

A probabilistic approach to generating trees

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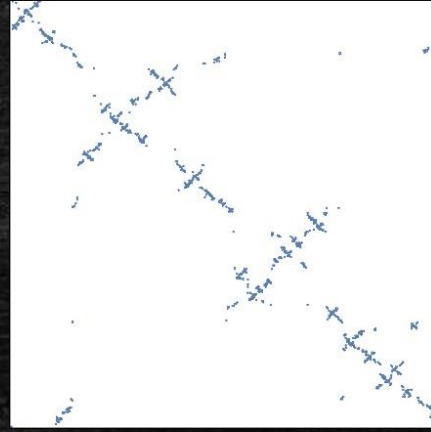
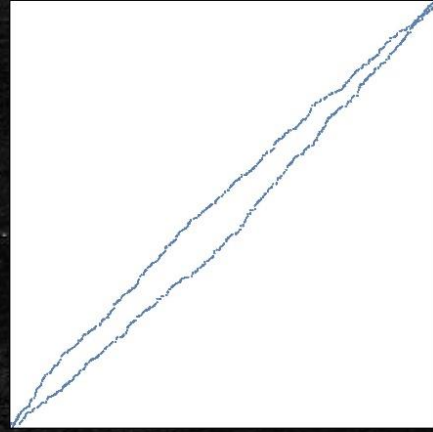
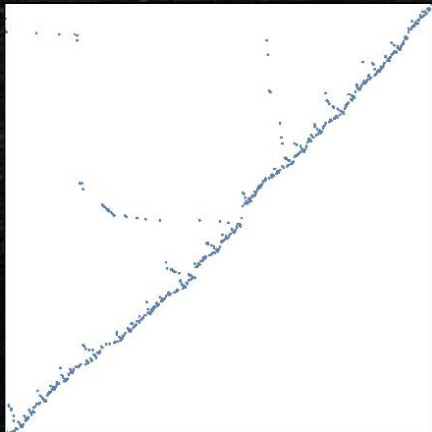
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A REMARKABLY DIFFICULT QUESTION:

GIVEN A FAMILY OF PERMUTATIONS \mathcal{C}

SAMPLE A UNIFORMLY RANDOM

PERMUTATION OF \mathcal{C} OF LARGE SIZE.



MESSAGE: Generating trees are very helpful!

What is a generating tree?

We give the def. of GENERATING TREE in the specific case of PERMUTATIONS but in general it can be defined for every combinatorial class \mathcal{C} .

Def: A GENERATING TREE for a class of permutations \mathcal{C} is an infinite rooted tree whose vertices are the permutations of \mathcal{C} (each appearing exactly once in the tree) and such that the objects of size n are at level n . The children of some permutation $\sigma \in \mathcal{C}$ correspond to the permutations obtained by adding a new dot to the diagram of σ .

