

Abzählformeln für Rauten-Parkettierungen mittels holonomem Ansatz

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History: $D_{0,0}^{\mu}(n)$ was introduced in the work of Andrews in 1979–1980 in the context of descending plane partitions:

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Plane Partitions (III): The Weak Macdonald Conjecture

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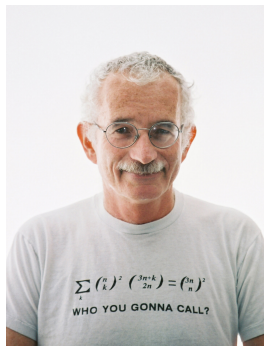
“Conjecture 37” (Lascoux/Krattenthaler 2005)

Let μ be an indeterminate and $m, r \in \mathbb{Z}$. If $m \geq r \geq 1$, then

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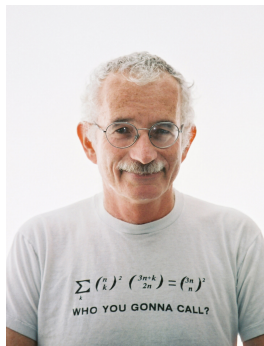
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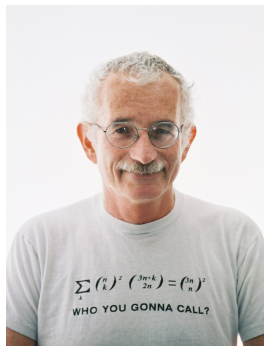
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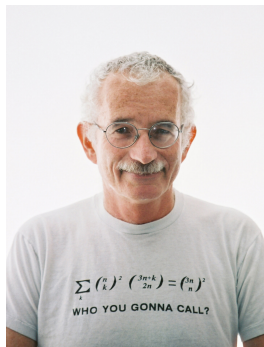


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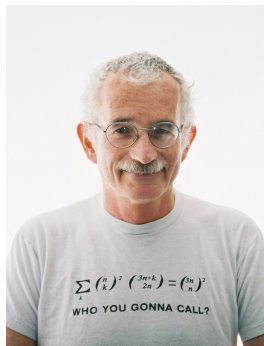
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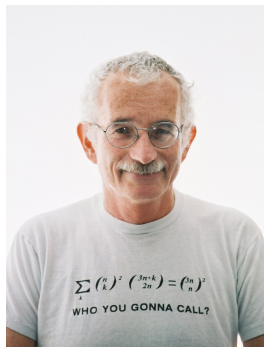
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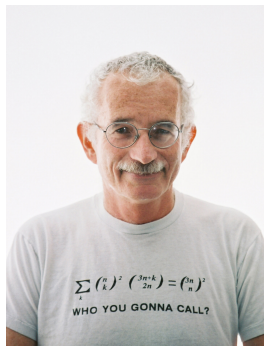
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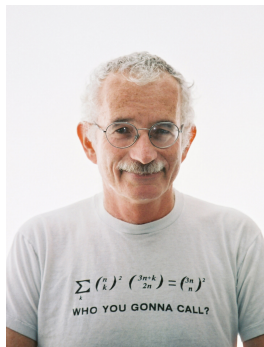
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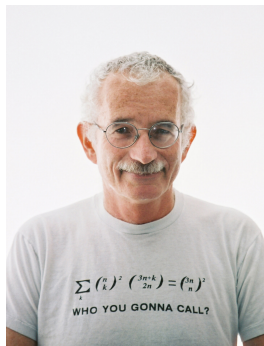
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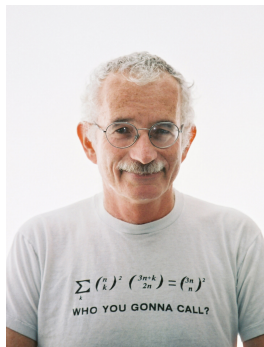
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Lemma: Let $A_{s,t}^{\mu}(n)$ be either $D_{s,t}^{\mu}(n)$ or $E_{s,t}^{\mu}(n)$. For real numbers $s, t \notin \{-1, -2, \dots\}$ with $t - s \in \mathbb{N}$ and $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$,

$$A_{s,t}^{\mu}(n) = \prod_{i=0}^{t-s-1} \frac{(\mu + s + i - 1)_n}{(i + s + 1)_n} \cdot A_{t,s}^{\mu}(n).$$

