

# (Projective) Subdynamics of Multidimensional Subshifts, part II.

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# Summary

What happened yesterday (between 15:00 and 16:00) ?

- ▶ Difficulty to characterize soficness in higher dimension
- ▶ Projective subdynamics and subactions of sofic subshifts ?
- ▶ Hochman's result

## Theorem (Hochman 2008)

- Any effective  $\mathbb{Z}^d$ -subshift may be obtained as the subaction of a  $\mathbb{Z}^{d+2}$  sofic subshift.
- Any effective  $\mathbb{Z}^d$  dynamical system may be obtained as the subaction of a  $\mathbb{Z}^{d+2}$  sofic subshift.

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There might be a conter-example based on quasi-sturmian words !

$\rightsquigarrow$  see M. Sablik's talk.

# Outline

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  - Substitutive subshifts
  - Hochman's proof
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# Substitutive subshifts

We consider only *rectangular substitutions* on a finite alphabet  $A$ .

If  $s$  is such a substitution, the  *$s$ -patterns* are the  $s^n(a)$  for every letter  $a$  and every integer  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  (if they are well-defined).

## Definition

Let  $s$  be a rectangular substitution on  $A$ . Then the *substitutive subshift generated by  $s$*  is

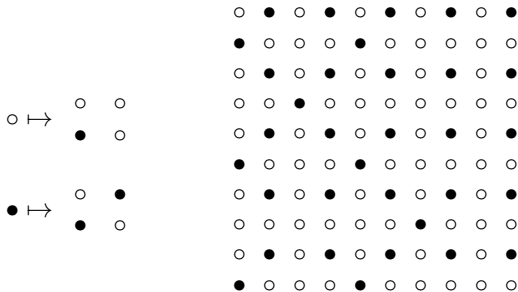
$$X_s = \left\{ x \in A^{\mathbb{Z}^2} : \text{every pattern of } x \text{ is a } s\text{-pattern} \right\}.$$

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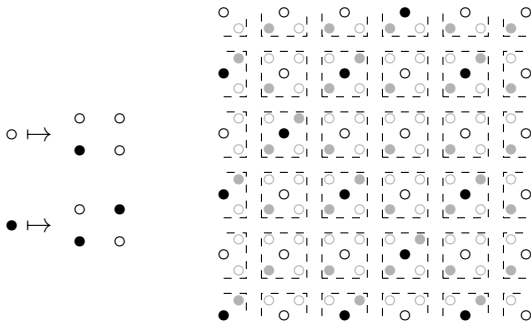


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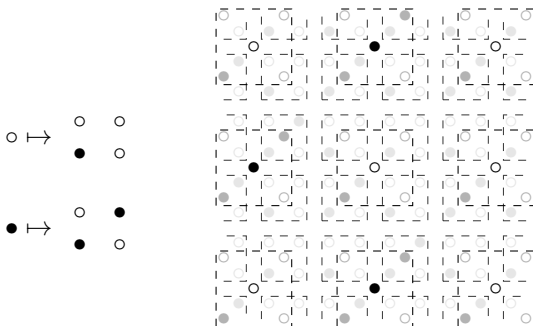


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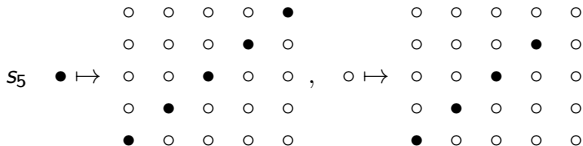
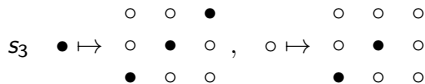
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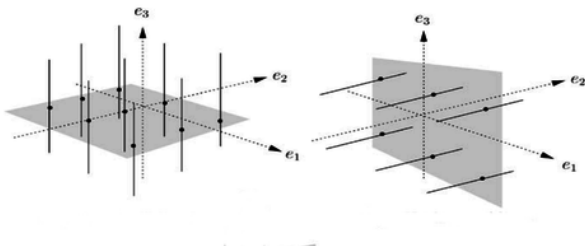


Mozes' result  $\Rightarrow$  2D *sofic subshifts*  $W_3$  and  $W_5$ .

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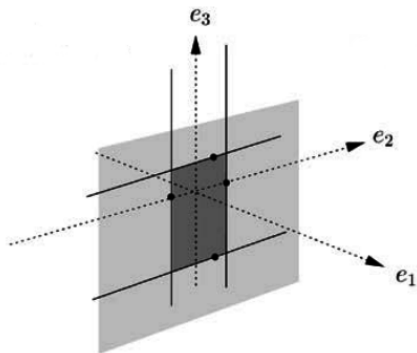
Identical copies of  $W_3$  along direction  $\vec{e}_3$  and of  $W_5$  along  $\vec{e}_2$

- ▶ Copies of  $W_3$  produce *vertical lines*
- ▶ Copies of  $W_3$  produce *horizontal lines*



# Hochman's proof: a 3D construction

Thus some rectangles appear !



