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# On the Grobner Basis of the Toric Ideal for $3 \times n$ - Contingency Tables

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#### Abstract

In this paper, The Grobner basis Gr of the Toric Ideal  $I_A$  for  $3 \times n$ - contingency tables related with the Markov basis **B** introduced by Hussein S. MH, Abdulrahman H. M in 2018 is found. Also, the Grobner basis Gr is a reduced and universal Grobner basis are shown.

**Keywords**: Computational algebraic statistics, Toric ideal, Configuration matrix, Grobner basis, Reduced Grobner basis, Universal Grobner basis.

حول أساس كروبنر للمثالية القربنة لجداول الطوارئ من النمط n imes 3 imes n

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الخلاصة في هذا البحث وجد أساس كروبنر Gr للمثالية القرينة I<sub>A</sub> لجداول الطوارئ من النمط n × 3 المتعلق بأساس ماركوف B الذي قدمه حسين سلمان و عبدالرحمن حميد مجيد في 2018 , وايضاً, تم بيان أساس كروبنر Gr هو أساس كروبنر مخفض وشامل.

# 1. Introduction

Let *I* be a finite set and |I| = n, a cell is the element of *I* and it denoted by  $i \in I$ .  $i = i_1 \dots i_m, i$  is often multi-index. A non-negative integer  $x_i \in \mathbb{N} = \{1, 2, \dots\}$  denoted a frequency of the cell *i*. A *contingency table* is a set of frequencies and stated as  $\mathbf{x} = \{x_i\}_{i \in I}$ , with an suitable arrangement of the cell, considered a contingency table  $\mathbf{x} = \{x_i\}_{i \in I} \in \mathbb{N}^n$  as a *n*-dimansional column vector of non-negative integers. The contingency table can be treated as a function from *I* to  $\mathbb{N}$  defined as  $\mathbf{i} \mapsto x_i$ . A *v*-dimantional column vector  $\mathbf{t} = (t_1, \dots, t_v)' \in \mathbb{Z}^v$  as  $t_j = a'_j \mathbf{x}, j = 1, \dots, v$ . Here ' denotes a transpose of the matrix or vector. Also define  $v \times p$  matrix *A*, with its *j*-row being  $a'_j$  given by  $[a'_i]$ 

 $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & 1 \\ \vdots \\ a'_{v} \end{bmatrix}$ , and if  $\mathbf{t} = A\mathbf{x}$  is a *v*-dimensional column vector, we define the set  $T = \{\mathbf{t} : \mathbf{t} = A\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \in \mathbf{t} \}$ 

 $\mathbb{N}^n$  =  $A\mathbb{N}^n \subset \mathbb{Z}^v$ , where denoted  $\mathbb{N}$  is a set of natural numbers. The set of  $\mathbf{x}$ 's for  $\mathbf{t}$ ,  $A^{-1}[\mathbf{t}] = \{\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{N}^n : A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{t}\}$  (**t**-fibers), is treat for result *similar tests*. A set of  $\mathbf{t}$ -fibers deigns a taking apart of  $\mathbb{N}^n$ . An important noting is that  $\mathbf{t}$ -fiber depend on given out of its kernel ker(A). In fact, defined  $\mathbf{x}_1 \sim \mathbf{x}_2 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{x}_1 - \mathbf{x}_2 \in \text{ker}(A)$ . With oneself kernel for different A's, the set of  $\mathbf{t}$ -fibers are the same [1].

(P.Diaconis) and (B.Sturmfels's) publication in 1998 found a new path in the rapid-advancing field of computational algebraic statistics [2] and [3].

In 2000, (M. Dyer), and (C. Greenhill), found a Polynomial-time compute and sampling of contingency tables[4].

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In 2003, (A.Dobra) showed that the only moves have to be inclusive in a Markov basis that connects all contingency tables with fixed marginals [5].

In 2018, (H. Mohammed Hussein), and (A. Majeed), found a Markov basis and toric ideals for  $(25n^3 - 66n^2 + 44n) \times 3 \times n$ - contingency tables with it have a fixed dimensional marginal [6].

In this paper, we find the Grobner basis Gr of the Toric Ideal  $I_A$  for  $3 \times n$ - contingency tables related with the Markov basis **B**, also, we show that the Grobner basis Gr is a reduced and universal Grobner basis.

#### 2. Some Basic Concepts

In this section, we review some basic definitions and notations of the monomial, the support of f, Grobner basis, toric ideals, and configuration matrix that we need in our work.

