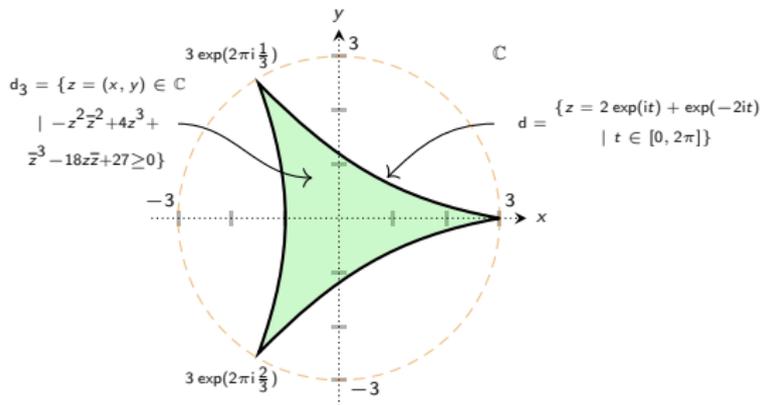


Generalizing zigzag algebras

Or: It's all about polynomials

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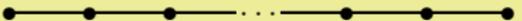
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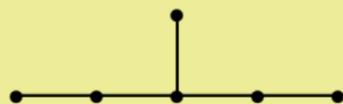
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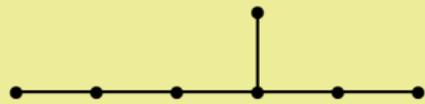
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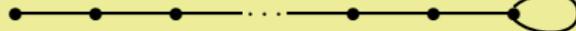
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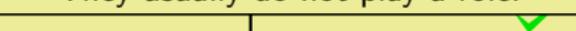
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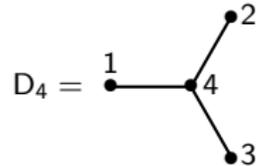


Fact. $U_{e+1}(\mathbf{A})$ has negative entries for some e if and only if \mathbf{A} is of type ADE.

This is a much stronger statement and the only proof I know uses categorification.

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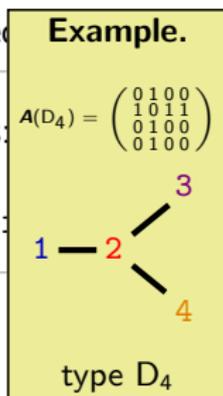
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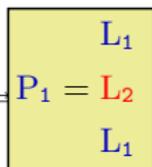
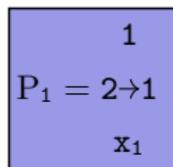
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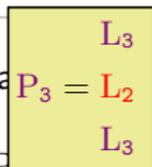
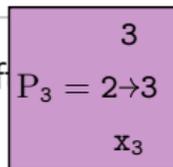


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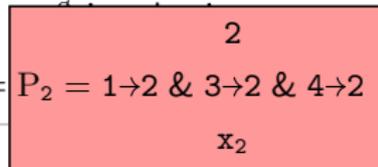
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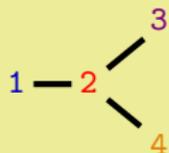


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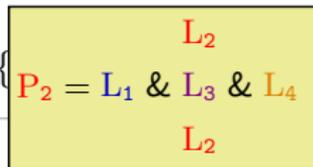


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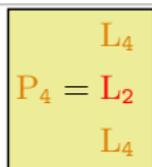
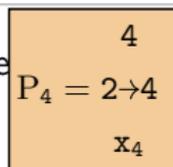
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Theorem. Z_{\rightleftarrows}^C is ▶ quasi-hereditary if and only if Γ is a finite type A graph and $X = \text{leaf}$.

Theorem. Z_{\rightleftarrows}^C is ▶ Koszul if and only if Γ is not a type ADE graph and $X = \emptyset$.

