

# MINIMAL BIG LATTICES

## 1. REDUCTION

This is a separate document to temporarily input the results on minimal big lattices. The reduction goes as follows.

**Theorem 1.** *If  $\mathbf{L}$  is a finite lattice which is big and not both semidistributive and breadth 2, then  $\mathbf{L}$  contains a sublattice isomorphic to one of the big lattices  $\mathbf{E}_1, \mathbf{E}_1^d, \mathbf{E}_2, \mathbf{E}_3, \mathbf{E}_3^d, \mathbf{E}_4, \mathbf{E}_5, \mathbf{E}_5^d, \mathbf{E}_6, \mathbf{E}_7, \mathbf{E}_7^d, \mathbf{E}_8, \mathbf{E}_9, \mathbf{E}_9^d, \mathbf{E}_{10}, \mathbf{E}_{10}^d, \mathbf{E}_{11}, \mathbf{E}_{11}^d, \mathbf{E}_{12}, \mathbf{E}_{12}^d, \mathbf{E}_{15}, \mathbf{E}_{15}^d, \mathbf{E}_{16}, \mathbf{E}_{16}^d, \mathbf{E}_{17}, \mathbf{E}_{17}^d, \mathbf{E}_{18}, \mathbf{E}_{18}^d$ , or a sublattice which is big, semidistributive and breadth 2.*

**Theorem 2.** *If  $\mathbf{L}$  is a finite, semidistributive, breadth 2, big lattice, then  $\mathbf{L}$  contains a sublattice of the form  $(p \vee k)/p \cup k/(p \wedge k)$  such that  $\mathbf{FQ}(p, k)$  is infinite.*

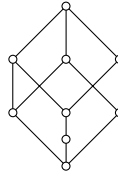


FIGURE 1.  $\mathbf{E}_1$

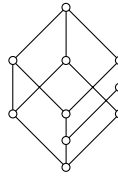
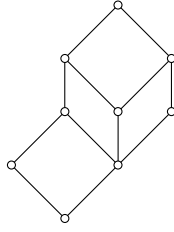
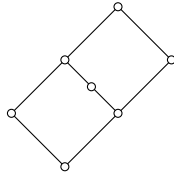
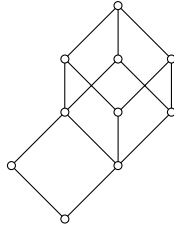
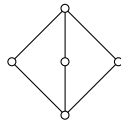


FIGURE 2.  $\mathbf{E}_2$

FIGURE 3.  $\mathbf{E}_3$ FIGURE 4.  $\mathbf{E}_4$ FIGURE 5.  $\mathbf{E}_5$ FIGURE 6.  $\mathbf{E}_6$

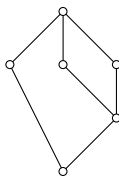


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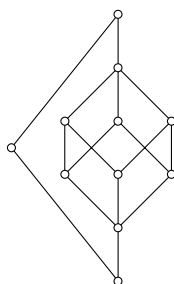


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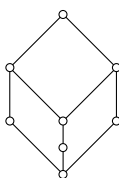


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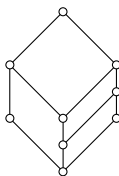
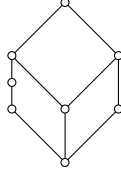
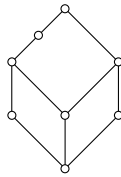
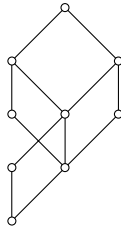
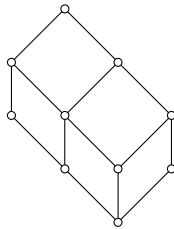


FIGURE 10.  $\mathbf{E}_{10}$

FIGURE 11.  $\mathbf{E}_{11}$ FIGURE 12.  $\mathbf{E}_{12}$ FIGURE 13.  $\mathbf{E}_{15}$ FIGURE 14.  $\mathbf{E}_{16}$

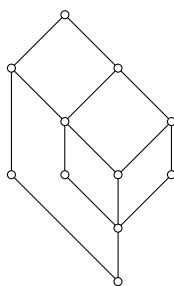


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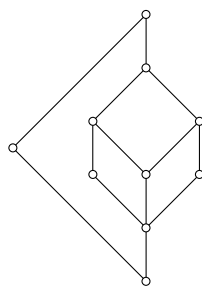


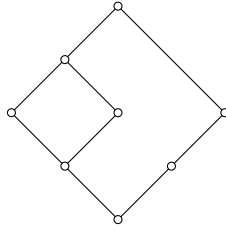
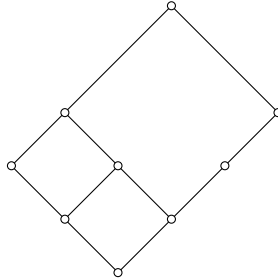
FIGURE 16.  $\mathbf{E}_{18}$

2. WHEN  $\mathbf{FQ}(p, k)$  IS INFINITE

Throughout this section  $\mathbf{L}$  will be a finite, breadth 2, semidistributive lattice containing elements  $p, k$  such that  $p \vee k = 1_{\mathbf{L}}$ ,  $p \wedge k = 0_{\mathbf{L}}$  and  $L = 1/p \cup k/0$ .

