

We are going to characterize and classify finite connected Cartesian graphs using their characteristic sequences.

Def. 10.3.15. Let $G = G(I, X, r, A)$ be a SCG of rank 2 and let $x \in X$ and $i \in I$. The characteristic seq. of G w.r.t X and i is the infinite seq. $(C_k^{x,i})_{k \geq 1}$ of

non-negative integers, where

$$C_{2k+1}^{x,i} = -a_{ij}^{(r_j r_i)^k(x)} = -a_{ij}^{r_i(r_j r_i)^k(x)}$$

$$C_{2k+2}^{x,i} = -a_{ji}^{r_i(r_j r_i)^k(x)} = -a_{ji}^{(r_j r_i)^{k+1}(x)}$$

for all $k \geq 0$ and $j \in I \setminus \{i\}$. $I = \{i, j\}$

Def. 10.3.16 $G = G(I, X, r, A)$ is SCG of rank 2.

$x \in X$, $i, j \in I$ $i \neq j$ (c_k) is the char. seq. of G w.r.t X and i .

(1) The char. seq. of G w.r.t. $r_i(x)$ and j is

$$(c_k)_{k \geq 2}$$

(2) Suppose that $(r_j r_i)^n(x) = x$ for some $n \geq 1$. Then $c_{2n+k} = c_k$ for all $k \geq 1$ and the char. seq. w.r.t X and j is $(c_{2n+1-k})_{k \geq 1}$

and Remark: It follows from the def.

$$(1) C_{2k+1}^{r_i(x), j} = - \alpha_{j,i}^{\underline{(r_i r_j)^k (r_i(x))}} = - \alpha_{j,i}^{r_i(r_j r_i)^k(x)} \\ = C_{2k+2}^{x, i}$$

$$C_{2k+1}^{r_i(x), j} = C_{2k+2}^{x, i}$$

$$(2) C_k^{x, i} = C_{2n+1-k}^{x, i}$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad k = 2l + 2$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad k = 2l + 1$$

$$\eta : \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \quad a \mapsto \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} a & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}}_{\sim d_1} \begin{bmatrix} \eta(a)_{ij} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Calculate Δ^{xne} using η .

$$\tau \in \text{Aut}(\mathbb{Z}^\times) \quad (c_1, c_2) \mapsto (c_2, c_1) \quad = S_1(\alpha_2)$$

Def. 10.3.17 Let $I = \{1, 2\}$, let $G = G(I, X, r, A)$ be a SCG of rank 2. $X \subset X$, $i \in I$. Let (c_h) be the char. seq. of G w.r.t X, i . The root seq. w.r.t X, i is the seq. $(\beta_h)_{h \geq 1}$ of els of \mathbb{Z}^2 , where

$$\beta_h = \eta(c_1) \cdots \eta(c_{h-1})(\alpha_1)$$

$$\beta_1 = \alpha_1$$

Remark 10.3.18 $I = \{1, 2\}$, $G = G(I, X, r, A)$ be a SCG of rank 2, $X \subset X$. (β_h) the root seq. w.r.t X and I , $(\gamma_h)_{h \geq 1}$ is the root seq. w.r.t X and \mathbb{Z} . Then

$$\beta_{2k+1} = id_X(S_1 S_2)^k(\alpha_1), \quad \beta_{2k+2} = id_X(S_1 S_2)^k S_1(\alpha_2)$$

$$\tau \gamma_{2k+1} = id_X(S_1 S_2)^k(\alpha_2), \quad \tau \gamma_{2k+2} = id_X(S_1 S_2)^k S_2(\alpha_1)$$

$$\text{Since } S_1^Y = \eta(-\alpha_{12}^Y) \tau, \quad S_2^Y = \tau \eta(-\alpha_{21}^Y) \quad \forall Y \in X$$

$$\text{Thus } \Delta^{xne} = \{ \pm \beta_k, \pm \tau \gamma_k \mid k \geq 1 \}$$

Proof. Induct on k .

