

# Tight Monomials with $t$ -Value $\leq 9$ for Quantum Group of Type $D_4$

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## Abstract

All monomials with  $t$ -value  $\leq 9$  in Canonical basis of quantum group for type  $D_4$  are determined in this paper.

## Keywords

Quantum Group, Canonical Basis, Tight Monomial

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## 1. Introduction

Quantum group, also called quantized enveloping algebra, was introduced independently by (Drinfel'd, V. G., 1985) [1] and (Jimbo, M., 1985) [2]. It plays an important role in the study of Lie groups, Lie algebras, algebraic groups, Hopf algebras, etc. The positive part of a quantum group has a kind of important basis, *i.e.*, Canonical basis  $\mathbf{B}$  introduced by (Lusztig, G., 1990) [3], which plays an important role in the theory of quantum groups and their representations. Some efforts on  $\mathbf{B}$  have been done. (Lusztig, G., 1990) [3] introduced algebraic definition of  $\mathbf{B}$  for the quantum groups in the simply laced cases, and gave explicitly the longest monomials in  $\mathbf{B}$  for type  $A_1, A_2$ . Afterwards, (Lusztig, G., 1992) [4] extended algebraic definition of  $\mathbf{B}$  to the non-simply laced cases and gave 2 longest monomials in  $\mathbf{B}$  for type  $B_2$ . Then, (Lusztig, G., 1993) [5] associated a quadratic form to every monomial, and proved that, given certain linear conditions, the monomial is tight (respectively, semi-tight) provided that this quadratic form satisfies a certain positivity condition (respectively, nonnegativity condition). He showed that the positivity condition always holds in type  $A_3$  and computed 8 longest tight monomials for type  $A_3$ , and he asked when we have (semi-) tightness in type  $A_n$ . Based on Lusztig's work, (Xi, N. H.,

1999 [6]; Xi, N. H., 1999 [7]) found explicitly all 14 elements in  $\mathbf{B}$  for type  $A_3$  and all 6 elements  $\mathbf{B}$  for type  $B_2$ . For type  $A_4$ , (Hu, Y. W., Ye, J. C., Yue, X. Q., 2003 [8]; Hu, Y. W., Ye, J. C., 2005 [9]; Li, X. C., Hu, Y. W., 2012 [10]) determined all 62 longest monomials, all 144 polynomials with one-dimensional support, 112 polynomials with two-dimensional support in  $\mathbf{B}$ . (Marsh, R., 1998) [11] carried out thorough investigation for type  $A_n$ . He showed that the positivity condition is always satisfied in type  $A_4$  for a certain orientation of the Dynkin diagram, presented a semi-tight longest monomial for type  $A_5$ , and exhibited a special longest monomial for type  $A_r$  (for any  $r \geq 6$ ) with a quadratic form that does not even satisfy the conditions for semi-tightness, for any orientation of the Dynkin diagram (although it may turn out that the corresponding monomial is still tight). (Bedard, R., 2004) [12] proved that all longest monomials of type  $D_4$  are semi-tight. (Reineke, M., 2001) [13] associated a new quadratic form to every monomial, and gave a sufficient and necessary condition for the monomial to be tight for the simply laced cases. (Deng, B. M., Du, J., 2010) [14] proved that the Reineke's criterion works also for any quantized enveloping algebra associated with a symmetrizable Cartan matrix, and they gave all monomials in  $\mathbf{B}$  for type  $B_2$ , in which 2 longest monomials are the same as Lusztig and Xi's results. By use of this criterion, (Wang, X. M., 2010) [15] listed all tight monomials for type  $A_3$  and  $G_2$ , in which 8 longest monomials for type  $A_3$  are same as Lusztig and Xi's results. (Hu, Y. W., Li, G. W., Wang, J., 2015) [16] determined all monomials with  $t$ -value  $\leq 6$  in  $\mathbf{B}$  for type  $A_5$ , and (Hu, Y. W., Geng, Y. J., 2015) [17] determined all monomials  $t$ -value  $\leq 6$  in  $\mathbf{B}$  for type  $B_3$ .

This paper computed all monomials with  $t$ -value  $\leq 9$  in  $\mathbf{B}$  for type  $D_4$ .

## 2. Preliminaries

Let  $C = (c_{ij})_{i,j \in \Gamma_0}$  be a Cartan matrix of finite type such that  $c_{ii} = 2, c_{ij} \leq 0$  for any  $i \neq j$ ,  $D = \text{diag}(d_i)_{i \in \Gamma_0}$  be a diagonal matrix with integer entries making the matrix  $DC$  symmetric. Let  $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{g}(C)$  be the complex semisimple Lie algebra associated with  $C$ , and  $\mathbf{U} = \mathbf{U}_v(\mathfrak{g})$  (here  $v$  is an indeterminate) be the corresponding quantized enveloping algebra, whose positive part  $\mathbf{U}^+ = \langle E_i \mid i \in \Gamma_0 \rangle$  is the  $\mathbb{Q}(v)$ -subalgebra of  $\mathbf{U}$ , subject to the relations

$$\sum_{r+s=l-c_{ij}} (-1)^s E_i^{(s)} E_j E_i^{(r)} = 0, \forall i, j \in \Gamma_0, \text{ where } E_i^{(s)} = E_i^s / [s]_i!, \quad [s]_i! = [1]_i \cdots [s]_i,$$

$[a]_i = (v^{ad_i} - v^{-ad_i}) / (v^{d_i} - v^{-d_i})$ . Let  $\mathcal{A} = \mathbb{Z}[v, v^{-1}]$ ,  $\mathbf{U}^+ = \langle E_i^{(s)} \mid i \in \Gamma_0, s \in \mathbb{N} \rangle$  be the  $\mathcal{A}$ -subalgebra of  $\mathbf{U}^+$ . Corresponding to every reduced expression  $\mathbf{i} = (i_1, \dots, i_r)$  of the longest element  $w_0 = s_{i_1} \cdots s_{i_r}$  of the Weyl group  $W = \langle s_i \rangle$  of  $\mathfrak{g}$ , one constructs a PBW basis  $B_{\mathbf{i}}$  of  $\mathbf{U}^+$ . Lusztig [4] proved that the  $\mathbb{Z}[v^{-1}]$ -submodule  $\mathcal{L}_{\mathbf{i}} = \langle B_{\mathbf{i}} \rangle$  of  $\mathbf{U}^+$  is independent of the choice of  $\mathbf{i}$ , write it  $\mathcal{L}$ ; the image of  $B_{\mathbf{i}}$  under the canonical projection  $\pi: \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \mathcal{L}/v^{-1}\mathcal{L}$  is independent of the choice of  $\mathbf{i}$ , write it  $B$ ; for any element  $b \in B$  there is a unique element  $\mathbf{b} \in \mathcal{L}$  which is fixed by the bar map of  $\mathbf{U}^+$  defined by

$v \rightarrow v^{-1}$  and satisfies  $\pi(\mathbf{b}) = b$ . The set  $\mathbf{B} = \{\mathbf{b} | b \in B\}$  forms a  $\mathbb{Z}[v^{-1}]$ -basis of  $\mathcal{L}$ , an  $\mathcal{A}$ -basis of  $U^+$  and a  $\mathbb{Q}(v)$ -basis of  $U^+$ , Lusztig calls  $\mathbf{B}$  *Canonical basis* of quantum group.

According to Lusztig, a *monomial* in  $U^+$  is an element of the form

$$E_{i_1}^{(a_1)} \dots E_{i_t}^{(a_t)} \tag{1}$$

where  $i_1, \dots, i_t \in \Gamma_0, a_1, \dots, a_t \in \mathbb{N}$ . When  $t = \nu$  and  $s_{i_1} \dots s_{i_\nu} = w_0$  is the longest element of Weyl group, the monomial (1) is called the longest monomial. We say that (1) is tight (or semi-tight) if it belongs to  $\mathbf{B}$  (or is a linear combination of elements in  $\mathbf{B}$  with constant coefficients).

Let  $Q = (Q_0, Q_1)$  be a finite quiver with vertex set  $Q_0$  and arrow set  $Q_1$ . Write  $\rho \in Q_1$  as  $t_\rho \xrightarrow{\rho} h_\rho$ , where  $h_\rho$  and  $t_\rho$  denote the head and the tail of  $\rho$  respectively. An automorphism  $\sigma$  of  $Q$  is a permutation on the vertices of  $Q$  and on the arrows of  $Q$  such that  $\sigma(h_\rho) = h_{\sigma(\rho)}$  and  $\sigma(t_\rho) = t_{\sigma(\rho)}$  for any  $\rho \in Q_1$ . Denote the quiver with automorphism  $\sigma$  as  $(Q, \sigma)$ . Attach to the pair  $(Q, \sigma)$  a valued quiver  $\Gamma = \Gamma(Q, \sigma) = (\Gamma_0, \Gamma_1)$  as follows. Its vertex set  $\Gamma_0$  and arrow set  $\Gamma_1$  are simply the sets of  $\sigma$ -orbits in  $Q_0$  and  $Q_1$ , respectively. The valuation of  $\Gamma$  is given by  $d_i = \#\{\text{vertices in the } \sigma\text{-orbit of } i\}, \forall i \in \Gamma_0; m_\rho = \#\{\text{arrows in the } \sigma\text{-orbit of } \rho\}, \forall \rho \in \Gamma_1$ . The Euler form of  $\Gamma$  is defined to be the bilinear form  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle: \mathbb{Z}[\Gamma_0] \times \mathbb{Z}[\Gamma_0] \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$  given by

$$\langle X, Y \rangle = \sum_{i \in \Gamma_0} d_i x_i y_i - \sum_{\rho \in \Gamma_1} m_\rho x_{t_\rho} y_{h_\rho}, \text{ where } X = \sum_{i \in \Gamma_0} x_i i, Y = \sum_{i \in \Gamma_0} y_i i \in \mathbb{Z}[\Gamma_0], \text{ so}$$

$X \cdot Y = \langle X, Y \rangle + \langle Y, X \rangle$  is the symmetric Euler form. The valued quiver  $\Gamma$  defines a Cartan matrix  $C_\Gamma = C_{Q, \sigma} = (c_{ij})_{i, j \in \Gamma_0}$ , where

$$c_{ij} = \begin{cases} 2 - 2 \sum_{\substack{\rho \in \Gamma_1 \\ h_\rho = t_\rho = i}} \frac{m_\rho}{d_i}, & i = j; \\ - \sum_{\substack{\rho \in \Gamma_1 \\ \{h_\rho, t_\rho\} = \{i, j\}}} \frac{m_\rho}{d_i}, & i \neq j. \end{cases}$$

For  $t \in \mathbb{N}$ , let  $\mathbf{i} = (i_1, \dots, i_t) \in \Gamma_0^t, \mathbf{a} = (a_1, \dots, a_t) \in \mathbb{N}^t$ , and write

$$E_{\mathbf{i}}^{(\mathbf{a})} = E_{i_1}^{(a_1)} \dots E_{i_t}^{(a_t)} \in U^+.$$

Define  $\mathcal{M}_{\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{a}} = \left\{ A = (a_{rm})_{r, m} \mid a_{rm} \in \mathbb{N}, \text{ro}(A) = \text{co}(A) = \mathbf{a}, a_{rm} = 0, \forall i_r \neq i_m \right\}$ , where

$$\text{ro}(A) = \left( \sum_{m=1}^t a_{1m}, \dots, \sum_{m=1}^t a_{tm} \right), \text{co}(A) = \left( \sum_{r=1}^t a_{r1}, \dots, \sum_{r=1}^t a_{rt} \right).$$

$$D_{\mathbf{a}} = \text{diag}(a_1, \dots, a_t) \in \mathcal{M}_{\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{a}}.$$

Lusztig gave the following criterion for a monomial to be tight or semi-tight.

**Theorem 2.1** ([Lusztig, 1993, §6 Theorem] [5]). Let  $U$  be the quantum group of type  $A_n, D_n, E_n, \mathbf{i} \in \Gamma_0^t, \mathbf{a} \in \mathbb{N}^t$  as above. If the following quadratic form takes only values  $< 0$  on  $\mathcal{M}_{\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{a}} \setminus \{D_{\mathbf{a}}\}$  (respectively,  $\leq 0$  on  $\mathcal{M}_{\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{a}}$ ), then monomial  $E_{\mathbf{i}}^{(\mathbf{a})}$  is tight (respectively, semi-tight).

$$q'_{\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{a}}(A) = \sum_{\substack{1 \leq m \leq t \\ 1 \leq p < r \leq t}} a_{pm} a_{rm} - \sum_{\substack{1 \leq p < r \leq t \\ 1 \leq l < m \leq t}} a_{pm} a_{rl}$$

It should be noticed that the above theorem is sufficient but not necessary, M. Reineke gave a sufficient and necessary condition by symmetrizing Lusztig’s quadratic form.

