# BLT-sets over small fields

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#### Abstract

A BLT-set is a set X of q+1 points of the generalized quadrangle Q(4,q), q odd, such that no point of Q(4,q) is collinear with more than 2 points of X. BLT-sets are closely related to flocks of the quadratic cone, elation generalised quadrangles and certain translation planes. In this paper we report on the results of computer searches for BLT-sets for odd  $q \leq 25$ . We complete the classification for  $q \leq 17$  finding one new BLT-set, and provide further examples for q = 19, q = 23 and q = 25 finding 10 new BLT-sets altogether. The relationship between BLT-sets and flocks of the quadratic cone in PG(3,q) means that this work classifies flocks for  $q \leq 17$  and finds new flocks for q = 19, q = 23 and q = 25. In total the 10 new BLT-sets yield 26 new flocks.

### **1** Introduction and Motivation

A BLT-set is a set X of q + 1 points of the generalized quadrangle Q(4, q), q odd, such that no point of Q(4, q) is collinear with more than 2 points of X. (See Payne and Thas [7] for background on generalized quadrangles.)

They were introduced by Bader, Lunardon and Thas [1], although the nomenclature is due to Kantor [4]. Their introduction was motivated by the following connection with flocks of the quadratic cone. Given a BLT-set X, and a distinguished element x of X, the set of points of Q(4, q) collinear with x forms a quadratic cone in the polar hyperplane H of x. Moreover, the intersections of the polar hyperplanes of the points of X (other than x) and H form a flock of this quadratic cone. Conversely, given a flock of a quadratic cone, one can obtain a BLT-set with a distinguished point by reversing this procedure. Thus each flock gives rise to a BLT-set, which is turn gives rise to q further flocks, corresponding to the different choices of x. These flocks are called *derived* flocks in [1].

A second motivation for studying BLT-sets is the connection with elation generalized quadrangles, first pointed out by Thas [9] but clarified by Knarr[5]. Knarr gives a geometric construction of an elation generalised quadrangle of order  $(q^2, q)$  from each BLT-set in Q(4, q), whereas previously the construction had proceeded via a group coset geometry.

A third motivation for studying BLT-sets of Q(4,q) is the connection with translation planes of order  $q^2$  and rank at most 2 over their kernel, that is, with spreads of PG(3,q). By the Klein correspondence, a spread of PG(3,q) corresponds to an ovoid of  $Q^+(5,q)$ . Given a BLT-set X of Q(4,q), and a point x of X, embed Q(4,q)as a hyperplane H in the Klein quadric  $Q^+(5,q)$  and let y be the pole of that hyperplane. Then the intersection O with the Klein quadric of the union of the spans  $\langle x, y, z \rangle$  with  $z \in X$ , z not equal to x is an ovoid of  $Q^+(5,q)$ . This was independently observed by Walker [10] and Thas.

A computer search for flocks of the quadratic cone of PG(3,q) for small q was carried out by De Clerck and Herssens [3]. A computer free classification of the conical flocks for  $q \leq 8$  was given by De Clerck, Gevaert and Thas [2]. The purpose of this paper is to extend the computer search by placing it in the more general context of finding BLT-sets rather than individual flocks.

### 2 Techniques

Consider the generalized quadrangle Q(4,q) of order q. This quadrangle has  $(q+1)(q^2+1)$  points and lines. Let G(q) denote the collinearity graph of Q(4,q). Then G(q) has  $(q+1)(q^2+1)$  vertices, is regular of valency  $q^2 + q$  and has an automorphism group of size  $h(q^4-1)(q^2-1)q^4$ , where  $q = p^h$  with p prime. Table 1 shows these values for  $q \leq 25$  to give some idea of the sizes involved.

| q  | $(q+1)(q^2+1)$ | $h(q^4-1)(q^2-1)q^4$ |
|----|----------------|----------------------|
| 3  | 40             | 51840                |
| 5  | 156            | 9360000              |
| 7  | 400            | 276595200            |
| 9  | 820            | 6886425600           |
| 11 | 1464           | 25721308800          |
| 13 | 2380           | 137037962880         |
| 17 | 5220           | 2008994088960        |
| 19 | 7240           | 6114035779200        |
| 23 | 12720          | 41348052472320       |
| 25 | 16276          | 190429200000000      |

Table 1: Number of points and size of automorphism group for Q(4,q)

A BLT-set can then be viewed simply as a special kind of independent set in G(q) and a search for BLT-sets can be structured in a similar way to a search for independent sets. The standard recursive action in a back-track search for an independent set in a graph extends an independent k-set X to an independent (k+1)-set X' by adding a new vertex x that is not adjacent to any vertex in X. This is usually implemented by maintaining a set of "live" points at all times, selecting x from the live points and then updating the set of live points by deleting the neighbours of x.

