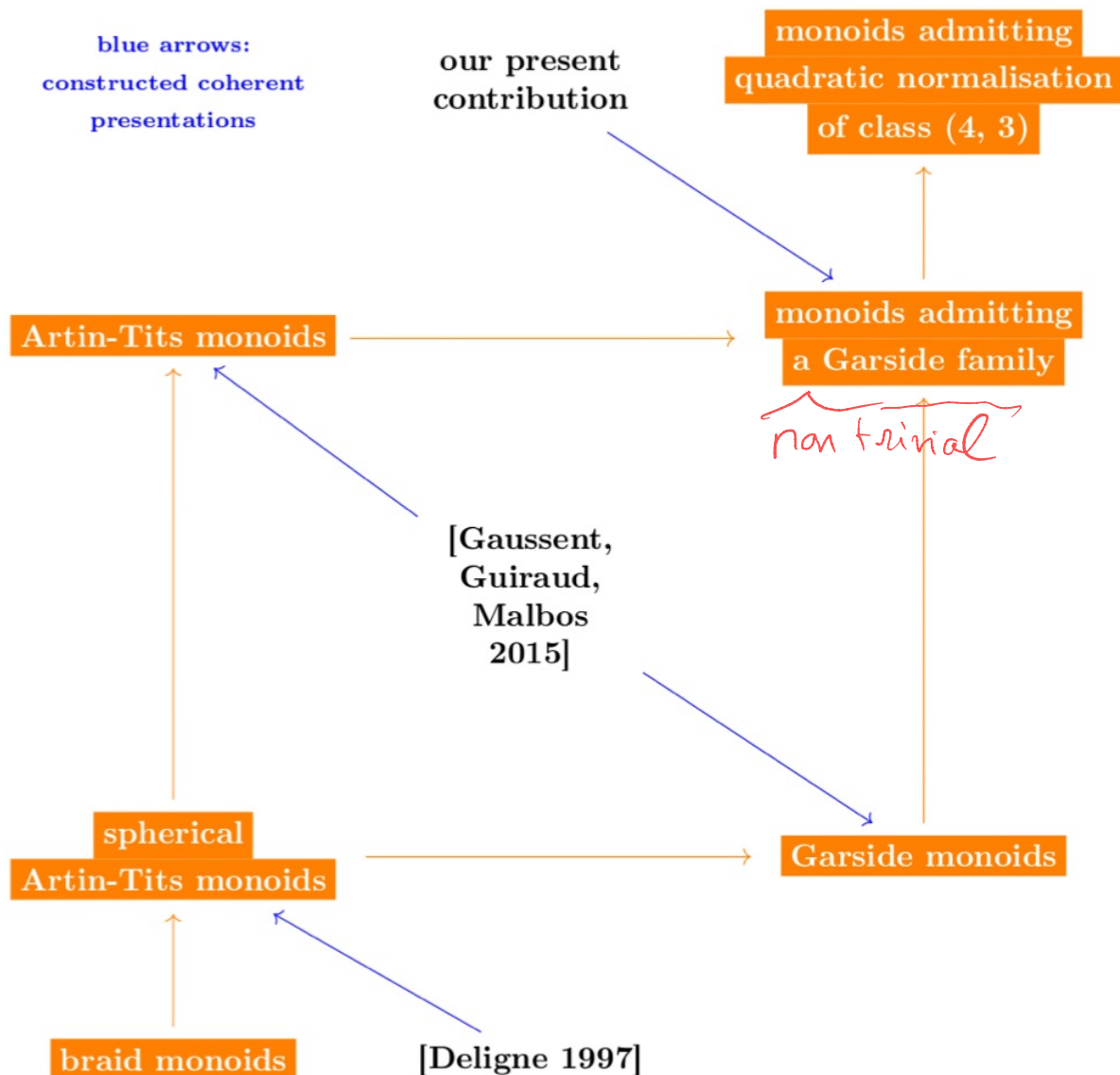


COHERENT PRESENTATIONS OF A CLASS OF MONOIDS ADMITTING A GARSIDE FAMILY

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Coherent presentations of monoids (informally)

Presentation $\langle X \mid R \rangle$, where

- X is a set of generators $\rightsquigarrow$ 1-generating cells
- R is a set of pairs $u = v$ (u, v words over X)
 $\rightsquigarrow$ set of generating relations (2-generating cells) $\rightsquigarrow u, v \in X^*$

The monoid presented is $X^*/\simeq_R$, where $\simeq_R$ is the smallest congruence containing R , obtained as the transitive closure of steps (for each $u = v \in R$)

NOTATION:

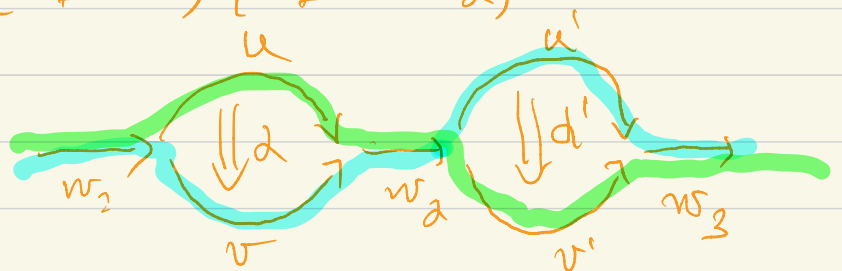
$$\begin{aligned} \ell(\alpha) &= v \\ A(\alpha) &= u \end{aligned}$$

$$w_1 u w_2 \xrightarrow{w_2 \alpha w_2} w_1 v w_2 \quad \text{or} \quad w_1 v w_2 \xrightarrow{w_2 \alpha^{-1} w_2} w_1 u w_2$$

composable

We call relation a formal sequence of such steps, up to

- cancellation of $(w_1 \alpha w_2) (w_2 \alpha^{-1} w_2)$
- and naturality:



$$(w_1 \alpha w_2 u' w_3) (w_1 v w_2 \alpha' w_3) = (w_1 u w_2 \alpha' w_3) (w_1 \alpha w_2 v' w_2)$$

$$\exists : u \xrightarrow{-d_1-} u_1 \xrightarrow{-d_2-} \dots \xrightarrow{-d_n-} v$$

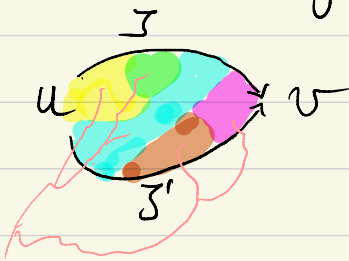
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Coherent presentations of monoids (informally)

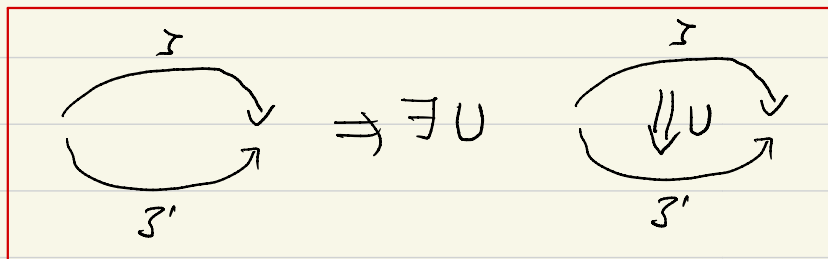
We add a set R of **generating relations among relations** $A : \mathbb{Z}_1 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2$ 3-generating cells

