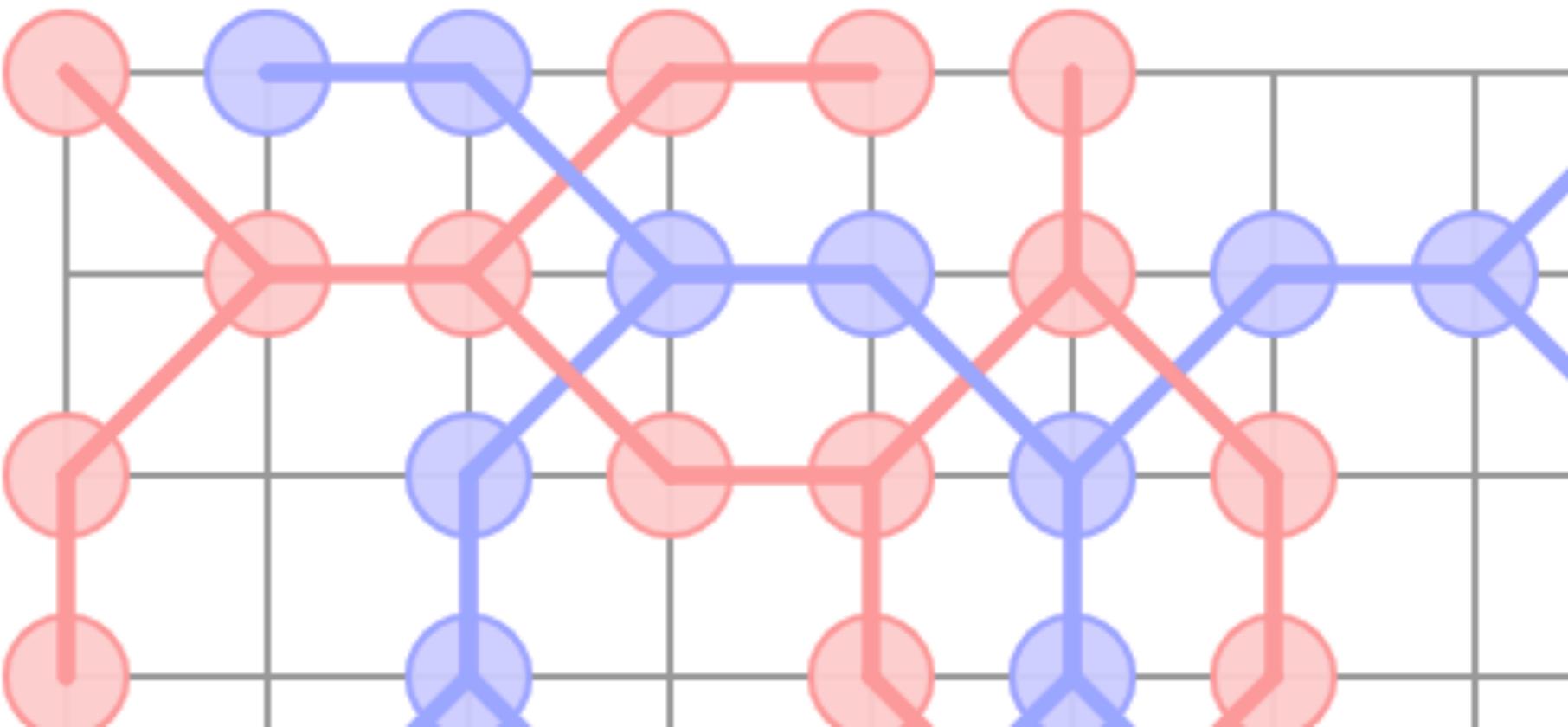


盤面分割ゲーム Separo

Separo: A Board-Dividing Game



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Separo とは

What's Separo?

- ・ 諏訪が高1頃（2010年）につくった2人用の盤上ゲーム
A two-player board game created by myself in my high school days
- ・ 完全情報ゲームで、プレイヤーは各自独立に盤面をできるだけ多くの領域に分割しようとし、互いに邪魔しあう
A game with perfect information where both players try to divide the board into as many regions as possible and hamper the other
- ・ 友人たちにそこそこウケて当時遊んだ（黒板ができる）ほか、数年前にそのうちの1人がなんと対戦AIを実装してくれた
Somewhat popular among some friends at that day, and one of them implemented an AI player for this game a few years ago!

