

実践的アルゴリズム理論

Theory of Advanced Algorithms

計算折り紙(1)

担当: 上原隆平

今後の予定:

21日(水): レポート締め切り, 解答と解説

- 試験に関するアンケート

28日(水): 講義時間に最後の講義

- 講義アンケート(端末持参のこと)

28日(水): チュートリアルアワーに**期末試験**

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Computational Origami (1)

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Schedule:

21(Wed): Deadline of report

28(Wed): Last lecture

- Questionnaire (bring your note PC)

28 (Wed): **Tutorial Hour: Final Examination**

Computational ORIGAMI

- “ORIGAMI”
 - In 1500s, may be in Asia, with “papers”...?
 - Now “ORIGAMI” is popular even in English; There are many Origami books in book stores.
 - Something like “Origami”... while “Ori” means *folding*, and “gami” means *paper*...

There are many origami-applications or origami-engineering even they are not “folding”, not “paper”...; e.g., DNA folding, folding robots, ...



Computational ORIGAMI

- Development of recent Origami
 - In 1980s – 1990s, Origami becomes complicated, which is called “complex origami”.



Maekaya
Devil, 1980.
(From one
square sheet
of paper)



Kawasaki
Rose, 1985.
(From one
square sheet
of paper)



Cuckoo Clock by
Robert Lang,
1987. (From one
rectangular sheet of
size 1x10)

Computational ORIGAMI

- Computerized Origami...
 - Since 1990s, computer aided design of origami is popular.



Cuckoo Clock by Robert Lang, 1987. (From one rectangular sheet of size 1x10)



Origamizer by Tomohiro Tachi, 2007. (From one rectangular sheet in 10 hours ;-)



Mathematically designed origami by Jun Mitani, 2010. (From one rectangular sheet)

In 2016, they were key items in movies “Shin-Godzilla” and “Death Note”

Origami and Computer Science

- Development of Design method with computer

- 1980s: Maekawa's Devil

- » Get “parts” together in a CAD-like way

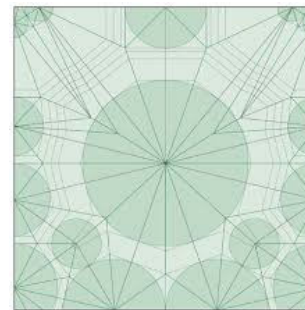
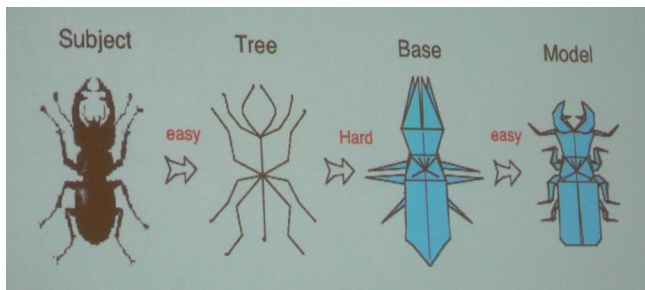
So called “Complex Origami” has been developed

- 2000s: “TreeMaker”; software by Robert Lang

- » Any given “metric tree” is developed into a square sheet of paper such that folding the crease pattern, you can get “large” metric tree.

Including NP-hard problems

- » Practical algorithm that solves several optimization problems.



International Conferences on Origami

1. December, 1989@ Italy

The International meeting of Origami Science and Technology

2. 1994@Shiga, Japan

3. March, 2001@USA

The International meeting of Origami Science, Mathematics, and Education

4. August, 2006@USA

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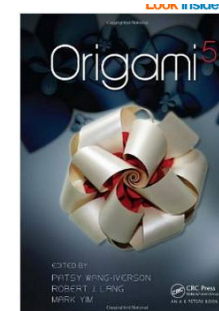
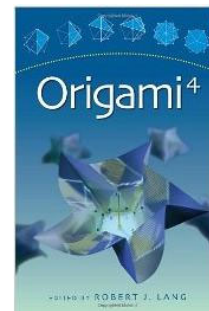
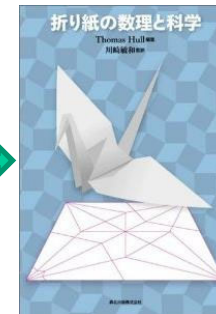
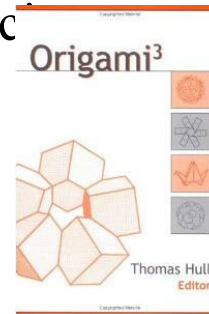
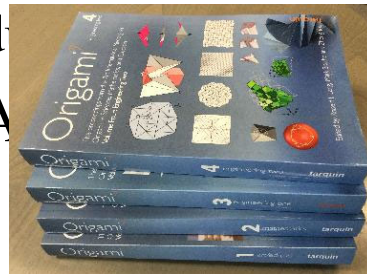
5. July, 2010@Singapore

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6. August, 2014@Tokyo, Japan

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7. September, 2018: 7OSME@Oxford, UK.



Origami and Computer Science

- Proposal of “Computational Origami”

Since 1990s, in Computational Geometry Society, “folding problems” are investigated in the contexts of “computational geometry” and “optimization problems”

Very famous researcher in this area: Erik D. Demaine

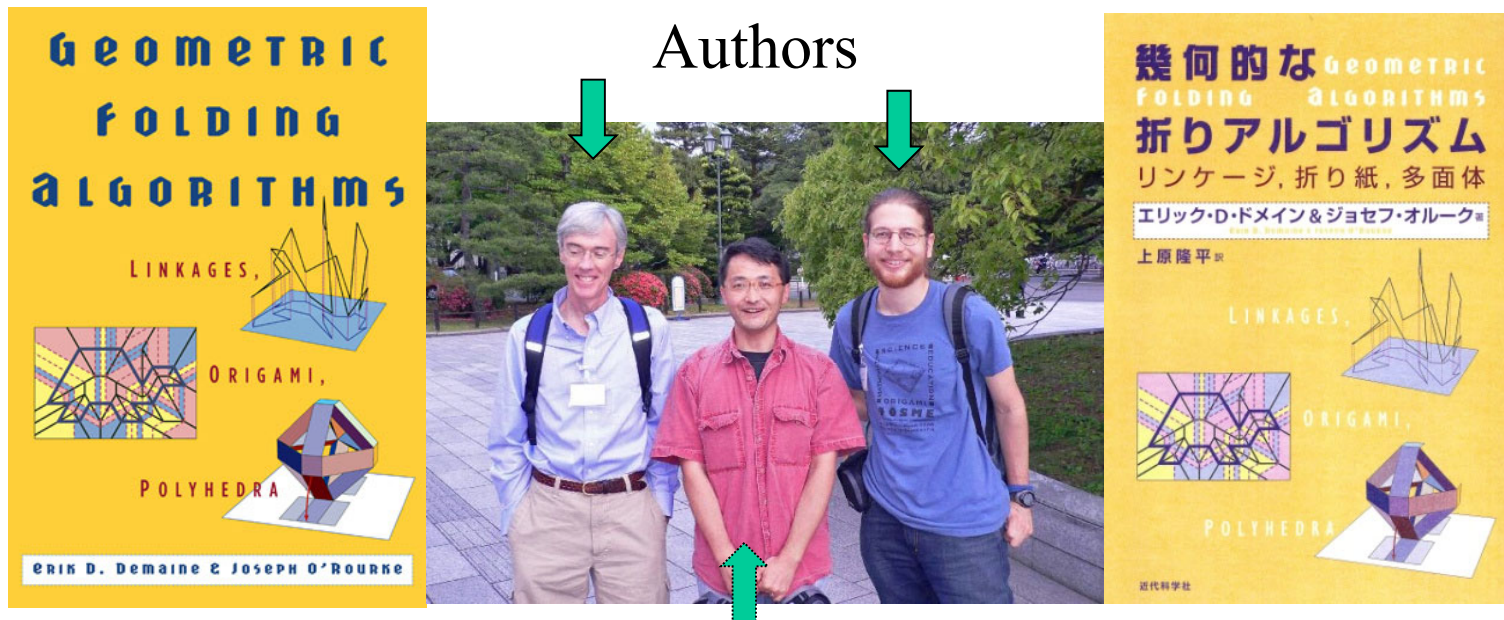
- He was born in 1981
- In 2001, he got Ph.D when he was 20, and became faculty member in MIT
- Topic of his Ph.D thesis was computational origami
- Still leading Origami research at MIT!
(e.g., origami-robots)



Origami and Computer Science

- “Bible” in Computational Origami

J. O’Rourke and E. D. Demaine, *Geometric Folding Algorithms: Linkages, Origami, Polyhedra*, 2007.



I translated into Japanese (2009).

Today's Topic

Relationship between **polygon** and **convex polyhedron** folded from it

- Big open problem and related problems
- For a given polygon, how can we compute (convex) polyhedron folded from it?
 - This problem is related to both of
 - Computational geometry
 - Graph theory and graph algorithms
 - We need “mathematical property”, “nice algorithms”, and “computer power”!

