

Consequences of the
Lakshmibai-Sandhya Theorem;
the ubiquity of permutation patterns
in Schubert calculus and related geometry

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Review of Lecture 1

1. Every Schubert variety $X(w) \subset GL_n/B$ is defined by determinantal equations coming from rank conditions.
2. $X(v) \subset X(w)$ if and only if $v \leq w$ in Bruhat order.
3. (Lakshmibai-Seshadri) The tangent space at v to $X(w)$ has dimension $\#\{t_{ij} : vt_{ij} \leq w\}$.
4. The Bruhat graph on w has vertices indexed by $\{v : v \leq w\}$ and edges between vertices which differ by a transposition.

Lakshmibai-Sandhya Theorem

Fact. There exists a simple criterion for characterizing smooth Schubert varieties using pattern avoidance.

Theorem: Lakshmibai-Sandhya 1990 (see also Haiman, Ryan, Wolper)

X_w is non-singular $\iff w$ has no subsequence with the same relative order as **3412** and **4231**.

$w = 625431$	contains	6241 \sim 4231	$\implies X_{625431}$ is singular
<i>Example:</i> $w = 612543$	avoids	4231 & 3412	$\implies X_{612543}$ is non-singular

22 Years Later . . .

Consequences of the Lakshmibai-Sandhya Theorem.

Many geometrical properties of Schubert varieties are now characterized by pattern avoidance or a variation on this theme.

Let me tell you about 10 of them!

10 Pattern Properties

Property 1. (Carrell-Peterson, Deodhar, Gasharov) (ca 1994)

The following are equivalent

1. X_w is smooth.
2. The Bruhat graph for w is regular and every vertex has degree $\ell(w)$.
3. $\ell(w) = \#\{t_{ij} \leq w\}$.
4. w avoids 3412 and 4231.
5. The Poincare polynomial for w , $P_w(t) = \sum_{v \leq w} t^{\ell(v)}$ is palindromic.
6. The Poincare polynomial for w factors nicely

$$P_w(t) = \prod_{i=1}^k (1 + t + t^2 + \cdots + t^{e_i})$$

Example. $P_{4321}(t) = (1 + t)(1 + t + t^2)(1 + t + t^2 + t^3)$

10 Pattern Properties

Prop 1 (Continued).

The following are also equivalent

1. X_w is smooth.
2. w avoids 3412 and 4231.
3. In the inversion hyperplane arrangement defined by $x_i - x_j = 0$ for all $i < j$ such that $w(i) > w(j)$, the generating function

$$R_w(t) = \sum_r q^{d(r)} = \sum_{v \leq w} t^{l(v)} = P_w(t)$$

4. The Kazhdan-Lusztig polynomial $P_{x,w}(t) = 1$ for all $x \leq w$.
5. The Kazhdan-Lusztig polynomial $P_{id,w}(t) = 1$.

See Oh-Postnikov-Yoo (2008), Kazhdan-Lusztig (1980) + Deodhar, Carrell-Peterson, Irving (1988), Braden-MacPherson (2001).

Example. $P_{id,3412}(t) = (1 + t)$

Aside on KL-polys

“Everything you need to know to get started:”

- S_n generated by adjacent transpositions $s_i = t_{i,i+1}$ for $1 \leq i < n$.
- $\mathcal{H} =$ *Hecke algebra* associated to S_n generated by $\{T_1, T_2, \dots, T_{n-1}\}$ with relations
 1. $(T_i)^2 = (q - 1)T_i + q$.
 2. $T_i T_j = T_j T_i$ if $|i - j| > 1$.
 3. $T_i T_{i+1} T_i = T_{i+1} T_i T_{i+1}$ for all $1 \leq i < n$.
- $T_w = T_{i_1} T_{i_2} \cdots T_{i_p}$ if the reduced expression $s_{i_1} s_{i_2} \cdots s_{i_p} = w \in S_n$.

Easy Fact. $\{T_w : w \in W\}$ form a linear basis for \mathcal{H} .

