

The combinatorics of some exclusion model in physics

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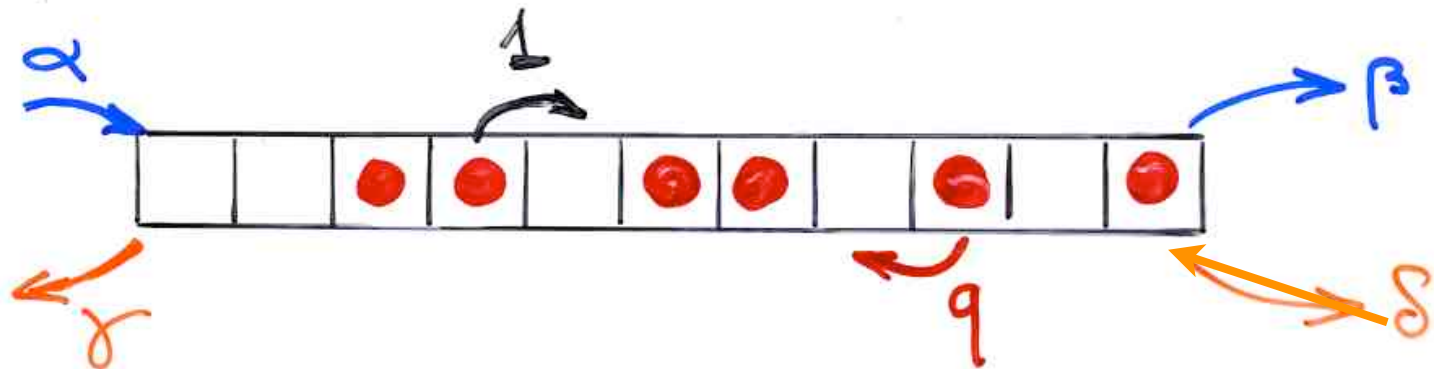
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The PASEP algebra

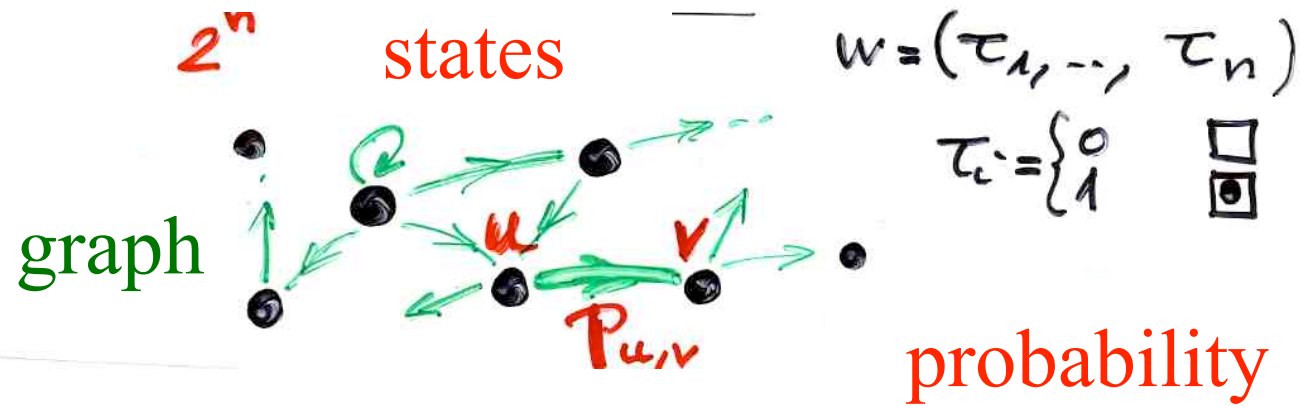
$$DE = qED + E + D$$

The PASEP

ASEP
TASEP
PASEP



Markov chains



S :

$$M = (P_{u,v})_{u,v \in S}$$

$$\pi = (\pi_u, \dots)$$

$$\pi \cdot M$$

states

probabilities matrix
(stochastic)

vector (time t)

vector (time t+1)



$$P_v^{(t+1)} = \sum_u P_u^{(t)} P_{u,v}$$

$t+1$
time t

stationary probabilities

$$\pi \cdot M = \pi$$

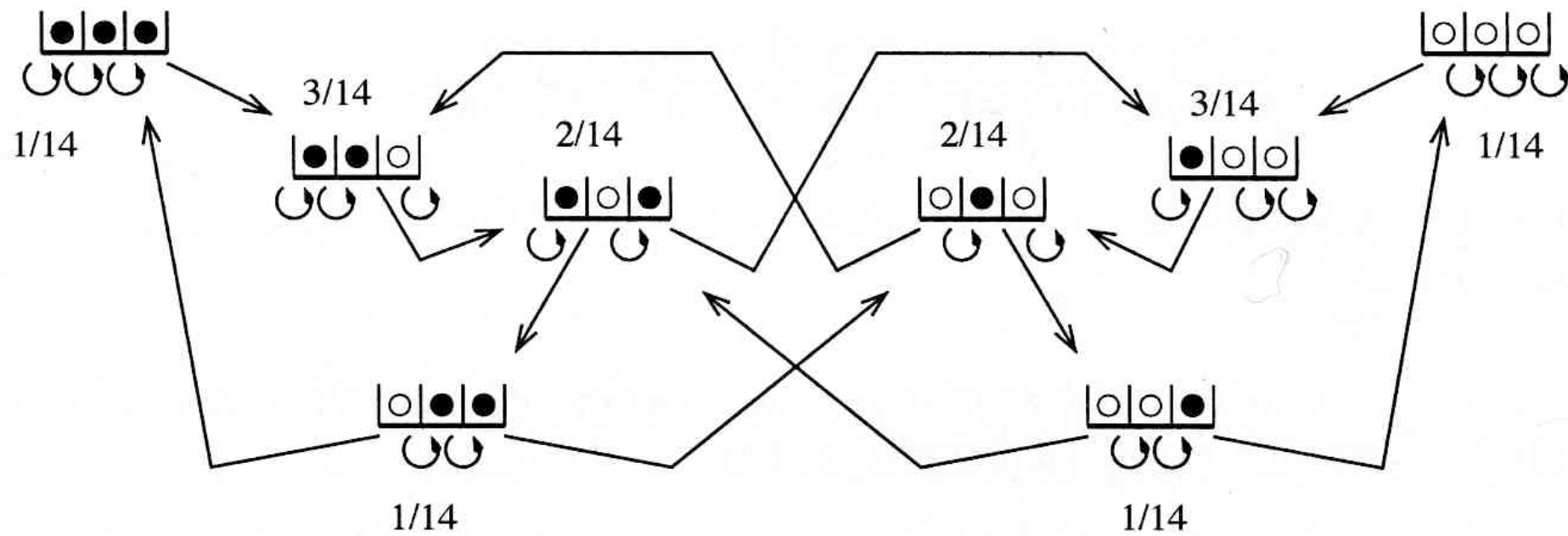
uniqueness
eigenvector

M^T eigenvalue 1

time $\rightarrow \infty$



$$P_v = \sum_u P_u P_{u,v}$$



non-equilibrium

statistical
mechanics

... relaxation $\rightarrow$ stationary state

states

$$\tau = (\tau_1, \tau_2, \dots, \tau_n)$$

$$\tau_i = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{site } i \text{ occupied} \\ 0 & \text{site } i \text{ empty} \end{cases}$$

unique
stationary
state

$$\frac{d}{dt} P_n(\tau_1, \dots, \tau_n) = 0$$

Derrida, Evans, Hakim, Pasquier (1993)

boundary induced phase transitions

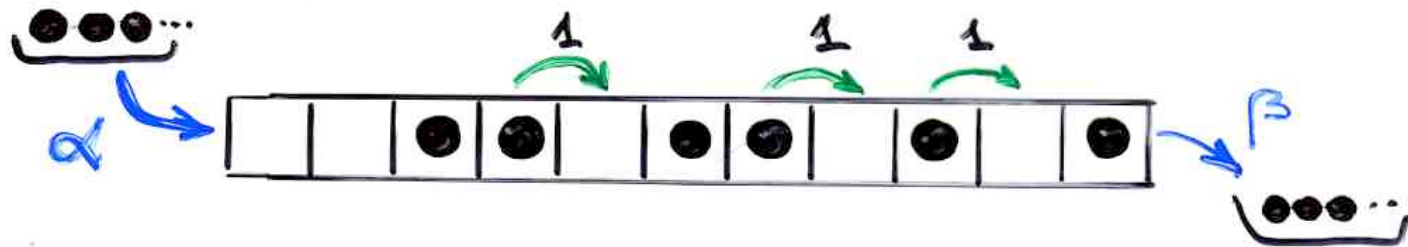
molecular diffusion
linear array of enzymes
biopolymers

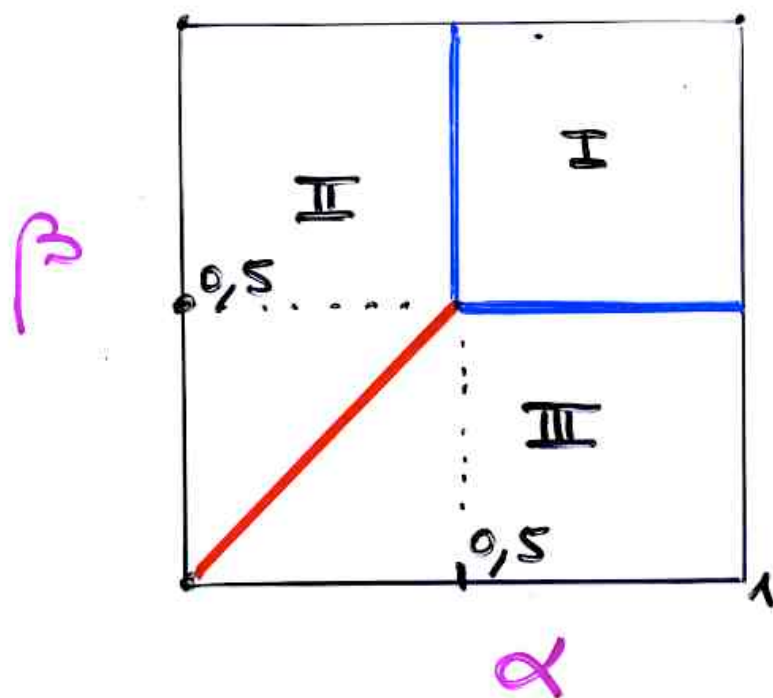
traffic flow

formation of shocks

TASEP

"Totally asymmetric exclusion process"





$n \rightarrow \infty$

$\rho = \langle \tau_i \rangle =$ ^{taux moyen} ~~d'occupation~~

i loin des bords

(I) $\rho = 1/2$

(II) $\rho = \alpha$

(III) $\rho = 1 - \beta$

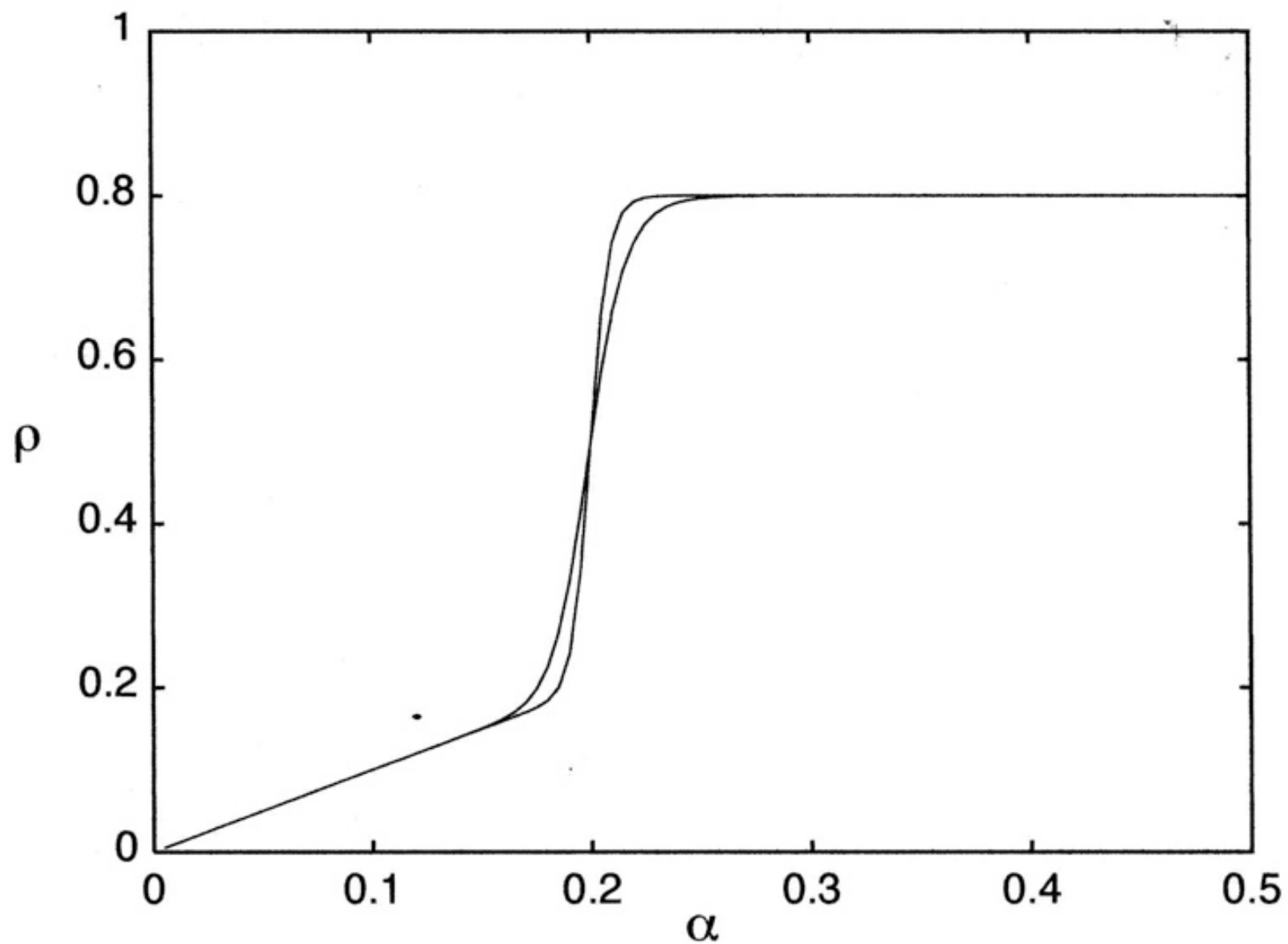
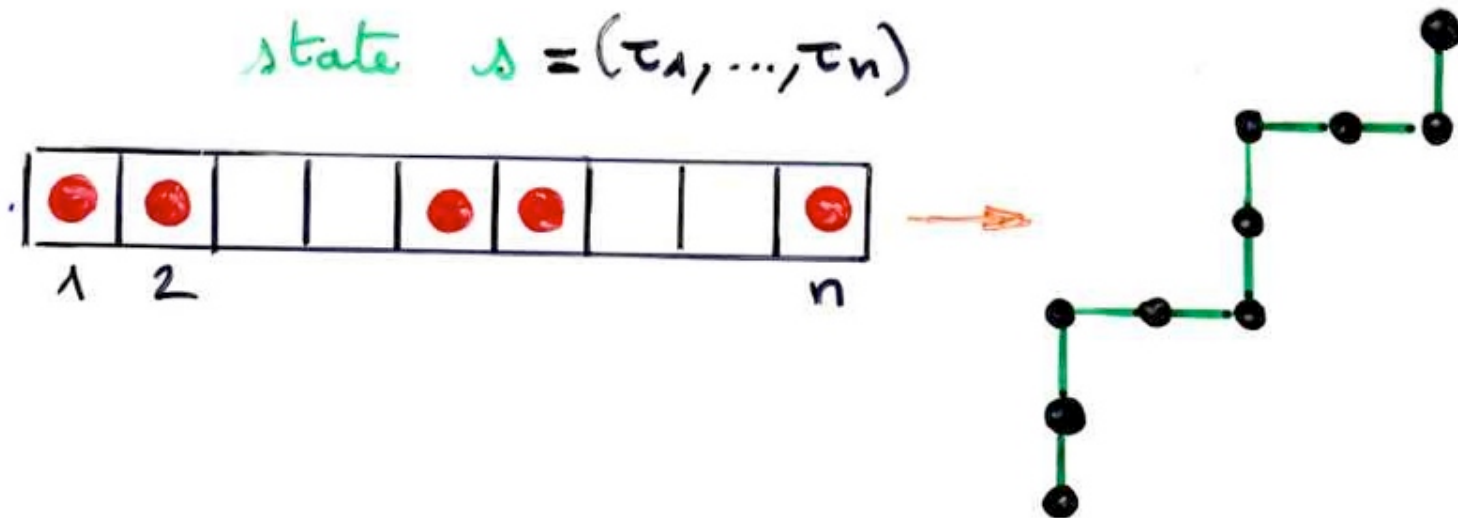
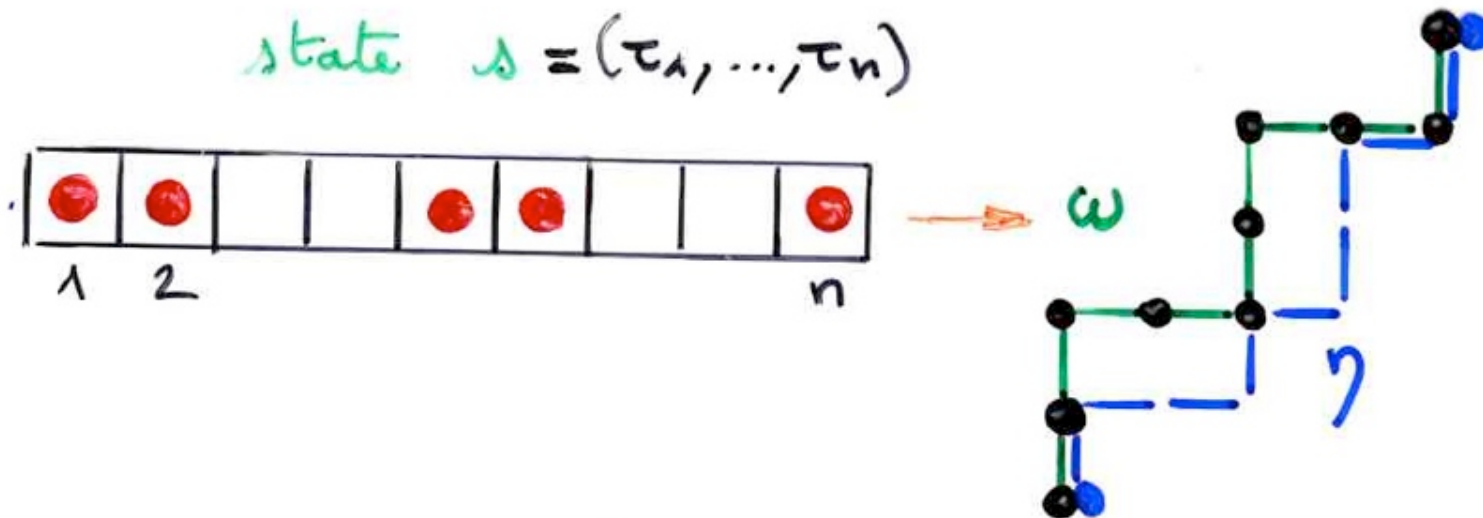


Figure 2: The average occupation $\rho = \langle \tau_{(N+1)/2} \rangle$ of the central site versus α for $N = 61$ and $N = 121$ when $\beta = .2$.



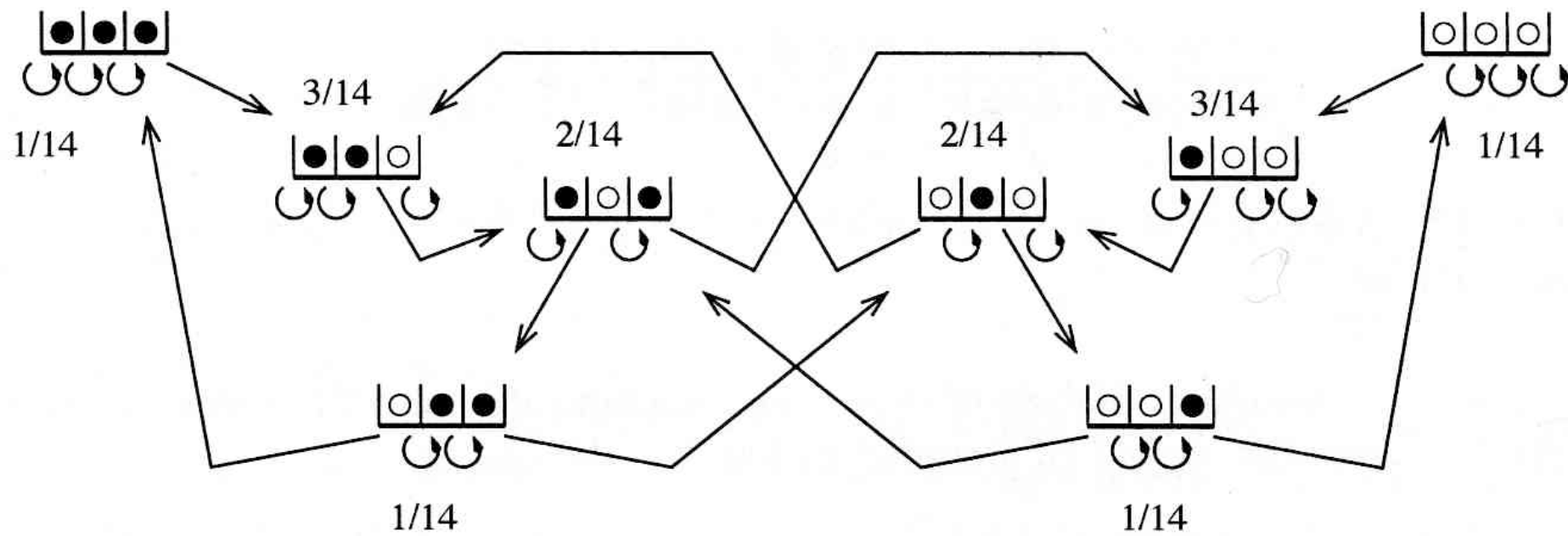
$$P_n(s) =$$

Shapiro, Zeilberger, 1982

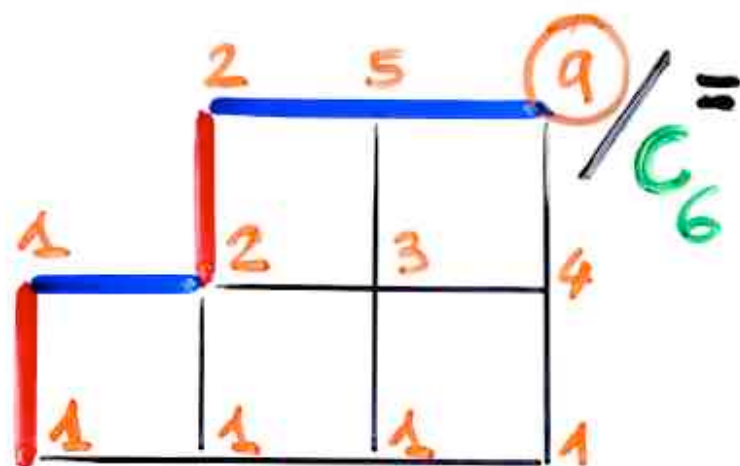


$$P_n(s) = \frac{1}{C_{n+1}} \left(\text{number of paths } \gamma \text{ below the path } w \text{ associated to } s \right)$$

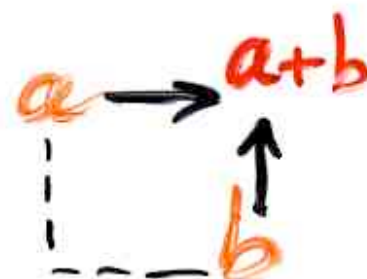
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$$\Delta = (1, 0, 1, 0, 0) \quad \lambda = (1, 2, 2)$$



$$P(1, 0, 1, 0, 0)$$



Combinatorics of the PASEP

TASEP

Brak, Essam (2003), Duchi, Schaeffer, (2004),
Angel (2005), XGV, (2007)

(P) ASEP

Brak, Corteel, Essam, Parviainen, Rechnitzer (2006)
Corteel, Williams (2006) (2008) (2009) XGV, (2008)
Corteel, Stanton, Stanley, Williams (2010)

Derrida, ...

Mallick, Golinelli, Mallick (2006)

Orthogonal Polynomials

• Sasamoto (1999)

→ Blythe, Evans, Colaiori, Essler (2000)

q -Hermite polynomial
 α, β, q $\gamma = \delta = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} D &= \frac{1}{1-q} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-q}} \hat{a} \\ E &= \frac{1}{1-q} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-q}} \hat{a}^+ \\ \hat{a} \hat{a}^+ - q \hat{a}^+ \hat{a} &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

→ Uchiyama, Sasamoto, Wadati (2003)

$\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, q$

Askey-Wilson polynomials

The Matrix Ansatz

Derrida, Evans, Hakim, Pasquier 1993

$$P_n(\tau_1, \dots, \tau_n) = \mathcal{L}_n(\tau_1, \dots, \tau_n) / Z_n$$

$$Z_n = \sum_{\tau} \mathcal{L}_n(\tau_1, \dots, \tau_n) \quad \text{partition function}$$

Derrida, Evans, Hakim, Pasquier (1993)

"matrix ansatz"

D E matrices,

V column vector,

W row vector

$$\begin{cases} DE = qED + D + E \\ (\beta D - \delta E)|V\rangle = |V\rangle \\ \langle W|(\alpha E - \gamma D) = \langle W| \end{cases}$$

Then

$$f_n(\tau_1, \dots, \tau_n)$$

Derrida, Evans, Hakim, Pasquier (1993)

"matrix ansatz"

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TASEP

$q=0$

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Then

$$Z_n(\tau_1, \dots, \tau_n) = \langle w | \prod_{i=1}^n (\tau_i D + (1 - \tau_i) E) | v \rangle$$

examples:

TASEP

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} DE = D + E \\ D|V\rangle = \sqrt{\beta} |V\rangle \\ \langle W|E = \sqrt{\alpha} \langle W| \end{array} \right.$$

examples:

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} \circ & \bar{\beta} & \circ & \circ \\ & \circ & \circ & \circ \\ & & \circ & \circ \\ & & & \circ \end{bmatrix}$$

$$E = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{\alpha} & \circ & \circ & \circ \\ \bar{\alpha}\beta & \beta & \circ & \circ \\ \bar{\alpha}\beta^2 & \beta^2 & \beta & \circ \\ \bar{\alpha}\beta^3 & \beta^3 & \beta^2 & \beta \end{bmatrix}$$

(infinite matrices)

$$\bar{\beta} = \frac{1}{\beta}, \quad \bar{\alpha} = \frac{1}{\alpha}$$

$$\langle w | = (1, 0, -0, \dots)$$

$$|v\rangle = (1, 1, -1, \dots)^T$$

TASEP

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} \circ & 1 & \circ & \circ \\ & \circ & 1 & \circ \\ & & \circ & 1 \\ & & & \circ \end{bmatrix}$$

$$E = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{\beta} & 1 & \circ & \circ \\ \bar{\beta} & \beta & \circ & \circ \\ \bar{\beta} & \beta^2 & \beta & \circ \\ \bar{\beta} & \beta^3 & \beta^2 & \beta \end{bmatrix}$$

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examples:

TASEP

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{\beta} & & & \\ 0 & 1 & & \\ & 0 & \ddots & \\ & & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$E = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha & 0 & & \\ 0 & 1 & & \\ & 0 & \ddots & \\ & & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$\alpha = \frac{1}{\alpha}$$

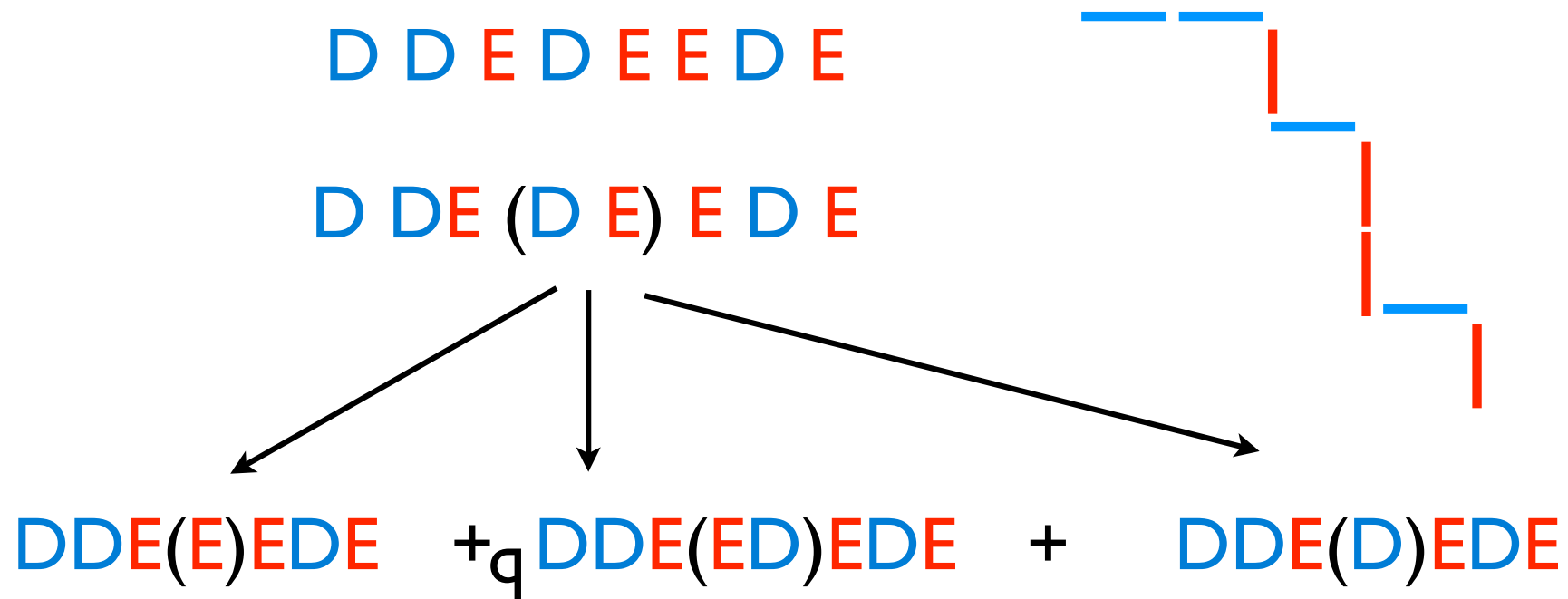
$$\bar{\beta} = \frac{1}{\beta}$$

$$K^2 = \alpha + \bar{\beta} - \alpha \bar{\beta}$$

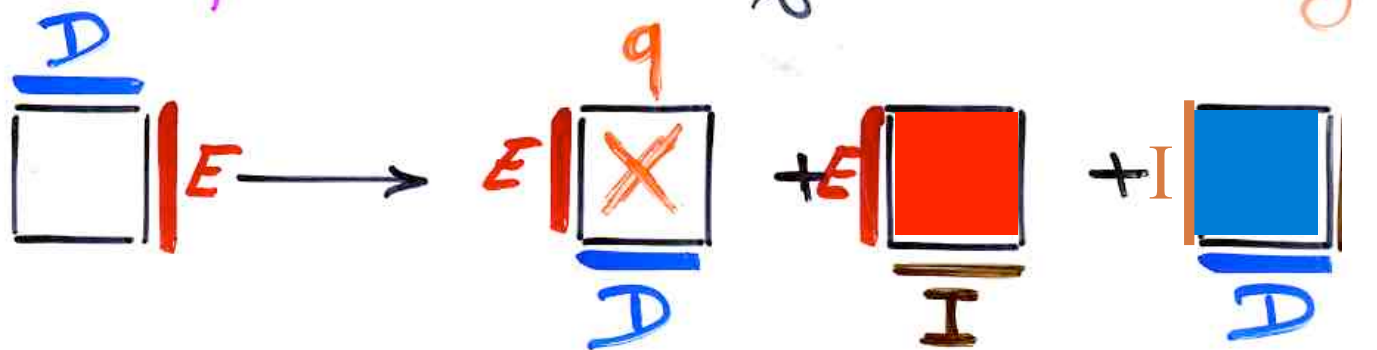
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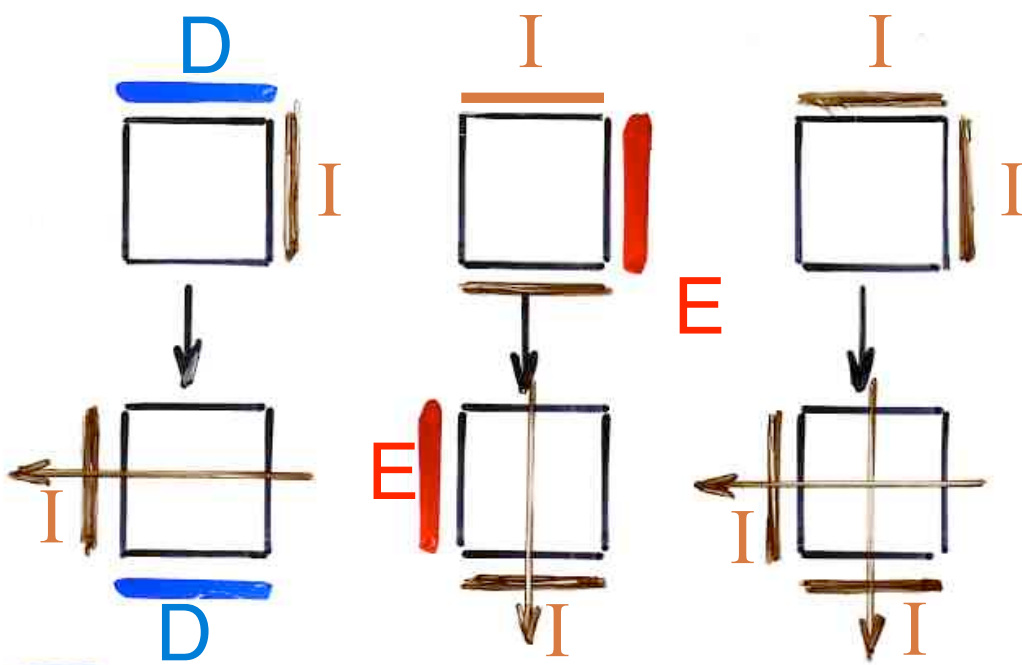
$$w = \sum_{i,j \geq 0} c_{i,j} E^i D^j$$



