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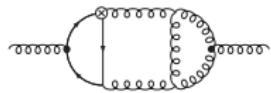
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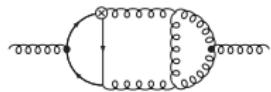


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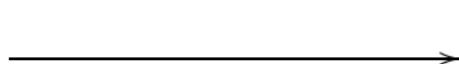


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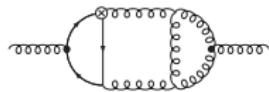
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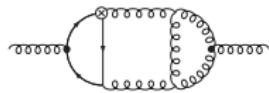
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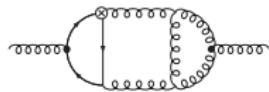
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$$F_{-3}(n)\varepsilon^{-3} + F_{-2}(n)\varepsilon^{-2} + F_{-1}(n)\varepsilon^{-1} + F_0(n)\varepsilon^0 + \dots$$

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$$\sum_{k=1}^n (-1)^k e^{-\frac{3\varepsilon\gamma}{2}} \Gamma\left(-1 - \frac{3\varepsilon}{2}\right) \times \\ \times B\left(2 + k, \frac{\varepsilon}{2}\right) B(-\varepsilon + k, -\varepsilon) B\left(1 - \frac{\varepsilon}{2} + k, 1 + \frac{\varepsilon}{2}\right) \binom{n}{k}$$

where

$$B(a, b) = \frac{\Gamma(a)\Gamma(b)}{\Gamma(a+b)}.$$

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for general expansion methods see

J. Blümlein, CS, M. Saragnese, Ann. Math. Artif. Intell. 91(5), pp. 591-649. 2023.

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where

$$S_a(n) = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\text{sign}(a)^i}{i^{|a|}} \text{ and } \zeta_a = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{i^a}$$

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|| (recurrence finding and solving)

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A more general example:

$$\sum_{k=1}^n \left( \prod_{i=1}^k \frac{1+i+i^2}{i+1} \right) \left( \sum_{j=1}^k \frac{1}{j \binom{4j}{3j}^2} \right) \left( \sum_{j=1}^k \begin{bmatrix} 2j \\ j \end{bmatrix}_q \right)$$

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## 3. Find a “closed form”

$F(n)$ =combined solutions in terms of **indefinite nested sums**.

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Simple sum

$$\sum_{j=0}^{n-2} \sum_{r=0}^{j+1} \sum_{s=0}^{n-j+r-2} \frac{(-1)^{r+s} \binom{j+1}{r} \binom{-j+n+r-2}{s} (-j+n-2)! r!}{(n-s)(s+1)(-j+n+r)!}$$

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$$\boxed{\sum_{j=0}^{n-2} \sum_{r=0}^{j+1} \left[ \sum_{s=0}^{n-j+r-2} \frac{(-1)^{r+s} \binom{j+1}{r} \binom{-j+n+r-2}{s} (-j+n-2)! r!}{(n-s)(s+1)(-j+n+r)!} \right]}$$

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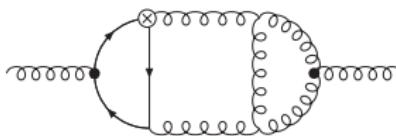
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$$\frac{-n^2 - n - 1}{n^2(n+1)^3} + \frac{(-1)^n (n^2 + n + 1)}{n^2(n+1)^3} - \frac{2S_{-2}(n)}{n+1} + \frac{S_1(n)}{(n+1)^2} + \frac{S_2(n)}{-n-1}$$

note:  $S_a(n) = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\text{sign}(a)^i}{i^{|a|}}$ ,  $a \in \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$ .

## Feynman integral

a 3-loop massive ladder  
diagram [arXiv:1509.08324]

$$\sum_{j=0}^{n-3} \sum_{k=0}^j \binom{n-1}{j+2} \binom{j+1}{k+1} \quad ||$$

$$\times \int_0^1 \int_0^1 \int_0^1 \int_0^1 \int_0^1 \int_0^1 \theta(1-x_5-x_6)(1-x_2)(1-x_4)x_2^{-\varepsilon}$$

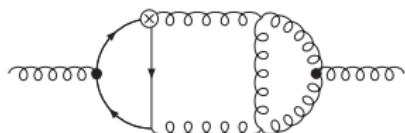
$$(1-x_2)^{-\varepsilon} x_4^{\varepsilon/2-1} (1-x_4)^{\varepsilon/2-1} x_5^{\varepsilon-1} x_6^{-\varepsilon/2}$$

$$\left[ [-x_3(1-x_4) - x_4(1-x_5-x_6+x_5x_1+x_6x_3)]^k \right.$$

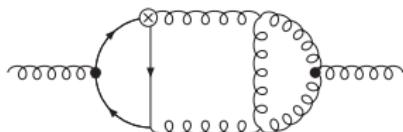
$$\left. + [x_3(1-x_4) - (1-x_4)(1-x_5-x_6+x_5x_1+x_6x_3)]^k \right]$$

$$\times (1-x_5-x_6+x_5x_1+x_6x_3)^{j-k} (1-x_2)^{n-3-j}$$

$$\times [x_1 - (1-x_5-x_6) - x_5x_1 - x_6x_3]^{n-3-j} dx_1 dx_2 dx_3 dx_4 dx_5 dx_6$$



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**Simplify**

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$$\left[ 4S_1(-j+n-1) - 4S_1(-j+n-2) - 2S_1(k) \right. \\ \left. - (S_1(-l+n-q-2) + S_1(-l+n-q-r-s-3) - 2S_1(r+s)) \right. \\ \left. + 2S_1(s-1) - 2S_1(r+s) \right] + \mathbf{3 \text{ further 6-fold sums}}$$

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& + \left( 2 + 2(-1)^n \right) S_{2,1}(n) - 28S_{-2,1}(n) + \frac{20(-1)^n}{n^2(n+1)} \Big) S_1(n) + \left( \frac{3}{4} + (-1)^n \right) S_2(n)^2 \\
& - 2(-1)^n S_{-2}(n)^2 + S_{-3}(n) \left( \frac{2(3n-5)}{n(n+1)} + (26 + 4(-1)^n) S_1(n) + \frac{4(-1)^n}{n+1} \right) \\
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& + \left( \frac{(-1)^n(9n+5)}{n(n+1)} - \frac{29}{3n} \right) S_3(n) + \left( \frac{19}{2} - 2(-1)^n \right) S_4(n) + \left( -6 + 5(-1)^n \right) S_{-4}(n) \\
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 & - 2(-1)^n S_{-2}(n)^2 + S_{-3}(n) \left( \frac{2(3n-5)}{n(n+1)} + (26 + 4(-1)^n)S_1(n) + \frac{1}{n+1} \right) \\
 & + \left( \frac{(-1)^n}{2n^2} + \frac{8(-1)^n(2n+1)}{n(n+1)} \right. \\
 & + \frac{4(3n-5)}{n(n+1)} \left. - 1 \right)^n S_2(n) - \frac{16}{n(n+1)} \\
 & + \left( -6 + 5(-1)^n \right) S_{-4}(n) \\
 & + \left( S_{-2,1,1}(n) = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(-1)^i \sum_{k=1}^j \frac{1}{k}}{j} \right) S_{2,-2}(n) + \left( -17 + 13(-1)^n \right) S_{3,1}(n) \\
 & + \left( -\frac{8(-1)^n(2n+1) + 4(9n+1)}{n(n+1)} \right) S_{-2,1}(n) - (24 + 4(-1)^n) S_{-3,1}(n) + (3 - 5(-1)^n) S_{2,1,1}(n) \\
 & + 32S_{-2,1,1}(n) + \left( \frac{3}{2}S_1(n)^2 - \frac{3S_1(n)}{n} + \frac{3}{2}(-1)^n S_{-2}(n) \right) \zeta(2)
 \end{aligned}$$

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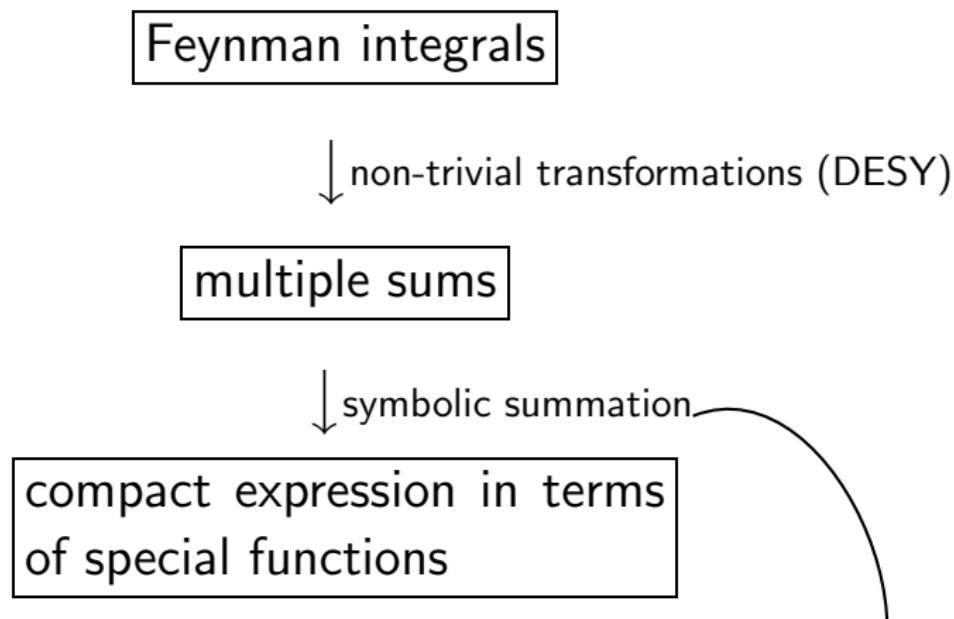
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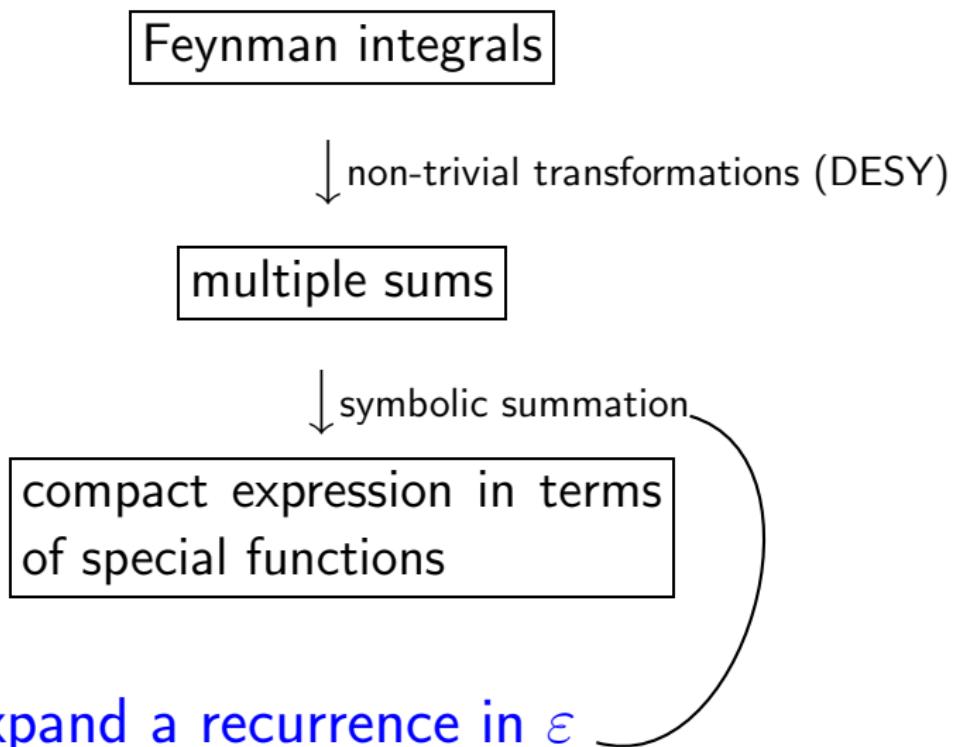
## Tactic 1: Expand the summand and simplify

Ablinger, Blümlein, Klein, CS, LL2010, arXiv:1006.4797 [math-ph]

Blümlein, Hasselhuhn, CS, RADCOR'10, arXiv:1202.4303 [math-ph]

CS, ACAT 2013, arXiv:1310.0160 [cs.SC]

## The general tactic



Tactic 2: Expand a recurrence in  $\varepsilon$

Blümlein, Klein, CS, Stan, J. Symbol. Comput. 2012; arXiv:1011.2656 [cs.SC]

Ablinger, Blümlein, Round, CS, LL2012, arXiv:1210.1685 [cs.SC]

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**Ansatz (for power series)**

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+

⋮

$$+ a_d(\varepsilon, n) [F(n + d)]$$

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 & \vdots \\
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REC solver: Given the initial values  $F_0(1), F_0(2), \dots, F_0(d-1)$ ,  
**decide** if  $F_0(n)$  can be written in terms of indefinite nested sums and products.

