# Densification via Polynomial Extensions 

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Theorem (Metcalfe, Montagna, Ciabattoni, Terui, Galatos, RH)
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## Fact

The semiring $\mathbf{A} / \theta$ forms a commutative residuated lattice $\mathbf{A}_{\gamma}$.

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(2) First, consider the polynomial ring $\mathbb{Q}[X]$ and the take a quotient by the principal congruence $\Theta\left(X^{2}, 2\right)$.
Then the congruence class of $X$ plays the role of $\sqrt{2}$.
Every congruence class has a representative of the form $a+b X$ for $a, b \in \mathbb{Q}$.

Note that $\mathbb{Q}[X]$ is not a field, the divisions are recoved in the quotient $\mathbb{Q}[X] / \Theta\left(X^{2}, 2\right)$.

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For other explanations see my webpage: www.cs.cas.cz/~horcik

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Theorem
Let $A, C$ be chains, $\mathbf{B}$ a commutative residuated chain and let $f_{B}: A \rightarrow B$ and $f_{C}: A \rightarrow C$ be order embeddings. Then there is a commutative residuated chain $\mathbf{D}$, an order embedding $g_{C}: C \rightarrow D$ and a residuated lattice embedding $g_{B}: \mathbf{B} \rightarrow \mathbf{D}$ such that the right diagram commutes.

## Thank you!