**Definition** (2.1) [7]: A monomial in the variables  $x_1, x_2, ..., x_k$  is the product of the form  $\prod_{i=1}^k x_i^{a_i} = x_1^{a_1} x_2^{a_2} ... x_k^{a_k}$ , where each  $a_i$  is a nonnegative integer.

**Definition (2.2) [7]:** The degree of the monomial  $\prod_{i=1}^{k} x_i^{a_i} = x_1^{a_1} x_2^{a_2} \dots x_k^{a_k}$  is  $\sum_{i=1}^{k} a_i$ , in particular  $1 = x_1^0 x_2^0 \dots x_k^0$  is a monomial of degree 0.

**Definition** (2.3) [7]: The monomial  $f = \prod_{i=1}^{k} x_i^{a_i}$  divides  $g = \prod_{i=1}^{k} x_i^{b_i}$  if  $a_i \leq b_i$  for all  $1 \leq i \leq k$ , we write  $f \mid g$  if f divides g.

**Definition** (2.4) [7]: Let  $\mu_n$  denote the set of monomials in the variables  $x_1, x_2, ..., x_k$ , let M be a nonempty subset of  $\mu_n$ . A monomial  $f \in M$  is called a minimal element of M if  $g \in M$  and  $g \mid f$ , then f = g.

**Definition (2.5) [7]:** Given a nonzero polynomial  $f = f_1 + f_2 + \dots + f_t$  of K[x], where the notation K stands for one of  $\mathbb{Q}$ ,  $\mathbb{R}$  and  $\mathbb{C}$  and  $f_1, f_2, \dots, f_t$  are monomials with  $f_1 > f_2 > \dots > f_t$ , then the support of f is the set of monomials appearing in f. It is written as supp(f). Thus  $supp(f) = \{f_1, f_2, \dots, f_t\}$  and  $in_{\leq}(f) = f_1$ .

**Definition** (2.6) [7]: The Grobner basis of an ideal  $I \neq \langle 0 \rangle$  of K[x] is a set  $\{f_1, f_2, \dots, f_t\} \subseteq I$  of nonzero polynomials such that  $\{in_{\leq}(f_1), in_{\leq}(f_2), \dots, in_{\leq}(f_t)\}$  is a system of monomial generators of the initial ideal  $in_{\leq}(I)$ , where  $in_{\leq}(I) = \langle in_{\leq}(f) : 0 \neq f \in I \rangle$ .

**Definition** (2.7) [7]: A Grobner basis  $\{f_1, f_2, ..., f_t\}$  of an ideal  $I \neq \langle 0 \rangle$  of K[x] is called reduced Grobner basis if the following conditions are satisfied:

1. The coefficient of  $in_{\leq}(f_i)$  in  $f_i$  is 1 for all  $1 \leq i \leq t$ .

2. If  $i \neq j$ , then none of the monomials belonging to  $supp(f_i)$  is divided by  $in_{\leq}(f_i)$ .

**Definition** (2.8) [8]: A finite Grobner basis  $\{f_1, f_2, ..., f_t\}$  of an ideal  $I_A$  is called a universal Grobner basis and it is denoted by  $u_A$ .

**Definition (2.9)** [7]: Let  $a = [a_1 \ a_2 \ \dots \ a_m]^{/}$  and  $b = [b_1 \ b_2 \ \dots \ b_m]^{/}$ , then the inner product of the vectors a and b is defined as  $a \cdot b = \sum_{i=1}^m a_i b_i$ .

**Definition (2.10)** [7]: Let  $A = (a_{ij})_{1 \le i \le m}$  be a  $m \times n$  matrix and  $a_j = [a_{1j} \ a_{2j} \ \cdots \ a_{mj}]/$ ,

 $1 \le j \le n$  is the column vectors of *A*, a matrix *A* is called a configuration matrix if there exists  $c \in \mathbb{R}^m$  such that  $a_j \cdot c = 1$ ,  $1 \le j \le n$ .

