

# Adaptive Quadrature

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## Introduction

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# Motivation

**Recall:**

$$I(f) = \int_a^b f(x)dx$$

Partition

$$a = x_1 < x_2 < \dots < x_{n+1} = b$$

and denote  $h_i = x_{i+1} - x_i$ , then

$$I(f) = \sum_{i=1}^n I_i$$

where,

$$I_i = \int_{x_i}^{x_{i+1}} f(x)dx$$

# Error In Rectangle Rule

**Recall:** Taylor expansion  $f(x)$  about the midpoint  $y_i = \frac{x_i+x_{i+1}}{2}$   
(in fact, we can expand it at any points within a small neighborhood, the midpoint is a special case.) :

$$f(x) = f(y_i) + \sum_{p=1}^{\infty} \frac{(x-y_i)^p}{p!} f^{(p)}(y_i).$$

Integrate the both sides and notes that

$$\int_{x_i}^{x_{i+1}} (x - y_i)^p dx = \begin{cases} \frac{h_i^{p+1}}{(p+1)^{2p}} & \text{if } p \text{ is even} \\ 0 & \text{if } p \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$$

Why ?

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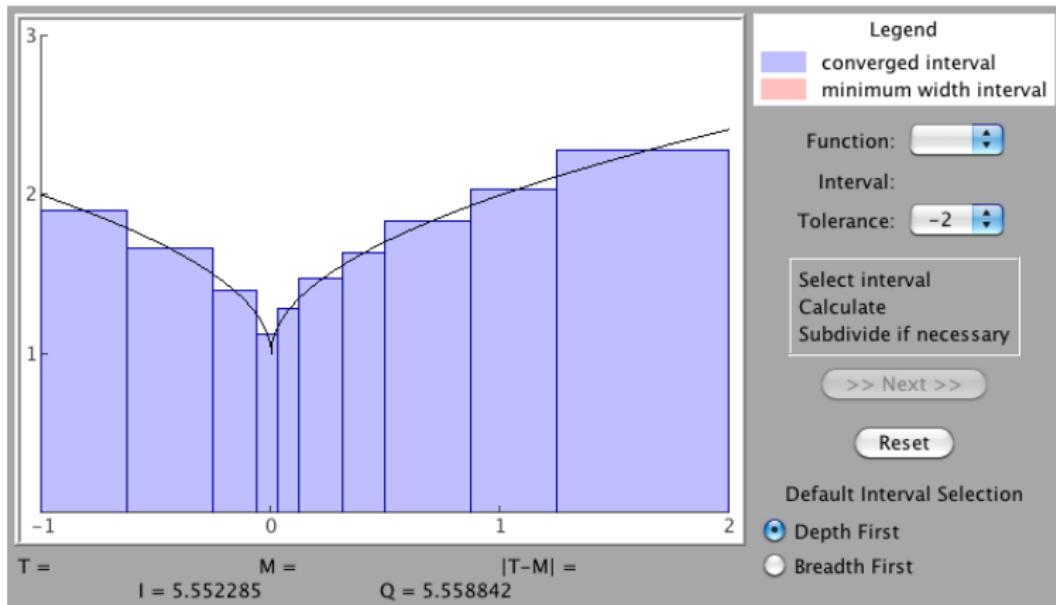
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## ► Rectangle Rule



Function evaluation: n

# Error In Trapezoid Rule

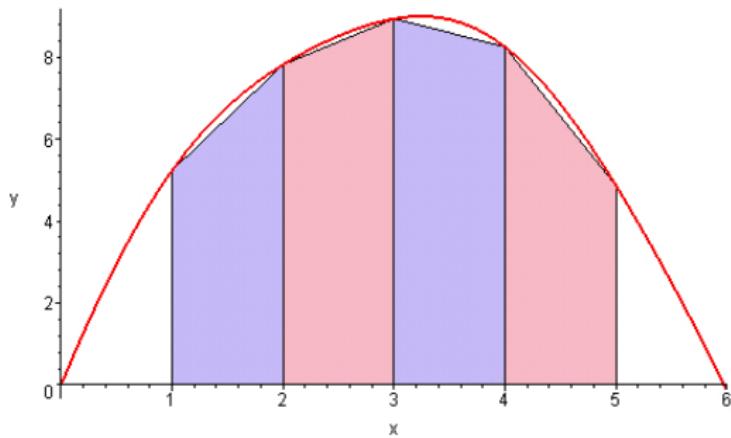
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$$\int_{x_i}^{x_{i+1}} f(x) dx = h_i \frac{f(x_i) + f(x_{i+1})}{2} - \underbrace{\frac{1}{12} h_i^3 f''(y_i) - \frac{1}{480} h_i^5 f^{(4)}(y_i) + \dots}_{\text{Error}}$$

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Function evaluation:  $n+1$

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Then a more accurate method by combining two together

$$\begin{aligned} S_i(f) &= \frac{2}{3} R_i(f) + \frac{1}{3} T_i(f) \\ &= I_i(f) + \underbrace{\frac{1}{2880} h_i^5 f^{(4)}(y_i) + \dots}_{\text{Error}} \end{aligned}$$

# Simpson's Rule

In a few steps, we can get:

$$\begin{aligned}S_i(f) &= \frac{2}{3}R_i(f) + \frac{1}{3}T_i(f) \\&= \frac{1}{6}h_i[f(x_i) + 4f\left(\frac{x_i+x_{i+1}}{2}\right) + f(x_{i+1})]\end{aligned}$$

Function evaluation:  $2n + 1$

# Adaptive Quadrature

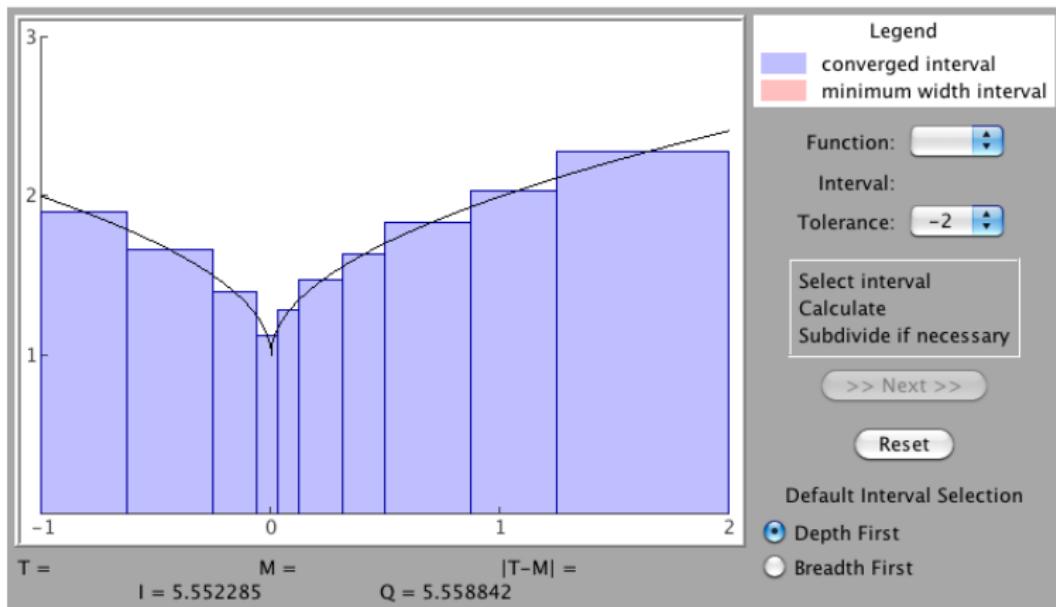
- ▶ What is an adaptive quadrature?