**Theorem 3.** *If  $\mathbf{L} - \{p, k\}$  contains a 3 element antichain, then  $\mathbf{L}$  has a sublattice isomorphic to one of  $\mathbf{E}_{19}, \mathbf{E}_{20}, \mathbf{E}_{20}^d, \mathbf{E}_{21}, \mathbf{E}_{22}^*, \mathbf{E}_{22}^{*d}, \mathbf{E}_{23}, \mathbf{E}_{23}^d, \mathbf{E}_{24}, \mathbf{E}_{24}^d, \mathbf{E}_{25}, \mathbf{E}_{25}^d, \mathbf{E}_{26}, \mathbf{E}_{26}^d, \mathbf{E}_{27}, \mathbf{E}_{27}^d, \mathbf{T}_4, \mathbf{T}_4^d, \mathbf{T}_5, \mathbf{T}_6, \mathbf{T}_{16}, \mathbf{T}_{16}^d, \mathbf{T}_{22}, \mathbf{T}_{22}^d, \mathbf{T}_{23}, \mathbf{T}_{23}^d, \mathbf{T}_{24}, \mathbf{T}_{24}^d, \mathbf{T}_{25}, \mathbf{T}_{25}^d, \mathbf{T}_{26}, \mathbf{T}_{26}^d, \mathbf{T}_{27}, \mathbf{T}_{27}^d, \mathbf{T}_{29}, \mathbf{T}_{29}^d, \mathbf{T}_{30}, \mathbf{T}_{30}^d$ .*

The proof divides into a couple of cases and their duals.

FIGURE 17.  $\mathbf{E}_{19}$ FIGURE 18.  $\mathbf{E}_{20}$

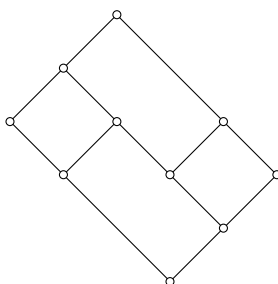


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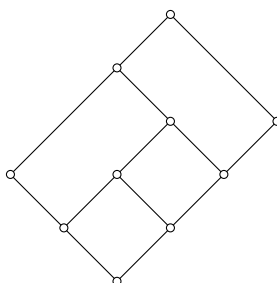


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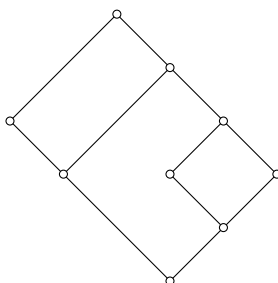


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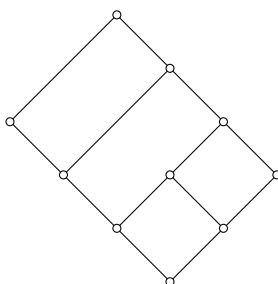
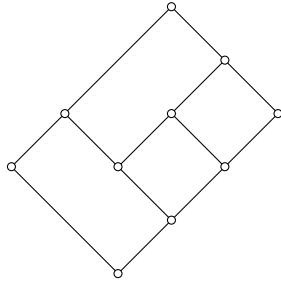
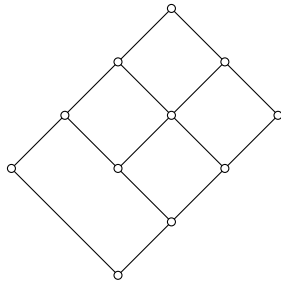
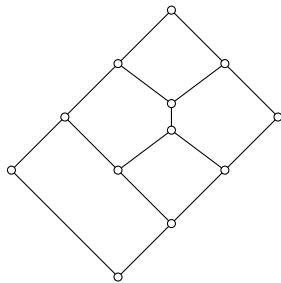


FIGURE 22.  $\mathbf{E}_{24}$

FIGURE 23.  $\mathbf{E}_{25}$ FIGURE 24.  $\mathbf{E}_{26}$ FIGURE 25.  $\mathbf{E}_{27}$



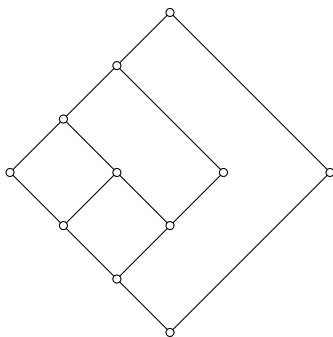


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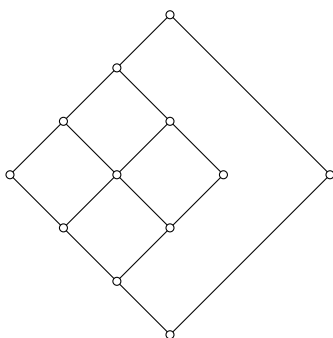


