Generalized Milewski sequences
with
perfect autocorrelation/optimal crosscorrelation

(and its relation with **circular Florentine arrays**)

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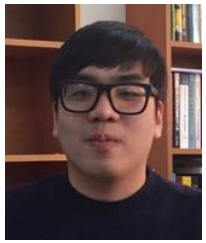

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New framework for sequences with perfect autocorrelation and optimal crosscorrelation

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- Each **circular row** is a permutation.
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0	3	6	9	1	4	7	a	2	5	8
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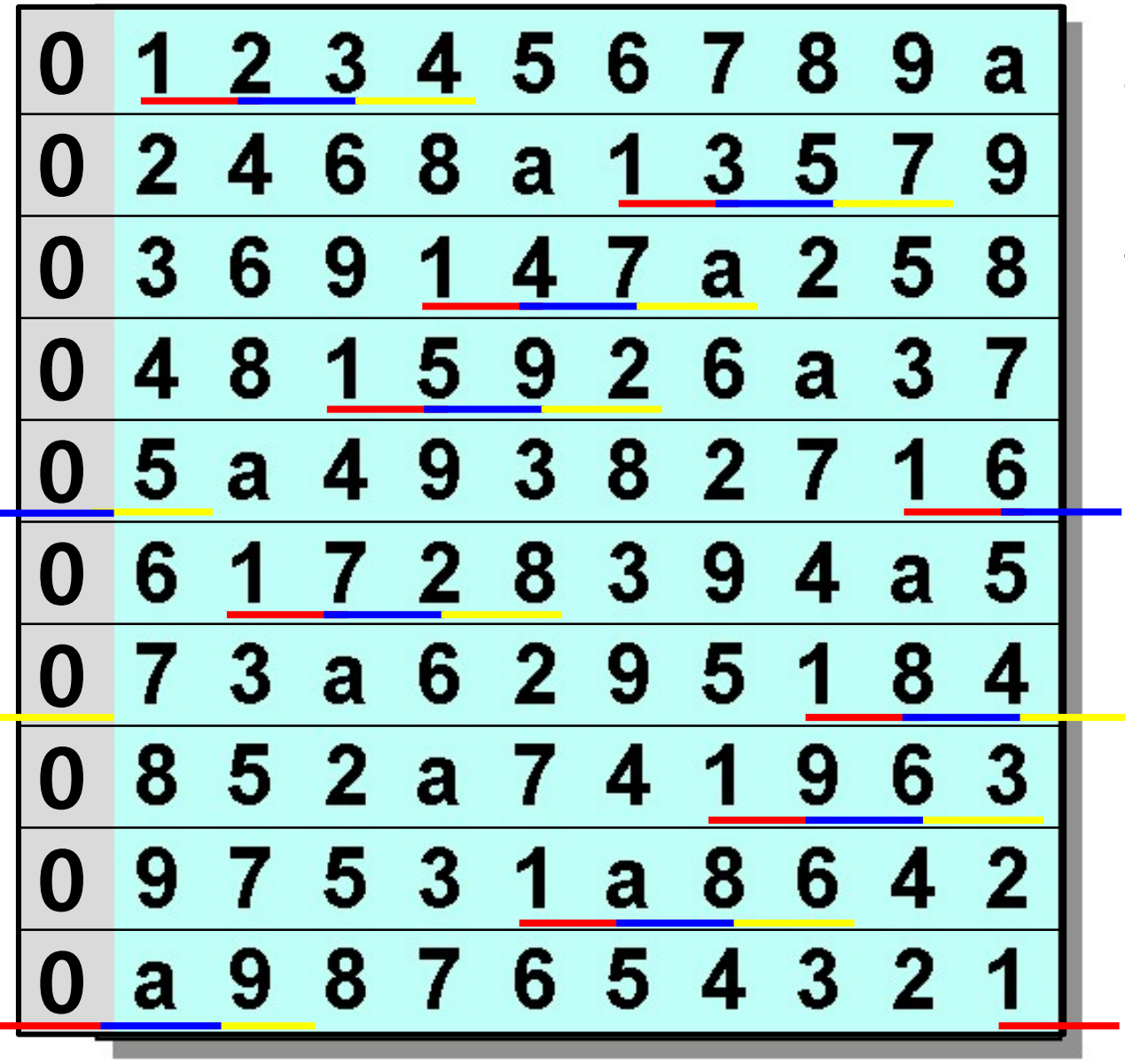

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A transform

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We may **rotate** each row without violating the property so that **a common symbol** comes to the left-most column, and **delete** the column.

This gives …

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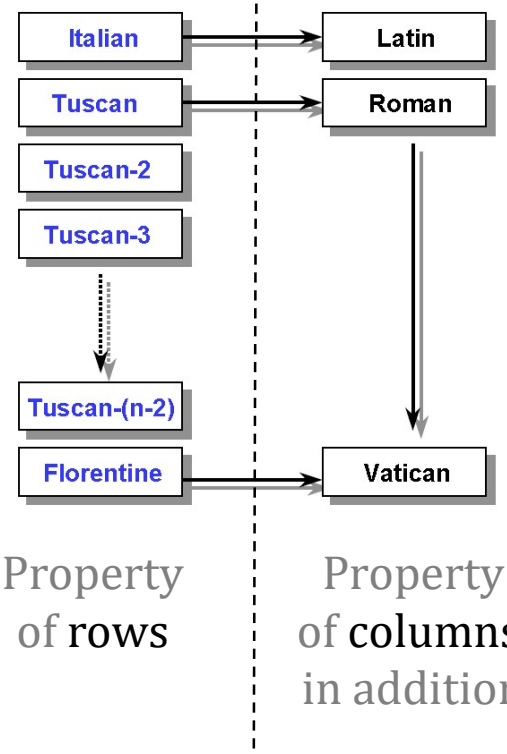

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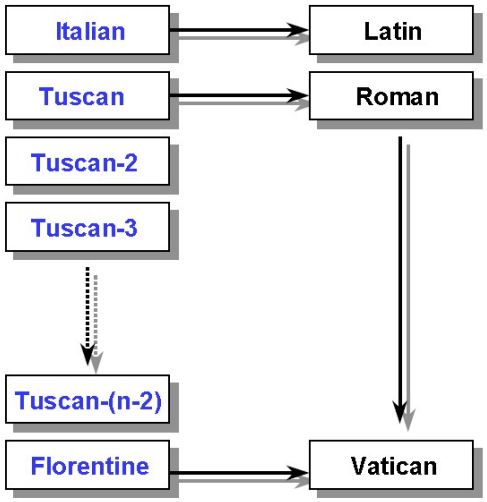

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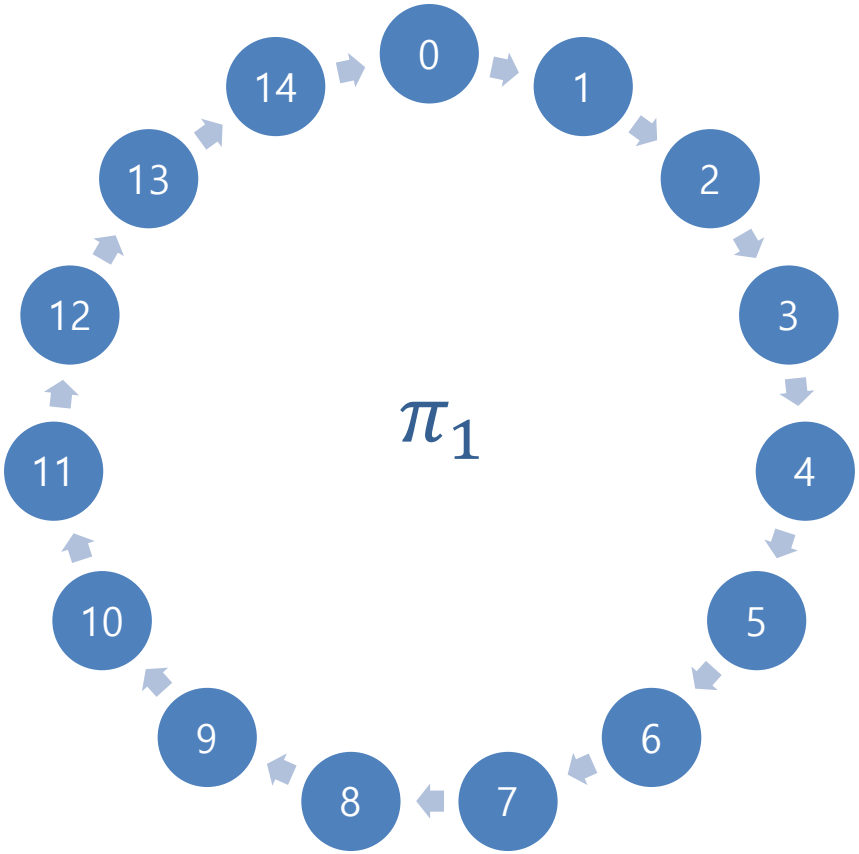