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Rules

- 九路盤の四隅に両者 2 つずつ
頂点が置いてある状態から開始

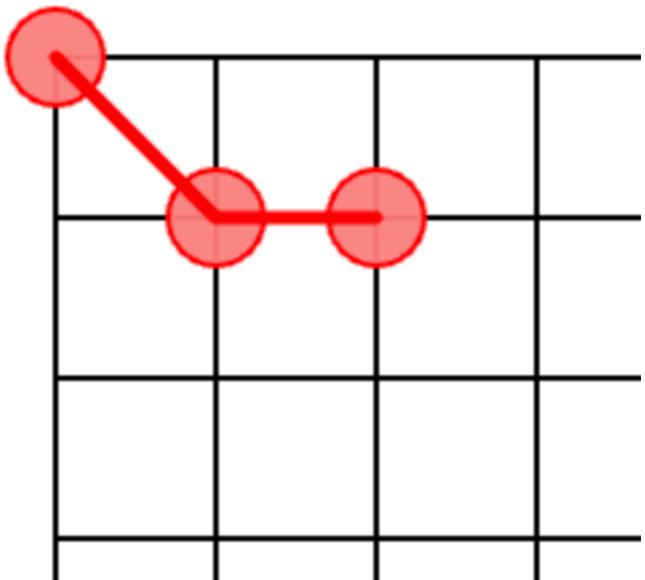
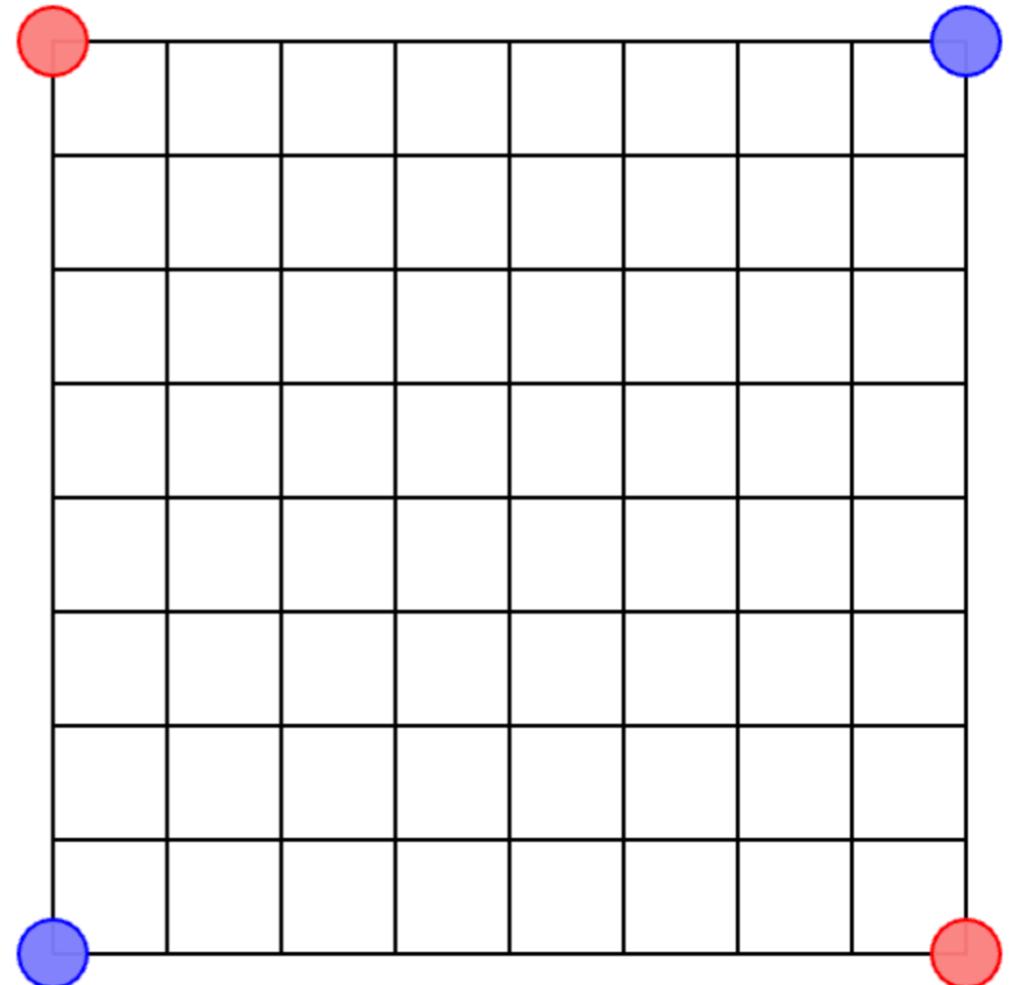
Starts with the state where
both players have two vertices on corners

- プレイヤーは手番時に既に盤上にある
自分の石から枝を伸ばし, その先に
新たな石を置く (伸ばし方は後述)

The player at their turn extends edges from
one of their vertices on the board and
puts new vertices (details are explained later)

- 両色の枝が各々独立に盤面を分割

Edges of both colors divide the board independently



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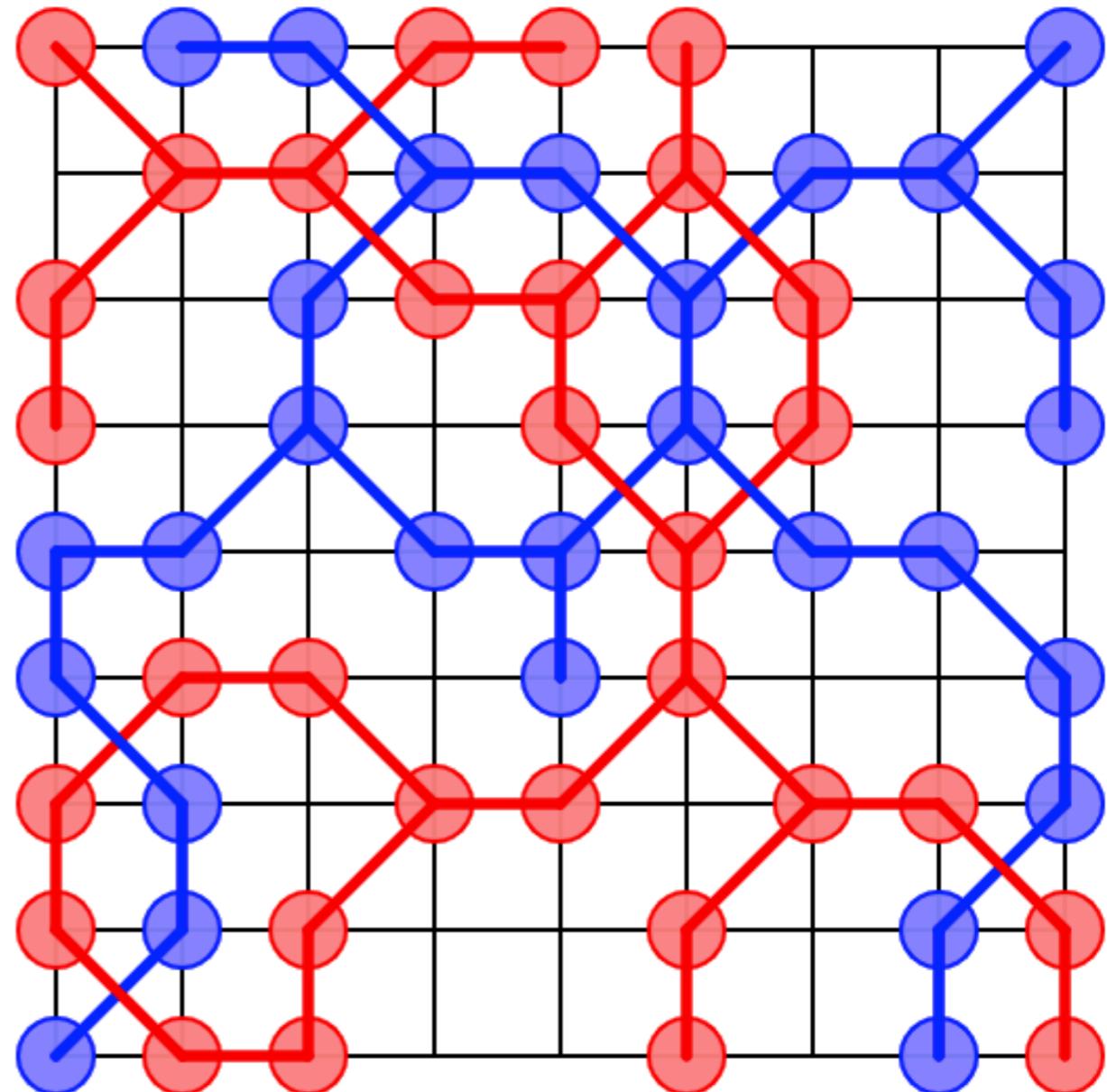
An example final result

