

Verified Adversarial Robustness: Lipschitz Certificates for Neural Networks in Lean 4

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Abstract

Can we *prove* a neural network is safe? Adversarial examples — imperceptible input perturbations that cause misclassification — remain the most persistent failure mode of deep learning. Existing defenses rely on empirical testing, which cannot guarantee safety. Certification methods based on Lipschitz constants offer provable guarantees, but the mathematical chain from definition to certificate has never been formally verified.

We present the first Lean 4 verification of end-to-end adversarial robustness certificates for feedforward ReLU networks. The proof chain spans 22 files and 172 machine-checked declarations with zero sorry (no unproved assertions). The key results:

1. **Network Lipschitz bound.** For an L -layer ReLU network with weight matrices W_1, \dots, W_L , the Lipschitz constant satisfies $\text{Lip}(f) \leq \prod_{\ell=1}^L \|W_\ell\|_{\text{op}}$.
2. **Certified radius.** For any input x with classification margin $m(x) > 0$, every perturbation δ with $\|\delta\| < m(x)/(2 \cdot \text{Lip}(f))$ preserves the predicted class.
3. **Tightness.** The certified radius is exact for linear networks: the bound is achieved by the top singular vector.
4. **Spectral improvement.** Replacing the spectral norm $\|J\|_{\text{op}} = \sigma_{\max}$ with the effective Lipschitz constant $L_{\text{eff}} = \|J\|_F/\sqrt{n}$ yields *strictly* tighter certificates, with improvement factor $\sigma_{\max} \cdot \sqrt{n}/\|J\|_F \geq 1$, with equality if and only if the singular value spectrum is flat.

The spectral connection is the paper’s unique contribution: the same eigenvalue conditioning that replaces Monte Carlo simulation for financial risk computation (Spectral Fenton) yields provably tighter adversarial certificates for neural networks. Both applications reduce to a single mathematical operation — projecting high-dimensional uncertainty onto its principal spectral components.

One-sentence summary: We provide the first machine-verified proof that neural networks can be certified adversarially robust, with a spectral bridge showing that eigenvalue conditioning from financial mathematics yields strictly tighter safety certificates.

1. Introduction

1.1 The Adversarial Vulnerability Problem

Neural networks are fragile. Szegedy et al. (2014) discovered that imperceptible perturbations to images can cause state-of-the-art classifiers to misclassify with high confidence. Goodfellow, Shlens,

and Szegedy (2015) showed this is not a rare pathology but a systematic vulnerability exploitable by simple gradient-based attacks (FGSM). The problem extends beyond images: adversarial examples exist for speech recognition (Carlini and Wagner, 2018), natural language processing (Alzantot et al., 2018), reinforcement learning (Huang et al., 2017), and medical imaging (Finlayson et al., 2019).

Two decades of defenses have followed: adversarial training (Madry et al., 2018), input transformations (Dziugaite et al., 2016), detection networks (Metzen et al., 2017), certified defenses (Wong and Kolter, 2018), and randomized smoothing (Cohen et al., 2019). Yet the fundamental problem remains: **empirical defenses can be broken by stronger attacks** (Athalye et al., 2018; Tramer et al., 2020). Testing-based security provides no guarantee — it only demonstrates the absence of discovered attacks, not the absence of attacks.

1.2 Certification: From Testing to Proof

The alternative to testing is *certification*: proving mathematically that no perturbation within a specified radius can change the network’s prediction. The Lipschitz-based approach is the most natural: if a function f is L -Lipschitz, then $\|f(x) - f(x + \delta)\| \leq L\|\delta\|$ for all δ . If the classification margin at x exceeds $L\|\delta\|$, the prediction is guaranteed unchanged.

This approach was developed by Hein and Andriushchenko (2017), Weng et al. (2018), Fazlyab et al. (2019), and others. The mathematical chain is:

Lipschitz definition \rightarrow composition \rightarrow ReLU \rightarrow single layer \rightarrow network \rightarrow margin \rightarrow certificate

Every link in this chain involves an inequality. Every inequality could contain an error. And indeed, the adversarial robustness literature contains numerous retracted or corrected claims (Carlini et al., 2019). The standard of evidence is empirical evaluation against known attacks — a standard that history has shown to be insufficient.

1.3 Why Formal Verification?

We propose a different standard: **machine-checked mathematical proof**. Using the Lean 4 proof assistant with its Mathlib library, we verify every step of the Lipschitz certification chain. The Lean kernel is a small trusted codebase (~10K lines of C++) that checks proofs by verifying each logical step. If the proof compiles, the theorem is true — not with high probability, not against known attacks, but with the certainty of mathematical logic.

This is not a new idea in principle. Formal verification has been applied to compilers (CompCert), operating systems (seL4), and cryptographic protocols (EverCrypt). But it has not been applied to adversarial robustness certificates. The closest work is Bagnall and Stewart (2019), who verified basic neural network properties in Coq, but did not address adversarial robustness. Our contribution is the first complete verification of the Lipschitz certification chain, from definition to certificate to tightness, in any proof assistant.

1.4 The Verified ML Foundations Series

This paper is the fifth in the *Verified ML Foundations* series — five papers providing machine-checked proofs for fundamental aspects of machine learning:

Paper	Angle	Key result
Scaling Laws (NeurIPS 2026)	Why neural networks improve with scale	$L^*(C) \sim C^{-(s-1)/(s+1)}$ from eigenvalue decay
Self-Improvement (NeurIPS 2026)	What limits recursive AI improvement	Ceiling $K^*(N)$ under summable coupling
Transformer Dynamics (NeurIPS 2026)	Why the dominant architecture works	$d(X_L) \leq (1 - \varepsilon\lambda_2)^L \cdot d_0$
Adam Is Broken (ICML 2027)	Why the most-cited optimizer fails	$R_T = \Omega(T)$ for Adam; $O(\sqrt{T})$ for AMSGrad
Adversarial Robustness (this paper)	How to certify model safety	$r = m/(2L)$ verified + spectral improvement

Five papers, five orthogonal angles on deep learning, all machine-checked in Lean 4. The series arc: *theory* (Scaling Laws) \rightarrow *limits* (Self-Improvement) \rightarrow *architecture* (Transformer) \rightarrow *optimization* (Adam) \rightarrow **safety** (Robustness). No research group has produced even one Lean-verified ML theory paper. This series produces five.

1.5 Contributions and Paper Outline

Our contributions are:

1. **First complete Lean 4 verification** of the Lipschitz certification chain for feedforward ReLU networks (§2–§5).
2. **Verified tightness**: the certificate is exact for linear networks (§5).
3. **Verified spectral improvement**: Frobenius-based certificates are *always* at least as tight as spectral-norm certificates, with quantified improvement factor (§8–§9).
4. **The spectral bridge**: connecting eigenvalue conditioning from financial risk to adversarial robustness — a novel cross-domain connection (§9).
5. **Extensions**: coherent certificates (§10.1), weight decay connection (§10.2), spectral entropy and fairness (§11).

The complete Lean proof chain: 22 files, 172 declarations, 0 sorry.

2. Lipschitz Functions: The Mathematical Foundation

2.1 Definition and Basic Properties

A function $f : X \rightarrow Y$ between metric spaces is *K-Lipschitz* if for all $x, y \in X$:

$$d_Y(f(x), f(y)) \leq K \cdot d_X(x, y)$$

The smallest such K is the *Lipschitz constant* $\text{Lip}(f)$. This is the fundamental notion connecting input perturbation magnitude to output change.

[Lean: identity_lipschitz, constant_lipschitz, lipschitz_dist_bound in LipschitzDef.lean]

Proposition 1 (Basic Lipschitz properties). (i) *Identity*: The identity function is 1-Lipschitz. (ii) *Constants*: Every constant function is 0-Lipschitz. (iii) *Scaling*: The function $x \mapsto ax$ is $|a|$ -Lipschitz. (iv) *Weakening*: If f is K -Lipschitz and $K' \geq K$, then f is K' -Lipschitz. (v) *Budget*: If $L \cdot \delta \leq \varepsilon$ and $d(f(x), f(y)) \leq L \cdot \delta$, then $d(f(x), f(y)) \leq \varepsilon$.

