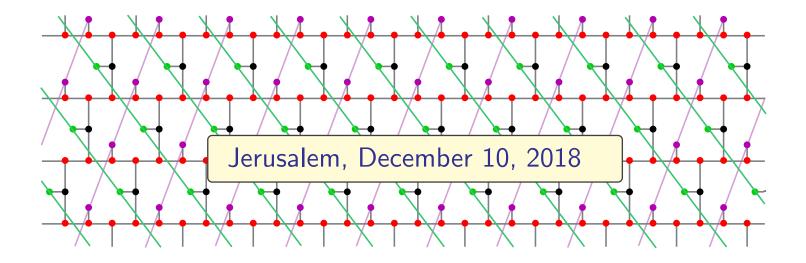
# Mutations of non-integer quivers: finite mutation type

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(joint works with Pavel Tumarkin and Philipp Lampe)



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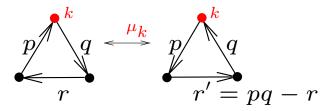
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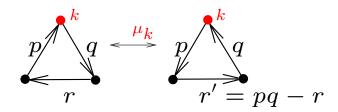
- Why: Philipp Lampe, On the approximate periodicity of sequences attached to noncrystallographic root systems, To appear in Experimental Mathematics (2018).
  - Integer finite type contains types A, B, C, D, E, F .... but not  $H_3$ ,  $H_4$ !
  - Geometric realization of acyclic mutation classes by partial reflections allow non-integer values.

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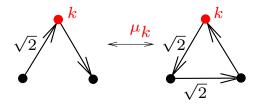


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Theorem. (Barot, Geiss, Zelevinsky'06; Seven'15)

For integer quivers (but also for real ones in rank 3):

The values  $\langle v_i, v_j \rangle$  change under mutations in the same way as the weights of the arrows in Q.

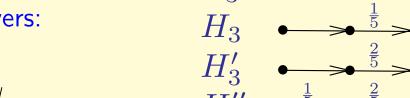
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**Theorem** [FT'16]. Any mutation-finite rank 3 quiver is mutation-equivalent to one of

- Markov quiver:Finite type quivers:



Affine quivers:



$$\frac{1}{n}$$

(Here, a label  $\frac{k}{m}$  stays for the weight  $|b_{ij}|=2\cos\frac{k\pi}{m}$ .)

All mut. finite (but Markov) mutation classes have geometric realisation by reflections.

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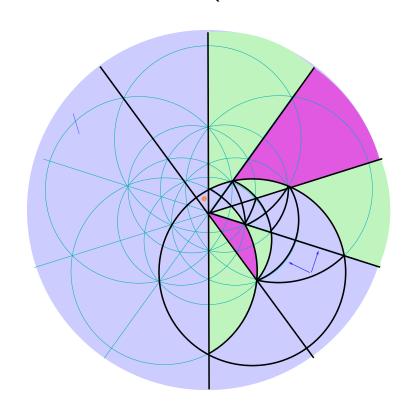
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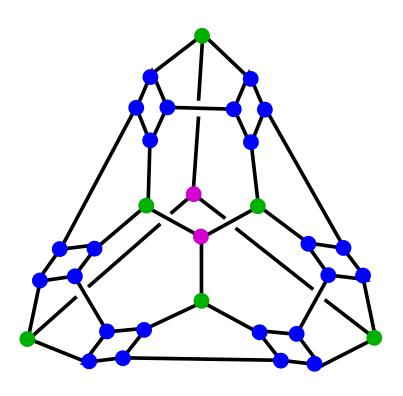
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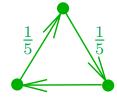
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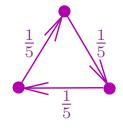
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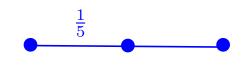




(cf. generalised associahedron in Fomin - Reading)