## Definition

Given a predetermined tolerance  $\epsilon$ , the algorithm automatically determines the panel size so that the computed approximation  $Q$  satisfies

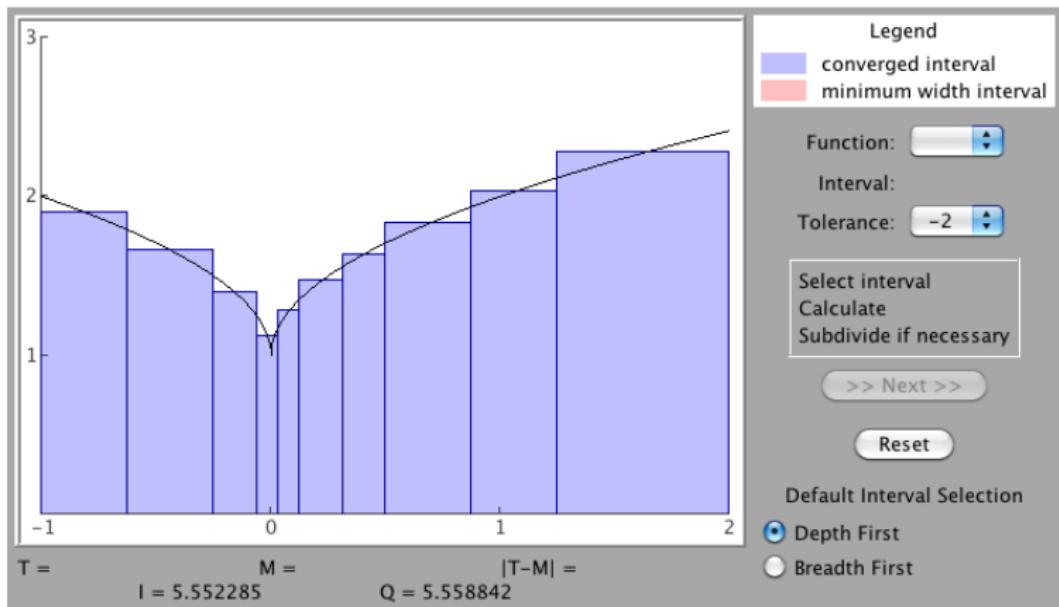
$$|Q - \int_a^b f(x)dx| < \epsilon$$

## ► Adaptive Quadrature using Rectangle Rule



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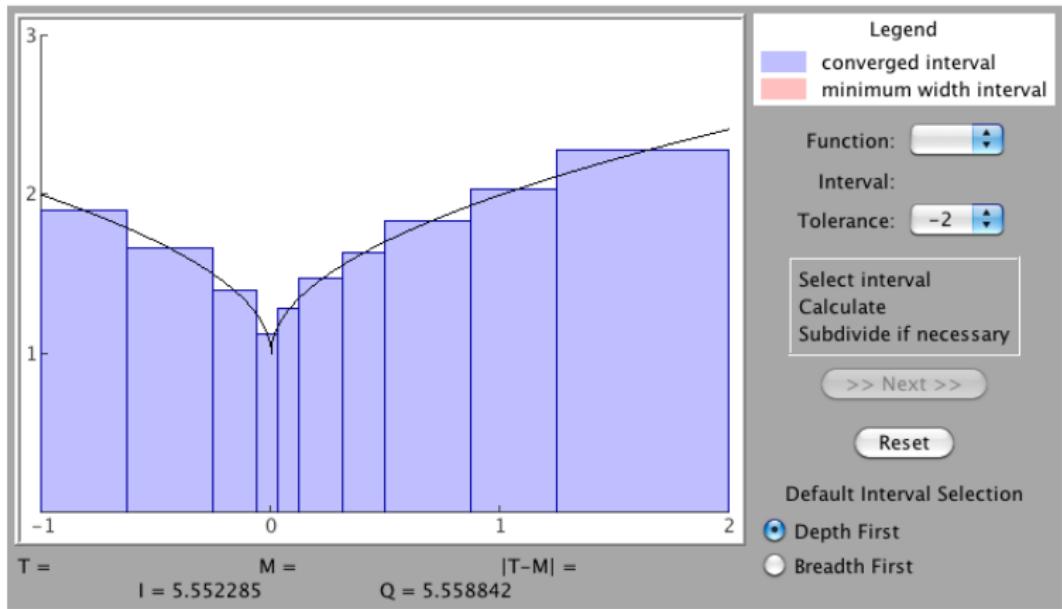