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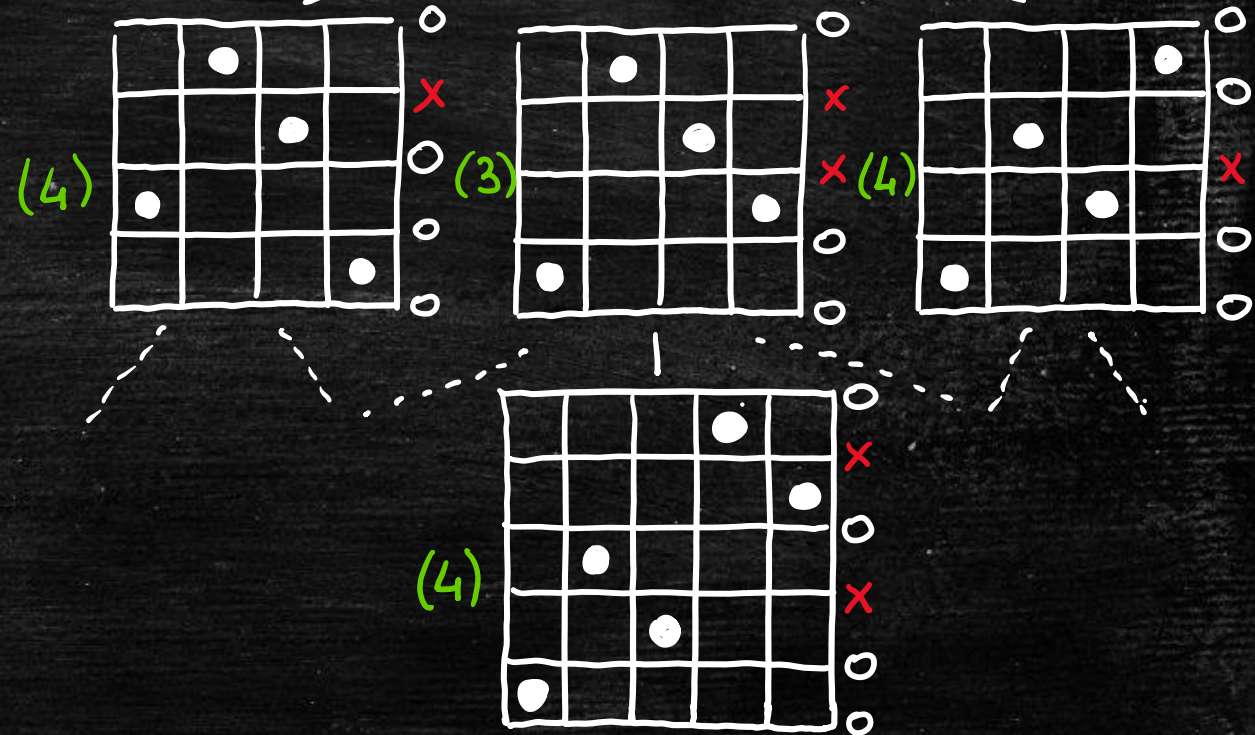
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- The corresponding SUCCESSION RULE is then given by the label λ of the root and, for any label κ , the labels

$$e_1(\kappa), \dots, e_h(\kappa)$$

of the h children of an object labeled by κ .

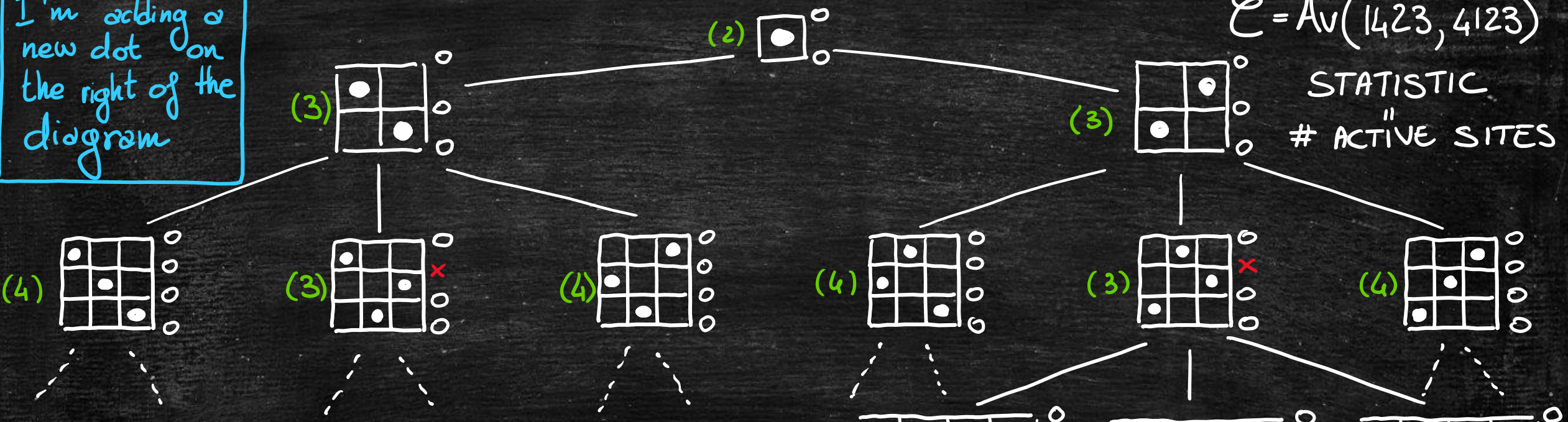
{ Root label: λ

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Root label: } \lambda \\ (\kappa) \mapsto (e_1(\kappa), \dots, e_h(\kappa)) \end{array} \right.$$

