



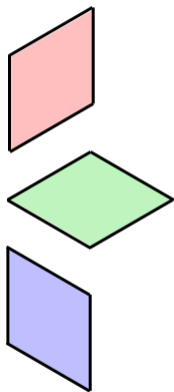
The problem of the calissons, by rewriting

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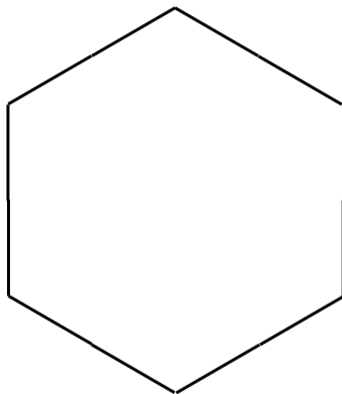
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The problem of the calissons (David & Tomei 89)

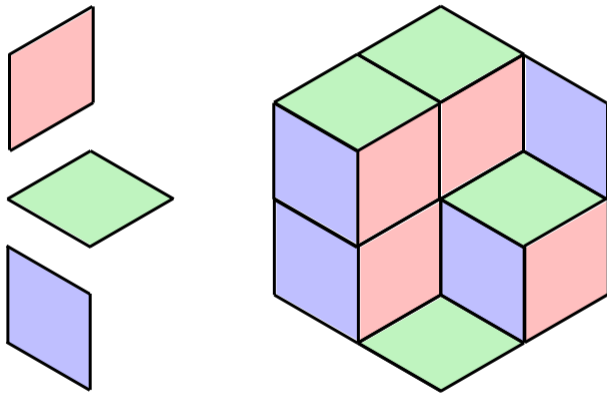


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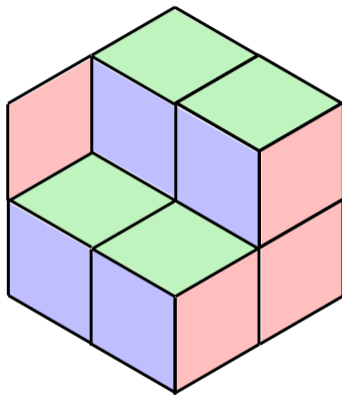
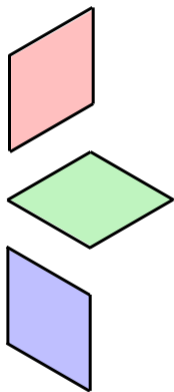


hexagonal box

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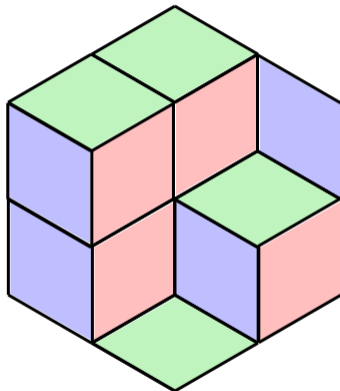
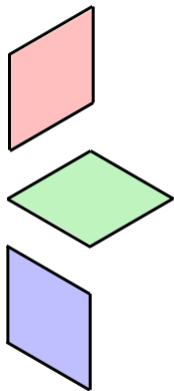


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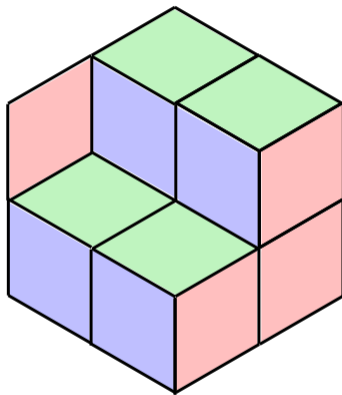
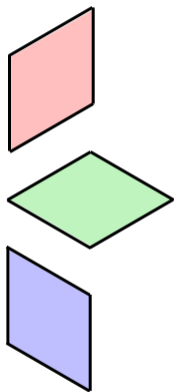
box random generator

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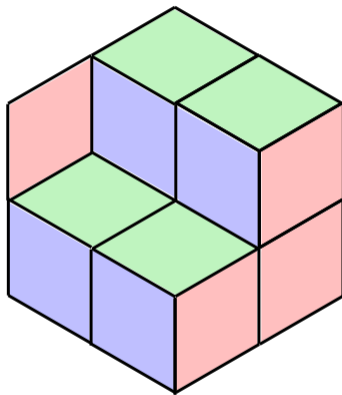
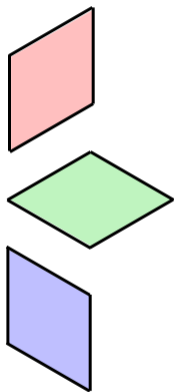
spectrum (4, 4, 4)

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The problem of the calissons by 4 confluence techniques



same box \implies same spectrum

Confluence

Definition

rewrite system $\rightarrow := \langle A, \Phi, \text{src}, \text{tgt} \rangle$ with **objects** A and **steps** Φ

$\phi : a \rightarrow b$ or $a \rightarrow_{\phi} b$ denotes **step** ϕ with **source** $\text{src}(\phi) = a$, **target** $\text{tgt}(\phi) = b$

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rewrite systems have same data as **multigraphs**, **quivers**, **pre-categories**

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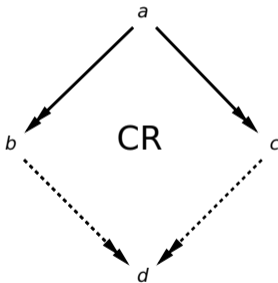
rewrite system \rightarrow is **confluent** (CR) if $\forall a b c, b \leftarrow a \rightarrow c \implies \exists d, b \twoheadrightarrow d \leftarrow c$

\twoheadrightarrow denotes a (finite) **reduction**; a sequence of consecutive steps of \rightarrow
CR after **C**hurch and **R**osser for introducing and proving it, for $\lambda\beta$ (1936)

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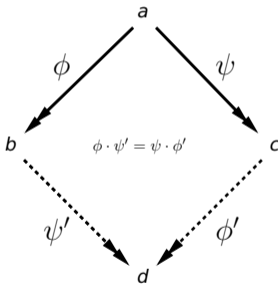
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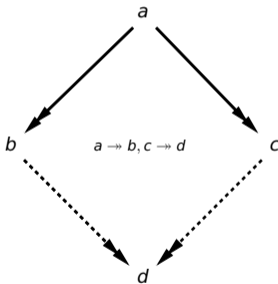


algebra: existence of **common multiple**; concatenation is (typed) multiplication

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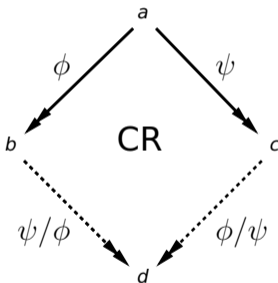


orders: existence of **upperbound**; \rightarrow is quasi-order

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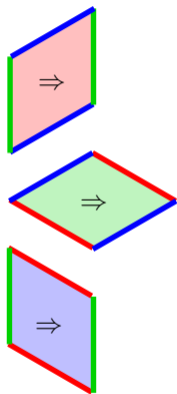
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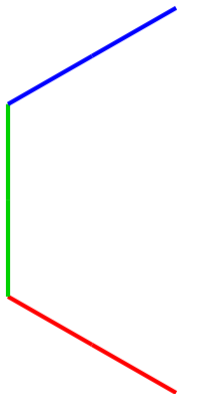


categories: having a **pushout** (axioms); skolemisation is residuation / (**after**)

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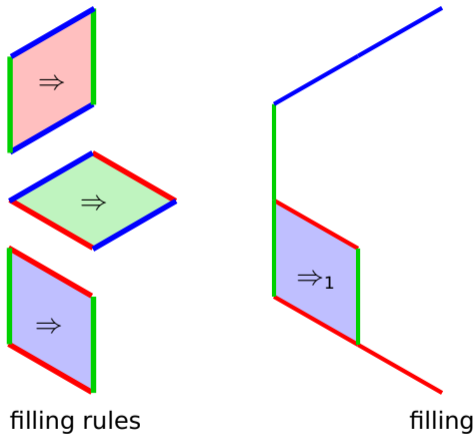


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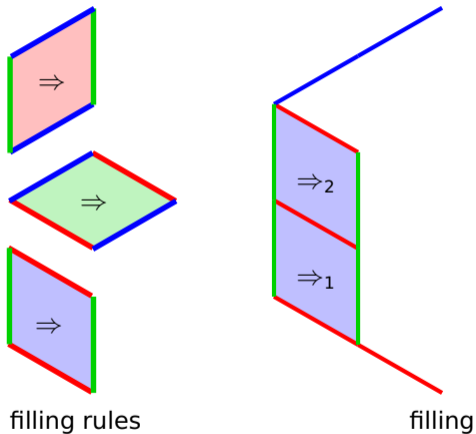


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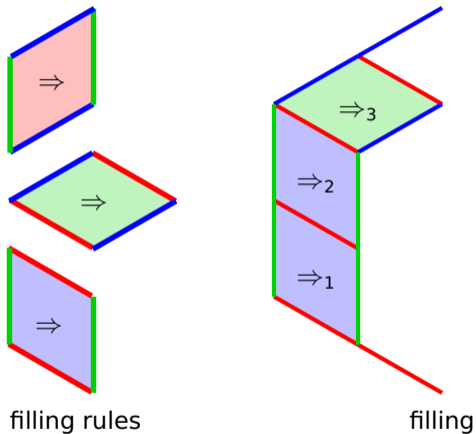
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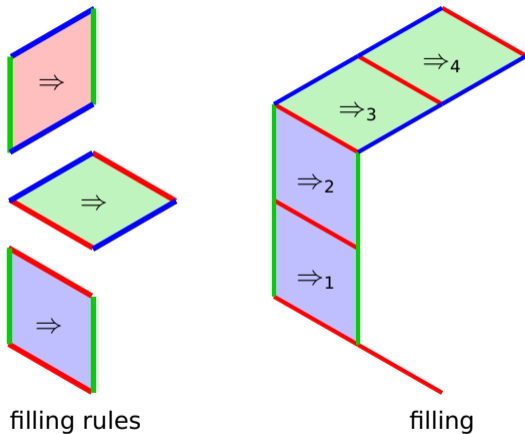
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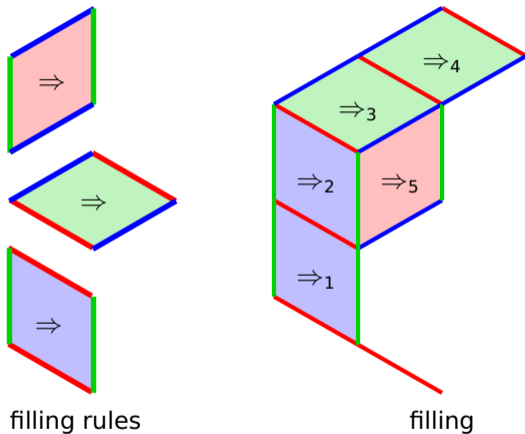
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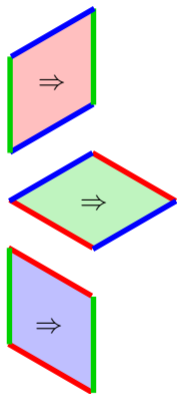
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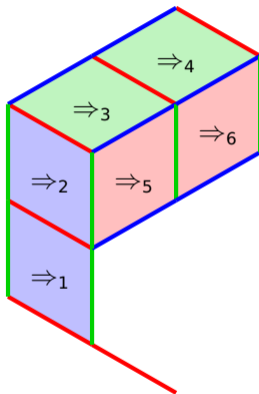
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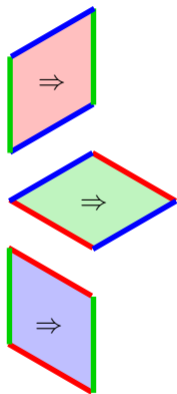


