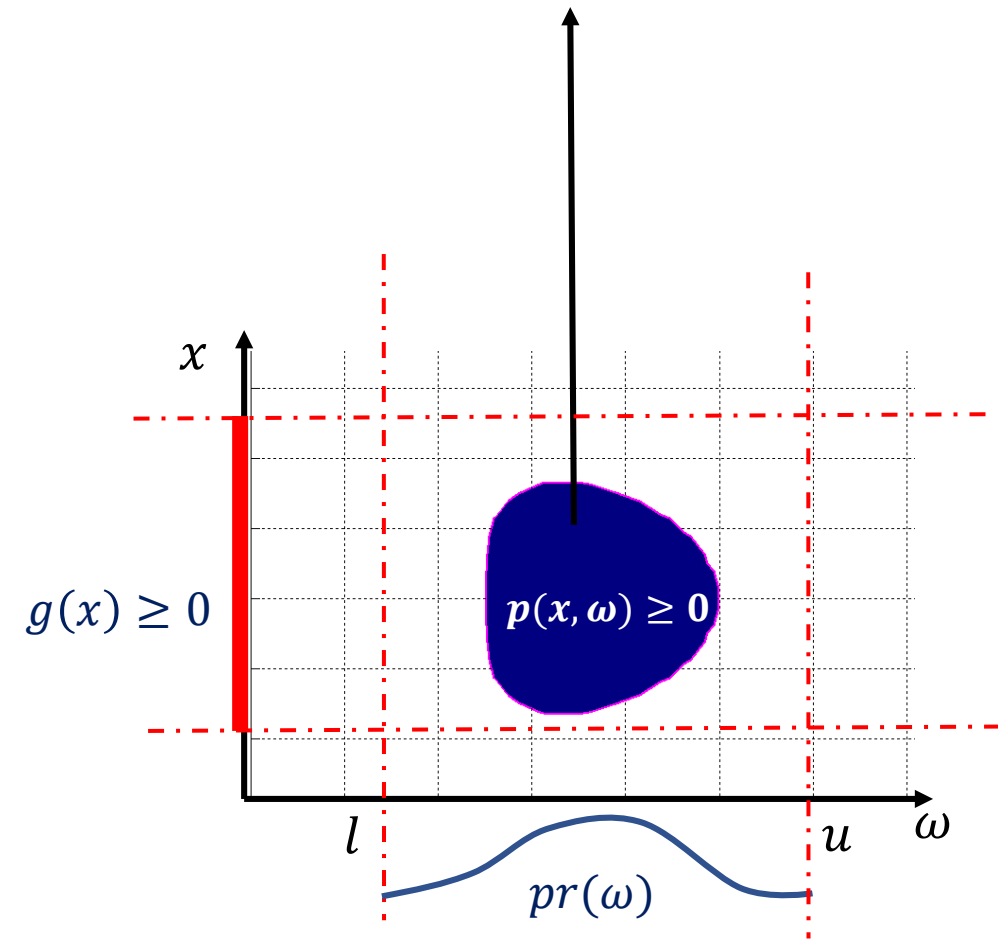
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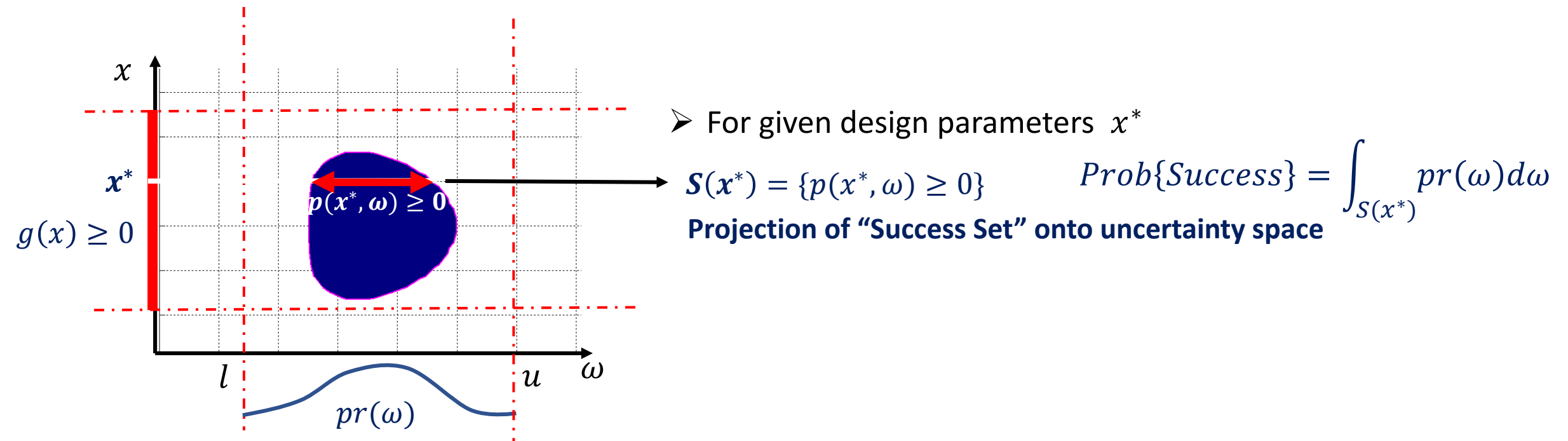
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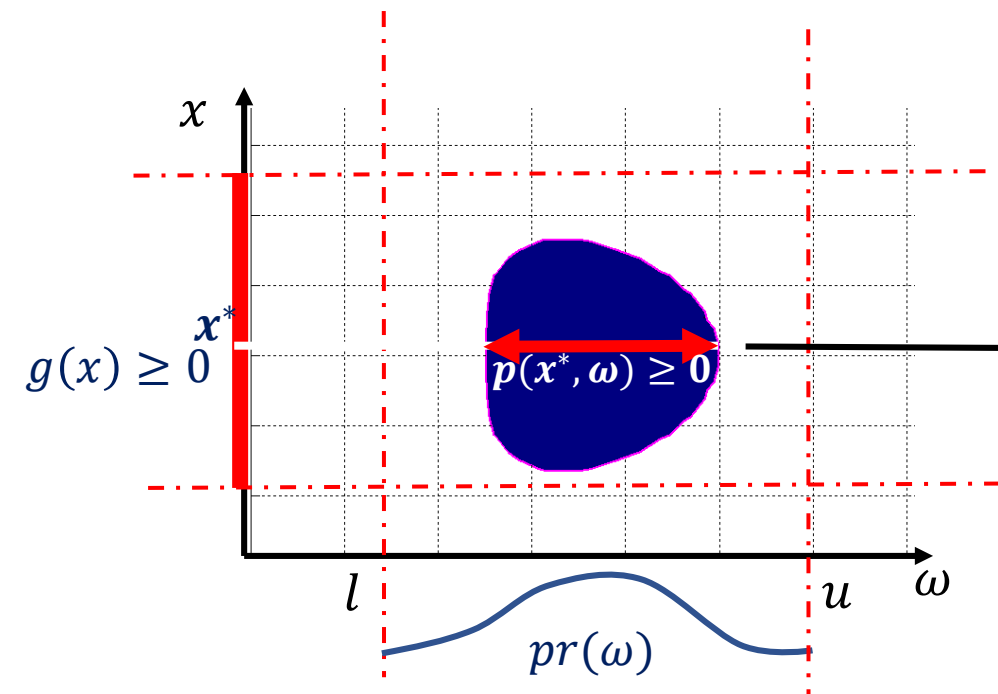
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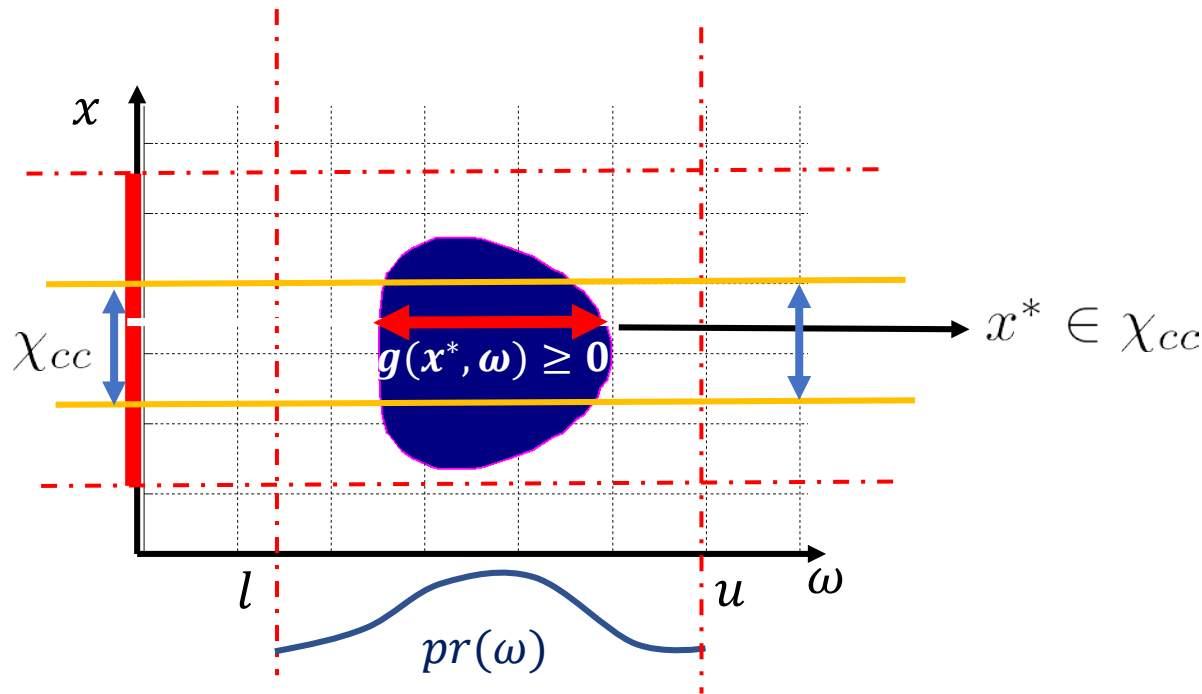
## Example: Probabilistic Safety Constraint

Design parameter  $x$  should satisfy the probabilistic safety constraint:

- **Success Set** =  $\{g(x, \omega) \geq 0\}$       $g(x, \omega) = 0.5 \omega (\omega^2 + (x - 0.5)^2) - (\omega^4 + \omega^2(x - 0.5)^2 + (x - 0.5)^4)$

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# Risk Aware Optimization

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Deterministic optimization:

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**Chance Constrained Set:**

$$\text{➤ } \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : \text{Prob}(\text{Success}) \geq 1 - \Delta\} \xrightarrow{\text{semialgebraic set approximation}} \chi_{cc} = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : \mathcal{P}(x) \geq 1 - \Delta\}$$

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# Chance / Chance Constrained Optimization

## ➤ Challenges

## Chance Optimization

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# Existing Methods For Chance/Chance Constrained Optimization:

## ➤ Sampling based Approaches

A. Nemirovski and A. Shapiro, Scenario approximations of chance constraints, in Probabilistic and Randomized Methods for Design under Uncertainty, Springer, New York, pp. 3–48, 2004.

R. Tempo, G. Calafiore, and F. Dabbene, Randomized Algorithms for Analysis and Control of Uncertain Systems, Communications and Control Engineering Series, Springer-Verlag, London, 2013.

## ➤ Particular Classes of Constraints and Uncertainties

- Linear Chance Constraints with Gaussian Uncertainties

H. Xu, C. Caramanis, and S. Mannor, Optimization under probabilistic envelope constraints, Oper. Res., 60 pp. 682–699, 2012.

C. M. Lagoa, X. Li, and M. Sznaier, Probabilistically constrained linear programs and risk-adjusted controller design, SIAM J. Optim., 15 (2005), pp. 938–951.

- Convex Constraints:

A. Nemirovski, A. Shapiro, “Convex Approximations of Chance Constrained Programs”, SIAM J. OPTIM., Vol. 17, No. 4, pp. 969–996, 2006.

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## In This Lecture

- We develop a comprehensive approach to address a general class of Chance and Chance Constrained Optimizations.
- Provided approach deals with:
  - Nonlinear/Linear Chance Constrained/Chance Optimizations.
  - Bonded and Unbounded Probabilistic Uncertainties.
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  - Measure-Moment SDP
  - Duality of Measure-Moment SDP
  - Sum-Of-Squares Programming

- Ashkan Jasour, Necdet S. Aybat, and Constantino Lagoa, "Semidefinite Programming For Chance Constrained Optimization Over Semialgebraic Sets", SIAM Journal on Optimization, 25(3), 1411–1440, 2015.
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## Goal: Find Convex Relaxations

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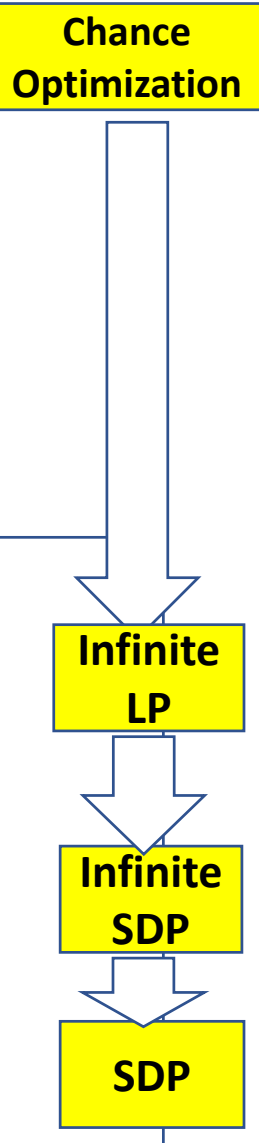
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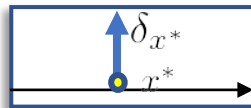
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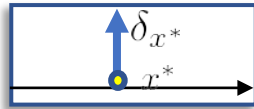
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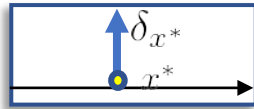
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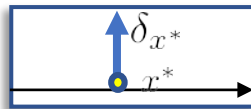
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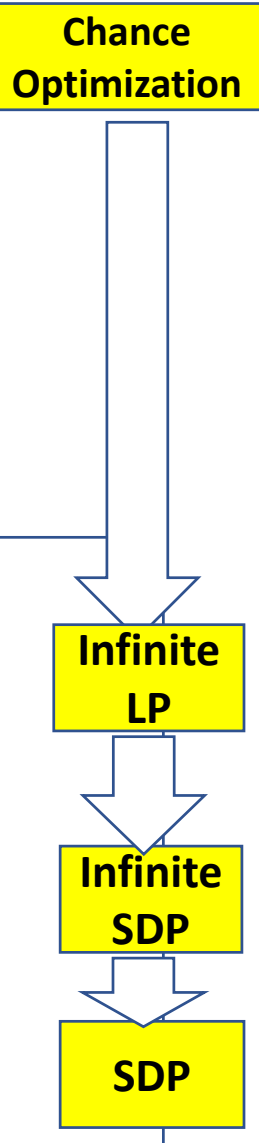
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**We will revisit this assumption (Noncompact Sets: Page 99)**



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$\mu_\omega$ : Known Probability Measure of  $\omega$

$\mu_x \times \mu_\omega$ : joint measure of  $x$  and  $\omega$

$$\mathbf{P}_\mu^* := \underset{\mu_x, \mu}{\text{maximize}} \int d\mu,$$

s.t.  $\mu \preceq \mu_x \times \mu_\omega \rightarrow$  (Upper bound measure)

$\mu_x$  is a probability measure

$$\text{supp}(\mu_x) \subset \mathcal{X}, \quad \text{supp}(\mu) \subset \mathcal{K}$$

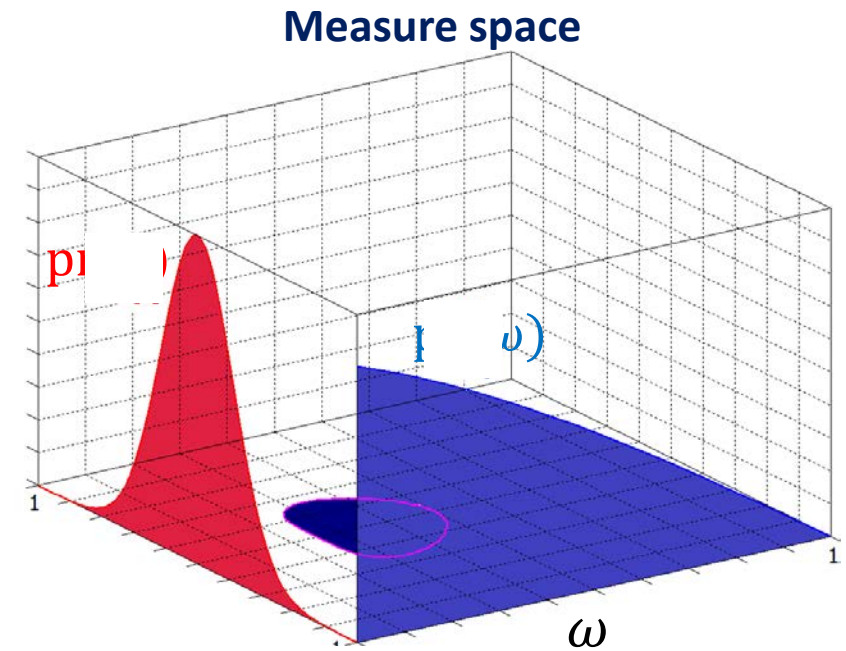
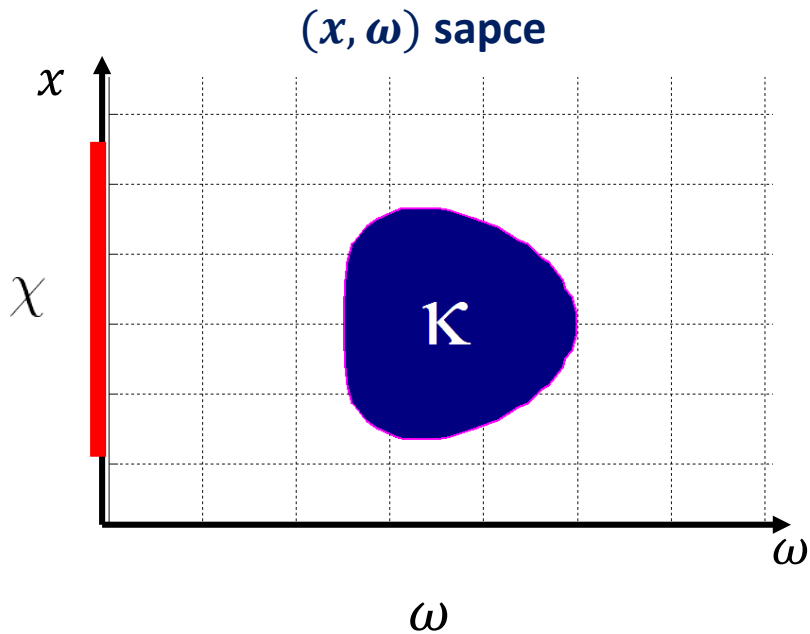
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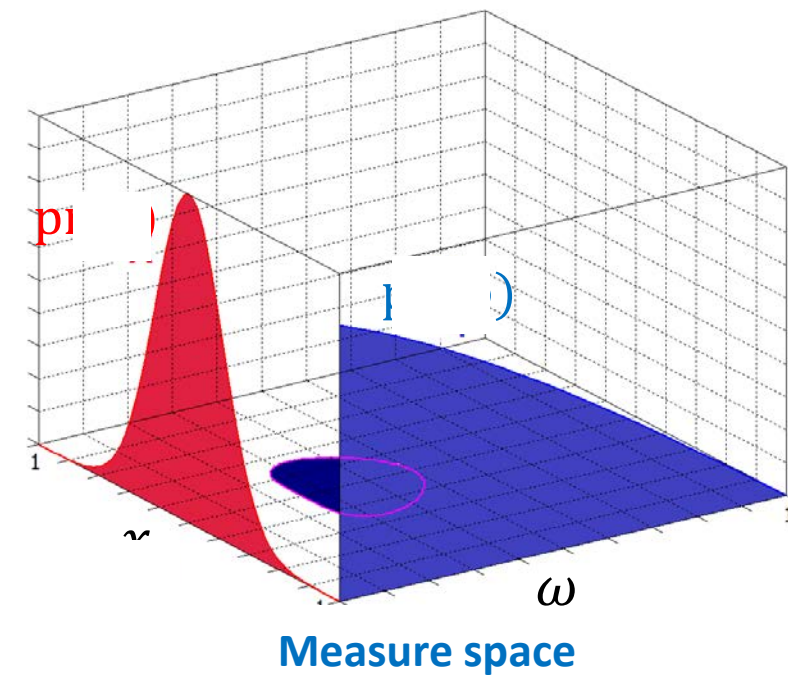
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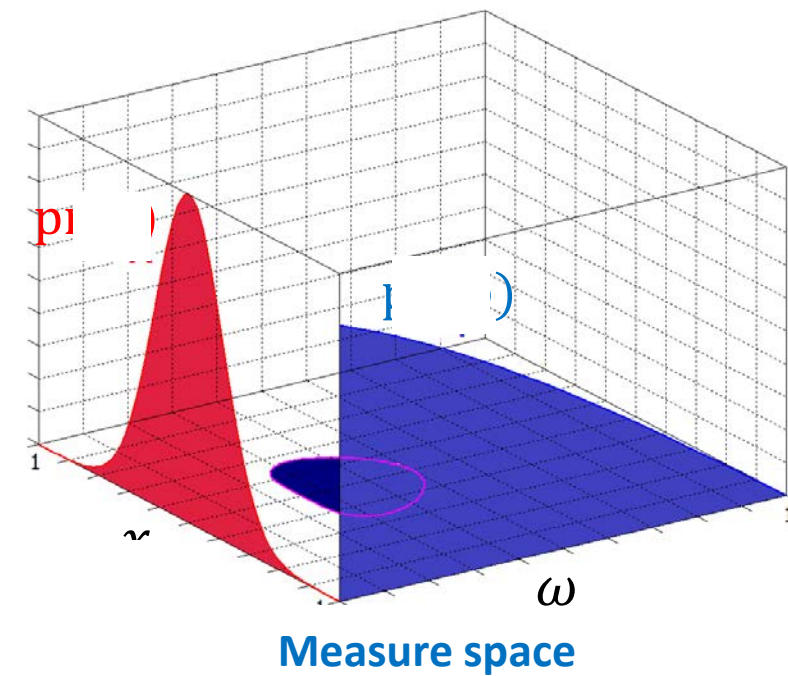


