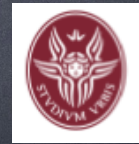


# Primitive elements for the Hopf algebras of tableaux

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# Plan of the talk

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- \* Introduction
- \* Some notations
- \* Hopf algebras of permutations
- \* Primitive elements of  $\mathbb{Z}S$
- \* Hopf algebras of tableaux
- \* Primitive elements of  $\mathbb{Z}\mathcal{T}$

# \* Introduction

- (1995) C.M. - C. Reutenauer  in collaboration  
Hopf structures on permutations  
(inherited by concatenation/  
shuffle  
Hopf algebras on  $T(V)$ )

- (1995) S. Poirier - C. Reutenauer

Ann. Sci. Math. Québec **19** (1995), no. 1, 79-90.



**ALGÈBRES DE HOPF DE TABLEAUX**

STÉPHANE POIRIER ET CHRISTOPHE REUTENAUER

- M. Aguiar  
F. Sottile  
(2005)

# Structure of the Malvenuto–Reutenauer Hopf algebra of permutations

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- M. Taskin  
(2013)

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## INNER TABLEAU TRANSLATION PROPERTY OF THE WEAK ORDER AND RELATED RESULTS

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## \* Some notations

- $S_m$  : symmetric group on  $\{1, 2, \dots, m\}$
- $\sigma \in S_m$  :  $\sigma(1)\sigma(2)\dots\sigma(m)$
- $|\sigma| = \#$  of letters of  $\sigma = m$
- $l(\sigma) =$  length in Coxeter group

- Inversion set for  $\sigma$

$$\mathcal{I}_{\text{inv}}(\sigma) := \{(j, i) : j > i, \sigma^{-1}(j) < \sigma^{-1}(i)\}$$

**Ex.**  $\sigma = 2517643$

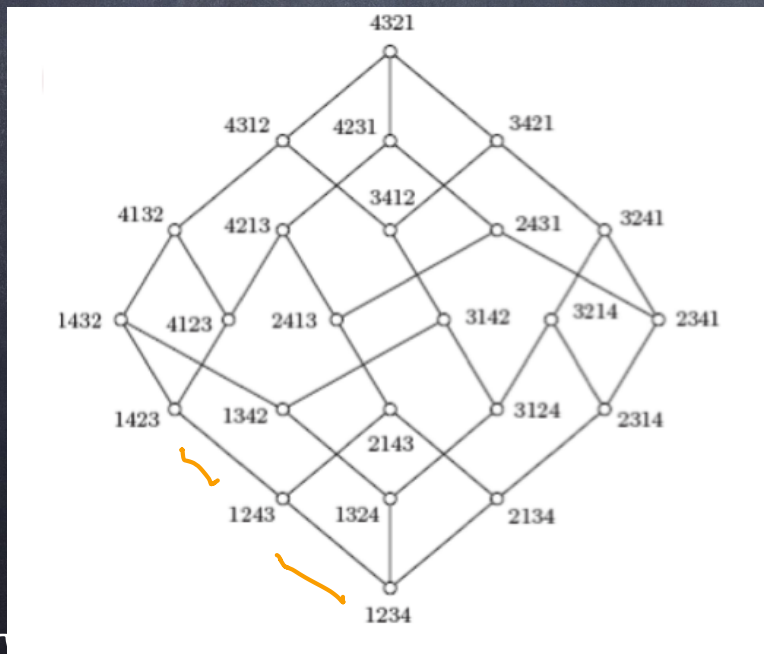
$$\mathcal{I}_{\text{inv}}(\sigma) = \{(2, 1); (5, 1); (5, 4); (5, 3); (7, 6); (7, 4); (7, 3); (6, 4); (6, 3); (4, 3)\}$$

$$l(\sigma) = |\mathcal{I}_{\text{inv}}(\sigma)| = 10.$$

- Right weak Bruhat order on  $S_m$ :

