

Combinatorics of the classic groups with Questions

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Remind. The type BC,

$$BC_n = \{\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_{\{\pm 1, \dots, \pm n\}} : \sigma(i) = -\sigma(i)\} = \mathfrak{S}_n \ltimes \{\pm 1\}^n.$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} s_0 : 1 &\leftrightarrow -1, & \text{other fixed} \\ s_i : \pm i &\leftrightarrow \pm(i+1), & \text{other fixed} \end{aligned}$$

We have two notations, mirror notation and \bullet -notation. It acts on polynomial ring $\mathbb{Z}[x_1, \dots, x_n]$ by

$$\sigma x_i = x_{\sigma(i)}, \quad \text{where } x_{-i} = -x_i.$$

The type D

$$D_n = \{\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_{\{\pm 1, \dots, \pm n\}} : \sigma(i) = -\sigma(i), \text{ and even}\} = \mathfrak{S}_n \ltimes \{\pm 1\}^{n-1}.$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} s_0 : \pm 1 &\leftrightarrow \mp 2, & \text{other fixed} \\ s_i : \pm i &\overset{\text{exchange}}{\leftrightarrow} \pm(i+1), & \text{other fixed} \end{aligned}$$

It is convenient to use \bullet -notations. The action is the same as BC_n .

$$\begin{aligned}
A_{n-1} : & \circ_1 \text{---} \circ_2 \text{---} \cdots \text{---} \circ_{n-2} \text{---} \circ_{n-1} \\
B_n : & \circ_0 \text{---} \circ_1 \text{---} \cdots \text{---} \circ_{n-2} \text{---} \circ_{n-1} \\
C_n : & \circ_0 \text{---} \circ_1 \text{---} \cdots \text{---} \circ_{n-2} \text{---} \circ_{n-1} \\
D_n : & \begin{array}{c} 0 \\ \circ \\ \circ_1 \text{---} \circ_2 \text{---} \cdots \text{---} \circ_{n-2} \text{---} \circ_{n-1} \end{array}
\end{aligned}$$

Roots. For A_{n-1} type,

roots	$\{x_i - x_j : i, j = 1, \dots, n\}$
positive roots	$\{x_i = x_j : i < j\}$
simple roots	$\{x_i - x_{i+1} : i = 1, \dots, n-1\}$

$$A_{n-1} : \quad \circ_{x_1-x_2} \text{---} \circ_{x_2-x_3} \text{---} \cdots \text{---} \circ_{x_{n-1}-x_n}$$

For B_n type,

roots	$\{\pm x_i : i = 1, \dots, n\} \cup \{\pm x_i \pm x_j : i, j = 1, \dots, n\}$
positive roots	$\{-x_i : i = 1, \dots, n\} \cup \{x_i \pm x_j : i < j\}$
simple roots	$\{-x_1\} \cup \{x_i - x_{i+1} : i = 1, \dots, n-1\}$

$$B_n : \quad \circ_{-x_1} \text{---} \circ_{x_1-x_2} \text{---} \cdots \text{---} \circ_{x_{n-1}-x_n}$$

For C_n type,

roots	$\{\pm 2x_i : i = 1, \dots, n\} \cup \{x_i - x_j : i, j = 1, \dots, n\}$
positive roots	$\{-2x_i : i = 1, \dots, n\} \cup \{x_i \pm x_j : i < j\}$
simple roots	$\{-2x_1\} \cup \{x_i - x_{i+1} : i = 1, \dots, n-1\}$

$$C_n : \quad \circ_{-2x_i} \text{---} \circ_{x_1-x_2} \text{---} \cdots \text{---} \circ_{x_{n-1}-x_n}$$

For D_n type,

roots	$\{\pm 2x_i : i = 1, \dots, n\} \cup \{x_i - x_j : i, j = 1, \dots, n\}$
positive roots	$\{x_i \pm x_j : i < j\}$
simple roots	$\{-x_1 - x_2\} \cup \{x_i - x_{i+1} : i = 1, \dots, n-1\}$

$$D_n : \begin{array}{c} -x_1-x_2 \\ \circ \\ | \\ \circ \text{---} \circ \text{---} \cdots \text{---} \circ \\ x_1-x_2 \quad x_2-x_3 \quad \quad \quad x_{n-1}-x_n \end{array}$$

There is other notation by $y_i = -x_{n+1-i}$, this will be positive, but it would not be stable.

The alternating sum. Let $X_i = e^{x_i}$, so the action

$$\sigma X_i = X_{\sigma(i)}, \quad \text{where } X_{-i} = -X_i^{-1}.$$

Let $W = BC_n$ or D_n . Let us compute

$$\sum_{w \in W} (-1)^w x^\lambda \quad \sum_{w \in W} (-1)^w X^\lambda$$

where $x^\lambda = x_1^{\lambda_1} \cdots x_n^{\lambda_n}$, and $X^\lambda = X_1^{\lambda_1} \cdots X_n^{\lambda_n}$.

For BC type

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{w \in W} (-1)^w \cdot x^\lambda \\ &= \sum_{\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_n} \sum_{|w|=\sigma} (-1)^w x^\lambda \quad | \cdot | = \text{forgetting } \bullet\text{'s} \\ &= \sum_{\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_n} (-1)^\sigma \sum_{\text{independent } \pm\text{'s}} (-1)^{\#\{\pm=-\}} \prod_{i=1}^n (\pm x_{\sigma(i)})^{\lambda_i} \\ & \quad \because \#\{\bullet\} + |w| \equiv \ell(w) \pmod{2} \\ &= \sum_{\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_n} (-1)^\sigma \sum_{\text{independent } \pm\text{'s}} \prod_{i=1}^n \pm (\pm x_{\sigma(i)})^{\lambda_i} \\ &= \sum_{\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_n} (-1)^\sigma (x_{\sigma(1)}^{\lambda_1} - (-x_{\sigma(1)})^{\lambda_1}) \cdots (x_{\sigma(n)}^{\lambda_n} - (-x_{\sigma(n)})^{\lambda_n}) \\ &= \sum_{\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_n} (-1)^\sigma \prod_i (x_{\sigma(i)}^{\lambda_i} - x_{\sigma(i)}^{-\lambda_i}) \\ &= \det(x_i^{\lambda_j} - (-x_i)^{\lambda_j}). \end{aligned}$$

Remark 1. If some $\lambda_i \in 2\mathbb{Z}$, then it is zero. This is reasonable, since it is already symmetric under $x_i \leftrightarrow -x_i$.

