

Asymptotiques des motifs consécutifs dans les permutations et les couplages parfaits

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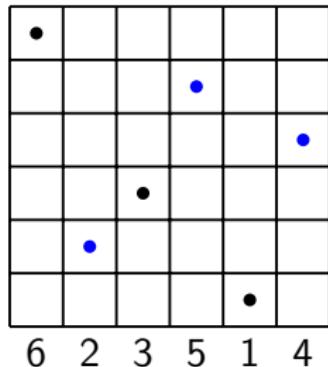
Part I

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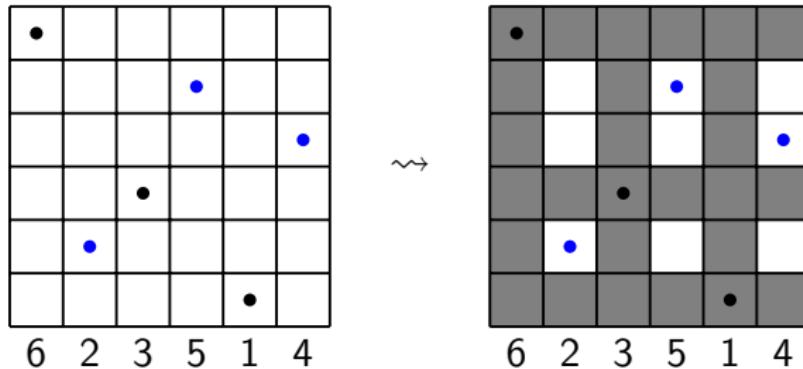


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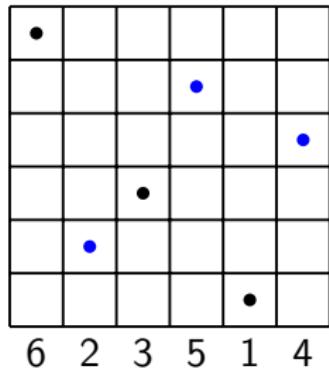


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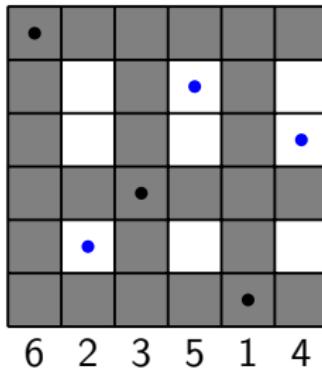
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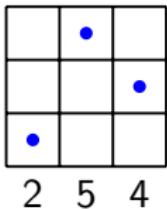
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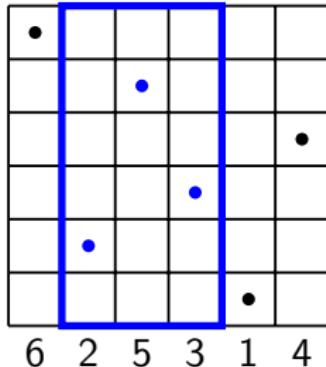


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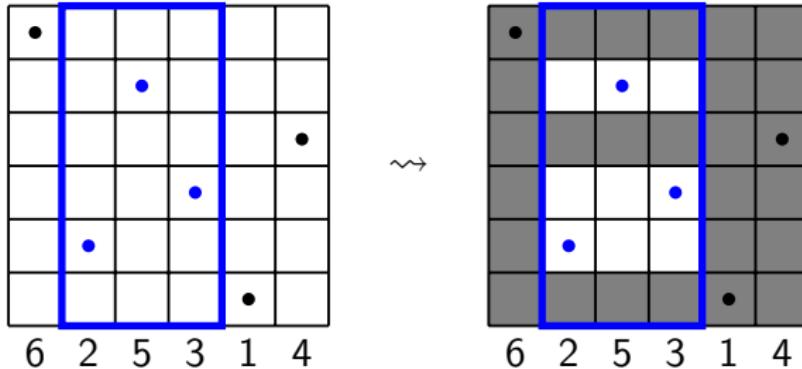


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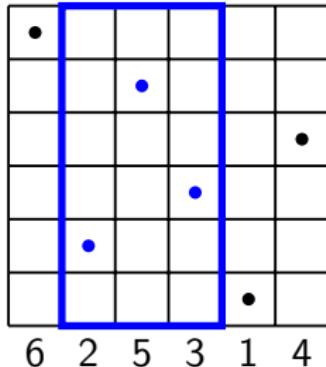