An Involution on the Hecke Algebra

Observation. T_w 's are invertible over $\mathbb{Z}[q, q^{-1}]$.

- Recall the relation $(T_i)^2 = (q - 1)T_i + q$.
- $(T_i)^{-1} = q^{-1}T_i - (1 - q^{-1})$.
- $(T_{w^{-1}})^{-1} = (T_{i_1})^{-1} \cdots (T_{i_p})^{-1}$ if $s_{i_1} s_{i_2} \cdots s_{i_p} = w$ (reduced).

Kazhdan-Lusztig Involution. Linear transformation interchanging

$$T_w \xleftrightarrow{i} (T_{w^{-1}})^{-1}$$

$$q \xleftrightarrow{i} q^{-1}$$

Kazhdan-Lusztig Basis for \mathcal{H}

Theorem. (KL, 1979) There exists a unique basis $\{C'_w : w \in W\}$ for the Hecke algebra over $\mathbb{Z}[q^{\frac{1}{2}}, q^{-\frac{1}{2}}]$ such that

1. $i(C'_w) = C'_w$.
2. The change of basis matrix is upper triangular and determined by

$$C'_w = q^{-\frac{1}{2}\ell(w)} \sum_{x \leq w} P_{x,w}(q) T_x$$

where $P_{w,w} = 1$ and for all $x < w$, $P_{x,w}(q) \in \mathbb{Z}[q]$ with degree at most

$$\frac{\ell(w) - \ell(x) - 1}{2}.$$

Defn. $P_{x,w}(q)$ is the *Kazhdan-Lusztig polynomial* for x, w .

Examples

$$C'_{s_i} = q^{-\frac{1}{2}}(1 + T_i) = q^{\frac{1}{2}}(1 + T_i^{-1})$$

$$\begin{aligned} C'_{s_i} C'_{s_j} &= q^{-1}(1 + T_i)(1 + T_j) \\ &= q^{-1}(1 + T_i + T_j + T_i T_j) \\ &= C'_{s_i s_j} \quad \text{for } i \neq j \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} C'_{s_1} C'_{s_2} C'_{s_1} &= q^{-\frac{3}{2}}(1 + T_1)(1 + T_2)(1 + T_1) \\ &= q^{-\frac{3}{2}}(1 + 2T_1 + T_2 + T_1 T_2 + T_2 T_1 + T_1^2 + T_1 T_2 T_1) \\ &= q^{-\frac{3}{2}}(1 + 2T_1 + T_2 + T_1 T_2 + T_2 T_1 + ((q - 1)T_1 + q) + T_1 T_2 T_1) \end{aligned}$$

$$C'_{s_1 s_2 s_1} = C'_{s_1} C'_{s_2} C'_{s_1} - C'_{s_1}$$

Deodhar Elements

Defn. $w \in S_n$ is *Deodhar* if $C'_w = C'_{s_{i_1}} C'_{s_{i_2}} \cdots C'_{s_{i_p}}$ for some reduced expression $s_{i_1} s_{i_2} \cdots s_{i_p} = w$.

- $C'_{s_1 s_2} = C'_{s_1} C'_{s_2}$ is *Deodhar*.
- $C'_{s_1 s_2 s_1} = C'_{s_1} C'_{s_2} C'_{s_1} - C'_{s_1}$ is *nonDeodhar*.

Kazhdan-Lusztig Polynomials

Observation. We have $P_{x,w} = P_{xs_i,w}$. If $ws < w$ and $xs < x < w$,

$$P_{x,w}(q) = qP_{xs_i,ws_i}(q) + P_{x,ws_i}(q) - \sum_{zs_i < z} q^{\frac{\ell(w)-\ell(z)}{2}} \mu(z, ws_i) P_{x,z}(q).$$

where $\mu(x, w) =$ coefficient of $q^{\frac{\ell(w)-\ell(x)-1}{2}}$ in $P_{x,w}(q)$.