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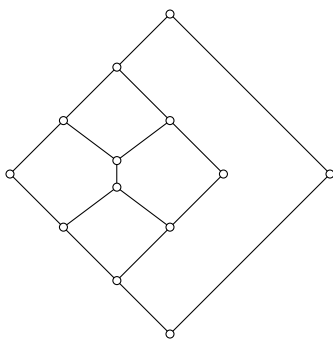
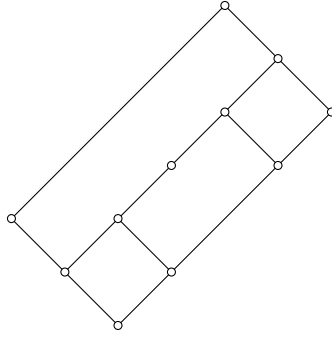
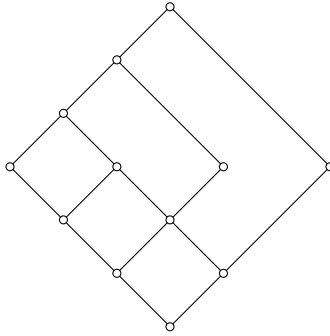
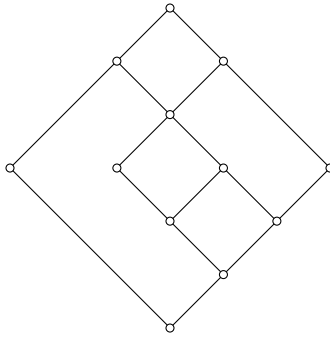


FIGURE 28.  $\mathbf{T}_6$

FIGURE 29.  $\mathbf{T}_{16}$ FIGURE 30.  $\mathbf{T}_{22}$ FIGURE 31.  $\mathbf{T}_{23}$

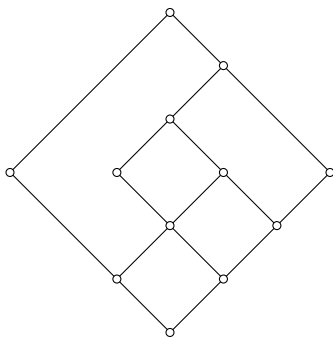


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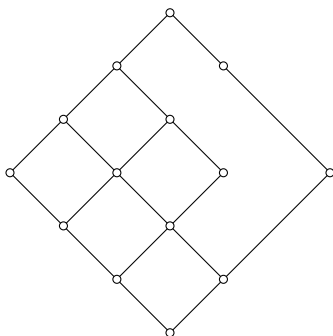


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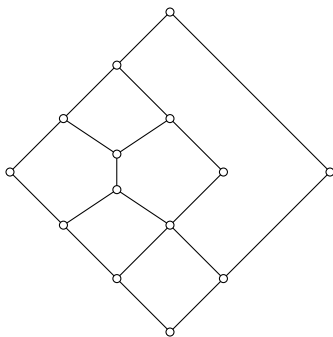
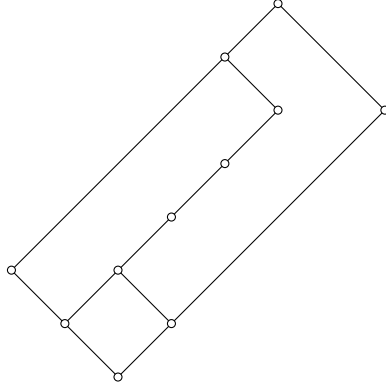
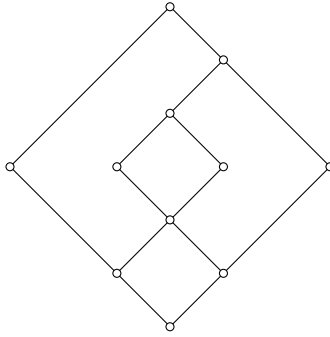
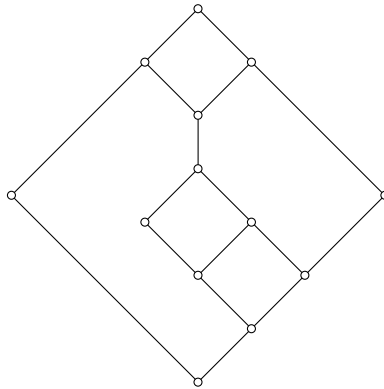


FIGURE 34.  $T_{26}$

FIGURE 35.  $\mathbf{T}_{27}$ FIGURE 36.  $\mathbf{T}_{29}$ FIGURE 37.  $\mathbf{T}_{30}$ 

**Theorem 4.** *If  $\mathbf{L} - \{p, k\}$  contains elements  $x_0 < x_1$ ,  $y_0 < y_1$  with  $x_0 \not\leq y_1$ ,  $y_0 \not\leq x_1$ , and satisfying*