**Remark (2.11) [6]:** Let *n* be a natural number,  $n \ge 2$ , and let  $\mathbf{x}_j \in A^{-1}[t]$ , j = 1, ..., k be the representative elements of the set of  $3 \times n$  -contingency tables and  $\mathbf{B} = \{\mathbf{z}_1, \mathbf{z}_2, ..., \mathbf{z}_k\}$  such that each  $\mathbf{z}_m$ , m = 1, 2, ..., k, is a matrix of dimension  $3 \times n$  either has two non-zero columns and the other columns are zero denoted by  $2\mathbf{z}_m$ , or it has three non-zero columns and the other columns are zero denoted by  $3\mathbf{z}_m$ , like

 $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$ 

Also, we write the elements of **B** as one dimensional column vector as follows:

 $\mathbf{z}_m = (z_1, \dots, z_{3n})', m = 1, \dots, k \text{ and } z_s = 0, 1, -1, 2 \text{ or } -2, s = 1, 2, \dots, 3n \text{ such that}$ If  $s = 1, 2, \dots, n$ , then Iraqi Journal of Science, 2019, Vol. 60, No. 6, pp: 1362-1366

$$z_{s} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } z_{s+n} + z_{s+2n} = -1 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{i} = -1 \\ 2 & \text{if } z_{s+n} + z_{s+2n} = -2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{i} = -2 \\ 0 & \text{if } z_{s+n} + z_{s+2n} = 0 & \text{and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{i} = 0 \\ -1 & \text{if } z_{s+n} + z_{s+2n} = 1 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{i} = 1 \\ -2 & \text{if } z_{s+n} + z_{s+2n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{i} = 2 \\ \text{if } z_{s+n} + z_{s+2n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{i} = 2 \\ \text{if } z_{s+n} + z_{s+2n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{i} = 2 \\ \text{if } z_{s+n} + z_{s+2n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{i} = 2 \\ \text{if } z_{s+n} + z_{s+2n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{i} = 2 \\ \text{if } z_{s+n} + z_{s+2n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{i} = 2 \\ \text{if } z_{s+n} + z_{s+2n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{i} = 2 \\ \text{if } z_{s+n} + z_{s+2n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{i} = 2 \\ \text{if } z_{s+n} + z_{s+2n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{i} = 2 \\ \text{if } z_{s+n} + z_{s+2n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{i} = 2 \\ \text{if } z_{s+n} + z_{s+2n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{i} = 2 \\ \text{if } z_{s+n} + z_{s+2n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{i} = 2 \\ \text{if } z_{s+n} + z_{s+2n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{i} = 2 \\ \text{if } z_{s+n} + z_{s+2n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{i} = 2 \\ \text{if } z_{s+n} + z_{s+2n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{i} = 2 \\ \text{if } z_{s+n} + z_{s+2n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{i} = 2 \\ \text{if } z_{s+n} + z_{s+2n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{i} = 2 \\ \text{if } z_{s+n} + z_{s+2n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{i} = 2 \\ \text{if } z_{s+n} + z_{s+2n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{i} = 2 \\ \text{if } z_{s+n} + z_{s+2n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{s+n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{s+n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{s+n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{s+n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{s+n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ i \neq s}}^{n} z_{s+n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_$$

If s = n + 1, n + 2, ..., 2n, then

$$z_{s} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } z_{s-n} + z_{s+n} = -1 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=n+1 \\ i\neq s}}^{2n} z_{i} = -1 \\ 2 & \text{if } z_{s-n} + z_{s+n} = -2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=n+1 \\ i\neq s}}^{2n} z_{i} = -2 \\ 0 & \text{if } z_{s-n} + z_{s+n} = 0 \quad \text{and } \sum_{\substack{i=n+1 \\ i\neq s}}^{2n} z_{i} = 0 \\ \vdots \\ -1 & \text{if } z_{s-n} + z_{s+n} = 1 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=n+1 \\ i\neq s}}^{2n} z_{i} = 1 \\ \vdots \\ -2 & \text{if } z_{s-n} + z_{s+n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=n+1 \\ i\neq s}}^{2n} z_{i} = 2 \\ \vdots \\ z_{s-n} + z_{s+n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=n+1 \\ i\neq s}}^{2n} z_{i} = 2 \end{cases}$$

$$(2)$$

If s = 2n + 1, 2n + 2, ..., 3n, then

$$z_{s} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } z_{s-n} + z_{s-2n} = -1 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=2n+1 \\ i \neq s}}^{3n} z_{i} = -1 \\ i \neq s} \\ 2 & \text{if } z_{s-n} + z_{s-2n} = -2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=2n+1 \\ i \neq s}}^{3n} z_{i} = -2 \\ 0 & \text{if } z_{s-n} + z_{s-2n} = 0 \quad \text{and } \sum_{\substack{i=2n+1 \\ i \neq s}}^{3n} z_{i} = 0 \\ -1 & \text{if } z_{s-n} + z_{s-2n} = 1 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=2n+1 \\ i \neq s}}^{3n} z_{i} = 1 \\ i \neq s \\ -2 & \text{if } z_{s-n} + z_{s-2n} = 2 \text{ and } \sum_{\substack{i=2n+1 \\ i \neq s}}^{3n} z_{i} = 2 \\ i \neq s \\ i \neq s \end{cases}$$
(3)