We say that $\langle X | R | R \rangle$ is a coherent presentation of $X/\approx_R$ if for every pair (γ, γ') of parallel relations



there is a formal composite U relation among relations
of generating relations among relations
 filling the sphere (γ, γ')

all regions = generating relations among relations in context, also called **WHISKERS**

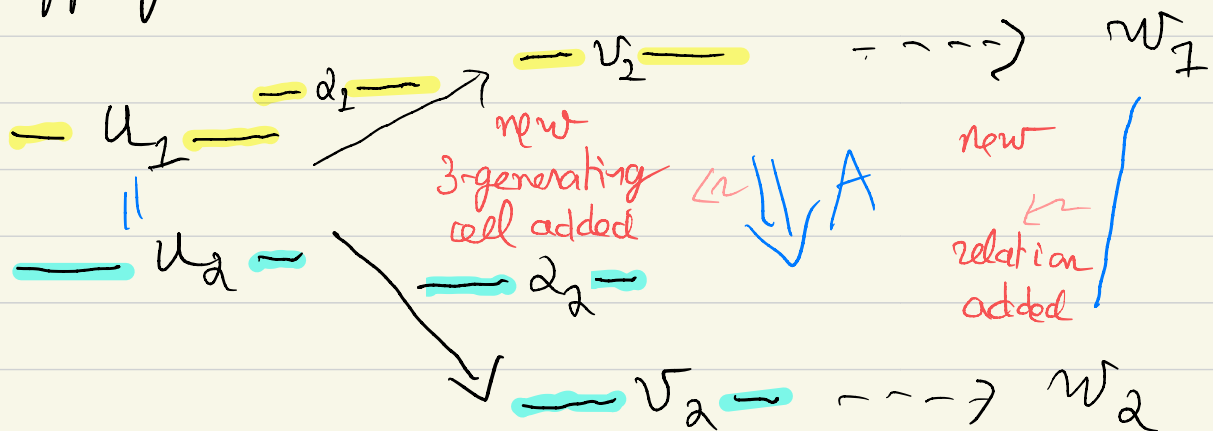


Example: the Klein bottle monoid

$$\langle a, b \mid \underbrace{bab = a}_d \rangle$$

The royal way to coherence

- Start from a terminating presentation:
no infinite path of steps $\rightarrow \alpha \rightarrow (-\alpha^{-1})$ forbidden
- Knuth-Bendisc completion: check confluence (enough to check this for (minimal) overlapping situations = critical pairs)



If $w_1 \neq w_2$, add $w_1 \rightarrow w_2$ or $w_2 \rightarrow w_1$

(whichever maintains termination) Iterate

- Squier completion: on the way, add also generating relations among relations $\rightarrow$ **BINGO!** coherent presentation
"SQUIER theorem"
- Completion-reduction GUIRAUD-MALBOIS-MIRAMAND

Cerise sur le gâteau: remove some 3-generating and α -generating cells (justified by Tietze transformations)

All of this preserves presented monoid, coherence test.

Knuth-Bordir completion (Klein bottle monoid)

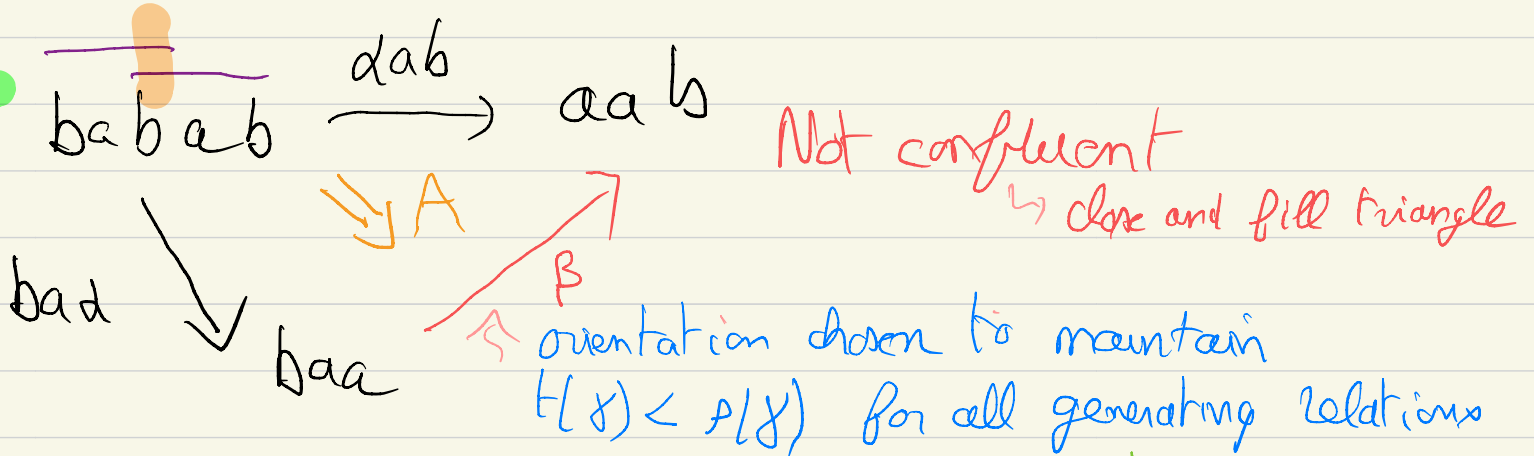
Illustration with $\langle a, b \mid bab \stackrel{a}{\Rightarrow} a \rangle$

Fix a total order on words as follows

- $u < v$ iff $|u| < |v|$ or $(|u| = |v| \text{ and } u <_{lex} v)$
length $\rightarrow$ *lexicographic order (on words of equal length) generated from $a < b$*

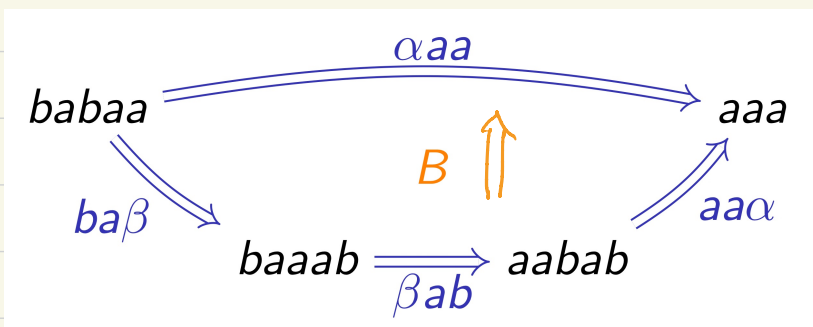
(for instance, $b < aa < ab$) Mod $h(x) < p(x)$

- check critical pairs:



- B creates a new critical pair (confluent)

