

**Exercise session**

**Exercise 1. Counting melons**

The goal of this exercise is to show that melons of the  $O(N)^3$  model can be represented by unlabeled colored trees. The generating function of leading-order two-point graphs can be written as:

$$G_{LO}(g, \mu) = \sum_{p,q} C_{p,q} g^{p+q} \mu^q,$$

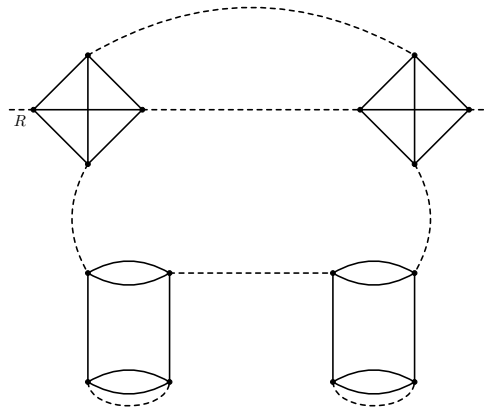
where  $C_{p,q}$  counts the number of melonic two-point graphs with  $p$  melons based on tetrahedrons (type *I*) and  $q$  melons based on pillows (type *II*).

We wish to find a representation of these graphs as trees. To do so we will represent the insertion of type *I* and type *II* melons by the following vertices:



By convention the root is labeled 0.

- Determine the tree corresponding to the following graph.



- What does  $C_{p,q}$  count?
- Show that  $C_{p,q} = \frac{(4p+2q)!}{p!q!(3p+q+1)!}$ .

*Hint: We recall that the number of labeled trees with  $n$  vertices of degree  $d_1, \dots, d_n$  is  $\frac{(n-2)!}{\prod_i (d_i-1)!}$ .*

## Exercise 2. Subchromatic models

The prismatic real model is defined by the following action:

$$S = \frac{1}{2} \phi_{abc} \phi_{abc} + \frac{\lambda}{6N^\alpha} \phi_{a_1 b_1 c_1} \phi_{a_1 b_2 c_2} \phi_{a_2 b_1 c_2} \phi_{a_3 b_3 c_1} \phi_{a_3 b_2 c_3} \phi_{a_2 b_3 c_3} .$$

This is a model with  $O(N)^3$  invariance but an interaction of order 6.

1. Give the graphical representation of the prismatic interaction as a 3-colored graph.
2. Show that for a good choice of  $\alpha$ , this model admits a large- $N$  expansion.
3. What are the leading order graphs?