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- ▶ Countable
- ▶ Countably infinite.
- ▶ Enumeration

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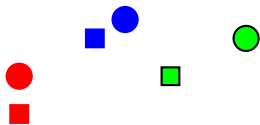
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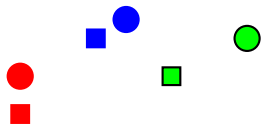
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Is one bigger or smaller?

Same size?

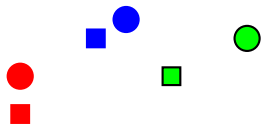


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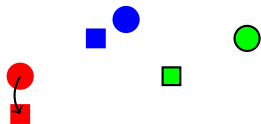
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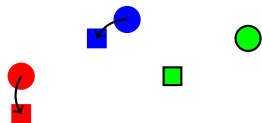


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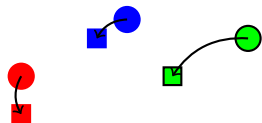
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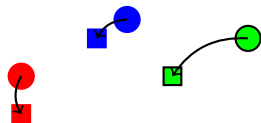
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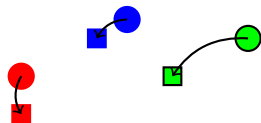
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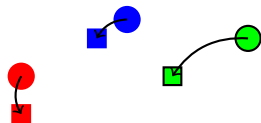
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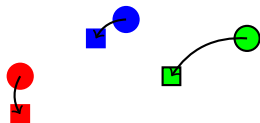
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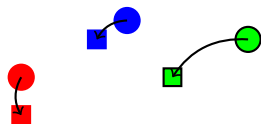
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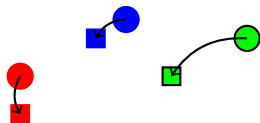
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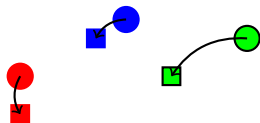
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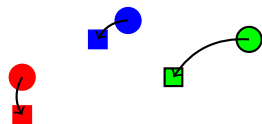
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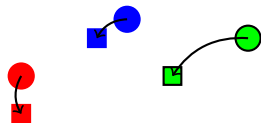
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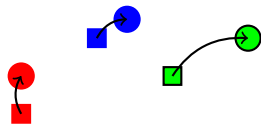