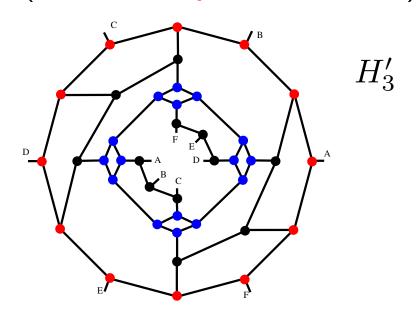


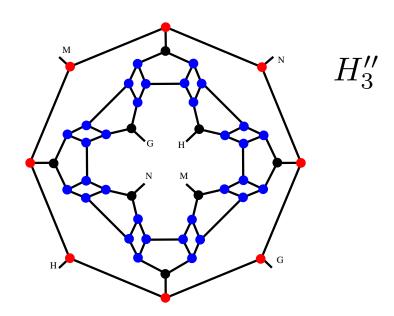




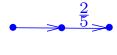
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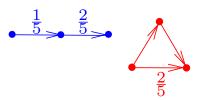




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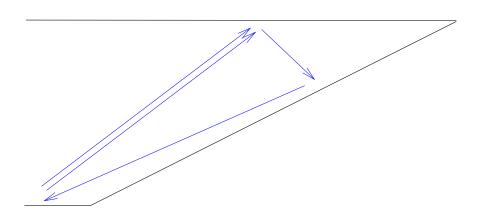






