

THE LATTICE OF CONVEX SUBLATTICE OF $S(S(B_n))$

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Abstract

Subbarayan.R and Vethamanickam.A[15] have proved in their paper that $CS(B_n)$ the lattice of convex sublattices of a Boolean algebra B_n , of rank n, with respect to the set inclusion relation, is a dual simplicial Eulerian lattice. Subsequently, Sheeba Merlin.G and Vethamanickam.A[8] have proved in their paper that $CS[S(B_n)]$ is an Eulerian lattice under the set inclusion relation which is neither simplicial nor dual simplicial. In this paper, we prove that $CS[S(S(B_n))]$ is an Eulerian lattice under the set inclusion relation $S(S(B_n))$ is an Eulerian lattice under the set inclusion relation and it is neither simplicial nor dual simplicial, if n > 1.

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1 Introduction

The study of lattice of convex sublattices of a lattice was started by K. M. Koh[3], in the year 1972. He had investigated the internal structure of a lattice L, in relation to CS(L), like so many other authors for various algebraic structures such as groups, Boolean algebras, directed graphs and so on. A construction of a new Eulerian lattice $S(B_n)$ from a Boolean algebra B_n of rank n is found in the thesis of V. K. Santhi[12] in 1992.

In 2012, R.Subbarayan and A.Vethamanickam[15] have proved in their paper that the lattice of convex sublattices of a Boolean algebra B_n , of rank n, $CS(B_n)$ with respect to the set inclusion relation is a dual simplicial Eulerian lattice. In 2017, Sheeba Merlin.G and Vethamanickam.A[8] proved in their paper that $CS(S(B_n))$ is an Eulerian lattice under the set inclusion relation which is neither simplicial nor dual simplicial. In this paper, we are going to look at the structure of

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 $CS(S(B_n))$ and prove it to be Eulerian under ' \subseteq ' relation. $S(B_3)$ is shown in figure 1. We note that $S(B_3)$ contains three copies of B_3 , we call them left copy, right copy and middle copy of $S(B_3)$.

2 Preliminaries

Throughout this section CS(L), the collection of all convex sublattices of a lattice L including empty set is equipped with the partial order of set inclusion relation.

Definition 2.1 Möbius function

The **Möbius** function μ on a finite graded poset *P* is an integer-valued function defined on *P* × *P*

by the formulae:
$$\mu(x, y) = \begin{cases} 1, & ifx = y; \\ 0, & ifx \neq y; \\ \sum_{-x \le z < y} \mu(x, z), & ifx < y \end{cases}$$

An equivalent definition for an Eulerian poset is as follows:

Definition 2.2 Eulerian poset

A finite graded poset *P* is said to be *Eulerian* if its Möbius function assumes the value

$$\mu(x, y) = (-1)^{r(y) - r(x)} \forall x \le y \text{ in } P$$

Lemma 2.3 [8]

A finite graded poset *P* is Eulerian if and only if all intervals [x, y] of length *P* contain an equal number of elements of odd and even rank.

Definition 2.5 Simplicial

A poset *P* is called *Simplicial* if for all $t \neq 1$ in *P*, [0, t] is a Boolean algebra and *P*

is called *Dual Simplicial* if for all $t \neq 0$ in *P*, [t, 1] is a Boolean algebra.

Lemma 2.6[1]

Let *L* and *K* be any two lattices. Then $CS(L \times K) \cong [(CS(L) - \phi \times (CS(K) - \phi)] \cup \phi$.

Lemma 2.7 [15]

Let B_n be a Boolean lattice of rank n. Then $CS(B_n)$ is a dual simplicial Eulerian lattice.

We note that any interval of an Eulerian lattice is Eulerian and an Eulerian lattice cannot contain a three element chain as an interval. For any undefined term we refer to[2], [11] and [12].