#### Theorem (2.12) [6]:

The number of elements in **B** is equal to  $25n^3 - 66n^2 + 41n$ . Remark (2.13) [6]:

Given a contingency table x, the entry of the matrix A in the column indexed by  $x = (x_1, x_2, ..., x_{3n})$  and row  $(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i, \sum_{i=n+1}^{2n} x_i, \sum_{i=2n+1}^{3n} x_i, x_1 + x_{n+1} + x_{2n+1}, x_2 + x_{n+2} + x_{2n+2}, ..., x_n + x_{2n} + x_{3n})$  will be equal to one if  $x_i$  a pears in the  $(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i)$  and it will zero otherwise. Then

Theorem (2.14) [6]:

**B** = { $z_1$ , ...,  $z_{(25n^3-66n^2+41n)}$  } is a set of moves.

Corollary (2.15) [6]:

The set **B** of moves in theorem (2.14) is a Markov basis.

**Corollary (2.16)** [6]: Let **B** is a Markov basis for *A* Then toric ideal  $I_A$  for  $(25n^3 - 66n^2 + 41n) \times 3 \times n$  - contingency tables is  $I_A = \langle P_{i+l} P_{j+r} - P_{j+l} P_{i+r}, P_{i+l}^2 P_{j+r} P_{j+s} - P_{j+l}^2 P_{i+r} P_{i+s}, P_{i+l}^2 P_{j+r} P_{k+r} - P_{i+r}^2 P_{j+l} P_{k+l}, P_{i+l}^2 P_{j+r}^2 P_{k+s} - P_{j+l}^2 P_{i+r} P_{i+s} P_{k+r}, P_{i+l}^2 P_{j+r}^2 P_{k+s}^2 - P_{i+r}^2 P_{j+s}^2 P_{k+l}^2, P_{i+l}^2 P_{j+r}^2 P_{k+s}^2 - P_{i+s} P_{i+r} P_{j+s} P_{j+l} P_{k+r}, P_{i+l}^2 P_{j+r} P_{k+s} - P_{i+r} P_{i+s} P_{j+l} P_{k+l} : i, j, k = 1, 2, ..., n \text{ and } l, s, r = 0, n, 2n$ , such that  $i \neq j \neq k$  and  $l \neq s \neq r > \subset \mathbb{C}[P_1, P_2, ..., P_{3n}]$ .

**Theorem (3.1)**: The matrix A in Remark (2.13) is a configuration matrix. **Proof:** 

Case1: if  $1 \le j \le n$ , then  $a_1 = 1$  and  $a_2 = a_3 = 0 \implies a_j \cdot c = 1$ . Case2: if  $n + 1 \le j \le 2n$ , then  $a_2 = 1$  and  $a_1 = a_3 = 0 \implies a_j \cdot c = 1$ . Case3: if  $2n + 1 \le j \le 3n$ , then  $a_3 = 1$  and  $a_1 = a_2 = 0 \implies a_j \cdot c = 1$ . So,  $a_j \cdot c = 1, 1 \le j \le 3n$ , Therefore A is a configuration matrix from Definition (2.10).

Therefore, *A* is a configuration matrix from Definition (2.10).

**Theorem (3.2)**: The Grobner basis of an ideal  $I_A$  is  $Gr = \{P_{i+l} P_{j+r} - P_{j+l} P_{i+r} : i, j = 1, 2, ..., n \text{ and } l, r = 0, n, 2n$ , such that  $i \neq j$  and  $l < r\}$ . **Proof:** 

To prove Gr is a Grobner basis of an ideal  $I_A$ .

It is clear that  $Gr \subseteq I_A$ ,

From Definition (2.6) we get the system of monomial  $\{in_{\leq}(f): 0 \neq f \in Gr\} = \{P_{i+l} P_{j+r}: i, j = 1, 2, ..., n \text{ and } l, r = 0, n, 2n \text{ , such that } i \neq j \text{ and } l < r\}$ . And

 $in_{<}(I_{A}) = \langle in_{<}(f): 0 \neq f \in I_{A} \rangle = \langle P_{i+l} P_{j+r}, P_{i+l}^{2} P_{j+r} P_{j+s}, P_{i+l}^{2} P_{j+r} P_{k+r},$ 