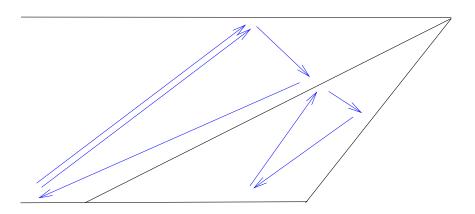
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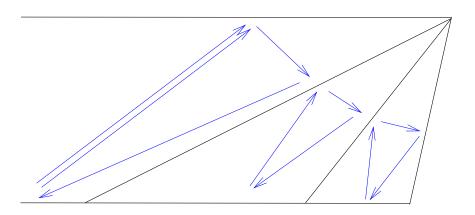
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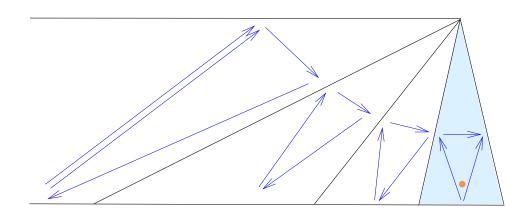
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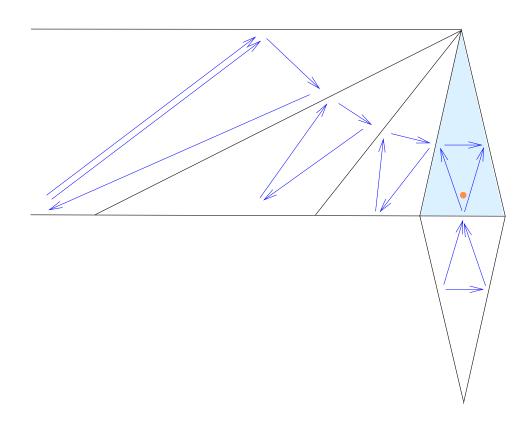
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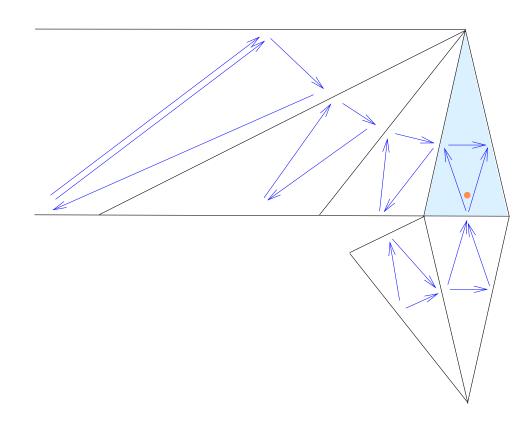
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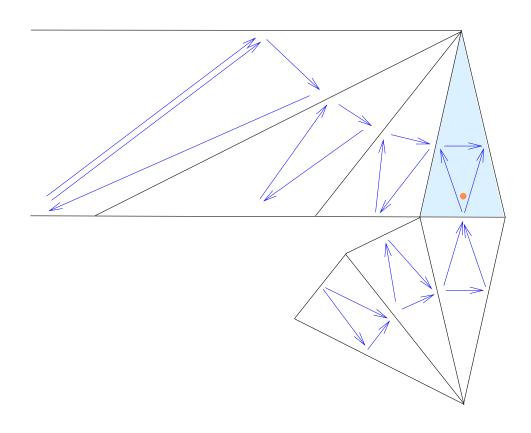
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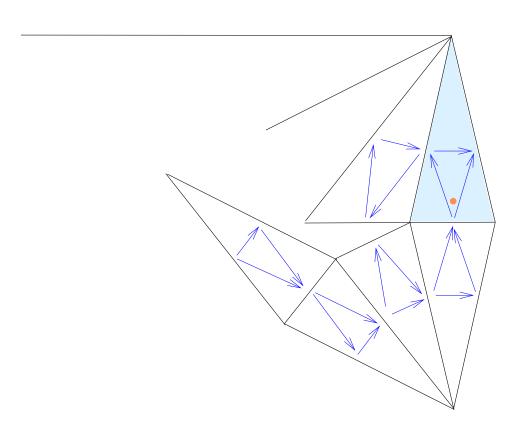
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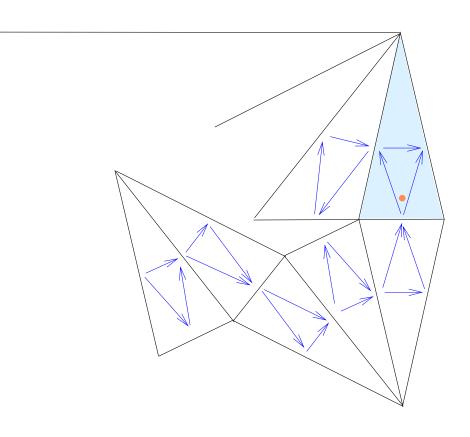
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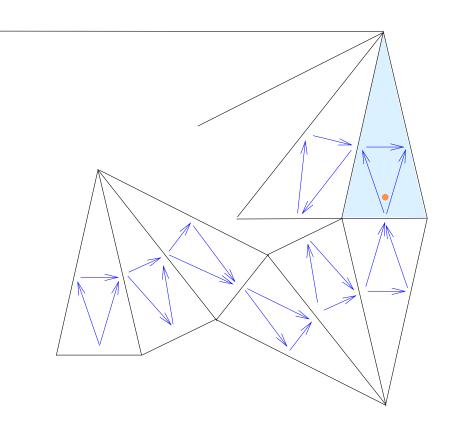
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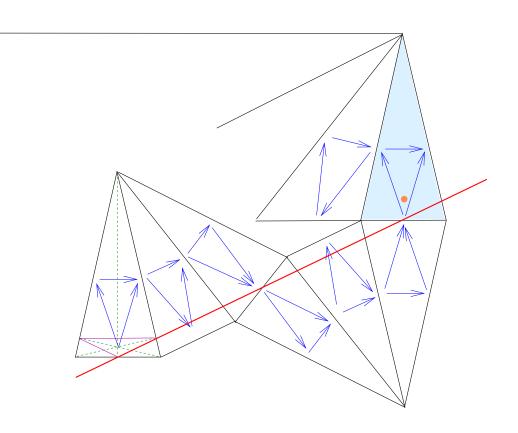
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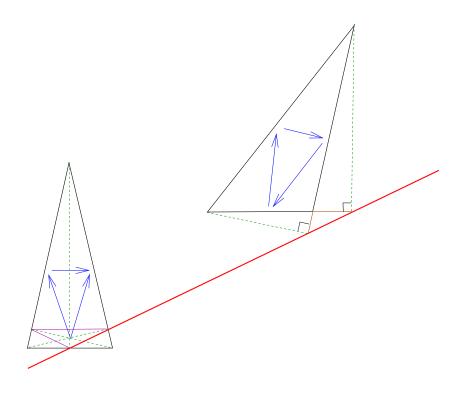
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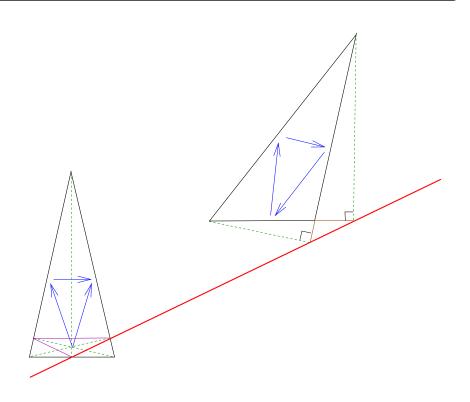
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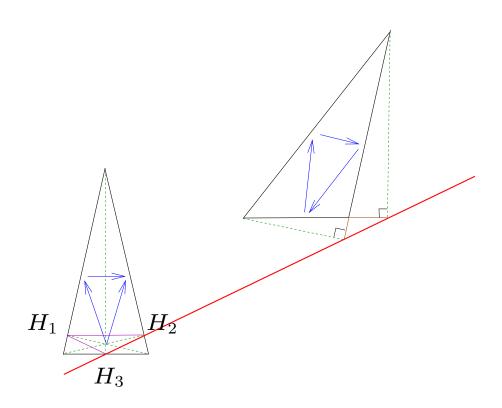