3 The Eulerian property of the lattice $CS(S(S(B_n)))$

Lemma

For $n \ge 1$, we have

$$1 + \left[\binom{n}{1} + 2\right] + \left[2\binom{n}{1} + \binom{n}{2}\right] + \left[2\binom{n}{2} + \binom{n}{3}\right] + \dots + 2\binom{n}{n-2} + \binom{n}{n-1} + 2\binom{n}{n-1} + 1 = 3 \cdot 2^n - 2.$$

Theorem

 $CS[S(S(B_n))]$, the lattice of convex sublattices of $S(S(B_n))$ with respect to the set inclusion relation is an Eulerian lattice.

Proof.

We first note that, the number of elements of ranks $0,1,2, \dots, n+1$ in $S(B_n)$ are, $1,2+\binom{n}{1}, 2\binom{n}{1} + \binom{n}{2}, 2\binom{n}{2} + \binom{n}{3}, \dots, 2\binom{n}{n-2} + \binom{n}{n-1}, 2\binom{n}{n-1}$, 1 respectively.

The number of elements of ranks $0,1,2, \dots, n+2$ in $S[S(B_n)]$ are, $1,2 + \binom{n}{1}, 2 + \binom{n}{1} + 2,2\binom{n}{1}+2]+2\binom{n}{1}+\binom{n}{2},2[2\binom{n}{1}+\binom{n}{2}]+2\binom{n}{2}+\binom{n}{3},2[2\binom{n}{2}+\binom{n}{3}]+2\binom{n}{3}+\binom{n}{4}, \dots, 2[2\binom{n}{n-2}+\binom{n}{n-12}]+2\binom{n}{n-1},2[2\binom{n}{n-1}],1$ respectively.

It is clear that the rank of $CS[S(S(B_n))]$, is n + 3.

We are going to prove that $CS[S(S(B_n))]$ is Eulerian.

That is, to prove that this interval $[\phi, S(S(B_n))]$ has the same number of elements of odd and even rank.

Let A_i be the number of elements of rank *i* in $CS[S(S(B_n))]$, $i = 1, 2, \dots, n+2$.

 A_1 = The number of singleton convex sublattices of $S[S(B_n)]$

$$=1 + 2 + \binom{n}{1}, +2 + \binom{n}{1} + 2 + 2\binom{n}{1} + 2] + 2\binom{n}{1} + \binom{n}{2} + 2[2\binom{n}{1} + \binom{n}{2}] + 2\binom{n}{2} + \binom{n}{3} + 2[2\binom{n}{2} + \binom{n}{3}] + 2\binom{n}{3} + \binom{n}{4} + \dots + 2[2\binom{n}{n-2} + \binom{n}{n-12}] + 2\binom{n}{n-1} + 2[2\binom{n}{n-1}] + 1 \dots (3.2.1)$$

 A_2 = The number of elements of rank 2 in $S[S(B_n)]$

=The number of edges in $S[S(B_n)]$

=The number of edges containing 0+ number of edges with an atom at the bottom + the number of edges from the rank 2 elements + \cdots + the number of edges with a coatom of $S[S(B_n)]$ at the bottom.

Number of edges containing 0 is $2 + \binom{n}{1} + 2$

Number of edges with an extreme atom at the bottom= $\binom{n}{1} + 2$ There are 2 extreme atoms, therefore total number of such edges = $2\left[\binom{n}{1} + 2\right]$.

From the atom of the left copy of middle copy, the number of edges= $2[\binom{n}{1} + 2]$. There are totally $2[\binom{n}{1} + 2]$ edges from the extreme atoms of the middle copy.

Now, to find the number of edges from an atom of the middle of the middle copy.

Let x be an atom in the middle copy, then $[x, 1] \simeq S[S(B_{\{n-1\}})]$

Therefore, the total number of edges from an atom at the middle copy = $2 + \binom{n-1}{1} + 2$. There are totally $\binom{n}{1}$ atoms in the middle of the middle copy.

Therefore, the number of edges with an atom at the bottom in the middle of the middle $\operatorname{copy}\binom{n}{1}\left[2 + \binom{n-1}{1} + 2\right]$.

