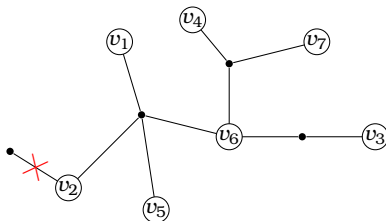


The master relation that simplifies maps and frees cumulants

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● Free probability:

Moments $\varphi \leftrightarrow$ Free cumulants κ

● Combinatorics:

Maps \leftrightarrow Fully simple maps

● Topological recursion (TR):

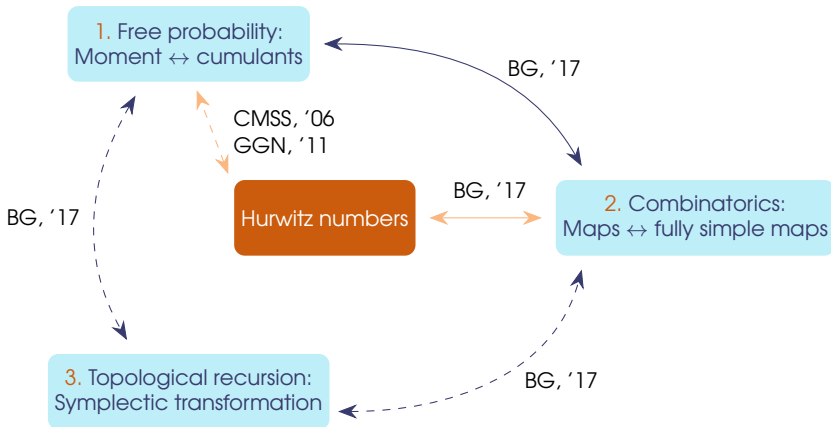
$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \Sigma \text{ Riemann surface} \\ x: \Sigma \rightarrow \mathbb{CP}^1, y: \Sigma \rightarrow \mathbb{CP}^1 \\ \omega_{0,1} = y dx \text{ 1-form} \\ \omega_{0,2} \text{ bidifferential} \end{array} \right. \xrightarrow{\text{TR}} \text{Multi-differentials}$$

$$\omega_{g,n}(z_1, \dots, z_n), z_i \in \Sigma, \forall g, n \geq 0.$$

$$(x, y) \xrightarrow{\text{TR}} \omega_{g,n} \leftrightarrow (\check{x}, \check{y}) \xrightarrow{\text{TR}} \check{\omega}_{g,n},$$