- reflexive closure of the relation
- transitive

$$u < v \Leftrightarrow \exists \tau : v = u \circ \tau$$



-  $u \leq v \Leftrightarrow \mathcal{J}_{uv}(u) \subseteq \mathcal{J}_{uv}(v)$

## - Standardisation

$v$ : a word on  $\mathbb{N}^{>0}$  without repetition

$st(v) :=$  permutation  
replace letters by  
unique increasing  
bijection from  
 $\text{Alph}(v) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, |v|\}$

**Ex.**

$$st(5713) = 3412$$

-  $\sigma|_I =$  obtained by restriction to  $I \subseteq \{1, \dots, n\}$

-  $\sigma|I =$  obtained by erasing the letters not in  $I$

**Ex.**  $\sigma = \overset{\cdot}{2} \overset{\cdot}{5} \overset{\cdot}{1} \overset{\cdot}{7} \overset{\cdot}{6} \overset{\cdot}{4} \overset{\cdot}{3}$       $I = \{2, 3, 6\}$

$$\sigma|_I = \overset{\cdot}{5} \overset{\cdot}{1} \overset{\cdot}{4} \quad \sigma|I = \overset{\cdot}{2} \overset{\cdot}{6} \overset{\cdot}{3}$$



$S = \bigcup_{m \geq 0} S_m$  Classical associative products on  $S$

$u \in S_p, v \in S_q, \bar{v}$ : add  $p$  to each letter of  $v$

— right "shifted" concatenation  $\square$

$u \square v := u \bar{v}$  **Ex.**  $231 \square 12 = 23145 \in S_5$

— left "shifted" concatenation  $\Delta$

$v \Delta u := \bar{v} u$  **Ex.**  $12 \Delta 231 = 45231$

# Facts

- $S$  is a free monoid with  $\Delta$
- Free generators: are the indecomposable permutations
- The weak order is compatible with  $\Delta$   
 $u \leq u', v \leq v' \Rightarrow v \Delta u \leq v' \Delta u'$
- $\Delta$  and  $\square$  are conjugate under  $w \mapsto \tilde{w}$   
$$v \Delta u = \overbrace{\left( \tilde{u} \square \tilde{v} \right)}$$

## \* Hopf algebras of permutations

$\mathbb{Z}S$  : free module with basis  $S$   
the permutations

— product  $*$  : *destandardised concatenation*

$$\alpha \in S_p, \beta \in S_q \quad \alpha * \beta \in S_{p+q}$$

$$\alpha * \beta = \sum_{uv \in S_{p+q}} uv, \quad \text{st}(\alpha) = u, \text{st}(\beta) = v$$

**Ex.**  $12 * 21 = 1221 + 1342 + 1432$

$$2341 + 2431 + 3421 \in S_4$$

- coproduct  $\delta$ : *standardised unshuffling*

$$\sigma \in S_m: \delta(\sigma) = \sum_{i=1}^m \sigma|_{\{1, \dots, i\}} \otimes \text{st}(\sigma|_{\{i+1, \dots, m\}})$$

**Ex.**

$$\delta(3124) =$$

$\varepsilon \otimes \text{st}(3124)$		$\varepsilon \otimes 3124$
$1 \otimes \text{st}(324)$		$1 \otimes 213$
$12 \otimes \text{st}(34)$		$12 \otimes 12$
$312 \otimes \text{st}(4)$		$312 \otimes 1$
$3124 \otimes \varepsilon$		$3124 \otimes \varepsilon$

-  $(\mathbb{Z}S, *, \delta)$  is a graded Hopf algebra

-  $(\mathbb{Z}S, *', \delta')$  is a graded Hopf algebra

$*'$ : shifted shuffle

$\delta'$ : standardised deconcatenation

- Duality between the two Hopf structures

$$\langle \sigma *' \alpha, \tau \rangle = \langle \sigma \otimes \alpha, \delta(\tau) \rangle$$

$$\langle \sigma * \alpha, \tau \rangle = \langle \sigma \otimes \alpha, \delta'(\tau) \rangle$$