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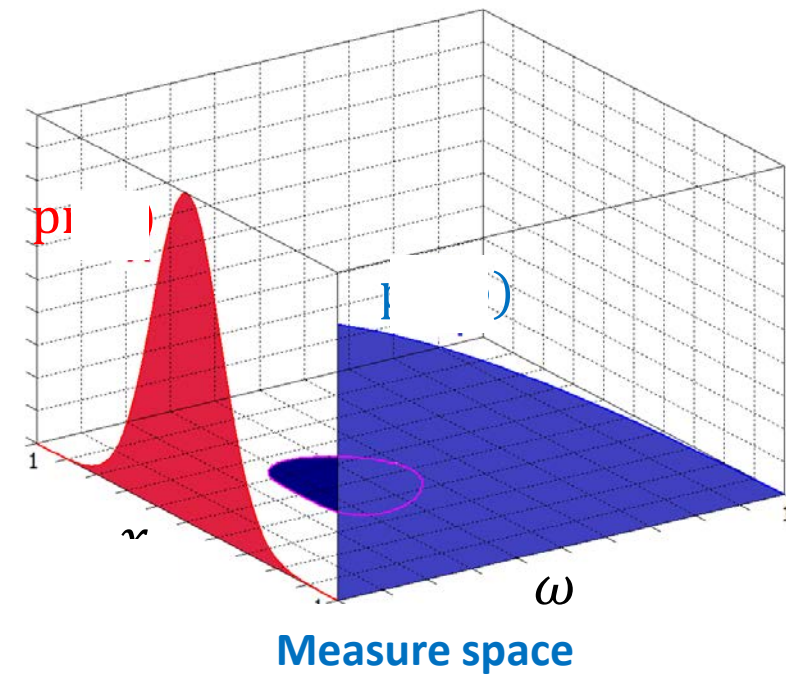
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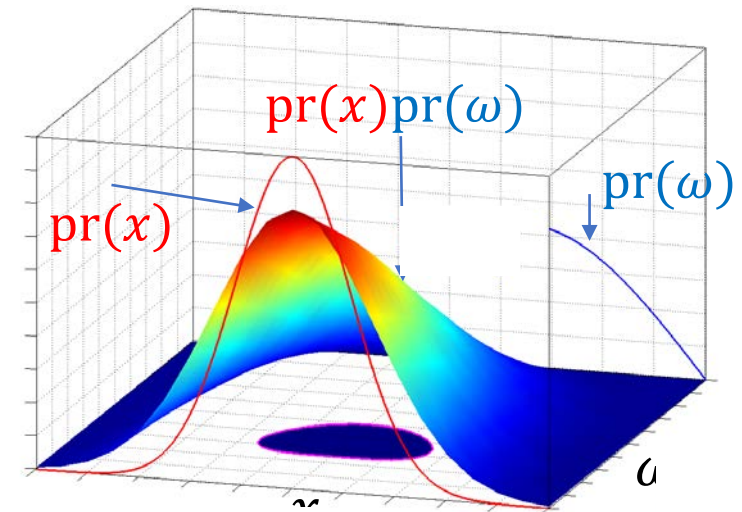
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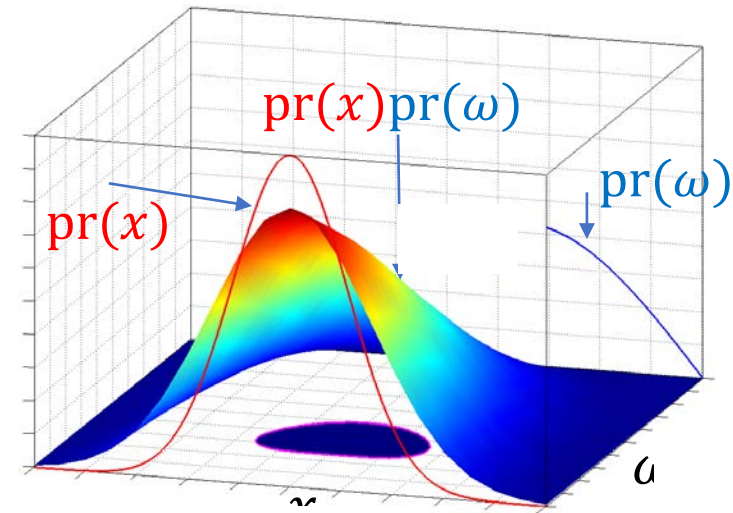
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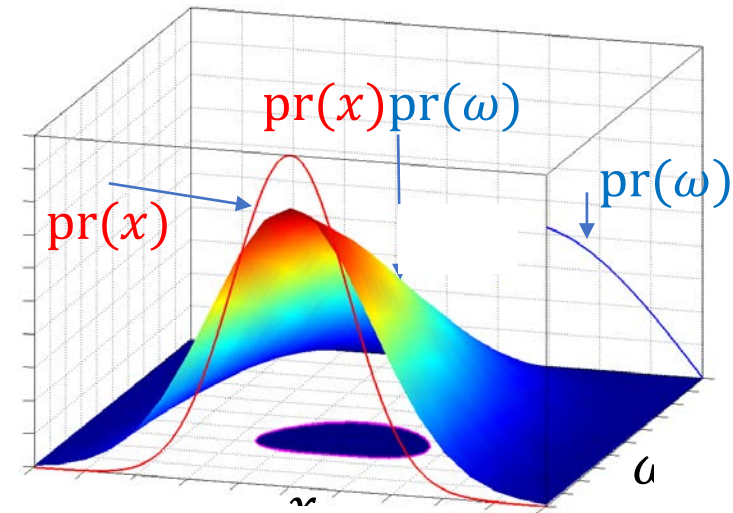
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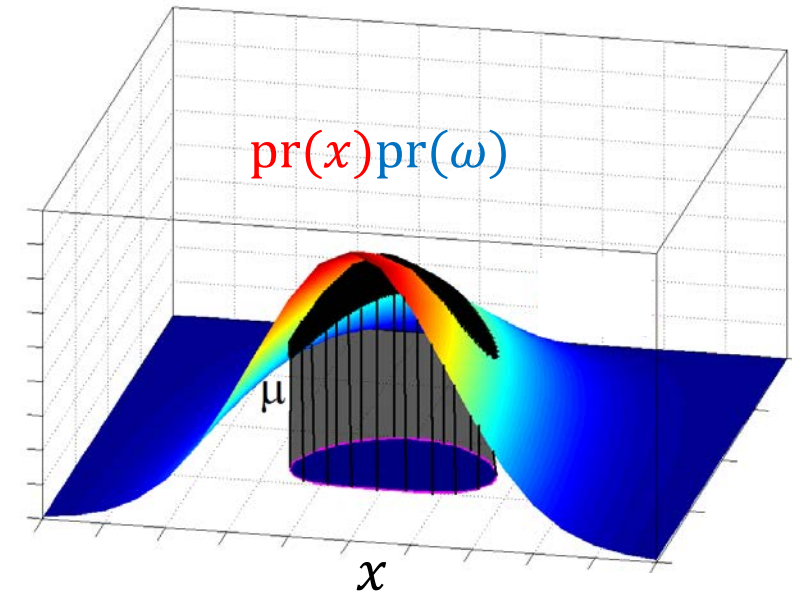
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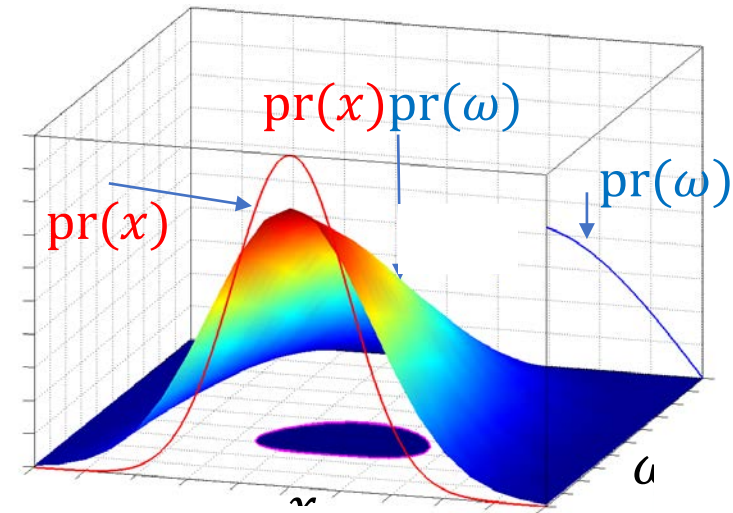
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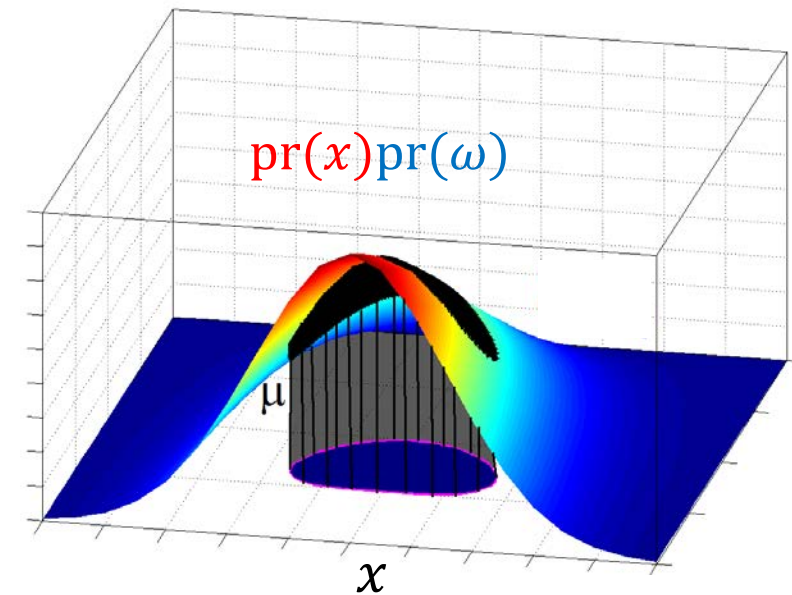
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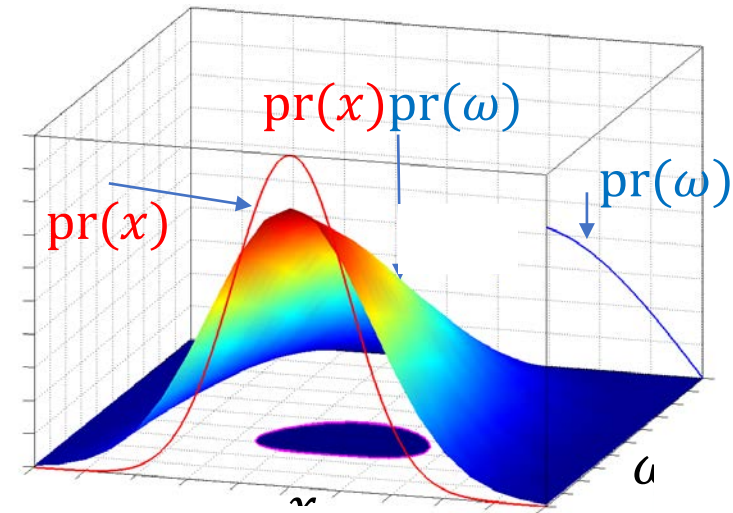




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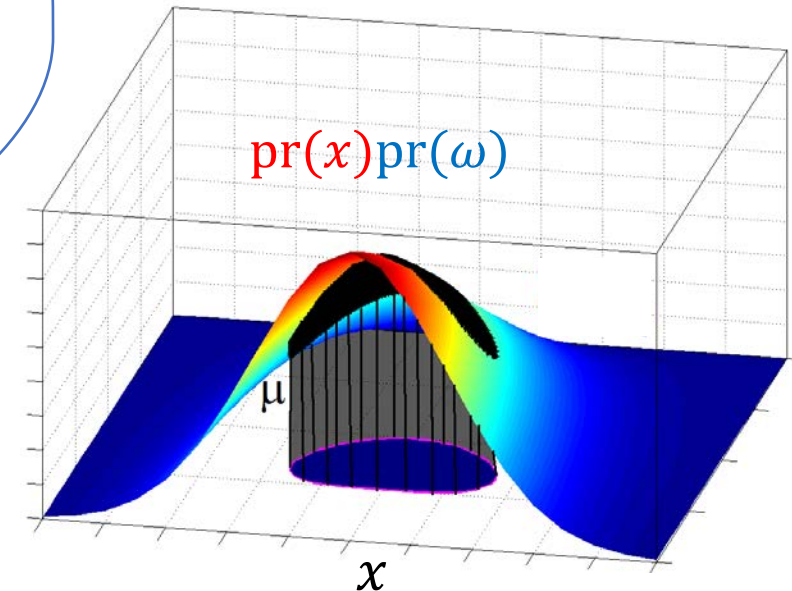
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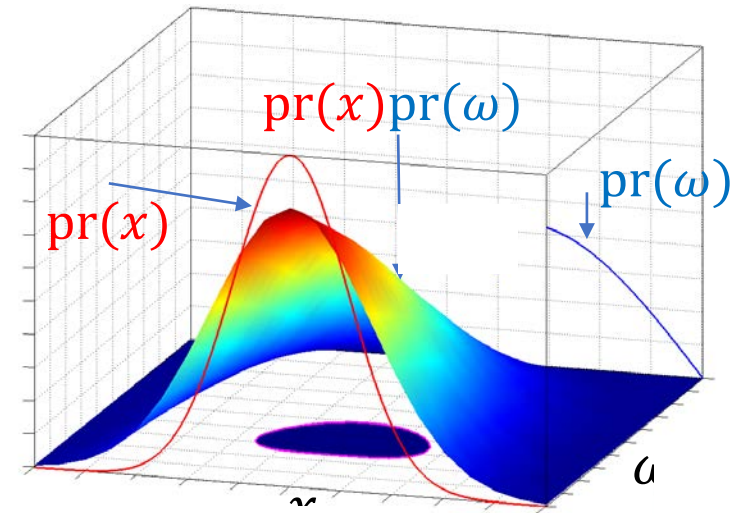
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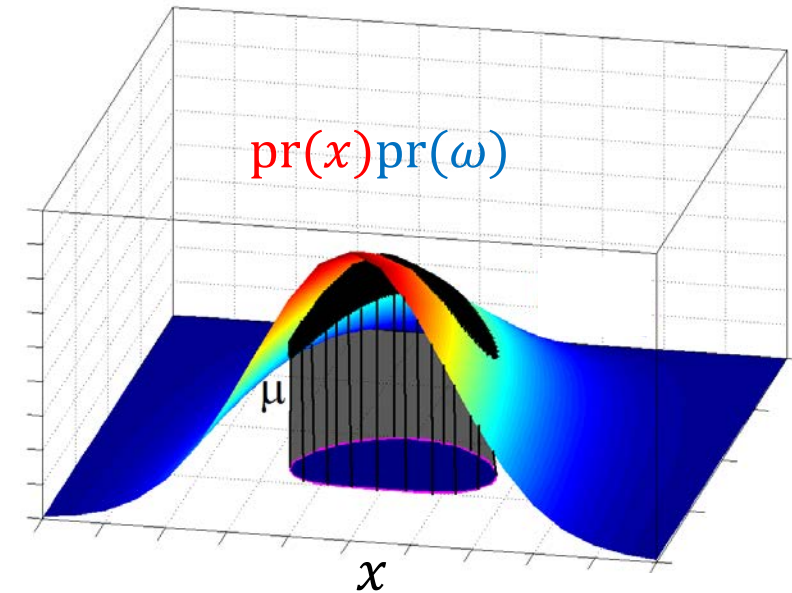
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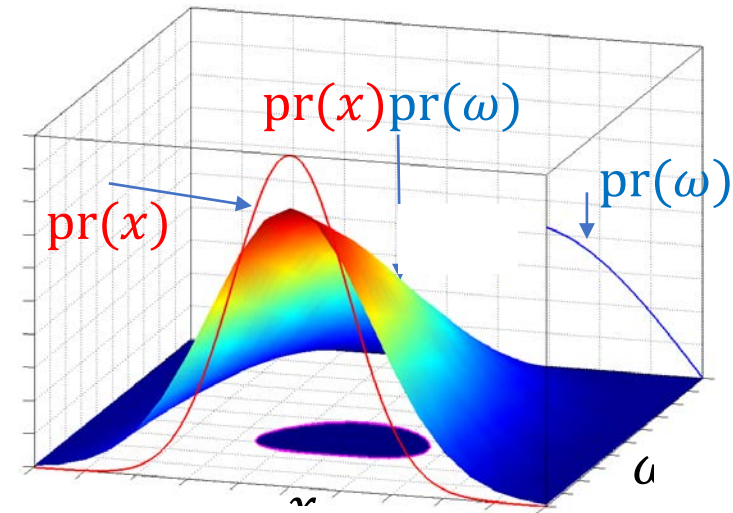
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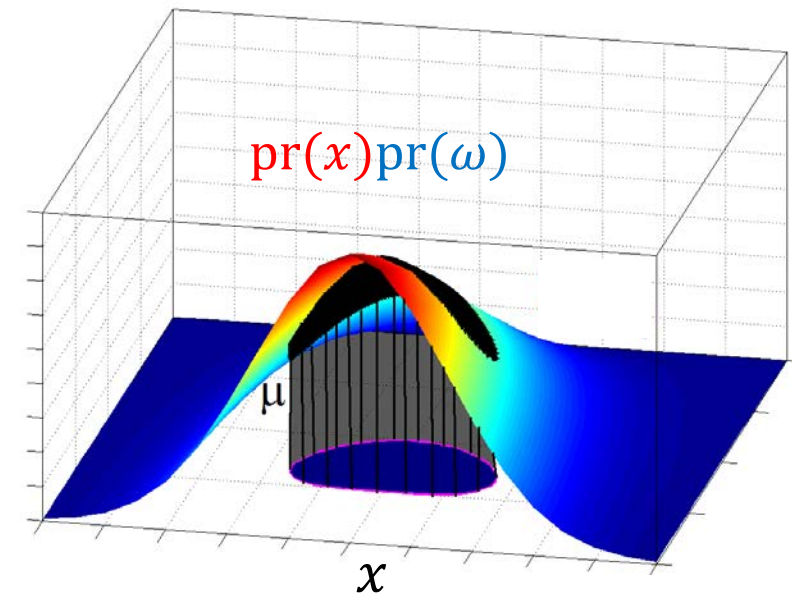
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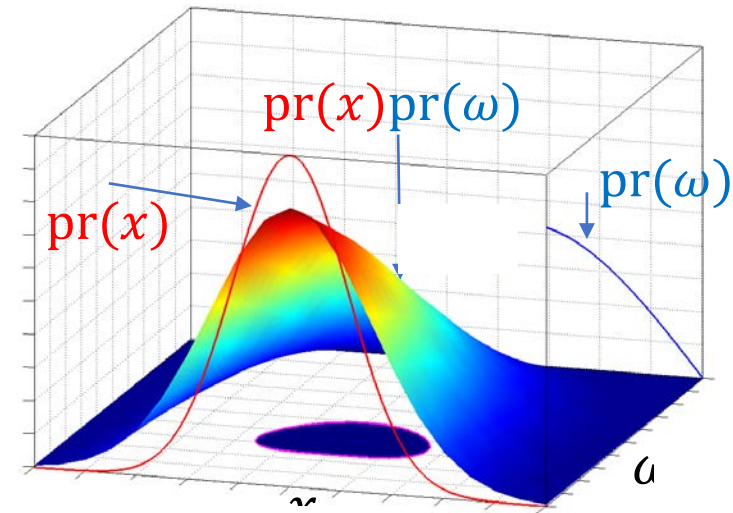
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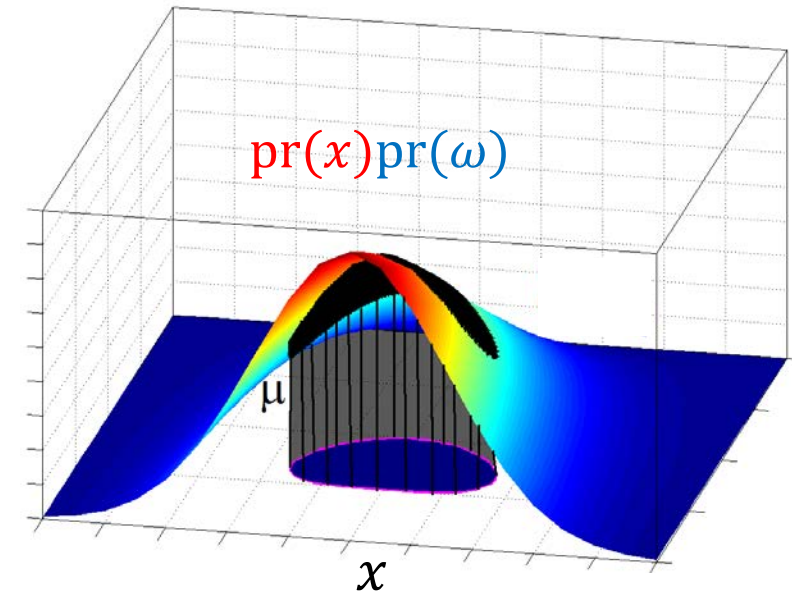
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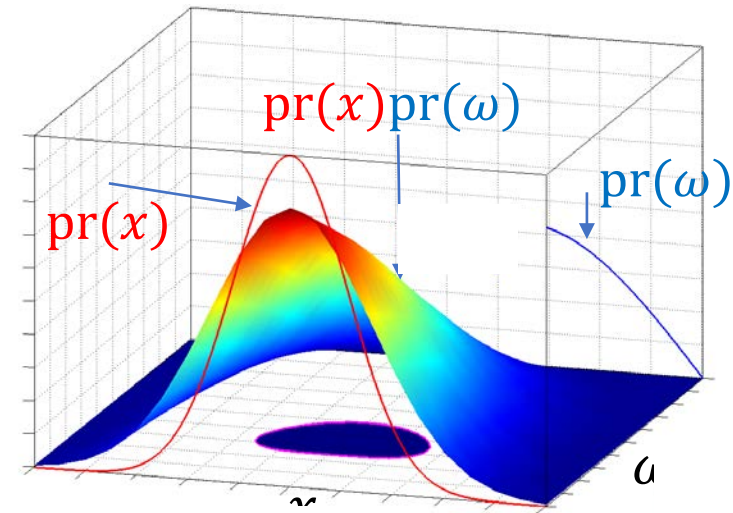
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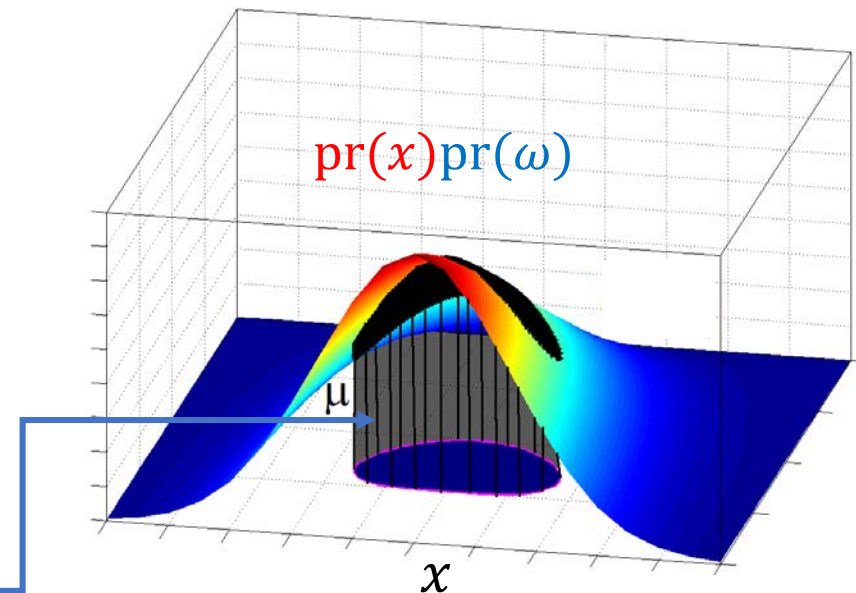


