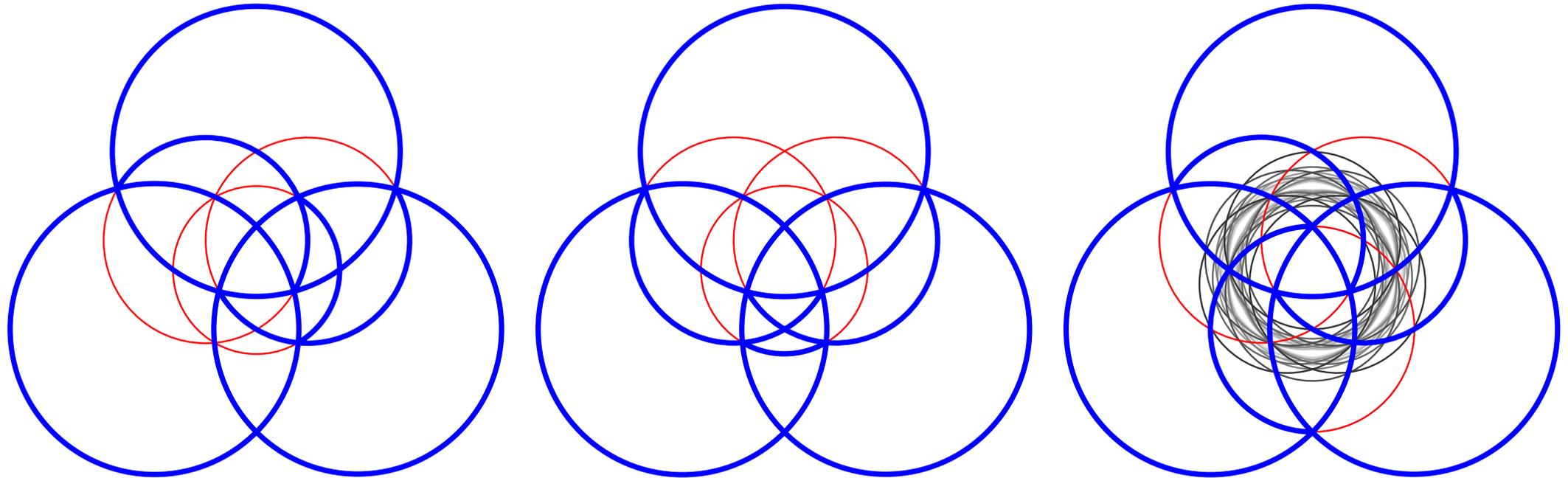


# III. UNIVERSAL ASSOCIAHEDRON & NON-KISSING ASSOCIAHEDRON



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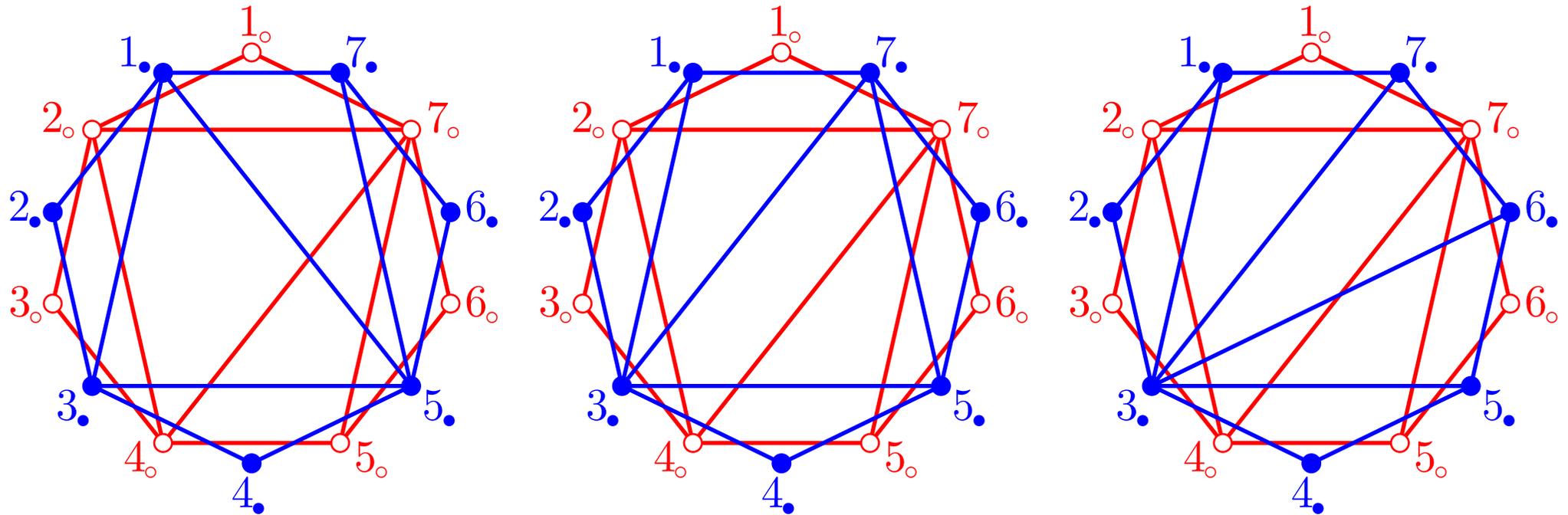
# $G$ - AND $C$ -VECTORS

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# TWO POLYGONS

Consider simultaneously two  $n$ -gons:

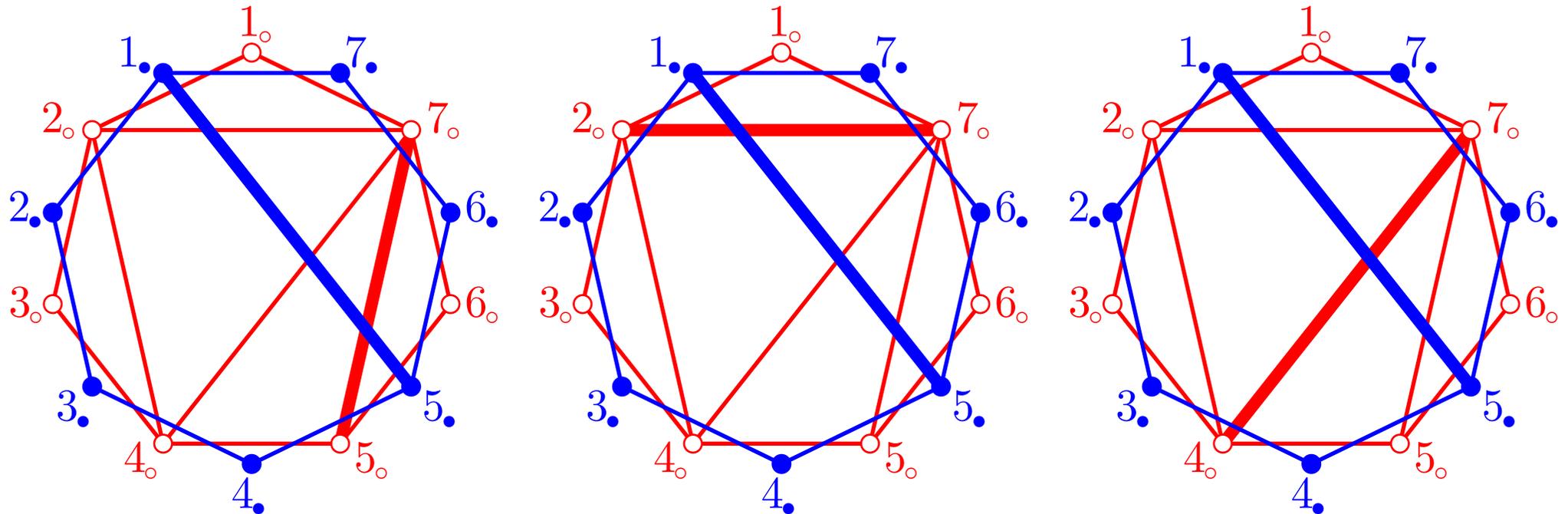
- the **red polygon** supports a reference triangulation,
- the **blue polygon** is the ground set.



# G-VECTORS

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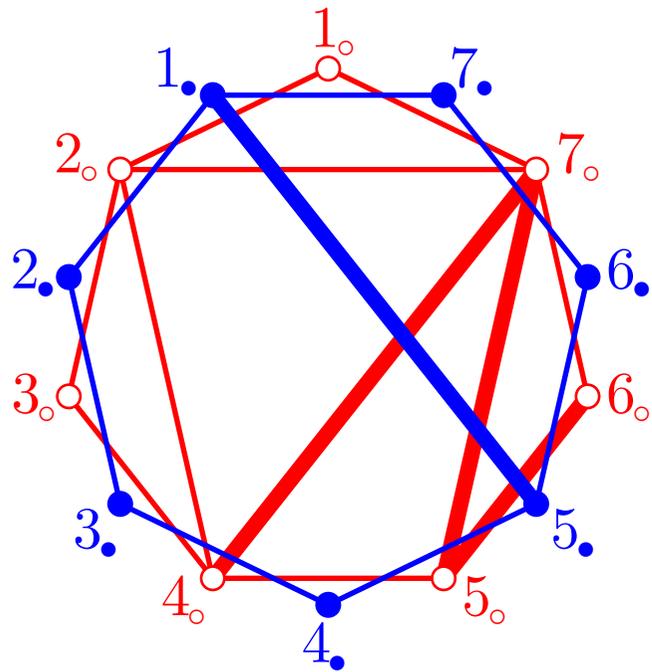
$$\varepsilon_o(\delta_o \in T_o, \delta_\bullet) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \delta_\bullet \text{ slaloms on } \delta_o \in T_o \text{ as a } Z \\ -1 & \text{if } \delta_\bullet \text{ slaloms on } \delta_o \in T_o \text{ as an } \Sigma \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$



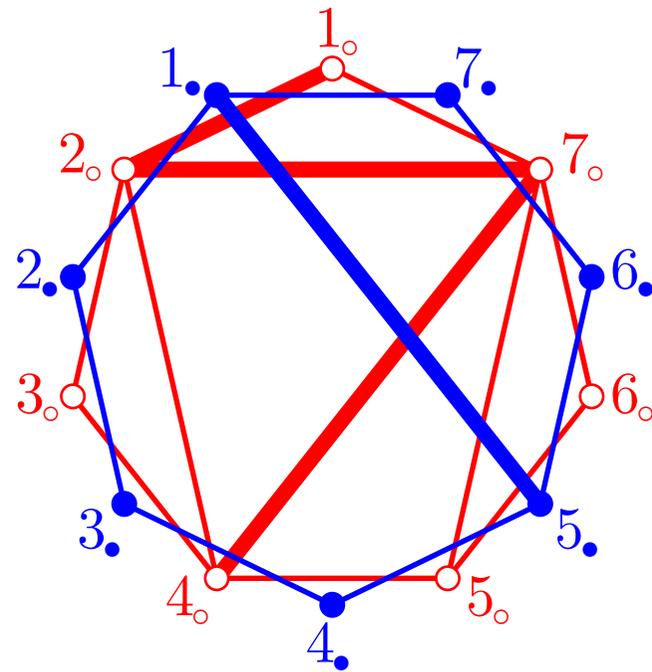
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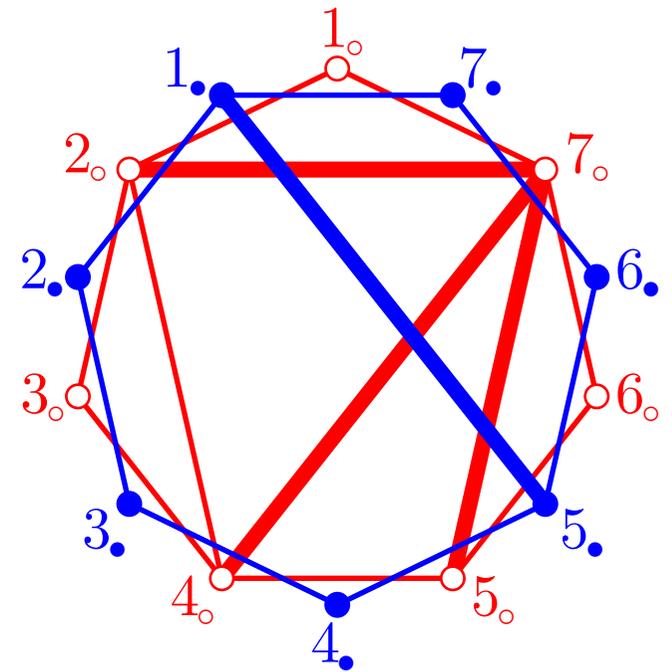
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$Z = 1$



$\Sigma = -1$



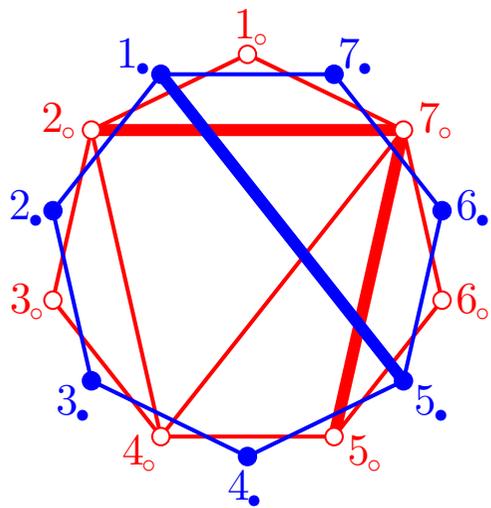
$V = 0$

# G-VECTORS

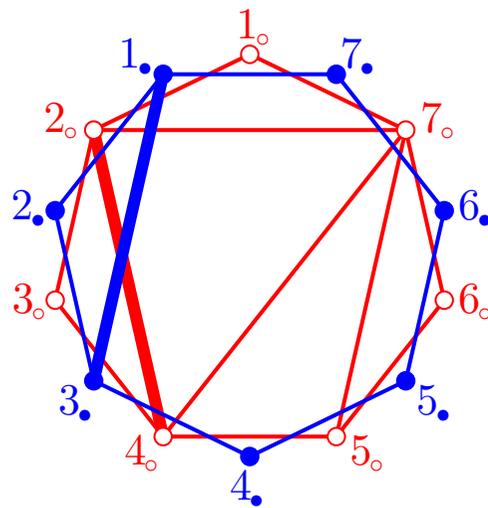
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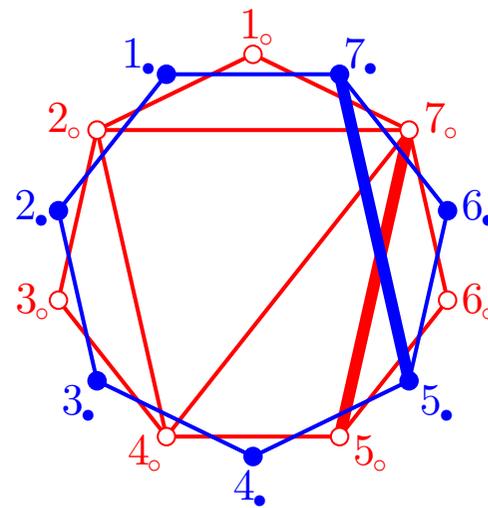
$g(T_o, \delta_\bullet) = \underline{\mathbf{g}}\text{-vector of } \delta_\bullet \text{ with respect to } T_o = \left[ \varepsilon_o(\delta_o \in T_o, \delta_\bullet) \right]_{\delta_o \in T_o} \in \mathbb{R}^{T_o}$   
 = alternating  $\pm 1$  along the zigzag crossed by  $\delta_\bullet$  in  $T_o$



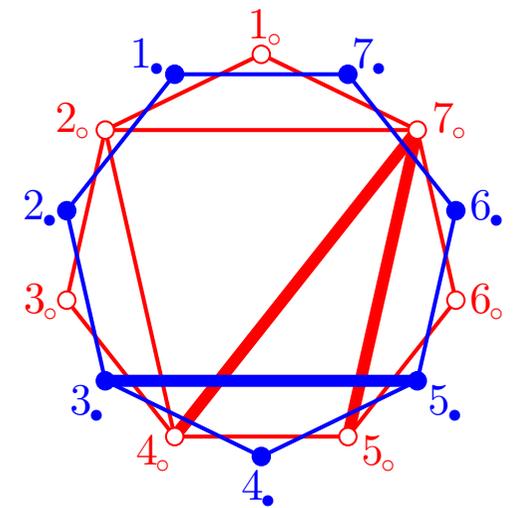
$$g(T_o, (1_\bullet, 5_\bullet)) = e_{5_o 7_o} - e_{2_o 7_o}$$



$$g(T_o, (1_\bullet, 3_\bullet)) = -e_{2_o 4_o}$$



$$g(T_o, (5_\bullet, 7_\bullet)) = e_{5_o 7_o}$$



$$g(T_o, (3_\bullet, 5_\bullet)) = e_{5_o 7_o} - e_{4_o 7_o}$$

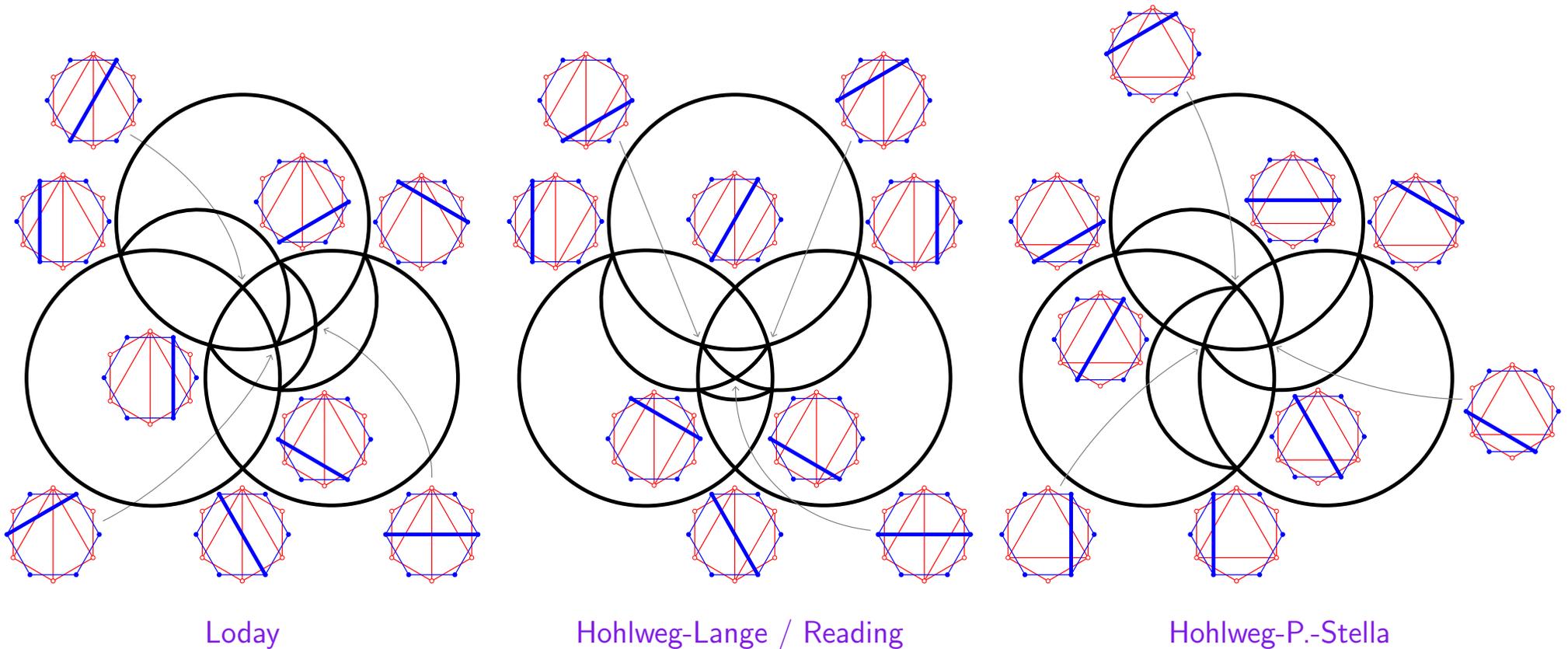
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**THM.** For any **red triangulation**  $T_o$ , the collection of cones

$$\mathcal{F}^g(T_o) := \left\{ \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0} g(T_o, D_\bullet) \mid D_\bullet \text{ any blue dissection} \right\}$$

forms a complete simplicial fan, called  $g$ -vector fan of  $T_o$ .

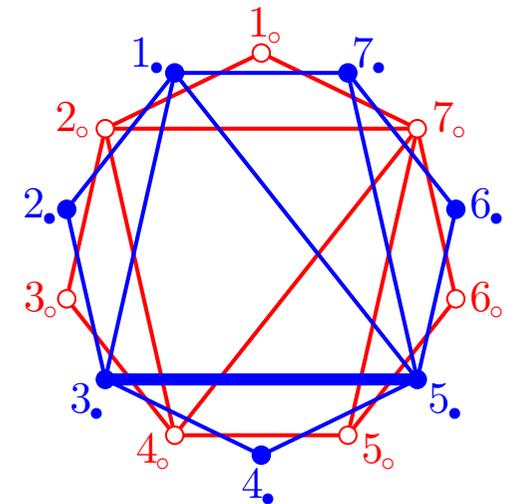
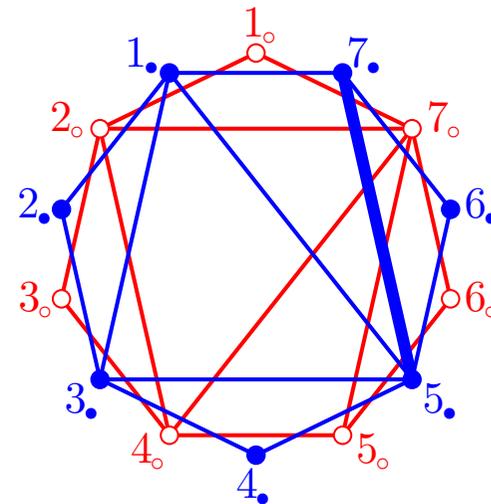
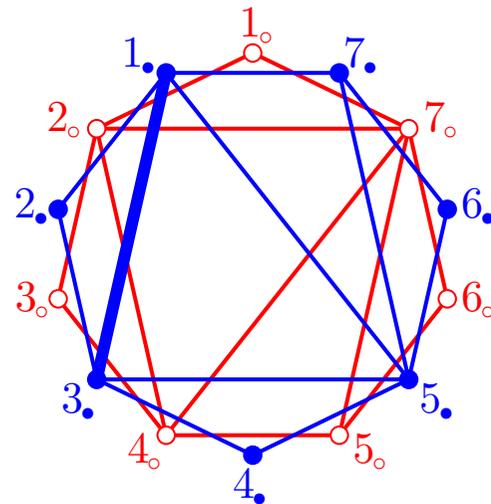
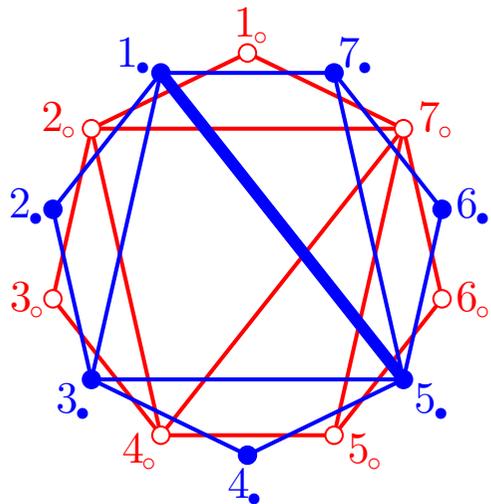


# C-VECTORS

For  $T_o$  red triangulation and  $T_\bullet$  blue triangulation  
and two diagonals  $\delta_o \in T_o$  and  $\delta_\bullet \in T_\bullet$ , let

$$\varepsilon_\bullet(\delta_o, \delta_\bullet \in T_\bullet) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \delta_o \text{ slaloms on } \delta_\bullet \in T_\bullet \text{ as a } \Sigma \\ -1 & \text{if } \delta_o \text{ slaloms on } \delta_\bullet \in T_\bullet \text{ as an } Z \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$\mathbf{c}(T_o, \delta_\bullet \in T_\bullet) = \underline{\mathbf{c}\text{-vector}}$  of  $\delta_\bullet$  in  $T_\bullet$  with respect to  $T_o = \left[ \varepsilon_\bullet(\delta_o, \delta_\bullet \in T_\bullet) \right]_{\delta_o \in T_o} \in \mathbb{R}^{T_o}$   
 $= \pm$  charac. vector of diagonals of  $T_o$  crossed by opposite neighbors of  $\delta_\bullet$



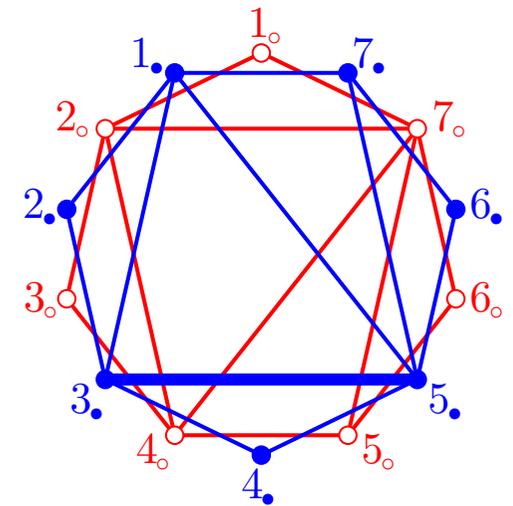
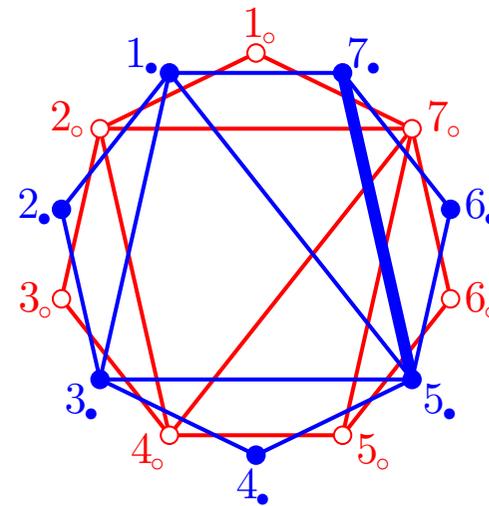
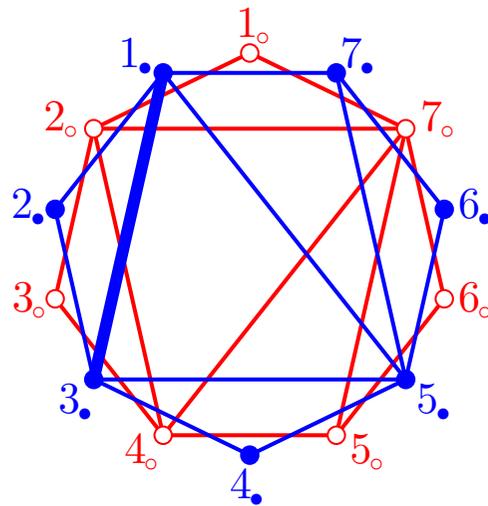
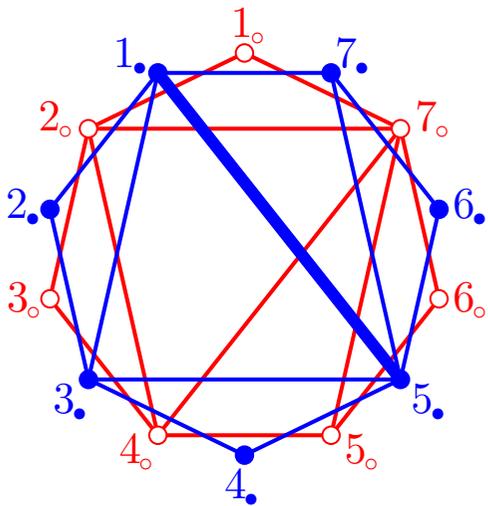
$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{c}(T_o, (1_\bullet, 5_\bullet) \in T_\bullet) &= -\mathbf{e}_{2_o 7_o} & \mathbf{c}(T_o, (1_\bullet, 3_\bullet) \in T_\bullet) &= -\mathbf{e}_{2_o 4_o} & \mathbf{c}(T_o, (5_\bullet, 7_\bullet) \in T_\bullet) &= \mathbf{e}_{2_o 7_o} + \mathbf{e}_{4_o 7_o} + \mathbf{e}_{5_o 7_o} & \mathbf{c}(T_o, (5_\bullet, 7_\bullet) \in T_\bullet) &= -\mathbf{e}_{4_o 7_o} \end{aligned}$$

# G- AND C-VECTORS

For  $T_o$  red triangulation and  $T_\bullet$  blue triangulation

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$$c(T_o, \delta_\bullet \in T_\bullet) = \underline{c\text{-vector}} \text{ of } \delta_\bullet \text{ in } T_\bullet \text{ with respect to } T_o = \left[ \varepsilon_\bullet(\delta_o, \delta_\bullet \in T_\bullet) \right]_{\delta_o \in T_o} \in \mathbb{R}^{T_o}$$



$g$      $e_{5_0 7_0} - e_{2_0 7_0}$

$-e_{2_0 4_0}$

$e_{5_0 7_0}$

$e_{5_0 7_0} - e_{4_0 7_0}$

$c$      $-e_{2_0 7_0}$

$-e_{2_0 4_0}$

$e_{2_0 7_0} + e_{4_0 7_0} + e_{5_0 7_0}$

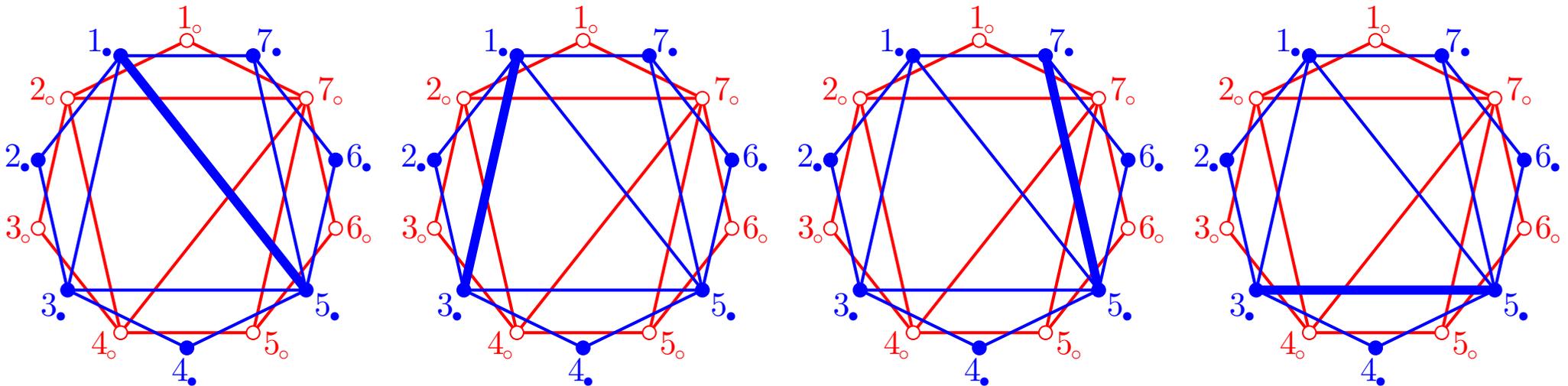
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$g$	$e_{5_o7_o} - e_{2_o7_o}$	$-e_{2_\bullet4_\bullet}$	$e_{5_\bullet7_\bullet}$
$c$	$-e_{2_o7_o}$	$-e_{2_\bullet4_\bullet}$	$e_{2_o7_o} + e_{4_o7_o} + e_{5_o7_o}$
			$e_{5_\bullet7_\bullet} - e_{4_\bullet7_\bullet}$
			$-e_{4_o7_o}$

**PROP.** The  $g$ -vectors  $g(T_o, T_\bullet)$  and the  $c$ -vectors  $c(T_o, T_\bullet)$  form dual bases.

**PROP.** Duality:  $g(T_o, T_\bullet) = -c(T_\bullet, T_o)^t$  and  $c(T_o, T_\bullet) = -g(T_\bullet, T_o)^t$

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# ASSOCIAHEDRA FOR $g$ -VECTOR FANS

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# $T_{\circ}$ -ZONOTOPE

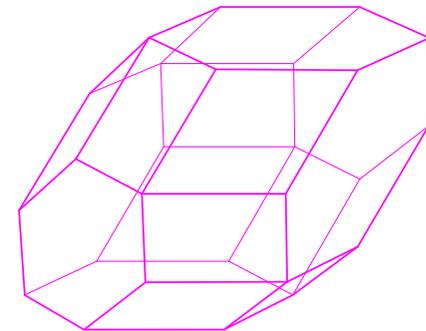
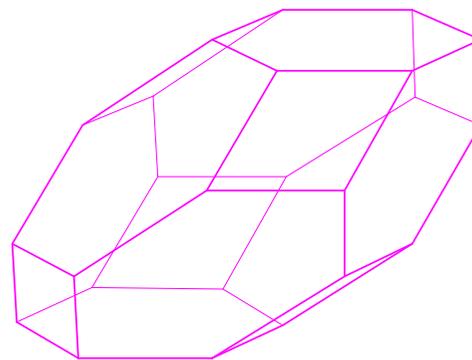
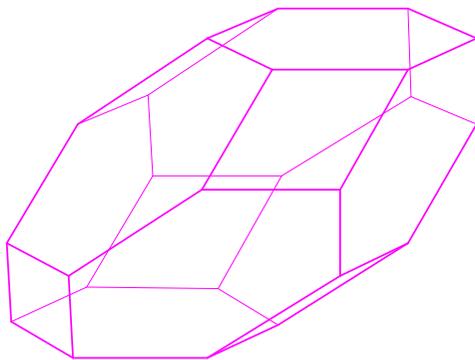
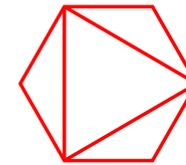
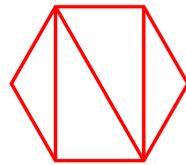
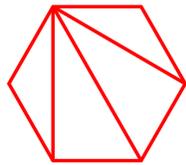
$T_{\circ}$ -zonotope =  $Zono(T_{\circ})$  = Minkowski sum of all  $c$ -vectors  $C(T_{\circ}) = \bigcup_{T_{\bullet}} c(T_{\circ}, T_{\bullet})$

$$Zono(T_{\circ}) = \sum_{c \in C(T_{\circ})} c.$$

**PROP.** For any diagonal  $\gamma_{\bullet}$ ,  $Zono(T_{\circ})$  has a facet defined by the inequality

$$\langle g(T_{\circ}, \gamma_{\bullet}) \mid \mathbf{x} \rangle \leq \omega(\gamma_{\bullet})$$

where  $\omega(\gamma_{\bullet})$  = number of red diagonals that cross  $\gamma_{\bullet}$ .