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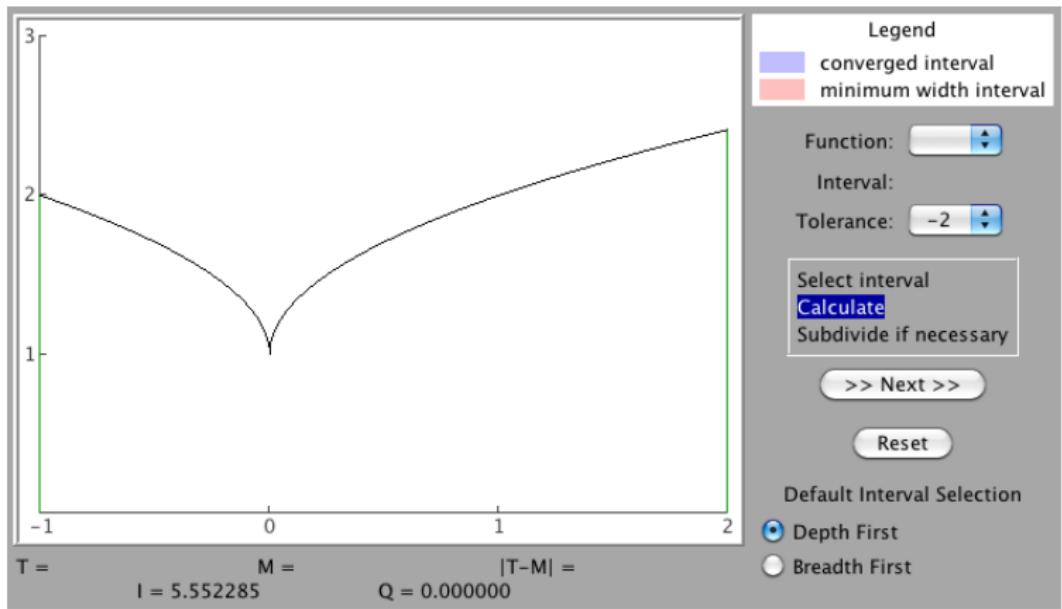
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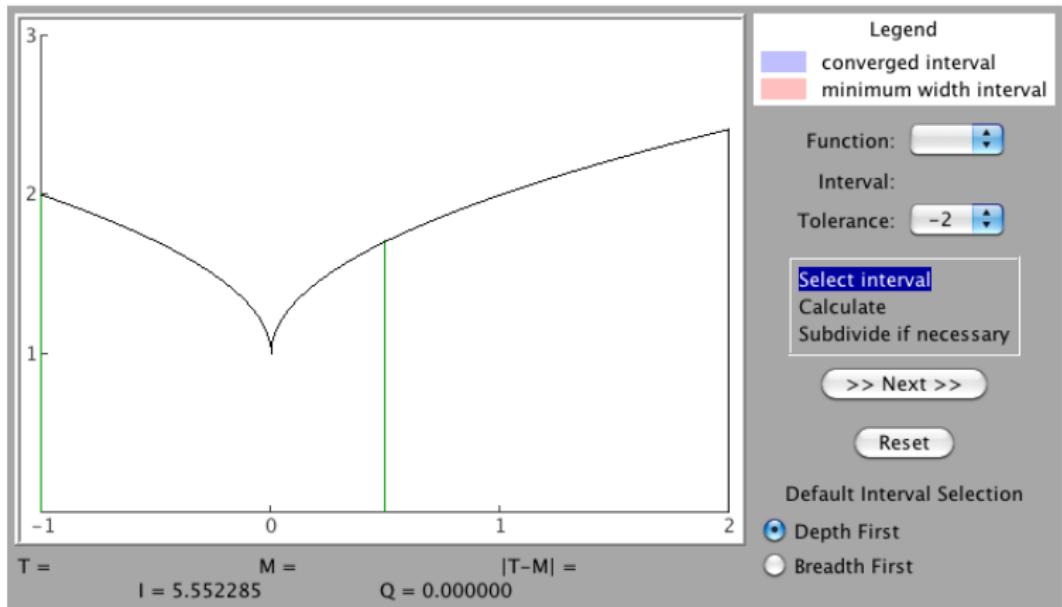
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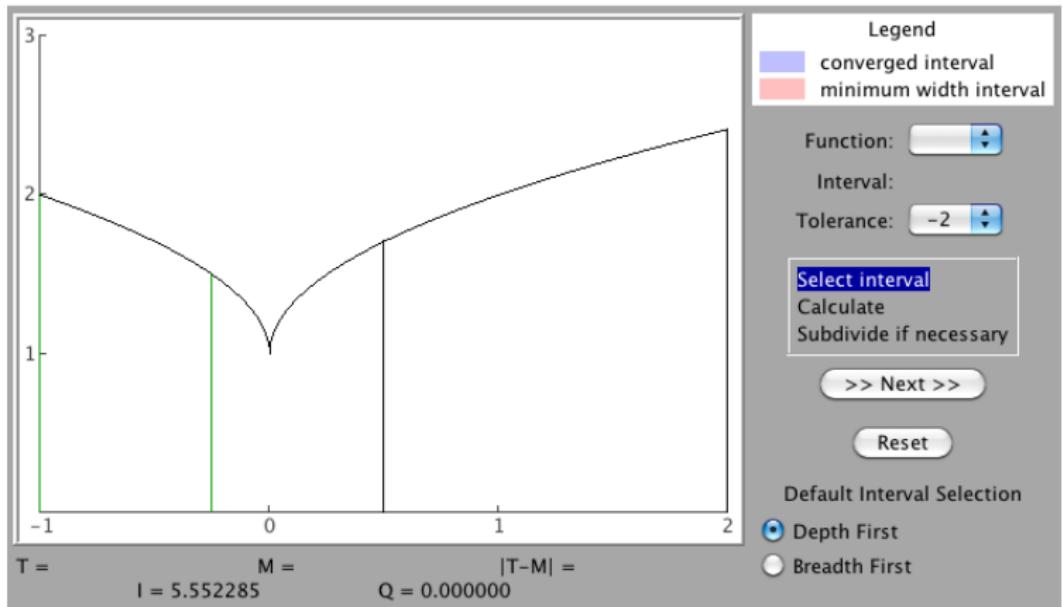
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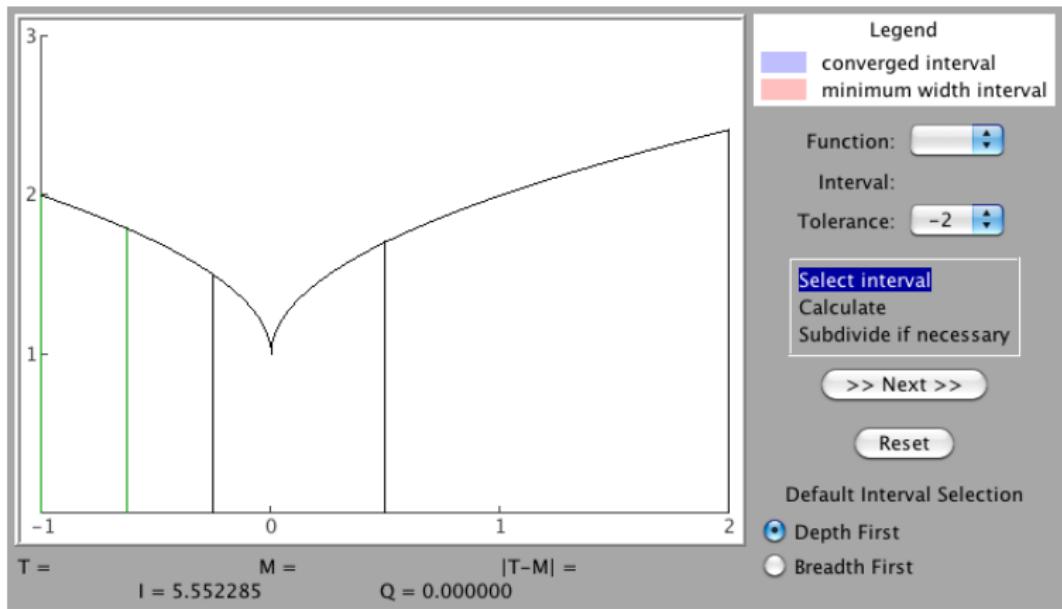