Hence, the number of edges with an atom at the bottom is $2\binom{n}{1} + 2 + 2\binom{n}{1} + 2 + \binom{n}{1} + 2 + \binom{n}{1} + 2 = \binom{n}{1} + 2$

Now to find, the number of edges with an element of rank 2 at the bottom.

Let x be a rank 2 element in the left copy. Then $[x, 1] \simeq$ $\begin{cases} B_n & \text{if } x \in \text{extreme copies of left copy of } S(S(B_n)) \\ S(B_{\{n-1\}}) & \text{if } x \in \text{middle copy of left copy of } S(S(B_n)) \end{cases}$

If $[x, 1] \simeq B_n$, There are $\binom{n}{1}$ edges in both extreme copies. Totally, $2\binom{n}{1}$ edges are there.

If $[x, 1] \simeq S(B_{\{n-1\}})$, the number of edges from x is $\binom{n-1}{1} + 2$. There $\operatorname{are}\binom{n}{1}$ such elements, therefore, totally $\binom{n}{1} [\binom{n-1}{1} + 2]$ edges in the middle of the left copy of $S(S(B_n))$. Therefore, the number of edges with an element of rank 2 at the bottom in the left copy $= 2\binom{n}{1} + \binom{n}{1} [\binom{n-1}{1} + 2]$. Similarly, the number of edges with an element of rank 2 at the bottom in the right copy $= 2\binom{n}{1} + \binom{n}{1} [\binom{n-1}{1} + 2]$.

Let x be a rank 2 element in the middle copy.

Then,
$$[x, 1] \simeq \begin{cases} S(B_{\{n-1\}}) & \text{if } x \in \text{extreme copies of middle copy of } S(S(B_n)) \\ S(S(B_{\{n-2\}}) & \text{if } x \in \text{middle copy of middle copy of } S(S(B_n)) \end{cases}$$

If $[x, 1] \simeq S(B_{\{n-1\}})$, the number of edges from x is $\binom{n-1}{1} + 2$. There are $2\binom{n}{1}$ such elements in both extreme copies. Totally, $2\binom{n}{1} [\binom{n-1}{1} + 2]$ edges.

If $[x, 1] \simeq S(S(B_{\{n-2\}}))$, the number of edges from x is $2 + \binom{n-2}{1} + 2$. There are $\binom{n}{2}$ such elements, therefore, totally $\binom{n}{2} [2 + \binom{n-2}{1} + 2]$ edges in the middle of the middle copy of $S(S(B_n))$. Therefore, the number of edges with an element of rank 2 at the bottom in the middle copy is $2[\binom{n}{1}\binom{n-1}{1} + 1] + \binom{n}{2}[2 + \binom{n-2}{1} + 2]$ edges.

Hence, total number of edges from a rank 2 element is $2\left[2\binom{n}{1} + \binom{n}{1}\left[\binom{n-1}{1} + 2\right]\right] + 2\binom{n}{1}\left[\binom{n-1}{1} + 2\right] + \binom{n}{2}\left[2 + \binom{n-2}{1} + 2\right].$

Now to find, the number of edges with an element of rank 3 at the bottom.

Let x be a rank 3 element in the extreme copies in the left copy of $S(S(B_n))$.

$$[x,1] \simeq \begin{cases} B_{n-1} \text{ if } x \in \text{ extreme copies of left copy of } S(S(B_n)) \\ S(B_{\{n-2\}}) \text{ if } x \in \text{ middle copy of left copy of } S(S(B_n)) \end{cases}$$

If $[x, 1] \simeq B_{\{n-1\}}$, the number of edges from x is $\binom{n-1}{1}$. There are $2\binom{n}{1}$ such x's in both extreme copies. Totally, $2\binom{n}{1}\binom{n-1}{1}$ edges from such x's in the extreme copies of left copy.