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- To maximize the probability of success:  
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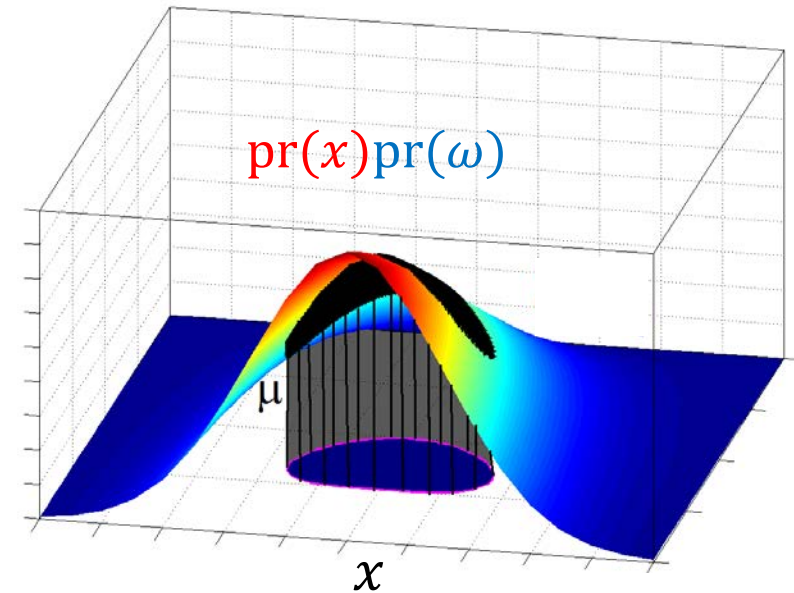
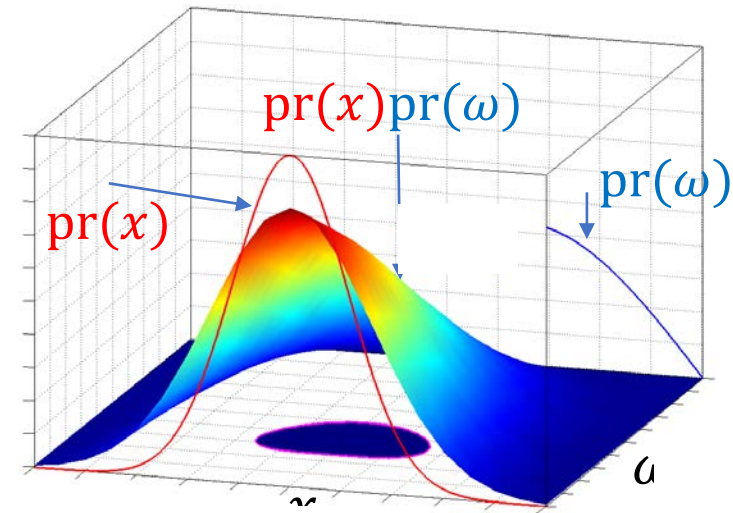
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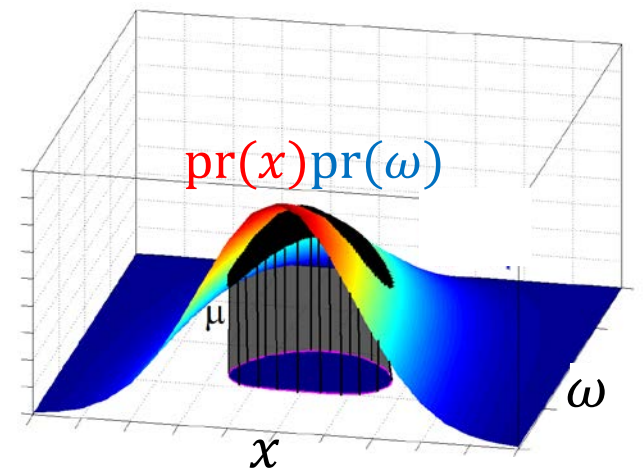
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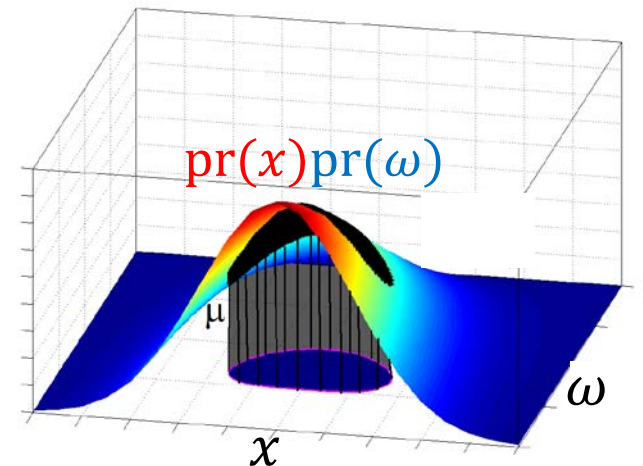
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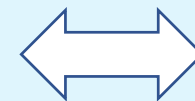
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moments of joint measure  $\mu_x \times \mu_\omega$

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Relaxation

**4 Finite SDP in moments:**

Truncated moment SDP

in terms of moment up to order  $2d$

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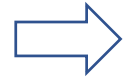
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**Moment SDP**

$M_1(py) \succeq 0 \Rightarrow -y_{04} + \frac{1}{2}y_{03} - y_{22} + y_{12} - \frac{1}{4}y_{02} + \frac{1}{2}y_{21} - \frac{1}{2}y_{11} + \frac{1}{8}y_{01} - y_{40} + 2y_{30} - \frac{3}{2}y_{20} + \frac{1}{2}y_{10} - \frac{1}{16} \succeq 0$

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`nx=1, nq=1`      `x`: design parameter, `q`: uncertain parameter

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K=[0.5*q(1)*(q(1)^2+(x(1)-0.5)^2)-(q(1)^4+q(1)^2*(x(1)-0.5)^2+(x(1)-0.5)^4)]; Set K: Support of measure μ
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```
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**Moments of uncertain parameter  $\omega$  (uniform distribution):** `yq=[1 0 0.3333 0 0.2]`

**Moments of  $\mu_x \times \mu_\omega$ :** `yxq= mom_xq(nx,nq,d,yq,yx);`

**Construct moment SDP from measures:** `Opt=msdp(max(mass(mu)), mass(mux)==1, K>=0, y_s==(yxq - y), -1<=yx, yx<=1, d); msol(Opt);`  
 $\max \int d\mu$        $\int d\mu_x = 1$       Support of  $\mu$        $\mu_s = \mu_x \times \mu_\omega - \mu$        $\text{supp}(\mu_x) \subset [-1, 1]$       Solve moment SDP

## Obtained result:

$$y = [0.6610, 0.3305, 0.1484, 0.1687, 0.0742, 0.1022, 0.0878, 0.0387, 0.0511, 0.0406, 0.0465, 0.0210, 0.0263, 0.0203, 0.0203]$$

Upper bound of probability of success

$$y_x = [1, 0.5, 0.2558, 0.1330, 0.8521]$$

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eigenvalues = 0.0046, 0.7011, 1.4022

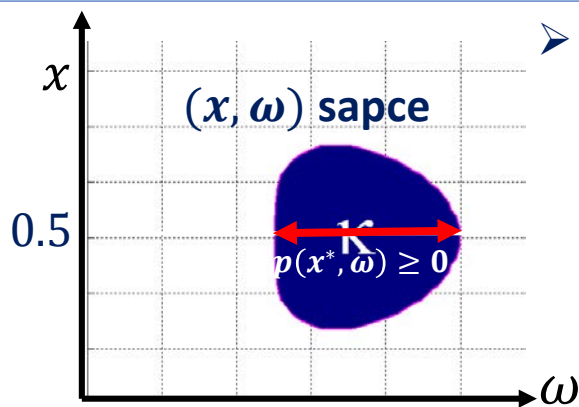
Rank  $\approx 1$

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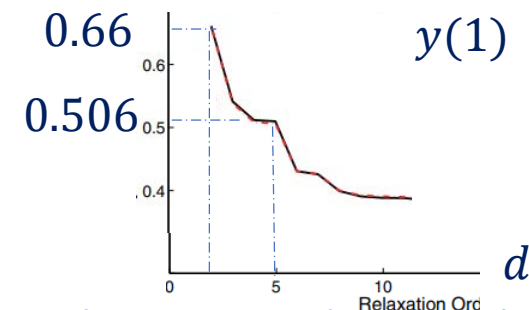
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Moment of Dirac probability measure  $\mu_x = \delta_{x^*}$

$$x^* = y_{x_1} = E[x] = 0.5$$



➤ As relaxation order  $d$  increase  $y(1)$  converges to the true probability



(we will improve the estimated probability in Lecture 10)

## Example: Probabilistic Safety Constraint 2

$$\mathbf{P}^* = \underset{x}{\text{maximize}} \quad \text{Probability}( p(x, \omega) \geq 0 )$$

subject to  $-1 \leq x \leq 1$

$$p(x, \omega) = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^2 : -\frac{1}{16}x_1^4 + \frac{1}{4}x_1^3 - \frac{1}{4}x_1^2 - \frac{9}{100}x_2^2 + \frac{29}{400} \geq 0\}$$

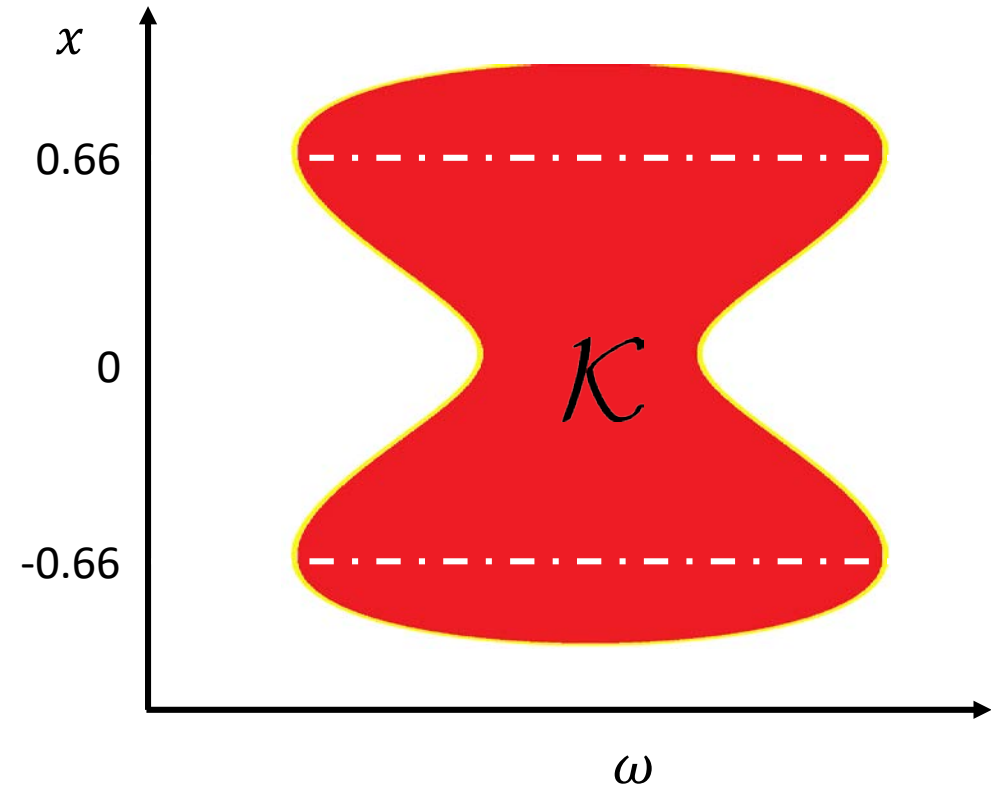
$$\omega \sim \text{Uniform}[-1, 1]$$

$$d=5 \quad y_x = [1, 0, 0.44, 0, 0.19, 0, 0.08, 0, 0.06, 0, 0.91]$$

### Rank Test:

$$\text{Rank } M_d(y_x) = \text{Rank } M_{d-1}(y_x) \approx 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x_2^* = -0.66, x_1^* = 0.66$$



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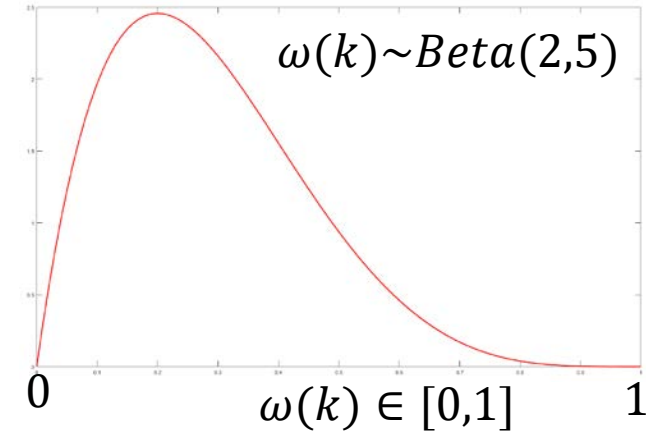
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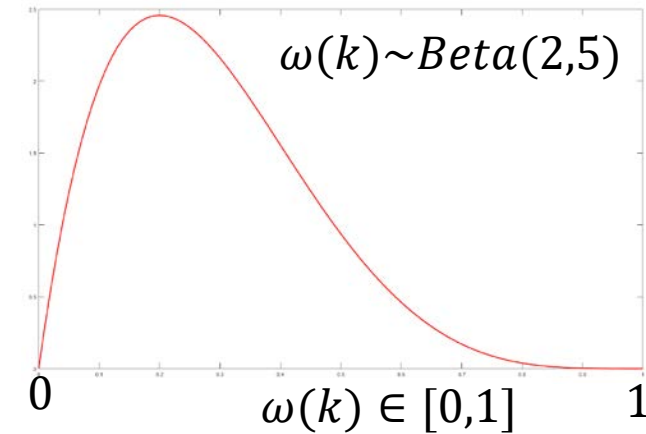
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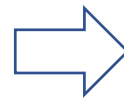
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$d=2$   $y_u = [1, 0.476, 0.2601, 0.1260, 0.4934]$

### Rank Test:

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eigenvalues = 0.0273, 0.3939, 1.3324    eigenvalues = 0.0273, 1.2328



$$u(k) = y_{u_1} = 0.476$$

$$\text{Prob of Success} = y(1) = 1$$

True Prob for  $u=0.476$  obtained by Monte-Carlo = 1

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➤ SOS SDP Formulation

# Risk Aware Optimization

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Deterministic optimization:

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➤ Find set of design parameters  $\chi_{cc}$  such that

$$\text{For any } x^* \in \chi_{cc} \quad \text{Prob}\{\text{Success}\} = \int_{S(x^*)} \text{pr}(\omega) d\omega \geq 1 - \Delta$$

**Chance Constrained Set**

$$\text{where } S(x^*) = \{g_i(x^*, \omega) \geq 0, i = 1, \dots, n_g\}$$

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$$\text{➤ } \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : \text{Prob}(\text{Success}) \geq 1 - \Delta\} \xrightarrow{\text{semialgebraic set approximation}} \chi_{cc} = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : \mathcal{P}(x) \geq 1 - \Delta\}$$

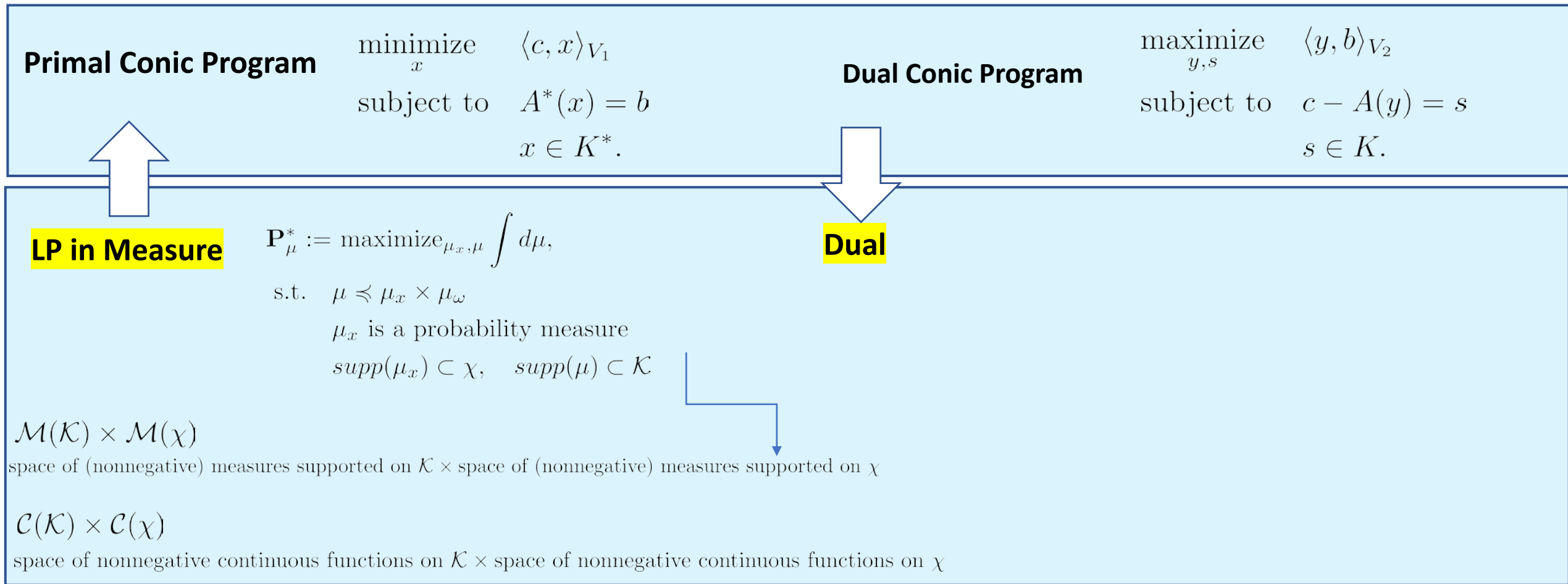
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➤ Semialgebraic set approximation of chance constrained set  $\{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : \text{Prob}(\text{Success}) \geq 1 - \Delta\}$

