

Proof interpretations:
what they are and what they are good for

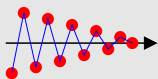
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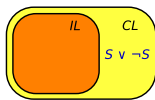
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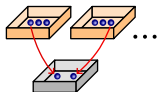
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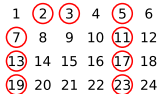
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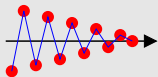
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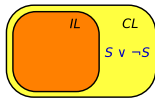


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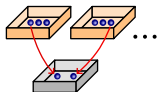
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- Has axioms like "two distinct points determine a line"



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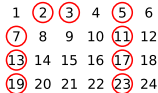
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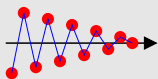
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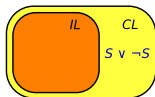


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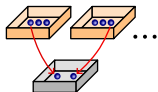
- Talks about $0, 1, 2, \dots$ and $+, \times$
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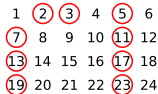
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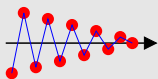
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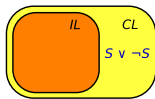
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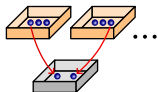
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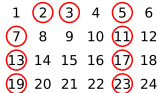
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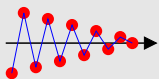
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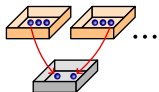


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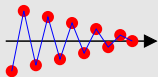
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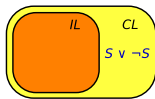
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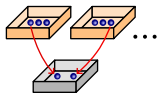
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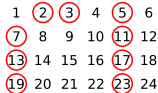
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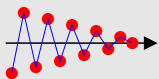
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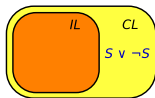
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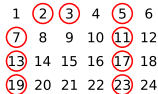
$T_2 = IL$

$I =$ negative translation

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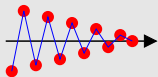
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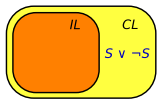
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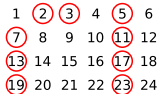
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IL proves $S \rightsquigarrow$ program
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 $x, f \mapsto f(x)$

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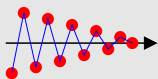
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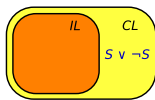
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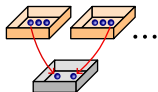
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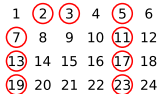
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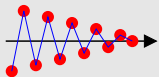
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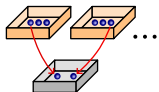
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$T_1 = ZF + \exists S \text{ infinite } S \approx S \times S$
 $T_2 = ZF + AC$
 $I = \text{classical realisability}$

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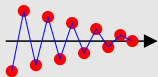
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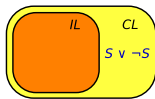
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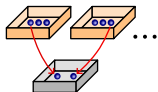
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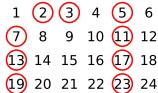
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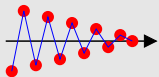
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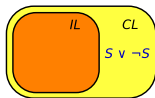
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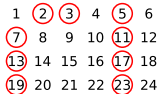
$T_2 = T_1$

$I =$ monotone functional interpretation after a negative translation

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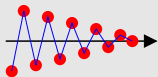
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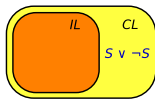
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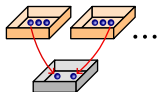
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