

Dual Filtered Graphs

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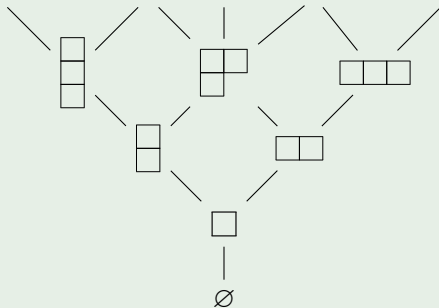
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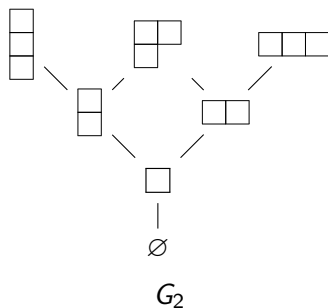
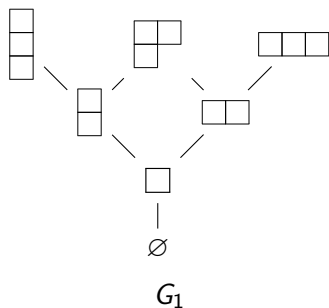
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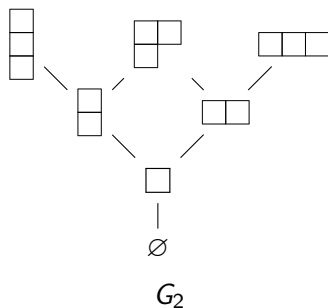
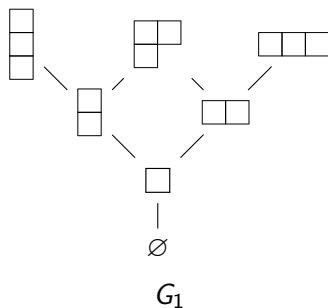
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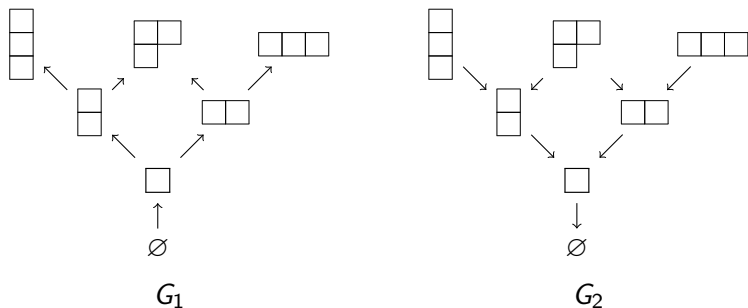
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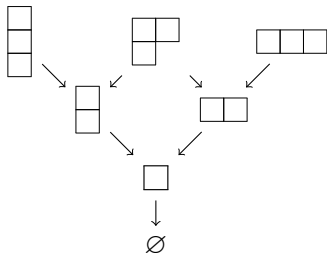
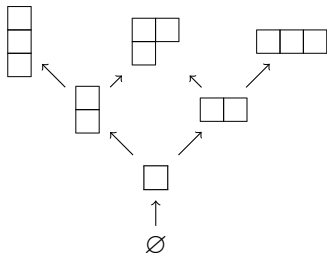
We next define the *up* and *down* operators $U, D \in \text{End}(KP)$.