Remark 2. If all $\lambda_i \in 2\mathbb{Z} + 1$, then

$$\sum_{w \in W} (-1)^w \cdot x^\lambda = 2^n \det(x_i^{\lambda_j}).$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{w \in W} (-1)^w X^\lambda \\
&= \sum_{\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_k} (-1)^\sigma \sum_{\text{independent } \pm\text{'s}} (-1)^{\#\{\pm=-\}} \prod X_{\sigma(i)}^{\pm \lambda_i} \\
&= \sum_{\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_k} (-1)^\sigma \sum_{\text{independent } \pm\text{'s}} \prod (\pm X_{\sigma(i)}^{\pm \lambda_i}) \\
&= \sum_{\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_k} (-1)^\sigma \prod_i (X_{\sigma(i)}^{\lambda_i} - X_{\sigma(i)}^{-\lambda_i}) \\
&= \det(X_i^{\lambda_j} - X_i^{-\lambda_j}).
\end{aligned}$$

Or write

$$\sum_{w \in W} (-1)^w X^\lambda = 2^n \det(\sinh \lambda_j x_i).$$

For D type, note that

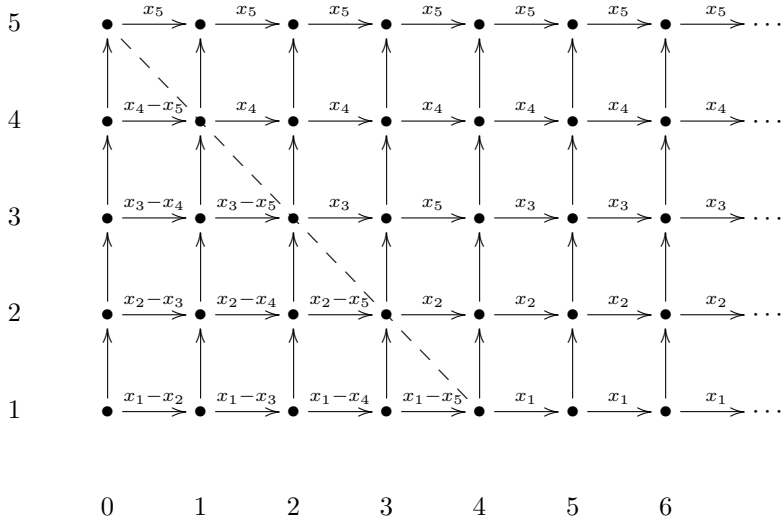
$$\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{w \in W} (-1)^w x^\lambda \\
&= \sum_{\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_k} (-1)^\sigma \sum_{\text{even } \pm = -} (\pm x_{\sigma(1)}^{\lambda_1}) \cdots (\pm x_{\sigma(n)}^{\pm \lambda_n}) \\
& \quad \quad \quad \cdot \ell(w) \equiv \ell(|w|) \pmod{2} \\
&= \sum_{\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_k} (-1)^\sigma \sum_{\text{even } \pm = -} (\pm (\pm x_{\sigma(1)}^{\lambda_1}) \cdots (\pm (\pm x_{\sigma(n)}^{\pm \lambda_n})) \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_k} (-1)^\sigma \sum_{\pm} (\pm x_{\sigma(1)}^{\lambda_1}) \cdots (\pm x_{\sigma(n)}^{\pm \lambda_n}) \\
& \quad + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_k} (-1)^\sigma \sum_{\pm} (\pm (\pm x_{\sigma(1)}^{\lambda_1}) \cdots (\pm (\pm x_{\sigma(n)}^{\pm \lambda_n})) \\
&= \frac{1}{2} (\det(x_i^{\lambda_j} + (-x_i)^{\lambda_j}) + \det(x_i^{\lambda_j} - (-x_i)^{\lambda_j})).
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{w \in W} (-1)^w X^\lambda = \sum_{w \in W} (-1)^w e^{\lambda \cdot x} \\
&= \sum_{\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_k} \sum_{|w|=\sigma} e^{\lambda \cdot wx} \\
&= \sum_{\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_k} (-1)^\sigma \sum_{\text{even } \pm = -} (X_{\sigma(1)}^{\pm \lambda_1}) \cdots (X_{\sigma(n)}^{\pm \lambda_n}) \\
&= \sum_{\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_k} (-1)^\sigma \sum_{\text{even } \pm = -} (\pm X_{\sigma(1)}^{\pm \lambda_1}) \cdots (\pm X_{\sigma(n)}^{\pm \lambda_n}) \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_k} (-1)^\sigma \sum_{\pm} (X_{\sigma(1)}^{\pm \lambda_1}) \cdots (X_{\sigma(n)}^{\pm \lambda_n}) \\
&\quad + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_k} (-1)^\sigma \sum_{\pm} (\pm X_{\sigma(1)}^{\pm \lambda_1}) \cdots (\pm X_{\sigma(n)}^{\pm \lambda_n}) \\
&= \frac{1}{2} (\det(X_i^{\lambda_j} + X_i^{-\lambda_j}) + \det(X_i^{\lambda_j} - X_i^{-\lambda_j})).
\end{aligned}$$

1 Characters

Nonintersecting Paths (A type). The main technique is the Lindström–Gessel–Viennot Lemma See this survey.