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Lemma: Let $A_{s,t}^{\mu}(n)$ be either $D_{s,t}^{\mu}(n)$ or $E_{s,t}^{\mu}(n)$. For real numbers $s, t \notin \{-1, -2, \dots\}$ with $t - s \in \mathbb{N}$ and $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$,

$$A_{s,t}^{\mu}(n) = \prod_{i=0}^{t-s-1} \frac{(\mu + s + i - 1)_n}{(i + s + 1)_n} \cdot A_{t,s}^{\mu}(n).$$

Corollary: Apply the switching lemma to $E_{2r-1,1}^{\mu}(2m-1)$ to get an expression for $E_{1,2r-1}^{\mu}(2m-1)$ (Lascoux-Krattenthaler Conj.).

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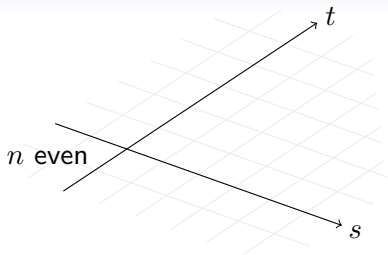
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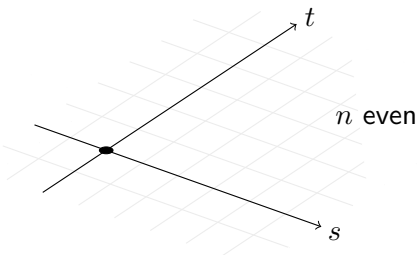
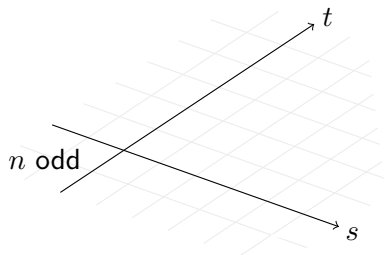
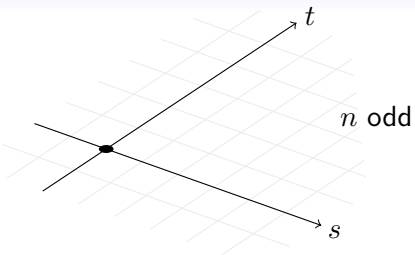
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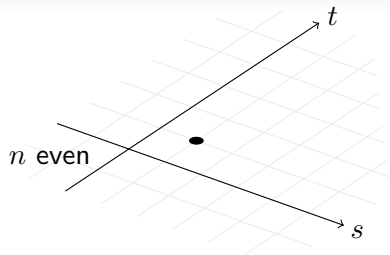
