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Initialization

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 $\beta$ Simp = Factor; SetAttributes[ $\beta$ Collect, Listable];  
 $\beta$ Collect[B[ $\omega$ _,  $\Lambda$ _]] := B[ $\beta$ Simp[ $\omega$ ],  
  Collect[ $\Lambda$ ,  $h$ _, Collect[#,  $t$ _,  $\beta$ Simp] &]];  
 $\beta$ Form[B[ $\omega$ _,  $\Lambda$ _]] := Module[{ts, hs, M},  
  ts = Union[Cases[B[ $\omega$ ,  $\Lambda$ ], (t | T)s  $\rightarrow$  s, Infinity]];  
  hs = Union[Cases[B[ $\omega$ ,  $\Lambda$ ], hs  $\rightarrow$  s, Infinity]];  
  M = Outer[ $\beta$ Simp[Coefficient[ $\Lambda$ , h#1 t#2]] &, hs, ts];  
  PrependTo[M, t# & /@ ts];  
  M = Prepend[Transpose[M], Prepend[h# & /@ hs,  $\omega$ ]];  
  MatrixForm[M]];  
 $\beta$ Form[else_] := else /.  $\beta$ _B  $\rightarrow$   $\beta$ Form[ $\beta$ ];  
Format[ $\beta$ _B, StandardForm] :=  $\beta$ Form[ $\beta$ ];
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GetUtilities

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<< Utilities.m
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Program

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 $\langle \mu \_ \rangle$  :=  $\mu$  /.  $t \_ \rightarrow 1$ ;  
 $tm_{x,y \rightarrow z}$ [ $\beta$ _] :=  $\beta$  /. { $t_{x|y} \rightarrow t_z$ ,  $T_{x|y} \rightarrow T_z$ };  
 $hm_{x,y \rightarrow z}$ [B[ $\omega$ _,  $\Lambda$ _]] := Module[  
  { $\alpha = D[\Lambda, h_x]$ ,  $\beta = D[\Lambda, h_y]$ ,  $\gamma = \Lambda$  /.  $h_{x|y} \rightarrow 0$ },  
  B[ $\omega$ , ( $\alpha + (1 + \langle \alpha \rangle) \beta$ )  $h_z + \gamma$ ] //  $\beta$ Collect];  
 $sw_{x,y}$ [B[ $\omega$ _,  $\Lambda$ _]] := Module[{ $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\gamma$ ,  $\delta$ ,  $\epsilon$ },  
   $\alpha =$  Coefficient[ $\Lambda$ ,  $h_y t_x$ ];  $\beta = D[\Lambda, t_x]$  /.  $h_y \rightarrow 0$ ;  
   $\gamma = D[\Lambda, h_y]$  /.  $t_x \rightarrow 0$ ;  $\delta = \Lambda$  /.  $h_y | t_x \rightarrow 0$ ;  
   $\epsilon = 1 + \alpha$ ;  
  B[ $\omega * \epsilon$ ,  $\alpha (1 + \langle \gamma \rangle / \epsilon) h_y t_x + \beta (1 + \langle \gamma \rangle / \epsilon) t_x$   
    +  $\gamma / \epsilon h_y$  +  $\delta - \gamma * \beta / \epsilon$   
  ] //  $\beta$ Collect];  
 $gm_{x,y \rightarrow z}$ [ $\beta$ _] :=  $\beta$  //  $sw_{x,y}$  //  $hm_{x,y \rightarrow z}$  //  $tm_{x,y \rightarrow z}$ ;  
B /: B[ $\omega 1$ _,  $\Lambda 1$ _] B[ $\omega 2$ _,  $\Lambda 2$ _] := B[ $\omega 1 * \omega 2$ ,  $\Lambda 1 + \Lambda 2$ ];  
 $Rp_{x,y}$  := B[1, ( $T_x - 1$ )  $t_x h_y$ ];  
 $Rm_{x,y}$  := B[1, ( $T_x^{-1} - 1$ )  $t_x h_y$ ];
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{β = B[ω, Sum[α10 i+j ti hj, {i, {1, 2, 3}}, {j, {4, 5}}]],
  β // tm1,2→1 // sw1,4,
  β // sw2,4 // sw1,4 // tm1,2→1
} // ColumnForm
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$$\begin{pmatrix} \omega & h_4 & h_5 \\ t_1 & \alpha_{14} & \alpha_{15} \\ t_2 & \alpha_{24} & \alpha_{25} \\ t_3 & \alpha_{34} & \alpha_{35} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \omega (1 + \alpha_{14} + \alpha_{24}) & h_4 & h_5 \\ t_1 & \frac{(\alpha_{14} + \alpha_{24}) (1 + \alpha_{14} + \alpha_{24} + \alpha_{34})}{1 + \alpha_{14} + \alpha_{24}} & \frac{(\alpha_{15} + \alpha_{25}) (1 + \alpha_{14} + \alpha_{24} + \alpha_{34})}{1 + \alpha_{14} + \alpha_{24}} \\ t_3 & \frac{\alpha_{34}}{1 + \alpha_{14} + \alpha_{24}} & \frac{-\alpha_{15} \alpha_{34} - \alpha_{25} \alpha_{34} + \alpha_{14} \alpha_{35} + \alpha_{24} \alpha_{35}}{1 + \alpha_{14} + \alpha_{24}} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \omega (1 + \alpha_{14} + \alpha_{24}) & h_4 & h_5 \\ t_1 & \frac{(\alpha_{14} + \alpha_{24}) (1 + \alpha_{14} + \alpha_{24} + \alpha_{34})}{1 + \alpha_{14} + \alpha_{24}} & \frac{(\alpha_{15} + \alpha_{25}) (1 + \alpha_{14} + \alpha_{24} + \alpha_{34})}{1 + \alpha_{14} + \alpha_{24}} \\ t_3 & \frac{\alpha_{34}}{1 + \alpha_{14} + \alpha_{24}} & \frac{-\alpha_{15} \alpha_{34} - \alpha_{25} \alpha_{34} + \alpha_{14} \alpha_{35} + \alpha_{24} \alpha_{35}}{1 + \alpha_{14} + \alpha_{24}} \end{pmatrix}$$