Today's Problem: Folding 2 or more boxes from one polyomino (polygon made by unit squares)

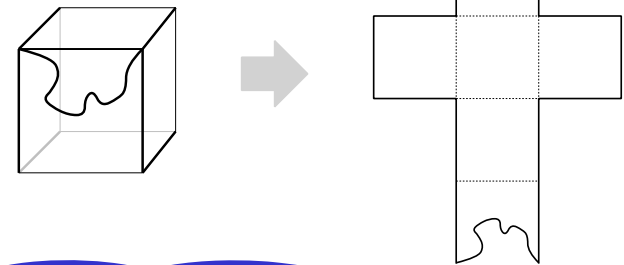
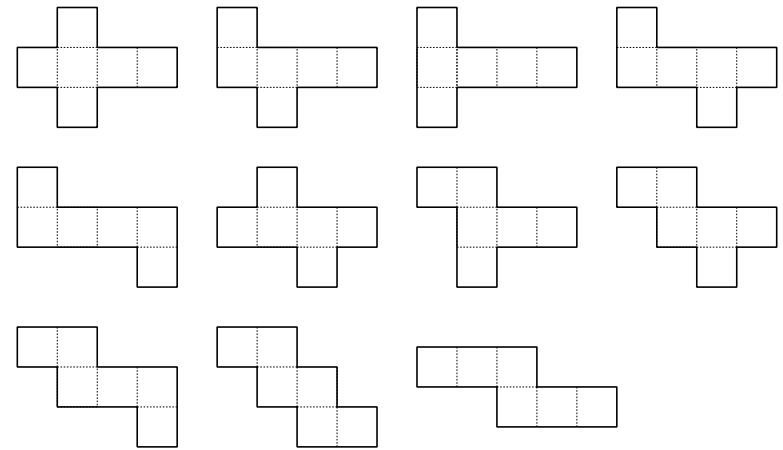
There are many open problems, and young researchers had been solving them 😊

Prelim: (Edge) unfolding

- **(General) development:** polygon obtained by cutting any surface of a polyhedron and developing of it.
 - It should be **connected**.
 - It should be **non-overlapping** simple polygon.
 - **(Edge) development:** development by cutting along edges of the polyhedron
 - Boundary of development consists of edges of polyhedron
 - In Japanese elementary school, we had learnt this notion as “development”, which I don’t know why?
- ★ Today’s ”Development” means general ones!

Exercise: Unfolding Puzzle!

- We learnt “a cube has 11 different developments” in elementary school. But it is not in our context; there are **infinitely many**.
- **Puzzle:** Find the other developments that consist of 6 squares.
 1. They can be different sizes!
 2. Can you find ones that consists of 6 unit squares?



If you know traditional origami “Balloon”,, 😊

Special
Thanks:
Masaka Iwai

Prelim. Basic facts

Let G be a graph induced by the vertices and edges of a convex polyhedron S :

[Theorem 1]

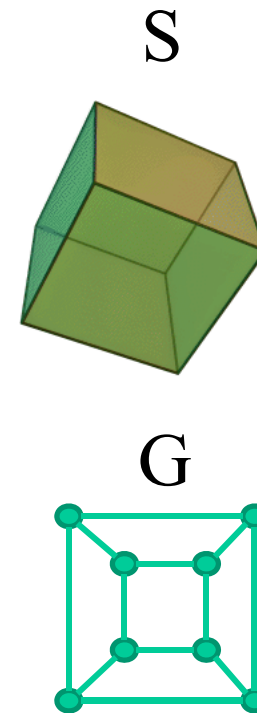
Cut lines of any edge development of S produces a spanning tree of G

[Proof]

- It visits all vertices: If not, uncut vertex cannot be flat.
- It produces no cycle:
If not, the development cannot be connected.

[Theorem 2]

Cut lines of any general development of S a tree that spans all vertices of S .



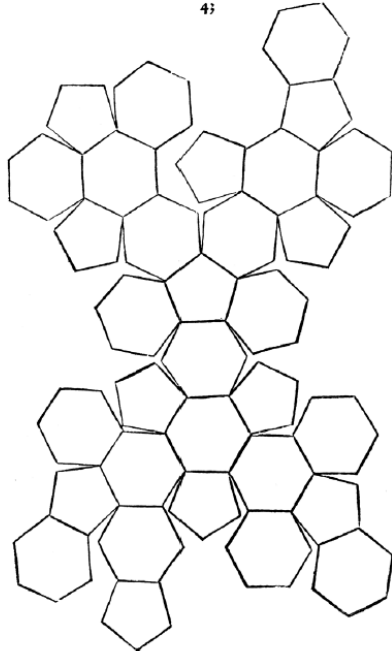
Note: We say nothing about overlapping, which is the other (and quite difficult) problem.

Quick History

- In *Underweysung der Messung* (Albrecht Dürer, 1525), Dürer described many solids by their developments;

L In anders das mach auß zweynig sechszeter flachen seiden gleichseitig vnd windlich:
so man darzu thut zwölff fünffzeter flacher seider: so die gleichseitig gegen den sechszeten
seiten sind: vnd an jren seiten auch gleich windlich vnd ebenlich an einander gefest wern:
den wie ich das oben im plano hernach hab außgerissen. So man dann das alles zusamen
schleußt: so wirt ein corpus daraus: das gewinnet zwey vnd sechzig eck: vnd neunzig scharpfe
seiten: die Corpus rüret in einer helen kugel mit allen seinen ecken an.

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He conjectured the following?

Big open problem:

Any convex polyhedron has an edge development, i.e.,

- **Connected**
- **Non-overlapping**

Quick history

See the book if you are interested in this topic...

Open problem:

Any convex polyhedron has an edge unfolding.

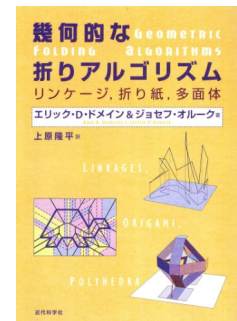
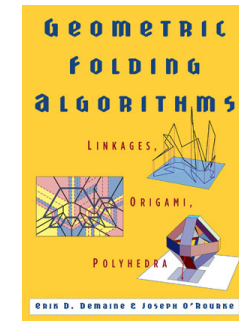
Related results (I don't talk anymore today);

- Counterexample when you consider non-convex ones (any edge development causes overlapping)
- We have algorithms if you allow general unfolding (cut along all shortest paths from one point to all vertices)
- Experimentally, random edge unfolding of a random convex polyhedron causes overlapping with probability almost 1.

Summary: We have few knowledge about development

Target of this research:

- Given a polygon P , determine convex polyhedra Q that can be folded from P , and vice versa. (mathematical/computational/...)



Common developments of boxes

- Common developments that can fold to 2 different boxes.
- Common developments that can fold to 3 different boxes...

... and open problems

June, 2018



My result is used in main trick in a mystery (?) novel!

Common developments of boxes

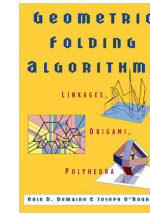
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...and some developments:

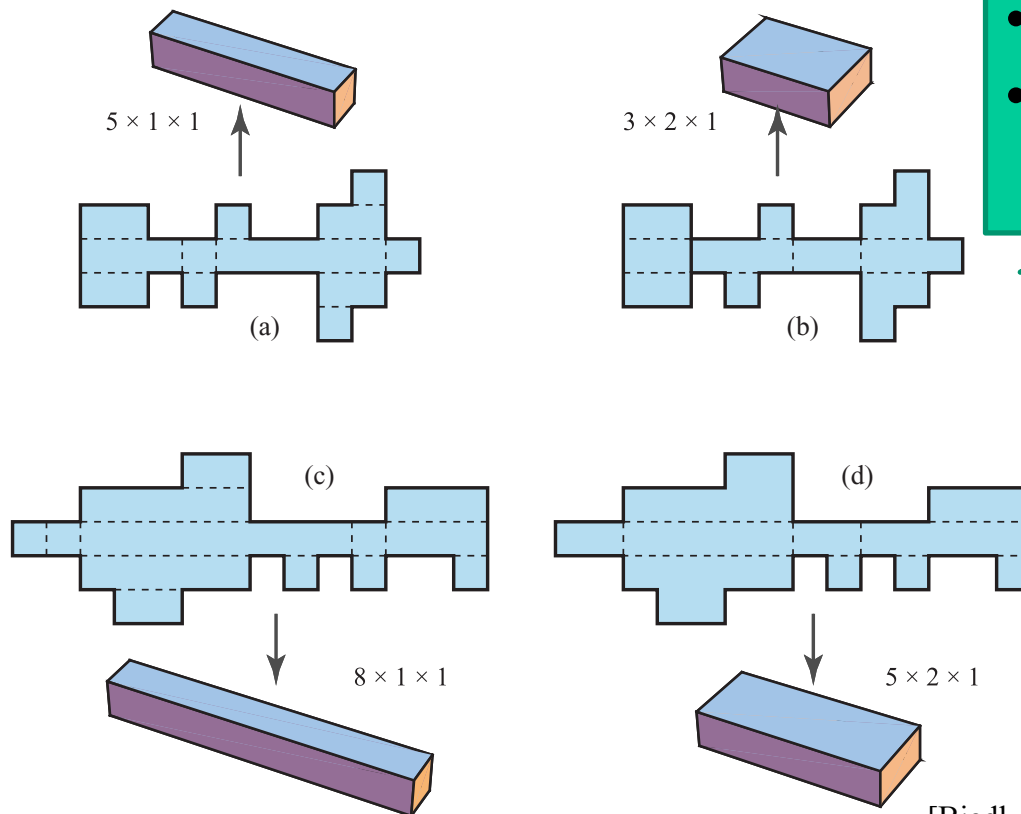
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When I was translating



...