If $[x, 1] \simeq S(B_{\{n-2\}})$, then the number of edges from x is $\binom{n-2}{1} + 2$

There are $\binom{n}{2}$ such elements *x*, therefore, totally $\binom{n}{2} [\binom{n-2}{1} + 2]$ edges from *x*'s in middle of the left copy of $S(S(B_n))$. Therefore, the number of edges with an element of rank 3 at the bottom in the left copy is, $2\binom{n}{1}\binom{n-1}{1} + \binom{n}{2} [\binom{n-2}{1} + 2]$. Similarly, the total number of edges from a rank 3 element in the right copy is $2\binom{n}{1}\binom{n-1}{1} + \binom{n}{2} [\binom{n-2}{1} + 2]$.

Let *x* be a rank 3 element in the middle copy of $(S(B_n))$.

$$[x,1] \simeq \begin{cases} S(B_{\{n-2\}}) & \text{if } x \in extreme \ copies \ of \ middle \ copy \ of \ S(S(B_n)) \\ S(S(B_{\{n-3\}}) & \text{if } x \in middle \ copy \ of \ middle \ copy \ of \ S(S(B_n)) \end{cases}$$

If $[x, 1] \simeq S(B_{\{n-2\}})$, the number of edges from x is $\binom{n-2}{1} + 2$. There are $2\binom{n}{2}$ such elements in both extreme copies. Totally, $2\binom{n}{2} [\binom{n-1}{1} + 2]$ edges.

If $[x, 1] \approx S(S(B_{\{n-2\}}))$, the number of edges from x is $2 + \binom{n-3}{1} + 2$. There are $\binom{n}{3}$ such elements, therefore, totally $\binom{n}{3} [2 + \binom{n-3}{1} + 2]$ edges in the middle of the middle copy of $S(S(B_n))$. Therefore, the number of edges with an element of rank 3 at the bottom in the middle copy is $2[\binom{n}{2}(\binom{n-2}{1} + 1)] + \binom{n}{3}[2 + \binom{n-3}{1} + 2]$ edges.

Hence, total number of edges from a rank 3 element is $2\{2\binom{n}{1}\binom{n-1}{1} + \binom{n}{2}[\binom{n-2}{1} + 2]\} + 2[\binom{n}{2}(\binom{n-2}{1} + 1)] + \binom{n}{3}[2 + \binom{n-3}{1} + 2].$

Let x be a rank 4 element in the extreme copies in the left copy of $S(S(B_n))$.

$$[x,1] \simeq \begin{cases} B_{n-2} \text{ if } x \in \text{ extreme copies of left copy of } S(S(B_n)) \\ S(B_{\{n-3\}}) \text{ if } x \in \text{ middle copy of left copy of } S(S(B_n)) \end{cases}$$

If $[x, 1] \simeq B_{\{n-2\}}$, the number of edges from x is $\binom{n-2}{1}$. There are $2\binom{n}{2}$ such x's in both extreme copies. Totally, $2\binom{n}{2}\binom{n-2}{1}$ edges from such x's in the extreme copies of left copy.

If $[x, 1] \simeq S(B_{\{n-3\}})$, then the number of edges from x is $\binom{n-3}{1} + 2$

There are $\binom{n}{3}$ such elements *x*, therefore, totally $\binom{n}{3} [\binom{n-3}{1} + 2]$ edges from *x*'s in middle of the left copy of $S(S(B_n))$. Therefore, the number of edges with an element of rank 3 at the bottom in the left copy is, $2\binom{n}{2} \binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n}{3} [\binom{n-3}{1} + 2]$. Similarly, the total number of edges from a rank 3 element in the right copy is $2\binom{n}{2} \binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n}{3} [\binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n}{3}] \binom{n-3}{1} + 2]$.

Let x be a rank 4 element in the middle copy of $(S(B_n))$.

$$[x,1] \simeq \begin{cases} S(B_{\{n-3\}}) \text{ if } x \in \text{ extreme copies of middle copy of } S(S(B_n)) \\ S(S(B_{\{n-4\}}) \text{ if } x \in \text{ middle copy of middle copy of } S(S(B_n)) \end{cases}$$

If $[x, 1] \simeq S(B_{\{n-3\}})$, the number of edges from x is $\binom{n-3}{1} + 2$. There are $2\binom{n}{3}$ such elements in both extreme copies. Totally, $2\binom{n}{3} \lfloor \binom{n-3}{1} + 2 \rfloor$ edges.

