

# Acting by Separable Permutations on the Kazhdan-Lusztig Basis

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$\mathfrak{S}_n$  acts on  $\mathcal{S}^\lambda$  equipped with the *Kazhdan-Lusztig basis*  $\mathbb{KL}_\lambda = \{C_T \mid T \in \text{SYT}(\lambda)\}$ .

Theorem (Berenstein-Zelevinsky, Stembridge, Mathas, '90s)

If  $\lambda \vdash n$  is arbitrary:

$$w_0 \cdot C_T = \pm C_{\text{ev}(T)}$$

Theorem (Rhoades, 2010)

If  $\lambda \vdash n$  is **rectangular**:

$$c \cdot C_T = \pm C_{\text{pr}(T)}$$

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# Main Result

## Theorem (G., Yacobi)

Fix  $\lambda \vdash n$  **arbitrary**.

$$c \cdot C_T = \text{pr}(\pm C_T + \text{l.o.t.})$$

where  $C_R < C_T$  when  $\text{sh}(\partial(R)) \prec \text{sh}(\partial(T))$

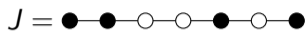
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$$w \cdot C_T = \varphi_w(\pm C_T + \text{l.o.t.})$$

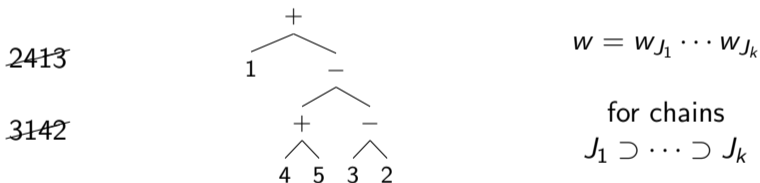
for a unique bijection  $\varphi_w$  and some order  $<_w$  on  $\mathbb{KL}_\lambda$ .

# Separable Permutations



$w_J$  longest element of  $\mathfrak{S}_J$

The *separable permutations* (OEIS A006318) are equivalent to the following:



$$\sum_{n \geq 0} \text{sep}(n) x^n = \frac{1 - x - \sqrt{1 - 6x + x^2}}{2}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} w_J \cdot C_T &= \text{ev}_J(\pm C_T + \text{l.o.t.}) \\ \implies c \cdot C_T &= \text{ev} \circ \text{ev}_J(\pm C_T + \text{l.o.t.}) \end{aligned}$$

and  $\text{ev} \circ \text{ev}_J$  turns out to be pr!



# Action of $\mathfrak{S}_J$

Suppose  $\mathfrak{S}_J \cong \mathfrak{S}_3 \times \mathfrak{S}_2 \times \mathfrak{S}_4$ . Write  $T = [T_1 \ T_2 \ T_3]$

$$\begin{array}{|c|c|c|} \hline 1 & 2 & 6 \\ \hline 3 & 4 & 7 \\ \hline 5 & 8 & 9 \\ \hline \end{array} = \left[ \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 1 & 2 \\ \hline 3 & \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{|c|} \hline 4 \\ \hline 5 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 6 \\ \hline 7 \\ \hline 8 & 9 \\ \hline \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\text{rectify}} \left[ \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 1 & 2 \\ \hline 3 & \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{|c|} \hline 4 \\ \hline 5 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 6 & 9 \\ \hline 7 & \\ \hline 8 & \\ \hline \end{array} \right]$$

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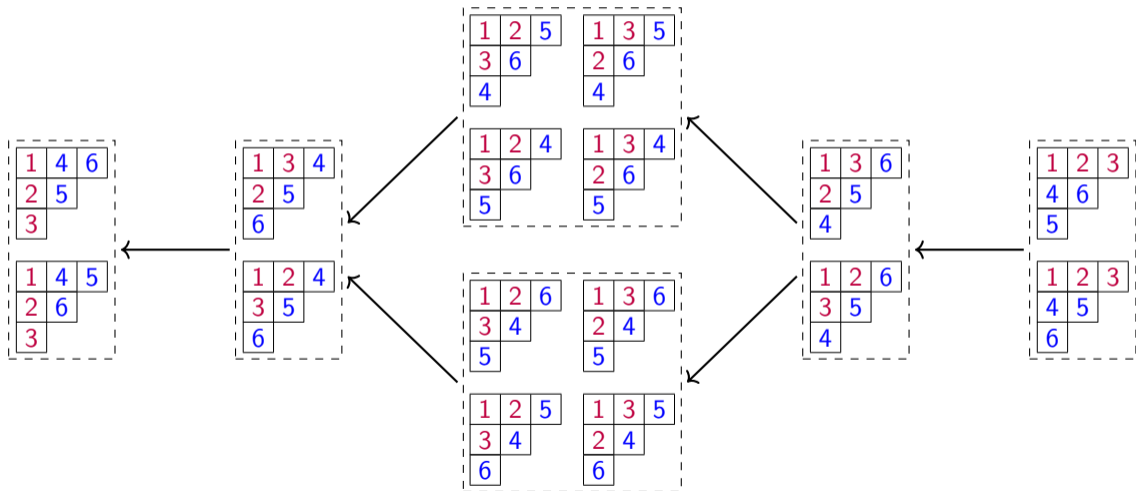
Suppose  $C_R$  appears in  $\mathfrak{S}_J \cdot C_T$ . Then