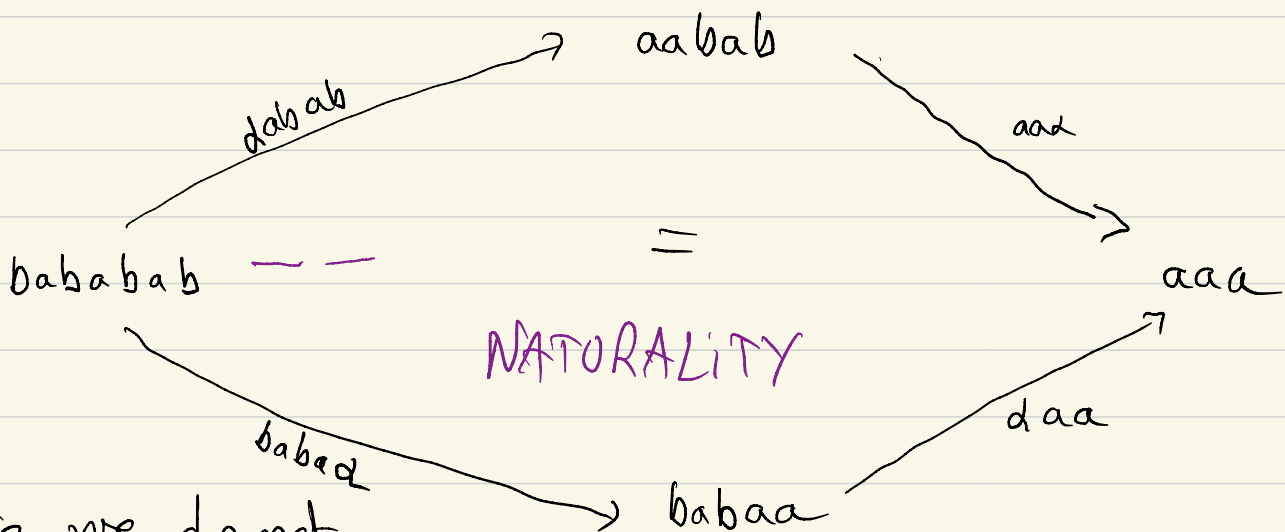
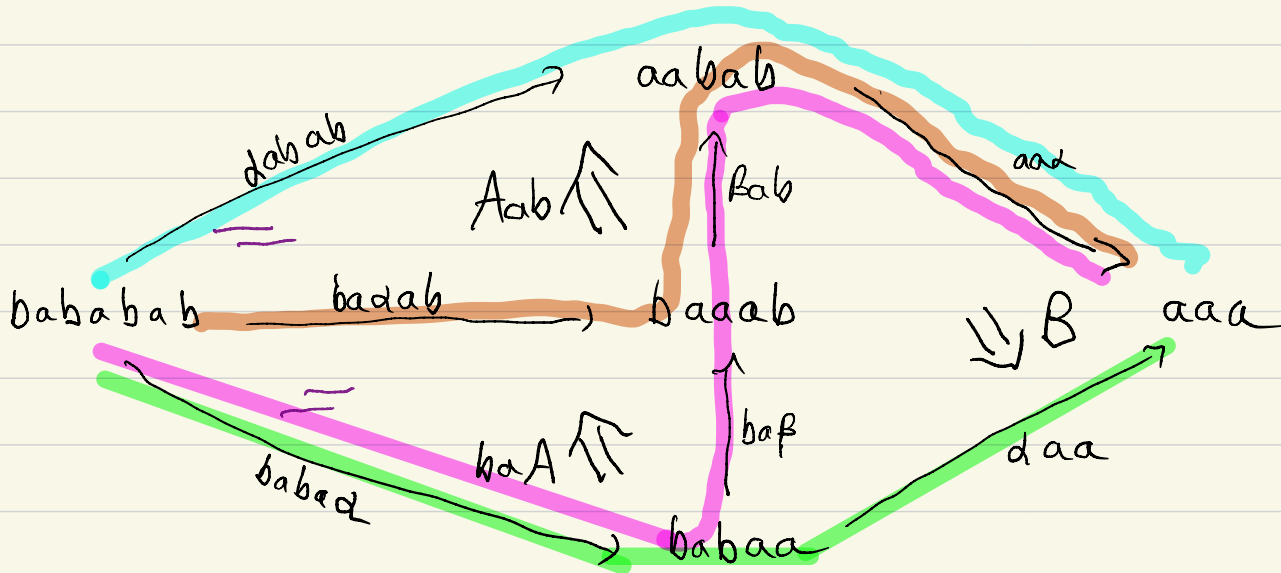
$\rightarrow$ termination



SQUIER completion completed!

Getting rid of B

Critical triple: bababab



Since we do not

consider relations among relations among relations, we get

$$(aad)(Aab) \circ ((aad \circ Bab)(baA) \circ (B^{-2}(babad))) = id$$

$$B(babad) = (aad)(Aab) \circ ((aad \circ Bab)(baA))$$

$$B = ((aad)(Aab) \circ ((aad \circ Bab)(baA))) (babad^{-1})$$

Getting rid of A and β

$$babab \xrightarrow{\alpha ab} aab$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & \nearrow A & \\ bad & & baa \\ & \nwarrow \beta & \end{array}$$

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We can define $B := (\alpha ab) \circ (\beta a^{-2})$

And then expanding the definition of β in any coherence diagram allows to reduce all occurrences of

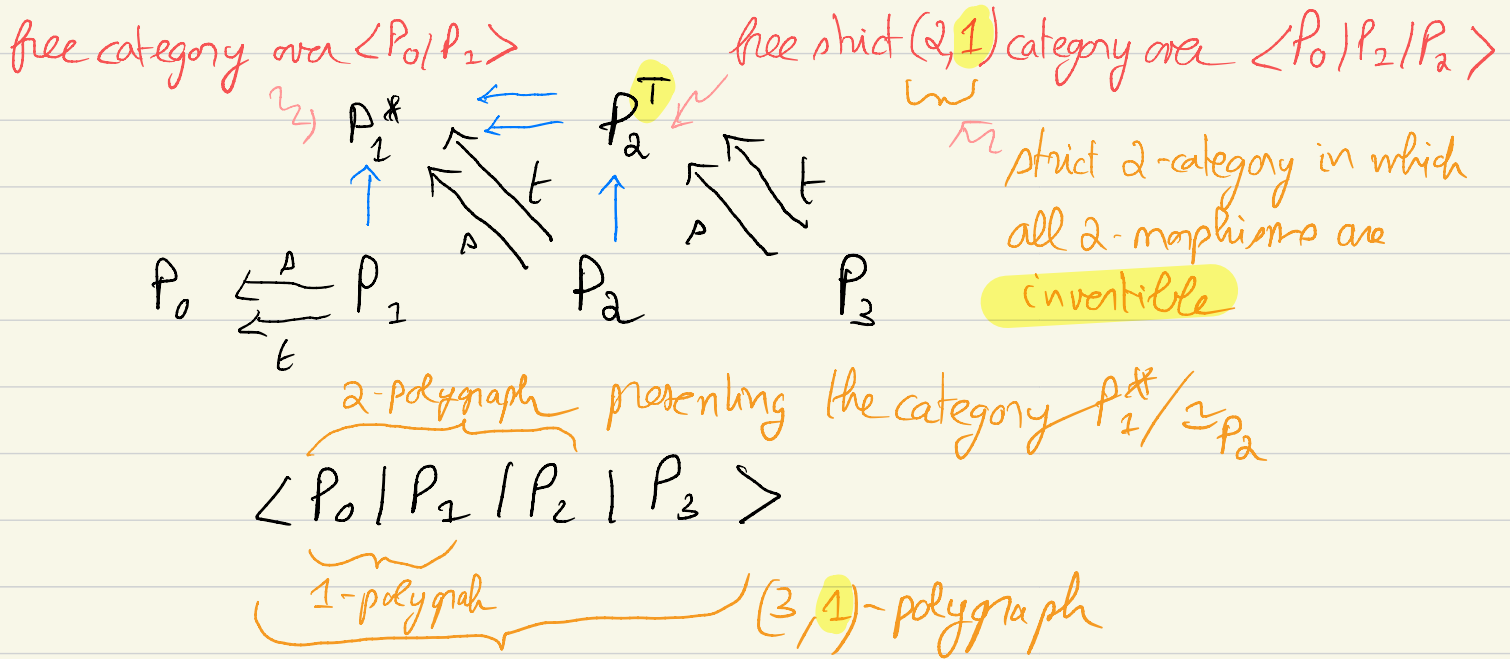
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In summary:

