

# Commuting graph of a 0-Rees matrix semigroup over a group

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# Commuting graphs of semigroups

Let  $S$  be a finite non-commutative semigroup.

The **commuting graph** of  $S$ , denoted  $\mathcal{G}(S)$ , is the simple graph such that:

- $S \setminus Z(S)$  is the set of vertices, where

$$Z(S) = \{x \in S : xy = yx \text{ for all } y \in S\}.$$

- $\{x, y\}$  is an edge if  $x \neq y$  and  $xy = yx$ .

# Completely 0-simple semigroups

## Theorem (Rees–Suschkewitsch Theorem)

*A semigroup  $S$  is completely 0-simple if and only if there exist a group  $G$ , index sets  $I$  and  $\Lambda$ , and a regular  $\Lambda \times I$  matrix  $P$  with entries from  $G^0$  such that  $S \simeq \mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P]$ .*

## 0-Rees matrix semigroup over a group

Let  $G$  be a group,  $I$  and  $\Lambda$  be index sets, and  $P$  be a regular  $\Lambda \times I$  matrix with entries from  $G^0$ .

Let  $p_{\lambda i}$  be the  $(\lambda, i)$ -th entry of  $P$ .

A **0-Rees matrix semigroup over a group**, denoted  $\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P]$ , is the set  $(I \times G \times \Lambda) \cup \{0\}$  with the multiplication

$$(i, x, \lambda)(j, y, \mu) = \begin{cases} (i, xp_{\lambda j}y, \mu) & \text{if } p_{\lambda j} \neq 0, \\ 0 & \text{if } p_{\lambda j} = 0, \end{cases}$$

$$0(i, x, \lambda) = (i, x, \lambda)0 = 00 = 0.$$

# Zeros are important

## Lemma

Let  $P$  and  $Q$  be regular  $\Lambda \times I$  matrices with entries from  $G^0$ . If for all  $i \in I$  and  $\lambda \in \Lambda$   $p_{\lambda i} = 0$  if and only if  $q_{\lambda i} = 0$ , then the graphs  $\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])$  and  $\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; Q])$  are isomorphic.

## Example

Let  $e, g, h \in G$ .

$$\begin{bmatrix} e & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & g & h \\ e & 0 & g \end{bmatrix}$$



$$\begin{bmatrix} \times & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \times & \times \\ \times & 0 & \times \end{bmatrix}$$

# Reordering columns and rows implies isomorphism

## Lemma

Let  $Q$  be the matrix obtained from  $P$  by reordering the columns and rows of  $P$ . Then the graphs  $\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])$  and  $\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; Q])$  are isomorphic.

## Example

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# $|I| = |\Lambda| = 1$ : characterization of $\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])$

Theorem (P., 2024)

- $\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P] \simeq G^0$ .
- *Suppose that  $G$  is non-abelian. Then the graphs  $\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])$  and  $\mathcal{G}(G)$  are isomorphic.*

## $|I| > 1$ or $|\Lambda| > 1$ , $P$ has no zeros: connectedness

- $Z(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P]) = \{0\}$ .
- $\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P]$  is non-commutative.

### Theorem (P., 2024)

- $\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])$  is not connected.
- The connected components of  $\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])$  are the graphs induced by  $\{i\} \times G \times \{\lambda\}$ ,  $i \in I$ ,  $\lambda \in \Lambda$ .
- Let  $\mathcal{C}$  be a connected component of  $\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])$ . Then

$$\mathcal{C} \simeq \begin{cases} K_{|G|} & \text{if } G \text{ is abelian,} \\ K_{|Z(G)|} \nabla \mathcal{G}(G) & \text{if } G \text{ is non-abelian.} \end{cases}$$



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- $\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P]$  is non-commutative.