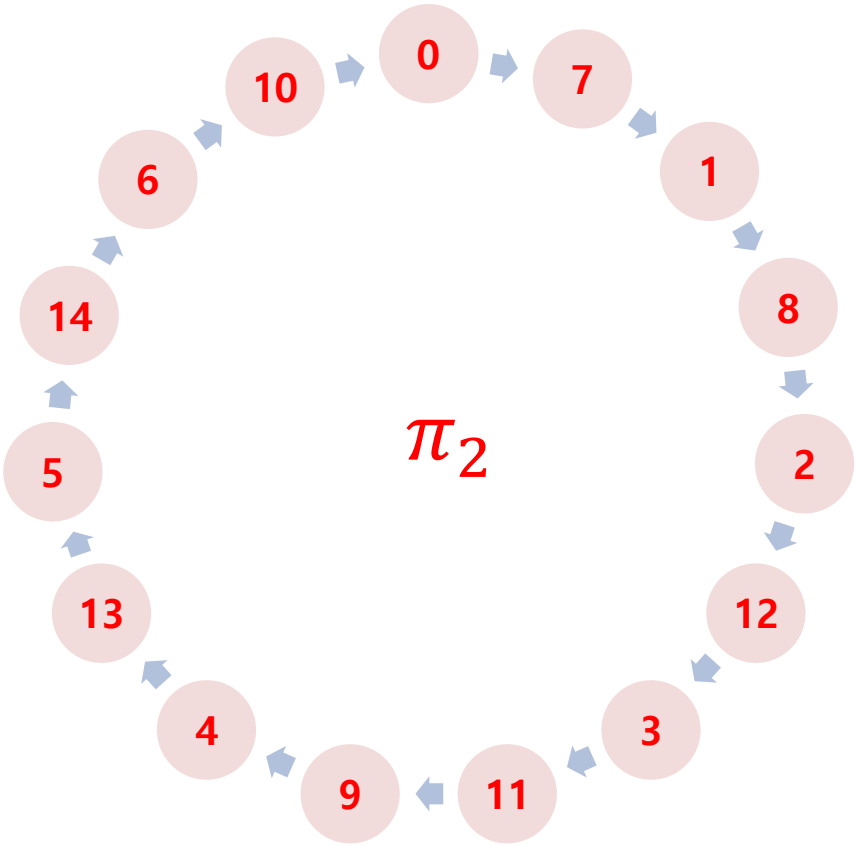

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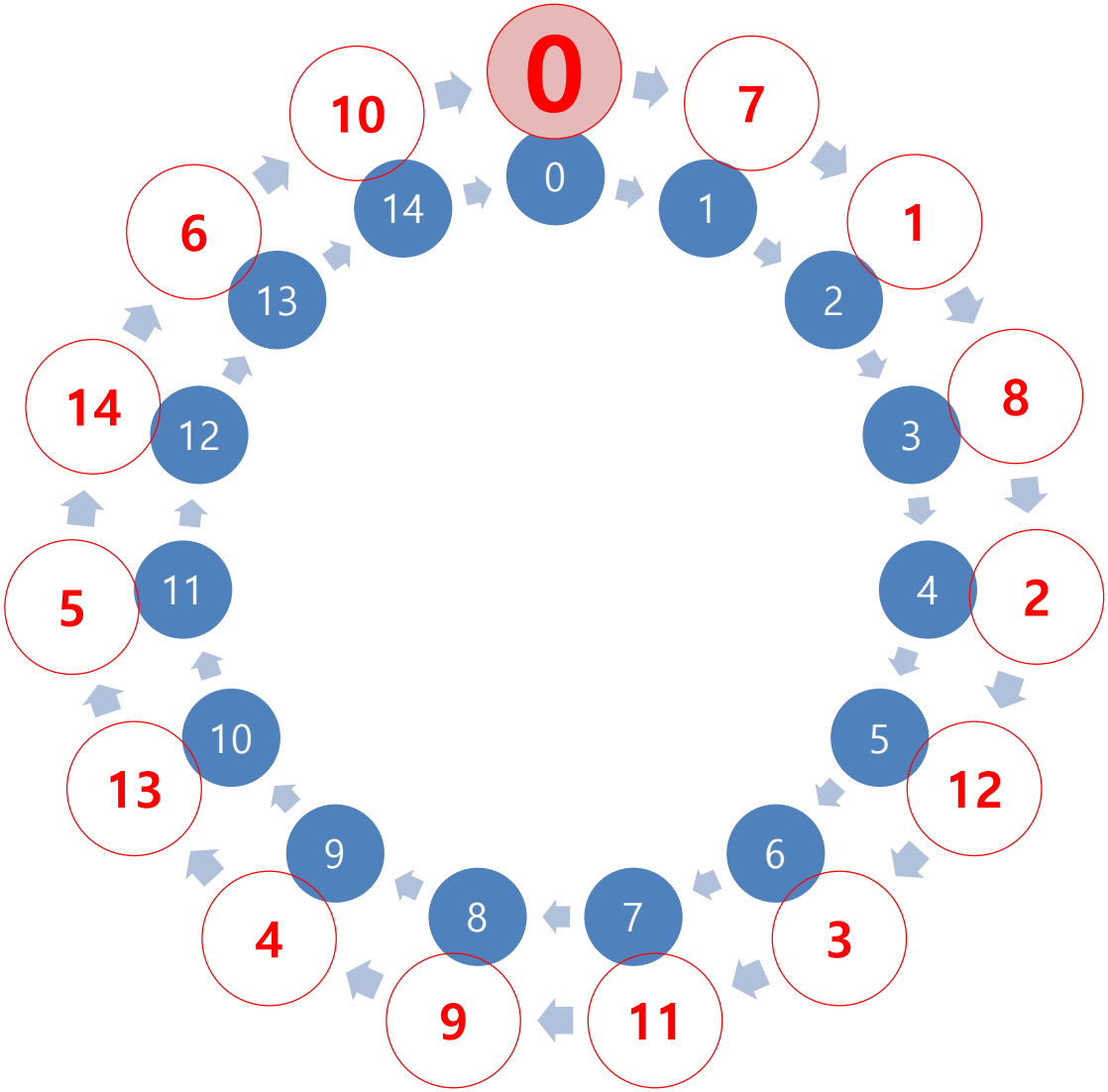

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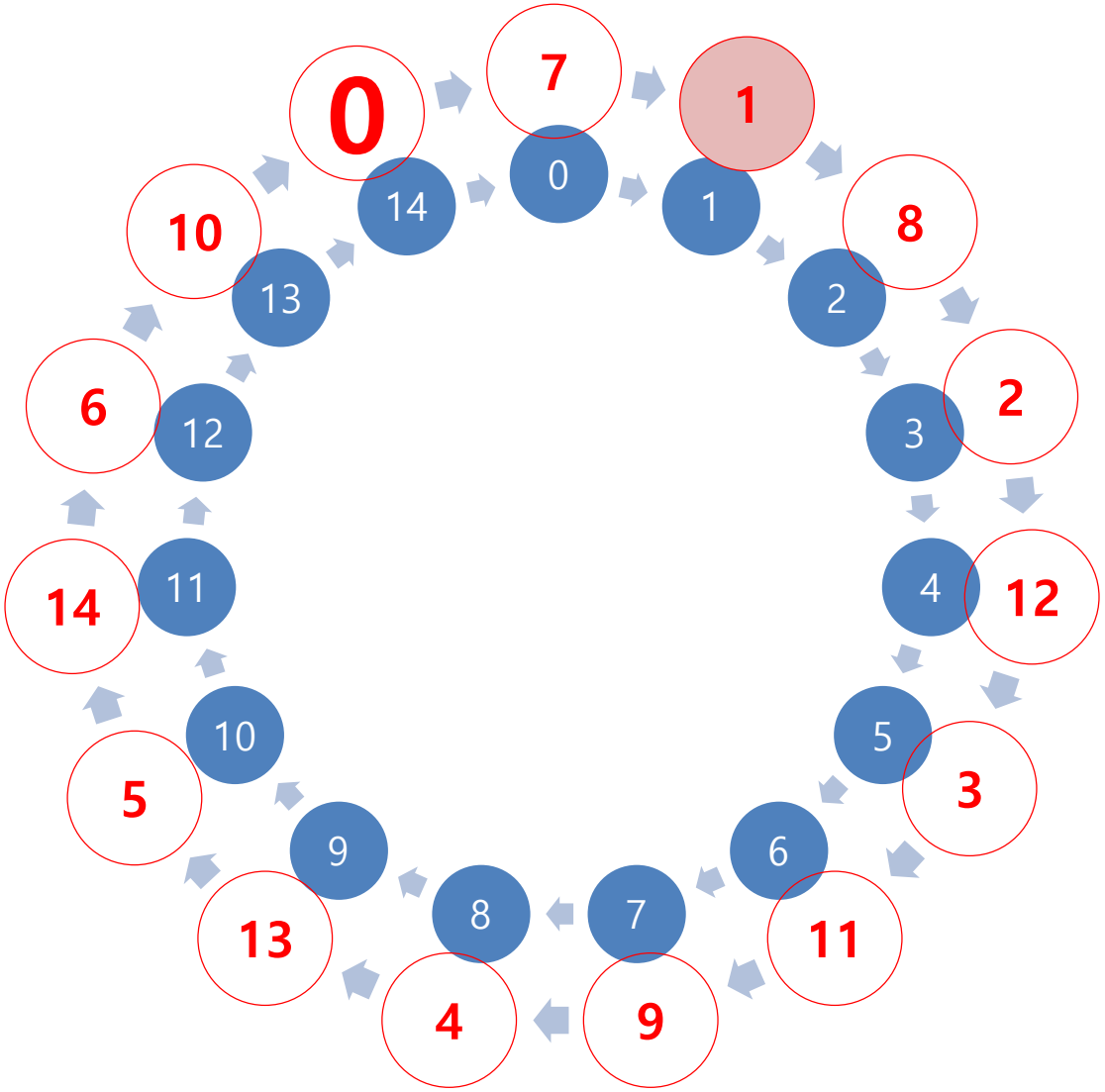

