

Some results on the computational complexity of noisy dynamical systems

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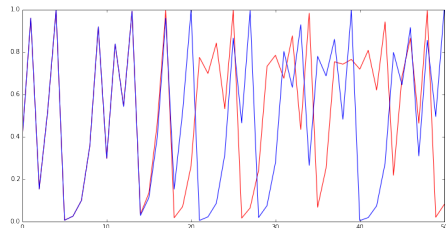


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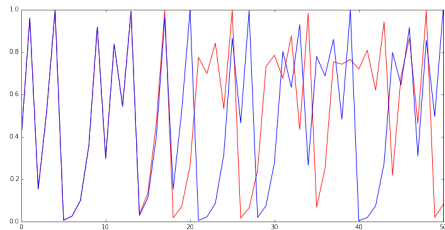


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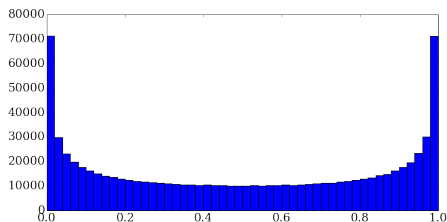


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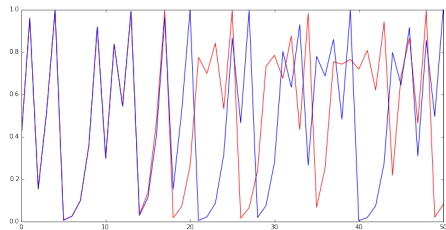


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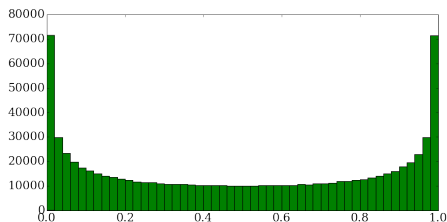


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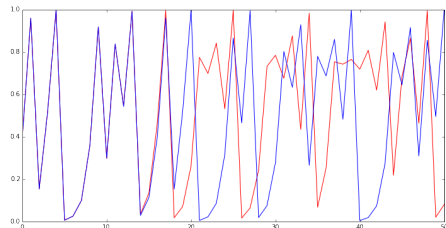


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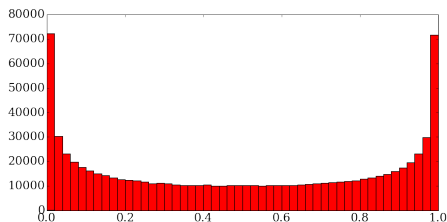


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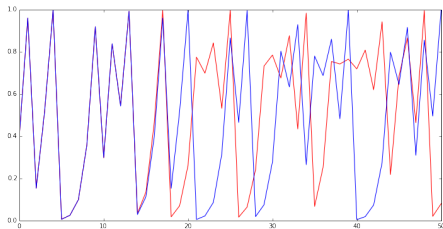


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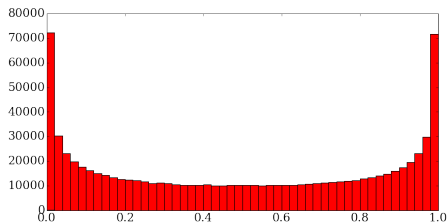


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Given $\mu \in \mathcal{M}(X)$ the **push forward** is defined by

$$(S_t\mu)(A) = \int_X P_t(A|x) d\mu$$

μ is invariant if $S_t\mu = \mu$ for all $t > 0$.