Proof. Each property follows directly from the definition. The budget lemma is transitivity of \leq . \square

[Lean: scaling_lipschitz, lipschitz_weaken, lipschitz_budget in LipschitzDef.lean]

The budget lemma (v) is the workhorse: given a Lipschitz constant L and a perturbation budget δ , the output change is at most $L \cdot \delta$. Adversarial robustness certification is precisely this: bounding the output change to stay within the classification margin.

2.2 Composition Rule

Theorem 1 (Lipschitz composition). If f is K_1 -Lipschitz and g is K_2 -Lipschitz, then $f \circ g$ is $(K_1 \cdot K_2)$ -Lipschitz.

Proof.

$$d(f(g(x)), f(g(y))) \leq K_1 \cdot d(g(x), g(y)) \leq K_1 \cdot K_2 \cdot d(x, y) \quad \square$$

[Lean: lipschitz_comp, composition_dist_bound, lipschitz_chain in LipschitzComposition.lean]

Corollary 1 (Triple composition). If f, g, h are Lipschitz with constants K_f, K_g, K_h , then $f \circ g \circ h$ is $(K_f \cdot K_g \cdot K_h)$ -Lipschitz.

[Lean: triple_composition in LipschitzComposition.lean]

The composition rule is the engine of deep network analysis: a deep network is a composition of layers, so its Lipschitz constant is bounded by the product of layer Lipschitz constants.

3. Neural Network Lipschitz Constants

3.1 ReLU is 1-Lipschitz

The Rectified Linear Unit $\text{ReLU}(x) = \max(x, 0)$ is the dominant activation function in modern deep learning. Its Lipschitz property is the foundation of network certification.

Definition 1 (ReLU). $\text{ReLU}(x) = \max(x, 0) = (x + |x|)/2$.

[Lean: relu in ReLULipschitz.lean]

Proposition 2 (ReLU properties). (i) *Non-negativity*: $\text{ReLU}(x) \geq 0$ for all x . (ii) *Monotonicity*: $x \leq y \implies \text{ReLU}(x) \leq \text{ReLU}(y)$. (iii) *Idempotence*: $\text{ReLU}(\text{ReLU}(x)) = \text{ReLU}(x)$. (iv) *Identity on non-negatives*: $x \geq 0 \implies \text{ReLU}(x) = x$. (v) *Zero on negatives*: $x < 0 \implies \text{ReLU}(x) = 0$.

[Lean: relu_nonneg, relu_mono, relu_idempotent, relu_of_nonneg, relu_of_neg in ReLULipschitz.lean]

Theorem 2 (ReLU is 1-Lipschitz). For all $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$:

$$|\text{ReLU}(x) - \text{ReLU}(y)| \leq |x - y|$$

Proof. Case analysis on the signs of x and y , using the half-formula $\text{ReLU}(x) = (x + |x|)/2$ and the triangle inequality. \square

[Lean: relu_contraction, relu_lipschitz_algebraic in ReLULipschitz.lean]

This is the crucial property: ReLU does not amplify perturbations. Any perturbation that enters a ReLU layer exits with equal or smaller magnitude. Combined with composition (Theorem 1), this means only the linear layers (weight matrices) can amplify perturbations.

3.2 Single Layer Lipschitz Constant

A single layer of a neural network computes $x \mapsto W \cdot \sigma(x)$, where W is the weight matrix and σ is the activation function (here, ReLU).

Theorem 3 (Single layer Lipschitz constant). If W is a linear map with operator norm $\|W\|_{\text{op}}$ and σ is 1-Lipschitz, then the layer $x \mapsto W \cdot \sigma(x)$ is $\|W\|_{\text{op}}$ -Lipschitz:

$$\|W\sigma(x) - W\sigma(y)\| \leq \|W\|_{\text{op}} \cdot \|x - y\|$$

Proof. By composition (Theorem 1): $\text{Lip}(W \circ \sigma) \leq \text{Lip}(W) \cdot \text{Lip}(\sigma) = \|W\|_{\text{op}} \cdot 1$. \square

[Lean: single_layer_lipschitz, single_layer_lipschitz', single_layer_algebraic in SingleLayerLip.lean]

Corollary 2 (Two-layer bound). $\text{Lip}(W_2 \circ \sigma \circ W_1 \circ \sigma) \leq \|W_2\|_{\text{op}} \cdot \|W_1\|_{\text{op}}$.

[Lean: two_layer_lipschitz in SingleLayerLip.lean]

3.3 Spectral Norm

The operator norm $\|W\|_{\text{op}}$ equals the largest singular value $\sigma_{\max}(W)$. This is where eigenvalues enter the story.

Proposition 3 (Spectral norm properties). (i) *Operator bound:* $\|Wx\| \leq \|W\|_{\text{op}} \cdot \|x\|$. (ii) *Submultiplicativity:* $\|ABx\| \leq \|A\|_{\text{op}} \cdot \|B\|_{\text{op}} \cdot \|x\|$. (iii) *Identity:* $\|I\|_{\text{op}} = 1$. (iv) *Eigenvalue bound:* If all eigenvalues of a symmetric matrix satisfy $|\lambda_i| \leq B$, then $\|W\|_{\text{op}} \leq B$.

[Lean: operator_norm_bound, submultiplicativity, identity_spectral_norm, symmetric_norm_from_eigenvalue in SpectralNorm.lean]

4. Network Lipschitz Bound

4.1 Deep Network Composition

An L -layer feedforward ReLU network computes:

$$f(x) = W_L \cdot \sigma(W_{L-1} \cdot \sigma(\dots \sigma(W_1 \cdot x) \dots))$$

By repeated application of the composition rule (Theorem 1) and the single-layer bound (Theorem 3):

Theorem 4 (Network Lipschitz bound). For an L -layer ReLU network with weight matrices W_1, \dots, W_L :

$$\text{Lip}(f) \leq \prod_{\ell=1}^L \|W_\ell\|_{\text{op}}$$

Proof. By induction on L . Base case: single layer (Theorem 3). Inductive step: appending layer $\ell + 1$ multiplies the bound by $\|W_{\ell+1}\|_{\text{op}}$ (composition rule). \square

[Lean: network_lipschitz_bound, chain_induction, extend_network in NetworkLipschitz.lean]

This is the chain rule applied to deep networks. The Lipschitz constant grows *multiplicatively* with depth — each layer multiplies the maximum perturbation amplification. This multiplicative growth is why deep networks are hard to certify: the product of spectral norms is typically very large.

4.2 The Product Structure

Definition 2 (Accumulated bound). For a sequence of nonneg factors K_1, \dots, K_L and initial distance d_0 :

$$\text{accBound}(K_1, \dots, K_L, d_0) = \left(\prod_{\ell=1}^L K_\ell \right) \cdot d_0$$

[Lean: accumulatedBound, accumulatedBound_eq_prod in NetworkLipschitz.lean]

Proposition 4 (Product properties). (i) *Non-negativity*: The product of nonneg norms is nonneg. (ii) *Extension*: Adding a layer multiplies the product. (iii) *Lipschitz constant is nonneg*.

[Lean: product_nonneg, extend_network, network_lipschitz_constant in NetworkLipschitz.lean]

5. The Certified Radius

5.1 Classification Margin

For a classifier f mapping inputs to class scores, the *classification margin* at input x for predicted class y is:

$$m(x) = f_y(x) - \max_{j \neq y} f_j(x)$$

A positive margin means the correct class has the highest score.

Theorem 5 (Margin perturbation bound). If f is L -Lipschitz, then:

$$|m(x) - m(x + \delta)| \leq 2L\|\delta\|$$

Proof. The margin is a difference of two L -Lipschitz functions, so it is $2L$ -Lipschitz. \square

[Lean: diff_lipschitz , margin_perturbation in ClassificationMargin.lean]

Corollary 3 (Margin preservation). If $m(x) > 0$ and $2L\|\delta\| \leq m(x)$, then $m(x + \delta) > 0$.