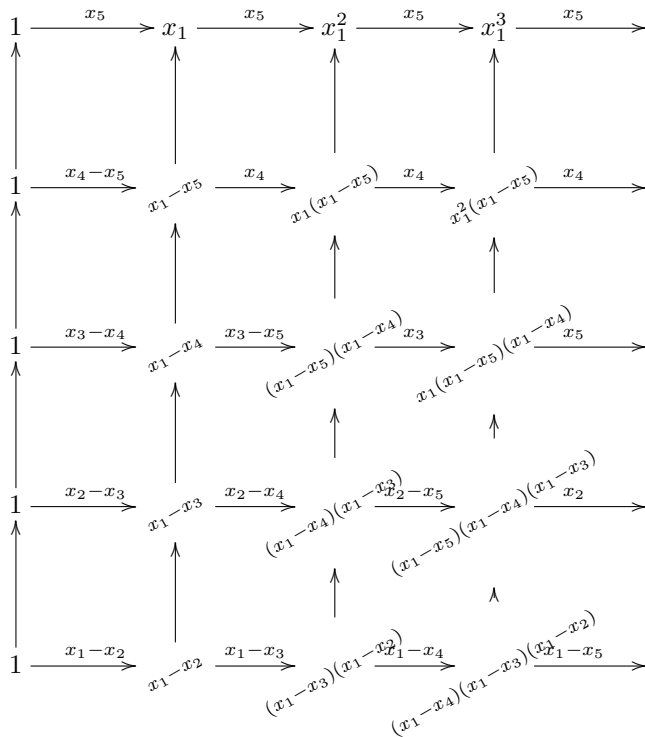
For A type, this takes from my previous work.



$$\sum \text{weights of all paths } (0, k) \rightarrow (N, n) = x_k^N.$$

Question I mentioned the relation of Newton interpolation with this grid. Can we say more?

For example



The key induction process is

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 \cdots & \longrightarrow & (z)_{n+1}^{N-1} & \xrightarrow{x_n - x_{n+N-1}} & (z)_{n+1}^N \\
 & & \uparrow & & \uparrow \\
 \cdots & \longrightarrow & (z)_n^{N-1} & \xrightarrow{x_{n-1} - x_{n+N}} & (z)_n^N \\
 & & \uparrow & & \uparrow \\
 & & \vdots & & \vdots
 \end{array}$$

Define

$$(z)_n^N = (z - x_n) \cdots (z - x_{n+N-1})$$

We take $0 = x_{n+1} = x_{n+2} = \cdots$. Note that $(z)_n^N = (z - x_n)(z)_{n+1}^{N-1}$, so

$$(z)_n^N + (x_n - x_{n+N-1})(z)_{n+1}^{N-1} = (z)_{n+1}^N$$

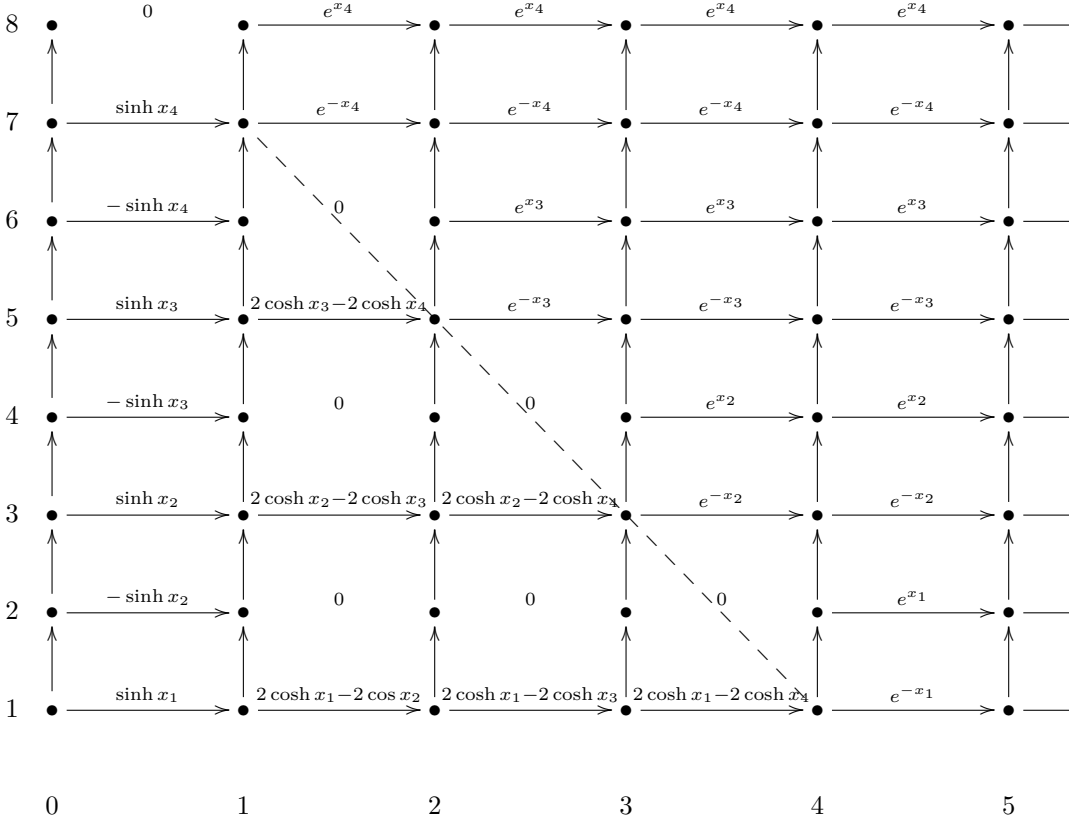
The right hand side.