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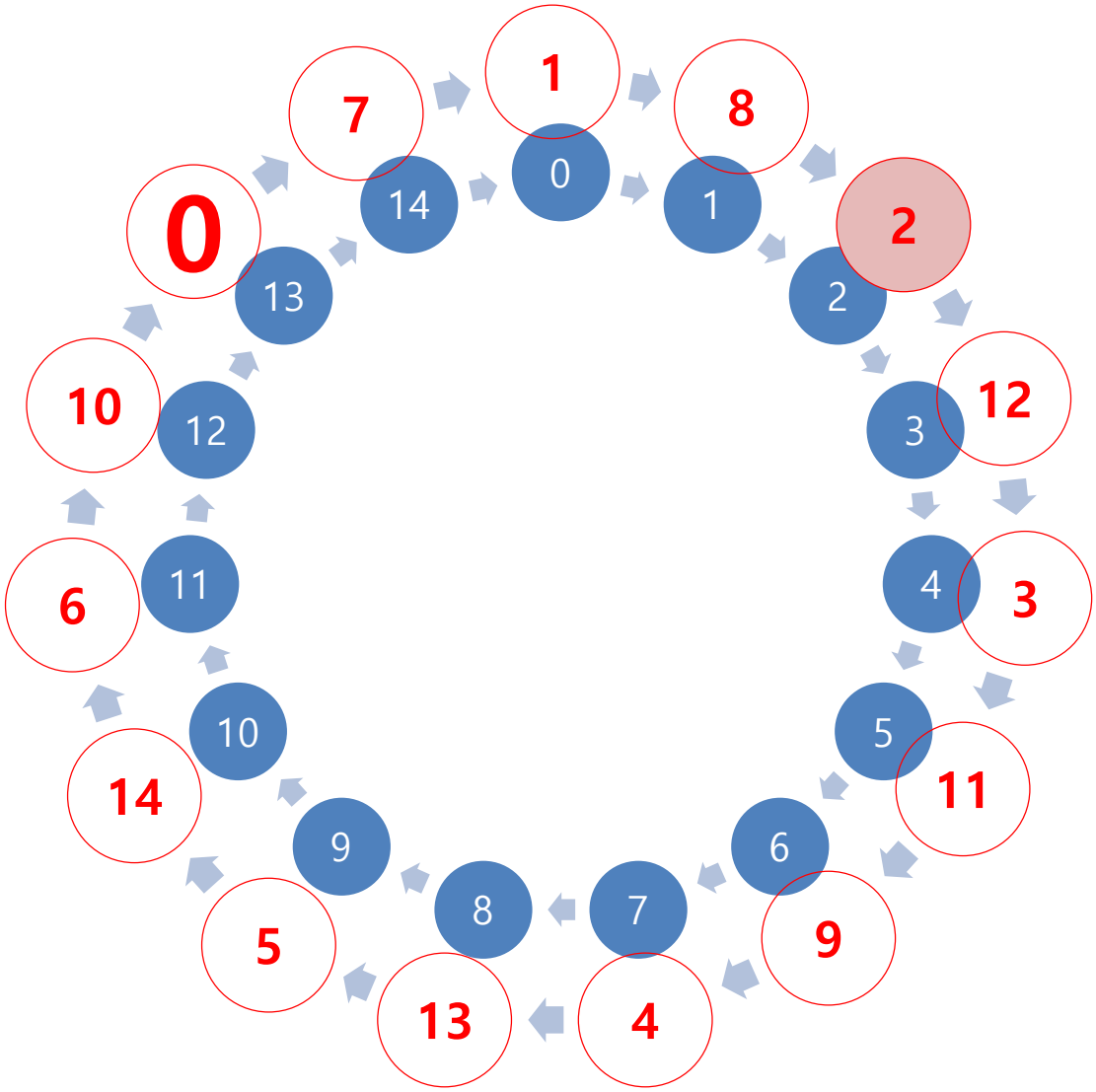
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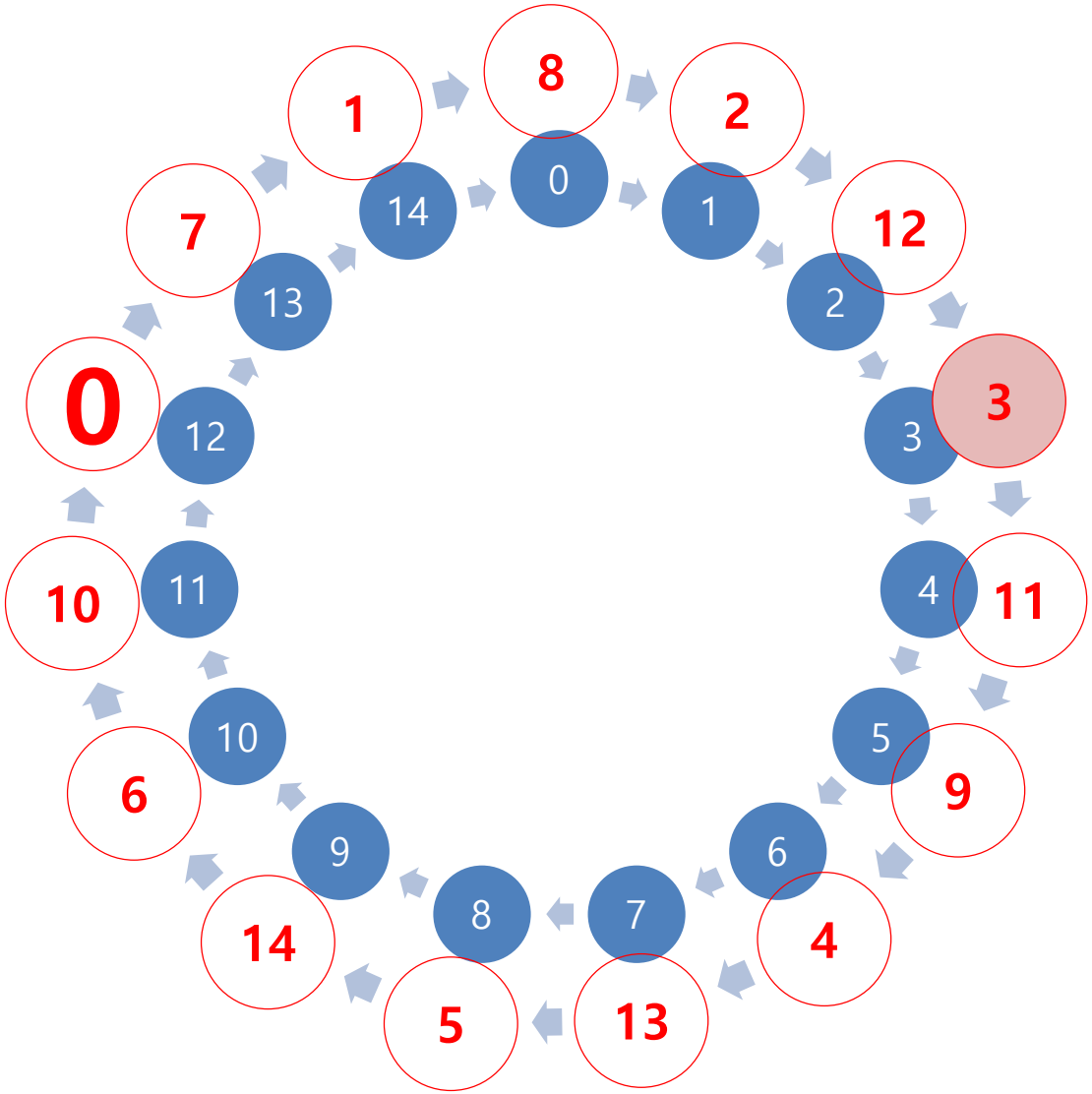
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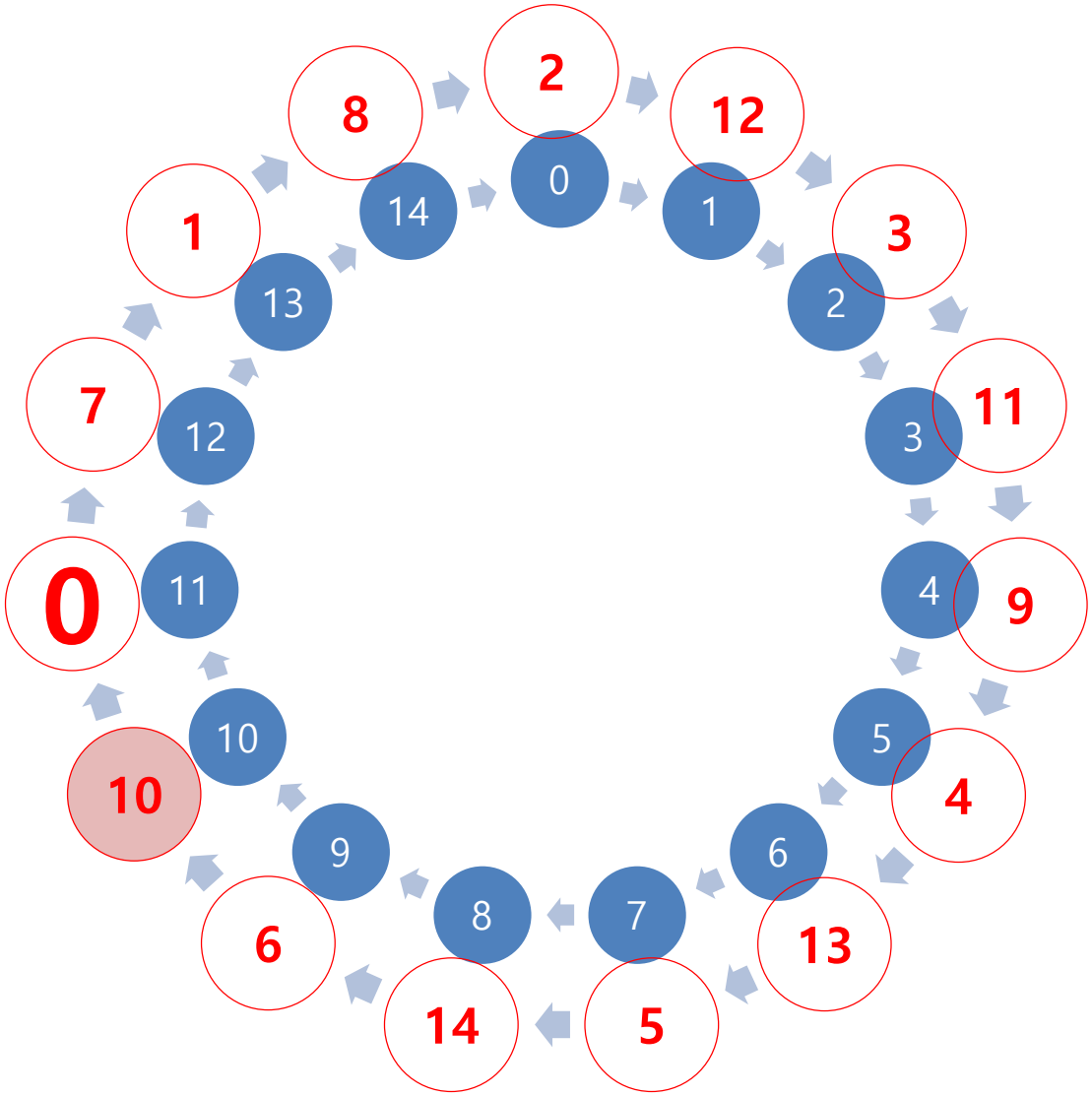
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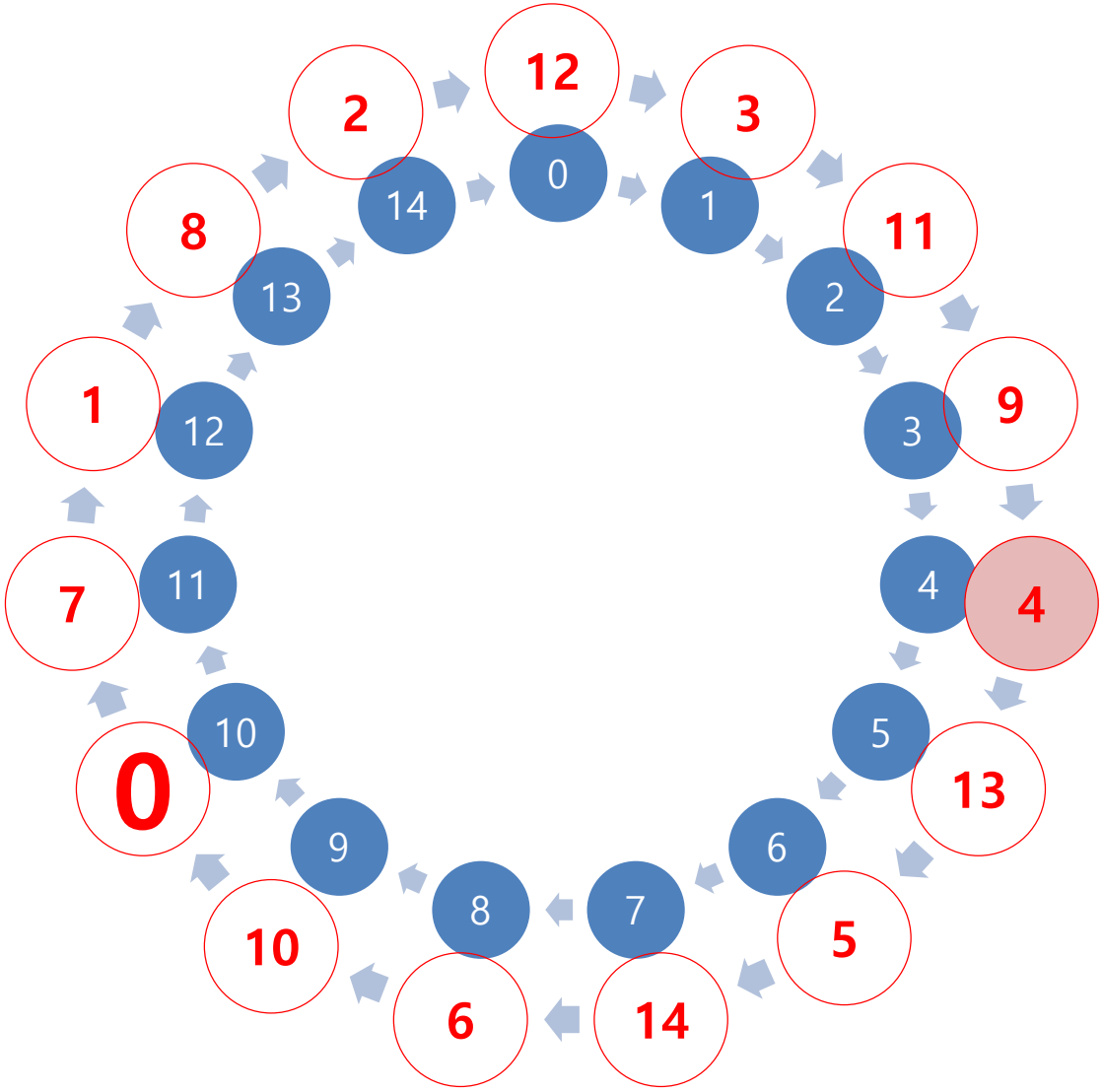

