



Article Construction of Column-Orthogonal Designs with Two-Dimensional Stratifications

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Abstract: For the design of computer experiments, column orthogonality and space-filling are two desirable properties. In this paper, we develop methods for constructing a new class of column-orthogonal designs (ODs) with two-dimensional stratifications on finer grids, including orthogonal Latin hypercube designs (OLHDs) as special cases. In addition to being column-orthogonal, these designs have good space-filling properties in two dimensions. The resulting designs achieve stratifications on $s^2 \times s$ or $s \times s^2$ grids, and most column pairs satisfy stratifications on $s^2 \times s^2$ grids. Moreover, many column pairs can achieve stratifications on $s^4 \times s^2$ and $s^2 \times s^4$ grids. Furthermore, the obtained space-filling ODs can have s^6 levels, s^4 levels, and mixed levels, as required for different needs.

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1. Introduction

Computer experiments have been widely used recently to explore complex systems in many fields; space-filling and column orthogonality are desirable properties in the design of computer experiments [1]. The space-filling property, which measures the uniformity of the design points in the experimental region, is a fundamental criterion for evaluating designs for computer experiments. Latin hypercube designs (LHDs), proposed by [2], are widely used space-filling designs for computer experiments. An LHD with *n* runs and *m* factors, denoted as LHD(n, m), is an $n \times m$ matrix with each column a permutation of *n* equally spaced levels. Such a design achieves the maximum stratification in each dimension. Based on the effect sparsity principle [3], for a high-dimensional design region, only a handful of the factors are expected to be active. In [4], the author proposed orthogonal array (OA)-based LHDs which improve the low-dimensional projection properties of random LHDs. In [5,6], the authors discussed space-filling designs with good projection properties in low dimensions. Recently, ref. [7] introduced strong orthogonal arrays, and [8] proposed mappable nearly orthogonal arrays. Both of these two kinds of arrays have better space-filling properties than ordinary orthogonal arrays.

Column orthogonality is a desirable property for LHDs; when a linear model is fitted, this property ensures that the estimates of the main effects are uncorrelated. In addition, orthogonality can be viewed as a stepping stone to space-filling designs when Gaussian process models are considered [9]. There are many ways to construct orthogonal LHDs (OLHDs); see, e.g., [10–15] and the references therein. Among them, the method of rotation has attracted widespread attention. In the extant literature, few works have simultaneously considered both the space-filling property and column orthogonality. In [16], the authors constructed OLHDs which achieved stratifications on $s^2 \times s$ or $s \times s^2$ grids, with most column pairs achieving stratifications on $s^2 \times s^2$ grids. In [17], the authors provided column-orthogonal designs (ODs) with two-dimensional stratifications, while [15] proposed ODs with multi-dimensional stratifications.



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Copyright: © 2023 by the authors. Licensee MDPI, Basel, Switzerland. This article is an open access article distributed under the terms and conditions of the Creative Commons Attribution (CC BY) license (https:// creativecommons.org/licenses/by/ 4.0/). The goal of the present paper is to construct ODs with stratifications on finer grids, i.e., $s^2 \times s^2$, $s^4 \times s^2$, and $s^2 \times s^4$. We first introduce a new class of OLHDs with s^{d+2k} runs by rotating *s*-level OAs, where d + 2k can be any positive even integer not smaller than 4 and $d = 2^c$ ($c \ge 2$). We additionally introduce a new class of ODs with flexible run sizes. All these designs guarantee desirable two-dimensional space-filling properties. Most column pairs of the resulting designs can achieve stratifications on $s^2 \times s^2$ grids. Moreover, many column pairs can satisfy stratifications on $s^4 \times s^2$ and $s^2 \times s^4$ grids. Furthermore, the resulting ODs can have s^6 or s^4 levels and mixed levels.

The rest of this paper is organized as follows: Section 2 introduces preliminaries used in this paper; Section 3 proposes the general construction method for OLHDs and extends it to accommodate more factors; Section 4 concentrates on the construction of ODs with s^6 levels, s^4 levels, and mixed levels; finally, concluding remarks are provided in Section 5. All proofs are deferred to Appendix A.

2. Definitions and Notation

We use $D(n, s_1, ..., s_m)$ to denote a balanced design of n runs and m factors, with each of the s_j levels from $\{0, 1, ..., s_j - 1\}$. When all the instances of s_j are equal to s, the design is a symmetric balanced design $D(n, s^m)$. Further, if s = n, it is an LHD, denoted as LHD(n, m).

A mixed-level orthogonal array (OA) with strength *t* and levels s_1, \ldots, s_m , denoted as OA($n, m, s_1 \times \cdots \times s_m, t$), satisfies the requirement that all possible level combinations for any columns *t* occur with the same frequency. When all s_j are equal to *s*, the array is symmetric and denoted as OA(n, m, s, t). For an OA(n, m, s, t), it must have $n = \lambda s^t$ for some integer λ , which is the index of the OA.

For an array with *n* runs and *m* factors, we say it achieves a stratification on an $s_1 \times \cdots \times s_p$ grid for some $p \ge 2$ if the corresponding *p* columns of it can be collapsed into an OA $(n, p, s_1 \times \cdots \times s_p, p)$.

The correlation between two vectors $a = (a_1, ..., a_n)^T$ and $b = (b_1, ..., b_n)^T$ is defined as

$$\rho(a,b) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} (a_i - \bar{a})(b_i - b)}{\sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^{n} (a_i - \bar{a})^2 \sum_{i=1}^{n} (b_i - \bar{b})^2}},$$

where $\bar{a} = \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_i / n$ and $\bar{b} = \sum_{i=1}^{n} b_i / n$. The average correlation of a design $D = (d_1, \dots, d_m)$ is defined as

$$\rho_{ave}(D) = \frac{\sum_{j \neq k} \rho(d_j, d_k)}{m(m-1)}.$$

Two vectors are said to be column-orthogonal if the correlation between them is 0. A design $D(n, s^m)$ is said to be column-orthogonal, denoted as $OD(n, s^m)$, if any two of its columns are column-orthogonal. Obviously, any OA(n, m, s, t) with $t \ge 2$ is an $OD(n, s^m)$. Similarly, we have OLHD (n, m).

To facilitate the study of orthogonality, we sometimes center the s^2 levels of an OD $(n, (s^2)^m)$ into

$$\Omega(s^2) = \{ u - (s^2 - 1)/2 | u = 0, \dots, s^2 - 1 \}.$$
 (1)

Let $GF(s^d) = \{a_0 + a_1x + \dots + a_{d-1}x^{d-1}, a_0, \dots, a_{d-1} \in GF(s)\}$ be a Galois field of order s^d and let $GF(s) = \{0, \dots, s-1\}$ be a Galois field of order s. We denote an $r \times c$ matrix with entries from $GF(s^2) = \{a_0 + a_1x, a_0, a_1 \in GF(s)\}$ as $D(r, c, s^2)$, which is called a difference scheme if it satisfies the requirement that, for any i and j with $1 \le i \ne j \le c$, the vector difference of the *i*th and *j*th columns contains every element of $GF(s^2)$ equally often.

For two matrices $A = (a_{ij})_{m \times n}$ and $B = (b_{ij})_{u \times v}$ with entries from $GF(s^2)$, we define

$$A \oplus B = \left(\begin{array}{ccc} a_{11} + B & \cdots & a_{1n} + B \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{m1} + B & \cdots & a_{mn} + B \end{array}\right),$$

where + is the addition defined on $GF(s^2)$.

For any design *A* with entries from $\{0, 1, ..., s^2 - 1\}$, let $\Phi_0(A) = A$; we define

$$\Phi_k(A) = \left(\varphi_{k,1}(A), \dots, \varphi_{k,\lfloor s^2/2 \rfloor}(A)\right)$$
(2)

for $k = 1, 2, \ldots$, and define

$$\varphi_{k,j}(A) = \left(d_{2j-1} \oplus \Phi_{k-1}(A), d_{2j} \oplus \Phi_{k-1}(A)\right),$$

where $j = 1, ..., \lfloor s^2/2 \rfloor, \lfloor h \rfloor$ denotes the largest integer less than or equal to h and d_l denotes the *l*th column in the difference scheme $D(s^2, s^2, s^2) = (d_1, ..., d_{s^2})$ for $l = 1, ..., s^2$. Let

$$R_{1,0} = \begin{pmatrix} s^2 & -1 \\ 1 & s^2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad R_{u,0} = \begin{pmatrix} s^{2^u} R_{u-1,0} & -R_{u-1,0} \\ R_{u-1,0} & s^{2^u} R_{u-1,0} \end{pmatrix} \quad (u \ge 2),$$
$$Q_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}, \text{ and } Q_u = \begin{pmatrix} Q_{u-1} & 0 \\ 0 & -Q_{u-1} \end{pmatrix} \quad (u \ge 2).$$

Then, we define

$$R_{u,1} = \begin{pmatrix} s^2 R_{u,0} & -Q_u \\ Q_u & s^2 R_{u,0} \end{pmatrix}, \quad R_{u,k} = \begin{pmatrix} s^2 R_{u,k-1} & -Q_{u+k-1} \\ Q_{u+k-1} & s^2 R_{u,k-1} \end{pmatrix} \qquad (u \ge 2, \ k \ge 2).$$
(3)

For a prime power s^2 , let $C = (c_1, ..., c_m)$ be an OA $(n, m, s^2, 2)$ with entries from $GF(s^2)$ and let *D* be a difference scheme $D(s^2, s^2, s^2) = (d_1, ..., d_{s^2})$. We now create

$$E_i = D \oplus c_i = (d_1 \oplus c_i, \dots, d_{s^2} \oplus c_i), \tag{4}$$

for $i = 1, \ldots, m$ and define

$$E = (E_1, \dots, E_m). \tag{5}$$

For a prime *s* and integer *d* with $d = 2^c$ and $c \ge 2$, we denote the *d* columns of an s^d -run full factorial design as $1, \ldots, d$. Any generated column including each column of $1, \ldots, d$ can be denoted as $1^{a_0} \ldots d^{a_{d-1}}$ for some $a_0, \ldots, a_{d-1} \in GF(s)$, and corresponds to a nonzero element $a_0 + a_1x + \cdots + a_{d-1}x^{d-1}$ in $GF(s^d)$. Here, let $p = \lfloor (s^d - 1)/(d(s-1)) \rfloor$.

As discussed in [11], the corresponding columns of the first pd non-zero elements of $GF(s^d)$, x^0 , x^1 ,..., x^{pd-1} modulo f(x) form a regular design D, where f(x) is a primitive polynomial of order d. Any d consecutive columns of D form a full factorial design, denoted as B_1, B_2, \ldots, B_p and $B_i = (x^{(i-1)d}, x^{(i-1)d+1}, \ldots, x^{id-1}) \mod f(x)$, $i = 1, \ldots, p$. Let $B_i = (b_{i,1}, \ldots, b_{i,d})$, defining $f_{i,j} = sb_{i,2j-1} + b_{i,2j}$ for $i = 1, \ldots, p$, $j = 1, \ldots, d/2$. Then, we have

$$F_i = (f_{i,1}, \dots, f_{i,d/2})$$
 (6)

and

$$F = (F_1, \dots, F_n). \tag{7}$$

Without particular explanation, in this paper, *s* is a prime, $k \ge 0$, *d* is an integer with $d = 2^c$, $c \ge 2$, and $p = \lfloor (s^d - 1)/(d(s - 1)) \rfloor$. We provide an illustrative example in the following.

Example 1. For s = 3 and d = 4, we denote the 3^4 full factorial design as (1, 2, 3, 4). Here, $GF(3^4) = \{a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + a_3x^3, a_0, a_1, a_2, a_3 \in GF(3)\}$, with the primitive polynomial $f(x) = x^4 + x + 2$. Then, x^0, x^1, x^2, x^3 modulo f(x) are $1, x, x^2, x^3$, which correspond to columns **1**, **2**, **3**, **4**. Similarly, we have the elements of x^4, x^5, \ldots, x^{39} modulo f(x). For example, **12**² is obtained by x^4 modulo f(x). The obtained full factorial designs B_1, \ldots, B_{10} are shown in Table 1, where b_{ij} is the jth column in B_i for $i = 1, \ldots, 10$ and $j = 1, \ldots, 4$.

	b_{i1}	b_{i2}	<i>b</i> _{<i>i</i>3}	b_{i4}
B_1	$1(x^0)$	$2(x^1)$	$3(x^2)$	$4(x^3)$
B_2	$12^{2}(x^{4})$	$23^2(x^5)$	$34^{2}(x^{6})$	$12^24^2(x^7)$
B_3	$123(x^8)$	$234(x^9)$	$12^234(x^{10})$	$123^24(x^{11})$
B_4	$14^2(x^{12})$	$12(x^{13})$	$23(x^{14})$	$34(x^{15})$
B_5	$12^24(x^{16})$	$13^2(x^{17})$	$24^2(x^{18})$	$12^23^2(x^{19})$
B_6	$23^24^2(x^{20})$	$12^23^24(x^{21})$	$13^24^2(x^{22})$	$124(x^{23})$
B_7	$13(x^{24})$	$24(x^{25})$	$12^23(x^{26})$	$23^24(x^{27})$
B_8	$12^2 34^2 (x^{28})$	$1234^{2}(x^{29})$	$13^24^2(x^{30})$	$123^24(x^{31})$
B_9	$134^2(x^{32})$	$124^2(x^{33})$	$123^2(x^{34})$	$234^2(x^{35})$
B_{10}	$12^2 3^2 4^2 (x^{36})$	$1234(x^{37})$	$134(x^{38})$	$14(x^{39})$

Table 1. The obtained 3⁴ full factorial designs.