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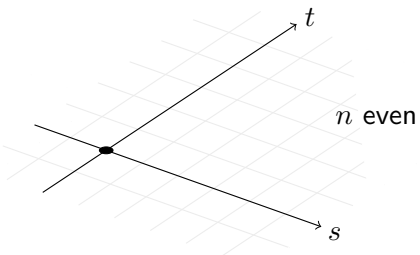
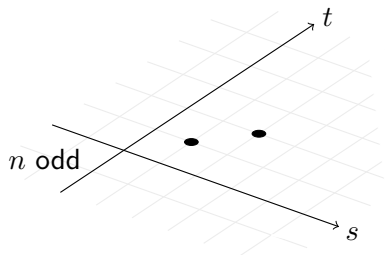
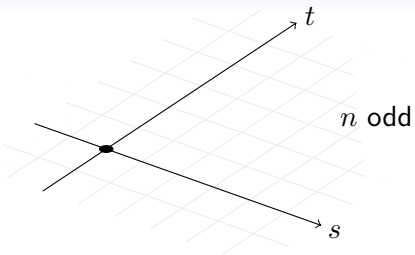
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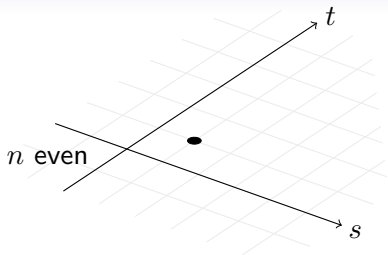
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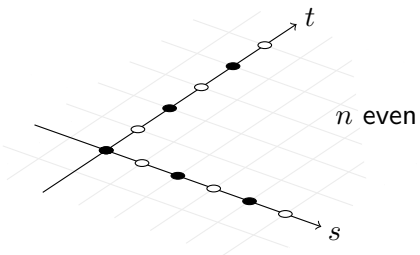
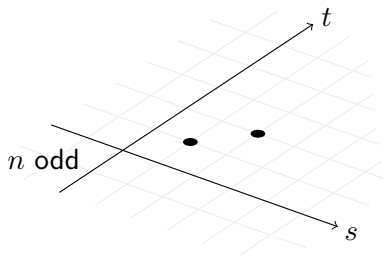
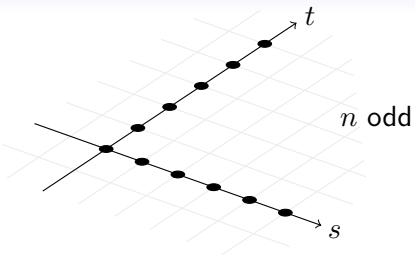
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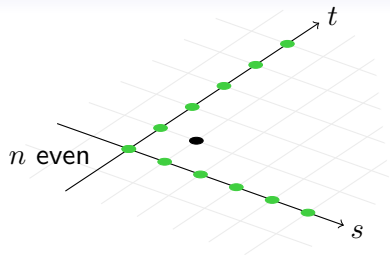
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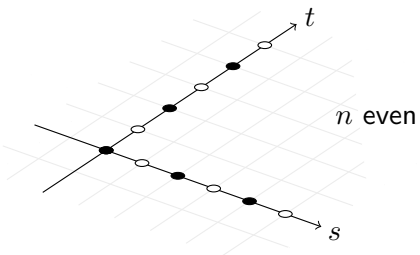
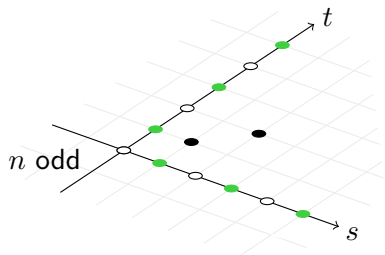
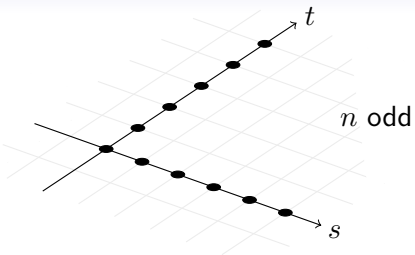
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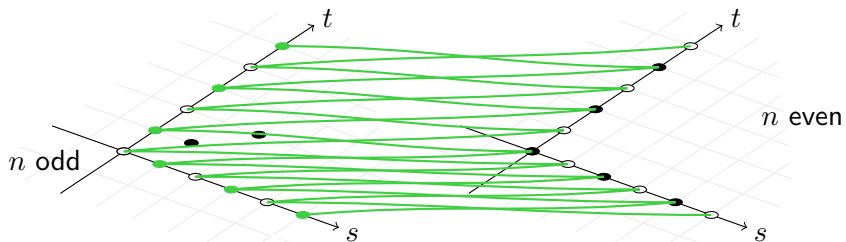
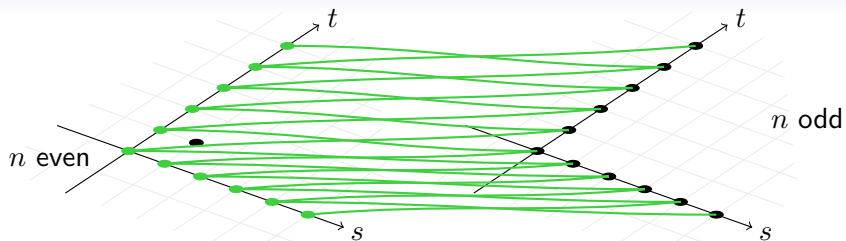


