

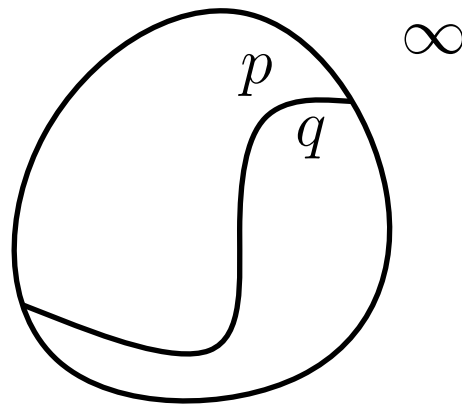
## 6. Construction of AVD

### Finite Part of AVD

- Let  $\Gamma$  be a simple closed curve such that all intersections between bisecting curve lie inside the inner domain of  $\Gamma$
- Consider a site  $\infty$ , define  $J(p, \infty) = J(\infty, p)$  to be  $\Gamma$  for all sites  $p \in S$ , and  $D(\infty, p)$  to be the outer domain of  $\Gamma$  for all sites  $p \in S$ .

### Incremental Construction

- Let  $s_1, s_2, \dots, s_n$  be a random sequence of  $S$
- Let  $R_i$  be  $\{\infty, s_1, s_2, \dots, s_i\}$
- Iteratively construct  $V(R_2), V(R_3), \dots, V(R_n)$



### General Position Assumption

- No  $J(p, q)$ ,  $J(p, r)$  and  $J(p, t)$  intersect the same point for any four distinct sites,  $p, q, r, t \in S$   
→ Degree of a Voronoi vertex is 3

### Remark

- For  $1 \leq i \leq n$  and for all sites  $p \in R_i$ ,  $VR(p, R_i)$  is simply connected, i.e., path connected and no hole
- If  $J(p, q)$  and  $J(p, r)$  intersect at a point  $x$ ,  $J(q, r)$  must pass through  $x$

## Basic Operations

- Given  $J(p, q)$  and a point  $v$ , determine  $v \in D(p, q)$ ,  $v \in J(p, q)$ , or  $v \in D(q, p)$
- Given a point  $v$  in common to three bisecting curves, determine the clockwise order of the curves around  $v$
- Given points  $u \in J(p, q)$  and  $w \in J(p, r)$  and orientation of these curves, determine the first point of  $J(p, r) |_{(w, \infty]}$  crossed by  $J(p, q) |_{(v, \infty]}$
- Given  $J(p, q)$  with an orientation and points  $v, w, x$  on  $J(p, q)$ , determine if  $v$  come before  $w$  on  $J(p, q) |_{(x, \infty]}$

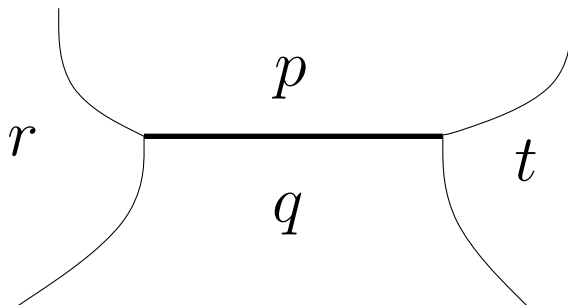
Notation: Give a connected subset  $A$  of  $\mathbb{R}^2$ ,  $\text{int}A$ ,  $\text{bd}A$ , and  $\text{cl}A$  mean the interior, the boundary, and the closure of  $A$ , respectively.

Conflict Graph  $G(R)$ , where  $R$  is  $R_i$  for  $2 \leq i \leq n$

- bipartite graph  $(U, V, E)$
- $U$ : Voronoi edges of  $V(R)$
- $V$ : Sites in  $S \setminus R$
- $E : \{(e, s) \mid e \in V(R), s \in S \setminus R, e \cap \text{VR}(s, R \cup \{s\}) \neq \emptyset\}$   
– a conflict relation between  $e$  and  $s$ .