A search for BLT-sets can be structured in precisely the same way except that we have to modify the definition of live points. Suppose that X is a partial BLT-set (expressed as a set of vertices in G(q)). Then a point is *not* live if either

(1) it is a neighbour of a vertex in X, or

(2) it is a neighbour of a common neighbour of two vertices in X.

With this observation it is straightforward to write a naive back-track program to construct BLT-sets.

However there are significant difficulties with the *isomorphism problem* as the naive algorithm produces many isomorphic copies of each BLT-set. The graph isomorphism program **nauty** [6] can be used to determine the isomorphism classes of the resulting BLT-sets, but there are practical limitations. For reasons that are not well understood, graphs relating to geometries are often pathological cases for graph isomorphism programs such as **nauty**. Although the graphs G(q) are not among the most pathological, they are fairly large, so isomorphism checking rapidly becomes very difficult.

However, for  $q \leq 17$  it is feasible to use an orderly algorithm (see Royle [8] for details) to compute the precise numbers of partial BLT-sets of all sizes. Although this computation took several months of computer time, the techniques are well-understood and the programming effort minimal so we have a high degree of confidence in the results.

For q > 17 it becomes too expensive to use **nauty** and to do a fully exhaustive search. For q = 19 we used a hybrid method, whereby the orderly algorithm was used to construct all the "partial BLT-sets" of size five, which were then completed to BLT-sets in all possible ways. These were partitioned by using a combinatorial invariant termed the *F-profile* (see below for details), rather than exact isomorphism. Hence any new BLT-set must have the same F-profile as one of the BLT-sets on our list (an event which we believe is unlikely to occur). For q > 19 we abandoned any sort of completeness in the search and simply aimed to construct as many BLT-sets as possible, in a variety of ad-hoc ways. One technique that proved to be fruitful was "guessing" a possible group of automorphisms — usually by taking a modestly sized subgroup of the group of automorphisms of one of the known BLT-sets — and then constructing BLT-sets stabilised by that group of automorphisms. The resulting BLT-sets were again partitioned by F-profile. The results of these computations are a list of BLT-sets that are guaranteed to be different, but there is no guarantee that the list is complete.

### **3** BLT-sets and flocks

Recall that for q odd, a *flock* of the quadratic cone in PG(3, q) is a set of q planes whose intersections with the cone partition the points of the cone (other than the vertex of the cone). If we fix the cone to have equation  $X_0X_1 = X_2^2$ , then each plane  $\Pi_i$  can be given by an equation of the following form:

$$\Pi_i : a_i X_0 + b_i X_1 + c_i X_2 + X_3 = 0.$$

and we can represent the flock just by giving a set of q triples:

$$\mathcal{F} = \{ (a_i, b_i, c_i) \mid i \in GF(q) \}.$$

It is straightforward to check that  $\Pi_i$  and  $\Pi_j$  do not have any common points on the cone if and only if

$$(c_i - c_j)^2 - 4(a_i - a_j)(b_i - b_j) \in \not \square$$

where  $\not\square$  is the set of non-squares in GF(q).

As described above, a BLT-set is equivalent to a collection of (q + 1) flocks, with each point of the BLT-set being associated to a different flock. We would like to be able to easily compute the q + 1 flocks associated with each BLT-set, and, conversely, to compute the BLT-set associated with a flock. These operations are simple provided the appropriate models are chosen.

The construction of a BLT-set from a flock can be found in Bader, Lunardon & Thas [1]. Given a flock

$$\mathcal{F} = \{ (a_i, b_i, c_i) \mid i \in GF(q) \},\$$

define the following set of points of Q(4, q) (given by the form  $X_0X_1 - X_2^2 + X_3X_4$ ):

$$X = \{(0, 0, 0, 1, 0)\} \cup \{(b_i, a_i, -c_i/2, c_i^2/4 - a_ib_i, 1) \mid i \in GF(q)\}$$

Then X is a BLT-set, with distinguished point (0, 0, 0, 1, 0).

Given a BLT-set X containing the point (0, 0, 0, 1, 0) it is easy to reverse the above construction to get a flock  $\mathcal{F}$ . It is easy to guarantee that X contains (0, 0, 0, 1, 0) by construction, or if necessary to map X to an isomorphic BLT-set containing this point.

It is also straightforward to obtain the other q flocks associated with X (the derived flocks) — Bader, Lunardon & Thas [1] explain how derivation can be performed entirely in the flock model. Given

$$\mathcal{F}_0 = \{(a_i, b_i, c_i) \mid i \in GF(q)\}$$

define for each i the set

$$\mathcal{F}_i = \{(0,0,0)\} \cup \{((a_i - a_j)/\Delta, (b_i - b_j)/\Delta, (c_i - c_j)/\Delta) \mid j \neq i\}$$

where

$$\Delta = (c_i - c_j)^2 / 4 - (a_i - a_j)(b_i - b_j).$$

Then  $\mathcal{F}_1, \mathcal{F}_2, \ldots, \mathcal{F}_q$  are the flocks *derived* from  $\mathcal{F}_0$ .

