

Tutorial 4

Betti numbers and generic ideals

Resolutions and Betti numbers

```
Use R ::= Q[x,y,z];  
  
I := Ideal(x^2, y^3, z^4);  
Res(I);  
$gb.GetBettiMatrix(I);  
BettiDiagram(I);  
  
ResI := Res(I);  
Set Indentation;  
Untagged(ResI);  
Unset Indentation;  
  
Syz(I,1);  
Syz(I,2);
```

Eliasou-Kervaire resolution

```
Define EKMax(PP)  
  If PP=1 Then Return 0; EndIf;  
  LogPP := Log(PP);  
  Return Max([ I In 1..Len(LogPP) | LogPP[I]>0 ]);  
EndDefine; -- EKMax  
  
EKMax(xy);  
EKMax(x^6z);  
EKMax(x);  
  
Define M(I,J,A)  
  Return Len([ PP In A | EKMax(PP)=I And Deg(PP)=J ]);  
EndDefine; -- M
```

Ideal operations

```
J := Ideal(xyz);  
I + J;  
I : J; Colon(I, J);  
Intersection(I,J);
```