Remark:

a Voronoi edge is defined by 4 sites under the general position assumption



## Lemma 1

Let  $R \subseteq S$  and  $t \in S \setminus R$ . Let  $e$  be the Voronoi edge between  $\text{VR}(p, R)$  and  $\text{VR}(q, R)$ .  $e \cap \text{VR}(t, R \cup \{t\}) = e \cap \text{VR}(t, \{p, q, r\})$ . (Local Test is enough)

*Proof:*

$\subseteq$ : Immediately from  $\text{VR}(t, R \cup \{t\}) \subseteq \text{VR}(t, \{p, q, t\})$

$\supseteq$ : Let  $x \in e \cap \text{VR}(t, \{p, q, t\})$

- Since  $x \in e$ ,  $x \in \text{VR}(p, R) \cup \text{VR}(q, R)$  and  $x \notin \text{VR}(r, R) \supseteq \text{VR}(r, R \cup \{t\})$  for any  $r \in R \setminus \{p, q\}$ .
- Since  $x \in \text{VR}(t, \{p, q, t\})$ ,  $x \notin \text{VR}(p, \{p, q, t\}) \cup \text{VR}(q, \{p, q, t\}) \supseteq \text{VR}(p, R \cup \{t\}) \cup \text{VR}(q, R \cup \{t\})$
- $x \notin \text{VR}(r, R \cup \{t\})$  for any site  $r \in R \rightarrow x \in \text{VR}(t, R \cup \{t\})$

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Inserting  $s \in S \setminus R$  to compute  $V(R \cup \{s\})$  and  $G(R \cup \{s\})$  from  $V(R)$  and  $G(R)$ . Handle a conflict between  $s$  and a Voronoi edge  $e$  of  $\text{VR}(R)$

## Lemma 2

$\text{cl } e \cap \text{cl } \text{VR}(s, R \cup \{s\}) \neq \emptyset$  implies  $e \cap \text{VR}(s, R \cup \{s\}) = \emptyset$

*proof*

- Let  $x$  belong to  $\text{cl } e \cap \text{cl } \text{VR}(s, R \cup \{s\})$
- $x$  is an endpoint of  $e$ :
  - $x$  is the intersection among three curves in  $R$
  - For any  $r \in R$ ,  $J(s, r)$  cannot pass through  $x$  due to the general position assumption
  - $x \in D(s, r) \rightarrow$  the neighborhood of  $x \in D(s, r)$
  - $\exists y \in e$  belongs to  $\text{VR}(s, R \cup \{s\})$
- $x \in e \cap \text{bd } \text{VR}(s, R \cup \{s\})$ 
  - $x \in J(p, q) \cap J(s, r)$
  - a point  $y \in e$  in the neighborhood of  $x$  such that  $y \in \text{VR}(s, R \cup \{s\})$

Let  $\mathcal{Q}$  be  $\text{VR}(s, R \cup \{s\})$

**Lemma 3**

$\mathcal{Q} = \emptyset$  if and only if  $\text{deg}_{G(R)}(s) = 0$

*proof* ( $\rightarrow$ ) If  $\mathcal{Q} = \emptyset$ ,  $\text{deg}_{G(R)}(s) = 0$

( $\leftarrow$ )

- $\text{deg}_{G(R)}(s) = 0$  implies  $\text{cl } \mathcal{Q} \subseteq \text{int } \text{VR}(r, R)$  for some  $r \in R$
- $\text{VR}(r, R \cup \{s\}) = \text{VR}(r, R) - \mathcal{Q}$
- Since  $\text{VR}(r, R \cup \{s\})$  must be simply connected,  $\mathcal{Q} = \emptyset$

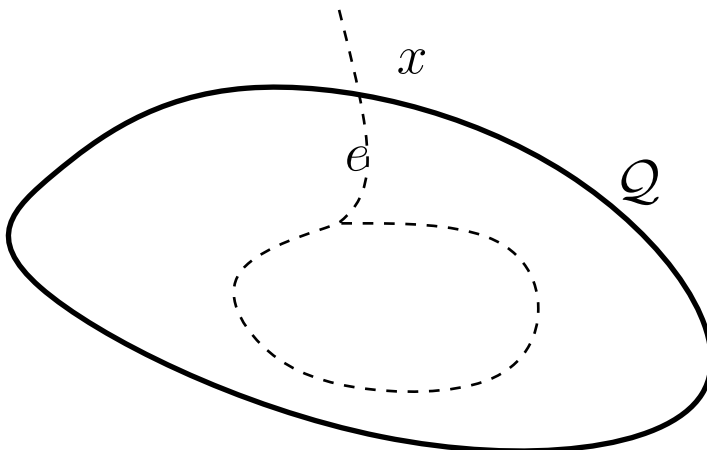
**Lemma 4**

Let  $I$  be  $V(R) \cap \text{bd } \mathcal{Q}$ .

