

LittelmannPath package

A subpackage for QuantumGroups v2.
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Introduction

This package implements Littelmann paths, for calculating weight diagrams, and decomposing tensor products of irreps.

Implementation

```
BeginPackage["QuantumGroups`LittelmannPaths`",
  {"QuantumGroups`", "QuantumGroups`RootSystems`"}];
```

```
LittelmannPath::usage =
  "LittelmannPath[ $\Gamma$ ][ $\{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3, \dots\}$ ] represents a Littelmann path
  in the weight lattice for  $\Gamma$  with segments  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3, \dots$ ";
```

```
LittelmannPathDecomposeRepresentation::usage =
  "LittelmannPathDecomposeRepresentation[ $\Gamma$ ][Irrep[ $\Gamma$ ][ $\lambda$ ] $\otimes$ Irrep[ $\Gamma$ ][ $\mu$ ]]
  gives the direct sum decomposition of Irrep[ $\Gamma$ ][ $\lambda$ ] $\otimes$ Irrep[ $\Gamma$ ][ $\mu$ ]
  into irreducibles, using the Littelmann path model.";
```

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LittelmannPathWeightMultiplicities::usage =
  "LittelmannPathWeightMultiplicities[ $\Gamma$ , Irrep[ $\Gamma$ ][ $\lambda$ ]] gives
  a list of pairs; each pair consists of a weight and its
  multiplicity in Irrep[ $\Gamma$ ][ $\lambda$ ], using the Littelmann path model.";
```

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LittelmannPathOneStepLowerings;
LittelmannPathLowerings;
LittelmannPathEndpoint;
```

```
Begin["`Internals`"];
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```
LittelmannPathVertices;
LittelmannPathInnerProducts;
LowerLittelmannPath;
ComposeLittelmannPaths;
LittelmannPathDominantQ;
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End[];
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Begin["`Private`"];
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AppendTo[$ContextPath, "QuantumGroups`LittelmannPaths`Internals`"];
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LittelmannPathAlgebra[LittelmannPath[r_][L_List]] := r
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LittelmannPathEndpoint[LittelmannPath[r_][L_List]] := Plus @@ L
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LittelmannPathVertices[LittelmannPath[r_n_][L_List]] := FoldList[Plus, ZeroVector[n], L]
```

```
RedefineLittelmannPathInnerProducts[] := (Clear[LittelmannPathInnerProducts];
  LittelmannPathInnerProducts[LittelmannPath[r_][L_List], i_Integer] :=
  LittelmannPathInnerProducts[LittelmannPath[r][L], i] =
  LittelmannPathVertices[LittelmannPath[r][L]].Inverse[Transpose[CartanMatrix[r]]].
  DiagonalMatrix[CartanFactors[r]].SimpleRoots[r][[i]])
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RedefineLittelmannPathInnerProducts[];
```

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LowerLittelmannPath[0, i_] := 0
LowerLittelmannPath[0, i_, m_] := 0
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LowerLittelmannPath[lp_, i_] := LowerLittelmannPath[lp, i, 1]
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VectorsPositivelyProportionalQ[v1_, v2_] := Simplify[(v1.v2)^2 - v1.v1 v2.v2] == 0 & v1.v2 > 0
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SimplifyLittelmannPath[LittelmannPath[r_][L_List]] := LittelmannPath[r][Plus @@ # & /@
  Split[DeleteCases[L, ZeroVector[Rank[r]]], VectorsPositivelyProportionalQ]]
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LowerLittelmannPath[lp_, {}] := lp
LowerLittelmannPath[lp_, d_List] :=
  LowerLittelmannPath[LowerLittelmannPath[lp, Last[d]], Drop[d, -1]]
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SimpleRootLength[r_][i_] :=
  SimpleRootLength[r][i] =  $\frac{1}{2}$  KillingForm[r][SimpleRoots[r][[i]], SimpleRoots[r][[i]]]
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```