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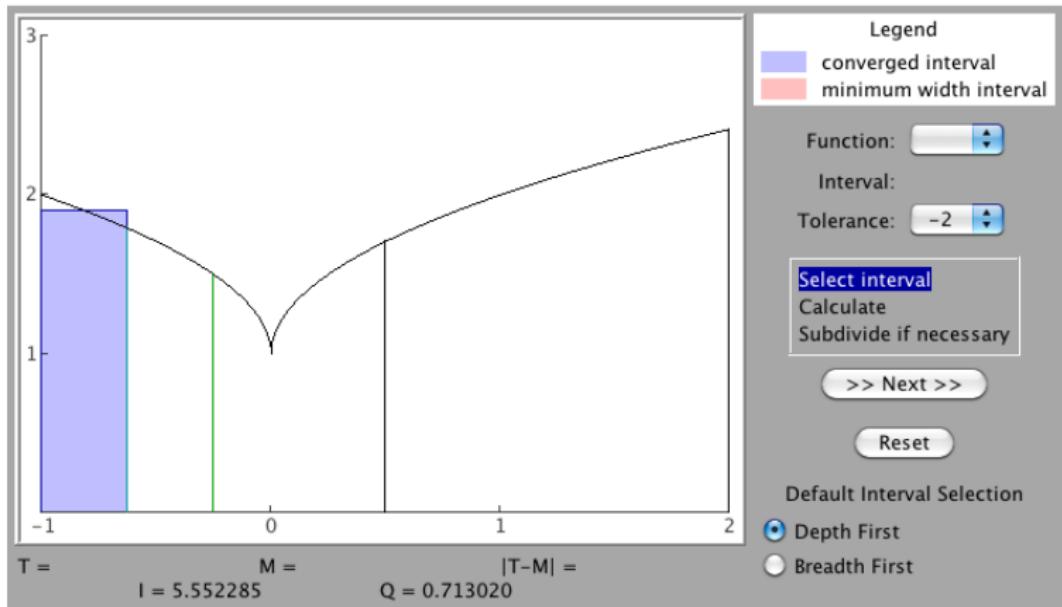
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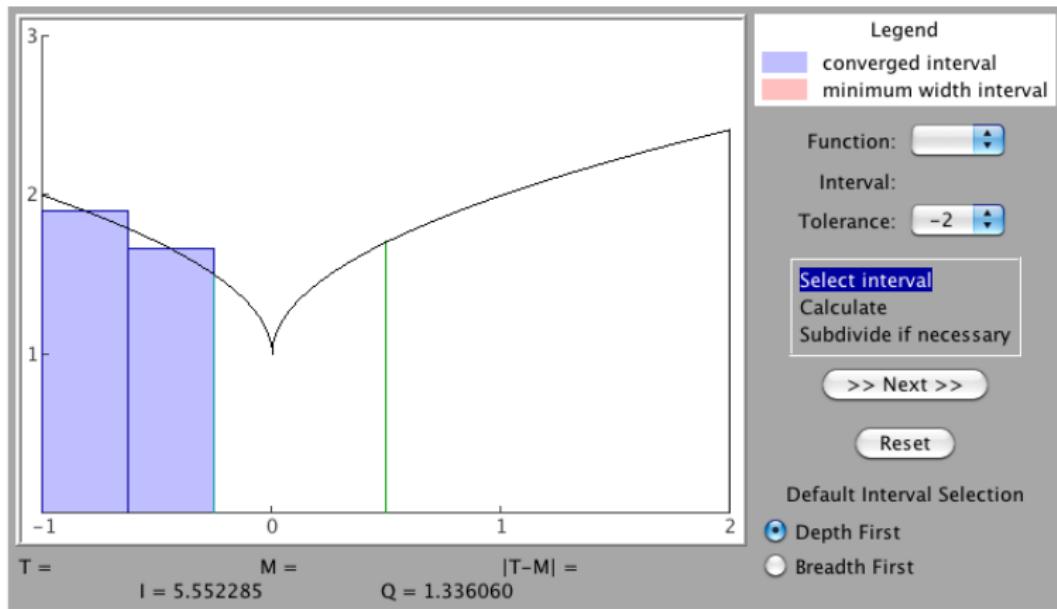
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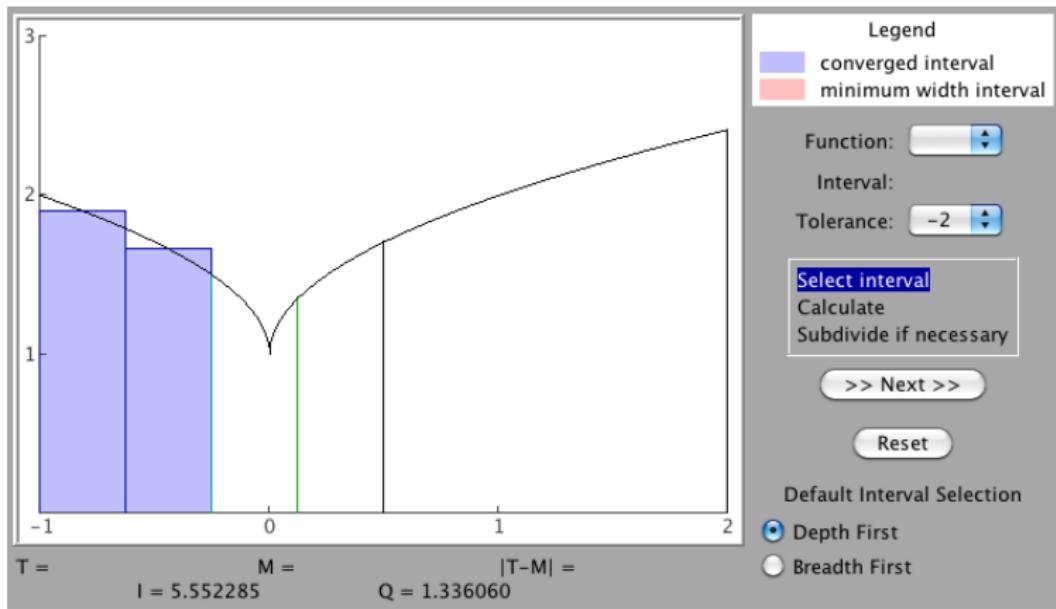
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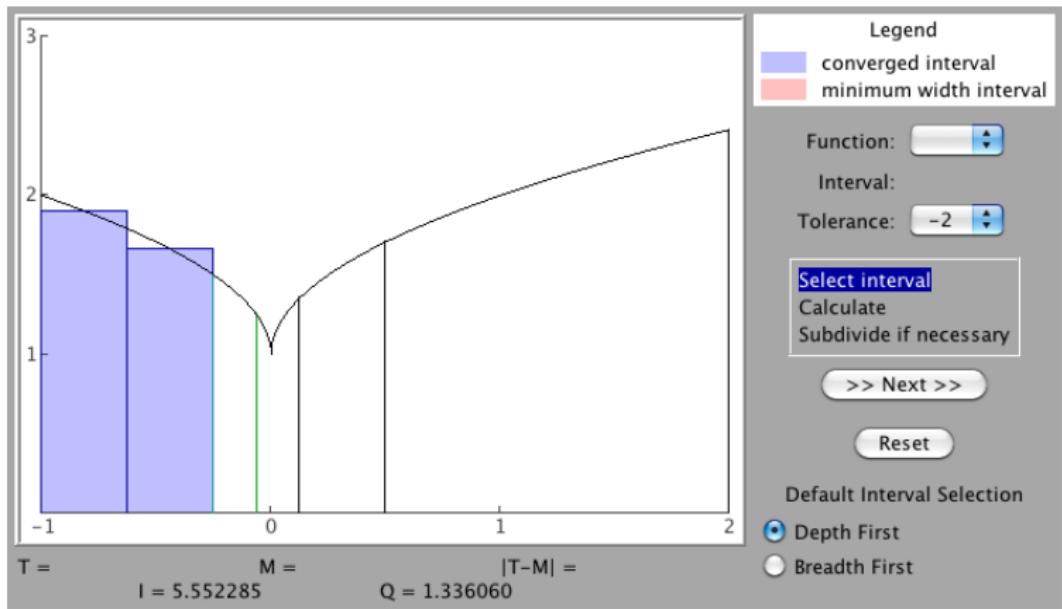
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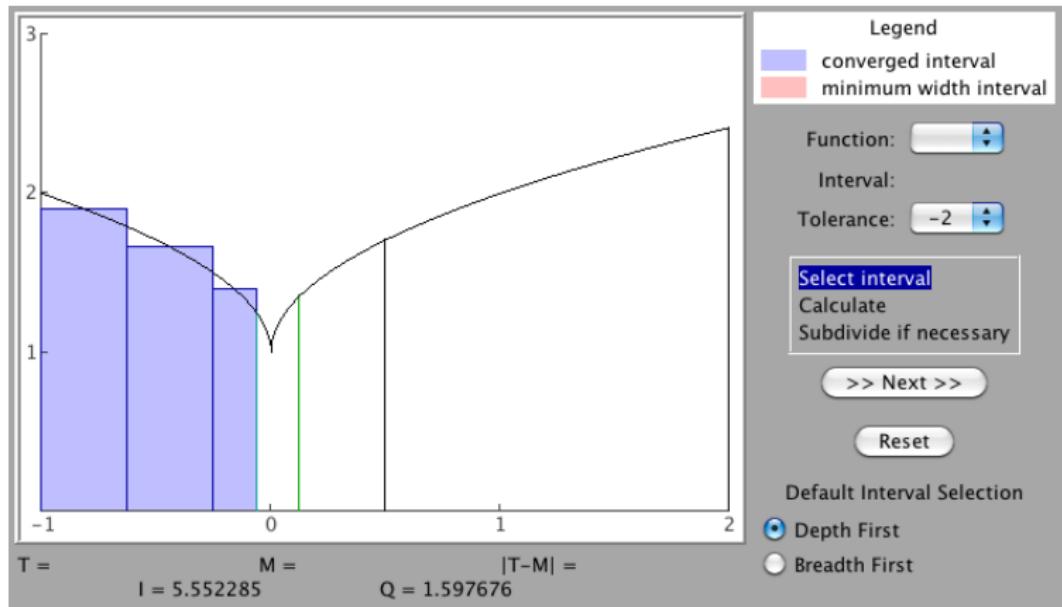
