

The Qubit Stabiliser ZX-travaganza:

Simplified Axioms, Normal Forms and
Graph-Theoretic Simplification

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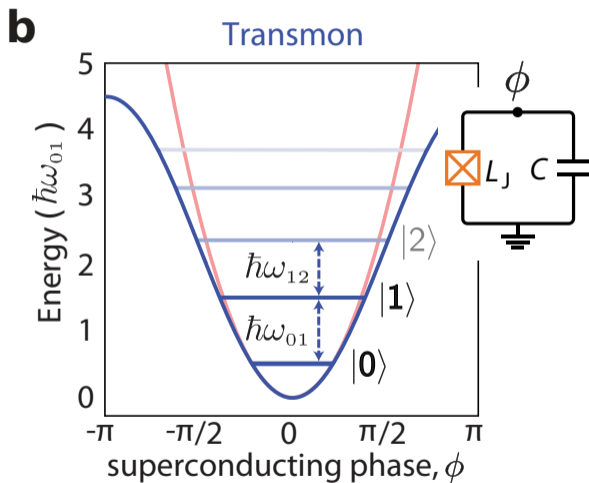
Qubits:

$$|\psi\rangle = \alpha |0\rangle + \beta |1\rangle$$

Qudits:


$$|\psi\rangle = a_0 |0\rangle + a_1 |1\rangle + a_2 |2\rangle + \dots + a_{d-1} |d-1\rangle$$

Physical Realisation of Qudits



Qupits are the odd prime dimensional qudits

Complete ZX-Calculi for the Stabiliser Fragment in Odd Prime Dimensions

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Abstract

We introduce a family of ZX-calculi which axiomatise the stabiliser fragment of quantum theory in odd prime dimensions. These calculi recover many of the nice features of the qubit ZX-calculus which were lost in previous proposals for higher-dimensional systems. We then prove that these calculi are complete, i.e. provide a set of rewrite rules which can be used to prove any equality of stabiliser quantum operations. Adding a discard construction, we obtain a calculus complete for

Booth and Carette, 2022

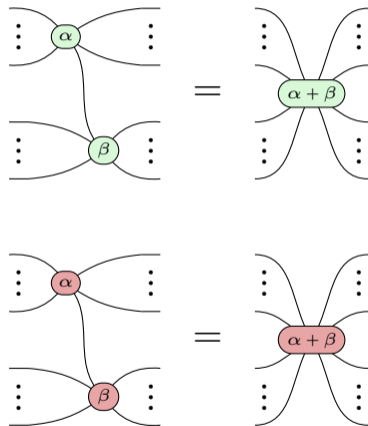
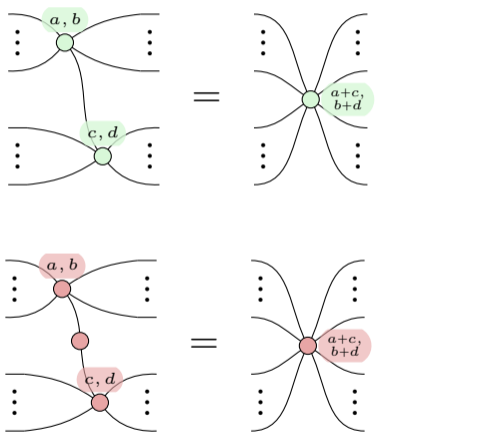
New results and improvements

- Reduced axioms
- Well-tempered
- Minimality
- Graph theoretic simplifications
 - Local complementation
 - Pivoting
- Normal forms
- Neat completeness
- Clifford simplification

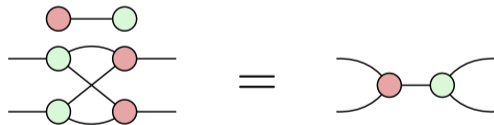
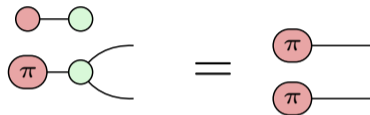
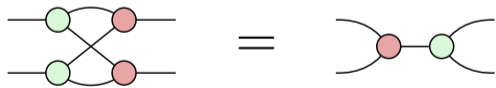
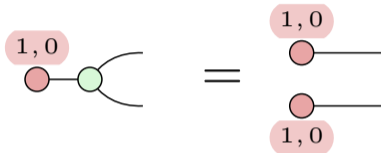
Generator: Z spider

$$\left[\begin{array}{c} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ m : \text{---} \circ \text{---} : n \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{array} \right] = p^{\frac{n+m-2}{4}} \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}_p} \omega^{2^{-1}(xk+yk^2)} |k : Z\rangle^{\otimes n} \langle k : Z|^{\otimes m}$$

