

Growth diagrams, local rules and beyond (part II)

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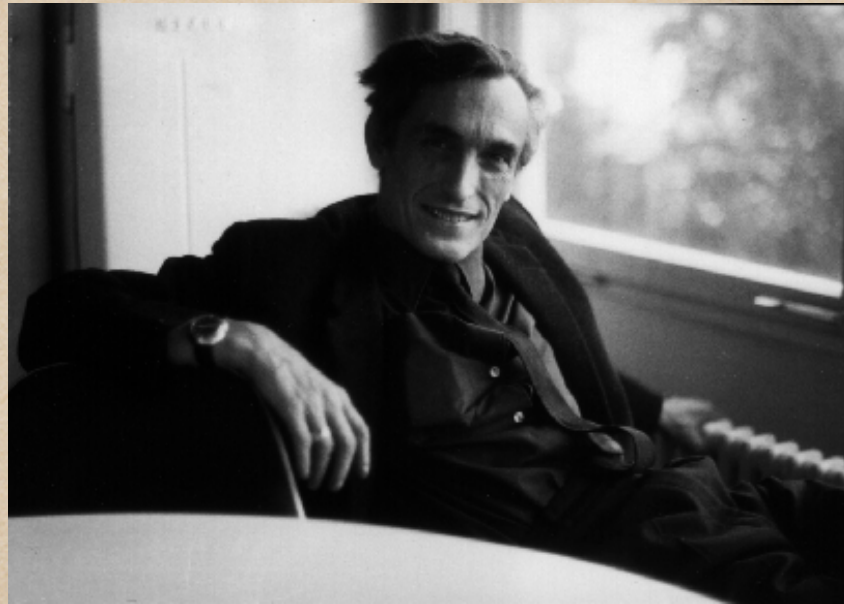
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Jeu de taquin

M.P. Schützenberger

(1976)



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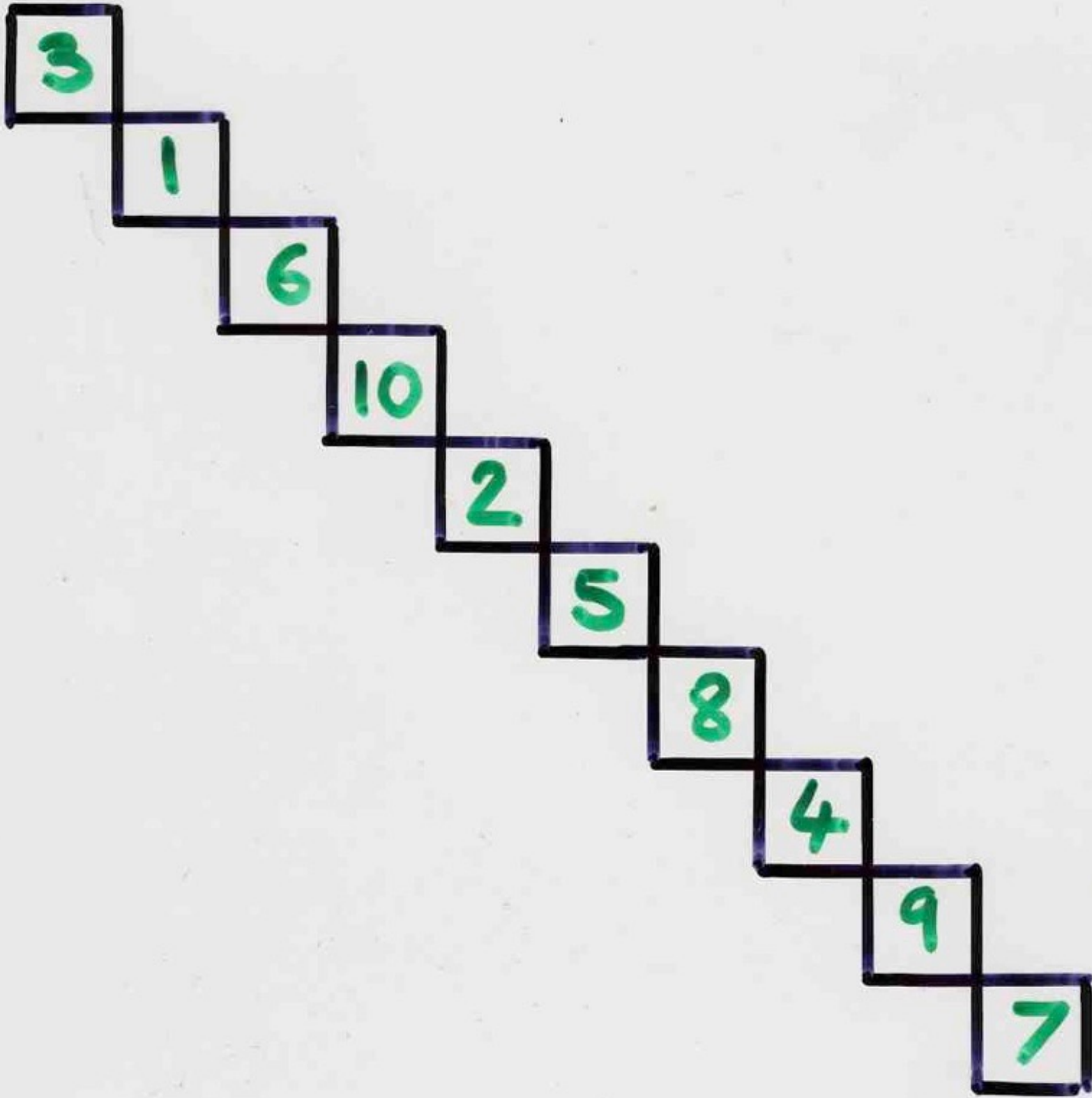
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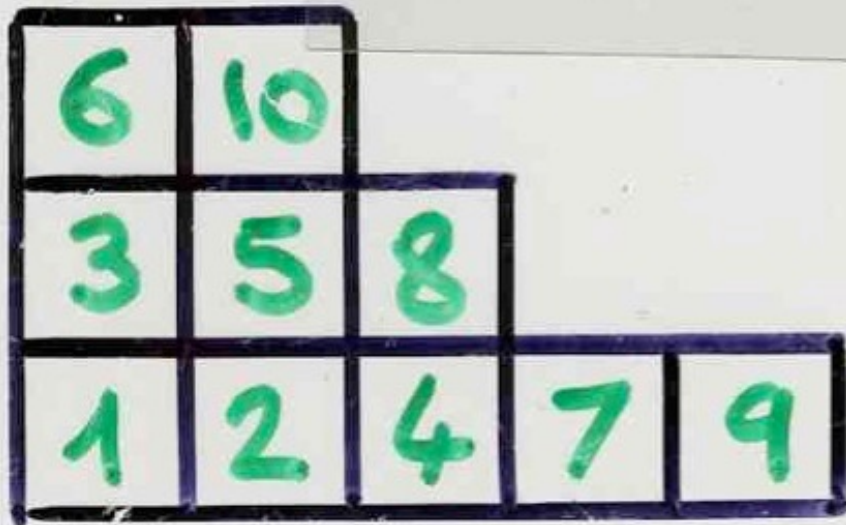
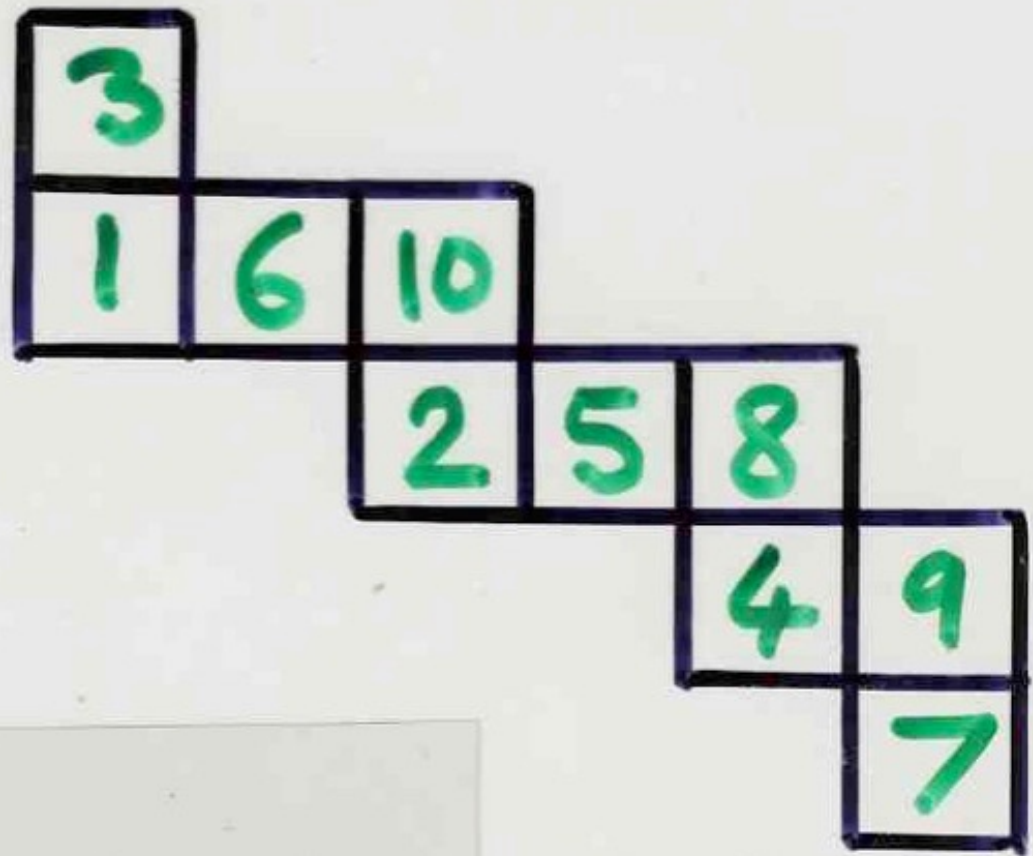
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Schur functions

and

jeu de taquin

Schur Functions

$$S_{\lambda}(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m) = \sum_{T} v(T)$$

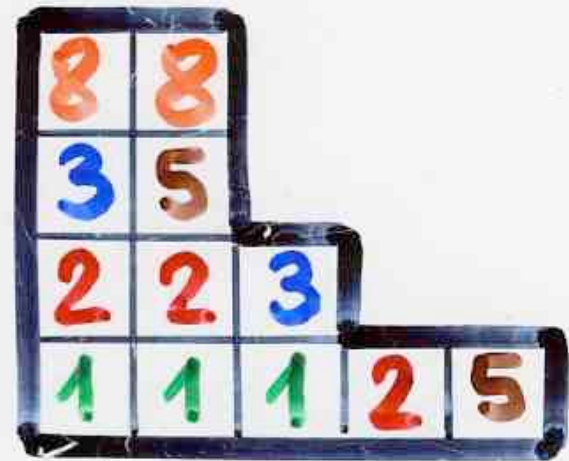
Young tableau
shape λ
entries $1, 2, \dots, m$

Jacobi (1841)

Schur (1901)

Littlewood-Richardson (1934)

basis of symmetric functions



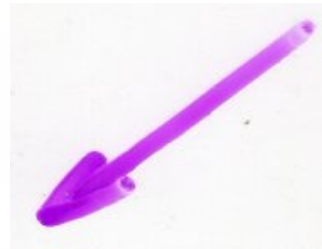
Schur functions

$$s_\lambda s_\mu = \sum_\nu g_{\lambda, \mu, \nu} s_\nu$$

$$s_\lambda(x_1, \dots, x_m)$$

Littlewood-
Richardson

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Jeu de taquin

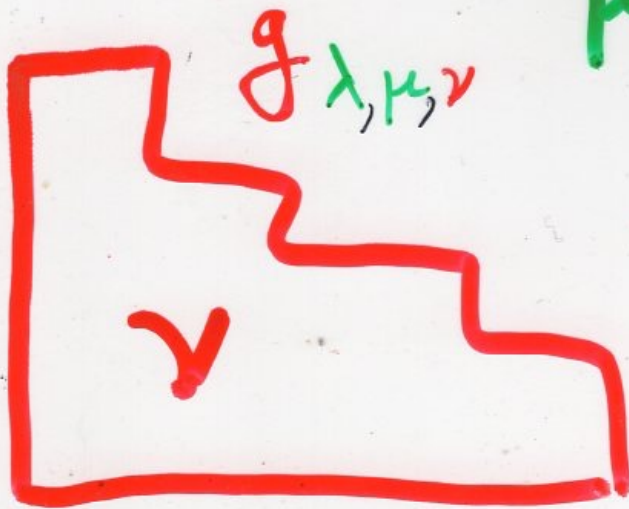
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λ



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μ



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Littlewood-Richardson
 rule (1934)
 for computing the
 coefficients $g_{\lambda, \mu, \nu}$

jeu de taquin in recent research work

- algebraic combinatorics

Pechenik, Yong (2015)

analogue of Littlewood-Richardson coefficients
in the "equivariant K-theory"
of the Grassmannian

- bijective combinatorics

Fang (2015)

- bijective proof of a character identity
(Frobenius, Murnaghan-Nakayama)

Krattenthaler (2016)

- bijection between oscillating tableaux
(Burrill conjecture)

- probabilistic combinatorics

Romik, Śniady (2015)

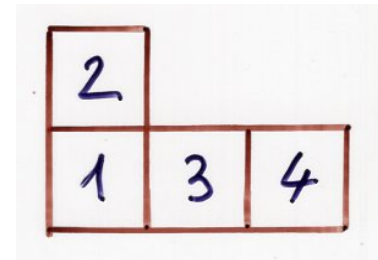
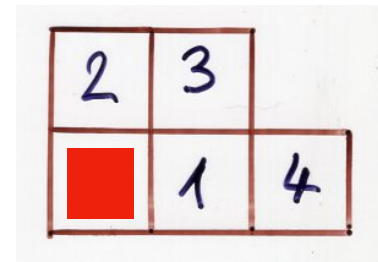
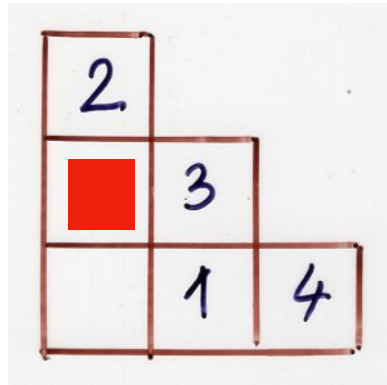
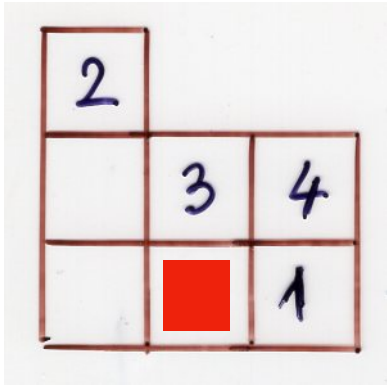
random infinite tableaux