Proof: "planarization" of the rewriting rules



I identity

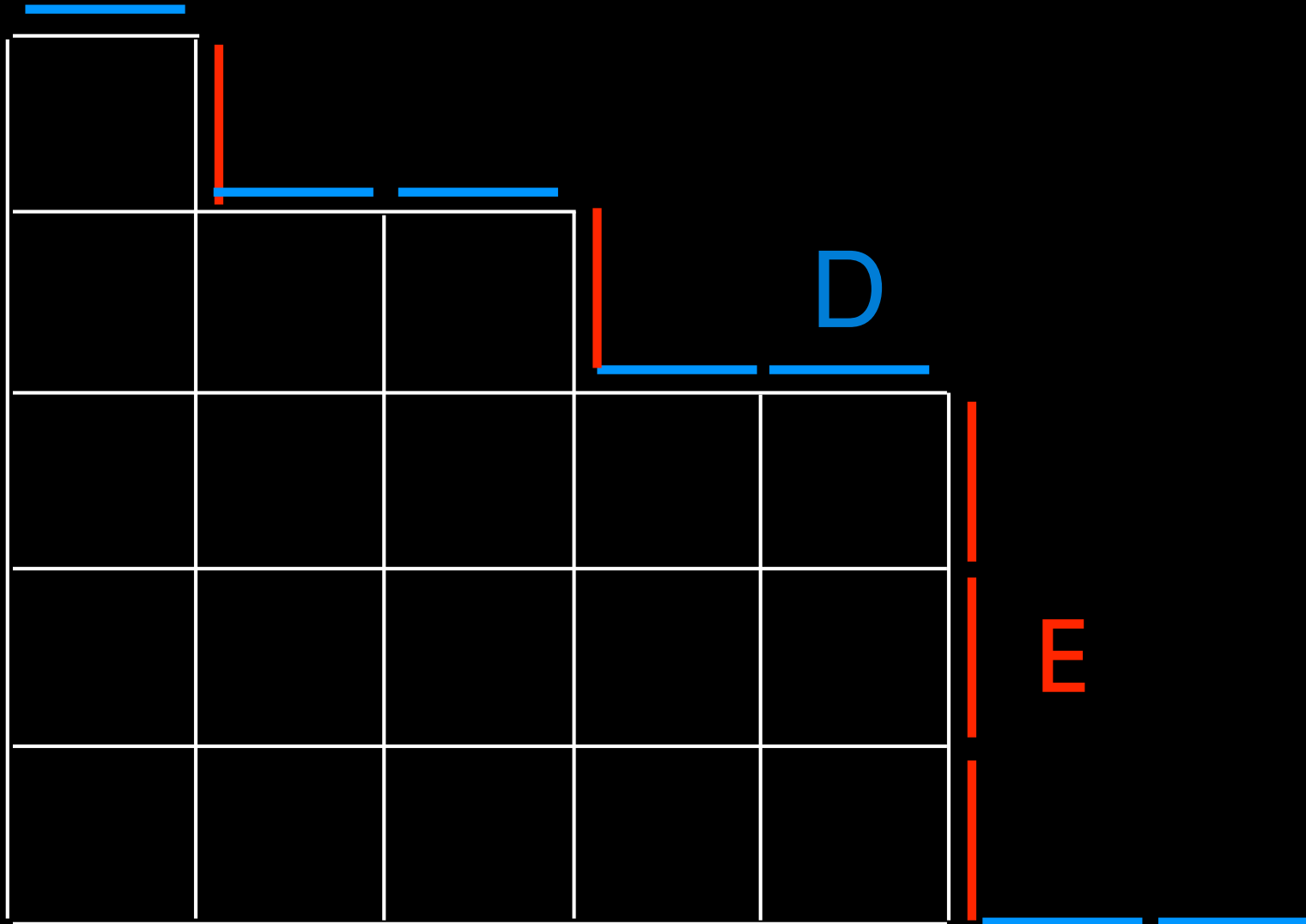


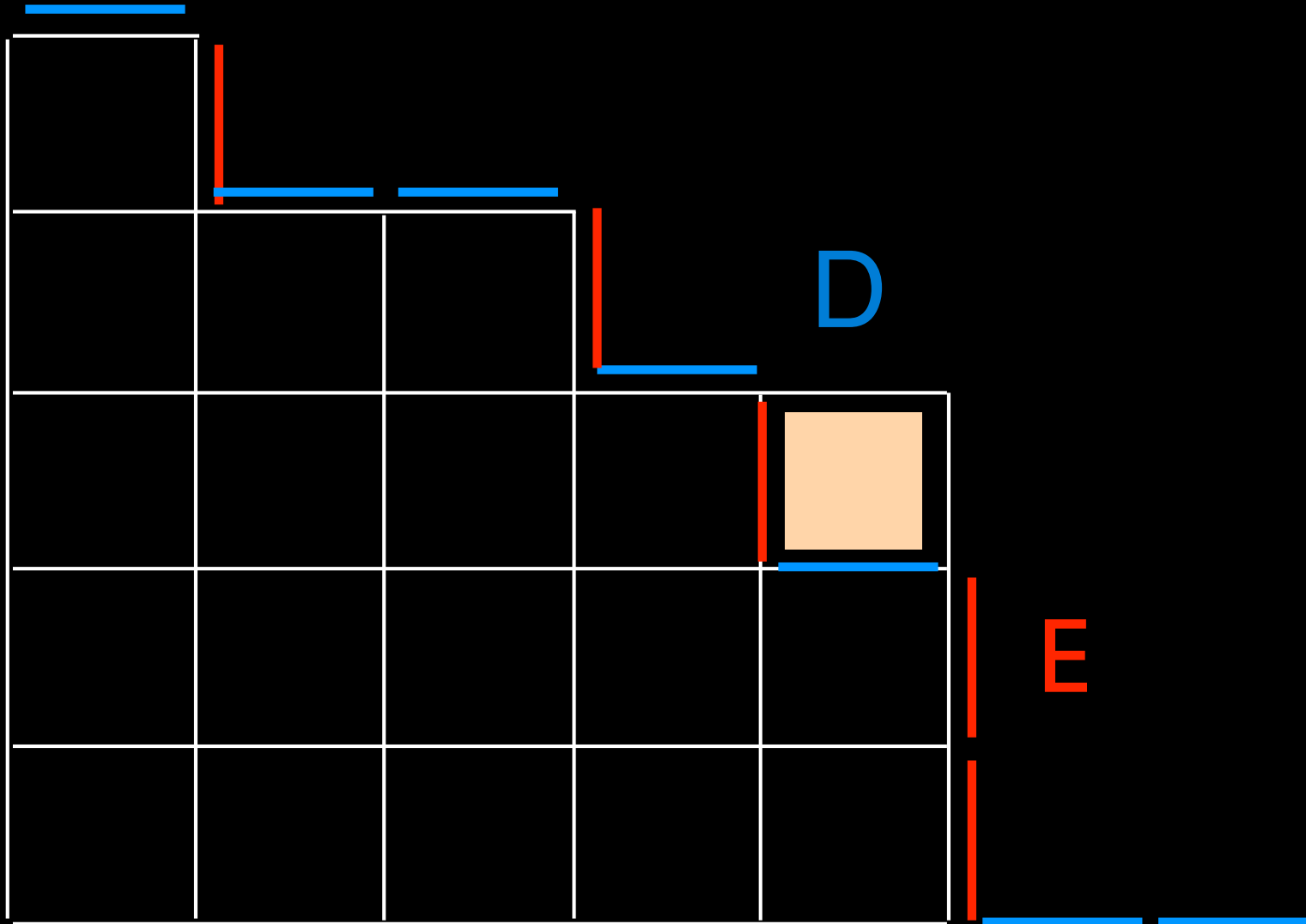
$$D E = 9 E D + E I_h + I_v D$$

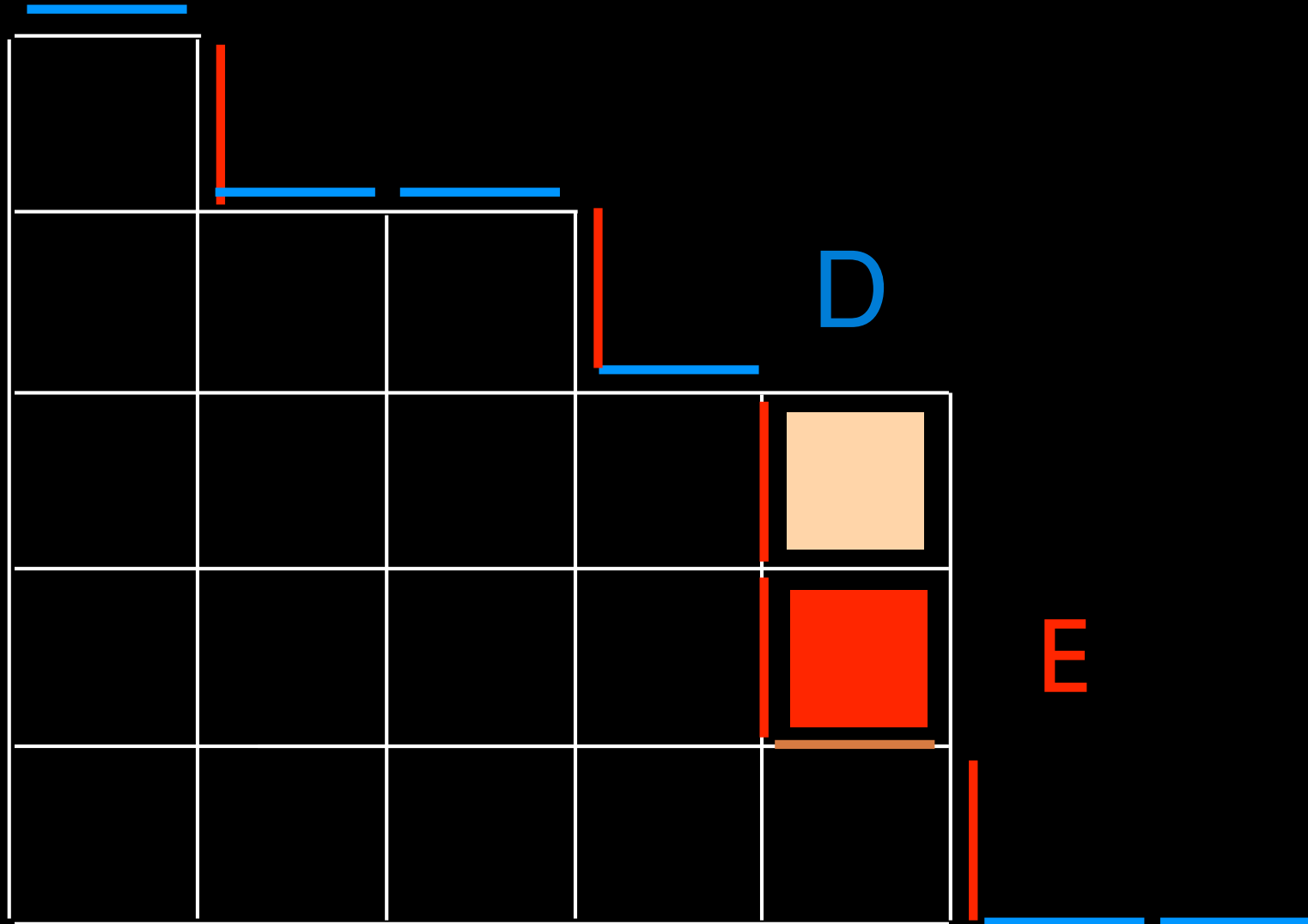
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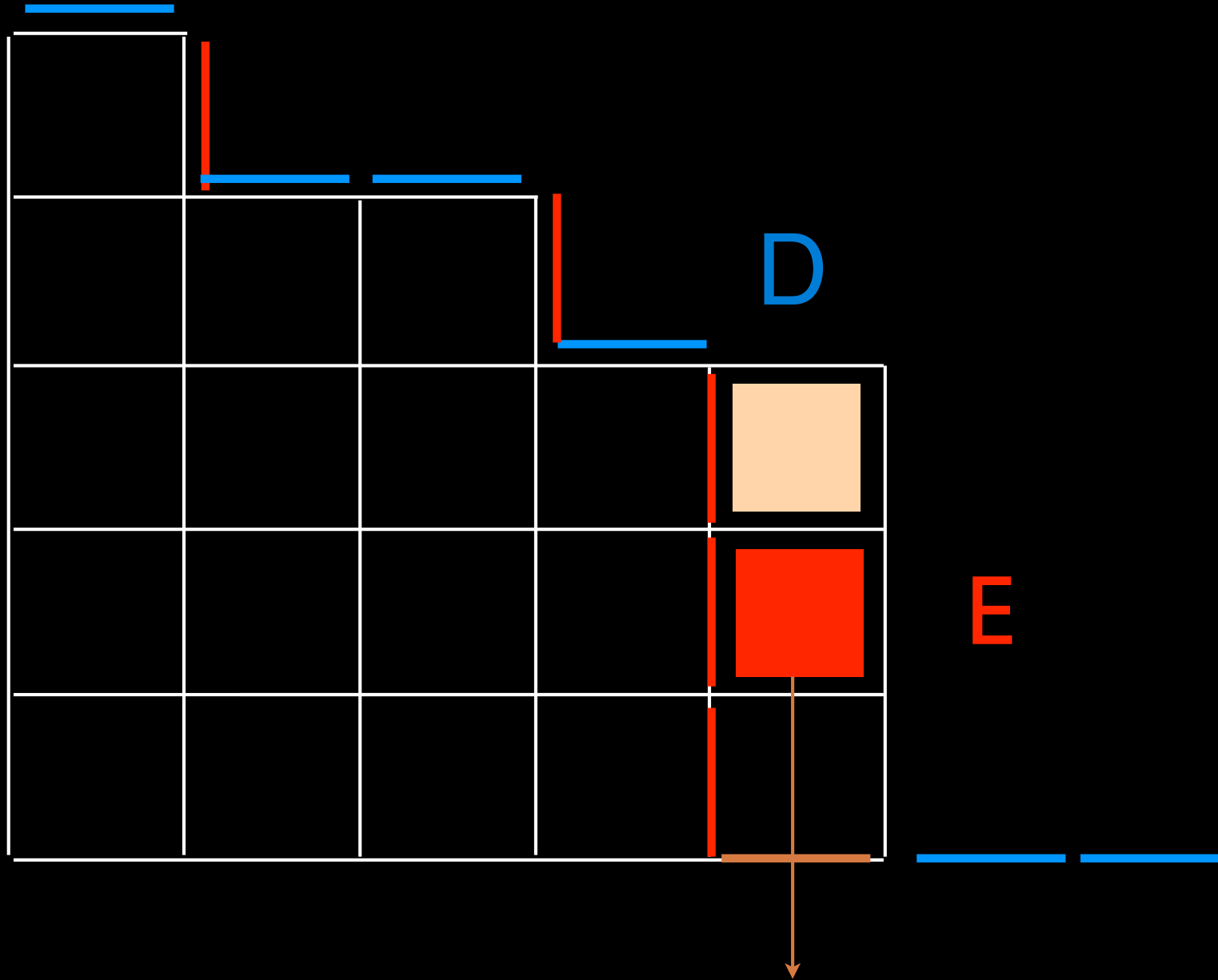
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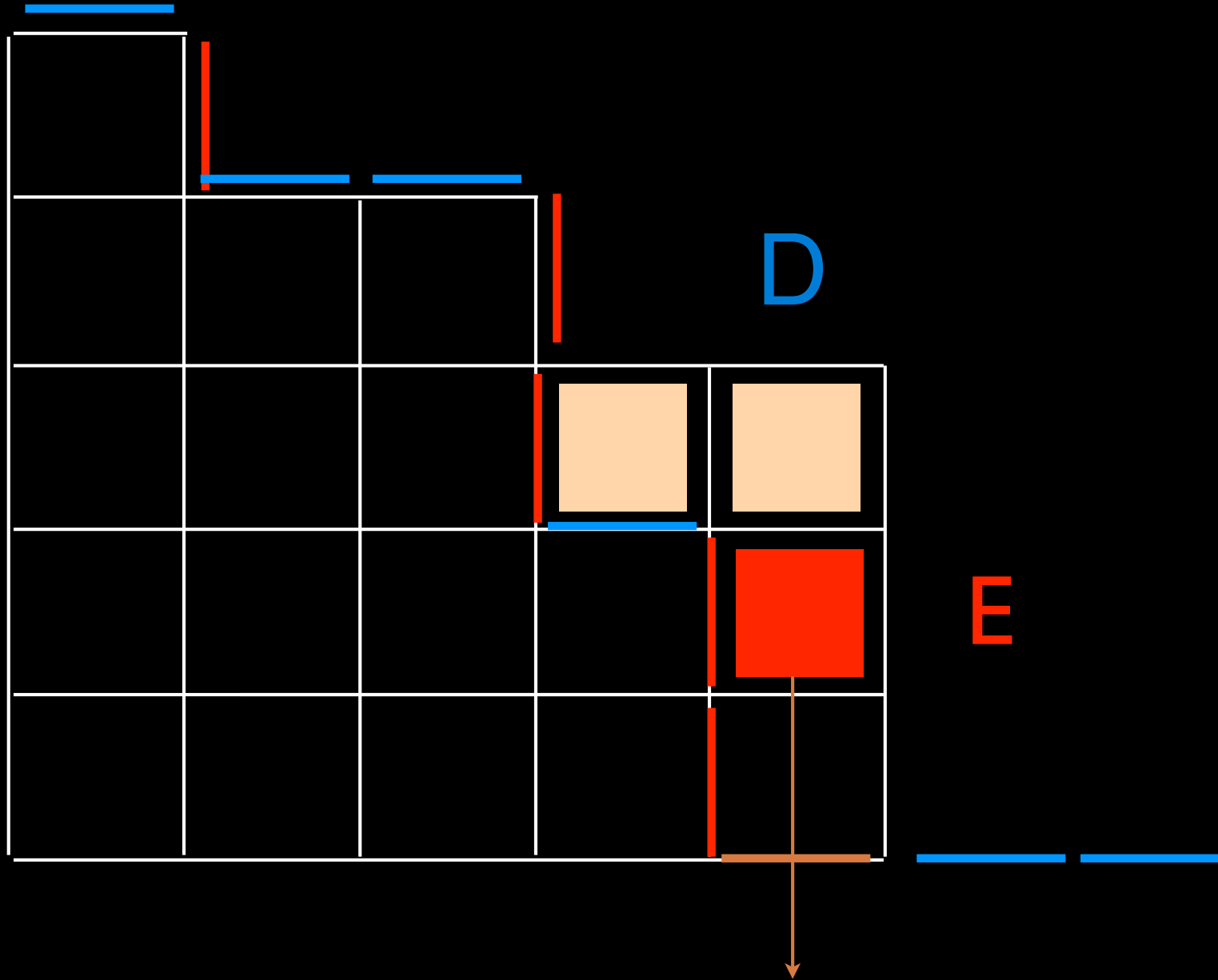
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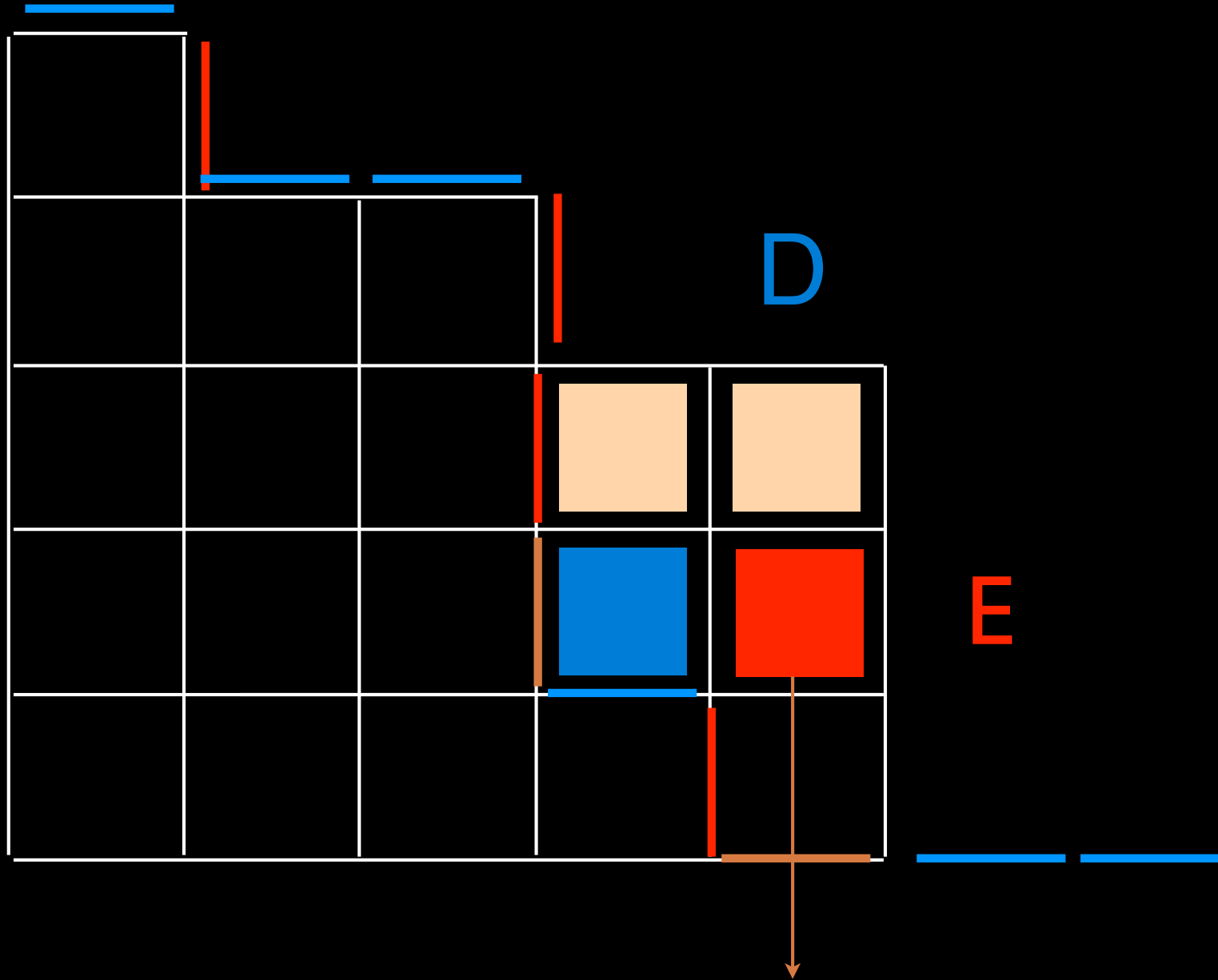