**Theorem 2.2** ([Reineke, 2001, Theorem 3.2]) [13]. Let  $U$  be the quantum group of type  $A_n, D_n, E_n$ ,  $\mathbf{i} \in \Gamma_0^t, \mathbf{a} \in \mathbb{N}^t$  as above, the monomial  $E_{\mathbf{i}}^{(\mathbf{a})}$  is tight if and only if the following quadratic form takes only values  $< 0$  on  $\mathcal{M}_{\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{a}} \setminus \{D_{\mathbf{a}}\}$

$$q_{\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{a}}(A) = \sum_{\substack{1 \leq m \leq t \\ 1 \leq p < r \leq t}} a_{pm} a_{rm} + \sum_{\substack{1 \leq p < r \leq t \\ 1 \leq l < m \leq t}} (i_l \cdot i_m) a_{pm} a_{rl} + \sum_{\substack{1 \leq r \leq t \\ 1 \leq l < m \leq t}} a_{rm} a_{rl}$$

In fact,  $q_{\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{a}}(A) = q'_{\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{a}}(A) + q'_{\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{a}}(A^T)$  (see [Reineke, 2001 [13], Lemma 3.3]).

Deng and Du generalized the tight monomial criterion given by Reineke to any quantum group associated with symmetrizable matrices.

**Theorem 2.3** ([Deng, Du, 2010, Theorem 2.5]) [14]. Let  $U$  be the quantum group associated with any symmetrizable matrices,  $\mathbf{i} \in \Gamma_0^t, \mathbf{a} \in \mathbb{N}^t$  as above, the monomial  $E_{\mathbf{i}}^{(\mathbf{a})}$  is tight if and only if the following quadratic form takes only values  $< 0$  on  $\mathcal{M}_{\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{a}} \setminus \{D_{\mathbf{a}}\}$

$$q_{\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{a}}(A) = \sum_{\substack{1 \leq m \leq t \\ 1 \leq p < r \leq t}} \langle i_m, i_m \rangle a_{pm} a_{rm} + \sum_{\substack{1 \leq p < r \leq t \\ 1 \leq l < m \leq t}} (i_l \cdot i_m) a_{pm} a_{rl} + \sum_{\substack{1 \leq r \leq t \\ 1 \leq l < m \leq t}} \langle i_r, i_r \rangle a_{rm} a_{rl}$$

By Theorem 2.3, we have the following Corollaries.

**Corollary 2.4.** When  $i_1, \dots, i_t$  are mutually different, monomial  $E_{i_1}^{(a_1)} \dots E_{i_t}^{(a_t)}$  is tight.

**Proof:** In fact,  $i_1, \dots, i_t$  are mutually different, so  $\mathcal{M}_{\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{a}} = \{D_{\mathbf{a}}\}$ .

**Corollary 2.5.** If  $E_{i_{p+1}}^{(a_{p+1})} \dots E_{i_{p+q}}^{(a_{p+q})}$  is tight, then for any mutually different  $i_1, \dots, i_p \notin \{i_{p+1}, \dots, i_{p+q}\}$  and any mutually different  $i_{p+q+1}, \dots, i_t \notin \{i_1, \dots, i_p, i_{p+1}, \dots, i_{p+q}\}$ ,  $t \leq l(w_0)$ ,  $E_{\mathbf{i}}^{(\mathbf{a})} = E_{i_1}^{(a_1)} \dots E_{i_t}^{(a_t)}$  is also tight.

**Proof:** Write  $\mathbf{j} = (i_{p+1}, \dots, i_{p+q})$ ,  $\mathbf{b} = (a_{p+1}, \dots, a_{p+q})$ ,  $\mathbf{i} = (i_1, \dots, i_t)$ ,  $\mathbf{a} = (a_1, \dots, a_t)$ , then

$$E_{\mathbf{i}}^{(\mathbf{a})} = E_{i_1}^{(a_1)} \dots E_{i_t}^{(a_t)}, E_{\mathbf{j}}^{(\mathbf{b})} = E_{i_{p+1}}^{(a_{p+1})} \dots E_{i_{p+q}}^{(a_{p+q})}.$$

For any  $\tilde{A} \in \mathcal{M}_{\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{a}}$ , we have

$$\tilde{A} = \begin{pmatrix} D_{\mathbf{a}'} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & A & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & D_{\mathbf{a}''} \end{pmatrix},$$

where  $\mathbf{a}' = (a_1, \dots, a_p)$ ,  $\mathbf{a}'' = (a_{p+q+1}, \dots, a_t)$ . It is easy to see that  $A \in \mathcal{M}_{\mathbf{j}, \mathbf{b}}$  and  $q(\tilde{A}) = q(A)$ . Moreover,  $\tilde{A} = D_{\mathbf{a}}$  if and only if  $A = D_{\mathbf{b}}$ . Since  $E_{\mathbf{j}}^{(\mathbf{b})}$  is tight, we get by Theorem 2.3 that  $q(\tilde{A}) = q(A) < 0$  for all  $\tilde{A} \in \mathcal{M}_{\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{a}} \setminus \{D_{\mathbf{a}}\}$ , applying Theorem 2.3 again, we conclude that  $E_{\mathbf{i}}^{(\mathbf{a})}$  is tight.

The following two theorems are very useful in determining tight monomials.

**Theorem 2.6** ([Deng & Du, 2010, Corollary 2.6, Theorem 6.2]) [14]. Let  $\mathbf{i} = (i_1, \dots, i_t) \in \Gamma_0^t$  and  $\mathbf{a} = (a_1, \dots, a_t) \in \mathbb{N}^t$ . If  $E_{\mathbf{i}}^{(\mathbf{a})}$  is tight, then

- (a) For  $\forall 1 \leq r \leq s \leq t$ , monomial  $E_{i_r}^{(a_r)} \dots E_{i_s}^{(a_s)}$  is also tight;
- (b) For  $\forall 1 \leq r < t$ ,  $i_r \neq i_{r+1}$ .

**Theorem 2.7** ([Lusztig, 1990, Proposition 3.3 and Lusztig, 1993, §13]) [3]. Let

$\Phi$  be the non-trivial automorphism of  $\mathbf{U}^+$  induced by Dynkin diagram automorphism  $\varphi$  of  $\mathfrak{g}$ , and  $\Psi: \mathbf{U}^+ \rightarrow (\mathbf{U}^+)^{opp}$  be the unique  $\mathbb{Q}(v)$ -algebra isomorphism such that  $E_j \rightarrow E_j$ . If  $E_i^{(a)}$  is tight, then  $\Phi(E_i^{(a)})$  and  $\Psi(E_i^{(a)})$  are all tight.

A quadratic form  $f: \mathbb{Z}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$  denoted by

$$f(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 + \sum_{i < j} a_{ij} x_i x_j$$

with  $a_{ij} \in \mathbb{Z}$  is called a *unit form*.

The symmetric matrix  $A_f = (a_{ij})$  (when  $i > j$ , set  $a_{ij} = a_{ji}$ ) with  $a_{ii} = 2$ , defines a bilinear form  $f(X, Y) = XA_f Y^T$ , where

$$X = (x_1, \dots, x_n) \text{ and } Y = (y_1, \dots, y_n).$$

In particular, we have

$$f(X) = \frac{1}{2} f(X, X) \text{ and } f(X, Y) = f(X + Y) - f(X) - f(Y).$$

For a vector  $w \in \mathbb{Q}^n$  with non-negative coordinates, we write  $w \geq 0$ . The vector in  $\mathbb{Z}^n$  which has a 1 in the  $i^{\text{th}}$  coordinate ( $1 \leq i \leq n$ ) and 0's elsewhere is denoted by  $r_i$ .

Let  $f$  be a unit form. We define the set of *positive roots* of  $f$  as  $\{w \in \mathbb{Z}^n : 0 \leq w \text{ and } f(w) = 1\}$ . The linear transformation  $\sigma_i: \mathbb{Z}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}^n$  defined by  $\sigma_i(w) = w - f(w, r_i)r_i$  is called the *reflection* with respect to  $r_i$ . The transformation  $\sigma_i$  has the property that  $\sigma_i^2 = \text{id}$  and  $f(\sigma_i(w)) = f(w)$  for every  $w \in \mathbb{Z}^n$ .

Let  $f$  be a quadratic form, if  $0 < f(X)$  for every  $0 \neq X \in \mathbb{N}^n$ , then we call  $f$  *weakly positive*.

The following *algorithm* and theorem are taken from (Blouin, Dean, Denver, Pershall, 1995) [18]:

Let  $f: \mathbb{Z}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{Z} (n \geq 3)$  be a unit form. First of all, we define

$$R_1 = \{r_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}.$$

Next we want to construct  $R_j$  recursively. Assume that we have defined a set of positive roots of  $f$  as

$$R_s = \{z_1, \dots, z_m\} \text{ with } s \geq 1,$$

and that the process has not failed (to be defined subsequently). Then we construct  $R_{s+1}$  as follows. Let  $z_j \in R_s$ . If either:

- 1) there is some  $1 \leq i \leq n$  such that  $f(z_j, r_i) \leq -2$ , or
- 2) there is some  $1 \leq i \leq n$  such that  $z_j(i) \geq 7$ ,

then the process is said to *fail*. Assume the process does not fail (so 1) and 2) do not occur for any  $z_j \in R_s$ ). Let  $D_s \subseteq R_s$  be the set of those roots  $z_j$  with the property that there is some  $1 \leq i \leq n$  such that  $f(z_j, r_i) = -1$ . If  $D_s = \emptyset$ , then  $R_{s+1} := \emptyset$  and the process is said to be *successful*. If  $D_s \neq \emptyset$ , then

$$R_{s+1} := \left\{ \sigma_i(z_j) \mid z_j \in D_s \text{ and } r_i \text{ is such that } f(z_j, r_i) = -1 \right\}.$$

**Remark:** If  $R_{s+1} \neq \phi$ , then we apply the algorithm again to obtain  $R_{s+2}$ , etc. The roots in  $R_{s+1}$  (if  $R_{s+1} \neq \phi$ ) are all greater than the roots in  $R_s$ . Thus condition 2) guarantees that this procedure is finite and if it is not successful then it will eventually fail.

**Theorem 2.8** ([Blouin et al., 1995, Theorem 4]) [18]. The unit form  $f$  is weakly positive if and only if the above process is successful. If the process is successful with  $R_{s+1} = \phi$ , then  $R_1 \cup \dots \cup R_s$  are all the positive roots of  $f$ .

### 3. Main Results

Let  $\mathfrak{g}$  be of type  $D_4$  as follows.

Let  $\mathbf{i} = (i_1, \dots, i_t) \in \Gamma_0^t$ ,  $\mathbf{a} = (a_1, \dots, a_t) \in \mathbb{N}^t$ . For convenience, we abbreviate a monomial  $E_{i_1}^{(a_1)} \dots E_{i_t}^{(a_t)}$  with any  $(a_1, \dots, a_t) \in \mathbb{N}^t$  as a word  $i_1 \dots i_t$  (1 as 0), an inequality  $a_{j_1} + \dots + a_{j_p} \leq a_{i_1} + \dots + a_{i_q}$  as  $j_1 \dots j_p - l_1 \dots l_q$ . For example, a monomial  $E_1^{(a_1)} E_2^{(a_2)} E_3^{(a_3)} E_4^{(a_4)}$  is abbreviated to a word 1234, and a monomial  $E_1^{(a_1)} E_2^{(a_2)} E_1^{(a_3)} (a_1 + a_3 \leq a_2)$  to a word 121 (13 - 2), etc.

If  $s_{i_1} \dots s_{i_t}$  is a reduced expression, we call  $i_1 \dots i_t$  a reduced word. By Theorem 2.6 (b), we only consider those *reduced tight words*  $i_1 \dots i_t$  with  $i_r \neq i_{r+1}, \forall 1 \leq r < t$ , in this case,  $i_1 \dots i_t$  is called the *word with t-value*. If  $i_r \cdot i_{r+1} = 0$  for some  $1 \leq r < t$ , we identify the word  $i_1 \dots i_{r-1} i_r i_{r+1} i_{r+2} \dots i_t$  with the word  $i_1 \dots i_{r-1} i_{r+1} i_r i_{r+2} \dots i_t$ . Denote the set of all words with  $t$ -value by  $M_t$ . The non-trivial Dynkin diagram automorphism  $\varphi$  of  $\mathfrak{g}$  is

$\varphi: 1 \mapsto 3, 3 \mapsto 4, 4 \mapsto 1, 2 \mapsto 2$ . Let us present the so called *M - S word-procedure* from  $t$ -value to  $(t + 1)$ -value.

Step 1. Take any  $i_1 \dots i_t \in M_t$ , adding a number  $i_{t+1} \in \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$  different from  $i_1$  (or  $i_t$ ) in the front (or behind) of  $i_1$  (or  $i_t$ ), deleting the those words with  $t$ -value, getting all words with  $(t + 1)$ -value from  $i_1 \dots i_t$ .