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \{ \langle a, b \mid \alpha, \beta \mid A, B \rangle \} \\ \{ \langle a, b \mid \alpha, \beta \mid A \rangle \} \\ \{ \langle a, b \mid \alpha \mid \emptyset \rangle \} \end{array} \right\} \text{ are coherent presentations of the Klein bottle monoid.}$$

Coherent presentations of categories (formally)

- monoids are one-object categories
- Polygraphs (or computads) **STREET BURTONI**:
 P_i ($0 \leq i \leq 3$) set of i -generators together with



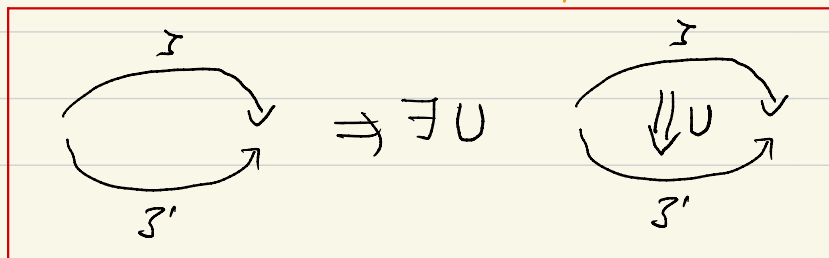
Definition We say that $\langle P_0 | P_2 | P_2 | P_3 \rangle$ is a

coherent presentation of $P_1^* / \simeq P_2$ (or that P_3 is an

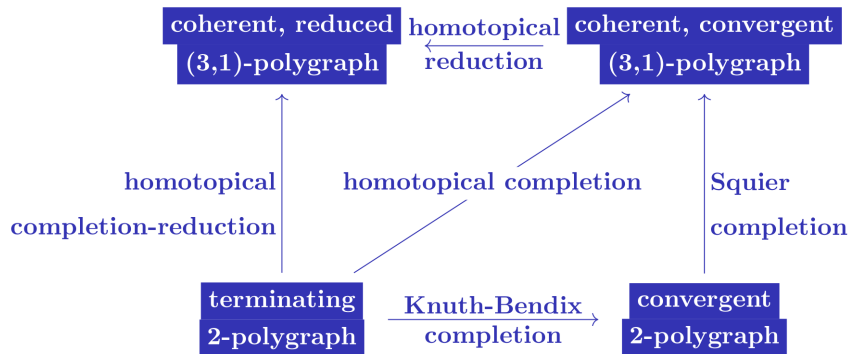
acyclic extension of P_2^T) if for every $z, z' \in P_2^T$ p.t.

$p(z) = p(z')$ and $t(z) = t(z')$, $\exists U \in P_3^T$ p.t. $p(U) = z$ and $t(U) = z'$

free strict $(3,1)$ category over $\langle P_0 | P_2 | P_2 \rangle$
 $\Rightarrow$ i -morphisms invertible for $i \geq 2$



Homotopical completion-reduction



Motivation for coherent presentations

Closely related to

- ▶ cofibrant approximations in the canonical model structure on 2-categories, given by Lack
- ▶ weak actions of Artin-Tits monoids upon categories, investigated by Deligne

Form

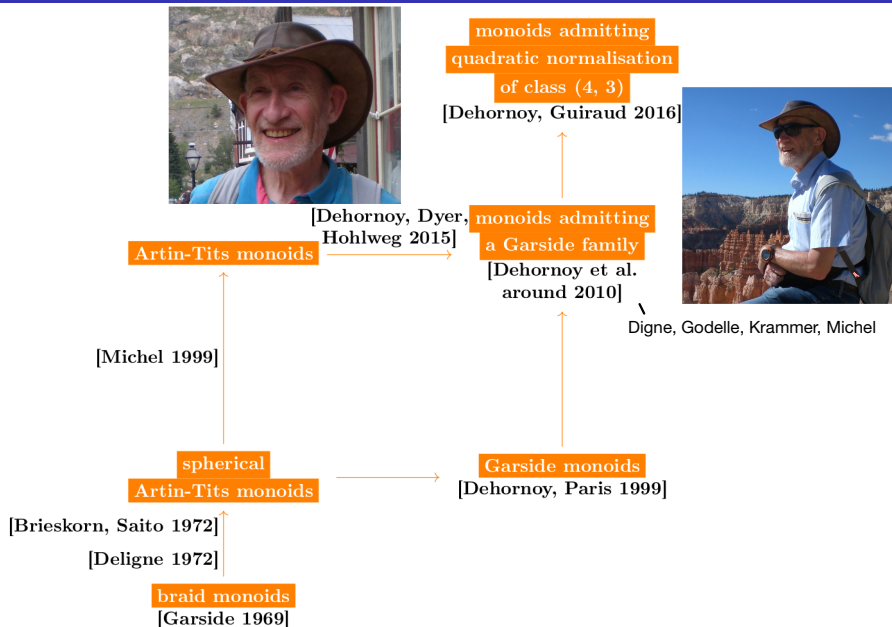
- ▶ the first dimensions of polygraphic resolutions of monoids, defined by Métayer, from which abelian resolutions can be deduced

Theorem (Gaussent, Guiraud, Malbos 2015)

Let X be an extended presentation of a category $\mathcal{C}$. TFAE:

- ▶ *X is a coherent presentation of $\mathcal{C}$;*
- ▶ *$\tilde{X}$ is a cofibrant approximation of $\mathcal{C}$ (viewed as a 2-category);*
- ▶ *for every 2-category $\mathcal{D}$, the category of 2-functors from $\tilde{X}$ to $\mathcal{D}$ and the category of pseudofunctors from $\mathcal{C}$ to $\mathcal{D}$ are equivalent, and this equivalence is natural in $\mathcal{D}$.*

