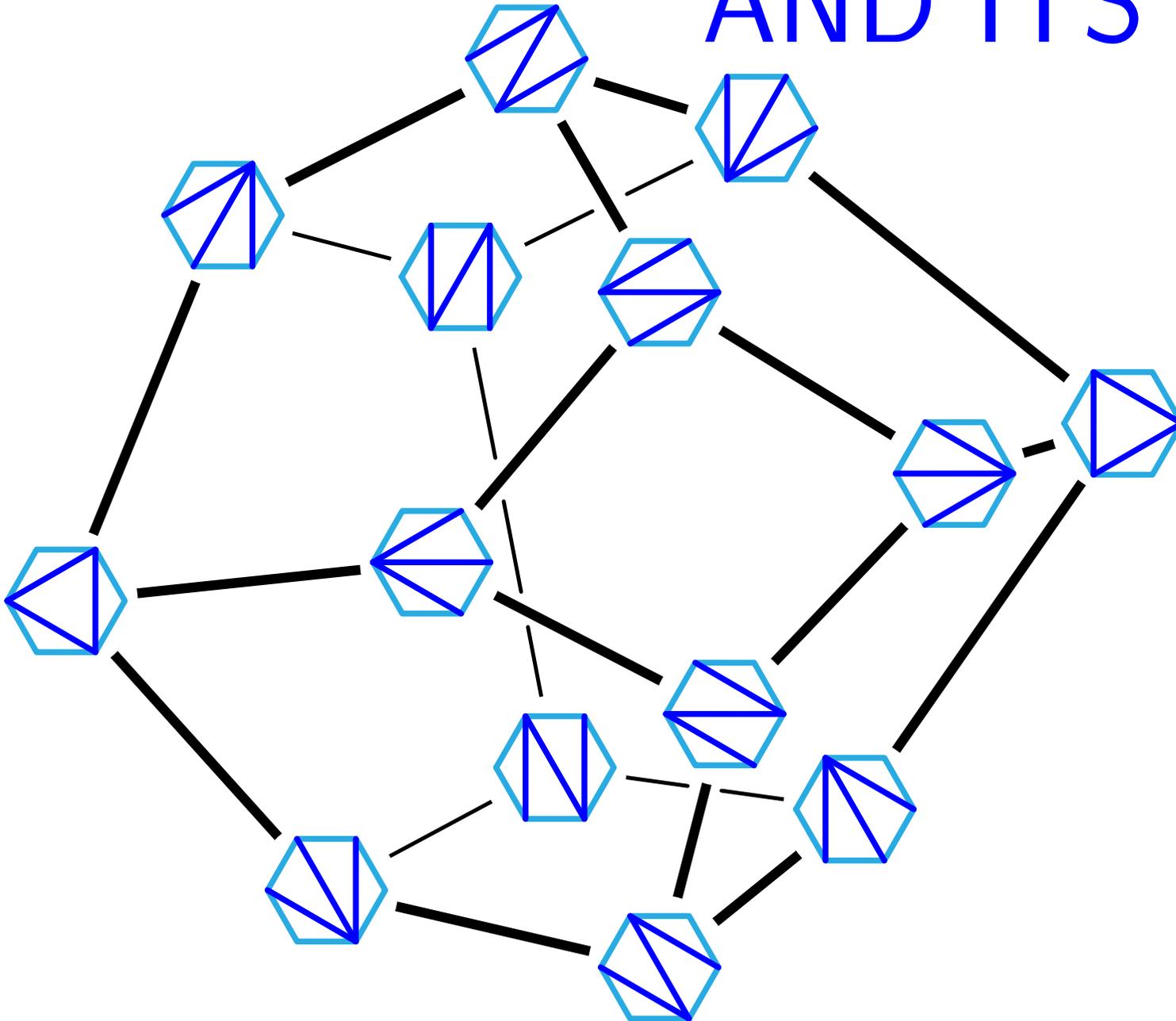


# THE ASSOCIAHEDRON AND ITS FRIENDS

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# PROGRAM

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## I. THREE CONSTRUCTIONS OF THE ASSOCIAHEDRON

- Compatibility fan and cluster algebras
- Loday's associahedron and Hopf algebras
- Secondary polytope

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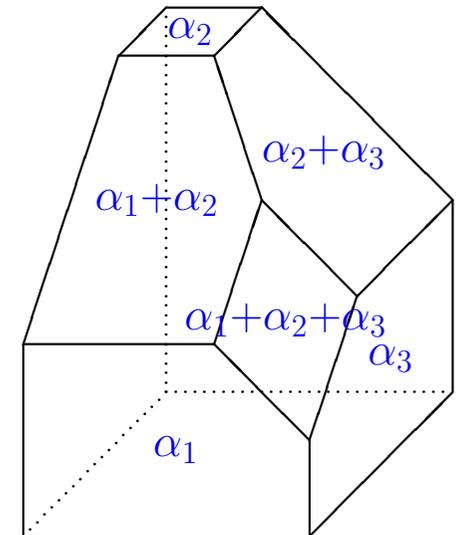
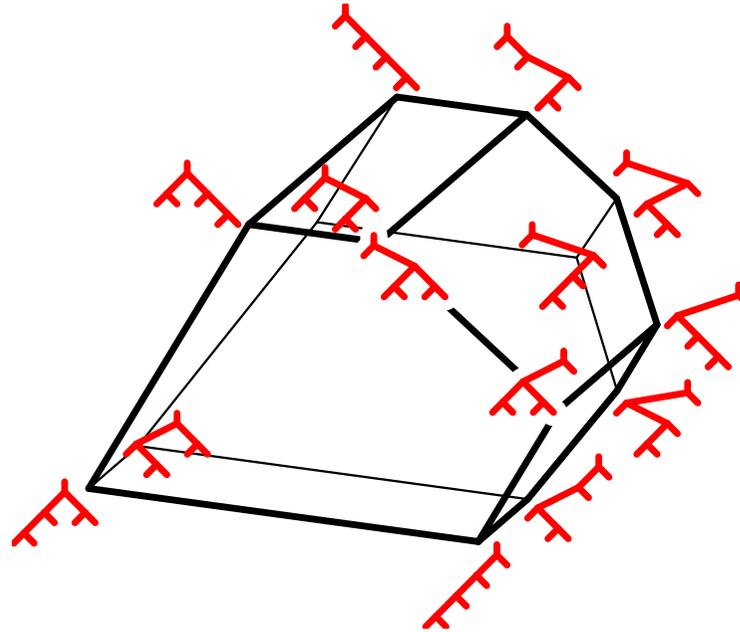
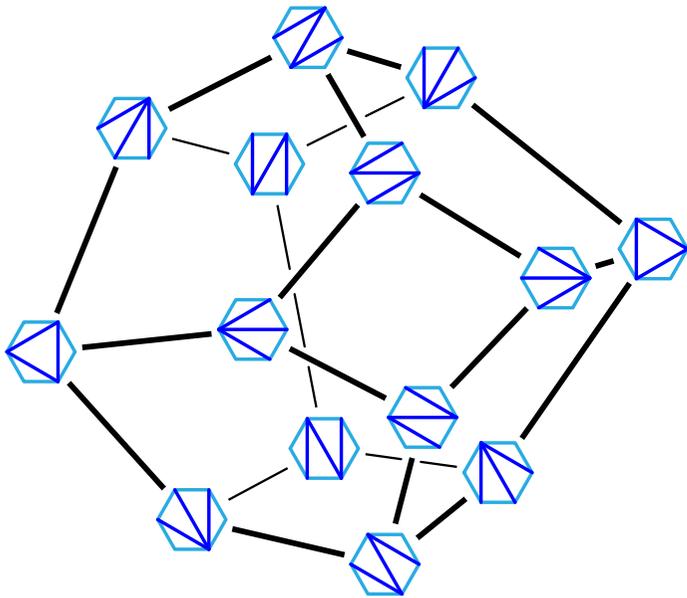
## III. BRICK POLYTOPES AND THE TWIST ALGEBRA

- [Multi][pseudo]triangulations and sorting networks
- The brick polytope
- The twist algebra

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# FANS & POLYTOPES

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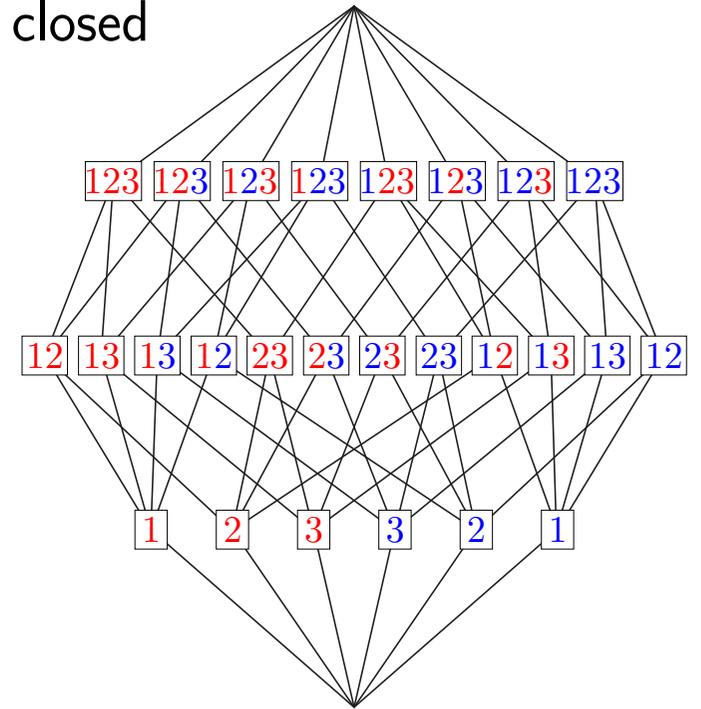
# SIMPLICIAL COMPLEX

simplicial complex = collection of subsets of  $X$  downward closed

exm:

$$X = [n] \cup [n]$$

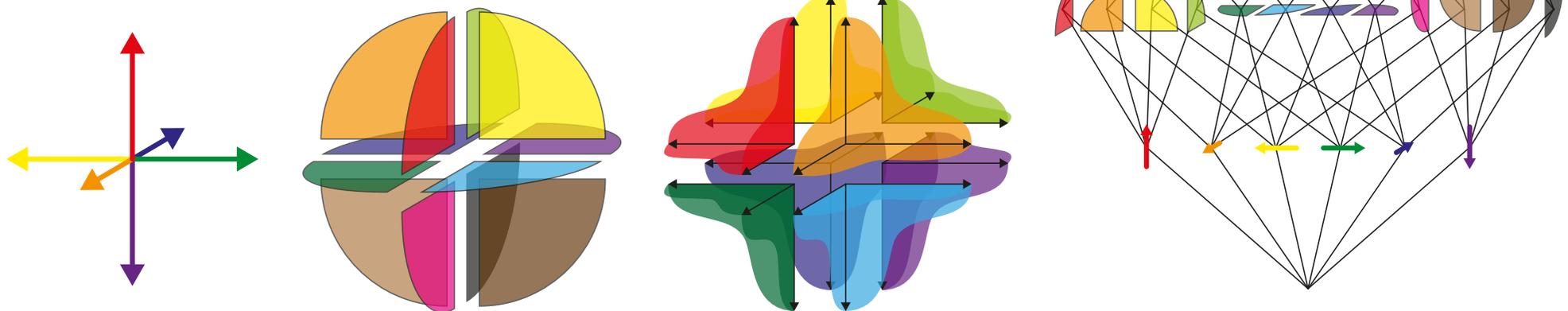
$$\Delta = \{I \subseteq X \mid \forall i \in [n], \{i, i\} \not\subseteq I\}$$



# FANS

**polyhedral cone** = positive span of a finite set of  $\mathbb{R}^d$   
= intersection of finitely many linear half-spaces

**fan** = collection of polyhedral cones closed by faces  
and where any two cones intersect along a face



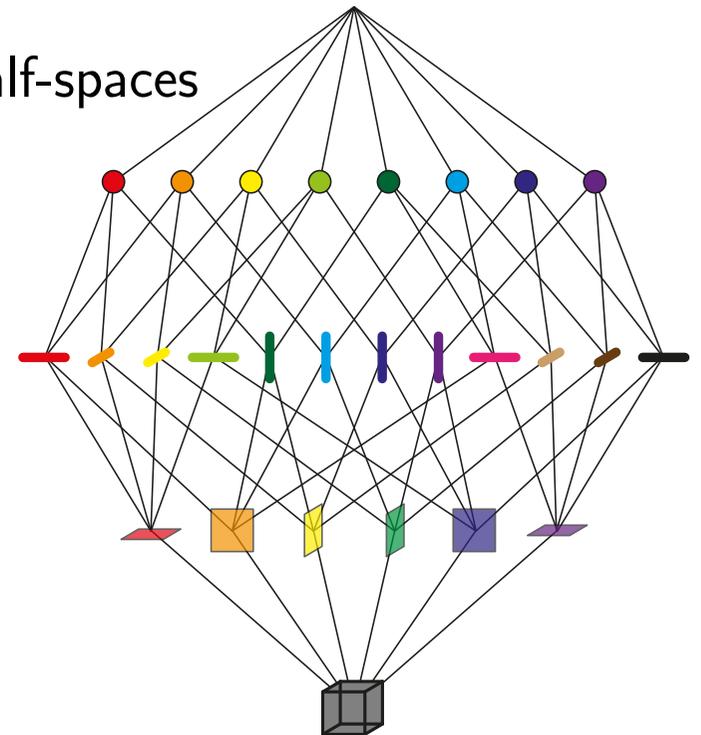
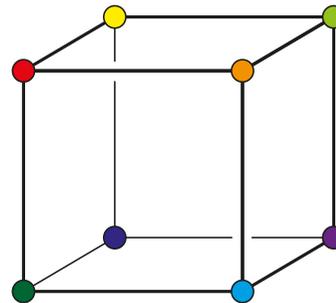
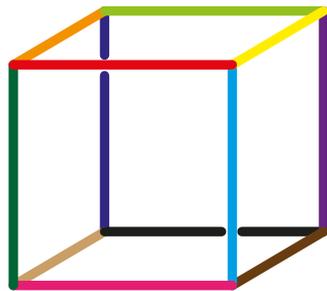
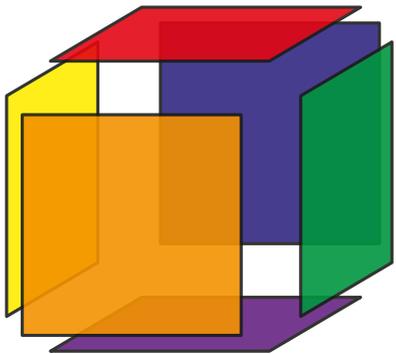
**simplicial fan** = maximal cones generated by  $d$  rays

# POLYTOPES

**polytope** = convex hull of a finite set of  $\mathbb{R}^d$   
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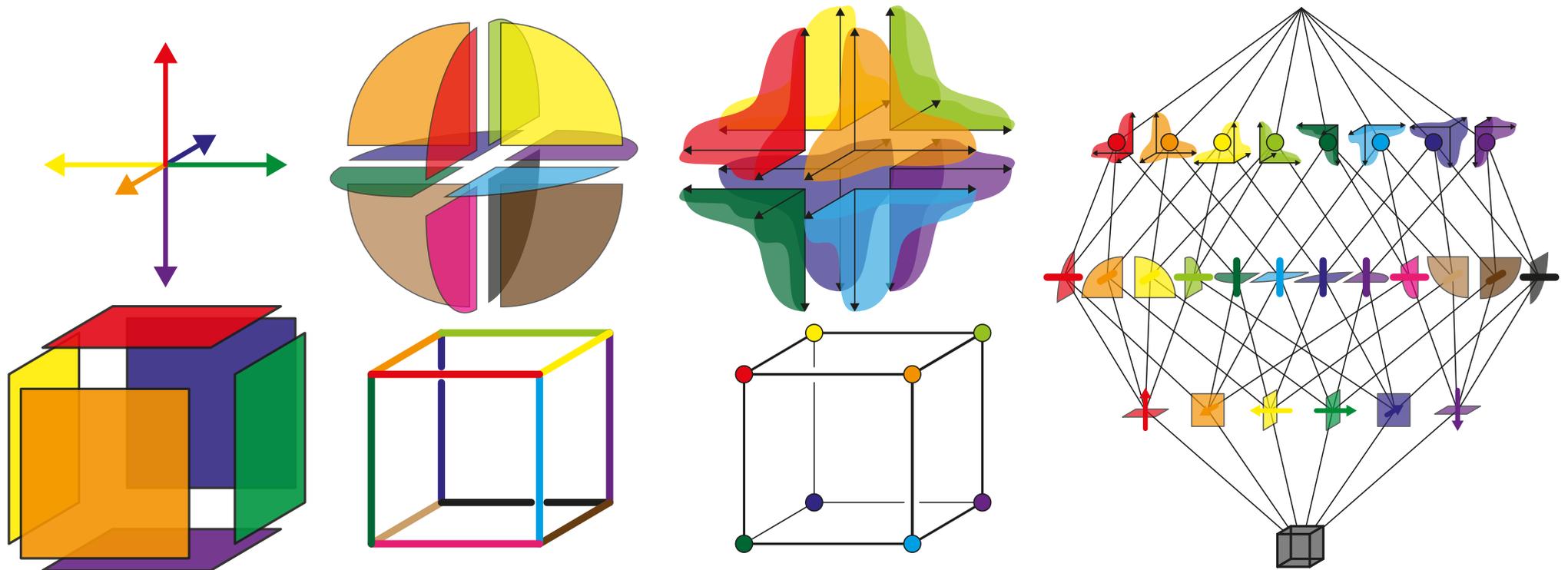
**face** = intersection with a supporting hyperplane

**face lattice** = all the faces with their inclusion relations



**simple polytope** = facets in general position = each vertex incident to  $d$  facets

# SIMPLICIAL COMPLEXES, FANS, AND POLYTOPES



$P$  polytope,  $F$  face of  $P$

normal cone of  $F$  = positive span of the outer normal vectors of the facets containing  $F$

normal fan of  $P$  =  $\{ \text{normal cone of } F \mid F \text{ face of } P \}$

simple polytope  $\implies$  simplicial fan  $\implies$  simplicial complex

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# EXAMPLE: PERMUTAHEDRON

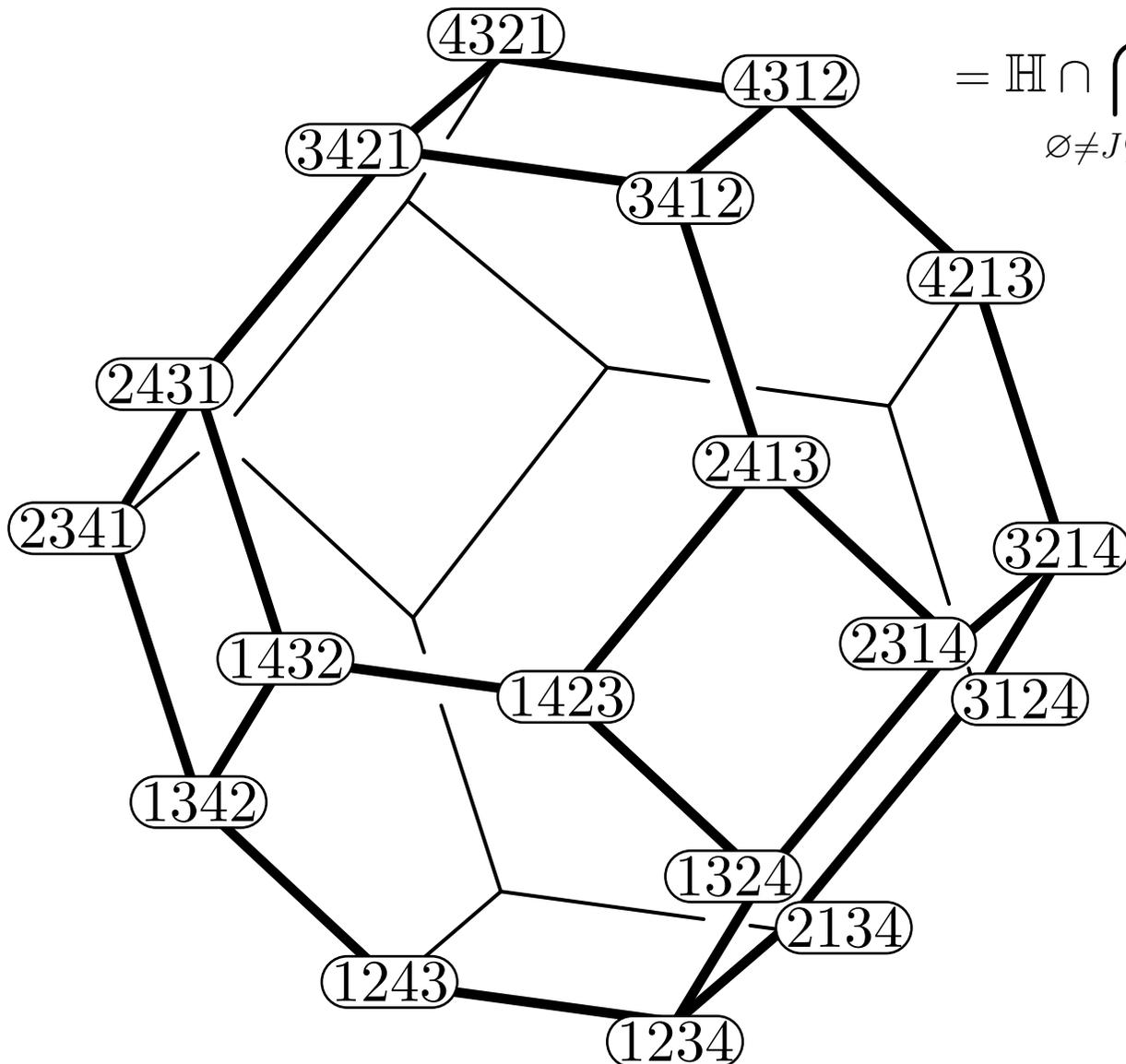
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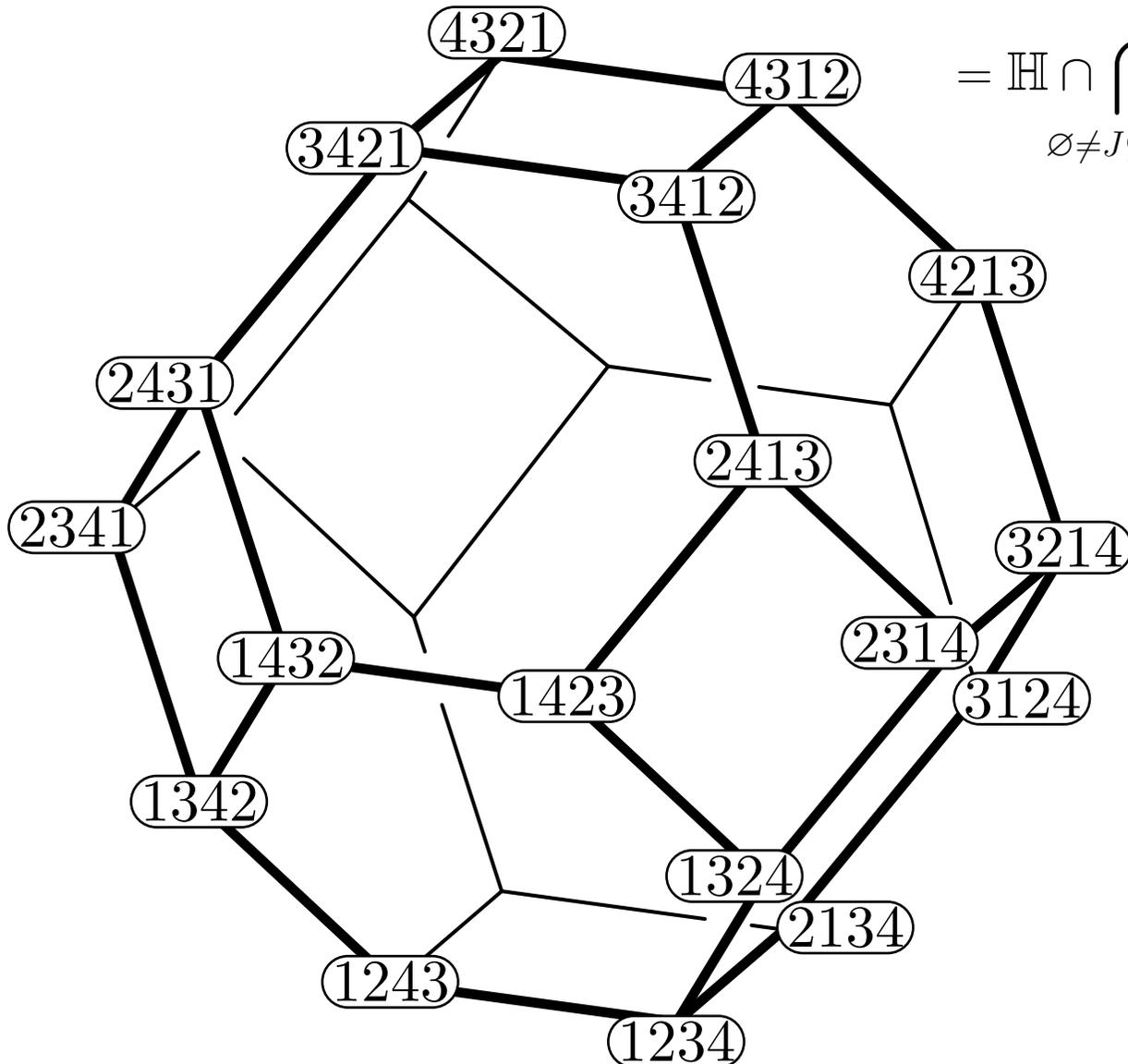


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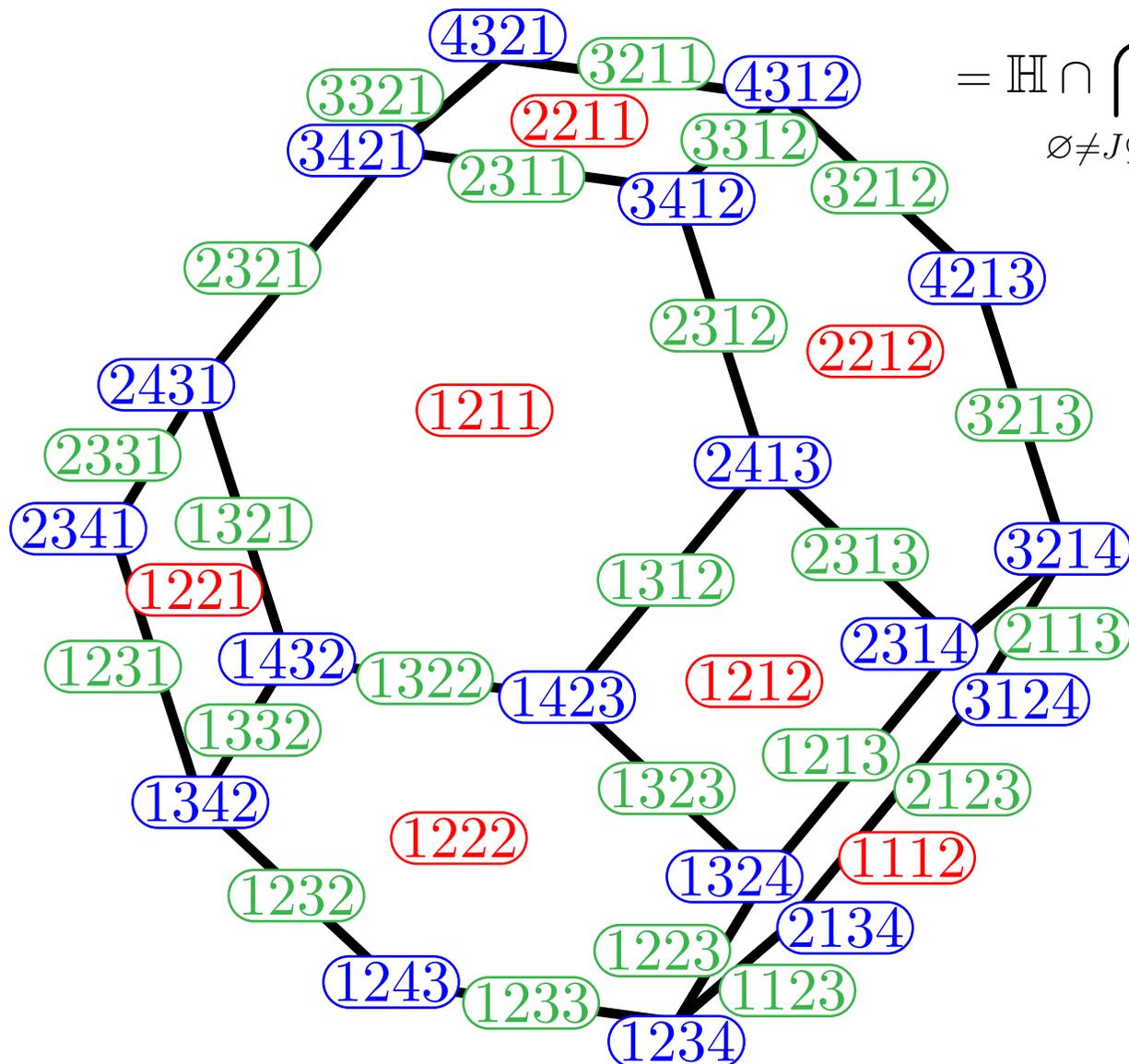
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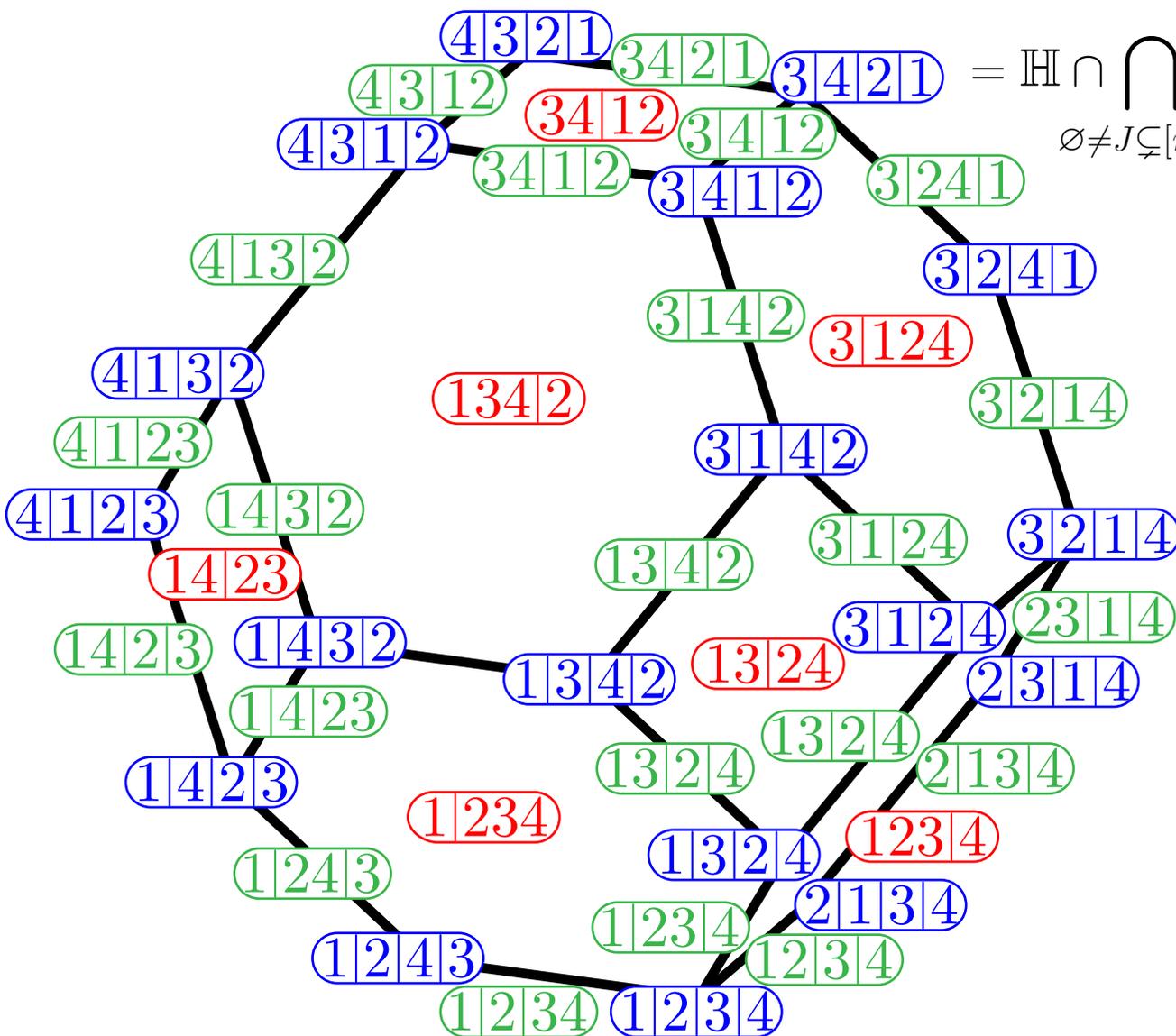
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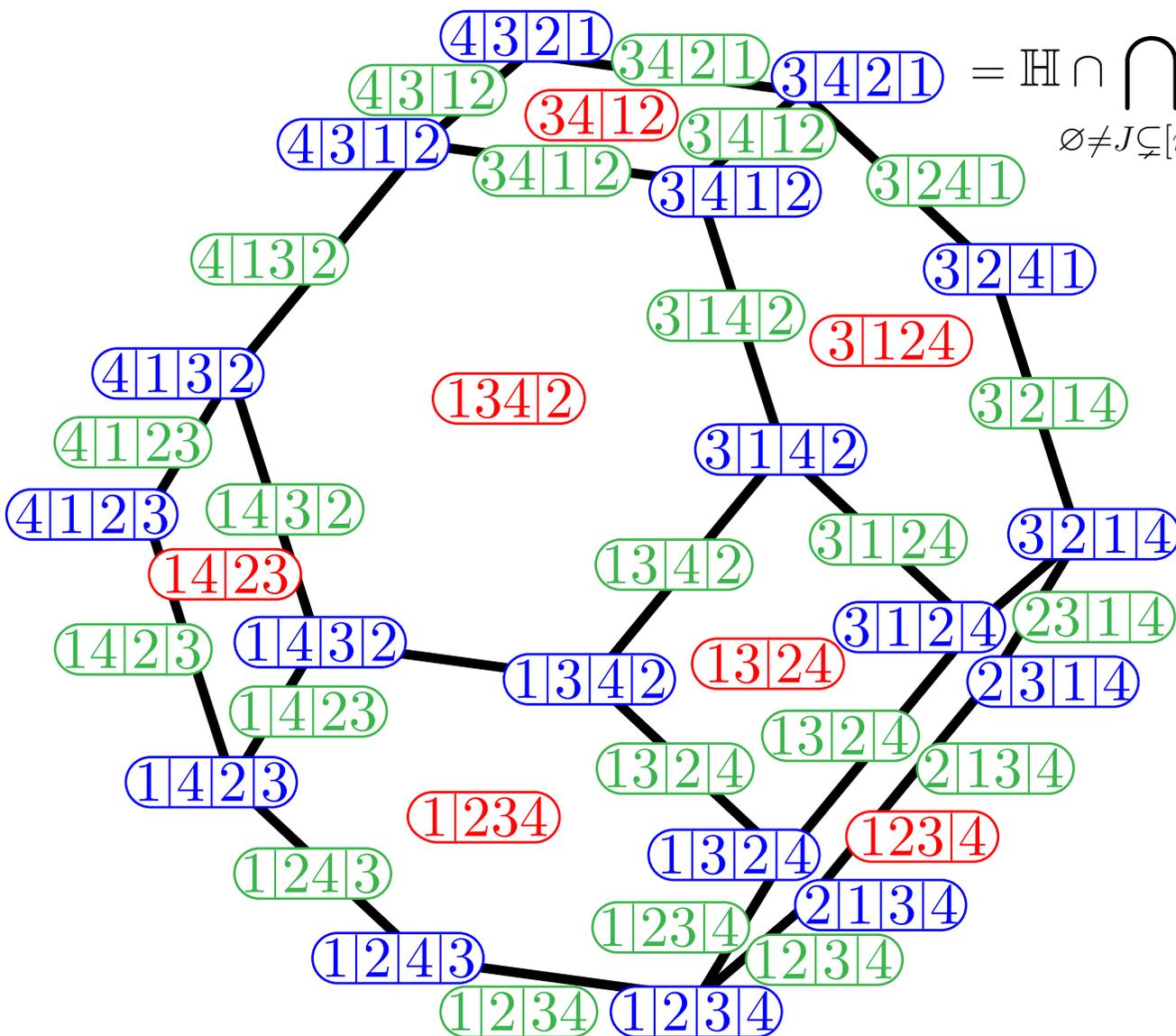
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# COXETER ARRANGEMENT

## Coxeter fan

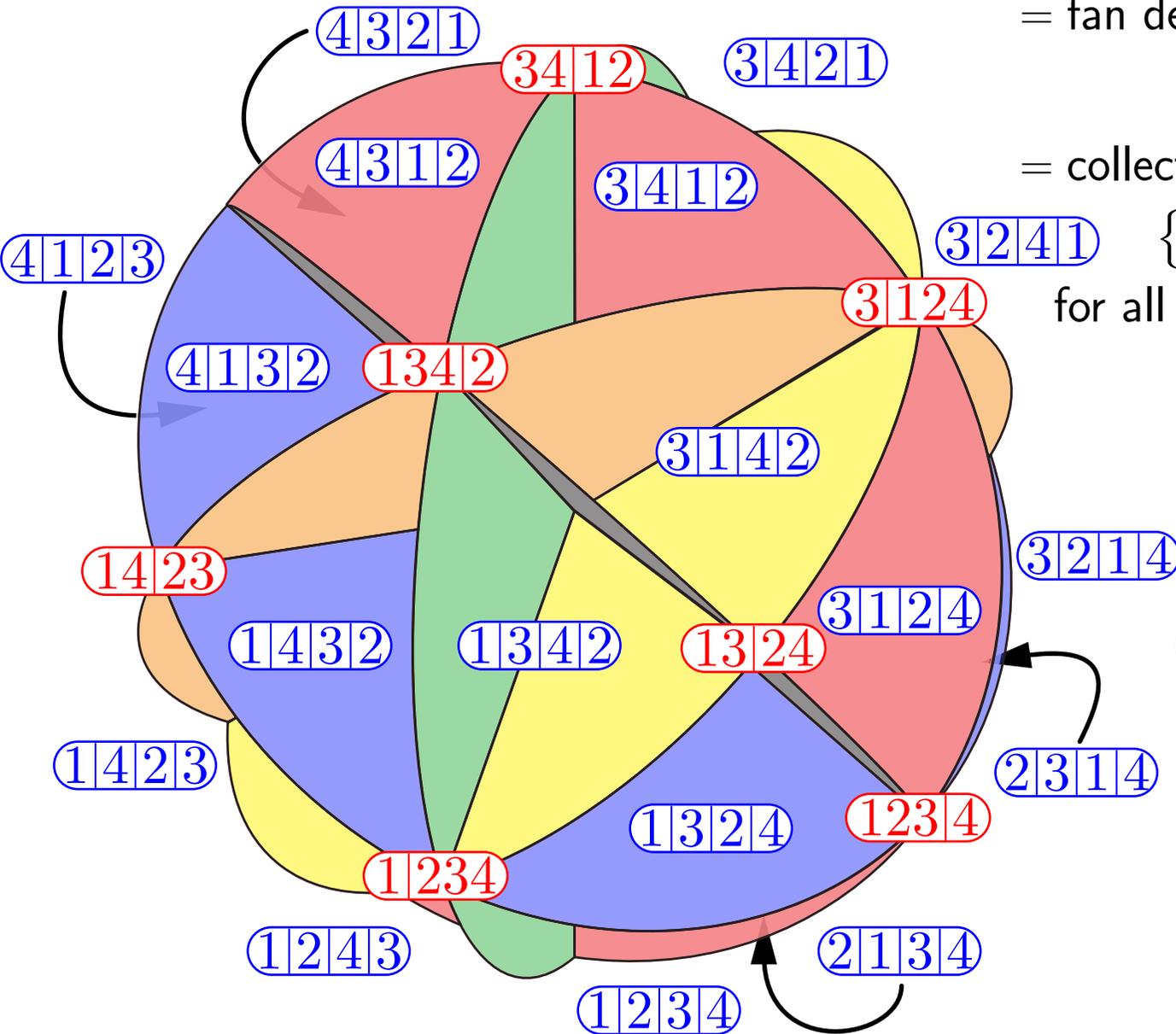
= fan defined by the hyperplane arrangement

$$\{\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^{n+1} \mid x_i = x_j\}_{1 \leq i < j \leq n+1}$$

= collection of all cones

$$\{\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^{n+1} \mid x_i < x_j \text{ if } \pi(i) < \pi(j)\}$$

for all surjections  $\pi : [n+1] \rightarrow [n+1-k]$



$(n - k)$ -dimensional cones

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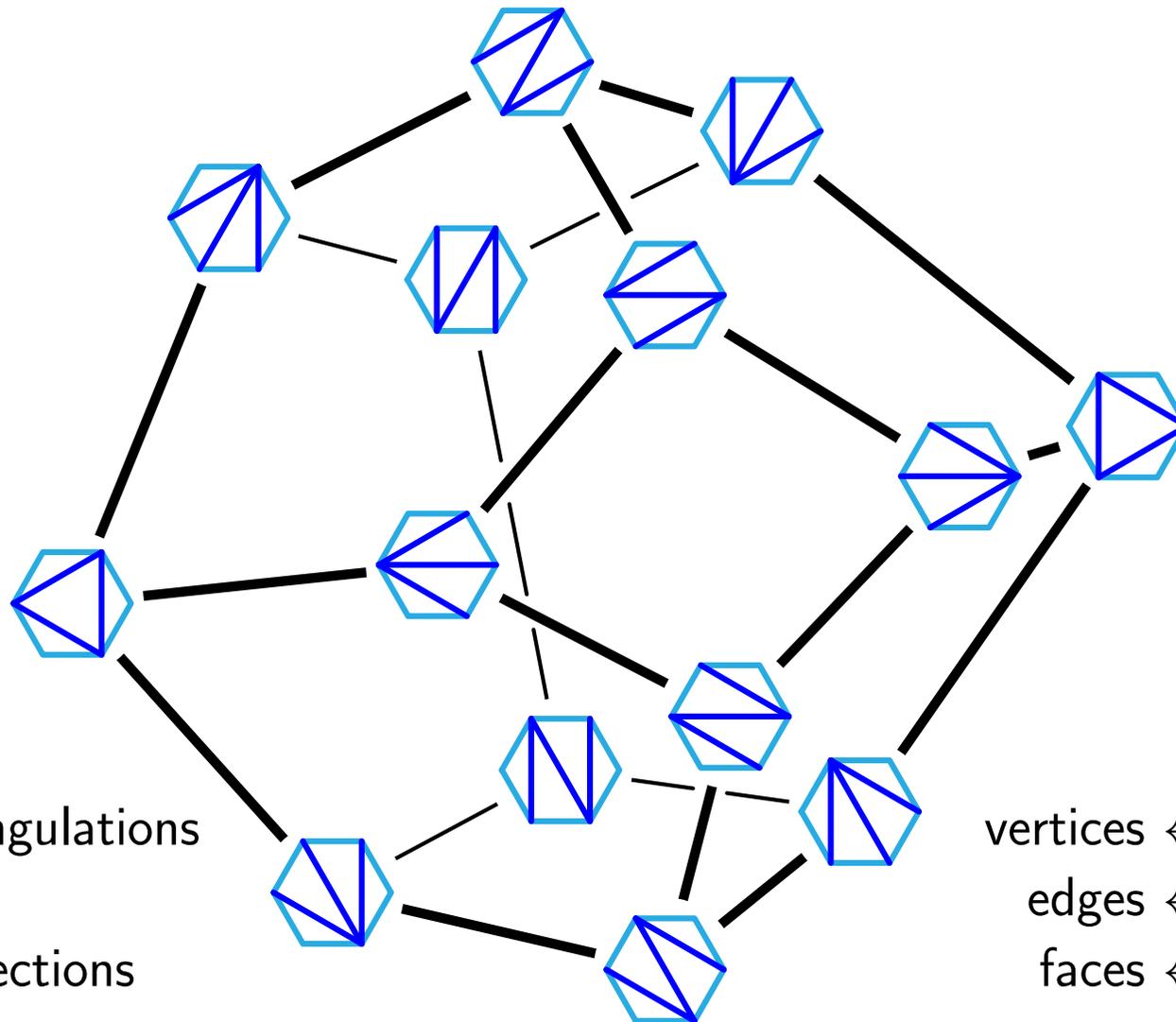
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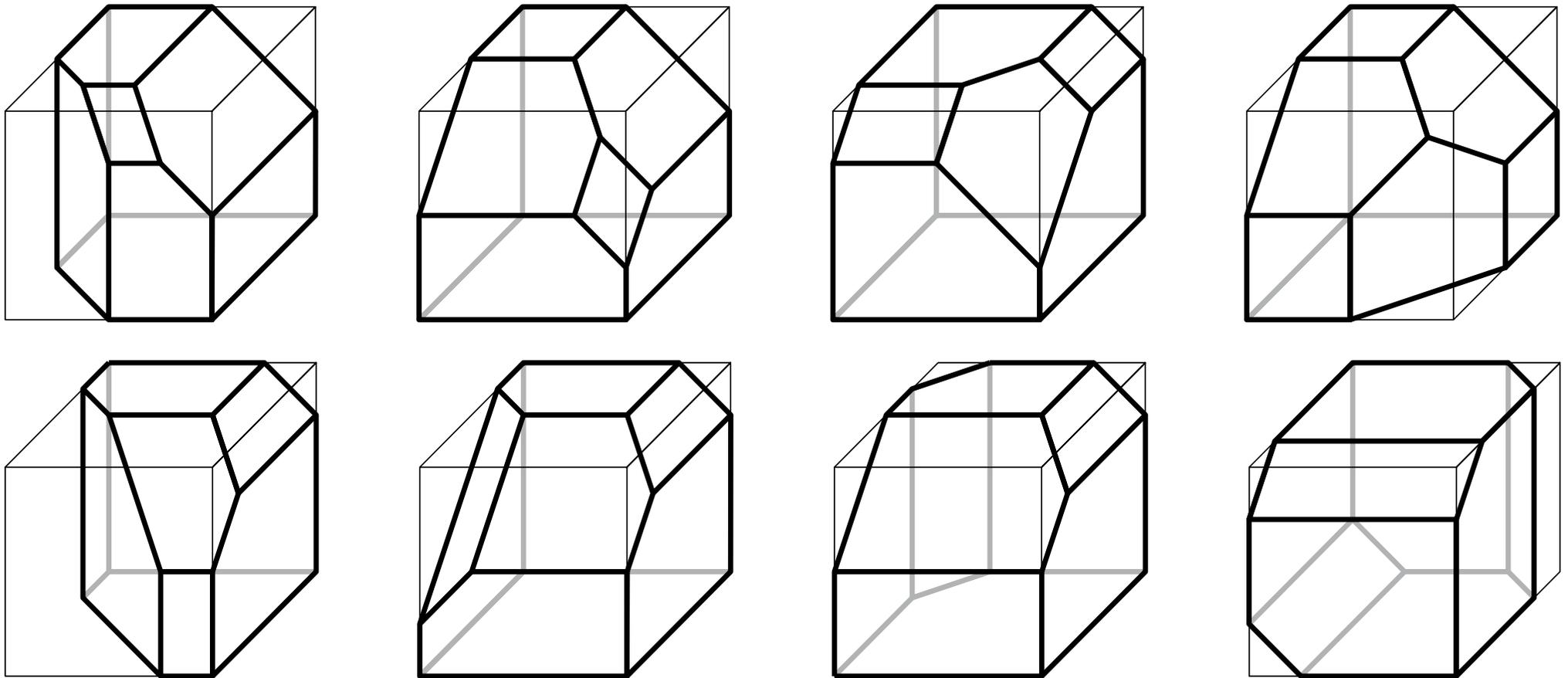


vertices  $\leftrightarrow$  triangulations  
edges  $\leftrightarrow$  flips  
faces  $\leftrightarrow$  dissections

vertices  $\leftrightarrow$  binary trees  
edges  $\leftrightarrow$  rotations  
faces  $\leftrightarrow$  Schröder trees

# VARIOUS ASSOCIAHEDRA

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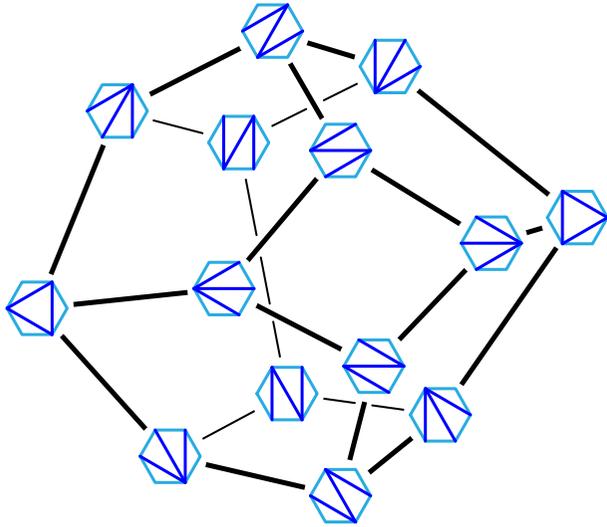
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(Pictures by Ceballos-Santos-Ziegler)

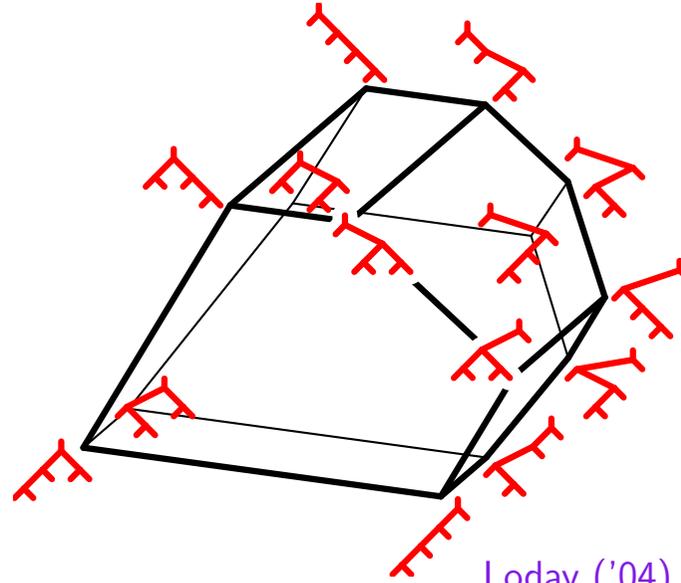
# THREE FAMILIES OF REALIZATIONS

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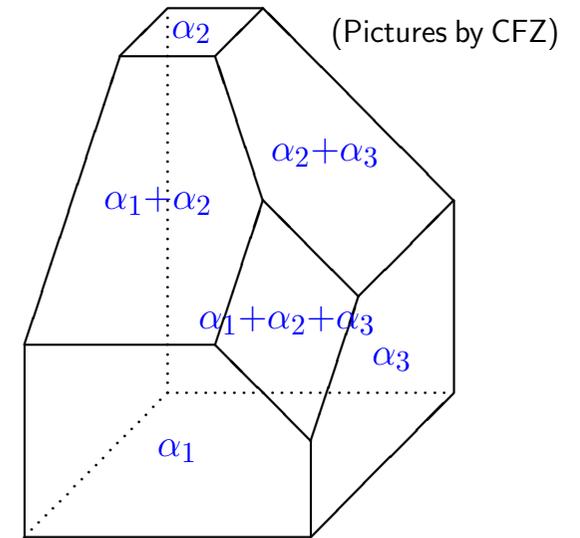
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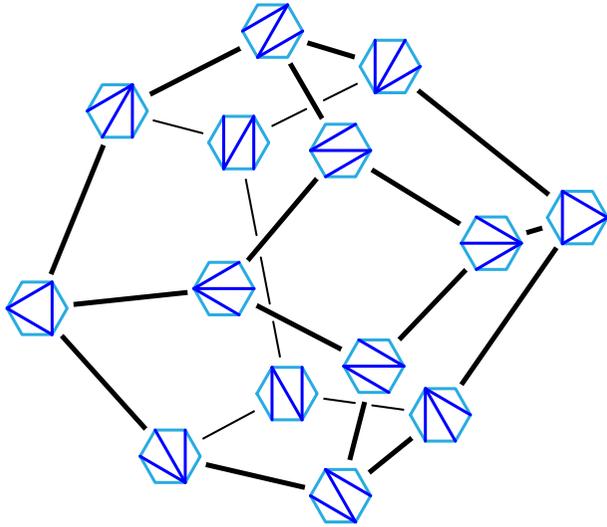
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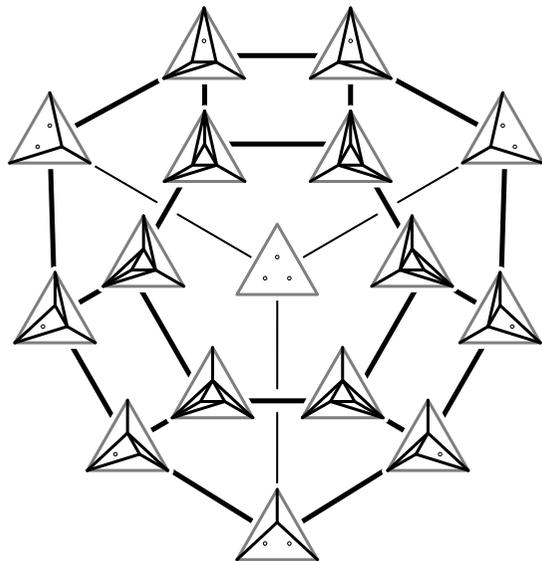
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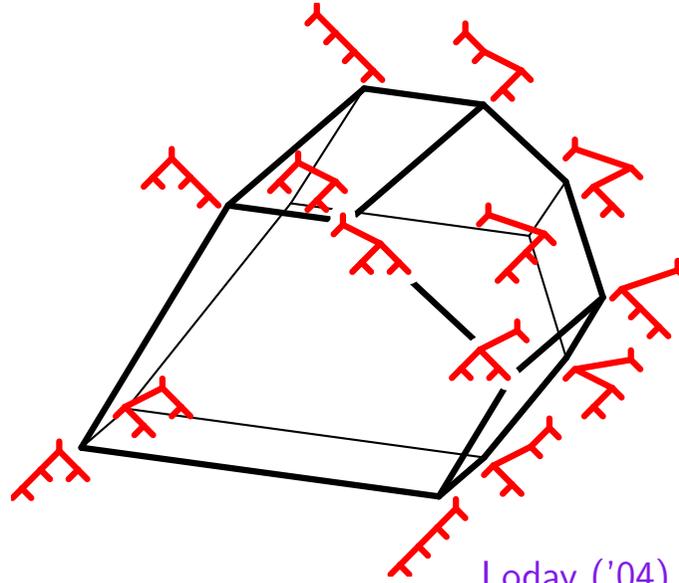
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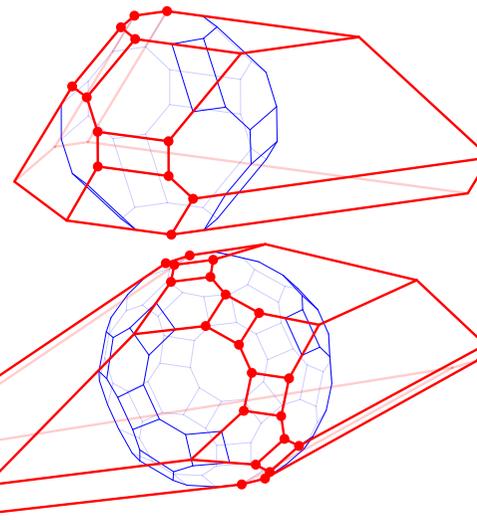
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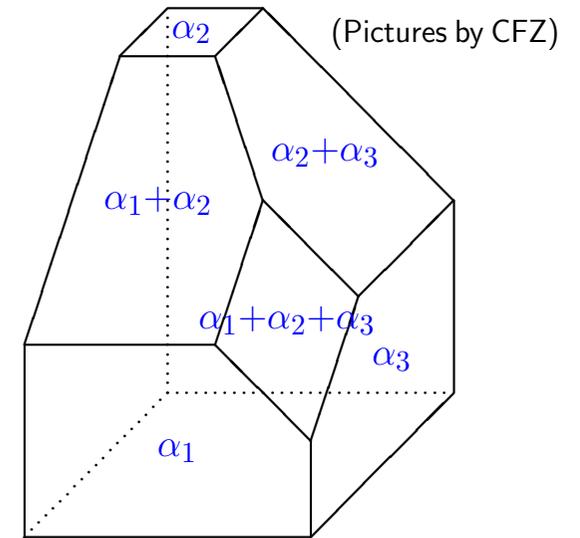
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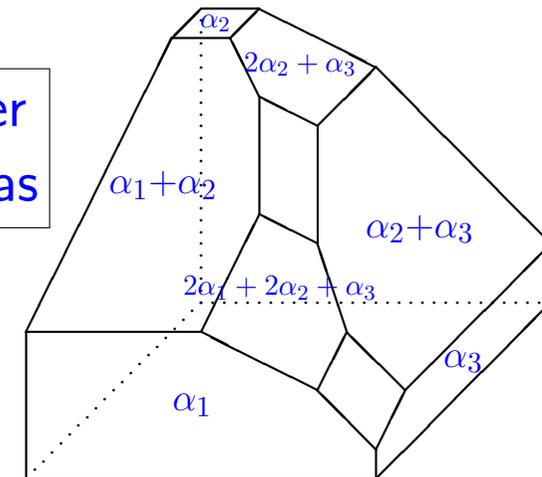


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Manneville-P., *Compatibility fans for graphical nested complexes* ('15<sup>+</sup>)

# COMPATIBILITY FANS FOR ASSOCIAHEDRA

$T^\circ$  an initial triangulation  
 $\delta, \delta'$  two internal diagonals

compatibility degree between  $\delta$  and  $\delta'$ :

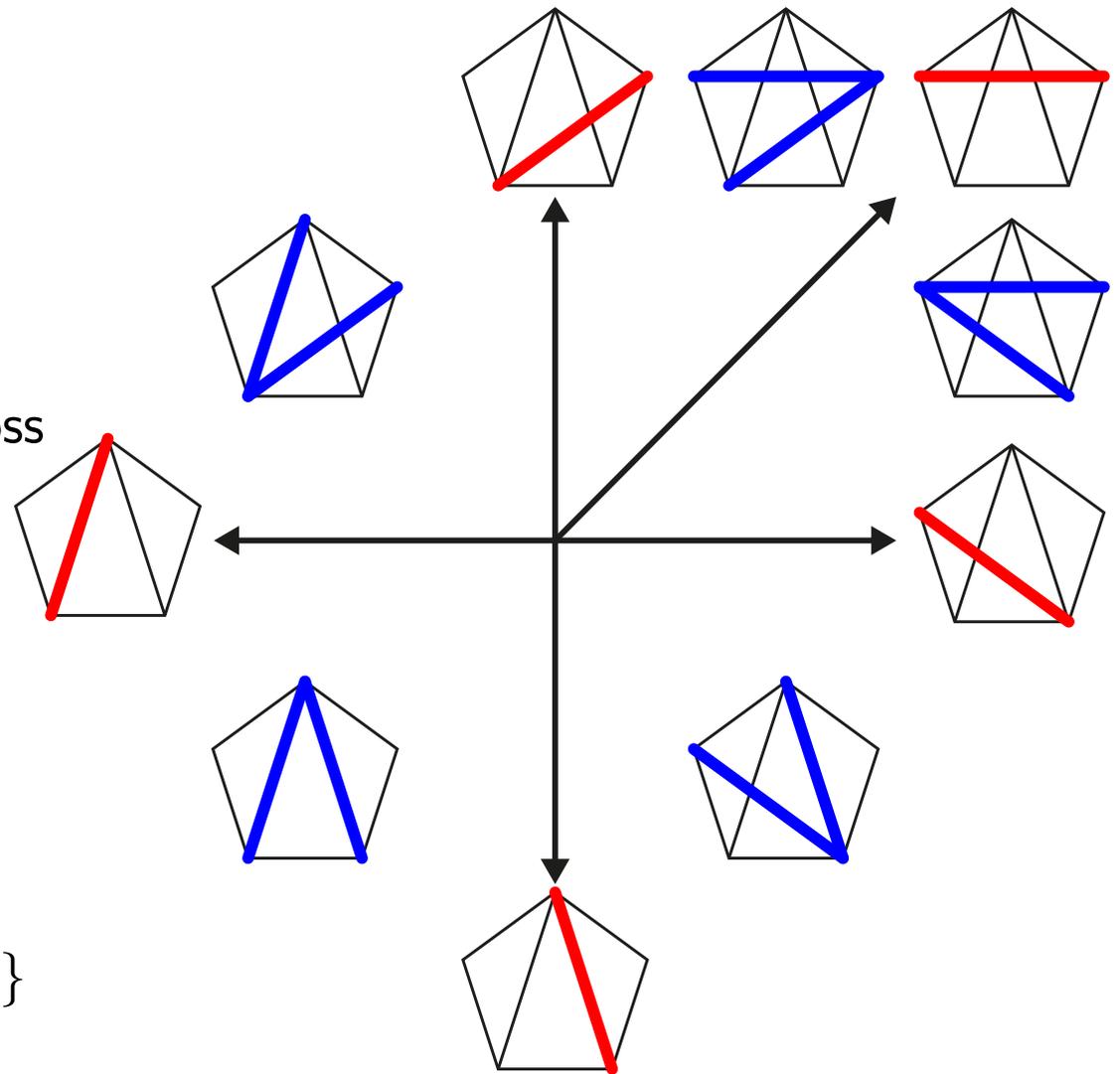
$$(\delta \parallel \delta') = \begin{cases} -1 & \text{if } \delta = \delta' \\ 0 & \text{if } \delta \text{ and } \delta' \text{ do not cross} \\ 1 & \text{if } \delta \text{ and } \delta' \text{ cross} \end{cases}$$

compatibility vector of  $\delta$  wrt  $T^\circ$ :

$$\mathbf{d}(T^\circ, \delta) = [(\delta^\circ \parallel \delta)]_{\delta^\circ \in T^\circ}$$

compatibility fan wrt  $T^\circ$ :

$$\mathcal{D}(T^\circ) = \{\mathbb{R}_{\geq 0} \mathbf{d}(T^\circ, D) \mid D \text{ dissection}\}$$



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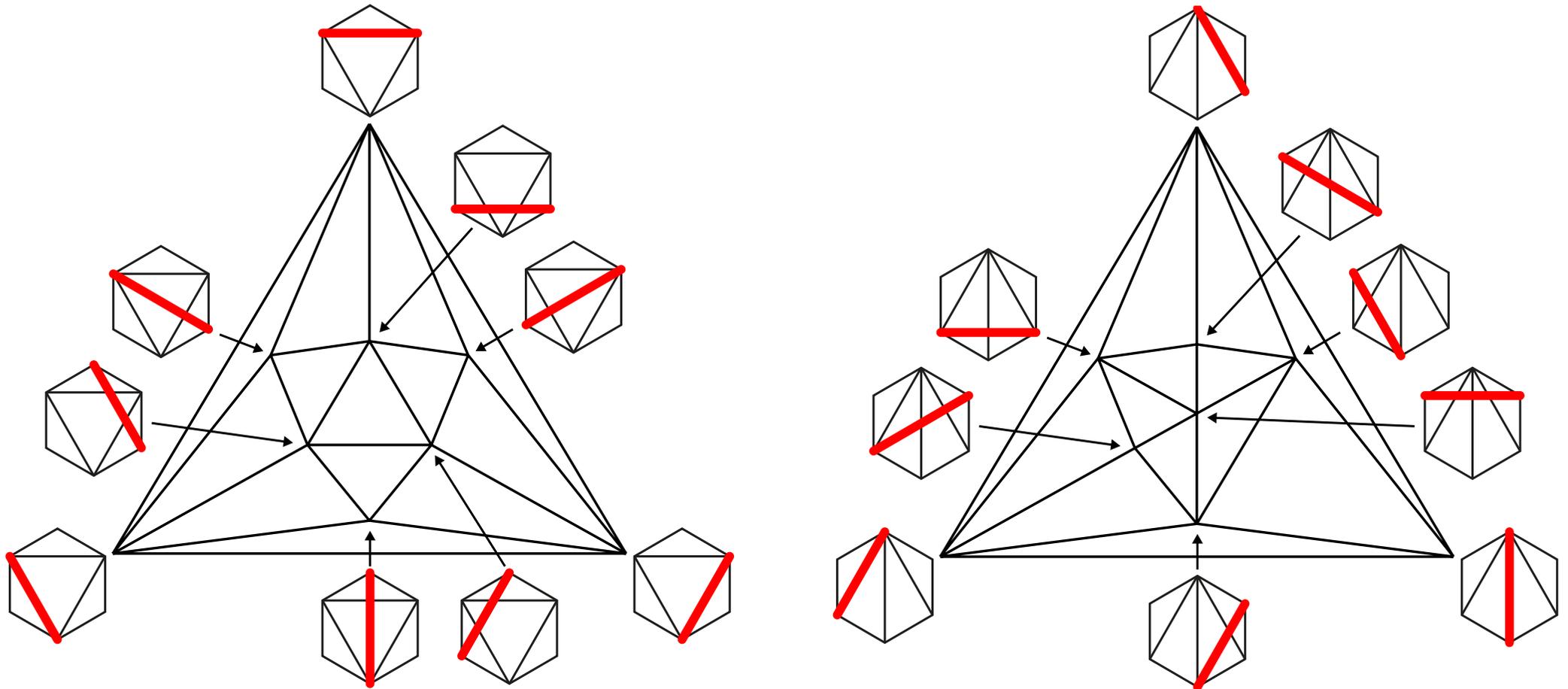
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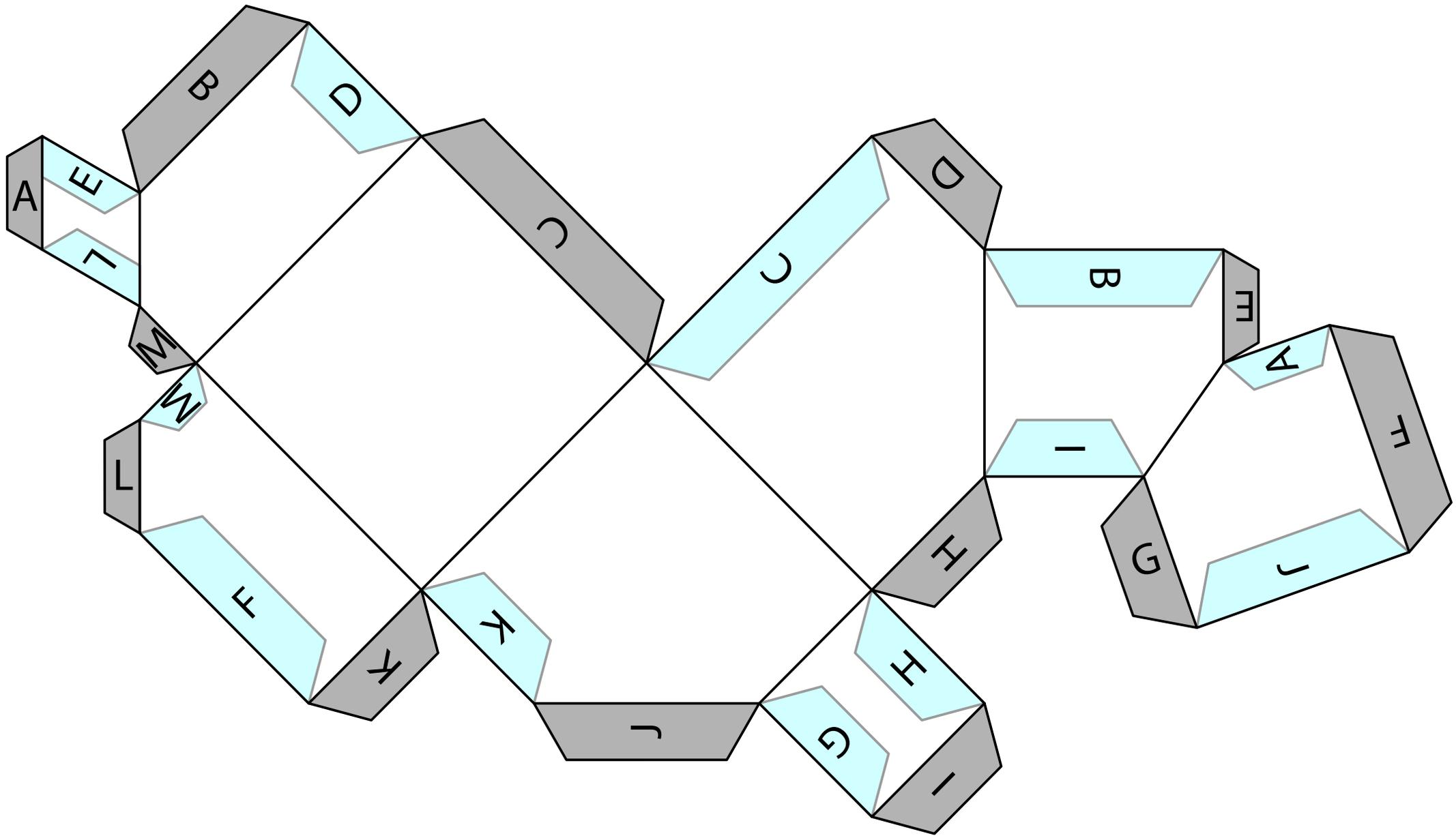
# COMPATIBILITY FANS FOR ASSOCIAHEDRA

Different initial triangulations  $T^\circ$  yield different realizations



**THM.** For any initial triangulation  $T^\circ$ , the cones  $\{\mathbb{R}_{\geq 0} \mathbf{d}(T^\circ, D) \mid D \text{ dissection}\}$  form a complete simplicial fan. Moreover, this fan is always polytopal.

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CHAPOTON-FOMIN-ZELEVINSKY'S ASSOCIAHEDRON

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# CLUSTER ALGEBRAS

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Fomin-Zelevinsky, *Cluster Algebras I, II, III, IV* ('02–'07)

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**cluster algebra** = commutative ring generated by distinguished **cluster variables** grouped into overlapping **clusters**

clusters computed by a **mutation process** :

**cluster seed** = algebraic data  $\{x_1, \dots, x_n\}$ , combinatorial data  $B$  (matrix or quiver)

**cluster mutation** =  $(\{x_1, \dots, x_k, \dots, x_n\}, B) \xleftrightarrow{\mu_k} (\{x_1, \dots, x'_k, \dots, x_n\}, \mu_k(B))$

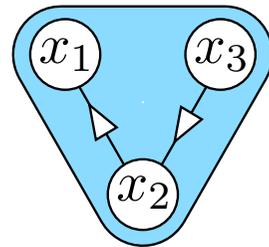
$$x_k \cdot x'_k = \prod_{\{i \mid b_{ik} > 0\}} x_i^{b_{ik}} + \prod_{\{i \mid b_{ik} < 0\}} x_i^{-b_{ik}}$$

$$(\mu_k(B))_{ij} = \begin{cases} -b_{ij} & \text{if } k \in \{i, j\} \\ b_{ij} + |b_{ik}| \cdot b_{kj} & \text{if } k \notin \{i, j\} \text{ and } b_{ik} \cdot b_{kj} > 0 \\ b_{ij} & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

**cluster complex** = simplicial complex w/ vertices = cluster variables & facets = clusters

# CLUSTER MUTATION

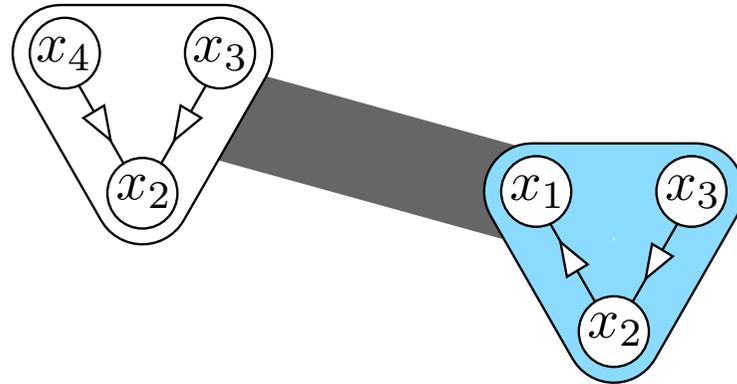
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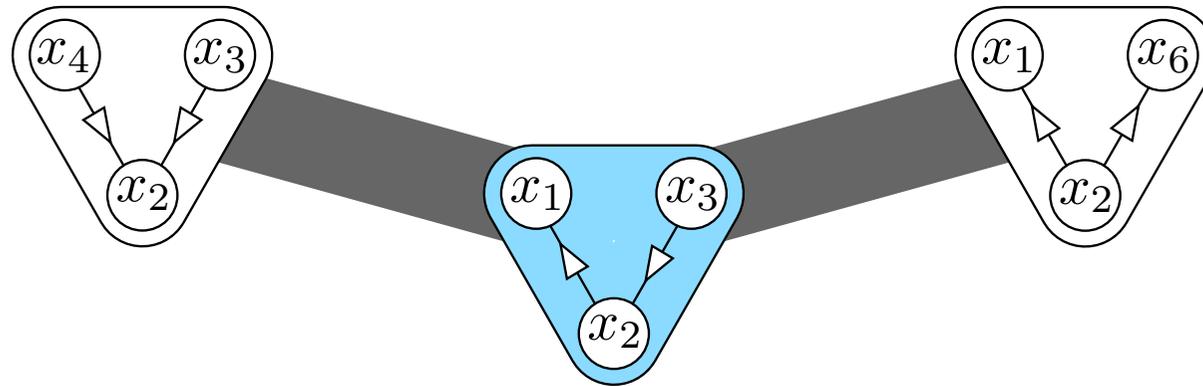


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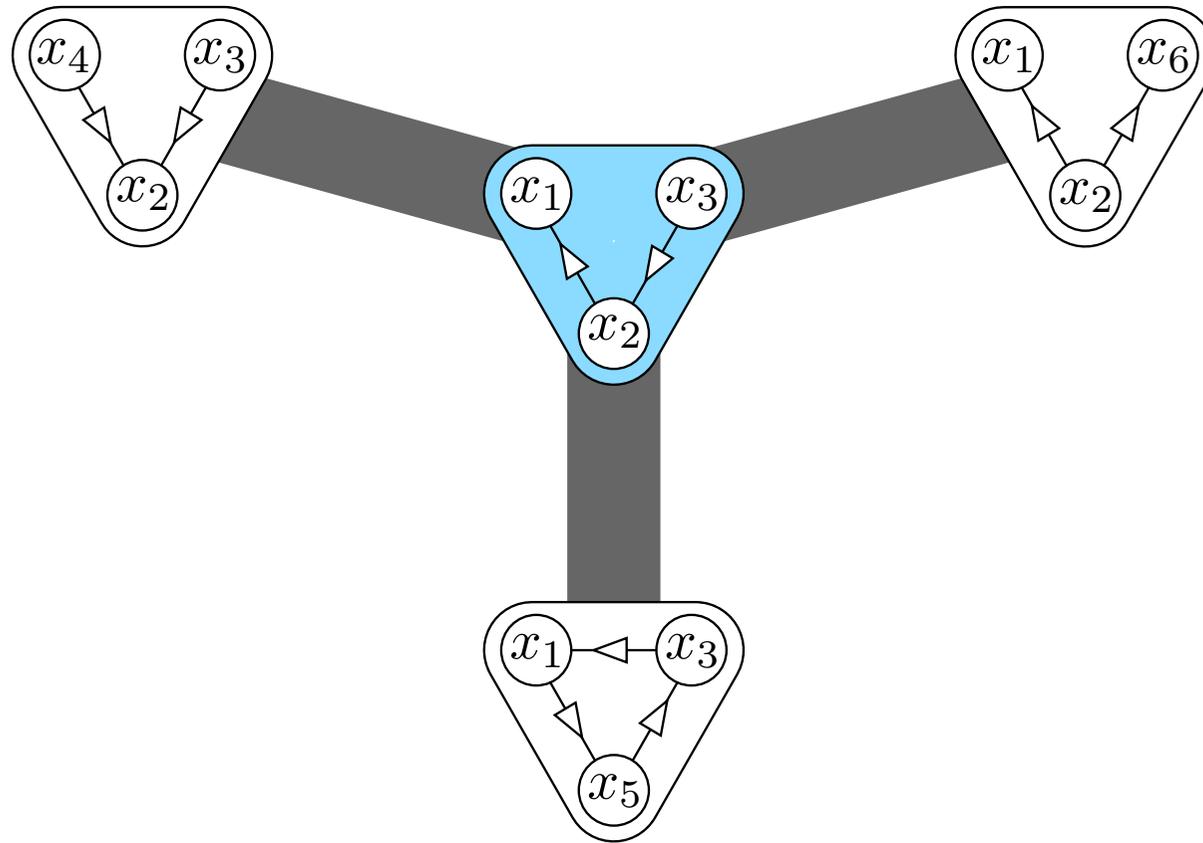
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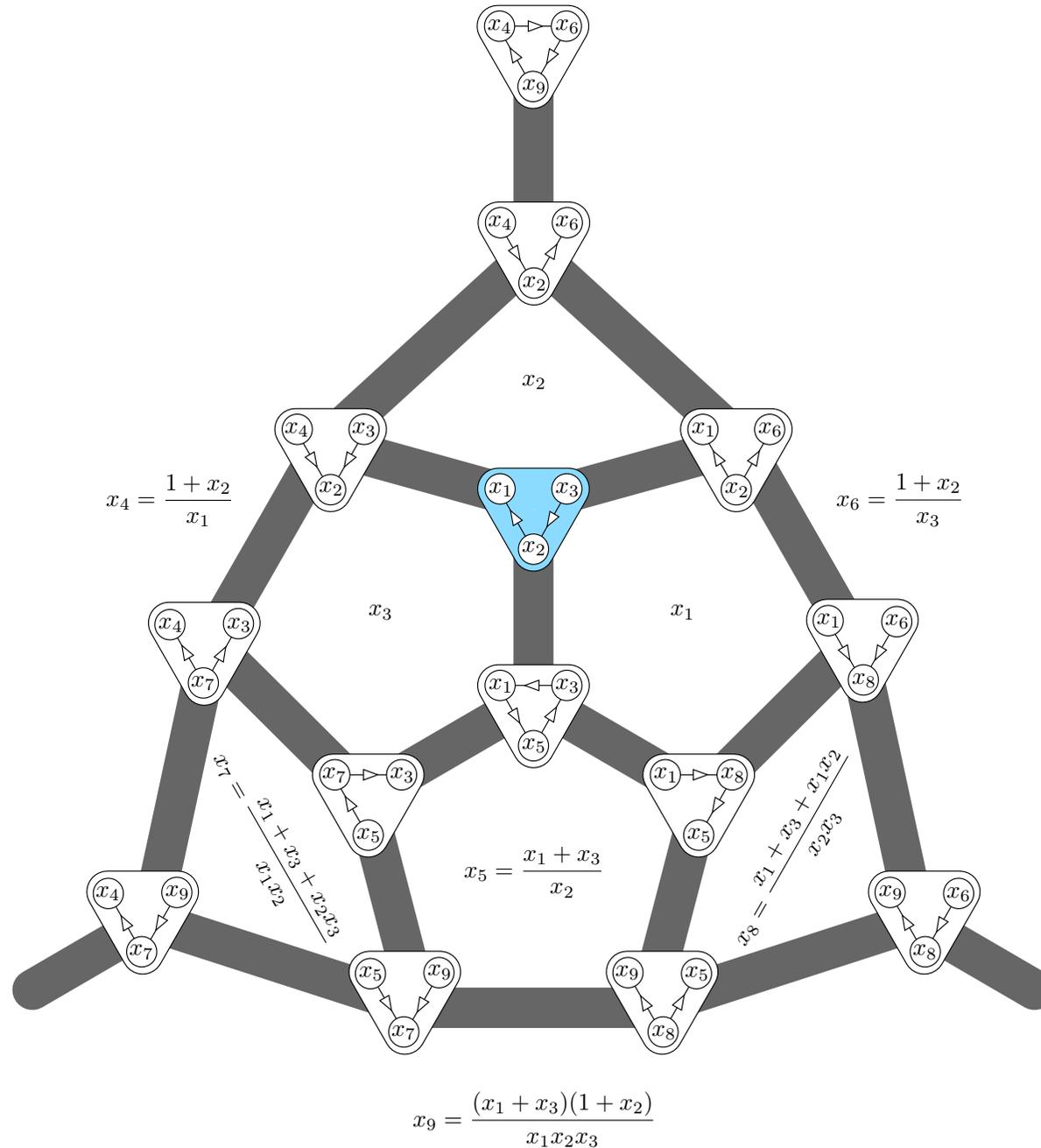
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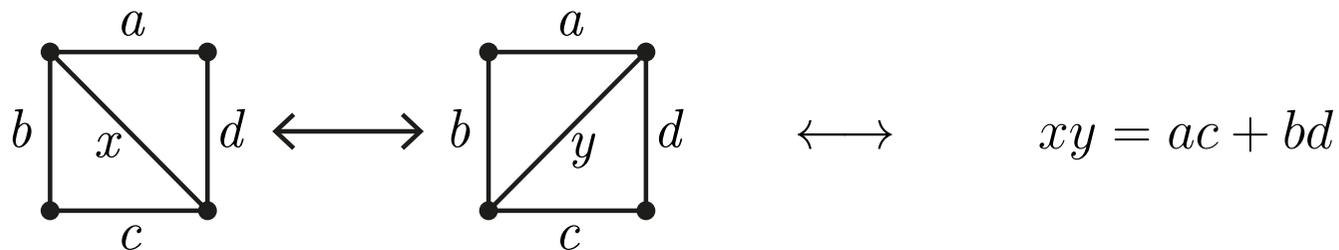


# CLUSTER ALGEBRA FROM TRIANGULATIONS

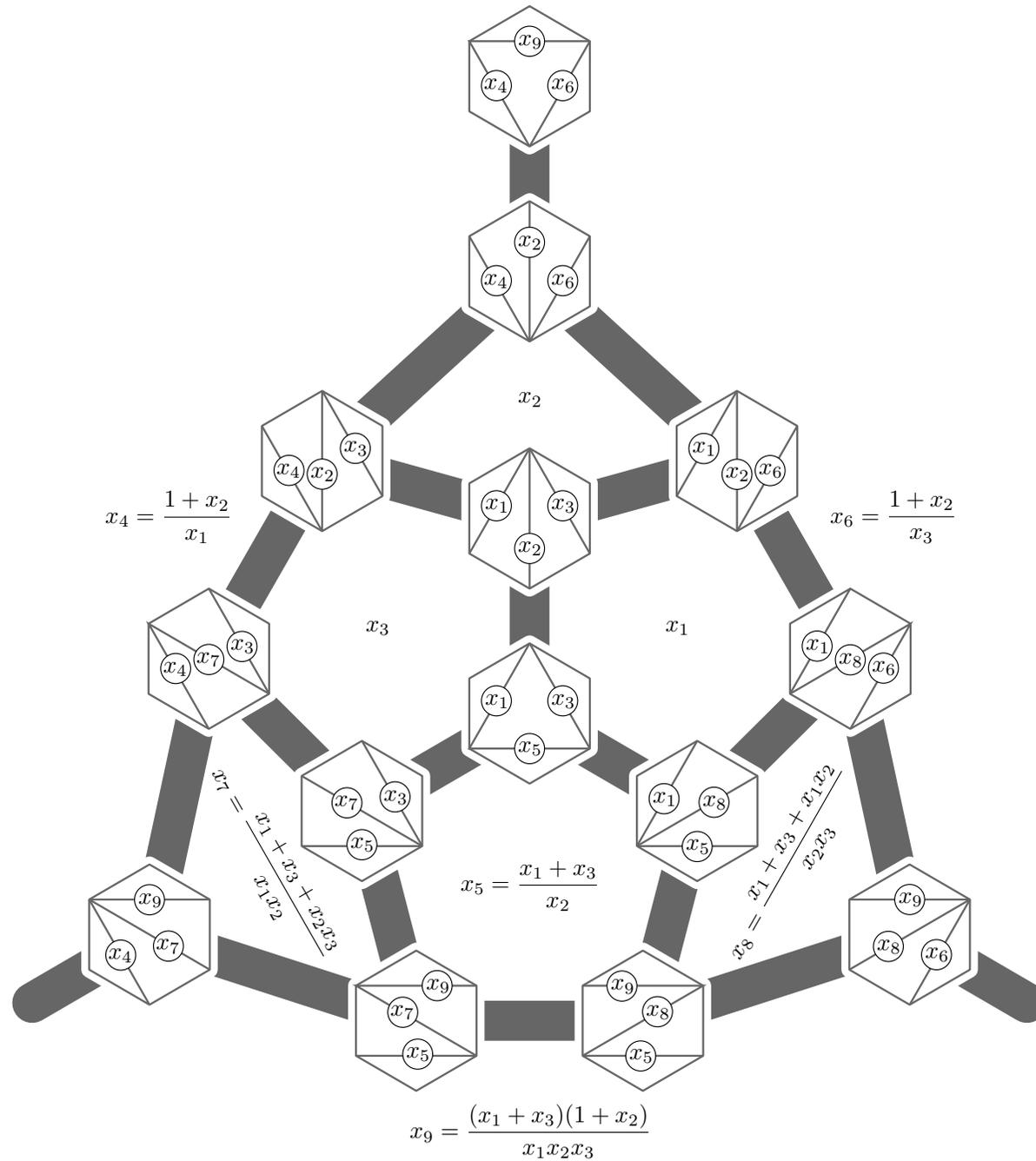
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One constructs a cluster algebra from the triangulations of a polygon:

diagonals  $\longleftrightarrow$  cluster variables  
triangulations  $\longleftrightarrow$  clusters  
flip  $\longleftrightarrow$  mutation



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**THM.** (Classification)

Finite type cluster algebras are classified by the Cartan-Killing classification for crystallographic root systems.

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for a root system  $\Phi$ , and an acyclic initial cluster  $X = \{x_1, \dots, x_n\}$ , there is a bijection

$$\begin{array}{lll}
 \text{cluster variables of } \mathcal{A}_\Phi & \xleftrightarrow{\theta_X} & \Phi_{\geq -1} = \Phi^+ \cup -\Delta \\
 y = \frac{F(x_1, \dots, x_n)}{x_1^{d_1} \cdots x_n^{d_n}} & \xleftrightarrow{\theta_X} & \beta = d_1\alpha_1 + \cdots + d_n\alpha_n \\
 \text{cluster of } \mathcal{A}_\Phi & \xleftrightarrow{\theta_X} & X\text{-cluster in } \Phi_{\geq -1} \\
 \text{cluster complex of } \mathcal{A}_\Phi & \xleftrightarrow{\theta_X} & X\text{-cluster complex in } \Phi_{\geq -1}
 \end{array}$$

see a short introduction to finite Coxeter groups

# CLUSTER/DENOMINATOR/COMPATIBILITY FAN

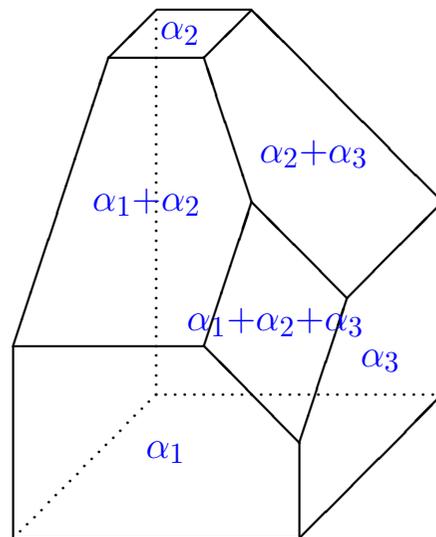
**THM.**  $\Phi$  crystallographic root system,  $X$  acyclic initial cluster of  $\mathcal{A}_\Phi$ ,  
 $\theta_X$  : cluster variables of  $\mathcal{A}_\Phi \mapsto$  almost positive roots  $\Phi_{\geq -1} = \Phi^+ \cup -\Delta$

The collection of cones

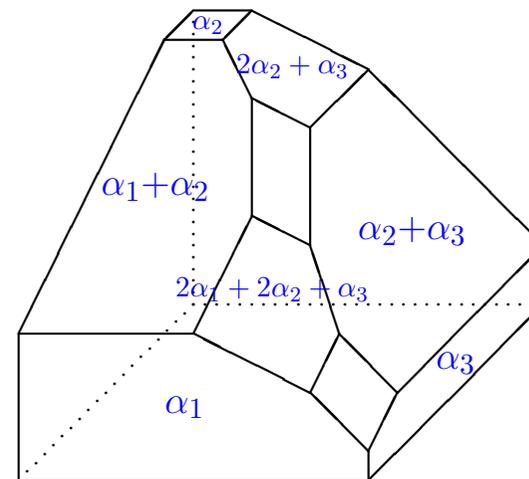
$$\{\mathbb{R}_{\geq 0} \cdot \theta(Y) \mid Y \text{ cluster of } \mathcal{A}_\Phi\}$$

is a complete simplicial fan, called **cluster fan**, **denominator fan**, or **compatibility fan**.  
 Moreover, this fan is always polytopal.

