## SEMINARIO DE GEOMETRÍA ALGEBRAICA

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## Root arrangements for hyperbolic polynomials and their derivatives

Summary: To define a root arrangement for a hyperbolic polynomial (HP) and its derivatives means to write all these roots in a chain in which any two consecutive roots are connected with the sign < or =. A hyperbolic polynomial-like function (HPLF) of degree n is a real-valued smooth function having n real zeros counted with the multiplicities, and whose n-th derivative vanishes nowhere. For  $n \leq 3$  (resp. for n = 4) all root arrangements compatible with the Rolle theorem are realizable by hyperbolic polynomials and their derivatives (resp. by HPLFs, but not necessarily by HPs). For  $n \geq 5$  HPLFs do not realize all such arrangements.