Conjugated  
via

$$\Theta(\sigma) = \sigma^{-1}$$

— Aguiar - Sottile: new linear basis  
 $\{M_\sigma : \sigma \in S\}$  for  $\mathbb{Z}S$

$$\sigma = \sum_{\sigma \leq w} M_w$$

They use  
 \* left weak order  $\leq$   
 \*  $(\mathbb{Z}S, *', \delta')$

Theorem 
$$\delta(M_\sigma) = \sum_{\sigma = v \Delta u} M_u \otimes M_v$$

Lemma For  $m = p + q$   
 $\sigma \in S_{p+q}$   
 $a = \sigma|_{\{1, \dots, p\}}$   
 $b = st(\sigma|_{\{i+1, \dots, m\}})$

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma \leq v \Delta u \\ \iff \\ a \leq v \text{ and } b \leq u \end{aligned}$$

**Remark** Proof in Aguiar-Sottile  
uses global descent

**Def.**  $\sigma \in S_n$  has a global descent in  
 $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n-1\}$  if  
 $\forall j \leq i, \forall k > i : \sigma(j) > \sigma(i)$

**Ex.**  $7 \underset{\cdot}{8} 4 6 \underset{\cdot}{5} 2 1 3 = 1 2 \Delta 1 3 2 \Delta 2 1 3$

Global Descents =  $\{2, 5\}$

$\underbrace{1 2}_{S_2}, \underbrace{1 3 2, 2 1 3}_{S_3}$  indecomposable  
(no global descents)

# \* Primitive elements of $KS$

## Corollary

The submodule of the primitive elements of  $\mathbb{Z}S$

is spanned by the  $M_\sigma$  such that:

-  $\sigma$  has no global descents, equiv:

-  $\sigma$  is indecomposable for  $\Delta$ , i.e  
the generators of the free monoid

$$(S, \Delta)$$



# \* Hopf algebras of tableaux

—  $T_n$ : standard Young tableaux  
with  $n$  cases, entries  
 $\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$

6			
5	9	11	
2	8	10	
1	3	4	7

$n = 11$

$$T = \bigcup_{n \geq 0} T_n$$

—  $\sigma \in S_n \xrightarrow{\text{RSK}} (P(\sigma), Q(\sigma))$   
insertion recording

— Knuth relations  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \underline{j}ik \sim j\underline{k}i \\ kij \sim i\underline{k}j \end{array} \right.$  witness  
plactic congruence  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} kij \sim i\underline{k}j \end{array} \right.$   
 $i < \underline{j} < k$



# Theorem (Knuth)

$$\sigma \sim \tau \iff P(\sigma) = P(\tau)$$

$\mathbb{Z}\mathcal{T}$ : free module with basis  $\mathcal{T}$   
the tableaux

$I$ : module  $\langle u - v : u \sim v \rangle$

Theorem  
(PR)  $\mathbb{Z}S/I \cong \mathbb{Z}\mathcal{T}$  \* product inherited  
 $\sigma \mapsto P(\sigma)$   $\delta$  coproduct by permutations

Obs.  $(\mathbb{Z}\mathcal{T}, *, \delta)$  non-commutative  
not free associative algebra

-  $(\mathbb{Z}\mathcal{T}, *, \delta')$  another Hopf structure:

$$t \in \mathcal{T} : \ell(t) = \sum_{\sigma \sim \text{row}(t)} \sigma \quad \text{- plactic class of } t$$