Theorem (P., 2024)

$\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])$  is connected if and only if  $P$  cannot be decomposed in one of the following ways

$$\left[ \begin{array}{c} A \\ \hline \times \quad \dots \quad \times \end{array} \right] \quad \left[ \begin{array}{c} A \quad \left| \begin{array}{c} \times \\ \vdots \\ \times \end{array} \right. \end{array} \right] \quad \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} & & & \times & \dots & \times \\ & & & \vdots & & \vdots \\ & & & \vdots & & \vdots \\ & A & & \times & \dots & \times \\ \hline \times & \dots & \times & & & \\ \vdots & & \vdots & & & \\ \vdots & & \vdots & & & \\ \times & \dots & \times & & B & \end{array} \right] .$$

# Identifying if $\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])$ is connected

## Example

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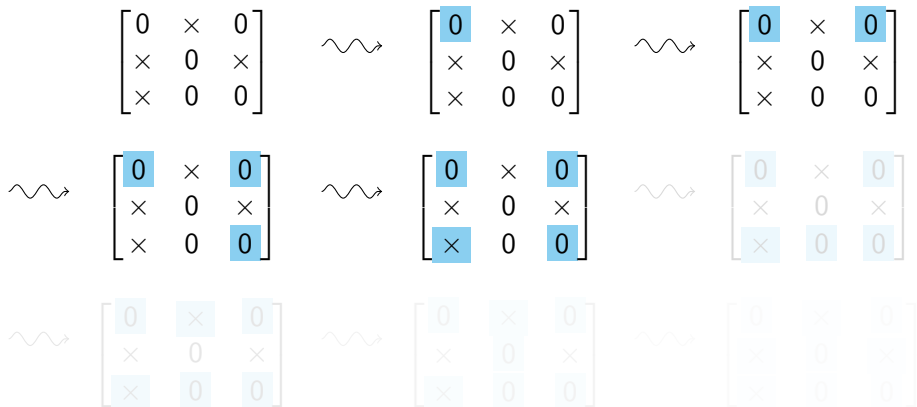
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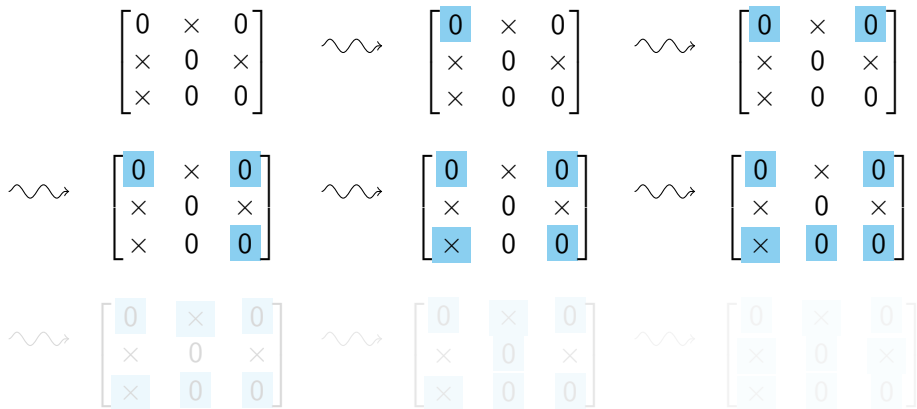
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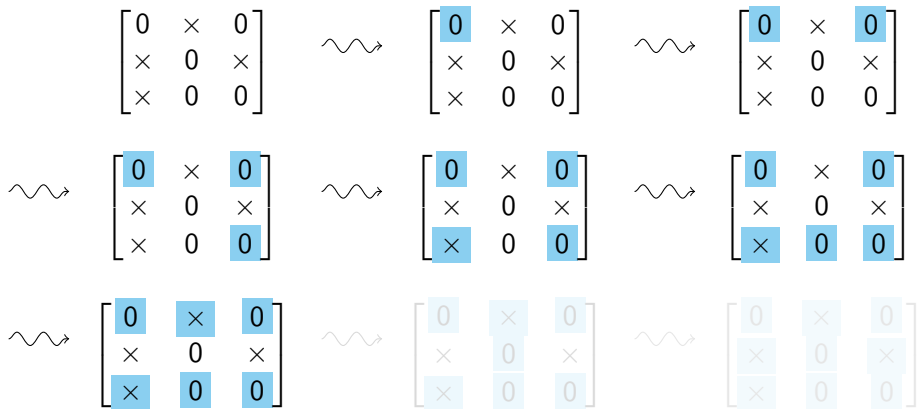
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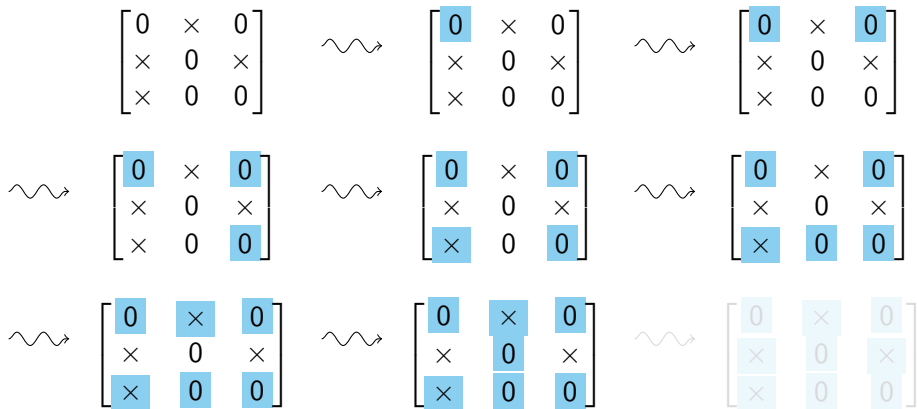
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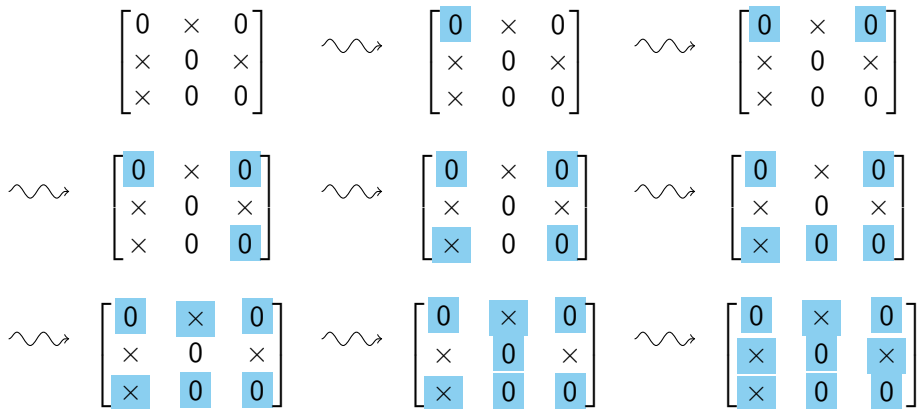
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# Identifying connected components of $\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])$