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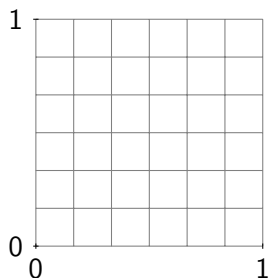
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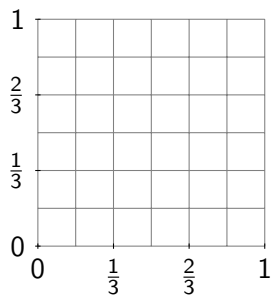
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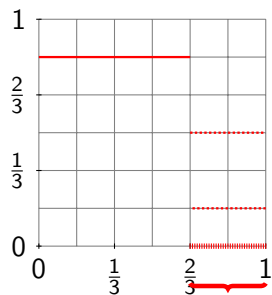
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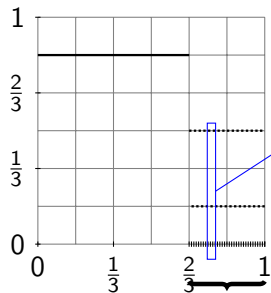


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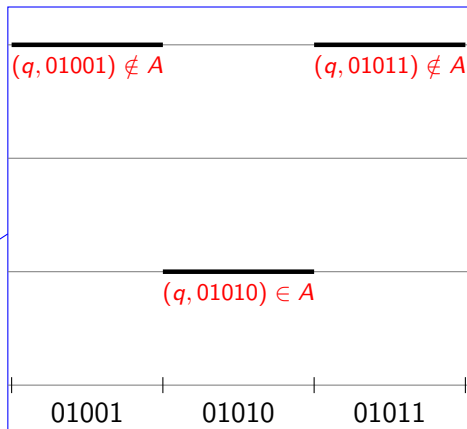
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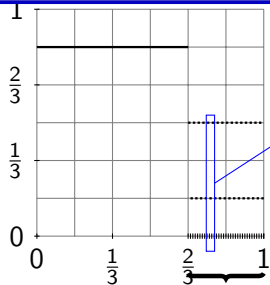
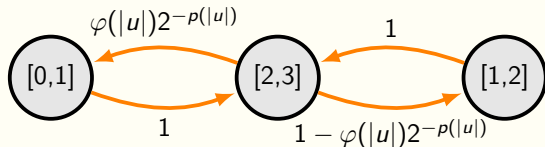


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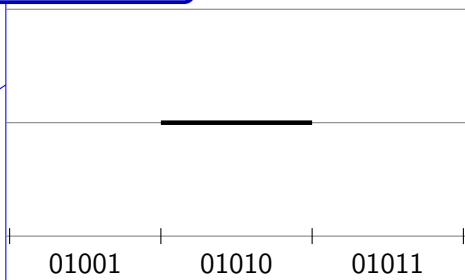


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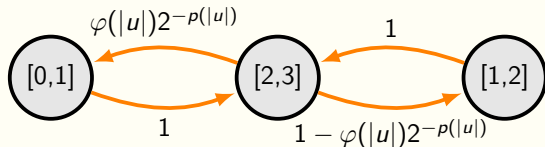
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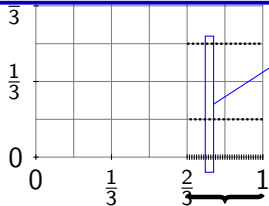
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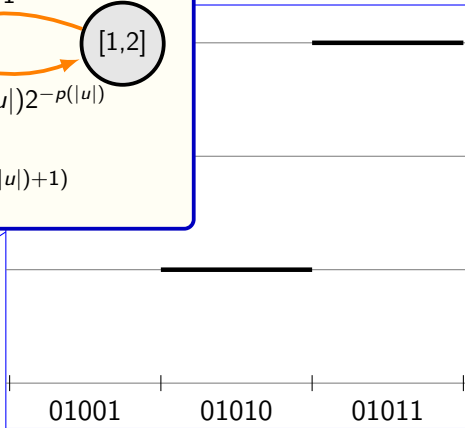
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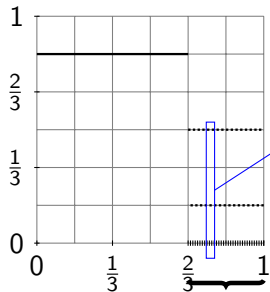