3. Construction of Orthogonal LHDs

This section first introduces a rotation method in Algorithm 1 to construct OLHDs with attractive stratification properties, then generalizes the method to enlarge the columns of these LHDs.

To make it easier for readers to understand the algorithm, we provide the flowchart in Figure 1 to explain the algorithm.

To measure the stratification properties of a design with m columns, we define the following two proportions:

$$\pi_{\alpha} = rac{r_{\alpha}}{\binom{m}{2}}, \ \pi_{\beta} = rac{r_{\beta}}{\binom{m}{2}}$$

where r_{α} is the number of column pairs that achieve stratifications on $s^2 \times s^2$ grids and r_{β} is the number of column pairs that achieve stratifications on $s^4 \times s^2$ and $s^2 \times s^4$ grids. The properties of the designs in Algorithm 1 are summarized in Theorem 1.

Algorithm 1 Construction of OLHDs

Input: $F = (F_1, ..., F_p), D(s^2, s^2, s^2) = (d_1, ..., d_{s^2})$, and integer *k*.

- 1: Let $F = (F_1, ..., F_p)$ as defined in (6) and replace the levels of $\{0, 1, ..., s^2 1\}$ in each F_i with $\{a_0 + a_1x, a_0, a_1 \in GF(s)\}$.
- 2: Obtain a difference scheme $D(s^2, s^2, s^2) = (d_1, \dots, d_{s^2})$. For a given k, let $F'_k = (F'_{k,1}, \dots, F'_{k,p})$ with $F'_{k,i} = \Phi_k(F_i)$ for $i = 1, \dots, p$, where $\Phi_k(F_i)$ is defined in (2).
- Replace the levels of F'_k with entries from Ω(s²) as in (1) and denote the resulting design as F^{*}_k.

4: Obtain $Z = F_k^* R$, where $R = \mathbf{I}_{p \lfloor s^2/2 \rfloor} \otimes R_{\hat{c},k}$, $\hat{c} = \log_2 d - 1$, and $R_{\hat{c},k}$ is defined in (3). **Output:** Design Z.



Figure 1. Flowchart of Algorithm 1.

Theorem 1. Design Z in Algorithm 1 is an OLHD (s^{d+2k}, m) where $m = pd\gamma/2$ and $\gamma = \lfloor s^2/2 \rfloor^k 2^k$, and has the following properties:

- (1) Any two columns achieve a stratification on an $s^2 \times s$ or $s \times s^2$ grid;
- (2) The proportion of column pairs achieving stratifications on $s^2 \times s^2$ grids satisfies $\pi_{\alpha} \ge 1 2(s-1)/(m-1)$;
- (3) The proportion of column pairs achieving stratifications on $s^2 \times s^4$ and $s^4 \times s^2$ grids satisfies $\pi_{\beta} \ge 1 (m/\gamma + 2\gamma s \gamma 2s)/(m-1).$

For this, we use the following illustrative example.

Example 2. For s = 2 and d = 4, we denote the four independent columns as 1, 2, 3, 4, while the generated columns of these four columns are denoted as 12, 13, 14, 23, 24, 34, 123, 124, 134, 234, 1234. We have $GF(2^4) = \{a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + a_3x^3, a_i \in GF(2)\}$ with $GF(2) = \{0, 1\}$ and the primitive polynomial $f(x) = x^4 + x + 1$. It is easy to obtain three full factorial designs $B_1 = (1, 2, 3, 4), B_2 = (12, 23, 34, 124), and B_3 = (13, 24, 123, 234)$. Then, we have $F_1 = (2 \times 1 + 2, 2 \times 3 + 4), F_2 = (2 \times 12 + 23, 2 \times 34 + 124), and F_3 = (2 \times 13 + 24, 2 \times 123 + 234)$. Thus, $F = (F_1, F_2, F_3)$, which is displayed in Table 2.

F_1		1	F ₂	F ₃		
2 imes 1 + 2	2 imes 3 + 4	2 imes 12 + 23	2 imes 34 + 124	2 imes 13 + 24	$2\times 123 + 234$	
0	0	0	0	0	0	
0	1	0	x + 1	1	1	
0	x	1	x	x	x + 1	
0	x + 1	1	1	x + 1	x	
1	0	x + 1	1	1	x + 1	
1	1	x + 1	x	0	x	
1	x	x	x + 1	x + 1	1	
1	x + 1	x	0	x	0	
x	0	x	1	x	1	
x	1	x	x	x + 1	x	
x	x	x + 1	x + 1	0	x + 1	
x	x + 1	x + 1	0	1	0	
x + 1	0	1	0	x + 1	1	
x + 1	1	1	x + 1	x	0	
x + 1	x	0	x	1	x	
x + 1	x + 1	0	1	0	x + 1	

In this way, we obtain a difference scheme $D(4, 4, 4) = (d_1, d_2, d_3, d_4)$, denoted as

$$D = \left(\begin{array}{rrrr} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & x & x+1 \\ 0 & x & x+1 & 1 \\ 0 & x+1 & 1 & x \end{array}\right),$$

with $F'_1 = (F'_{1,1}, F'_{1,2}, F'_{1,3})$, where $F'_{1,i} = \Phi_1(F_i) = (d_0 \oplus F_i, d_1 \oplus F_i, d_2 \oplus F_i, d_3 \oplus F_i)$ for i = 1, 2, 3. We can obtain F_1^* by replacing the levels of F'_1 with entries from $\{-1.5, -0.5, 0.5, 1.5\}$. Then, we rotate F_1^* by $R = I_6 \otimes R_{1,1}$ to generate an OLHD(64, 24), where

$$R_{1,1} = \begin{pmatrix} 16 & -4 & -1 & 0 \\ 4 & 16 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 16 & -4 \\ 0 & -1 & 4 & 16 \end{pmatrix}.$$

The resulting OLHD(64, 24) is displayed in Table A1 of Appendix B. From Table 3, it is apparent that 260 out of all 276 (i.e., 94.20%) column pairs achieve stratifications on 4×4 grids, more than 60% of column pairs achieve stratifications on 4×16 or 16×4 grids, and 52.17% of column pairs achieve stratifications on 2×32 or 32×2 grids.

Table 3. The stratification properties of the resulting design in Example 2.

	4 imes 16	16 imes 4	2×4	4 imes 2	4 imes 4
count	168	180	276	260	260
proportion (%)	60.87	65.22	100	94.20	94.20

To illustrate the projection property of the resulting OLHD(64, 24), *we display the pairwise scatter plots of the* (1–5)*th columns of the design in Figure 2.*



Figure 2. The pairwise scatter plots of the (1–5)th columns of OLHD(64, 24) in Example 2.

From Figure 2, it can be seen that all the column pairs of the first five columns achieve stratifications on 4×4 grids, and most of the same column pairs achieve stratifications on 4×16 and 16×4 grids. Other column pairs perform similarly.

Example OLHDs constructed by Algorithm 1 are listed in Table 4. Without loss of generality, we only show the lower bounds of π_{α} and π_{β} in Table 4, which are denoted as $\pi_{\alpha,LB}$ and $\pi_{\beta,LB}$, respectively.

s	d	p	k	γ	$\operatorname{OLHD}(s^{d+2k}, pd\gamma/2)$	$\pi_{lpha,LB}$	$\pi_{eta,LB}$
2	4	3	1	4	OLHD(2 ⁶ , 24)	91.30	39.13
2	4	3	2	16	$OLHD(2^8, 96)$	97.89	47.37
2	8	31	1	4	OLHD(2 ¹⁰ , 496)	99.60	73.39
3	4	10	1	8	OLHD(3 ⁶ , 160)	97.48	66.04
3	4	10	2	64	OLHD(3 ⁸ , 1280)	99.69	73.89
5	4	39	1	24	OLHD(5 ⁶ , 1872)	99.57	84.82
7	4	100	1	48	OLHD(7 ⁶ , 9600)	99.87	91.56

Table 4. Example OLHDs constructed by Algorithm 1.

As shown in Table 4, the lower bounds of π_{α} are very close to 1, while that of π_{β} is close to 1 when the run size is large, which means that nearly all the column pairs achieve

stratifications on $s^2 \times s^2$ grids and that most column pairs achieve stratifications on $s^2 \times s^4$ and $s^4 \times s^2$ grids.

A comparison between the OLHDs obtained using Algorithm 1 and the OLHDs in [14–16] is presented in Table 5. Compared with this class of designs, the resulting OLHDs satisfy two-dimensional space-filling properties on finer grids, i.e., $s^2 \times s^2$, $s^4 \times s^2$, and $s^2 \times s^4$. The OLHDs in [14] satisfy stratifications on $s^2 \times s$ and $s \times s^2$ grids, while the designs in [16] satisfy stratifications on $s^2 \times s^2$ grids. Thus, the OLHDs based on Algorithm 1 satisfy better two-dimensional space-filling properties. Moreover, these OLHDs are able to accommodate more factors than OLHDs in [15], and can fill the gap between the run sizes of the available OLHDs in [16]. For example, we can construct OLHDs of 64 and 1024 runs, while such designs are not available in [16].

Table 5. Comparison	with related	designs.	

Table 5 Comparison with related designs

		OLHD ¹	OLHD ²	OLHD ³	OLHD ⁴
s	N	т	т	т	т
2	16	6	6	12	6
2	64	24	_	48	20
2	256	96	124	192	62
2	1024	496	_	992	204
3	81	20	20	40	20
3	729	160	_	160	120
3	6561	1280	1640	3280	800
5	625	78	78	156	78
5	15,625	1872	_	2496	1302

¹ OLHDs obtained by Algorithm 1; ² OLHDs in [16]; ³ OLHDs in [14]; ⁴ OLHDs in [15]. The (-) symbol indicates that the corresponding value is not available.

Furthermore, we can construct OLHDs with more columns through Algorithm 2. The flowchart of Algorithm 2 is shown in Appendix B.

Algorithm 2 Enlarging the columns of OLHDs

Input: $F = (F_1, \ldots, F_p), O = (o_{ij})$, and integer *k*.

- 1: Let $O = (o_{ij})$ be an OLHD(s, t). For l = 1, ..., t, obtain matrix $B^{(l)} = (B_1^{(l)}, ..., B_p^{(l)})$ by replacing the *s* levels of *B* with $o_{1l}, ..., o_{sl}$, respectively, where $B = (B_1, ..., B_p)$ is the same as in Section 2.
- 2: For l = 1, ..., t, obtain $F^{(l)}$ from $B^{(l)}$ per (6) in Section 2 and replace the levels of each $F^{(l)}$ with $\{a_0 + a_1x, a_0, a_1 \in GF(s)\}$.
- 3: For a given integer *k* and l = 1, ..., t, let $F'^{(l)}_{k} = (F'^{(l)}_{k,1}, ..., F'^{(l)}_{k,p})$ with $F'^{(l)}_{k,i} = \Phi_k(F'^{(l)}_i)$ for i = 1, ..., p, where $\Phi_k(F^{(l)}_i)$ is defined in (2).
- 4: For l = 1, ..., t, replace the levels of $F_{k,i}^{\prime(l)}$ with entries from $\Omega\{s^2\}$ in (1) and denote the resulting design as $F_{k,i}^{(l)*}$. Construct $M = (M_1, ..., M_t) = (F_k^{(1)*}R, ..., F_k^{(t)*}R)$, where $R = \mathbf{I}_{p \lfloor s^2/2 \rfloor} \otimes R_{\hat{c},k}$, $\hat{c} = \log_2 d 1$, and $R_{\hat{c},k}$ is the same as in Algorithm 1.

Output: Design M.

Corollary 1. Design M obtained by Algorithm 2 is an $OLHD(s^{d+2k}, mt)$ where $m = pd\gamma/2$ and $\gamma = \lfloor s^2/2 \rfloor^k 2^k$. Each sub-design M_i achieves the same stratifications with Z in Algorithm olhds1 for i = 1, ..., t. At least $2^k pdt(2^k pdt - 2t)/8$ column pairs of M achieve stratifications on $s \times s$ grids in all the two dimensions.

In Step 1, we can choose OLHDs obtained by [15,19] when s = 5, 7, 11, and 17, respectively. According to Algorithm 2, we can obtain OLHDs with *t* sub-designs, with each satisfying the same stratification properties in Theorem 1. Moreover, when s = 5, per Algorithm 2 we can obtain an OLHD(5⁶, 3744) that can accommodate more columns than OLHD(5⁶, 2496) in [14] and has more attractive space-filling properties.

4. Construction of Orthogonal Designs

This section introduces three rotation methods for constructing ODs. The first two methods can construct ODs with s^6 and s^4 levels, respectively, while the third can obtain mixed-level ODs. We first present the construction of ODs with s^6 levels and investigate their properties. The construction method is provided in Algorithm 3, and the flowchart is shown in Appendix B.

