

## Time-delay Example 2

Example from the paper by C. Califano, S. Li, C.H. Moog.

Let us consider the following differential time-delay nonlinear system:

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 $\text{eqs} = \{\mathbf{x}_1'[t] \rightarrow 2\mathbf{x}_3[t] (\mathbf{x}_1[t-1] - \mathbf{x}_2[t-1]^3) u_1[t],$ 
 $(\mathbf{x}_2'[t] \rightarrow \mathbf{x}_2[t-1] u_2[t]),$ 
 $\mathbf{x}_3'[t] \rightarrow (\mathbf{x}_1[t-1] - \mathbf{x}_2[t-1]^3) u_1[t]\};$ 
 $\text{vars} = \{\mathbf{x}_1[t], \mathbf{x}_2[t], \mathbf{x}_3[t], u_1[t], u_2[t]\};$ 
 $\text{TableForm}[\text{eqs}]$ 
 $\mathbf{x}_1'[t] \rightarrow 2u_1[t] (\mathbf{x}_1[-1+t] - \mathbf{x}_2[-1+t]^3) \mathbf{x}_3[t]$ 
 $\mathbf{x}_2'[t] \rightarrow u_2[t] \mathbf{x}_2[-1+t]$ 
 $\mathbf{x}_3'[t] \rightarrow u_1[t] (\mathbf{x}_1[-1+t] - \mathbf{x}_2[-1+t]^3)$ 

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Let us introduce the following Ore algebra A of differential time-delay operators

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 $\text{replA} = \text{ModelToReplacementRules}[\text{eqs}, t];$ 
 $A = \text{OreAlgebraWithRelations}[\text{Der}[t], S[-1][t], \text{replA}]$ 
 $K(t)[D_t; 1, D_t][S_t^{-1}]; \#1 /. t \rightarrow t-1 \&, 0 \&]$ 

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and the matrix R of ordinary differential time-delay operators which defines the generic linearization of the above nonlinear system

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 $R = \text{ToOrePolynomialD}[\text{eqs}, \text{vars}, A]$ 
 $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} D_t - 2u_1[t] \mathbf{x}_3[t] (S_t^{-1}), 6u_1[t] \mathbf{x}_2[-1+t]^2 \mathbf{x}_3[t] (S_t^{-1}), \\ -2u_1[t] \mathbf{x}_1[-1+t] + 2u_1[t] \mathbf{x}_2[-1+t]^3, -2\mathbf{x}_1[-1+t] \mathbf{x}_3[t] + 2\mathbf{x}_2[-1+t]^3 \mathbf{x}_3[t], 0 \end{array} \right.,$ 
 $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 0, D_t - u_2[t] (S_t^{-1}), 0, 0, -\mathbf{x}_2[-1+t], \\ -u_1[t] (S_t^{-1}), 3u_1[t] \mathbf{x}_2[-1+t]^2 (S_t^{-1}), D_t, -\mathbf{x}_1[-1+t] + \mathbf{x}_2[-1+t]^3, 0 \end{array} \right\}$ 

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and the left A-module, finitely presented by R, defined by  $M = A^{1 \times 5} / A^{1 \times 3} R$ .

Let us compute the adjoint of R:

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 $\text{MatrixForm}[\text{Radj} = \text{Involution}[R, A]]$ 
 $\left( \begin{array}{ccc} D_t - 2u_1[1-t] \mathbf{x}_3[1-t] (S_t^{-1}) & 0 & -u_1[1-t] (S_t^{-1}) \\ 6u_1[1-t] \mathbf{x}_2[-t]^2 \mathbf{x}_3[1-t] (S_t^{-1}) & D_t - u_2[1-t] (S_t^{-1}) & 3u_1[1-t] \mathbf{x}_2[-t]^2 (S_t^{-1}) \\ -2u_1[-t] \mathbf{x}_1[-1-t] + 2u_1[-t] \mathbf{x}_2[-1-t]^3 & 0 & D_t \\ -2\mathbf{x}_1[-1-t] \mathbf{x}_3[-t] + 2\mathbf{x}_2[-1-t]^3 \mathbf{x}_3[-t] & 0 & -\mathbf{x}_1[-1-t] + \mathbf{x}_2[-1-t]^3 \\ 0 & -\mathbf{x}_2[-1-t] & 0 \end{array} \right)$ 

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Let us check whether or not M is torsion-free:

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 $\{\text{Ann}, \text{Rp}, \text{Q}\} = \text{Exti}[\text{Radj}, A, 1];$ 
 $\text{Ann}$ 
 $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \{D_t, 0, 0, 0\}, \{0, -u_1[t] D_t + u_1'[t], 0, 0\}, \\ \{0, 0, -u_1[t] u_2[t] D_t + (u_2[t] u_1'[t] + u_1[t] u_2'[t]), 0\}, \{0, 0, 0, \\ (-u_1[-2+t] u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^3 u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t]^3 \mathbf{x}_2[-2+t]^3 \mathbf{x}_2[-1+t]^2 + u_1[-2+t] \\ u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^3 u_2[-2+t]^2 u_2[-1+t]^2 \mathbf{x}_2[-3+t] \mathbf{x}_2[-2+t] \mathbf{x}_2[-1+t]^3) D_t (S_t^{-1}) + \\ (-2u_1[-2+t]^2 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t] u_2[-2+t]^3 u_2[-1+t] \mathbf{x}_2[-3+t]^4 \mathbf{x}_2[-2+t] + \end{array} \right\}$ 