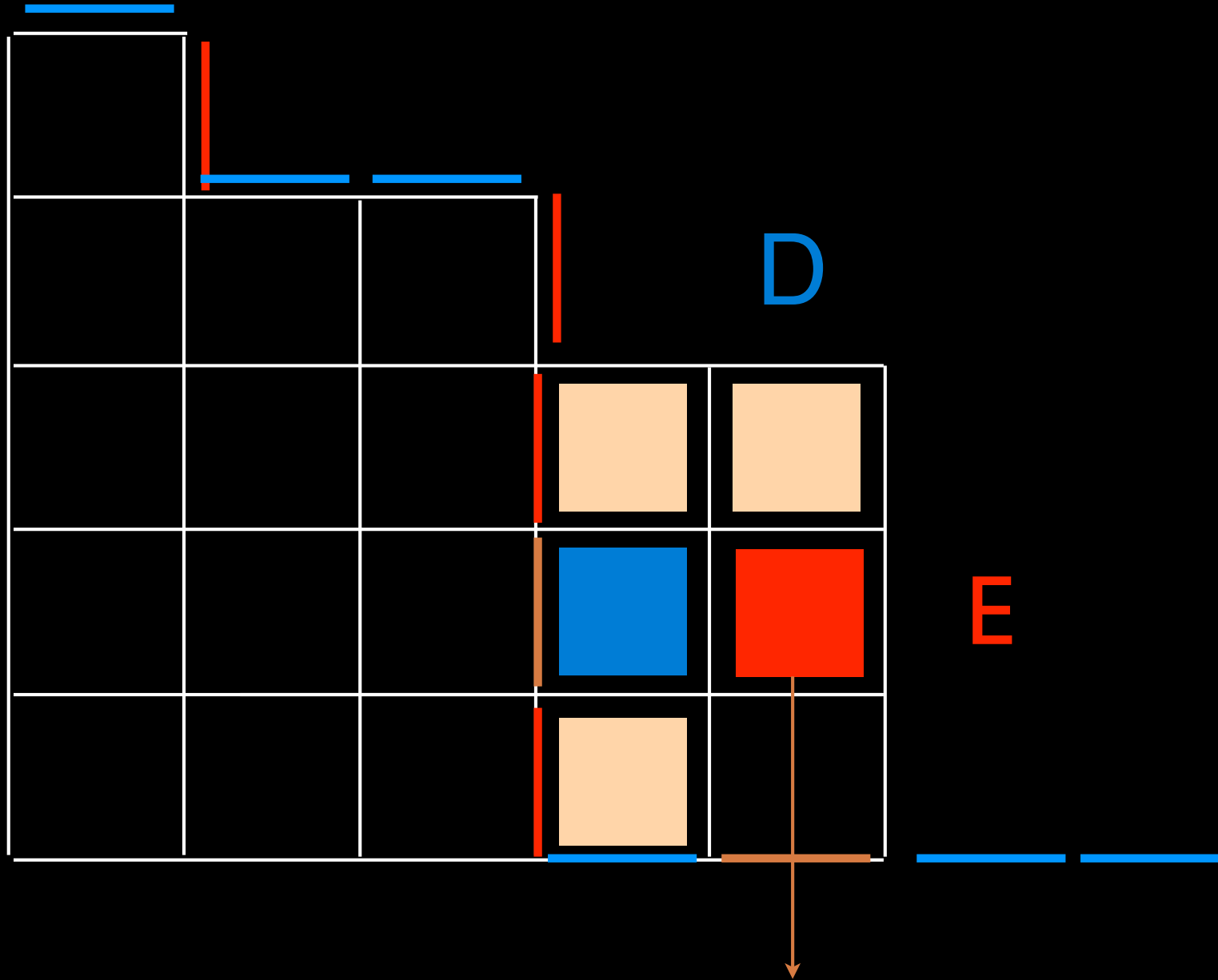


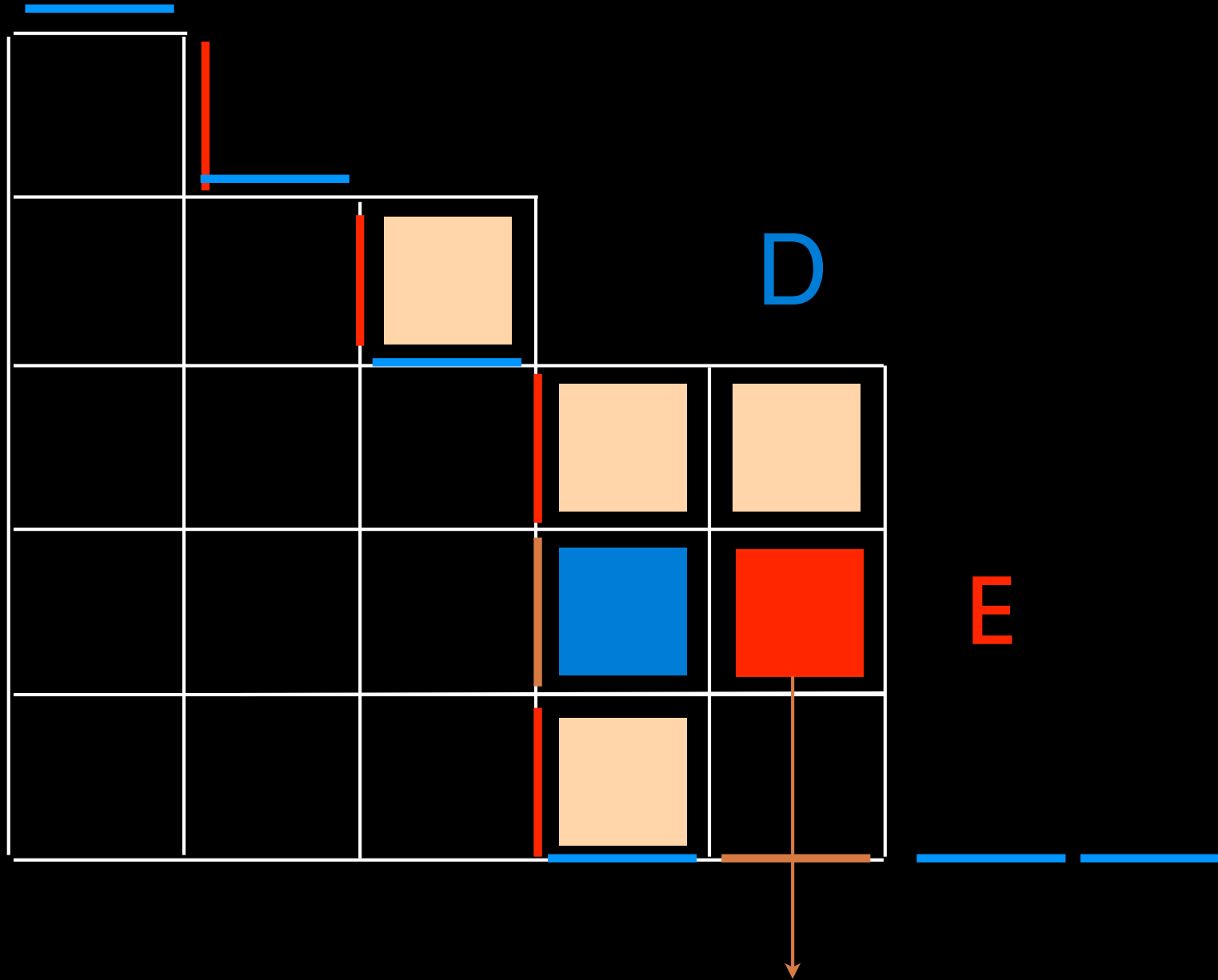


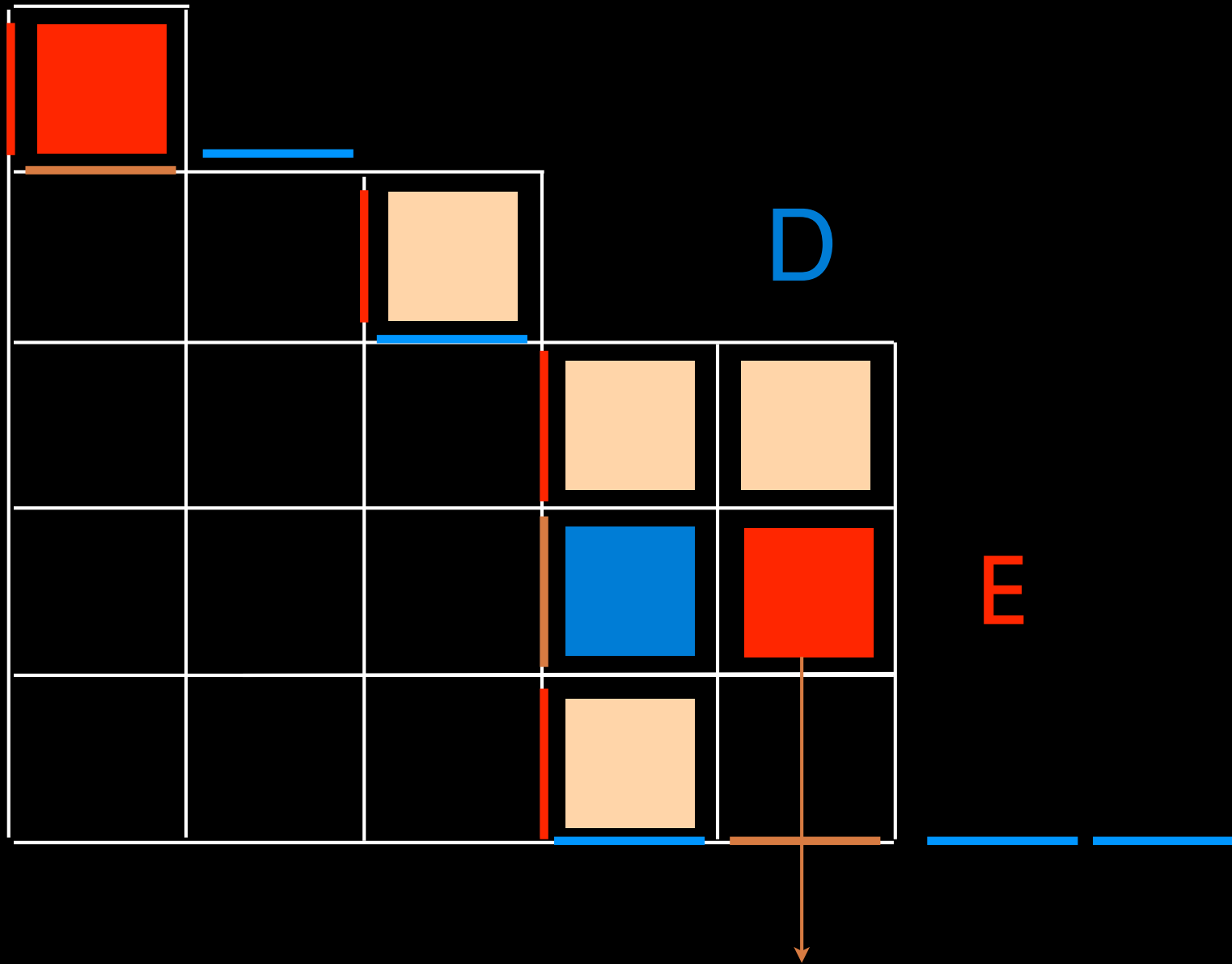


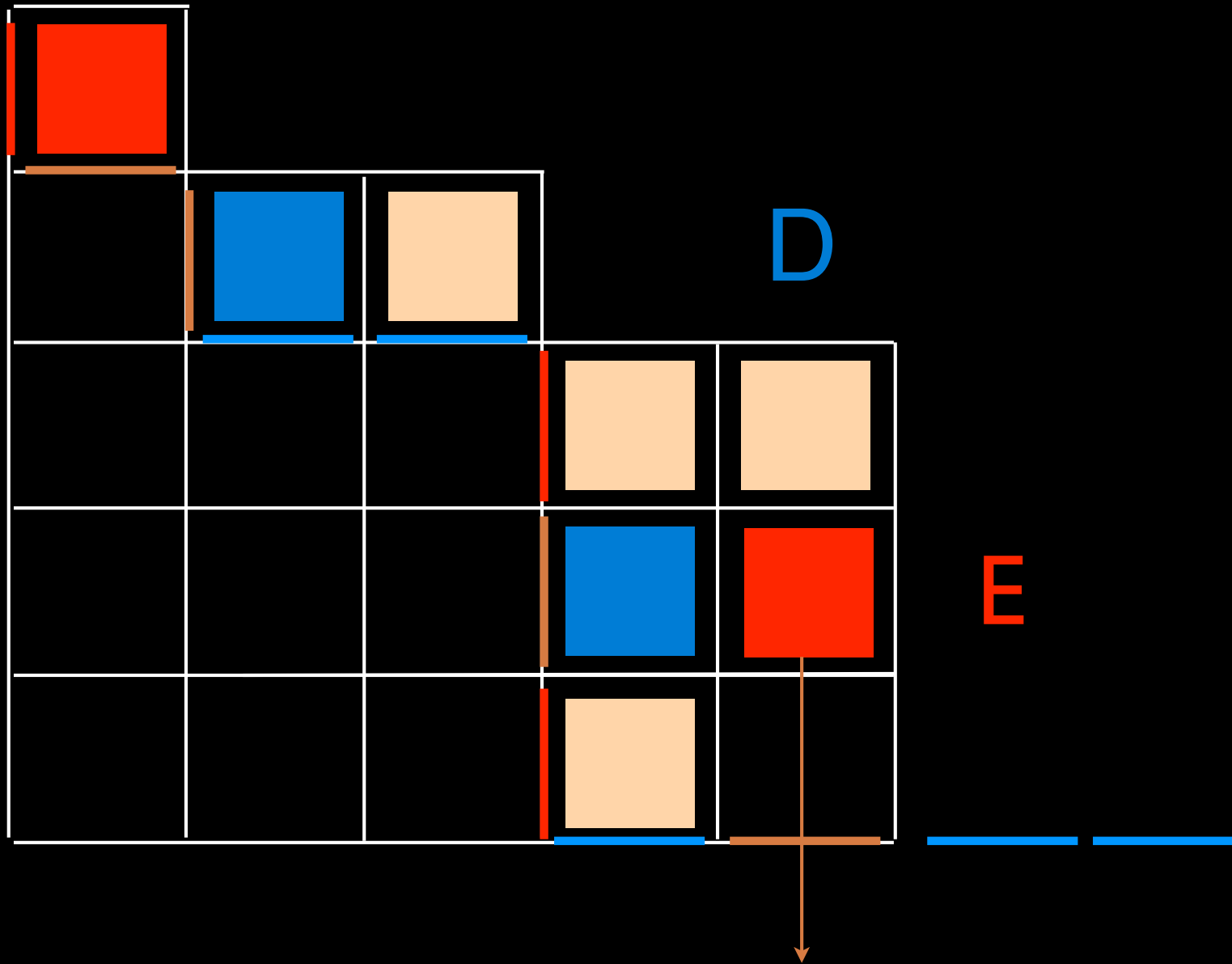


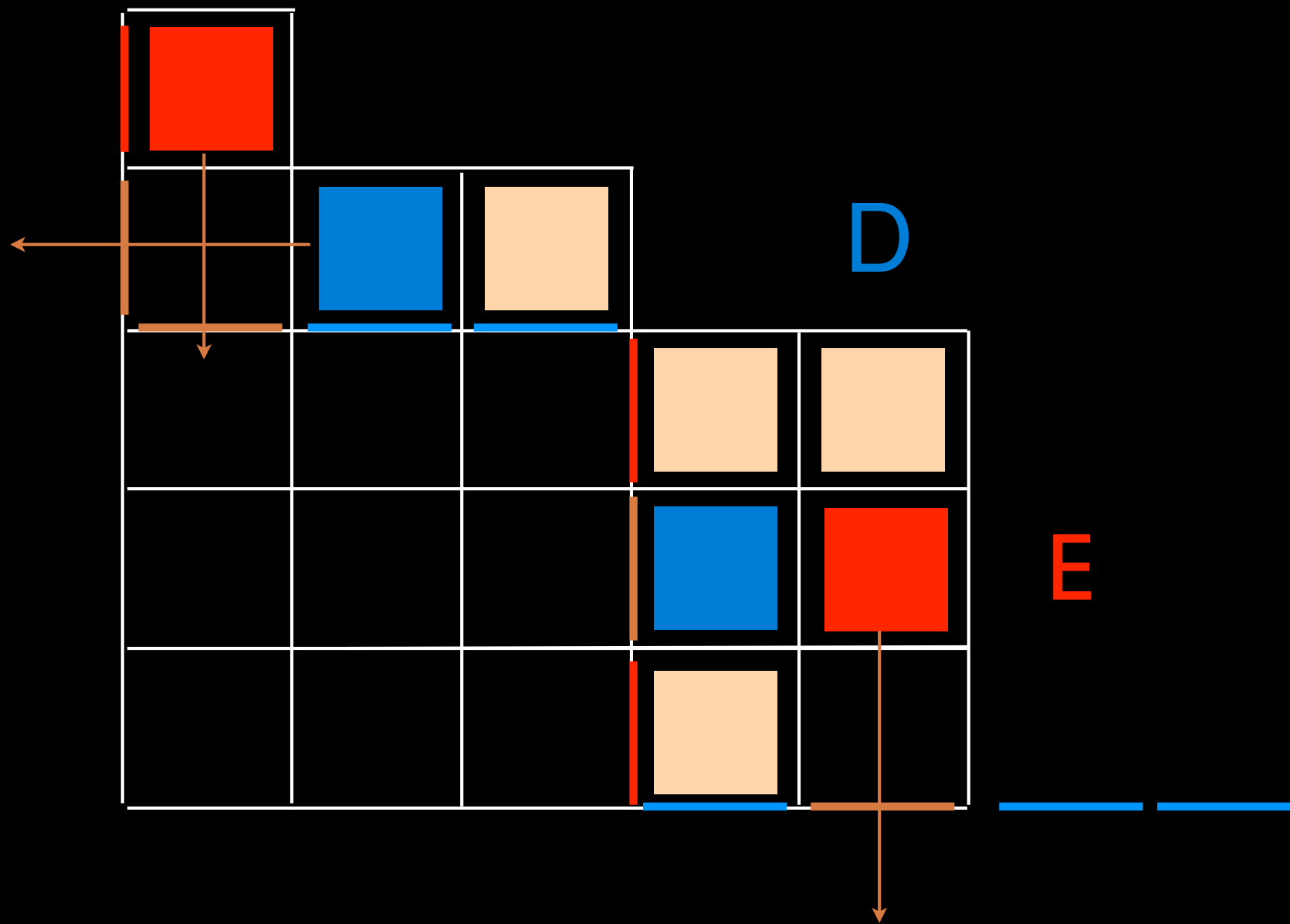


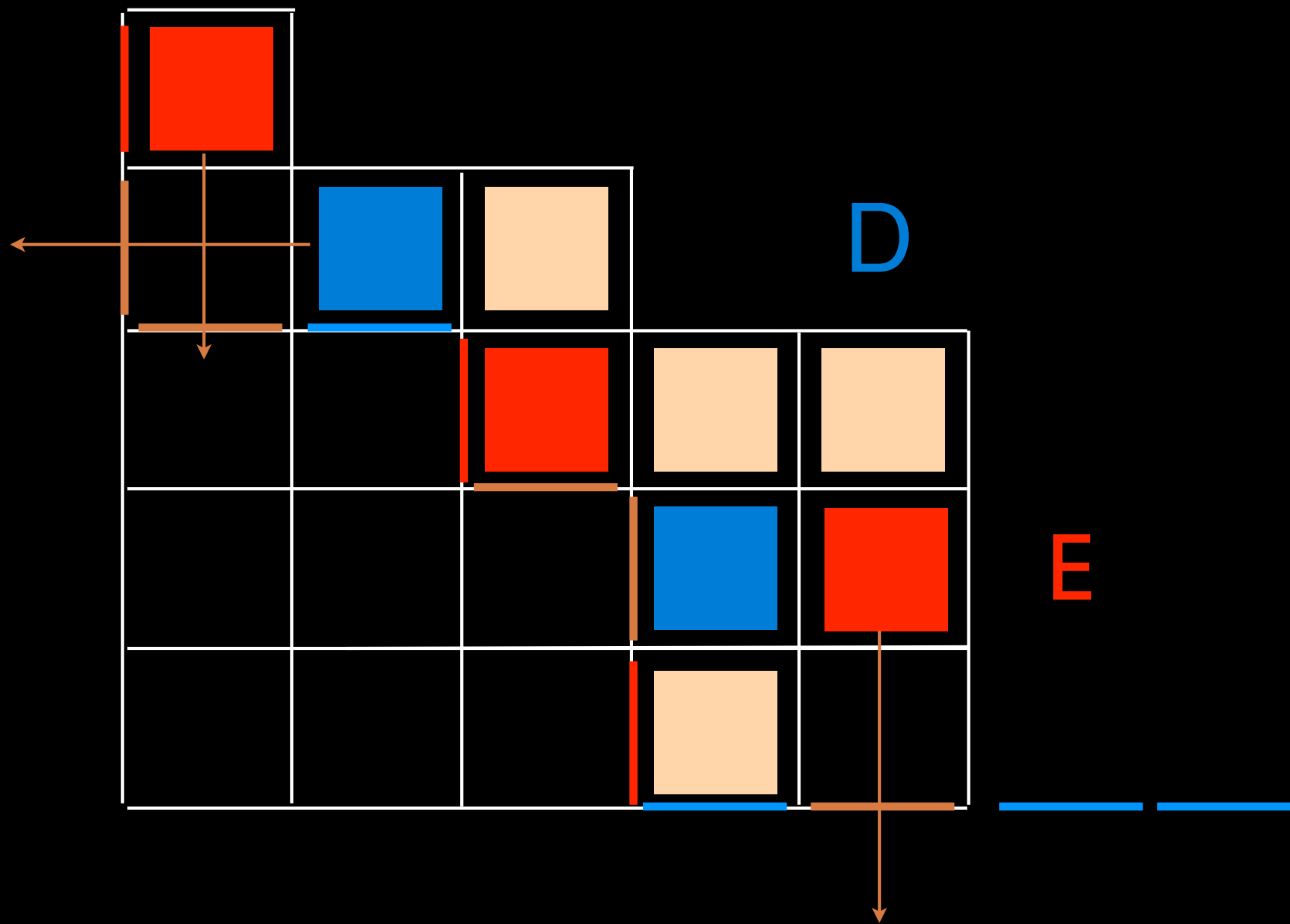


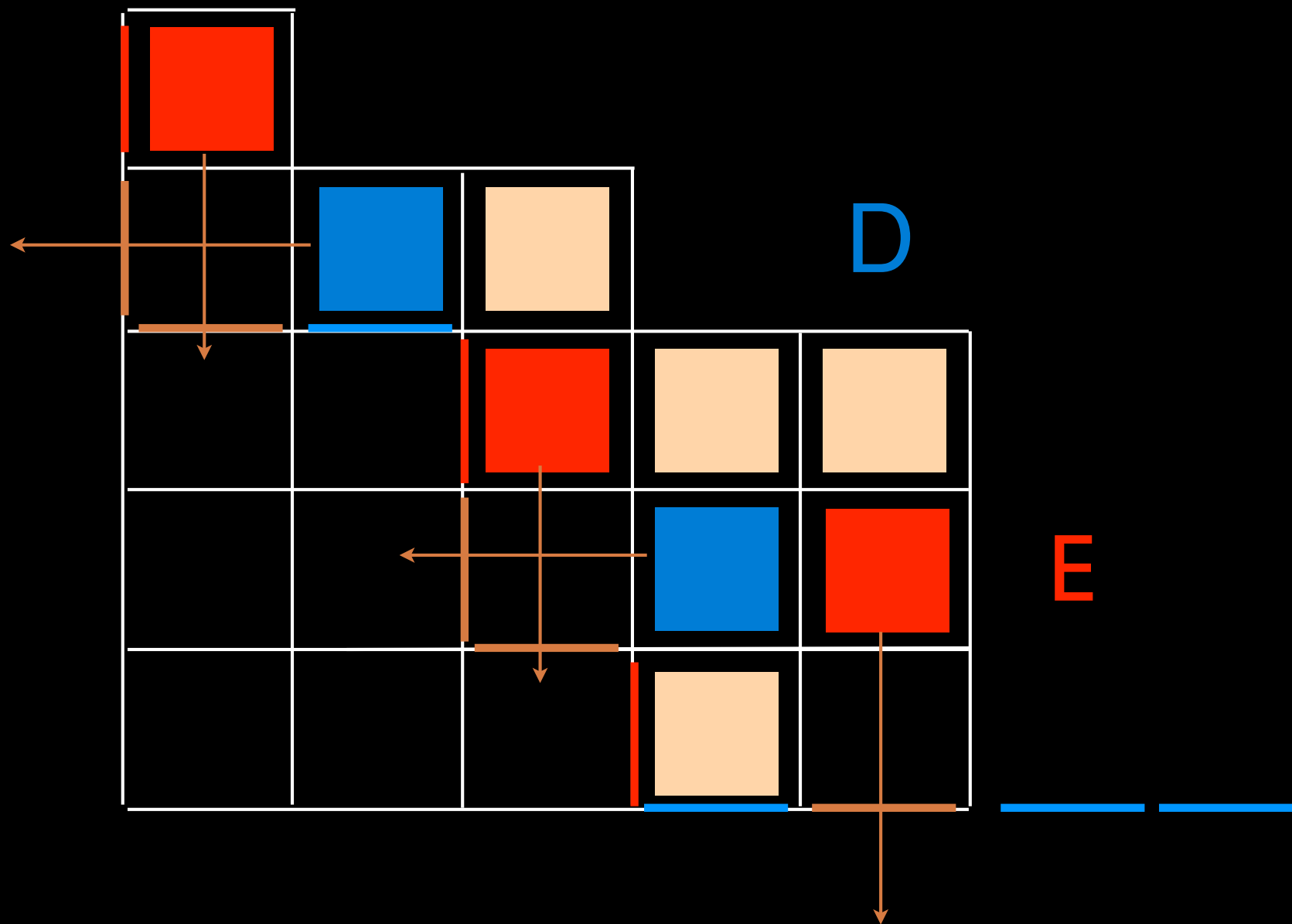


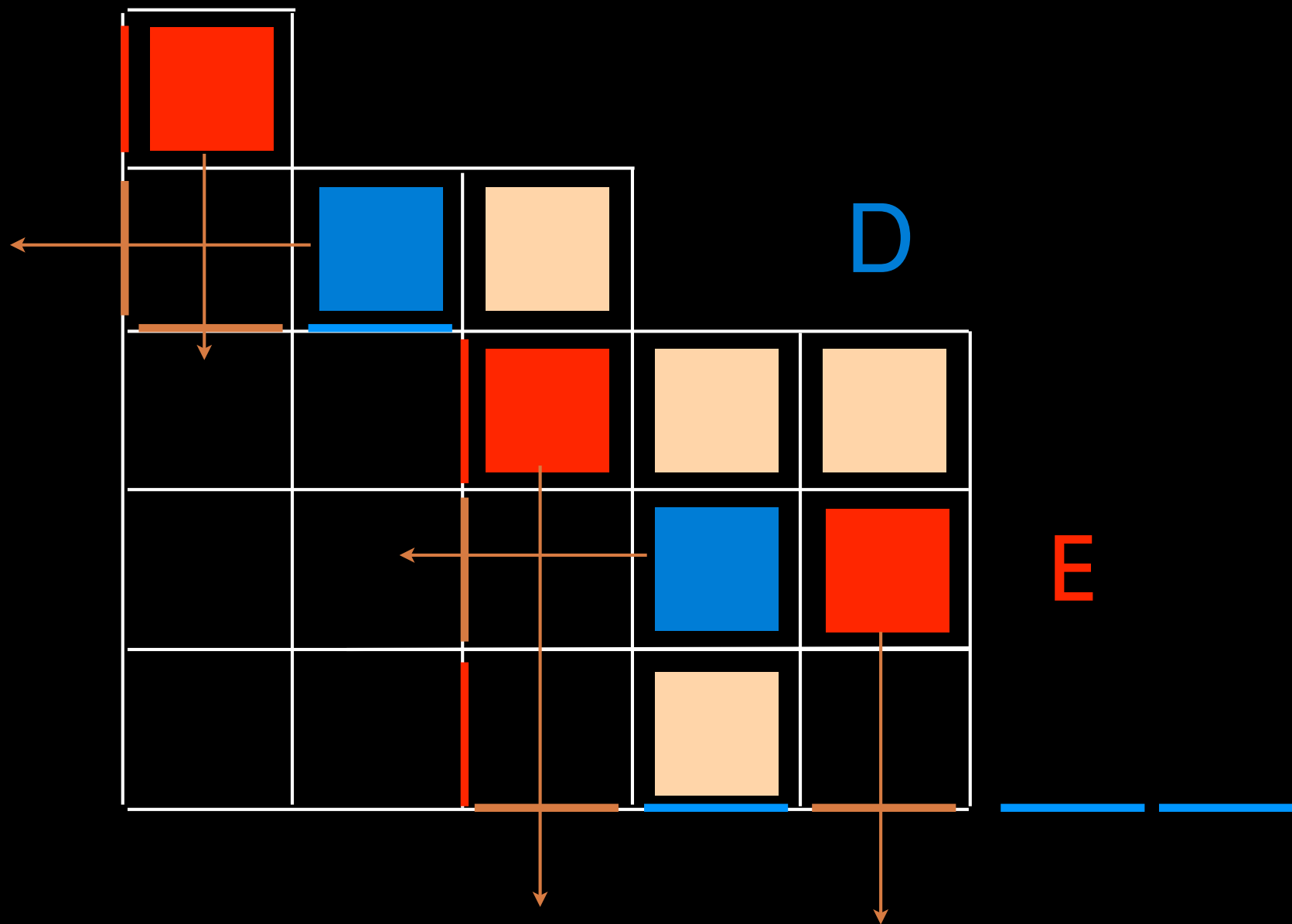


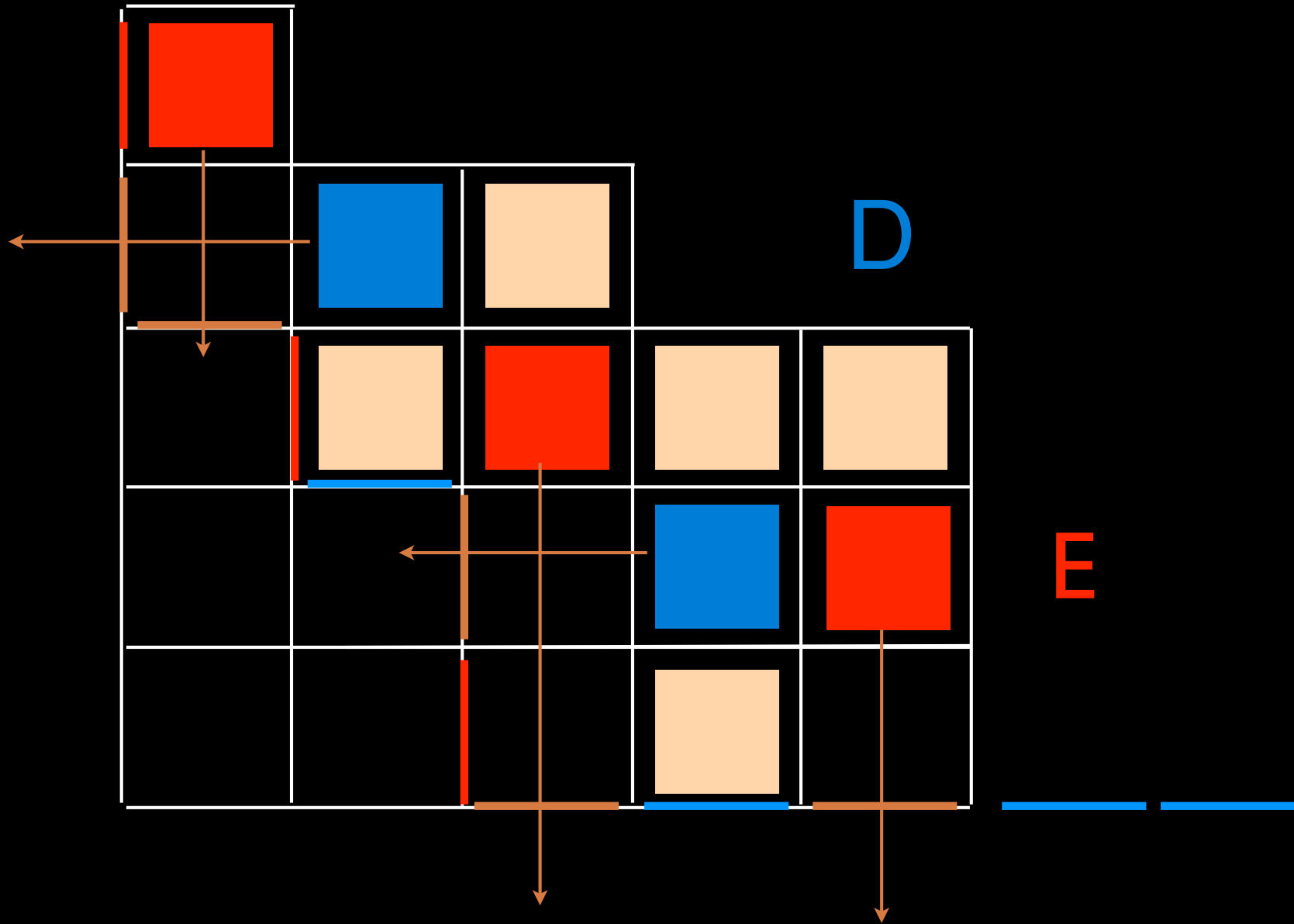


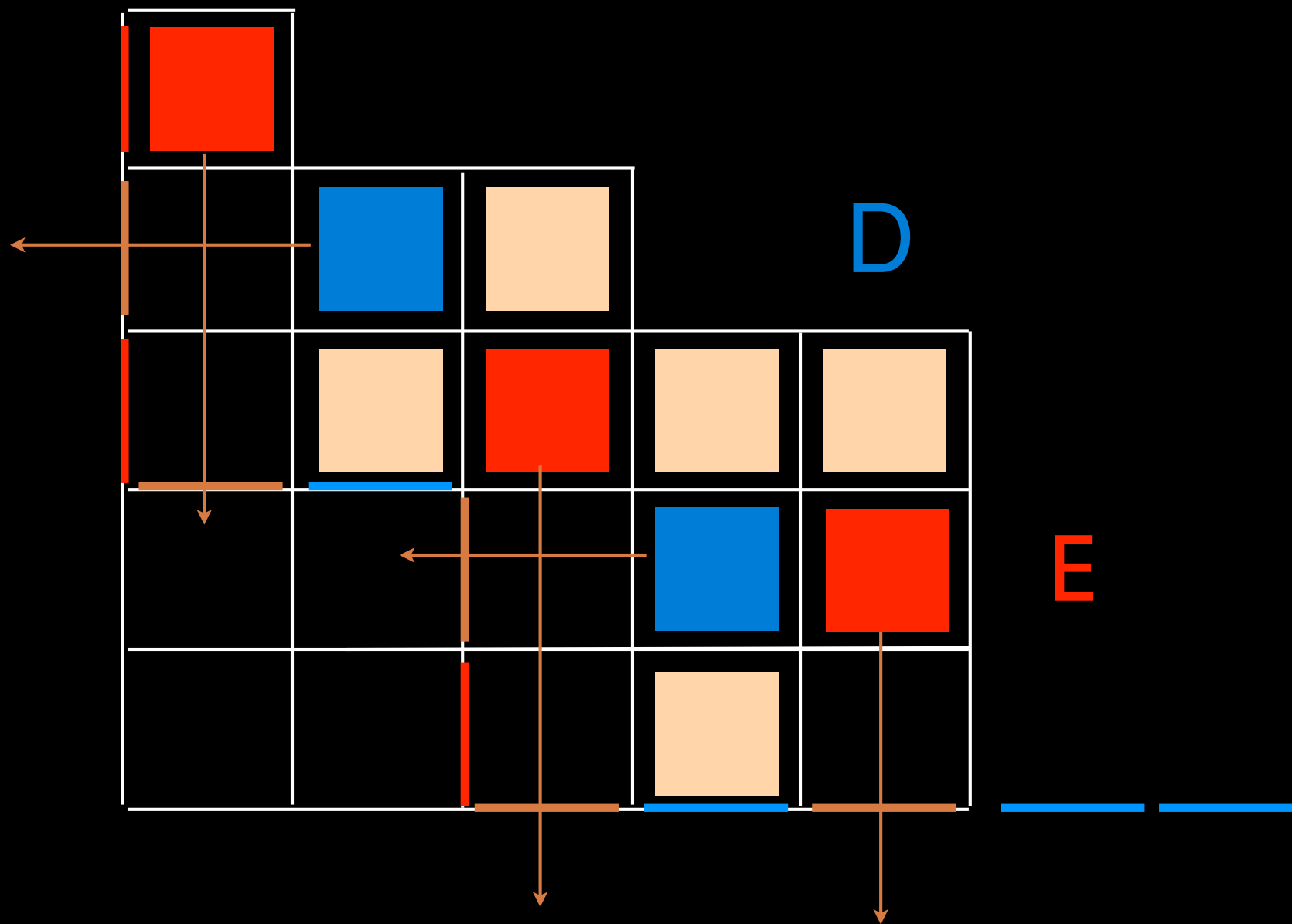


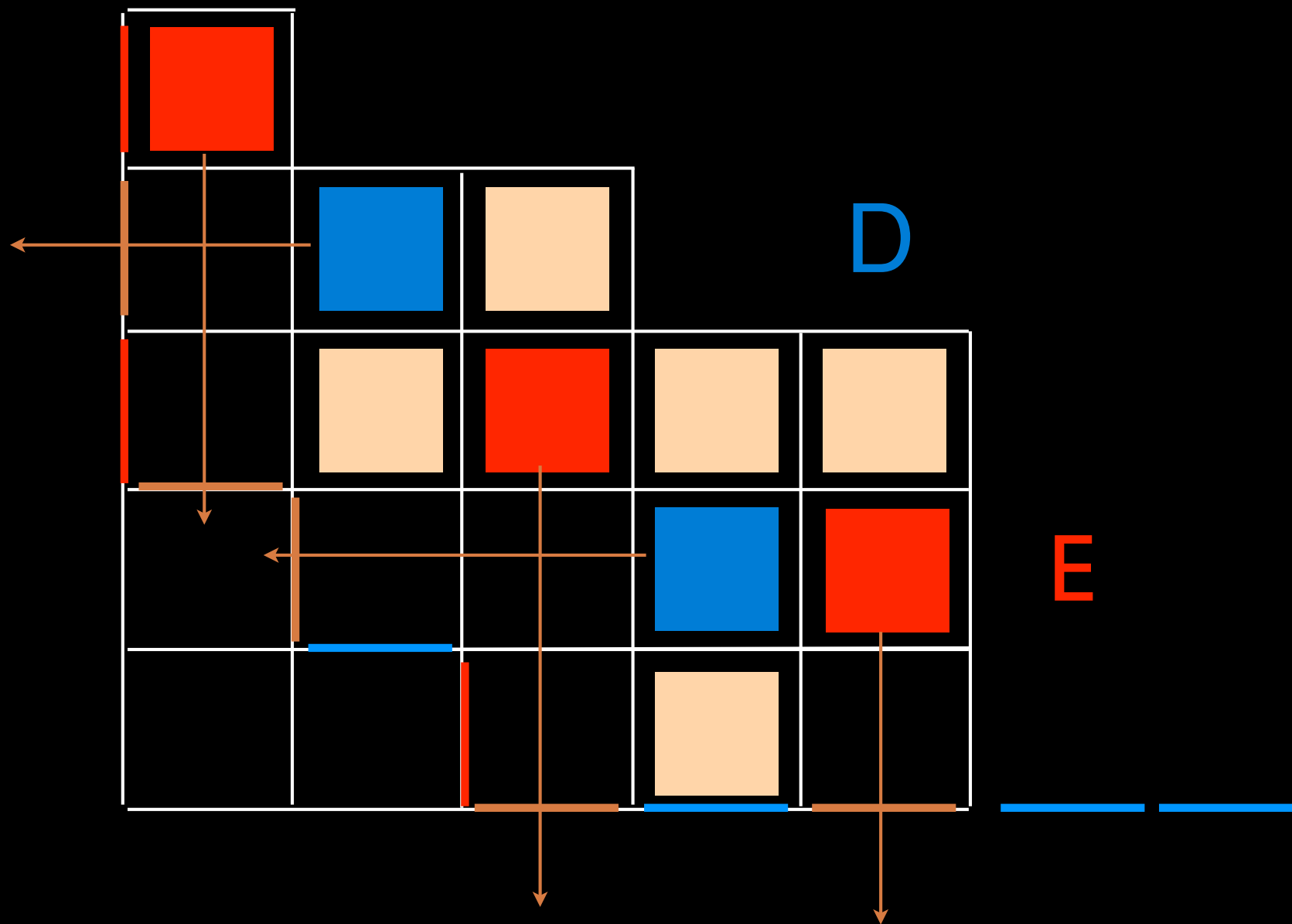


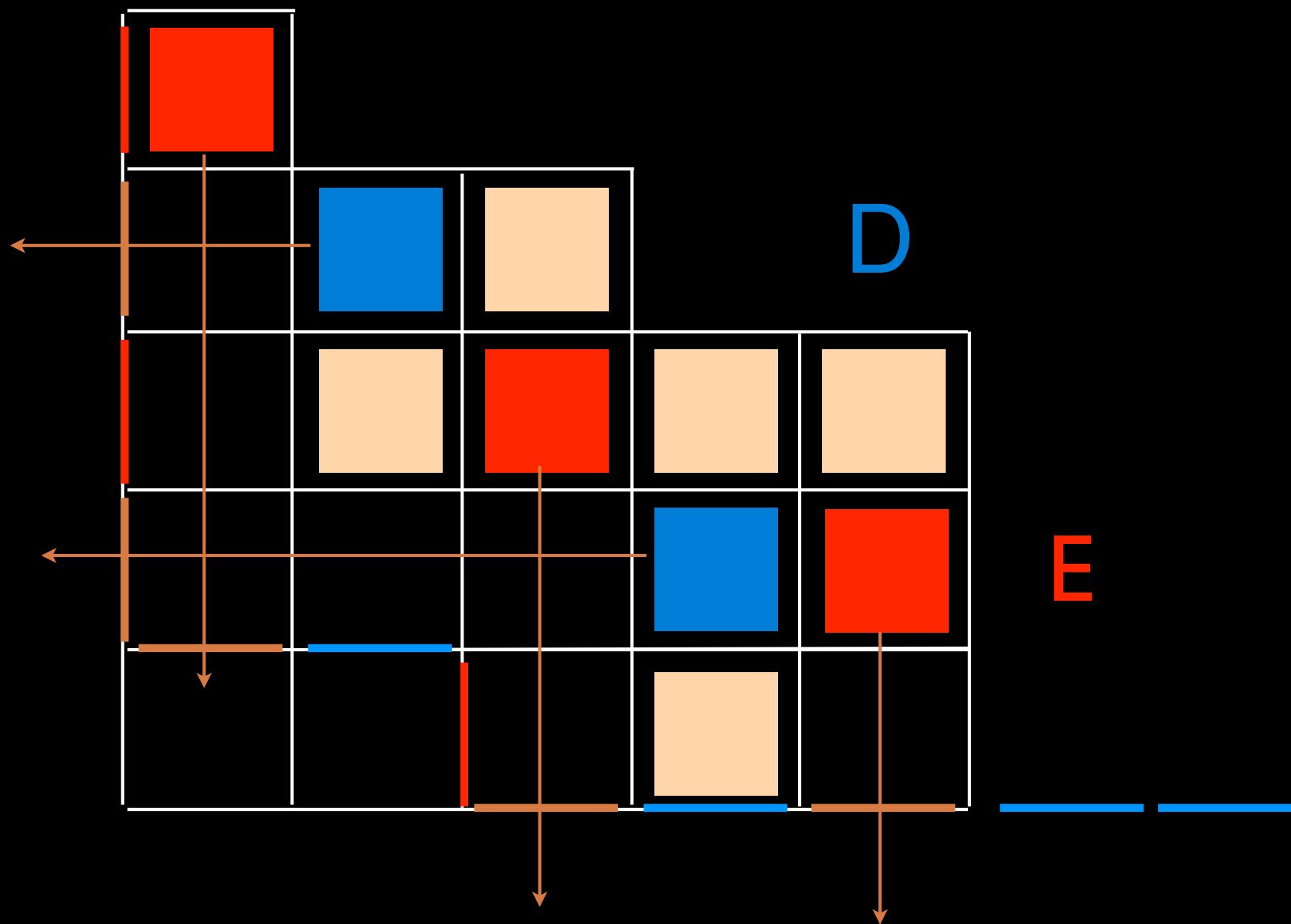


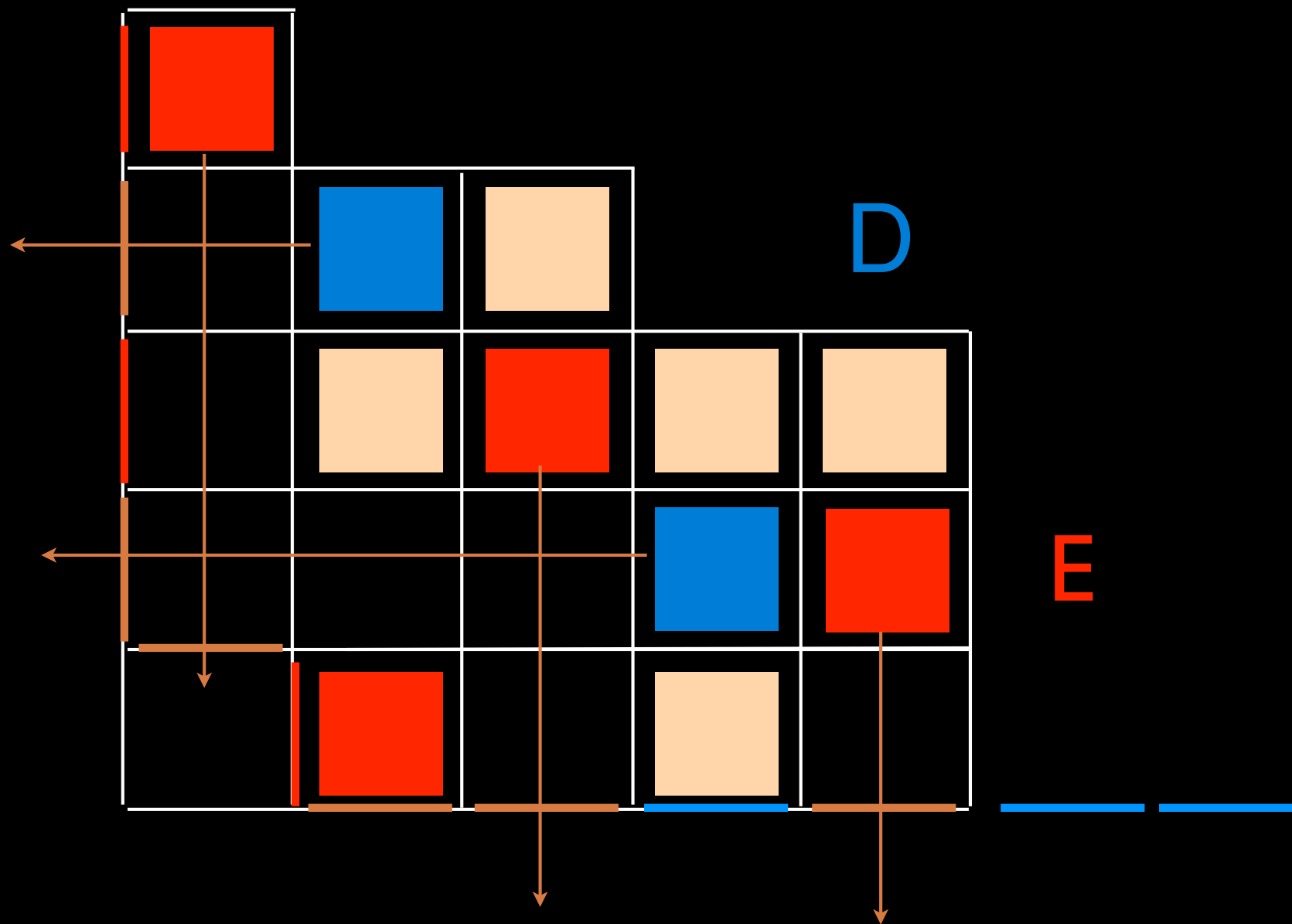


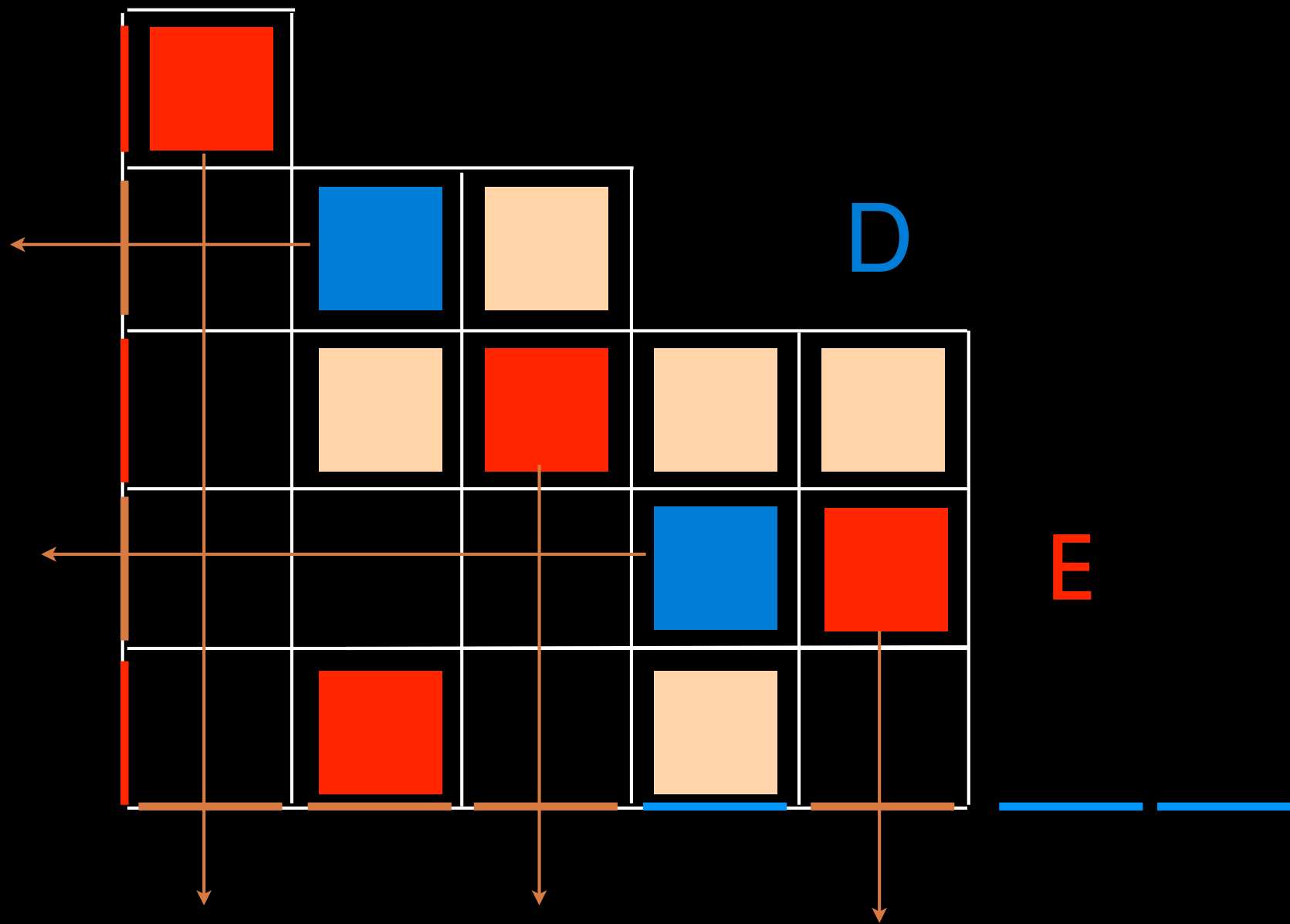


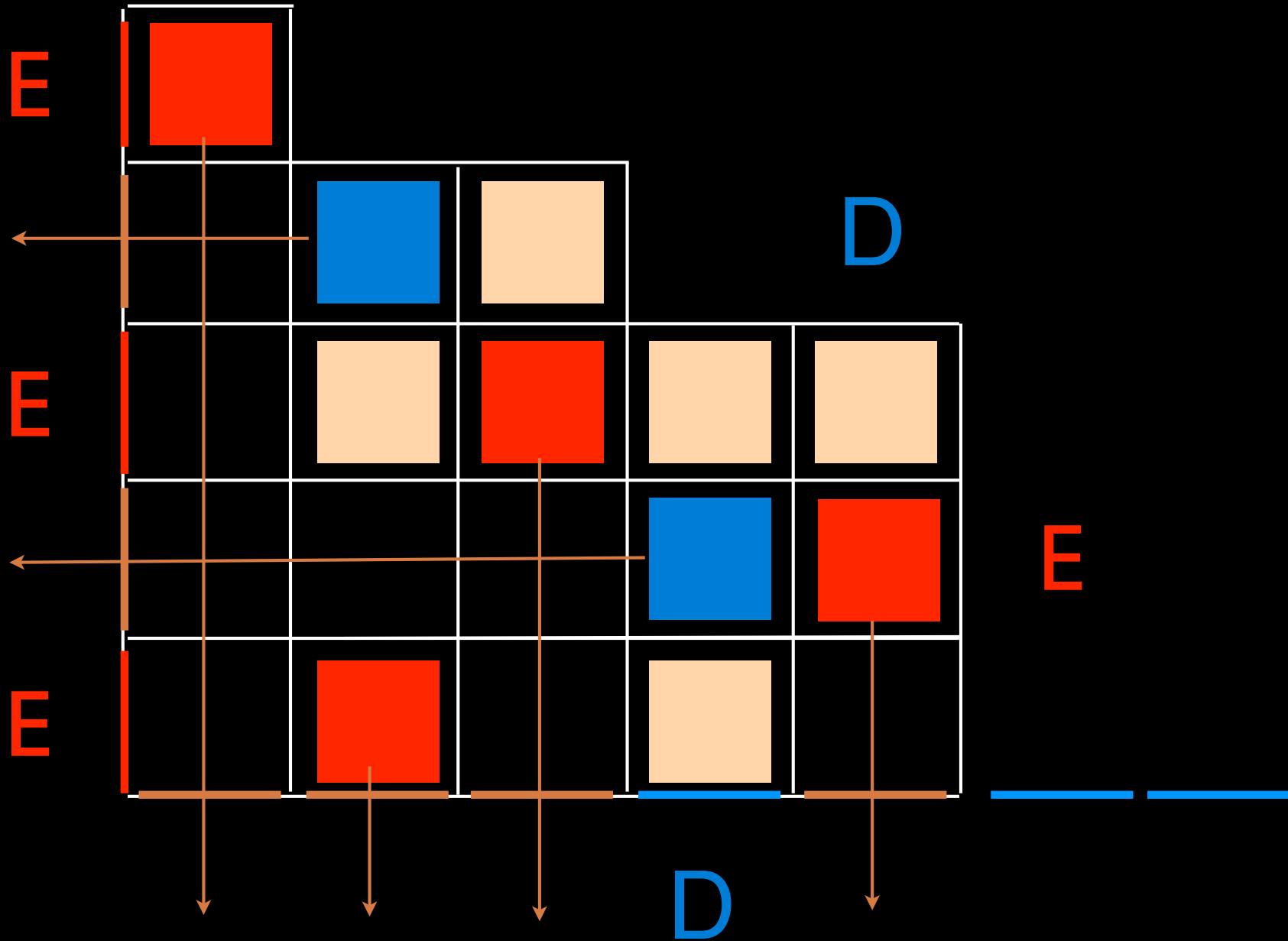




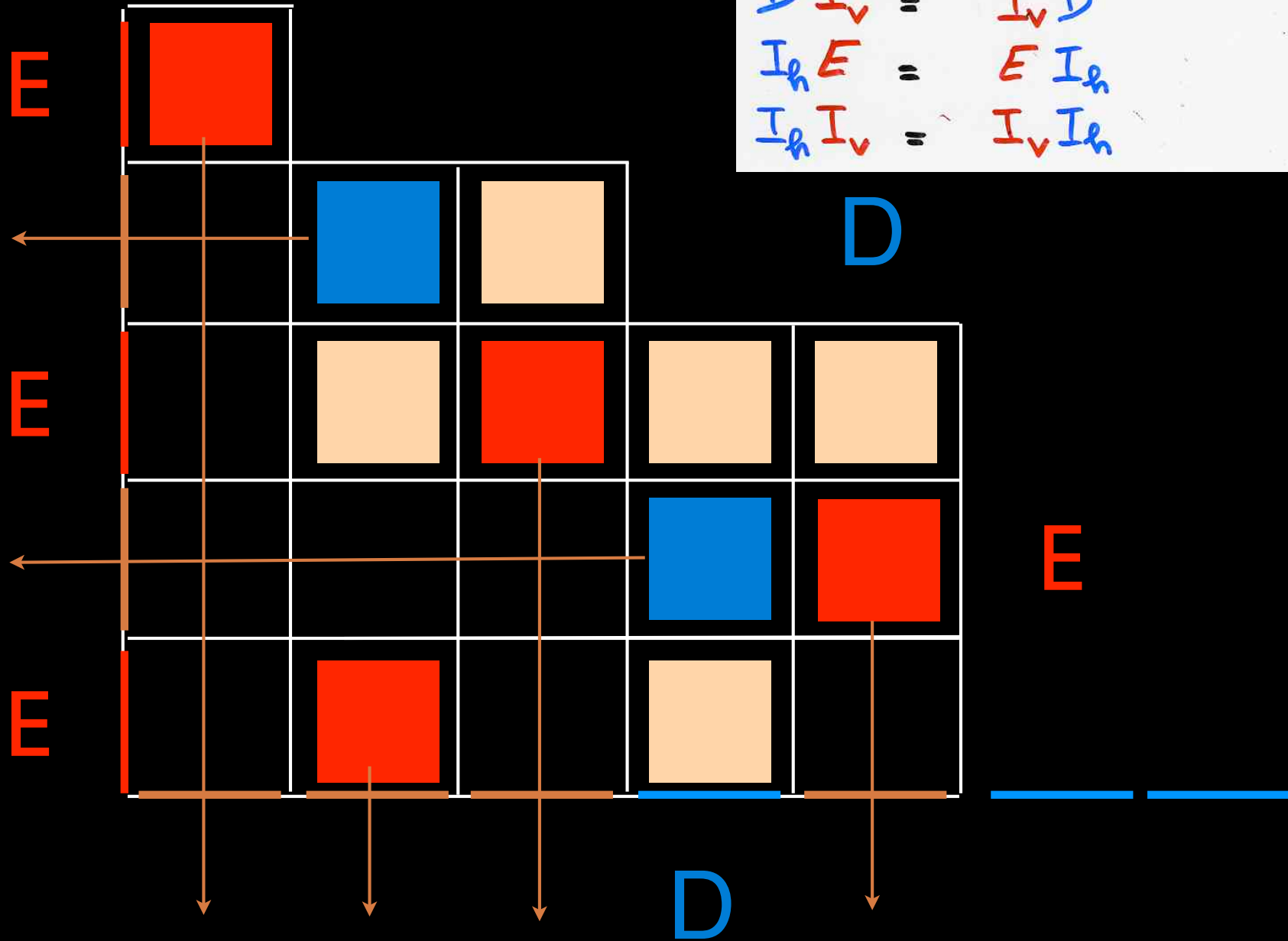


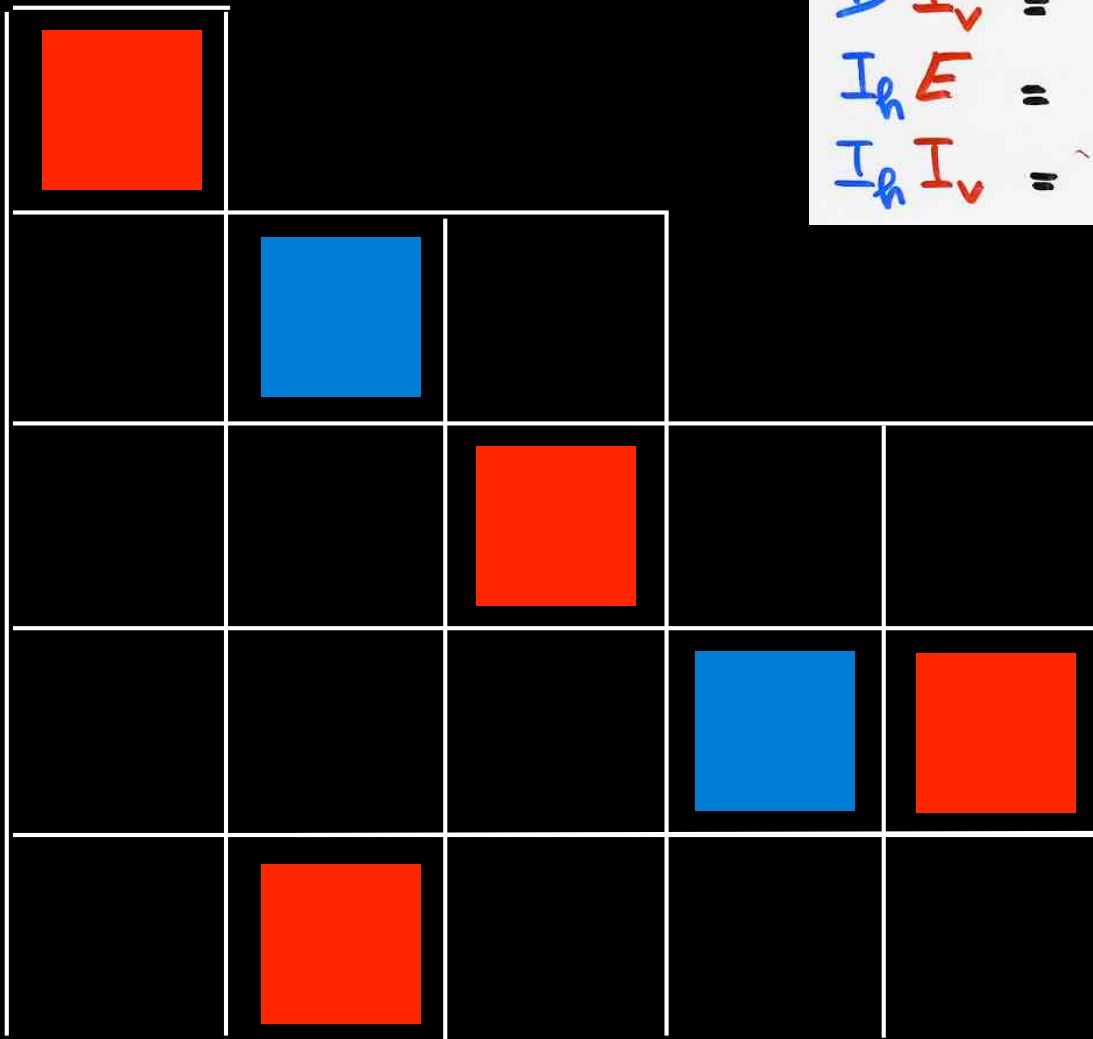






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 DI_v &= I_vD \\
 I_hE &= EI_h \\
 I_hI_v &= I_vI_h
 \end{aligned}$$



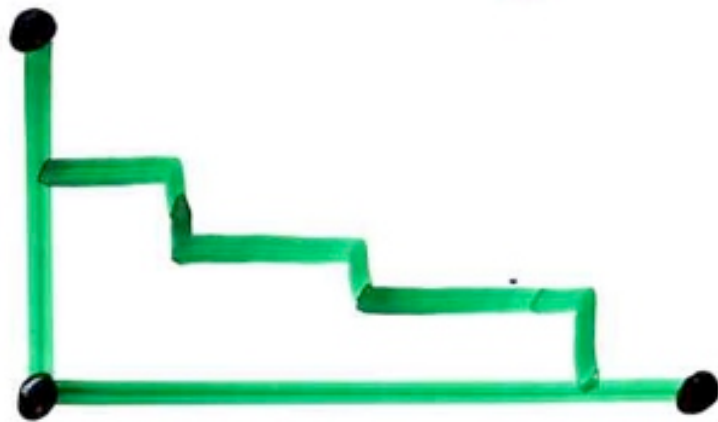


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alternative tableaux

alternative tableau

- Ferrers diagram **F**

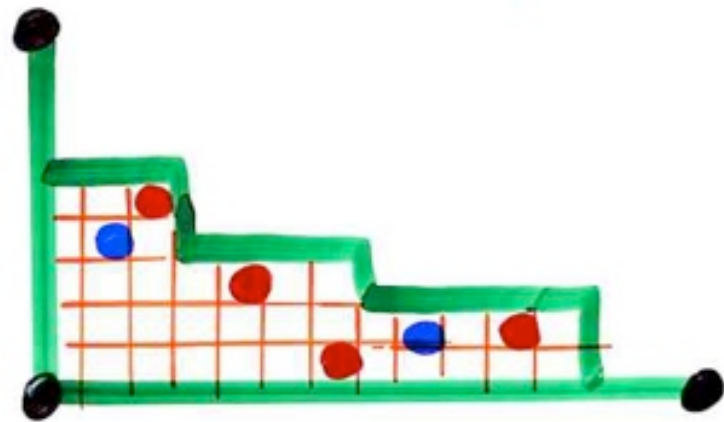


(possibly
empty rows
or column)

$$(\text{nb of rows}) + (\text{nb of columns}) = n$$

alternative tableau

- Fenners diagram **F**



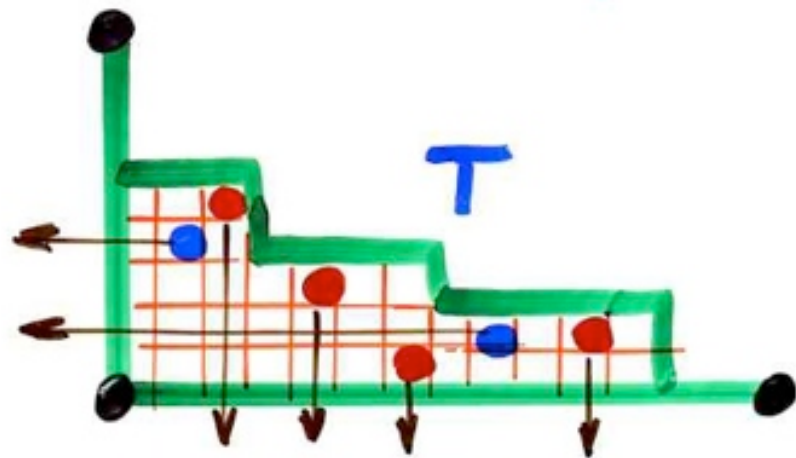
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- some cells are coloured red or blue

alternative tableau T

- Ferrers diagram F



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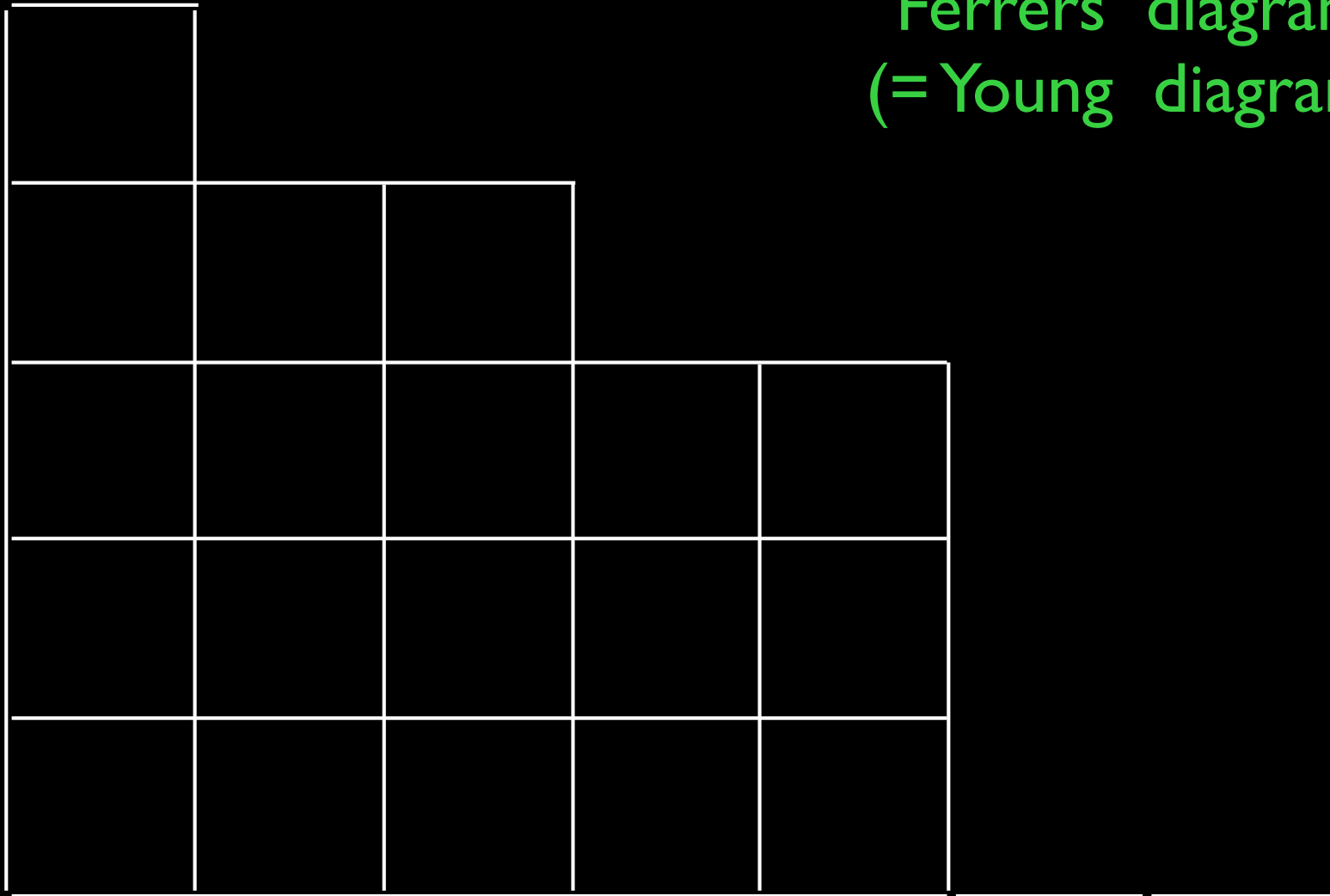
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- { no coloured cell at the left of 
no coloured cell below 

n size of T

alternative tableau

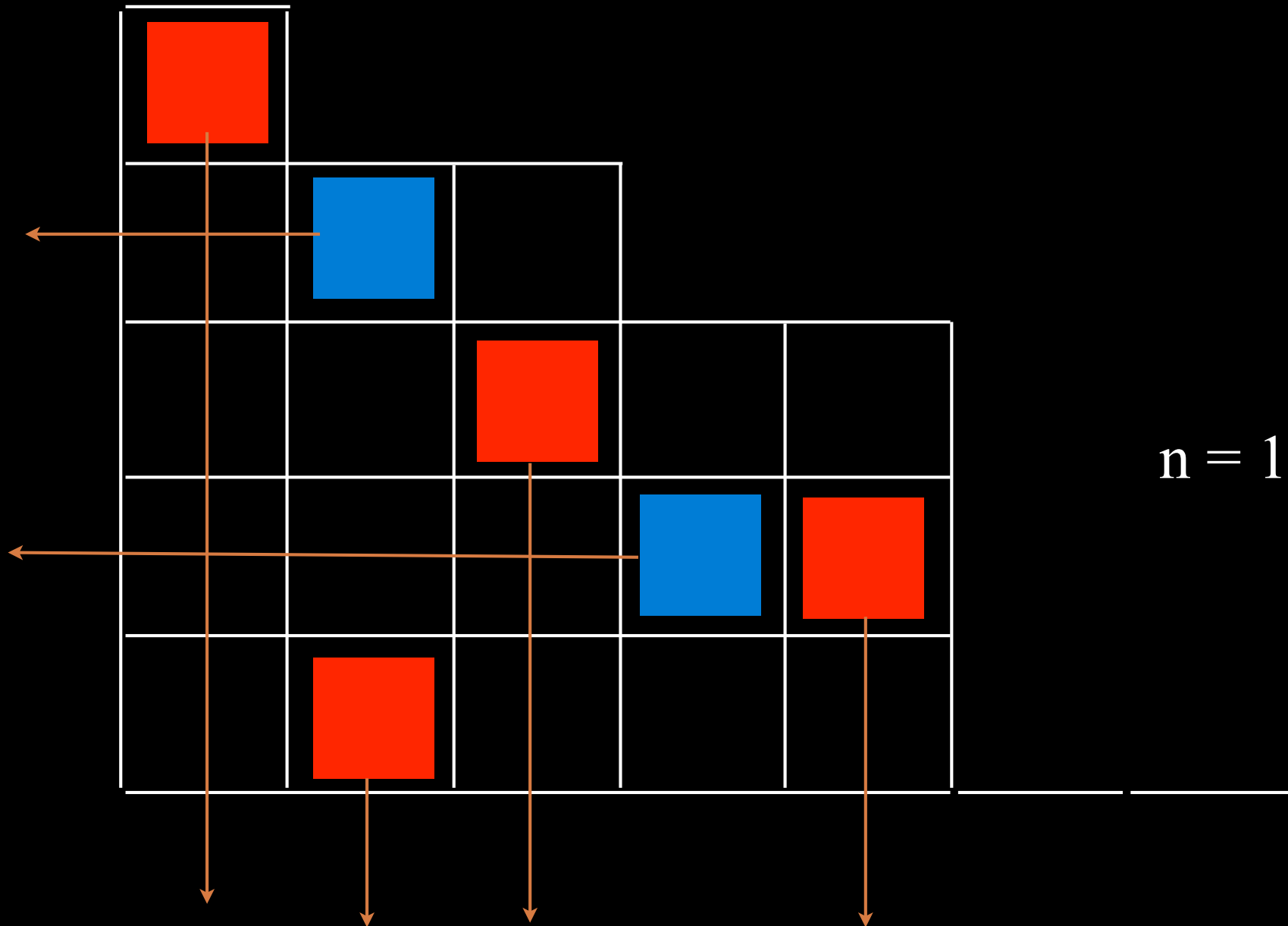
Ferrers diagram
(= Young diagram)

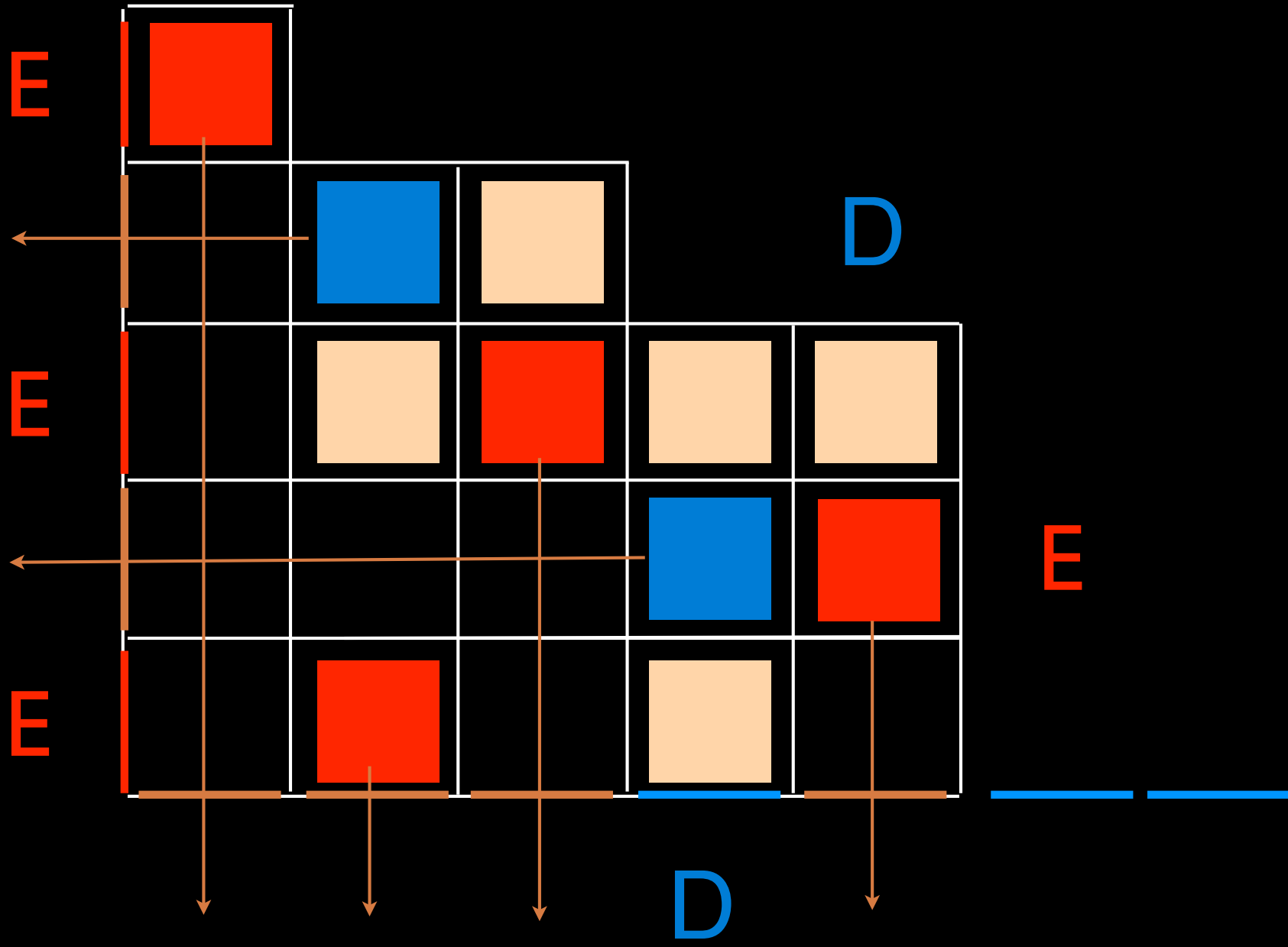


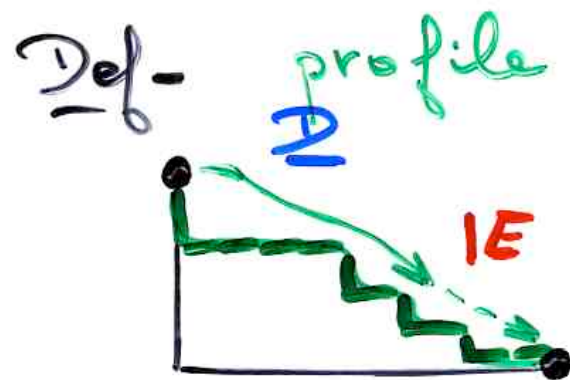
alternative tableau

1				
	2			
		3		
			4	5

alternative tableau







of an
word.

alternative tableau
 $w \in \{E, D\}^*$

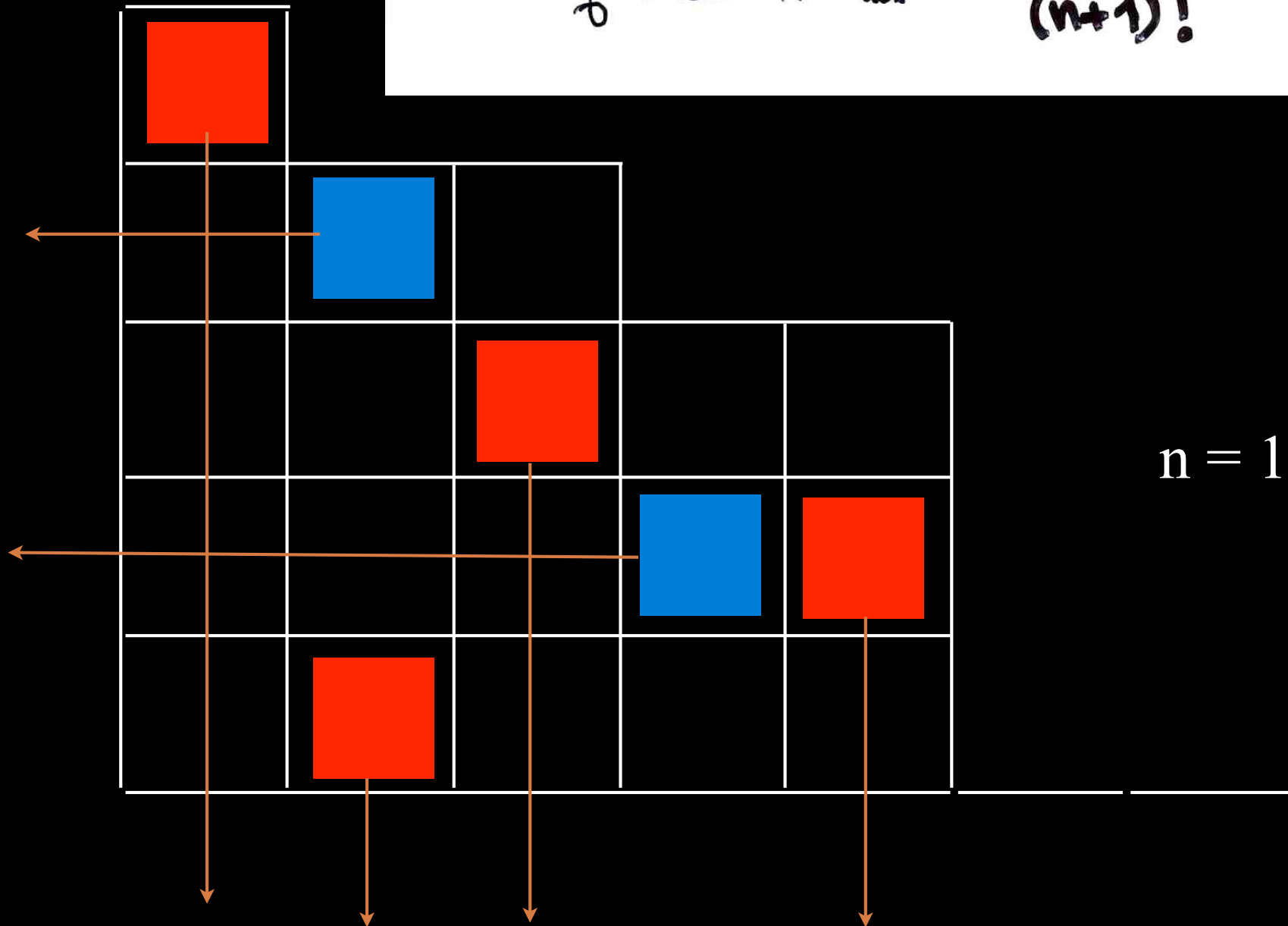
$$DE = qED + E + D$$

$$w(E, D) = \sum_T q^{k(T)} E^{i(T)} D^{j(T)}$$

alternative tableau with profile w

$k(T)$ = nb of 
 $i(T)$ = nb of rows without blue cell
 $j(T)$ = nb of columns without red cell

Prop. The number of alternative tableaux of size n is $(n+1)!$



ex: $n=2$

|

| _ _ _



stationary probabilities
for the PASEP

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} DE = gED + D + E \\ DV = \bar{\beta} V \\ WE = \bar{\alpha} W \end{array} \right. \quad \begin{array}{l} \bar{\beta} = 1/\beta \\ \bar{\alpha} = 1/\alpha \end{array}$$

$$WE^i D^j V = \bar{\alpha}^i \bar{\beta}^j \underbrace{WV}_1$$

Cor. The stationary probability associated to the state $\tau = (\tau_1, \dots, \tau_n)$ (PASEP)

is $\text{proba}_{\tau}(q; \alpha, \beta) = \frac{1}{Z_n} \sum_{\tau} q^{L(\tau)} \alpha^{-f(\tau)} \beta^{-u(\tau)}$

alternative tableaux
profile τ

$\begin{cases} f(\tau) \\ u(\tau) \\ L(\tau) \end{cases}$
 nb of rows
 nb of columns
 nb of cells

without $\begin{pmatrix} \bullet \\ \bullet \end{pmatrix}$ cell



permutation tableau

S. Corteel, L. Williams
(2007) (2008) (2009)

permutation tableau

A. Postnikov (2001, ...)

totally nonnegative part of the Grassmannian

E. Steingrímsson, L. Williams (2005)

Corteel, Williams (2006) **PASEP**

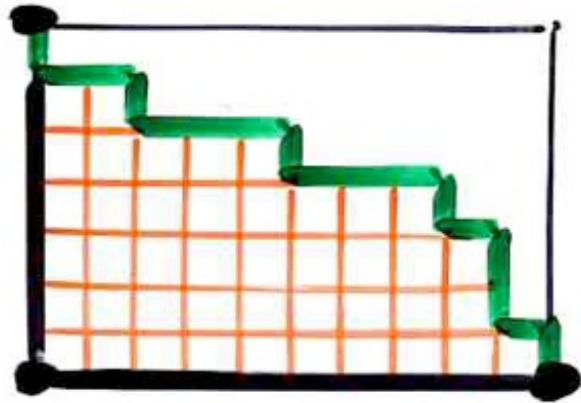
Partially Asymmetric Exclusion Process

M. Josuat-Vergès (2007)

permutation
tableaux

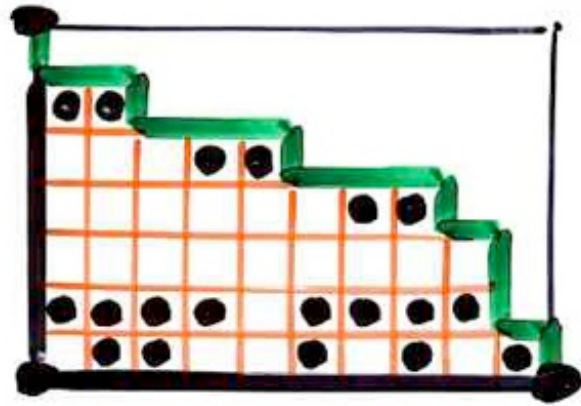
Permutation Tableau

Ferrers diagram $F \subseteq k \times (n-k)$
rectangle



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filling of the cells
with 0 and 1

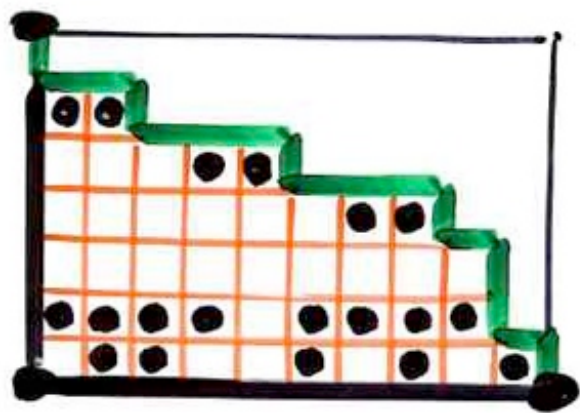
(i)

$\square = 0$ $\blacksquare = 1$

(ii)

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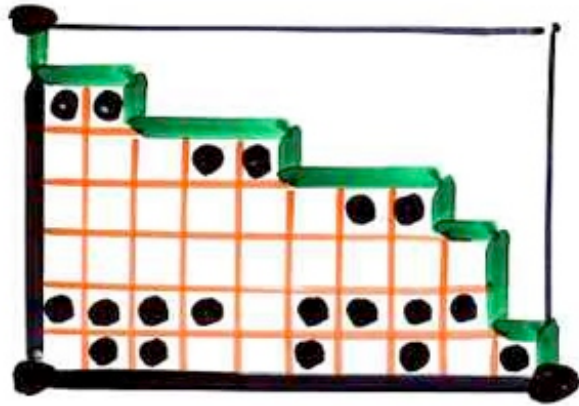
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filling of the cells
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(i) in each column:
at least one 1

(ii)

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filling of the cells
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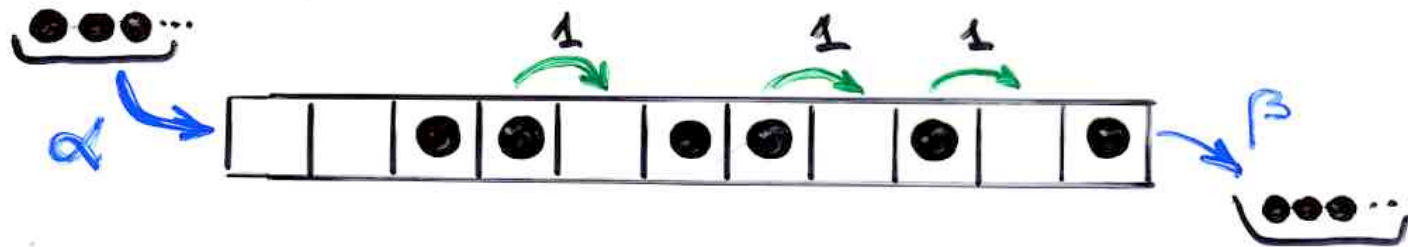
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Totally asymmetric exclusion process

TASEP

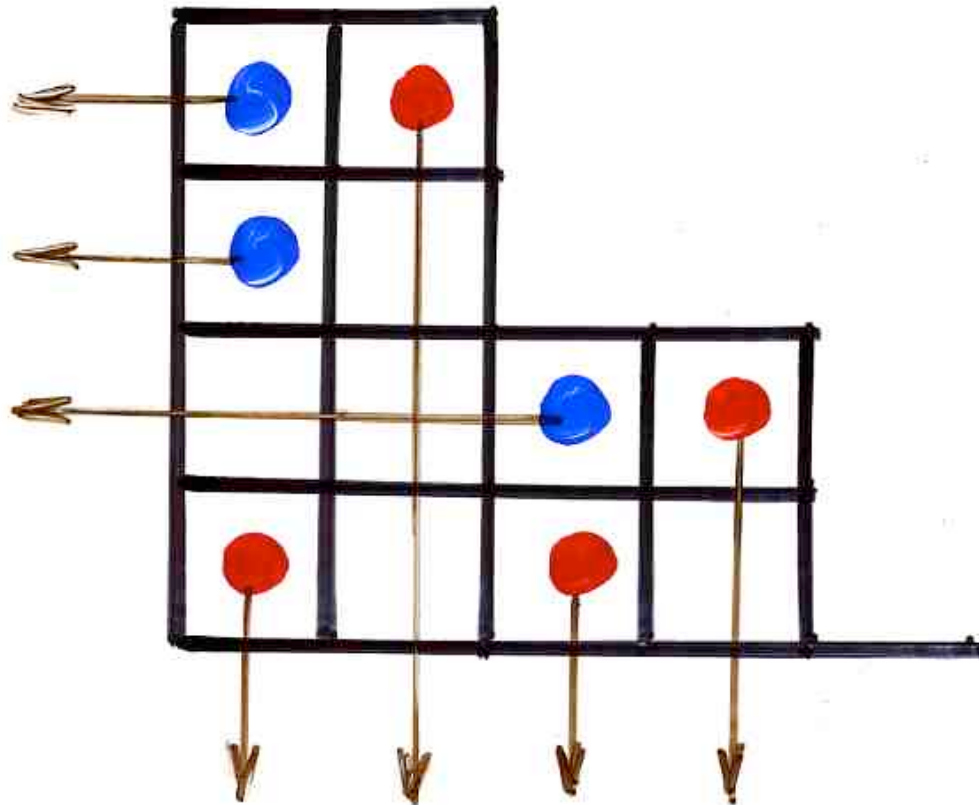
"Totally asymmetric exclusion process"