$$\beta_1 = \alpha_1, \quad \beta_2 = \gamma(C_1^{x,1})(\alpha_1) = \begin{bmatrix} -\alpha_{11}^X + 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ = \alpha_2 - \alpha_{12}^X \alpha_1 \\ = id_x S_1^X(\alpha_2)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\beta_{2k+3} &= \gamma(C_1) \cdots \underbrace{\gamma(C_{2k-1}) \gamma(C_{2k+2})}_{\gamma_1(r_2 r_1)^h(x)}(\alpha_1) \\ &= \gamma(C_1) \cdots \underbrace{\gamma(C_{2k-1})(\alpha_2)}_{-\alpha_{21}} - \alpha_{21} \underbrace{\gamma(C_1) \cdots \gamma(C_{2k-1})}_{\gamma(C_1) \cdots \gamma(C_{2k})}(\alpha_1) \\ &= \underbrace{\gamma(C_1) \cdots \gamma(C_{2k})}_{-\alpha_{21}}(-\alpha_1) - \alpha_{21} \beta_{2k+2} \\ &= -id_x(S_1 S_2)^h(\alpha_1) - \alpha_{21} id_x(S_1 S_2)^h S_1(\alpha_1) \\ &= id_x(S_1 S_2)^h S_1(\alpha_1 - \alpha_{21} \alpha_2) \\ &= id_x(S_1 S_2)^h S_1 S_2(\alpha_1) = id_x(S_1 S_2)^{h+1}(\alpha_1) \\ \beta_{2k+4} &= id_x(S_1 S_2)^{h+1} S_1(\alpha_2)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}S_2 S_1 &= \tau \gamma(-\alpha_{21}) \gamma(-\alpha_{12}) \tau \\ (S_2 S_1)^h(\alpha_2) &= \tau \underbrace{\gamma(-\alpha_{21}) \gamma(-\alpha_{12}) \cdots \gamma(-\alpha_{21}) \gamma(-\alpha_{12})}_{\gamma_{2k+1}} \tau(\alpha_2) \\ &= \tau \gamma_{2k+1}\end{aligned}$$

$$\left\{ \pm \beta_h, \pm \tau \gamma_h \mid h \geq 1 \right\} \subset \Delta^{x_{\text{ne}}} \\ \gamma_2 \gamma_1 \xrightarrow{S_1} \gamma_1(x) \xrightarrow{S_1} X$$

$\text{Hom}(W(G), X)$

$$id_x(S_1 S_2)^h, id_x(S_1 S_2)^h S_1, id_x(S_1 S_2)^h, id_x(S_1 S_2)^h S_2$$

Example 10.3. 19 Let $I = \{1, 2\}$. $G = G(I, X, r, A)$ is a

connected SCG of rank 2. $X \in \mathcal{X}$. Assume $\alpha_{12}^X = 0$

Since A^X is Caron matrix $\alpha_{12}^{r_1(X)} = \alpha_{12}^X, \alpha_{21}^{r_2(X)} = \alpha_{21}^X$

We conclude $\alpha_{12}^X = \alpha_{21}^X = 0$ $\alpha_{12}^{r_1(X)} = \alpha_{21}^{r_2(X)} = 0$

Since G is connected, $a_{12}' = a_{21}' \Rightarrow \forall y \in X$.

$\eta(0)^2 = -id$, and hence Root seq. w.r.t

X and 1 is $(d_1, d_2, -d_1, -d_2)^\infty$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \beta_1 = d_1, & \beta_2 = \eta(c_1)d_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = d_2 \\ \beta_3 = -d_1, & \beta_4 = -d_2, & \beta_5 = -\beta_1, \dots \end{bmatrix}$$

In particular, $m_{12}^X = 2$ by Remark 10.3.18

$$\Delta^{Xne} = \{\pm \beta_k, \underline{\tau Y_k} \mid k \geq 1\} \subset M_0^{-2} \cup -M_0^{-2} \quad (\text{CG})$$

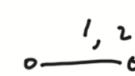
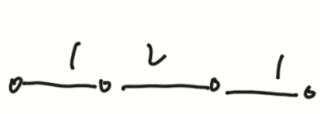
$$(\Delta^{Xne} \cap M_0 d_1 + M_0 d_2) = m_{12}^X = 2$$

$(Y_2 Y_1)^{m_{12}^X} (x) = x \Leftrightarrow G$ is a CG.

