# Upper Bound for Monoidal Topological Complexity

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Cor. If W is a finite wedge of spheres of positive dimensions, we have  $\operatorname{tc}^{\mathcal{M}}(W) = \operatorname{tc}(W)$ .

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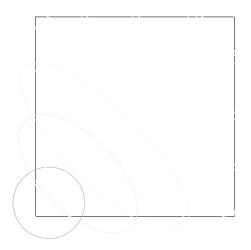
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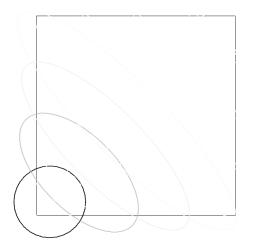
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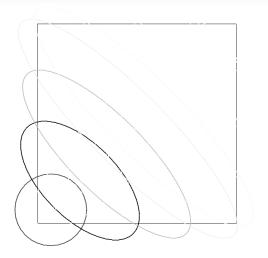
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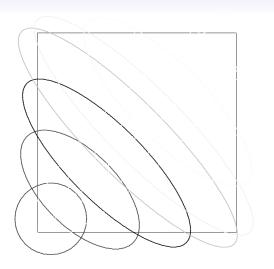
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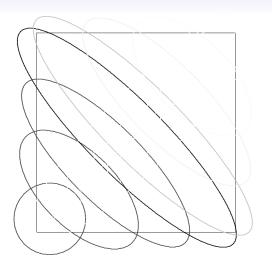
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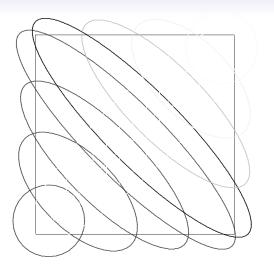


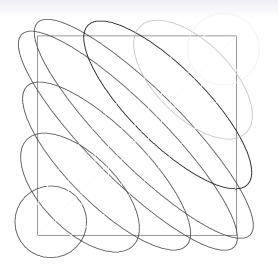


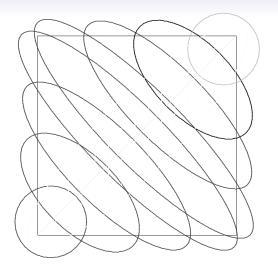


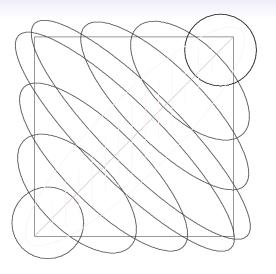




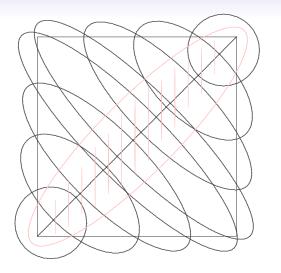




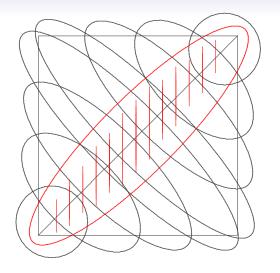




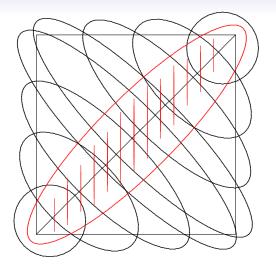
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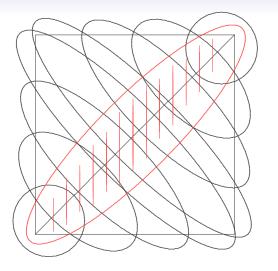


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