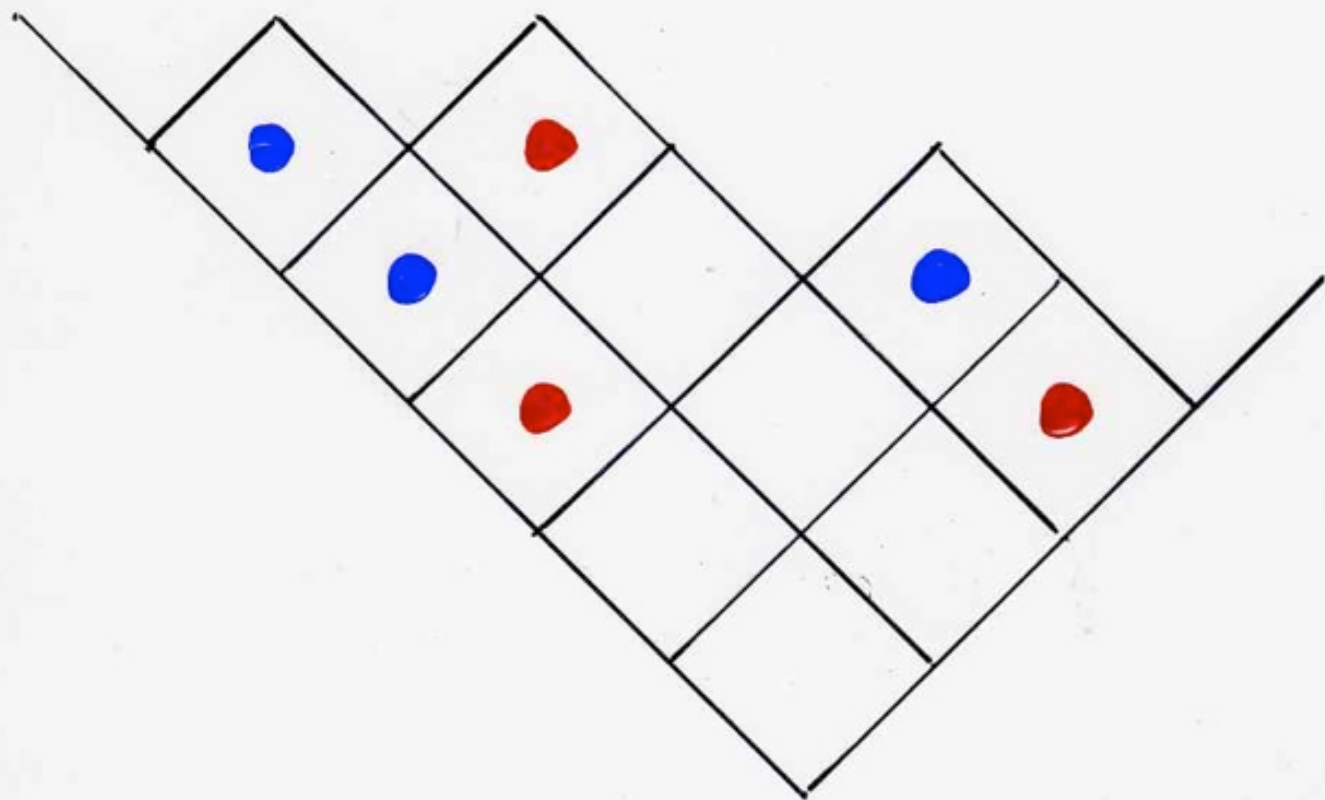
Def Catalan alternative tableau T

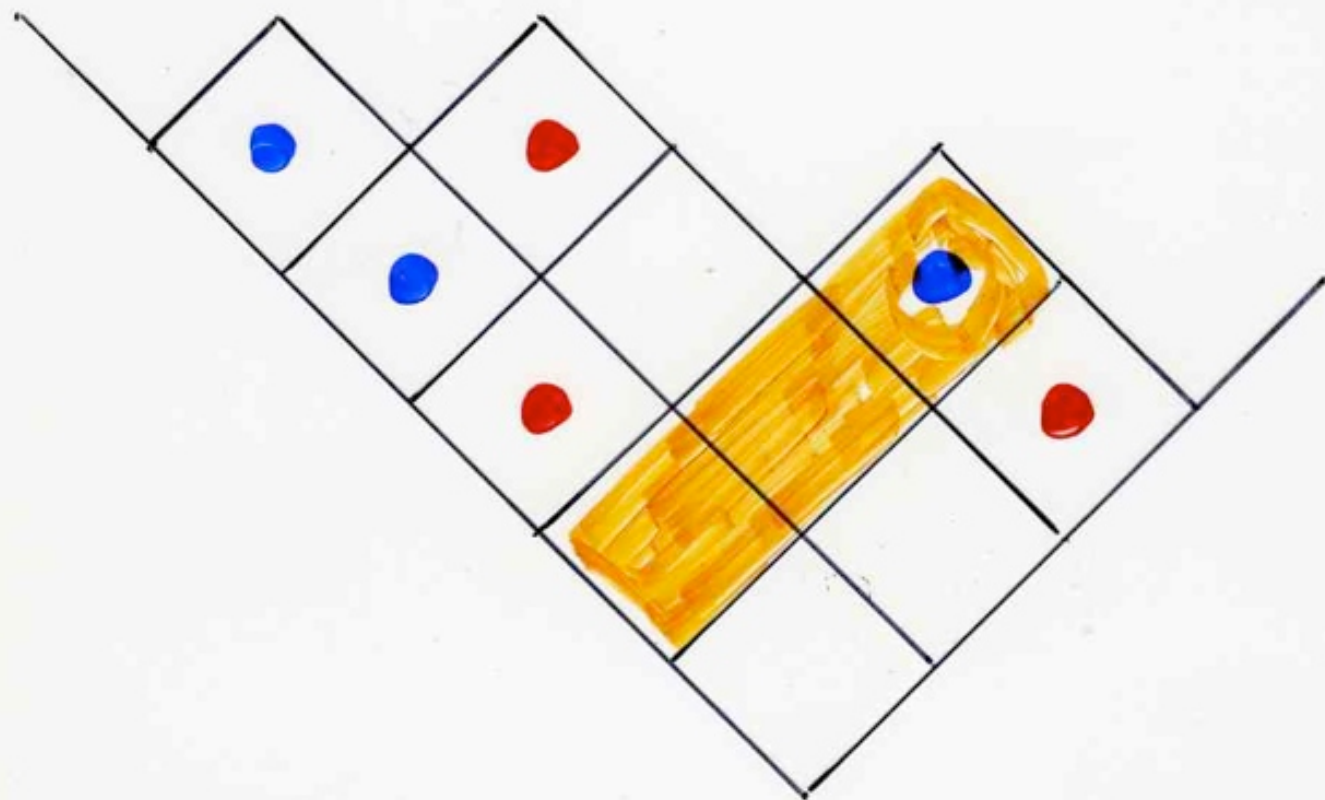
alt. tab. without cells 

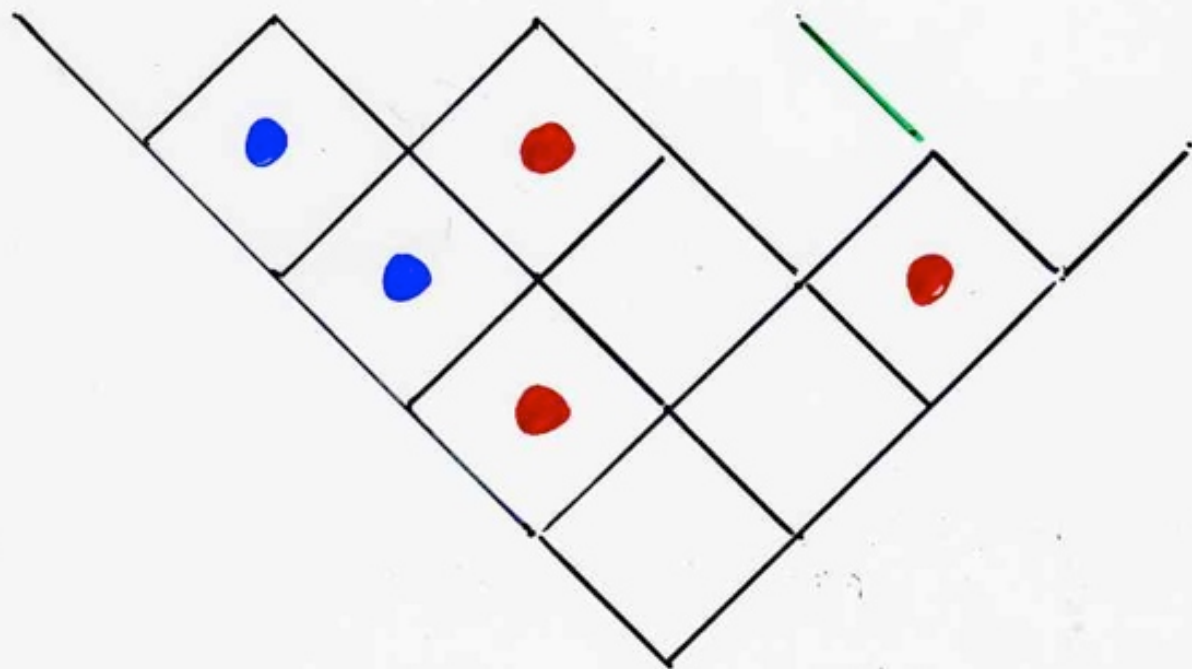
i.e. every empty cell is below a red cell or
on the left of a blue cell

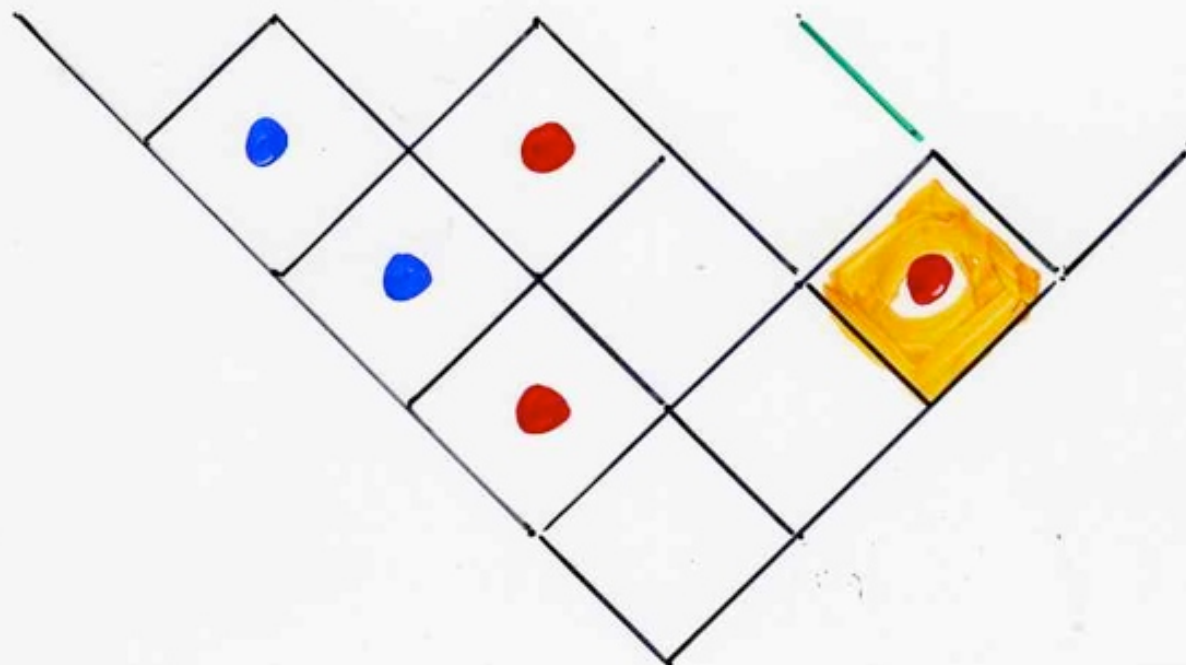


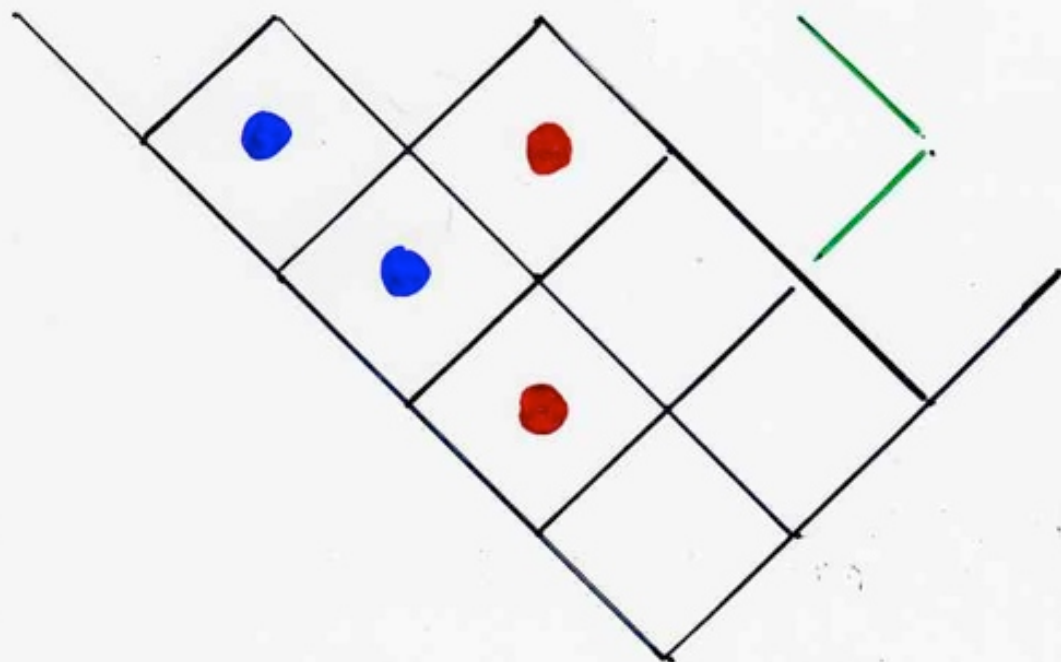
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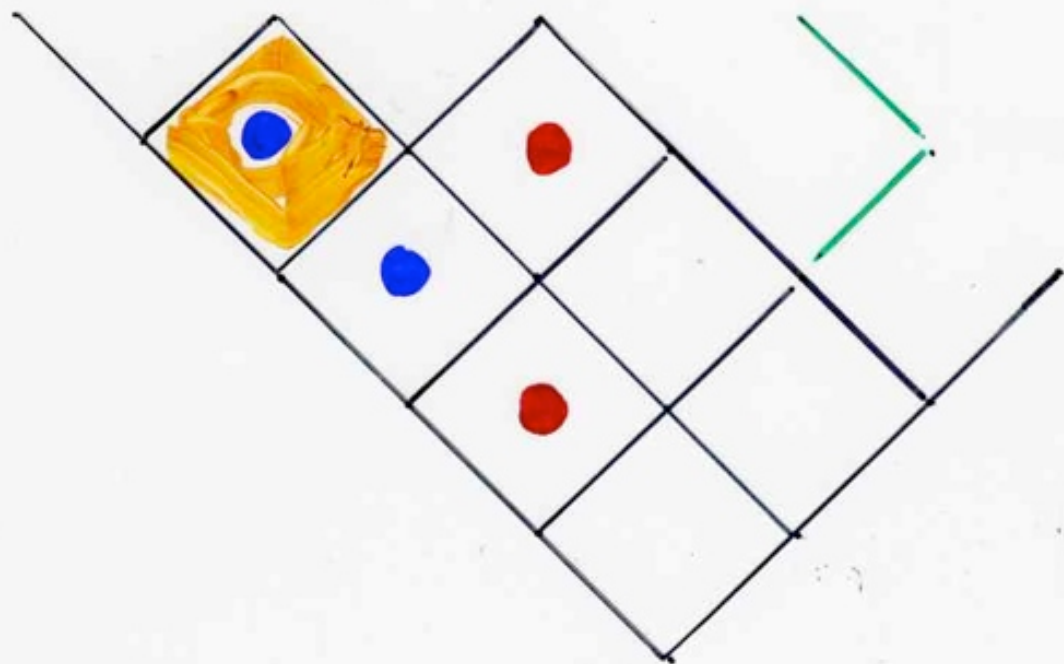


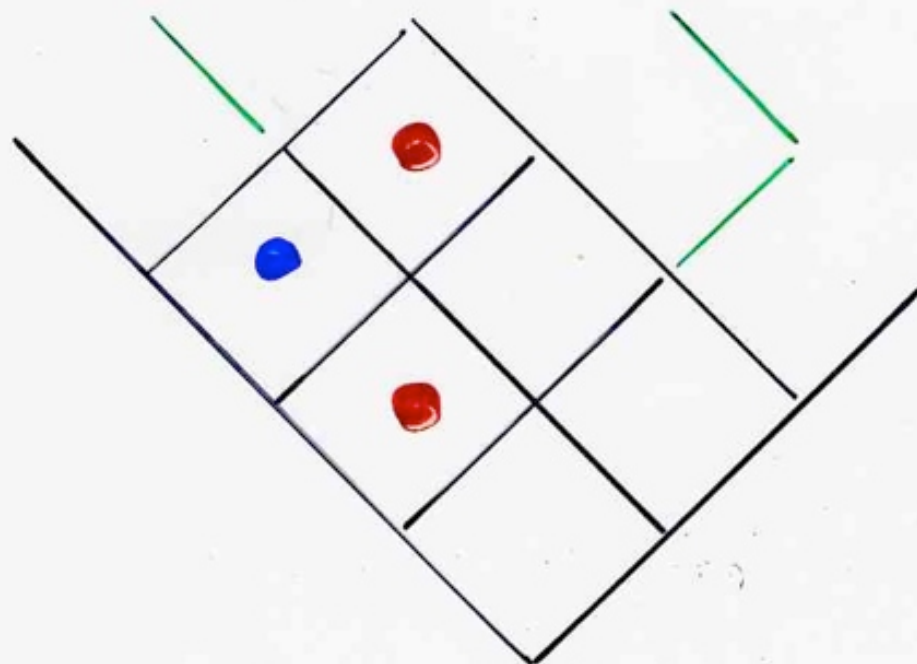


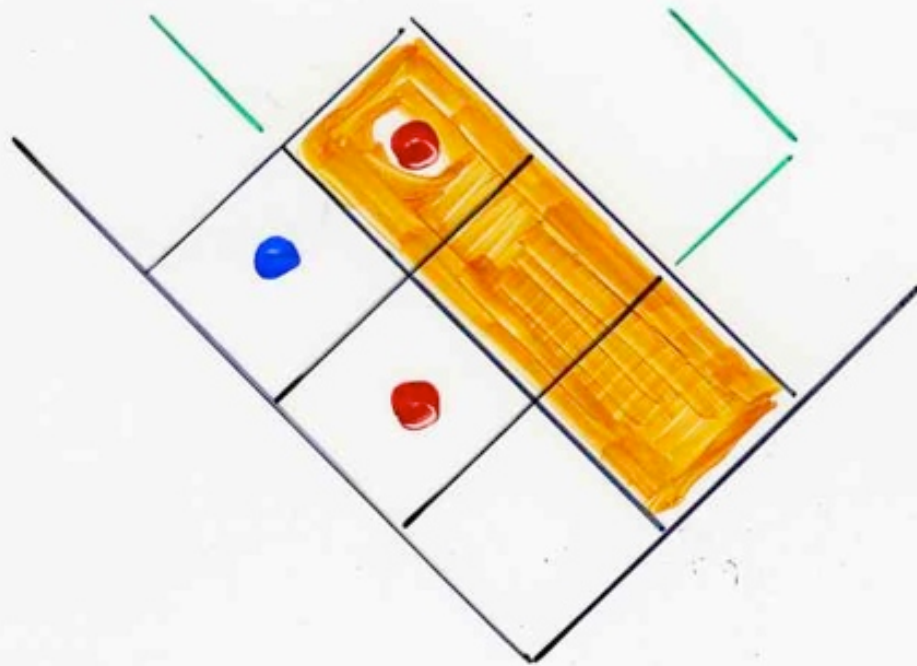


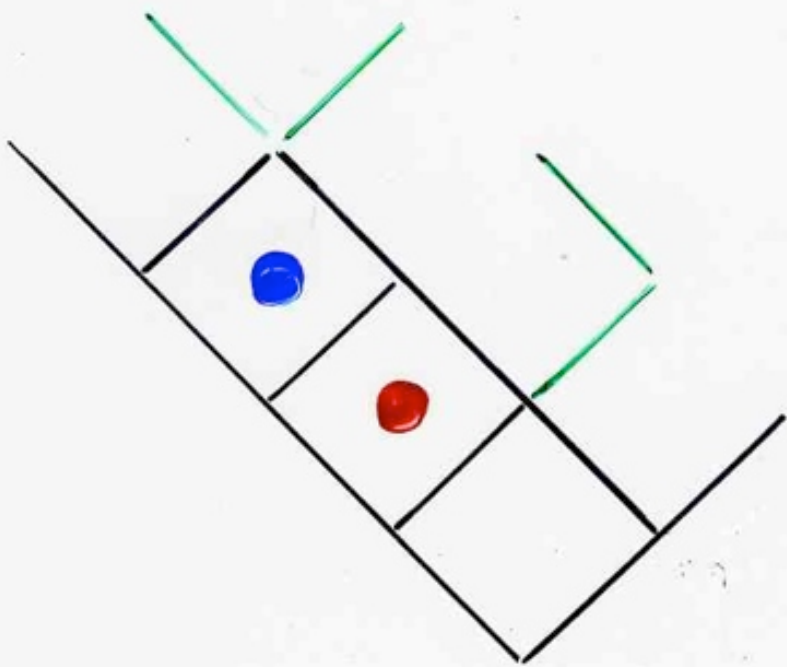


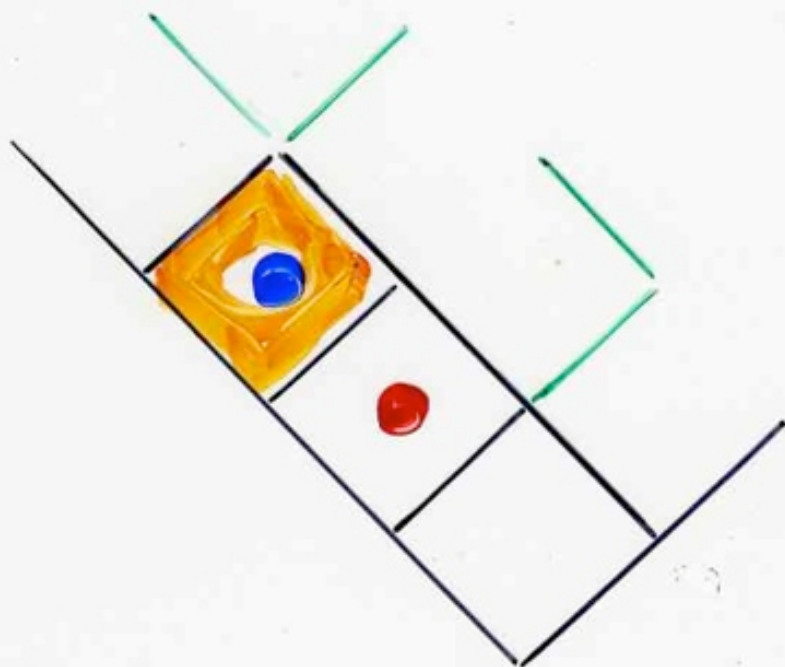


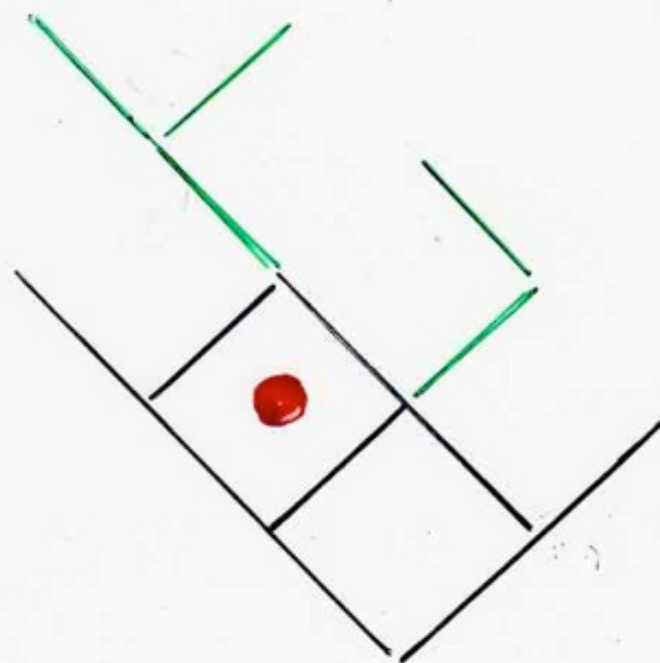


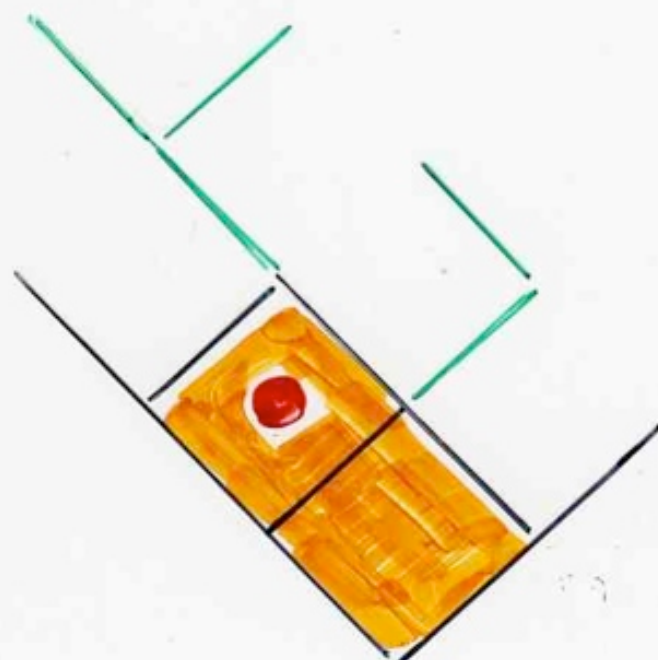


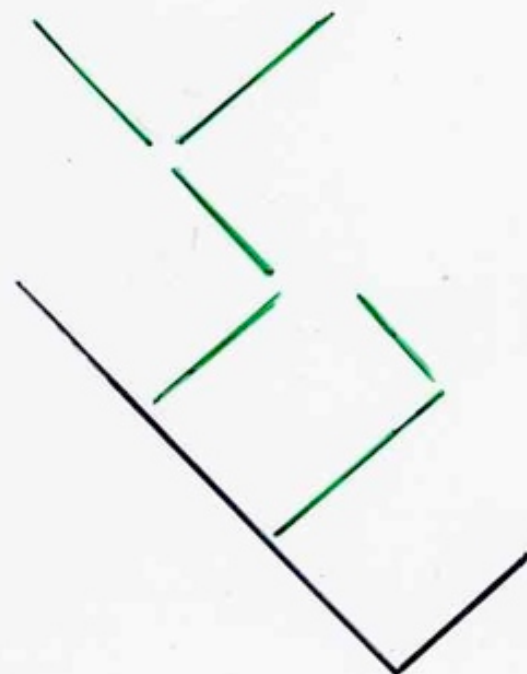






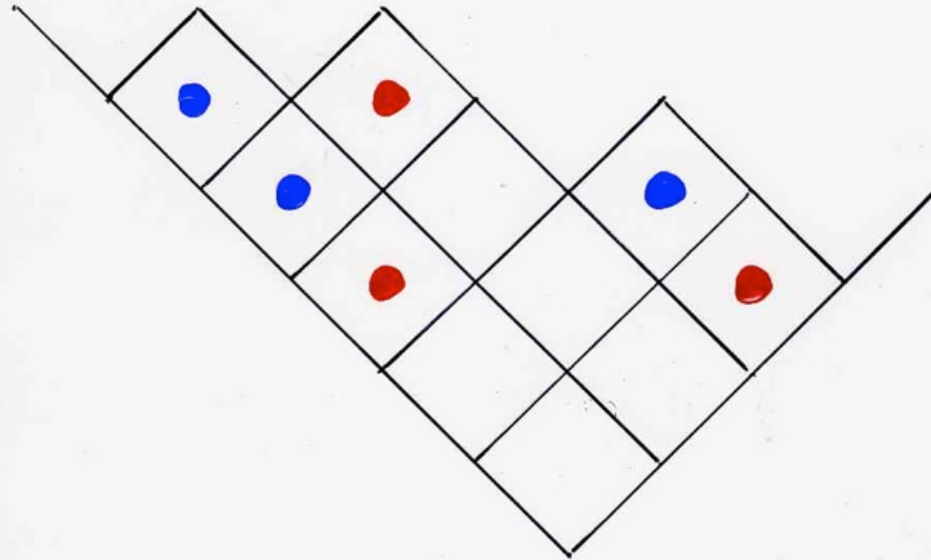
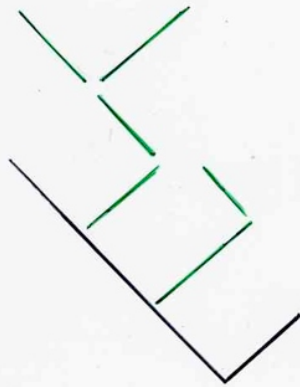




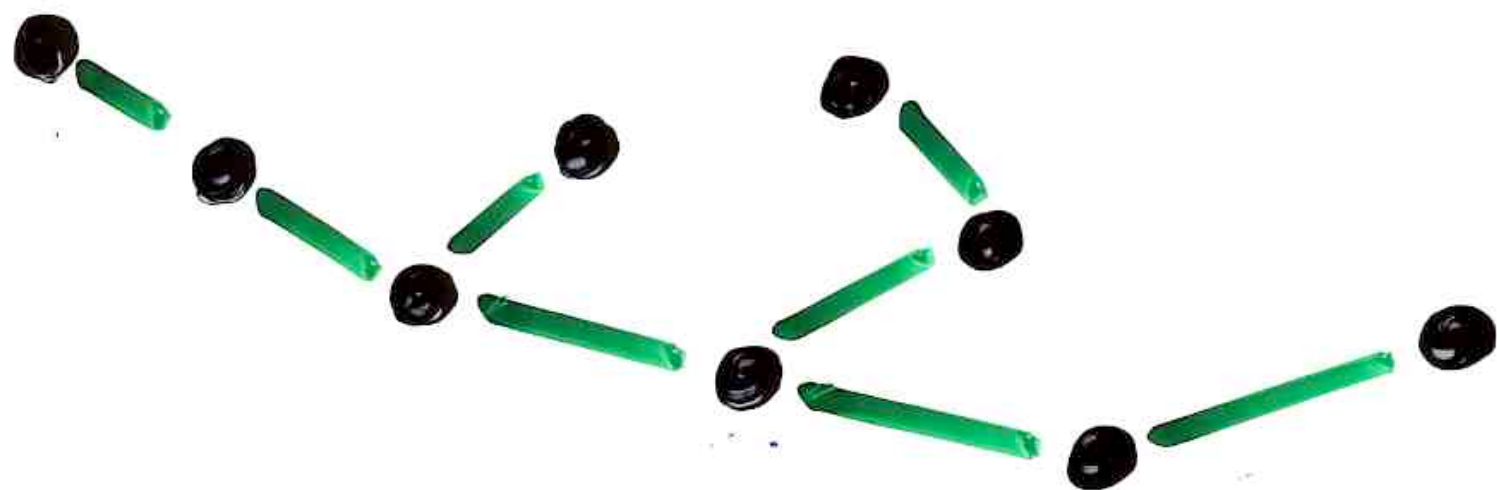


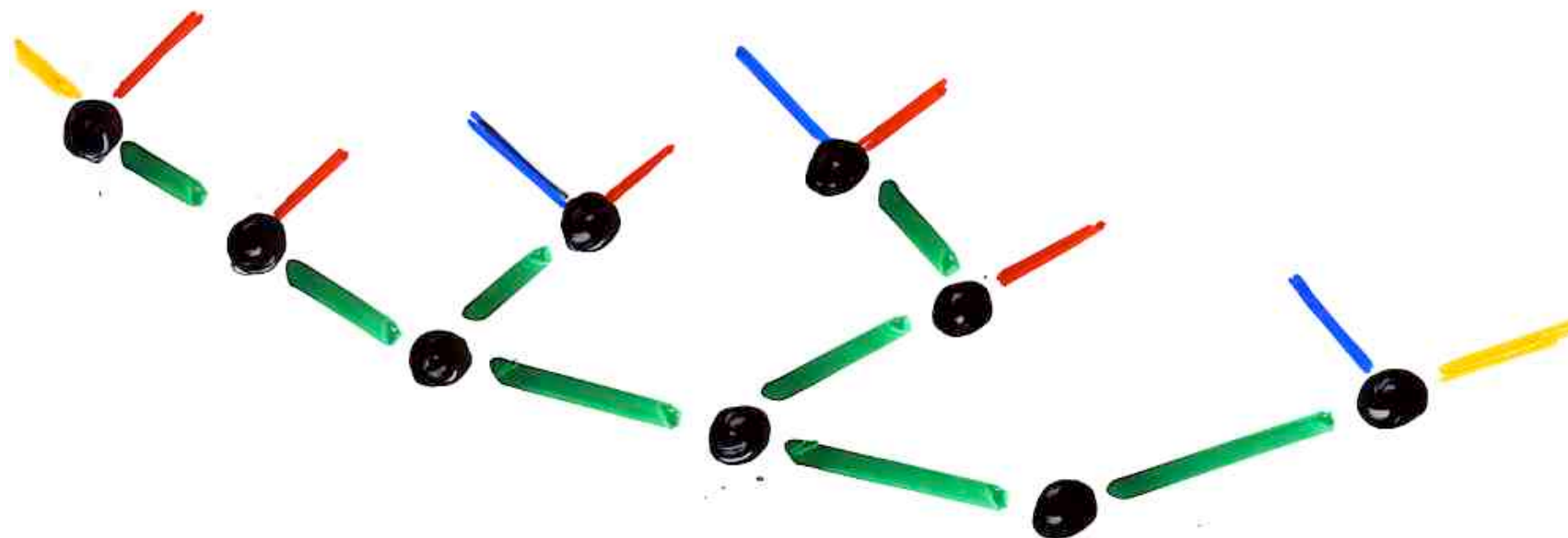
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profil (bord)
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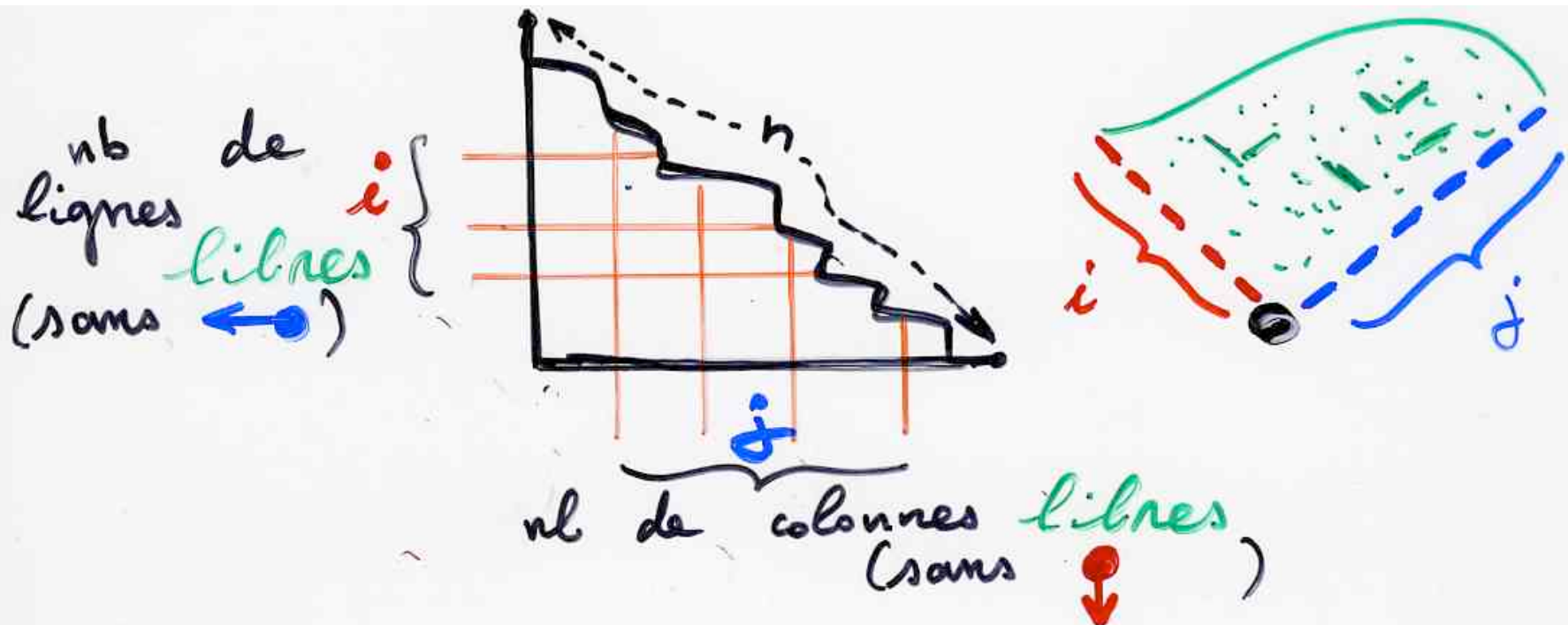
canopy of a binary tree

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$$\lambda = (\tau_1, \dots, \tau_n)$$

$$P_n(\lambda; \alpha, \beta) = \frac{1}{Z_n} \sum_{\mathcal{B}} \bar{\alpha}^{lb(\mathcal{B})} \bar{\beta}^{rb(\mathcal{B})}$$

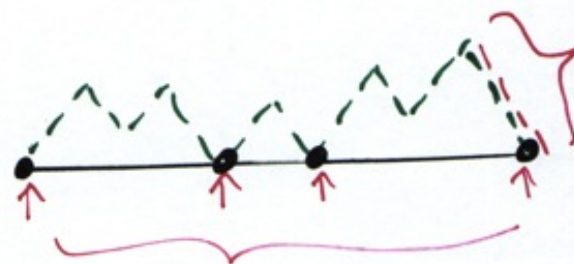
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$$Z_n = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{i}{2n-i} \binom{2n-i}{n} \frac{\bar{\alpha}^{(i+1)} - \bar{\beta}^{(i+1)}}{\bar{\alpha} - \bar{\beta}}$$

partition function

"ballot numbers"



TASEP $q=0$

$$DE = E + D$$

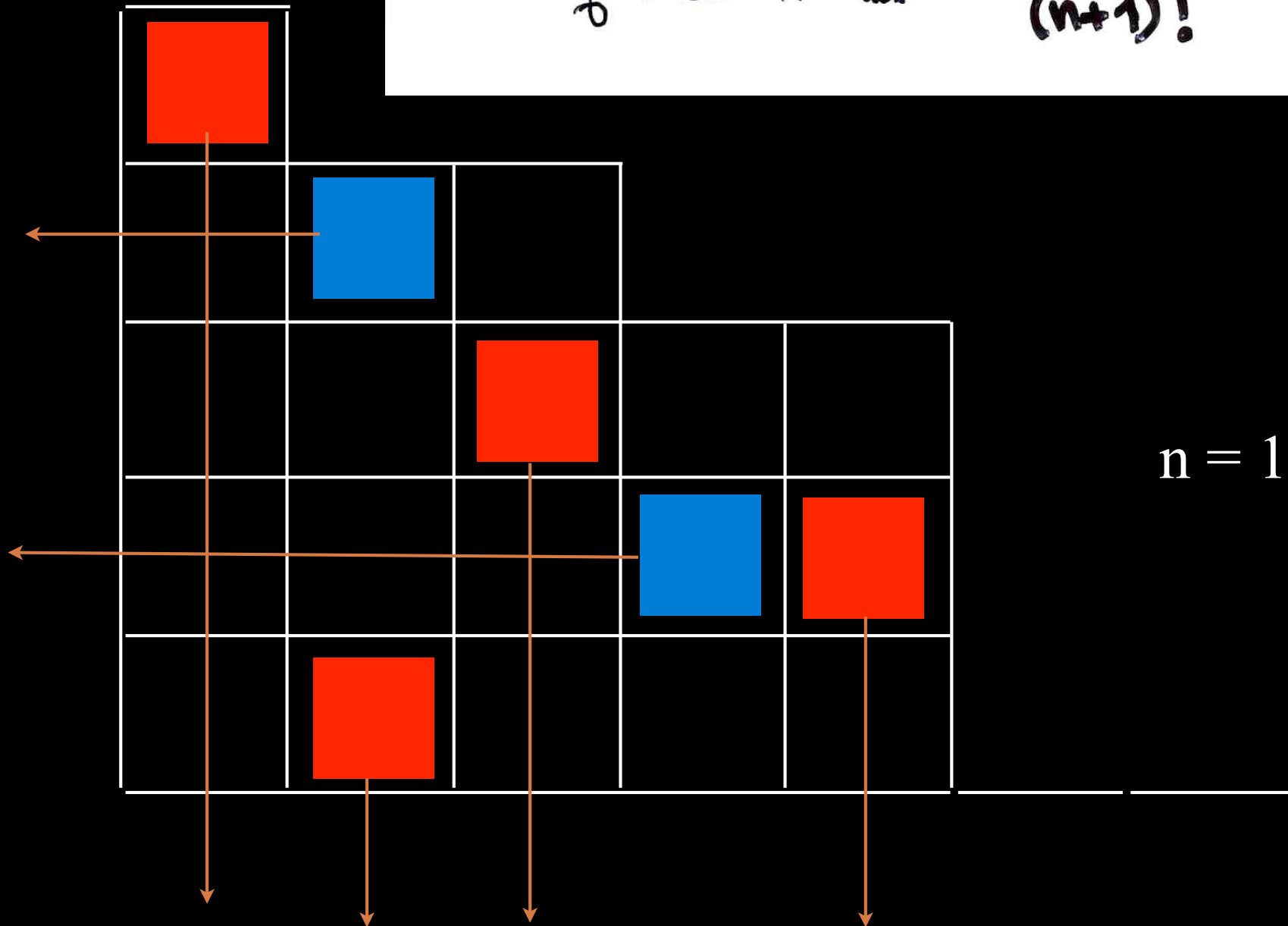
Catalan alternative tableaux
bijection with binary trees

relation with
the Loday-Ronco Hopf algebra on binary trees

Claudia-Christophe Hopf algebra on permutations

number of
alternative tableaux

Prop. The number of alternative tableaux of size n is $(n+1)!$



ex: $n=2$

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bijection
permutations --- alternative tableaux

The “exchange-fusion” algorithm

Def- Permutation $\sigma = \sigma(1) \dots \sigma(n)$

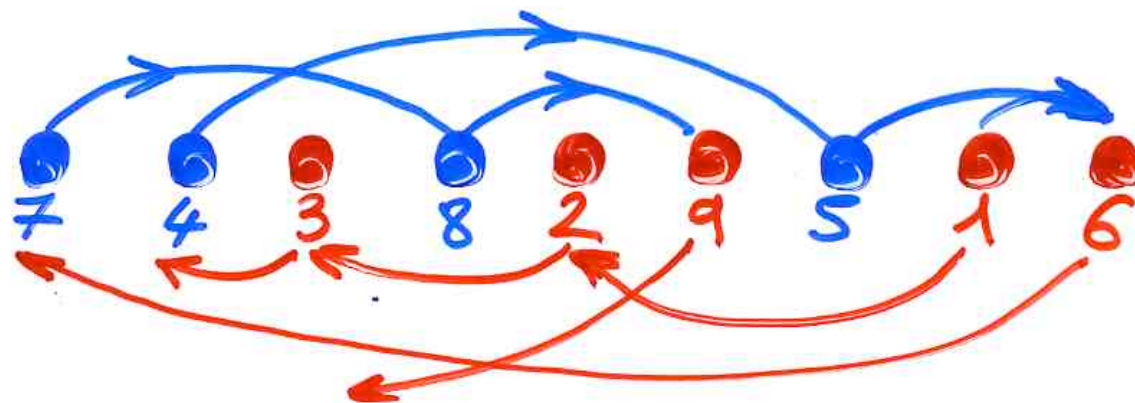
$$x = \sigma(i), \quad 1 \leq x \leq n$$

