

Measuring bases

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Recollections

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Note, $\mathbb{C}[U]$ is graded by the positive root cone.

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Theorem (GLS)

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$$f \in \mathbb{C}[U]_{-\nu} \mapsto \overline{D}(f) = \sum_{\underline{i} \in \mathsf{Seq}(\nu)} \langle e_{\underline{i}}, f \rangle \overline{D}_{\underline{i}} \in \mathbb{C}[\mathfrak{t}^{\mathsf{reg}}]$$

where

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$$\sqcup_{\tau \in S(\lambda)_{\mu}} X_{\tau} \qquad X_{\tau} = \overline{\mathring{X}_{\tau}^{\mathrm{top}}}$$

where

$$\mathring{X}_{\tau} = \left\{ \mathsf{A} \in \mathbb{T}_{\mu} \cap \mathfrak{n} : \mathsf{A}_{|\lambda^{(i)}|} \in \mathbb{O}_{\lambda^{(i)}} \text{ for } 1 \leq i \leq m \right\}$$

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$$\tau = \tau(Z) \Rightarrow \phi(X_{\tau}) \subset Z$$

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and simply running multidegree in Macaulay2 we found that...

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