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Divide by  $\varepsilon$

$$\begin{aligned} & a_0(\varepsilon, n) \left[ F_1(n) + F_2(n)\varepsilon + \dots \right] \\ & + a_1(\varepsilon, n) \left[ F_1(n+1) + F_2(n+1)\varepsilon + \dots \right] \\ & + \\ & \vdots \\ & + a_d(\varepsilon, n) \left[ F_1(n+d) + F_2(n+d)\varepsilon + \dots \right] = h'_1(n) + h'_2(n)\varepsilon + \dots \end{aligned}$$

**now repeat for**  $F_1(n), F_2(n), \dots$

Remark: Works the same for Laurent series.

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## Find a recurrence for the integral

$$F(n) = \int_0^1 \cdots \int_0^1 \Phi(\varepsilon, n, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_7) dx_1 dx_2 \dots dx_7$$

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**$\varepsilon$ -recurrence solver**

multivariate  
Almquist/Zeilberger  
(J. Ablinger)

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[arXiv:1509.08324]

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Ablinger's  
MultIntegrate.m



(9 hours)

$$a_0(\varepsilon, n)F(\varepsilon, n) + a_1(\varepsilon, n)F(\varepsilon, n+1) + \cdots + a_5(\varepsilon, n)F(\varepsilon, n+5) = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned}a_0(n, \varepsilon) = & (n+1)(n+2)(8\varepsilon^{10} + 104\varepsilon^9(n+3) + 4\varepsilon^8(96n^2 + 601n + 887) \\& + 4\varepsilon^7(12n^3 + 414n^2 + 1583n + 1393) \\& - 8\varepsilon^6(264n^4 + 2436n^3 + 8643n^2 + 14518n + 9947) \\& - 16\varepsilon^5(156n^5 + 1690n^4 + 6847n^3 + 12661n^2 + 9537n + 717) \\& + 32\varepsilon^4(68n^6 + 1158n^5 + 8155n^4 + 30114n^3 + 61712n^2 + 67616n + 31693) \\& + 64\varepsilon^3(40n^7 + 560n^6 + 2755n^5 + 3729n^4 - 14194n^3 - 61920n^2 - 89140n - 46600) \\& - 128\varepsilon^2(n+2)(12n^7 + 254n^6 + 2249n^5 + 10758n^4 + 30173n^3 + 50610n^2 \\& + 49122n + 22706) \\& + 256\varepsilon(n+2)^2(n+3)(n+4)(44n^4 + 501n^3 + 2044n^2 + 3455n + 1976) \\& - 512(n+1)(n+2)^3(n+3)^2(n+4)(6n^2 + 47n + 95)),\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}a_1(n, \varepsilon) = & (n+2)( - 22\varepsilon^{11} - 2\varepsilon^{10}(157n + 435) - \varepsilon^9(1500n^2 + 8611n + 11745) \\& - \varepsilon^8(2548n^3 + 22936n^2 + 63597n + 54229) \\& + 4\varepsilon^7(266n^4 + 1857n^3 + 6065n^2 + 14351n + 15987) \\& + 8\varepsilon^6(994n^5 + 12961n^4 + 67246n^3 + 174692n^2 + 226821n + 116092) \\& + 16\varepsilon^5(336n^6 + 5348n^5 + 33569n^4 + 104918n^3 + 165290n^2 + 108259n + 6100) \\& - 16\varepsilon^4(404n^7 + 7578n^6 + 61778n^5 + 284762n^4 + 802660n^3 + 1382074n^2 \\& + 1340455n + 560287) \\& - 64\varepsilon^3(94n^8 + 1823n^7 + 14305n^6 + 55870n^5 + 96299n^4 - 37256n^3 \\& - 447044n^2 - 704959n - 379338) \\& + 128\varepsilon^2(n+3)(30n^8 + 715n^7 + 7667n^6 + 48253n^5 + 194086n^4 + 507439n^3 \\& + 835393n^2 + 785327n + 320382) \\& - 256\varepsilon(n+2)(n+3)^2(107n^6 + 2070n^5 + 16342n^4 + 67226n^3 + 151557n^2 \\& + 176932n + 83196) \\& + 256(n+2)^3(n+3)^3(n+4)(30n^3 + 331n^2 + 1193n + 1386)),\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}a_2(n, \varepsilon) = & (12\varepsilon^{12} + 12\varepsilon^{11}(17n + 45) + 2\varepsilon^{10}(620n^2 + 3553n + 4795) \\& + 2\varepsilon^9(1504n^3 + 14190n^2 + 41901n + 38907) \\& + 4\varepsilon^8(172n^4 + 4983n^3 + 30942n^2 + 69119n + 50850) \\& - 4\varepsilon^7(1996n^5 + 24056n^4 + 113313n^3 + 269119n^2 + 337198n + 185290) \\& - 16\varepsilon^6(450n^6 + 8210n^5 + 59749n^4 + 227386n^3 + 486841n^2 + 563176n + 275664) \\& + 16\varepsilon^5(340n^7 + 4314n^6 + 19137n^5 + 25532n^4 - 55105n^3 - 206516n^2 - 191528n \\& - 23458) \\& + 32\varepsilon^4(140n^8 + 2940n^7 + 26550n^6 + 139926n^5 + 493839n^4 + 1240186n^3 \\& + 2161699n^2 + 2304248n + 1100084) \\& + 64\varepsilon^3(4n^9 + 506n^8 + 8651n^7 + 63510n^6 + 236215n^5 + 395334n^4 - 105413n^3 \\& - 1551017n^2 - 2362944n - 1217770) \\& - 128\varepsilon^2(n+3)(12n^9 + 314n^8 + 3782n^7 + 29105n^6 + 160727n^5 + 640273n^4 \\& + 1750874n^3 + 3052505n^2 + 3017094n + 1276604) \\& + 256\varepsilon(n+2)(n+3)^2(n+4)(26n^6 + 825n^5 + 8967n^4 + 46529n^3 + 125411n^2 \\& + 168628n + 88652) \\& - 512(n+1)(n+2)^2(n+3)^3(n+4)^2(6n^3 + 98n^2 + 459n + 655)),\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
a_3(n, \varepsilon) = & (- 64\varepsilon^{12} - 8\varepsilon^{11}(113n + 298) - 8\varepsilon^{10}(519n^2 + 2948n + 3896) \\
& - 4\varepsilon^9(1444n^3 + 13839n^2 + 39746n + 34305) \\
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& - 8\varepsilon^6(320n^6 + 2050n^5 + 4192n^4 + 27408n^3 + 174901n^2 + 411759n + 324872) \\
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& + 64\varepsilon^3(140n^9 + 2768n^8 + 22500n^7 + 99545n^6 + 287700n^5 + 723136n^4 \\
& + 1854572n^3 + 3714620n^2 + 4272517n + 2031600) \\
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& + 14824351n^4 + 29964399n^3 + 38244797n^2 + 27875896n + 8824032) \\
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& + 16\varepsilon^9(453n^3 + 4462n^2 + 13094n + 11244) \\
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& + 11433064n + 5260048) \\
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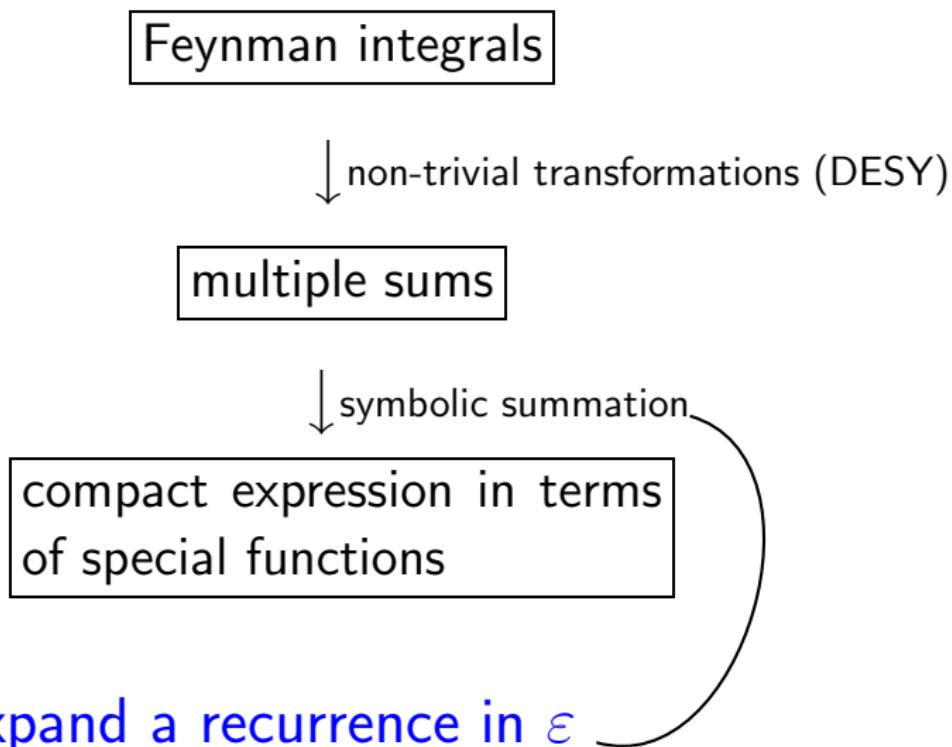
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## The general tactic



Tactic 2: Expand a recurrence in  $\varepsilon$

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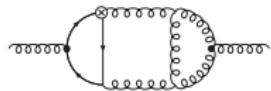
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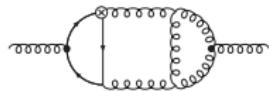
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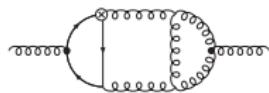
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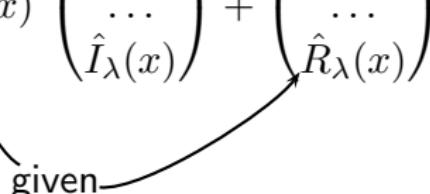
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## Tactic 3: Solve coupled systems of differential equations

[coming, e.g., from IBP methods]

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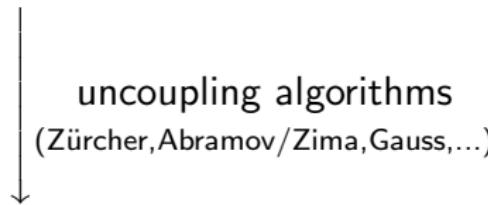
A whole industry (for solutions of  $\varepsilon$ -expansions) started with

[J. Henn. Multiloop integrals in dimensional regularization made simple. Phys. Rev. Lett., 110:251601, 2013.]