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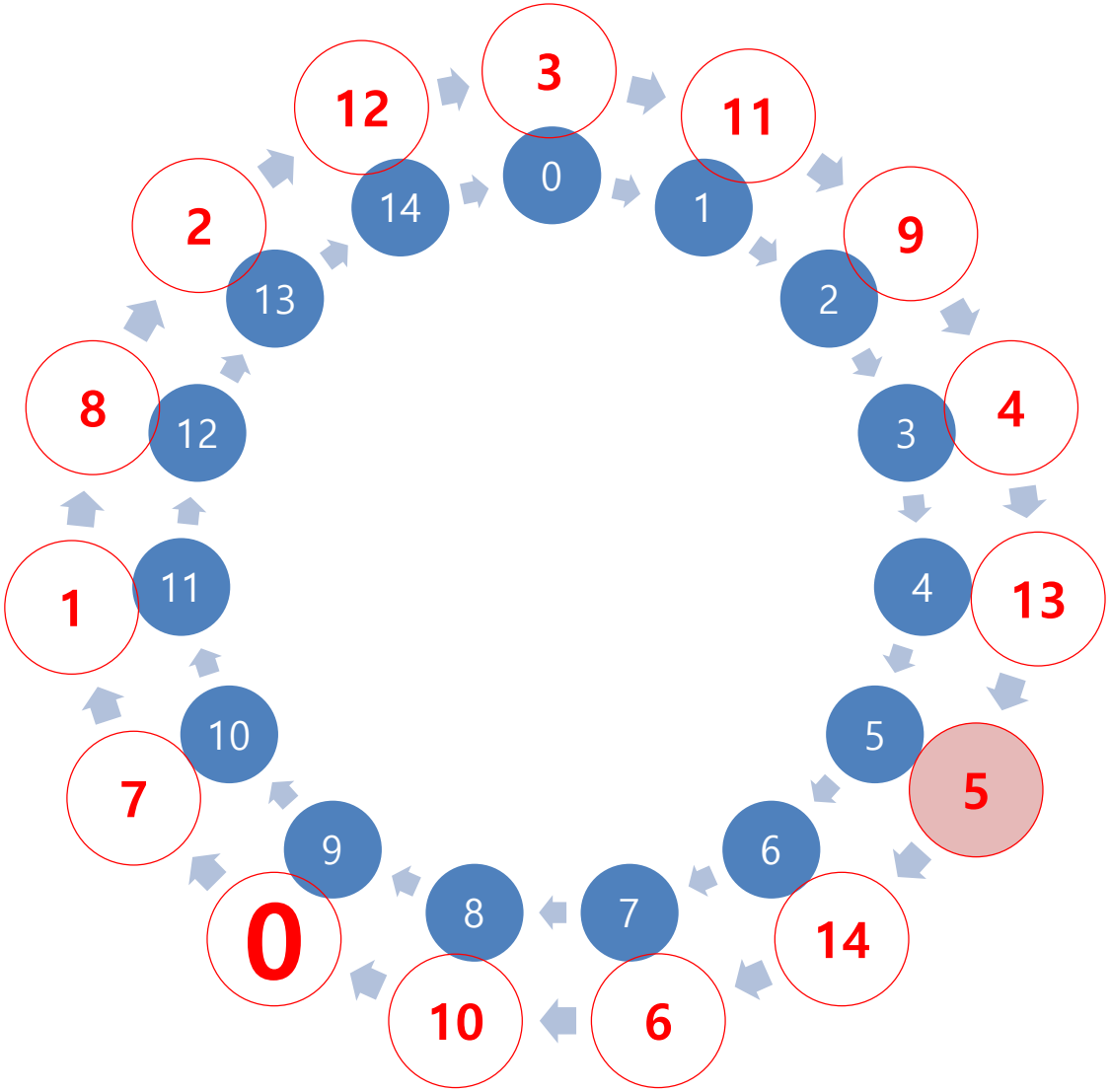