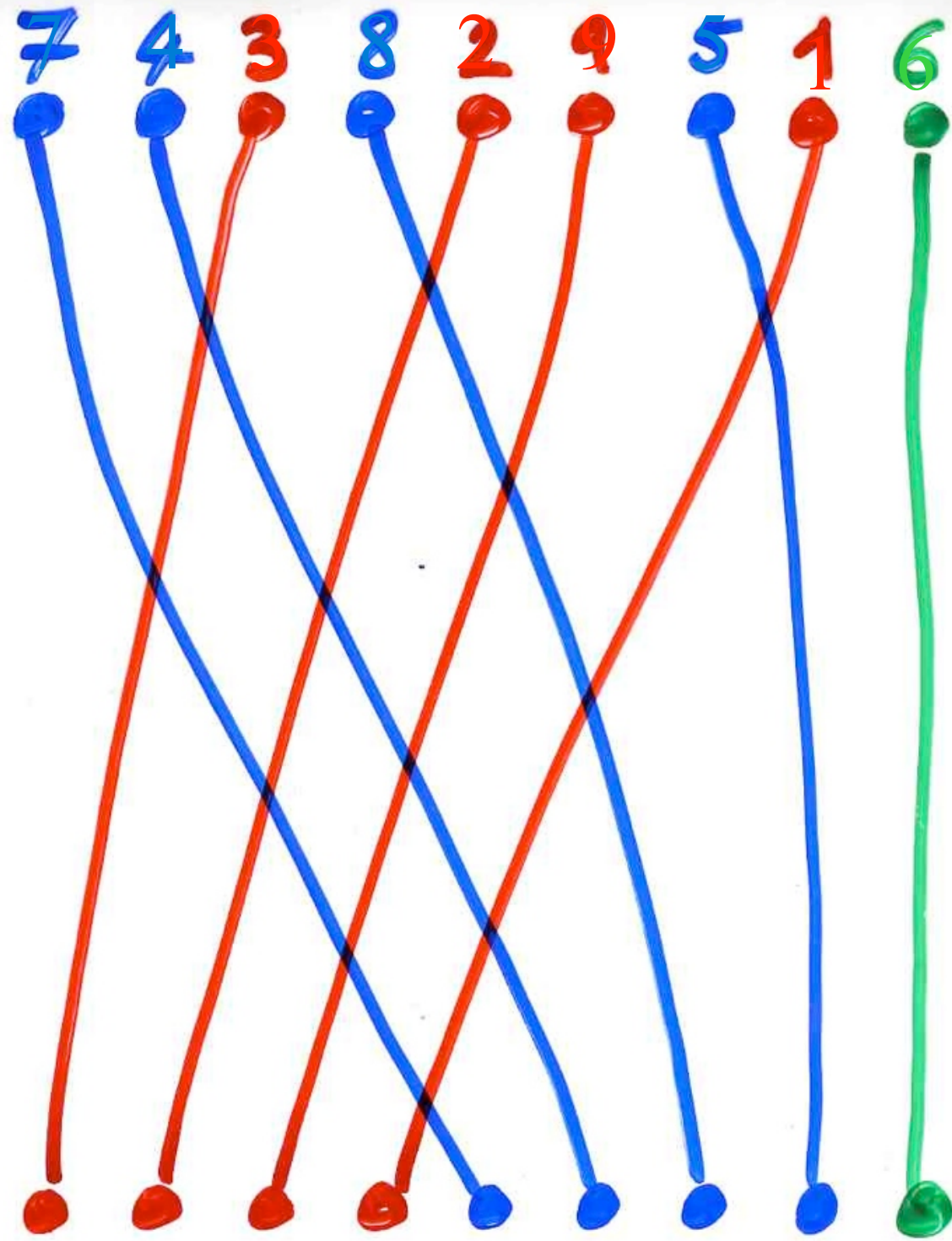
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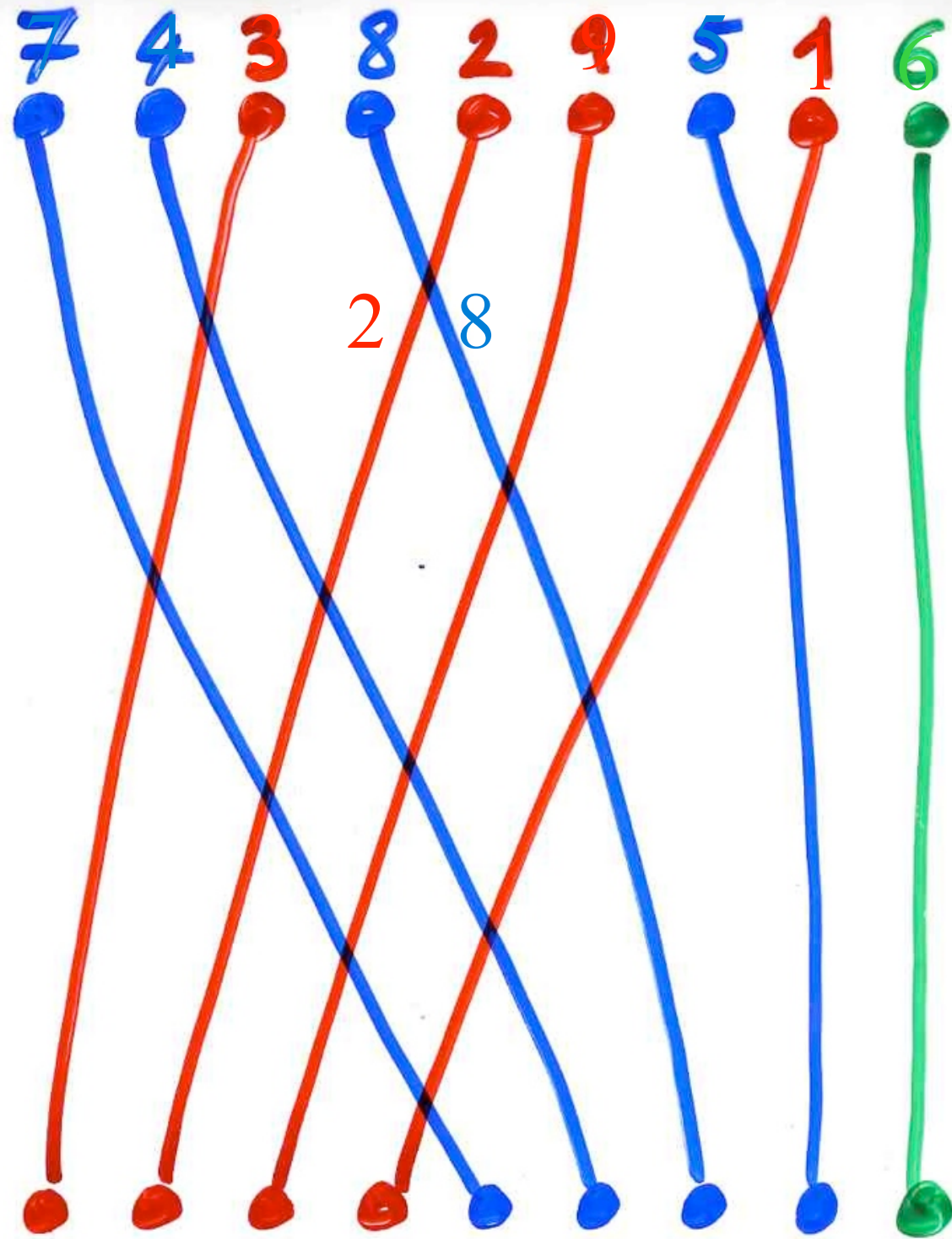
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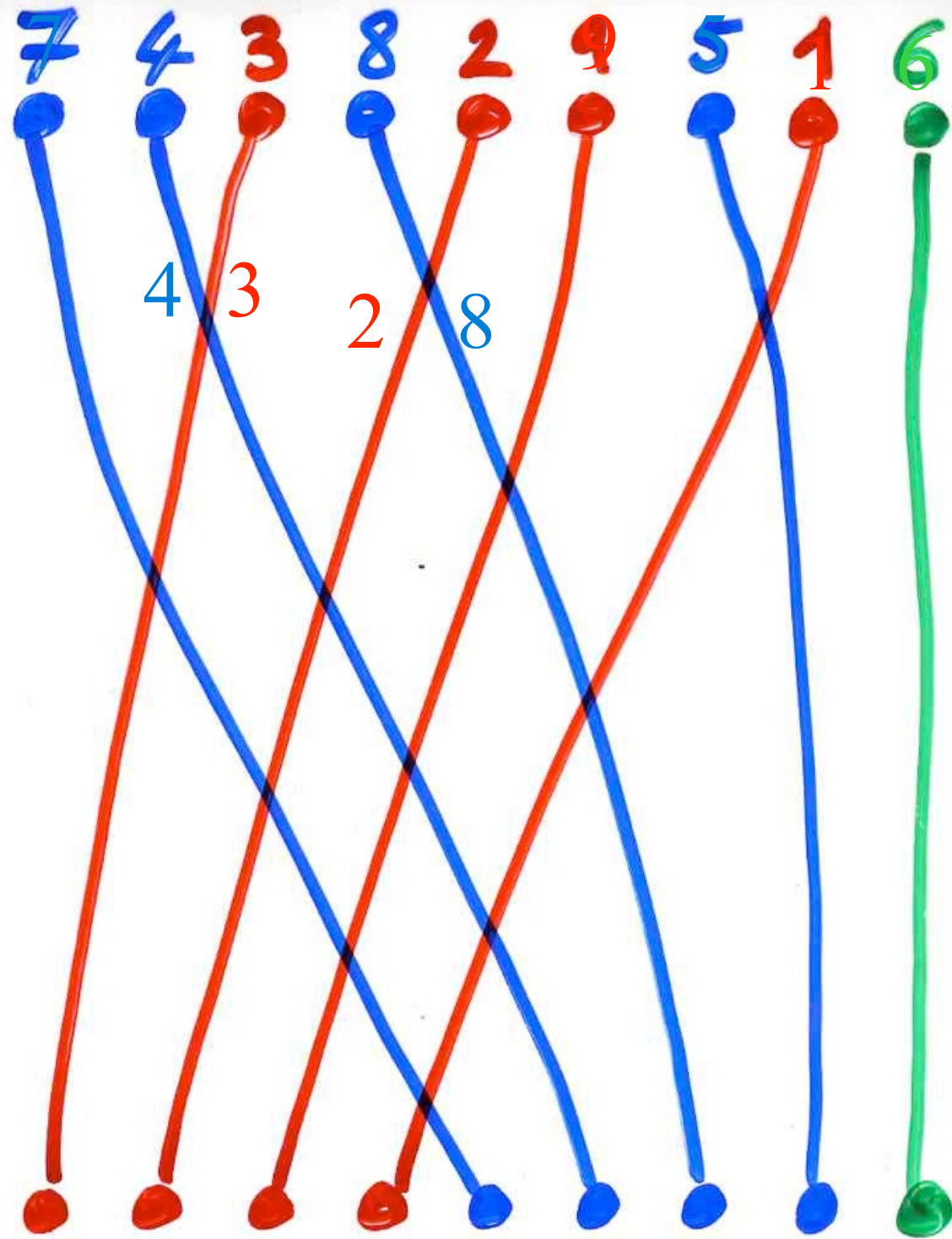


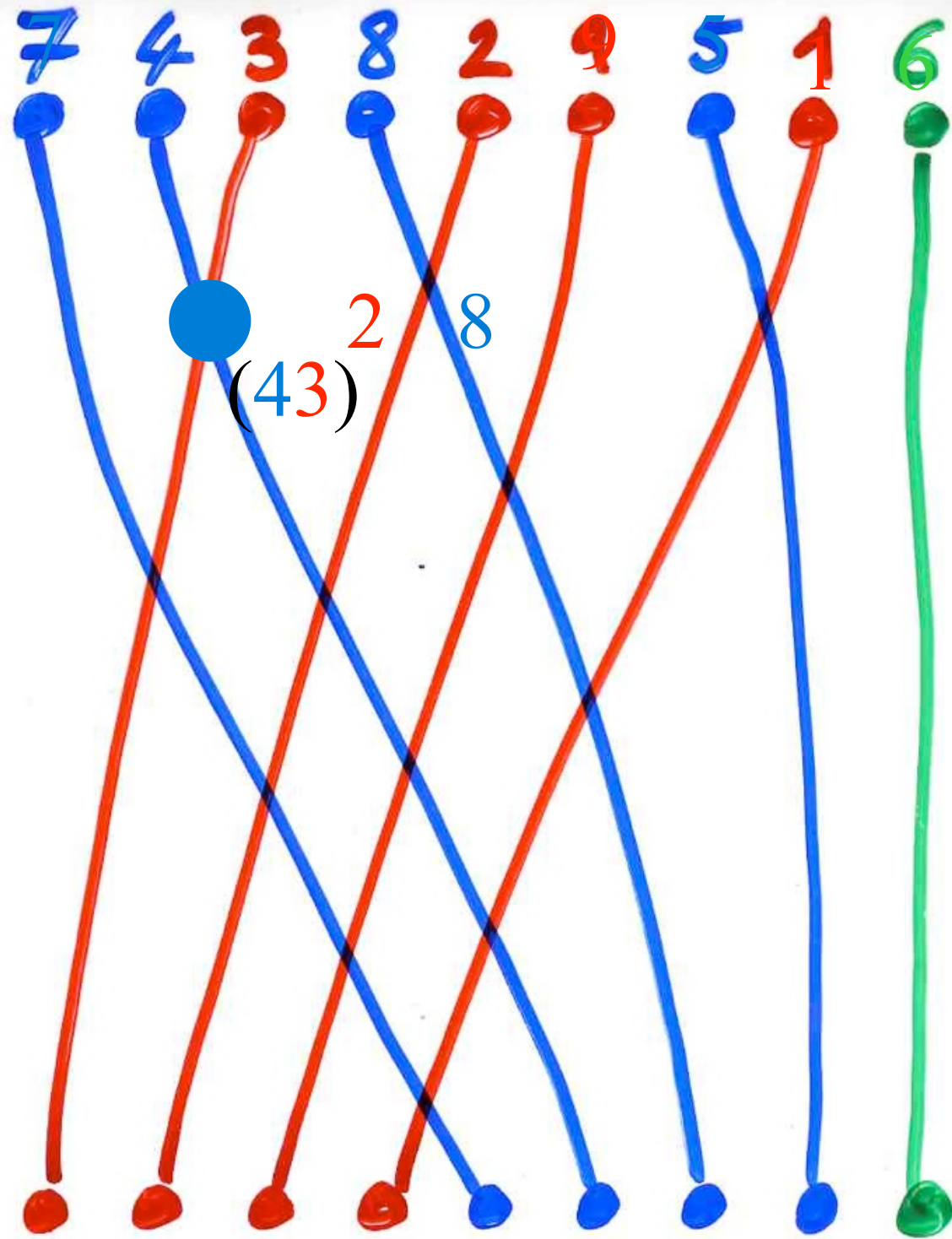
$$\sigma = 7 \ 4 \ 3 \ 8 \ 2 \ 9 \ 5 \ 1 \ 6$$

