

Distributive ℓ -pregroups: decidability and generation

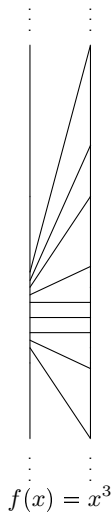
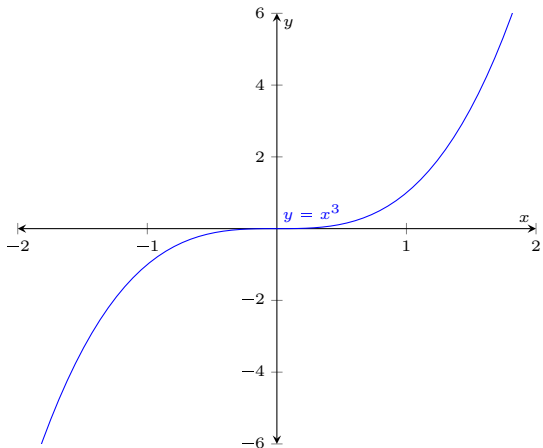
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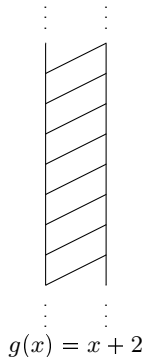
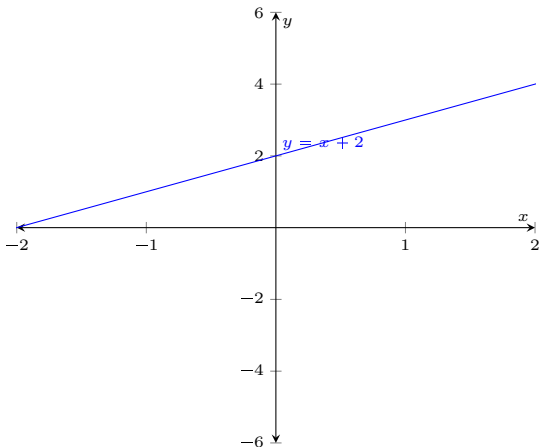
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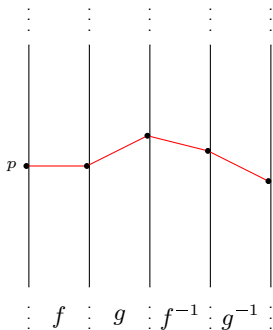
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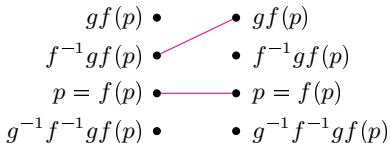
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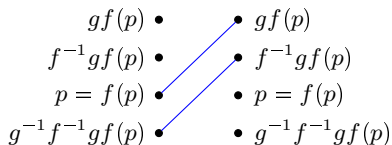
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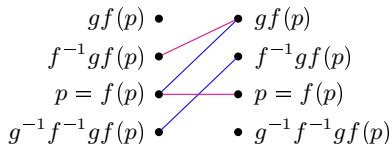
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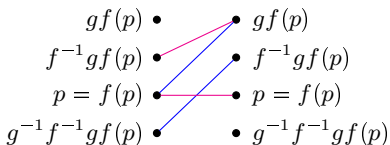
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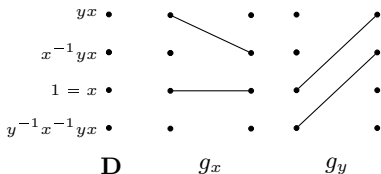
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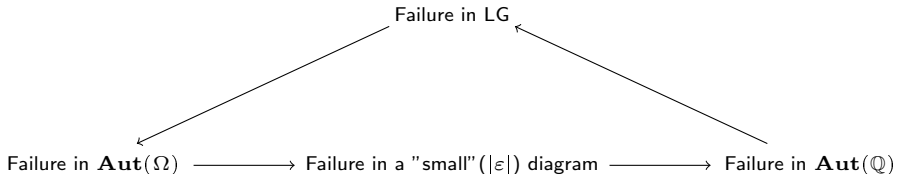
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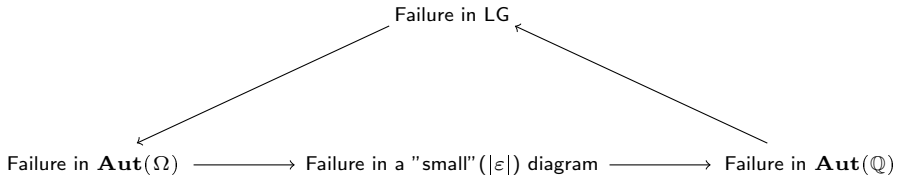