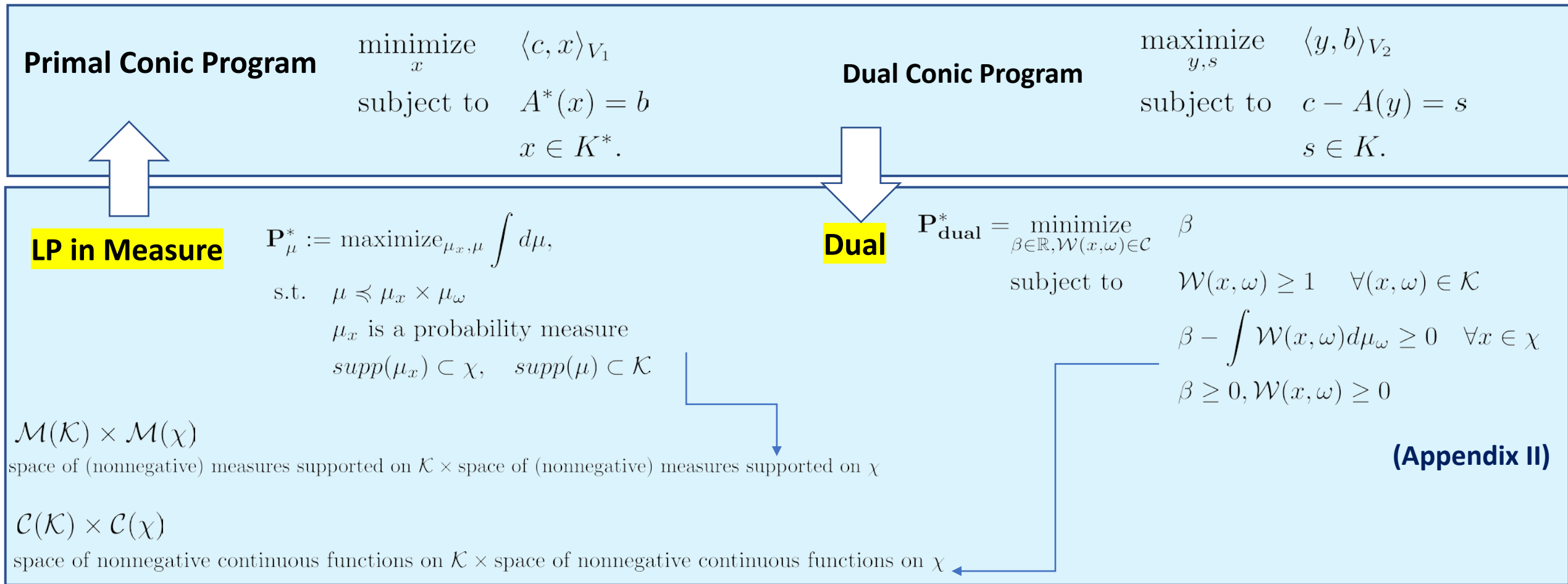
relies on **i) dual optimization** of moment SDP (for chance optimization),

**ii) Polynomial approximation of Indicator function.**

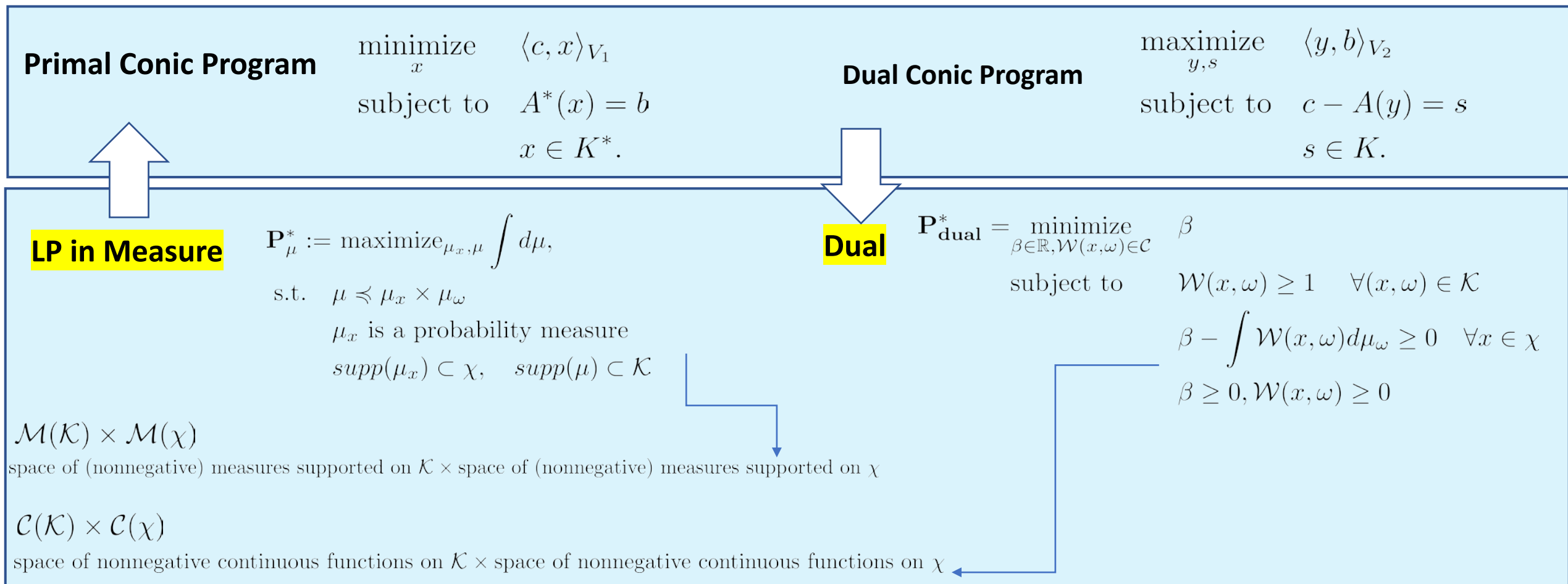
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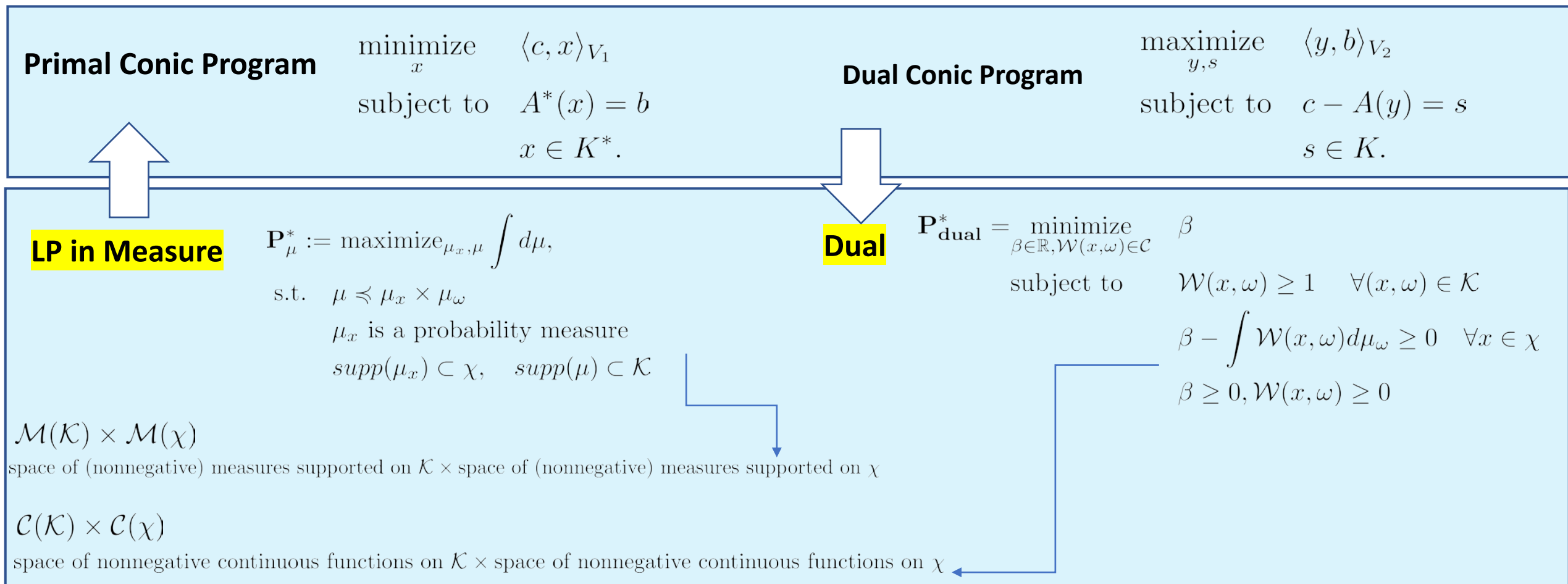
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➤ From strong duality

$P_{\text{dual}}^* = P_\mu^*$

⇒  $\beta = \text{Probability}(\text{success})$

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- For a given design variable  $x^*$

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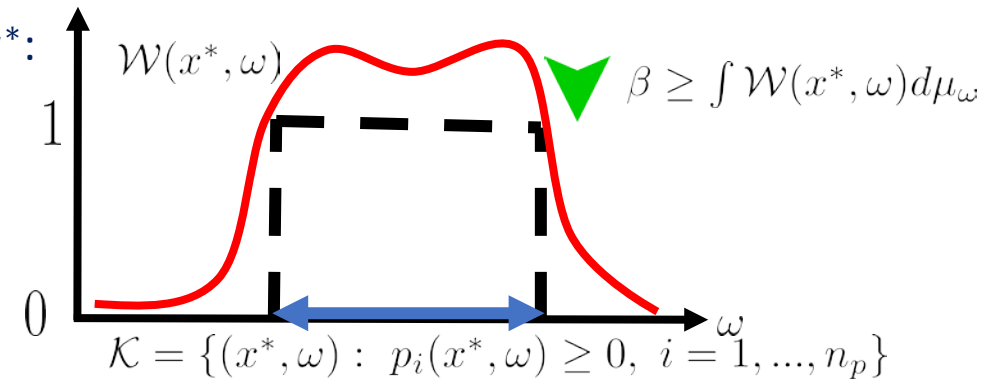
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- $\mathcal{W}(x, \omega) \geq 0 \longrightarrow \int \mathcal{W}(x, \omega) d\mu_\omega \geq 0$   
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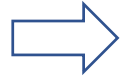
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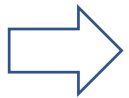
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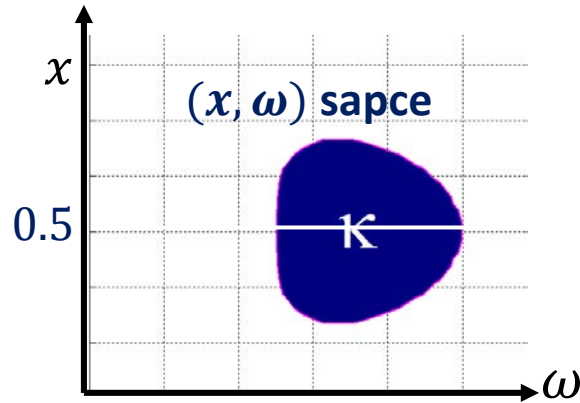
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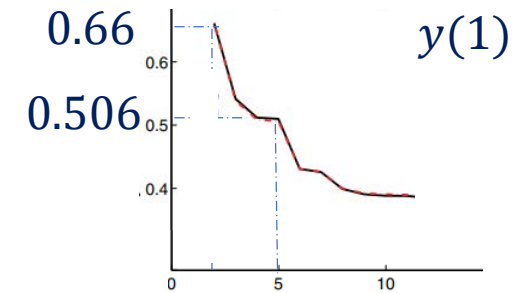
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$$x^* = y_{x_1} = 0.5$$



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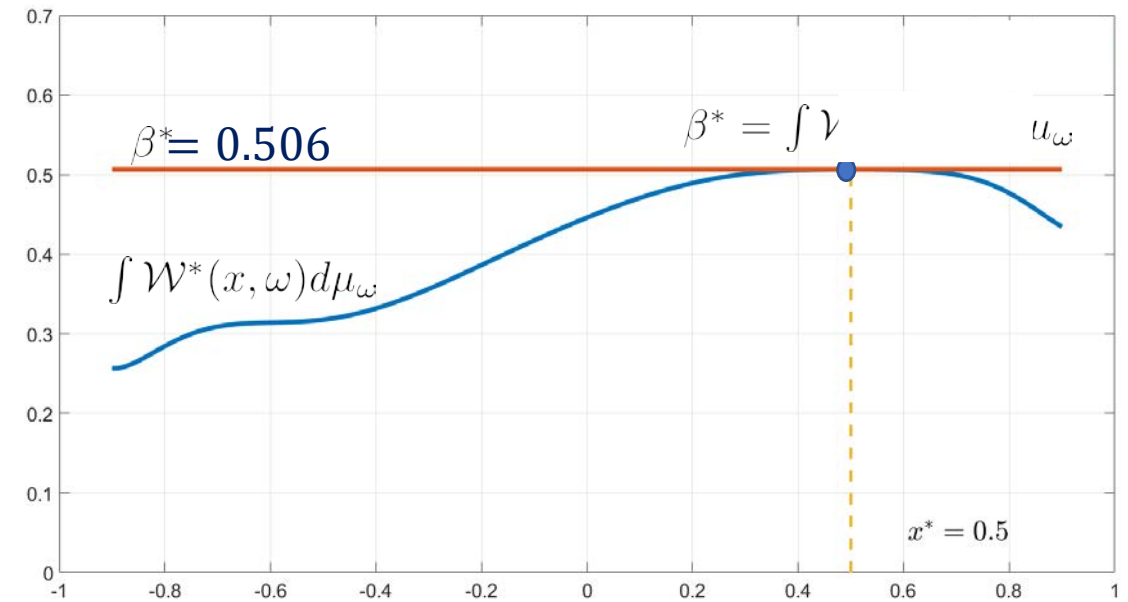
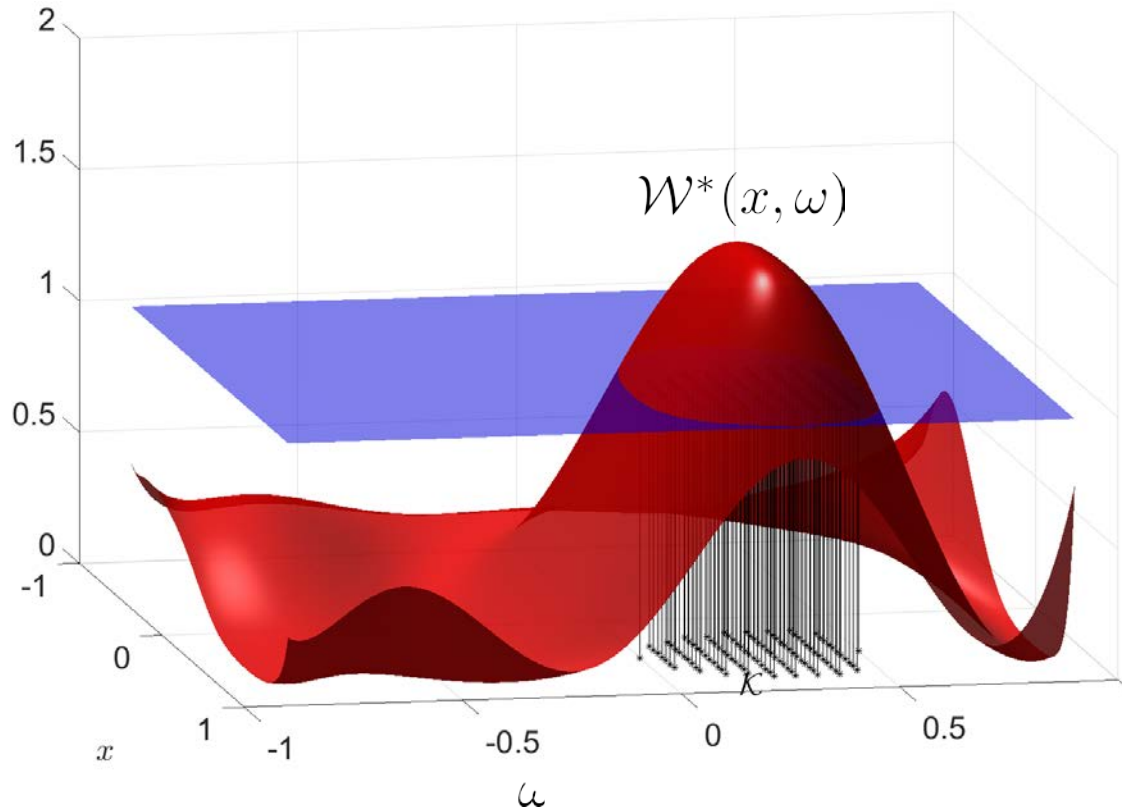
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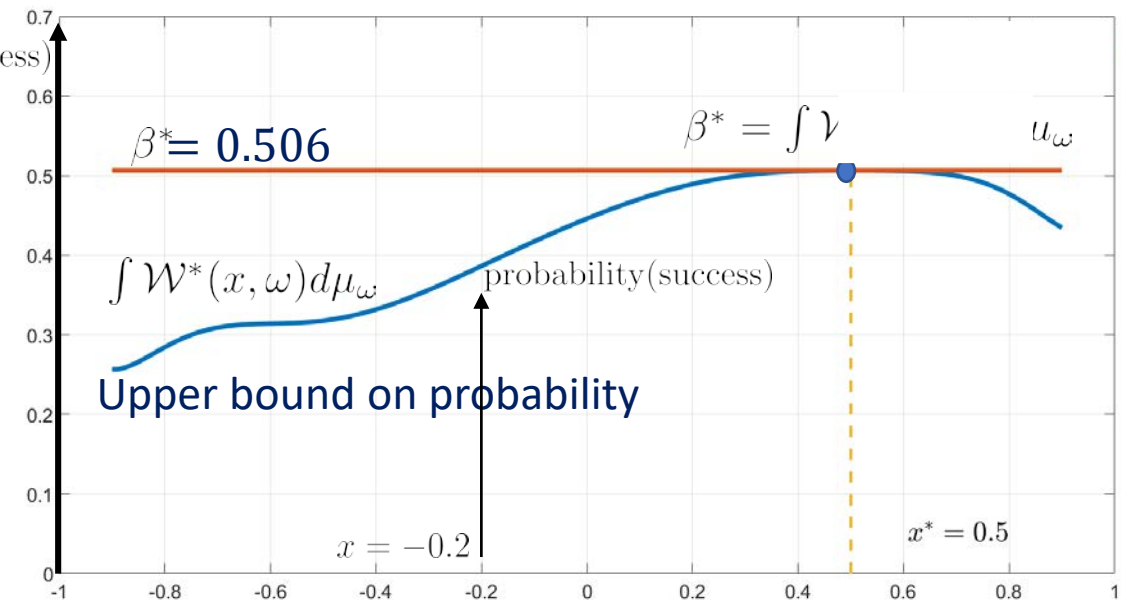
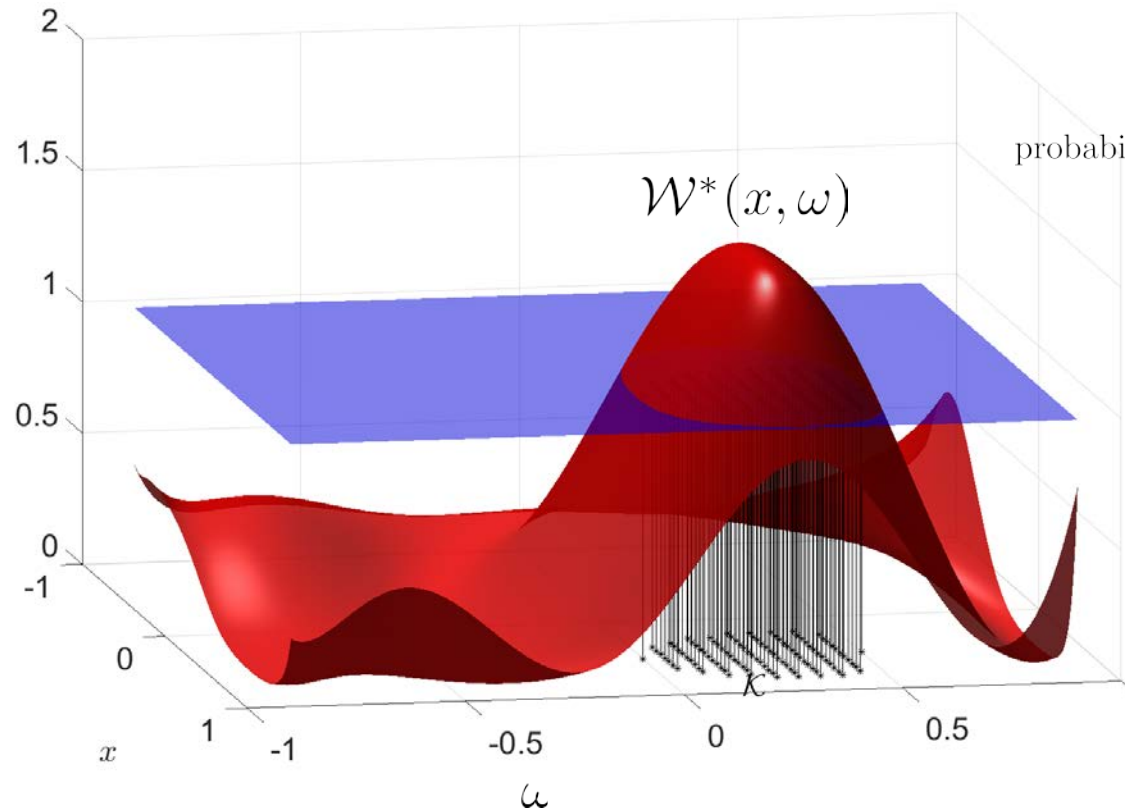
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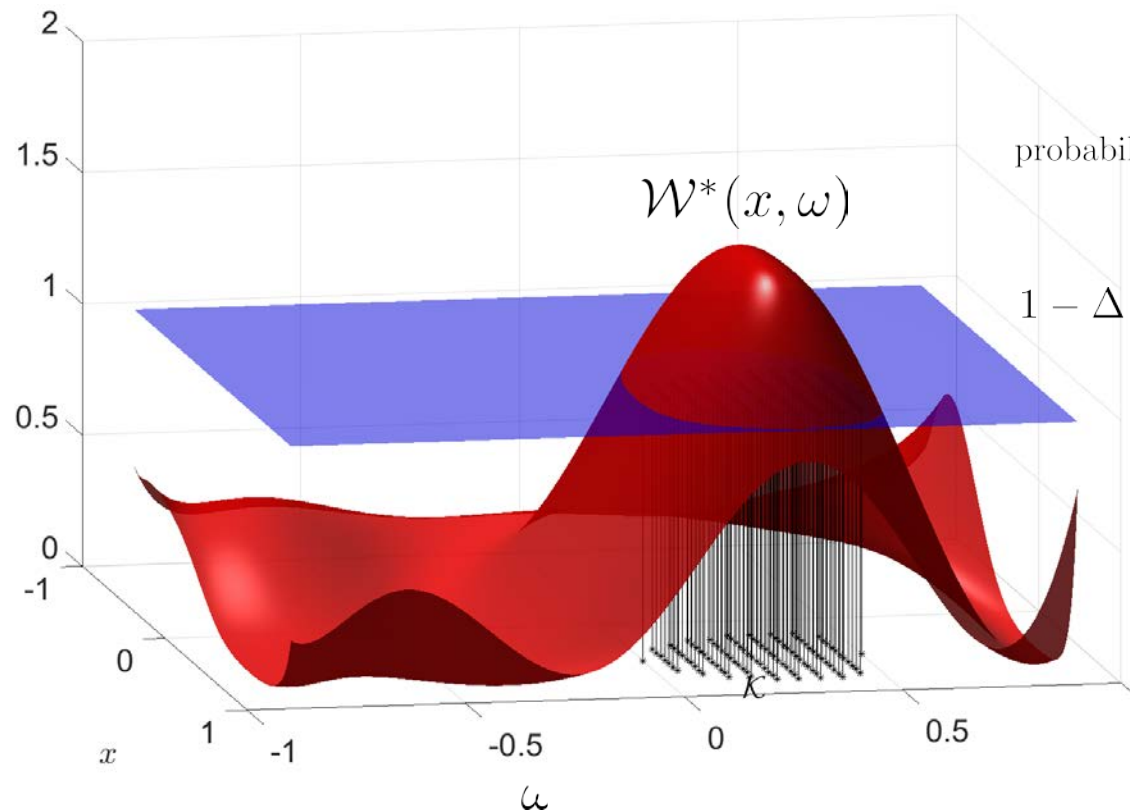
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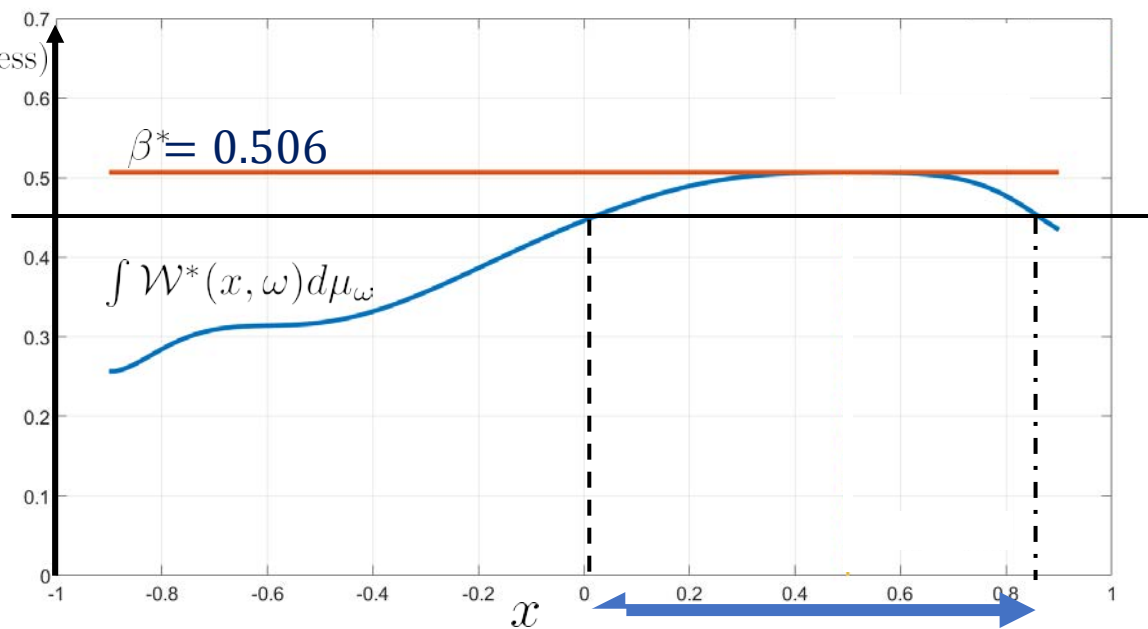
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probability(success)

