

# Abstract geometrical computation with accumulations: beyond the Blum, Shub and Smale model

Jérôme DURAND-LOSE



Laboratoire d'Informatique Fondamentale d'Orléans,  
Université d'Orléans, ORLÉANS, FRANCE

CiE 2008 – Athens, Greece

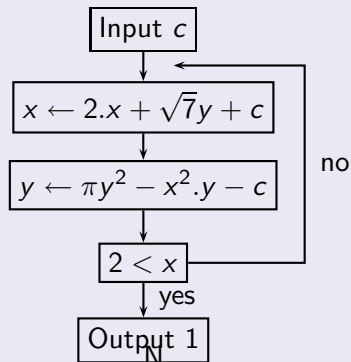
- 1 Introduction and Definitions
- 2 Results
- 3 Accumulations
- 4 Simulation
- 5 Conclusion

- 1 Introduction and Definitions
- 2 Results
- 3 Accumulations
- 4 Simulation
- 5 Conclusion

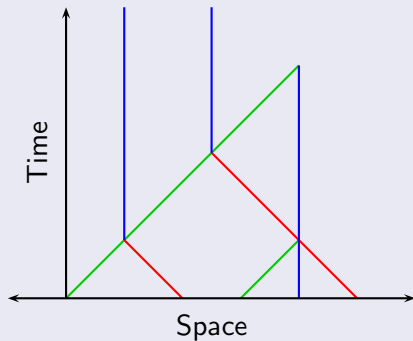
# Context

- Computation on the continuum
  - Analog models
- 
- No consensus on an *analog Turing thesis*
  - Relating various models
- 
- Blum, Shub and Smale model on  $\mathbb{R}$   
[Blum, Shub, and Smale, 1989]  
[Blum, Cucker, Shub, and Smale, 1998]
  - Abstract geometrical computation (AGC)  
[JDL: MCU 04, CiE 05]

## Goal: to relate these

 $\mathbb{R}$ -BSS

## Abstract Geometrical Computation



## Definition: $\mathbb{R}$ -BSS

- Variables hold real numbers
- Computing polynomial functions over the variables
- Branch with  $0 \leq \text{test}$

## Definition: $\mathbb{R}$ -BSS on unbounded sequences

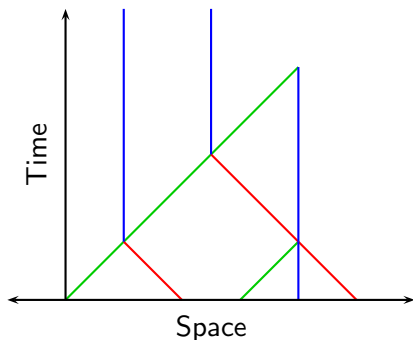
- Variables hold real numbers
- Computing polynomial functions over the variables
- Branch with  $0 \leq \text{test}$

### To handle unbounded number of variables

- Variables ordered in an infinite array
- shift operator

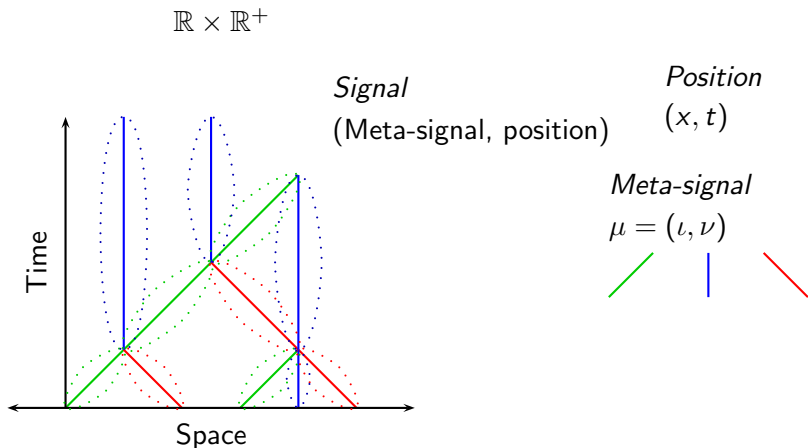
# Definition: Abstract Geometrical Computation and Signal Machines