- 盤面が何個に分割されたかを色ごとに独立に数え,
多い方が勝ち

Count the number of regions
divided by edges of one color
ignoring the other color,
and the larger wins

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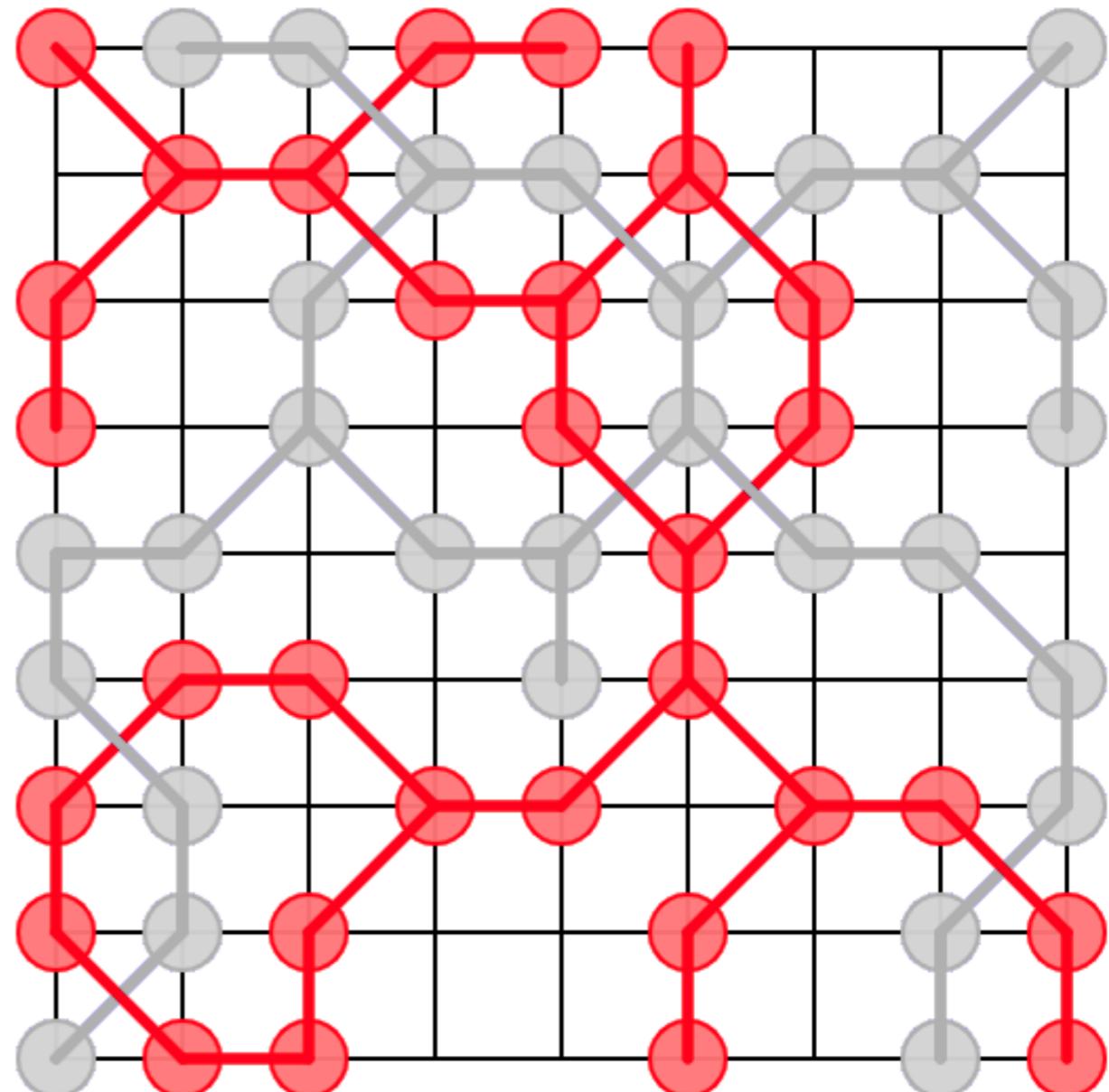
