

# The involutive nature of the Littlewood-Richardson commutativity bijection

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# Plan

- ① Motivation: LR coefficients as structure constants *versus* combinatorial numbers
- ② LR tableaux, Gelfand-Tsetlin patterns and LR hives
- ③ Involution commutators of LR tableaux and LR hives
  - ▶ based on the Schützenberger involution
  - ▶ our involution commutators

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$$V^\mu \otimes V^\nu = \bigoplus_{\ell(\lambda) \leq n} V^\lambda \oplus c_{\mu\nu}^\lambda.$$

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- **The commutativity of Littlewood-Richardson coefficients**

$$c_{\mu\nu}^\lambda = c_{\nu\mu}^\lambda$$

$$c_{\mu\nu}^\lambda > 0 \text{ iff } c_{\nu\mu}^\lambda > 0.$$

# Littlewood-Richardson coefficients as numbers which count

- **The Littlewood-Richardson (LR) rule** (*D.E. Littlewood and A. Richardson 34; M.-P. Schützenberger 77; G.P. Thomas 74*) states that the coefficients appearing in the expansion of a product of Schur polynomials  $s_\mu$  and  $s_\nu$

$$s_\mu(x) s_\nu(x) = \sum_{\lambda} c_{\mu\nu}^{\lambda} s_{\lambda}(x)$$

are given by

$$\begin{aligned} c_{\mu\nu}^{\lambda} &= \#\{T \in \mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\mu, \nu)\} = \#\mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\mu, \nu) \\ c_{\nu,\mu}^{\lambda} &= \#\{T \in \mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\nu, \mu)\} = \#\mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\nu, \mu). \end{aligned}$$

$\mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\mu, \nu)$  the set of Littlewood-Richardson tableaux of shape  $\lambda/\mu$  and weight  $\nu$ .

# Littlewood-Richardson tableaux (*D.E. Littlewood and A. Richardson, 1934*)

- A Young tableau  $T$  of shape  $\lambda/\mu$  is said to be a Littlewood-Richardson tableau if
  - ▶ it is *semistandard* (SSYT)
    - 1 the entries in each row of  $\lambda/\mu$  are weakly increasing from left to right, and
    - 2 the entries in each column of  $\lambda/\mu$  are strictly increasing from top to bottom,
  - ▶ and satisfy the *lattice permutation property*
    - 1 the number of entries  $s$  occurring in the first  $r$  rows of  $T$  does not exceed the number of entries  $s - 1$  occurring in the first  $r - 1$  rows of  $T$ , for all  $r \geq 1$  and  $s \geq 2$ .

					1	1	2
				1	2		
1	2	2	2	3			

					1	1	1
				2	3		
1	2	2	3	4			

					1	1	1
				1	2		
1	2	2	2	3			

lattice permutation property  $\Rightarrow \nu$  is a partition,  $\ell(\nu) \leq \ell(\lambda) \xrightarrow{SST} \nu \subseteq \lambda$

# LR tableaux split into Gelfand-Tsetlin patterns led to hives

- I.M. Gelfand, A.V. Zelevinsky (1986), A.D. Berenstein, A.V. Zelevinsky (1989)

$$T = \begin{array}{cccccccc} & & & & & & 1 & 1 \\ & & & & & 1 & 1 & 2 & 2 \\ & & & 1 & 1 & 2 & & & \\ 1 & 2 & 2 & 3 & & & & & \\ 3 & & & & & & & & \end{array}$$

$$\mu = 75300 \quad \nu = 75200 \quad \lambda = 99641$$

$$G_\mu = \begin{array}{cccccc} & & 0 & & & \\ & & 0 & 0 & & \\ & 3 & 1 & 0 & & \\ 5 & 5 & 3 & 1 & & \\ 7 & 7 & 6 & 4 & 1 & \end{array}$$

$$G_\nu = \begin{array}{cccccc} & & & & 1 & \\ & & & & 1 & 5 \\ & & 9 & 5 & 2 & \\ 4 & 3 & 1 & 0 & & \\ 2 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \end{array}$$

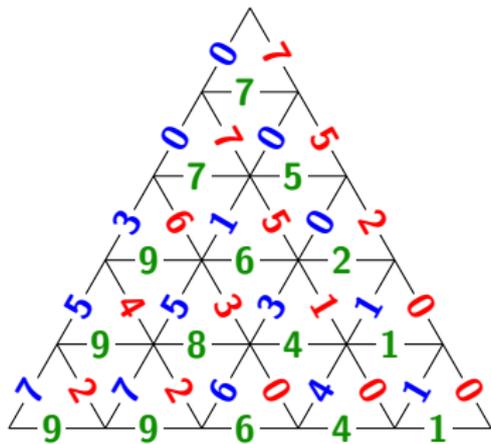
$$G_\lambda = \begin{array}{cccccc} & & & & & 7 \\ & & & & 7 & 5 \\ & & 9 & 6 & 2 & \\ & 9 & 8 & 4 & 1 & \\ 9 & 9 & 6 & 4 & 1 & \end{array}$$

$$T_\mu = \begin{array}{cccccccc} 1 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 3 & 3 & 4 & \\ 2 & 3 & 3 & 4 & 4 & & & \\ 4 & 5 & 5 & & & & & \end{array}$$