1.  $p < x_0$  implies  $x_1 \wedge (x_0 \vee y_1) > x_0$ ,
2.  $p < y_0$  implies  $y_1 \wedge (y_0 \vee x_1) > y_0$ ,
3.  $x_1 < k$  implies  $x_0 \vee (x_1 \wedge y_0) < x_1$ ,
4.  $y_1 < k$  implies  $y_0 \vee (y_1 \wedge x_0) < y_1$ ,

then  $\mathbf{L}$  has a sublattice isomorphic to one of  $\mathbf{E}_{28}, \mathbf{E}_{28}^d, \mathbf{E}_{29}, \mathbf{E}_{30}, \mathbf{E}_{30}^d, \mathbf{E}_{31}, \mathbf{E}_{31}^d, \mathbf{E}_{32}, \mathbf{E}_{32}^d, \mathbf{E}_{33}, \mathbf{E}_{33}^d, \mathbf{E}_{34}, \mathbf{E}_{35}, \mathbf{E}_{36}, \mathbf{E}_{36}^d, \mathbf{E}_{37}, \mathbf{T}_1, \mathbf{T}_2, \mathbf{T}_2^d, \mathbf{T}_{15}^*, \mathbf{T}_{15}^{*d}, \mathbf{T}_{17}, \mathbf{T}_{17}^d, \mathbf{T}_{18}, \mathbf{T}_{18}^d$ , or one of the previous lattices.

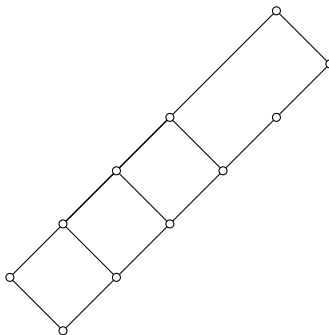


FIGURE 38.  $\mathbf{E}_{28}$

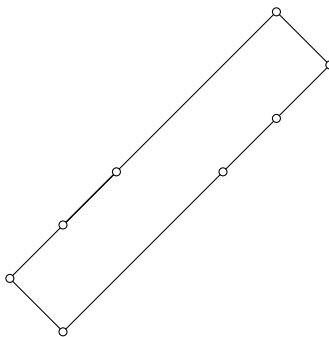
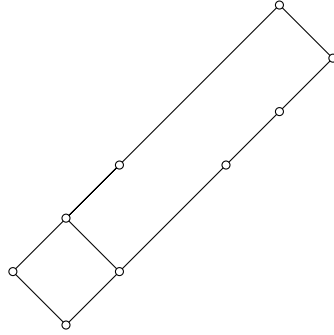
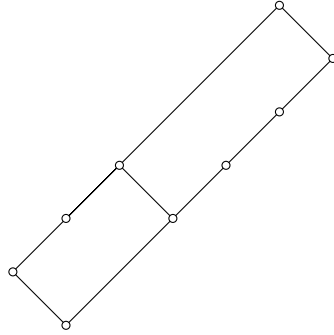
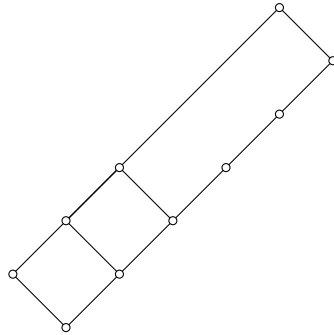


FIGURE 39.  $\mathbf{E}_{29}$

**Theorem 5.** If  $\mathbf{L} - \{p, k\}$  contains elements  $x$  and  $y_0 < y_1 < y_2 < y_3$  with  $x \not\leq y_3, y_0 \not\leq x$ , and satisfying

1.  $y_3 > p$  implies  $y_3 \wedge (x \vee p) \not\leq y_2$ ,
2.  $(x \vee p) \wedge (y_3 \vee p) > p$ ,
3.  $y_0 < k$  implies  $y_0 \vee (x \wedge k) \not\leq y_1$ ,
4.  $(x \wedge k) \vee (y_0 \wedge k) < k$ ,

FIGURE 40.  $\mathbf{E}_{30}$ FIGURE 41.  $\mathbf{E}_{31}$ FIGURE 42.  $\mathbf{E}_{32}$

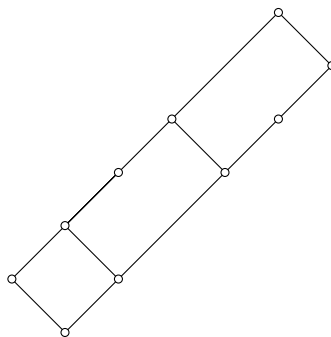


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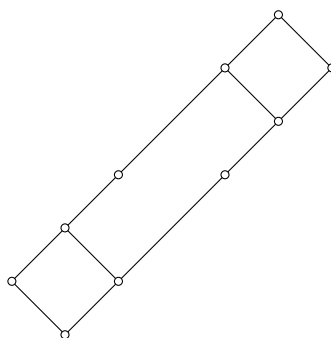