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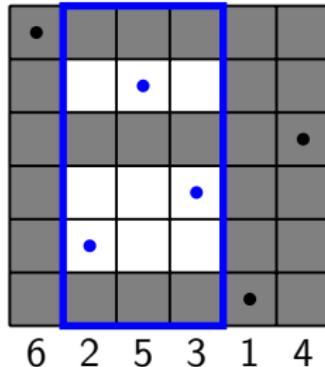
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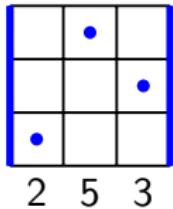
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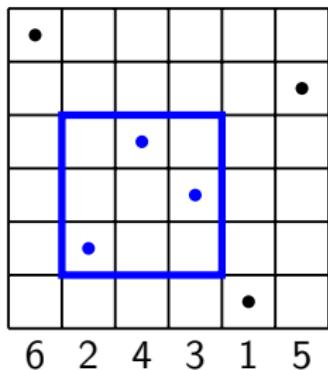


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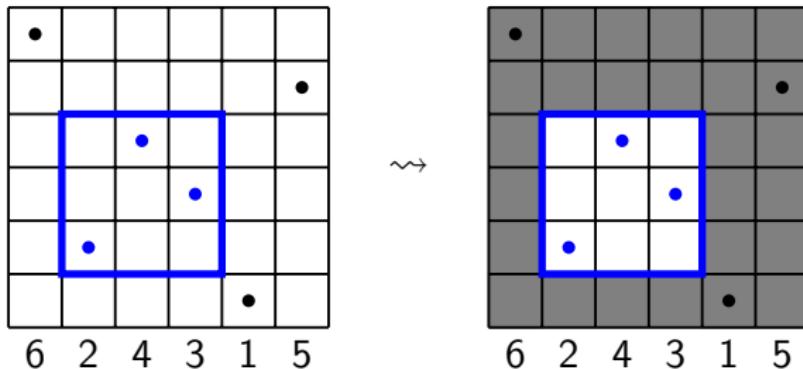
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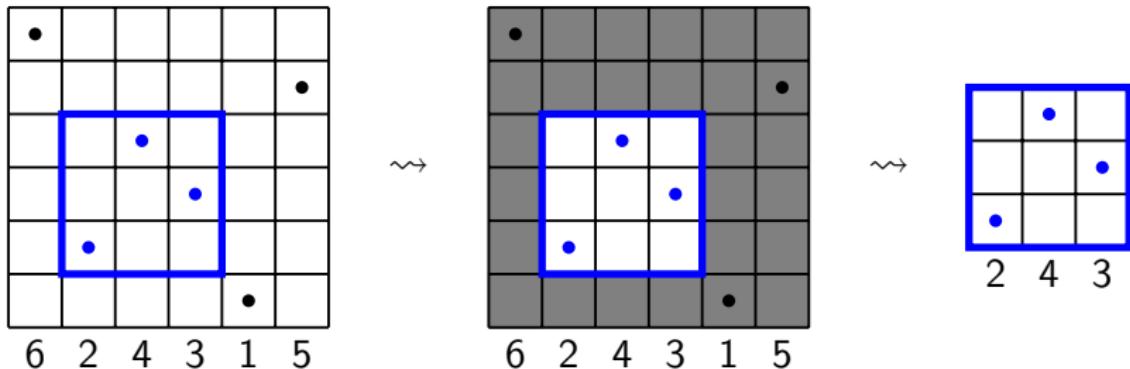
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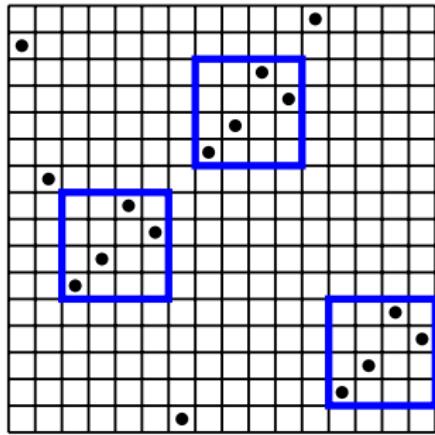
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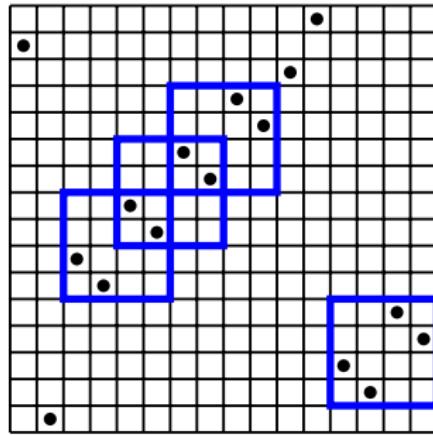
Enumeration methods for very tight patterns

There are two cases.

- 1 Patterns cannot overlap \rightsquigarrow inclusion-exclusion principle.
- 2 Patterns can overlap \rightsquigarrow cluster method.