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  - Otherwise, it is called **crosscorrelation**

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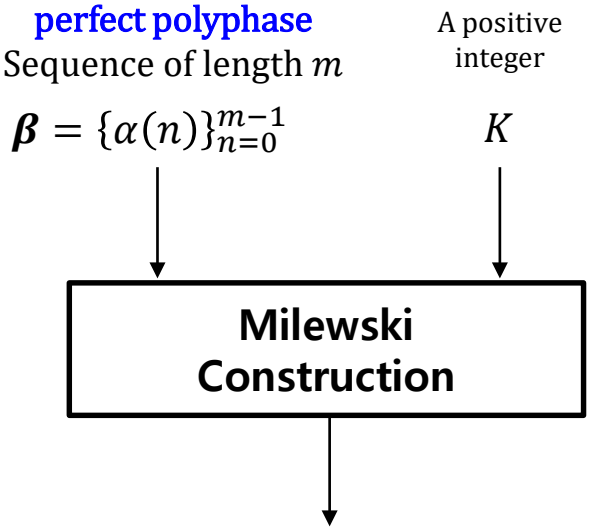

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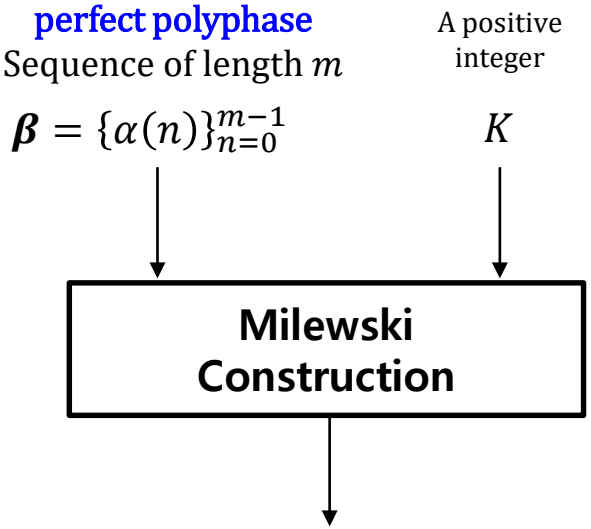

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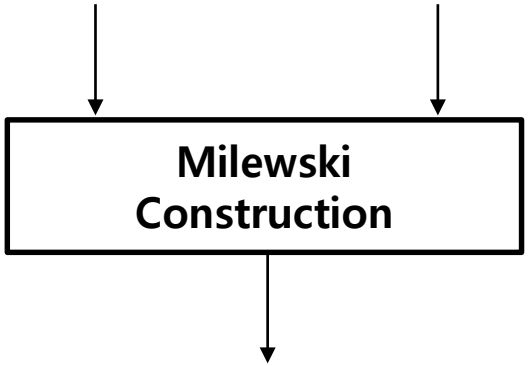

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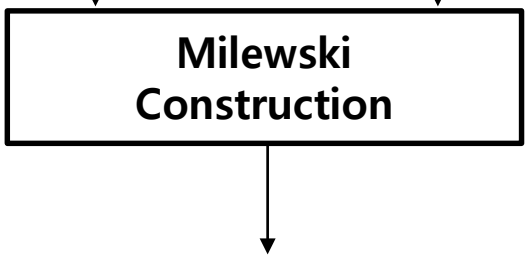

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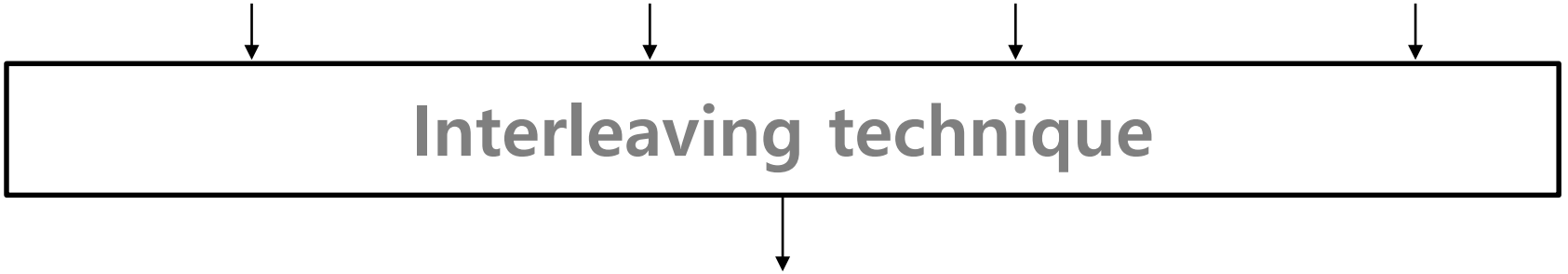

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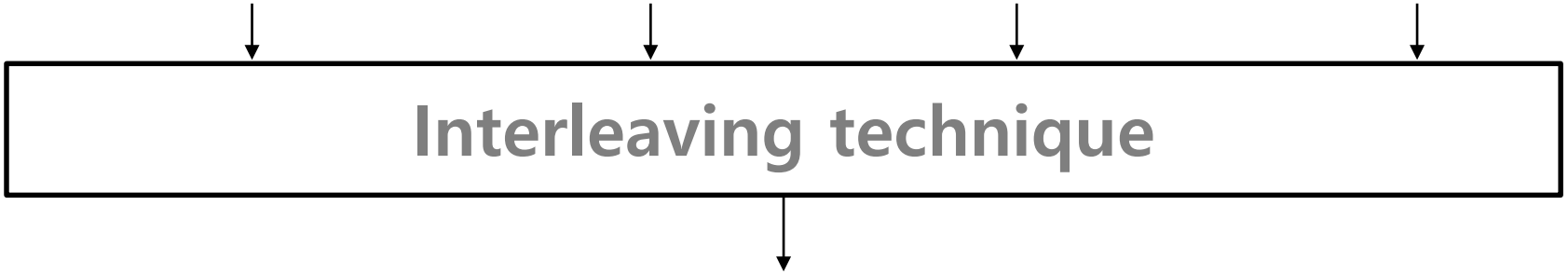

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Definition. We define $\boldsymbol{\mathcal{A}(B, \pi)}$ be a family of interleaved sequences constructed by the above procedure using all possible polyphase sequences $\boldsymbol{\mu}$.