### 3.1 Isomorphism and Profiles

As explained above, determining isomorphism of BLT-sets is a difficult problem in practice, so it is necessary to develop a cheaper way to distinguish different BLT-sets. To accomplish this we associate a purely combinatorial invariant with each BLT-set,

which (for want of a better name) we call the F-profile. The F-profile is based on the q + 1 flocks associated with the BLT-set. Given a flock  $\mathcal{F}$ , we can define the *profile* of  $\mathcal{F}$  in the following fashion:

$$\operatorname{prof}(\mathcal{F}) = (x_0, x_1, \dots, x_q)$$

where  $x_i$  is the number of points of PG(3, q) that lie on precisely *i* planes of the flock. This is therefore a vector of length q+1 with entries summing to  $q^3+q^2+q+1$ . Clearly flocks with different profiles are not isomorphic, but the converse is not necessarily true. As a BLT-set is equivalent to a collection of q + 1 flocks, we then associate a multiset of q + 1 profiles to each BLT-set. This multiset is the F-profile of X.

If we are just interested in the stabiliser group of the BLT-set X then it is possible to use the package MAGMA to compute the stabiliser of X in  $\operatorname{Aut}(G(q))$ . For all the known BLT-sets with  $q \leq 25$  the F-profile distinguishes all the orbits.

### 4 Results

The results of the search are summarised in Table 2. These results confirm those of De Clerck and Herssens [3] showing that they are complete for  $q \leq 13$ . For q = 17 the list is completed by the addition of one new BLT-set that yields two new flocks. For q = 19 we find three new BLT-sets, yielding six new flocks, for q = 23 we find four new BLT-sets, yielding 11 new flocks and for q = 25 we find two new BLT-sets yielding 7 new flocks.

We explicitly give each of the new BLT-sets found as a set of q+1 points of Q(4,q), together with their F-profiles. Given the explicit details presented above, it should be straightforward for any researcher to obtain the associated flocks for further analysis. This data is also available from <a href="http://www.cs.uwa.edu.au/~gordon/data.html">http://www.cs.uwa.edu.au/~gordon/data.html</a>

#### 4.1 The previously known BLT-sets

Most BLT-sets were discovered as flocks, hence we shall present them as such, and give the associated BLT-set the same name as the flock. Occasionally flocks associated with the same BLT-set were discovered separately — we simply concatenate the names of the flocks to yield the name of the BLT-set.

The known families of BLT-sets for odd q are as follows (this list is based on that given by De Clerck and Herssens [3]). For many of the details see the paper by Thas [9].

1. Linear — for all q the linear flock is given by

$$\{(t, -mt, 0) \mid t \in GF(q)\},\$$

where m is a fixed nonsquare. The associated BLT-set is transitive.

2. FTW — for  $q \equiv -1 \pmod{3}$ , the flock FTW due to Fisher, Thas and Walker is given by

 $\{(t, 3t^3, 3t^2) \mid t \in GF(q)\}.$ 

| q  | Name      | Group Size | Orbit structure |
|----|-----------|------------|-----------------|
| 5  | Linear    | 960        | {6}             |
| 5  | FTW=Fi=K3 | 720        | {6}             |
| 7  | Linear    | 5376       | {8}             |
| 7  | Fi = K2   | 384        | {8}             |
| 9  | Linear    | 28800      | {10}            |
| 9  | Fi        | 400        | {10}            |
| 9  | K1 = G    | 5760       | {10}            |
| 11 | Linear    | 31680      | $\{12\}$        |
| 11 | FTW       | 1320       | $\{12\}$        |
| 11 | Fi        | 288        | $\{12\}$        |
| 11 | DCHT      | 144        | $\{12\}$        |
| 13 | Linear    | 61152      | {14}            |
| 13 | Fi        | 392        | $\{14\}$        |
| 13 | K2/JP     | 48         | $\{2, 12\}$     |
| 17 | Linear    | 176256     | {18}            |
| 17 | FTW       | 4896       | {18}            |
| 17 | Fi        | 648        | {18}            |
| 17 | K2/JP     | 32         | $\{2, 16\}$     |
| 17 | DCH1/2    | 144        | $\{6, 12\}$     |
| 17 | New       | 24         | $\{6, 12\}$     |
| 19 | Linear    | 273600     | {20}            |
| 19 | Fi        | 800        | $\{20\}$        |
| 19 | New       | 40         | $\{20\}$        |
| 19 | New       | 20         | $\{20\}$        |
| 19 | New       | 16         | $\{2^2, 8^2\}$  |
| 23 | Linear    | 582912     | {24}            |
| 23 | FTW       | 12144      | $\{24\}$        |
| 23 | Fi        | 1152       | $\{24\}$        |
| 23 | K2/JP     | 44         | $\{2, 22\}$     |
| 23 | DCH1/2    | 72         | $\{6, 18\}$     |
| 23 | New       | 1152       | $\{24\}$        |
| 23 | New       | 24         | ${24}$          |
| 23 | New       | 16         | $\{4^2, 8^2\}$  |
| 23 | New       | 6          | $\{3^2, 6^3\}$  |
| 25 | Linear    | 1622400    | {26}            |
| 25 | Fi        | 2704       | $\{26\}$        |
| 25 | K1        | 124800     | $\{26\}$        |
| 25 | K3/BLT    | 100        | $\{1, 25\}$     |
| 25 | New       | 8          | $\{2, 8^3\}$    |
| 25 | New       | 16         | $\{2, 8, 16\}$  |