$$1 - \Delta = 0.45$$



Outer approximation of  $\{x \in \mathbb{R}^1 \mid \text{Prob}(\text{Success}) \geq 1 - \Delta\}$   
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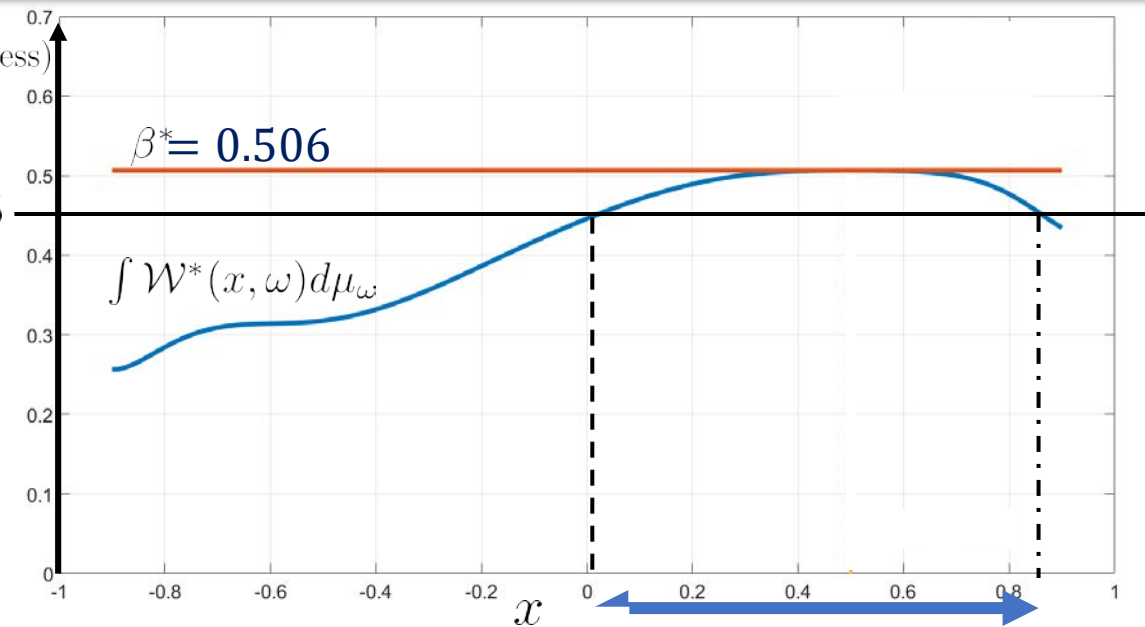
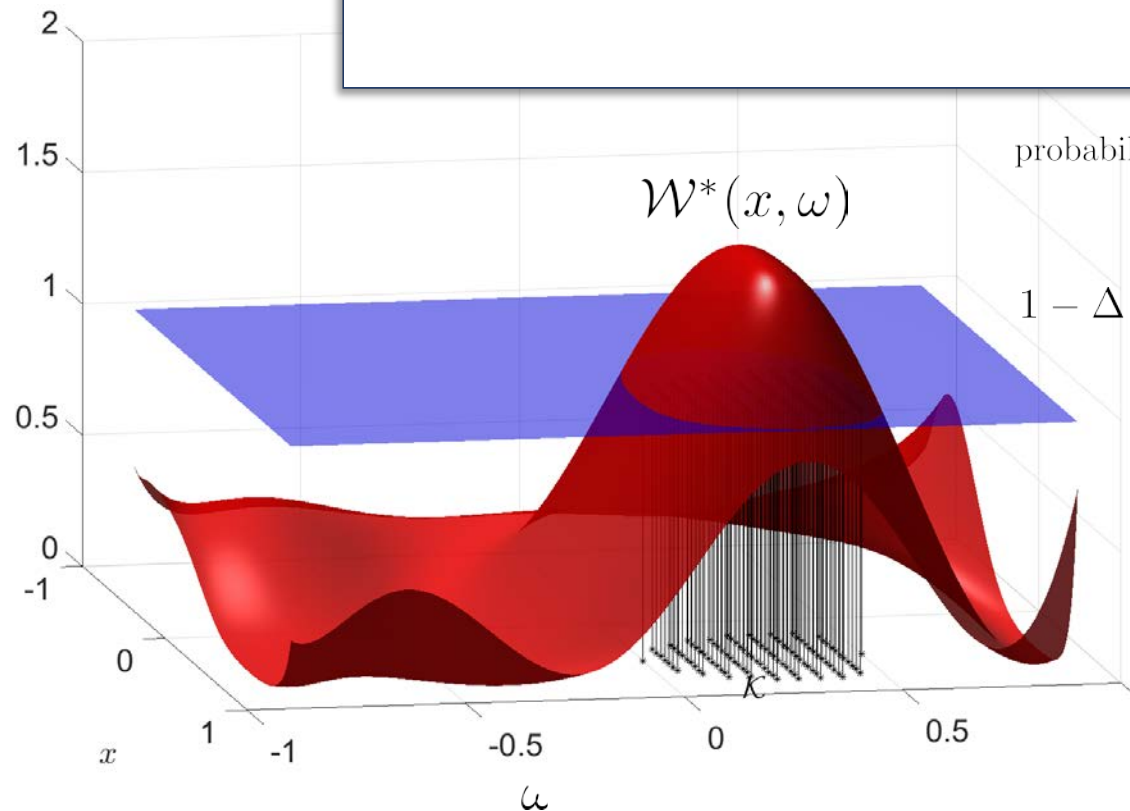
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Less SOS Constraints

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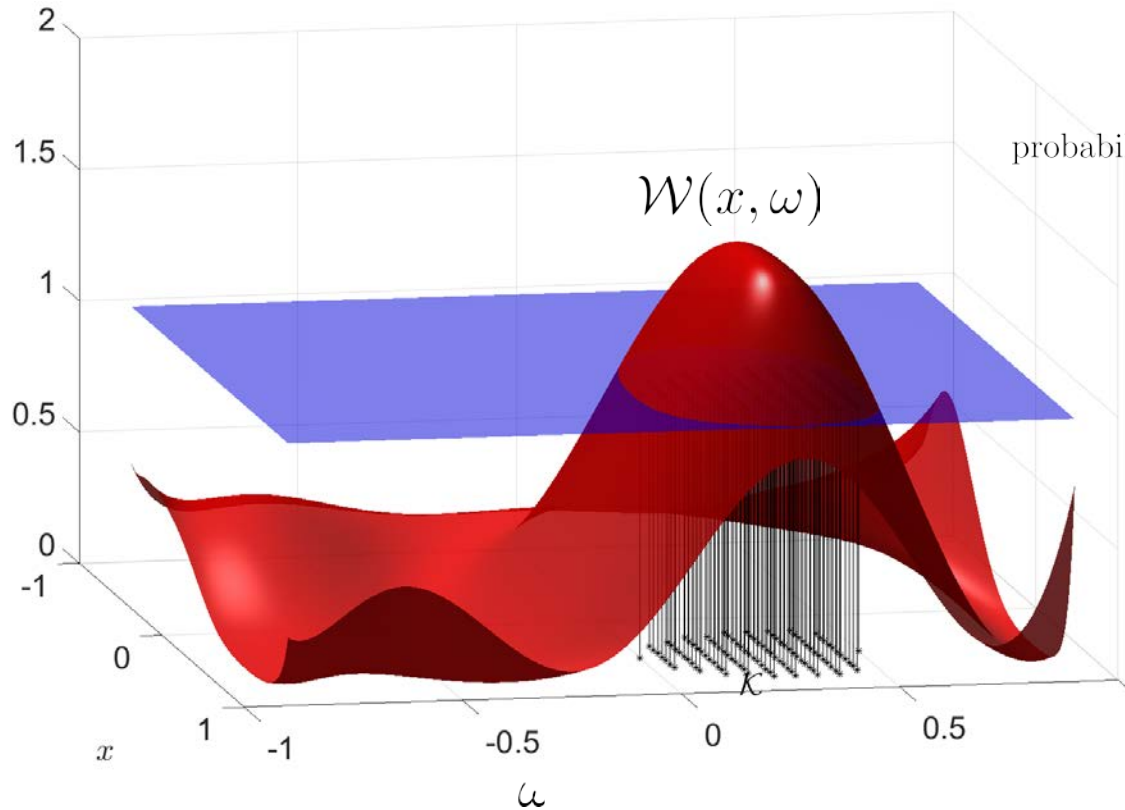
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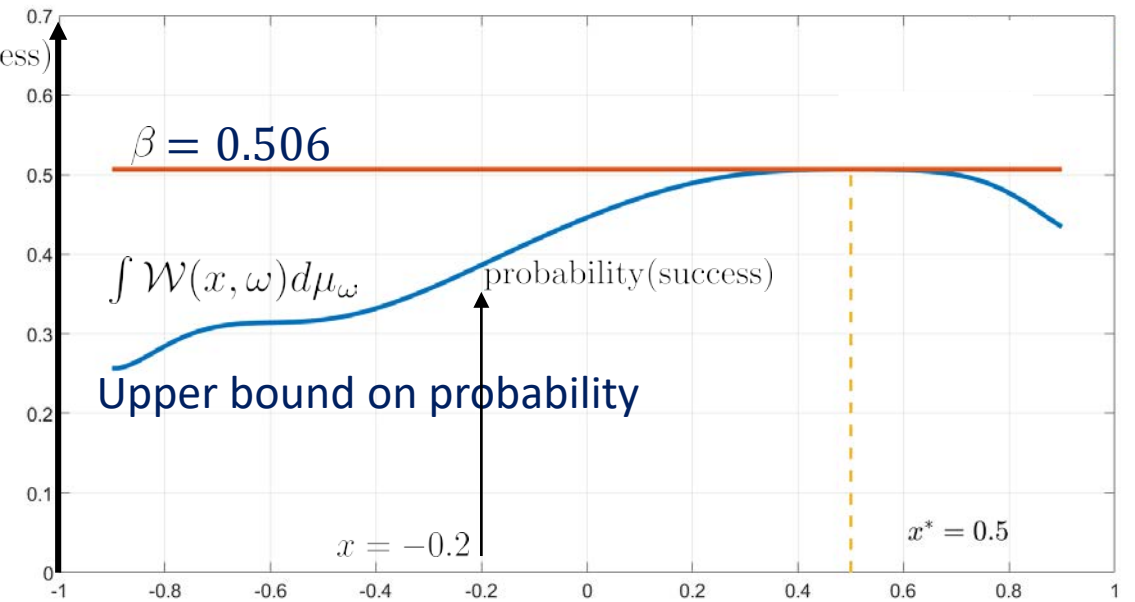


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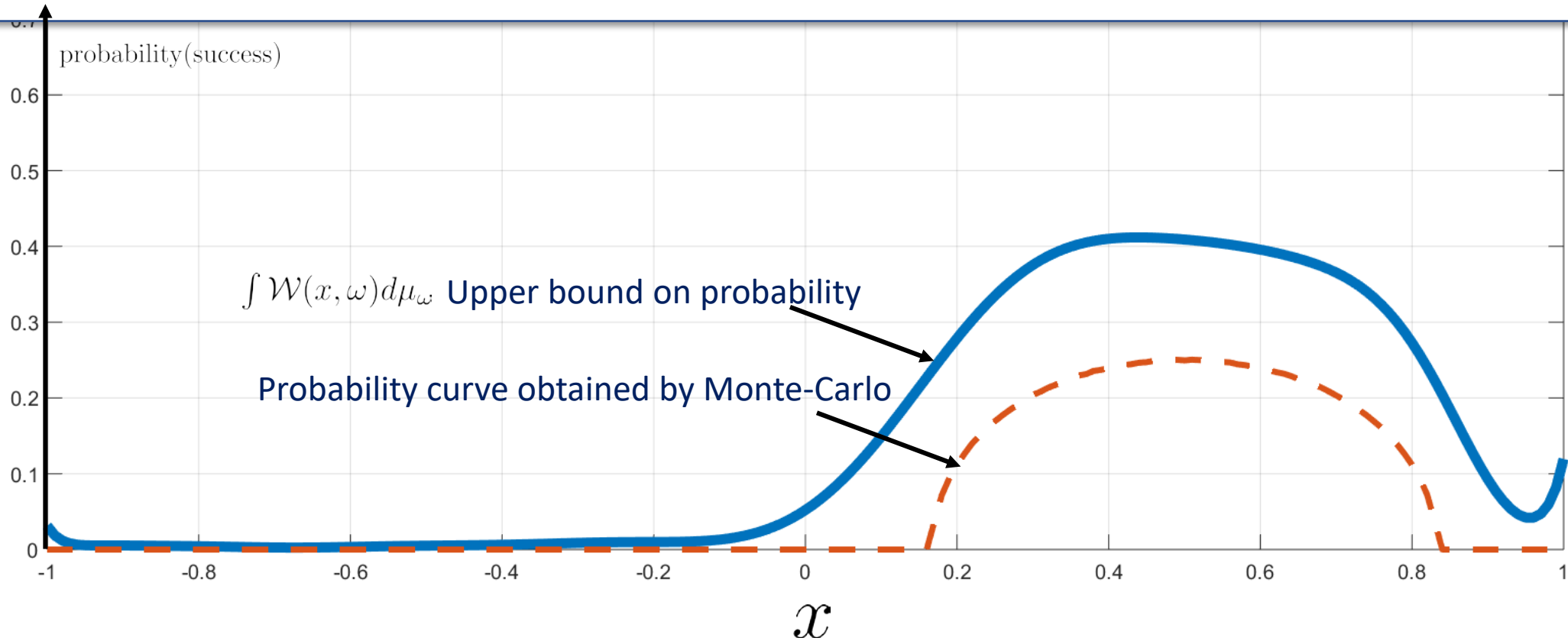
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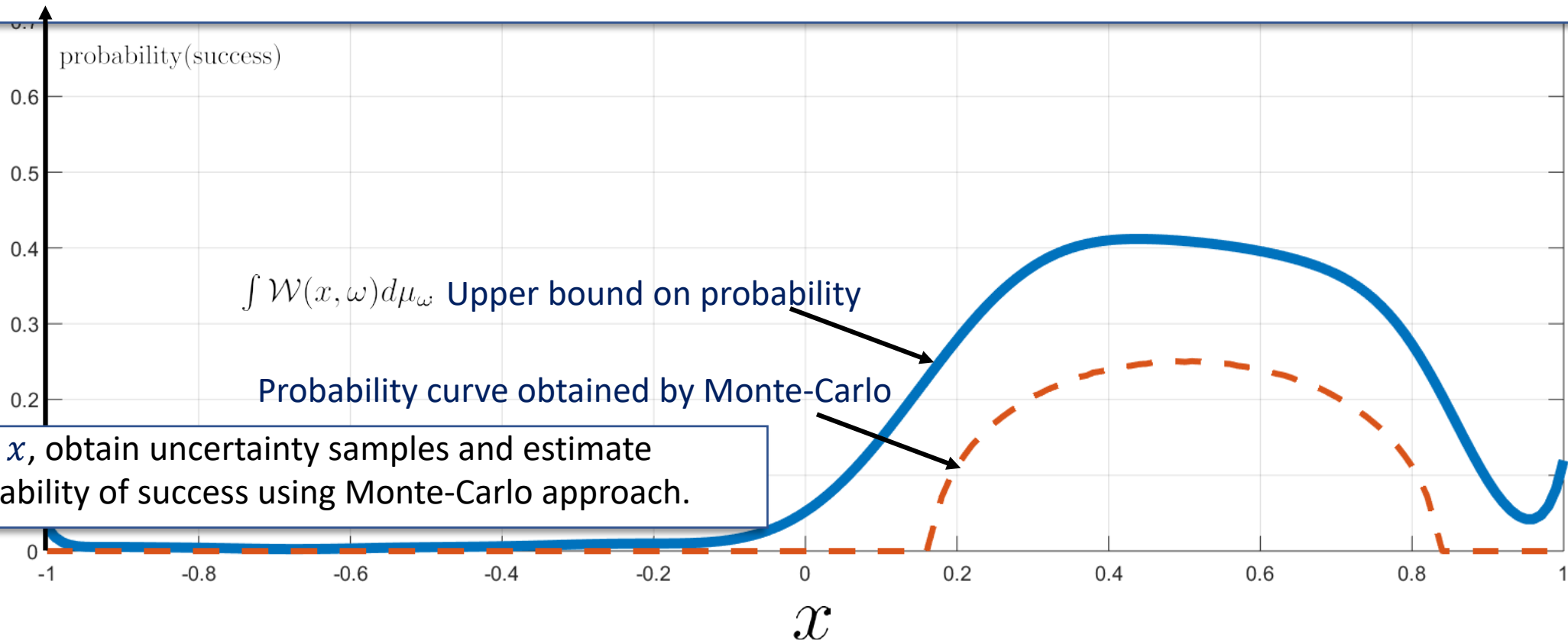