There are two polygons that can fold to
two different boxes;



- Are they “exceptional?”
- Polygons that fold to 3 or more boxes?



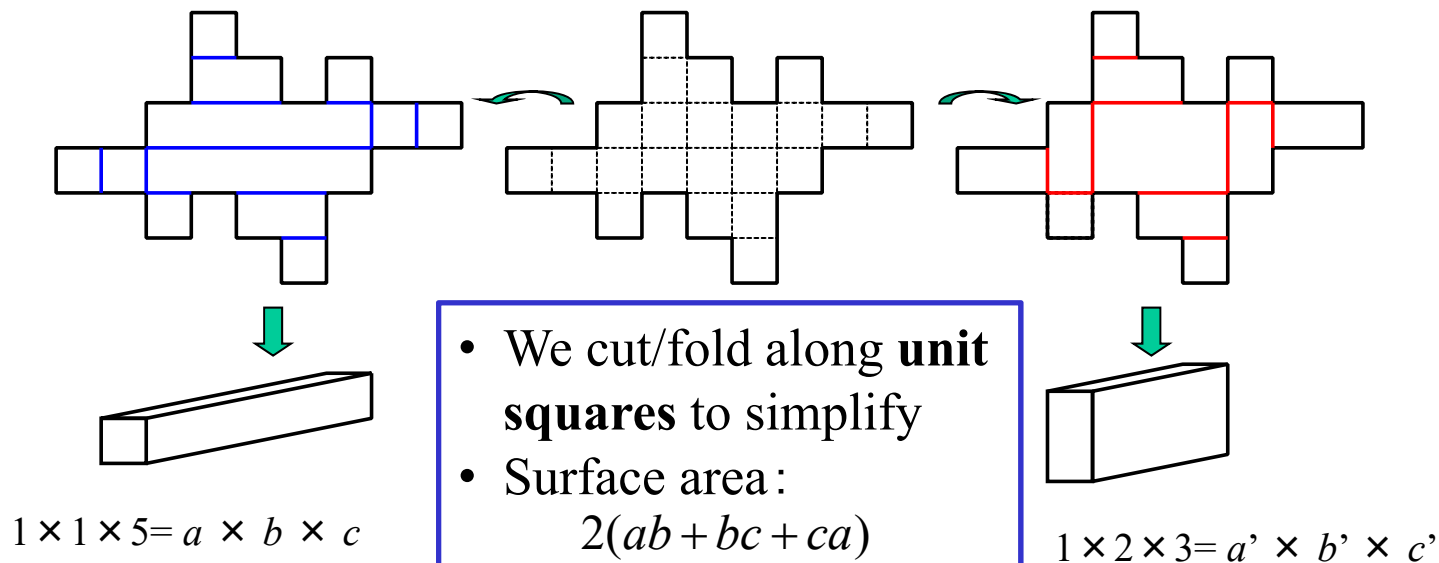
Biedl : I guess you cannot fold 3 boxes by one polygon...

Before computation...

Example

$$1 \times 1 + 1 \times 5 + 1 \times 5 = 1 \times 2 + 2 \times 3 + 1 \times 3 = 11 \quad (\text{Area: } 22)$$

When a polygon can fold to 2 different boxes,



$$1 \times 1 \times 5 = a \times b \times c$$

$$1 \times 2 \times 3 = a' \times b' \times c'$$

$$ab + bc + ca = a'b' + b'c' + c'a'$$

Good areas have many 3-tuples

Precomputation: Surface areas and possible size of boxes

If you want to find common developments of three boxes,

If you want to find common developments of four boxes,

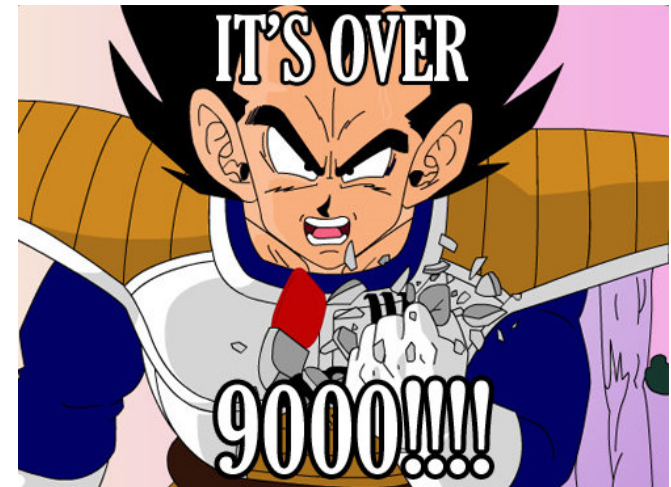
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Known results

Polygons that fold to 2 boxes

In [Uehara, Mitani 2008], I ran a randomized algorithm that unfolds many target boxes of several sizes (infinitely :-)

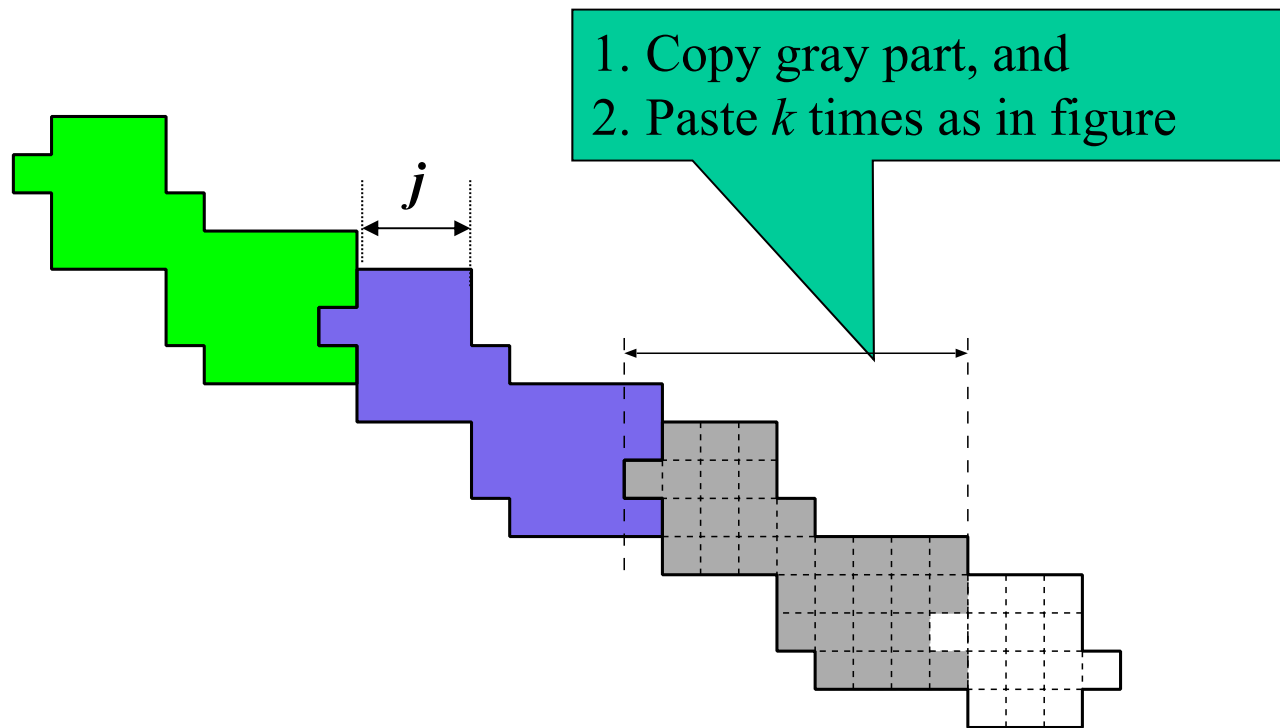
- That fold to 2 boxes;
 1. There are **pretty many** (~ 9000)
(by Supercomputer SGI Altix 4700)
 2. Theoretically,
there are **infinitely** many!
- To 3 boxes...?



Common developments of 2 boxes

[Theorem] There are infinitely many common developments of 2 boxes.