# $T_o$ -ASSOCIAHEDRON

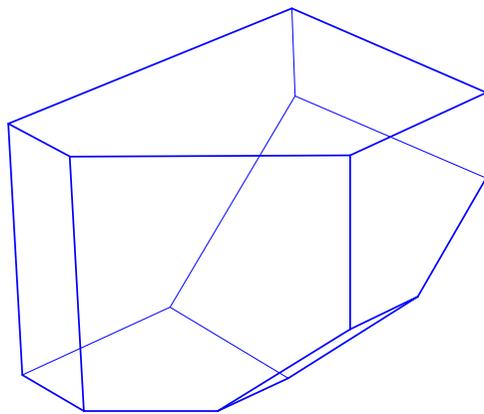
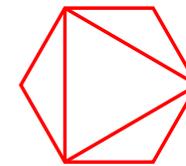
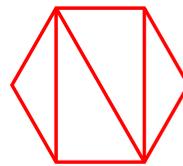
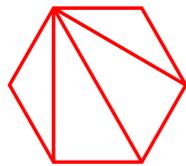
Define

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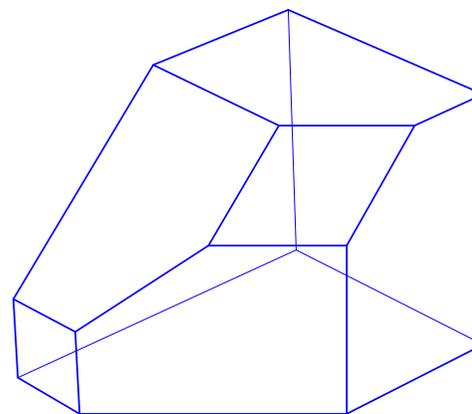
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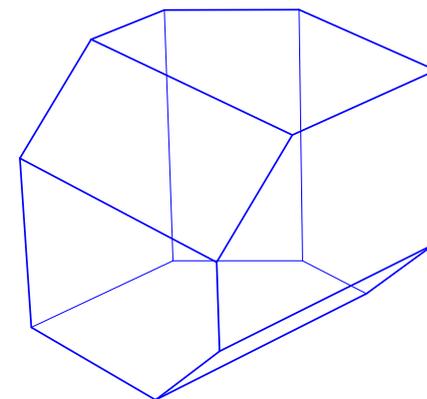
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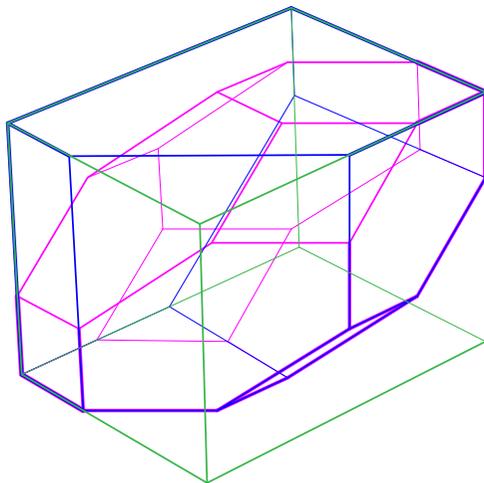
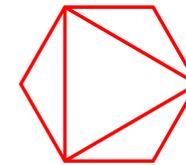
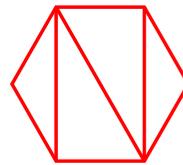
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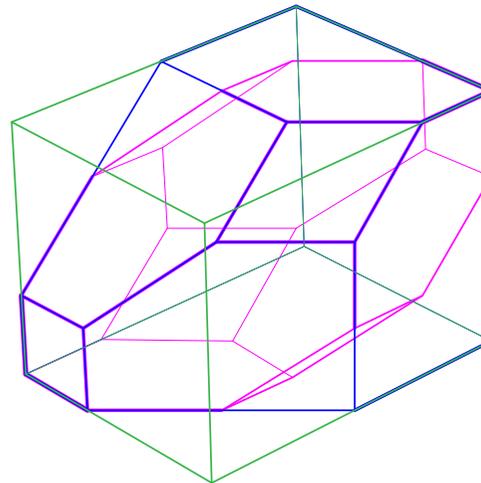
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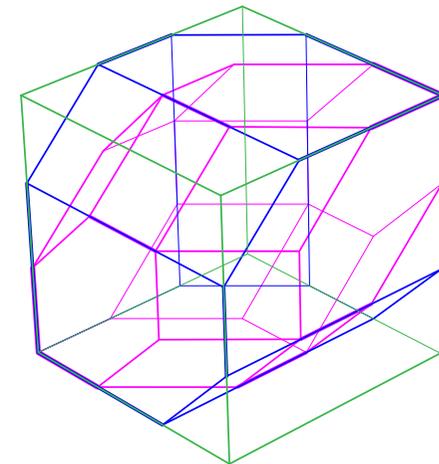
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$\implies$  the  $\delta_\circ$ -coordinate of  $\mathbf{p}(T_\circ, T_\bullet)$  does not really depends on  $T_\circ$

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**THM.** Let  $X_\circ$  be the set of **all internal red diagonals**.

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over all **blue triangulations**  $T_\bullet$ .

Then for any **red triangulation**  $T_\circ$ , the  $g$ -vector fan  $\mathcal{F}^g(T_\circ)$  is the normal fan of the projection  $\text{Asso}(T_\circ)$  of the universal associahedron  $\text{Asso}_{\text{un}}(n)$  on the coordinate plane  $\mathbb{R}^{T_\circ}$ .

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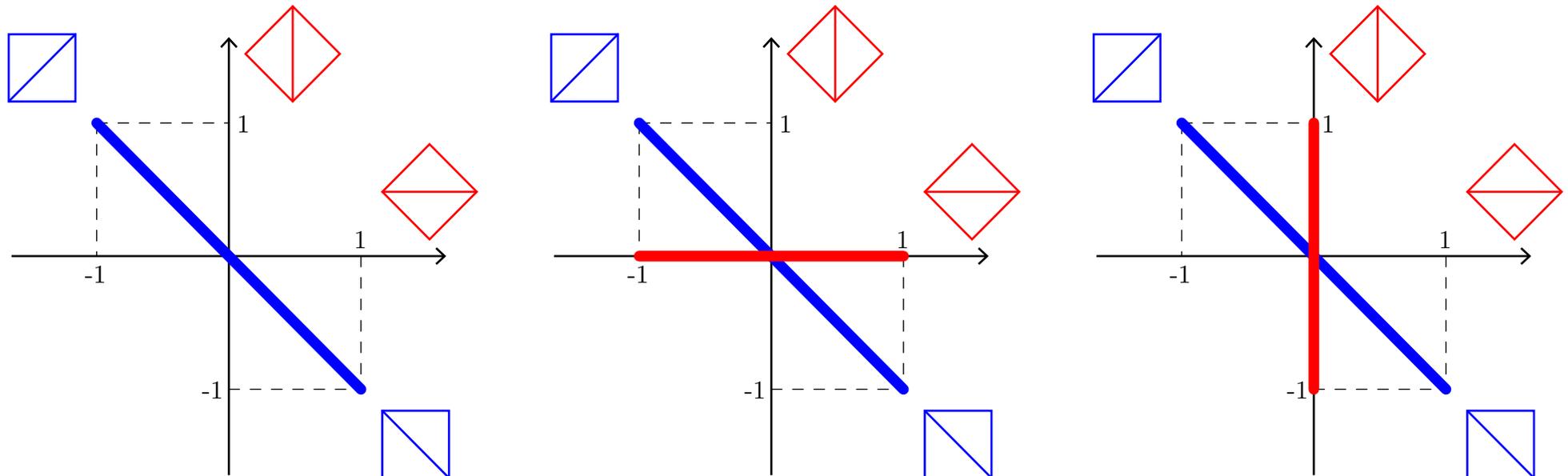
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$n$	dimension of ambient space	dimension	# vertices	# facets	# vertices / facet	# facets / vertex
1	2	1	2	2	1	1
2	5	4	5	5	4	4
3	9	8	14	60	$9 \leq \cdot \leq 10$	$30 \leq \cdot \leq 42$
4	14	13	42	8960	$14 \leq \cdot \leq 28$	$3463 \leq \cdot \leq 4244$

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**THM.** Let  $X_\circ$  be the set of **all internal red diagonals**.

Define the universal associahedron  $\text{Asso}_{\text{un}}(n)$  as the convex hull of the points

$$\mathbf{p}_{\text{un}}(T_\bullet) := \sum_{\delta_\circ \in X_\circ} \left( \sum_{\delta_\bullet \in T_\bullet} \omega(\delta_\bullet) \cdot \varepsilon_\bullet(\delta_\circ, \delta_\bullet \in T_\bullet) \right) \mathbf{e}_{\delta_\circ} \in \mathbb{R}^{X_\circ}$$

over all **blue triangulations**  $T_\bullet$ .

Then for any **red triangulation**  $T_\circ$ , the  $\mathbf{g}$ -vector fan  $\mathcal{F}^g(T_\circ)$  is the normal fan of the projection  $\mathbb{A}\text{sso}(T_\circ)$  of the universal associahedron  $\text{Asso}_{\text{un}}(n)$  on the coordinate plane  $\mathbb{R}^{T_\circ}$ .

Hohlweg-P.-Stella ('18)

**THM.** The origin is the vertex barycenter of the universal associahedron  $\text{Asso}_{\text{un}}(n)$ .

Hohlweg-P.-Stella ('18)

**CORO.** For any **red triangulation**  $T_\circ$ , the origin is the vertex barycenter of the  $T_\circ$ -associahedron  $\mathbb{A}\text{sso}(T_\circ)$ .

Hohlweg-P.-Stella ('18)

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# SECTIONS AND PROJECTIONS

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Manneville-P., *Geometric realizations of the accordion complex* ('19)

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**THM.** For any **red triangulation**  $T_\circ$ , the  $g$ -vector fan  $\mathcal{F}^g(T_\circ)$  is the normal fan of the projection  $\mathbb{A}\text{sso}(T_\circ)$  of the universal associahedron  $\text{Asso}_{\text{un}}(n)$  on the coordinate plane  $\mathbb{R}^{T_\circ}$ .

What happens if we project on other coordinate planes?

No clue in general, but...

For a **red dissection**  $D_\circ$ , define

$$\mathbb{A}\text{sso}(D_\circ) = \text{projection of } \text{Asso}_{\text{un}}(n) \text{ on the coordinate plane } \mathbb{R}^{D_\circ}$$

Since normal fan of projections are sections of normal fans,

normal fan of  $\mathbb{A}\text{sso}(D_\circ) =$  section of the normal fan of  $\text{Asso}_{\text{un}}(n)$  by the plane  $\mathbb{R}^{D_\circ}$

$=$  subfan of the normal fan of  $\text{Asso}_{\text{un}}(n)$  induced by the rays in  $\mathbb{R}^{D_\circ}$

$=$  subfan of the normal fan of  $\mathbb{A}\text{sso}(T_\circ)$  induced by the rays in  $\mathbb{R}^{D_\circ}$

for a triangulation  $T_\circ$  containing  $D_\circ$ .

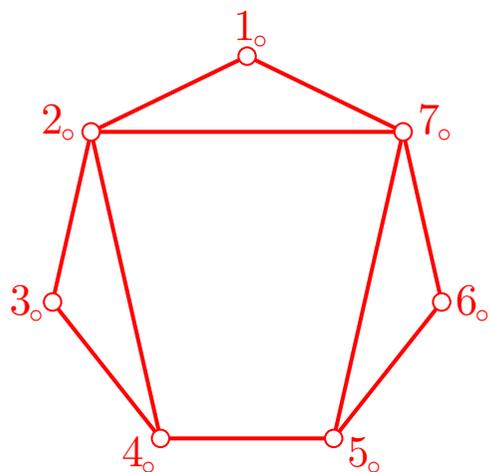
# ACCORDION COMPLEX

LEM. For a red dissection  $D_o$  contained in a red triangulation  $T_o$ , and a blue diagonal  $\delta_\bullet$ ,  
 $g(T_o, \delta_\bullet) \in \mathbb{R}^{D_o} \iff \delta_\bullet$  never crosses a cell of  $D_o$  through two non-consecutive edges

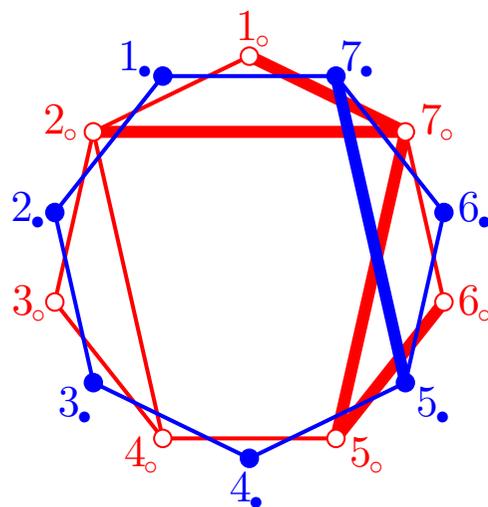
$D_o$ -accordion diagonal = diagonal of the blue solid polygon that crosses an accordion of  $D_o$

$D_o$ -accordion dissection = set of non-crossing  $D_o$ -accordion diagonals

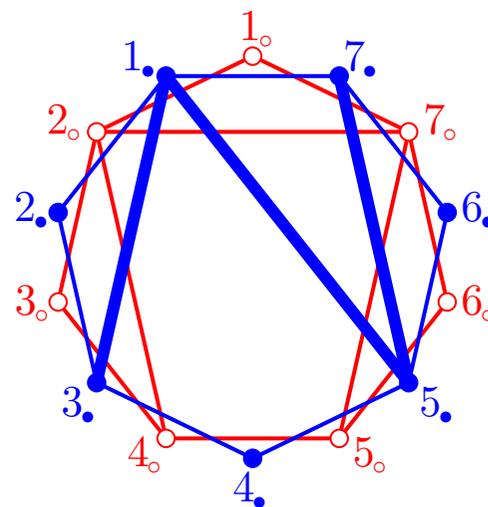
$D_o$ -accordion complex = simplicial complex of  $D_o$ -accordion dissections



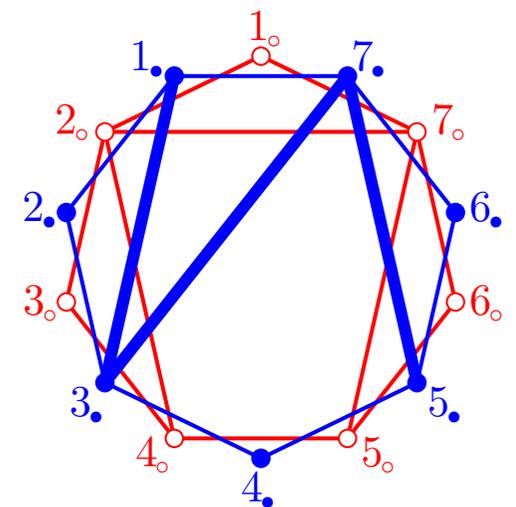
dissection  $D_o$



$D_o$ -accordion diagonal



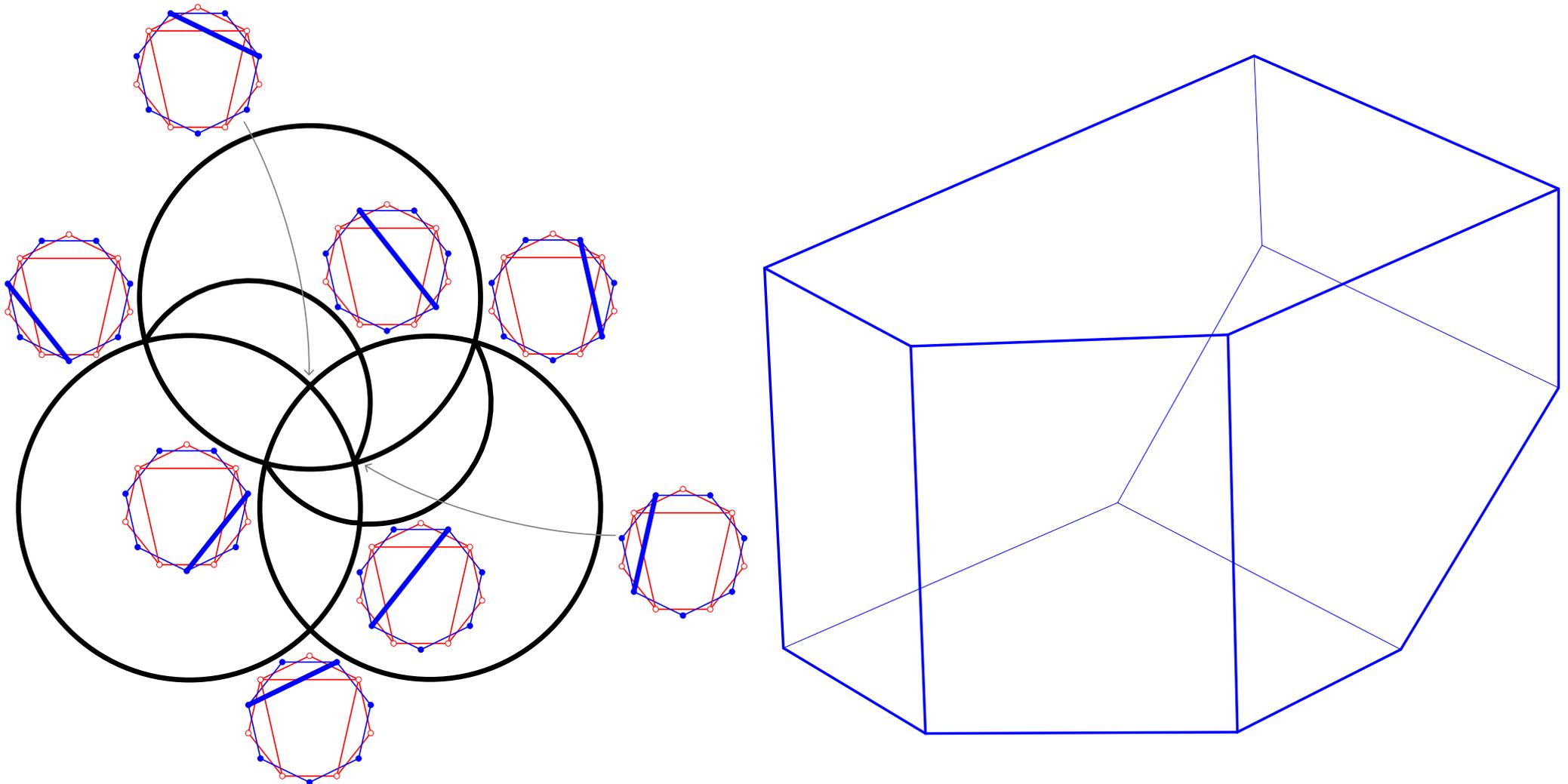
two maximal  $D_o$ -accordion dissections



# ACCORDIOHEDRON

**THM.** For any **red dissection**  $D_\circ$ , the projection  $\text{Asso}(D_\circ)$  of the universal associahedron  $\text{Asso}_{\text{un}}(n)$  on the coordinate plane  $\mathbb{R}^{D_\circ}$  realizes the  $D_\circ$ -accordion complex.

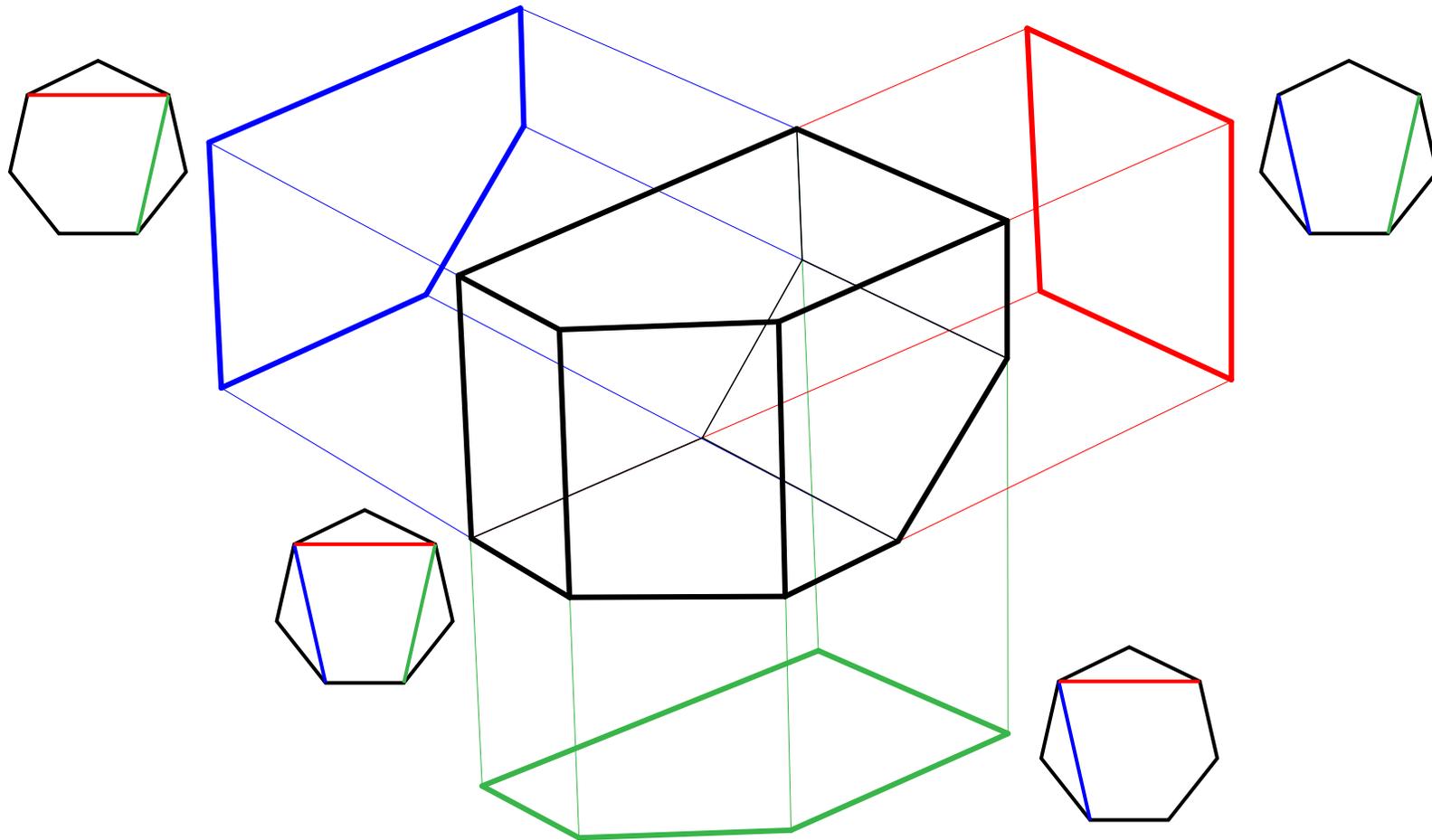
Manneville-P., ('19)



# PROJECTIONS OF PROJECTIONS

PROP. If  $D_o \subseteq D'_o$ , then

- $\mathcal{F}^g(D_o)$  is the section of  $\mathcal{F}^g(D'_o)$  with the coordinate plane  $\langle e_{\delta_o} \mid \delta_o \in D_o \rangle$ ,
- therefore,  $\mathcal{F}^g(D_o)$  is also realized by the projection of  $\text{Asso}(D_o)$  on  $\langle e_{\delta_o} \mid \delta_o \in D_o \rangle$ .



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# EXTENSIONS TO CLUSTER ALGEBRAS

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

# CLUSTER ALGEBRAS

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

clusters computed by a mutation process :

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

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

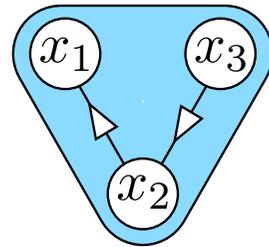
$$x_k \cdot x'_k = \prod_{\{i \mid b_{ik} > 0\}} x_i^{b_{ik}} + \prod_{\{i \mid b_{ik} < 0\}} x_i^{-b_{ik}}$$

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

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

# CLUSTER MUTATION

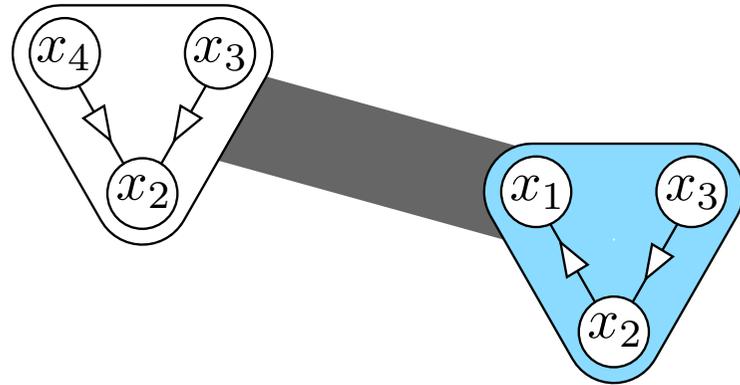
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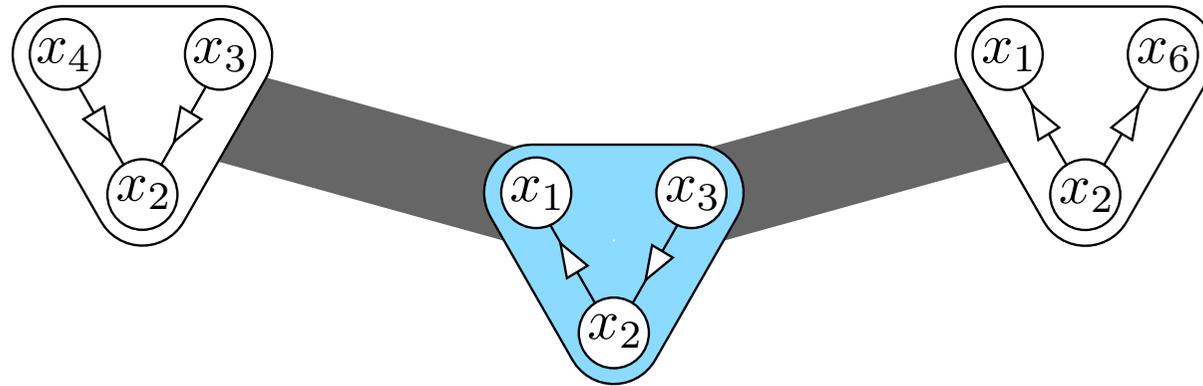


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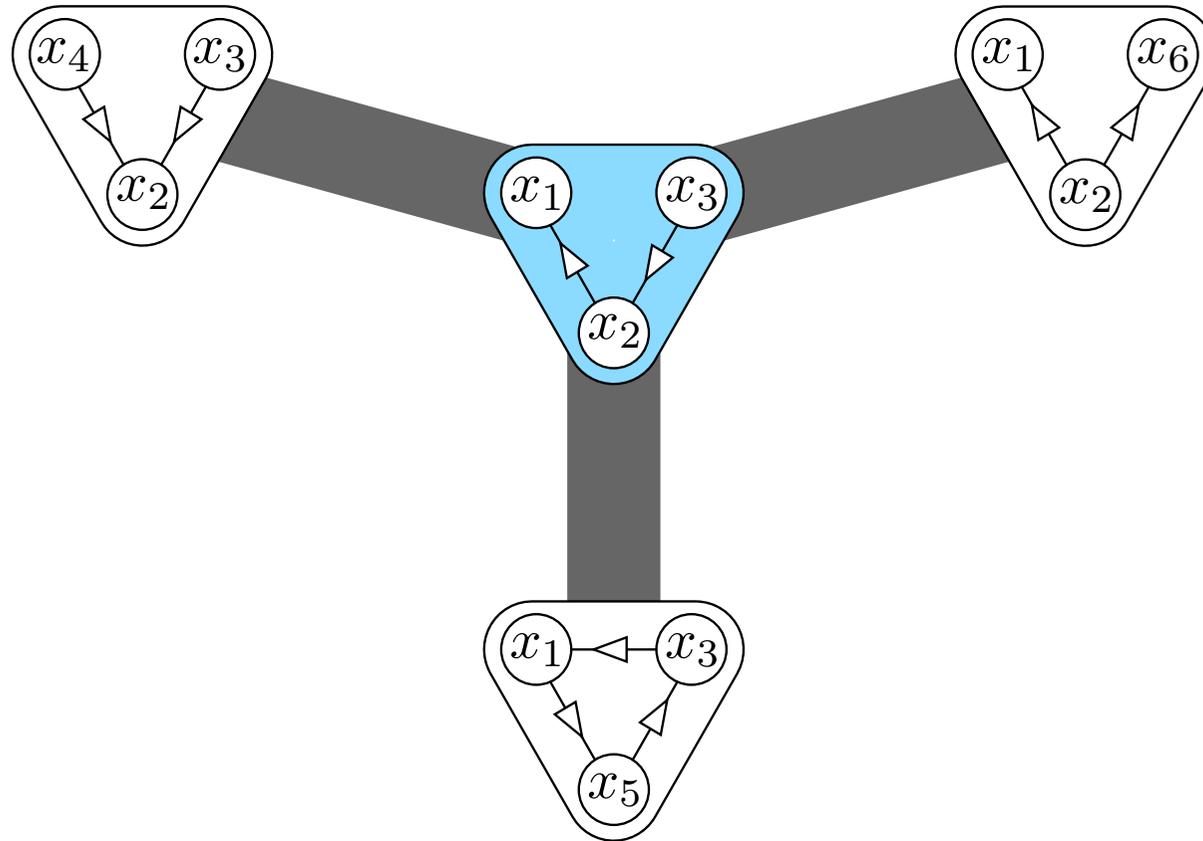