[Lean: positive_margin_means_prediction, margin_positive_nearby, margin_within_budget in ClassificationMargin.lean]

5.2 The Certificate

Definition 3 (Certified radius).

$$r(x) = \frac{m(x)}{2 \cdot \text{Lip}(f)}$$

[Lean: certifiedRadius in CertifiedRadius.lean]

Theorem 6 (Certified robustness). If $m(x) > 0$ and $\text{Lip}(f) > 0$, then for all δ with $\|\delta\| < r(x)$:

$$\text{class}(f, x + \delta) = \text{class}(f, x)$$

The predicted class is unchanged for any perturbation within the certified radius.

Proof. If $\|\delta\| < m(x)/(2L)$, then $2L\|\delta\| < m(x)$, so $m(x + \delta) \geq m(x) - 2L\|\delta\| > 0$. Positive margin implies correct classification. \square

[Lean: certified_robustness_strict, margin_stays_positive, full_certificate in CertifiedRadius.lean]

This is **the** certificate. It converts the Lipschitz constant (a global property of the network) and the classification margin (a local property at the input) into a certified perturbation radius. Any attack within this radius is provably unsuccessful.

Proposition 5 (Certificate properties). (i) *Positivity*: $r(x) > 0$ when $m(x) > 0$ and $L > 0$. (ii) *Inverse Lipschitz*: r scales as $1/L$ — smaller Lipschitz constant means larger certificate. (iii) *Linear in margin*: r scales as m — larger margin means larger certificate.

[Lean: certifiedRadius_pos, radius_inverse_lip, radius_linear_margin in CertifiedRadius.lean]

5.3 Tightness

Is the certificate conservative? For general nonlinear networks, yes: the product-of-norms bound overestimates the true Lipschitz constant because ReLU activations can deactivate (output zero), reducing the effective amplification. But for linear networks (no activation functions), the bound is exact.

Theorem 7 (Certificate tightness for linear networks). For a linear network $f(x) = W_L \cdots W_1 x$:

- (i) The product bound $\prod_{\ell} \|W_{\ell}\|_{\text{op}}$ is achieved by the top singular vector of the composed matrix.
- (ii) The certified radius equals the actual maximum robust radius.

Proof. The singular vector v of $W_L \cdots W_1$ corresponding to σ_{\max} satisfies $\|W_L \cdots W_1 v\| = \sigma_{\max} \|v\|$, achieving the operator norm bound with equality. \square

[Lean: linear_achieves_bound, linear_network_tight, linear_certificate_exact, singular_vector_witness in CertificateTightness.lean]

Proposition 6 (Conservatism for nonlinear networks). (i) The actual robust radius is always \geq the certified radius. (ii) The gap is nonneg: $r_{\text{actual}} - r_{\text{certified}} \geq 0$. (iii) Activation-aware bounds are strictly tighter than product bounds.

[Lean: nonlinear_conservative, certificate_gap_nonneg, activation_aware_tighter in CertificateTightness.lean]

6. Tighter Bounds

6.1 Layer-Wise Activation-Aware Bounds

The product-of-norms bound $\prod_{\ell} \|W_{\ell}\|_{\text{op}}$ ignores the activation pattern: at any input x , each ReLU neuron is either active (passing the gradient) or inactive (blocking it). The *local Lipschitz constant* at x accounts for this pattern and is always at most the global bound.

Theorem 8 (Activation-aware dominance). Let $\text{Lip}_x(f)$ denote the local Lipschitz constant accounting for the activation pattern at x . Then:

$$\text{Lip}_x(f) \leq \text{SDP bound} \leq \prod_{\ell=1}^L \|W_{\ell}\|_{\text{op}}$$

where the SDP bound is the semidefinite programming relaxation of the exact local Lipschitz constant.

Proof. The activation pattern $z \in \{0, 1\}^n$ satisfies $|z_i| \leq 1$, so $\|W \cdot \text{diag}(z)\|_{\text{op}} \leq \|W\|_{\text{op}}$. The local bound is the product of these reduced per-layer norms, which is at most the product of the full norms. \square

[Lean: activation_norm_le_one, local_lip_le_product, layer_local_le_global, sdp_hierarchy in LayerWiseBound.lean]

Corollary 4. Tighter Lipschitz constant implies larger certified radius.

[Lean: tighter_lip_larger_radius, improvement_ratio in LayerWiseBound.lean]

6.2 Randomized Smoothing

An orthogonal approach to certification: instead of bounding the Lipschitz constant, *smooth* the classifier by averaging over Gaussian noise. Cohen, Rosenfeld, and Kolter (2019) showed that the smoothed classifier $g(x) = \mathbb{E}_{\varepsilon \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 I)} [f(x + \varepsilon)]$ has a certified radius of $r = \sigma \cdot \Phi^{-1}(p_A)$, where p_A is the probability of the top class under smoothing.

Definition 4 (Smoothing radius). $r_{\text{smooth}} = \sigma \cdot \Phi^{-1}(p)$.

Definition 5 (Lipschitz radius). $r_{\text{Lip}} = m/(2L)$.

[Lean: smoothingRadius, lipschitzRadius in RandomizedSmoothing.lean]

Proposition 7 (Smoothing properties). (i) *Positivity*: $r_{\text{smooth}} > 0$ when $\sigma > 0$ and $\Phi^{-1}(p) > 0$. (ii) *Dominance*: $\sigma \geq m/(2L \cdot \Phi^{-1}(p)) \implies r_{\text{smooth}} \geq r_{\text{Lip}}$. (iii) *Complementarity*: Both certificates can be positive simultaneously. (iv) *Tradeoff*: Smoothing reduces clean accuracy.

[Lean: `smoothingRadius_pos`, `smoothing_dominates_lipschitz`, `complementary_certificates`, `smoothing_accuracy_tradeoff` in `RandomizedSmoothing.lean`]

The two approaches are complementary: Lipschitz certificates are deterministic and require no sampling, while smoothing certificates can be tighter for networks with large Lipschitz constants. Our spectral improvement (§8–§9) narrows the gap by making the Lipschitz certificate tighter.

7. Main Theorem

Theorem 9 (Verified Neural Network Robustness). Let f be an L -layer feedforward ReLU network with weight matrices W_1, \dots, W_L . Let x be an input with classification margin $m(x) > 0$. Then:

- (A) **Lipschitz Bound.** $\text{Lip}(f) \leq \prod_{\ell=1}^L \|W_\ell\|_{\text{op}}$.
- (B) **Certified Radius.** Every perturbation δ with $\|\delta\| < m(x)/(2 \prod_{\ell} \|W_\ell\|_{\text{op}})$ preserves the predicted class.
- (C) **Tightness.** For linear networks ($\sigma = \text{id}$), the certified radius is exact.
- (D) **Activation-Aware Dominance.** The local Lipschitz constant $\text{Lip}_x(f) \leq \prod_{\ell} \|W_\ell\|_{\text{op}}$, with strict inequality whenever any neuron is inactive.

Proof. (A) is Theorem 4 (network composition). (B) follows from (A) and Theorem 6 (certified radius). (C) is Theorem 7 (tightness). (D) is Theorem 8 (activation-aware bound). \square

[Lean: `main_lipschitz_bound`, `main_certified_radius`, `main_tightness`, `main_layerwise_tighter`, `verified_neural_network_robustness` in `MainTheorem.lean`]

This is the complete classical certificate. Everything above is well-known mathematics (Hein and Andriushchenko, 2017; Weng et al., 2018; Fazlyab et al., 2019). Our contribution so far is *verification*, not new mathematics. The new mathematics begins in §8.

8. The Spectral Bridge

8.1 SVD of the Network Jacobian

The Lipschitz constant is determined by the Jacobian $J = \partial f / \partial x$. For a feedforward network, $J = W_L \cdot D_{L-1} \cdots D_1 \cdot W_1$, where $D_\ell = \text{diag}(\sigma'(z_\ell))$ encodes the activation pattern at layer ℓ .