Overview of relevant classes of monoids



Coxeter groups and Artin-Tits monoids

Coxeter group: group W presented by

$$\langle S \text{ finite} \mid \{s^2 = 1, sts \cdots = tst \cdots \mid s, t \in S\} \rangle$$

Spherical Artin-Tits monoid corresponding to a **finite** Coxeter group W :

$$B^+(W) = \langle S \text{ finite} \mid \{sts \cdots = tst \cdots \mid s, t \in S\} \rangle^+$$

Examples

The permutation group S_n , e.g. $S_3 = \langle s, t \mid s^2 = t^2 = 1, tst = sts \rangle$

The braid monoid $B_n^+ = B^+(S_n)$, e.g. $B_3 = \langle s, t \mid tst = sts \rangle^+$

Some properties of Artin-Tits monoids

- ▶ cancellative
- ▶ contain no nontrivial invertible element
- ▶ admit conditional right-lcms
- ▶ noetherian

Garside's presentation of Artin-Tits monoids

- ▶ Introduced by Deligne (1997) for spherical Artin-Tits monoids, and by Michel (1999) for general Artin-Tits monoids

Graphical notation

- ▶ $\boxed{u \frown v}$ for $u, v \in B^+(W)$: $\ell(uv) = \ell(u) + \ell(v)$ holds in W
- ▶ generalised to a greater number of elements

Definition

Garside's presentation of $B^+(W)$ is a 2-polygraph $\text{Gar}_2(W)$ having:

- ▶ a single generating 0-cell,
- ▶ elements of $W \setminus \{1\}$ as generating 1-cells,
- ▶ and a generating 2-cell

$$\text{Gar}_2(W) = \langle * | W \setminus \{1\} | \{ \alpha_{uv} | u \frown v \} \rangle$$

$$\alpha_{u,v} : u|v \Rightarrow uv$$

for all $u, v \in W \setminus \{1\}$ such that $u \frown v$.

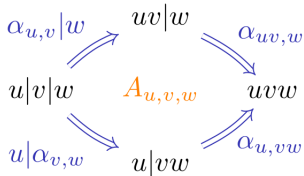
Garside's coherent presentation of Artin-Tits monoids

$\text{Gar}_3(W)$: the extended presentation of $B^+(W)$ obtained by adjoining to $\text{Gar}_2(W)$ a 3-cell $A_{u,v,w}$ for all $u, v, w \in W \setminus \{1\}$

s.t. 

Theorem (Gaussent, Guiraud, Malbos 2015)

For every Coxeter group W , the Artin-Tits monoid $B^+(W)$ admits $\text{Gar}_3(W)$ as a coherent presentation.



means $u \frown v$, $v \frown w$ and $\ell(uvw) = \ell(u) + \ell(v) + \ell(w)$

Garside monoids

Definition

A **Garside monoid** is a pair (M, Δ) such that the following conditions hold:

- ▶ M is a cancellative monoid;
- ▶ there is a map $\lambda : M \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$ such that $\lambda(fg) \geq \lambda(f) + \lambda(g)$ and $\lambda(f) = 0 \implies f = 1$;
- ▶ every two elements have a left-gcd and a right-gcd and a left-lcm and a right-lcm;
- ▶ $\Delta \in M$, called the Garside element, is such that the left and the right divisors of Δ coincide, and they generate M ;
- ▶ the family of all divisors of Δ is finite.

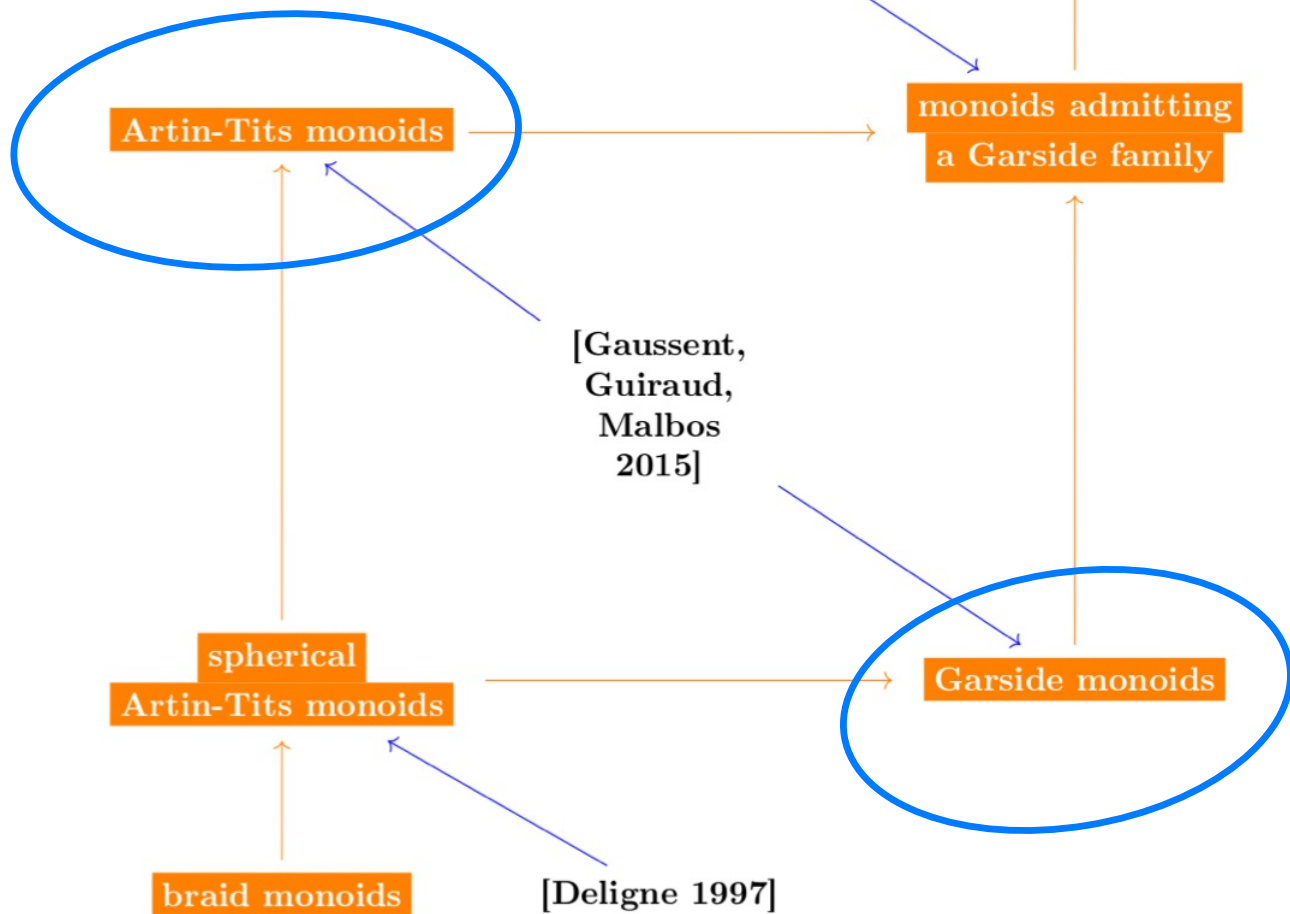
Theorem (Gaussent, Guiraud, Malbos 2015)