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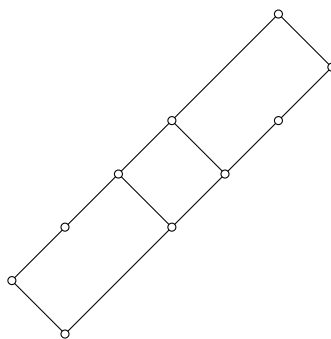
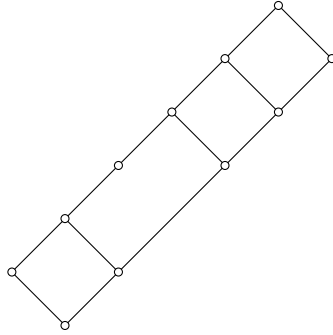
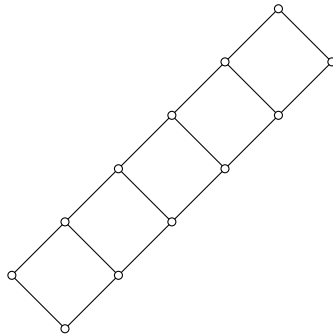
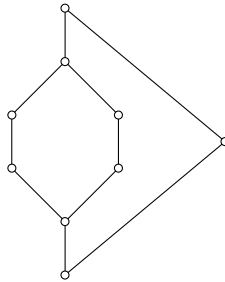


FIGURE 45.  $\mathbf{E}_{35}$

FIGURE 46.  $\mathbf{E}_{36}$ FIGURE 47.  $\mathbf{E}_{37}$ FIGURE 48.  $\mathbf{T}_1$



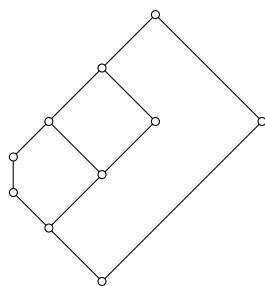


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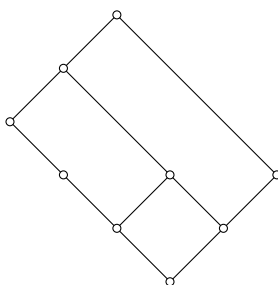


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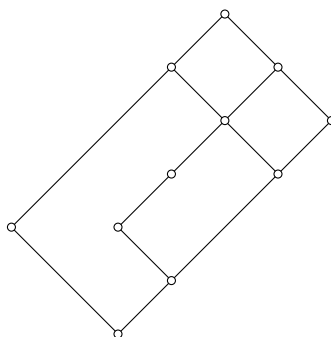
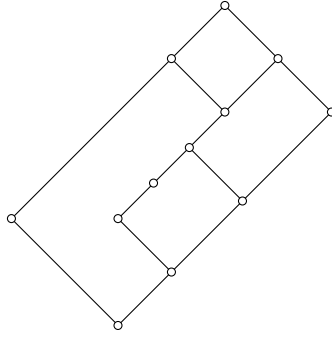


FIGURE 51.  $\mathbf{T}_{17}$

FIGURE 52.  $\mathbf{T}_{18}$

then  $\mathbf{L}$  has a sublattice isomorphic to one of  $\mathbf{E}_{38}, \mathbf{E}_{39}, \mathbf{E}_{39}^d, \mathbf{E}_{40}, \mathbf{E}_{40}^d, \mathbf{E}_{41}, \mathbf{E}_{41}^d, \mathbf{E}_{42}, \mathbf{E}_{42}^d, \mathbf{E}_{43}, \mathbf{E}_{43}^d, \mathbf{E}_{44}, \mathbf{E}_{44}^d, \mathbf{E}_{45}, \mathbf{E}_{45}^d, \mathbf{T}_{21}, \mathbf{T}_{21}^d, \mathbf{T}_{51}, \mathbf{T}_{51}^d, \mathbf{T}_{52}, \mathbf{T}_{52}^d, \mathbf{T}_{53}, \mathbf{T}_{53}^d, \mathbf{T}_{54}, \mathbf{T}_{54}^d, \mathbf{T}_{55}, \mathbf{T}_{55}^d, \mathbf{T}_{56}, \mathbf{T}_{56}^d$ , or one of the previous lattices.