**Ex.**

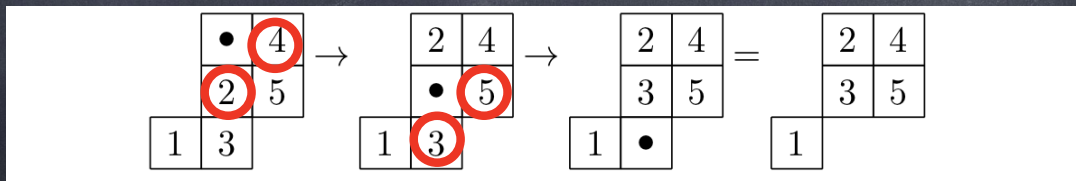
$$t = \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 3 & \\ \hline 1 & 2 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\text{row}(t) = 312$$

$$\ell(t) = 312 + 132$$

$$312 \sim 132$$

- Description of products + coproducts via "jeu de taquin"



backward slides

# Homomorphisms

- $\sigma \mapsto P(\sigma)$  surjective Hopf morphism of  $(\mathbb{Z}S, *, \delta)$  in  $(\mathbb{Z}\mathcal{C}, *, \delta)$
- $(\text{Sym}, \cdot, \delta) \rightarrow (\mathbb{Z}\mathcal{C}, *, \delta)$   
 $\downarrow_{\lambda}$   
Schur function  $\mapsto \sum_{sh(t)=\lambda} t$
- $ev(t)$  Schützenberger's evacuation of  $t \in T$  is an anti-automorphism of both Hopf algebras of tableaux

## \* Primitive elements of $\mathbb{Z}\zeta$

Weak order of tableaux: - Melnikov 2004  
- Duflo order  
 $\leq$  weak - M. Taskin 2013

Def.  $A, U$  tableaux:  $A \leq U \iff$

$\exists m, \exists \alpha_0, \dots, \alpha_{m-1}, \beta_1, \dots, \beta_m$  permutations:

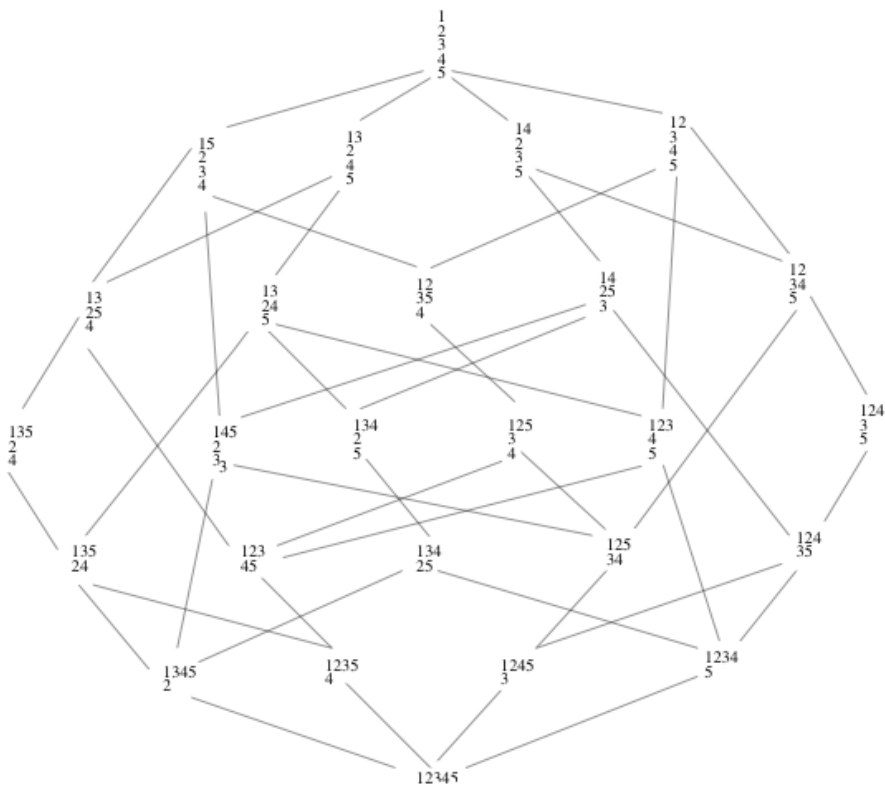
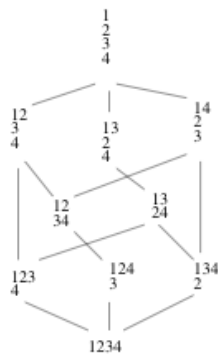
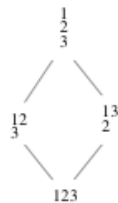
-  $A = P(\alpha_0)$ ,