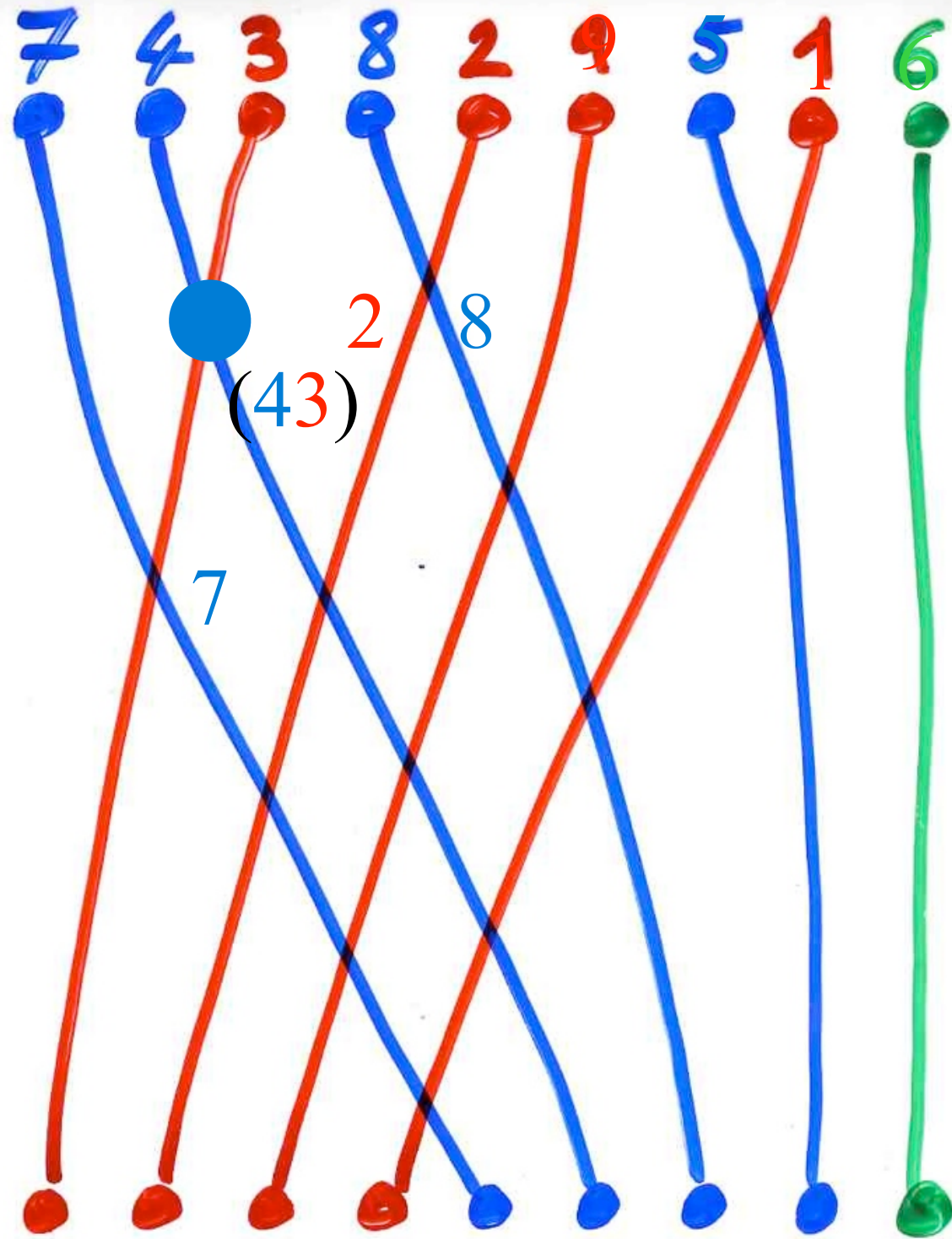


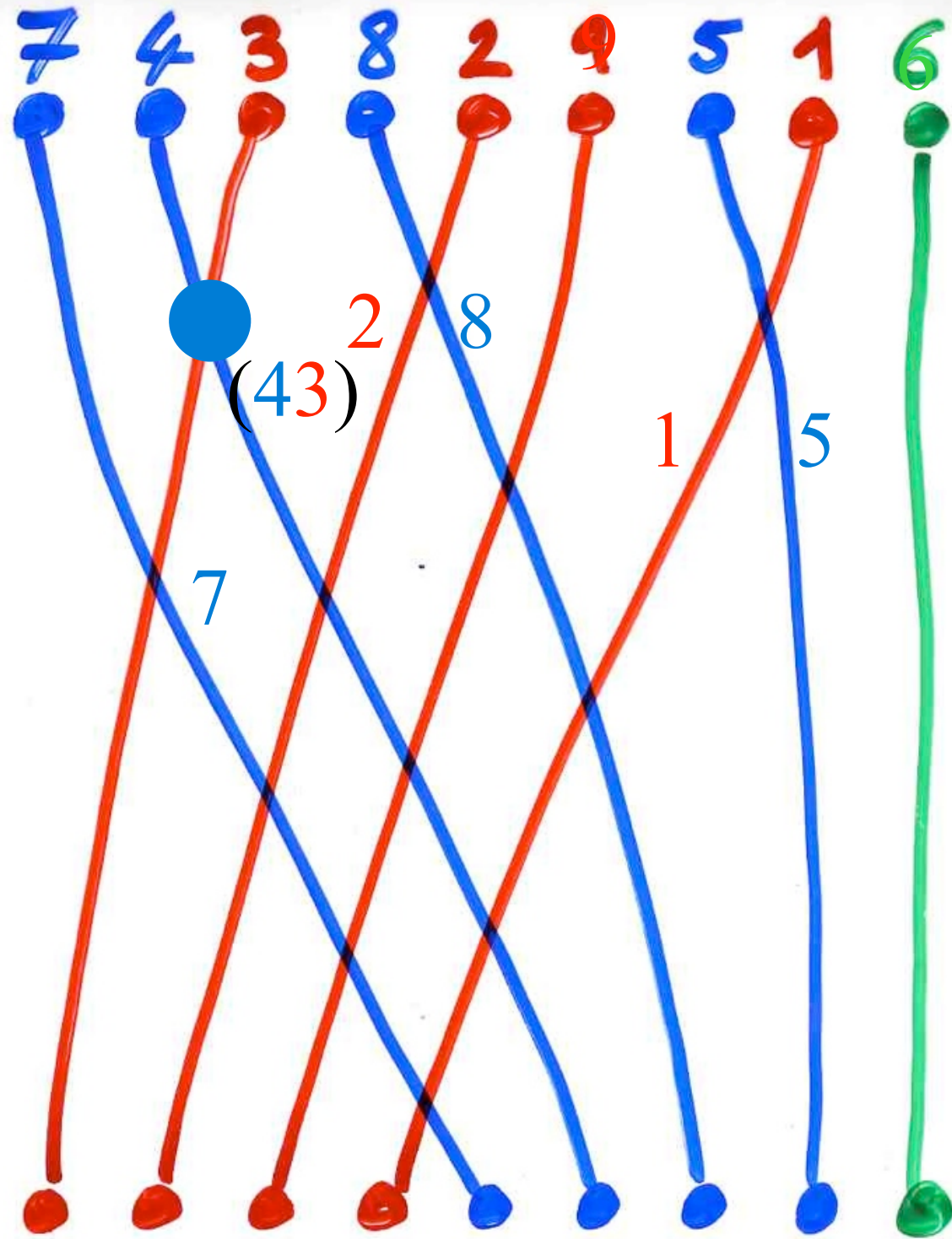


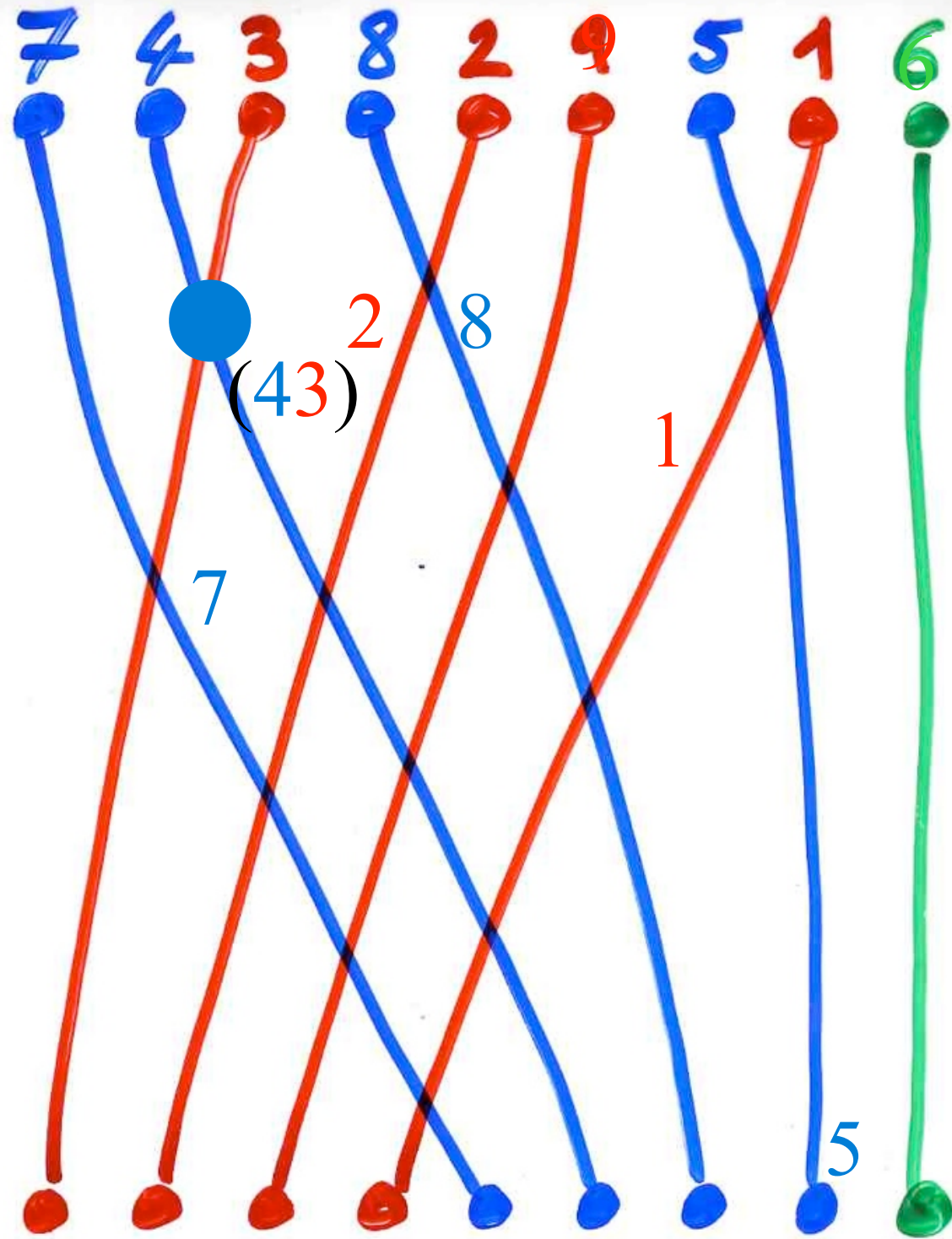


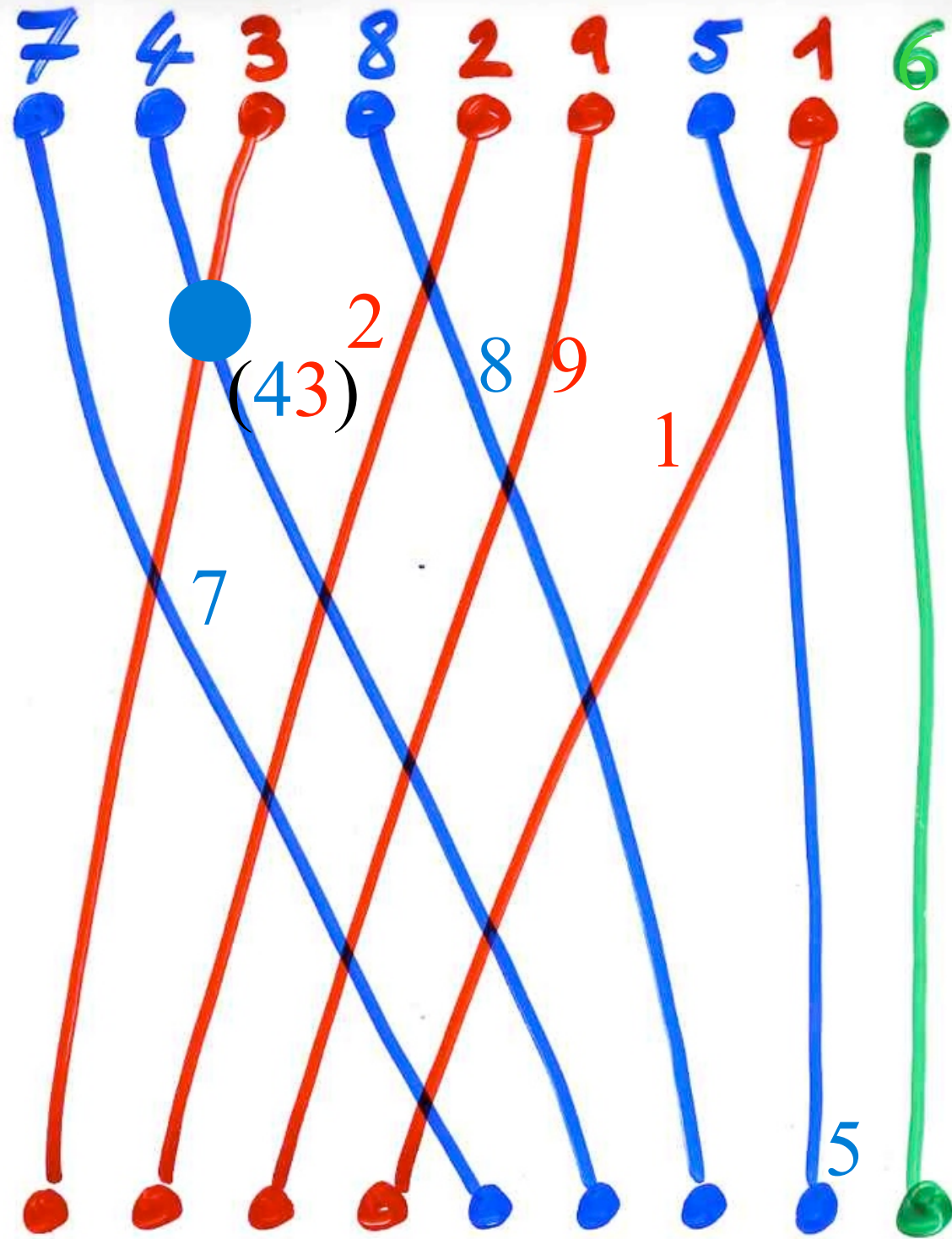


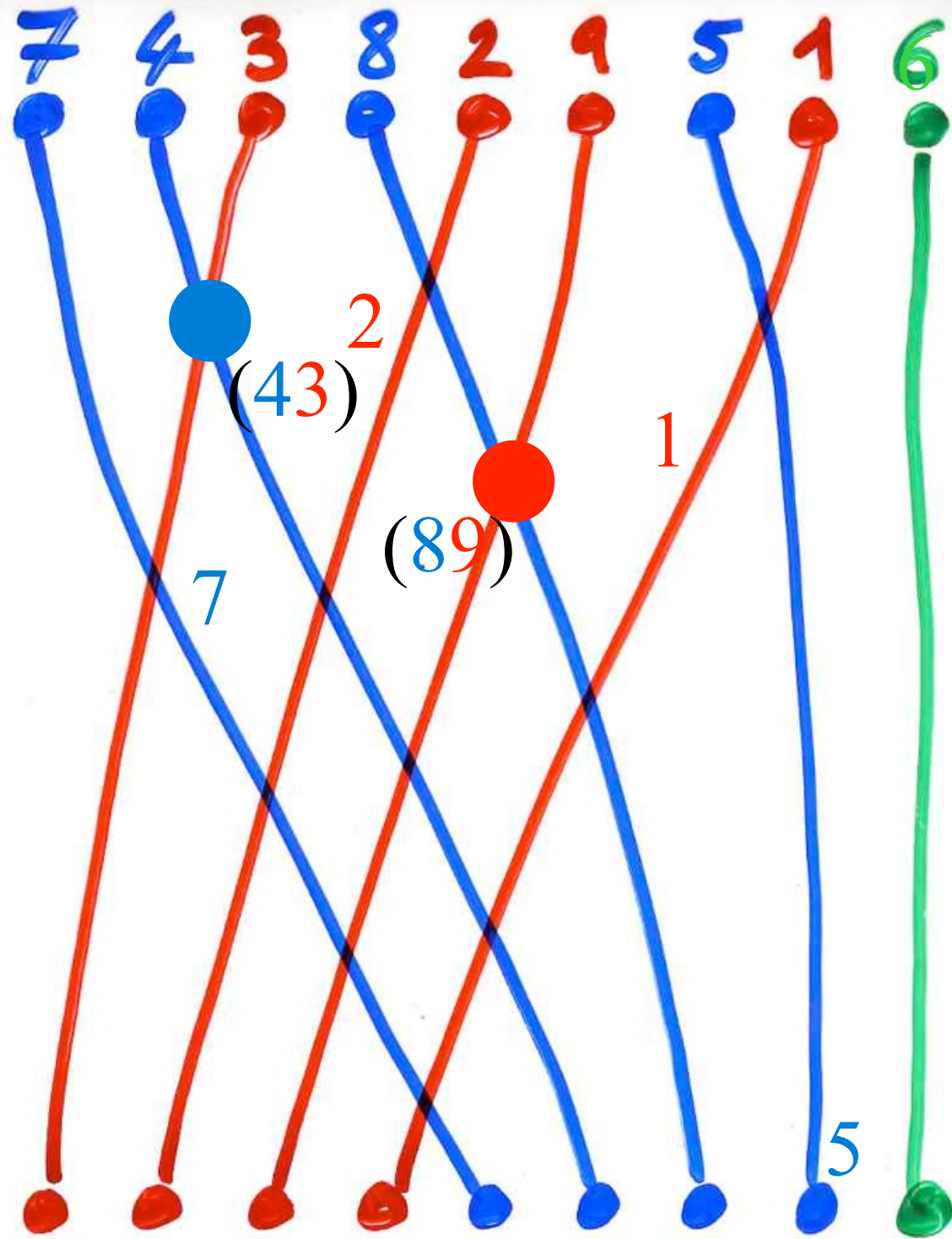


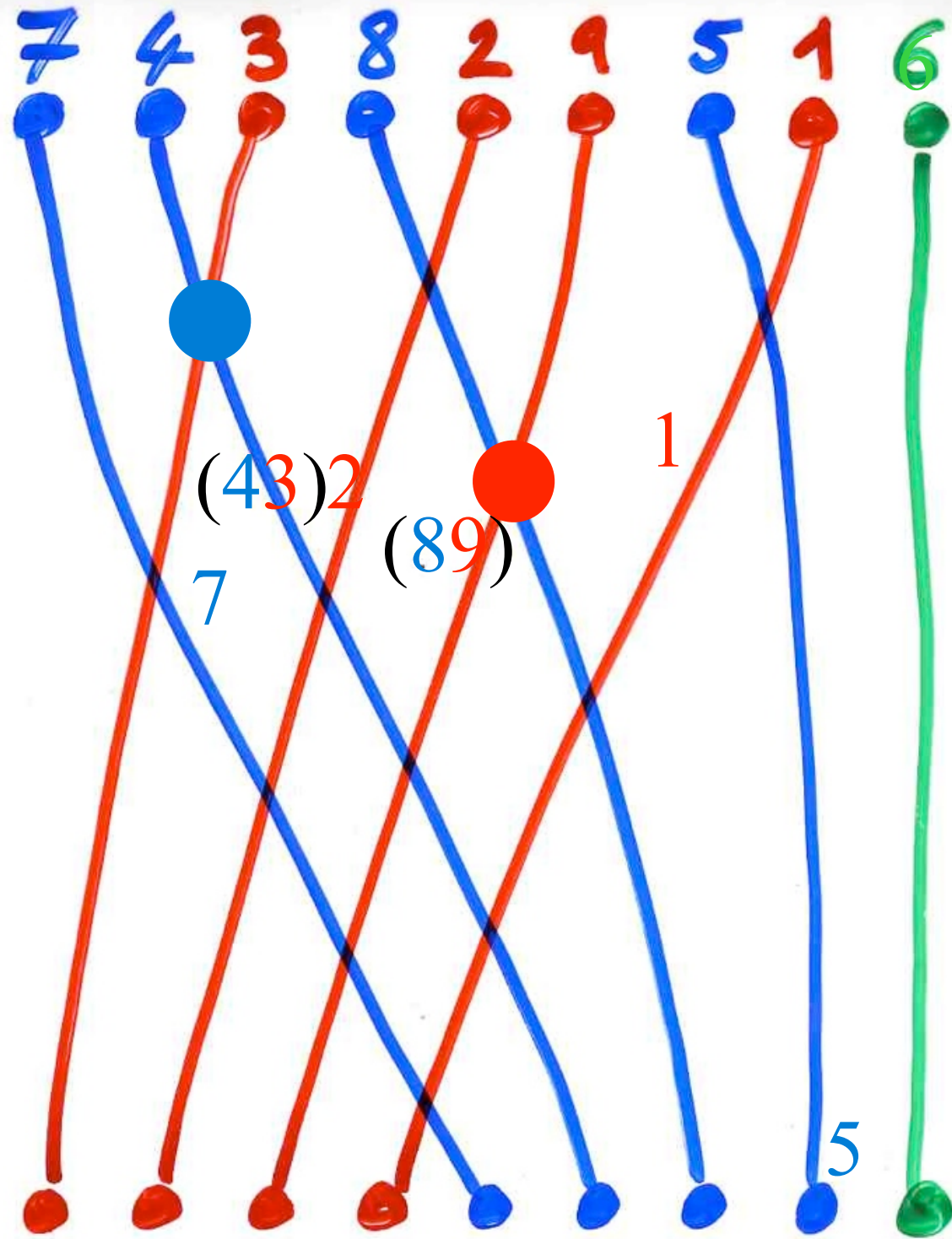


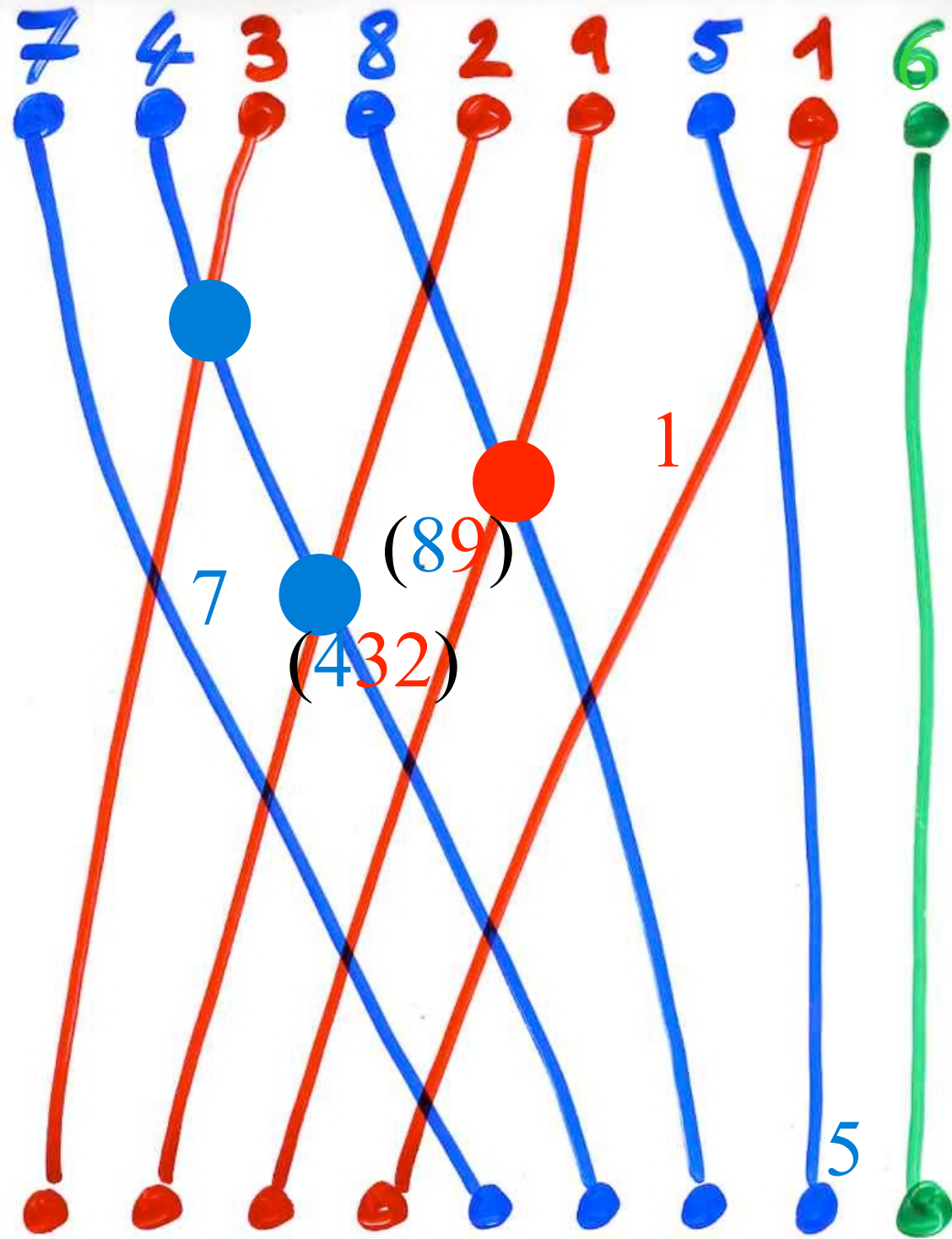


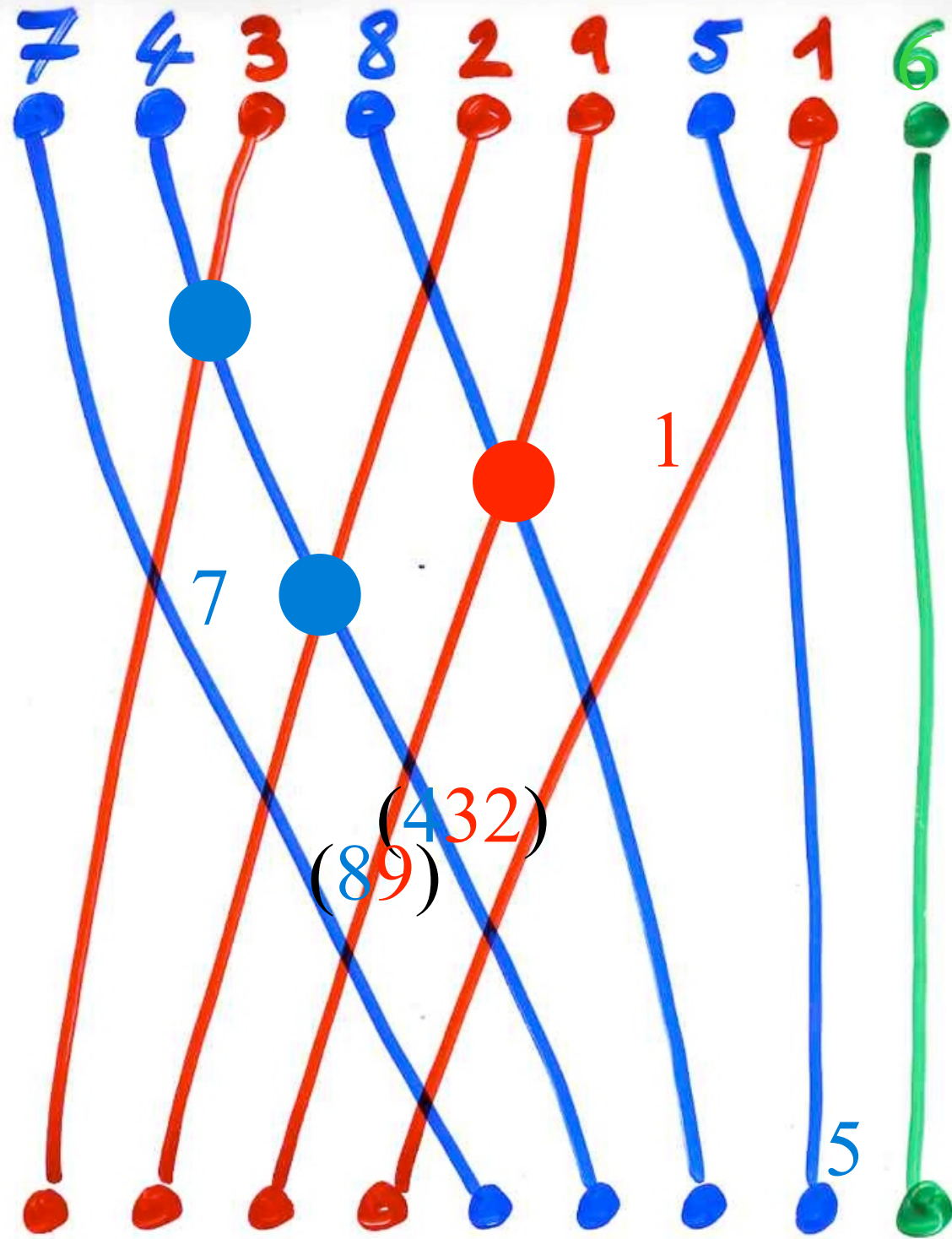


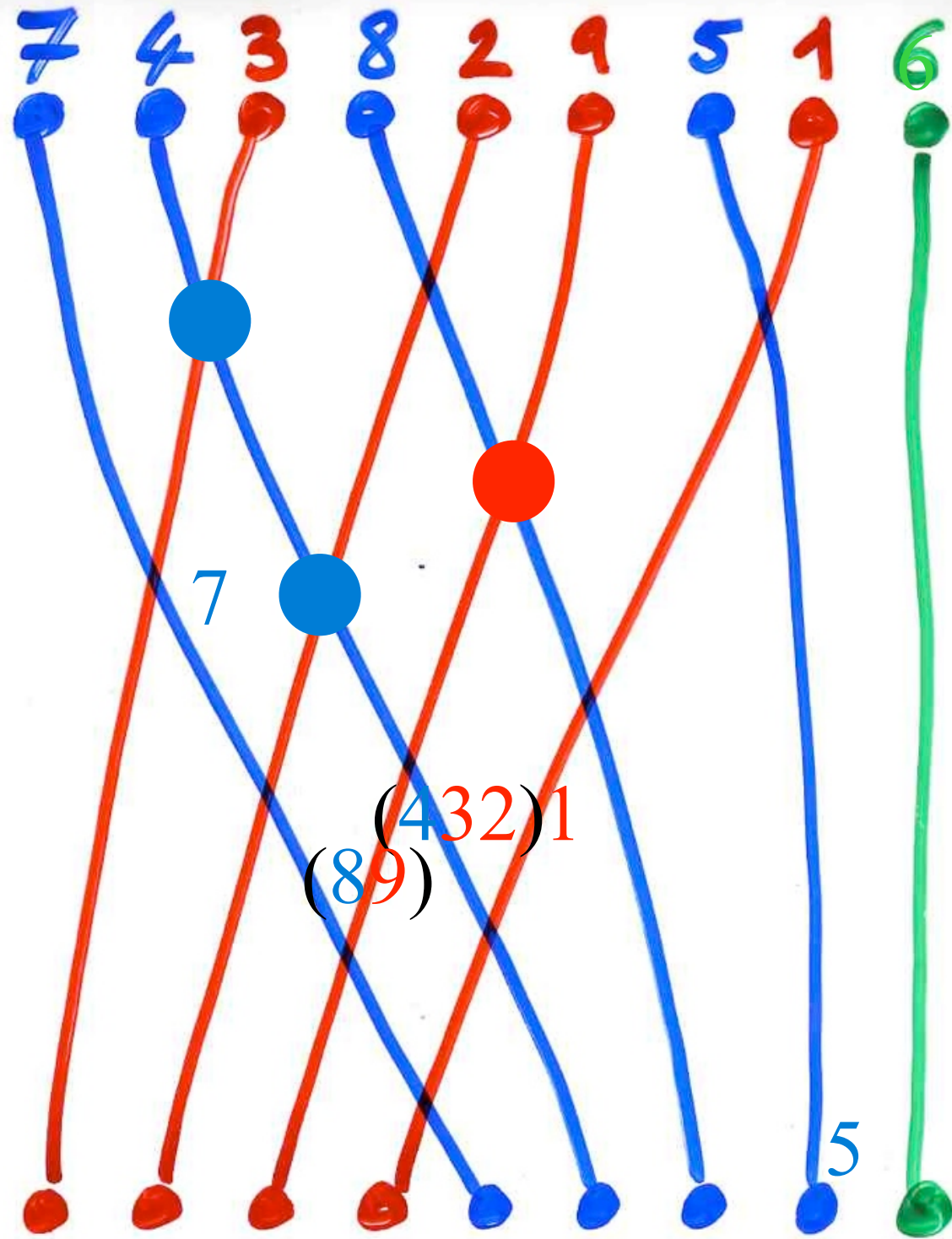


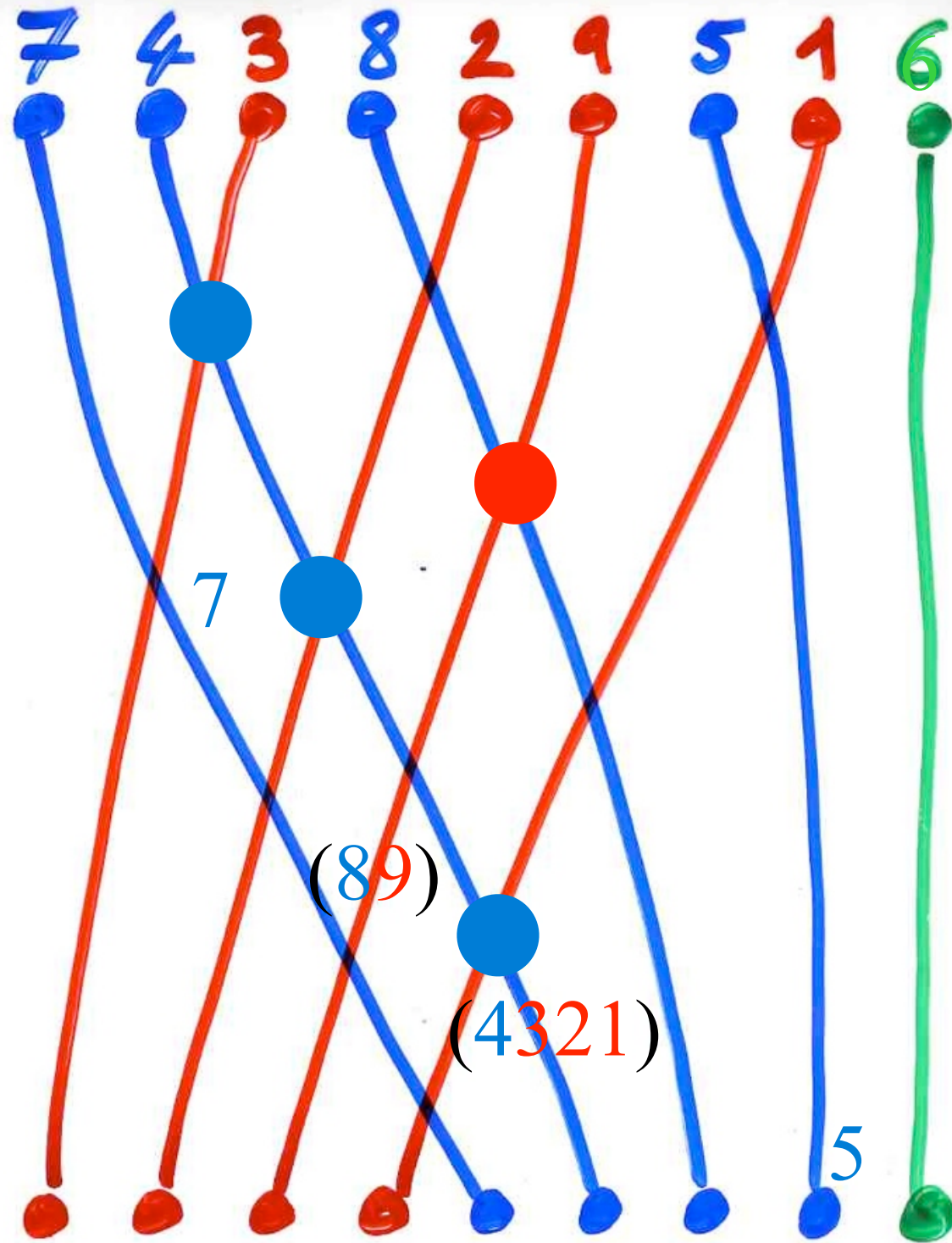


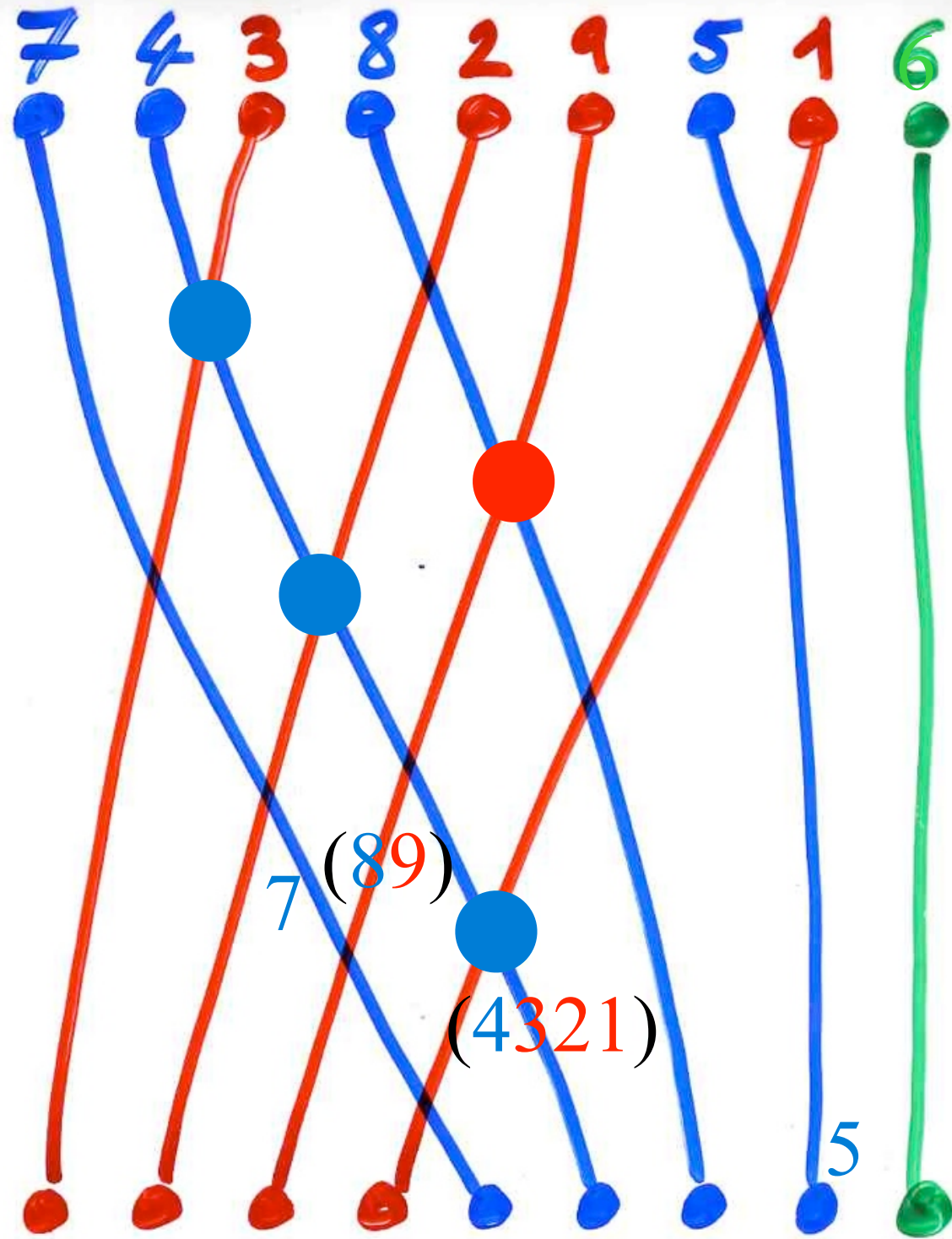


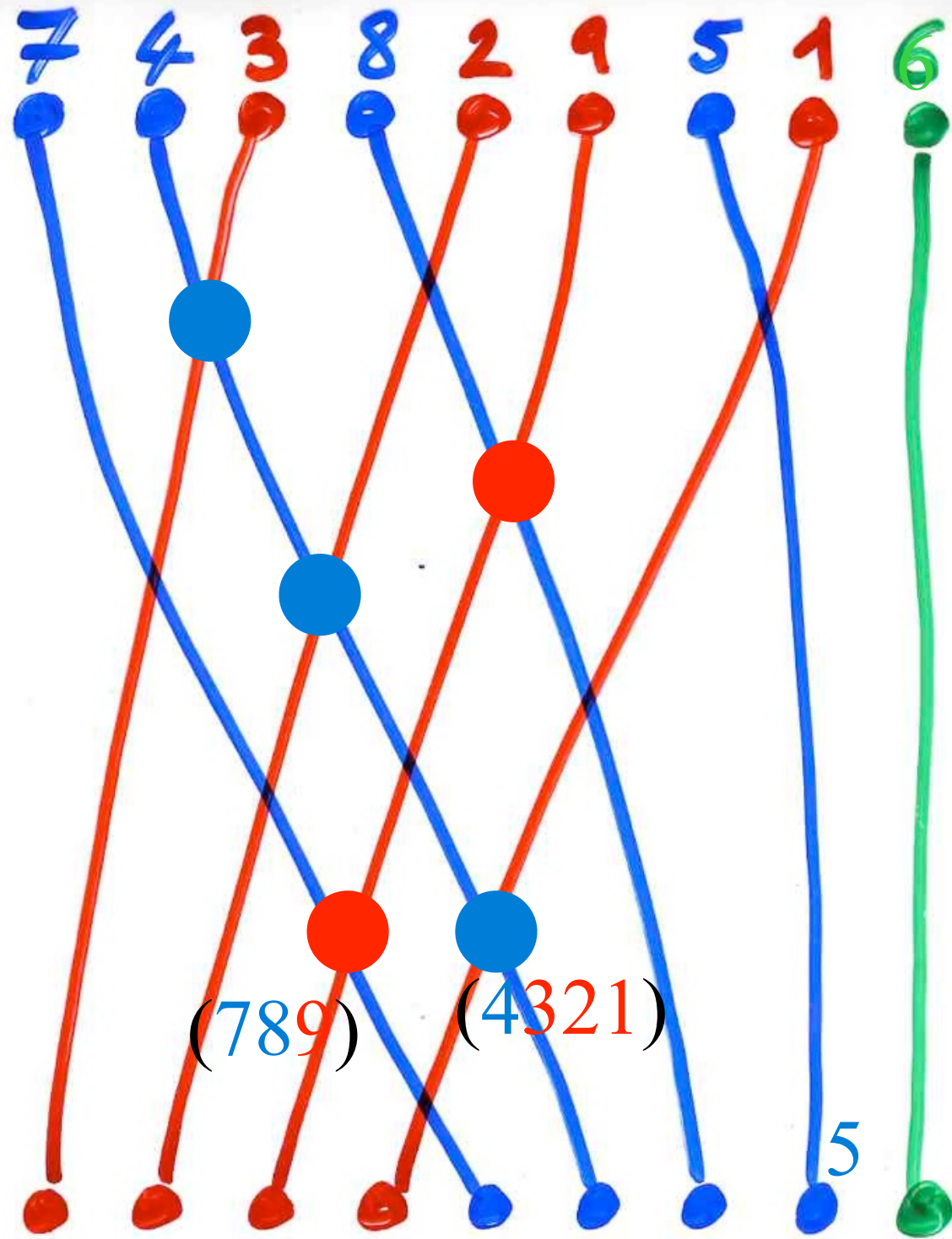




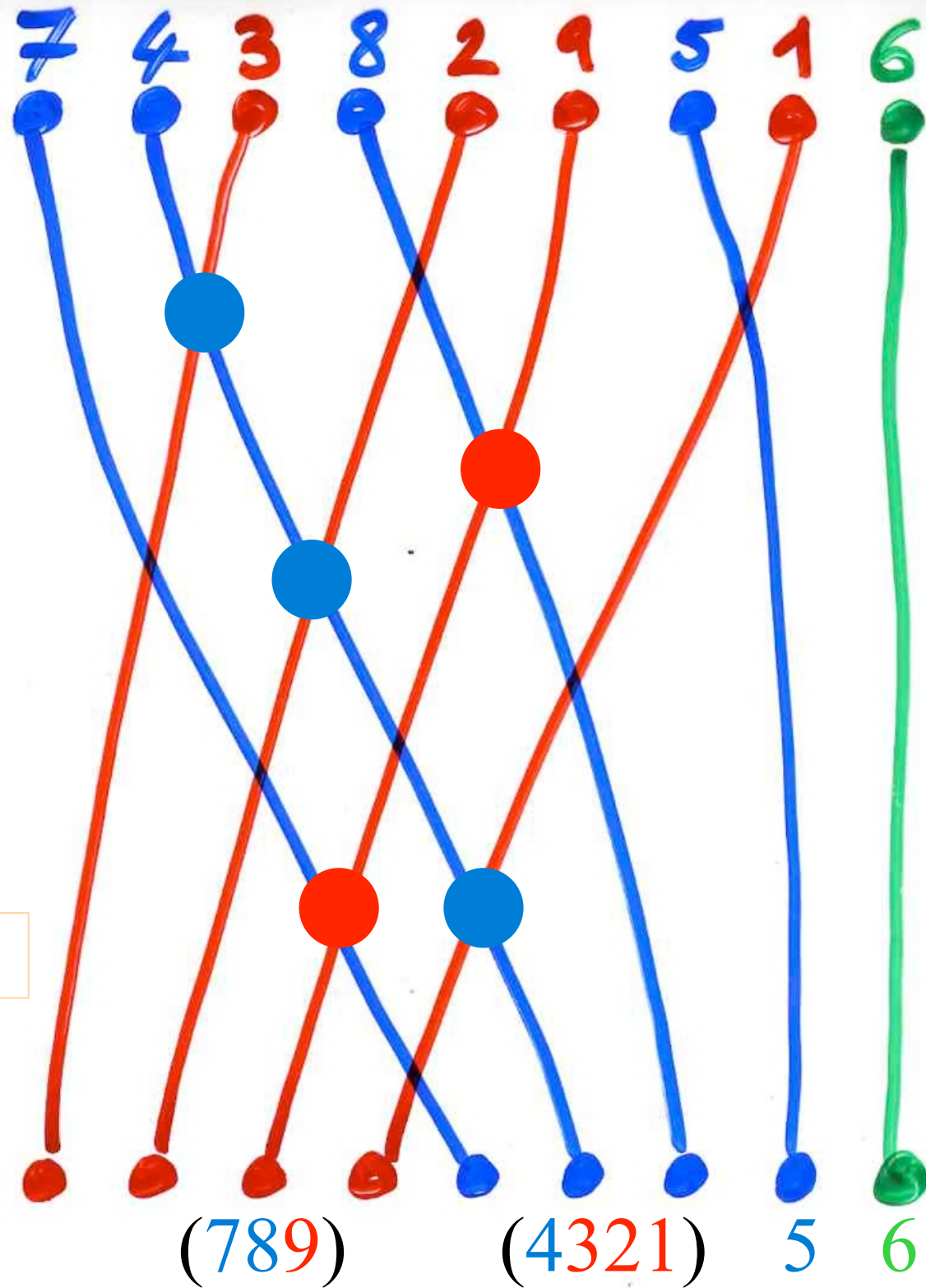
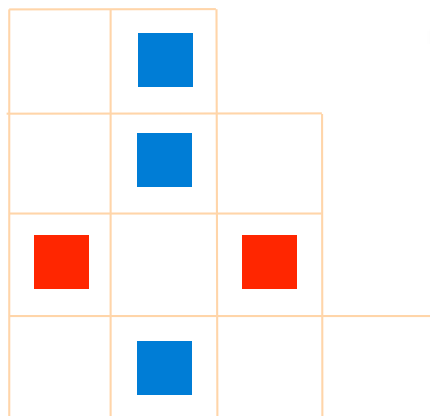




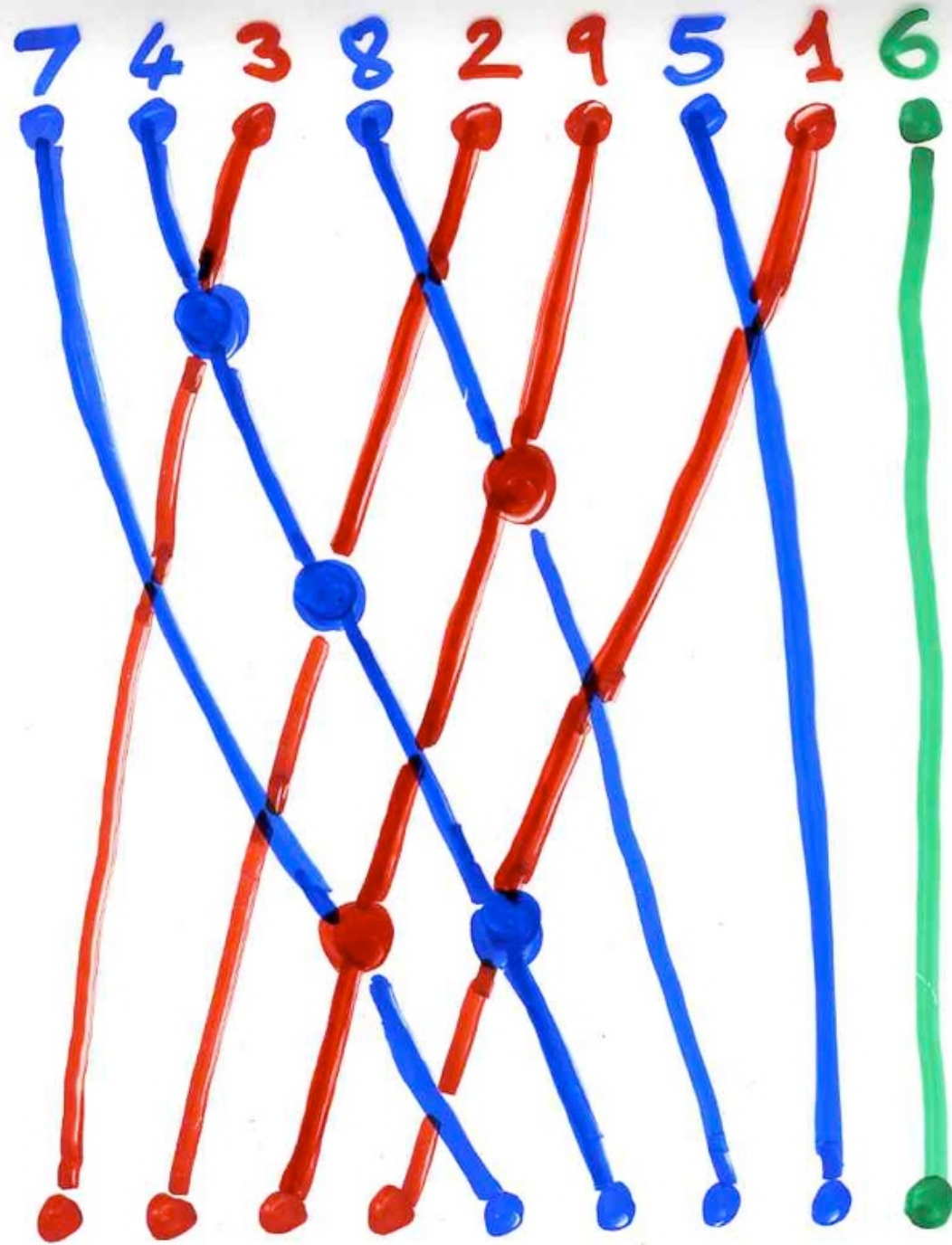


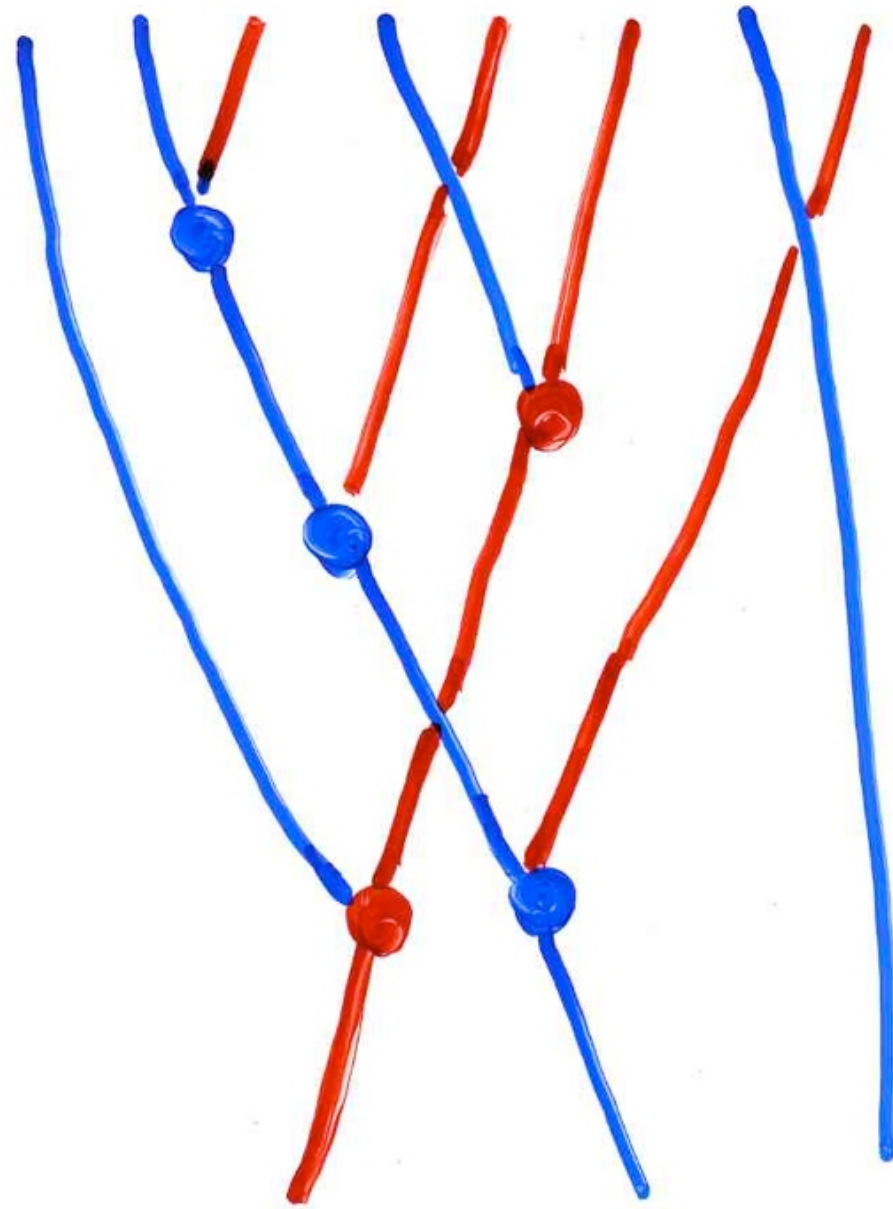


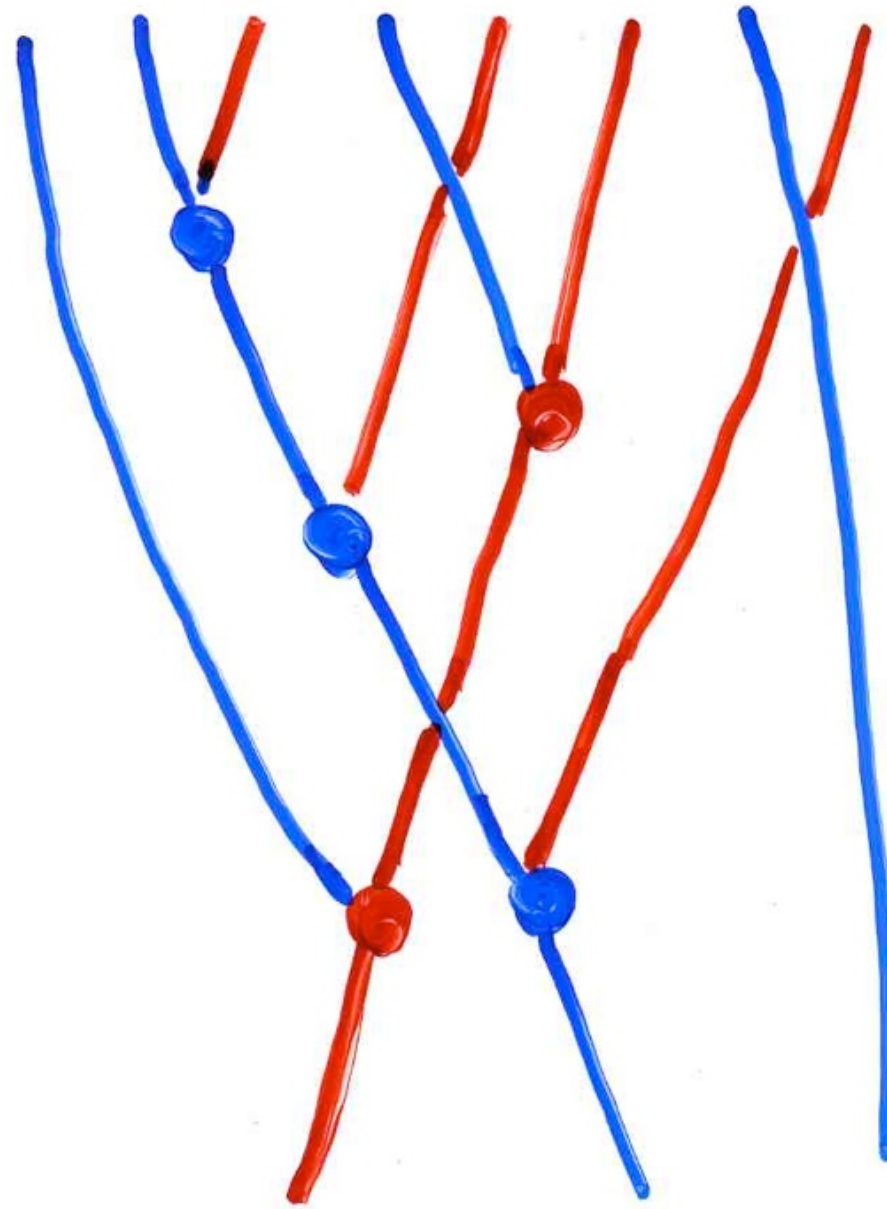
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The inverse
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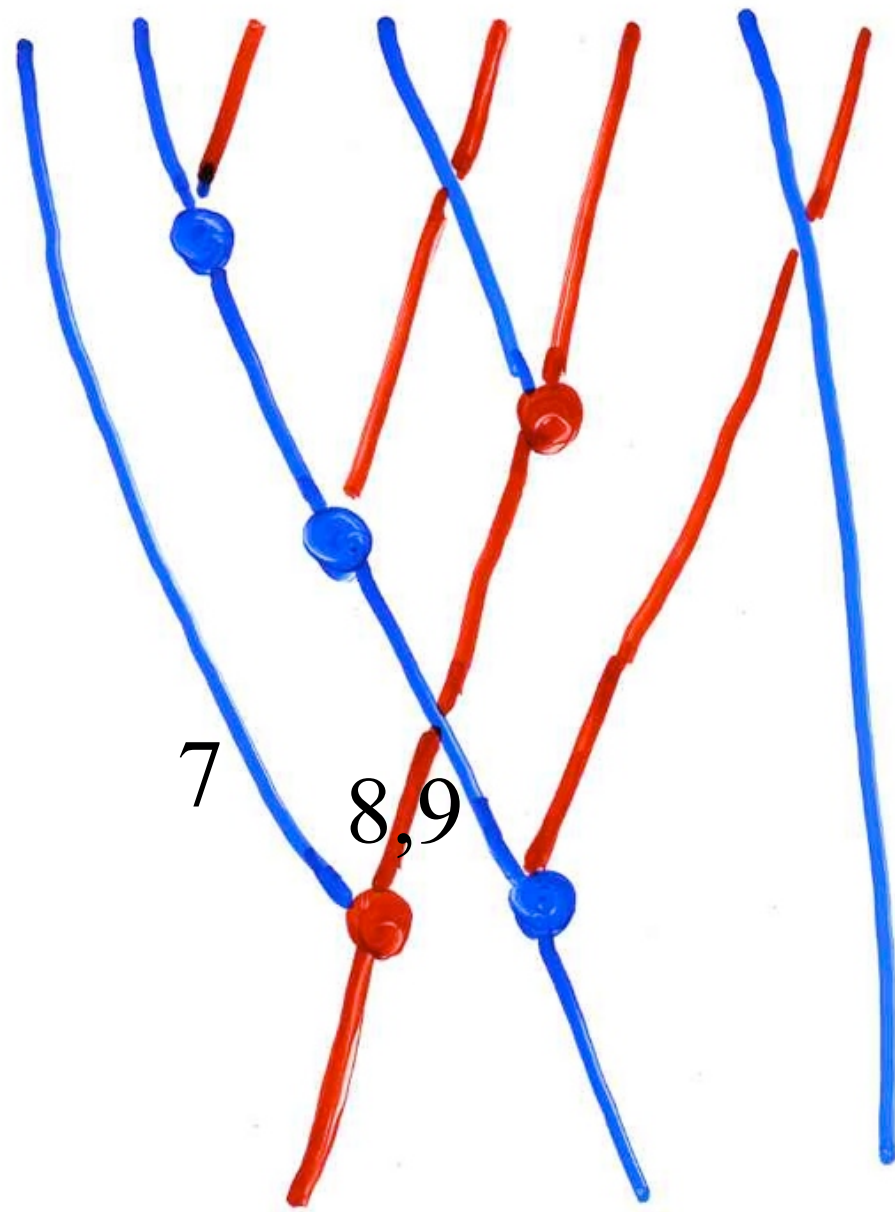


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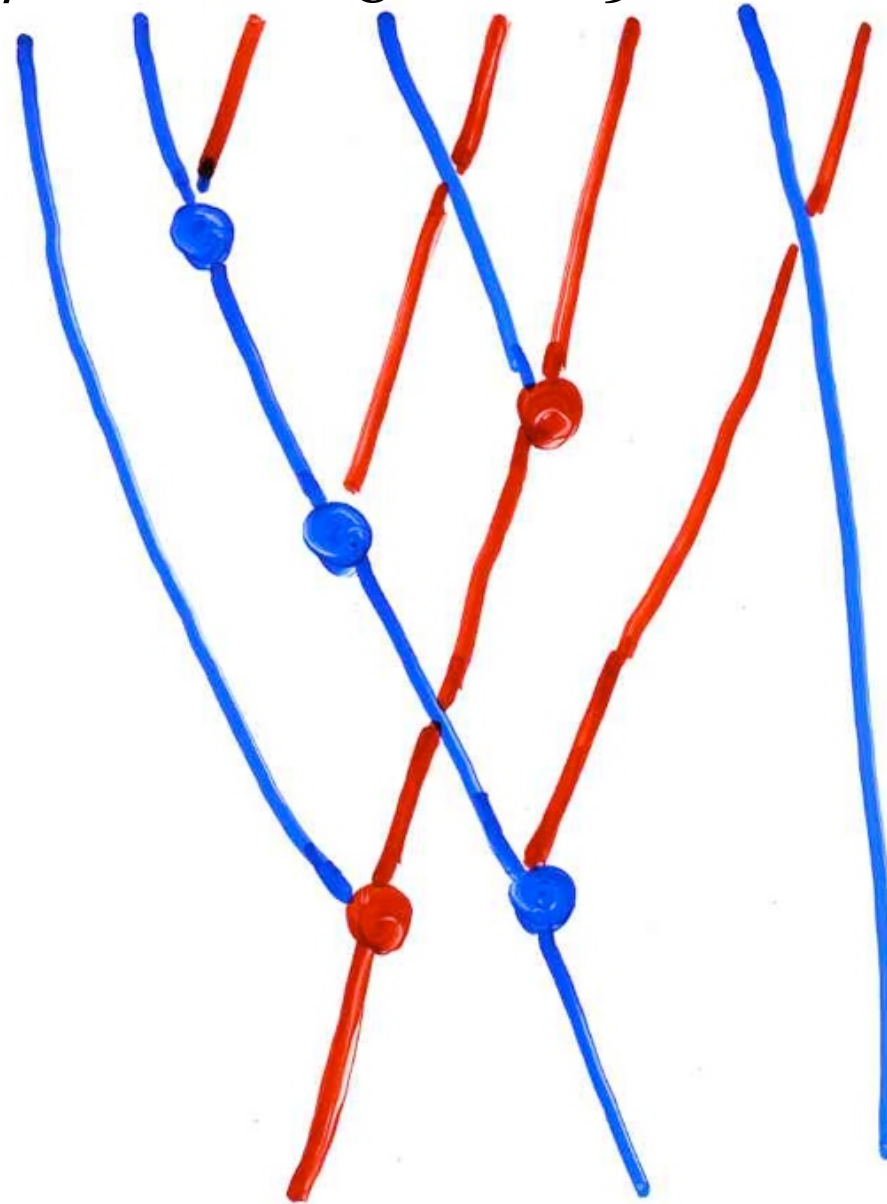
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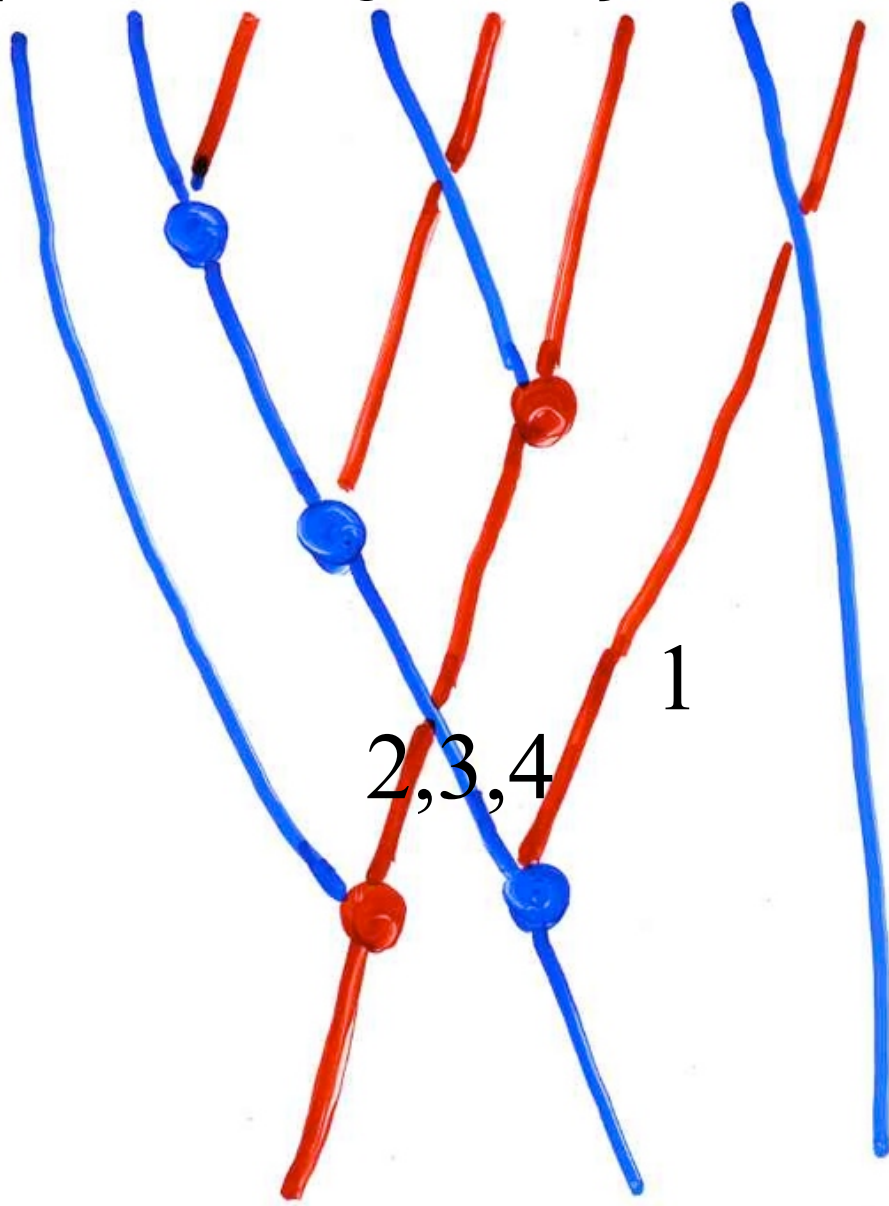
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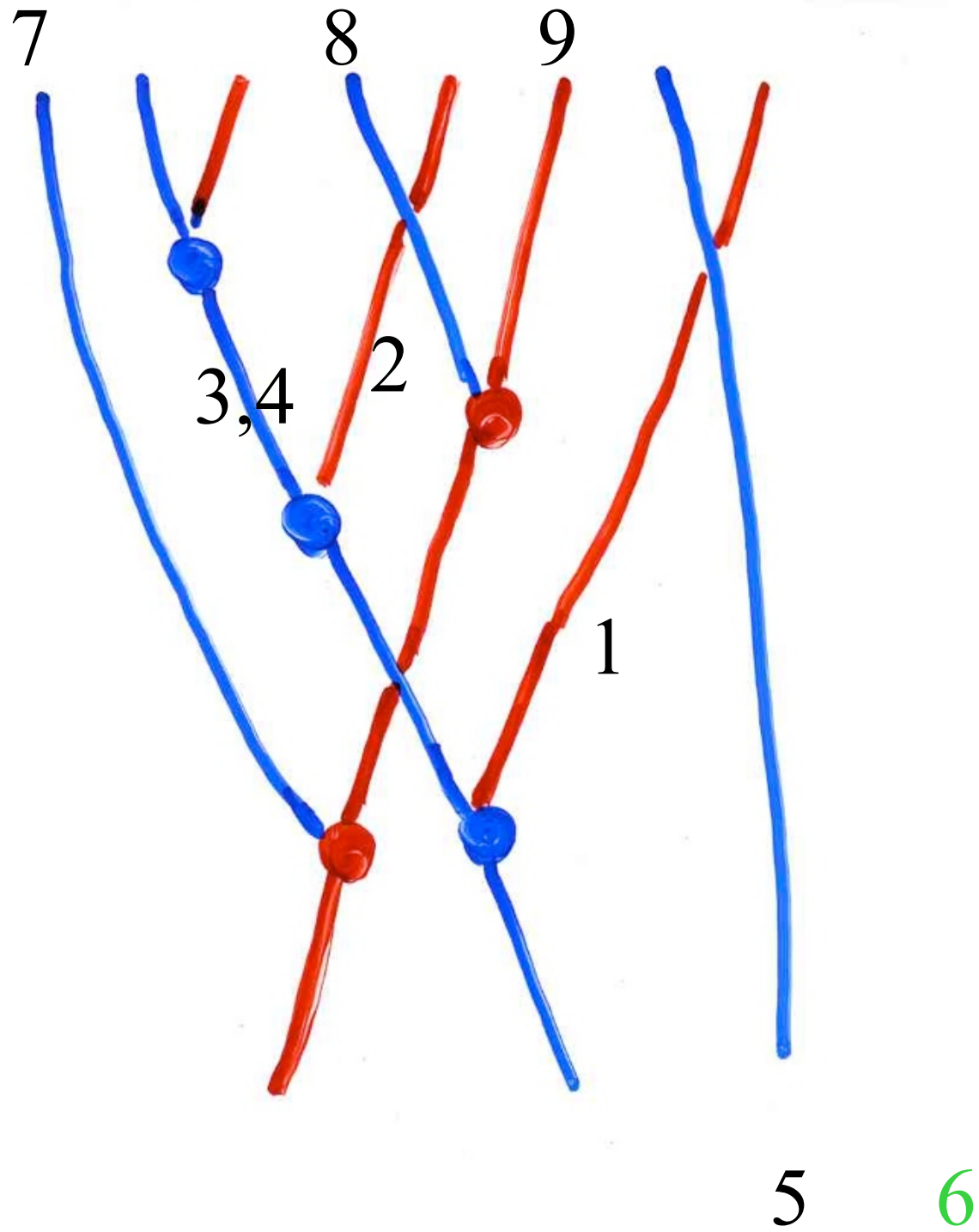
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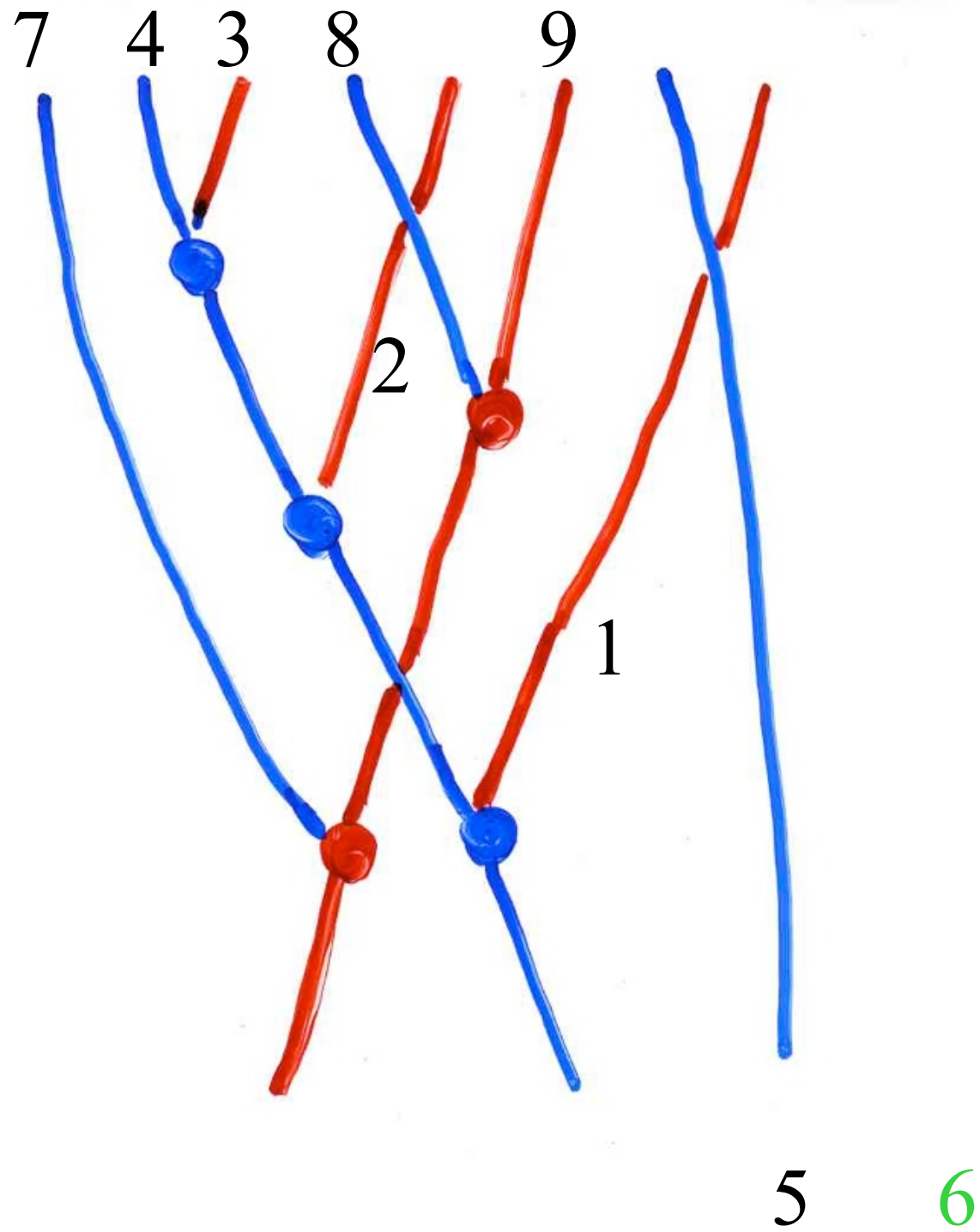
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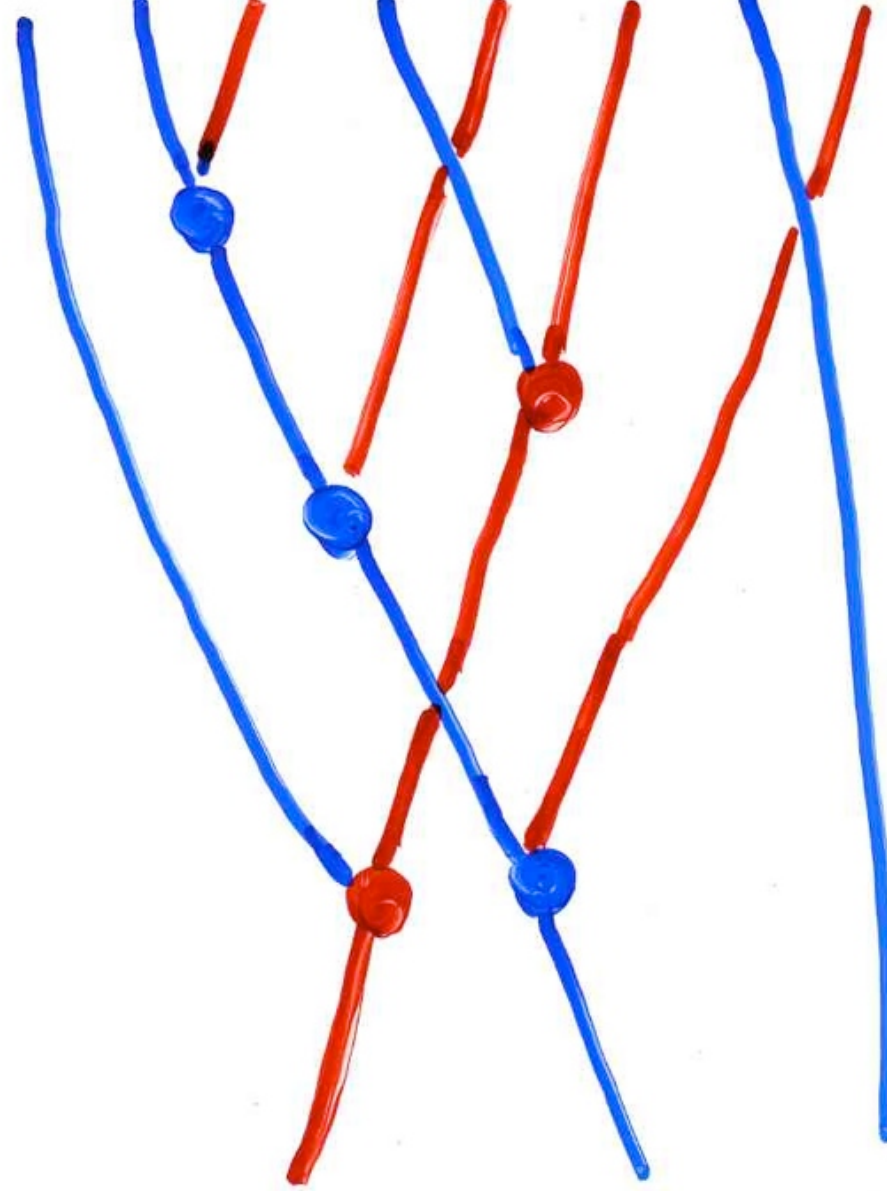
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this bijection was constructed
from a combinatorial representation
of the PASEP algebra

and using the methodology
of the «Cellular Ansatz»

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representation with operators
related to the combinatorial theory
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and data structures in computer science

J. Françon 1976
data structure histories

"histoires de fichiers"

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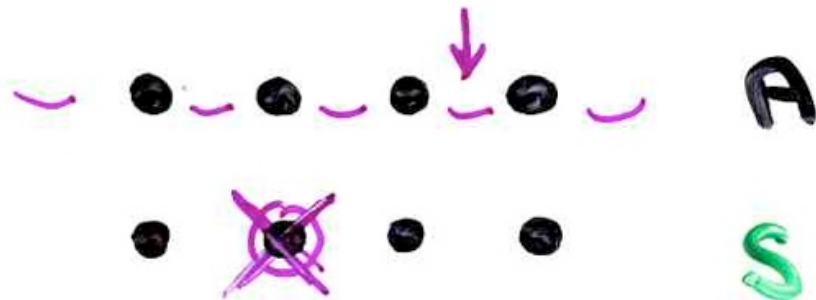
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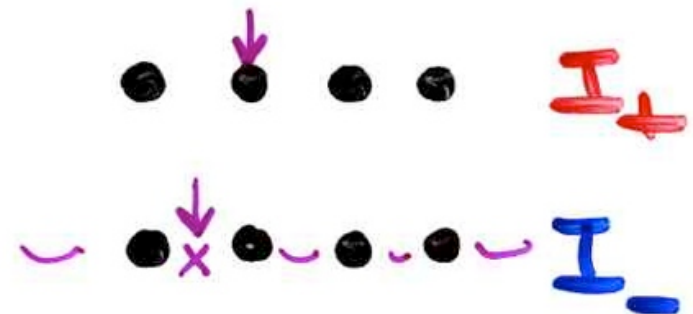
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Opérations primitives

A ajout
S suppression



I₊ interrogation positive
I₋ interrogation negative

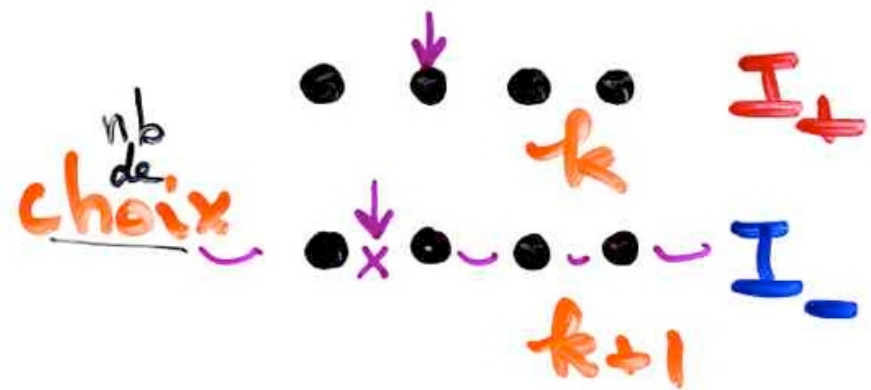
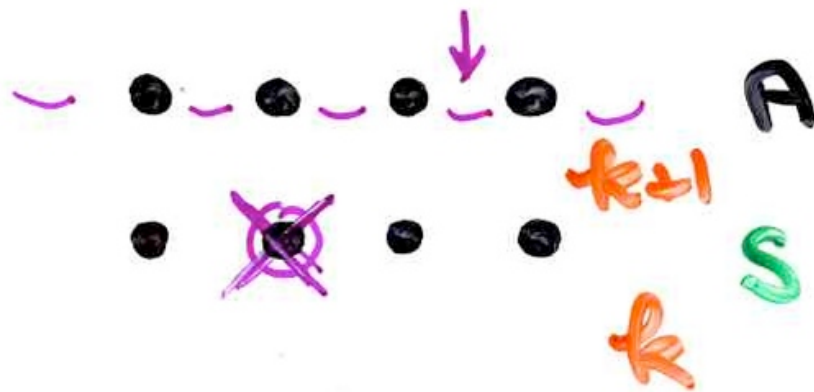


Primitive operations
for "dictionnaires" data structure:
add or delete any elements, asking questions (with
positive or negative answer)

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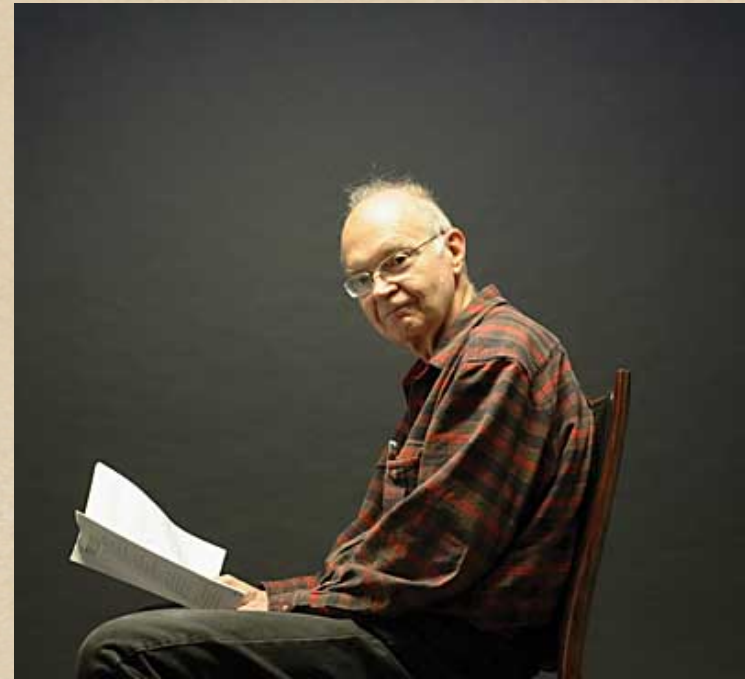
I_+ interrogation positive
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number of choices for each
primitive operations

$$\begin{cases} D = A + I_- \\ E = S + I_+ \end{cases}$$

data structure
integrated cost



D. Knuth

P. Flajolet

Calcul du coût intégré
d'une structure de données
pour une séquence aléatoire
d'opérations primitives

Françon, Flajolet, Vuillemin (1980, ...)
connaissant le coût moyen
d'une opération primitive.

representation
of the
operators
E and D

$$DE = ED + E + D$$

V vector space generated by B basis
 B alternating words two letters $\{0, \bullet\}$
(no occurrences of 00 or $\bullet\bullet$)

4 operators A, S, J, K

4 operators A, S, J, K , $u \in B$

$$\langle u | A = \sum_{\substack{\text{letter } \circ \\ \text{of } u}} v, \quad v \text{ obtained by:} \\ \circ \rightarrow \circ \circ \circ$$

$$\langle u | S = \sum_{\substack{\circ \\ \text{of } u}} v \quad v \text{ obtained by:} \\ \circ \rightarrow \bullet \\ (\text{and } \bullet \bullet \rightarrow \bullet \quad \bullet \bullet \bullet \rightarrow \bullet)$$

$$\langle u | J = \sum_{\substack{\circ \\ \text{of } u}} v, \quad \circ \rightarrow \bullet \circ \quad (\text{and } \bullet \bullet \rightarrow \bullet)$$

$$\langle u | K = \sum_{\substack{\circ \\ \text{of } u}} v, \quad \circ \rightarrow \circ \bullet \quad (\text{and } \bullet \bullet \rightarrow \bullet)$$

$$\circ \bullet \circ \bullet | S = \bullet \circ \bullet + \circ \bullet$$

Lemma.

