NB.04.F2

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1 Proposition {proposition:P1_sing}

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[16]: load("basic_functions.sage")
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We can split the problem into two cases: $P_1 = (1 : i : 0)$ and $P_1 = (1 : 0 : 0)$.

In both cases, we construct the matrix $\Phi(P_1, \dots, P_5)$ for * generic P_2 , P_4 , * P_3 aligned with P_1 and P_2 , * P_5 aligned with P_1 and P_4 .

We show that, actually, the case $P_1 = (1 : i : 0)$ cannot happen.

1.1 Case $P_1 = (1:i:0)$

The conclusion of the computations in this case is that P_1 cannot be singular.

We define the points P_1, \dots, P_5

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[29]: P1 = vector((1, ii, 0))
P2 = vector(S, (A2, B2, C2))
P4 = vector(S, (A4, B4, C4))
P3 = u1*P1+u2*P2
P5 = v1*P1+v2*P4
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Construction of the matrix of all the linear conditions.

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[30]: M1 = condition_matrix([P1, P2, P3, P4, P5], S, standard="all")
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Since the first three rows of M_1 are, respectively, (-3i, 3, 3i, -3, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0), (0,0,0,0,1,i,-1,0,0,0), (0,0,0,0,i,-1,-i,0,0,0) in order to compute the minors of order 10 of M_1 , we can compute the minors of order 8 of the matrix obtained from the rows 3, 4, ..., 14 of M_1 and all the columns of M_1 except columns 1 and 4. If we assume that P_1 is singular, then we have the further condition: (0,1,2i,-3,0,0,0,0,0,0) to add to M_1 , hence we have to manipulate M_1 .

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[31]: rw = vector(S, (0, 1, (2*ii), -3, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0))
for i in range(10):
    M1[1, i] = rw[i]
## Now we can use the first three rows of M1 to simplify M1 with elementary
## row operations

M1.rescale_row(0, 1/(-3*ii))
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M1.rescale_row(2, -ii)
M1.add_multiple_of_row(0, 1, -ii)
for j in range(3, 15):
    M1.add_multiple_of_row(j, 0, -M1[j, 0])
## We check that the first column has all the elements of position 3, 4, ...
## equal to zero:
assert([M1[j, 0] for j in range(3, 15)] == [0 for j in range(3, 15)])
for j in range(3, 15):
   M1.add_multiple_of_row(j, 1, -M1[j, 1])
## We check that the second column has all the elements of position 3, 4, ...
## equal to zero:
assert([M1[j, 1] for j in range(3, 15)] == [0 for j in range(3, 15)])
for j in range(3, 15):
    M1.add_multiple_of_row(j, 2, -M1[j, 4])
## We check that the fifth column has all the elements of position 3, 4, ...
## equal to zero:
assert([M1[j, 4] for j in range(3, 15)] == [0 for j in range(3, 15)])
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Now we can consider the matrix MM given by the rows 3, 4, ..., 14 and all the columns, except 0, 1, 4

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[32]: MM = M1.matrix_from_rows_and_columns(range(3, 15), [2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9])

## Since we have:

assert(tuple(P2[2]*MM[0]-P2[1]*MM[1]+P2[0]*MM[2]) == (0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0))

assert(tuple(P3[2]*MM[3]-P3[1]*MM[4]+P3[0]*MM[5]) == (0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0))

assert(tuple(P4[2]*MM[6]-P4[1]*MM[7]+P4[0]*MM[8]) == (0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0))

assert(tuple(P5[2]*MM[9]-P5[1]*MM[10]+P5[0]*MM[11]) == (0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0))

## in the computation of the order 10 minors of M1 and hence of order 7 minors

## of MM, we can erase many matrices:

rg = Combinations(12, 7)

## given a list of (seven) rows st, the method checks if it

## contains the triplet [0, 1, 2] or [3, 4, 5] or ...

def is_min_sure_zero(st):

return(Set([0, 1, 2]).issubset(Set(st)) or\

Set([3, 4, 5]).issubset(Set(st)) or\
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Set([6, 7, 8]).issubset(Set(st)) or\
Set([9, 10, 11]).issubset(Set(st)))