Theorem. (KL,1980)

If W is a Weyl group or affine Weyl group then

$$P_{x,w}(q) = \sum \dim \mathcal{I}\mathcal{H}_x^i(X_w) q^i.$$

Corollary.

The coefficients of $P_{x,w}(q)$ are non-negative integers with constant term 1.

Examples of Kazhdan–Lusztig polynomials

Below are all $P_{x,w}(q)$ with $x = \text{id}$ and $w \in S_5$ which are different from 1:

w	$P_{\text{id},w}$
(14523) (15342) (24513) (25341) (34125) (34152) (35124) (35142) (35241) (35412) (41523) (42315) (42351) (42513) (42531) (43512) (45132) (45213) (51342) (52314) (52413) (52431) (53142) (53241) (53421) (54231)	$q + 1$
(34512) (45123) (45231) (53412)	$2q + 1$
(52341)	$q^2 + 2q + 1$
(45312)	$q^2 + 1$

Interesting Properties

1. (Beilinson–Bernstein, Brylinski–Kashiwara, 1981) The multiplicities of irreducibles in the formal character of a Verma module are determined by the $P_{v,w}(1)$.
2. (Irving, 1988, Braden–MacPherson, 2001)
If $x \leq y$, $\text{coef}_{q^k} P_{x,w}(q) \geq \text{coef}_{q^k} P_{y,w}(q)$
3. (Polo, 1999) Every polynomial with constant term 1 and nonnegative integer coefficients is the KL-poly of some pair of permutations.
4. (McLarnan-Warrington, 2003) Let $\mu(x, w) = \text{coefficient of } q^{\frac{\ell(w) - \ell(x) - 1}{2}}$. Then for S_9 , $\mu(x, w) \in \{0, 1\}$. For S_{10} , $\mu(x, w) = 5$ is possible.
5. (Du Cloux 2003, Brenti 2004, Brenti-Caselli-Marietti 2006) For all Coxeter groups, there exists a formula for $P_{x,w}(q)$ which only depends on the abstract interval $[id, w]$ in Bruhat order.

10 Pattern Properties

Property 1 (Continued). Some localized smoothness tests are similar.

The following are equivalent

1. X_w is smooth at $v \in S_n$.
2. $\ell(w) = \{vt_{ij} \leq w\}$. (L-s)
3. The Kazhdan-Lusztig polynomial $P_{x,w}(t) = 1$ for all $v \leq x \leq w$. (K-L)
4. The Kazhdan-Lusztig polynomial $P_{v,w}(t) = 1$ (C-P,I,B-M).

Question. How do 3412 and 4231 patterns help to identify all singular points?

10 Pattern Properties

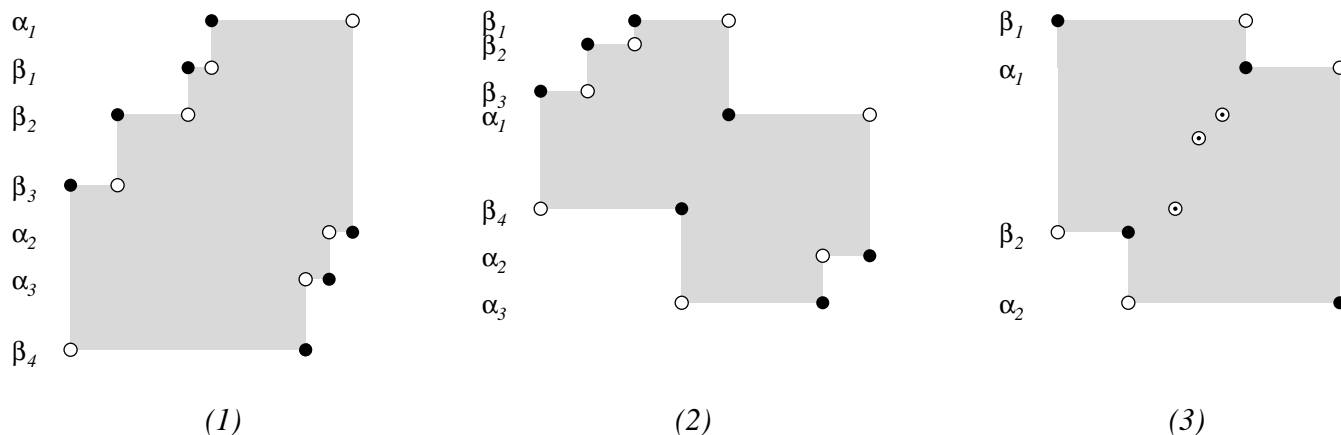
Property 2.