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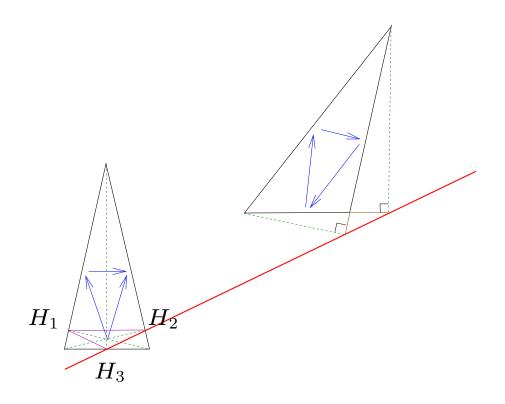
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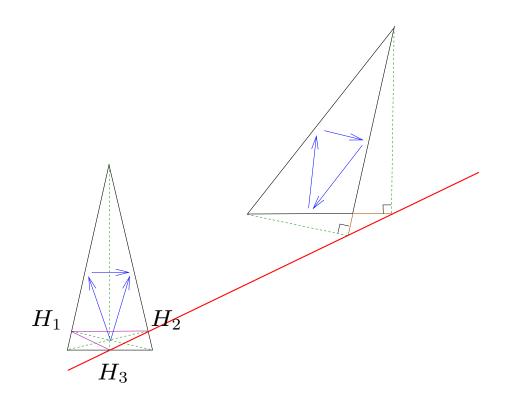
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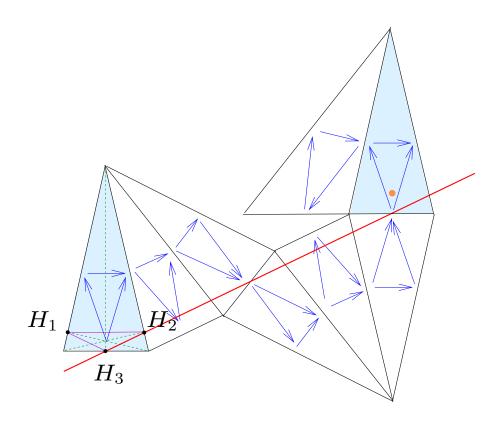
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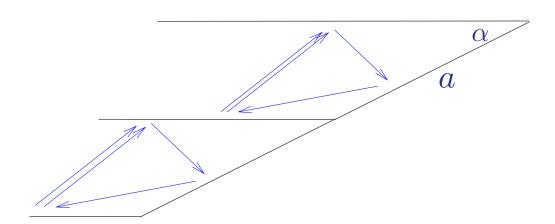
- $T(\Delta) = \frac{1}{2}(|H_1H_2| + |H_2H_3| + |H_3H_1|)$
- $4T(\Delta) = \text{shift along the belt line}$ (in every acyclic belt)