If $[x, 1] \simeq S(S(B_{\{n-4\}}))$, the number of edges from x is $2 + \binom{n-4}{1} + 2$. There are $\binom{n}{4}$ such elements, therefore, totally $\binom{n}{4} [2 + \binom{n-4}{1} + 2]$ edges in the middle of the middle copy of $S(S(B_n))$. Therefore, the number of edges with an element of rank 4 at the bottom in the middle copy is $2\binom{n}{3} [\binom{n-3}{1} + 2] + \binom{n}{4} [2 + \binom{n-4}{1} + 2]$ edges.

Hence, total number of edges from a rank 4 element is $2\left\{2\binom{n}{2}\binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n}{3}\left[\binom{n-3}{1} + 2\right]\right\} + 2\binom{n}{3}\left[\binom{n-3}{1} + 2\right] + \binom{n}{4}\left[2 + \binom{n-4}{1} + 2\right].$

Hence, we get, the total number of edges in $S(S(B_n))$ is, $A_2=2 + \binom{n}{1} + 2+2\binom{n}{1} + 2 \end{bmatrix} + 2\binom{n}{1} + 2\binom{n}{1} + 2 + 2\binom{n}{1} + 2\binom{n}{1} + 2 + 2\binom{n}{1} + 2\binom{n$

 A_3 = The number of 4 element convex sublattices in $S[S(B_n)]$

= The number of B_2 's in $S[S(B_n)]$

=The number of 4 element convex sublattices containing 0+ number of 4 element convex sublattices containing an atom at the bottom + the number of 4 element convex sublattices containing a rank 2 element at the bottom + \cdots + The number of 4 element convex sublattices containing a rank *n* element at the bottom in $S(S(B_n))$.

The number of 4 element convex sublattices in $S(S(B_n))$ containing 0 as the bottom element is, $2\binom{n}{1} + 2 + 2\binom{n}{1} + \binom{n}{2}$.

Next, we find the number of 4 element convex sublattices containing an atom as the bottom element.

Fix an atom $\in S(S(B_n))$, If x is the bottom element of the left copy of $S(S(B_n))$, then $[x, 1] \simeq S(B_n)$.

Therefore, the number of B_2 's containing x at the bottom is $2\binom{n}{1} + \binom{n}{2}$. Similarly, The number of B_2 's containing the bottom element of the right copy is $2\binom{n}{1} + \binom{n}{2}$.

Let x be an atom in the middle copy, then $[x, 1] \simeq$ $\begin{cases} S(B_n) \text{ if } x \in \text{ extreme copies of middle copy of } S(S(B_n)) \\ S(S(B_{\{n-1\}})) \text{ if } x \in \text{ middle copy of middle copy of } S(S(B_n)) \end{cases}$

If $[x, 1] \simeq S(B_{\{n\}})$, the number of B_2 's from an atom at the middle copy $= 2\binom{n}{1} + \binom{n}{2}$. There are 2 extreme copies. Totally, $2(2\binom{n}{1} + \binom{n}{2})$. B_2 's.

If $[x, 1] \simeq S(S(B_{\{n-1\}}))$, the number of B_2 's from x is $2[\binom{n-2}{1}+2]+2\binom{n-2}{1}+\binom{n-2}{2}$.

There are $\binom{n}{1}$ such elements, therefore, totally $\binom{n}{1} \left[2\left[\binom{n-2}{1}+2\right]+2\binom{n-2}{1}+\binom{n-2}{2}\right]$ edges in the middle of the middle copy of $S(S(B_n))$.