Case 1: $\tau = 1243$



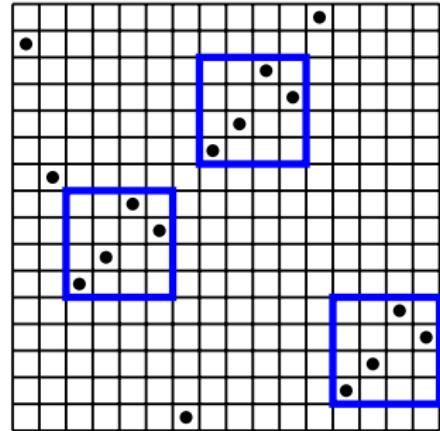
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Enumeration of patterns that cannot overlap

- Let $\tau \in S_p$ be a pattern that cannot overlap.
- Let $a_{n,k}(\tau)$ be the number of permutations $\sigma \in S_n$ with k very tight occurrences of τ .

- Theorem (Myers, 2002):

$$a_{n,k}(\tau) = \sum_{i=k}^{\lfloor n/(p-1) \rfloor} (-1)^{i-k} \binom{i}{k} \binom{n - (p-1)i}{i} (n - (p-1)i)!$$

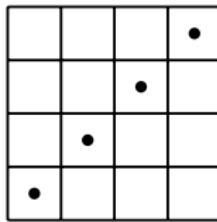


- Proof: the inclusion-exclusion principle.

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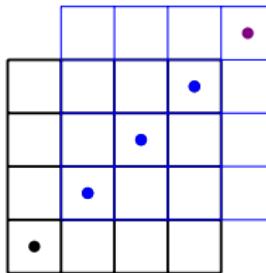


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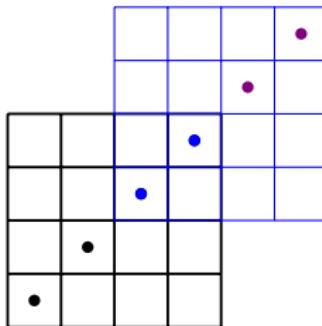


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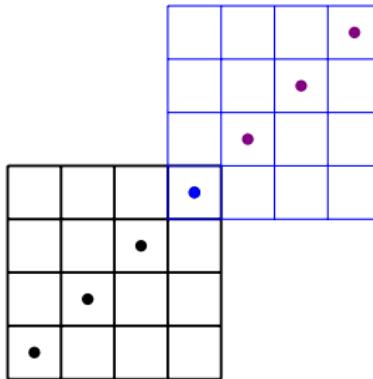


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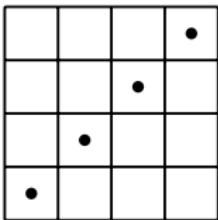
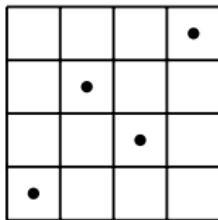


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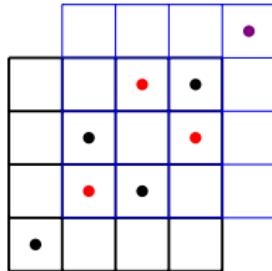
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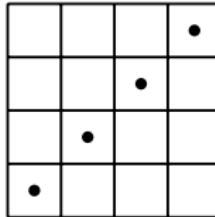
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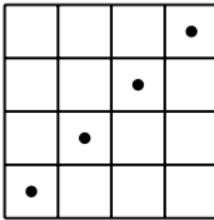
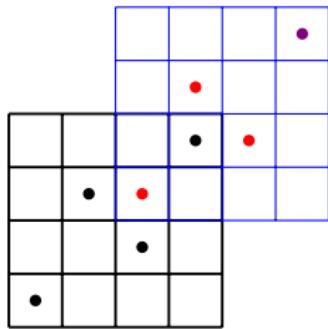


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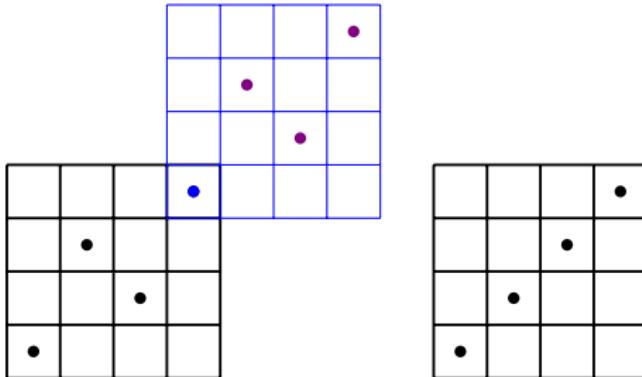
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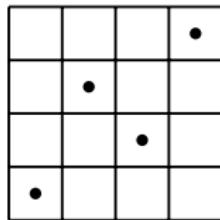


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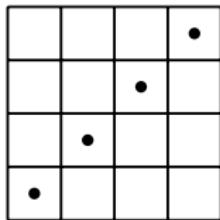
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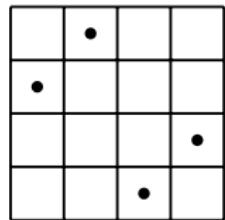
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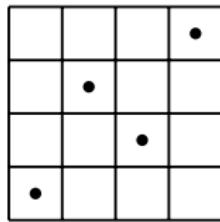