- $\text{sh}(R_k) \preceq \text{sh}(T_k)$  for all  $k$
- If all equalities,  $\text{sh}(\text{rect}(R_k)) \preceq \text{sh}(\text{rect}(T_k))$  for all  $k$
- If all equalities,  $R_k \approx T_k$  are dual equivalent for all  $k$

This order gives a filtration  $0 \subset \mathcal{S}_0^\lambda \subset \cdots \subset \mathcal{S}_r^\lambda = \mathcal{S}^\lambda$  over  $\mathbb{KL}_\lambda$  which is Jordan-Hölder for  $\mathfrak{S}_J$ .

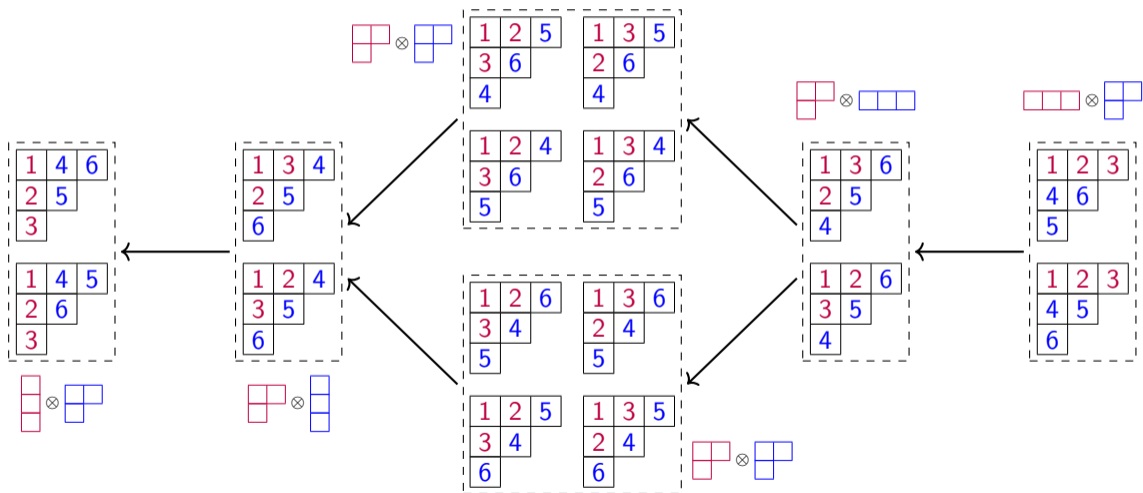
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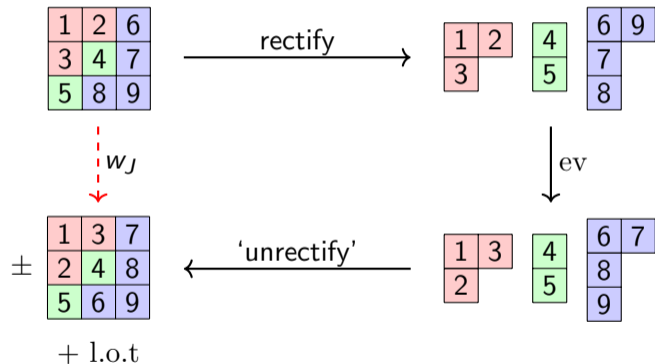
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# Action of $w_J$

Irreps of  $\mathfrak{S}_J$  are  $\mathcal{S}^{\mu_1} \otimes \dots \otimes \mathcal{S}^{\mu_m}$ , and  $w_J \cdot (C_{T_1} \otimes \dots \otimes C_{T_m}) = \pm C_{\text{ev}(T_1)} \otimes \dots \otimes C_{\text{ev}(T_m)}$



## Bonus: Useful Trick

$$s_j \cdot C_T = \begin{cases} -C_T & j \in D(T) \\ C_T + \sum \bar{\mu}(R, T) C_R & j \notin D(T) \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Fix } Q = \begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|} \hline 1 & 4 & 7 & 9 \\ \hline 2 & 5 & 8 & \\ \hline 3 & 6 & & \\ \hline \end{array}$$

### Proposition (G., Yacobi)

Take  $w_R \xrightarrow{\text{RSK}} (R, Q)$  and  $w_T \xrightarrow{\text{RSK}} (T, Q)$  so  $\bar{\mu}(R, T) := \bar{\mu}(w_R, w_T)$

- $w_R = \text{col}(R)$  and  $w_T = \text{col}(T)$
- $w_R \leq w_T \implies R \preceq T$

Let  $R = [R_1 \cdots R_m]$  and  $T = [T_1 \cdots T_m]$  be the  $\mathfrak{S}_J$  decompositions

- $\text{sh}(R_k) = \text{sh}(T_k)$  for all  $k \implies w_R \in \mathfrak{S}_J w_T$
- If  $\{i \mid R_i \neq T_i\} = \{k\}$ , then  $\bar{\mu}(R, T) = \bar{\mu}(\text{col}(R_k), \text{col}(T_k))$