(Billey-Warrington, Manivel, Kassel-Lascoux-Reutenauer, Cortez) (ca 2000)

X_v is an irreducible component of the singular locus of $X_w \iff$

$$v = w \cdot (1\text{-cycle permutation})$$

corresponding to a 4231 or 3412 or 45312 pattern of the following form



Here o's denote 1's in w , •'s denote 1's in v .

10 Pattern Properties

Thm. (Zariski) X is a smooth variety iff the local ring at every point is regular.

Def. X is *factorial* at a point \iff the local ring at that point is a unique factorization domain.

Property 3. (Bousquet-Mélou+Butler, 2007, conj. by Woo-Yong)
 X_w is factorial at every point $\iff w$ avoids **4231** and **3412**. Here **3412** means the **4** and **1** must be adjacent.

Thm. (Bousquet-Mélou+Butler) There is an explicit formula for counting the number f_n of factorial Schubert varieties for $w \in S_n$:

$$F(t) = \frac{(1-t)(1-4t-2t^2) - (1-5t)\sqrt{(1-4t)}}{2(1-5t+2t^2-t^3)}$$
$$= x + 2x^2 + 6x^3 + 22x^4 + 89x^5 + 379x^6 + 1661x^7 + 7405x^8 + \dots$$

10 Pattern Properties

Property 4. There exists a simple criterion for characterizing Gorenstein Schubert varieties using modified pattern avoidance.

Def. X is *Gorenstein* if it is Cohen-Macaulay and its canonical sheaf is a line bundle.

Theorem: Woo-Yong (2004) X_w is Gorenstein \iff

- w avoids **31542** and **24153** with Bruhat restrictions $\{t_{15}, t_{23}\}$ and $\{t_{15}, t_{34}\}$
- for each descent d in w , the associated partition $\lambda_d(w)$ has all of its inner corners on the same antidiagonal.

Gorenstein Schubert varieties

Sketch of proof.

- Step 1: Schubert varieties are all Cohen-Macaulay. (Ramanathan, 1985)
- Step 2: (Brion, Knutson, Kumar) Testing if X_w is Gor. reduces to a comparison using the Weil divisor class group and the Cartier class group.
- Step 3: The Weil divisor class group is generated by the $[X_v] \in H^*(G/B)$ such that w covers v in Bruhat order ($v < \cdot w$).
- Step 4: The Cartier class group is generated by $[X_{w_0 s_i}][X_w]$ and

$$[X_{w_0 s_i}][X_w] = \sum [X_{wt_{ab}}]$$

summed over all $wt_{ab} : a \leq i < b, \ell(v) = \ell(w) - 1$.

- The Schubert variety X_w is Gorenstein if and only if there exists an integral solution $(\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_{n-1})$ to

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \alpha_i \left(\sum_{v=wt_{ab}: a \leq i < b, \ell(v)=\ell(w)-1} [X_{wt_{ab}}] \right) = \sum_{v < \cdot w} [X_v]$$

10 Pattern Properties

Property 5. (Gasharov-Reiner, 2002)

Def. $X(w)$ is *defined by inclusions* if it can be described as the set of all flags F_\bullet where $F_i \subset E_j$ or $E_i \subset F_j$ form some collection of pairs i, j .