*Chapoton-Fomin-Zelevinsky, Polytopal realizations of generalized associahedra ('02)*



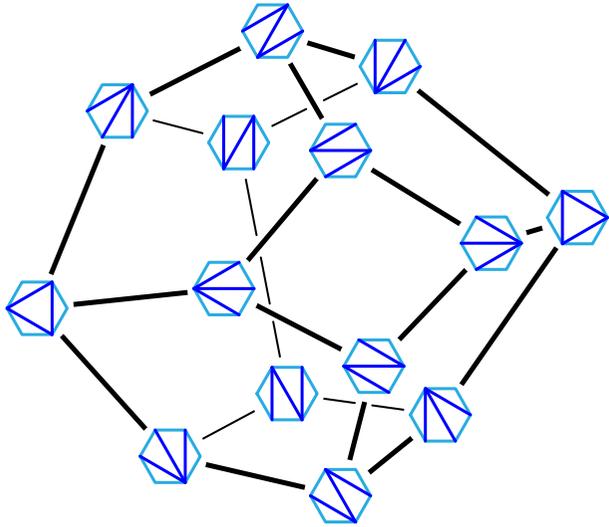
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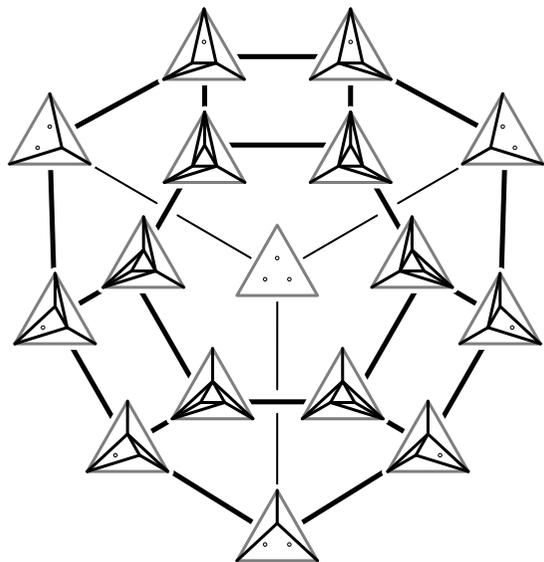
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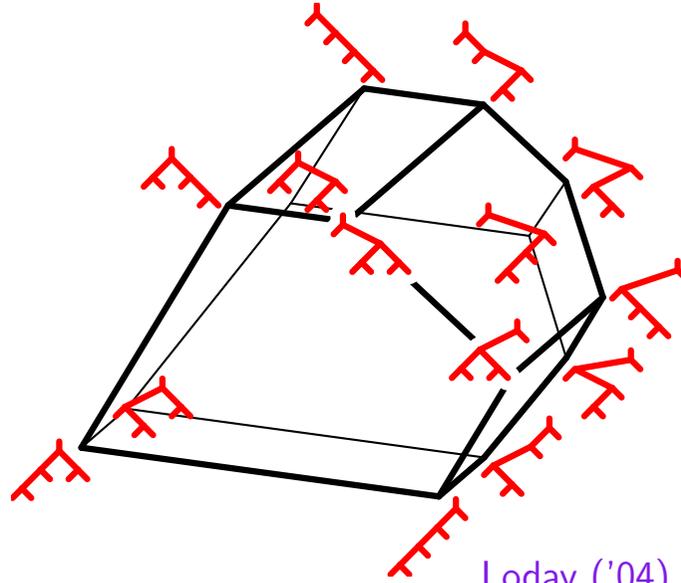
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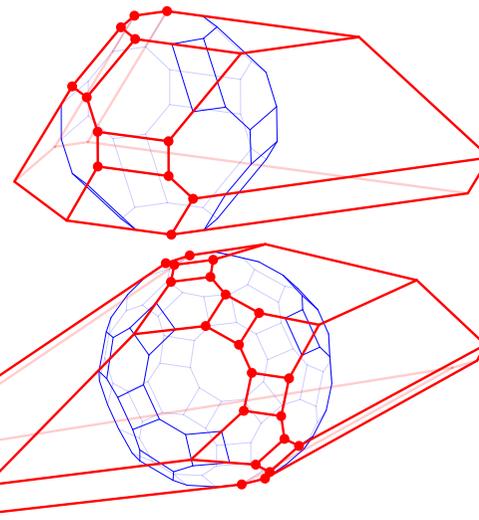
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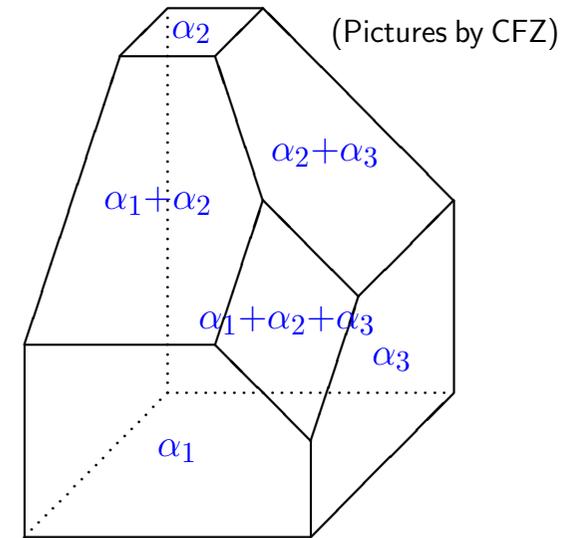
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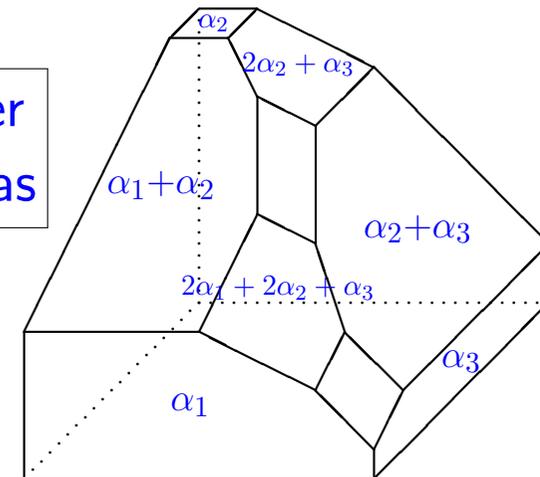


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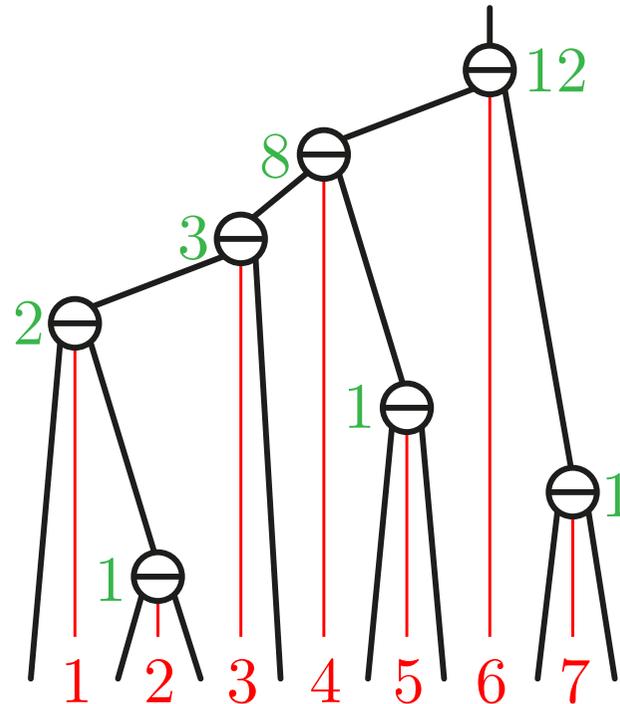
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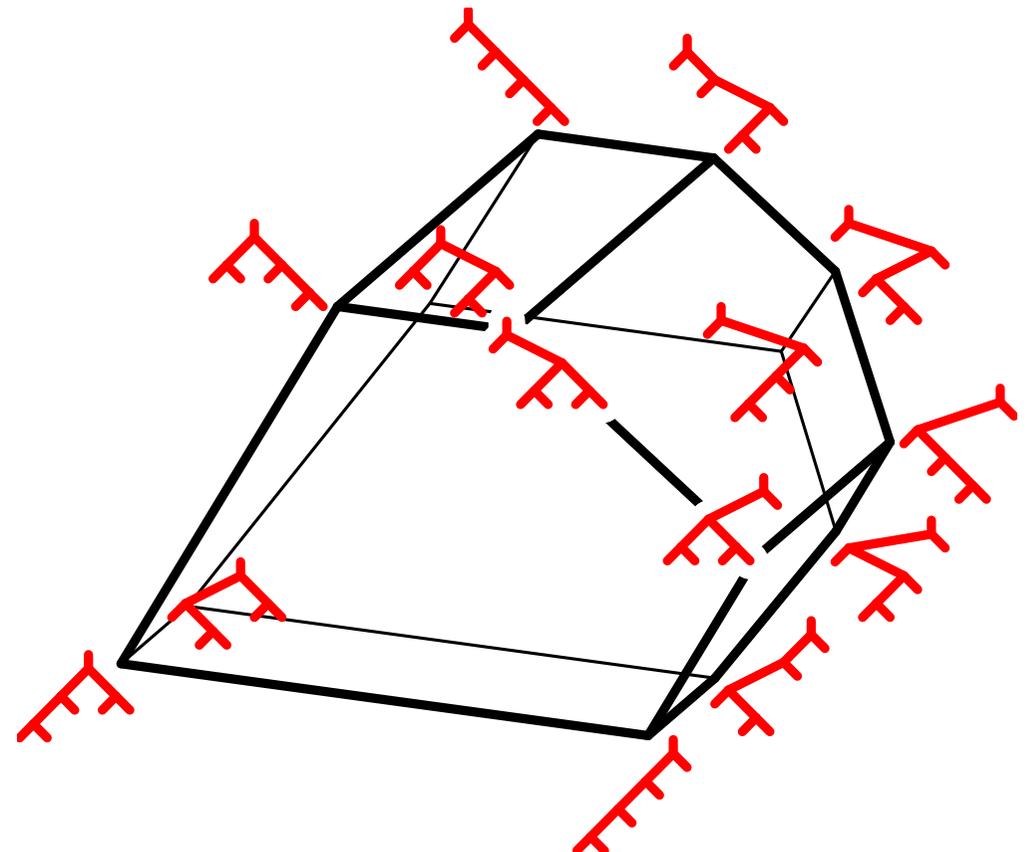
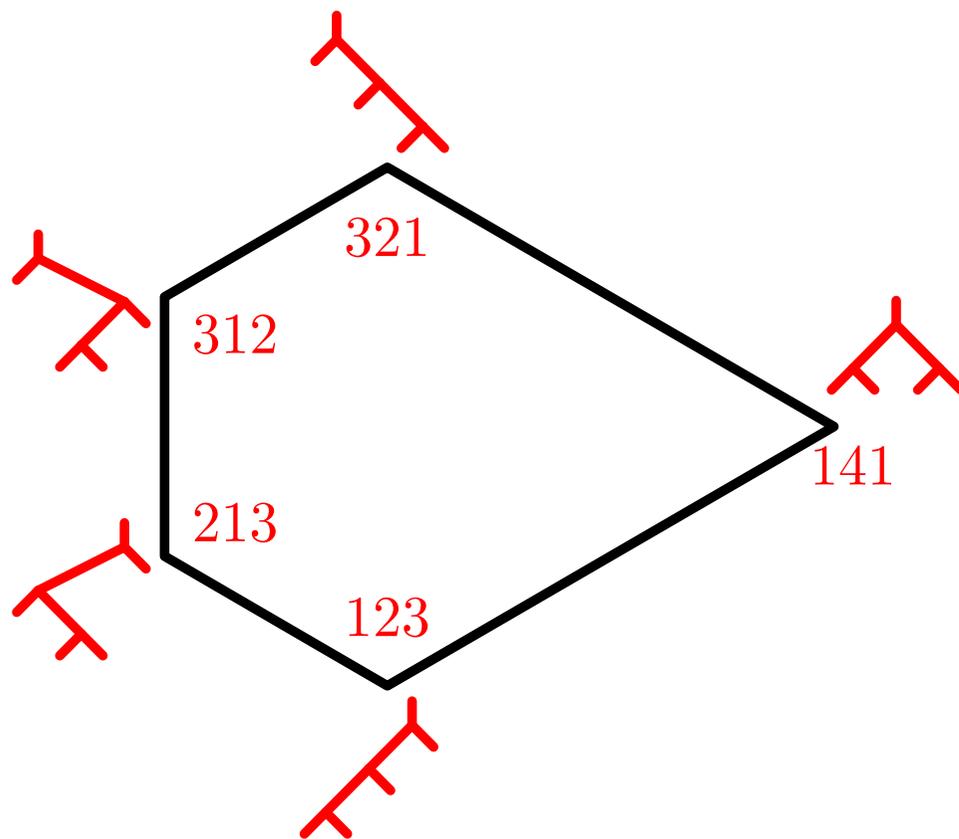


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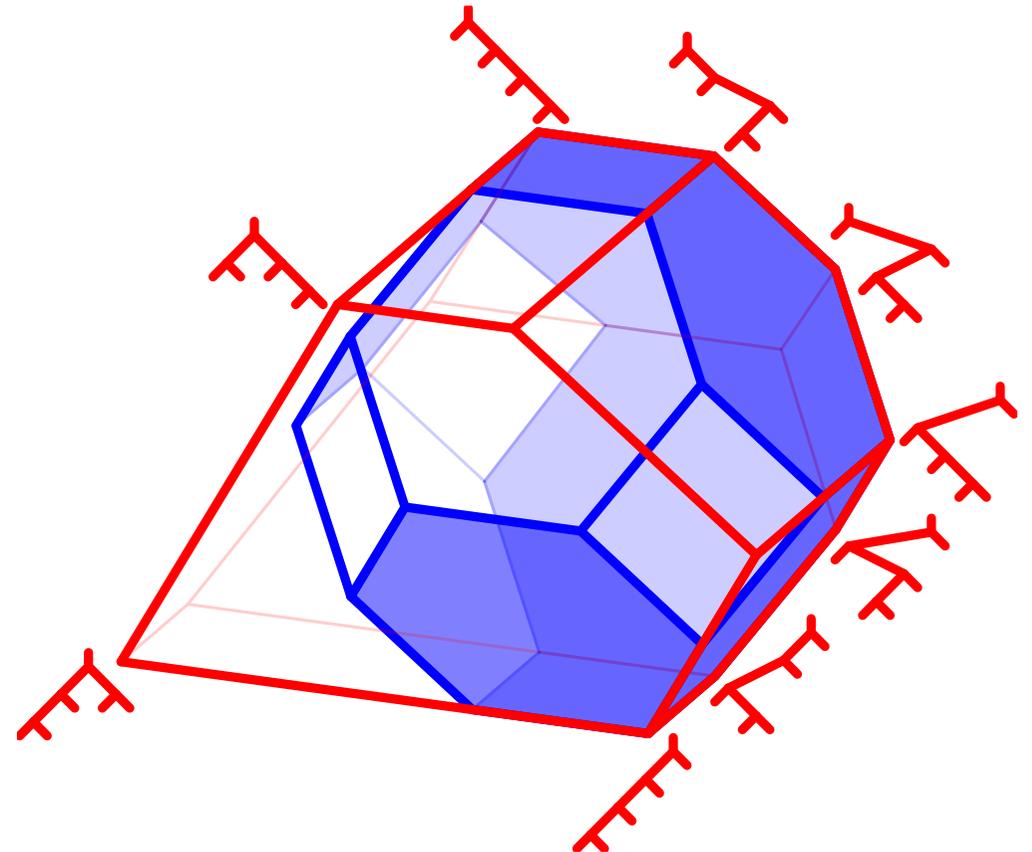
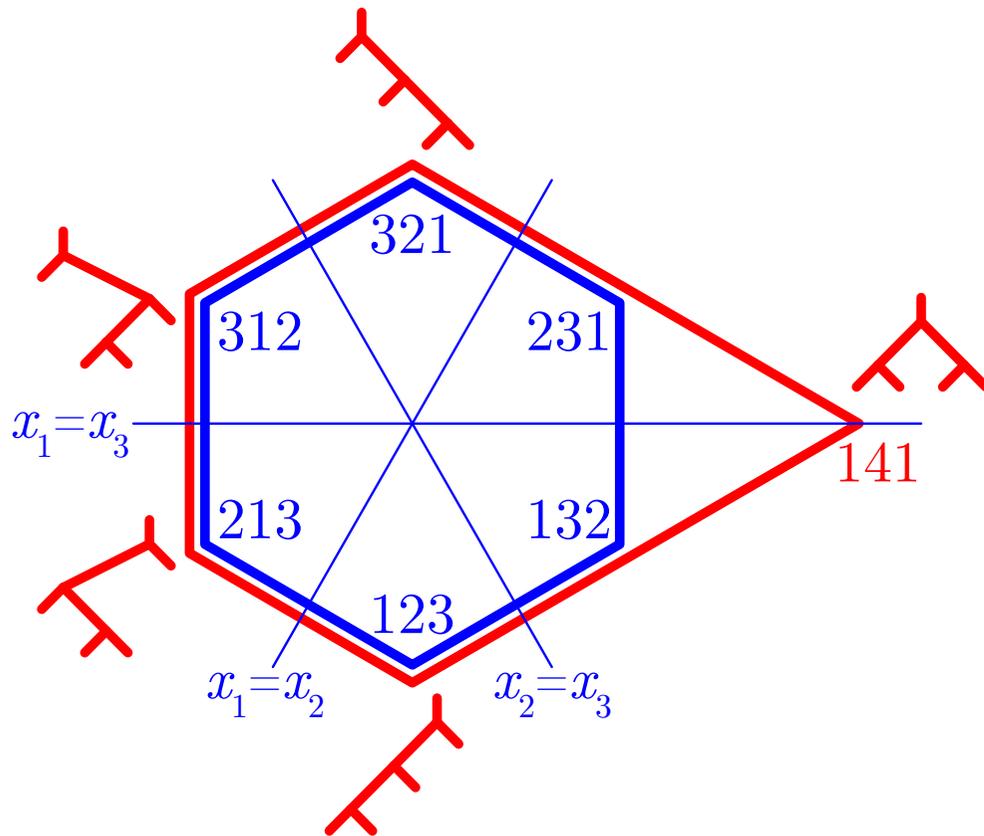
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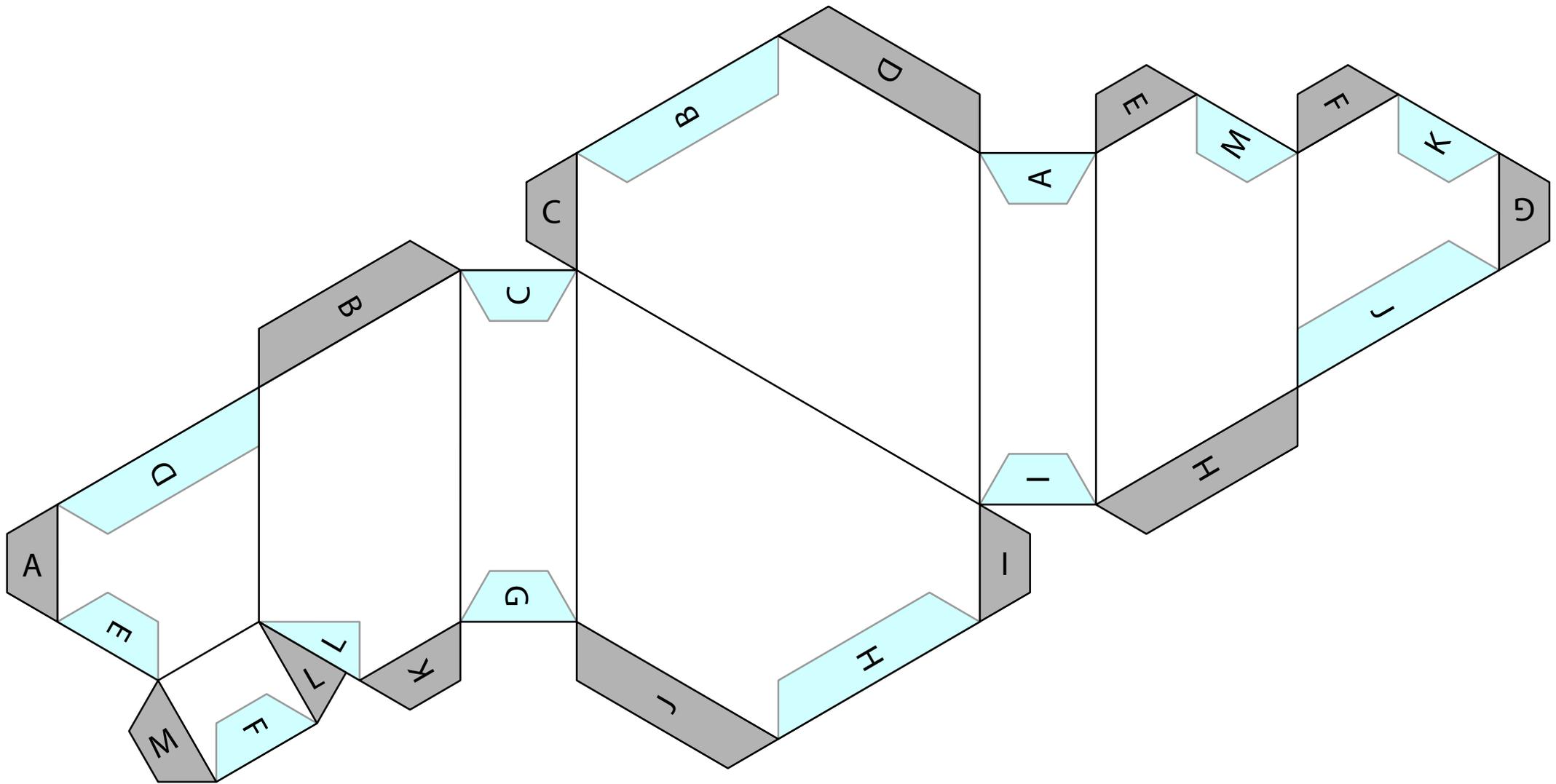


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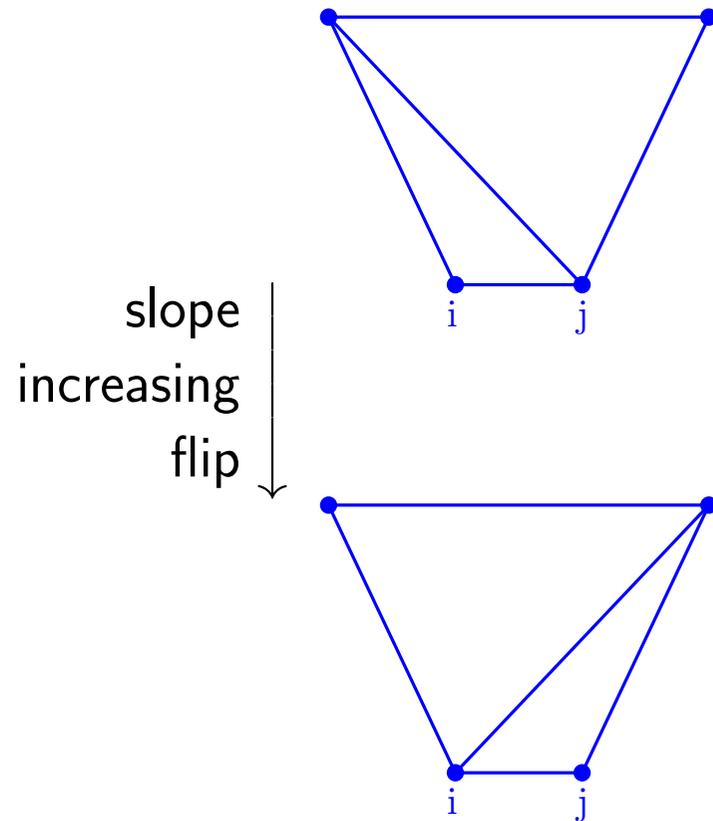


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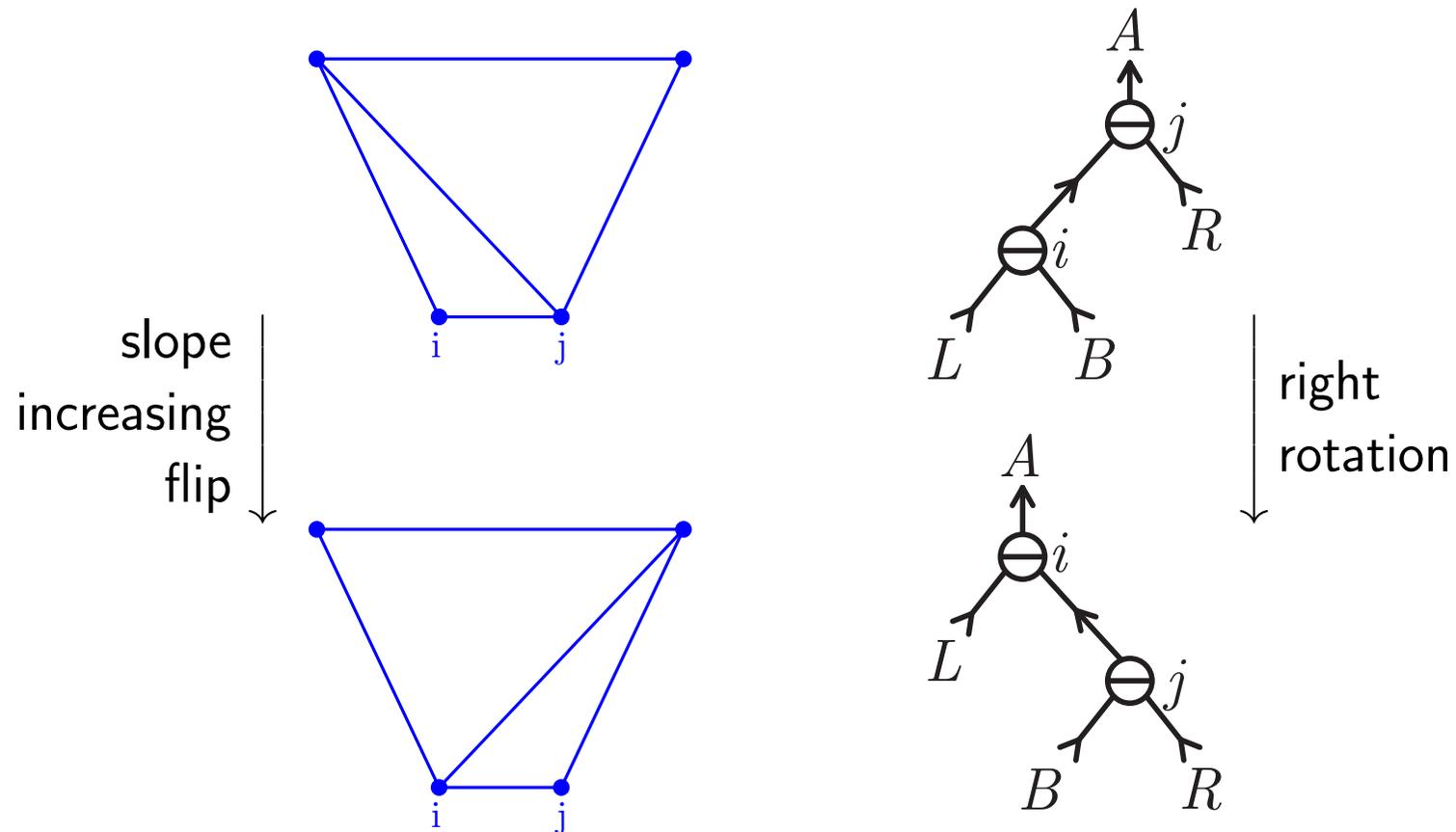
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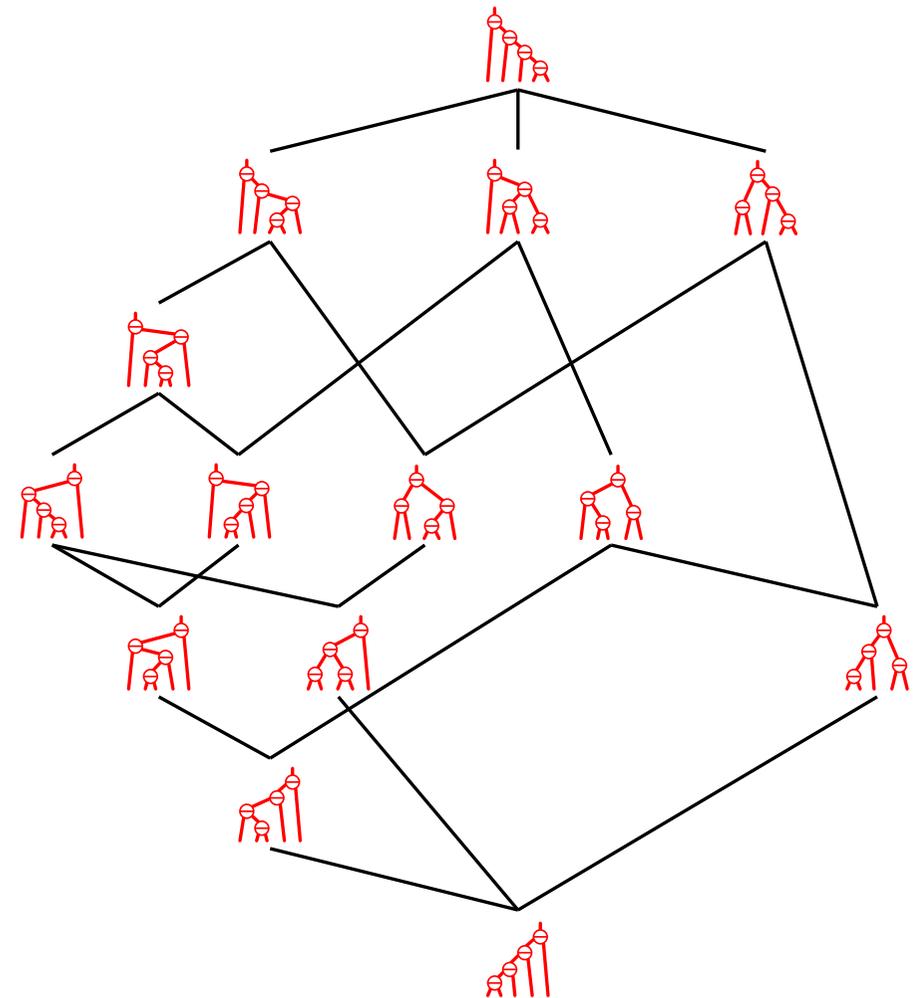
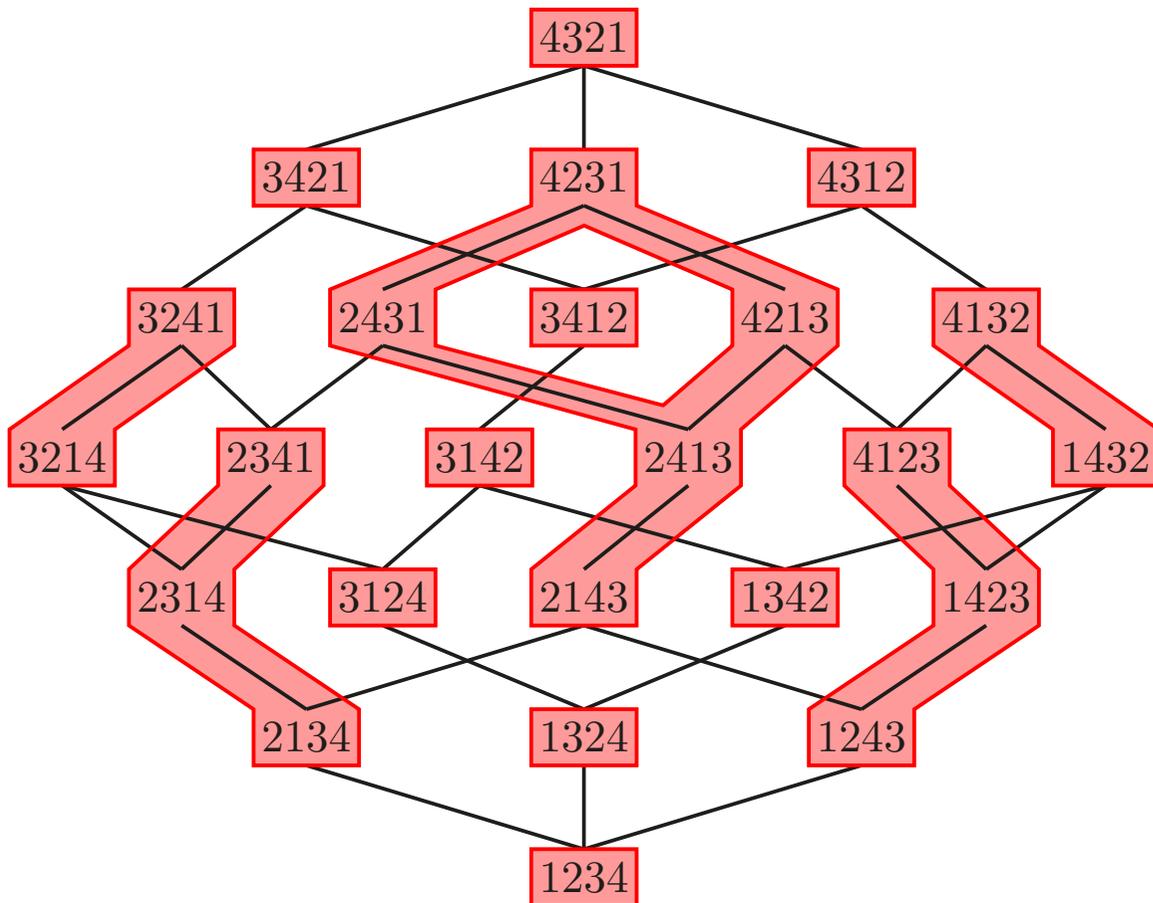
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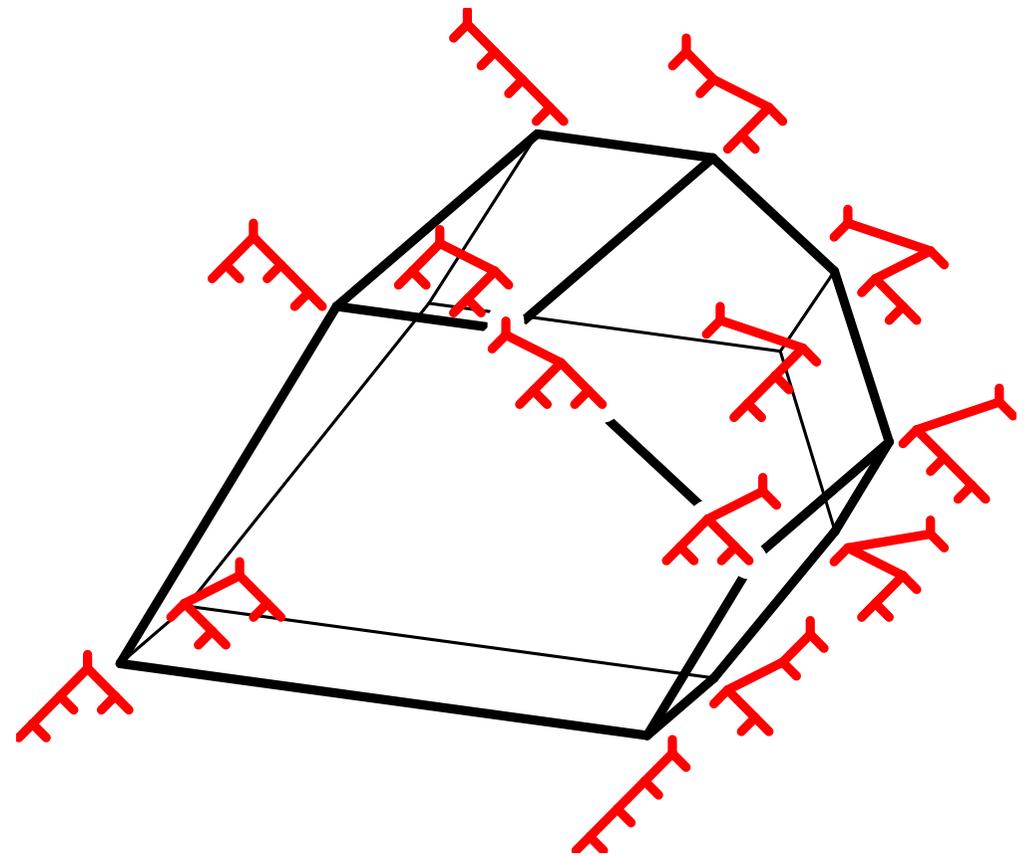
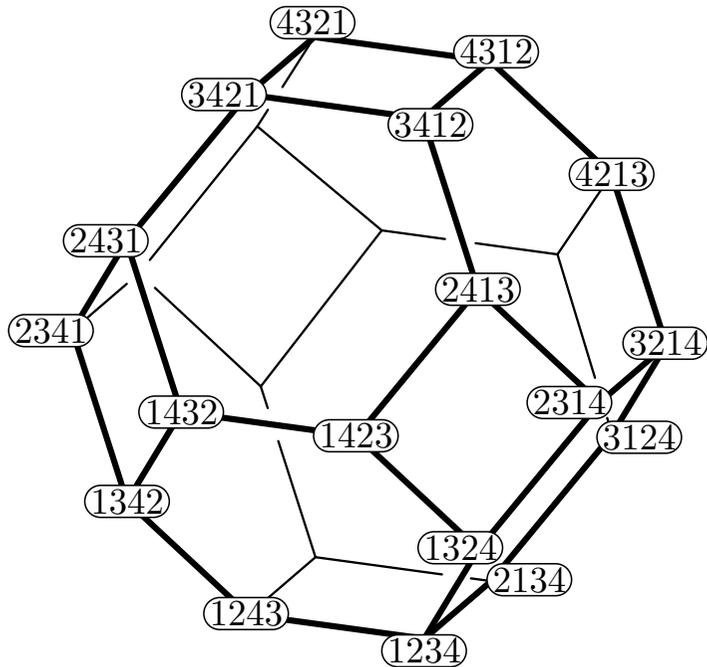
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# HOHLWEG-LANGE'S ASSOCIAHEDRON

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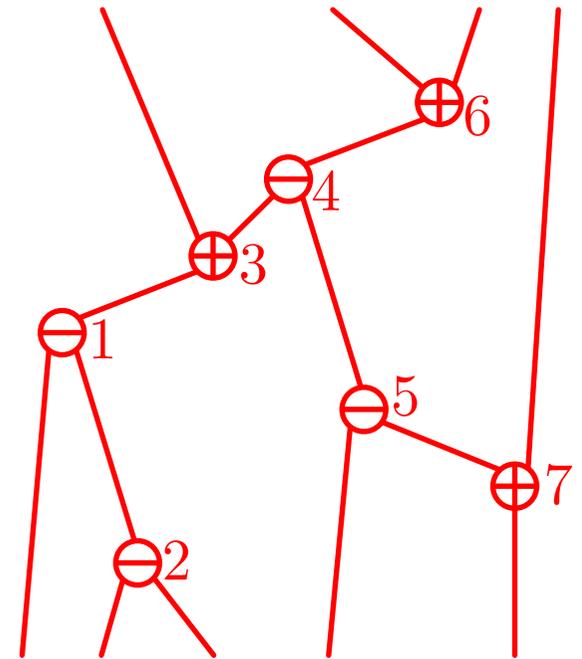
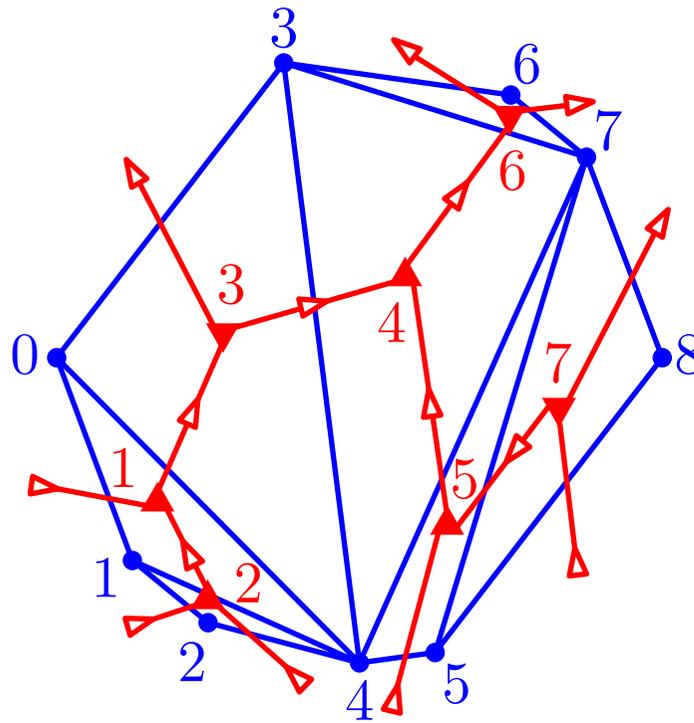
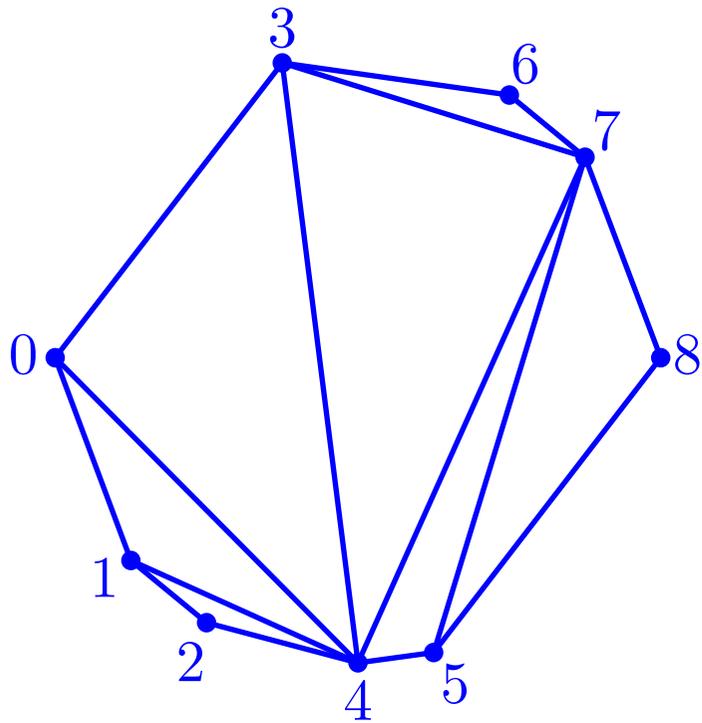
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# CAMBRIAN TREES AND TRIANGULATIONS OF POLYGONS

Cambrian trees are dual to triangulations of polygons



vertices above or below  $[0, 9]$

$\longleftrightarrow$

signature

triangle  $i < j < k$

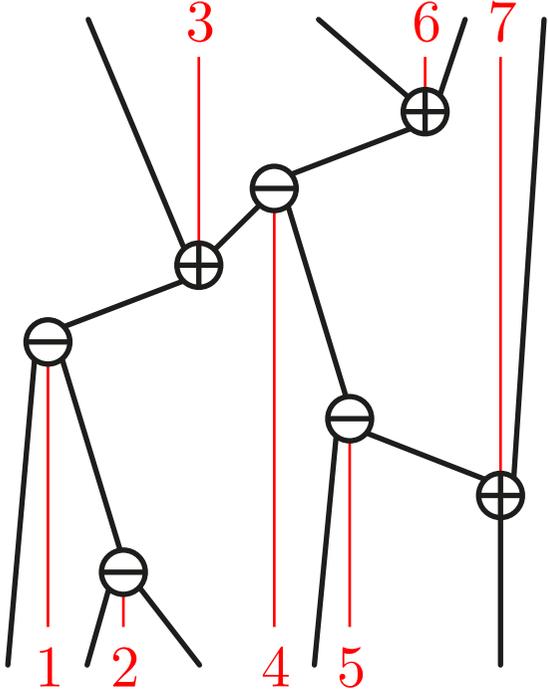
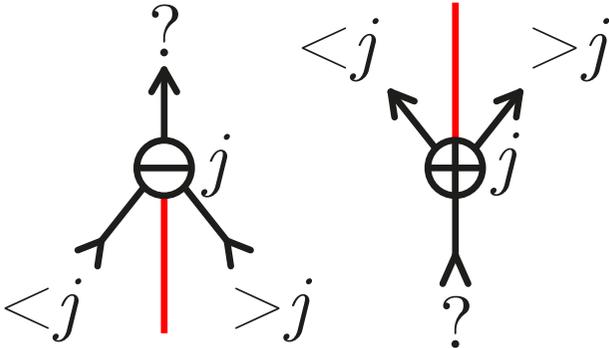
$\longleftrightarrow$

node  $j$

For any signature  $\varepsilon$ , there are  $C_n = \frac{1}{n+1} \binom{2n}{n}$   $\varepsilon$ -Cambrian trees

# CAMBRIAN TREES

Cambrian tree =  
directed and labeled tree such that

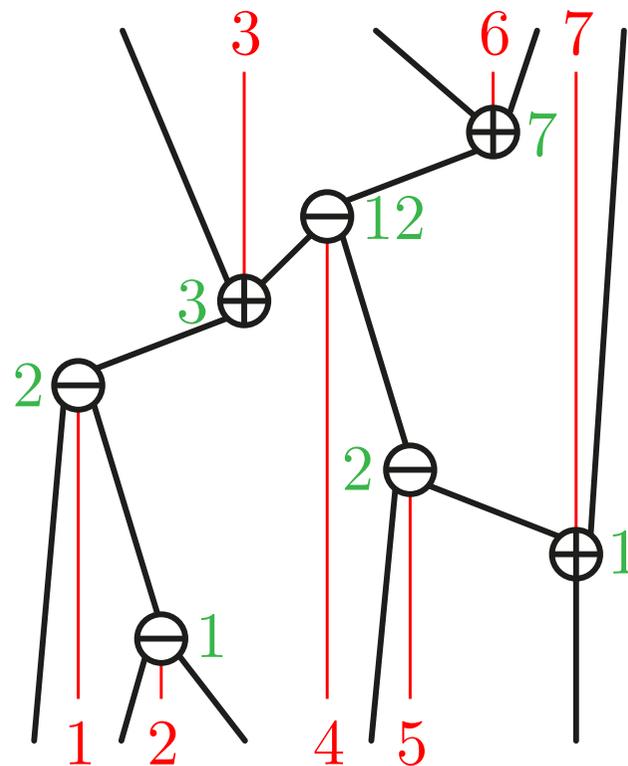


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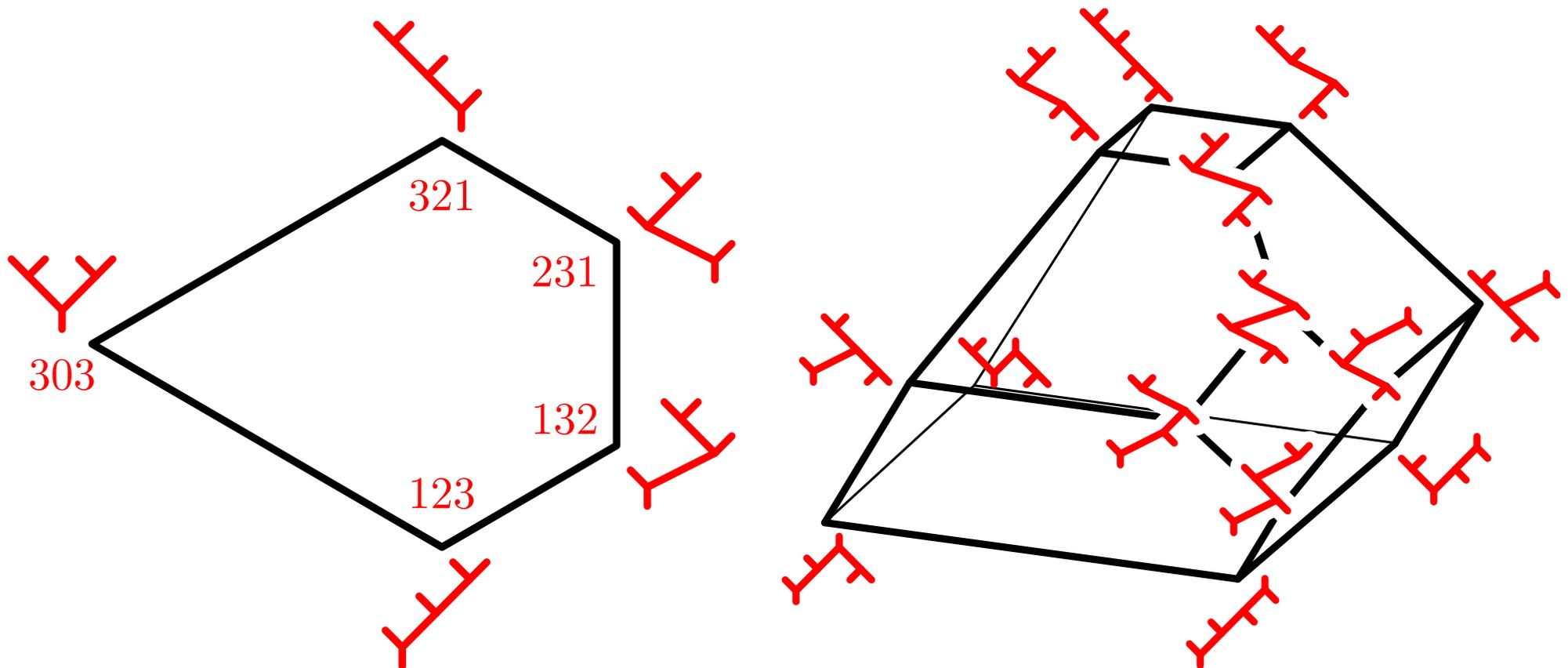
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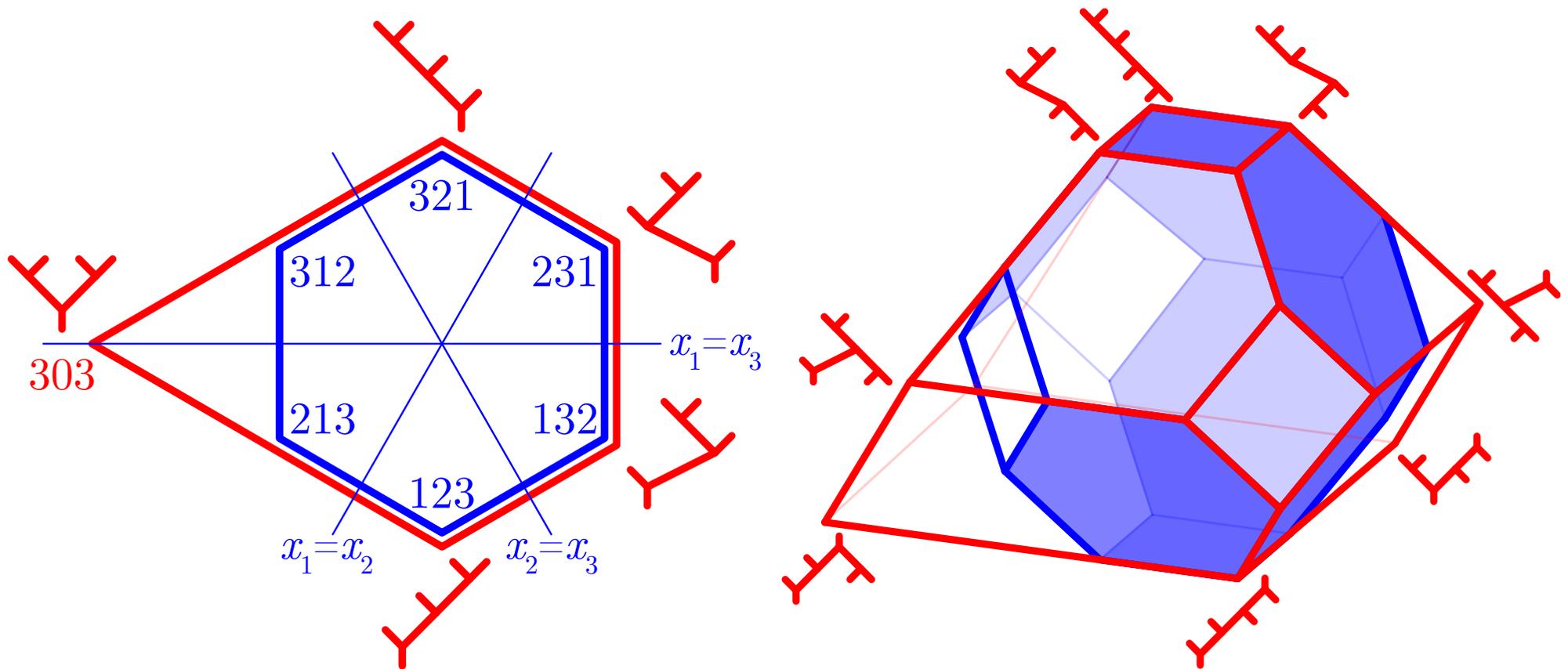
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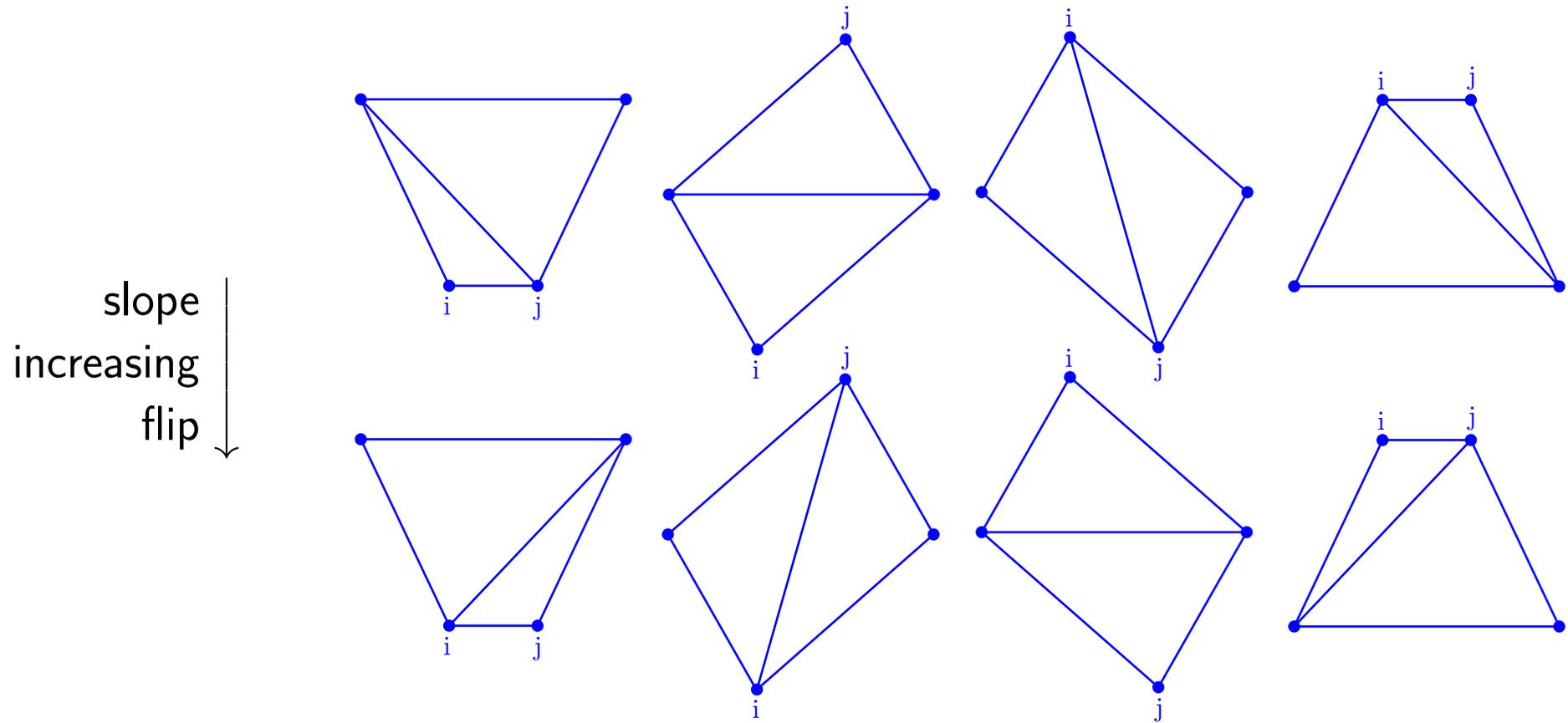
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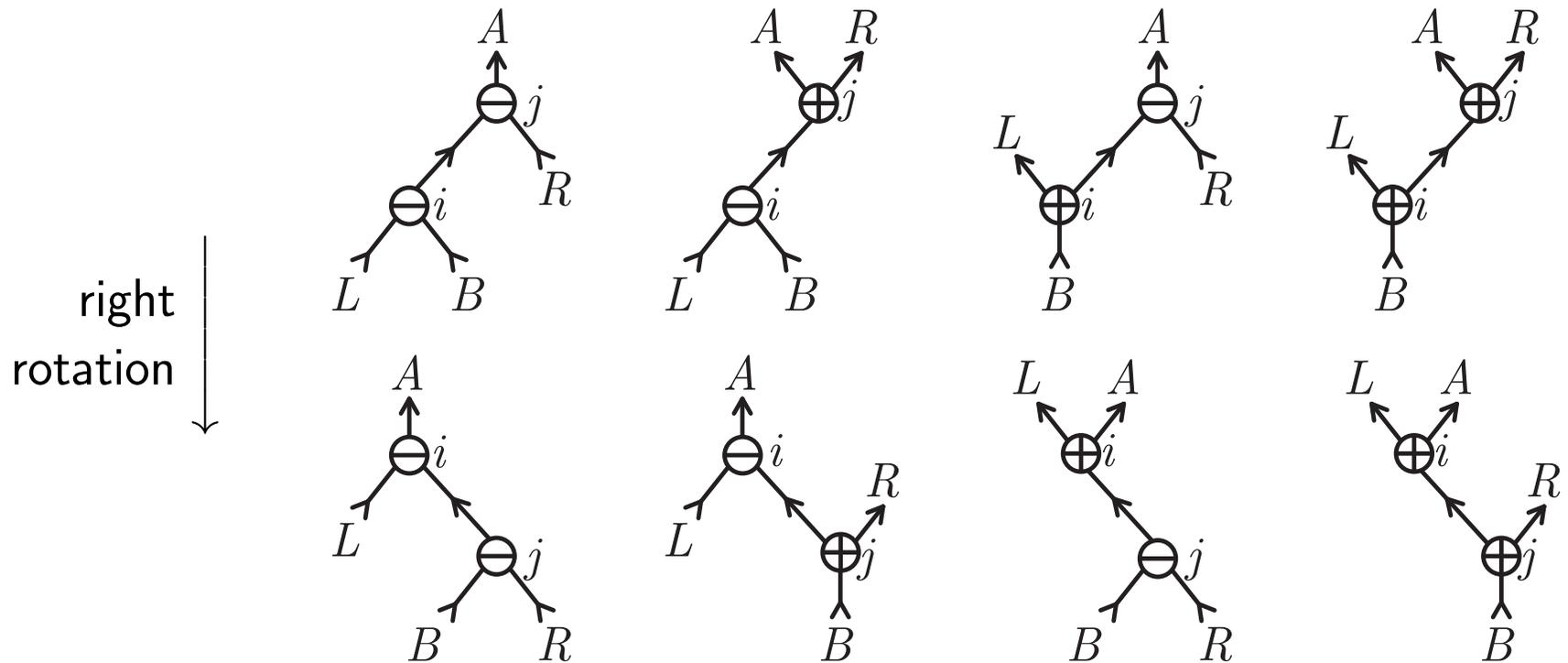
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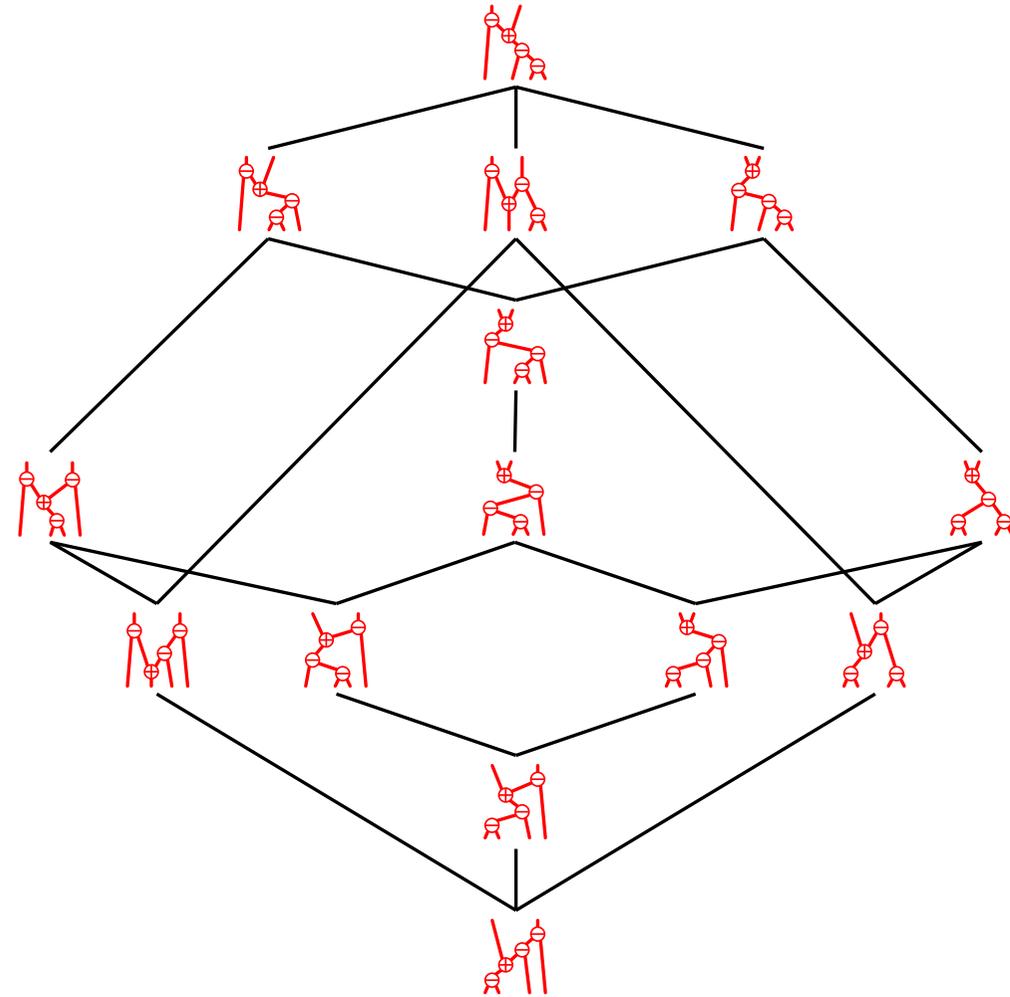
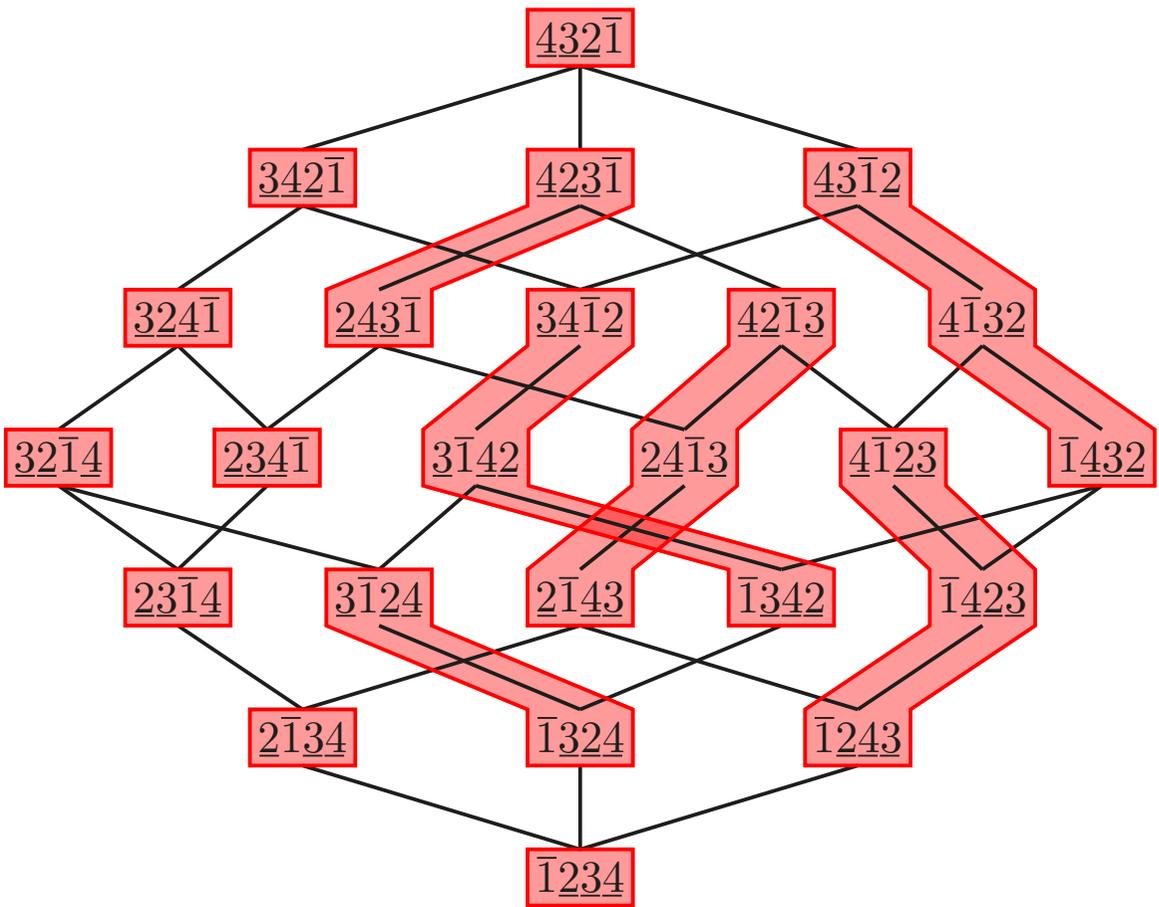
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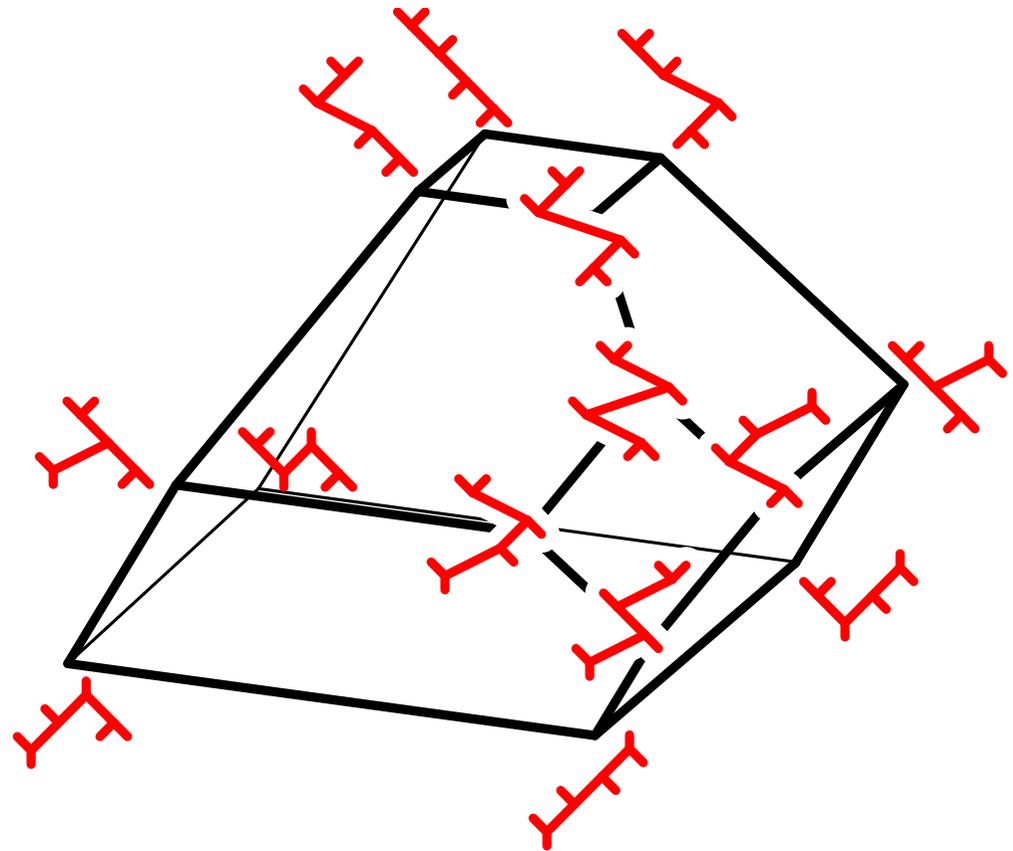
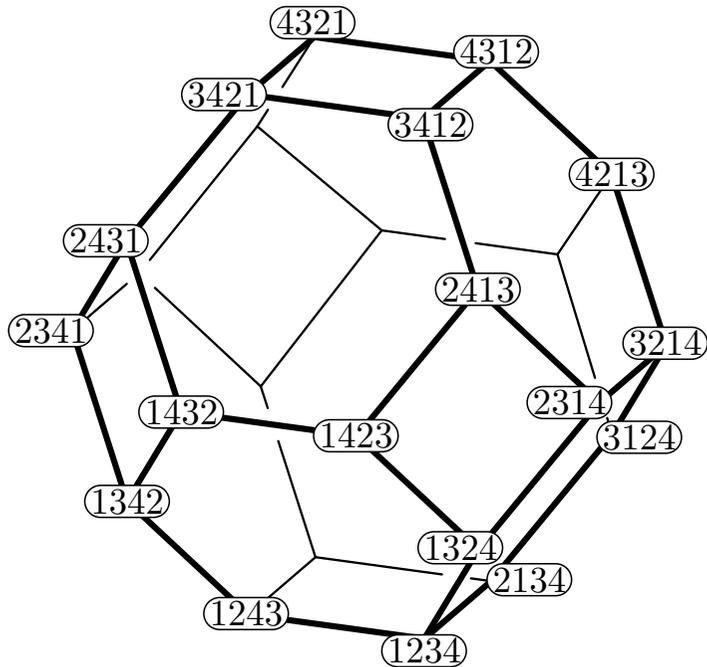
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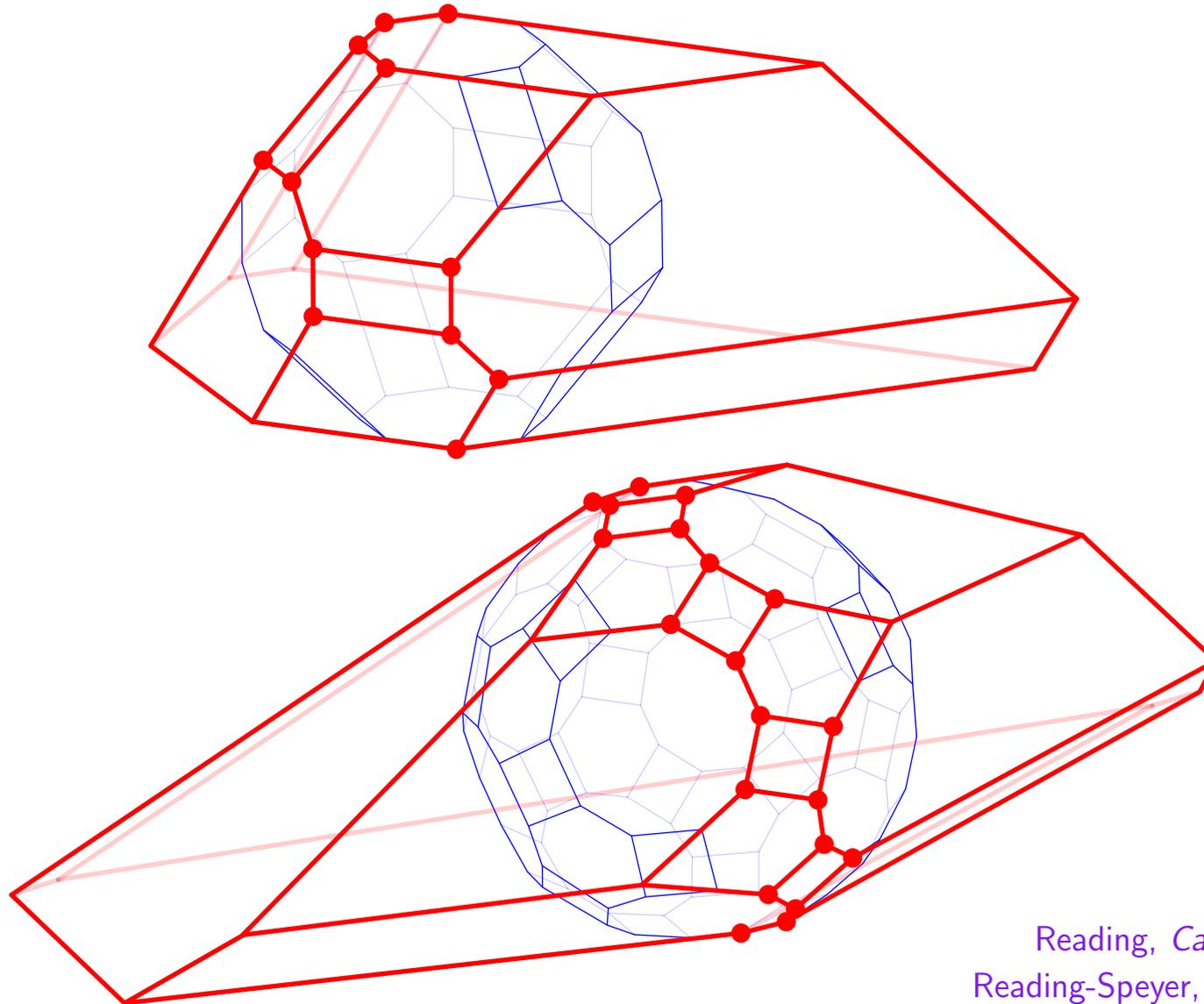
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# CAMBRIAN FANS AND GENERALIZED ASSOCIAHEDRA

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All this story extends to arbitrary finite Coxeter groups



Reading, *Cambrian lattices* ('06)

Reading-Speyer, *Cambrian fans* ('09)

Hohlweg-Lange-Thomas, *Permutahedra and generalized associahedra* ('11)

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# CAMBRIAN HOPF ALGEBRAS

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Loday-Ronco, *Hopf algebra of the planar binary trees* ('98)  
Chatel-P., *Cambrian Hopf Algebras* ('15<sup>+</sup>)

# SHUFFLE AND CONVOLUTION

For  $n, n' \in \mathbb{N}$ , consider the set of perms of  $\mathfrak{S}_{n+n'}$  with at most one descent, at position  $n$ :

$$\mathfrak{S}^{(n,n')} := \{\tau \in \mathfrak{S}_{n+n'} \mid \tau(1) < \dots < \tau(n) \text{ and } \tau(n+1) < \dots < \tau(n+n')\}$$

For  $\tau \in \mathfrak{S}_n$  and  $\tau' \in \mathfrak{S}_{n'}$ , define

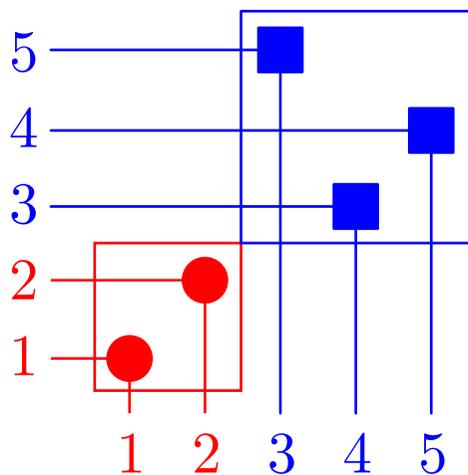
**shifted concatenation**  $\tau\bar{\tau}' = [\tau(1), \dots, \tau(n), \tau'(1) + n, \dots, \tau'(n') + n] \in \mathfrak{S}_{n+n'}$

**shifted shuffle product**  $\tau \sqcup \tau' = \{(\tau\bar{\tau}') \circ \pi^{-1} \mid \pi \in \mathfrak{S}^{(n,n')}\} \subset \mathfrak{S}_{n+n'}$

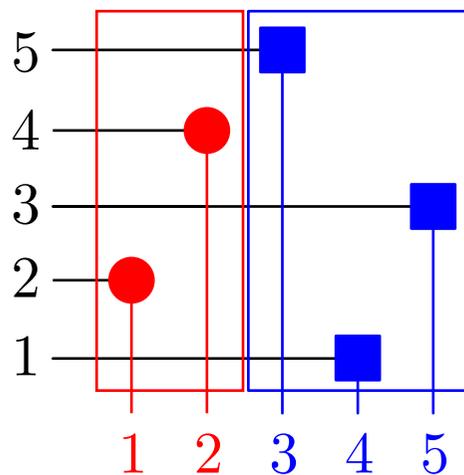
**convolution product**  $\tau \star \tau' = \{\pi \circ (\tau\bar{\tau}') \mid \pi \in \mathfrak{S}^{(n,n')}\} \subset \mathfrak{S}_{n+n'}$

Exm:  $12 \sqcup 231 = \{12453, 14253, 14523, 14532, 41253, 41523, 41532, 45123, 45132, 45312\}$

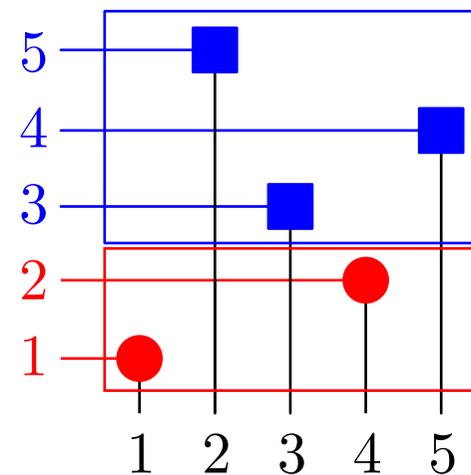
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concatenation



shuffle



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# MALVENUTO-REUTENAUER ALGEBRA

DEF. Combinatorial Hopf Algebra = combinatorial vector space  $\mathcal{B}$  endowed with

$$\text{product } \cdot : \mathcal{B} \otimes \mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$$

$$\text{coproduct } \Delta : \mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{B} \otimes \mathcal{B}$$

which are “compatible”, ie.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 \mathcal{B} \otimes \mathcal{B} & \xrightarrow{\cdot} & \mathcal{B} & \xrightarrow{\Delta} & \mathcal{B} \otimes \mathcal{B} \\
 \Delta \otimes \Delta \downarrow & & & & \uparrow \cdot \otimes \cdot \\
 \mathcal{B} \otimes \mathcal{B} \otimes \mathcal{B} \otimes \mathcal{B} & \xrightarrow{I \otimes \text{swap} \otimes I} & \mathcal{B} \otimes \mathcal{B} \otimes \mathcal{B} \otimes \mathcal{B} & & 
 \end{array}$$

Malvenuto-Reutenauer algebra = Hopf algebra FQSym with basis  $(\mathbb{F}_\tau)_{\tau \in \mathcal{G}}$  and where

$$\mathbb{F}_\tau \cdot \mathbb{F}_{\tau'} = \sum_{\sigma \in \tau \sqcup \tau'} \mathbb{F}_\sigma \quad \text{and} \quad \Delta \mathbb{F}_\sigma = \sum_{\sigma \in \tau \star \tau'} \mathbb{F}_\tau \otimes \mathbb{F}_{\tau'}$$

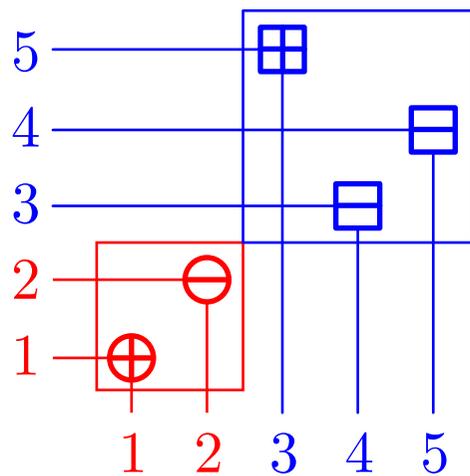
Malvenuto-Reutenauer, *Duality between quasi-symmetric functions and the Solomon descent algebra* ('95)

# SIGNED VERSION

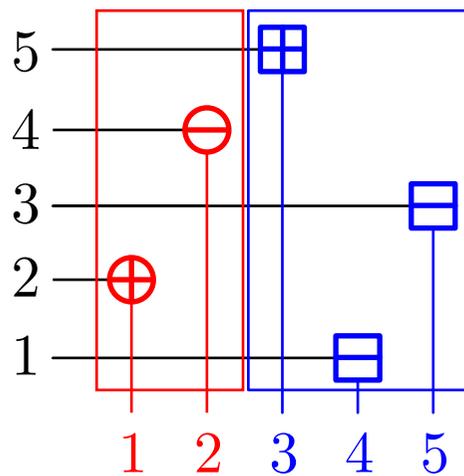
For signed permutations:

- signs are attached to values in the shuffle product
- signs are attached to positions in the convolution product

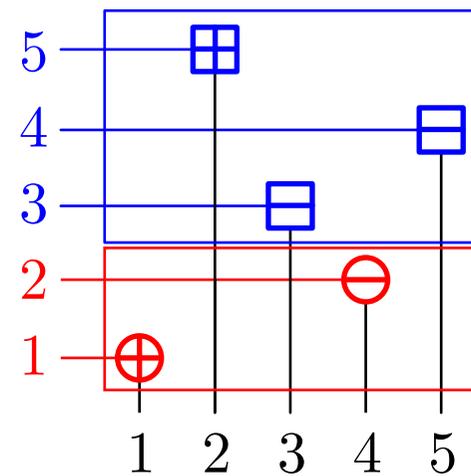
Exm:  $\bar{1}\underline{2} \sqcup \underline{2}\bar{3}\bar{1} = \{\bar{1}\underline{2}\underline{4}\bar{5}\bar{3}, \bar{1}\underline{4}\underline{2}\bar{5}\bar{3}, \bar{1}\underline{4}\bar{5}\underline{2}\bar{3}, \bar{1}\underline{4}\bar{5}\bar{3}\underline{2}, \underline{4}\bar{1}\underline{2}\bar{5}\bar{3}, \underline{4}\bar{1}\bar{5}\underline{2}\bar{3}, \underline{4}\bar{1}\bar{5}\bar{3}\underline{2}, \underline{4}\bar{5}\bar{1}\underline{2}\bar{3}, \underline{4}\bar{5}\bar{1}\bar{3}\underline{2}, \underline{4}\bar{5}\bar{3}\bar{1}\underline{2}\}$ ,  
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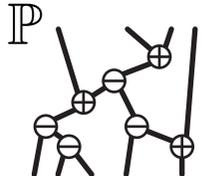
# CAMBRIAN ALGEBRA AS SUBALGEBRA OF $\text{FQSym}_{\pm}$

Cambrian algebra = vector subspace Camb of  $\text{FQSym}_{\pm}$  generated by

$$\mathbb{P}_T := \sum_{\tau \in \mathcal{L}(T)} \mathbb{F}_{\tau},$$

for all Cambrian trees  $T$ .

Exm:



$$= \mathbb{F}_{\underline{213\bar{7}5\bar{4}\bar{6}}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{217\bar{3}5\bar{4}\bar{6}}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{217\bar{5}3\bar{4}\bar{6}}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{27\bar{1}3\bar{5}\bar{4}\bar{6}}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{27\bar{1}5\bar{3}\bar{4}\bar{6}}} \\ + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{27\bar{5}1\bar{3}\bar{4}\bar{6}}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{72\bar{1}3\bar{5}\bar{4}\bar{6}}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{72\bar{1}5\bar{3}\bar{4}\bar{6}}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{72\bar{5}1\bar{3}\bar{4}\bar{6}}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{75\bar{2}1\bar{3}\bar{4}\bar{6}}}$$

**THEO.** Camb is a subalgebra of  $\text{FQSym}_{\pm}$

Loday-Ronco, *Hopf algebra of the planar binary trees* ('98)

Hivert-Novelli-Thibon, *The algebra of binary search trees* ('05)

Chatel-P., *Cambrian Hopf Algebras* ('15<sup>+</sup>)

GAME: Explain the product and coproduct directly on the Cambrian trees...

# PRODUCT IN CAMBRIAN ALGEBRA

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbb{P} \cdot \mathbb{P} &= \mathbb{F}_{\underline{12}} \cdot (\mathbb{F}_{\underline{213}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{231}}) \\
 &= \left( \begin{array}{l} \mathbb{F}_{\underline{12435}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{12453}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{14235}} \\ + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{14253}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{14523}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{41235}} \\ + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{41253}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{41523}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{45123}} \end{array} \right) + \left( \begin{array}{l} \mathbb{F}_{\underline{14325}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{14352}} \\ + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{14532}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{41325}} \\ + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{41352}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{41532}} \\ + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{45132}} \end{array} \right) + \left( \begin{array}{l} \mathbb{F}_{\underline{43125}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{43152}} \\ + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{43512}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{45312}} \end{array} \right) \\
 &= \mathbb{P} + \mathbb{P} + \mathbb{P}
 \end{aligned}$$

**PROP.** For any Cambrian trees  $T$  and  $T'$ ,

$$\mathbb{P}_T \cdot \mathbb{P}_{T'} = \sum_S \mathbb{P}_S$$

where  $S$  runs over the interval  $\left[ T \nearrow \bar{T}', T \nwarrow \bar{T}' \right]$  in the  $\varepsilon(T)\varepsilon(T')$ -Cambrian lattice

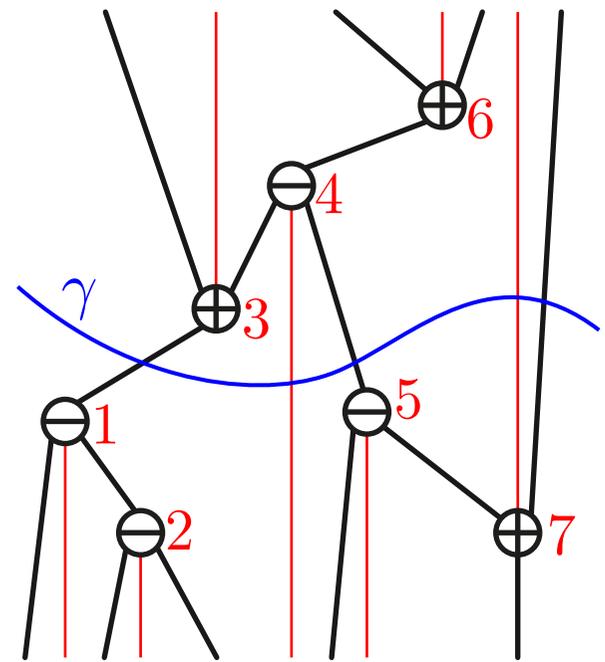
# COPRODUCT IN CAMBRIAN ALGEBRA

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Delta \mathbb{P} &= \Delta(\mathbb{F}_{\underline{213}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{231}}) \\
 &= 1 \otimes (\mathbb{F}_{\underline{213}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{231}}) + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{1}} \otimes \mathbb{F}_{\underline{12}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{1}} \otimes \mathbb{F}_{\underline{21}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{21}} \otimes \mathbb{F}_{\underline{1}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{12}} \otimes \mathbb{F}_{\underline{1}} + (\mathbb{F}_{\underline{213}} + \mathbb{F}_{\underline{231}}) \otimes 1 \\
 &= 1 \otimes \mathbb{P} + \mathbb{P} \otimes 1 \\
 &= 1 \otimes \mathbb{P} + \mathbb{P} \otimes (\mathbb{P} \cdot \mathbb{P}) + \mathbb{P} \otimes \mathbb{P} + \mathbb{P} \otimes \mathbb{P} + \mathbb{P} \otimes 1.
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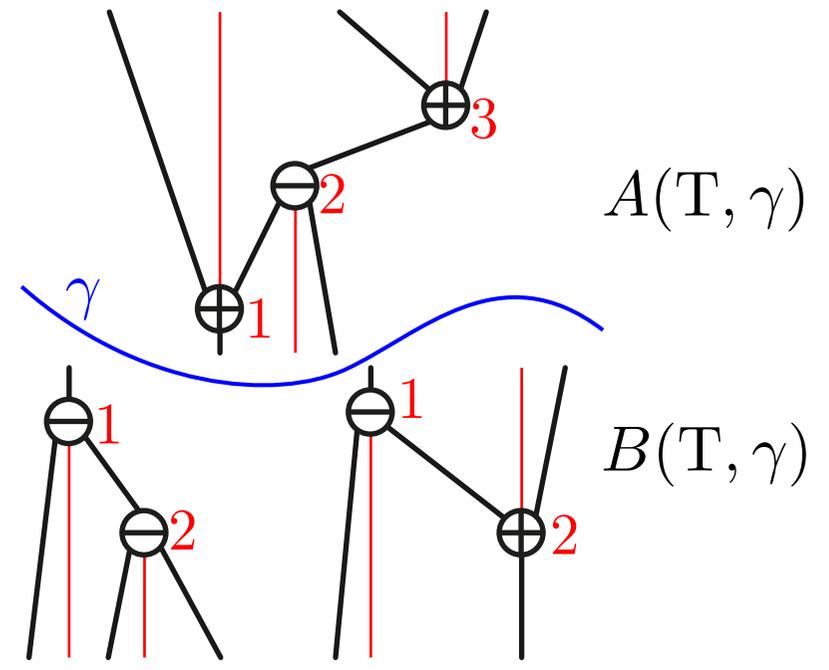
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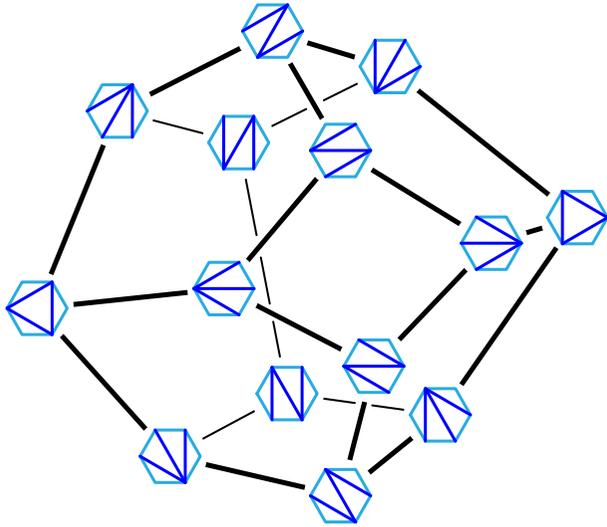
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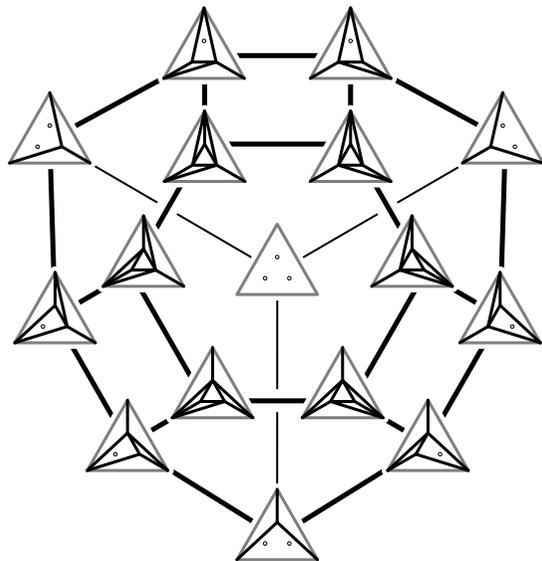


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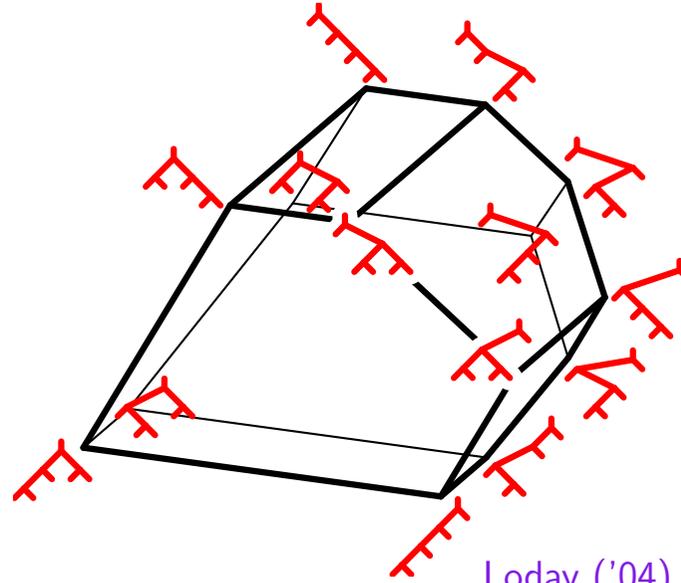
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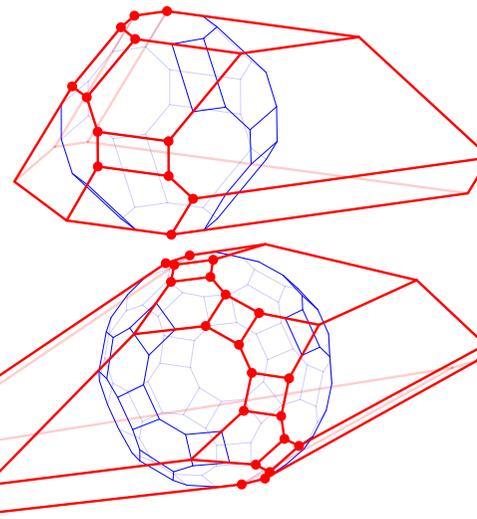


## LODAY'S ASSOCIAHEDRON

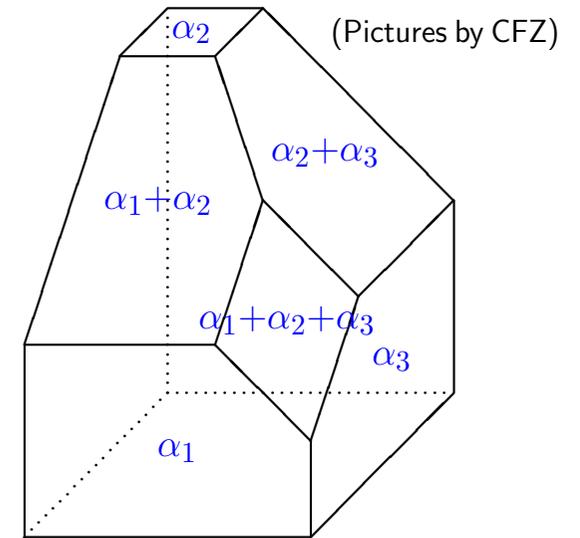


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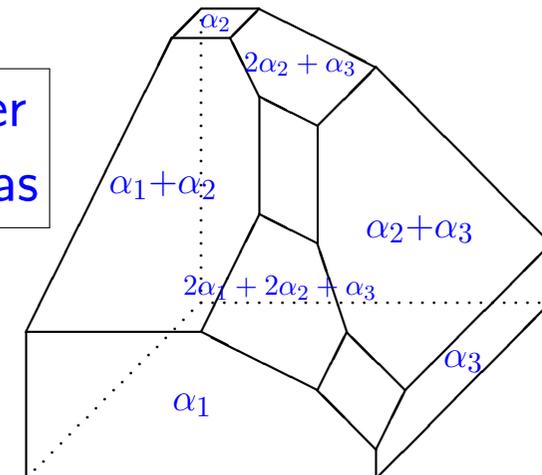


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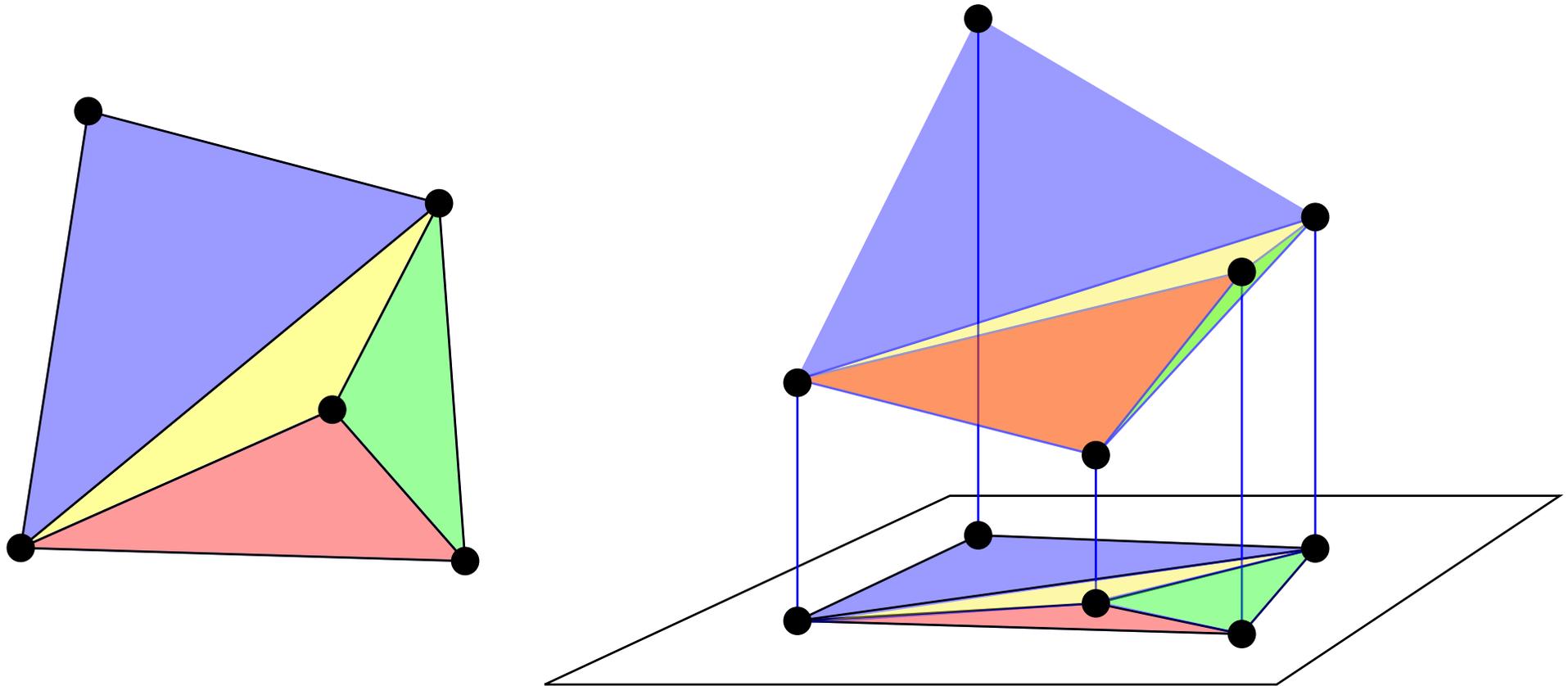
Gelfand-Kapranov-Zelevinsky,  
*Discriminants, resultants, and multidimensional determinants* ('94)

De Loera-Rambau-Santos, *Triangulations* ('10)

# REGULAR SUBDIVISIONS

$\mathbf{P}$  point set in  $\mathbb{R}^d$

Regular subdivision of  $\mathbf{P}$  = projection of the lower envelope of a lifting of  $\mathbf{P}$



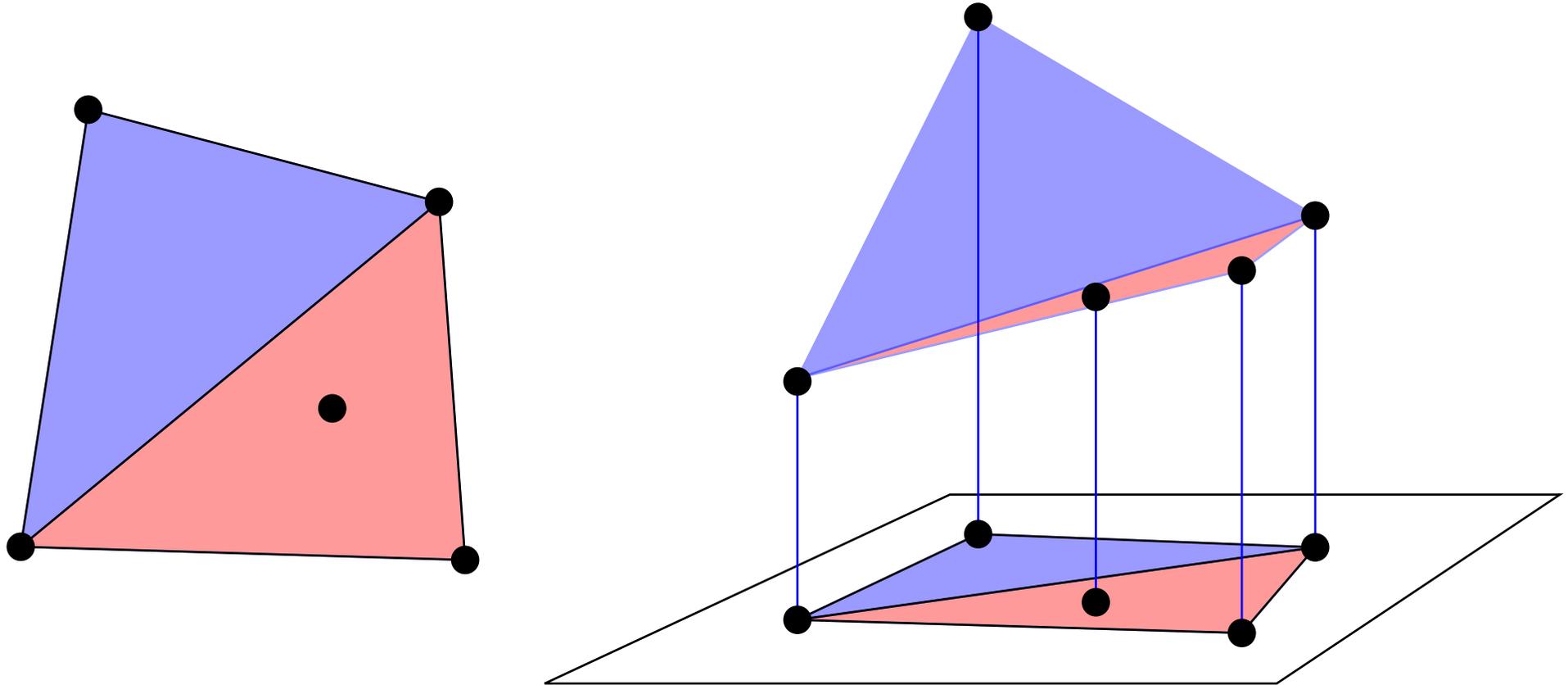
for a **lifting function**  $\omega : \mathbf{P} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

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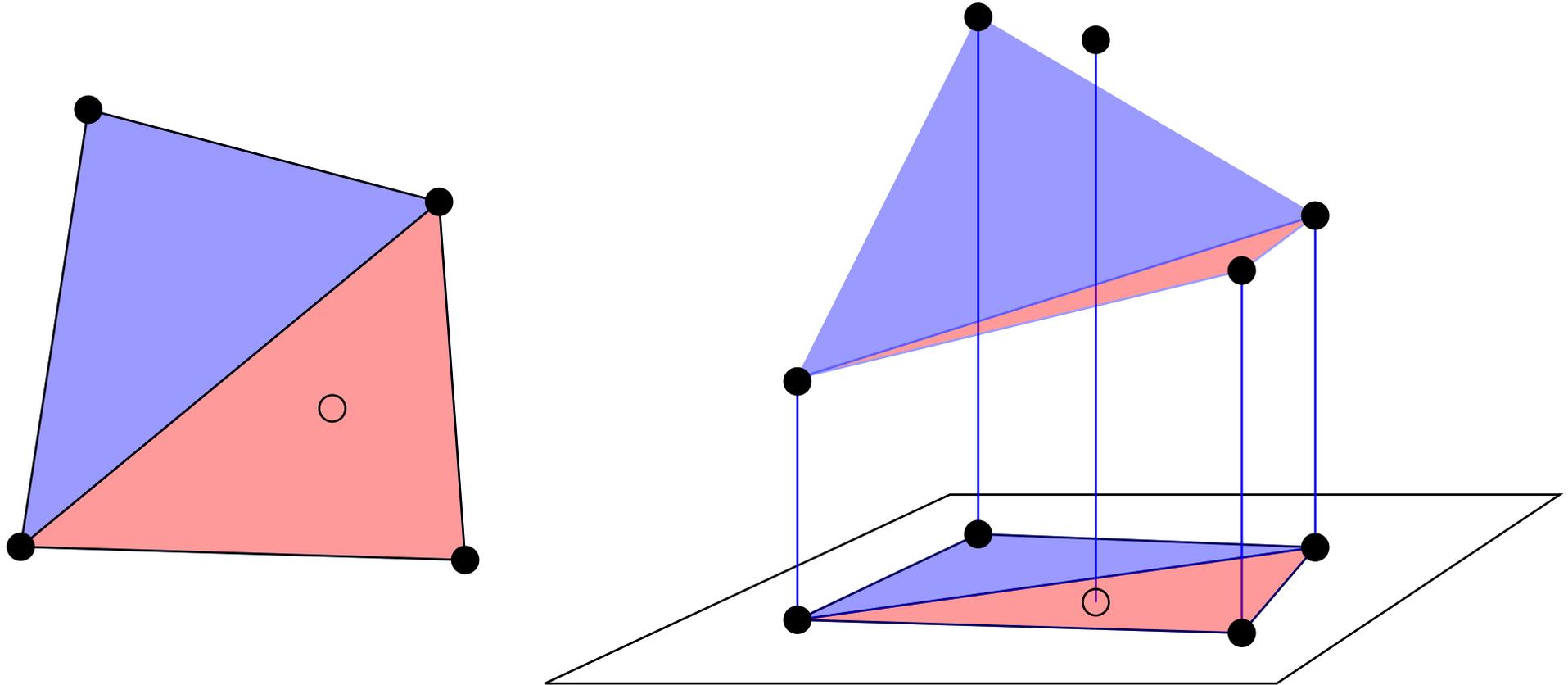
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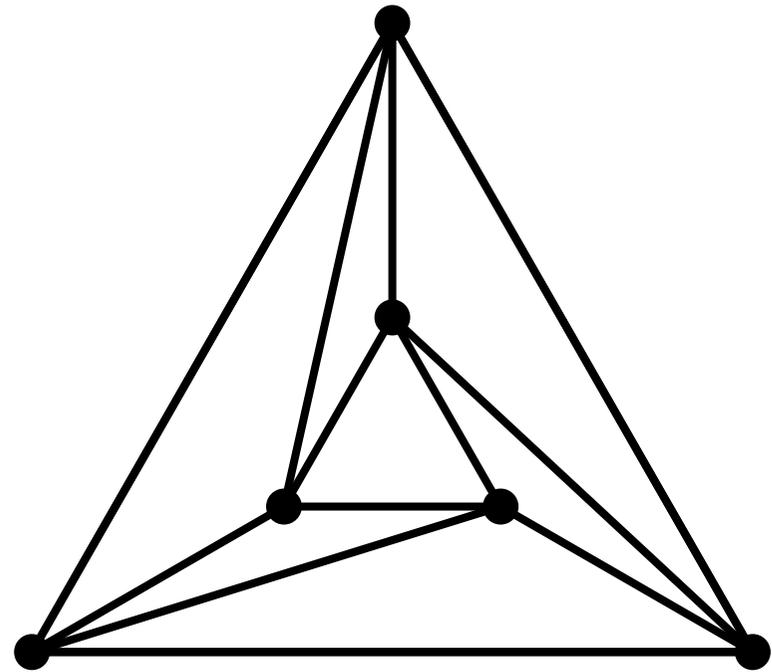
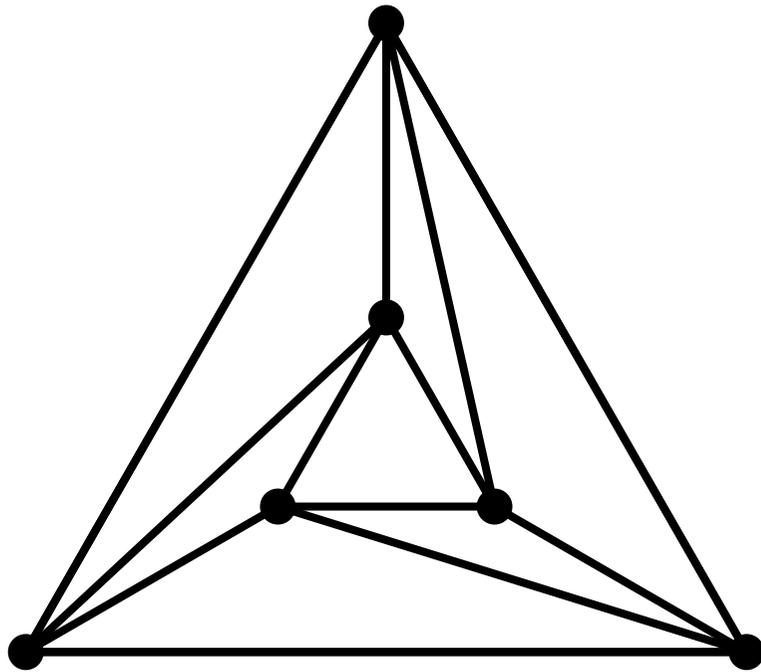
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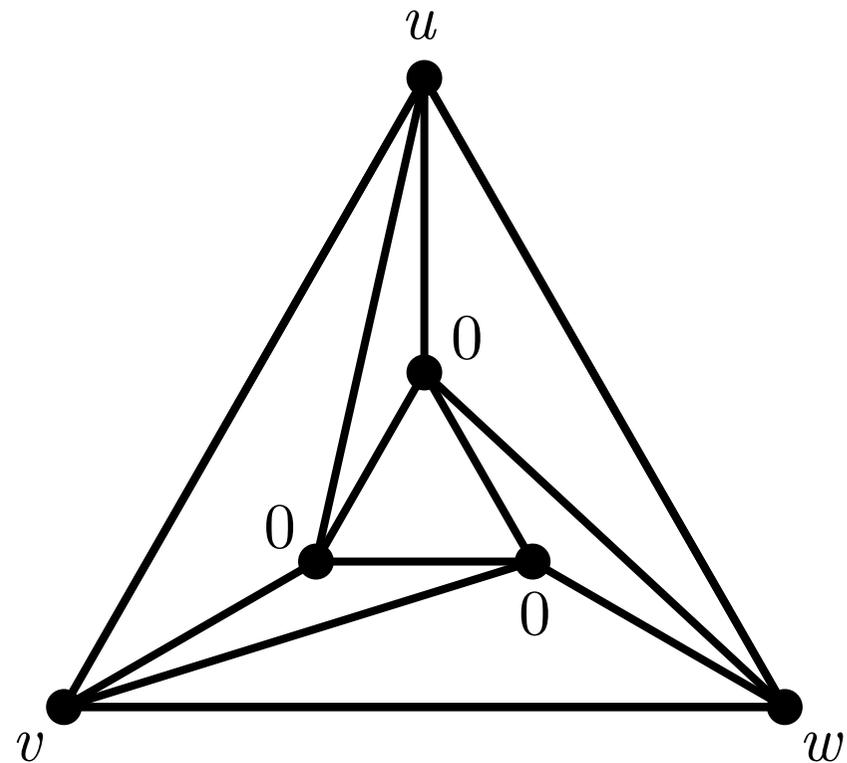
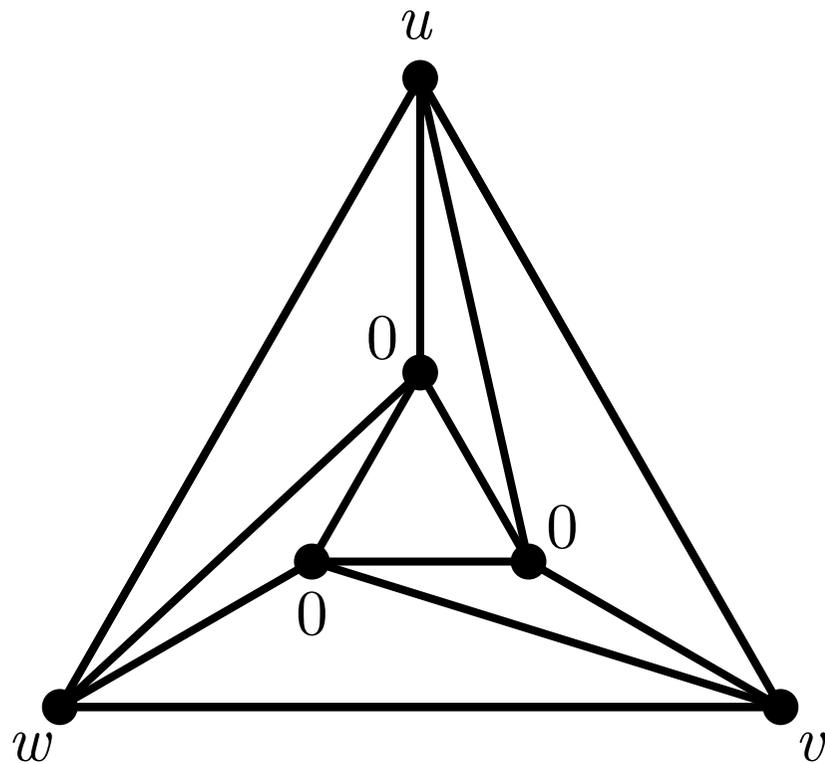
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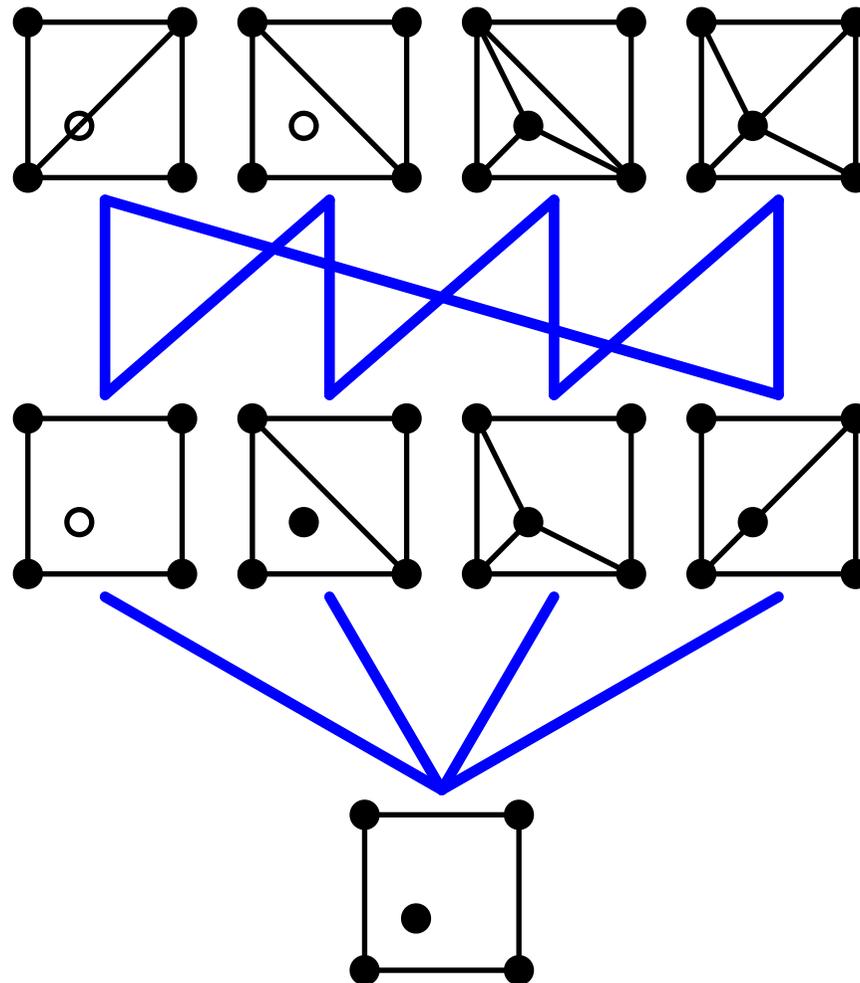
if regular,  $\exists u, v, w \in \mathbb{R}$  such that  $u < v < w < u$