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Input function $\pi: \mathbb{Z}_N \longrightarrow \mathbb{Z}_{mN}$

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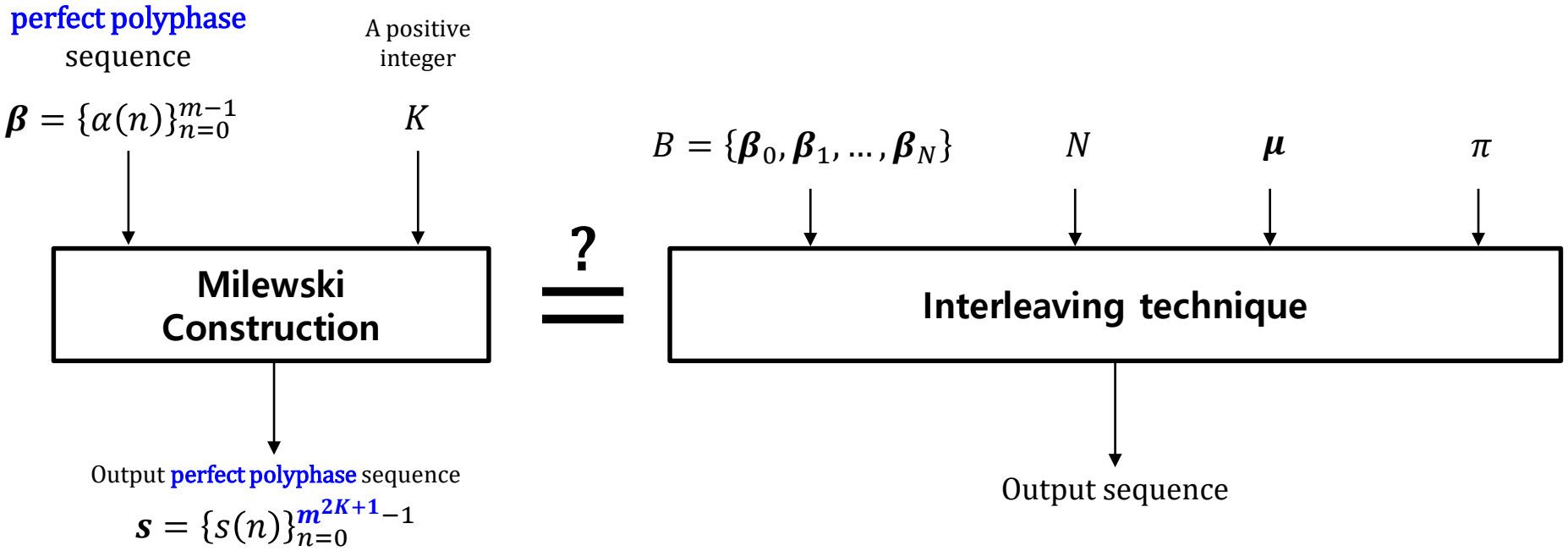

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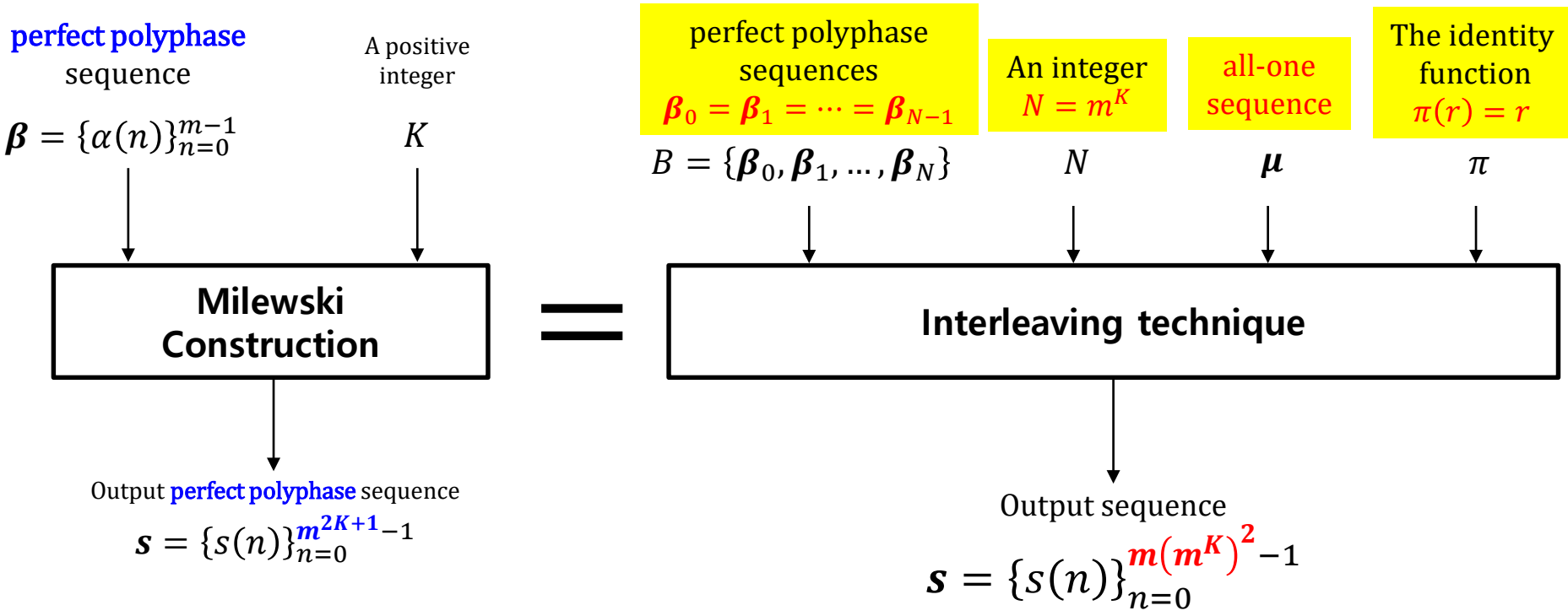

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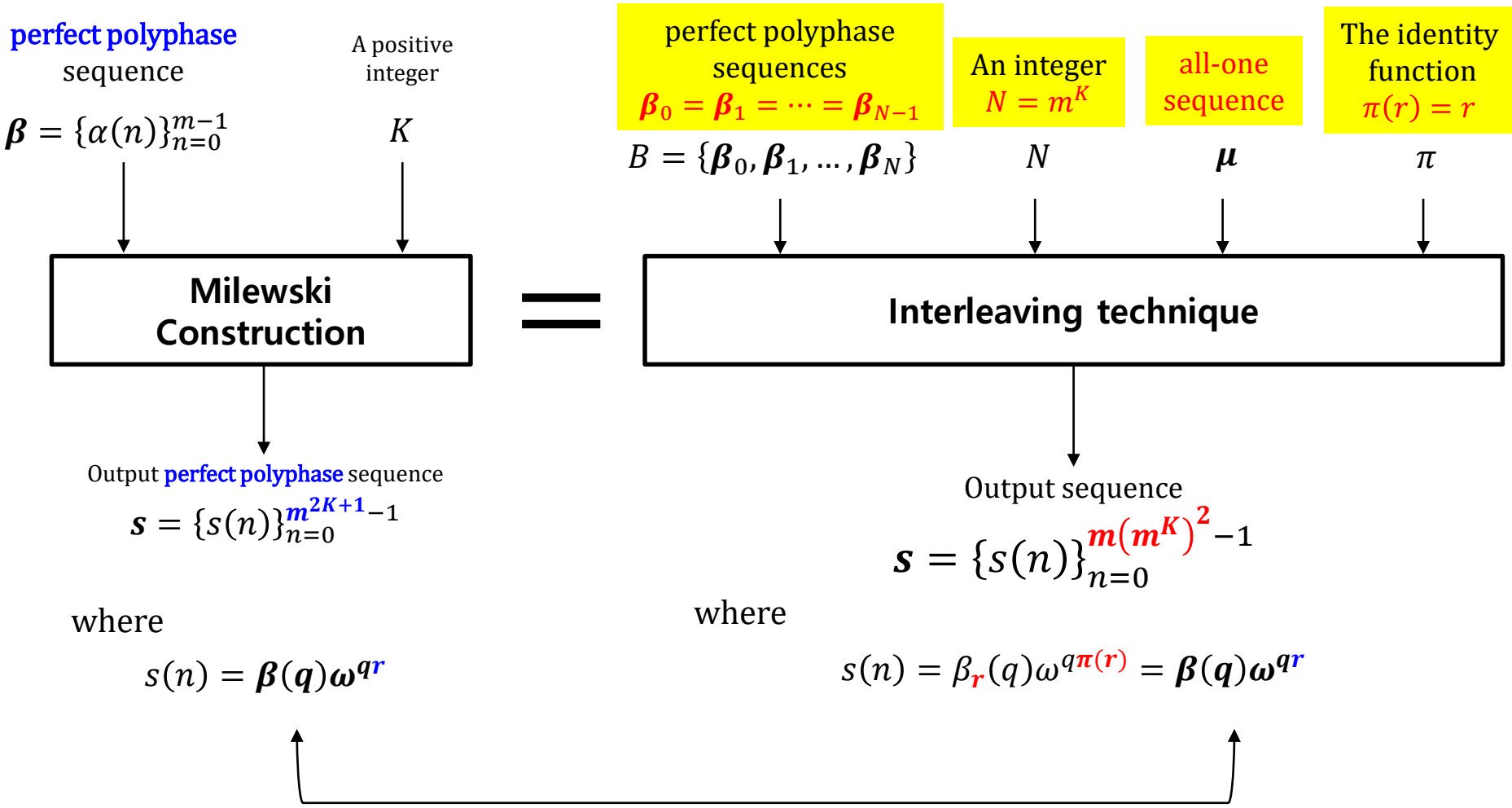