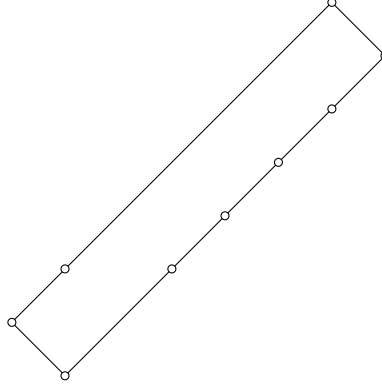


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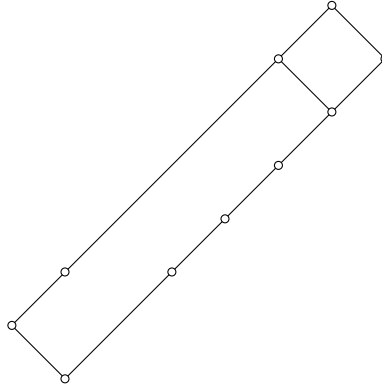
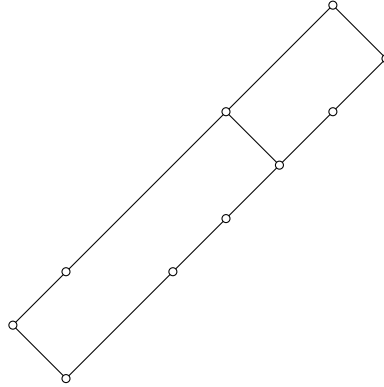
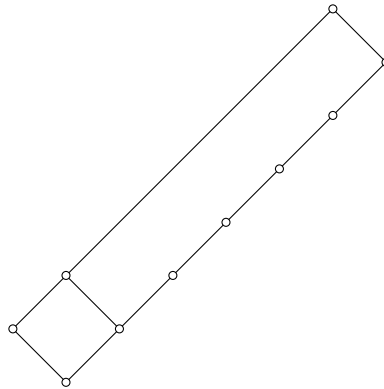
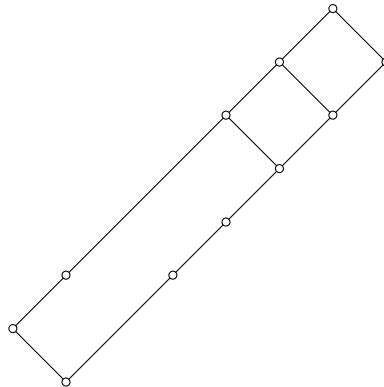


FIGURE 54.  $\mathbf{E}_{39}$

**Theorem 6.** If  $\mathbf{L} - \{p, k\}$  contains elements  $x$  and  $y_0 < y_1 < y_2 < y_3 < y_4$  with  $x \not\leq y_4, y_0 \not\leq x$ , and satisfying

1.  $y_3 > p$  implies  $y_4 \wedge (x \vee y_3) > y_3$ ,
2.  $y_1 < k$  implies  $y_0 \vee (x \wedge y_1) < y_1$ ,

then  $\mathbf{L}$  has a sublattice isomorphic to one of  $\mathbf{T}_7, \mathbf{T}_{61}, \mathbf{T}_{61}^d, \mathbf{T}_{62}, \mathbf{T}_{62}^d, \mathbf{T}_{63}, \mathbf{T}_{63}^d, \mathbf{T}_{64}, \mathbf{T}_{64}^d, \mathbf{T}_{65}, \mathbf{T}_{65}^d, \mathbf{T}_{66}, \mathbf{T}_{66}^d, \mathbf{T}_{67}, \mathbf{T}_{67}^d$ , or one of the previous lattices.

FIGURE 55.  $\mathbf{E}_{40}$ FIGURE 56.  $\mathbf{E}_{41}$ FIGURE 57.  $\mathbf{E}_{42}$

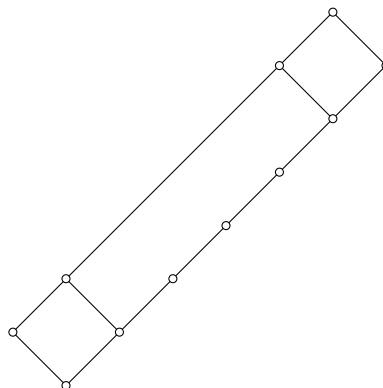


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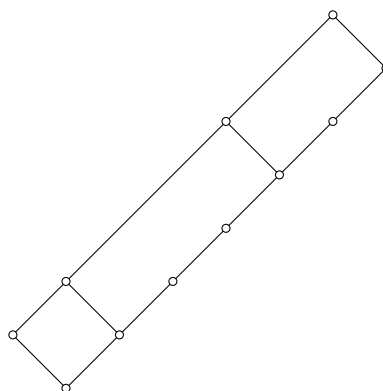


FIGURE 59.  $\mathbf{E}_{44}$

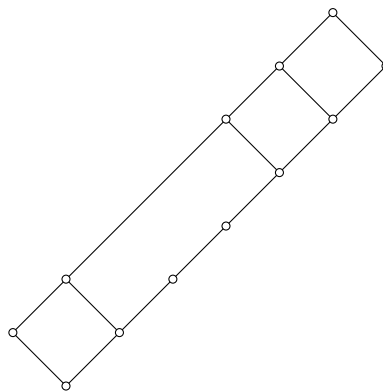
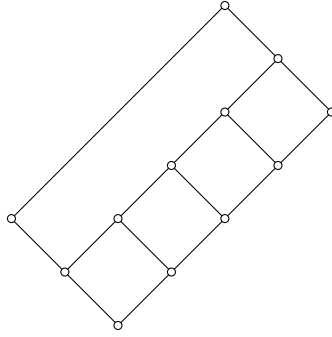
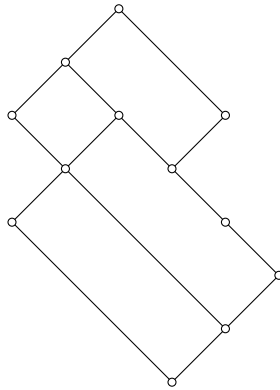
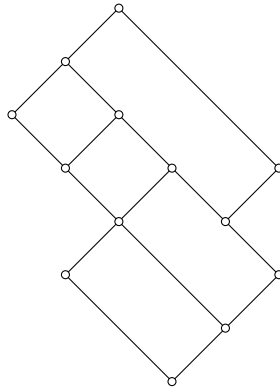