# REGULAR SUBDIVISIONS REFINEMENT LATTICE

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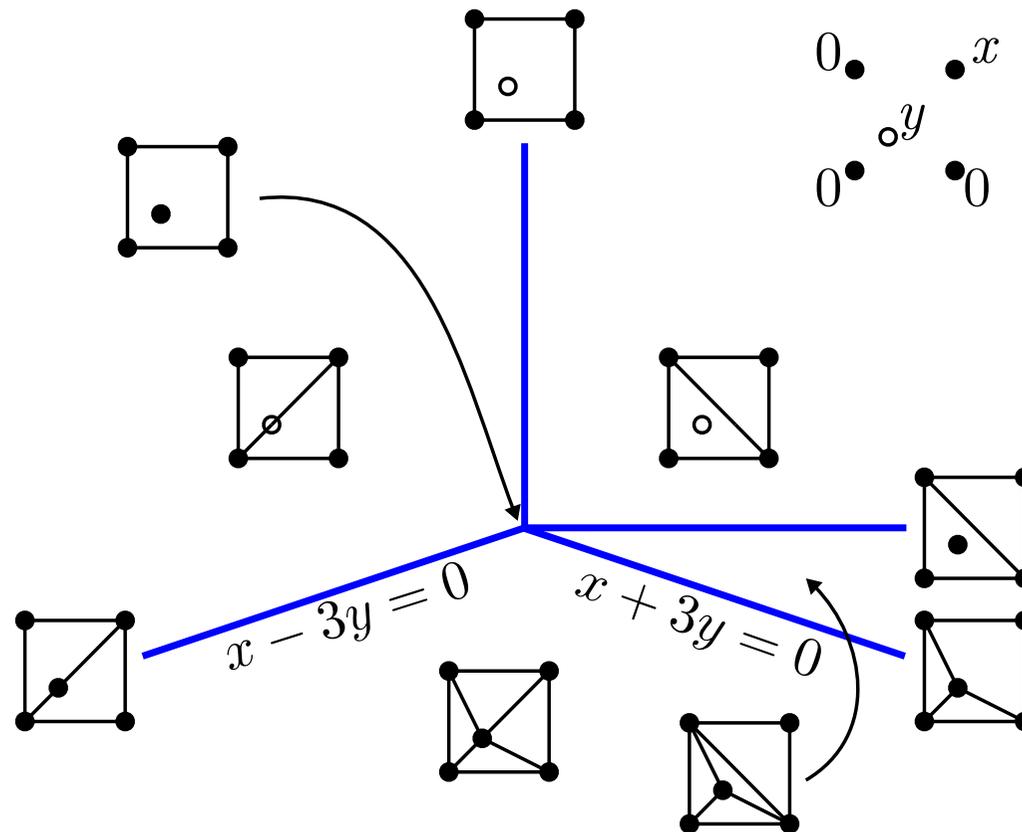


# SECONDARY FAN

$\mathbf{P}$  point set in  $\mathbb{R}^d$ ,  $S$  subdivision of  $\mathbf{P}$

Secondary cone of  $S = C(S) = \{\omega \in \mathbb{R}^P \mid S \text{ refines } S(\mathbf{P}, \omega)\}$

Secondary fan of  $\mathbf{P} = \Sigma\text{Fan}(\mathbf{P}) = \{C(S) \mid S \text{ subdivision of } \mathbf{P}\}$

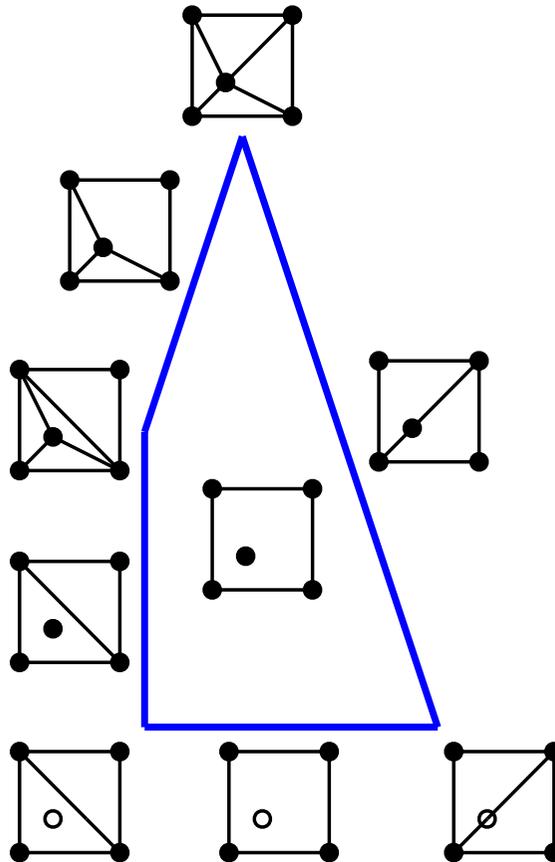


# SECONDARY POLYTOPE

$\mathbf{P}$  point set in  $\mathbb{R}^d$ ,  $T$  triangulation of  $\mathbf{P}$

Volume vector of  $T = \Phi(T) = \left( \sum_{\Delta \in T} \text{vol}(\Delta) \right)_{\mathbf{p} \in \mathbf{P}}$

Secondary polytope of  $\mathbf{P} = \Sigma\text{Poly}(\mathbf{P}) = \text{conv} \{ \Phi(T) \mid T \text{ triangulation of } \mathbf{P} \}$



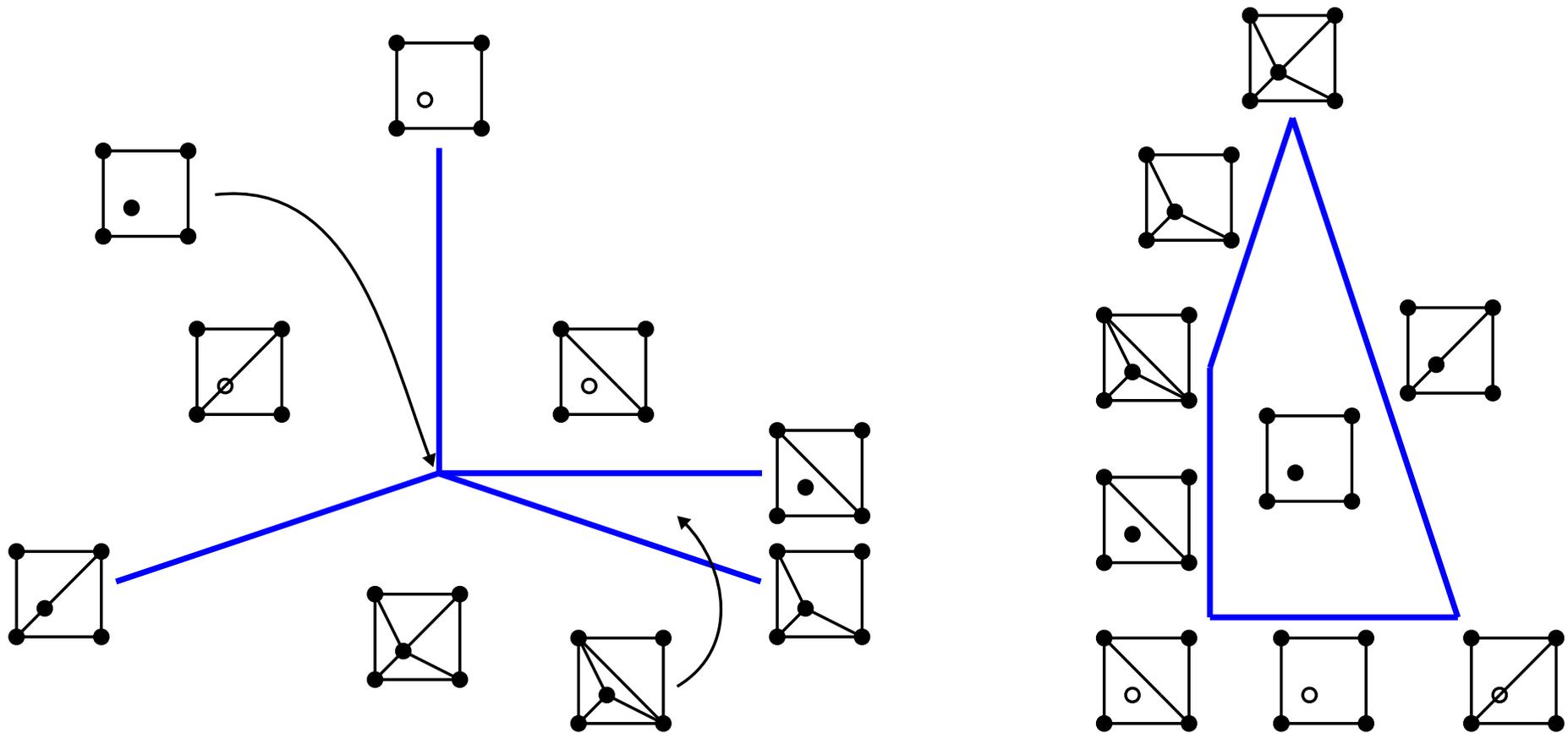
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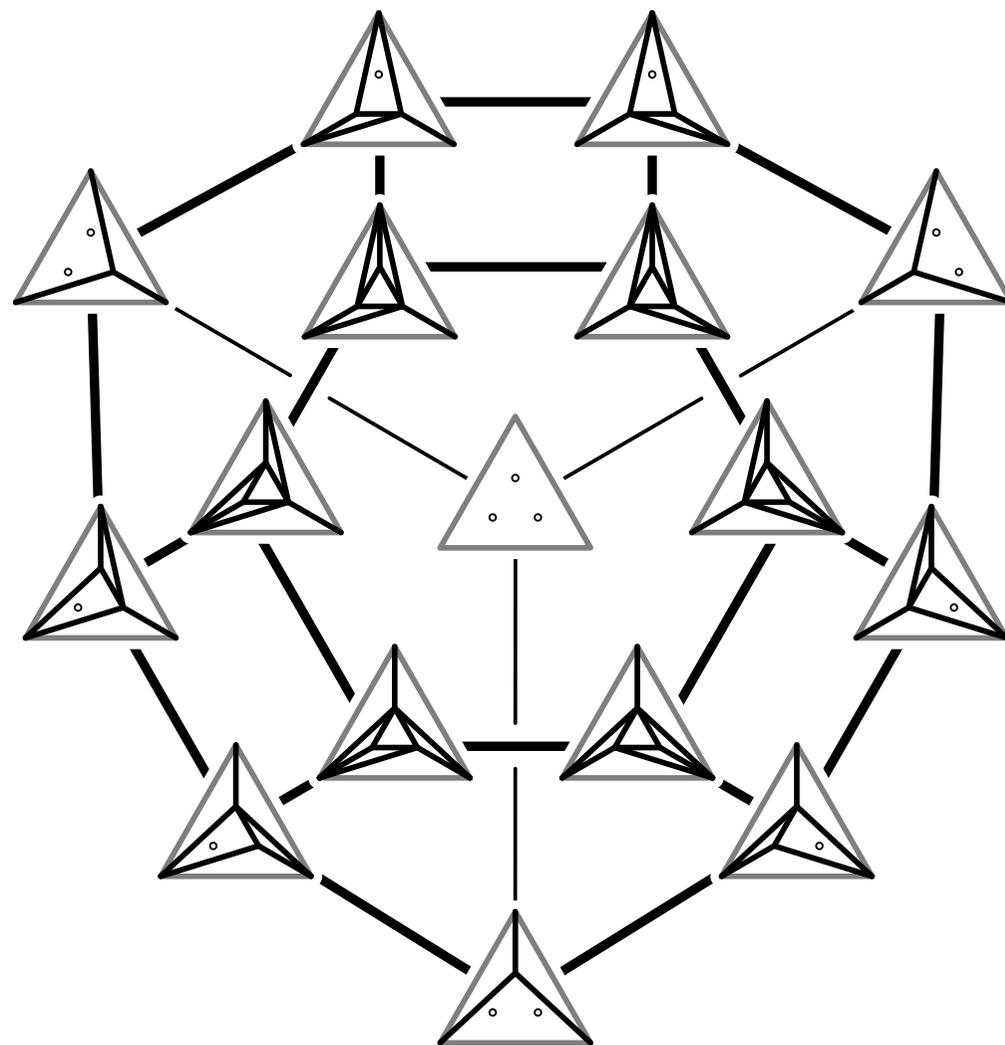
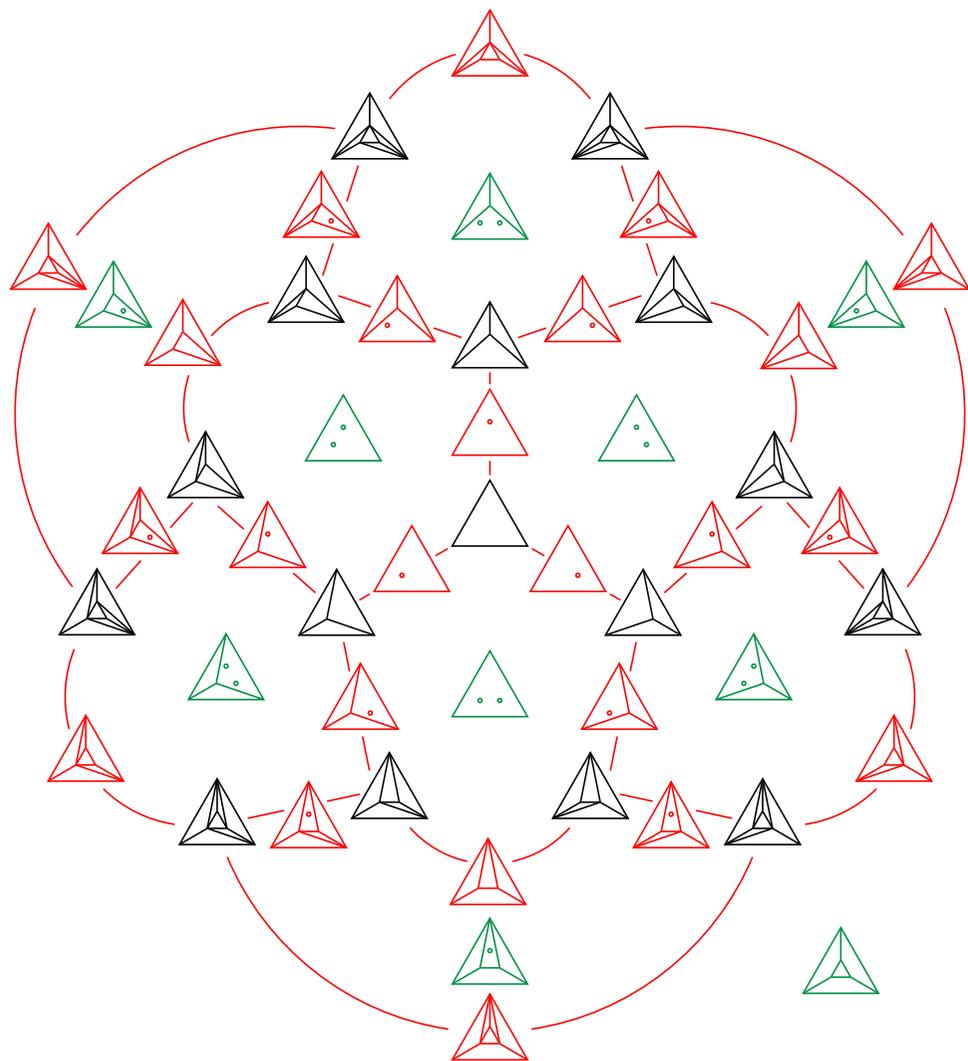
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- THM.**
- dimension of  $\Sigma\text{Poly}(\mathbf{P}) = |\mathbf{P}| - d - 1$
  - $\Sigma\text{Fan}(\mathbf{P})$  is the inner normal fan of  $\Sigma\text{Poly}(\mathbf{P})$
  - face lattice of  $\Sigma\text{Poly}(\mathbf{P}) =$  refinement poset of regular subdivisions of  $\mathbf{P}$

*Gelfand-Kapranov-Zelevinsky, Discriminants, resultants, and multidimensional determinants ('94)*



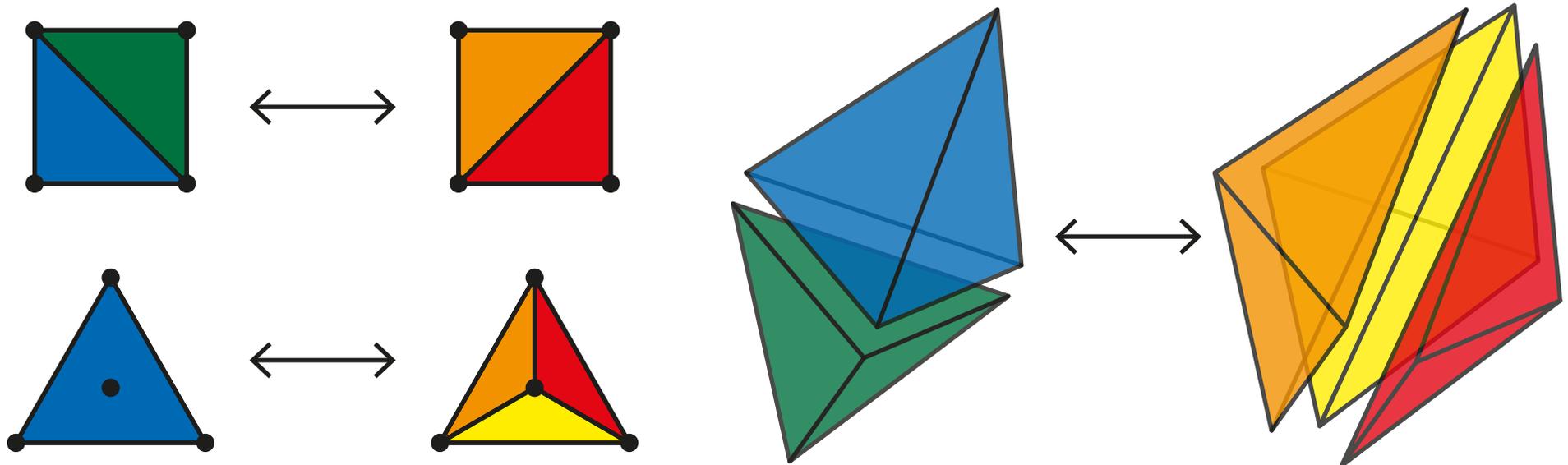
# SECONDARY POLYTOPE



# HIGH DIMENSIONAL FLIP GRAPHS

Triangulation of  $\mathbf{P} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^d =$  well-behaved cover of  $\text{conv}(\mathbf{P})$  with simplices

Bistellar flip =  $\{ \text{conv}(\mathbf{X} \setminus \{\mathbf{x}\}) \mid \mathbf{x} \in \mathbf{X}^+ \} \longleftrightarrow \{ \text{conv}(\mathbf{X} \setminus \{\mathbf{x}\}) \mid \mathbf{x} \in \mathbf{X}^- \}$   
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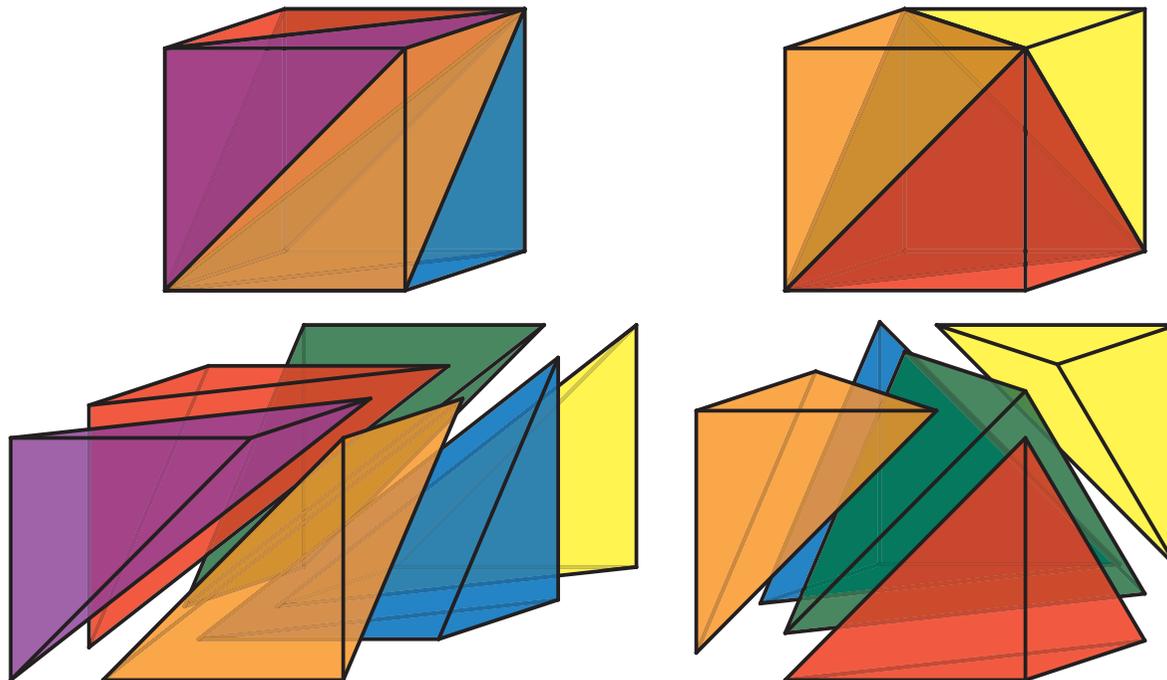
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**THEO.** The graph of bistellar flips on all triangulations of  $\mathbf{P}$  is not always connected.

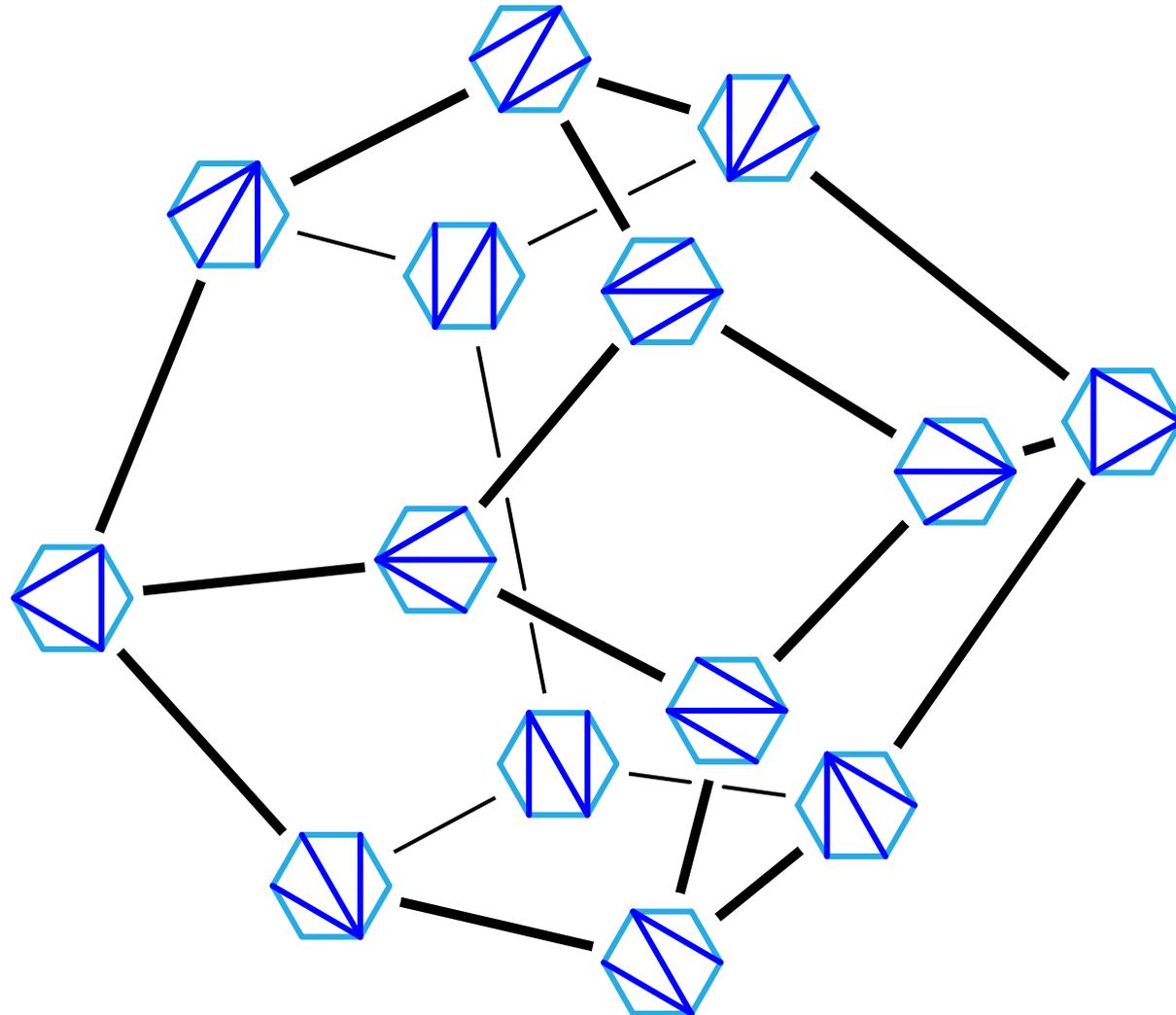
*Santos, A point set whose space of triangulations is disconnected ('00)*

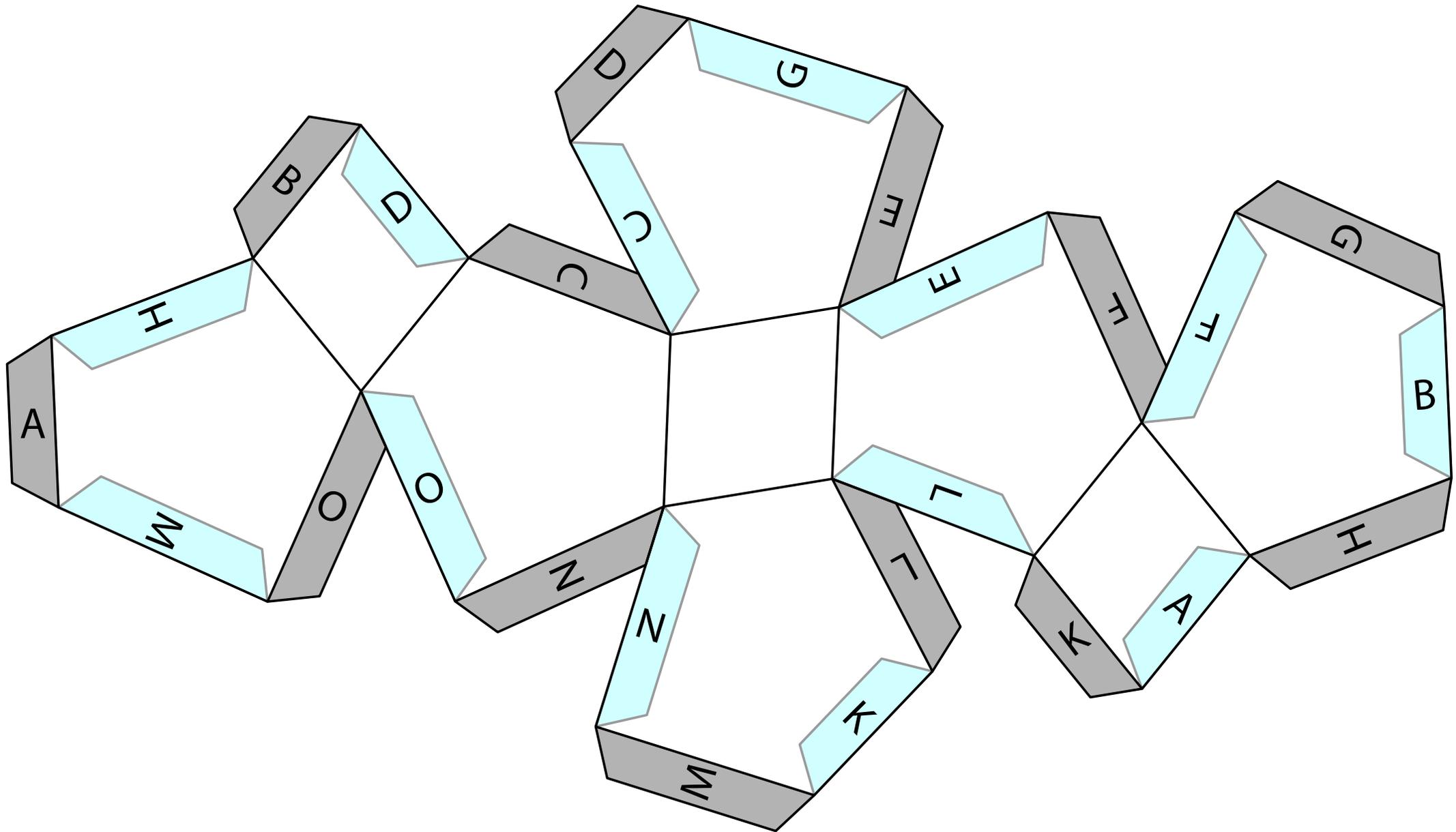


# BACK TO THE ASSOCIAHEDRON

All dissections of a 2-dimensional convex point  $\mathbf{P}$  set are regular

CORO.  $\Sigma\text{Poly}(\mathbf{P})$  is an associahedron

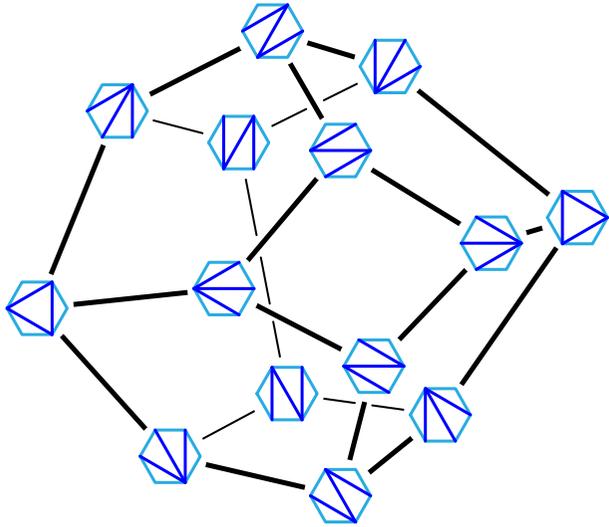




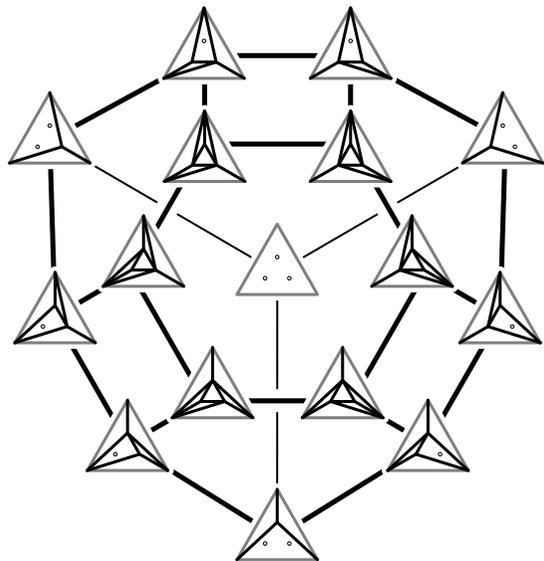
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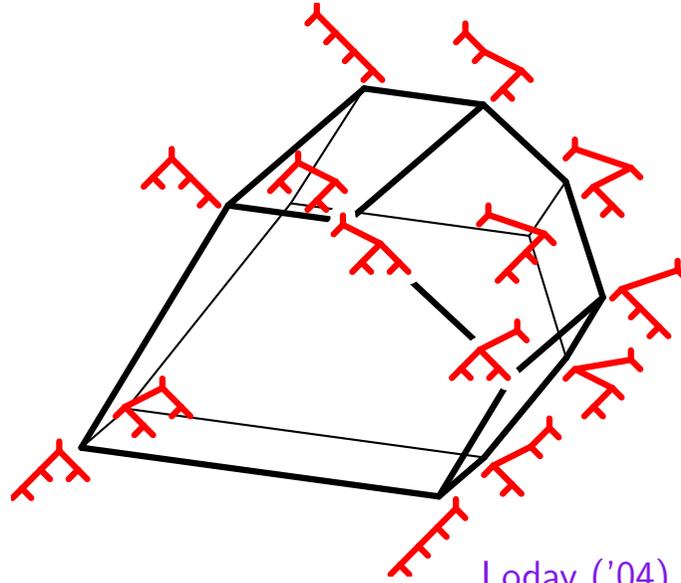
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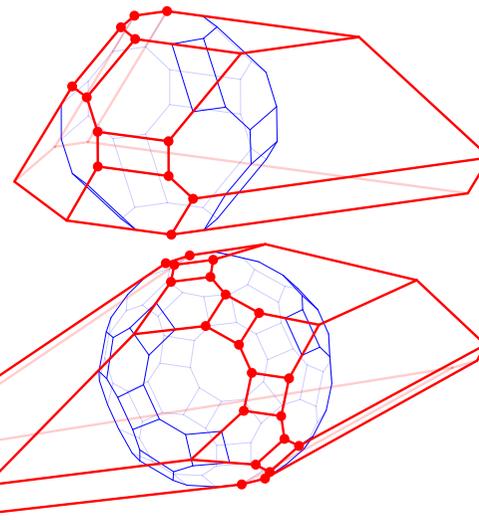
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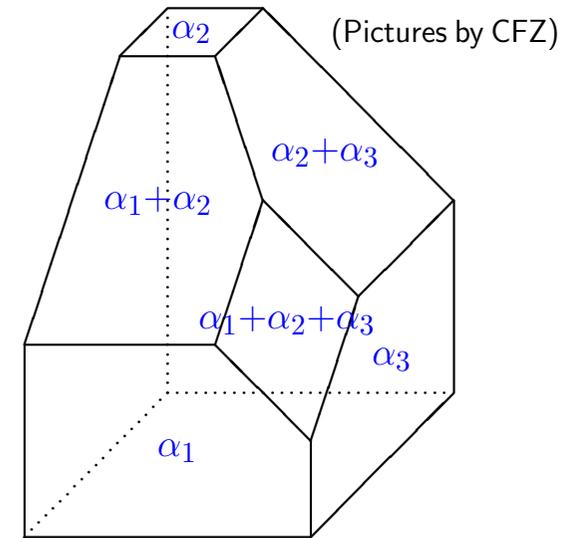
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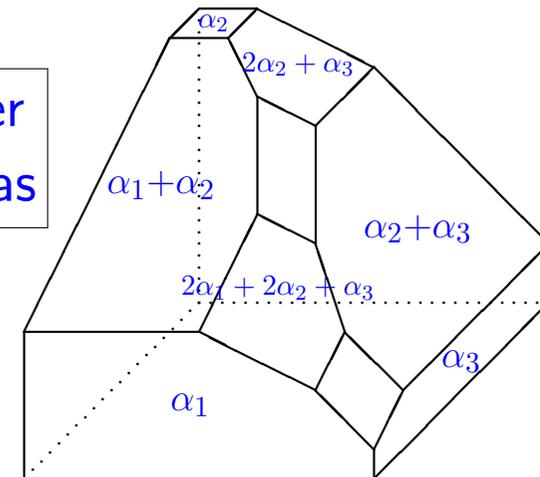


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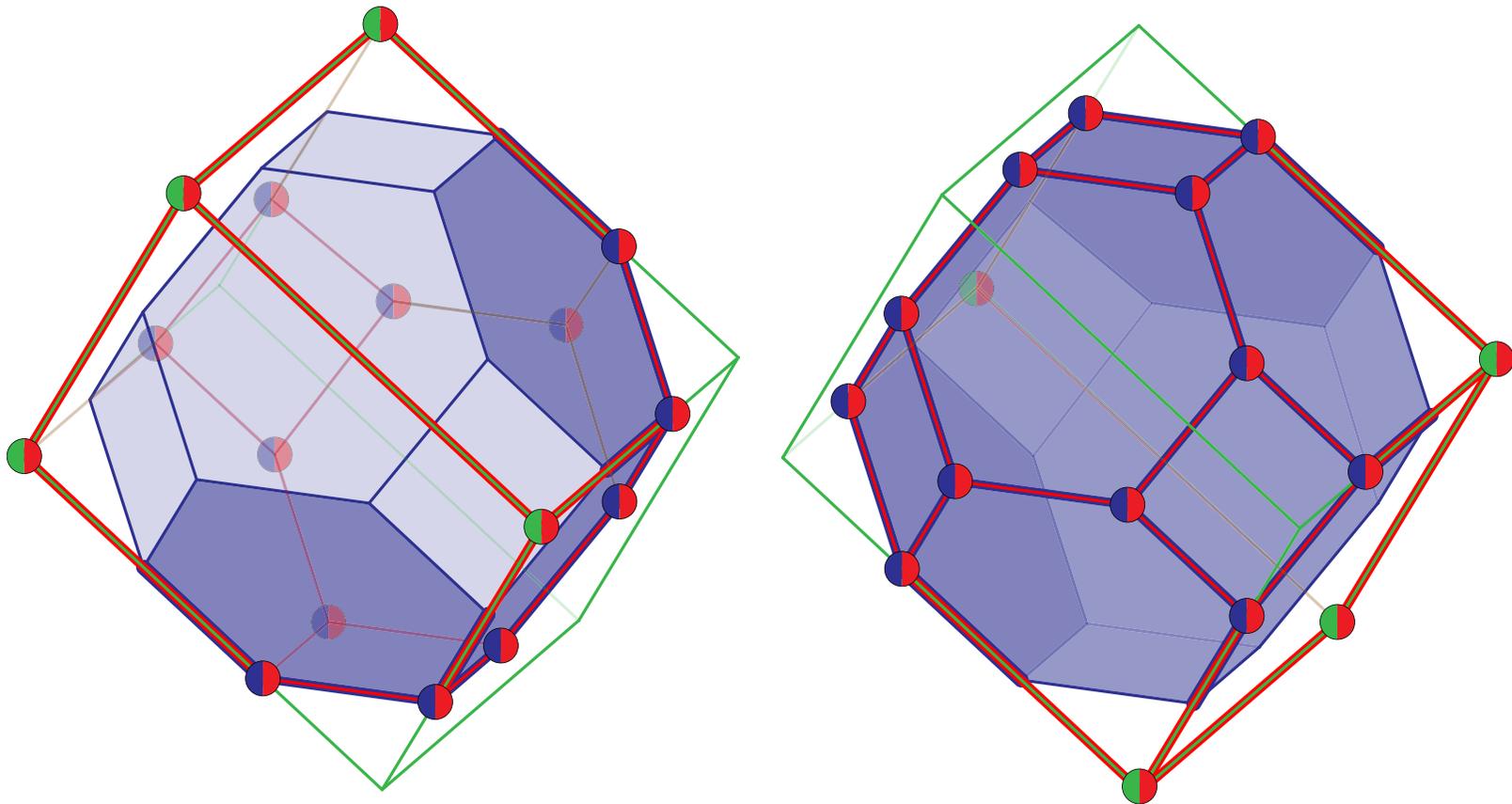
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## II. GRAPH ASSOCIAHEDRA

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# GRAPHICAL NESTED COMPLEX

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- Carr-Devadoss, *Coxeter complexes and graph associahedra* ('06)  
Postnikov, *Permutohedra, associahedra, and beyond* ('09)  
Zelevinsky, *Nested complexes and their polyhedral realizations* ('06)

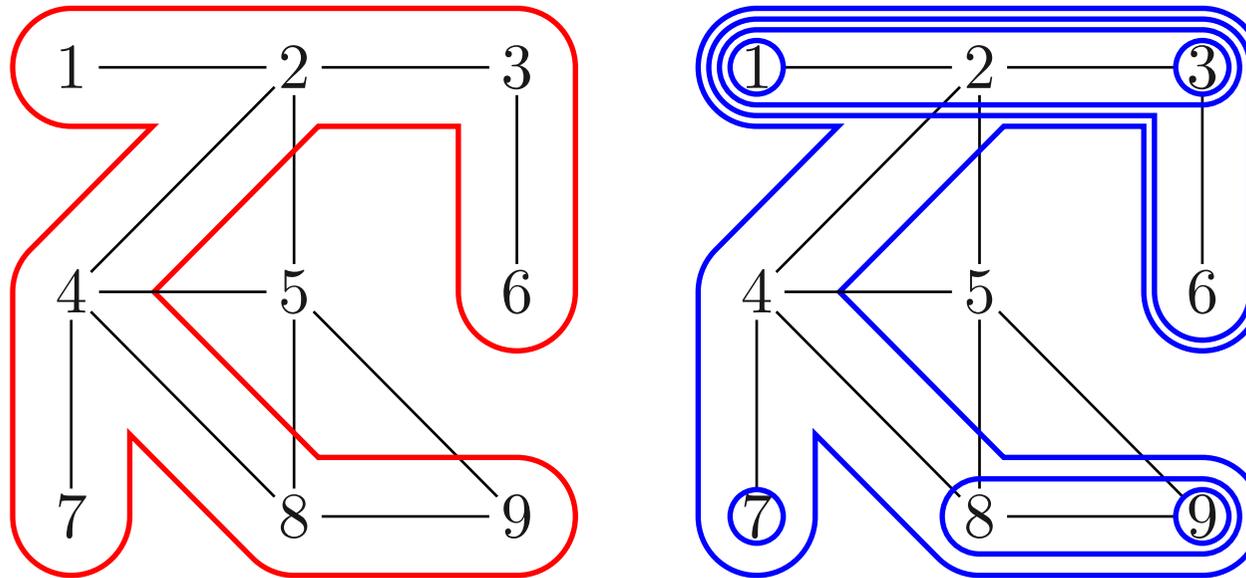
# NESTED COMPLEX AND GRAPH ASSOCIAHEDRON

$G$  graph on ground set  $V$

**Tube** of  $G$  = connected induced subgraph of  $G$

**Compatible** tubes = nested, or disjoint and non-adjacent

**Tubing** on  $G$  = collection of pairwise compatible tubes of  $G$

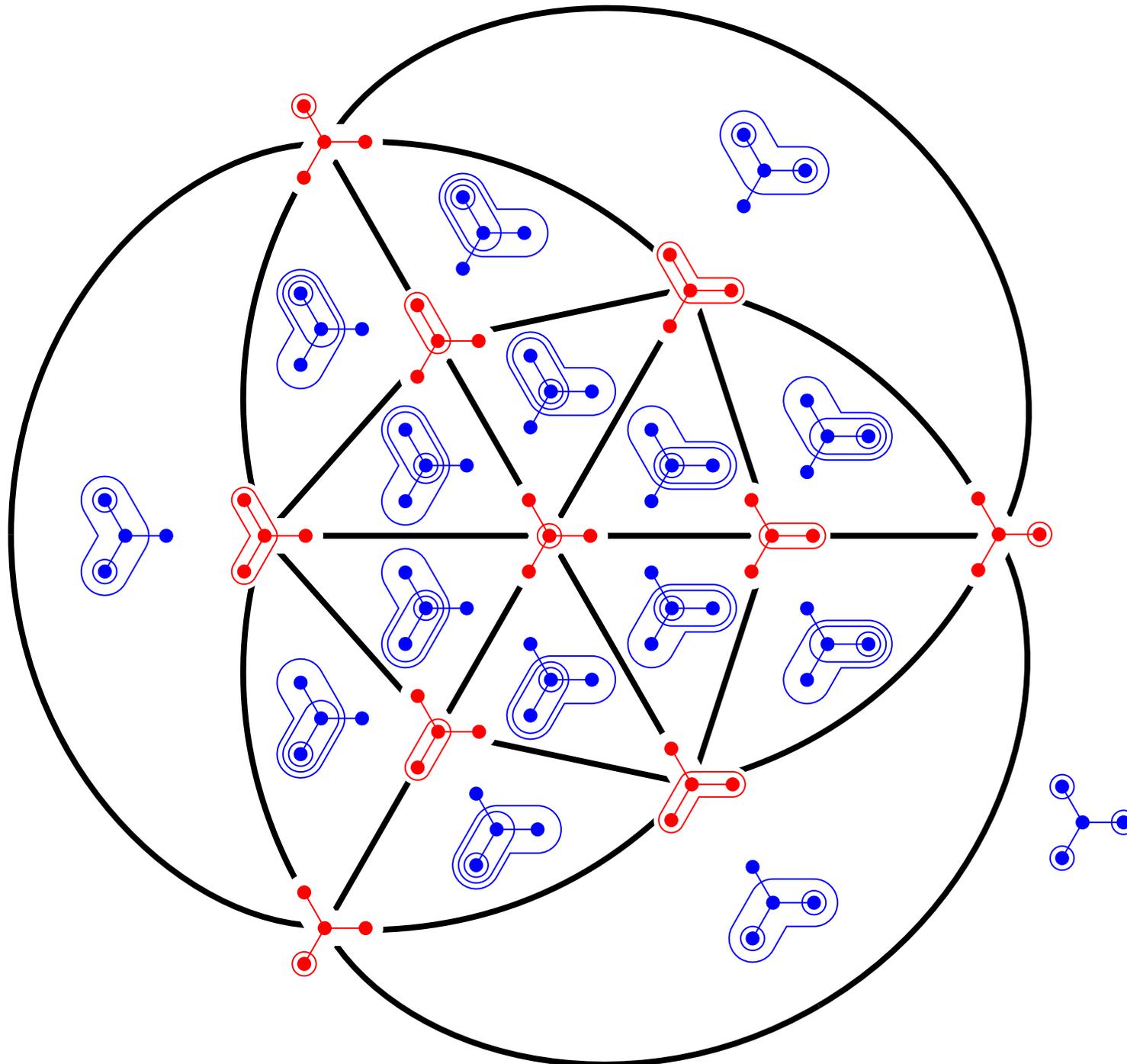


**Nested complex**  $\mathcal{N}(G)$  = simplicial complex of tubings on  $G$   
= clique complex of the compatibility relation on tubes

**$G$ -associahedron** = polytopal realization of the nested complex on  $G$

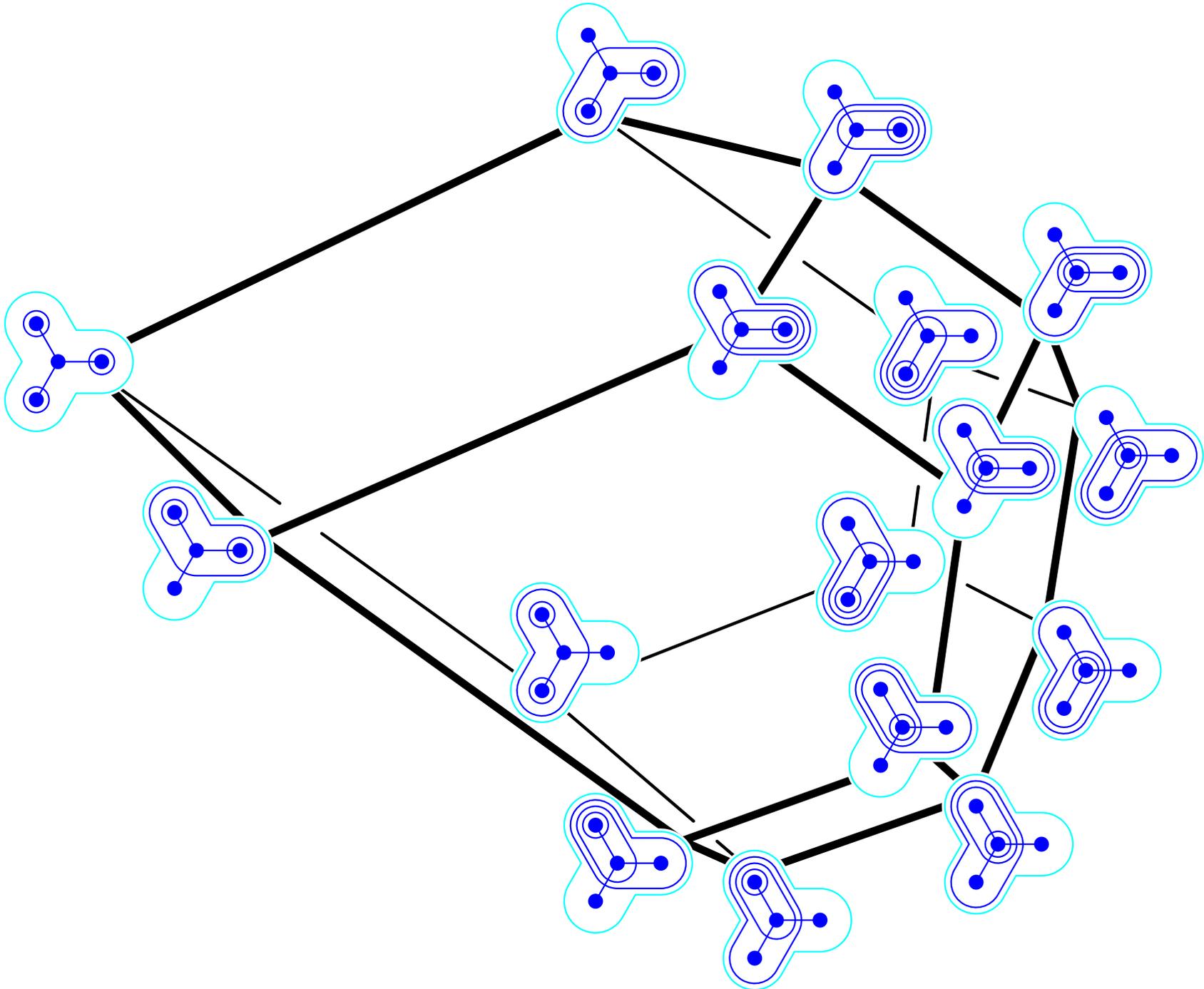
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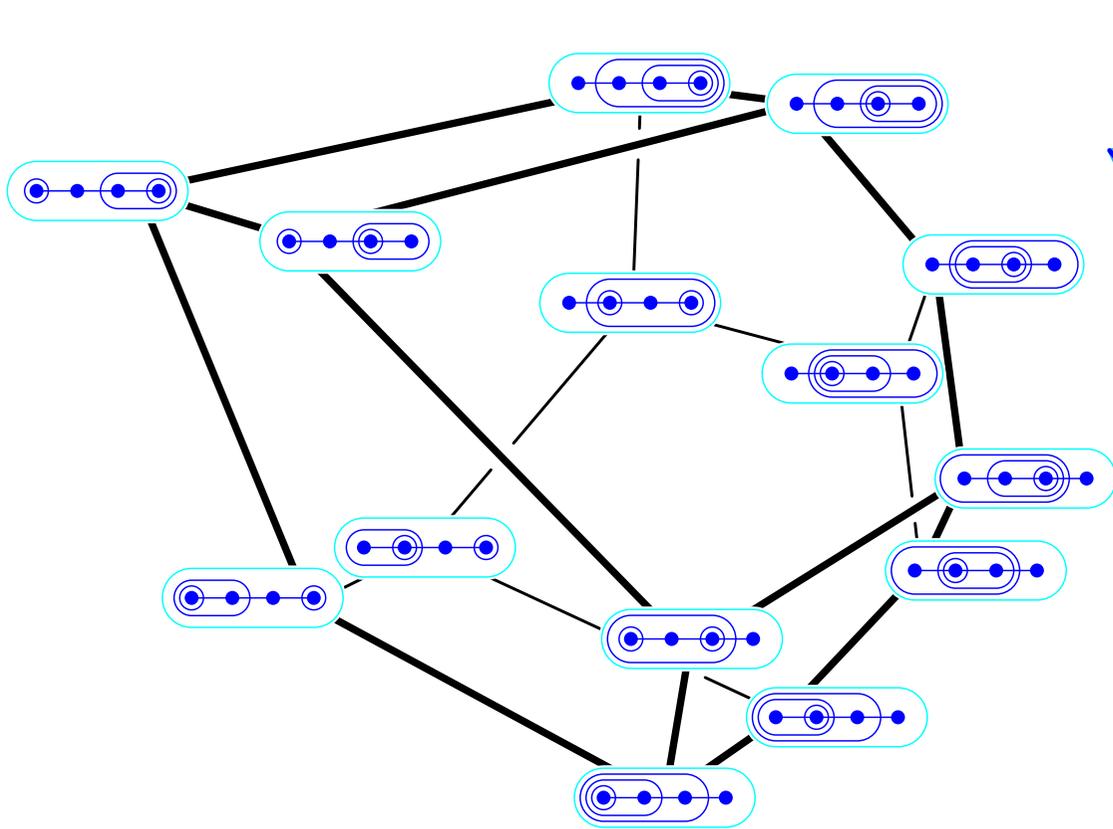


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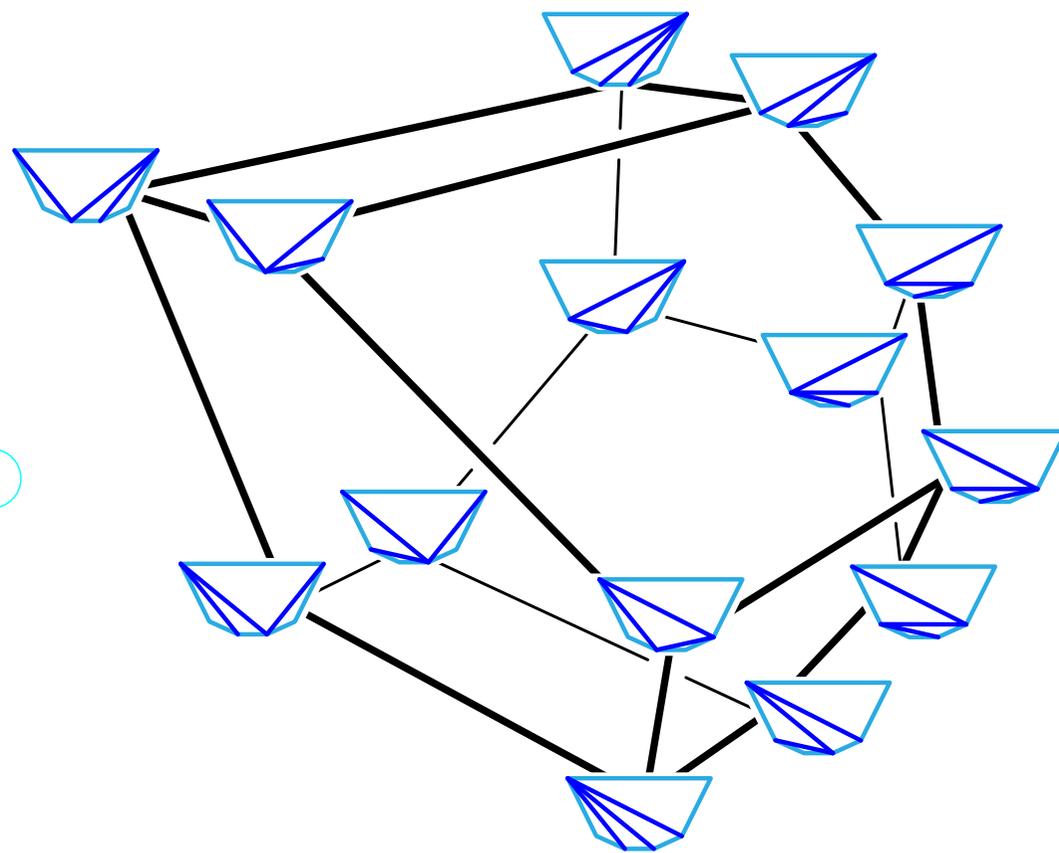
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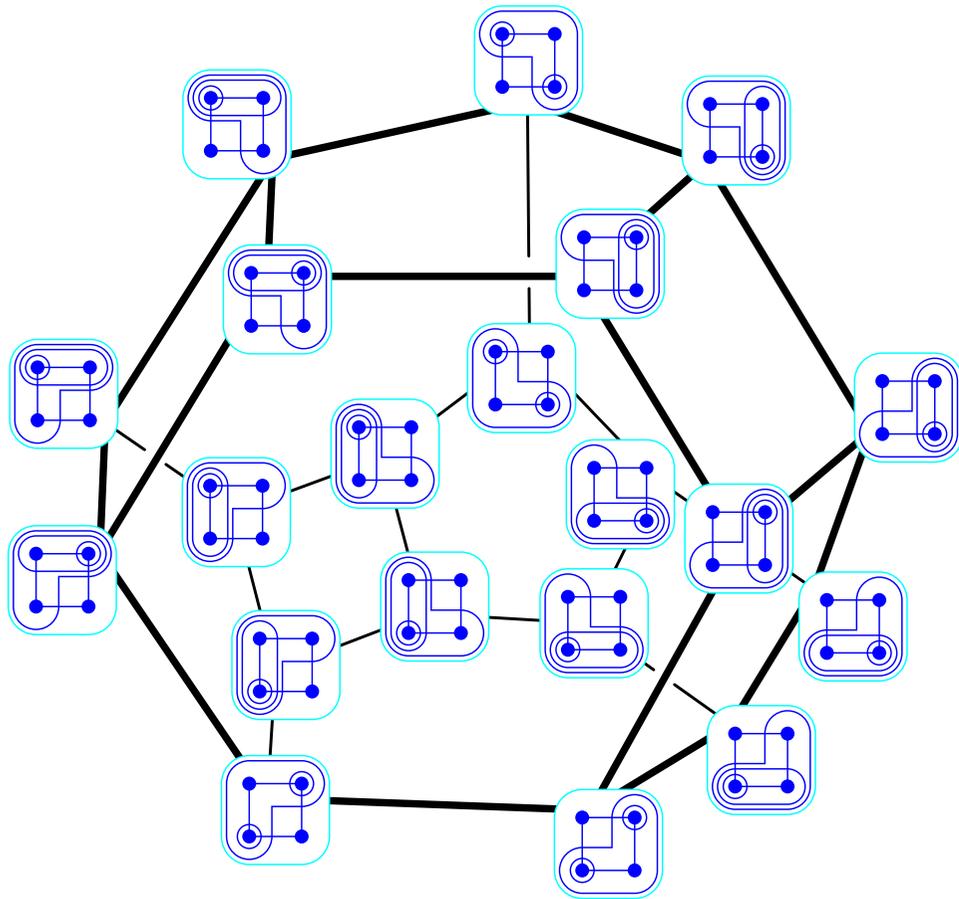
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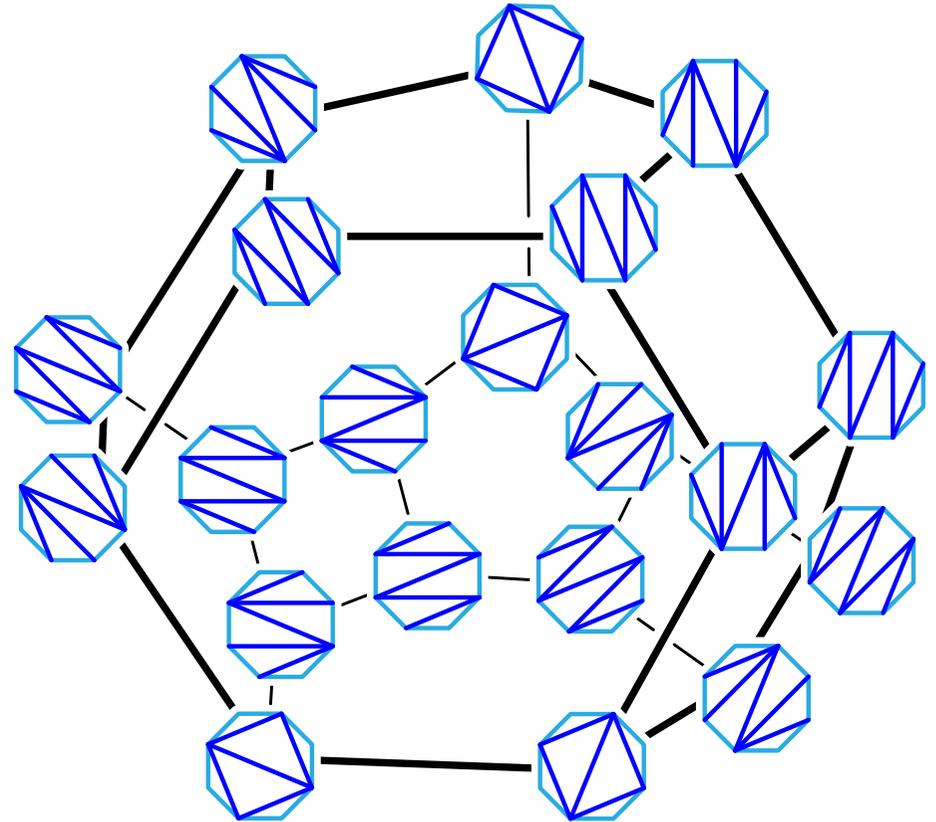
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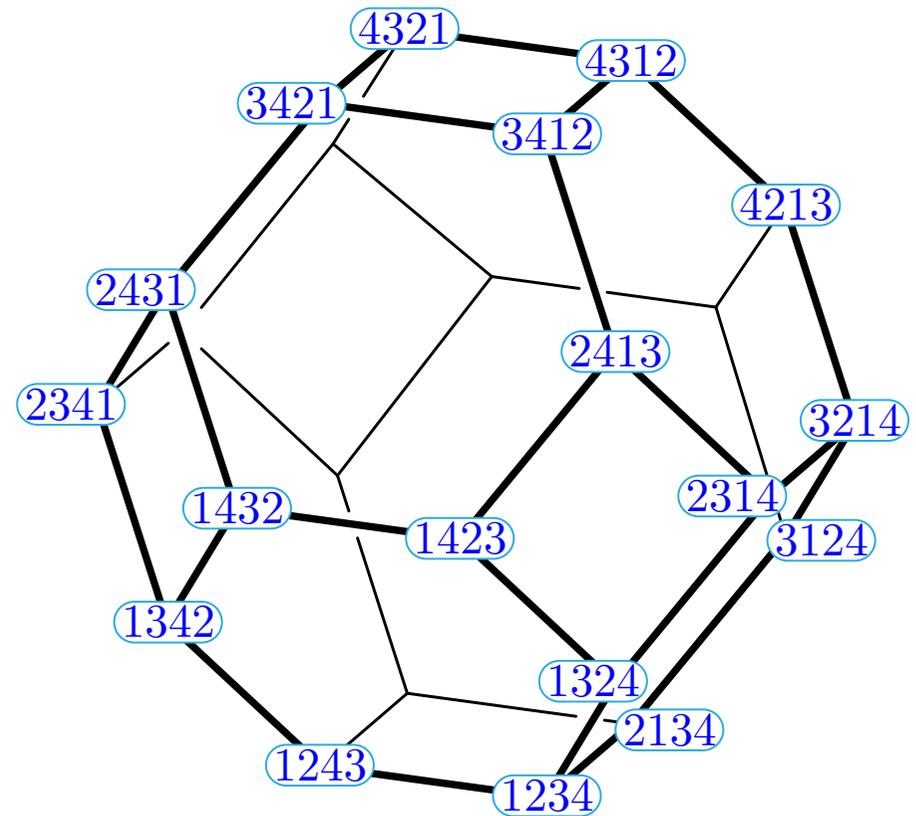
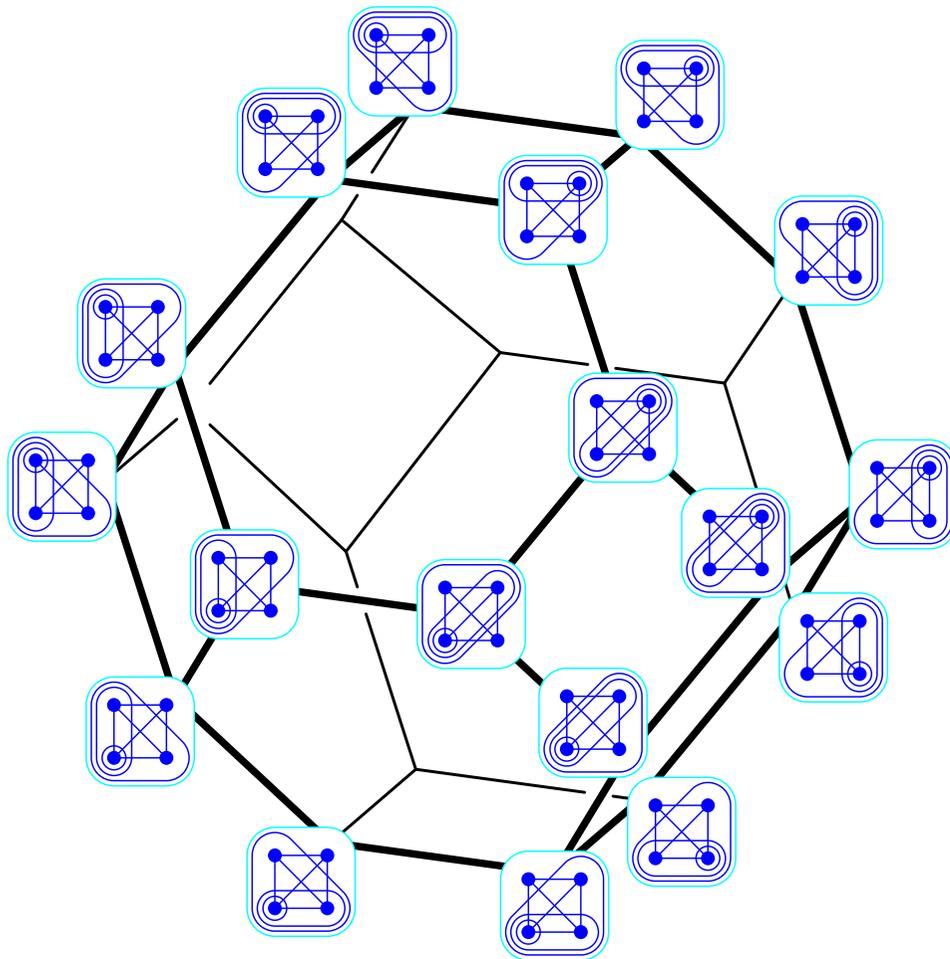
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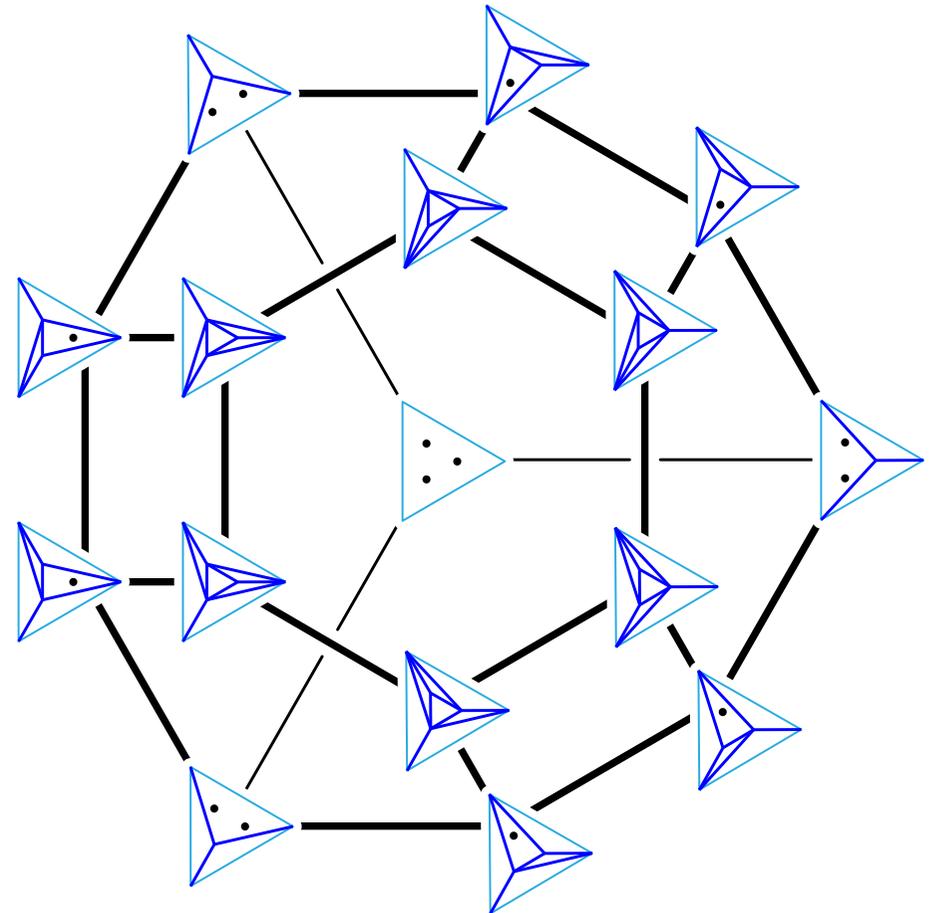
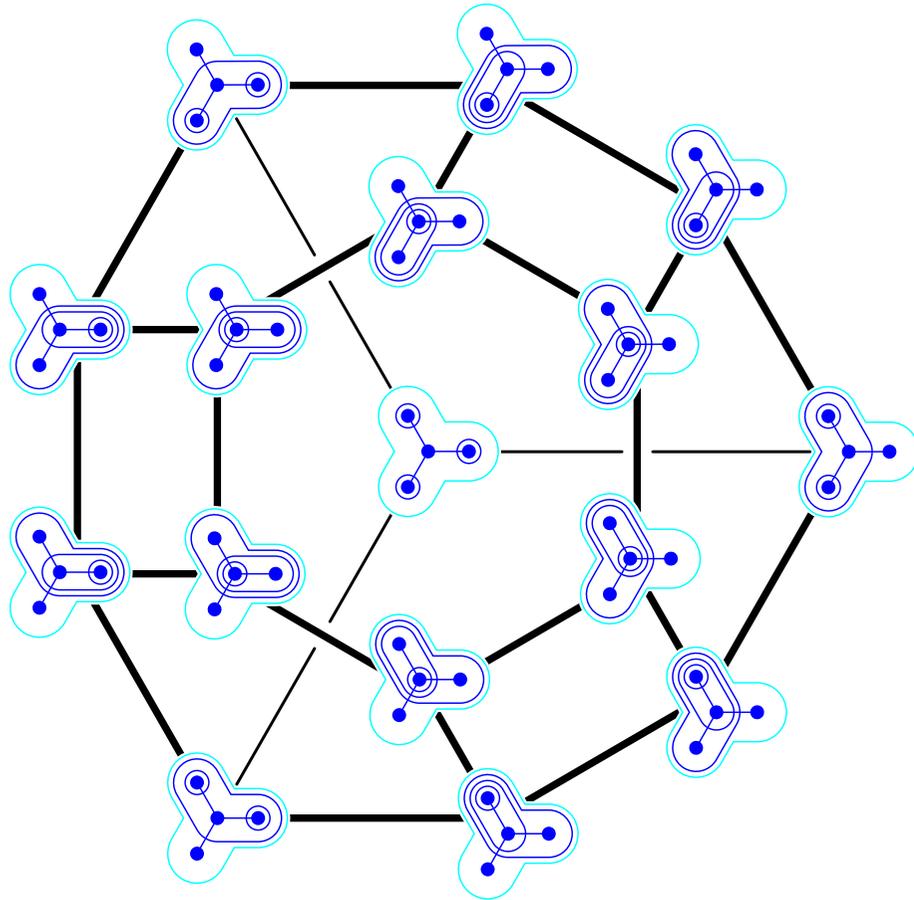
complete graph associahedron

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permutahedron

# SPECIAL GRAPH ASSOCIAHEDRA

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star associahedron

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secondary polytope of dilated simplices

# LINEAR LAURENT PHENOMENON ALGEBRAS

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Laurent Phenomenon Algebra = commut. ring gen. by cluster variables grouped in clusters

seed = pair  $(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{F})$  where

- $\mathbf{x} = \{x_1, \dots, x_n\}$  cluster variables
- $\mathbf{F} = \{F_1, \dots, F_n\}$  exchange polynomials

seed mutation =  $(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{F}) \mapsto \mu_i(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{F}) = (\mathbf{x}', \mathbf{F}')$  where

- $x'_i = \hat{F}_i/x_i$  while  $x'_j = x_j$  for  $j \neq i$
- $F'_j$  obtained from  $F_j$  by eliminating  $x_i$

**THM.** Every cluster variable in a LP algebra is a Laurent polynomial in the cluster variables of any seed.

Lam-Pylyavskyy, *Laurent Phenomenon Algebras* ('12)

Connection to graph associahedra: Any (directed) graph  $G$  defines a linear LP algebra whose cluster complex contains the nested complex of  $G$

Lam-Pylyavskyy, *Linear Laurent Phenomenon Algebras* ('12)

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# COMPATIBILITY FANS FOR GRAPHICAL NESTED COMPLEXES

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Manneville-P., [arXiv:1501.07152](https://arxiv.org/abs/1501.07152)

# COMPATIBILITY FANS FOR ASSOCIAHEDRA

$T^\circ$  an initial triangulation  
 $\delta, \delta'$  two internal diagonals

compatibility degree between  $\delta$  and  $\delta'$ :

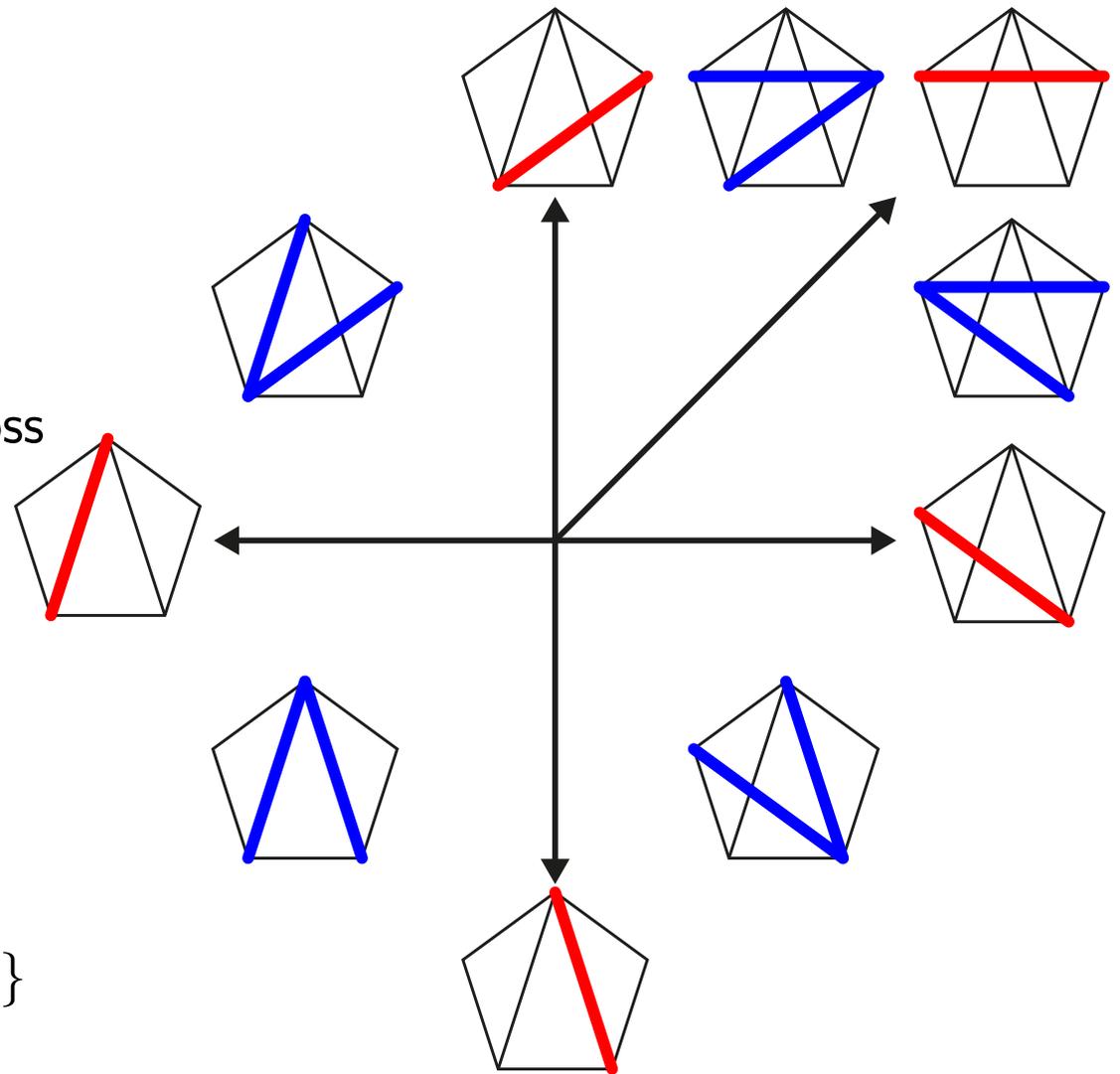
$$(\delta \parallel \delta') = \begin{cases} -1 & \text{if } \delta = \delta' \\ 0 & \text{if } \delta \text{ and } \delta' \text{ do not cross} \\ 1 & \text{if } \delta \text{ and } \delta' \text{ cross} \end{cases}$$

compatibility vector of  $\delta$  wrt  $T^\circ$ :

$$\mathbf{d}(T^\circ, \delta) = [(\delta^\circ \parallel \delta)]_{\delta^\circ \in T^\circ}$$

compatibility fan wrt  $T^\circ$ :

$$\mathcal{D}(T^\circ) = \{\mathbb{R}_{\geq 0} \mathbf{d}(T^\circ, D) \mid D \text{ dissection}\}$$



Fomin-Zelevinsky, *Y-Systems and generalized associahedra* ('03)

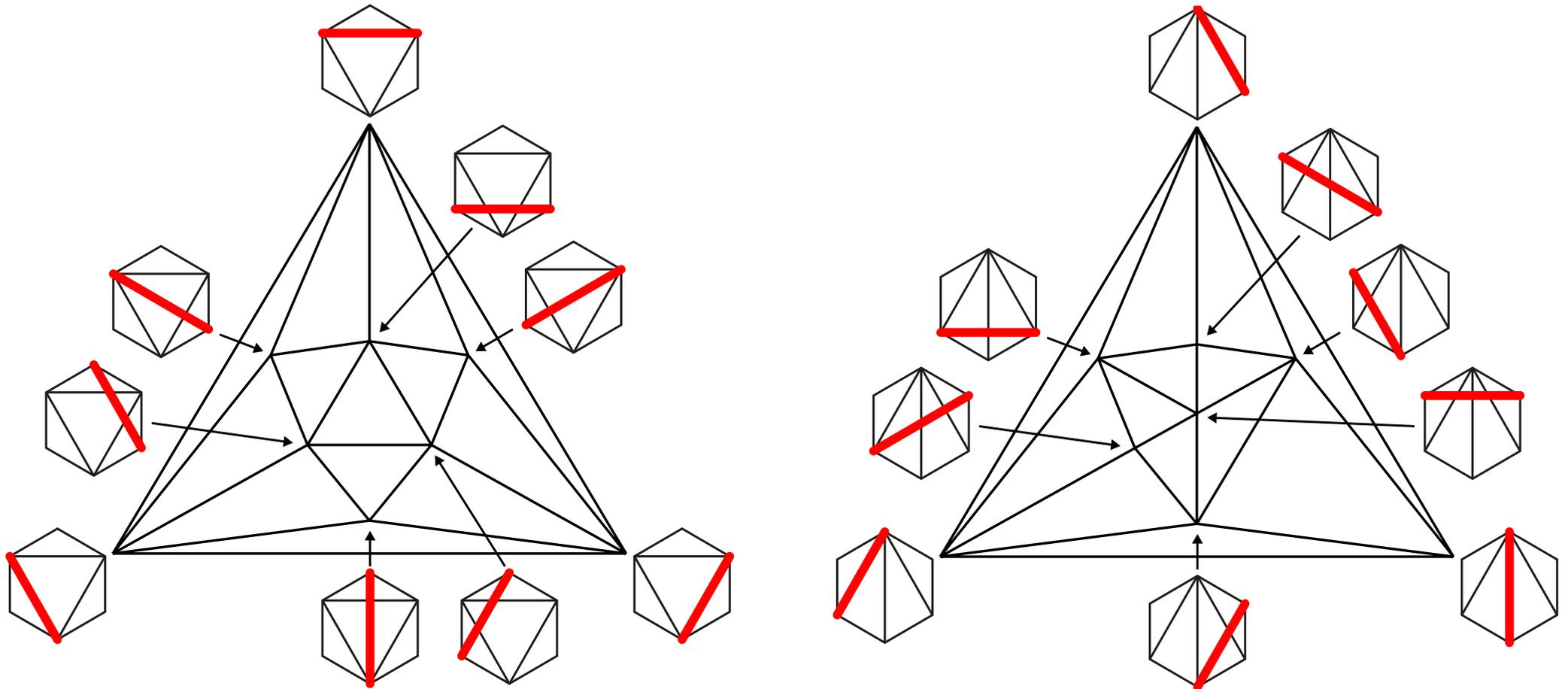
Fomin-Zelevinsky, *Cluster algebras II: Finite type classification* ('03)

Chapoton-Fomin-Zelevinsky, *Polytopal realizations of generalized associahedra* ('02)

Ceballos-Santos-Ziegler, *Many non-equivalent realizations of the associahedron* ('11)

# COMPATIBILITY FANS FOR ASSOCIAHEDRA

Different initial triangulations  $T^\circ$  yield different realizations



**THM.** For any initial triangulation  $T^\circ$ , the cones  $\{\mathbb{R}_{\geq 0} \mathbf{d}(T^\circ, D) \mid D \text{ dissection}\}$  form a complete simplicial fan. Moreover, this fan is always polytopal.

*Ceballos-Santos-Ziegler, Many non-equivalent realizations of the associahedron ('11)*

# COMPATIBILITY FANS FOR GRAPHICAL NESTED COMPLEXES

$T^\circ$  an initial maximal tubing on  $G$

$t, t'$  two tubes of  $G$

compatibility degree between  $t$  and  $t'$

$$(t \parallel t') = \begin{cases} -1 & \text{if } t = t' \\ 0 & \text{if } t, t' \text{ are compatible} \\ |\{\text{neighbors of } t \text{ in } t' \setminus t\}| & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

compatibility vector of  $t$  wrt  $T^\circ$ :

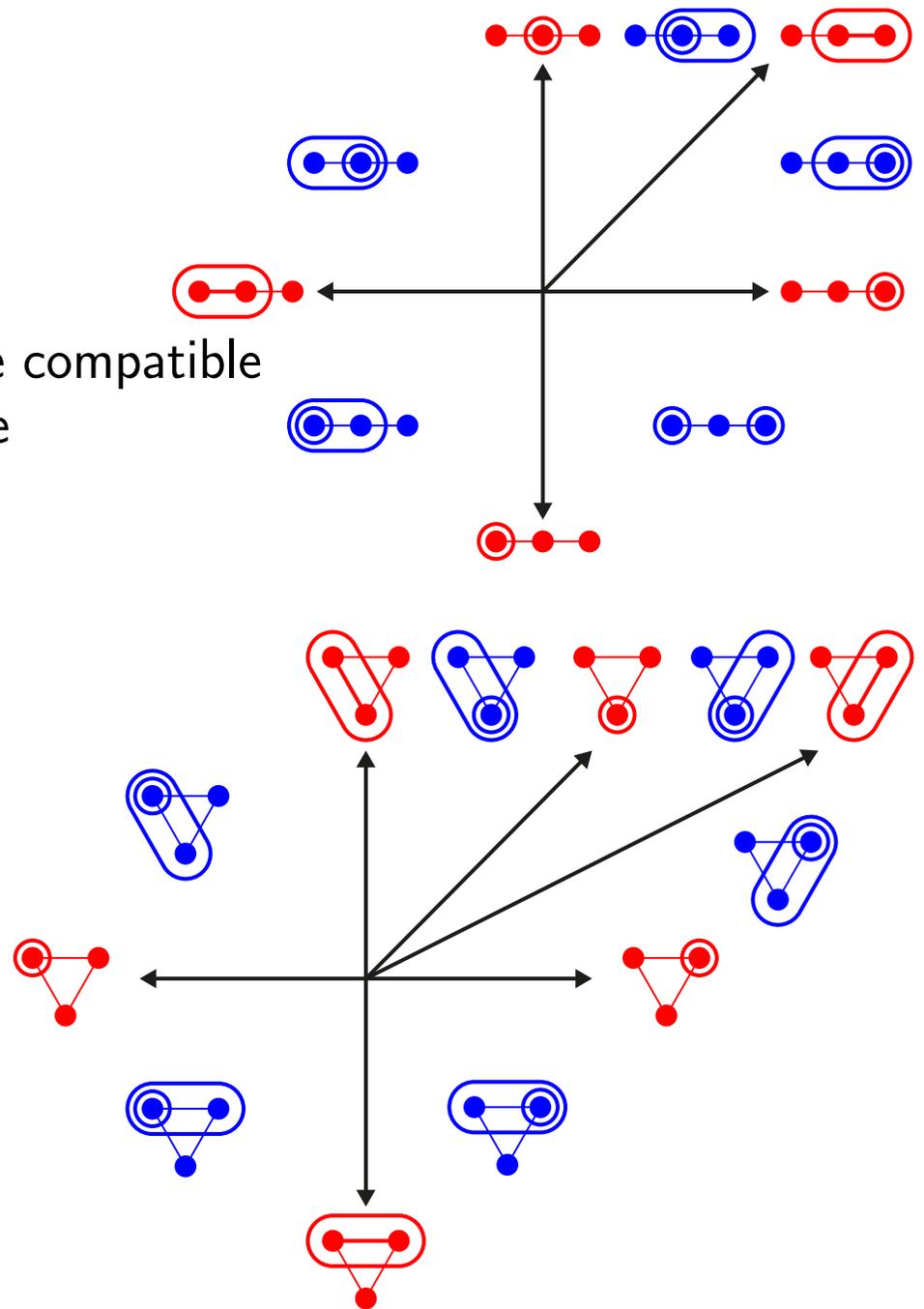
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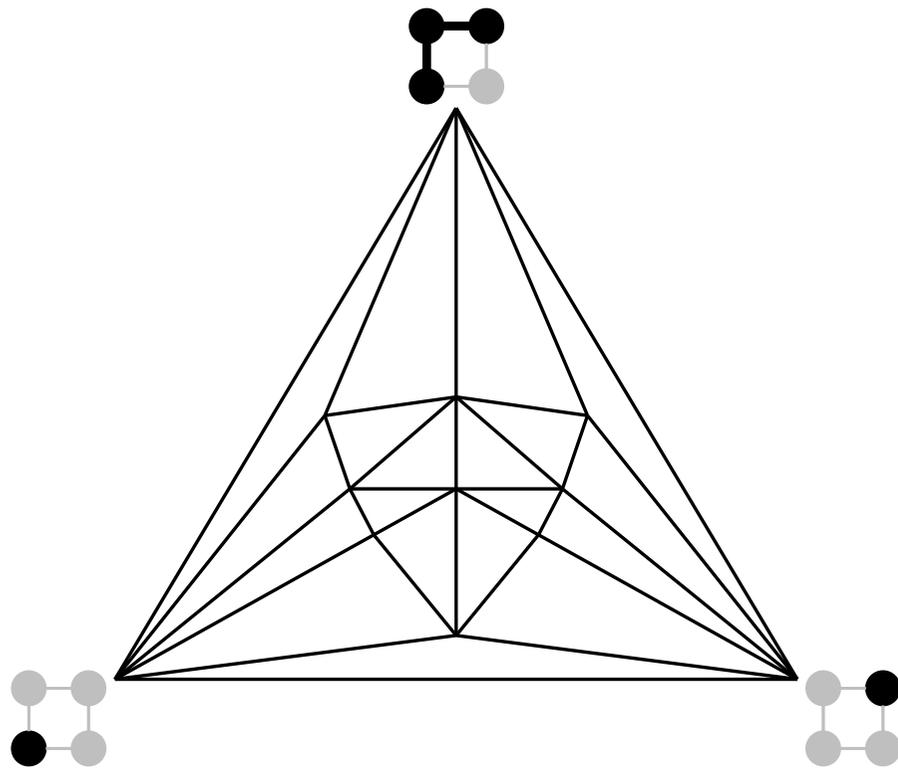
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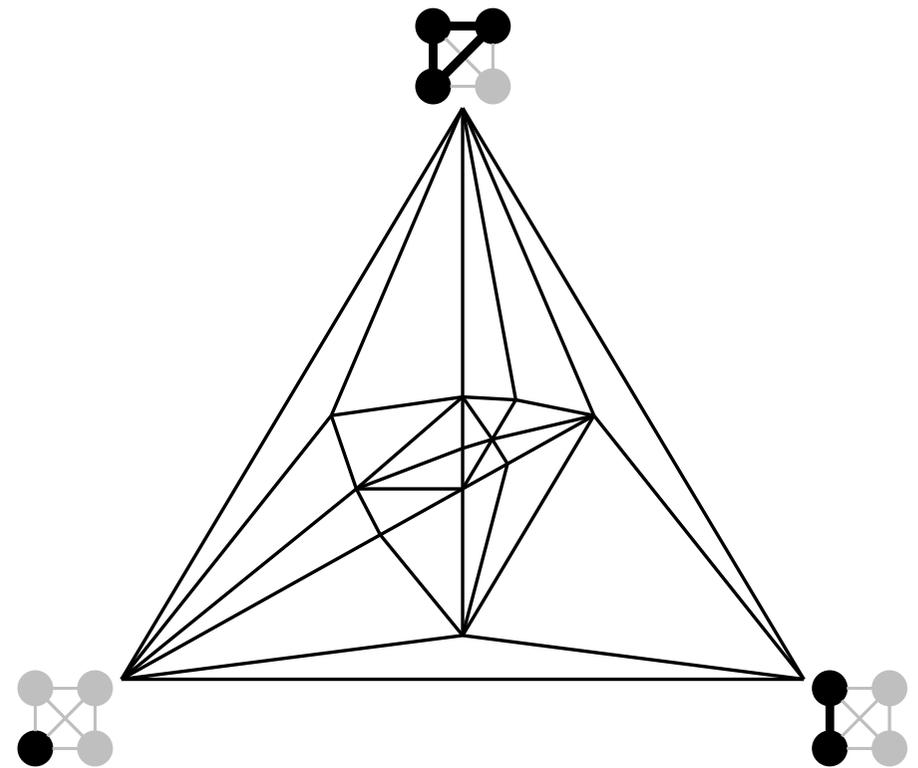
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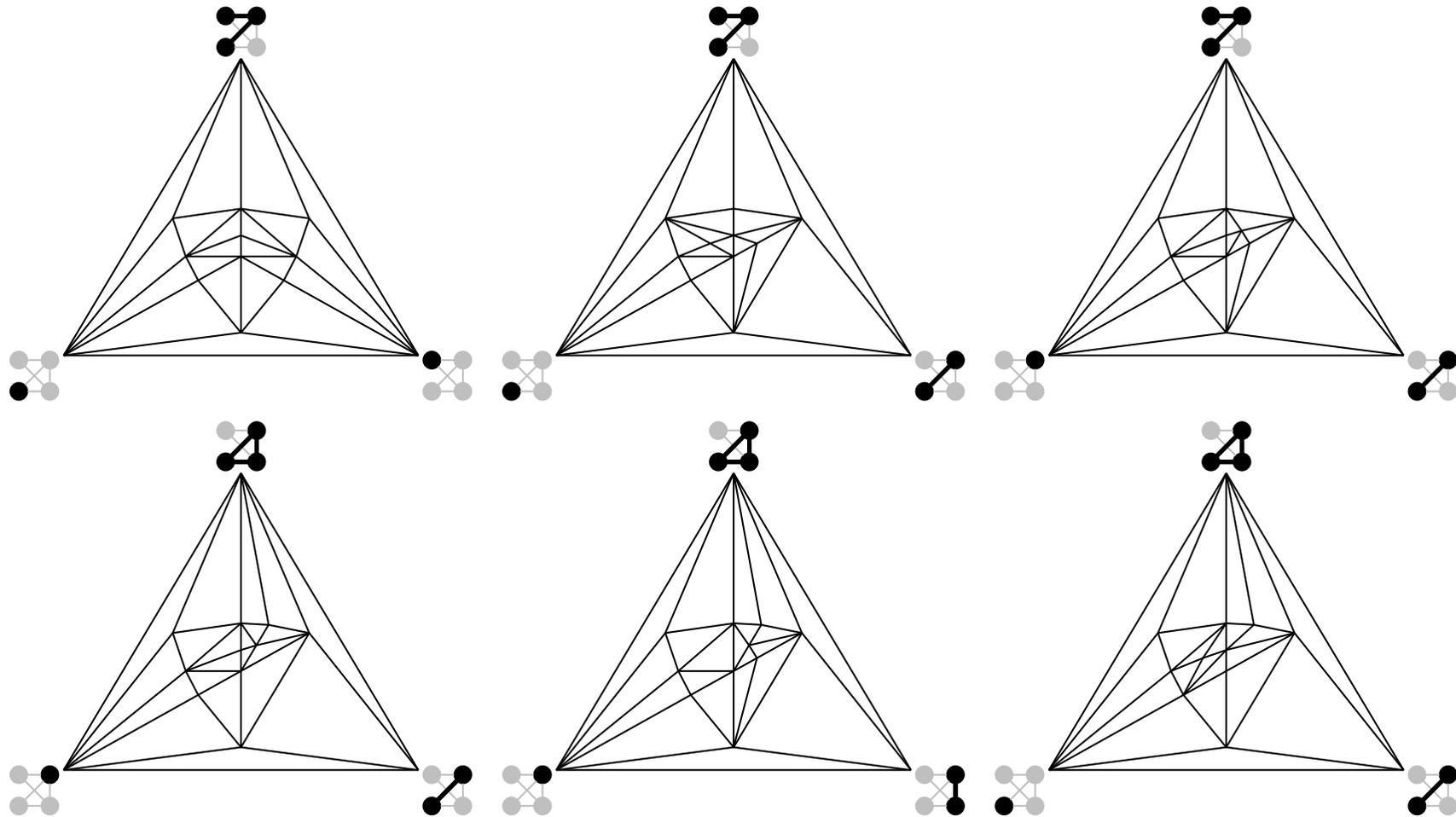
Permutahedron

# GRAPH CATALAN MANY SIMPLICIAL FAN REALIZATIONS

**THM.** When none of the connected components of  $G$  is a spider,

$\#$  linear isomorphism classes of compatibility fans of  $G$   
 $= \#$  orbits of maximal tubings on  $G$  under graph automorphisms of  $G$ .