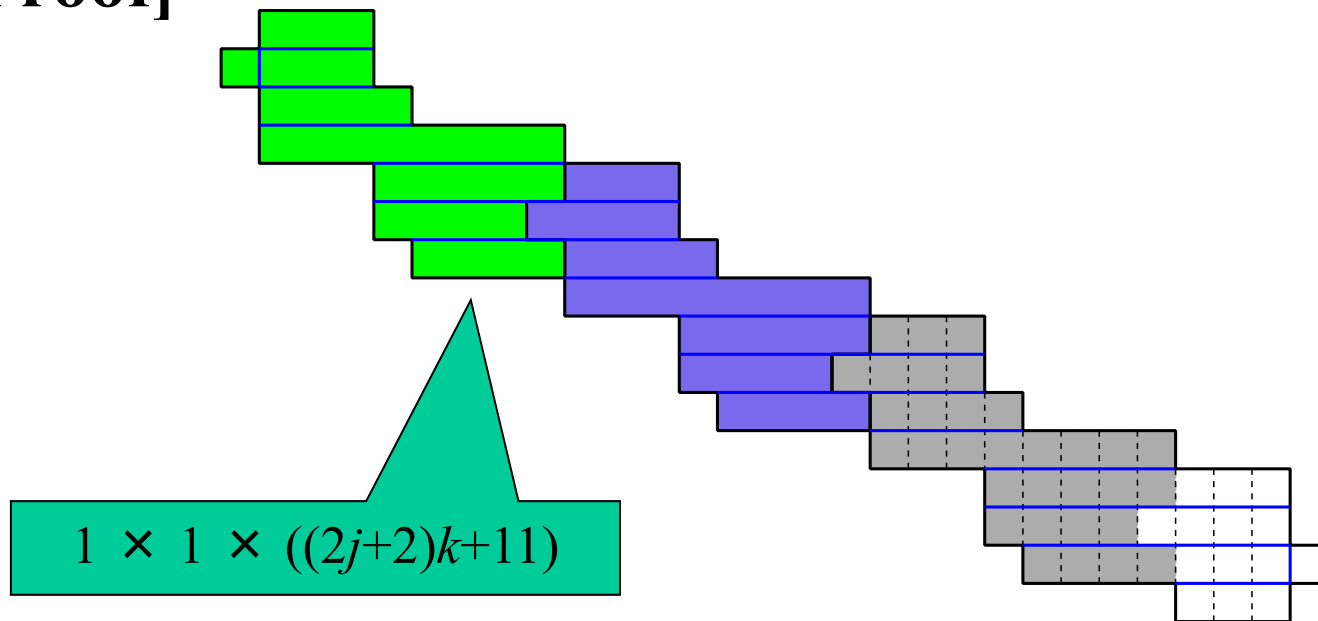
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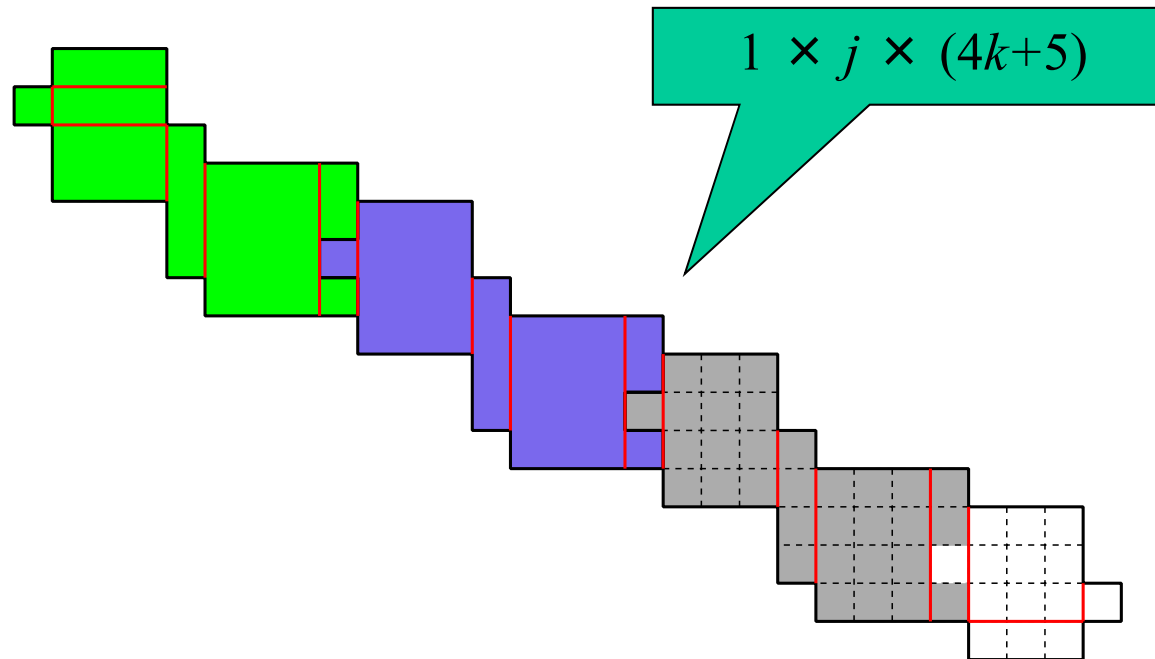
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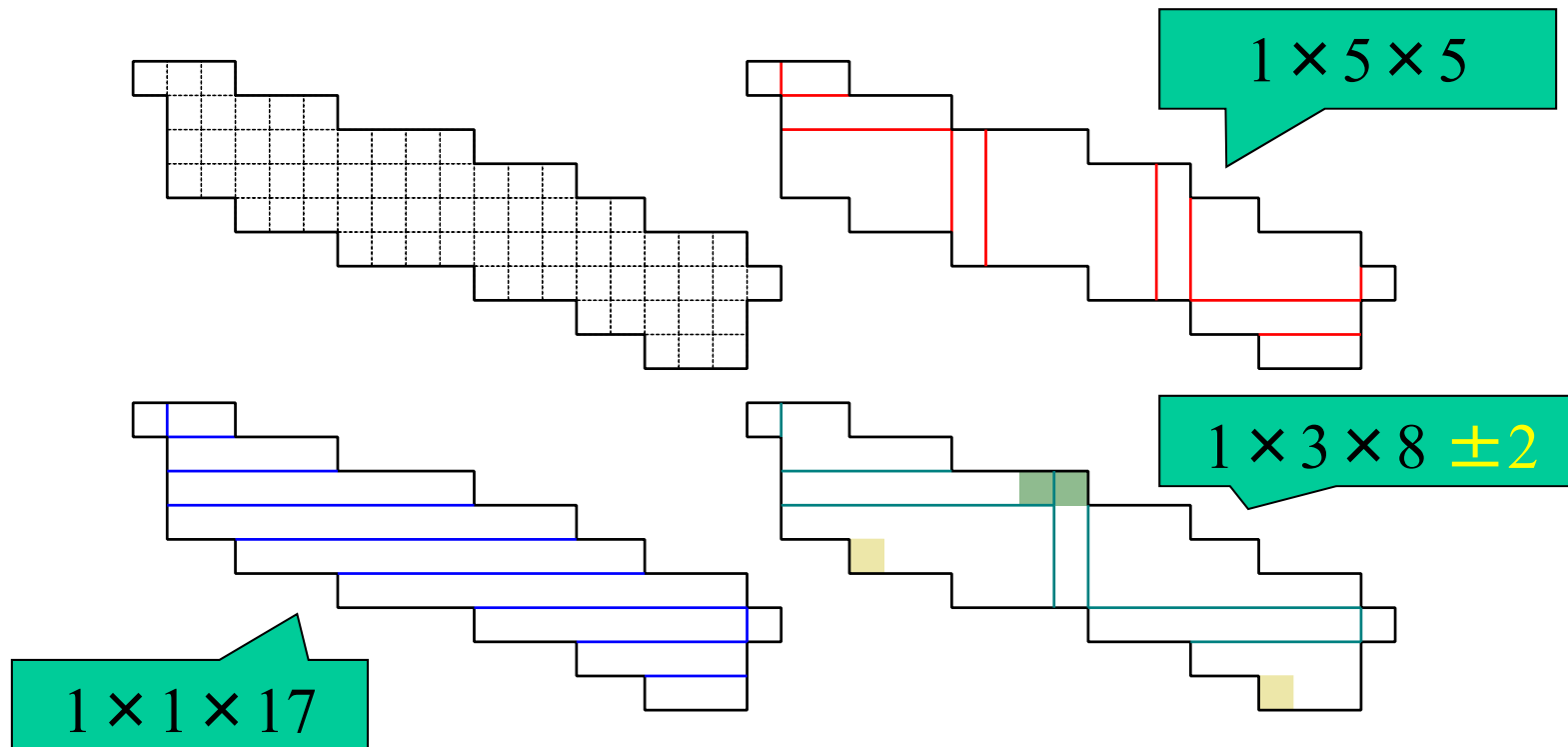
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Common development of 3 boxes?

Is there a common development of 3 boxes?

- Pretty close solution among 2 box solutions of area 46:



Challenge to common development of **3 boxes**

In [Abel, Demaine, Demaine, Matsui, Rote, Uehara 2011]

- The number of common developments of area 22 that fold into two boxes of size $1 \times 1 \times 5$ and $1 \times 2 \times 3$ is **2263** in total.