Algorithm 3 Construction of *s*⁶-level ODs

Input:
$$F = (F_1, ..., F_p)$$
 and $D(s^2, s^2, s^2) = (d_1, ..., d_{s^2})$

1: Let $F = (F_1, ..., F_p) = (\xi_1, ..., \xi_{pq})$ with $q = \lfloor d/2 \rfloor$, and let D be a difference scheme $D(s^2, s^2, s^2) = (d_1, ..., d_{s^2})$ with entries from $GF(s^2)$ as defined in Section 2. Replace the levels of $\{0, 1, ..., s^2 - 1\}$ in each F_i with $\{a_0 + a_1x, a_0, a_1 \in GF(s)\}$ and define

$$E_i = D \oplus \xi_i = (d_1 \oplus \xi_i, \dots, d_{s^2} \oplus \xi_i), \quad i = 1, \dots, pq, \ q = \lfloor d/2 \rfloor$$

2: Divide each E_i into g or g + 1 groups for i = 1, ..., pq as $E_i = (E_{i,1}, ..., E_{i,g})$ if $s^2 = 2g$ or $E_i = (E_{i,1}, ..., E_{i,g}, l_i)$ if $s^2 = 2g + 1$, where each $E_{i,j}$ has two columns. Then, order $E_{i,j}$'s as

$$E_{1,1}, E_{2,1}, \dots, E_{pq,1}, E_{1,2}, E_{2,2}, \dots, E_{pq,2}, \dots, E_{1,g}, E_{2,g}, \dots, E_{pq,g}.$$
(8)

3: Replace the levels of each $E_{i,j}$ with entries from $\Omega(s^2)$ and denote the resulting design as $E_{i,j}^*$. Take two successive instances of $E_{i,j}^*$ at a time in the order given in (8), and obtain $\mu = pqg/2$ sets of four columns, denoted as $E^{(1)}, \ldots, E^{(\mu)}$. Combine $E^{(i)}$ for $i = 1, \ldots, \mu$ together:

$$E^* = (E^{(1)}, \dots, E^{(\mu)})$$

4: Create

$$X^* = (E^{(1)}R_{1,1}, \dots, E^{(\mu)}R_{1,1}),$$
(9)

where

$$\mathbf{R}_{1,1} = \begin{pmatrix} s^4 & -s^2 & -1 & 0 \\ s^2 & s^4 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & s^4 & -s^2 \\ 0 & -1 & s^2 & s^4 \end{pmatrix}$$

is a rotation matrix up to a constant.

Output: Design X^{*}.

Based on the form of the rotation matrix, it is easy to see that any column x in X^* obtained in (9) has the following form:

$$x = s^4 e \pm s^2 e' \pm e'', \tag{10}$$

where *e* and *e'* are the two columns in some $E_{i,j}^*$ with $E_{i,j}^* \in E^{(l)}$ for some *l*; here, *e''* is a column which is not in $E_{i,j}^*$. We call *e* the leading column of *x* to facilitate later study. Now, we can consider the mapping

$$\delta_1(z) = \lfloor \frac{z + (s^6 - 1)/2}{s^4} \rfloor - \frac{s^2 - 1}{2}, \text{ for } z \in \Omega(s^6),$$
(11)

with $\delta_1(\cdot)$ collapsing the s^6 levels in $\Omega(s^6)$ into s^2 levels in $\Omega(s^2)$. For example, when s = 2, the 64 levels are collapsed into 4 levels by the mapping, as follows:

-31.5,	-30.5,	··· <i>,</i>	-16.5	\rightarrow	-1.5,
-15.5,	-14,5,	··· <i>,</i>	-0.5	\rightarrow	-0.5,
0.5,	1,5,	··· <i>,</i>	15.5	\rightarrow	0.5,
16.5,	17.5	··· <i>,</i>	31.5	\rightarrow	1.5.

Then, we consider the mapping

$$\delta_2(z) = \lfloor \frac{z + (s^6 - 1)/2}{s^2} \rfloor - \frac{s^4 - 1}{2}, \text{ for } z \in \Omega(s^6),$$
(12)

with $\delta_2(\cdot)$ collapsing the s^6 levels in $\Omega(s^6)$ into s^4 levels in $\Omega(s^4)$. For example, when s = 2, the 64 levels are collapsed into 16 levels by the mapping, as follows:

-31.5,	-30.5,	-29.5,	-28.5	\rightarrow	-7.5,
-27.5,	-26,5,	-25.5,	-24.5	\rightarrow	-6.5,
÷	÷	÷	:	÷	÷
24,5,	25,5,	26.5,	27.5	\rightarrow	6.5,
28.5,	28.5	30.5,	31.5	\rightarrow	7.5.

The resulting design X^* is orthogonal and achieves stratifications on $s^2 \times s$ or $s \times s^2$ grids; most column pairs can achieve stratifications on $s^2 \times s^2$ grids. Moreover, column pairs can achieve stratifications on $s^2 \times s^4$ and $s^4 \times s^2$ grids as well. We can summarize the properties of X^* in the following theorem.

Theorem 2. Design X^* in (9) is an $OD(s^{d+2}, (s^6)^{4\mu})$, where $\mu = \lfloor pqg/2 \rfloor$ and $g = \lfloor s^2/2 \rfloor$; X^* can be partitioned into pq disjoint groups of 2g columns, each with the following properties:

- (1) Any two distinct columns achieve a stratification on an $s^2 \times s$ or $s \times s^2$ grid;
- (2) Most column pairs achieve stratifications on $s^2 \times s^2$ grids, and the proportion π_{α} is not less than $1 2(s-1)/(4\mu 1)$;
- (3) The proportion of column pairs achieving stratifications on $s^2 \times s^4$ and $s^4 \times s^2$ grids satisfies $\pi_\beta \ge 1 (\mu/g + 4gs 2g 2s)/(4\mu 1).$

From Theorem 2, it can be understood that the obtained ODs have appealing stratification properties. For example, for s = 3 and d = 4 at least 97.48% of all column pairs of X^* can achieve stratifications on $s^2 \times s^2$ grids. Furthermore, many column pairs of X^* achieve stratifications on finer $s^2 \times s^4$ and $s^4 \times s^2$ grids ($\pi_\beta \ge 64.78$). The lower bound of this proportion is relatively loose. Below, we provide an illustrative example. **Example 3.** Consider the same conditions in Example 2 with p = 3, q = 2, and g = 2; we can obtain $F = (F_1, F_2, F_3) = (\xi_1, ..., \xi_6)$ and the difference scheme D(4, 4, 4). From Step 1, we have $E = (E_1, ..., E_6)$, where

$$E_i = D \oplus \xi_i = (d_0 \oplus \xi_i, \dots, d_3 \oplus \xi_i), \quad i = 1, \dots, 6$$

Then, we divide E_i into two groups, as follows: $E_i = (E_{i,1}, E_{i,2})$ for i = 1, ..., 6, where each $E_{i,i}$ has two columns, and order the $E_{i,i}$ as follows:

$$E_{1,1}, E_{2,1}, \dots, E_{6,1}, E_{1,2}, E_{2,2}, \dots, E_{6,2}.$$
(13)

We replace the levels of each $E_{i,j}$ with entries from $\Omega(s^2)$ and denote the resulting design as $E_{i,j}^*$. Taking two successive instances of $E_{i,j}^*$ at a time in the order given in (13), we obtain $\mu = 6$ sets of four columns, denoted as $E^{(1)}, \ldots, E^{(6)}$. Then, we can obtain an OLHD(64,24) through

$$X^* = (E^{(1)}R_{1,1}, \dots, E^{(6)}R_{1,1}),$$

which is displayed in Table A2 of Appendix B. The stratification properties of X^{*} are summarized in Table 6. It can be seen that this design has the same number of column pairs achieving stratification on a 4 × 4 grid as the one in Example 2, and has more column pairs achieving stratifications on 4 × 16 or 16 × 4 grids than the one in Example 2 with $\pi_{\beta} = 63.77\%$. Furthermore, by calculation, we can say that the obtained OLHD(64, 24) achieves stratifications on a 2 × 32 grid in 140 out of all 276 (i.e., 50.72%) and on a 32 × 2 grid in100 out of all 276 (i.e., 36.23%).

Table 6. The stratification properties of the resulting OLHD(64, 24) in Example 3.

	4 imes 16	16 imes 4	2 imes 4	4 imes 2	4 imes 4
count	176	176	272	264	260
proportion (%)	63.77	63.77	98.55	95.65	94.20

The OAs and difference schemes used in the construction are available in [20] and the library of OAs (http://neilsloane.com/oadir/index.html, accessed on 16 March 2023). It is easy to show that X^* is an OLHD(s^{d+2} , 4μ) when d = 4. Table 7 summarizes example ODs constructed by Algorithm 3. Their space-filling properties are characterized by π_{α} and π_{β} . Similar to Section 3, we only list the lower bounds of π_{α} and π_{β} in Table 7, denoted as $\pi_{\alpha,LB}$ and $\pi_{\beta,LB}$, respectively. As shown in Table 7, the lower bounds of π_{α} are very close to 1 and those of π_{β} are quite large in most cases, which means that nearly all the column pairs of these ODs achieve stratifications on $s^2 \times s^2$ grids, and that most column pairs achieve stratifications on finer $s^2 \times s^4$ and $s^4 \times s^2$ grids as well.

Table 7. Example ODs constructed by Algorithm 3.

S	d	p	q	g	$\mathrm{OA}(s^d, rac{s^d-1}{s-1}, s, 2)$	${ m OD}(s^{d+2},(s^6)^{4\mu})$	$\pi_{lpha,LB}$	$\pi_{eta,LB}$
2	4	3	2	2	OA(2 ⁴ , 15, 2, 2)	$OD(2^6, (64)^{24}) \#$	91.30	39.13
2	5	6	2	2	OA(2 ⁵ , 31, 2, 2)	$OD(2^7, (64)^{48})$	95.74	57.45
2	6	10	3	2	OA(2 ⁶ , 63, 2, 2)	$OD(2^8, (64)^{120})$	98.32	68.07
2	7	18	3	2	OA(2 ⁷ , 127, 2, 2)	$OD(2^9, (64)^{216})$	99.07	71.16
2	8	31	4	2	OA(2 ⁸ , 255, 2, 2)	$OD(2^{10}, (64)^{496})$	99.60	73.33
3	4	10	2	4	$OA(3^4, 40, 3, 2)$	$OD(3^6, (729)^{160}) \#$	97.48	64.78
3	5	24	2	4	OA(3 ⁵ , 121, 3, 2)	$OD(3^7, (729)^{384})$	98.96	78.07
3	6	60	3	4	OA(3 ⁶ , 364, 3, 2)	$OD(3^8, (729)^{1440})$	99.72	84.99
3	7	156	3	4	OA(3 ⁷ , 1093, 3, 2)	$OD(3^9, (729)^{3744})$	99.89	86.53
5	4	39	2	12	$OA(5^4, 156, 5, 2)$	$OD(5^6, (15625)^{1872}) #$	99.57	84.82

The # symbol indicates that the design is also an OLHD.

Next, we introduce the construction of ODs with s^4 levels with the same space-filling properties as the designs obtained in Algorithm 3. The construction method is provided in Algorithm 4.

Algorithm 4 Construction of <i>s</i> ⁴ -level ODs					
Input: $F = (F_1,, F_p)$ and $D(s^2, s^2, s^2) = (d_1,, d_{s^2})$.					
1: Let matrices <i>B</i> , <i>F</i> , <i>D</i> , $E_{i,j}$, $E_{i,j}^*$ be the same as in Algorithm 3.					
2: For $i = 1,, pd/2$, define $G_i = (E_{i,1}^*,, E_{i,g}^*)$ with $g = \lfloor s^2/2 \rfloor$.					
3: Create					
$Y = (G_1, \ldots, G_{pd/2})V = (Y_1, \ldots, Y_{pd/2}),$	(14)				

where

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$$V = \begin{pmatrix} R_{1,0} & 0_{2\times 2} & \cdots & 0_{2\times 2} \\ 0_{2\times 2} & R_{1,0} & \cdots & 0_{2\times 2} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0_{2\times 2} & 0_{2\times 2} & \cdots & R_{1,0} \end{pmatrix}$$
 with $R_{1,0} = \begin{pmatrix} s^2 & -1 \\ 1 & s^2 \end{pmatrix}$

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where $R_{1,0}$ is repeated pdg/2 times and all off-diagonal sub-matrices of *V* are 2 × 2 zero matrices.

Output: Design Y.

For the resulting design, it is easy to obtain the following theorem.

Theorem 3. Design Y in (14) is an $OD(s^{d+2}, (s^4)^m)$ with m = 2pdg, $g = \lfloor s^2/2 \rfloor$ that can be partitioned into pd disjoint groups of 2g columns with the same stratification properties as X^* in Theorem 2.

Compared with the ODs constructed in Algorithm 3, design Y has lower levels and can accommodate more columns than design X^* in Algorithm 3 when d is an odd number. Now, we turn to an illustrative example.