The singular value decomposition (SVD) of J reveals the *directional* structure of the perturbation amplification:

$$J = U \Sigma V^T, \quad \Sigma = \text{diag}(\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_n), \quad \sigma_1 \geq \sigma_2 \geq \dots \geq \sigma_n \geq 0$$

For any perturbation δ , writing $\tilde{\delta} = V^T \delta$ (the perturbation in the SVD basis):

$$\|J\delta\|^2 = \sum_{k=1}^n \sigma_k^2 \cdot \tilde{\delta}_k^2$$

[Lean: orthogonal_preserves_sq_norm, svd_expansion, per_mode_contribution in SpectralDecomposition.lean]

Proposition 8 (Worst-case vs. average-case). (i) *Worst case*: $\|J\delta\|^2 \leq \sigma_{\max}^2 \cdot \|\delta\|^2$ (the spectral norm bound). (ii) *Average case*: $\mathbb{E}[\|J\delta\|^2] = \frac{1}{n} \sum_k \sigma_k^2 \cdot \|\delta\|^2$ for uniform-random-direction δ . (iii) *Spectral gap*: The ratio $\sigma_{\max}^2 / (\frac{1}{n} \sum_k \sigma_k^2) \geq 1$ measures the gap between worst and average case.

[Lean: worst_case_bound, uniform_perturbation, spectral_gap in SpectralDecomposition.lean]

The standard Lipschitz certificate uses the worst case (i). But the worst case is achieved only by perturbations aligned with the top singular vector — a measure-zero set. Most perturbations are amplified far less. The spectral certificate exploits this.

8.2 Frobenius vs. Spectral Norm

Definition 6 (Frobenius norm). $\|J\|_F^2 = \sum_{k=1}^n \sigma_k^2 = \text{tr}(J^T J)$.

Definition 7 (Effective Lipschitz constant). $L_{\text{eff}}^2 = \|J\|_F^2 / n$.

[Lean: frobeniusSq, effectiveLipSq in FrobeniusSpectral.lean]

Theorem 10 (Frobenius-spectral inequality). $L_{\text{eff}}^2 \leq \sigma_{\max}^2$, with equality if and only if $\sigma_1 = \sigma_2 = \dots = \sigma_n$ (flat spectrum).

Proof. The average of nonneg numbers is at most the maximum: $\frac{1}{n} \sum_k \sigma_k^2 \leq \sigma_{\max}^2$. Equality iff all σ_k^2 are equal. \square

[Lean: effective_lip_le_spectral, frobenius_spectral_inequality, flat_spectrum_no_improvement in FrobeniusSpectral.lean]

Theorem 11 (Improvement factor). The improvement factor $\alpha = \sigma_{\max} / L_{\text{eff}}$ satisfies:

$$\alpha^2 = \frac{n \cdot \sigma_{\max}^2}{\sum_k \sigma_k^2} \geq 1$$

with $\alpha = 1$ iff the spectrum is flat, and $\alpha = \sqrt{n}$ in the extreme case where only one singular value is nonzero (rank-1 Jacobian).

Proof. Direct computation: $\alpha^2 = \sigma_{\max}^2 / L_{\text{eff}}^2 = n \cdot \sigma_{\max}^2 / \|J\|_F^2$. The bound $\alpha \geq 1$ is the Frobenius-spectral inequality. Equality analysis follows from the condition for equality in the max-vs-average inequality. \square

[Lean: improvement_factor_ge_one, concentrated_improvement, flat_spectrum_no_improvement, removing_mode_reduces_frobenius in FrobeniusSpectral.lean]

The improvement factor measures how much tighter the spectral certificate is compared to the standard certificate. For real neural networks, the singular value spectrum is typically highly concentrated (a few large singular values dominate), giving improvement factors of $5\times$ to $50\times$ (Sedghi et al., 2019).

9. Full Spectral Theorem

9.1 Spectral Certificate

Definition 8 (Standard radius). $r_{\text{std}} = m/(2\sigma_{\text{max}})$.

Definition 9 (Spectral radius). $r_{\text{spec}} = m/(2L_{\text{eff}}) = m\sqrt{n}/(2\|J\|_F)$.

[Lean: stdRadius, specRadius in SpectralCertificate.lean]

Theorem 12 (Spectral dominance). $r_{\text{spec}} \geq r_{\text{std}}$.

Proof. Since $L_{\text{eff}} \leq \sigma_{\text{max}}$ (Theorem 10), we have $m/(2L_{\text{eff}}) \geq m/(2\sigma_{\text{max}})$. \square

[Lean: spectral_dominates_standard, improvement_ge_one in SpectralCertificate.lean]

Theorem 13 (Strict improvement). If the singular value spectrum is not flat ($\sigma_1 > \sigma_n$), then $r_{\text{spec}} > r_{\text{std}}$ strictly.

[Lean: strict_improvement in SpectralCertificate.lean]

Proposition 9 (Budget savings). The spectral certificate allows perturbations α times larger, where $\alpha = \sigma_{\text{max}}/L_{\text{eff}}$. The “budget savings” — the fraction of the perturbation budget freed — is:

$$\text{savings} = 1 - \frac{L_{\text{eff}}}{\sigma_{\text{max}}} = 1 - \frac{1}{\alpha} \geq 0$$

[Lean: improvement_factor, budget_savings, savings_nonneg in SpectralCertificate.lean]

9.2 The Spectral Main Theorem

Theorem 14 (Full spectral robustness). Let f be an L -layer ReLU network with Jacobian J at input x , singular values $\sigma_1 \geq \dots \geq \sigma_n \geq 0$, and classification margin $m(x) > 0$. Then:

(I) **Spectral Dominance.** $r_{\text{spec}} \geq r_{\text{std}}$ always.

(II) **Improvement Bound.** The improvement factor satisfies $\alpha^2 = n\sigma_{\text{max}}^2/\|J\|_F^2 \geq 1$.

(III) **Coherent Certificate.** The Frobenius norm satisfies parallelogram subadditivity: $\|A + B\|_F^2 \leq 2(\|A\|_F^2 + \|B\|_F^2)$.

(IV) **Dimension-Free Computation.** Each per-mode contribution $\sigma_k^2 \tilde{\delta}_k^2$ can be computed independently in $O(1)$.

(V) **Strict Improvement.** If the spectrum is non-flat ($\sigma_1 > \sigma_n$), then $r_{\text{spec}} > r_{\text{std}}$ strictly.

Proof. (I) is Theorem 12. (II) is Theorem 11. (III) is the parallelogram law for Frobenius norms. (IV) follows from the SVD decomposition: each mode k contributes $\sigma_k^2 \tilde{\delta}_k^2$ independently. (V) is Theorem 13. \square

[Lean: spectral_dominance, improvement_bound, coherent_subadditivity, dimension_free_computation, spectral_strictly_better, spectral_robustness_full in SpectralMainTheorem.lean]

9.3 The Bridge to Financial Risk

The spectral theorem reveals a deep connection between adversarial robustness and financial risk. In the Spectral Fenton distribution (Nagy, 2024, SSRN 5043018), the covariance matrix of portfolio returns is decomposed via eigenvalues:

$$\text{Var}(\text{portfolio}) = \sum_{k=1}^n \lambda_k \cdot w_k^2$$

where λ_k are the eigenvalues of the correlation matrix and w_k are the portfolio weights in the eigenbasis. The key insight of Spectral Fenton is that **eigenvalue conditioning** — computing the distribution conditional on each eigenvalue mode separately, then recombining — replaces Monte Carlo simulation with a deterministic spectral sum.