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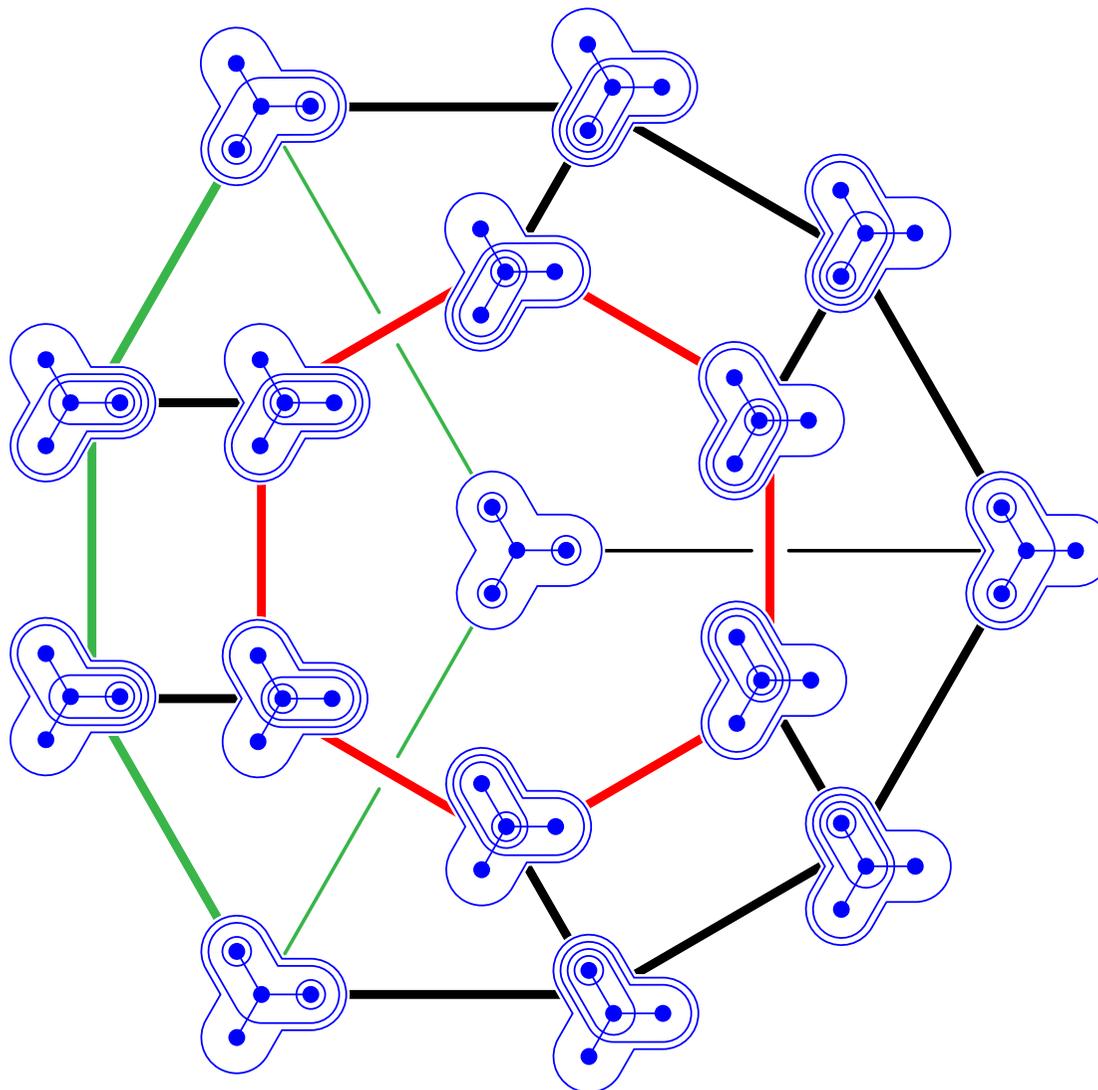
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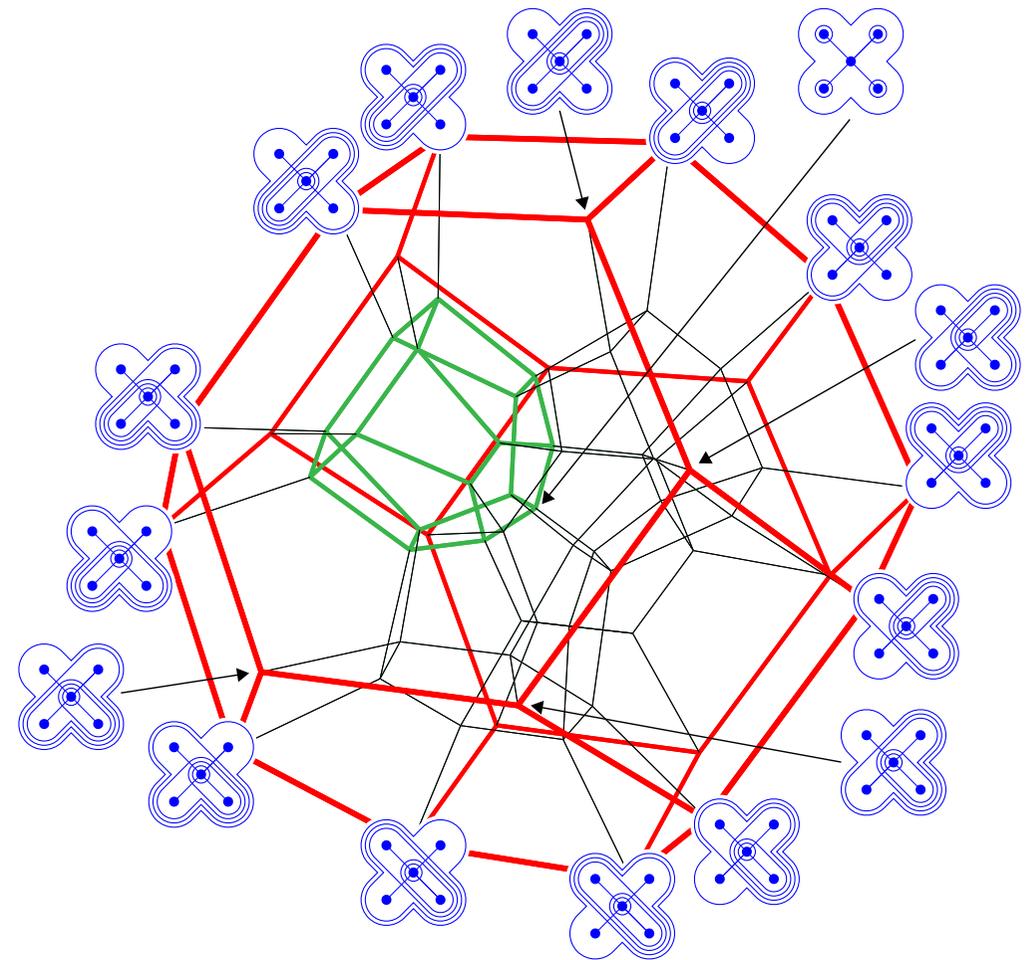
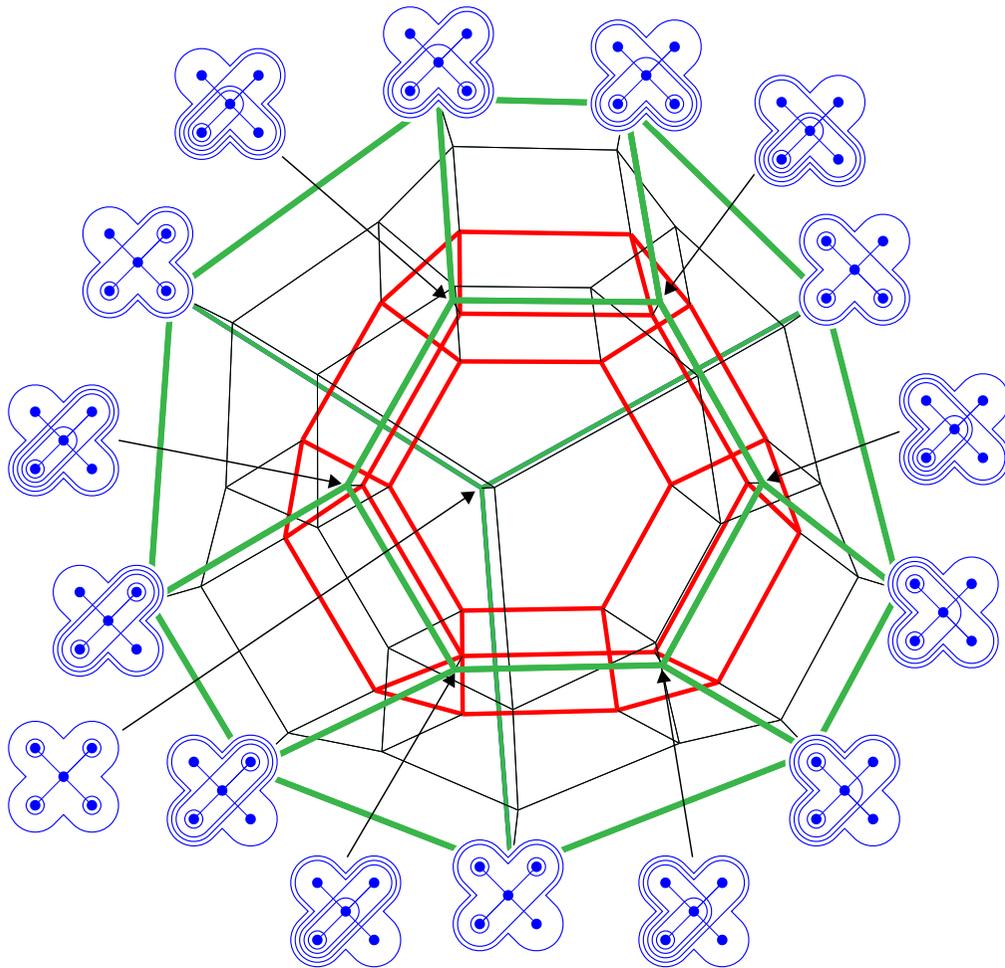
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# SIGNED TREE ASSOCIAHEDRA

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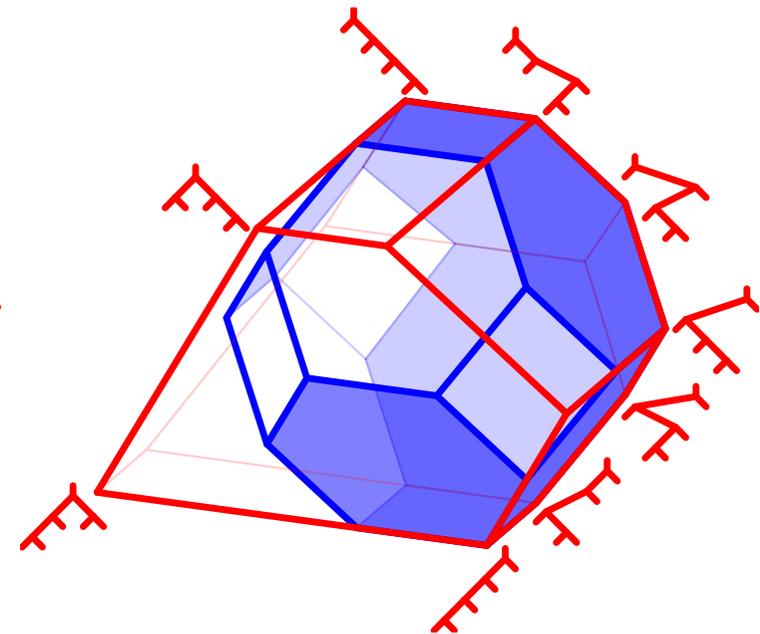
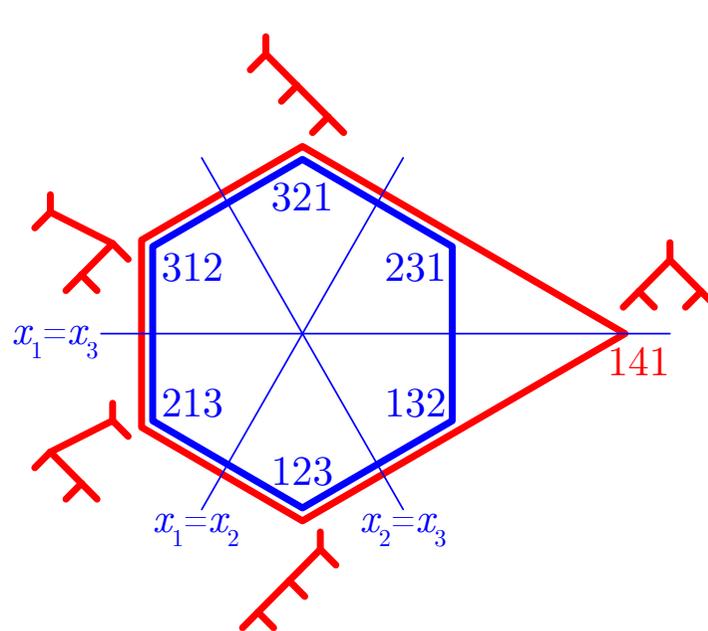
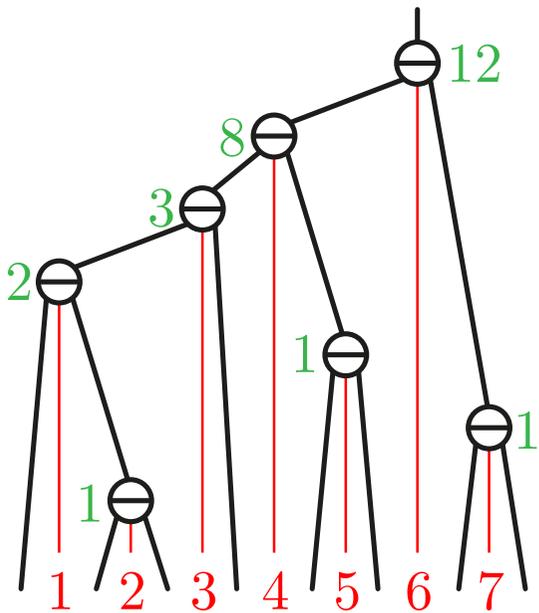
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# LODAY'S ASSOCIAHEDRON

$$\text{Asso}(n) := \text{conv} \{ \mathbf{L}(T) \mid T \text{ binary tree} \} = \mathbb{H} \cap \bigcap_{1 \leq i \leq j \leq n+1} \mathbf{H}^{\geq}(i, j)$$

$$\mathbf{L}(T) := [\ell(T, i) \cdot r(T, i)]_{i \in [n+1]} \quad \mathbf{H}^{\geq}(i, j) := \left\{ \mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^{n+1} \mid \sum_{i \leq k \leq j} x_k \geq \binom{j-i+2}{2} \right\}$$

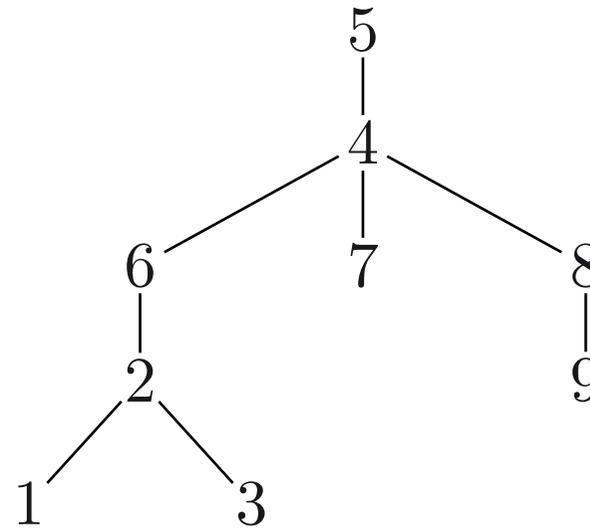
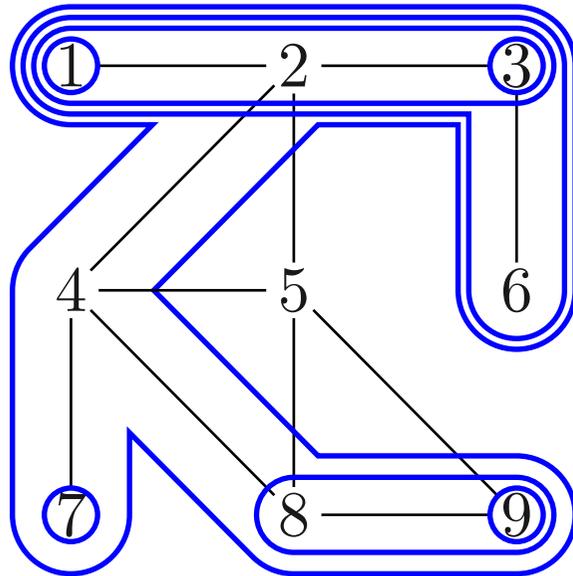
Loday, *Realization of the Stasheff polytope* ('04)



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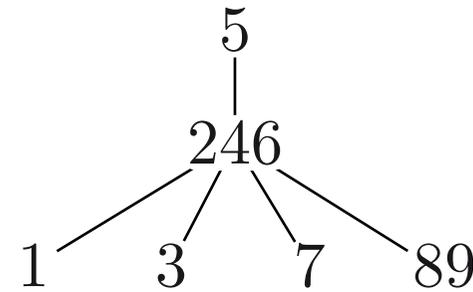
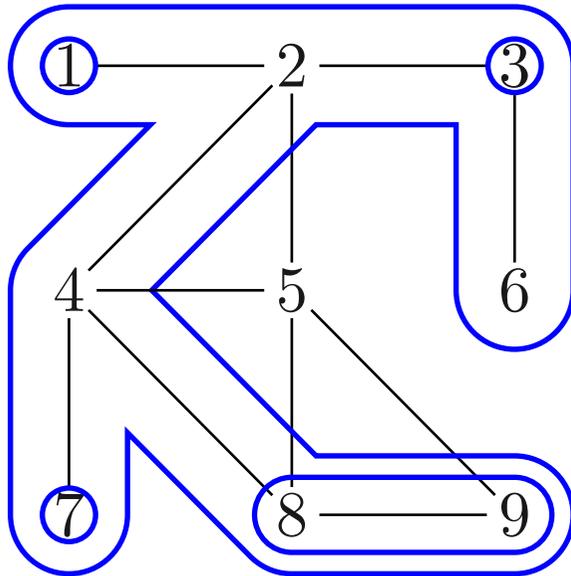
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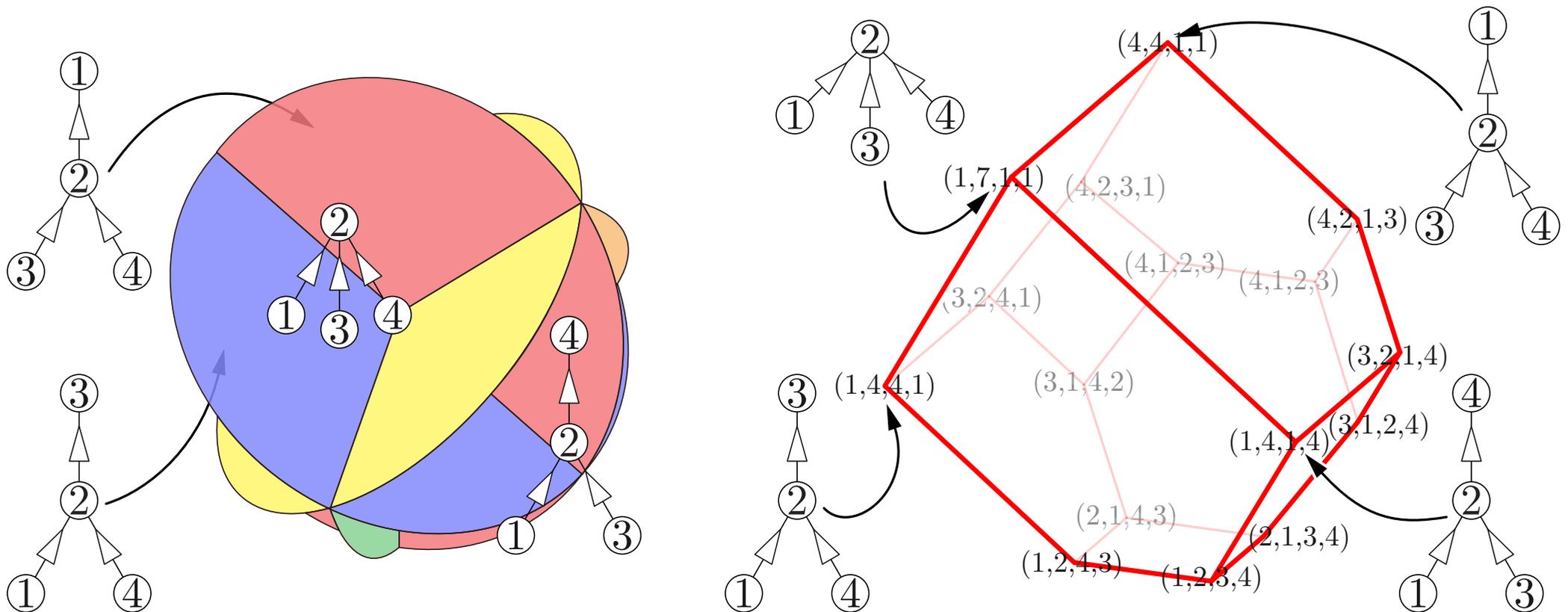
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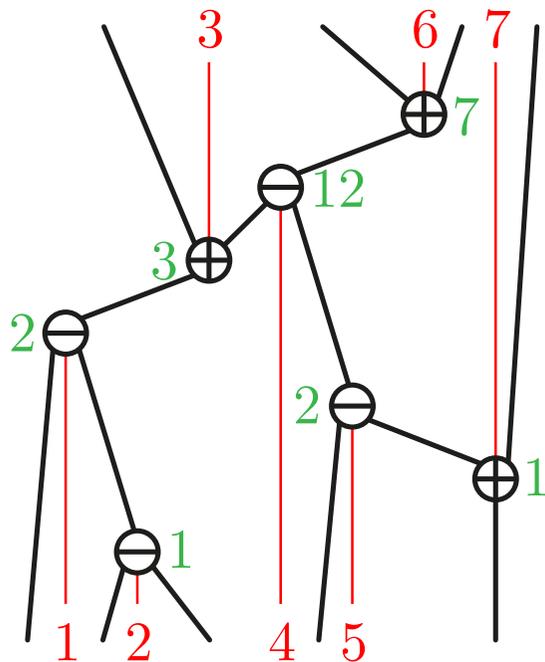
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# HOHLWEG-LANGE'S ASSOCIAHEDRA

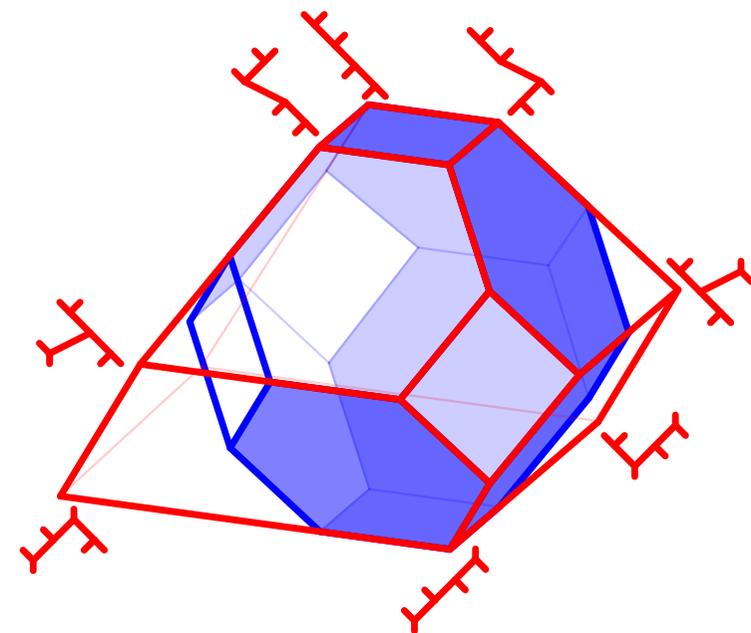
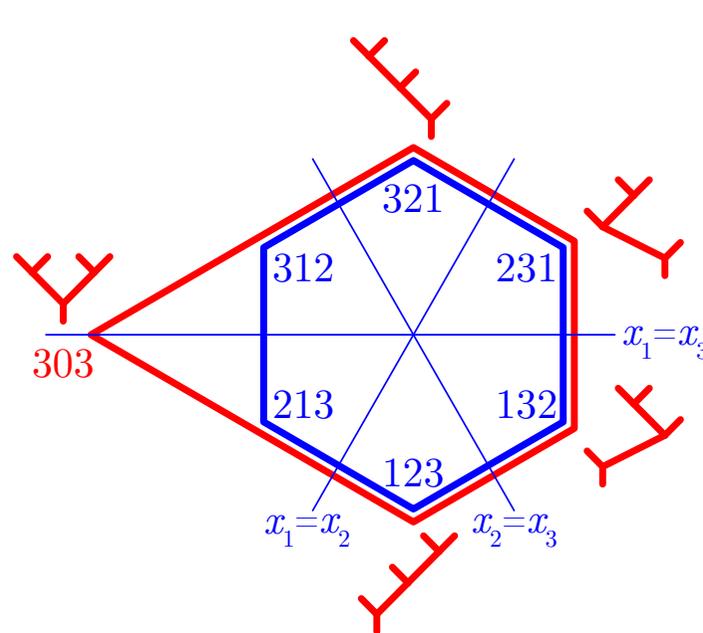
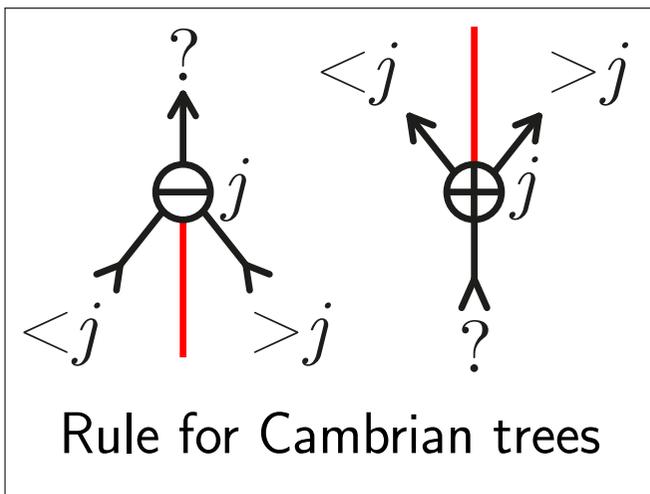


for an arbitrary signature  $\varepsilon \in \pm^{n+1}$ ,

$$\text{Asso}(\varepsilon) := \text{conv} \{ \mathbf{HL}(T) \mid T \text{ } \varepsilon\text{-Cambrian tree} \}$$

with  $\mathbf{HL}(T)_j := \begin{cases} \ell(T, j) \cdot r(T, j) & \text{if } \varepsilon(j) = - \\ n + 2 - \ell(T, j) \cdot r(T, j) & \text{if } \varepsilon(j) = + \end{cases}$

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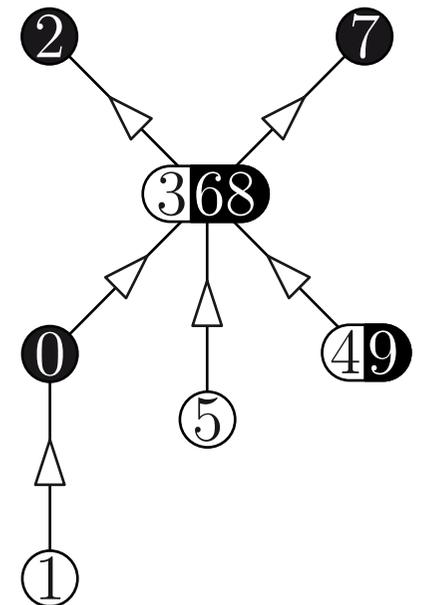
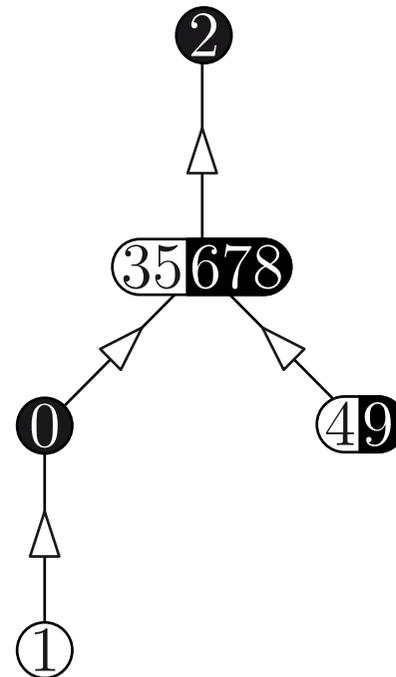
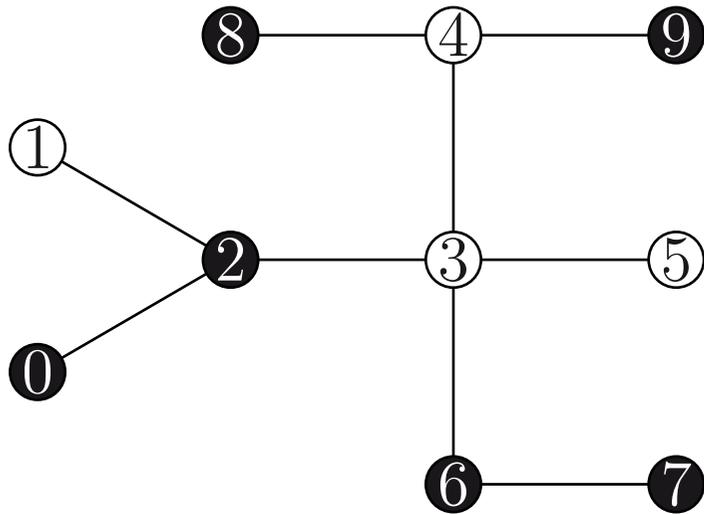
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# SIGNED SPINES ON SIGNED TREES

$T$  tree on the signed ground set  $V = V^- \sqcup V^+$  (negative in white, positive in black)

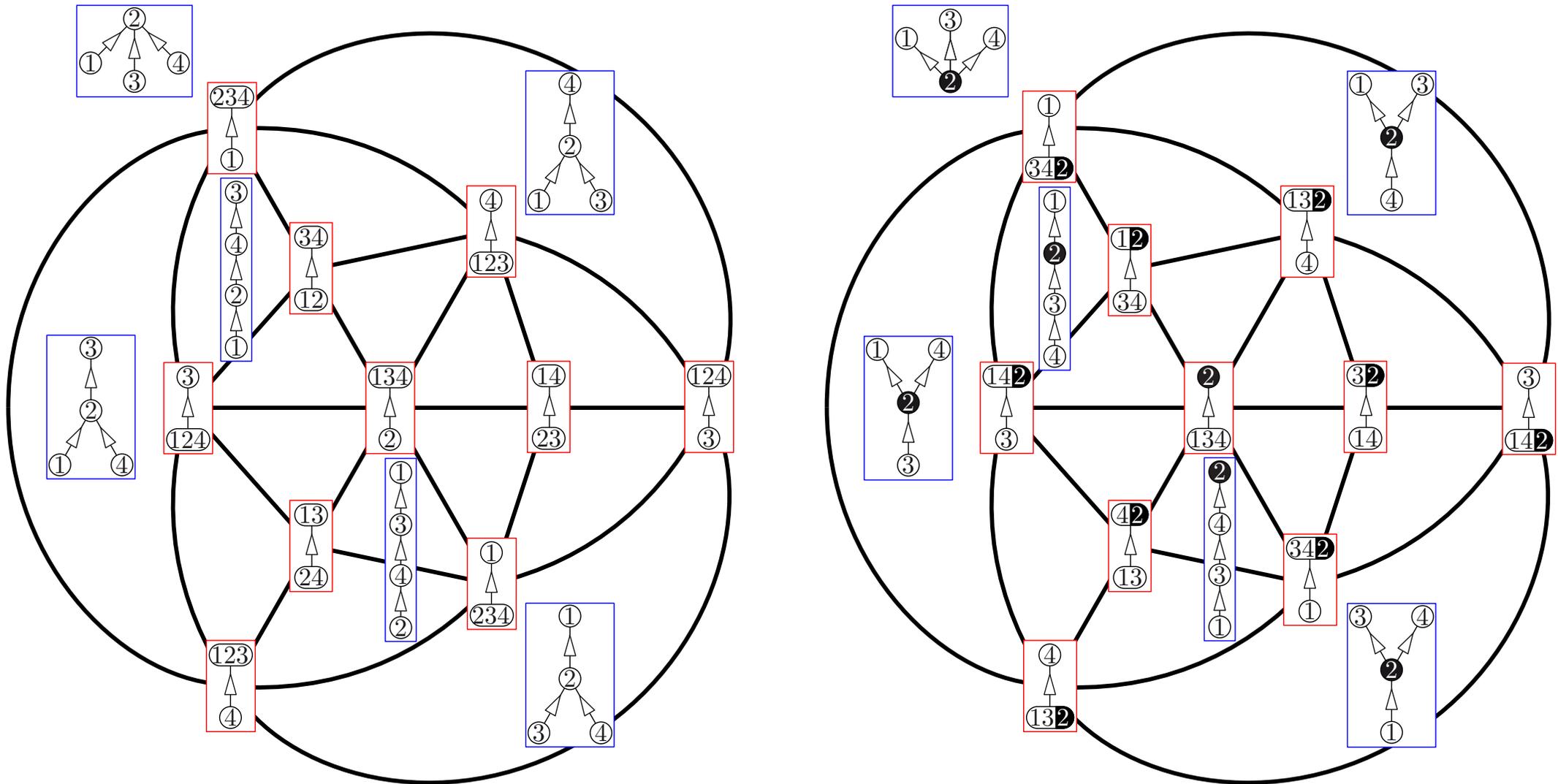
Signed spine on  $T =$  directed and labeled tree  $S$  st

- (i) the labels of the nodes of  $S$  form a partition of the signed ground set  $V$
- (ii) at a node of  $S$  labeled by  $U = U^- \sqcup U^+$ , the source label sets of the different incoming arcs are subsets of distinct connected components of  $T \setminus U^-$ , while the sink label sets of the different outgoing arcs are subsets of distinct connected components of  $T \setminus U^+$



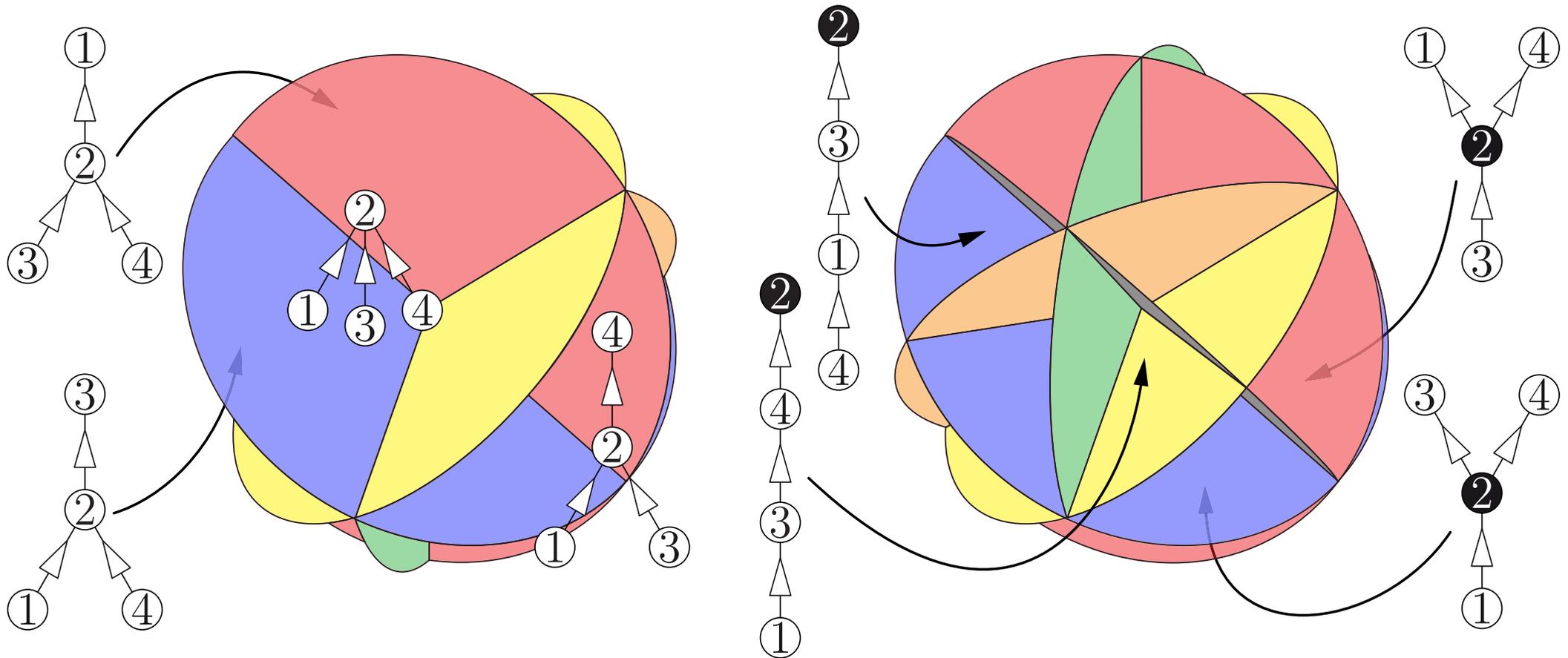
# SPINE COMPLEX

Signed spine complex  $\mathcal{S}(T)$  = simplicial complex whose inclusion poset is isomorphic to the poset of edge contractions on the signed spines of  $T$



# SPINE FAN

For  $S$  spine on  $T$ , define  $C(S) := \{x \in \mathbb{H} \mid x_u \leq x_v, \text{ for all arcs } u \rightarrow v \text{ in } S\}$



**THEO.** The collection of cones  $\mathcal{F}(T) := \{C(S) \mid S \in \mathcal{S}(T)\}$  defines a complete simplicial fan on  $\mathbb{H}$ , which we call the **spine fan**

*P., Signed tree associahedra ('13+)*

# SIGNED TREE ASSOCIAHEDRON

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Signed tree associahedron  $\text{Asso}(\mathbb{T}) =$  convex polytope with

(i) a vertex  $\mathbf{a}(S) \in \mathbb{R}^V$  for each maximal signed spine  $S \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{T})$ , with coordinates

$$\mathbf{a}(S)_v = \begin{cases} |\{\pi \in \Pi(S) \mid v \in \pi \text{ and } r_v \notin \pi\}| & \text{if } v \in V^- \\ |V| + 1 - |\{\pi \in \Pi(S) \mid v \in \pi \text{ and } r_v \notin \pi\}| & \text{if } v \in V^+ \end{cases}$$

where  $r_v =$  unique incoming (resp. outgoing) arc when  $v \in V^-$  (resp. when  $v \in V^+$ )

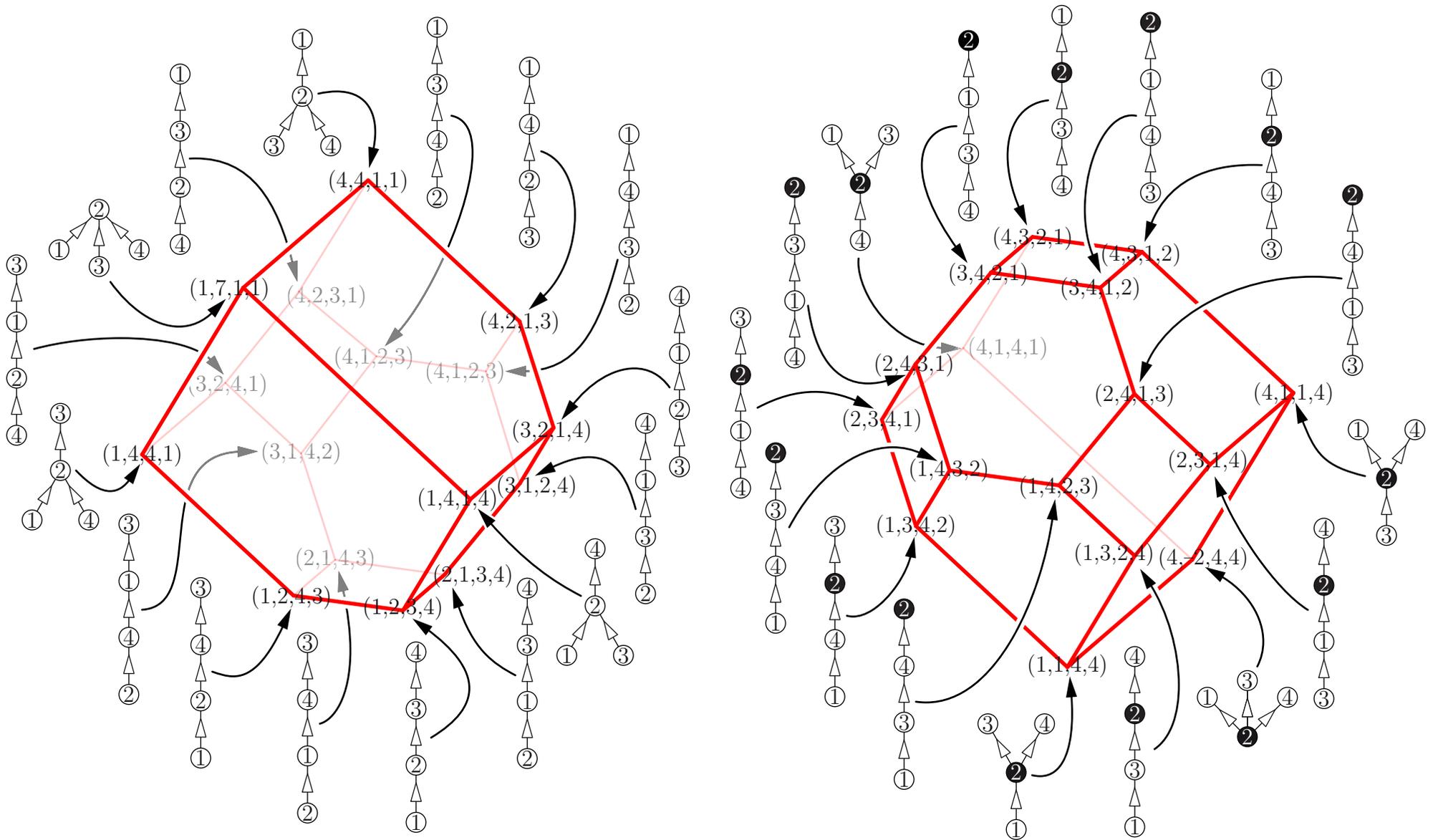
$\Pi(S) =$  set of all (undirected) paths in  $S$ , including the trivial paths

(ii) a facet defined by the half-space

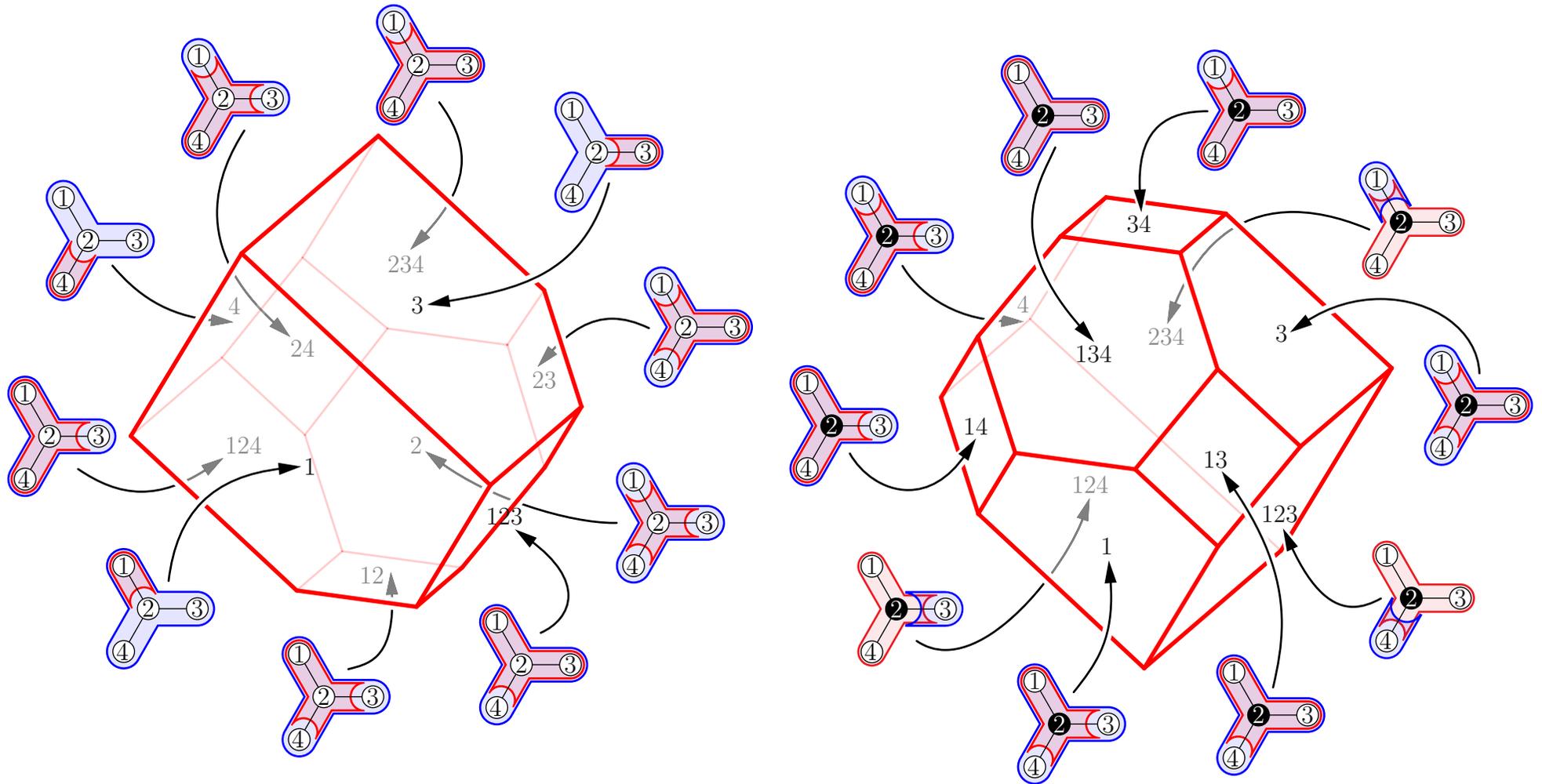
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# EXM: VERTEX DESCRIPTION



# EXM: FACET DESCRIPTION



# MAIN RESULT

**THM.** The spine fan  $\mathcal{F}(\mathbb{T})$  is the normal fan of the **signed tree associahedron**  $\text{Asso}(\mathbb{T})$ , defined equivalently as

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**CORO.** The signed tree associahedron  $\text{Asso}(\mathbb{T})$  realizes the signed nested complex  $\mathcal{N}(\mathbb{T})$

# SKETCH OF THE PROOF

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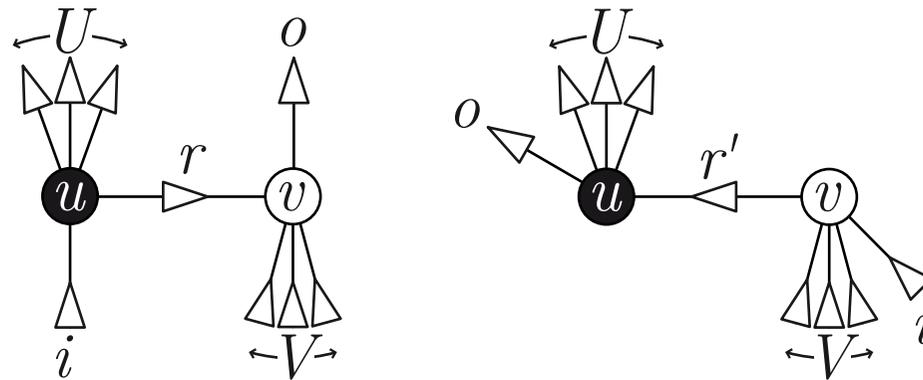
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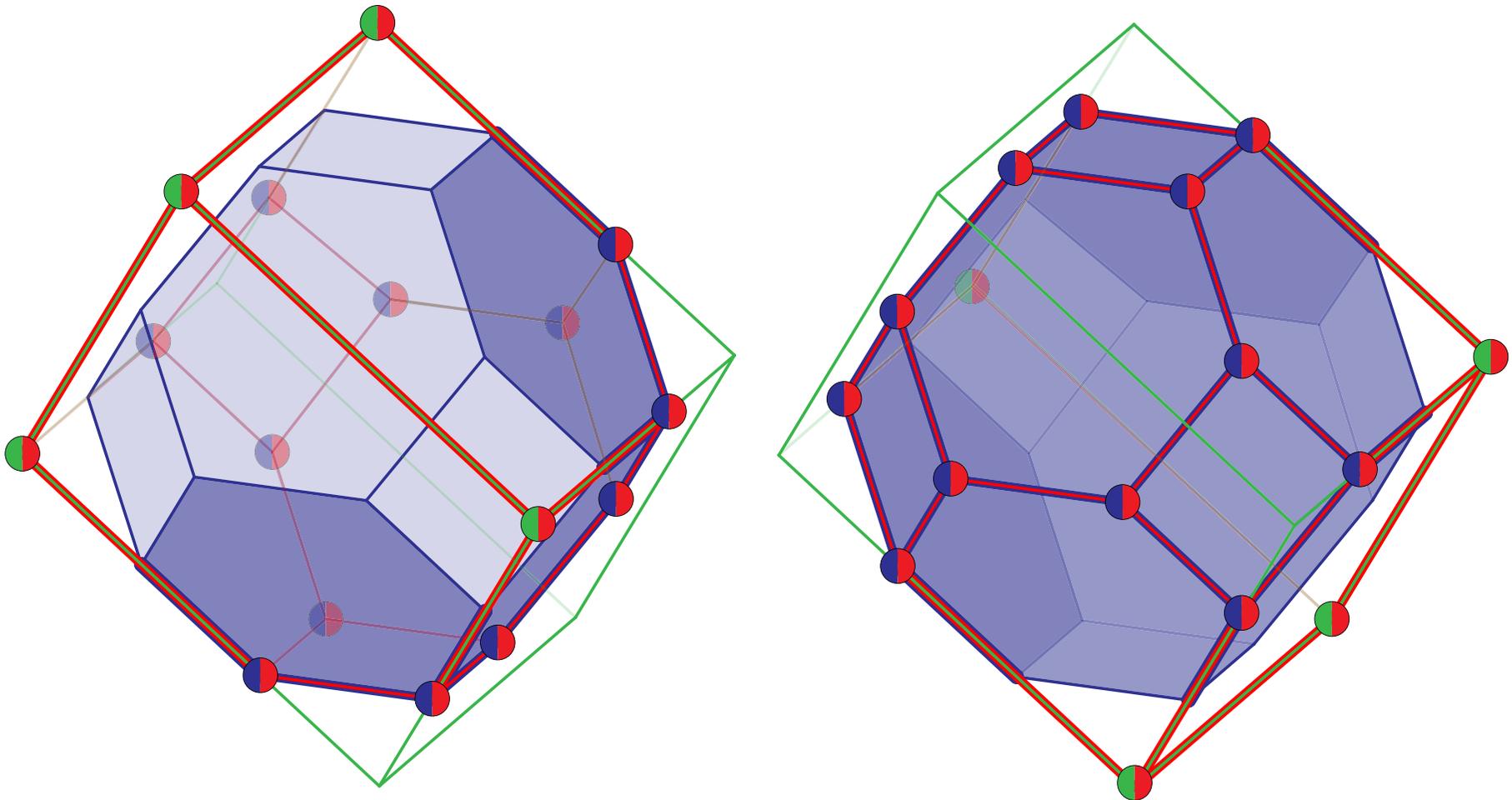
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Hohlweg-Lange-Thomas, *Permutahedra and generalized associahedra* ('11)  
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**PROP.**  $\text{Asso}(T)$  and  $\text{Asso}(T')$  isometric  $\iff T$  and  $T'$  isomorphic or anti-isomorphic, up to the sign of their leaves, ie.  $\exists$  bijection  $\theta : V \rightarrow V'$  st.  $\forall u, v \in V$

- $u-v$  edge in  $T \iff \theta(u)-\theta(v)$  edge in  $T'$
- if  $u$  is not a leaf of  $T$ , the signs of  $u$  and  $\theta(u)$  coincide (resp. are opposite)

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# GRAPH PROPERTIES OF GRAPH ASSOCIAHEDRA

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Manneville-P., *Graph properties of graph associahedra* (SLC'15)

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**THM.** The diameter  $\delta(\text{Asso}(G))$  of the skeleton of the graph associahedron

- is **non-decreasing**:  $G \subseteq G' \implies \delta(\text{Asso}(G)) \leq \delta(\text{Asso}(G'))$
- satisfies the **non-leaving-face property** (all geodesics between two vertices of a face  $F$  of  $\text{Asso}(G)$  stay in  $F$ )
- is **bounded** by  $\max(e, 2n - 18) \leq \delta(\text{Asso}(G)) \leq \binom{n+1}{2}$

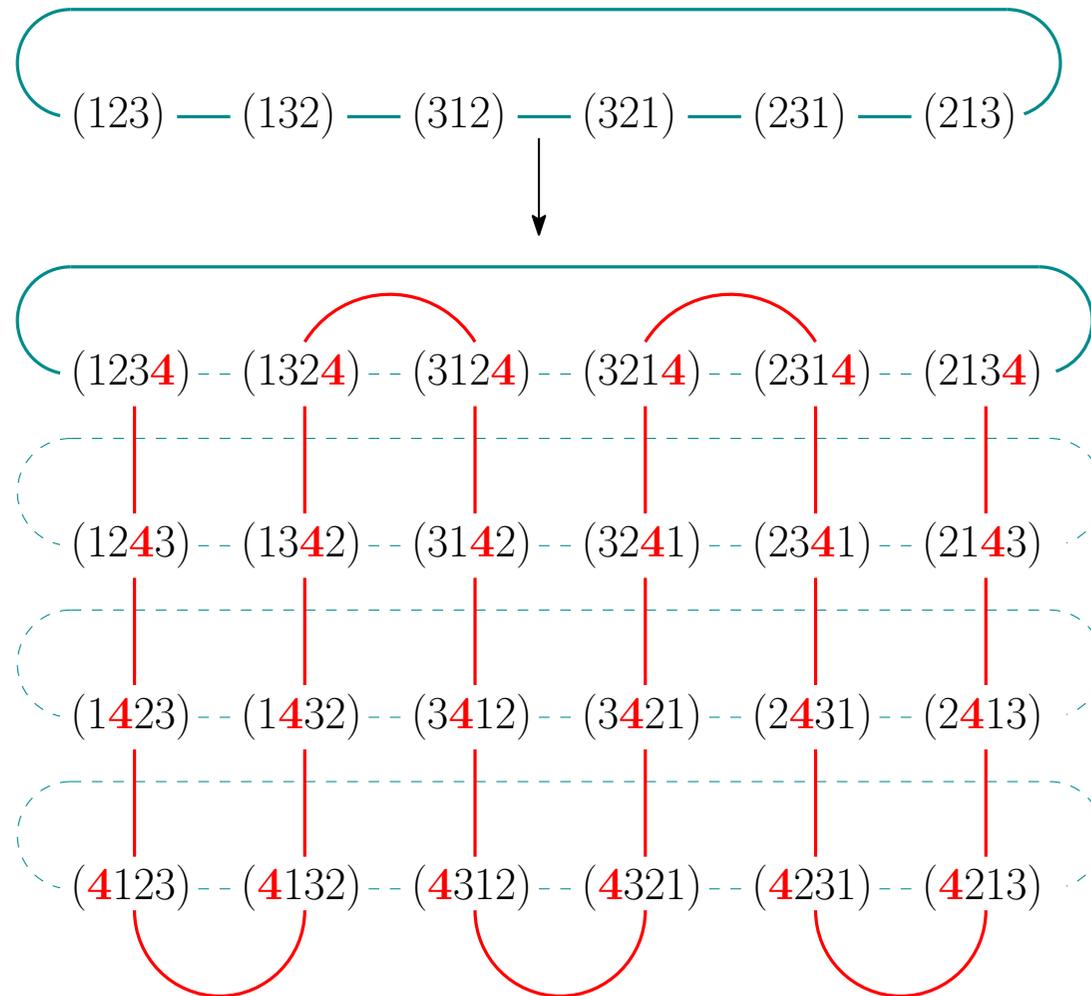
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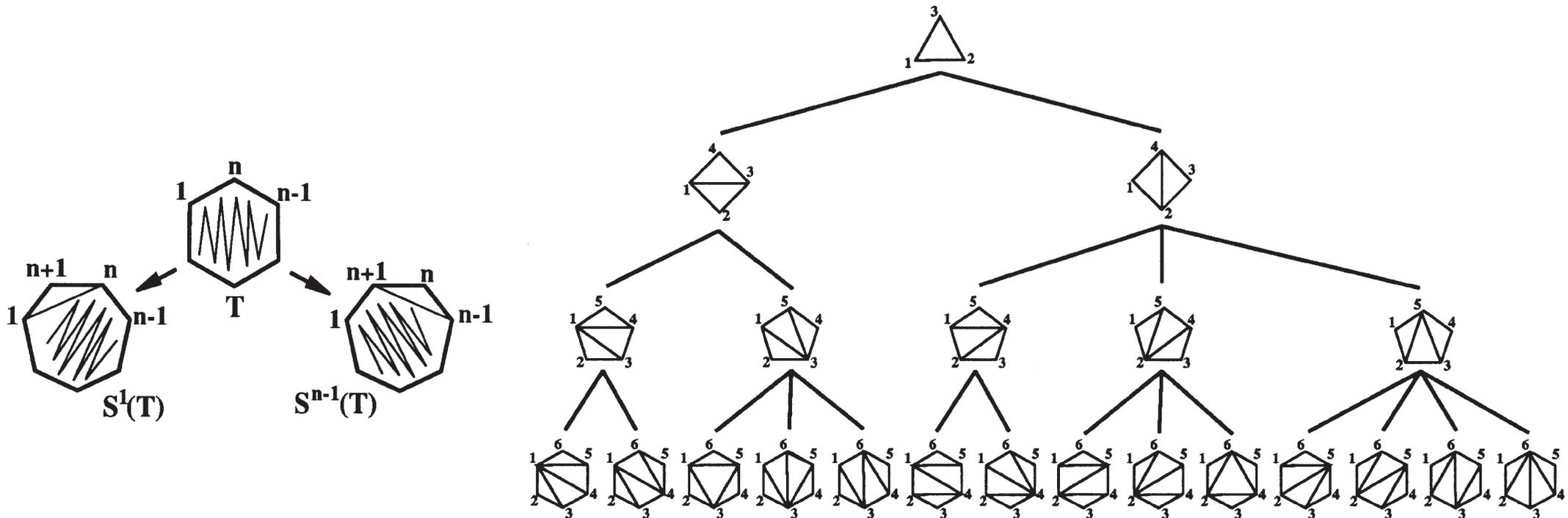
*Johnson, Generation of permutations by adjacent transposition ('63)*

*Steinhaus, One hundred problems in elementary mathematics ('64)*

2. the graph of the associahedron is Hamiltonian

*Lucas, The rotation graph of binary trees is Hamiltonian ('87)*

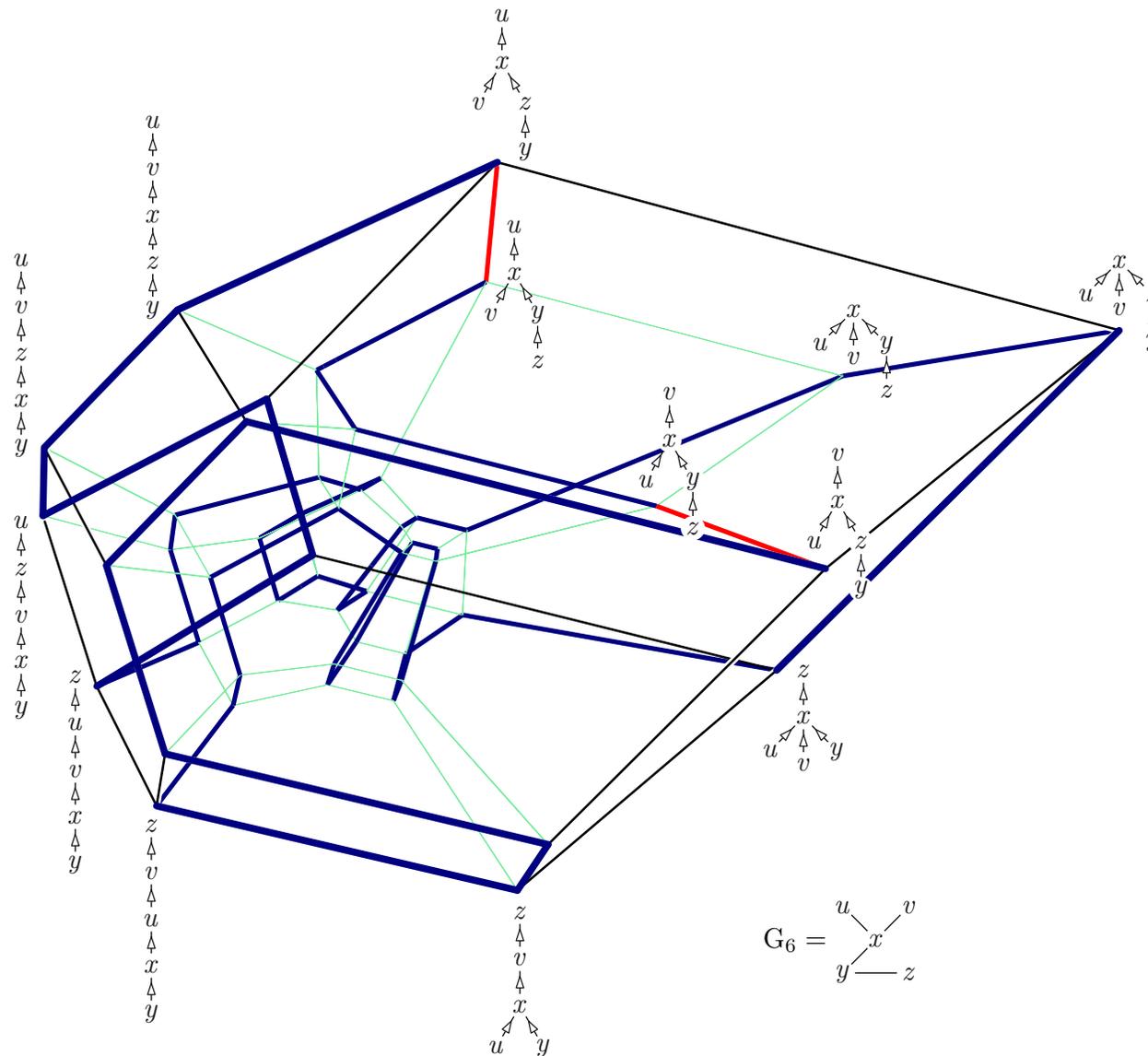
*Hurtado-Noy, Graph of triangulations of a convex polygon and tree of triangulations ('99)*



# CONSTRUCTING AN HAMILTONIAN CIRCUIT...

**THM.** When  $G$  has at least 2 edges, the skeleton of  $\text{Asso}(G)$  is Hamiltonian.

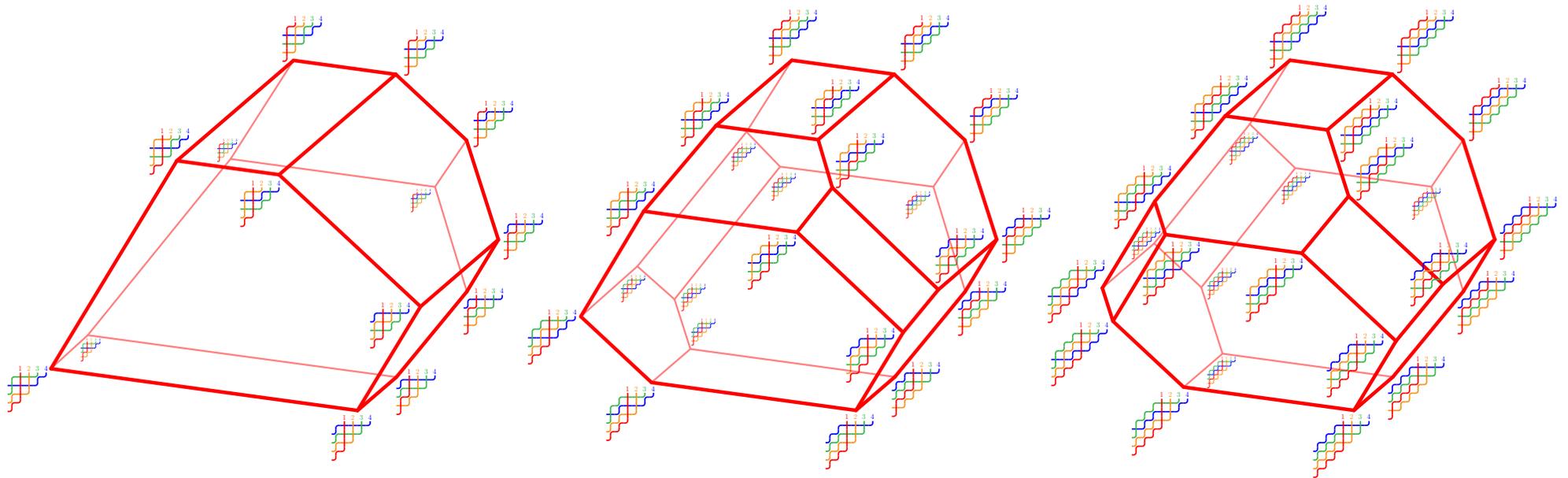
Manneville-P., *Graph properties of graph associahedra* (SLC'15)



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# III. BRICK POLYTOPES

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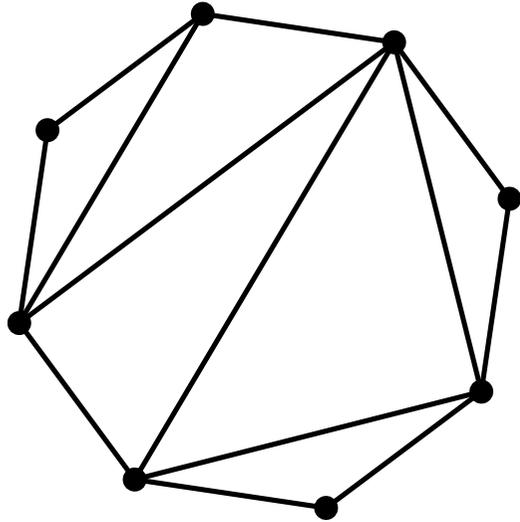
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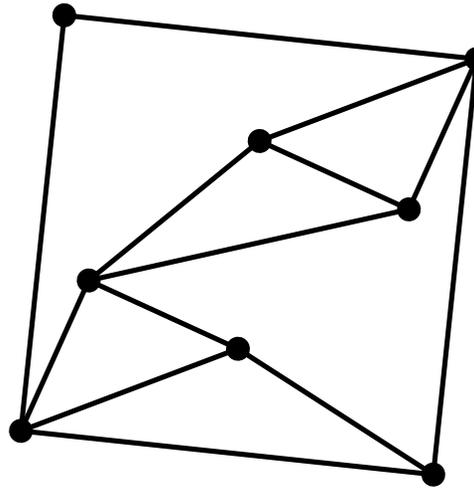
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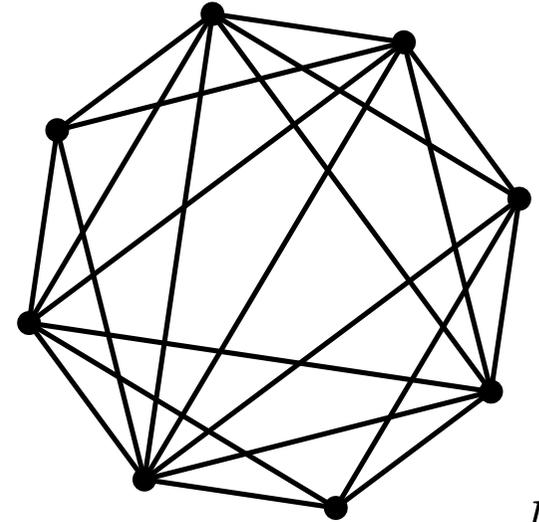
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Multitriangulations



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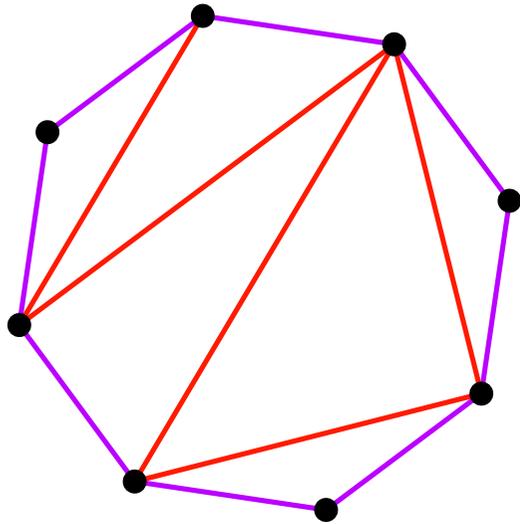
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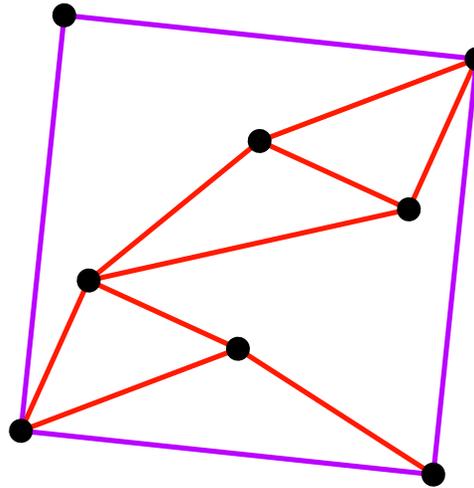
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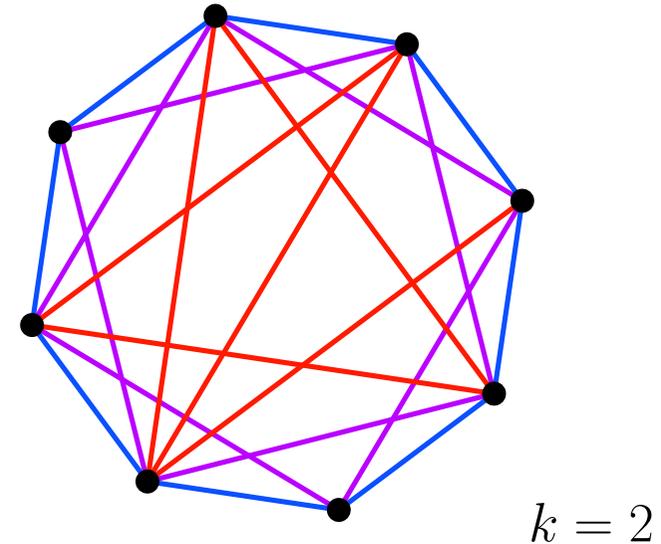
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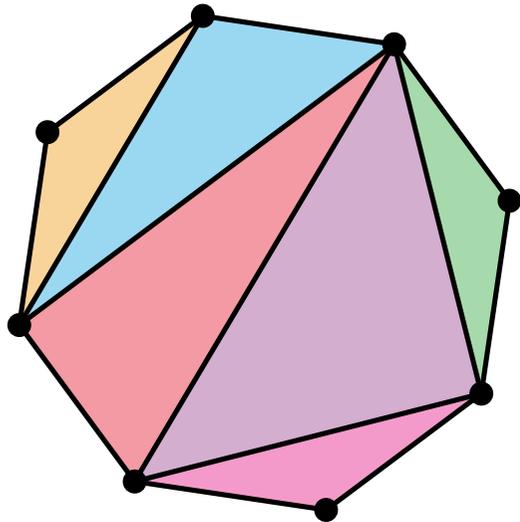
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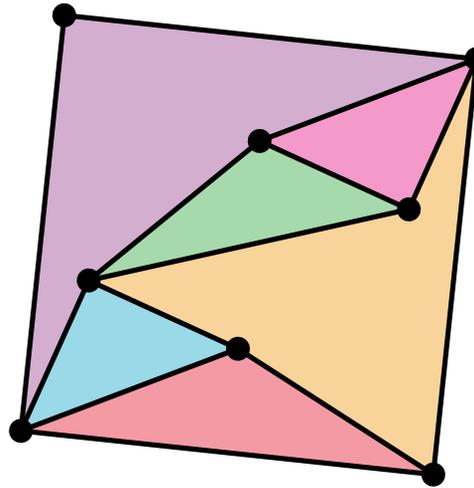
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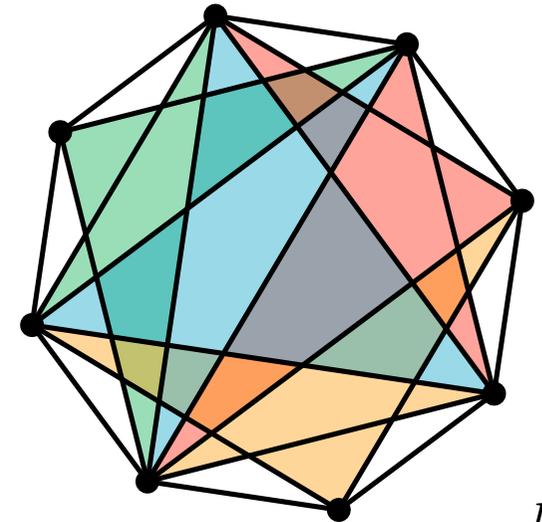
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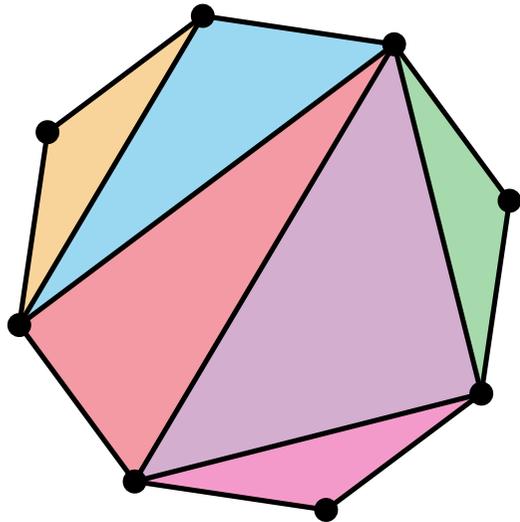
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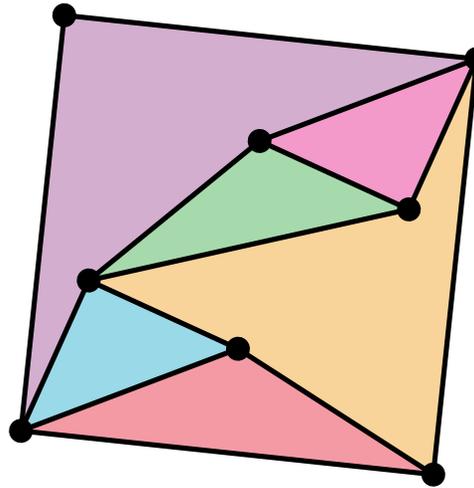
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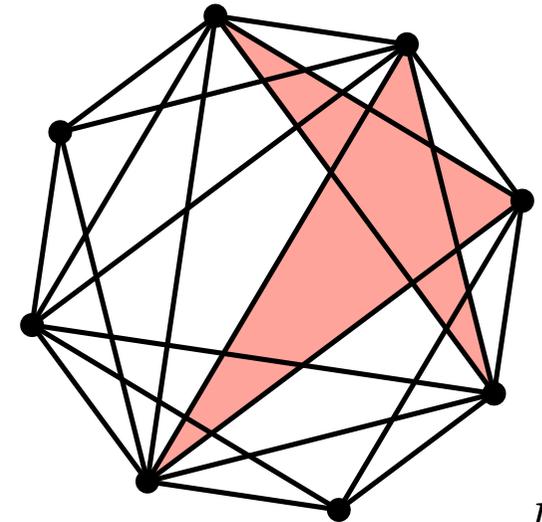
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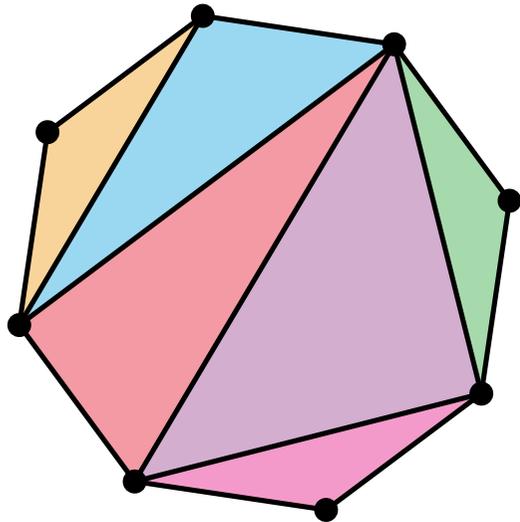
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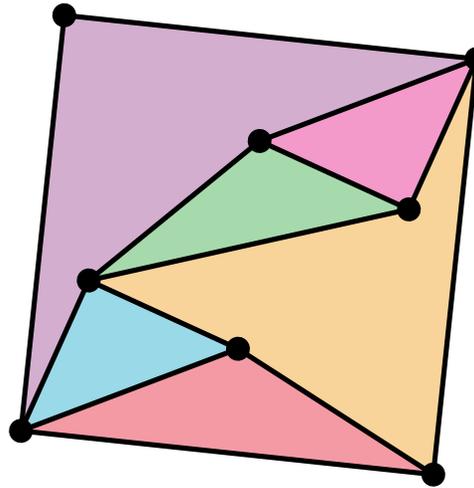
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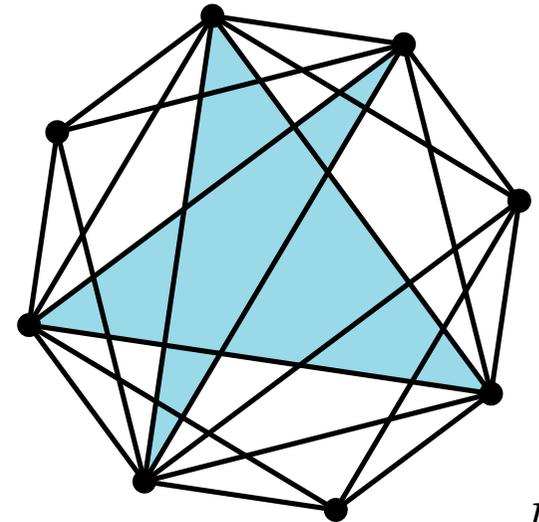
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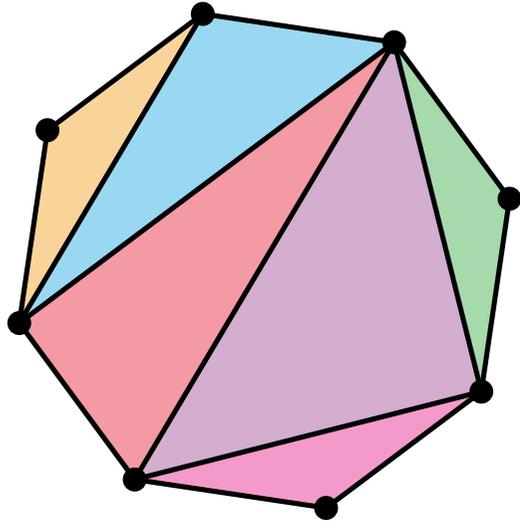
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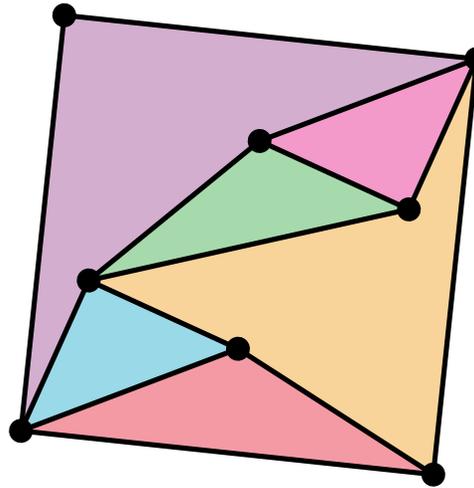
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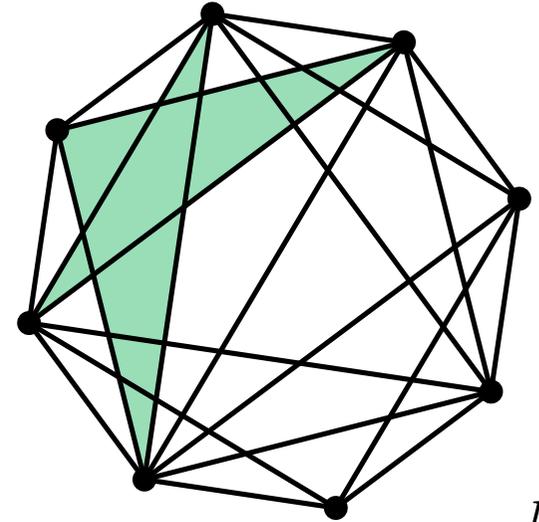
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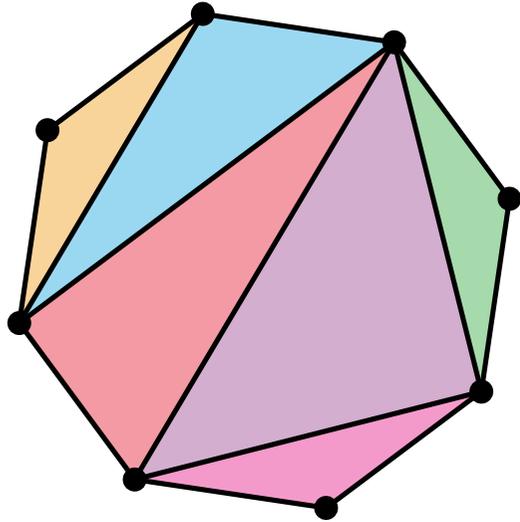
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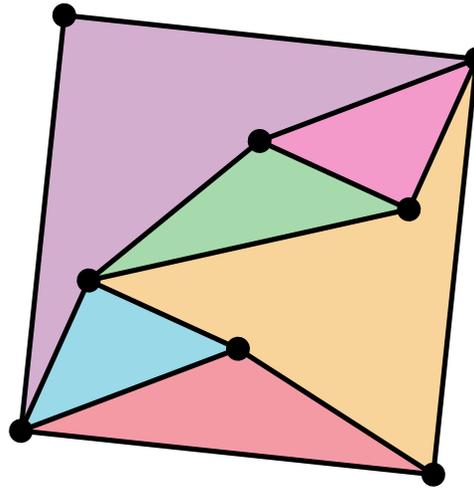
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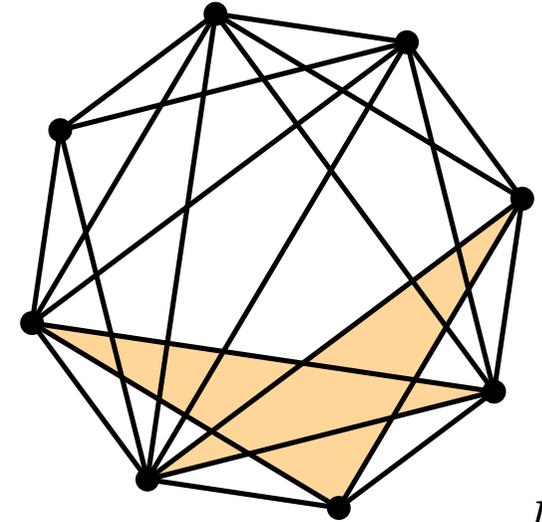
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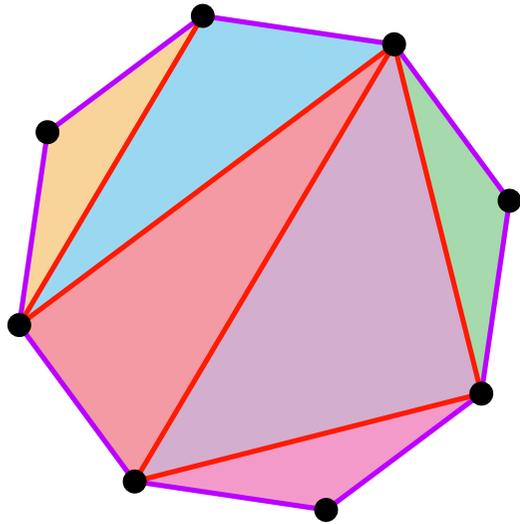
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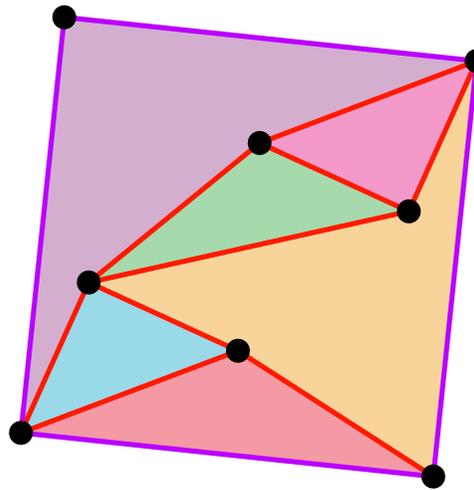
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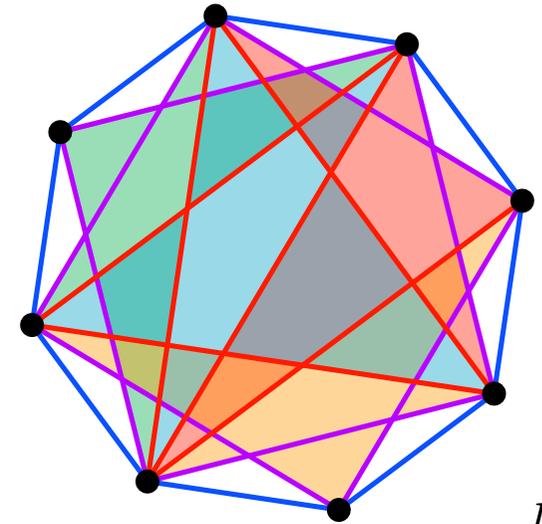
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Multitriangulations



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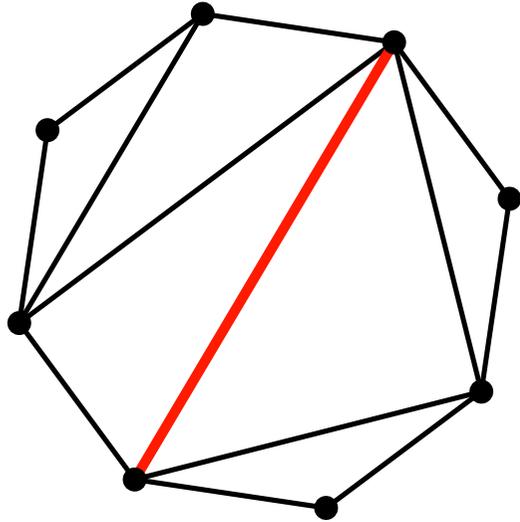
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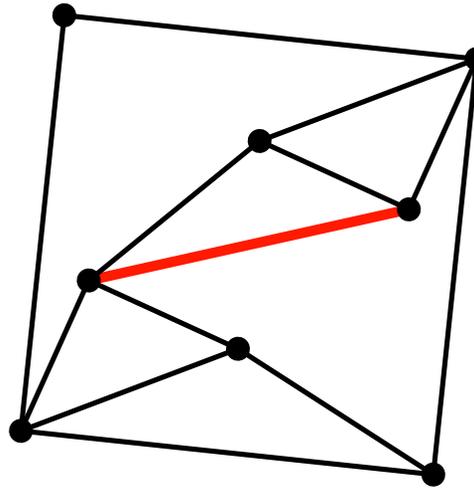
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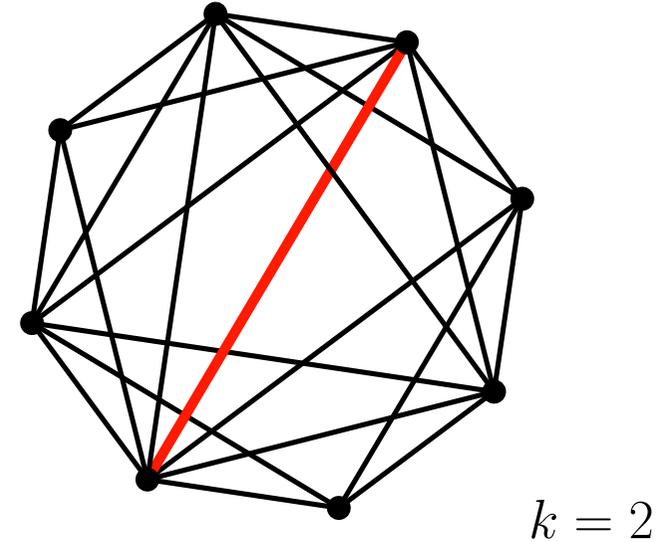
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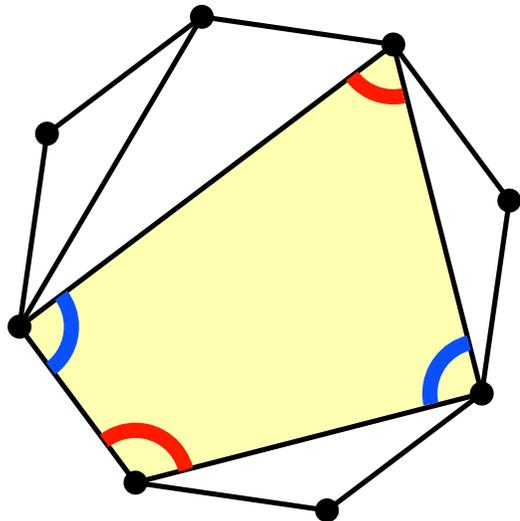
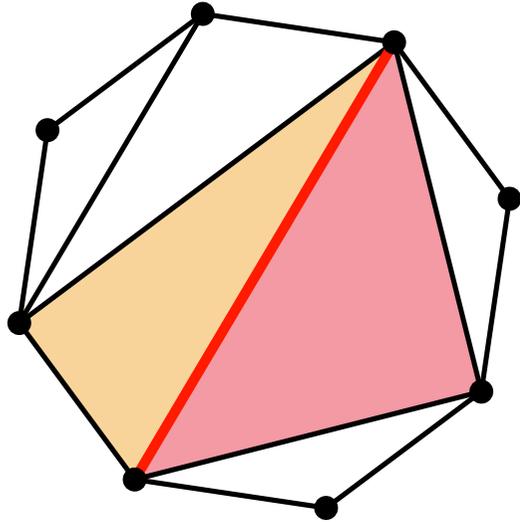
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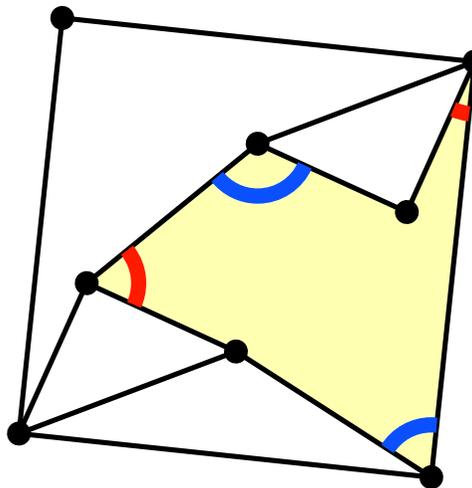
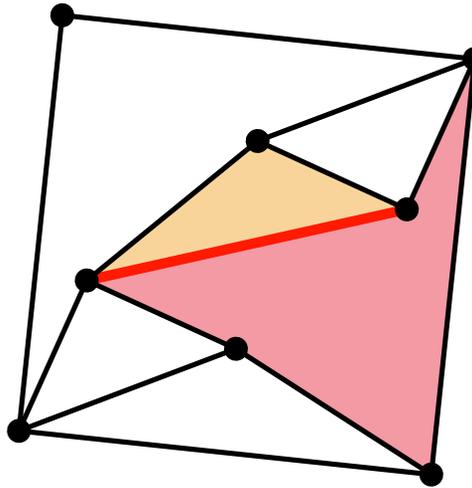
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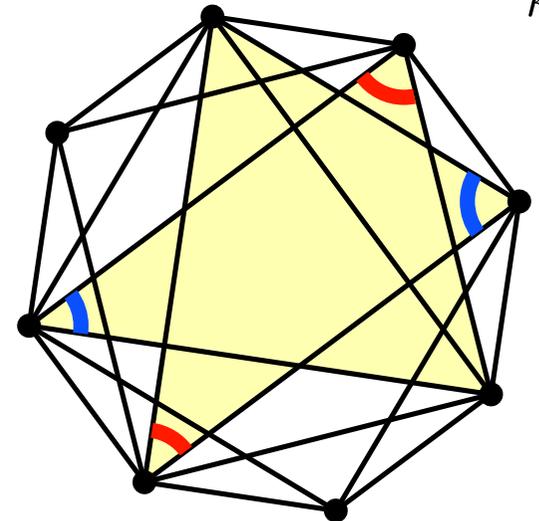
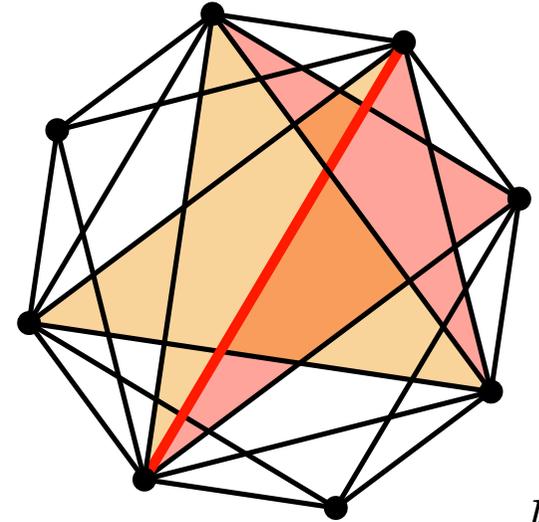
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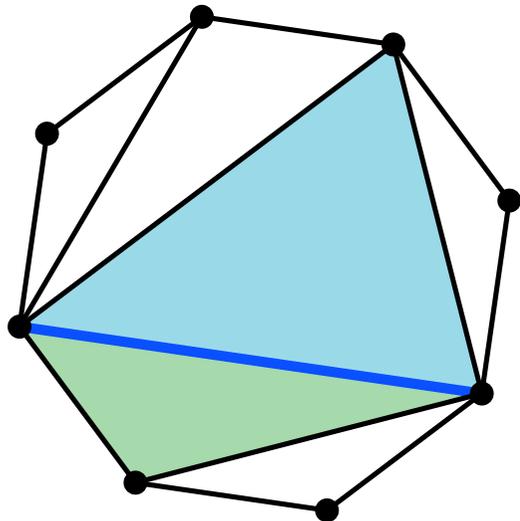
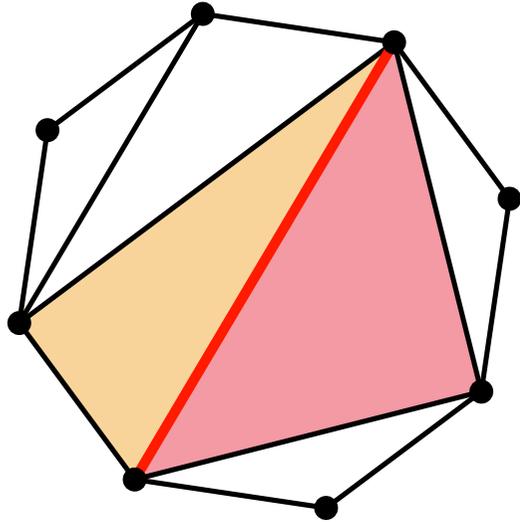


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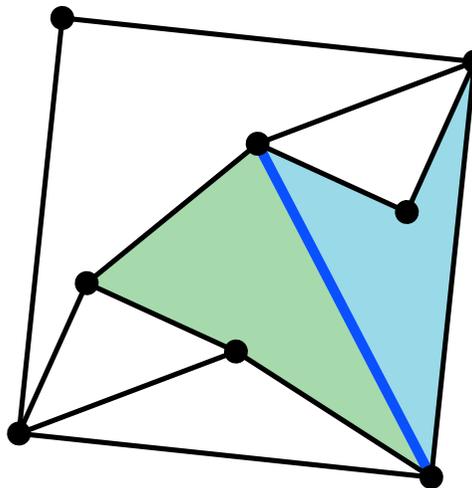
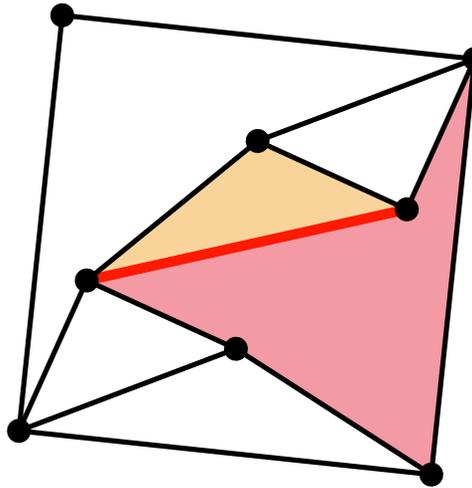
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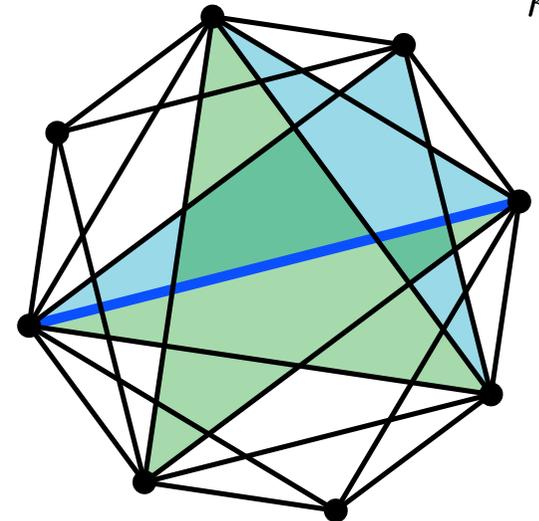
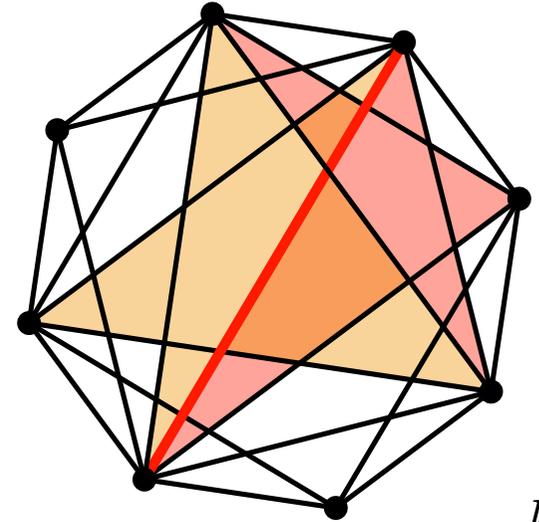
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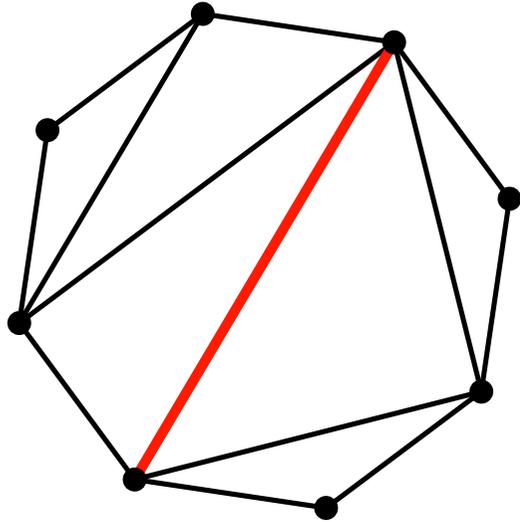


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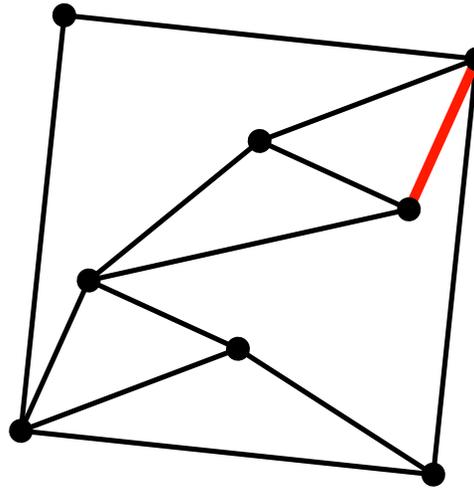
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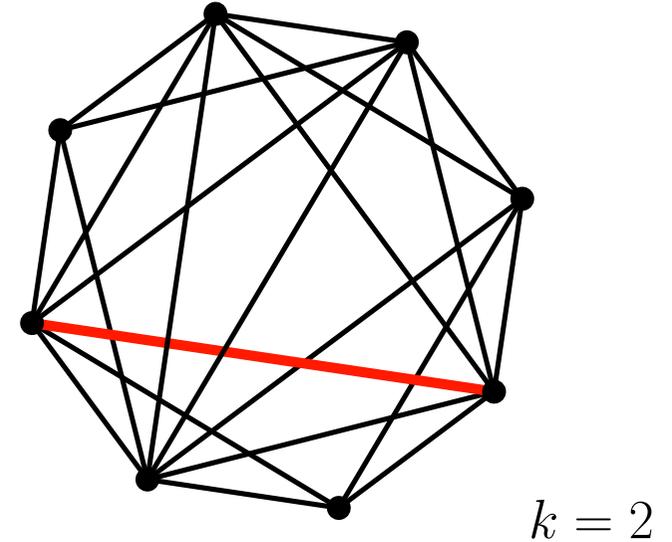
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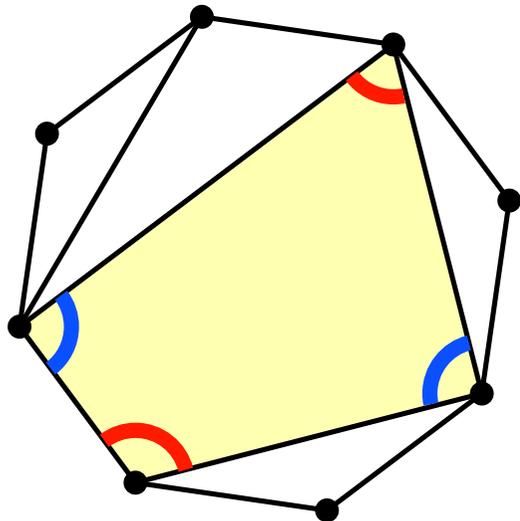
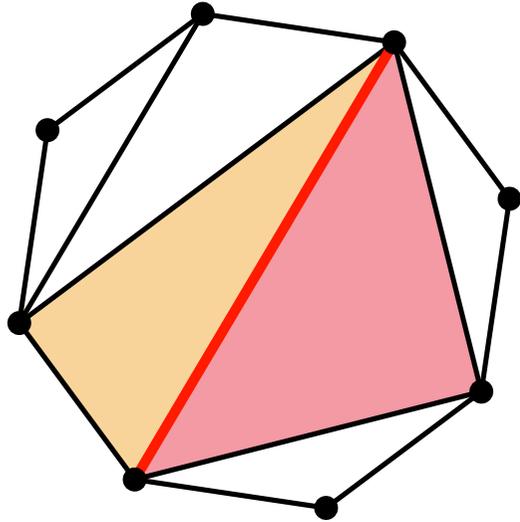
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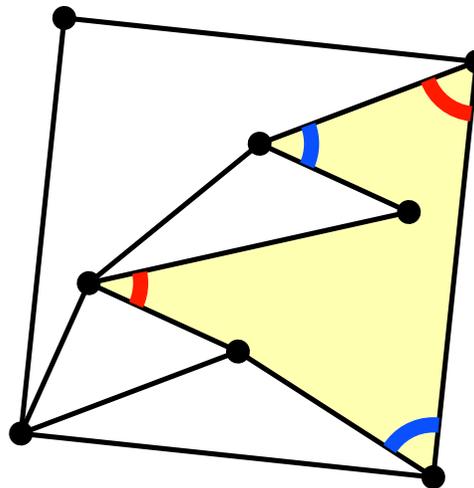
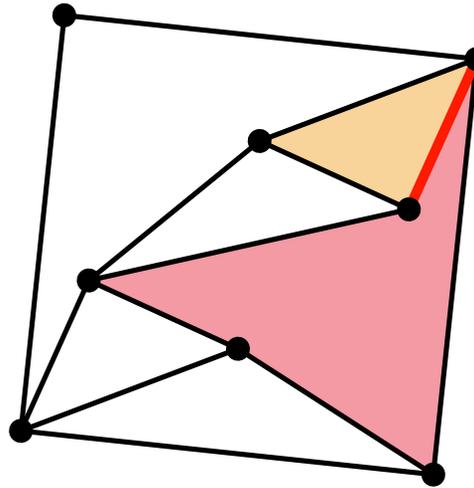
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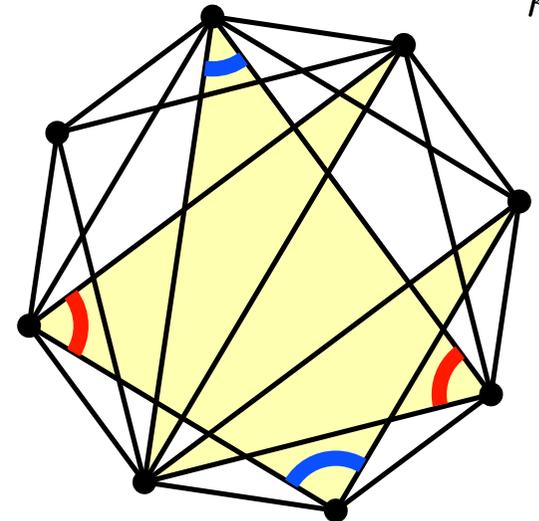
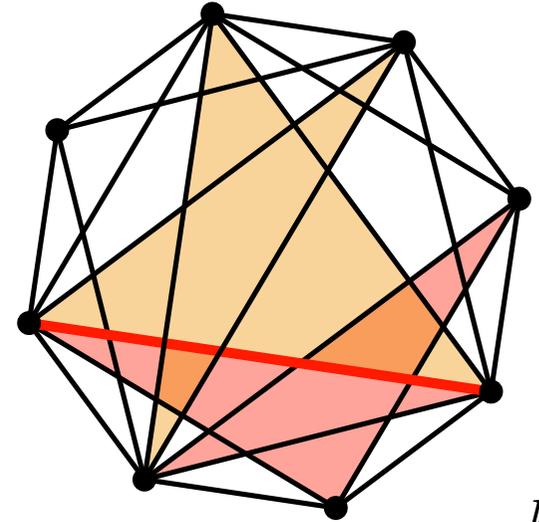
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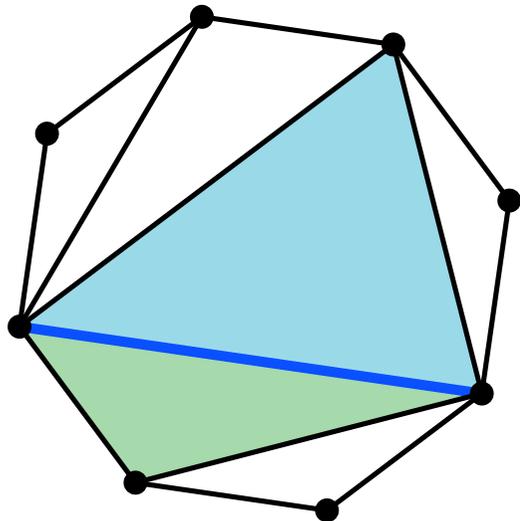
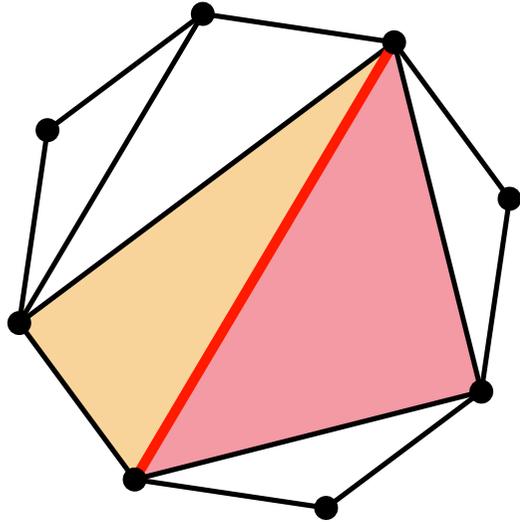