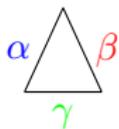
$$T_\nu = \begin{array}{cccccccc} 1 & 1 & 2 & 2 & 3 & 3 & 4 & \\ 2 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 4 & & & \\ 4 & 5 & & & & & & \end{array}$$

$$T_\lambda = \begin{array}{cccccccc} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 3 & 3 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 4 & 5 \\ 3 & 3 & 4 & 4 & 5 & 5 & & & \\ 4 & 5 & 5 & 5 & & & & & \\ 5 & & & & & & & & \end{array}$$

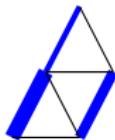
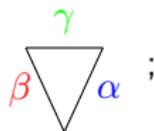
# Interlock the three GT patterns



- A *hive in the edge representation form*, R.C. King, C. Tollu, F. Toumazet (2006), is a labelling of all edges of a planar, equilateral triangular graph satisfying the triangle and the betweenness conditions

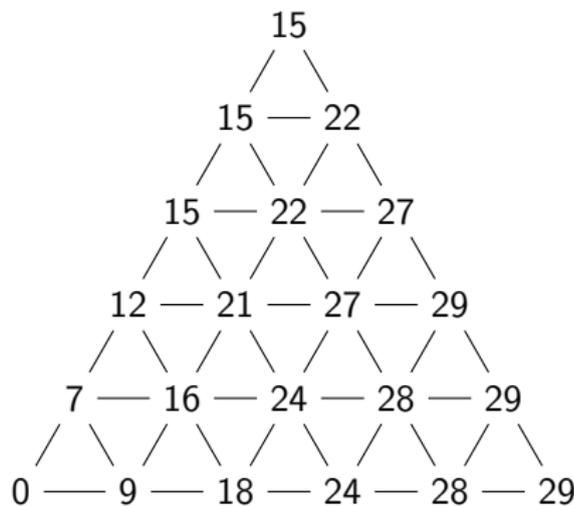
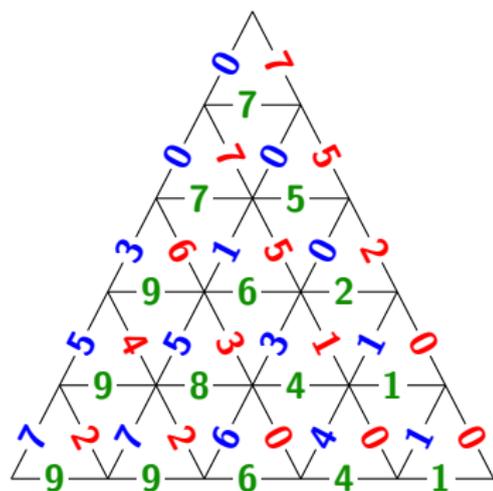


$$\alpha + \beta = \gamma$$

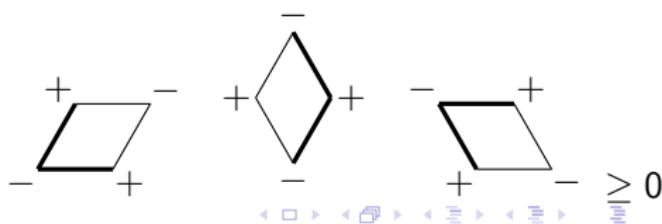
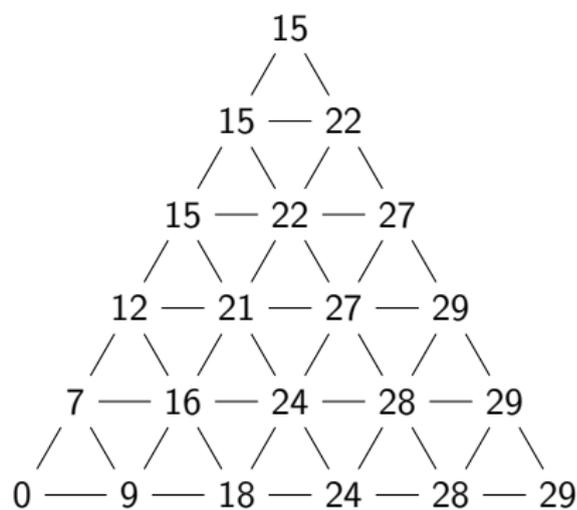
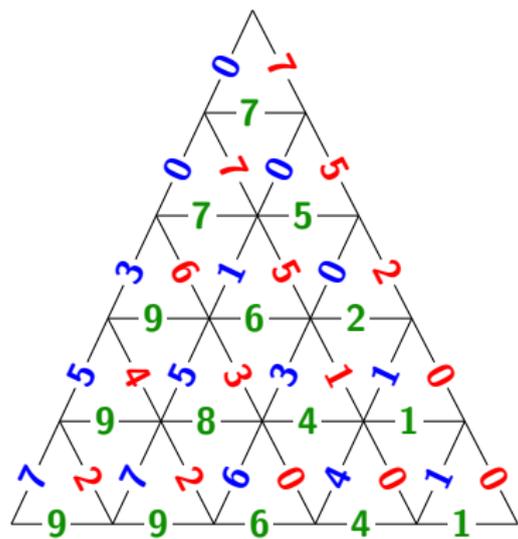