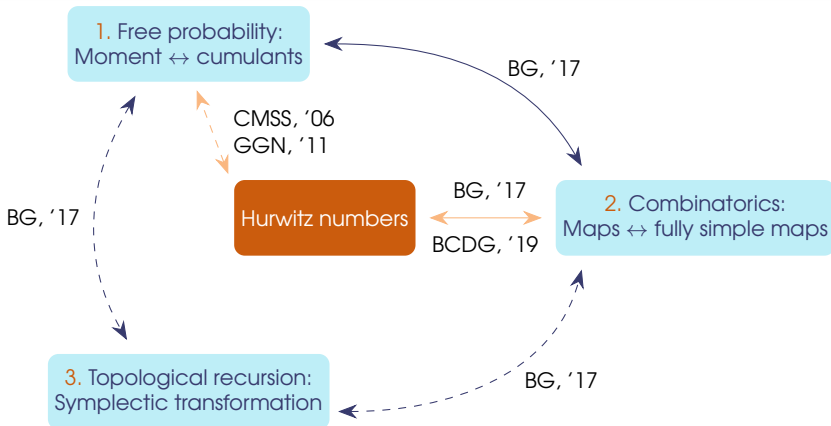
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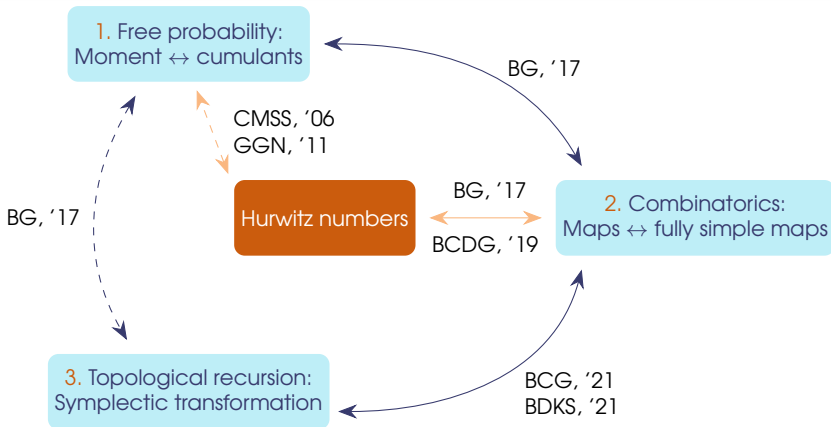
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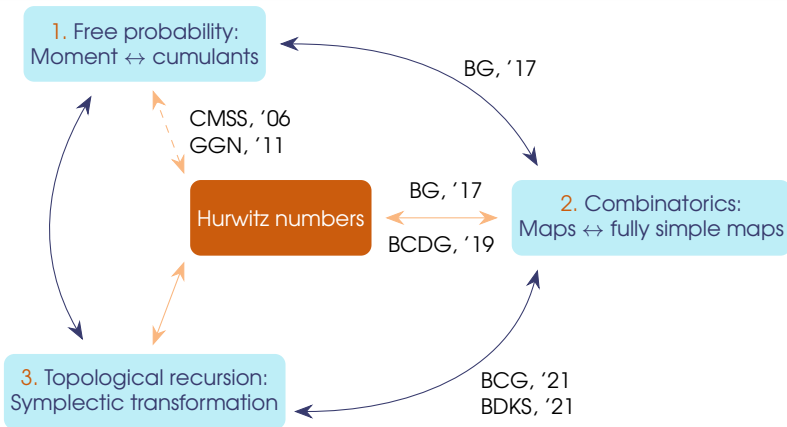
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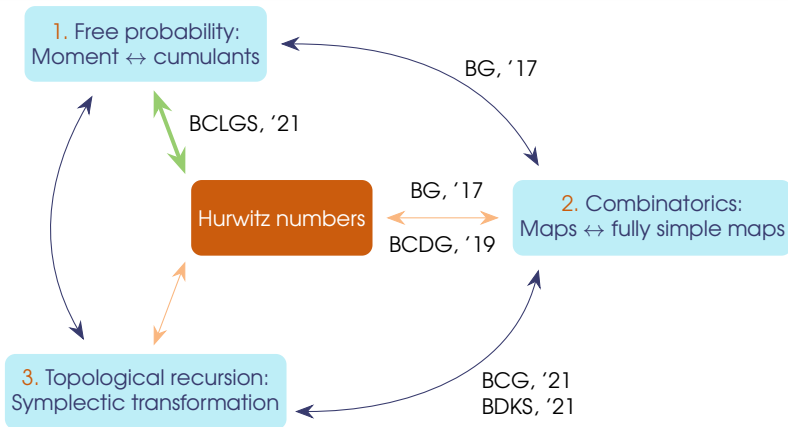
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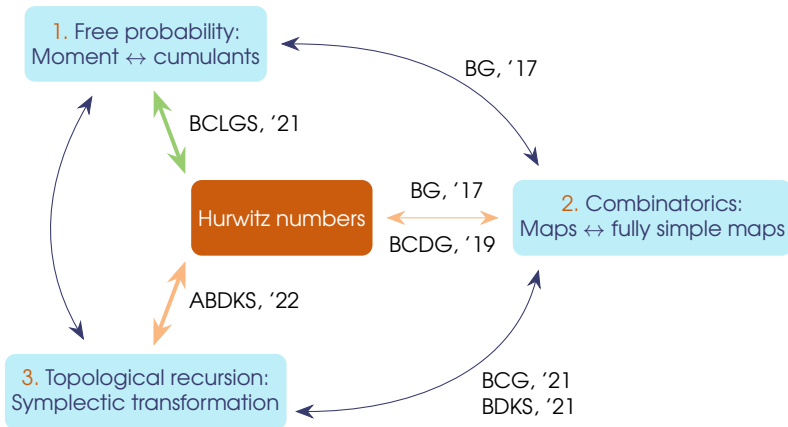
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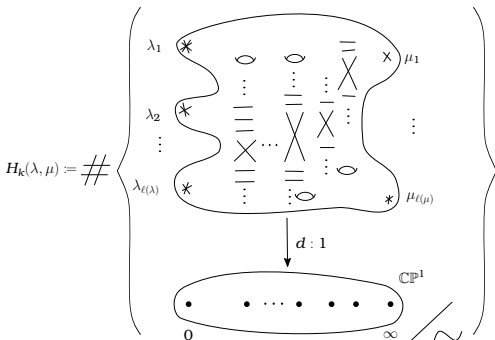
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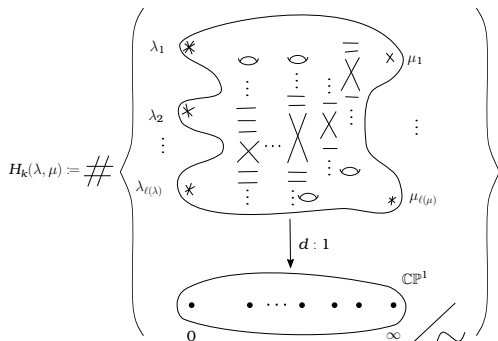
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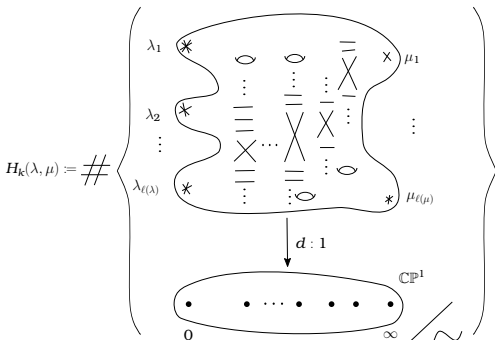
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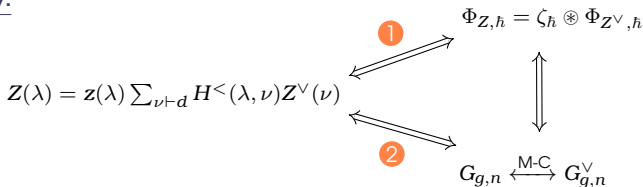
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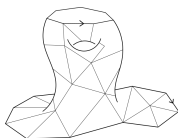
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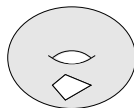
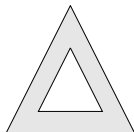
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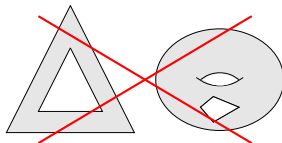
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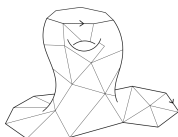