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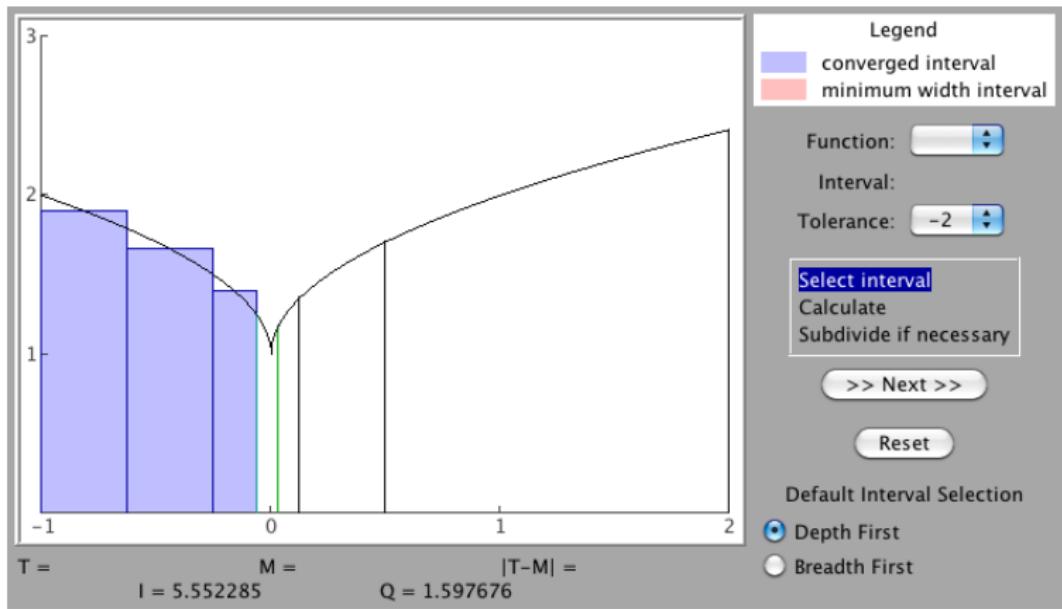
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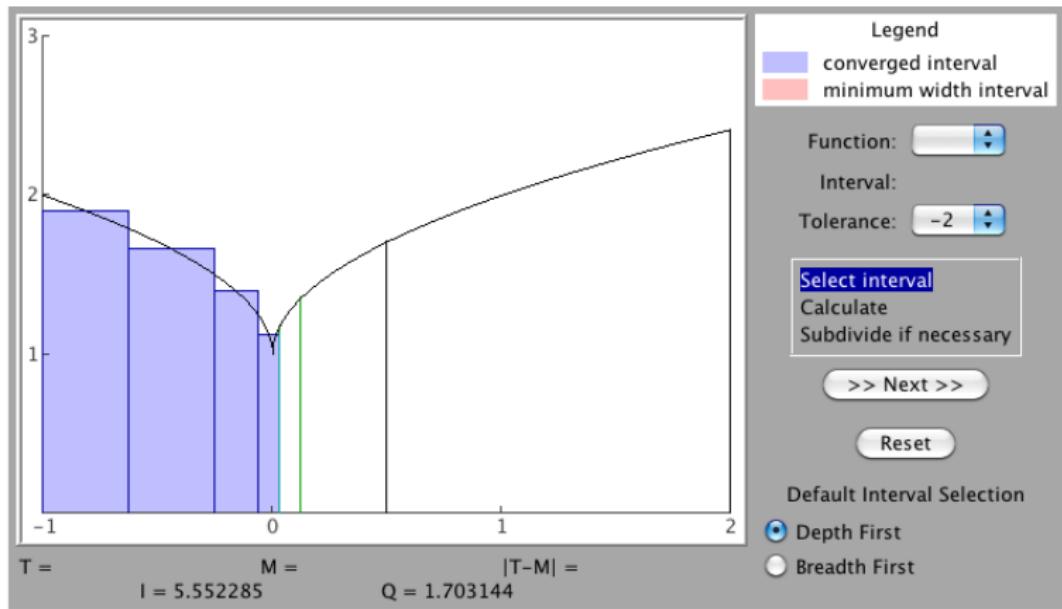
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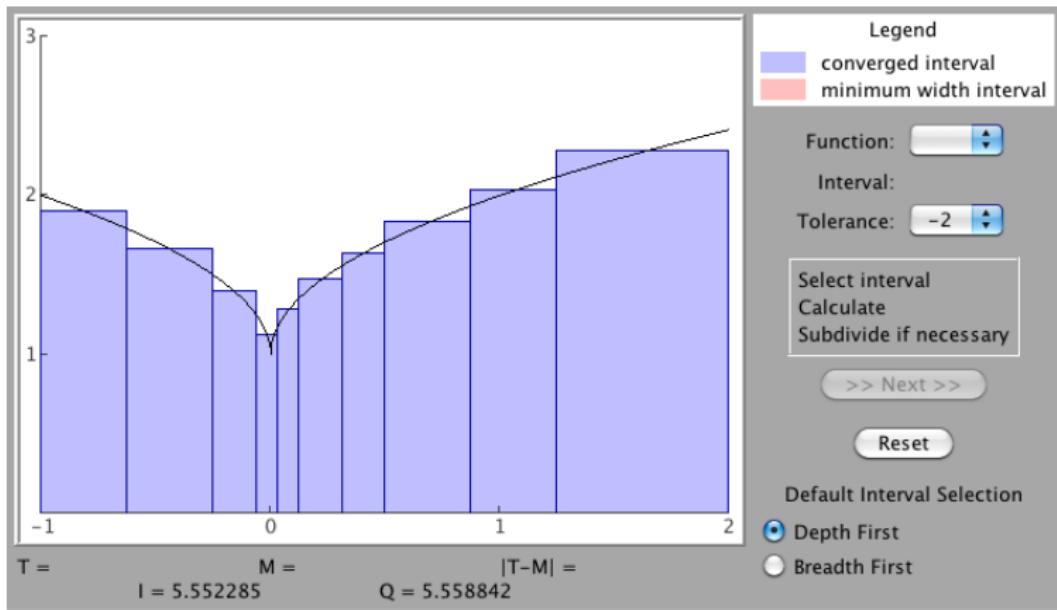
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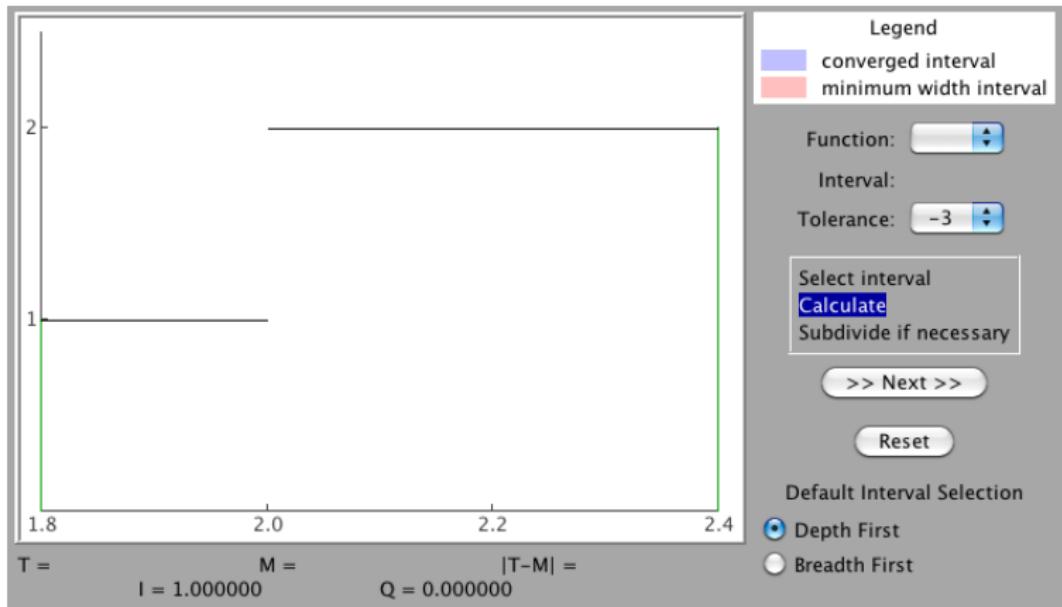