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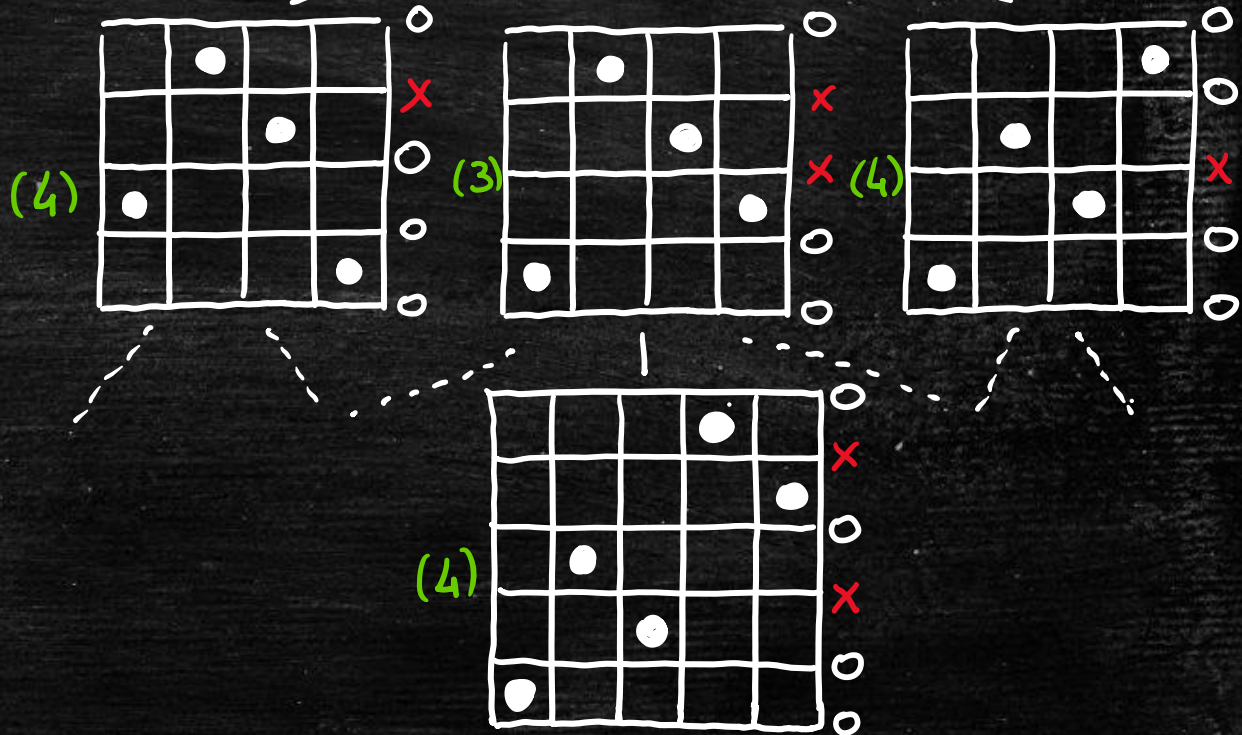
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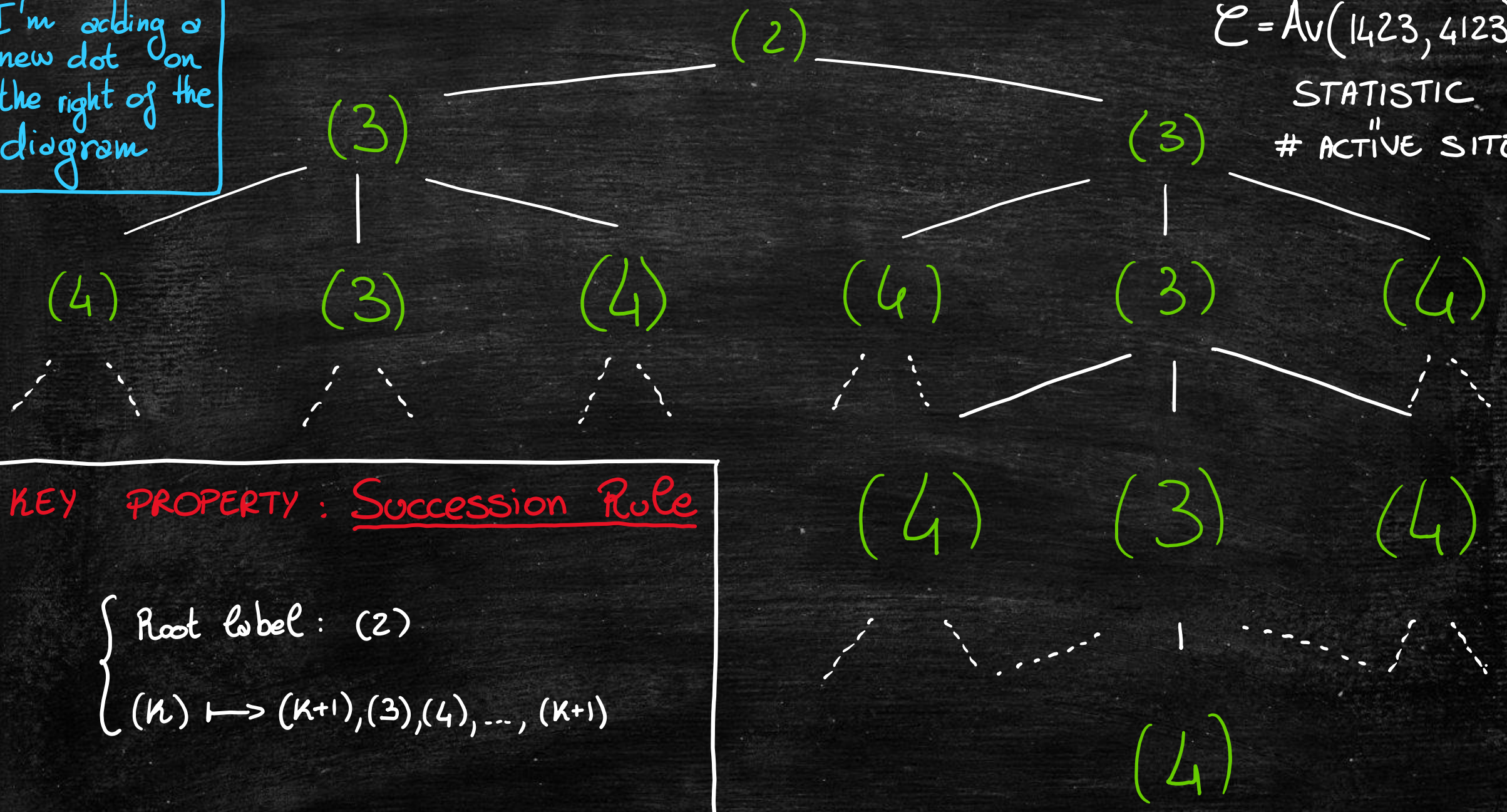
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A bijection between walks and permutations