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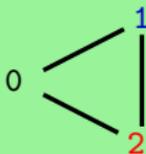
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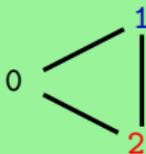
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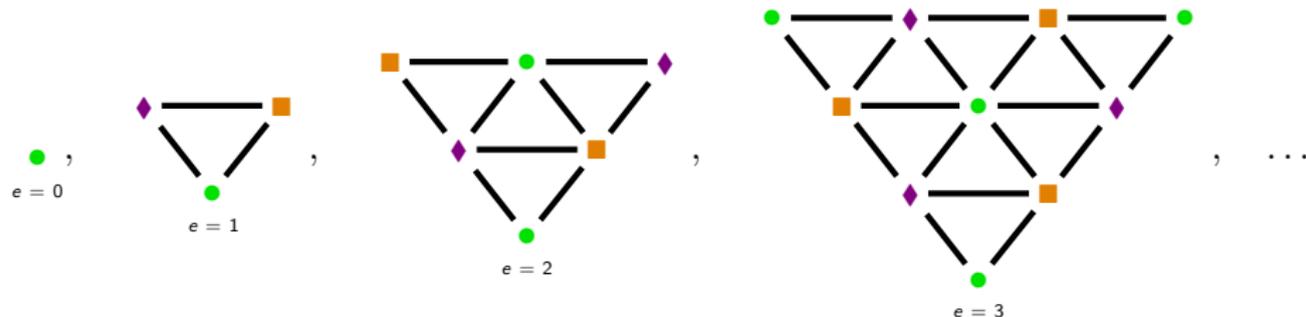
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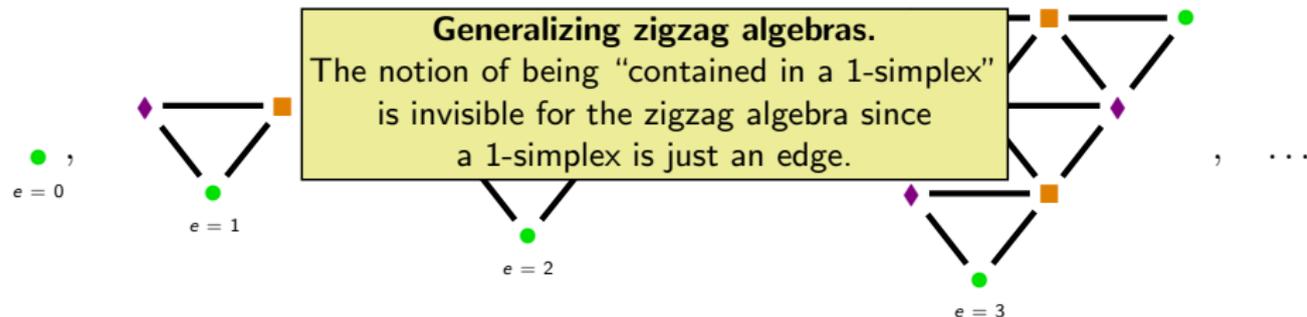
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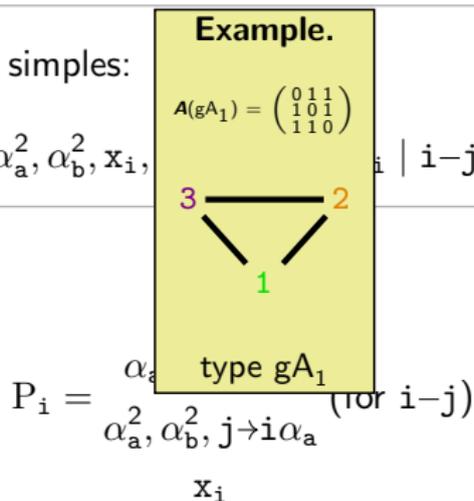
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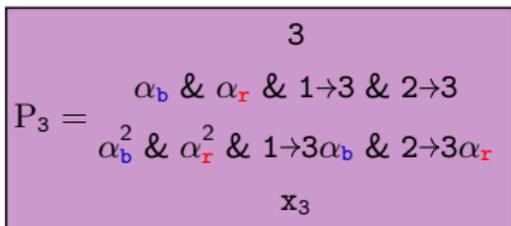
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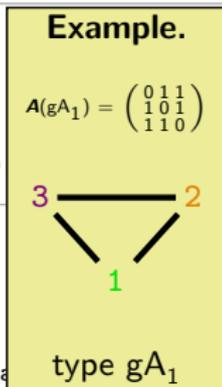
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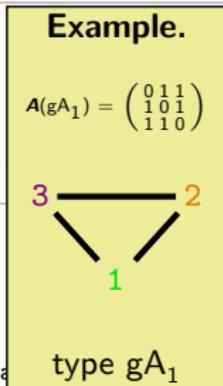
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Moreover, we have irreducibles $L_{m,n}$ for all $m, n \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$.

We have the following Chebyshev-like recursion relations

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together with starting conditions for $e = 0, 1$.