From edge KTT (2006), to vertex representation of a hive  
 A. Knutson, T. Tao (1999), and A.S. Buch (2000)

*The transformation from edge to vertex labelling* starts with the bottom left vertex with label 0, and, inductively, find the label of a vertex as the the sum of a vertex label to its left with the label of the edge connecting these two vertices. The triangle condition ensures a consistent result.

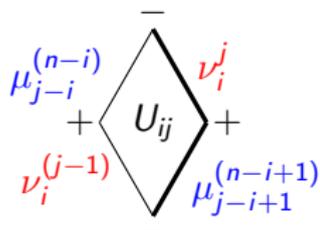
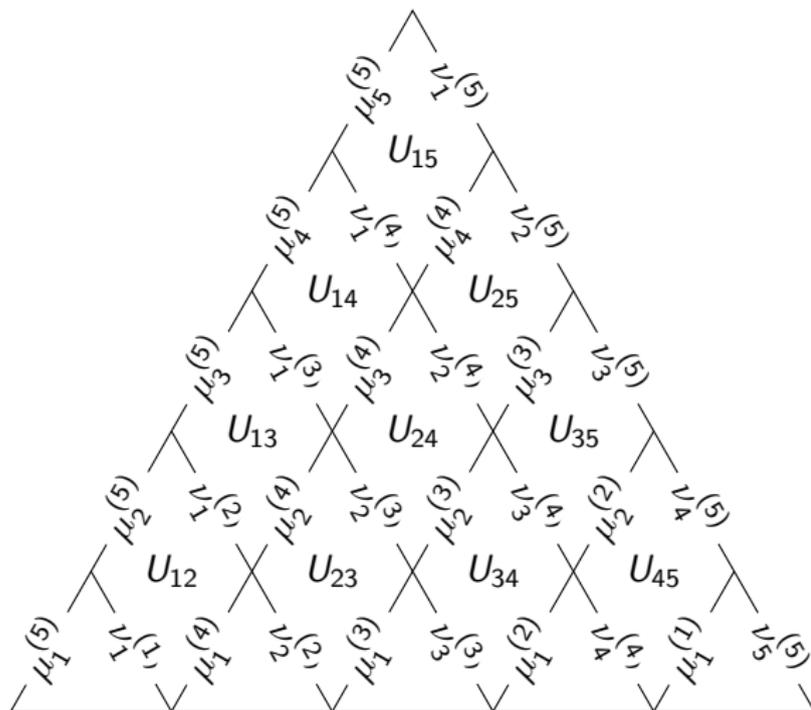


Edge and vertex representation of a hive A. Knutson, T. Tao (1999), and A.S. Buch (2000)



# Gradient representation of a hive

The hive is expressed only in terms of the  $\mu$ ,  $\nu$  and  $\lambda$  edge labels, and upright rhombus gradients.



$$\begin{aligned}
 U_{ij} &= \mu_{j-i}^{(n-i)} - \mu_{j-i+1}^{(n-i+1)} \\
 &= \nu_i^j - \nu_i^{(j-1)} \geq 0
 \end{aligned}$$



# The interlocking GT pattern pair $(T_\mu, T_\nu)$ and the tensor product of $\mathfrak{gl}_n$ -crystal bases

- Let  $B_\lambda$  denote the crystal basis of the irreducible representation  $V_\lambda$  of  $U_q(\mathfrak{gl}_n)$ .
- $B_\lambda$  can be taken to be the set of all SSYTs of shape  $\lambda$ , in the alphabet  $\{1, \dots, n\}$ , equipped with crystal operators. The highest weight element is the Yamanouchi tableau  $Y_\lambda$ , and the lowest weight element  $\xi(Y_\lambda) =: Y_{\text{rev}\lambda}$ , with  $\xi$  *the Schützenberger involution*.

$$Y_{753} = \begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|} \hline 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ \hline 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 & & \\ \hline 3 & 3 & 3 & & & & \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$Y_{357} = \begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|} \hline 1 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 2 & 3 & 3 \\ \hline 2 & 2 & 2 & 3 & 3 & & \\ \hline 3 & 3 & 3 & & & & \\ \hline \end{array}$$