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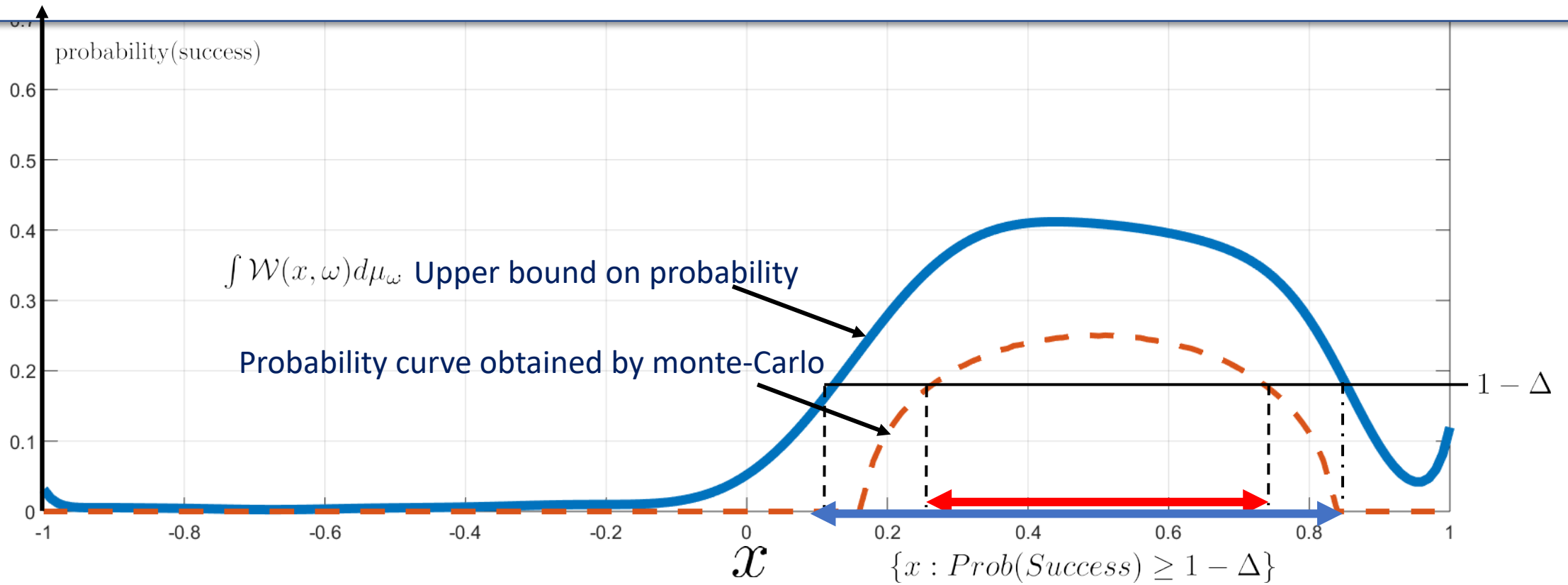


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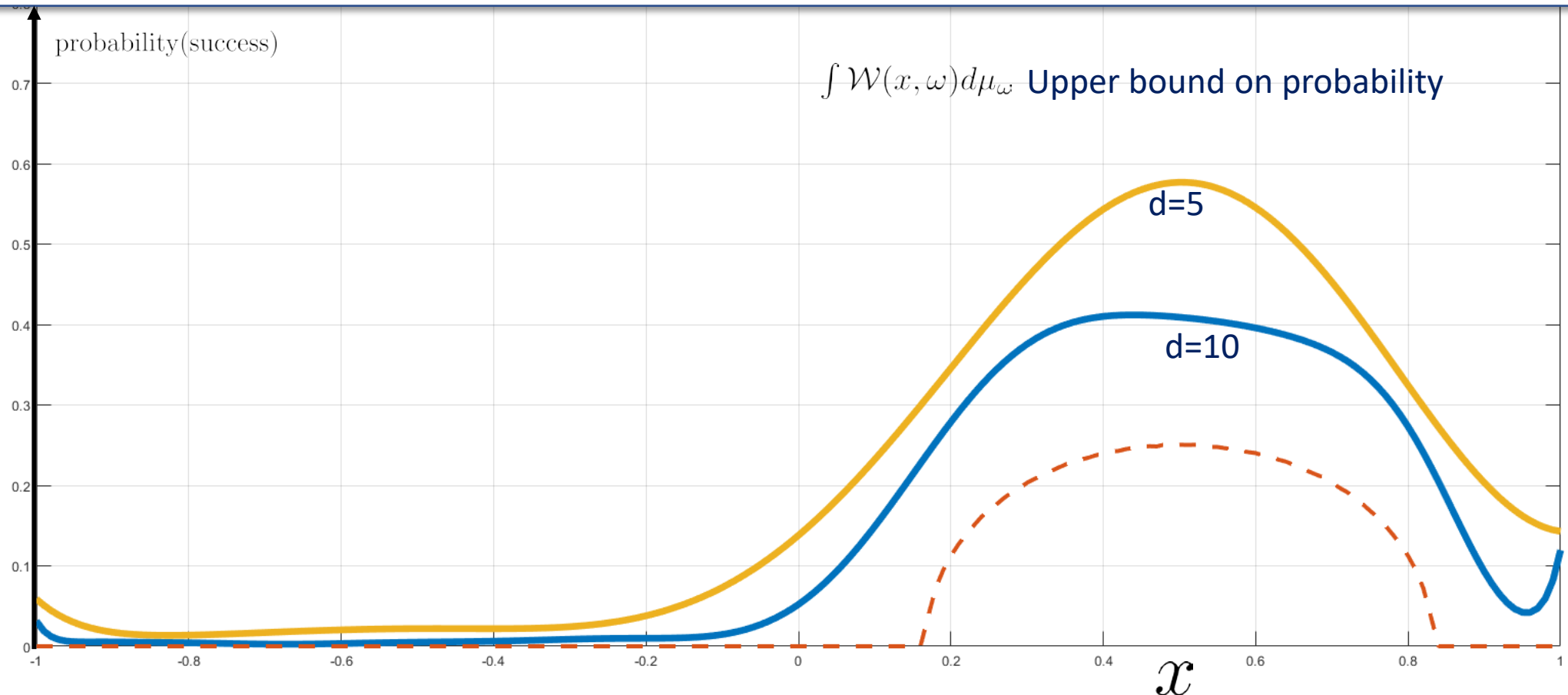
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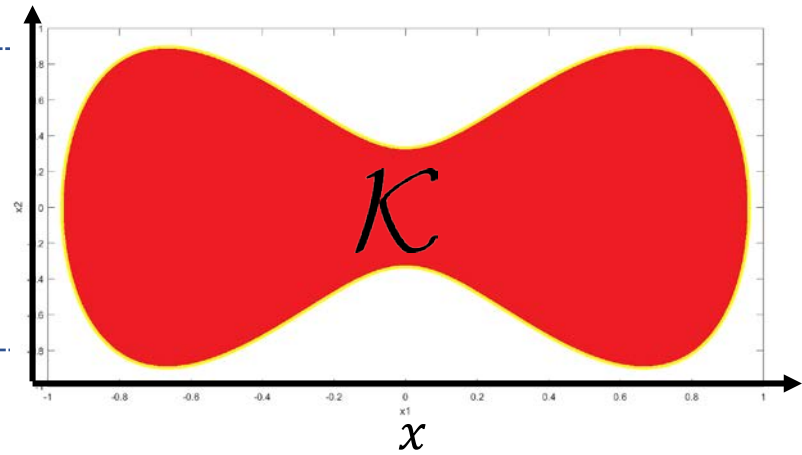
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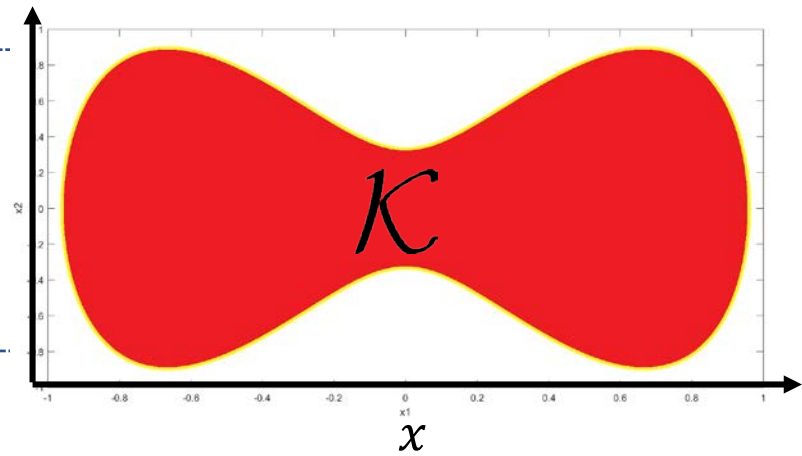
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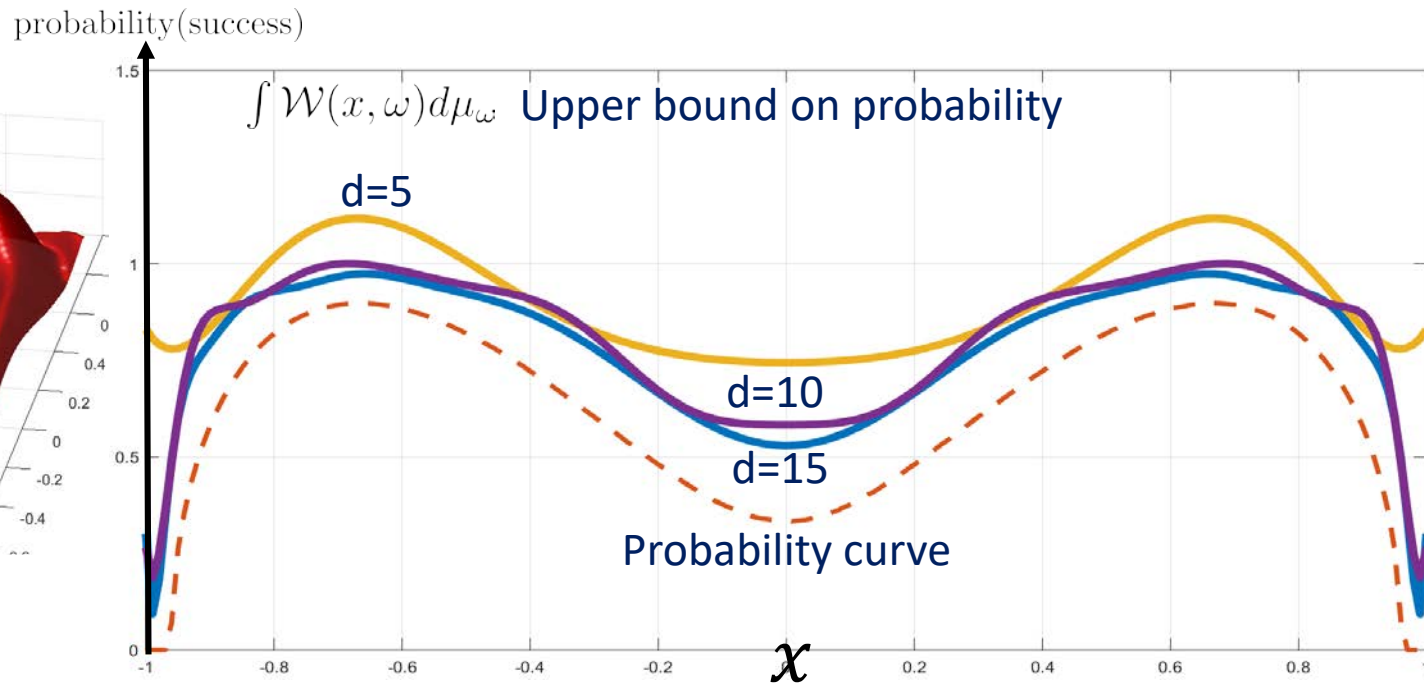
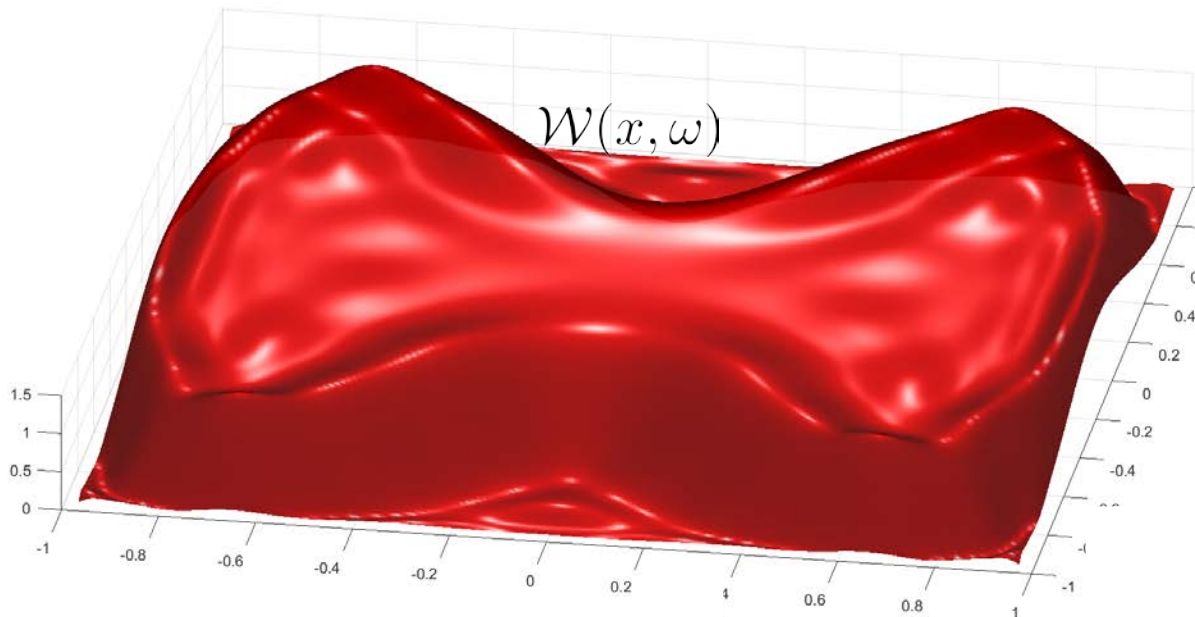
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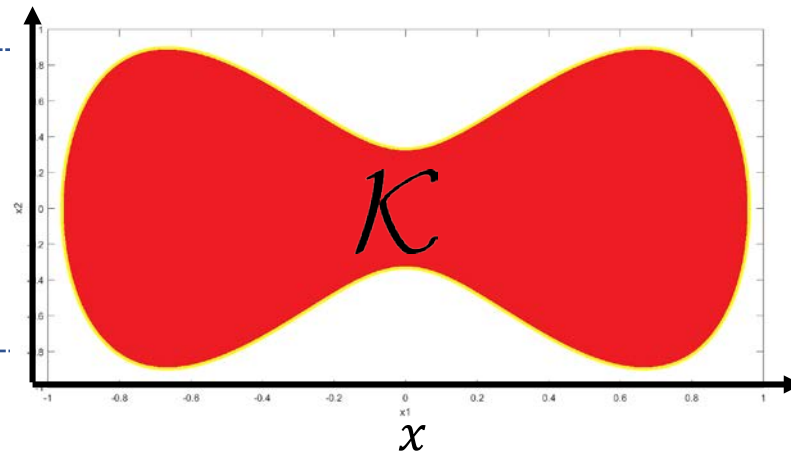