▶ Example

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To wrap-up: What lies behind the horizon?
Zigzag algebras associated to root system;
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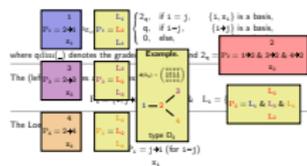
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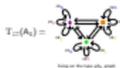
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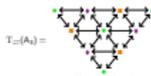


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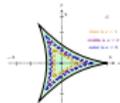
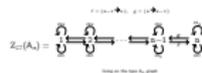


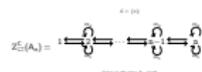
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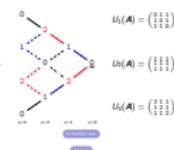
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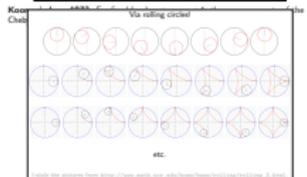
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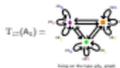
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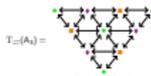
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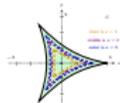
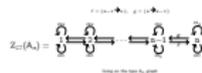


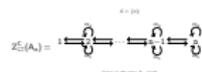
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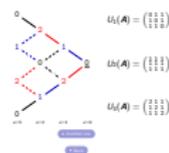
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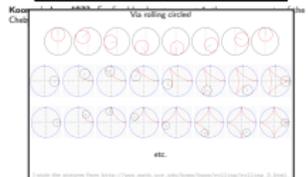
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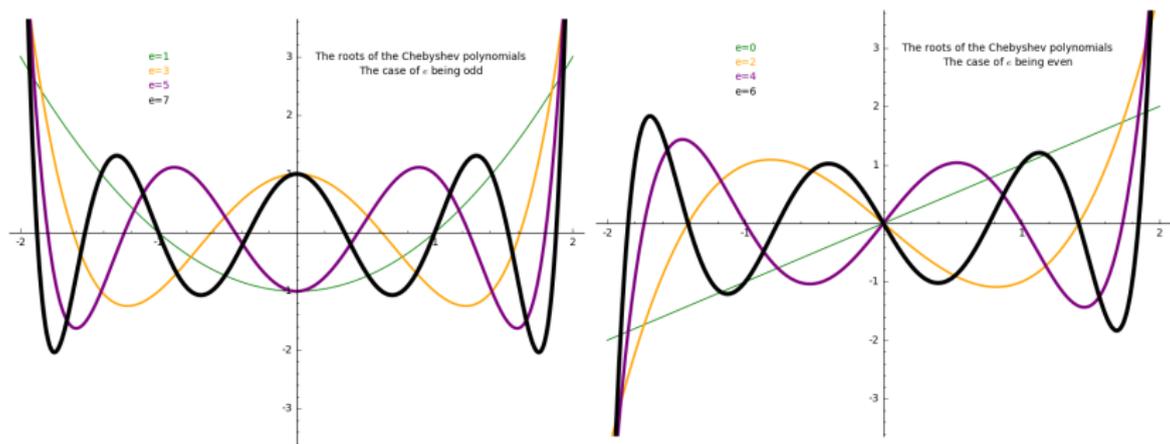
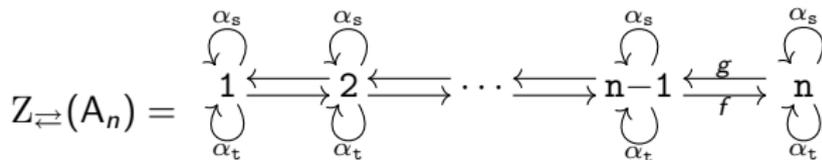


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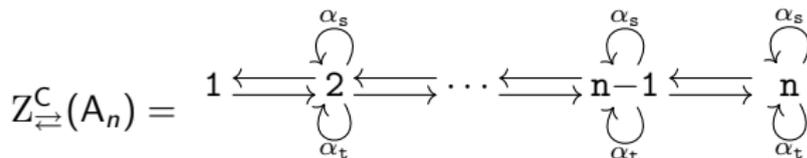
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Definition (e.g. Cline–Parshall–Scott ~1988). A finite-dimensional algebra R is called quasi-hereditary if there exists a chain of ideals

$$0 = J_0 \subset J_1 \subset \cdots \subset J_{k-1} \subset J_k = R,$$

for some $k \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 1}$, such that the quotient J_l/J_{l-1} is an hereditary ideal in R/J_{l-1} .