Jeu de taquin
with growth diagrams

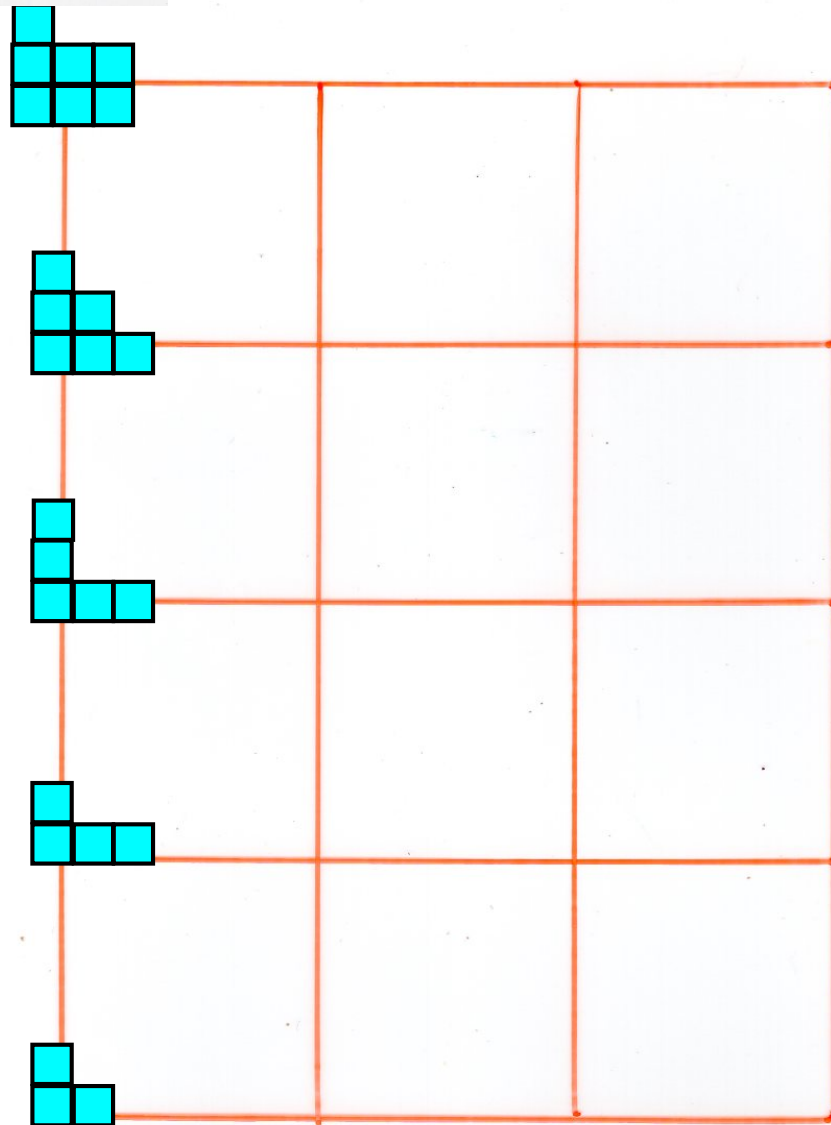
S. Fomin, 1986, 1994



Сергей Владимирович Фомин

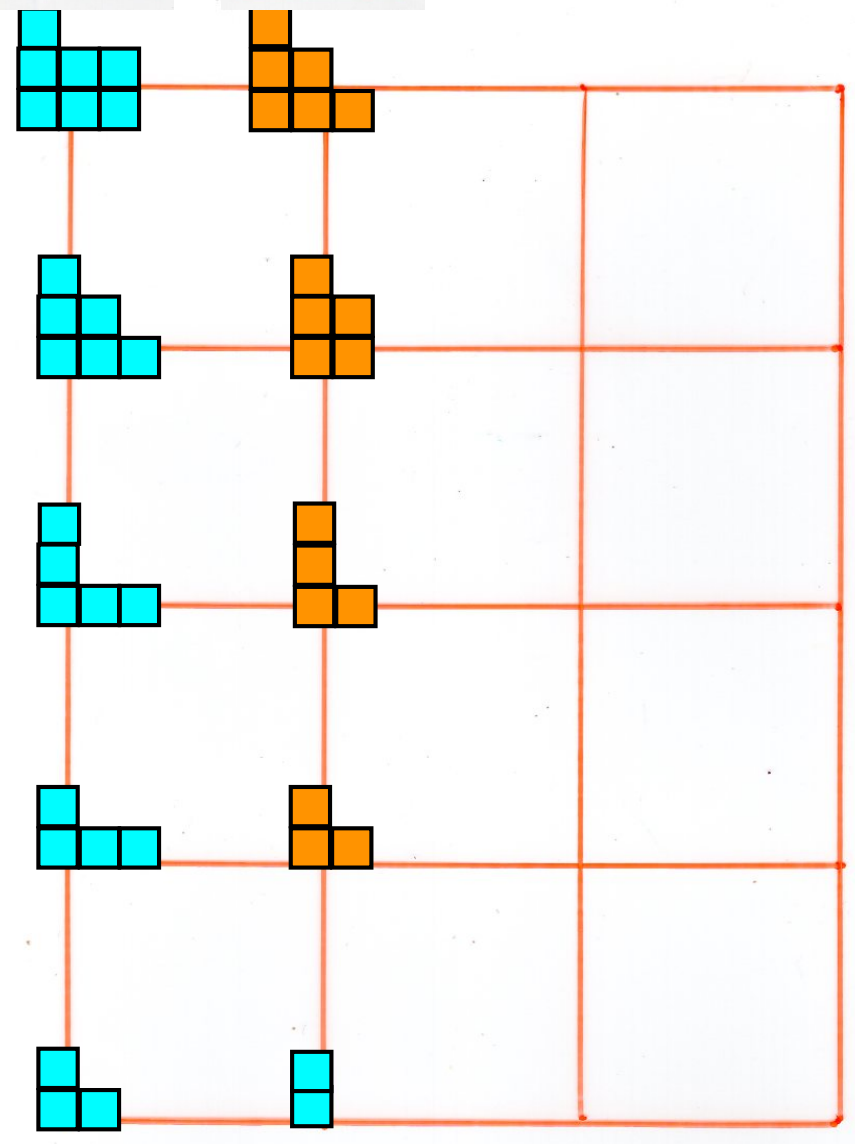


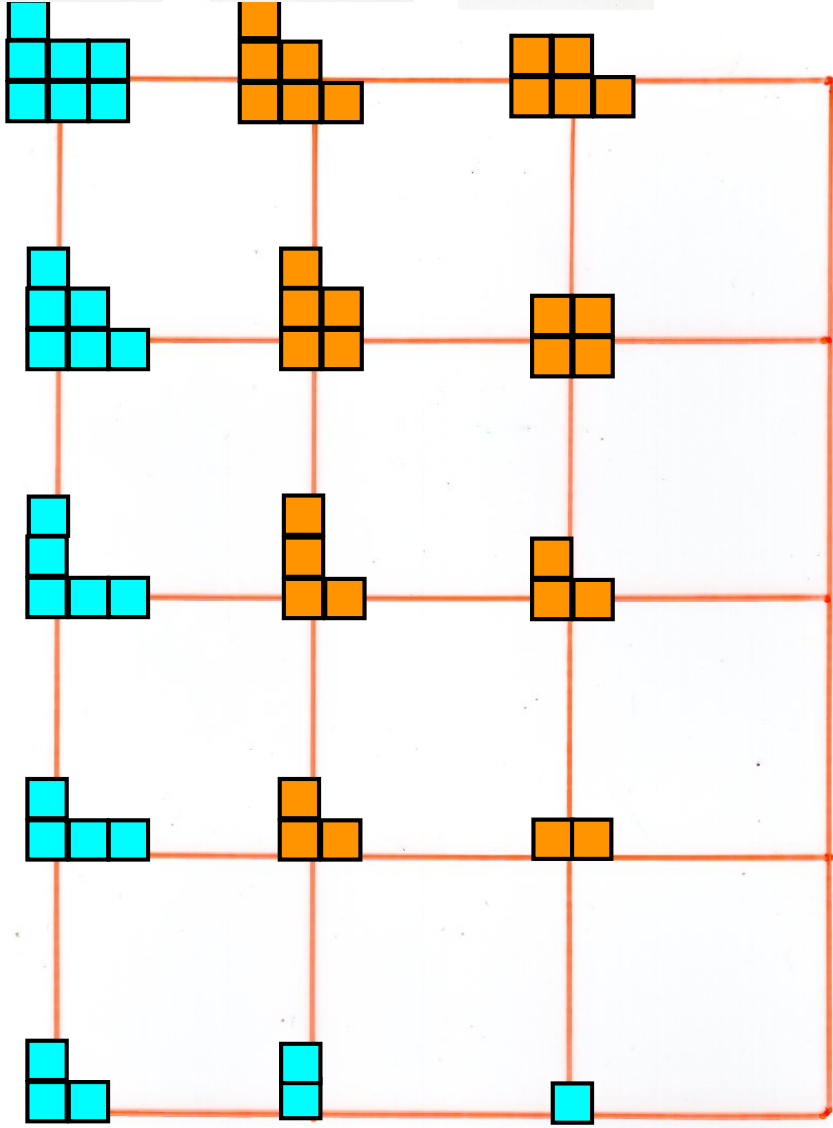
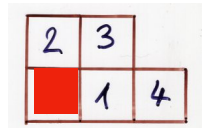
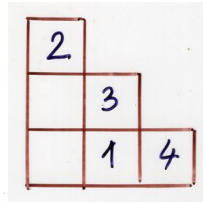
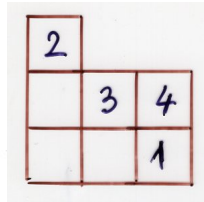
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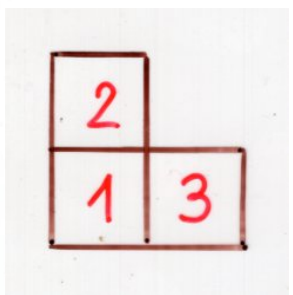
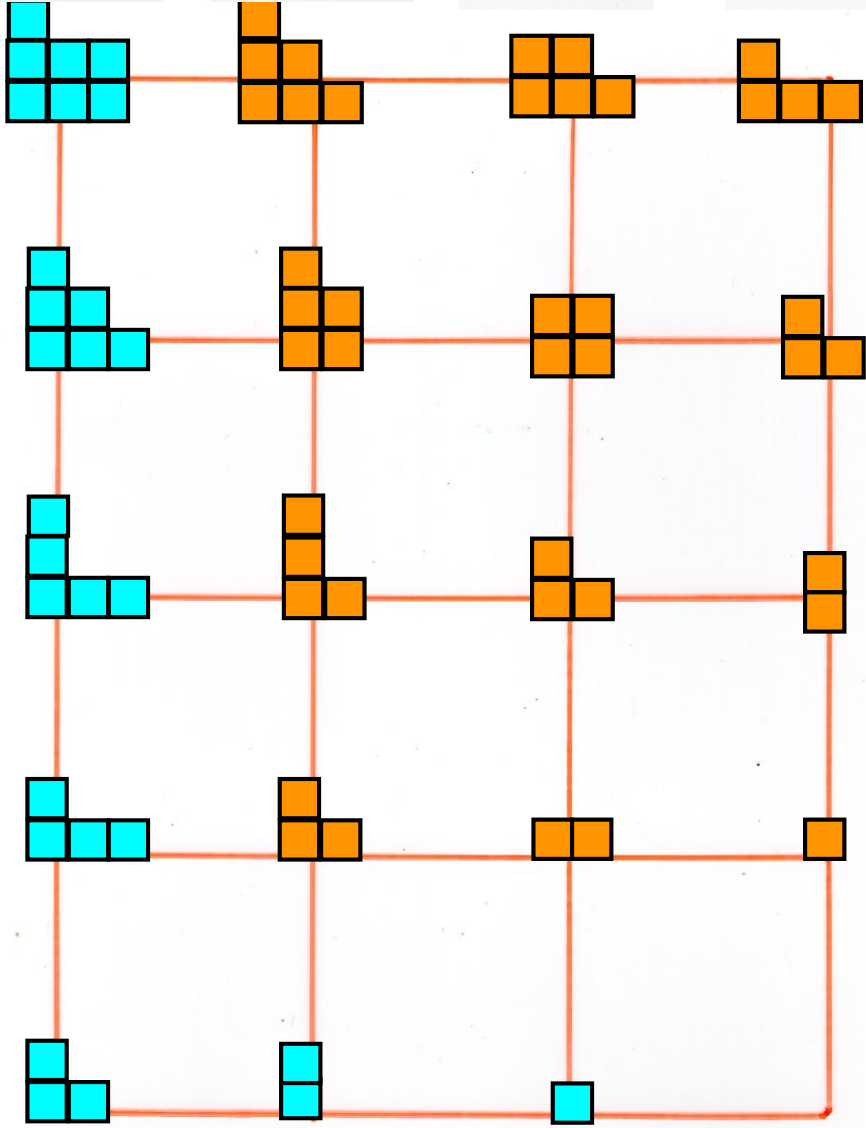
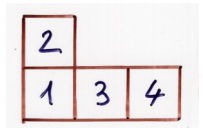
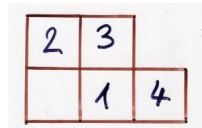
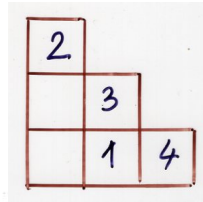
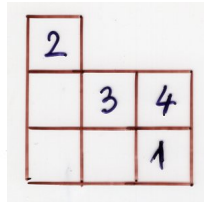


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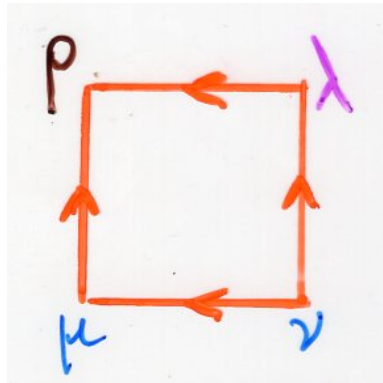




Proposition

jeu de taquin
local rules

(Fomin)



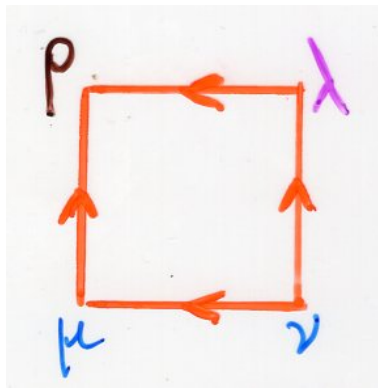
cell of the jeu de taquin
growth diagram

(ρ covers μ and λ ,
 μ and λ cover ν)

Then λ is uniquely determined from
 μ, ν, ρ by the following "local rule":

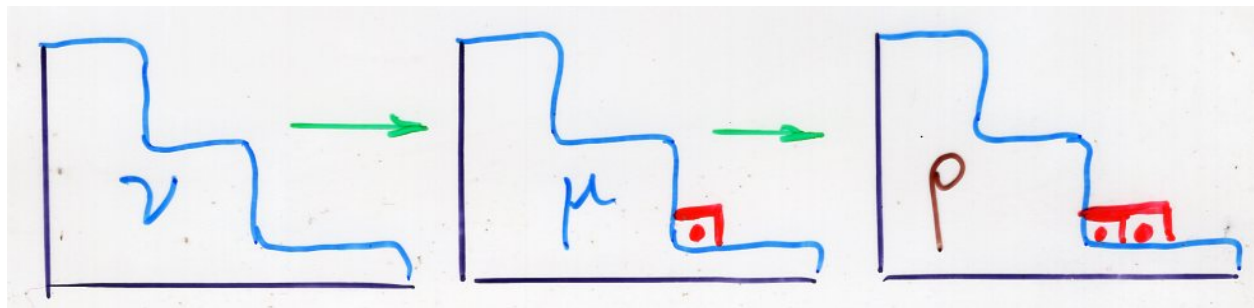
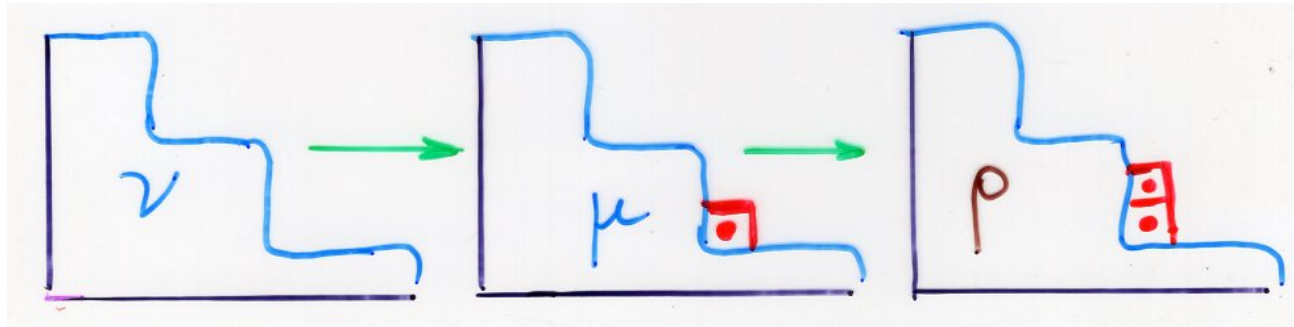
(i) • if μ is the only shape of its size
that contains ν and is contained in ρ
then $\lambda = \mu$

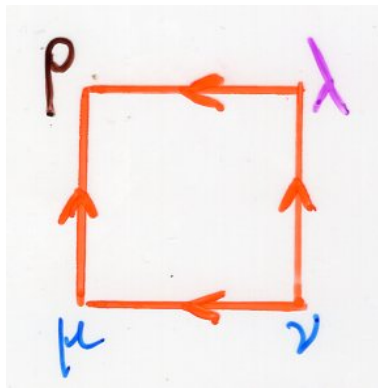
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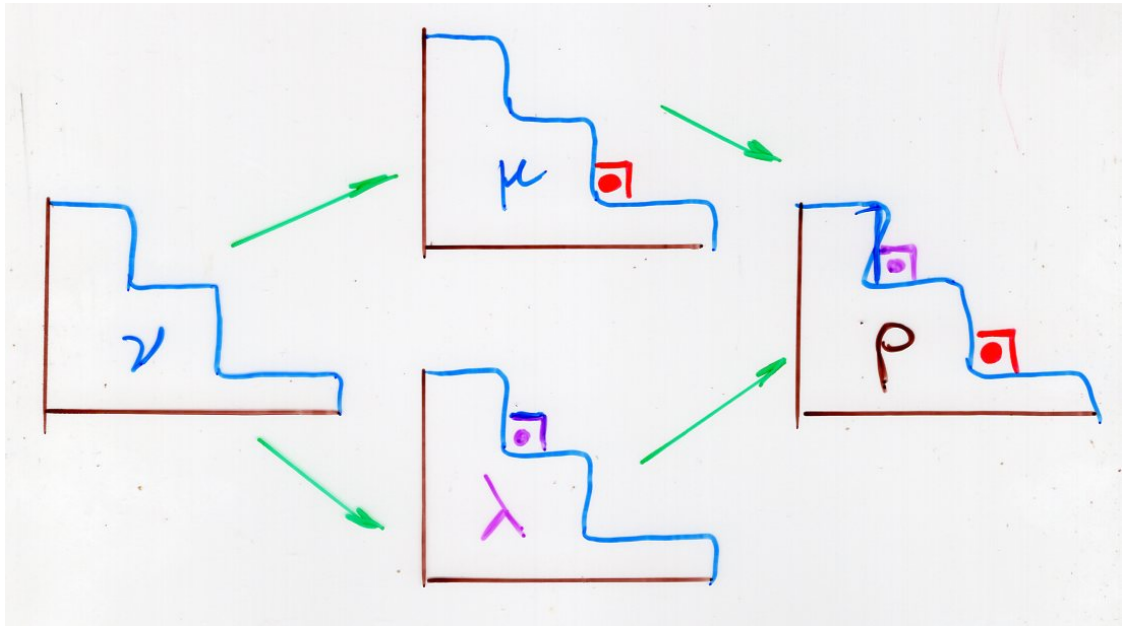
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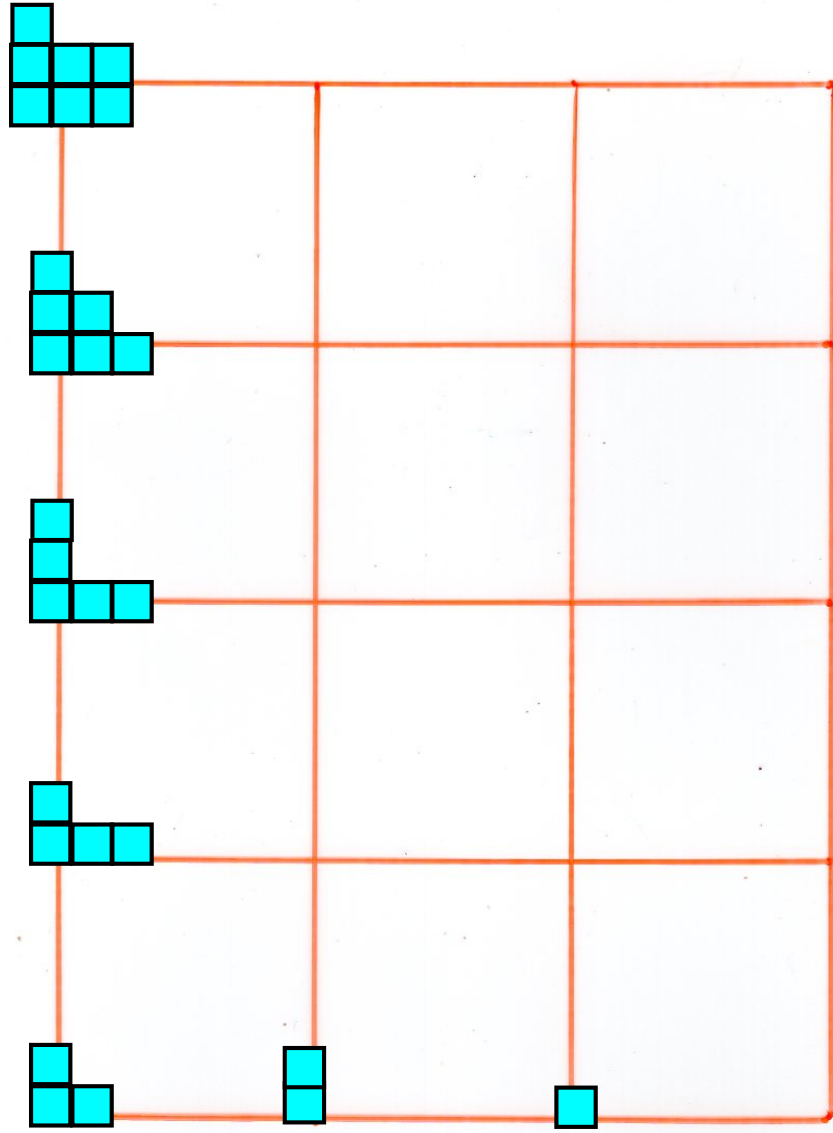


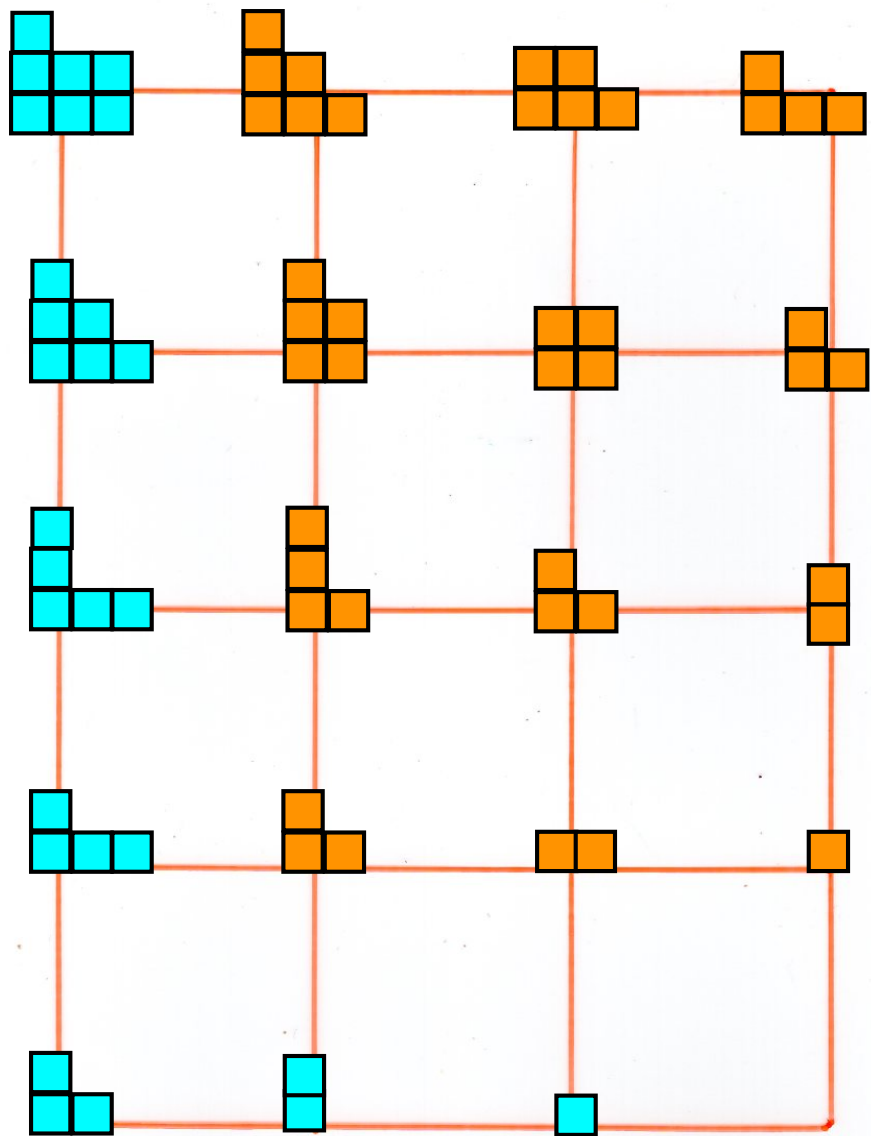


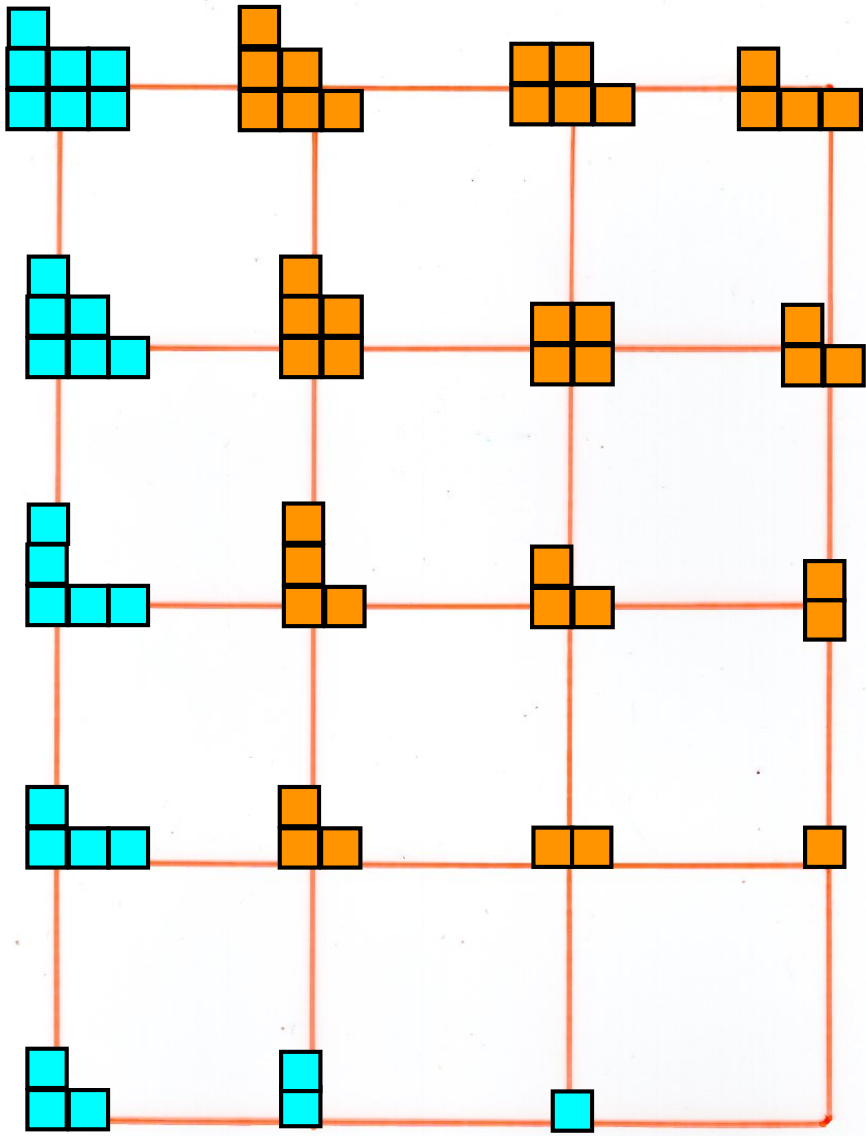
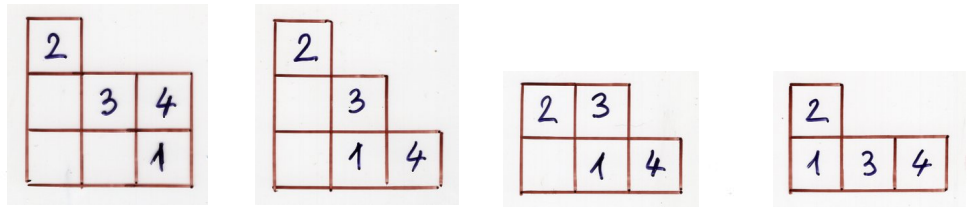
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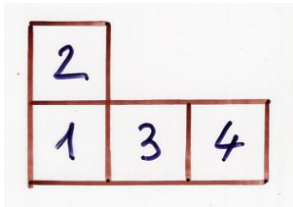




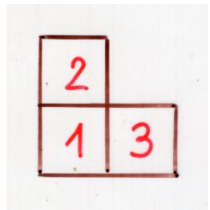




the tableau



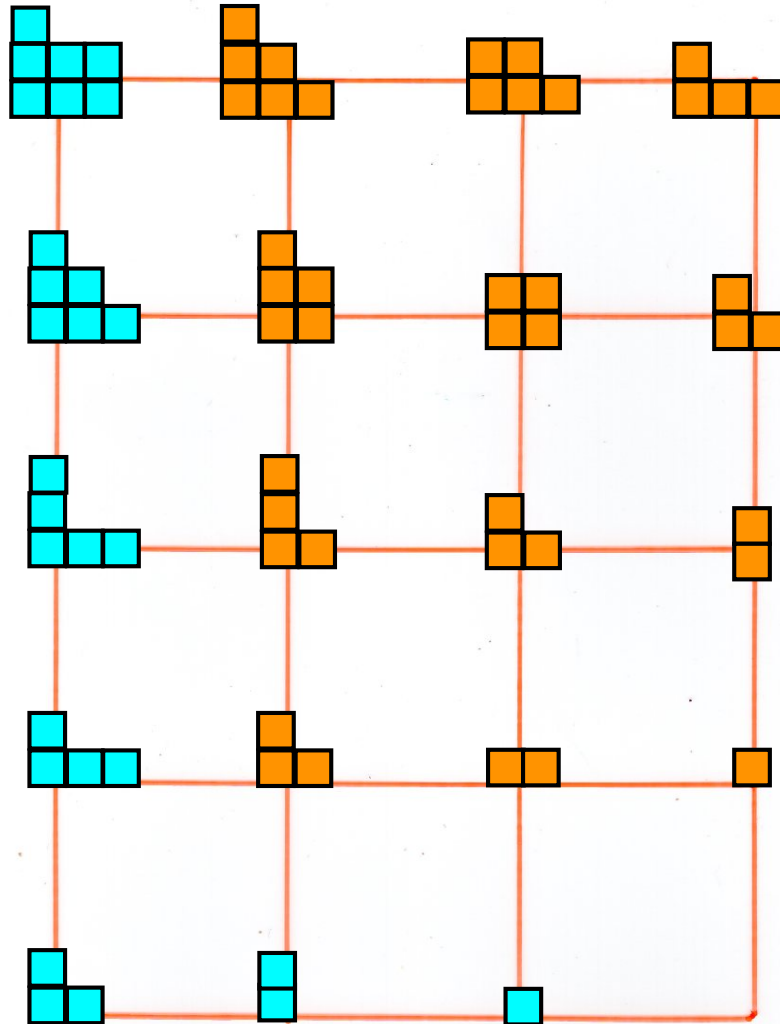
is independant of the
choice of the tableau



symmetry of
the jeu de taquin

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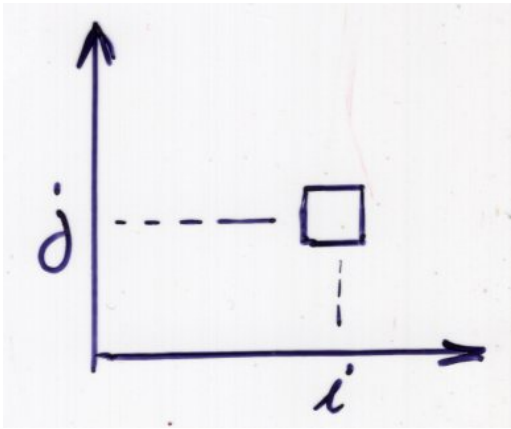
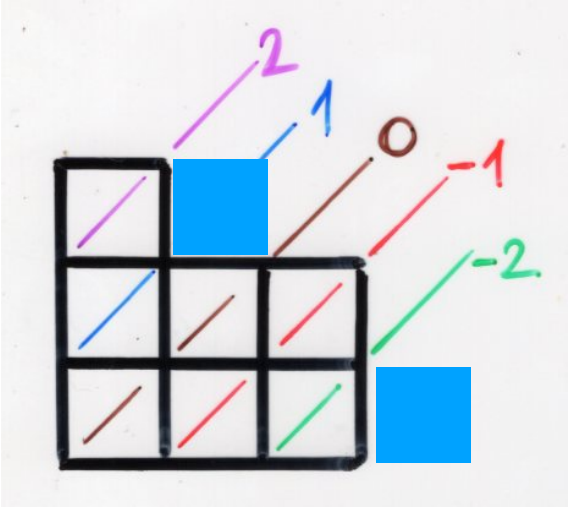
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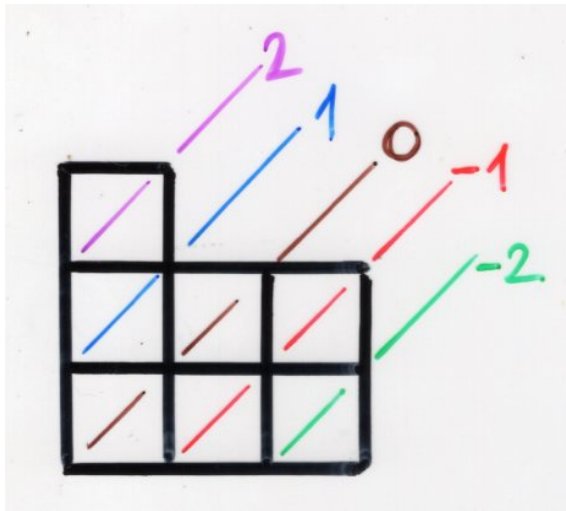
Jeu de taquin

with local rules on edges ?