R3

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{Rm5,1 Rm6,2 Rp3,4 // gm1,4→1 // gm2,5→2 // gm3,6→3,
  Rp6,1 Rm2,4 Rm3,5 // gm1,4→1 // gm2,5→2 // gm3,6→3}
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R3

$$\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & h_1 & h_2 \\ t_2 & -\frac{-1+T_2}{T_2} & 0 \\ t_3 & -\frac{-1+T_3}{T_2} & -\frac{-1+T_3}{T_3} \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & h_1 & h_2 \\ t_2 & -\frac{-1+T_2}{T_2} & 0 \\ t_3 & -\frac{-1+T_3}{T_2} & -\frac{-1+T_3}{T_3} \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

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$$\beta = Rm_{12,1} Rm_{2,7} Rm_{8,3} Rm_{4,11} Rp_{16,5} Rp_{6,13} Rp_{14,9} Rp_{10,15}$$

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$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & h_1 & h_3 & h_5 & h_7 & h_9 & h_{11} & h_{13} & h_{15} \\ t_2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{-1+T_2}{T_2} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ t_4 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{-1+T_4}{T_4} & 0 & 0 \\ t_6 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 + T_6 & 0 \\ t_8 & 0 & -\frac{-1+T_8}{T_8} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ t_{10} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 + T_{10} \\ t_{12} & -\frac{-1+T_{12}}{T_{12}} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ t_{14} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 + T_{14} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ t_{16} & 0 & 0 & -1 + T_{16} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

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$$Do[\beta = \beta // gm_{1,k→1}, \{k, 2, 10\}]; \beta$$

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$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{T_1^2 + T_{16} - T_1 T_{16}}{T_1^2} & h_1 & h_{11} & h_{13} & h_{15} \\ t_1 & -\frac{(-1+T_1) T_{14} (T_1^2 + T_{16}^2)}{T_1^2 T_{12} (T_1^2 + T_{16} - T_1 T_{16})} & -\frac{(-1+T_1) (1 - T_1 + T_1^2) T_{14} T_{16}}{T_1 (T_1^2 + T_{16} - T_1 T_{16})} & \frac{(-1+T_1) (1 - T_1 + T_1^2) T_{14}}{T_1^2 + T_{16} - T_1 T_{16}} & -1 + T_1 \\ t_{12} & -\frac{-1+T_{12}}{T_{12}} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ t_{14} & \frac{(-1+T_{14}) (-T_1 + T_1^2 + T_{16})}{T_{12} (T_1^2 + T_{16} - T_1 T_{16})} & \frac{(-1+T_1) (1 - T_1 + T_1^2) (-1+T_{14}) T_{16}}{T_1 (T_1^2 + T_{16} - T_1 T_{16})} & -\frac{(-1+T_1) (1 - T_1 + T_1^2) (-1+T_{14})}{T_1^2 + T_{16} - T_1 T_{16}} & 0 \\ t_{16} & \frac{T_1 (-1+T_{16})}{T_{12} (T_1^2 + T_{16} - T_1 T_{16})} & \frac{(-1+T_1) T_1 (-1+T_{16})}{T_1^2 + T_{16} - T_1 T_{16}} & -\frac{(-1+T_1)^2 (-1+T_{16})}{T_1^2 + T_{16} - T_1 T_{16}} & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

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Do[β = β // gm1,k→1, {k, 11, 16}]; β
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$$\begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1-4T_1+8T_1^2-11T_1^3+8T_1^4-4T_1^5+T_1^6}{T_1^3} & h_1 \\ t_1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

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<< KnotTheory`
Alexander[Knot[8, 17]][T1] // Factor
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Loading KnotTheory` version of August 22, 2010, 13:36:57.55.
Read more at <http://katlas.org/wiki/KnotTheory>.

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$$-\frac{1-4T_1+8T_1^2-11T_1^3+8T_1^4-4T_1^5+T_1^6}{T_1^3}$$