

ON HASSE DIAGRAMS CONNECTED WITH THE 1-OVERSUPERCRITICAL POSET (1, 2, 7)

We study combinatorial properties of Hasse diagrams of posets minimax equivalent to the oversupercritical poset (1, 2, 7).

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Introduction. M. M. Kleiner proved that a (finite) poset S is of finite representation type if and only if it does not contain the subsets of the form $(1, 1, 1, 1)$, $(2, 2, 2)$, $(1, 3, 3)$, $(1, 2, 5)$ and $(\mathbb{I}, 4)$, which are called the critical posets (see [7]). By (P, Q) with P, Q being posets we denote their direct sum, and by (i_1, i_2, \dots, i_p) the direct sum of chains of length i_1, i_2, \dots, i_p . In [4] it is proved that a poset is P -critical (i.e. critical with respect to the positivity of the Tits quadratic form) if and only if it is minimax equivalent to a critical poset (the notion of minimax equivalence was introduced in [1]); in [4] all such posets were completely described (up to duality).

A similar situation occurs for the tame posets. L. A. Nazarova proved that a poset S is tame if and only if it does not contain subsets of the form $(1, 1, 1, 1, 1)$, $(1, 1, 1, 2)$, $(2, 2, 3)$, $(1, 3, 4)$, $(1, 2, 6)$ and $(\mathbb{I}, 5)$ (see [8]); these sets are called supercritical. In [5] it is proved that a poset is critical with respect to the non-negativity of the Tits form if and only if it is minimax equivalent to a supercritical poset; all such critical posets were described in [6].

The posets that differ from the supercritical sets in the way as the supercritical sets differ from critical posets are called 1-supersupercritical. More precisely (see [2]), it is the following posets: 1) $(1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1)$, 2) $(1, 1, 1, 1, 2)$, 3) $(1, 1, 2, 2)$, 4) $(1, 1, 1, 3)$, 5) $(2, 3, 3)$, 6) $(2, 2, 4)$, 7) $(1, 4, 4)$, 8) $(1, 2, 7)$, 9) $(1, 2, 7)$, 10) $(6, \mathbb{I})$.

We study combinatorial properties of the posets which are minimax equivalent to the 1-oversupercritical poset $(1, 2, 7)$. For the smallest 1-oversupercritical poset with trivial group of automorphisms, i.e. the poset $(1, 3, 5)$, combinatorial properties were studied in [3].

1. Formulation of the main theorems. The Hasse diagram of a finite poset S is by definition the directed graph $H(S)$ with the vertices $x \in S$ and the arrows (x, y) , $x, y \in S$, where $x < y$ and there is no z satisfying $x < z < y$. We call the 0-length of an oriented path of $H(S)$ the number of its vertices, and denote by $l_{\min}(S)$ (respectively, $l_{\max}(S)$) the 0-length of a most short (respectively, long) oriented path of $H(S)$. We denote by $[S]$ – the set of all posets minimax equivalent to S (see [1]) and put

$$L_{\min}(S) = \min_{X \in [S]} l_{\min}(X), \quad L_{\max}(S) = \max_{X \in [S]} l_{\max}(X).$$