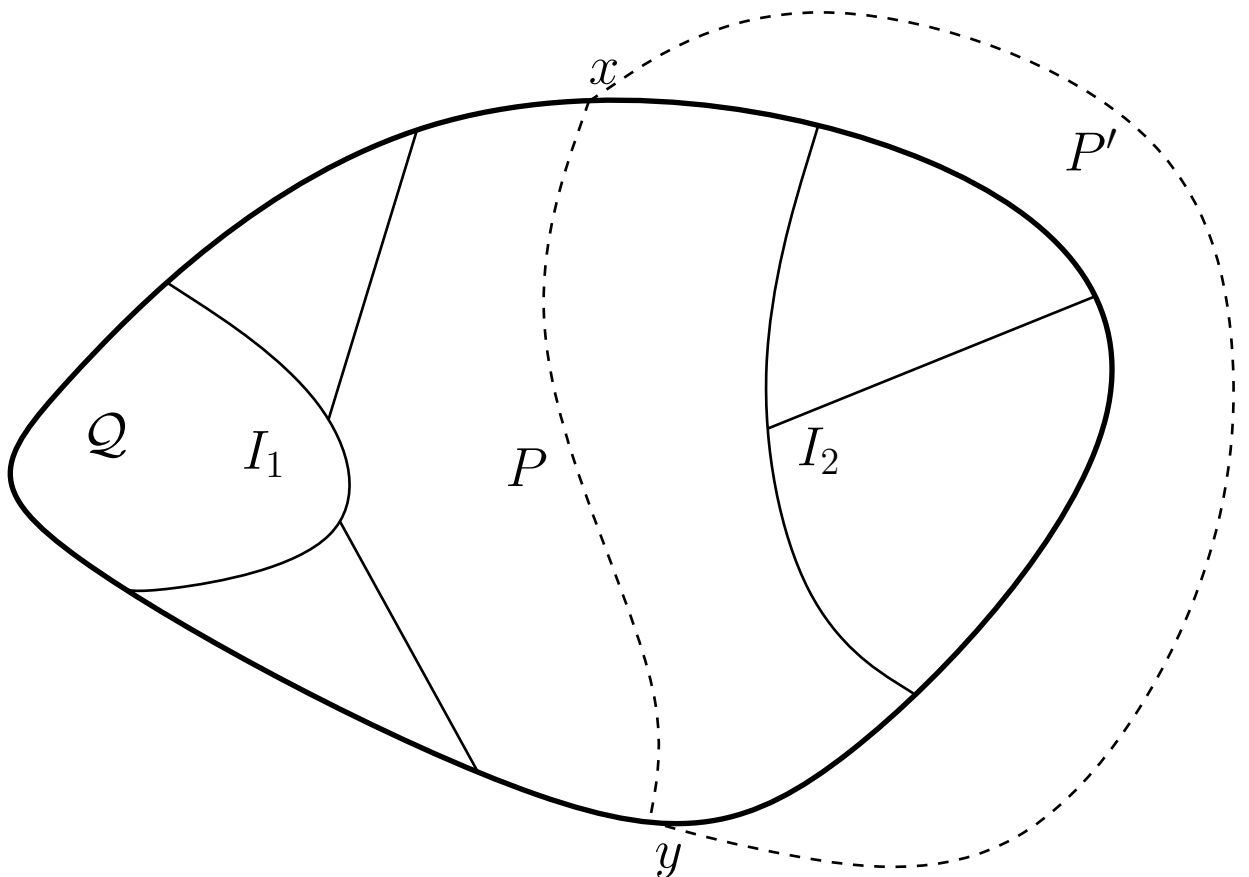
$I$  is a connected set which intersects  $\text{bd } \mathcal{Q}$  in at least two points.