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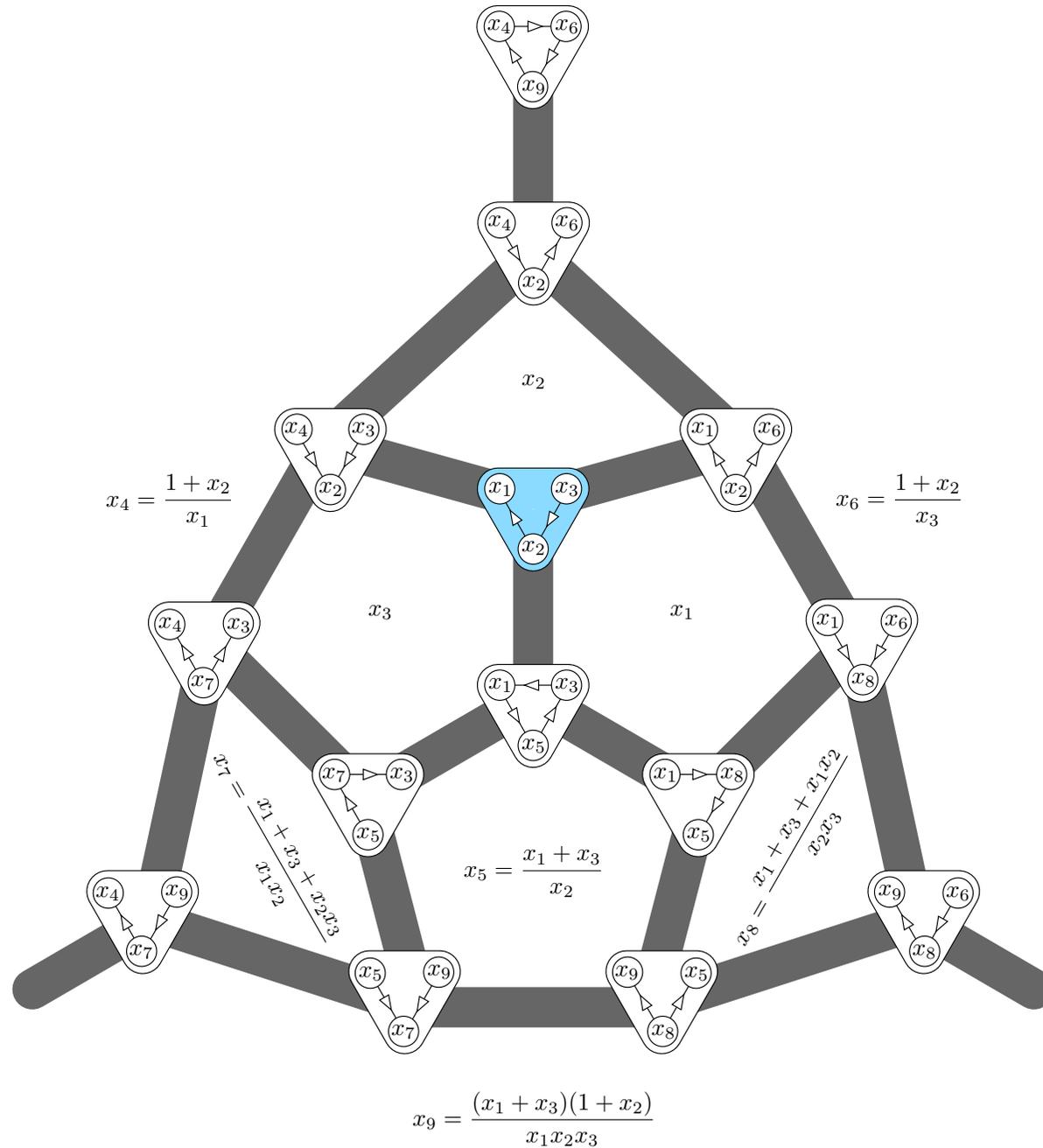
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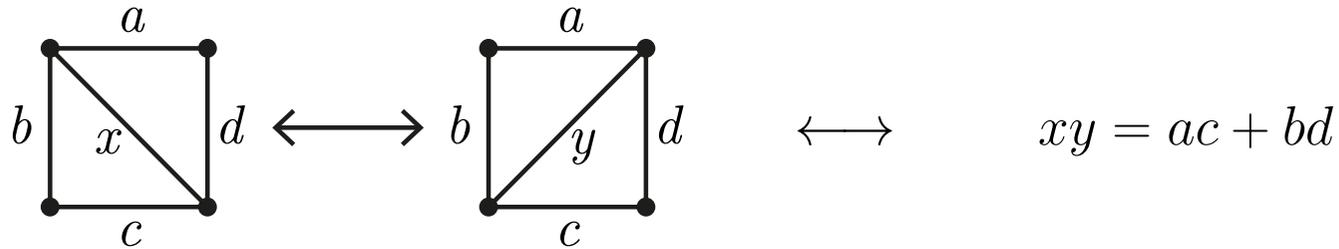


# CLUSTER ALGEBRA FROM TRIANGULATIONS

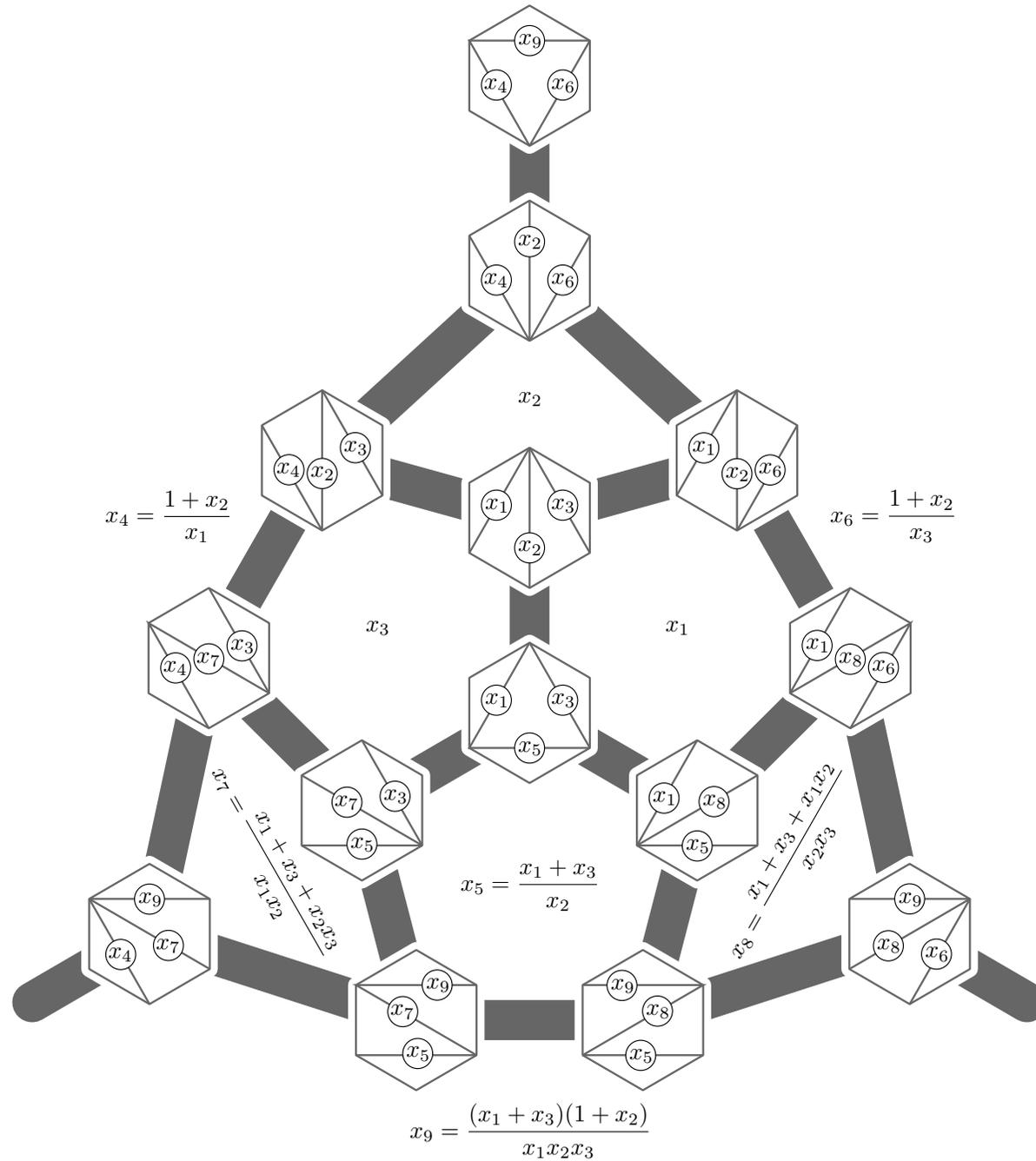
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One constructs a cluster algebra from the triangulations of a polygon:

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



# CLUSTER MUTATION GRAPH



# CLUSTER ALGEBRAS

**THM.** (Laurent phenomenon)

Fomin-Zelevinsky ('02)

All cluster variables are Laurent polynomials in the variables of the initial cluster seed.

**THM.** (Classification)

Fomin-Zelevinsky ('03)

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

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

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

# COXETER UNIVERSAL ASSOCIAHEDRON

$g$ - and  $c$ -vectors of cluster variables are defined using principal coefficients  
universal  $c$ -vectors are defined using universal coefficients

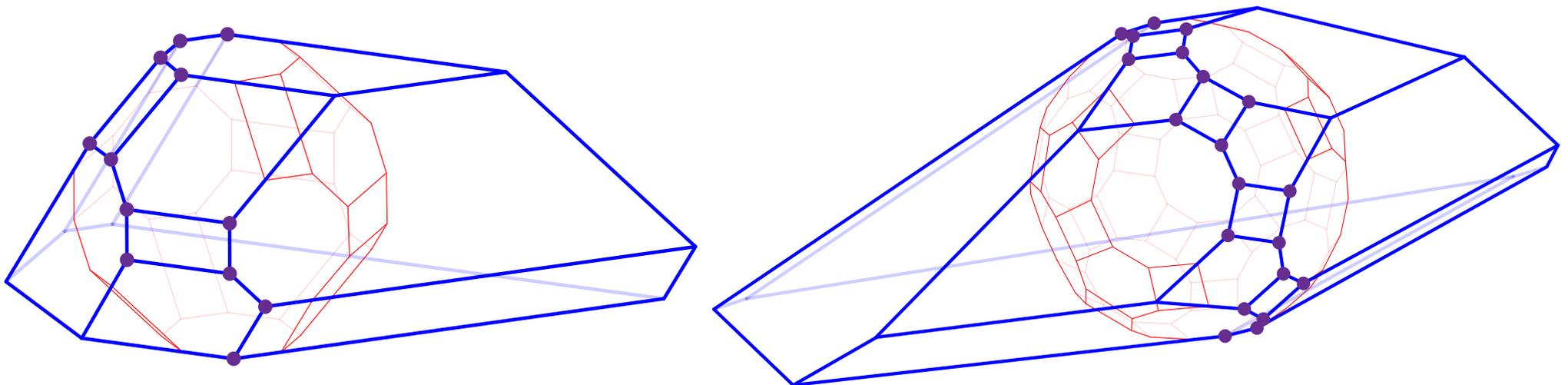
**THM.**  $\Gamma$  finite type Dynkin diagram and  $h : \text{cluster vars} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  exchange submodular.  
Define the universal  $\Gamma$ -associahedron  $\text{Asso}_{\text{un}}(\Gamma)$  as the convex hull of the points

$$\mathbf{p}_{\text{un}}(\Sigma) := \sum_{x \in \Sigma} h(x) \cdot \mathbf{c}_{\text{un}}(x \in \Sigma)$$

for all seeds  $\Sigma$  in the cluster algebra of type  $\Gamma$ .

Then for any initial seed  $\Sigma_{\circ}$ , the  $g$ -vector fan  $\mathcal{F}^g(\Sigma_{\circ})$  is the normal fan of the projection  $\text{Asso}(\Sigma_{\circ})$  of the universal associahedron  $\text{Asso}_{\text{un}}(\Gamma)$  on the coordinate plane  $\mathbb{R}^{\Gamma}$ .

Hohlweg-P.-Stella ('18)



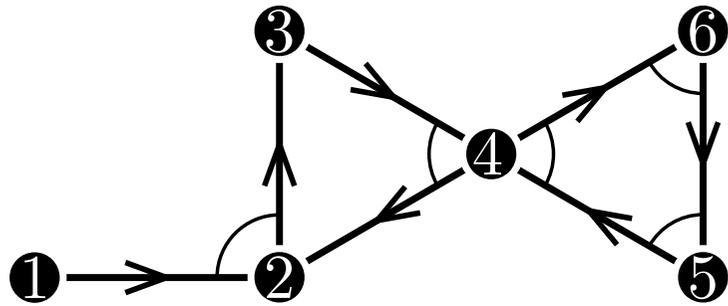
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# NON-KISSING COMPLEX

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Brüstle–Douville–Mousavand–Thomas–Yıldırım, *Combinatorics of gentle algebras* ('20)  
Palu–P.–Plamondon, *Non-kissing complexes and  $\tau$ -tilting for gentle algebras* ('21)

# GENTLE QUIVERS AND STRINGS

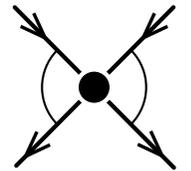


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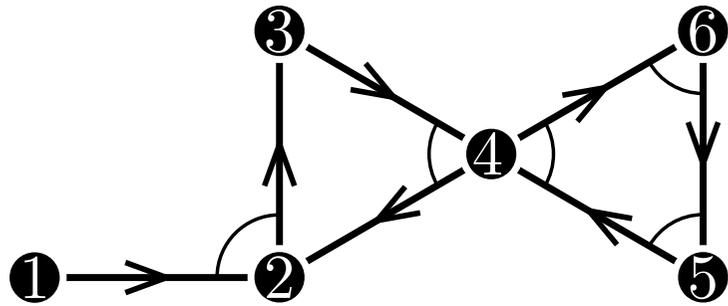
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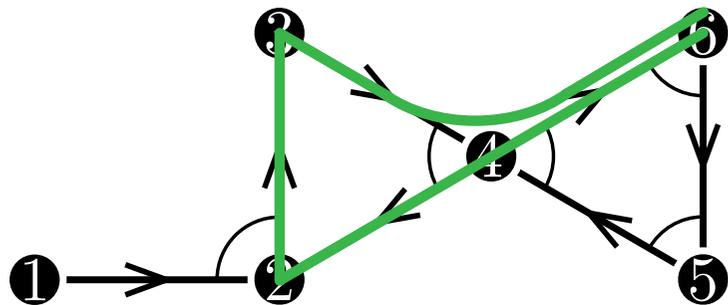
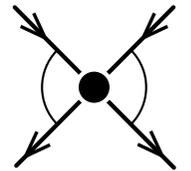


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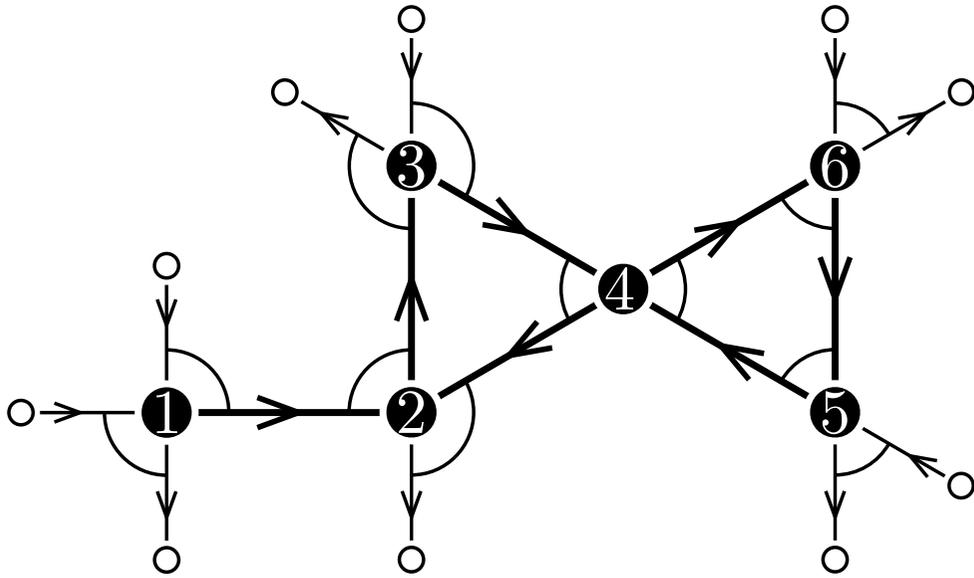


string  $\sigma = \alpha_1^{\varepsilon_1} \dots \alpha_\ell^{\varepsilon_\ell}$  with  $\alpha_k \in Q_1$ ,  $\varepsilon_k \in \{-1, 1\}$  such that

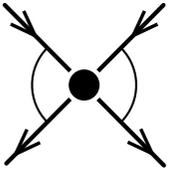
- $t(\alpha_k^{\varepsilon_k}) = s(\alpha_{k+1}^{\varepsilon_{k+1}})$
- contains no factor  $\pi$  or  $\pi^{-1}$  for any path  $\pi \in I$
- contains no  $\alpha\alpha^{-1}$  or  $\alpha^{-1}\alpha$  for any arrow  $\alpha \in Q_1$

# BLOSSOMING QUIVERS AND WALKS

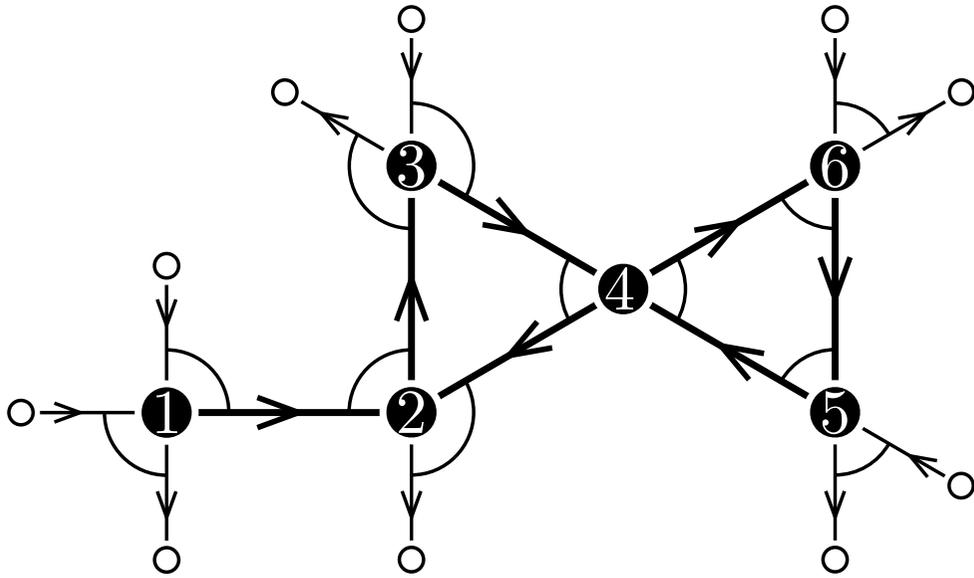
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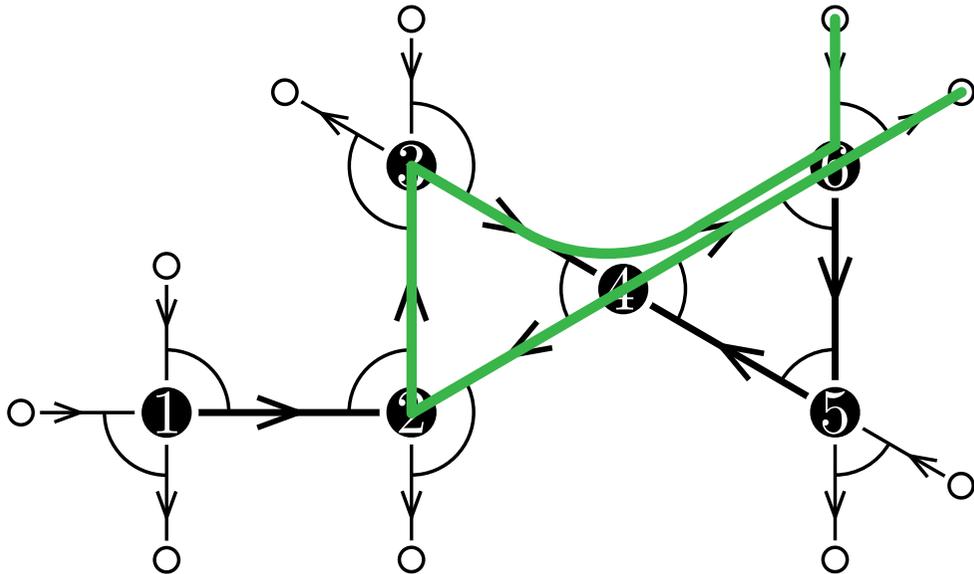
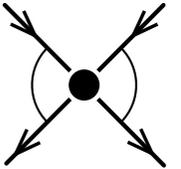
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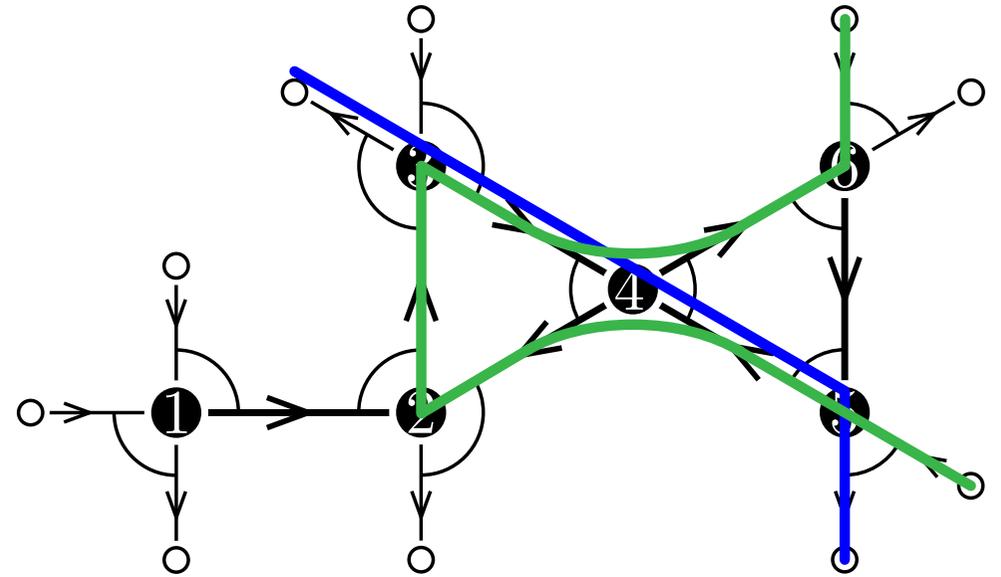
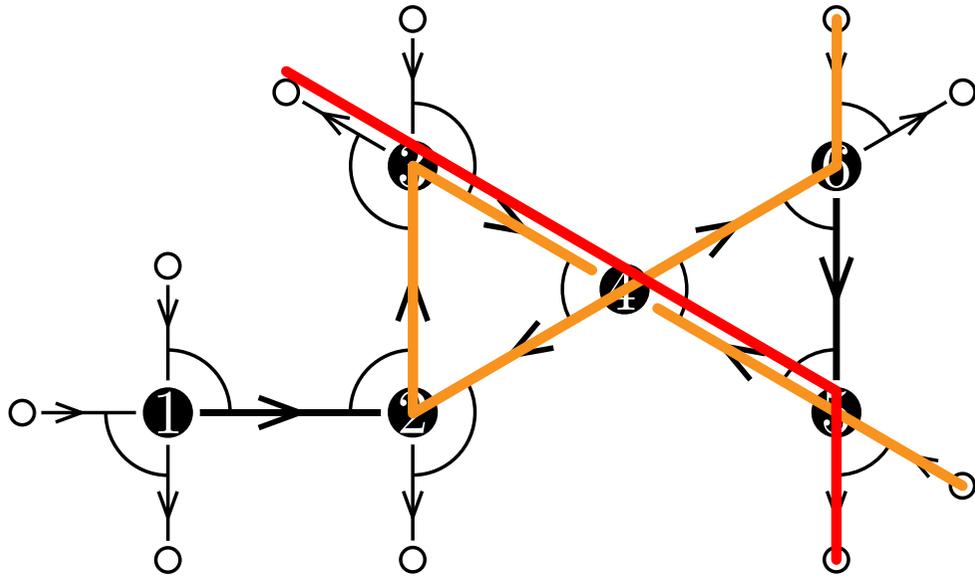
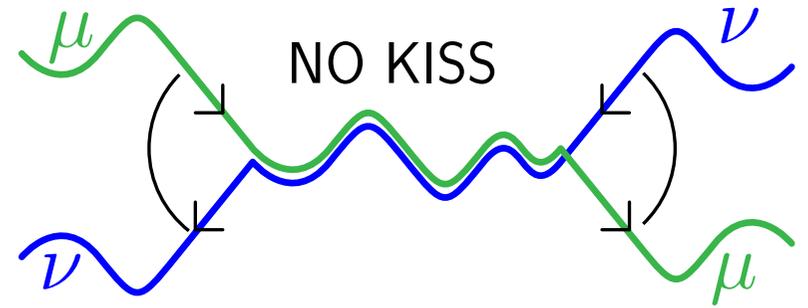
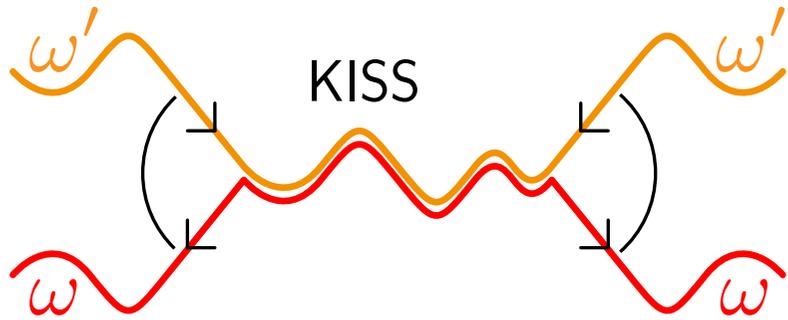


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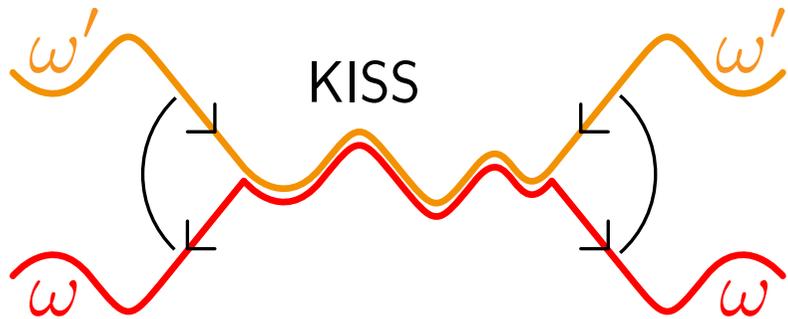


walk  $\omega$  = maximal string in  $\bar{Q}^*$   
from blossoms to blossoms

# KISSING

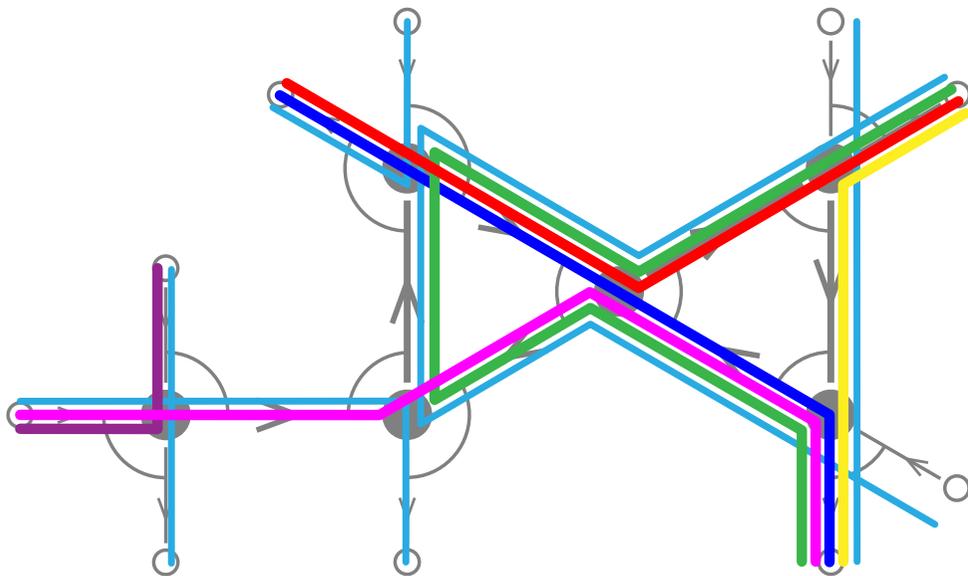
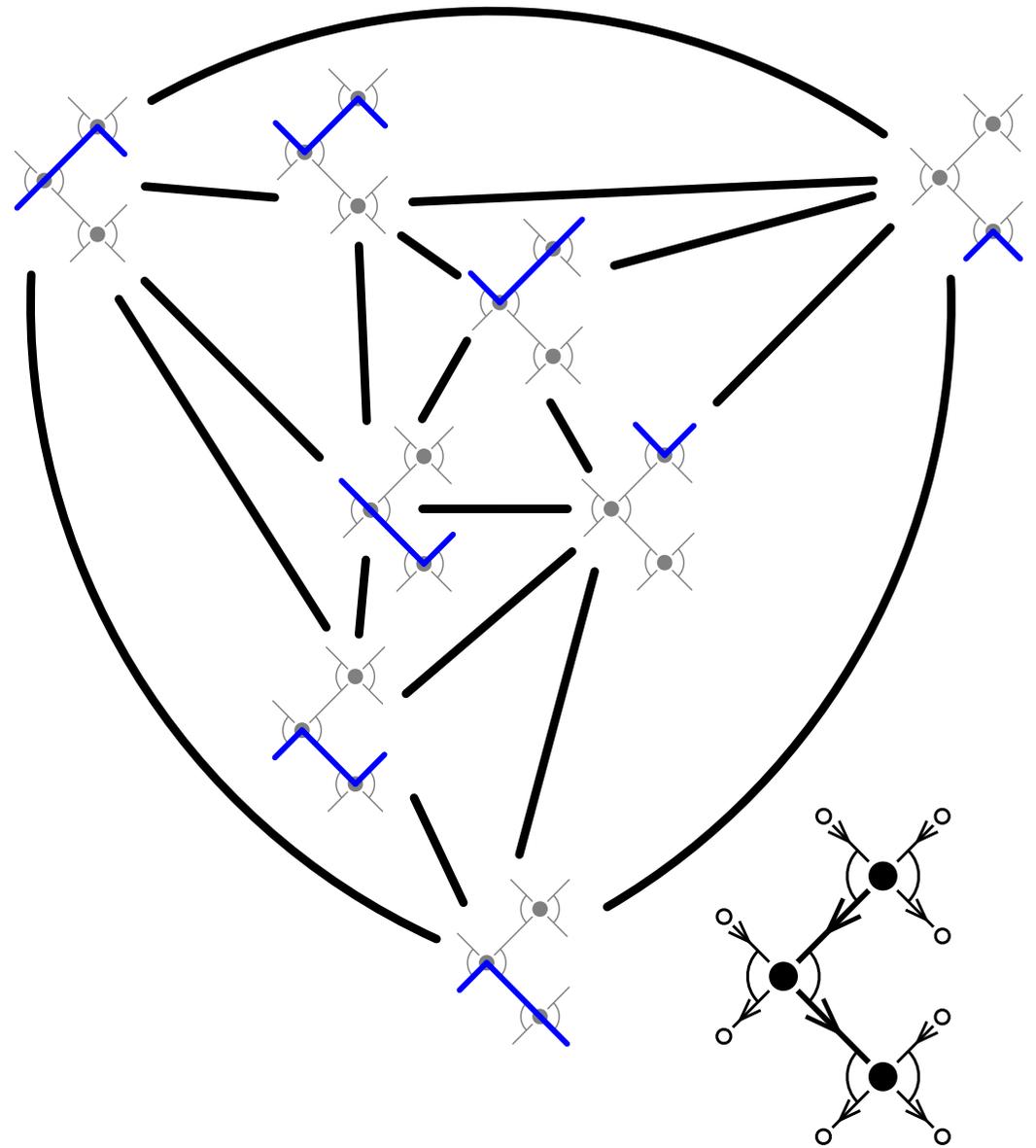