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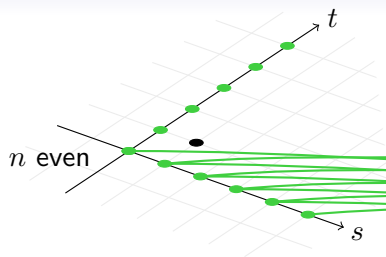


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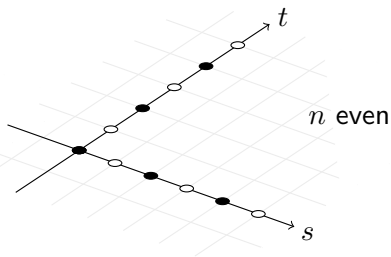
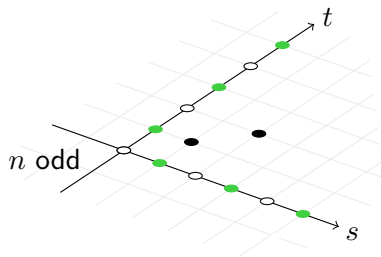
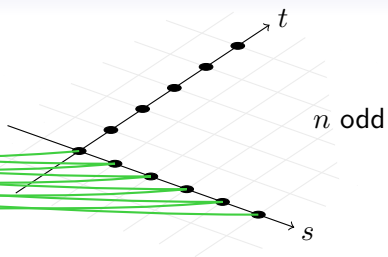
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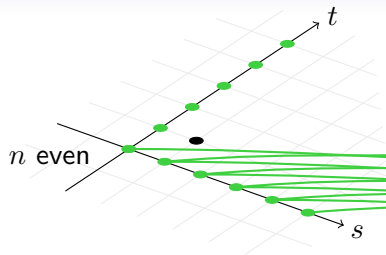
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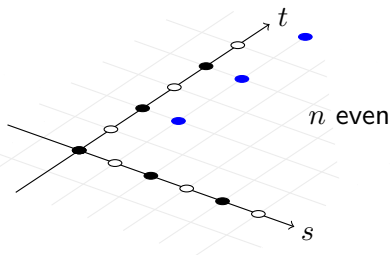
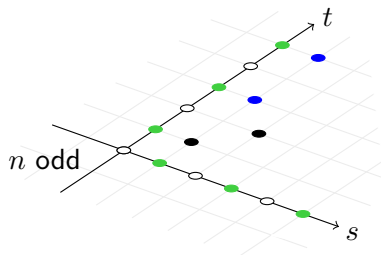
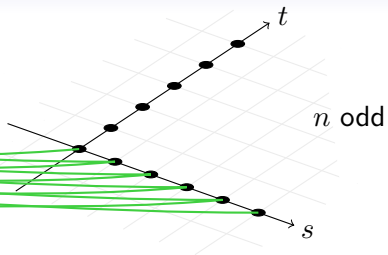
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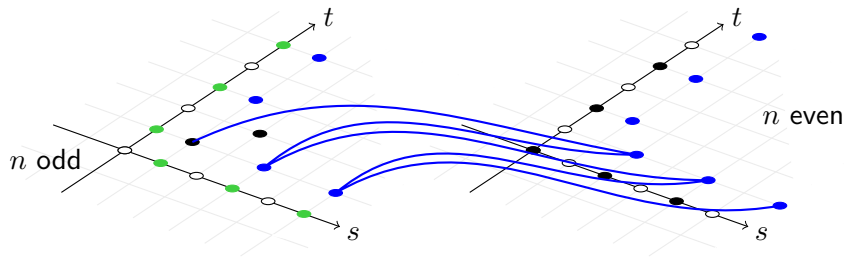
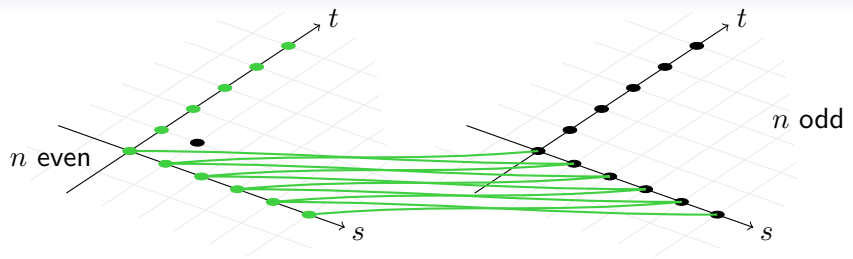