Up to isomorphism there exist precisely 4 such CG:

one obj. 1 ↗ two obj. 2 ↗

four obj. 1 ↗.



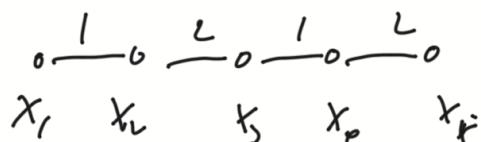
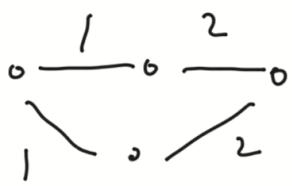
$$\circ \xrightarrow{r_1} \square \xrightarrow{r_2} \circ$$

$$r_1 = r_2 = id$$

$$\circ \xrightarrow{id} \circ$$

$$r_1 = (12), \quad r_2 = id$$

$$\times \quad \begin{array}{c} \circ \xrightarrow{r_1} \square \xrightarrow{r_2} \circ \\ x_1 \quad x_2 \quad x_3 \end{array} \quad r_1 r_1 r_2 r_1 (x_1) \xrightarrow{r_2} r_1(x_3) \circ r_2(x_3) = x_2 \\ r_1(x_1) = x_1, \quad r_1(x_2) = x_1 \quad r_1(x_3) = x_1$$



$$x_2 \xrightarrow{r_1} x_1 \xrightarrow{r_2} x_5$$

All of them are isomorphic to products of CG of

rank one.

$$\underline{G(\{1\}, X, r, A)} \quad r = id$$

$$\underline{\underline{G(\{1\}, \{x_1, x_2\}, r, A)}} \quad r = (12)$$

$$x_1 \xrightarrow[r_1]{r_2} x_2$$

$$G(\{1\}, \{x_1, x_2\}, r, -A) \times G(f_2, \{x_1, x_2\}, r_2, A)$$

$$\circ \xrightarrow[r_1]{r_2} \circ \quad r_1(x_1) = x_2$$

$$G(\{1\}, \{x_1, x_2\}, r, (2)) \times G(\{2\}, \{x_1, x_2\}, r_2, id)$$

$$\circ \overleftarrow{\quad} \circ \overrightarrow{\quad} \quad G(\{1\}, \{x_1, x_2\}, r, (2)) \times G(f_2, \{x_3, x_4\}, r_2, (2))$$

Example 10.3.20. Let $I = \{1, 2\}$, $G = G(I, X, r, A)$ a connected SCG of rank 2. Assume $a_{12}^Y, a_{21}^Y \leq -2$ $\forall Y \in X$. Let $X \in X$ and $(c_h)_{h \geq 1}$ and $(\beta_h)_{h \geq 1}$ be the char. seq. and root seq. w.r.t X and I .

Then $c_h \geq 2 \quad \forall h \geq 1$

Thus $\beta_h \in \mathbb{N}_0^2 \quad \forall h \geq 1$ and $\beta_h \neq \beta_0 \quad \forall 1 \leq h < l$
 by lem 10.3.12(3). $\left[c_1 \geq 1, c_2 \geq 2 \Rightarrow \beta_h \in \mathbb{N}_0^2 \quad \beta_h - \beta_{h-1} \in \mathbb{N}_0^2 \setminus \{0\} \right]$

By Rem 10.3.18, Δ^{Xne} is infinite and is contained in $\mathbb{N}_0^2 \cup -\mathbb{N}_0^2$. $\Downarrow \{\pm \beta_h, \pm e_j \beta_h \mid h \geq 1\}$

Hence G is a CG.