# NON-KISSING COMPLEX



[reduced] non-kissing complex  $\mathcal{K}_{nk}(\bar{Q}) =$

- vertices = [bending] walks in  $\bar{Q}^*$  (that are not self-kissing)
- faces = collections of pairwise non-kissing [bending] walks in  $\bar{Q}^*$



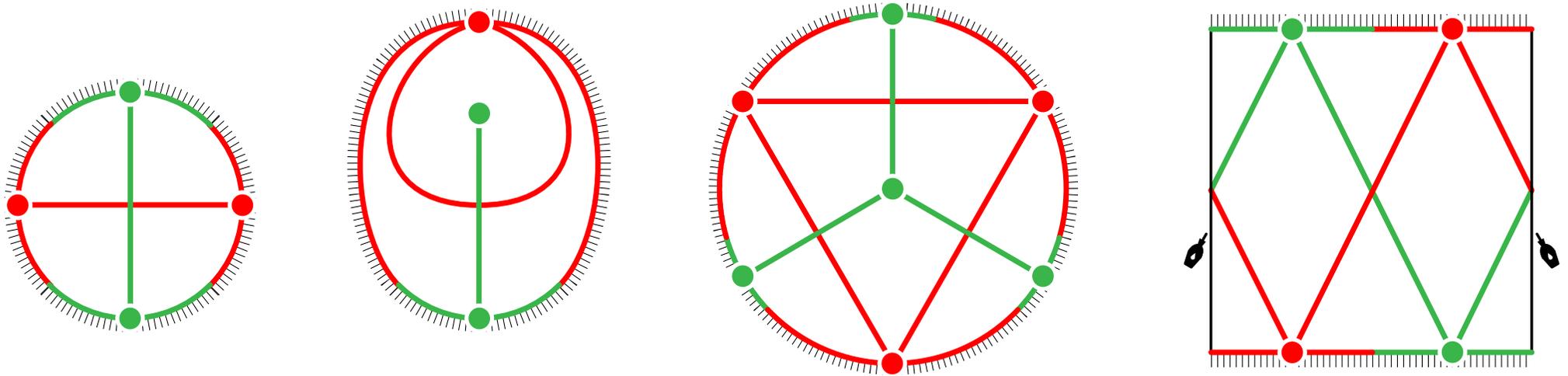
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# NON-KISSING VS NON-CROSSING

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Palu–P.–Plamondon,  
*Non-kissing and non-crossing complexes for locally gentle algebras* ('19)

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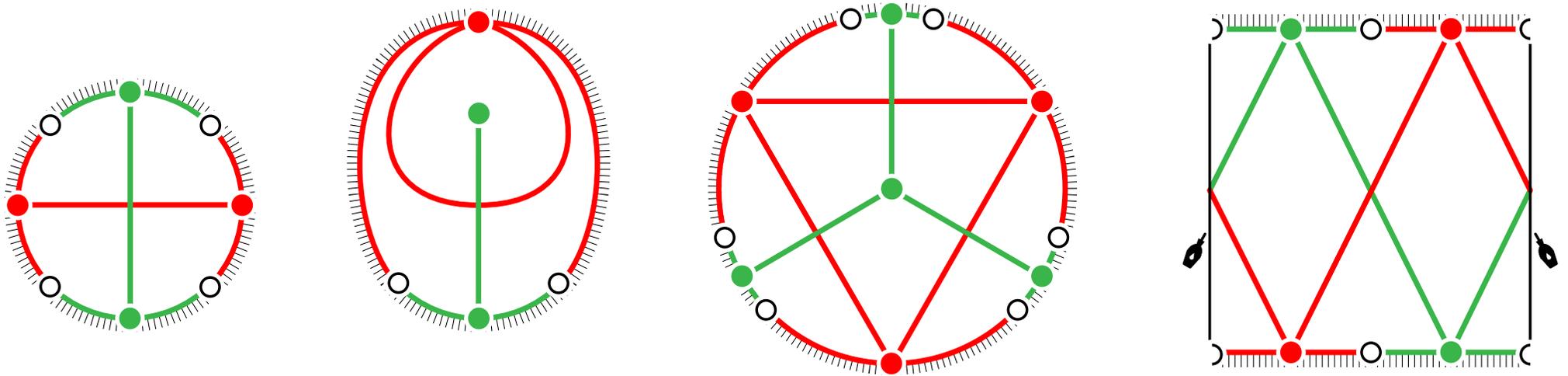


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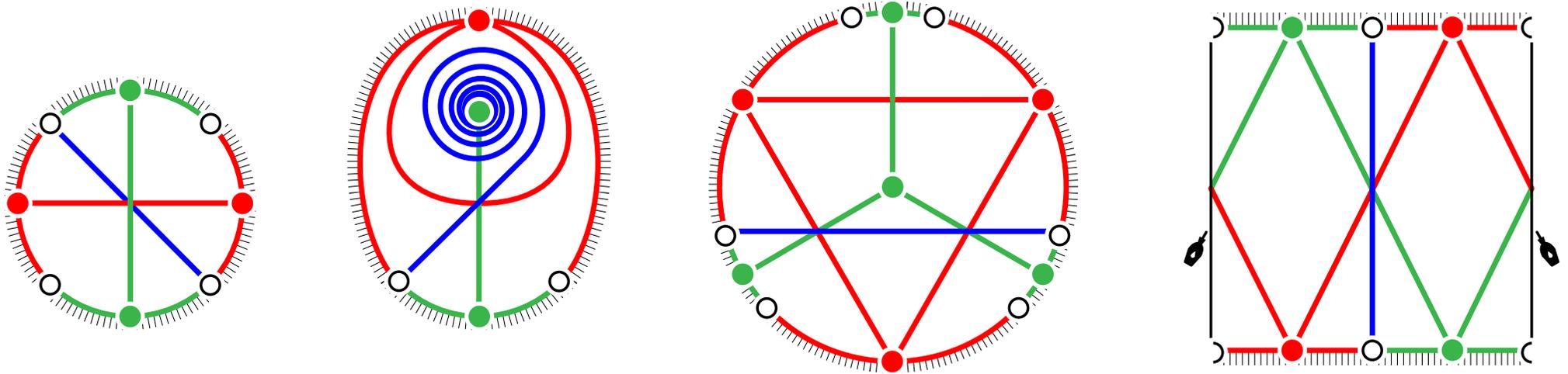
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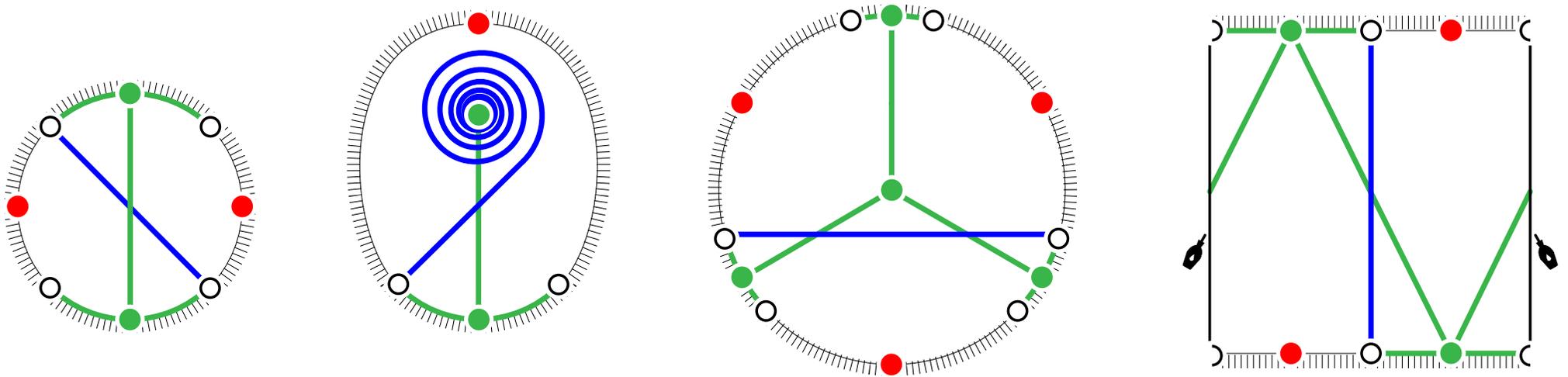
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B-curve = curve which at each endpoint either reaches a blossom point or infinitely circles around a puncture of  $\mathcal{S}$

# ACCORDIONS

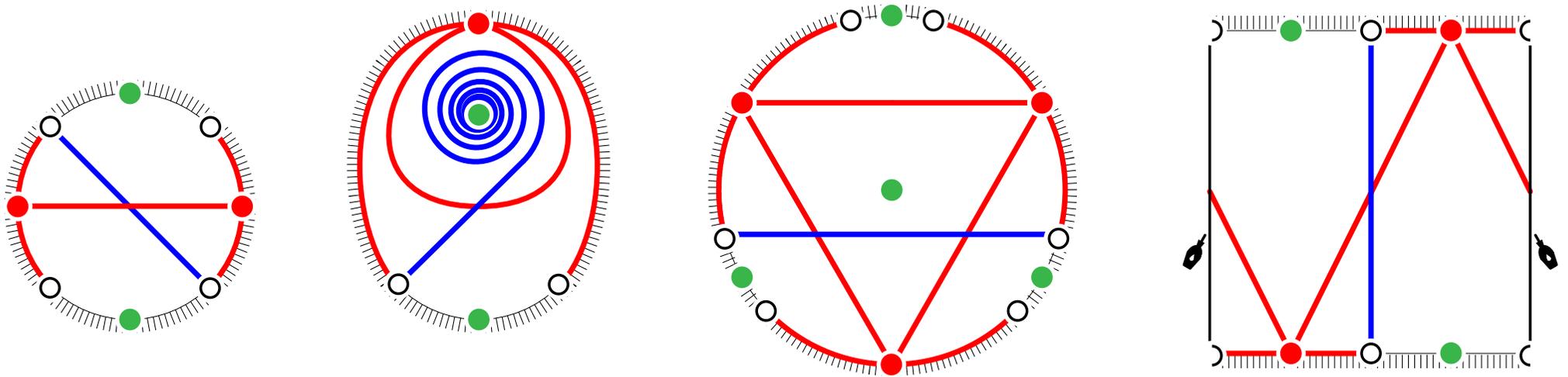


D-accordion =  $B$ -curve  $\alpha$  such that whenever  $\alpha$  meets a face  $f$  of  $\mathbb{D}$ ,

- (i) it enters crossing an edge  $a$  of  $f$  and leaves crossing an edge  $b$  of  $f$
- (ii) the two edges  $a$  and  $b$  of  $f$  crossed by  $\alpha$  are consecutive along the boundary of  $f$ ,
- (iii)  $\alpha$ ,  $a$  and  $b$  bound a disk inside  $f$  that does not contain  $f^*$ .

D-accordion complex = simplicial complex of pairwise non-crossing sets of  $\mathbb{D}$ -accordions

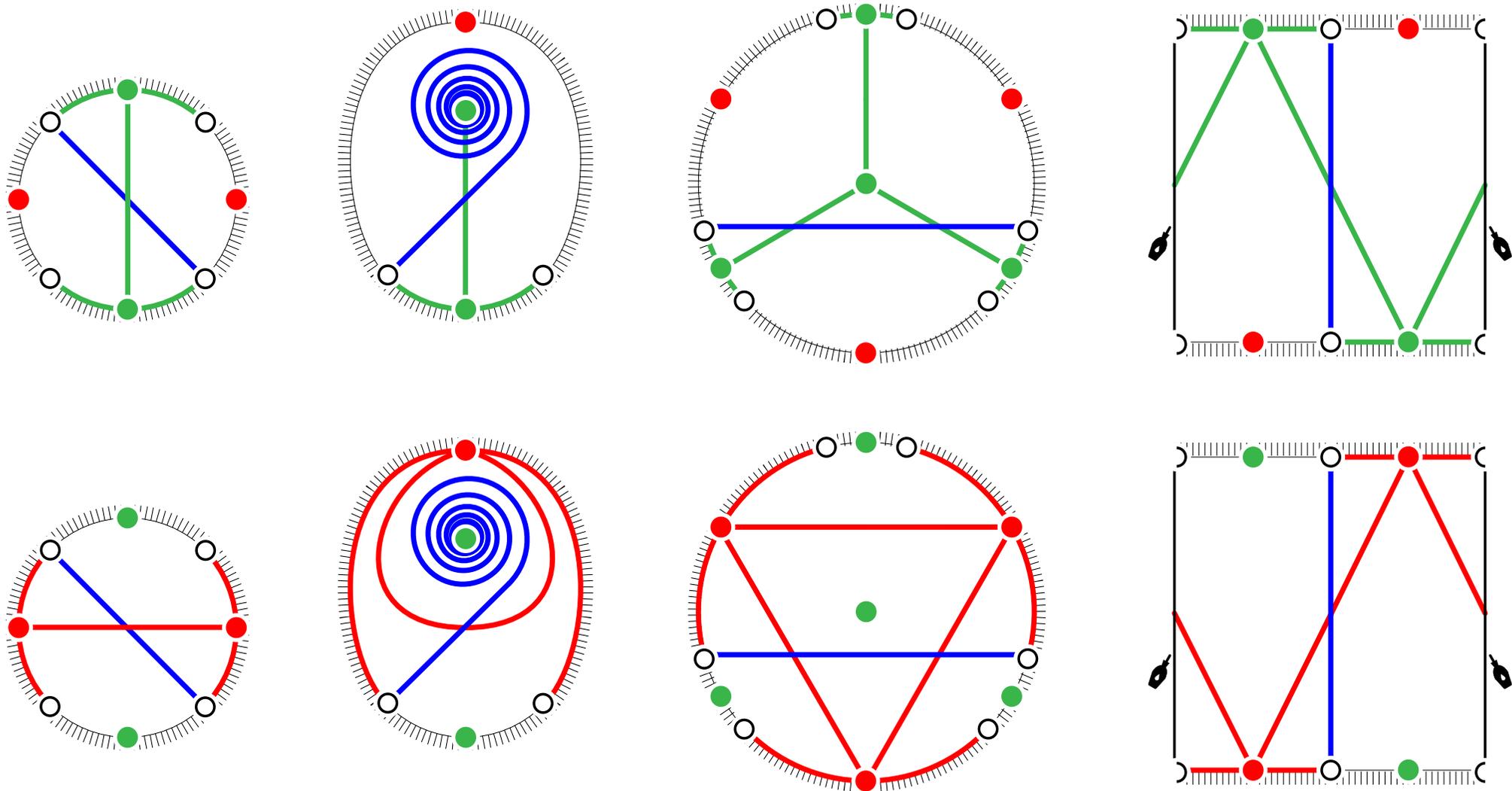
# SLALOMS



$D^*$ -slalom =  $B$ -curve  $\alpha$  of  $\bar{\mathcal{S}}$  such that, whenever  $\alpha$  crosses an edge  $a^*$  of  $D^*$  contained in two faces  $f^*, g^*$  of  $D^*$ , the marked points  $f$  and  $g$  lie on opposite sides of  $\alpha$  in the union of  $f^*$  and  $g^*$  glued along  $a^*$ .

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# D-ACCORDIONS = D\*-SLALOMS

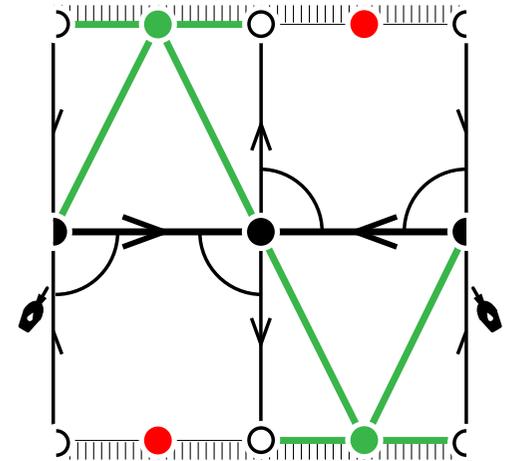
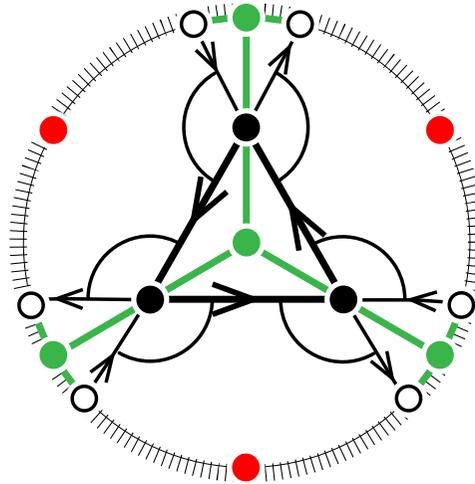
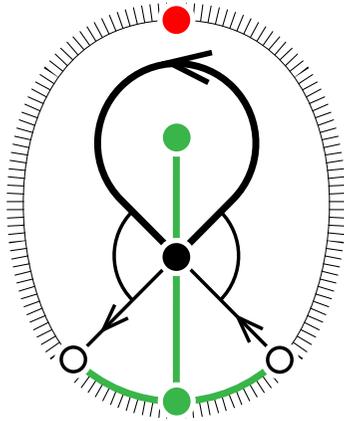
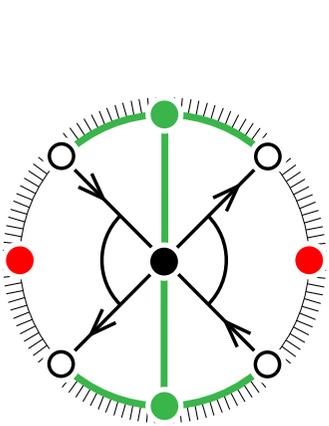


(D, D\*)-non-crossing complex = D-accordion complex = D\*-slalom complex

# QUIVER OF A DISSECTION

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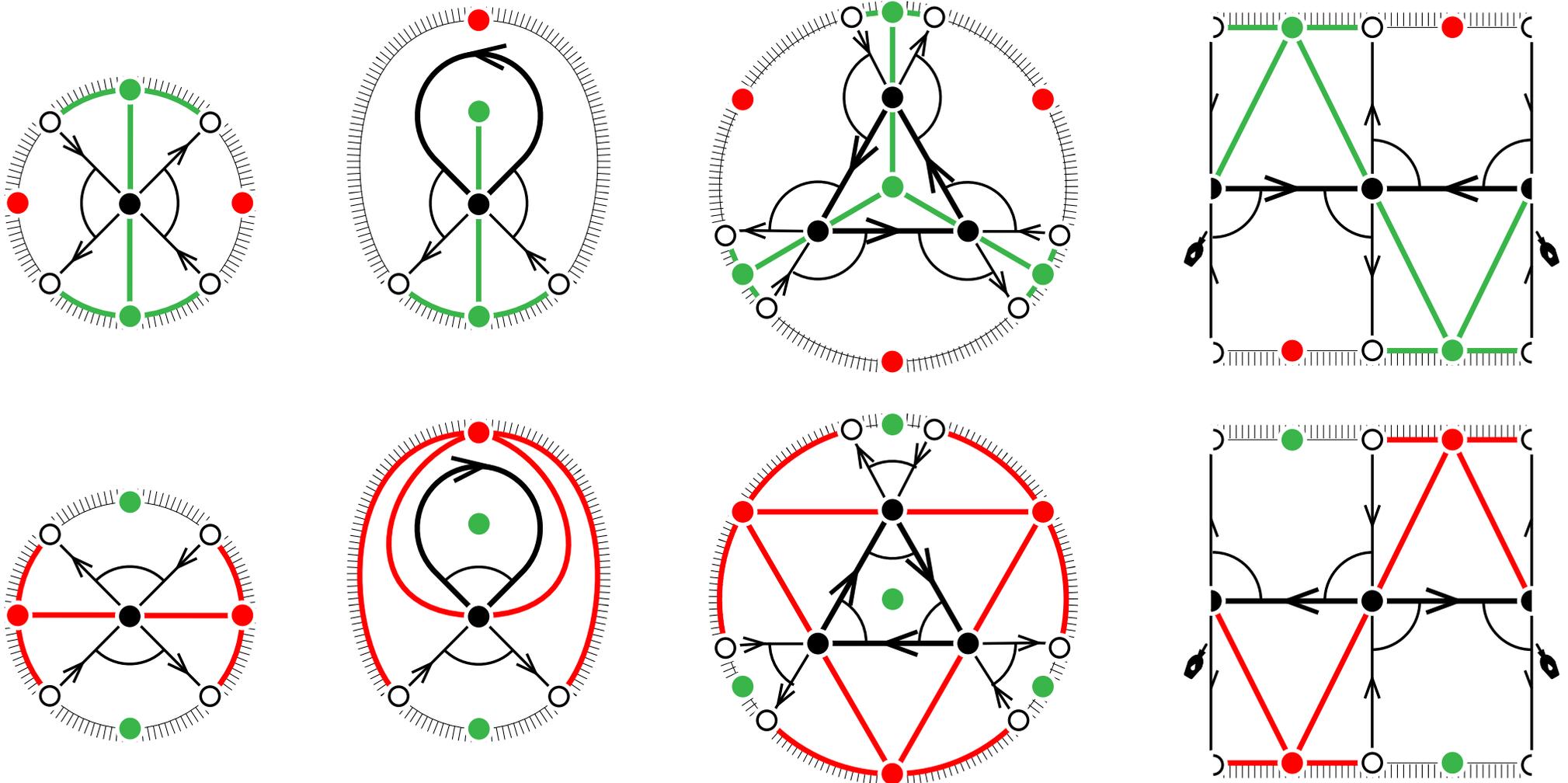
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- arrows = two consecutive edges around a face of  $D$
- relations = three consecutive edges around a face of  $D$



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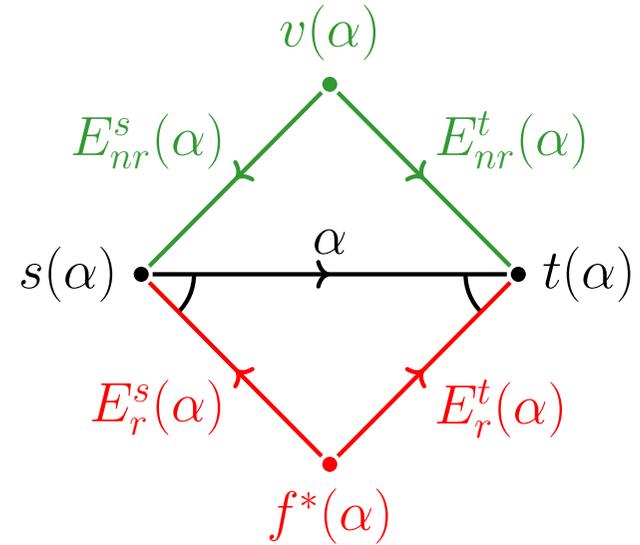
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# SURFACE OF A GENTLE QUIVER

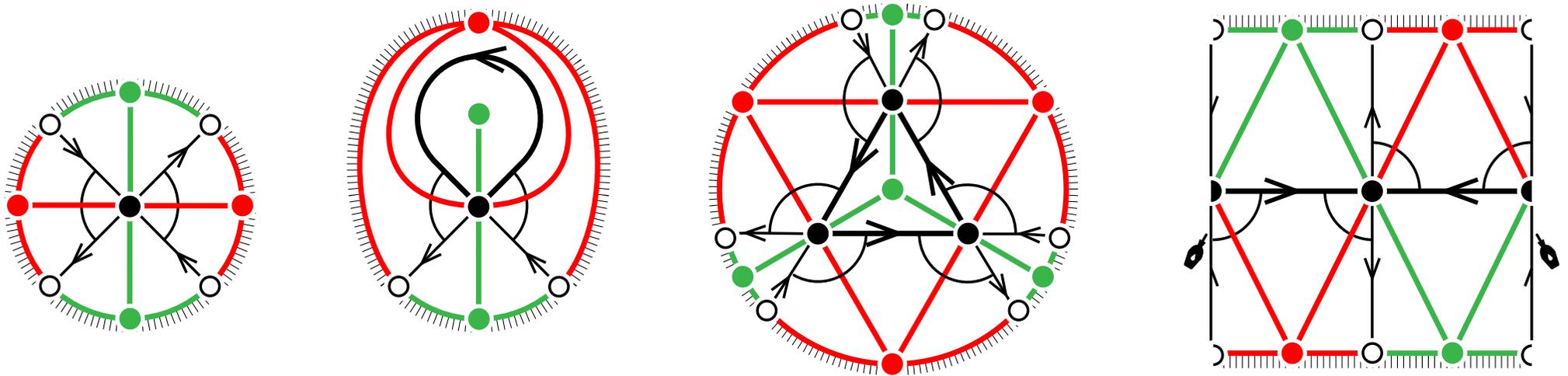
surface  $\mathcal{S}_{\bar{Q}}$  of quiver  $\bar{Q} = \text{surface obtained from the blossoming quiver } \bar{Q}^*$  as follows:

(i) for each arrow  $\alpha \in Q_1^*$ , consider a lozenge



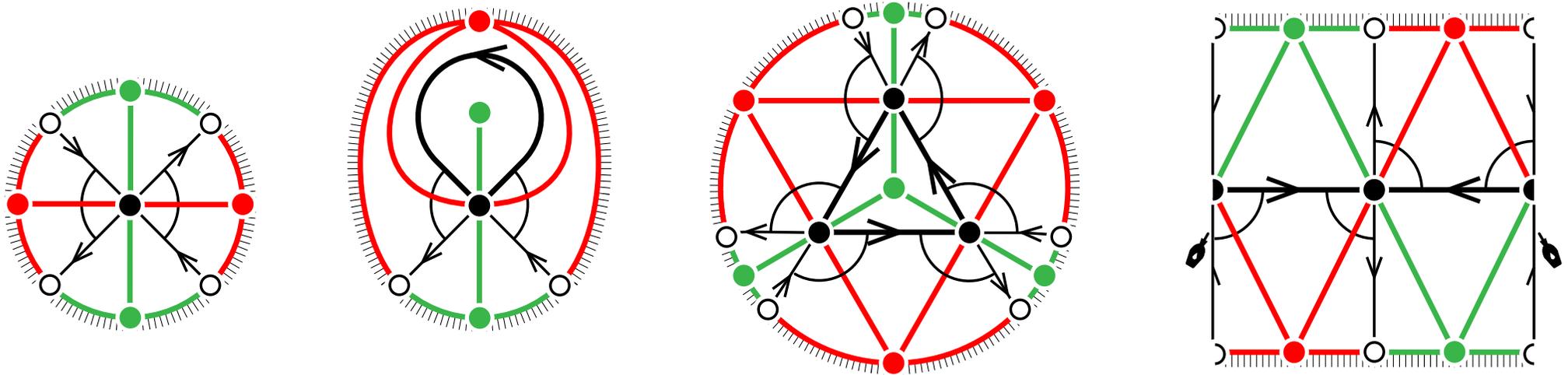
(ii) for any  $\alpha, \beta \in Q_1^*$  with  $t(\alpha) = s(\beta)$ , proceed to the following identifications:

- if  $\alpha\beta \in I$ , then glue  $E_r^t(\alpha)$  with  $E_r^s(\beta)$ ,
- if  $\alpha\beta \notin I$ , then glue  $E_{nr}^t(\alpha)$  with  $E_{nr}^s(\beta)$ .