And all rectangles are the same on one plane.

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These rectangles have good properties

- there are only finitely many planes with infinite rectangles
- each set  $[k, k + n]\vec{e}_2$  will appear in arbitrarily large rectangles

Thus if  $\mathcal{M}$  is a TM that enumerates  $F$

- we can put calculations of  $\mathcal{M}$  (real time Turing machine) in each rectangle
- each time a forbidden pattern is produced, its presence is checked inside the rectangle
- rectangles repartition  $\Rightarrow \mathbb{Z}\vec{e}_2$  is entirely scanned

$\Rightarrow$  The subshift  $X_F$  exactly appears on  $\mathbb{Z}\vec{e}_2$ .

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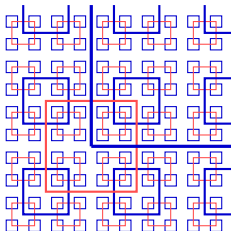
Two independent proofs

- the first one is based on *self-similar tilings*
- the second one uses *Robinson like* techniques



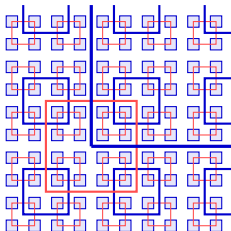
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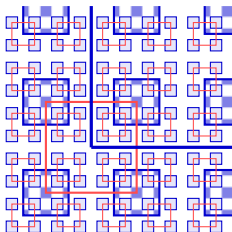
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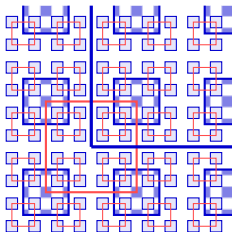
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**But...**

- Computation zones are squares !
- How to solve the *disconnected tape* problem ?

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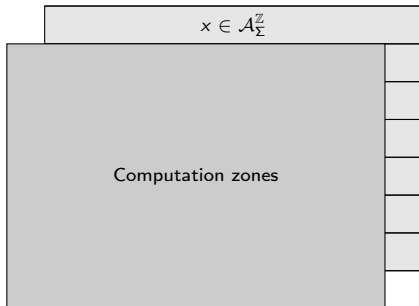
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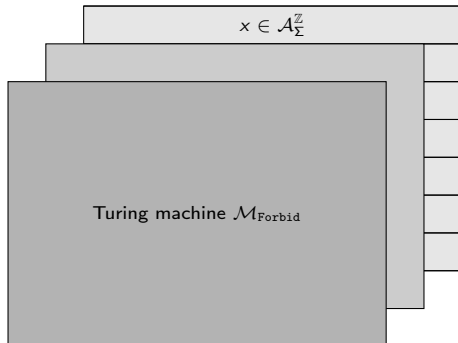
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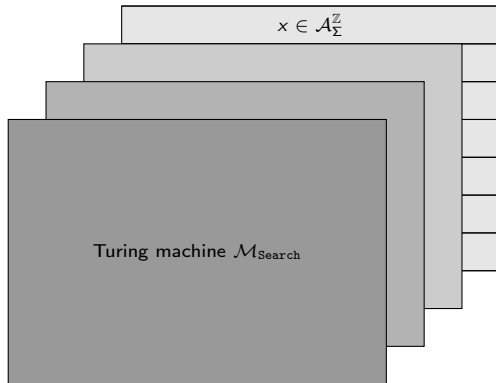




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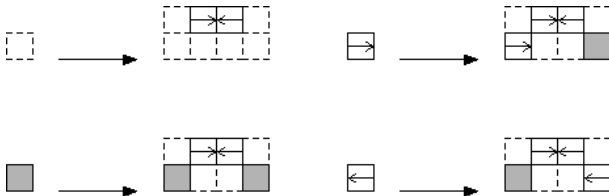
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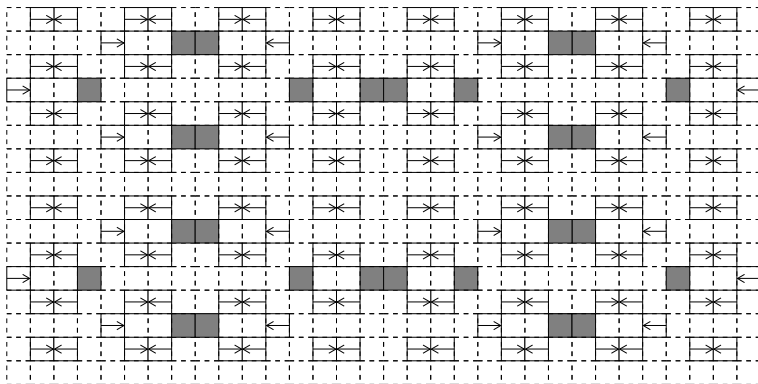


