

reason.  $C \cdot C = (\pi^* H^n - E) \cdot (\pi^* H^n - E) = n^2 + E \cdot E = n^2 - d.$

$$C \cdot K_S = C \cdot (\pi^* H^3 + E) = (\pi^* H^n - E) \cdot (\pi^* H^3 + E) = -3n - E \cdot E = -3n + d. \quad \square$$

Consequently, by the Riemann-Roch formula,

$$\begin{aligned} r = \dim |L| &= \frac{1}{2} (C \cdot C - C \cdot K_S) + \omega \\ &= \frac{n(n+3)}{2} - d + \omega. \end{aligned}$$

$$\square \quad \dim |L| + h^0(K_S - L) = \frac{1}{2} (L \cdot L - K_S \cdot L) + p_g - 9 + \omega$$

$$\Rightarrow \dim |L| = r = \frac{1}{2} (n^2 - d + 3n - d) + \omega = \frac{n(n+3)}{2} - d + \omega \quad \square$$

On the other hand, from the exact cohomology sequence of

$$0 \rightarrow \mathcal{I}_{P_0}(n) \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{P^2}(n) \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{P_0}(n) \rightarrow 0$$

and  $h^1(\mathcal{O}_{P^2}(n)) = 0$ , we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} r &= \dim |\mathcal{I}_{P_0}(n)| \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (n+3)n - d + h^1(\mathcal{O}_{P^2}(n)), \end{aligned}$$

so that the superabundance

$$\omega = h^1(\mathcal{O}_S(L)) = h^1(\mathcal{I}_{P_0}(n)).$$

$\square$   $\mathcal{I}_{P_0}(n) = \mathcal{O}([nH - C_0]) = \mathcal{O}([nH] \otimes [-C_0]) =$  sheaf of sections of  $[nH]$  vanishing to order  $\geq 1$  along  $C_0$ , where  $C_0$  is a curve of