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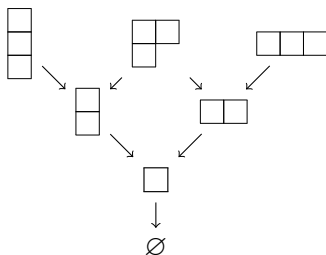
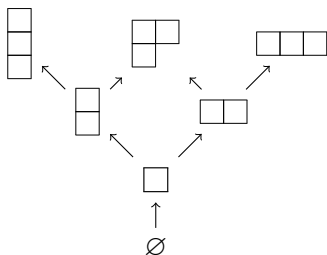
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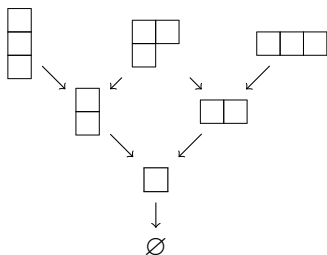
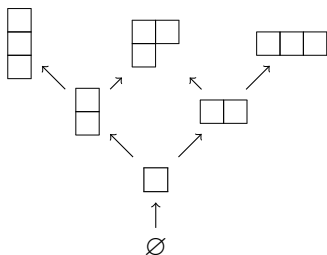
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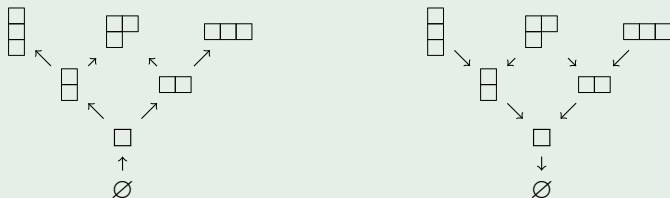
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We call G_1 and G_2 **dual graded graphs** if for any x in G ,

$$(DU - UD)x = x.$$

Example

Young's lattice is a self-dual graded graph (or differential poset (Stanley)).

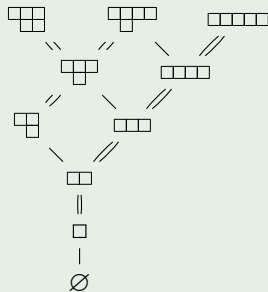
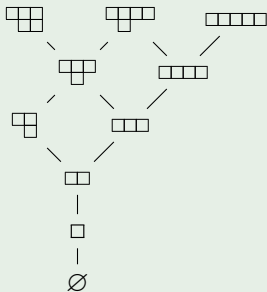


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Example of dual graded graphs

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Shifted Young's lattice forms a dual graded graph.



Why dual graded graphs?

- Invented as a tool to study the Robinson-Schensted insertion algorithm.
- Significant in areas where the correspondence appears, such as Schubert calculus and the study of towers of representations of algebras.

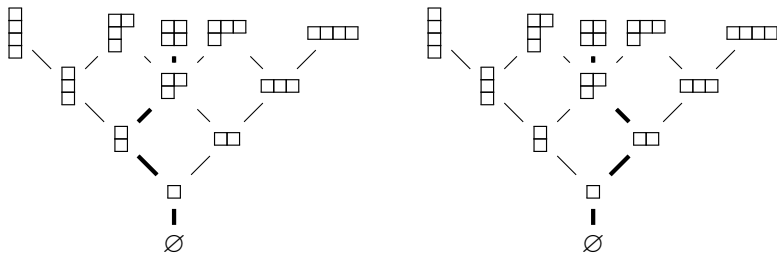
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Take $w = 2413 \in \mathfrak{S}_4$. Then

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Standard set-valued tableaux: Boxes filled with finite, non-empty subsets of positive integers so that rows and columns are strictly increasing and numbers $\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ appear exactly once.

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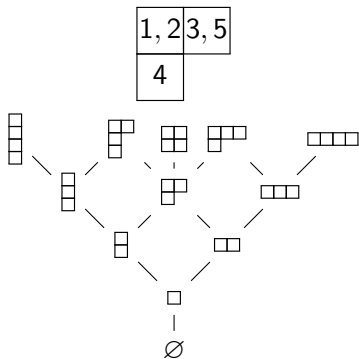
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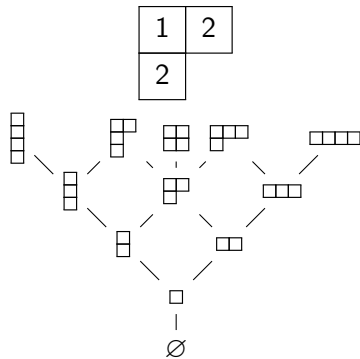
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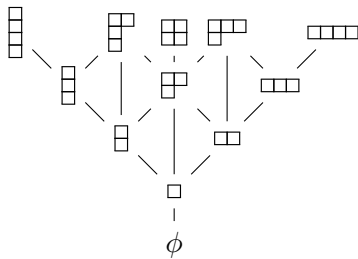
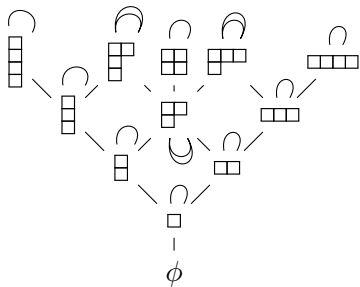