## Example

	1	2	3	4	5
1	×	×	×	0	×
2	0	×	×	×	×
3	×	0	×	×	×
4	×	0	×	0	×
5	×	×	0	×	0
6	×	×	×	×	0
7	×	×	×	×	×



	1	2	3	4	5
1	×	×	×	0	×
2	0	×	×	×	×
3	×	0	×	×	×
4	×	0	×	0	×
5	×	×	0	×	0
6	×	×	×	×	0
7	×	×	×	×	×

# Identifying connected components of $\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])$

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	1	2	3	4	5
1	x	x	x	0	x
2	0	x	x	x	x
3	x	0	x	x	x
4	x	0	x	0	x
5	x	x	0	x	0
6	x	x	x	x	0
7	x	x	x	x	x




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2	0	x	x	x	x
3	x	0	x	x	x
4	x	0	x	0	x
5	x	x	0	x	0
6	x	x	x	x	0
7	x	x	x	x	x

# Identifying connected components of $\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])$

Example (cont.)




	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>×</b>	<b>0</b>	×	×	×
<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>×</b>	×	×	×
<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	×	×	×
<b>2</b>	×	×	<b>0</b>	×	×
<b>5</b>	×	×	×	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>6</b>	×	×	×	×	<b>0</b>
<b>7</b>	×	×	×	×	×




	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>1</b>	×	<b>0</b>	×	×	×
<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>×</b>	×	×	×
<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	×	×	×
<b>2</b>	×	×	<b>0</b>	×	×
<b>5</b>	×	×	×	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>6</b>	×	×	×	×	<b>0</b>
<b>7</b>	×	×	×	×	×

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5	×	×	×	0	0
6	×	×	×	×	0
7	×	×	×	×	×



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3	0	×	×	×	×
4	0	0	×	×	×
2	×	×	0	×	×
5	×	×	×	0	0
6	×	×	×	×	0
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2	×	×	0	×	×
5	×	×	×	0	0
6	×	×	×	×	0
7	×	×	×	×	×

The subgraph induced by  $\{2, 4\} \times G \times \{1, 3, 4\}$  is a connected component of  $\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])$ .

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5	×	×	×	0	0
6	×	×	×	×	0
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5	×	×	×	0	0
6	×	×	×	×	0
7	×	×	×	×	×

The subgraph induced by  
 $(\{1\} \times G \times \{1, 3, 4\})$   
 $\cup (\{2, 4\} \times G \times \{2\})$  is a  
connected component of  
 $\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])$ .

# Identifying connected components of $\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])$

Example (cont.)

	2	4	1	3	5
1	×	0	×	×	×
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5	×	×	×	0	0
6	×	×	×	×	0
7	×	×	×	×	×

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5	×	×	×	0	0
6	×	×	×	×	0
7	×	×	×	×	×

The subgraph induced by  $\{2\} \times G \times \{7\}$  is a connected component of  $\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])$ .

# Identifying connected components of $\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])$

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4	0	0	×	×	×
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5	×	×	×	0	0
6	×	×	×	×	0
7	×	×	×	×	×

The subgraph induced by  $\{2\} \times G \times \{7\}$  is a connected component of  $\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])$ .

# $|I| > 1$ or $|\Lambda| > 1$ , $P$ has no zeros: clique number

Let  $H = (V, E)$  be a simple graph.

- A **clique** is a subset  $K \subseteq V$  such that  $\{u, v\} \in E$ , for all distinct  $u, v \in K$ . The **clique number** of  $H$ , denoted  $\omega(H)$ , is the largest integer  $r$  such that  $H$  has a clique  $K$  such that  $|K| = r$ .

Theorem (P., 2024)

$$\omega(\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])) = \begin{cases} |G| & \text{if } G \text{ is abelian,} \\ \omega(\mathcal{G}(G)) + |Z(G)| & \text{if } G \text{ is non-abelian.} \end{cases}$$

# $|I| > 1$ or $|\Lambda| > 1$ , $P$ has zeros: clique number

Theorem (P., 2024)

- Suppose that  $G$  is abelian. If

$$\begin{bmatrix} \times & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \times & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \times \end{bmatrix}$$

is a submatrix of  $P$  and

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

are not submatrices of  $P$ , then

$$\omega(\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])) = 3|G|.$$

$|I| > 1$  or  $|\Lambda| > 1$ ,  $P$  has zeros: clique number

Theorem (cont.) (P., 2024)

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is a submatrix of  $P$  and

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

are not submatrices of  $P$ , then

$$\omega(\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])) = 2|G|.$$

$|I| > 1$  or  $|\Lambda| > 1$ ,  $P$  has zeros: clique number

Theorem (cont.) (P., 2024)

- For the remaining cases, we have

$$\omega(\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])) = |G| \cdot \max\{nm : 0_{n \times m} \text{ is a submatrix of } P\}.$$



$|I| > 1$  or  $|\Lambda| > 1$ ,  $P$  has no zeros: girth

Let  $H = (V, E)$  be a simple graph.

- The **girth** of  $H$ , denoted  $\text{girth}(H)$ , is the length of a shortest cycle contained in  $H$ .

Theorem (P., 2024)

- If  $|G| \leq 2$ , then  $\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])$  has no cycles.
- If  $|G| \geq 3$ , then  $\text{girth}(\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])) = 3$ .