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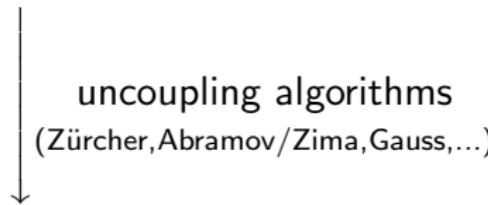


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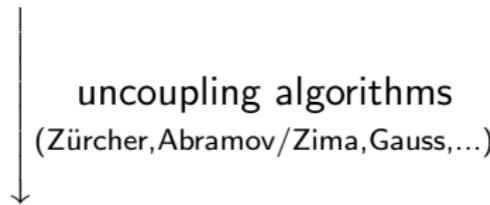
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DE-solver

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HarmonicSums can also deal with Liouvillian solutions (i.e., it contains Kovacic's algorithm):

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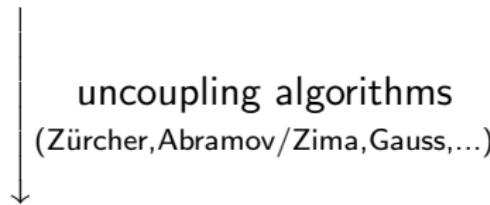
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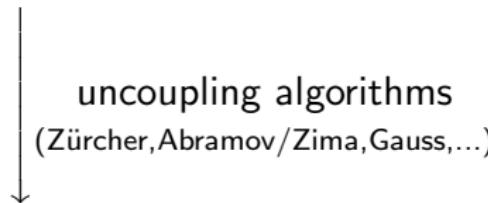
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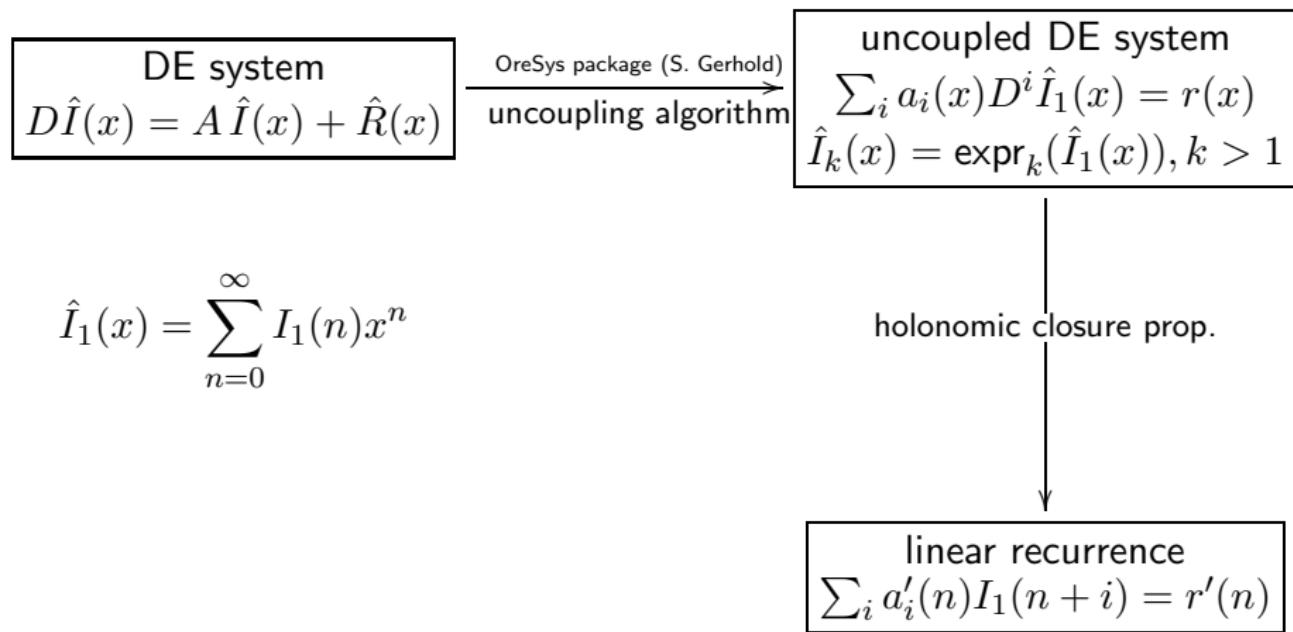
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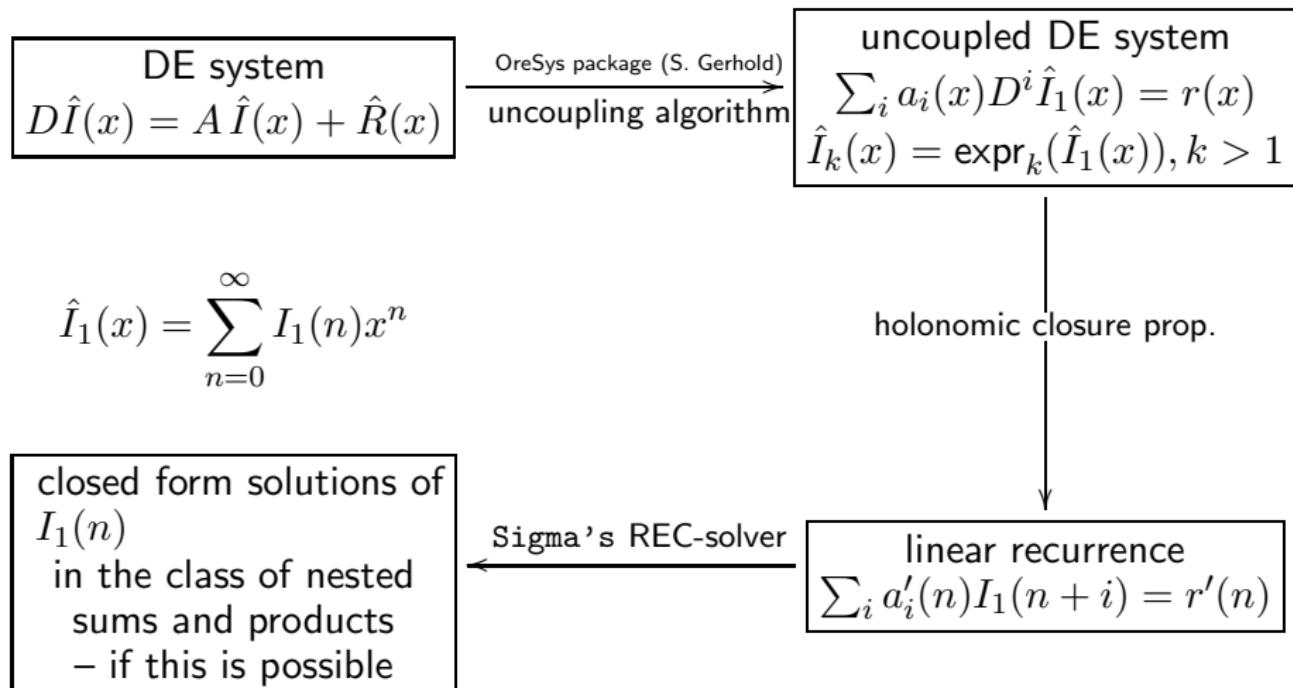
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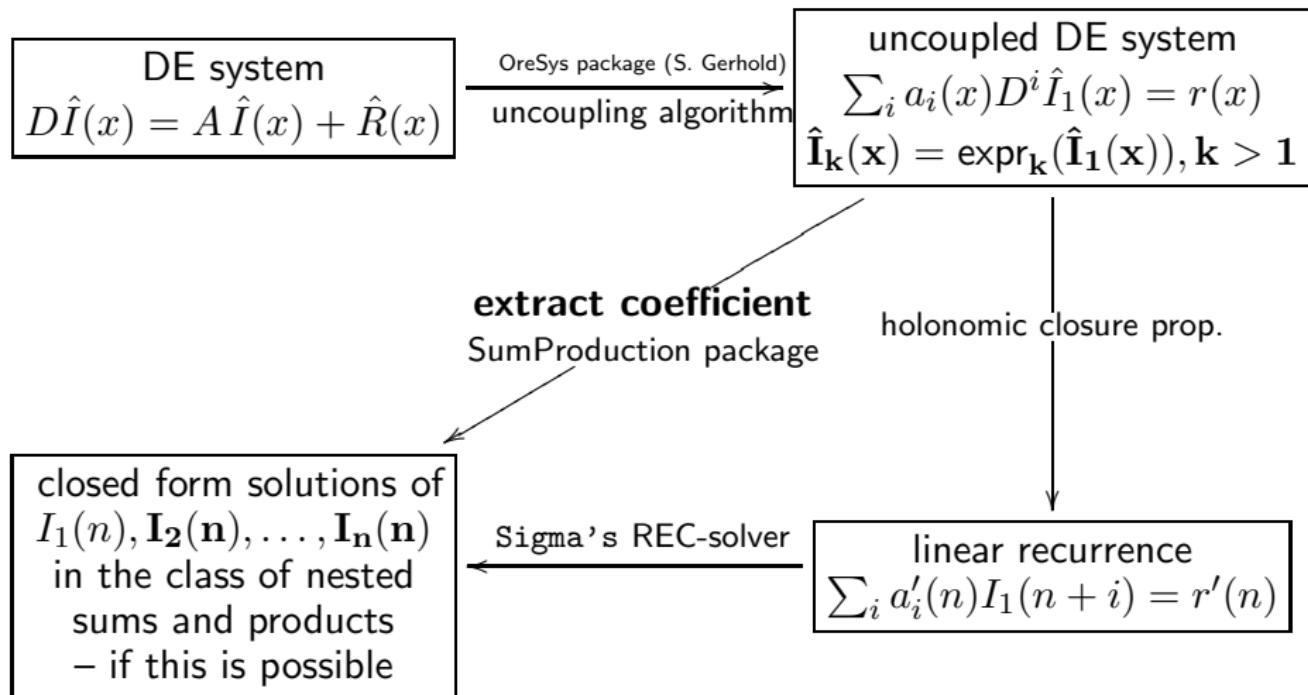
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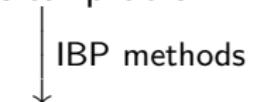