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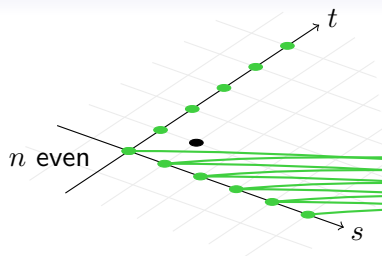


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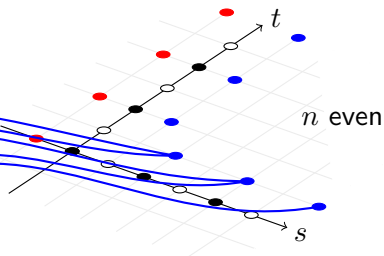
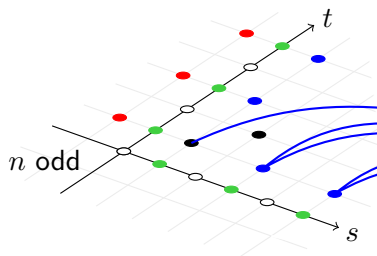
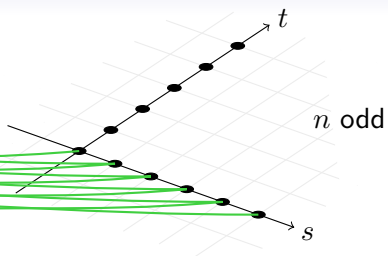
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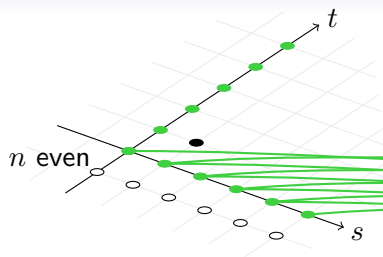
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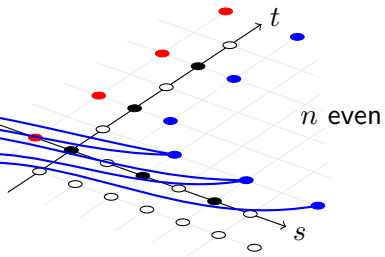
