## Non Commutative Gaussian Elimination @ MAT 1100

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Amended from a similar notebook by Dror Bar-Natan and Itai Bar-Natan. The original version is at http://www.math.toronto.edu/-~drorbn/Misc/SchreierSimsRubik/.

Pensieve Header: Non Commutative Gaussian Ellimination @ MAT 1100 - as on handout + a printout of the filling table. See more at Dror Bar-Natan: Academic Pensieve: 2009-07.

## Program 0

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gs = {purple = P[18, 27, 36, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 3, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15,
     16, 17, 45, 2, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 44, 1, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35,
      43, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 10, 19, 28, 52, 49, 46, 53, 50, 47, 54, 51, 48],
   white = P[1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 16, 25, 34, 10, 11, 9, 15, 24, 33, 39, 17, 18, 19,
      20, 8, 14, 23, 32, 38, 26, 27, 28, 29, 7, 13, 22, 31, 37, 35, 36, 12,
      21, 30, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54],
   green = P[1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20,
     21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 48, 47, 46, 39,
      42, 45, 38, 41, 44, 37, 40, 43, 30, 29, 28, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54],
   blue = P[3, 6, 9, 2, 5, 8, 1, 4, 7, 54, 53, 52, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 19, 20,
      21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37,
      38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 18, 17, 16],
   red = P[13, 2, 3, 22, 5, 6, 31, 8, 9, 12, 21, 30, 37, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 11,
      20, 29, 40, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 10, 19, 28, 43, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36,
      46, 38, 39, 49, 41, 42, 52, 44, 45, 1, 47, 48, 4, 50, 51, 7, 53, 54],
   yellow = P[1, 2, 48, 4, 5, 51, 7, 8, 54, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 3, 18, 27, 36, 19,
      20, 21, 22, 23, 6, 17, 26, 35, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 9, 16, 25, 34, 37,
      38, 15, 40, 41, 24, 43, 44, 33, 46, 47, 39, 49, 50, 42, 52, 53, 45];
($RecursionLimit = 2^16;
  n = 54;
  P /: p_P ** P[a___] := p[[{a}]];
  Inv[p_P] := P@@ Ordering[p];
  Feed[P@@Range[n]] := Null;
  Feed[p_P] := Module[{i, j},
    For[i = 1, p[[i]] == i, ++i]; j = p[[i]];
    If[Head[s[i, j]] === P,
     Feed[Inv[s[i, j]] ** p],
      (*Else*)s[i, j] = p;
     Do[If[Head[s[k, 1]] = P],
        Feed[s[i, j] ** s[k, 1]];
        Feed[s[k, 1] ** s[i, j]]
       1,
       \{k, n\}, \{1, n\}]
    11
 );
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(Feed[#]; Product[1+Length[Select[Range[n], Head[s[i, #]] === P &]], {i, n}]) & /@gs
\{4, 16, 15993501696000, 21119142223872000,
 4\,3\,252\,003\,274\,489\,856\,000\,,\ 43\,252\,003\,274\,489\,856\,000\,\}
Images[i_] := {i}~Join~Select[Range[n], Head[s[i, #]] === P &];
ListPlot [
 Join @@ Table [{i, #} & /@ Images [i], {i, n}],
 AspectRatio \rightarrow 1
]
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## 43 252 003 274 489 856 000 / (8 ! \* 3 ^ 8 \* 12 ! \* 2 ^ 12)

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Feed[purple]

Feed[white]

Feed[green]

Feed[blue]

Feed[red]

Feed[yellow]