$$A S = S A + J + K$$

$$A K = K A + A$$

$$J S = S J + S$$

$$J K = K J$$

$$D = A + J$$

$$E = S + K$$

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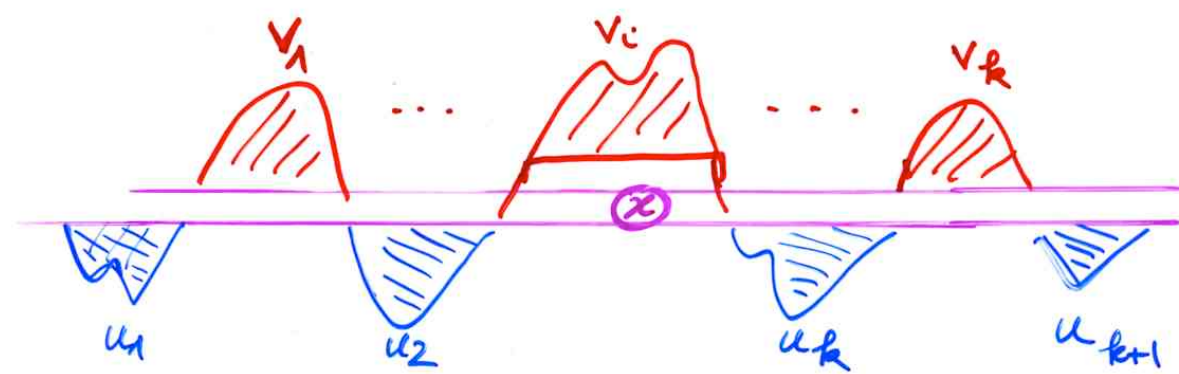
$$DE = (A+J)(S+K)$$

$$= AS + AK + JS + JK$$

$$= (SA + KA + SJ + KJ) + J + K + A + S$$

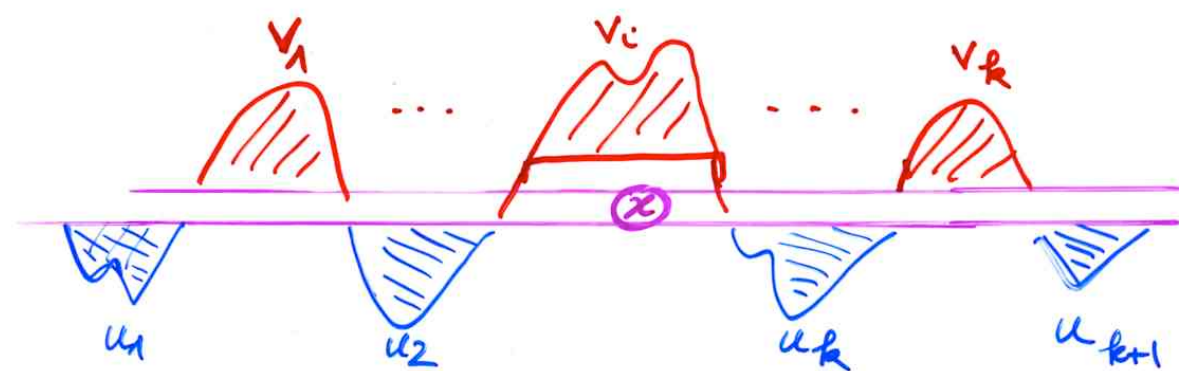
$$\underbrace{(S+K)(A+J)}_{ED}$$

$$\underbrace{J+K+A+S}_{E+D}$$

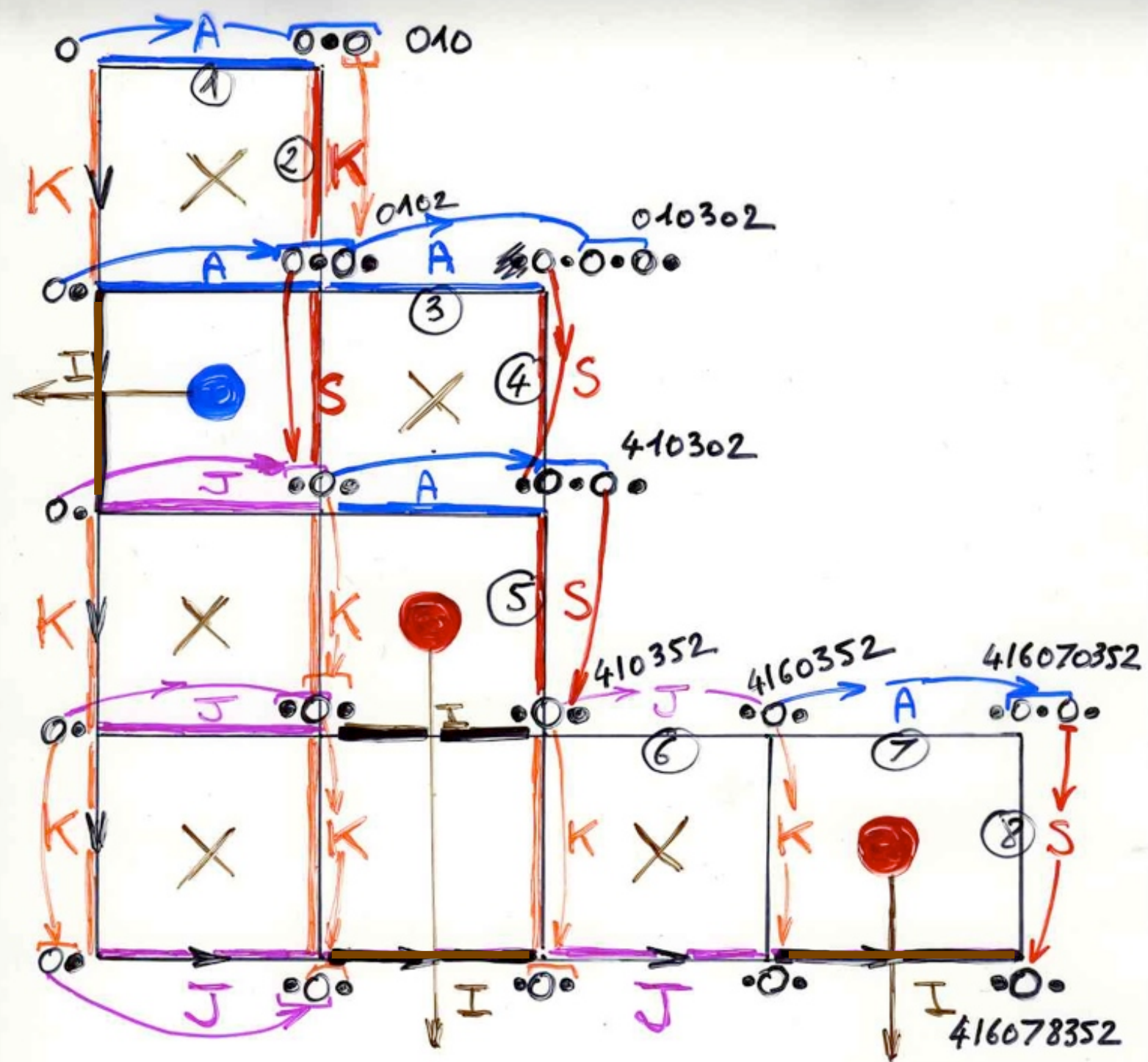


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$$\sigma = 416978352$$

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the XYZ algebra

ASM, (alternating sign matrices)

FPL (Fully packed loops)

tilings, non-crossing paths

RSK automata

planar
automata

reverse planar
automata



Laguerre histories

The FV bijection
Françon-XV 1978

Bijection

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$n+1$

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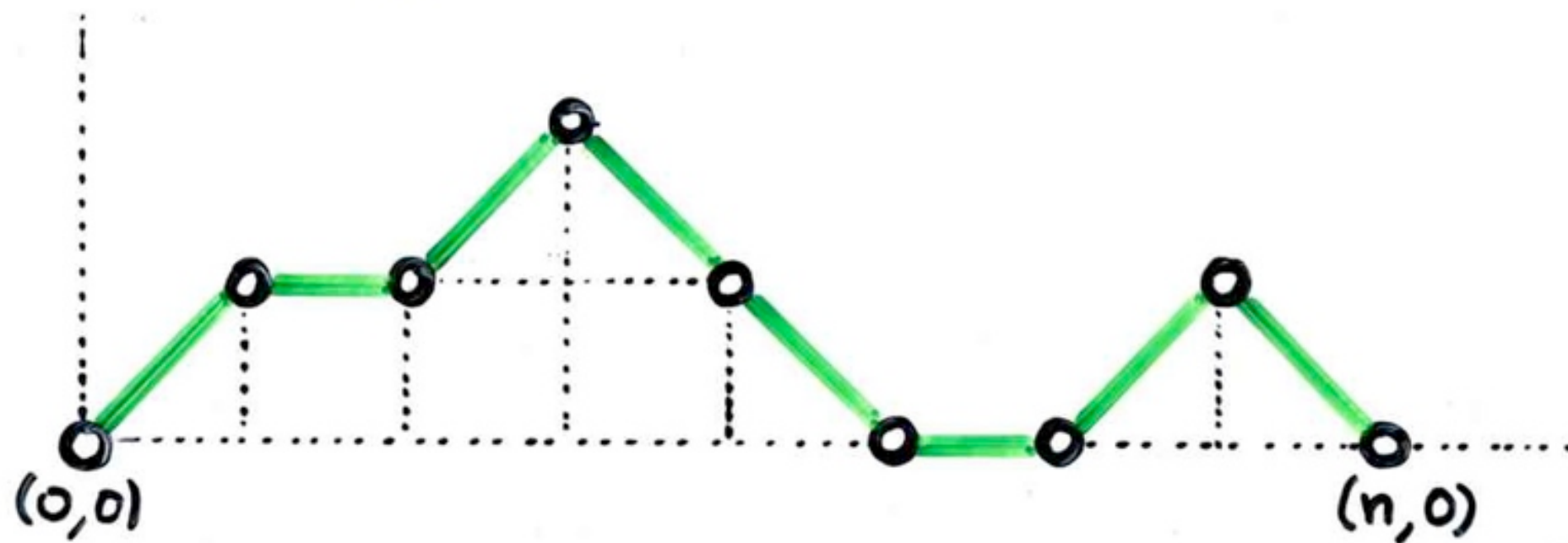
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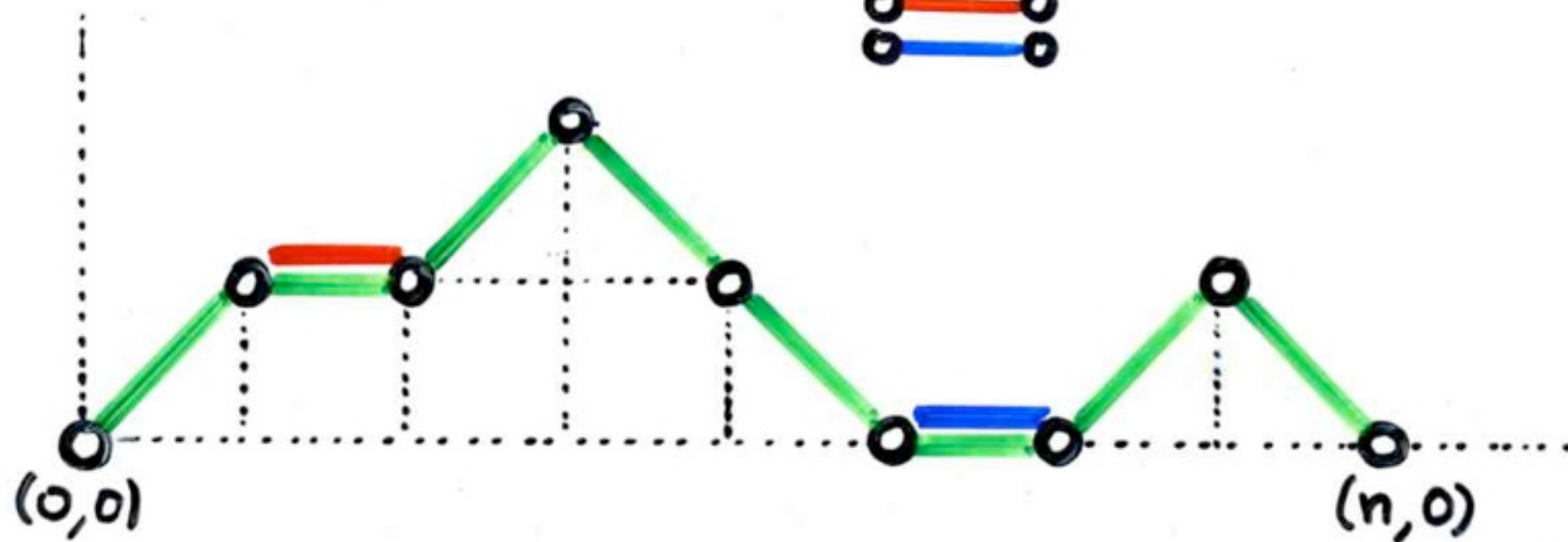
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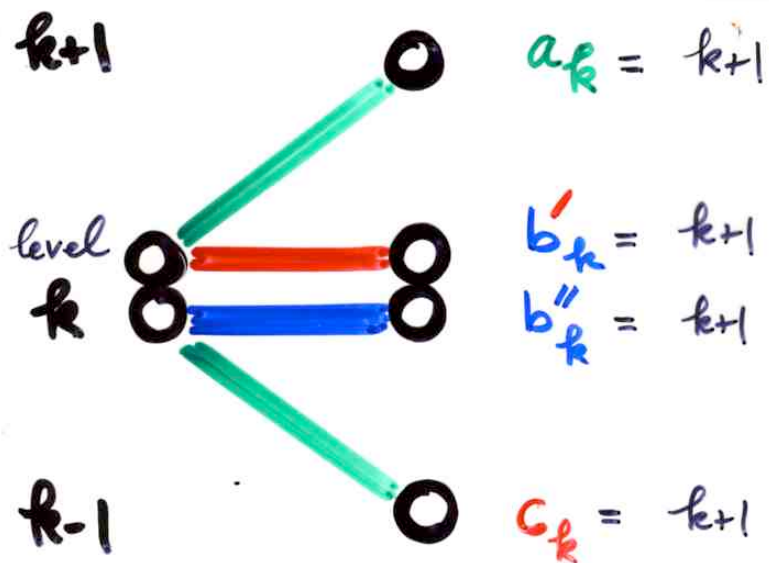
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2 couleurs
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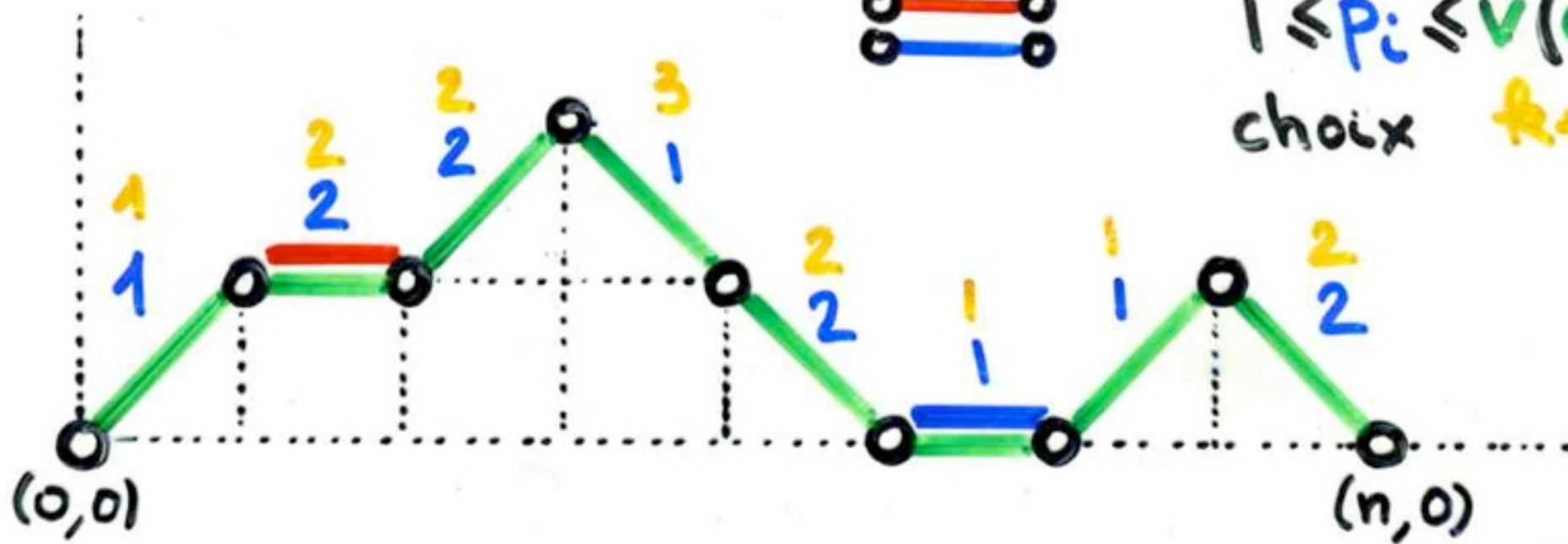


2 couleurs paliers

$$f = (p_1, \dots, p_n)$$

$$1 \leq p_i \leq v(w_i)$$

choix $k+1$



Bijection

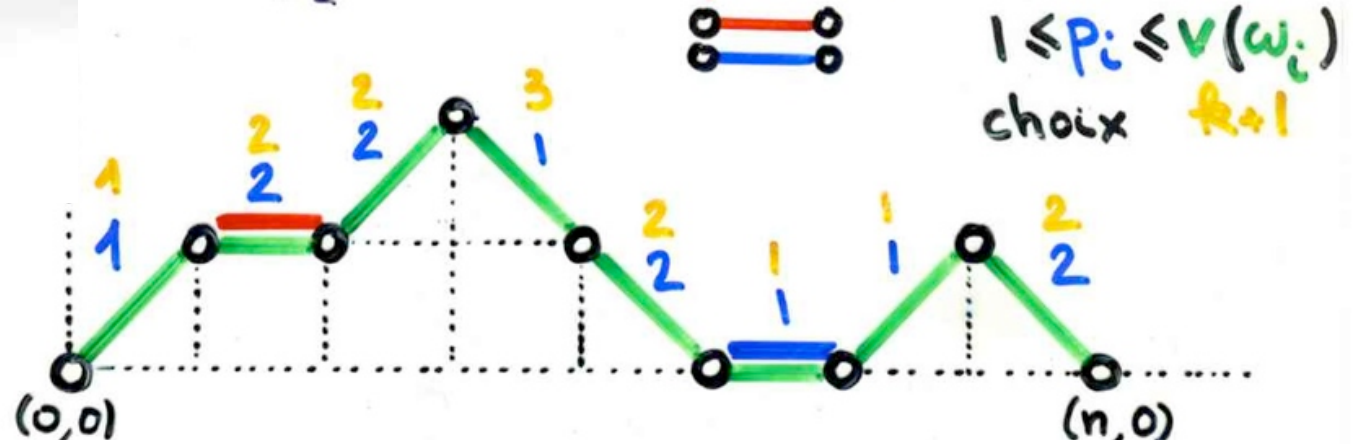
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permutations
 $(n+1)!$

$$h = (\omega_c; (p_1, \dots, p_n))$$



x	ω_c	pos	v
1		1	1
2		2	2
3		2	2
4		1	3
5		2	2
6		1	1
7		1	1
$n=8$		2	2
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 4 1 6 9 7 8 3 5 2

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 $n+1$

(formal) orthogonal
polynomials

Orthogonal polynomials

Def. $\{P_n(x)\}_{n \geq 0}$

orthogonal iff

$$P_n(x) \in \mathbb{K}[x]$$

$$\exists \ell: \mathbb{K}[x] \rightarrow \mathbb{K}$$

linear functional

- (i) $\deg(P_n(x)) = n$
- (ii) $\ell(P_h P_l) = 0$
- (iii) $\ell(P_h^2) \neq 0$

$$(\forall n \geq 0)$$

$$\text{for } h \neq l \geq 0$$

$$\text{for } h \geq 0$$

$$f(x^n) = \mu_n \quad (n \geq 0)$$

moments

$$f(PQ) = \int_a^b P(x) Q(x) d\mu$$

measure

combinatorial interpretation
of the moments

Thm. (Favard)

- $\{P_n(x)\}_{n \geq 0}$ sequence of **monic** polynomials, $\deg(P_n) = n$
- $\{b_k\}_{k \geq 0}$, $\{\lambda_k\}_{k \geq 1}$ coeff. in $\mathbb{K}$

orthogonality $\iff$

$$P_{k+1}(x) = (x - b_k)P_k(x) - \lambda_k P_{k-1}(x)$$

($\forall k \geq 1$)

3 terms linear recurrence relation

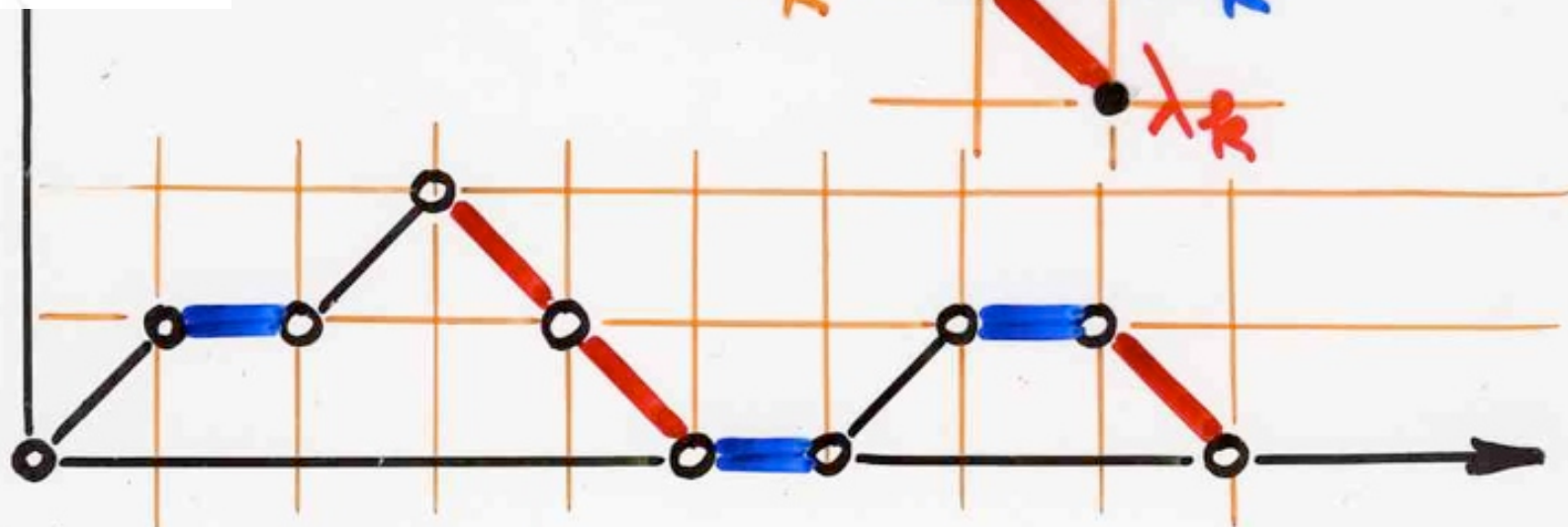
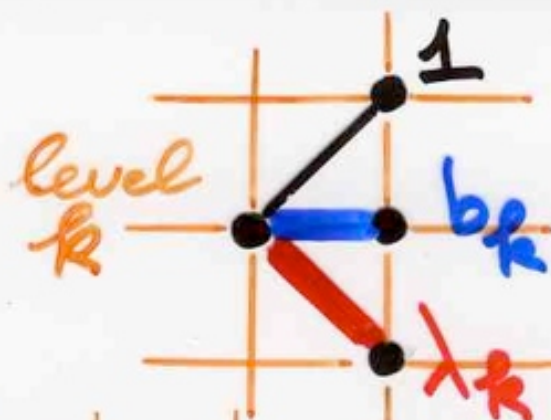


$$\{b_k\}_{k \geq 0}$$

$$\{\lambda_k\}_{k \geq 1}$$

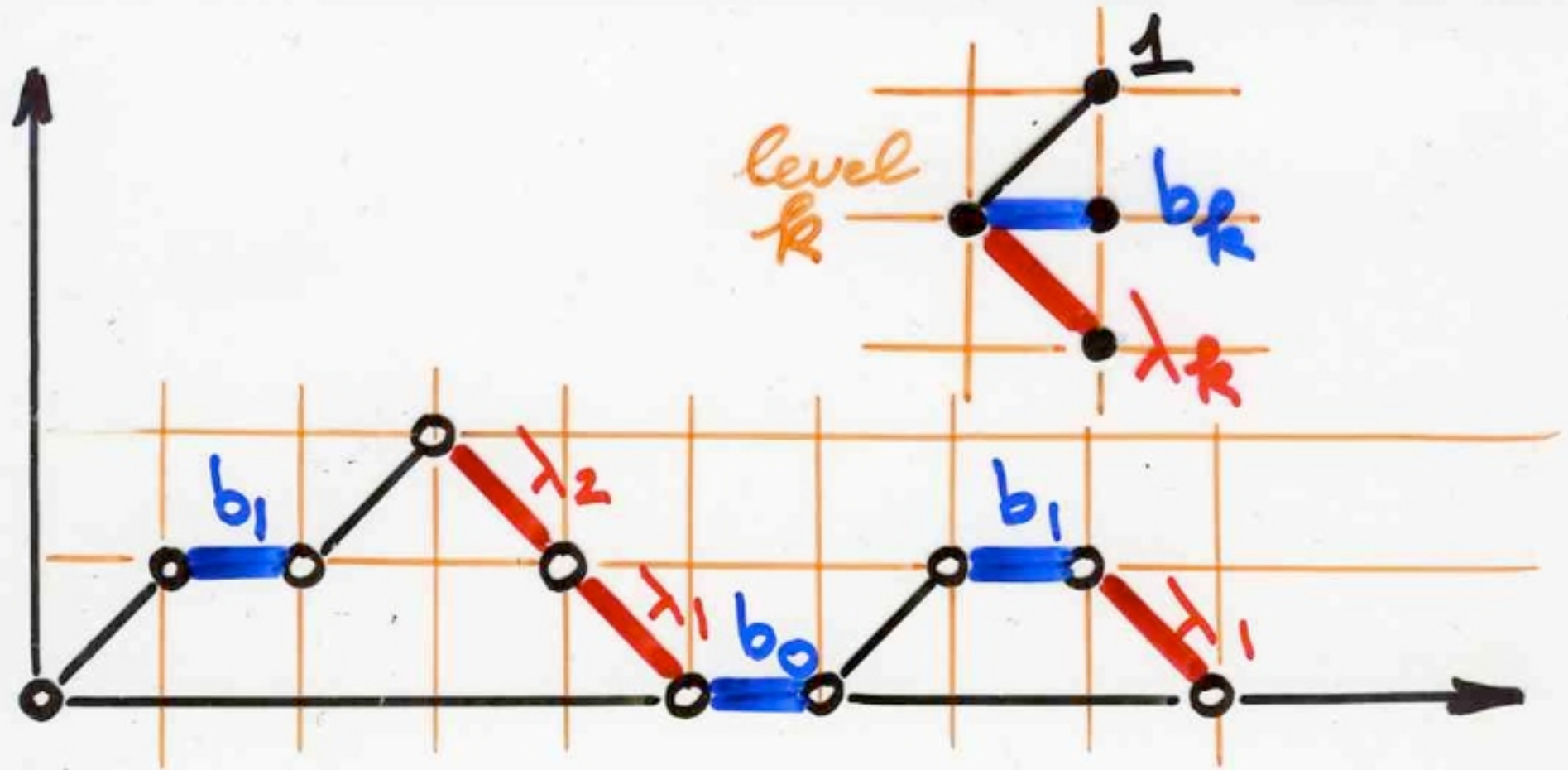
$$b_k, \lambda_k \in \mathbb{K} \text{ ring}$$

valuation ✓



ω Motzkin path

valuation ✓



ω Motzkin path

$$v(\omega) = b_0 b_1^2 \lambda_1^2 \lambda_2$$

$$f(x^n) = \mu_n \quad (n \geq 0)$$

moments

$$\mu_n = \sum_{\omega} v(\omega)$$

ω
Motzkin
path
 $|\omega| = n$

Laguerre histories
and
Laguerre polynomials

$$P_{k+1}(x) = (x - b_k) P_k(x) - \lambda_k P_{k-1}(x)$$

$$P_0 = 1$$

$$P_1 = x - b_0$$

$$\mu_n = (n+1)!$$

$$\begin{cases} b_k = 2k+2 \\ \lambda_k = k(k+1) \end{cases}$$

Laguerre
polynomial

$$J(t) = \frac{1}{1 - 2t - 1 \cdot 2t^2} = \frac{1}{1 - 4t - 2 \cdot 3t^2} = \dots$$

Laguerre $L_n^{(1)}(x)$

moment $\mu_n = (n+1)!$

$$b_k = 2k+2$$

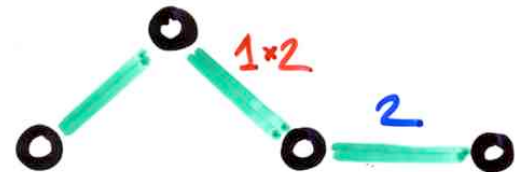
$$\lambda_k = k(k+1)$$



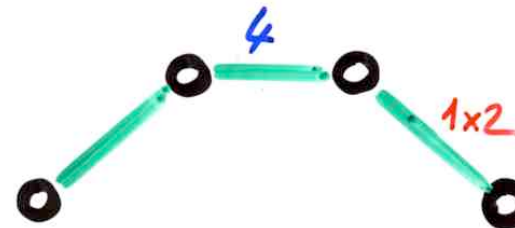
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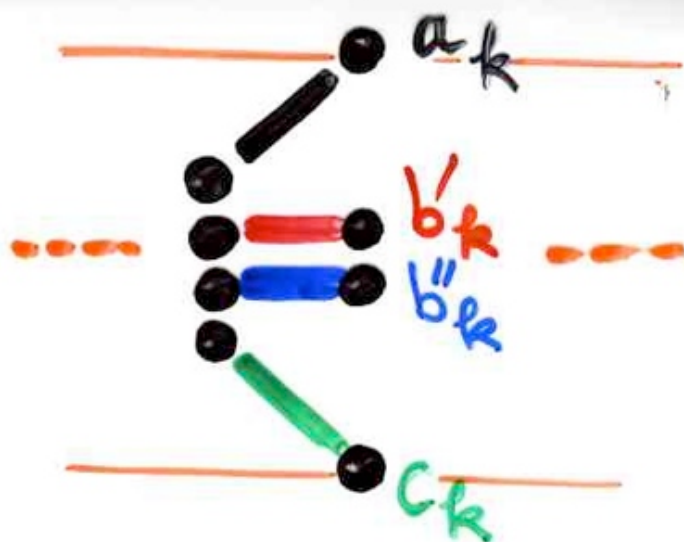
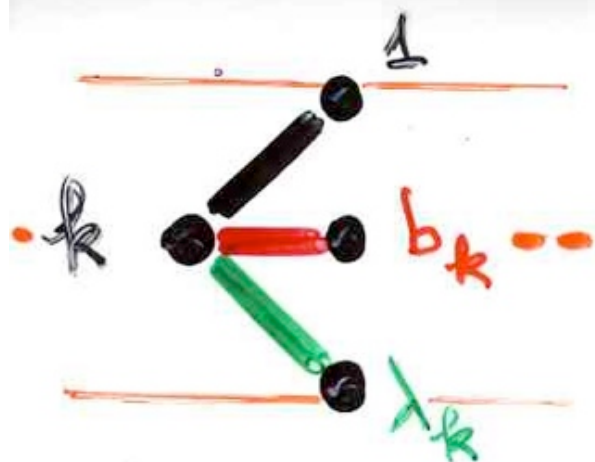


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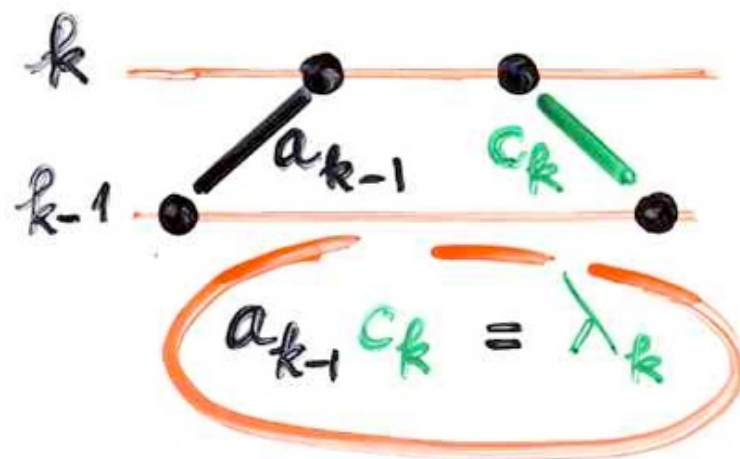


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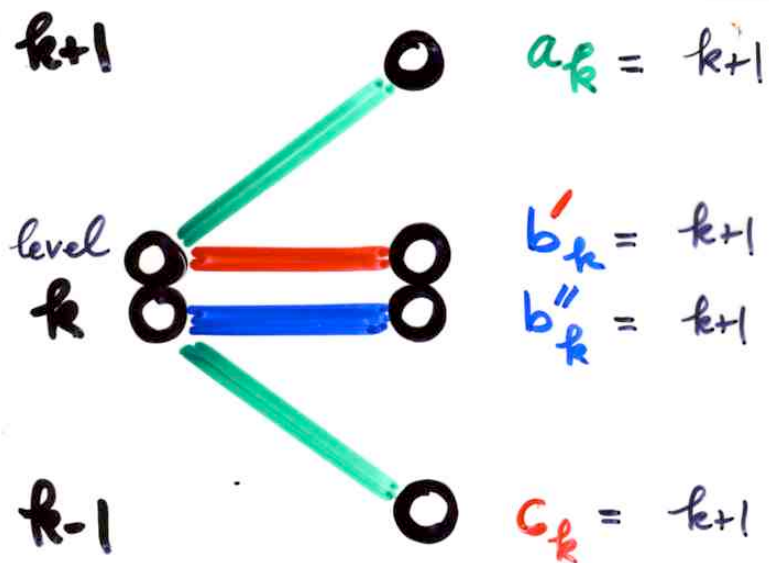
A diagram showing a node with two lines extending to the right: a red line and a blue line. Below this, the equation $b_k = b'_k + b''_k$ is written and circled in orange.



Laguerre $L_n^{(1)}(x)$

$$\mu_n = (n+1)!$$

$$\begin{aligned} a_k &= k+1 \\ b'_k &= k+1 \\ b''_k &= k+1 \\ c_k &= k+1 \end{aligned}$$



Permutations

$n+1$

n

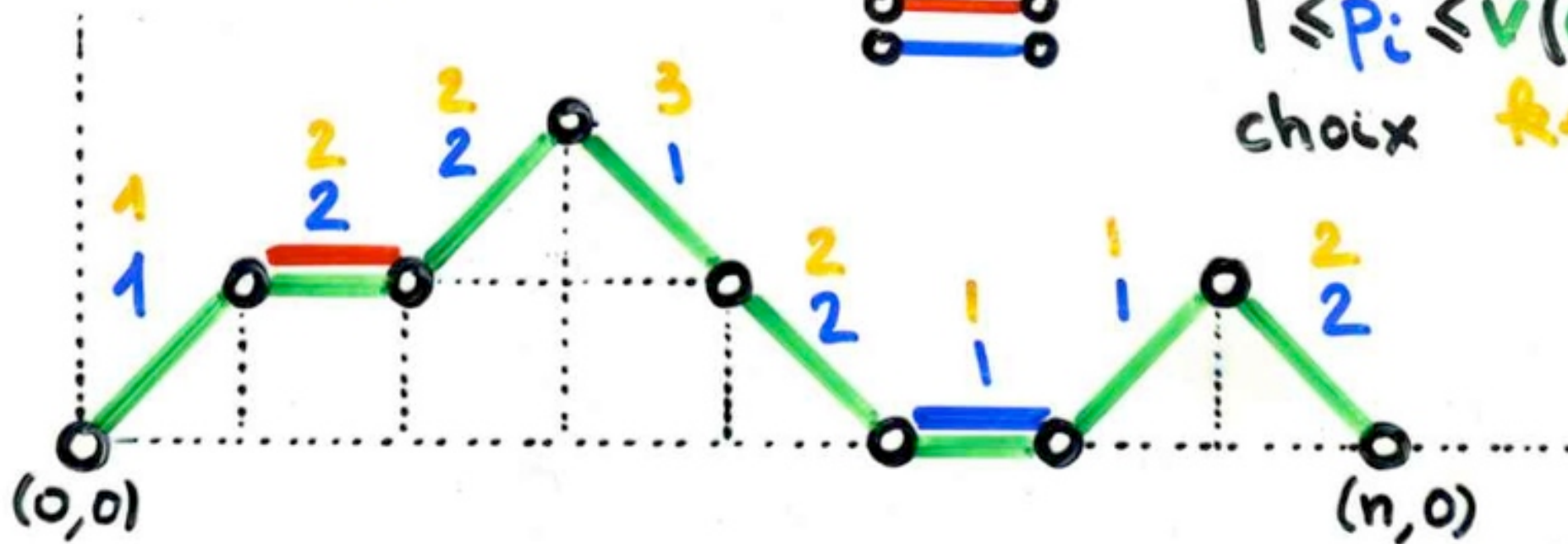


2 couleurs paliers

$$f = (p_1, \dots, p_n)$$

$$1 \leq p_i \leq v(w_i)$$

choix $k+1$



3 parameters

Cor. The stationary probability associated to the state $\tau = (\tau_1, \dots, \tau_n)$ (PASEP)

is $\text{proba}_{\tau}(q; \alpha, \beta) = \frac{1}{Z_n} \sum_{\tau} q^{L(\tau)} \alpha^{-f(\tau)} \beta^{-u(\tau)}$

alternative tableaux
profile τ

$\begin{cases} f(\tau) \\ u(\tau) \\ L(\tau) \end{cases}$
 nb of rows
 nb of columns
 nb of cells

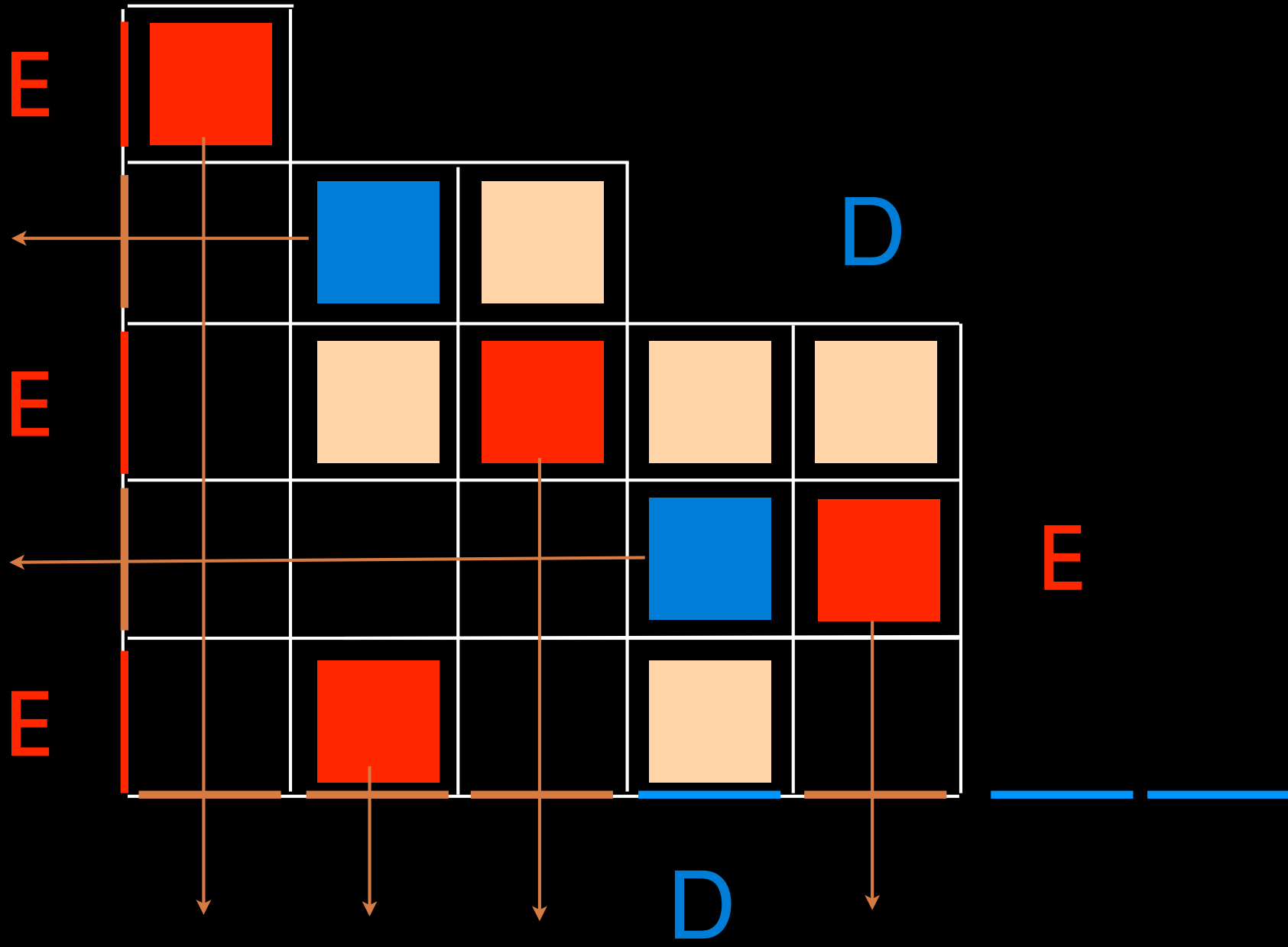
without

 cell




permutation tableau

S. Corteel, L. Williams
(2007) (2008) (2009)



total order

$\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$

$\sigma = 7 \ 2 \ 3 \ 9 \ 6 \ 8 \ 5 \ 1 \ 4$
word

left-to-right
right-to-left

minimum elements

$\sigma = \textcircled{7} \textcircled{2} 3 \ 9 \ 6 \ 8 \ 5 \boxed{\textcircled{1}} \boxed{4}$

left-to-right
right-to-left

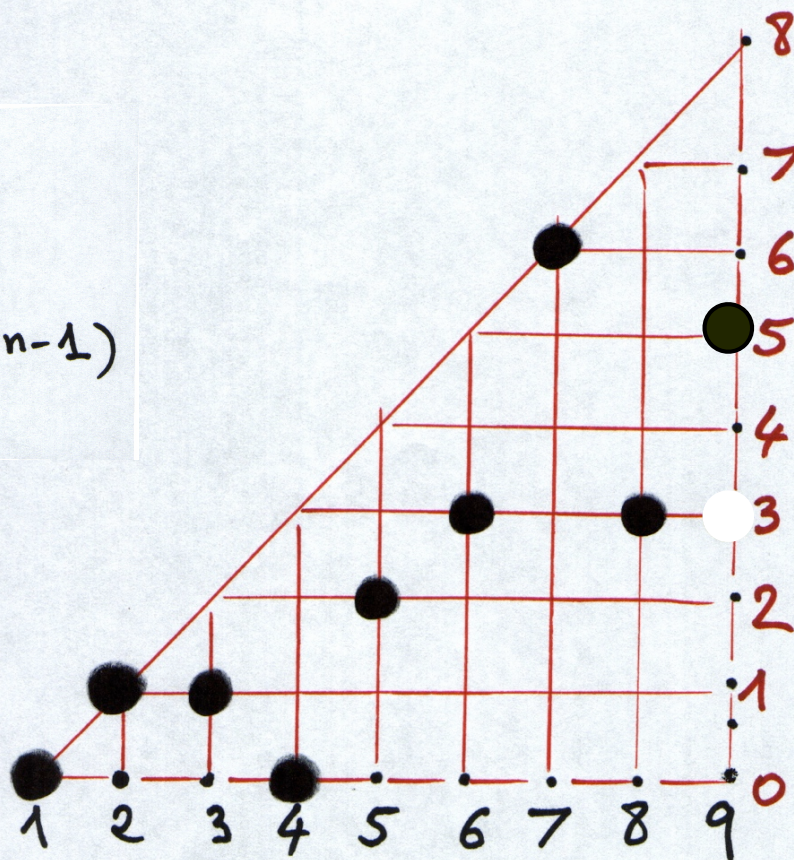
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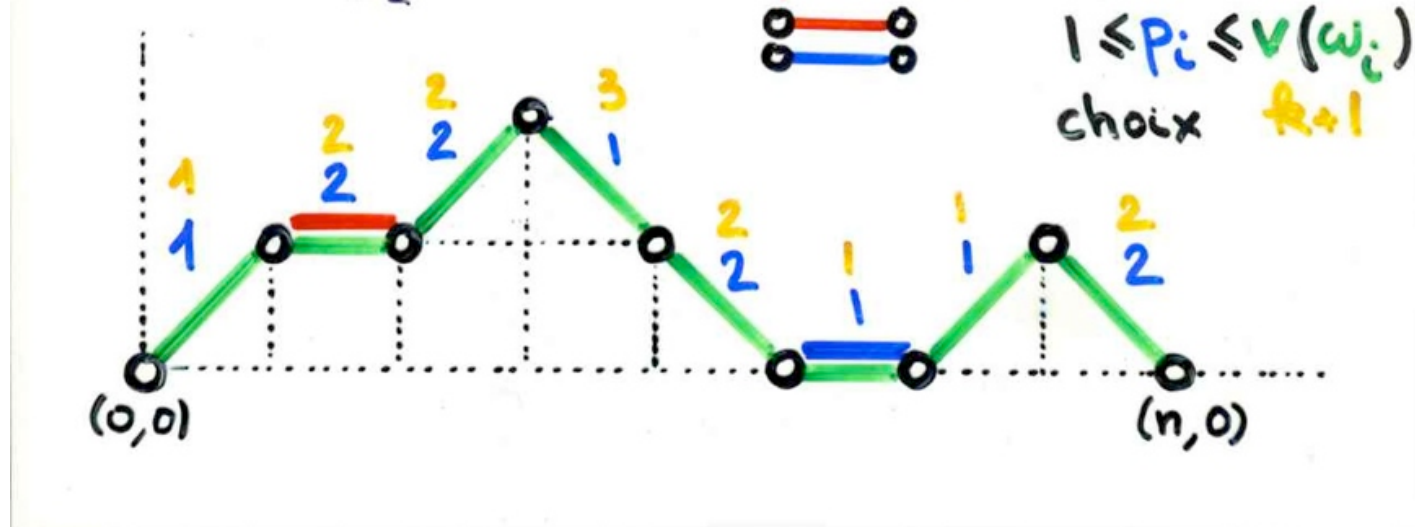
Stirling numbers $S_{n,k}$

$$\sum_{k=1}^n S_{n,k} x^k = x(x+1) \dots (x+n-1)$$

$$xy(x+y)(x+1+y) \dots (x+n-2+y)$$



“q-analogue”
of Laguerre
histories



choices function

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	2	2	1	2	1	1	2
0	1	1	0	1	0	0	1

q-Laguerre : q^4

$\sqcup$ 1 $\sqcup$
 $\sqcup$ 1 $\sqcup$ 2
 $\sqcup$ 1 $\sqcup$ 3 $\sqcup$ 2
4 1 $\sqcup$ 3 $\sqcup$ 2
4 1 $\sqcup$ 3 5 2
4 1 6 $\sqcup$ 3 5 2
4 1 6 $\sqcup$ 7 $\sqcup$ 3 5 2
4 1 6 $\sqcup$ 7 8 3 5 2
4 1 6 9 7 8 3 5 2 = $\in \mathcal{GL}_{n+1}$

q-Laguerre

$$\begin{aligned} & \tilde{L}_n^{\beta}(x; q) \\ & \beta = \alpha + 1 \end{aligned} \quad \left\{ \begin{aligned} b_{k,q}^{(\beta)} &= [k]_q + [k+1; \beta]_q \\ \lambda_{k,q}^{(\beta)} &= [k]_q \cdot [k; \beta]_q \\ [k; \beta]_q &= \beta + q + q^2 + \dots + q^{k-1} \end{aligned} \right.$$

$$\mu_n = \frac{1}{(1-q)^n} \sum_{k=0}^n (-1)^k \left(\binom{2n}{n-k} - \binom{2n}{n-k-2} \right) \left(\sum_{i=0}^k q^{i(k+i)} \right)$$

Cortez, Josuat-Vergès
 Pnellberg, Rubey (2008) y

general PASEP

• Orthogonal polynomials

→ Sasamoto (1999)