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$$\begin{aligned}
& 2 u_1[-2+t]^2 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t] u_2[-3+t] u_2[-2+t]^2 u_2[-1+t] \\
& x_2[-4+t] x_2[-3+t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^2) D_t + (3 u_1[-2+t] u_1[-1+t] \\
& u_1[t]^3 u_2[-2+t]^2 u_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^2 - \\
& 3 u_1[-2+t] u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^3 u_2[-2+t]^3 u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-3+t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^3 + \\
& u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^3 u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t]^2 u_1'[-2+t] - \\
& u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^3 u_2[-2+t]^2 u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^3 u_1'[-2+t] + \\
& 2 u_1[-2+t] u_1[t]^3 u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t]^2 u_1'[-1+t] - \\
& 2 u_1[-2+t] u_1[t]^3 u_2[-2+t]^2 u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t] \\
& x_2[-1+t]^3 u_1'[-1+t] + u_1[-2+t] u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^3 u_2[-1+t]^3 \\
& x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t]^2 u_2'[-2+t] - u_1[-2+t] u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^3 \\
& u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^3 u_2'[-2+t]) (S_t^{-1}) + \\
& (6 u_1[-2+t]^2 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t] u_2[-2+t]^4 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-3+t]^5 - \\
& 6 u_1[-2+t]^2 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t] u_2[-3+t] u_2[-2+t]^3 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-4+t] \\
& x_2[-3+t]^3 x_2[-2+t] + 2 u_1[-2+t]^2 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] u_2[-2+t]^3 u_2[-1+t] \\
& x_2[-3+t]^4 x_2[-2+t] u_1'[-1+t] - 2 u_1[-2+t]^2 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] u_2[-3+t] \\
& u_2[-2+t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-4+t] x_2[-3+t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^2 u_1'[-1+t] + \\
& 4 u_1[-2+t]^2 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_2[-2+t]^3 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-3+t]^4 x_2[-2+t] u_1'[t] - \\
& 4 u_1[-2+t]^2 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_2[-3+t] u_2[-2+t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-4+t] \\
& x_2[-3+t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^2 u_1'[-t] + 2 u_1[-2+t]^2 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t] u_2[-2+t]^3 \\
& x_2[-3+t]^4 x_2[-2+t] u_2'[-1+t] - 2 u_1[-2+t]^2 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t] \\
& u_2[-3+t] u_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-4+t] x_2[-3+t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^2 u_2'[-1+t]) \}, \\
& \{0, 0, 0, (-u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t] + \\
& u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t]^2 u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^2) D_t^2 + \\
& (2 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t]^4 x_2[-2+t]^4 + \\
& u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t]^2 u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] - \\
& 2 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t]^2 u_2[-2+t]^2 u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-3+t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^2 - \\
& u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t]^2 u_2[-3+t] u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-4+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 + \\
& 2 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t] u_1'[-1+t] - \\
& 2 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 \\
& u_1'[-1+t] + 4 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t] u_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t] u_1'[t] - \\
& 4 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t] u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 u_1'[-t] - \\
& u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 u_2'[-2+t] + \\
& 3 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t] u_2'[-1+t] - 2 u_1[-1+t]^2 \\
& u_1[t]^2 u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t] x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 u_2'[-1+t]) D_t + \\
& (-6 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t]^2 u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t]^4 x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t]^3 + \\
& 3 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t]^2 u_2[-2+t]^2 u_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[-3+t]^2 x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t] + \\
& 3 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t]^2 u_2[-3+t] u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[-4+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 \\
& x_2[-1+t] - 2 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t]^4 x_2[-2+t]^4 u_1'[-1+t] - \\
& u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] u_1'[-1+t] + \\
& 2 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-2+t]^2 u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-3+t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^2 u_1'[-1+t] + \\
& u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-3+t] u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-4+t] x_2[-2+t] \\
& x_2[-1+t]^2 u_1'[-1+t] - 2 u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t] u_1'[-1+t]^2 + \\
& 2 u_1[t]^2 u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 u_1'[-1+t]^2 - \\
& 4 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t] u_2[-1+t]^4 x_2[-2+t]^4 u_1'[t] - \\
& 2 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t] u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] u_1'[t] + \\
& 4 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t] u_2[-2+t]^2 u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-3+t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^2 u_1'[t] + \\
& 2 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t] u_2[-3+t] u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-4+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 \\