*Proof:*

- $\text{bd } \mathcal{Q}$  is a closed curve which does not go through any vertex of  $V(R)$  due to the general position assumption.
- Let  $I_1, I_2, \dots, I_k$  be connected components of  $I$
- Claim:  $I_j$ ,  $1 \leq j \leq k$ , contains two points of  $\text{bd } \mathcal{Q}$ .
  - If  $I_j$  contains no point,  $I_j \subseteq \text{int } \mathcal{Q}$ . In other words, for some  $r \in R$ ,  $\text{VR}(r, R)$  contains  $I_j$ , contradicting that  $\text{VR}(r, R)$  must be simply connected
  - If  $I_j$  intersects exactly one point  $x$  on  $\text{bd } \mathcal{Q}$ , let  $e$  be the Voronoi edge of  $V(R)$  which contains  $x$ . Then both sides of  $e$  belong to the same Voronoi region. There exists a contradiction.



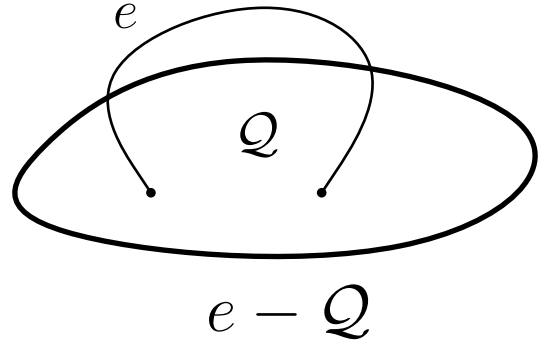
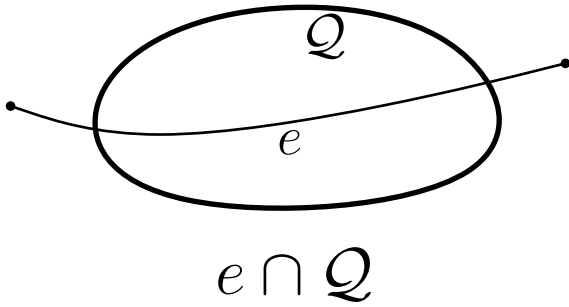
- Assume the contrary that  $k \geq 2$ 
  - There is a path  $P \subseteq \text{cl } \mathcal{Q} - (\cup_{1 \leq j \leq k} I_j)$  connects two points on  $\text{bd } \mathcal{Q}$  such that one component of  $\mathcal{Q} - P$  contains  $I_1$  and the other component contains  $I_2$ .
  - Let  $x, y$  be the two endpoints of  $P$  and let  $r \in R$  such that  $P \subseteq \text{VR}(r, R)$ .
  - Since  $x, y \notin V(R)$ ,  $\text{VR}(r, R \cup \{s\}) = \text{VR}(r, R) - \mathcal{Q} \neq \emptyset \rightarrow x, y \in \text{cl } \text{VR}(r, R \cup \{s\})$
  - Since  $x, y \in \text{cl } \text{VR}(r, R \cup \{s\})$ , there is a path  $P' \subseteq \text{VR}(r, R \cup \{s\})$  with endpoints  $x$  and  $y$ .
  - $P \circ P'$  is contained in  $\text{cl } \text{VR}(r, R)$  and contains either  $I_1$  and  $I_2$ , contradicting  $\text{cl } \text{VR}(r, R)$  is simply connected



### Lemma 5

Let  $e$  be an edge of  $V(R)$ . If  $e \cap \mathcal{Q} \neq \emptyset$ ,

- either ( $e \cap \mathcal{Q} = V(R) \cap \mathcal{Q}$  or  $e \cap \mathcal{Q}$  is a single component),
- or  $e - \mathcal{Q}$  is a single component

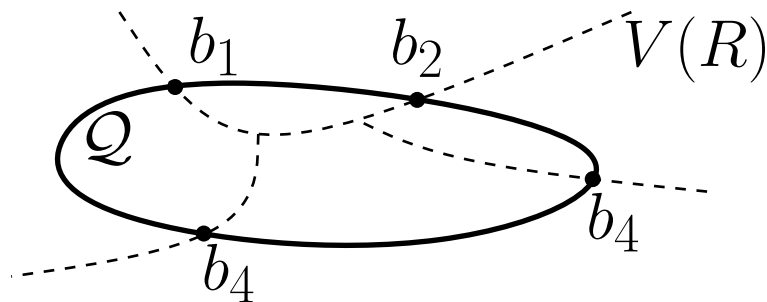


*Proof*

- Assume first  $e \cap \mathcal{Q} = V(R) \cap \mathcal{Q}$ 
  - Since  $V(R) \cap \mathcal{Q}$  is connected,  $e \cap \mathcal{Q}$  is connected
- Assume next that  $e \cap \mathcal{Q} \neq V(R) \cap \mathcal{Q}$ 
  - At least one endpoint of  $e$  is contained in  $\mathcal{Q}$
  - For every point  $x \in e \cap \mathcal{Q}$ , one of the subpaths of  $e$  connecting  $x$  to an endpoint of  $e$  must be contained in  $\mathcal{Q}$
  - $e \cap \mathcal{Q}$  or  $e - \mathcal{Q}$  is a single component

