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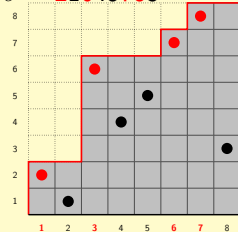
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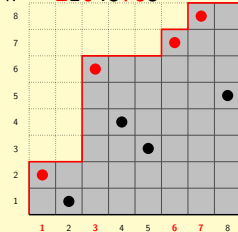
Definition 1 (Equivalence relation modulo left-to-right maxima)

$$\sigma \sim_{\ell} \pi \text{ iff } L(\sigma) = L(\pi) \text{ and } \sigma_i = \pi_i \text{ for all } i \in L(\sigma)$$

$\sigma = 21645783$



$\pi = 21643785$



$$L(\sigma) = \{1, 3, 6, 7\} = L(\pi)$$

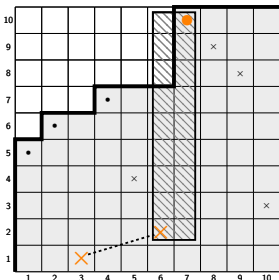
$$\mathcal{S}_n^{\sim_{\ell}} = \{\text{classes of permutations of length } n \text{ modulo } \sim_{\ell}\}$$

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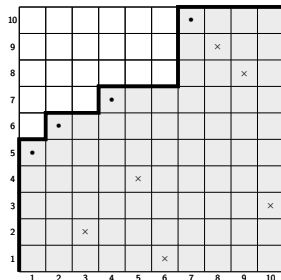
Definition 2 (Generalized patterns)

A *generalized pattern* is a classical pattern where two entries can be separated by a dash, (e.g. $ab-c$, $a-bc$)

σ avoids a generalized pattern π if σ does not contain any subsequence order isomorphic to π , where two entries not separated by a dash in π correspond to two consecutive elements in σ .



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Permutations	Catalan	A000108	1, 2, 5, 14, 42, 132, 429, 1430, 4862
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Derangements	Fine	A000957	0, 1, 2, 6, 18, 57, 186, 622, 2120

Table: Number of equivalence classes for classical subsets of permutations.

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{1-2-3}	Central polygonal	A000124	1, 2, 4, 7, 11, 16, 22, 29, 37
{3-1-2}, {3-2-1}	Catalan	A000108	1, 2, 5, 14, 42, 132, 429, 1430, 4862
{1-3-2}, {2-1-3}, {2-3-1}	Power of 2	A000079	1, 2, 4, 8, 16, 32, 64, 128, 256

Table: Number of equivalence classes for permutations avoiding one classical pattern.

Results relative to permutations avoiding generalized patterns of length 3 modulo left-to-right maxima

Pattern	Sequence	Sloane	$a_n, 1 \leq n \leq 9$
{312}, {321}, {3-12}, {31-2}, {3-21}, {32-1}	Catalan	A000108	1, 2, 5, 14, 42, 132, 429, 1430, 4862
{1-23}	Generalized Catalan	A004148	1, 2, 4, 8, 17, 37, 82, 185, 423
{123}, {23-1}	Motzkin	A000124	1, 2, 4, 9, 21, 51, 127, 323, 835
{12-3}	Central polygonal	A000124	1, 2, 4, 7, 11, 16, 22, 29, 37
{213}	Number of Dyck paths with no UDDU	A135307	1, 2, 4, 9, 23, 63, 178, 514, 1515
{1-32}	Number of Dyck paths with no UUDU	A105633	1, 2, 4, 9, 22, 57, 154, 429, 1223
{13-2}, {2-13}, {21-3}, {2-31}	Power of 2	A000079	1, 2, 4, 8, 16, 32, 64, 128, 256
{132}	New		1, 2, 4, 10, 28, 84, 265, 864, 2888
{231}	New		1, 2, 4, 10, 26, 74, 217, 662, 2059

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Two results using ECO method

Theorem 1 (Enumeration of $S(123)^{\sim \ell}$)

The set $S(123)$ modulo left-to-right maxima is enumerated by the Motzkin sequence (A000124).

Theorem 2 (Enumeration of $S(1-23)^{\sim \ell}$)

The set $S(1-23)$ modulo left-to-right maxima is enumerated by the Generalized Catalan sequence (A004148).

In order to calculate the number of classes for permutations avoiding 123 or 1-23 we will

- exhibit one-to-one correspondence between the sets of equivalence classes and some subsets of permutations (the set of representatives)
- exhibit a recursive relation via ECO method which defines the set of classes
- exhibit the generating function which defines the wished sequence

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Lemma 1 (Bijection between set of representatives and $S(1-23)^{\sim \ell}$)

There is a bijection between \mathcal{A} and $S(1-23)$ modulo left-to-right maxima.

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Eco rule for Generalized Catalan

succession rule :

$$\begin{cases} (2) \\ (k) \rightsquigarrow (1)_2 \cdots (1)_k (k+1) \\ (1)_k \rightsquigarrow (k) \end{cases}$$

Lemma 2

There a bijection between the set of vertices of level n and the set of vertices labelled by $(1)_2$ of level $n+2$ of the tree induced by the above succession rule.

We will enumerate the sets of vertices labelled by $(1)_2$ of level $n+2$ for all positive integers n .

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We deduce from this the following generating functions:

$$B(x, y) + C(xy) = -\frac{1 - x - xy + x^2y - x^2y^2 - x^3y^2 - (1 - x)\sqrt{1 - 2xy - x^2y^2 - 2x^3y^3 + x^4y^4}}{2x^3y^2(1 - x - y + xy - x^2y^2)}$$

$$C(x) = \frac{1 + x - x^2 + \sqrt{1 - 2x - x^2 - 2x^3 + x^4}}{1 - x - 2x^2 - x^3 + x^4 + (1 - x^2)\sqrt{1 - 2x - x^2 - 2x^3 + x^4}}$$

Coefficients of the Taylor expansion of the last generating function equal to c_n , which enumerates the vertices $(1)_2$ at level n for all positive integers n , form the Generalized Catalan sequence.

Thank you for your attention!