- $\mathfrak{gl}_n$ -Littlewood-Richardson rule. The map  $U \otimes V \rightarrow (P(U \otimes V), Q(U \otimes V))$  gives the  $\mathfrak{gl}_n$ -isomorphism

$$B_\mu \otimes B_\nu \cong \bigoplus_{T \in \mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\mu, \nu)} B_\lambda(T),$$

with  $B_\lambda(T) = B_\lambda \times \{T\} \cong B_\lambda$ . The multiplicity of  $B_\lambda$  in  $B_\mu \otimes B_\nu$  is

$$\begin{aligned} \# \text{highest (lowest) weight elements of weight } \lambda \text{ (rev } \lambda) \text{ in } B_\mu \otimes B_\nu \\ = |\mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\mu, \nu)| = c_{\mu, \nu}^\lambda \end{aligned}$$

- *The lowest and the highest weight elements of  $B_\lambda(T)$  in  $B_\mu \otimes B_\nu$ .* Each crystal connected component in  $B_\mu \otimes B_\nu$ , isomorphic to  $B_\lambda(T)$ , has **highest weight element**  $Y_\mu \otimes T_\nu$ , and **lowest weight element**  $T_\mu \otimes Y_{\text{rev } \nu}$ , where  $(T_\mu, T_\nu)$  is the GT-pattern pair obtained from  $T \in \mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\mu, \nu)$ .

# Involution commutators and the Schützenberger involution

- Henriques-Kamnitzer crystal commutator (arxiv 2004). For each  $T \in \mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\mu, \nu)$  there exists  $T^* \in \mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\nu, \mu)$  such that the map

$$\begin{array}{ccc} B(\mu) \otimes B(\nu) & \rightarrow & B(\nu) \otimes B(\mu) \\ U \otimes V & \mapsto & \xi(V) \otimes \xi(U) \end{array}$$

sends

$$\begin{array}{ccc} Y_\mu \otimes T_\nu & \rightarrow & T_\nu^* \otimes \xi Y_\mu, & \xi T_\nu = T_\nu^* \\ T_\mu \otimes \xi Y_\nu & \rightarrow & Y_\nu \otimes T_\mu^*, & \xi T_\mu = T_\mu^*. \end{array}$$

- Henriques-Kamnitzer LR involution commutator

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{Com}_{HK}: \mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\mu, \nu) & \rightarrow & \mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\nu, \mu) \\ T & \rightarrow & T^* \quad : \quad T_\nu^* = \xi T_\nu, T_\mu^* = \xi T_\mu \end{array}$$

- Pak-Vallejo LR commutators (arxiv 2004):  $\rho_2 = \gamma^{-1}\xi\tau$  and  $\rho'_2 = \tau^{-1}\xi\gamma = \rho_2^{-1}$ .

$$\rho_2 : T \in \mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\mu, \nu) \xrightarrow{\tau} T_\nu \xrightarrow{\xi} \xi(T_\nu) \xrightarrow{\gamma^{-1}} Q \in \mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\nu, \mu)$$

$$\rho'_2 : T \in \mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\mu, \nu) \xrightarrow{\gamma} T_\mu \xrightarrow{\xi} \xi(T_\mu) \xrightarrow{\tau^{-1}} Q' \in \mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\nu, \mu)$$

Conjectured  $\rho_2 = \rho'_2 \Leftrightarrow Q = Q'$ .

# The nature of the LR tableau and LR hive commutators $\rho_3$ (A. 1999) and $\sigma^{(n)}$ (A., King, Terada 2016)

- The general philosophy of the maps  $\rho_3$  and  $\sigma^{(n)}$ : an LR tableau  $T \in \mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\mu, \nu)$  and an LR hive  $H \in \mathcal{H}^{(n)}(\lambda, \mu, \nu)$  can be completely specified by means of the GT pattern with type  $\nu$ , and the shape  $\mu$ .
- The nature of the map  $\rho_3$  on  $T \in \mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\mu, \nu)$  and of the map  $\sigma^{(n)}$  on  $H \in \mathcal{H}^{(n)}(\lambda, \mu, \nu)$  is that it proceeds by providing:
  - ▶ a sequence consisting of successively smaller LR tableaux in which the sequence of inner shapes determines the image  $S \in \mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\nu, \mu)$ ; and
  - ▶ a sequence consisting of successively smaller LR hives in which the sequence of left-hand boundary edges determine the image  $K \in \mathcal{H}^{(n)}(\lambda, \nu, \mu)$ .They do so by specifying completely a GT pattern with type  $\mu$  associated with  $S$  and  $K$ .
- ▶ Both maps have inverses acting in a reverse manner. Their action on  $T \in \mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\mu, \nu)$  and  $H \in \mathcal{H}^{(n)}(\lambda, \mu, \nu)$  culminate in the same images  $S$  and  $K$ . The maps  $\rho_3$  and  $\sigma^{(n)}$  are involutions.







