There are, as in almost any book, some misprints, most of which are obvious, such as the unions on the first page of the preface, which were meant to be intersections, as is made clear on the second page of the preface.

While the domains considered for the most part are simple, the methods can all, in principle, be extended to more complicated domains. Such a project must await another work, and this one will be the starting point for that.

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