

$$Z \oplus 5Z = 6Z \Rightarrow \chi(U) = 1 + 1 + 6 = 8.$$

□

In fact, this last argument gives us something more: it tells us that  $S$  is smooth away from the locus  $R$ . To see this, let  $q$  be any point of  $S$ .

Then the hyperplane sections

$$\{T_x(G) \cap X \mid x \in \sigma(q)\}$$

form a linear system on  $X$ ; by Bertini's theorem, for generic  $x \in \sigma(q)$  the surface  $U_x = T_x(G) \cap X$  will be smooth away from the base locus  $X_q = \sigma(q) \cap X$  of the linear system.

First of all, the base locus is

$$\bigcap_{x \in \sigma(q)} (T_x(G) \cap X) = \left( \bigcap_{x \in \sigma(q)} (T_x(G) \cap G) \right) \cap F$$

$$= \bigcap_{x \in \sigma(q)} \left( \bigcup_{p \in l_x} \sigma(p) \right) \cap F \quad \text{by P 758}$$

$$= \sigma(q) \cap F, \quad \text{since } \bigcap_{x \in \sigma(q)} \left( \bigcup_{p \in l_x} \sigma(p) \right) = \sigma(q) \quad (\because l_x \ni q \text{ for all } x \in \sigma(q))$$

$$= \sigma(q) \cap G \cap F = \sigma(q) \cap X \quad \text{since } \sigma(q) \subset G.$$

$$\text{Next, } T_x(G) \cap X = T_x(G) \cap G \cap F.$$

$$\Rightarrow T_x(G) \cap G = \sigma(l_x) \quad \text{by P 758 \& P 757.}$$

Assume that  $q = [1, 0, 0, 0]$ .

$$\Rightarrow \text{By P 756, } T_x(G) = H_{\omega_x} = \{ \omega \wedge e_i \wedge v_x^{\neq 0} \}, \quad \omega_i = e_i \wedge v_x.$$