Every Garside monoid M admits $\text{Gar}_3(M)$, with $u \frown v$ denoting $uv \in \text{Div}(\Delta)$, as a coherent presentation.

blue arrows:
constructed coherent
presentations

our present
contribution

monoids admitting
quadratic normalisation
of class (4, 3)



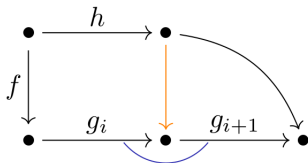
Definition of Garside family

Let S be a subfamily of a left-cancellative monoid M

- **Greedy decomposition**: an S -word $g_1 | \cdots | g_q$ is said to be S -normal if for all $i < q$

strict if $g_q \neq 1$

$$\forall h \in S, \forall f \in M, (h \preceq fg_i g_{i+1} \implies h \preceq fg_i)$$



- **Garside family** in M : a subfamily S such that every element of M admits an S -normal decomposition

M has no nontrivial invertible element $\Rightarrow$

unique strict S -normal decomposition

Examples of Garside families

- ▶ Every Artin-Tits monoid $B^+(W)$ admits a Garside family given by W
- ▶ Every Artin-Tits monoid $B^+(W)$ admits a finite Garside family (Dehornoy, Dyer, Hohlweg 2015)
- ▶ In the particular case of a braid monoid, the family of all simple braids is a Garside family
- ▶ Every Garside monoid (M, Δ) has a finite Garside family given by $\text{Div}(\Delta)$
- ▶ The monoid B_∞^+ of all positive braids on infinitely many strands indexed by positive integers admits

$$S_\infty = \bigcup_{n \geq 1} \text{Div}(\Delta_n)$$

as a Garside family

Properties of Garside families

Let M be a left-cancellative monoid having no nontrivial invertible element, and S a Garside family in M

- ▶ S is closed under right divisor and right-mcm.
- ▶ Normalisation map $N^S : S^* \rightarrow S^*$ assigns to each $w \in S^* \setminus \{1\}$ the strict S -normal decomposition of the evaluation of w ; and $N^S(1) = 1$.
- ▶ N^S is left-weighted, i.e. for all $s, t \in S$, the element s is a left divisor in M of the first letter of $N^S(s|t)$.
- ▶ Rewriting rules $s|t \Rightarrow N^S(s|t)$, for all $s, t \in S \setminus \{1\}$ with $s|t$ not S -normal, yield a convergent presentation of M .
- ▶ Let M be a left-cancellative monoid containing no nontrivial invertible element, and $S \subseteq M$ a Garside family s.t. $1 \in S$. Then M admits, as a presentation, the 2-polygraph $\text{Gar}_2(S)$, with $u \frown v$ denoting $uv \in S$.

$$\alpha_{u,v} : u|v \Rightarrow uv$$

$$\text{Gar}_2(S) = \langle * | S \setminus \{1\} | \{ \alpha_{uv} | u \frown v \} \rangle$$

Our main theorem

Definition

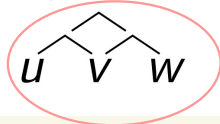
A subfamily S of a monoid M is **locally right-noetherian** if there exists no $g \in S$ admitting an infinite sequence $(h_n)_{n=1}^{\infty}$ in $S \cap \text{Div}(g)$ such that for every n there exists a non-invertible f_n in S satisfying $h_n f_n = h_{n+1}$.

Theorem

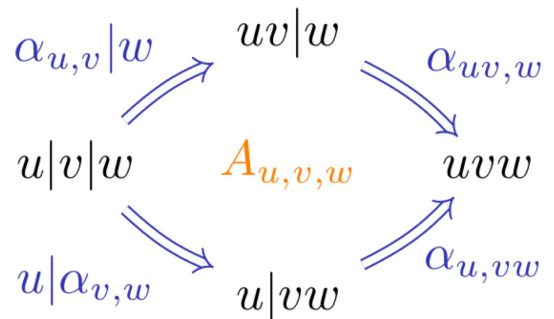
Let M be a left-cancellative monoid containing no nontrivial invertible element, and $S \subseteq M$ is a locally right-noetherian Garside family containing 1. If M admits right-mcms, then M admits the $(3, 1)$ -polygraph $\text{Gar}_3(S)$ as a coherent presentation.

$(3, 1)$ -polygraph $\text{Gar}_3(S)$

- ▶ $\text{Gar}_2(S)$
- ▶ and 3-cell $A_{u,v,w}$ for all $u, v, w \in S \setminus \{1\}$ s.t.



→ $uw \in S, vw \in S, uvw \in S$



$\underline{\text{Gar}}_3(S) := \underline{\text{Gar}}_2(S) + \text{generating 3-cells}$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 \alpha_{u,v}|w & \xRightarrow{\quad} & uv|w & \xRightarrow{\quad} & \alpha_{uv,w} \\
 u|v|w & \xRightarrow{A_{u,v,w}} & uvw & & \\
 u|\alpha_{v,w} & \xRightarrow{\quad} & u|vw & \xRightarrow{\quad} & \alpha_{u,vw}
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 u|v|w & \xRightarrow{\alpha_{u,v}|w} & uv|w \\
 u|\alpha_{v,w} & \xRightarrow{\beta_{u,v,w}} & u|vw \\
 & \xRightarrow{\beta_{u,v,w}} &
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 \alpha_{u,v}|wx & \xRightarrow{\quad} & uv|wx & \xRightarrow{\quad} & \beta_{uv,w,x} \\
 u|v|wx & \xRightarrow{C_{u,v,w,x}} & uvw|x & & \\
 u|\beta_{v,w,x} & \xRightarrow{\quad} & u|vw|x & \xRightarrow{\quad} & \alpha_{u,vw|x}
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 u|v|wx & \xRightarrow{\alpha_{u,v}|wx} & uv|wx \\
 u|\beta_{v,w,x} & \xRightarrow{\quad} & u|vw|x \\
 & \xRightarrow{\beta_{u,v,w}|x} & uv|w|x \\
 & \xRightarrow{\quad} & uv|\alpha_{w,x}
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 \beta_{u,v,w}|x & \xRightarrow{\quad} & uv|w|x & \xRightarrow{\quad} & uv|\alpha_{w,x} \\
 u|vw|x & \xRightarrow{E_{u,v,w,x}} & uv|wx & & \\
 u|\alpha_{vw,x} & \xRightarrow{\quad} & u|vw|x & \xRightarrow{\quad} & \beta_{u,v,w|x}
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 \beta_{u,v,w}|xy & \xRightarrow{\quad} & uv|w|xy & \xRightarrow{\quad} & uv|\alpha_{w,xy} \\
 u|vw|xy & \xRightarrow{\quad} & & & \\
 u|\beta_{vw,x,y} & \xRightarrow{\quad} & u|vw|x|y & \xRightarrow{\beta_{u,v,wx}|y} & uv|wx|y \\
 & \xRightarrow{\quad} & & & uv|\alpha_{wx,y}
 \end{array}$$

