

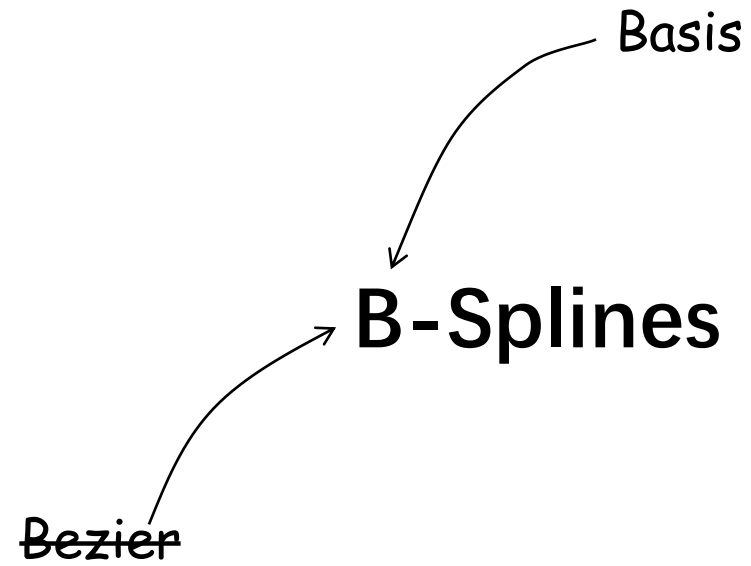
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B-Splines

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Mathematical view: spline functions

Graphics view: spline curves (created using spline functions)

Motivation

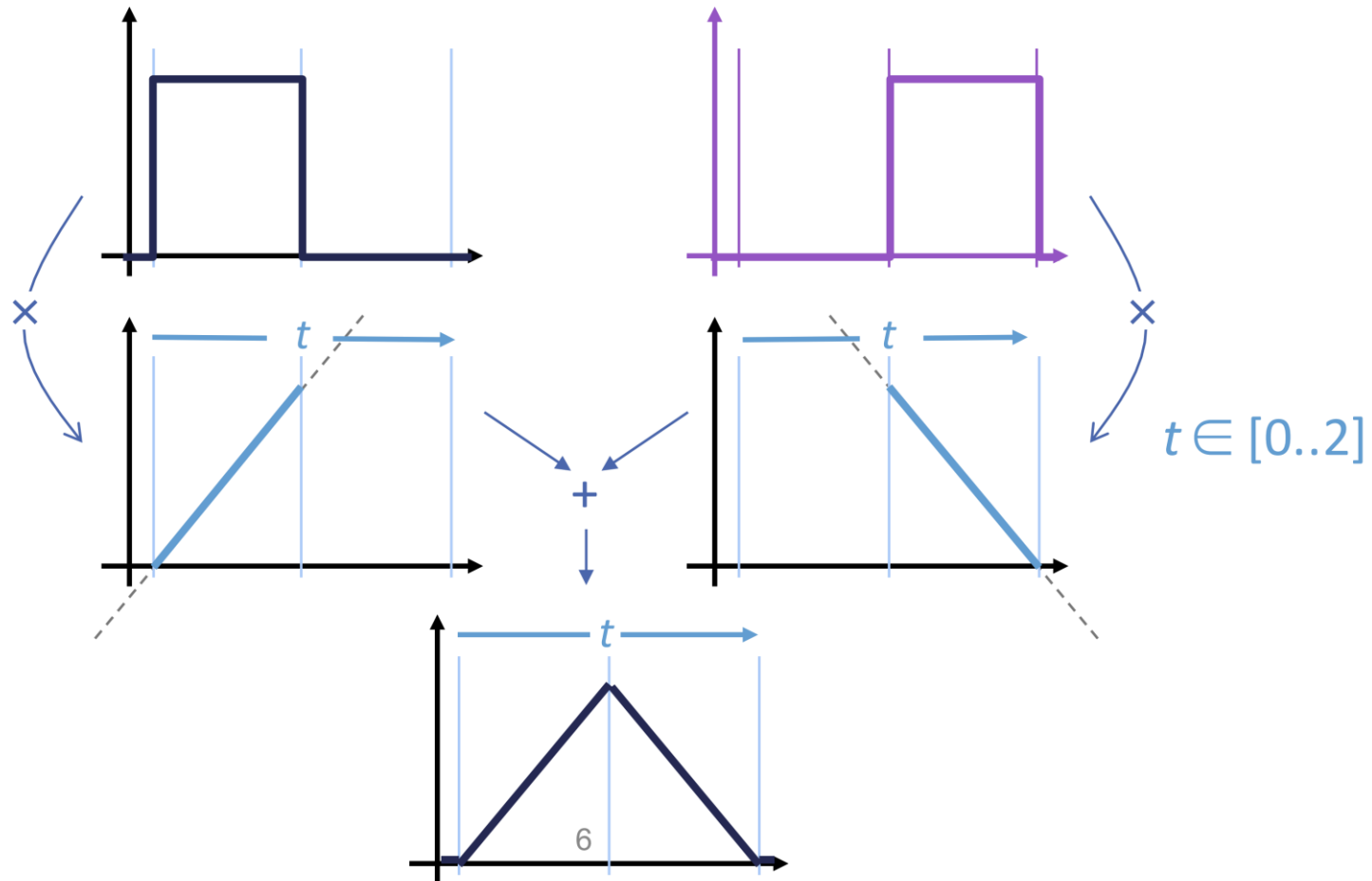
- Back to the algebraic approach for Bezier curves
 - Bernstein polynomials
- Problem: global influence of the Bezier points
- Introduction of new basis function
 - B-spline functions

Some history

- **Early use of splines on computers for data interpolation**
 - Ferguson at Boeing, 1963
 - Gordon and de Boor at General Motors
 - B-splines, de Boor 1972
- **Free form curve design**
 - Gordon and Riesenfeld, 1974 → B-splines as a generalization of Bezier curves

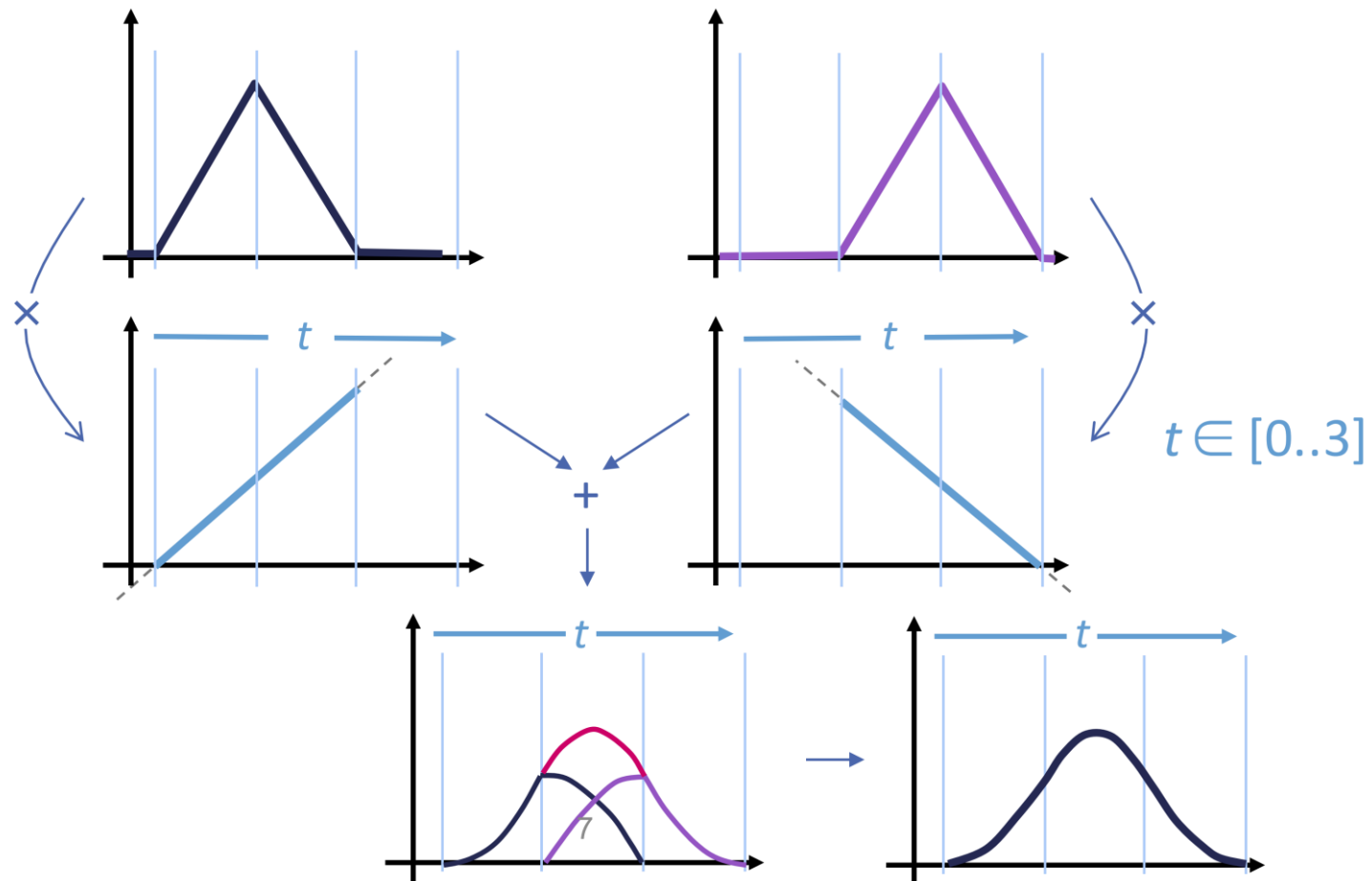
Repeated linear interpolation

Another way to increase smoothness:



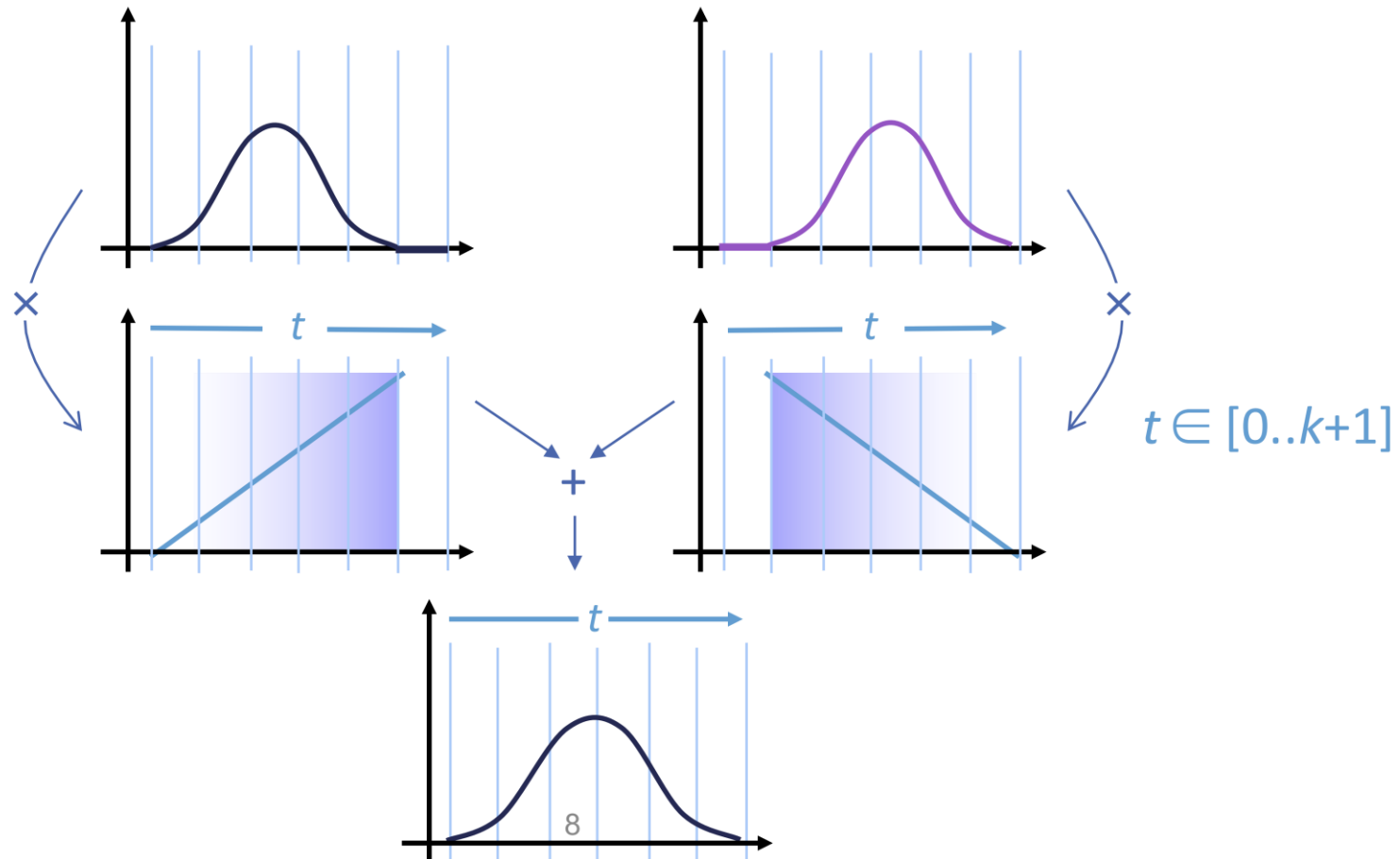
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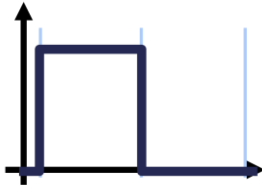
Repeated linear interpolation

- Another way to increase smoothness



De Boor Recursion: uniform case

- The **uniform** B-spline basis of order k (degree $k - 1$) is given as

$$N_i^1(t) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } i \leq t < i + 1 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$


$$N_i^k(t) = \frac{t-i}{(i+k-1)-i} N_i^{k-1}(t) + \frac{(i+k)-t}{(i+k)-(i+1)} N_{i+1}^{k-1}(t)$$



$$= \frac{t-i}{k-1} N_i^{k-1}(t) + \frac{i+k-t}{k-1} N_{i+1}^{k-1}(t)$$

B-spline curves: general case

- Given: knot sequence $t_0 < t_1 < \dots < t_n < \dots < t_{n+k}$
((t_0, t_1, \dots, t_{n+k}) is called knot vector)
- Normalized B-spline functions $N_{i,k}$ of the order k (degree $k - 1$) are defined as:

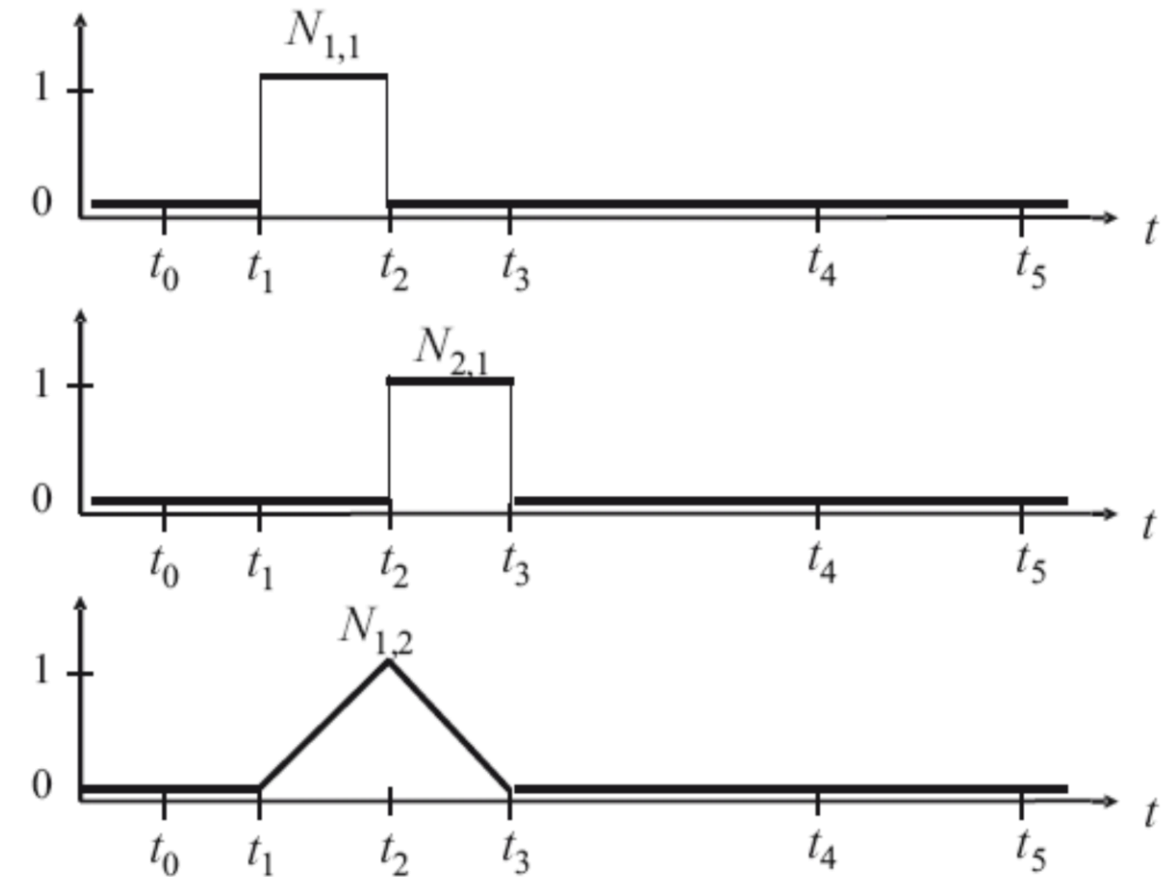
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for $k > 1$ and $i = 0, \dots, n$

- **Remark:**
 - If a knot value is repeated k times, the denominator may vanish
 - In this case: The fraction is treated as a zero

Example

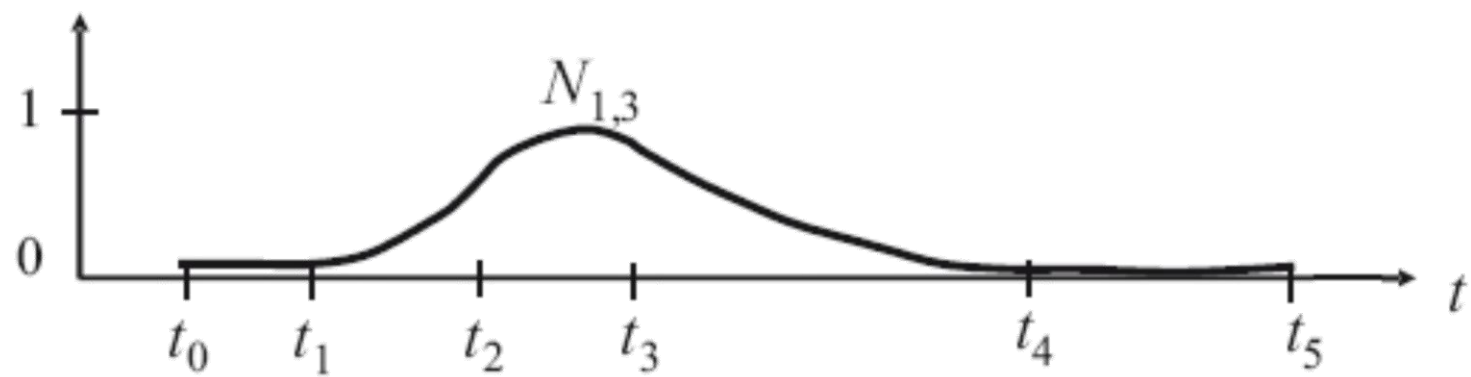
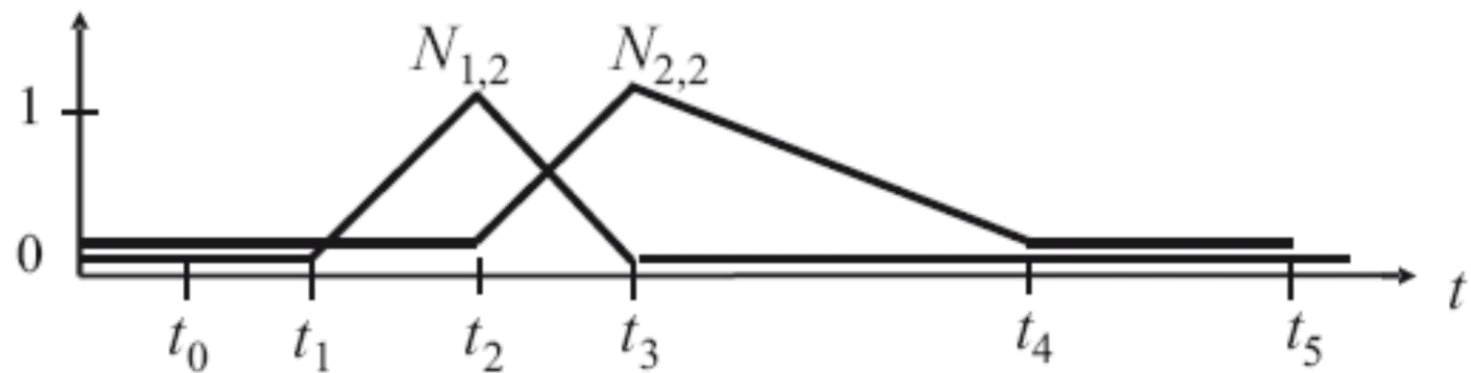