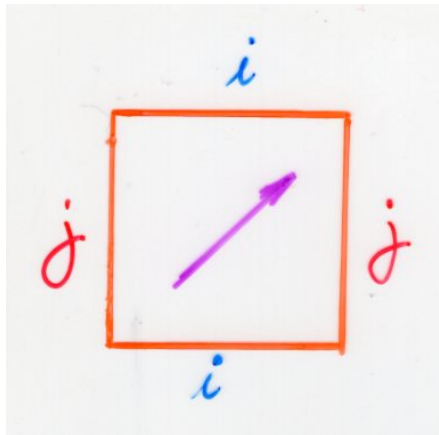
diagonal operators
 $\Delta_i \quad i \in \mathbb{Z}$



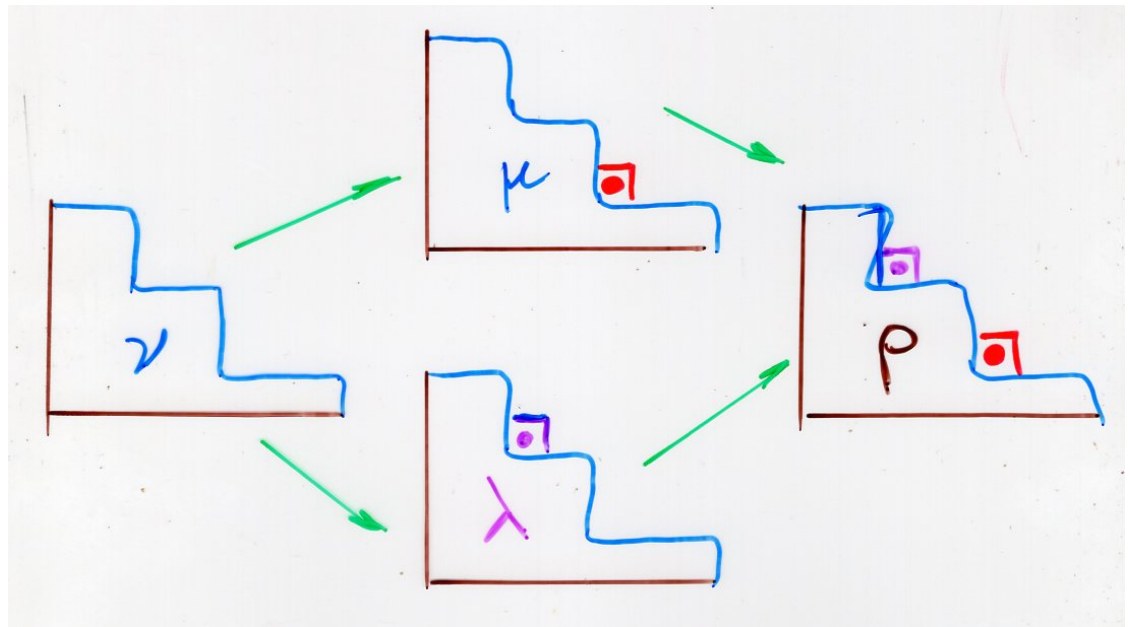
$(i, j) \rightarrow j - i$
content

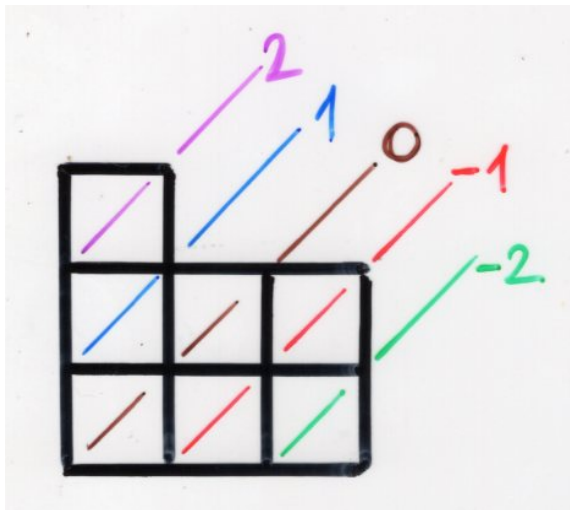


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local rules on edges

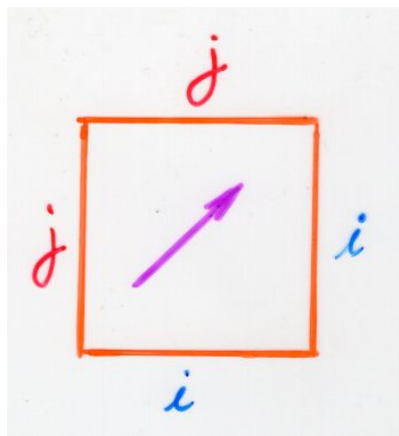


$$|i - j| \geq 2$$



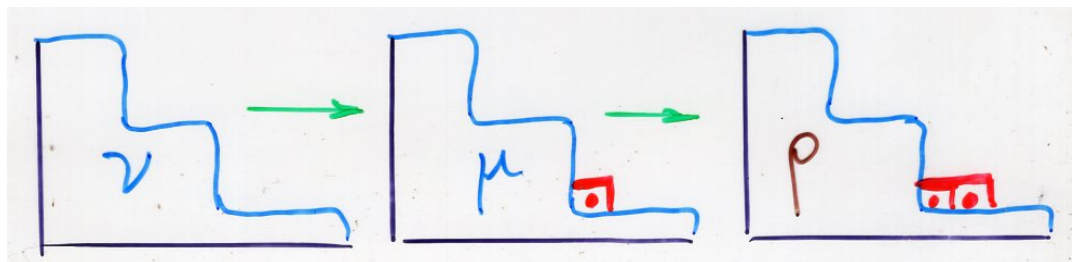
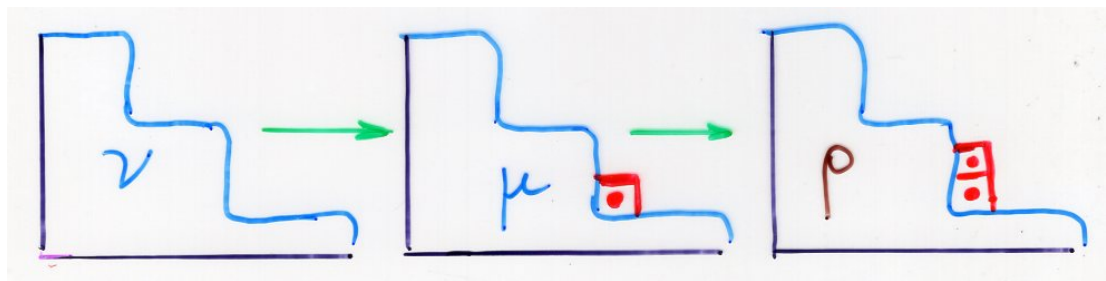


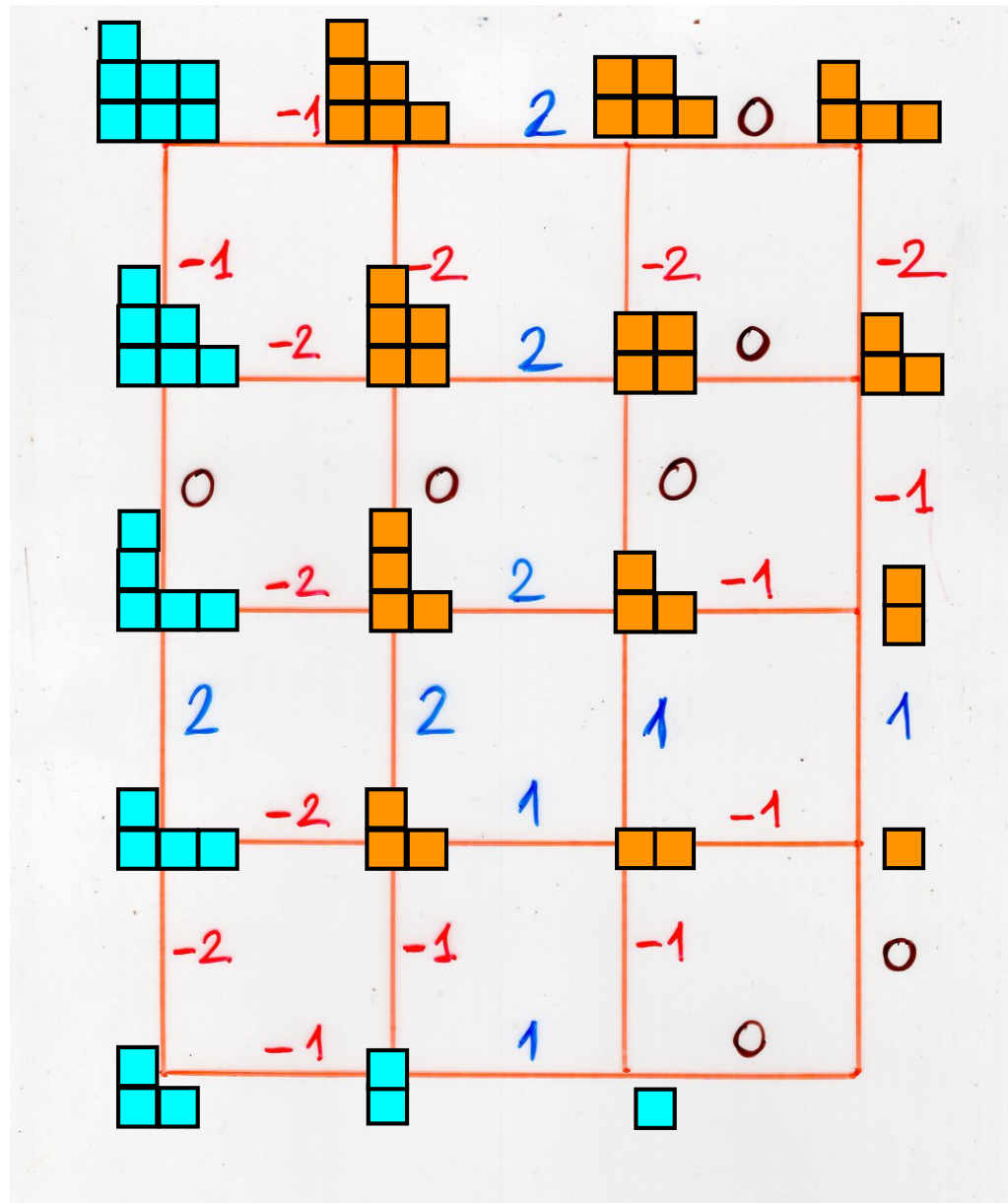
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local rules on edges



$$|i - j| \leq 1$$

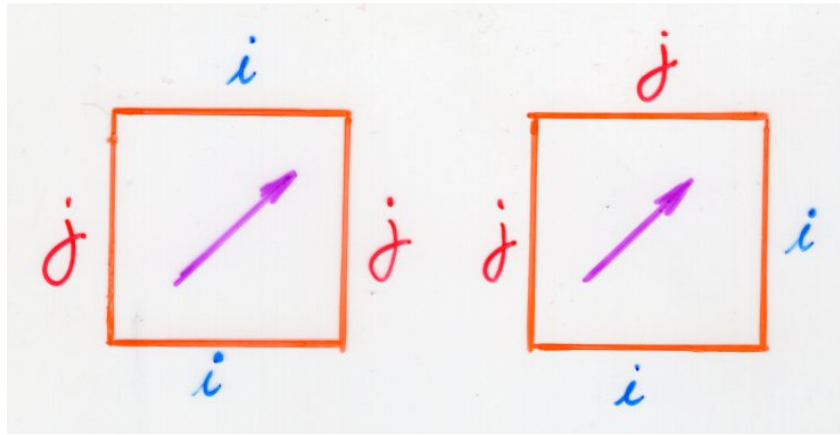
or





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-2	2	-1		
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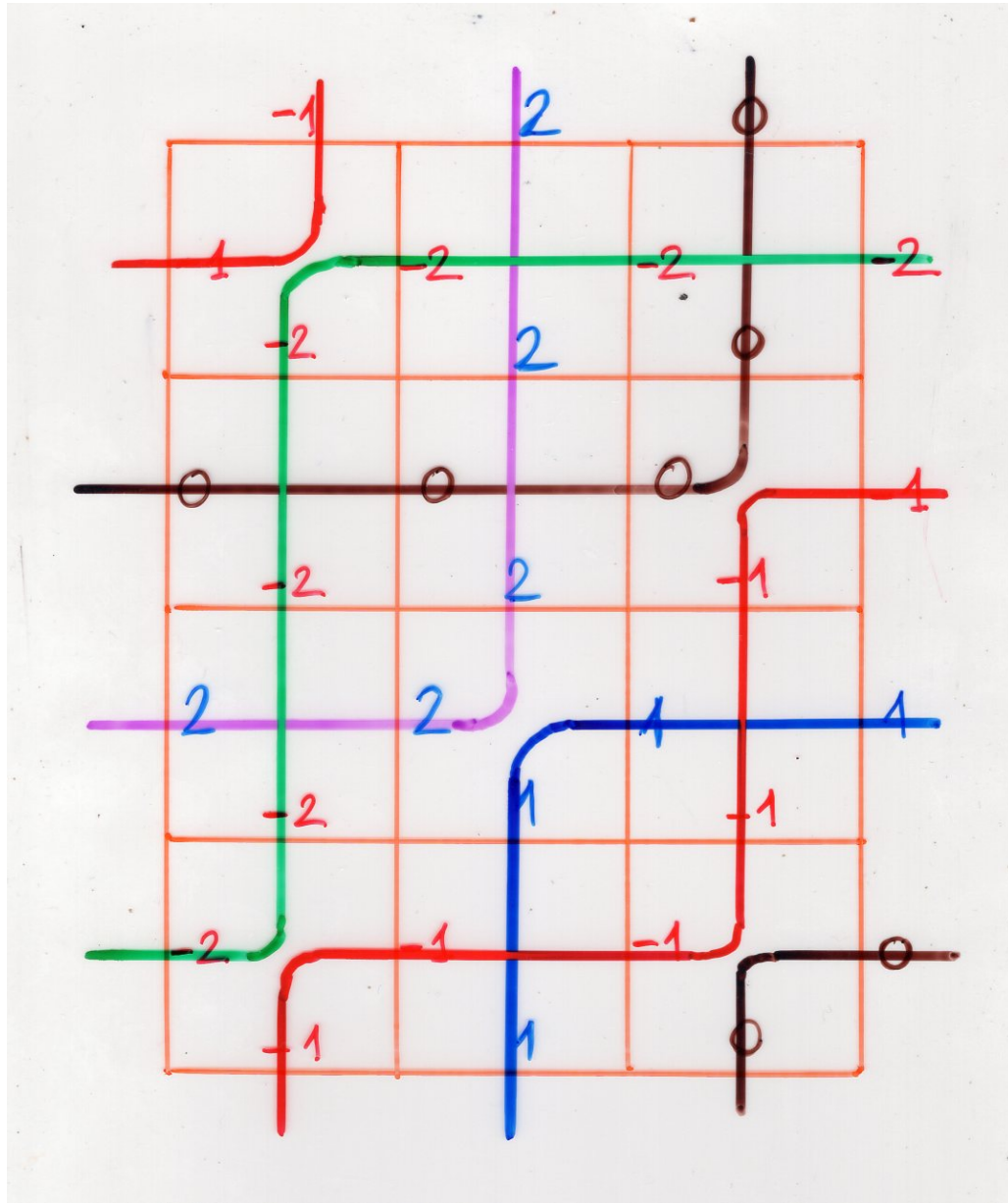
$$i, j \in \mathbb{Z}$$

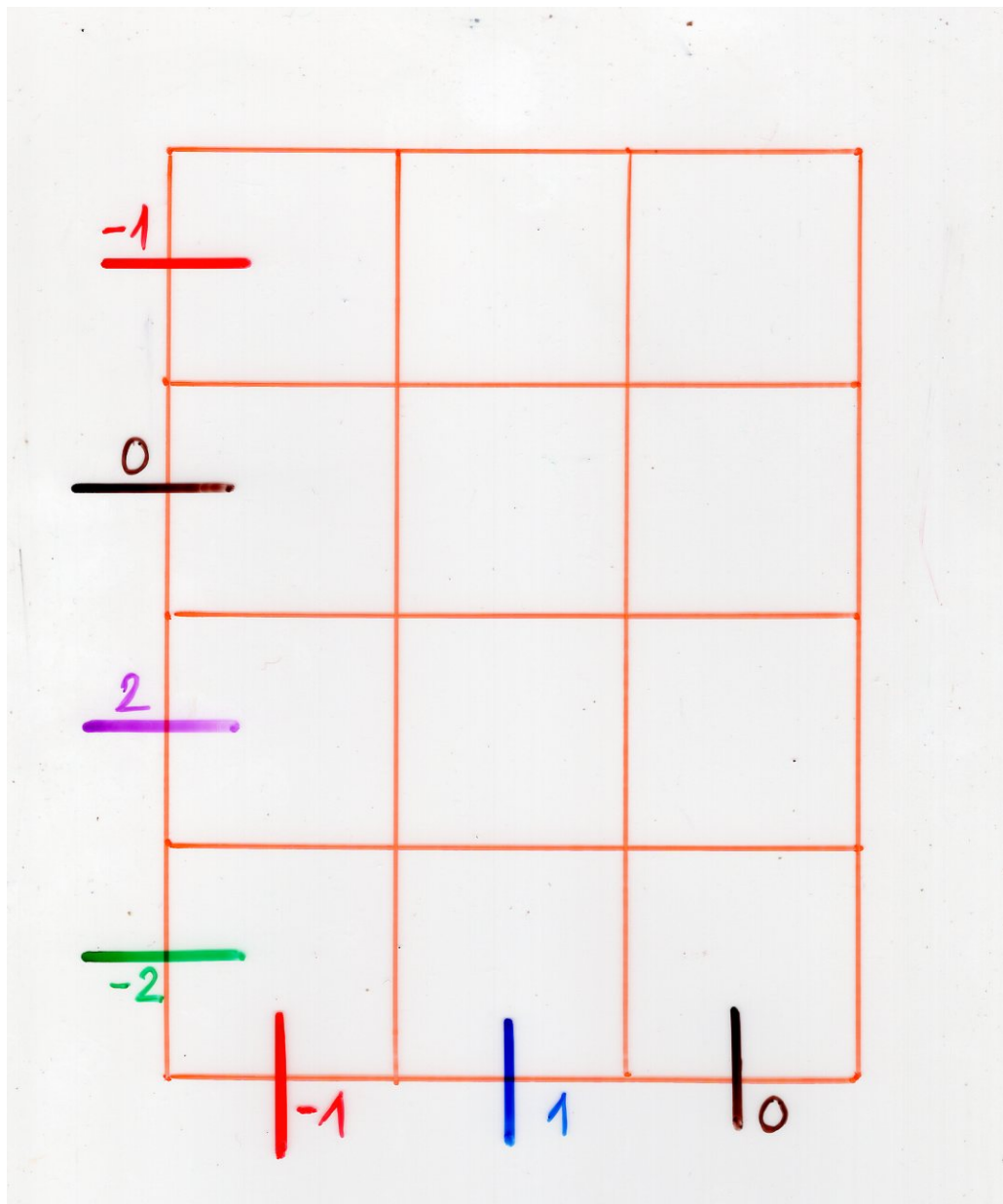
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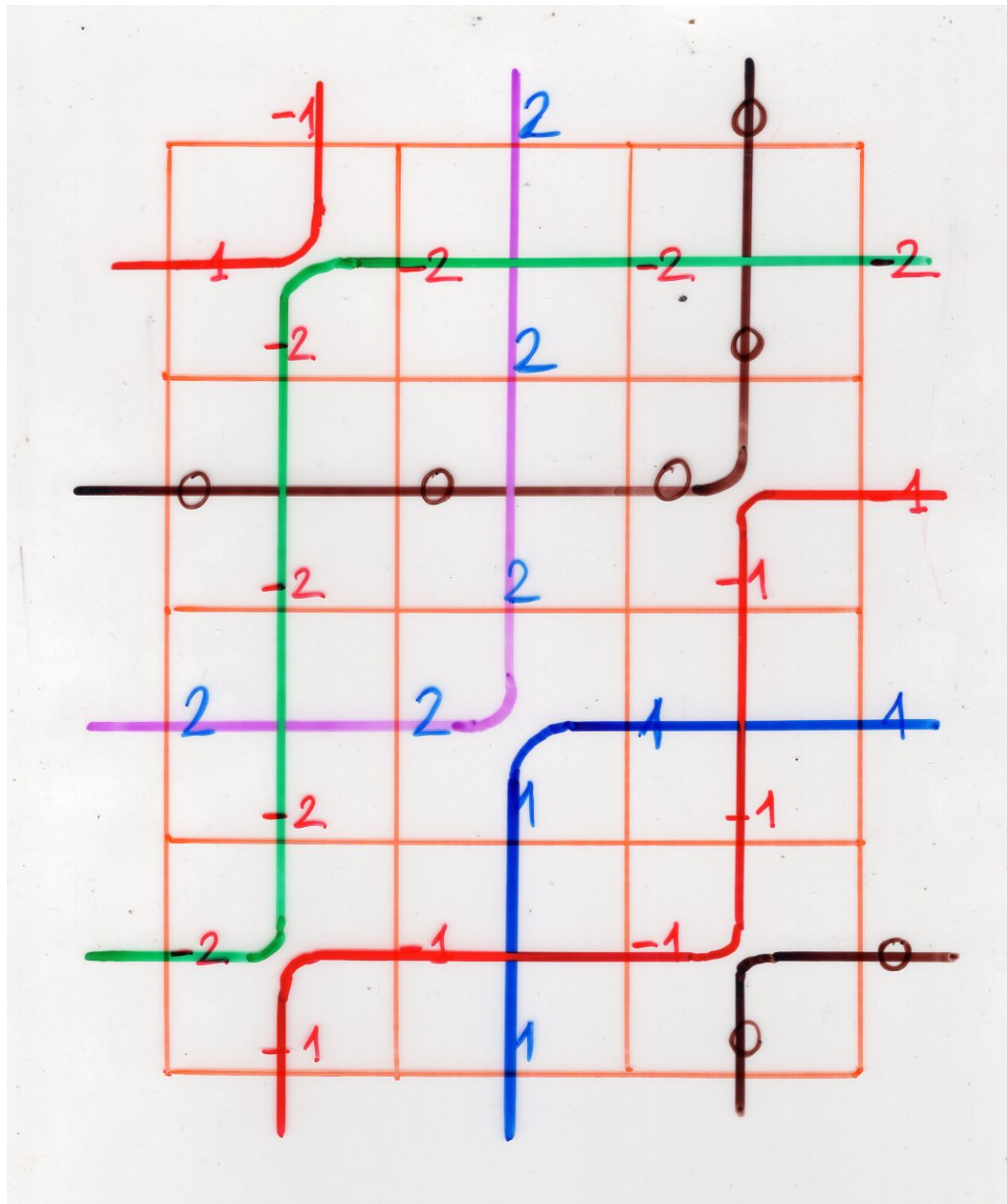
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in fact here $i = j$ impossible