Table 2: The known BLT-sets for  $q \leq$  25, complete up to  $q \leq 17$ 

The associated BLT-set is transitive.

3. K1 — for all q, the flock K1 due to Kantor is given by

$$\{(t, -mt^{\sigma}, 0) \mid t \in GF(q)\},\$$

where m is a fixed non-square and  $\sigma$  is an automorphism of GF(q). It is linear if and only if  $\sigma = 1$ . The associated BLT-set is transitive.

4. K2/JP — for  $q \equiv \pm 2 \pmod{5}$  the flock K2 due to Kantor is given by

$$\{(t, 5t^5, 5t^3) \mid t \in GF(q)\}.$$

Johnson and Payne observed that a different flock can be derived from K2.

5. K3/BLT — for  $q = 5^{h}$ , the flock K3 due to Kantor is given by

$$\{(t, k^{-1}t + 2t^3 + kt^5, t^2) \mid t \in GF(q)\},\$$

where k is a given non-square. Bader, Lunardon and Thas observed that a different flock can be derived from K3.

6. Fi — for all q the flock Fi due to Fisher has the following complicated construction. Let  $\xi$  be a primitive element of  $GF(q^2)$  so  $w = \xi^{q+1}$  is a primitive element of GF(q); put  $i = \xi^{(q+1)/2}$ , so  $i^2 = w$ ,  $i^q = -i$ ; put  $z = \xi^{q-1} = a + bi$ , so z has order q + 1 in the multiplicative group of  $GF(q^2)$ ; then the triples of Fi are

 $\{(t, -wt, 0) \mid t \in GF(q), t^2 - 2(1+a)^{-1} \in \Box\}$ 

together with

$$\{(-a_{2j}, -wa_{2j}, 2b_{2j}) \mid 0 \le j \le (q-1)/2\}$$

where  $a_k = (z^{k+1} + z^{-k})/(z+1)$  and  $b_k = i(z^{k+1} - z^{-k})/(z+1)$ . The associated BLT-set is transitive.

7. G/PTJLW — for  $q = 3^h$ , the flock G due to Ganley is given by

$$\{(t, -(nt + n^{-1}t^9), t^3) \mid t \in GF(q)\},\$$

where n is a fixed nonsquare. Payne and Thas, and also Johnson, Lunardon and Wilke observed that a different flock can be derived from G.

Three seemingly sporadic BLT-sets were previously known. De Clerck, Herssens and Thas found a flock for q = 11 called DCHT, and De Clerck and Herssens found two pairs of flocks (related by derivation) for q = 17 and q = 23. We call both the associated BLT-sets DCH1/2. (The BLT-sets that we give were found by our search, and then identified, hence are not directly related to the specific flocks as presented in De Clerck and Herssens [3].)