$$\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}^+$$

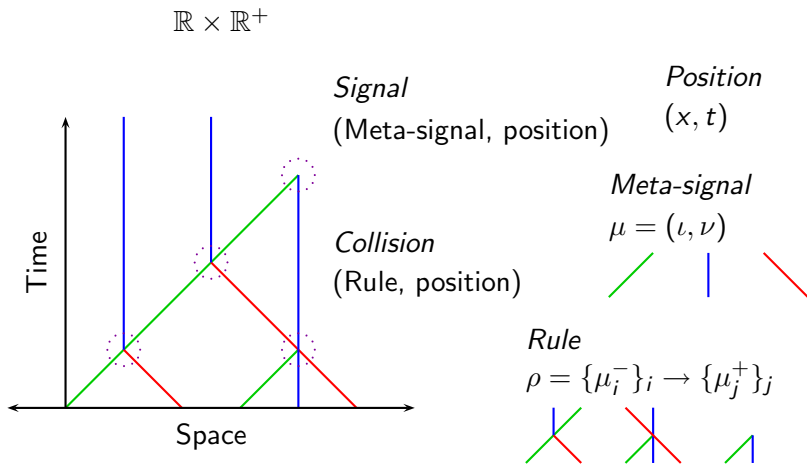




# Definition: Abstract Geometrical Computation and Signal Machines



# Definition: Abstract Geometrical Computation and Signal Machines



- 1 Introduction and Definitions
- 2 Results**
- 3 Accumulations
- 4 Simulation
- 5 Conclusion

## Previous results

[JDL CiE '07]

AGC (without accumulation)

$\Updownarrow$  *simulations in both way*

BSS without inner multiplication

Linear BSS

i.e. multiplication only by constant

## CiE '08 Result

### One step ahead

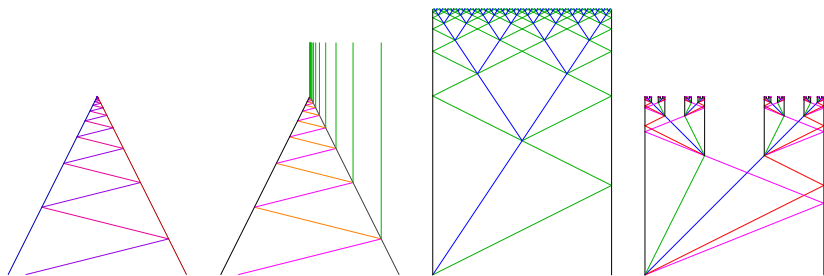
AGC with accumulations

*simulates*

(full) BSS

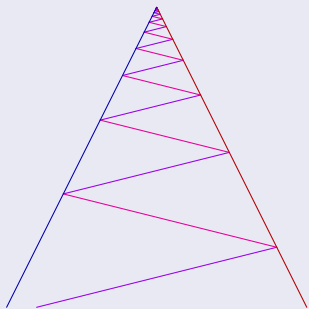
- 1 Introduction and Definitions
- 2 Results
- 3 Accumulations**
- 4 Simulation
- 5 Conclusion

# What can they be?



# What is addressed?

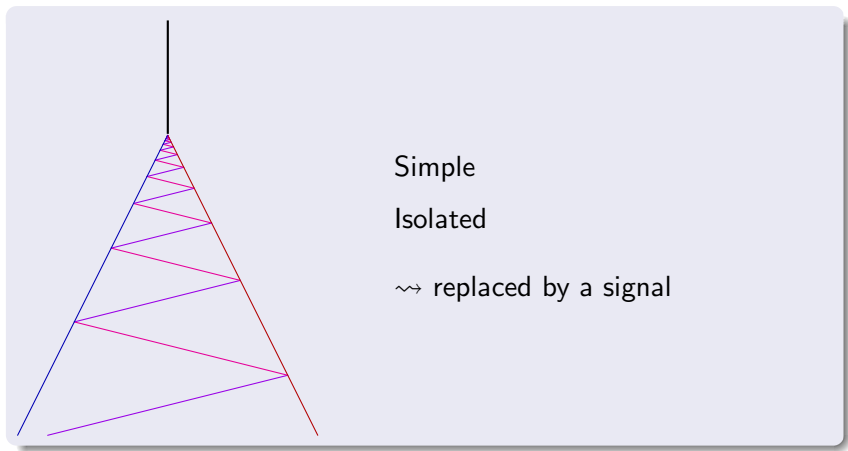
?