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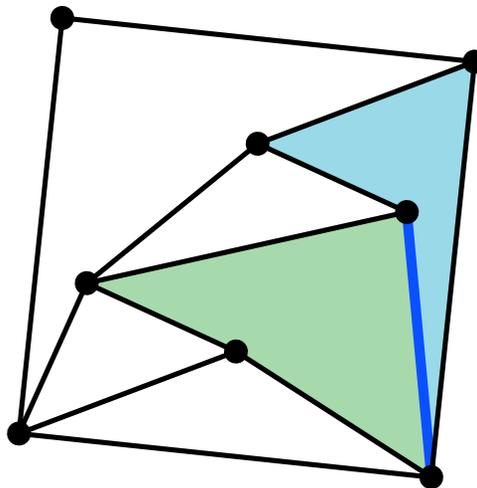
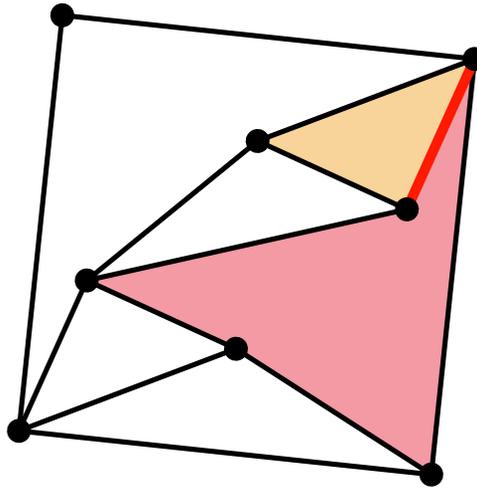
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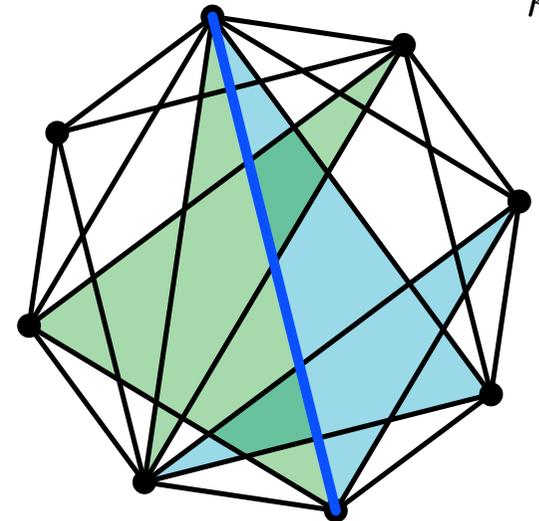
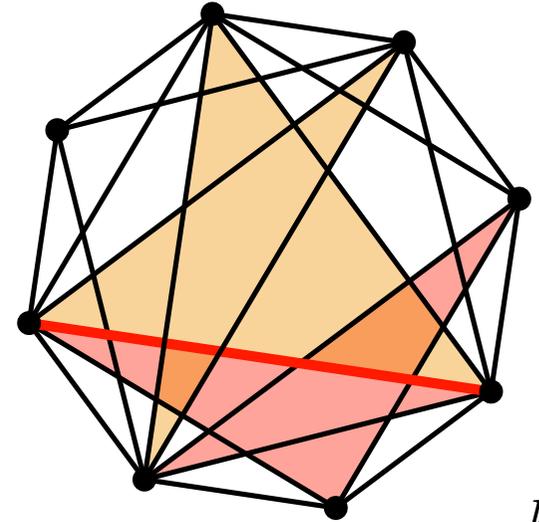
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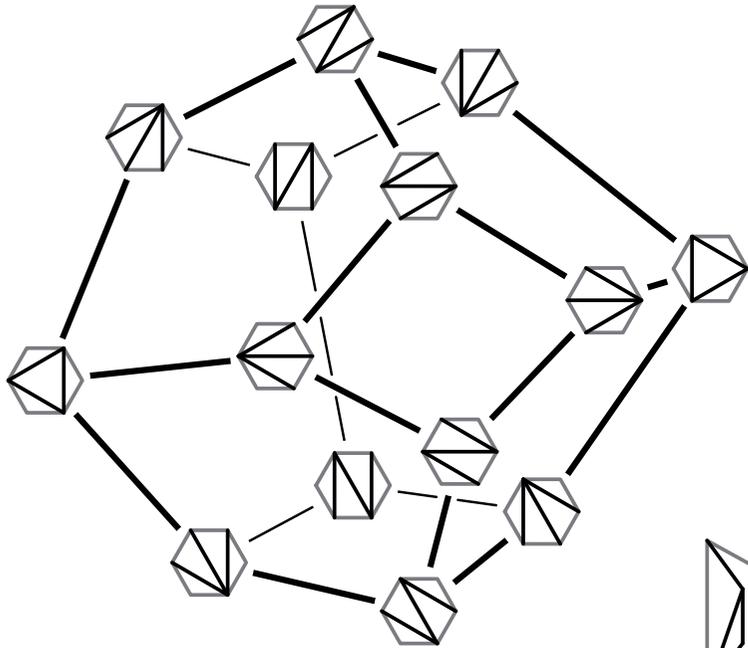


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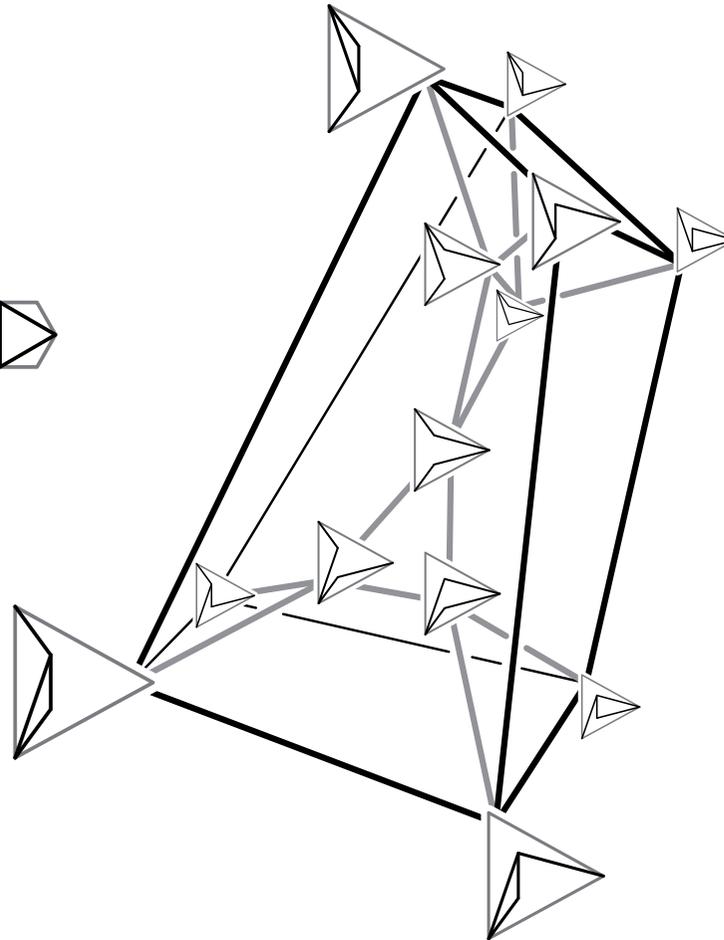
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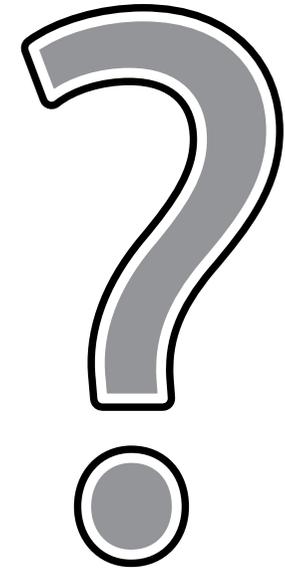
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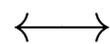
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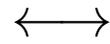


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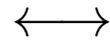
crossing-free sets of internal edges

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$(k + 1)$ -crossing-free sets of  $k$ -internal edges

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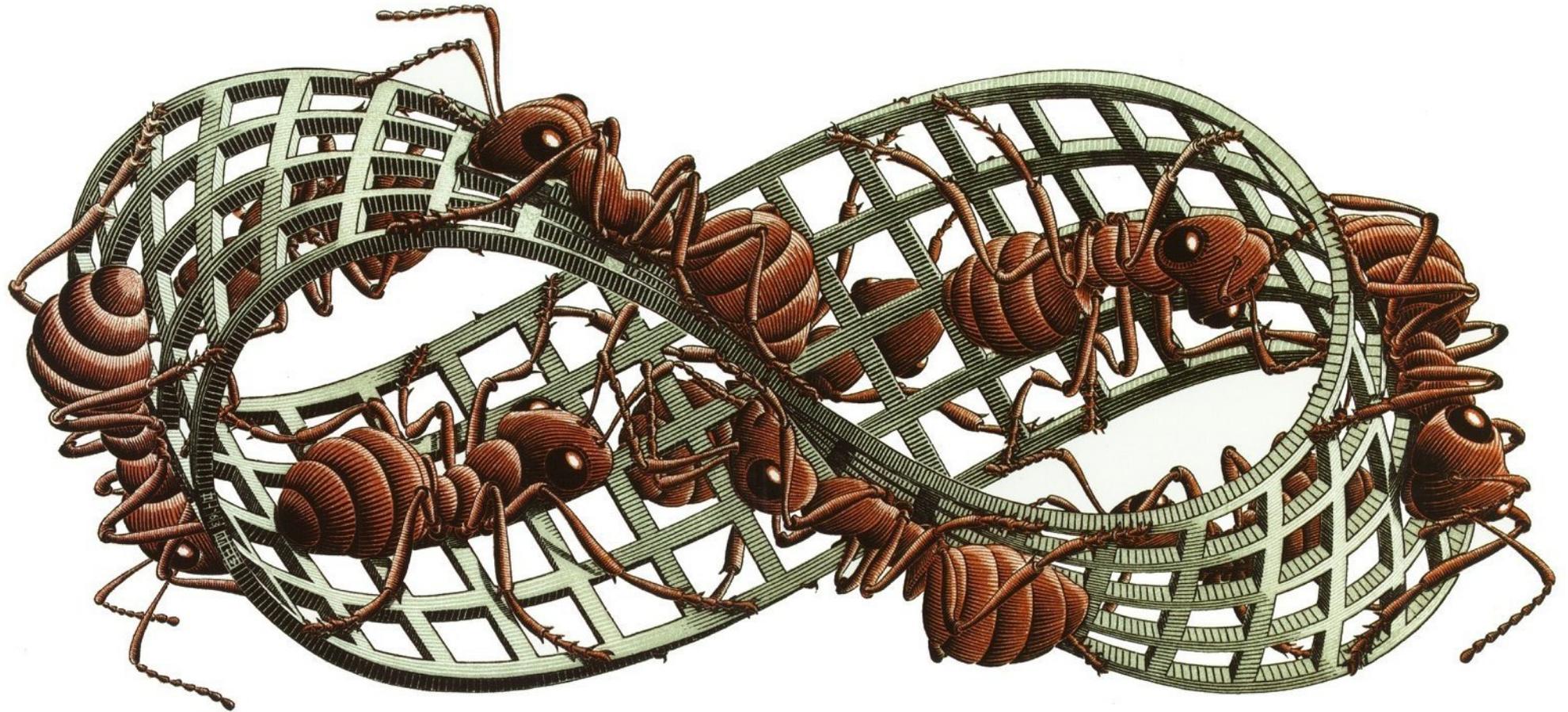
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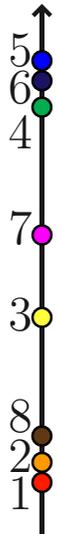
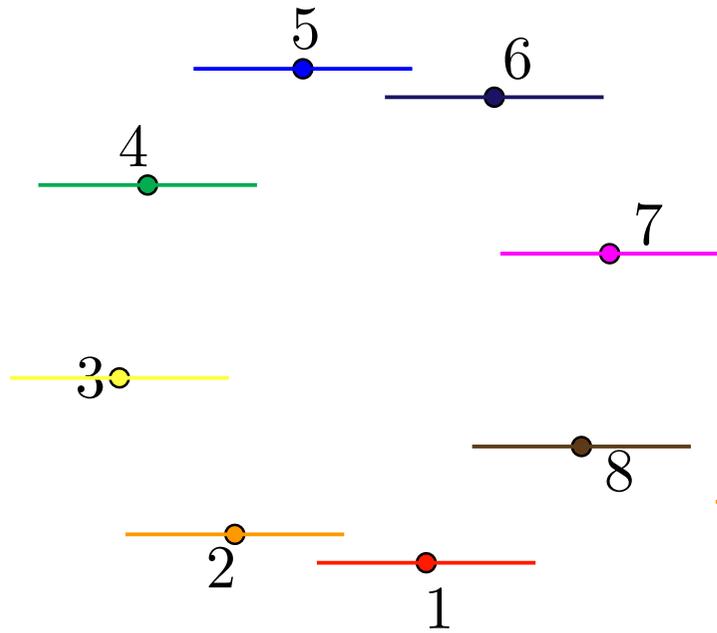
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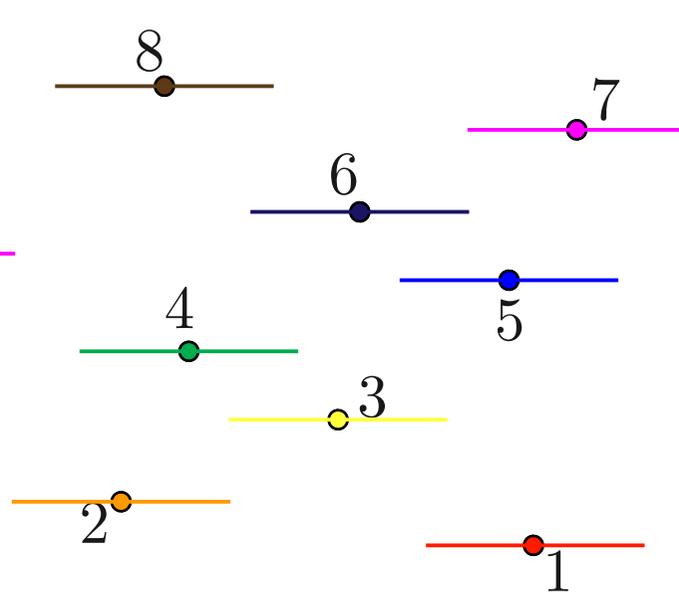


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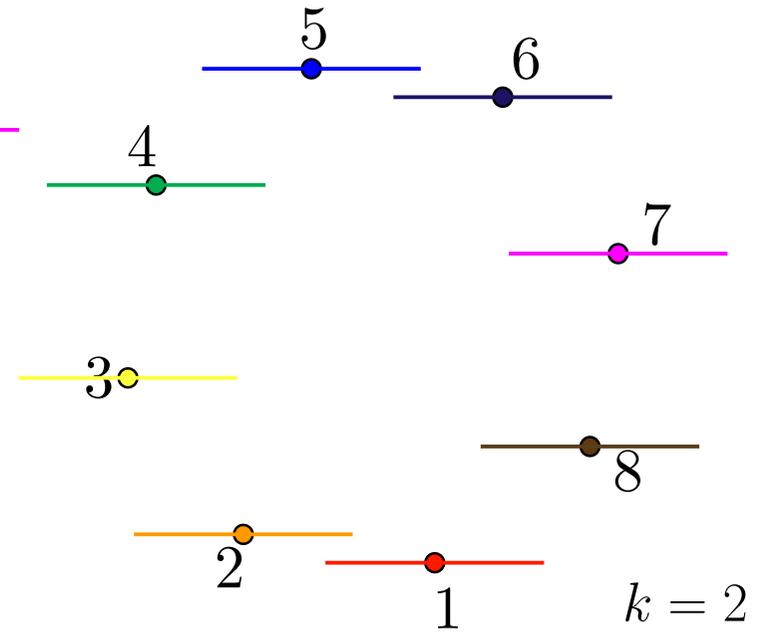
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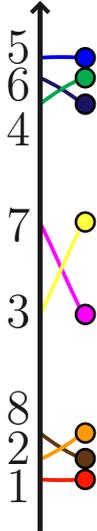
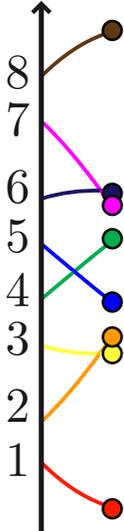
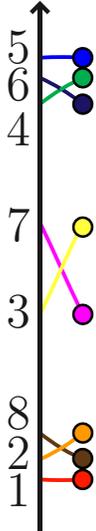
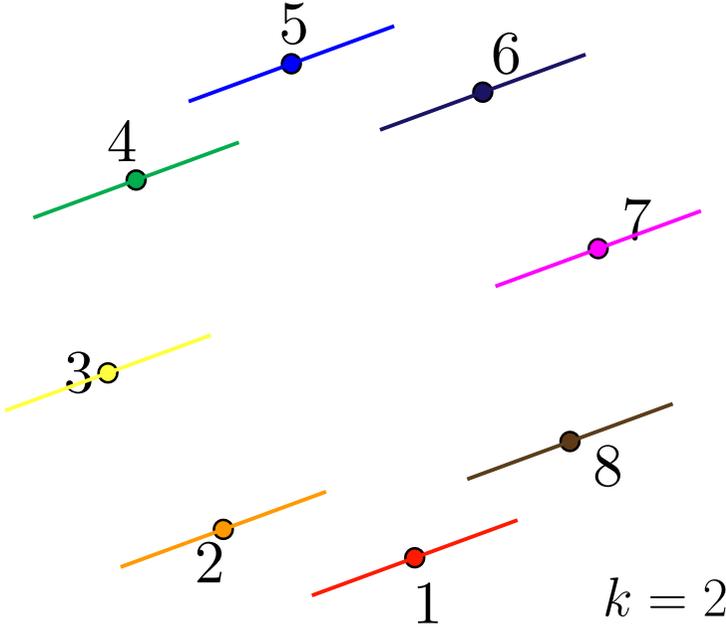
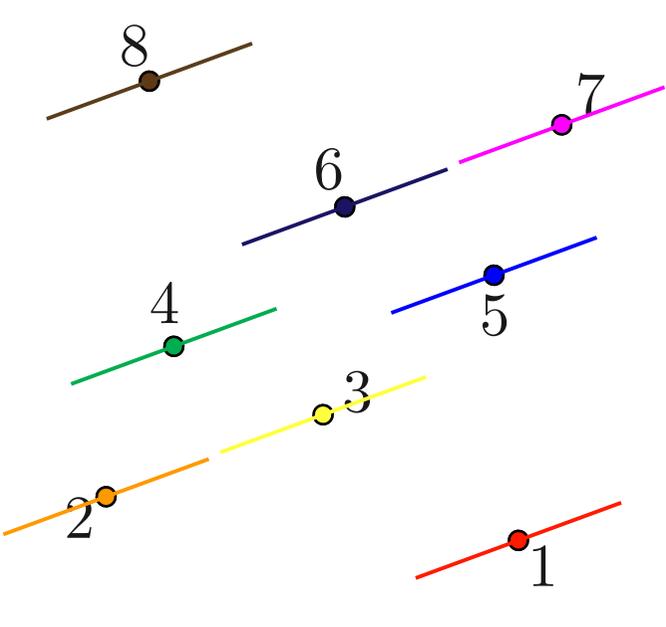
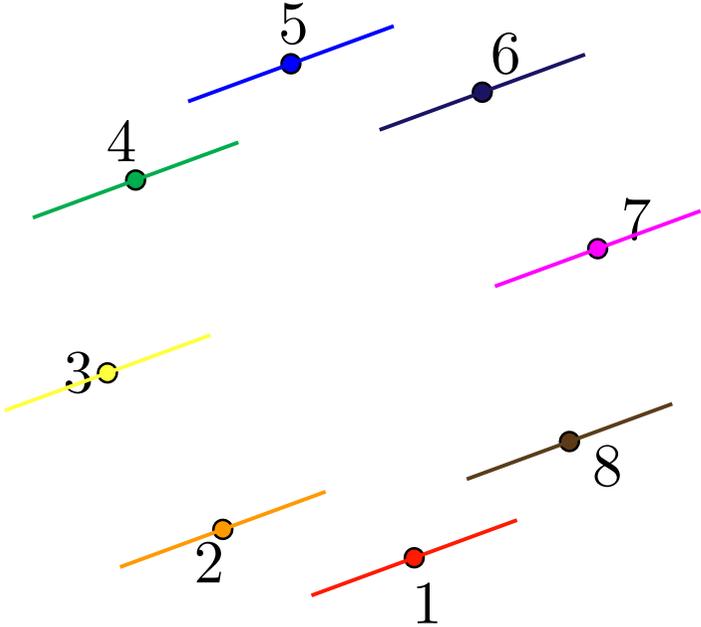


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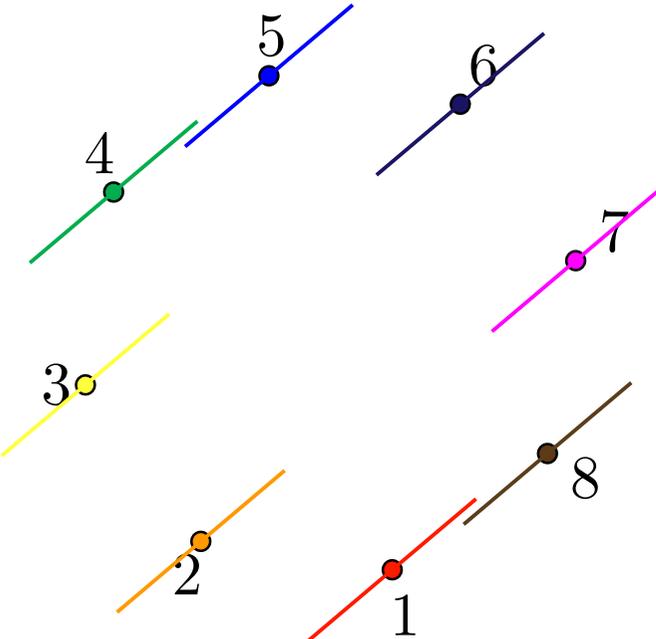
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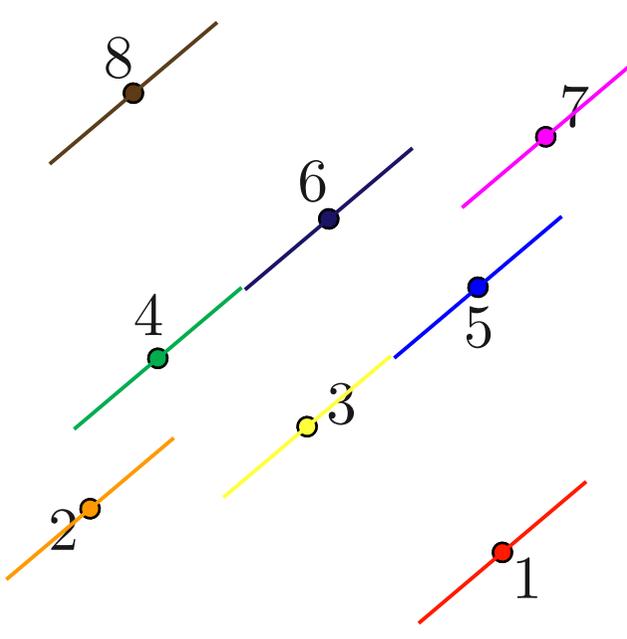
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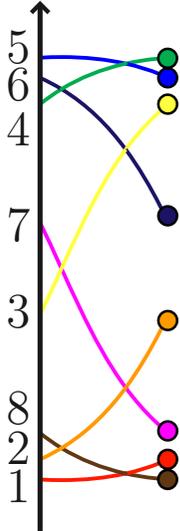
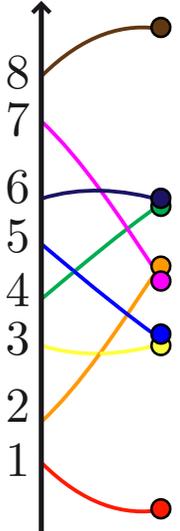
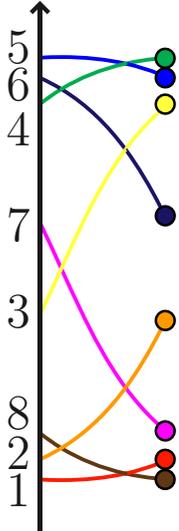
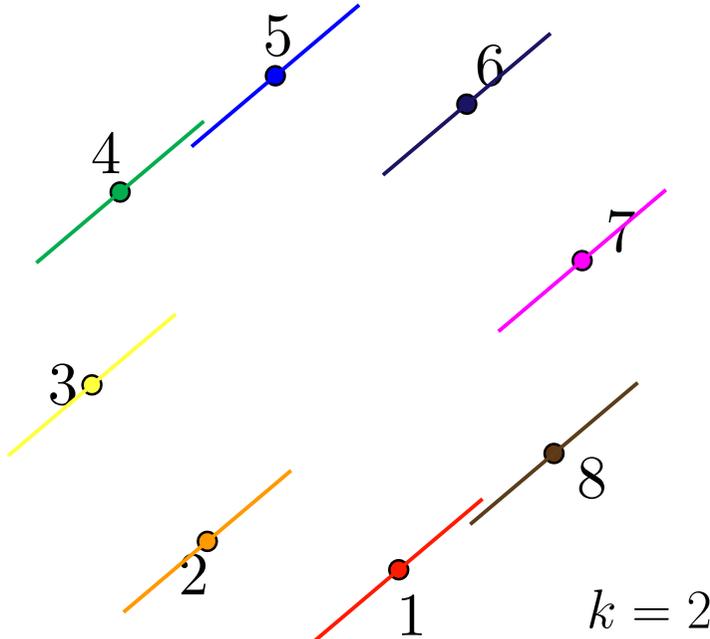
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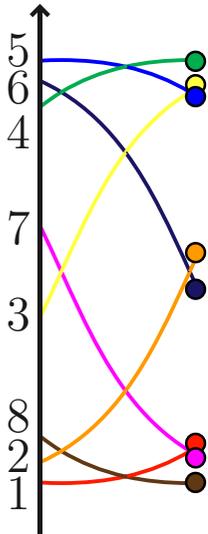
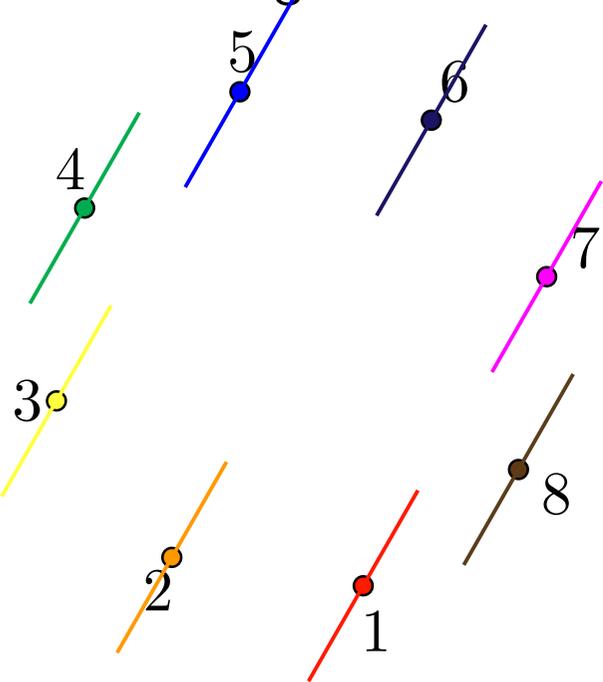
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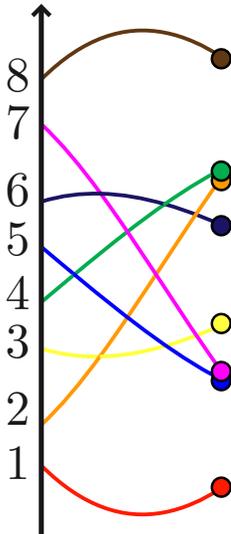
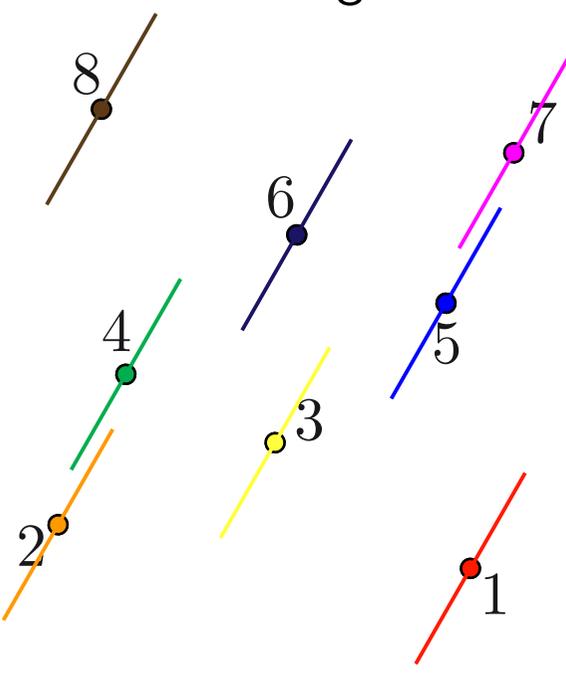
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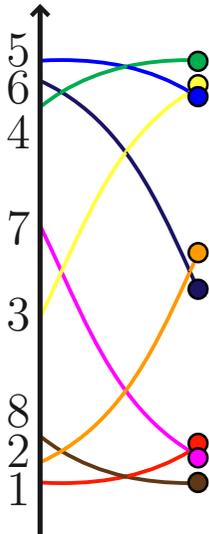
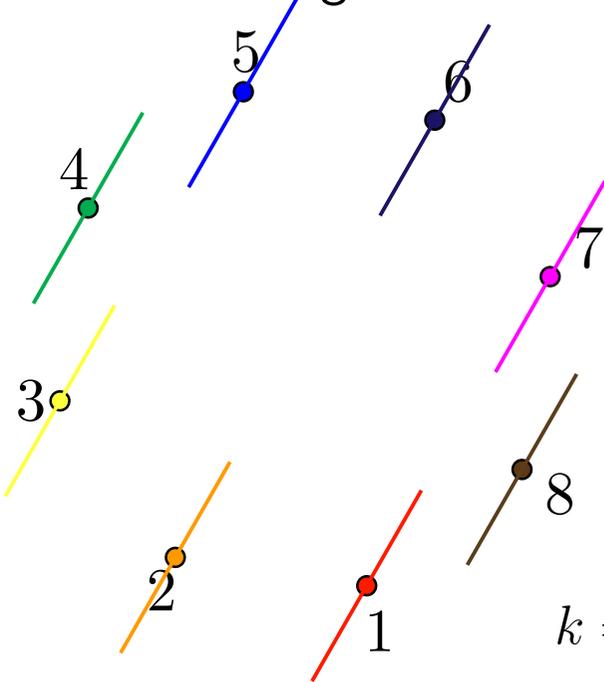
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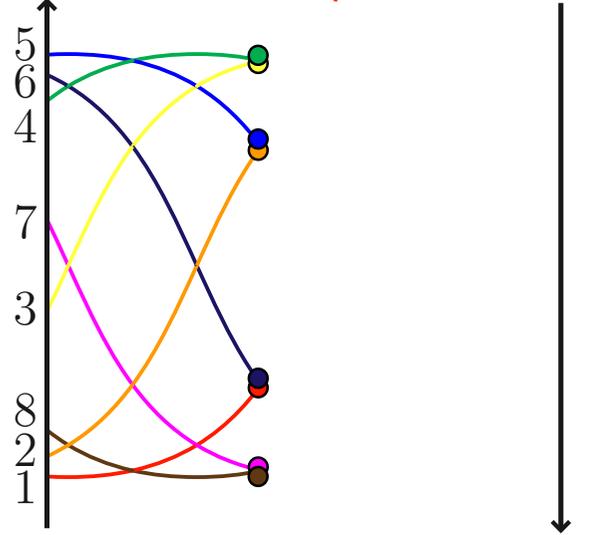
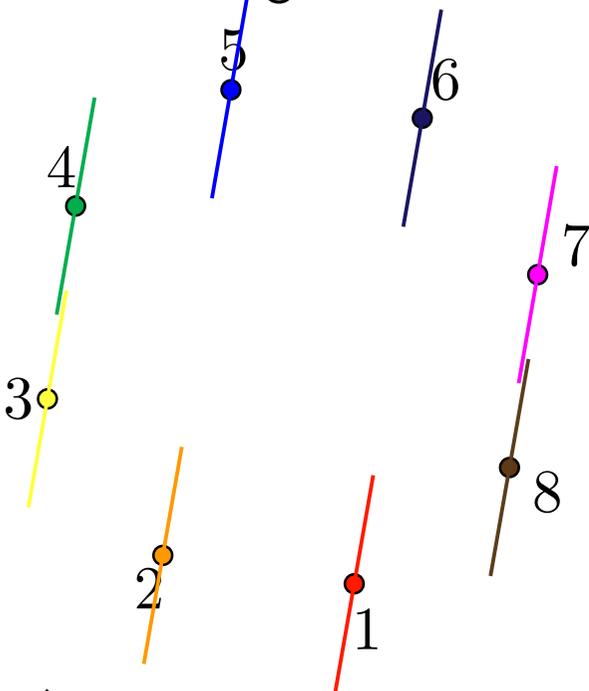
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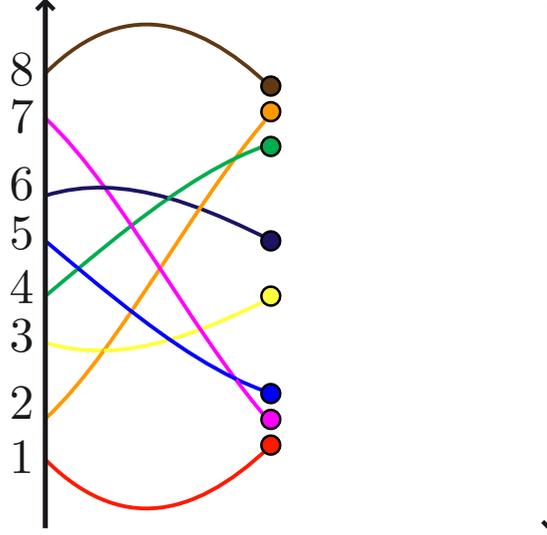
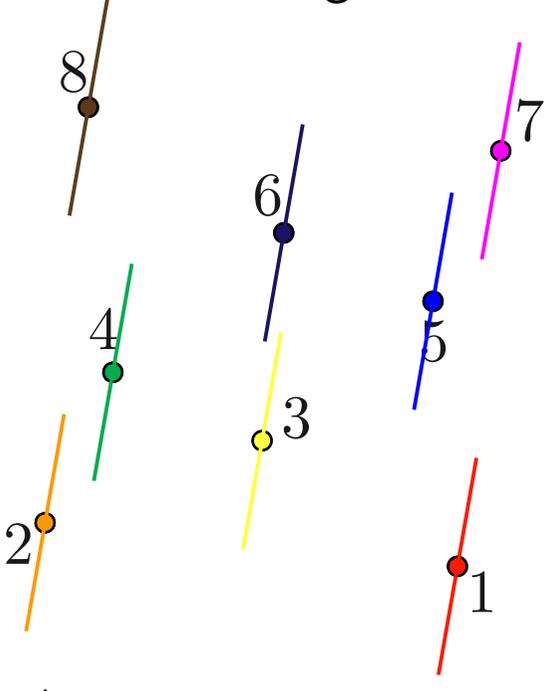
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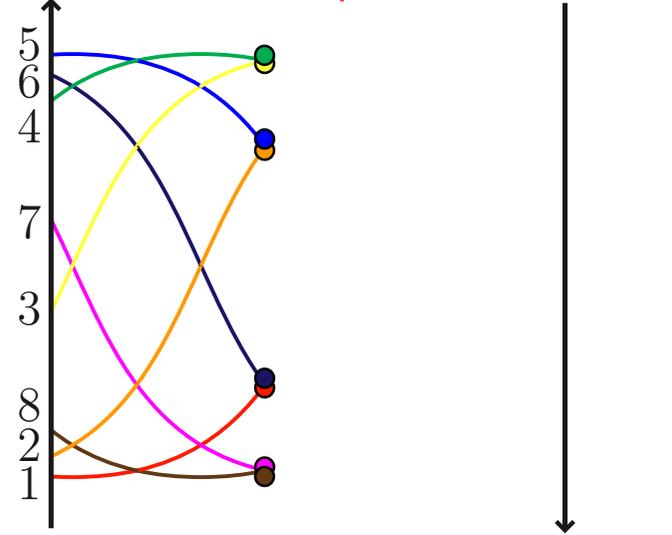
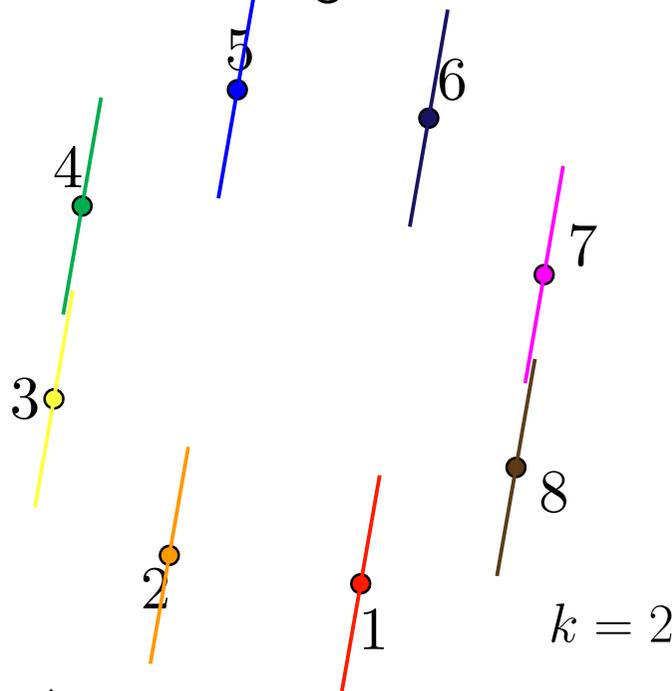
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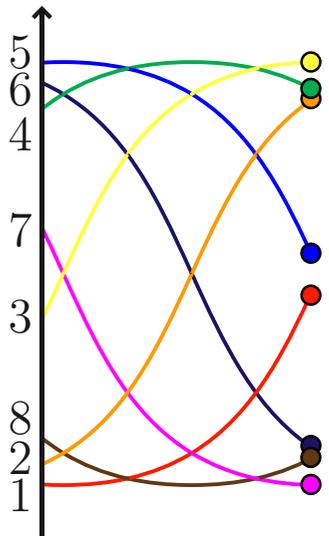
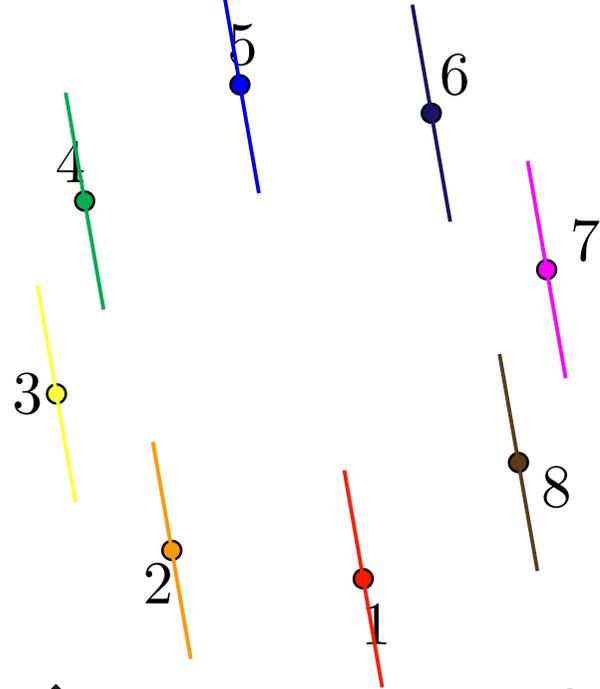


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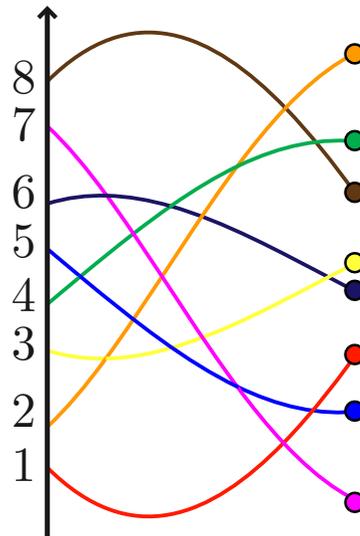
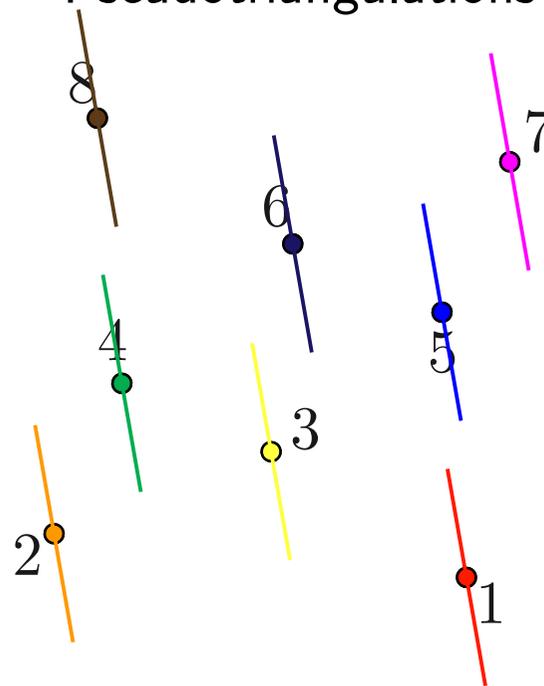


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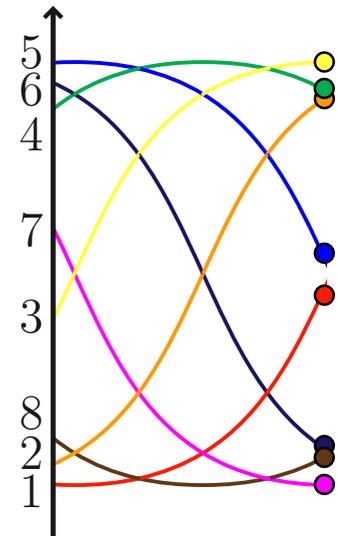
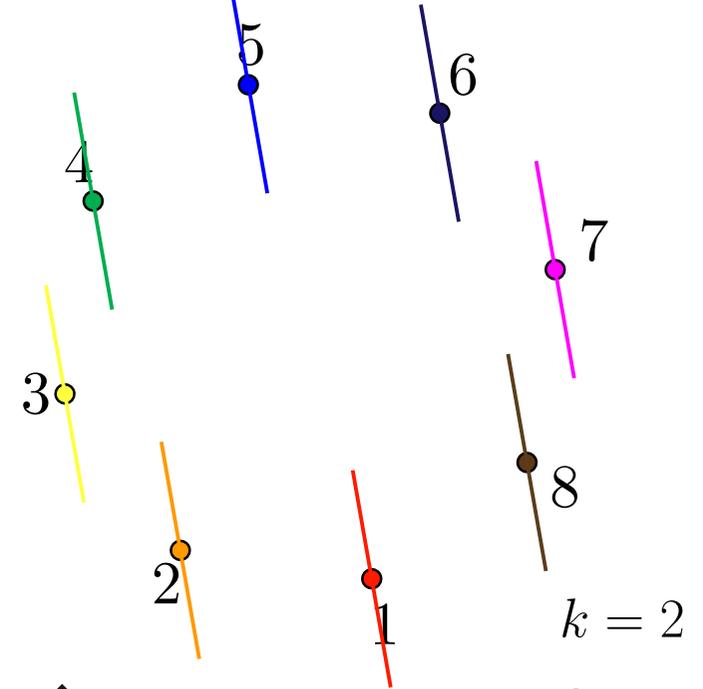
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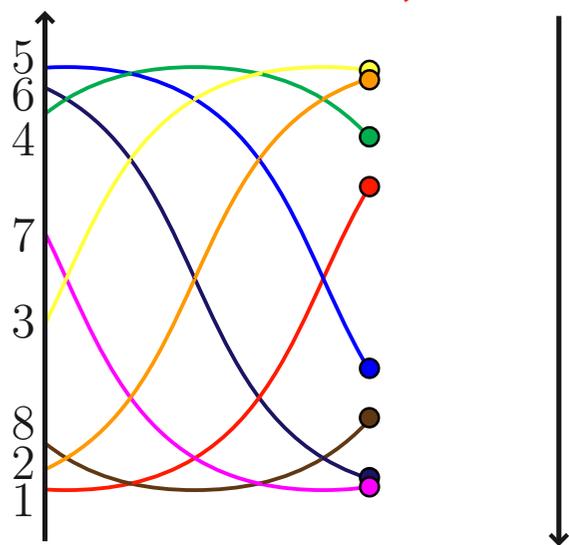
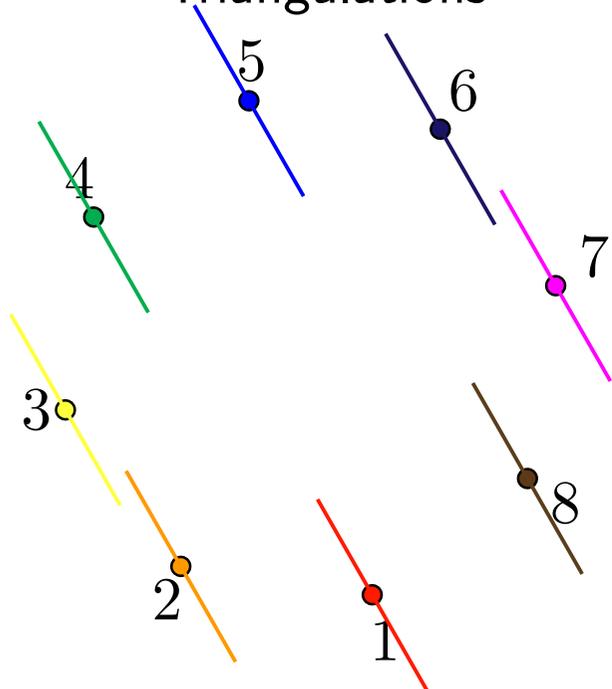


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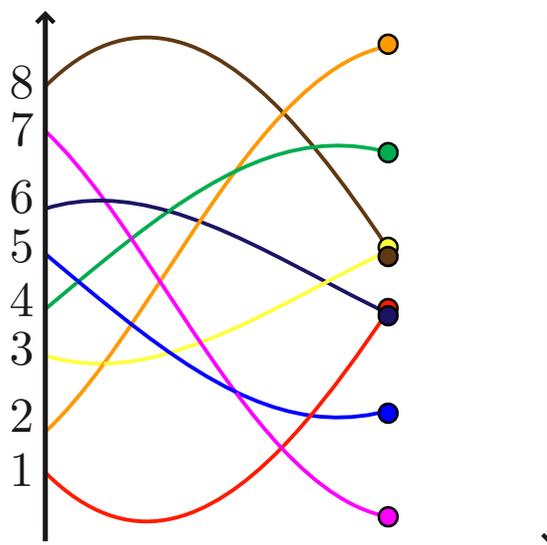
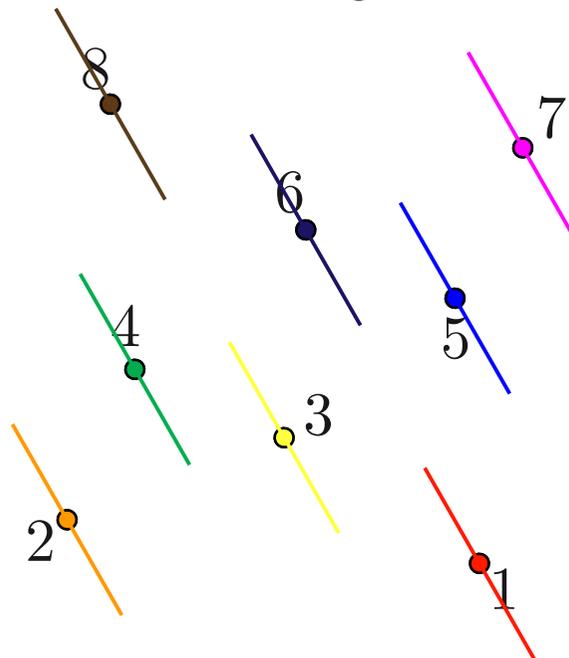


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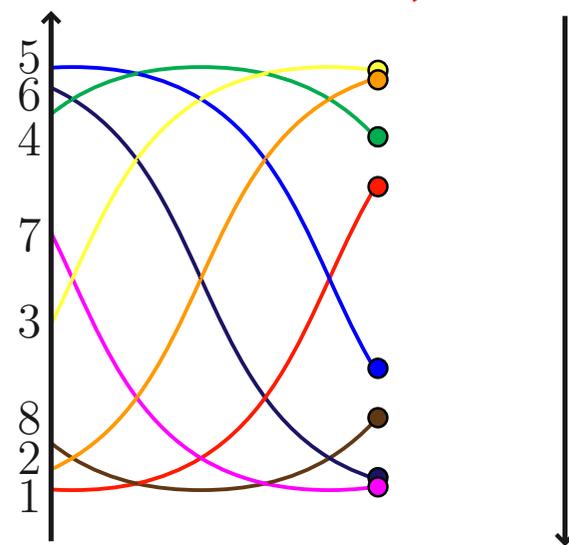
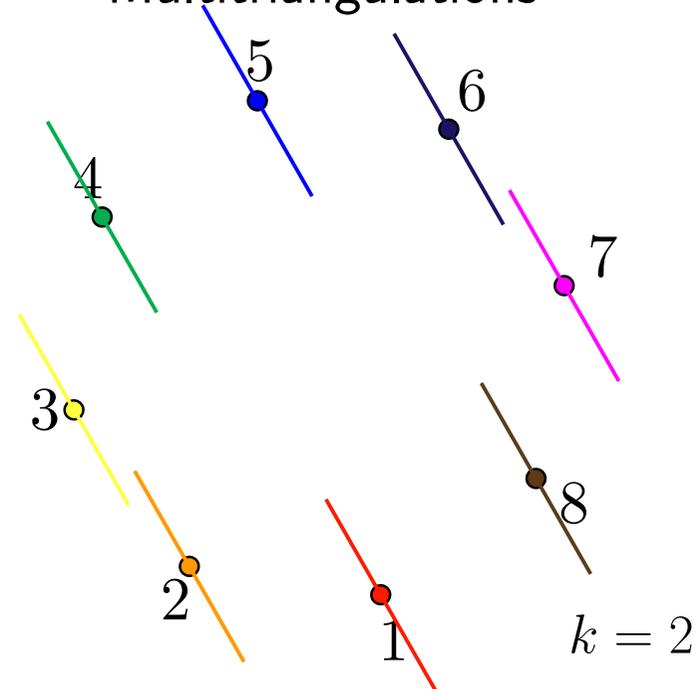
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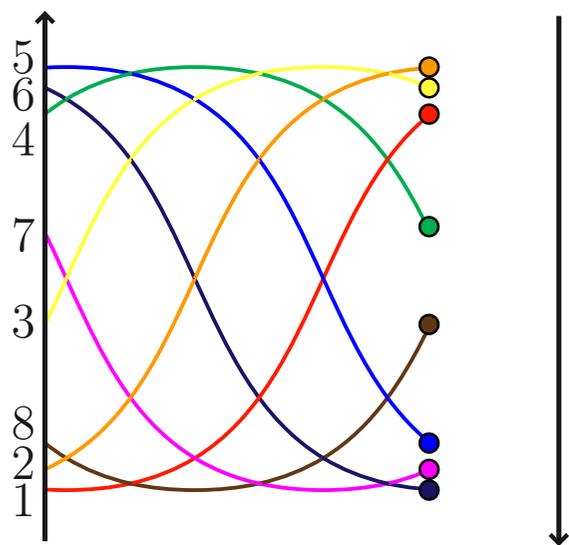
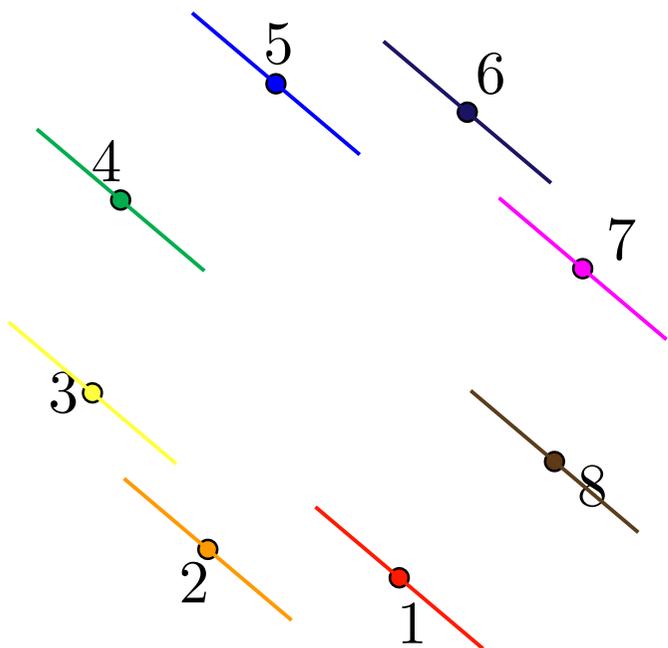


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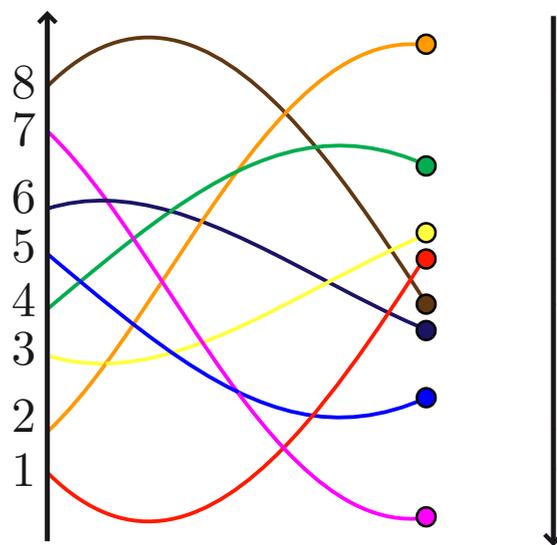
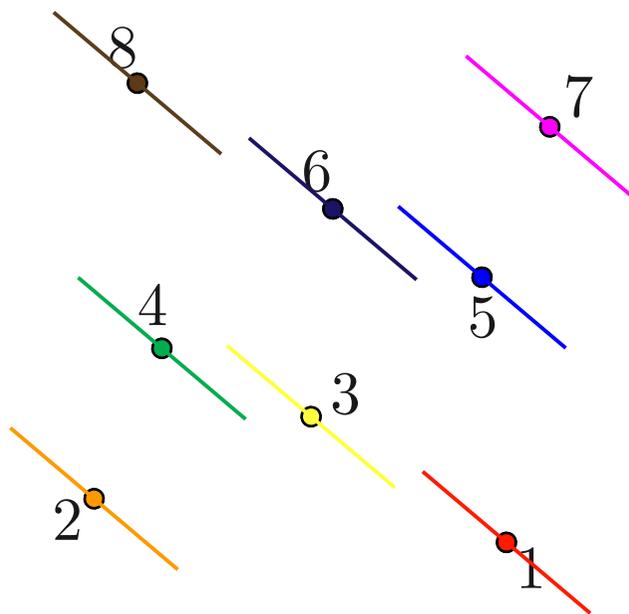


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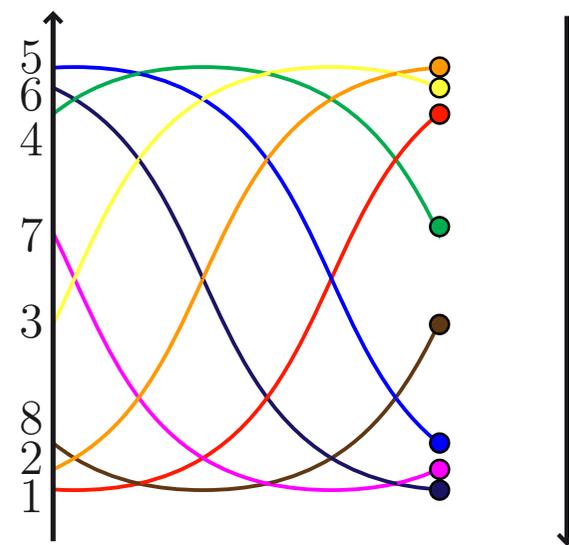
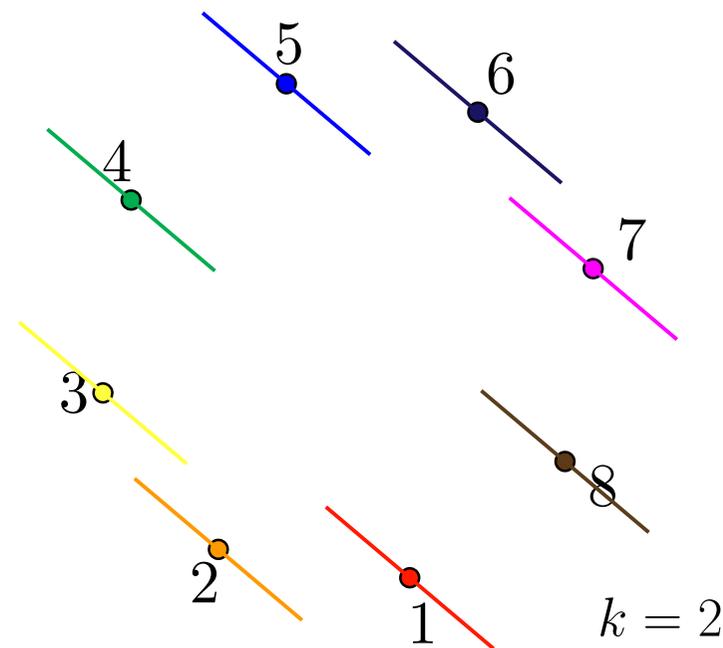
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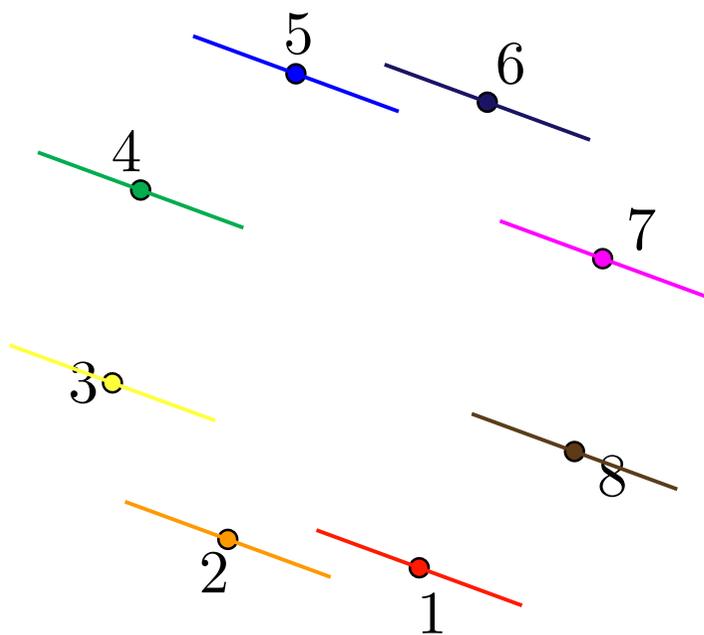
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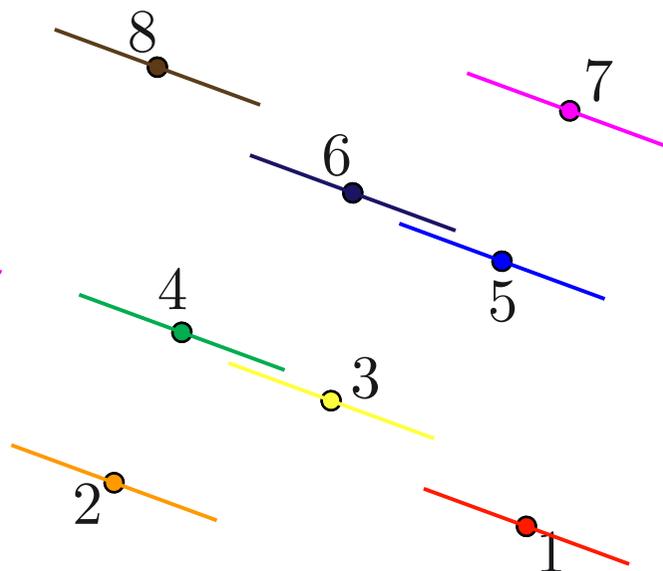
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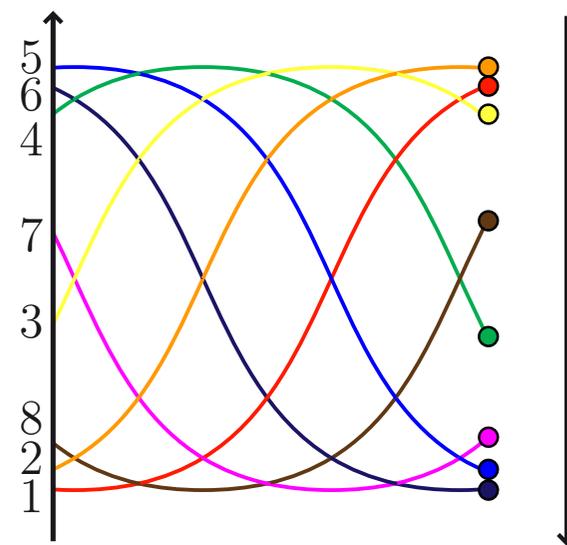
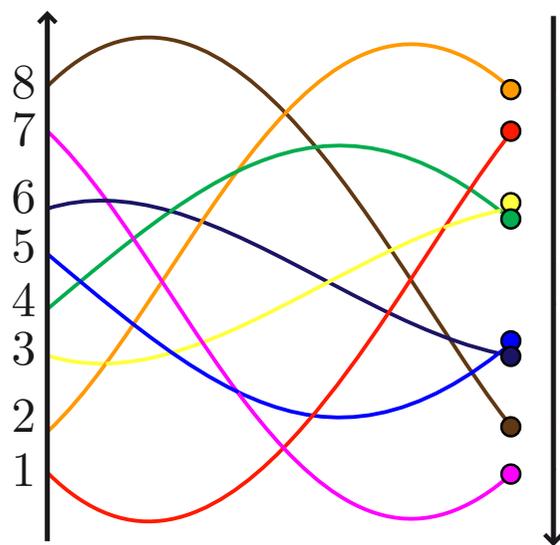
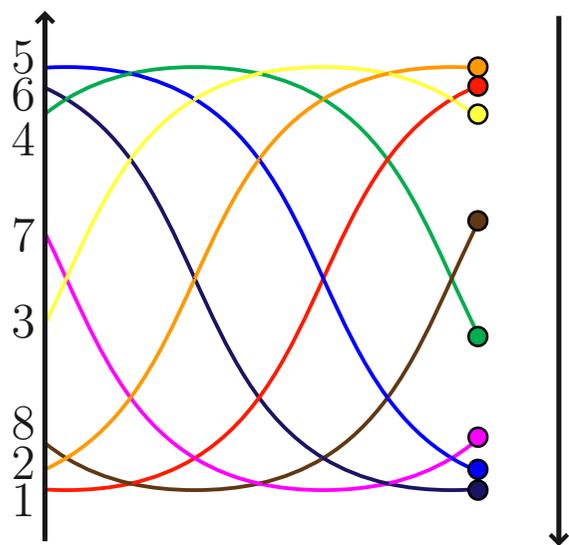
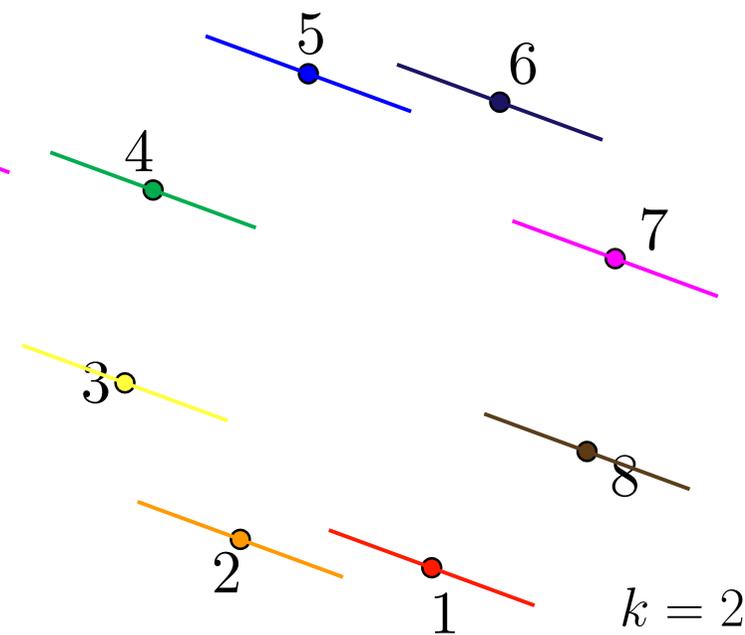
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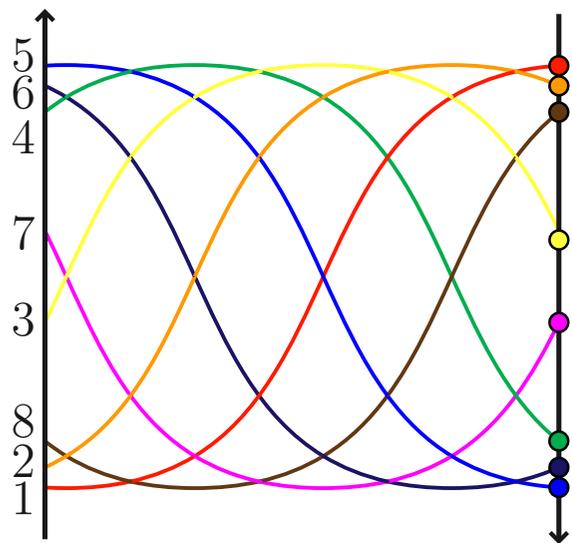
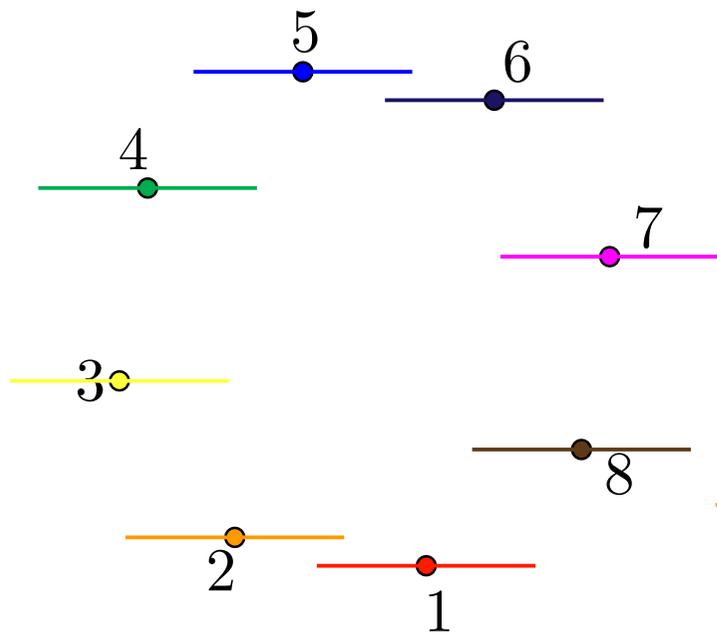


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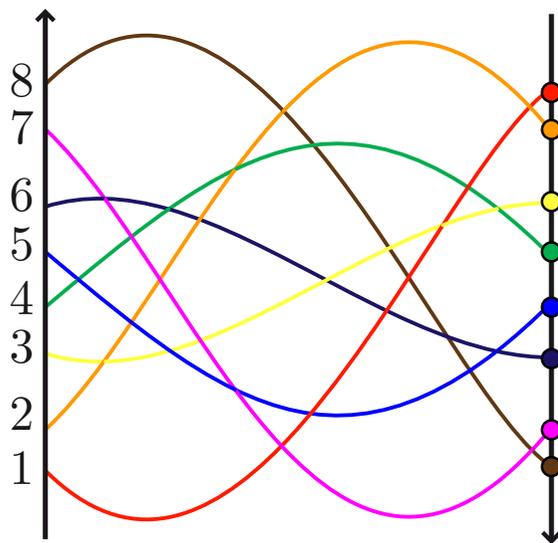
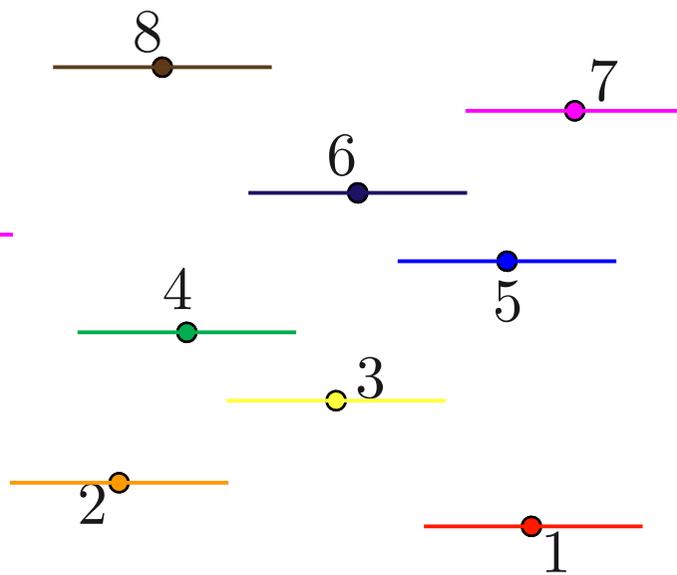


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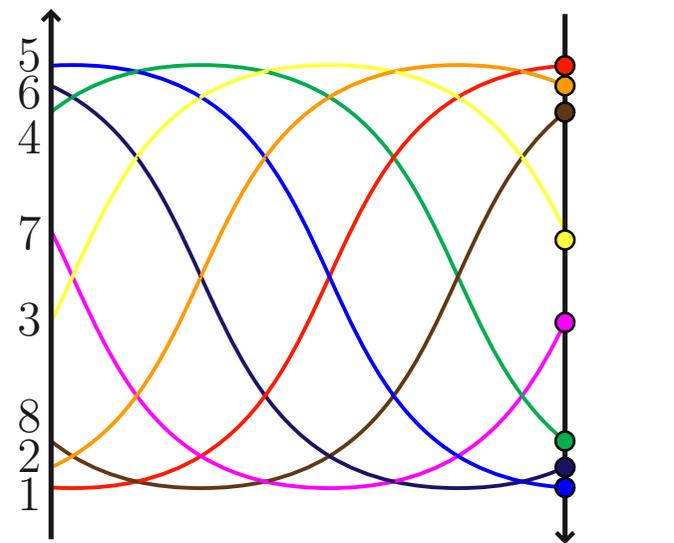
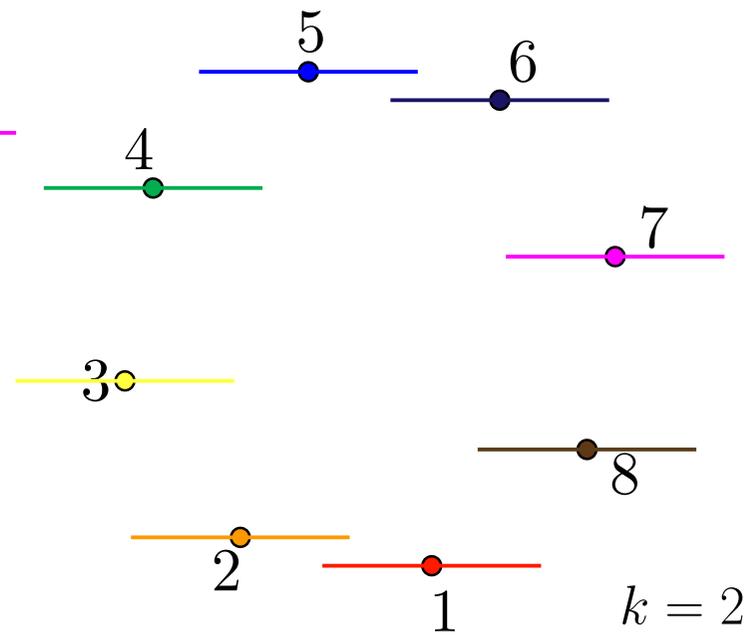
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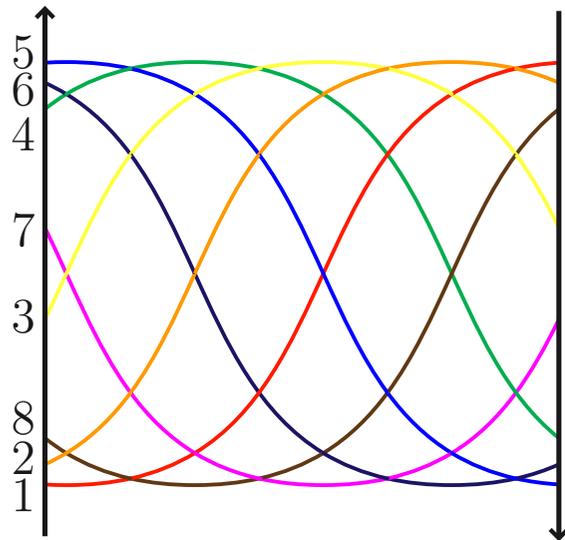
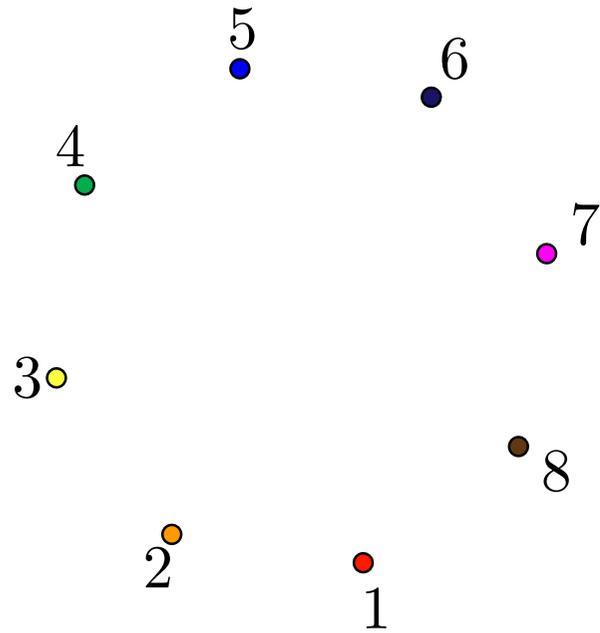


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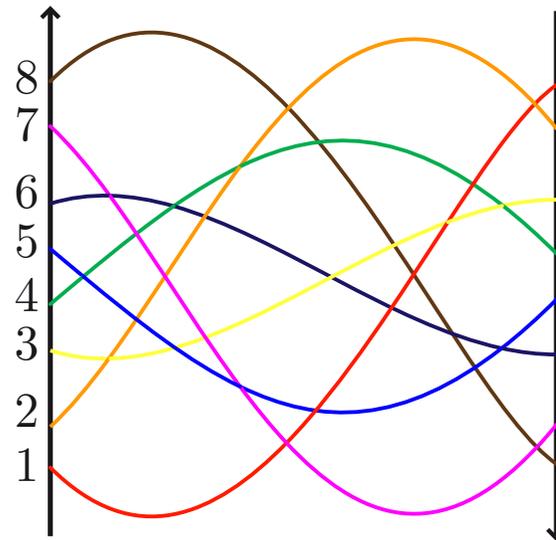
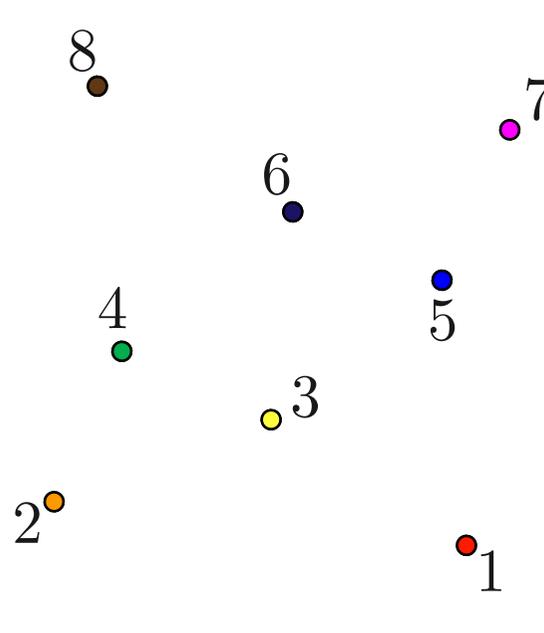


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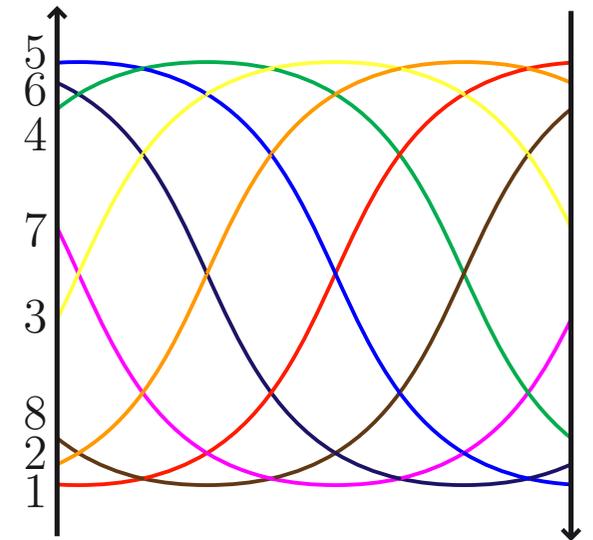
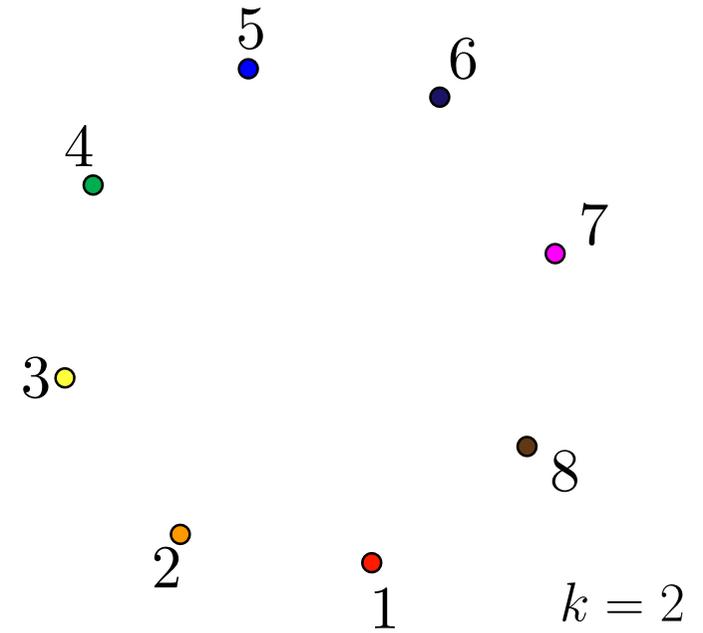
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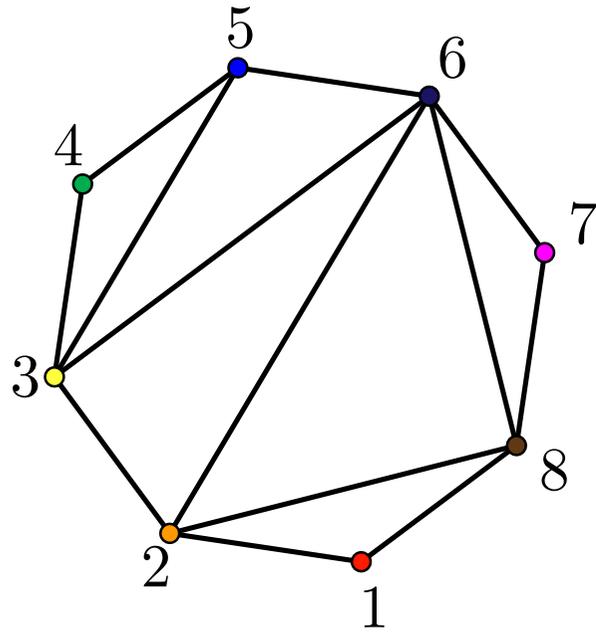


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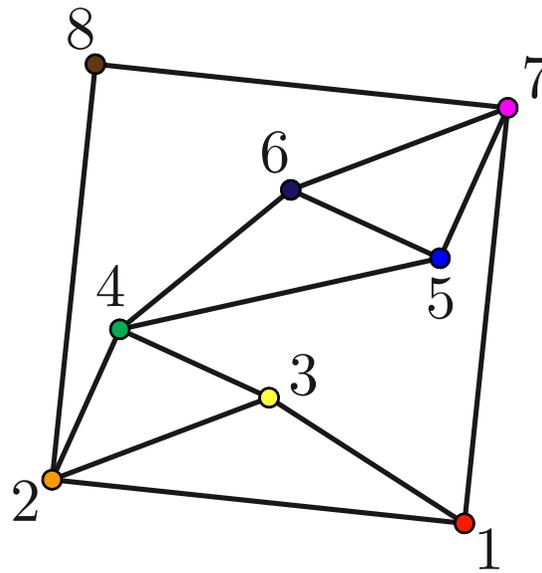


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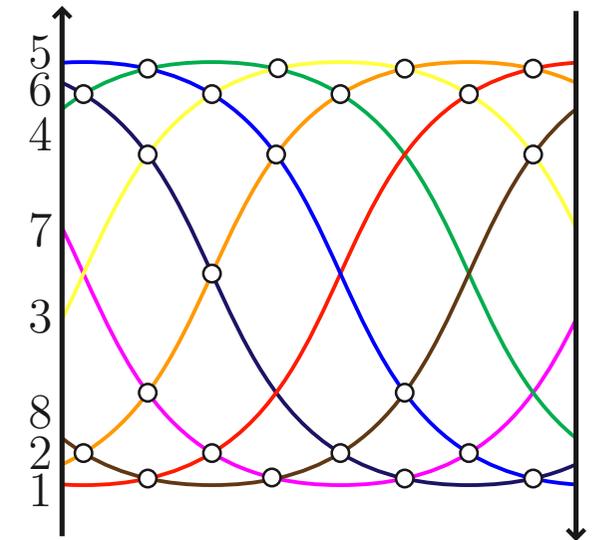
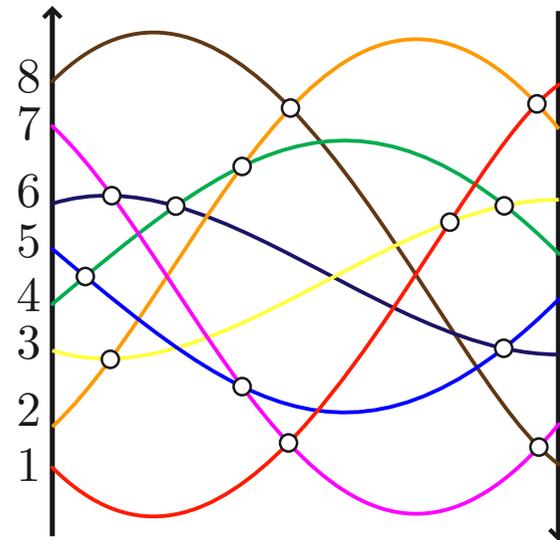
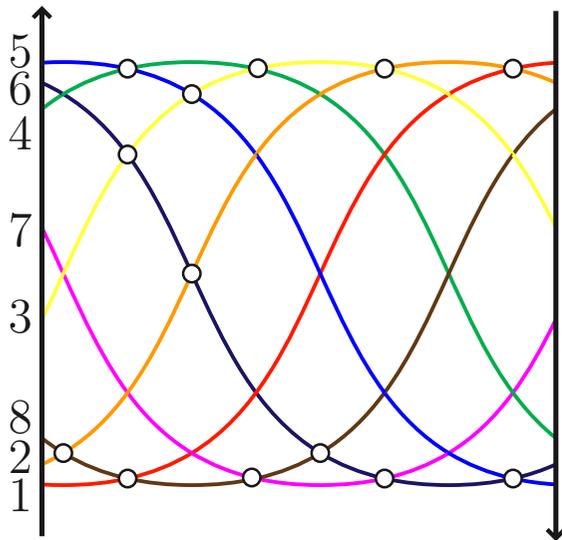
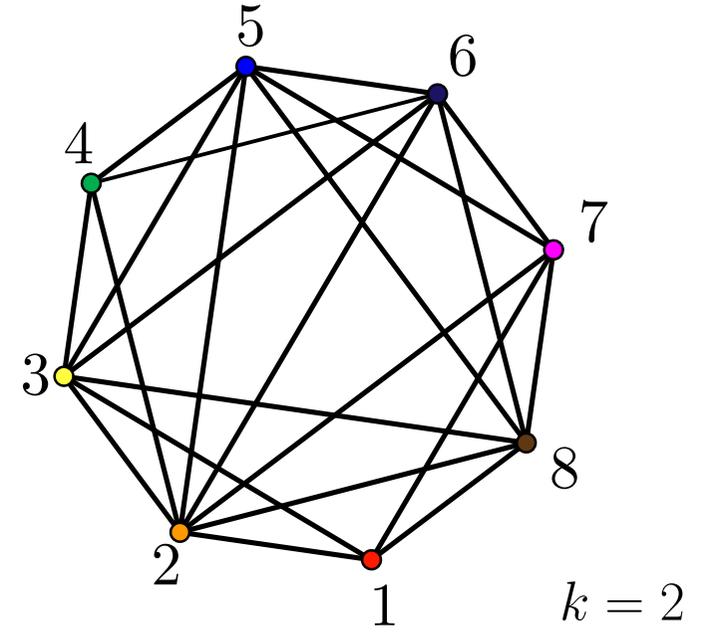
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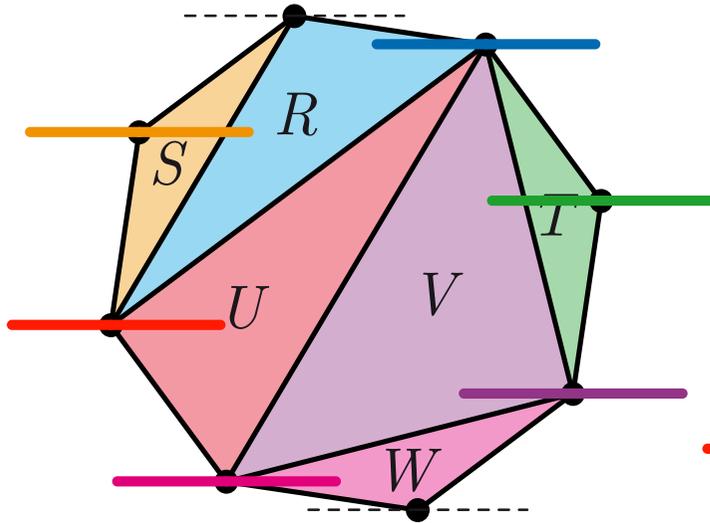


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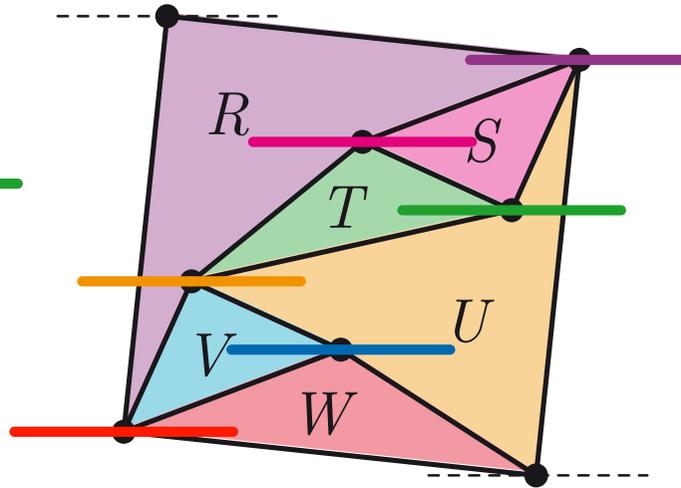


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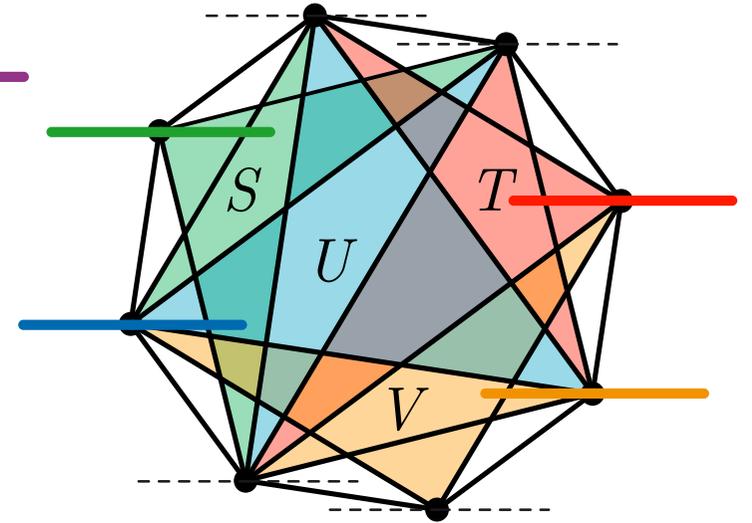
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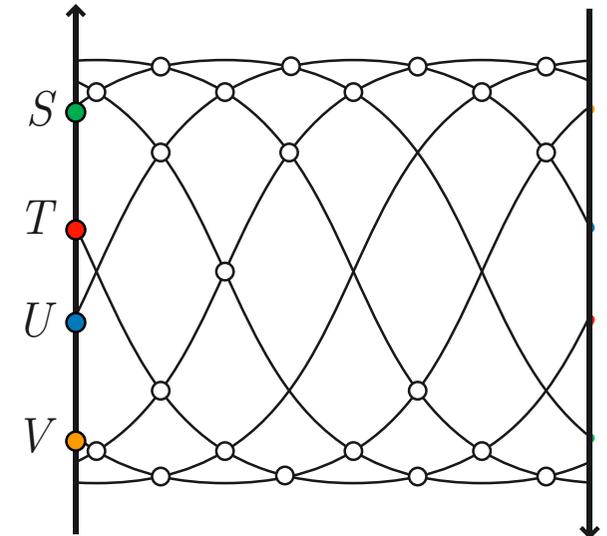
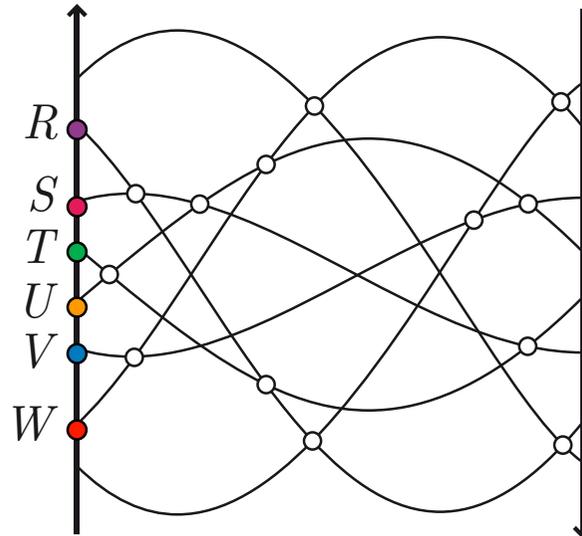
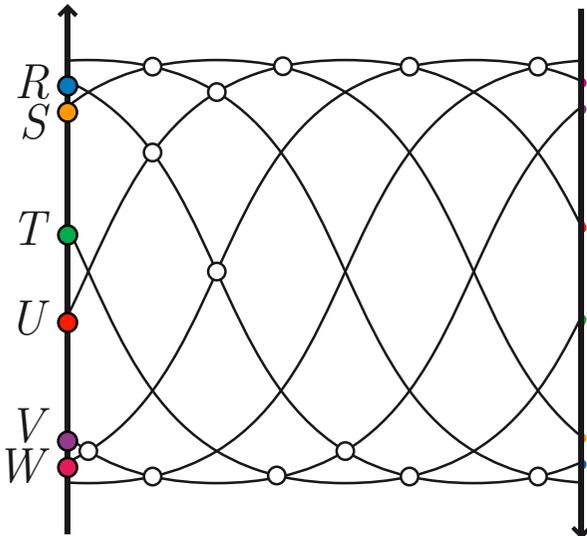
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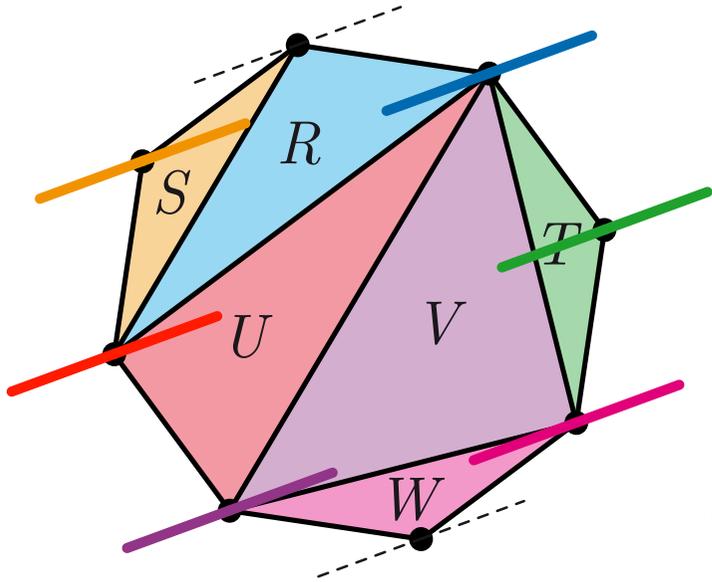


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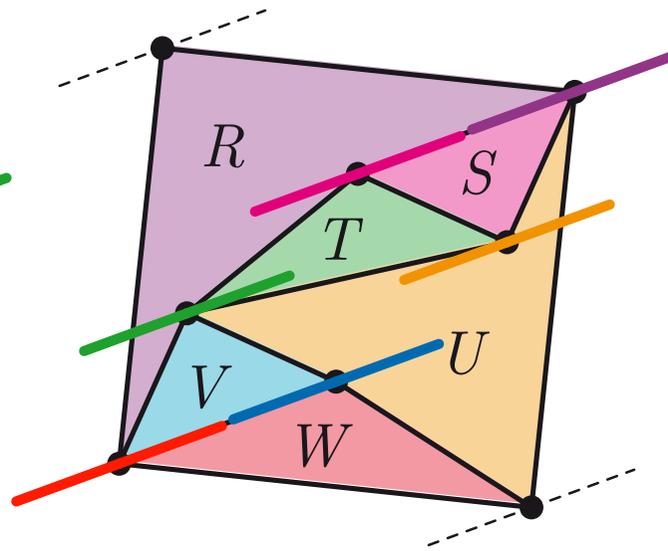


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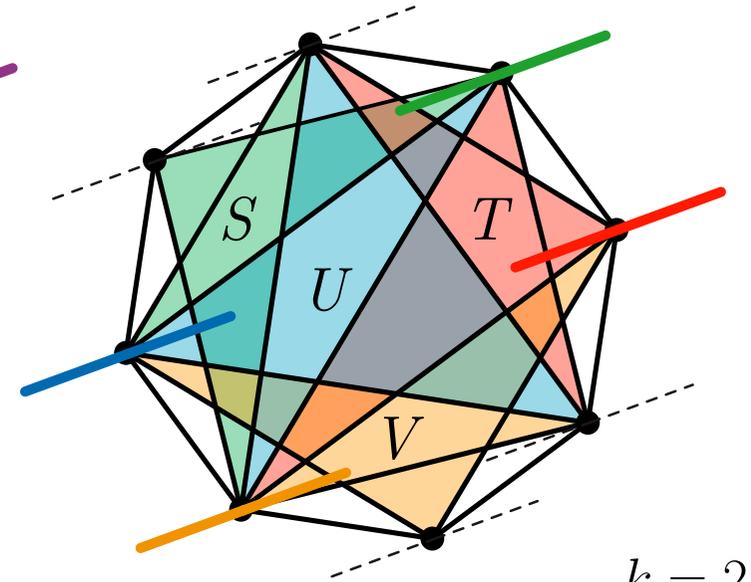
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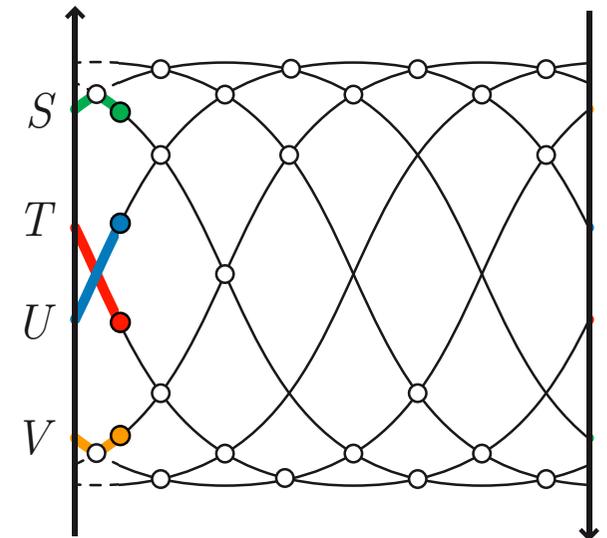
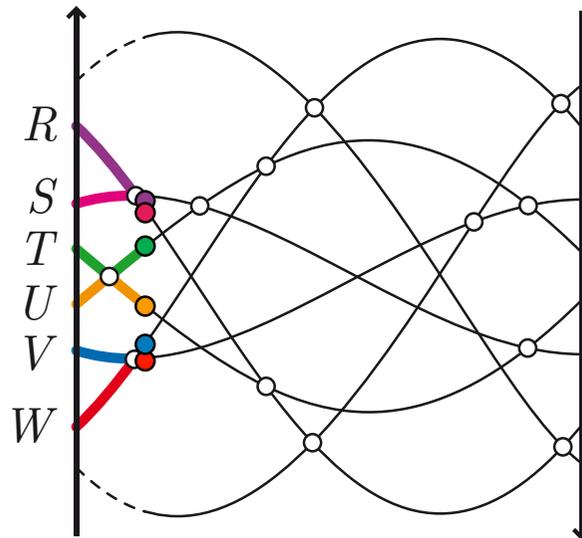
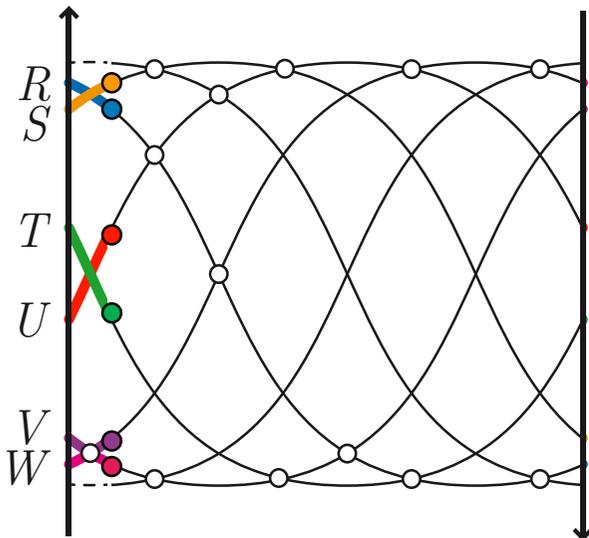
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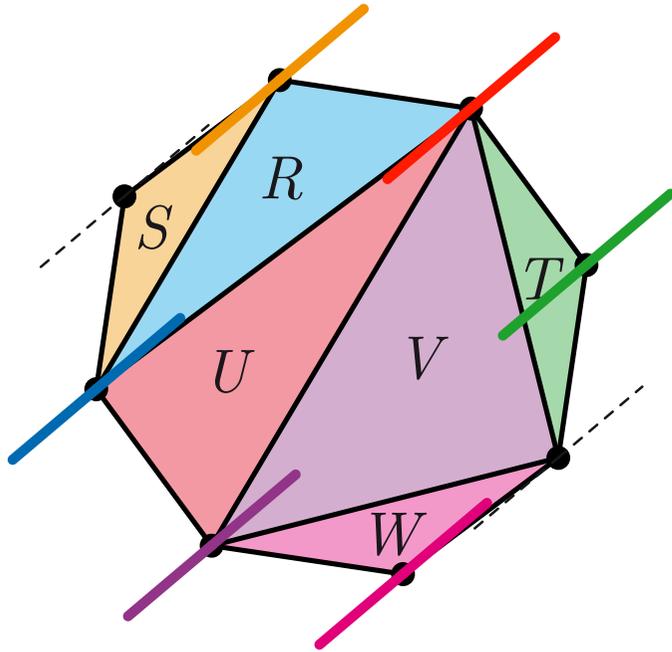