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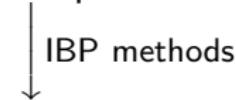
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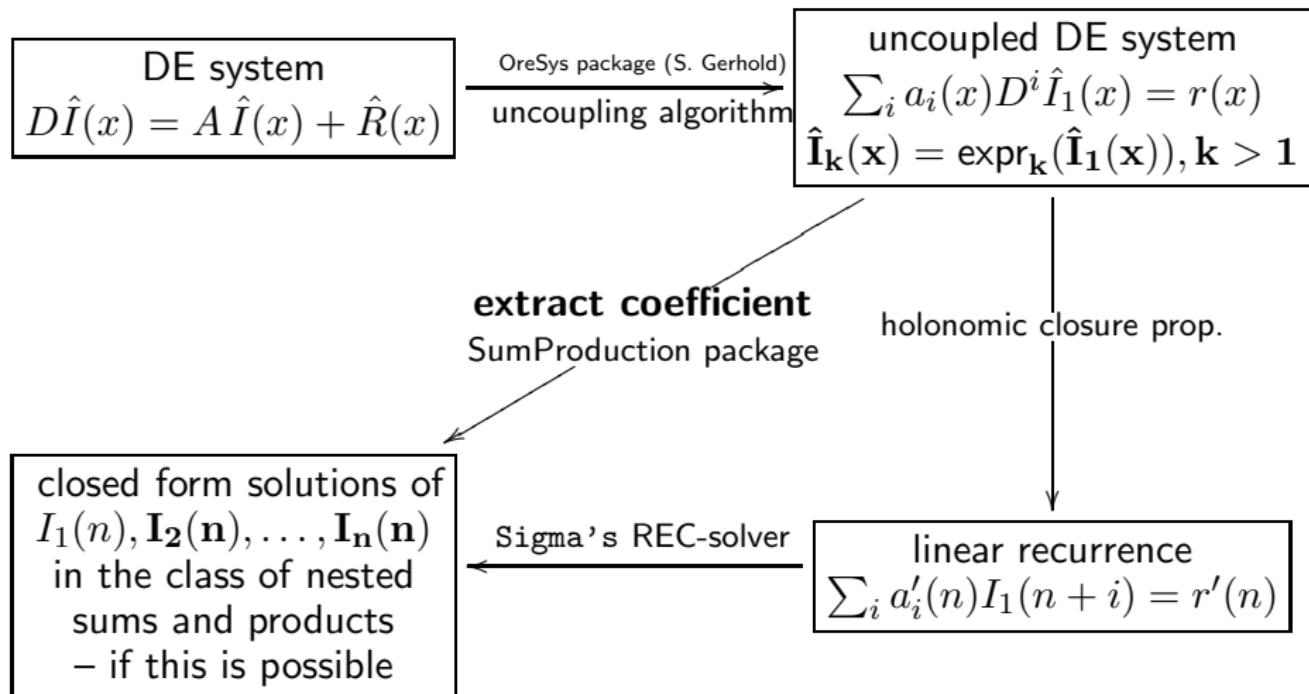
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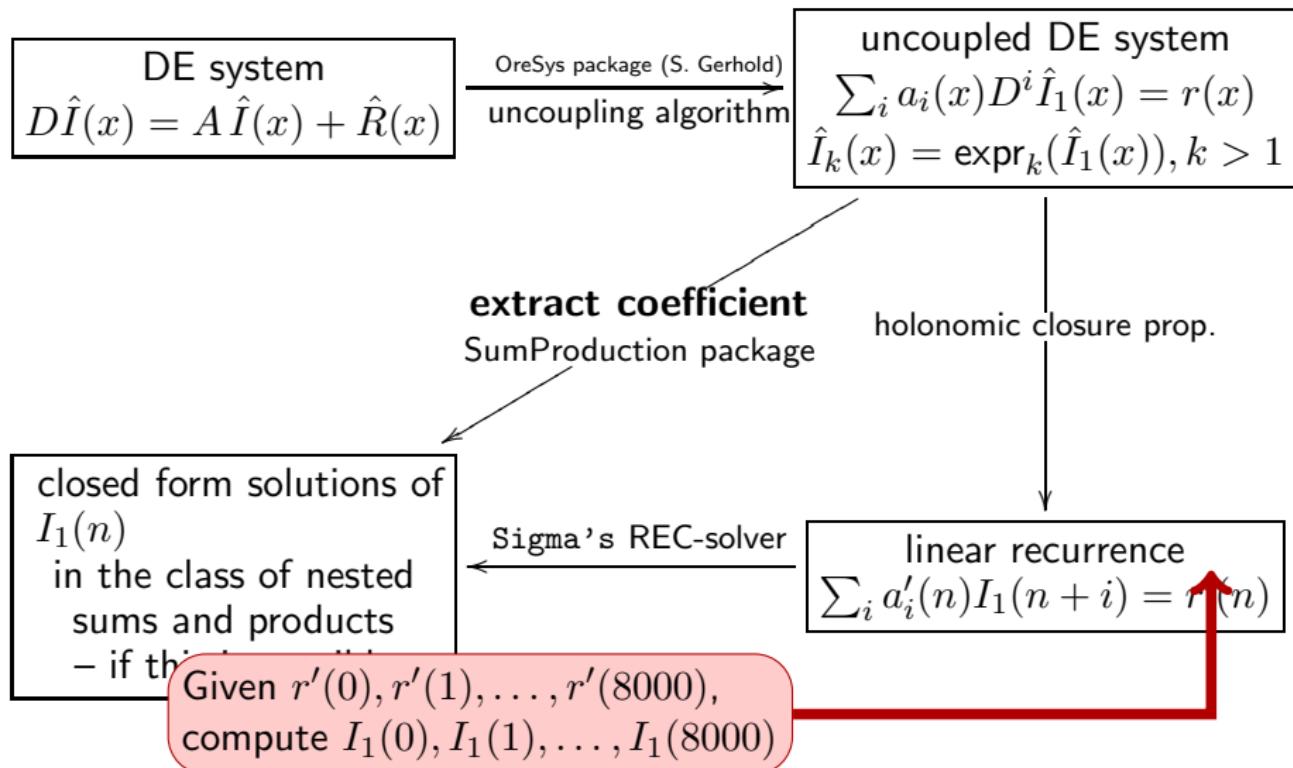
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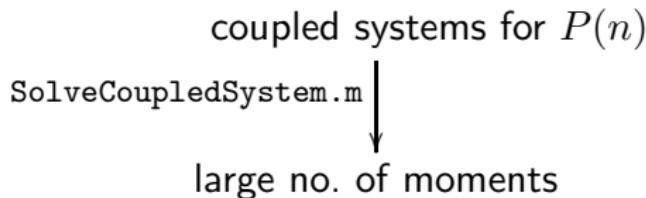
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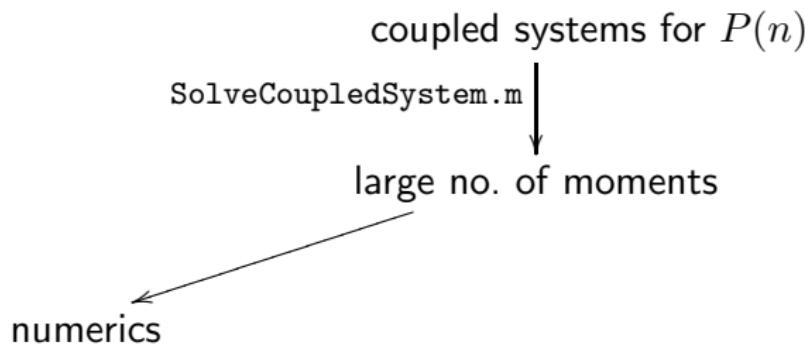
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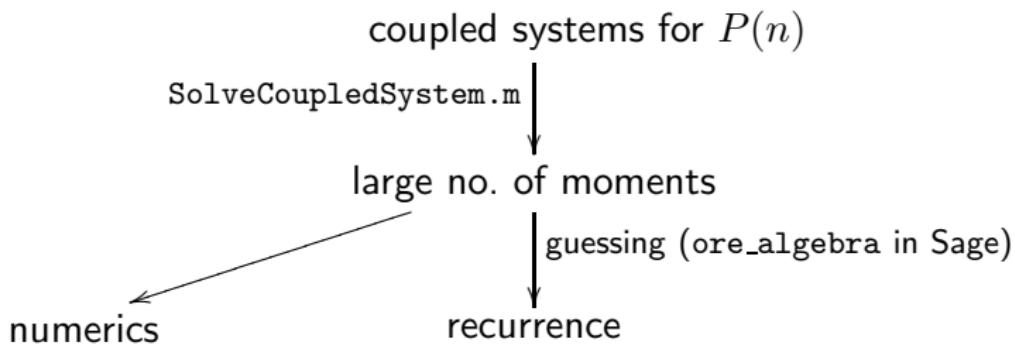
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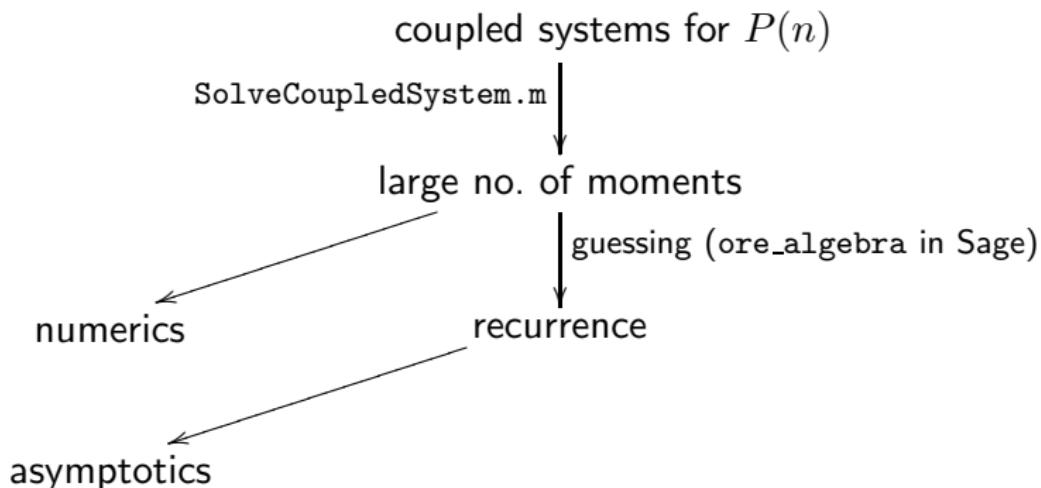
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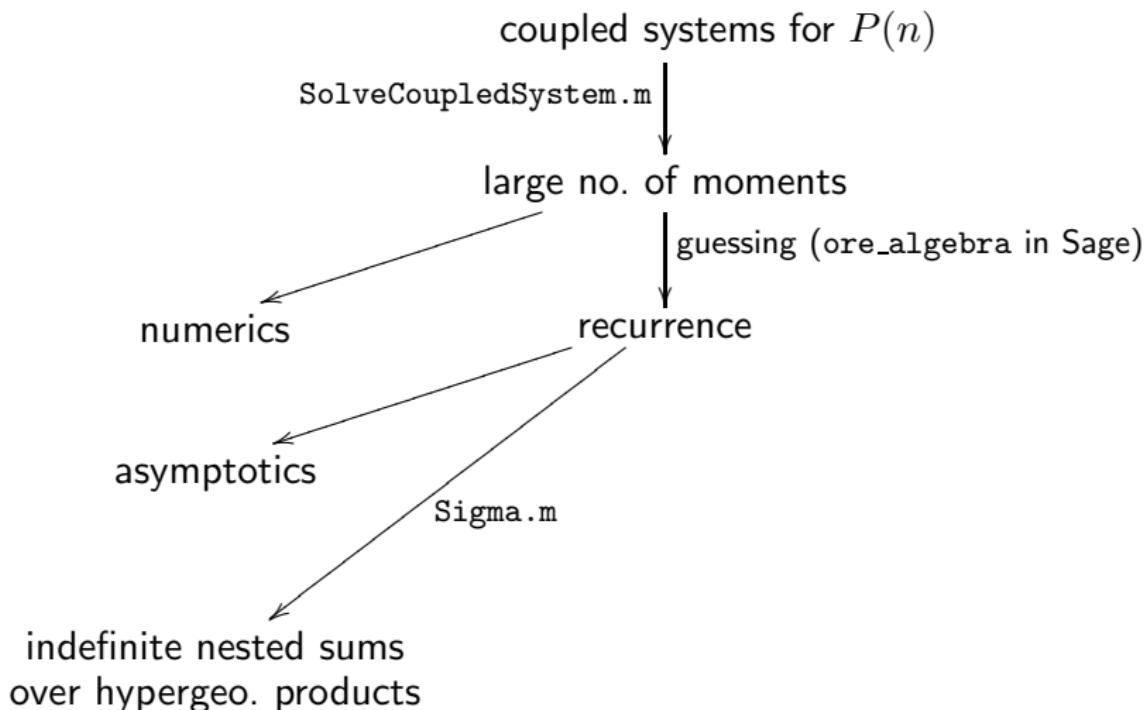
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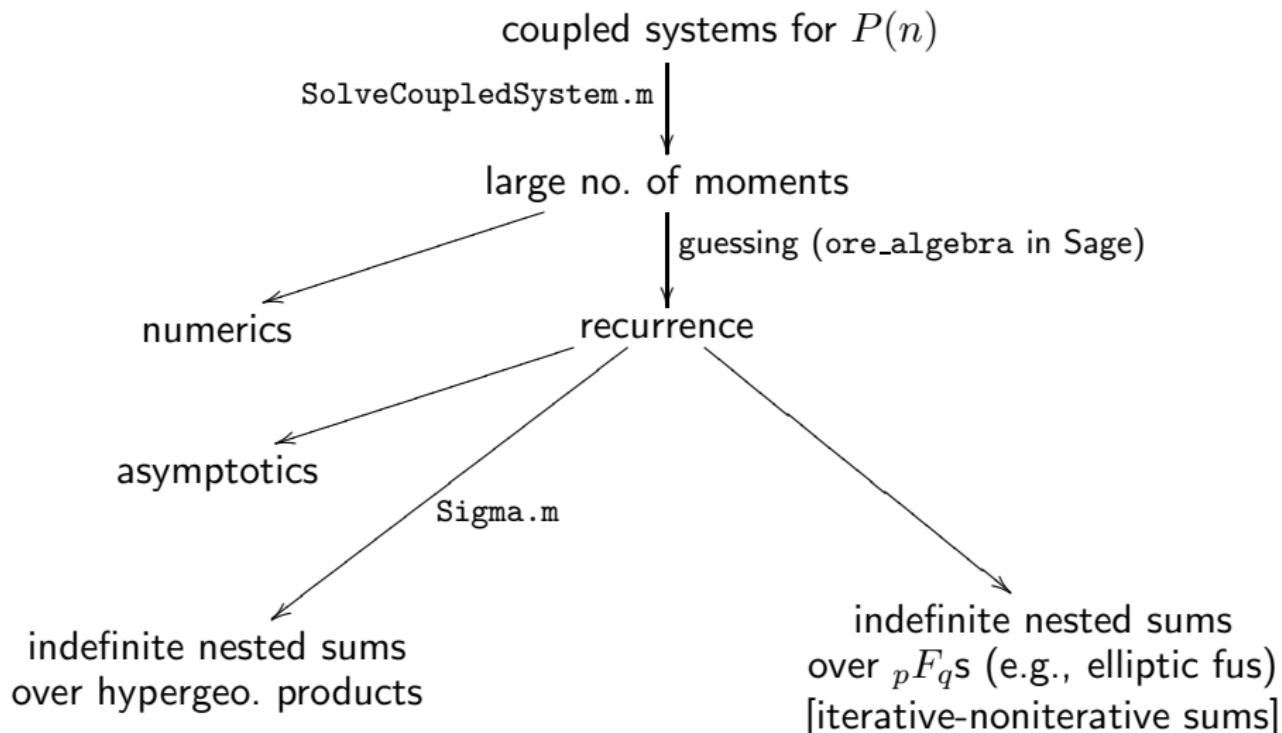