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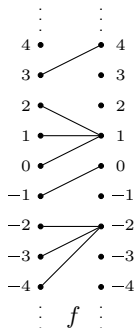
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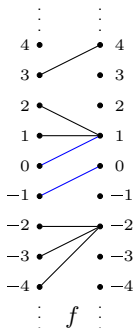
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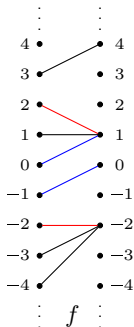


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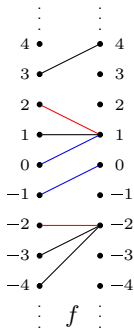


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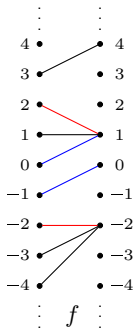
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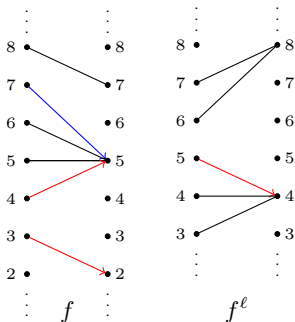
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Theorem (Representation: Galatos-Horčík)

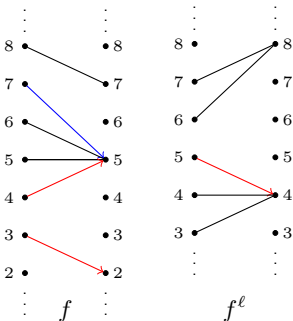
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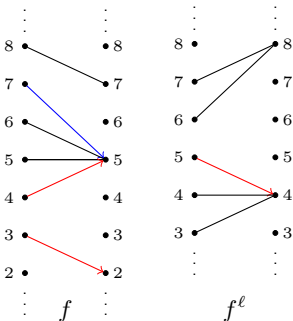
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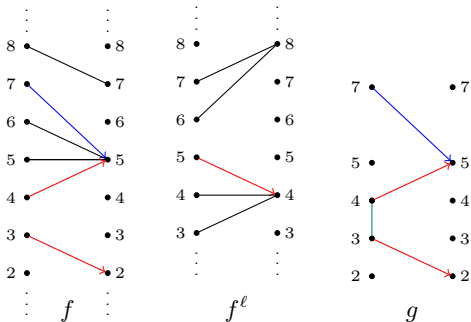


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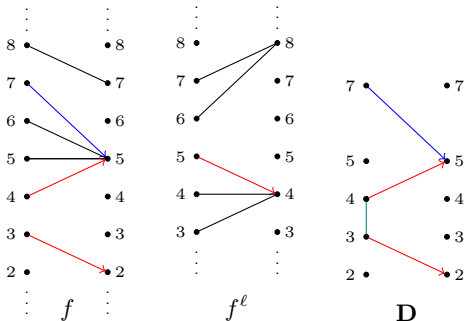
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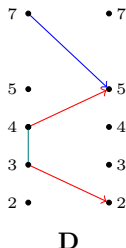
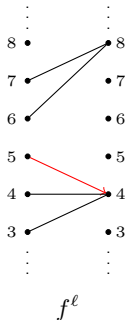
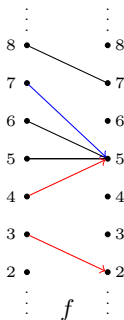
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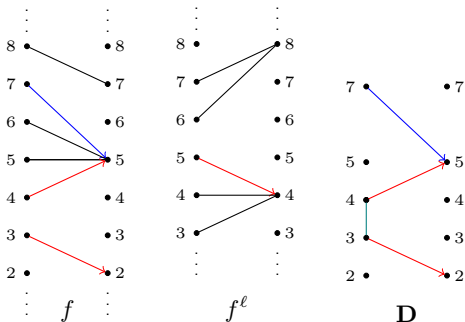


