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Flip theorem (G., 2020)











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Problem

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- The whole story generalizes to arbitrary positroid varieties.

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FIGURE 10. The induction step in the proof of Theorem 1.1: one can express $Z[\mathbb{H}, \mathbf{y}]$ recursively in terms of $Z[\mathbb{H}', \mathbf{y}]$ and $Z[\mathbb{H}'', \mathbf{y}]$.

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