& u_1'[-t] - 4 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] u_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t] u_1'[-1+t] u_1'[t] + \\
& 4 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^2
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& u_1'[-1+t] u_1'[t] - 6 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t] u_1'[t]^2 + \\
& 6 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 u_1'[t]^2 + \\
& 3 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] u_2'[-2+t] + \\
& u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 u_1'[-1+t] u_2'[-2+t] + \\
& 2 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t] u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 u_1'[t] u_2'[-2+t] - \\
& 2 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[-2+t]^4 u_2'[-1+t] - 4 u_1[-1+t]^2 \\
& \quad u_1[t]^2 u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] u_2'[-1+t] + \\
& 2 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t]^2 u_2[-2+t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-3+t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^2 u_2'[-1+t] + \\
& u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t]^2 u_2[-3+t] u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t] x_2[-4+t] x_2[-2+t] \\
& \quad x_2[-1+t]^2 u_2'[-1+t] - 3 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^3 \\
& \quad x_2[-1+t] u_1'[-1+t] u_2'[-1+t] + 2 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-2+t] \\
& \quad u_2[-1+t] x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 u_1'[-1+t] u_2'[-1+t] - \\
& 6 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t] u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t] u_1'[t] u_2'[-1+t] + 4 u_1[-1+t]^2 \\
& \quad u_1[t] u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t] x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 u_1'[t] u_2'[-1+t] + \\
& u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 u_2'[-2+t] u_2'[-1+t] - \\
& 3 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t] u_2'[-1+t]^2 + \\
& 2 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t]^2 u_2[-2+t] x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 u_2'[-1+t]^2 + \\
& u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t] u_1''[-1+t] - \\
& u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 u_1''[-1+t] + \\
& 2 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t] u_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t] u_1''[t] - \\
& 2 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t] u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 u_1''[t] + \\
& u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t] u_2''[-1+t] - u_1[-1+t]^2 \\
& \quad u_1[t]^2 u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t] x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 u_2''[-1+t] \} \}
\end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
& \{1, 0, -2 x_3[t], 0, 0\}, \{0, -3 u_1[t] x_2[-1+t]^2 (S_t^{-1}), \\
& \quad -D_t + 2 u_1[t] x_3[-1+t] (S_t^{-1}), x_1[-1+t] - x_2[-1+t]^3, 0\}, \\
& \{0, -3 u_1[t] x_2[-1+t]^2 D_t, -u_2[t] D_t + 2 u_1[t] u_2[t] x_3[-1+t] (S_t^{-1}), \\
& \quad u_2[t] x_1[-1+t] - u_2[t] x_2[-1+t]^3, 3 u_1[t] x_2[-1+t]^3\}, \\
& \{0, 0, u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] D_t^2 + \\
& \quad (-u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-1+t]^3 - 2 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] x_3[-1+t]) \\
& \quad D_t (S_t^{-1}) + 2 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-1+t]^3 x_3[-2+t] (S_t^{-1})^2 + \\
& \quad (-2 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^3 - u_1[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] u_1'[t]) \\
& \quad D_t + (-2 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t]^2 x_1[-2+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] + 2 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t]^2 \\
& \quad x_2[-2+t]^5 x_2[-1+t] + 4 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^3 x_3[-1+t]) (S_t^{-1}), \\
& \quad (-u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] x_1[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] + \\
& \quad u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^4) D_t + \\
& \quad (u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_1[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^3 - u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t]^3) \\
& \quad (S_t^{-1}) + (2 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] u_2[-1+t] x_1[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^3 + \\
& \quad u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t]^3 - \\
& \quad 2 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t] x_1[-2+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] x_3[-1+t] + \\
& \quad 2 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t] x_2[-2+t]^5 x_2[-1+t] x_3[-1+t] + u_1[-1+t] x_1[-1+t] \\
& \quad x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] u_1'[t] - u_1[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^4 u_1'[t]), \\
& \quad 3 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t]^3 (S_t^{-1})\} \}
\end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
& \left\{ \{0, -6x_1[-1+t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[t]^3 x_3[t] + 12x_1[-1+t] x_2[-1+t]^5 x_2[t]^3 x_3[t] - \right. \\
& \quad 6x_2[-1+t]^8 x_2[t]^3 x_3[t], -6u_1[t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t]^4 x_2[t]^3 x_3[t] (S_t^{-1}) \}, \\
& \{x_1[t] x_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[t] - x_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[t]^4, -2x_1[-1+t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[t] x_3[t] + \right. \\
& \quad 4x_1[-1+t] x_2[-1+t]^5 x_2[t] x_3[t] - 2x_2[-1+t]^8 x_2[t] x_3[t], \\
& u_1[1+t] x_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[t]^2 x_2[1+t]^3 D_t - 2u_1[t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t]^4 x_2[t] x_3[t] \\
& \quad (S_t^{-1}) + (3u_1[1+t] u_2[1+t] x_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[t]^3 x_2[1+t]^2 + \\
& \quad 4u_1[1+t] u_2[t] x_2[-1+t]^4 x_2[t] x_2[1+t]^3 + 3u_1[1+t] u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t] \\