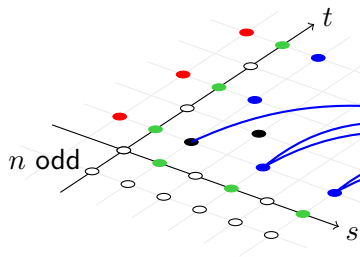
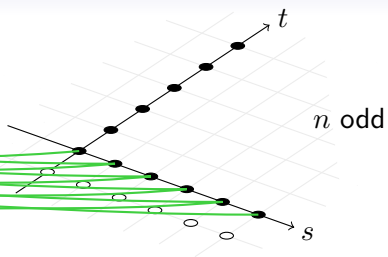
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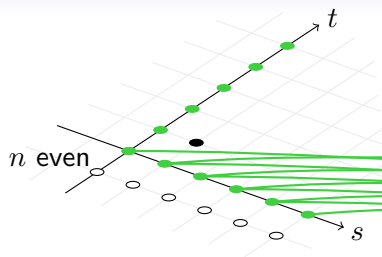
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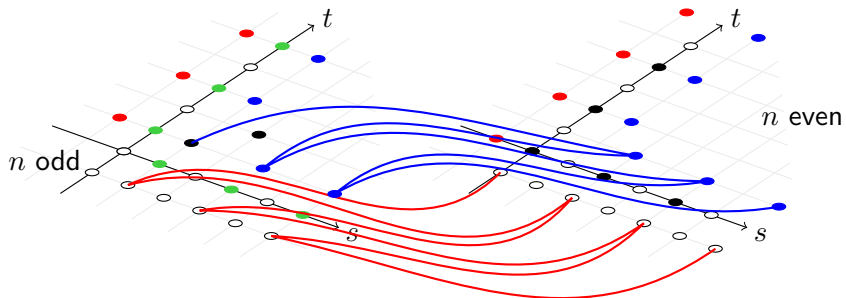
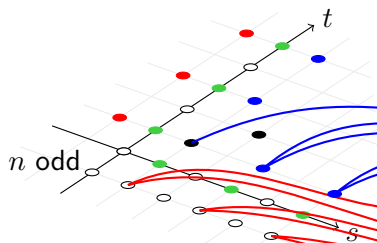
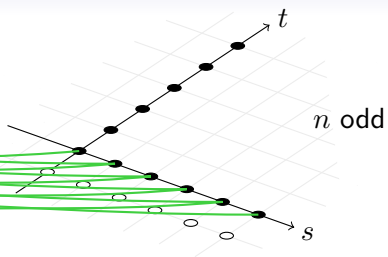
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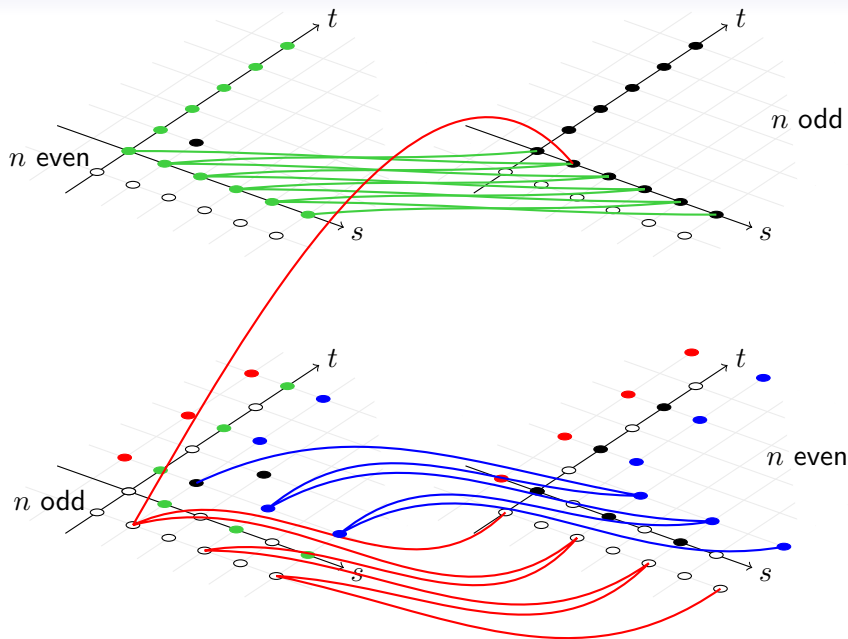