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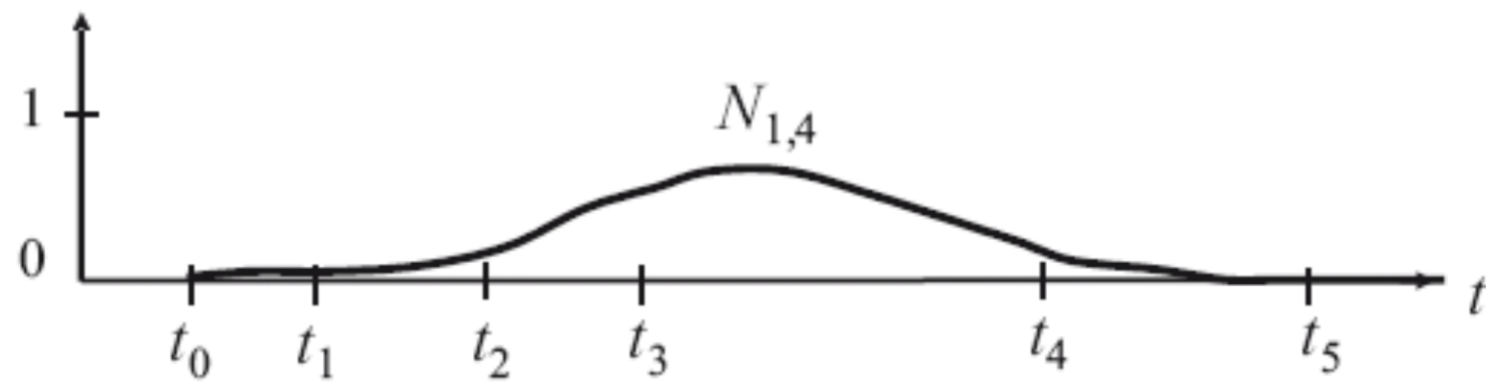
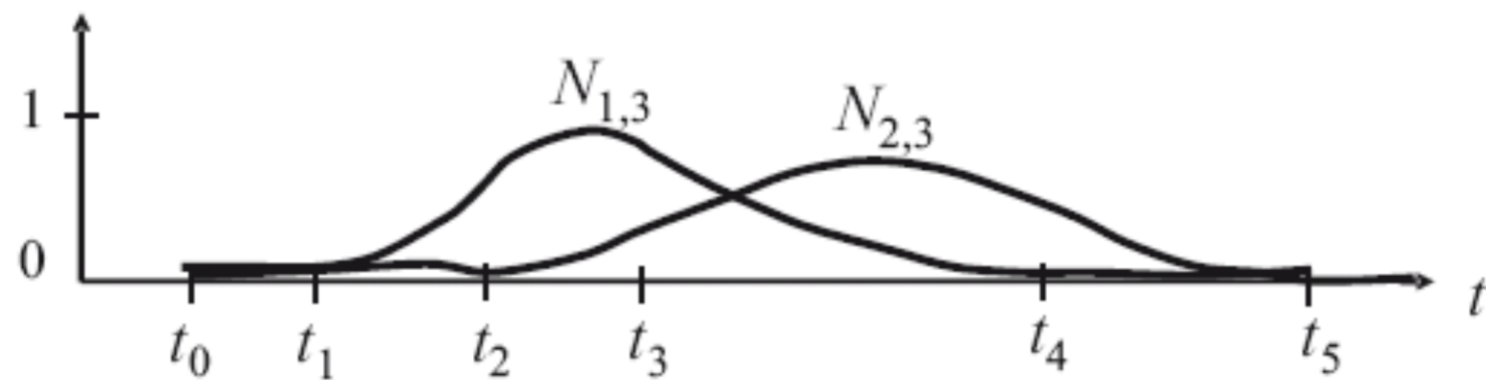
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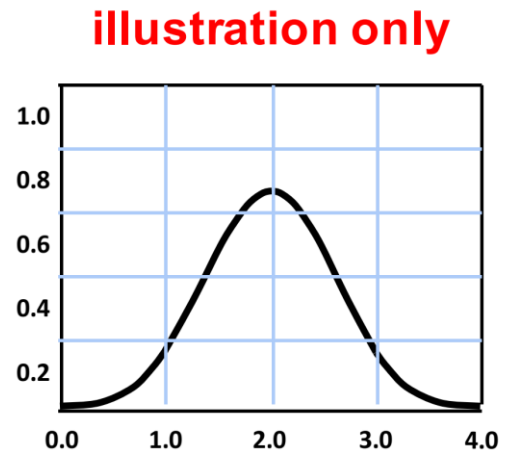


Example



Key Ideas

- We design one basis function $b(t)$
- Properties:
 - $b(t)$ is C^2 continuous
 - $b(t)$ is piecewise polynomial, degree 3 (cubic)
 - $b(t)$ has local support
 - Overlaying shifted $b(t + i)$ forms a partition of unity
 - $b(t) \geq 0$ for all t
- In short:
 - All desirable properties build into the basis
 - Linear combinations will inherit these



Shifted Basis Functions

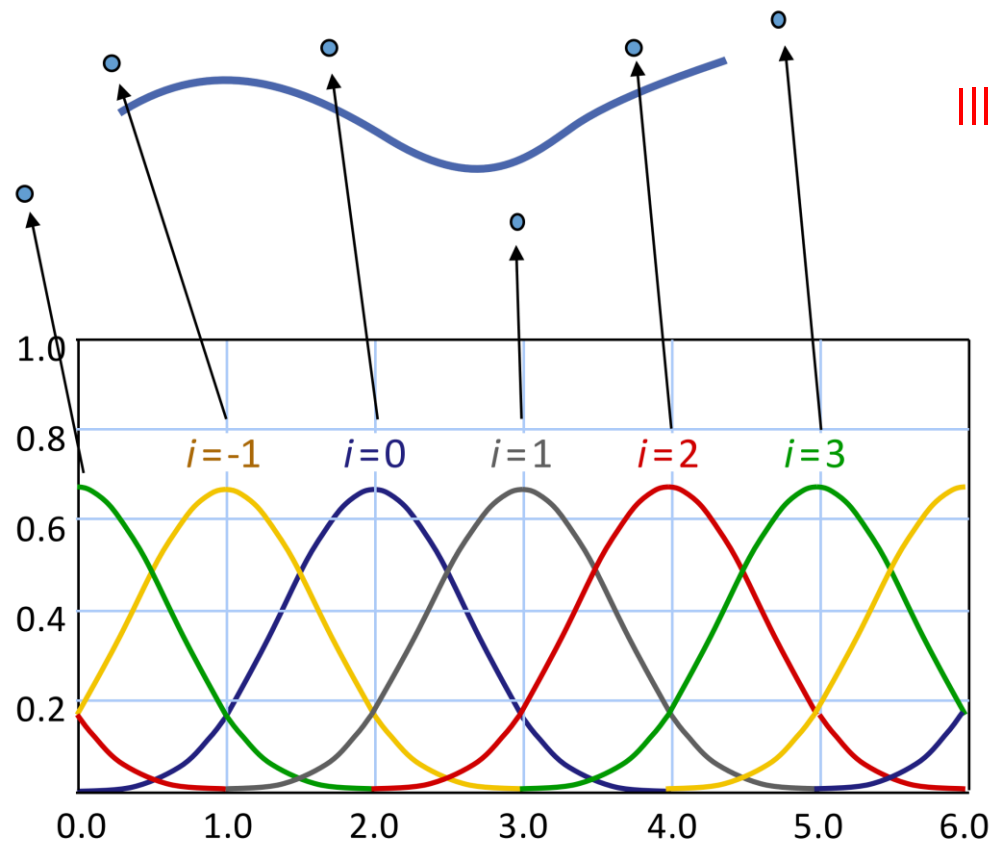


Illustration only

Shifted basis function $b(t)$

Basis properties

- For the so defined basis functions, the following properties can be shown:
 - $N_{i,k}(t) > 0$ for $t_i < t < t_{i+k}$
 - $N_{i,k}(t) = 0$ for $t_0 < t < t_i$ or $t_{i+k} < t < t_{n+k}$
 - $\sum_{i=0}^n N_{i,k}(t) = 1$ for $t_{k-1} \leq t \leq t_{n+1}$
- For $t_i \leq t_j \leq t_{i+k}$, the basis functions $N_{i,k}(t)$ are C^{k-2} at the knots t_j
- The interval $[t_i, t_{i+k}]$ is called support of $N_{i,k}$

B-spline curves

- Given: $n + 1$ control points $\mathbf{d}_0, \dots, \mathbf{d}_n \in \mathbb{R}^3$
knot vector $T = (t_0, \dots, t_n, \dots, t_{n+k})$
- Then, the B-spline curve $\mathbf{x}(t)$ of the order k is defined as

$$\mathbf{x}(t) = \sum_{i=0}^n N_{i,k}(t) \cdot \mathbf{d}_i$$

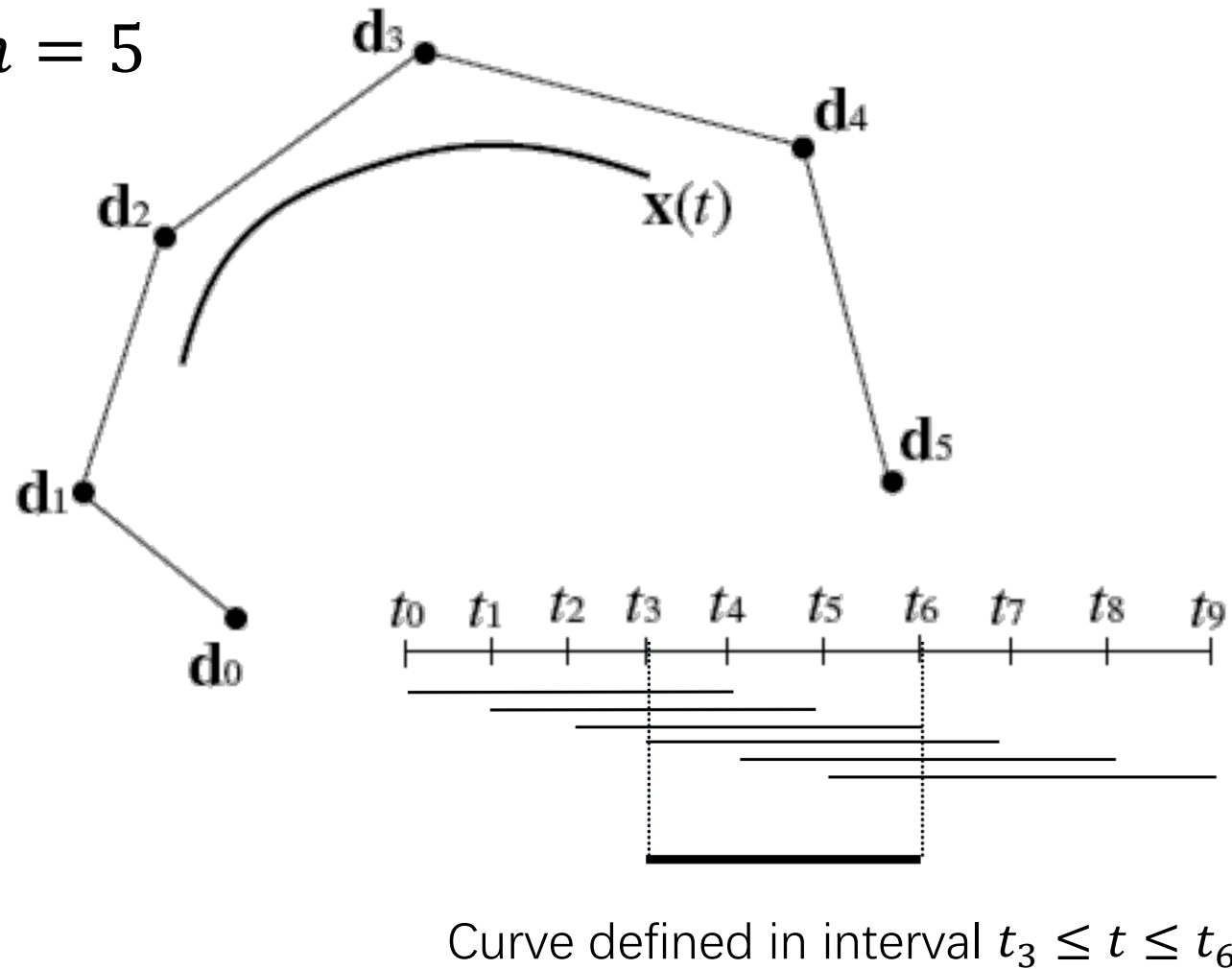
- The points \mathbf{d}_i are called *de Boor points*