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# The partner tableau

- The partner tableau of  $T$

$$\rho_3(T) = S = \begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|} \hline & & & & & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ \hline & & & & 1 & 2 & & \\ \hline & 1 & 2 & 2 & 2 & & & \\ \hline 1 & 2 & 3 & 3 & & & & \\ \hline \end{array} \in LR(\lambda/\nu, \mu)$$

- The GT pattern of type  $\mu$  of the partner tableau.* The sequence of inner shapes produced in the deletion procedure gives the GT pattern of type  $\mu$  of  $S$ , the partner tableau of  $T$

$$S_\mu = \begin{array}{cccccc} & & & & & 3 \\ & & & & 4 & 1 \\ & & & 5 & 4 & 0 \\ & 6 & 5 & 2 & 0 & \end{array}$$

- The multiplicity of the positive terminating row numbers of operator  $\delta_i$  is given by  $\mu^i - \mu^{(i-1)}$ ,  $i = 1, 2, 3, 4$ .*

# The inverse $\bar{\rho}_3$

- To prove that  $\rho_3$  is a bijection, we exhibit its inverse  $\bar{\rho}_3$ .
- Given  $T \in \mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\mu, \nu)$  we use the GT pattern  $T_\nu$  to construct by **insertion of blank boxes** the inner shape  $\nu$  of  $\bar{\rho}_3 T \in \mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\nu, \mu)$ , and **adding, to each row  $i$ ,  $\mu_i$  boxes marked with  $i$** .

$$T = \begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|} \hline & & & & & & 1\ 1 \\ \hline & & & & & & 1 \\ \hline & & 1\ 2\ 2 & & & & \\ \hline 1\ 2\ 2\ 3 & & & & & & \\ \hline \end{array} \quad T_\nu = \begin{array}{cccccc} & & & & & 2 \\ & & & & & 3 \\ & & & & & 0 \\ & & & 4 & & 0 \\ & & & 5 & & 0 \\ & & & 4 & & 1 \\ & & & & & 0 \end{array}$$

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$$\emptyset \rightarrow \begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|} \hline & & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ \hline \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|} \hline & & & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ \hline 1 & & & & & & \\ \hline \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|} \hline & & & & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ \hline 1 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 & \\ \hline \end{array}$$

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$$\begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|} \hline & & & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ \hline & & 1 & 2 & 2 & 2 & \\ \hline & 2 & 2 & 3 & 3 & & \\ \hline 1 & & & & & & \\ \hline \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|} \hline & & & & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ \hline & & & & 2 & 2 & \\ \hline & 1 & 2 & 2 & 3 & & \\ \hline 1 & 2 & 3 & & & & \\ \hline \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|} \hline & & & & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ \hline & & & & 1 & 2 & \\ \hline & 1 & 2 & 2 & 2 & & \\ \hline 1 & 2 & 3 & 3 & & & \\ \hline \end{array} = \bar{\rho}_3(T)$$

$$\rho_3(T) = \bar{\rho}_3(T)$$

# Properties of operators $\delta_n$

## Lemma

- $\rho_3(T) = S \implies \rho_3(\delta_n T) = S^-$  obtained by removing the  $n$ th row of  $S$ .
- $T, T' \in \mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\mu, \nu)$ ,  $\delta_n T = \delta_n T' \implies T = T'$ .

## Proposition

(A. 2000); A., King, Terada (2016)

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \mathcal{LR}^{(n)} & \xrightarrow{\rho_3} & \mathcal{LR}^{(n)} \\
 \downarrow \text{the } n\text{th row} & \searrow S \mapsto T' & \downarrow \delta_n \\
 \mathcal{LR}^{(n-1)} & \xrightarrow{\rho_3} & \mathcal{LR}^{(n-1)} \\
 & \swarrow S^- \mapsto T'' & \downarrow \delta_n
 \end{array}
 \quad \rho_3(S^-) = \delta_n(\rho_3(S)).$$

## Theorem

$$\rho_3^2 = id.$$

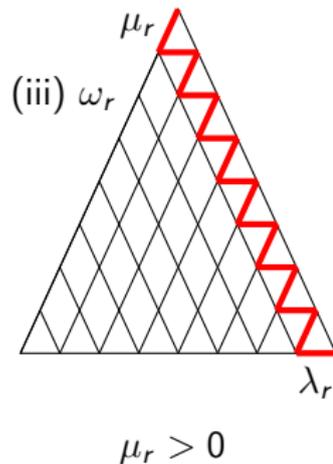
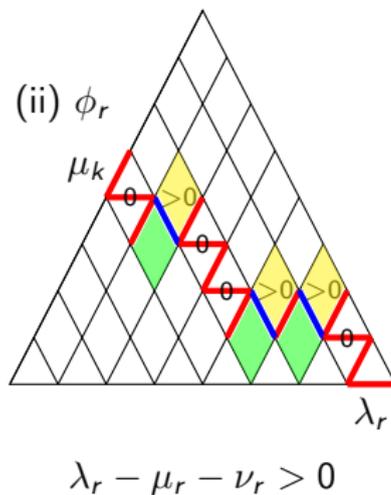
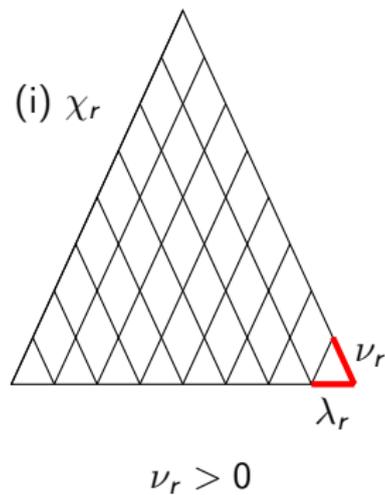
**Proof.** By induction on  $n$ .

