962-46-968 Ingrid Daubechies* (ingrid@math.princeton.edu), Princeton University, 218 Fine Hall, Princeton, NJ 08544. Tree Approximation and Images.

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