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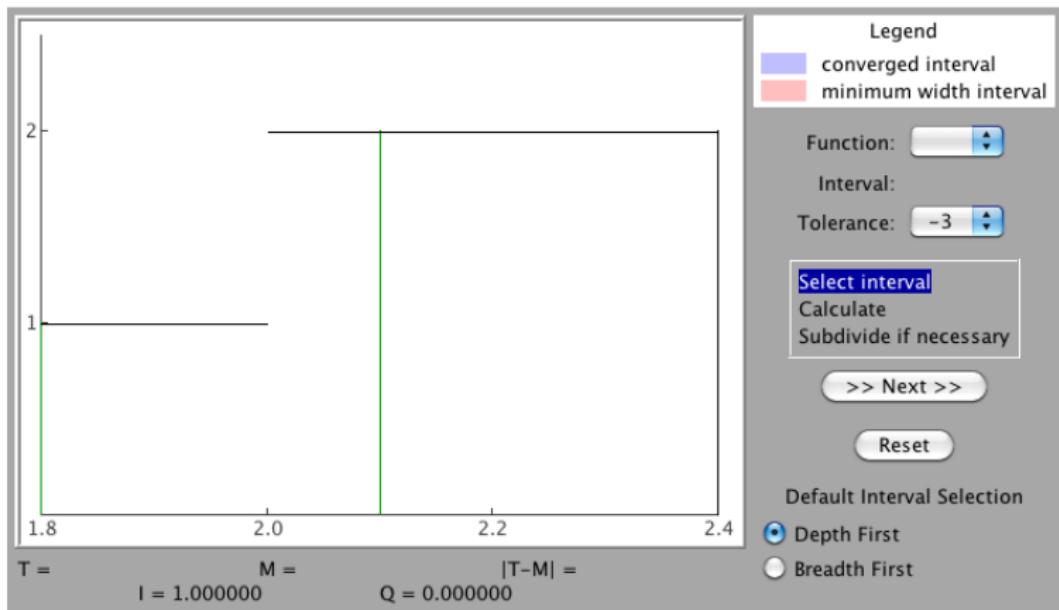