Substitution rules of  $s_{\text{Grid}}$  :



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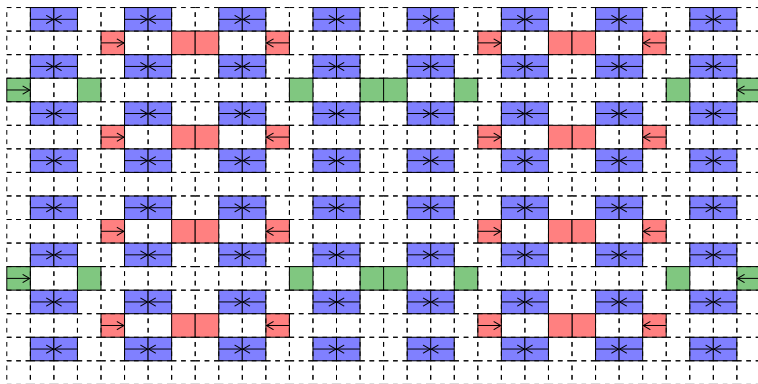
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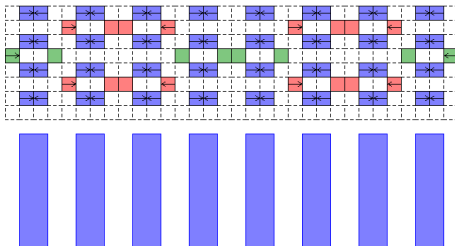
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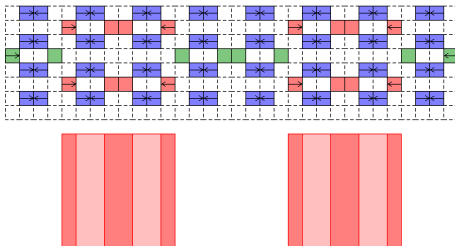


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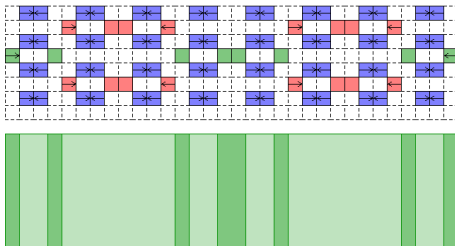


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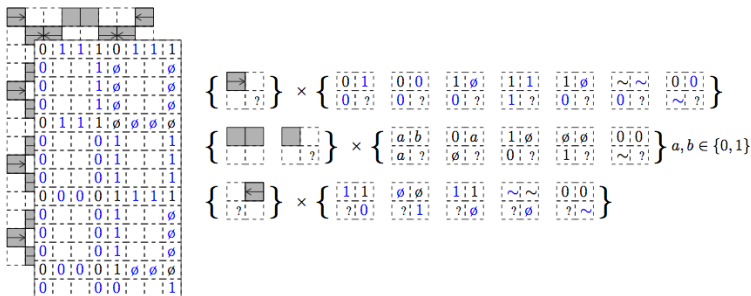
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## Layer 2: the clock

To initialize calculations we code a clock by local rules



In a level  $n$  stripe, calculations are initialized every  $2^{2^n}$  steps of calculation.

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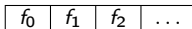
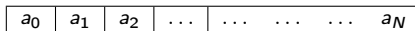
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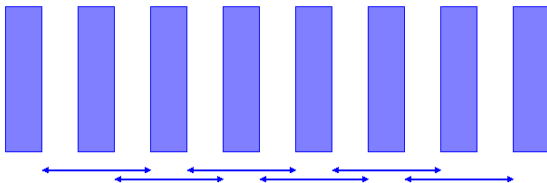
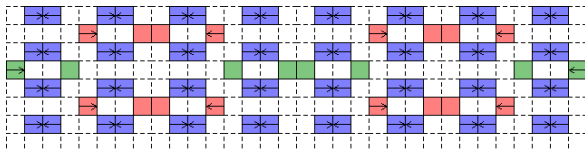
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- to get symbol  $a_k$  from level 1,  $\mathcal{M}_{\text{Forbid}}$  is helped by  $\mathcal{M}_{\text{Search}}$ :  
 $\mathcal{M}_{\text{Forbid}}$  gives the address  $k$  and gets  $a_k$ .

