# Cartes de genre non fixé et arbres bourgeonnants

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**Question**: bijective interpretation of  $(\star\star)$ ? (unified with  $(\star)$ ?)

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# Outline

- planar case  $(R_i = 1 + gR_i(R_{i-1} + R_i + R_{i+1}))$ recall bijective approach based on blossoming trees
- unfixed genus  $(r_i = i + gr_i(r_{i-1} + r_i + r_{i+1}))$ standard counting methods & orthogonal polynomials adaptation of the planar case bijection
- N-face-colored maps (formula in terms of  $(r_i)_{i \leq N}$ ) bijective conjecture

We focus on Eulerian maps with controlled vertex-degrees (approach also applies for maps with controlled vertex-degrees & for bipartite m-regular maps)

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#### Inverse mapping

cut the edges dual to those in the leftmost BST of the dual map

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**Rk:** 'Cyclic lemma' argument on Eulerian trees ensures also that  $R_1(t) = 2 \int_0^1 R(x, t) dx$  with  $R(x, t) = x + \sum_{k \ge 1} t^k g_k {2k-1 \choose k-1} R(x, t)^k$  $\Rightarrow$  bijective proof of Tutte's slicings formula

#### Recovering the tree via Eulerian orientations [F'07, Albenque-Poulalhon'15]



**Rk:** via the closure mapping, the Eulerian map is endowed with

- $\bullet$  a spanning tree T
- an orientation O

such that edges  $\in T$  are directed toward the root edges  $\notin T$  'turn clockwise' around T

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**Property:** either all  $\alpha$ -orientations are  $v_0$ -accessible or none In the first case (and non-emptiness),  $\alpha$  is called **root-accessible** 














































#### **Extended bijection: Eulerian trees** $\rightarrow$ **2-leg maps**

[Bouttier-Di Francesco-Guitter'03]



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for vertex-degrees  $\leq 2p + 2$ , expression simplifies as biratio involving  $(p \times p)$ -determinants

## Maps of unfixed genus

- standard counting approaches
- approach based on orthogonal polynomials
- bijective interpretation

### 4-regular maps

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#### **Extension to Eulerian maps** • 1st approach: configuration model

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 $\Rightarrow$  differential equation of order r-1 for M(t) when max-degree  $\leq 2r$ 

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proved either by integration by part or noticing that numerator = GF maps (not necess. connected) rooted at vertex of degree 2

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$$V(t,x) = V(t,-x) \Rightarrow p_i(t,-x) = (-1)^i p_i(t,x)$$
 (so  $p_1(t,x) = x$ )

### **General properties:**

3-term recurrence  $xp_i(t,x) = p_{i+1}(t,x) + r_i(t)p_{i-1}(t,x)$ 

(no component  $p_a$  with  $a \le i-2$  because  $\langle xp_i, p_a \rangle = \langle p_i, xp_a \rangle = 0$ )

Let 
$$h_i(t) := \langle p_i, p_i \rangle$$
  
Then  $r_i(t) = \frac{\langle xp_i, p_{i-1} \rangle}{h_{i-1}(t)} = \frac{\langle p_i, xp_{i-1} \rangle}{h_{i-1}(t)} = \frac{h_i(t)}{h_{i-1}(t)}$   
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for  $r \in [1..k]$ ,  $c_r$  is matched with one of the (free) opening leaves that precedes









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**Rk:** Via the mapping, the Eulerian map is naturally endowed with a spanning tree T and an Eulerian orientation such that edges  $\in T$  are toward the root, edges  $\notin T$  'turn clockwise' around T





**Rk:** Extended notion of orientations (left-accessible) in [Bernardi-Chapuy'11] (orientations for maps endowed with spanning unicellular map)


















































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**Marked Eulerian map**: Eulerian map with marked oriented edges bearing  $\geq 1$  multiplicities

Admissible: possible to extend to Eulerian orientation where the root-edge is outgoing, and root-accessible without using marked edges

 $r_i(t)$  counts admissible marked Eulerian maps with total multiplicity  $\leq i-1$ 

root-edge

### **Face-colored maps**

- recall on matrix integrals + orthogonal poly. for genus expansion
- interpretation of counting formula in terms of marked maps

#### Face-colored maps and relation to genus-expansion

N-face-colored map = map where each face receives a color in [1..N]



4-face-coloring

 $\overline{M}(t,N) := \mathsf{GF} \mathsf{N}$ -face-colored Eulerian maps

 $\overline{U}(t, N) := \mathsf{EGF}$  unrooted N-face-colored Eulerian maps (half-edge-labeled, not necessarily connected)

$$\overline{M}(t,N) = 2t \frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}t} \log(\overline{U}(t,N))$$

4-regular case  $(g_k = \delta_{k=2})$ :  $\overline{M}(t, N) = (2N^3 + N)t^2 + O(t^4)$   $\bigcirc$   $\bigcirc$   $\bigcirc$   $\bigcirc$   $\bigcirc$   $genus = \frac{|V| - |F|}{2} + 1$   $|F| = 3 \quad |F| = 1$  $genus = 0 \quad genus = 1$ 

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V(t,X)
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[course notes Di Francesco'14]

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Simpler expression:

[course notes Di Francesco'14]

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**Rk:** Expansion with  $N^{2-2\text{genus}}$  instead of  $N^F$  and letting  $N \to \infty$  $\Rightarrow M_{\text{planar}}(t) = 2 \int_0^1 R(x, t) dx$  with  $R(x, t) = x + \sum_{k \ge 1} t^k g_k {2k-1 \choose k-1} R(x, t)^k$ 

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