The adversarial robustness certificate has the identical structure:

$$\|J\delta\|^2 = \sum_{k=1}^n \sigma_k^2 \cdot \tilde{\delta}_k^2$$

The mathematics is the same:

Financial Risk	Adversarial Robustness
Eigenvalues λ_k of correlation matrix	Singular values σ_k^2 of Jacobian
Portfolio weights w_k in eigenbasis	Perturbation components $\tilde{\delta}_k$ in SVD basis
Variance = $\sum \lambda_k w_k^2$	Amplification = $\sum \sigma_k^2 \tilde{\delta}_k^2$
Worst case: $\lambda_{\max} \ w\ ^2$	Worst case: $\sigma_{\max}^2 \ \delta\ ^2$
Eigenvalue conditioning: per-mode	Spectral certificate: per-mode
Improvement: \sqrt{n} for concentrated spectrum	Improvement: \sqrt{n} for concentrated spectrum

The bridge is not a metaphor — it is an identity. The same eigenvalue conditioning trick that makes financial risk computation deterministic and exact makes adversarial robustness certification provably tighter. Both exploit the same spectral gap: when a few eigenvalues/singular values dominate, working mode-by-mode yields exponentially better results than working with the worst case.

9.4 Mode Independence

Theorem 15 (Mode independence). For independent perturbation components $\tilde{\delta}_1, \dots, \tilde{\delta}_n$:

- (i) $\text{Var}(\|J\delta\|^2) = \sum_k \sigma_k^4 \cdot \text{Var}(\tilde{\delta}_k^2)$ — variance decomposes per mode.
- (ii) Each per-mode certificate $\varepsilon_k < m_k/\sigma_k$ can be verified independently.
- (iii) The spectral certificate is the aggregation of per-mode certificates.

[Lean: variance_decomposition, per_mode_certificate, mixture_collapse_robustness in ModeIndependence.lean]

This is the mixture collapse of Spectral Fenton applied to robustness: conditional on each mode, the certificate is simple; the unconditional certificate is the combination. The per-mode computation is $O(1)$, making the total cost $O(n)$ — the same as evaluating the network itself.

10. Extensions

10.1 Coherent Certificates

A robustness certificate is *coherent* if it satisfies axioms analogous to coherent risk measures (Artzner et al., 1999):

Proposition 10 (Coherent certificate axioms). (i) *Monotonicity*: Smaller Jacobian \implies better (larger) certificate. (ii) *Positive homogeneity*: $\rho(\alpha f) = \alpha^2 \rho(f)$. (iii) *Subadditivity*: $\|A + B\|_F^2 \leq 2(\|A\|_F^2 + \|B\|_F^2)$ (parallelogram bound). (iv) *Translation invariance*: The Jacobian is invariant to input translation. (v) *Composition*: Coherent certificates compose under function composition.

[Lean: robustness_monotone, robustness_pos_homogeneous, parallelogram_bound, translation_invariance, coherent_certificate_composition in CoherentRobustness.lean]

The coherence axioms ensure that robustness certificates behave sensibly under standard operations: combining models, scaling, translating inputs. The spectral certificate satisfies all five axioms; the standard spectral-norm certificate satisfies only (i), (ii), and (iv).

10.2 Weight Decay and Robustness

Weight decay — adding $\lambda \|W\|_F^2$ to the training loss — is the most common regularization technique in deep learning. It has a direct connection to robustness:

Theorem 16 (Weight decay bounds Lipschitz constant). If weight decay with coefficient λ is applied during training, and the training loss converges to \mathcal{L}^* , then:

$$\|W_\ell\|_F^2 \leq \mathcal{L}^*/\lambda \quad \forall \ell$$

Consequently, the effective Lipschitz constant is bounded:

$$L_{\text{eff}} \leq \sqrt{\mathcal{L}^*/(n\lambda)}$$

Proof. At convergence, $\lambda \|W_\ell\|_F^2 \leq \mathcal{L} \leq \mathcal{L}^*$ for each layer. The Frobenius bound gives the effective Lipschitz bound. \square

[Lean: weight_decay_bounds_frobenius, wd_effective_lip, weight_decay_certified_radius in WeightDecayRobustness.lean]

Proposition 11 (Weight decay properties). (i) *Monotonicity*: Stronger weight decay ($\lambda' > \lambda$) gives a better certificate. (ii) *Depth amplification*: The improvement from weight decay grows with network depth. (iii) *Dominance*: The weight-decay certificate dominates the standard certificate. (iv) *Optimal λ* : For spectral-aware weight decay (SAWD), the optimal λ balances Frobenius regularization against accuracy.

[Lean: stronger_wd_better_cert, depth_amplifies_improvement, wd_dominates_standard, sawd_optimal_lambda in WeightDecayRobustness.lean]

Practical implication: Weight decay is already used universally. Our results show it provides a *free* robustness certificate — no architectural changes or adversarial training needed. The certificate from weight decay alone may be small, but it is nonzero and formally verified.

10.3 Frobenius Spectral Normalization

Spectral normalization (Miyato et al., 2018) constrains each weight matrix to have $\|W\|_{\text{op}} = 1$. We propose *Frobenius Spectral Normalization* (FSN): constrain $\|W\|_F/\sqrt{n} = 1$ instead.

Theorem 17 (FSN properties). (i) FSN achieves unit effective Lipschitz constant. (ii) FSN allows more capacity than standard SN (more singular values can be large). (iii) FSN is computationally cheaper: $O(n^2)$ vs $O(n^3)$ for SN. (iv) The FSN-certified radius equals $m/2$ (since $L_{\text{eff}} = 1$).

[Lean: fsn_achieves_unit_eff_lip, fsn_more_capacity, fsn_cheaper, fsn_certified_radius in FrobeniusNormalization.lean]

11. Discussion

11.1 AI Safety Regulation

The EU AI Act (Regulation 2024/1689), which begins enforcement in 2026, mandates that high-risk AI systems undergo conformity assessments including “robustness testing” (Article 9). The U.S. NIST AI Risk Management Framework (AI 100-1) similarly calls for “certified robustness” as a desirable property.

Current practice satisfies these requirements through empirical adversarial testing — running attacks and checking that the model resists them. This is analogous to testing a bridge by driving trucks across it: valuable, but not a substitute for structural engineering calculations.

A Lean-verified robustness certificate is the structural calculation. It does not test against known attacks; it proves that *no attack within the certified radius can succeed*. This is the strongest possible compliance evidence for AI safety regulation:

- **Auditable:** The proof is a machine-checkable artifact (a .lean file). Any auditor can verify it by running `lake build`.
- **Deterministic:** No randomness, no sampling, no confidence intervals. The certificate is exact.
- **Composable:** Coherent certificates compose under standard operations (§10.1).
- **Quantitative:** The certified radius is a specific number, not a binary pass/fail.

11.2 Spectral Entropy

The singular value spectrum of the Jacobian contains information about the network’s vulnerability structure. We define a spectral entropy to quantify this:

Definition 10 (Spectral probability). $p_k = \sigma_k^2 / \sum_j \sigma_j^2$.

Proposition 12 (Spectral probability properties). (i) $p_k \geq 0$ for all k . (ii) $\sum_k p_k = 1$. (iii) $p_k \leq 1$ for all k .

[Lean: spectralProb, spectralProb_nonneg, spectralProb_sum_one, spectralProb_le_one in SpectralEntropy.lean]

The spectral entropy $H = -\sum_k p_k \log p_k$ measures how many “effective directions of vulnerability” the network has. Low entropy (concentrated spectrum) means the network is vulnerable primarily along a few directions — exactly the case where the spectral certificate gives the largest improvement.

Theorem 18 (Improvement from spectral concentration). (i) Improvement factor $\alpha = 1/\sqrt{p_{\max}}$, where $p_{\max} = \max_k p_k$. (ii) Rank-1 case ($p_1 = 1$): improvement = \sqrt{n} . (iii) Flat spectrum ($p_k = 1/n$ for all k): improvement = 1 (no gain).

[Lean: improvement_from_top_prob, rank_one_max_improvement, flat_spectrum_no_improvement in SpectralEntropy.lean]

Proposition 13 (Spectral rejection). The spectral certificate allows constructing a *rejection criterion*: if the spectral improvement at input x is below a threshold, flag x for human review.

- (i) The spectral reject set is a subset of the standard reject set.
- (ii) Confidence is monotone in p_{\max} .
- (iii) Spectral confidence is scale-invariant.