Example 4. Considering the same conditions in Example 3, we first obtain the $E_{i,j}s$. For i = 1, ..., 6, we define $G_i = (E_{i,1}^*, E_{i,2}^*)$ and $R_{1,0} = \begin{pmatrix} s^2 & -1 \\ 1 & s^2 \end{pmatrix}$. We can construct an $OD(64, 16^{24})$ by

 $Y = (Y_1, \ldots, Y_6) = (G_1, \ldots, G_6)V,$

which is displayed in Table A3 of Appendix B. It can be seen that the design points are well-scattered in the two-dimensional projections of the resulting $OD(64, 16^{24})$, and it has the same space-filling properties as the OD constructed in Example 3.

Table 8 lists example ODs obtained by Algorithm 4. Compared with the ODs constructed using Algorithm 3, the obtained designs have lower levels and more columns when d is odd. The resulting designs have the same stratification properties as the ODs constructed by Algorithm 3. These ODs have more flexible run sizes than the OLHDs obtained by Algorithm 1.

S	d	р	g	$\mathrm{OA}(s^d, rac{s^d-1}{s-1}, s, 2)$	$\operatorname{OD}(s^{d+2},(s^4)^m)$	$\pi_{lpha,LB}$	$\pi_{eta,LB}$
2	4	3	2	OA(2 ⁴ , 15, 2, 2)	$OD(2^6, (16)^{24})$	91.30	39.13
2	5	6	2	OA(2 ⁵ , 31, 2, 2)	$OD(2^7, (16)^{60})$	95.74	61.02
2	6	10	2	$OA(2^6, 63, 2, 2)$	$OD(2^8, (16)^{120})$	98.32	68.07
2	7	18	2	OA(2 ⁷ , 127, 2, 2)	$OD(2^9, (16)^{252})$	99.07	71.71
2	8	31	2	OA(2 ⁸ , 255, 2, 2)	$OD(2^{10}, (16)^{496})$	99.60	73.33
3	4	10	4	OA(3 ⁴ , 40, 3, 2)	$OD(3^6, (81)^{160})$	97.48	64.78
3	5	24	4	OA(3 ⁵ , 121, 3, 2)	$OD(3^7, (81)^{480})$	98.96	79.96
3	6	60	4	OA(3 ⁶ , 364, 3, 2)	$OD(3^8, (81)^{1440})$	99.72	84.99
3	7	156	4	OA(3 ⁷ , 1093, 3, 2)	$OD(3^9, (81)^{4368})$	99.89	86.67
5	3	10	12	OA(5 ³ , 31, 5, 2)	$OD(5^5, (625)^{360})$	96.65	38.44
5	4	39	12	$OA(5^4, 156, 5, 2)$	$OD(5^6, (625)^{1872})$	99.57	84.82

Table 8. Example ODs constructed by Algorithm 4.

Now, we consider the construction of mixed-level ODs, which are very useful when the factors cannot have the same number of levels. The construction method is provided in Algorithm 5.

Algorithm 5 Construction of mixed-level ODs

Input: $F = (F_1, ..., F_p)$ and $D(s^2, s^2, s^2) = (d_1, ..., d_{s^2})$.

- 1: Let matrices *B*, *F*, *D*, $E_{i,j}$, and $E_{i,j}^*$ be the same as in Algorithm 3. Then, order the $E_{i,j}$ s as in (8). First, take two successive $E_{i,j}$ instances at each time in the above list and take a total of μ_1 times (where $\mu_1 \leq \lfloor pqg/2 \rfloor$) to μ_1 sets of four columns each. Center the s^2 levels of each column into $\Omega(s^2)$ in (1) and denote these sets as $E^{(1)}, \ldots, E^{(\mu_1)}$.
- Take one E_{i,j} at a time in the remaining list of (8), thus μ₂ = ⌊pdg/2⌋ -2μ₁ sets of two columns each can be obtained. Similarly center the s² levels of each column into Ω(s²) and denote these sets as J⁽¹⁾,..., J^(μ₂).
- 3: Create

$$H = (E^{(1)}R_{1,1}, \dots, E^{(\mu_1)}R_{1,1}, J^{(1)}R_{1,0}, \dots, J^{(\mu_2)}R_{1,0}),$$
(15)

where $R_{1,1}$ and $R_{1,0}$ are the rotation matrices provided in (3).

Output: Design H.

For the resulting design *H*, the following theorem holds.

Theorem 4. Design H in (15) is an $OD(s^{d+2}, (s^6)^{4\mu_1}(s^4)^{2\mu_2})$ with $\mu_1 \leq \lfloor pqk/2 \rfloor$ that can be partitioned into pd disjoint groups of 2g columns with the same stratification properties as design X^* in Algorithm 3.

Table 9 summarizes example ODs constructed by Algorithms 3–5 for practical needs.

$\mathrm{OA}(s^d, \frac{s^d-1}{s-1}, s, 2)$	${ m OD}(s^{d+2},(s^6)^{4\mu_1})$	${ m OD}(s^{d+2},(s^4)^{2\mu_2})$	$OD(s^{d+2}, (s^6)^{4\mu_1}(s^4)^{2\mu_2})$
OA(2 ⁴ , 15, 2, 2)	$OD(2^6, (64)^{24})$	$OD(2^6, (16)^{24})$	$\begin{array}{l} \text{OD}(2^6, 64^{4\mu_1}16^{2\mu_2}), 4\mu_1 + \\ 2\mu_2 = 24 \end{array}$
OA(2 ⁵ , 31, 2, 2)	$OD(2^7, (64)^{48})$	$OD(2^7, (16)^{60})$	$ OD(27, 644\mu_1162\mu_2), 4\mu_1 + 2\mu_2 = 60 $
OA(2 ⁶ , 63, 2, 2)	$OD(2^8, (64)^{120})$	$OD(2^8, (16)^{120})$	$ OD(28, 644\mu_1162\mu_2), 4\mu_1 + 2\mu_2 = 120 $
OA(2 ⁷ , 127, 2, 2)	OD(2 ⁹ , (64) ²¹⁶)	OD(2 ⁹ , (16) ²⁵²)	$ OD(29, 644\mu_1162\mu_2), 4\mu_1 + 2\mu_2 = 252 $
OA(2 ⁸ , 255, 2, 2)	$OD(2^{10}, (64)^{496})$	$OD(2^{10}, (16)^{496})$	$OD(2^{10}, 64^{4\mu_1}16^{2\mu_2}), 4\mu_1 + 2\mu_2 = 496$
OA(3 ⁴ , 40, 3, 2)	$OD(3^6, (729)^{160})$	$OD(3^6, (81)^{160})$	$OD(3^{6}, 729^{4\mu_1} 81^{2\mu_2}), 4\mu_1 + 2\mu_2 = 160$
OA(3 ⁵ , 121, 3, 2)	OD(3 ⁷ , (729) ³⁸⁴)	$OD(3^7, (81)^{480})$	$OD(3^{7}, 729^{4\mu_{1}}81^{2\mu_{2}}), 4\mu_{1} + 2\mu_{2} = 480$
OA(3 ⁶ , 364, 3, 2)	$OD(3^8, (729)^{1440})$	$OD(3^8, (81)^{1440})$	$OD(3^8, 729^{4\mu_1} 81^{2\mu_2}), 4\mu_1 + 2\mu_2 = 1440$
OA(3 ⁷ , 1093, 3, 2)	OD(3 ⁹ , (729) ³⁷⁴⁴)	OD(3 ⁹ , (81) ⁴³⁶⁸)	$OD(3^9, 729^{4\mu_1} 81^{2\mu_2}), 4\mu_1 + 2\mu_2 = 4368$

Table 9. Example ODs constructed by Algorithms 3–5.

5. Conclusions, Limitations, and Future Research

In this paper, we have proposed a new rotation method to generate OLHDs that can achieve stratifications on $s^2 \times s$ or $s \times s^2$ grids; moreover, most column pairs can achieve stratifications on $s^2 \times s^2$ grids, and a large portion of column pairs can achieve stratifications on $s^4 \times s^2$ and $s^2 \times s^4$ grids. Furthermore, we introduce a new class of space-filling ODs with s^6 levels, s^4 levels, and mixed levels, which can guarantee desirable stratifications in two dimensions.

It is worth noting that the resulting OLHDs and ODs enjoy stratifications on finer grids that cannot be satisfied by the existing space-filling designs. To the best of our knowledge, this is a new development in the literature. The theoretical constructions are well established. All these properties make the resulting designs competitive for computer experiments. The proposed designs are constructed systematically, without relying on any optimization algorithm, and the methods are efficient from a time perspective.

Next, we provide a simple simulation example to illustrate the performance of the resulting OLHDs from the model perspective. First, we use the following three methods to screen the active effects: the least absolute shrinkage and selection operator (LASSO) in the 'glmnet' R package, the smoothly clipped absolute deviation (SCAD) in the 'ncvreg' R package, and the stepwise linear model regression following the AIC criterion; the first two methods were recently used in [21], and further details can be found there. Suppose the true model is

$$y = \mu + \beta_1 x_1 + \beta_2 x_2 + \beta_3 x_3 + \beta_4 x_4 + \beta_5 x_5 + \beta_6 x_6 + \beta_{1,3} x_1 x_3 + \beta_{2,5} x_2 x_5 + \beta_{4,6} x_4 x_6 + \epsilon,$$
(16)

where $\mu = 10$, $\beta = (\beta_1, ..., \beta_6, \beta_{1,3}, \beta_{2,5}, \beta_{4,6})^T = (7, 3, -5, -5, 3, 7, 4, -3, -3)^T$, and the random error $\epsilon \sim N(0, 1)$. We use the first twelve columns of the designed OLHD(64, 24) in Example 2 to generate the responses. All screening results are provided in Table 10, where the truly active factors are marked with the superscript "a" and identified "active factors" are indicated with "•".

Method	μ^{a}	x_1^a	x_2^a	x_3^a	x_4^a	x_5^a	x_6^a	<i>x</i> ₈	$x_1 x_2$	$x_1 x_3^a$	$x_{2}x_{5}^{a}$	$x_{3}x_{4}$	$x_4 x_6^a$
LASSO	•	•	•	•	•	•	•			•	•	•	•
SCAD	•	•	•	•	٠	٠	•	•		•	•		•
stenwise	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		•	•	•		•

Table 10.Screening result.

From Table 10, it can be seen that each method identifies eleven active effects, and the three methods all obtain the same ten truly active effects. Next, we entered all of these thirteen active effects into the model in order to test the significance of the coefficients. Table 11 shows the estimates and significance test results.

Table 11. Estimates and significance test results.

	True Value	Estimate	<i>p</i> -Value	Significance
μ	10	10.204	0.000 *	Y
β_1	7	6.386	0.000 *	Y
β_2	3	2.988	0.000 *	Y
β_3	-5	-5.036	0.000 *	Y
β_4	-5	-5.342	0.000 *	Y
β_5	3	2.889	0.000 *	Y
β_6	7	7.205	0.000 *	Y
β_8	0	0.113	0.784	Ν
$\beta_{1,2}$	0	-0.823	0.683	Ν
$\beta_{1,3}$	4	3.649	0.009 *	Y
$\beta_{2.5}$	-3	-5.494	0.001 *	Y
$\beta_{3,4}$	0	0.532	0.796	Ν
$\beta_{4,6}$	-3	-2.744	0.047 *	Y

The * symbol indicates that the coefficient is significant.

From Table 11, the true active effects can be correctly identified as { μ , x_1 , x_2 , x_3 , x_4 , x_5 , x_6 , x_1x_3 , x_2x_5 , x_4x_6 }. Then, we fitted the model in (17), with the R^2 of the model being 0.9378.

 $\hat{y} = 9.826 + 6.887x_1 + 3.360x_2 - 4.747x_3 - 3.725x_4 + 3.573x_5 + 7.984x_6 + 5.051x_1x_3 - 4.787x_2x_5 - 3.970x_4x_6.$ (17)

This result is very close to the real model.

The computation was implemented on a personal computer with an Intel i5-4210H CPU and 2.90 GHz, which needed 0.384 seconds to generate the design, screen the active effects, and fit the model.

Due to the utilization of the rotation method, the run sizes of the obtained designs are restricted to prime powers, and certain two-dimensional stratification properties are not satisfied by all the column pairs, only a large proportion of them. Due to time restrictions, we do not provide an empirical example here. These issues are, however, deserving of future work. In this paper, we consider the space-filling properties measured by the twodimensional stratifications; however, other criteria, for example, the maximin distance criterion, can be suitable choices as well. Constructions of column-orthogonal designs using the maximin distance and flexible run sizes are interesting topics for future research.

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Appendix A

First, we introduce a lemma from [14] that is crucial for the construction in this paper.

Lemma A1 ([14]). Let A be an $(s^2)^g$ -full factorial and define a difference scheme $D(s^2, s^2, s^2) = (d_1, \ldots, d_{s^2})$. For $j = 1, \ldots, s^2$, let $B_j = d_j \oplus A$. Then, for any column b in B_j , (B_i, b) must be an $(s^2)^{g+1}$ -full factorial for any $i \neq j$.