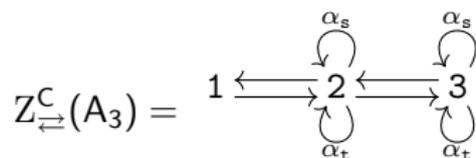
The point: Quasi-hereditary algebras have associated highest weight categories, i.e. they have simple, (co)standard Δ , indecomposable projective and tilting modules, all indexed by the same ordered set.

▶ Example

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Example.

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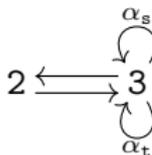
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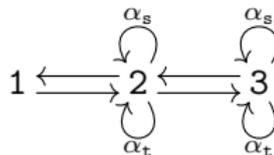
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$$Z_{\rightleftharpoons}^c(A_3) = \begin{array}{ccccc} & & \alpha_s & & \alpha_s \\ & & \curvearrowright & & \curvearrowright \\ 1 & \leftarrow & 2 & \leftarrow & 3 \\ & \rightarrow & & \rightarrow & \\ & & \alpha_t & & \alpha_t \\ & & \curvearrowleft & & \curvearrowleft \end{array}$$

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$$\& \begin{array}{ccccc} & & \alpha_s & & \\ & & \curvearrowright & & \\ 2 & \leftarrow & 3 & & \\ & \rightarrow & & & \\ & & \alpha_t & & \\ & & \curvearrowleft & & \end{array}$$

$$Z_{\rightleftharpoons}^c / J_1$$

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$$Z_{\rightleftharpoons}^c / J_0$$

Example.

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$$\Delta_3 = L_3$$

Example.

$$C = \{1\}$$

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Example.

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Note how nicely ordered $1 < 2 < 3$
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$$\alpha_t \quad \alpha_t$$

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The reciprocity:

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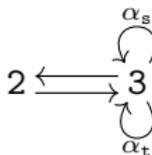
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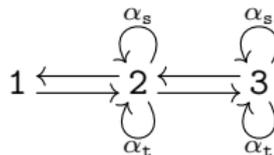
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$z_{\rightleftarrows}^c / J_2$

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Cellularity, roughly speaking, works very similarly, but \mathbf{D} does not need to be a square matrix while in the relative case \mathbf{D} does not even need to be an upper triangular matrix.

 α_t
 α_t
 α_t

$z_{\rightleftarrows}^c / J_2$

$z_{\rightleftarrows}^c / J_1$

$z_{\rightleftarrows}^c / J_0$

A linear projective resolution of a graded module M of a positively graded algebra R is an exact sequence

$$\cdots \longrightarrow q^2 Q_2 \longrightarrow q Q_1 \longrightarrow Q_0 \twoheadrightarrow M,$$

with graded projective R -modules $q^e Q_e$ generated in degree e .

Definition (e.g. Priddy \sim 1970). A finite-dimensional, positively graded algebra R is called Koszul if its degree 0 part is semisimple and each simple R -module admits a linear projective resolution.

The point: Koszul algebras have projective resolutions of simples which are as easy as possible.

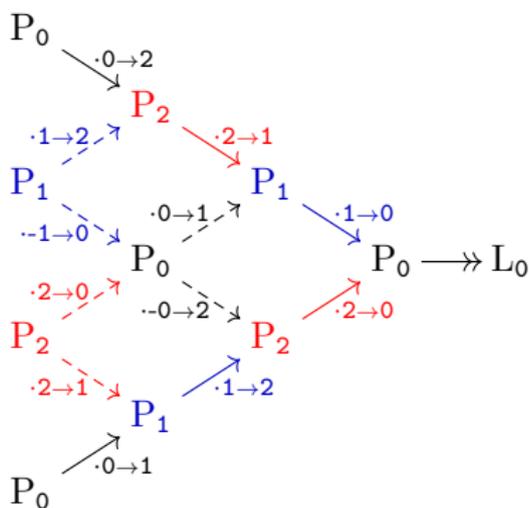
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Example.

$$Z_{\leftrightarrow}^{C=\emptyset}(\tilde{A}_2) = 0 \begin{array}{l} \nearrow 1 \\ \searrow 2 \end{array}$$

From now I just draw the graphs.