Step 2. Repeat step 1 until all words in  $M_t$  are considered, deleting the non-tight words with  $(t + 1)$ -value, get  $M_{t+1}$ .

Step 3. Use  $\Phi$  and  $\Psi$ , we have  $S_{t+1}$  satisfying  $M_{t+1} = \Phi(S_{t+1}) \cup \Psi\Phi(S_{t+1})$ .

For example, applying the *M - S word-procedure* to  $M_1 = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ , get  $M_2 = \{12, 13, 14, 21, 23, 24, 32, 34, 42\}$ . Considering  $\Phi, \Psi$ ,  $24 \xleftarrow{\varphi} 23 \xleftarrow{\varphi} 21 \xleftarrow{\Psi} 12 \xrightarrow{\varphi} 32 \xrightarrow{\varphi} 42$  and  $13 \xrightarrow{\varphi} 34 \xrightarrow{\varphi} 14$ , so  $S_2 = \{12, 13\}$ .

From now on, write  $M_t = \Phi(S_t) \cup \Psi\Phi(S_t), t \geq 2$ .

**Theorem 3.1.** For the quantum group for type  $D_4$ , we have the following results.

- 1)  $t = 0$ ,  $M_0 = \{0\}$ , tight monomial has only one.
- 2)  $t = 1$ ,  $M_1 = \Phi(S_1)$ , tight monomials have 4 families, where  $S_1 = \{1, 2\}$ .
- 3)  $t = 2$ ,  $M_2$  includes 9 families of tight monomials, where  $S_2 = \{12, 13\}$ .
- 4)  $t = 3$ ,  $M_3$  includes 19 families of tight monomials, where  $S_3 = S_3^1 \cup S_3^2$ ,  $S_3^1 = \{123, 132, 134\}$ ;  $S_3^2 = \{121, 212(13 - 2)\}$ .
- 5)  $t = 4$ ,  $M_4$  includes 35 families of tight monomials, where

$$S_4 = S_4^1 \cup S_4^2 \cup S_4^3,$$

$$S_4^1 = \{1234, 1342\}; \quad S_4^2 = \{1213, 1214, 2123, 2124(13-2)\};$$

$$S_4^3 = \{2132(14-23)\}.$$

6)  $t = 5$ ,  $M_5$  includes 58 families of tight monomials, where  $S_5 = S_5^1 \cup S_5^2 \cup S_5^3$ ,

$$S_5^1 = \{12134, 24213(13-2); 31214, 12324(24-3);$$

$$12342(25-34); 21342(15-234)\};$$

$$S_5^2 = \{12312, 12412(14-2, 25-34); 13213(14-3, 25-3);$$

$$12321, 12421(15-24-3)\};$$

$$S_5^3 = \{21232(13-2, 35-4)\}.$$

7)  $t = 6$ ,  $M_6$  includes 93 families of tight monomials, where

$$S_6 = S_6^1 \cup S_6^2 \cup S_6^3 \cup S_6^4,$$

$$S_6^1 = \{123124, 124123(14-2, 25-34); 123214, 124213(15-24-3);$$

$$132142, 312342(14-3, 36-45); 132134(14-3, 25-3);$$

$$123421(16-25-34); 123142(14-2, 26-345)\};$$

$$S_6^2 = \{132132(14-3, 25-3, 36-45)\};$$

$$S_6^3 = \{212342(13-2, 36-45); 123242, 124232(24-3, 46-5)\};$$

$$S_6^4 = \{123121, 124121(14-2, 46-5, 25-34);$$

$$123212, 124212(46-5, 15-24-3)\}.$$

8)  $t = 7$ ,  $M_7$  includes 133 families of tight monomials, where

$$S_7 = S_7^1 \cup S_7^2 \cup S_7^3 \cup S_7^4,$$

$$S_7^1 = \{1234213, 1243214(16-25-34, 37-5);$$

$$1321342(14-3, 25-3, 37-456); 1342134(15-4, 26-4, 37-4);$$

$$1234123(15-2, 26-345, 37-6); 1324213(16-35-4, 27-35);$$

$$1234234(36-5, 47-5, 25-34); 1342132(15-4, 26-4, 47-56)\};$$

$$S_7^2 = \{1231242, 1241232(14-2, 57-6, 25-34);$$

$$1231241, 1241231(25-34, 14-2, 47-5);$$

$$1324212, 3124232(57-6, 16-35-4);$$

$$1232142, 1242132(15-24-3, 47-56);$$

$$1232124, 1242123(46-5, 15-24-3);$$

$$1232421(17-246, 24-3, 46-5); 1234212(57-6, 16-25-34);$$

$$1231421(14-2, 47-6, 26-345); 2132142(25-4, 14-23, 47-56)\};$$

$$S_7^3 = \{2123242(13-2, 35-4, 57-6)\};$$

$$S_7^4 = \{2123212, 2124212(13-2, 26-35-4, 57-6)\}.$$

9)  $t = 8$ ,  $M_8$  includes 185 families of tight monomials, where

$$S_8 = S_8^1 \cup S_8^2 \cup S_8^3 \cup S_8^4,$$

$$S_8^1 = \{12134234(13-2, 26-345, 47-6, 58-6);$$

$$12342134(16-25-34, 48-5, 37-5);$$

$$13421342(15-4, 48-567, 26-4, 37-4)\};$$

$$S_8^2 = \{12132142, 12142132(13-2, 36-5, 25-34, 58-67);$$

$$12142321, 12132421(13-2, 38-57-6, 25-34)\};$$

$$S_8^3 = \{12132423, 12142324(13-2, 25-34, 48-57-6);$$

$$12134213, 12143214(13-2, 37-6, 26-345, 48-6);$$

$$12321423, 32123421(15-24-3, 38-47-56);$$

$$12324213, 12423214(17-246, 24-3, 38-46-5);$$

$$12342132, 12432142(16-25-34, 58-67, 37-5);$$

$$13214232, 31234212(14-3, 27-36-45, 68-7);$$

$$13214213, 31234231(14-3, 47-6, 28-36-45);$$

$$13213242(14-3, 36-45, 68-7, 25-3);$$

$$13242132(16-35-4, 58-67, 27-35);$$

$$21321342(25-4, 14-23, 36-4, 48-567)\};$$

$$S_8^4 = \{12321242, 12421232(15-24-3, 46-5, 68-7);$$

$$12324212, 12423212(17-246, 24-3, 46-5, 68-7);$$

$$12324232, 12423242(24-3, 68-7, 37-46-5);$$

$$21232142, 21242132(13-2, 58-67, 26-35-4);$$

$$21234212(13-2, 68-7, 27-36-45)\}.$$

10)  $t = 9$ ,  $M_9$  includes 265 families of tight monomials, where  $S_9 = S_9^1 \cup S_9^2 \cup S_9^3 \cup S_9^4 \cup S_9^5$ ,

$$S_9^1 = \{121321423, 121421324(13-2, 36-5, 25-34, 49-58-67);$$

$$121342132, 121432142(13-2, 37-6, 26-345, 48-6, 69-78);$$

$$121324213, 121423214(13-2, 38-57-6, 49-57, 25-34);$$

$$132142132, 312342312(14-3, 47-6, 69-78, 28-36-45);$$

$$124213214, 123214213(15-24-3, 39-47-56, 58-7);$$

$$124213213, 123214214(15-24-3, 47-56, 58-7, 69-7);$$

$$132134213(14-3, 25-3, 48-7, 59-7, 37-456)\};$$

$$S_9^2 = \{123214234, 124213243(15-24-3, 69-7, 38-47-56);$$

$$121342134(13-2, 37-6, 48-6, 59-6, 26-345);$$

$$123421234(16-25-34, 38-57-6, 49-57);$$

$$123421324(16-25-34, 37-5, 49-58-67);$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 &123421342(16-25-34, 59-678, 37-5, 48-5); \\
 &132134214(14-3, 48-7, 37-456, 25-3, 69-7); \\
 &134213242(15-4, 79-8, 26-4, 38-47-56); \\
 &213421342(26-5, 15-234, 59-678, 37-5, 48-5)\}; \\
 S_9^3 = &\{121324232, 121423242(13-2, 25-34, 48-57-6, 79-8); \\
 &123212423, 124212324(15-24-3, 46-5, 68-7, 39-468); \\
 &123214232, 124213242(15-24-3, 38-47-56, 79-8); \\
 &123242132, 124232142(17-246, 24-3, 69-78, 38-46-5); \\
 &123242321, 124232421(19-2468, 24-3, 68-7, 37-46-5); \\
 &123421232, 123421242(16-25-34, 38-57-6, 79-8); \\
 &132421232, 312423212(16-35-4, 57-6, 79-8, 28-357); \\
 &123242123(17-246, 24-3, 46-5, 39-468, 68-7); \\
 &212342132, 212432142(13-2, 27-36-45, 48-6, 69-78); \\
 &213242132(27-46-5, 14-23, 69-78, 38-46)\}; \\
 S_9^4 = &\{121324212, 121423212(13-2, 25-34, 38-57-6, 79-8); \\
 &121321421(13-2, 36-5, 69-8, 25-34, 58-67); \\
 &123212421(15-24-3, 59-68-7, 46-5)\}; \\
 S_9^5 = &\{212321242, 212421232(13-2, 26-35-4, 57-6, 79-8); \\
 &212324212(13-2, 28-357, 35-4, 57-6, 79-8)\}.
 \end{aligned}$$

### 4. Proof of Theorem 3.1

Consider the following quiver  $Q=(Q_0, Q_1)$  of type  $D_4$  where  $Q_1 = \{1 \xrightarrow{\rho_1} 2, 3 \xrightarrow{\rho_2} 2, 4 \xrightarrow{\rho_3} 2\}$ ,  $Q_0 = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ . Let  $\sigma$  be the identity automorphism of  $Q$  such that  $\sigma(i) = i, \sigma(\rho_i) = \rho_i, i = 1, 2, 3, 4$ , then the valued quiver of  $(Q, \sigma)$  is  $\Gamma = \Gamma(Q, \sigma) = (\Gamma_0, \Gamma_1) = (Q_0, Q_1)$ , the valuation is given by  $d_i = 1, m_{\rho_i} = 1, i = 1, 2, 3, 4$ . For  $X = x_1 1 + x_2 2 + x_3 3 + x_4 4$ ,

$Y = y_1 1 + y_2 2 + y_3 3 + y_4 4 \in \mathbb{Z}[\Gamma_0]$ , Euler form  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$  on  $\Gamma$  is

$$\langle X, Y \rangle_\Gamma = \sum_{i=1}^4 d_i x_i y_i - \sum_{i=1}^3 m_{\rho_i} x_{i_{\rho_i}} y_{h_{\rho_i}} = x_1 y_1 + x_2 y_2 + x_3 y_3 + x_4 y_4 - x_1 y_2 - x_3 y_2 - x_4 y_2,$$

symmetric Euler form  $\cdot$  on  $\Gamma$  is

$$\begin{aligned}
 X \cdot Y &= \langle X, Y \rangle_\Gamma + \langle Y, X \rangle_\Gamma = 2x_1 y_1 + 2x_2 y_2 + 2x_3 y_3 \\
 &+ 2x_4 y_4 - x_1 y_2 - x_2 y_1 - x_3 y_2 - x_2 y_3 - x_4 y_2 - x_2 y_4
 \end{aligned}$$

By simple computation, we have  $\langle i, i \rangle = 1, i = 1, 2, 3, 4$ ;  $\langle 1, 2 \rangle = \langle 3, 2 \rangle = \langle 4, 2 \rangle = -1$ , the other  $\langle i, j \rangle = 0, i \neq j$ . So  $i \cdot i = 2, i = 1, 2, 3, 4$ ;  $1 \cdot 2 = 2 \cdot 3 = 2 \cdot 4 = -1$ ,  $1 \cdot 3 = 1 \cdot 4 = 3 \cdot 4 = 0$ .

Let us prove Theorem 3.1. For any  $t \in \mathbb{N}$ , let  $\mathbf{i} = (i_1, \dots, i_t) \in \Gamma_0^t$ ,  $\mathbf{a} = (a_1, \dots, a_t) \in \mathbb{N}^t$ .

Case 1.  $t \leq 2$ . By Corollary 2.4, words with  $t \leq 2$  are all tight, so (1)~(3) hold.