Carl R. de Boor

German-American mathematician
University of Wisconsin-Madison

Example

- $k = 4, n = 5$



Support intervals of $N_{i,k}$

B-spline curves

Multiple weighted knot vectors

- So far: $T = (t_0, \dots, t_n, \dots, t_{n+k})$ with $t_0 < t_1 < \dots < t_{n+k}$
- Now: also multiple knots allowed, i.e. with $t_0 \leq t_1 \leq \dots \leq t_{n+k}$
- The recursive definition of the B spline function $N_{i,k}$ ($i = 0, \dots, n$) works nonetheless, as long as no more than k knots coincide

B-spline curves

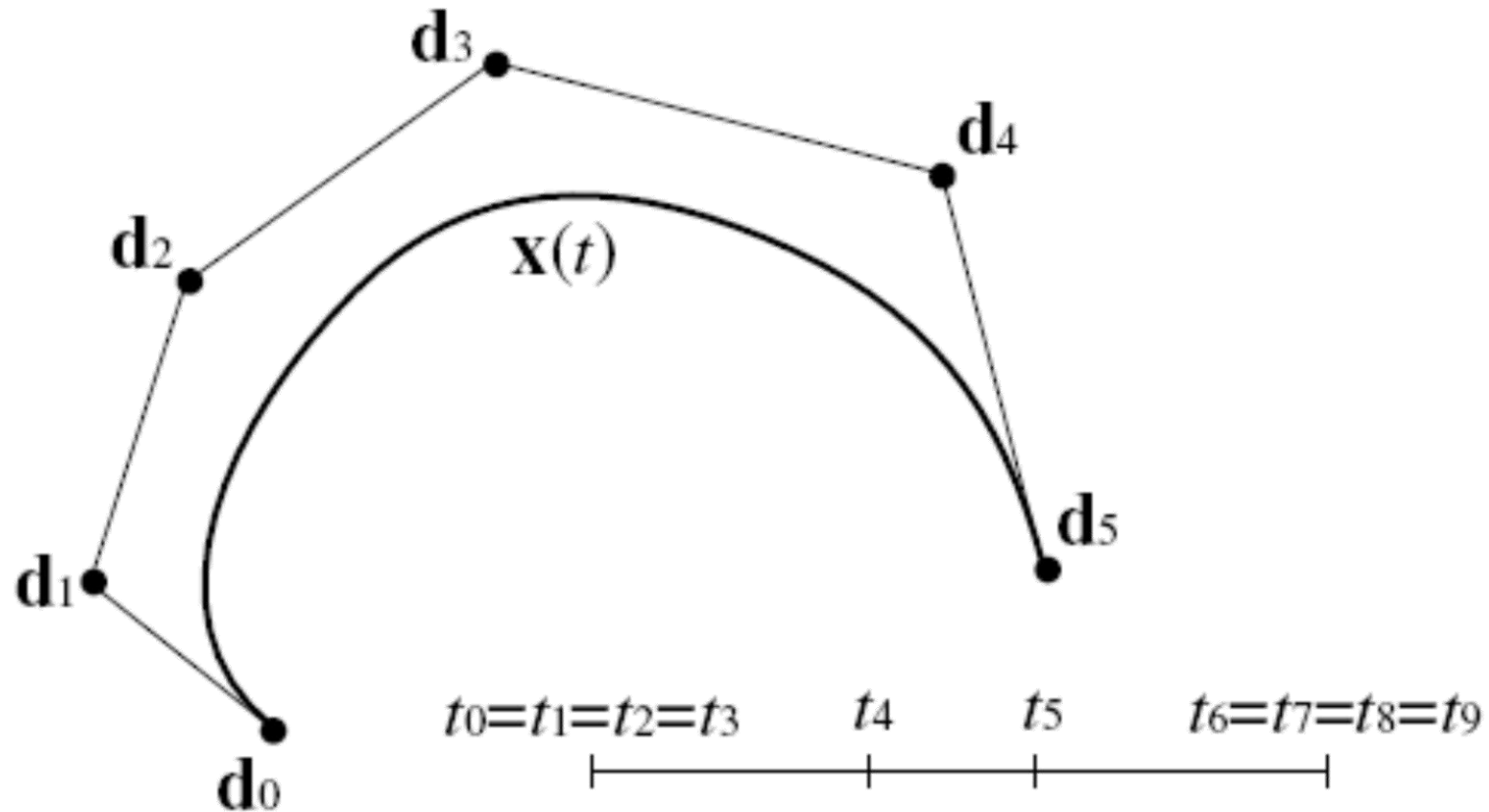
Effect of multiple knots:

- set: $t_0 = t_1 = \dots = t_{k-1}$
- and $t_{n+1} = t_{n+2} = \dots = t_{n+k}$

\mathbf{d}_0 and \mathbf{d}_n are interpolated

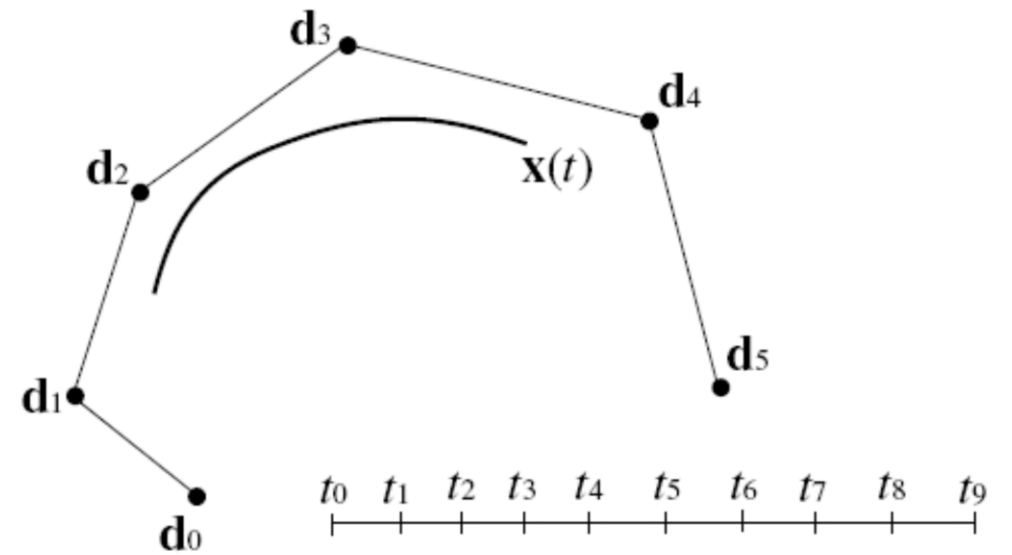
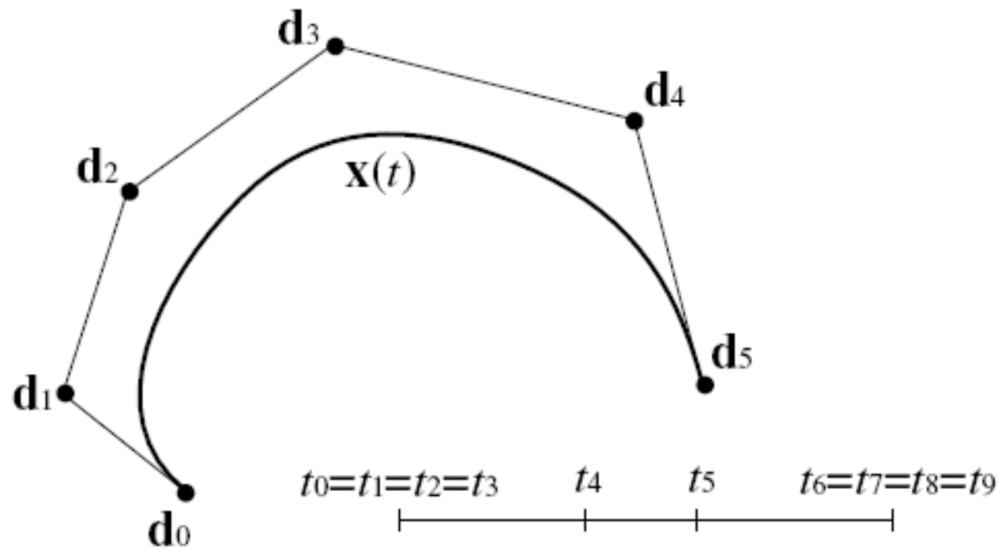
B-spline curves

- Example: $k = 4, n = 5$



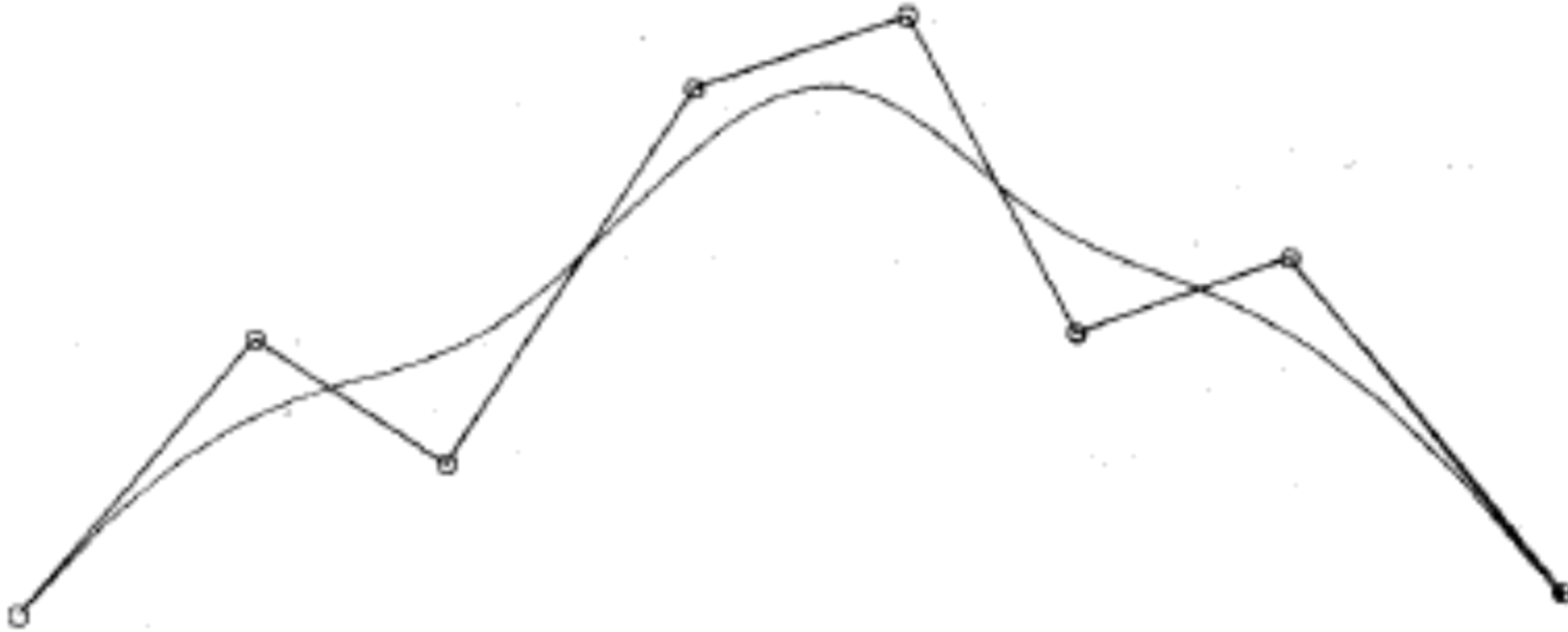
B-spline curves

- Example: $k = 4, n = 5$



B-spline curves

- Further example



B-spline curves

Interesting property:

- B-spline functions $N_{i,k}$ ($i = 0, \dots, k - 1$) of the order k over the knot vector $T = (t_0, t_1, \dots, t_{2k-1}) = (\underbrace{0, \dots, 0}_{k \text{ times}}, \underbrace{1, \dots, 1}_{k \text{ times}})$

are Bernstein polynomials B_i^{k-1} of degree $k - 1$

B-spline curves properties

- Given:

- $T = (\underbrace{t_0, \dots, t_0}_{k \text{ times}}, t_k, \dots, t_n, \underbrace{t_{n+1}, \dots, t_{n+1}}_{k \text{ times}})$

- de Boor polygon $\mathbf{d}_0, \dots, \mathbf{d}_n$

- Then, the following applies for the related B-spline curve $\mathbf{x}(t)$:

B-spline curves properties

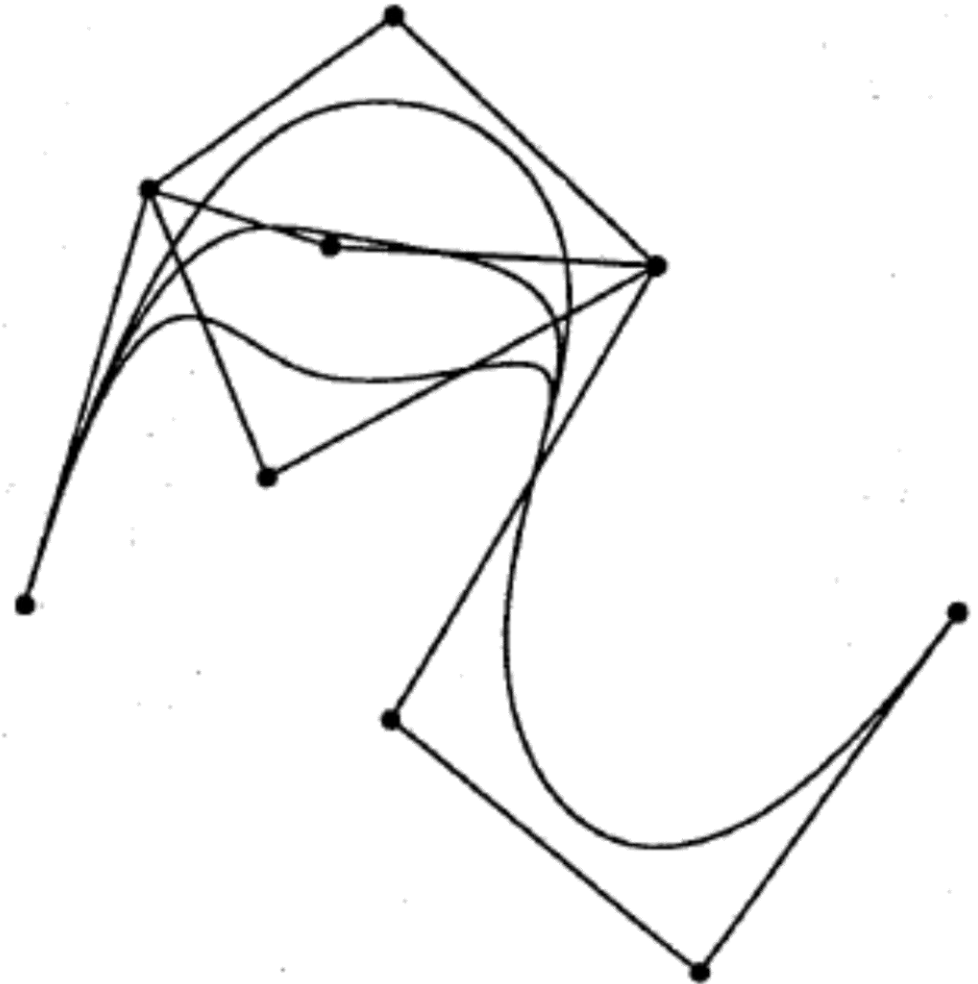
- $\mathbf{x}(t_0) = \mathbf{d}_0, \mathbf{x}(t_{n+1}) = \mathbf{d}_n$ (end point interpolation)
- $\mathbf{x}'(t_0) = \frac{k-1}{t_k - t_0} (\mathbf{d}_1 - \mathbf{d}_0)$ (tangent direction at \mathbf{d}_0 , similar in \mathbf{d}_n)
- $\mathbf{x}(t)$ consists of $n - k + 2$ polynomial curve segments of degree $k - 1$ (assuming no multiple inner knots)

B-spline curves properties

- Multiple inner knots \Rightarrow reduction of continuity of $x(t)$.
 l -times inner knot ($1 \leq l < k$) means
 C^{k-l-1} -continuity
- Local impact of the de Boor points: moving of d_i only changes the curve in the region $[t_i, t_{i+k}]$
- The insertion of new de Boor points does not change the polynomial degree of the curve segments

B-spline curves properties

Locality of B-spline curves



B-spline curves

Evaluation of B-spline curves

- Using B-spline functions
- Using the de Boor algorithm
Similar algorithm to the de Casteljau algorithm for Bezier curves;
consists of a number of linear interpolations on the de Boor polygon

The de Boor algorithm

- Given:

$\mathbf{d}_0, \dots, \mathbf{d}_n$: de Boor points

$(t_0, \dots, t_{k-1} = t_0, t_k, t_{k+1}, \dots, t_n, t_{n+1}, \dots, t_{n+k} = t_{n+1})$:

Knot vector

- wanted:

Curve point $\mathbf{x}(t)$ of the B-spline curve of the order k

The de Boor algorithm

1. Search index r with $t_r \leq t < t_{r+1}$

2. for $i = r - k + 1, \dots, r$

$$d_i^0 = d_i$$

• for $j = 1, \dots, k - 1$

for $i = r - k + 1 + j, \dots, r$

$$d_i^j = \left(1 - \alpha_i^j\right) \cdot d_{i-1}^{j-1} + \alpha_i^j \cdot d_i^{j-1}$$

$$\text{with } \alpha_i^j = \frac{t - t_i}{t_{i+k-j} - t_i}$$

Then: $d_r^{k-1} = x(t)$

B-spline curves

- The intermediate coefficients $d_i^j(t)$ can be placed into a triangular shaped matrix of points – the de Boor scheme:

$$d_{r-k+1} = d_{r-k+1}^0$$

$$d_{r-k+2} = d_{r-k+2}^0 \quad d_{r-k+2}^1$$

...

$$d_{r-1} = d_{r-1}^0 \quad d_{r-1}^1 \quad \dots \quad d_{r-1}^{k-2}$$

$$d_r = d_r^0 \quad d_r^1 \quad \dots \quad d_r^{k-2} \quad d_r^{k-1} = x(t)$$

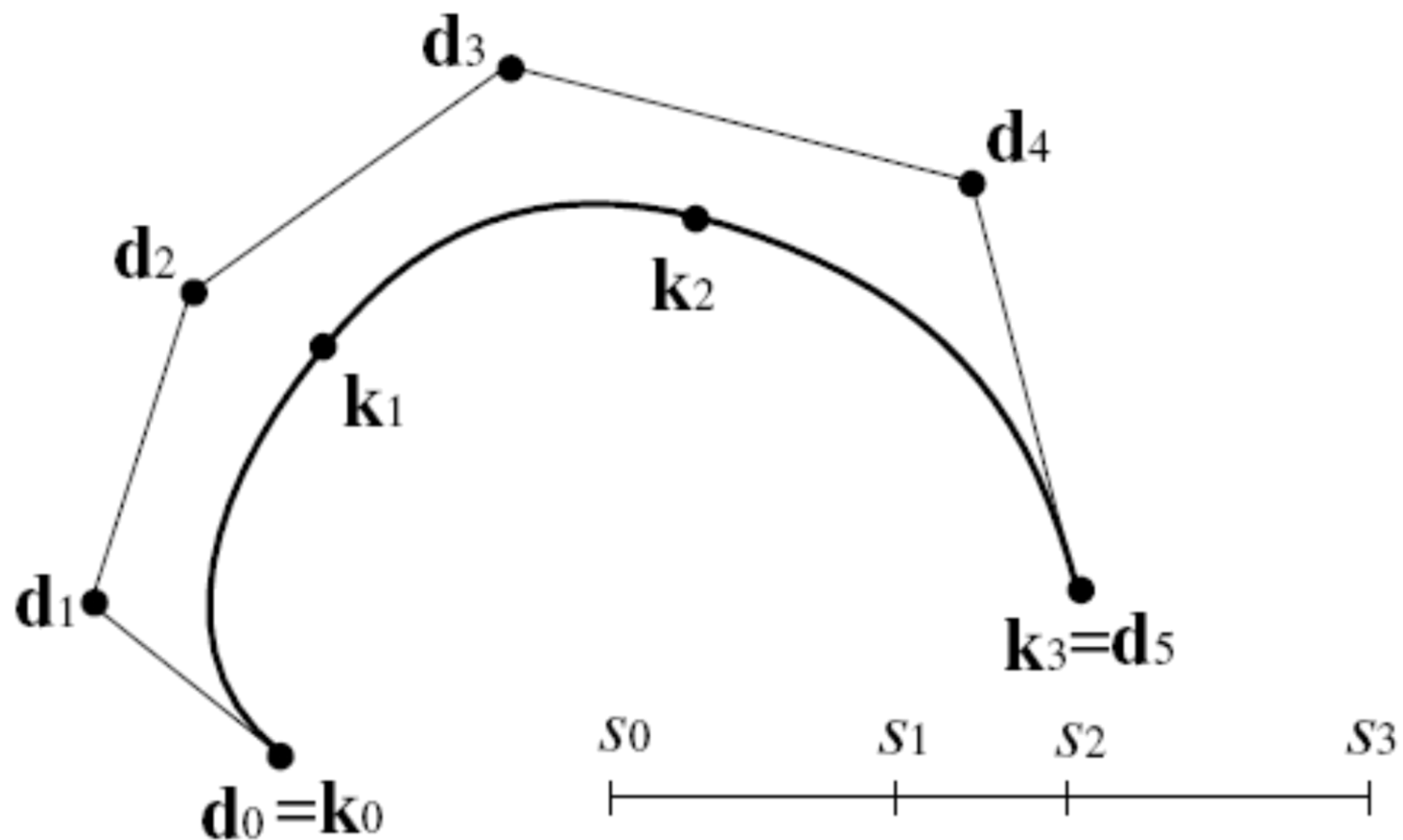
B-spline curves: interpolation

Interpolating B-spline curves

- Given: $n + 1$ control points $\mathbf{k}_0, \dots, \mathbf{k}_n$
knot sequence s_0, \dots, s_n
- Wanted: piecewise cubic interpolating B-spline curve \mathbf{x}
i.e., $\mathbf{x}(s_i) = \mathbf{k}_i$ for $i = 0, \dots, n$
- Approach: piecewise cubic $\Rightarrow k = 4$
 - $\mathbf{x}(t)$ consists of n segments $\Rightarrow n + 3$ de Boor points