 $\begin{array}{l} P_{i+l}^{2} P_{j+r}^{2} P_{k+s}, P_{i+l}^{2} P_{j+r}^{2} P_{k+s}^{2}, P_{i+l}^{2} P_{j+r}^{2} P_{k+s}^{2}, P_{i+l}^{2} P_{j+r} P_{k+s} : i, j, k = 1, 2, ..., n \text{ and } l, s, r = 0, n, 2n \quad , \text{ such that } i \neq j \neq k \quad \text{and } l \neq s \neq r > = \langle P_{i+l} P_{j+r} : i, j = 1, 2, ..., n \text{ and } l, r = 0, n, 2n \quad , \text{ such that } i \neq j \text{ and } l \neq r \rangle. \end{array}$ 

So,  $in_{\leq}(I_A) = \langle in_{\leq}(f): 0 \neq f \in Gr \rangle$ , implies that the system of monomial  $\{in_{\leq}(f): 0 \neq f \in Gr\}$  generators of the initial ideal  $in_{\leq}(I)$ .

Then Gr is a Grobner basis of an ideal  $I_A$ .

**Corollary (3.3):** The Grobner basis Gr in Theorem (3.2) is a reduced Grobner basis.

**Proof:** 

Since  $Gr = \{P_{i+l} P_{j+r} - P_{j+l} P_{i+r} : i, j = 1, 2, ..., n \text{ and } l, r = 0, n, 2n$ , such that  $i \neq j$  and  $l < r\}$ ,

Suppose  $f_1, f_2 \in Gr$ , such that  $in_{\leq}(f_2) | f$  where  $f \in supp(f_1)$ Therefore, from Definition of Gr and Definition (2.5) we get  $in_{\leq}(f_2) = P_{i+l} P_{i+r}, l < r$ Then  $supp(f_1) = \{ P_{i+l} P_{j+r}, P_{j+l} P_{i+r} \}, l < r.$ 

From Definition of Gr and Definition (2.3) we get  $f_1 = f_2 = P_{i+l} P_{j+r} - P_{j+l} P_{i+r}$ . Implies that Gr is a reduced Grobner basis from Definition (2.7).

**Corollary (3.4)**: The Grobner basis *Gr* in Theorem (3.2) is a universal Grobner basis.

# **Proof:**

It is clear that Gr is a universal Grobner basis because it is finite by using Theorem (3.2) and Definition (2.8).

**Example (3.5)**: For n = 2, there are 18 moves in a Markov basis **B** according to Theorem (2.14) for  $3 \times 2$ -contingency table, then

$$\mathbf{B} = \begin{cases} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, \\ \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 \\ -2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 2 & -2 \\ -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix}, \\ \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix}, \\ \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 \\ -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -2 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -2 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, \end{cases}$$

By Corollary (2.16) the toric ideal of  $3 \times 2$ - contingency table IΔ

$$= \langle P_1 P_4 - P_2 P_3, P_1 P_6 - P_6 \rangle$$

 $= < P_1 P_4 - P_2 P_3, P_1 P_6 - P_2 P_5,$  $P_3 P_6 - P_4 P_5, P_1^2 P_4 P_6 - P_2^2 P_3 P_5, P_1 P_4^2 P_5 - P_2 P_3^2 P_6, P_1 P_3 P_6^2 - P_2 P_4 P_5^2 > \subset$  $\mathbb{C}[P_1, P_2, P_3, P_4, P_5, P_6].$ 

And from Theorem (3.2) the Grobner basis of an ideal  $I_A$  is  $Gr = \{P_1 P_4 - P_2 P_3, P_1 P_6 - P_2 P_5, P_1 P_6 - P_2 P_6, P_1 P_6 - P_2 P_6 - P_2 P_6, P_1 P_6 - P_2 P_6$  $P_3 P_6 - P_4 P_5$ , since

 $P_1^2 P_4 P_6 - P_2^2 P_3 P_5 = P_1 P_6 (P_1 P_4 - P_2 P_3) + P_2 P_3 (P_1 P_6 - P_2 P_5).$ 

So  $P_1^2 P_4 P_6 - P_2^2 P_3 P_5 \in \langle P_1 P_4 - P_2 P_3, P_1 P_6 - P_2 P_5 \rangle \subseteq \langle Gr \rangle$ . Moreover, in the same type we have  $P_1 P_4^2 P_5 - P_2 P_3^2 P_6 P_1 P_3 P_6^2 - P_2 P_4 P_5^2 \in \langle Gr \rangle$ 

Implies that  $I_A = \langle Gr \rangle$ .

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