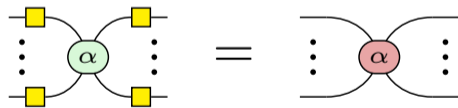
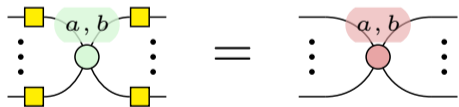
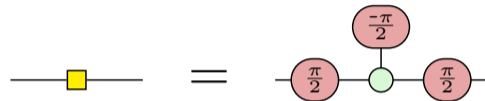
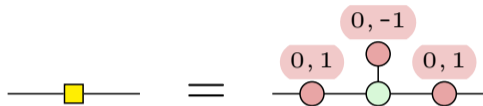
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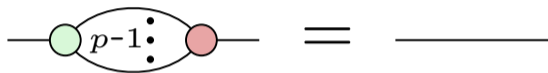
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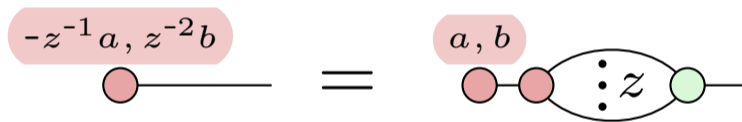
Euler, Colour



Special / ID



Multiplier Elimination



Generator: Explicit scalar

$$\llbracket s \rrbracket = s$$

Scalar axioms

$$\begin{array}{c} a, 0 \\ \circ - \circ \\ c, d \end{array} \text{ (OMEGA)} = \begin{array}{c} \omega^{2^{-3}ac} \\ \omega^{2^{-2}a^2d} \end{array}$$

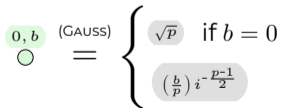
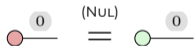
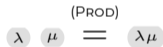
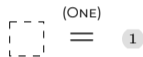
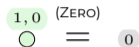
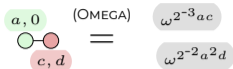
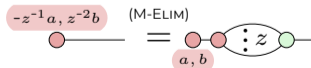
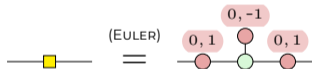
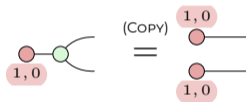
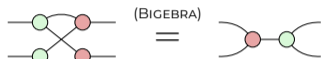
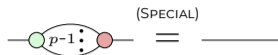
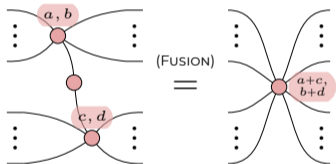
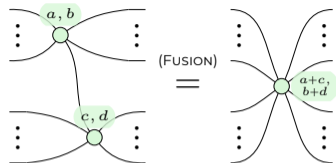
$$\lambda \quad \mu \text{ (PROD)} = \lambda\mu$$