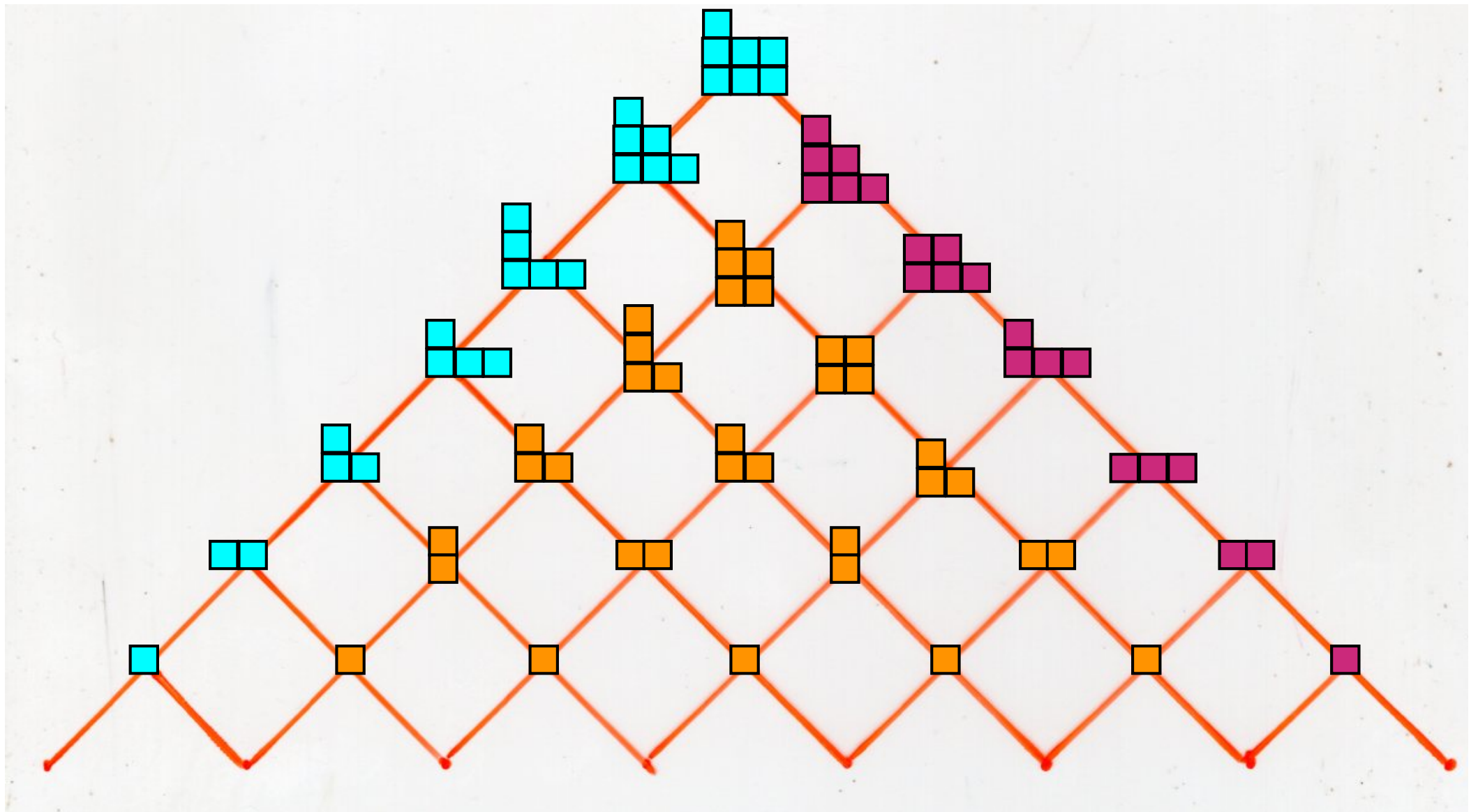
nil-Temperley-Lieb
planar automaton





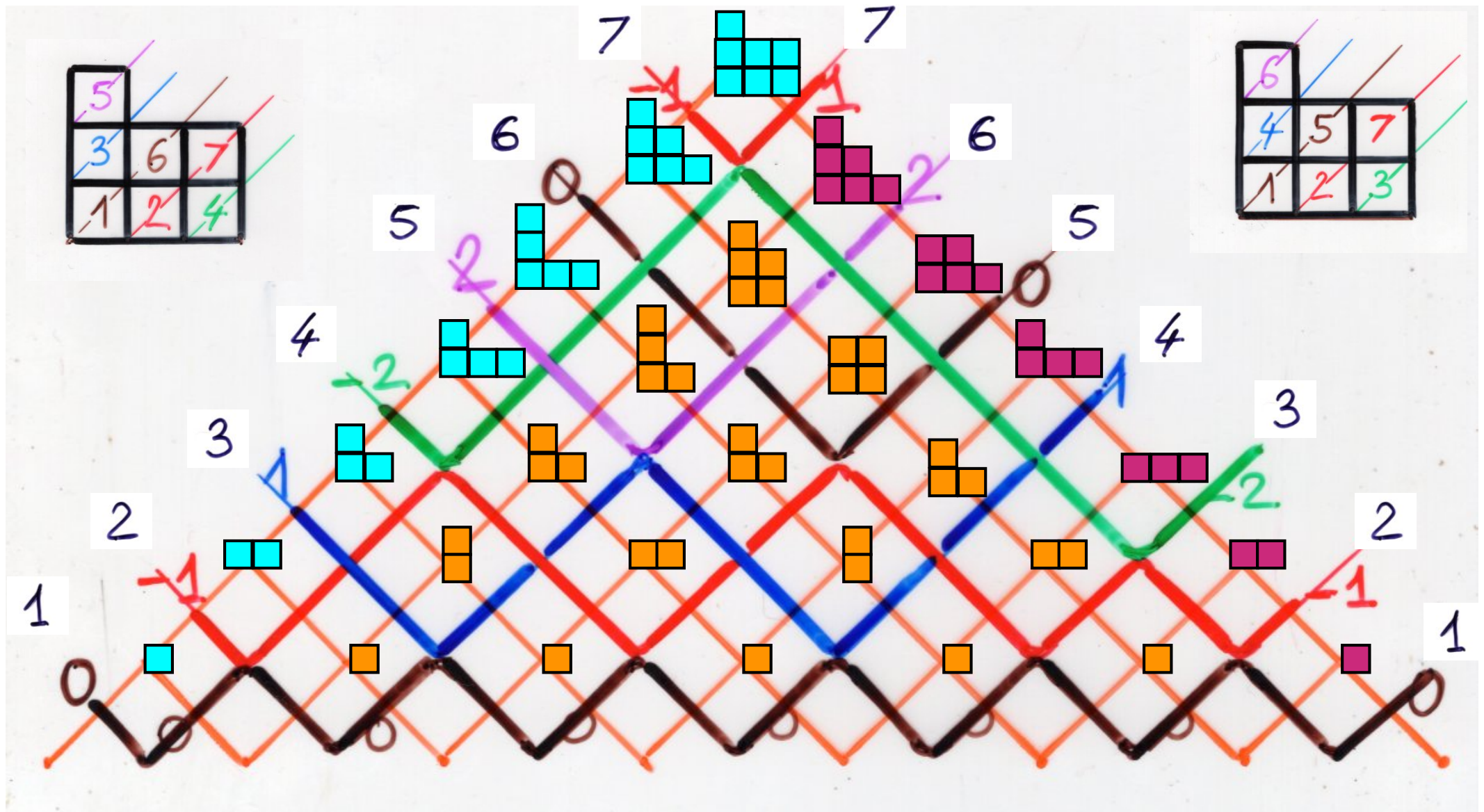


dual of a tableau



Schützenberger involution

dual of a tableau



Schützenberger involution

Proposition

is an

The map
involution

$$T \rightarrow T^*$$

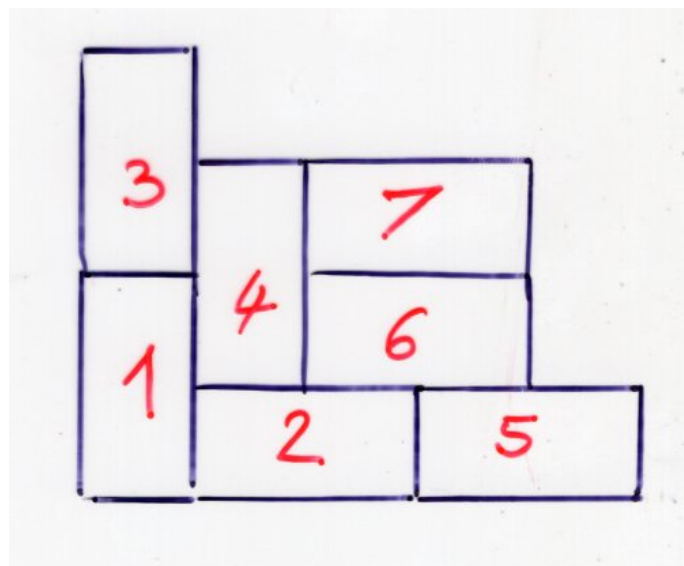
$$(T^*)^* = T$$

T Young tableau
 T^* dual tableau

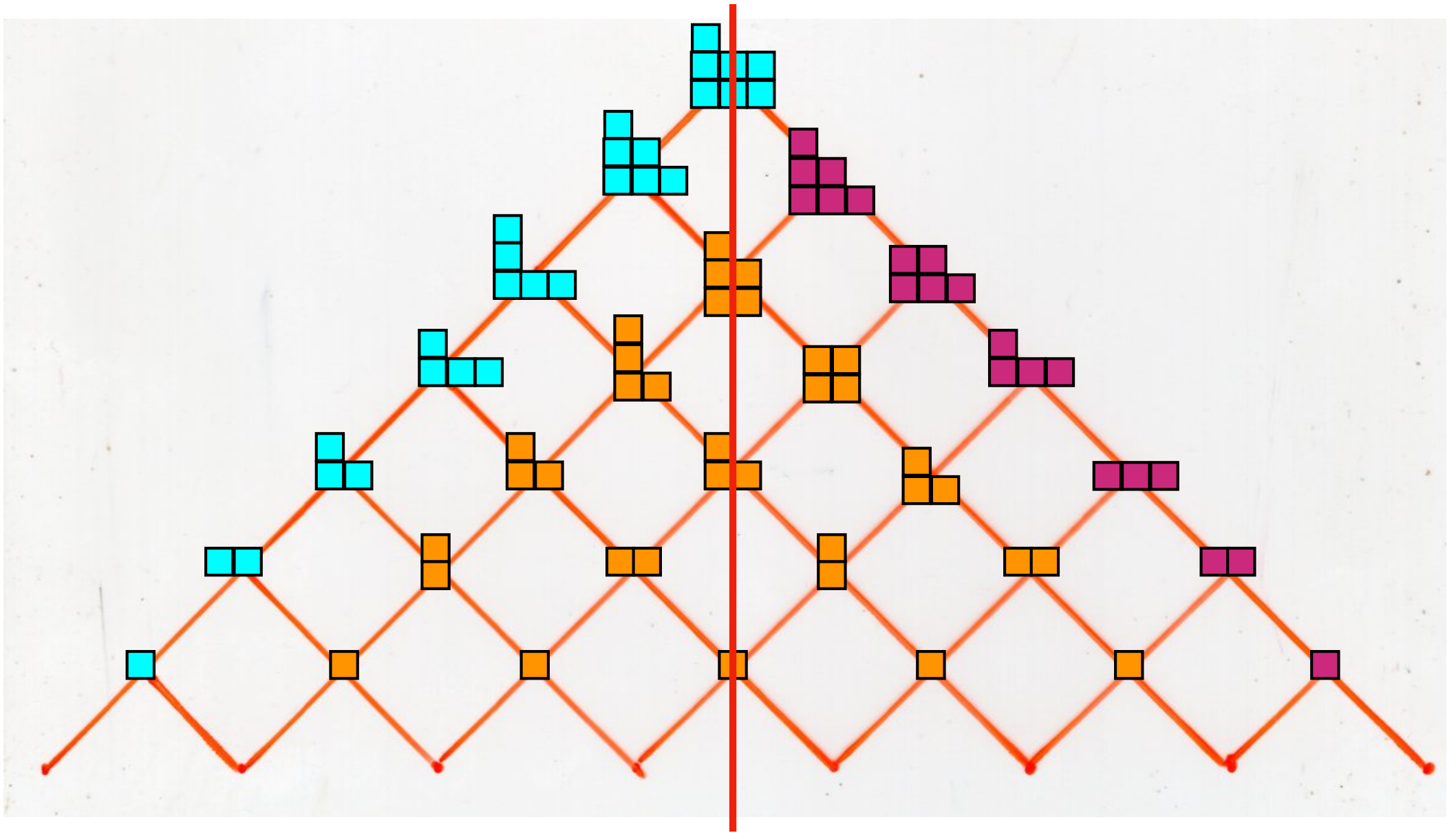
evac. (T)
other notation

Proposition

tableaux such that $T = T^*$ are
in bijection with domino tableaux



dual of a tableau



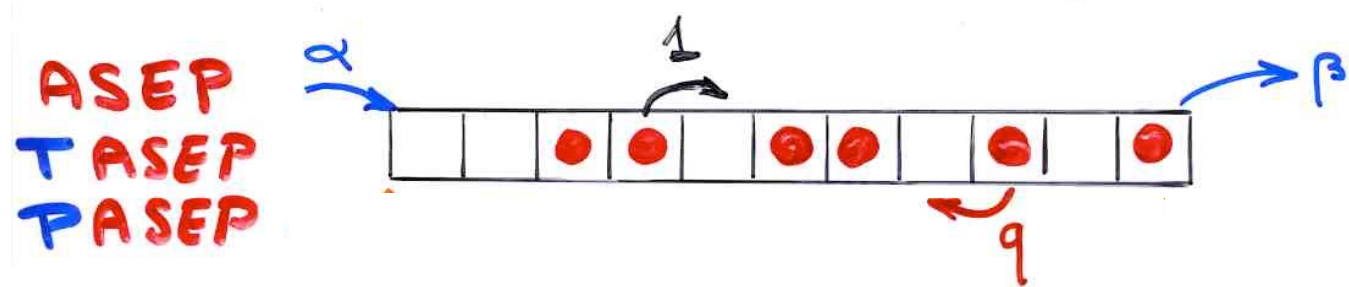
Schützenberger involution

The PASEP algebra

$$DE = qED + E + D$$

alternative tableaux

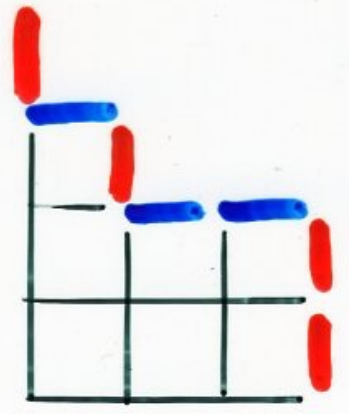
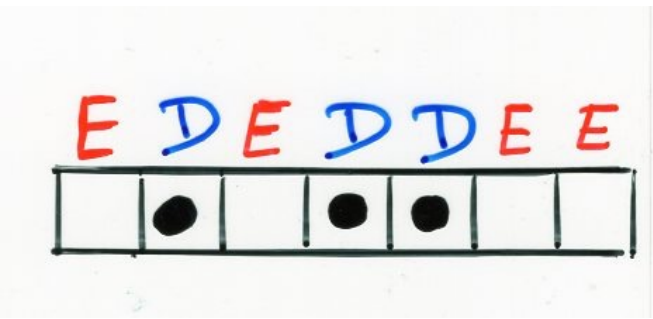
toy model in the physics of dynamical systems far from equilibrium



computation of the "stationary probabilities"

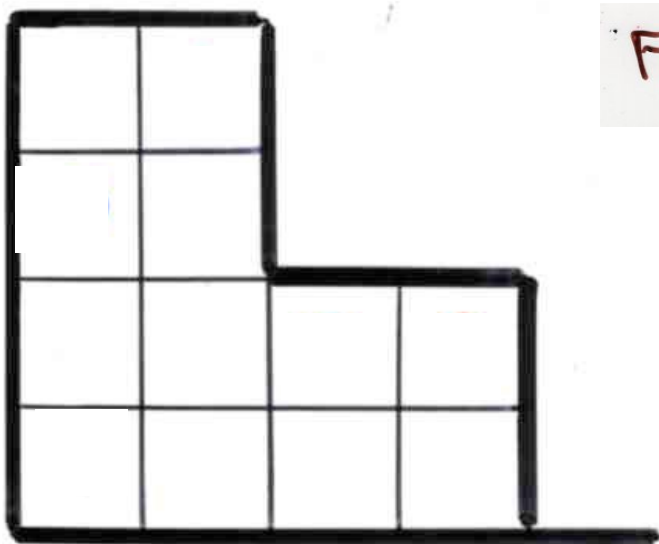
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The PASEP algebra



alternative tableau

Definition



Ferrers diagram **F**

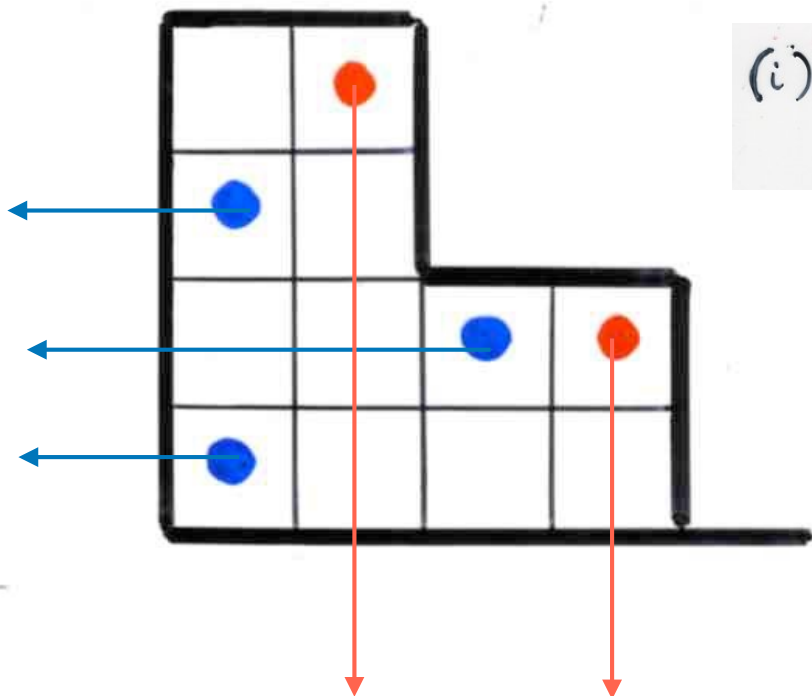
with possibly
empty rows or columns

size of **F**

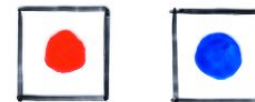
$$n = (\text{number of rows}) + (\text{number of columns})$$