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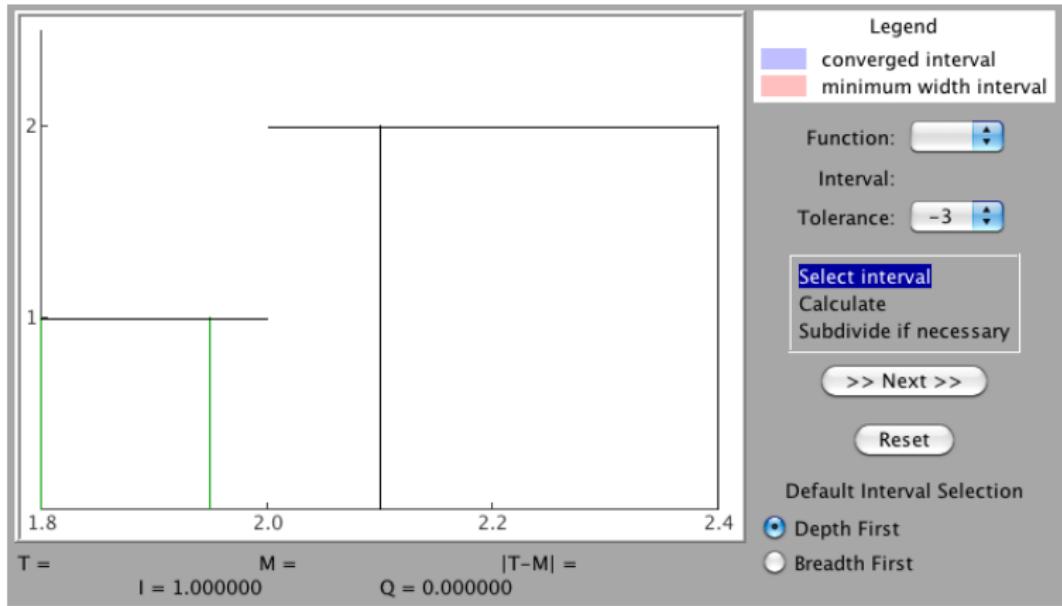
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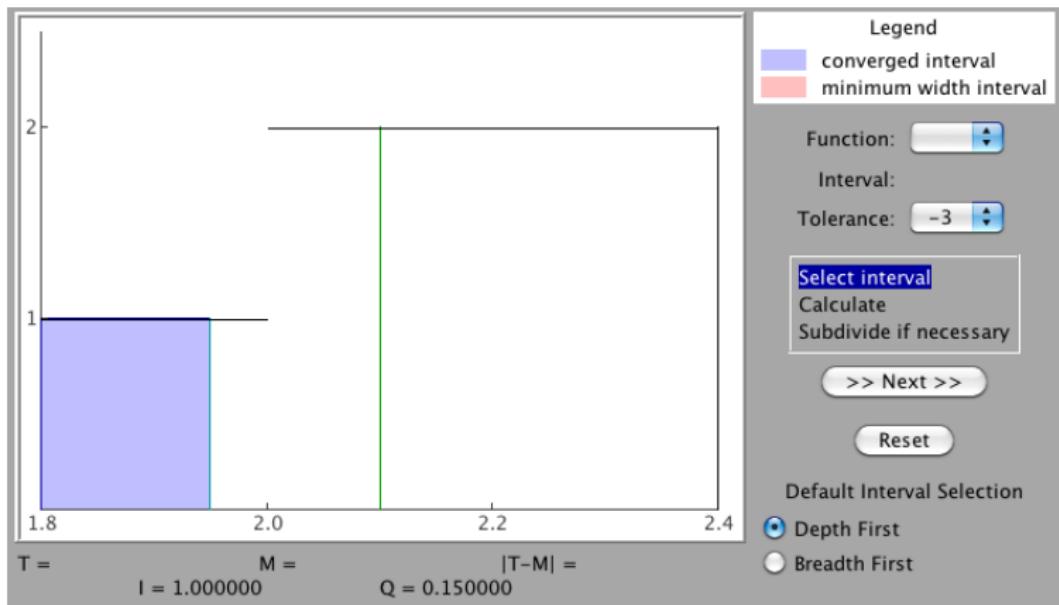
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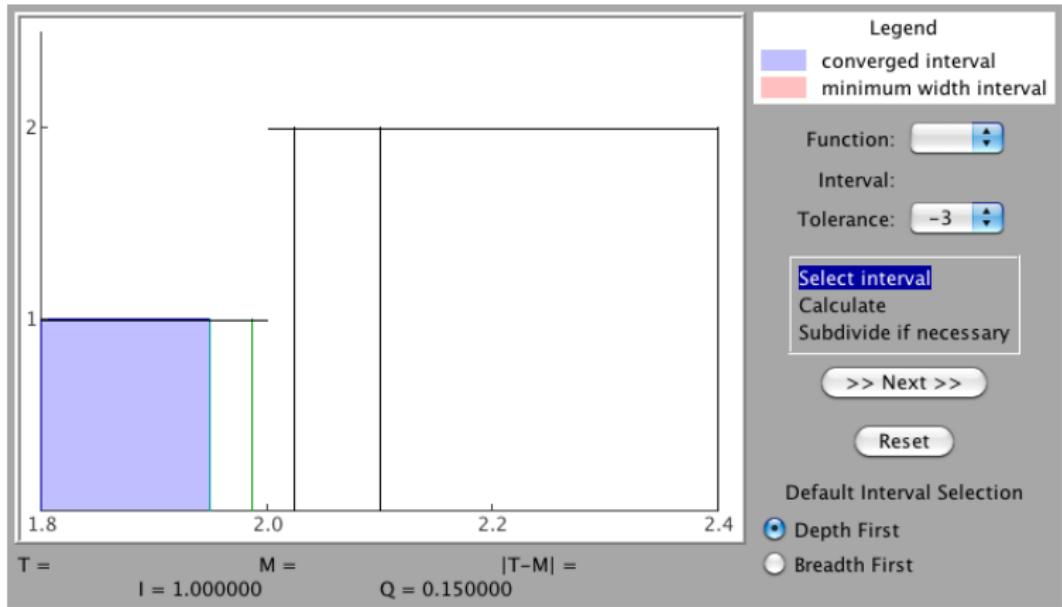
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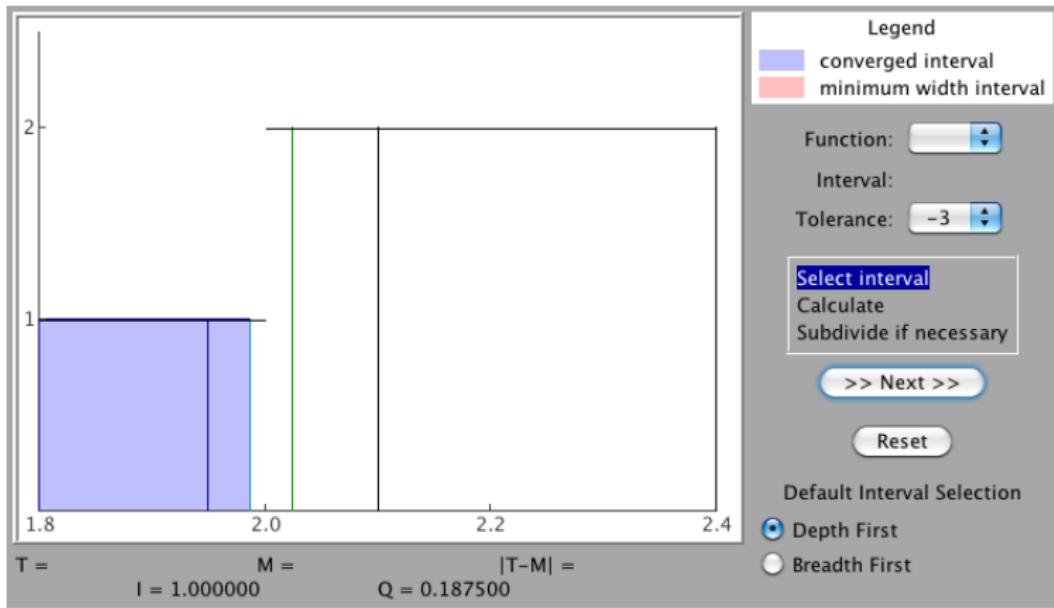