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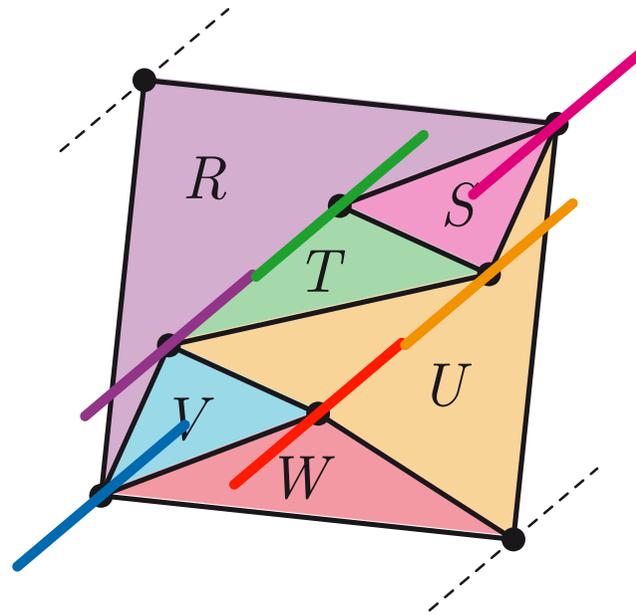


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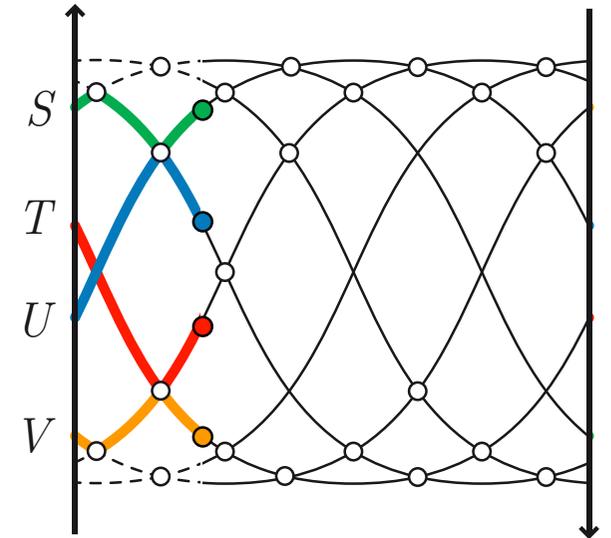
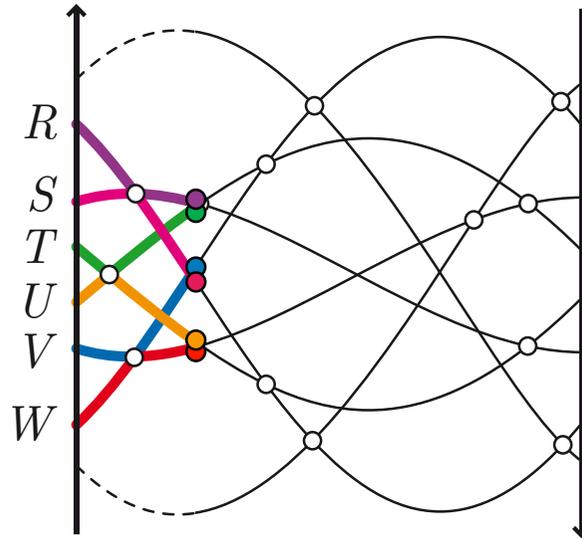
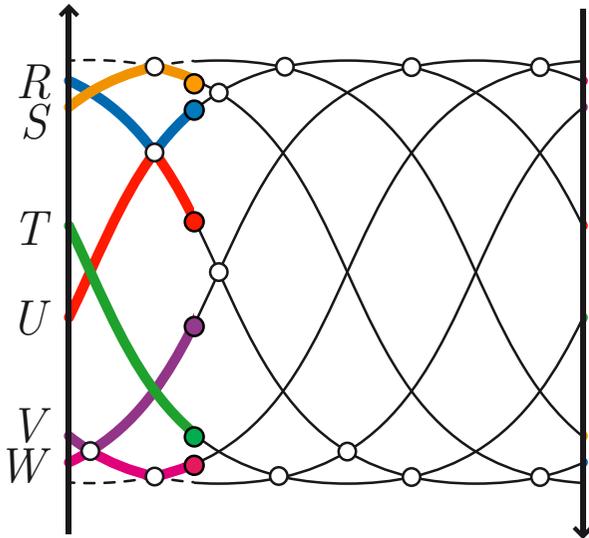
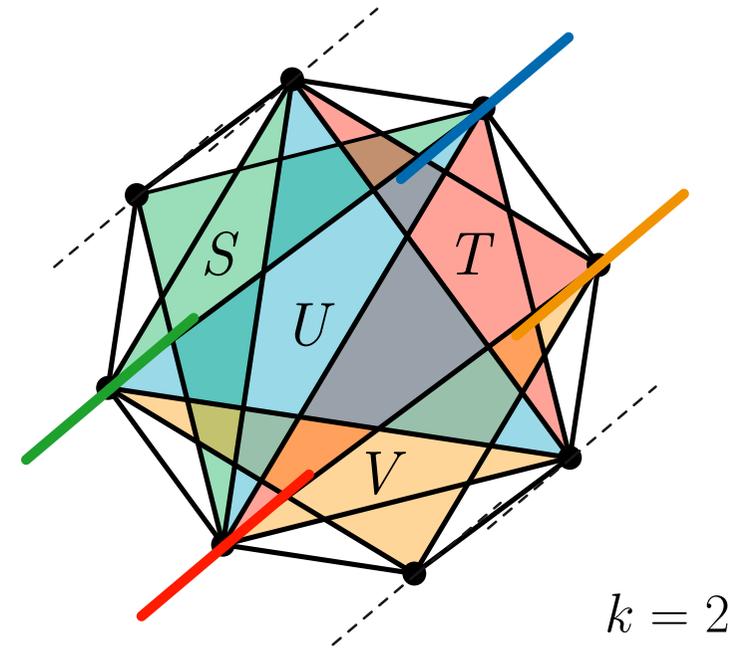
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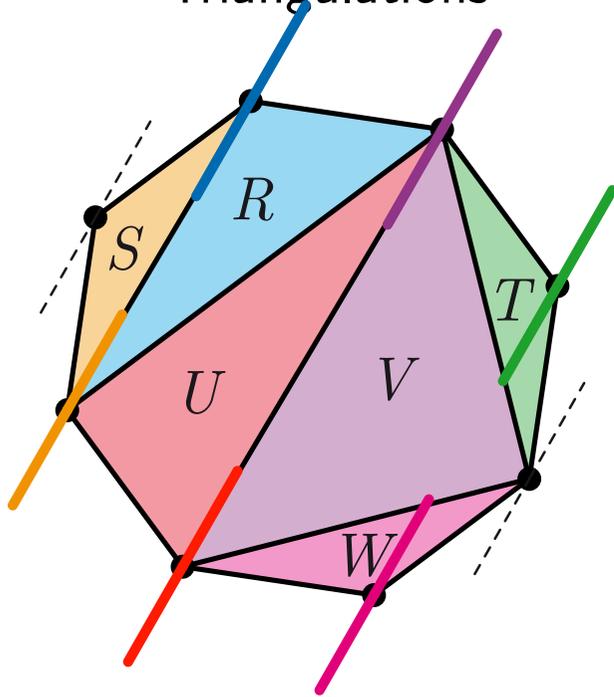


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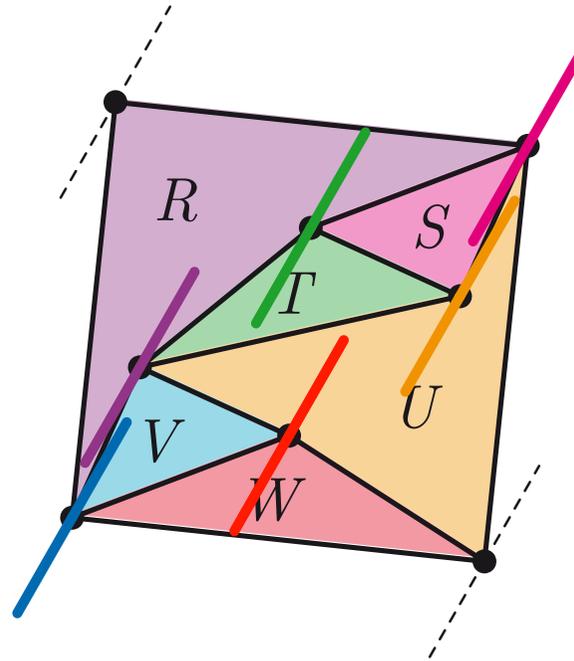


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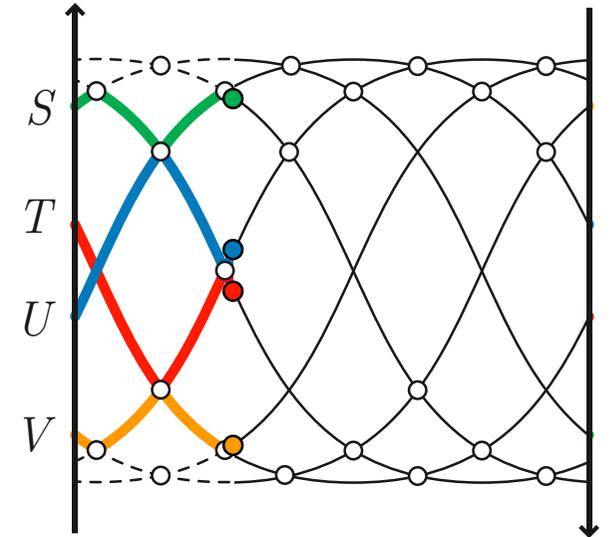
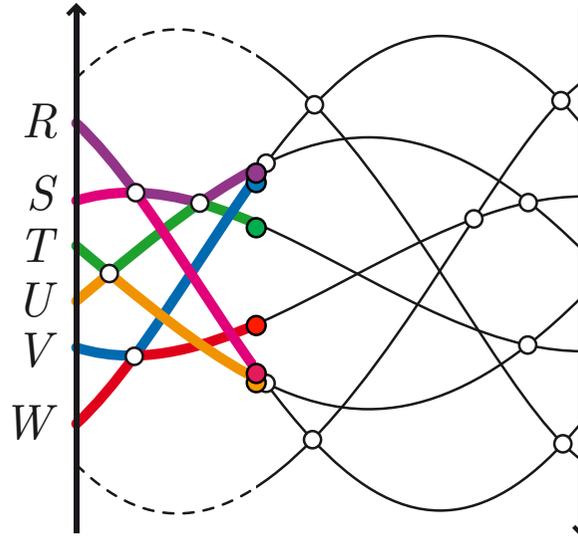
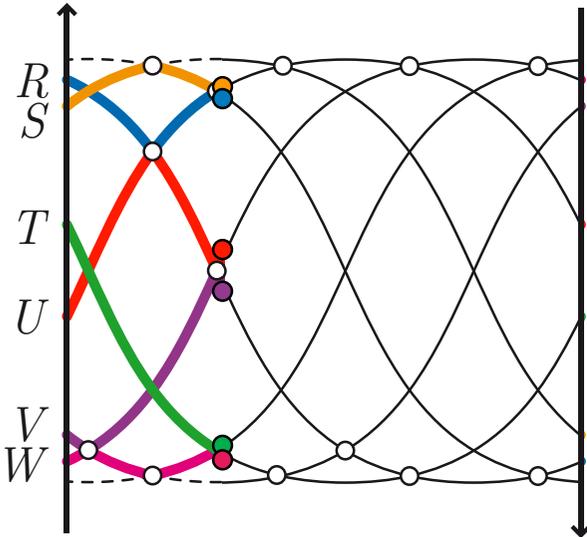
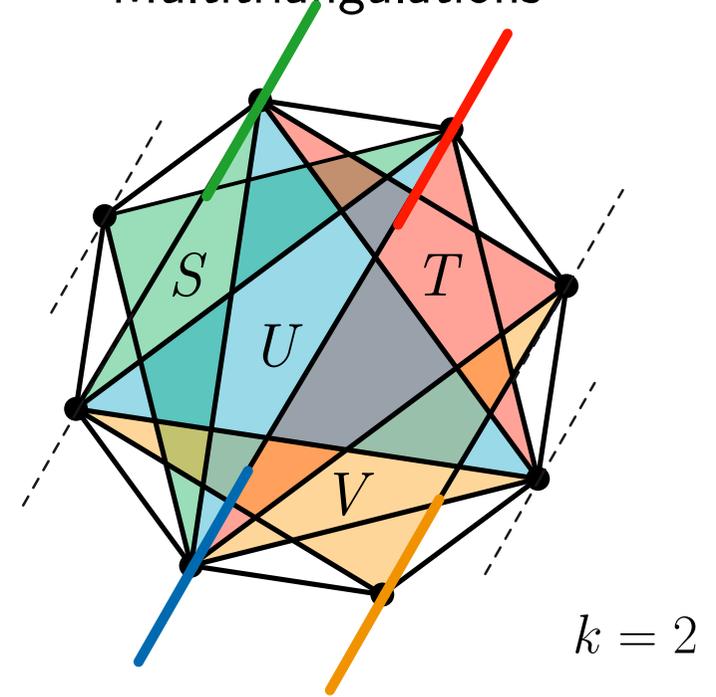
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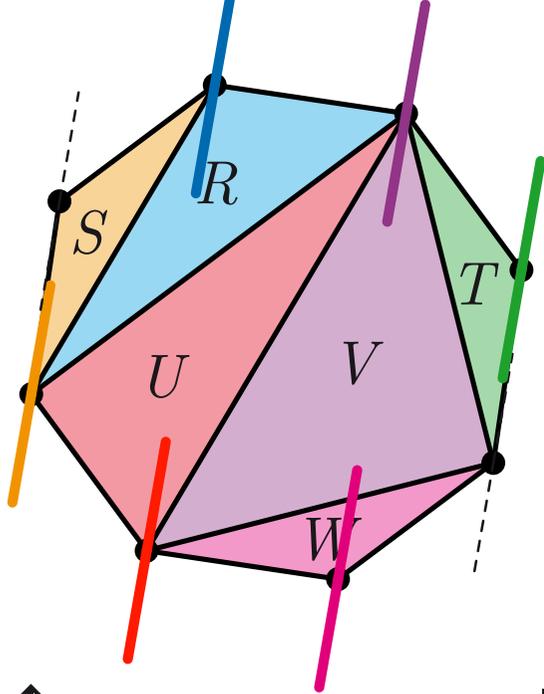


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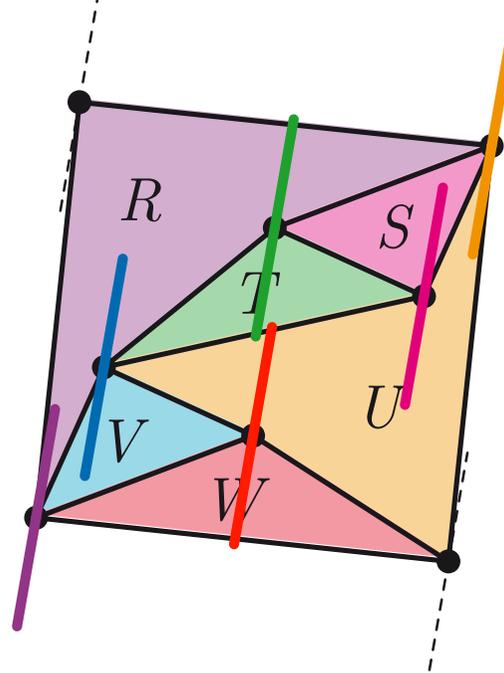


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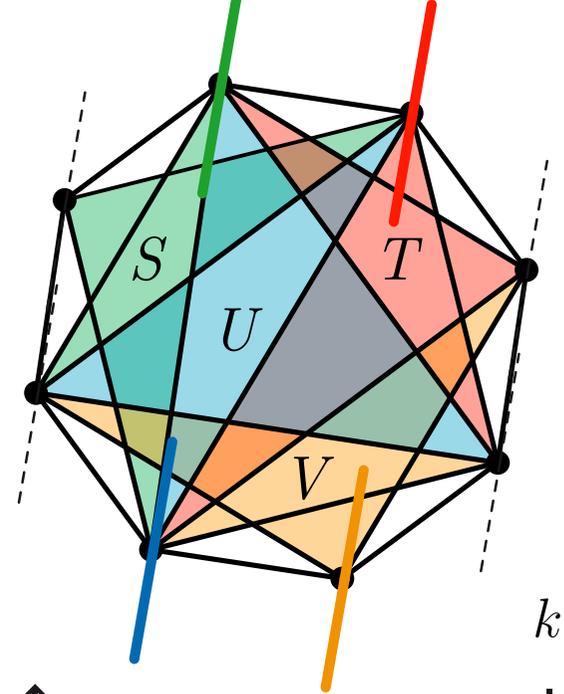
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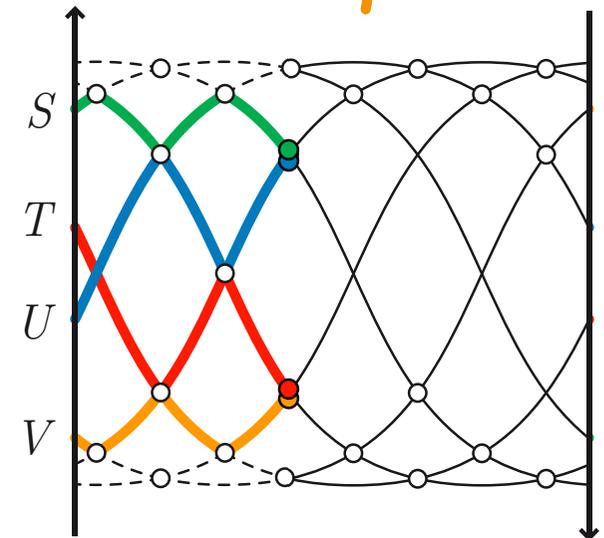
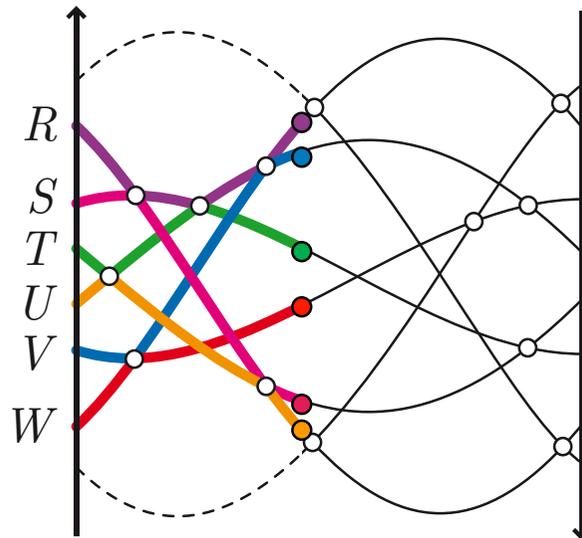
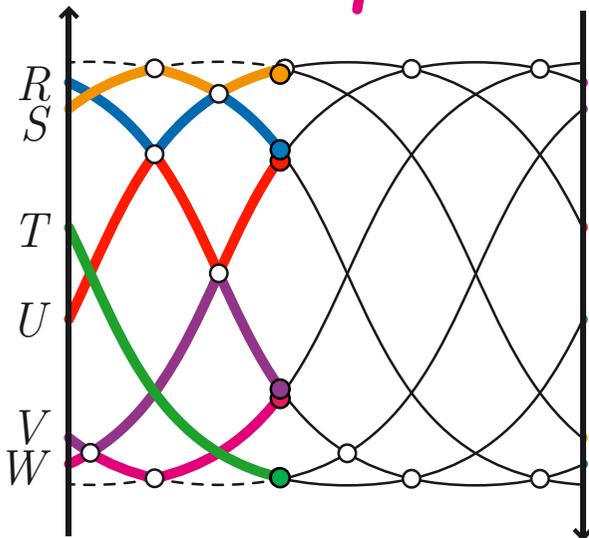
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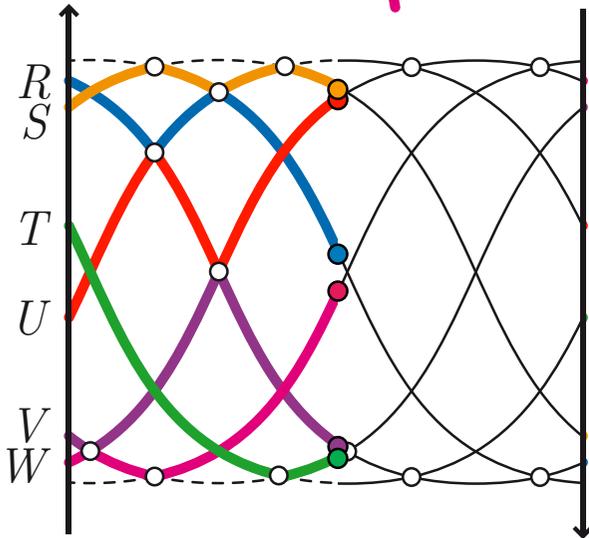
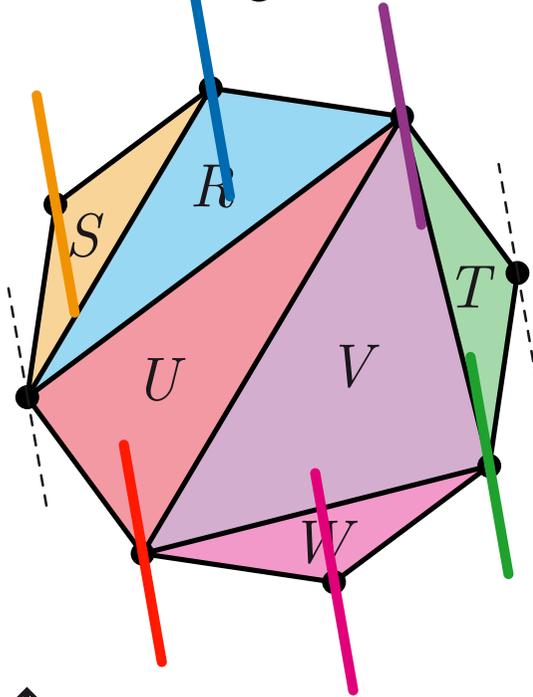


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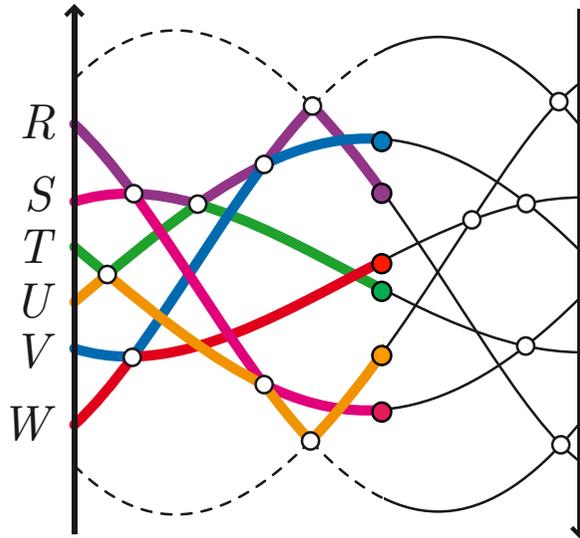
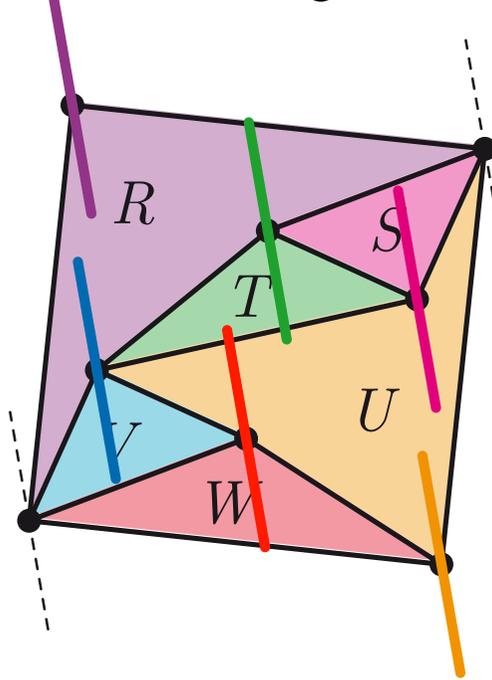


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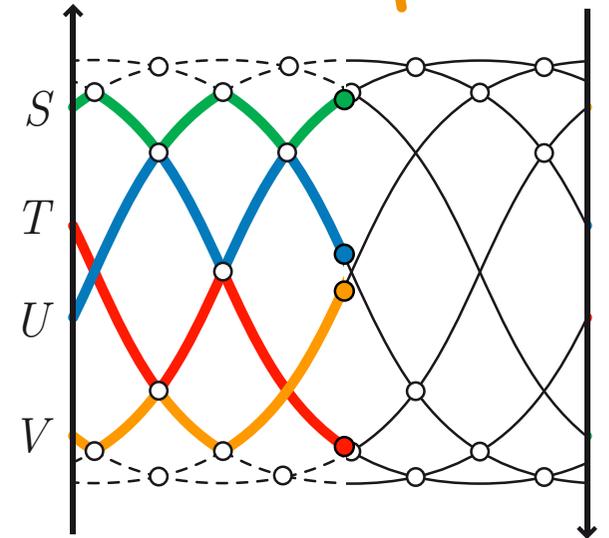
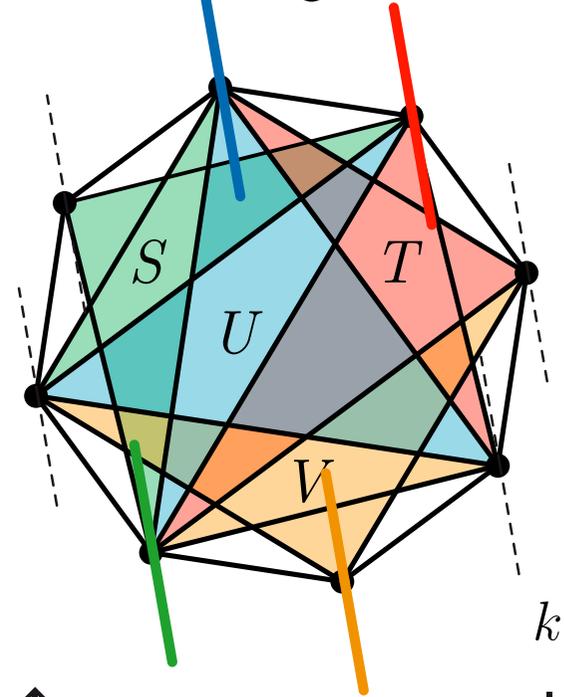
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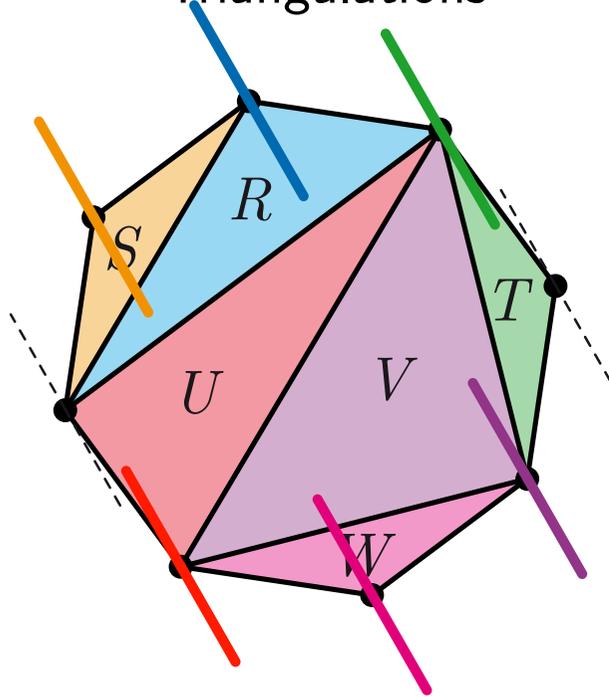
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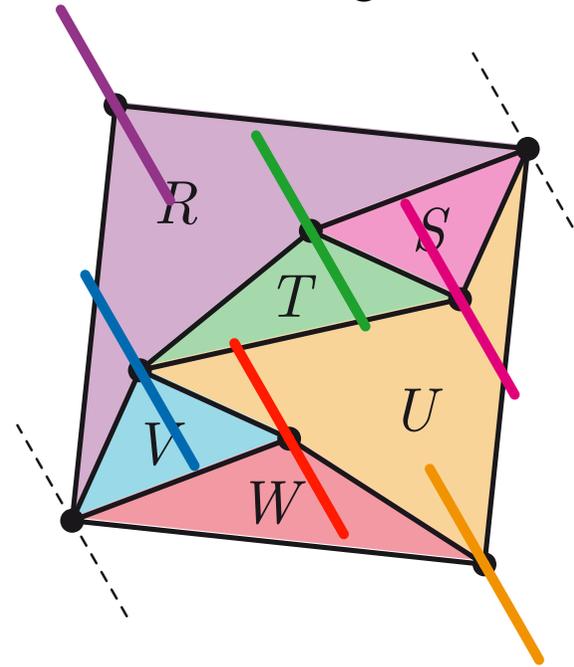
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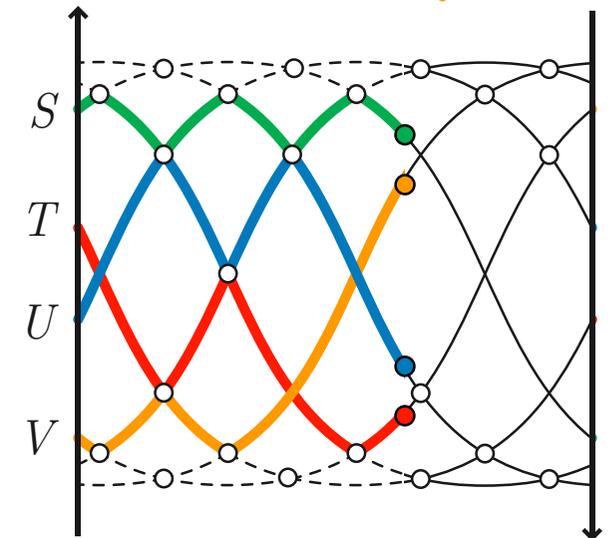
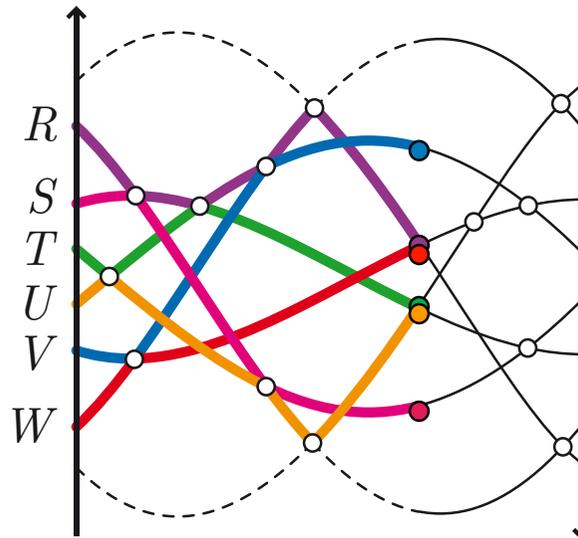
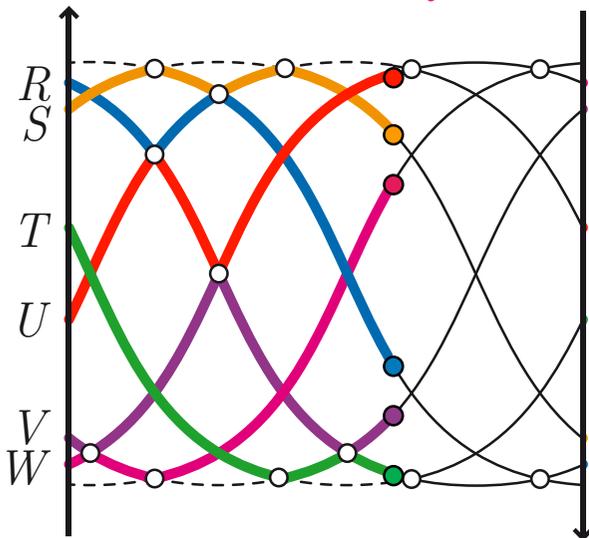
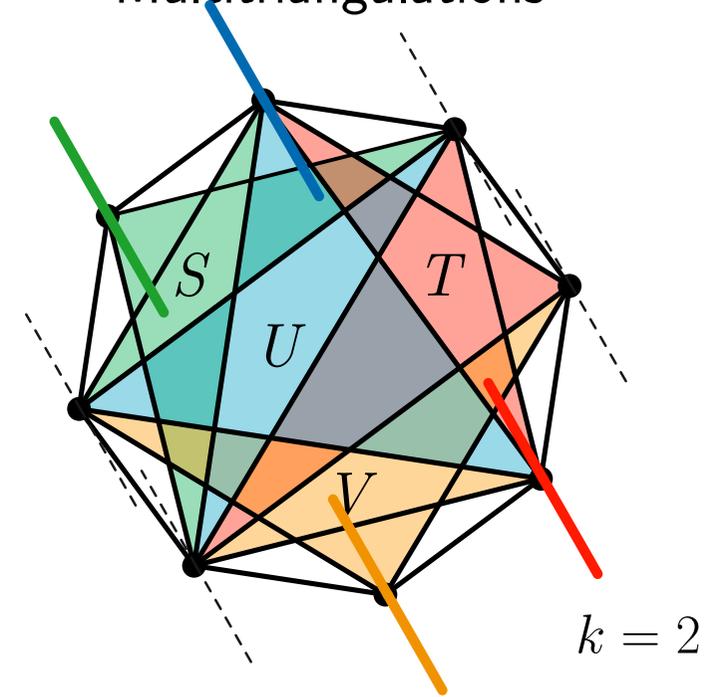
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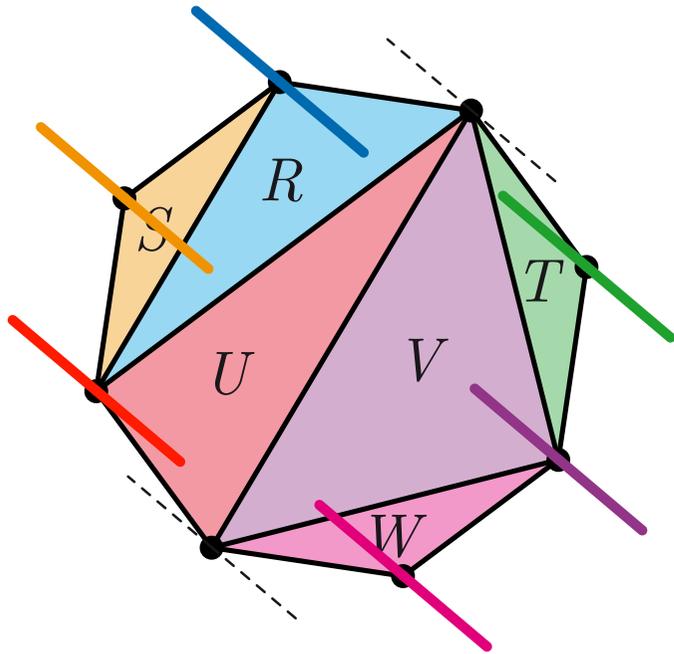


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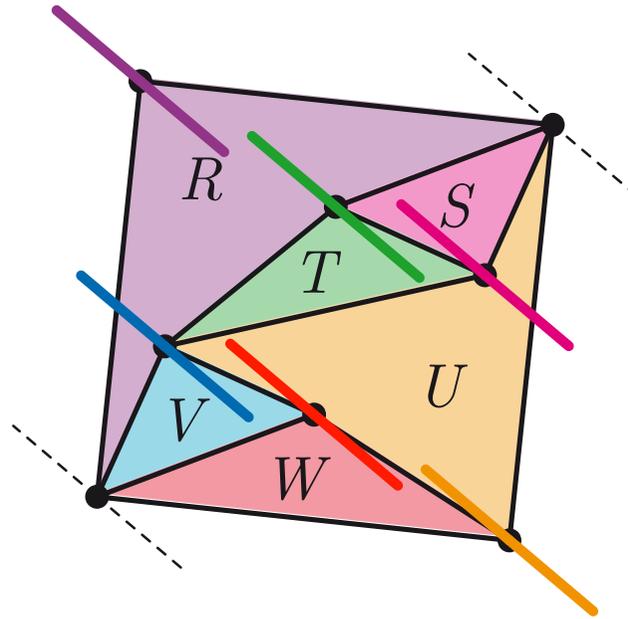


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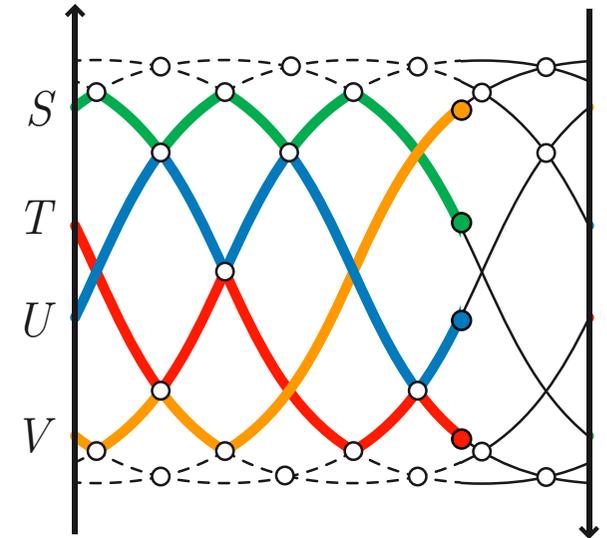
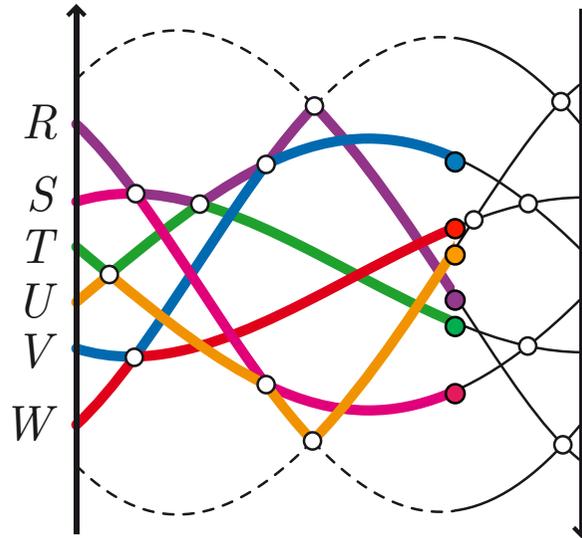
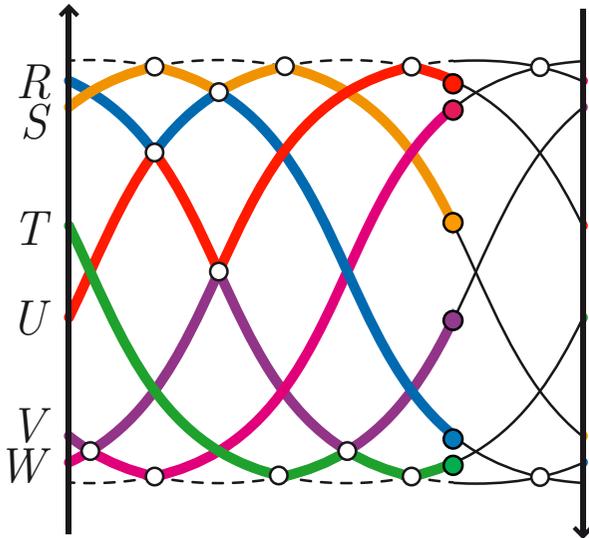
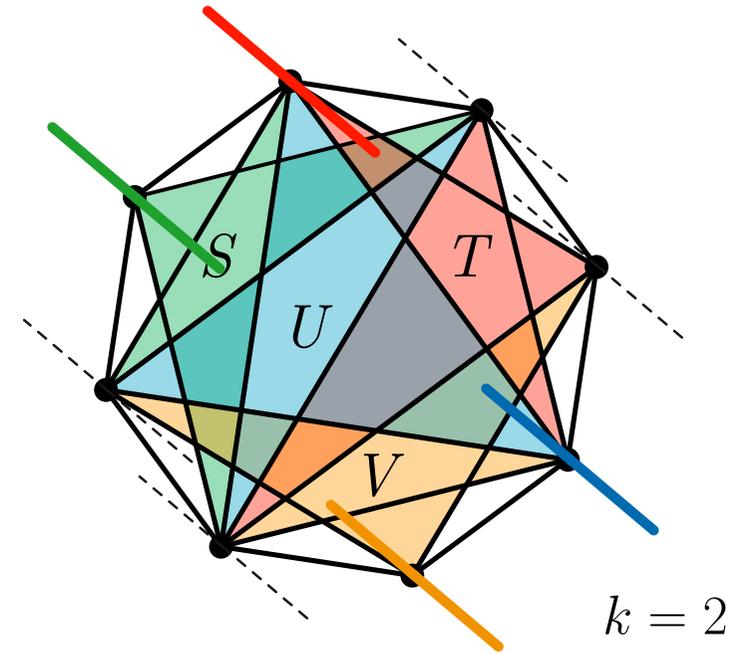
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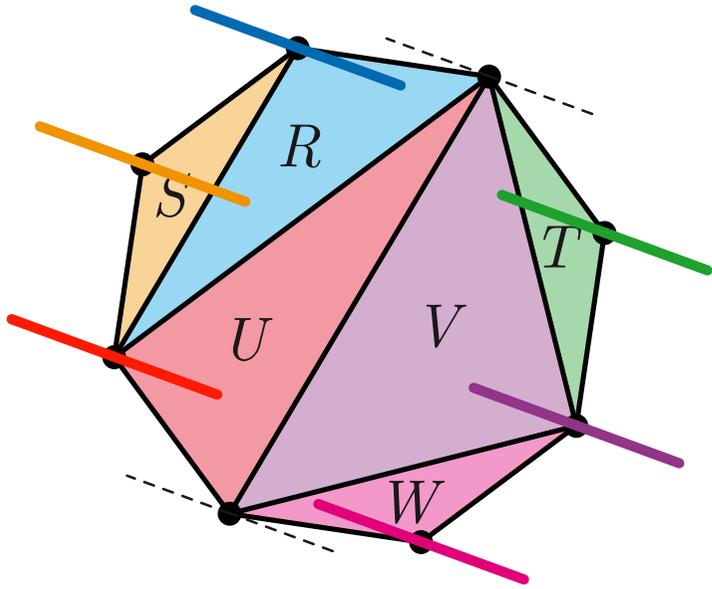


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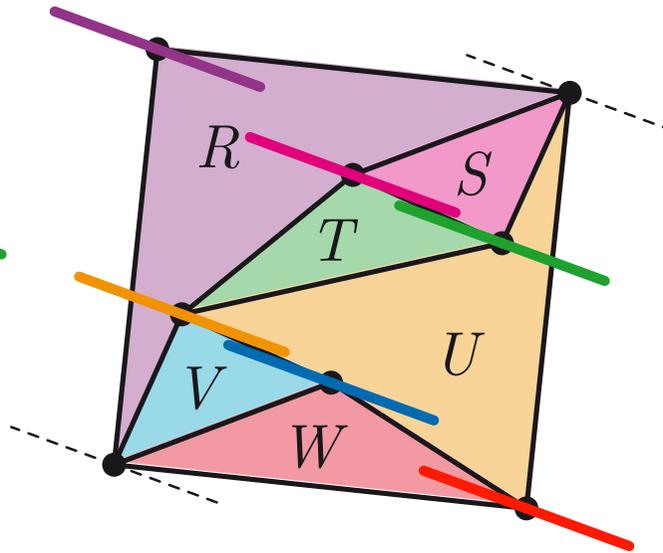


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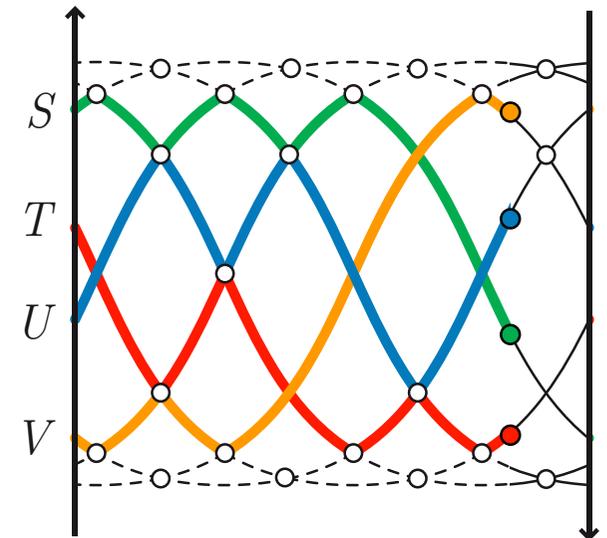
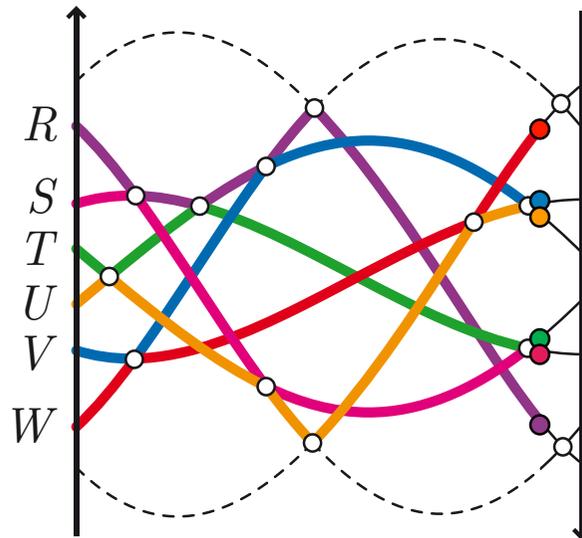
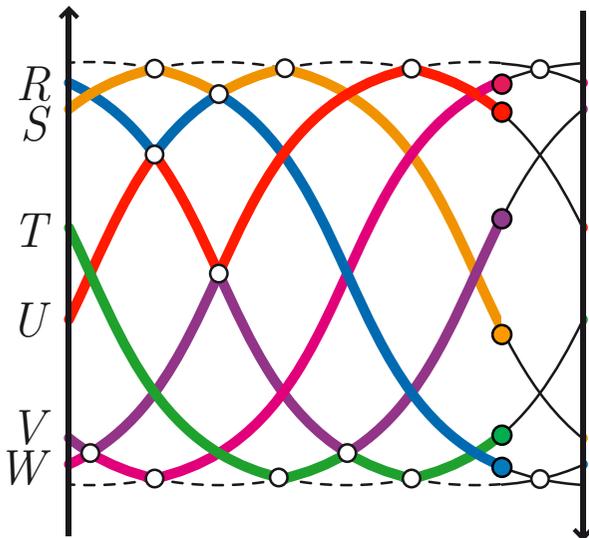
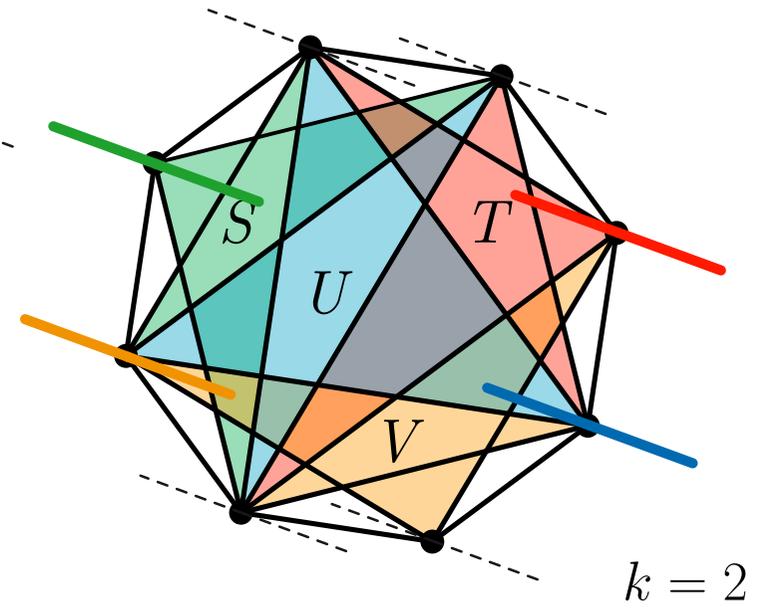
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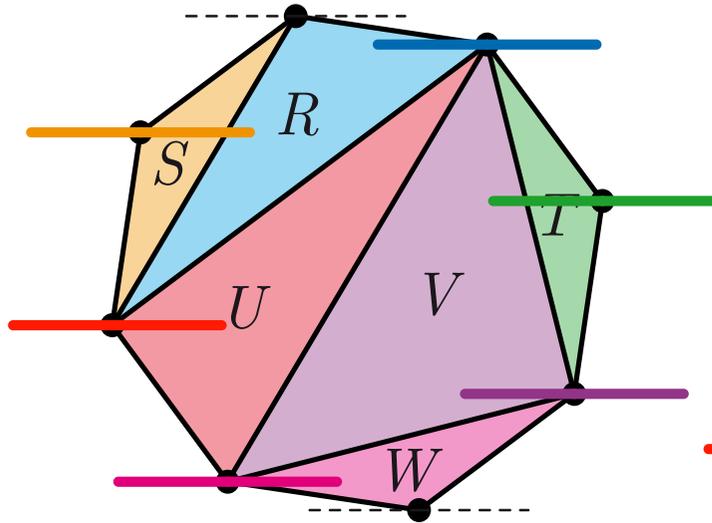


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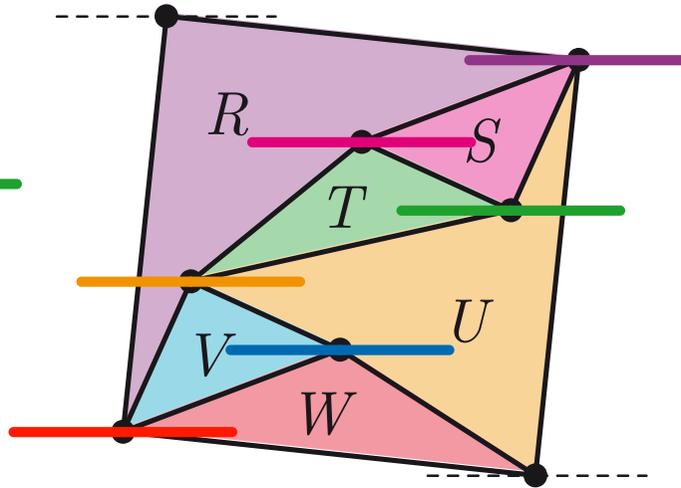


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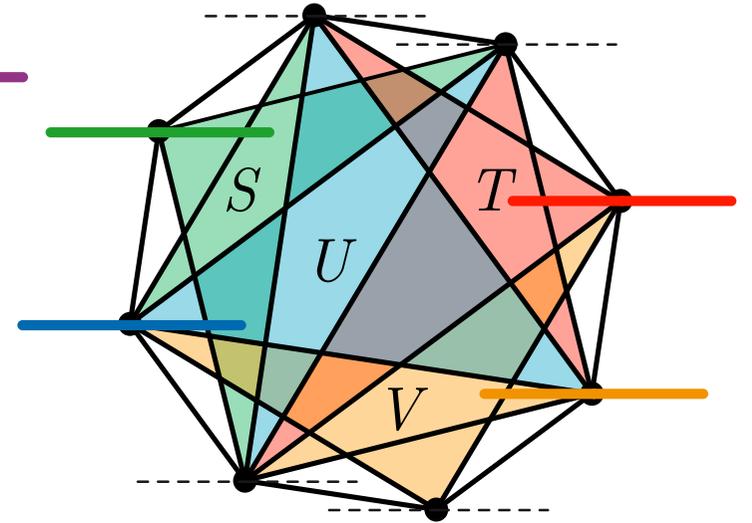
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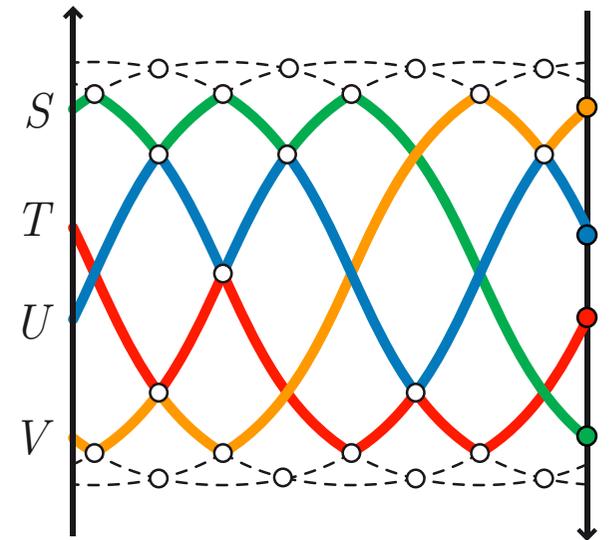
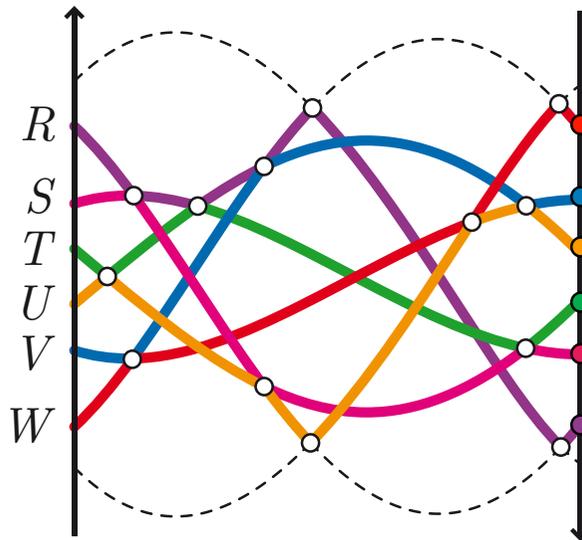
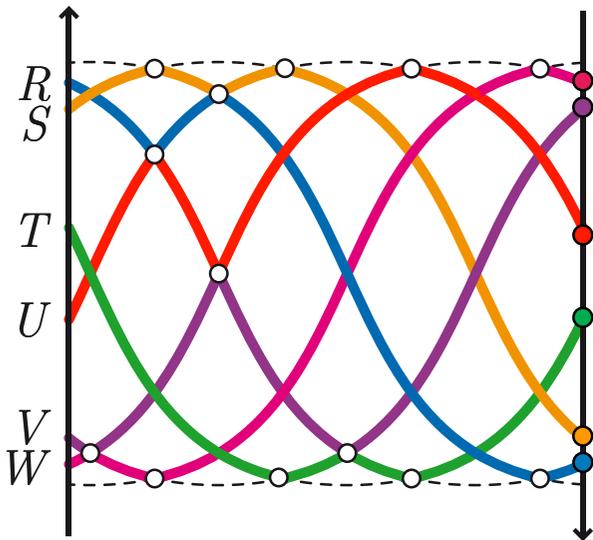
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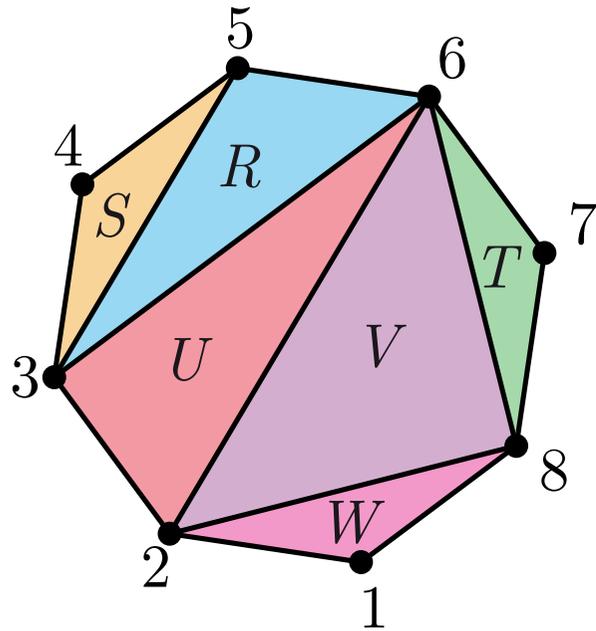


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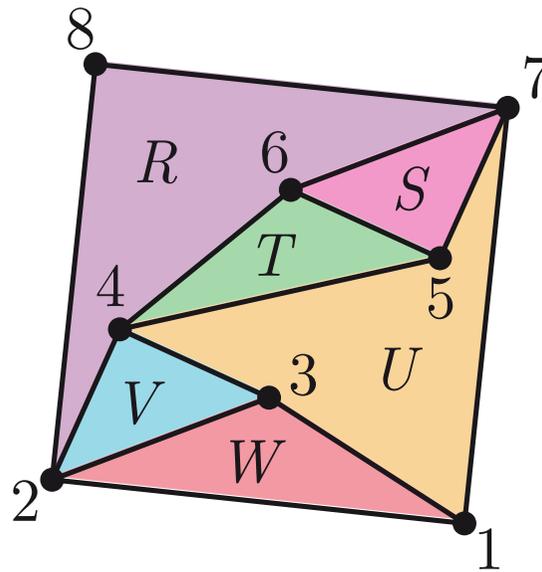


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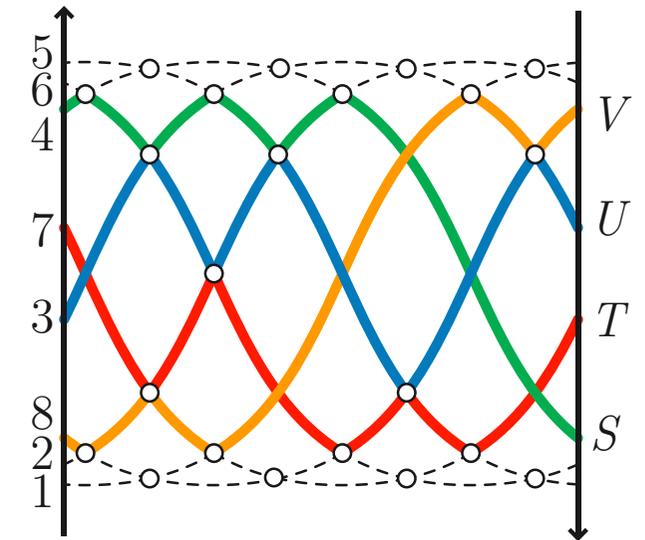
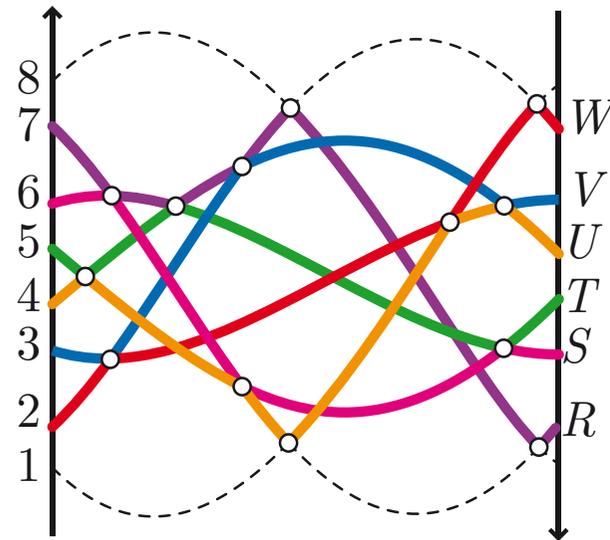
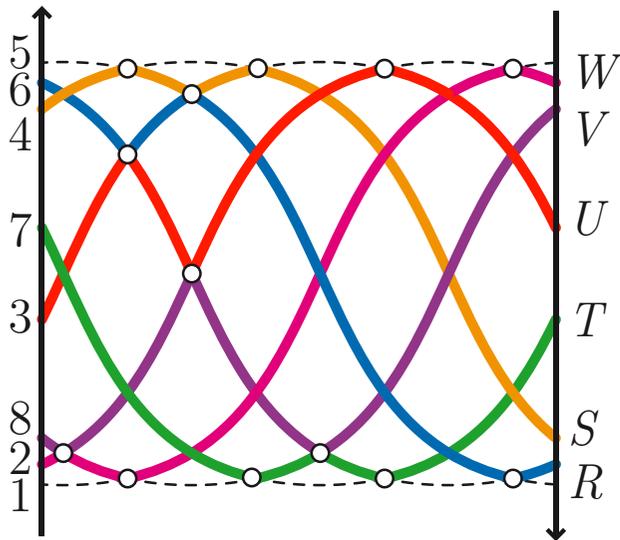
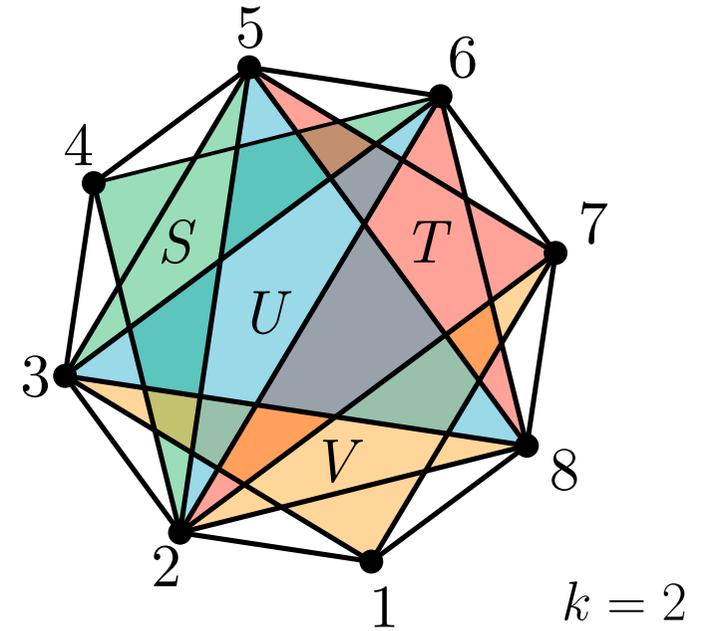
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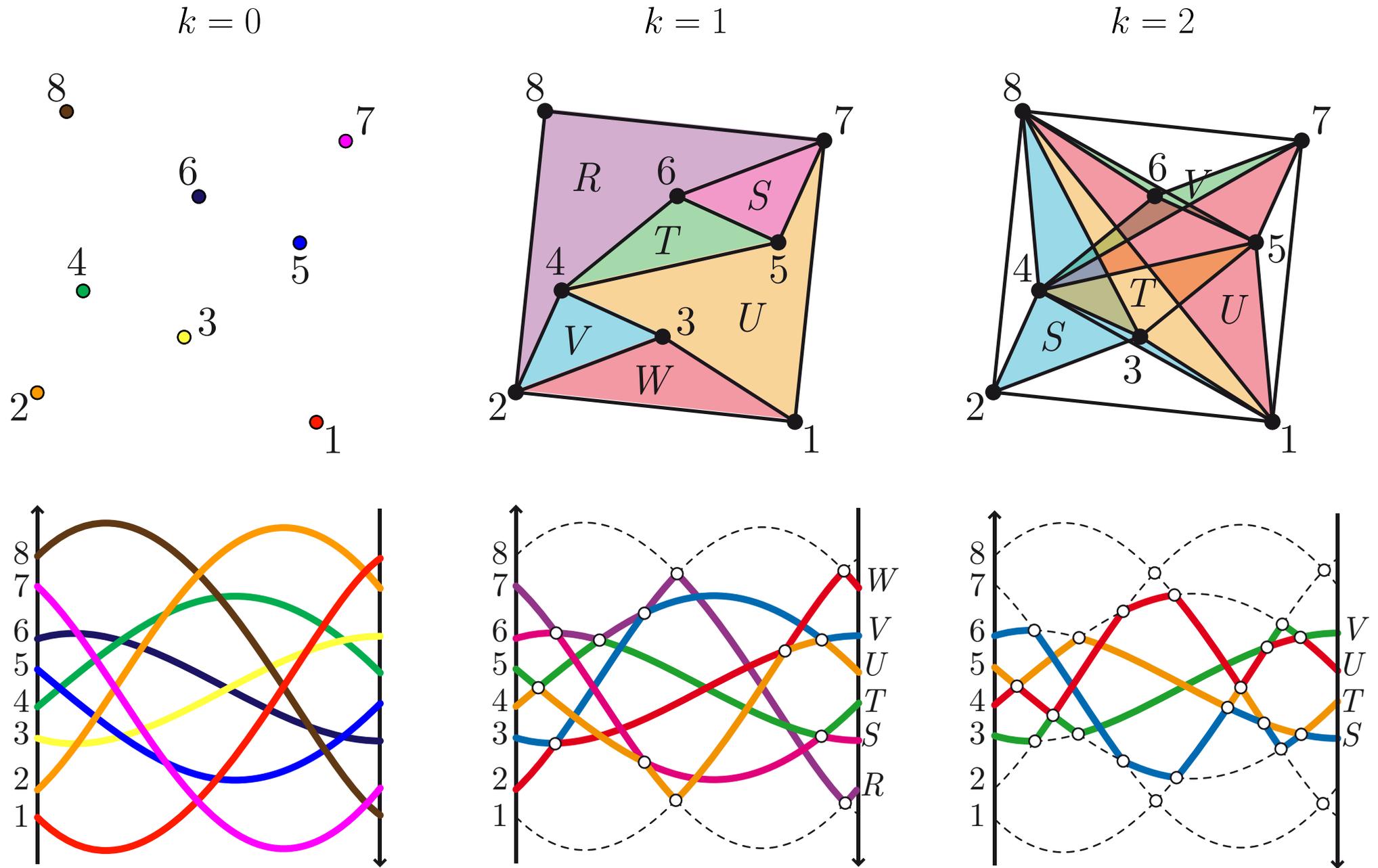
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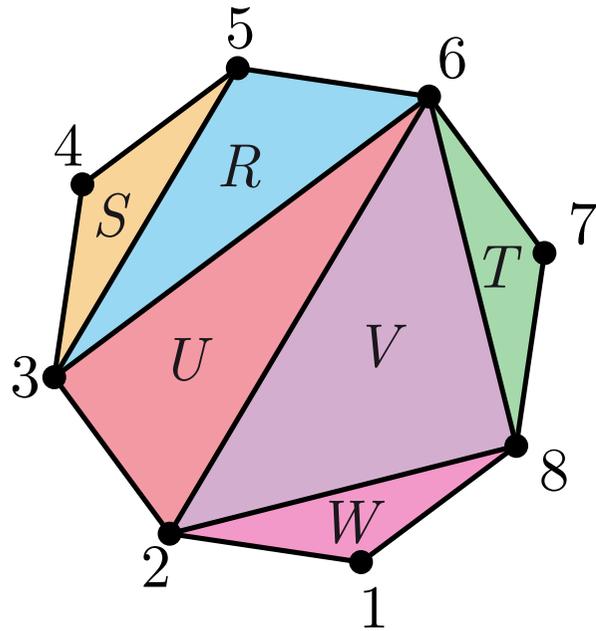


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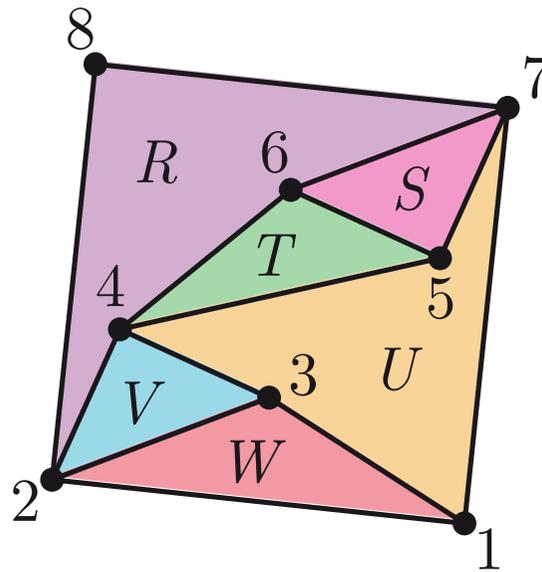


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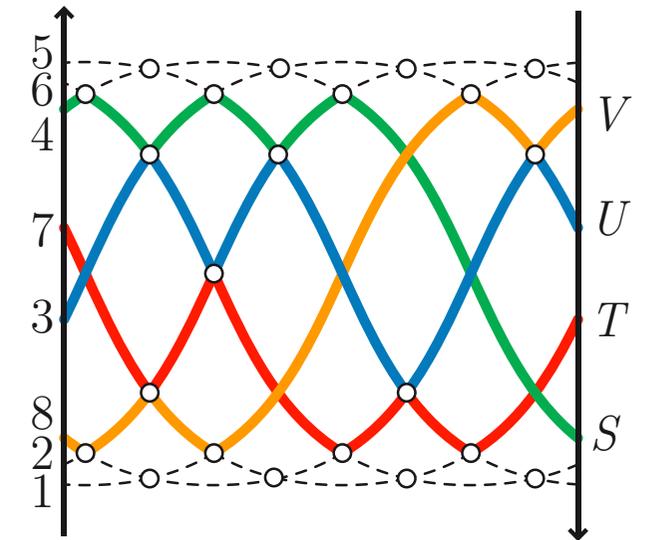
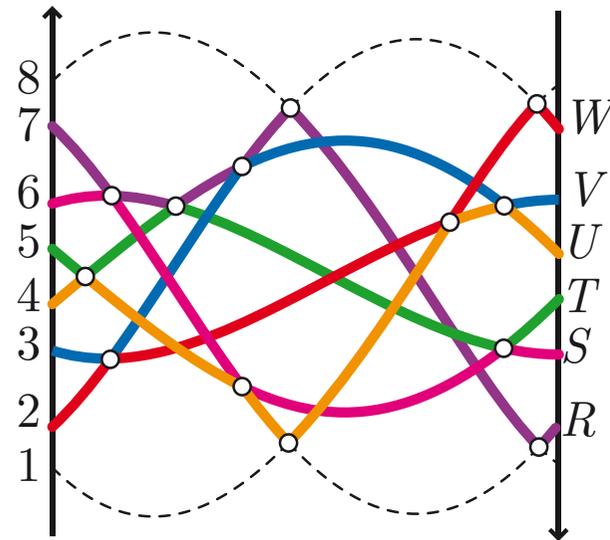
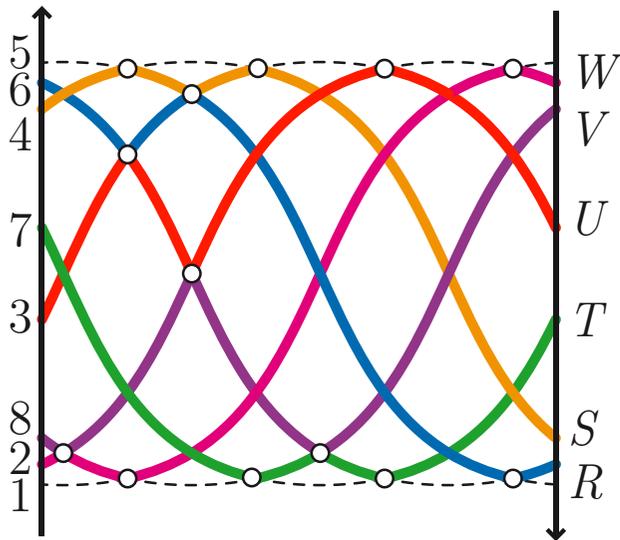
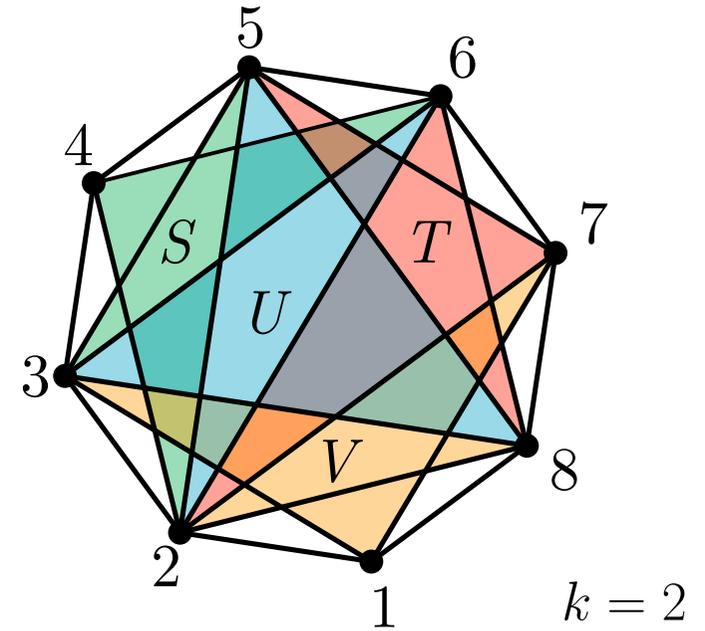
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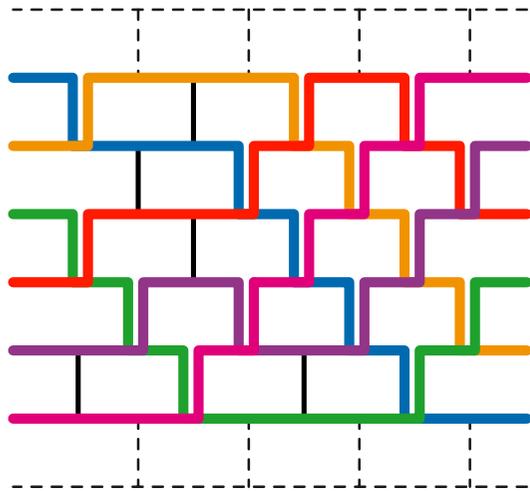
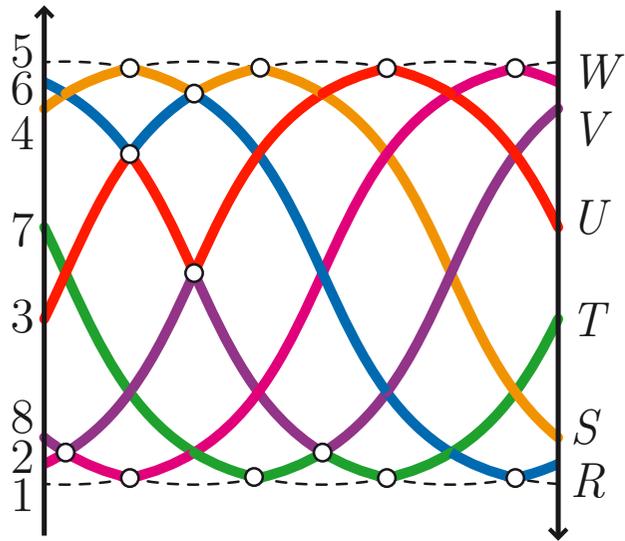


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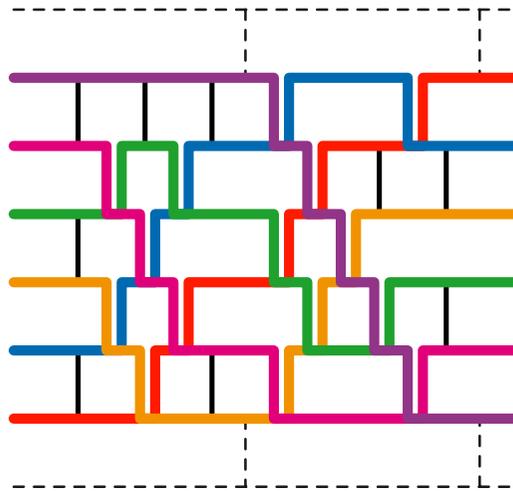
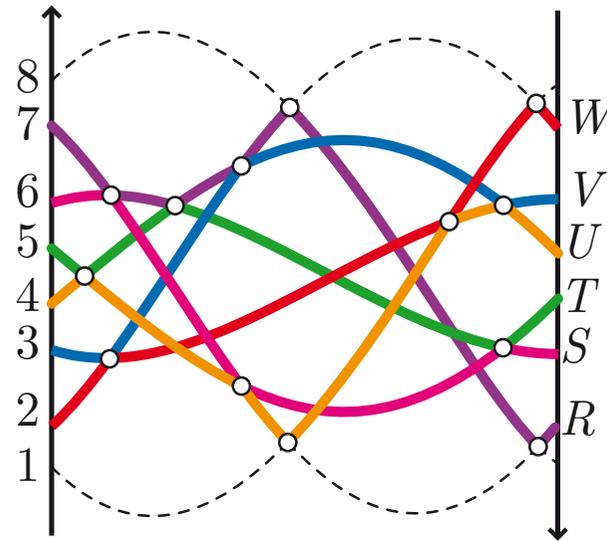


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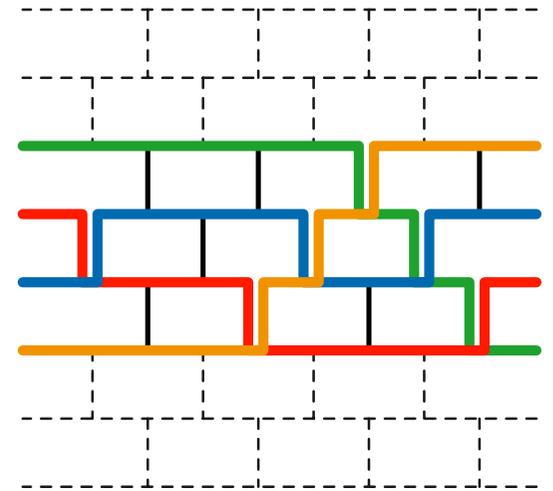
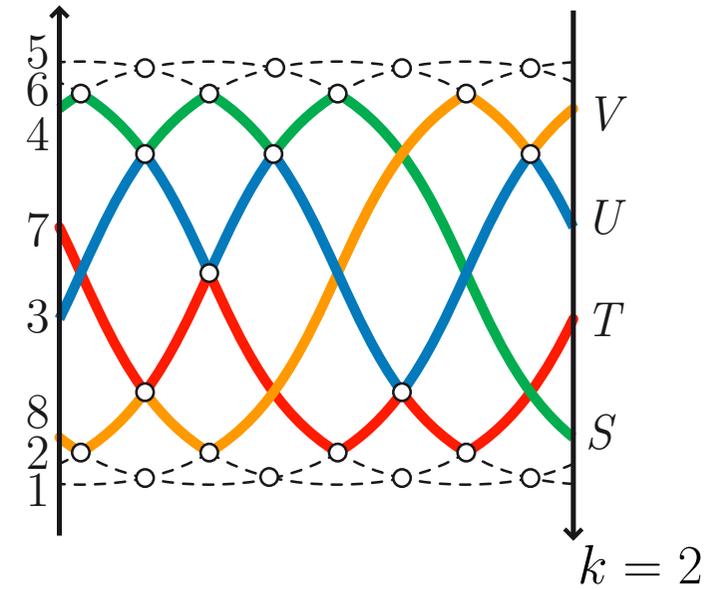
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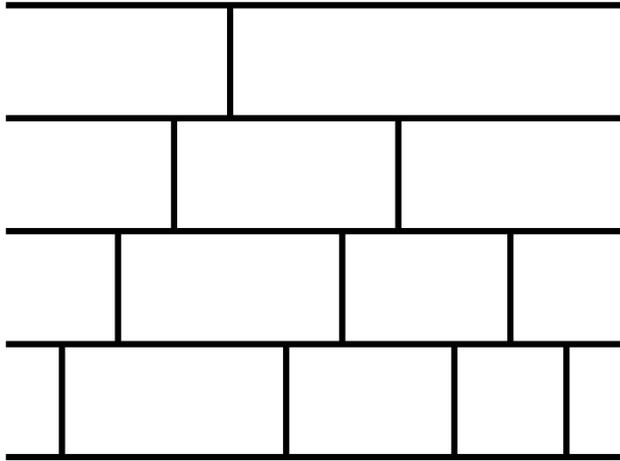
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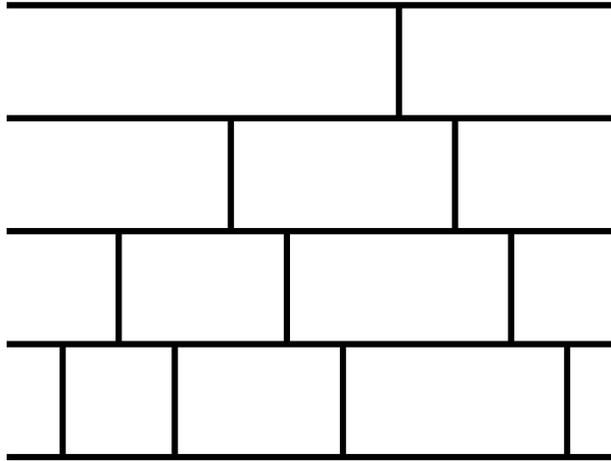
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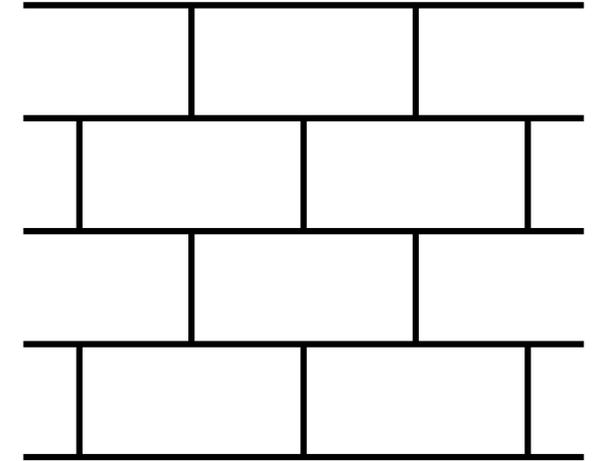
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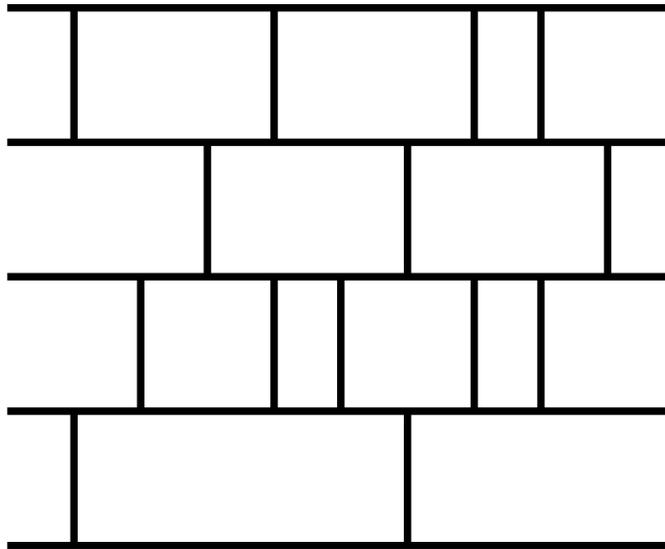
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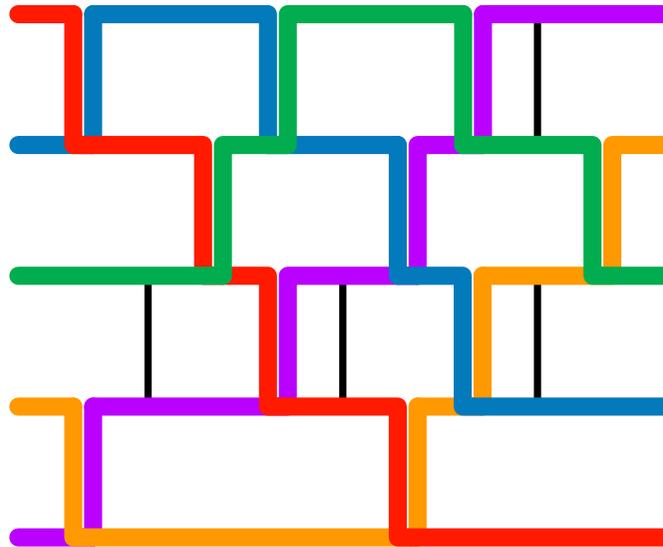
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**pseudoline** =  $x$ -monotone path which starts at a level  $l$  and ends at the level  $n + 1 - l$ .



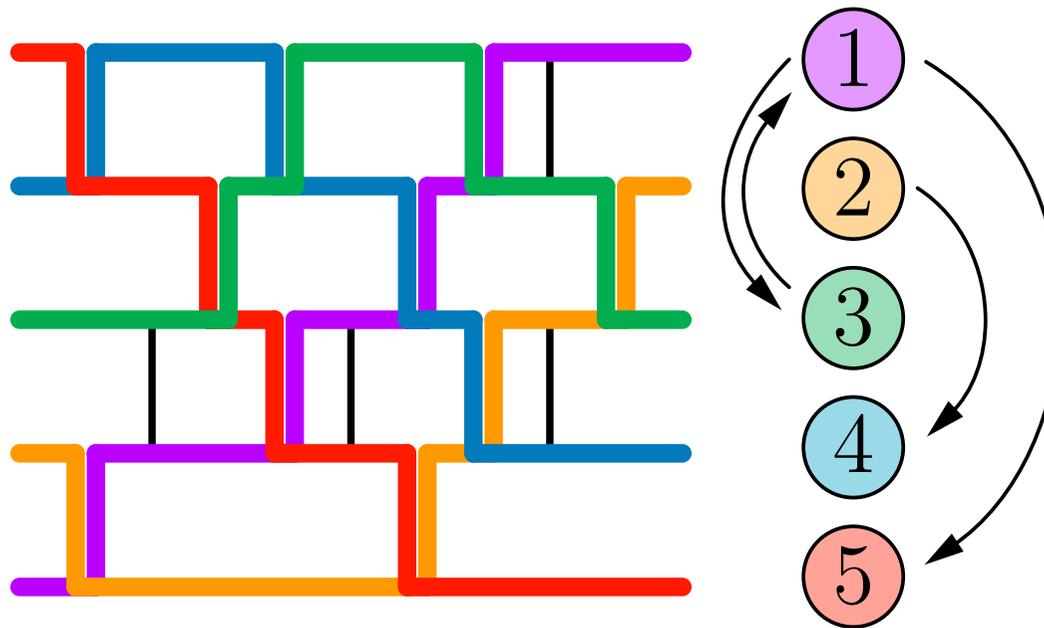
**pseudoline arrangement** (with contacts) =  $n$  pseudolines supported by  $\mathcal{N}$  which have pairwise exactly **one crossing**, eventually **some contacts**, and no other intersection.

# CONTACT GRAPH OF A PSEUDOLINE ARRANGEMENT

Contact graph  $\Lambda^\#$  of a pseudoline arrangement  $\Lambda =$

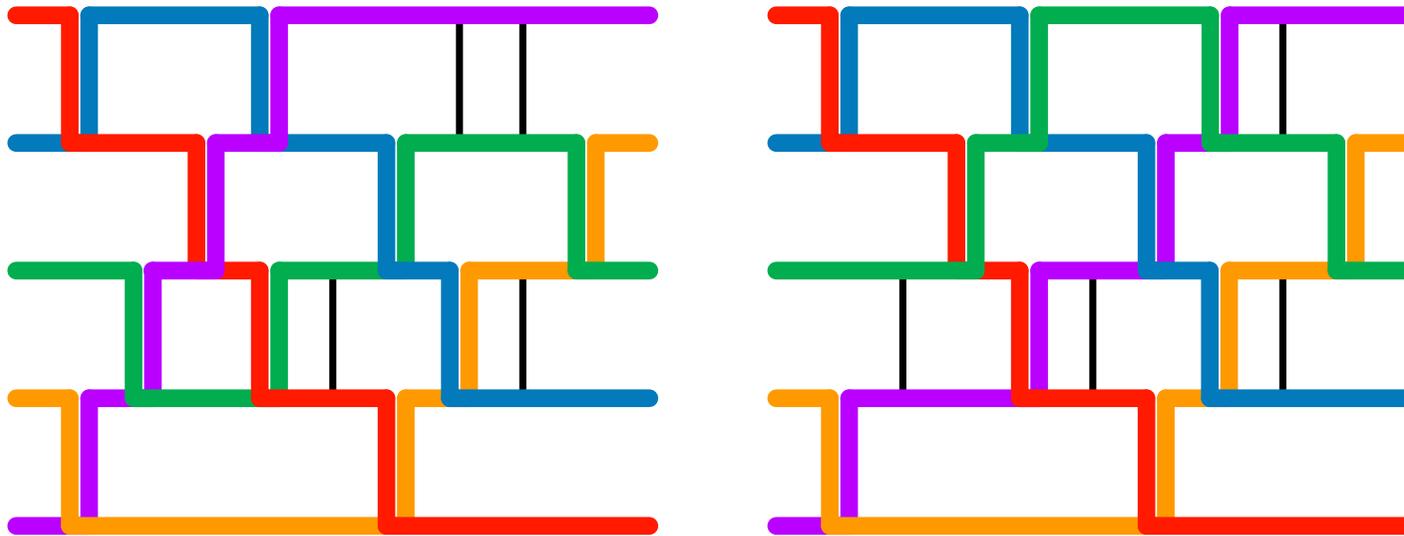
- a node for each pseudoline of  $\Lambda$ , and
- an arc for each contact point of  $\Lambda$  oriented from top to bottom.

Root configuration of  $\Lambda = R(\Lambda) = \{e_i - e_j \mid i \rightarrow j \in \Lambda^\#\}$



# FLIPS

**flip** = exchange a contact with the corresponding crossing.



**THM.** Let  $\mathcal{N}$  be a sorting network with  $n$  levels and  $m$  commutators. The graph of flips  $G(\mathcal{N})$  is  $(m - \binom{n}{2})$ -regular and connected.

**QUESTION.** Is  $G(\mathcal{N})$  the graph of a simple  $(m - \binom{n}{2})$ -dimensional polytope?

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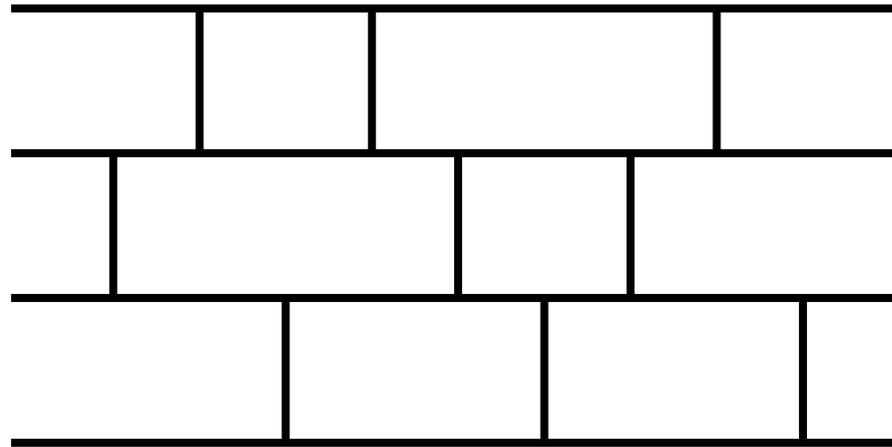
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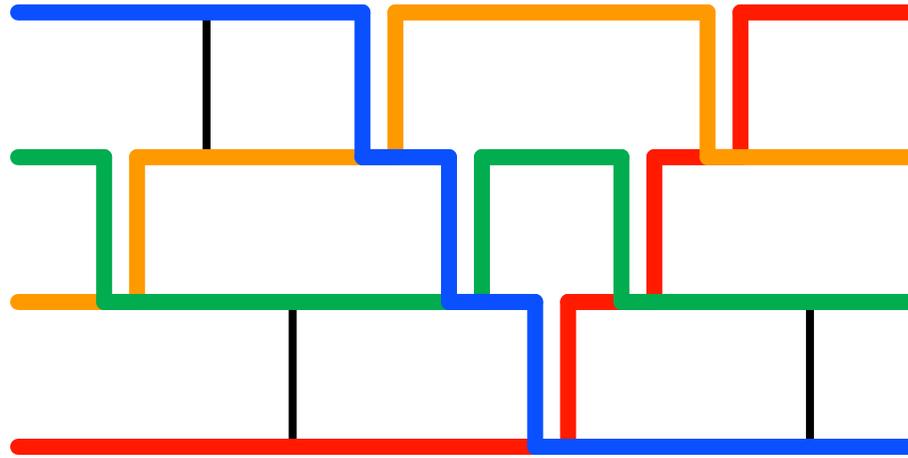
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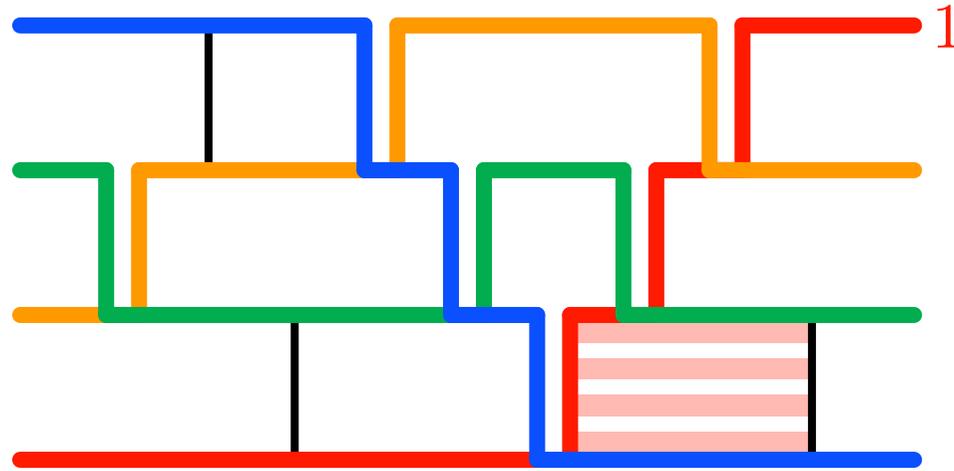


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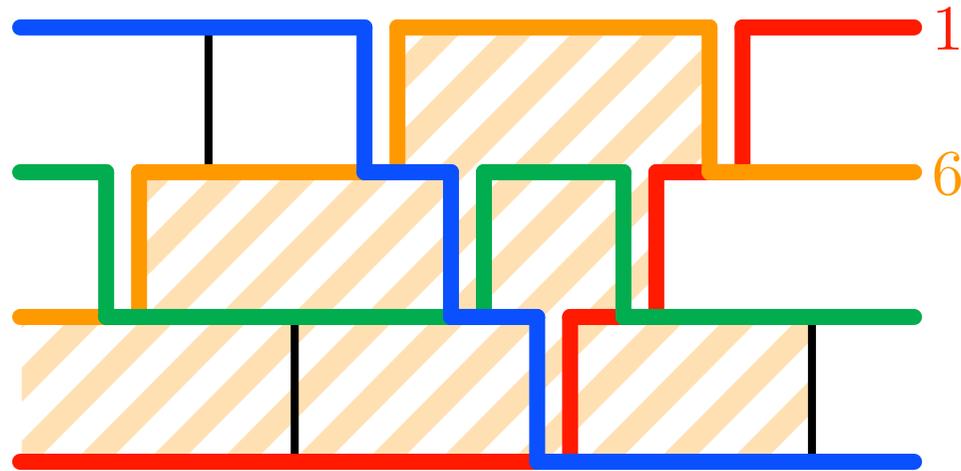
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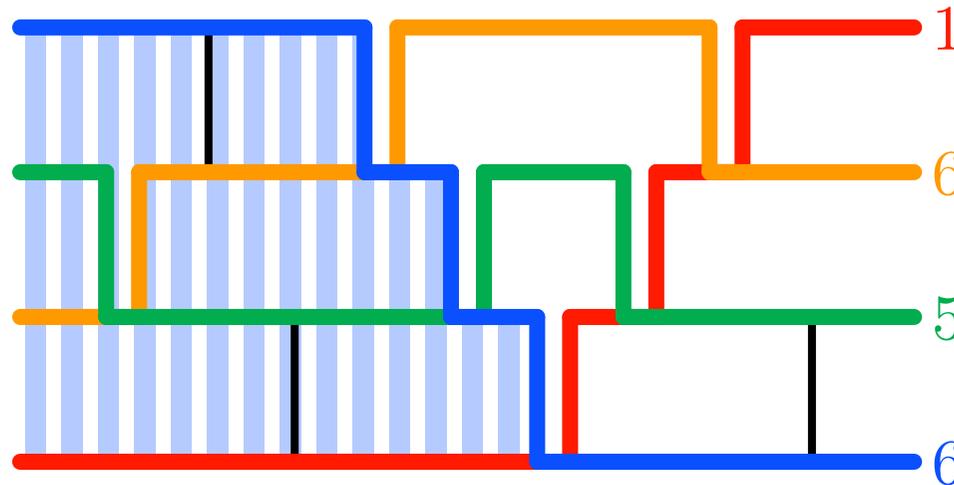
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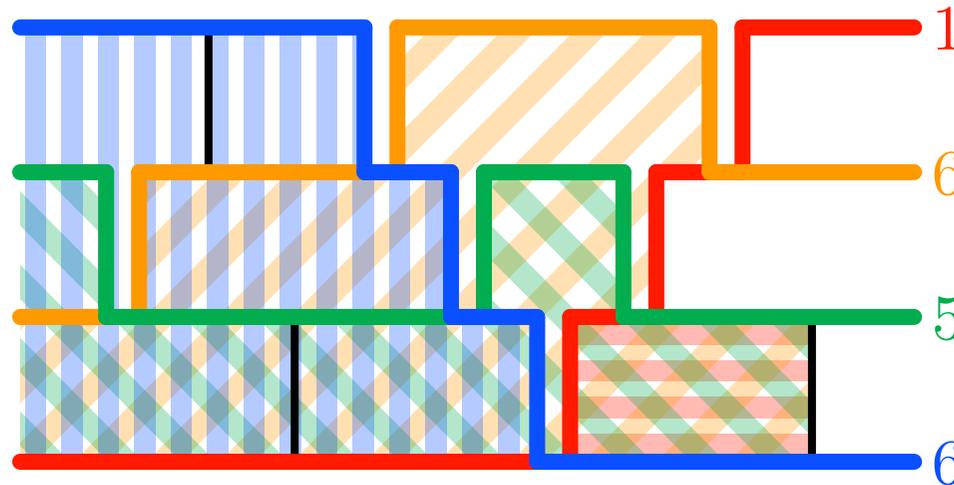
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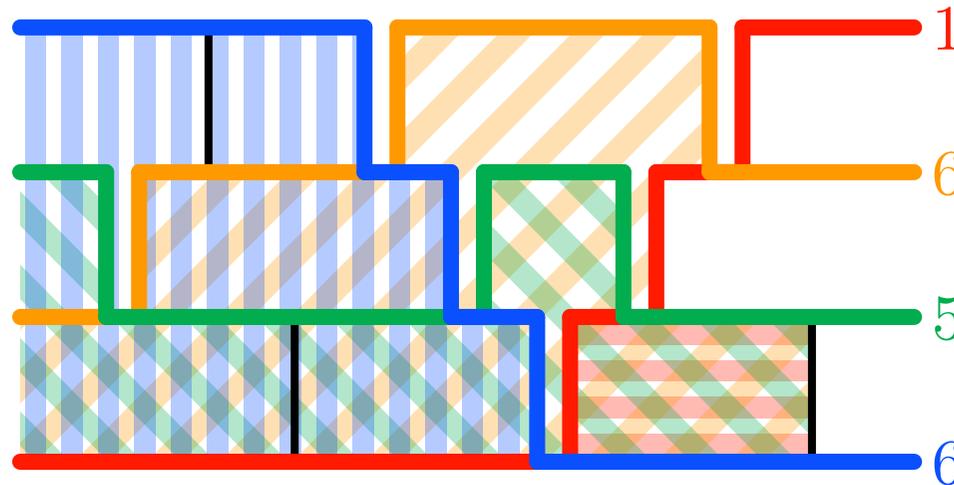


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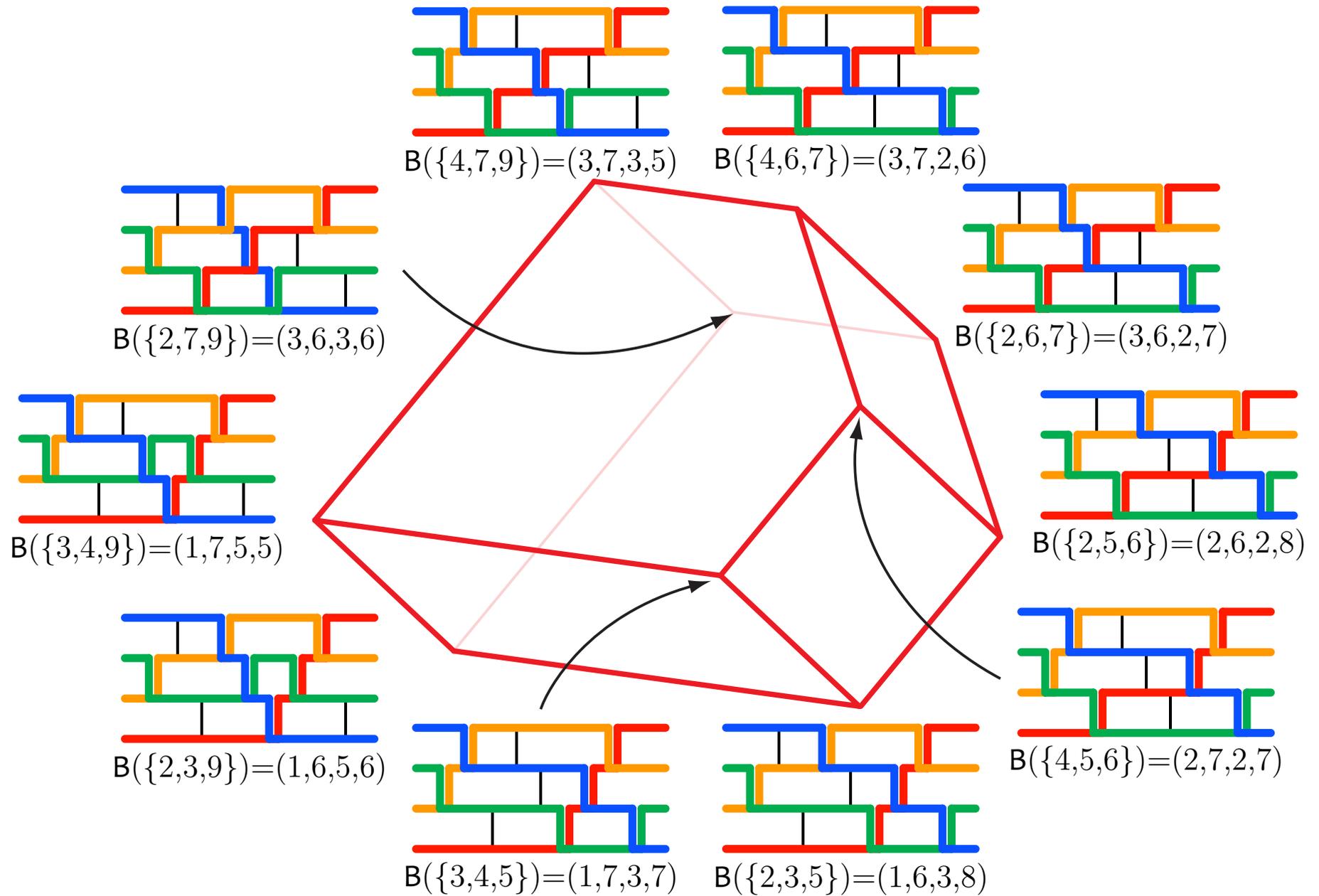
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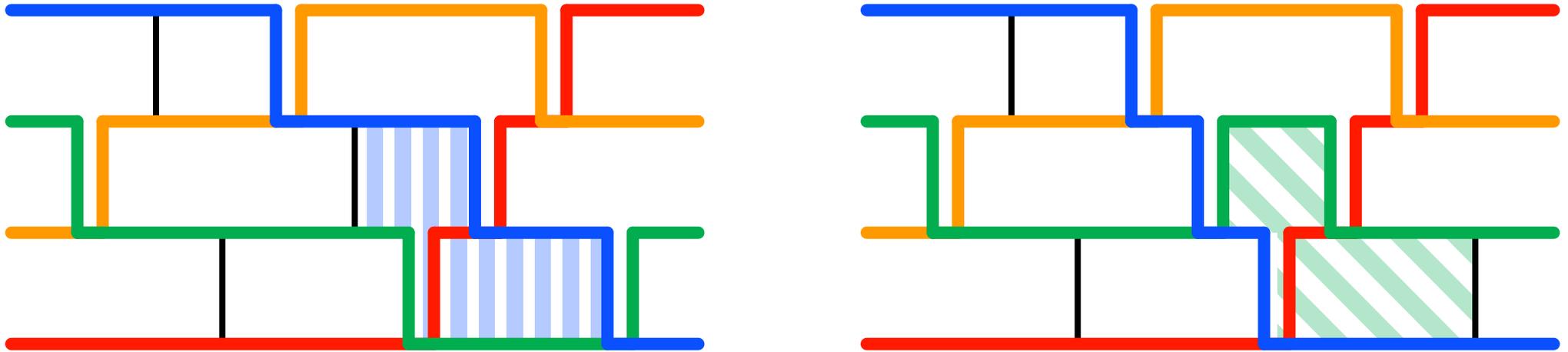
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Brick polytope  $\mathcal{B}(\mathcal{N}) = \text{conv} \{B(\Lambda) \mid \Lambda \text{ pseudoline arrangement supported by } \mathcal{N}\}$

# BRICK POLYTOPE



# BRICK VECTORS AND FLIPS



If  $\Lambda$  and  $\Lambda'$  are two pseudoline arrangements supported by  $\mathcal{N}$  and related by a flip between their  $i$ th and  $j$ th pseudolines, then  $B(\Lambda) - B(\Lambda') \in \mathbb{N}_{>0}(e_j - e_i)$ .