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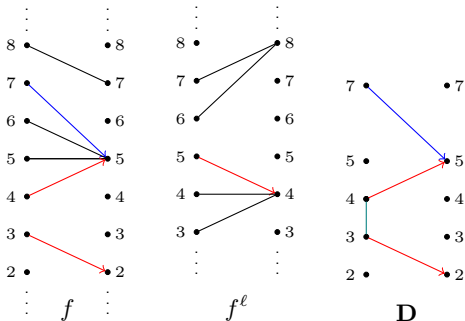
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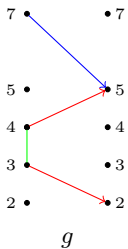
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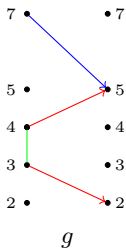
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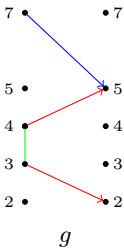
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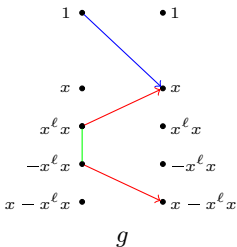
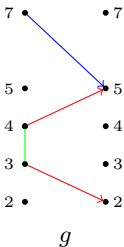
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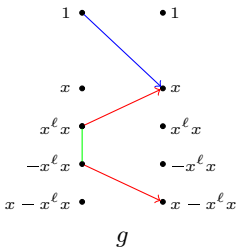
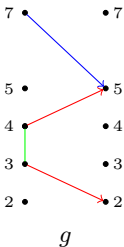
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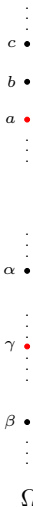
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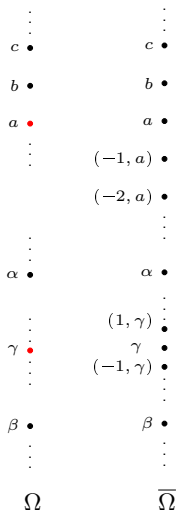
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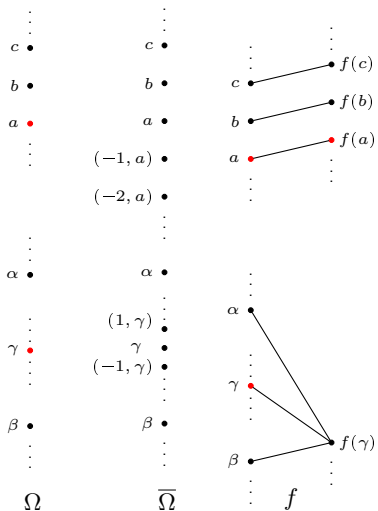
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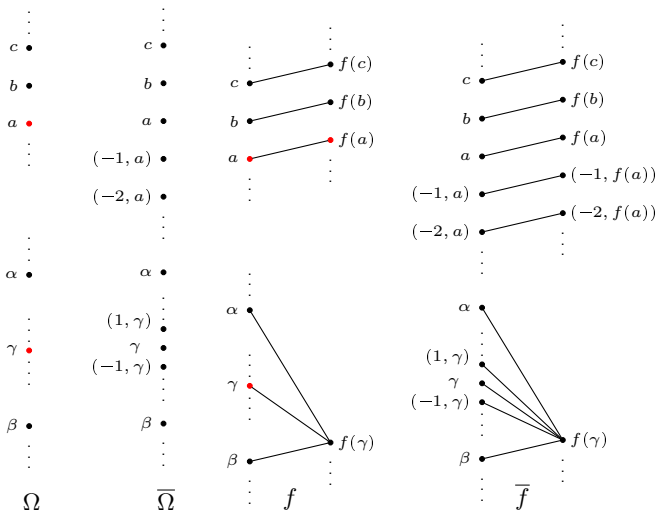
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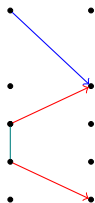
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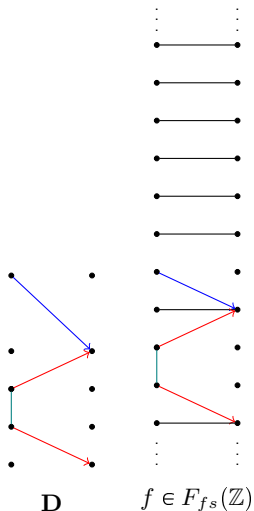
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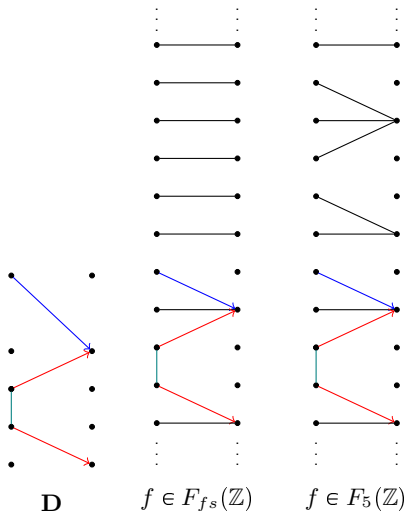