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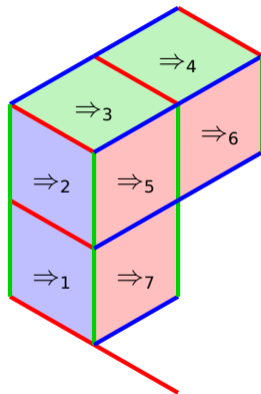


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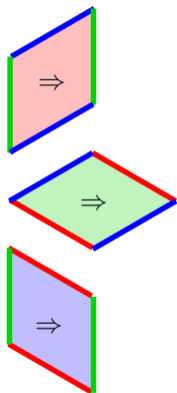


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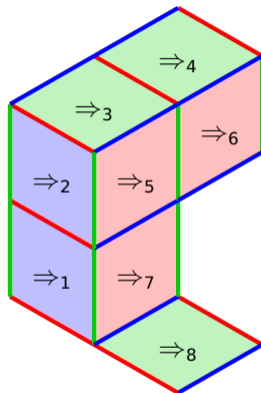


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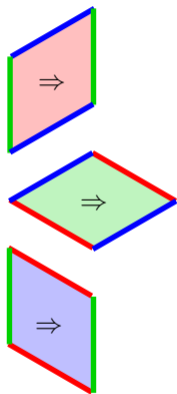


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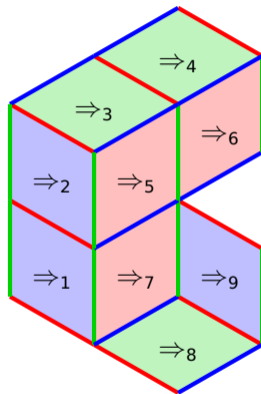


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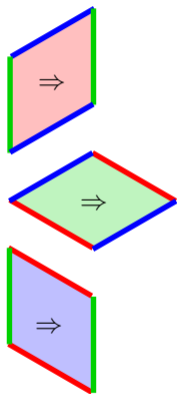


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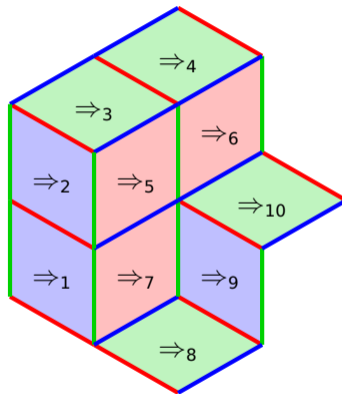


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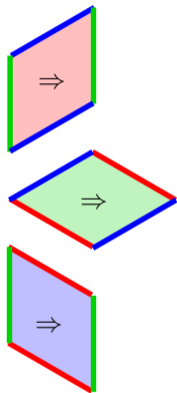


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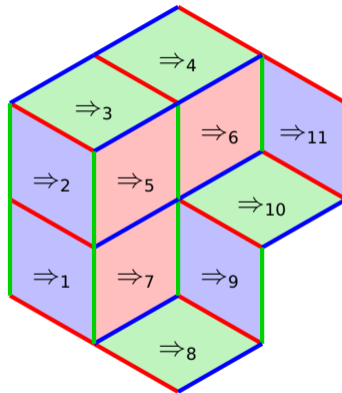


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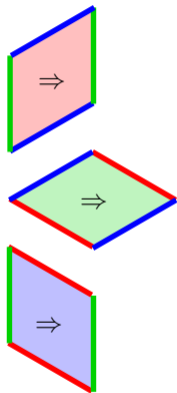


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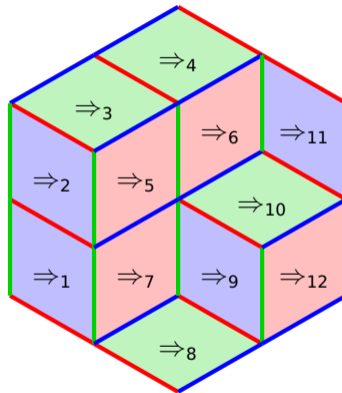


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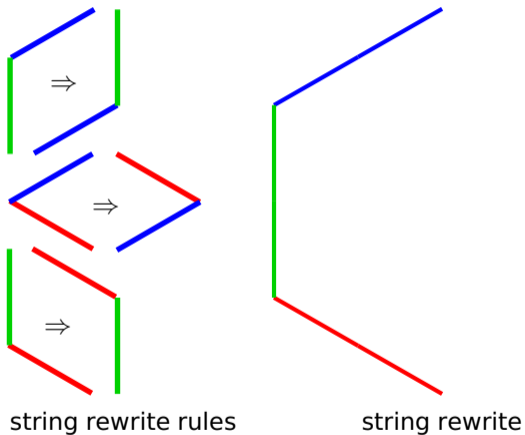


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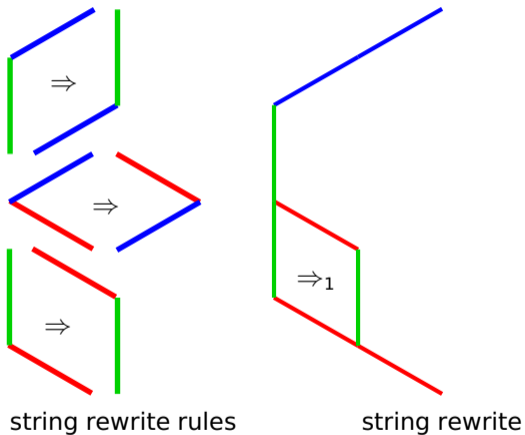


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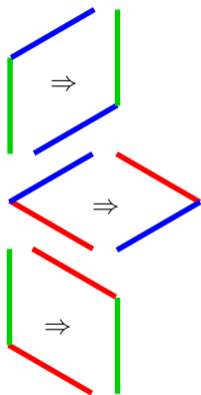
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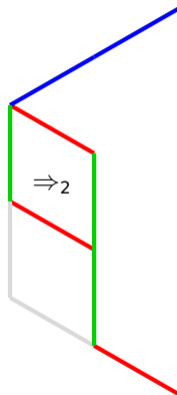
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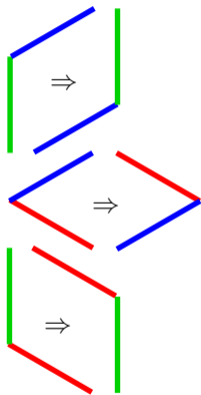


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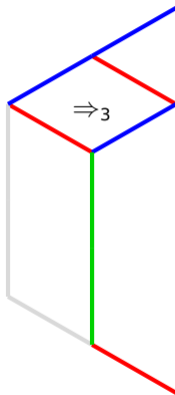


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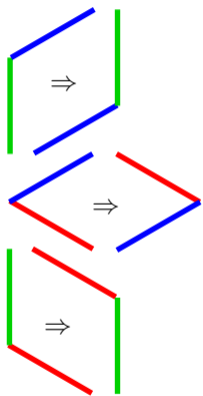


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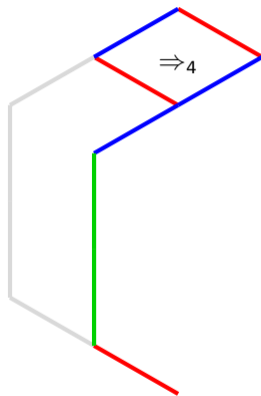


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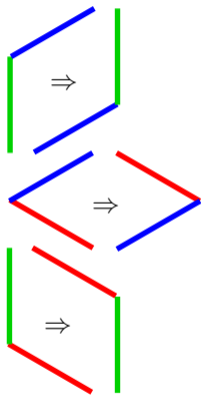


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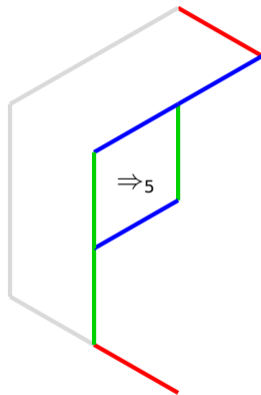


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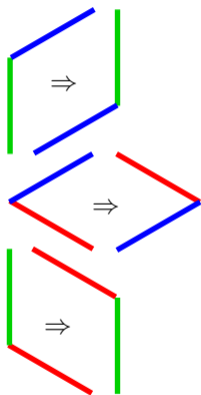


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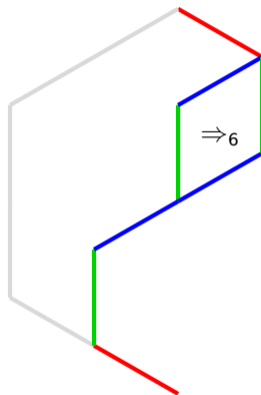


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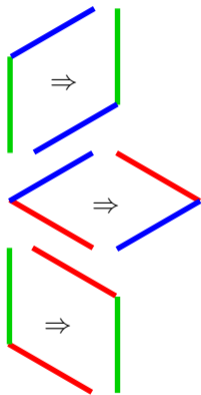


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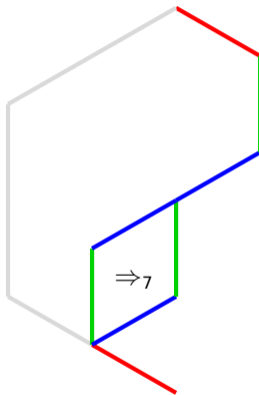


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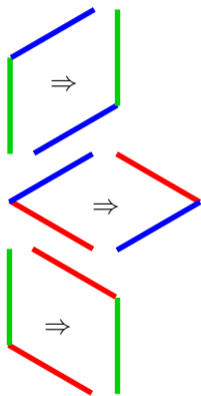


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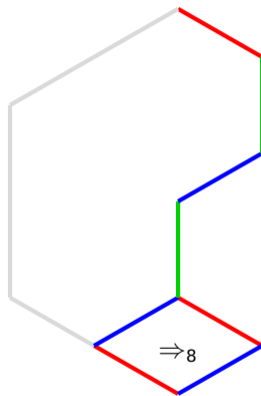


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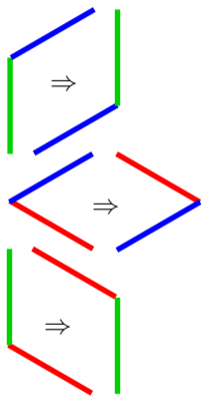


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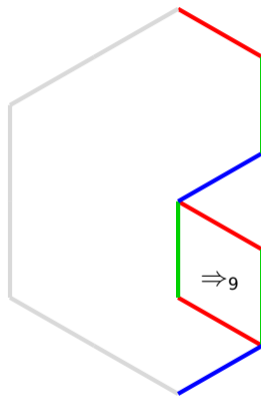