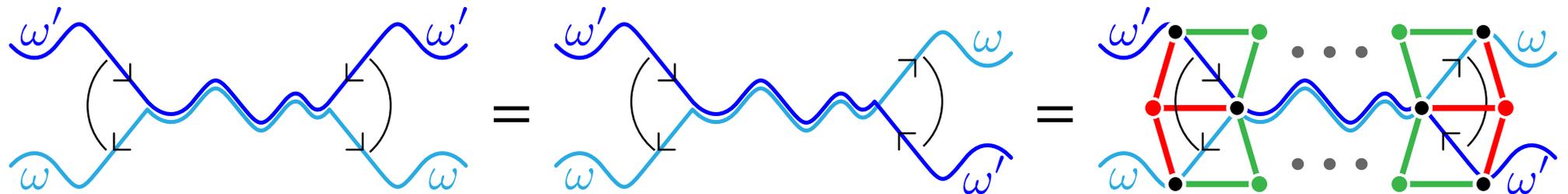


# NON-CROSSING VS NON-KISSING

**PROP.** The two previous constructions are inverse to each other and define bijections:  
 pairs of dual dissections on a surface  $\longleftrightarrow$  gentle quivers



**PROP.** It defines isomorphisms between:  
 non-crossing complex of dissections  $\longleftrightarrow$  non-kissing complex of gentle quiver

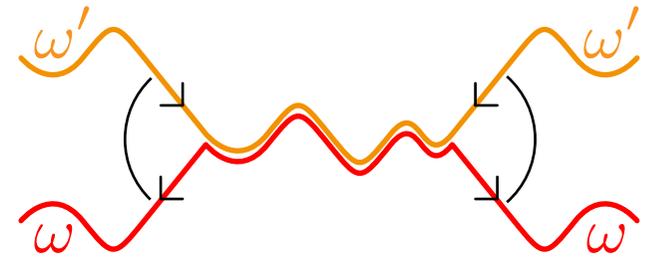


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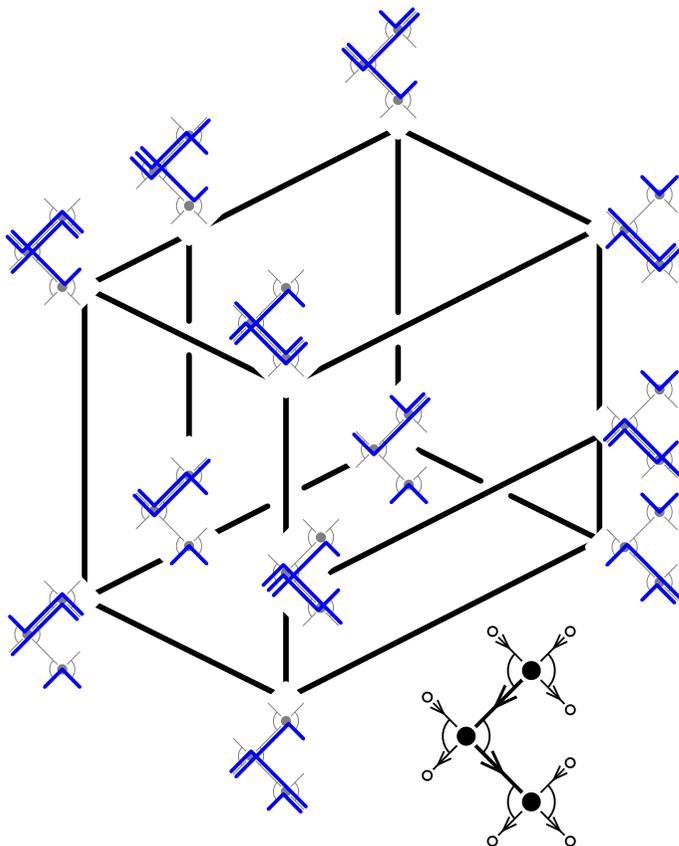
non-kissing complex  $\mathcal{K}_{\text{nk}}(\bar{Q}) =$

- vertices = walks in  $\bar{Q}^*$  (that are not self-kissing)
- faces = collections of pairwise non-kissing walks in  $\bar{Q}^*$

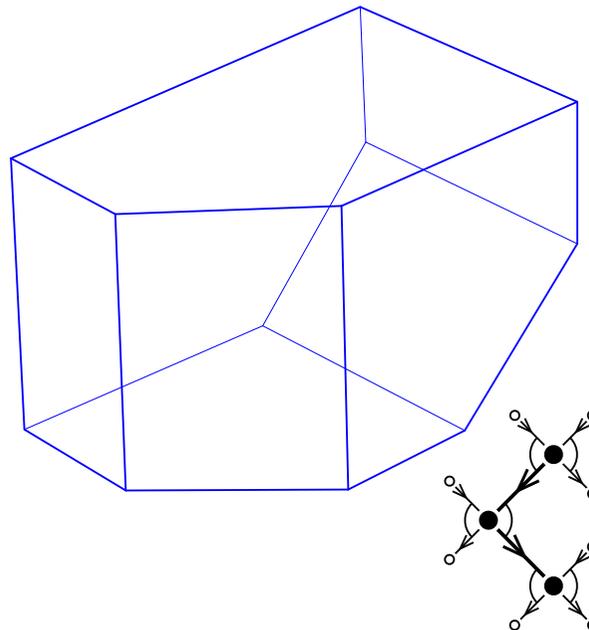
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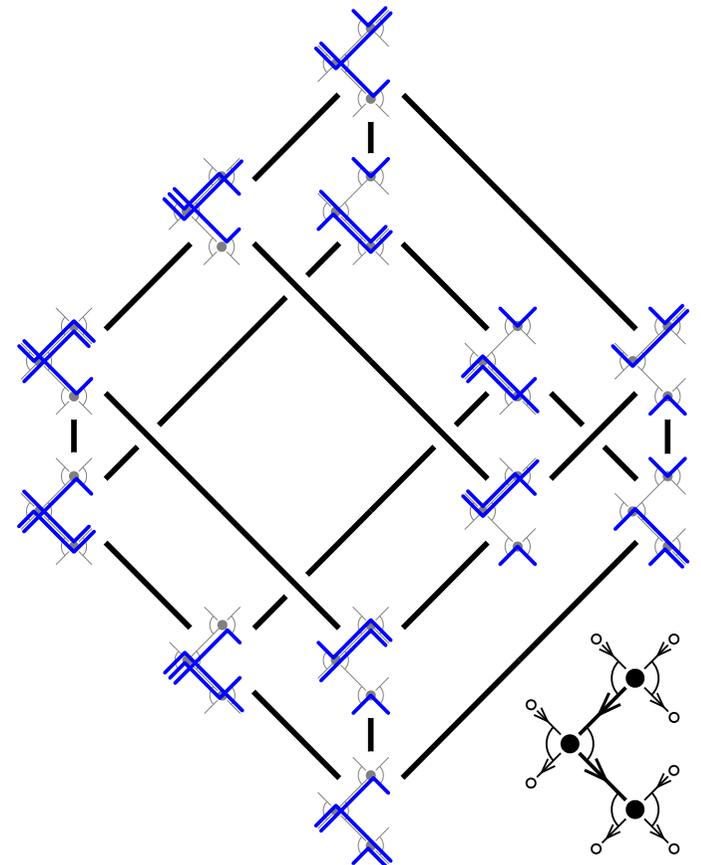
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Associahedron



Tamari lattice



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# DISTINGUISHED ARROWS AND FLIPS

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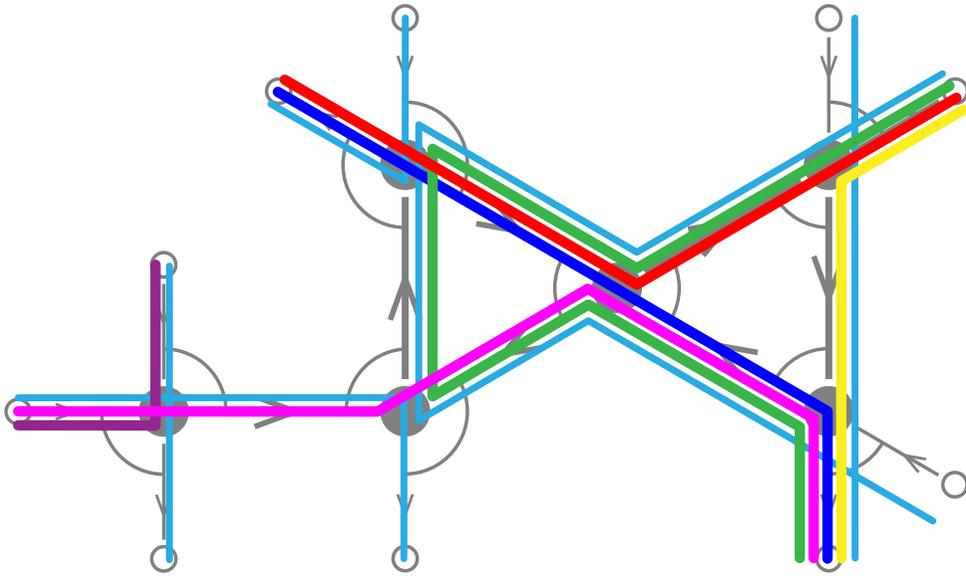
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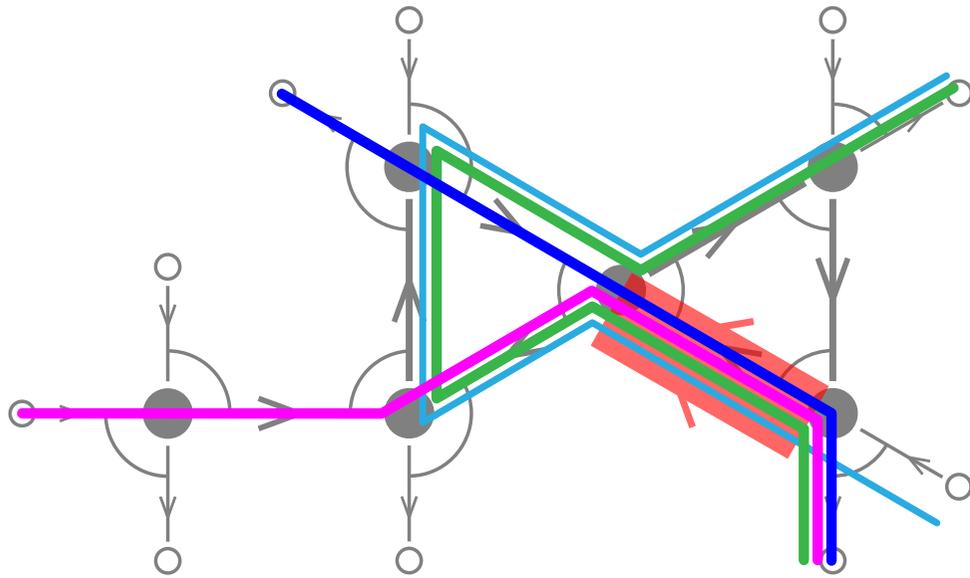
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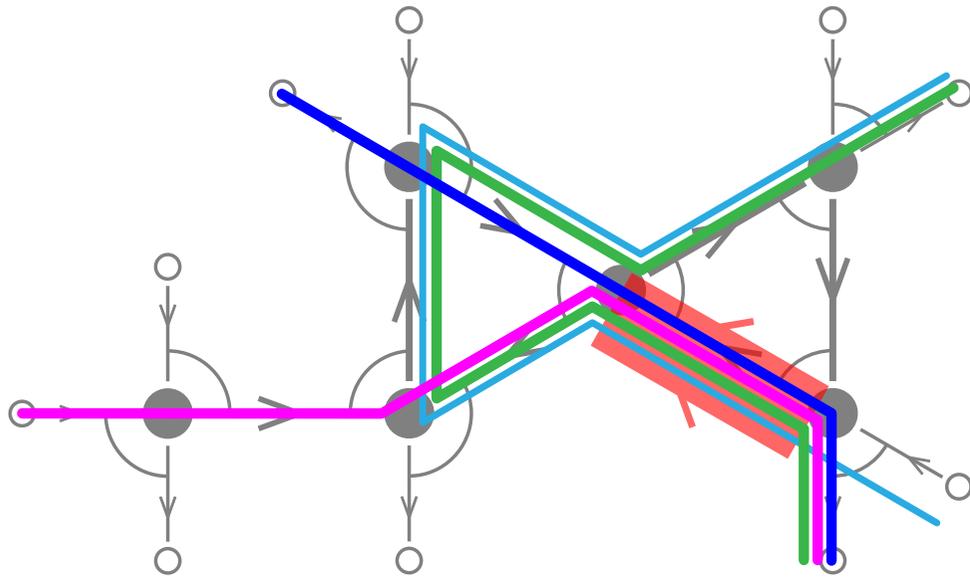


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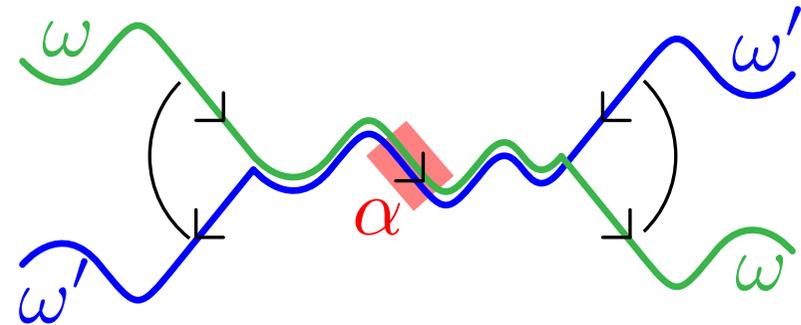
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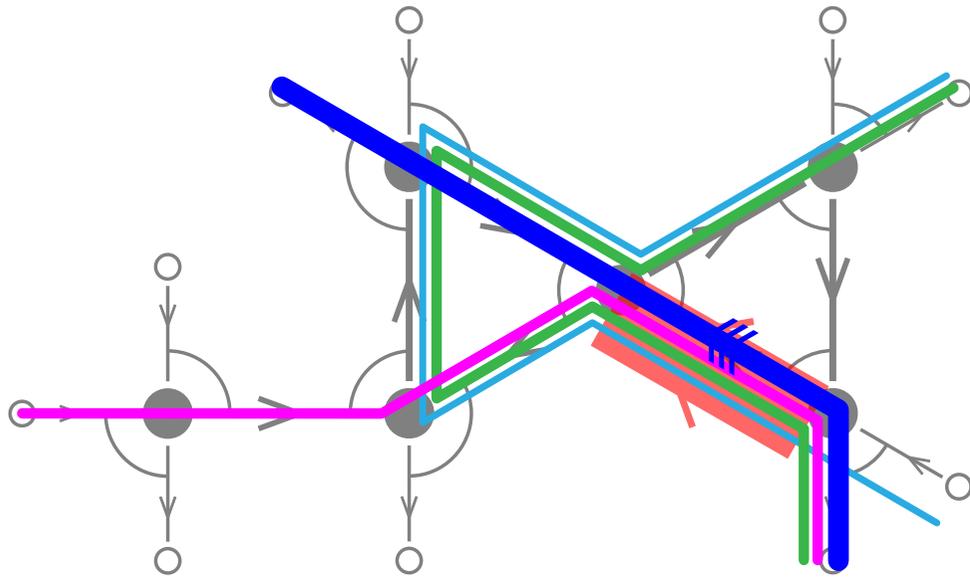
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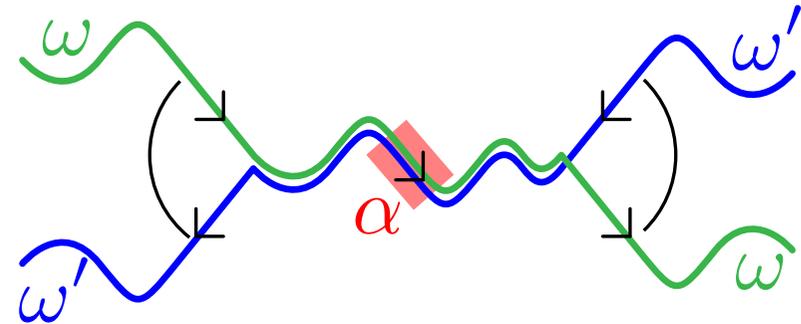
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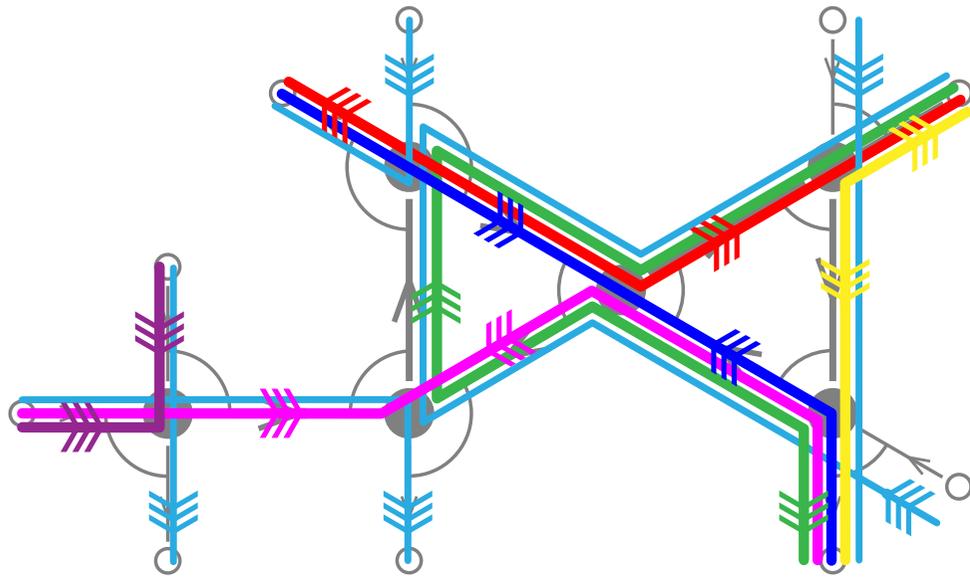


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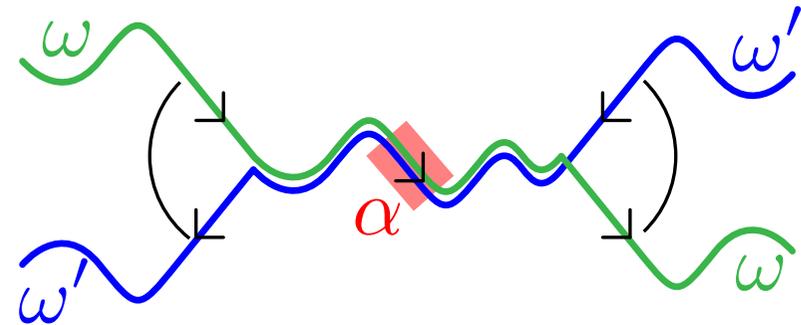
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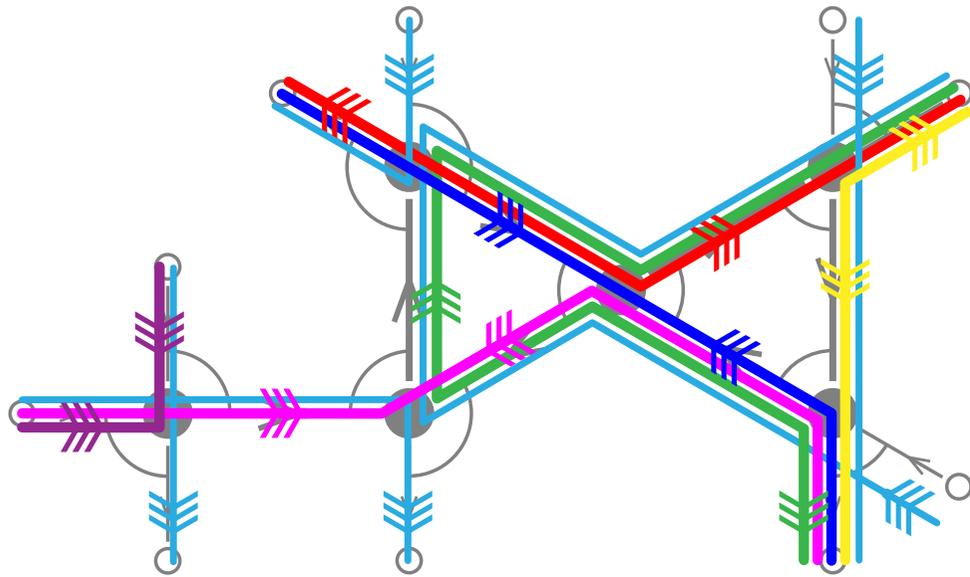
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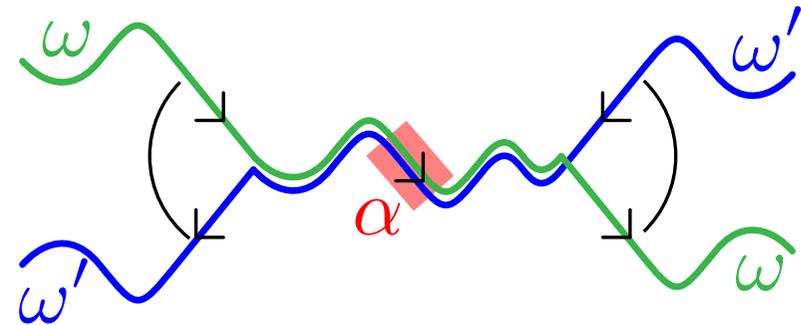
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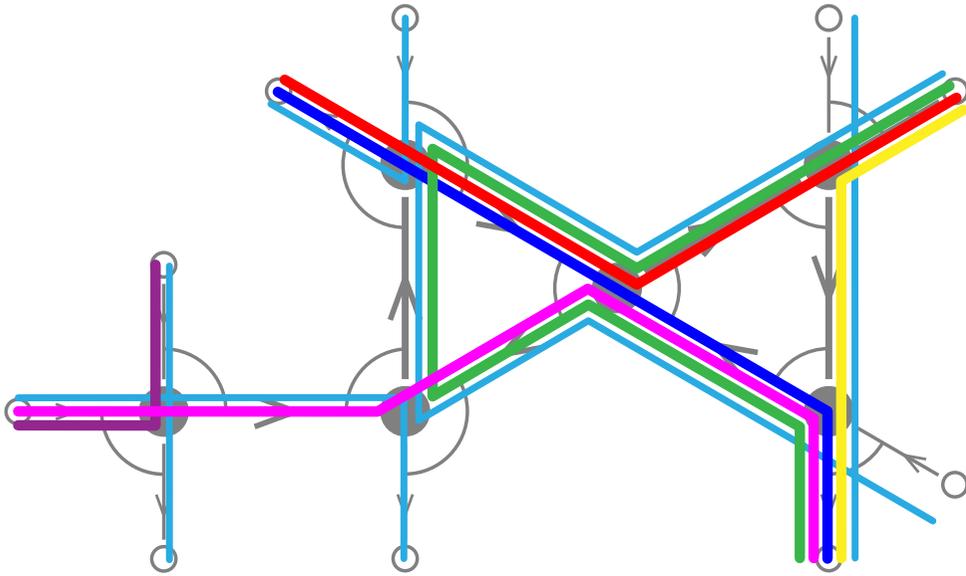
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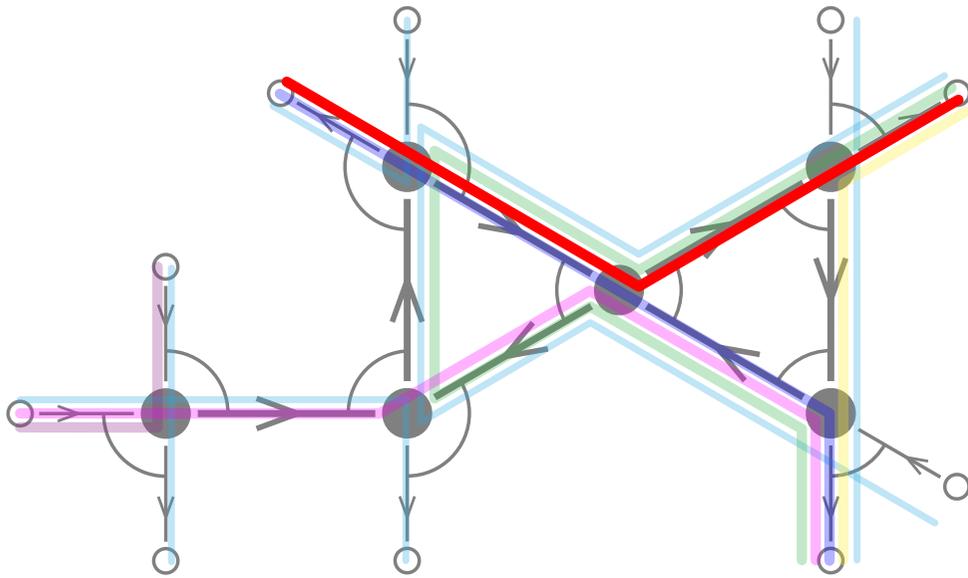
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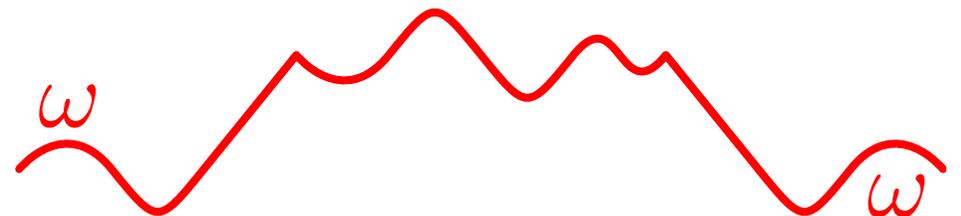
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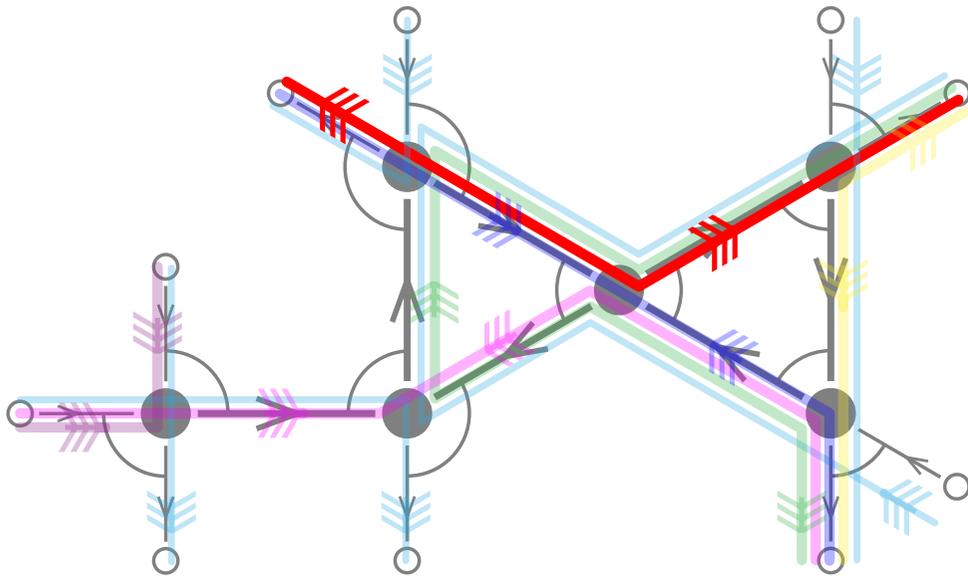


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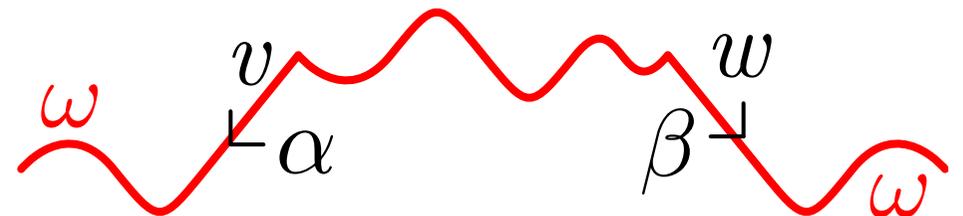
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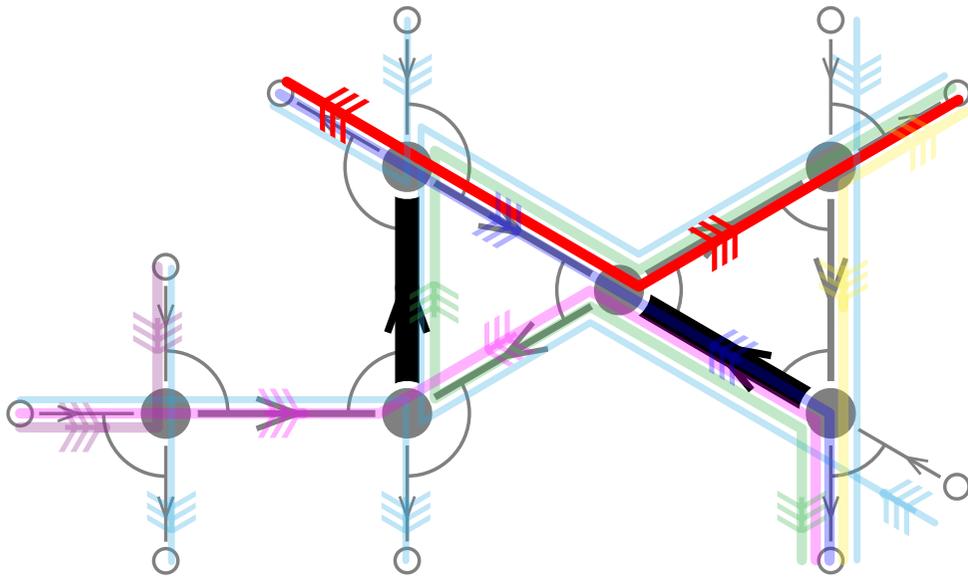
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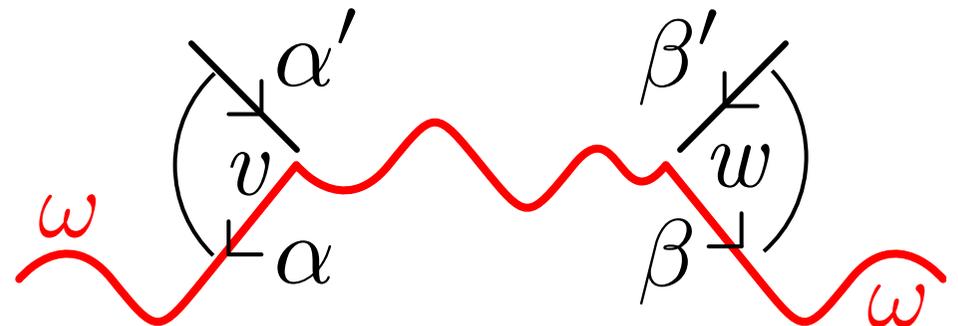