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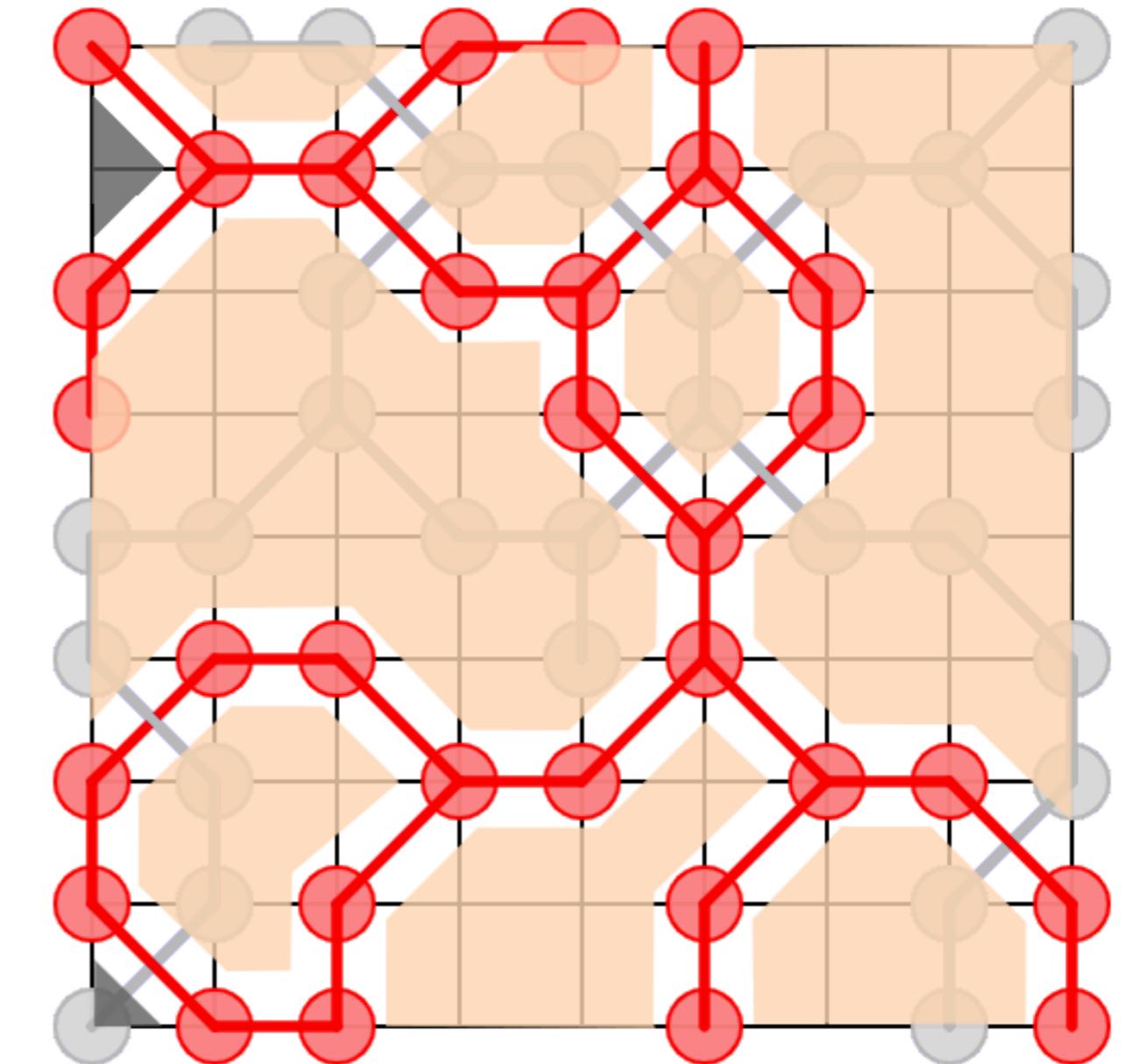
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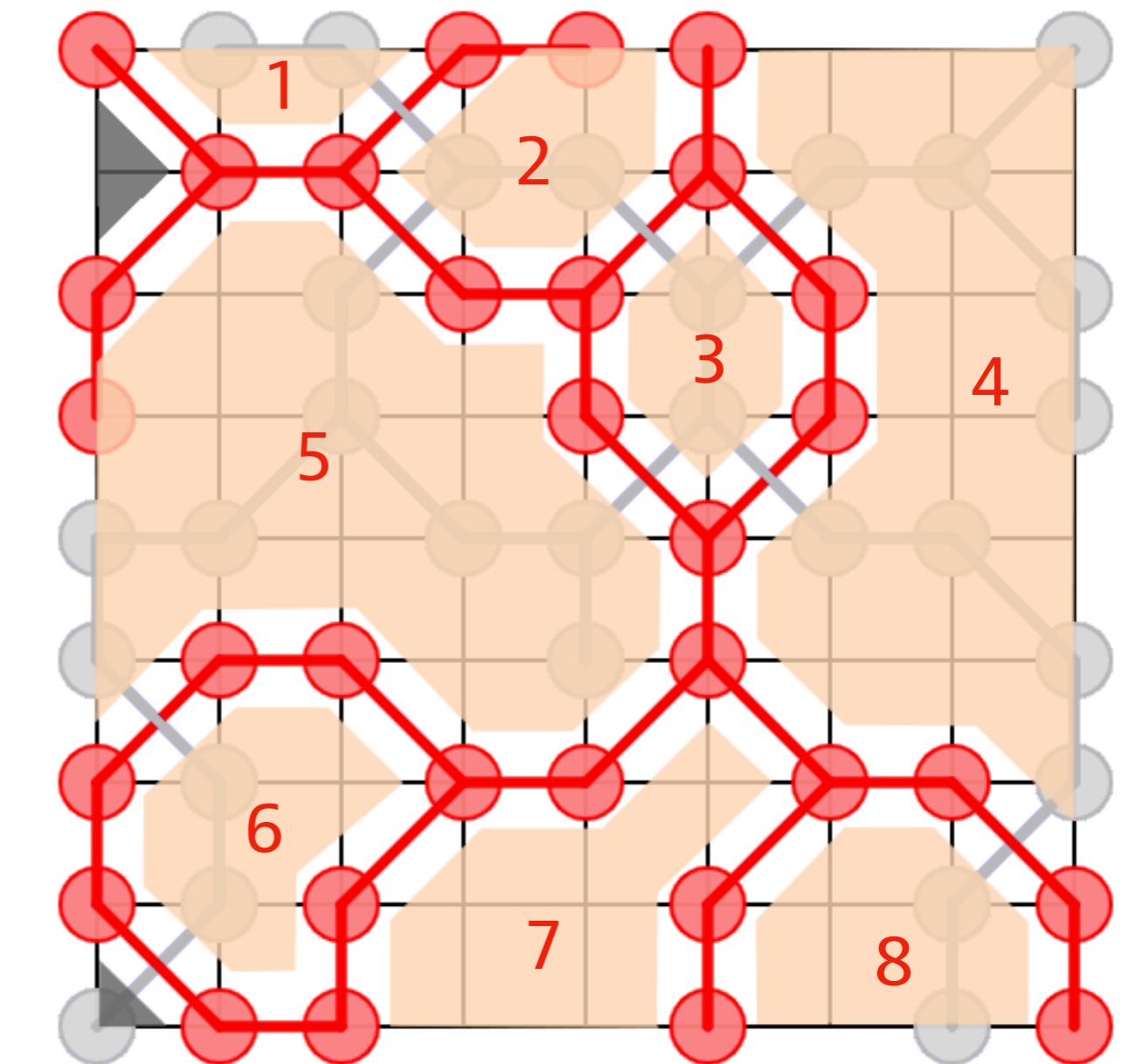
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Red's score: 8