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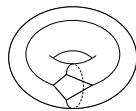
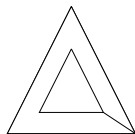
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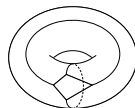
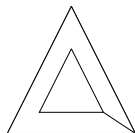
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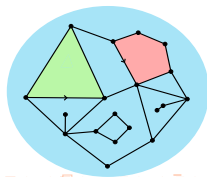
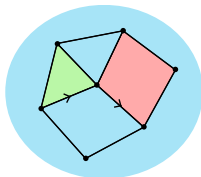
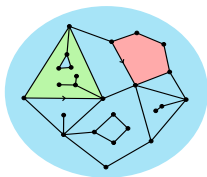


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3 proofs:

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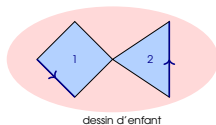
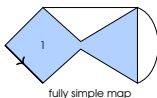
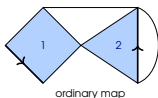
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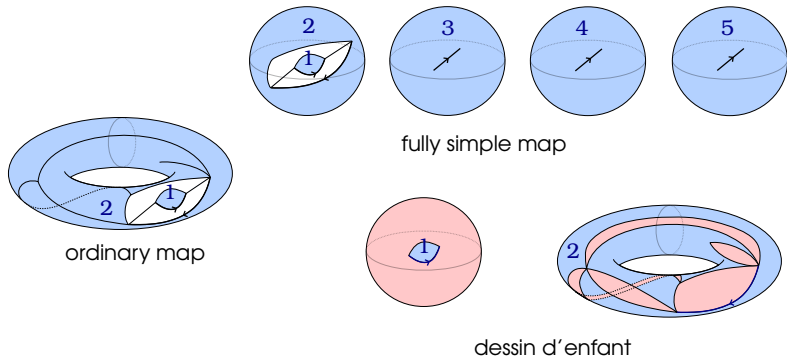
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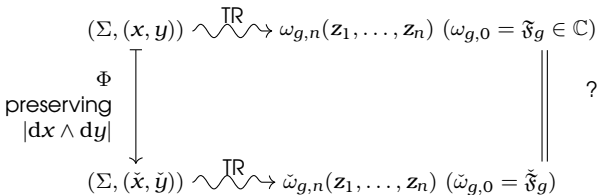
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If $\varphi_n = 0$ for $n \geq 2$: recover first order freeness.