0
 $P_0 = 1 \rightarrow 0$ & $2 \rightarrow 0$
 x_0
 1
 $P_1 = 0 \rightarrow 1$ & $2 \rightarrow 1$,
 x_1
 2
 $P_2 = 0 \rightarrow 2$ & $1 \rightarrow 2$
 x_2

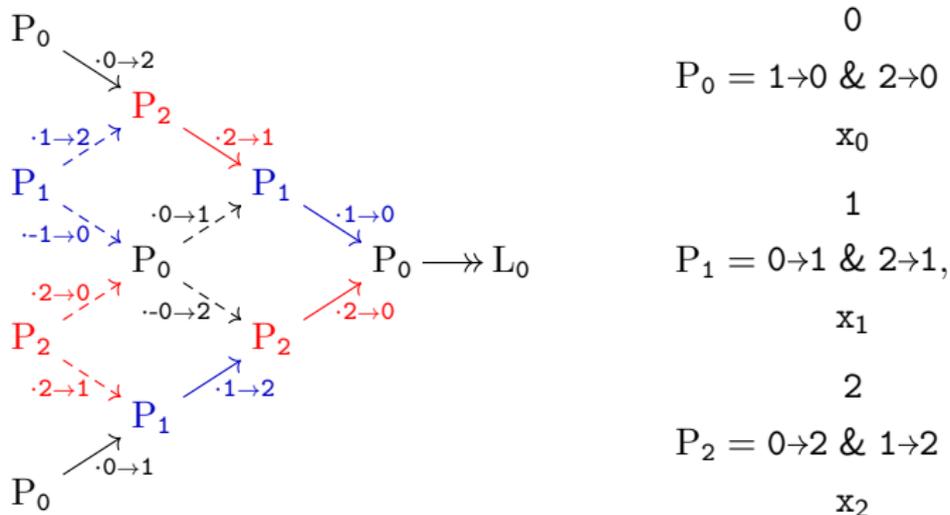
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Example.

$$\text{Kernel in the first step: } \mathbb{k}\{1 \rightarrow 0, 2 \rightarrow 0, x_0\}$$

$$Z_{\rightleftarrows}^{\text{C-}\psi}(A_2) = 0$$

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2



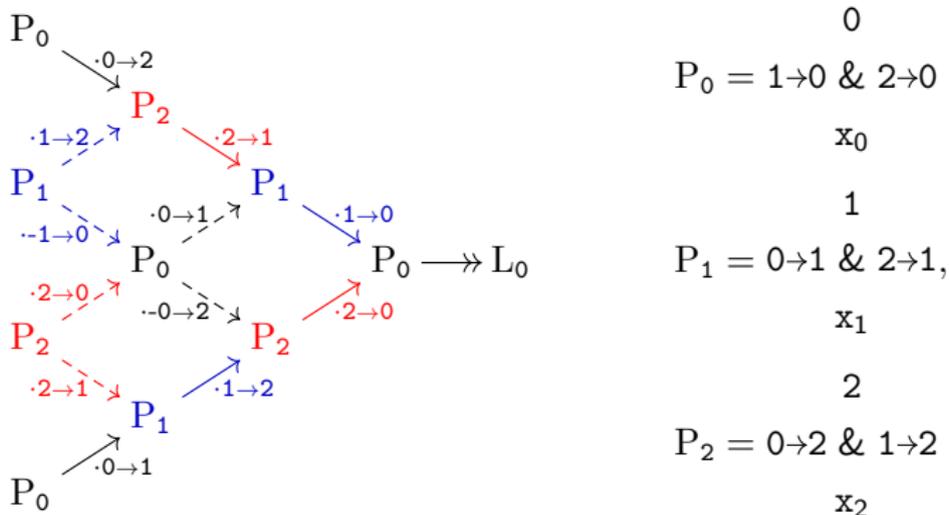
Example.

Kernel in the first step: $\mathbb{k}\{1 \rightarrow 0, 2 \rightarrow 0, x_0\}$

$$Z_{\rightleftharpoons}^{\mathbb{C}^{\infty}}(A_2) = 0$$

Kernel in the second step: $\mathbb{k}\{2 \rightarrow 1, x_1, 1 \rightarrow 2, x_2\}$ and $\mathbb{k}\{0 \rightarrow 1 - 0 \rightarrow 2\}$.

Kernel in the third step: $\mathbb{k}\{0 \rightarrow 2, x_2, 0 \rightarrow 1, x_1\}$ and $\mathbb{k}\{1 \rightarrow 2 - 1 \rightarrow 0\}$ and $\mathbb{k}\{2 \rightarrow 0 + 2 \rightarrow 1\}$.