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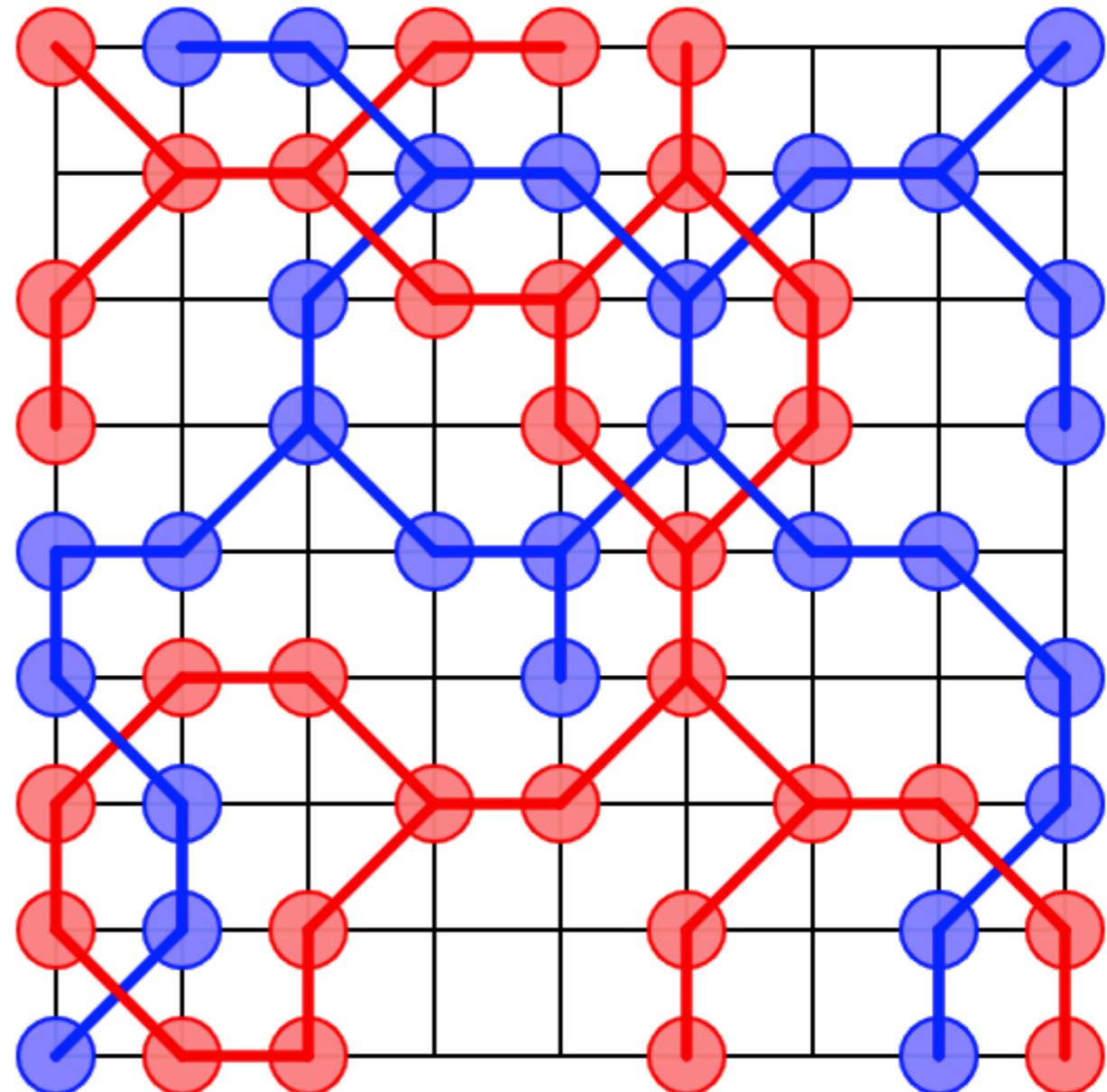
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