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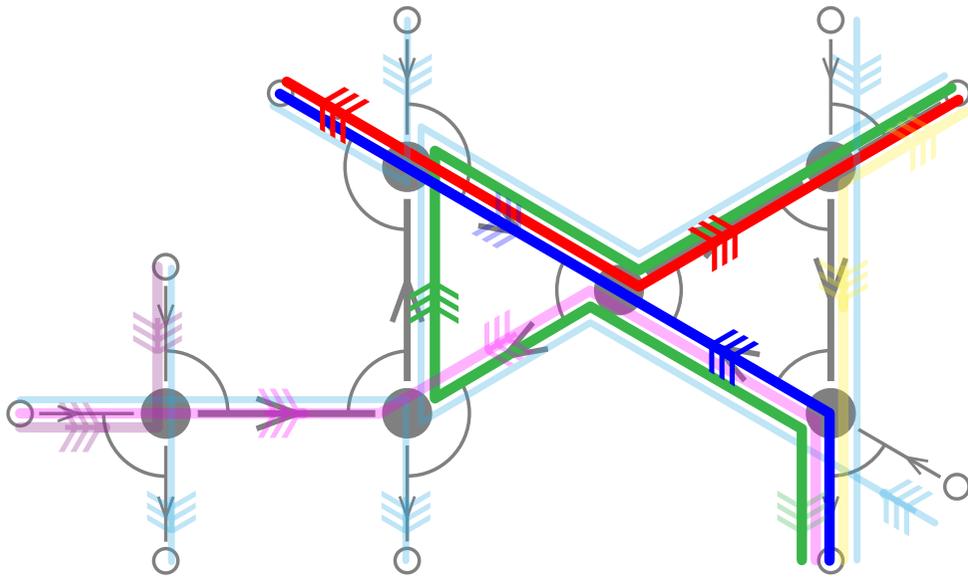
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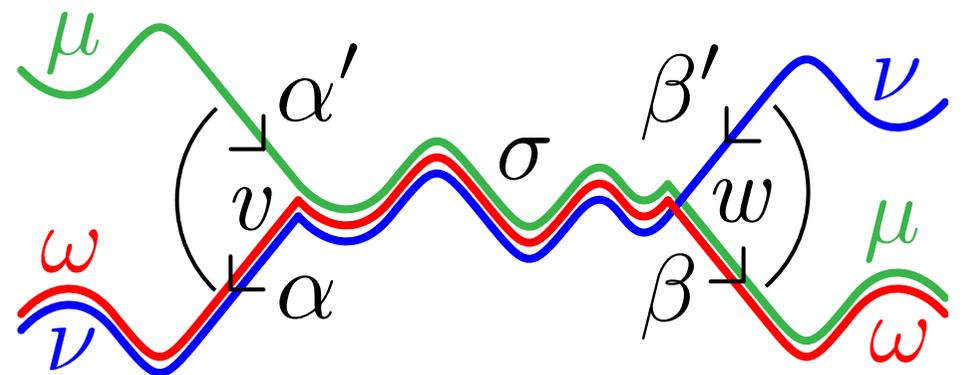
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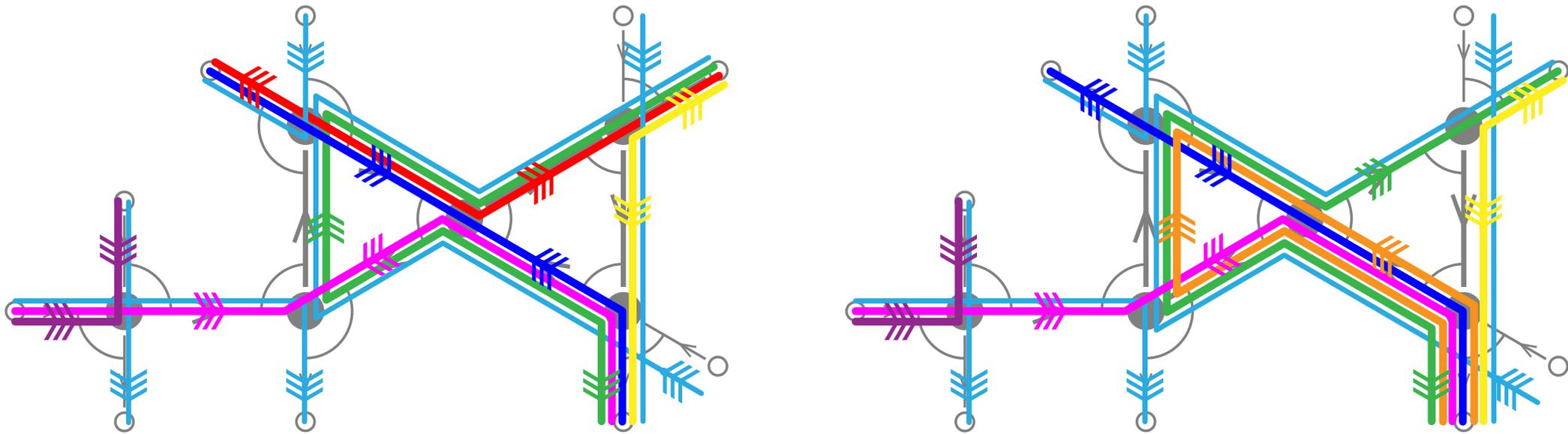
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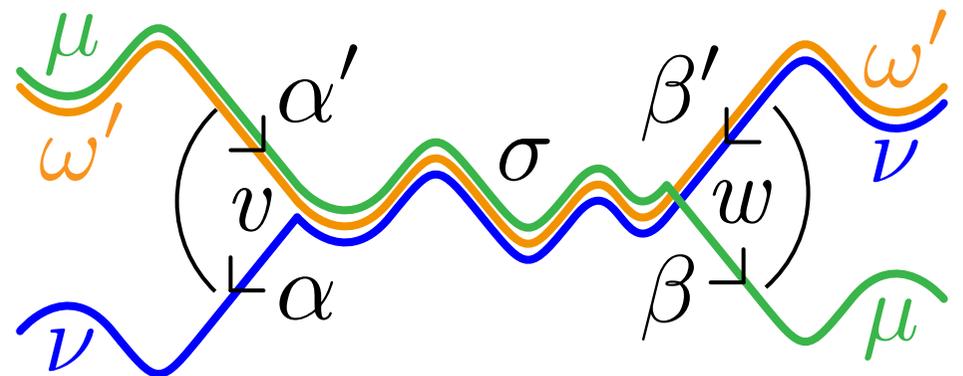
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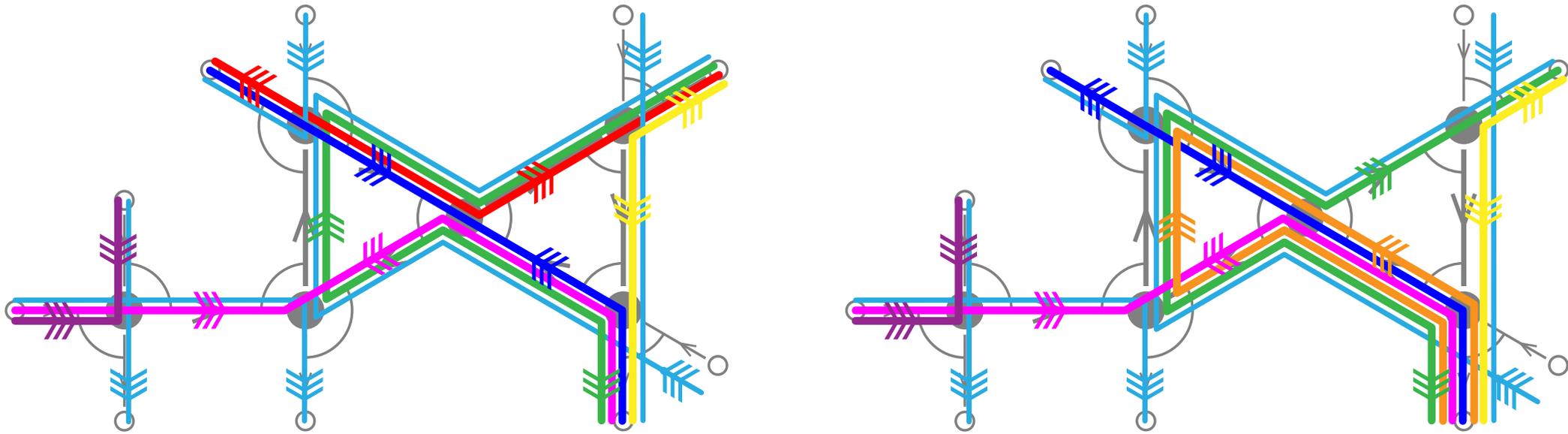
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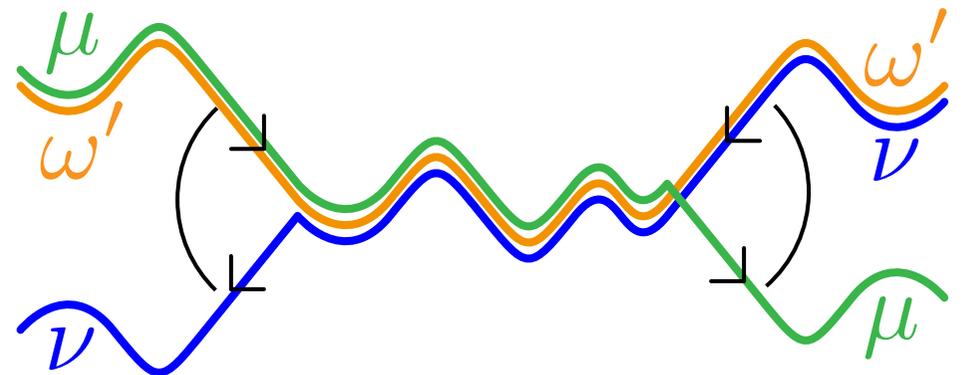
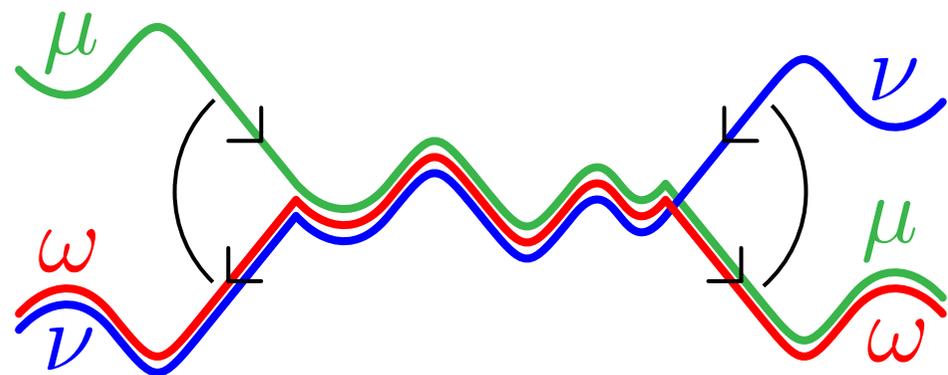
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# FLIPS



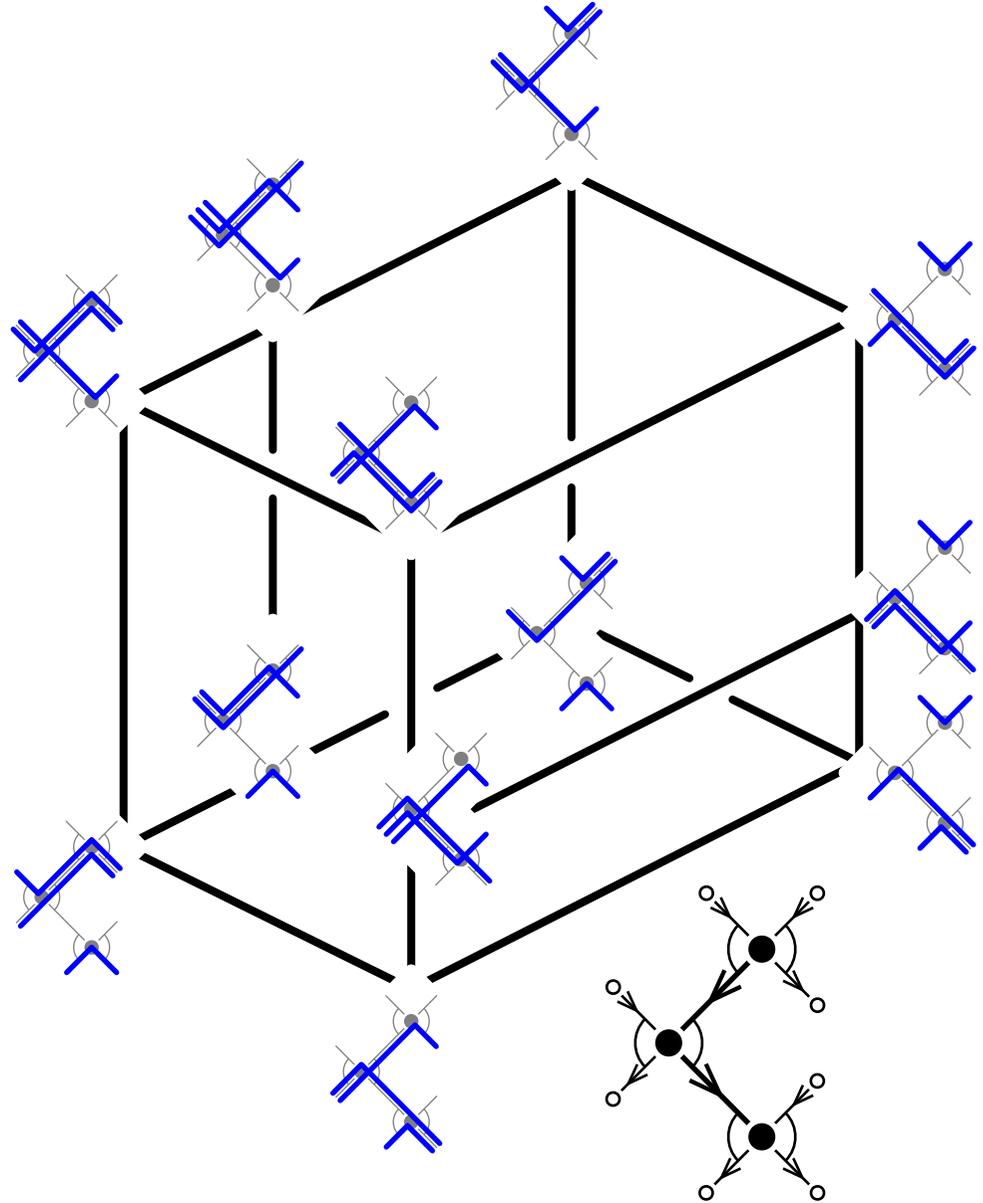
PROP.  $\omega'$  kisses  $\omega$  but no other walk of  $F$ . Moreover,  $\omega'$  is the only such walk.



# FLIPS

flip graph =

- vertices = non-kissing facets
- edges = flips



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# GENTLE ASSOCIAHEDRA

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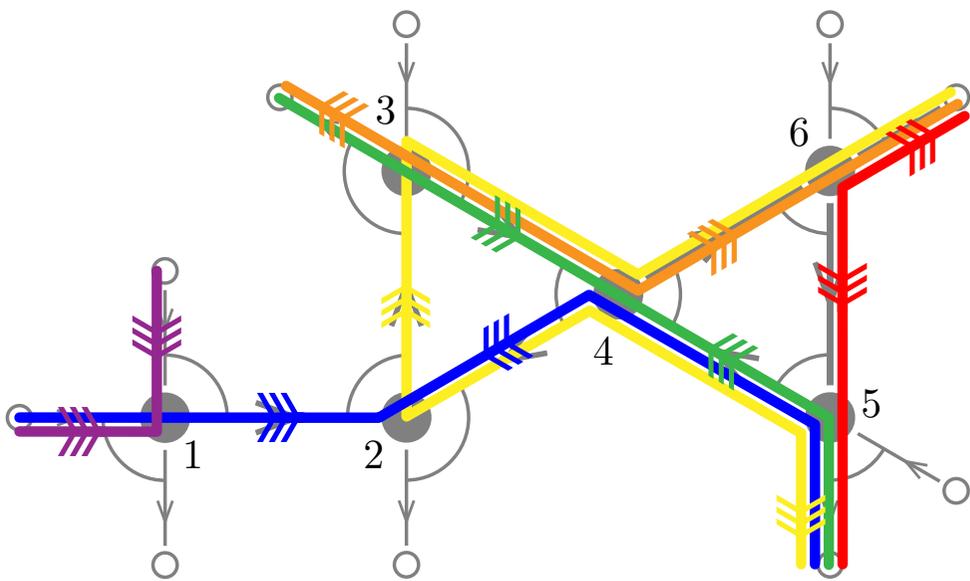
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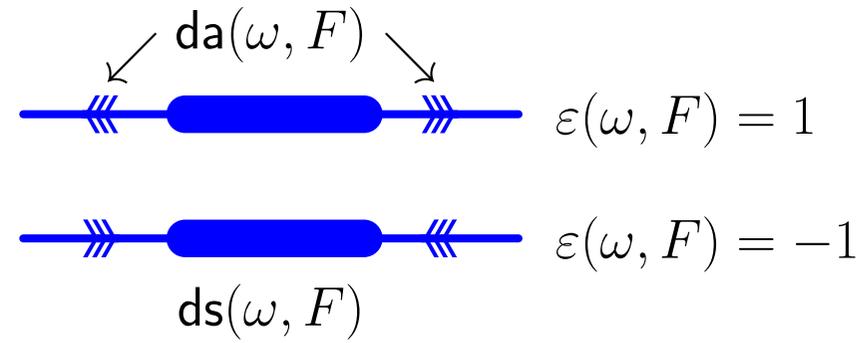
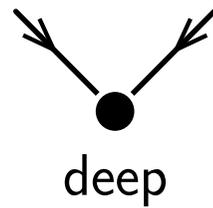
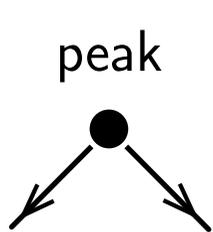


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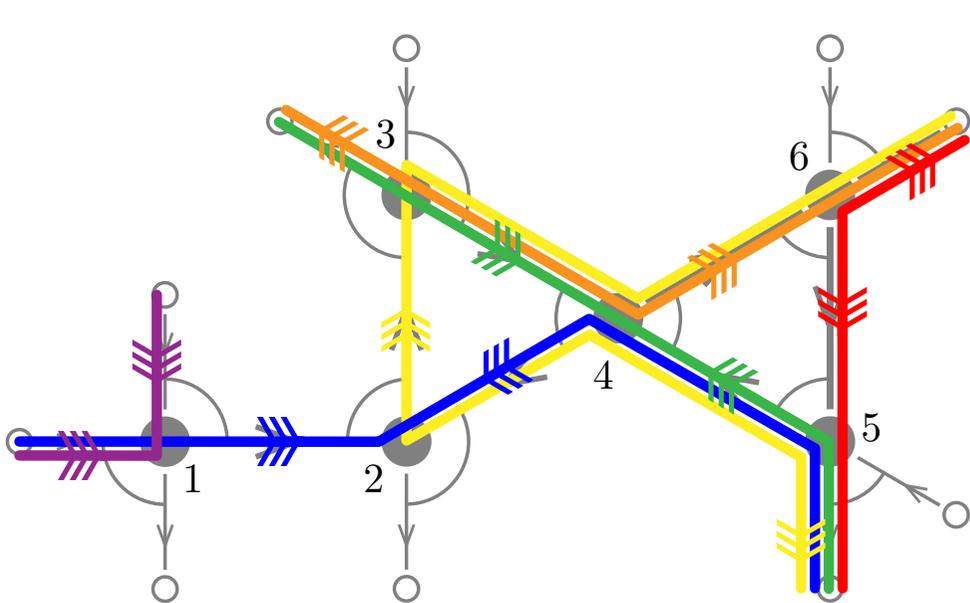


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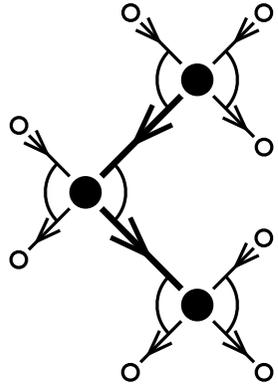
**PROP.** For any non-kissing facet  $F$ , the sets of vectors

$$\mathbf{g}(F) := \{\mathbf{g}(\omega) \mid \omega \in F\} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{c}(F) := \{\mathbf{c}(\omega \in F) \mid \omega \in F\}$$

form dual bases.

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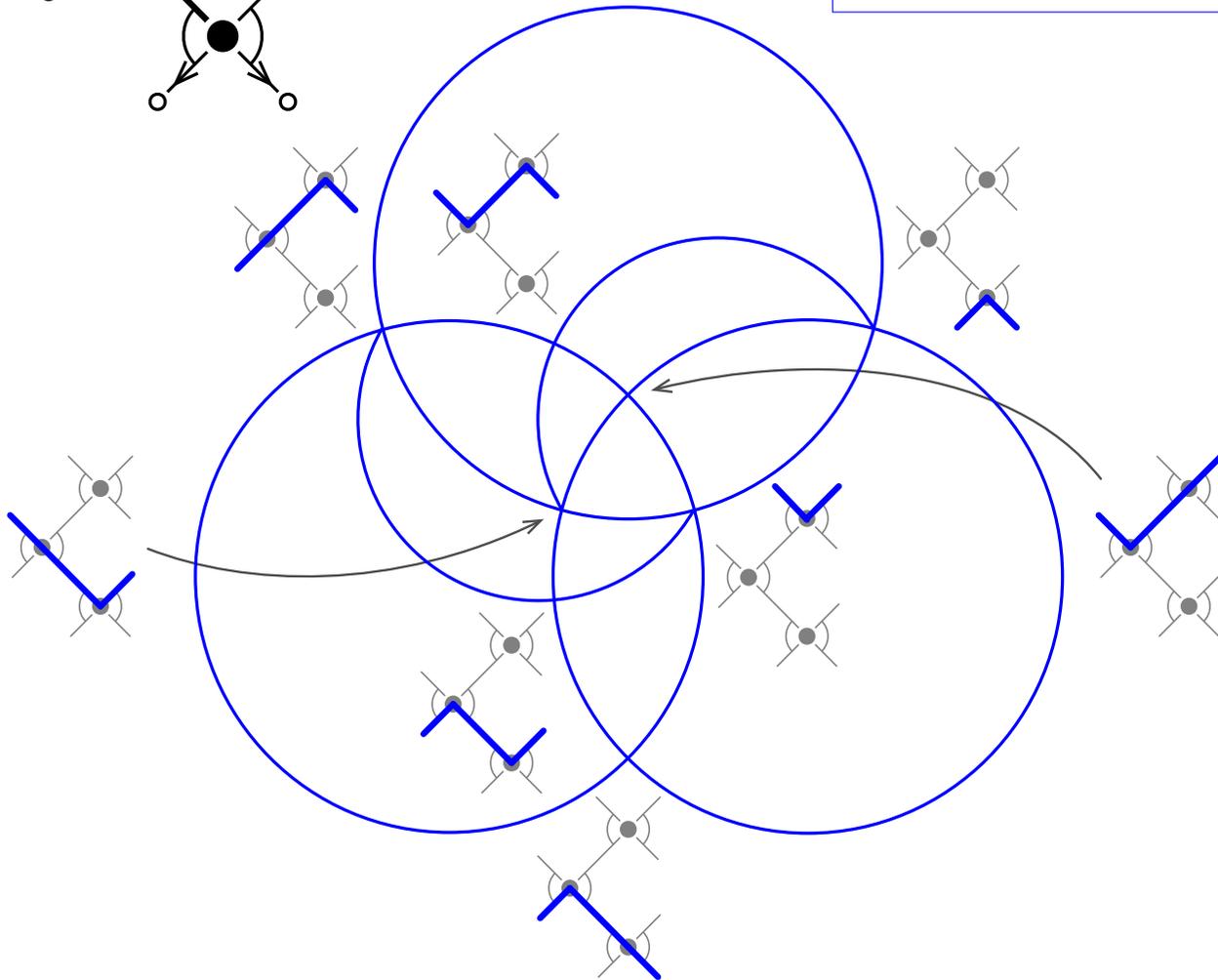
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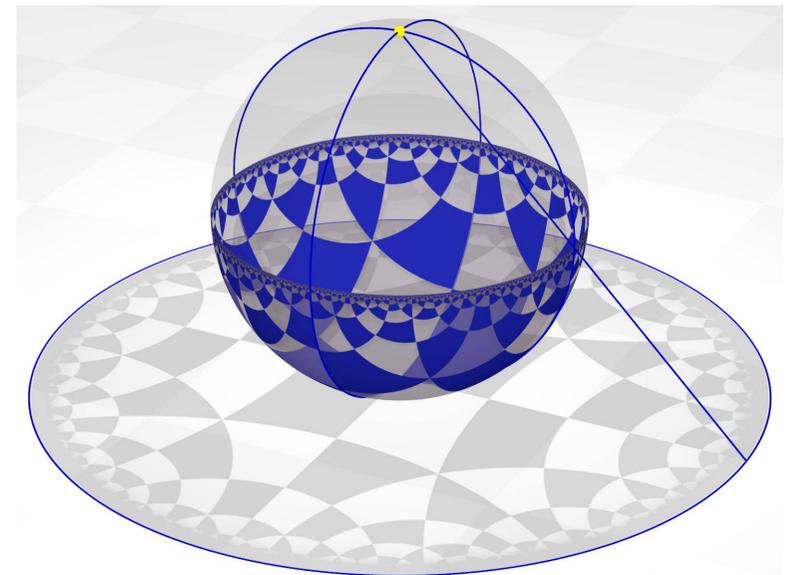
**THM.** For any gentle quiver  $\bar{Q}$ , the collection of cones

$$\mathcal{F}^g(\bar{Q}) := \{ \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0} \mathbf{g}(F) \mid F \in \mathcal{K}_{\text{nk}}(\bar{Q}) \}$$

forms a compl. simpl. fan, called  $g$ -vector fan of  $\bar{Q}$ .



stereographic projection  
from  $(1, 1, 1)$



# NON-KISSING ASSOCIAHEDRON

kissing number  $\text{kn}(\omega) = \sum_{\omega'} \text{number of times } \omega \text{ and } \omega' \text{ kiss}$

**THM.** For a gentle quiver  $\bar{Q}$  with finite non-kissing complex  $\mathcal{K}_{\text{nk}}(\bar{Q})$ ,  
the two sets of  $\mathbb{R}^{Q_0}$  given by

(i) the convex hull of the points

$$\mathbf{p}(F) := \sum_{\omega \in F} \text{kn}(\omega) \mathbf{c}(\omega \in F),$$

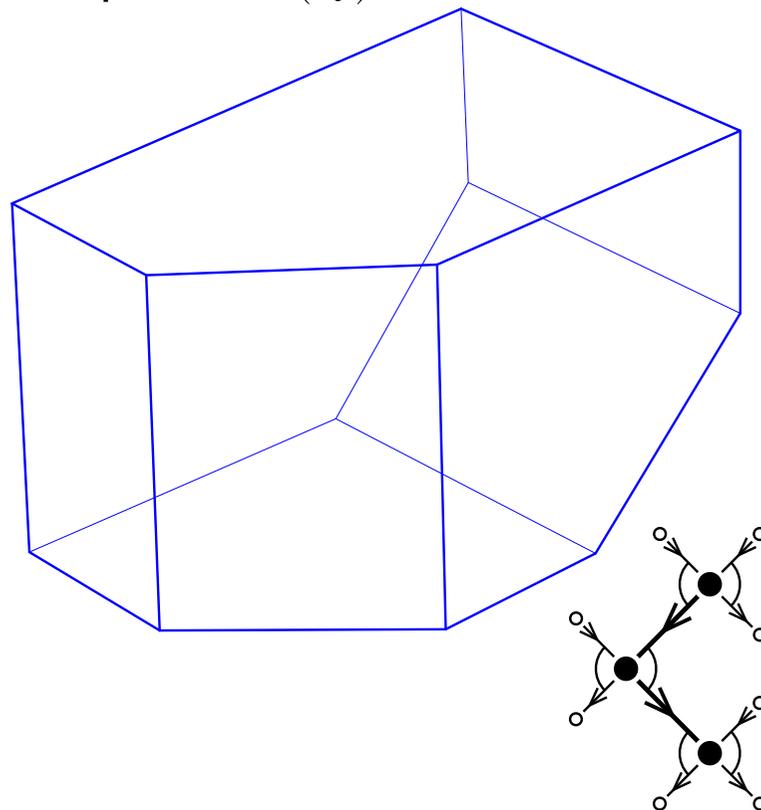
for all non-kissing facets  $F \in \mathcal{K}_{\text{nk}}(\bar{Q})$ ,

(ii) the intersection of the halfspaces

$$\mathbf{H}^{\geq}(\omega) := \{ \mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^{Q_0} \mid \langle \mathbf{g}(\omega) \mid \mathbf{x} \rangle \leq \text{kn}(\omega) \}.$$

for all walks  $\omega$  of  $\bar{Q}$ ,

define the same polytope, whose normal fan is the  $\mathbf{g}$ -vector fan  $\mathcal{F}^{\mathbf{g}}$ . We call it the  $\bar{Q}$ -associahedron and denote it by  $\mathbb{A}_{\text{ssso}}$ .



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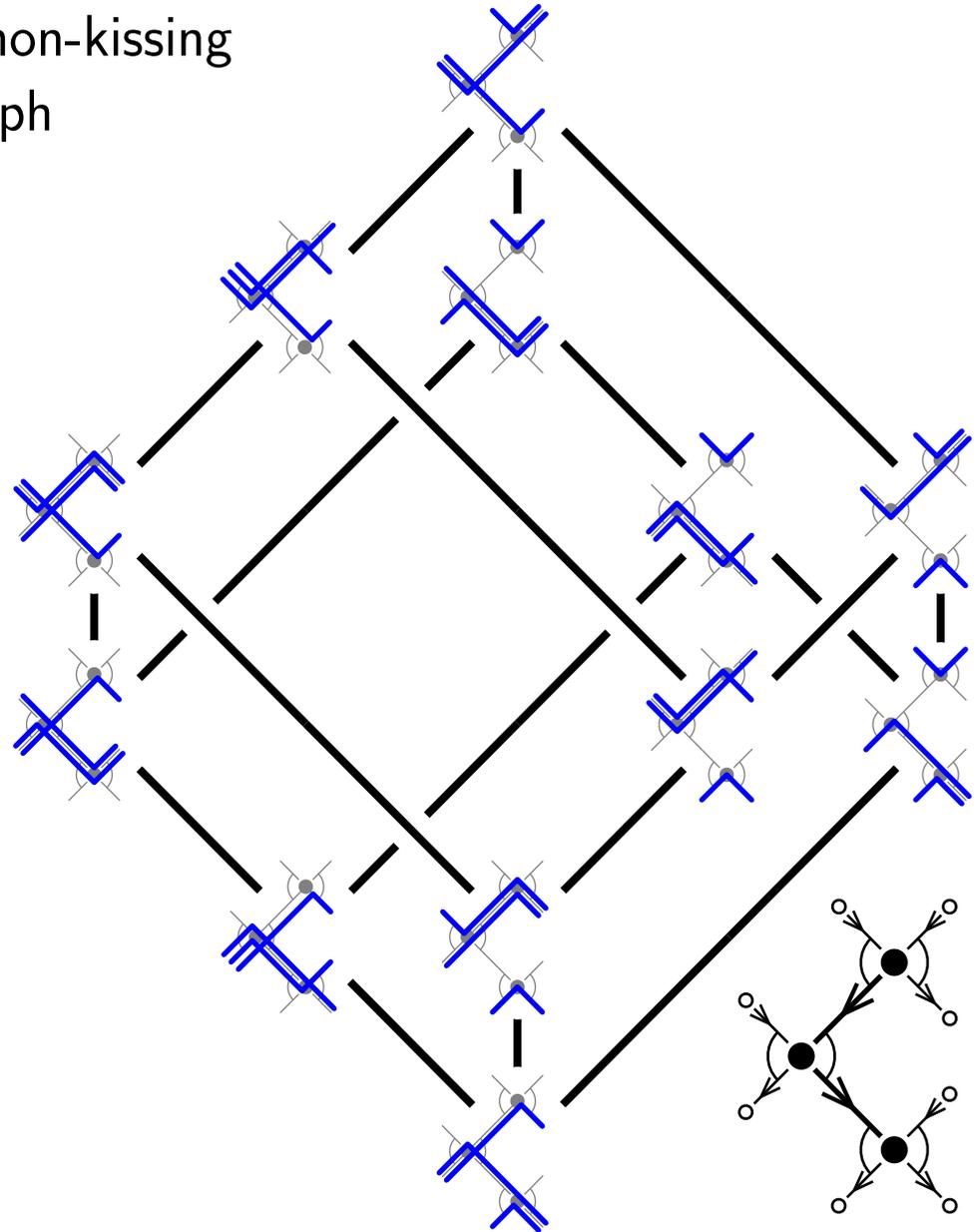
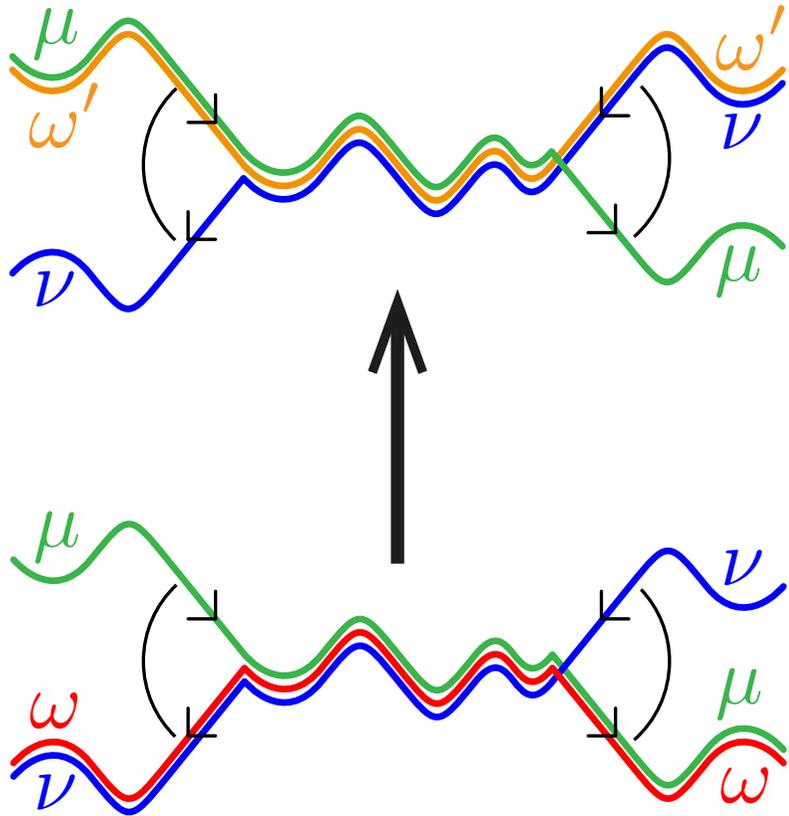
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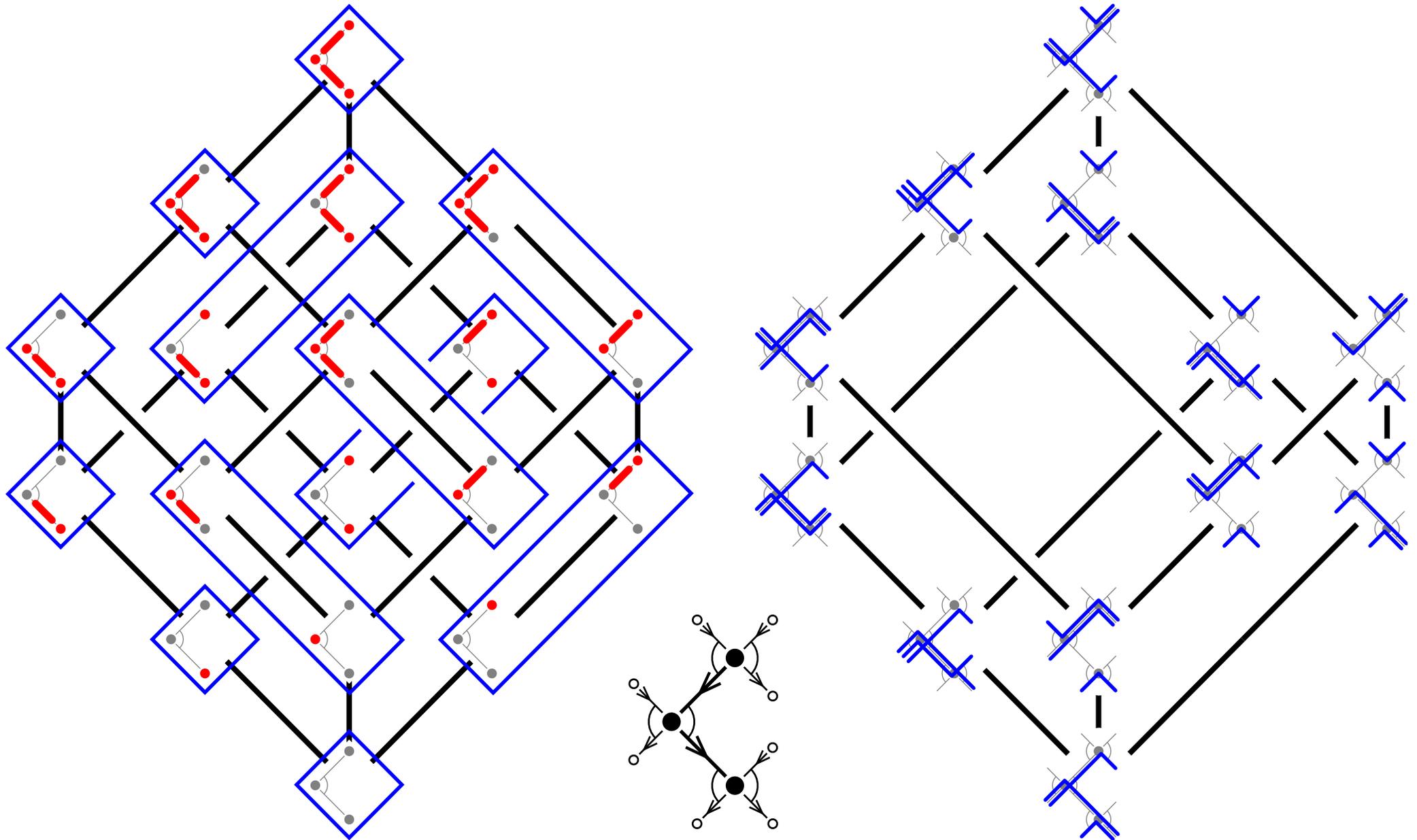
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# NON-KISSING LATTICE

**THM.** For a gentle quiver  $\bar{Q}$  with finite non-kissing complex  $\mathcal{K}_{\text{nk}}(\bar{Q})$ , the non-kissing flip graph is the Hasse diagram of a congruence-uniform lattice.