& \quad x_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[t]^2 x_2[1+t]^3 + 2x_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[t]^2 x_2[1+t]^3 u_1'[1+t]) \}, \\
& \{0, -3x_1[-1+t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[t]^3 + 6x_1[-1+t] x_2[-1+t]^5 x_2[t]^3 - \\
& \quad 3x_2[-1+t]^8 x_2[t]^3, -3u_1[t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t]^4 x_2[t]^3 (S_t^{-1}) \}, \\
& \{3u_1[t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^3 (S_t^{-1}), \\
& \quad (-3x_1[-1+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[t]^3 + 3x_2[-1+t]^5 x_2[t]^3) D_t + \\
& \quad (-9u_2[t] x_1[-1+t] x_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[t]^2 + 9u_2[t] x_2[-1+t]^6 x_2[t]^2 - \\
& \quad 6u_2[-1+t] x_1[-1+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t] x_2[t]^3 + 24u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t] \\
& \quad x_2[-1+t]^4 x_2[t]^3 - 12u_1[-1+t] x_1[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[t]^3 x_3[-1+t] + \\
& \quad 12u_1[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[t]^3 x_3[-1+t]), 0 \}, \\
& \left\{ (x_1[t] x_2[-1+t] x_2[t] - x_2[-1+t] x_2[t]^4) D_t + \right. \\
& \quad (-u_2[t] x_1[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 + u_2[t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^3) (S_t^{-1}) + \\
& \quad (u_2[t] x_1[t] x_2[-1+t]^2 + 2u_2[-1+t] x_1[t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[t] - \\
& \quad 4u_2[t] x_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[t]^3 - 2u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[t]^4 + \\
& \quad 2u_1[t] x_1[-1+t] x_2[-1+t] x_2[t] x_3[t] - 2u_1[t] x_2[-1+t]^4 x_2[t] x_3[t]), \\
& \{-2x_1[-1+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] x_2[t] x_3[t] + 4x_1[-1+t] x_2[-1+t]^4 x_2[t] x_3[t] - \\
& \quad 2x_2[-1+t]^7 x_2[t] x_3[t]\} D_t + (2u_2[t] x_1[-2+t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^2 x_3[-1+t] - \\
& \quad 4u_2[t] x_1[-2+t] x_2[-2+t]^5 x_3[-1+t] + 2u_2[t] x_2[-2+t]^8 x_3[-1+t]) (S_t^{-1}) + \\
& \{-2u_1[t] x_1[-1+t]^3 x_2[-1+t] x_2[t] + 6u_1[t] x_1[-1+t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^4 x_2[t] - \\
& \quad 6u_1[t] x_1[-1+t] x_2[-1+t]^7 x_2[t] + 2u_1[t] x_2[-1+t]^{10} x_2[t] - \\
& \quad 2u_2[t] x_1[-1+t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^2 x_3[t] + 4u_2[t] x_1[-1+t] x_2[-1+t]^5 x_3[t] - \\
& \quad 2u_2[t] x_2[-1+t]^8 x_3[t] - 4u_2[-1+t] x_1[-1+t]^2 x_2[-2+t] x_2[t] x_3[t] + \\
& \quad 20u_2[-1+t] x_1[-1+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[t] x_3[t] - \\
& \quad 16u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^6 x_2[t] x_3[t] - \\
& \quad 8u_1[-1+t] x_1[-2+t] x_1[-1+t] x_2[-1+t] x_2[t] x_3[-1+t] x_3[t] + \\
& \quad 8u_1[-1+t] x_1[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t] x_2[t] x_3[-1+t] x_3[t] + \\
& \quad 8u_1[-1+t] x_1[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^4 x_2[t] x_3[-1+t] x_3[t] - \\
& \quad 8u_1[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t]^4 x_2[t] x_3[-1+t] x_3[t]), \\
& u_1[1+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[t]^2 x_2[1+t]^3 D_t^2 + (-u_1[t] u_2[t] x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t] x_2[t]^3 - \\
& \quad 2u_1[t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[t] x_3[t]) D_t (S_t^{-1}) + \\
& 2u_1[-1+t]^2 u_2[t] x_2[-3+t]^3 x_2[-2+t]^4 x_3[-1+t] (S_t^{-1})^2 + \\
& (6u_1[1+t] u_2[1+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[t]^3 x_2[1+t]^2 + \\
& \quad 6u_1[1+t] u_2[t] x_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[t] x_2[1+t]^3 + 6u_1[1+t] u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t] \\
& \quad x_2[-1+t] x_2[t]^2 x_2[1+t]^3 + 3x_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[t]^2 x_2[1+t]^3 u_1'[1+t]) D_t + \\
& (-2u_1[t]^3 x_1[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[t] + \\
& \quad 2u_1[t]^3 x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t]^6 x_2[t] - 3u_1[t] u_2[t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[t]^2 - \\
& \quad 4u_1[t] u_2[-1+t] u_2[t] x_2[-2+t]^4 x_2[t]^3 - 3u_1[t] u_2[-2+t] u_2[t] x_2[-3+t] \\
& \quad x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] x_2[t]^3 - 2u_1[t]^2 u_2[t] x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t]^4 x_3[t] - \\
& \quad 8u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^4 x_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[t] x_3[t] - \\
& \quad 6u_1[t]^2 u_2[-2+t] x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[t] x_3[t] - 2u_2[t] x_2[-2+t]^3
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left( x_2[-1+t] x_2[t]^3 u_1'[t] - 4 u_1[t] x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[t] x_3[t] u_1'[t] \right) (s_t^{-1}) + \\
& \left( 6 u_1[1+t] u_2[1+t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[t]^4 x_2[1+t] + \right. \\
& 21 u_1[1+t] u_2[1+t] x_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[t]^2 x_2[1+t]^2 + \\
& 18 u_1[1+t] u_2[-1+t] u_2[1+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t] x_2[t]^3 x_2[1+t]^2 + \\
& 4 u_1[1+t] u_2[t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^4 x_2[1+t]^3 + 22 u_1[1+t] u_2[-1+t] u_2[t] x_2[-2+t] \\
& x_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[t] x_2[1+t]^3 + 6 u_1[1+t] u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[t]^2 x_2[1+t]^3 + \\
& 3 u_1[1+t] u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t] x_2[-3+t] x_2[-1+t] x_2[t]^2 x_2[1+t]^3 + \\
& 9 u_2[1+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[t]^3 x_2[1+t]^2 u_1'[1+t] + 8 u_2[t] x_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[t] \\
& x_2[1+t]^3 u_1'[1+t] + 9 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t] x_2[t]^2 x_2[1+t]^3 u_1'[1+t] + \\
& 3 u_1[1+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t] x_2[t]^2 x_2[1+t]^3 u_2'[-1+t] + \\
& 4 u_1[1+t] x_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[t] x_2[1+t]^3 u_2'[t] + 3 u_1[1+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 \\
& x_2[t]^3 x_2[1+t]^2 u_2'[1+t] + 2 x_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[t]^2 x_2[1+t]^3 u_1''[1+t] \left. \right\} \}
\end{aligned}$$