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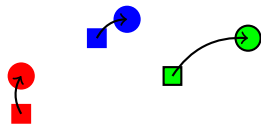
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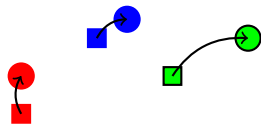
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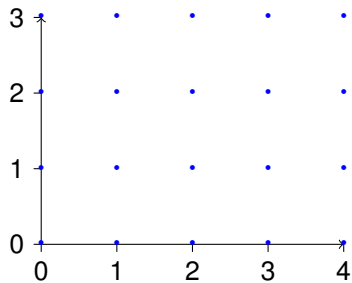
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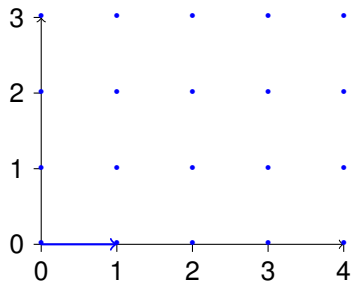
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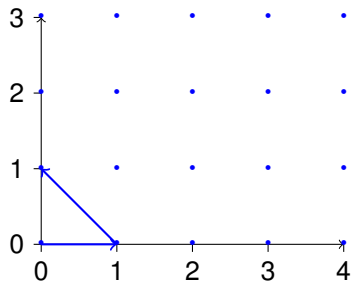
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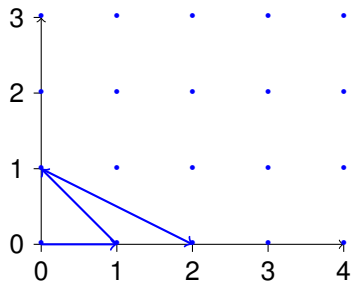
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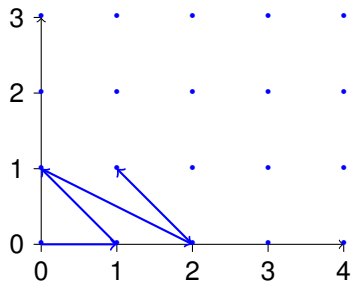
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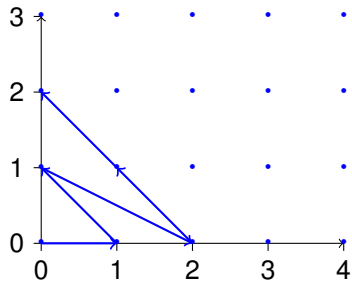
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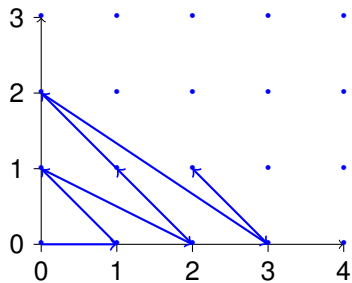
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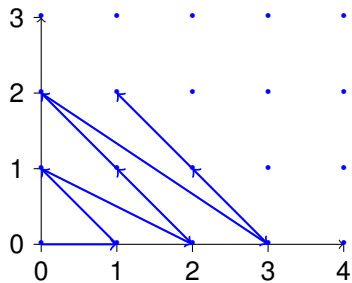
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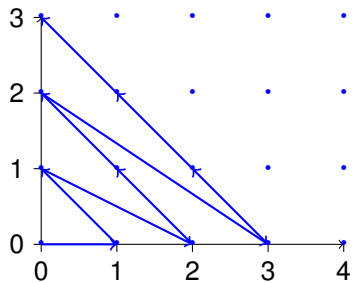
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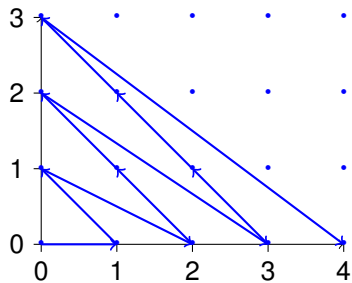
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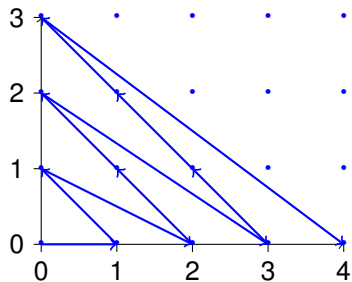
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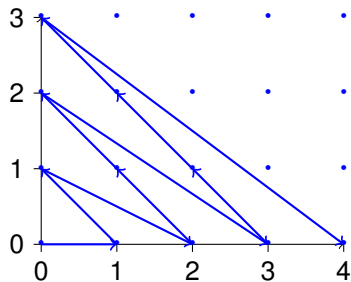


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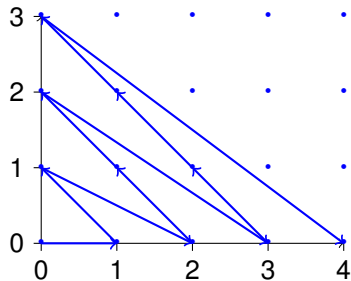


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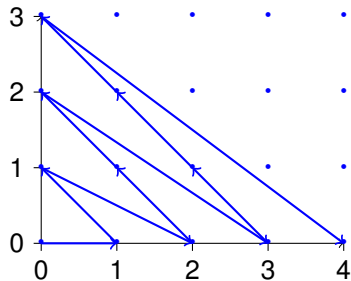
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