This can also be used to get the factorial/equivariant Schur polynomials.

Nonintersecting Paths (BC type). Denote $\sinh x = \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{2}$, and $\cosh x = \frac{e^x + e^{-x}}{2}$. I created a grid such that

$$\sinh(Nx_k) = \sum \text{weights of all paths } (0, 2k-1) \rightarrow (N, 2n).$$

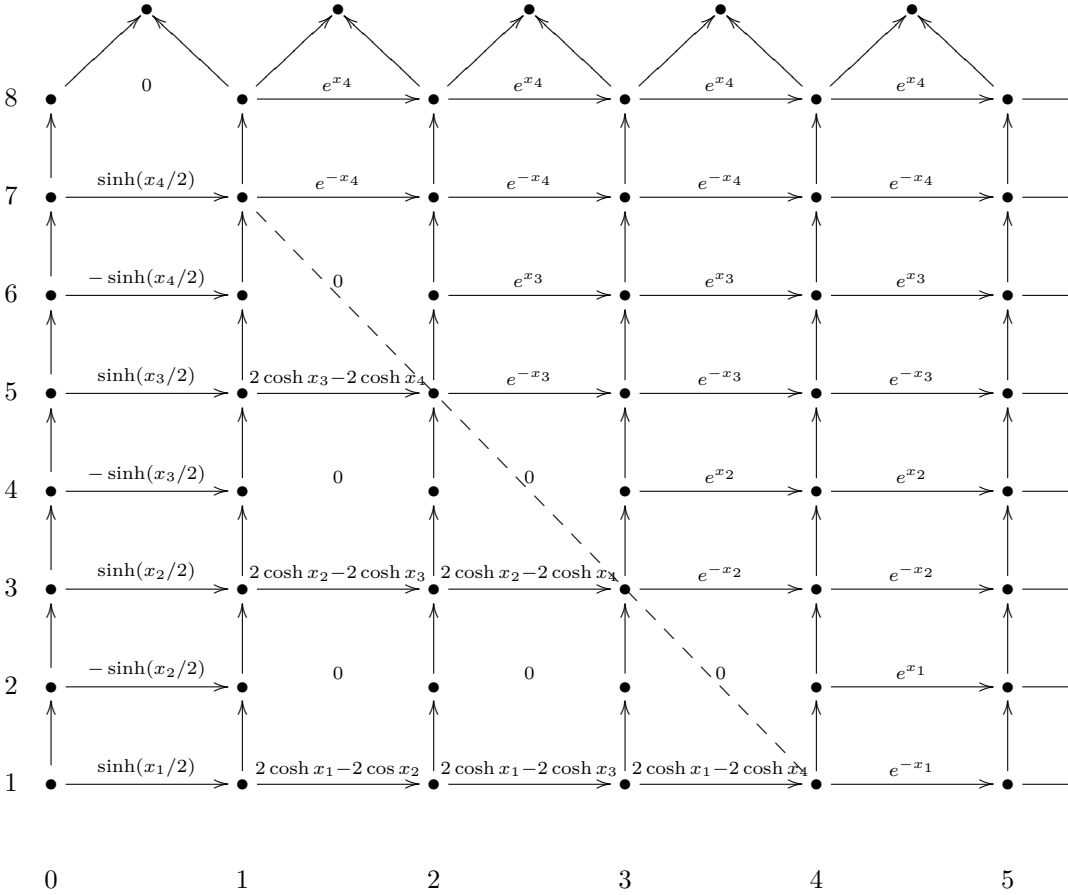
$$0 = \sum \text{weights of all paths } (0, 2k) \rightarrow (N, 2n).$$



I do not know how to prove it, but it is true (I spent one day to create it).

Question How to prove it?

I create the grid as the following



This gives $\sinh(N + \frac{1}{2})x$. Since

$$\begin{aligned}\sinh Nx + \sinh(N+1)x &= 2 \cosh \frac{x}{2} \sinh(N + \frac{1}{2})x \\ \sinh x &= 2 \cosh \frac{x}{2} \sinh \frac{x}{2}\end{aligned}$$

Question Do we have any analogy for cosh?

Tableaux (A type). In A type, the half sum of positive roots (to suit GL_n) is

$$\rho = (n-1, n-2, \dots, 1, 0)$$

The Weyl character formula

$$\chi(L(\lambda)) = \frac{\sum (-1)^w w X^{\lambda+\rho}}{\sum (-1)^w w X^\rho} = \frac{\det(X_i^{\lambda_j+n-j})}{\prod_{i<j} (X_i - X_j)}$$

here $X_i = e^{x_i}$.

So,

For A type (Littlewood).

$$1 < 2 < 3 < \dots < n$$

(1) entries weakly increase across rows from left to right;

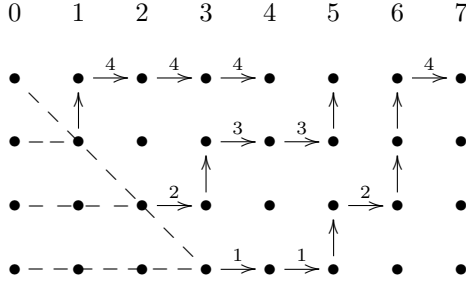
(2) entries strickly increase down columns from top to bottom.

