Promotion, rowmotion, rotation, and webs

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Catalan objects

Theorem

 $2 \times d$ standard Young tableaux are counted by the dth Catalan number: $C_d = \frac{1}{d+1} {2d \choose d} = \frac{(2d)!}{(d+1)!d!}$

The Catalan numbers for $d = 0, 1, 2, \dots, 10$ are:

 $1,\ 1,\ 2,\ 5,\ 14,\ 42,\ 132,\ 429,\ 1430,\ 4862,\ 16796$

Catalan objects



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Catalan object bijections





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Promotion and rotation of noncrossing matchings

Theorem (D. White)

There is an equivariant bijection between promotion on $2 \times d$ standard Young tableaux and rotation on non-crossing matchings of n = 2d. So promotion has order n (and exhibits cyclic sieving).





Promotion and toggling

Proposition (Williams-S. 2012)

There is an equivariant bijection between promotion on $2 \times d$ standard Young tableaux and toggling left to right on order ideals of the triangular poset $\Phi^+(A_{d-1})$.


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Rowmotion

An order ideal



Rowmotion

Find the **minimal** elements of *P* not in the order ideal.



Rowmotion

Use them to generate a new order ideal.



Promotion and rowmotion are conjugate actions

Cameron and Fon-der-Flaass identified the toggle group and showed:

Theorem (Cameron-Fon-der-Flaass 1995)

Rowmotion can also be computed by toggling from top to bottom.

Theorem (Williams-S. 2012)

In any ranked poset, there is an equivariant bijection between order ideals under rowmotion and toggle-promotion (toggle left to right).

Theorem (Dilks-Pechenik-S. 2017)

In any poset with an n-dim lattice projection, there is an equivariant bijection between the order ideals under rowmotion and 2ⁿ toggle-promotions (toggle by hyperplanes in a given direction).

In an equivariant bijection the orbit structure is preserved.

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Corollary (Armstrong-Stump-Thomas 2013, Williams-S. 2012) There is an equivariant bijection between promotion on $2 \times d$ standard Young tableaux and rowmotion on order ideals of $\Phi^+(A_{d-1})$. So rowmotion has order n = 2d and exhibits cyclic sieving.



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Web basis of noncrossing matchings

Theorem (Theory of SL_2 webs)

A basis for the Specht module $S^{(d,d)}$ is given by those products of matrix minors corresponding to noncrossing matchings (SL₂ webs) of n = 2d. The long cycle $(12 \cdots n)$ acts by rotation of diagrams.



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Later in this talk:

• Increasing tableaux \longleftrightarrow Order ideals of $[a] \times [b] \times [c]$ (joint work with Dilks and Pechenik)

Not in this talk:

- Increasing labelings of P ↔ Order ideals of Γ(P) (joint work with Dilks and Vorland)
- P-strict labelings ↔→ Γ(P)-partitions (two papers joint with Bernstein and Vorland)
 - \blacktriangleright Semistandard Young tableaux \longleftrightarrow Gelfand-Tsetlin patterns
 - ► Flagged tableaux of staircase shape ↔ Rectangular *P*-partitions
 - ► Symplectic tableaux of staircase shape ↔ Triangular flagged P-partitions

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 Promotion on 3 × d standard Young tableaux ↔ rotation of SL₃ webs with n = 3d boundary vertices of one color (Petersen-Pylyavskyy-Rhoades 2009)



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Open questions: \rightarrow Rowmotion?

 Promotion on 3 × d standard Young tableaux ↔ rotation of SL₃ webs with n = 3d boundary vertices of one color (Petersen-Pylyavskyy-Rhoades 2009)



Open questions: \rightarrow Rowmotion?

 \rightarrow Web basis for SL_m ? Standard Young tableaux of shape d^m index a basis for the Specht module S^{d^m} and have promotion order n = md (Haiman 1992) and cyclic sieving (Rhoades 2010), but no one knows a web basis. (There are non-diagrammatic bases that respect the S_n action.)

 Promotion on 'rectangular' generalized oscillating tableaux of 3 rows ↔ rotation of SL₃ webs where boundary vertices may be of both colors (Rebecca Patrias 2019)



Promotion on d × 2 standard Young tableaux ↔ rotation of SL_d webs with n = 2d boundary vertices of one color (Chris Fraser 2022+)



 Promotion on 4 × d standard Young tableaux ↔ rotation of equivalence classes of SL₄ web-like diagrams with n = 4d boundary vertices (joint work in progress with Christian Gaetz, Oliver Pechenik, Stephan Pfannerer, and Joshua Swanson)



Increasing tableaux

1	2	3	5	6	9	10
3	4	6	7	8	10	11

Theorem (Pechenik 2014)

 $2 \times d$ packed increasing tableaux are counted by the dth small Schröder number.

