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## HOMOLOGY: THEORETICAL AND COMPUTATIONAL ASPECTS

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### **Generalized persistent homologies:**

#### **Introduction and motivation**

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#### **Exercises on Basic Persistence**

1. Compute the persistence diagrams of the size pair  $(X, f)$  where  $X$  is a figure 8 embedded in the “natural” way in a Cartesian plane, and  $f$  is ordinate.
2. Same thing, but with  $f$  as the abscissa.
3. Let  $X$  be a cube of side length 2, embedded into a Cartesian space with centre in the origin and sides parallel to coordinate axes; let  $f : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be the absolute value of  $x$ . Compute all persistence diagrams of  $(X, f)$ .
4. Recognize the objects of

`http://www.ipet.gr/~akoutsou/benchmark/`

as size pairs  $(X, f)$  and invent operators  $F$  to other size pairs (see slide 20 by M. Ferri), apt to compare, classify, retrieve those shapes.