1	1	2	4
2	3	3	
4	4	4	

$$n = 4$$

$$\lambda = (4, 3, 3, 0)$$

$$\lambda + \rho = (7, 5, 4, 0)$$



Tableaux (C type). C type is relatively easier.

$$\rho = (n, n-1, \dots, 1)$$

The Weyl character formula

$$\chi(L(\lambda)) = \frac{\sum (-1)^w w X^{\lambda+\rho}}{\sum (-1)^w w X^\rho} = \frac{\det(\sinh(\lambda_j + n + 1 - j)x_i)}{\prod_{i<j} (\cosh x_i - \cosh x_j) \prod_i \sinh x_i}$$

For C type (King).

$$1 < \bar{1} < 2 < \bar{2} < \cdots < n < \bar{n}$$

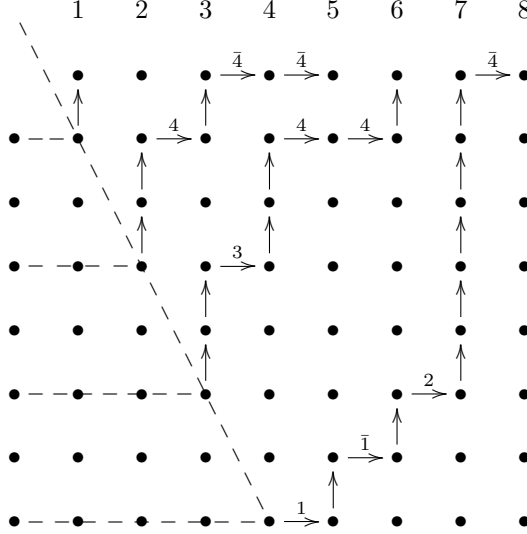
- (1) entries weakly increase across rows from left to right;
- (2) entries strickly increase down columns from top to bottom;
- (3) neither k nor \bar{k} appear lower than the k -th row.

1	$\bar{1}$	2	$\bar{4}$
$\bar{3}$	4	4	
4	4	4	

$$n = 4$$

$$\lambda = (4, 3, 3, 0)$$

$$\lambda + \rho = (8, 6, 5, 1)$$



Tableaux (B type). In B type, we have to have $1/2$. $\rho = (k - \frac{1}{2}, k - \frac{1}{2} - 1, \dots, \frac{1}{2})$. In this case, $\lambda_i \in \frac{1}{2}\mathbb{Z}$ also makes sense (the spinor representations), but we omit.

The Weyl character formula

$$\chi(L(\lambda)) = \frac{\sum (-1)^w w X^{\lambda+\rho}}{\sum (-1)^w w X^\rho} = \frac{\det(\sinh(\lambda_j + n + \frac{1}{2} - j)x_i)}{\prod_{i < j} (\cosh x_i - \cosh x_j) \prod_i \sinh(x_i/2)}$$

For B type (Sundaram).

$$1 < \bar{1} < 2 < \bar{2} < \dots < n < \bar{n} < 0$$

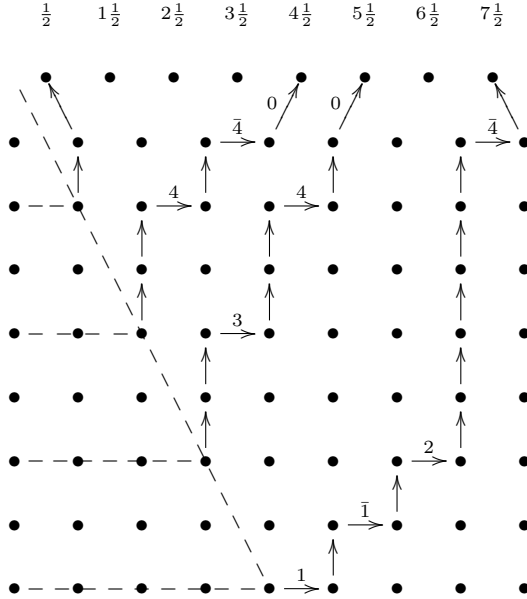
- (1) entries weakly increase across rows from left to right;
- (2) entries strickly increase down columns from top to bottom;
- (3) neither k nor \bar{k} appear lower than the k -th row;
- (4) in any row 0 appears at most once.

1	$\bar{1}$	2	$\bar{4}$
3	4	0	
4	4	0	

$$n = 4$$

$$\lambda = (4, 3, 3, 0)$$

$$\lambda + \rho = (7\frac{1}{2}, 5\frac{1}{2}, 4\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2})$$



In any case

$$\chi(L(\lambda)) = \sum_{\text{tableaux } T} X^T$$

$1, \dots, n$	e^{x_1}, \dots, e^{x_n}
$\bar{1}, \dots, \bar{n}$	$e^{-x_1}, \dots, e^{-x_n}$
0	1

where $X_i = e^{x_i}$ as usual.

Type D. In type D, we have $\rho = (n-1, \dots, 1, 0)$.

$$\chi(L(\lambda)) = \frac{\det(\cosh(\lambda_j + n - j)X_i) + \det(\sinh(\lambda_j + n - j)X_i)}{\prod_{i < j} (\cosh x_i - \cosh x_j)}.$$

Question Can one create a model for type D? (well, firstly, let us also think about cosh, it is relative).

Question Is there RSK algorithm, or LR description of the decomposition of product of them?

Question This is also a description of O_{2n} , which is harder than D ($= SO_{2n}$).

Question What is the Littelmann path model?

References:

<https://arxiv.org/pdf/1607.06982.pdf>;

<https://arxiv.org/pdf/1710.00638.pdf>.

A more general question.

Question Note that all the grid I created above (well, half of each of them is created by me) has the following property that there is a set of polynomials $\{f_n(x)\}$ (in one variable) and point $\{q_n\}$; with a set of variables $\{x_k\}$ and points $\{p_k\}$ such that

$$f_n(x_k) = \sum \text{weights of all paths } p_k \rightarrow q_n.$$

It should not very easy to create.