alternative tableau

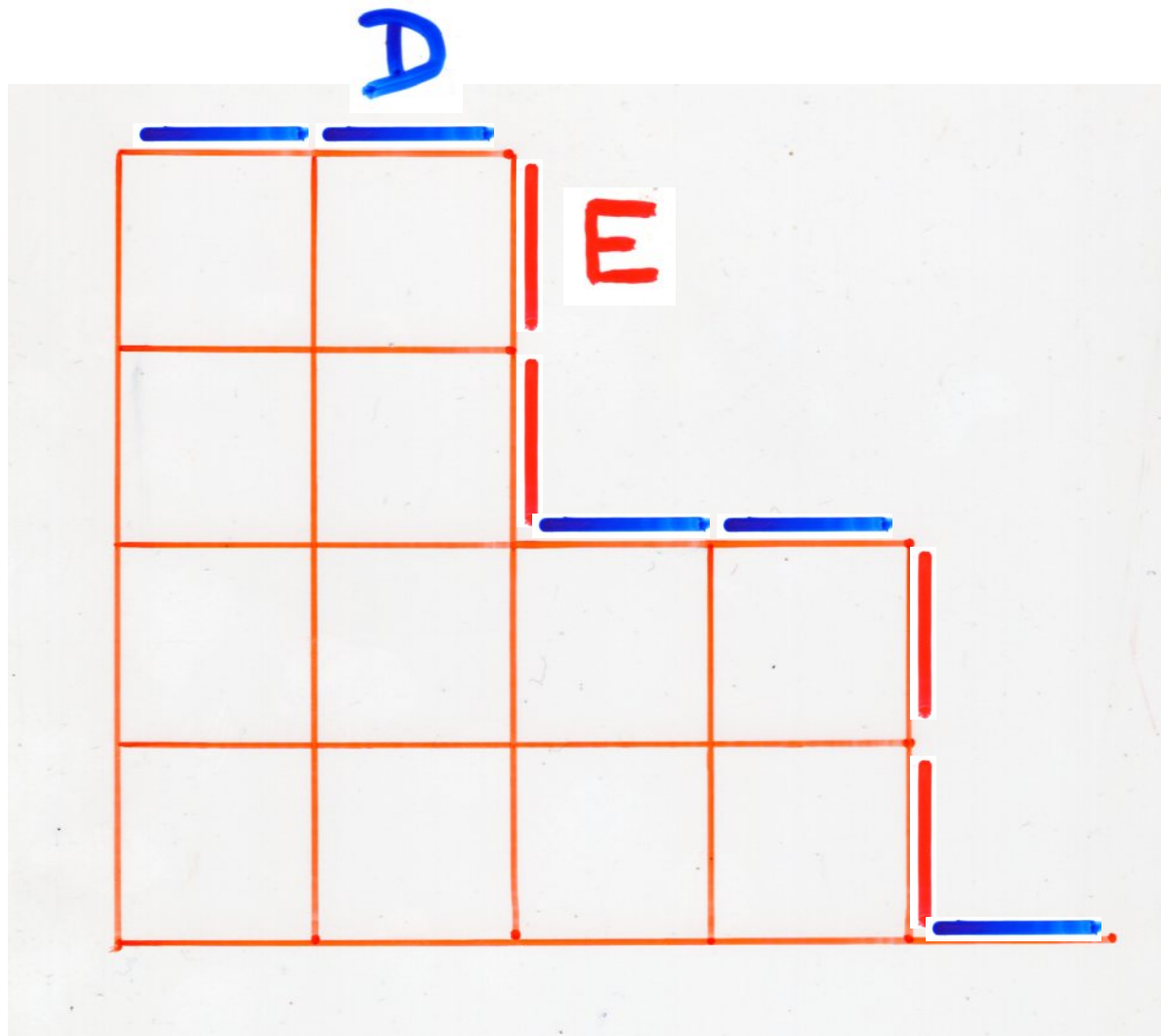
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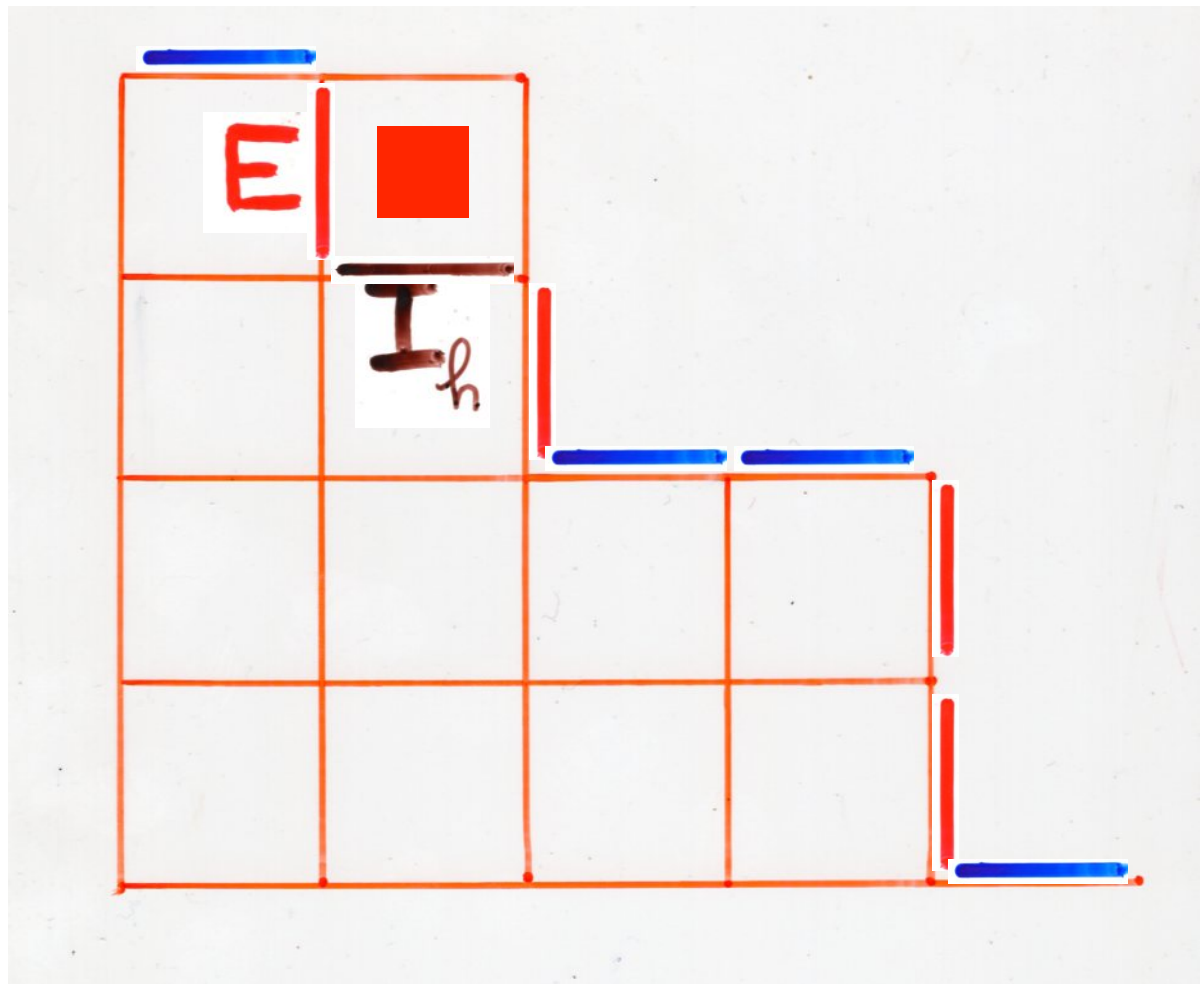


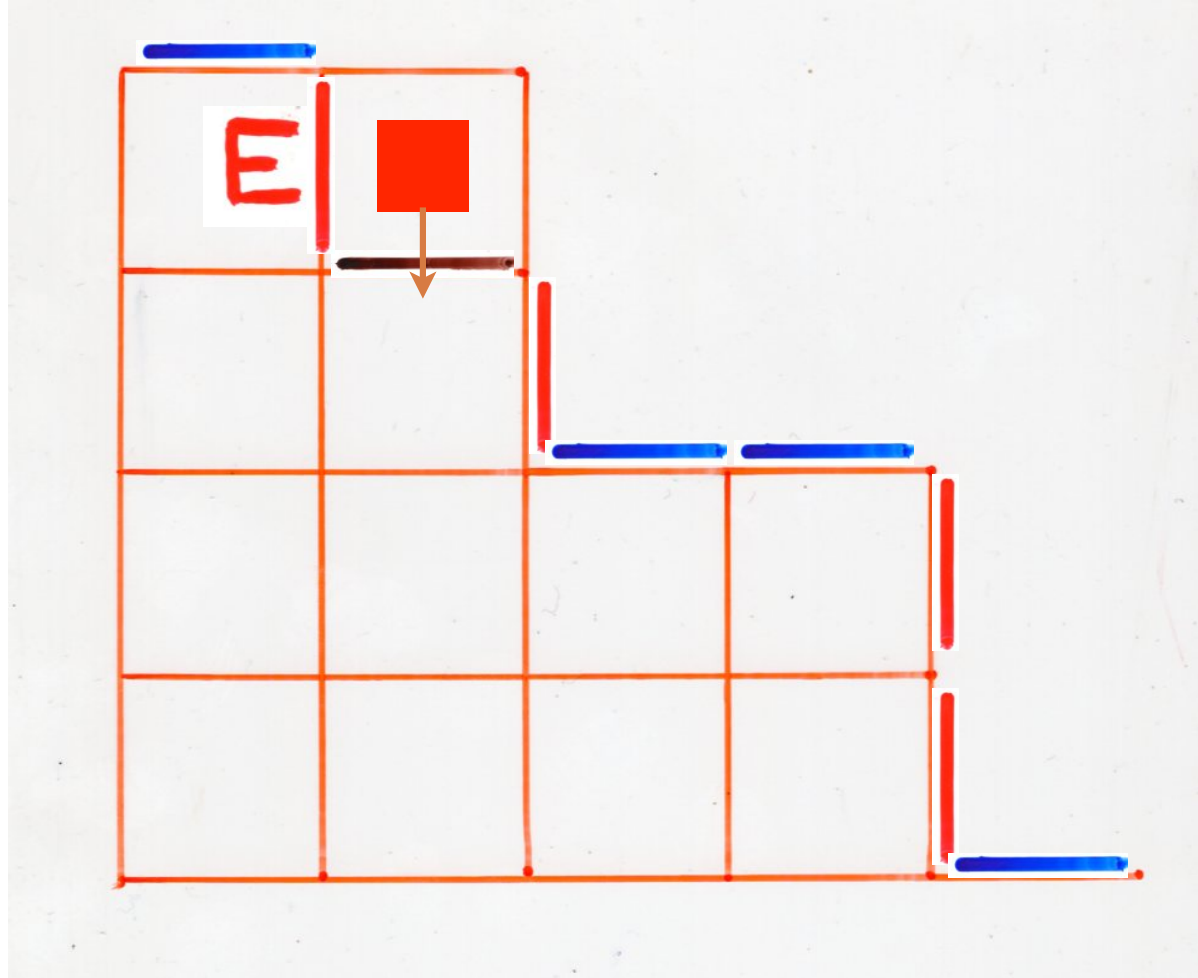
(i) some cells are coloured
red or **blue**

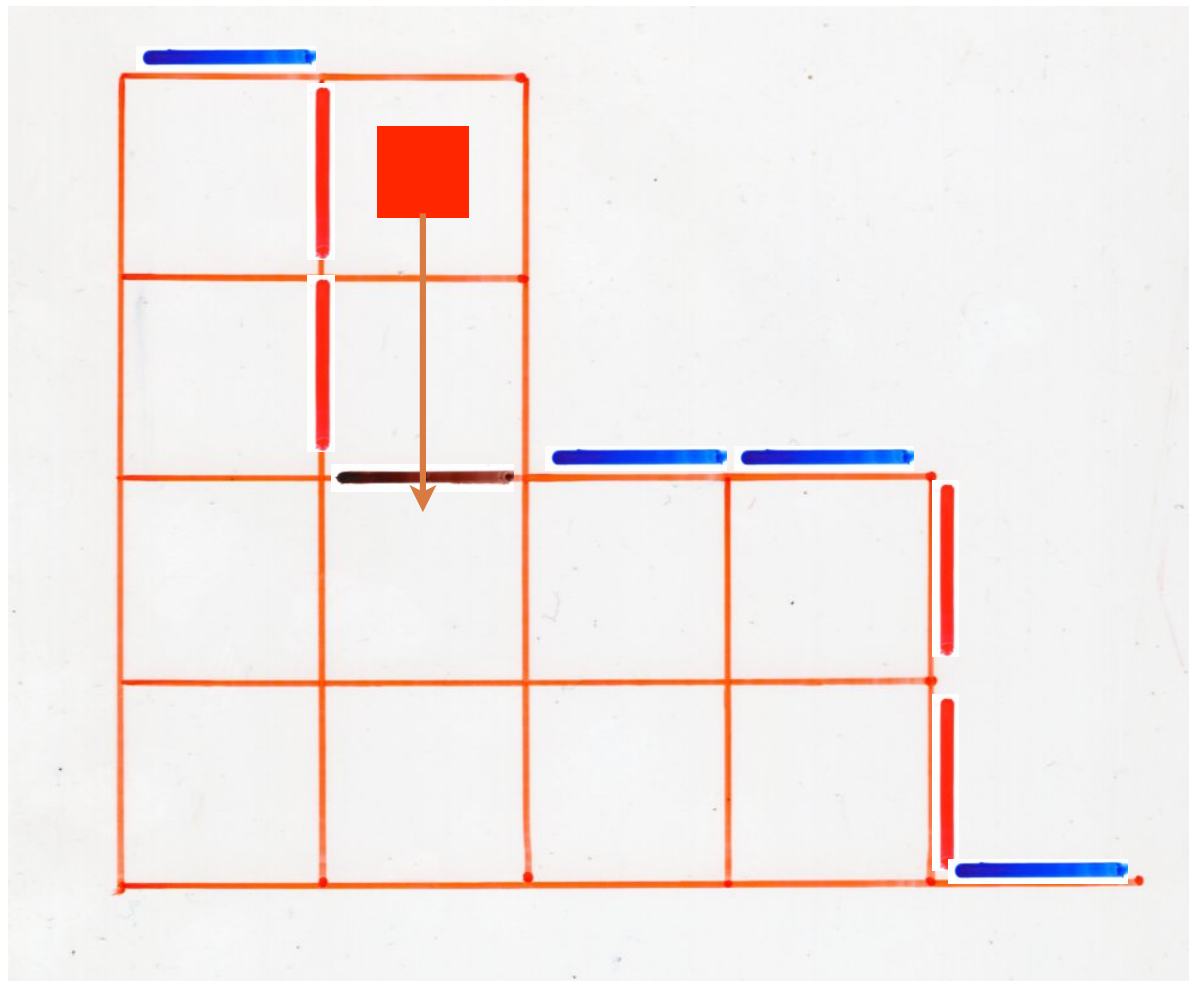


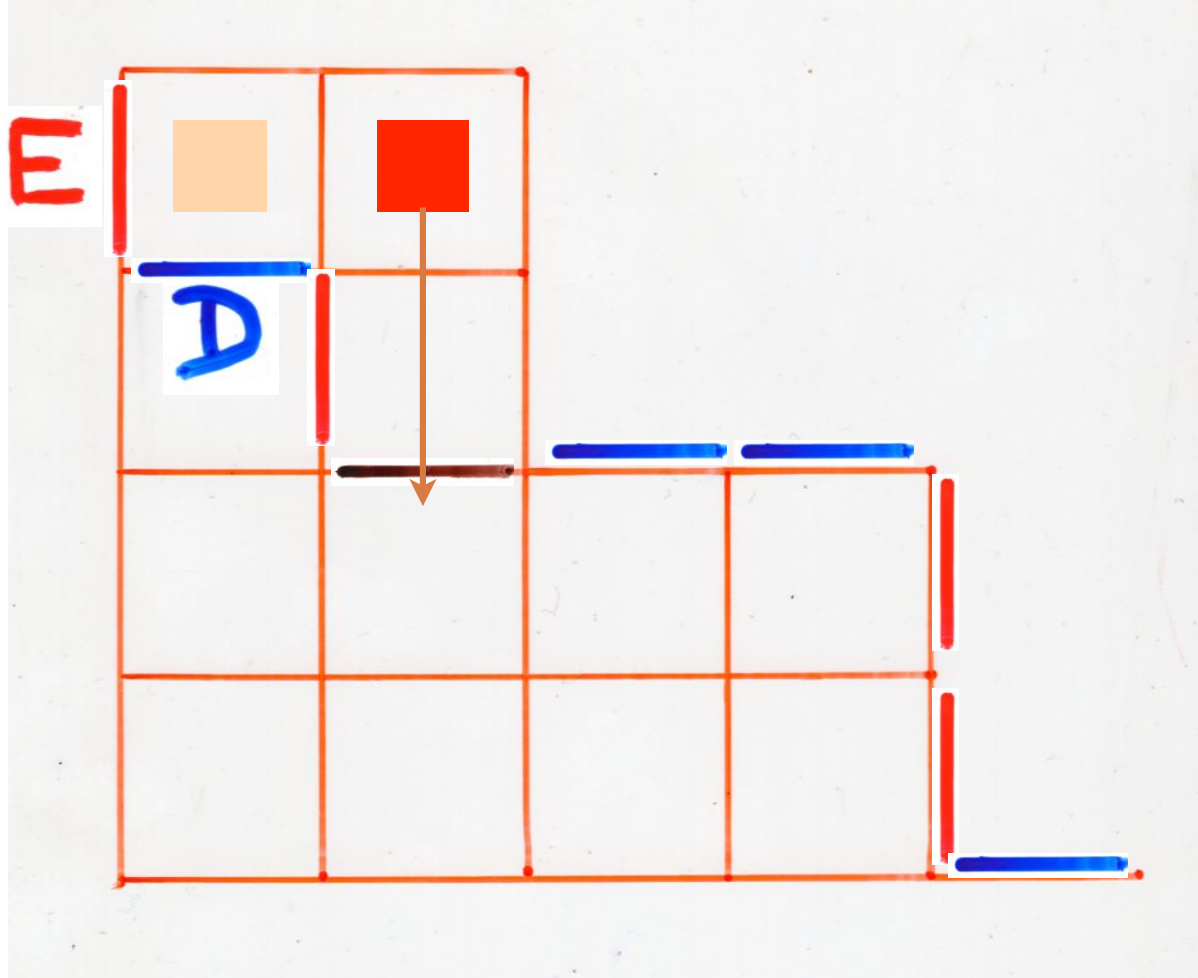
(ii) ● no coloured cell at the left
of a **blue** cell
● no coloured cell below
a **red** cell