{ Permutations of size n in \mathcal{E} } $\xleftrightarrow{\text{bij}}$ { Paths in the generating tree ending at level n }

IMPORTANT MESSAGE:

It is very SIMPLE to sample uniform sequences of n labels starting at λ and consistent with the succession rule

\Rightarrow SIMPLE to sample uniform permutations of size n in \mathcal{E} .

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{ Sequences of n labels starting at λ and consistent with the succession rule }

Type of results that one can then prove:

Theorem (Borga 2020)

Let \mathcal{C} be one of the following families of permutations:

$Av(123)$, $Av(132)$, $Av(1423, 4123)$, $Av(1234, 2134)$, $Av(1324, 3124)$

$Av(2314, 3214)$, $Av(2413, 4213)$, $Av(3412, 4312)$, $Av(213, \bar{2} \underline{31})$, $Av(213, \bar{2}^{\circ} \underline{31})$

For all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, let σ_n be a uniform random permutation in \mathcal{C} of size n .

Then for all $\pi \in \mathcal{S}$, $\exists \mu_{\pi}, \gamma_{\pi}^2 \in \mathbb{R}$, such that

$$\frac{c\text{-occ}(\pi, \sigma_n) - n \cdot \mu_{\pi}}{\sqrt{n}} \xrightarrow{d} N(0, \gamma_{\pi}^2)$$

PLEASE, SEND ME AN EMAIL, IF YOU KNOW A FAMILY OF
(CLASSICAL) PATTERN-AVOIDING PERMUTATIONS ENCODED BY A
GENERATING TREE WITH LABELS IN $\mathbb{Z}_{>0}^2$

THANK YOU!