| DCHT   | (0,0,0,0,1)              | (0,0,0,1,0)             | (10, 10, 0, 10, 1)       | (8, 8, 0, 2, 1)           |
|--------|--------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| q = 11 | (9,7,7,8,1)              | (7, 3, 1, 2, 1)         | (6, 1, 4, 10, 1)         | (1,4,10,8,1)              |
|        | (5,2,3,10,1)             | (4, 6, 9, 2, 1)         | (3, 5, 1, 8, 1)          | (2, 9, 9, 8, 1)           |
| DCH1/2 | (0,0,0,0,1)              | (0,0,0,1,0)             | (6, 6, 12, 6, 1)         | $(12,\!12,\!7,\!7,\!1)$   |
| q = 17 | $(13,\!13,\!9,\!14,\!1)$ | (16, 16, 15, 3, 1)      | $(14,\!11,\!8,\!12,\!1)$ | (10,3,5,12,1)             |
|        | (11, 5, 1, 14, 1)        | (7, 14, 13, 3, 1)       | $(5,\!15,\!11,\!12,\!1)$ | (1,7,6,12,1)              |
|        | (15, 1, 16, 3, 1)        | (9,4,13,14,1)           | $(4,\!10,\!16,\!12,\!1)$ | (8,2,8,14,1)              |
|        | (2, 9, 2, 3, 1)          | $(3,\!8,\!11,\!12,\!1)$ |                          |                           |
| DCH1/2 | (0,0,0,0,1)              | (0,0,0,1,0)             | (22,22,0,22,1)           | (21, 21, 0, 19, 1)        |
| q = 23 | (19, 19, 7, 10, 1)       | (2,2,7,22,1)            | (7, 14, 18, 19, 1)       | (1, 3, 5, 22, 1)          |
| -      | (11, 10, 20, 14, 1)      | (9, 13, 1, 22, 1)       | (14, 1, 14, 21, 1)       | $(15,\!6,\!9,\!14,\!1)$   |
|        | (17, 4, 15, 19, 1)       | $(4,\!17,\!6,\!14,\!1)$ | (3, 16, 6, 11, 1)        | (20, 7, 14, 10, 1)        |
|        | (8, 12, 1, 20, 1)        | (13, 8, 16, 14, 1)      | (6, 15, 14, 14, 1)       | (10, 9, 20, 11, 1)        |
|        | (16, 5, 3, 21, 1)        | (18, 20, 5, 10, 1)      | (5, 18, 6, 15, 1)        | $(12,\!11,\!20,\!15,\!1)$ |

Table 3: The three known sporadic BLT-sets

### 4.2 The new BLT-sets

For each value of q we shall simply identify the BLT-sets by groupsize, and call them  $X_{\rm groupsize}.$ 

For q = 17, q = 19 and q = 23 the field has prime order and hence is simply represented as the integers modulo q. For q = 25 we the field we use has primitive polynomial  $\omega^2 + 4\omega + 2$  and we use the convention that 0 represents 0, 1 represents 1, 2 represents  $\omega$ , 3 represents  $w^2$  and so on.

| $X_{24}$ | (0,0,0,0,1)     | (0,0,0,1,0)       | (6, 6, 12, 6, 1)    | (12, 12, 7, 7, 1) |
|----------|-----------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
|          | (2,2,4,12,1)    | (9, 9, 5, 12, 1)  | (8, 16, 15, 12, 1)  | (10, 3, 5, 12, 1) |
|          | (15,7,10,12,1)  | (5, 8, 9, 7, 1)   | (11,4,13,6,1)       | (3,1,7,12,1)      |
|          | (13,10,12,14,1) | (16, 11, 3, 3, 1) | (14, 15, 16, 12, 1) | (1, 14, 0, 3, 1)  |
|          | (4,5,0,14,1)    | (7, 13, 1, 12, 1) |                     |                   |

Table 4: New BLT-set for q = 17

|          | ·····              |                          |                          |                         |
|----------|--------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| $X_{40}$ | (0,0,0,0,1)        | (0,0,0,1,0)              | (18, 18, 0, 18, 1)       | (17, 17, 0, 15, 1)      |
|          | (14, 14, 9, 18, 1) | $(9,\!9,\!13,\!12,\!1)$  | (1, 2, 1, 18, 1)         | (4, 8, 14, 12, 1)       |
|          | (15,7,16,18,1)     | (12, 3, 15, 18, 1)       | (6, 11, 17, 14, 1)       | (10, 13, 9, 8, 1)       |
|          | (2,16,5,12,1)      | (11, 4, 4, 10, 1)        | (5, 12, 10, 2, 1)        | (8,1,11,18,1)           |
|          | (16, 15, 18, 8, 1) | $(3,\!10,\!10,\!13,\!1)$ | (7, 5, 9, 8, 1)          | $(13,\!6,\!10,\!3,\!1)$ |
| $X_{20}$ | (0,0,0,0,1)        | (0,0,0,1,0)              | (18, 18, 0, 18, 1)       | (16, 16, 0, 10, 1)      |
|          | (10,10,1,15,1)     | (9, 9, 8, 2, 1)          | (5,5,1,14,1)             | (8,8,1,13,1)            |
|          | (6,12,6,2,1)       | (11, 14, 9, 3, 1)        | (14, 4, 11, 8, 1)        | (12, 17, 16, 14, 1)     |
|          | (15,3,14,18,1)     | (13, 2, 5, 18, 1)        | (17, 7, 2, 18, 1)        | (7,6,11,3,1)            |
|          | (2,1,15,14,1)      | (1, 15, 2, 8, 1)         | $(3,\!13,\!16,\!8,\!1)$  | (4, 11, 15, 10, 1)      |
| $X_{16}$ | (0,0,0,0,1)        | (0,0,0,1,0)              | (18, 18, 0, 18, 1)       | (17, 17, 0, 15, 1)      |
|          | (16, 16, 0, 10, 1) | (8, 8, 13, 10, 1)        | (4, 12, 1, 10, 1)        | (7, 9, 0, 13, 1)        |
|          | (13,2,14,18,1)     | (5, 11, 14, 8, 1)        | $(14,\!3,\!14,\!2,\!1)$  | (9,6,8,10,1)            |
|          | (12,1,14,13,1)     | (6, 10, 7, 8, 1)         | (3, 14, 6, 13, 1)        | (10, 7, 8, 13, 1)       |
|          | (1, 15, 2, 8, 1)   | (2, 13, 6, 10, 1)        | $(11,\!5,\!12,\!13,\!1)$ | (15, 4, 14, 3, 1)       |