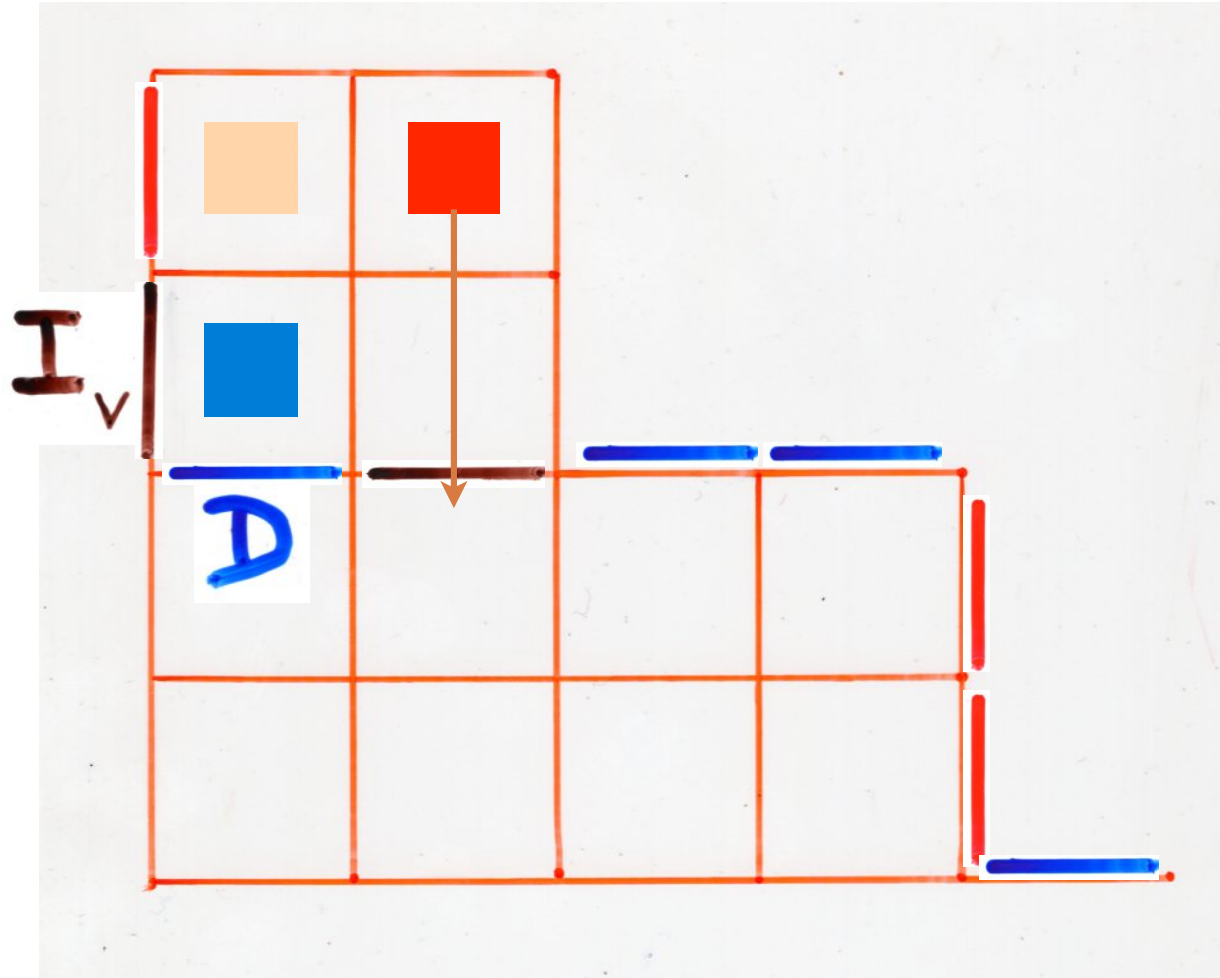


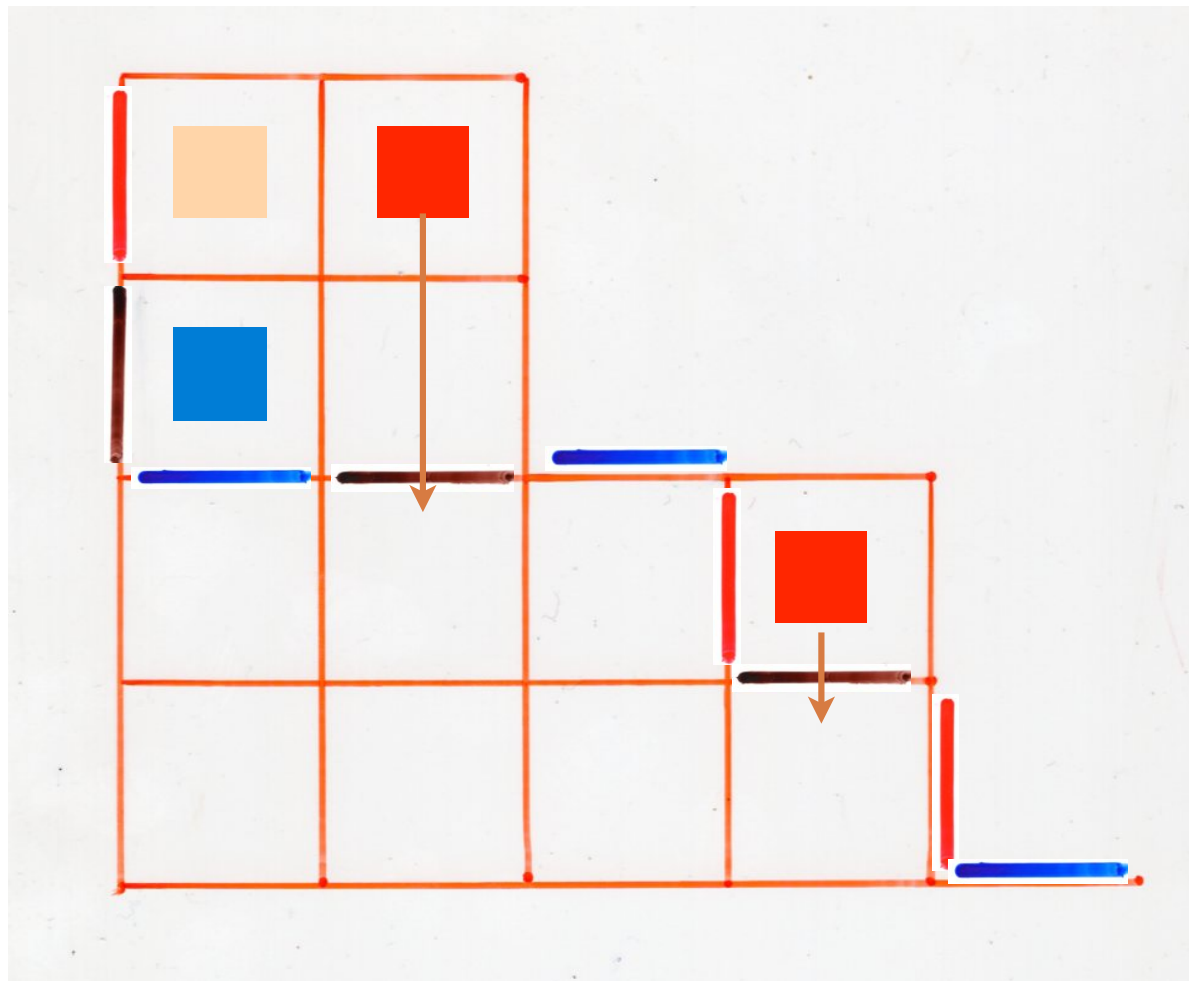


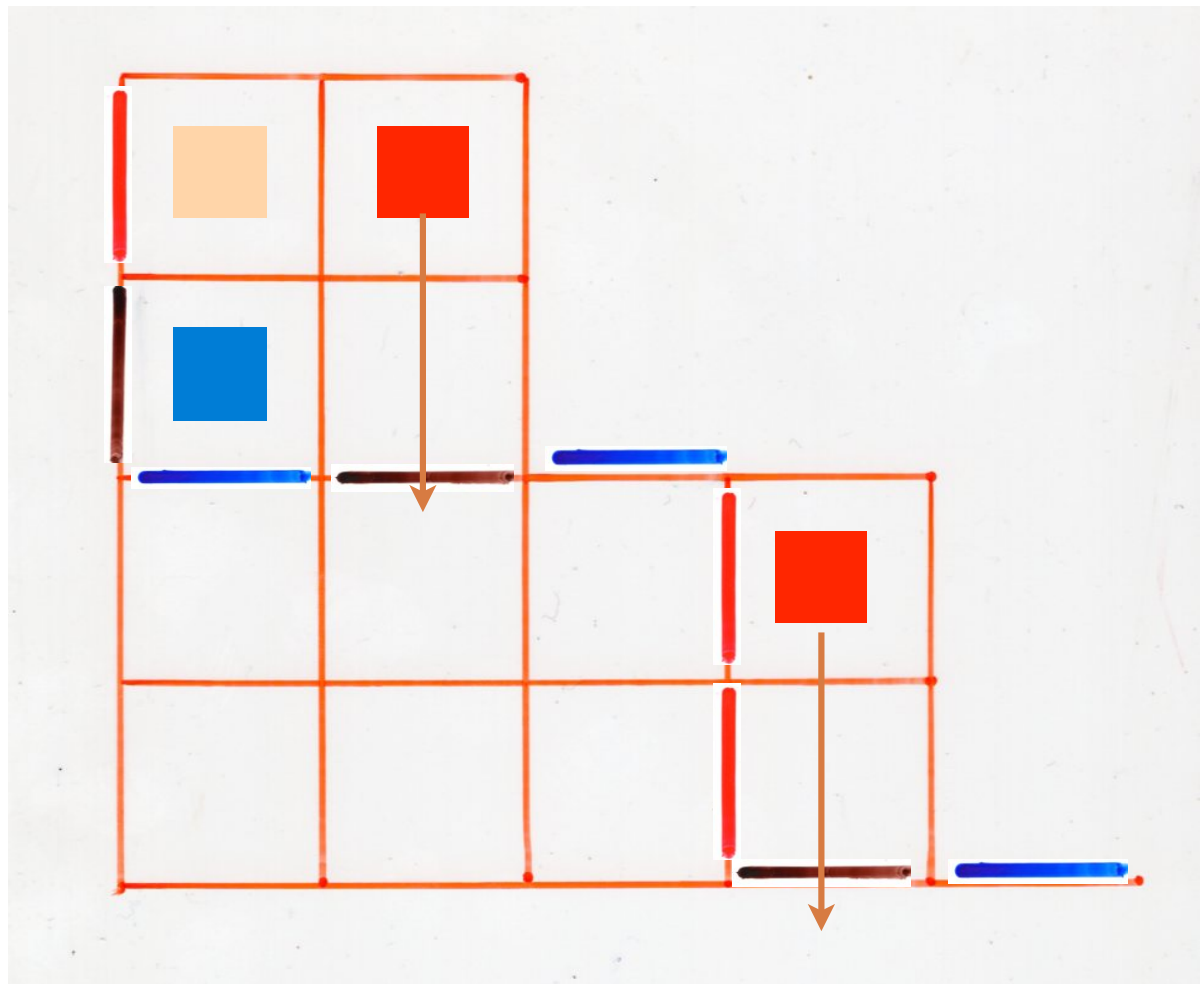


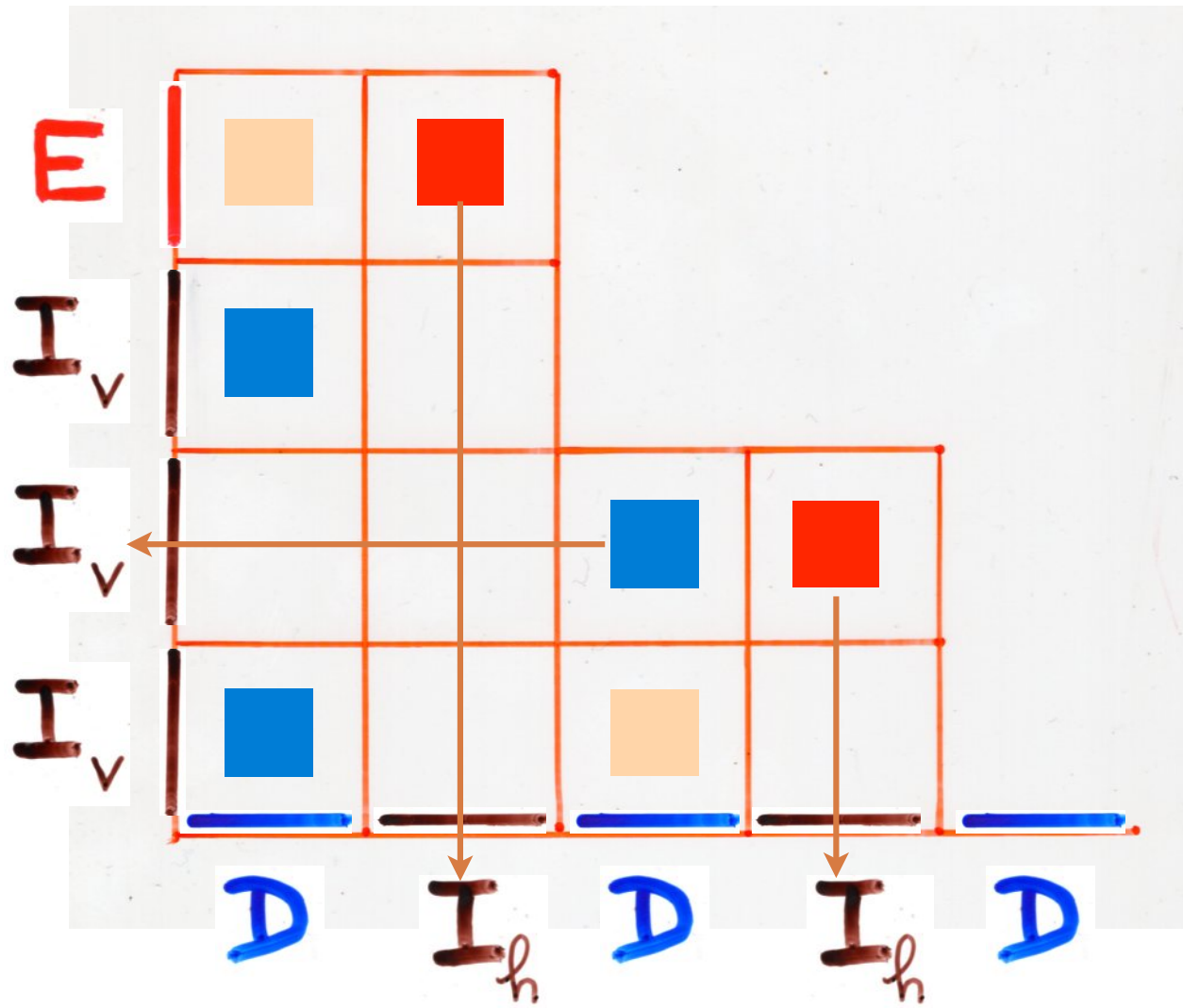


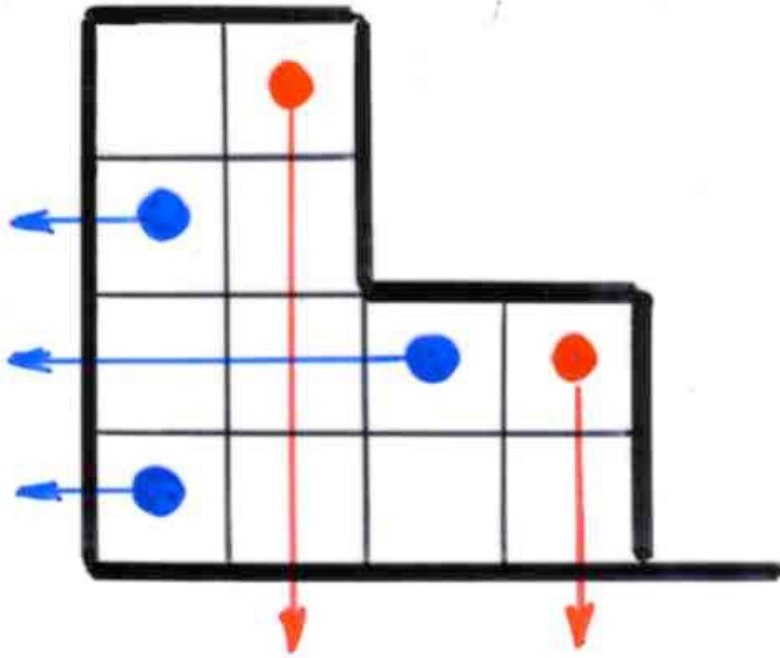












Prop. The number of alternative tableaux of size n is $(n+1)!$

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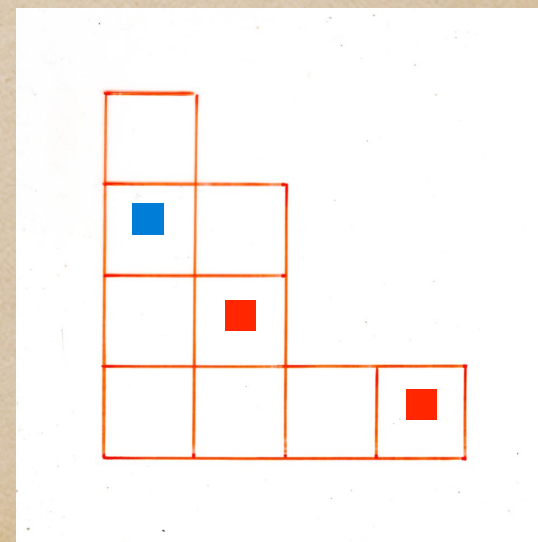
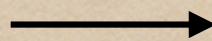
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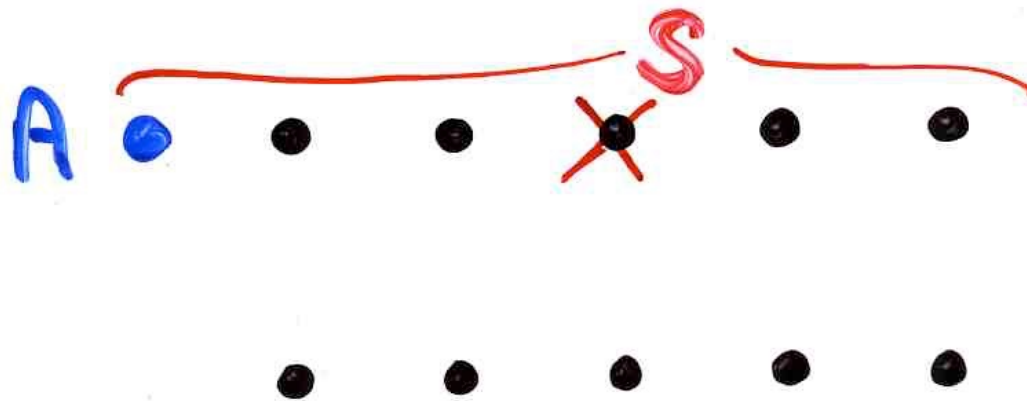
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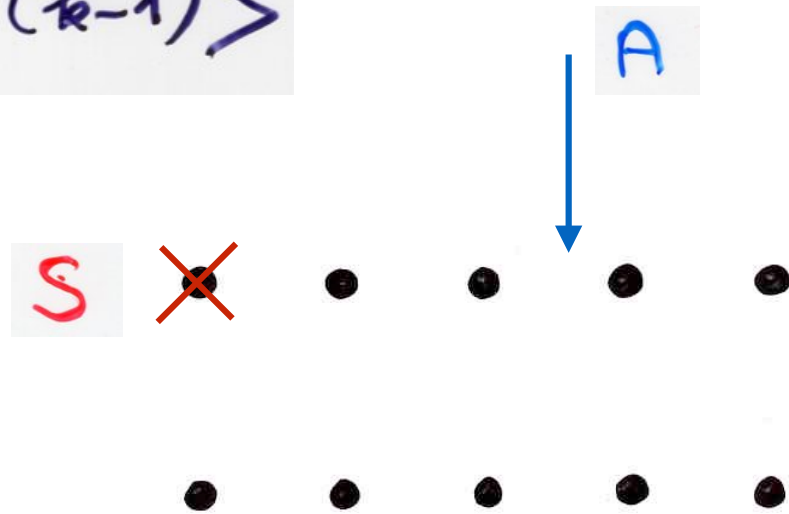


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Priority queue

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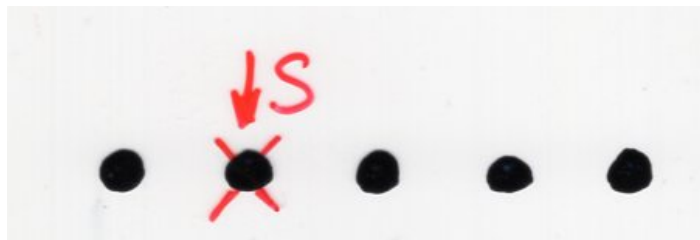
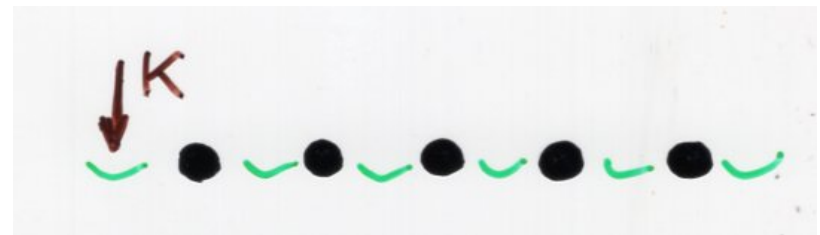
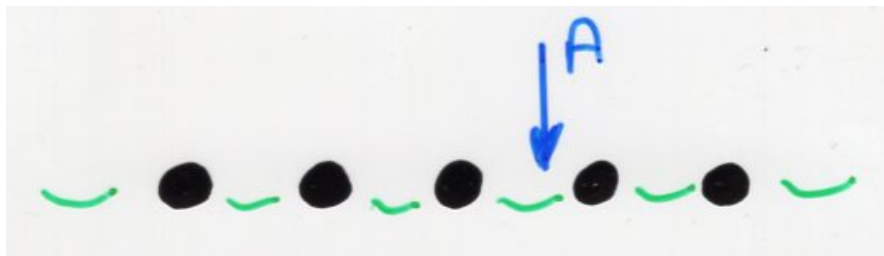
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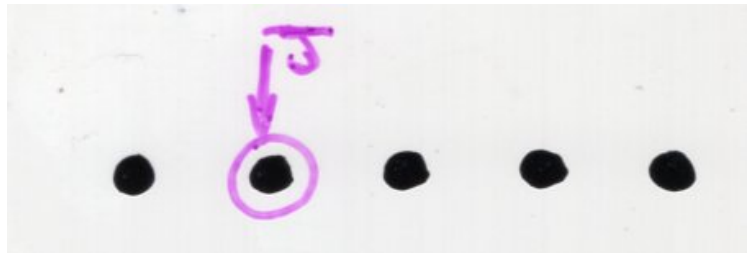
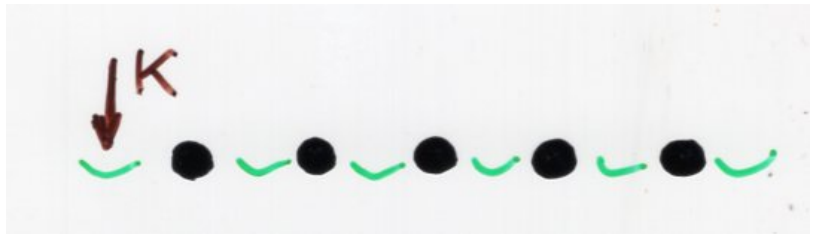
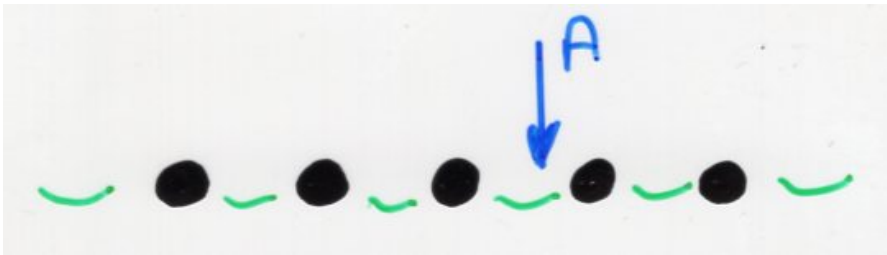
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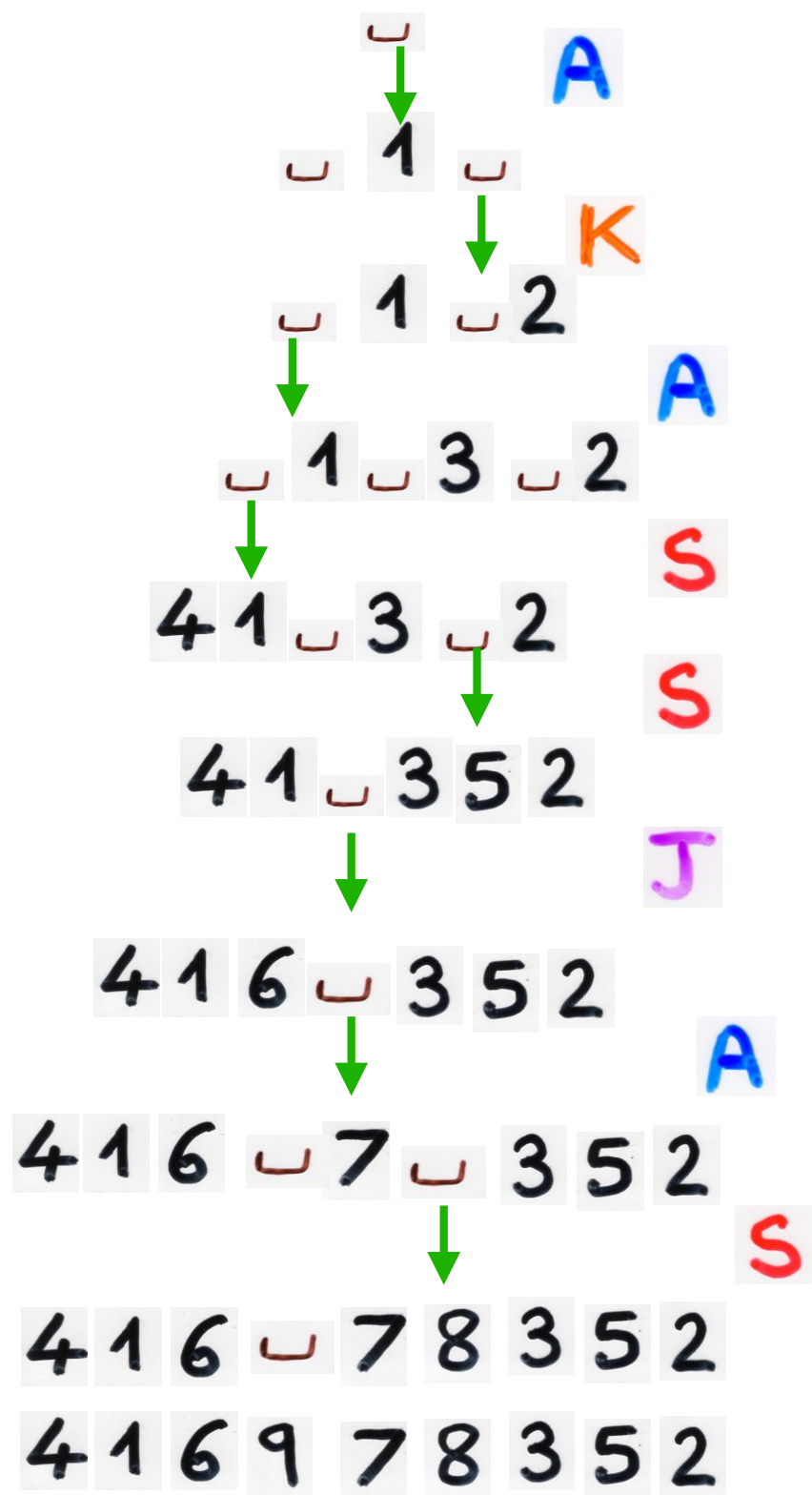
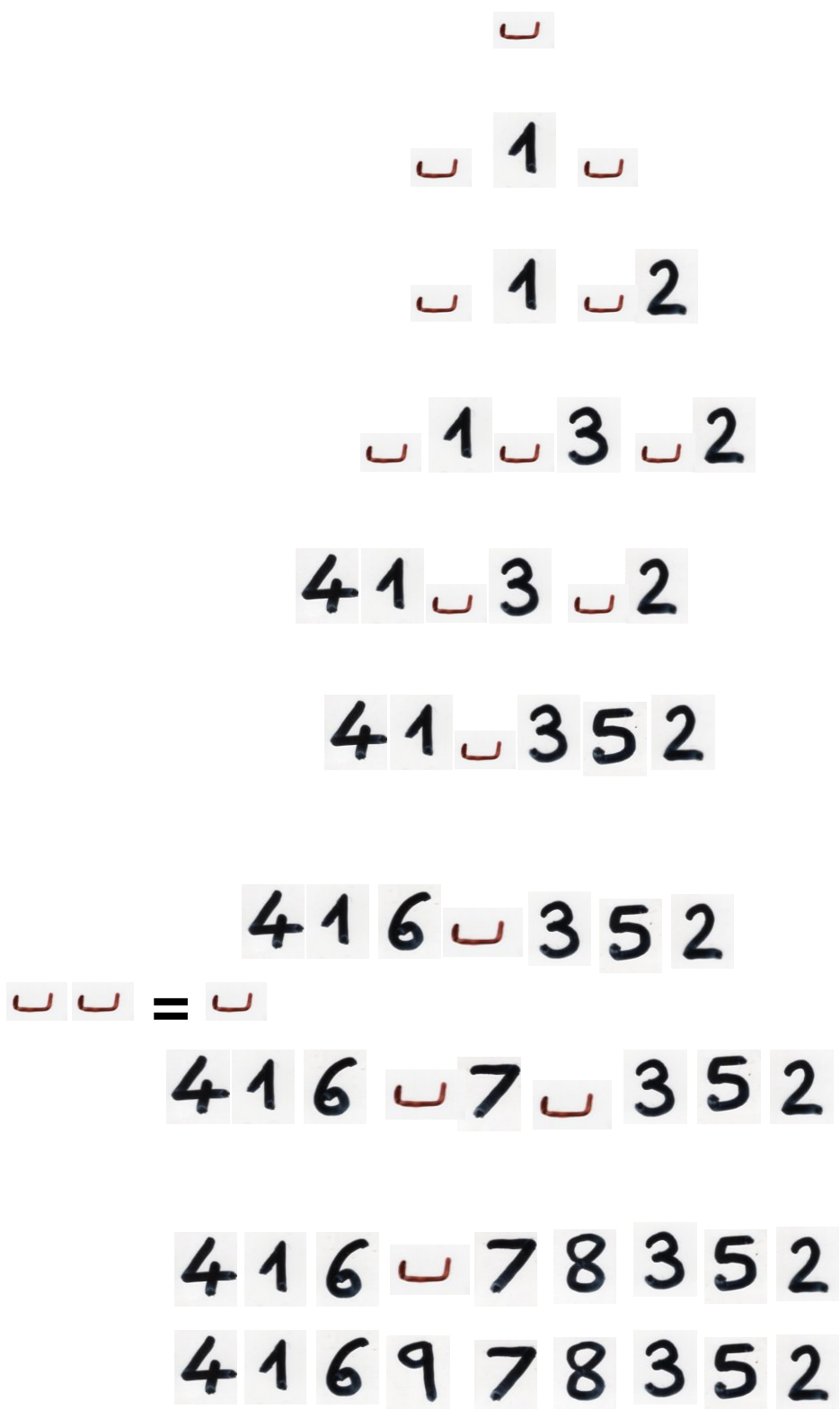
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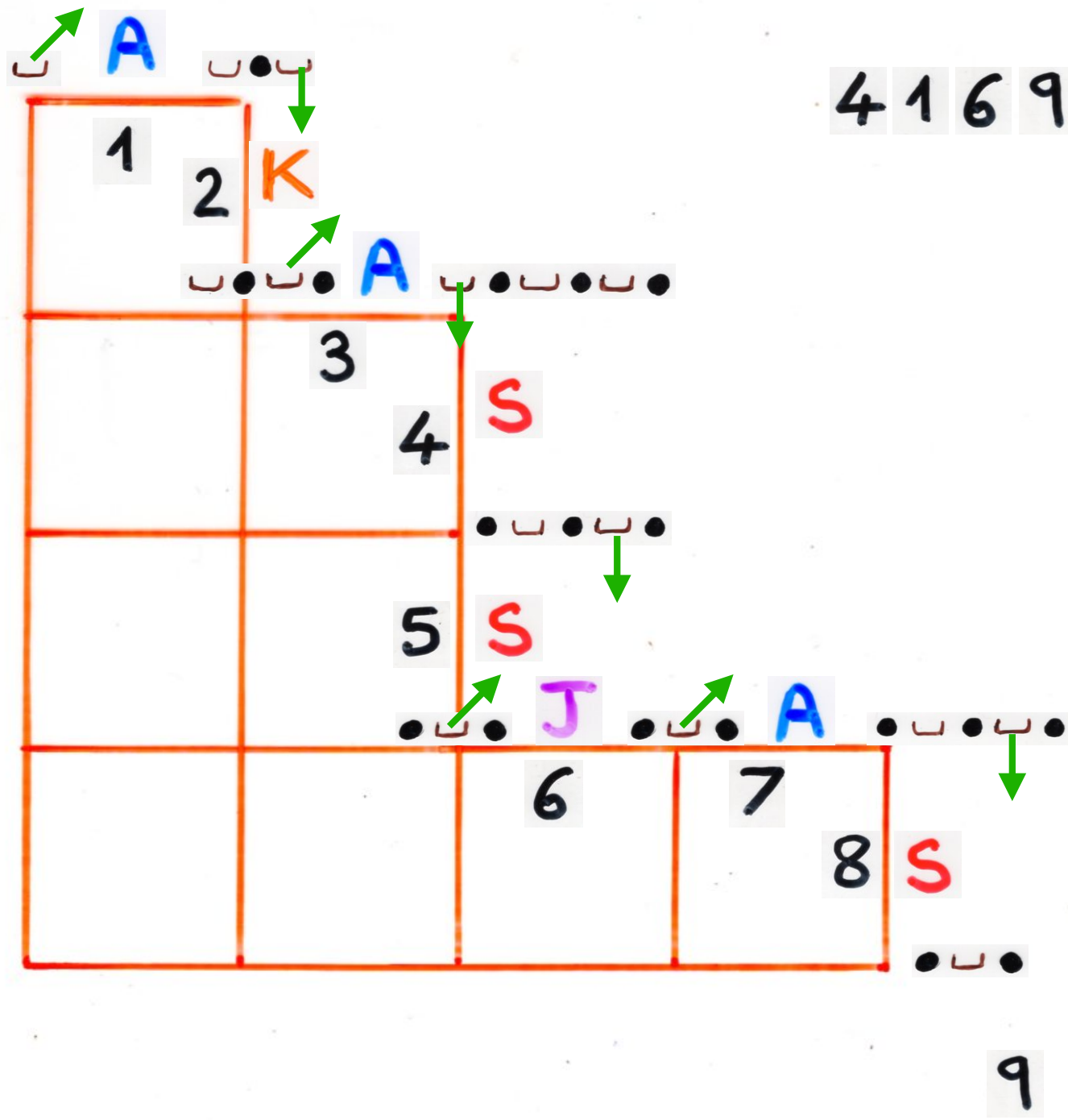
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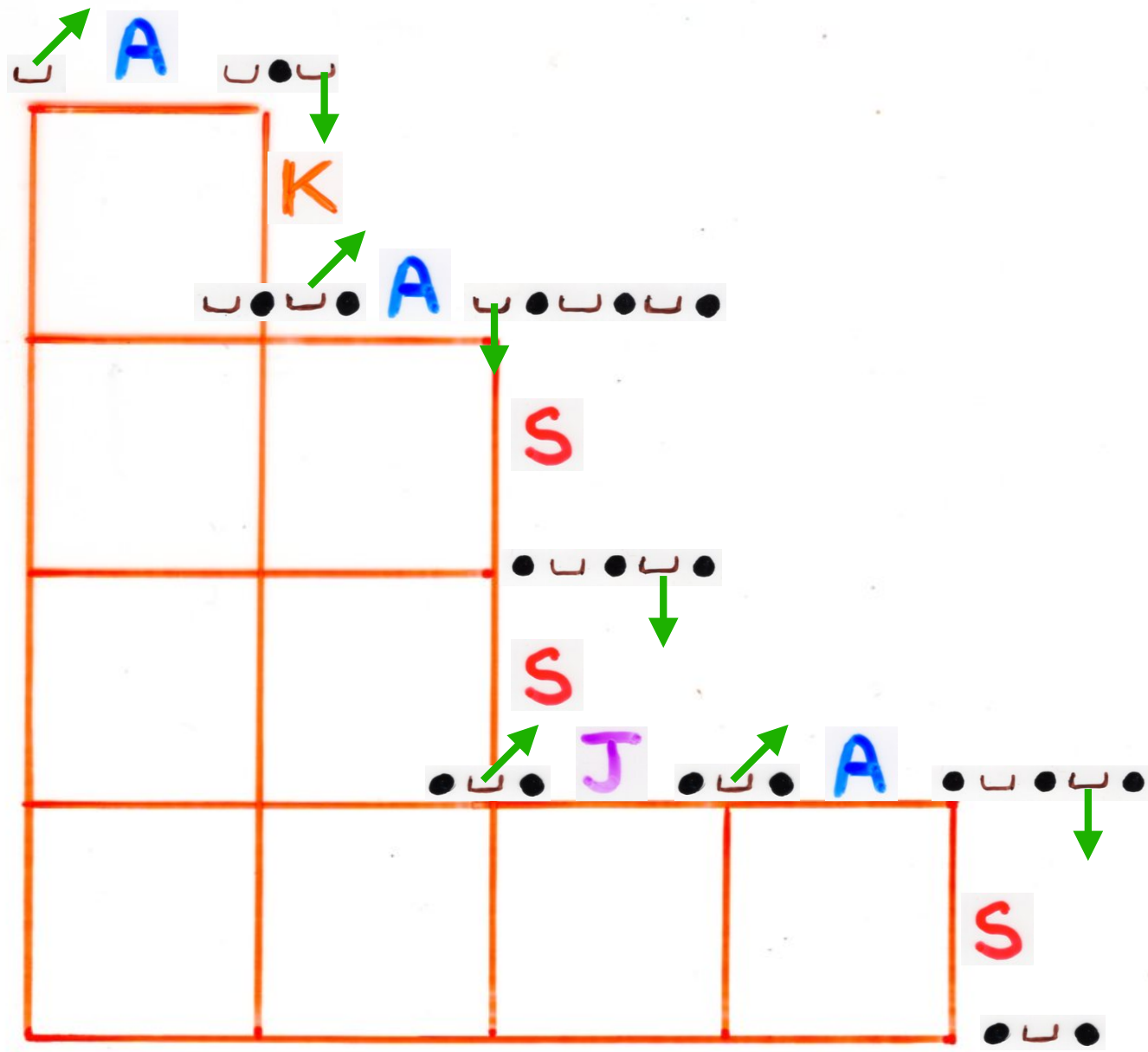
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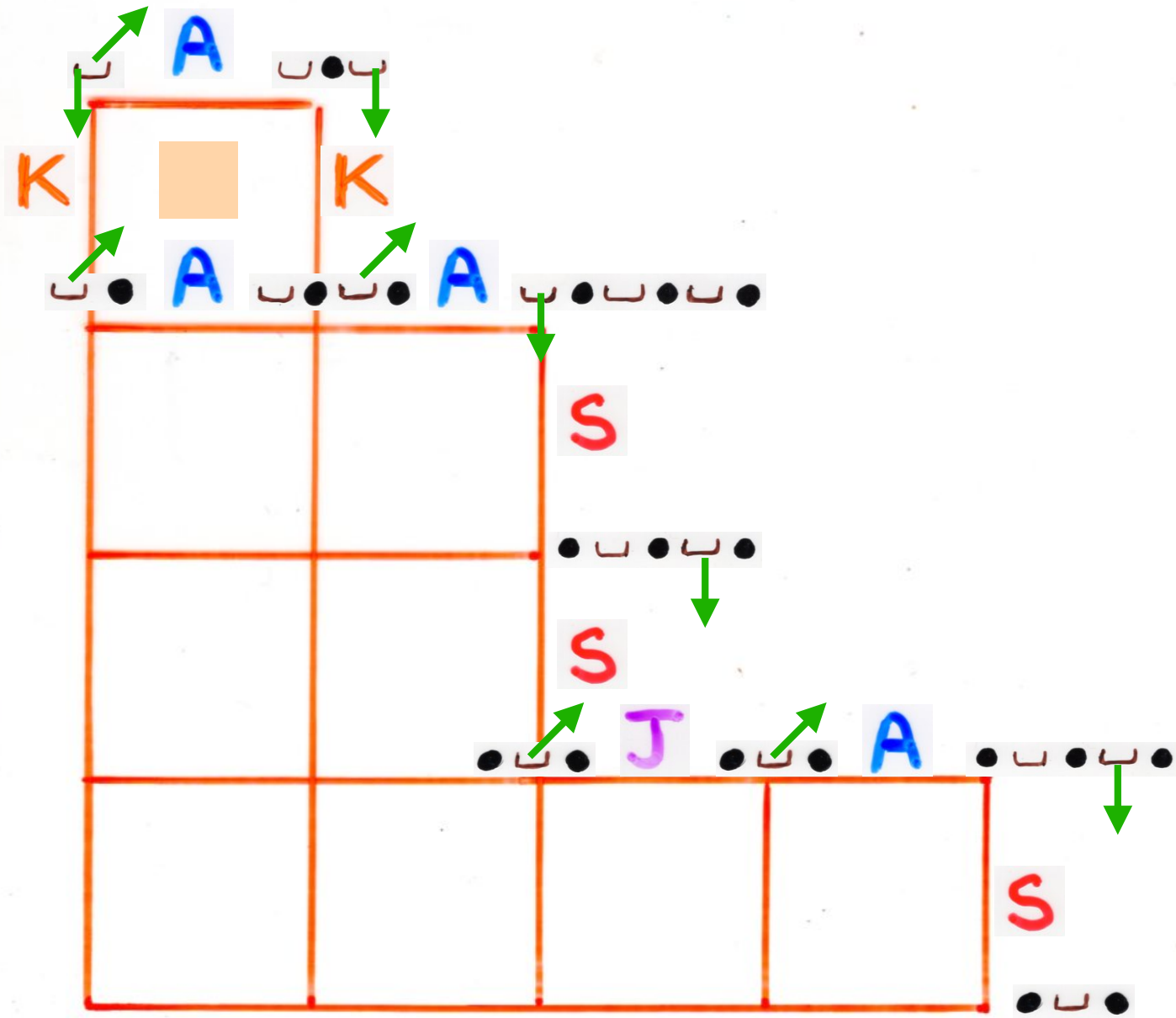