-  $\alpha_0 \leq \beta_1 \sim \alpha_1 \leq \beta_2 \sim \dots \alpha_{m-1} \leq \beta_m$ ,

-  $U = P(\beta_m)$

The weak  
order on  
 $T_M$

$M = 2, 3, 4, 5$



- **Lemma** Plactic equivalence  $\sim$   
is compatible with  $\Delta$

$$u \sim u' \implies v \Delta u \sim v \Delta u'$$

- Product  $\Delta$  on tableaux 

-  $P(v \Delta u) = P(v) \Delta P(u)$ :

$P$  is a homomorphism of the  
monoids  $S$  and  $T$ .



- A simpler way to compute  $\Delta$  on tableaux

Ex.

$$U = \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 3 & \\ \hline 1 & 2 \\ \hline \end{array}, \quad V = \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 1 & 2 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$\bar{V} \quad \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 4 & 5 \\ \hline \end{array}$

↓

$$U \quad \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 3 & \\ \hline 1 & 2 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad V \Delta U \quad \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 5 & \\ \hline 3 & 4 \\ \hline 1 & 2 \\ \hline \end{array}$$


- Lemma The weak order on tableaux is compatible with  $\Delta$

$$U \leq U', \quad V \leq V' \implies V \Delta U \leq V' \Delta U'$$

# Recall for permutations

- **Lemma** For  $m = p + q$   
 $\sigma \in S_m$   $v \in S_p$   $u \in S_q$   
 $a = \sigma|_{\{1, \dots, p\}}$   
 $b = \text{st}(\sigma|_{\{i+1, \dots, m\}})$

$$\sigma \leq v \Delta u$$
$$\iff$$
$$a \leq v \text{ and } b \leq u$$

Holds for  !! 😊

- **Lemma** For  $m = p + q$   
 $\Sigma \in T_m$   $v \in T_p$   $u \in T_q$   
 $A = \Sigma|_{\{1, \dots, p\}}$   
 $B = \text{st}(\Sigma|_{\{i+1, \dots, m\}})$

$$\Sigma \leq V \Delta U$$
$$\iff$$
$$A \leq V \text{ and } B \leq U$$

— Aguiar - Sottile :  
method

define a  
new linear basis

$$\{M_{\Sigma} : \Sigma \in \mathcal{C}\} \text{ for } \mathbb{Z}\mathcal{C}$$

via Möbius inversion  
in the poset of tableaux

$$\Sigma = \sum_{\Sigma \leq W} M_W$$

Theorem  
(C.M, C.R)

$$\delta(M_{\Sigma}) = \sum_{\Sigma = V \Delta U} M_U \otimes M_V$$

# Corollary

The submodule of the primitive elements of  $\mathbb{Z}\mathcal{C}$

is spanned by the  $M_\Sigma$  such that

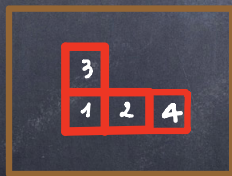
$\Sigma$  is indecomposable for  $\Delta$ , i.e.

the generators of the free monoid  $(\mathbb{Z}\mathcal{C}, \Delta)$

Ex.