Rough Idea

- Let  $L$  be  $\{e \in V(R) \mid (e, s) \in G(R)\}$
- For every edge  $e \in L$ , let  $e'$  be  $e - \mathcal{Q} = e - \text{VR}(s, R \cup \{s\})$ . If  $e$  is an edge between  $\text{VR}(p, R)$  and  $\text{VR}(q, R)$ ,  $e' = e - D(s, p) = e - D(s, q)$
- Let  $B$  be  $\{x \in \mathcal{Q} \mid x \text{ is an endpoint of } e' \text{ but is not an endpoint of } e\} = V(R) \cap \text{bd } \mathcal{Q}$
- $\text{bd } \mathcal{Q}$  is a cyclic ordering on the points in  $B$



**Step 1:** Compute  $e'$  for each edge  $e \in L$

**Step 2:** Compute  $B$  and cyclic ordering on  $B$  induced by  $\text{bd } \mathcal{Q}$

**Step 3:** Let  $x_1, \dots, x_k$  be the set  $B$  in its cyclic ordering ( $x_{k+1} = x_1$ ), and let  $r_i$  such that  $(x_i, x_{i+1}) \in \text{VR}(r_i, r)$

- For  $1 \leq i \leq k$ , add the part of  $J(r_i, s)$  with endpoints  $x_i$  and  $x_{i+1}$

**Lemma 6**

$V(R \cup \{s\})$  can be constructed from  $V(R)$  and  $G(R)$  in time  $O(\deg_{G(R)}(s) + 1)$

**Lemma 7**

$G(R \cup \{s\})$  can be constructed from  $V(R)$  and  $G(R)$  in  $O(\sum_{(e,s) \in G(R)} \deg_{G(R)}(e))$  time

1. Edges of  $V(R \cup \{S\})$  which were already edges of  $V(R)$  don't change
2. Edges of  $V(R \cup \{S\})$  which are parts of edges in  $L$

- consider each edge  $e \in L$
- If  $e \subseteq \mathcal{Q}$ ,  $e$  has to be deleted from conflict graph.
- If  $e \not\subseteq \mathcal{Q}$ ,  $e - \mathcal{Q}$  consists at most two subsegment.
- let  $e'$  be one of the subsegments and let  $t$  be a site in  $S \setminus R \cup \{s\}$ .
- $e' \cap \text{VR}(t, R \cup \{s, t\}) = e' \cap_{r \in R} D(t, r) \cap D(t, s) = e' \cap \text{VR}(t, R \cup \{t\}) \cap D(t, s) \subseteq e \cap \text{VR}(t, R \cup \{t\})$
- Any site  $t$  in conflict with  $e'$  must be in conflict with  $e$
- Takes time  $O(\sum_{e \in L} \deg_{G(R)}(e)) = O(\sum_{(e,s) \in G(R)} \deg_{G(R)}(e))$

