

# Museum of visual ART

## references, extra notes, exercises

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# random Young diagrams



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# random Young diagrams

## exercise

run the following experiment in SageMath:

let  $w = (w_1, \dots, w_n)$  be a very long random sequence of length  $n = 10^4$ ;

entries are independent random variables,  
sampled from  $\{1, \dots, d\}$  with  $d = 10^2$

visualize the insertion tableau  $P(w)$

visualize the insertion tableau  $Q(w)$

now find the theoretical explanation

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surprise: this result never appeared in the literature!

# Stanley–Féray character formula, Kerov positivity conjecture

short reading



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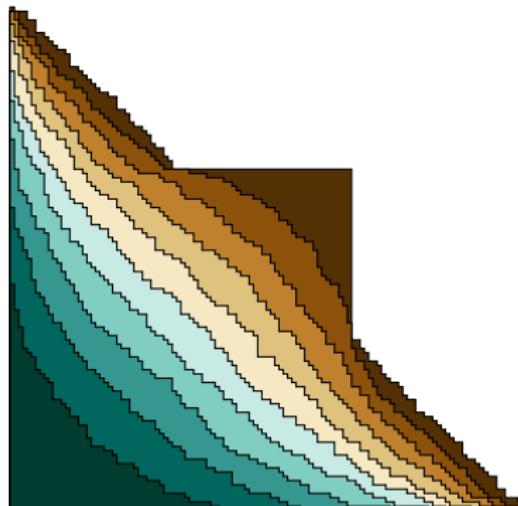
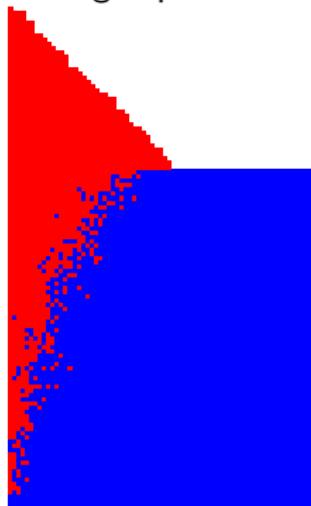
## homework: rectification of large random tableaux

computer experiment with SageMath:

the following code generates a random skew tableau with a shape which consists of two squares, touching in the corner;  
the 'red' small square is in north-west, the 'blue' big square is in south-east;  
then we rectify the the tableau

```
import random
sizeA=40
sizeB=80
mylist = [0]* sizeA^2 + [1]*sizeB^2
random.shuffle(mylist)
indicesA=[ index+1 for index , entry in enumerate(
    mylist) if entry==0]
indicesB=[ index+1 for index , entry in enumerate(
    mylist) if entry==1]
tabA =StandardTableaux([ sizeA]*sizeA).
    random_element()
tabB =StandardTableaux([ sizeB]*sizeB).
    random_element()
newtabA= [ [ indicesA [entry -1] for entry in row ]
    for row in tabA]
newtabB= [ [None] * sizeA + [ indicesB [entry -1]
    for entry in row ] for row in tabB]
skew=SkewTableau(newtabB+newtabA)
rectified=skew.rectify()
```

the following two pictures visualize the outcome of the rectification;  
the left picture shows the which boxes of the rectified tableau originate  
from the red and which from the blue tableau  
the right picture shows the usual level curves for the rectified tableau



easy homework: find theoretical explanation for the right picture  
hard problem: find theoretical explanation for the left picture  
what other questions we can ask?