↓  
decomposable



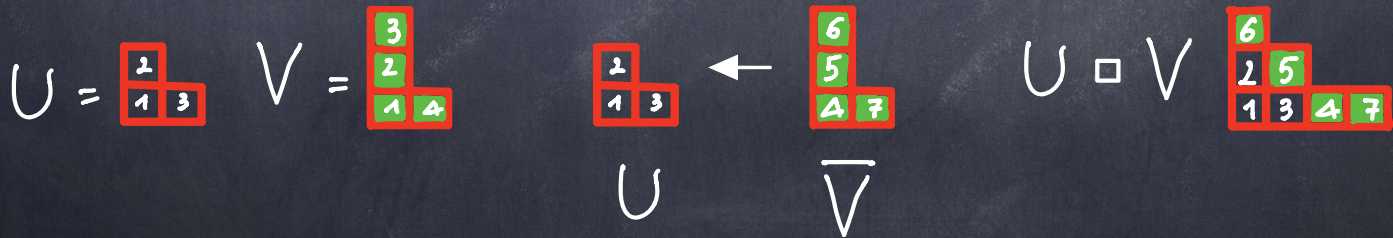
↳ indecomposable

# \* Final remarks

For  $S$   $\begin{cases} \text{right shifted concatenation } \square \\ \text{left shifted concatenation } \Delta \end{cases}$

- $\square$  is compatible with  $\sim \implies (\mathcal{S}, \square)$  is a monoid
- A simpler way to compute  $\square$  on tableaux

**Ex.**



Theorem  
(Loday-Ronco)  
2002

$$u *' v = \sum_{u \square v \leq \sigma \leq v \Delta u} \sigma \quad u, v \in S$$

$\sigma \in [u \square v, v \Delta u]$  interval of the weak Bruhat order of  $S$

Theorem  
(Taskin)  
2005

$$U *' V = \sum_{U \square V \leq t \leq V \Delta U} t \quad U, V \in \mathcal{T}$$

$t$  tableau in the interval of the Taskin-Duflo order of  $\mathcal{T}$

**Theorem** In the linear basis  $\{\mathcal{M}_\sigma : \sigma \in S\}$   
 (A-S.) the structure constants are positive:  

$$\mathcal{M}_\sigma * \mathcal{M}_\tau = \sum_{\rho} c_{\sigma\tau}^{\rho} \mathcal{M}_\rho \Rightarrow c_{\sigma\tau}^{\rho} \geq 0$$

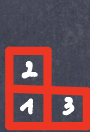
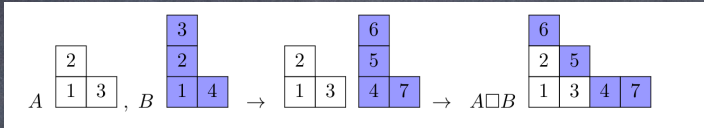
A counterexample  
 (Franco Saliola)  
 UQAM

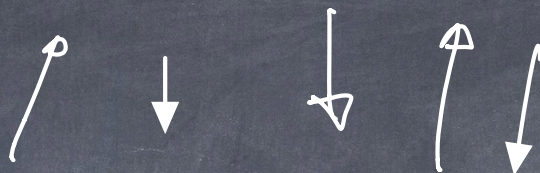
$$\begin{aligned} & \mathcal{M}_{P(123)} * \mathcal{M}_{P(123)} = \mathcal{M}_{P(123456)} \\ & -\mathcal{M}_{P(241356)} - \mathcal{M}_{P(251346)} - \mathcal{M}_{P(261345)} - \mathcal{M}_{P(351236)} - \mathcal{M}_{P(361245)} - \mathcal{M}_{P(461235)} \\ & + \mathcal{M}_{P(256134)} + \mathcal{M}_{P(346125)} + \mathcal{M}_{P(356124)} + 2\mathcal{M}_{P(456123)} \\ & + 2\mathcal{M}_{P(362514)} - \mathcal{M}_{P(462513)} - \mathcal{M}_{P(543126)}. \end{aligned}$$

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$$U \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 2 & \\ \hline 1 & 3 \\ \hline \end{array}, V \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 1 & 2 \\ \hline \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 4 & 5 \\ \hline 2 & \\ \hline 1 & 3 \\ \hline \end{array} \rightarrow V \Delta U \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 4 & \\ \hline 2 & 5 \\ \hline 1 & 3 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