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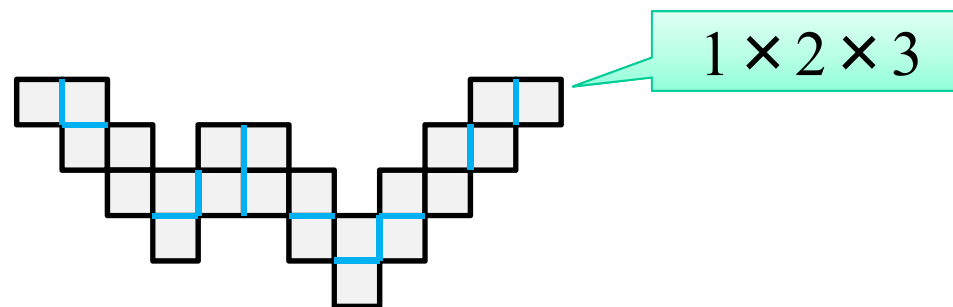
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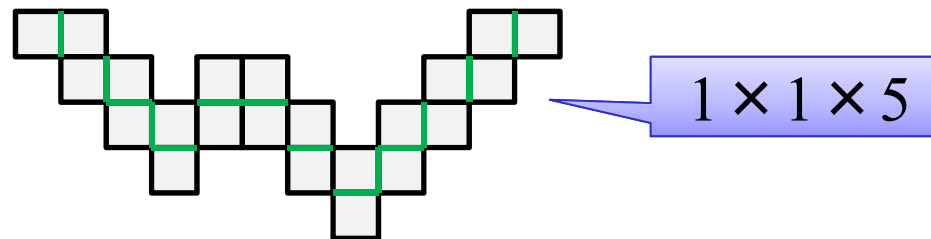
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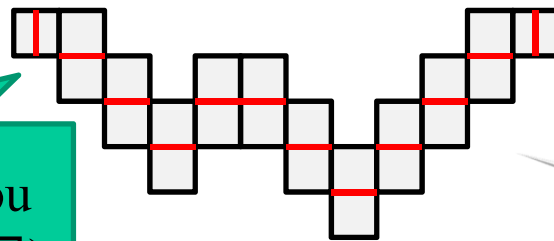
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Is it cheating using "box" of volume 0?

If you don't like $1/2$, you can refine each square (\square) into 4 squares (\boxplus)



Each column has 2 squares, so we can fold it vertically

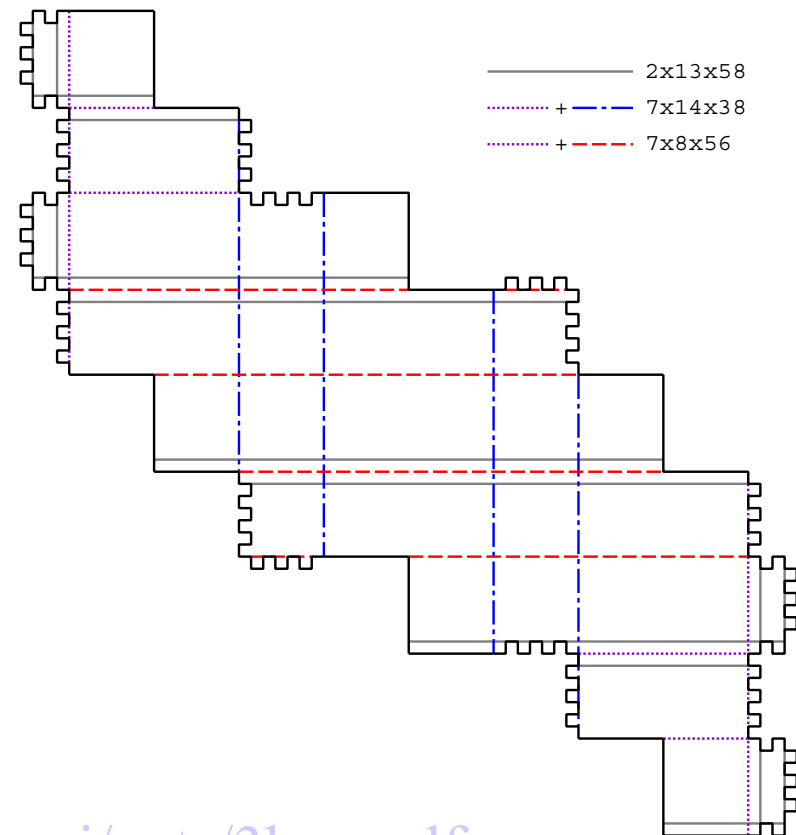
$$1 \times 11 \times 0$$



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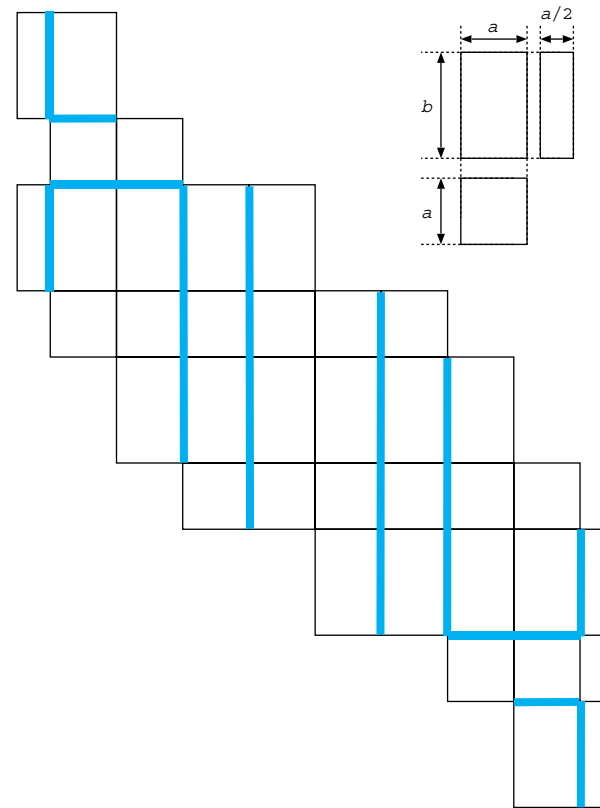
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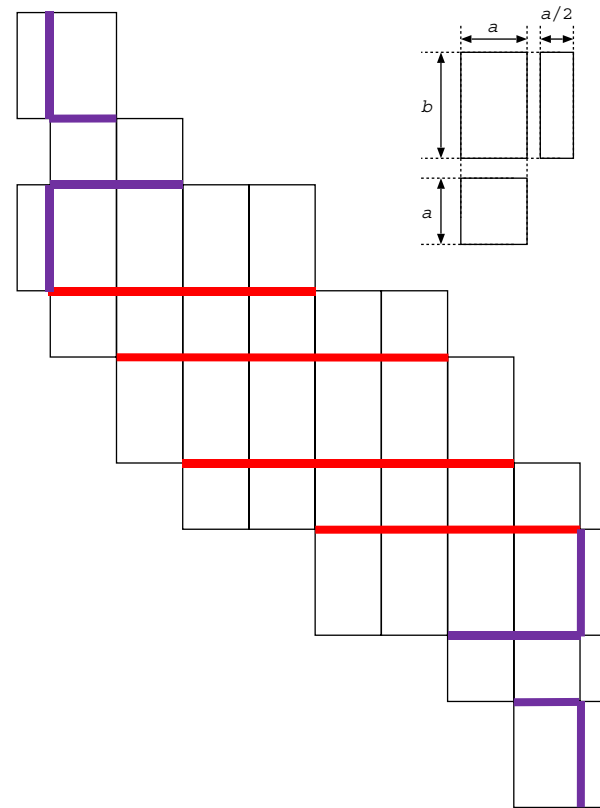
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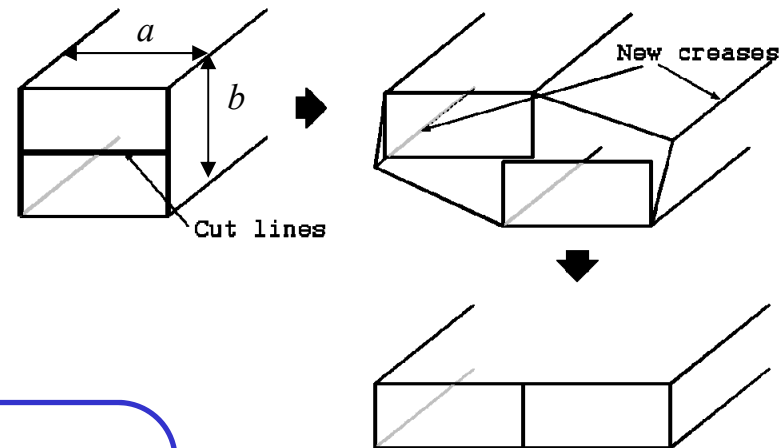
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[No!!!]

The idea works only when $a=2b$, which allow to translate from a rectangle of size 1×2 to a rectangle of size 2×1 .

We may *squash* the box like this way?

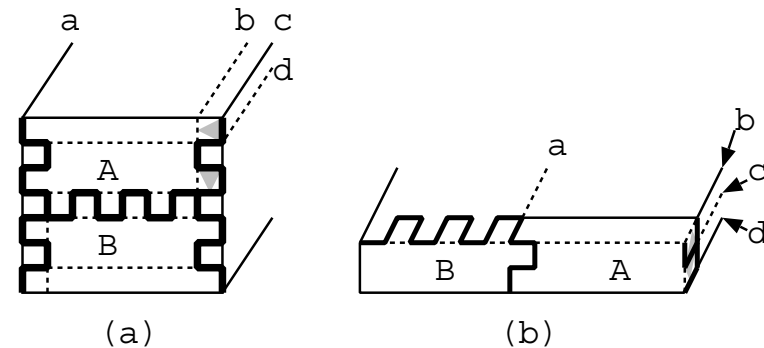
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[Yes!!]