[Lean: reject_criterion, spectral_reject_smaller, confidence_monotone, confidence_scale_invariant in SpectralEntropy.lean]

11.3 Spectral Fairness

Adversarial robustness and algorithmic fairness are connected through the singular value decomposition. If certain singular vectors are aligned with sensitive attributes (race, gender, age), then robustness along those directions has fairness implications.

Definition 11 (Mode alignment). For singular vector v_k and sensitive attribute direction a : $\text{align}_k = |v_k^T a| \in [0, 1]$.

Definition 12 (Bias exposure). $\text{bias}_k = \sigma_k^2 \cdot \text{align}_k$ — the amplification of the sensitive attribute by mode k .

[Lean: modeAlignment, modeBias, totalBias in SpectralFairness.lean]

Theorem 19 (Fairness-robustness connection). (i) Total bias is nonneg and bounded by $\|J\|_F^2$. (ii) Suppressing a bias-aligned mode reduces Frobenius norm. (iii) Suppressing a bias-aligned mode improves both Lipschitz constant and certified radius. (iv) The fairness penalty is bounded by the robustness certificate. (v) The trade-off between fairness and robustness is transparent: one SVD yields robustness, confidence, and fairness simultaneously.

[Lean: totalBias_nonneg, totalBias_le_frobenius, suppress_mode_reduces_frobenius, suppress_improves_lip, suppress_improves_radius, fairness_bounded_by_robustness, tradeoff_transparent, unified_framework in SpectralFairness.lean]

Practical implication: The same SVD computation that produces the spectral robustness certificate also reveals fairness vulnerabilities. This is a unified diagnostic: one factorization, three

answers (robustness, confidence, fairness).

11.4 The Verified ML Foundations Quintuple

This paper completes the five-paper arc:

#	Paper	Angle	Lean files	Theorems	Sorry
1	Scaling Laws	Why networks improve with scale	12	89	0
2	Self-Improvement	What limits recursive AI	13	51	0
3	Transformer Dynamics	Why attention works	12	62	0
4	Adam Is Broken	Why the most-cited optimizer fails	12	96	0
5	Adversarial Robustness	How to certify safety	22	172	0
	Total		71	470	0

Five papers. 71 Lean files. 470 machine-checked declarations. Zero unproved assertions. Five orthogonal angles on deep learning: *theory, limits, architecture, optimization, safety*. The series demonstrates that formal verification is not just possible for ML theory — it is practical, scalable, and reveals connections (like the spectral bridge in this paper) that informal reasoning misses.

12. Conclusion

Adversarial robustness is too important to trust to testing. The gap between empirical defenses (which can always be broken by stronger attacks) and certified guarantees (which hold against *all* attacks within a radius) is not merely academic — it is the difference between “we tried and it seems safe” and “we proved it is safe.”

This paper provides the first machine-checked proof of the complete Lipschitz certification chain for neural networks:

1. **Foundation** (§2): Lipschitz definition and composition, verified in 13 theorems.
2. **Network analysis** (§3–§4): ReLU is 1-Lipschitz; network Lipschitz constant is bounded by the product of layer spectral norms, verified in 31 theorems.
3. **The certificate** (§5): Certified radius $r = m/(2L)$, verified including tightness, in 16 theorems.
4. **Tighter bounds** (§6): Activation-aware and smoothing certificates, verified in 18 theorems.

5. **The spectral bridge** (§8–§9): Frobenius-based certificates are always tighter, with improvement factor up to \sqrt{n} , verified in 37 theorems. The connection to financial risk eigenvalue conditioning is exact.
6. **Extensions** (§10–§11): Coherent certificates, weight decay connection, spectral entropy, fairness — 44 additional verified theorems.

The spectral bridge (§8–§9) is the paper’s distinctive contribution. The same eigenvalue conditioning that makes financial risk computation deterministic and exact (Spectral Fenton) makes adversarial certificates provably tighter. This is not a metaphor: the mathematical structure — quadratic form decomposition over eigenvalues — is identical. The bridge suggests a broader principle: **spectral methods are universal tools for uncertainty quantification**, whether the uncertainty is financial risk or adversarial perturbation.

For regulators: A .lean file is the strongest possible evidence of model safety. It is auditable, deterministic, and machine-verifiable. As the EU AI Act and NIST AI Safety Framework mandate robustness assessments for high-risk AI, Lean-verified certificates offer a path from testing to proof.

For practitioners: Weight decay already gives a (small) robustness certificate for free (§10.2). Frobenius Spectral Normalization (§10.3) gives a better certificate at lower computational cost than standard Spectral Normalization. The spectral entropy diagnostic (§11.2) identifies which directions are most vulnerable, and the fairness analysis (§11.3) comes from the same SVD computation.

For the research community: 172 formally verified declarations are available for import and extension. The proof chain is modular: each file proves self-contained results that can be composed with other verified results. We invite the community to extend this foundation — to convolutional networks, recurrent networks, transformers, and beyond.

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Appendix B: Lean Verification Summary

8.1 Proof Architecture

The 22 Lean files form a dependency chain organized in three tiers:

Tier 1 — Classical Certification (L01–L12):

L01: LipschitzDef.lean ←	Lipschitz definition and basic properties
L02: LipschitzComposition.lean ←	Composition multiplies constants (imports L01)
L03: ReLULipschitz.lean ←	ReLU is 1-Lipschitz

L04: SpectralNorm.lean ←	Spectral norm = largest singular value
L05: SingleLayerLip.lean ←	Single layer Lip = spectral norm (imports L03,
L06: NetworkLipschitz.lean ←	Full network = product of norms (imports L02,
L07: ClassificationMargin.lean ←	Margin is 2L-Lipschitz (imports L06)
L08: CertifiedRadius.lean ←	THE CERTIFICATE: $r = m/(2L)$ (imports L07)
L09: CertificateTightness.lean ←	Tightness for linear networks (imports L08)
L10: LayerWiseBound.lean ←	Activation-aware bounds (imports L06)
L11: RandomizedSmoothing.lean ←	Smoothing certificates (imports L08)
L12: MainTheorem.lean ←	4-part main theorem (imports -
L06L11)	

Tier 2 — Spectral Bridge (L13–L18):

L13: SpectralDecomposition.lean ←	SVD of Jacobian
L14: FrobeniusSpectral.lean ←	Frobenius spectral inequality
L15: SpectralCertificate.lean ←	Spectral certificate dominates (imports L14)
L16: ModeIndependence.lean ←	Per-mode computation (imports L13)
L17: FrobeniusNormalization.lean ←	FSN: practical normalization (imports L14)
L18: SpectralMainTheorem.lean ←	5-part spectral theorem (imports -
L13L16)	

Tier 3 — Extensions (L19–L22):

L19: CoherentRobustness.lean ←	Coherent certificate axioms
L20: WeightDecayRobustness.lean ←	Weight decay connection (imports L14)
L21: SpectralEntropy.lean ←	Spectral entropy of certificate
L22: SpectralFairness.lean ←	Fairness via spectral bounds

8.2 Verification Statistics

Metric	Value
Total Lean files	22
Total declarations	172
Theorems	159
Definitions	13
Sorry (unproved)	0
Axioms	0
Cross-domain imports	0
Mathlib imports	Standard (NNReal, Analysis, Topology)

8.3 Key Theorems Index

#	Lean Declaration	File	Paper
1	lipschitz_comp	LipschitzComposition.lean	Thm 1
2	relu_contraction	ReLU Lipschitz.lean	Thm 2
3	single_layer_lipschitz	SingleLayerLip.lean	Thm 3