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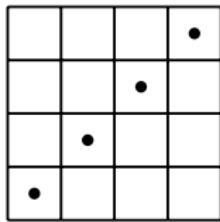
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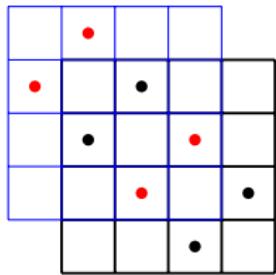
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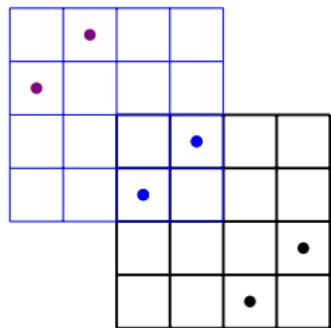
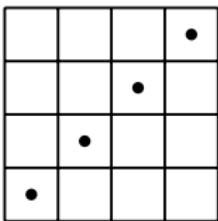
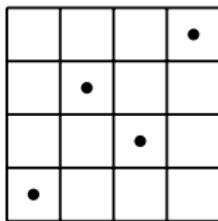


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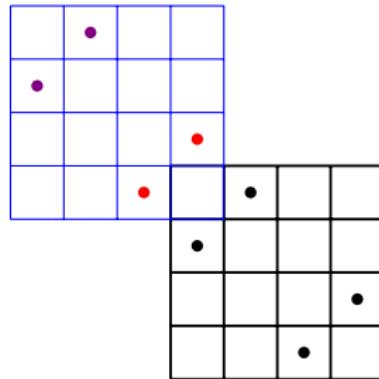
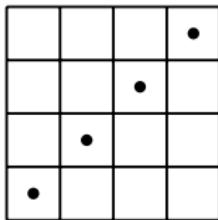
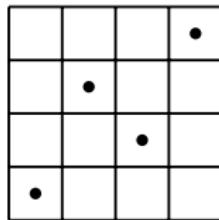
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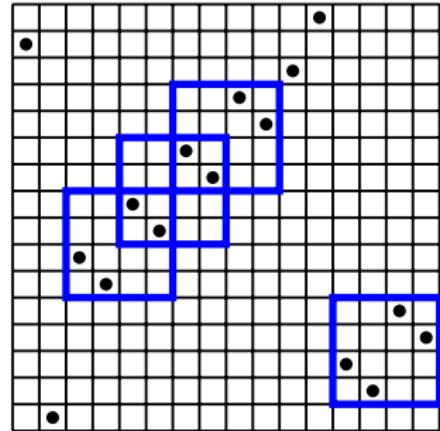
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- Theorem (Claesson, 2022):

$$\sum_{n,k \geq 0} a_{n,k}(\tau) z^n u^k = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n! \left(z + \frac{(u-1)z^p}{1 - (u-1)(A_{\tau}(z) - 1)} \right)^n$$



- Proof: the cluster method of Goulden and Jackson.

Asymptotics for $a_{n,k}(12)$

- Asymptotics (Bóna, 2007):

$$\frac{a_{n,k}(12)}{n!} \sim \frac{e^{-1}}{k!}$$

as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

- This is a Poisson distribution $\text{Pois}(1)$ with parameter $\lambda = 1$.

Asymptotics for $a_{n,k}(\tau)$ with $A_\tau(z) = 1$, $p > 2$

- Suppose that $\tau \in S_p$ cannot overlap, i.e. $A_\tau(z) = 1$.
- Generating function of permutations:

$$P(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n! z^n$$

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- Asymptotics (Kirgizov, N., 2024+):

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as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

Asymptotics for $a_{n,k}(\tau)$ with $A_\tau(z) \neq 1$, $p > 2$

- Suppose that $\tau \in S_p$ can overlap, $A_\tau(z) = 1 + z^m + \dots$
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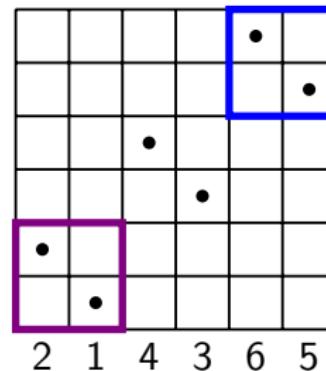
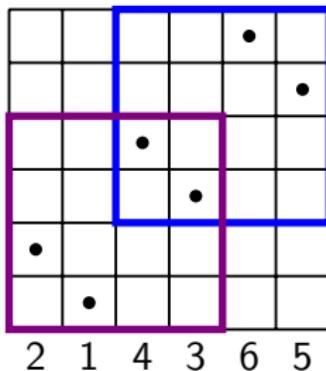
Interlude

Self-overlapping permutations

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Permutation $\sigma \in S_n$ is **self-overlapping** if there is $k < n$:

- 1 $\{1, \dots, k\}$ is invariant under σ ,
- 2 $\{n - k + 1, \dots, n\}$ is invariant under σ ,
- 3 $\sigma_1 \dots \sigma_k$ and $\sigma_{n-k+1} \dots \sigma_n$ are isomorphic.