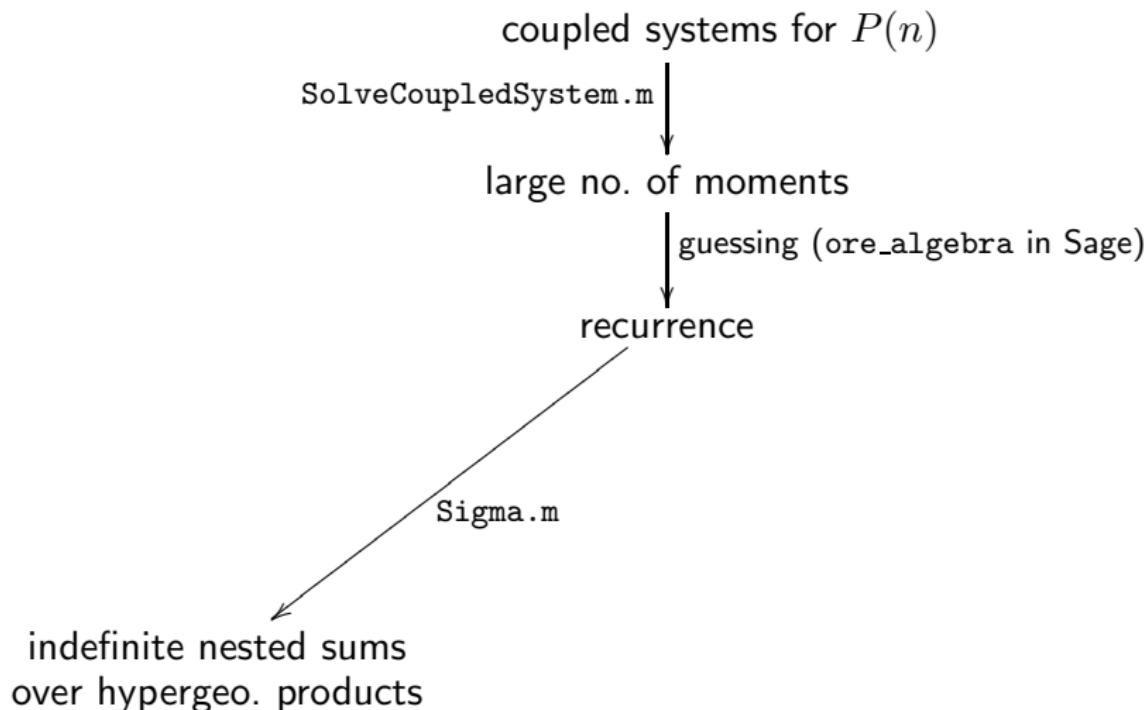












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all  $n$  solution

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In[9]:= initial = &lt;&lt; iFile16

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In[9]:= initial ==<< iFile16
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Out[9]= {37, 34577/1296, 7598833/151875, 13675395569/230496000,
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In[10]:= **rec** = << rFile16

$$\text{Out}[10] = (n+1)^4(n+2)^2(2n+3)(2n+5)(2n+7)(2n+9)(2n+11) \left( 309237645312n^{32} + 38256884318208n^{31} + 2282100271087616n^{30} + 87428170197762048n^{29} + 2417273990256001024n^{28} + 51388547929265405952n^{27} + 873862324676687036416n^{26} + 12209268055143308328960n^{25} + 142860861222820240162816n^{24} + 1419883954103469621510144n^{23} + 12115561235109256405319680n^{22} + 89479384946084038000803840n^{21} + 575561340618928527623274496n^{20} + 3239547818363227419971647488n^{19} + 16009805333085271423330779136n^{18} + 69631814641718655426881659392n^{17} + 266892117418348771052573667328n^{16} + 901901113782416884441719270144n^{15} + 2685821385767154471801366647296n^{14} + 7038702625583766161604414471744n^{13} + 16195069575749412648646633248128n^{12} + 32602540883321212533013752639288n^{11} + 57154680141624618025310553466704n^{10} + 86710462147941775492301231896818n^9 + 112917328975807075881545543668548n^8 + 124873767581470867343743078943772n^7 + 115624836314544572769501784072647n^6 + 87938536330971046886456627610048n^5 + 53481897815980319933589323279298n^4 + 25000430622737750756669804052204n^3 + 8430930497463933665464836129855n^2 + 1825177817831282261293155379650n + 190428196025667395685609855000 \right) (2n+1)^4 P[n]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & -(n+2)^3(2n+3)^3(2n+7)(2n+9)(2n+11) \left( 12369505812480n^{38} + 1613151061671936n^{37} + \right. \\
 & 101748284195864576n^{36} + 4135139115563745280n^{35} + 121713599527855849472n^{34} + \\
 & 2765050919624810430464n^{33} + 50453046277771391664128n^{32} + 759760507477065230974976n^{31} + \\
 & 9628262076527899425374208n^{30} + 104191253579306374131613696n^{29} + 973595596739520084325171200n^{28} + \\
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 & 9836060321685410187563260035072n^{23} + 43406506634905372676489415905280n^{22} + \\
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 & 1892149418896523531194676203153920n^{19} + 5321173806292333448534132495165440n^{18} + \\
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 & 27967916431116651162116055961513301n^9 + 221781415386984655607595031093415136n^8 + \\
 & 149214365004640710156345950062395186n^7 + 83882523964213110328265187672574356n^6 + \\
 & 38609679702395410742361774562392789n^5 + 14149471988638475521561721269939086n^4 + \\
 & 3963748138857399502678254252169734n^3 + 795659668131014454843348852372480n^2 + \\
 & \left. 101701393436276172443717692853400n + 6204709909986751913151675960000 \right) P[n+1]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & + 2(n+3)^2 (2n+5)^3 (2n+9) (2n+11) \left( 24739011624960n^{40} + 3317836466356224n^{39} + 215508170284466176n^{38} + 9032884062187945984n^{37} + \right. \\
 & 274636134389959884800n^{36} + 6455501959255126179840n^{35} + 122094572934385260036096n^{34} + 1909387225793663151898624n^{33} + \\
 & 25180108291969215434326016n^{32} + 284171960705270647479074816n^{31} + 2775794400720227034854326272n^{30} + \\
 & 23677622163992853854566219776n^{29} + 177624312783583749157935120384n^{28} + 1178515602115604757944201871360n^{27} + \\
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 & 722837793013976317556258102507520n^{23} + 2732534027077907914497042720534528n^{22} + 9281028665970648470895368668485120n^{21} + \\
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 & 3761696365025837909581516781307249585n^9 + 2726553473467254373993685951699145492n^8 + \\
 & 1683383212304999468664293798012773485n^7 + 871926653651504419744271839781064837n^6 + \\
 & 371307437598003570058538796122994147n^5 + 126427972742886389602285855482966072n^4 + 33048762330145623969058704448697313n^3 + \\
 & 6217924746857741077419160100404560n^2 + 748298077423337427195946099994100n + 43181089548034246077698611794000)P[n+2]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& -2(n+4)^2(2n+5)(2n+7)^3(2n+11) \left( 24739011624960n^{40} + 3322784268681216n^{39} + 216160919414112256n^{38} + 9074528155284275200n^{37} + \right. \\
& 276348048819456311296n^{36} + 6506479077331107315712n^{35} + 123266585640616142569472n^{34} + 1931040885785102661976064n^{33} + \\
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& 24120717233320712351821332480n^{29} + 181295944719289040999116701696n^{28} + 1205246297785423925076555694080n^{27} + \\
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& 745539218875020737621728364206080n^{23} + 2824909633156578132652259733712896n^{22} + 9618101958268071244680677589035520n^{21} + \\
& 29441860528446423517613263360742912n^{20} + 81033563306363873505877563416477312n^{19} + 200454769103641040142838133702338304n^{18} + \\
& 445286624972461749049425309485328992n^{17} + 887028447418790661018847407251573152n^{16} + \\
& 1581538101499869694224895701784875304n^{15} + 2517550244392724509968791166585362672n^{14} + \\
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& 412595107814836563208757757032740146n^5 + 141540723940232563767779647013785485n^4 + 37292931812630561528276365992452010n^3 + \\
& \left. 7074865777225416725452872895397100n^2 + 858794112392644074221312049837000n + 49997386738260112603615104780000 \right) P[n+3]
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & + (n+5)^3 (2n+5) (2n+7) (2n+9)^4 \left( 12369505812480n^{38} + 1546355730284544n^{37} + 93441851805138944n^{36} + \right. \\
 & 3636063211393908736n^{35} + 102413434086873890816n^{34} + 2225107112182077718528n^{33} + \\
 & 38808234188348931964928n^{32} + 558299807912629375074304n^{31} + 6755648626273815474733056n^{30} + \\
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 & 32840774268722977511855751168n^{26} + 196981883700048989849717882880n^{25} + \\
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 & 55935262205790259307904762197107653n^8 + 36322355479155199114489624391144238n^7 + \\
 & 19756597118002557191991191826327042n^6 + 8822212911433711339358062994077203n^5 + \\
 & 3145597282374650512689680780380605n^4 + 859907105684964990690798899478888n^3 + \\
 & 168963309995629650025632011492580n^2 + 21205680751316222158938757272000n + \\
 & \left. 1274120732351744651125603886400 \right) P[n+4]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & - (n + 5)^2 (n + 6)^4 (2n + 5) (2n + 7) (2n + 9)^3 (2n + 11)^4 \left( 309237645312n^{32} + 28361279668224n^{31} + \right. \\ & 1249518729297920n^{30} + 35220794552352768n^{29} + 713726163159089152n^{28} + 11076866026783113216n^{27} + \\ & 136959486138712588288n^{26} + 1385658801437173350400n^{25} + 11691772665924577918976n^{24} + \\ & 83438339505976242995200n^{23} + 508989054278115477684224n^{22} + 2675508113418826174332928n^{21} + \\ & 12193213796145039633072128n^{20} + 48399020537651722726242304n^{19} + 167881257973769248139515904n^{18} + \\ & 510012482113388176546187776n^{17} + 1358662126092561923541267968n^{16} + 3174925021159974655053814528n^{15} + \\ & 6504205668151125355938798848n^{14} + 11663792381020901870157176128n^{13} + \\ & 18263581057905911985340656960n^{12} + 24881010123632244515458585528n^{11} + \\ & 29346856353503020415409305704n^{10} + 29775859546803351930591002266n^9 + 25770328899499991754425455738n^8 + \\ & 18817114309842270306167785140n^7 + 11424980760825630752861027739n^6 + 5656051955667821083952617134n^5 + \\ & 2221448212382554437709999491n^4 + 664859653803075491350122060n^3 + 142190920852333874895041748n^2 + \\ & \left. 19313175036907229252501700n + 1248723341516324359641600 \right) P[n+5] == 0 \end{aligned}$$