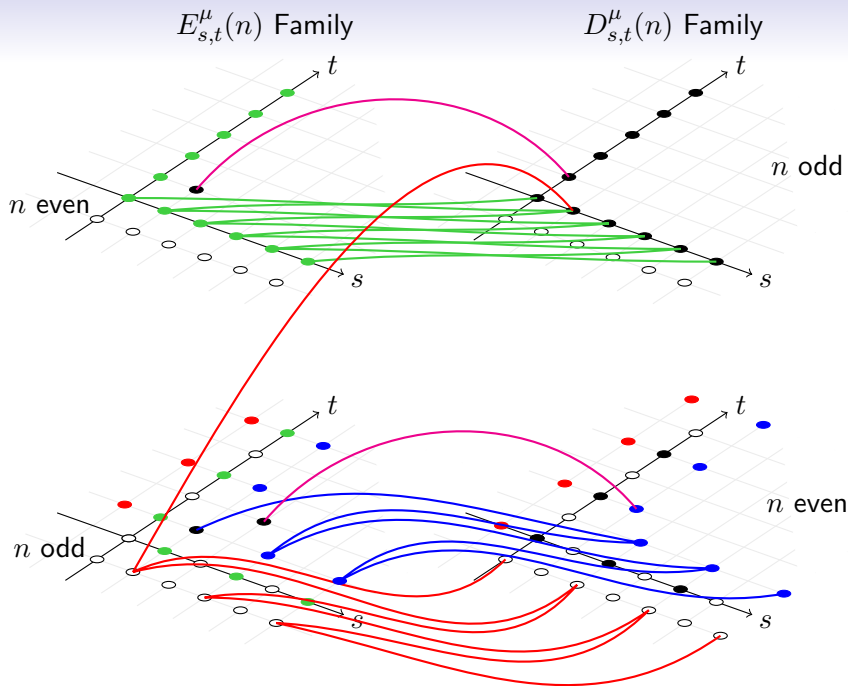
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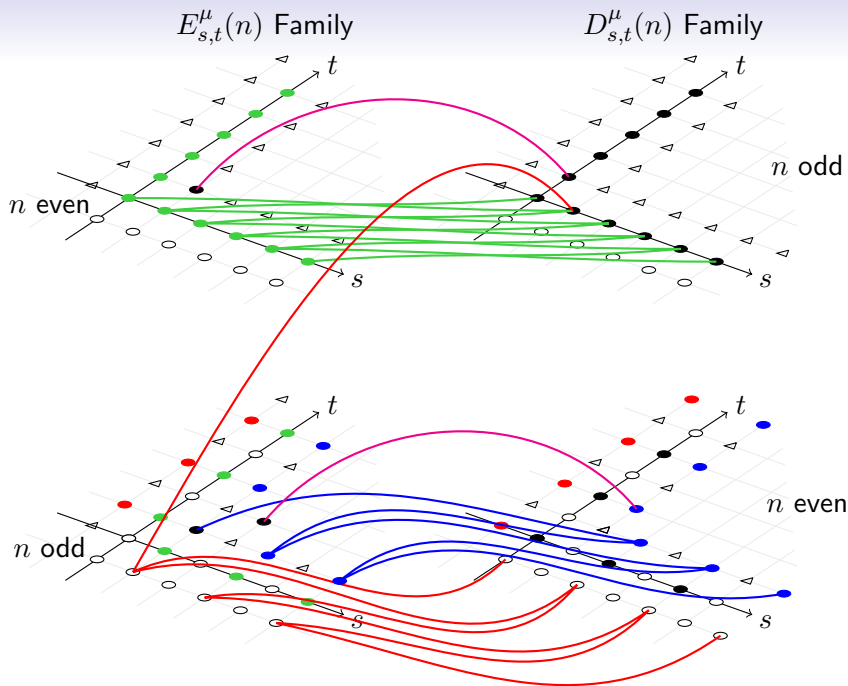