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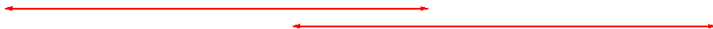
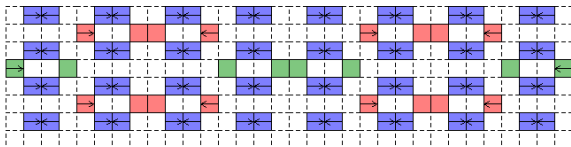
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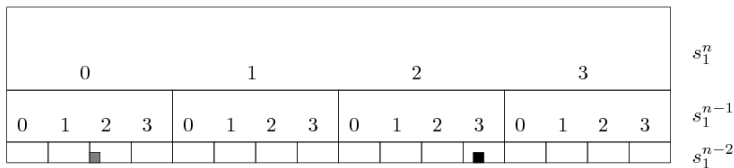


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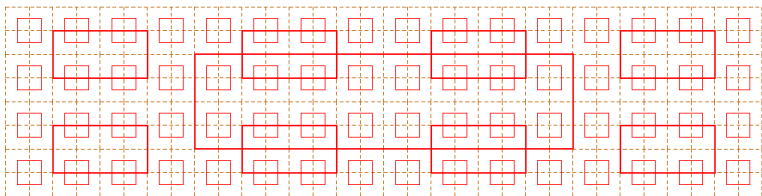
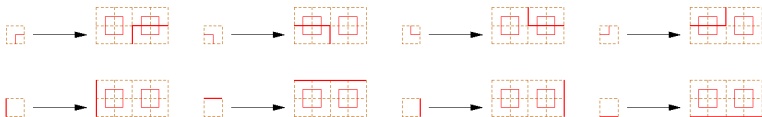
Given a computation stripe of level  $n$ , each symbol is given an address, and this address is compatible with addresses of levels  $n - 1$  and  $n + 1$ .



The address of ■ is 231 and the address of ■ is 020.

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With a new alphabet  $\mathcal{G}_2$ , we construct *communication channels*

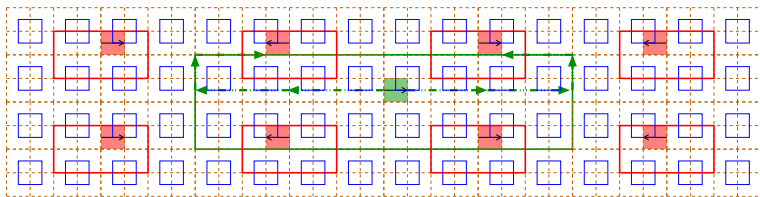




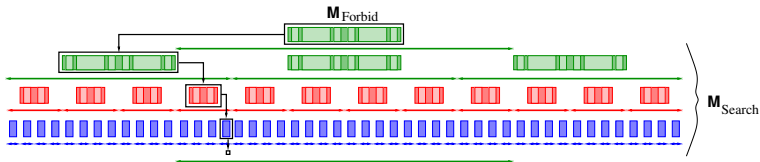
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Communication channels are such that

- every tile  $\square \rightarrow$  or  $\leftarrow \square$  is in the center of a rectangle of level  $n$ ;
- every rectangle of level  $n$  is connected to the  $\square \rightarrow$  and  $\leftarrow \square$  of two stripes of level  $n - 1$



# $\mathcal{M}_{\text{Search}}$ works !



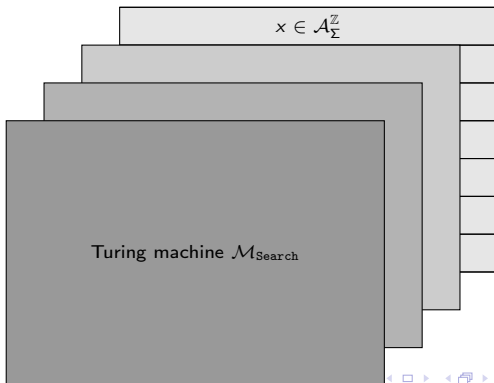
The machines  $\mathcal{M}_{\text{Search}}$  work as we expect:

- every  $\mathcal{M}_{\text{Search}}$  has enough space to code addresses
- every  $\mathcal{M}_{\text{Search}}$  has enough time to perform calculations (exponential clock)