It is always possible to choose $k \leq n/2$.

Structure of self-overlapping permutations

- Let $\sigma \in S_n$ and $\sigma_1 < \sigma_n$.

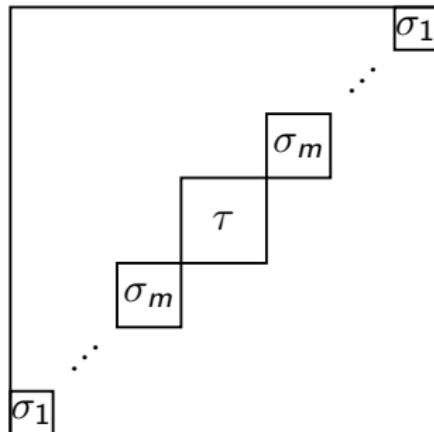
Then σ is non-self-overlapping iff $A_\sigma(z) = 1$.

- Every permutation $\sigma \in S_n$ can be decomposed as

$$\sigma = \sigma_1 \oplus \dots \oplus \sigma_m \oplus \tau \oplus \sigma_m \oplus \dots \oplus \sigma_1$$

where

- σ_i are non-self-overlapping,
- τ is empty or non-self-overlapping.



Asymptotics of non-self-overlapping permutations

Generating functions (Kirgizov, N., 2023+):

$$P(z) = \frac{1 + N(z)}{1 - N(z^2)},$$

where

- $P(z)$ is the OGF of permutations,
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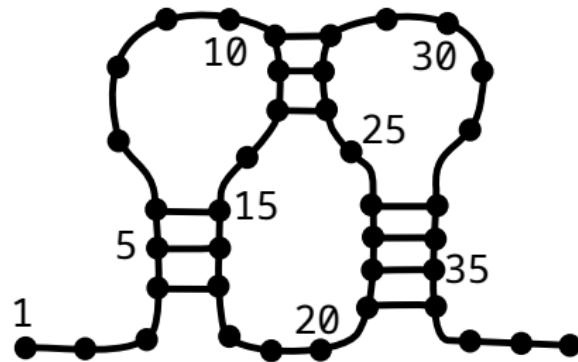
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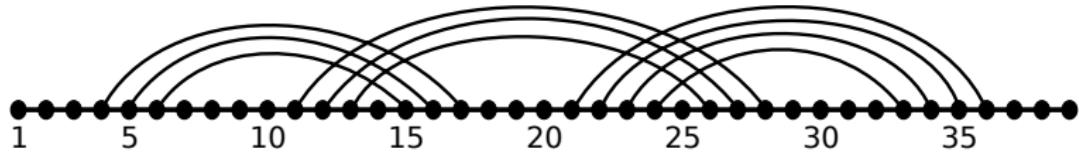
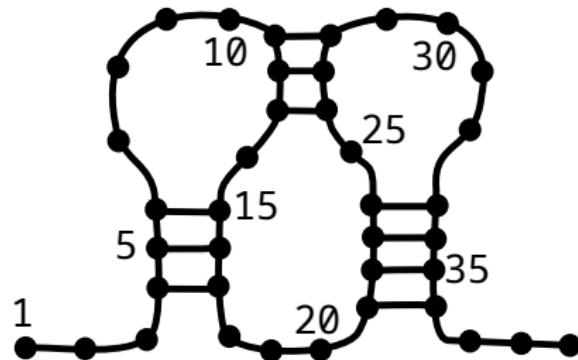
Part II

Patterns in matchings

RNA secondary structures and matchings

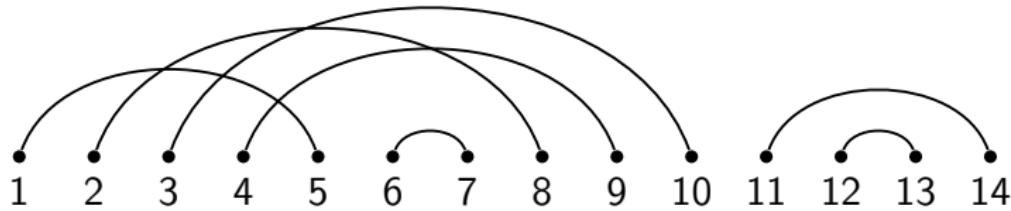


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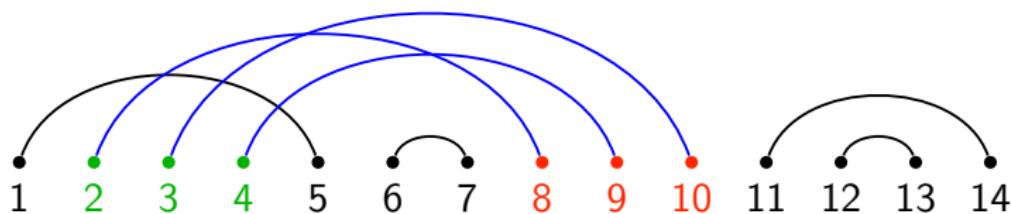
- A (perfect) **matching** is an involution without fixed points.
- A matching of size n consists of $2n$ points and n arcs:



- There are $(2n - 1)!!$ matchings of size n .