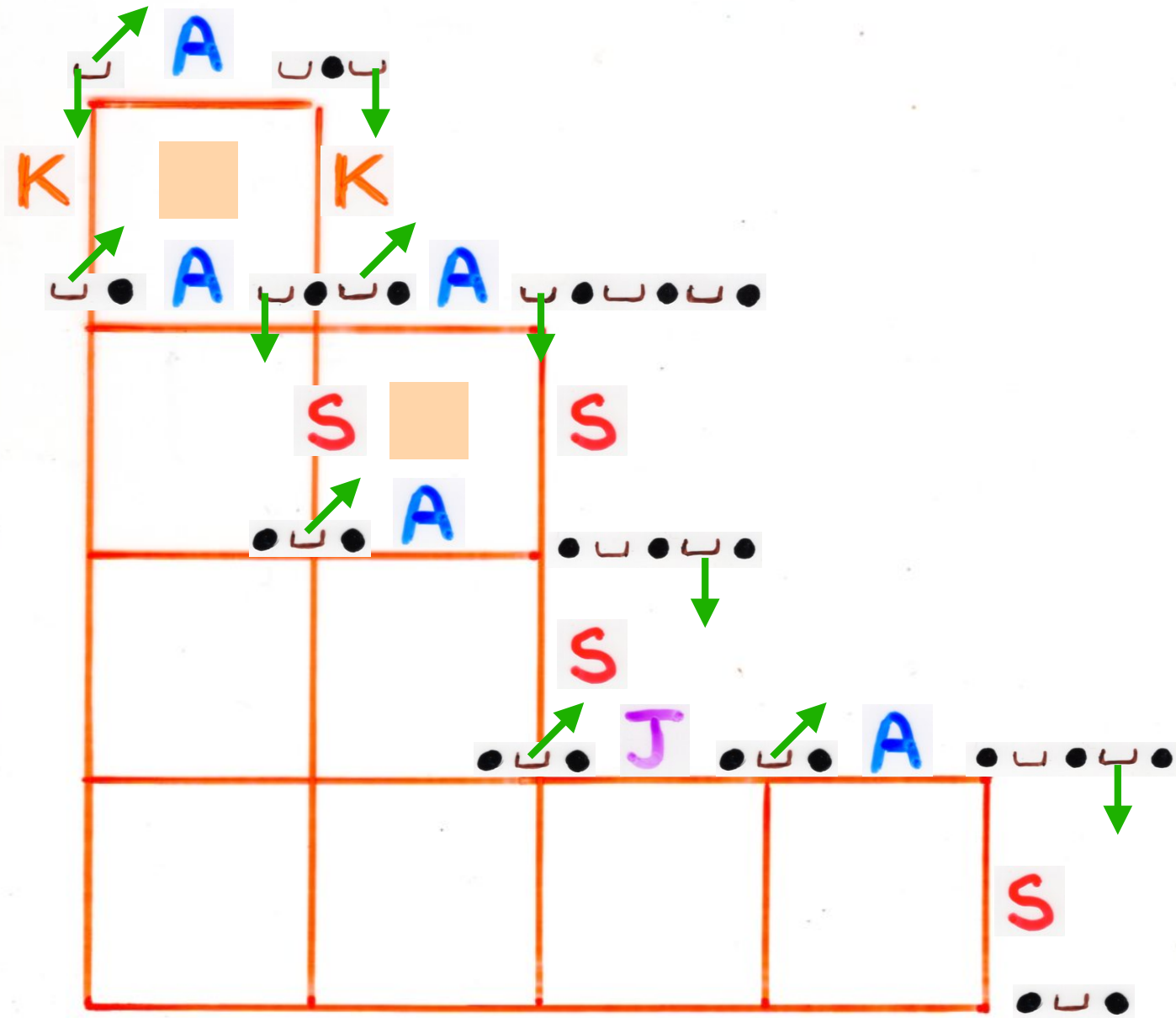


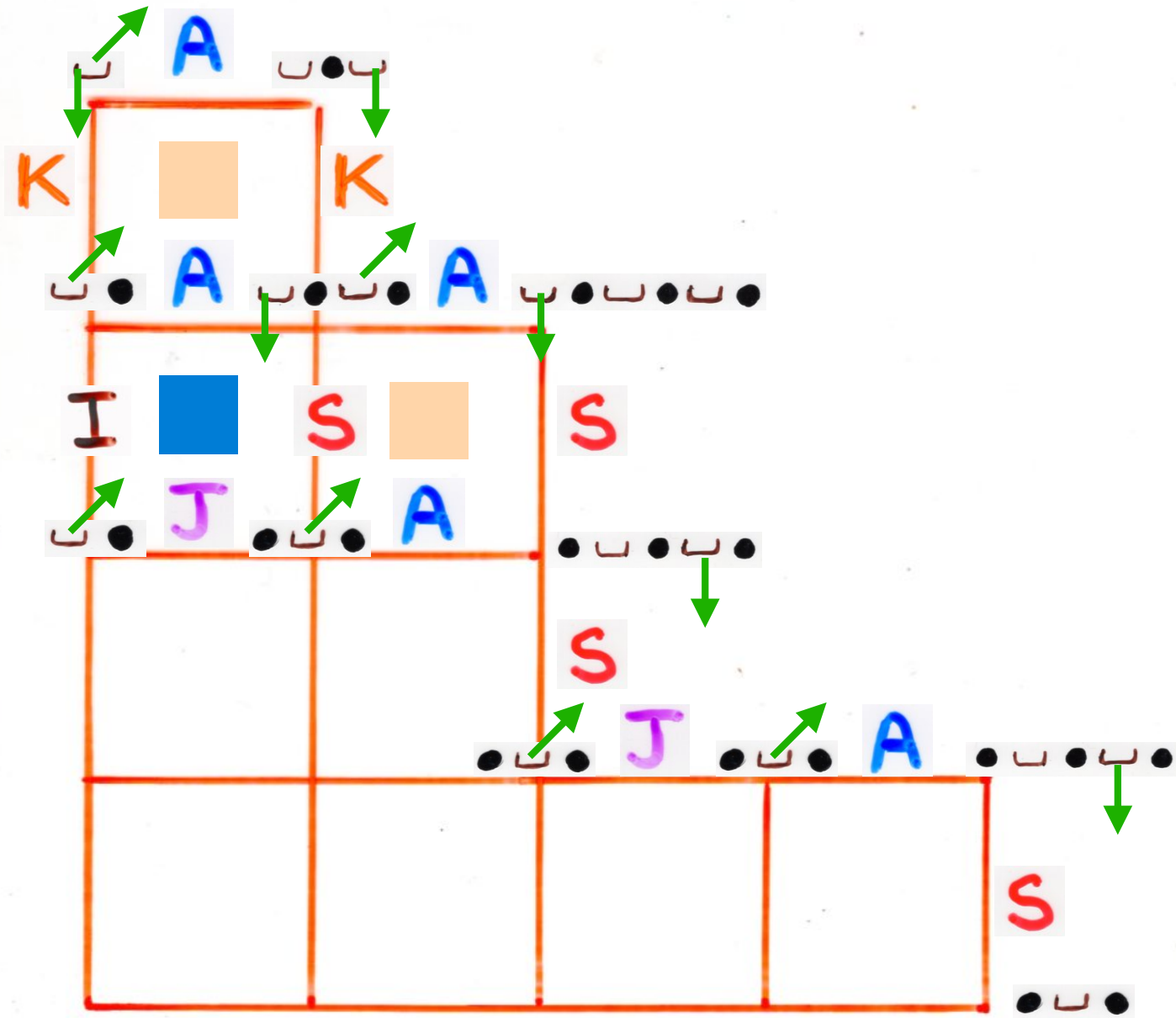
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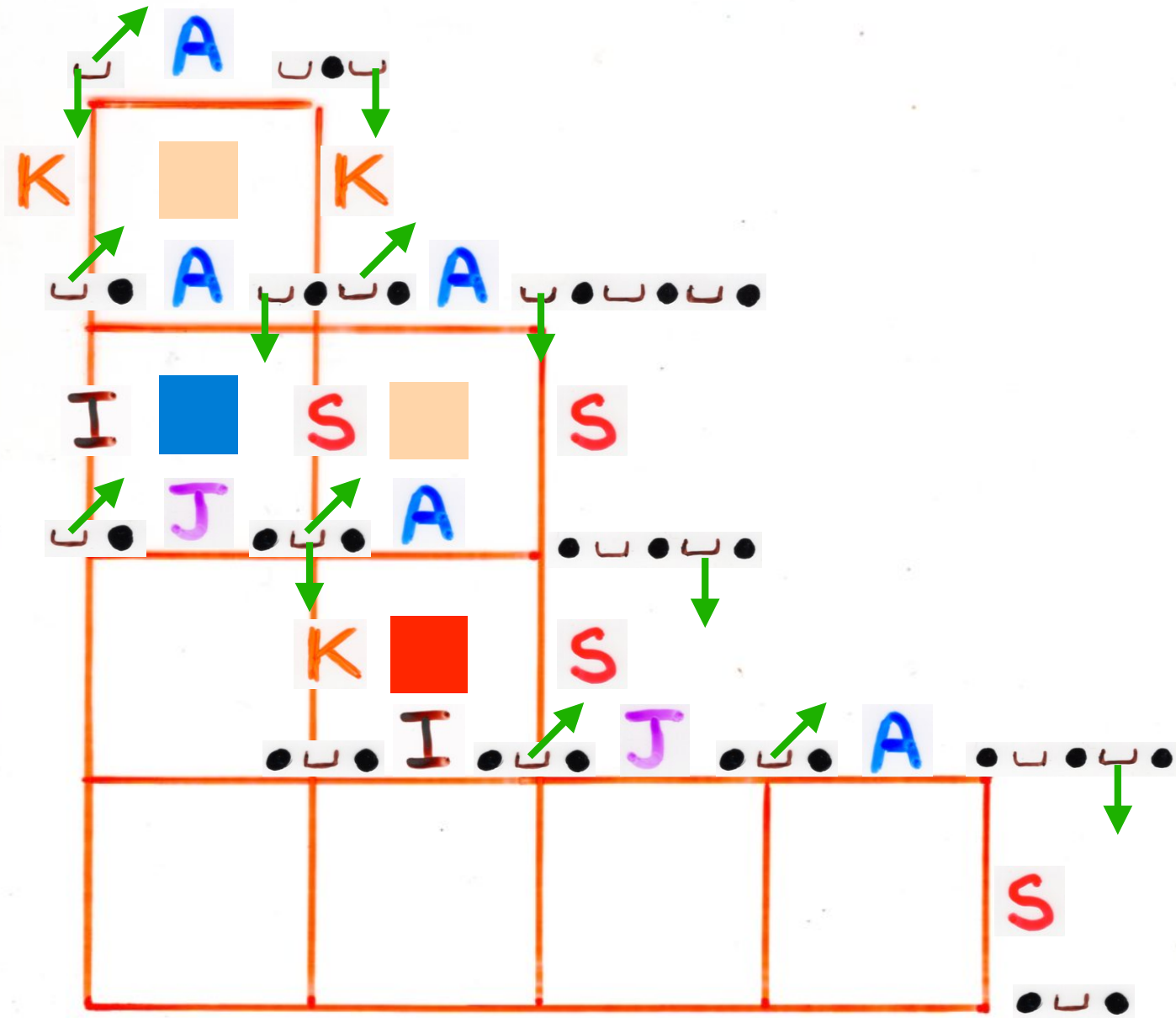


