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# Valuation Extensions of Algebras Defined by Monic Gröbner Bases

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Let  $\mathbb{K}$  be a field,  $\mathcal{O}_v$  a valuation ring of  $\mathbb{K}$  associated to a valuation  $v: \mathbb{K} \rightarrow \Gamma \cup \{\infty\}$ , and  $\mathfrak{m}_v$  the unique maximal ideal of  $\mathcal{O}_v$ . Consider an ideal  $I$  of the free  $\mathbb{K}$ -algebra  $K\langle X \rangle = K\langle X_1, \dots, X_n \rangle$  on  $X_1, \dots, X_n$ . If  $\mathcal{I}$  is generated by a subset  $G \subset \mathcal{O}_v\langle X \rangle$  which is a monic Gröbner basis of  $I$  in  $K\langle X \rangle$ , where  $\mathcal{O}_v\langle X \rangle = \mathcal{O}_v\langle X_1, \dots, X_n \rangle$  is the free  $\mathbb{K}_v$ -algebra on  $X_1, \dots, X_n$ , then the valuation  $v$  induces naturally an exhaustive and separated  $\Gamma$ -filtration  $F^v A$  for the  $\mathbb{K}$ -algebra  $A = K\langle X \rangle / I$ , and moreover  $I \cap \mathcal{O}_v\langle X \rangle = I \cap \mathcal{O}_v$  holds in  $\mathcal{O}_v\langle X \rangle$ ; it follows that, if furthermore  $G \not\subset \mathfrak{m}_v \setminus \{0\}$  and  $k\langle X \rangle \cap \overline{\mathcal{O}} \neq \{0\}$  is a domain, where  $k = \mathcal{O}_v / \mathfrak{m}_v$  is the residue field of  $\mathcal{O}_v$ ,  $k\langle X \rangle = k\langle X_1, \dots, X_n \rangle$  is the free  $k$ -algebra on  $X_1, \dots, X_n$ , and  $\overline{\mathcal{O}}$  is the image of  $\mathcal{O}$  under the canonical epimorphism  $\mathcal{O} \rightarrow k\langle X \rangle$ , then  $F^v A$  determines a valuation function  $A \rightarrow \Gamma \cup \{\infty\}$ , and thereby  $v$  extends naturally to a valuation function on the (skew-)field  $\Delta$  of fractions of  $A$  provided  $\Delta$  exists.

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