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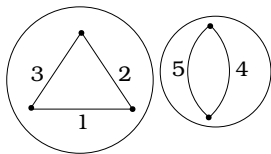
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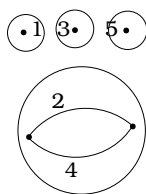
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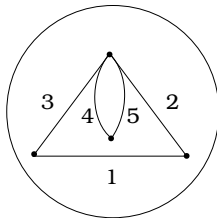
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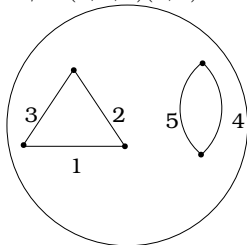
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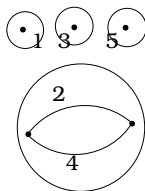
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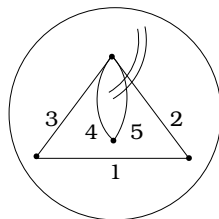
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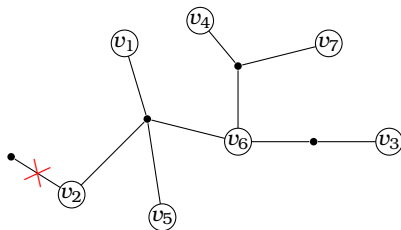
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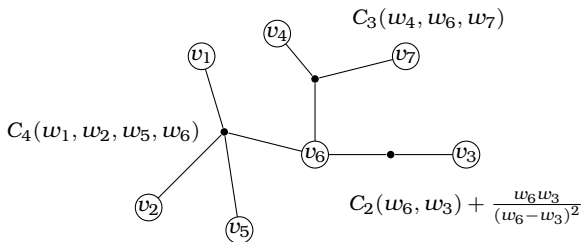
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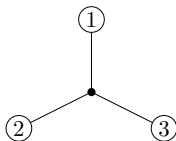
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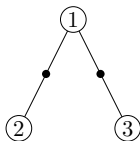
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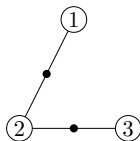
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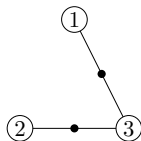
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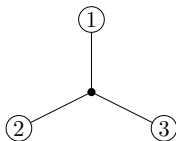
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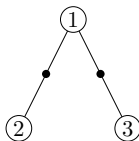
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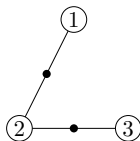
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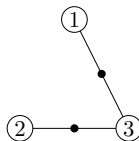
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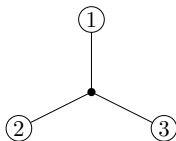
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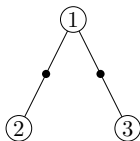
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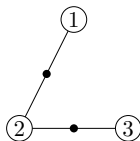
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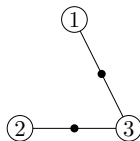
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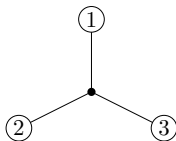
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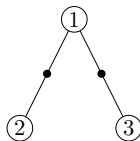
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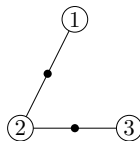
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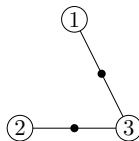
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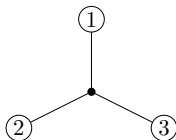


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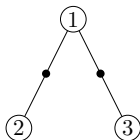