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We now call them

the generalized Milewski sequences

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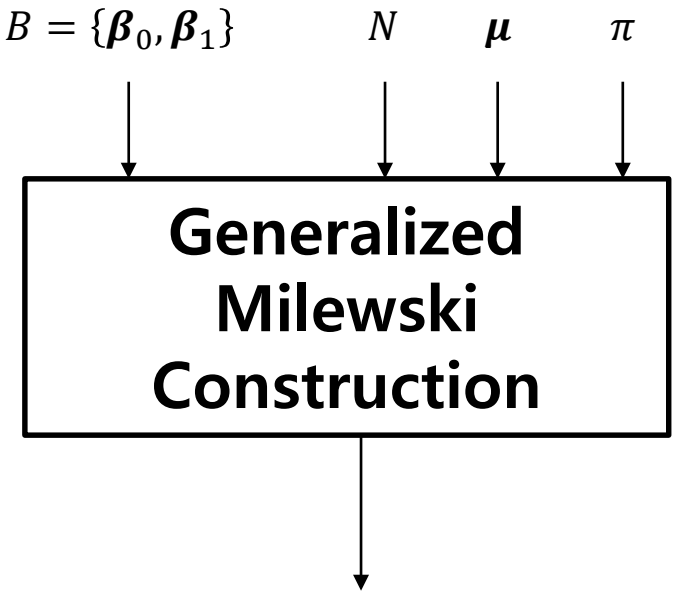

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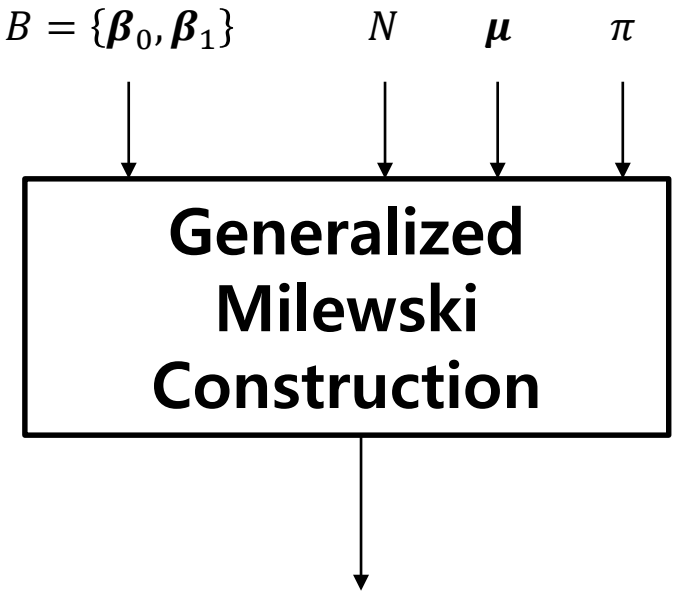

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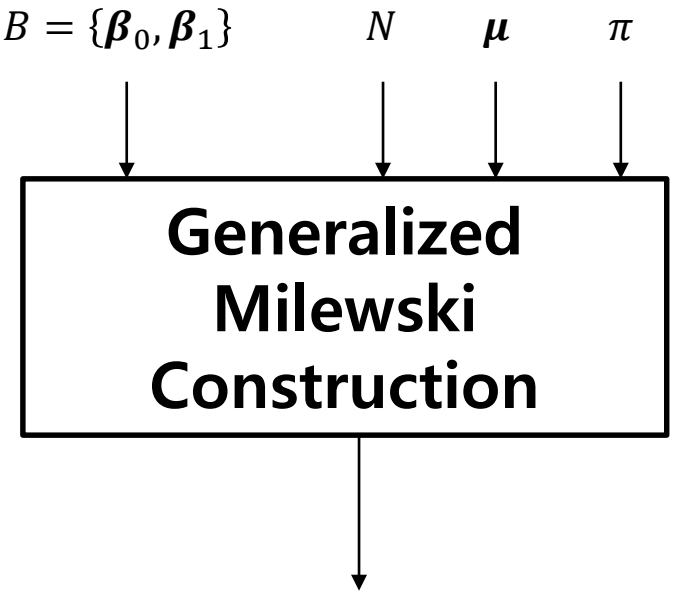

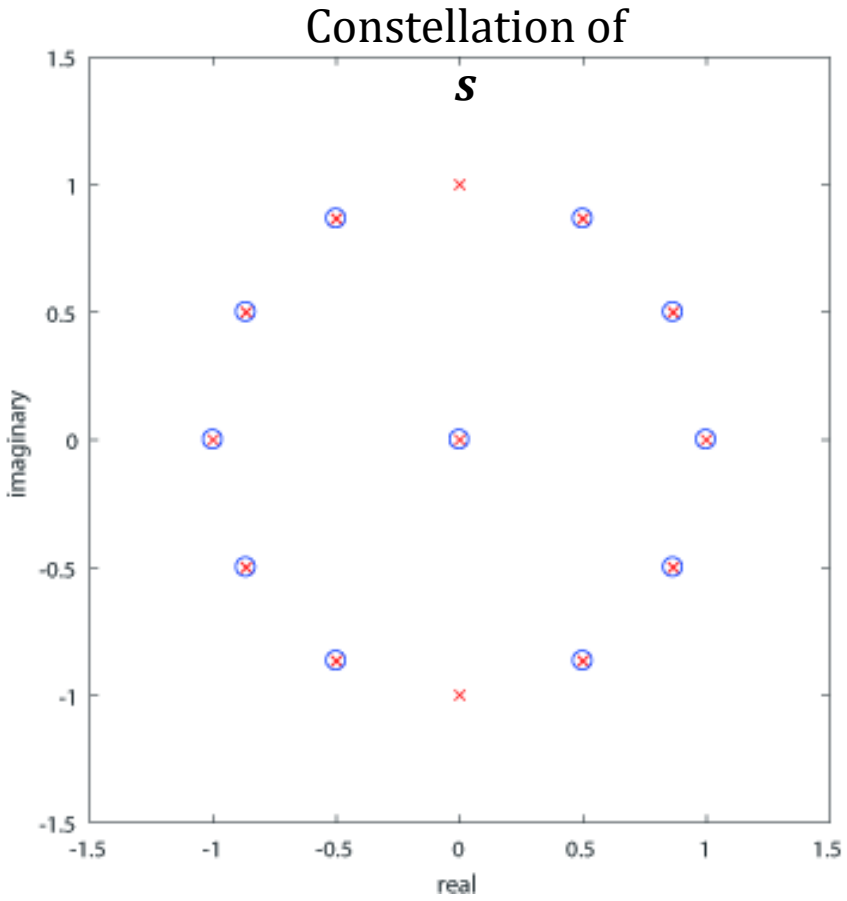

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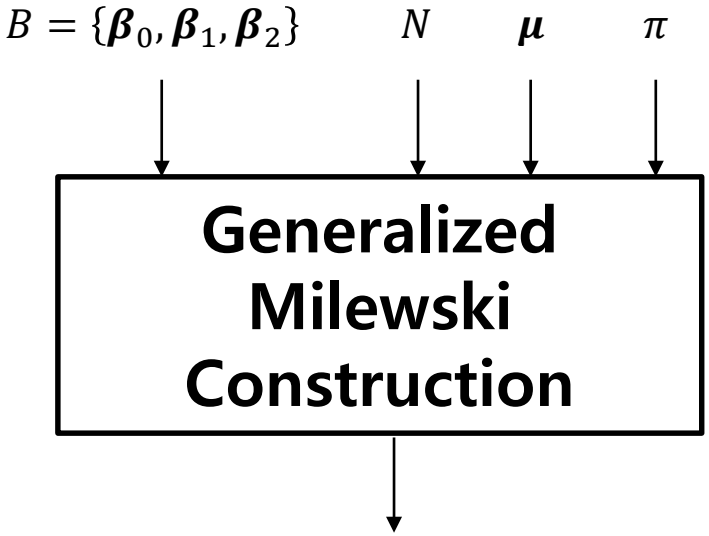

