We define the following basis of the  $\mathcal{H}_M$  module:

$$\chi^F = -\sum_{G \le F} t^{\operatorname{rk}(F) - \operatorname{rk}(G)} \overline{\chi}_{M_G^F}(t^{-2}) \cdot [G]$$

Now we compute the  $\Delta(\chi^E)$  and compare it to the  $\chi^{E\setminus\{e\}}$  for a non-coloop  $e\in E$ .

**Example 1.** Let  $M = \mathcal{U}(3,4)$  be the uniform matroid on 4 elements and rank 3 with e = 1.

We have

$$\chi^E = [E] - t \cdot ([12] + [13] + [14] + [23] + [24] + [34]) - t^2(t^{-2} - 2) \cdot ([1] + [2] + [3] + [4]) - t^3(3 - 3t^{-2} + t^{-4}) \cdot [\emptyset]$$