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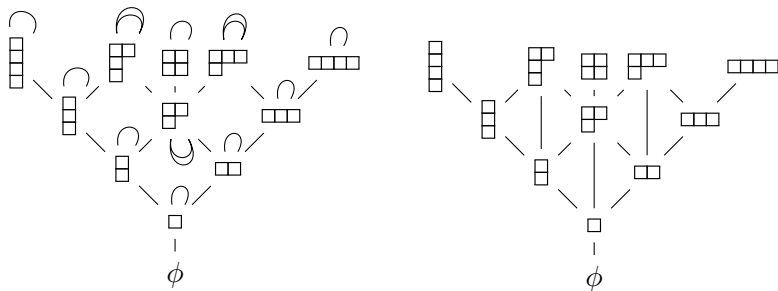


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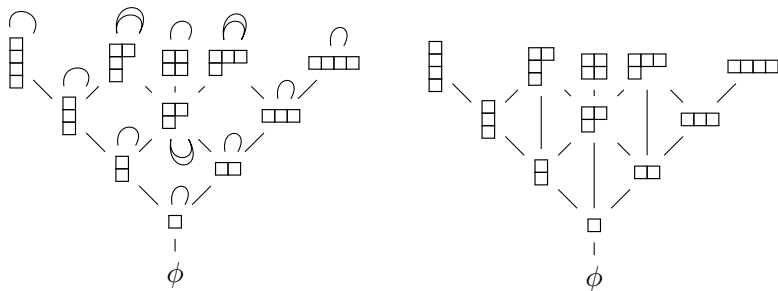
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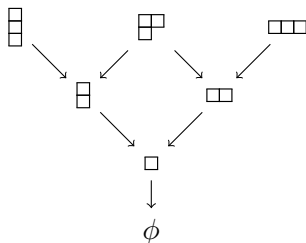
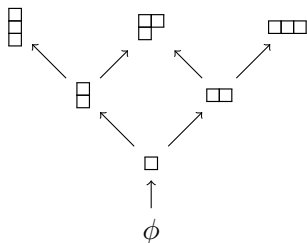
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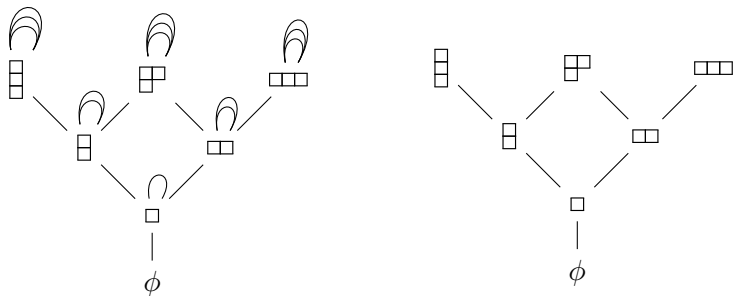
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- Pieri construction - algebraic
- Möbius construction - uses Möbius function

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- For us, $D = \frac{d}{dp_1}$.