$|I| > 1$  or  $|\Lambda| > 1$ ,  $P$  has zeros: girth

Theorem (P., 2024)

- Suppose that  $|G| \geq 3$ . Then

$$\text{girth}(\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])) = 3.$$

- Suppose that  $|G| = 2$ . If  $P$  contains only one zero entry, then  $\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])$  has no cycles.
- Suppose that  $|G| = 2$ . If  $P$  contains more than one zero entry, then

$$\text{girth}(\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])) = 3.$$

$|I| > 1$  or  $|\Lambda| > 1$ ,  $P$  has zeros: girth

Theorem (cont.) (P., 2024)

- Suppose that  $|G| = 1$ . If

$$\begin{array}{cccc} [0 & 0 & 0] & \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} \times & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \times & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \times \end{bmatrix} \\ [0 & 0 & \times & \times] & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \times \\ 0 & \times \\ \times & 0 \\ \times & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & \times \\ \times & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \times \\ 0 & 0 \\ \times & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{array}$$

are not submatrices of  $P$ , then  $\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])$  has no cycles.

$|I| > 1$  or  $|\Lambda| > 1$ ,  $P$  has zeros: girth

Theorem (cont.) (P., 2024)

- Suppose that  $|G| = 1$ . If at least one of the matrices

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is a submatrix of  $P$ , then

$$\text{girth}(\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])) = 3.$$

$|I| > 1$  or  $|\Lambda| > 1$ ,  $P$  has zeros: girth

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is a submatrix of  $P$  and

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are not submatrices of  $P$ , then

$$\text{girth}(\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])) = 4.$$

# $|I| > 1$ or $|\Lambda| > 1$ , $P$ has no zeros: chromatic number

Let  $H = (V, E)$  be a simple graph.

- The **chromatic number** of  $H$ , denoted  $\chi(H)$ , is the minimum number of colours necessary to colour the vertices of  $H$  in such a way that no adjacent vertices have the same colour.

Theorem (P., 2024)

$$\chi(\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])) = \begin{cases} |G| & \text{if } G \text{ is abelian,} \\ \chi(\mathcal{G}(G)) + |Z(G)| & \text{if } G \text{ is non-abelian.} \end{cases}$$

# $|I| > 1$ or $|\Lambda| > 1$ , $P$ has no zeros: knit degree

Let  $S$  be a finite non-commutative semigroup.

- A path  $a_1 - a_2 - \dots - a_k$  in  $\mathcal{G}(S)$  is called a **left path** if  $a_1 \neq a_k$  and  $a_1 a_i = a_k a_i$ , for all  $i \in \{1, \dots, k\}$ .
- Suppose  $\mathcal{G}(S)$  has a left path. The **knit degree** of  $S$ , denoted  $\text{kd}(S)$ , is the length of a shortest left path in  $\mathcal{G}(S)$ .

Theorem (P., 2024)

$\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])$  contains no left paths.

$|I| > 1$  or  $|\Lambda| > 1$ ,  $P$  has zeros: knit degree

Theorem (P., 2024)

- Suppose that  $|G| = 1$ . If

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

are not submatrices of  $P$ , then  $\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])$  has no left paths.

- For the remaining cases, we have

$$kd(\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P])) = 1.$$



# Completely 0-simple semigroups

## Theorem (Rees–Suschkewitsch Theorem)

*A semigroup  $S$  is completely 0-simple if and only if there exist a group  $G$ , index sets  $I$  and  $\Lambda$ , and a regular  $\Lambda \times I$  matrix  $P$  with entries from  $G^0$  such that  $S \simeq \mathcal{M}_0[G; I, \Lambda; P]$ .*

# Commuting graph of completely 0-simple semigroups

## Theorem (P., 2024)

- *For each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , there is a completely 0-simple semigroup whose commuting graph has clique number equal to  $n$ .*
- *For each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , there is a completely 0-simple semigroup whose commuting graph has chromatic number equal to  $n$ .*
- *For each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , there is a completely 0-simple semigroup whose commuting graph has diameter greater than  $n$ .*
- *Let  $S$  be a finite non-commutative completely 0-simple semigroup. Then  $\mathcal{G}(S)$  has no cycles or the girth of  $\mathcal{G}(S)$  is either 3 or 4.*
- *Let  $S$  be a finite non-commutative completely 0-simple semigroup. Then  $\mathcal{G}(S)$  has no left paths or the knit degree of  $\mathcal{G}(S)$  is 1.*

**Thank you!**