**THM.** The cone of the brick polytope  $\mathcal{B}(\mathcal{N})$  at the brick vector  $B(\Lambda)$  is the incidence cone of the contact graph of  $\Lambda$ :

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## VERTICES OF $\mathcal{B}(\mathcal{N})$

The brick vector  $B(\Lambda)$  is a vertex of  $\mathcal{B}(\mathcal{N}) \iff$  the contact graph  $\Lambda^\#$  is acyclic.

## GRAPH OF $\mathcal{B}(\mathcal{N})$

The graph of the brick polytope is a subgraph of the flip graph whose vertices are the pseudoline arrangements with acyclic contact graphs.

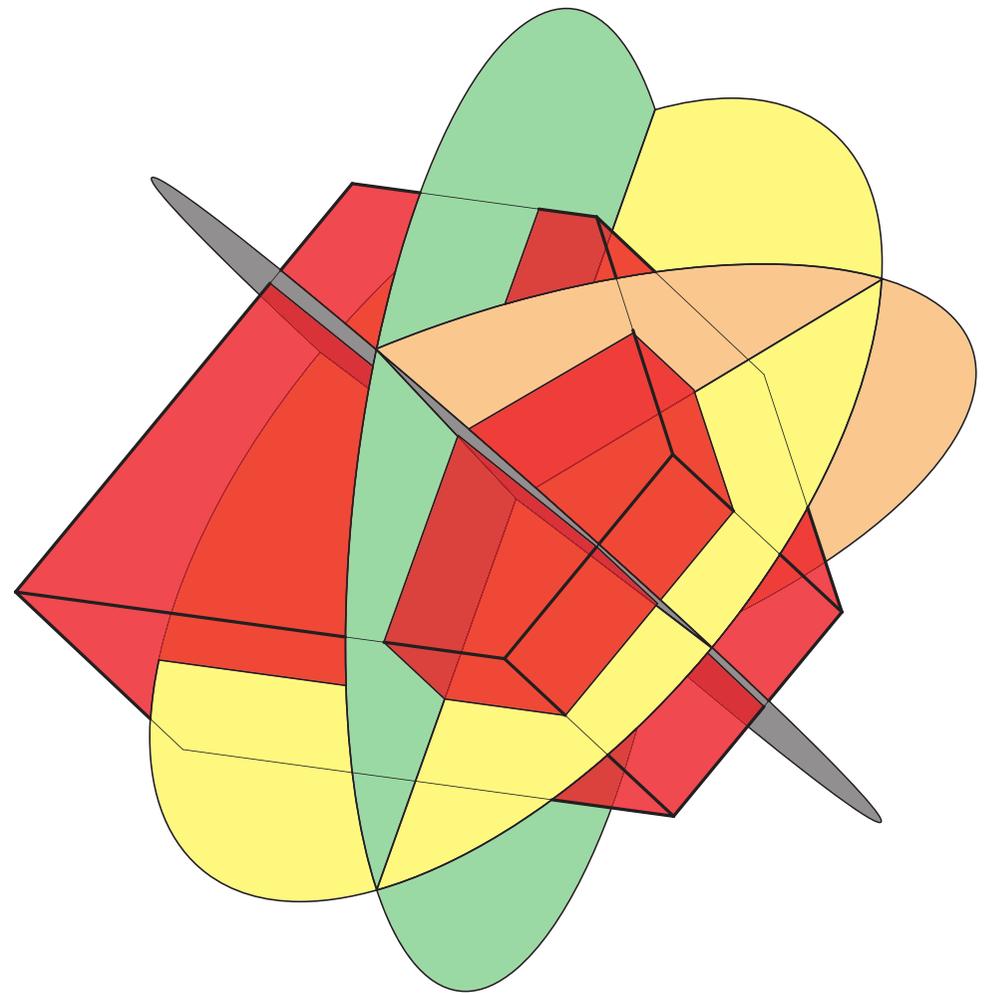
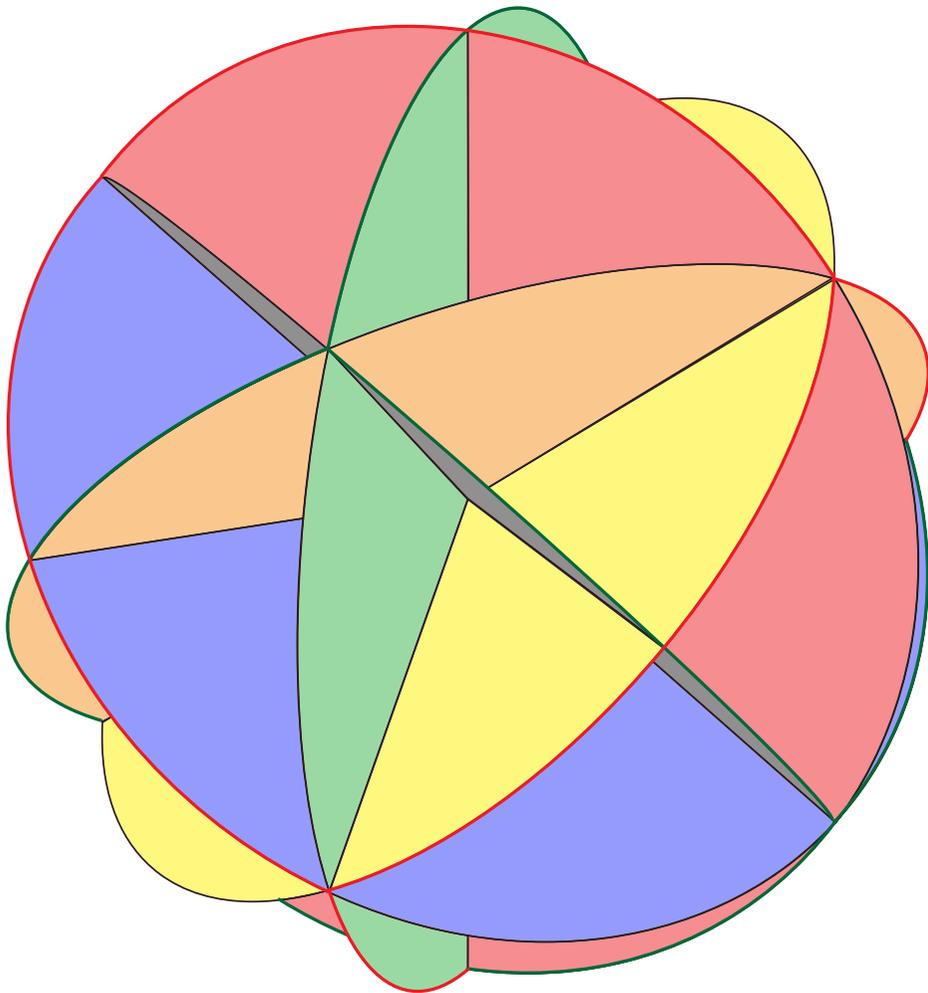
## FACETS OF $\mathcal{B}(\mathcal{N})$

The facets of  $\mathcal{B}(\mathcal{N})$  correspond to the minimal directed cuts of the contact graphs of the pseudoline arrangements supported by  $\mathcal{N}$ .

# NORMAL FAN

**THM.** The Coxeter fan refines the normal fan of the brick polytope. More precisely,

$$\text{normal cone of } B(\Lambda) \text{ in } \mathcal{B}(\mathcal{N}) = \bigcup_{\substack{\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_n \\ R(\Lambda) \subseteq \sigma(\Phi^+)}} \sigma(\text{fundamental cone})$$

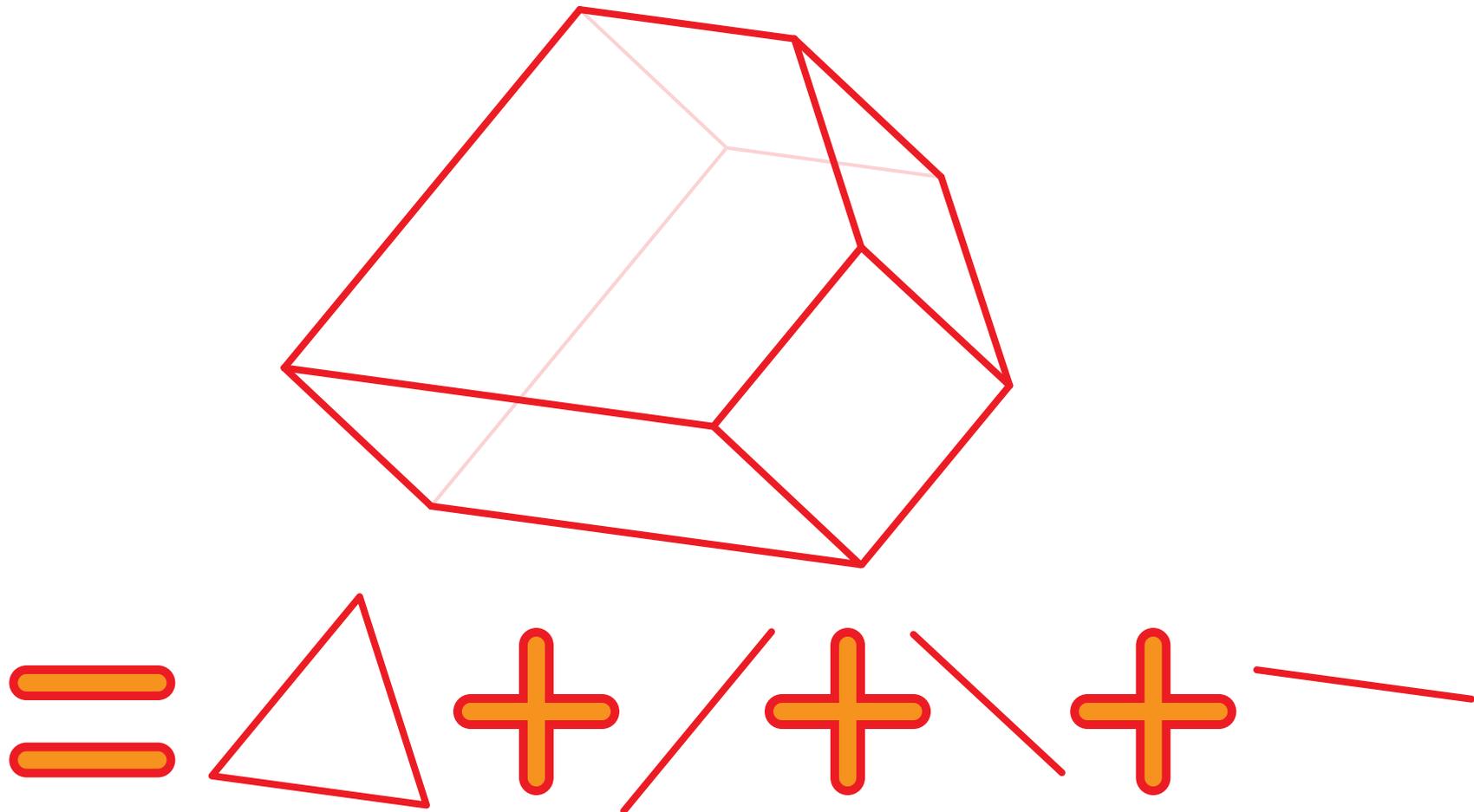


# MINKOWSKI SUM

**THM.**  $B_k(\Lambda)$  = characteristic vector of pseudolines of  $\Lambda$  passing above the  $k$ th brick

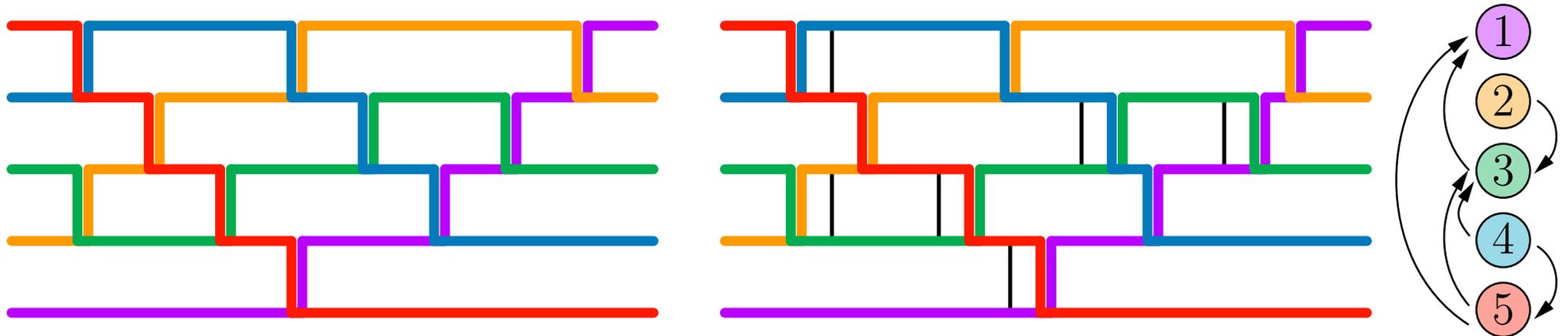
$\mathcal{B}(\mathcal{N}, k) = \text{conv} \{B_k(\Lambda) \mid \Lambda \text{ pseudoline arrangement supported by } \mathcal{N}\}$

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# DUPLICATED NETWORKS AND ZONOTOPES

Duplicated network  $\mathcal{N}_G =$  duplicate the commutators corresp. to  $G$  in a reduced network

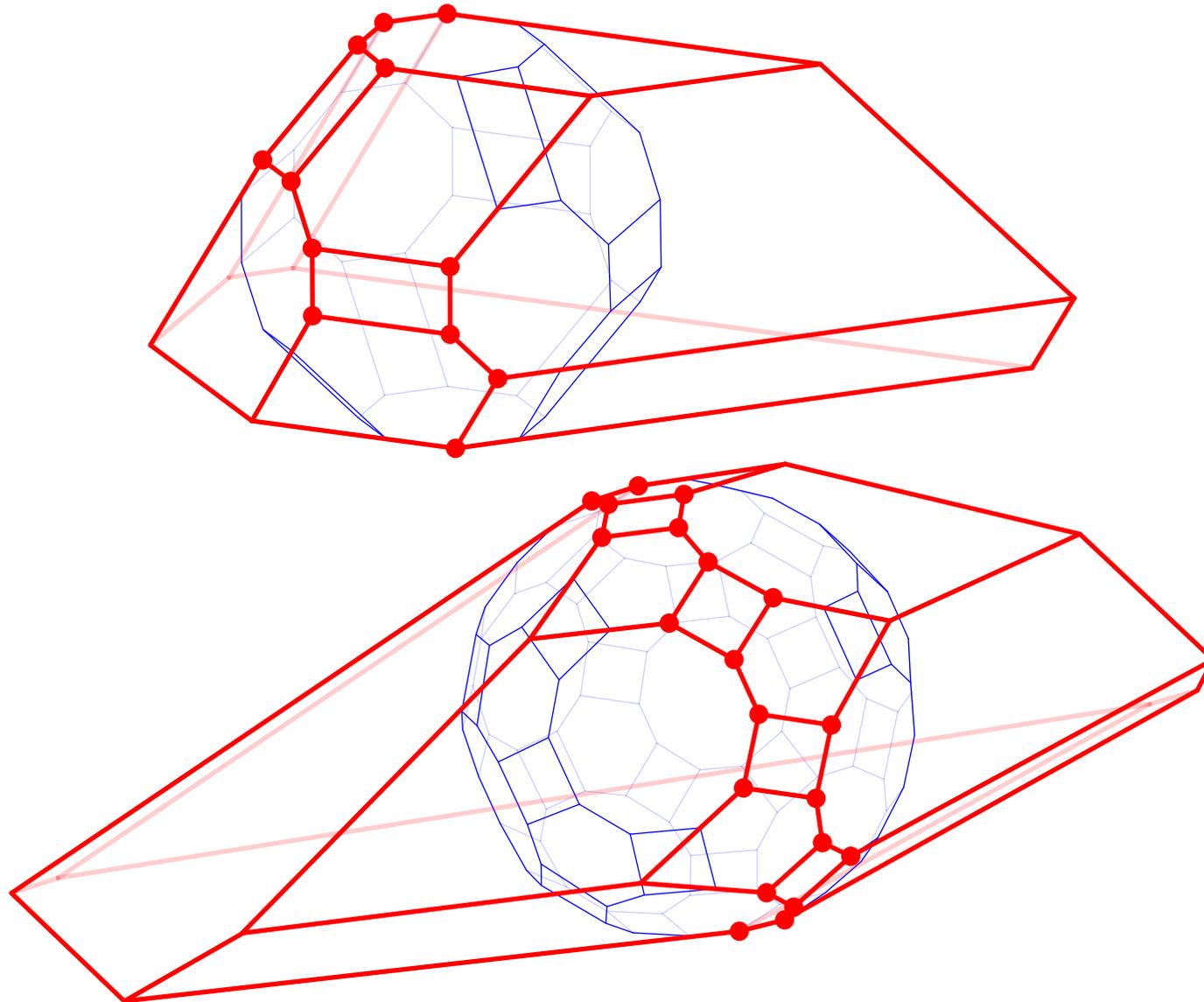


Any pseudoline arrangement supported by  $\mathcal{N}_G$  has one contact and one crossing among each pair of duplicated commutators. Therefore

pseudoline arrangements on $\mathcal{N}_G$	$\longleftrightarrow$	orientation of $G$
vertices of $\mathcal{B}(\mathcal{N}_G)$	$\longleftrightarrow$	acyclic orientations of $G$
$\mathcal{B}(\mathcal{N}_G)$	$\longleftrightarrow$	graphical zonotope of $G = \sum_{i-j \in G} [\mathbf{e}_i, \mathbf{e}_j]$
normal fan of $\mathcal{N}_G$	$\longleftrightarrow$	graphical hyperplane arrangement of $G$ $= \text{hyp. } \{\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid x_i = x_j\} \text{ for } i - j \in G$

# COXETER BRICK POLYTOPES

All this story extends to arbitrary finite Coxeter groups

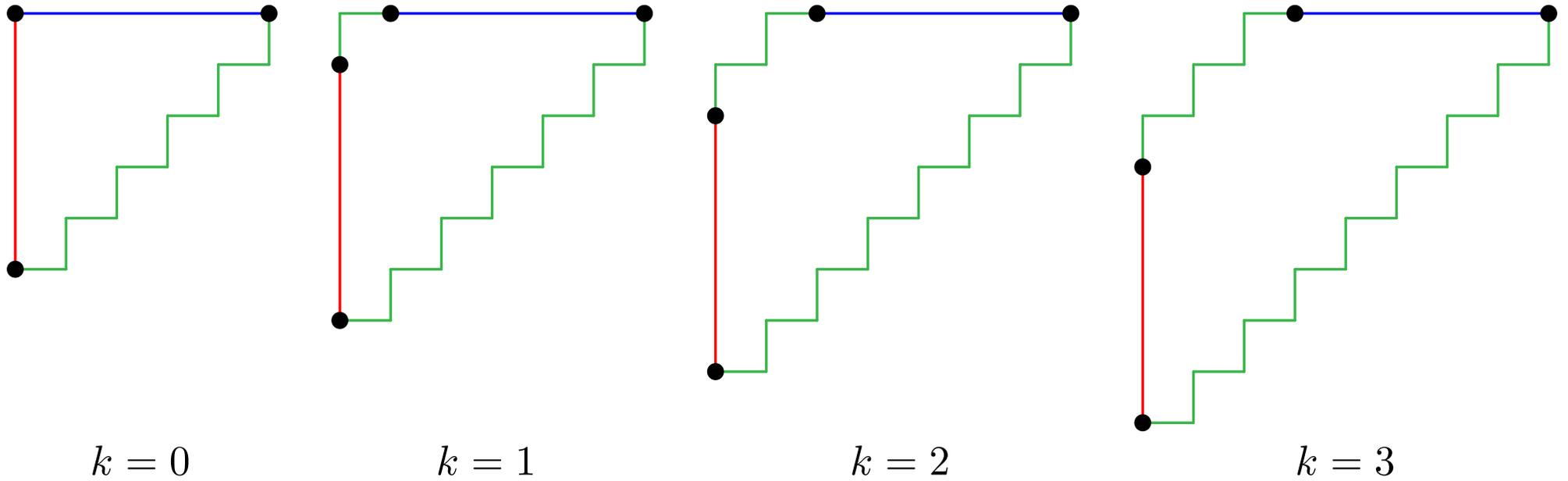


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# TWISTS

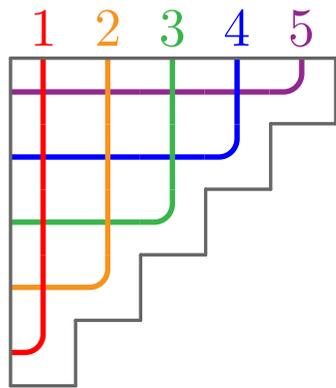
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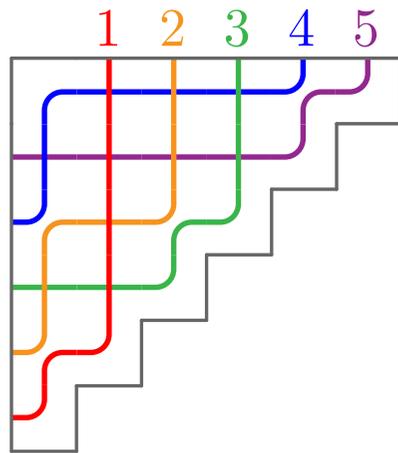


trapezoidal shape of height  $n$  and width  $k$

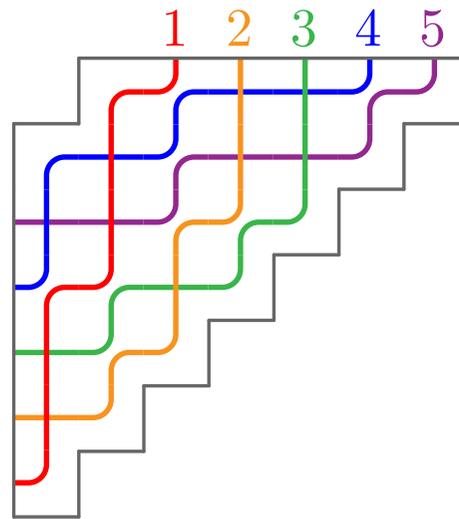
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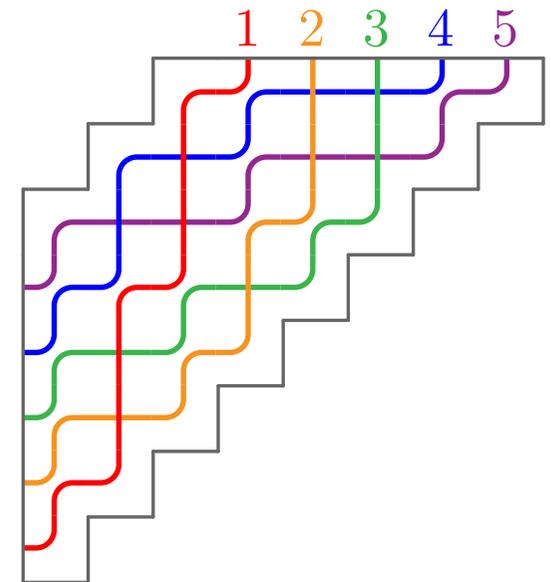
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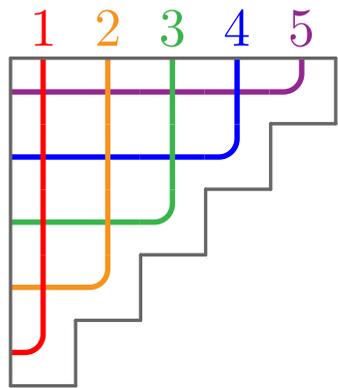


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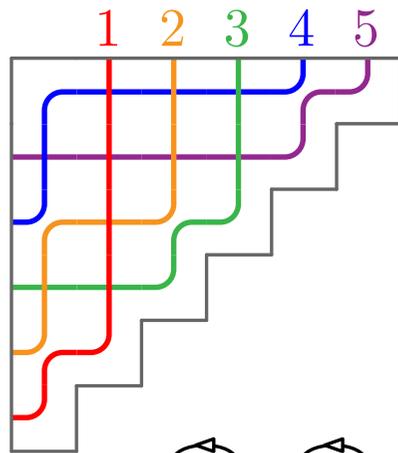
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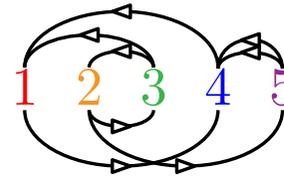
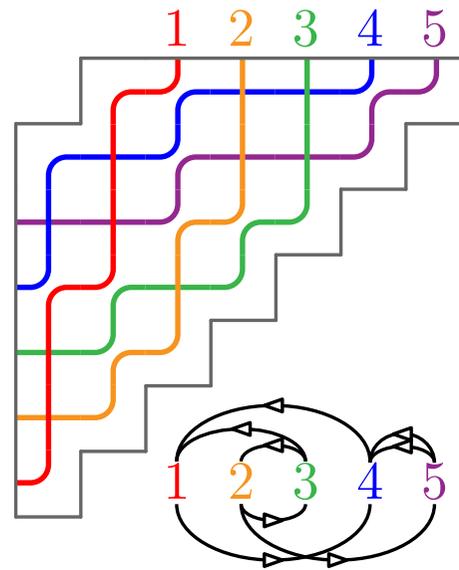


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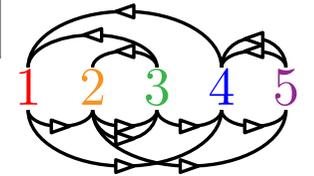
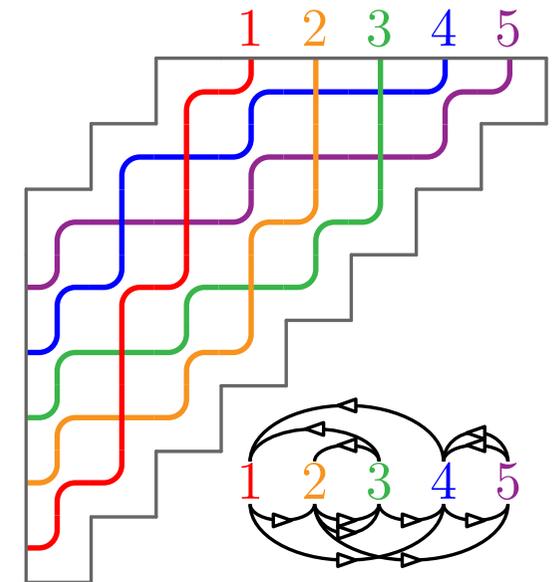
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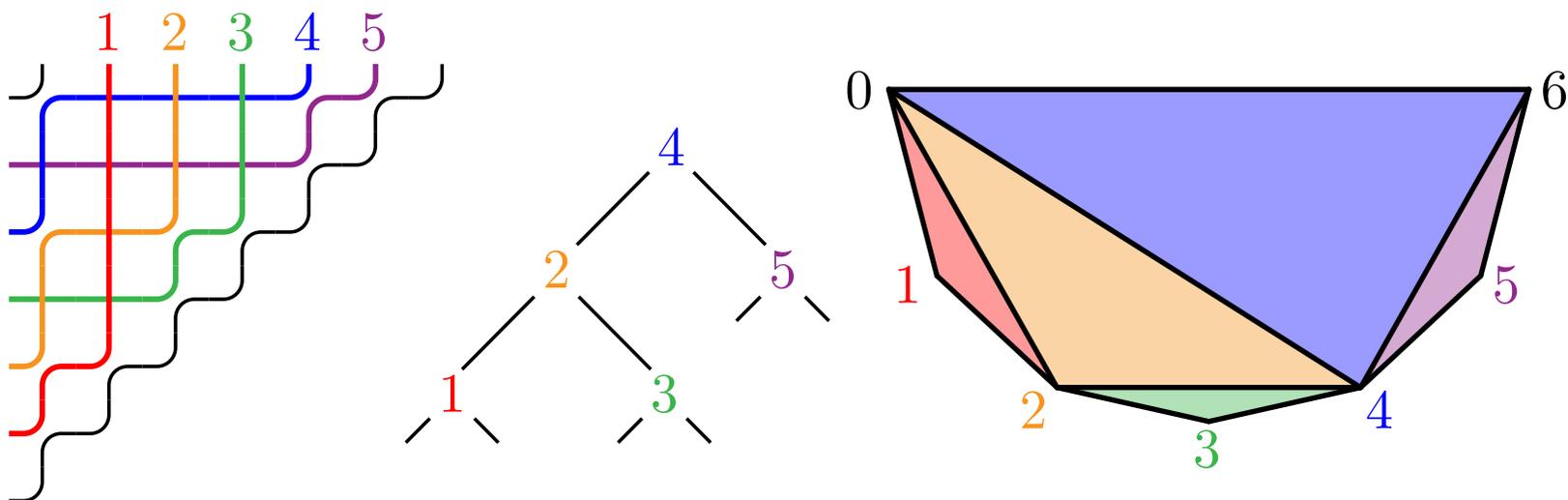
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$(k, n)$ -twist = pipe dream in the trapezoidal shape of height  $n$  and width  $k$   
 contact graph of a twist  $\mathbb{T}$  = vertices are pipes of  $\mathbb{T}$  and arcs are elbows of  $\mathbb{T}$

# 1-TWISTS AND TRIANGULATIONS

## Correspondence

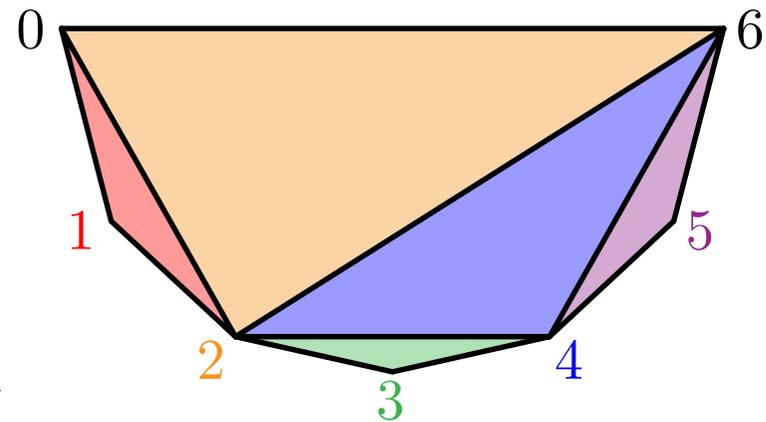
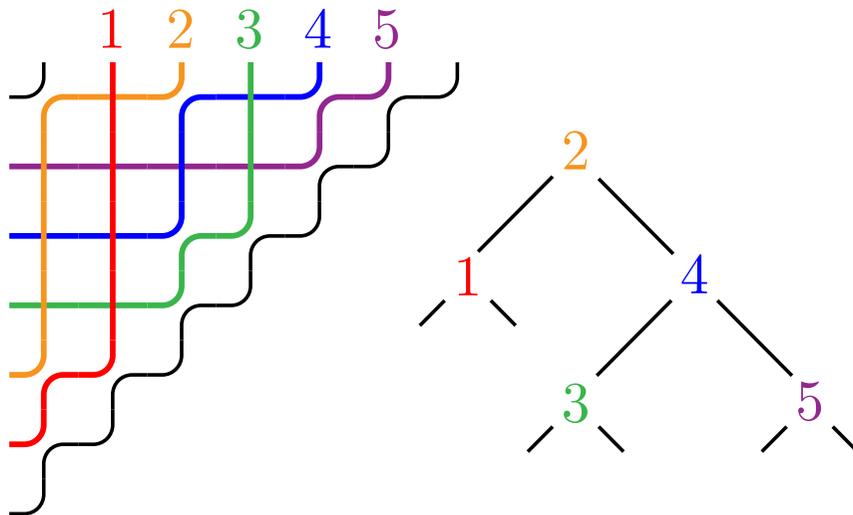
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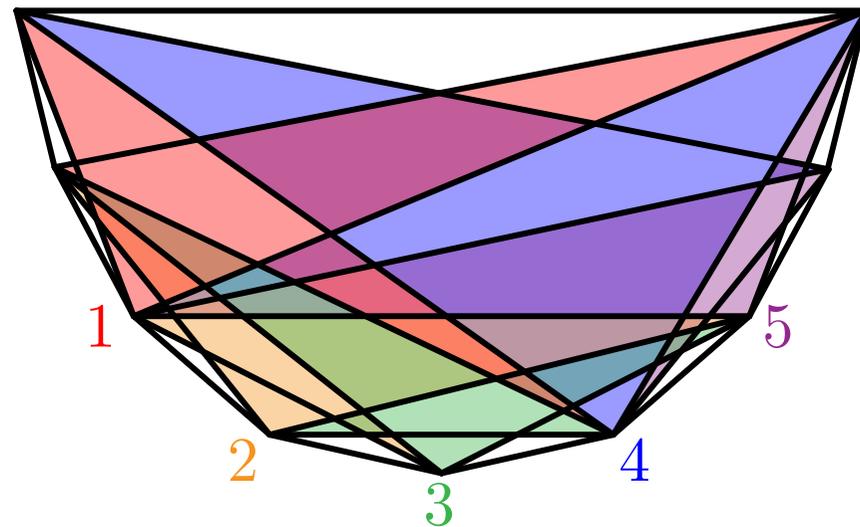
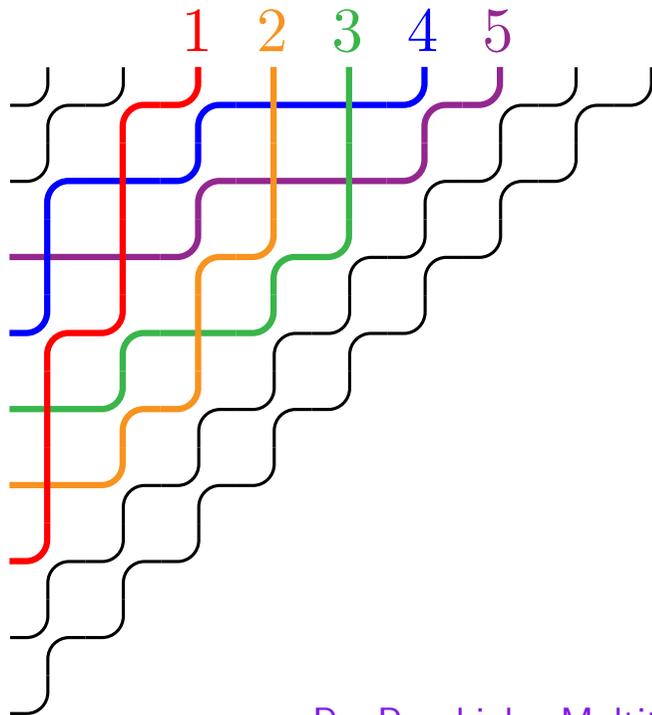
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# $k$ -TWISTS AND $k$ -TRIANGULATIONS

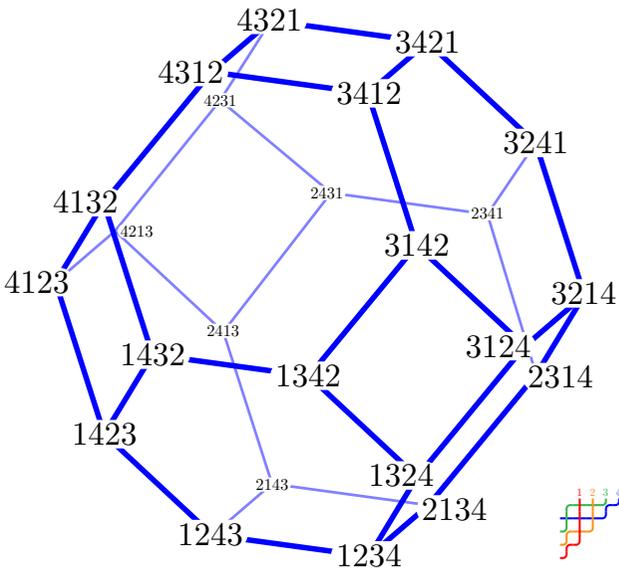
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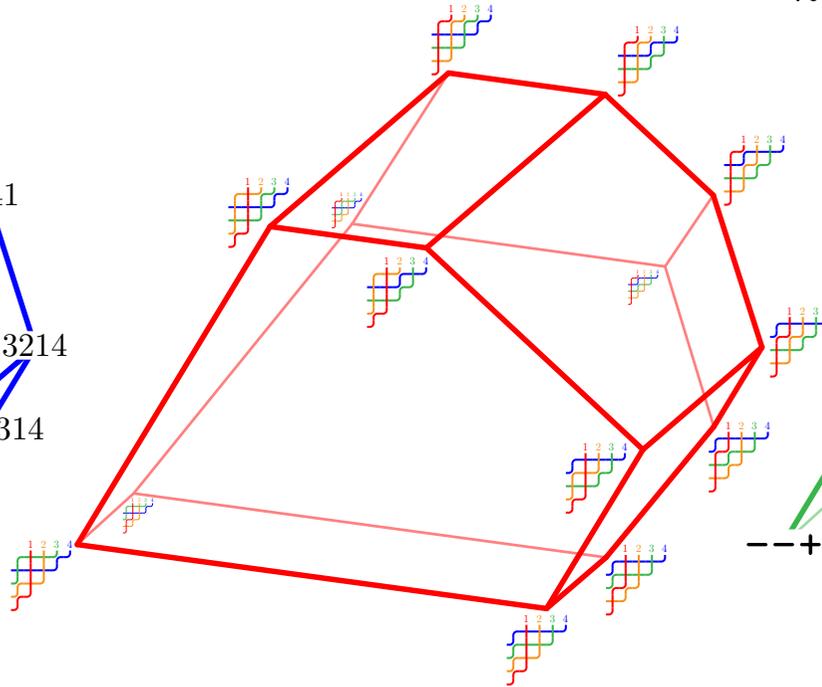


# BRICK POLYTOPES OF TWISTS

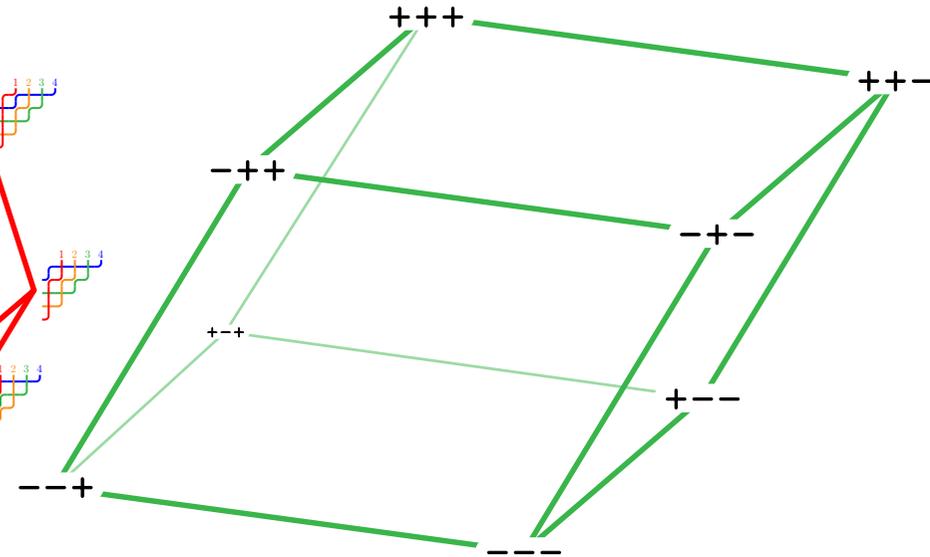
$k = 1$



permutahedron  $\text{Perm}(n)$   
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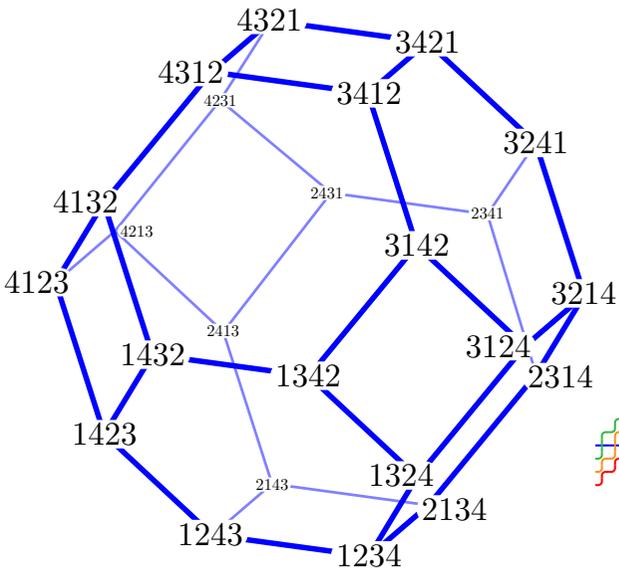


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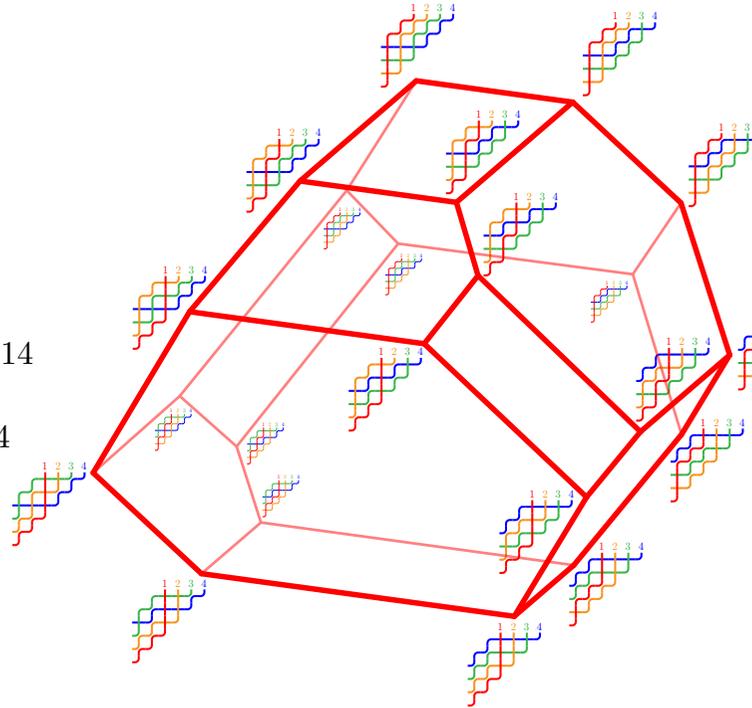
$k = 1$  gives Loday's associahedron!!

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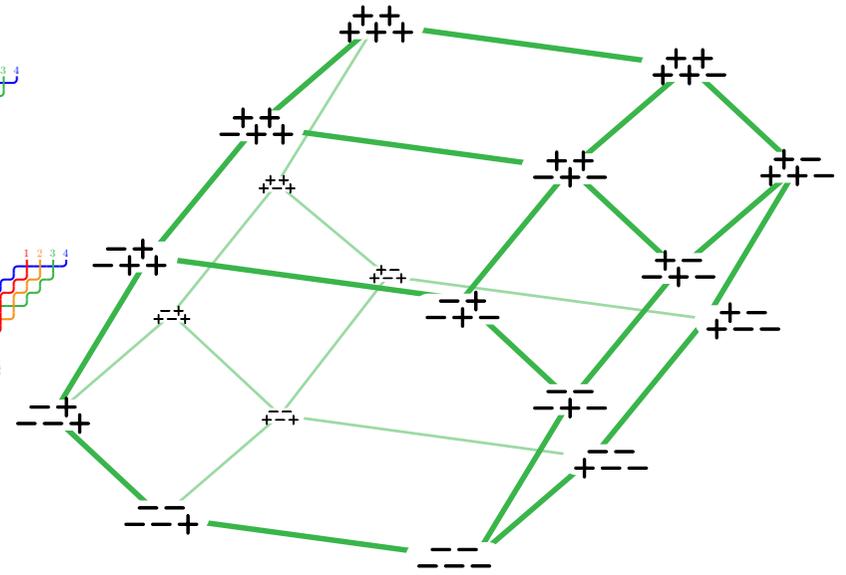
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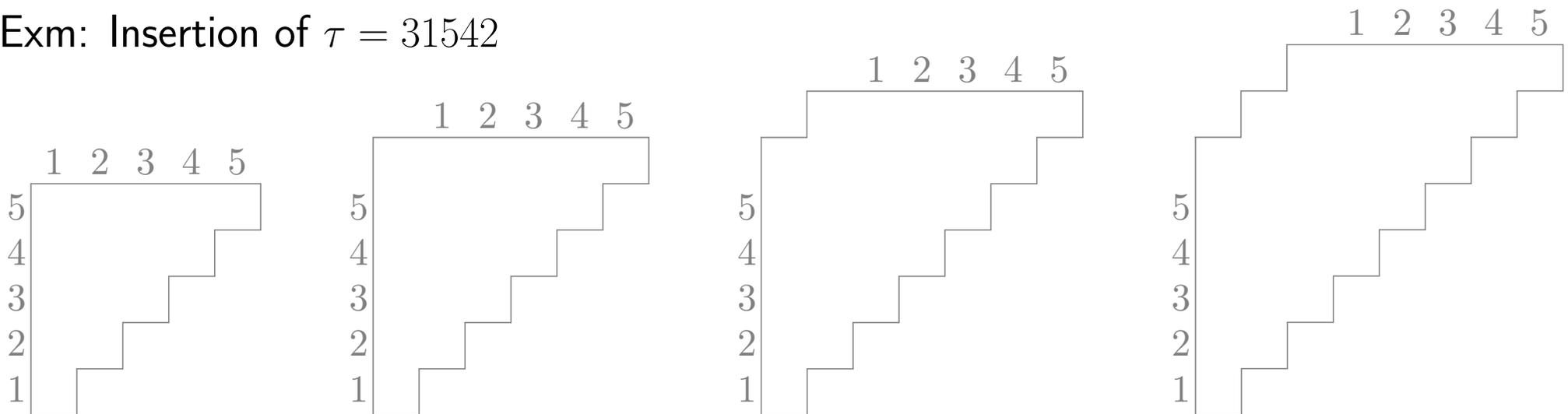
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Exm: Insertion of  $\tau = 31542$



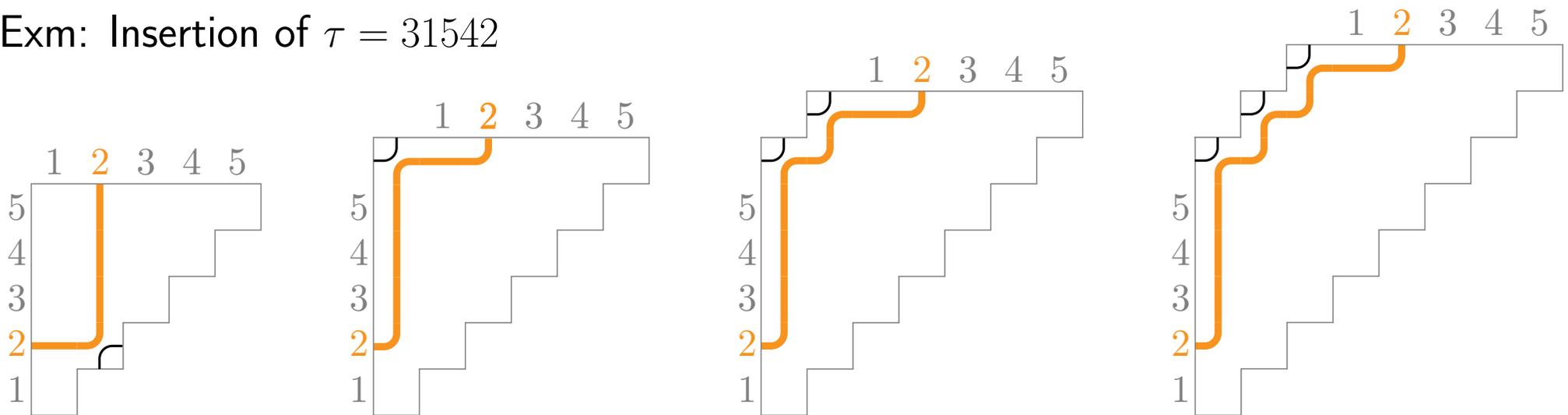
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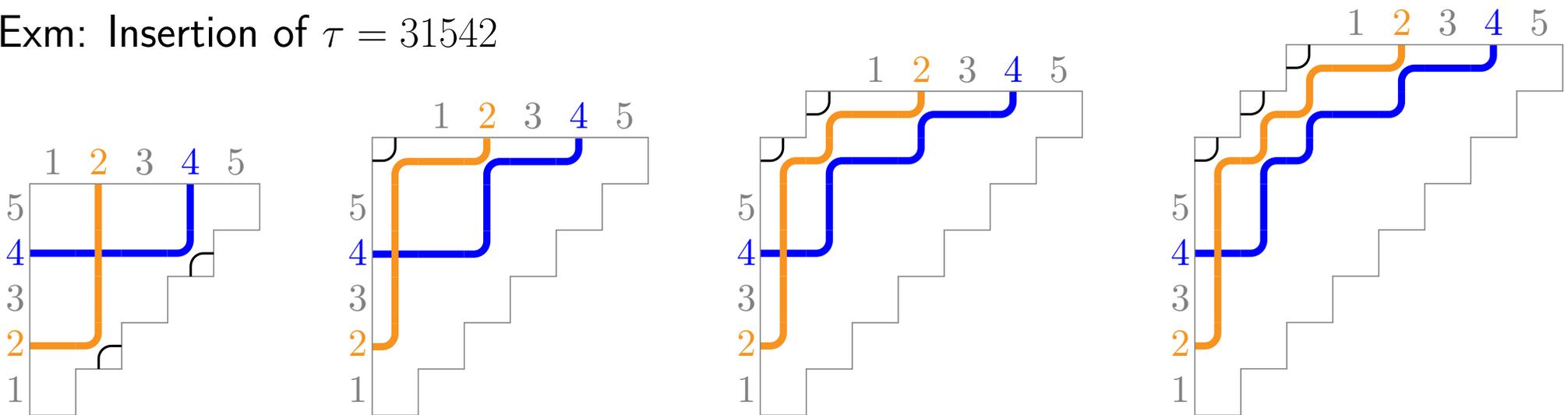
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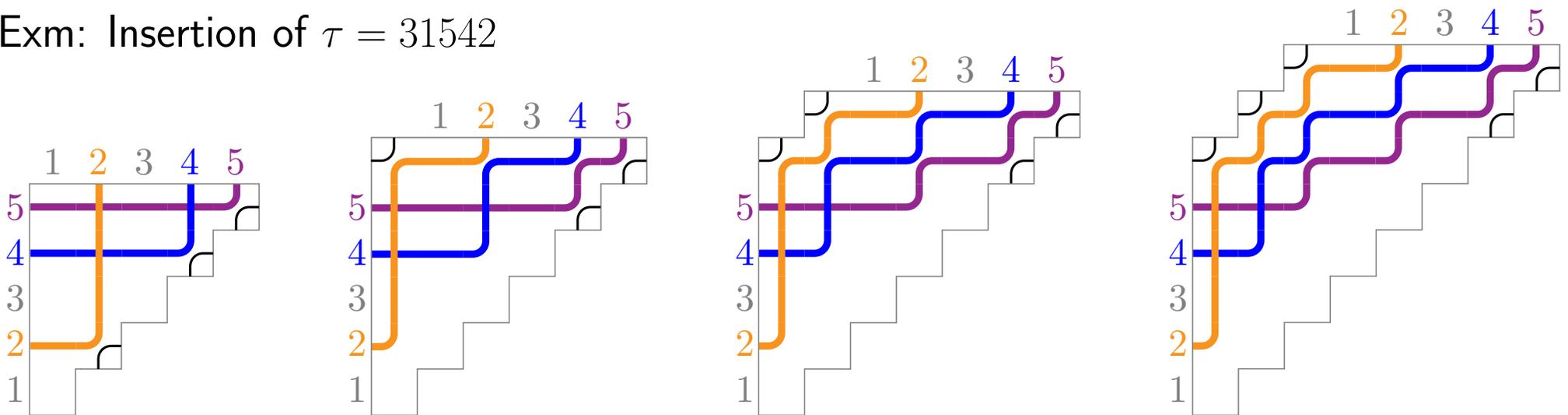
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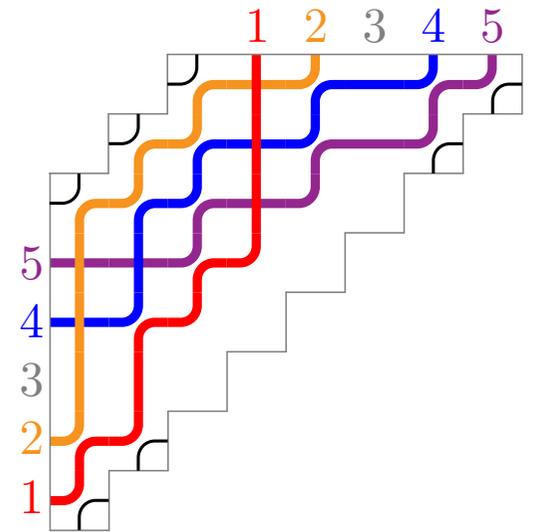
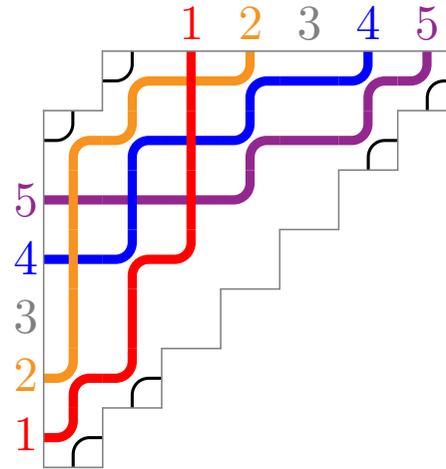
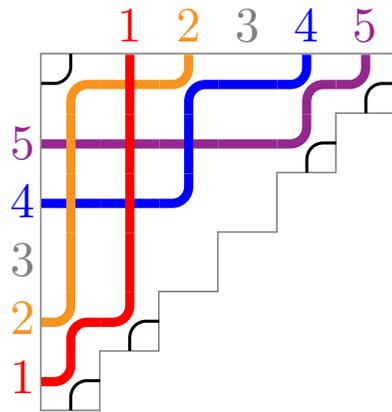
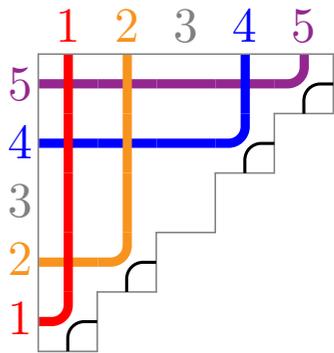
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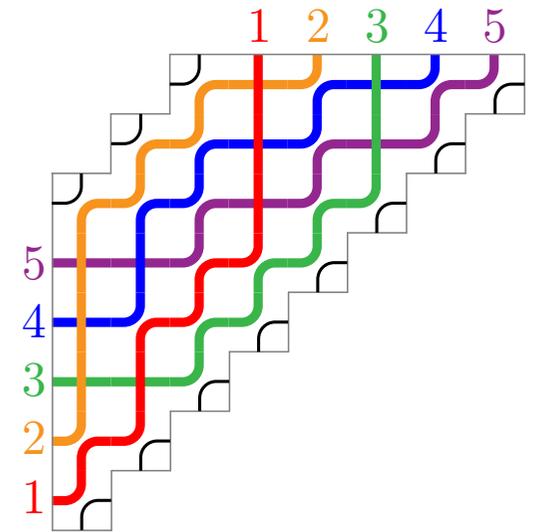
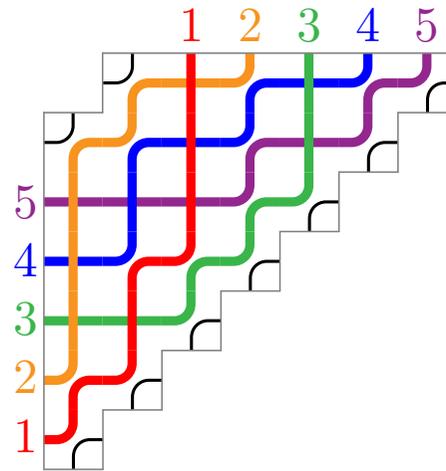
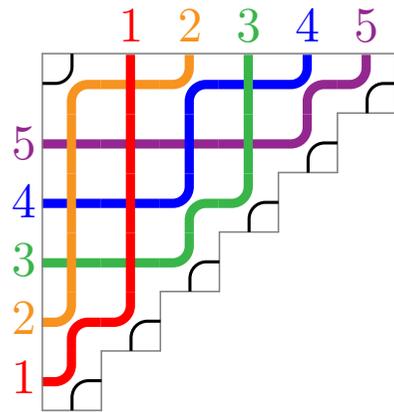
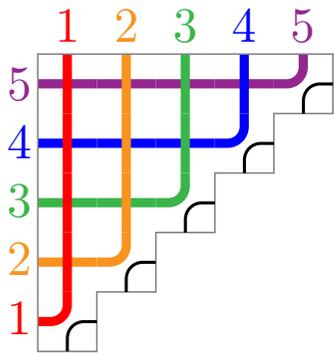
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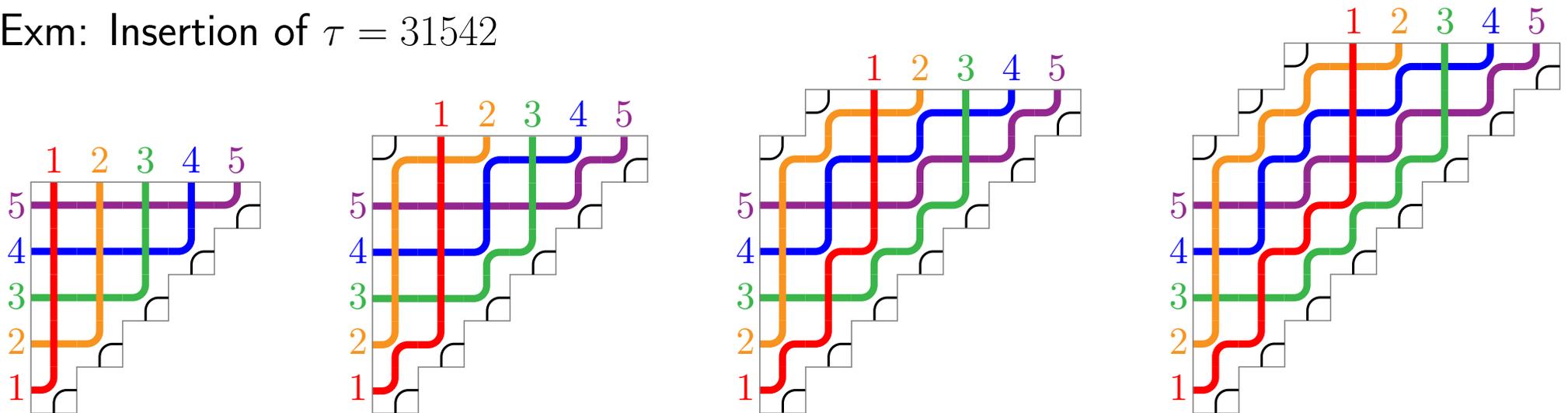
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**THM.**  $\text{ins}^k$  is a surjection from permutations of  $[n]$  to acyclic  $(k, n)$ -twists.  
fiber of a  $(k, n)$ -twist  $T =$  **linear extensions** of its contact graph  $T^\#$ .

Exm: insertion in binary search trees

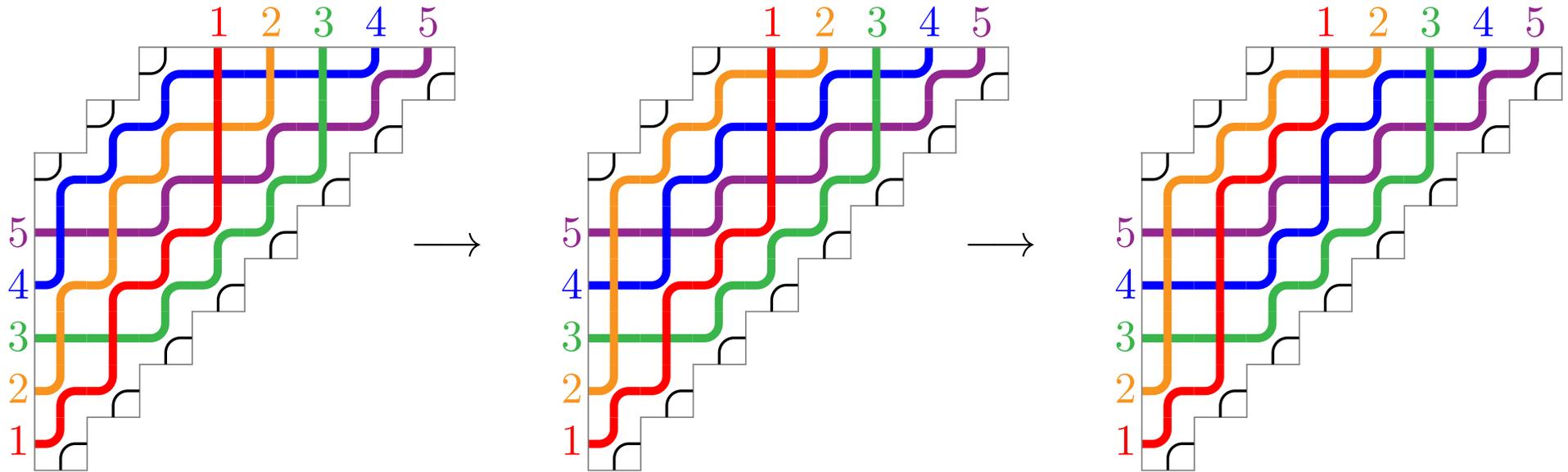


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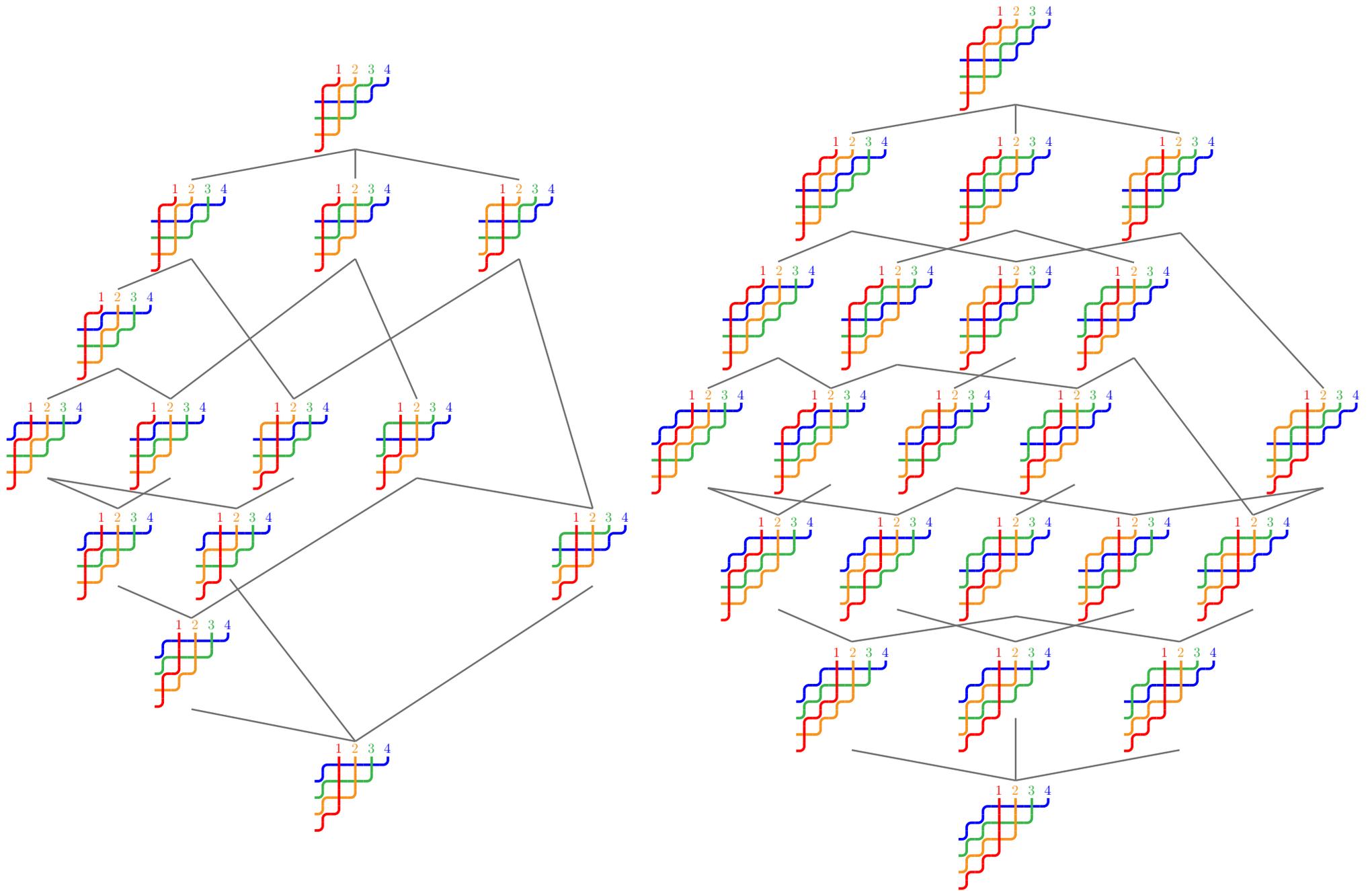
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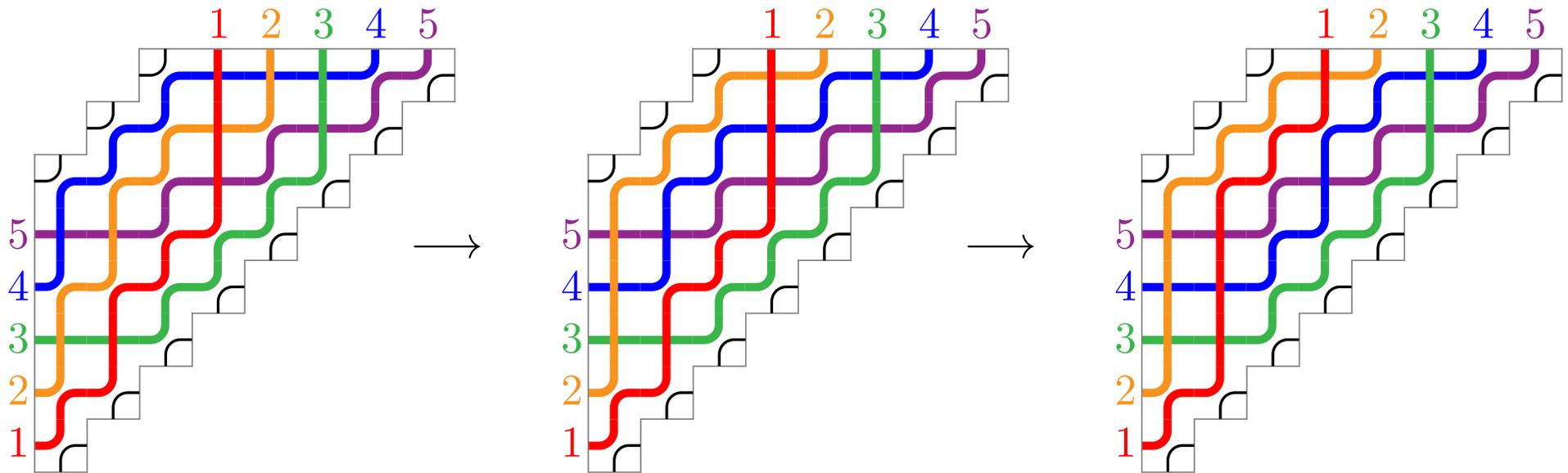


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**PROP.** The increasing flip order on acyclic  $k$ -twists is isomorphic to:

- the quotient lattice of the weak order by the  $k$ -twist congruence  $\equiv^k$ ,
- the subposet of the weak order induced by the permutations of  $\mathfrak{S}_n$  avoiding the pattern  $1(k+2) - (\sigma_1 + 1) - \dots - (\sigma_k + 1)$  for all  $\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_k$ .

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# TWIST ALGEBRA

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# SHUFFLE AND CONVOLUTION

For  $n, n' \in \mathbb{N}$ , consider the set of perms of  $\mathfrak{S}_{n+n'}$  with at most one descent, at position  $n$ :

$$\mathfrak{S}^{(n,n')} := \{\tau \in \mathfrak{S}_{n+n'} \mid \tau(1) < \dots < \tau(n) \text{ and } \tau(n+1) < \dots < \tau(n+n')\}$$

For  $\tau \in \mathfrak{S}_n$  and  $\tau' \in \mathfrak{S}_{n'}$ , define

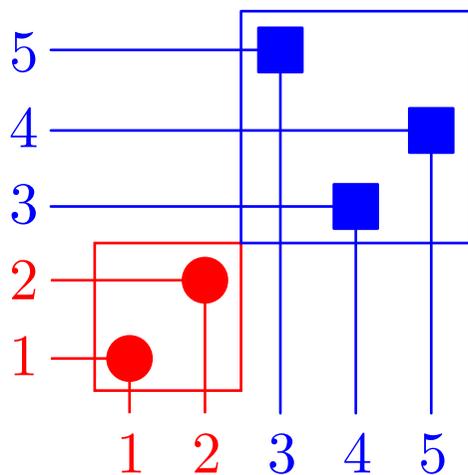
**shifted concatenation**  $\tau\bar{\tau}' = [\tau(1), \dots, \tau(n), \tau'(1) + n, \dots, \tau'(n') + n] \in \mathfrak{S}_{n+n'}$

**shifted shuffle product**  $\tau\bar{\sqcup}\tau' = \{(\tau\bar{\tau}') \circ \pi^{-1} \mid \pi \in \mathfrak{S}^{(n,n')}\} \subset \mathfrak{S}_{n+n'}$

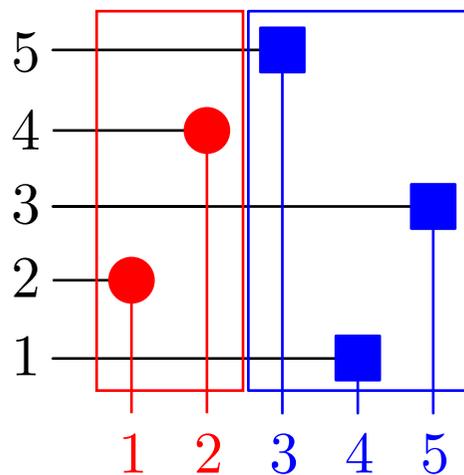
**convolution product**  $\tau\star\tau' = \{\pi \circ (\tau\bar{\tau}') \mid \pi \in \mathfrak{S}^{(n,n')}\} \subset \mathfrak{S}_{n+n'}$

Exm:  $12\bar{\sqcup}231 = \{12453, 14253, 14523, 14532, 41253, 41523, 41532, 45123, 45132, 45312\}$

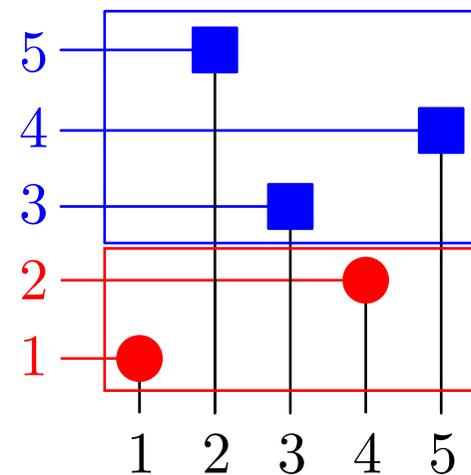
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concatenation



shuffle



convolution

# MALVENUTO & REUTENAUER'S HOPF ALGEBRA ON PERMUTATIONS

DEF. Combinatorial Hopf Algebra = combinatorial vector space  $\mathcal{B}$  endowed with

$$\text{product } \cdot : \mathcal{B} \otimes \mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$$

$$\text{coproduct } \Delta : \mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{B} \otimes \mathcal{B}$$

which are “compatible”, ie.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 \mathcal{B} \otimes \mathcal{B} & \xrightarrow{\cdot} & \mathcal{B} & \xrightarrow{\Delta} & \mathcal{B} \otimes \mathcal{B} \\
 \Delta \otimes \Delta \downarrow & & & & \uparrow \cdot \otimes \cdot \\
 \mathcal{B} \otimes \mathcal{B} \otimes \mathcal{B} \otimes \mathcal{B} & \xrightarrow{I \otimes \text{swap} \otimes I} & \mathcal{B} \otimes \mathcal{B} \otimes \mathcal{B} \otimes \mathcal{B} & & 
 \end{array}$$

Malvenuto-Reutenauer algebra = Hopf algebra FQSym with basis  $(\mathbb{F}_\tau)_{\tau \in \mathfrak{S}}$  and where

$$\mathbb{F}_\tau \cdot \mathbb{F}_{\tau'} = \sum_{\sigma \in \tau \sqcup \tau'} \mathbb{F}_\sigma \quad \text{and} \quad \Delta \mathbb{F}_\sigma = \sum_{\sigma \in \tau \star \tau'} \mathbb{F}_\tau \otimes \mathbb{F}_{\tau'}$$

# HOPF SUBALGEBRA

$k$ -Twist algebra = vector subspace  $\text{Twist}^k$  of  $\text{FQSym}$  generated by

$$\mathbb{P}_T := \sum_{\substack{\tau \in \mathfrak{S} \\ \text{ins}^k(\tau) = T}} \mathbb{F}_\tau = \sum_{\tau \in \mathcal{L}(T^\#)} \mathbb{F}_\tau,$$

for all acyclic  $k$ -twists  $T$ .

Exm:

$$\begin{array}{l} \mathbb{P}_{\begin{array}{c} \color{red}{1} \color{blue}{2} \color{green}{3} \color{purple}{4} \color{orange}{5} \\ \color{red}{\downarrow} \color{blue}{\downarrow} \color{green}{\downarrow} \color{purple}{\downarrow} \color{orange}{\downarrow} \end{array}} = \sum_{\tau \in \mathfrak{S}_5} \mathbb{F}_\tau \\ \mathbb{P}_{\begin{array}{c} \color{red}{1} \color{blue}{2} \color{green}{3} \color{purple}{4} \color{orange}{5} \\ \color{red}{\downarrow} \color{blue}{\downarrow} \color{green}{\downarrow} \color{purple}{\downarrow} \color{orange}{\downarrow} \end{array}} = \mathbb{F}_{13542} + \mathbb{F}_{15342} \\ \quad + \mathbb{F}_{31542} + \mathbb{F}_{51342} \\ \quad + \mathbb{F}_{35142} + \mathbb{F}_{53142} \\ \quad + \mathbb{F}_{35412} + \mathbb{F}_{53412} \\ \mathbb{P}_{\begin{array}{c} \color{red}{1} \color{blue}{2} \color{green}{3} \color{purple}{4} \color{orange}{5} \\ \color{red}{\downarrow} \color{blue}{\downarrow} \color{green}{\downarrow} \color{purple}{\downarrow} \color{orange}{\downarrow} \end{array}} = \mathbb{F}_{31542} \\ \quad + \mathbb{F}_{35142} \\ \mathbb{P}_{\begin{array}{c} \color{red}{1} \color{blue}{2} \color{green}{3} \color{purple}{4} \color{orange}{5} \\ \color{red}{\downarrow} \color{blue}{\downarrow} \color{green}{\downarrow} \color{purple}{\downarrow} \color{orange}{\downarrow} \end{array}} = \mathbb{F}_{31542}. \end{array}$$

**THEO.**  $\text{Twist}^k$  is a subalgebra of  $\text{FQSym}$

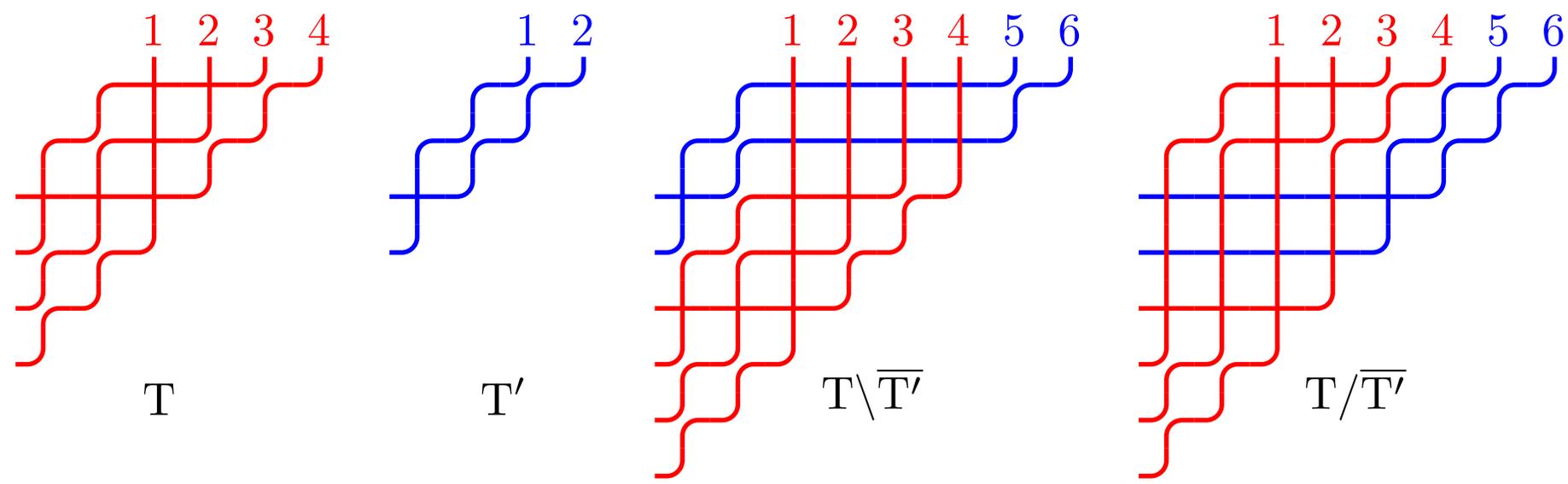
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GAME: Explain the product and coproduct directly on the  $k$ -twists...

# PRODUCT

$$\begin{aligned}
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 \end{aligned}$$

**PROP.** For  $T \in \mathcal{AT}^k(n)$  and  $T' \in \mathcal{AT}^k(n')$  acyclic  $k$ -twists,  $\mathbb{P}_T \cdot \mathbb{P}_{T'} = \sum_S \mathbb{P}_S$ , where  $S$  runs over the interval between  $T \setminus T'$  and  $T / T'$  in the  $(k, n + n')$ -twist lattice.



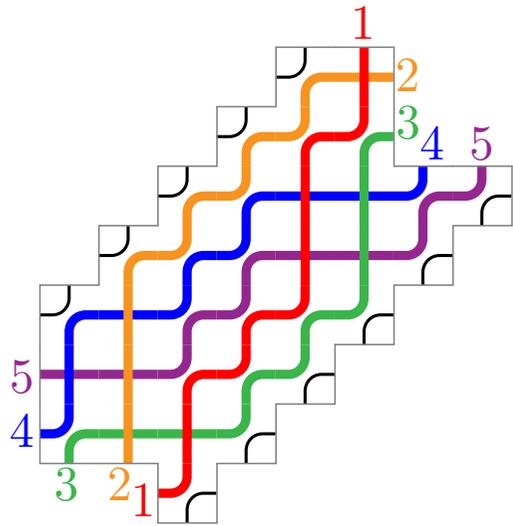
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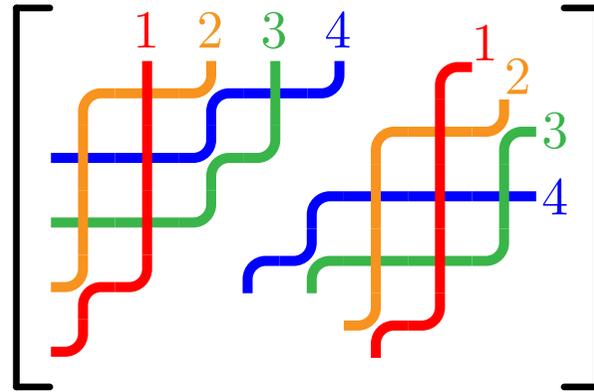
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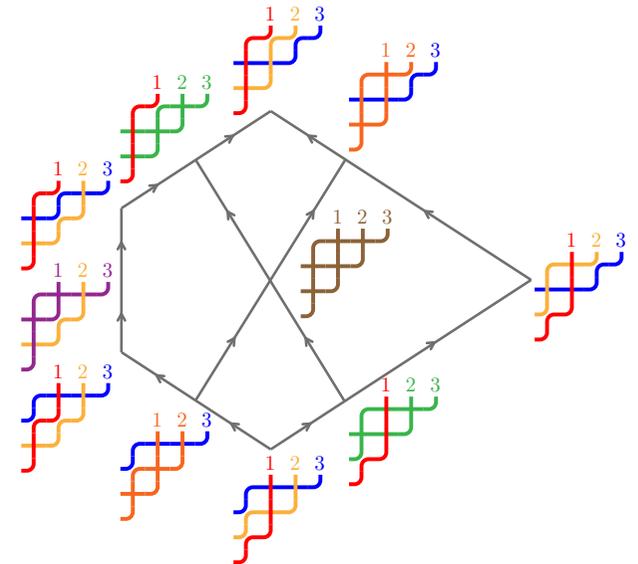
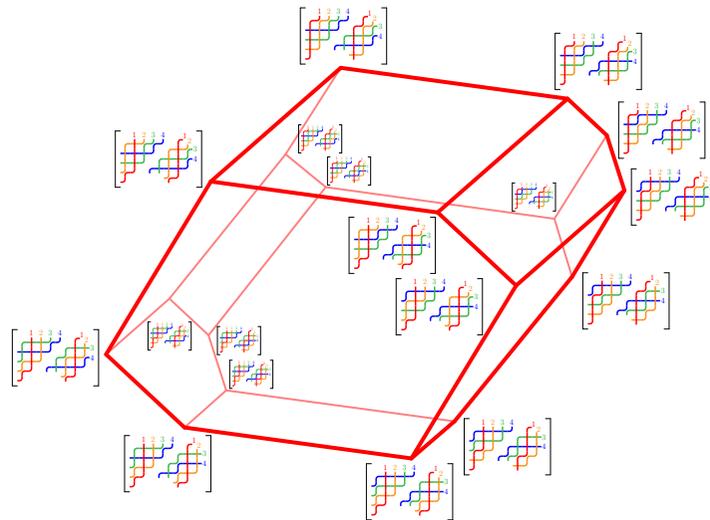
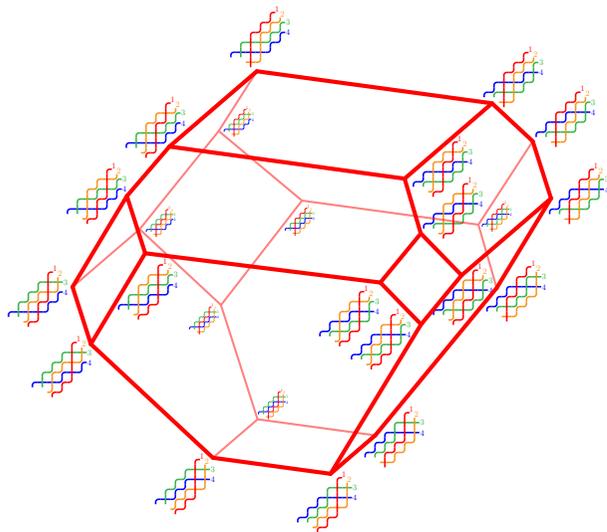
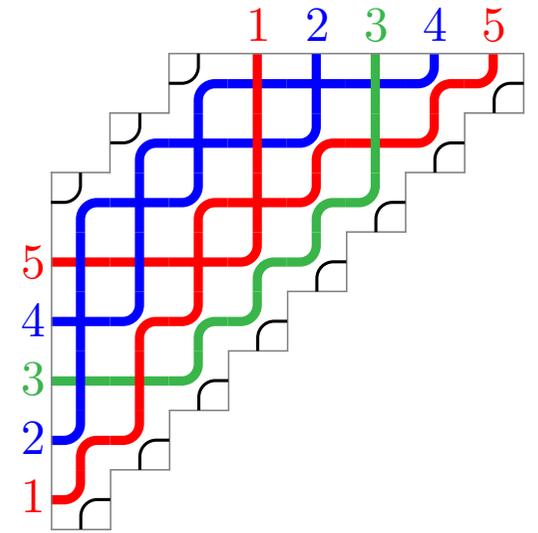
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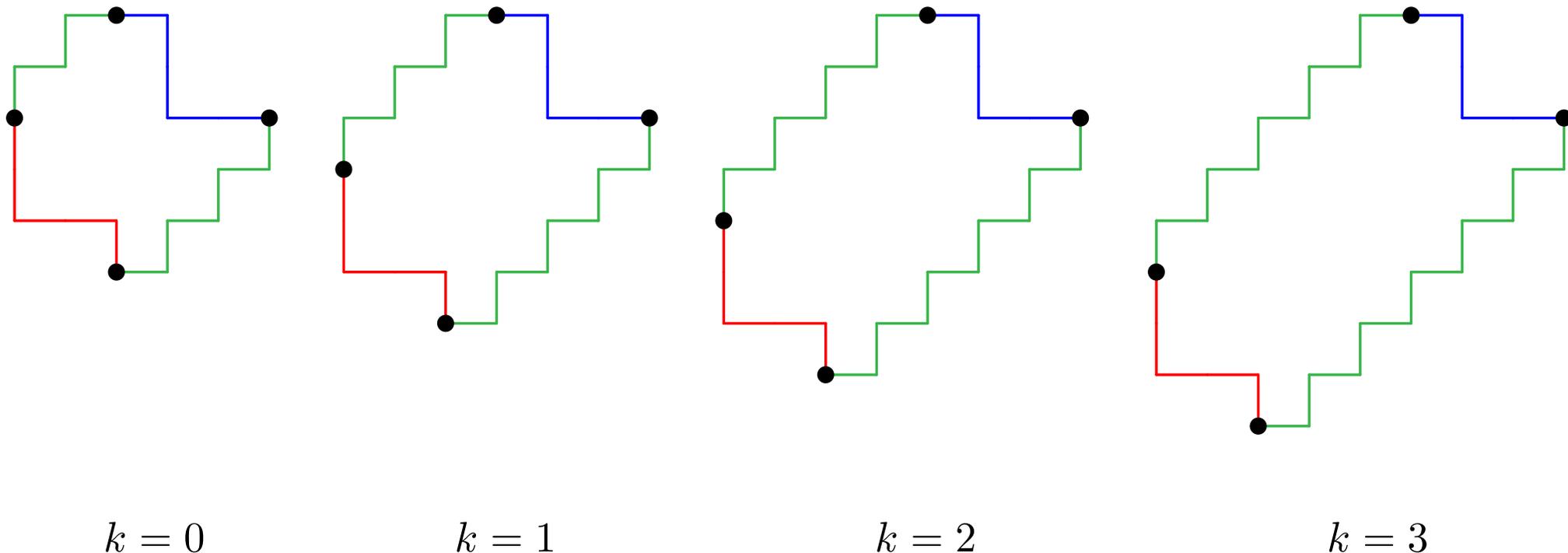
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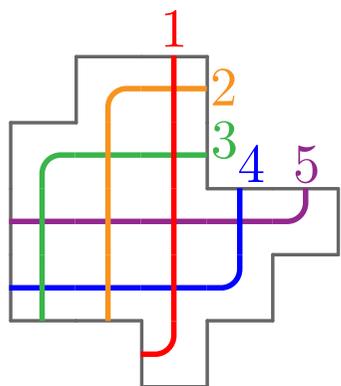
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$k \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $\varepsilon \in \pm^n$ , define a **shape**  $\text{Sh}_\varepsilon^k$  formed by four monotone lattices paths:

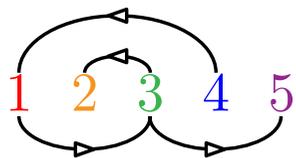
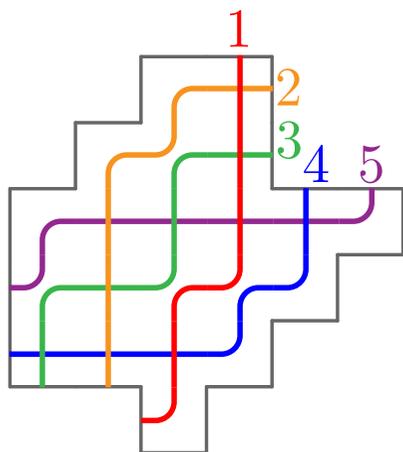
- (i) **enter path**: from  $(|\varepsilon|_+, 0)$  to  $(0, |\varepsilon|_-)$  with  $p$ th step north if  $\varepsilon_p = -$  and west if  $\varepsilon_p = +$ ,
- (ii) **exit path**: from  $(|\varepsilon|_+ + k, n + k)$  to  $(n + k, |\varepsilon|_- + k)$  with  $p$ th step east if  $\varepsilon_p = -$  and south if  $\varepsilon_p = +$ ,
- (iii) **accordion paths**: the path  $(NE)^{|\varepsilon|_+ + k}$  from  $(0, |\varepsilon|_-)$  to  $(|\varepsilon|_+ + k, n + k)$  and the path  $(EN)^{|\varepsilon|_- + k}$  from  $(|\varepsilon|_+, 0)$  to  $(n + k, |\varepsilon|_- + k)$ .