Table 5: New BLT-sets for q = 19

| p          |                           |                          |                          |                          |
|------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| $X_{1152}$ | (0,0,0,0,1)               | (0,0,0,1,0)              | $(22,\!22,\!0,\!22,\!1)$ | $(21,\!21,\!0,\!19,\!1)$ |
|            | $(20,\!20,\!0,\!14,\!1)$  | $(10,\!10,\!0,\!15,\!1)$ | (7, 14, 7, 20, 1)        | (17, 11, 1, 21, 1)       |
|            | $(14,\!5,\!13,\!7,\!1)$   | (4, 8, 11, 20, 1)        | (3, 9, 22, 20, 1)        | (13, 6, 16, 17, 1)       |
|            | (18, 3, 8, 10, 1)         | (19, 2, 5, 10, 1)        | (15,4,10,17,1)           | (12, 7, 20, 17, 1)       |
|            | (6, 15, 10, 10, 1)        | (8, 13, 3, 20, 1)        | (5,16,13,20,1)           | (1,18,18,7,1)            |
|            | (16, 12, 12, 21, 1)       | (9, 19, 10, 21, 1)       | $(2,\!17,\!15,\!7,\!1)$  | (11, 1, 13, 20, 1)       |
| X24        | (0,0,0,0,1)               | (0,0,0,1,0)              | (22, 22, 0, 22, 1)       | (20, 20, 0, 14, 1)       |
|            | (5,5,20,7,1)              | (15, 6, 9, 14, 1)        | (11, 9, 1, 17, 1)        | (2,12,0,22,1)            |
|            | (18, 16, 11, 17, 1)       | (8,2,7,10,1)             | (7, 3, 13, 10, 1)        | (17, 21, 2, 15, 1)       |
|            | (4, 13, 4, 10, 1)         | (13, 15, 13, 20, 1)      | (10, 18, 19, 20, 1)      | (9,11,7,19,1)            |
|            | (12,7,11,14,1)            | (19, 1, 19, 20, 1)       | (6,10,6,22,1)            | (14, 8, 15, 21, 1)       |
|            | $(1,\!19,\!6,\!17,\!1)$   | (16, 14, 4, 22, 1)       | (21, 4, 12, 14, 1)       | $(3,\!17,\!5,\!20,\!1)$  |
| $X_{16}$   | (0,0,0,0,1)               | (0,0,0,1,0)              | (22,22,0,22,1)           | (21, 21, 0, 19, 1)       |
|            | (5, 10, 5, 21, 1)         | $(20,\!17,\!5,\!7,\!1)$  | (14, 5, 13, 7, 1)        | (2, 6, 16, 14, 1)        |
|            | (3, 9, 22, 20, 1)         | (6,7,1,5,1)              | (10, 1, 20, 22, 1)       | (17, 4, 3, 10, 1)        |
|            | $(15,\!13,\!19,\!5,\!1)$  | (9, 12, 17, 20, 1)       | (11, 18, 14, 21, 1)      | (13, 15, 4, 5, 1)        |
|            | (16, 3, 17, 11, 1)        | (12, 20, 13, 21, 1)      | (18, 2, 20, 19, 1)       | (8, 14, 2, 7, 1)         |
|            | $(1,\!19,\!17,\!17,\!1)$  | $(4,\!11,\!13,\!10,\!1)$ | (19, 8, 1, 10, 1)        | (7, 16, 8, 21, 1)        |
| $X_6$      | (0,0,0,0,1)               | (0,0,0,1,0)              | (22, 22, 0, 22, 1)       | (21, 21, 0, 19, 1)       |
|            | (11, 11, 21, 21, 1)       | (5, 5, 1, 22, 1)         | (15, 7, 14, 22, 1)       | (20, 14, 16, 22, 1)      |
|            | (6, 13, 7, 17, 1)         | (3,1,6,10,1)             | $(17,\!3,\!5,\!20,\!1)$  | (14, 16, 3, 15, 1)       |
|            | $(16,\!15,\!12,\!19,\!1)$ | $(8,\!4,\!11,\!20,\!1)$  | $(19,\!17,\!12,\!5,\!1)$ | (12, 18, 22, 15, 1)      |
|            | $(13,\!8,\!20,\!20,\!1)$  | (4, 10, 13, 14, 1)       | (10, 12, 1, 19, 1)       | (9,6,8,10,1)             |
|            | $(7,\!20,\!22,\!22,\!1)$  | (2, 9, 9, 17, 1)         | (18, 2, 3, 19, 1)        | $(1,\!19,\!1,\!5,\!1)$   |