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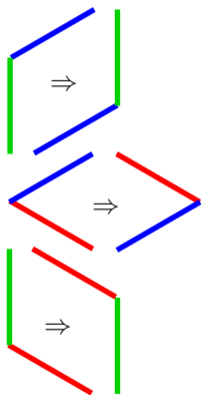


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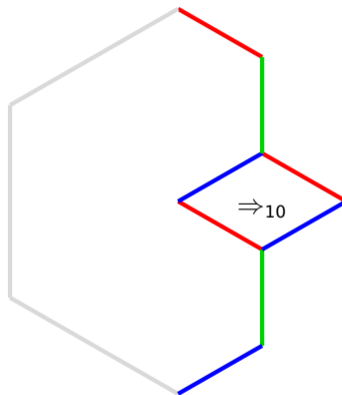


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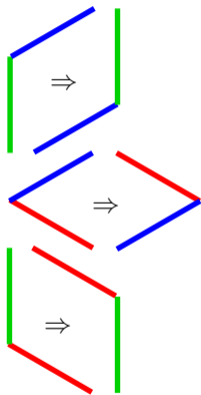


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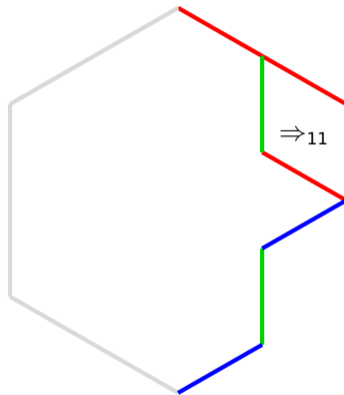


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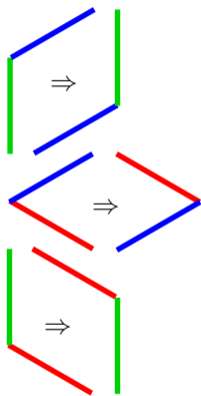


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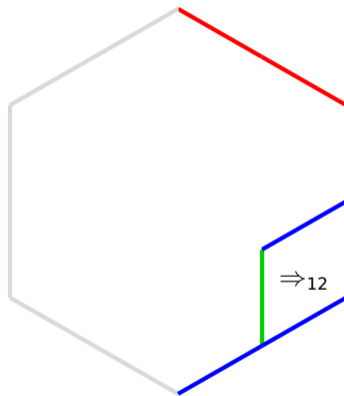


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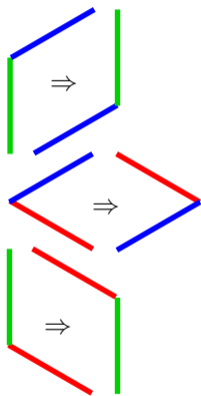


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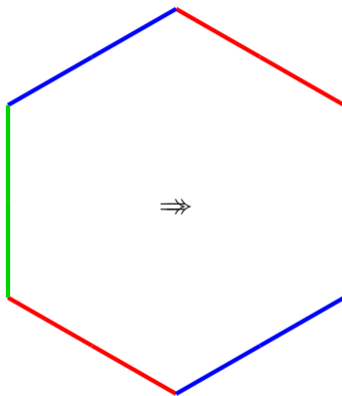


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string rewrite rules



string rewrite

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- **filling** \Rightarrow is string rewrite system over $\{\text{red}, \text{green}, \text{blue}\}$ with rules

 \Rightarrow   \Rightarrow   \Rightarrow 

(recover hexagonal shape from associating colours to angles of lines; Logo)

(1) random descent

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- filled box B iff exists blue-green-red \Rightarrow red-green-blue filling B
(any partial filling allows some filling step toward that B)

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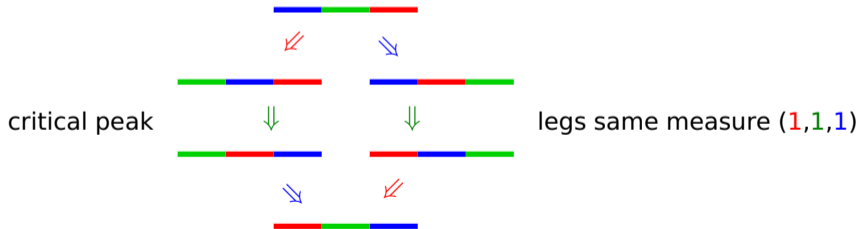


- filled box B iff exists \Rightarrow filling B

- filling \Rightarrow has random descent (RD) for measure on **steps**



(**measure**: mapping steps to (non-zero) elements of a **derivation monoid**)



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- filling \Rightarrow is weakly normalising (WN) so filling fills
(\Rightarrow **is** sorting-by-swapping; bubblesort shows WN)

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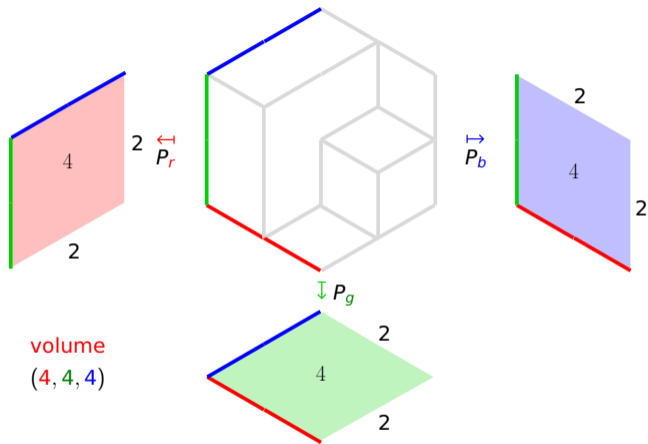
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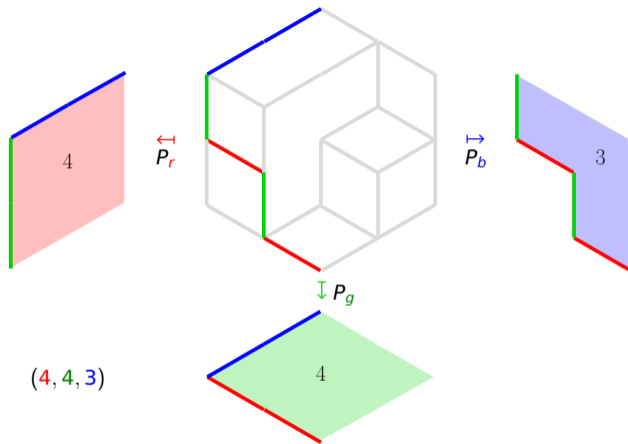
Theorem (\forall 22 ; more on it in second half)

confluent & terminating (SN) \iff random descent & normalising (WN)