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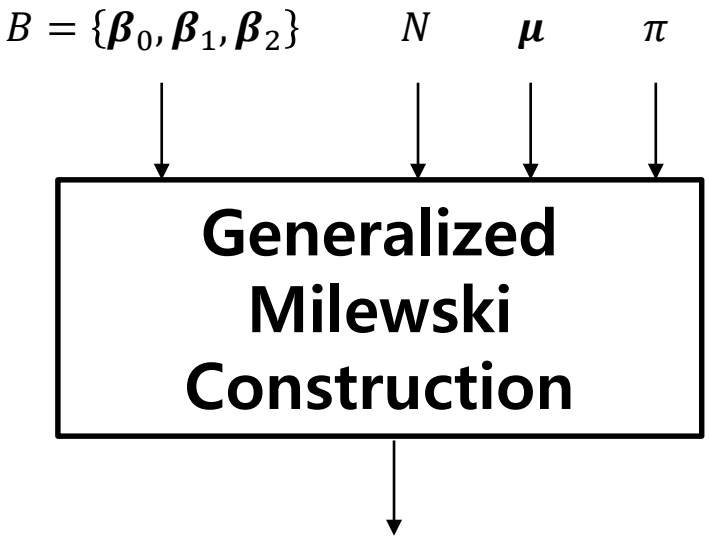

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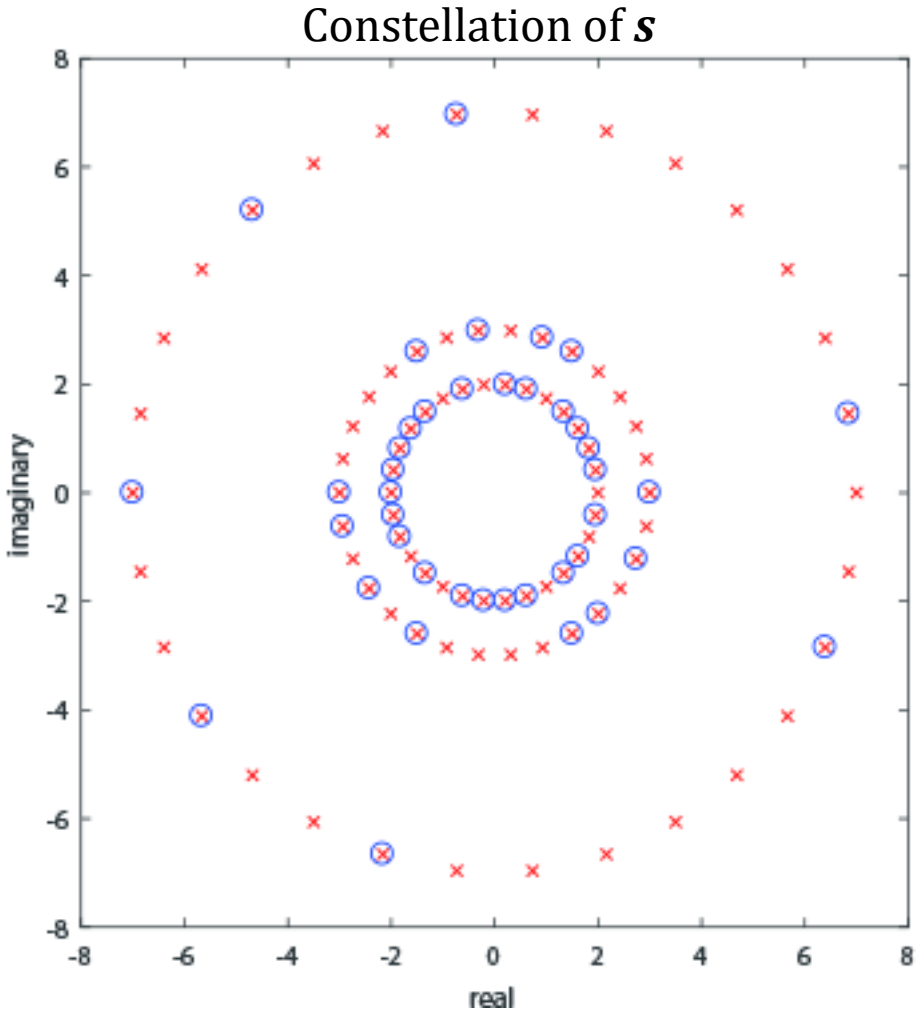

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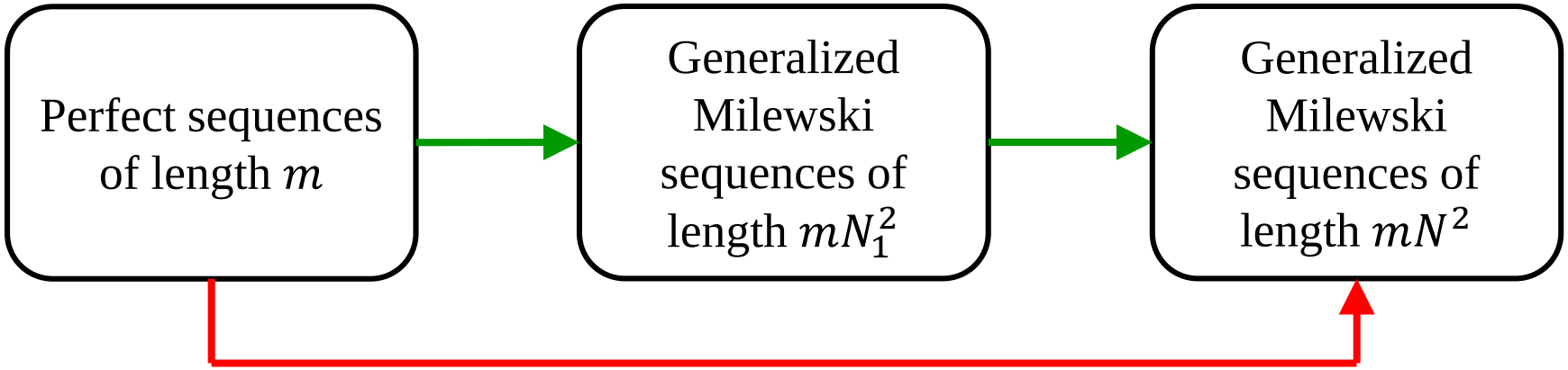

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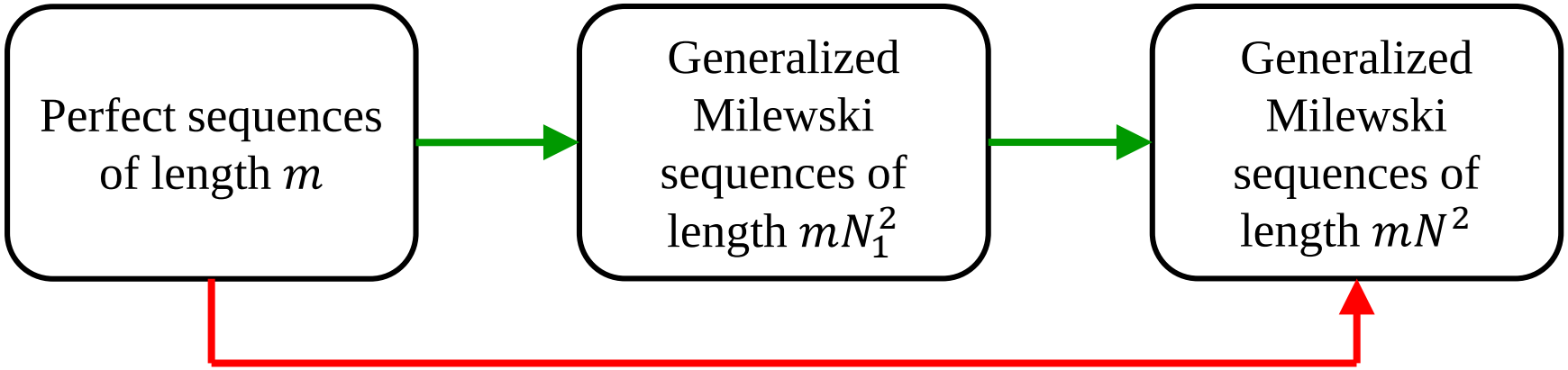

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Some open problems:

- Find any other positive odd integer N such that $F_c(N)$ is greater than $p_{min} - 1$.
- Determine the exact value of $F_c(N)$ for every odd N.

Thanks !