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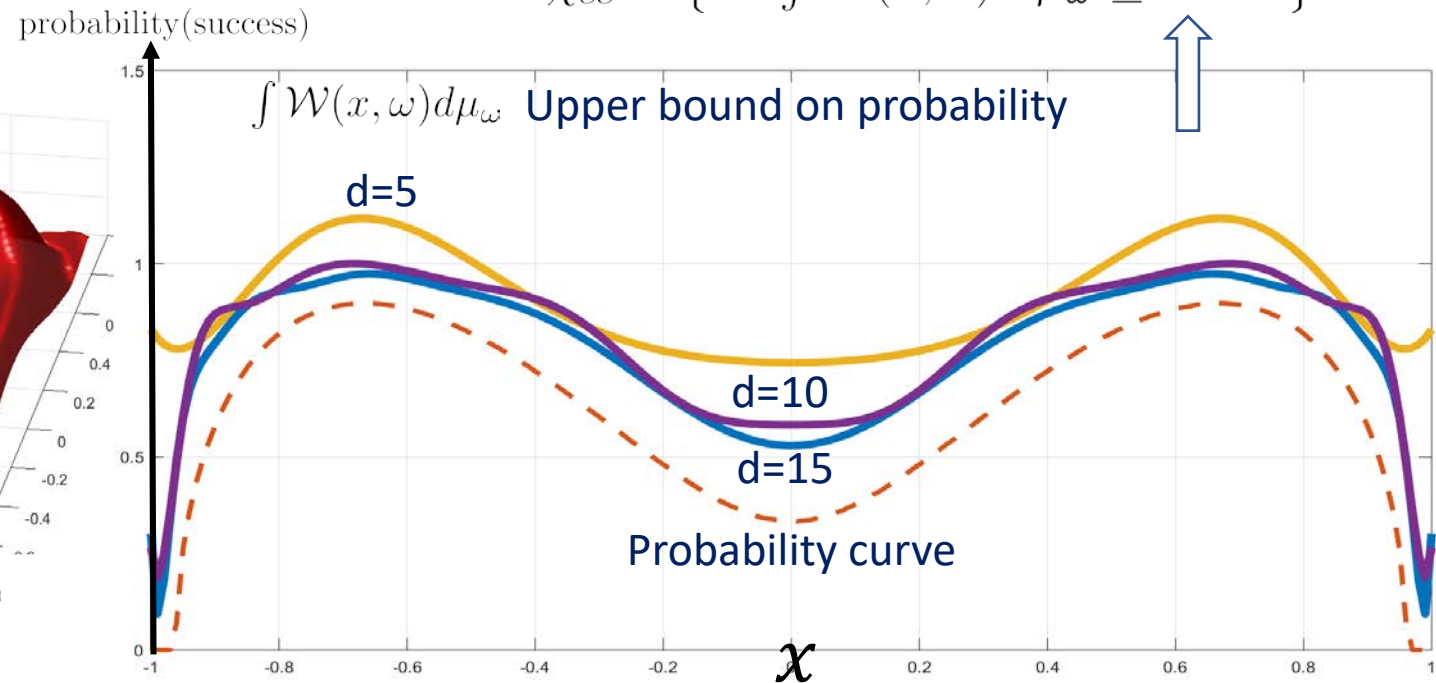
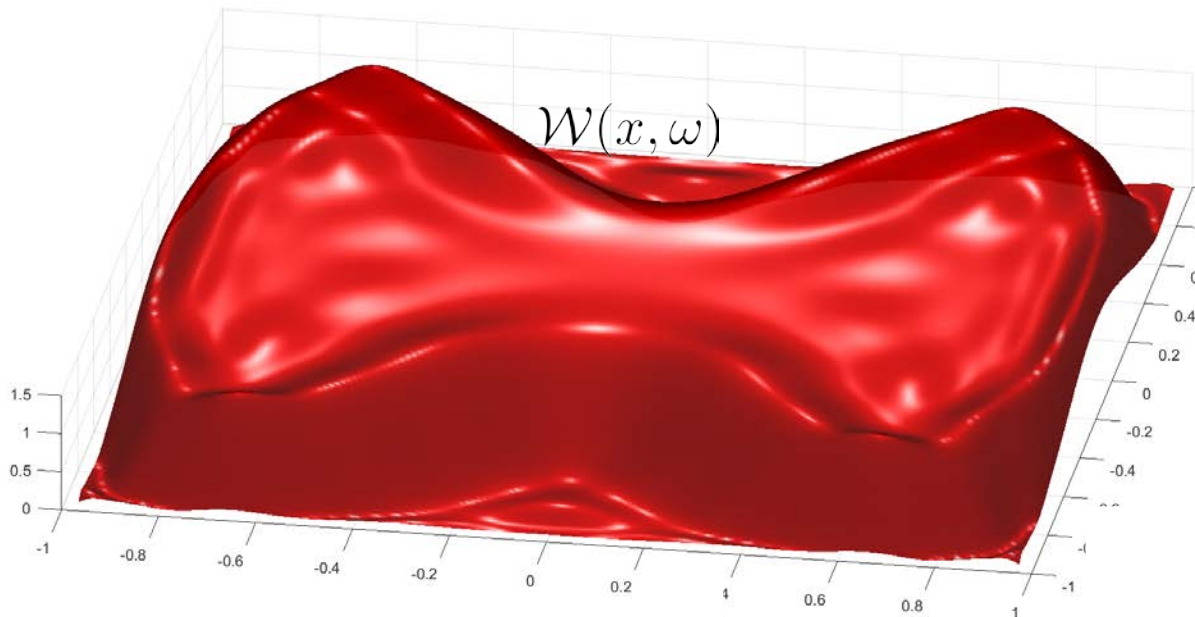
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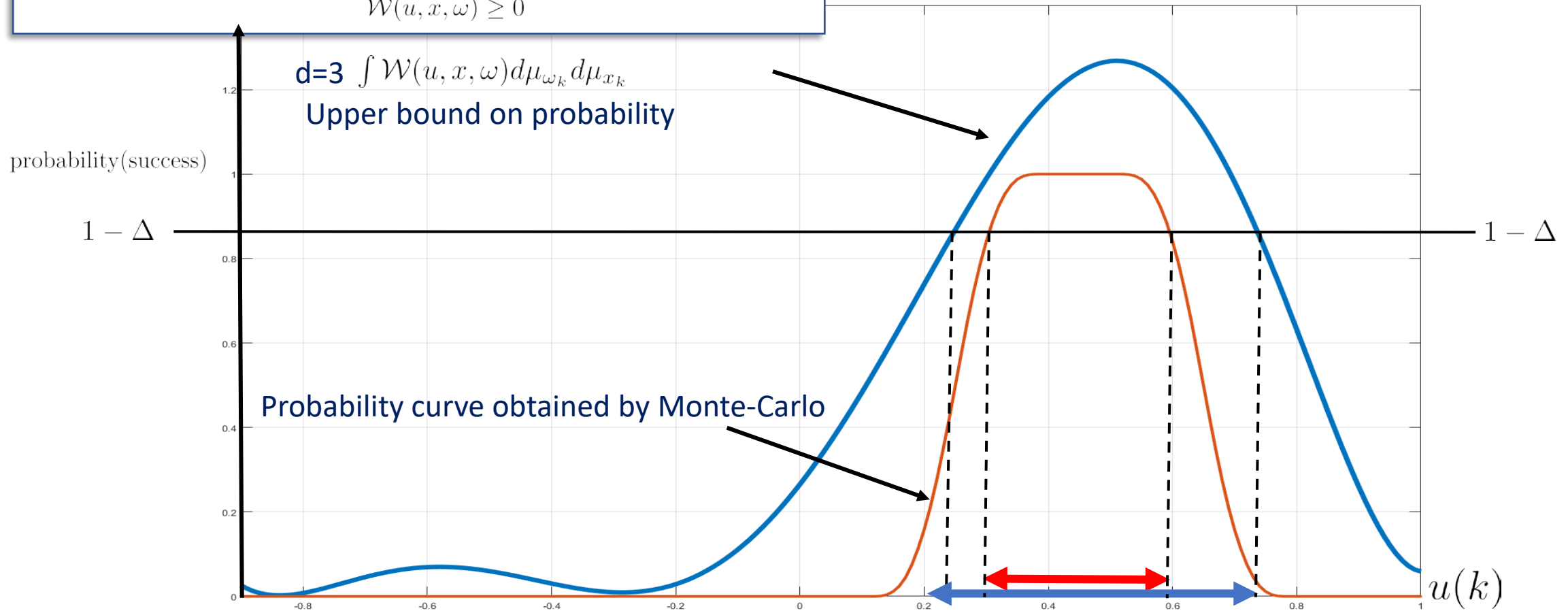
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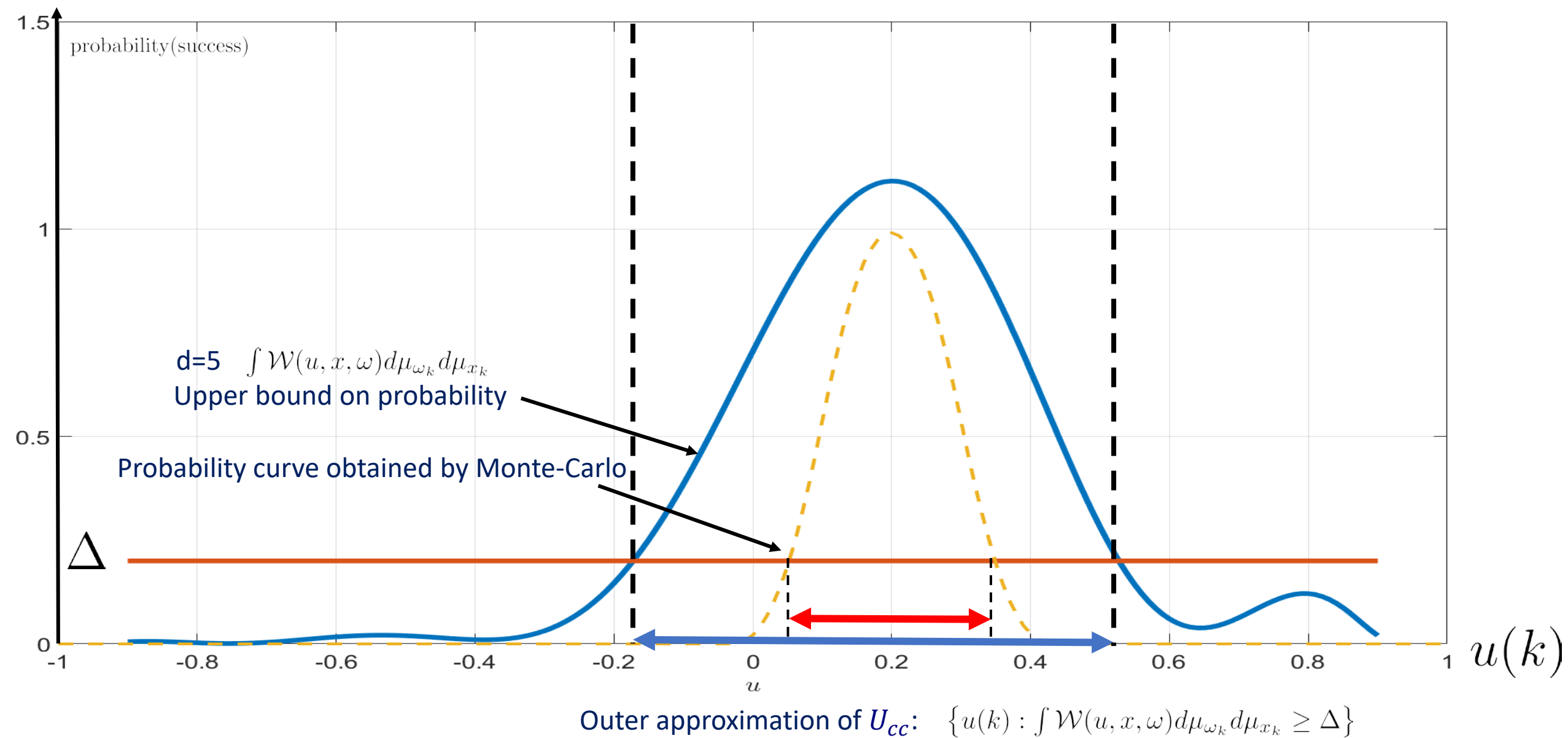
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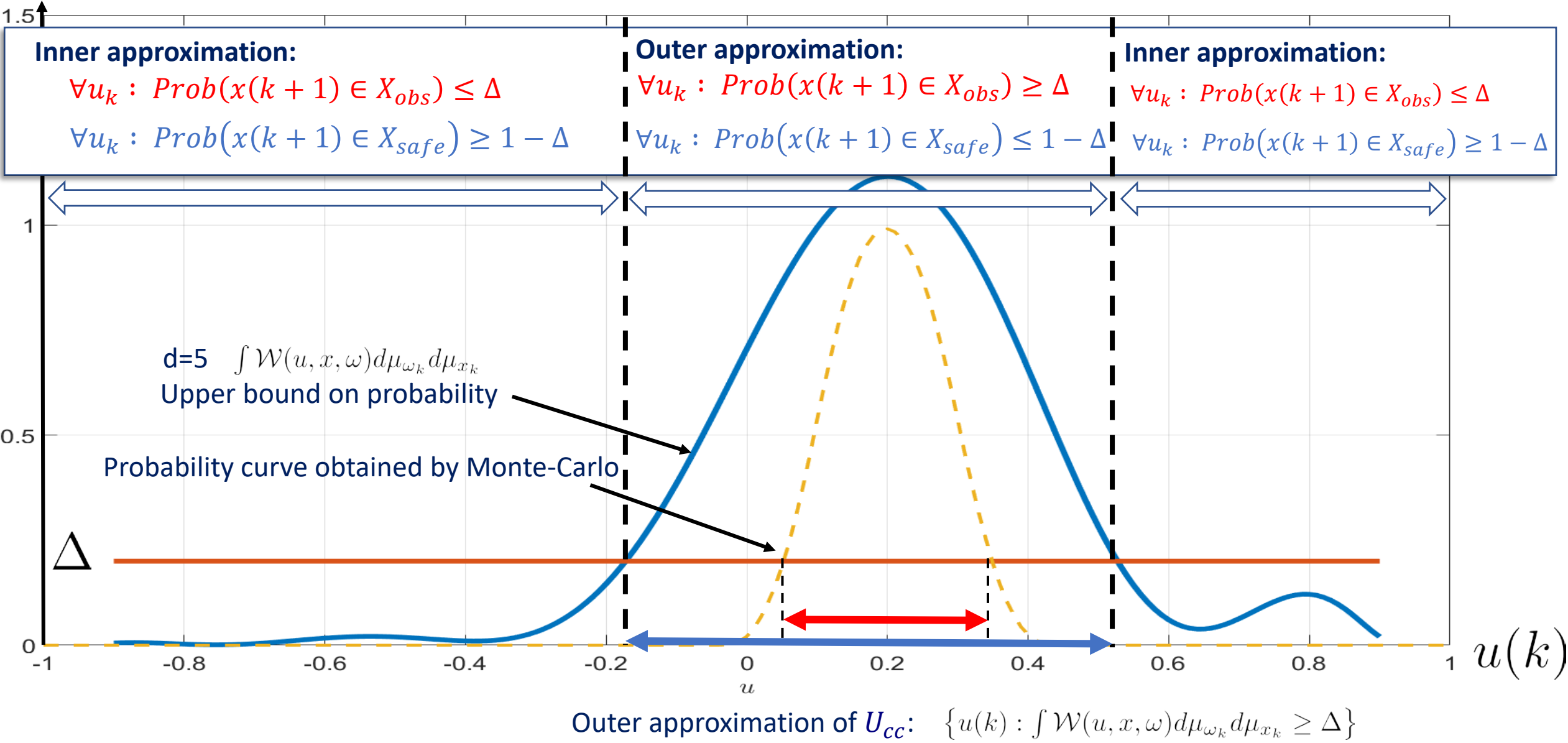
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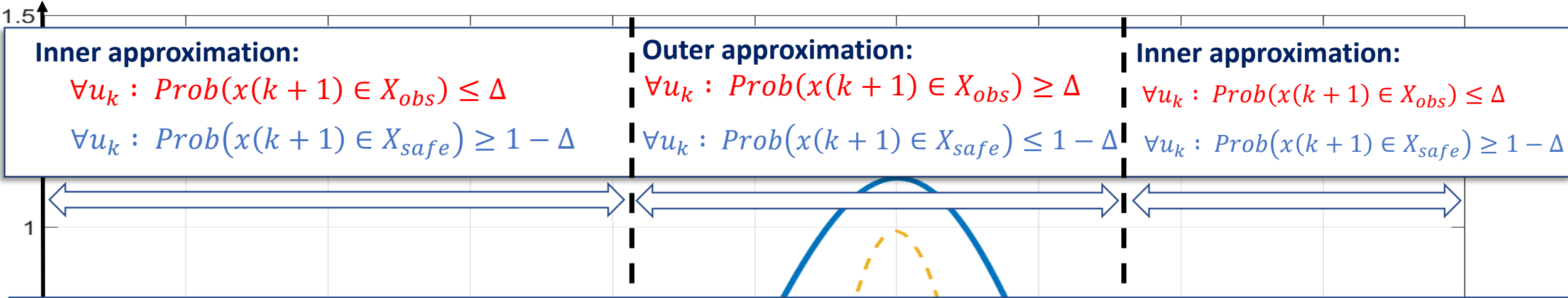
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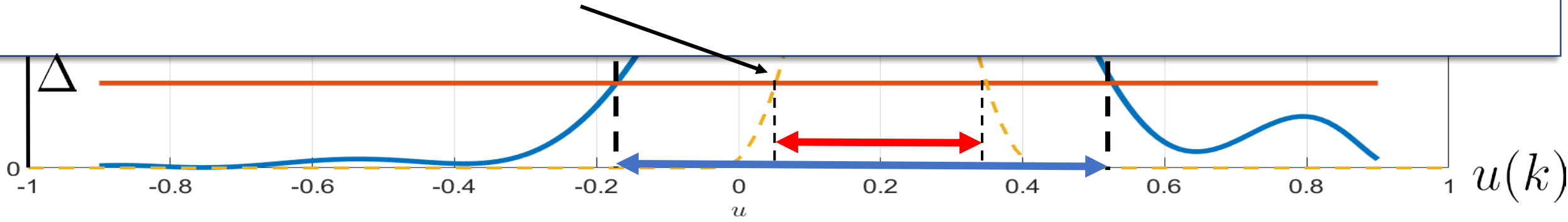
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- By obtaining the inner approximation of the set  $\forall u_k : Prob(x(k+1) \in X_{safe}) \geq 1 - \Delta$ , in the next step, we just need to solve a deterministic control problem.
- We need to design a deterministic controller that respects the obtained constraint.



Outer approximation of  $U_{cc} : \{u(k) : \int \mathcal{W}(u, x, \omega) d\mu_{\omega_k} d\mu_{x_k} \geq \Delta\}$

## Topics

- Formulation of Chance Optimization and Chance Constrained Optimization
- Geometrical Interpretation
- Challenges
- Moment Based SDP for Chance Optimization
- Dual of Moment-SDP (Sum-of-Squares Program)
- SOS Based SDP for Chance Constrained Optimization
- Outer and Inner approximations of Chance Constrained Sets

# Inner Approximation of Chance Constrained Sets

# Chance Constrained Set: Inner Approximation

$$\{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : \text{Prob}(\text{Success}) \geq 1 - \Delta\}$$

$$\mathbf{P}_{\text{sos}}^{*\text{d}} = \begin{array}{ll} \text{minimize} & \int \mathcal{W}(x, \omega) d\mu_\omega dx \\ \text{subject to} & \mathcal{W}(x, \omega) - 1 \geq 0 \quad \forall (x, \omega) \in \mathcal{K} \\ & \mathcal{W}(x, \omega) \geq 0 \end{array}$$

polynomial  $\mathcal{W}(x, \omega) =$  Upper bound of  $\mathbf{I}_\omega(x)$   
 $\int \mathcal{W}(x, \omega) d\mu_\omega =$  Upper bound of probability for design variable  $x$

**Outer approximation :**  $\chi_{cc} = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : \int \mathcal{W}(x, \omega) d\mu_\omega \geq 1 - \Delta\}$

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➤ We can apply same methodology to the **failure set**

$$\{x : \mathbb{R}^n : Prob(failure) \leq \Delta\} \xrightarrow{\text{Outer approximation:}} \chi_{cc} = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : \int \mathcal{W}(x, \omega) d\mu_\omega \leq \Delta\}$$



# Chance Constrained Set: Inner Approximation

$$\{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : Prob(Success) \geq 1 - \Delta\}$$

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Inner approximation of  $\{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : Prob(Success) \geq 1 - \Delta\}$

## Chance Constrained Set

- We need to find the “**outer**” approximation of the set of design parameters that results in failure
- We need to find the “**inner**” approximation of the set of design parameters that results in success.

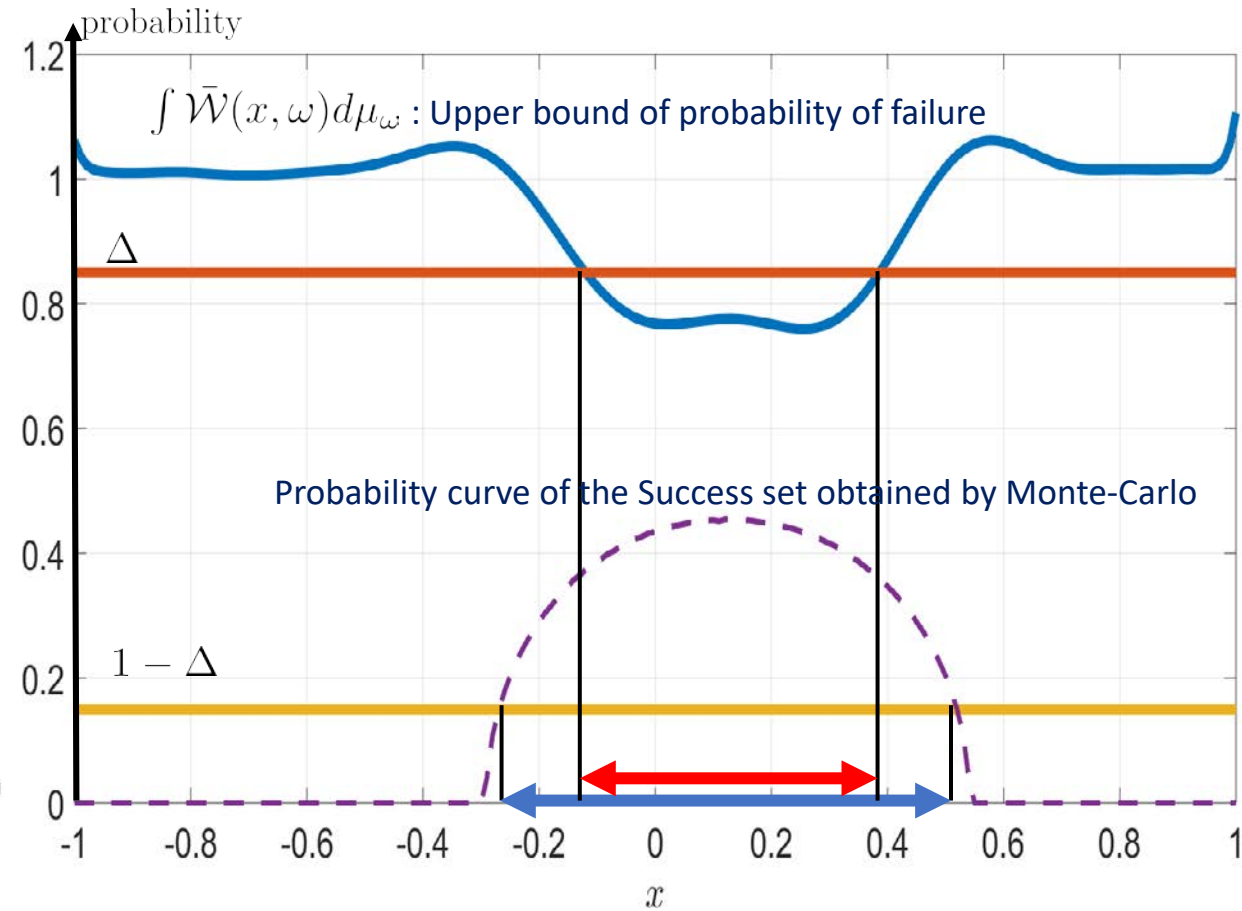
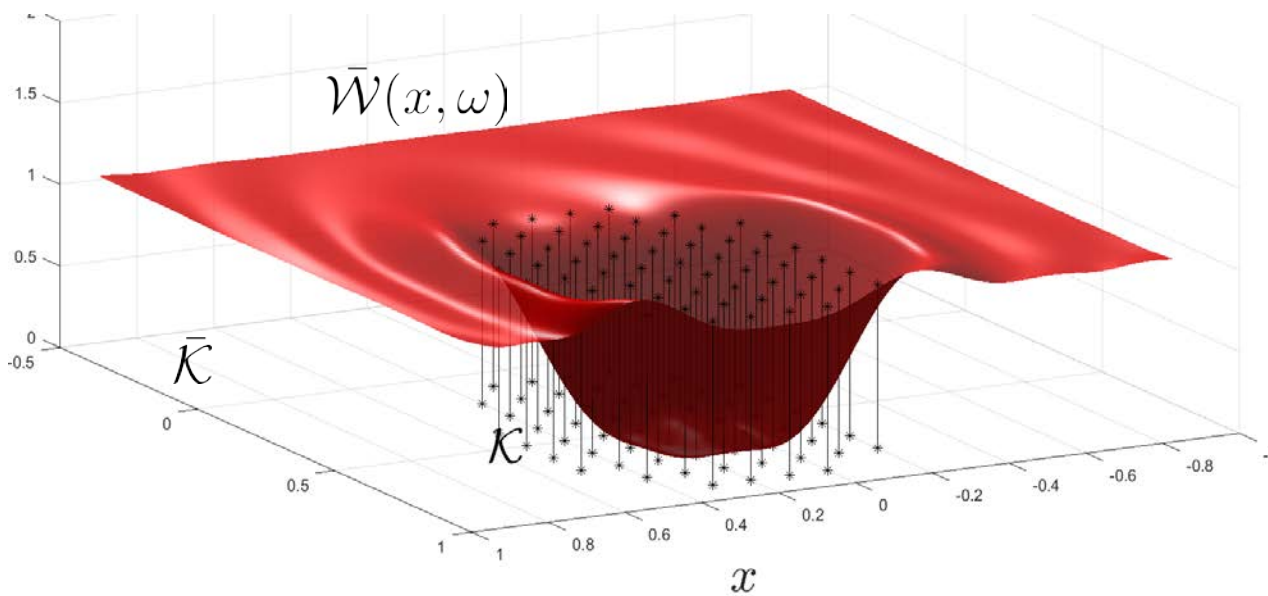
# Example: Inner approximation

$$\mathcal{K} = \{(x, \omega) : p(x, \omega) = (0.8x - 0.1)^4 - 0.27\omega((0.8x - 0.1)^2 + 0.3\omega^2) + 0.3\omega^2(0.8x - 0.1)^2 + 0.09\omega^4 \geq 0\}$$

$$\omega \sim \text{Uniform}[-1, 1] \quad \{x : \text{Prob}(\text{Success}) \geq 1 - \Delta\}$$

$$\mathbf{P}_{\text{sos}}^{*d} = \begin{aligned} & \text{minimize} && \int \bar{W}(x, \omega) d\mu_\omega dx \\ & \text{subject to} && \bar{W}(x, \omega) - 1 \geq 0 \quad \forall (x, \omega) \in \bar{\mathcal{K}} \\ & && \bar{W}(x, \omega) \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