Proof of Theorem 1. We first show that *Z* is an LHD. Because each B_i is an s^d full factorial design with elements from $\{0, 1, \ldots, s - 1\}$, it is the case that $f_{i,j} = sb_{i,2j-1} + b_{i,2j}$ has levels $\{0, 1, \ldots, s^2 - 1\}$ and $F_i = (f_{i,1}, \ldots, f_{i,d/2})$ is an $(s^2)^{d/2}$ full factorial design for any $i = 1, \ldots, p$. Due to Lemma A1, $(\varphi_{1,j_1}(F_i), b)$ is a d/2 + 1 full factorial design where *b* is one column in $\varphi_{1,j_1}(F_i)$, $j_1 \neq j'_1 = 1, \ldots, \lfloor s^2/2 \rfloor$, and $i = 1, \ldots, p$. For each $\varphi_{1,j_1}(F_i)$, we can create $(\varphi_{2,j_2}(F_i), \varphi_{2,j'_2}(F_i))$ with $j_2 \neq j'_2 = 1, \ldots, \lfloor s^2/2 \rfloor$ and $i = 1, \ldots, p$ such that $\varphi_{2,j_2}(F_i)$ by applying Lemma A1 twice; this results in certain sub-arrays of d/2 + 2 columns being full factorials. In general, for any integer k, $(\varphi_{k,j_k}(F_i), \varphi_{k,j'_k}(F_i))$ with $j_k \neq j'_k = 1, \ldots, \lfloor s^2/2 \rfloor$ and $i = 1, \ldots, p$ has the property that certain sub-arrays of d/2 + k columns are full factorials. Thus, all possible (d/2 + k)-tuples with elements from $\{-(s^2 - 1)/2, -(s^2 - 3)/2, \ldots, (s^2 - 1)/2\}$ appear equally often in $F_{k,i}^*$, for $i = 1, \ldots, p$. Due to the property of $R_{u,k}$, it can be verified that the *i*th column of *Z* is a permutation of $\{-(s^{d+2k} - 1)/2, (s^{d+2k} - 3)/2, \ldots, (s^{d+2k} - 1)/2\}$, which implies that *Z* is an LHD.

Next, we prove the orthogonality of *Z*. As *R* is column-orthogonal, we only need to prove the orthogonality of F_k^* . For any column ξ , $\varphi_{k,j_k}(\xi)$ has two columns. We denote the first column of $\varphi_{k,j_k}(\xi)$ as $\varphi_{k,j_k}^1(\xi)$ and the second column of $\varphi_{k,j_k}(\xi)$ as $\varphi_{k,j_k}^2(\xi)$. For any two columns $\varphi_{k,j_k}^q(sb_{i,2j-1}+b_{i,2j}) + (1-s^2)/2$ and $\varphi_{k,j'_k}^q(sb_{h,2l-1}+b_{h,2l}) + (1-s^2)/2$ in F_k^* with $j_k, j'_k = 0, 1, \ldots, \lfloor s^2/2 \rfloor - 1$ and q = 1, 2, we have $sb_{i,2j-1} + b_{i,2j} + (1-s^2)/2 = s[b_{i,2j-1} + (1-s)/2] + (b_{i,2j}) + (1-s)/2]$ and $sb_{h,2l-1} + b_{h,2l} + (1-s^2)/2 = s[b_{h,2l-1} + (1-s)/2] + [b_{h,2l} + (1-s)/2]$. Then,

$$[sb_{i,2j-1} + b_{i,2j} + (1 - s^2)/2]^T [sb_{h,2l-1} + b_{h,2l} + (1 - s^2)/2] = 0$$

where $i \neq h = 1, ..., p$ and $j \neq l = 1, ..., d/2 - 1$. It follows that $(B_1, ..., B_p)$ is an $OA(s^d, pd, s, 2)$. Then, we can find that when $j \neq h$, the columns in $\varphi_{k,j_k}(sb_{i,2j-1} + b_{i,2j}) \oplus (1 - s^2)/2$ and $\varphi_{k,j'_k}(sb_{h,2l-1} + b_{h,2l}) \oplus (1 - s^2)/2$ are column-orthogonal. When j = h and $j_k \neq j'_k$, we can find that $\varphi_{k,j_k}(sb_{i,2j-1} + b_{i,2j}) \oplus (1 - s^2)/2$ and $\varphi_{k,j'_k}(sb_{h,2l-1} + b_{h,2l}) \oplus (1 - s^2)/2$ and $\varphi_{k,j'_k}(sb_{h,2l-1} + b_{h,2l}) \oplus (1 - s^2)/2$ are column-orthogonal based on the properties of the difference scheme. Thus, *Z* is an OLHD.

Next, we prove the stratification properties of (1) and (2). It can be seen that after collapsing the levels of *Z* to the s^2 level, we obtain F'_k . Thus, we only need to prove the stratification property of F'_k . For any i = 1, ..., p and $j = 1, ..., \lfloor s^2/2 \rfloor$, it is easy to find that any two columns from $\varphi_{k,j}(F_i)$ can achieve a stratification on an $s^2 \times s^2$ grid, as F_i is a d/2 full factorial design. From the properties of the difference scheme, we can find that if $j \neq j'$, any two columns from $\varphi_{k,j}(F_i)$ and $\varphi_{k,j'}(F_i)$ can achieve a stratification on an $s^2 \times s^2$ grid. Now, we consider two columns from $F'_{k,i}$ and $F'_{k,i'}$ for $i \neq i'$. According to proof of Theorem 1 in [16], the column pairs in F'_k can only have the following structures: (a). $(\varphi^q_{k,j}(sX + Y), \varphi^q_{k,j'}(sM + N))$ or $(\varphi^q_{k,j}(sX + Y), \varphi^q_{kj'}(sL + (X + lY)))$, (b). $(\varphi^q_{k,j}(sX + Y), \varphi^q_{k,j'}(sM + N))$ or $(\varphi^q_{k,j}(sX + Y), \varphi^q_{kj'}(sN + M))$, where $j, j' = 1, \ldots, \lfloor s^2/2 \rfloor, q = 1, 2$, and X, Y, L, M, N are independent columns of F. Here,

where $j, j' = 1, ..., \lfloor s^2/2 \rfloor$, q = 1, 2, and X, Y, L, M, N are independent columns of F. Here, X + lY denotes any interaction of X and Y with l = 1, ..., s - 1 and L, M, N denote the factors that are not the interactions of X and Y. If two columns have structure (a) and j = j',

they can only achieve a stratification on an $s \times s^2$ or $s^2 \times s$ grid. It is easy to check that there are less than $pd\gamma(s-1)/2$ such pairs in F'_k . The other column pairs having structure (b) or (a) with $j \neq j'$ can achieve stratifications on $s^2 \times s^2$ grids. When the other column pairs have structure (b), then sX + Y and sM + N is orthogonal. Thus, they can achieve stratifications on $s^2 \times s^2$ grids. If the other column pairs have structure (a) with $j \neq j'$, they can achieve stratifications on $s^2 \times s^2$ grids based on the properties of difference scheme.

Now, we prove property (3). For any two columns z_1 and z_2 of Z, we collapse the s^{d+2k} levels of z_1 into s^2 levels in $\Omega(s^2)$ using mapping g_1 and collapse the s^{d+2k} levels of z_2 into s^4 levels in $\Omega(s^4)$ using mapping g_2 . Then, we have $g_1(z_1) = \varphi_{k,j}^q(f_i)$ and $g_2(z_2) = s^2 \varphi_{k,j'}^q(f_1) \pm \varphi_{k,j''}^q(f_1)$, where $j \neq j' = 1, \ldots, \lfloor s^2/2 \rfloor$, $q = 1, 2, f_i$ and f_l are from F, and $i, l = 1, \ldots, pd/2$. As the column pairs in F_k' can only have structure (a) or (b) and if $\varphi_{k,j}^q(f_i), \varphi_{k,j'}^q(f_l)$ have structure (b), $j \neq j'', (\varphi_{k,j}^q(f_i), \varphi_{k,j''}^q(f_l), \varphi_{k,j''}^q(f_l))$ from an OA(s^{d+2k} , $3, s^2$, 3). Thus, they can achieve stratifications on $s^2 \times s^4$ grids. In a similar way, it is clear that they can achieve stratifications on $s^4 \times s^2$ grids as well. It easy to see that only pd(pd/2-1)/4 - pd(s-1)/2 ($\gamma - 1$) = $pd\gamma(pd-4s+2)(\gamma-1)/8$ column pairs achieving stratifications on $s^2 \times s^4$ and $s^4 \times s^2$ grids. The proof is completed. \Box

Proof of Corollary 1. We only need to prove the stratification property of *M* which follows from the property of $F_k^{(l)*}$, where l = 1, ..., t. When collapsed into *s* levels, $f_{i_1,h}^{(l_1)}$ becomes $b_{i_1,2h-1}^{(l_1)}$ and $f_{i_2,g}^{(l_2)}$ are the *h*th column of $F_{i_1}^{(l_1)}$ and the *g*th column of $F_{i_2}^{(l_2)}$, respectively, and $b_{i_1,2h-1}^{(l_1)}$ and $b_{i_2,2g-1}^{(l_2)}$ are the (2*h* – 1)th column of $B_{i_1}^{(l_2)}$ and the (2*g* – 1)th column of $B_{i_2}^{(l_2)}$, respectively. **Case 1:**

If $l_1 = l_2$ and $(i_1, h) \neq (i_2, g)$, the two columns are in the same M_i and achieve the same stratification as in Theorem 1. **Case 2:**

If $l_1 \neq l_2$ and $(i_1, h) \neq (i_2, g)$, $(b_{i_1, 2h-1}^{(l_1)}, b_{i_2, 2g-1}^{(l_2)})$ and $(f_{i_1, h}^{(l_1)}, f_{i_2, g}^{(l_2)})$ are orthogonal. Based on the properties of difference scheme, $(\varphi_{kj}(f_{i_1, h}^{(l_1)}), \varphi_{kj'}(f_{i_2, g}^{(l_2)}))$ is an OA for $j, j' = 1, \ldots, \lfloor s^2/2 \rfloor$. Thus, the *h*th column of $F_{k, i_1}^{(l_1)}$ and the *g*th column of $F_{k, i_2}^{(l_2)}$ can achieve a stratification on an $s \times s$ grid. Then, if $(i_1, h) = (i_2, g), (b_{i_1, 2h-1}^{(l_1)}, b_{i_2, 2g-1}^{(l_2)})$ may not be an OA and fails to guarantee stratification on an $s \times s$ grid. Thus, similar to the proof of Theorem 1, we can find that at least $2^k p dt (2^k p dt - 2t)/8$ column pairs in *M* can achieve stratifications on $s \times s$ grids. The proof is completed. \Box

Proof of Theorem 2. First, we need to prove the orthogonality; as R_4 is column-orthogonal, we only need to prove the orthogonality of E^* . It is easy to find that $sb_{i,l} + b_{i,l+1} + (1 - s^2)/2 = s[b_{i,l} + (1 - s)/2] + [b_{i,l+1} + (1 - s)/2]$ and $sb_{k,h} + b_{k,h+1} + (1 - s^2)/2 = s[b_{k,h} + (1 - s)/2] + [b_{k,h+1} + (1 - s)/2]$. Due to the property of (B_1, \ldots, B_p) ,

$$[(sb_{i,l} + b_{i,l+1}) + (1 - s^2)/2]^T [sb_{k,h} + b_{k,h+1} + (1 - s^2)/2] = 0,$$

where i, k = 1, ..., p and l, h = 1, ..., d/2 - 1. Then, we can find that when $l \neq h$, $(d_j \oplus (sb_{i,l} + b_{i,l+1}) + (1 - s^2)/2)$ and $(d_{j'} \oplus (sb_{k,h} + b_{k,h+1}) + (1 - s^2)/2)$ are column-orthogonal. When l = h and $j \neq j'$, we can find that $(d_j \oplus (sb_{i,l} + b_{i,l+1}) + (1 - s^2)/2)$ and $(d_{j'} \oplus (sb_{k,h} + b_{k,h+1}) + (1 - s^2)/2)$ and $(d_{j'} \oplus (sb_{k,h} + b_{k,h+1}) + (1 - s^2)/2)$ are column-orthogonal based on the properties of the difference scheme. Thus, X^* is an OD. Next, we prove the stratification properties of X^* . Note that

$$\begin{split} \delta_1(x) &= \lfloor \frac{s^4 e \pm s^2 e' \pm e'' + (s^6 - 1)/2}{s^4} \rfloor - \frac{s^2 - 1}{2} \\ &= \lfloor \frac{s^4 b_1 \pm s^2 b_2 \pm b_3}{s^4} \rfloor - \frac{s^2 - 1}{2}, \end{split}$$

where $b_1 = e - (s - 1)/2$, $b_2 = e' - (s - 1)/2$, and $b_3 = e'' - (s - 1)/2$. The elements of e, e', and e'' are in $\Omega(s^2)$; thus, all the elements of b_i fall into $\Omega(s^2)$, i = 1, 2, 3. This indicates that the elements of $s^2b_2 \pm b_3$ must be less than s^4 . Therefore, we have $\delta_1(x) = e$. Similar to the proof of Theorem 1, according to proof of Theorem 1 in [16], the column pairs in F^* have only the following two structures:

(a). $(d_{j'} \oplus (sX + Y), d_{j'} \oplus (s(X + lY) + L))$ or $(d_{j'} \oplus (sX + Y), d_{j'} \oplus (sL + (X + lY)))$, (b). $(d_{j'} \oplus (sX + Y), d_{j'} \oplus (sM + N))$ or $(d_{i'} \oplus (sX + Y), d_{j'} \oplus (sN + M))$,

Here, *X*, *Y*, *L*, *M*, *N* are independent columns of *F*, *X* + *lY* denotes any interaction of *X* and *Y* with l = 1, ..., s - 1, and *L*, *M*, *N* denote the factors that are not interactions of *X* and *Y*, where $j, j' = 0, 1, ..., \lfloor s^2/2 \rfloor - 1$. If two columns have structure (a) and j = j', they can only achieve stratifications on an $s \times s^2$ or $s^2 \times s$ grid. It is easy to check that there are less than 2kp(s-1) column pairs in E^* when pk is even and 2(kp-1)(s-1) column pairs in E^* when pk is odd. The other column pairs with structure (b) or (a) for $j \neq j'$ can achieve stratifications on $s^2 \times s^2$ grids. This completes the proof of properties (1) and (2).