Case 2.  $t=3$ . Applying the  $M-S$  word-procedure to  $M_2$ , we get  $S_3$ . Corollary 2.4  $\Rightarrow S_3^1$ . Consider  $S_3^2$ , for  $\mathbf{i} \in \{(1,2,1), (2,1,2)\}$ , we have  $\mathcal{M}_{\mathbf{i},\mathbf{a}} = \{M = M_x | x \in \mathbb{N}\}$ , where

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 - x & 0 & x \\ 0 & a_2 & 0 \\ x & 0 & a_3 - x \end{pmatrix},$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} q(M) &= 2\langle i_1, i_1 \rangle (a_1 x - x^2) + 2\langle i_3, i_3 \rangle (a_3 x - x^2) + (i_1 \cdot i_3) x^2 + ((i_1 \cdot i_2) + (i_2 \cdot i_3)) a_2 x \\ &= -2x^2 + 2(a_1 + a_3 - a_2)x. \end{aligned}$$

Obviously,  $q(M) \leq 0 \Leftrightarrow a_1 + a_3 \leq a_2$ . And  $q(M) = 0 \Leftrightarrow a_1 + a_3 \leq a_2, x = 0$ , so two words in  $S_3^2$  are all tight by Theorem 2.3, (4) holds.

Case 3.  $t=4$ . Applying the  $M-S$  word-procedure to  $M_3$ , we get  $S_4 \cup \{1212\}$ . Corollary 2.4  $\Rightarrow S_4^1$ . Corollary 2.5 and  $S_3^2 \Rightarrow S_4^2$ . Consider words 2132, 1212. For word 2132, we have  $\mathcal{M}_{\mathbf{i},\mathbf{a}} = \{M = M_x | x \in \mathbb{N}\}$ , where

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 - x & 0 & 0 & x \\ 0 & a_2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a_3 & 0 \\ x & 0 & 0 & a_4 - x \end{pmatrix},$$

and 
$$\begin{aligned} q(M) &= 2\langle i_1, i_1 \rangle (a_1 x + a_4 x - 2x^2) + (i_1 \cdot i_1) x^2 + 2(i_1 \cdot i_2) a_2 x + 2(i_1 \cdot i_3) a_3 x \\ &= -2x^2 + 2(a_1 + a_4 - a_2 - a_3)x. \end{aligned}$$

Obviously,  $q(M) \leq 0 \Leftrightarrow a_1 + a_4 \leq a_2 + a_3$ . And  $q(M) = 0 \Leftrightarrow a_1 + a_4 \leq a_2 + a_3, x = 0$ , so word 2132(14-23) is tight by Theorem 2.3.

For word 1212, we have  $\mathcal{M}_{\mathbf{i},\mathbf{a}} = \{M = M_{x,y} | (x, y) \in \mathbb{N}^2\}$ , where

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 - x & 0 & x & 0 \\ 0 & a_2 - y & 0 & y \\ x & 0 & a_3 - x & 0 \\ 0 & y & 0 & a_4 - y \end{pmatrix},$$

and 
$$\begin{aligned} q(M) &= 2\langle i_1, i_1 \rangle (a_1 x + a_3 x - 2x^2) + 2\langle i_2, i_2 \rangle (a_2 y + a_4 y - 2y^2) \\ &\quad + (i_1 \cdot i_1) x^2 + (i_2 \cdot i_2) y^2 + 2(i_1 \cdot i_2) (a_2 x + a_3 y - xy) \\ &= -x^2 - y^2 - (x - y)^2 + 2(a_1 + a_3 - a_2)x + 2(a_2 + a_4 - a_3)y. \end{aligned}$$

Obviously,  $q(M) \leq 0 \Leftrightarrow a_1 + a_3 \leq a_2, a_2 + a_4 \leq a_3$ . And  $q(M) = 0 \Leftrightarrow a_1 + a_3 \leq a_2, a_2 + a_4 \leq a_3, x = y = 0$ , but  $a_1 + a_3 \leq a_2, a_2 + a_4 \leq a_3 \Rightarrow a_1 + a_4 \leq 0$ , this is a contradiction, so word 1212 is not tight for any  $\mathbf{a} = (a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4) \in \mathbb{N}^4$ , (5) holds.

Case 4.  $t=5$ . Applying the  $M-S$  word-procedure to  $M_4$ , deleting words including subwords in  $\Phi(1212) \cup \Psi\Phi(1212)$ , we get  $S_5$ . By Corollary 2.5 and  $S_3^2, S_4^3$ , words in  $S_5^1$  besides 21342 are all tight. For word 21342, we have  $\mathcal{M}_{\mathbf{i},\mathbf{a}} = \{M = M_x | x \in \mathbb{N}\}$ , where

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 - x & 0 & 0 & 0 & x \\ 0 & a_2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a_3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & a_4 & 0 \\ x & 0 & 0 & 0 & a_5 - x \end{pmatrix},$$

$$q(M) = 2\langle i_1, i_1 \rangle (a_1x + a_5x - 2x^2) + (i_1 \cdot i_1)x^2 + 2(i_1 \cdot i_2)a_2x$$

and

$$+ 2(i_1 \cdot i_3)a_3x + 2(i_1 \cdot i_4)a_4x$$

$$= -2x^2 + 2(a_1 + a_5 - a_2 - a_3 - a_4)x.$$

Obviously,  $q(M) \leq 0 \Leftrightarrow a_1 + a_5 \leq a_2 + a_3 + a_4$ . And  $q(M) = 0 \Leftrightarrow a_1 + a_5 \leq a_2 + a_3 + a_4, x = 0$ , so word 21342(15-234) is tight by Theorem 2.3.

Consider  $S_5^2$ . For words 12312, 12412, 13213, we have  $\mathcal{M}_{i,a} = \{M = M_{x,y} | (x, y) \in \mathbb{N}^2\}$ , where

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 - x & 0 & 0 & x & 0 \\ 0 & a_2 - y & 0 & 0 & y \\ 0 & 0 & a_3 & 0 & 0 \\ x & 0 & 0 & a_4 - x & 0 \\ 0 & y & 0 & 0 & a_5 - y \end{pmatrix},$$

and

$$q(M) = 2\langle i_1, i_1 \rangle (a_1x + a_4x - 2x^2) + 2\langle i_2, i_2 \rangle (a_2y + a_5y - 2y^2) + (i_1 \cdot i_1)x^2$$

$$+ (i_2 \cdot i_2)y^2 + 2(i_1 \cdot i_3)a_3x + 2(i_2 \cdot i_3)a_3y + 2(i_1 \cdot i_2)(a_2x + a_4y - xy)$$

$$= \begin{cases} -(x-y)^2 - x^2 - y^2 + 2(a_1 + a_4 - a_2)x + 2(a_2 + a_5 - a_3 - a_4)y, & 12312, 12412, \\ -2x^2 - 2y^2 + 2(a_1 + a_4 - a_3)x + 2(a_2 + a_5 - a_3)y, & 13213. \end{cases}$$

Obviously,  $q(M) \leq 0 \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} a_1 + a_4 \leq a_2, a_2 + a_5 \leq a_3 + a_4, & 12312, 12412, \\ a_1 + a_4 \leq a_3, a_2 + a_5 \leq a_3, & 13213 \end{cases}$ . And

$$q(M) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} a_1 + a_4 \leq a_2, a_2 + a_5 \leq a_3 + a_4, & 12312, 12412, \\ a_1 + a_4 \leq a_3, a_2 + a_5 \leq a_3, & 13213 \end{cases} \text{ and } x = y = 0, \text{ so}$$

words 12312, 12412(14-2, 25-34), 13213(14-3, 25-3) are tight by Theorem 2.3.

For words 12321, 12421, we have  $\mathcal{M}_{i,a} = \{M = M_{x,y} | (x, y) \in \mathbb{N}^2\}$ , where

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 - x & 0 & 0 & 0 & x \\ 0 & a_2 - y & 0 & y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a_3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & y & 0 & a_4 - y & 0 \\ x & 0 & 0 & 0 & a_5 - x \end{pmatrix},$$

$$q(M) = 2\langle i_1, i_1 \rangle (a_1x + a_5x - 2x^2) + 2\langle i_2, i_2 \rangle (a_2y + a_4y - 2y^2) + (i_1 \cdot i_1)x^2$$

and

$$+ (i_2 \cdot i_2)y^2 + 2(i_1 \cdot i_2)(a_2x + a_4x) + 2(i_1 \cdot i_3)a_3x + 2(i_2 \cdot i_3)a_3y$$

$$= -2x^2 - 2y^2 + 2(a_1 + a_5 - a_2 - a_4)x + 2(a_2 + a_4 - a_3)y$$

Obviously,  $q(M) \leq 0 \Leftrightarrow a_1 + a_5 \leq a_2 + a_4 \leq a_3$ . And  $q(M) = 0 \Leftrightarrow a_1 + a_5 \leq a_2 + a_4 \leq a_3$  and  $x = y = 0$ , so words 12321,

12421(14-25-3) are tight by Theorem 2.3.

Now let us consider  $S_5^3$ , we have  $\mathcal{M}_{i,a} = \{M = M_{x,x_1,x_2,x_3} \mid (x, x_1, x_2, x_3) \in \mathbb{N}^4\}$ , where

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 - x - x_1 & 0 & x & 0 & x_1 \\ 0 & a_2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ x_2 & 0 & a_3 - x_2 - x_3 & 0 & x_3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & a_4 & 0 \\ x + x_1 - x_2 & 0 & x_2 + x_3 - x & 0 & a_5 - x_1 - x_3 \end{pmatrix},$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} q(M) &= 2\langle i_1, i_1 \rangle (a_1x + a_1x_1 + a_3x_2 + a_3x_3 + a_5x_1 + a_5x_3 - 2x^2 - 2x_1^2 - 2x_2^2 \\ &\quad - 2x_3^2 - 2x_1x + 2x_2x + x_3x + x_1x_2 - x_1x_3 - 2x_2x_3) + (i_1 \cdot i_1)(a_3x \\ &\quad + 2a_3x_1 - a_3x_2 + x^2 + x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 + x_1x - x_2x - x_3x - x_1x_2 + x_2x_3) \\ &\quad + 2(i_1 \cdot i_2)(a_2x + a_2x_1) + 2(i_1 \cdot i_4)(a_4x_1 + a_4x_3) \\ &= -(x - x_2)^2 - x^2 - 2x_1^2 - x_2^2 - 2x_3^2 - 2x_1x - 2x_1x_3 - 2x_2x_3 \\ &\quad + 2(a_1 + a_3 - a_2)x + 2(a_1 + 2a_3 + a_5 - a_2 - a_4)x_1 + 2(a_3 + a_5 - a_4)x_3. \end{aligned}$$

Obviously,  $q(M) \leq 0 \Leftrightarrow a_1 + a_3 \leq a_2, a_3 + a_5 \leq a_4$ . And  $q(M) = 0 \Leftrightarrow a_1 + a_3 \leq a_2, a_3 + a_5 \leq a_4, x = x_1 = x_2 = x_3 = 0$ , so word 21232(13-2, 35-4) is tight. So (6) holds.

Case 5.  $t = 6$ . Applying the  $M - S$  word-procedure to  $M_5$ , deleting words including subwords in  $\Phi(1212) \cup \Psi\Phi(1212)$ , we get  $S_6 \cup \{123123\}$ .

Firstly, as  $S_5^2, S_5^3$ , we can prove that words in  $S_6^1, S_6^3$  are all tight.

Secondly, consider words 123123, 132132, we have

$\mathcal{M}_{i,a} = \{M = M_{x,y,z} \mid (x, y, z) \in \mathbb{N}^3\}$ , where

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 - x & 0 & 0 & x & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a_2 - y & 0 & 0 & y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a_3 - z & 0 & 0 & z \\ x & 0 & 0 & a_4 - x & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & y & 0 & 0 & a_5 - y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & z & 0 & 0 & a_6 - z \end{pmatrix}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} q(M) &= 2\langle i_1, i_1 \rangle (a_1x + a_4x - 2x^2) + 2\langle i_2, i_2 \rangle (a_2y + a_5y - 2y^2) \\ &\quad + 2\langle i_3, i_3 \rangle (a_3z + a_6z - 2z^2) + (i_1 \cdot i_1)x^2 + (i_2 \cdot i_2)y^2 + (i_3 \cdot i_3)z^2 \\ &\quad + 2(i_1 \cdot i_2)(a_2x + a_4y - xy) + 2(i_1 \cdot i_3)(a_3x + a_4z - xz) \\ &\quad + 2(i_2 \cdot i_3)(a_3y + a_5z - yz) \\ &= \begin{cases} -(x - y)^2 - (z - y)^2 - x^2 - z^2 + 2(a_1 + a_4 - a_2)x \\ + 2(a_2 + a_5 - a_3 - a_4)y + 2(a_3 + a_6 - a_5)z, 123123, \\ -(x - z)^2 - (z - y)^2 - x^2 - y^2 + 2(a_1 + a_4 - a_3)x \\ + 2(a_2 + a_5 - a_3)y + 2(a_3 + a_6 - a_4 - a_5)z, 132132. \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Obviously,  $q(M) \leq 0 \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} a_1 + a_4 \leq a_2, a_2 + a_5 \leq a_3 + a_4, a_3 + a_6 \leq a_5, 123123, \\ a_1 + a_4 \leq a_3, a_2 + a_5 \leq a_3, a_3 + a_6 \leq a_4 + a_5, 132132. \end{cases}$

And  $q(M) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} a_1 + a_4 \leq a_2, a_2 + a_5 \leq a_3 + a_4, a_3 + a_6 \leq a_5, 123123, \\ a_1 + a_4 \leq a_3, a_2 + a_5 \leq a_3, a_3 + a_6 \leq a_4 + a_5, 132132, \end{cases}$  and

$x = y = z = 0$ , but  $a_1 + a_4 \leq a_2, a_2 + a_5 \leq a_3 + a_4, a_3 + a_6 \leq a_5 \Rightarrow a_1 + a_6 \leq 0$ , this is a contradiction, so word 123123 is not tight for any  $(a_1, \dots, a_6) \in \mathbb{N}^6$ , and word 132132(14-3, 25-3, 36-45) is tight by Theorem 2.3.