3. Edges of  $\text{VR}(s, R \cup \{s\})$  which are complete new

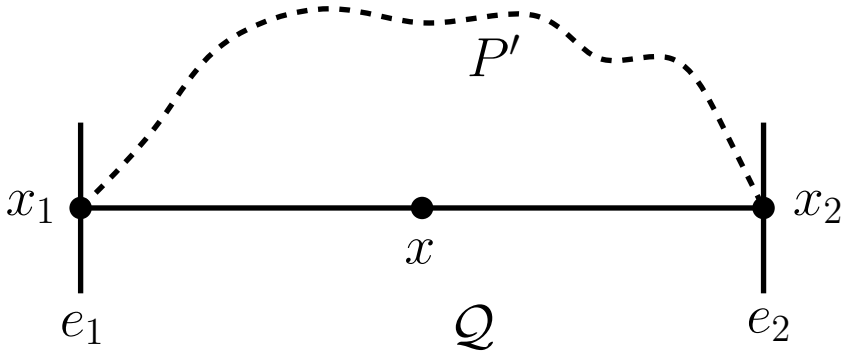
- Let  $e_{12}$  connect  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  in  $B$
- Let  $e_{12}$  belong to  $\text{VR}(p, R)$  such that  $e_{12}$  belongs to  $J(p, s)$
- Let  $x_1 \in e_1$  of  $\text{VR}(p, R)$  and  $x_2 \in e_2$  of  $\text{VR}(p, R)$
- Let  $P$  be the part of  $\text{bd } \text{VR}(p, R)$  which connects  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  and is contained in  $\text{cl } \mathcal{Q}$ .
- Lemma 8 will prove that If  $t \in S \setminus R \cup \{s\}$  is in conflict with  $e_{12}$ ,  $t$  must be in conflict with either  $e_1$ ,  $e_2$  or one of the edges of  $P$
- Each edge in  $L$  is involved at most twice, takes time  $O(\sum_{(e,s) \in G(R)} \deg_{G(R)}(e))$

### Lemma 7

Let  $t \in S \setminus (R \cup \{s\})$  and let  $t$  conflict with  $e_{12}$  in  $V(R \cup \{s\})$  (as defined in Lemma 7).  $t$  conflicts with  $e_1$ ,  $e_2$ , or one of the edges of  $P$ .

*Proof:*

- By the definition of conflict, a point  $x \in e_{12}$  exists such that  $x \in \text{VR}(t, R \cup \{s, t\}) \subseteq \text{VR}(t, R \cup \{t\})$
- Assume the contrary that  $t$  does not conflict with  $e_1$ ,  $e_2$ , or one edge of  $P$ .
- For any sufficiently small neighborhood of  $U(x_1)$  of  $x_1$ ,  $\text{VR}(t, R \cup \{s, t\}) \cap U(x_1) \subseteq \text{VR}(t, R \cup \{t\}) \cap U(x_1) = \emptyset$ , and it is also true for  $x_2$ .
- Let  $p$  be a site in  $R$  such that  $e_{12} \subseteq \text{cl VR}(p, R \cup \{s\})$ , implying that  $x_1, x_2 \in \text{cl VR}(p, R \cup \{s\})$
- There is a path  $P'$  from  $x_1$  to  $x_2$  completely inside  $\text{VR}(p, R \cup \{s, t\}) \subseteq \text{VR}(p, R \cup \{t\})$ .
- The cycle  $x_1 \circ P \circ x_2 \circ P'$  contains  $\text{VR}(t, R \cup \{t\})$  and is contained in  $\text{VR}(p, R \cup \{t\})$ .
- contradict  $\text{VR}(p, R \cup \{t\})$  is simply connected



### Theorem 1

Let  $s \in S \setminus R$ .  $G(R \cup \{s\})$  and  $V(R \cup \{s\})$  can be constructed from  $G(R)$  and  $V(R)$  in time  $O(\sum_{(e,s) \in G(R)} \deg_{G(R)}(e))$



## Theorem 2

$V(S)$  can be computed in  $O(n \log n)$  expected time

- $\sum_{3 \leq i \leq n} O(\sum_{(e,s_i) \in G(R_{i-1})} \deg_{G(R_{i-1})}(e))$
- Let  $e$  be a Voronoi edge of  $V(R_i)$  and let  $s$  be a site in  $S \setminus R_i$  which conflicts  $e$ .
- The conflict relation  $(e, s)$  will be counted only once since the counting only occurred when  $e$  is removed
  - Let  $s_j$  be the earliest site in the sequence which conflicts with  $e$ . Then  $(e, s)$  will be counted in  $\deg_{G(R_{j-1})}(e)$
- Time proportional to the number of conflict relations between Voronoi edges in  $\cup_{2 \leq i \leq n} V(R_i)$  and sites in  $S$
- The expected size of conflict history is  $-C_n + \sum_{2 \leq i \leq n} (n - j + 1)p_j$ 
  - $C_n$  is the expected size of  $\cup_{2 \leq i \leq n} V(R_i)$
  - $p_j$  is the expected number of Voronoi edges defined by the same two sites in  $V(R_j)$
- Since  $C_n = O(n)$  and  $p_j = O(1/j)$ , the expected run time is  $O(n \log n)$