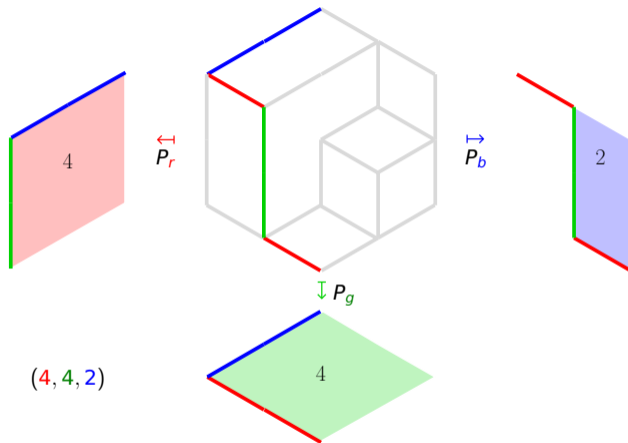
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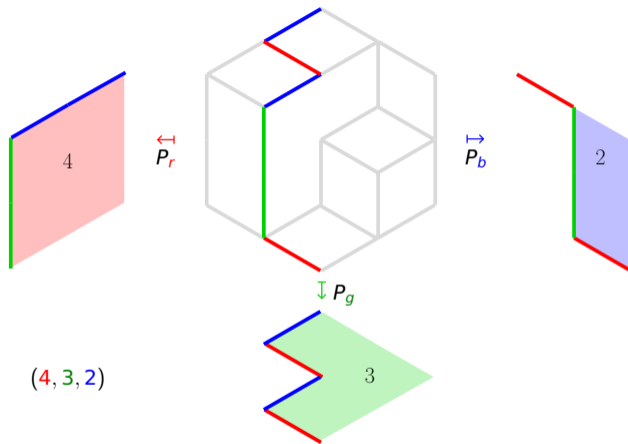
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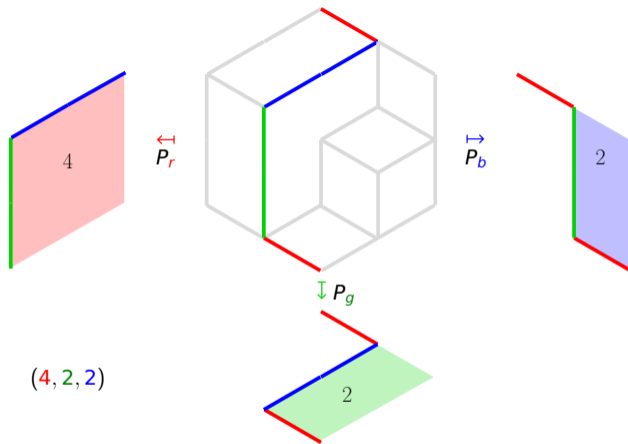
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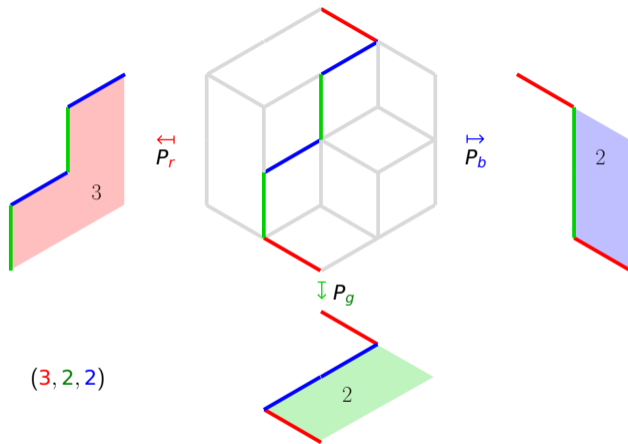
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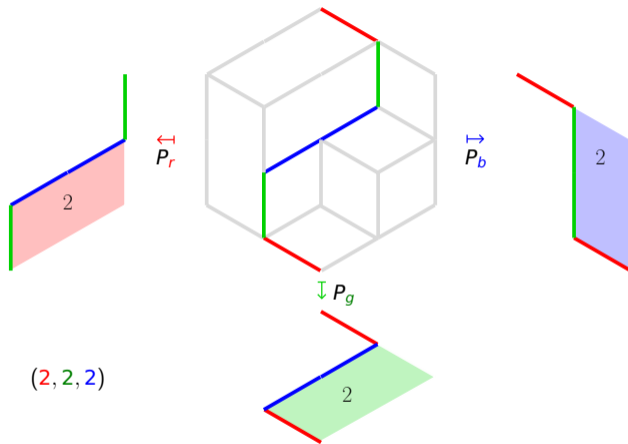
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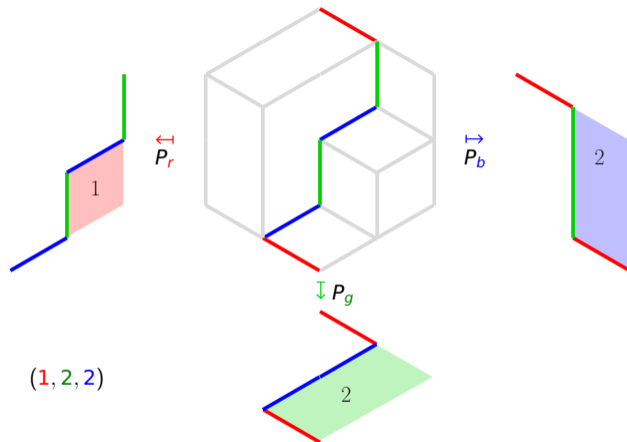
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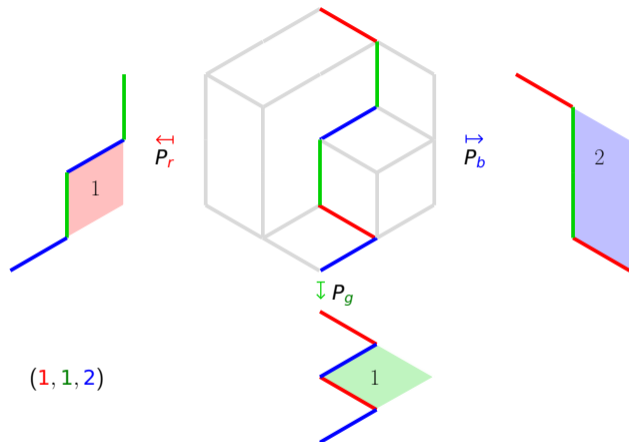
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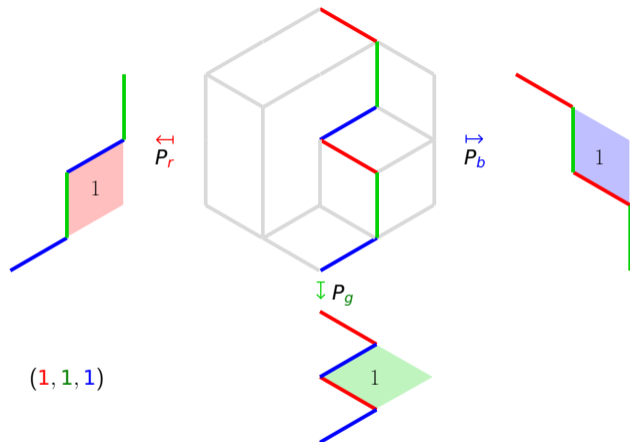
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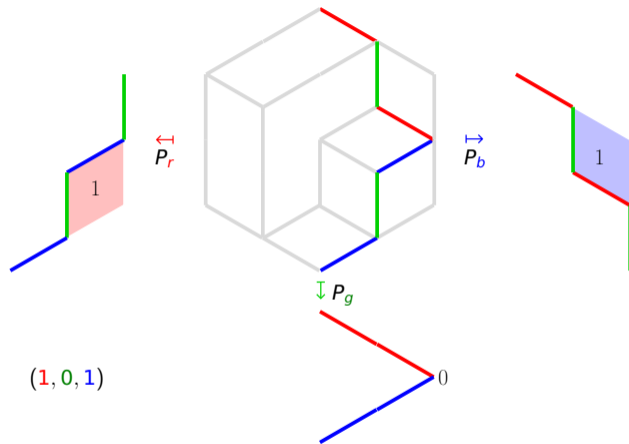
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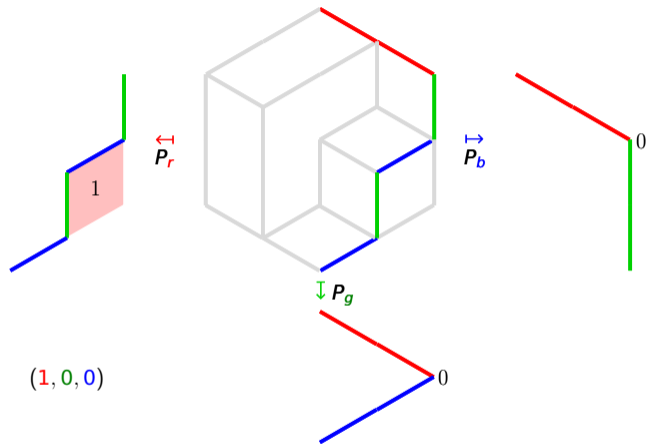
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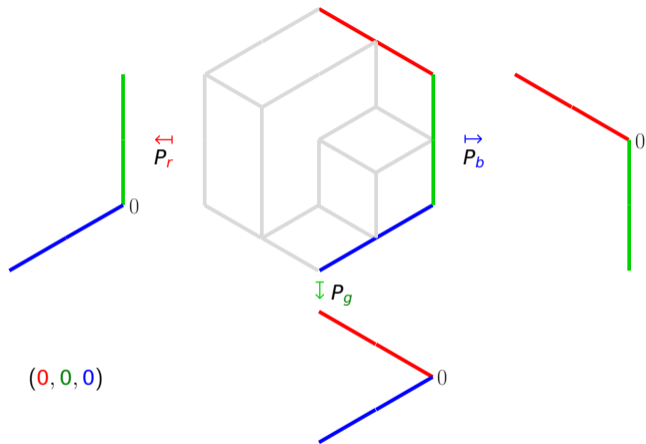
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remark

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area proof order to triple (ℓ, a, r) with #missing calissons a (Felgenhauer &  13)

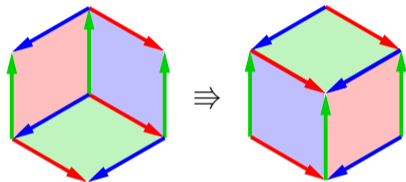
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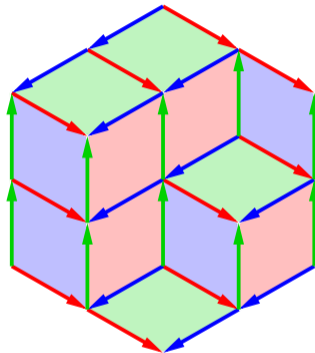
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proofs by random descent and proof order show spectrum independent of filling
but can different fillings be **related**?

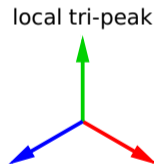
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bricklaying rule

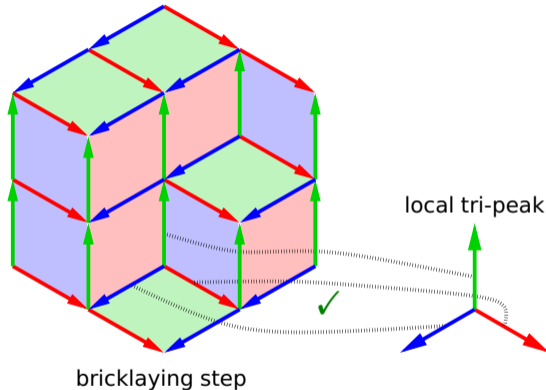
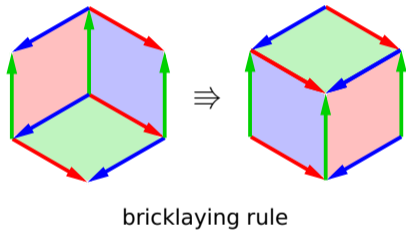


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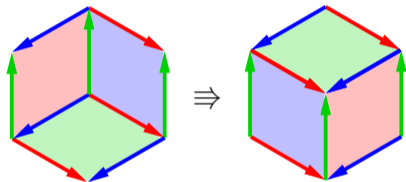


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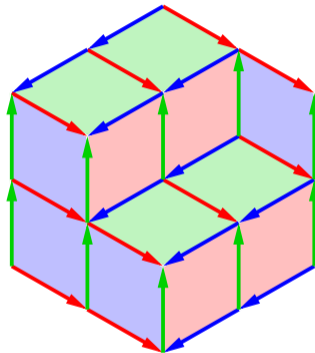
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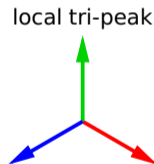
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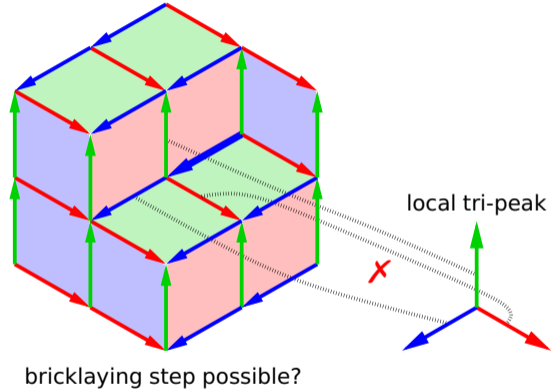
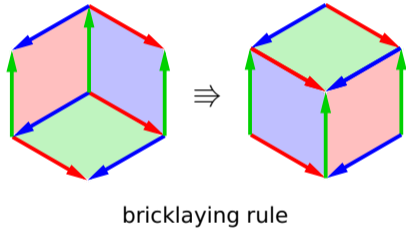


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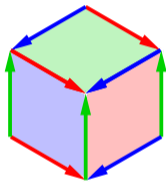
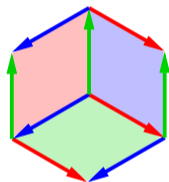


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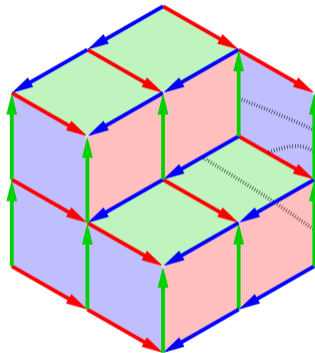
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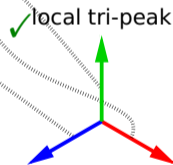
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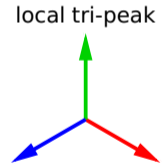
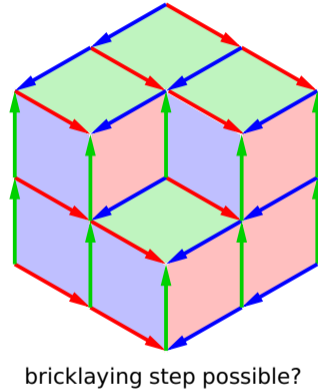
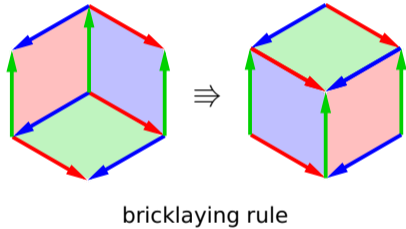


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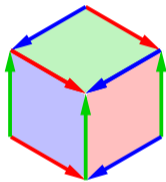
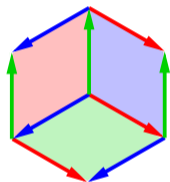