Lastly, let us consider  $S_6^4$ . Take word 123121 as an example, we have  $\mathcal{M}_{4,a} = \{M = M_{x,x_1,x_2,x_3,y} \mid (x, x_1, x_2, x_3, y) \in \mathbb{N}^5\}$ , where

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 - x - x_1 & 0 & 0 & x & 0 & x_1 \\ 0 & a_2 - y & 0 & 0 & y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ x_2 & 0 & 0 & a_4 - x_2 - x_3 & 0 & x_3 \\ 0 & y & 0 & 0 & a_5 - y & 0 \\ x + x_1 - x_2 & 0 & 0 & x_2 + x_3 - x & 0 & a_6 - x_1 - x_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} q(M) &= 2\langle i_1, i_1 \rangle (a_1x + a_1x_1 + a_4x_2 + a_4x_3 + a_6x_1 + a_6x_3 - 2x^2 - 2x_1^2 - 2x_2^2 - 2x_3^2 \\ &\quad - 2x_1x + 2x_2x + x_3x + x_1x_2 - x_1x_3 - 2x_2x_3) + 2\langle i_2, i_2 \rangle (a_2y + a_5y - 2y^2) \\ &\quad + (i_1 \cdot i_1) (a_4x + 2a_4x_1 - a_4x_2 + x^2 + x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 + x_1x - x_2x - x_3x - x_1x_2 + x_2x_3) \\ &\quad + (i_2 \cdot i_2) y^2 + 2(i_1 \cdot i_2) (a_2x + a_2x_1 + a_5x_1 + a_5x_3 + a_4y - x_2y - x_3y) \\ &\quad + 2(i_1 \cdot i_3) (a_3x + a_3x_1) + 2(i_2 \cdot i_3) a_3y \\ &= -(x - x_2)^2 - (x_2 - y)^2 - (x_3 - y)^2 - x^2 - 2x_1^2 - x_3^2 - 2x_1x - 2x_1x_3 - 2x_2x_3 \\ &\quad + 2(a_1 + a_4 - a_2)x + 2(a_1 + 2a_4 + a_6 - a_2 - a_5)x_1 + 2(a_4 + a_6 - a_5)x_3 \\ &\quad + 2(a_2 + a_5 - a_3 - a_4)y. \end{aligned}$$

Obviously,  $q(M) \leq 0 \Leftrightarrow a_1 + a_4 \leq a_2, a_4 + a_6 \leq a_5, a_2 + a_5 \leq a_3 + a_4$ . And  $q(M) = 0 \Leftrightarrow a_1 + a_4 \leq a_2, a_4 + a_6 \leq a_5, a_2 + a_5 \leq a_3 + a_4$ ,  $x = x_1 = x_2 = x_3 = y = 0$ , so word 123121(14-2, 46-5, 25-34) is tight by Theorem 2.3. So (7) holds.

Case 6.  $t = 7$ . Applying the  $M - S$  word-procedure to  $M_6$ , deleting words including subwords in  $\Phi(\{1212, 123123\}) \cup \Psi\Phi(\{1212, 123123\})$ , we get  $S_7 \cup \{2132132, 1232123\}$ .

As  $S_6^2, S_6^4$ , we can prove  $S_7^1, S_7^2$ . Consider word 2123242 in  $S_7^3$ , we have  $\mathcal{M}_{4,a} = \{M = M_{x,x_1,\dots,x_8} \mid (x, x_1, \dots, x_8) \in \mathbb{N}^9\}$ , where

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} b_{11} & 0 & x & 0 & x_1 & 0 & x_2 \\ 0 & a_2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ x_3 & 0 & b_{33} & 0 & x_4 & 0 & x_5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & a_4 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ x_6 & 0 & x_7 & 0 & b_{55} & 0 & x_8 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & a_6 & 0 \\ b_{71} & 0 & b_{73} & 0 & b_{75} & 0 & b_{77} \end{pmatrix},$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 b_{11} &= a_1 - x - x_1 - x_2, & b_{33} &= a_3 - x_3 - x_4 - x_5, & b_{55} &= a_5 - x_6 - x_7 - x_8, \\
 b_{77} &= a_7 - x_2 - x_5 - x_8, & b_{71} &= x + x_1 + x_2 - x_3 - x_6, \\
 b_{73} &= x_3 + x_4 + x_5 - x - x_7, & b_{75} &= x_6 + x_7 + x_8 - x_1 - x_4,
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 q(M) &= 2\langle i_1, i_1 \rangle (a_1x + a_1x_1 + a_1x_2 + a_3x_3 + a_3x_4 + a_3x_5 + a_5x_6 + a_5x_7 + a_5x_8 \\
 &\quad + a_7x_2 + a_7x_5 + a_7x_8 - 2x^2 - 2x_1^2 - 2x_2^2 - 2x_3^2 - 2x_4^2 - 2x_5^2 - 2x_6^2 - 2x_7^2 - 2x_8^2 \\
 &\quad - 2x_1x - 2x_2x + 2x_3x + x_4x + x_5x + x_6x - x_7x - 2x_1x_2 + x_1x_3 - x_1x_4 + 2x_1x_6 \\
 &\quad + x_1x_7 + x_1x_8 + x_2x_3 - x_2x_5 + x_2x_6 - x_2x_8 - 2x_3x_4 - 2x_3x_5 - x_3x_6 + x_3x_7 \\
 &\quad - 2x_4x_5 + x_4x_6 + 2x_4x_7 + x_4x_8 + x_5x_7 - x_5x_8 - 2x_6x_7 - 2x_6x_8 - 2x_7x_8) \\
 &\quad + (i_1 \cdot i_1)(a_3x + 2a_3x_1 + 2a_3x_2 - a_3x_3 + a_5x_1 + 2a_5x_2 - a_5x_6 + a_5x_4 + 2a_5x_5 - a_5x_7 \\
 &\quad + x^2 + x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 + x_4^2 + x_5^2 + x_6^2 + x_7^2 + x_8^2 + x_1x + x_2x - x_3x - x_4x - x_5x + x_7x \\
 &\quad + x_1x_2 - x_1x_3 - x_1x_5 - x_1x_6 - x_1x_8 - x_2x_3 - x_2x_6 + x_3x_4 + x_3x_5 - x_3x_7 + x_4x_5 - x_4x_6 \\
 &\quad - x_4x_7 - x_4x_8 - x_5x_6 - x_5x_7 + x_6x_7 + x_6x_8 + x_7x_8) + 2(i_1 \cdot i_2)(a_2x + a_2x_1 + a_2x_2) \\
 &\quad + 2(i_1 \cdot i_4)(a_4x_1 + a_4x_2 + a_4x_4 + a_4x_5) + 2(i_1 \cdot i_6)(a_6x_2 + a_6x_5 + a_6x_8) \\
 &= -2f(x, x_1, \dots, x_8) + 2(a_1 + a_3 - a_2)x + 2(a_1 + 2a_3 + a_5 - a_2 - a_4)x_1 \\
 &\quad + 2(a_1 + 2a_3 + 2a_5 + a_7 - a_2 - a_4 - a_6)x_2 + 2(a_3 + a_5 - a_4)x_4 \\
 &\quad + 2(a_3 + 2a_5 + a_7 - a_4 - a_6)x_5 + 2(a_5 + a_7 - a_6)x_8,
 \end{aligned}$$

where  $f(x, x_1, \dots, x_8) = \frac{1}{2}XA_fX^T$ ,  $X = (x, x_1, \dots, x_8)$  symmetric matrix  $A_f$  is as follows

$$A_f = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & -1 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Using the above algorithm in §2, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 R_1 &= \{r_1, \dots, r_9\}; \\
 R_2 &= \{r_1 + r_4, r_1 + r_7, r_2 + r_7, r_2 + r_8, r_5 + r_8\}; \\
 R_3 &= \emptyset.
 \end{aligned}$$

By Theorem 2.8, the unit form  $f(x, x_1, \dots, x_8)$  is weakly positive, i.e.,  $f(x, x_1, \dots, x_8) \geq 0$  for any  $(x, x_1, \dots, x_8) \in \mathbb{N}^9$ , and  $f(x, x_1, \dots, x_8) = 0 \Leftrightarrow x = x_1 = \dots = x_8 = 0$ . So,  $q(M) \leq 0 \Leftrightarrow a_1 + a_3 \leq a_2$ ,  $a_5 + a_7 \leq a_6$ ,  $a_3 + a_5 \leq a_4$ . And  $q(M) = 0 \Leftrightarrow a_1 + a_3 \leq a_2$ ,  $a_5 + a_7 \leq a_6$ ,  $a_3 + a_5 \leq a_4$ ,  $x = x_1 = \dots = x_8 = 0$ , so word 2123242(13-2, 57-6, 35-4) is tight by Theorem 2.3.

At last, let us see  $S_7^4$ , for words 2123212, 2124212 in  $S_7^4$ , we have  $\mathcal{M}_{4,a} = \{M = M_{x, x_1, \dots, x_8, y} \mid (x, x_1, \dots, x_8, y) \in \mathbb{N}^{10}\}$ , where

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} b_{11} & 0 & x & 0 & x_1 & 0 & x_2 \\ 0 & a_2 - y & 0 & 0 & 0 & y & 0 \\ x_3 & 0 & b_{33} & 0 & x_4 & 0 & x_5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & a_4 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ x_6 & 0 & x_7 & 0 & b_{55} & 0 & x_8 \\ 0 & y & 0 & 0 & 0 & a_6 - y & 0 \\ b_{71} & 0 & b_{73} & 0 & b_{75} & 0 & b_{77} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} b_{11} &= a_1 - x - x_1 - x_2, & b_{33} &= a_3 - x_3 - x_4 - x_5, & b_{55} &= a_5 - x_6 - x_7 - x_8, \\ b_{77} &= a_7 - x_2 - x_5 - x_8, & b_{71} &= x + x_1 + x_2 - x_3 - x_6, \\ b_{73} &= x_3 + x_4 + x_5 - x - x_7, & b_{75} &= x_6 + x_7 + x_8 - x_1 - x_4, \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} q(M) &= 2\langle i_1, i_1 \rangle (a_1x + a_1x_1 + a_1x_2 + a_3x_3 + a_3x_4 + a_3x_5 + a_5x_6 + a_5x_7 + a_5x_8 \\ &+ a_7x_2 + a_7x_5 + a_7x_8 - 2x^2 - 2x_1^2 - 2x_2^2 - 2x_3^2 - 2x_4^2 - 2x_5^2 - 2x_6^2 - 2x_7^2 \\ &- 2x_8^2 - 2x_2x + 2x_3x + x_4x + x_5x + x_6x - x_7x - 2x_1x_2 + x_1x_3 - x_1x_4 + 2x_1x_6 \\ &+ x_1x_7 - 2x_1x_8 + x_1x_8 + x_2x_3 - x_2x_5 + x_2x_6 - x_2x_8 - 2x_3x_4 - 2x_3x_5 - x_3x_6 \\ &+ x_3x_7 - 2x_4x_5 + x_4x_6 + 2x_4x_7 + x_4x_8 + x_5x_7 - x_5x_8 - 2x_6x_7 - 2x_6x_8 - 2x_7x_8) \\ &+ 2\langle i_2, i_2 \rangle (a_2y + a_6y - 2y^2) + (i_1 \cdot i_1) (a_3x + 2a_3x_1 + 2a_3x_2 - a_3x_3 + a_5x_1 \\ &+ 2a_5x_2 - a_5x_6 + a_5x_4 + 2a_5x_5 - a_5x_7 + x^2 + x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 + x_4^2 + x_5^2 + x_6^2 \\ &+ x_7^2 + x_8^2 + x_1x + x_2x - x_3x - x_4x - x_5x + x_7x + x_1x_2 - x_1x_3 - x_1x_5 - x_1x_6 \\ &- x_1x_8 - x_2x_3 - x_2x_6 + x_3x_4 + x_3x_5 - x_3x_7 + x_4x_5 - x_4x_6 - x_4x_7 - x_4x_8 \\ &- x_5x_6 - x_5x_7 + x_6x_7 + x_6x_8 + x_7x_8) + (i_2 \cdot i_2) y^2 + 2(i_1 \cdot i_2) (a_2x + a_2x_1 \\ &+ a_2x_2 + a_6x_2 + a_3y + a_5y + a_6x_5 + a_6x_8 - x_3y - x_5y - x_6y - x_8y) \\ &+ 2(i_1 \cdot i_4) (a_4x_1 + a_4x_2 + a_4x_4 + a_4x_5) \\ &= -2f(x, x_1, \dots, x_8, y) + 2(a_1 + a_3 - a_2)x + 2(a_1 + 2a_3 + a_5 - a_2 - a_4)x_1 \\ &+ 2(a_1 + 2a_3 + 2a_5 + a_7 - a_2 - a_4 - a_6)x_2 + 2(a_3 + a_5 - a_4)x_4 \\ &+ 2(a_3 + 2a_5 + a_7 - a_4 - a_6)x_5 + 2(a_5 + a_7 - a_6)x_8 + 2(a_2 + a_6 - a_3 - a_5)y, \end{aligned}$$

where  $f(x, x_1, \dots, x_8, y) = \frac{1}{2}XA_fX^T$ ,  $X = (x, x_1, \dots, x_8, y)$ , symmetric matrix