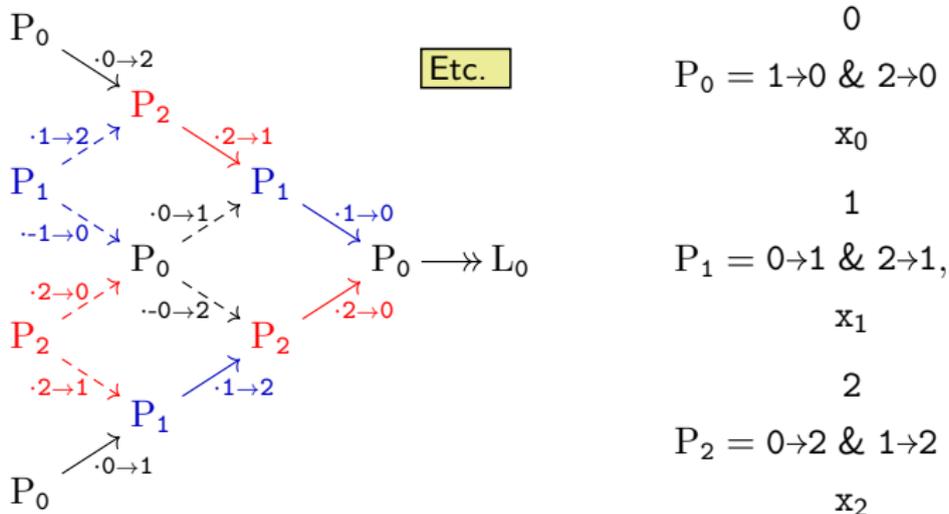
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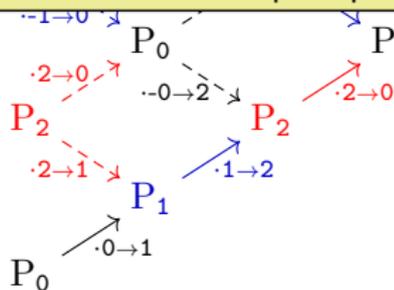
$$C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 + q^2 & q & q \\ q & 1 + q^2 & q \\ q & q & 1 + q^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

gives the cofactor matrix $C^* = \begin{pmatrix} 1 + q^2 + q^4 & -q + q^2 - q^3 & -q + q^2 - q^3 \\ -q + q^2 - q^3 & 1 + q^2 + q^4 & q \\ -q + q^2 - q^3 & -q + q^2 - q^3 & 1 + q^2 + q^4 \end{pmatrix}$

and the determinant $\det = 1 + 2q^3 + q^6$.

Then $1 + q^2 + q^4 + 2(-q + q^2 - q^3)/(1 + 2q^3 + q^6)$ 'taylored' gives

$$1 - 2q + 3q^2 - 4q^3 + 5q^4 - 6q^5 \pm \dots$$



$$P_1 = 0 \rightarrow 1 \text{ \& } 2 \rightarrow 1,$$

x_1

2

$$P_2 = 0 \rightarrow 2 \text{ \& } 1 \rightarrow 2$$

x_2

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$\xrightarrow{-1 \rightarrow 0}$ $P_0 \xrightarrow{\quad} P_0 \xrightarrow{\quad} L_0 \quad P_1 = 0 \rightarrow 1 \ \& \ 2 \rightarrow 1.$

The numerical criterion for Koszulness:

$\det^{-1} C^*$ has q -linear column sums.

This is almost an if and only if: C encodes how projectives are filtered by simples.
So, $\det^{-1} C^*$ encodes how simples are resolved by projectives.

Example.

$$\tilde{A}_2 = 0 \begin{array}{l} \nearrow 1 \\ \searrow 2 \end{array} \rightsquigarrow \mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

...

$U_1(\mathbf{A}) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$U_2(\mathbf{A}) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$U_3(\mathbf{A}) = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$

$e=3$ $e=2$ $e=1$ $e=0$

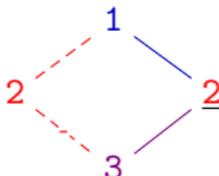
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Example.

$$A_3 = 1 \text{ --- } 2 \text{ --- } 3 \rightsquigarrow \mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

?? $3 \text{ --- } 2 \text{ --- } \underline{1}$ $U_1(\mathbf{A}) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

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e=3 e=2 e=1 e=0

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No growth at all: we are stuck in the 3th step.