# NON-KISSING LATTICE



# BICLOSED SETS OF STRINGS

$\sigma, \tau$  oriented strings

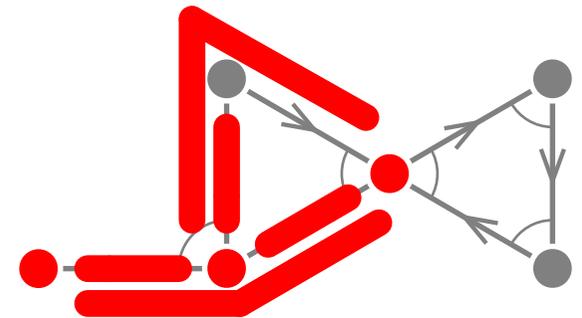
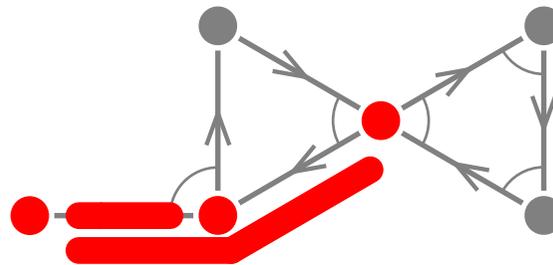
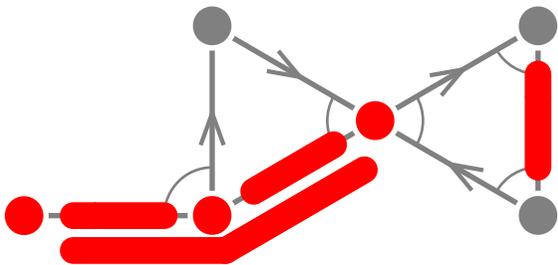
concatenation  $\sigma \circ \tau = \{ \sigma \alpha \tau \mid \alpha \in Q_1 \text{ and } \sigma \alpha \tau \text{ string of } \bar{Q} \}$

closure  $S^{\text{cl}} = \bigcup_{\substack{l \in \mathbb{N} \\ \sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_l \in S}} \sigma_1 \circ \dots \circ \sigma_l =$  all strings obtained by concatenation of some strings of  $S$

closed  $\iff S^{\text{cl}} = S$

coclosed  $\iff \bar{S}^{\text{cl}} = \bar{S}$

biclosed = closed and coclosed

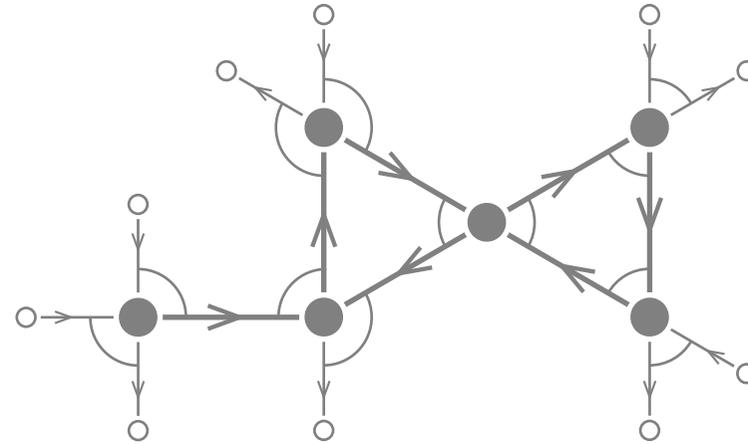
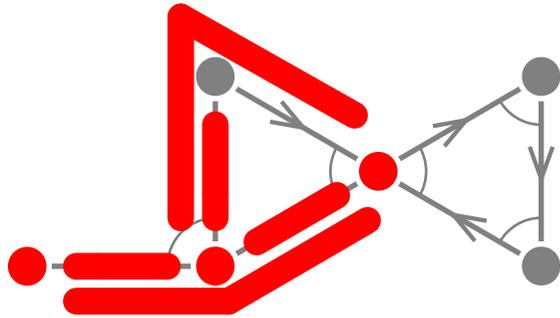


**THM.** For any gentle quiver  $\bar{Q}$  such that  $\mathcal{K}_{\text{nk}}(\bar{Q})$  is finite, the inclusion poset on biclosed sets of strings of  $\bar{Q}$  is a congruence-uniform lattice.

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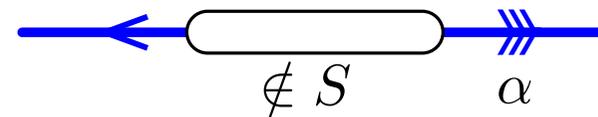
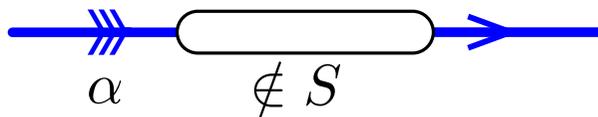
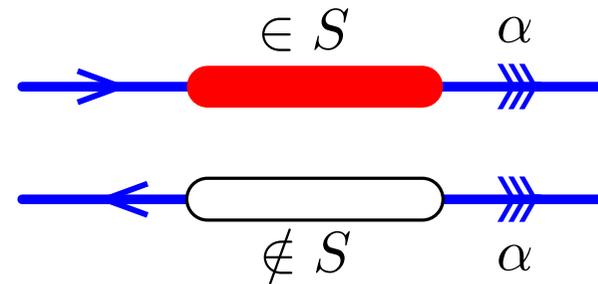
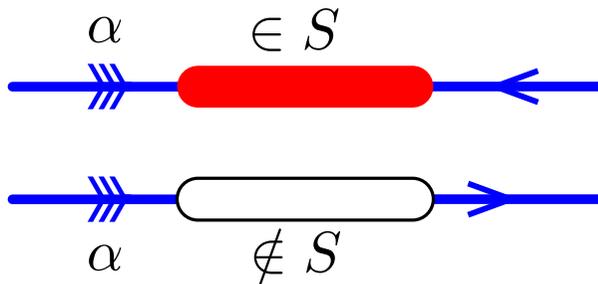
# NON-KISSING INSERTION

Surjection from biclosed sets of strings to non-kissing facets



$S$  biclosed,  $\alpha \in Q_1$

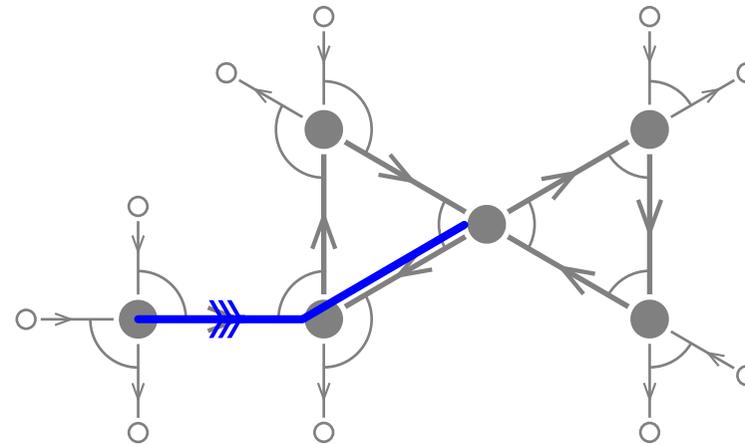
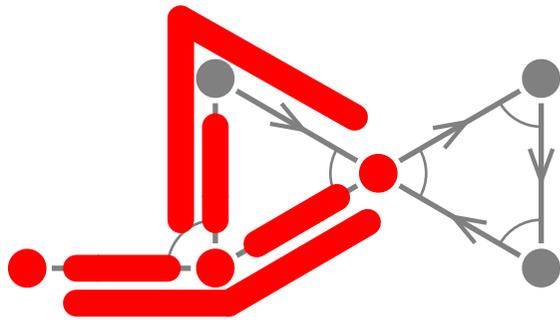
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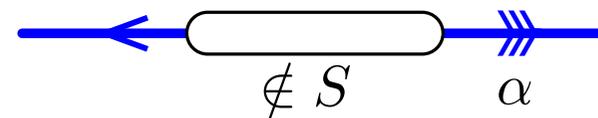
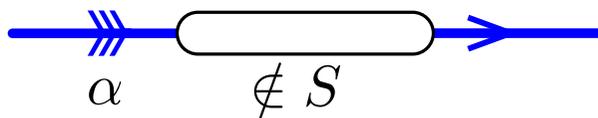
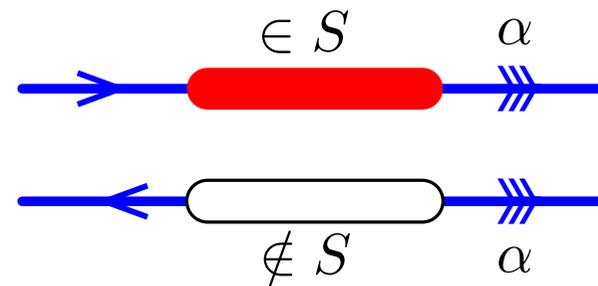
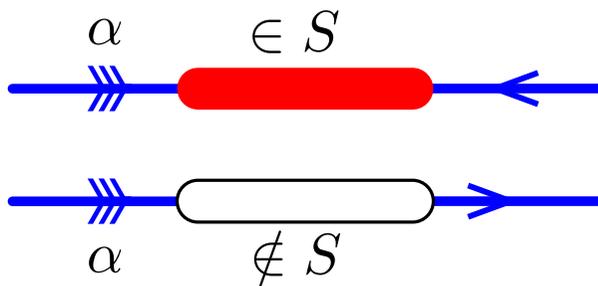
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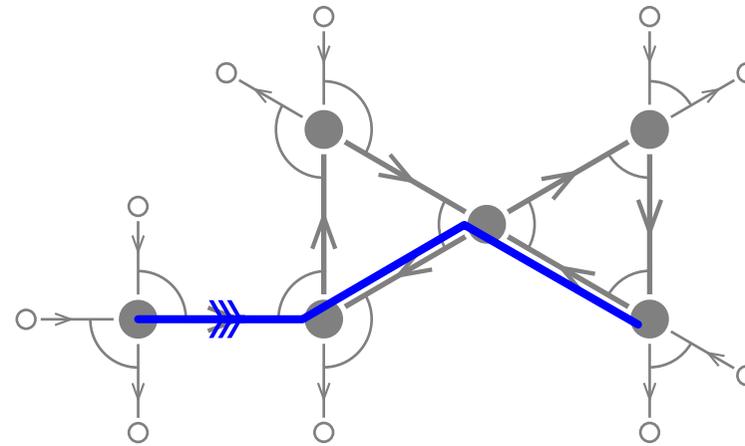
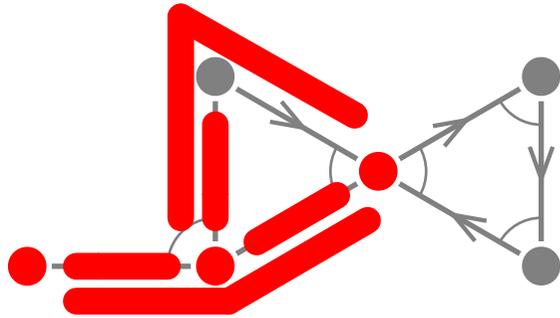
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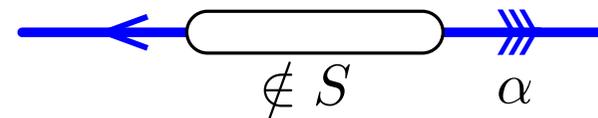
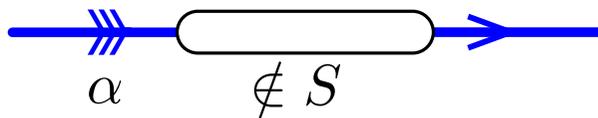
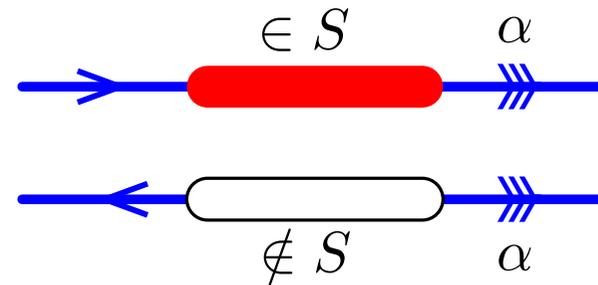
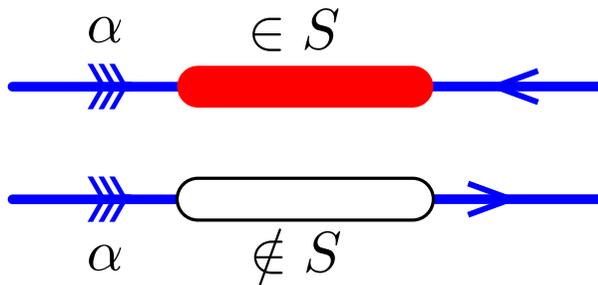
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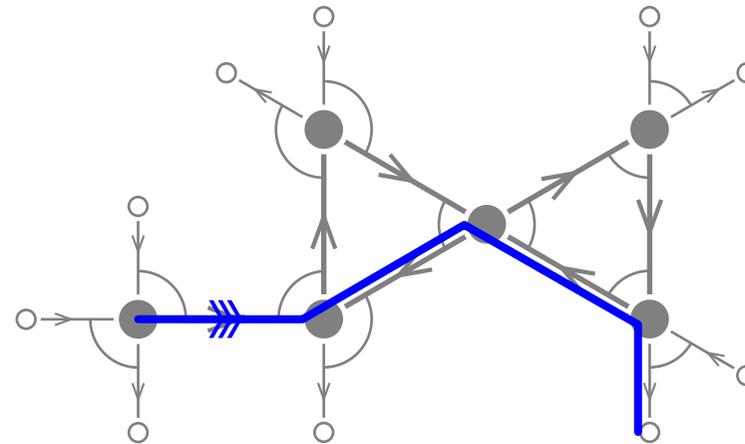
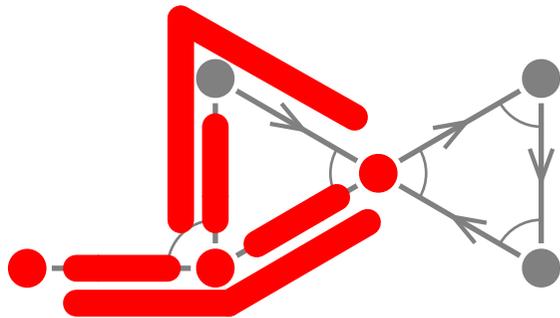
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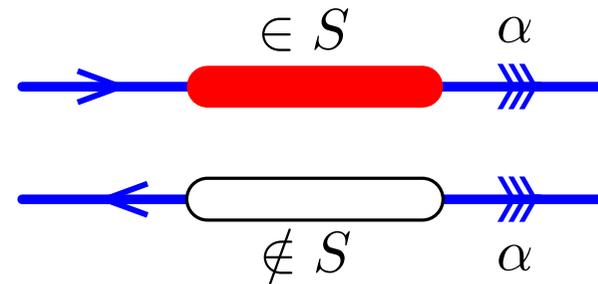
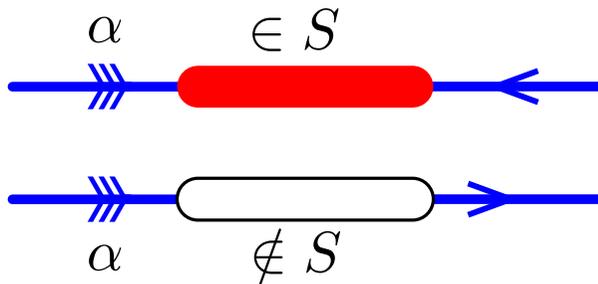
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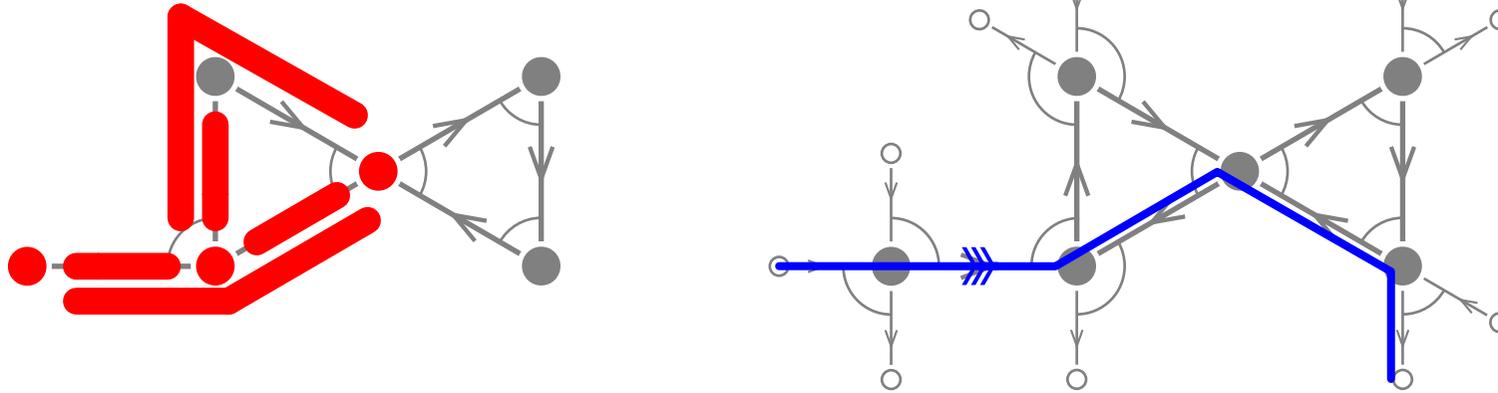
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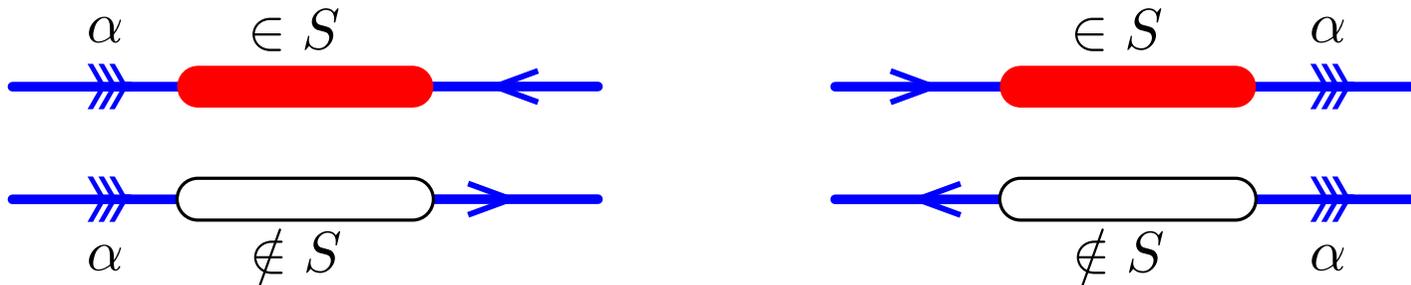
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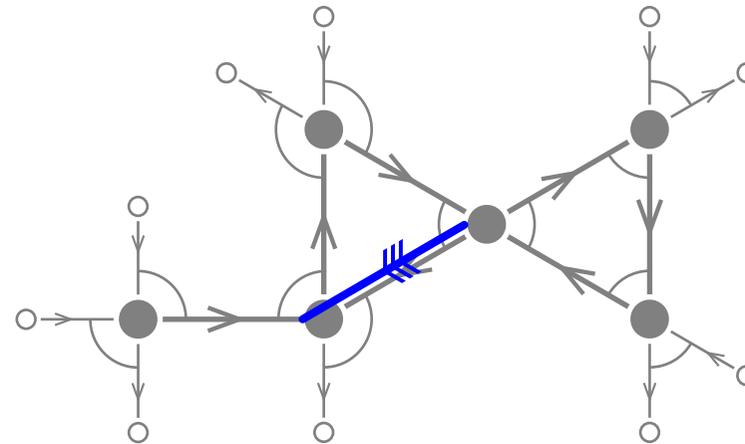
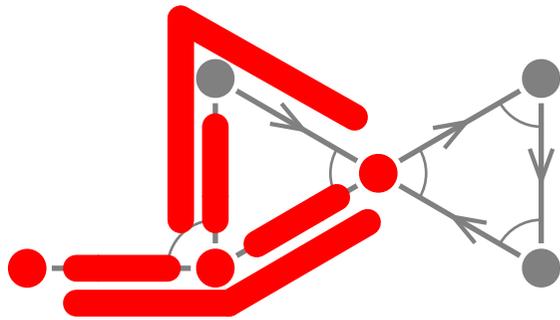
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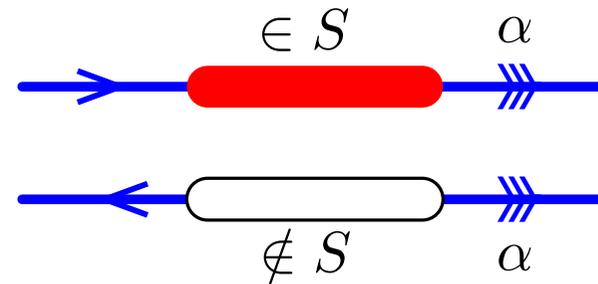
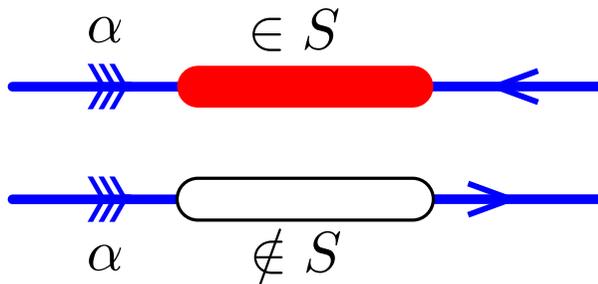
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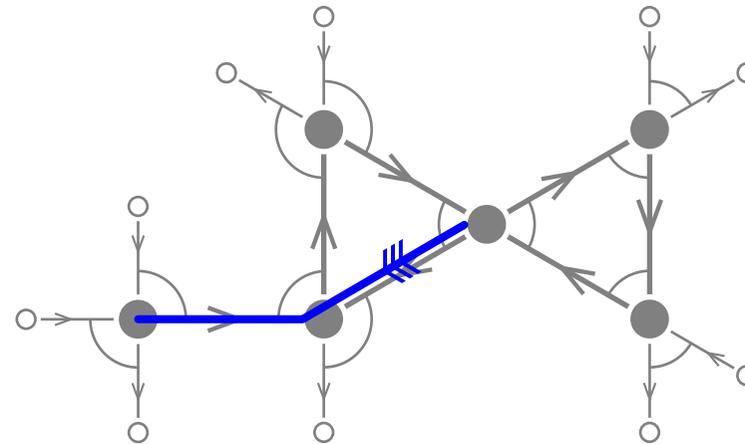
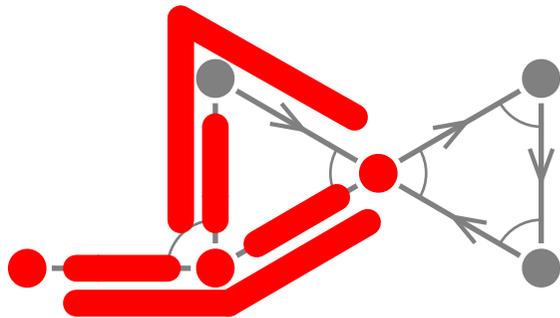
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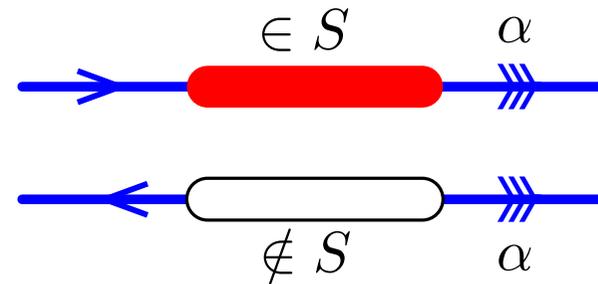
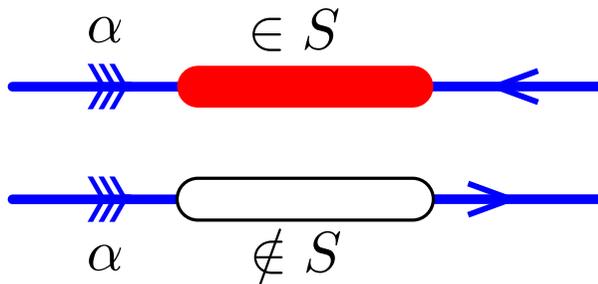
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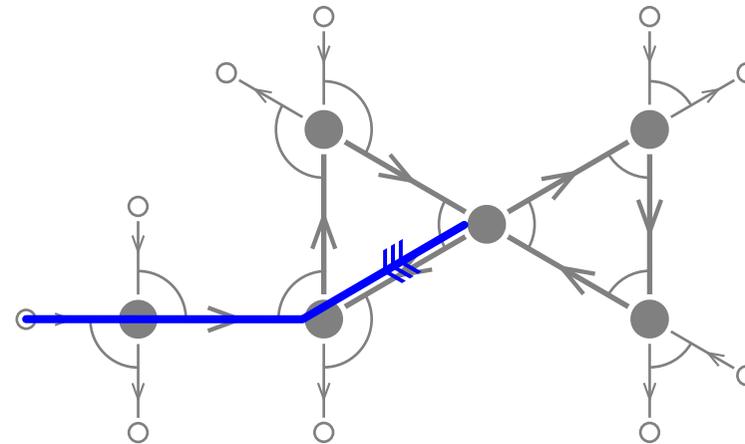
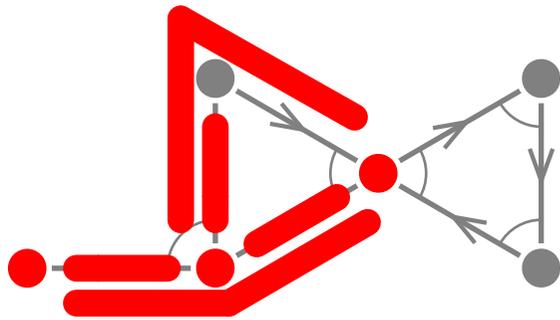
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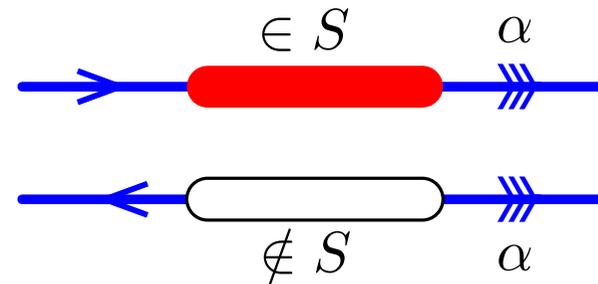
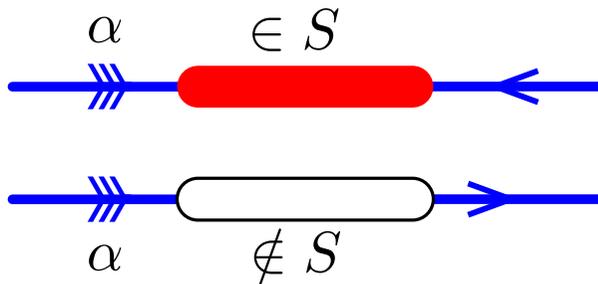
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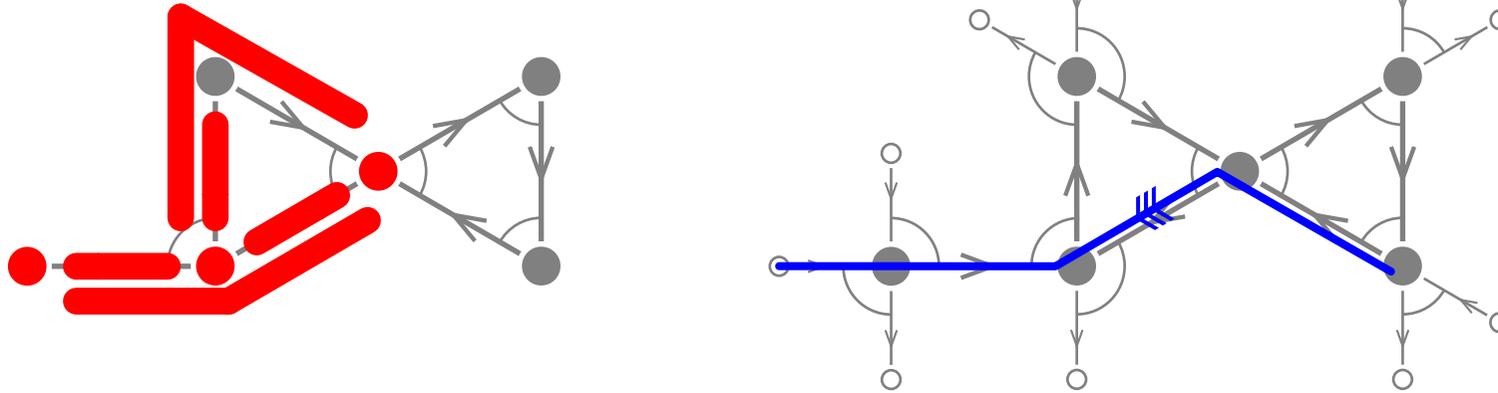
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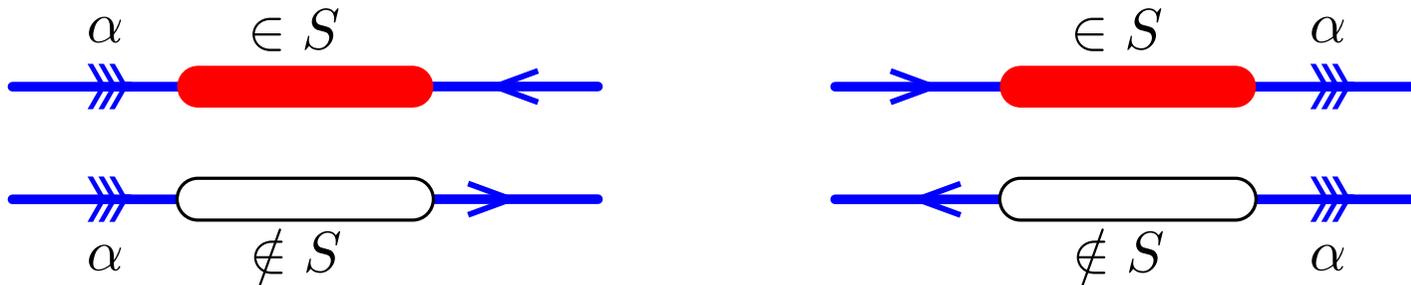
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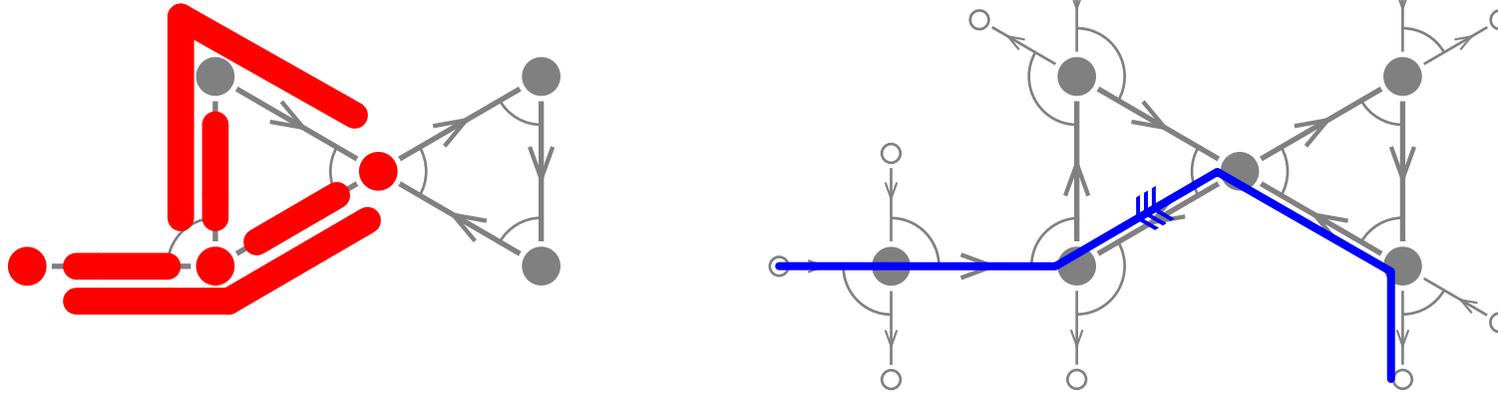
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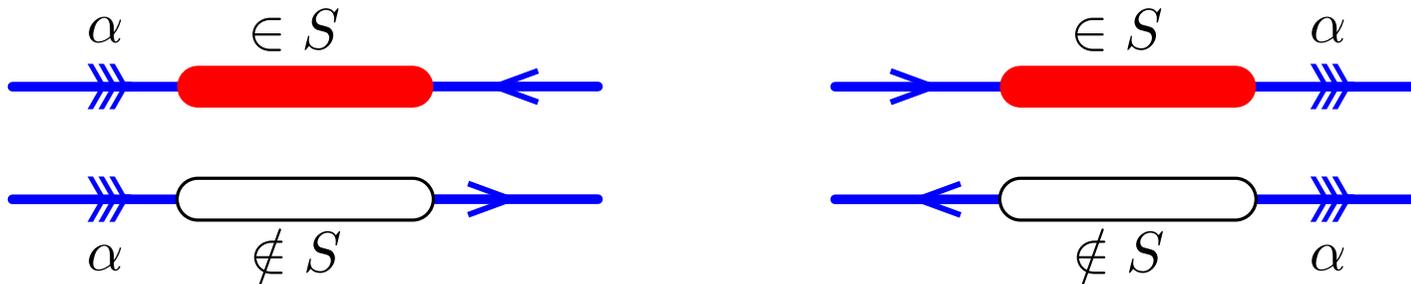
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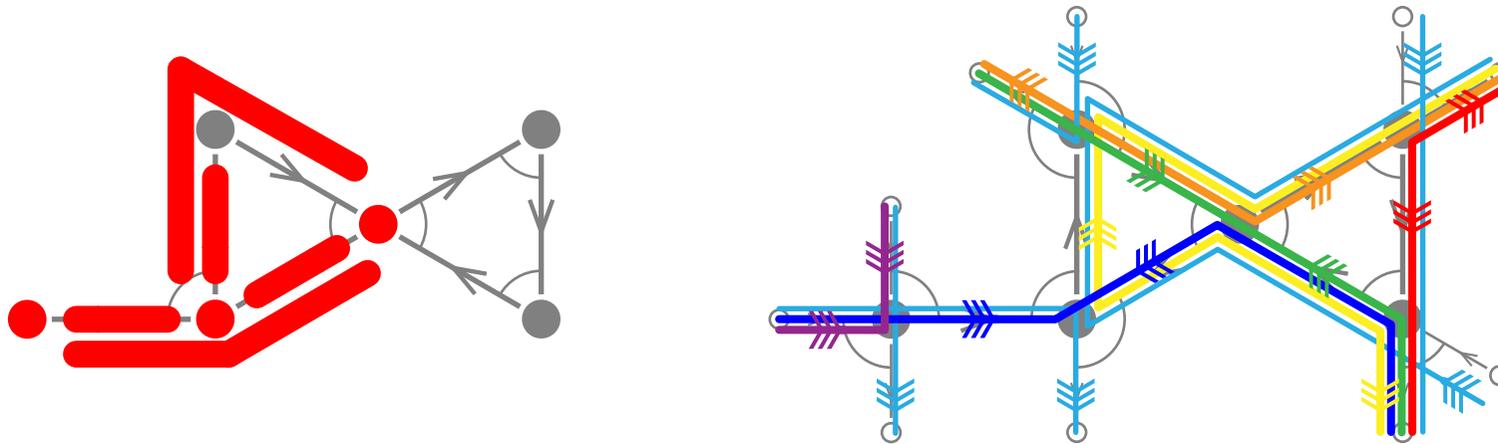
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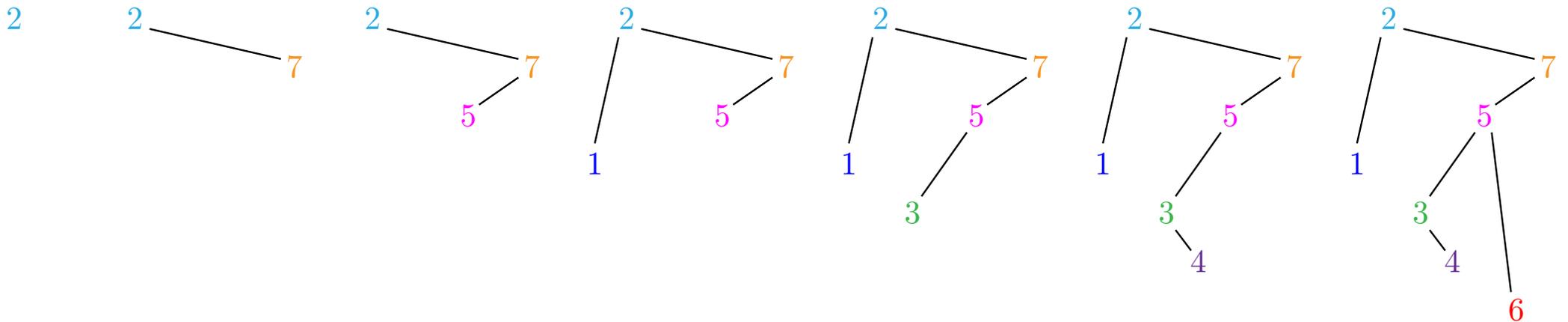
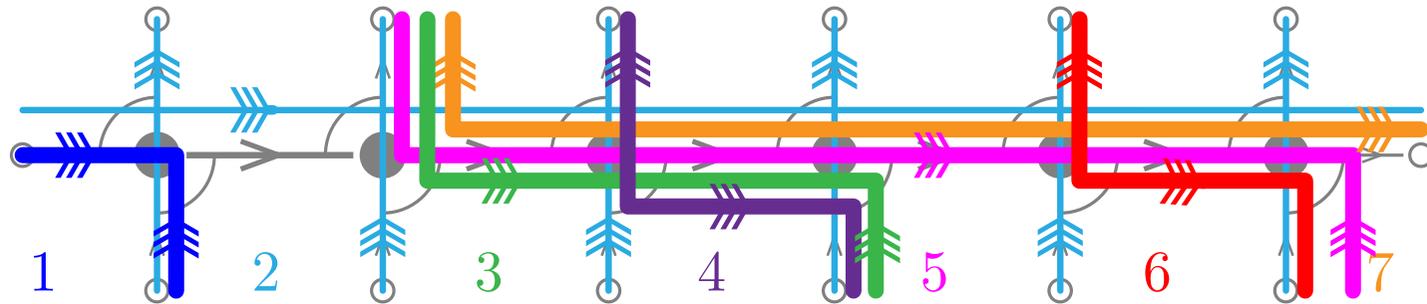
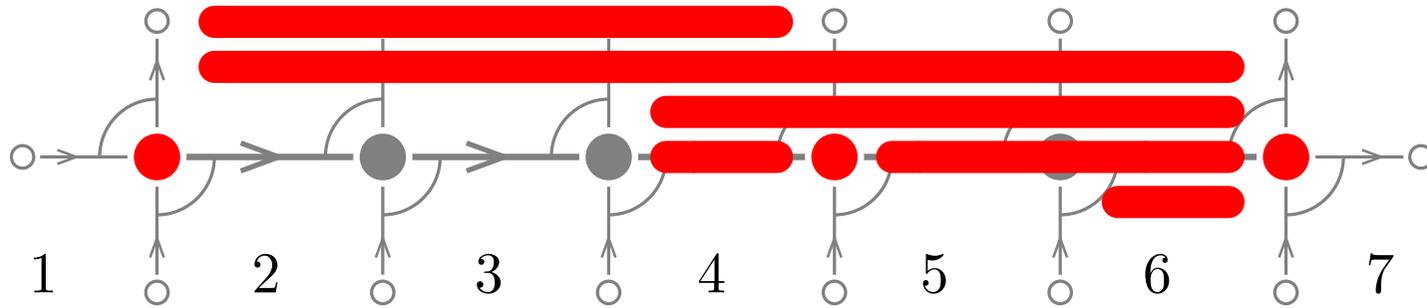
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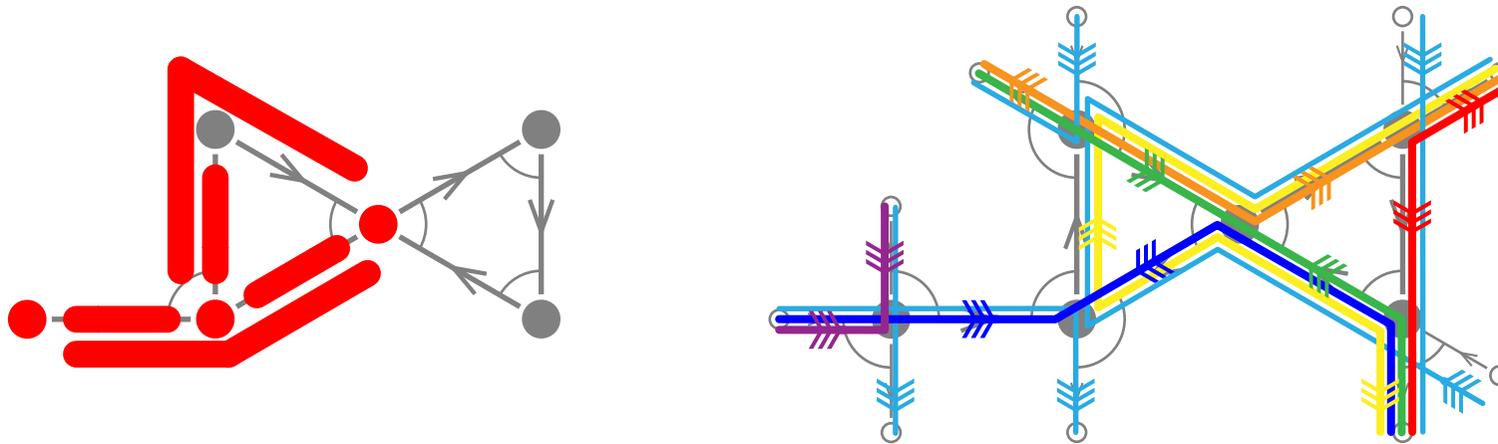
# EXM: BINARY SEARCH TREE INSERTION AGAIN

