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On Rogers-Shephard type inequalities for (n-1)-dimensional volumes

The difference body K - K of a convex body $K \in \mathbb{R}^n$, formed by taking the Minkowski sum of K and -K, has been extensively studied, notably following the conjectured Rogers-Shephard inequality, $V_n(K - K) \leq \binom{2n}{n}V_n(K)$, with equality if and only if K is a simplex. Although this inequality holds for n-dimensional volumes, very little is known about the upper bound for the (n - 1)-dimensional volume of K - K. In this talk, we first introduce some preliminaries on convex analysis, and discuss our asymptotic upper bound for $\frac{V_{n-1}(K-K)}{V_{n-1}(K)}$, supported by estimates for some classes of polytopes and nonsmooth bodies in \mathbb{R}^3 .