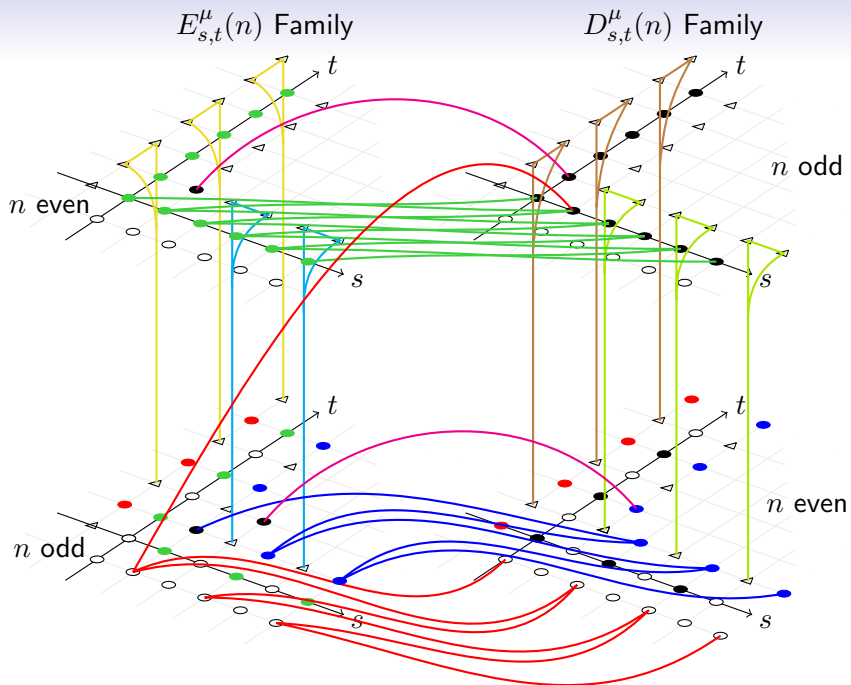
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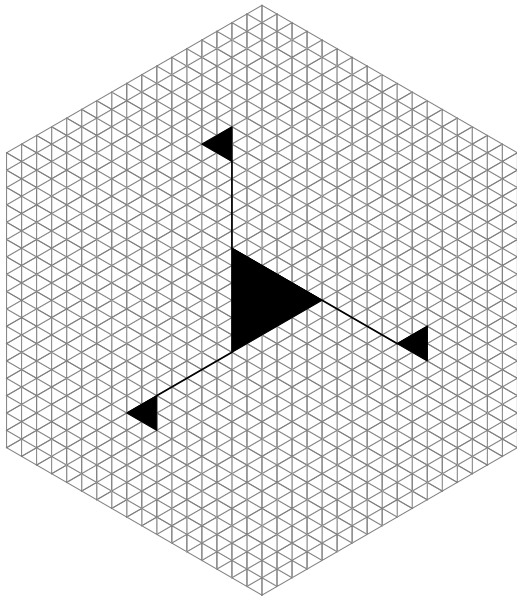
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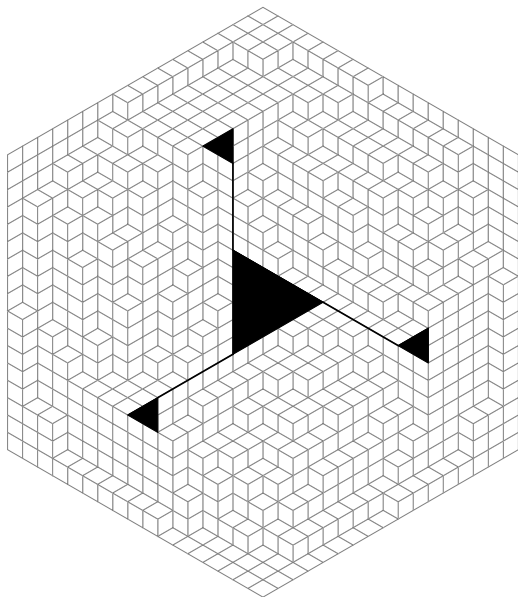
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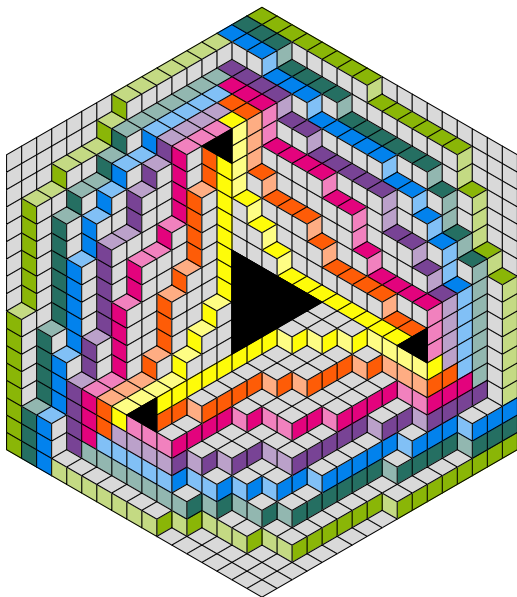
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