$$n = 1, \quad T = \boxed{\phantom{0}} \boxed{\phantom{0}} \boxed{1} \boxed{1} \boxed{1} \boxed{1} \boxed{1} \rightarrow_{\rho_3} S = \boxed{\phantom{0}} \boxed{\phantom{0}} \boxed{\phantom{0}} \boxed{\phantom{0}} \boxed{1} \boxed{1} \rightarrow_{\rho_3} T = \boxed{\phantom{0}} \boxed{\phantom{0}} \boxed{1} \boxed{1} \boxed{1} \boxed{1} \boxed{1}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 n > 1, \quad T \in \mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\mu, \nu), \quad \rho_3(T) = S \\
 \rho_3(\delta_n T) = S^- &\stackrel{\text{induction}}{\Rightarrow} \rho_3^2(\delta_n T) = \delta_n T = \rho_3 S^- \\
 \Leftrightarrow \delta_n T = \rho_3 S^- &\stackrel{\text{Proposition}}{=} \delta_n(\rho_3(S)) \Rightarrow \rho_3(S) = T.
 \end{aligned}$$

# An LR hive commutator (A., King, Terada, 2016)

- **Path removals in a hive with gradient representation.** Three path removal operators  $\chi_r$ ,  $\phi_r$  and  $\omega_r$  on a hive  $H$ . In each case the action on the hive  $H$  is to decrease the label of each **red** edge by 1 and to increase that of each **blue** edge by 1, along a path starting from the edge labelled  $\lambda_r$ .





# The path removal operator

- For any given hive  $H \in \mathcal{H}^{(r)}(\lambda, \mu, \nu)$  with  $r = \ell(\lambda)$ , the path removal operator  $\theta_{r, \lambda_r}$  is defined by

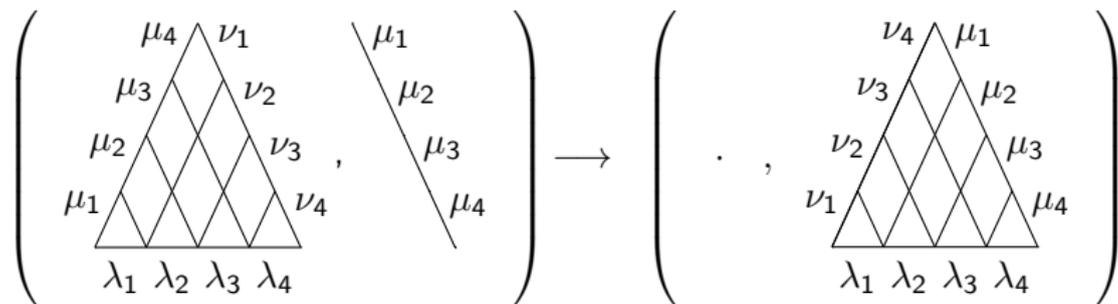
$$\theta_{r, \lambda_r} = \begin{cases} \chi_r & \text{if } \nu_r > 0; \\ \phi_r & \text{if } \nu_r = 0 \text{ and } U_{i_r} > 0 \text{ for some } i < r; \\ \omega_r & \text{if } \nu_r = 0, U_{i_r} = 0 \text{ for all } i < r, \text{ and } \mu_r > 0. \end{cases}$$

- For any given hive  $H \in \mathcal{H}^{(r)}(\lambda, \mu, \nu)$  with  $\ell(\lambda) \leq r$  the *full  $r$ -hive path removal operator*  $\theta_r$  is defined by