Theorem. (Gasharov-Reiner, 2002) $X(w)$ is *defined by inclusions* iff w avoids 4231, 35142, 42513, 351624.

Theorem. (Hultman-Linusson-Shareshian-Sjöstrand, ca 2007) The number of regions in the inversion arrangement for w is at most the number of elements below w in Bruhat order iff w avoids 4231, 35142, 42513, 351624.

Cohomology of Schubert varieties

Gasharov-Reiner show that Schubert varieties defined by inclusions have a nice presentation for their cohomology ring.

Thm. (Carrell, 1992) $H^*(X_w) \approx H^*(G/B)/I_w$ where I_w is generated by all $\mathfrak{S}_v = [X_{w_0}v]$ such that $v \not\leq w$.

Thm. (Akyldiz-Lacoux-Pragacz, 1992) I_w is generated by \mathfrak{S}_v such that $v \not\leq w$ and v is Grassmannian (at most 1 descent).

Def. x is *bigrassmannian* if both x and x^{-1} are Grassmannian.

Thm. (Reiner-Woo-Yong, 2010) I_w is generated by \mathfrak{S}_v such that $v \not\leq w$, v is Grassmannian and there exists some bigrassmannian $x \in E(w)$ such $x \leq v$ and $\mathbf{Des}(x) = \mathbf{Des}(v)$.

Essential sets

Def. Let $E(w)$ be the set of permutations which are minimal elements in Bruhat order in the complement of the interval $[id, w]$.

Thm. (Lascoux- Schützenberger 1992, Geck-Kim 1997)
The elements in $E(w)$ are bigrassmannian.

Thm. (Reiner-Woo-Yong, 2010)
There exists a bijection between $E(w)$ and Fulton's essential set.

Open. What is the relationship between $E(w)$ and defining equations for Schubert varieties in other types?

Open. Find a minimal set of generators for I_w for all $w \in S_n$. (See Reiner-Woo-Yong conjecture).

10 Pattern Properties

Property 6. (Deodhar, Billey-Warrington, 1998)

The following are equivalent

1. $C'_w = C'_{s_{i_1}} C'_{s_{i_2}} \cdots C'_{s_{i_p}}$ for some/any $s_{i_1} s_{i_2} \cdots s_{i_p} = w$ (reduced).

2. The Bott-Samelson resolution of X_w is small.

3.
$$\sum_{v \leq w} t^{l(v)} P_{v,w}(t) = (1+t)^{l(w)}.$$

4. For each $v \leq w$, the Kazhdan-Lusztig polynomial

$$P_{v,w}(t) = \sum_{\sigma \in E(v,w)} t^{\text{defect}(\sigma)}.$$

5. w is 321-hexagon avoiding, i.e. avoids

321, 56781234, 56718234, 46781235, 46718235

10 Pattern Properties

Property 7. Boolean permutations

Theorem. (Tenner, 2006) The principle order ideal below w in Bruhat order is a Boolean lattice $\iff w$ is **321** and **3412** avoiding.

Equivalently, the Bott-Samelson resolution of $X(w)$ isomorphic to $X(w)$.

Note: Boolean permutations are 321-hexagon avoiding.

Theorem. (Fan '98, West '96). The number of Boolean permutations in S_n is the Fibonacci number F_{2n-1} , e.g. $F_1 = 1, F_3 = 2, F_5 = 5$.

10 Pattern Properties

Property 8. (Woo, 2009)

The Kazhdan-Lusztig polynomial $P_{id,w}(1) = 2 \iff w$ avoids 653421, 632541, 463152, 526413, 546213, and 465132 and the singular locus of X_w has exactly 1 component.

Def. $KL_m = \{w \in S_\infty \mid P_{id,w}(1) \leq m\}$.

Example. KL_1 are the permutations indexing smooth Schubert varieties.

Extension (Billey-Weed): KL_2 is characterized by 66 permutation patterns on 5,6,7 or 8 entries.