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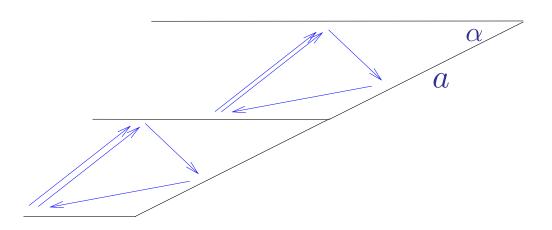


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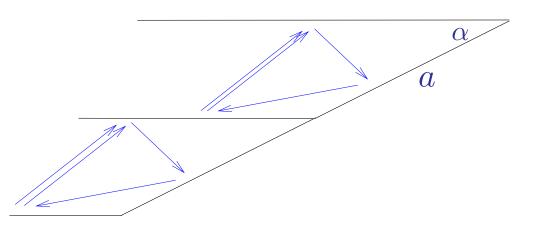
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• If  $\alpha = \frac{\pi}{d}$ , then we have shifts:

$$4T, \frac{T}{\sin^2(\pi/d)}, \frac{T}{\sin^2(2\pi/d)}, \frac{T}{\sin^2(3\pi/d)}, \dots$$



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## Theorem. [FL'2018]

Let Q be an affine type rank 3 mutation-finite quiver. Then the exchange graph of Q grows polynomially and is quasi-isometric to some lattice L.

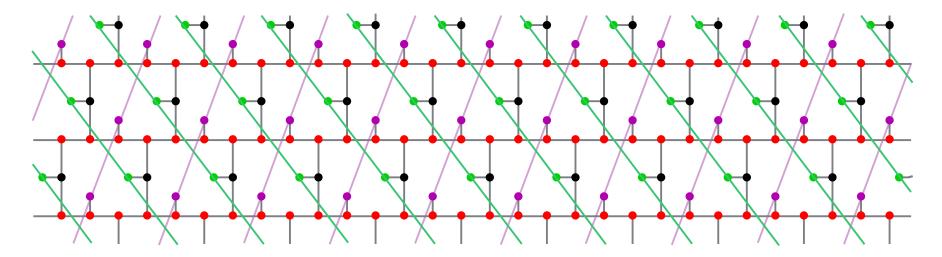
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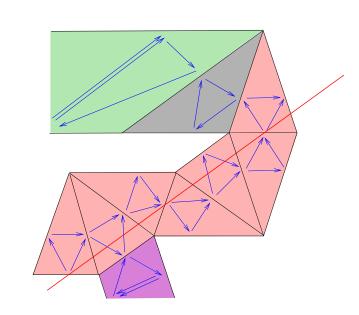
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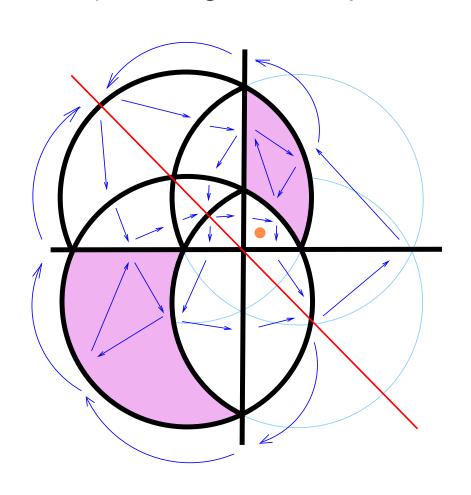
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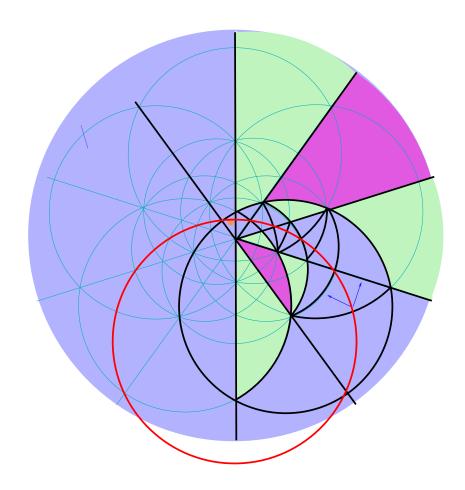