Since the first matrix is not identity, we deduce that M admits nontrivial torsion elements and thus the corresponding system admits autonomous elements  $\tau[1], \dots, \tau[4]$ , defined by:

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aut = AutonomousElements[R,
{dx1[t], dx2[t], dx3[t], du1[t], du2[t]}, τ, A, Relations → True];

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$$\begin{aligned}
& \{\tau[1][t] \rightarrow dx_1[t] - 2 dx_3[t] x_3[t], \tau[2][t] \rightarrow -3 dx_2[-1+t] u_1[t] x_2[-1+t]^2 + \\
& du_1[t] (x_1[-1+t] - x_2[-1+t]^3) + 2 dx_3[-1+t] u_1[t] x_3[-1+t] - dx_3'[-t], \\
& \tau[3][t] \rightarrow 3 du_2[t] u_1[t] x_2[-1+t]^3 + du_1[t] u_2[t] (x_1[-1+t] - x_2[-1+t]^3) + \\
& 2 dx_3[-1+t] u_1[t] u_2[t] x_3[-1+t] - 3 u_1[t] x_2[-1+t]^2 dx_2'[-t] - u_2[t] dx_3'[-t], \\
& \tau[4][t] \rightarrow 3 du_2[-1+t] u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^3 x_2[-1+t]^3 + \\
& du_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t] (x_1[-2+t] - x_2[-2+t]^3) x_2[-1+t]^3 + \\
& 2 dx_3[-2+t] u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-1+t]^3 x_3[-2+t] + \\
& 2 dx_3[-1+t] u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^2 \\
& (u_1[-1+t] (-x_1[-2+t] + x_2[-2+t]^3) x_2[-1+t] + 2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t] x_3[-1+t]) + \\
& u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] (-x_1[-1+t] + x_2[-1+t]^3) du_1'[-t] - u_1[t]^2 \\
& x_2[-1+t] (u_2[-1+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 + 2 u_1[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_3[-1+t]) dx_3'[-1+t] - \\
& u_1[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 dx_3'[-t] (2 u_1[t] u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t] + x_2[-1+t] u_1'[-t]) + \\
& du_1[t] u_1[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 (u_1[t] (u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t] (2 x_1[-1+t] + x_2[-1+t]^3) + \\
& 2 u_1[-1+t] (-x_1[-2+t] + x_2[-2+t]^3) x_2[-1+t] x_3[-1+t]) + x_2[-1+t] \\
& (x_1[-1+t] - x_2[-1+t]^3) u_1'[-t]) + u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] dx_3''[-t]
\end{aligned}$$

The autonomous elements  $\tau[1], \dots, \tau[4]$  satisfy the following equations:

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$$\begin{aligned}
& \{\tau[1]'[t] = 0, \tau[2][t] u_1'[t] - u_1[t] \tau[2]'[t] = 0, \\
& u_1[t] \tau[3][t] u_2'[t] + u_2[t] (\tau[3][t] u_1'[t] - u_1[t] \tau[3]'[t]) = 0, \\
& u_1[t]^3 u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^2 \\
& (u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 - u_2[-2+t] x_2[-3+t] x_2[-1+t]) \tau[4][-1+t] \\
& (u_1[-1+t] u_2[-2+t] x_2[-2+t] u_1'[-2+t] + u_1[-2+t] (2 u_2[-2+t] x_2[-2+t] \\
& u_1'[-1+t] + u_1[-1+t] (3 u_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-3+t] + x_2[-2+t] u_2'[-2+t]))) + \\
& 2 u_1[-2+t]^2 u_1[-1+t] u_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-3+t]^2 (u_2[-2+t] x_2[-3+t]^2 - \\
& u_2[-3+t] x_2[-4+t] x_2[-2+t]) \tau[4][t] \\
& (u_1[t] u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t] u_1'[-1+t] + u_1[-1+t] (2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t] u_1'[-t] + \\
& u_1[t] (3 u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t] x_2[-3+t] + x_2[-2+t] u_2'[-1+t]))) + \\
& u_1[-2+t] u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^3 u_2[-2+t] u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^2
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left( -u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 + u_2[-2+t] x_2[-3+t] x_2[-1+t] \right) \tau[4]'[-1+t] + \\
& 2 u_1[-2+t]^2 u_1[-1+t]^2 u_1[t] u_2[-2+t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-3+t]^2 x_2[-2+t] \\
& \left( -u_2[-2+t] x_2[-3+t]^2 + u_2[-3+t] x_2[-4+t] x_2[-2+t] \right) \tau[4]'[t] = 0, \\
& 2 u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t] \\
& \left( -u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 + u_2[-2+t] x_2[-3+t] x_2[-1+t] \right) \tau[4][t] u_1'[-1+t]^2 + \\
& u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] u_2[-1+t] \left( 4 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t] \right) \tau[4][t] u_1'[-1+t] \\
& \left( -u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 + u_2[-2+t] x_2[-3+t] x_2[-1+t] \right) \tau[4][t] u_1'[-1+t] \\
& u_1'[t] + u_1[t] \left( -2 u_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[-2+t]^4 \tau[4][t] u_1'[-1+t] + 2 u_2[-2+t] \right. \\
& \quad \left. x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 \tau[4][t] u_1'[-1+t] u_2'[-1+t] + u_2[-1+t]^2 \right. \\
& \quad \left. x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] \left( -u_2[-2+t] x_2[-3+t] \tau[4][t] u_1'[-1+t] + x_2[-2+t] \right) \right. \\
& \quad \left. (2 u_1'[-1+t] \tau[4]'[t] + \tau[4][t] u_1''[-1+t])) + u_2[-1+t] x_2[-1+t] \right. \\
& \quad \left. (2 u_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-3+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] \tau[4][t] u_1'[-1+t] + x_2[-2+t] \tau[4][t] \right. \\
& \quad \left. u_1'[-1+t] \left( x_2[-3+t] x_2[-1+t] u_2'[-2+t] - 3 x_2[-2+t]^2 u_2'[-1+t] \right) + \right. \\
& \quad \left. u_2[-2+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t] \left( u_2[-3+t] x_2[-4+t] \tau[4][t] u_1'[-1+t] - \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. x_2[-3+t] (2 u_1'[-1+t] \tau[4]'[t] + \tau[4][t] u_1''[-1+t])) \right) ) + \\
& u_1[-1+t]^2 \left( 6 u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t] \left( -u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. + u_2[-2+t] x_2[-3+t] x_2[-1+t] \right) \tau[4][t] u_1'[t]^2 + \right. \\
& 2 u_1[t] u_2[-1+t] \left( -2 u_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[-2+t]^4 \tau[4][t] u_1'[t] + \right. \\
& \quad \left. 2 u_2[-2+t] x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 \tau[4][t] u_1'[t] u_2'[-1+t] + \right. \\
& \quad \left. u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] \left( -u_2[-2+t] x_2[-3+t] \tau[4][t] u_1'[t] + \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. x_2[-2+t] (2 u_1'[t] \tau[4]'[t] + \tau[4][t] u_1''[t])) + u_2[-1+t] x_2[-1+t] \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. (2 u_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-3+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] \tau[4][t] u_1'[t] + x_2[-2+t] \tau[4][t] \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. u_1'[t] \left( x_2[-3+t] x_2[-1+t] u_2'[-2+t] - 3 x_2[-2+t]^2 u_2'[-1+t] \right) + \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. u_2[-2+t] x_2[-2+t] x_2[-1+t] \left( u_2[-3+t] x_2[-4+t] \tau[4][t] \right. \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. \left. u_1'[t] - x_2[-3+t] (2 u_1'[t] \tau[4]'[t] + \tau[4][t] u_1''[t])) \right) + u_1[t]^2 \right. \\
& \left. (u_2[-2+t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-3+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] \left( 3 u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-2+t] \tau[4][t] + \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. 2 x_2[-1+t] \tau[4][t] u_2'[-1+t] - 2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-1+t] \tau[4]'[t] \right) + \right. \\
& \quad \left. u_2[-2+t] x_2[-2+t] \left( -6 u_2[-1+t]^4 x_2[-3+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 \tau[4][t] + \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. 2 x_2[-3+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 \tau[4][t] u_2'[-1+t]^2 + u_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[-2+t] \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. x_2[-1+t] (3 u_2[-3+t] x_2[-4+t] \tau[4][t] + x_2[-3+t] \tau[4]'[t]) + \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. u_2[-1+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 (u_2[-3+t] x_2[-4+t] \tau[4][t] u_2'[-1+t] - \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. x_2[-3+t] (2 u_2'[-1+t] \tau[4]'[t] + \tau[4][t] u_2''[-1+t])) + \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] (-u_2[-3+t] x_2[-4+t] x_2[-1+t] \tau[4]'[t] + \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. x_2[-3+t] (-4 x_2[-2+t] \tau[4][t] u_2'[-1+t] + x_2[-1+t] \tau[4]''[t])) \right) + \right. \\
& u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t] \left( x_2[-1+t] \tau[4][t] u_2'[-1+t] \left( x_2[-3+t] x_2[-1+t] \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. u_2'[-2+t] - 3 x_2[-2+t]^2 u_2'[-1+t] \right) + 2 u_2[-1+t]^3 x_2[-2+t]^3 \right. \\
& \quad \left. \tau[4]'[t] + u_2[-1+t] x_2[-1+t] \left( -x_2[-3+t] x_2[-1+t] u_2'[-2+t] \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. \tau[4]'[t] + x_2[-2+t]^2 (3 u_2'[-1+t] \tau[4]'[t] + \tau[4][t] u_2''[-1+t]) \right) - \right. \\
& \quad \left. u_2[-1+t]^2 x_2[-2+t] \left( -3 x_2[-3+t] x_2[-1+t] \tau[4][t] u_2'[-2+t] + x_2[-2+t] \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. (2 x_2[-2+t] \tau[4][t] u_2'[-1+t] + x_2[-1+t] \tau[4]''[t])) \right) \right) = 0 \}
\end{aligned}$$

The A-linear relations among the autonomous elements are given by:

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$$\left\{ -2 u_1[t] x_3[t] \tau[1][-1+t] - 2 x_3[t] \tau[2][t] + \tau[1]'[t], \frac{u_2[t] \tau[2][t] - \tau[3][t]}{3 u_1[t] x_2[-1+t]^2}, \right.$$

$$- u_1[t] \tau[1][-1+t] - \tau[2][t], u_1[t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^3 \tau[3][-1+t] -$$

$$\tau[4][t] + u_1[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 (x_2[-1+t] \tau[2][t] u_1'[t] +$$

$$\left. u_1[t] (2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t] \tau[2][t] - x_2[-1+t] \tau[2]'[t])) \right\}$$

Let us now prove that the set of autonomous elements can be generated by  $\tau[1]$  (our guess or inspection of  $\text{aut}[[3]]$ ). Let us introduce the matrix  $L$ , defining  $\text{aut}[[3]]$ :

$$\begin{aligned} L = \text{ToOrePolynomialD}[\text{aut}[[3]], \{\tau[1][t], \tau[2][t], \tau[3][t], \tau[4][t]\}, A] \\ \left\{ \left\{ D_t - 2 u_1[t] x_3[t] (S_t^{-1}), -2 x_3[t], 0, 0 \right\}, \right. \\ \left\{ 0, \frac{u_2[t]}{3 u_1[t] x_2[-1+t]^2}, -\frac{1}{3 u_1[t] x_2[-1+t]^2}, 0 \right\}, \\ \left\{ -u_1[t] (S_t^{-1}), -1, 0, 0 \right\}, \left\{ 0, -u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] D_t + \right. \\ \left. (2 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^3 + u_1[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] u_1'[t]), \right. \\ \left. u_1[t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^3 (S_t^{-1}), -1 \right\} \end{aligned}$$

Let us consider the following row vector

$$\gamma = \{\{1, 0, 0, 0\}\};$$

which corresponds to the position of  $\tau[1]$ . To express  $\tau[2]$ ,  $\tau[3]$  and  $\tau[4]$  in terms of  $\tau[1]$  we first check whether or not the matrix  $Q$  formed by stacking  $L$  with  $\gamma$  admits a left inverse.