Any two columns x_1 and x_2 of X^* can be expressed as

$$x_1 = s^4 e_1 \pm s^2 e_1' \pm e_1'', \quad x_2 = s^4 e_2 \pm s^2 e_2' \pm e_2''.$$

Based on the previous discussion, it is easy to see that e_1 and e'_1 are from the same $E_{i,j}$, and as such are e_2 and e'_2 . Now, we collapse the s^6 levels in $\Omega(s^6)$ of x_1 into s^2 levels in $\Omega(s^2)$ using mapping δ_1 in (11) and collapse the s^6 levels in $\Omega(s^6)$ of x_2 into s^4 levels in $\Omega(s^4)$ using mapping δ_2 as

$$\delta_2(z) = \lfloor \frac{z + (s^6 - 1)/2}{s^2} \rfloor - \frac{s^4 - 1}{2}.$$

Then, we have $\delta_1(x_1) = e_1$ and $\delta_2(x_2) = s^2 e_2 \pm e'_2$, where $e_1 = d_j \oplus L'$, $e_2 = d_{j'} \oplus M'$, $e'_2 = d_{j''} \oplus N'$, and L', M', N' are independent columns of F. If e_1 and e_2 have structure (b) and $j \neq j''$, then the two pairs (e_1, e'_1) and (e_2, e'_2) have structure (b) and $j \neq j''$ as well. Only if e_2 and e'_2 are not interactions of e_1 and e'_1 , $(e_1, s^2 e_2 \pm e'_2)$ can there be an OA $(s^{d+2}, 2, s^2 \times s^4, 2)$. Similar to the proof of Theorem 1, at least $\mu(pd - 2s + 1)(g - 1)/8$ column pairs achieve stratifications on $s^2 \times s^4$ and $s^4 \times s^2$ grids. This completes the proof of property (3). The proof is completed. \Box

Appendix B



Figure A1. Flowchart of Algorithm 2.



Figure A2. Flowchart of Algorithm 3.

30 31 32 22.5

26.5 30.5 -12.5

0.5 17.5 0.5

12.5 8.5 -26.5

20.5 22.5 7.5 -3.5

-15.5-11.5

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
1	-31.5	-16.5	-28.5	-19.5	-31.5	-16.5	-28.5	-19.5	-31.5	-16.5	-28.5	-19.5	-31.5	-16.5	-28.5	-19.5	-31.5	-16.5	-28.5	-19.5	-31.5	-16.5	-28.5	-19.5
2	-27.5	-1.5	-24.5	-2.5	-27.5	-1.5	-24.5	-2.5	-19.5	28.5	-16.5	31.5	-19.5	28.5	-16.5	31.5	-10.5	-5.5	-9.5	-6.5	-10.5	-5.5	-9.5	-6.5
3	-23.5	13.5	-20.5	14.5	-23.5	13.5	-20.5	14.5	-6.5	9.5	-5.5	10.5	-6.5	9.5	-5.5	10.5	14.5	20.5	13.5	23.5	14.5	20.5	13.5	23.5
4	-19.5	28.5	-16.5	31.5	-19.5	28.5	-16.5	31.5	-10.5	-5.5	-9.5	-6.5	-10.5	-5.5	-9.5	-6.5	27.5	1.5	24.5	2.5	27.5	1.5	24.5	2.5
5	-14.5	-20.5	-13.5	-23.5	-14.5	-20.5	-13.5	-23.5	23.5	-13.5	20.5	-14.5	23.5	-13.5	20.5	-14.5	-2.5	24.5	-1.5	27.5	-2.5	24.5	-1.5	27.5
6	-10.5	-5.5	-9.5	-6.5	-10.5	-5.5	-9.5	-6.5	27.5	1.5	24.5	2.5	27.5	1.5	24.5	2.5	-23.5	13.5	-20.5	14.5	-23.5	13.5	-20.5	14.5
7	-6.5	9.5	-5.5	10.5	-6.5	9.5	-5.5	10.5	14.5	20.5	13.5	23.5	14.5	20.5	13.5	23.5	19.5	-28.5	16.5	-31.5	19.5	-28.5	16.5	-31.5
8	-2.5	24.5	-1.5	27.5	-2.5	24.5	-1.5	27.5	2.5	-24.5	1.5	-27.5	2.5	-24.5	1.5	-27.5	6.5	-9.5	5.5	-10.5	6.5	-9.5	5.5	-10.5
9	2.5	-24.5	1.5	-27.5	2.5	-24.5	1.5	-27.5	6.5	-9.5	5.5	-10.5	6.5	-9.5	5.5	-10.5	10.5	5.5	9.5	6.5	10.5	5.5	9.5	6.5
10	6.5	-9.5	5.5	-10.5	6.5	-9.5	5.5	-10.5	10.5	5.5	9.5	6.5	10.5	5.5	9.5	6.5	31.5	16.5	28.5	19.5	31.5	16.5	28.5	19.5
11	10.5	5.5	9.5	6.5	10.5	5.5	9.5	6.5	31.5	16.5	28.5	19.5	31.5	16.5	28.5	19.5	-27.5	-1.5	-24.5	-2.5	-27.5	-1.5	-24.5	-2.5
12	14.5	20.5	13.5	23.5	14.5	20.5	13.5	23.5	19.5	-28.5	16.5	-31.5	19.5	-28.5	16.5	-31.5	-14.5	-20.5	-13.5	-23.5	-14.5	-20.5	-13.5	-23.5
13	19.5	-28.5	16.5	-31.5	19.5	-28.5	16.5	-31.5	-14.5	-20.5	-13.5	-23.5	-14.5	-20.5	-13.5	-23.5	23.5	-13.5	20.5	-14.5	23.5	-13.5	20.5	-14.5
14	23.5	-13.5	20.5	-14.5	23.5	-13.5	20.5	-14.5	-2.5	24.5	-1.5	27.5	-2.5	24.5	-1.5	27.5	2.5	-24.5	1.5	-27.5	2.5	-24.5	1.5	-27.5
15	27.5	1.5	24.5	2.5	27.5	1.5	24.5	2.5	-23.5	13.5	-20.5	14.5	-23.5	13.5	-20.5	14.5	-6.5	9.5	-5.5	10.5	-6.5	9.5	-5.5	10.5
16	31.5	16.5	28.5	19.5	31.5	16.5	28.5	19.5	-27.5	-1.5	-24.5	-2.5	-27.5	-1.5	-24.5	-2.5	-19.5	28.5	-16.5	31.5	-19.5	28.5	-16.5	31.5
17	-30.5	-17.5	-8.5	-7.5	11.5	4.5	29.5	18.5	-30.5	-17.5	-8.5	-7.5	11.5	4.5	29.5	18.5	-30.5	-17.5	-8.5	-7.5	11.5	4.5	29.5	18.5
18	-26.5	-0.5	-12.5	-22.5	15.5	21.5	25.5	3.5	-18.5	29.5	-4.5	11.5	7.5	-8.5	17.5	-30.5	-11.5	-4.5	-29.5	-18.5	30.5	17.5	8.5	7.5
19	-22.5	12.5	-0.5	26.5	3.5	-25.5	21.5	-15.5	-7.5	8.5	-17.5	30.5	18.5	-29.5	4.5	-11.5	15.5	21.5	25.5	3.5	-26.5	-0.5	-12.5	-22.5
20	-18.5	29.5	-4.5	11.5	7.5	-8.5	17.5	-30.5	-11.5	-4.5	-29.5	-18.5	30.5	17.5	8.5	7.5	26.5	0.5	12.5	22.5	-15.5	-21.5	-25.5	-3.5
21	-15.5	-21.5	-25.5	-3.5	26.5	0.5	12.5	22.5	22.5	-12.5	0.5	-26.5	-3.5	25.5	-21.5	15.5	-3.5	25.5	-21.5	15.5	22.5	-12.5	0.5	-26.5
22	-11.5	-4.5	-29.5	-18.5	30.5	17.5	8.5	7.5	26.5	0.5	12.5	22.5	-15.5	-21.5	-25.5	-3.5	-22.5	12.5	-0.5	26.5	3.5	-25.5	21.5	-15.5
23	-7.5	8.5	-17.5	30.5	18.5	-29.5	4.5	-11.5	15.5	21.5	25.5	3.5	-26.5	-0.5	-12.5	-22.5	18.5	-29.5	4.5	-11.5	-7.5	8.5	-17.5	30.5
24	-3.5	25.5	-21.5	15.5	22.5	-12.5	0.5	-26.5	3.5	-25.5	21.5	-15.5	-22.5	12.5	-0.5	26.5	7.5	-8.5	17.5	-30.5	-18.5	29.5	-4.5	11.5
25	3.5	-25.5	21.5	-15.5	-22.5	12.5	-0.5	26.5	7.5	-8.5	17.5	-30.5	-18.5	29.5	-4.5	11.5	11.5	4.5	29.5	18.5	-30.5	-17.5	-8.5	-7.5
26	7.5	-8.5	17.5	-30.5	-18.5	29.5	-4.5	11.5	11.5	4.5	29.5	18.5	-30.5	-17.5	-8.5	-7.5	30.5	17.5	8.5	7.5	-11.5	-4.5	-29.5	-18.5
27	11.5	4.5	29.5	18.5	-30.5	-17.5	-8.5	-7.5	30.5	17.5	8.5	7.5	-11.5	-4.5	-29.5	-18.5	-26.5	-0.5	-12.5	-22.5	15.5	21.5	25.5	3.5
28	15.5	21.5	25.5	3.5	-26.5	-0.5	-12.5	-22.5	18.5	-29.5	4.5	-11.5	-7.5	8.5	-17.5	30.5	-15.5	-21.5	-25.5	-3.5	26.5	0.5	12.5	22.5
29	18.5	-29.5	4.5	-11.5	-7.5	8.5	-17.5	30.5	-15.5	-21.5	-25.5	-3.5	26.5	0.5	12.5	22.5	22.5	-12.5	0.5	-26.5	-3.5	25.5	-21.5	15.5

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26.5-22.5 22.5 3.5 15.5 -12.5

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8.5 29.5 21.5 -17.5 -4.5 -22.5

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Table A1. The OLHD(64, 24) used in Example 2.