If we use a **neat pattern!**

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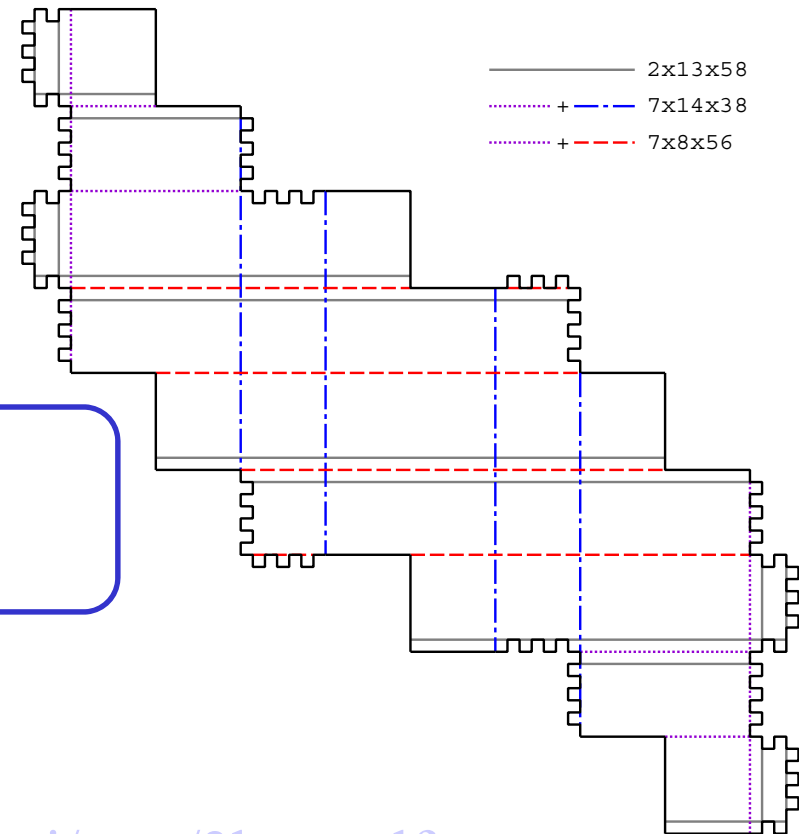
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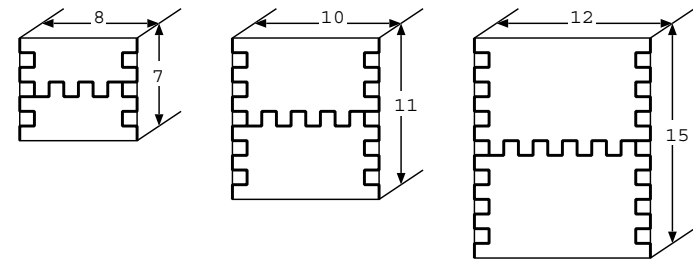
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[Theorem]
There are infinitely many polygons that fold to three different boxes.



[Generalization]

- The base box has edges of flexible lengths.
- Zig-zag pattern can be generalized.

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Future work in those days

- The smallest common development of 3 boxes?

Using the idea, we obtain smallest

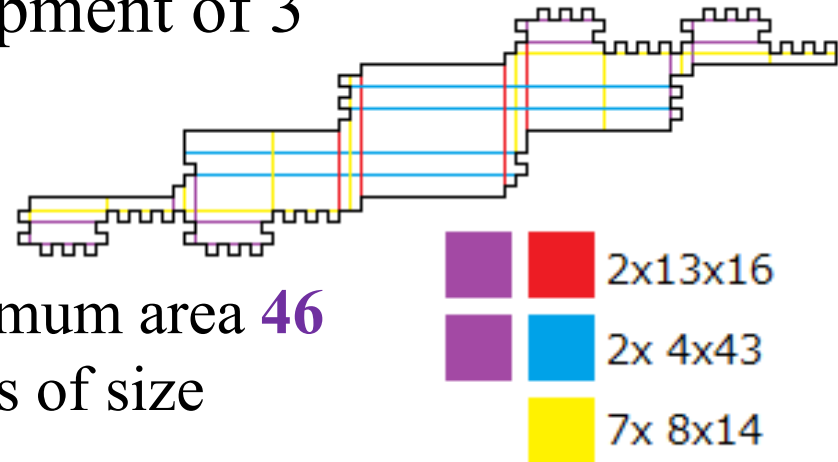
one with **532 unit squares**,

which is quite larger than the minimum area **46**

that **may** allow us to fold 3 boxes of size

$1 \times 1 \times 11$, $1 \times 2 \times 7$, $1 \times 3 \times 5$.

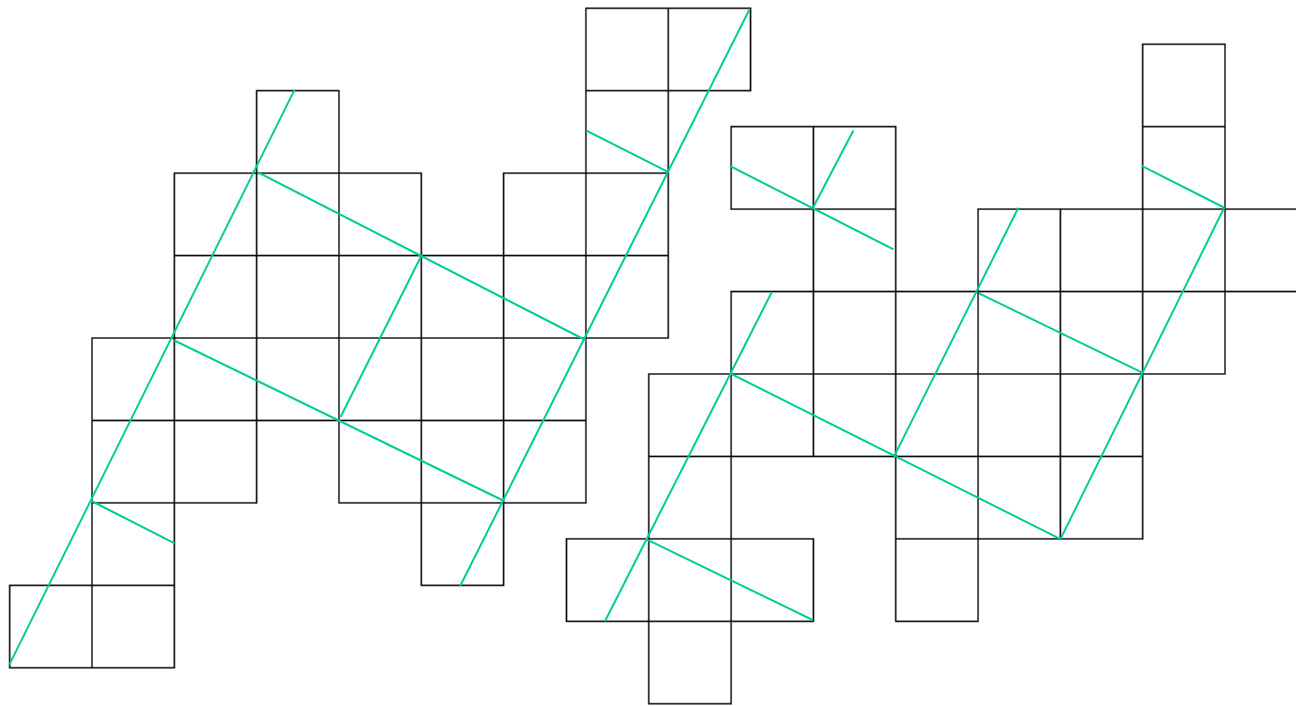
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Are there common developments of 4 or more boxes?
(Is there any upper bound of this number?)

October 23, 2012: Email from Shirakawa...

“I found polygons of area 30 that fold to 2 boxes of size $1 \times 1 \times 7$ and $\sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{5}$. This area allows to fold of size $1 \times 3 \times 3$, it may be the smallest area of three boxes if you allow to fold along diagonal.”



Surface areas and possible size of boxes

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Known results

In 2011, Matsui's program based on **exponential time** algorithm

- enumerated all developments of **area 22**
 - there are 2263 development of boxes of size $1 \times 1 \times 5$ and $1 \times 2 \times 3$
- ran in **10 hours** on his desktop PC

Area 30 was on the edge...