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 u|\beta_{vw,x,y} & \xRightarrow{\quad} & u|vw|x|y & \xRightarrow{\quad} & \beta_{u,v,wx|y}
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \beta_{u,v,xy} & \xRightarrow{\quad} & uv|xy \\
 u|vx|y & \xRightarrow{H_{u,v,x,y}} & uvx|y \\
 & \xRightarrow{\beta_{u,vx,y}} &
 \end{array}$$

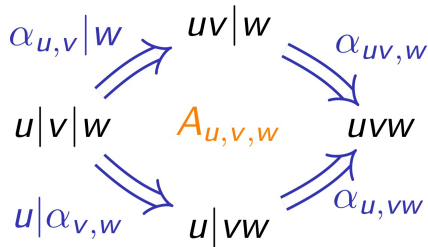
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 v(xy) \\
 \parallel \\
 (vx)y
 \end{array}$$

degenerate case

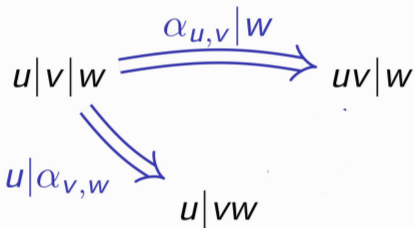
$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \beta_{u,v_1,w_1} & \xRightarrow{\quad} & uv_1|w_1 = uv_1|x_1y \\
 u|v_1w_1 & & \xRightarrow{\beta_{uv_1,x_1,y}} & uv_1x_1|y \\
 = & I_{u,v_1,w_1,v_2,w_2} & = & \\
 u|v_2w_2 & \xRightarrow{\quad} & uv_2|w_2 = uv_2|x_2y \\
 & \xRightarrow{\beta_{uv_2,x_2,y}} & & uv_2x_2|y
 \end{array}$$

Completion of $\text{Gar}_2(S)$

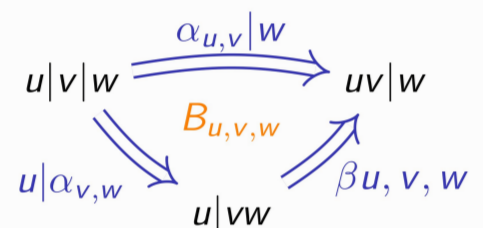
α and α form two critical pairs:



converges



add β and B



$\text{Gar}_2(S)$:= $\text{Gar}_2(S)$ + generating 2-cells β

$$\beta_{u,v,w} : u|vw \Rightarrow uv|w, \quad u, v, w \in S \setminus \{1\}, \quad u \hat{\wedge}^x v \hat{\wedge} w$$

We shall show that $\text{Gar}_2(S)$ is

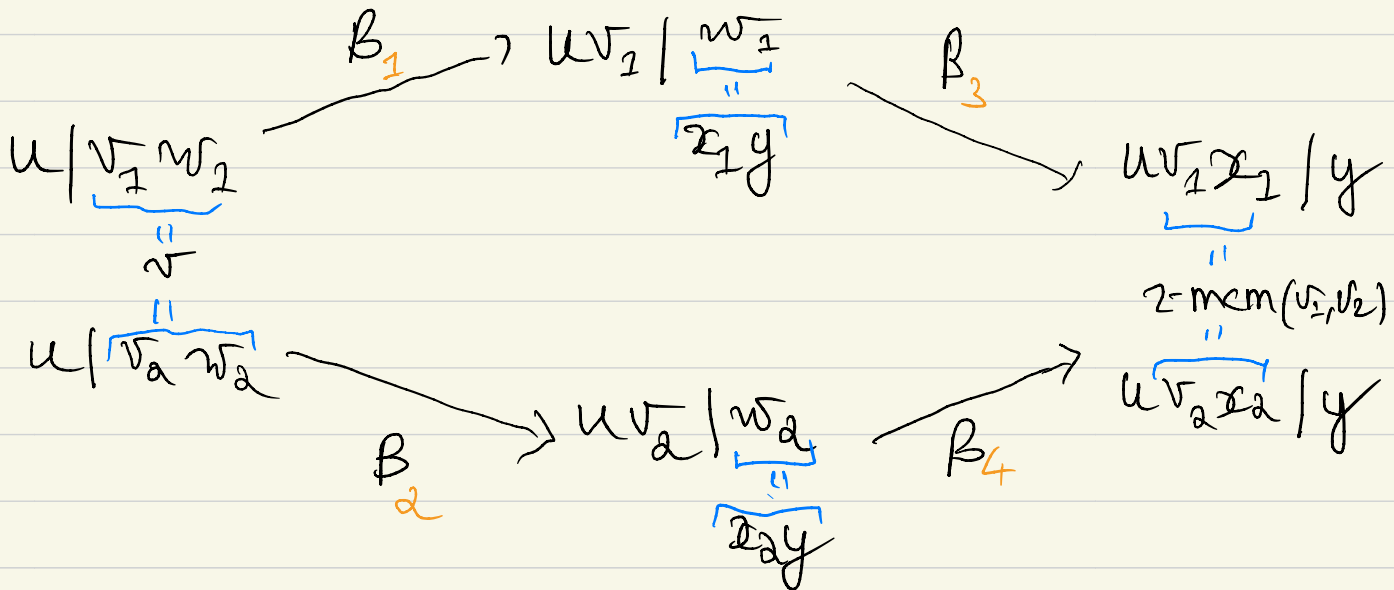
convergent $\rightarrow$ confluence

$\downarrow$ termination

Confluence of critical pairs

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The only case which needs attention wrt Guiraud - Gaussent - Malbos is this critical handling:



where

$$\begin{array}{c} v \\ | y \\ 2\text{-mem}(v_1, v_2) \\ / x_1 \quad x_2 \backslash \\ v_1 \quad v_2 \end{array}$$

•₁ Applicability of $B_1, B_2 \Rightarrow$

$u, v_1, v_2, w_1, w_2, uv_1, uv_2, v \in S$

•₂ $u(2\text{-mem}(v_1, v_2)) = 2\text{-mem}(uv_1, uv_2)$

$uv_1x_1 \in S$ by •₁ and •₁ $\in S$

•₃ $x_1, x_2, y \in S$ by •₂ and •₂

•₄ Applicability of B_3 : — underlined stuff + $x_2y \in S$ by •₁ and •₂
 $\leadsto$ idem B_4

Properties used:

- ₁ closure of S under right-mem
- ₂ closure of S under right divisor

Termination of $\alpha + \beta$

- α terminates (decreases length of S -words)

Therefore, we can suppose an infinite reduction with β -steps only.

Notation $u_1 | \dots | u_i | vw | \dots | u_p \rightarrow u_1 | \dots | u_i v | w | \dots | u_p$

- Since β preserves length, all steps are $\rightarrow_{i_n}$, with $i_n < p$.
By pigeon hole principle, $\exists j$ s.t. $i_n = j$ infinitely often.

Take j_0 the minimal such j .

We can suppose that all steps are $\rightarrow_{i_n}$ with $i_n \geq j_0$.