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The inverses of the graded Cartan determinants.

$$A_n: (1 - q^2) \sum_{s=0}^{\infty} q^{(2n+2)s}, \quad \text{gap} = 2n - 1,$$

$$D_n, n \text{ even}: (1 - q^2 \pm \dots + q^{2n-4}) \sum_{s=0}^{\infty} (-1)^s (s+1) q^{(2n-2)s}, \quad \text{gap} = 1,$$

$$D_n, n \text{ odd}: (1 - q^2 \pm \dots - q^{2n-4}) \sum_{s=0}^{\infty} q^{(4n-4)s}, \quad \text{gap} = 2n - 1,$$

$$E_6: (1 - q^2 + q^4 - q^8 + q^{10} - q^{12}) \sum_{s=0}^{\infty} q^{24s}, \quad \text{gap} = 11,$$

$$E_7: (1 - q^2 + q^4) \sum_{s=0}^{\infty} (-1)^s q^{18s}, \quad \text{gap} = 13,$$

$$E_8: (1 - q^2 + q^4 + q^{10} - q^{12} + q^{14}) \sum_{s=0}^{\infty} (-1)^s q^{30s}, \quad \text{gap} = 15.$$

Observing now that the cofactor matrix has entries which are polynomials of degree $\leq 2n - 2$, one is done. Type D_{2n} needs an extra argument along the same lines.

Explicitly, for type A_3 we get

$$(1 - q^2)(1 + q^8 + q^{16} + q^{24} + \dots) = 1 - q^2 + q^8 - q^{10} + q^{16} - q^{18} + q^{24} - q^{26} + \dots$$

$$A^* = \begin{pmatrix} 1 + q^2 + q^4 & -q - q^3 & q \\ -q - q^3 & 1 + q^2 + q^4 & -q - q^3 \\ q & -q - q^3 & 1 + q^2 + q^4 \end{pmatrix}$$

Numerical resolutions are

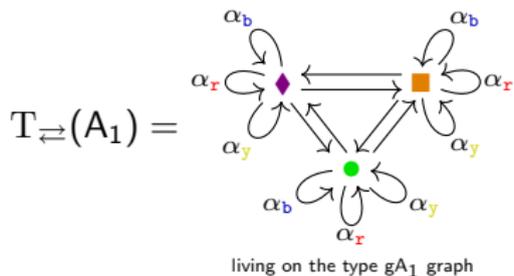
$$1 - q + q^2 - 0q^3 + q^4 - q^5 + q^6 - 0q^7 \pm \dots$$

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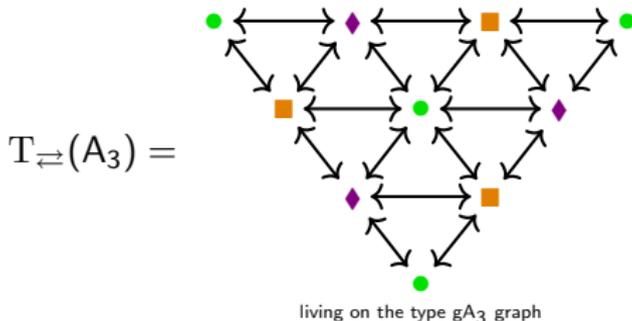
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The case $\Gamma = A_1$ & $C = \emptyset$.



The case $\Gamma = A_3$ & $C = \emptyset$, omitting loops.



Example. The first few $SL(3)$ Chebyshev polynomials:

$e = 0$	$U_{1,0}(X, Y) = X, \quad U_{0,1}(X, Y) = Y,$
$e = 1$	$U_{2,0}(X, Y) = X^2 - Y, \quad U_{1,1}(X, Y) = XY - 1, \quad U_{0,2}(X, Y) = Y^2 - X,$
$e = 2$	$U_{3,0}(X, Y) = X^3 - 2XY + 1, \quad U_{2,1}(X, Y) = X^2Y - Y^2 - X,$ $U_{1,2}(X, Y) = XY^2 - X^2 - Y, \quad U_{0,3}(X, Y) = Y^3 - 2XY + 1,$
$e = 3$	$U_{4,0}(X, Y) = X^4 - 3X^2Y + Y^2 + 2X, \quad U_{3,1}(X, Y) = X^3Y - 2XY^2 - X^2 + 2Y,$ $U_{2,2}(X, Y) = X^2Y^2 - X^3 - Y^3,$ $U_{1,3}(X, Y) = XY^3 - 2X^2Y - Y^2 + 2X, \quad U_{0,4}(X, Y) = Y^4 - 3XY^2 + X^2 + 2Y,$
$e = 4$	$U_{5,0}(X, Y) = X^5 - 4X^3Y + 3XY^2 + 3X^2 - 2Y, \quad U_{4,1}(X, Y) = X^4Y - 3X^2Y^2 - X^3 + Y^3 + 4XY - 1,$ $U_{3,2}(X, Y) = X^3Y^2 - X^4 - 2XY^3 + X^2Y + 2Y^2 - X, \quad U_{2,3}(X, Y) = X^2Y^3 - Y^4 - 2X^3Y + XY^2 + 2X^2 - Y,$ $U_{1,4}(X, Y) = XY^4 - 3X^2Y^2 - Y^3 + X^3 + 4XY - 1, \quad U_{0,5}(X, Y) = Y^5 - 4XY^3 + 3X^2Y + 3Y^2 - 2X.$