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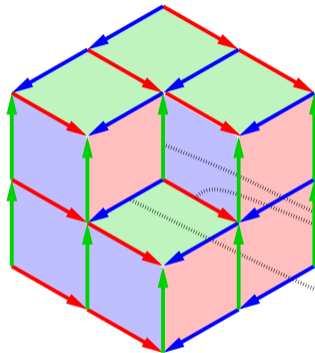
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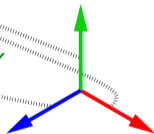


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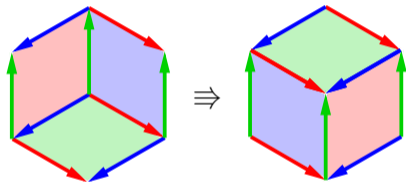


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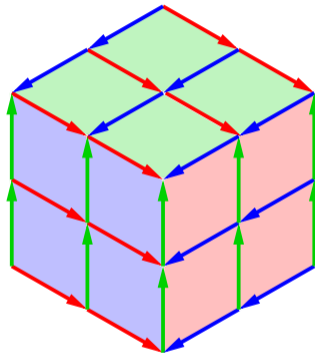
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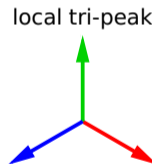
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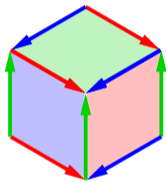
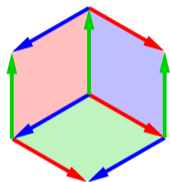


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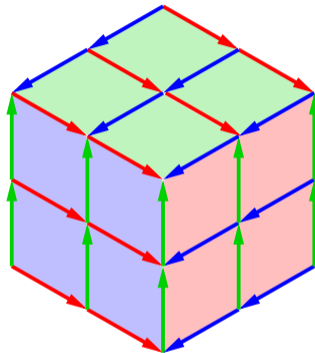


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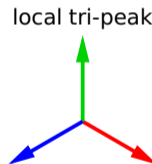
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bricklaying rule



big brick (bricklayer)



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(trivial; calissons closer to their origin)

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(out-degree edges ≤ 3 ; if **some** tri-peak \Rightarrow bricklaying step found by following back in-edges; if **no** tri-peaks \Rightarrow big brick; holds for bed-graphs)

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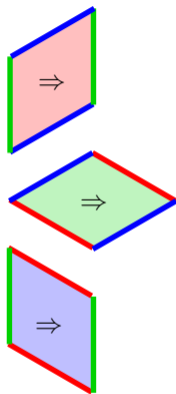
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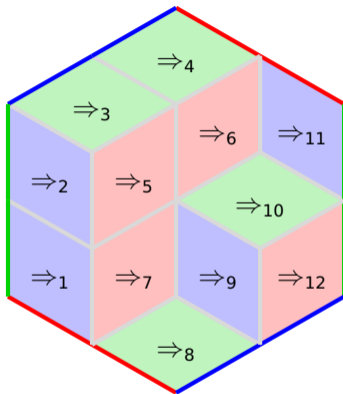
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(4) local undercutting; from \Rightarrow -filling to \Downarrow -projection

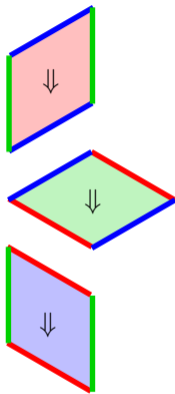


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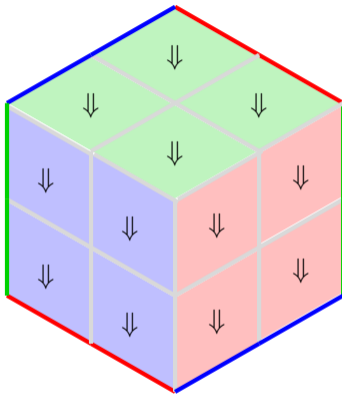


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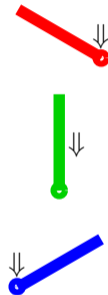
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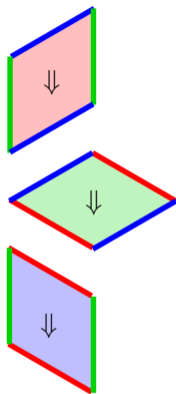


to \Downarrow -projection with **same** spectrum

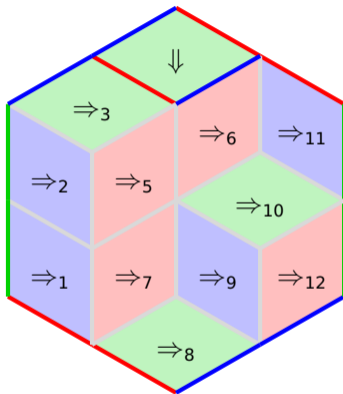


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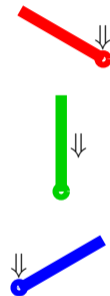
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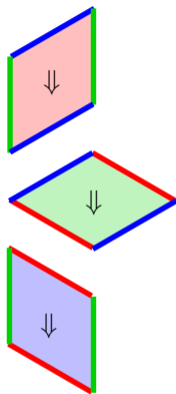


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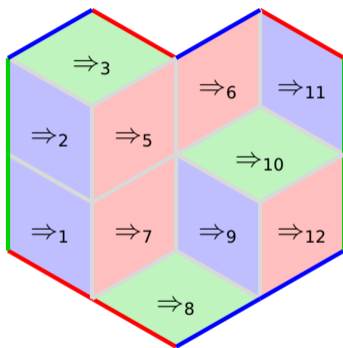


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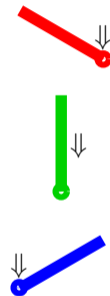
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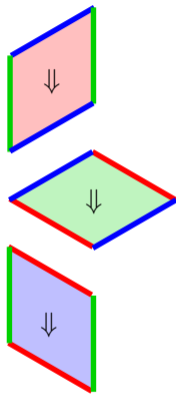


foliage (for cyclic conversion)

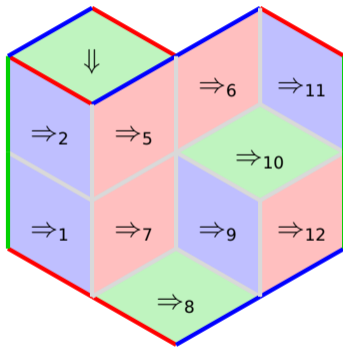


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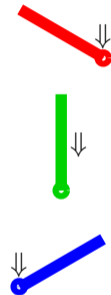
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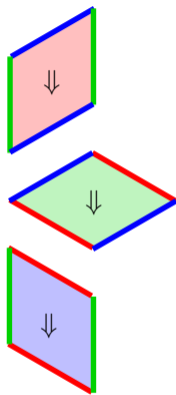


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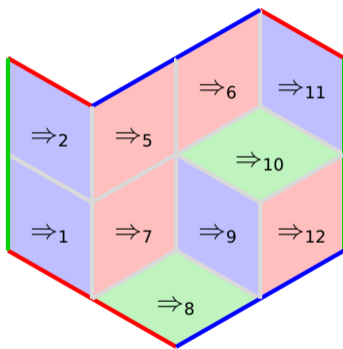


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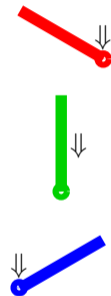
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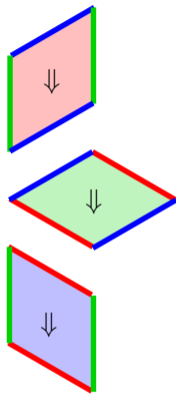


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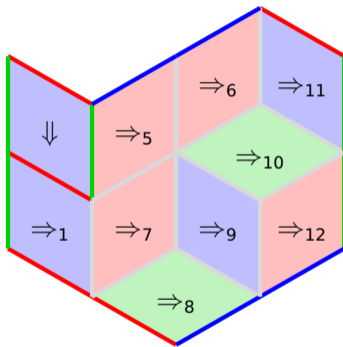


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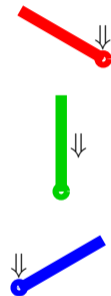
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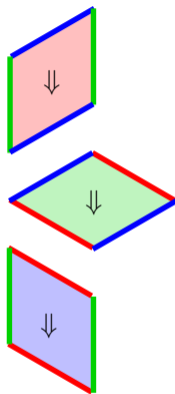


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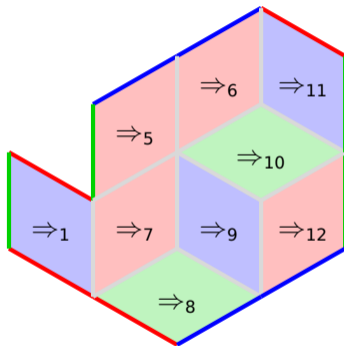


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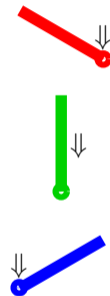
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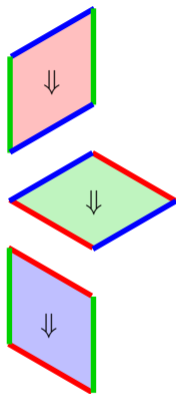


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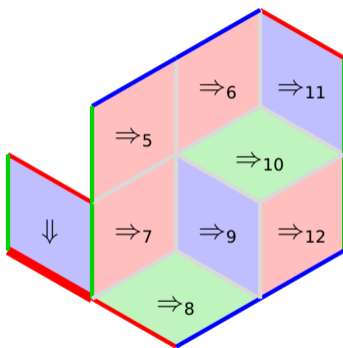


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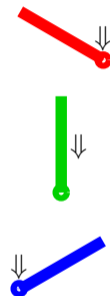
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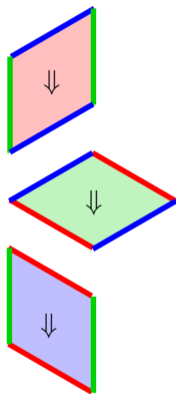


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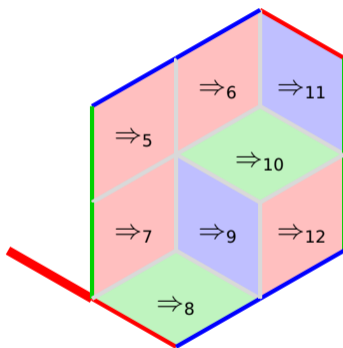


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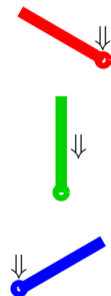
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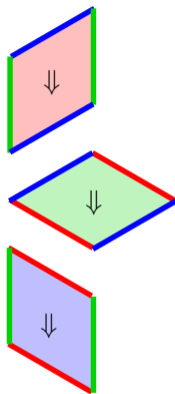


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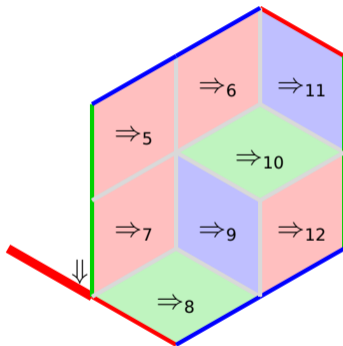


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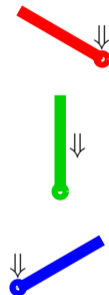
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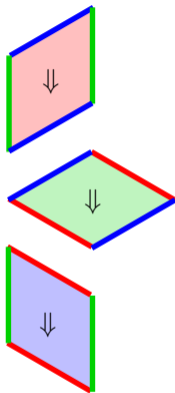