Maybe one can try more classic polynomials. For example, the second Chebyshev polynomial is what I created for BC type.

2 Schubert Polynomials

We should concern on the cohomology of $H_T^*(G/B)$. On the contrast of A type, the Grothendieck polynomials are less relative to Schubert polynomials in general.

I would like to say that the classic type should admit a stable choice, but I never see “infinite isotropic/symplectic flags”.

Schubert Polynomials (Type A). Define the Schubert polynomial for $w \in \mathfrak{S}_\infty$

$$\mathfrak{S}_w(x, t) \in \mathbb{Z}[x_1, \dots, t_1, \dots]$$

with the following properties

$$\begin{cases} \mathfrak{S}_w(x, ux) = 0 & \text{whenever } u < w \\ \partial_i \mathfrak{S}_w(x, t) = \begin{cases} \mathfrak{S}_{ws_i}(x, t), & \ell(ws_i) = \ell(w) - 1, \\ 0, & \ell(ws_i) = \ell(w) + 1. \end{cases} \\ \mathfrak{S}_{\text{id}}(x, t) = 1 \end{cases}$$

Here the Demazure operator

$$\partial_i f(x, y) = \frac{f(x, y) - f(s_i x, y)}{x_i - x_{i+1}}.$$

This uniquely determine $\mathfrak{S}_w(x, y)$ by the Atiyah–Borel localization theorem.

Note that ∂_i satisfies the braid relation, so we can define the Nil-Hecke algebra NH. So that ∂_w makes sense for $w \in \mathfrak{S}_\infty$.

It is easy to see that

$$\partial_{w_0^n} f = \frac{\sum_{w \in \mathfrak{S}_n} (-1)^w f}{\prod_{i < j} (x_i - x_j)}.$$

Some basic example

$$\begin{aligned} \mathfrak{S}_{s_i} &= x_1 + \dots + x_i - (t_1 + \dots + t_i), \\ \mathfrak{S}_{w_0^n} &= \prod_{i+j \leq n} (x_i - t_j). \end{aligned}$$

where w_0 is the longest word in \mathfrak{S}_n . If w is a Grassmannian permutation (that is, a shuffle), then it is a Schur polynomial.

Remark. I would like to say that the Schur polynomials appear both in representation theory and geometry is a coincidence that $BGL_n = Gr(n, \infty)$ and $x \mapsto e^x$ is \mathfrak{S}_n -equivariant.

Pipe Dreams (Type A). The coefficient of ∂_w of

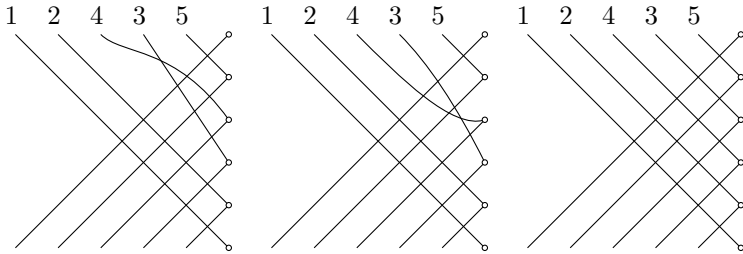
$$\mathfrak{S}(x, y) = \begin{array}{ccc} (1 + (x_1 - y_{n-1})\partial_{n-1}) & \cdots & (1 + (x_1 - y_1)\partial_1) \\ & \ddots & \vdots \\ & & (1 + (x_{n-1} - y_1)\partial_{n-1}) \end{array}$$

is the double Schubert polynomial $\mathfrak{S}_w(x, y)$. Here ∂_i commutes with all x_i 's and y_i 's. See this and this.

The key to prove this is the Yang–Baxter equation, for $h_i(x) = 1 + x\partial_i$

$$\begin{array}{cc|l} \begin{array}{c} \text{Diagram 1: Three lines intersecting at a point. The top-left angle is labeled } x, \text{ the bottom-left angle is labeled } y, \text{ and the bottom-right angle is labeled } x+y. \end{array} & \begin{array}{c} \text{Diagram 2: Three lines intersecting at a point. The top-left angle is labeled } x+y, \text{ the bottom-left angle is labeled } y, \text{ and the bottom-right angle is labeled } x. \end{array} & \left\{ \begin{array}{l} h_i(x)h_j(y) = h_j(y)h_i(x) \\ |i - j| \geq 2 \\ h_i(x)h_{i+1}(x+y)h_i(y) \\ = h_{i+1}(y)h_i(x+y)h_{i+1}(x). \end{array} \right. \\ \begin{array}{c} \text{Diagram 3: Three lines intersecting at a point. The top-left angle is labeled } x, \text{ the bottom-right angle is labeled } y, \text{ and the bottom-left angle is labeled } x+y. \end{array} & \begin{array}{c} \text{Diagram 4: Three lines intersecting at a point. The top-left angle is labeled } x+y, \text{ the bottom-right angle is labeled } y, \text{ and the bottom-left angle is labeled } x. \end{array} & h_i(x)h_i(y) = h_i(x+y) \end{array}$$

So

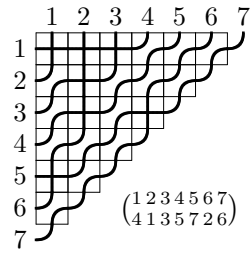


Show that

$$\mathfrak{S}(x, y) \partial_i = \frac{\mathfrak{S}(x, y) - \mathfrak{S}(s_i x, y)}{x_i - x_{i+1}}.$$

Pipe dream is to fill \square by $+$ or \curvearrowright , such that no pair of pipes crossing more than twice.

$$j \cdots \begin{array}{c} i \\ \vdots \\ \square \end{array} = x_i - y_j \quad j \cdots \begin{array}{c} i \\ \vdots \\ \curvearrowright \end{array} = 1$$



Generalized Schubert Polynomials. In the case of BC type, we have one more reflection s_0 . Define

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_i f(x, t) &= \frac{f(x, t) - f(s_0 x, t)}{f(x_1, x_2, \dots, t_1, \dots) - f(-x_1, x_2, \dots, t_1, \dots)} \\ &= \begin{cases} \frac{\alpha_0}{-x_1} & \text{For type B} \\ \frac{f(x_1, x_2, \dots, t_1, \dots) - f(-x_1, x_2, \dots, t_1, \dots)}{-2x_1} & \text{For type C} \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

The $-$ looks weird, maybe $-x_1 = 0 - x_1$ would help understand.