$A_f$  is as follows

$$A_f = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 & -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Using the above algorithm in §2, we have

$$\begin{aligned} R_1 &= \{r_1, \dots, r_{10}\}; \\ R_2 &= \{r_1 + r_4, r_1 + r_7, r_2 + r_7, r_2 + r_8, r_4 + r_{10}, r_5 + r_8, r_6 + r_{10}, r_7 + r_{10}, r_9 + r_{10}\}; \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 R_3 &= \{r_1 + r_4 + r_{10}, r_1 + r_7 + r_{10}, r_2 + r_7 + r_{10}, r_4 + r_9 + r_{10}\}; \\
 R_4 &= \{r_1 + r_4 + r_7 + r_{10}, r_1 + r_4 + r_9 + r_{10}\}; \\
 R_5 &= \phi.
 \end{aligned}$$

By Theorem 2.8, the unit form  $f(x, x_1, \dots, x_9, y)$  is weakly positive, i.e.,  $f(x, x_1, \dots, x_9, y) \geq 0$  for any  $(x, x_1, \dots, x_9, y) \in \mathbb{N}^{10}$ , and  $f(x, x_1, \dots, x_9, y) = 0 \Leftrightarrow x = x_1 = \dots = x_9 = y = 0$ . So,  $q(M) \leq 0 \Leftrightarrow a_1 + a_3 \leq a_2, a_5 + a_7 \leq a_6, a_2 + a_6 \leq a_3 + a_5 \leq a_4$ . And  $q(M) = 0 \Leftrightarrow a_1 + a_3 \leq a_2, a_5 + a_7 \leq a_6, a_2 + a_6 \leq a_3 + a_5 \leq a_4$  and  $x = x_1 = \dots = x_9 = y = 0$ , so words 2123212, 2124212(13-2, 57-6, 26-35-4) are all tight by Theorem 2.3. So (8) holds.

Case 7.  $t=8$ . Applying the  $M-S$  word-procedure to  $M_7$ , deleting words including subwords in

$$\Phi(\{1212, 123123, 1232123, 2132132\}) \cup \Psi\Phi(\{1212, 123123, 1232123, 2132132\}),$$

we get  $S_8$ .

As  $S_7^4$ , we can prove that words in  $S_8^4$  are all tight.

For  $S_8^1$ , only consider word 12134234, we have

$$\mathcal{M}_{i,a} = \{M = M_{x,y,z,u} \mid (x, y, z, u) \in \mathbb{N}^4\}, \text{ where}$$

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 - x & 0 & x & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a_2 - y & 0 & 0 & 0 & y & 0 & 0 \\ x & 0 & a_3 - x & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & a_4 - z & 0 & 0 & z & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & a_5 - u & 0 & 0 & u \\ 0 & y & 0 & 0 & 0 & a_6 - y & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & z & 0 & 0 & a_7 - z & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & u & 0 & 0 & a_8 - u \end{pmatrix},$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 q(M) &= 2\langle i_1, i_1 \rangle (a_1x + a_3x - 2x^2) + 2\langle i_2, i_2 \rangle (a_2y + a_6y - 2y^2) \\
 &\quad + 2\langle i_4, i_4 \rangle (a_4z + a_7z - 2z^2) + 2\langle i_5, i_5 \rangle (a_5u + a_8u - 2u^2) + (i_1 \cdot i_1)x^2 \\
 &\quad + (i_2 \cdot i_2)y^2 + (i_4 \cdot i_4)z^2 + (i_5 \cdot i_5)u^2 + 2(i_1 \cdot i_2)(a_2x + a_3y - xy) \\
 \text{and} \quad &\quad + 2(i_2 \cdot i_4)(a_4y + a_6z - yz) + 2(i_2 \cdot i_5)(a_5y + a_6u - yu) \\
 &= -2f(x, y, z, u) + 2(a_1 + a_3 - a_2)x + 2(a_2 + a_6 - a_3 - a_4 - a_5)y \\
 &\quad + 2(a_4 + a_7 - a_6)z + 2(a_5 + a_8 - a_6)u,
 \end{aligned}$$

where  $f(x, y, z, u) = \frac{1}{2}XA_fX^T, X = (x, y, z, u)$ , symmetric matrix  $A_f$  is as follows

$$A_f = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Using the above algorithm in §2, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 R_1 &= \{r_1, r_2, r_3, r_4\}; \\
 R_2 &= \{r_1 + r_2, r_2 + r_3, r_2 + r_4\};
 \end{aligned}$$



$$R_3 = \{r_1 + r_2 + r_3, r_1 + r_2 + r_4, r_2 + r_3 + r_4\};$$

$$R_4 = \{r_1 + r_2 + r_3 + r_4\};$$

$$R_5 = \{r_1 + 2r_2 + r_3 + r_4\};$$

$$R_6 = \emptyset.$$

By Theorem 2.8, the unit form  $f(x, y, z, u)$  is weakly positive, i.e.,  $f(x, y, z, u) \geq 0$  for any  $(x, y, z, u) \in \mathbb{N}^4$ , and  $f(x, y, z, u) = 0 \Leftrightarrow x = y = z = u = 0$ . So,  $q(M) \leq 0 \Leftrightarrow a_1 + a_3 \leq a_2, a_4 + a_7 \leq a_6, a_5 + a_8 \leq a_6, a_2 + a_6 \leq a_3 + a_4 + a_5$ . And  $q(M) = 0 \Leftrightarrow a_1 + a_3 \leq a_2, a_4 + a_7 \leq a_6, a_5 + a_8 \leq a_6, a_2 + a_6 \leq a_3 + a_4 + a_5$  and  $x = y = z = u = 0$ , word 12134234(13-2, 47-6, 58-6, 26-345) is tight by Theorem 2.3.

Consider words 12132142, 12142132 in  $S_8^2$ , we have

$$\mathcal{M}_{1,a} = \left\{ M = M_{x, x_1, x_2, x_3, y, y_1, y_2, y_3} \mid (x, x_1, x_2, x_3, y, y_1, y_2, y_3) \in \mathbb{N}^8 \right\}, \text{ where}$$

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} b_{11} & 0 & x & 0 & 0 & x_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & b_{22} & 0 & 0 & y & 0 & 0 & y_1 \\ x_2 & 0 & b_{33} & 0 & 0 & x_3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & a_4 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & y_2 & 0 & 0 & b_{55} & 0 & 0 & y_3 \\ b_{61} & 0 & b_{63} & 0 & 0 & b_{66} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & a_7 & 0 \\ 0 & b_{82} & 0 & 0 & b_{85} & 0 & 0 & b_{88} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} b_{11} &= a_1 - x - x_1, & b_{22} &= a_2 - y - y_1, & b_{33} &= a_3 - x_2 - x_3, & b_{55} &= a_5 - y_2 - y_3, \\ b_{61} &= x + x_1 - x_2, & b_{63} &= x_2 + x_3 - x, & b_{66} &= a_6 - x_1 - x_3, \\ b_{82} &= y + y_1 - y_2, & b_{85} &= y_2 + y_3 - y, & b_{88} &= a_8 - y_1 - y_3. \end{aligned}$$

So, we have

$$\begin{aligned} q(M) &= 2\langle i_1, i_1 \rangle (a_1x + a_1x_1 + a_3x_2 + a_3x_3 + a_6x_1 + a_6x_3 - 2x^2 - 2x_1^2 - 2x_2^2 - 2x_3^2 \\ &\quad - 2x_1x + 2x_2x + x_3x + x_1x_2 - x_1x_3 - 2x_2x_3) + 2\langle i_2, i_2 \rangle (a_2y + a_2y_1 + a_5y_2 + a_5y_3 \\ &\quad + a_8y_1 + a_8y_3 - 2y^2 - 2y_1^2 - 2y_2^2 - 2y_3^2 - 2y_1y + 2y_2y + y_3y + y_1y_2 - y_1y_3 - 2y_2y_3) \\ &\quad + (i_1 \cdot i_1) (a_3x + 2a_3x_1 - a_3x_2 + x^2 + x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 + x_1x - x_2x - x_3x - x_1x_2 + x_2x_3) \\ &\quad + (i_2 \cdot i_2) (a_5y + 2a_5y_1 - a_5y_2 + y^2 + y_1^2 + y_2^2 + y_3^2 + y_1y - y_2y - y_3y - y_1y_2 + y_2y_3) \\ &\quad + 2\langle i_1 \cdot i_2 \rangle (a_2x + a_2x_1 + a_5x_1 + a_5x_3 + a_3y + a_3y_1 + a_6y_1 + a_6y_3 - xy - xy_1 - x_1y_1 \\ &\quad - x_2y_2 + xy_2 - x_3y_2 - x_1y_3 - x_3y_3) + 2\langle i_2 \cdot i_4 \rangle (a_4y + a_4y_1) + 2\langle i_2 \cdot i_7 \rangle (a_7y_1 + a_7y_3) \\ &= -2f(x, x_1, x_2, x_3, y, y_1, y_2, y_3) + 2(a_1 + a_3 - a_2)x + 2(a_1 + 2a_3 + a_6 - a_2 - a_5)x_1 \\ &\quad + 2(a_3 + a_6 - a_5)x_3 + 2(a_2 + a_5 - a_3 - a_4)y + 2(a_2 + 2a_5 + a_8 - a_3 - a_4 - a_6 \\ &\quad - a_7)y_1 + 2(a_5 + a_8 - a_6 - a_7)y_3, \end{aligned}$$

where  $f(x, x_1, x_2, x_3, y, y_1, y_2, y_3) = \frac{1}{2} X A_f X^T$ ,  $X = (x, x_1, x_2, x_3, y, y_1, y_2, y_3)$ ,

symmetric matrix  $A_f$  is as follows

$$A_f = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & -1 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 & -1 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Using the above algorithm in §2, we have

$$\begin{aligned} R_1 &= \{r_1, \dots, r_8\}; \\ R_2 &= \{r_1 + r_3, r_1 + r_5, r_1 + r_6, r_2 + r_6, r_2 + r_8, r_3 + r_7, r_4 + r_7, r_4 + r_8, r_5 + r_7\}; \\ R_3 &= \{r_1 + r_3 + r_5, r_1 + r_3 + r_6, r_3 + r_5 + r_7, r_4 + r_5 + r_7\}; \\ R_4 &= \{r_1 + r_3 + r_5 + r_7\}; \\ R_5 &= \emptyset. \end{aligned}$$

By Theorem 2.8, the unit form  $f(x, x_1, x_2, x_3, y, y_1, y_2, y_3)$  is weakly positive, i.e.,  $f(x, x_1, x_2, x_3, y, y_1, y_2, y_3) \geq 0$  for any  $(x, x_1, x_2, x_3, y, y_1, y_2, y_3) \in \mathbb{N}^8$ , and  $f(x, x_1, x_2, x_3, y, y_1, y_2, y_3) = 0 \Leftrightarrow x = x_1 = x_2 = x_3 = y = y_1 = y_2 = y_3 = 0$ . So,  $q(M) \leq 0 \Leftrightarrow a_1 + a_3 \leq a_2, a_3 + a_6 \leq a_5, a_5 + a_8 \leq a_6 + a_7, a_2 + a_5 \leq a_3 + a_4$ . And  $q(M) = 0 \Leftrightarrow a_1 + a_3 \leq a_2, a_3 + a_6 \leq a_5, a_5 + a_8 \leq a_6 + a_7, a_2 + a_5 \leq a_3 + a_4$  and  $x = x_1 = x_2 = x_3 = y = y_1 = y_2 = y_3 = 0$ , words 12132142, 12142132(13-2, 36-5, 58-67, 25-34) are all tight by Theorem 2.3.