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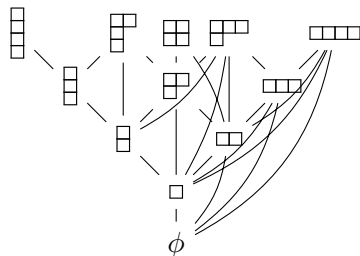
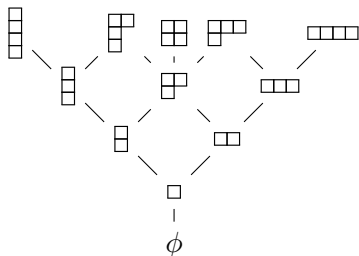
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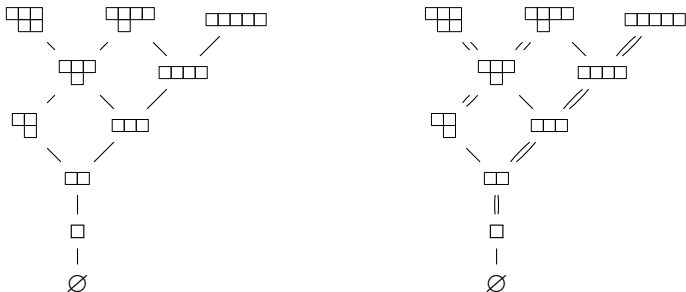


Theorem (P.-Pylyavskyy)

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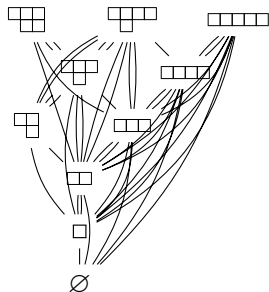
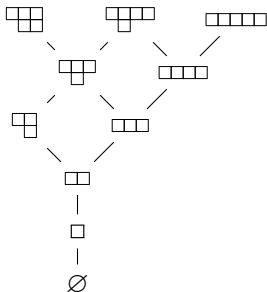
Remark: If we begin with a bialgebra A , there is a natural choice for derivation D .