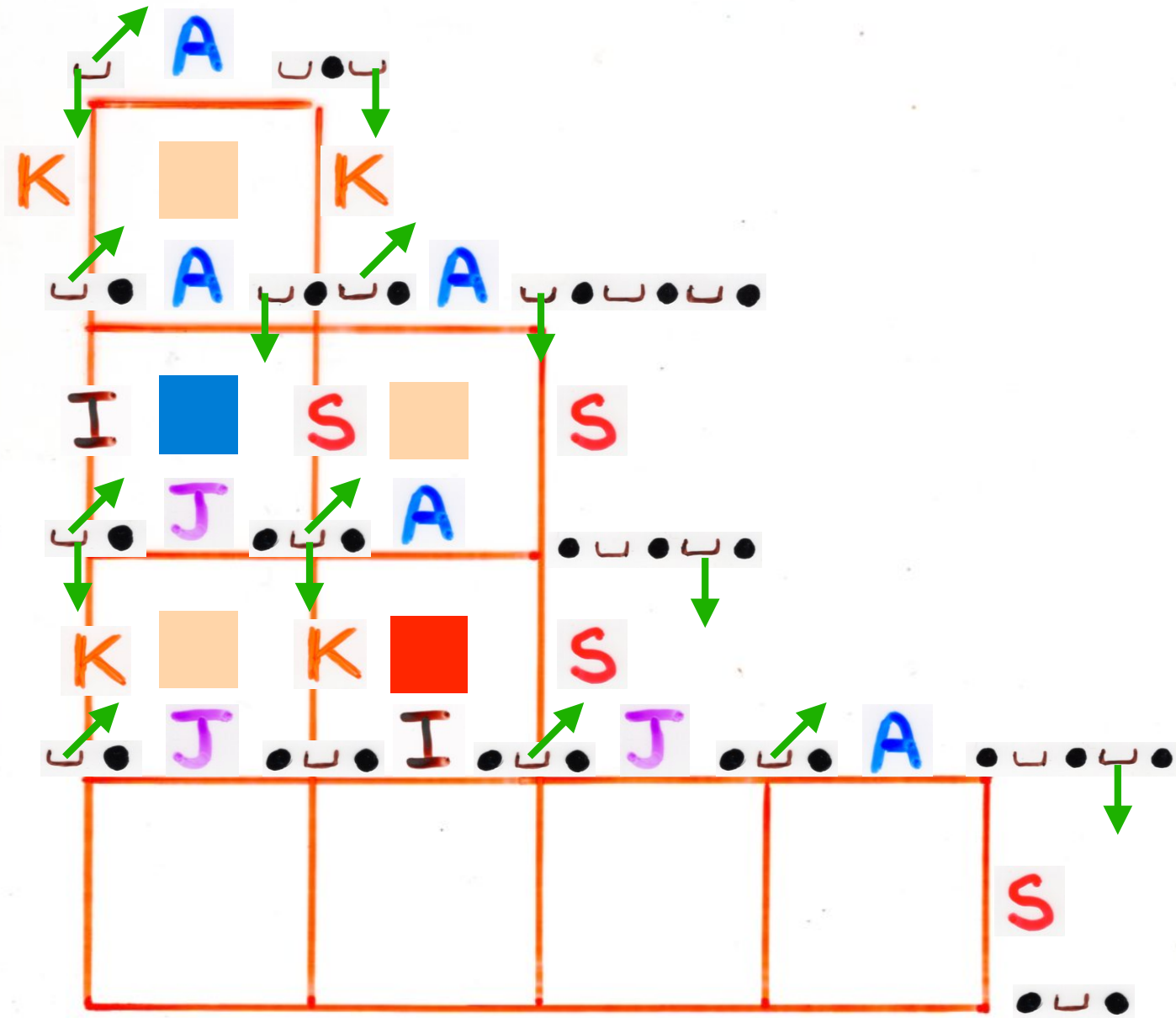


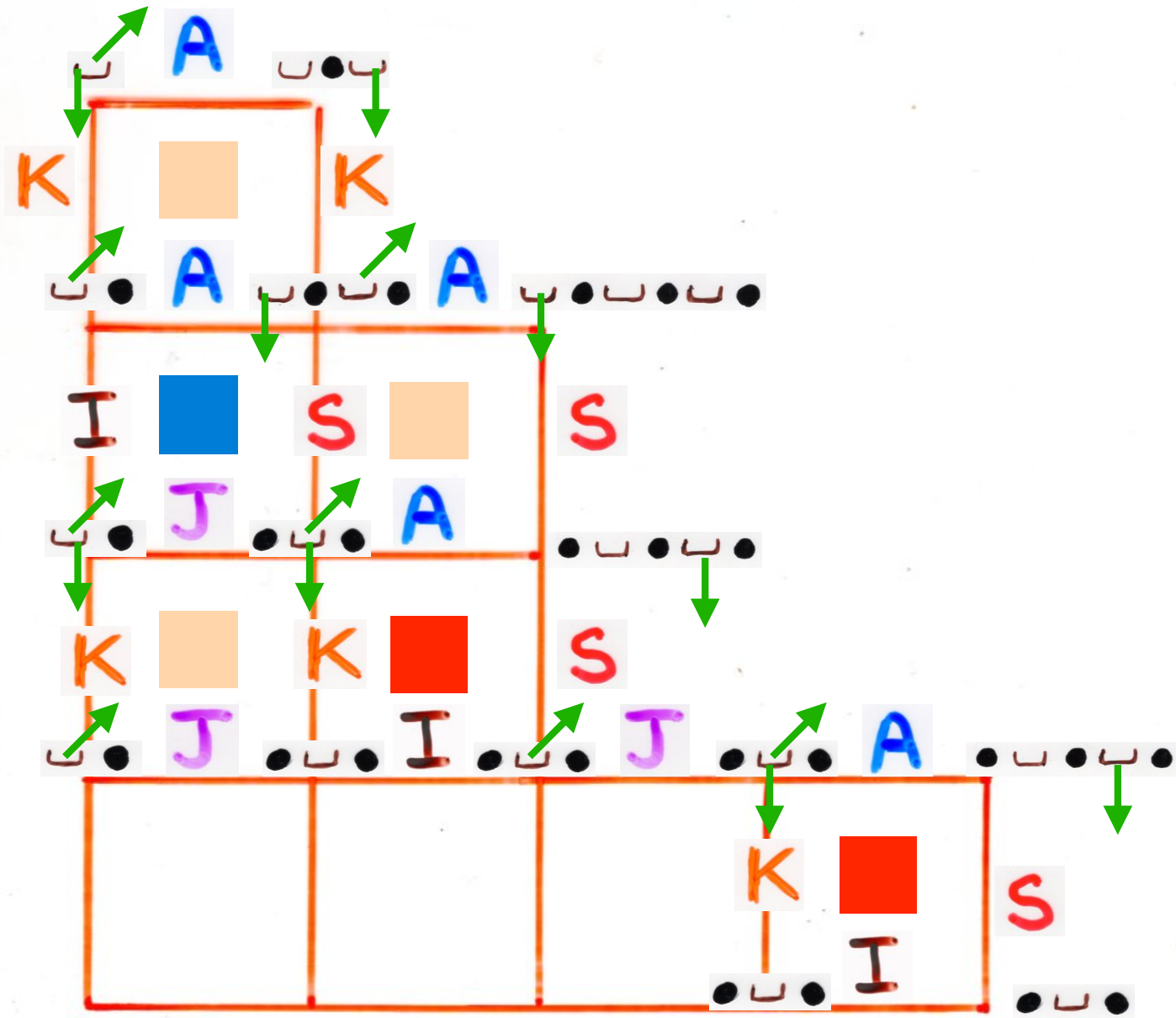


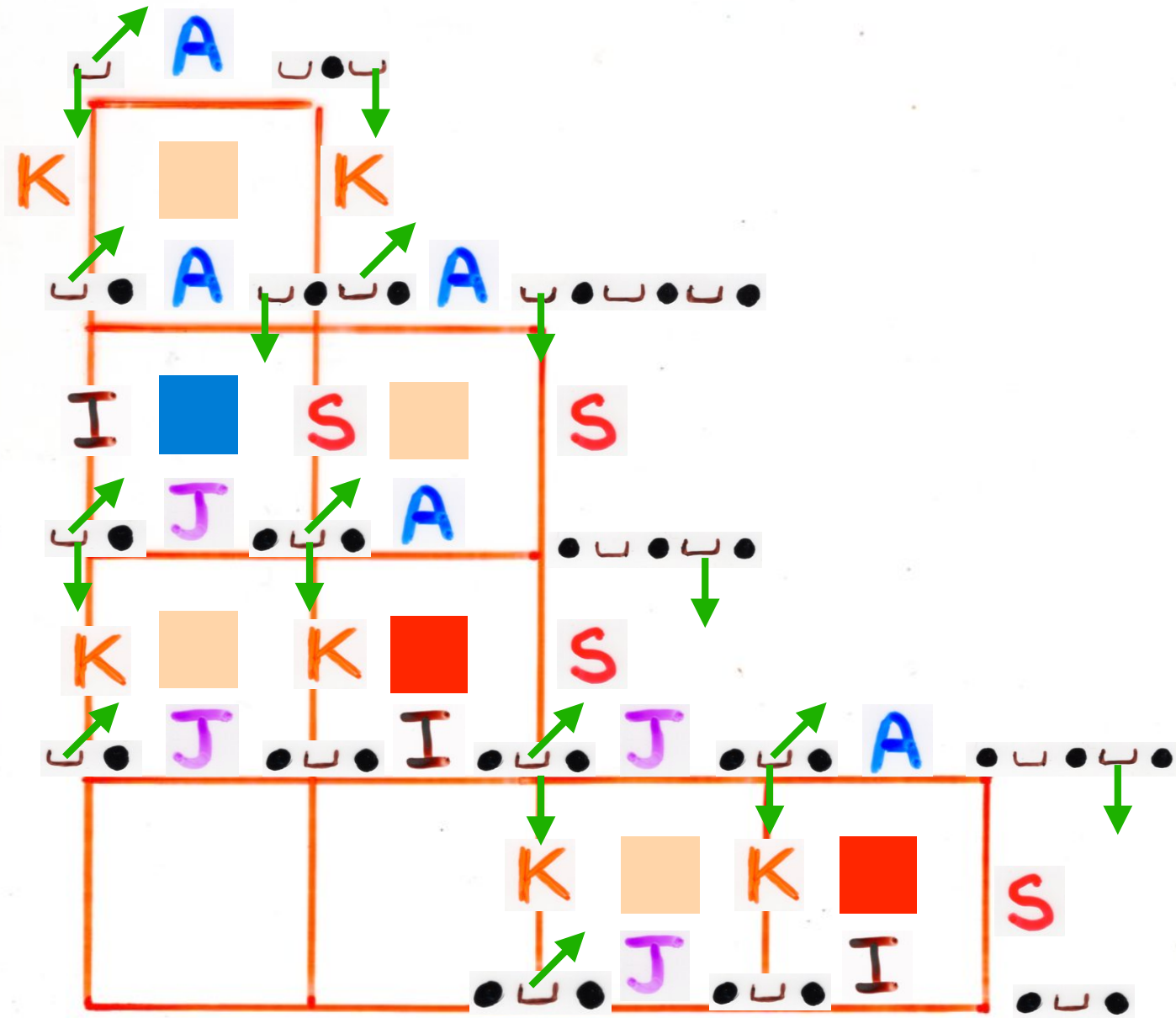


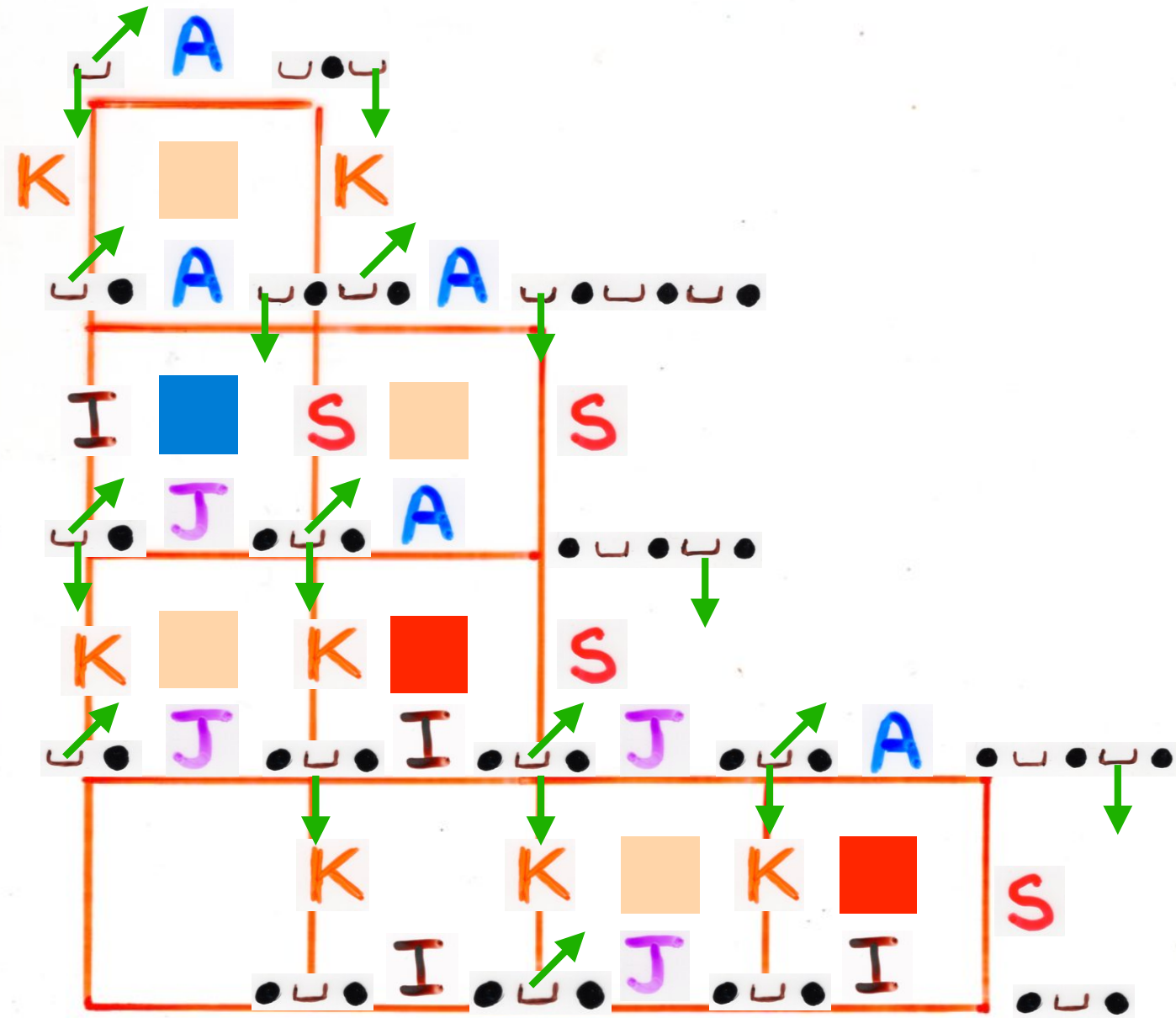


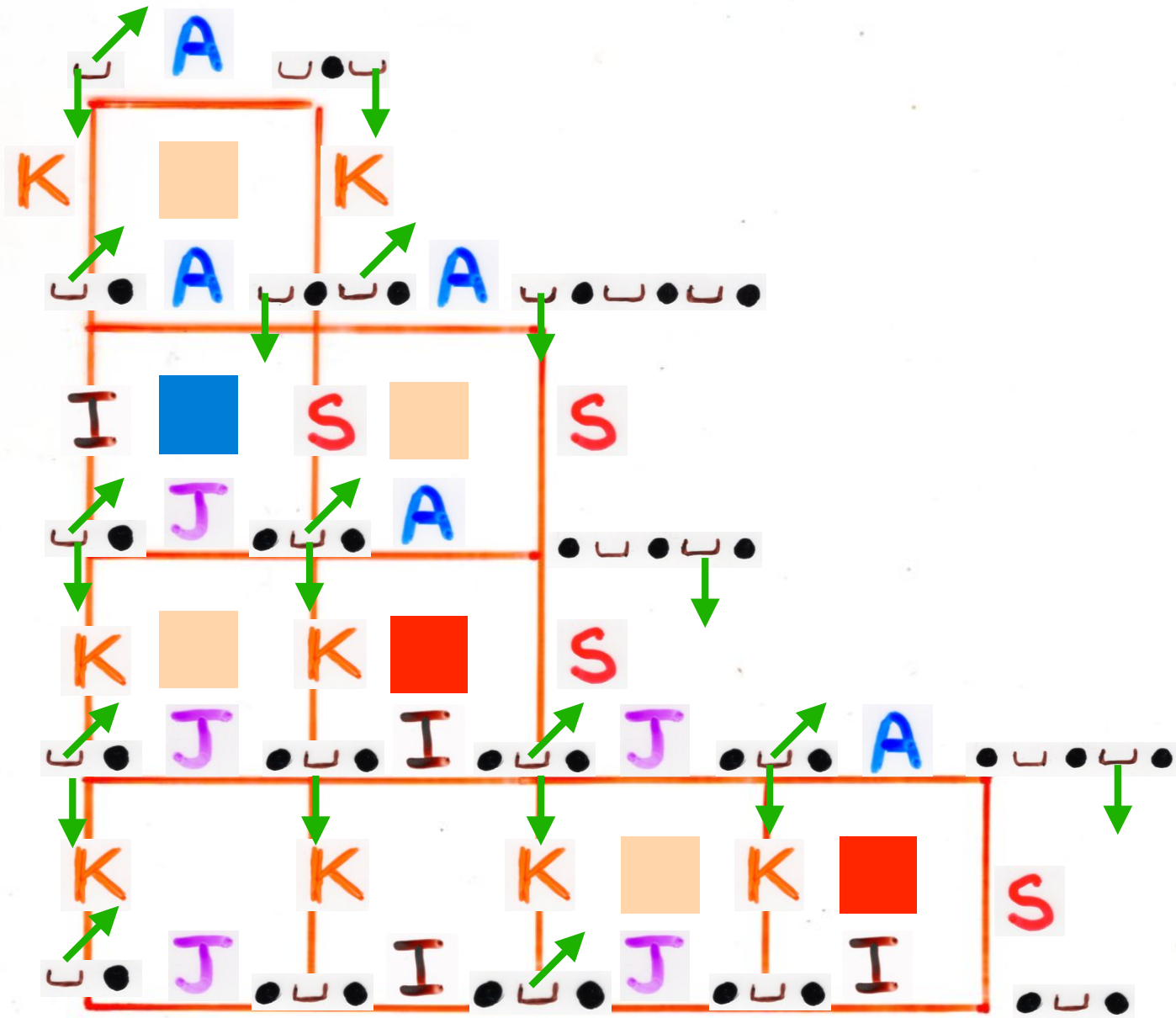


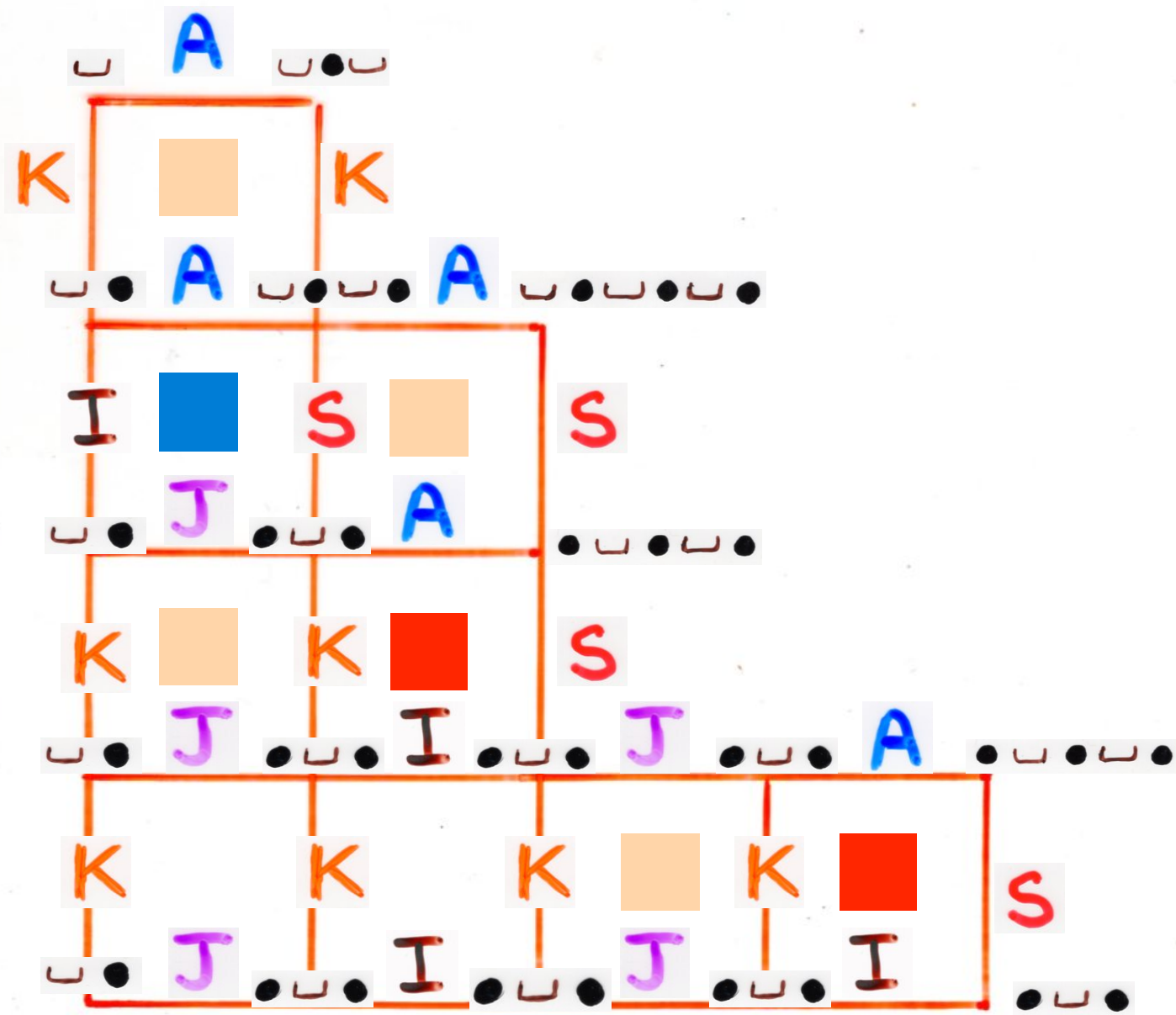


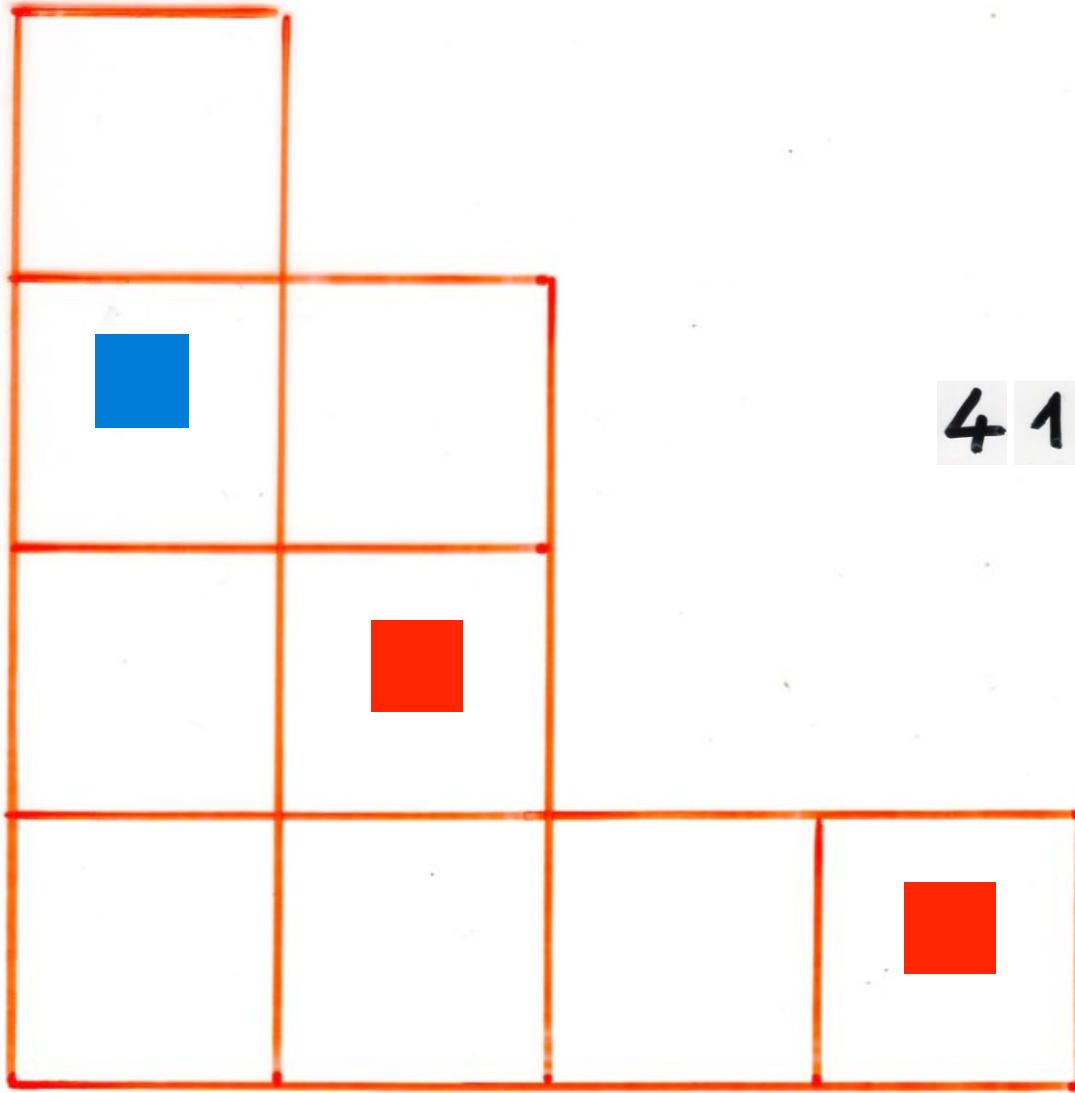












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