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S1 = LeftInverse[Q = Join[L, γ], A]
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$$\begin{aligned} \left\{ \{0, 0, 0, 0, 1\}, \{0, 0, -1, 0, -u_1[t] (S_t^{-1})\}, \right. \\ \left\{ 0, -3 u_1[t] x_2[-1+t]^2, -u_2[t], 0, -u_1[t] u_2[t] (S_t^{-1}) \right\}, \\ \left\{ u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] (S_t^{-1}), \right. \\ -3 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^3 (S_t^{-1}), \\ u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] D_t - \\ u_1[t]^2 x_2[-1+t] (u_2[-1+t] x_2[-1+t]^2 + 2 u_1[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_3[-1+t]) (S_t^{-1}) - \\ u_1[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 (2 u_1[t] u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t] + x_2[-1+t] u_1'[t]), \\ -1, -u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-1+t]^3 (S_t^{-1})^2 - \\ \left. 2 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^3 (S_t^{-1}) \right\} \end{aligned}$$

If we consider the last column of the left inverse  $S1$  of  $Q$ , i.e.

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S2 = List /@ Transpose[S1][[-1]]
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$$\begin{aligned} \left\{ \{1\}, \{-u_1[t] (S_t^{-1})\}, \{-u_1[t] u_2[t] (S_t^{-1})\}, \right. \\ \left\{ -u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-1+t]^3 (S_t^{-1})^2 - \right. \\ \left. 2 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^3 (S_t^{-1}) \right\} \end{aligned}$$

then we obtain:

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Thread[{\tau[1][t], \tau[2][t], \tau[3][t], \tau[4][t]} \rightarrow ApplyMatrix[S2, {\tau[1][t]}]]
{τ[1][t] \rightarrow τ[1][t], τ[2][t] \rightarrow -u_1[t] τ[1][-1+t],
τ[3][t] \rightarrow -u_1[t] u_2[t] τ[1][-1+t], τ[4][t] \rightarrow
-u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t] (x_2[-1+t]^3 τ[1][-2+t] + 2 x_2[-2+t]^3 τ[1][-1+t])}

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From this point we will use some procedures which are not freely available (see NLControl website <http://www.nlcontrol.ioc.ee>).

Let us integrate the one-form defined by T[1], namely

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difs = {ApplyMatrixD[Rp[[1]], vars]}
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{De[1, {x_1[t]}] + De[-2 x_3[t], {x_3[t]}]}
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BookForm[sp = SpanK[difs, t]]
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SpanK[dx_1[t] - 2 x_3[t] dx_3[t]]
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Integrability[sp]
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True
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IntegrateOneForms[sp]
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{x_1[t] - x_3[t]^2}
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We finally obtain the above autonomous element of the nonlinear system.

## Serre's reduction techniques

Let us now prove that L is equivalent to a diagonal matrix. Let us consider the column vector  $\Lambda$

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Λ = {{-1}, {0}, {0}, {0}}
{{-1}, {0}, {0}, {0}}

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and the matrix P obtained by concatenation of L and  $\Lambda$ :

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P = Join[L, Λ, 2]
{{De[t] - 2 u_1[t] x_3[t] (S_t^-1), -2 x_3[t], 0, 0, -1},
{0, u_2[t]/(3 u_1[t] x_2[-1+t]^2), 1/(3 u_1[t] x_2[-1+t]^2), 0, 0},
{-u_1[t] (S_t^-1), -1, 0, 0, 0}, {0, -u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] D_t +
(2 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^3 + u_1[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] u_1'[t]), u_1[t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^3 (S_t^-1), -1, 0}}

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Let us check again that the matrix P admits a right inverse:

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Pinv = RightInverse[P, A]
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$$\left\{ \{0, 0, 0, 0, 0\}, \{0, 0, -1, 0\}, \{0, -3 u_1[t] x_2[-1+t]^2, -u_2[t], 0\}, \right. \\ \left. \{0, -3 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^3 (s_t^{-1}), \right. \\ \left. u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] D_t - u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-1+t]^3 (s_t^{-1}) - \right. \\ \left. u_1[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 (2 u_1[t] u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t] + x_2[-1+t] u_1'[t]), \right. \\ \left. -1\}, \{-1, 0, 2 x_3[t], 0\} \right\}$$

We deduce that the module E, finitely presented by P, is stably free. Let us now check whether or not E is free.