- Consider, say $\xrightarrow{j_0} U_0 = u | vw$
 $\xrightarrow{j_0} U_1 = uv | w$
 $(j > j_0 + 2) \xrightarrow{j} U_2 = uv | w$ (with $x_1 x_2$ segment)
 $\xrightarrow{j_0 + 1} U_3 = uv | wx_1 | x_2$
 $\xrightarrow{j_0} U_4 = uvw | x_1 | x_2$

We note that $uv, uvw \in S$ and that uv left divides uvw , i.e.

j_0 -th letter after a j_0 -step left divides j_0 -th letter after next j_0 -step

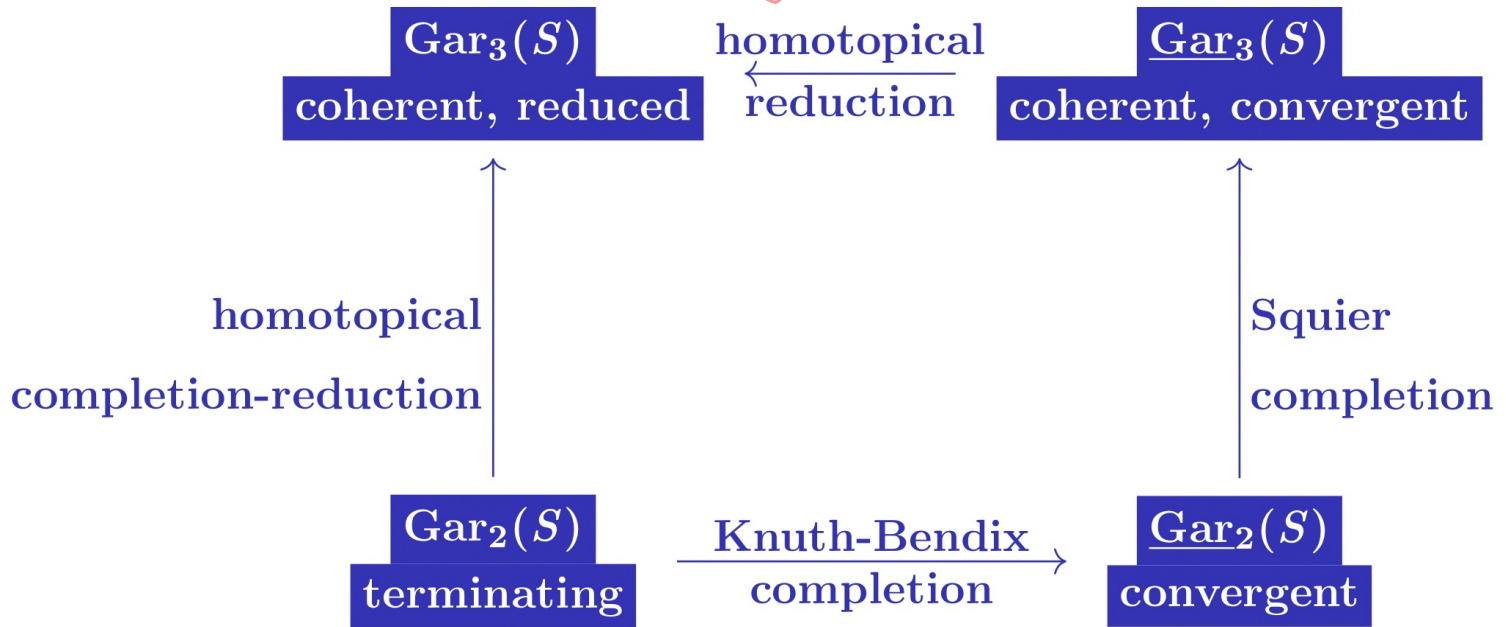
- To contradict local right-noetherianity, we are left to find $g \in S$ s.t. $uv, uvw, \dots$ left divide g . We use the following property

$$N^S(u | v | w) = N^S(u | N^S(v) | w), \text{ which entails}$$

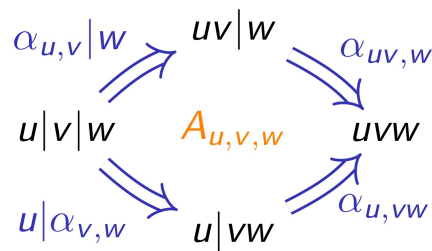
- $N^S(U_1) = \dots = N^S(U_4) = \dots = U \rightarrow$ Take $g =$ first letter of $N^S(U)$
- (combined with left-weightedness) uv, uvw left divide g

Completing the proof

All the 3 generating cells except A go away
B goes away



$$\text{Gar}_3(S) = \text{Gar}_2(S) +$$



for all $u, v, w \in S \setminus \{\varepsilon\}$ st. $u \hat{\rightarrow} v \hat{\rightarrow} w$

Applications

- Free abelian monoid $\mathbb{N}^{(I)}$ over an infinite basis
 - not of finite type, hence neither Artin-Tits nor Garside
 - Garside family

$$S_I = \left\{ g \in \mathbb{N}^{(I)} \mid \forall k \in I, g(k) \in \{0, 1\} \right\}$$

- conditions of Theorem: product on $\mathbb{N}^{(I)}$ is based on the addition of integers
 - $u \frown v$: u and v have disjoint supports
- Monoid B_{∞}^{+} of all positive braids on infinitely many strands indexed by positive integers

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$$S_{\infty} = \bigcup_{n \geq 1} \text{Div}(\Delta_n)$$

- conditions of Theorem: preserved from braid monoids
- $u \frown v$: uv is a simple braid

Applications, continued

● Dual braid monoid B_n^{+*}

- ▶ generators: $a_{i,j}$ with $1 \leq i < j \leq n$
- ▶ relations: $a_{i,j}a_{i',j'} = a_{i',j'}a_{i,j}$ for $[i,j]$ and $[i',j']$ disjoint or nested; $a_{i,j}a_{j,k} = a_{j,k}a_{i,k} = a_{i,k}a_{i,j}$ for $1 \leq i < j < k \leq n$
- ▶ Garside monoid: (B_n^{+*}, Δ_n^*) with $\Delta_n^* = a_{1,2} \cdots a_{n-1,n}$
- ▶ further homotopical reduction after Theorem for B_4^{+*}

● Artin-Tits monoid of type $\tilde{A}_2$

- ▶ presented by

$$\langle \underbrace{\sigma_1, \sigma_2, \sigma_3}_{P_1} \mid \underbrace{\sigma_1\sigma_2\sigma_1 = \sigma_2\sigma_1\sigma_2, \sigma_2\sigma_3\sigma_2 = \sigma_3\sigma_2\sigma_3, \sigma_3\sigma_1\sigma_3 = \sigma_1\sigma_3\sigma_1}_{P_2} \rangle^+$$

- ▶ Garside family: sixteen right divisors of the elements $\sigma_3\sigma_1\sigma_2\sigma_1$, $\sigma_1\sigma_2\sigma_3\sigma_2$, and $\sigma_2\sigma_3\sigma_1\sigma_3$ (Dehornoy, Dyer, Hohlweg 2015)
- ▶ Theorem and further homotopical reduction:

$\langle * \mid P_1 \mid P_2 \mid \emptyset \rangle$
is a coherent presentation