$$\begin{array}{c} 1, 0 \\ \circ \end{array} \text{ (ZERO)} = 0$$

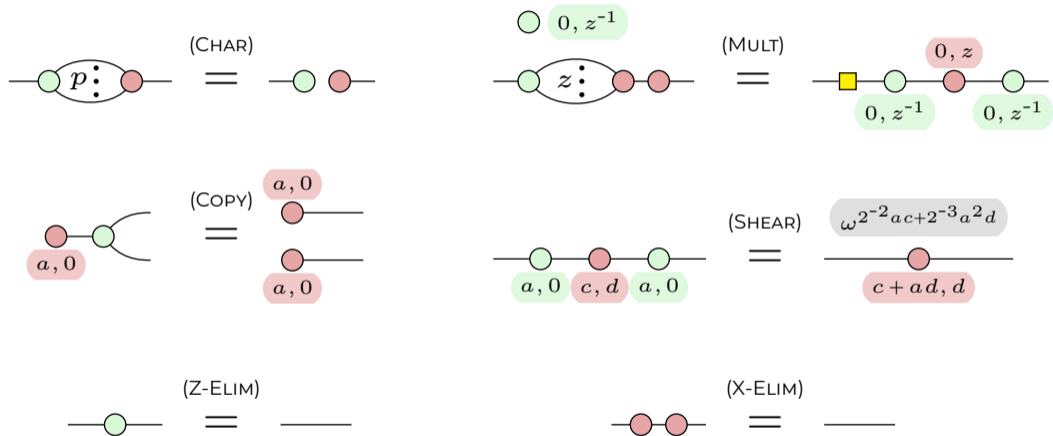
$$\begin{array}{c} 0 \\ \circ - \end{array} \text{ (NUL)} = \begin{array}{c} 0 \\ \circ - \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \square \end{array} \text{ (ONE)} = 1$$

$$\begin{array}{c} 0, b \\ \circ \end{array} \text{ (GAUSS)} = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \sqrt{p} \quad \text{if } b = 0 \\ \left(\frac{b}{p}\right) i^{-\frac{p-1}{2}} \end{array} \right.$$



Derived axioms of (Booth and Carette, 2022)



Strictly-Clifford basis change

For $a \in \mathbb{Z}_p$ and $b \in \mathbb{Z}_p^*$,

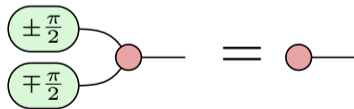
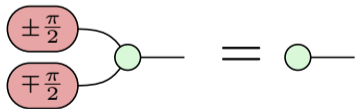
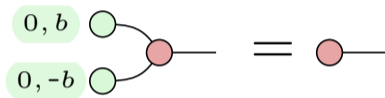
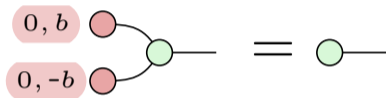
$$\begin{array}{c} a, b \\ \circ \text{---} \end{array} = \begin{array}{c} ab^{-1}, -b^{-1} \\ \color{red}\circ \text{---} \\ \color{green}\circ \text{---} \\ -ab^{-1}, b^{-1} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} a, b \\ \color{red}\circ \text{---} \end{array} = \begin{array}{c} -ab^{-1}, -b^{-1} \\ \circ \text{---} \\ \color{green}\circ \text{---} \\ -ab^{-1}, b^{-1} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \pm \frac{\pi}{2} \\ \color{green}\text{---} \end{array} \approx \begin{array}{c} \mp \frac{\pi}{2} \\ \color{red}\text{---} \end{array}$$

Supplementarity

For $b \in \mathbb{Z}_p^*$,

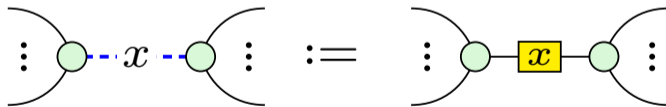
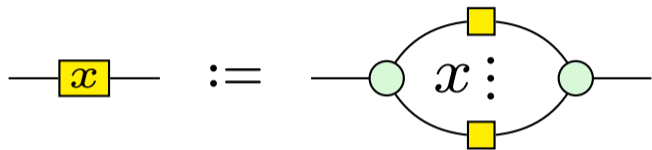