→ Blythe, Evans, Colaiori, Essler (2000)

q -Hermite polynomial
 α, β, q $\gamma = \delta = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} D &= \frac{1}{1-q} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-q}} \hat{a} \\ E &= \frac{1}{1-q} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-q}} \hat{a}^+ \\ \hat{a} \hat{a}^+ - q \hat{a}^+ \hat{a} &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

→ Uchiyama, Sasamoto, Wadati (2003)

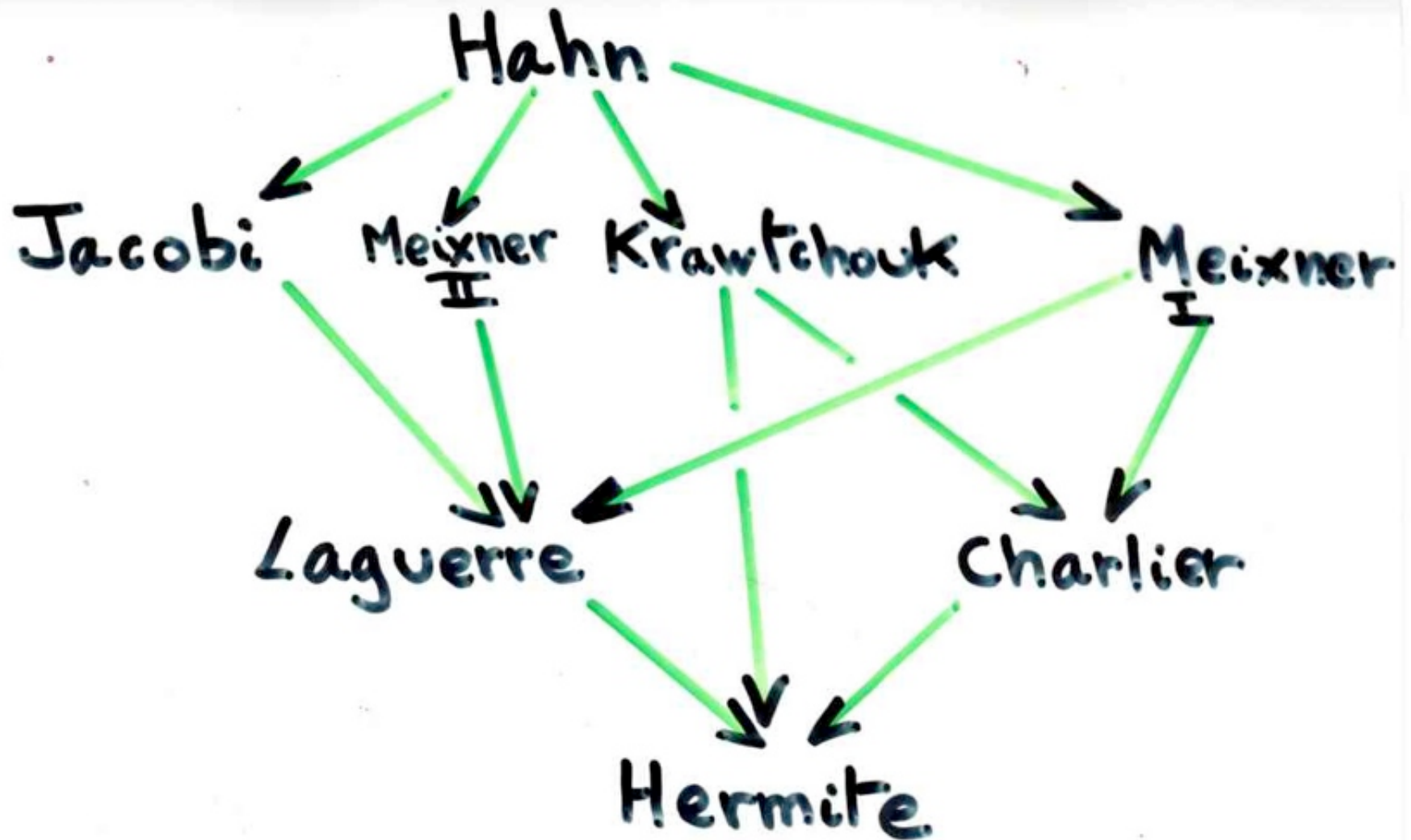
$\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, q$

Askey-Wilson polynomials

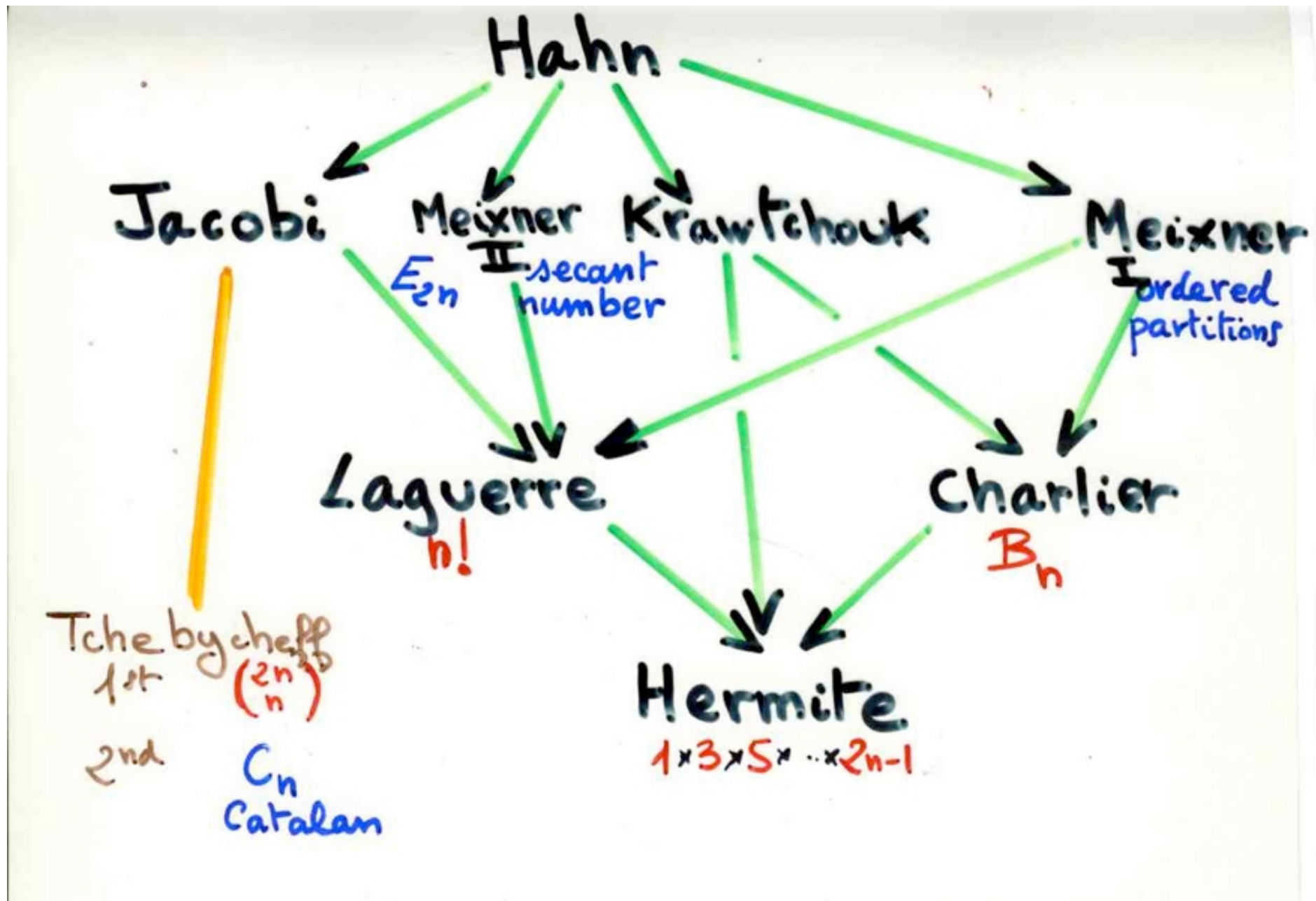
Askey tableau



Askey-Wilson



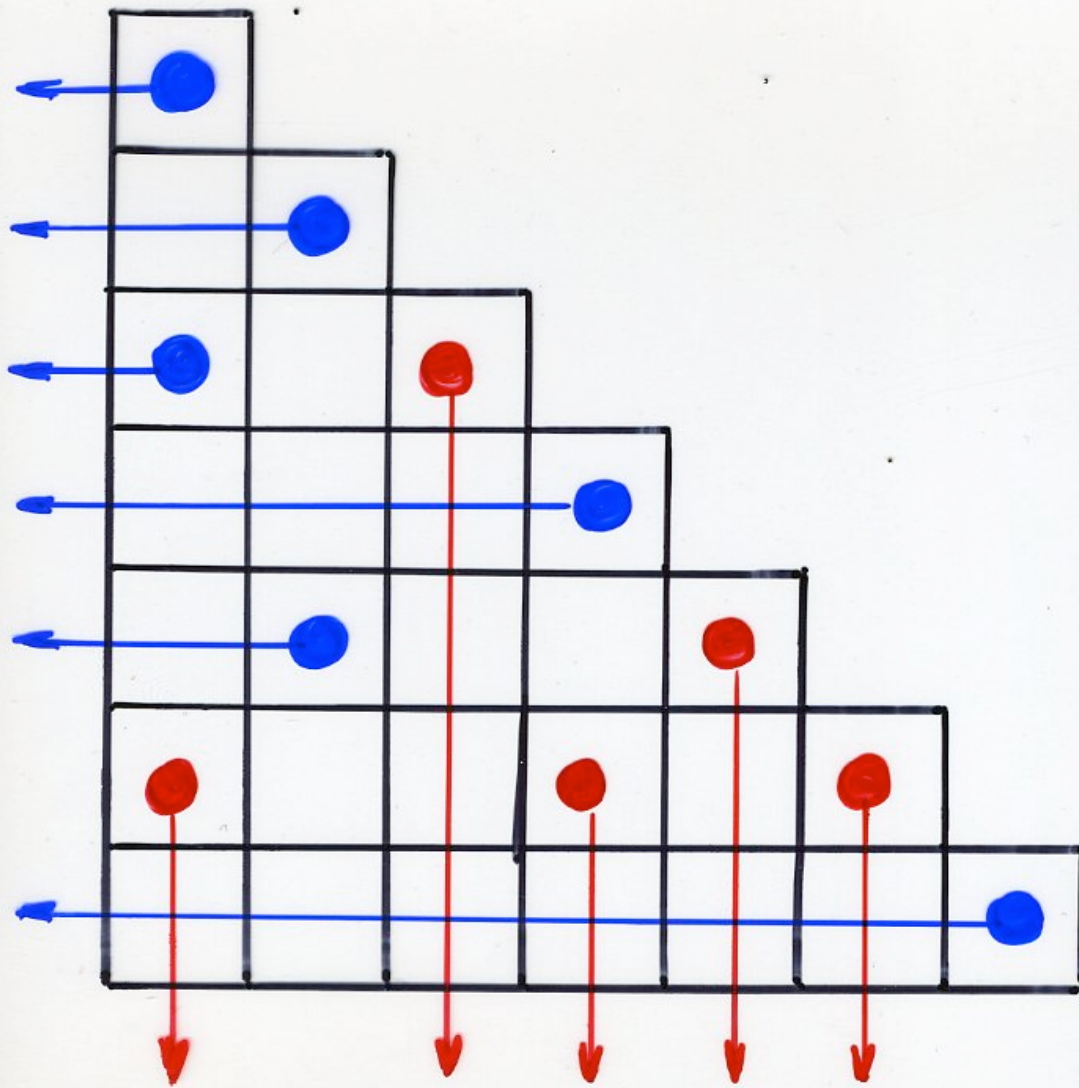
Askey-Wilson

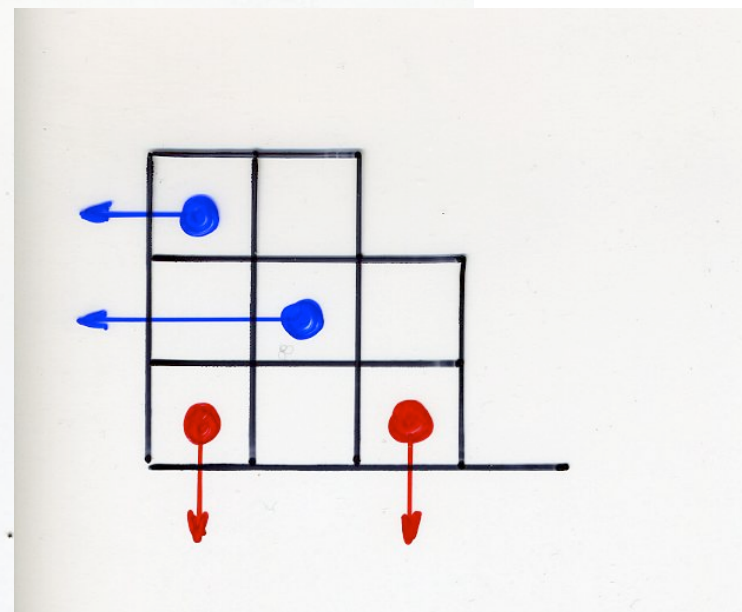
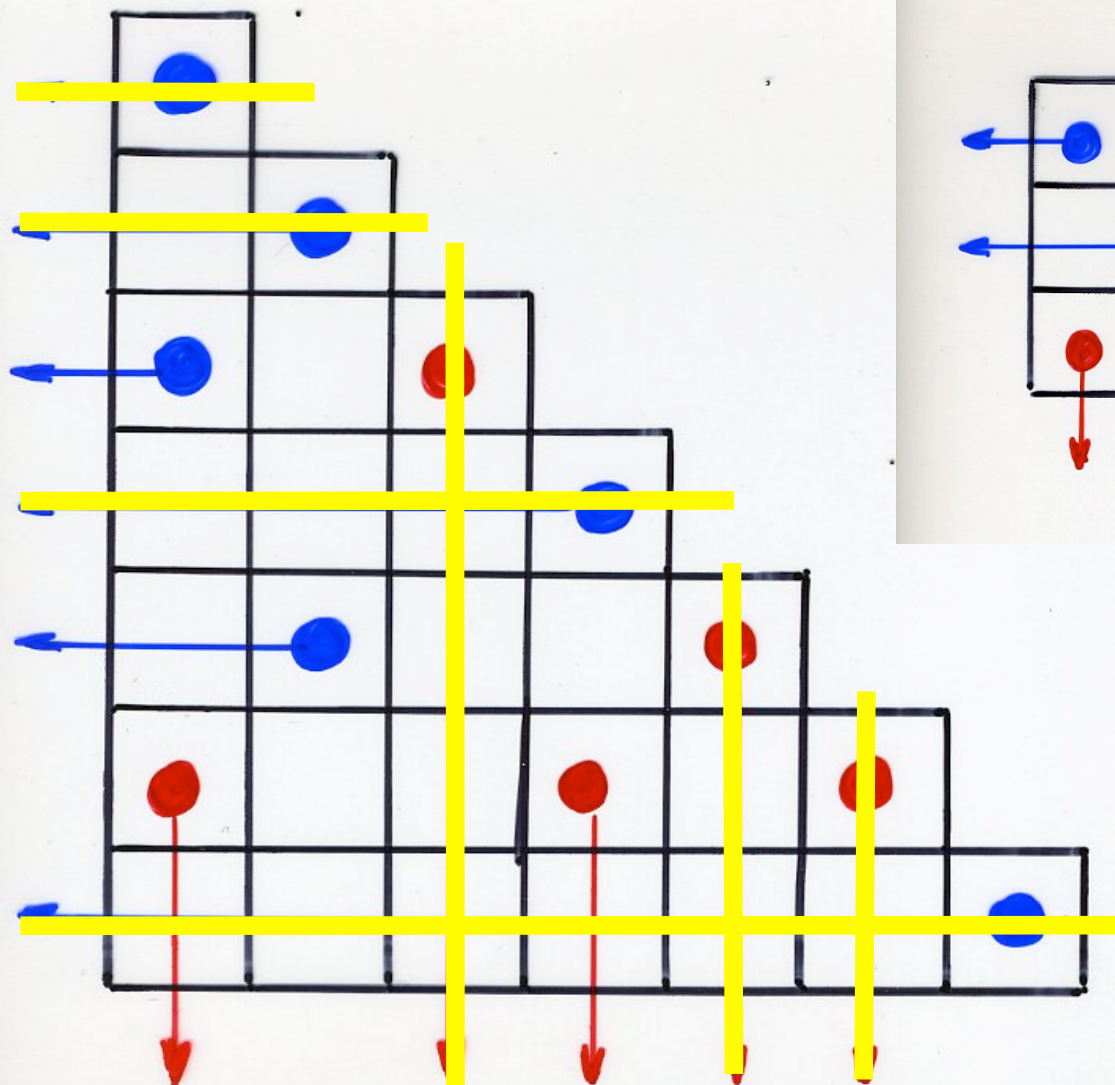


staircase tableaux

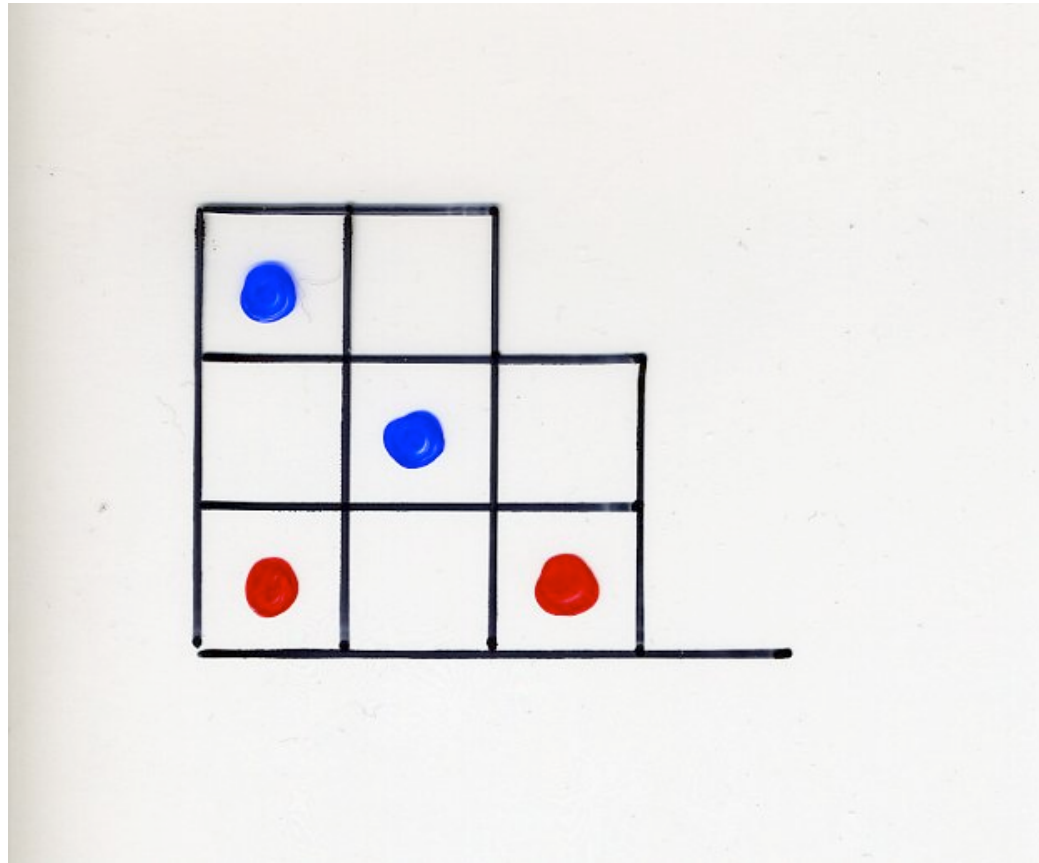
Corteel, Williams, 2009

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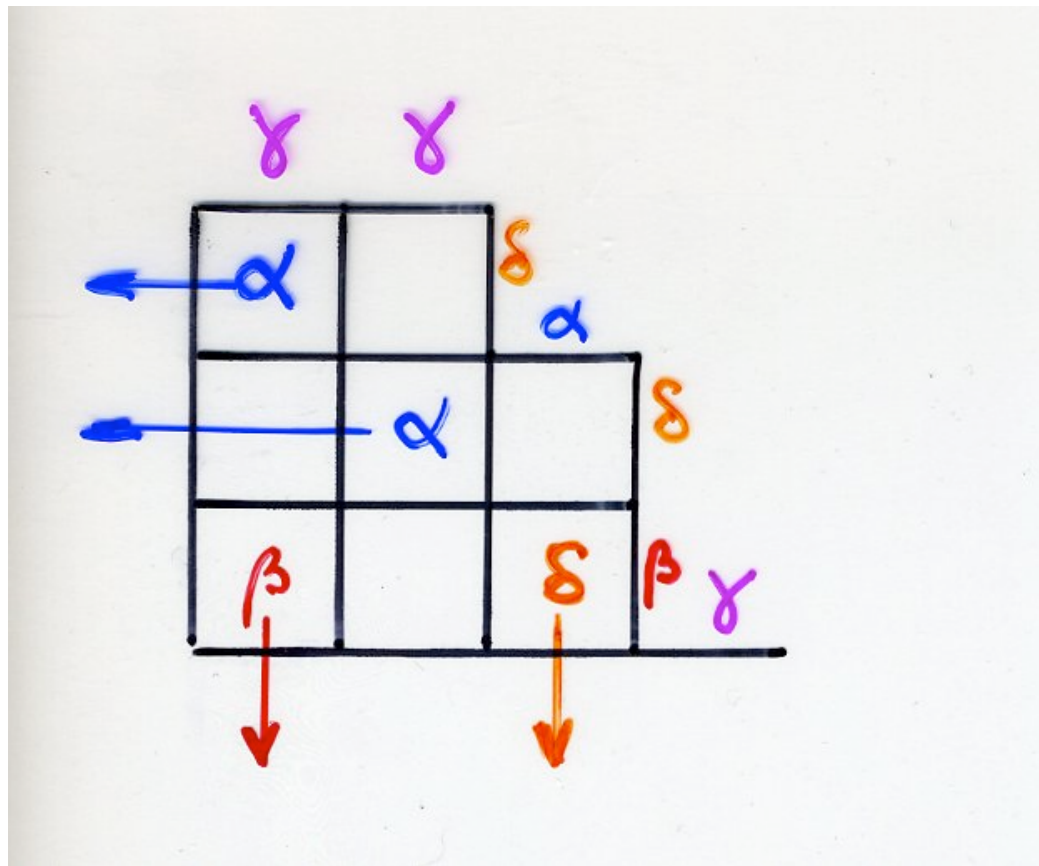




nb of 2-colored
alternative tableaux $= 2^n \cdot n!$



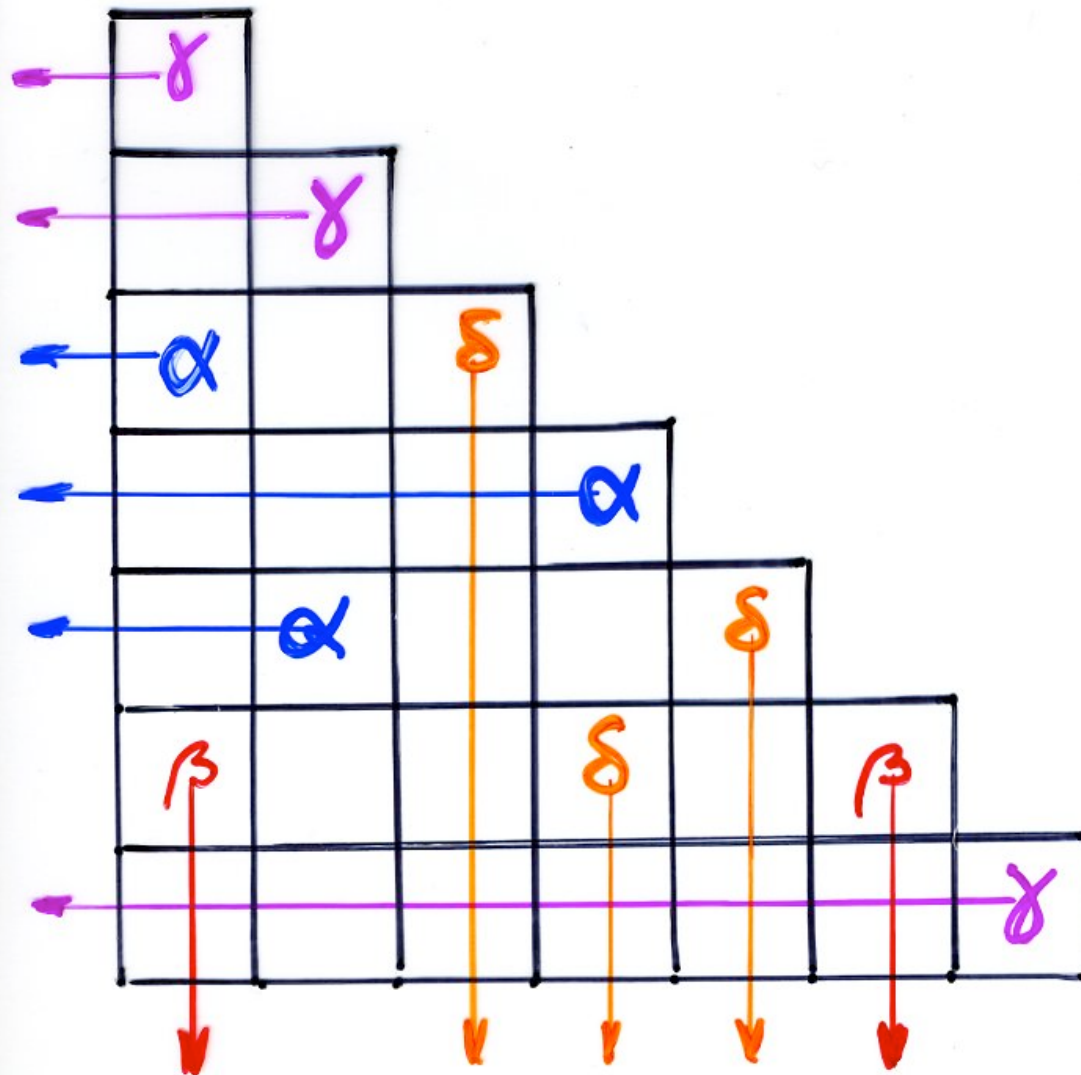
$$\text{nb of 2-colored alternative tableaux} = 2^n \cdot n!$$

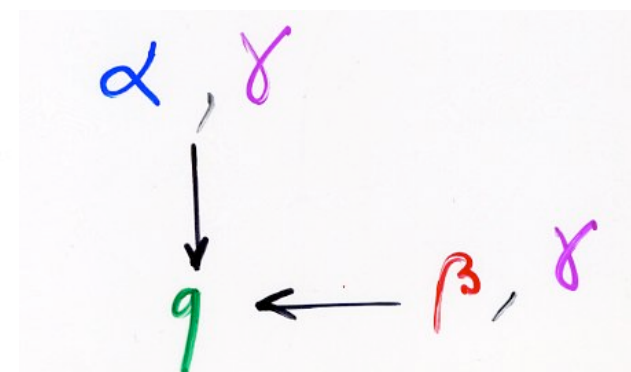
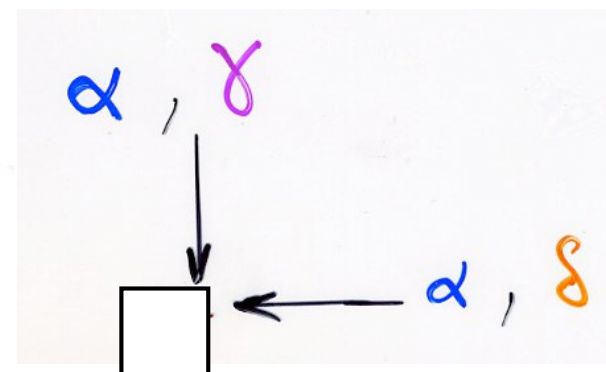
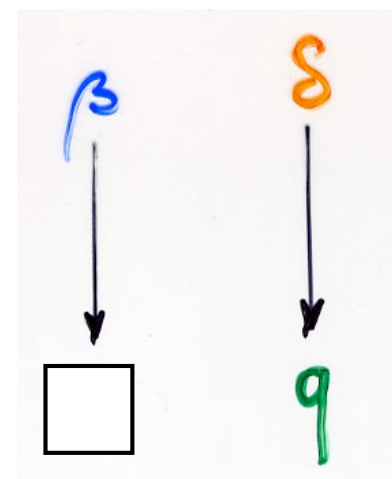
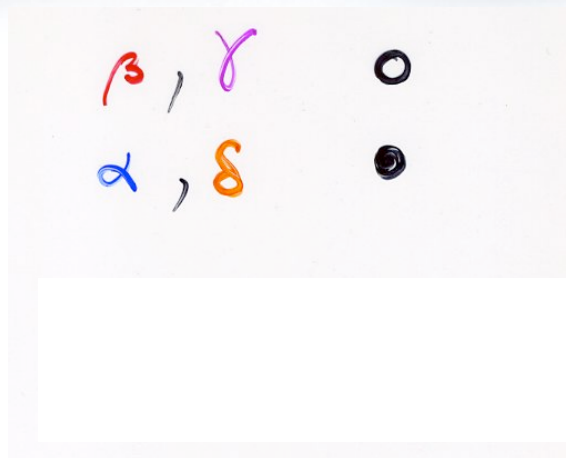
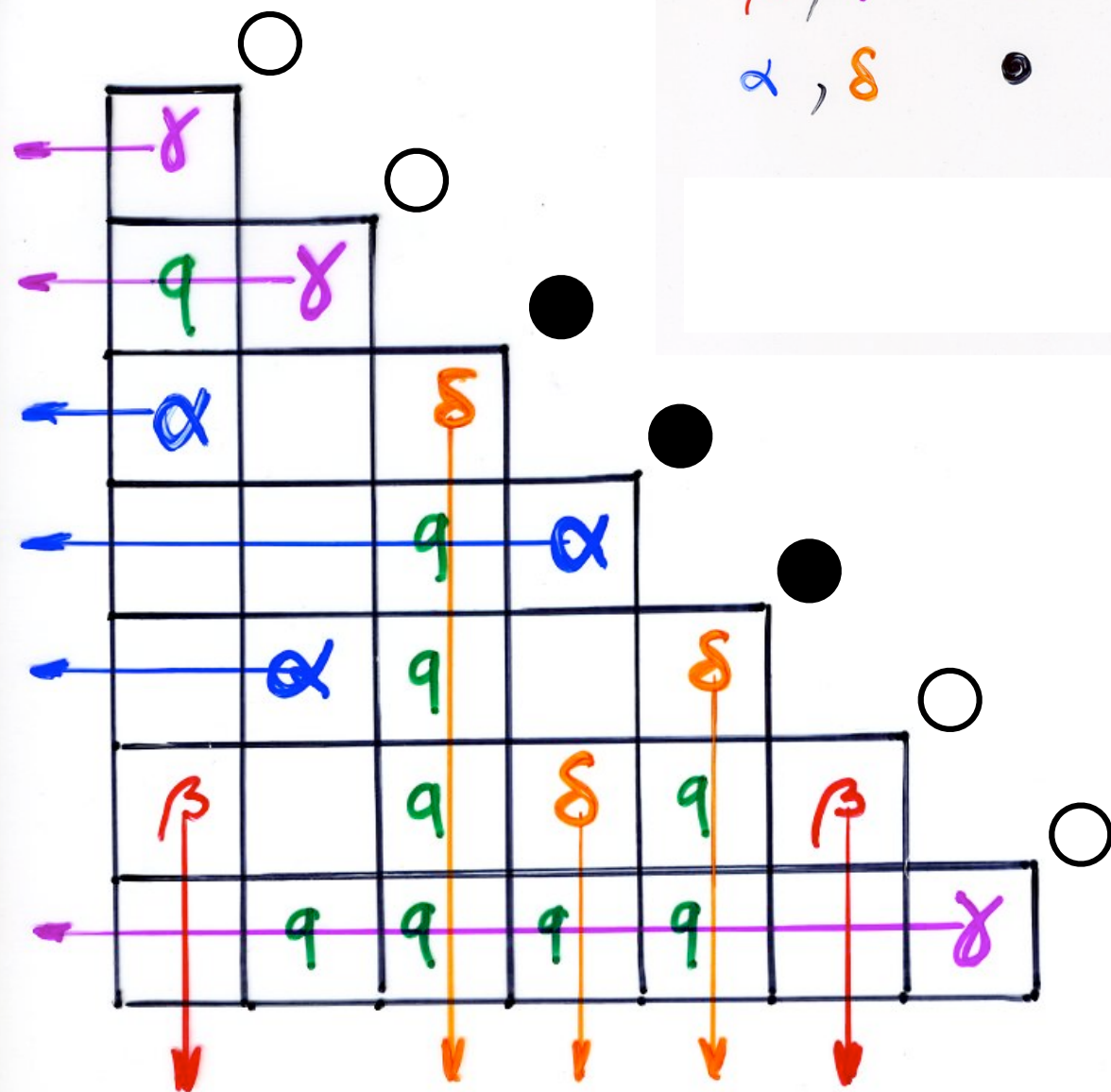


$$\text{nb of staircase tableaux} = 4^n \cdot n!$$

staircase

tableaux





steady state
probability
PASEP

$$\frac{1}{Z_n} Z_{\tau}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta; q)$$

$$Z_n = \sum_{\tau} Z_{\tau}$$

$\tau = (\tau_1, \dots, \tau_n)$
state

relation with moments of Askey-Wilson polynomials

Corteel, Williams, 2009

Corteel, Stanley, Stanton, Williams, 2010

The cellular Ansatz

From quadratic algebra Q
to combinatorial objects (Q -tableaux)
and bijections

"The cellular Ansatz"

Physics

"normal ordering"

$$UD = DU + Id$$

Weyl-Heisenberg

$$DE = qED + E + D$$

PASEP

quadratic algebra Q

commutations
rewriting rules
planarisation

combinatorial
objects
on a 2d lattice

towers placements

permutations

alternative tableaux

Q-tableaux

ex: ASM,

(alternating sign matrices)

FPL(fully packed loops)

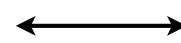
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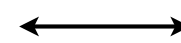
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permutations

Laguerre histories

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data structures
"histories"

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polynomials

Koszul algebras
duality

website Xavier Viennot

main website www.xavierviennot.org

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The combinatorics of some exclusion model in physics

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Thank you!

Genocchi sequence
of a permutation

Def. Genocchi sequence of a permutation

$$\sigma = \sigma(1) \quad \sigma(n)$$

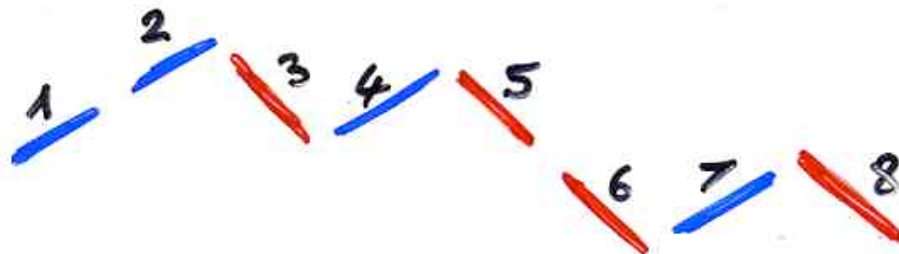
$$G(\sigma) = z_1 \dots z_{n-1}$$

$$z_x = \begin{cases} a & (\text{ascent}) \\ d & (\text{descent}) \end{cases} \quad \begin{matrix} x = \sigma(i) < \sigma(i+1) \\ \text{"value"} \quad \text{"index"} > \sigma(i+1) \end{matrix}$$

$1 \leq x \leq n-1$

convention : $\sigma(n+1) = 0$ ($\sigma(n)$ is a descent)

ex: $\sigma = (8 \text{---} 5 \text{---} 3 \text{---} 2 \text{---} 7 \text{---} 9 \text{---} 1 \text{---} 4 \text{---} 6)$



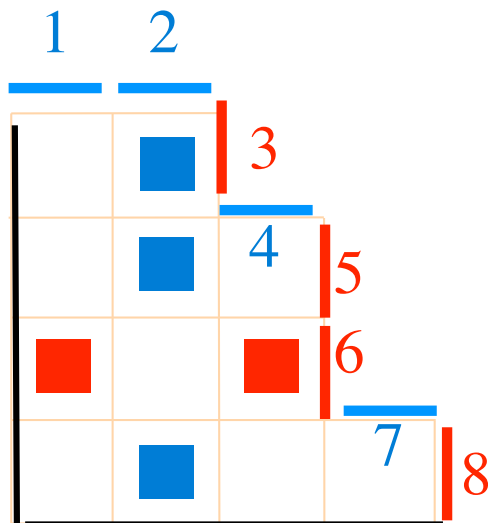
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σ permutation

(valeur) $x \begin{cases} \text{avance} \\ \text{recul} \end{cases}$ ssi (indice) $x \begin{cases} \text{montée} \\ \text{descente} \end{cases}$

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma(x) &< \sigma(x+1) \\ \sigma(x) &> \sigma(x+1) \end{aligned}$$

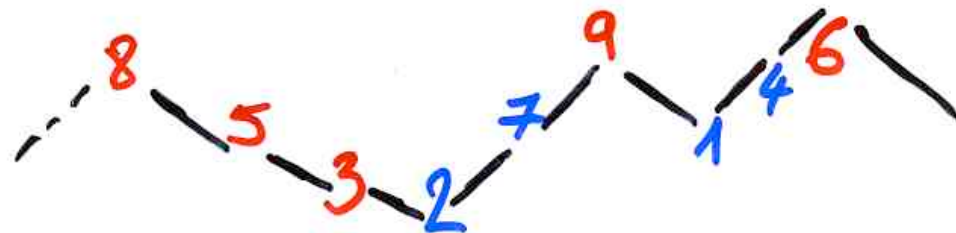
convention : $\sigma(n)$ descente



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$$\sigma = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 & 9 \\ 7 & 4 & 3 & 8 & 2 & 9 & 5 & 1 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\sigma^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 & 9 \\ 8 & 5 & 3 & 2 & 7 & 9 & 1 & 4 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$$



“Genocchi shape” of a permutation

alternating sequence $d a d a d \dots a d a$

Prop. - (Dumont, 1974)

The nb of permutations on $\{1, 2, \dots, 2n\}$
having an alternating Genocchi sequence
is the Genocchi numbers G_{2n+2}

nombres de
Genocchi

$$G_{2n} = 2(2^{2n} - 1) B_{2n}$$

Bernoulli

$$2^{2n} G_{2n+2} = (n+1) T_{2n+1}$$

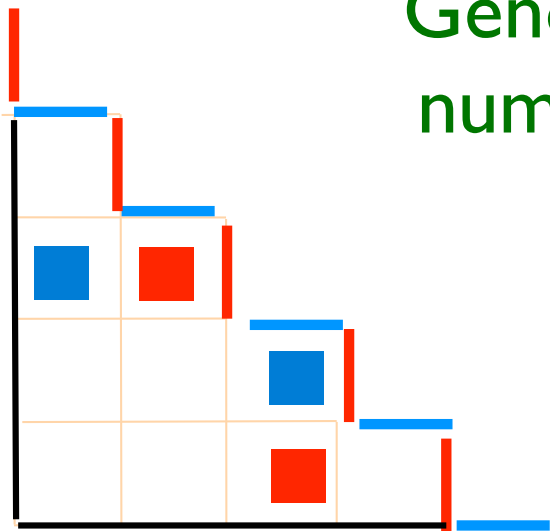
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Genocchi
numbers



alternating shape



Angelo Genocchi
1817 - 1889

Hinc igitur calculo instituto reperietur :

$$A = 1$$

$$B = 1$$

$$C = 3$$

$$D = 17$$

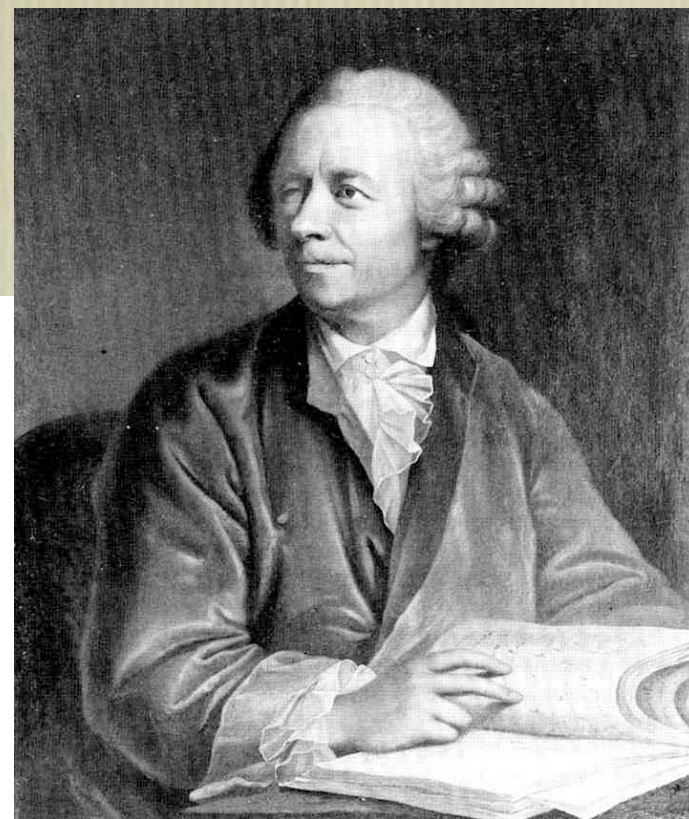
$$E = 155 = 5.31$$

$$F = 2073 = 691.3$$

$$G = 38227 = 7.5461 = 7. \frac{127.129}{3}.$$

$$H = 929569 = 3617.257$$

$$I = 28820619 = 43867.9.73 \quad \&c.$$



BORDEAUX 1. Le professeur Donald Knuth consacre sa vie à la programmation informatique, considérée comme un art. Il vient d'être sacré docteur honoris causa à Bordeaux

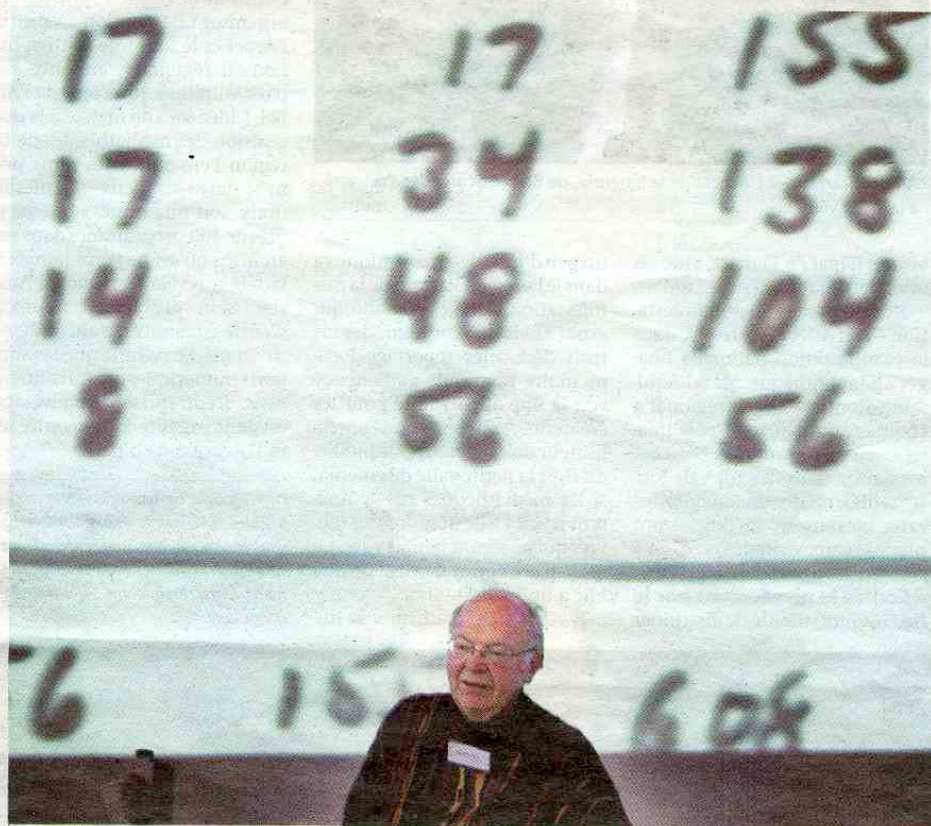
L'ermite de l'informatique

de Bernard Broustet

Une sommité de l'informatique mondiale a séjourné en Gironde ces derniers jours. Donald Knuth, 69 ans, a été sacré mardi docteur honoris causa de l'université Bordeaux 1, après avoir été lundi au centre d'une journée d'échanges qui réunissait une bonne partie du gratin français et européen de la recherche en informatique (1).

Depuis son premier contact, il y a un demi-siècle, avec un monumental et dinosaurien IBM 650, Donald Knuth n'a cessé d'être habité par la passion de l'informatique. Physicien, puis mathématicien de formation, ce géant affable et modeste a voué sa vie à ce qu'il appelle « l'art de la programmation informatique ». Car, à ses yeux, plus qu'une technique, c'est une forme d'activité qui requiert à la fois rigueur, intuition et sens esthétique. Les programmes informatiques réussis ont une sorte de beauté à laquelle même les non-spécialistes peuvent être sensibles.

Une encyclopédie. Au long de sa carrière académique (pour l'essentiel à l'université californienne de Stanford), Donald Knuth a fait preuve d'une grande fécondité, en jouant notamment un rôle essentiel dans le développement de langages toujours utilisés par la communauté des mathématiciens. Mais, à 55 ans, le professeur Knuth a décidé de prendre sa retraite de Stanford. Il trouve que les fonctions administratives sont trop absorbantes pour lui permettre de mener à bien l'œuvre entamée à la fin des années 60 sous le titre de « Art of computer programming », sorte d'encyclopédie de l'algorithmique et de la programmation informati-



Donald Knuth, à Bordeaux, le 29 octobre. À 69 ans, il animait une journée d'échanges avec le gratin européen de la recherche en informatique

PHOTO LAURENT THEILLET

que. Donald Knuth a publié, il y a quelque temps déjà, les trois premiers volumes de cette gigantesque somme, traduite en russe, en japonais, en polonais, etc. mais pas en français. Le quatrième tome est pour bientôt. Et Donald Knuth se dit décidé à poursuivre sa tâche tant qu'il en aura la force. Ses ouvrages, dont les ventes cumulées au fil des ans approchent le million d'exemplaires, visent essentiellement les informaticiens et créateurs de programmes. Une communauté cer-

tes minoritaire à travers le monde, mais qui se trouve investie d'une mission considérable. En quelques décennies, l'écriture informatique a aidé à résoudre d'innombrables problèmes. « Mais il y en a tant d'autres qui attendent des solutions, notamment dans le domaine médical », affirme le professeur émérite de Stanford.

Un chèque de 2,56 dollars. Pour mener à bien sa tâche, Donald Knuth s'est imposé une vie

d'ermite. D'ordinaire, sa journée débute par la bibliothèque ou la piscine. Après quoi, il passe tout le reste de son temps à sa table de travail, dimanche compris. Il n'a plus d'e-mail depuis le début des années 90, considérant que le courrier électronique représente une perte de temps, dès lors qu'on veut aller au fond des choses et non pas rester à leur surface. Une secrétaire lui fait passer les messages considérés comme les plus urgents. Pour le reste, Donald Knuth demande qu'on lui

écrive par courrier ordinaire ou par fax, dont il prend parfois connaissance avec des mois de retard. Il s'oblige, en revanche, à tenir aussi scrupuleusement que possible sa promesse d'envoyer un chèque de 2,56 dollars à tout lecteur ayant détecté une erreur dans un de ses livres. Par ailleurs, pour se détendre, il pratique l'orgue, appris dans sa prime jeunesse auprès de son père qui partagea sa vie entre la musique et l'enseignement.

L'orgue de Sainte-Croix. Donald Knuth n'est pas fermé aux choses de ce monde. Sur son site Internet, à la rubrique « Questions qui ne me sont pas fréquemment posées », il demande entre autres : « Pourquoi mon pays a-t-il le droit d'occuper l'Irak ? », « Pourquoi mon pays ne soutient-il pas une Cour internationale de justice ? » Mais cet homme de conscience ne se veut pas militant, pas plus qu'il n'aspire au vedettariat et à la richesse. « Beaucoup de gens, dit-il, ont tendance à considérer que l'informatique, c'est surtout des histoires de business, d'entreprise. Ce n'est pas mon cas. » Sortant de sa semi-réclusion, Donald Knuth s'est donc laissé convaincre d'accepter les hommages de l'université de Bordeaux, après celles de Harvard, d'Oxford, de Tübingen. Il a eu le coup de foudre pour la beauté et l'agrément de la ville. Et il n'oubliera sans doute pas de sitôt l'orgue illustre de l'église Sainte-Croix (2), sur lequel il a eu le bonheur d'exercer son talent.

(1) Ces journées étaient organisées par le Laboratoire bordelais de recherche en informatique (Labri).

(2) Thierry Semenou, professeur d'orgue au conservatoire de Bordeaux, a joué dans ce domaine un rôle de cicérone auprès de Donald Knuth.