For  $S_8^3$ , only consider word 12132423, we have

$$\mathcal{M}_{i,a} = \{M = M_{x,y,y_1,y_2,y_3,z} \mid (x, y, y_1, y_2, y_3, z) \in \mathbb{N}^6\}, \text{ where}$$

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 - x & 0 & x & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a_2 - y - y_1 & 0 & 0 & y & 0 & y_1 & 0 \\ x & 0 & a_3 - x & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & a_4 - z & 0 & 0 & 0 & z \\ 0 & y_2 & 0 & 0 & a_5 - y_2 - y_3 & 0 & y_3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & a_6 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & y + y_1 - y_2 & 0 & 0 & y_2 + y_3 - y & 0 & a_7 - y_1 - y_3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & z & 0 & 0 & 0 & a_8 - z \end{pmatrix},$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} q(M) &= 2\langle i_1, i_1 \rangle (a_1x + a_3x - 2x^2) + 2\langle i_2, i_2 \rangle (a_2y + a_2y_1 + a_5y_2 + a_5y_3 + a_7y_1 + a_7y_3 \\ &\quad - 2y^2 - 2y_1^2 - 2y_2^2 - 2y_3^2 - 2y_1y + 2y_2y + y_3y + y_1y_2 - y_1y_3 - 2y_2y_3) + 2\langle i_4, i_4 \rangle \\ &\quad \times (a_4z + a_8z - 2z^2) + (i_1 \cdot i_1)x^2 + (i_2 \cdot i_2)(a_5y + 2a_5y_1 - a_5y_2 + y^2 + y_1^2 + y_2^2 + y_3^2 \\ &\quad + y_1y - y_2y - y_3y - y_1y_2 + y_2y_3) + (i_4 \cdot i_4)z^2 + 2(i_1 \cdot i_2)(a_2x + a_3y + a_3y_1 - xy \\ &\quad - xy_1) + 2(i_2 \cdot i_4)(a_4y + a_4y_1 + a_5z + a_7z - yz - y_1z) + 2(i_2 \cdot i_6)(a_6y_1 + a_6y_3) \\ &= -2f(x, y, y_1, y_2, y_3, z) + 2(a_1 + a_3 - a_2)x + 2(a_2 + a_5 - a_3 - a_4)y + 2(a_2 + 2a_5 \\ &\quad + a_7 - a_3 - a_4 - a_6)y_1 + 2(a_5 + a_7 - a_6)y_3 + 2(a_4 + a_8 - a_5 - a_7)z, \end{aligned}$$

where  $f(x, y, y_1, y_2, y_3, z) = \frac{1}{2}XA_fX^T, X = (x, y, y_1, y_2, y_3, z)$ , symmetric matrix

$A_f$  is as follows

$$A_f = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 & 1 & -1 & 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Using the above algorithm in §2, we have

$$\begin{aligned} R_1 &= \{r_1, \dots, r_6\}; \\ R_2 &= \{r_1 + r_2, r_1 + r_3, r_2 + r_4, r_2 + r_6, r_3 + r_6\}; \\ R_3 &= \{r_1 + r_2 + r_4, r_1 + r_2 + r_6, r_1 + r_3 + r_6, r_2 + r_4 + r_6\}; \\ R_4 &= \{r_1 + r_2 + r_4 + r_6, r_1 + r_2 + r_3 + r_6\}; \\ R_5 &= \{r_1 + 2r_2 + r_4 + r_6, r_1 + r_2 + 2r_3 + r_6, r_1 + r_2 + r_3 + r_4 + r_6\}; \\ R_6 &= \{2r_1 + r_2 + 2r_3 + r_6, r_1 + r_2 + 2r_3 + r_4 + r_6, r_1 + r_2 + 2r_3 + 2r_6\}; \\ R_7 &= \{2r_1 + r_2 + 2r_3 + r_4 + r_6, 2r_1 + r_2 + 2r_3 + 2r_6, r_1 + r_2 + 2r_3 + r_4 + 2r_6\}; \\ R_8 &= \{2r_1 + r_2 + 2r_3 + r_4 + 2r_6\}; \\ R_9 &= \{2r_1 + 2r_2 + 2r_3 + r_4 + 2r_6\}; \\ R_{10} &= \phi. \end{aligned}$$

By Theorem 2.8, the unit form  $f(x, y, y_1, y_2, y_3, z)$  is weakly positive, i.e.,  $f(x, y, y_1, y_2, y_3, z) \geq 0$  for any  $(x, y, y_1, y_2, y_3, z) \in \mathbb{N}^6$ , and  $f(x, y, y_1, y_2, y_3, z) = 0 \Leftrightarrow x = y = y_1 = y_2 = y_3 = z = 0$ . So,  $q(M) \leq 0 \Leftrightarrow a_1 + a_3 \leq a_2, a_2 + a_5 \leq a_3 + a_4, a_4 + a_8 \leq a_5 + a_7 \leq a_6$ . And  $q(M) = 0 \Leftrightarrow a_1 + a_3 \leq a_2, a_2 + a_5 \leq a_3 + a_4, a_4 + a_8 \leq a_5 + a_7 \leq a_6$  and  $x = y = y_1 = y_2 = y_3 = z = 0$ , word 12132423(13-2, 25-34, 48-57-6) is tight by Theorem 2.3. So (9) holds.

Case 8.  $t = 9$ . Applying the  $M - S$  word-procedure to  $M_8$ , deleting words including subwords in

$$\Phi(\{1212, 123123, 1232123, 2132132\}) \cup \Psi\Phi(\{1212, 123123, 1232123, 2132132\}),$$

we get  $S_9 \cup \Phi(\{121342342\}) \cup \Psi\Phi(\{121342342\})$ .

As  $S_8^2, S_8^3, S_8^4$ , words in  $S_9^1, S_9^2, S_9^3$  are all tight.

Consider  $S_9^4$ , it is found that there is four 2, three 1 (or 2), one 3, and one 4 in every word, only consider word 121324212, we have

$$\mathcal{M}_{4,a} = \left\{ M = M_{x_1, \dots, x_4, y_1, \dots, y_9} \mid (x_1, \dots, x_4, y_1, \dots, y_9) \in \mathbb{N}^{13} \right\}, \text{ where}$$

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} b_{11} & 0 & x_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & x_2 & 0 \\ 0 & b_{22} & 0 & 0 & y_1 & 0 & y_2 & 0 & y_3 \\ x_3 & 0 & b_{33} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & x_4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & a_4 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & y_4 & 0 & 0 & b_{55} & 0 & y_5 & 0 & y_6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & a_6 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & y_7 & 0 & 0 & y_8 & 0 & b_{77} & 0 & y_9 \\ b_{81} & 0 & b_{83} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & b_{88} & 0 \\ 0 & b_{92} & 0 & 0 & b_{95} & 0 & b_{97} & 0 & b_{99} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 b_{11} &= a_1 - x_1 - x_2, & b_{22} &= a_2 - y_1 - y_2 - y_3, & b_{33} &= a_3 - x_3 - x_4, \\
 b_{55} &= a_5 - y_4 - y_5 - y_6, & b_{77} &= a_7 - y_7 - y_8 - y_9, & b_{81} &= x_1 + x_2 - x_3, \\
 b_{83} &= x_3 + x_4 - x_1, & b_{88} &= a_8 - x_2 - x_4, & b_{92} &= y_1 + y_2 + y_3 - y_4 - y_7, \\
 b_{95} &= y_4 + y_5 + y_6 - y_1 - y_8, & b_{97} &= y_7 + y_8 + y_9 - y_2 - y_5, \\
 b_{99} &= a_9 - y_3 - y_6 - y_9,
 \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
 q(M) &= 2\langle i_1, i_1 \rangle (a_1x_1 + a_1x_2 + a_3x_3 + a_3x_4 + a_8x_2 + a_8x_4 - 2x_1^2 - 2x_2^2 - 2x_3^2 - 2x_4^2 \\
 &\quad - 2x_1x_2 + 2x_1x_3 + x_1x_4 + x_2x_3 - x_2x_4 - 2x_3x_4) + 2\langle i_2, i_2 \rangle (a_2y_1 + a_2y_2 + a_2y_3 + a_5y_4 \\
 &\quad + a_5y_5 + a_5y_6 + a_7y_7 + a_7y_8 + a_7y_9 + a_9y_3 + a_9y_6 + a_9y_9 - 2y_1^2 - 2y_2^2 - 2y_3^2 - 2y_4^2 \\
 &\quad - 2y_5^2 - 2y_6^2 - 2y_7^2 - 2y_8^2 - 2y_9^2 - 2y_1y_2 - 2y_1y_3 + 2y_1y_4 + y_1y_5 + y_1y_6 + y_1y_7 \\
 &\quad - y_1y_8 - 2y_2y_3 + y_2y_4 - y_2y_5 + 2y_2y_7 + y_2y_8 + y_2y_9 + y_3y_4 - y_3y_6 + y_3y_7 - y_3y_9 \\
 &\quad - 2y_4y_5 - 2y_4y_6 - y_4y_7 + y_4y_8 - 2y_5y_6 + y_5y_7 + 2y_5y_8 + y_5y_9 + y_6y_8 - y_6y_9 \\
 &\quad - 2y_7y_8 - 2y_7y_9 - 2y_8y_9) + (i_1 \cdot i_1)(a_3x_1 + 2a_3x_2 - a_3x_3 + x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 + x_4^2 + x_1x_2 \\
 &\quad + x_3x_4 - x_1x_3 - x_1x_4 - x_2x_3) + (i_2 \cdot i_2)(a_5y_1 + 2a_5y_2 + 2a_5y_3 - a_5y_4 + a_7y_2 + 2a_7y_3 \\
 &\quad - a_7y_7 + a_7y_5 + 2a_7y_6 - a_7y_8 + y_1^2 + y_2^2 + y_3^2 + y_4^2 + y_5^2 + y_6^2 + y_7^2 + y_8^2 + y_9^2 + y_1y_2 \\
 &\quad + y_1y_3 - y_1y_4 - y_1y_5 - y_1y_6 + y_1y_8 + y_2y_3 - y_2y_4 - y_2y_6 - y_2y_7 - y_2y_9 - y_3y_4 \\
 &\quad - y_3y_7 + y_4y_5 + y_4y_6 - y_4y_8 + y_5y_6 - y_5y_7 - y_5y_8 - y_5y_9 - y_6y_7 - y_6y_8 + y_7y_8 \\
 &\quad + y_7y_9 + y_8y_9) + 2(i_1 \cdot i_2)(a_2x_1 + a_2x_2 + a_5x_2 + a_5x_4 + a_7x_2 + a_7x_4 + a_3y_1 + a_3y_2 \\
 &\quad + a_3y_3 + a_8y_3 + a_8y_6 + a_8y_9 - x_1y_1 - x_1y_2 - x_1y_3 + x_1y_4 + x_1y_7 - x_2y_3 - x_2y_6 \\
 &\quad - x_2y_9 - x_3y_4 - x_3y_7 - x_4y_4 - x_4y_6 - x_4y_7 - x_4y_9) + 2(i_2 \cdot i_4)(a_4y_1 + a_4y_2 + a_4y_3) \\
 &\quad + 2(i_2 \cdot i_6)(a_6y_2 + a_6y_3 + a_6y_5 + a_6y_6) \\
 &= -2f(x_1, \dots, x_4, y_1, \dots, y_9) + 2(a_1 + a_3 - a_2)x_1 + 2(a_1 + 2a_3 + a_8 - a_2 - a_5 - a_7)x_2 \\
 &\quad + 2(a_3 + a_8 - a_5 - a_7)x_4 + 2(a_2 + a_5 - a_3 - a_4)y_1 + 2(a_2 + 2a_5 + a_7 - a_3 - a_4 \\
 &\quad - a_6)y_2 + 2(a_2 + 2a_5 + 2a_7 + a_9 - a_3 - a_4 - a_6 - a_8)y_3 + 2(a_5 + a_7 - a_6)y_5 \\
 &\quad + 2(a_5 + 2a_7 + a_9 - a_6 - a_8)y_6 + 2(a_7 + a_9 - a_8)y_9,
 \end{aligned}$$

where  $f(x_1, \dots, x_4, y_1, \dots, y_9) = \frac{1}{2}XA_fX^T$ ,  $X = (x_1, \dots, x_4, y_1, \dots, y_9)$  symmetric matrix  $A_f$  is as follows

$$A_f = \begin{pmatrix}
 2 & 1 & -1 & 0 & -1 & -1 & -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\
 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\
 -1 & 0 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 & -1 \\
 -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 1 & 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\
 -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & -1 & -1 & 0 \\
 -1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\
 1 & 0 & -1 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\
 0 & -1 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\
 1 & 0 & -1 & -1 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 1 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\
 0 & -1 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 2
 \end{pmatrix}$$

