

## Algebraic constructions on set partitions

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#### Related works

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- N. Bergeron and M. Zabrocki, *The Hopf algebras of symmetric functions and quasisymmetric functions in non-commutative variables are free and cofree* preprint math.CO/0509265.
- lacktriangleq NCSym is a non-commutative and co-commutative Hopf algebra.





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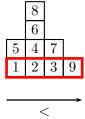
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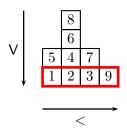
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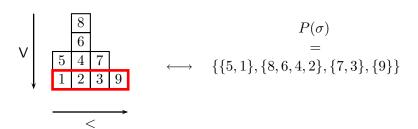
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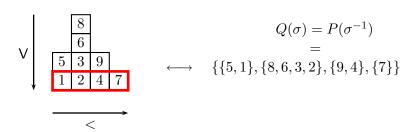
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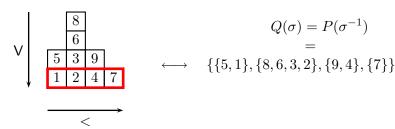
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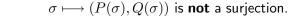






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Robinson-Schensted analogue

There is no permutation  $\sigma$  such that:

$$P(\sigma) = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Q(\sigma) = \begin{array}{|c|c|c|} \hline 3 \\ \hline 1 \\ \hline 2 \\ \hline \end{array}$$





## Combinatorial algorithm

Robinson-Schensted analogue

#### Definition

For  $\sigma, \pi \in \mathfrak{S}$ , we write

$$\sigma \equiv \pi$$
,

if  $P(\sigma) = P(\pi)$ . Then,  $\sigma$  and  $\pi$  belong to the same *Bell class*.





#### Definition

We consider the following elements of FQSym:

$$\mathbf{P}_{\delta} := \sum_{P(\sigma) = \delta} \mathbf{F}_{\sigma},$$

for every set partition  $\delta$ .





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### Proposition (Restriction to intervals)

Let  $\sigma, \pi \in \mathfrak{S}$ . If  $\sigma \equiv \pi$ , then  $Std(\sigma|_I) \equiv Std(\pi|_I)$ .





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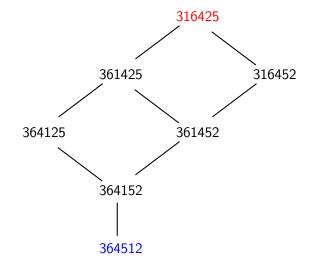


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### Proposition

In every Bell class,

- 1 the canonical element is the unique permutation of minimal length,
- 2 there is a unique element of maximal length.





### Definition

Rewriting rule:

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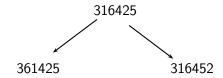






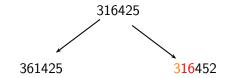






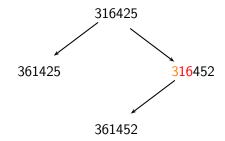






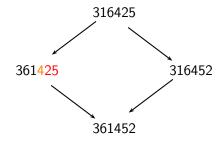






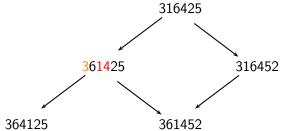






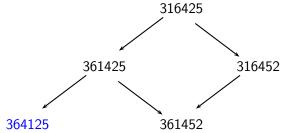






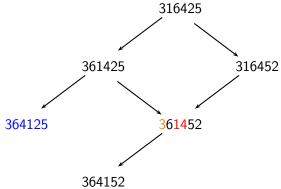






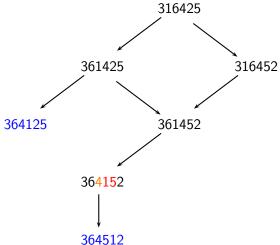






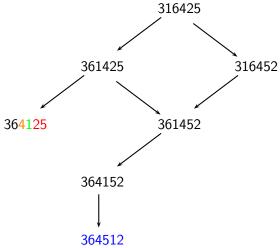






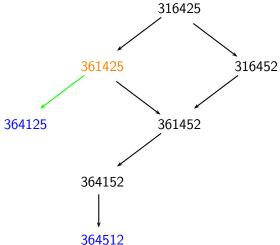






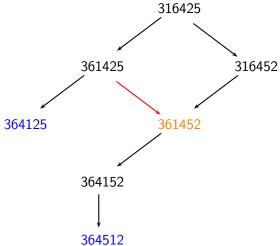








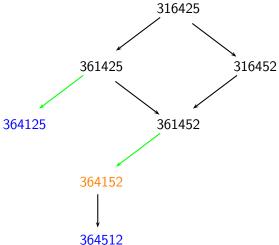








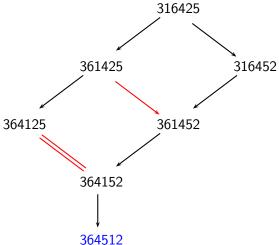
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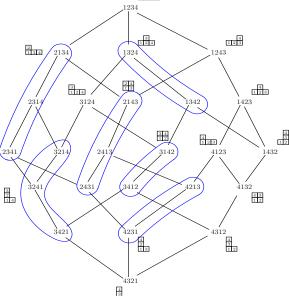
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Bell classes are intervals of the permutohedron.





## Intervals on $\mathfrak{S}_4$



1234















6 5 4 1 2 3 7











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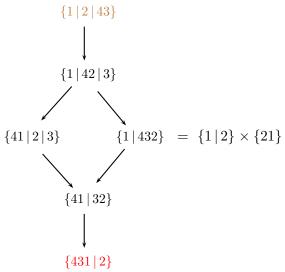
For every set partitions  $\alpha, \beta$ ,

$$\mathbf{P}_{\alpha} imes \mathbf{P}_{eta} = \sum_{(\alpha \mid eta) \leq \delta \leq (\alpha \sqcup eta)} \mathbf{P}_{\delta}$$





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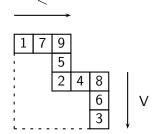




# Scrolling

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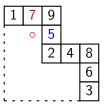
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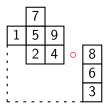
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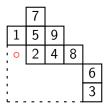
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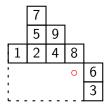
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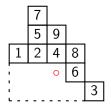
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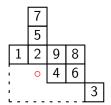
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$$S(\sigma) = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 9 \\ 5 & 4 & 8 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$





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$$S(\sigma) = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 9 \\ 5 & 4 & 8 \end{bmatrix} = P(\sigma)$$

























$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$













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