Perdrix and Wang, 2016

Graph-Theoretic Simplifications

Duncan, Kissinger, Perdrix and Wetering, 2020

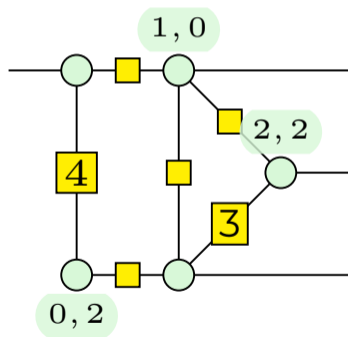
H-box



Graph-Like Diagrams

A ZX-diagram is **graph-like** when it has

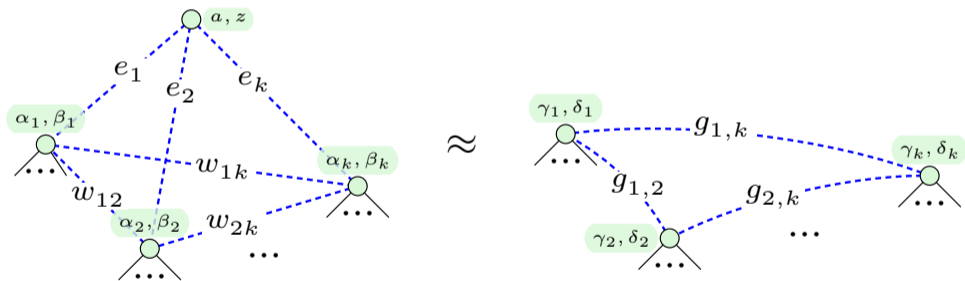
1. only Z-spiders,
2. only H-edges,
3. no self-loops,
4. all its inputs and outputs connected to a Z-spider,
5. no Z-spider connected to more than one input or output.



Any ZX-diagram can be transformed into a graph-like diagram

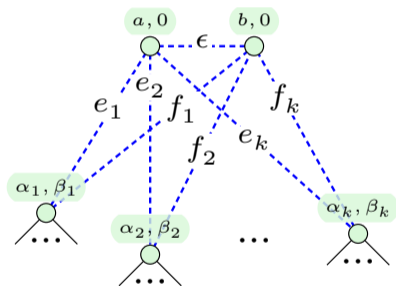
Local Complementation

For $* \in \mathbb{Z}_p$ and $z \in \mathbb{Z}_p^*$:

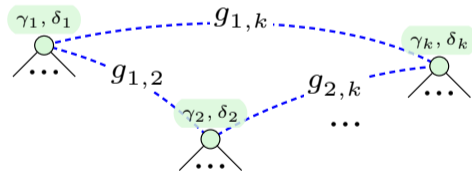


Pivoting

For $*$ $\in \mathbb{Z}_p$ and $\epsilon \in \mathbb{Z}_p^*$:



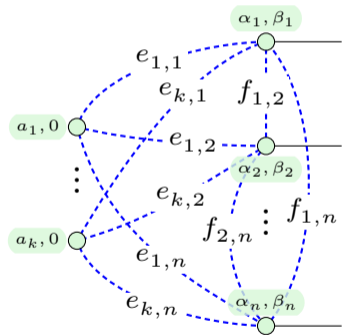
\approx



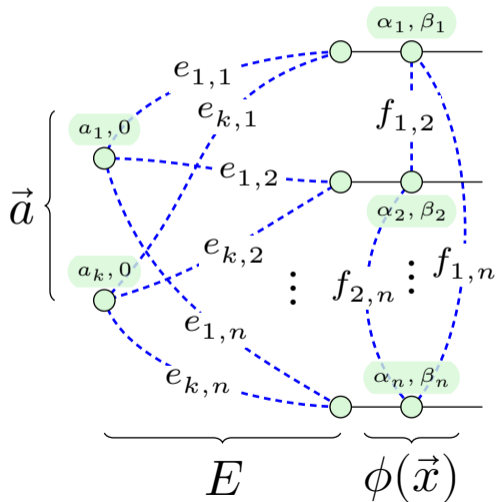
AP-form

A graph-like diagram is in **Affine with Phases form** (AP-form) when:

- There are no inputs;
- All internal spiders are Pauli;
- Internal spiders not connected to each other.



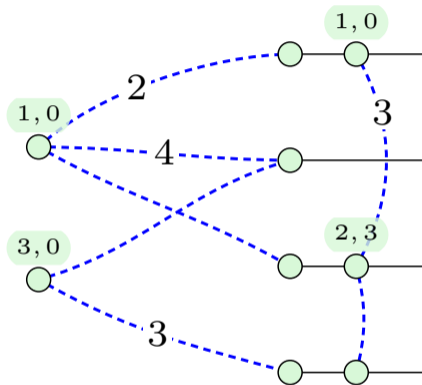
AP-form



$\llbracket \cdot \rrbracket$
 \mapsto

$$\sum_{E\vec{x}=\vec{a}} \omega^{\phi(\vec{x})} |\vec{x}\rangle$$

Example



$$\vec{a} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$E = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\phi(\vec{x}) = 2^{-3}x_1 + x_3 + x_3^2 - x_1x_3 - 2^{-3}x_3x_4$$