$$(r_i r_j)^m(x) = x$$

if $m < \infty$

$$m_{ij}^x = |\Delta^{Xne} \cap (\mathbb{N}_0^2 + \mathbb{N}_0 e_j)| = \infty$$

Affine

Thm. 10.3.21. Let $G = G(I, X, r, A)$ with $I = \{i; j\}$ be a commutative SCG of rank 2, such that $|X| < \infty$. Let $X \in X$ and $n > 0$ be the integer with $(r_j r_i)^n(X) = X$ $(r_j r_i)^k(X) \neq X$ for $1 \leq k < n$. Let $(C_k)_{k \geq 1}$ be the char. seq. w.r.t. X and i , and

$$\bar{\omega} = bn - \sum_{k=1}^{2n} C_k. \quad \text{TTAE.}$$

(1) G is a finite CG

(2) $\bar{\omega} > 0$, $\bar{\omega}/12$, $(C_1, \dots, C_{12n/\bar{\omega}}) \in A^+$, and
 $(C_k)_{k \geq 1} = (C_1, \dots, C_{12n/\bar{\omega}})$

In this case $12n/\bar{\omega} = |\Delta_f^{X_{\text{re}}}^+| = m_{ij}^X$.

Proof. Up to isomorphism, we assume $I = \{1, 2\}$, $i = 1$, $j = 2$.

(1) \Rightarrow (2) Let $q = m_{ij}^X = \overline{m_{ij}^X}$. See Cor. 9.2.20.

Then Rem. 10.3.18 and Lem 9.2.7 imply that

$\beta_k \in \mathbb{N}_0^2$ for $1 \leq k \leq q$ and $\beta_{q+1} = -\beta_1$

[k reduced $\Leftrightarrow \beta_1, \dots, \beta_q^{X, k}$ are distinct in \mathbb{N}_0^2]

$\Leftrightarrow \underline{\Lambda(k)} \subset \mathbb{N}_0^2$

$k = (\underbrace{1 \ 2 \ 1 \ \dots}_q) \quad \underline{\Lambda(k)} = \{\beta_1, \dots, \beta_q\}$

$k' = (k, 1)$ or $(k, 2)$ is not reduced by Lem 9.2.5(2) $\beta_{q+1} = -\beta_l \quad 1 \leq l \leq q$

Since $(C_k)_{k \geq 1}$ is the char. seq. of w.r.t. $r_i(X)$ and j by Lem 10.3.16(1), and $\overline{m_{ji}^{r_i(X)}} = q$ by Prop 9.2.14.

it follows that $\ell = 1$.

$$\begin{aligned} & \left[\begin{array}{l} \gamma_k = \gamma(c_1) \gamma(c_2) \cdots \gamma(c_k)(\alpha_1) \\ \gamma_1, \gamma_2, \dots, \gamma_q \in \mathbb{M}_s^2 \quad \gamma_q = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix}}_{\geq 0} \geq 0 \\ \beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_q \in \mathbb{M}_s^2 \\ \underline{\beta_{q+1}} = \gamma(c_1) \cdots \gamma(c_q)(\alpha_1) = \gamma(c_1) \gamma_q \\ = \begin{bmatrix} -a, a-b \\ a \end{bmatrix} \leq 0 \\ \Rightarrow a=0 \Rightarrow \underline{\beta_{q+1}} = \begin{bmatrix} -b \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = -b\alpha_1, \quad " \quad \begin{bmatrix} -b \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ \Rightarrow \underline{\beta_{q+1}} = -\alpha_1 = -\beta_1 \quad \Rightarrow b=1 \end{array} \right] \end{aligned}$$

that is $-\underline{\gamma(c_1) \cdots \gamma(c_q)(\alpha_1)} = -\underline{\beta_{q+1}} = \underline{\alpha_1}$

