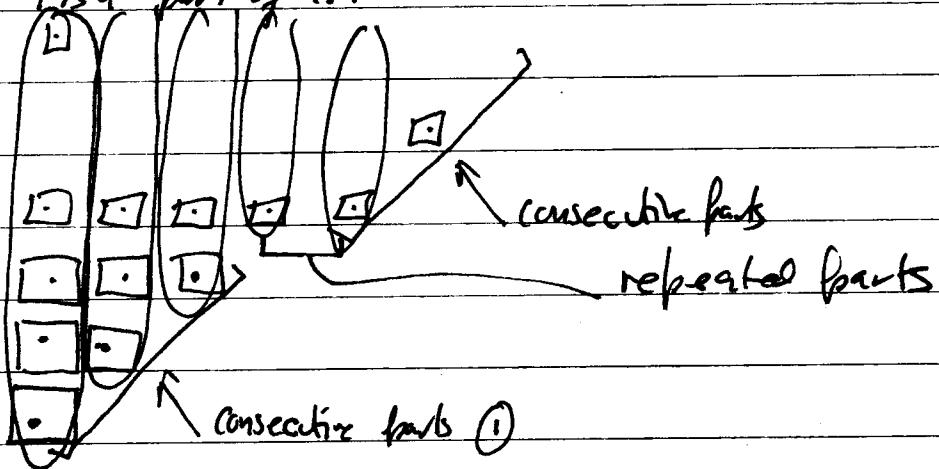


Let λ be a partition into distinct parts with exactly k runs of one or more consecutive parts. (27)

Case 1 1 is a part of λ .



λ' has unique largest part.

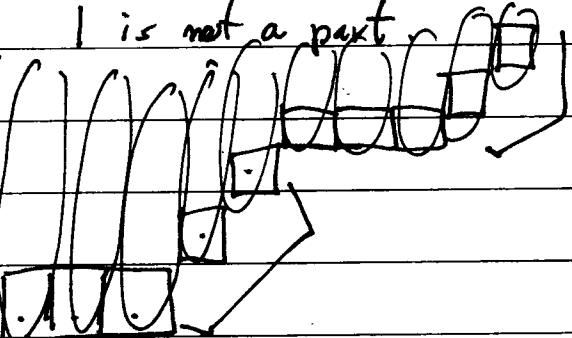
In (1) λ' has consecutive parts

Between groups of consecutive parts λ' has repeated parts.

Hence each part $<$ largest part appears in λ'

and exactly $(k-1)$ parts appear more than once.

Case 2 1 is not a part.



Largest part of λ' is repeated.

again each part $<$ largest part of λ' appears in λ' and exactly k parts appear more than once.