#	Lean Declaration	File	Paper
4	network_lipschitz_bound	NetworkLipschitz.lean	Thm 4
5	margin_perturbation	ClassificationMargin.lean	Thm 5
6	certified_robustness_strict	CertifiedRadius.lean	Thm 6
7	linear_certificate_exact	CertificateTightness.lean	Thm 7
8	sdp_hierarchy	LayerWiseBound.lean	Thm 8
9	verified_neural_network_robustness	MainTheorem.lean	Thm 9
10	effective_lip_le_spectral	FrobeniusSpectral.lean	Thm 10
11	improvement_factor_ge_one	FrobeniusSpectral.lean	Thm 11
12	spectral_dominates_standard	SpectralCertificate.lean	Thm 12
13	strict_improvement	SpectralCertificate.lean	Thm 13
14	spectral_robustness_full	SpectralMainTheorem.lean	Thm 14
15	variance_decomposition	ModeIndependence.lean	Thm 15
16	weight_decay_bounds_frobenius	WeightDecayRobustness.lean	Thm 16
17	fsn_achieves_unit_eff_lip	FrobeniusNormalization.lean	Thm 17
18	improvement_from_top_prob	SpectralEntropy.lean	Thm 18
19	fairness_bounded_by_robustness	SpectralFairness.lean	Thm 19

Appendix A: Complete Lean Declaration Index

#	Declaration	Type	File	Description
1	identity_lipschitz	theorem	LipschitzDef.lean	Identity is 1-Lipschitz
2	constant_lipschitz	theorem	LipschitzDef.lean	Constant is 0-Lipschitz
3	lipschitz_dist_bound	theorem	LipschitzDef.lean	Core Lipschitz inequality
4	lipschitz_close	theorem	LipschitzDef.lean	Close inputs \rightarrow close outputs
5	scaling_lipschitz	theorem	LipschitzDef.lean	Scaling is $ a $ -Lipschitz
6	lipschitz_budget	theorem	LipschitzDef.lean	Budget transitivity
7	lipschitz_weaken	theorem	LipschitzDef.lean	Lipschitz weakening
8	lipschitz_comp	theorem	LipschitzComp.lean	Composition bound
9	composition_dist_bound	theorem	LipschitzComp.lean	Composition distance
10	lipschitz_chain	theorem	LipschitzComp.lean	Finite step chain
11	triple_composition	theorem	LipschitzComp.lean	Triple-fold composition
12	comp_id_lipschitz	theorem	LipschitzComp.lean	Composition with identity
13	comp_const_lipschitz	theorem	LipschitzComp.lean	Composition with constant
14	relu	def	ReLU.lean	ReLU definition
15	relu_zero	theorem	ReLU.lean	$\text{ReLU}(0) = 0$
16	relu_nonneg	theorem	ReLU.lean	ReLU nonneg
17	relu_mono	theorem	ReLU.lean	ReLU monotone
18	relu_idempotent	theorem	ReLU.lean	ReLU idempotent
19	relu_of_nonneg	theorem	ReLU.lean	ReLU on nonneg
20	relu_of_neg	theorem	ReLU.lean	ReLU on neg
21	relu_eq_half	theorem	ReLU.lean	Half formula

#	Declaration	Type	File	Description
22	relu_contraction	theorem	ReLU Lipschitz	ReLU is 1-Lipschitz
23	relu_lipschitz_algebraic	theorem	ReLU Lipschitz	Algebraic form
24	operator_norm_bound	theorem	SpectralNorm	Operator norm bound
25	submultiplicativity	theorem	SpectralNorm	Submultiplicativity
26	norm_smul_eq	theorem	SpectralNorm	Homogeneity
27	product_norm_base	theorem	SpectralNorm	Product base case
28	product_norm_step	theorem	SpectralNorm	Product inductive step
29	identity_spectral_norm	theorem	SpectralNorm	Identity norm
30	zero_spectral_norm	theorem	SpectralNorm	Zero norm
31	symmetric_norm_from_eigenvalues	theorem	SpectralNorm	Eigenvalue bound
32	single_layer_lipschitz	theorem	SingleLayerLip	Single layer Lip
33	single_layer_lipschitz'	theorem	SingleLayerLip	Simplified
34	single_layer_algebraic	theorem	SingleLayerLip	Algebraic form
35	two_layer_lipschitz	theorem	SingleLayerLip	Two-layer bound
36	single_layer_dist	theorem	SingleLayerLip	Distance bound
37	chain_extend	theorem	NetworkLipschi	Chain extension
38	accumulatedBound	def	NetworkLipschi	Accumulated product
39	accumulatedBound_eq_prod	theorem	NetworkLipschi	Product identity
40	chain_induction	theorem	NetworkLipschi	Chain induction
41	network_lipschitz_bound	theorem	NetworkLipschi	Network Lip bound
42	product_nonneg	theorem	NetworkLipschi	Product nonneg
43	extend_network	theorem	NetworkLipschi	Extend network
44	network_lipschitz_constant	theorem	NetworkLipschi	Lip constant nonneg
45	diff_lipschitz	theorem	ClassificationM	Differentiable Lip
46	margin_perturbation	theorem	ClassificationM	Margin bound
47	margin_triangle	theorem	ClassificationM	Margin triangle
48	positive_margin_means_prediction	theorem	ClassificationM	Positive margin \rightarrow prediction
49	margin_positive_nearby	theorem	ClassificationM	Negative margin positive
50	margin_preservation_radius	theorem	ClassificationM	Margin preservation radius
51	margin_within_budget	theorem	ClassificationM	Within budget
52	certifiedRadius	def	CertifiedRadius	Certified radius def
53	certifiedRadius_pos	theorem	CertifiedRadius	Radius positive
54	certified_robustness_strict	theorem	CertifiedRadius	Strict robustness
55	margin_stays_positive	theorem	CertifiedRadius	Margin stays positive
56	full_certificate	theorem	CertifiedRadius	Full certificate
57	radius_inverse_lip	theorem	CertifiedRadius	Inverse Lip
58	radius_linear_margin	theorem	CertifiedRadius	Linear in margin
59	certified_robustness_weak	theorem	CertifiedRadius	Weak certificate
60	linear_achieves_bound	theorem	CertificateTight	Linear achieves
61	linear_network_tight	theorem	CertificateTight	Linear tight
62	linear_certificate_exact	theorem	CertificateTight	Exact for linear
63	nonlinear_conservative	theorem	CertificateTight	Nonlinear conservative
64	certificate_gap_nonneg	theorem	CertificateTight	Gap nonneg
65	activation_aware_tighter	theorem	CertificateTight	Activation-aware tighter
66	singular_vector_witness	theorem	CertificateTight	Witness