B-spline curves: interpolation

- Example: $n = 3$



B-spline curves: interpolation

- We choose the knot vector
 - $T = (t_0, t_1, t_2, t_3, t_4, \dots, t_{n+2}, t_{n+3}, t_{n+4}, t_{n+5}, t_{n+6})$
 $= (s_0, s_0, s_0, s_0, s_1, \dots, s_{n-1}, s_n, s_n, s_n, s_n)$
- Then, the following conditions arise:
 - $\mathbf{x}(s_0) = \mathbf{k}_0 = \mathbf{d}_0$
 - $\mathbf{x}(s_i) = \mathbf{k}_i = N_{i,4}(s_i)\mathbf{d}_i + N_{i+1,4}(s_i)\mathbf{d}_{i+1} + N_{i+2,4}(s_i)\mathbf{d}_{i+2}$
for $i = 1, \dots, n - 1$
 - $\mathbf{x}(s_n) = \mathbf{k}_n = \mathbf{d}_{n+2}$
- Total: $n + 1$ conditions for $n + 3$ unknown de Boor points
→ 2 end conditions

B-spline curves: interpolation

- Here as example: natural end conditions

$$x''(s_0) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \frac{d_2 - d_1}{s_2 - s_1} = \frac{d_1 - d_0}{s_1 - s_0}$$

$$x''(s_n) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \frac{d_{n+2} - d_{n+1}}{s_n - s_{n-1}} = \frac{d_{n+1} - d_n}{s_{n-1} - s_{n-2}}$$

B-spline curves: interpolation

- with

$$\alpha_0 = s_2 - s_0$$

$$\beta_0 = -(s_2 - s_0) - (s_1 - s_0)$$

$$\gamma_0 = s_1 - s_0$$

$$\alpha_n = s_n - s_{n-1}$$

$$\beta_n = -(s_n - s_{n-1}) - (s_n - s_{n-2})$$

$$\gamma_n = s_n - s_{n-2}$$

$$\alpha_i = N_{i,4}(s_i)$$

$$\beta_i = N_{i+1,4}(s_i)$$

$$\gamma_i = N_{i+2,4}(s_i)$$

for $i = 1, \dots, n - 1$

Natural end conditions



B-spline curves: interpolation

- Solving a tridiagonal system of equations: Thomas-algorithm!
- $O(n)$
- Only for diagonally dominant matrices

$$\begin{bmatrix} b_1 & c_1 & & & 0 \\ a_2 & b_2 & c_2 & & \\ & a_3 & b_3 & \cdot & \\ & & \cdot & \cdot & c_{n-1} \\ 0 & & & a_n & b_n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} d_1 \\ d_2 \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ d_n \end{bmatrix}$$

B-spline curves: interpolation

- Solving a tridiagonal system of equation: Thomas-algorithm!

Forward elimination phase

for $k = 2:n$

$$m = \frac{a_k}{b_{k-1}}$$

$$b_k = b_k - mc_{k-1}$$

$$d_k = d_k - md_{k-1}$$

end

Backward substitution phase

$$x_n = \frac{d_n}{b_n}$$

for $k = n - 1:-1:1$

$$x_k = \frac{d_k - c_k x_{k+1}}{b_k}$$

end

Bezier curves to B-splines

Conversion between cubic Bezier and B-spline curves

- Given:

$\mathbf{k}_0, \dots, \mathbf{k}_n$: control points

t_0, \dots, t_n : knot sequence

2 end conditions

b_0, \dots, b_{3n} : Bezier points for C^2 -continuous interpolating cubic Bezier spline curve

- Wanted: same curve in B-spline form

Bezier curves to B-splines

- Knot vector $T = (t_0, t_0, t_0, t_0, t_1, \dots, t_{n-1}, t_n, t_n, t_n, t_n)$
- $\mathbf{d}_0, \dots, \mathbf{d}_{n+2}$ are determined by

$$d_0 = b_0$$

$$d_1 = b_1$$

$$d_i = b_{3i-4} + \frac{\Delta_{i-1}}{\Delta_{i-2}} (b_{3i-4} - b_{3i-5}) \text{ for } i = 2, \dots, n$$

$$d_{n+1} = b_{3n-1}$$

$$d_{n+2} = b_{3n}$$

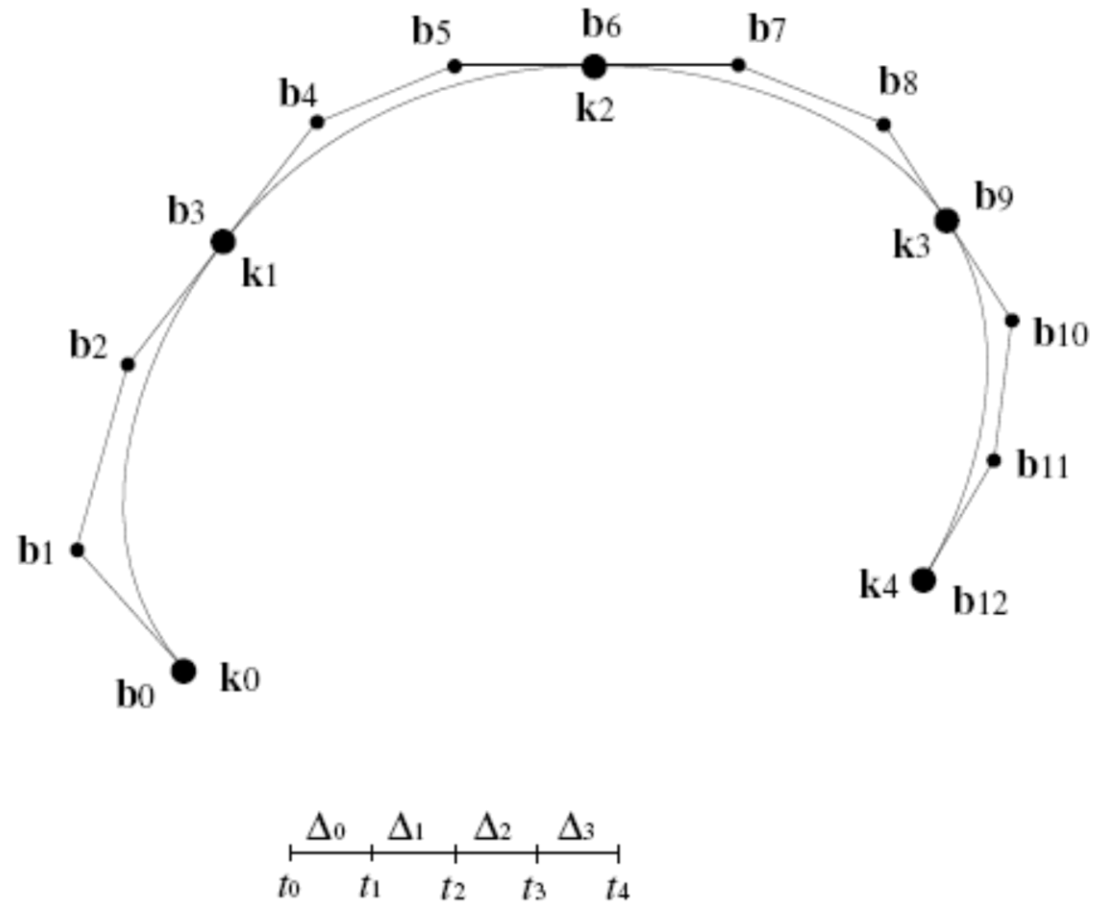
where $\Delta_i = t_{i+1} - t_i$ for $i = 0, \dots, n - 1$

- The inverse problem is solvable as well

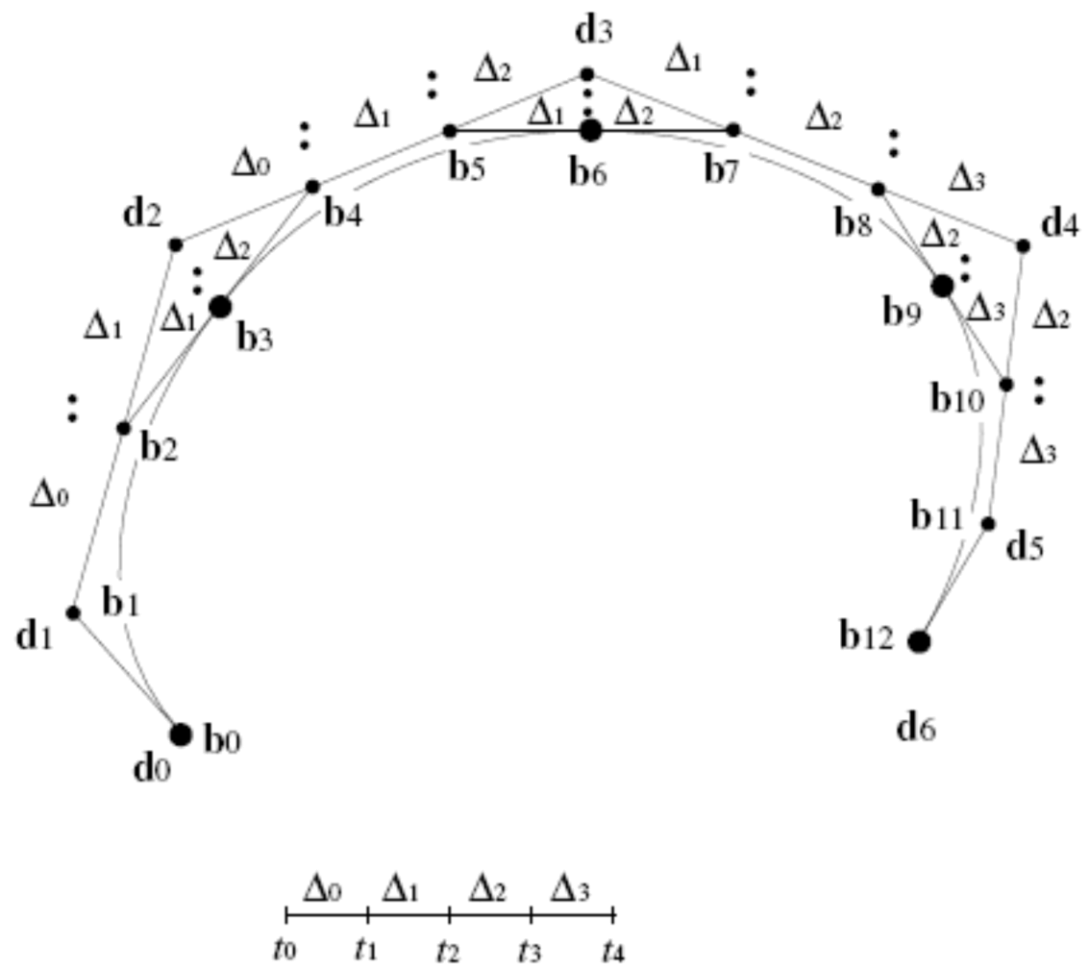
Remember the condition on d^- and d^+ for C^2 continuity of Bezier splines