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In[11]:= recSol = SolveRecurrence[rec, P[n]]
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$$\begin{aligned} \text{Out}[11] = & \left\{ \left\{ 0, \frac{(3+2n)(3+4n)}{(1+n)^2(1+2n)^2} \right\} \right. \\ & \left\{ 0, -\frac{(3+2n)(-8-9n+2n^2)}{(1+n)^2(1+2n)^2} \right\} \\ & \left\{ 0, -\frac{(3+2n)(-5+8n^2)}{2(1+n)^2(1+2n)^2} + \frac{(3+2n) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i}}{(1+n)(1+2n)} + \frac{2(3+2n) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{-1+2i}}{(1+n)(1+2n)} \right\} \\ & \left\{ 0, \frac{(3+2n)(-513-2184n-2416n^2+768n^4)}{2(1+n)^3(1+2n)^3} + \frac{14(3+2n) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i^2}}{(1+n)(1+2n)} + \left( - \right. \right. \\ & \left. \left. \frac{2(3+2n)(3+44n+48n^2)}{(1+n)^2(1+2n)^2} + \frac{48(3+2n) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{-1+2i}}{(1+n)(1+2n)} \right) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i} + \right. \\ & \left. \frac{12(3+2n) \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i} \right)^2}{(1+n)(1+2n)} + \frac{56(3+2n) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{(-1+2i)^2}}{(1+n)(1+2n)} - \right. \\ & \left. \left. \frac{4(3+2n)(3+44n+48n^2) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{-1+2i}}{(1+n)^2(1+2n)^2} + \frac{48(3+2n) \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{-1+2i} \right)^2}{(1+n)(1+2n)} \right\} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left\{ 0, \frac{1}{16(1+n)^4(1+2n)^4} (72519 + 572343n + 1814716n^2 + 2918100n^3 + 2442240n^4 + 912896n^5 + 24576n^6 - \right. \\
& \quad \left. 49152n^7) + \frac{16(3+2n) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i^3}}{3(1+n)(1+2n)} + \left( -\frac{(3+2n)(29+307n+322n^2)}{4(1+n)^2(1+2n)^2} + \frac{44(3+2n) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{-1+2i}}{(1+n)(1+2n)} \right) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i^2} + \right. \\
& \quad \left( \frac{(3+2n)(91+259n+974n^2+1784n^3+1024n^4)}{4(1+n)^3(1+2n)^3} + \frac{22(3+2n) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i^2}}{(1+n)(1+2n)} + \frac{24(3+2n) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{(-1+2i)^2}}{(1+n)(1+2n)} - \right. \\
& \quad \left. 4(3+2n)(-13-4n+16n^2) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{-1+2i} + \frac{16(3+2n)(\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{-1+2i})^2}{(1+n)(1+2n)} \right) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i} + \left( - \right. \\
& \quad \left. \frac{(3+2n)(19+92n+80n^2)}{(1+n)^2(1+2n)^2} + \frac{40(3+2n) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{-1+2i}}{(1+n)(1+2n)} \right) (\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i})^2 + \frac{20(3+2n)(\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i})^3}{3(1+n)(1+2n)} + \\
& \quad \frac{64(3+2n) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{(-1+2i)^3}}{3(1+n)(1+2n)} - \frac{3(3+2n)(63+209n+150n^2) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{(-1+2i)^2}}{(1+n)^2(1+2n)^2} + \\
& \quad \frac{3(3+2n)(347+1795n+4302n^2+4856n^3+2048n^4)}{2(1+n)^3(1+2n)^3} + \frac{48(3+2n) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{(-1+2i)^2}}{(1+n)(1+2n)} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{-1+2i} - \\
& \quad \frac{4(3+2n)(19+92n+80n^2)(\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{-1+2i})^2}{(1+n)^2(1+2n)^2} + \frac{32(3+2n)(\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{-1+2i})^3}{3(1+n)(1+2n)} - \\
& \quad \frac{8(3+2n) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(\sum_{j=1}^i \frac{1}{j})^2}{i}}{(1+n)(1+2n)} - \frac{16(3+2n) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(\sum_{j=1}^i \frac{1}{j})^2}{-1+2i}}{(1+n)(1+2n)} + \frac{\left( \sum_{j=1}^i \frac{1}{j} \right) \sum_{j=1}^i \frac{1}{-1+2j}}{-1+2i} \\
& \quad - \frac{32(3+2n) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(\sum_{j=1}^i \frac{1}{j}) \sum_{j=1}^i \frac{1}{-1+2j}}{i}}{(1+n)(1+2n)} + \frac{64(3+2n) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(\sum_{j=1}^i \frac{1}{-1+2j})^2}{-1+2i}}{(1+n)(1+2n)} + \\
& \quad \frac{32(3+2n) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(\sum_{j=1}^i \frac{1}{-1+2j})^2}{i}}{(1+n)(1+2n)} + \frac{64(3+2n) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(\sum_{j=1}^i \frac{1}{-1+2j})^2}{-1+2i}}{(1+n)(1+2n)} \}, \{1, 0\} \}
\end{aligned}$$

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In[12]:= sol = FindLinearCombination[recSol, {0, initial}, n, 7, MinInitialValue → 1]
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In[12]:= **sol = FindLinearCombination[recSol, {0, initial}, n, 7, MinInitialValue → 1]**

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Out}[12] = & \frac{1}{3(1+n)^4(1+2n)^4} (111 + 1920n + 11765n^2 + 32545n^3 + 46476n^4 + 35376n^5 + 13440n^6 + 1968n^7) + \frac{32(3+2n)\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i^3}}{9(1+n)(1+2n)} - \\
 & \frac{(3+2n)(-3+10n+126n^2)\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i^2}}{(3+2n)(-3+10n+126n^2)\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i^2}} - \frac{(3+2n)(115+921n+1967n^2+1524n^3+340n^4)\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i}}{(3+2n)(115+921n+1967n^2+1524n^3+340n^4)\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i}} + \\
 & \frac{3(1+n)^2(1+2n)^2}{44(3+2n)(\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i^2})\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i}} - \frac{(3+2n)(23+139n+130n^2)(\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i})^2}{44(3+2n)(\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i})^2} + \frac{40(3+2n)(\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i})^3}{40(3+2n)(\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i})^3} + \\
 & \frac{3(1+n)(1+2n)}{128(3+2n)\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{(-1+2i)^3}} - \frac{3(1+n)^2(1+2n)^2}{4(3+2n)(77+261n+190n^2)\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{(-1+2i)^2}} + \frac{9(1+n)(1+2n)}{16(3+2n)(\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i})\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{(-1+2i)^2}} + \\
 & \frac{9(1+n)(1+2n)}{2(3+2n)(13-153n-303n^2+12n^3+172n^4)\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{-1+2i}} - \frac{(1+n)(1+2n)}{88(3+2n)(\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i^2})\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{-1+2i}} - \\
 & \frac{3(1+n)^3(1+2n)^3}{4(3+2n)(-41-53n+2n^2)(\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i})\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{-1+2i}} + \frac{3(1+n)(1+2n)}{80(3+2n)(\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i})^2\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{-1+2i}} + \\
 & \frac{3(1+n)^2(1+2n)^2}{32(3+2n)(\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{(-1+2i)^2})\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{-1+2i}} - \frac{3(1+n)(1+2n)}{4(3+2n)(23+139n+130n^2)(\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{-1+2i})^2} + \\
 & \frac{(1+n)(1+2n)}{32(3+2n)(\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i})(\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{-1+2i})^2} - \frac{3(1+n)^2(1+2n)^2}{64(3+2n)(\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{-1+2i})^3} - \frac{16(3+2n)\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(\sum_{j=1}^i \frac{1}{j})^2}{i}}{64(3+2n)(\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{-1+2i})^3} - \\
 & \frac{3(1+n)(1+2n)}{32(3+2n)\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(\sum_{j=1}^i \frac{1}{j})^2}{-1+2i}} - \frac{9(1+n)(1+2n)}{64(3+2n)\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(\sum_{j=1}^i \frac{1}{j})\sum_{j=1}^i \frac{1}{-1+2j}}{i}} + \\
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 & \frac{3(1+n)(1+2n)}{128(3+2n)\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(\sum_{j=1}^i \frac{1}{-1+2j})^2}{-1+2i}} + \\
 & 3(1+n)(1+2n)
 \end{aligned}$$

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 & \frac{2(3+2n)(147 + 985n + 1871n^2 + 1268n^3 + 212n^4)}{3(1+n)^3(1+2n)^3} + \frac{224(3+2n)S[2, 2n]}{3(1+n)(1+2n)} + \\
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 & \frac{64(3+2n)S[3, 2n]}{3(1+n)(1+2n)} + (-\frac{64(3+2n)^2}{3(1+n)(1+2n)^2} - \frac{128(3+2n)(2+3n)S[1, 2n]}{3(1+n)(1+2n)^2})S[-1, 2n] - \\
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## Special function algorithms