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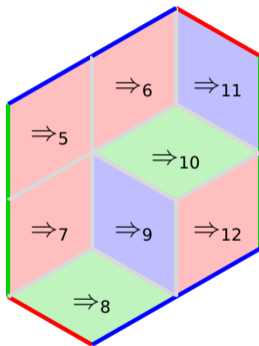


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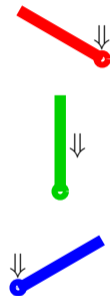
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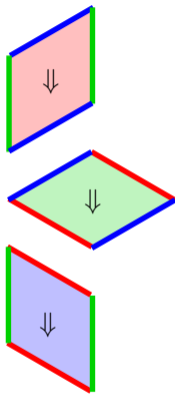


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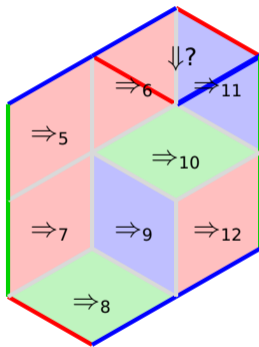


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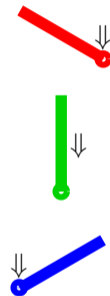
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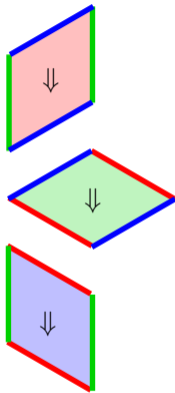


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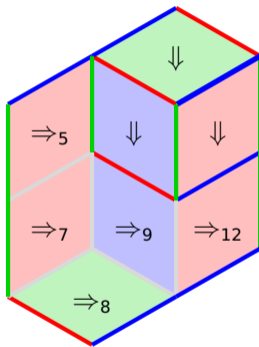
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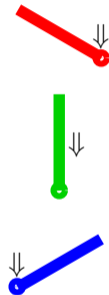


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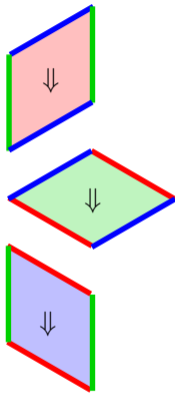


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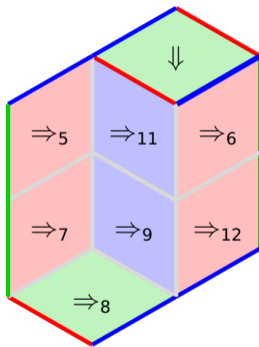


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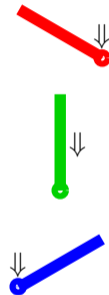
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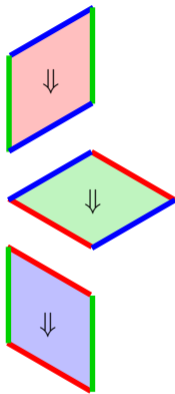


zap step compatible with \Rightarrow

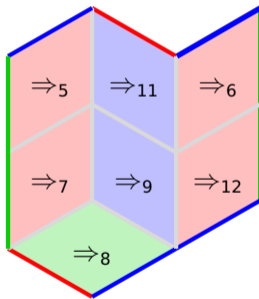


trivial zap rules

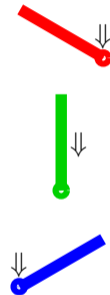
(4) local undercutting



zap rules

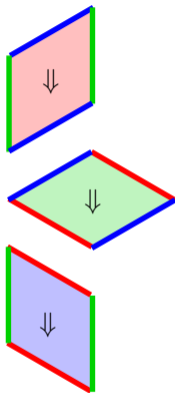


foliage

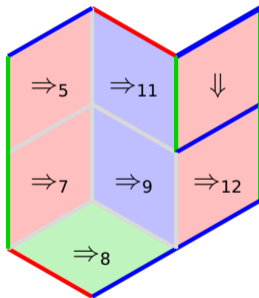


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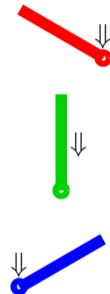
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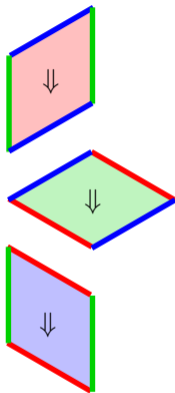


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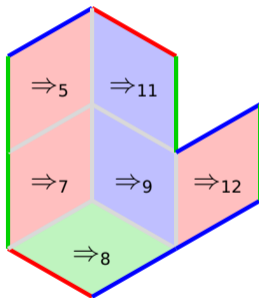


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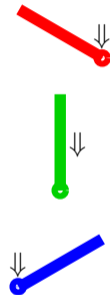
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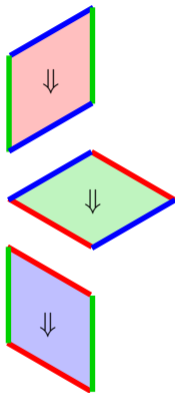


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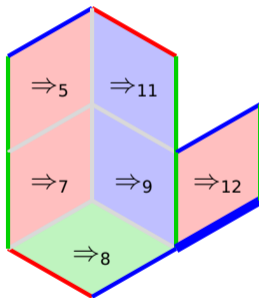


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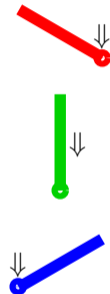
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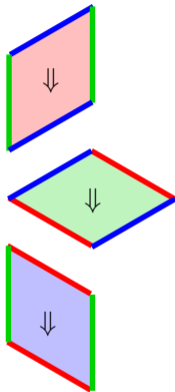


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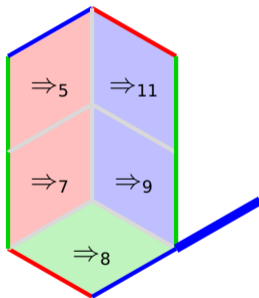


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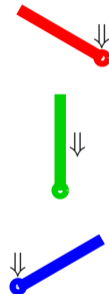
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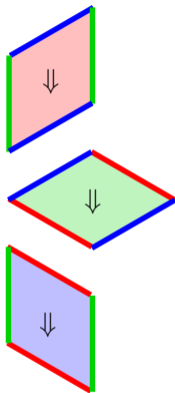


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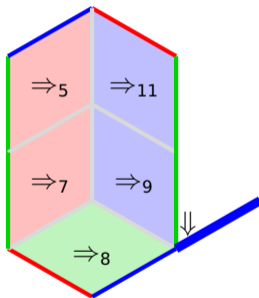


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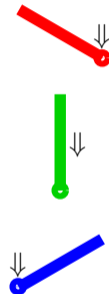
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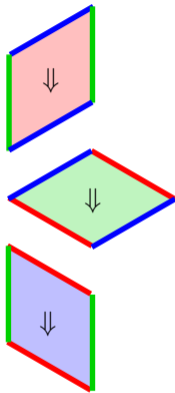


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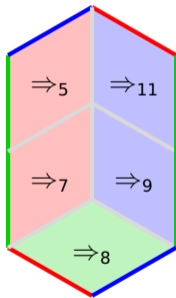


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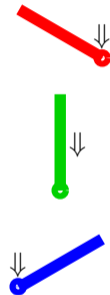
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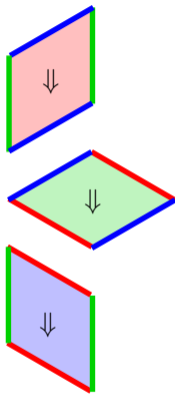


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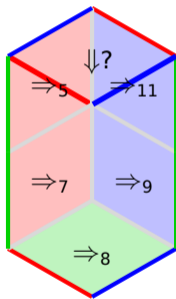


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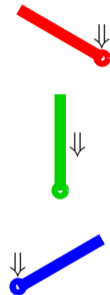
(4) local undercutting



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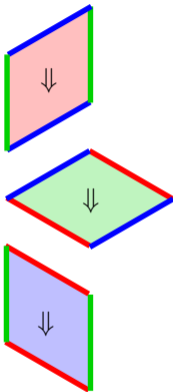


zap step incompatible with \Rightarrow

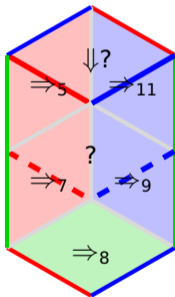


trivial zap rules

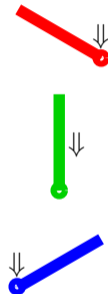
(4) local undercutting



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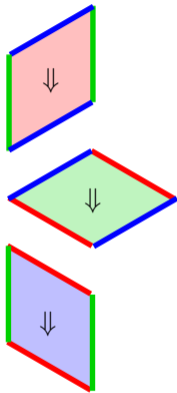


no **local** undercutting yet

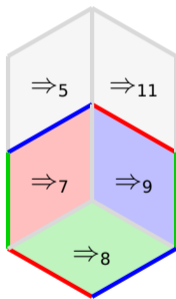


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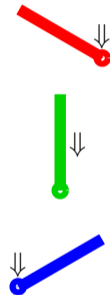
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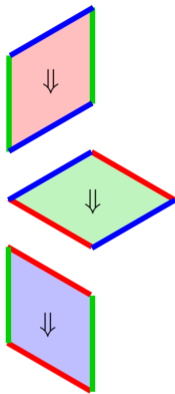


subfoliage

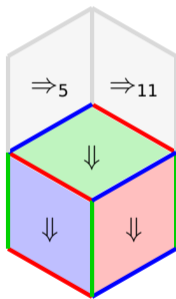


trivial zap rules

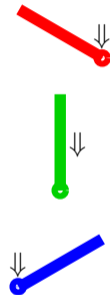
(4) local undercutting



zap rules

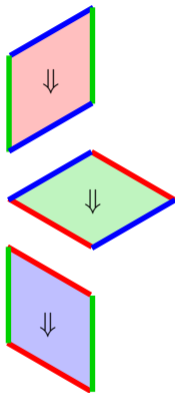


zap steps by IH for subfoliage

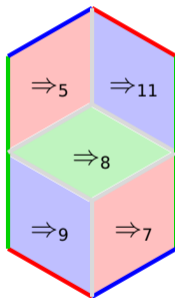


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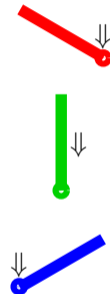
(4) local undercutting



zap rules

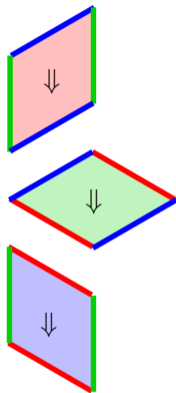


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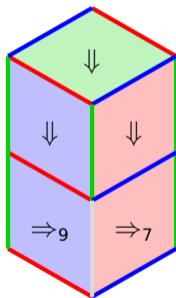


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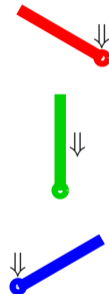
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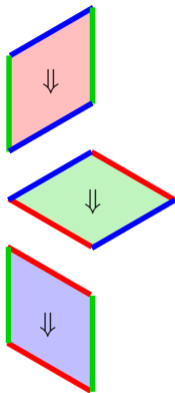