Bezier curves to B-splines

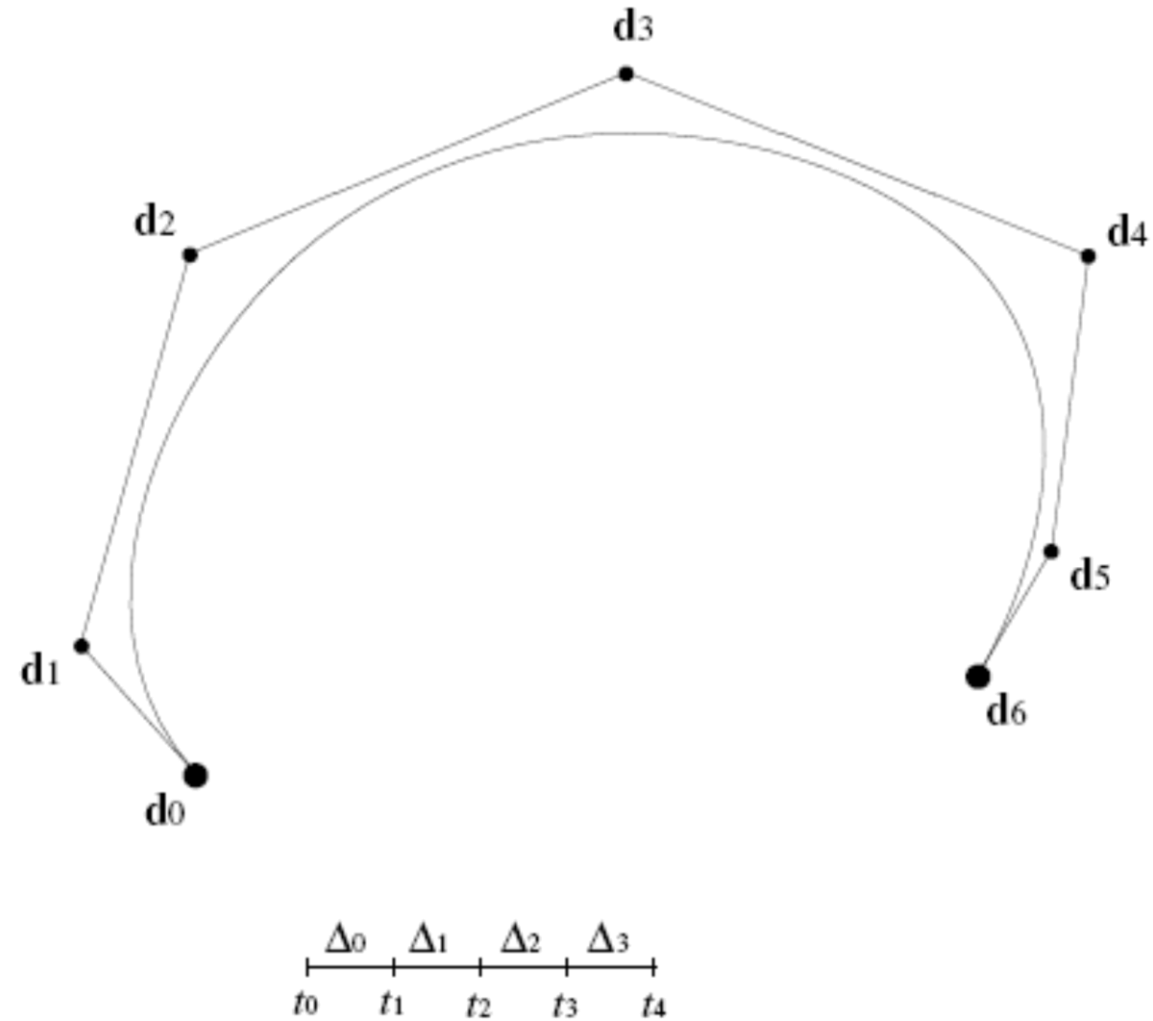
- Examples: $n = 4$



Bezier curves to B-splines



Bezier curves to B-splines



Summary of Bezier and B-spline curves

1. Bezier curve for $n + 1$ control points b_0, \dots, b_n :
 - Polynomial curve of degree n
 - Uniquely defined by control points
 - End point interpolation, remaining points are approximated
 - Pseudo-local impact of control points

Summary of Bezier and B-spline curves

2. Interpolating cubic Bezier-spline curves by the control points k_0, \dots, k_n
 - Consists of n piecewise cubic curve segments
 - C^2 -continuous at the control points
 - Uniquely defined by parameterization (i.e. knot sequence) and two end conditions
 - Interpolates all control points
 - Pseudo-local impact of the control points

Summary of Bezier and B-spline curves

3. Piecewise cubic B-spline curve for control points d_0, \dots, d_n and knot vector $T = (t_0, t_0, t_0, t_0, t_1, \dots, t_{n-1}, t_n, t_n, t_n, t_n)$
- Consists of $n - 2$ piecewise cubic curve segments which are C^2 -conditions at the knots
 - Uniquely defined by d_i and T
 - End point interpolation, the remaining points are approximated
 - Local impact of the de Boor points

Summary of Bezier and B-spline curves

4. Interpolating cubic B-spline through the control points k_0, \dots, k_n
 - Possible to formulate like (3) using 2 end conditions and solution of a tridiagonal system of equations for each x, y - and z - component
 - Identical curve to (2)

B-splines

detailed examples

B-spline curves: general case (reminder)

- Given: knot sequence $t_0 < t_1 < \dots < t_n < \dots < t_{n+k}$
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B-spline basis evaluation: ex. 1

- For order 4 and knot sequence

$$T = [t_0 \ t_1 \ t_2 \ t_3 \ t_4 \ t_5 \ t_6 \ t_7] = [0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 1 \ 1 \ 1 \ 1]$$

Evaluate the B-spline function $N_{0,4}(t)$, $N_{1,4}(t)$, $N_{2,4}(t)$, $N_{3,4}(t)$

B-spline basis evaluation: ex. 1

$$N_{0,1}(t) = N_{1,1}(t) = N_{2,1}(t) = N_{4,1}(t) = N_{5,1}(t) = N_{6,1}(t) = 0$$

$$N_{3,1}(t) = 1 \quad (0 \leq t < 1)$$

$$N_{0,2}(t) = \frac{t-t_0}{t_1-t_0} N_{0,1}(t) + \frac{t_2-t}{t_2-t_1} N_{1,1}(t) = 0$$

$$N_{1,2}(t) = \frac{t-t_1}{t_2-t_1} N_{1,1}(t) + \frac{t_3-t}{t_3-t_2} N_{2,1}(t) = 0$$

$$N_{2,2}(t) = \frac{t-t_2}{t_3-t_2} N_{2,1}(t) + \frac{t_4-t}{t_4-t_3} N_{3,1}(t) = (1-t)N_{3,1}(t)$$

$$N_{3,2}(t) = \frac{t-t_3}{t_4-t_3} N_{3,1}(t) + \frac{t_5-t}{t_5-t_4} N_{4,1}(t) = tN_{3,1}(t)$$

$$N_{4,2}(t) = \frac{t-t_4}{t_5-t_4} N_{4,1}(t) + \frac{t_6-t}{t_6-t_5} N_{5,1}(t) = 0$$

$$N_{5,2}(t) = \frac{t-t_5}{t_6-t_5} N_{5,1}(t) + \frac{t_7-t}{t_7-t_6} N_{6,1}(t) = 0$$

B-spline basis evaluation: ex. 1

$$N_{0,3}(t) = \frac{t-t_0}{t_2-t_0} N_{0,2}(t) + \frac{t_3-t}{t_3-t_1} N_{1,2}(t) = 0$$

$$N_{1,3}(t) = \frac{t-t_1}{t_3-t_1} N_{1,2}(t) + \frac{t_4-t}{t_4-t_2} N_{2,2}(t) = (1-t)^2 N_{3,1}(t)$$

$$N_{2,3}(t) = \frac{t-t_2}{t_4-t_2} N_{2,2}(t) + \frac{t_5-t}{t_5-t_3} N_{3,2}(t) = 2t(1-t) N_{3,1}(t)$$

$$N_{3,3}(t) = \frac{t-t_3}{t_5-t_3} N_{3,2}(t) + \frac{t_6-t}{t_6-t_4} N_{4,2}(t) = t^2 N_{3,1}(t)$$

$$N_{4,3}(t) = \frac{t-t_4}{t_6-t_4} N_{4,2}(t) + \frac{t_7-t}{t_7-t_5} N_{5,2}(t) = 0$$

B-spline basis evaluation: ex. 1

- Finally
$$N_{0,4}(t) = \frac{t-t_0}{t_3-t_0} N_{0,3}(t) + \frac{t_4-t}{t_4-t_1} N_{1,3}(t) = (1-t)^3 N_{3,1}(t)$$
$$N_{1,4}(t) = \frac{t-t_1}{t_4-t_1} N_{1,3}(t) + \frac{t_5-t}{t_5-t_2} N_{2,3}(t) = 3(1-t)^2 t N_{3,1}(t)$$
$$N_{2,4}(t) = \frac{t-t_2}{t_5-t_2} N_{2,3}(t) + \frac{t_6-t}{t_6-t_3} N_{3,3}(t) = 3(1-t)t^2 N_{3,1}(t)$$
$$N_{3,4}(t) = \frac{t-t_3}{t_6-t_3} N_{3,3}(t) + \frac{t_7-t}{t_7-t_4} N_{4,3}(t) = t^3 N_{3,1}(t)$$

B-spline basis evaluation: ex. 1

- Finally
$$N_{0,4}(t) = \frac{t-t_0}{t_3-t_0} N_{0,3}(t) + \frac{t_4-t}{t_4-t_1} N_{1,3}(t) = (1-t)^3 N_{3,1}(t)$$
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$$N_{3,4}(t) = \frac{t-t_3}{t_6-t_3} N_{3,3}(t) + \frac{t_7-t}{t_7-t_4} N_{4,3}(t) = t^3 N_{3,1}(t)$$
- We clearly get the Bernstein basis function as mentioned earlier

B-spline basis evaluation: ex. 2

- For order 4 and not sequence

$$T = [t_0 \quad t_1 \quad t_2 \quad t_3 \quad t_4 \quad t_5 \quad t_6 \quad t_7] = [-3 \quad -2 \quad -1 \quad 0 \quad 1 \quad 2 \quad 3 \quad 4]$$