▶ Details

### ► HarmonicSums package

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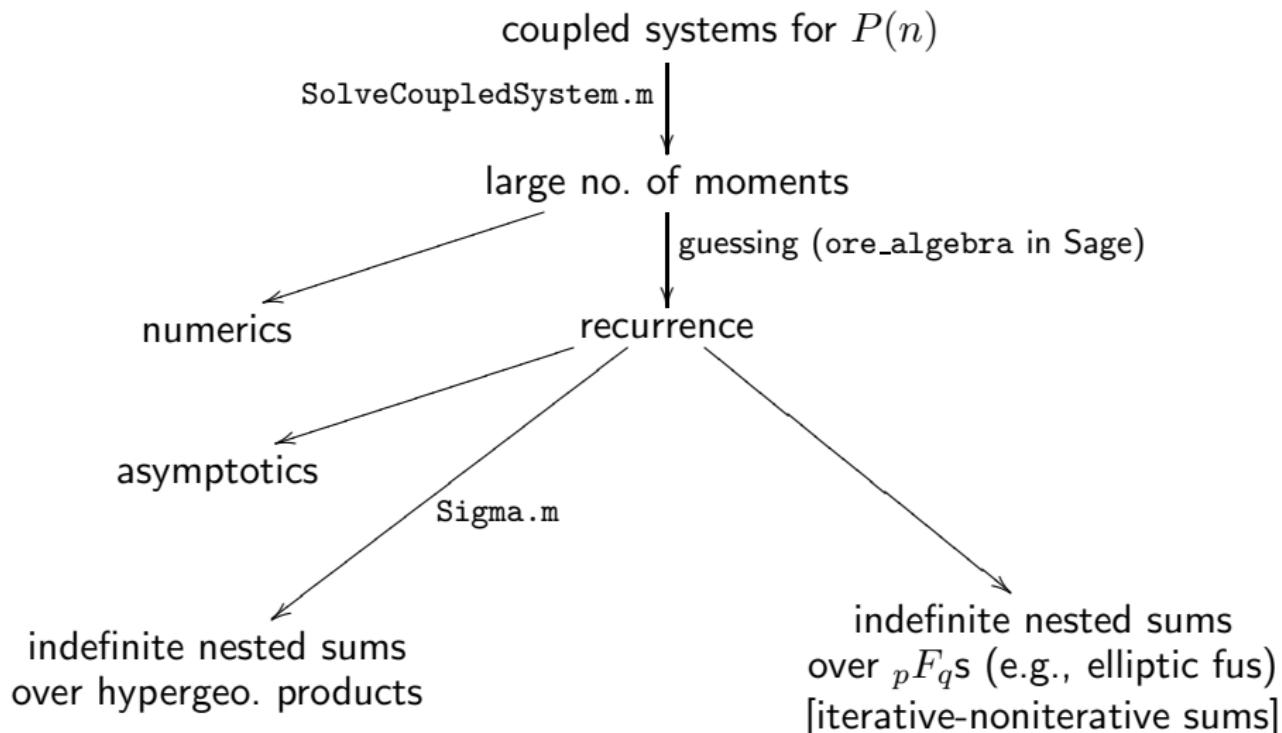
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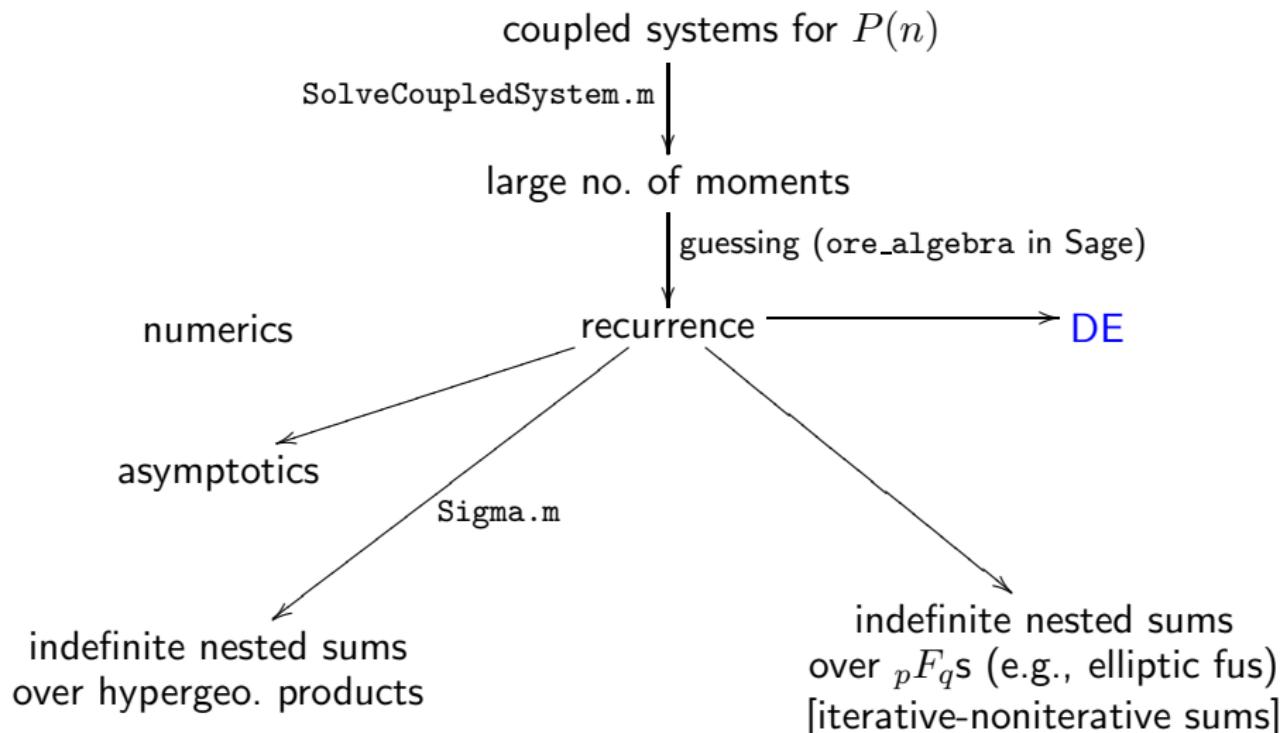
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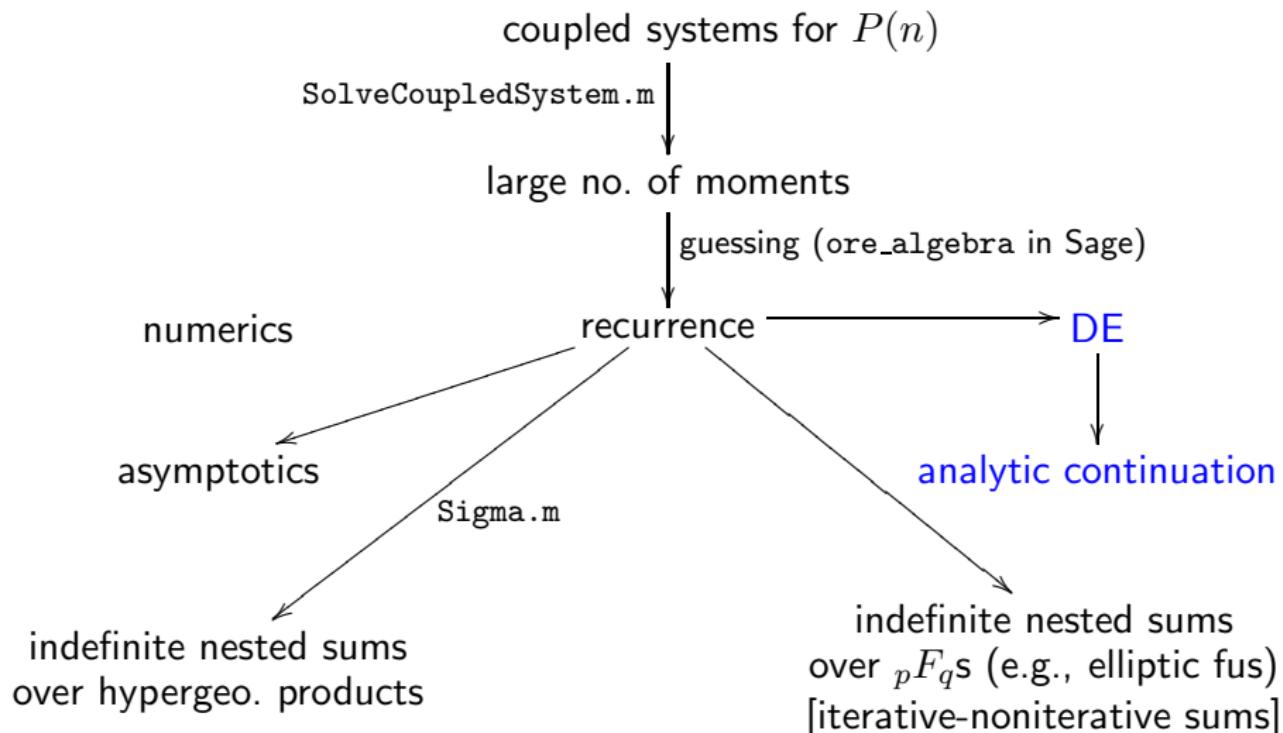
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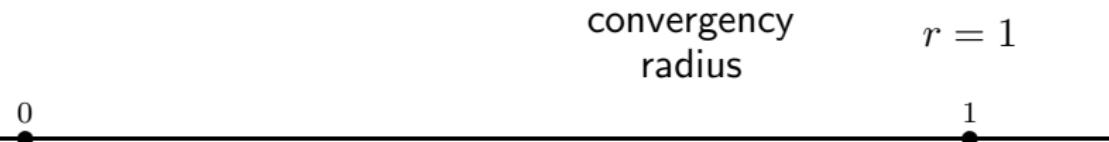
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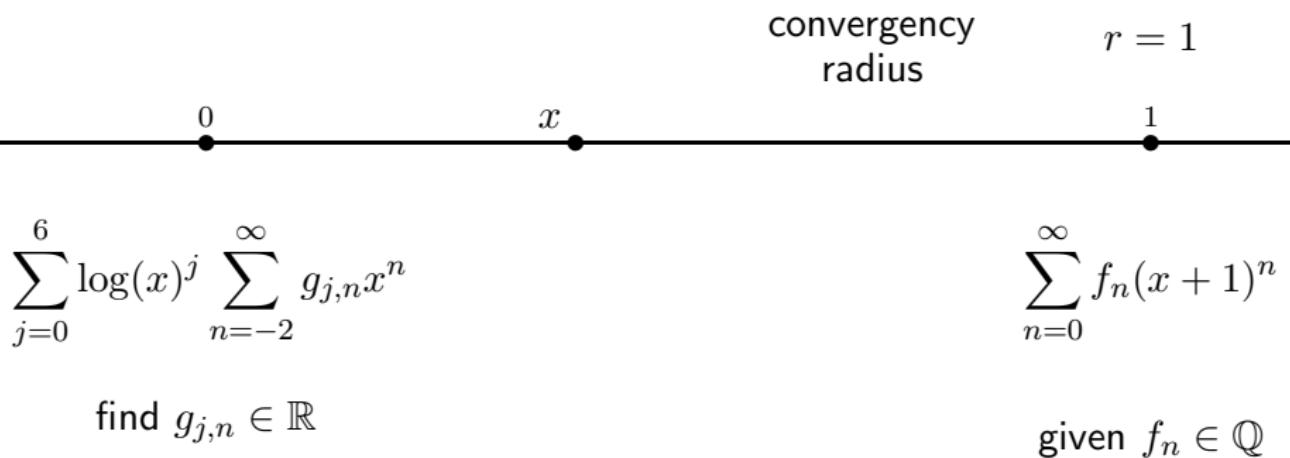
## Evaluate beyond 0