My student, Dawei, succeeded! ...on June, 2014,
for his master thesis on September ;-)

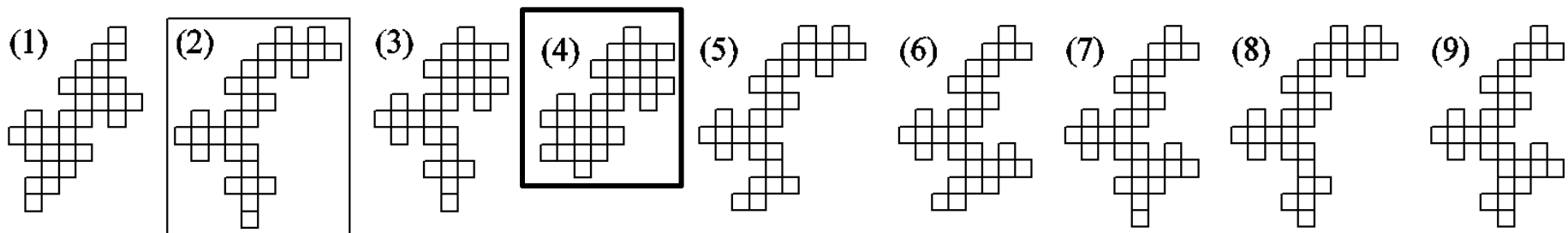
- We completed enumeration of developments of **area 30!**

[Xu, Horiyama, Shirakawa, Uehara 2015]

Note: Using **BDD**, the running
time is reduced to **10 days!**

- Summary:

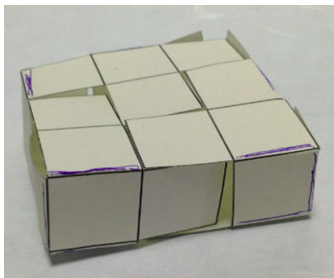
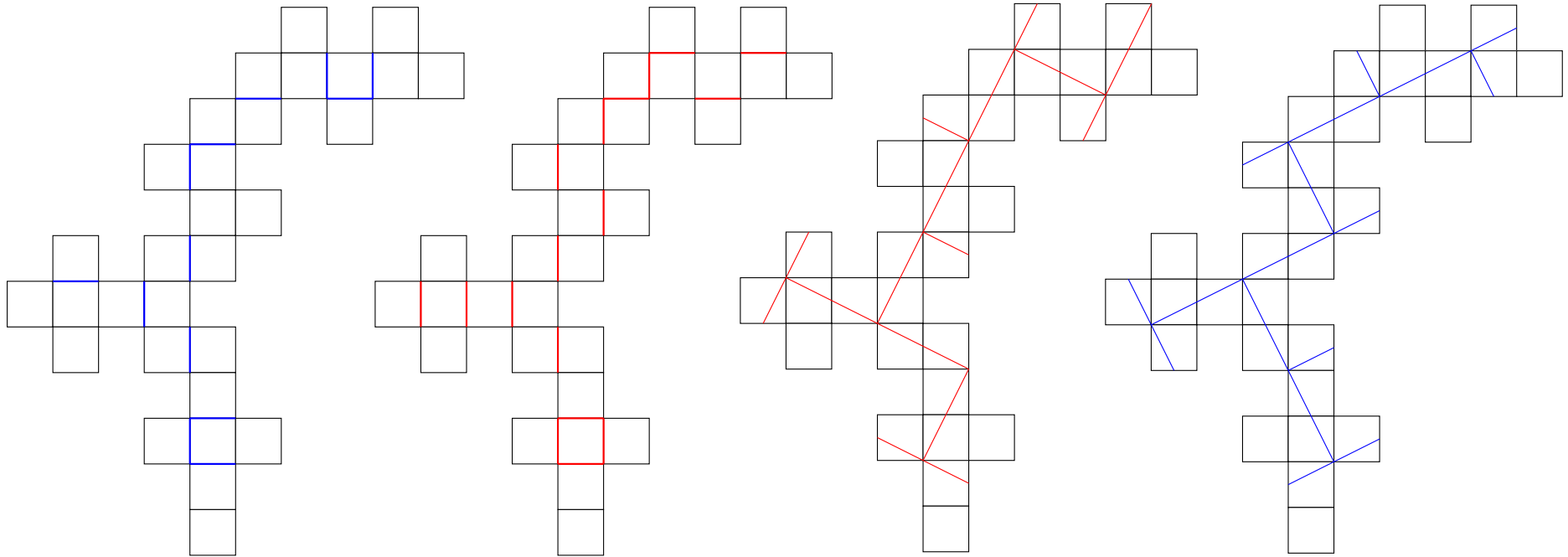
- It took **2 months** by Supercomputer (Cray XC 30) in JAIST.
- There are 1080 common developments of 2 boxes of size $1 \times 1 \times 7$
and $1 \times 3 \times 3$
- Among 1080, the following 9 can fold to a cube of size $\sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{5}$.



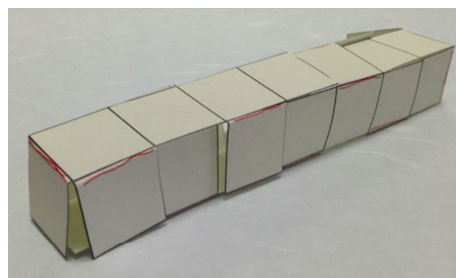
Quite surprisingly, (2) & (4) have 4 different
ways for folding the boxes!!

Miracle Development

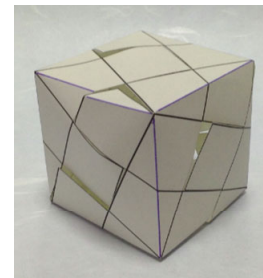
This pattern has 4 ways of folding to box!!



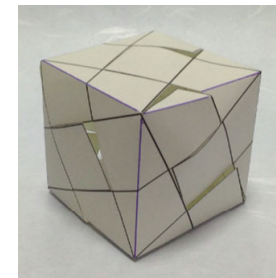
1x3x3



1x1x7



$\sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{5}$



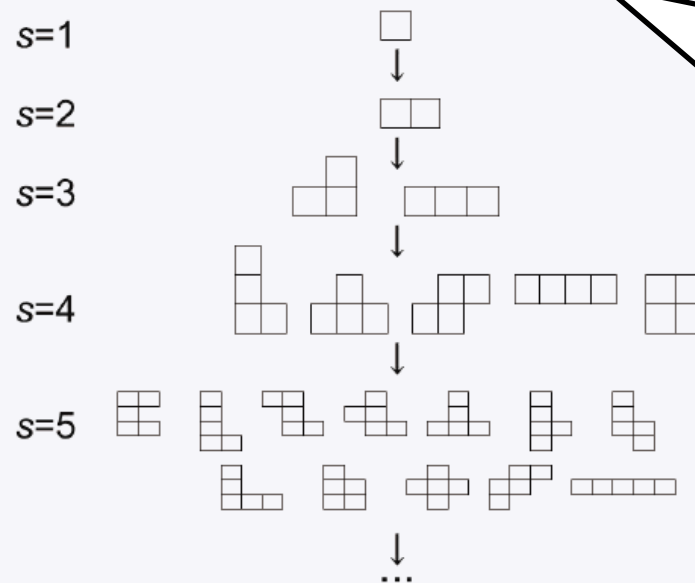
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Brief Algorithm for finding them