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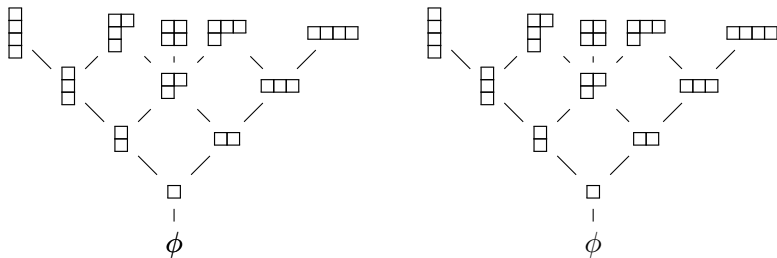
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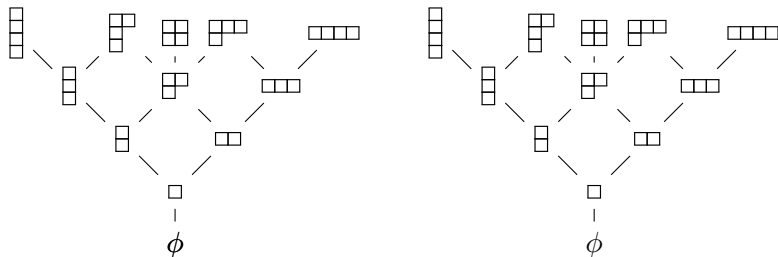
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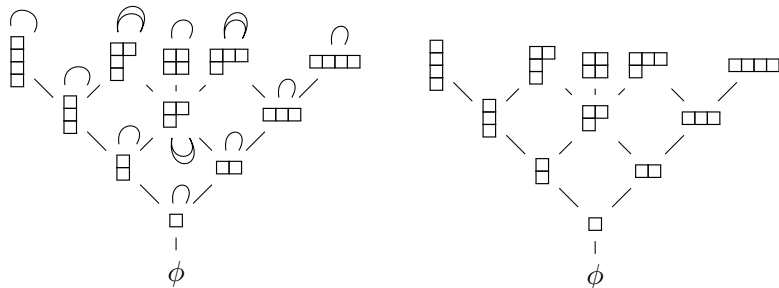
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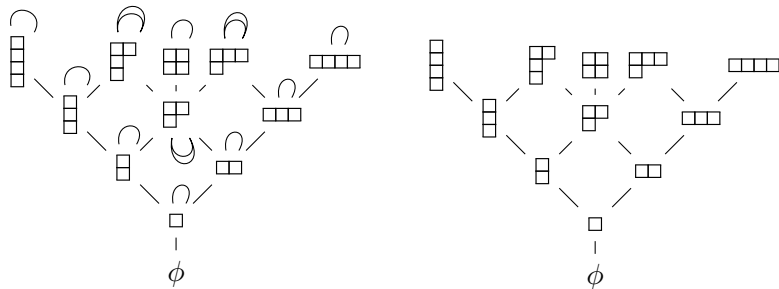
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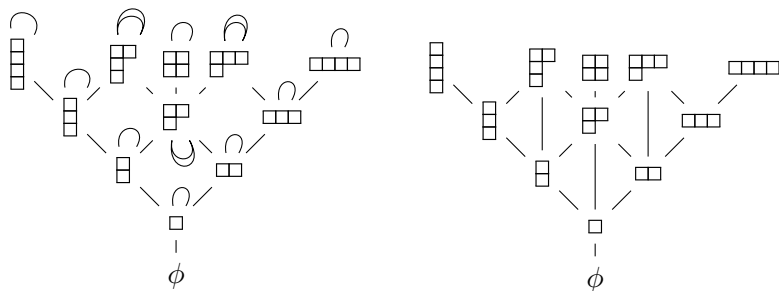
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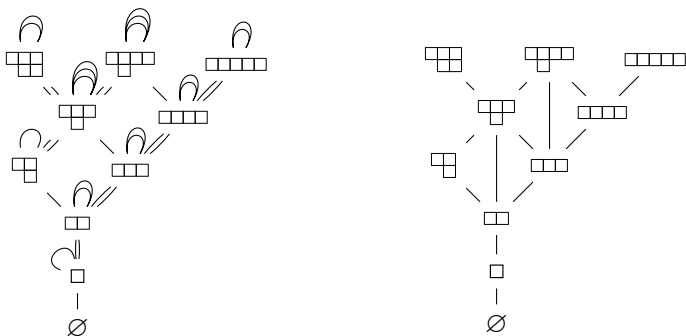
Start with a dual graded graph G , and form a pair of filtered graphs as follows.



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- The Möbius construction does not always produce a pair of dual filtered graphs, and it is unclear how to determine when it does.
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Möbius Construction example: shifted Young's lattice

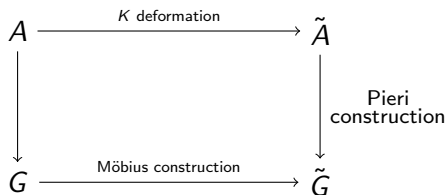


Using this dual filtered graph, we constructed a shifted Hecke insertion, a natural K -theoretic analogue of the shifted insertion of Sagan and Worley. We conjecture this shifted Hecke insertion coincides with the shifted K -jdt (Clifford-Thomas-Yong).

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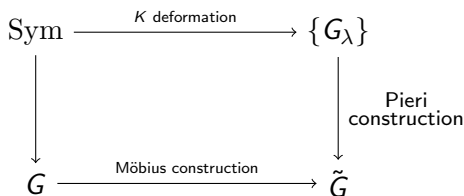
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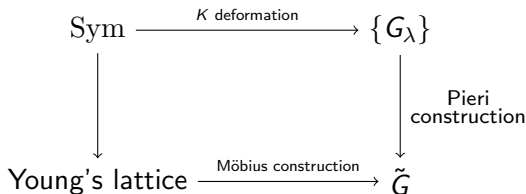
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