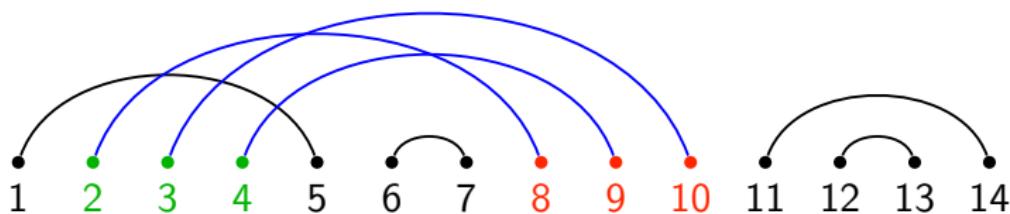
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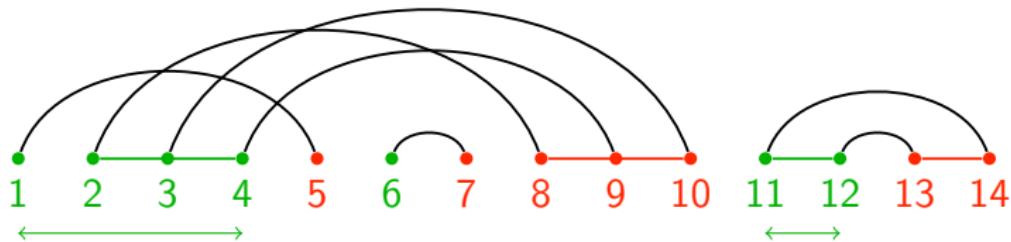
- Endhered patterns are encoded by permutations:



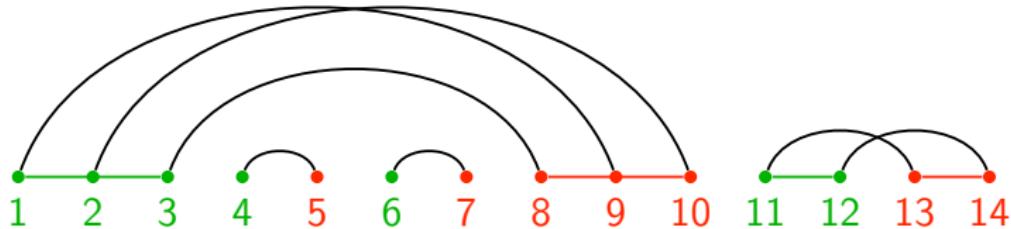
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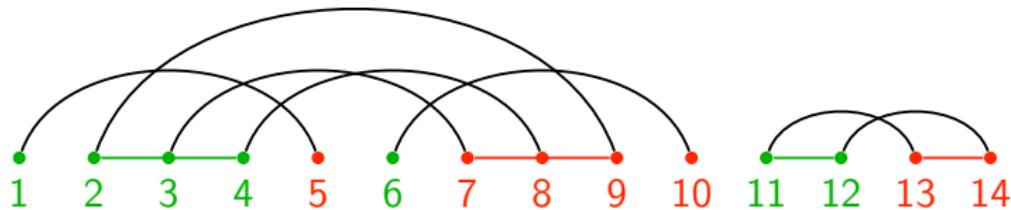
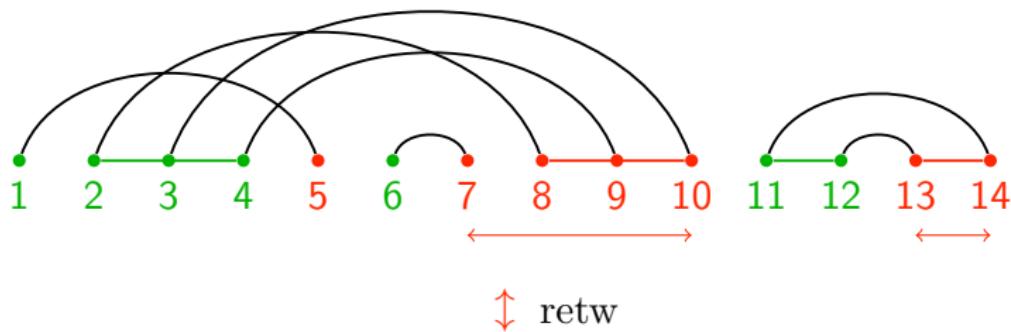