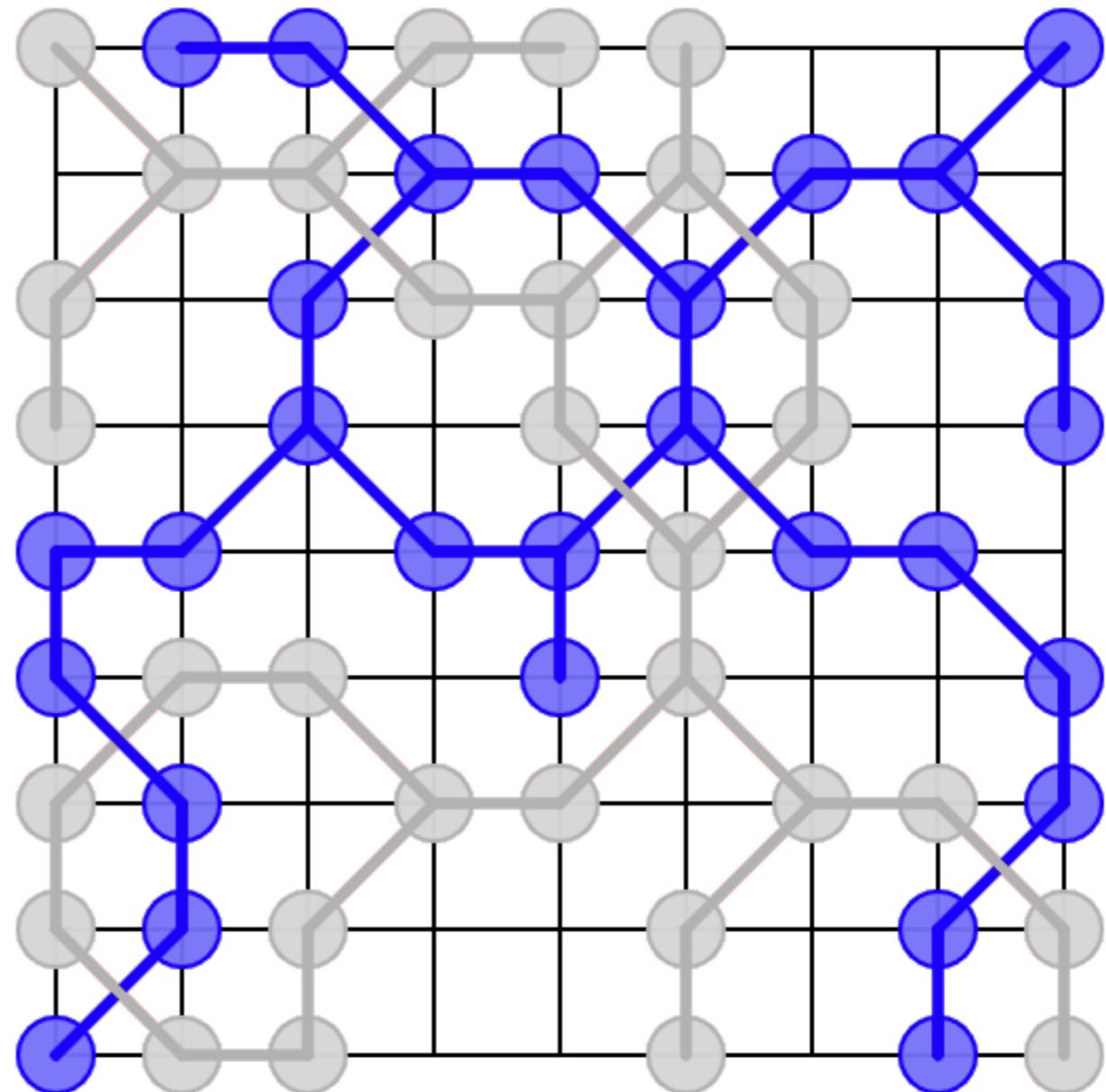
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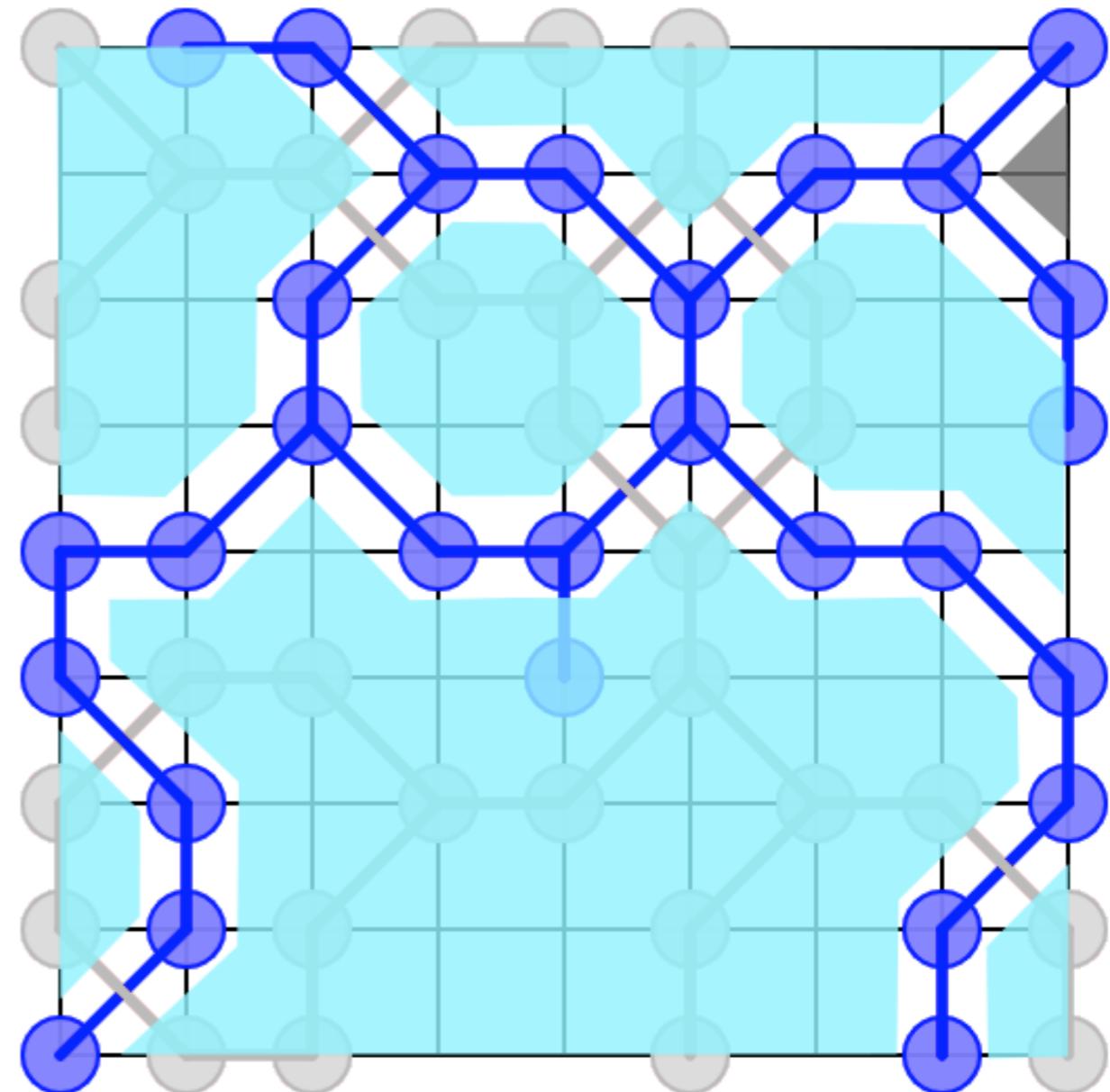