#	Declaration	Type	File	Description
67	product_pos	theorem	CertificateTightness	Product positive
68	activation_norm_le_one	theorem	LayerWiseBound	Activation norm
69	local_lip_le_product	theorem	LayerWiseBound	Local product
70	layer_local_le_global	theorem	LayerWiseBound	Layer local global
71	tighter_lip_larger_radius	theorem	LayerWiseBound	Tighter \rightarrow larger
72	sdp_hierarchy	theorem	LayerWiseBound	SDP hierarchy
73	single_layer_activation_bound	theorem	LayerWiseBound	Activation bound
74	activation_patterns_exponential	theorem	LayerWiseBound	Patterns nonneg
75	improvement_ratio	theorem	LayerWiseBound	Improvement ratio
76	smoothingRadius	def	RandomizedSmoothing	Smoothing radius
77	lipschitzRadius	def	RandomizedSmoothing	Lipschitz radius
78	smoothingRadius_pos	theorem	RandomizedSmoothing	Smoothing positive
79	smoothed_lipschitz	theorem	RandomizedSmoothing	Smoothed inherits Lip
80	smoothing_dominates_lipschitz	theorem	RandomizedSmoothing	Smoothing dominates
81	optimal_sigma	theorem	RandomizedSmoothing	Optimal lean
82	high_confidence_small_sigma	theorem	RandomizedSmoothing	High confidence small
83	complementary_certificates	theorem	RandomizedSmoothing	Complementary
84	smoothing_accuracy_tradeoff	theorem	RandomizedSmoothing	Accuracy tradeoff
85	main_lipschitz_bound	theorem	MainTheorem.lean	Main Lip bound
86	main_certified_radius	theorem	MainTheorem.lean	Main cert radius
87	main_tightness	theorem	MainTheorem.lean	Main tightness
88	main_layerwise_tighter	theorem	MainTheorem.lean	Main layerwise
89	verified_neural_network_robustness	theorem	MainTheorem.lean	End-to-end cert
90	orthogonal_preserves_sq_norm	theorem	SpectralDecomp	Orthogonal preserves
91	svd_expansion	theorem	SpectralDecomp	SVD expansion
92	per_mode_contribution	theorem	SpectralDecomp	Per mode lean
93	worst_case_bound	theorem	SpectralDecomp	Worst case lean
94	energy_decomposition	theorem	SpectralDecomp	Energy decomp
95	uniform_perturbation	theorem	SpectralDecomp	Uniform pert
96	spectral_gap	theorem	SpectralDecomp	Spectral gap
97	frobenius_spectral_inequality	theorem	FrobeniusSpectral	Frobenius spectral
98	avg_sq_le_max_sq	theorem	FrobeniusSpectral	Average max
99	frobeniusSq	def	FrobeniusSpectral	Frobenius sq
100	frobeniusSq_nonneg	theorem	FrobeniusSpectral	Frobenius nonneg
101	effectiveLipSq	def	FrobeniusSpectral	Effective Lip sq
102	effective_lip_le_spectral	theorem	FrobeniusSpectral	Effective spectral
103	improvement_factor_ge_one	theorem	FrobeniusSpectral	Factor ≥ 1
104	concentrated_improvement	theorem	FrobeniusSpectral	Concentrated
105	flat_spectrum_no_improvement	theorem	FrobeniusSpectral	Flat lean no gain
106	removing_mode_reduces_frobenius	theorem	FrobeniusSpectral	Removing reduces
107	stdRadius	def	SpectralCertification	Standard radius
108	specRadius	def	SpectralCertification	Spectral radius
109	spectral_dominates_standard	theorem	SpectralCertification	Spectral dominates
110	improvement_factor	theorem	SpectralCertification	Improvement factor
111	improvement_ge_one	theorem	SpectralCertification	Improvement ≥ 1
112	strict_improvement	theorem	SpectralCertification	Strict improvement

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113	concentrated_improvement_sq	theorem	SpectralCertificate	Concentration improvement sq
114	budget_savings	theorem	SpectralCertificate	Budget savings
115	savings_nonneg	theorem	SpectralCertificate	Savings nonneg
116	fsn_achieves_unit_eff_lip	theorem	FrobeniusNormSN	Frobenius Norm SN achieves unit lip
117	sn_bounds_all_svals	theorem	FrobeniusNormSN	Frobenius Norm SN bounds all svals
118	fsn_more_capacity	theorem	FrobeniusNormSN	Frobenius Norm SN more capacity
119	sn_wastes_capacity	theorem	FrobeniusNormSN	Frobenius Norm SN wastes capacity
120	fsn_cheaper	theorem	FrobeniusNormSN	Frobenius Norm SN cheaper
121	fsn_gives_unit_network_lip	theorem	FrobeniusNormSN	Frobenius Norm SN gives unit network lip
122	fsn_certified_radius	theorem	FrobeniusNormSN	Frobenius Norm SN certified radius
123	sawd_optimal_lambda	theorem	FrobeniusNormSN	Frobenius Norm SN sawd optimal
124	variance_decomposition	theorem	ModeIndependence	Mode Independence Var. decomp
125	equal_variance_modes	theorem	ModeIndependence	Mode Independence Equal var modes
126	per_mode_certificate	theorem	ModeIndependence	Mode Independence Per mode cert
127	mixture_collapse_robustness	theorem	ModeIndependence	Mode Independence Mixture collapse
128	spectral_vs_worst_case	theorem	ModeIndependence	Mode Independence Spectral vs worst
129	spectral_dominance	theorem	SpectralMainThm	Spectral Main Thm Spectral dom
130	improvement_bound	theorem	SpectralMainThm	Spectral Main Thm Improvement bound
131	coherent_subadditivity	theorem	SpectralMainThm	Spectral Main Thm Coherent subadd
132	dimension_free_computation	theorem	SpectralMainThm	Spectral Main Thm Dimension free
133	spectral_strictly_better	theorem	SpectralMainThm	Spectral Main Thm Strictly better
134	spectral_robustness_full	theorem	SpectralMainThm	Spectral Main Thm Full spectral thm
135	robustness_monotone	theorem	CoherentRobustness	Coherent Robustness Monotonicity
136	certificate_monotone	theorem	CoherentRobustness	Coherent Robustness Certificate monotone
137	robustness_pos_homogeneous	theorem	CoherentRobustness	Coherent Robustness Pos homogeneous
138	certificate_scaling	theorem	CoherentRobustness	Coherent Robustness Certificate scaling
139	parallelogram_bound	theorem	CoherentRobustness	Coherent Robustness Parallelogram
140	translation_invariance	theorem	CoherentRobustness	Coherent Robustness Translation inv
141	coherent_certificate_composition	theorem	CoherentRobustness	Coherent Robustness Certificate composition
142	weight_decay_bounds_frobenius	theorem	WeightDecayRobustness	Weight Decay Robustness Wd bounds Frob
143	wd_effective_lip	theorem	WeightDecayRobustness	Weight Decay Robustness Wd effective lip
144	stronger_wd_better_cert	theorem	WeightDecayRobustness	Weight Decay Robustness Stronger Wd better
145	per_layer_wd_bound	theorem	WeightDecayRobustness	Weight Decay Robustness Per layer Wd
146	weight_decay_certified_radius	theorem	WeightDecayRobustness	Weight Decay Robustness Wd certified radius
147	wd_dominates_standard	theorem	WeightDecayRobustness	Weight Decay Robustness Wd dominates
148	product_wd_bound	theorem	WeightDecayRobustness	Weight Decay Robustness Product Wd
149	depth_amplifies_improvement	theorem	WeightDecayRobustness	Weight Decay Robustness Depth amplifies
150	uniform_wd_improvement	theorem	WeightDecayRobustness	Weight Decay Robustness Uniform Wd
151	spectralProb	def	SpectralEntropy	Spectral Entropy Spectral prob
152	spectralProb_nonneg	theorem	SpectralEntropy	Spectral Entropy Prob nonneg
153	spectralProb_sum_one	theorem	SpectralEntropy	Spectral Entropy Prob sum 1
154	spectralProb_le_one	theorem	SpectralEntropy	Spectral Entropy Prob le 1
155	improvement_from_top_prob	theorem	SpectralEntropy	Spectral Entropy Improvement from p
156	rank_one_max_improvement	theorem	SpectralEntropy	Spectral Entropy Rank-1 max
157	flat_spectrum_no_improvement	theorem	SpectralEntropy	Spectral Entropy Flat no gain
158	reject_criterion	theorem	SpectralEntropy	Spectral Entropy Reject criterion

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159	spectral_reject_smaller	theorem	SpectralEntropyReject	Reject smaller
160	confidence_monotone	theorem	SpectralEntropyClean	Confidence monotone
161	confidence_scale_invariant	theorem	SpectralEntropyScale	Scale invariant
162	modeAlignment	def	SpectralFairnessMode	Mode alignment
163	modeBias	def	SpectralFairnessMode	Mode bias
164	totalBias	def	SpectralFairnessTotal	Total bias
165	totalBias_nonneg	theorem	SpectralFairnessBias	Bias nonneg
166	totalBias_le_frobenius	theorem	SpectralFairnessBias	Bias Frob
167	suppress_mode_reduces_frob	theorem	SpectralFairnessSuppress	Suppress reduces
168	suppress_improves_lip	theorem	SpectralFairnessSuppress	Suppress improves Lip
169	suppress_improves_radius	theorem	SpectralFairnessSuppress	Suppress improves r
170	fairness_bounded_by_robustness	theorem	SpectralFairnessFairness	Fairness robust
171	tradeoff_transparent	theorem	SpectralFairnessTradeoff	Tradeoff visible
172	unified_framework	theorem	SpectralFairnessClean	SVD, three answers