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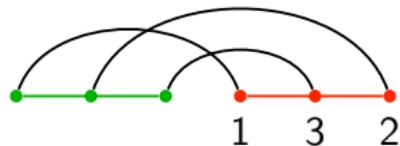


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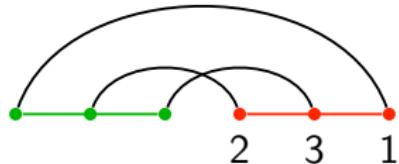
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(Wilf) equivalent patterns

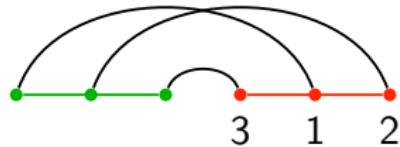


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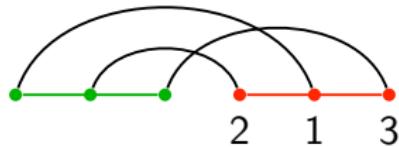


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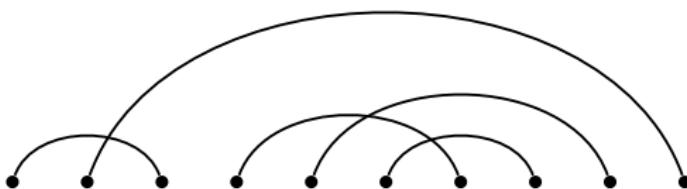
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- **Left twist**: relabeling $1, \dots, p \rightarrow p, \dots, 1$ in a pattern.
- **Right twist**: reversing a pattern.
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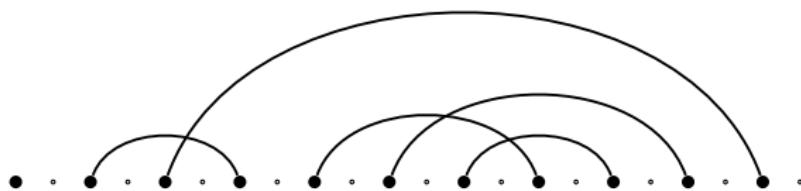
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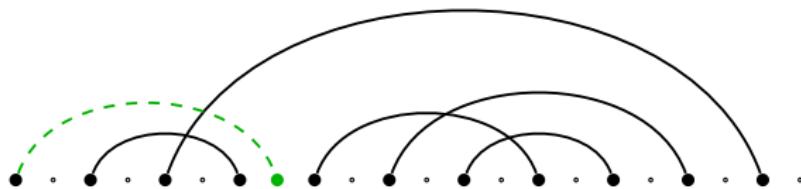
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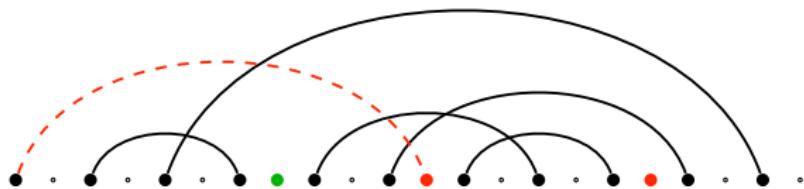
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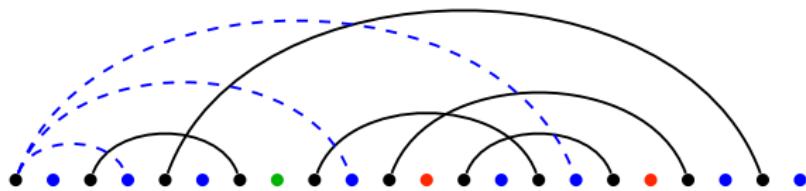
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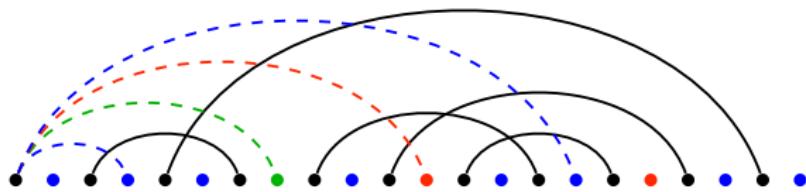
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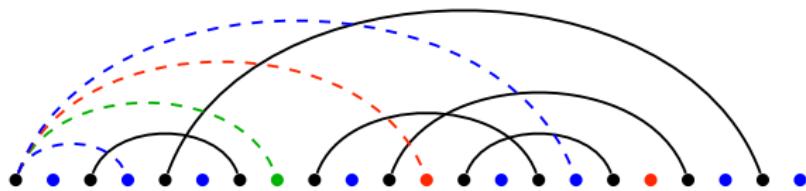


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Pattern $\tau = 21$, generating function and asymptotics

- Generating function:

$$B(z, u) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^n b_{n,k} \frac{z^n}{n!} u^k$$