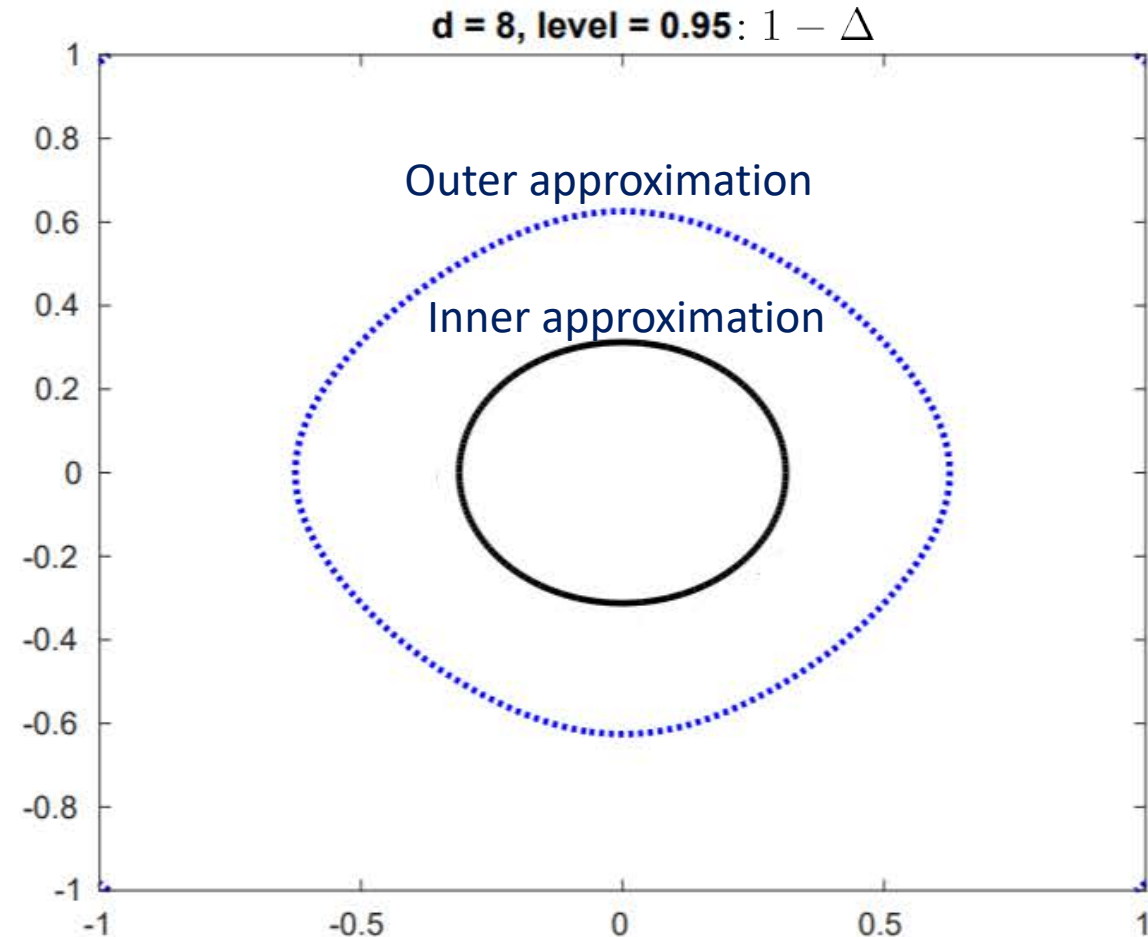
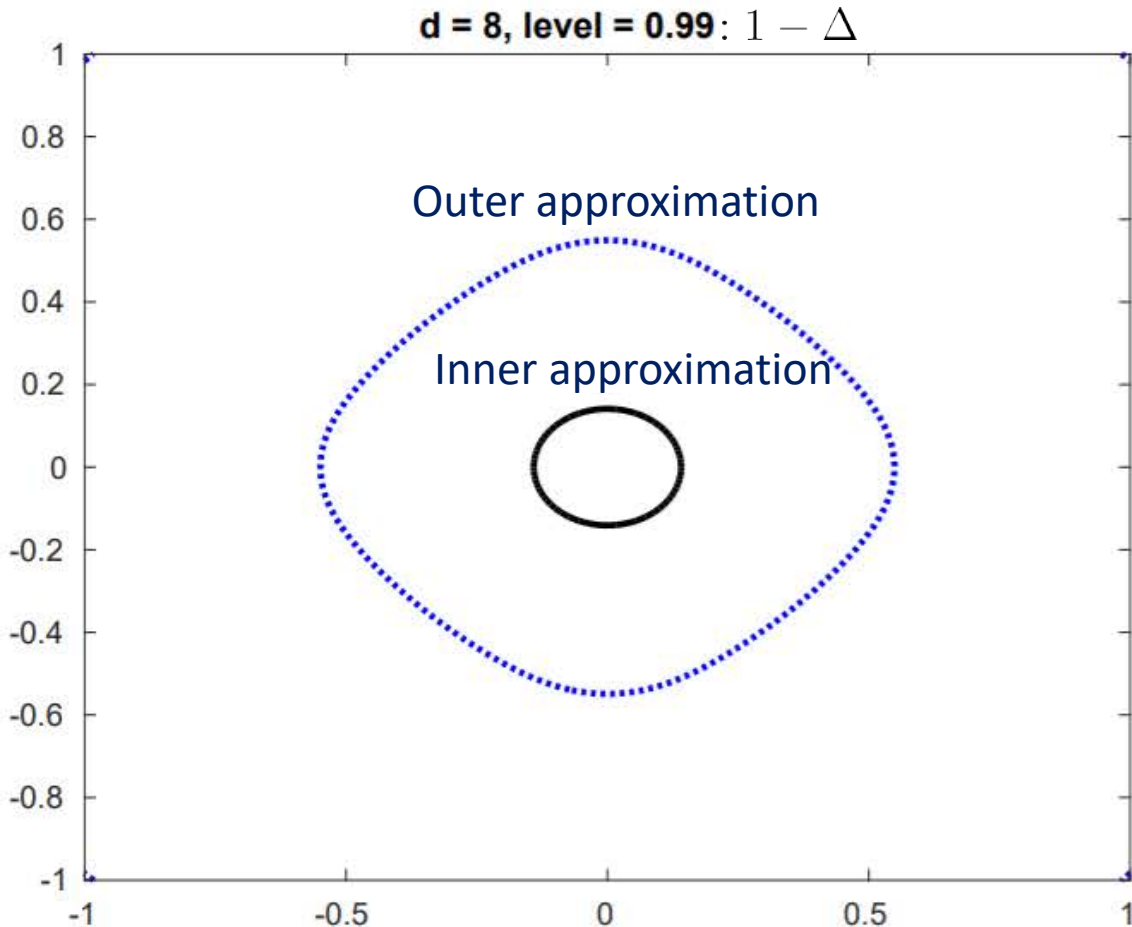
Complement Set



Inner approximation of  $\{x : \text{Prob}(\text{Success}) \geq 1 - \Delta\}$ :  $\chi_{cc} = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : \int \bar{W}(x, \omega) d\mu_\omega \geq 1 - \Delta\}$

## Example: Probabilistic Safety Constraints

$$\chi_{cc} = \{(x_1, x_2) : Prob(\{1 - x_1^2 - x_2^2 - \omega^2 \geq 0\}) \geq 1 - \Delta\}$$



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# Summary

## Chance Optimization

$$\mathbf{P}^* = \underset{x \in \mathbb{R}^n}{\text{maximize}} \quad \text{Probability}_{\text{pr}(\omega)}( p_i(x, \omega) \geq 0, i = 1, \dots, n_p )$$

subject to  $g_i(x) \geq 0, i = 1, \dots, n_g$

## Moment Relaxation (SDP)

$$\mathbf{P}_{\text{mom}}^{*d} := \underset{y, y_x}{\text{maximize}} \quad y_0$$

s.t.  $M_d(\mathbf{y}) \succcurlyeq 0, M_{d-d_{p_j}}(p_j y) \succcurlyeq 0, j = 1, \dots, n_p$   
 $M_d(y_x) \succcurlyeq 0, M_{d-d_{g_i}}(g_i y) \succcurlyeq 0, i = 1, \dots, n_g, y_{x_0} = 1$   
 $M_d(y_\omega \times y_x - y) \succcurlyeq 0$

$$d_{g_i} = \lceil \frac{\deg(g_i(x))}{2} \rceil \quad d_{p_i} = \lceil \frac{\deg(p_i(x))}{2} \rceil$$

$2d \geq \max(\deg(p_i(x)), \deg(g_i(x)))$

- As  $d \rightarrow \infty$   $\mathbf{P}_{\text{mom}}^{*d} \downarrow \mathbf{P}^*$
- Finite SDP of order  $d$ :  $\mathbf{P}_{\text{mom}}^{*d}$  is upper bound of  $\mathbf{P}^*$ 
  - If obtained solution  $y_x^*$  satisfies rank condition  $\text{Rank } M_d(y_x^*) = \text{Rank } M_{d-v}(y_x^*) = r$   $v = \max\{d_{g_i}\}$   
 $x_i^*, i = 1, \dots, r$ , global solutions can be extracted by linear algebra from  $y_x^*$
  - Otherwise, increase  $d$  and solve new SDP.

# Chance Constrained Optimization

$$\begin{aligned} & \underset{x \in \mathbb{R}^n}{\text{minimize}} && p(x) \\ & \text{subject to} && \text{Probability}_{\text{pr}(\omega)}(g_i(x, \omega) \geq 0, i = 1, \dots, n_g) \geq 1 - \Delta \end{aligned}$$

Deterministic Opt



$$\begin{aligned} & \underset{x \in \mathbb{R}^n}{\text{minimize}} && p(x) \\ & \text{subject to} && x \in \chi_{cc} \end{aligned}$$

## SOS Programing for Chance Constrained Set

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{P}_{\text{sos}}^{*d} = & \underset{\beta \in \mathbb{R}, \mathcal{W}(x, \omega) \in \mathbb{R}_d[x, \omega]}{\text{minimize}} && \int \mathcal{W}(x, \omega) d\mu_\omega dx \\ & \text{subject to} && \mathcal{W}(x, \omega) - 1 \geq 0 \quad \forall (x, \omega) \in \mathcal{K} \\ & && \mathcal{W}(x, \omega) \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

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**Chance Constrained Set**  $\{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : \text{Probability}(\text{Success}) \geq 1 - \Delta\}$

- **Outer approximation :**

$$\chi_{cc} = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : \int \mathcal{W}(x, \omega) d\mu_\omega \geq 1 - \Delta\}$$

- As polynomial order  $d \rightarrow \infty$

$\chi_{cc}$  Converges to the true chance constrained set

- **Inner approximation :**

$$\bar{\chi}_{cc} = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : \int \bar{\mathcal{W}}(x, \omega) d\mu_\omega \leq \Delta\}$$

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# Appendix I:

## Chance Optimization and Measure-LP

- We rewrite the chance optimization as a standard nonlinear optimization as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
 P^* = & \underset{x \in \mathbb{R}^n}{\text{maximize}} && F(x) \\
 & \text{subject to} && g_i(x) \geq 0, \quad i = 1, \dots, n_g
 \end{aligned}$$

where  $F(x) = \text{Probability}_{\text{pr}(\omega)}(p_i(x, \omega) \geq 0, \quad i = 1, \dots, n_p)$

**Case 1:**     ➤  $x^* \in \mathbf{K}$ ,  $F(x^*) = P^*$ : Unique global optimal solution of the original problem.

**Case 2:**     ➤  $x^{*i} \in \mathbf{K}$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, r$ ,  $F(x^{*i}) = P^*$ :  $r$  global optimal solution of the original problem.

- Equivalent LP in measures (similar to measure-LP of nonlinear optimization problems, Lecture 4, page 41)

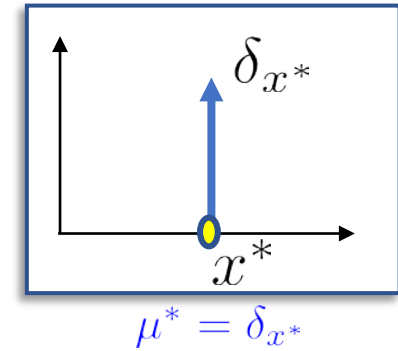
$$\begin{aligned}
 P_{\mu}^* = & \underset{x \in \mathbb{R}^n}{\text{maximize}} && \mathbb{E}_{\mu_x}[F(x)] \\
 & \text{subject to} && \int d\mu_x = 1 \\
 & && \text{supp}(\mu_x) \subset \chi = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : g_i(x) \geq 0, \quad i = 1, \dots, n_g\}
 \end{aligned}$$

# Dirac Measures

➤ Optimal solutions in measure space are Dirac measures.

➤  $x^* \in \mathbf{K}$ ,  $F(x^*) = P^*$ : Unique global optimal solution of the original problem.

➤  $\mu^* = \delta_{x^*}$ : Optimal solution of optimization in measures.



$$P_\mu^* = E_\mu[F(x)] = \int F(x) \delta_{x^*} dx = F(x^*) = P^* \implies P^* = P_\mu^*$$

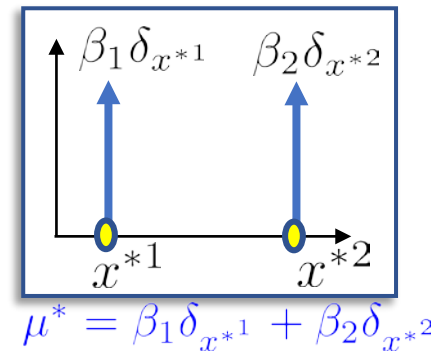
➤  $x^{*i} \in \mathbf{K}$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, r$ ,  $F(x^{*i}) = P^*$ :  $r$  global optimal solution of the original problem.

➤  $\mu^* = \sum_{i=1}^r \beta_i \delta_{x^{*i}}$ ,  $\beta_i > 0$ ,  $\sum_{i=1}^r \beta_i = 1$ : Optimal solution of optimization in measures. ( $r$ -atomic measure)

$$y_0 = 1 \rightarrow y_0 = \sum_{i=1}^r \beta_i (x^{*i})^0 \rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^r \beta_i = 1$$

$$P_\mu^* = E_\mu[F(x)] = \int F(x) d\mu^*$$

$$= \int F(x) \left( \sum_{i=1}^r \beta_i \delta_{x^{*i}} \right) dx = \sum_{i=1}^r \beta_i \left( \int F(x) \delta_{x^{*i}} \right) dx = \sum_{i=1}^r \beta_i F(x^{*i}) = \sum_{i=1}^r \beta_i P^* = P^*$$



# Appendix II: Dual Optimization of Measure LP

**Primal Conic Program**

$$P^* = \underset{x}{\text{minimize}} \quad \langle c, x \rangle_{V_1}$$

$$\text{subject to} \quad A^*(x) = b$$

$$x \in K^*.$$

**Dual Conic Program**

$$D^* = \underset{y,s}{\text{maximize}} \quad \langle y, b \rangle_{V_2}$$

$$\text{subject to} \quad c - A(y) = s$$

$$s \in K.$$

**LP in Measure**

$$P_\mu^* := \underset{\mu}{\text{maximize}} \int d\mu,$$

$$\text{s.t.} \quad \mu \preceq \mu_x \times \mu_\omega$$

$$\mu_x \text{ is a probability measure}$$

$$\text{supp}(\mu_x) \subset \chi, \quad \text{supp}(\mu) \subset \mathcal{K}$$

**Dual**

$$\underset{\beta, \mathcal{W}(x, \omega)}{\text{minimize}} \quad \beta$$

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Success set

Space of uncertainty  
 $\omega \in \Omega$

Space of design parameters  
 $x \in \chi$

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$$P^* = \underset{x}{\text{minimize}} \quad \langle c, x \rangle_{V_1} \longrightarrow \langle c, x \rangle_{V_1} = \left\langle - \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \mu \\ \mu_s \\ \mu_x \end{bmatrix} \right\rangle_{V_1}$$

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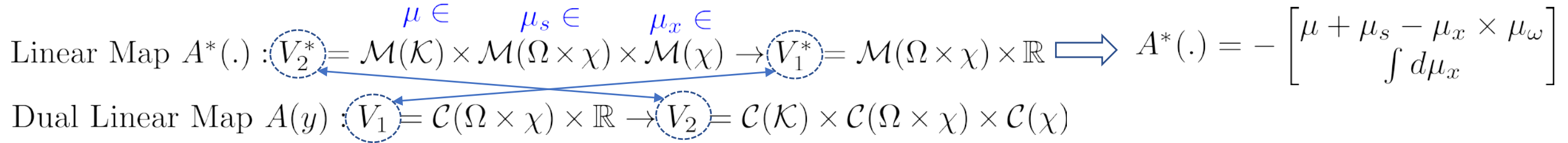
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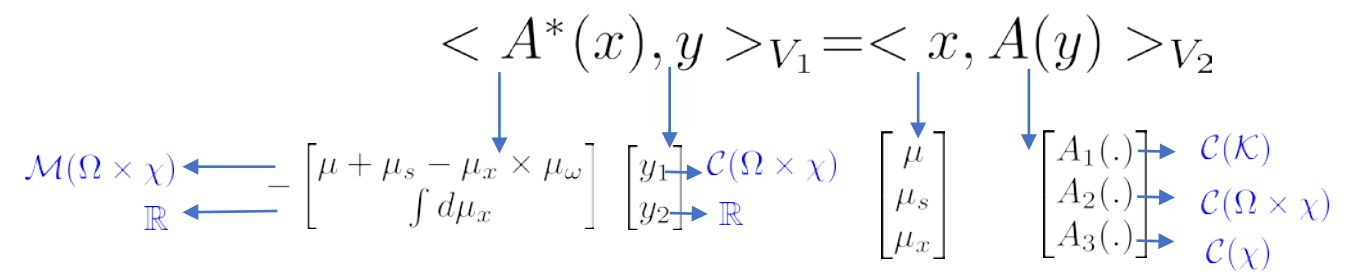
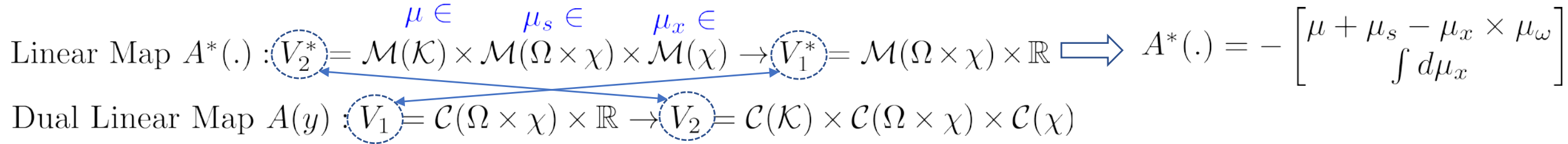
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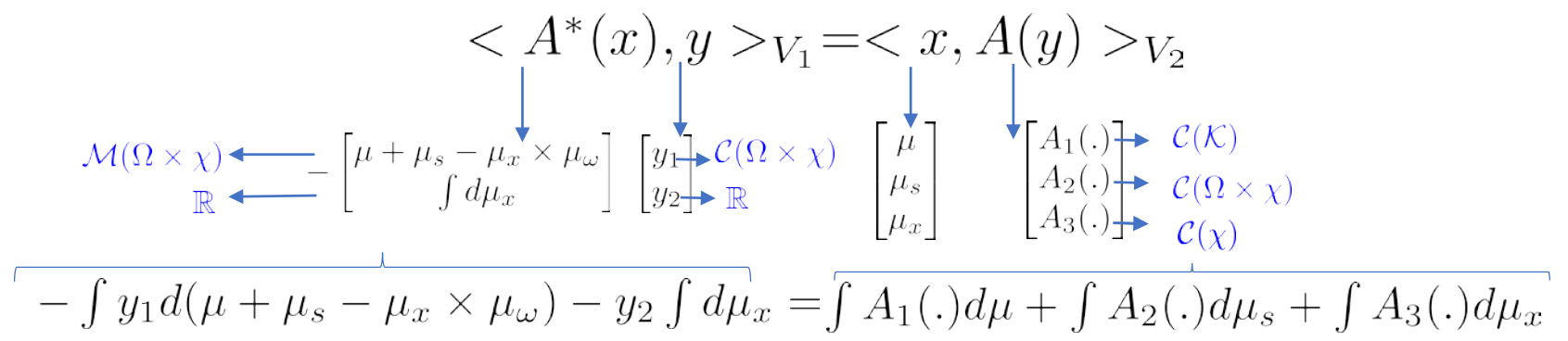
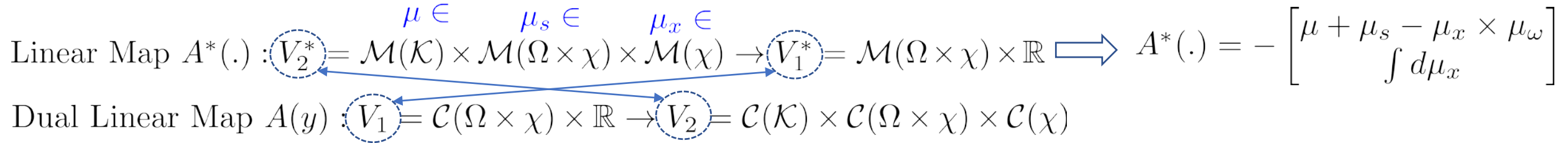
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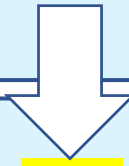
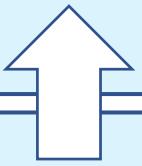
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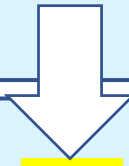
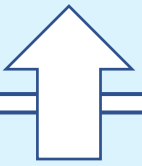
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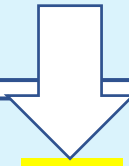
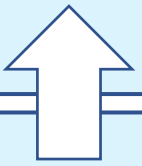
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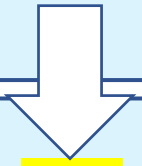
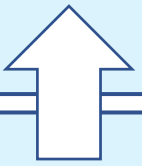
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