Simple  
Isolated



# What is addressed?



- 1 Introduction and Definitions
- 2 Results
- 3 Accumulations
- 4 Simulation**
- 5 Conclusion

# Principle

**Data** ← same as in CiE '07 (recalled)

**Operators** ←  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{add, mul by cte same as in CiE '07} \\ \textit{inner multiplication} \end{array} \right.$

**Control** ← same as in CiE '07

# Real encoding

Continuous space with *no scale*



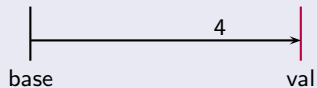
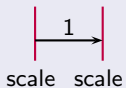
# Real encoding

Continuous space with *no scale*



# Real encoding

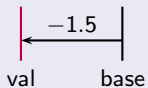
Continuous space with *no scale*



Value: 4

## Real encoding

Continuous space with *no scale*

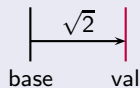


Value: -1.5

All real numbers can be exactly represented

# Real encoding

Continuous space with *no scale*



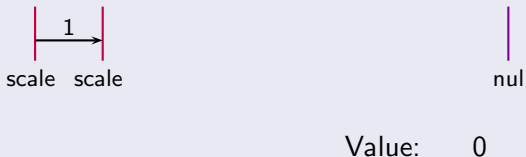
Value:  $\sqrt{2}$

All real numbers can be exactly represented



# Real encoding

Continuous space with *no scale*



All real numbers can be exactly represented

# Multiplication scheme

$$0 < y < 1 \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} y = 0.y_1y_2y_3 \dots \\ xy = \sum_{0 < i} y_i \left( \frac{x}{2^i} \right) \end{array} \right.$$

$$1 \leq y \quad yx = (x2^k) \left( \frac{y}{2^k} \right) \text{ with } 0 < \frac{y}{2^k} < 1$$

Zero and signs are treated easily

# Recurrence

$$p_n = \sum_{0 < i \leq n} y_i \left( \frac{x}{2^i} \right)$$

$$x_n = \frac{x}{2^n}$$

$$y_n = 0.00 \dots 0 y_n y_{n+1} y_{n+2} \dots$$

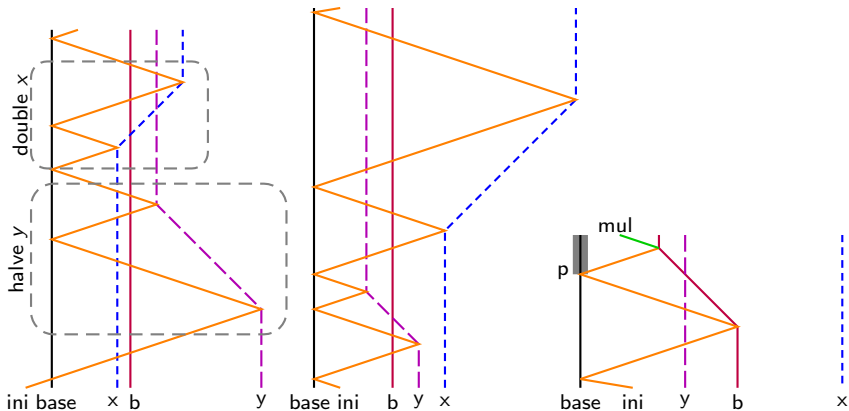
$$b_n = \frac{1}{2^n}$$

Next values computed with test, sum, and division by 2

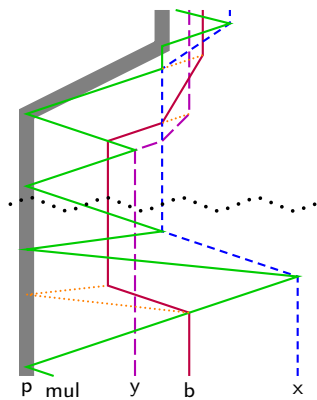
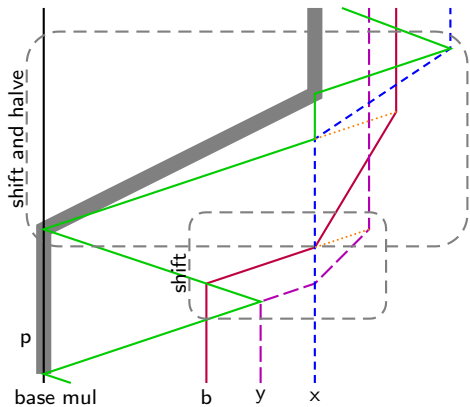
$p_n \rightarrow xy$  so that accumulation should be on its limit

All other values  $\rightarrow 0$   $\rightsquigarrow$  accumulation is possible

# Normalisation (to ensure $0 < y < 1$ )



# Infinite loop



- 1 Introduction and Definitions
- 2 Results
- 3 Accumulations
- 4 Simulation
- 5 Conclusion**

## Result and limit

AGC with accumulations can simulate the full BSS

With the same kind of construction  $\sqrt{\quad}$  can be computed

So that there is no hope of simulation in the other way

## Future work

Identify which functions can be computed

Relate to other models of analog computation