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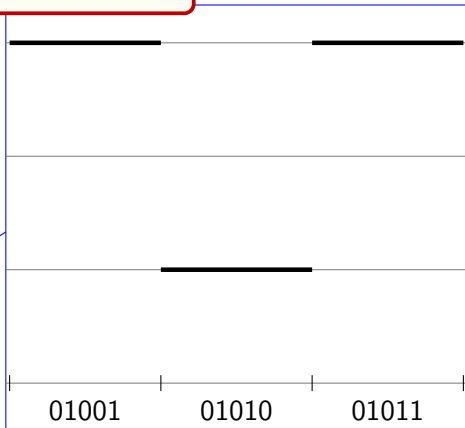
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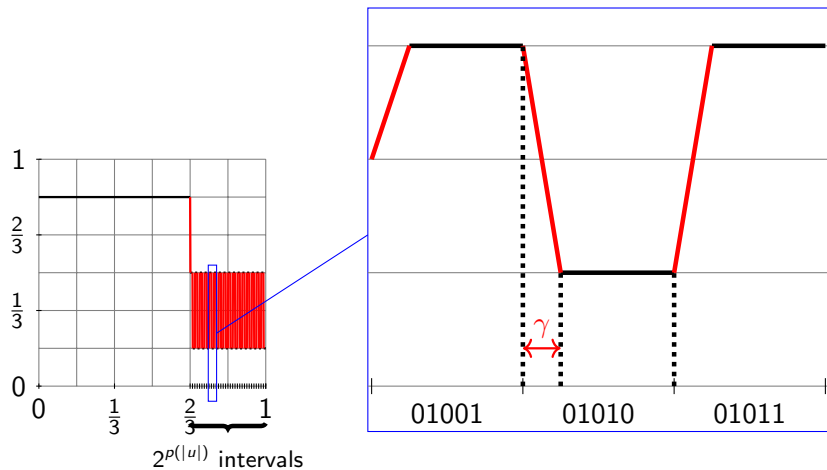
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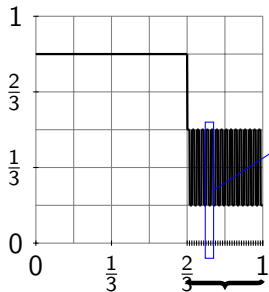


