

$$\Rightarrow (\sum \sigma_{2n-i,i})^2 = n+1.$$

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In a similar vein, the number of lines in  $\mathbb{P}^4$  meeting six  $\alpha$ -planes in general position is given by  $\sigma_1^6$  in  $G(\alpha, 5)$ : we have

$$\begin{aligned} \text{so } \sigma_1^3 &= \sigma_1 \cdot (\sigma_{1,1} + \sigma_2) = 2\sigma_{2,1} + \sigma_3, \\ \sigma_1^6 &= (2\sigma_{2,1} + \sigma_3)^2 = 4 + 1 = 5. \end{aligned}$$

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$$\sigma_1^2 = \sum_{\sum c_i = 2} \sigma_c = \sigma_{1,1} + \sigma_2.$$

$$\sigma_1 \cdot (\sigma_{1,1} + \sigma_2) = \sigma_1 \cdot \sigma_{1,1} + \sigma_1 \cdot \sigma_2.$$

$$\sigma_1 \cdot \sigma_{1,1} = \sum_{\substack{\sum c_i = 3 \\ 1 \leq c_2 \leq 1 \\ 1 \leq c_1 \leq 3}} \sigma_c = \sigma_{2,1}$$

$$\sigma_1 \cdot \sigma_2 = \sum_{\substack{\sum c_i = 3 \\ 0 \leq c_2 \leq 2 \\ 2 \leq c_1 \leq 2+1}} \sigma_c = \sigma_{2,1} + \sigma_3$$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma_1^3 = 2\sigma_{2,1} + \sigma_3.$$

$$\sigma_1^6 = (\sigma_1^3)^2 = (2\sigma_{2,1} + \sigma_3)^2 = 4 \cdot \sigma_{2,1}^2 + \sigma_3^2$$

$$+ 4 \underset{0}{\sigma_{2,1}} \cdot \underset{0}{\sigma_3} = 4 \cdot \underset{4}{\sigma_{2,1}} \cdot \underset{4}{\sigma_{3-1,3-2}} + \underset{1}{\sigma_3} \cdot \underset{1}{\sigma_{3-0}}$$

$$\sigma_{2,1} \cdot \sigma_{2,1} = 1$$

$$\sigma_3 \cdot \sigma_3 = 1$$

$$= 4 + 1 = 5$$

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