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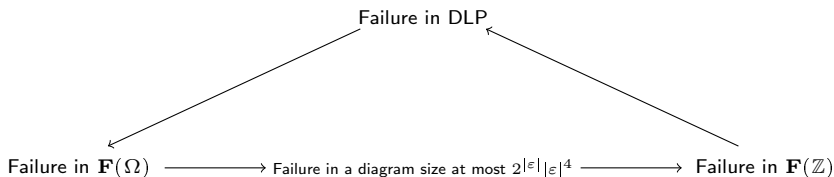
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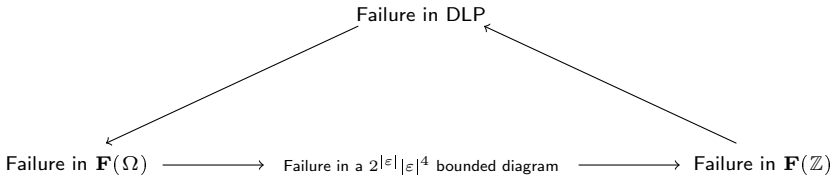
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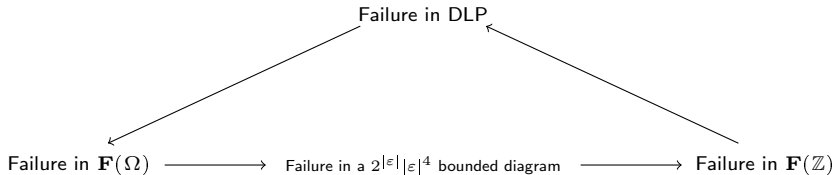


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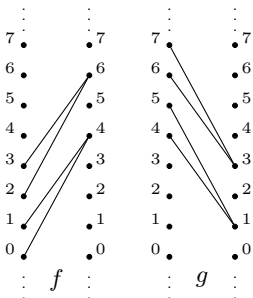
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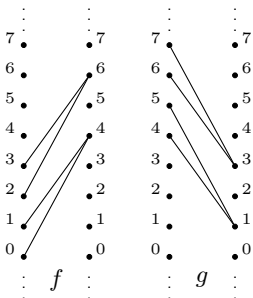


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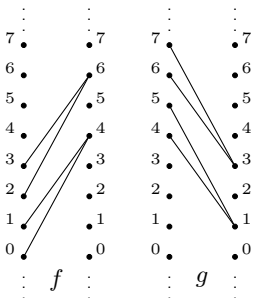