\Downarrow locally undercuts \Rightarrow

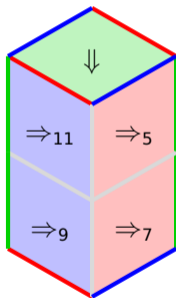


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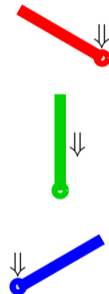
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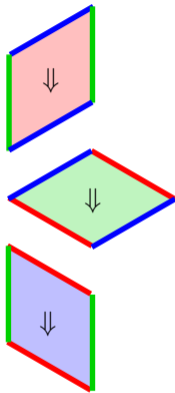


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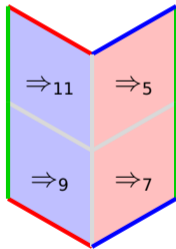


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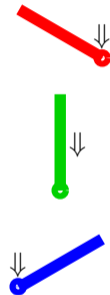
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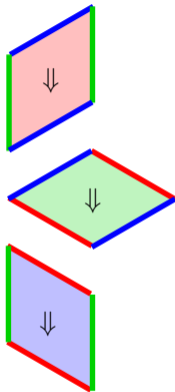


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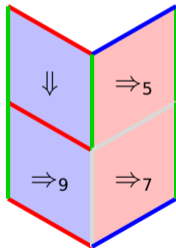


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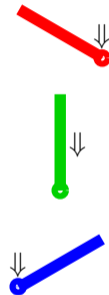
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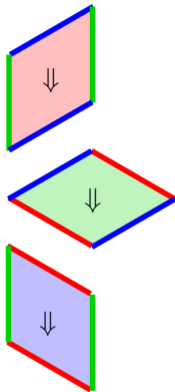


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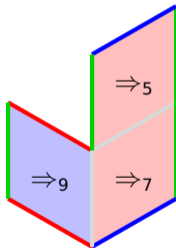


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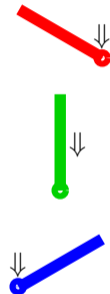
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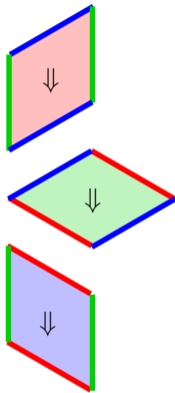


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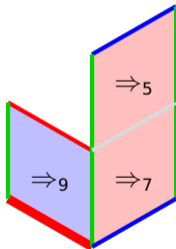


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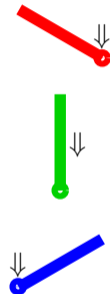
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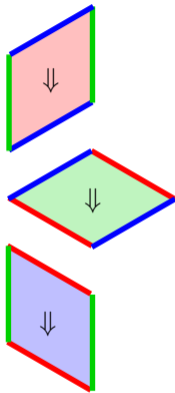


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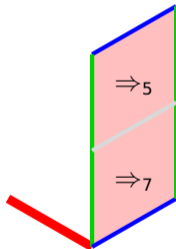


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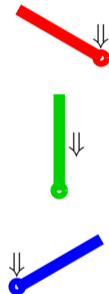
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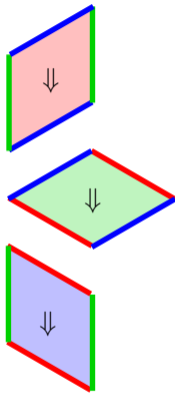


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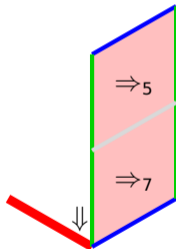


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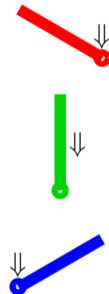
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zap rules

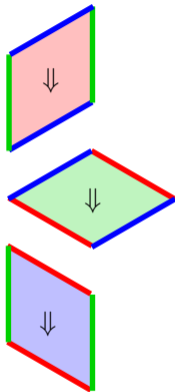


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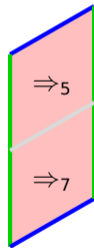


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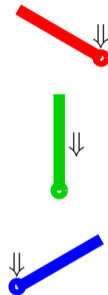
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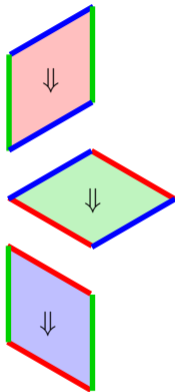


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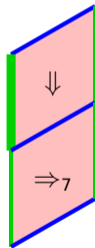


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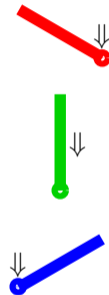
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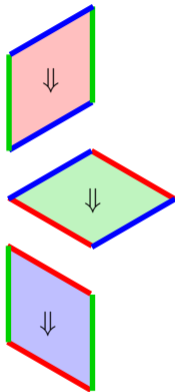


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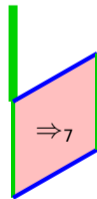


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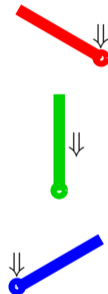
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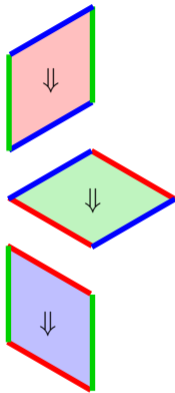


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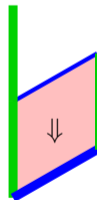


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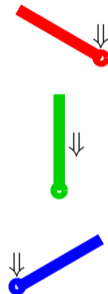
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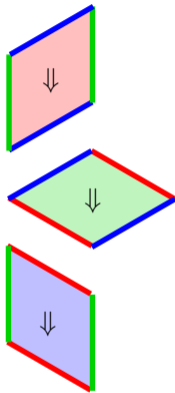


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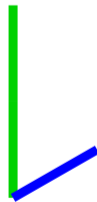


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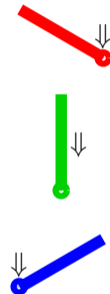
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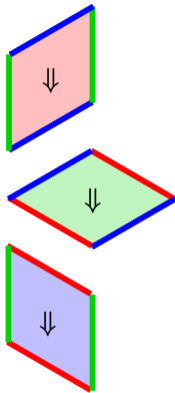


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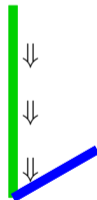


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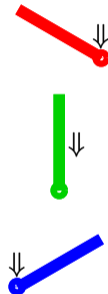
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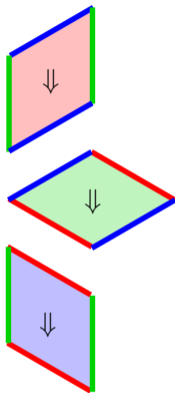


3 trivial zap steps



trivial zap rules

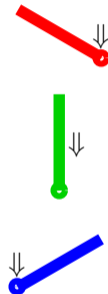
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zap rules

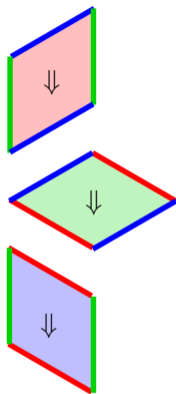


empty foliage

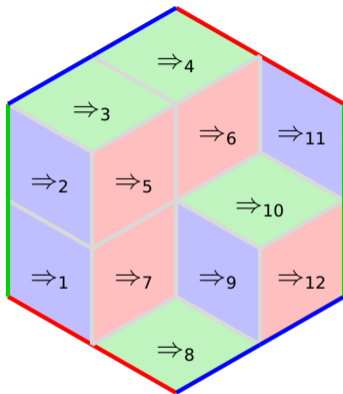


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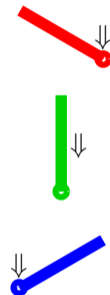
(4) local undercutting; from \Rightarrow -filling to \Downarrow -projection



zap rules

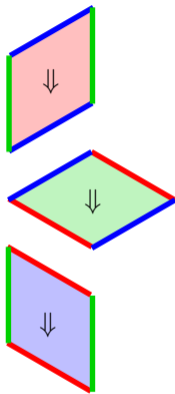


from \Rightarrow -filling

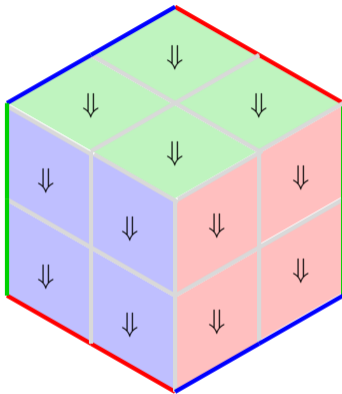


trivial zap rules

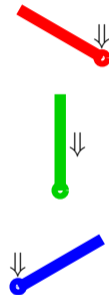
(4) local undercutting; from \Rightarrow -filling to \Downarrow -projection



zap rules



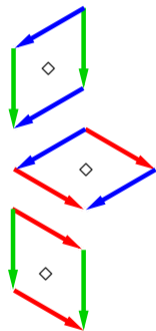
to \Downarrow -projection with same spectrum



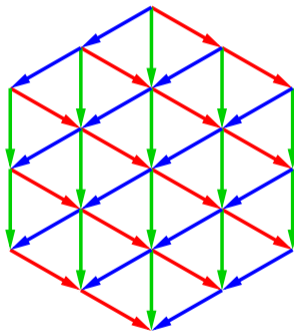
trivial zap rules

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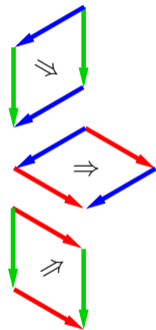
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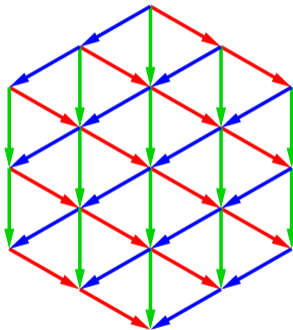
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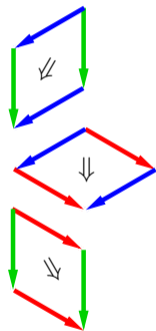
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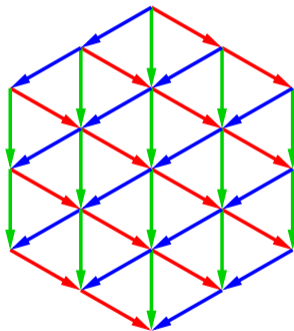
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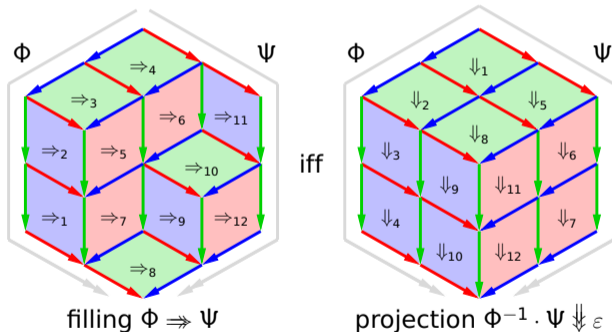
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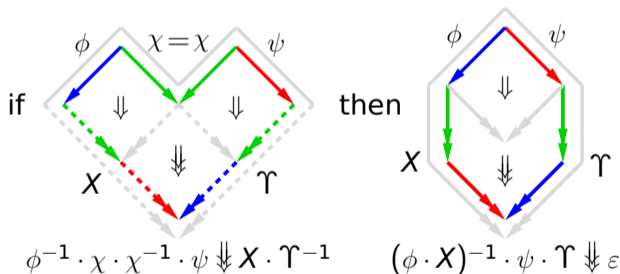
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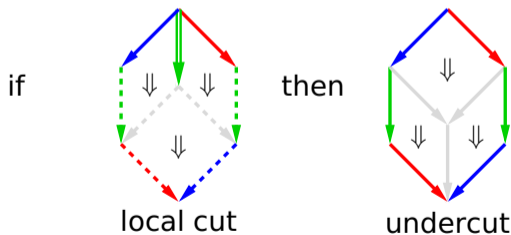