inversion set of 2751346



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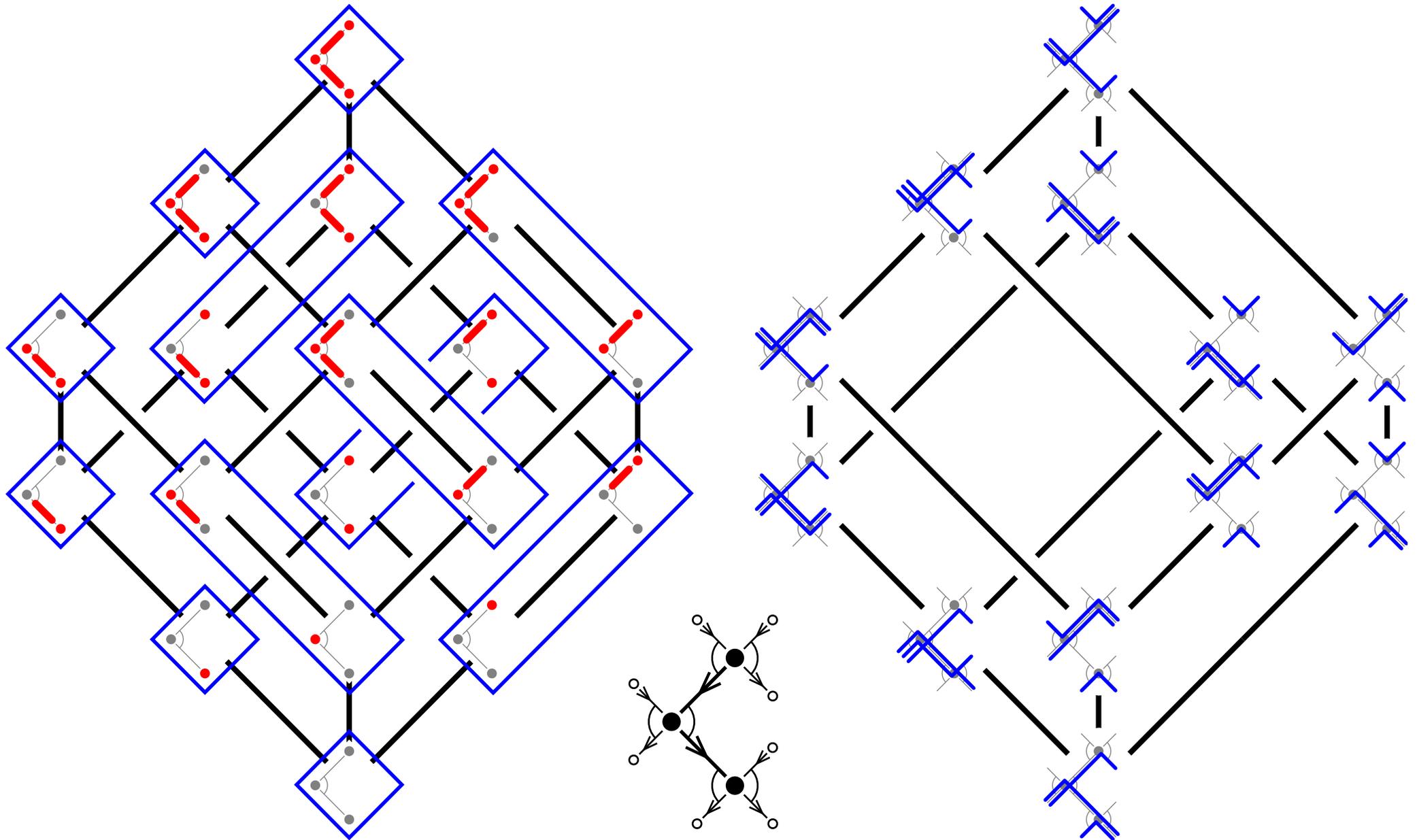
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**THM.** The map  $\eta$  defines a lattice morphism from biclosed sets to non-kissing facets.

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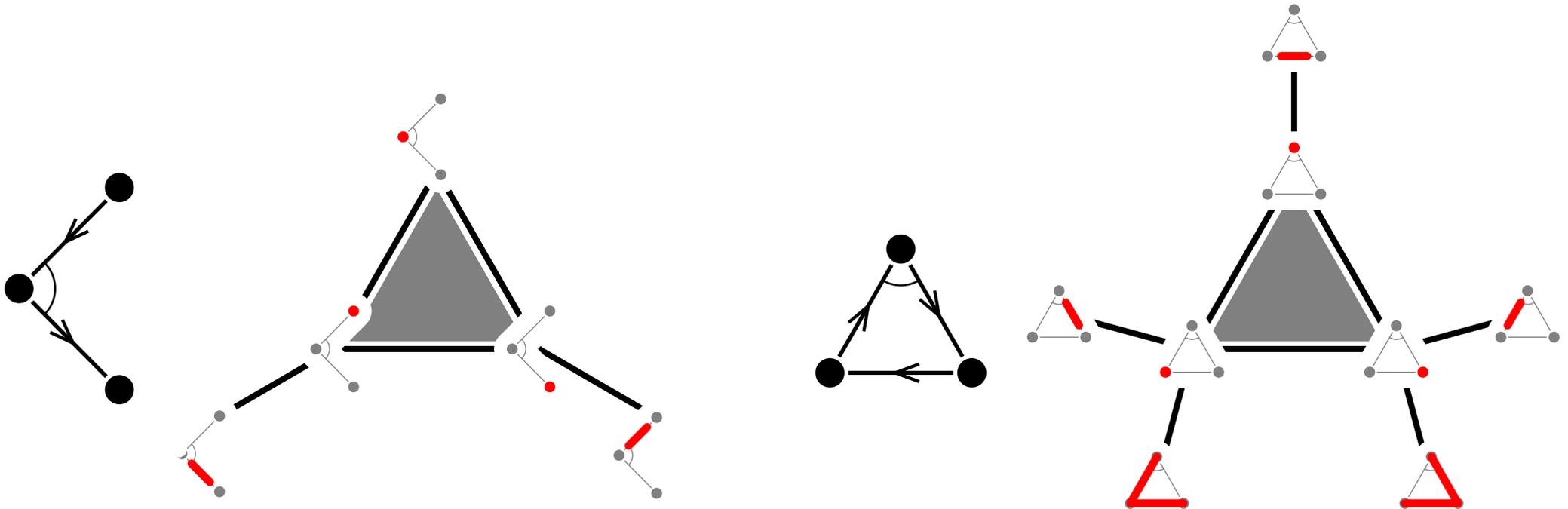


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**THM.** For a gentle quiver  $\bar{Q}$  with finite non-kissing complex  $\mathcal{K}_{\text{nk}}(\bar{Q})$ , the non-kissing flip graph is the Hasse diagram of a congruence-uniform lattice. Palu-P.-Plamondon ('21)

Much more nice combinatorics:

- join-irreducible elements of  $\mathcal{L}_{\text{nk}}(\bar{Q})$  are in bijection with distinguishable strings
- canonical join complex of  $\mathcal{L}_{\text{nk}}(\bar{Q})$  is a generalization of non-crossing partitions

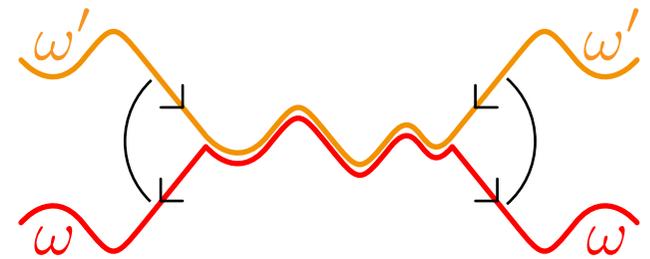


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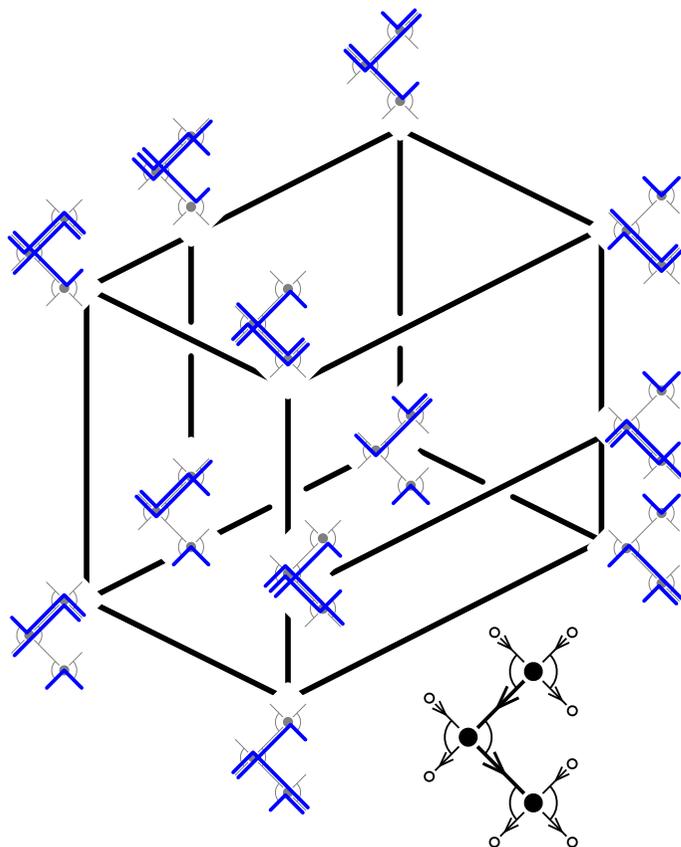
non-kissing complex  $\mathcal{K}_{\text{nk}}(\bar{Q}) =$

- vertices = walks in  $\bar{Q}^*$  (that are not self-kissing)
- faces = collections of pairwise non-kissing walks in  $\bar{Q}^*$

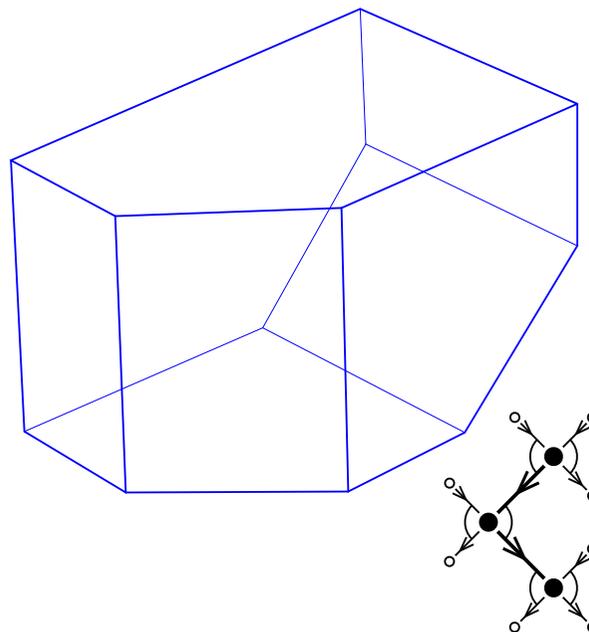
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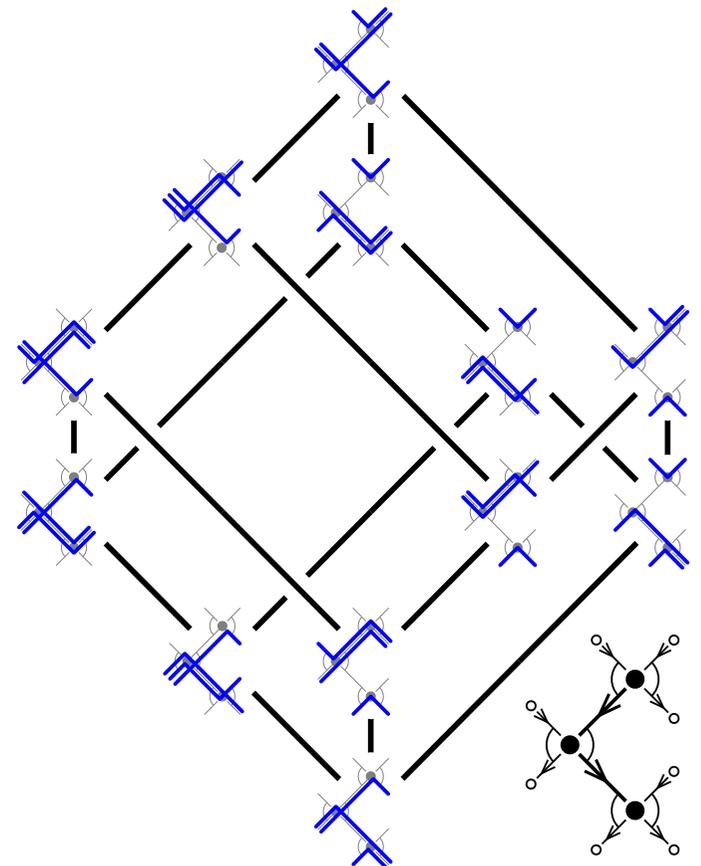
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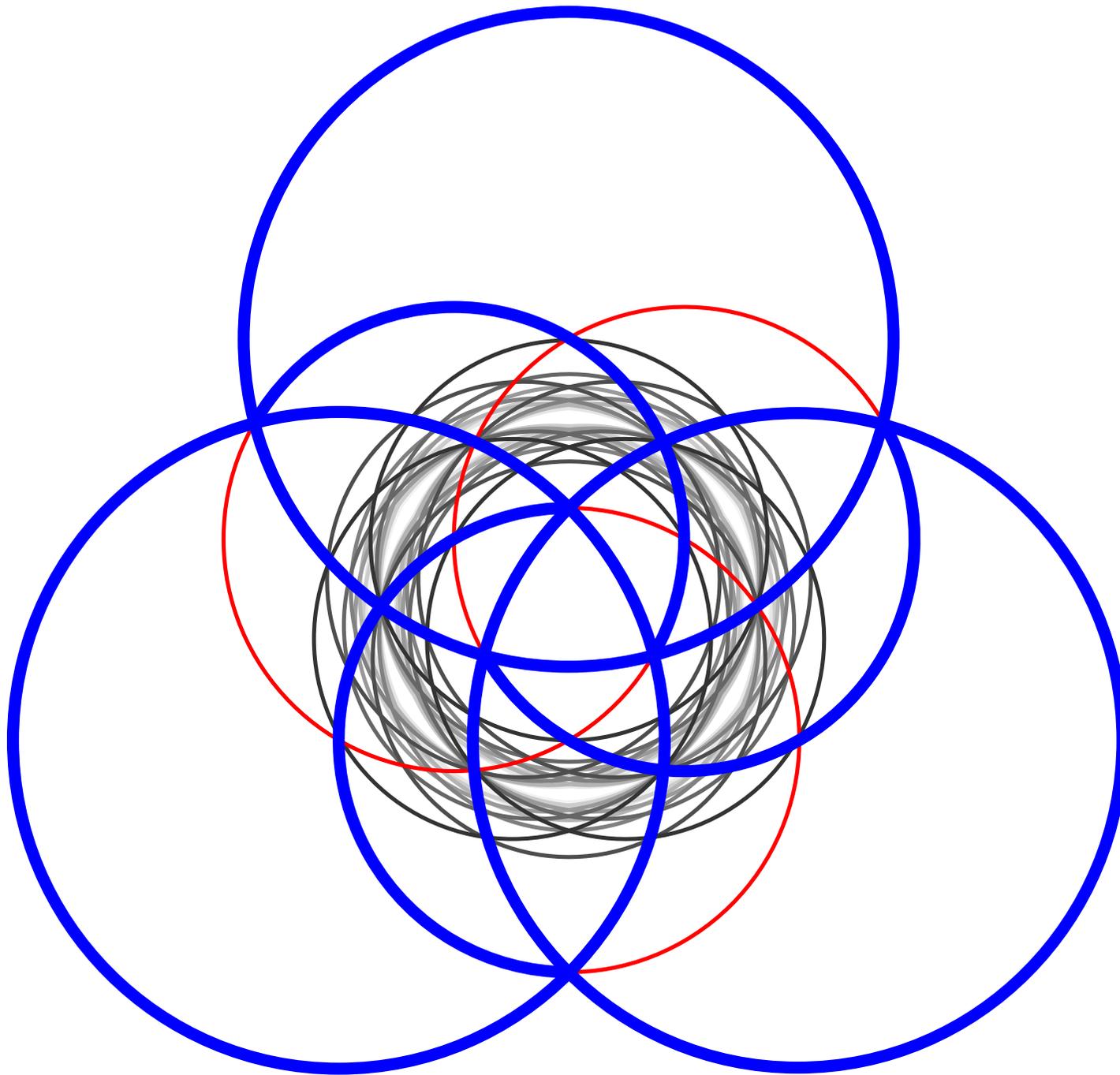


Associahedron



Tamari lattice





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