Table 6: New BLT-sets for q = 23

| $X_8$    | (0,0,0,0,1)         | (0,0,0,1,0)              | (21, 21, 22, 8, 1)        | (2,2,6,10,1)             |
|----------|---------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|
|          | (24,1,14,14,1)      | (3, 5, 15, 8, 1)         | $(18,\!20,\!6,\!14,\!1)$  | (8,10,22,8,1)            |
|          | (10, 15, 0, 12, 1)  | (4, 9, 15, 14, 1)        | (17, 23, 9, 6, 1)         | (13, 22, 5, 14, 1)       |
|          | (9, 19, 13, 4, 1)   | (6, 16, 22, 22, 1)       | $(20,\!7,\!9,\!24,\!1)$   | (23, 12, 1, 8, 1)        |
|          | (5,18,7,20,1)       | $(22,\!11,\!1,\!10,\!1)$ | $(1,\!14,\!9,\!4,\!1)$    | (15, 4, 7, 14, 1)        |
|          | (11,3,14,18,1)      | $(7,\!24,\!23,\!4,\!1)$  | $(14,\!8,\!19,\!8,\!1)$   | $(12,\!6,\!8,\!18,\!1)$  |
|          | (16, 13, 9, 14, 1)  | $(19,\!17,\!5,\!12,\!1)$ |                           |                          |
| $X_{16}$ | (0,0,0,0,1)         | (0,0,0,1,0)              | (14, 14, 22, 14, 1)       | (9,10,19,14,1)           |
|          | (17, 18, 7, 24, 1)  | (24, 1, 14, 14, 1)       | (6, 7, 2, 10, 1)          | (18, 20, 6, 14, 1)       |
|          | (3,6,11,18,1)       | $(22,\!3,\!7,\!10,\!1)$  | (4, 9, 15, 14, 1)         | $(11,\!17,\!13,\!4,\!1)$ |
|          | (8,15,8,24,1)       | $(5,\!13,\!5,\!4,\!1)$   | $(12,\!22,\!24,\!14,\!1)$ | (10, 21, 10, 16, 1)      |
|          | (15,2,6,12,1)       | (16, 4, 5, 24, 1)        | (23, 11, 16, 10, 1)       | (19, 8, 11, 22, 1)       |
|          | (21, 12, 13, 10, 1) | $(13,\!5,\!16,\!22,\!1)$ | $(7,\!24,\!24,\!8,\!1)$   | $(1,\!19,\!21,\!20,\!1)$ |
|          | (20, 16, 22, 18, 1) | (2, 23, 10, 20, 1)       |                           | <i>,</i>                 |

Table 7: New BLT-sets for q = 25

| 5  | Linear    | 6 	imes (25, 125, 0, 0, 0, 6)                                                          |
|----|-----------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 5  | FTW=Fi=K3 | 6 	imes (51, 65, 30, 10, 0, 0)                                                         |
| 7  | Linear    | 8 	imes (49, 343, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 8)                                                    |
| 7  | Fi=K2     | 8 	imes (125, 186, 60, 26, 0, 3, 0, 0)                                                 |
| 9  | Linear    | $10 \times (81,729,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0)$                                                 |
| 9  | Fi        | 10 	imes (270, 349, 150, 40, 5, 6, 0, 0, 0, 0)                                         |
| 9  | K1 = G    | $10 \times (225, 486, 0, 108, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1)$                                       |
| 11 | Linear    | $12 \times (121, 1331, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 12)$                              |
| 11 | FTW       | 12 	imes (496, 638, 165, 165, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)                               |
| 11 | Fi        | $12 \times (469, 652, 252, 78, 0, 9, 0, 4, 0, 0, 0, 0)$                                |
| 11 | DCHT      | 12 	imes (481, 641, 237, 81, 15, 9, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)                               |
| 13 | Linear    | 14 	imes (169, 2197, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 14)                           |
| 13 | Fi        | $14 \times (777, 1021, 441, 126, 0, 0, 7, 8, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)$                        |
| 13 | K2/JP     | 12 	imes (795, 1024, 379, 145, 23, 14, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)                      |
|    |           | 2 	imes (801, 1014, 372, 166, 12, 15, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)                       |
| 17 | Linear    | $18 \times (289, 4913, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,$                         |
| 17 | FTW       | 18 	imes (1769, 2363, 408, 680, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0                  |
| 17 | Fi        | 18 	imes (1692, 2249, 972, 288, 0, 0, 0, 0, 9, 10, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)                |
| 17 | K2/JP     | 2 	imes (1777, 2223, 752, 408, 32, 28, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)          |
|    |           | $16 \times (1811, 2129, 839, 371, 51, 19, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)$         |
| 17 | DCH1/2    | 6 	imes (1689, 2363, 792, 298, 24, 51, 0, 0, 0, 3, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)             |
|    |           | $12 \times (1783, 2132, 957, 269, 33, 45, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)$            |
| 17 | $X_{24}$  | $6 \times (1785, 2125, 976, 232, 74, 20, 6, 2, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)$          |
| L  |           | 12 	imes (1788, 2157, 880, 303, 73, 14, 4, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)            |
| 19 | Linear    | 20 	imes (361, 6859, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,                            |
| 19 | Fi        | 20 	imes (2321, 3168, 1320, 410, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 15, 0, 6, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)      |
| 19 | $X_{40}$  | $20 \times (2518, 2932, 1197, 501, 50, 42, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,$     |
| 19 | $X_{20}$  | $20 \times (2501, 2961, 1221, 419, 115, 21, 0, 2, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)$ |
| 19 | $X_{16}$  | $8 \times (2455, 3050, 1193, 417, 85, 31, 8, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)$   |
|    |           | $2 \times (2467, 3000, 1258, 400, 64, 44, 4, 2, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)$   |
|    |           | $8 \times (2502, 2938, 1266, 410, 88, 30, 5, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)$      |
|    |           | $2 \times (2549, 2829, 1326, 416, 94, 24, 0, 2, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)$   |