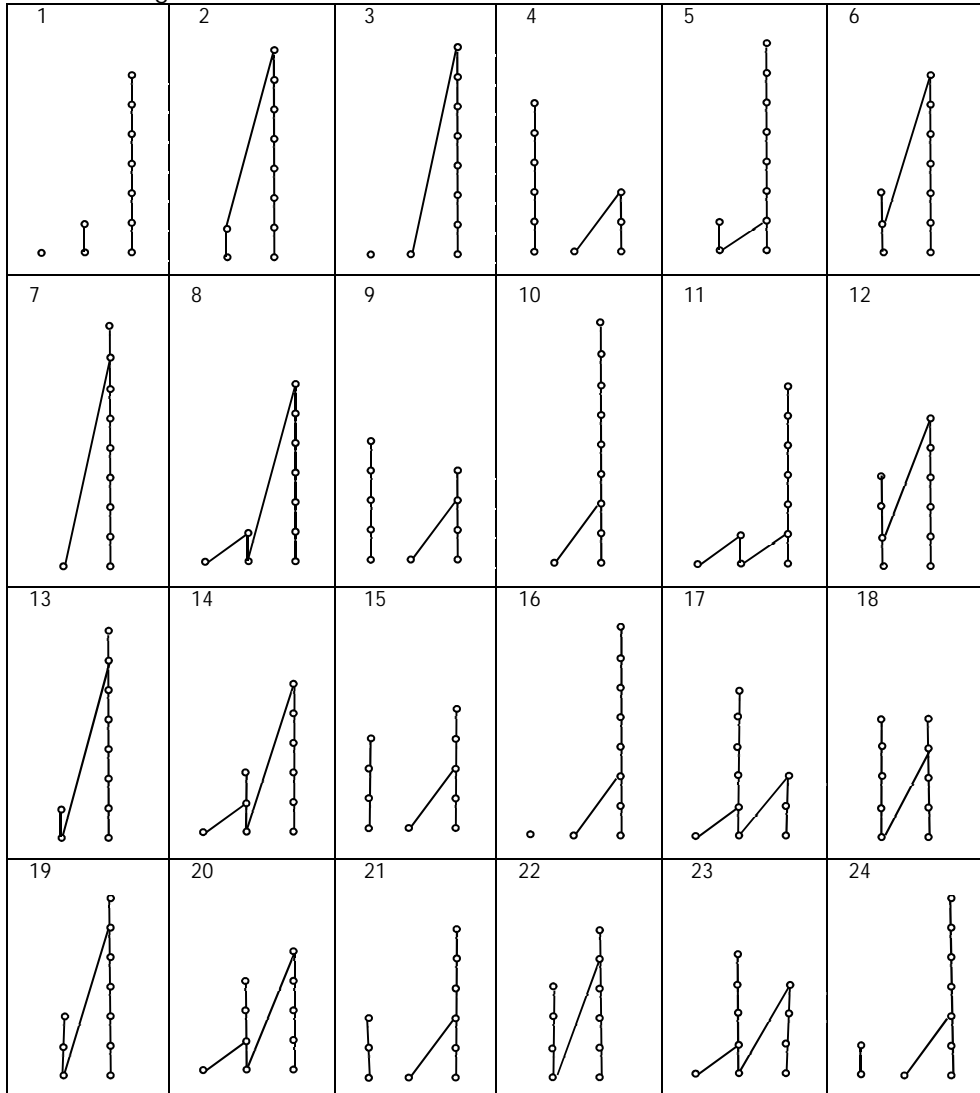
The number of minimax oriented paths of the graph $H(X)$ (X is a poset) is denoted by $n(X)$.

Theorem 1. For $S=(1, 2, 7)$, $L_{\min}(S) = 1$, $L_{\max}(S) = 9$.

Theorem 2. Let $X \in [(1, 2, 7)]$. Then $1 \leq l_{\min}(X) \leq 8$, $5 \leq l_{\max}(X) \leq 9$, $n(X) \in \{2, 3, 4\}$.

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2. Proofs of the theorems. The posets minimax equivalent to (1, 2, 7) were classified in [2]. They are given (up to isomorphism and anti-isomorphism) by the following table.



We have the next theorem.

Theorem 3. *The following holds for posets 1 – 24:*

N	l_{\min}	l_{\max}	n	N	l_{\min}	l_{\max}	n	N	l_{\min}	l_{\max}	n
1	1	7	3	9	3	5	3	17	2	6	4
2	3	8	2	10	8	9	2	18	3	5	3
3	1	8	3	11	2	7	4	19	3	7	3
4	2	6	3	12	3	6	3	20	2	5	4
5	2	8	3	13	2	8	3	21	3	6	3
6	3	7	3	14	2	6	4	22	3	6	3
7	3	9	2	15	4	5	3	23	2	5	4
8	2	7	4	16	1	8	3	24	2	7	3

Here the numbers l_{\min} , l_{\max} and n denote, respectively, $l_{\min}(S_i)$, $l_{\max}(S_i)$ and $n(S_i)$ for $i = N$, where N runs from 1 to 24 and S_i is the i th poset in the table.

The proof is carried out by direct calculations.

Theorems 1 and 2 follow from Theorem 3.

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ПРО ДІАГРАМИ ХАССЕ, ПОВ'ЯЗАНІ З 1-НАДСУПЕРКРИТИЧНОЮ ЧАСТКОВО ВПОРЯДКОВАНОЮ МНОЖИНОЮ (1, 2, 7)

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