The small Schöder numbers for d = 0, 1, 2, ..., 9 are:

 $1,\ 1,\ 3,\ 11,\ 45,\ 197,\ 903,\ 4279,\ 20793,\ 103049$














1	3	7
3	6	8

	3	7
3	6	8

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2	5	6
5	7	8

1	2	4
4	5	6

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K-promotion and rotation of noncrossing partitions

Theorem (O. Pechenik 2014 (packed case))

There is an equivariant bijection between K-promotion on $2 \times d$ increasing tableaux with entries at most 2d + m - 2 and rotation on non-crossing partitions of 2d + m - 2 into d - 1 non-singleton parts. So K-promotion has order 2d + m - 2 and exhibits the CSP.



Rowmotion and rotation of noncrossing partitions

Theorem (Williams-S. '12, Cameron-Fon-der-Flaass '95, Rush-Shi '13) There is an equivariant bijection between rowmotion on order ideals of $a \times b \times 2$ and rotation on noncrossing partitions of a + b + 1 into b + 1 blocks. So rowmotion has order a + b + 1 and exhibits the CSP.



Theorem (K. Dilks, O. Pechenik, S. 2017)





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K-promotion and rowmotion

Theorem (K. Dilks, O. Pechenik, S. 2017)







A bijection with pennant shaped standard Young tableaux



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A bijection with pennant shaped standard Young tableaux



Web basis of noncrossing partitions

Theorem (Rhoades 2017, Kim-Rhoades 2022, Patrias-Pechenik-S. 2022+) Noncrossing partitions of n = 2d + m - 2 into d parts with no singletons index a basis for the Specht module $S^{(d,d,1^{m-2})}$. The long cycle $(12 \cdots n)$ acts by rotation of diagrams.



In our new proof of this theorem, we define an explicit polynomial for each noncrossing partition and show this is a basis.

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Web invariant polynomials

Given a set partition π , how do we define its polynomial $[\pi]$? Our polynomial will be a signed sum over *jellyfish tableaux*.

$$\pi = \{\{2, 3, 6, 10\}, \{5, 7, 8, 9\}, \{1, 4\}\}$$





<i>x</i> ₁₂	<i>x</i> ₁₃	<i>x</i> ₁₆	<i>x</i> ₁₁₀	<i>x</i> ₁₅	<i>x</i> ₁₇	<i>x</i> ₁₈	<i>x</i> ₁₉		
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$$(-1)^{\text{inv}(\mathcal{T})} J(\mathcal{T}) = (-1)^7 M_{1,2,3,5}^{2,3,6,10} \cdot M_{1,2,4,6}^{5,7,8,9} \cdot M_{1,2}^{1,4}$$

Web invariant polynomials

Suppose $\pi = \{\{2, 3, 6, 10\}, \{5, 7, 8, 9\}, \{1, 4\}\}$. Then $\mathcal{J}(\pi)$ is:

2	5	1	2	5	1	2	5	1	2	5	1	2	5	1	2	5	1
3	7	4	3	7	4	3	7	4	3	7	4	3	7	4	3	7	4
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$$\begin{split} [\pi] &= \sum_{T \in \mathcal{J}(\pi)} (-1)^{\text{inv}\,T} \, \mathrm{J}(T) = \sum_{T \in \mathcal{J}(\pi)} \, \text{sgn}(T) \, \mathrm{J}(T) \\ &= M_{1,2,3,4}^{2,3,6,10} \cdot M_{1,2,5,6}^{5,7,8,9} \cdot M_{1,2}^{1,4} - M_{1,2,3,5}^{2,3,6,10} \cdot M_{1,2,4,6}^{5,7,8,9} \cdot M_{1,2}^{1,4} \\ &+ M_{1,2,3,6}^{2,3,6,10} \cdot M_{1,2,4,5}^{5,7,8,9} \cdot M_{1,2}^{1,4} + M_{1,2,4,5}^{2,3,6,10} \cdot M_{1,2,3,6}^{5,7,8,9} \cdot M_{1,2}^{1,4} \\ &- M_{1,2,4,6}^{2,3,6,10} \cdot M_{1,2,3,5}^{5,7,8,9} \cdot M_{1,2}^{1,4} + M_{1,2,5,6}^{2,3,6,10} \cdot M_{1,2,3,4}^{5,7,8,9} \cdot M_{1,2}^{1,4} \end{split}$$

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Proof that this is a basis

A polynomial relation for changing block sizes:

$[\{A \cup B, I \cup J\}] + [\{A \cup I, B \cup J\}] + [\{A \cup J, B \cup I\}]$ $= [\{A, B \cup I \cup J\}] + [\{A \cup I \cup J, B\}]$



This specializes to an uncrossing rule:





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