### Rank 3 - affine type

from here: joint with Philipp Lampe

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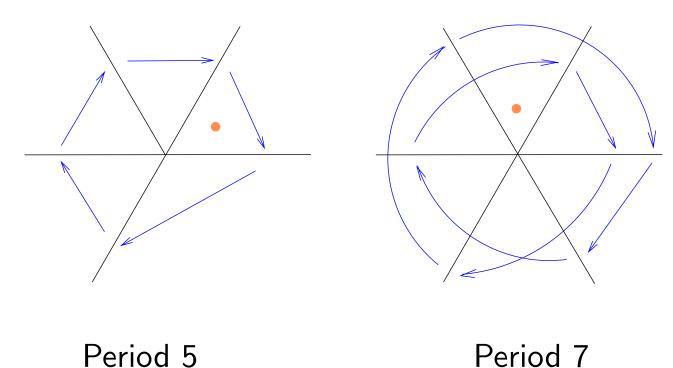
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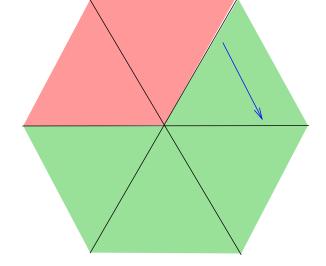
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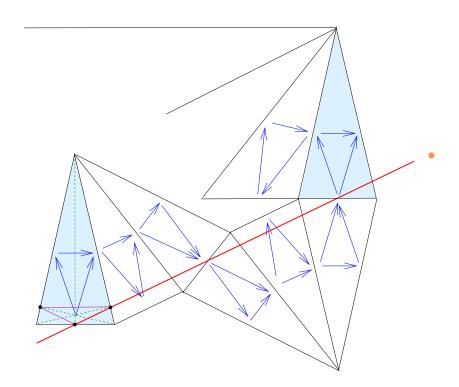
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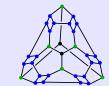
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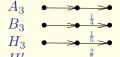
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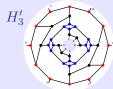
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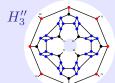


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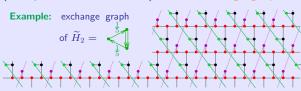
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• Mutation class has a GR if GR of quivers commute with mutations.

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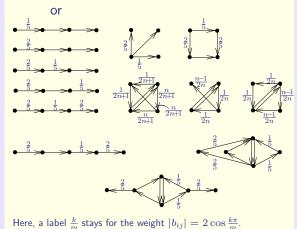
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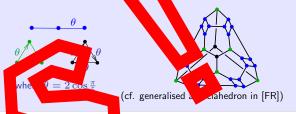
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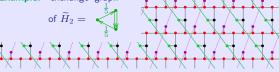
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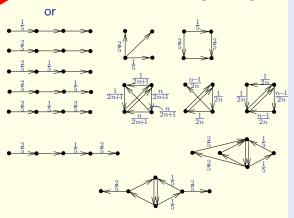
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