$$\theta_r := \theta_{r,1} \theta_{r,2} \cdots \theta_{r, \lambda_r},$$

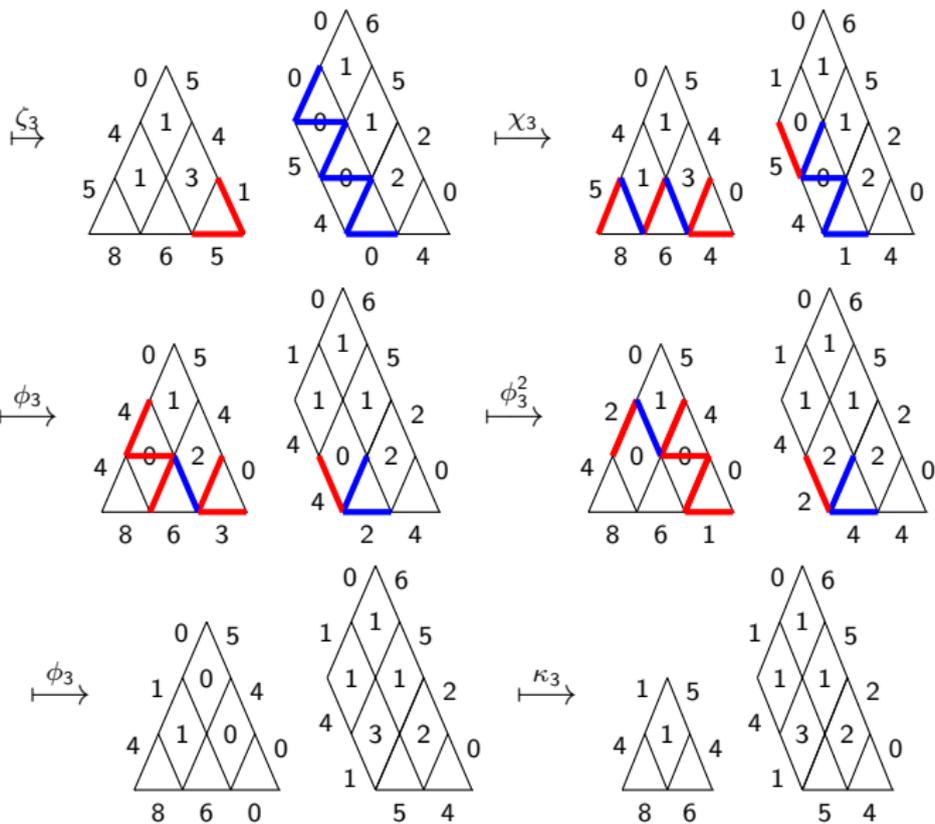
$$\theta_r = \omega_r^{\mu_r} \phi_r^{\lambda_r - \mu_r - \nu_r} \chi_r^{\nu_r}$$

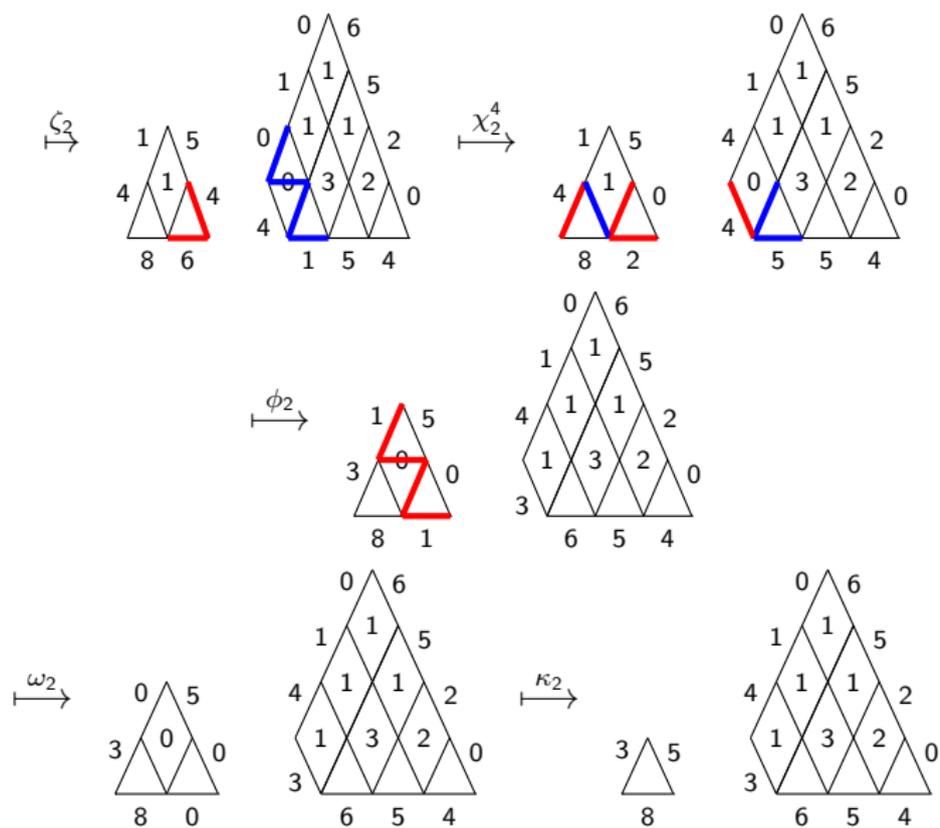
# An LR hive commutator (A., King, Terada, 2016)