Table 8: F-profiles for  $q \leq 19$ 

| Linear     | $24 \times (529, 12167, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,$                                    |
|------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| FTW        | $24 \times (4302, 5888, 759, 1771, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,$                         |
| Fi         | $24 \times (4069, 5554, 2340, 732, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 18, 0, 7, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)$      |
| K2/JP      | $2 \times (4467, 5074, 2112, 946, 22, 99, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,$                  |
|            | $22 \times (4485, 5027, 2166, 886, 78, 78, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,$                 |
| DCH1/2     | $18 \times (4308, 5377, 2078, 756, 129, 46, 14, 10, 0, 2, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,$  |
|            | $6 \times (4310, 5300, 2259, 640, 123, 57, 21, 6, 0, 4, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)$    |
| $X_{1152}$ | $24 \times (3959, 6168, 1620, 788, 30, 141, 0, 8, 0, 0, 0, 6, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)$ |
| X24        | $24 \times (4472, 5038, 2229, 761, 160, 60, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0$                 |
| $X_{16}$   | $4 \times (4361, 5295, 2078, 767, 138, 76, 0, 5, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,$           |
|            | 8 	imes (4369, 5267, 2124, 710, 190, 51, 6, 2, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,        |
|            | 8 	imes (4386, 5225, 2145, 729, 172, 54, 6, 2, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,        |
|            | $4 \times (4473, 4999, 2311, 722, 153, 56, 4, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)$     |
| $X_6$      | $6 \times (4443, 5072, 2279, 687, 176, 55, 7, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,$           |
|            | $6 \times (4451, 5089, 2199, 746, 189, 39, 6, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,$           |
|            | 3 	imes (4457, 5058, 2240, 748, 158, 49, 10, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0                 |
|            | 3 	imes (4460, 5036, 2292, 700, 165, 63, 4, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,                 |
|            | $6 \times (4473, 5019, 2265, 743, 171, 39, 8, 2, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,$           |

Table 9: F-profiles for q = 23

| T:       |                                                                                                   |
|----------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Linear   | $26 \times (625, 15625, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,$                                   |
| Fi       | $26 \times (5226, 7045, 3042, 936, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 13, 14, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)$ |
| K1       | $26 \times (3025, 12500, 0, 0, 0, 750, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0$                     |
| K3/BLT   | $25 \times (5736, 6446, 2766, 1126, 91, 111, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,$              |
|          | $1 \times (5901, 6050, 3000, 1150, 100, 75, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,$               |
| $X_8$    | $8 \times (5678, 6546, 2826, 907, 251, 60, 6, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,$    |
|          | $8 \times (5701, 6473, 2903, 884, 249, 49, 16, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,$         |
|          | $2 \times (5714, 6454, 2882, 932, 221, 64, 8, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,$    |
|          | $8 \times (5735, 6427, 2864, 946, 246, 52, 4, 2, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,$          |
| $X_{16}$ | $2 \times (5649, 6609, 2800, 904, 224, 86, 0, 4, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,$          |
|          | $8 \times (5699, 6507, 2827, 938, 233, 65, 6, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,$          |
|          | $16 \times (5727, 6439, 2867, 948, 223, 67, 4, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,$         |

Table 10: F-profiles for q = 25

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