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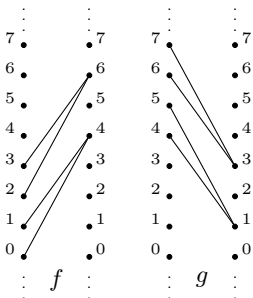
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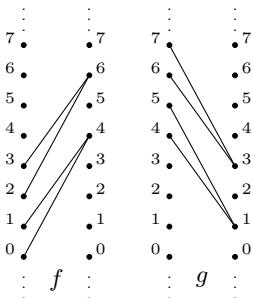
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Set of all n -periodic functions of $\mathbf{F}(\Omega)$ forms a subalgebra that we denote by $\mathbf{F}_n(\Omega)$.

Theorem (Galatos - Jipsen)

All periodic ℓ -pregroups are distributive.

Theorem (Galatos - G.)

Every n -periodic ℓ -pregroup embeds in $\mathbf{F}_n(\Omega)$, for $\Omega = \mathbf{J} \overrightarrow{\times} \mathbb{Z}$, for some chain \mathbf{J} .

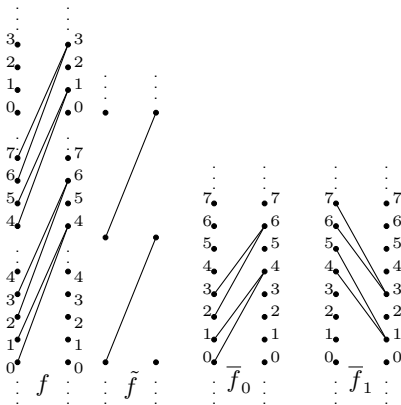
Theorem (Galatos - G.)

For any $n \in \mathbb{Z}$, the equational class LP_n is not generated by $\mathbf{F}_n(\mathbb{Z})$.

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Theorem (Galatos - G.)

For every chain \mathbf{J} and $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$, $\mathbf{F}_n(\mathbf{J} \overrightarrow{\times} \mathbb{Z}) \cong \mathbf{Aut}(\mathbf{J}) \wr \mathbf{F}_n(\mathbb{Z})$. Therefore, every n -periodic ℓ -pregroup can be embedded in a wreath product of an ℓ -group and the simple n -periodic ℓ -pregroup $\mathbf{F}_n(\mathbb{Z})$.

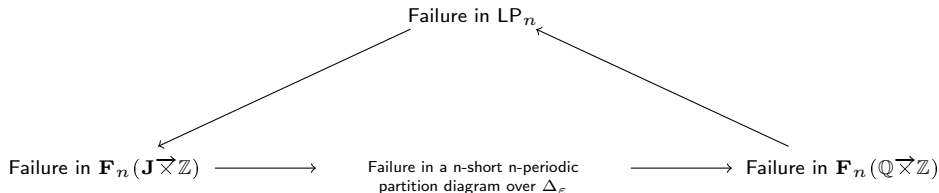


Theorem (Galatos - G.)

If an equation ε fails in an n -periodic ℓ -pregroup, it fails in a n -short n -periodic partition diagram.

Theorem (Galatos - G.)

If an equation ε fails in a n -short n -periodic partition diagram, it fails in $\mathbf{F}_n(\mathbb{Q} \overrightarrow{\times} \mathbb{Z})$.

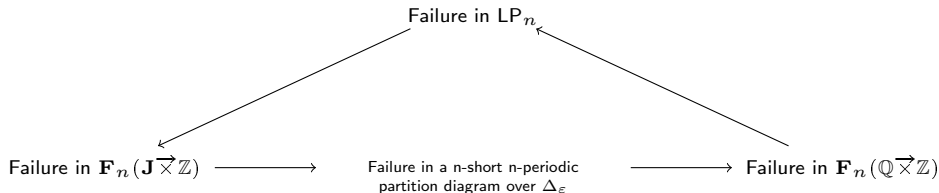


Theorem (Galatos - G.)

The equational class LP_n is decidable.

Theorem (Galatos - G.)

The equational class LP_n is generated by $\mathbf{F}_n(\mathbb{Q} \overrightarrow{\times} \mathbb{Z})$.



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