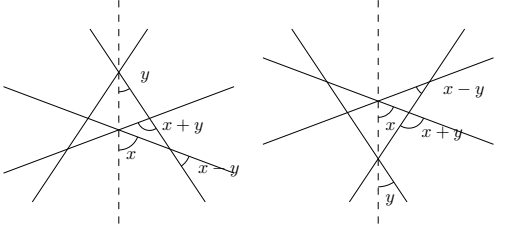
Remark. In standard book of Lie algebras, the standard notation of x_i is x_{n-i+1} here. PS: The standard notation is a bad notation, it is not stable.

Then ∂_i 's also satisfy the braid relations (for its Coxeter datum).
So ∂_w makes sense for BC_∞ .

It is easy to see that

$$\partial_{w_0^n} f = \begin{cases} \frac{\sum_{w \in BC_n} (-1)^w f}{\prod_{i < j} (x_i^2 - x_j^2) \prod_i (-x_i)} & \text{For type B} \\ \frac{\sum_{w \in BC_n} (-1)^w f}{\prod_{i < j} (x_i^2 - x_j^2) \prod_i (-2x_i)} & \text{For type C} \end{cases}$$

Denote $h_i(x) = 1 + x\partial_i$. Then we have



$$h_0(y)h_1(x+y)h_0(x)h_1(x-y) = h_1(x-y)h_0(x)h_1(x+y)h_0(y)$$

See this.

Define the Schubert polynomials for $w \in BC_\infty$, for type X

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with the following properties

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Actually, $\mathfrak{S}_w^X(x, wx) = \delta_{w=\text{id}}$ characterize them.

In type B the coefficients are not always integers. In type C it is always integers, and

$$\mathfrak{S}_w^B(x, y) = 2^{-\#\bullet} \mathfrak{S}_w^C(x, y).$$

For type D, it is similar, but I do not bother to present them here.

Question What is the choice satisfying above? Is this the one in Smirnov, and Tutubalina's paper? Is this the one in Kirillov's paper? It exists by geometric reason. But I did not see the assertion.

But I want to remark that

$$\partial_{w_0^n} f = \frac{\sum_{w \in BC_n} (-1)^w f}{\prod(\text{all positive roots})},$$

which would inspire a good choice. [We computed!]

We only need to find polynomials $\mathfrak{S}_{w_0^n}(x, y)$, such that $\mathfrak{S}_{w_0^n}(x, wx) = 0$ for $w < w_0^n$, and $\partial_{w_0^n w_0^{n+1}} \mathfrak{S}_{w_0^{n+1}}(x, y)$. Note that $\deg \mathfrak{S}_{w_0^n} = \ell(w_0^n) = n^2$.

(Maybe firstly find some good choice such that $\partial_{w_0^n} f = 1$)

Cauchy Identities. In my paper, I find a formula to prove Cauchy identities.

$$(-1)^{w_0} \partial_{w_0} (F(w_0 x) G(x)) = \sum_{w \in W} \partial_{w w_0} F(x) \cdot (-1)^w \partial_w G(x).$$

But it requires $\mathfrak{S}_w^X(x, ux) = 0$.

We need the Leibniz rule

$$\partial_i(fg) = \frac{fg - s_i f s_i g}{\alpha} = \frac{fg - s_i f g}{\alpha} + \frac{s_i f g - s_i f s_i g}{\alpha} = (\partial_i f)g + (s_i f)(\partial_i g),$$

We can assume

$$(-1)^{w_0} \partial_{w_0} (F(w_0 x) G(x)) = \sum_{w \in W} c_w(x) \cdot (-1)^w \partial_w G(x).$$

Since whenever we apply ∂_i , the left hand side will vanish, we have

$$\sum_{w \in W} (\partial_i c_w(x)) \cdot (-1)^w \partial_w G(x) + \sum_{w \in W} c_w(s_i x) \cdot (-1)^w \partial_i \partial_w G(x) = 0.$$

In other word, $\partial_i c_w(x) = \begin{cases} c_{s_i w}(s_i x), & s_i w < w, \\ 0, & s_i w > w. \end{cases}$. But $\partial_i c_w(x)$ is fixed by s_i , so

$$\partial_i c_w(x) = \begin{cases} c_{s_i w}(x), & \ell(s_i w) = \ell(w) - 1, \\ 0, & \ell(s_i w) = \ell(w) + 1. \end{cases}$$

It is clear that $c_{w_0}(x) = F(x)$. So the lemma follows from induction.

We can apply this lemma to show the Cauchy identities

$$\begin{aligned} (-1)^{w_0} \partial_{w_0}^y (\mathfrak{S}_{w_0}(w_0 y, x) \mathfrak{S}_w(y, t)) &= \sum_u (-1)^u (\partial_{u w_0}^y \mathfrak{S}_{w_0}(y, x)) \cdot \partial_u^y \mathfrak{S}_w(y, t) \\ &= \sum_{w = w u^{-1} \odot u} (-1)^u \mathfrak{S}_{u^{-1}}(y, x) \cdot \mathfrak{S}_{w u^{-1}}(y, t) \\ &= \sum_{w = u \odot v} (-1)^v \mathfrak{S}_{v^{-1}}(y, x) \cdot \mathfrak{S}_u(y, t). \end{aligned}$$

Since after applying ∂_{w_0} , any polynomial becomes symmetric, so the right hand side is symmetric in y .