Evaluate the corresponding basis

B-spline basis evaluation: ex. 2

$$N_{0,2}(t) = (t + 3)N_{0,1}(t) + (-1 - t)N_{1,1}(t)$$

$$N_{1,2}(t) = (t + 2)N_{1,1}(t) + (-t)N_{2,1}(t)$$

$$N_{2,2}(t) = (t + 1)N_{2,1}(t) + (1 - t)N_{3,1}(t)$$

$$N_{3,2}(t) = tN_{3,1}(t) + (2 - t)N_{4,1}(t)$$

$$N_{4,2}(t) = (t - 1)N_{4,1}(t) + (3 - t)N_{5,1}(t)$$

$$N_{5,2}(t) = (t - 2)N_{5,1}(t) + (4 - t)N_{6,1}(t)$$

B-spline basis evaluation: ex. 2

$$N_{0,3}(t) = \frac{1}{2}(t+2)N_{0,2}(t) + \frac{1}{2}(0-t)N_{1,2}(t)$$

$$N_{1,3}(t) = \frac{1}{2}(t+1)N_{1,2}(t) + \frac{1}{2}(1-t)N_{2,2}(t)$$

$$N_{2,3}(t) = \frac{1}{2}(t+0)N_{2,2}(t) + \frac{1}{2}(2-t)N_{3,2}(t)$$

$$N_{3,3}(t) = \frac{1}{2}(t-1)N_{3,2}(t) + \frac{1}{2}(3-t)N_{4,2}(t)$$

B-spline basis evaluation: ex. 2

- Finally

$$N_{0,4}(t) = \frac{1}{3}(t+3)N_{0,3}(t) + \frac{1}{3}(1-t)N_{1,3}(t)$$

$$N_{1,4}(t) = \frac{1}{3}(t+2)N_{1,3}(t) + \frac{1}{3}(2-t)N_{2,3}(t)$$

$$N_{2,4}(t) = \frac{1}{3}(t+1)N_{2,3}(t) + \frac{1}{3}(3-t)N_{3,3}(t)$$

$$N_{3,4}(t) = \frac{1}{3}tN_{3,3}(t) + \frac{1}{3}(4-t)N_{4,3}(t)$$

B-spline basis evaluation: ex. 2

- Then substituting

$$N_{0,4}(t) = \frac{1}{6}(t+3)^3 N_{0,1}(t) + \left\{ -(t+1)^3 + \frac{2}{3}t^3 - \frac{1}{6}(t-1)^3 \right\} N_{1,1}(t) + \left\{ \frac{2}{3}t^3 - \frac{1}{t}(t-1)^3 \right\} N_{2,1}(t) - \frac{1}{6}(t-1)^3 N_{3,1}(t)$$

$$N_{1,4}(t) = \frac{1}{6}(t+2)^3 N_{1,1}(t) + \left\{ -t^3 + \frac{2}{3}(t-1)^3 - \frac{1}{6}(t-2)^3 \right\} N_{2,1}(t) + \left\{ \frac{2}{3}(t-1)^3 - \frac{1}{t}(t-2)^3 \right\} N_{3,1}(t) - \frac{1}{6}(t-2)^3 N_{4,1}(t)$$

$$N_{2,4}(t) = \frac{1}{6}(t+1)^3 N_{2,1}(t) + \left\{ -(t-1)^3 + \frac{2}{3}(t-2)^3 - \frac{1}{6}(t-3)^3 \right\} N_{3,1}(t) + \left\{ \frac{2}{3}(t-2)^3 - \frac{1}{t}(t-3)^3 \right\} N_{4,1}(t) - \frac{1}{6}(t-3)^3 N_{5,1}(t)$$

$$N_{3,4}(t) = \frac{1}{6}t^3 N_{3,1}(t) + \left\{ -(t-2)^3 + \frac{2}{3}(t-3)^3 - \frac{1}{6}(t-4)^3 \right\} N_{4,1}(t) + \left\{ \frac{2}{3}(t-3)^3 - \frac{1}{t}(t-4)^3 \right\} N_{5,1}(t) - \frac{1}{6}(t-4)^3 N_{6,1}(t)$$

de Boor algorithm (reminder)

1. Search index r with $t_r \leq t < t_{r+1}$

2. for $i = r - k + 1, \dots, r$

$$d_i^0 = d_i \quad \text{sometimes noted as } d_i^0(t) = d_i$$

• for $j = 1, \dots, k - 1$

for $i = r - k + 1 + j, \dots, r$

$$d_i^j = \left(1 - \alpha_i^j\right) \cdot d_{i-1}^{j-1} + \alpha_i^j \cdot d_i^{j-1}$$

$$\text{with } \alpha_i^j = \frac{t - t_i}{t_{i+k-j} - t_i}$$

Then: $d_r^{k-1} = x(t)$

Order k
 $n + 1$ points
 $n + k + 1$ knots

de Boor algorithm: ex. 1

- For order 4, de Boor points Q_0, Q_1, \dots, Q_8 and knot sequence

$$T = [t_0 \quad t_1 \quad t_2 \quad t_3 \quad t_4 \quad t_5 \quad t_6 \quad t_7 \quad t_8 \quad t_9 \quad t_{10} \quad t_{11} \quad t_{12}]$$
$$= [0 \quad 0 \quad 0 \quad 0 \quad 1 \quad 2 \quad 3 \quad 4 \quad 5 \quad 6 \quad 6 \quad 6 \quad 6]$$

Evaluate the B-spline curve at $t = 4.75$

de Boor algorithm: ex. 1

- Since $t_7 \leq 4.75 < t_8$, $r = 7$, therefore $i = 7 - 4 + 1 = 4$

$$\begin{aligned} Q_5^{[1]}(4.75) &= (1 - \lambda)Q_4^{[0]}(4.75) + \lambda Q_5^{[0]}(4.75) \\ &= (1 - \lambda)Q_4 + \lambda Q_5 = 0.083Q_4 + 0.917Q_5 \end{aligned} \quad \left(\lambda = \frac{4.75 - t_5}{t_8 - t_5} = 0.917 \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} Q_6^{[1]}(4.75) &= (1 - \lambda)Q_5^{[0]}(4.75) + \lambda Q_6^{[0]}(4.75) \\ &= (1 - \lambda)Q_5 + \lambda Q_6 = 0.417Q_5 + 0.583Q_6 \end{aligned} \quad \left(\lambda = \frac{4.75 - t_6}{t_9 - t_6} = 0.583 \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} Q_7^{[1]}(4.75) &= (1 - \lambda)Q_6^{[0]}(4.75) + \lambda Q_7^{[0]}(4.75) \\ &= (1 - \lambda)Q_6 + \lambda Q_7 = 0.625Q_6 + 0.375Q_7 \end{aligned} \quad \left(\lambda = \frac{4.75 - t_7}{t_{10} - t_7} = 0.375 \right)$$

de Boor algorithm: ex. 1

- Then

$$\begin{aligned} Q_6^{[2]}(4.75) &= (1 - \lambda)Q_5^{[1]}(4.75) + \lambda Q_6^{[1]}(4.75) \\ &= 0.125(0.083Q_4 + 0.917Q_5) + 0.875(0.417Q_5 + 0.583Q_6) \\ &= 0.01Q_4 + 0.479Q_5 + 0.510Q_6 \end{aligned} \quad \left(\lambda = \frac{4.75 - t_6}{t_8 - t_6} = 0.875 \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} Q_7^{[1]}(4.75) &= (1 - \lambda)Q_6^{[1]}(4.75) + \lambda Q_7^{[1]}(4.75) \\ &= 0.625(0.417Q_5 + 0.583Q_6) + 0.375(0.625Q_6 + 0.375Q_7) \\ &= 0.261Q_5 + 0.598Q_6 + 0.141Q_7 \end{aligned} \quad \left(\lambda = \frac{4.75 - t_7}{t_9 - t_7} = 0.375 \right)$$

de Boor algorithm: ex. 1

- Then

$$\begin{aligned} Q_7^{[3]}(4.75) &= (1 - \lambda)Q_6^{[2]}(4.75) + \lambda Q_7^{[2]}(4.75) \\ &= 0.25(0.01Q_4 + 0.479Q_5 + 0.510Q_6) \\ &\quad + 0.75(0.261Q_5 + 0.598Q_6 + 0.141Q_7) \\ &= 0.0025Q_4 + 0.316Q_5 + 0.576Q_6 + 0.106Q_7 \end{aligned} \quad \left(\lambda = \frac{4.75 - t_7}{t_8 - t_7} = 0.75 \right)$$

Order k
 $n + 1$ points
 $n + k + 1$ knots

de Boor algorithm: ex. 2

- For order 4, de Boor points Q_0, Q_1, \dots, Q_6 and knot sequence
$$T = [t_0 \quad t_1 \quad t_2 \quad t_3 \quad t_4 \quad t_5 \quad t_6 \quad t_7 \quad t_8 \quad t_9 \quad t_{10}]$$
$$= [-3 \quad -2 \quad -1 \quad 0 \quad 1 \quad 2 \quad 3 \quad 4 \quad 5 \quad 6 \quad 7]$$

Evaluate the B-spline curve at $t = 3.5$

de Boor algorithm: ex. 1

- Since $t_6 \leq 3.5 < t_7$, $r = 7$, therefore $i = 6 - 4 + 1 = 3$

$$Q_4^{[1]}(3.5) = (1 - \lambda)Q_3^{[0]} + \lambda Q_4^{[0]} \quad \left(\lambda = \frac{3.5 - t_4}{4 - 1} = 0.833 \right) \quad Q_5^{[2]}(3.5) = (1 - \lambda)Q_4^{[1]} + \lambda Q_5^{[1]} \quad \left(\lambda = \frac{3.5 - t_5}{4 - 2} = 0.75 \right)$$
$$= 0.167Q_3 + 0.833Q_4 \quad = 0.25(0.167Q_3 + 0.833Q_4) + 0.75(0.5Q_4 + 0.5Q_5)$$

$$= 0.042Q_3 + 0.583Q_4 + 0.375Q_5$$

$$Q_5^{[1]}(3.5) = (1 - \lambda)Q_4^{[0]} + \lambda Q_5^{[0]} \quad \left(\lambda = \frac{3.5 - t_5}{4 - 1} = 0.5 \right)$$
$$= 0.5Q_4 + 0.5Q_5$$

$$Q_6^{[2]}(3.5) = (1 - \lambda)Q_5^{[1]} + \lambda Q_6^{[1]} \quad \left(\lambda = \frac{3.5 - t_6}{4 - 2} = 0.25 \right)$$

$$Q_6^{[1]}(3.5) = (1 - \lambda)Q_5^{[0]} + \lambda Q_6^{[0]} \quad \left(\lambda = \frac{3.5 - t_6}{4 - 1} = 0.167 \right)$$
$$= 0.833Q_5 + 0.167Q_6$$

$$= 0.75(0.5Q_4 + 0.5Q_5) + 0.25(0.833Q_5 + 0.167Q_6)$$

$$= 0.375Q_4 + 0.583Q_5 + 0.042Q_6$$

$$Q_6^{[3]}(3.5) = (1 - \lambda)Q_5^{[2]} + \lambda Q_6^{[2]} \quad \left(\lambda = \frac{3.5 - t_6}{4 - 3} = 0.5 \right)$$

$$= 0.5(0.042Q_3 + 0.583Q_4 + 0.375Q_5) + 0.5(0.375Q_4 + 0.583Q_5 + 0.042Q_6)$$

$$= 0.021Q_3 + 0.479Q_4 + 0.479Q_5 + 0.021Q_6$$