

- (10) Display the hilbert series of R^* and explain why it should be of the form

$$F_{R^*}(q) = \prod_{i=1}^3 (1 + q + \cdots + q^{d_i-1})$$

- (11) Construct a basis for the Harmonics of RG .
 (12) Compute a random homogeneous invariant I_6 of degree 6
 (13) Construct the polynomial $Q(y_1, y_2, y_3)$ giving

$$I_6 = Q(I_1, I_2, I_3)$$

- (a) For NGR

- (1) Compute the Hilbert series of its ring of invariants R^{NGR} .
 (2) With a little manipulation you should be able to write it in the form

$$F_{R^{GR}}(q) = \frac{1 + q^{d_4}}{(1 - q^{d_1})(1 - q^{d_2})(1 - q^{d_3})}$$

- (3) Calculate the first 10 terms of this series.
 (4) Explain what the exponents d_1, d_2, d_3, d_4 tell you about the basic systems of "quasi-generators and separators" that you may be able to construct for the ring R^{NGR} .
 (5) Construct three homogeneous GR -invariants I_1, I_2, I_3 of degrees d_1, d_2, d_3
 (6) Verify that I_1, I_2, I_3 are algebraically independent by computing the Jacobian $\|\partial_{x_i} I_j\|_{i,j=1}^4$ (if not go back to (5)).
 (6) Construct a homogeneous invariant η of degree d_4 .
 (7) Construct a polynomial $P(y_1, y_2, y_3, y)$ giving that

$$P(I_1, I_2, I_3, \eta) = 0$$

- (8) Use this result to show that every element $f \in R^{NGR}$ may be written in the form

$$f = P_0(I_1, I_2, I_3) + \eta P_1(I_1, I_2, I_3)$$

with P_0 and P_1 uniquely determined by f . (Hint: Prove that 1 and η constitute a basis for the quotient $R/(I_1, I_2, I_3)$).

- (8) Can you give a good reason why η turns out to be a multiple of the Jacobian $\|\partial_{x_i} I_j\|_{i,j=1}^4$? (Hint: Factor this Jacobian).