Let us take $w_0 \in BC_n$ for n big enough, then the right hand side will not appear y_n . But it is symmetric in y_1, \dots, y_n , the sum actually does not relate to y . So in particular,

$$\begin{aligned} &\sum_{w = u \odot v} (-1)^v \mathfrak{S}_{v^{-1}}(y, x) \cdot \mathfrak{S}_u(y, t) \\ &= \sum_{w = u \odot v} (-1)^v \mathfrak{S}_{v^{-1}}(x, x) \cdot \mathfrak{S}_u(x, t) = \mathfrak{S}_w(x, t), \\ &= \sum_{w = u \odot v} (-1)^v \mathfrak{S}_{v^{-1}}(t, x) \cdot \mathfrak{S}_u(t, t) = (-1)^w \mathfrak{S}_w(t, x). \end{aligned}$$

Since $\mathfrak{S}_w(x, x) = \begin{cases} 1, & w = 1 \\ 0, & w \neq 1. \end{cases}$. So we proved

$$\mathfrak{S}_w(x, t) = \sum_{w = u \odot v} \mathfrak{S}_v(x, y) \mathfrak{S}_u(y, t)$$

Taking in the second identity to above, finally we get

$$\mathfrak{S}_w(x, t) = \sum_{w = u \odot v} \mathfrak{S}_v(x, y) \cdot \mathfrak{S}_u(y, t).$$

The proof is complete.

Question I have not yet generalize it to Grothendieck polynomials.

Question What is the relation of BCD type and the A type?

Question What is the polynomial for generalized Grassmannian (for maximal parabolic)? Usually, the maximal parabolic is relatively easier to be understood.

Question Do we have bumpless pipe dream for type BCD?

Question What is for Grothendieck polynomial? (Well, this is easy, simply exchanging each $+$ by $+\beta$, but I did not see too much people do research in this direction)

Question In type B, we can take more general $s_0(x) = \frac{-x}{\beta x + 1}$, the $+\beta$ inverse. Then there might be more combinatorics.

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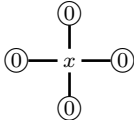
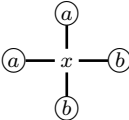
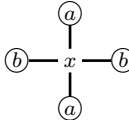
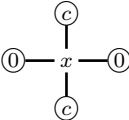



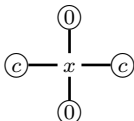
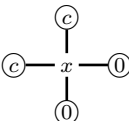
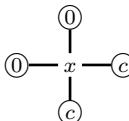
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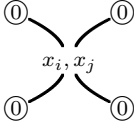
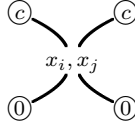
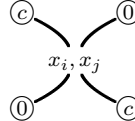
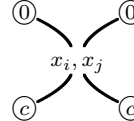
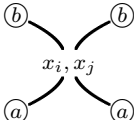
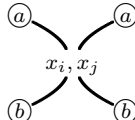
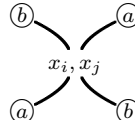
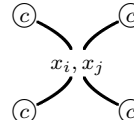
Appendix

The vertices model for Bumpless pipe dream of Grothendieck polynomials by Buciumas, and Scrimshaw in <https://arxiv.org/pdf/2007.04533.pdf>

The vertices ($0 < a < b, 0 < c$)

			
			
$\beta(x \oplus y)$	1	1	1
			
			others
1	$1 + \beta(x \oplus y)$	1	0

The R -matrices ($0 < a < b, 0 < c$)

			
$1 + \beta x_i$	$1 + \beta x_i$	$\beta(x_j - x_i)$	$1 + \beta x_j$
			
$1 + \beta x_i$	$1 + \beta x_j$	$\beta(x_j - x_i)$	$1 + \beta x_i$

For the others, the weights are all zero.

For fixed $\diamond, \blacklozenge, \triangle, \blacktriangle, \square, \blacksquare \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$,

$$\sum_{a,b,c} \begin{array}{c} \diamond \\ \curvearrowright \\ x_i, x_j \\ \curvearrowleft \\ \blacklozenge \end{array} \begin{array}{c} a \\ \curvearrowright \\ x_i \\ b \\ \curvearrowleft \\ x_j \\ c \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \triangle \\ \curvearrowright \\ x_i \\ \square \end{array} = \sum_{p,q,r} \begin{array}{c} \triangle \\ \curvearrowright \\ x_j \\ p \\ \curvearrowleft \\ x_i \\ \blacktriangle \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \diamond \\ \curvearrowright \\ x_j \\ r \\ \curvearrowleft \\ x_i \\ q \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \square \\ \curvearrowright \\ x_j \\ \blacksquare \end{array}$$

It is interesting that this is checked by computer in the original paper.

Let us omit the sum and the fixed boundary conditions.

$$\begin{array}{c} \circ \\ \curvearrowright \\ x_i, x_j \\ \curvearrowleft \\ \circ \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \circ \\ \text{---} x_i \text{---} \circ \\ | \\ \text{---} x_j \text{---} \circ \\ | \\ \circ \end{array} = \begin{array}{c} \circ \\ \text{---} x_j \text{---} \circ \\ | \\ \circ \\ \text{---} x_i \text{---} \circ \\ | \\ \circ \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \circ \\ \curvearrowright \\ x_i, x_j \\ \curvearrowleft \\ \circ \end{array}$$