Open. KL_m is closed under taking patterns. Can it always be described by a finite set of patterns?

KL_2 Patterns

Extension (Billey-Weed): KL_2 is characterized by 66 permutation patterns on 5,6,7 or 8 entries.

; ; 44 patterns in $S_{5,6,7}$; ; ; 22 more in S_8

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10 Pattern Properties

Property 9. (LCI permutations)

Def. A local ring R is a *local complete intersection (lci)* if it is the quotient of some regular local ring by an ideal generated by a regular sequence. A variety is lci if every local ring is lci.

Thm. (Úlfarsson-Woo, 2011) The Schubert variety $X(w)$ is lci if and only if w avoids 53241, 52341, 52431, 35142, 42513, and 426153.

10 Pattern Properties

Property 10. A permutation is *vexillary* if it avoids **2143**.

Combinatorial Properties.

1. (Edelman-Greene, Macdonald) The number of reduced words for a vexillary permutation v is equal to the number of standard tableaux of shape determined by sorting the lengths of the rows of the diagram of v .
2. The Stanley symmetric function F_v is a Schur function iff v is vexillary.

$$F_v = \sum_{\mathbf{a}=a_1 a_2 \dots a_k \in R(v)} \sum_{i_1 \leq \dots \leq i_k \in C(\mathbf{a})} x_{i_1} x_{i_2} \cdots x_{i_k}$$

where $R(v)$ are the reduced words for v and $C(\mathbf{a})$ are the weakly increasing sequences of positive integers such that $i_j < i_{j+1}$ if $a_j < a_{j+1}$.

3. (Tenner, 2006) The permutation v is vexillary iff for every permutation w containing v , there exists a reduced decomposition $\mathbf{a} \in R(w)$ containing a shift of some $\mathbf{b} \in R(v)$ as a factor.

10 Pattern Properties

Property 10. A permutation is *vexillary* if it avoids **2143**. (Lascoux-Schützenberger, 1984)

Geometric Properties.

1. (Fulton, 1992) The *essential set* for w , the cells in the diagram of w with no neighbor directly east or north, lie on an decreasing piecewise linear curve.
2. (Lascoux, 1995) There exists a combinatorial approach to computing the Kazhdan-Lusztig polynomials $P_{v,w}$ when w is *covexillary*, i.e. 3412-avoiding.
3. (Li-Yong, ca 2011) There exists a combinatorial rule for computing multiplicities for $X(w)$ when w is 3412-avoiding.

10 Pattern Properties

Property 10. (continued) k -vexillary permutations.

Def. A permutation w is k -vexillary if its Stanley symmetric function F_w has at most k terms in its expansion.

Example: $F_{2143} = s_{(2)} + s_{(1,1)}$, so **2143** is 2-vexillary.

Thm. (Billey-Pawlowski) Let w be a permutation.

1. w is 2-vexillary iff w avoids 35 patterns in S_5, S_6, S_7, S_8 .
2. w is 3-vexillary iff w avoids 91 patterns in S_5, S_6, S_7, S_8 .

Conjecture. The k -vexillary permutations form an order ideal in the poset on all permutations ordered by pattern containment.

10 Pattern Properties

List of 2-vexillary patterns:

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10 Pattern Properties

List of 3-vexillary patterns:

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Future Work

Open Problems.

1. Characterize the Gorenstein, lci and factorial locus of $X(w)$ using patterns. (Woo-Yong)
2. (From Úlfarsson) Is there a nice generating function to count the number of Gorenstein/lci permutations or Schubs defined by inclusions, etc.
3. Find a geometric explanation why a finite number of patterns suffice in all cases above.
4. What nice properties does the inversion arrangement have for other pattern avoiding families?
5. KL_m is closed under taking patterns. Can it always be described by a finite set of patterns?
6. Conjecture (Woo): The Schubert varieties with multiplicity ≤ 2 can be characterized by pattern avoidance.
7. What other filtrations on the set of all permutations can be characterized by (generalized) patterns?