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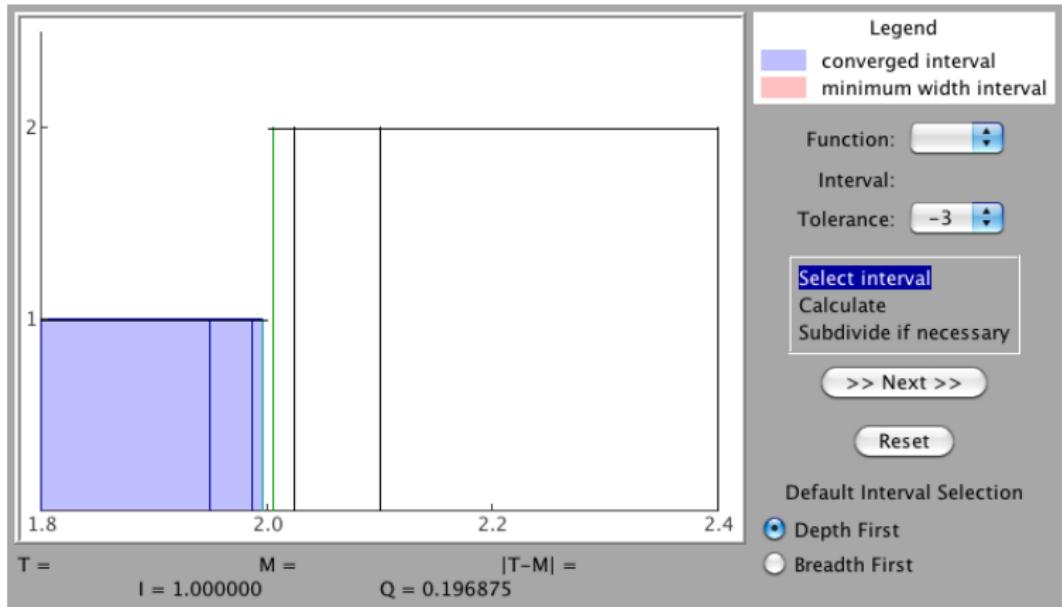
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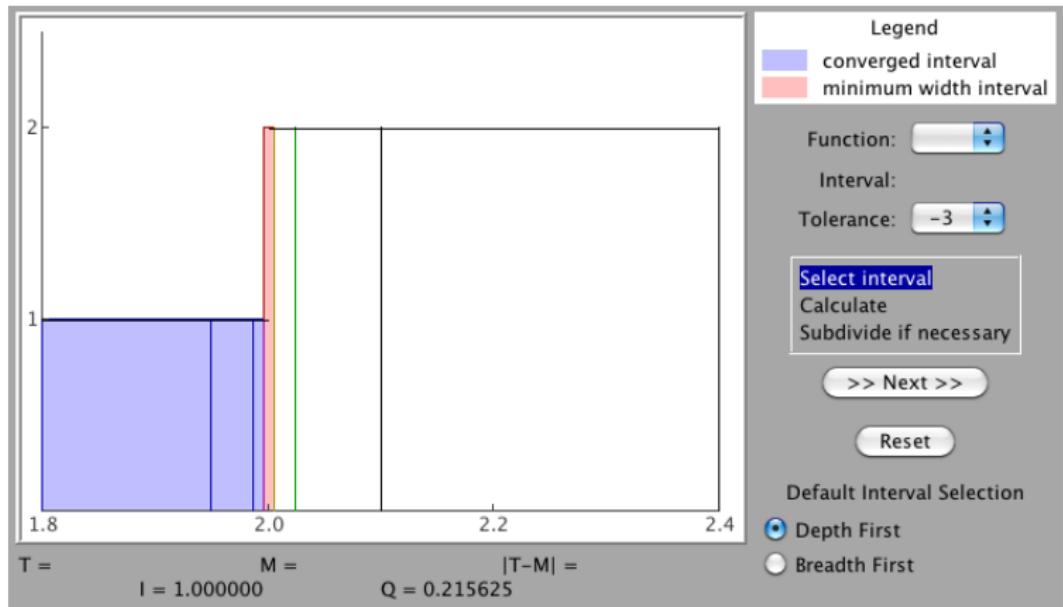
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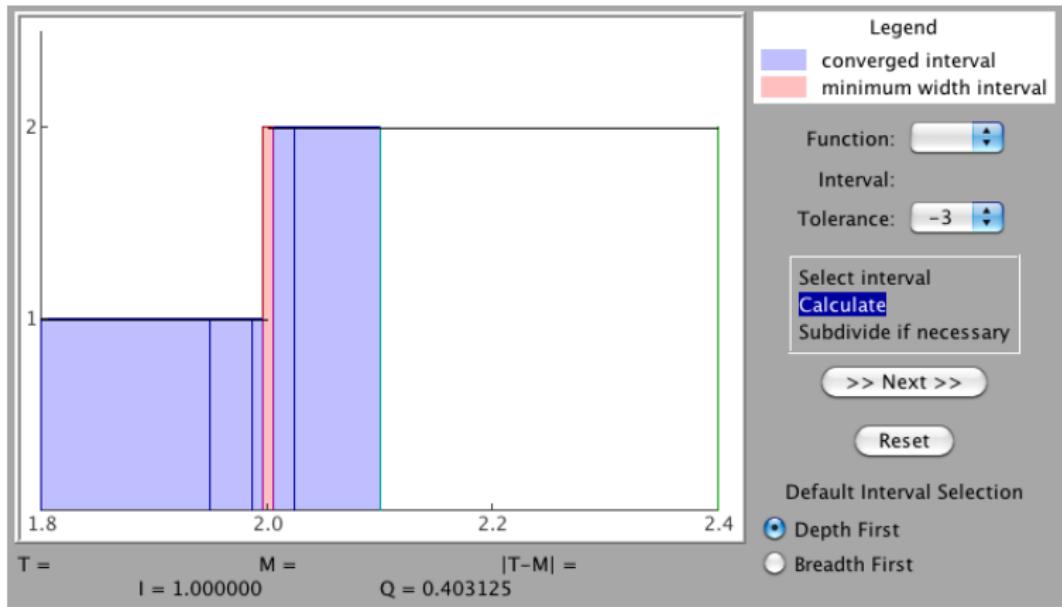
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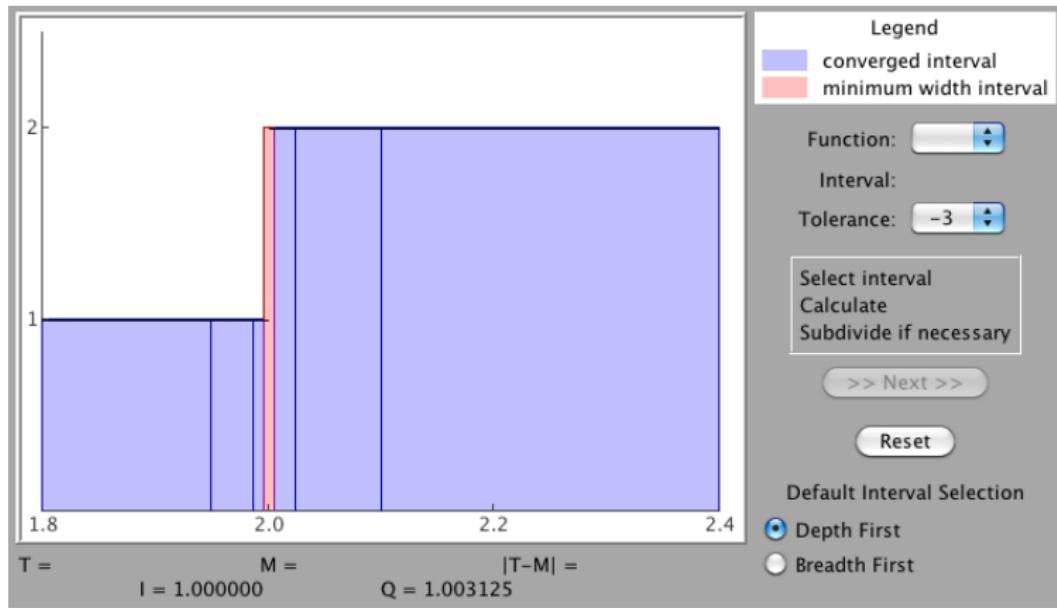
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