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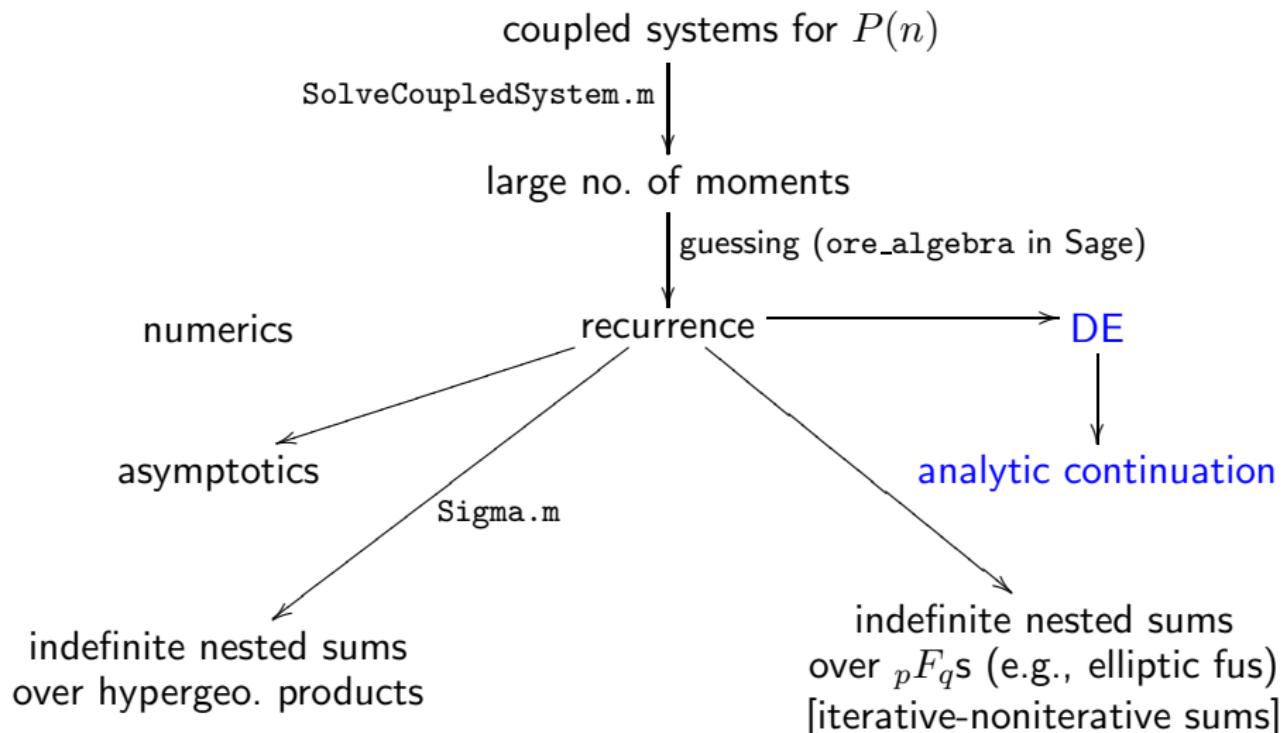
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PSLP



$$g_{j,n} \in \mathbb{Q}(\pi, \zeta_3, \dots)$$



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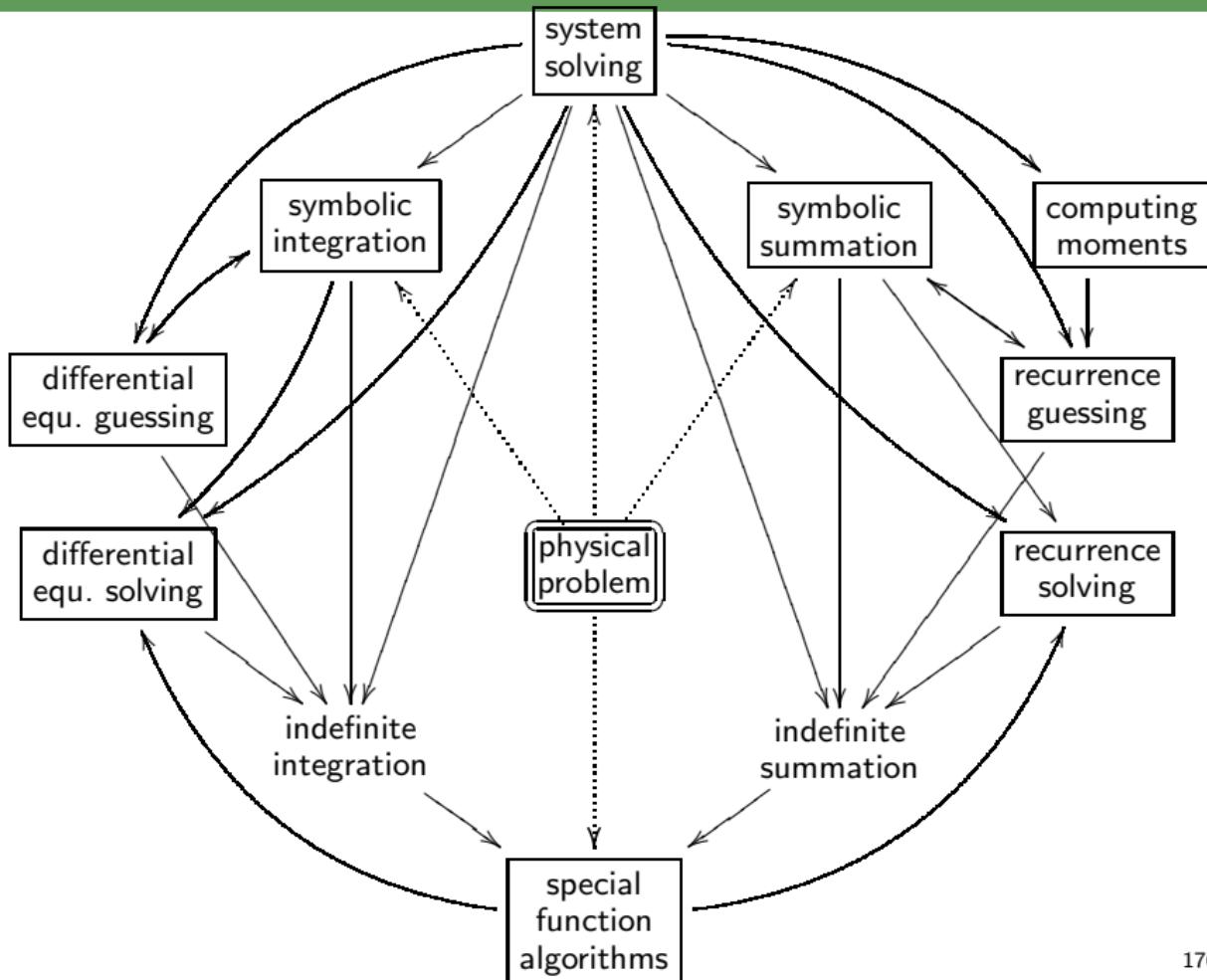
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# Main CA-packages

In[17]:= << Sigma.m

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In[18]:= << MultiIntegrate.m

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In[19]:= << HarmonicSums.m

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In[20]:= << EvaluateMultiSums.m

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In[21]:= << SumProduction.m

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In[22]:= << OreSys.m

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In[23]:= << SolveCoupledSystem.m

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**Asymptotic expansion:**

$$= \left( \frac{1}{30n^5} - \frac{1}{6n^3} + \frac{1}{2n^2} - \frac{1}{n} \right) \ln(n) \\ - \frac{1}{100n^5} - \frac{1}{6n^4} + \frac{13}{36n^3} - \frac{1}{4n^2} - \frac{1}{n} + 2\zeta(3) + O\left(\frac{\ln(n)}{n^6}\right).$$

limit computations

numerical evaluation

► Generalized algorithms for generalized harmonic sums

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{2^k \sum_{i=1}^k \frac{2^{-i} \sum_{j=1}^i \frac{S_1(j)}{j}}{i}}{k} = -\frac{21\zeta(2)^2}{20n} + \frac{1}{8n^2} + \frac{295}{216n^3} - \frac{1115}{96n^4} + O(n^{-5}) \\ & + \left( \frac{1}{2n} - \frac{3}{4n^2} + \frac{19}{12n^3} - \frac{5}{n^4} + O(n^{-5}) \right) \zeta(2) \\ & + 2^n \left( \frac{3}{2n} + \frac{3}{2n^2} + \frac{9}{2n^3} + \frac{39}{2n^4} + O(n^{-5}) \right) \zeta(3) \\ & + \left( \frac{1}{n} + \frac{3}{4n^2} - \frac{157}{36n^3} + \frac{19}{n^4} + O(n^{-5}) \right) (\log(n) + \gamma) \\ & + \left( \frac{1}{2n} - \frac{3}{4n^2} + \frac{19}{12n^3} - \frac{5}{n^4} + O(n^{-5}) \right) (\log(n) + \gamma)^2 \end{aligned}$$

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► Generalized algorithms for cyclotomic harmonic sums

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{\sum_{i=1}^j \frac{1}{1+2i}}{(1+2k)^2} = \left( -3 + \frac{35\zeta(3)}{16} \right) \zeta(2) - \frac{31\zeta(5)}{8} \\
 & \quad + \frac{1}{n} - \frac{33}{32n^2} + \frac{17}{16n^3} - \frac{4795}{4608n^4} + O(n^{-5}) \\
 & \quad + \log(2) \left( 6\zeta(2) - \frac{1}{n} + \frac{9}{8n^2} - \frac{7}{6n^3} + \frac{209}{192n^4} + O(n^{-5}) \right) \\
 & \quad + \left( -\frac{7}{4} - \frac{7}{16n} + \frac{7}{16n^2} - \frac{77}{192n^3} + \frac{21}{64n^4} + O(n^{-5}) \right) \zeta(3) \\
 & \quad + \left( \frac{1}{16n^2} - \frac{1}{8n^3} + \frac{65}{384n^4} + O(n^{-5}) \right) (\log(n) + \gamma)
 \end{aligned}$$

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## ► Generalized algorithms for nested binomial sums

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{4^j S_1(j-1)}{\binom{2j}{j} j^2} = & 7\zeta(3) + \sqrt{\pi}\sqrt{n} \left\{ \left[ -\frac{2}{n} + \frac{5}{12n^2} - \frac{21}{320n^3} - \frac{223}{10752n^4} + \frac{671}{49152n^5} \right. \right. \\
 & + \frac{11635}{1441792n^6} - \frac{1196757}{136314880n^7} - \frac{376193}{50331648n^8} + \frac{201980317}{18253611008n^9} \\
 & \left. \left. + O(n^{-10}) \right] \ln(\bar{n}) - \frac{4}{n} + \frac{5}{18n^2} - \frac{263}{2400n^3} + \frac{579}{12544n^4} + \frac{10123}{1105920n^5} \right. \\
 & - \frac{1705445}{71368704n^6} - \frac{27135463}{11164188672n^7} + \frac{197432563}{7927234560n^8} + \frac{405757489}{775778467840n^9} \\
 & \left. + O(n^{-10}) \right\}
 \end{aligned}$$

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