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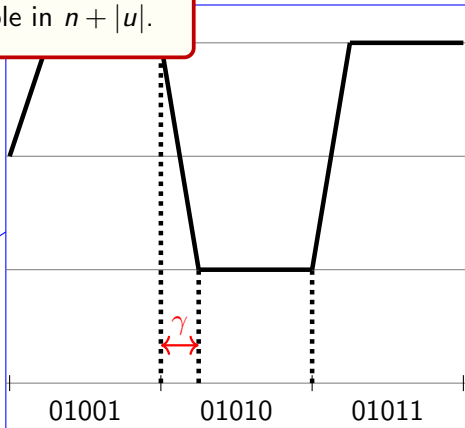
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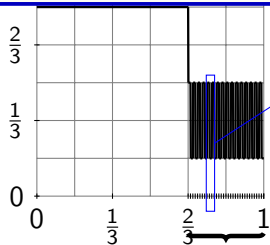
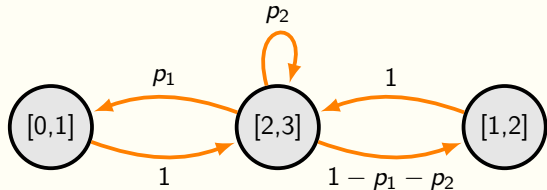
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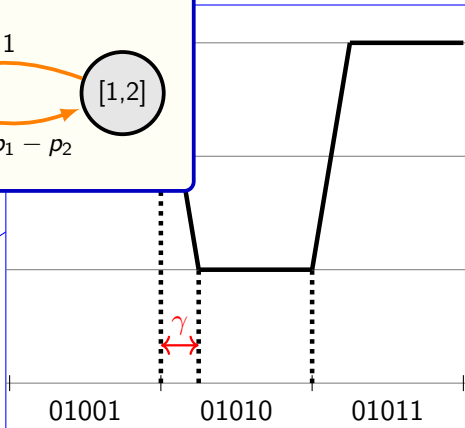
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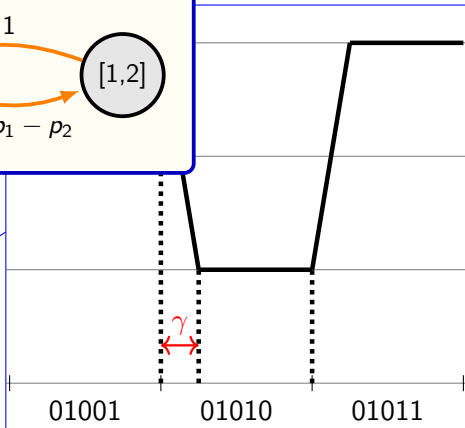
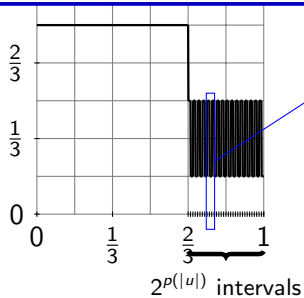
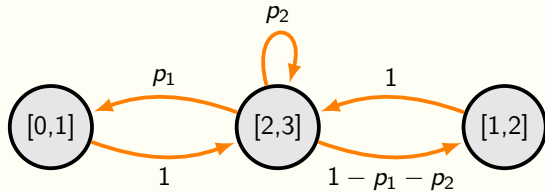
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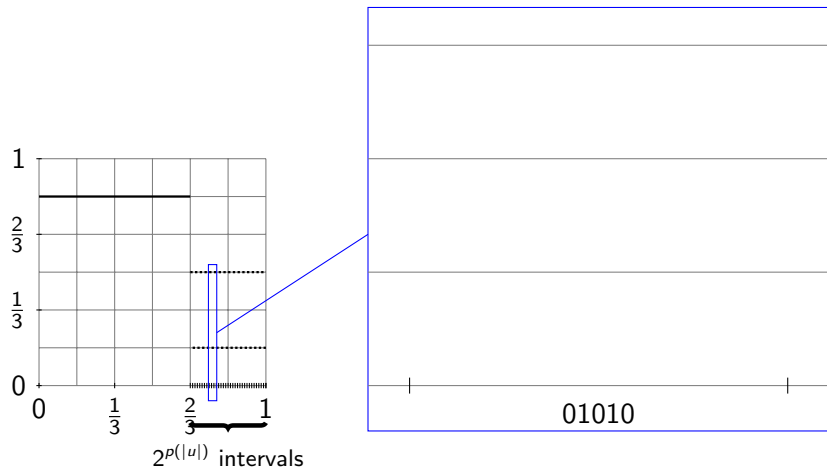
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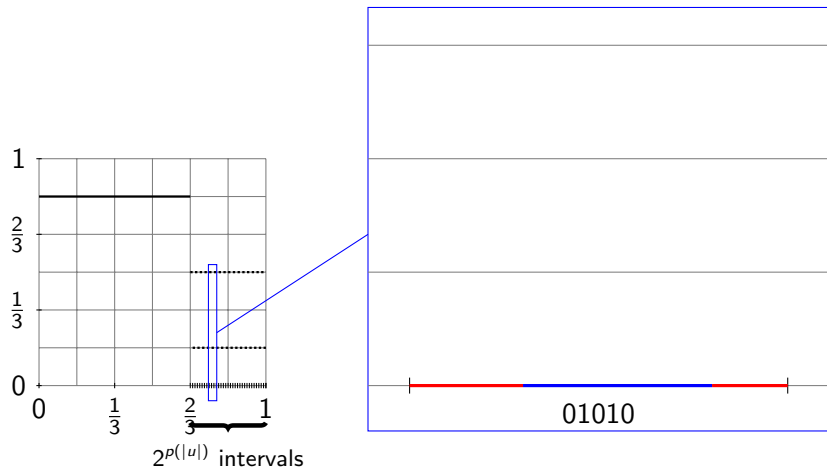