-21.5-25.5-29.5

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-21.5-4.5 -3.5

-22.5-26.5

15.5

-3.5-18.5 25.5 12.5 -0.5 -21.5

-0.5-12.5 26.5-11.5 -30.5

-0.5

4.5 17.5 Table A1. Cont.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
33	-29.5	-18.5	11.5	4.5	29.5	18.5	-11.5	-4.5	-29.5	-18.5	11.5	4.5	29.5	18.5	-11.5	-4.5	-29.5	-18.5	11.5	4.5	29.5	18.5	-11.5	-4.5
34	-25.5	-3.5	15.5	21.5	25.5	3.5	-15.5	-21.5	-17.5	30.5	7.5	-8.5	17.5	-30.5	-7.5	8.5	-8.5	-7.5	30.5	17.5	8.5	7.5	-30.5	-17.5
35	-21.5	15.5	3.5	-25.5	21.5	-15.5	-3.5	25.5	-4.5	11.5	18.5	-29.5	4.5	-11.5	-18.5	29.5	12.5	22.5	-26.5	-0.5	-12.5	-22.5	26.5	0.5
36	-17.5	30.5	7.5	-8.5	17.5	-30.5	-7.5	8.5	-8.5	-7.5	30.5	17.5	8.5	7.5	-30.5	-17.5	25.5	3.5	-15.5	-21.5	-25.5	-3.5	15.5	21.5
37	-12.5	-22.5	26.5	0.5	12.5	22.5	-26.5	-0.5	21.5	-15.5	-3.5	25.5	-21.5	15.5	3.5	-25.5	-0.5	26.5	22.5	-12.5	0.5	-26.5	-22.5	12.5
38	-8.5	-7.5	30.5	17.5	8.5	7.5	-30.5	-17.5	25.5	3.5	-15.5	-21.5	-25.5	-3.5	15.5	21.5	-21.5	15.5	3.5	-25.5	21.5	-15.5	-3.5	25.5
39	-4.5	11.5	18.5	-29.5	4.5	-11.5	-18.5	29.5	12.5	22.5	-26.5	-0.5	-12.5	-22.5	26.5	0.5	17.5	-30.5	-7.5	8.5	-17.5	30.5	7.5	-8.5
40	-0.5	26.5	22.5	-12.5	0.5	-26.5	-22.5	12.5	0.5	-26.5	-22.5	12.5	-0.5	26.5	22.5	-12.5	4.5	-11.5	-18.5	29.5	-4.5	11.5	18.5	-29.5
41	0.5	-26.5	-22.5	12.5	-0.5	26.5	22.5	-12.5	4.5	-11.5	-18.5	29.5	-4.5	11.5	18.5	-29.5	8.5	7.5	-30.5	-17.5	-8.5	-7.5	30.5	17.5
42	4.5	-11.5	-18.5	29.5	-4.5	11.5	18.5	-29.5	8.5	7.5	-30.5	-17.5	-8.5	-7.5	30.5	17.5	29.5	18.5	-11.5	-4.5	-29.5	-18.5	11.5	4.5
43	8.5	7.5	-30.5	-17.5	-8.5	-7.5	30.5	17.5	29.5	18.5	-11.5	-4.5	-29.5	-18.5	11.5	4.5	-25.5	-3.5	15.5	21.5	25.5	3.5	-15.5	-21.5
44	12.5	22.5	-26.5	-0.5	-12.5	-22.5	26.5	0.5	17.5	-30.5	-7.5	8.5	-17.5	30.5	7.5	-8.5	-12.5	-22.5	26.5	0.5	12.5	22.5	-26.5	-0.5
45	17.5	-30.5	-7.5	8.5	-17.5	30.5	7.5	-8.5	-12.5	-22.5	26.5	0.5	12.5	22.5	-26.5	-0.5	21.5	-15.5	-3.5	25.5	-21.5	15.5	3.5	-25.5
46	21.5	-15.5	-3.5	25.5	-21.5	15.5	3.5	-25.5	-0.5	26.5	22.5	-12.5	0.5	-26.5	-22.5	12.5	0.5	-26.5	-22.5	12.5	-0.5	26.5	22.5	-12.5
47	25.5	3.5	-15.5	-21.5	-25.5	-3.5	15.5	21.5	-21.5	15.5	3.5	-25.5	21.5	-15.5	-3.5	25.5	-4.5	11.5	18.5	-29.5	4.5	-11.5	-18.5	29.5
48	29.5	18.5	-11.5	-4.5	-29.5	-18.5	11.5	4.5	-25.5	-3.5	15.5	21.5	25.5	3.5	-15.5	-21.5	-17.5	30.5	7.5	-8.5	17.5	-30.5	-7.5	8.5
49	-28.5	-19.5	31.5	16.5	-9.5	-6.5	10.5	5.5	-28.5	-19.5	31.5	16.5	-9.5	-6.5	10.5	5.5	-28.5	-19.5	31.5	16.5	-9.5	-6.5	10.5	5.5
50	-24.5	-2.5	27.5	1.5	-13.5	-23.5	14.5	20.5	-16.5	31.5	19.5	-28.5	-5.5	10.5	6.5	-9.5	-9.5	-6.5	10.5	5.5	-28.5	-19.5	31.5	16.5
51	-20.5	14.5	23.5	-13.5	-1.5	27.5	2.5	-24.5	-5.5	10.5	6.5	-9.5	-16.5	31.5	19.5	-28.5	13.5	23.5	-14.5	-20.5	24.5	2.5	-27.5	-1.5
52	-16.5	31.5	19.5	-28.5	-5.5	10.5	6.5	-9.5	-9.5	-6.5	10.5	5.5	-28.5	-19.5	31.5	16.5	24.5	2.5	-27.5	-1.5	13.5	23.5	-14.5	-20.5
53	-13.5	-23.5	14.5	20.5	-24.5	-2.5	27.5	1.5	20.5	-14.5	-23.5	13.5	1.5	-27.5	-2.5	24.5	-1.5	27.5	2.5	-24.5	-20.5	14.5	23.5	-13.5
54	-9.5	-6.5	10.5	5.5	-28.5	-19.5	31.5	16.5	24.5	2.5	-27.5	-1.5	13.5	23.5	-14.5	-20.5	-20.5	14.5	23.5	-13.5	-1.5	27.5	2.5	-24.5
55	-5.5	10.5	6.5	-9.5	-16.5	31.5	19.5	-28.5	13.5	23.5	-14.5	-20.5	24.5	2.5	-27.5	-1.5	16.5	-31.5	-19.5	28.5	5.5	-10.5	-6.5	9.5
56	-1.5	27.5	2.5	-24.5	-20.5	14.5	23.5	-13.5	1.5	-27.5	-2.5	24.5	20.5	-14.5	-23.5	13.5	5.5	-10.5	-6.5	9.5	16.5	-31.5	-19.5	28.5
57	1.5	-27.5	-2.5	24.5	20.5	-14.5	-23.5	13.5	5.5	-10.5	-6.5	9.5	16.5	-31.5	-19.5	28.5	9.5	6.5	-10.5	-5.5	28.5	19.5	-31.5	-16.5
58	5.5	-10.5	-6.5	9.5	16.5	-31.5	-19.5	28.5	9.5	6.5	-10.5	-5.5	28.5	19.5	-31.5	-16.5	28.5	19.5	-31.5	-16.5	9.5	6.5	-10.5	-5.5
59	9.5	6.5	-10.5	-5.5	28.5	19.5	-31.5	-16.5	28.5	19.5	-31.5	-16.5	9.5	6.5	-10.5	-5.5	-24.5	-2.5	27.5	1.5	-13.5	-23.5	14.5	20.5
60	13.5	23.5	-14.5	-20.5	24.5	2.5	-27.5	-1.5	16.5	-31.5	-19.5	28.5	5.5	-10.5	-6.5	9.5	-13.5	-23.5	14.5	20.5	-24.5	-2.5	27.5	1.5
61	16.5	-31.5	-19.5	28.5	5.5	-10.5	-6.5	9.5	-13.5	-23.5	14.5	20.5	-24.5	-2.5	27.5	1.5	20.5	-14.5	-23.5	13.5	1.5	-27.5	-2.5	24.5
62	20.5	-14.5	-23.5	13.5	1.5	-27.5	-2.5	24.5	-1.5	27.5	2.5	-24.5	-20.5	14.5	23.5	-13.5	1.5	-27.5	-2.5	24.5	20.5	-14.5	-23.5	13.5
63	24.5	2.5	-27.5	-1.5	13.5	23.5	-14.5	-20.5	-20.5	14.5	23.5	-13.5	-1.5	27.5	2.5	-24.5	-5.5	10.5	6.5	-9.5	-16.5	31.5	19.5	-28.5
64	28.5	19.5	-31.5	-16.5	9.5	6.5	-10.5	-5.5	-24.5	-2.5	27.5	1.5	-13.5	-23.5	14.5	20.5	-16.5	31.5	19.5	-28.5	-5.5	10.5	6.5	-9.5

ampl	e <mark>3</mark> .														
	9 10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	
-31	.5 –16.5	-28.5	-19.5	-31.5	-16.5	-28.5	-19.5	-31.5	-16.5	-28.5	-19.5	-31.5	-16.5	-28.5	-1
-10	.5 -5.5	-9.5	-6.5	-30.5	-17.5	-8.5	-7.5	-28.5	-19.5	31.5	16.5	-10.5	-5.5	-9.5	_
11	.5 4.5	29.5	18.5	-29.5	-18.5	11.5	4.5	-9.5	-6.5	10.5	5.5	11.5	4.5	29.5	1
30	.5 17.5	8.5	7.5	-28.5	-19.5	31.5	16.5	-10.5	-5.5	-9.5	-6.5	30.5	17.5	8.5	
$^{-8}$.5 -7.5	30.5	17.5	-11.5	-4.5	-29.5	-18.5	29.5	18.5	-11.5	-4.5	-8.5	-7.5	30.5	1
-29	.5 -18.5	11.5	4.5	-10.5	-5.5	-9.5	-6.5	30.5	17.5	8.5	7.5	-29.5	-18.5	11.5	
28	.5 19.5	-31.5	-16.5	-9.5	-6.5	10.5	5.5	11.5	4.5	29.5	18.5	28.5	19.5	-31.5	-1
9	.5 6.5	-10.5	-5.5	-8.5	-7.5	30.5	17.5	8.5	7.5	-30.5	-17.5	9.5	6.5	-10.5	_
10	.5 5.5	9.5	6.5	8.5	7.5	-30.5	-17.5	9.5	6.5	-10.5	-5.5	10.5	5.5	9.5	

Table A2. The OLHD(64, 24) used in Exa

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
1	-31.5	-16.5	-28.5	-19.5	-31.5	-16.5	-28.5	-19.5	-31.5	-16.5	-28.5	-19.5	-31.5	-16.5	-28.5	-19.5	-31.5	-16.5	-28.5	-19.5	-31.5	-16.5	-28.5	-19.5
2	-30.5	-17.5	-8.5	-7.5	-28.5	-19.5	31.5	16.5	-10.5	-5.5	-9.5	-6.5	-30.5	-17.5	-8.5	-7.5	-28.5	-19.5	31.5	16.5	-10.5	-5.5	-9.5	-6.5
3	-29.5	-18.5	11.5	4.5	-9.5	-6.5	10.5	5.5	11.5	4.5	29.5	18.5	-29.5	-18.5	11.5	4.5	-9.5	-6.5	10.5	5.5	11.5	4.5	29.5	18.5
4	-28.5	-19.5	31.5	16.5	-10.5	-5.5	-9.5	-6.5	30.5	17.5	8.5	7.5	-28.5	-19.5	31.5	16.5	-10.5	-5.5	-9.5	-6.5	30.5	17.5	8.5	7.5
5	-11.5	-4.5	-29.5	-18.5	29.5	18.5	-11.5	-4.5	-8.5	-7.5	30.5	17.5	-11.5	-4.5	-29.5	-18.5	29.5	18.5	-11.5	-4.5	-8.5	-7.5	30.5	17.5
6	-10.5	-5.5	-9.5	-6.5	30.5	17.5	8.5	7.5	-29.5	-18.5	11.5	4.5	-10.5	-5.5	-9.5	-6.5	30.5	17.5	8.5	7.5	-29.5	-18.5	11.5	4.5
7	-9.5	-6.5	10.5	5.5	11.5	4.5	29.5	18.5	28.5	19.5	-31.5	-16.5	-9.5	-6.5	10.5	5.5	11.5	4.5	29.5	18.5	28.5	19.5	-31.5	-16.5
8	-8.5	-7.5	30.5	17.5	8.5	7.5	-30.5	-17.5	9.5	6.5	-10.5	-5.5	-8.5	-7.5	30.5	17.5	8.5	7.5	-30.5	-17.5	9.5	6.5	-10.5	-5.5
9	8.5	7.5	-30.5	-17.5	9.5	6.5	-10.5	-5.5	10.5	5.5	9.5	6.5	8.5	7.5	-30.5	-17.5	9.5	6.5	-10.5	-5.5	10.5	5.5	9.5	6.5
10	9.5	6.5	-10.5	-5.5	10.5	5.5	9.5	6.5	31.5	16.5	28.5	19.5	9.5	6.5	-10.5	-5.5	10.5	5.5	9.5	6.5	31.5	16.5	28.5	19.5
11	10.5	5.5	9.5	6.5	31.5	16.5	28.5	19.5	-30.5	-17.5	-8.5	-7.5	10.5	5.5	9.5	6.5	31.5	16.5	28.5	19.5	-30.5	-17.5	-8.5	-7.5
12	11.5	4.5	29.5	18.5	28.5	19.5	-31.5	-16.5	-11.5	-4.5	-29.5	-18.5	11.5	4.5	29.5	18.5	28.5	19.5	-31.5	-16.5	-11.5	-4.5	-29.5	-18.5
13	28.5	19.5	-31.5	-16.5	-11.5	-4.5	-29.5	-18.5	29.5	18.5	-11.5	-4.5	28.5	19.5	-31.5	-16.5	-11.5	-4.5	-29.5	-18.5	29.5	18.5	-11.5	-4.5
14	29.5	18.5	-11.5	-4.5	-8.5	-7.5	30.5	17.5	8.5	7.5	-30.5	-17.5	29.5	18.5	-11.5	-4.5	-8.5	-7.5	30.5	17.5	8.5	7.5	-30.5	-17.5
15	30.5	17.5	8.5	7.5	-29.5	-18.5	11.5	4.5	-9.5	-6.5	10.5	5.5	30.5	17.5	8.5	7.5	-29.5	-18.5	11.5	4.5	-9.5	-6.5	10.5	5.5
16	31.5	16.5	28.5	19.5	-30.5	-17.5	-8.5	-7.5	-28.5	-19.5	31.5	16.5	31.5	16.5	28.5	19.5	-30.5	-17.5	-8.5	-7.5	-28.5	-19.5	31.5	16.5
17	-27.5	-1.5	-24.5	-2.5	-27.5	-1.5	-24.5	-2.5	-27.5	-1.5	-24.5	-2.5	14.5	20.5	13.5	23.5	14.5	20.5	13.5	23.5	14.5	20.5	13.5	23.5
18	-26.5	-0.5	-12.5	-22.5	-24.5	-2.5	27.5	1.5	-14.5	-20.5	-13.5	-23.5	15.5	21.5	25.5	3.5	13.5	23.5	-14.5	-20.5	27.5	1.5	24.5	2.5
19	-25.5	-3.5	15.5	21.5	-13.5	-23.5	14.5	20.5	15.5	21.5	25.5	3.5	12.5	22.5	-26.5	-0.5	24.5	2.5	-27.5	-1.5	-26.5	-0.5	-12.5	-22.5
20	-24.5	-2.5	27.5	1.5	-14.5	-20.5	-13.5	-23.5	26.5	0.5	12.5	22.5	13.5	23.5	-14.5	-20.5	27.5	1.5	24.5	2.5	-15.5	-21.5	-25.5	-3.5
21	-15.5	-21.5	-25.5	-3.5	25.5	3.5	-15.5	-21.5	-12.5	-22.5	26.5	0.5	26.5	0.5	12.5	22.5	-12.5	-22.5	26.5	0.5	25.5	3.5	-15.5	-21.5
22	-14.5	-20.5	-13.5	-23.5	26.5	0.5	12.5	22.5	-25.5	-3.5	15.5	21.5	27.5	1.5	24.5	2.5	-15.5	-21.5	-25.5	-3.5	12.5	22.5	-26.5	-0.5
23	-13.5	-23.5	14.5	20.5	15.5	21.5	25.5	3.5	24.5	2.5	-27.5	-1.5	24.5	2.5	-27.5	-1.5	-26.5	-0.5	-12.5	-22.5	-13.5	-23.5	14.5	20.5
24	-12.5	-22.5	26.5	0.5	12.5	22.5	-26.5	-0.5	13.5	23.5	-14.5	-20.5	25.5	3.5	-15.5	-21.5	-25.5	-3.5	15.5	21.5	-24.5	-2.5	27.5	1.5
25	12.5	22.5	-26.5	-0.5	13.5	23.5	-14.5	-20.5	14.5	20.5	13.5	23.5	-25.5	-3.5	15.5	21.5	-24.5	-2.5	27.5	1.5	-27.5	-1.5	-24.5	-2.5
26	13.5	23.5	-14.5	-20.5	14.5	20.5	13.5	23.5	27.5	1.5	24.5	2.5	-24.5	-2.5	27.5	1.5	-27.5	-1.5	-24.5	-2.5	-14.5	-20.5	-13.5	-23.5
27	14.5	20.5	13.5	23.5	27.5	1.5	24.5	2.5	-26.5	-0.5	-12.5	-22.5	-27.5	-1.5	-24.5	-2.5	-14.5	-20.5	-13.5	-23.5	15.5	21.5	25.5	3.5
28	15.5	21.5	25.5	3.5	24.5	2.5	-27.5	-1.5	-15.5	-21.5	-25.5	-3.5	-26.5	-0.5	-12.5	-22.5	-13.5	-23.5	14.5	20.5	26.5	0.5	12.5	22.5
29	24.5	2.5	-27.5	-1.5	-15.5	-21.5	-25.5	-3.5	25.5	3.5	-15.5	-21.5	-13.5	-23.5	14.5	20.5	26.5	0.5	12.5	22.5	-12.5	-22.5	26.5	0.5
30	25.5	3.5	-15.5	-21.5	-12.5	-22.5	26.5	0.5	12.5	22.5	-26.5	-0.5	-12.5	-22.5	26.5	0.5	25.5	3.5	-15.5	-21.5	-25.5	-3.5	15.5	21.5
31	26.5	0.5	12.5	22.5	-25.5	-3.5	15.5	21.5	-13.5	-23.5	14.5	20.5	-15.5	-21.5	-25.5	-3.5	12.5	22.5	-26.5	-0.5	24.5	2.5	-27.5	-1.5
32	27.5	1.5	24.5	2.5	-26.5	-0.5	-12.5	-22.5	-24.5	-2.5	27.5	1.5	-14.5	-20.5	-13.5	-23.5	15.5	21.5	25.5	3.5	13.5	23.5	-14.5	-20.5

