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I will discuss a root system uniform, concise combinatorial rule for Schubert calculus in *minuscule* and *cominuscule* flag manifolds G/P . (The latter are also known as *compact Hermitian symmetric spaces*.) We connect this geometry to work of Proctor in poset combinatorics, thereby generalizing the Schutzenberger's *jeu de taquin* formulation of the Littlewood-Richardson rule for computing intersection numbers of Grassmannian Schubert varieties. I will explain the rule, give some background, and, time permitting, give some idea of the proof, including the notion, which we introduce, of *cominuscule recursion*, which is a general technique which relating the structure constants for different Lie types. This talk is based on the preprint (with the same title) [math.AG/0608276](https://arxiv.org/abs/math/0608276). (Received September 11, 2006)