Thus $-\underline{\gamma(c_1) \cdots \gamma(c_q)} = id$ by Thm 9.2, 19

$$\begin{aligned} & \left[\begin{array}{ll} w(\alpha_k) \in \alpha_1 + \mathbb{Z}\alpha_2 + \mathbb{Z}\alpha_3 & w^{-1}(\alpha_1), w(\alpha_2) \in \mathbb{M}_s^2 \cup \mathbb{M}_s^1 \\ \det(w) = 1 & w(\alpha_3), w^{-1}(\alpha_3) \in \mathbb{M}_s^2 \cup \mathbb{M}_s^1 \\ \Rightarrow w = id. & \end{array} \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ll} \underline{\gamma(c_1) \cdots \gamma(c_n)} = -id & \underline{\beta_n \in \mathbb{M}_s^2} \Leftrightarrow (c_1, \dots, c_n) \in A^+ \end{array} \right]$$

Hence $\underline{(c_1, \dots, c_n)} \in A^+$ by Thm 10.3, 14.

$$\text{Then } \underline{\sum_{i=1}^q c_i} = 3g-6 \quad \text{by Thm 10.3.2}$$

Because of Thm 10.3, 16 (i) $\underline{(c_k)}_{k \geq 2}$ is the char. seq w.r.t $\gamma_k(x)$ and j . $(c_1, \dots, c_{q+1}) \in A^+$

$$\sum_{q' \geq 2} = 3g-6$$

Hence $c_{q+1} = c_1$, and $\underline{(c_k)}_{k \geq 1} = (c_1, \dots, c_q)^{\text{op}}$
by induction.

$$\gamma_{q+1} \gamma_q(x) \quad i \quad (c_1, \dots, c_{q+1}) \in A^+$$

$$c_{q+2} = c_2$$

In particular,

$$2 \sum_{i=1}^{2n} c_i = \sum_{i=1}^{2qn} c_i = 2n \sum_{i=1}^q c_i \\ = 2n(3q - 16)$$

$$\frac{\sum_{i=1}^{2n} c_i}{2} = \frac{6nq - 12n}{2} = 6n - \frac{(2n)}{q}$$

$$\Rightarrow q | 12n$$

$$\overline{w} = 6n - \frac{\sum_{k=1}^m c_k}{6n} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \frac{12n}{2}$$

$$(r_j r_i)^q (X) = X \text{ by (C6.4)}$$

and hence $n | q$. Therefore $\overline{w} | 12$

(2) \Rightarrow (1) Let $q = \frac{12n}{\overline{w}}$. Then $(c_1, \dots, c_q) \in A^+$

And hence $\beta_k \in \mathbb{N}_0^2$ & $1 \leq k \leq q$, and $\gamma(c_1) \dots \gamma(c_q) = \text{id}$
 by Thm 10.3.14. Therefore, $(c_n)_{n \geq 1} = (c_1, \dots, c_q)^\infty$
 in the nor seq. of \mathcal{G} w.r.t X and \mathcal{J} , only q elts
 of \mathbb{N}_0^2 and q elts of $-\mathbb{N}_0^2$ appear.

$$\left[\begin{array}{l} \underbrace{\beta_1 = d_1, \beta_2 = \gamma(c_1)(d_1), \dots, \beta_q \in \mathbb{N}_0^2}_{\beta_{q+1} = \underbrace{\gamma(c_1) \dots \gamma(c_q)(d_1)}_{\beta_{q+2} = -\beta_2} = -d_1}, \dots \end{array} \right]$$

Since $(c_q, \dots, c_1) \in A^+$ by Cor. 10.3.8 (1)

lem. 10.3.16 (2) \Rightarrow the same holds for the nor seq
 of \mathcal{G} w.r.t X and \mathcal{J} .

$\Delta^{x_{re}} \subseteq N_0^2 \cup -N_0^2$ by Rem 10.3.18 and G is fine

Because of Lem 10.3.16 (1),

$$\Delta^{y_{re}} \subseteq N_0^2 \cup -N_0^2 \text{ & } y \in X.$$

$$|\Delta_r^{x_{re}}| = \underline{\underline{m_{ij}}} = \overline{m_{ij}} = 2 \quad \text{by Cor. 9.2.20}$$

Further $n \mid q$ by assumption

$$\frac{q}{n} = \frac{12n}{tw} \quad \text{?}$$

$$\underbrace{(r_2 r_1)^2}_{(CG)}(x) = x$$

Thus $G \in CG$.

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