LowerLittelmannPath[Lp_, i_, m_] := Module[{ip, min, lm, ms, l, v, r, alpha, v1, v2},
  ip = LittelmannPathInnerProducts[Lp, i];
  min = Min[ip];
  lm = Last[Position[ip, min]][[1]];
  If[lm > Length[Lp[[1]], Return[0]];
  r = LittelmannPathAlgebra[Lp];
  alpha = SimpleRootLength[r][i];
  ms = 
$$\frac{\text{Min}[\text{Cases}[\text{Drop}[ip, lm], \_? (\# < \alpha \&)] - \text{min}}{\alpha}$$
;
  If[ms < m, Return[LowerLittelmannPath[LowerLittelmannPath[Lp, i, ms], i, m - ms]];
  If[
$$1 - \frac{ip[[lm + 1]] - ip[[lm]]}{\alpha} < m,$$

    Return[LowerLittelmannPath[LowerLittelmannPath[Lp, i, 1], i, m - 1]];
  v = Lp[[1, lm]];
  v1 = Simplify[
$$\frac{m}{1} v - m \text{SimpleRoots}[r][i]$$
];
  v2 = Simplify[
$$\frac{1 - m}{1} v$$
];
  SimplifyLittelmannPath[
    LittelmannPath[r][Take[Lp[[1]], lm - 1] ~ Join ~ {v1, v2} ~ Join ~ Drop[Lp[[1]], lm]]
  ]
]

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LittelmannPathOneStepLowerings[{}] = {};
LittelmannPathOneStepLowerings[paths_List] :=
  Module[{n = Rank[LittelmannPathAlgebra[paths[[1]]]},
    UnsortedUnion[DeleteCases[
      Flatten[Table[LowerLittelmannPath[#, i] & /@ paths, {i, 1, n}], 0]]
  ]

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LittelmannPathLowerings[paths_List] := Module[{result}, result =
  UnsortedUnion[Flatten[FixedPointList[LittelmannPathOneStepLowerings, paths]]];
  RedefineLittelmannPathInnerProducts[];
  result
]

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LittelmannPathLowerings[Lp_] := LittelmannPathLowerings[{Lp}]

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LittelmannPathLowerings[Irrep[r_][lambda_]] := LittelmannPathLowerings[Irrep[r][lambda]] =
  LittelmannPathLowerings[LittelmannPath[r][{lambda}]]

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LittelmannPathWeightMultiplicities[r_, Irrep[r_][lambda_]] := {#[[1]], Length[#]} & /@ Split[
  SortWeights[r][LittelmannPathEndpoint /@ LittelmannPathLowerings[Irrep[r][lambda]]]
]

```

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ComposeLittelmannPaths[LittelmannPath[r_][L1_], LittelmannPath[r_][L2_]] :=
  LittelmannPath[r][L1 ~ Join ~ L2]

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LittelmannPathDominantQ[Lp_] :=
  And@@(PositiveWeightQ[LittelmannPathAlgebra[Lp]] /@ LittelmannPathVertices[Lp])
```

```
LittelmannPathDecomposeRepresentation[I_] [Irrep[I_][λ_] ⊗ Irrep[I_][μ_]] :=
  Module[{lp, compositions},
    lp = LittelmannPath[I][{λ}];
    compositions =
      ComposeLittelmannPaths[lp, #] & /@ LittelmannPathLowerings[Irrep[I][μ]];
    DirectSum@@SortWeights[I][Cases[compositions,
      Lp_?LittelmannPathDominantQ ⇒ Irrep[I][LittelmannPathEndpoint[Lp]]]]
  ]
```

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    lp = LittelmannPath[I][{λ}];
    compositions =
      ComposeLittelmannPaths[lp, #] & /@ LittelmannPathLowerings[Irrep[I][μ]];
    DirectSum@@SortWeights[I][Cases[compositions,
      Lp_?LittelmannPathDominantQ ⇒ Irrep[I][LittelmannPathEndpoint[Lp]]]]
  ]
```

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End[];
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EndPackage[];
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