1026-14-82 Alexander Yong\* (ayong@math.umn.edu), Math Dept, University of Minnesota, 127 Vincent Hall, 206 Church Street SE, Minneapolis, MN 55455, and Hugh Thomas (hugh@math.unb.ca), Dept. of mathematics and statistics, University of New Brunswick, Fredericton, NB E3B 5A3, Canada. Cominuscule Schubert calculus and tableau combinatorics.

I will discuss a root system uniform, concise combinatorial rule for Schubert calculus of minuscule and cominuscule flag manifolds G/P. (The latter are also known as compact Hermitian symmetric spaces.) We connect this geometry to the work of [Proctor'04] in poset combinatorics, thereby generalizing [Schützenberger'77]'s jeu de taquin formulation of the Littlewood-Richardson rule for computing intersection numbers of Grassmannian Schubert varieties.

The proof uses *cominuscule recursions*, a general technique relating Schubert numbers for different Lie types. I will also discuss *cominuscule dual equivalence*, a generalization of a concept due to [Haiman'92]. We use this to provide an independent proof of Proctor's results needed in our context, as well as to extend prominent tableau combinatorics such as [Fomin'88]'s growth diagrams and [Schützenberger'63]'s evacuation involution.

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