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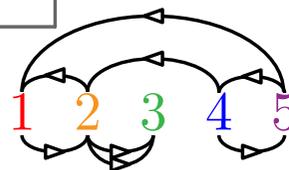
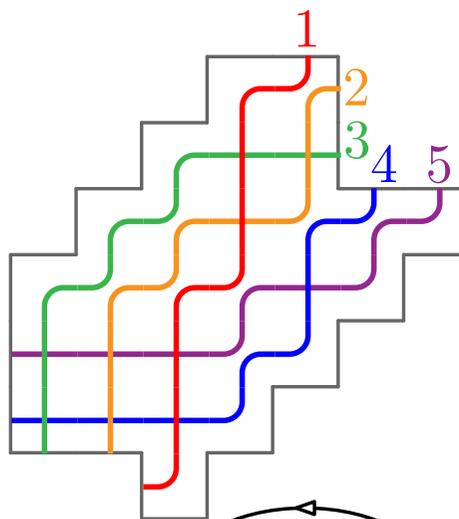


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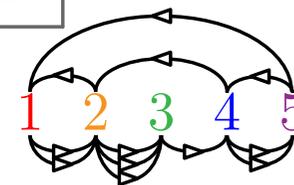
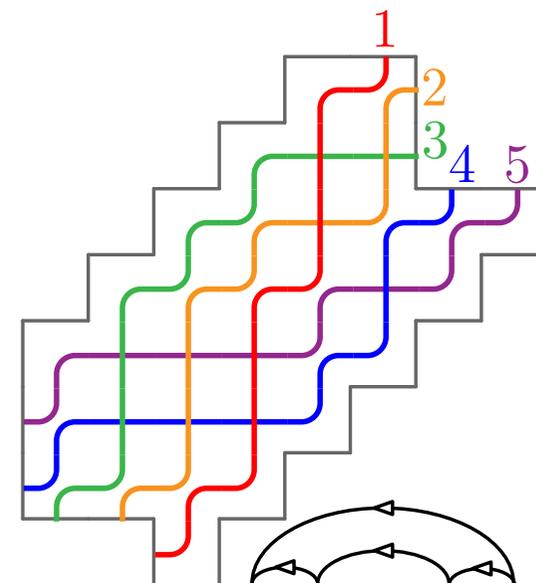
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Cambrian  $(k, \varepsilon)$ -twist = pipe dream in  $\text{Sh}_\varepsilon^k$

contact graph of a twist  $\mathbb{T}$  = vertices are pipes of  $\mathbb{T}$  and arcs are elbows of  $\mathbb{T}$

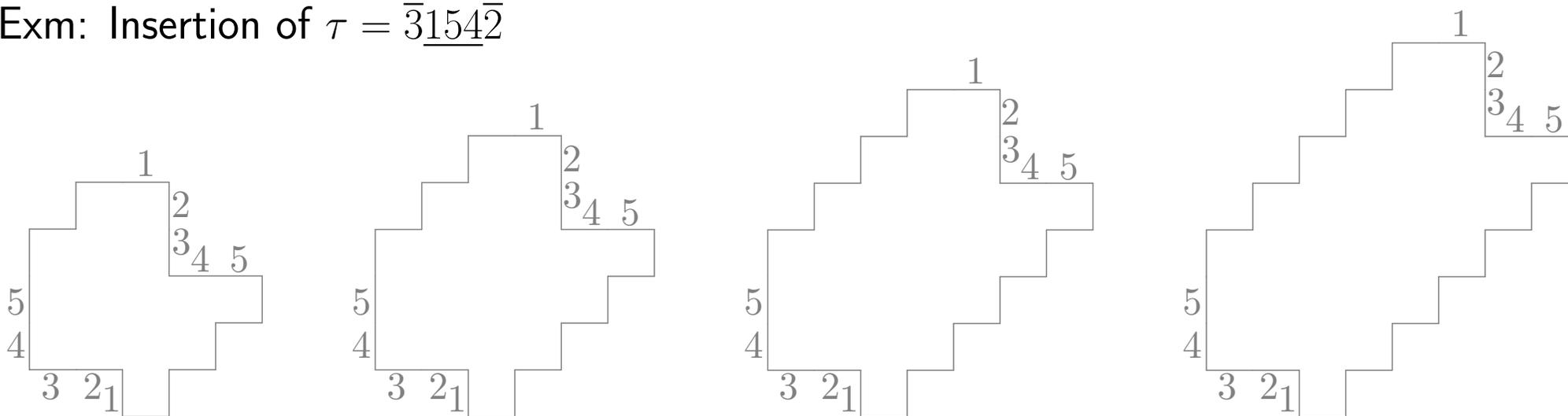
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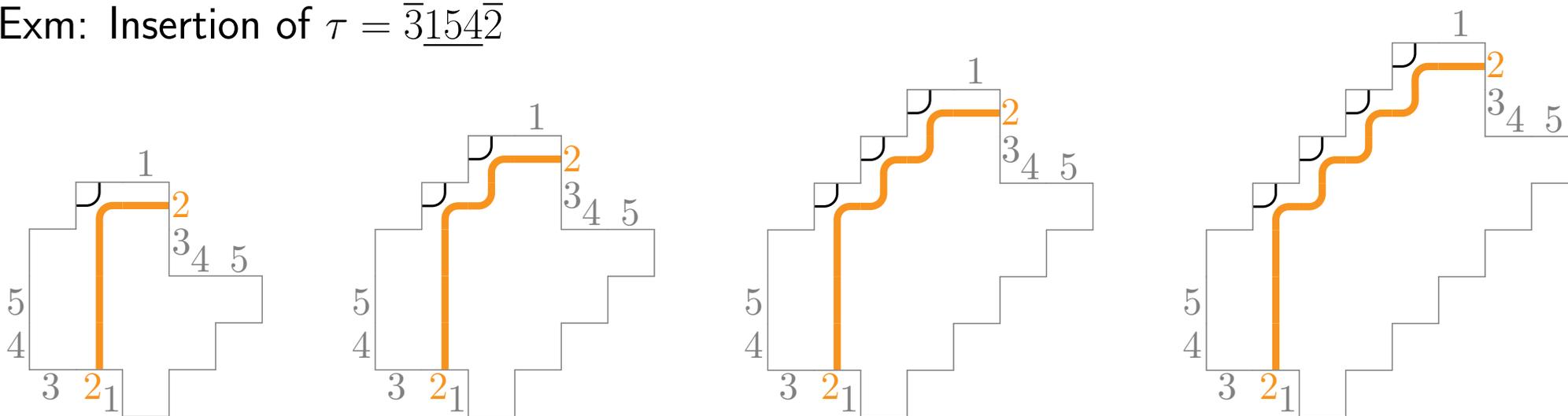
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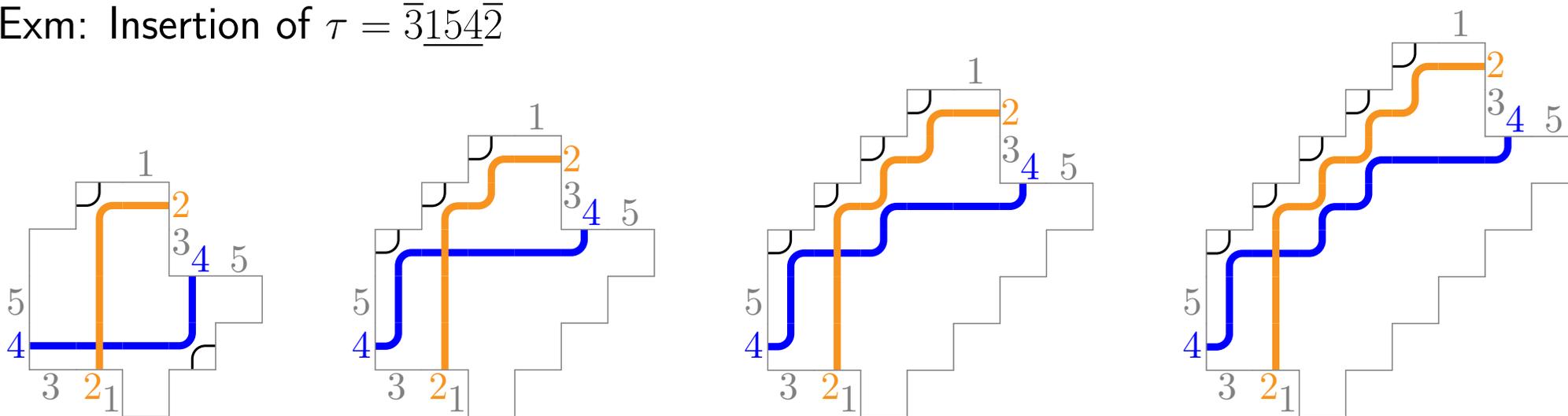
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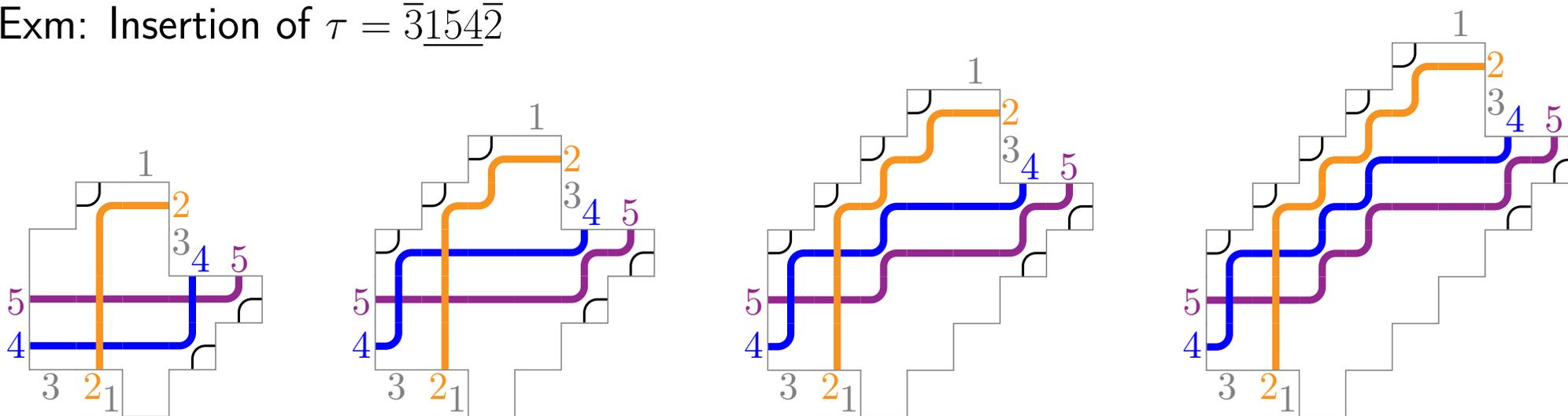
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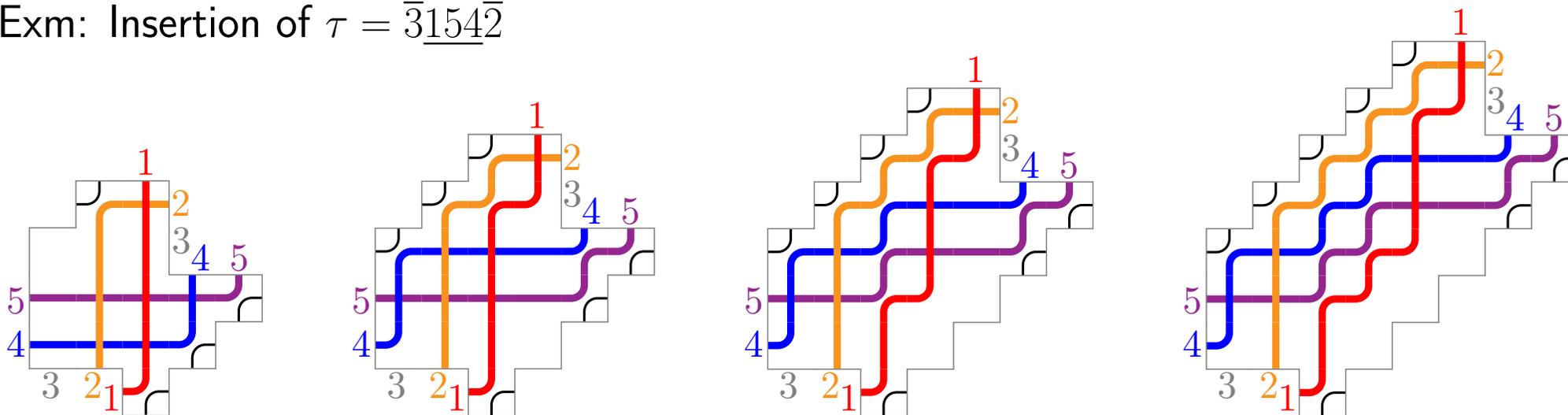
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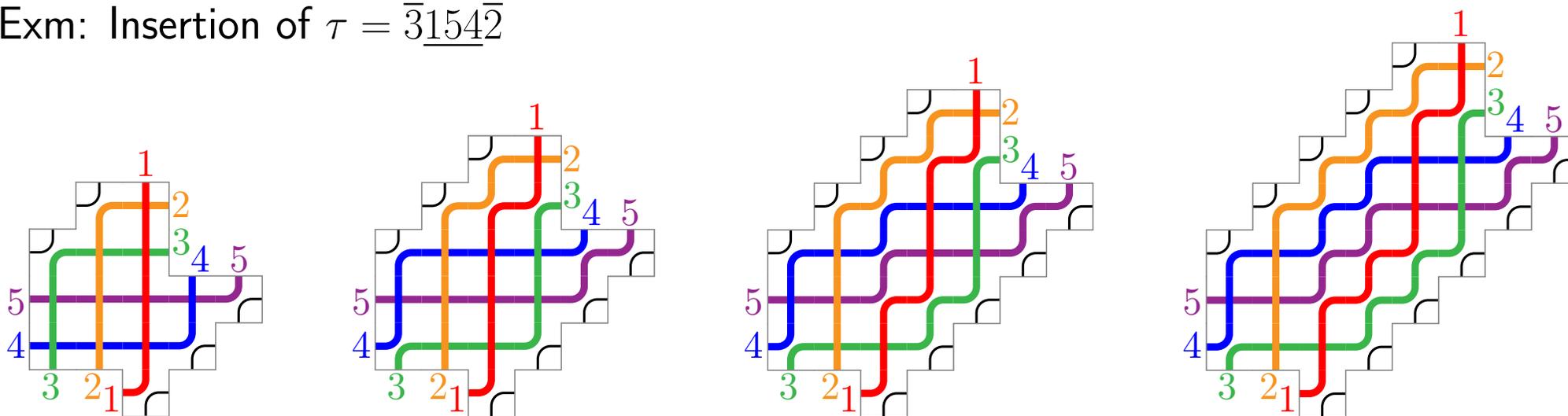
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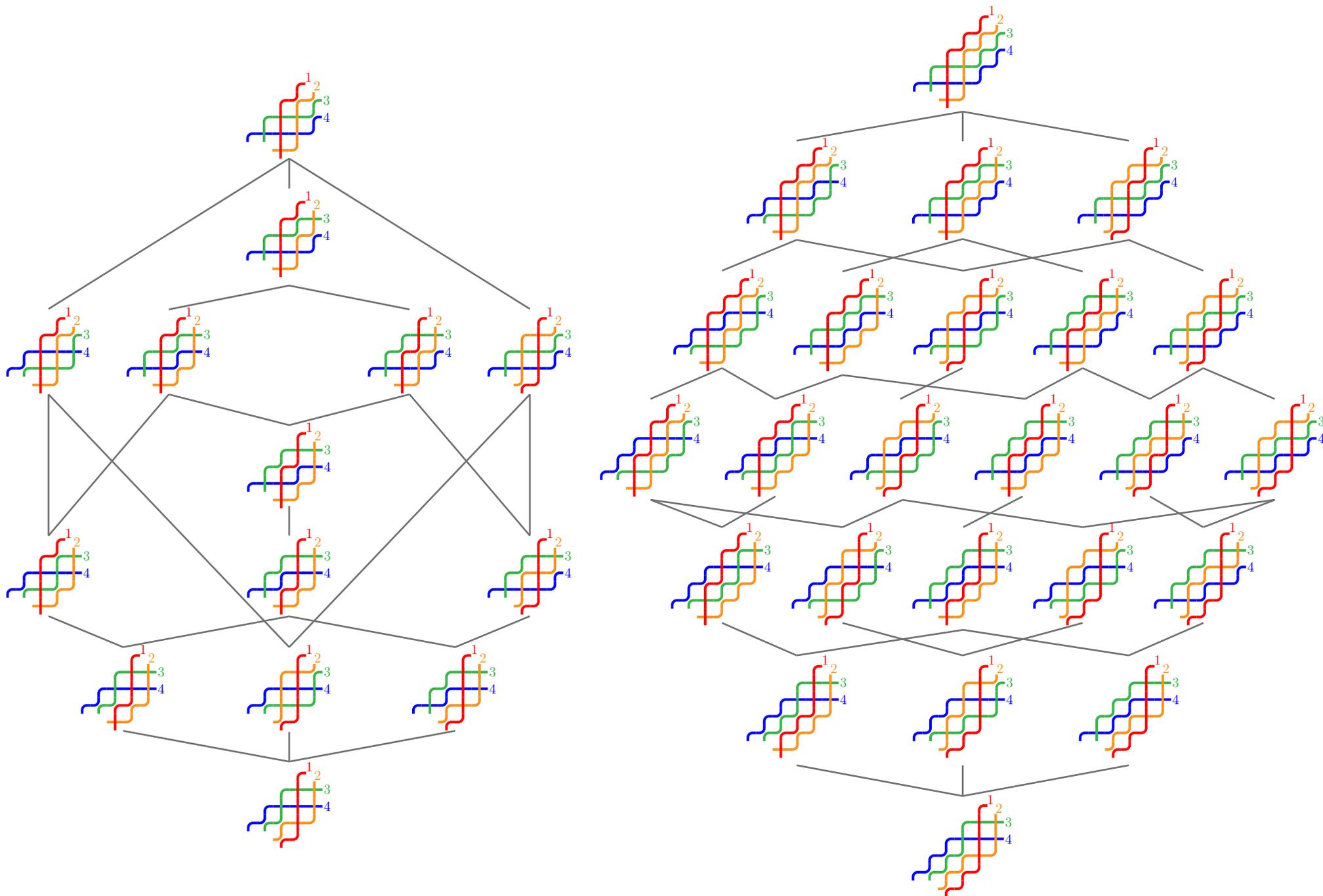
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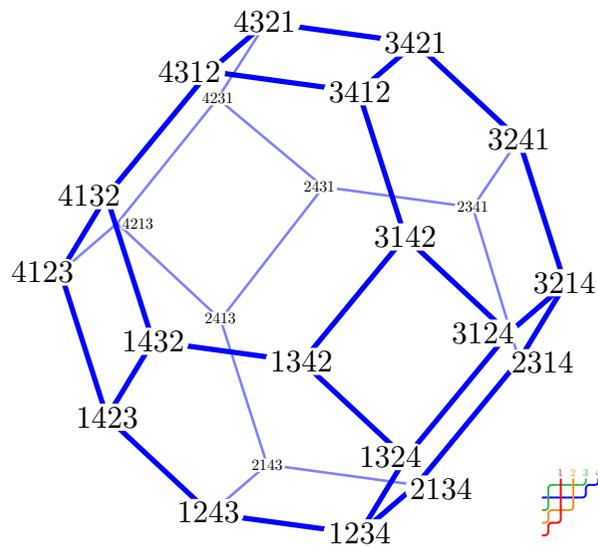


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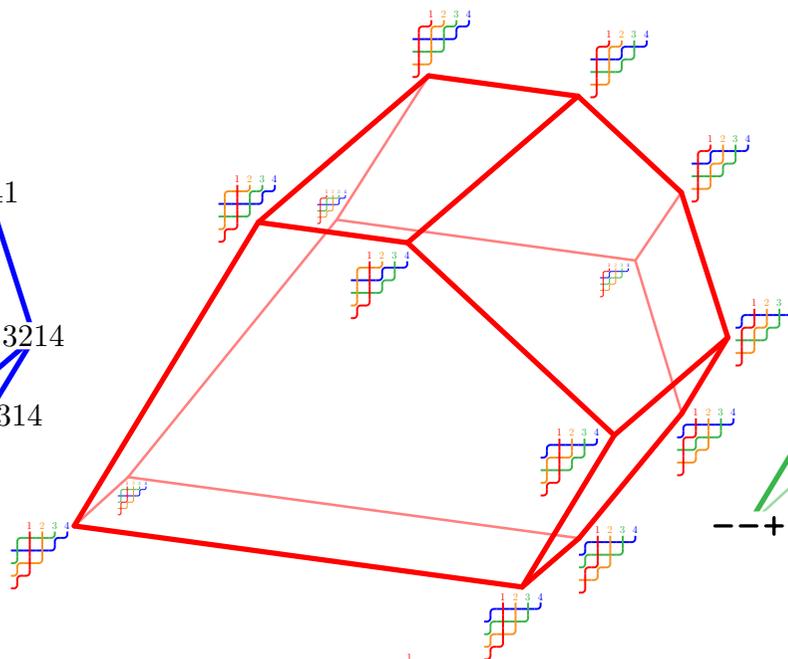


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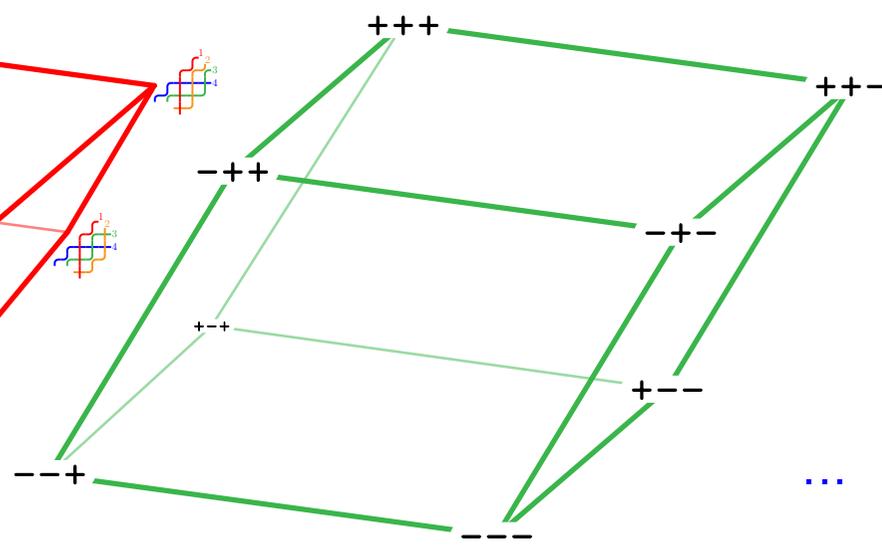
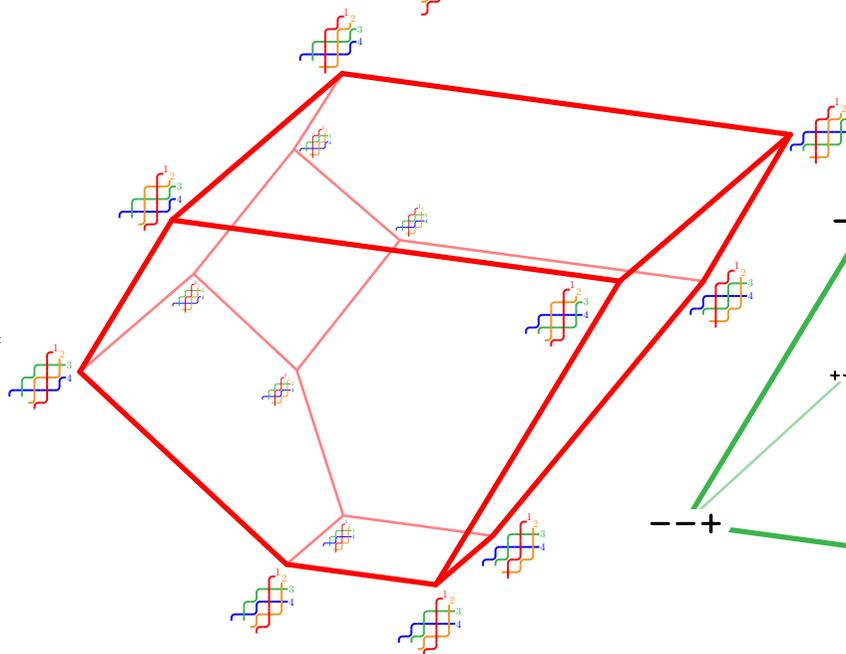
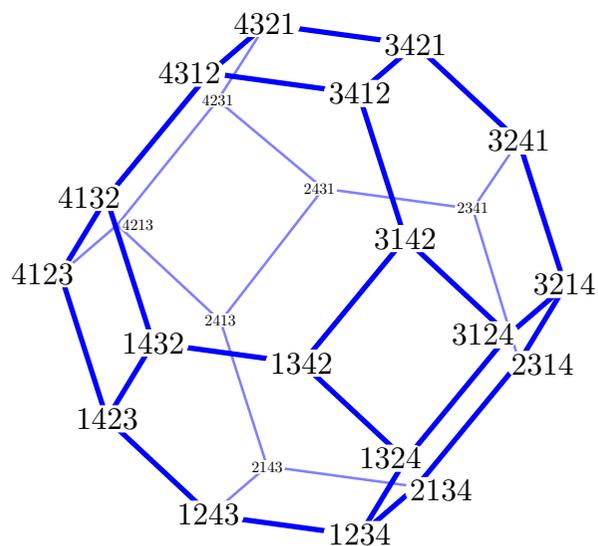
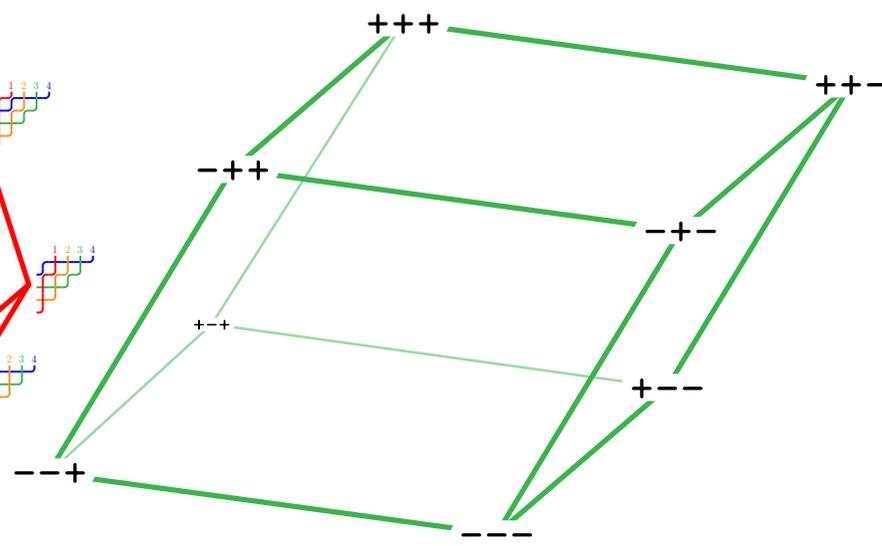
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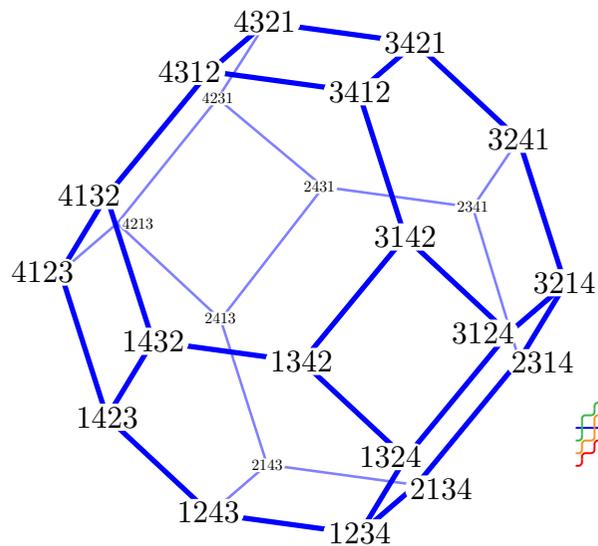


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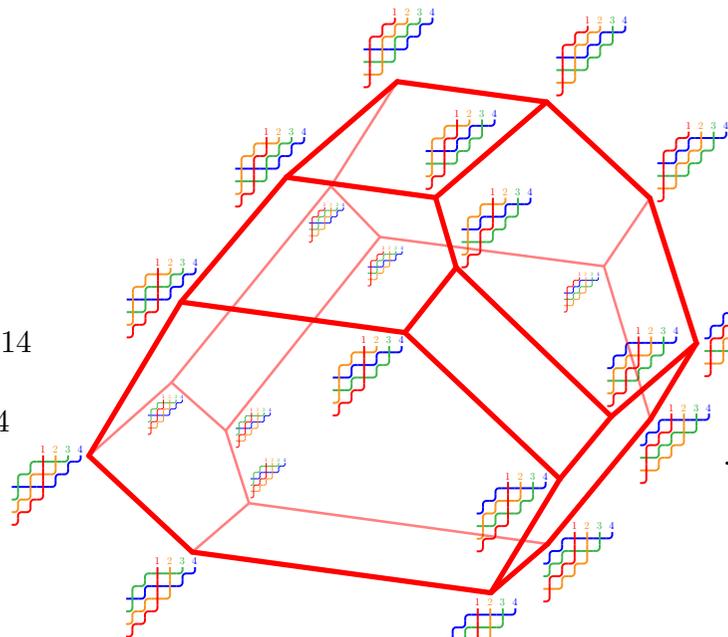


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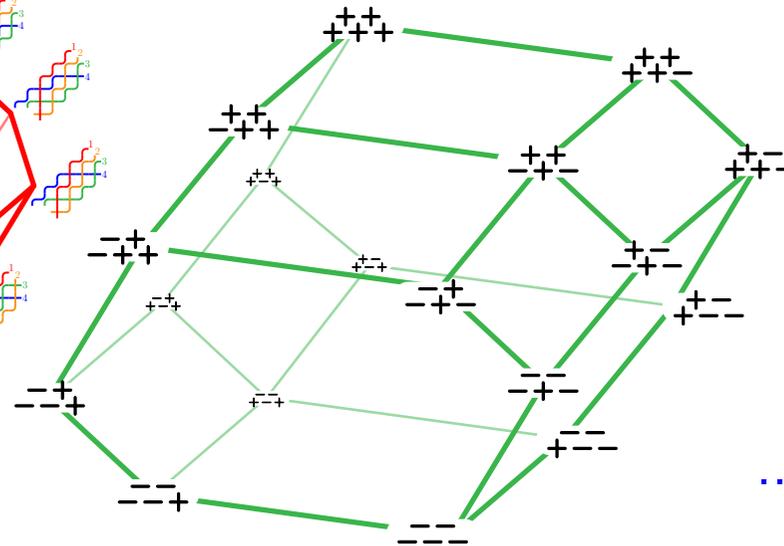
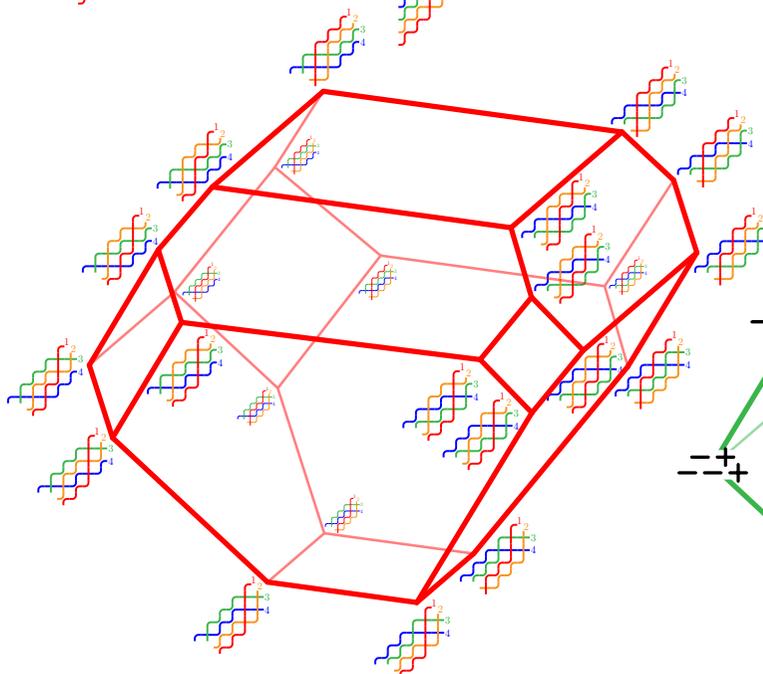
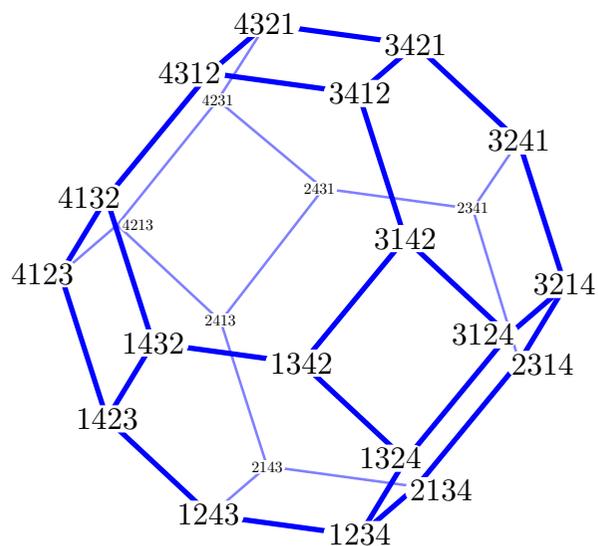
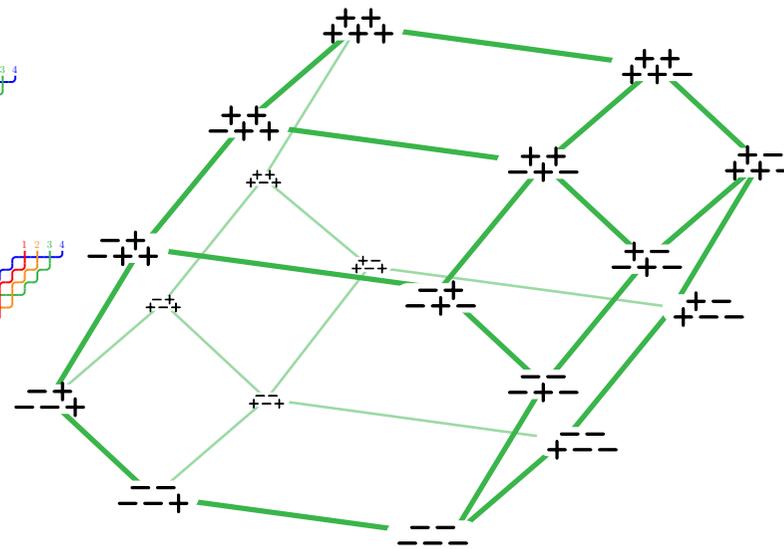
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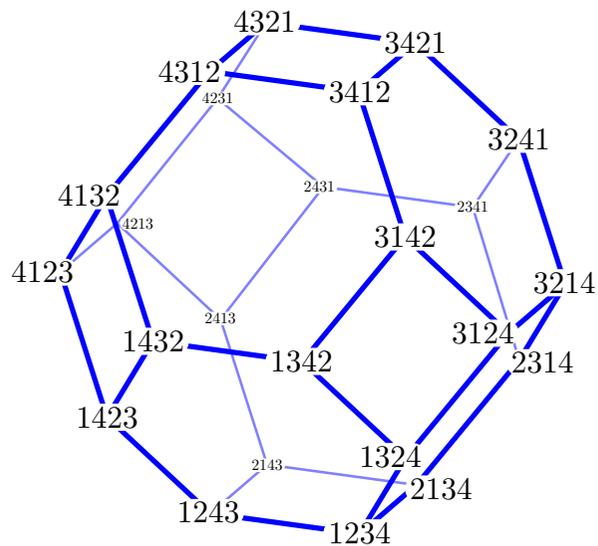
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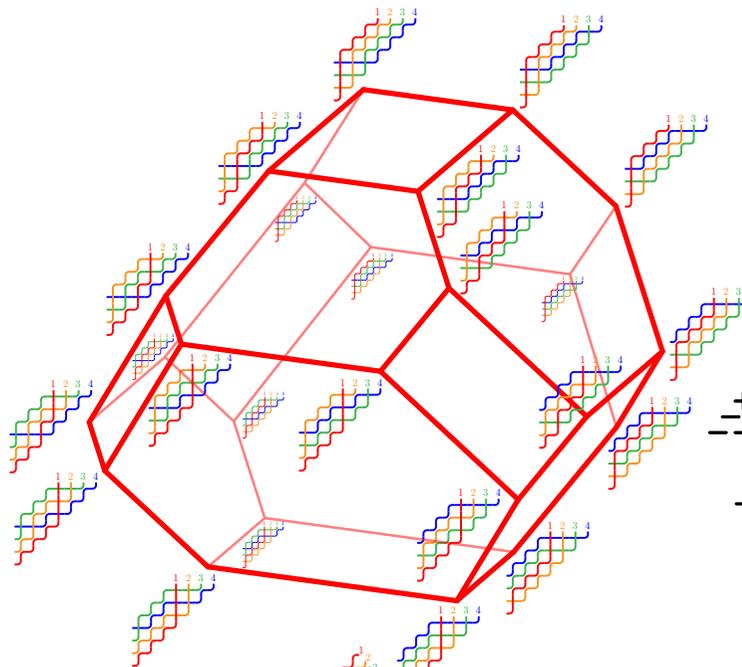
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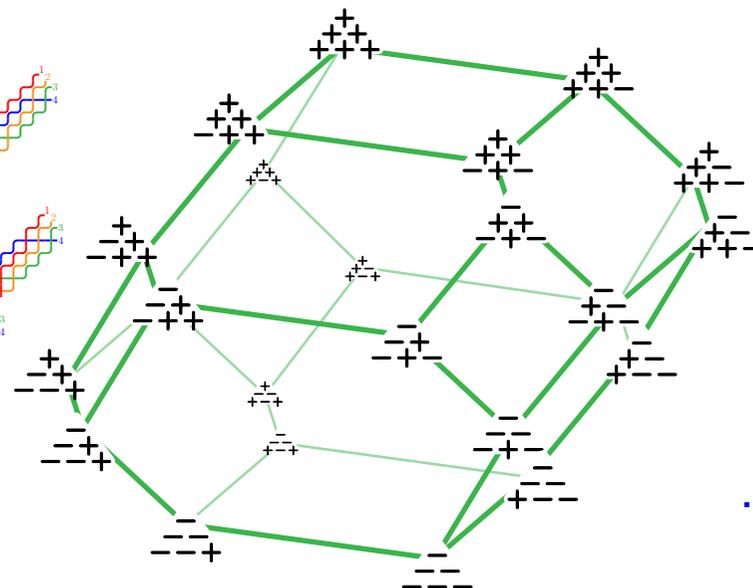
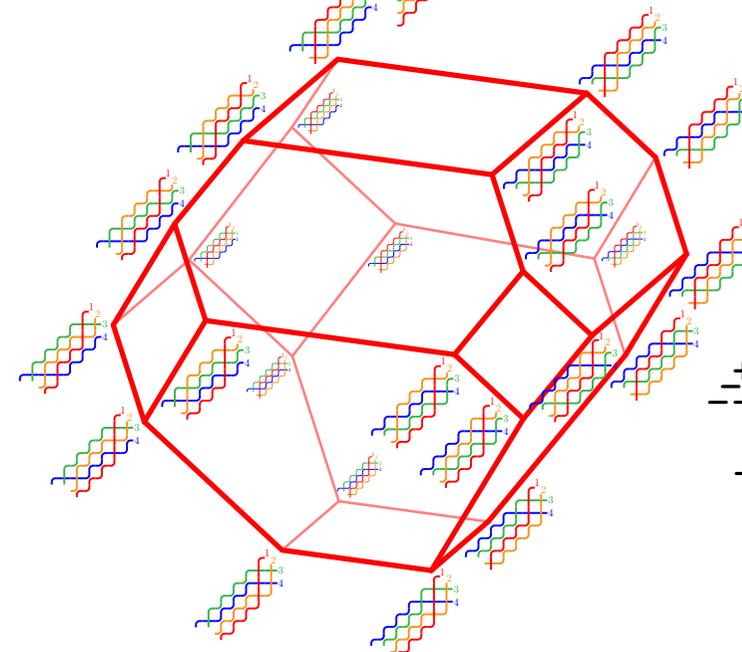
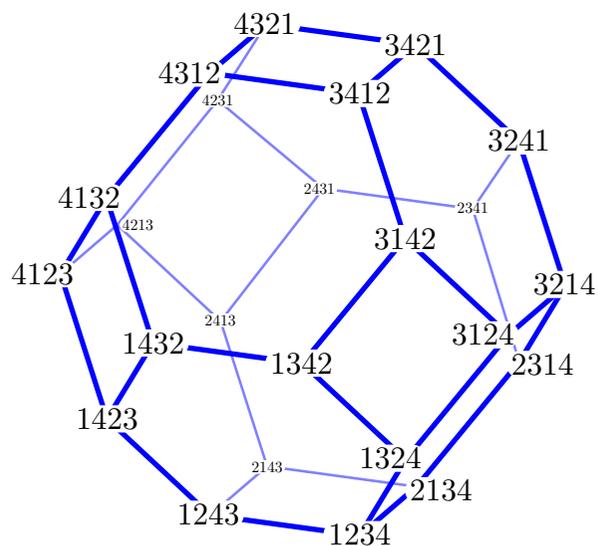
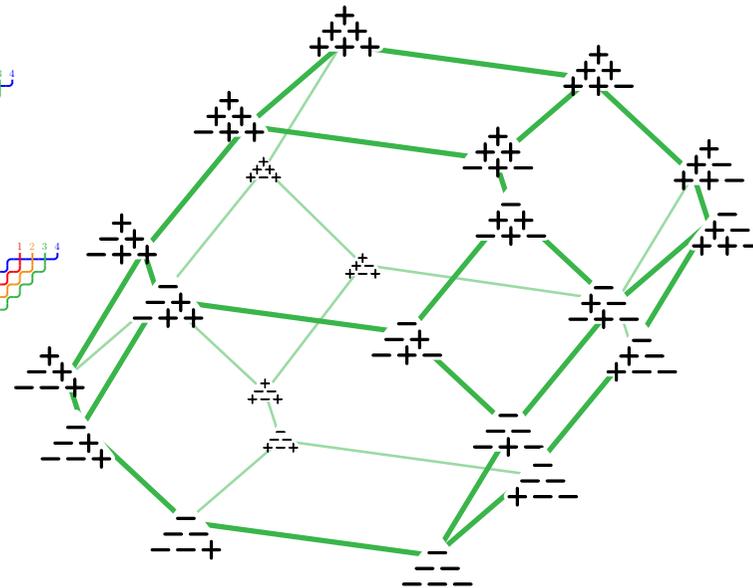
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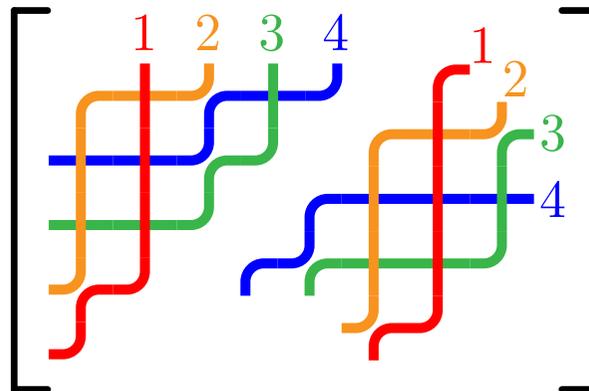
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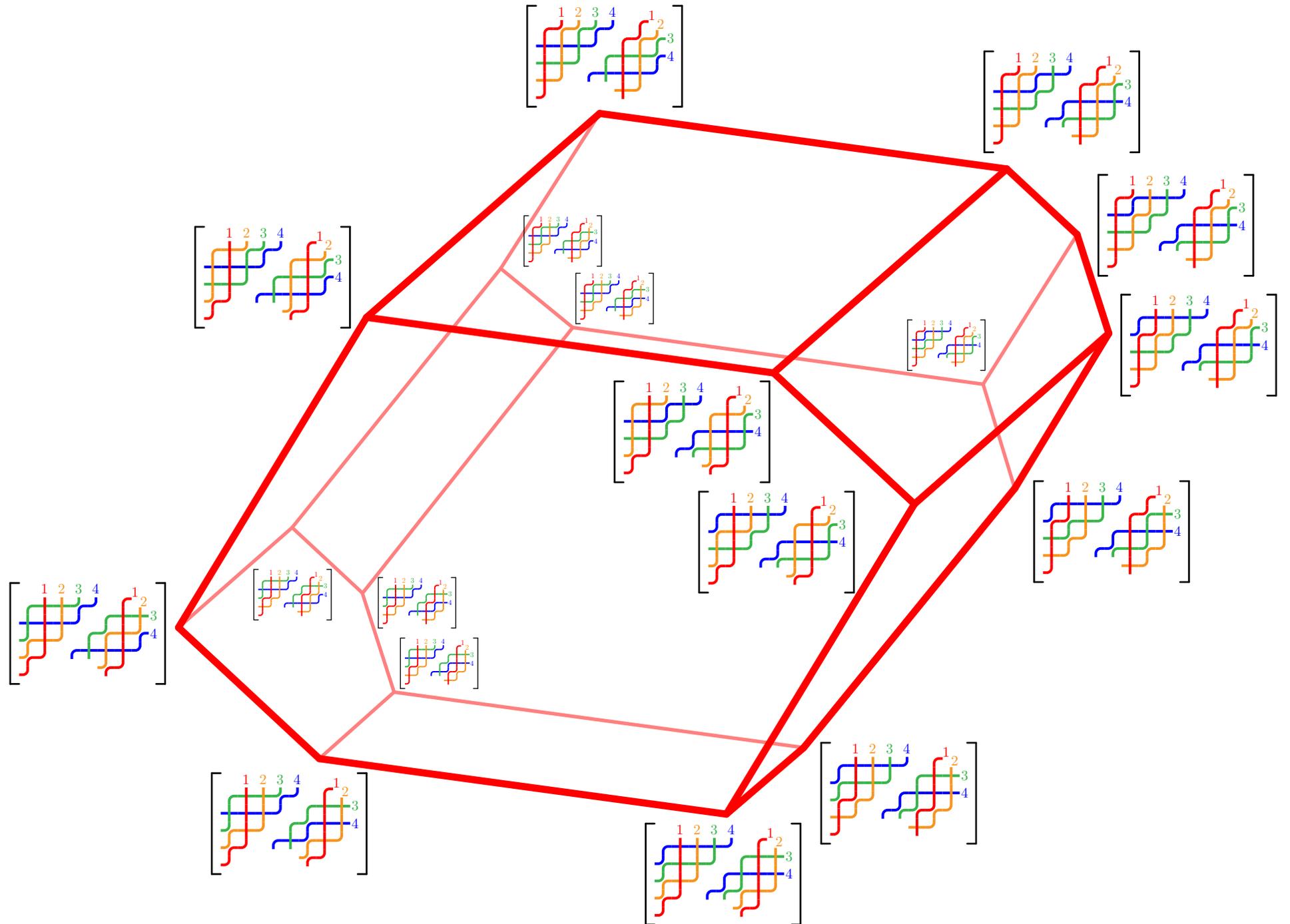
$\mathcal{E} = [\varepsilon_1, \dots, \varepsilon_\ell]$  an  $\ell$ -tuple of signatures

$(k, \mathcal{E})$ -twist tuple = an  $\ell$ -tuple  $[T_1, \dots, T_\ell]$  where

- $T_i$  is a  $(k, \varepsilon_i)$ -twist
- the union of the contact graphs  $T_1^\# \cup \dots \cup T_\ell^\#$  is acyclic



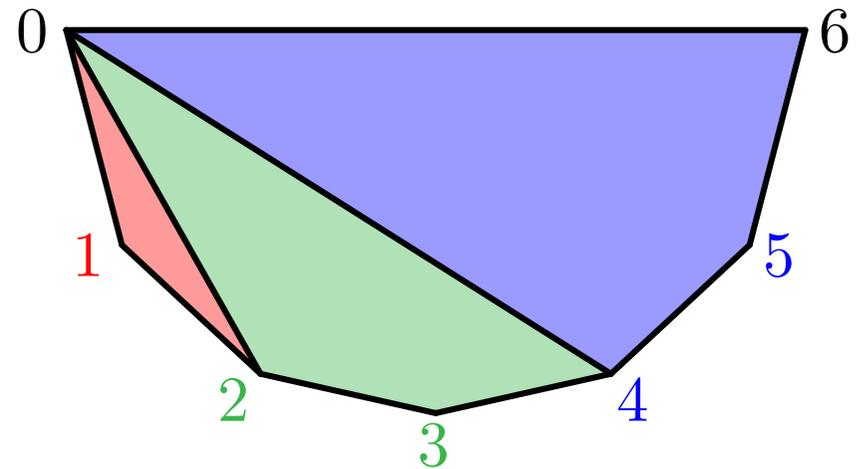
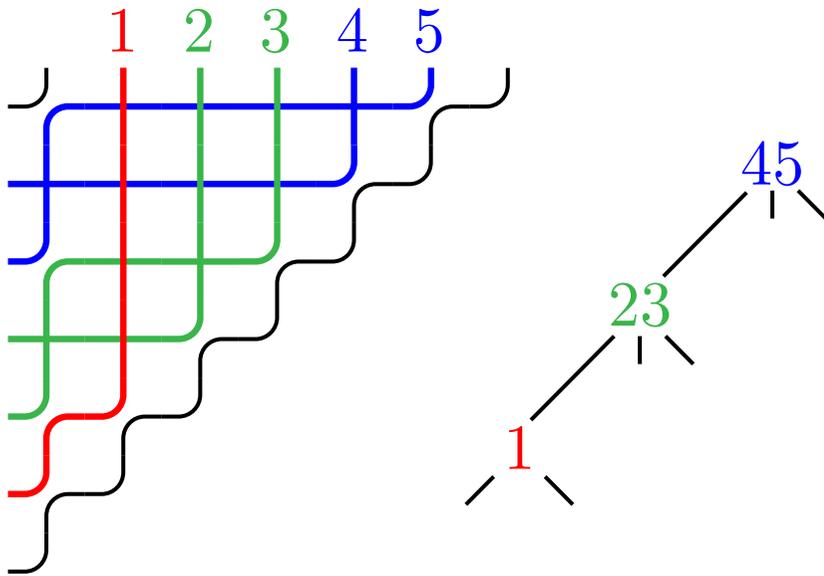
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hyperpipe = union of pipes whose common elbows are changed to crossings

$(k, n)$ -hypertwist = collection of hyperpipes obtained from a  $(k, n)$ -twist  $\mathbb{T}$  by merging subsets of pipes inducing connected subgraphs of  $\mathbb{T}^\#$



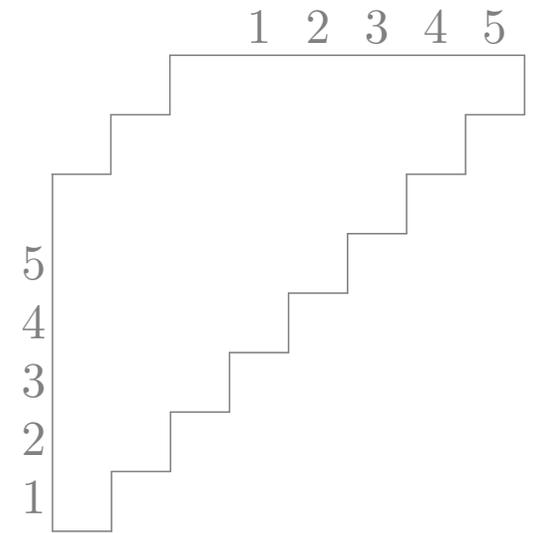
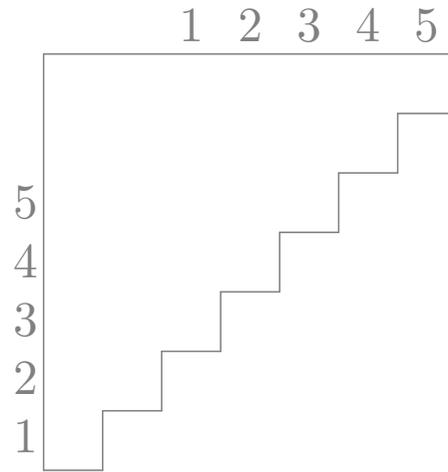
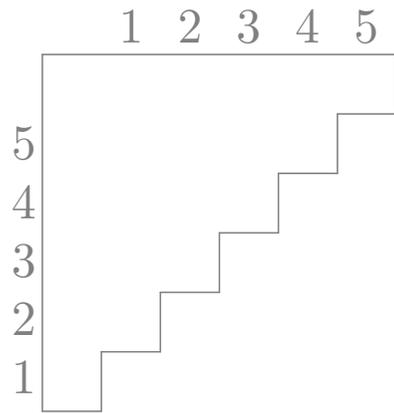
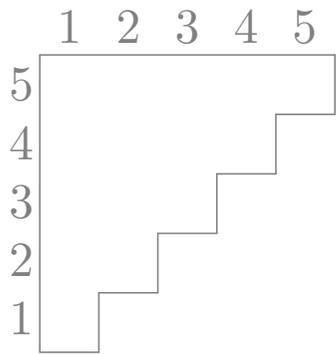
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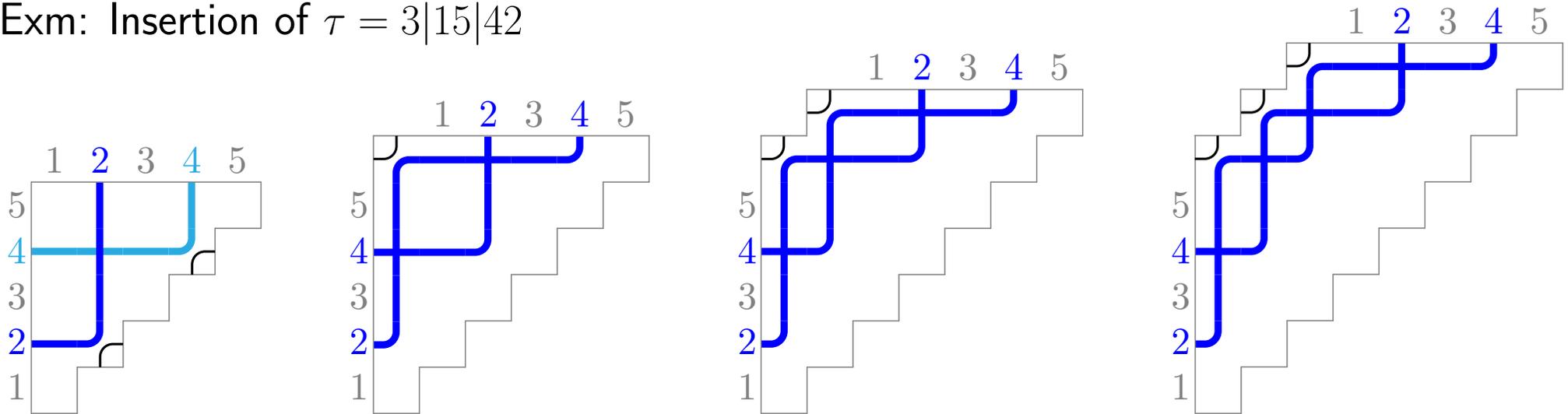
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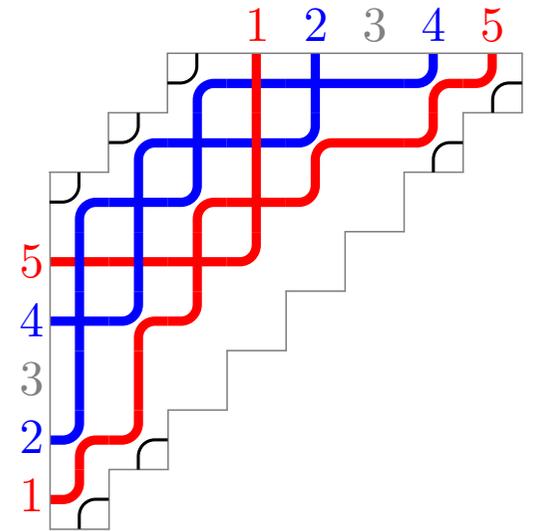
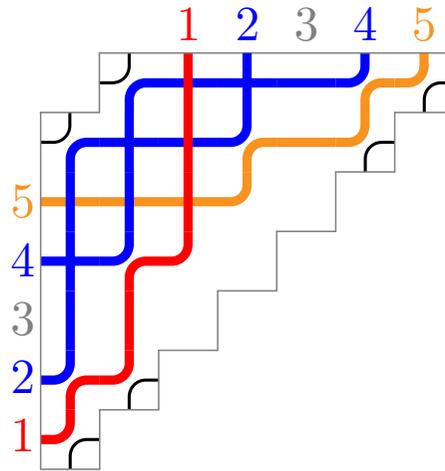
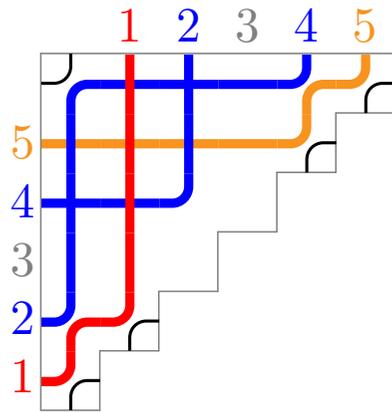
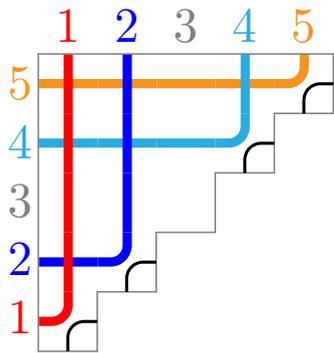
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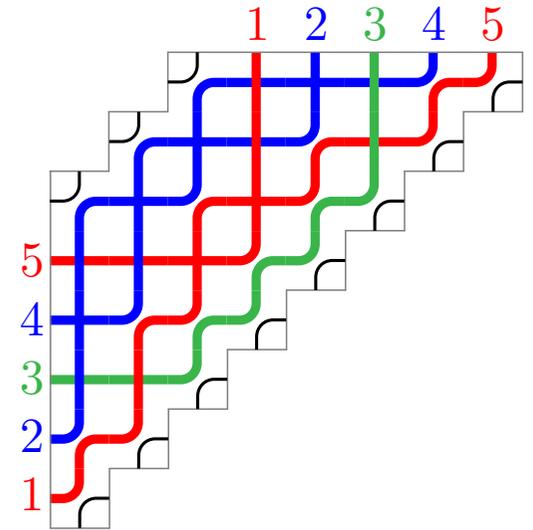
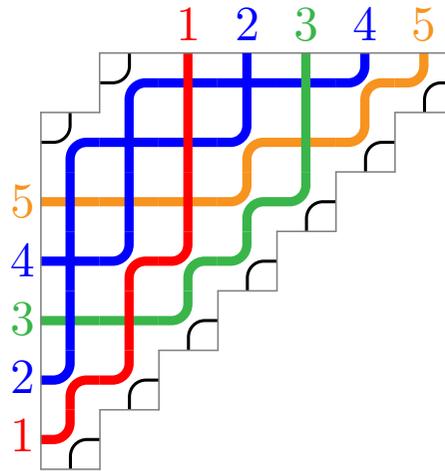
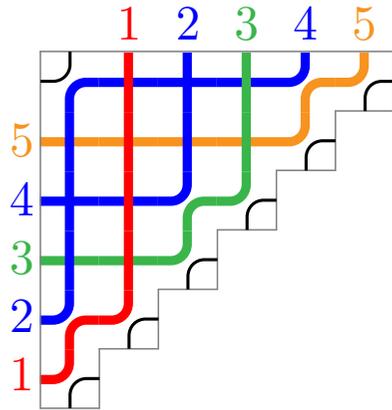
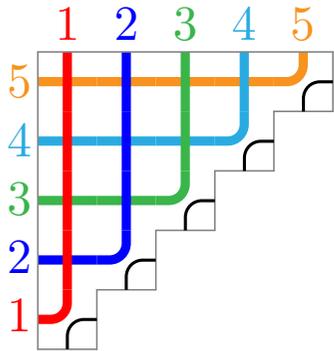
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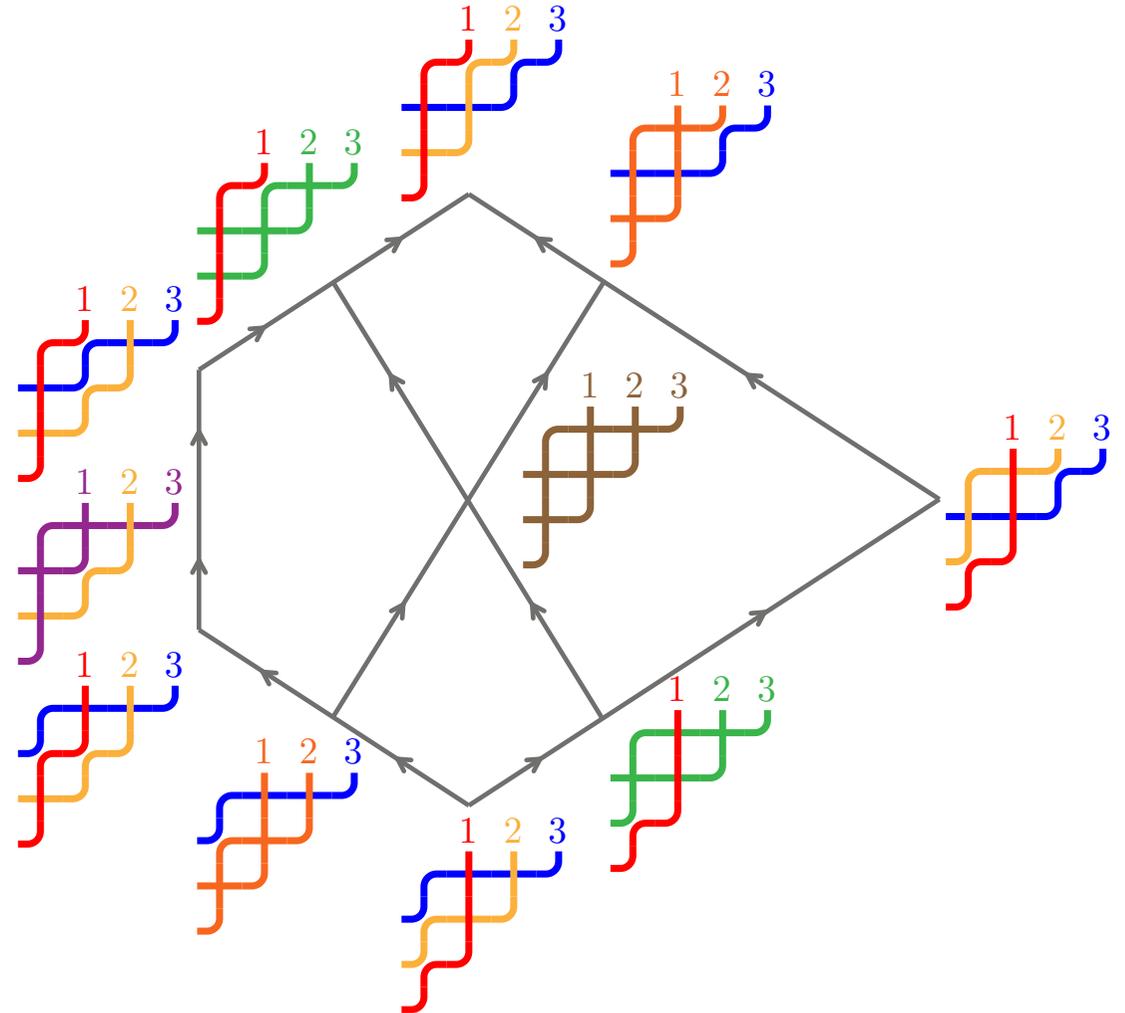
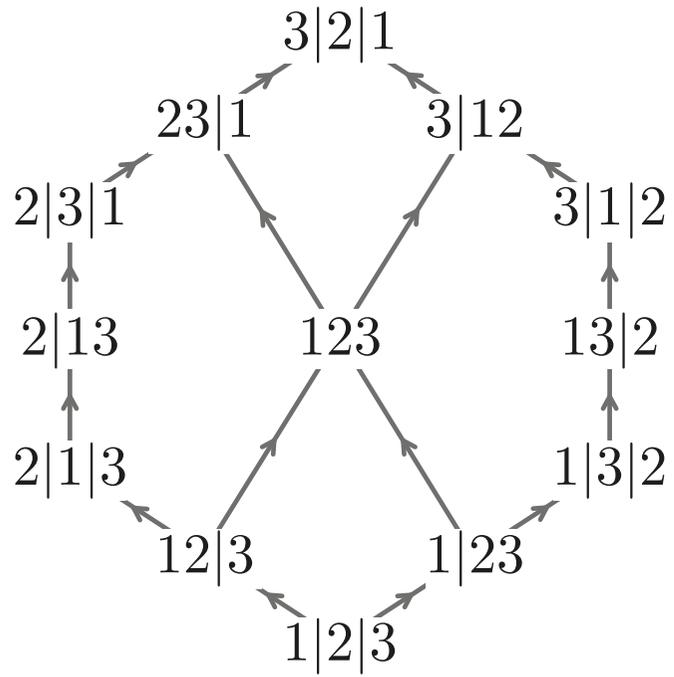
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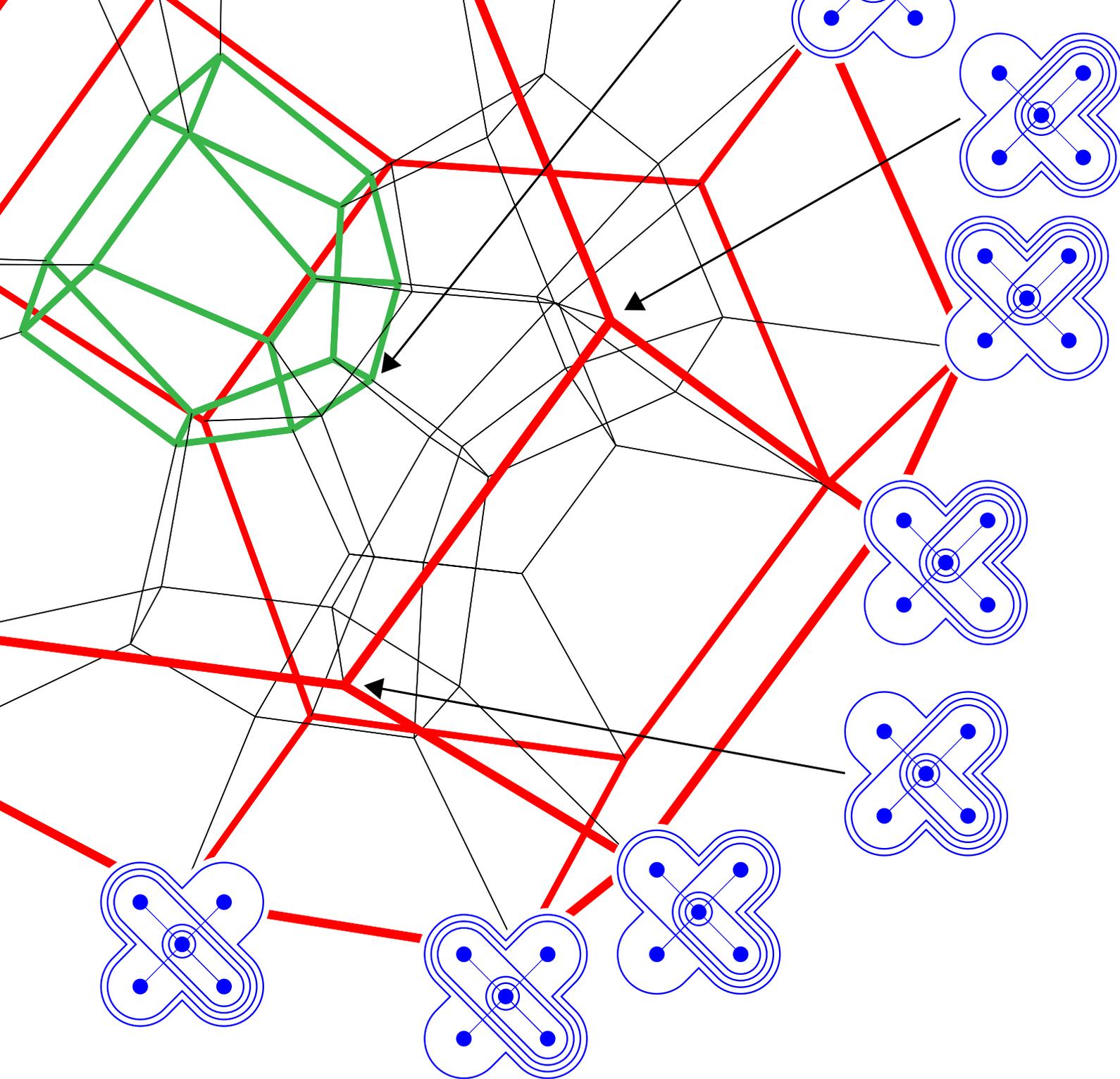
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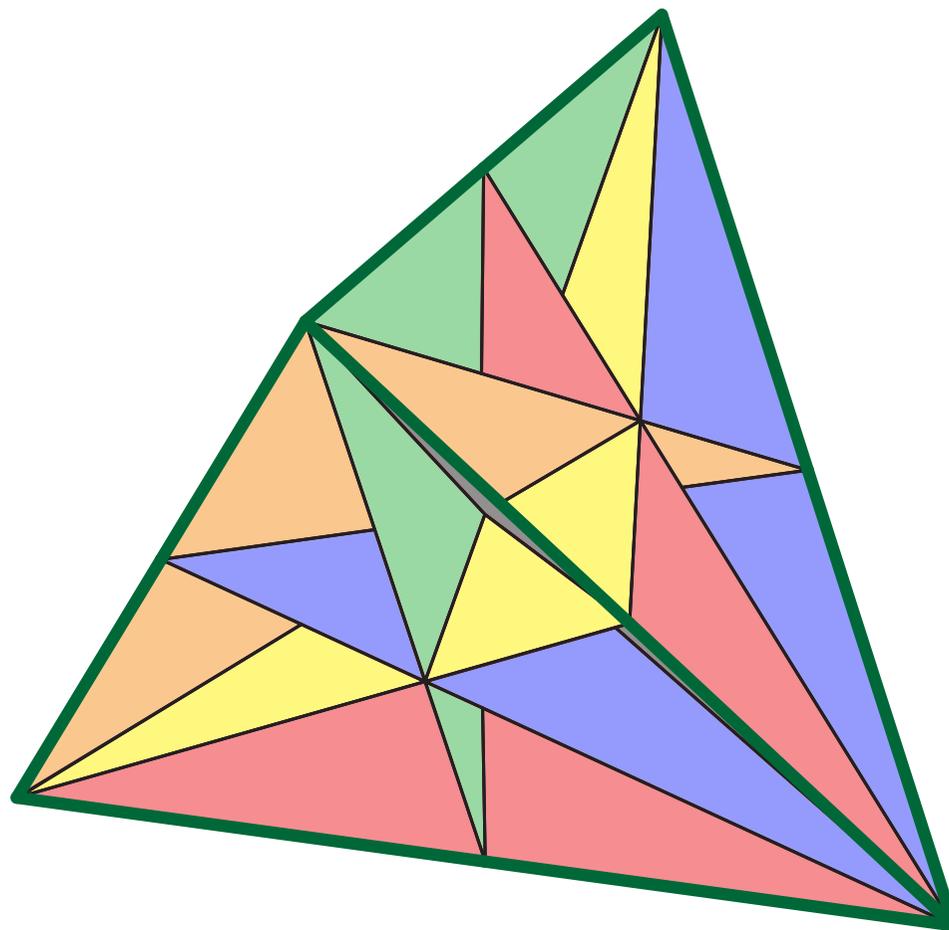
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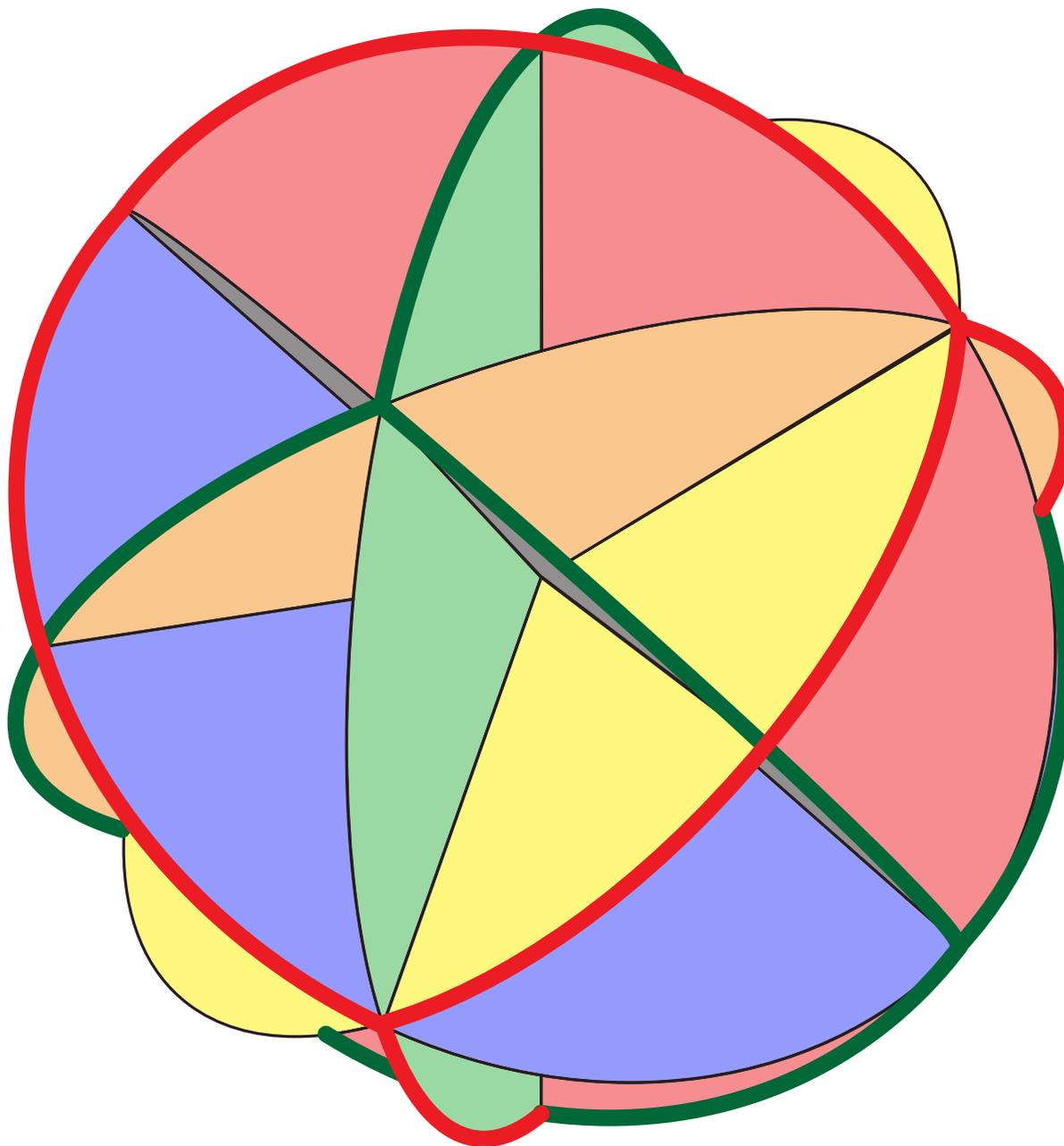
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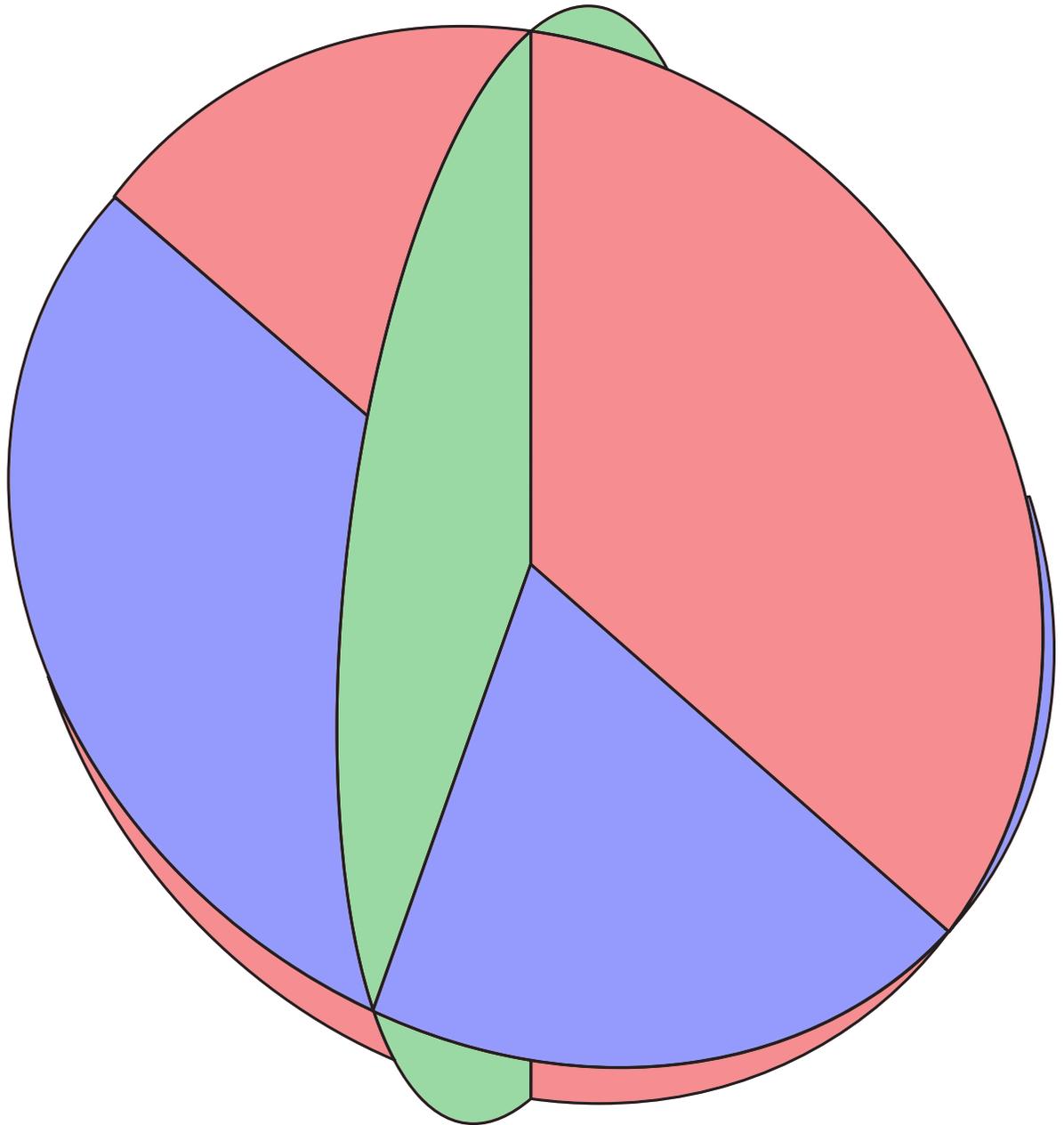




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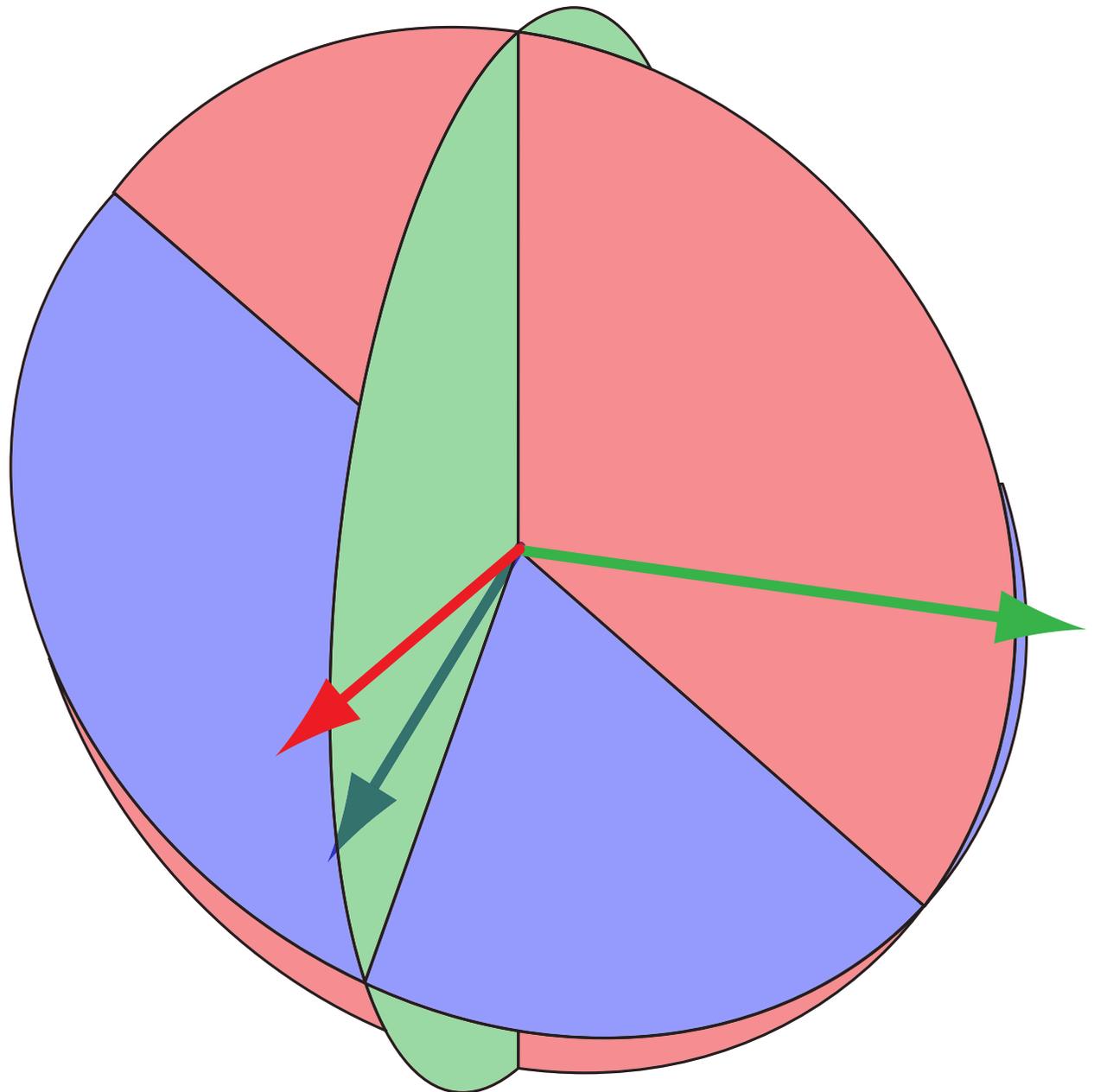
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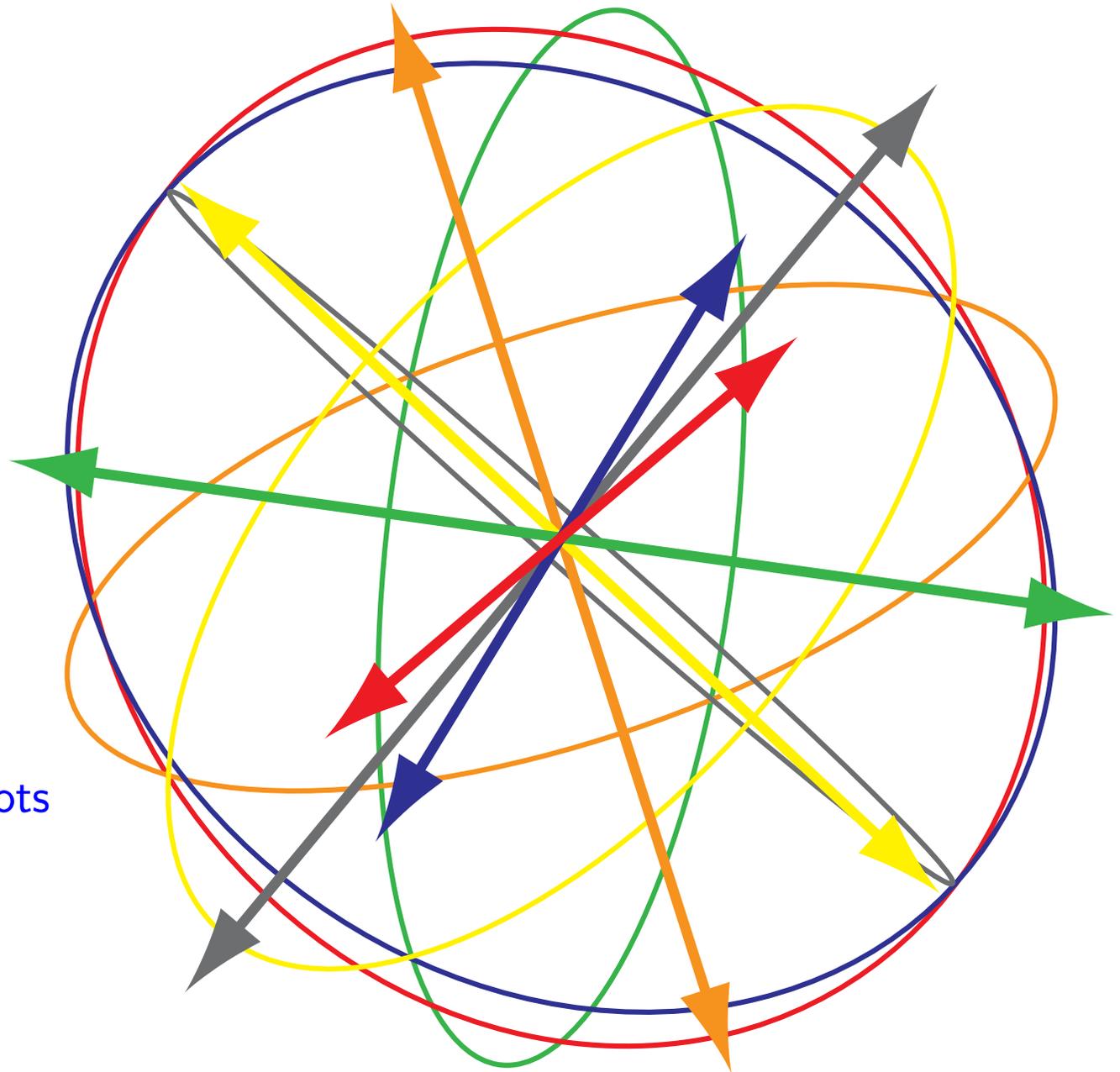
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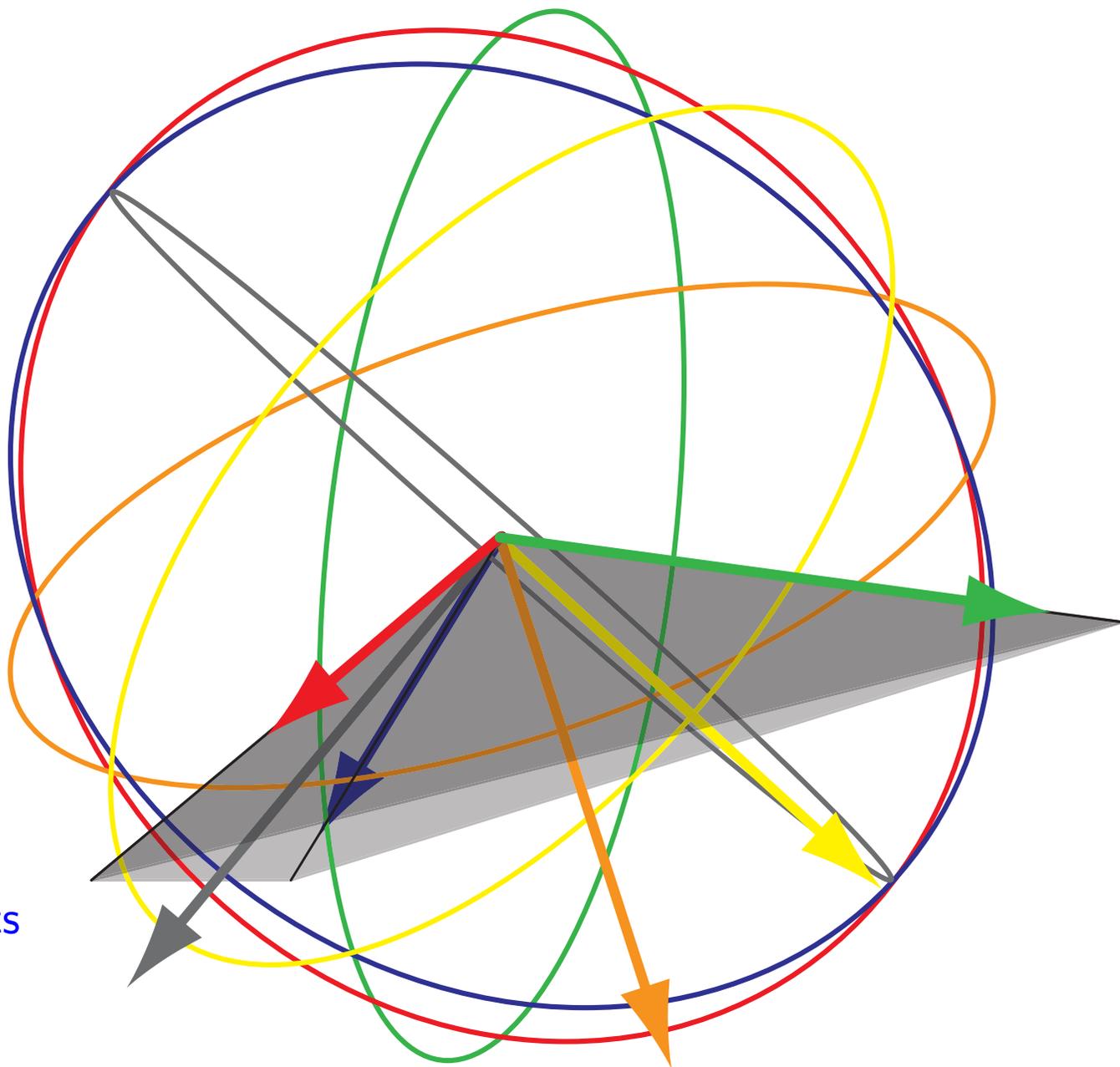
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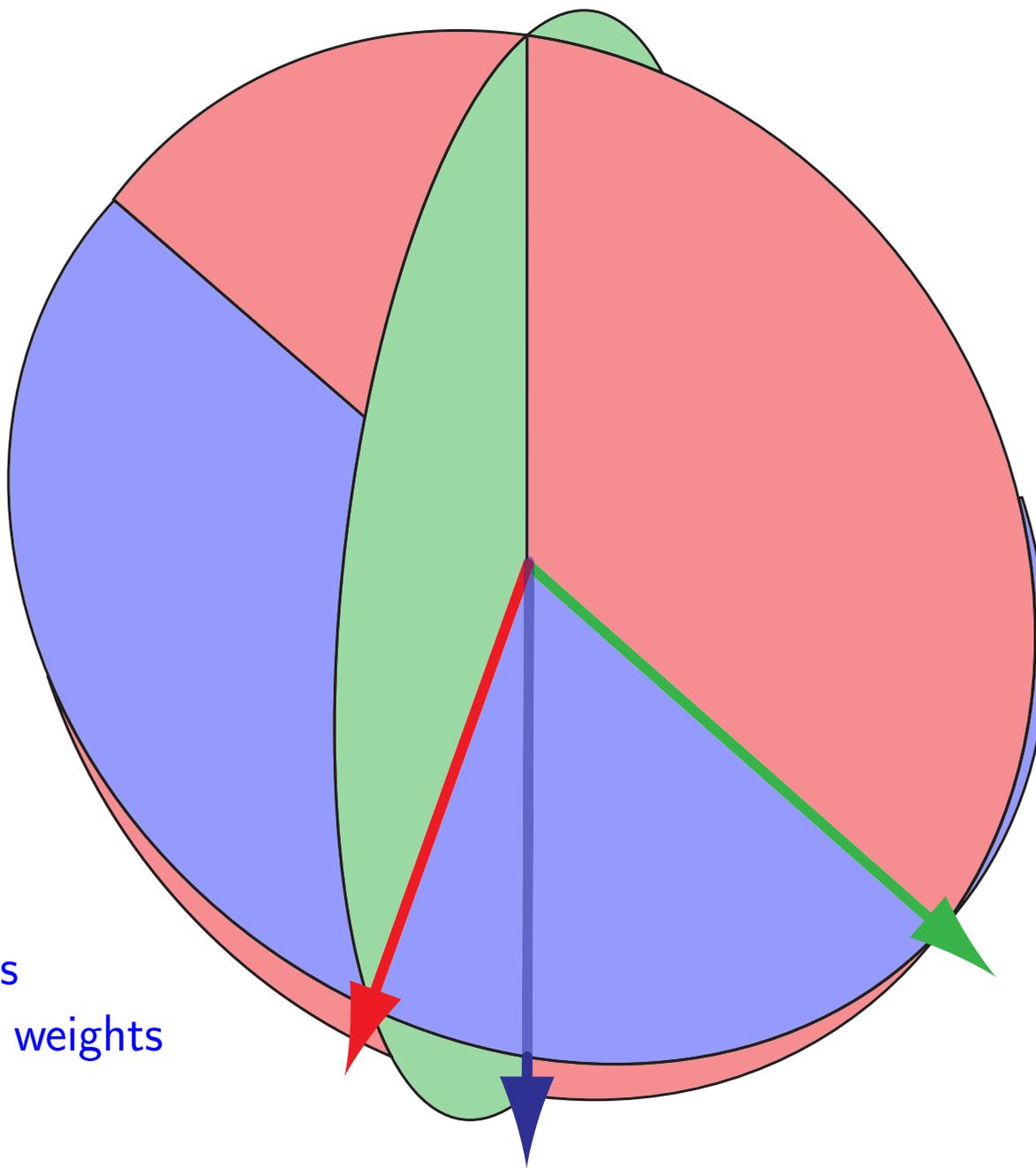
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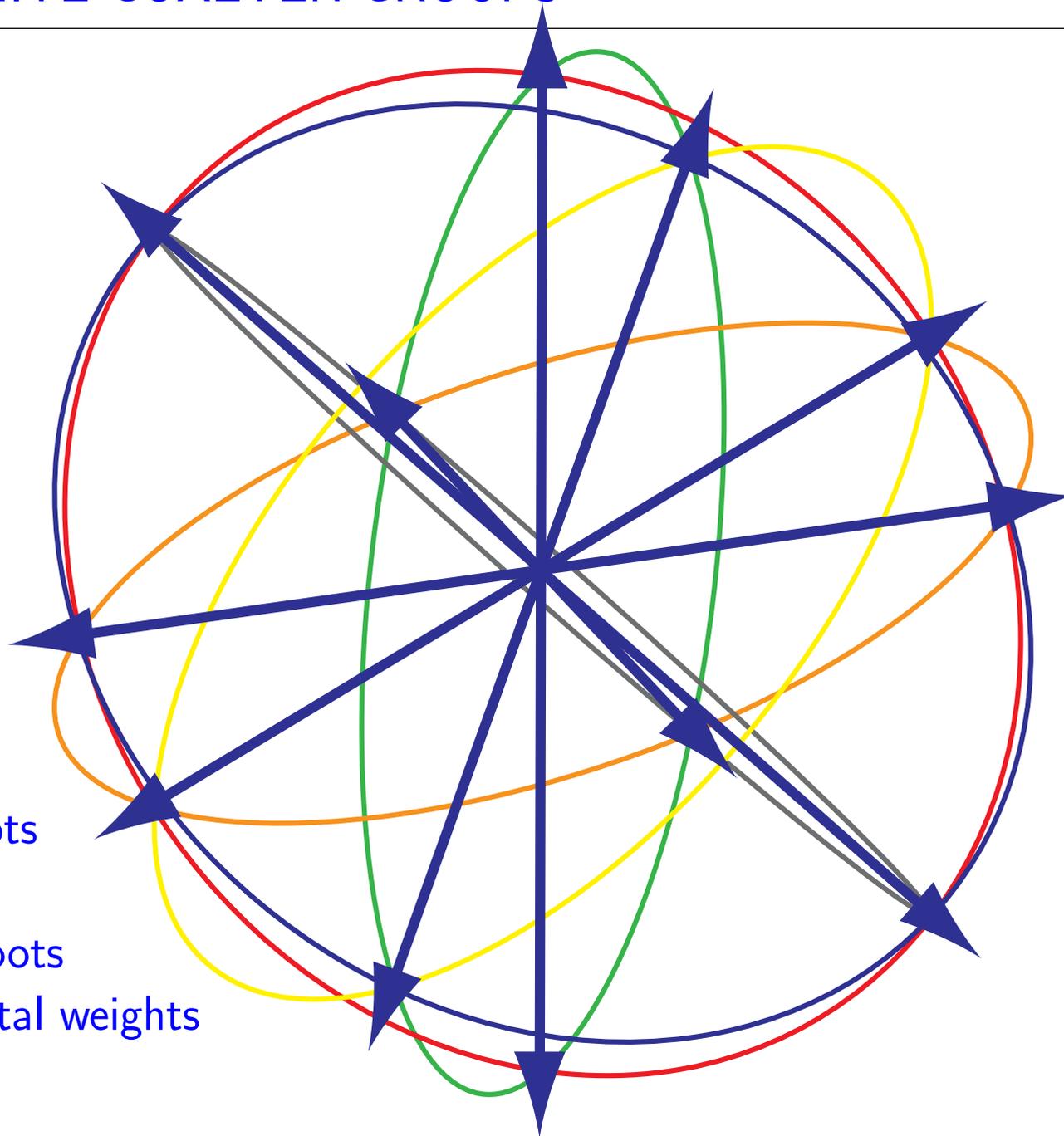
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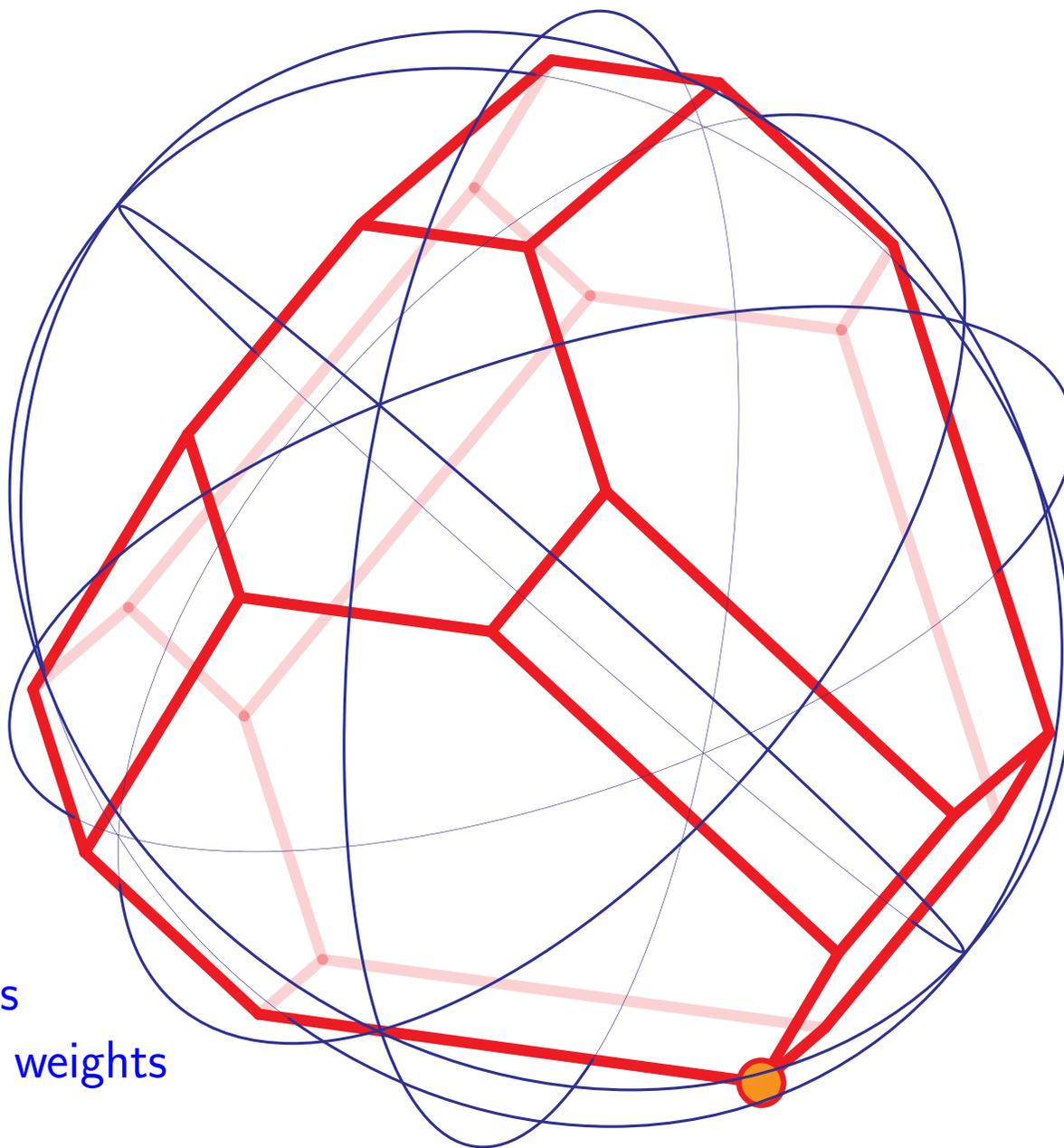
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 $\nabla = \{\omega_s \mid s \in S\}$  = fundamental weights  
permutahedron



# FINITE COXETER GROUPS

$W$  = finite Coxeter group

Coxeter fan

fundamental chamber

$S$  = simple reflections

$\Delta = \{\alpha_s \mid s \in S\}$  = simple roots

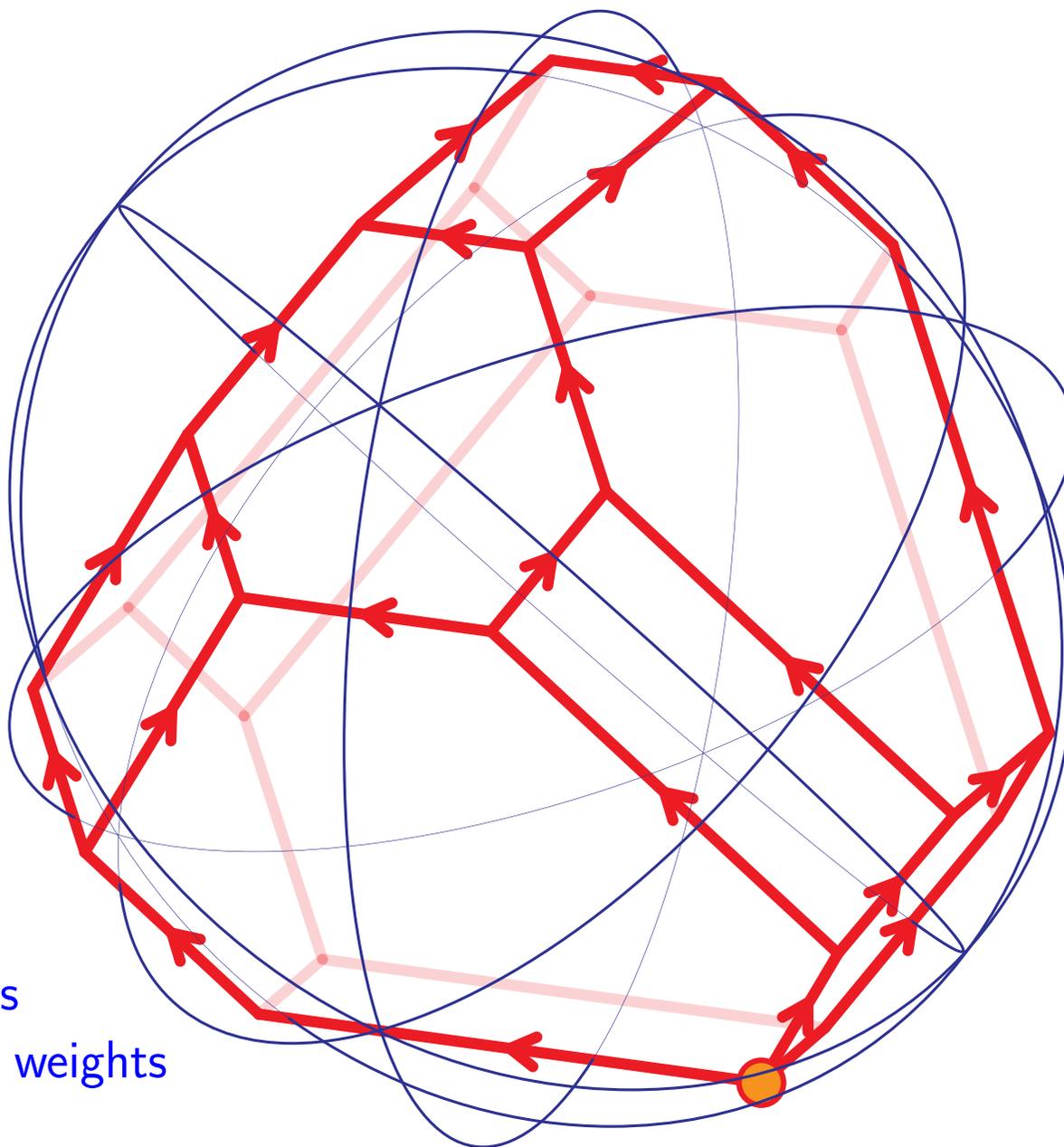
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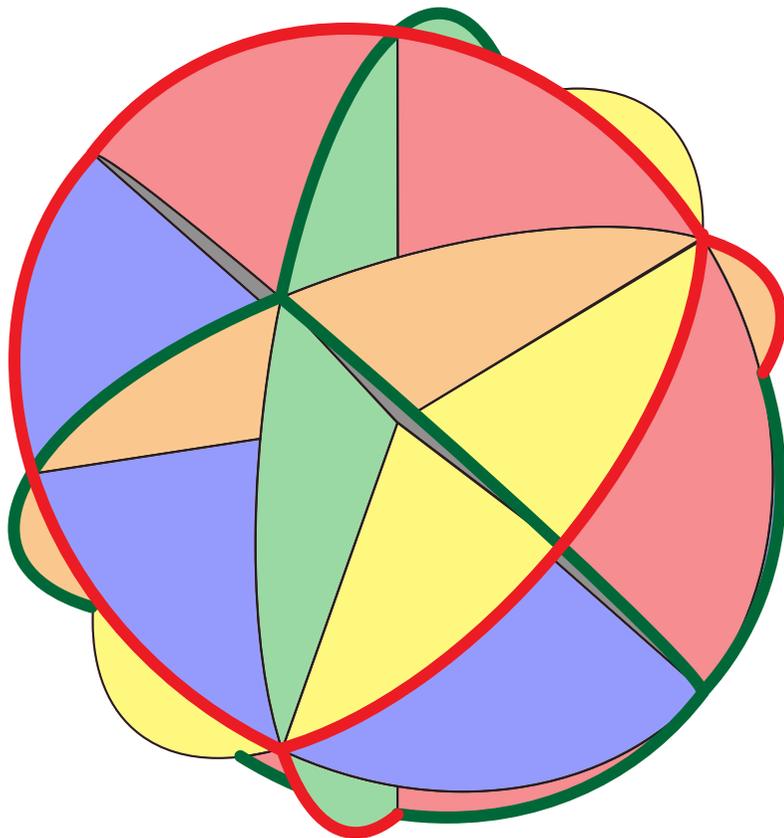
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weak order =  $u \leq w \iff \exists v \in W, uv = w$  and  $\ell(u) + \ell(v) = \ell(w)$



## EXAMPLES: TYPE A AND B

TYPE  $A_n =$  symmetric group  $\mathfrak{S}_{n+1}$



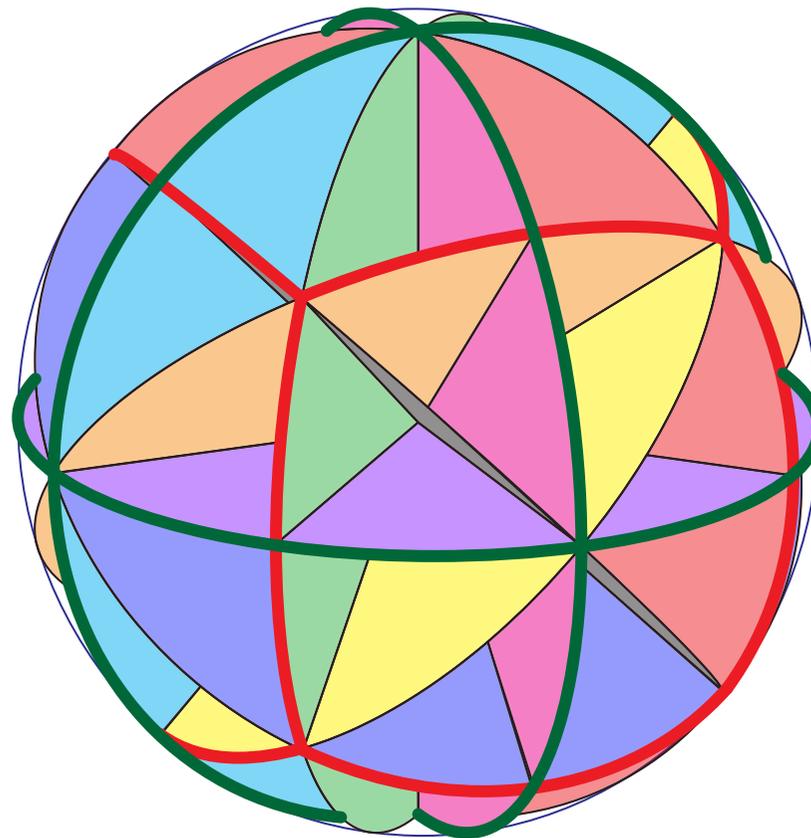
$$S = \{(i, i + 1) \mid i \in [n]\}$$

$$\Delta = \{e_{i+1} - e_i \mid i \in [n]\}$$

$$\text{roots} = \{e_i - e_j \mid i, j \in [n + 1]\}$$

$$\nabla = \left\{ \sum_{j>i} e_j \mid i \in [n] \right\}$$

TYPE  $B_n =$  semidirect product  $\mathfrak{S}_n \rtimes (\mathbb{Z}_2)^n$



$$S = \{(i, i + 1) \mid i \in [n - 1]\} \cup \{\chi\}$$

$$\Delta = \{e_{i+1} - e_i \mid i \in [n - 1]\} \cup \{e_1\}$$

$$\text{roots} = \{\pm e_i \pm e_j \mid i, j \in [n]\} \cup \{\pm e_i \mid i \in [n]\}$$

$$\nabla = \left\{ \sum_{j \geq i} e_j \mid i \in [n] \right\}$$