Reduced AP-form

A diagram in AP-form defined by (E, \vec{a}, ϕ) is in **reduced AP-form** if:

- E is in reduced row echelon form (RREF);
- E contains no fully zero rows.
- ϕ only contains free variables from the equation system of E ;

The reduced AP-form is unique

Any diagram can be transformed
into reduced AP-form

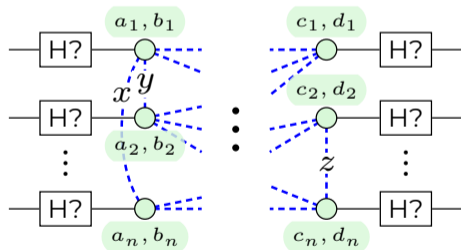
Corollary

Completeness!

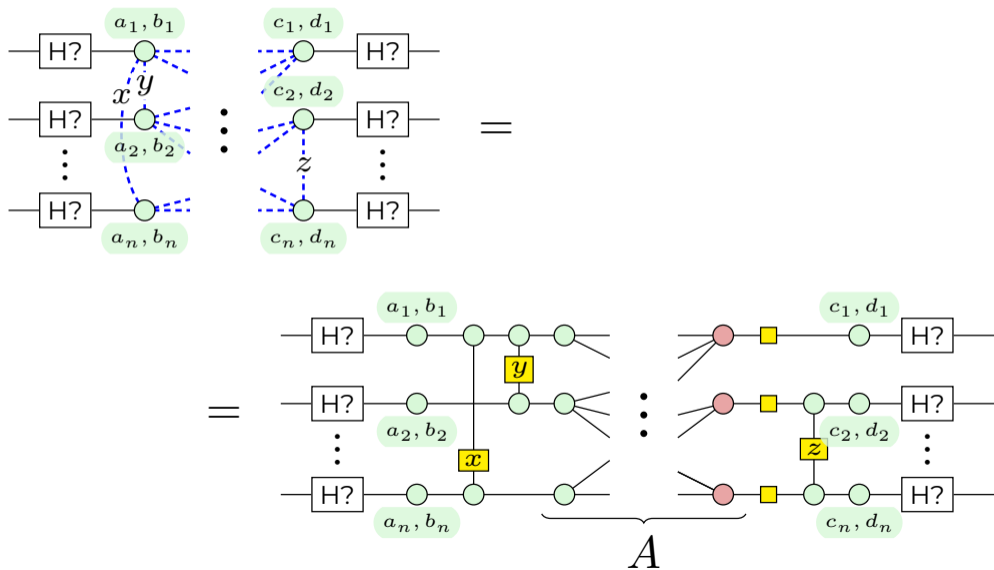
GS-LC form

A diagram is in **Graph State with Local Cliffords form** (GS-LC form) when:

- It is graph-like up to Hadamards on output wires;
- It has no internal spiders.



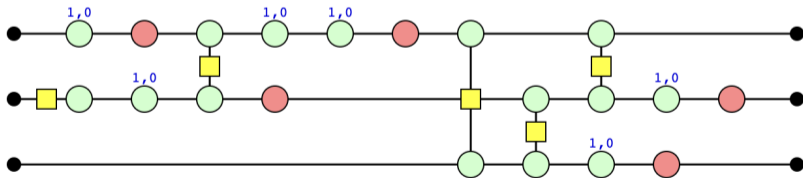
Decomposing arbitrary Clifford unitaries



DiZX

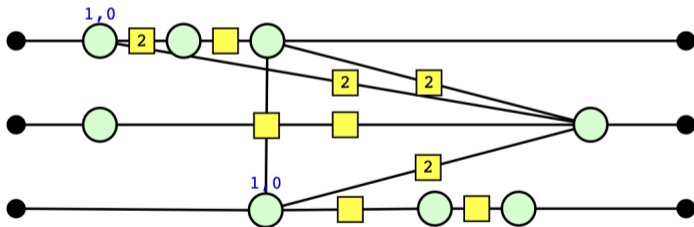
DiZX

```
zcircuit.add_gate("CZ", 2, 1)  
zcircuit.add_gate("CZ", 0, 1)  
zcircuit.add_gate("Z", 1)  
zcircuit.add_gate("Z", 2)  
zcircuit.add_gate("NEG", 2)  
zcircuit.add_gate("NEG", 1)  
g = zcircuit.to_graph(zh=True)  
dizx.draw(g)
```