Therefore, the total number of B_2 's from an atom at the bottom $= 2\{2\binom{n}{1} + \binom{n}{2}\} + \binom{n}{1}$ $[2[\binom{n-2}{1}+2]+2\binom{n-2}{1}+\binom{n-2}{2}]$. Totally, $2\{2\binom{n}{1}+\binom{n}{2}\}+2\{2\binom{n}{1}+\binom{n}{2}\}+\binom{n}{1}[2[\binom{n-2}{1}+\binom{n-2}{2}]+2\binom{n-2}{1}+\binom{n-2}{2}]B_2$'s.

Now to find, the number of B_2 's s with an element of rank 2 at the bottom.

Let x be a rank 2 element in the left copy. Then $[x, 1] \simeq$ $\begin{cases} B_n & \text{if } x \in extreme \ copies \ of \ left \ copy \ of \ S(S(B_n)) \\ S(B_{\{n-1\}}) & \text{if } x \in middle \ copy \ of \ left \ copy \ of \ S(S(B_n)) \end{cases}$

If $[x, 1] \simeq B_n$, There are $\binom{n}{2} B_2$'s in both extreme copies. Totally, $2\binom{n}{2} B_2$'s are there.

If $[x, 1] \simeq S(B_{\{n-1\}})$, the number of B_2 's from x is $2\binom{n-1}{1} + \binom{n-1}{2}$. There are $\binom{n}{1}$ such elements, therefore, totally $\binom{n}{1} \left[2\binom{n-1}{1} + \binom{n-1}{2} \right] B_2$'s in the middle of the left copy of $S(S(B_n))$.

Therefore, the number of B_2 's with an element of rank 2 at the bottom in the left copy $= 2\binom{n}{2} + \binom{n}{1}\left[2\binom{n-1}{1} + \binom{n-1}{2}\right]$. Similarly, the number of B_2 's with an element of rank 2 at the bottom in the right copy $= 2\binom{n}{2} + \binom{n}{1}\left[2\binom{n-1}{1} + \binom{n-1}{2}\right]$.

Let x be a rank 2 element in the middle copy.

Then,
$$[x, 1] \simeq \begin{cases} S(B_{\{n-1\}}) & \text{if } x \in extreme \ copies \ of \ middle \ copy \ of \ S(S(B_n)) \\ S(S(B_{\{n-2\}}) & \text{if } x \in middle \ copy \ of \ middle \ copy \ of \ S(S(B_n)) \end{cases}$$

If $[x, 1] \simeq S(B_{\{n-1\}})$, the number of B_2 's from x is $2\binom{n-1}{1} + \binom{n-1}{2}$. There are 2 such extreme copies. Totally, $2\binom{n}{1} \binom{2\binom{n-1}{1}}{1} + \binom{n-1}{2}$ edges.

If $[x, 1] \simeq S\left(S\left(B_{\{n-2\}}\right)\right)$, the number of B_2 's from x is $2\binom{n-2}{1} + 2 + 2\binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n-1}{1}$. There are $\binom{n}{2}$ such elements, therefore, totally $\binom{n}{2} \left[2\binom{n-2}{1} + 2 + 2\binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n-1}{1}\right]$ edges in the middle of the middle copy of $S(S(B_n))$. Therefore, the number of B_2 's with an element of rank 2 at the bottom in the middle copy is $2\left\{\binom{n}{1}\left[2\binom{n-1}{1} + \binom{n-1}{2}\right]\right\} + \binom{n}{2}\left[2\binom{n-2}{1} + 2 + 2\binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n-1}{1}\right]$ edges.

Hence, total number of B_2 's from a rank 2 element is $2[2\binom{n}{2} + \binom{n}{1}[2\binom{n-1}{1} + \binom{n-1}{2}] + 2\{\binom{n}{1}[2\binom{n-1}{1} + \binom{n-1}{2}] + \binom{n}{2}[2\binom{n-2}{1} + 2 + 2\binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n-1}{1}].$

Now to find, the number of B_2 's with an element of rank 3 at the bottom.