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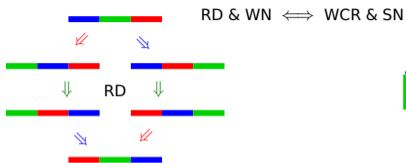
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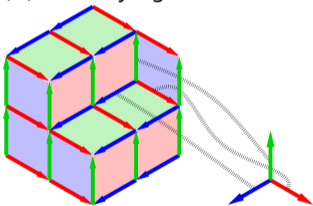
zapping, contracting conversion cycles to a loop, goes back to Newman 42 it is a basic tool for e.g. Finite Derivation Types (Squier 87), Garside theory (Dehornoy et al. 15), homotopy type theory (Kraus & von Raumer 23), and polygraphs (the 'polybook', Ara et al. 25)

(1) random descent



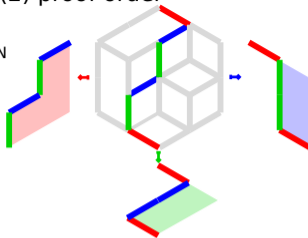
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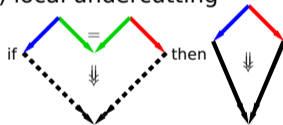
big brick as unique normal form of **beds**

(2) proof order



typed involutive monoids for conversions

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common multiple \implies **least** common multiple

upperbound \implies **least** upperbound / emph

confluent \implies **orthogonal**

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main example: ordinals with zero, addition, less-than-or-equal

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local peaks completable to same weight \iff *peak random descent (PR)*:

$\text{NF} \ni a \overset{*}{\leftarrow}_n \cdot \overset{\circ}{\rightarrow}_\mu b \implies \exists k. a \overset{*}{\leftarrow}_k b \ \& \ k + \mu = n$

(*peak of reductions to nf* \implies *reductions same weight*)

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λI is the original **non-erasing** λ -calculus where $x \in FV(M)$ for all $\lambda x.M$

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intuition: because β is non-erasing in λI it makes terms **larger**
but does not quite work, e.g. $(\lambda x.x x) (\lambda x.x x)$ β -reduces to itself

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(weight of no reduction exceeds that of one to normal form, so SN) □

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for every object there exists (SN) a unique (CR) normal form; \rightarrow models **function**

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assign weights by topological sorting starting from normal forms □

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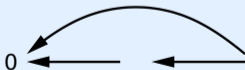
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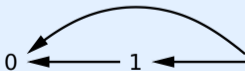
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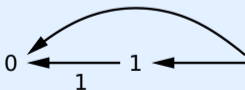
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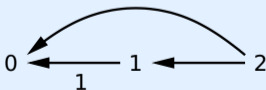
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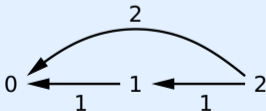
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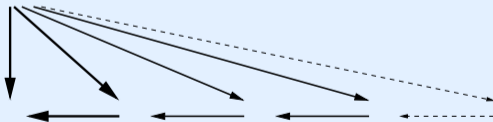
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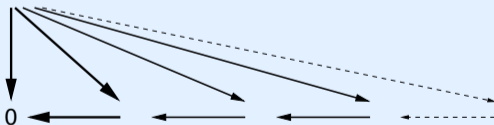
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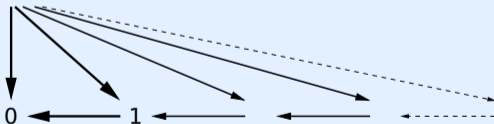
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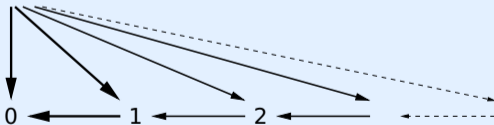
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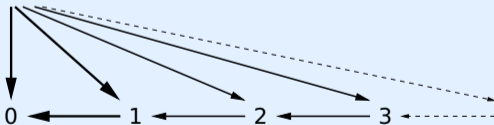
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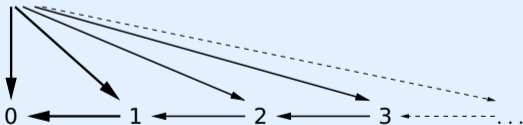
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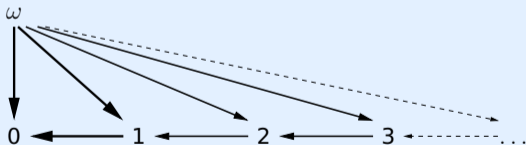
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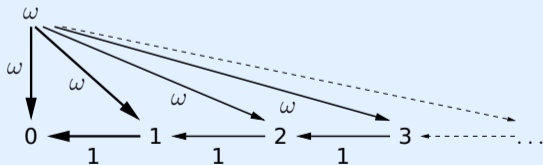
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WCR by orthogonality, WN by strategy (Turing), but INC?? (erasing!)

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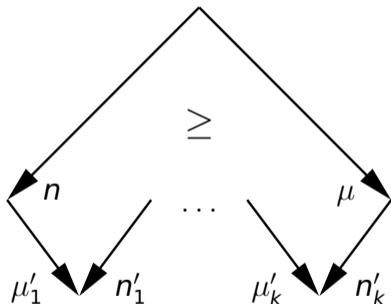
+ **commutative, cancellative**; then $\text{RD} \iff \text{locally Dyck}$ (Toyama,  2016)

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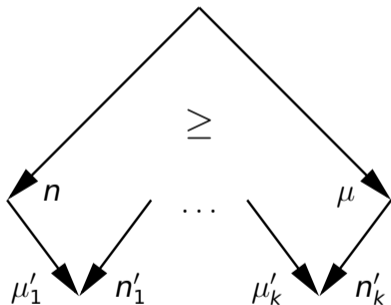
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(WN systems) complete iff *locally Dyck* for *some* measure

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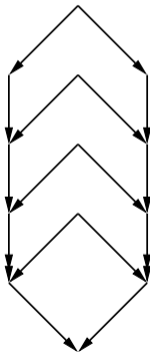


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Example (\Downarrow 2008)

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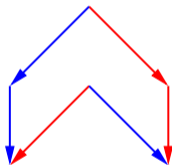


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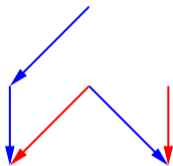
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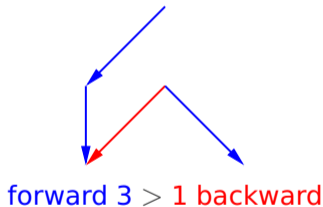
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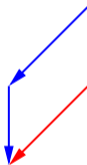


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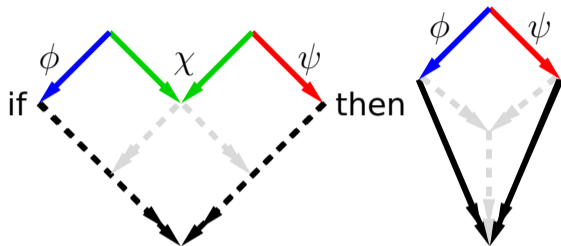
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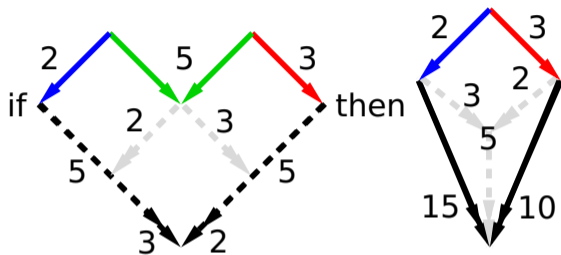
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Local undercutting / semi-lattice



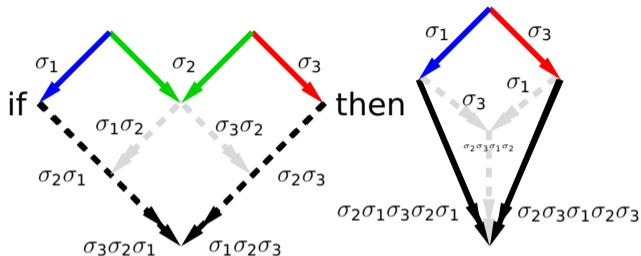
LSL for least upperbounds



Example (positive natural numbers with multiplication)

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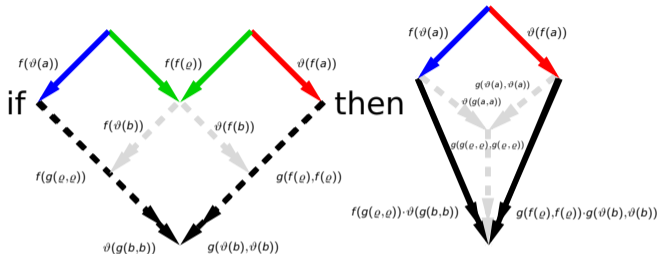
Example (positive braids; Dehornoy et al. 15, Example II.4.20)

$\sigma_1 \sigma_2 \sigma_1 \sigma_3 \sigma_2 \sigma_1$ is a **common multiple** of $\text{lcm}(\sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ and $\text{lcm}(\sigma_2, \sigma_3)$

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Example (orthogonal TRSs; Terese 03, Figure 8.53)

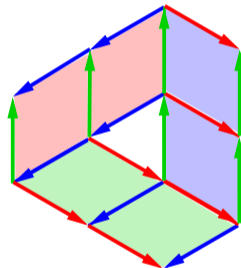
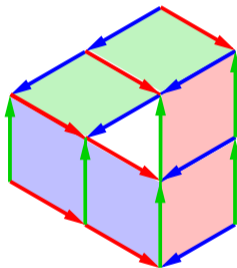
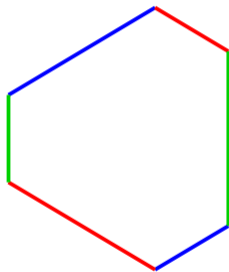
$g(g(b,b), g(b,b))$ is a **common reduct** of $f(\vartheta(a))^{-1} \cdot f(f(\rho))$ and $f(f(\rho))^{-1} \cdot \vartheta(f(a))$ is so too of $f(\vartheta(a))^{-1} \cdot \vartheta(f(a))$ obtained by cutting $f(f(\rho))$ (for OTRS rules $\rho : a \rightarrow b$ and $\vartheta : f(x) \rightarrow g(x)$)

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