One usually considers them for one level $m + n = e + 1$ together.

$$U_{m,n}(X, Y) = U_{n,m}(Y, X), \quad XU_{m,n}(X, Y) = U_{m+1,n}(X, Y) + U_{m-1,n+1}(X, Y) + U_{m,n-1}(X, Y), \\ YU_{m,n}(X, Y) = U_{m,n+1}(X, Y) + U_{m+1,n-1}(X, Y) + U_{m-1,n}(X, Y),$$

Koornwinder ~1973. For fixed level $m + n = e + 1$, the common roots of the Chebyshev polynomials are all in the discoid.

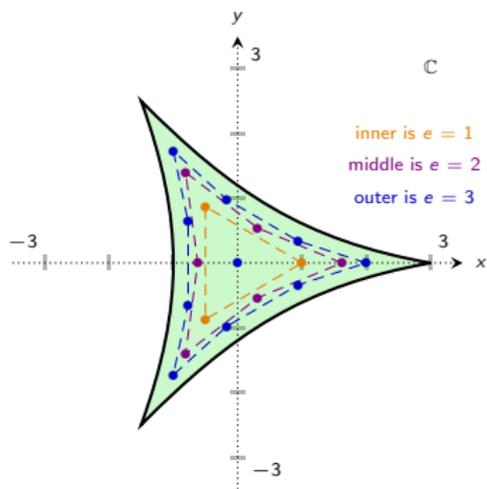


Figure: The roots of the $SL(3)$ Chebyshev polynomials.

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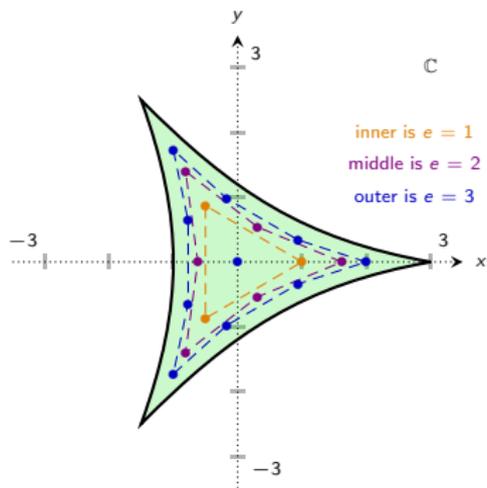


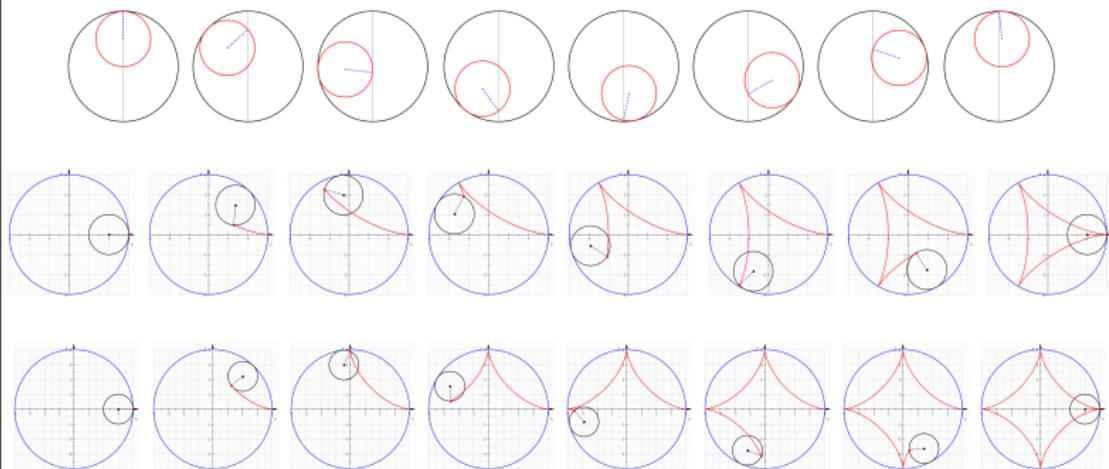
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Via rolling circles!



etc.

I stole the pictures from http://www.math.ucr.edu/home/baez/rolling/rolling_3.html.