Let x be a rank 3 element in the extreme copies in the left copy of $S(S(B_n))$.

$$[x,1] \simeq \begin{cases} B_{n-1} \text{ if } x \in \text{ extreme copies of left copy of } S(S(B_n)) \\ S(B_{\{n-2\}}) \text{ if } x \in \text{ middle copy of left copy of } S(S(B_n)) \end{cases}$$

If $[x, 1] \simeq B_{\{n-1\}}$, the number of B_2 's from x is $\binom{n-1}{2}$. There are $2\binom{n-1}{2}$ such x's in both extreme copies. Totally, $2\binom{n-1}{2}B_2$'s from such x's in the extreme copies of left copy.

If $[x, 1] \simeq S(B_{\{n-2\}})$, then the number of B_2 's from x is $2\binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n-2}{2}$

There are $\binom{n}{2}$ such elements *x*, therefore, totally $\binom{n}{2} [2\binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n-2}{2}] B_2$'s from *x*'s in middle of the left copy of $S(S(B_n))$. Therefore, the number of B_2 's with an element of rank 3 at the bottom in the left copy is, $2\binom{n}{1}\binom{n-1}{2} + \binom{n}{2} [2\binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n-2}{2}]$. Similarly, the total number of B_2 's from a rank 3 element in the right copy is $2\binom{n}{1}\binom{n-1}{2} + \binom{n}{2} [2\binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n-2}{2}]$.

Let *x* be a rank 3 element in the middle copy of $(S(B_n))$.

$$[x,1] \simeq \begin{cases} S(B_{\{n-2\}}) & \text{if } x \in extreme \ copies \ of \ middle \ copy \ of \ S(S(B_n)) \\ S(S(B_{\{n-3\}}) & \text{if } x \in middle \ copy \ of \ middle \ copy \ of \ S(S(B_n)) \end{cases}$$

If $[x, 1] \simeq S(B_{\{n-2\}})$, the number of B_2 's from x is $2\binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n-2}{2}$. There are $2\binom{n}{2}$ such elements in both extreme copies. Totally, $2\binom{n}{2} [2\binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n-2}{2}]$ edges.

If $[x, 1] \simeq S(S(B_{\{n-2\}}))$, the number of B_2 's s from x is $2[\binom{n-3}{1}+2]+2\binom{n-3}{1}+\binom{n-3}{2}$. There are $\binom{n}{3}$ such elements, therefore, totally $\binom{n}{3}[2[\binom{n-3}{1}+2]+2\binom{n-3}{1}+\binom{n-3}{2}]$ edges in the middle of the middle copy of $S(S(B_n))$. Therefore, the number of B_2 's with an element of rank 3 at the bottom in the middle copy is $2\binom{n}{2}[2\binom{n-2}{1}+\binom{n-2}{2}] + \binom{n}{3}[2[\binom{n-3}{1}+2]+2\binom{n-3}{1}+\binom{n-3}{1}+\binom{n-3}{1}]$ edges.

Hence, total number of B_2 's from a rank 3 element is $2\{2\binom{n}{1}\binom{n-1}{2} + \binom{n}{2}[2\binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n-2}{2}]\} + 2\binom{n}{2}[2\binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n-2}{2}] + \binom{n}{3}[2[\binom{n-3}{1} + 2] + 2\binom{n-3}{1} + \binom{n-3}{2}].$

Hence, $A_3 = 2\left(\binom{n}{1} + 2\right) + 2\binom{n}{1} + \binom{n}{2} + 2\left\{2\binom{n}{1} + \binom{n}{2}\right\} + \binom{n}{1}\left[2\binom{n-2}{1} + 2\right] + 2\binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n-2}{2}\right] + 2\left\{2\binom{n}{1} + \binom{n}{2}\right\} + 2\left\{2\binom{n}{1} + \binom{n}{2}\right\} + \binom{n}{1}\left[2\binom{n-2}{1} + 2\right] + 2\binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n-2}{2}\right] + 2\left[2\binom{n}{2} + \binom{n}{1}\left[2\binom{n-1}{1} + \binom{n-1}{2}\right]\right] + 2\left\{\binom{n}{1}\left[2\binom{n-1}{1} + \binom{n-1}{2}\right]\right\} + \binom{n}{2}\left[2\binom{n-2}{1} + 2\binom{n-2}{1} + 2\binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n-2}{1}\right] + 2\left\{2\binom{n}{1}\binom{n-1}{2} + \binom{n}{2}\left[2\binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n-2}{2}\right]\right\} + 2\left\{\binom{n}{2}\left[2\binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n-2}{2}\right]\right\} + \binom{n}{3}\left[2\binom{n-3}{1} + 2\binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n-3}{1}\right] + 2\binom{n-3}{1} + \binom{n-3}{2} + \binom{n-2}{n-2} + \binom{n}{n-1}\right] + 2\binom{n}{n-1}$