## select the "good" rows

rg1 = filter(lambda uu: not is_min_sure_zero(uu), rg)
```

First 'long' computation: computation of minors of order 7 (about 38 sec):

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[33]: ttA = cputime()
min7 = [MM.matrix_from_rows(rr).det() for rr in rg1]
print(cputime()-ttA)
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36.945547000000005

We manipulate the minors so that \dots

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[34]: ## division by u1
dt = matrix([P1, P2, P4]).det()

print("some divisions. Can take some time (8 sec).")
ttA = cputime()

min7 = filter(lambda uu: uu != 0, min7)

min7 = [qr_gener(mm, u1) for mm in min7]
min7 = [qr_gener(mm, u2) for mm in min7]
min7 = [qr_gener(mm, v1) for mm in min7]
min7 = [qr_gener(mm, v1) for mm in min7]
min7 = [qr_gener(mm, v2) for mm in min7]
min7 = [qr_gener(mm, dt) for mm in min7]
print(cputime()-ttA)
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some divisions. Can take some time (8 sec). 5.80228099999994

A long computation of a Groebner basis of the ideal of order 7 minors

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[35]: J7 = S.ideal(min7)
ttA = cputime()
gJ7 = J7.groebner_basis()
print(cputime()-ttA)
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0.06705599999999379

Compute some partial saturations

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[36]: ## division by u1 etc
ttA = cputime()
gJ7 = [poly_saturate(mm, u1) for mm in gJ7]
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gJ7 = [poly_saturate(mm, u2) for mm in gJ7]
gJ7 = [poly_saturate(mm, v1) for mm in gJ7]
gJ7 = [poly_saturate(mm, v2) for mm in gJ7]
gJ7 = [poly_saturate(mm, dt) for mm in gJ7]
print(cputime()-ttA)
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0.03796800000000644

Computation of squarefree polynomials. About 2,5 sec.

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[37]: ttA = cputime()
gJ7 = [get_sqrfree(mm) for mm in gJ7]
print(cputime()-ttA)

sgJ7 = S.ideal(gJ7).saturation(u1*u2*v1*v2)[0]
sgJ7 = S.ideal(gJ7).saturation(dt)[0]
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1.6758489999999995

The final ideal is (1), so P_1 cannot be singular.

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[38]: assert(sgJ7 == S.ideal(S.one()))
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Conclusion: in a V-configuration, the point P_1 cannot be both on the isotropic conic and singular for the cubic.

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1.2 Case P_1 = (1:0:0)
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Construction of the matrix $\Phi(P_1, \dots, P_5)$

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Since the first three rows of M_1 are, respectively, (0,1,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0), (0,0,0,0,1,0,0,0,0,0), and (0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0), in order to compute the minors of order 10 of M_1 , we can compute the minors of order 8 of the matrix obtained from the rows 3, 4, ..., 14 of M_1 and all the columns of M_1 except columns 1 and 4. If we assume that P_1 is singular, then we have the further condition: (1,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0) to add to M_1 , hence we can extract from M_1 the matrix without the first three rows and without the columns 0, 1, 4.

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1.9884460000000006

Some saturations. Can take some time

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dt = matrix([P1, P2, P4]).det()
min7 = filter(lambda uu: uu != 0, min7)

min7 = [poly_saturate(mm, u1) for mm in min7]
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min7 = [poly_saturate(mm, v1) for mm in min7]
min7 = [poly_saturate(mm, v2) for mm in min7]
min7 = [poly_saturate(mm, v2) for mm in min7]
min7 = [poly_saturate(mm, dt) for mm in min7]
print(cputime()-ttA)
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0.796539000000001

Computation of a Groebner basis of the ideal of order 7 minors

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[25]: J7 = S.ideal(min7)
ttA = cputime()
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gJ7 = J7.groebner_basis()
print(cputime()-ttA)
print("Groebner basis computed")
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0.05365900000000057

Groebner basis computed

Computed some partial saturations

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[26]: ## division by u1 (1 minute)
ttA = cputime()

gJ7 = [poly_saturate(mm, u1) for mm in gJ7]
gJ7 = [poly_saturate(mm, u2) for mm in gJ7]
gJ7 = [poly_saturate(mm, v1) for mm in gJ7]
gJ7 = [poly_saturate(mm, v2) for mm in gJ7]
gJ7 = [poly_saturate(mm, v2) for mm in gJ7]
gJ7 = [poly_saturate(mm, dt) for mm in gJ7]
print(cputime()-ttA)
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0.03507700000000025

Computation of the primary decomposition of the radical of the ideal gJ7

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[27]: sgJ7 = S.ideal(gJ7).saturation(u1*u2*v1*v2)[0]
sgJ7 = S.ideal(gJ7).saturation(dt)[0]

PD = sgJ7.radical().primary_decomposition()
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We get three ideals, which are: * $(\delta_1(P_1, P_2, P_4), \overline{\delta}_1(P_1, P_4, P_5))$, * $(\delta_1(P_1, P_2, P_4), \overline{\delta}_1(P_1, P_2, P_3))$, * $(\overline{\delta}_1(P_1, P_2, P_3), \overline{\delta}_1(P_1, P_4, P_5))$

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[28]: assert(len(PD) == 3)

assert(PD[0] == S.ideal(delta1(P1, P2, P4), delta1b(P1, P4, P5)))
assert(PD[1] == S.ideal(delta1(P1, P2, P4), delta1b(P1, P2, P3)))
assert(PD[2] == S.ideal(delta1b(P1, P2, P3), delta1b(P1, P4, P5)))
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Conclusion: in a V-configuration, where the point P_1 is not on the isotropic conic, then P_1 is singular for the cubic if and only if * $\delta_1(P_1,P_2,P_4)=0$ and $\bar{\delta}_1(P_1,P_4,P_5)=0$, * $\delta_1(P_1,P_2,P_4)=0$ and $\bar{\delta}_1(P_1,P_2,P_3)=0$, * $\bar{\delta}_1(P_1,P_2,P_3)=0$ and $\bar{\delta}_1(P_1,P_4,P_5)=0$.