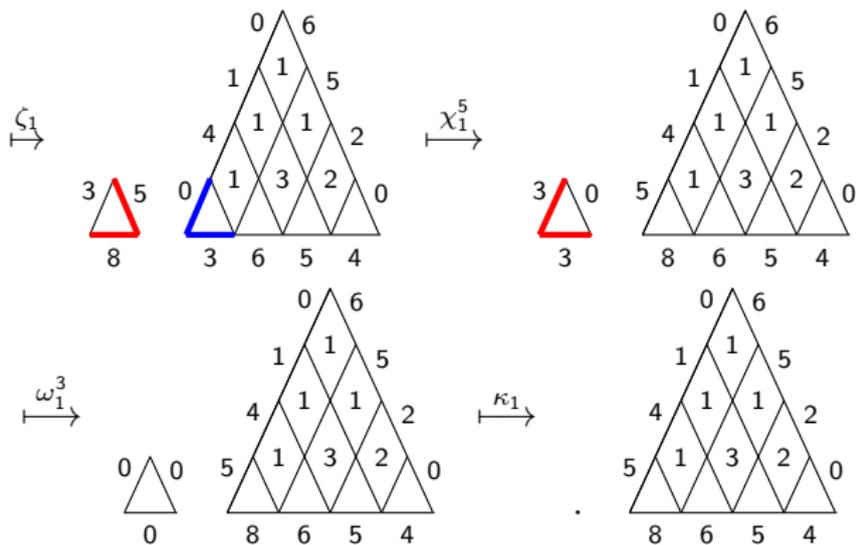


$$(H^{(4)}, K^{(0)}) \longrightarrow (H^{(0)}, K^{(4)})$$









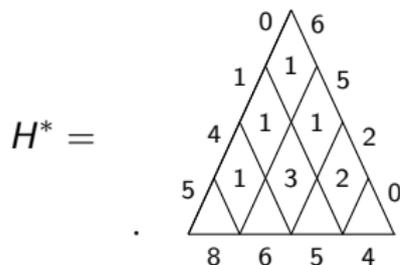
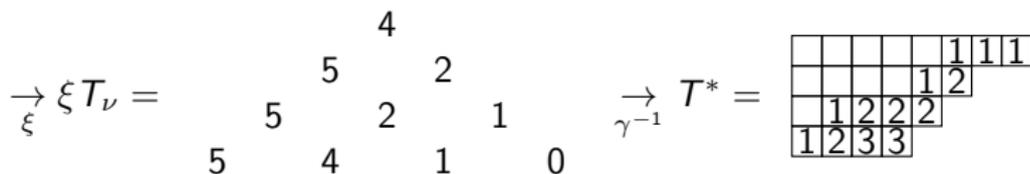
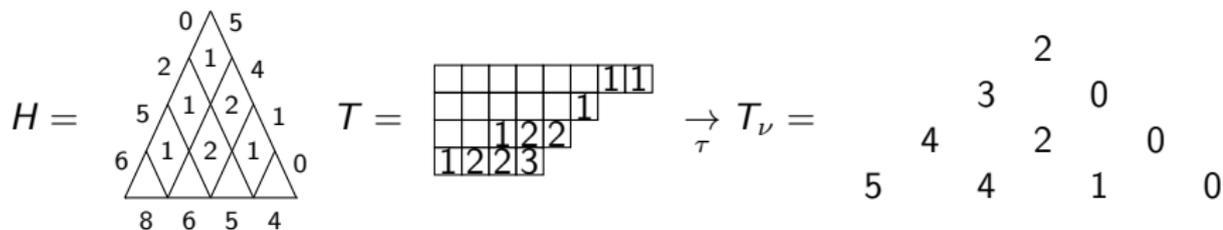
$$S = \begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|} \hline & & & & 1 \\ \hline & & & 1 & 1 \\ \hline & & 1 & 2 & 2 \\ \hline 1 & 2 & 3 & 3 & \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$, S_\mu =$$

$$\begin{array}{cccc} & & 3 & \\ & 4 & & 1 \\ 5 & & 4 & 0 \\ 6 & 5 & 2 & 0 \end{array}$$

# Example: $Com_{HK} = \gamma^{-1}\xi T$

- $\mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\mu, \nu) \rightarrow \mathcal{LR}(\lambda/\nu, \mu), \quad \mathcal{H}^{(4)}(\lambda, \mu, \nu) \rightarrow \mathcal{H}^{(4)}(\lambda, \nu, \mu)$



# Example: $\tau^{-1}\xi\gamma$



$$\begin{array}{c}
 T = \begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|}
 \hline
 & & & & & & 1 & 1 \\
 \hline
 & & & & & 1 & & \\
 \hline
 & & 1 & 2 & 2 & & & \\
 \hline
 1 & 2 & 2 & 3 & & & & \\
 \hline
 \end{array}
 \xrightarrow{\gamma} T_\mu = \begin{array}{cccccccc}
 & & & 4 & & & & \\
 & & & 5 & & 3 & & \\
 & & 6 & & 3 & & 1 & \\
 6 & & 5 & & 2 & & 0 & \xrightarrow{\xi} \\
 \end{array}
 \end{array}$$
  

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \xrightarrow{\xi} \xi T_\mu = \begin{array}{cccccccc}
 & & & 3 & & & & \\
 & & & 4 & & 1 & & \\
 & & 5 & & 4 & & 0 & \\
 6 & & 5 & & 2 & & 0 & \\
 \end{array}
 \xrightarrow{\tau^{-1}} Q = \begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|}
 \hline
 & & & & & & 1 & 1 & 1 \\
 \hline
 & & & & & 1 & 2 & & \\
 \hline
 & & 1 & 2 & 2 & 2 & & & \\
 \hline
 1 & 2 & 3 & 3 & & & & & \\
 \hline
 \end{array}
 \end{array}$$