Using the above algorithm in §2, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 R_1 &= \{r_1, \dots, r_{13}\}; \\
 R_2 &= \{r_1 + r_3, r_1 + r_5, r_1 + r_6, r_1 + r_7, r_2 + r_7, r_2 + r_{10}, r_2 + r_{13}, r_3 + r_8, r_3 + r_{11}, \\
 &\quad r_4 + r_8, r_4 + r_{10}, r_4 + r_{11}, r_4 + r_{13}, r_5 + r_8, r_5 + r_{11}, r_6 + r_{11}, r_6 + r_{12}, r_9 + r_{12}\}; \\
 R_3 &= \{r_1 + r_3 + r_5, r_1 + r_3 + r_6, r_1 + r_3 + r_7, r_1 + r_6 + r_{12}, r_3 + r_5 + r_8, r_3 + r_5 + r_{11}, \\
 &\quad r_3 + r_6 + r_{11}, r_4 + r_5 + r_8, r_4 + r_8 + r_{13}, r_4 + r_5 + r_{11}, r_4 + r_6 + r_{11}\}; \\
 R_4 &= \{r_1 + r_3 + r_5 + r_8, r_1 + r_3 + r_5 + r_{11}, r_1 + r_3 + r_6 + r_{11}, r_1 + r_3 + r_6 + r_{12}, \\
 &\quad r_3 + r_5 + r_8 + r_{11}, r_4 + r_5 + r_8 + r_{11}, r_4 + r_5 + r_8 + r_{13}\}; \\
 R_5 &= \{r_1 + r_3 + r_5 + r_6 + r_{11}, r_3 + r_4 + r_5 + r_8 + r_{11}\}; \\
 R_6 &= \phi.
 \end{aligned}$$

By Theorem 2.8, the unit form  $f(x_1, \dots, x_4, y_1, \dots, y_9)$  is weakly positive, i.e., for any  $(x_1, \dots, x_4, y_1, \dots, y_9) \in \mathbb{N}^{13}$ ,  $f(x_1, \dots, x_4, y_1, \dots, y_9) \geq 0$ , and  $f(x_1, \dots, x_4, y_1, \dots, y_9) = 0 \Leftrightarrow x_1 = \dots = x_4 = y_1 = \dots = y_9 = 0$ . So, we have  $q(M) \leq 0$  if and only if

$$a_1 + a_3 \leq a_2, a_3 + a_8 \leq a_5 + a_7 \leq a_6, a_7 + a_9 \leq a_8, a_2 + a_5 \leq a_3 + a_4. \quad (2)$$

$q(M) = 0$  if and only if (2) hold and  $x_1 = \dots = x_4 = y_1 = \dots = y_9 = 0$ , so word 121324212(13-2, 38-57-6, 79-8, 25-34) is tight by Theorem 2.3.

At last, let us see  $S_9^5$ , we find that there is five 2, two 1, one 2, and one 4 in every word, so it suffices to consider word 212321242, we have

$$\mathcal{M}_{4,a} = \left\{ M = M_{x_1, \dots, x_{16}, y} \mid (x_1, \dots, x_{16}, y) \in \mathbb{N}^{17} \right\}, \text{ where}$$

$$M = \begin{pmatrix}
 b_{11} & 0 & x_1 & 0 & x_2 & 0 & x_3 & 0 & x_4 \\
 0 & a_2 - y & 0 & 0 & 0 & y & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 x_5 & 0 & b_{33} & 0 & x_6 & 0 & x_7 & 0 & x_8 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & a_4 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 x_9 & 0 & x_{10} & 0 & b_{55} & 0 & x_{11} & 0 & x_{12} \\
 0 & y & 0 & 0 & 0 & a_6 - y & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 x_{13} & 0 & x_{14} & 0 & x_{15} & 0 & b_{77} & 0 & x_{16} \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & a_8 & 0 \\
 b_{91} & 0 & b_{93} & 0 & b_{95} & 0 & b_{97} & 0 & b_{99}
 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 b_{11} &= a_1 - x_1 - x_2 - x_3 - x_4, \quad b_{33} = a_3 - x_5 - x_6 - x_7 - x_8, \\
 b_{55} &= a_5 - x_9 - x_{10} - x_{11} - x_{12}, \quad b_{77} = a_7 - x_{13} - x_{14} - x_{15} - x_{16}, \\
 b_{91} &= x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 - x_5 - x_9 - x_{13}, \quad b_{93} = x_5 + x_6 + x_7 + x_8 - x_1 - x_{10} - x_{14}, \\
 b_{95} &= x_9 + x_{10} + x_{11} + x_{12} - x_2 - x_6 - x_{15}, \quad b_{97} = x_{13} + x_{14} + x_{15} + x_{16} - x_3 - x_7 - x_{11}, \\
 b_{99} &= a_9 - x_4 - x_8 - x_{12} - x_{16}.
 \end{aligned}$$

So, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 q(M) &= 2 \langle i_1, i_1 \rangle (a_1 x_1 + a_1 x_2 + a_1 x_3 + a_1 x_4 + a_3 x_5 + a_3 x_6 + a_3 x_7 + a_3 x_8 + a_5 x_9 + a_5 x_{10} \\
 &\quad + a_5 x_{11} + a_5 x_{12} + a_7 x_{13} + a_7 x_{14} + a_7 x_{15} + a_7 x_{16} + a_9 x_4 + a_9 x_8 + a_9 x_{12} + a_9 x_{16} - 2x_1^2 \\
 &\quad - 2x_2^2 - 2x_3^2 - 2x_4^2 - 2x_5^2 - 2x_6^2 - 2x_7^2 - 2x_8^2 - 2x_9^2 - 2x_{10}^2 - 2x_{11}^2 - 2x_{12}^2 - 2x_{13}^2 \\
 &\quad - 2x_{14}^2 - 2x_{15}^2 - 2x_{16}^2 - 2x_1 x_2 - 2x_1 x_3 - 2x_1 x_4 + 2x_1 x_5 + x_1 x_6 + x_1 x_7 + x_1 x_8 + x_1 x_9 \\
 &\quad - x_1 x_{10} + x_1 x_{13} - x_1 x_{14} - 2x_2 x_3 - 2x_2 x_4 + x_2 x_5 - x_2 x_6 + 2x_2 x_9 + x_2 x_{10} + x_2 x_{11}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &+ x_2x_{12} + x_2x_{13} - x_2x_{15} - 2x_3x_4 + x_3x_5 - x_3x_7 + x_3x_9 - x_3x_{11} + 2x_3x_{13} + x_3x_{14} \\
 &+ x_3x_{15} + x_3x_{16} + x_4x_5 - x_4x_8 + x_4x_9 - x_4x_{12} + x_4x_{13} - x_4x_{16} - 2x_5x_6 - 2x_5x_7 \\
 &- 2x_5x_8 - x_5x_9 + x_5x_{10} - x_5x_{13} + x_5x_{14} - 2x_6x_7 - 2x_6x_8 + x_6x_9 + 2x_6x_{10} + x_6x_{11} \\
 &+ x_6x_{12} + x_6x_{14} - x_6x_{15} - 2x_7x_8 + x_7x_{10} - x_7x_{11} + x_7x_{13} + 2x_7x_{14} + x_7x_{15} + x_7x_{16} \\
 &+ x_8x_{10} - x_8x_{12} + x_8x_{14} - x_8x_{16} - 2x_9x_{10} - 2x_9x_{11} - 2x_9x_{12} - x_9x_{13} + x_9x_{15} - 2x_{10}x_{11} \\
 &- 2x_{10}x_{12} - x_{10}x_{14} + x_{10}x_{15} - 2x_{11}x_{12} + x_{11}x_{13} + x_{11}x_{14} + 2x_{11}x_{15} + x_{11}x_{16} \\
 &+ x_{12}x_{15} - x_{12}x_{16} - 2x_{13}x_{14} - 2x_{13}x_{15} - 2x_{13}x_{16} - 2x_{14}x_{15} - 2x_{14}x_{16} - 2x_{15}x_{16}) \\
 &+ 2\langle i_2, i_2 \rangle (a_2y + a_6y - 2y^2) + 2(i_1 \cdot i_2)(a_2x_1 + a_2x_2 + a_2x_3 + a_2x_4 + a_6x_3 \\
 &+ a_6x_4 + a_6x_7 + a_6x_8 + a_6x_{11} + a_6x_{12} + a_3y + a_5y - x_5y - x_7y - x_8y - x_9y \\
 &- x_{11}y - x_{12}y) + 2(i_1 \cdot i_4)(a_4x_2 + a_4x_3 + a_4x_4 + a_4x_6 + a_4x_7 + a_4x_8) \\
 &+ 2(i_1 \cdot i_8)(a_8x_4 + a_8x_8 + a_8x_{12} + a_8x_{16}) \\
 = &-2f(x_1, \dots, x_{16}, y) + 2(a_1 + a_3 - a_2)x_1 + 2(a_1 + 2a_3 + a_5 - a_2 - a_4)x_2 \\
 &+ 2(a_1 + 2a_3 + 2a_5 + a_7 - a_2 - a_4 - a_6)x_3 + 2(a_1 + 2a_3 + 2a_5 + 2a_7 + a_9 \\
 &- a_2 - a_4 - a_6 - a_8)x_4 + 2(a_3 + a_5 - a_4)x_6 + 2(a_3 + 2a_5 + a_7 - a_4 - a_6)x_7 \\
 &+ 2(a_3 + 2a_5 + 2a_7 + a_9 - a_4 - a_6 - a_8)x_8 + 2(a_5 + a_7 - a_6)x_{11} + 2(a_5 \\
 &+ 2a_7 + a_9 - a_6 - a_8)x_{12} + 2(a_7 + a_9 - a_6)x_{16} + 2(a_2 + a_6 - a_3 - a_5)y,
 \end{aligned}$$

where  $f(x_1, \dots, x_{16}, y) = \frac{1}{2} X A_f X^T$ ,  $X = (x_1, \dots, x_{16}, y)$ , symmetric matrix  $A_f$  is as follows

$$A_f = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 & 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & -1 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & -1 & -1 & -1 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Using the above algorithm in §2, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 R_1 &= \{r_1, \dots, r_{17}\}; \\
 R_2 &= \{r_1 + r_5, r_1 + r_9, r_1 + r_{13}, r_2 + r_9, r_2 + r_{10}, r_2 + r_{13}, r_2 + r_{14}, r_3 + r_{13}, r_3 + r_{14}, \\
 &r_3 + r_{15}, r_5 + r_{17}, r_6 + r_{10}, r_6 + r_{14}, r_7 + r_{14}, r_7 + r_{15}, r_7 + r_{17}, r_8 + r_{17}, \\
 &r_9 + r_{17}, r_{11} + r_{15}, r_{11} + r_{17}, r_{12} + r_{17}\};
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
R_3 &= \{r_1 + r_5 + r_{17}, r_1 + r_9 + r_{17}, r_2 + r_9 + r_{17}, r_2 + r_{10} + r_{13}, r_3 + r_6 + r_{14}, r_5 + r_{11} + r_{17}, \\
&\quad r_5 + r_{12} + r_{17}, r_7 + r_{14} + r_{17}, r_7 + r_{15} + r_{17}, r_8 + r_{11} + r_{17}, r_{11} + r_{15} + r_{17}\}; \\
R_4 &= \{r_1 + r_5 + r_9 + r_{17}, r_1 + r_5 + r_{11} + r_{17}, r_1 + r_5 + r_{12} + r_{17}, r_5 + r_{11} + r_{15} + r_{17}, \\
&\quad r_7 + r_{11} + r_{15} + r_{17}, r_8 + r_{11} + r_{15} + r_{17}\}; \\
R_5 &= \{r_1 + r_5 + r_{11} + r_{15} + r_{17}\}; \\
R_6 &= \phi.
\end{aligned}$$

By Theorem 2.8, the unit form  $f(x_1, \dots, x_{16}, y)$  is weakly positive, i.e.,  $f(x_1, \dots, x_{16}, y) \geq 0$  for any  $(x_1, \dots, x_{16}, y) \in \mathbb{N}^{17}$ , and

$f(x_1, \dots, x_{16}, y) = 0 \Leftrightarrow x_1 = \dots = x_{16} = y = 0$ . So, we have  $q(M) \leq 0$  if and only if

$$a_1 + a_3 \leq a_2, a_5 + a_7 \leq a_6, a_7 + a_9 \leq a_8, a_2 + a_6 \leq a_3 + a_5 \leq a_4. \quad (3)$$

$q(M) = 0$  if and only if (3) hold and  $x_1 = \dots = x_{16} = y = 0$ , so word 212321242(13-2, 57-6, 79-8, 26-35-4) is tight by Theorem 2.3. So (10) holds.

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