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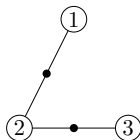
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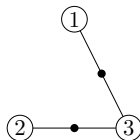
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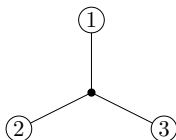
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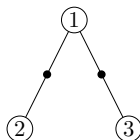
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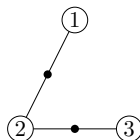
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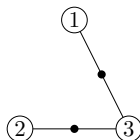
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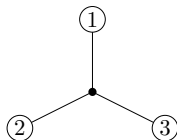
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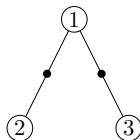
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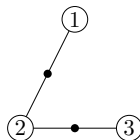
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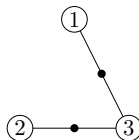
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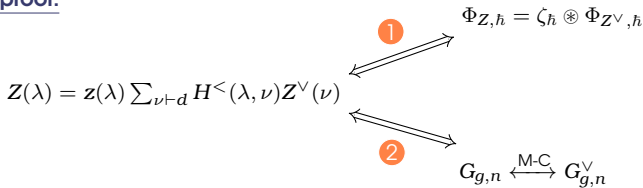
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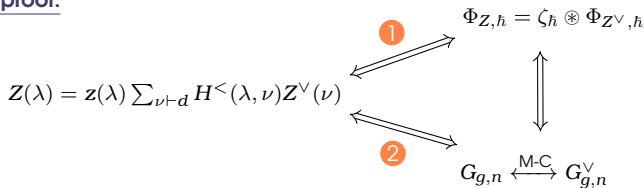
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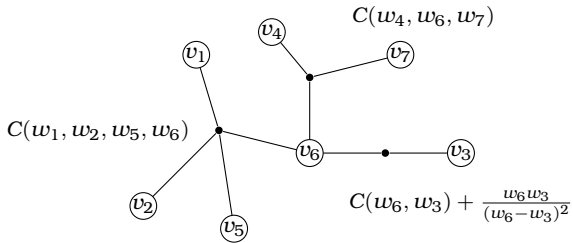


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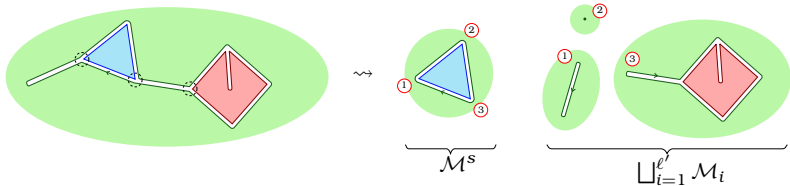
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Questions: future and ongoing work

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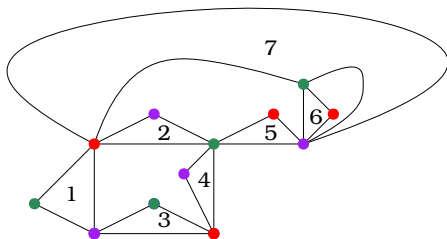
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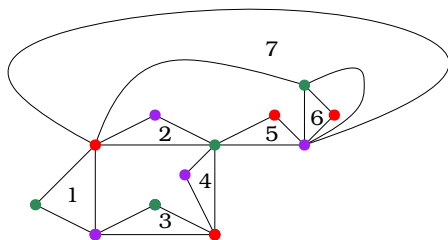
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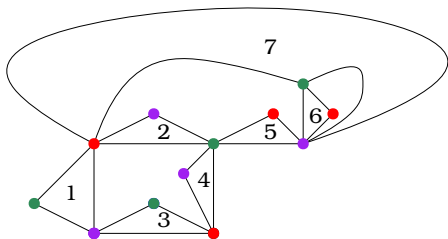
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Master relation for constellations \rightsquigarrow bijection:

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"simple" $(m + 1)$ -constellation
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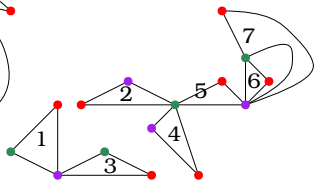
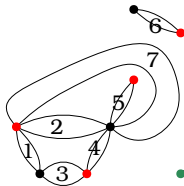
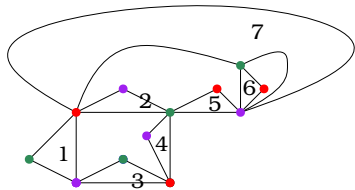
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