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Q = MinimalParametrization[P, A]
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$$\left\{ \{-1\}, \{u_1[t] (s_t^{-1})\}, \{u_1[t] u_2[t] (s_t^{-1})\}, \right. \\ \left. \{-u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] D_t (s_t^{-1}) + \right. \\ \left. u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-1+t]^3 (s_t^{-1})^2 + \right. \\ \left. 2 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^3 (s_t^{-1})\}, \{-D_t\} \right\}$$

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LeftInverse[Q, A]
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$$\{\{-1, 0, 0, 0, 0\}\}$$

We obtain that E is a free module. Let us extract blocs from the matrix Q as follows:

```
Q1 = Take[Q, 4]
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$$\left\{ \{-1\}, \{u_1[t] (s_t^{-1})\}, \{u_1[t] u_2[t] (s_t^{-1})\}, \right. \\ \left. \{-u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] D_t (s_t^{-1}) + \right. \\ \left. u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-1+t]^3 (s_t^{-1})^2 + \right. \\ \left. 2 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^3 (s_t^{-1})\} \right\}$$

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Q2 = Take[Q, -1]
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$$\{\{-D_t\}\}$$

By theory we know that the left A-module N finitely presented by L is isomorphic to the module finitely presented by Q2.

Let now check that the matrix L is equivalent to the diagonal matrix diag(1,1,1,Q2). To do that let us compute a basis of the left kernel of Q1:

```
U1 = LeftKernel[Q1, A]
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$$\left\{ \{0, -u_2[t], 1, 0\}, \right. \\ \left. \{0, 0, -u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] u_2[t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] D_t + u_1[t]^2 u_2[t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^3 (s_t^{-1}) + \right. \\ \left. (2 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] u_2[-1+t] u_2[t] x_2[-2+t]^3 + u_1[-1+t] u_2[t] x_2[-2+t]^2 \right. \\ \left. x_2[-1+t] u_1'[t] + u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] u_2'[t]), \right. \\ \left. -u_2[t]^2\}, \{u_1[t] u_2[t] (s_t^{-1}), 0, 1, 0\} \right\}$$

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LeftKernel[U1, A]
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$$\text{Inj}[3]$$

Let W1 be a right inverse of U1

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W1 = RightInverse[U1, A]

$$\left\{ \{0, 0, 0\}, \left\{ -\frac{1}{u_2[t]}, 0, \frac{1}{u_2[t]} \right\}, \{0, 0, 1\}, \right.$$


$$\left\{ 0, -\frac{1}{u_2[t]^2}, -\frac{1}{u_2[t]} u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] D_t + \right.$$


$$u_1[t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^3 (S_t^{-1}) + \frac{1}{u_2[t]^2} u_1[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^2$$


$$(u_2[t] x_2[-1+t] u_1'[t] + u_1[t] (2 u_2[-1+t] u_2[t] x_2[-2+t] + x_2[-1+t] u_2'[t])) \right\}$$


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and W be the unimodular matrix formed by W1 and Q1:

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W = Join[W1, Q1, 2]

$$\left\{ \{0, 0, 0, -1\}, \left\{ -\frac{1}{u_2[t]}, 0, \frac{1}{u_2[t]}, u_1[t] (S_t^{-1}) \right\}, \{0, 0, 1, u_1[t] u_2[t] (S_t^{-1})\}, \right.$$


$$\left\{ 0, -\frac{1}{u_2[t]^2}, -\frac{1}{u_2[t]} u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] D_t + \right.$$


$$u_1[t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^3 (S_t^{-1}) + \frac{1}{u_2[t]^2} u_1[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^2$$


$$(u_2[t] x_2[-1+t] u_1'[t] + u_1[t] (2 u_2[-1+t] u_2[t] x_2[-2+t] + x_2[-1+t] u_2'[t])),$$


$$-u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] D_t (S_t^{-1}) +$$


$$u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-1+t]^3 (S_t^{-1})^2 +$$


$$2 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^3 (S_t^{-1}) \right\}$$


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Let us check again that W is unimodular:

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LeftInverse[W, A]

$$\left\{ \{0, -u_2[t], 1, 0\}, \{0, 0, -u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] u_2[t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] D_t + \right.$$


$$u_1[t]^2 u_2[t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^3 S[-1][t] + u_1[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^2$$


$$(u_2[t] x_2[-1+t] u_1'[t] + u_1[t] (2 u_2[-1+t] u_2[t] x_2[-2+t] + x_2[-1+t] u_2'[t])),$$


$$-u_2[t]^2\}, \{u_1[t] u_2[t] S[-1][t], 0, 1, 0\}, \{-1, 0, 0, 0\} \right\}$$


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Let us form the following matrix

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X = Join[OreDot[L, W1], \Lambda, 2]

$$\left\{ \left\{ \frac{2 x_3[t]}{u_2[t]}, 0, -\frac{2 x_3[t]}{u_2[t]}, -1 \right\}, \left\{ -\frac{1}{3 u_1[t] x_2[-1+t]^2}, 0, 0, 0 \right\}, \right.$$


$$\left\{ \frac{1}{u_2[t]}, 0, -\frac{1}{u_2[t]}, 0 \right\}, \left\{ \frac{1}{u_2[t]} u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] D_t + \right.$$


$$\left( -\frac{1}{u_2[t]} 2 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] u_2[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^3 - \right.$$


$$\frac{1}{u_2[t]} u_1[-1+t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] u_1'[t] -$$


$$\left. \frac{1}{u_2[t]^2} u_1[-1+t] u_1[t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t] u_2'[t] \right), \frac{1}{u_2[t]^2}, 0, 0 \right\}$$


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Let us check that X is unimodular:

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V = LeftInverse[X, A]
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$$\left\{ \left\{ 0, -3 u_1[t] x_2[-1+t]^2, 0, 0 \right\}, \left\{ 0, 3 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 u_2[t] x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^3 D_t - 3 u_1[-1+t] u_1[t]^2 x_2[-2+t]^2 x_2[-1+t]^3 u_2'[t], 0, u_2[t]^2 \right\}, \left\{ 0, -3 u_1[t] x_2[-1+t]^2, -u_2[t], 0 \right\}, \left\{ -1, 0, 2 x_3[t], 0 \right\} \right\}$$

Finally we obtain that L is equivalent to the following diagonal matrix:

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MatrixForm[OreDot[V, L, W]]
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$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & D_t \end{pmatrix}$$