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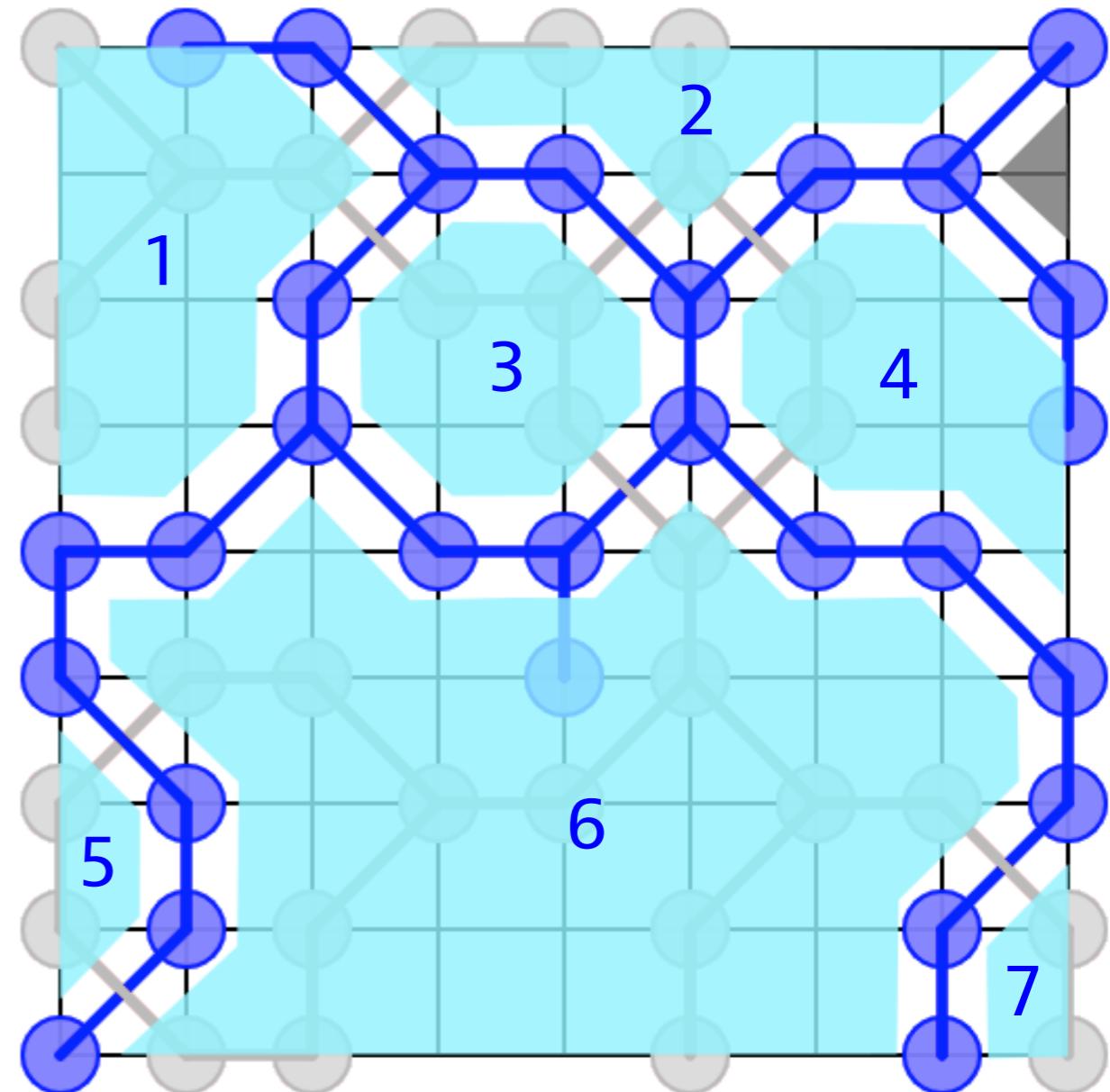
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Blue's score: 7