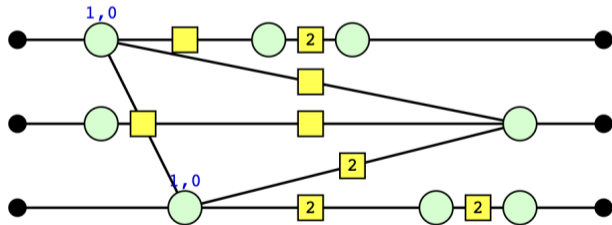
DiZX: AP-from

```
to_ap_form(g)  
dizx.draw(g)
```



DiZX: Clifford simp

```
clifford_simp(g)  
dizx.draw(g)
```



Summary

- The calculus is
 - simplified,
 - well-tempered,
 - almost minimal,
 - and has explicit scalars.
- Using it, we
 - show local complementation and pivoting,
 - simplify Clifford diagrams,
 - prove completeness (reduced AP-form),
 - and decompose Clifford unitaries (GS-LC form).
- Try it out in DiZX!



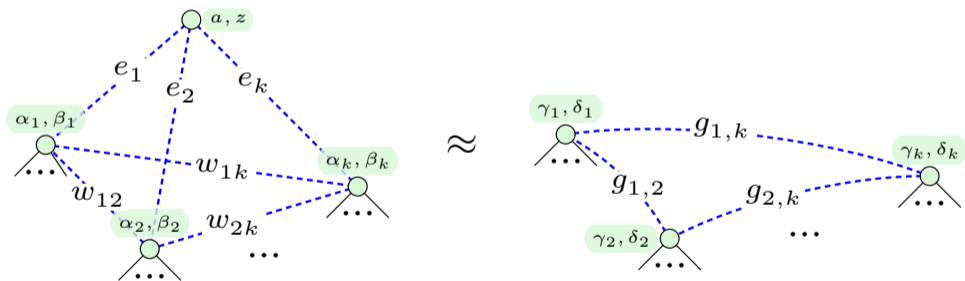
Appendix

Overview

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Local Complementation

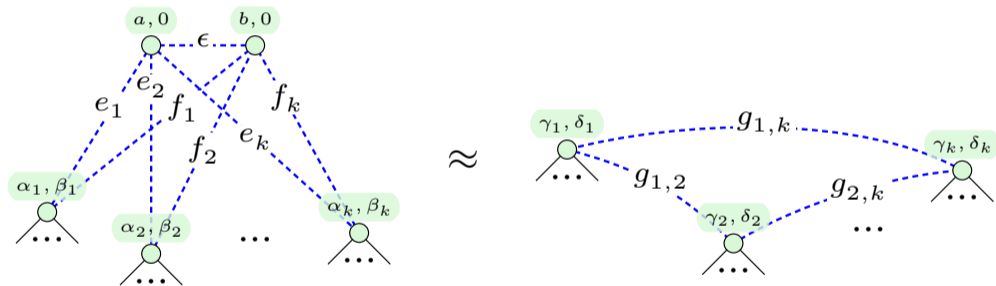
For any $z \in \mathbb{Z}_p^*$ and for all $a, \alpha_i, \beta_i, e_i, w_{i,j} \in \mathbb{Z}_p$ where $i, j \in \{1, \dots, k\}$ such that $i < j$ we have:



Here $\gamma_i = \alpha_i - e_i a z^{-1}$, $\delta_i = \beta_i - z^{-1} e_i^2$, and $g_{i,j} = w_{ij} - z^{-1} e_i e_j$.




Pivoting

Here again $\epsilon \in \mathbb{Z}_p^*$ with every other variable on the left-hand side allowed arbitrary values.






On the right-hand side $\gamma_i = \alpha_i - \epsilon^{-1}(af_i + be_i)$,
 $\delta_i = \beta_i - 2\epsilon^{-1}e_i f_i$, and $g_{i,j} = -\epsilon^{-1}(e_i f_j + e_j f_i)$.

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