FIGURE 60.  $\mathbf{E}_{45}$

FIGURE 61.  $\mathbf{T}_{21}$ FIGURE 62.  $\mathbf{T}_{51}$ FIGURE 63.  $\mathbf{T}_{52}$

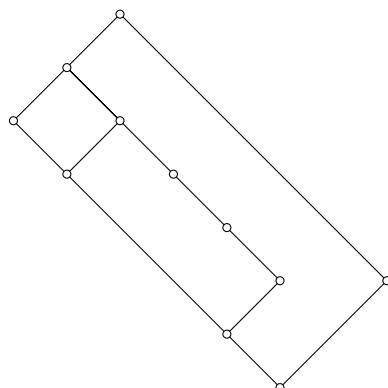


FIGURE 64.  $T_{53}$

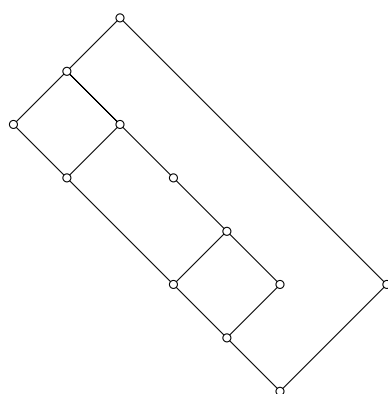


FIGURE 65.  $T_{54}$

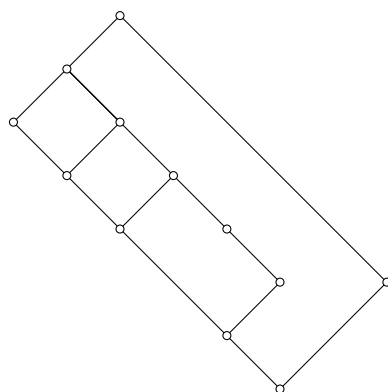
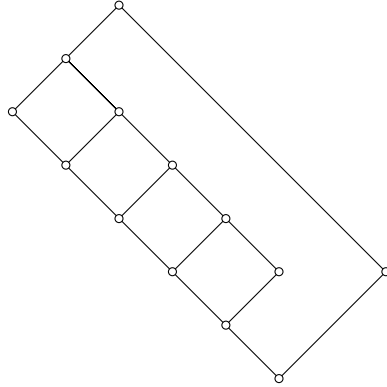
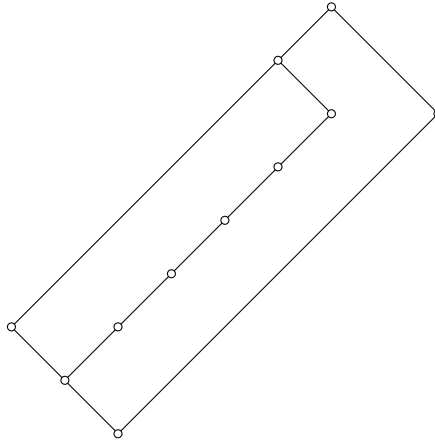
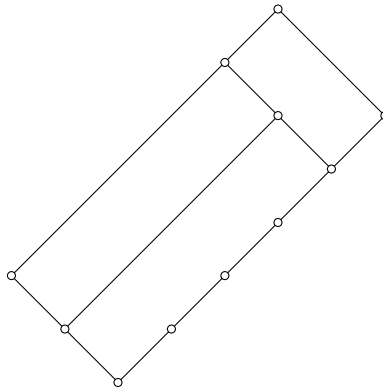


FIGURE 66.  $T_{55}$

FIGURE 67.  $\mathbf{T}_{56}$ FIGURE 68.  $\mathbf{T}_7$ FIGURE 69.  $\mathbf{T}_{61}$



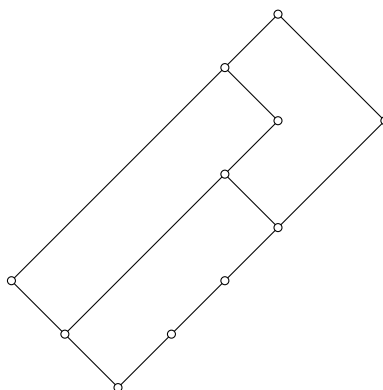
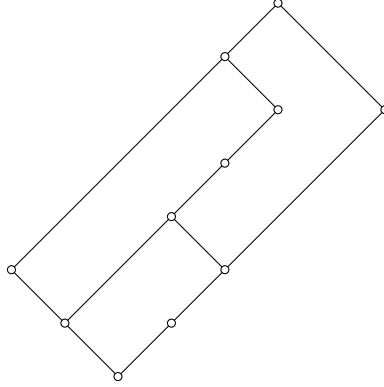
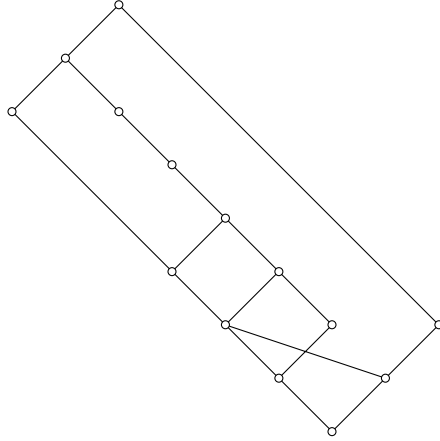