Similar argument will give, $A_4 = 2\left(2\binom{n}{1} + \binom{n}{2}\right) + 2\binom{n}{2} + \binom{n}{3} + 2\left\{2\binom{n}{2} + \binom{n}{3}\right\} + \binom{n}{1}\left[2\left[2\binom{n-1}{1} + \binom{n-1}{2}\right] + 2\binom{n-1}{2} + \binom{n-1}{3}\right] + 2\left\{2\binom{n}{3} + \binom{n}{2}\right\}\left[2\left[\binom{n-2}{1} + 2\right] + 2\binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n-2}{2}\right] + 2\left[2\binom{n}{2} + \binom{n}{1}\left[2\binom{n-1}{1} + \binom{n-1}{2}\right]\right] + 2\left\{\binom{n}{1}\left[2\binom{n-1}{1} + \binom{n-2}{2}\right]\right\} + \binom{n}{2}\left[2\binom{n-2}{1} + 2 + 2\binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n-2}{1}\right] + \binom{n-1}{1}\left[2\binom{n-1}{1} + \binom{n-2}{2}\right]\right\} + 2\left\{\binom{n}{2}\left[2\binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n-2}{2}\right]\right\} + \binom{n}{3}\left[2\binom{n-3}{1} + \binom{n-2}{1}\right] + 2\binom{n-3}{1} + \binom{n-3}{2}\right] + \cdots + 2\left[2\binom{n}{n-2} + \binom{n}{n-1}\right] + \binom{n}{n-1}$ and so on.

Finally, we get $A_{n+2} = 2\left(2\binom{n}{n-1}\right) + 2 + \binom{n}{1} + 2$

Case (i): Suppose that *n* is even.

Therefore, n + 3 is odd. $A_1 - A_2 + A_3 - \dots - A_n + A_{\{n+1\}} - A_{\{n+2\}} + 0$

Case(ii):

Suppose that *n* is odd,

Therefore, n + 3 is even.

$$A_1 - A_2 + A_3 - \dots + A_n - A_{\{n+1\}} + A_{\{n+2\}} = 2.$$

Though in the above theorem we have proved that $CS[S(S(B_n))]$ is Eulerian, it is neither Simplicial nor dual simplicial.

 $CS[S(S(B_n))]$ is not dual simplicial since, the upper interval $[1, S(S(B_n))]$ in $CS[S(S(B_n))]$ contains $4\binom{n}{n-1}$ number of atoms which is greater than n + 2, the rank of $[1, S(S(B_n))]$, implying that $[1, S(S(B_n))]$, is not Boolean.

 $CS[S(S(B_n))]$ is not simplicial since, the lower interval $[\phi, [l_1, 1]]$ where l_1 is the left extreme atom of $S(S(B_n))$ contains $3.2^n - 2$ number of atoms by Lemma 3.1, which cannot be equal to n + 2, the rank of $[\phi, [l_1, 1]]$, implying that $[\phi, [l_1, 1]]$ is not Boolean.

Conclusions

In this paper, we have proved that $CS[S(S(B_n))]$ is an Eulerian lattice under the set inclusion

relation which is neither simplicial nor dual simplicial, if n > 1. We strongly believe that the result proved in this paper, can be extended to more general Eulerian lattices and any other general lattices.

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