- Exact form:

$$\frac{\partial B}{\partial z}(z, u) = \frac{e^{z(u-1)}}{\sqrt{(1-2z)^3}}$$

- Asymptotics: as $n \rightarrow \infty$,

$$\frac{b_{n,k}}{(2n-1)!!} \sim \frac{e^{-1/2}}{2^k k!}$$

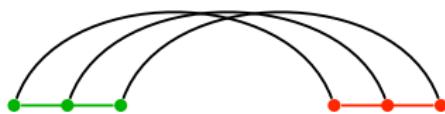
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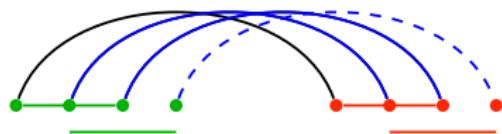
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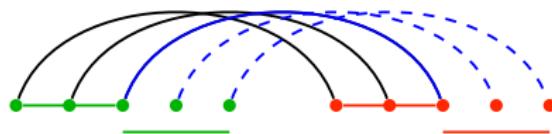
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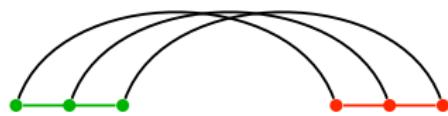
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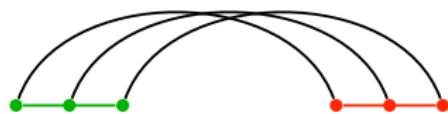
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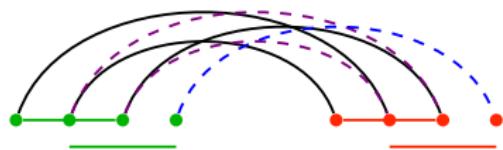
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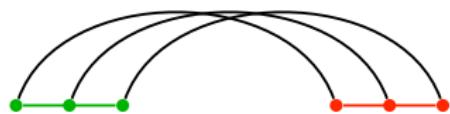
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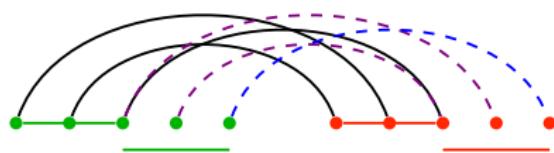
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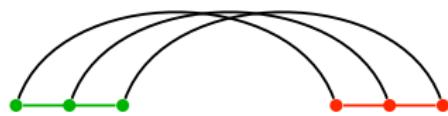
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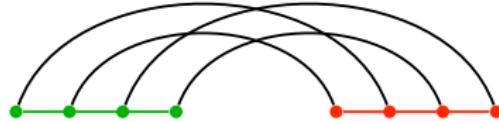
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- Generating function (Kirgizov, N., 2023+):

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as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

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$$\sum_{n,k \geq 0} b_{n,k}(\tau) z^n u^k = M \left(z + \frac{(u-1)z^p}{1 - (u-1)(A_\tau(z) - 1)} \right)$$

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Part III

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Ideas of proofs

Asymptotics of factorially divergent series (Borinsky)

$$a_n = \alpha^{n+\beta} \Gamma(n+\beta) \left(c_0 + \frac{c_1}{\alpha(n+\beta-1)} + \frac{c_2}{\alpha^2(n+\beta-1)(n+\beta-2)} + \dots \right)$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n \quad \xrightarrow{\mathcal{A}_{\beta}^{\alpha}} \quad \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n z^n$$

Properties:

- $(\mathcal{A}_{\beta}^{\alpha}(A \cdot B))(z) = A(z) \cdot (\mathcal{A}_{\beta}^{\alpha}B)(z) + B(z) \cdot (\mathcal{A}_{\beta}^{\alpha}A)(z),$
- $(\mathcal{A}_{\beta}^{\alpha}(A \circ B))(z) = A'(B(z)) \cdot (\mathcal{A}_{\beta}^{\alpha}B)(z)$
 $+ \left(\frac{z}{B(z)}\right)^{\beta} \exp\left(\frac{1}{\alpha}\left(\frac{1}{z} - \frac{1}{B(z)}\right)\right) (\mathcal{A}_{\beta}^{\alpha}A)(B(z)).$

Extracting asymptotics for permutation patterns

- $P(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n! z^n \quad \Rightarrow \quad (\mathcal{A}_1^1 P)(z) = 1$
- $G(z) = z + \frac{(u-1)z^p}{1 - (u-1)(A_\tau(z) - 1)} \quad \Rightarrow \quad (\mathcal{A}_1^1 G)(z) = 0$
- Composition:

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Conclusion

1 Studied objects:

- consecutive patterns in permutations and matchings,
- self-overlapping permutations.

2 Tools:

- the symbolic method,
- singularity analysis,
- Goulden-Jackson cluster method,
- Borinsky's approach.

3 Results:

- asymptotics for any very tight pattern in permutations,
- enumeration and asymptotics for any endhered pattern,
- enumeration and asymptotics of non-self-overlapping permutations.

Thank you for your attention!