FIGURE 70.  $\mathbf{T}_{62}$

FIGURE 71.  $\mathbf{T}_{63}$ FIGURE 72.  $\mathbf{T}_{64}$ 

**Theorem 7.** Let  $\mathbf{L}$  be a finite, semidistributive, breadth 2 lattice satisfying the following conditions.

1.  $L = 1/p \cup k/0$ .
2.  $\mathbf{L} - \{p, k\}$  contains no 3 element antichain.
3. If  $\mathbf{L} - \{p, k\}$  contains elements  $x_0 < x_1$ ,  $y_0 < y_1$  with  $x_0 \not\leq y_1$ ,  $y_0 \not\leq x_1$ , then either
  - (a)  $p < x_0$  and  $x_1 \wedge (x_0 \vee y_1) = x_0$ , or
  - (b)  $p < y_0$  and  $y_1 \wedge (y_0 \vee x_1) = y_0$ , or
  - (c)  $x_1 < k$  and  $x_0 \vee (x_1 \wedge y_0) = x_1$ , or
  - (d)  $y_1 < k$  and  $y_0 \vee (y_1 \wedge x_0) = y_1$ .
4. If  $\mathbf{L} - \{p, k\}$  contains elements  $x$  and  $y_0 < y_1 < y_2 < y_3$  with  $x \not\leq y_3$ ,  $y_0 \not\leq x$ , then either
  - (a)  $y_3 > p$  and  $y_3 \wedge (x \vee p) \leq y_2$ , or

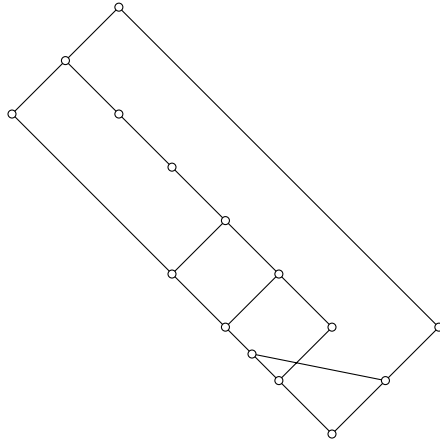


FIGURE 73.  $\mathbf{T}_{65}$

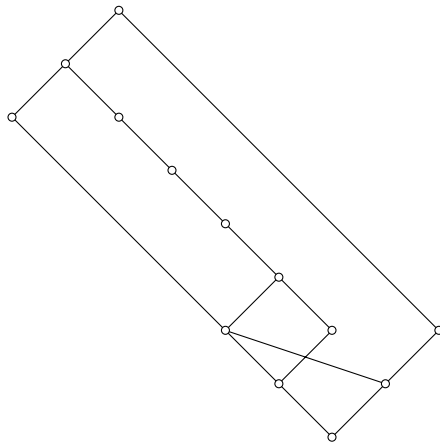


FIGURE 74.  $\mathbf{T}_{66}$

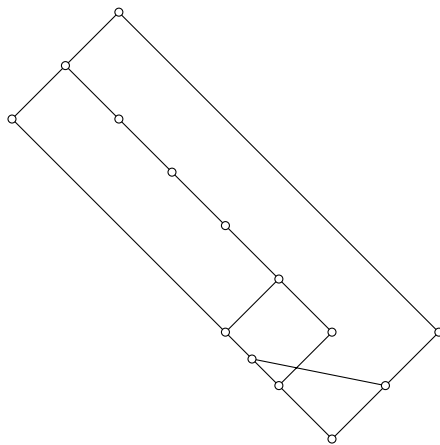


FIGURE 75.  $\mathbf{T}_{67}$

- (b)  $(x \vee p) \wedge (y_3 \vee p) = p$ , or
- (c)  $y_0 < k$  and  $y_0 \vee (x \wedge k) \geq y_1$ , or
- (d)  $(x \wedge k) \vee (y_0 \wedge k) = k$ .

5. If  $\mathbf{L} - \{p, k\}$  contains elements  $x$  and  $y_0 < y_1 < y_2 < y_3 < y_4$  with  $x \not\leq y_4$ ,  $y_0 \not\leq x$ , then either
- (a)  $y_3 > p$  and  $y_4 \wedge (x \vee y_3) = y_3$ , or
  - (b)  $y_1 < k$  and  $y_0 \vee (x \wedge y_1) = y_1$ .

Then the finitely presented lattice  $\mathbf{FQ}(p, k)$  is finite.