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# Some applications

- Characterization of possible entropies of 2D SFT [Hochman & Meyerovitch, 2010]
- Multidimensional effective S-adic subshifts are sofic [A. & Sablik, submitted]
- There exists a sofic subshift whose quasi-periodic configurations have a non-recursively bounded periodicity function [Ballier & Jeandel, 2010]
- A computable planar tiling admits local rules [Fernique & Sablik, 2012]

# Improvement, Limitation and Question

- Is it possible to determinize the construction (deterministic SFT) ?  
↪ It should be... [Guillon & Zinoviadis, in progress]
- The construction is highly constrained, in the sense that the sofic subshift is constant along the vertical direction ( $\Rightarrow$  zero entropy).  
↪ What are PS of mixing sofic subshifts/SFT ?
- Is it possible to obtain any 1D effective dynamical system as a subaction of a 2D sofic subshift ?  
↪ No, a counter-example is the mirror dynamical system

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# 1D Sofic subshifts as projective subdynamics of 2D SFT

The *limit set* of a cellular automaton  $f$  is

$$\Lambda(f) = \bigcap_{n \in \mathbb{N}} f^n(A^{\mathbb{Z}^d}).$$

This is always a subshift, which can be seen as

- ▶ the set of configurations that can be reached after arbitrarily many iterations,
- ▶ the biggest set on which  $f$  is surjective.

$\Lambda(f)$  is *stable* if the intersection is finite, *unstable* otherwise.

Natural question: which subshifts can arise as stable/unstable limit sets of CA ?



# Stability and instability

We can approximate globally admissible configurations by locally admissible ones.

$$L^{\delta,n} := L + [-n\vec{1}; +n\vec{1}]$$

$$X_{L,n} := \{x|_L : x \in \mathcal{A}^{L^{\delta,n}} \wedge \forall F \subsetneq L^{\delta,n} \text{ finite: } x|_F \notin \mathcal{F}\}$$

$$\text{Then one has } P_L(X) = \bigcap_{n \geq 0} X_{L,n}$$

## Definition

Given  $X$  a  $\mathbb{Z}^d$ -subshift and  $L \lesssim \mathbb{Z}^d$  a  $k$ -dimensional sublattice

- ▶  $P_L(X)$  is *stable* if  $\exists N \in \mathbb{N}, \forall n \geq N: X_{L,n} = X_{L,N} = P_L(L)$ .
- ▶  $P_L(X)$  is *unstable* if  $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}, \exists n \geq N: X_{L,n} \subsetneq X_{L,N}$ .

## 1D Sofic subshifts as projective subdynamics of 2D SFT

Classification in [Pavlov & Schraudner, preprint] based on the notions of

- ▶ *Universal Periods (UP)*  $\approx$  all configurations are periodic (if you forget a bounded finite numbers of points).
- ▶ *Good sets of periods (GSP)*  $\approx$  you have enough periodic configurations to know where you are in a graph presentation.

|               |         |       |        | Stable | Unstable |
|---------------|---------|-------|--------|--------|----------|
| SFT           |         |       |        | ✓      | ✗        |
| Stricly sofic | $h > 0$ |       |        | ✓      | ✓        |
|               | $h = 0$ | UP    |        | ✗      | ✗        |
|               |         | no UP | GSP    | ✓      | ✓        |
|               |         |       | no GSP | ✗      | ✓        |

# What about non sofic subshifts ?

## Theorem (Guillon, 2011)

Every  $\mathbb{Z}$ -effective subshift that contains a sofic subshift of positive entropy is the projective subdynamics of some  $\mathbb{Z}^2$ -SFT.

## Theorem (Sablik & Schraudner, *in progress*)

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# Mixing subshift and strong irreducibility

## Definition

A subshift  $X \subset A^{\mathbb{Z}^d}$  is *mixing* if

$\forall U, W \subsetneq \mathbb{Z}^d$  finite, disjoint, non-empty,  $\exists M_{U,W} \in \mathbb{N}^*$  s.t.

$\forall \vec{v} \in \mathbb{Z}^d$  s.t.  $d(U, \vec{v} + W) > M$

$\forall y, z \in X \Rightarrow \exists x \in X$  s.t.  $x|_U = y|_U$  and  $x|_{\vec{v}+W} = z|_{\vec{v}+W}$ .

## Definition

A subshift  $X \subset A^{\mathbb{Z}^d}$  is *strongly irreducible* if there exists a *gap*  $g \in \mathbb{N}^*$  s.t.

$\forall U, V \subsetneq \mathbb{Z}^d$  finite, disjoint, non-empty and  $d(U, V) > g$ ,

$\forall y, z \in X \Rightarrow \exists x \in X$  s.t.  $x|_U = y|_U$  and  $x|_V = z|_V$ .

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Thank you for your attention !