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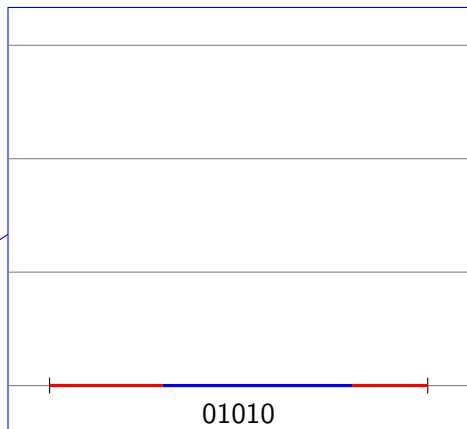
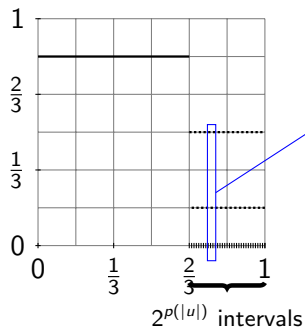
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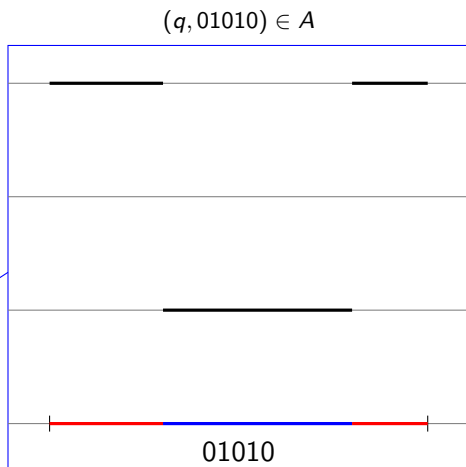
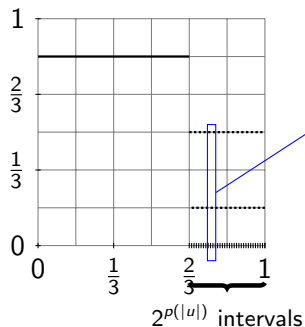
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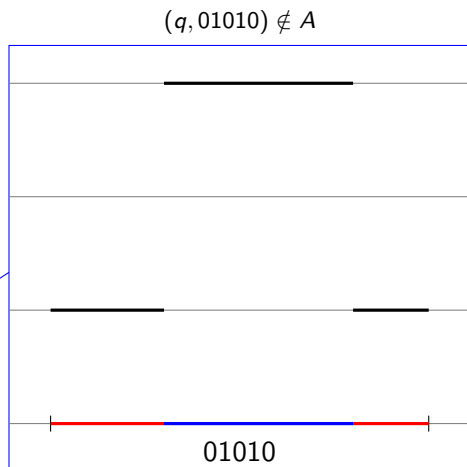
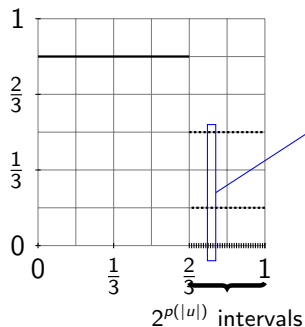
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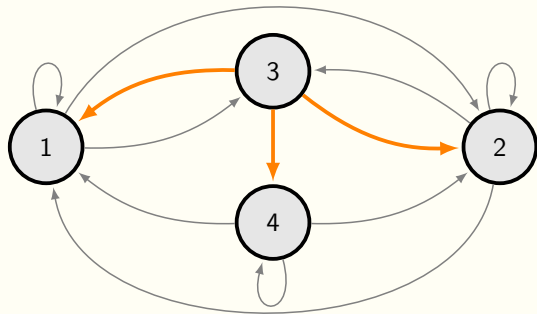
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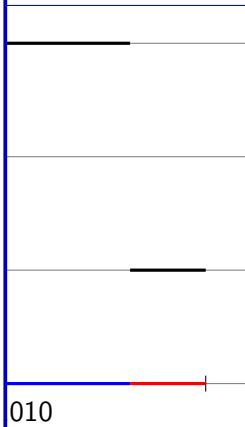
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