The enumerate approach

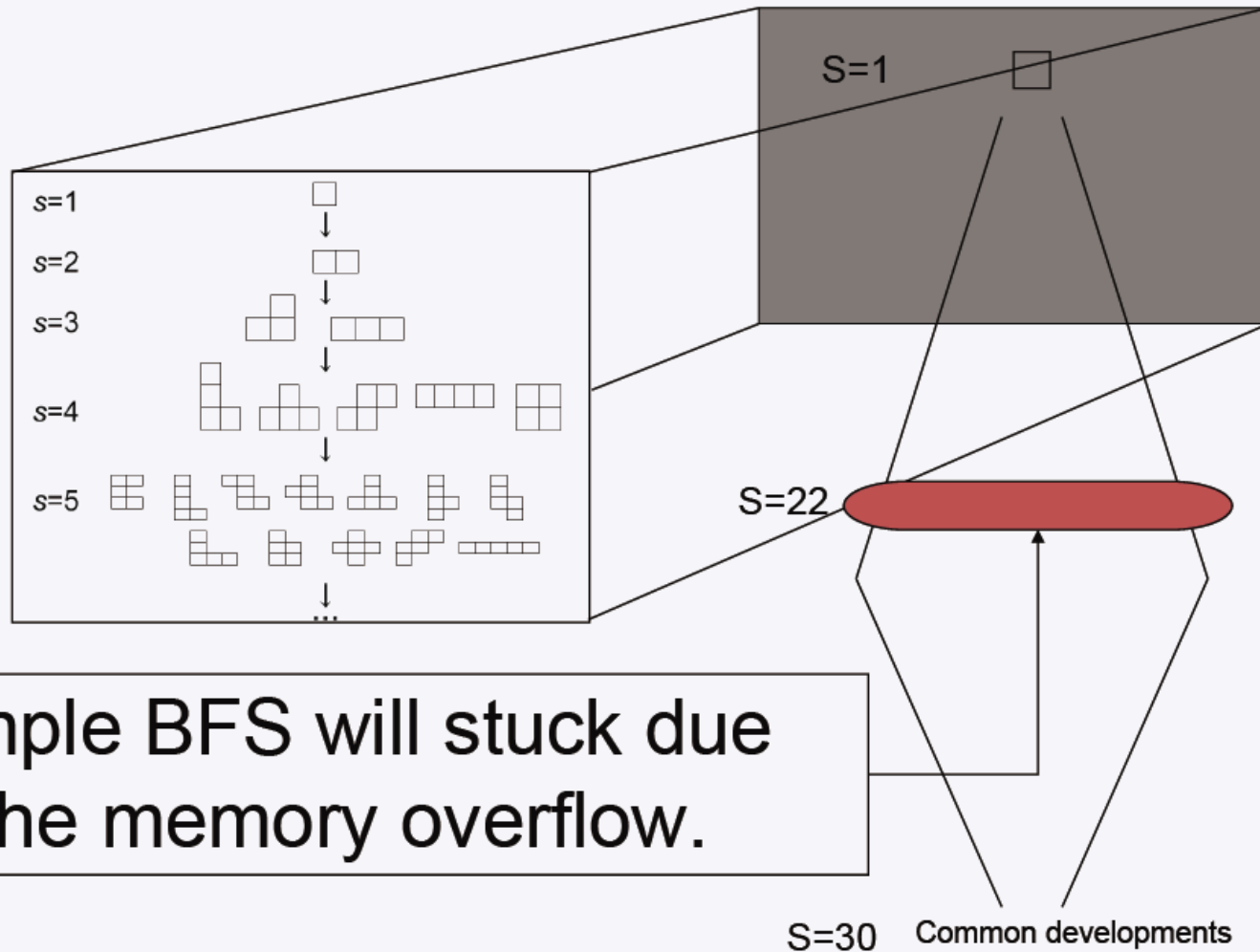


- The basic idea is similar to finding two boxes of size $1 \times 1 \times 5$ and $1 \times 2 \times 3$ [6].
- We start from a single 1 square, then add another square adjacent to it, and extend the set of partial developments, repeat this step, until 30 squares.



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slides by Dawei on
June 15, 2017

The simple BFS gets stuck

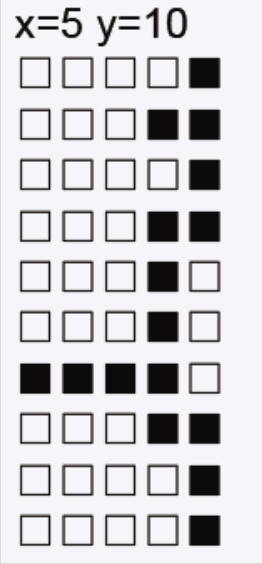


Our solution

Segmentation

Step 16 generated 7486799 developments,
Divided them into 75 groups.

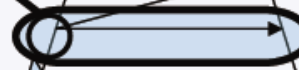
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S=1



S=16



Parallel
Computing

Merge

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Common developments

Summary and future work...

If you want to find common developments of three boxes,

If you want to find common developments of four boxes,

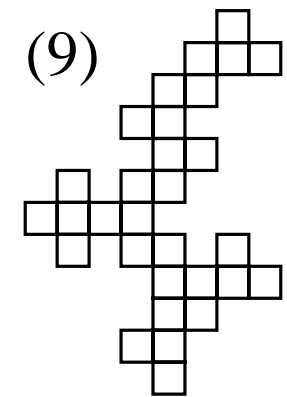
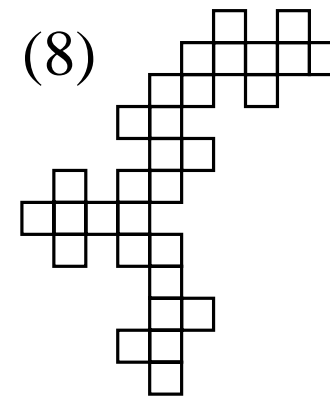
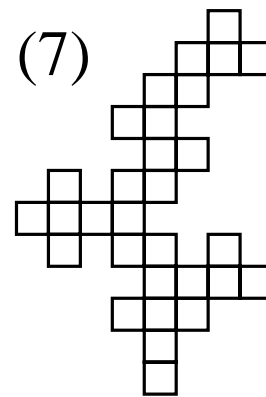
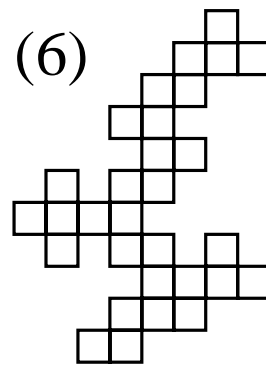
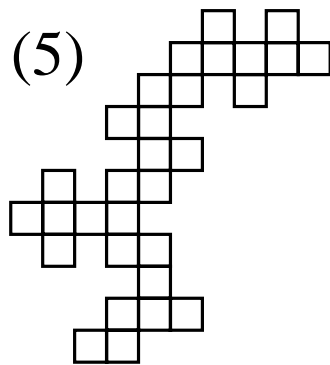
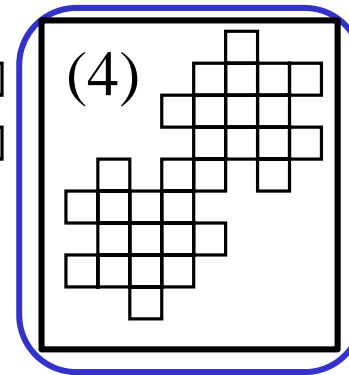
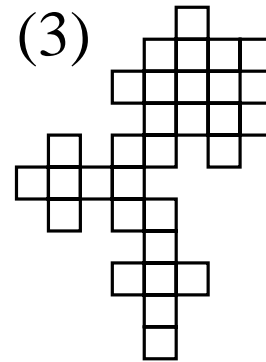
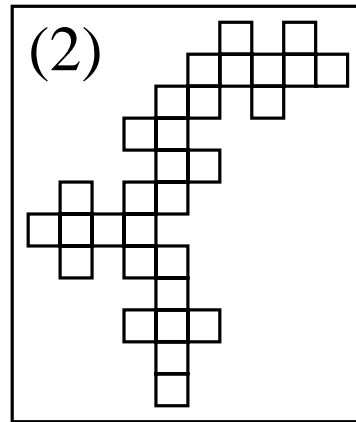
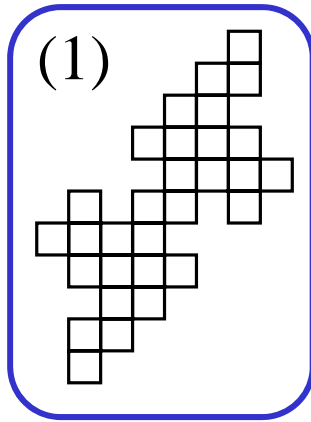
Area	3-tuples	Area	3-tuples
22	(1,1,5),(1,2,3)	46	(1,1,11),(1,2,7),(1,3,5)
30	(1,1,7),(1,3,3)	70	(1,1,17),(1,2,11),(1,3,8),(1,5,5)
34	(1,1,8),(1,2,5)	94	(1,1,23),(1,2,15),(1,3,11), (1,5,7),(3,4,5)
38	(1,1,9),(1,3,4)	118	(1,1,29),(1,2,19),(1,3,14), (1,4,11),(1,5,9),(2,5,7)

Known results

- In 2011, **area 22** was enumerated in **10 hours** on a desktop PC.
- In 2017, **area 30** was enumerated in **2 months** by a supercomputer, and improved to **10 days** on a desktop PC.
- It seems to be quite hard to **area 46** in this approach...

Some progress...?

- We can try **more** on the **symmetric** ones...



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- We can try **more** on the **symmetric** ones...
 1. The search space can be drastically reduced,
 2. Memory size is reduced into half, and
 3. Area can be incremented by 2.

(Quite sad) NEWS:

No common development of 3 boxes of
areas **46** and **54**

- Area **46**: There are symmetric common developments of two different boxes of any pair of size $1 \times 1 \times 11$, $1 \times 2 \times 7$, and $1 \times 3 \times 5$, but there are no symmetric common development of 3 of them.
- Same as for the area **54** of size $1 \times 1 \times 13$, $1 \times 3 \times 6$, and $3 \times 3 \times 3$.

Open problems

- Are there common developments of **3 boxes** of size **46** or **54**?
- Is there any common development of **4 boxes**?
- Is there any **upper bound** of **k** of the number of boxes that share a common development? It is quite unlikely that there is a common development of 10,000 different boxes,,?

FYI: The number of different polyominoes is known up to area **45**. (by Shirakawa on OEIS)

More open problems

The other variants of the following general problem:

For any **polygon P**, determine if you can fold to a **(specific) convex polyhedron Q**.

Known (related) results :

- General **polygon P** and **convex polyhedron Q**, there *is* a pseudo poly-time algorithm, however, ...
 - It runs in $O(n^{456.5})$ time! (Kane, et al, 2009)
- When **Q** is a box, and polygon **P**,
 - Pseudo-poly-time algorithm for finding all boxes folded from P. [Mizunashi, Horiyama, Uehara 2019] (March, 2019)

There are many open problems, and young researchers had been solving them 😊

11月28日(水)午後の期末試験(30点)

試験範囲は計算折り紙の前まで

選択肢1: 全般から出題 or 後半 or 後半の後半

選択肢2: 難易度と持ち込み可/不可

- Copy of slides, and hand written notes (スライド/ノート)
- A sheet of A4 paper with pens/pencils (You can write anything on the paper)
- Only pens and pencils (持ち込み不可)