手番での枝の伸ばし方

How to extend your edges at your turn

- まず自分の石を 1 つ選び,
そこから対角線方向に 1 マスにわたる枝を伸ばし,
その先に新たな自分の石を置く

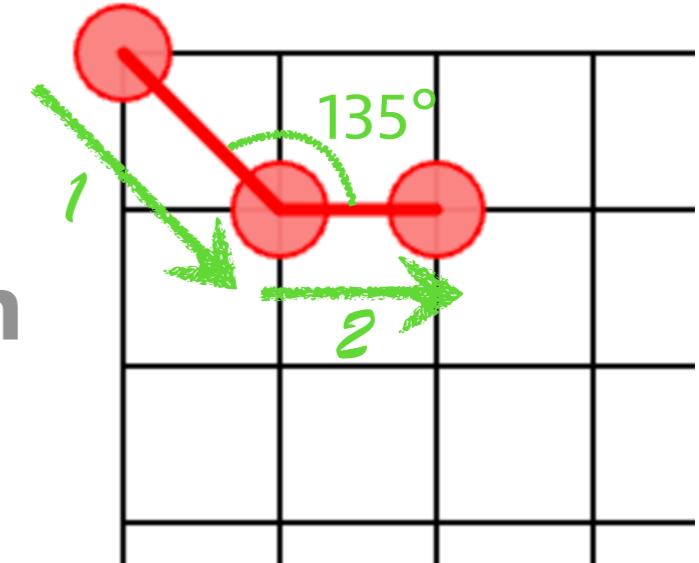
First, select one of your vertices and extends from it a diagonal edge
that spans one cell, and put a new vertex on the tip of the edge

- 続いて 1 で置いた石から 1 の枝と 135° の角をなすように
さらに 1 マス分枝を伸ばし, その先にまた自分の石を置く

Then, append another new edge to the new vertex so that the added
two edges form a 135° corner, and put another new vertex on the tip

- 或いは 2 つ目の枝を伸ばした先にもともと自分の石があってもよい

We also allow cases where one of your vertices is already on the last tip



枝の伸ばし方の制約

Restrictions on the extension of edges

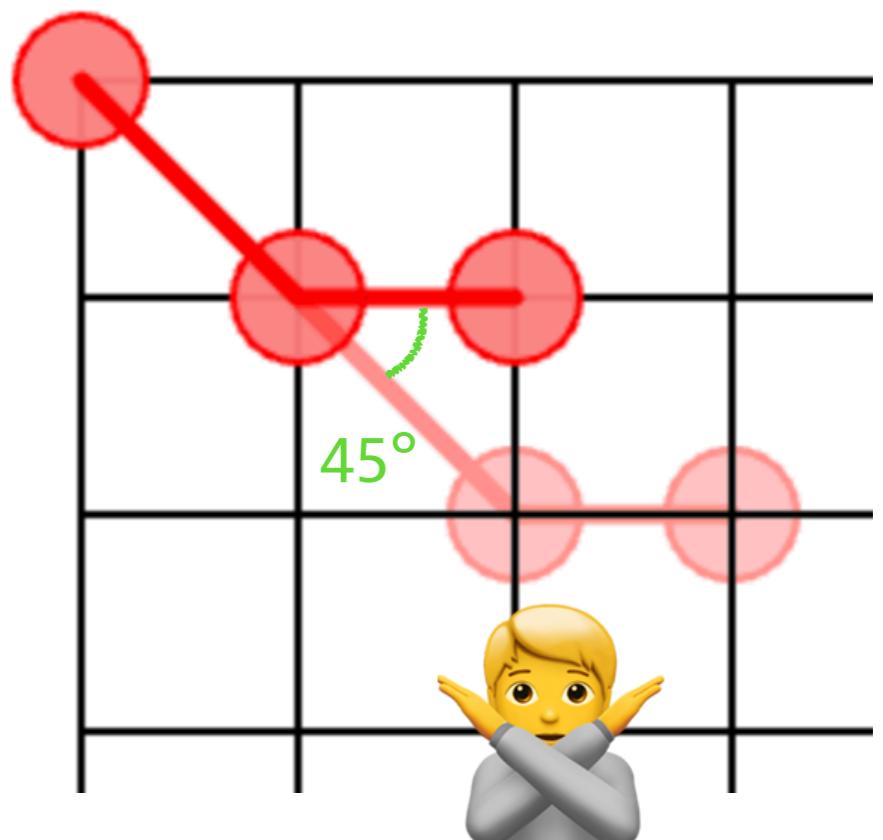
- すでに石がある位置に上から新たに石を置けたりはしない

You can't overwrite an existing vertex by putting a new one

- これにより両者が邪魔しあう
By this rule, two players disturb each other

- 枝が 45° の角をなしてはいけない

Your edges must not form a 45° corner



Separo の対戦 AI

An AI player of Separo



<https://toruniina.github.io/separo-rs/>

- 作者： Toru Niina (諏訪の友人)
Creator: Toru Niina (a friend of mine)
- Rust 製で、 Wasm にコンパイルされている
Implemented in Rust and compiled to Wasm
- モンテカルロ木探索をやっている
Performs Monte Carlo tree search
 - 詳細は本人の記事参照：
See his blog post for detail:
<https://toruniina.github.io/posts/writing-board-game-ai/>