

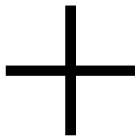
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Small Experiment III

PDF rendition – exponent version

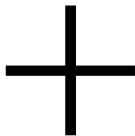
Try to simplify the following expression when reading it one character at a time.

y^2



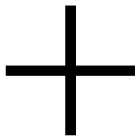


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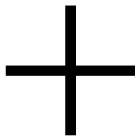
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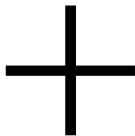


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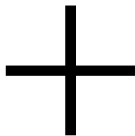
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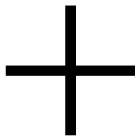
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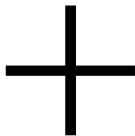
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y^2



X

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