Table A2. Cont.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
33	-23.5	13.5	-20.5	14.5	-23.5	13.5	-20.5	14.5	-23.5	13.5	-20.5	14.5	23.5	-13.5	20.5	-14.5	23.5	-13.5	20.5	-14.5	23.5	-13.5	20.5	-14.5
34	-22.5	12.5	-0.5	26.5	-20.5	14.5	23.5	-13.5	-2.5	24.5	-1.5	27.5	22.5	-12.5	0.5	-26.5	20.5	-14.5	-23.5	13.5	2.5	-24.5	1.5	-27.5
35	-21.5	15.5	3.5	-25.5	-1.5	27.5	2.5	-24.5	3.5	-25.5	21.5	-15.5	21.5	-15.5	-3.5	25.5	1.5	-27.5	-2.5	24.5	-3.5	25.5	-21.5	15.5
36	-20.5	14.5	23.5	-13.5	-2.5	24.5	-1.5	27.5	22.5	-12.5	0.5	-26.5	20.5	-14.5	-23.5	13.5	2.5	-24.5	1.5	-27.5	-22.5	12.5	-0.5	26.5
37	-3.5	25.5	-21.5	15.5	21.5	-15.5	-3.5	25.5	-0.5	26.5	22.5	-12.5	3.5	-25.5	21.5	-15.5	-21.5	15.5	3.5	-25.5	0.5	-26.5	-22.5	12.5
38	-2.5	24.5	-1.5	27.5	22.5	-12.5	0.5	-26.5	-21.5	15.5	3.5	-25.5	2.5	-24.5	1.5	-27.5	-22.5	12.5	-0.5	26.5	21.5	-15.5	-3.5	25.5
39	-1.5	27.5	2.5	-24.5	3.5	-25.5	21.5	-15.5	20.5	-14.5	-23.5	13.5	1.5	-27.5	-2.5	24.5	-3.5	25.5	-21.5	15.5	-20.5	14.5	23.5	-13.5
40	-0.5	26.5	22.5	-12.5	0.5	-26.5	-22.5	12.5	1.5	-27.5	-2.5	24.5	0.5	-26.5	-22.5	12.5	-0.5	26.5	22.5	-12.5	-1.5	27.5	2.5	-24.5
41	0.5	-26.5	-22.5	12.5	1.5	-27.5	-2.5	24.5	2.5	-24.5	1.5	-27.5	-0.5	26.5	22.5	-12.5	-1.5	27.5	2.5	-24.5	-2.5	24.5	-1.5	27.5
42	1.5	-27.5	-2.5	24.5	2.5	-24.5	1.5	-27.5	23.5	-13.5	20.5	-14.5	-1.5	27.5	2.5	-24.5	-2.5	24.5	-1.5	27.5	-23.5	13.5	-20.5	14.5
43	2.5	-24.5	1.5	-27.5	23.5	-13.5	20.5	-14.5	-22.5	12.5	-0.5	26.5	-2.5	24.5	-1.5	27.5	-23.5	13.5	-20.5	14.5	22.5	-12.5	0.5	-26.5
44	3.5	-25.5	21.5	-15.5	20.5	-14.5	-23.5	13.5	-3.5	25.5	-21.5	15.5	-3.5	25.5	-21.5	15.5	-20.5	14.5	23.5	-13.5	3.5	-25.5	21.5	-15.5
45	20.5	-14.5	-23.5	13.5	-3.5	25.5	-21.5	15.5	21.5	-15.5	-3.5	25.5	-20.5	14.5	23.5	-13.5	3.5	-25.5	21.5	-15.5	-21.5	15.5	3.5	-25.5
46	21.5	-15.5	-3.5	25.5	-0.5	26.5	22.5	-12.5	0.5	-26.5	-22.5	12.5	-21.5	15.5	3.5	-25.5	0.5	-26.5	-22.5	12.5	-0.5	26.5	22.5	-12.5
47	22.5	-12.5	0.5	-26.5	-21.5	15.5	3.5	-25.5	-1.5	27.5	2.5	-24.5	-22.5	12.5	-0.5	26.5	21.5	-15.5	-3.5	25.5	1.5	-27.5	-2.5	24.5
48	23.5	-13.5	20.5	-14.5	-22.5	12.5	-0.5	26.5	-20.5	14.5	23.5	-13.5	-23.5	13.5	-20.5	14.5	22.5	-12.5	0.5	-26.5	20.5	-14.5	-23.5	13.5
49	-19.5	28.5	-16.5	31.5	-19.5	28.5	-16.5	31.5	-19.5	28.5	-16.5	31.5	-6.5	9.5	-5.5	10.5	-6.5	9.5	-5.5	10.5	-6.5	9.5	-5.5	10.5
50	-18.5	29.5	-4.5	11.5	-16.5	31.5	19.5	-28.5	-6.5	9.5	-5.5	10.5	-7.5	8.5	-17.5	30.5	-5.5	10.5	6.5	-9.5	-19.5	28.5	-16.5	31.5
51	-17.5	30.5	7.5	-8.5	-5.5	10.5	6.5	-9.5	7.5	-8.5	17.5	-30.5	-4.5	11.5	18.5	-29.5	-16.5	31.5	19.5	-28.5	18.5	-29.5	4.5	-11.5
52	-16.5	31.5	19.5	-28.5	-6.5	9.5	-5.5	10.5	18.5	-29.5	4.5	-11.5	-5.5	10.5	6.5	-9.5	-19.5	28.5	-16.5	31.5	7.5	-8.5	17.5	-30.5
53	-7.5	8.5	-17.5	30.5	17.5	-30.5	-7.5	8.5	-4.5	11.5	18.5	-29.5	-18.5	29.5	-4.5	11.5	4.5	-11.5	-18.5	29.5	-17.5	30.5	7.5	-8.5
54	-6.5	9.5	-5.5	10.5	18.5	-29.5	4.5	-11.5	-17.5	30.5	7.5	-8.5	-19.5	28.5	-16.5	31.5	7.5	-8.5	17.5	-30.5	-4.5	11.5	18.5	-29.5
55	-5.5	10.5	6.5	-9.5	7.5	-8.5	17.5	-30.5	16.5	-31.5	-19.5	28.5	-16.5	31.5	19.5	-28.5	18.5	-29.5	4.5	-11.5	5.5	-10.5	-6.5	9.5
56	-4.5	11.5	18.5	-29.5	4.5	-11.5	-18.5	29.5	5.5	-10.5	-6.5	9.5	-17.5	30.5	7.5	-8.5	17.5	-30.5	-7.5	8.5	16.5	-31.5	-19.5	28.5
57	4.5	-11.5	-18.5	29.5	5.5	-10.5	-6.5	9.5	6.5	-9.5	5.5	-10.5	17.5	-30.5	-7.5	8.5	16.5	-31.5	-19.5	28.5	19.5	-28.5	16.5	-31.5
58	5.5	-10.5	-6.5	9.5	6.5	-9.5	5.5	-10.5	19.5	-28.5	16.5	-31.5	16.5	-31.5	-19.5	28.5	19.5	-28.5	16.5	-31.5	6.5	-9.5	5.5	-10.5
59	6.5	-9.5	5.5	-10.5	19.5	-28.5	16.5	-31.5	-18.5	29.5	-4.5	11.5	19.5	-28.5	16.5	-31.5	6.5	-9.5	5.5	-10.5	-7.5	8.5	-17.5	30.5
60	7.5	-8.5	17.5	-30.5	16.5	-31.5	-19.5	28.5	-7.5	8.5	-17.5	30.5	18.5	-29.5	4.5	-11.5	5.5	-10.5	-6.5	9.5	-18.5	29.5	-4.5	11.5
61	16.5	-31.5	-19.5	28.5	-7.5	8.5	-17.5	30.5	17.5	-30.5	-7.5	8.5	5.5	-10.5	-6.5	9.5	-18.5	29.5	-4.5	11.5	4.5	-11.5	-18.5	29.5
62	17.5	-30.5	-7.5	8.5	-4.5	11.5	18.5	-29.5	4.5	-11.5	-18.5	29.5	4.5	-11.5	-18.5	29.5	-17.5	30.5	7.5	-8.5	17.5	-30.5	-7.5	8.5
63	18.5	-29.5	4.5	-11.5	-17.5	30.5	7.5	-8.5	-5.5	10.5	6.5	-9.5	7.5	-8.5	17.5	-30.5	-4.5	11.5	18.5	-29.5	-16.5	31.5	19.5	-28.5
64	19.5	-28.5	16.5	-31.5	-18.5	29.5	-4.5	11.5	-16.5	31.5	19.5	-28.5	6.5	-9.5	5.5	-10.5	-7.5	8.5	-17.5	30.5	-5.5	10.5	6.5	-9.5

Table A3. The $OD(64, 16^{24})$ used in Example 4.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
1	-7.5	-4.5	-7.5	-4.5	-7.5	-4.5	-7.5	-4.5	-7.5	-4.5	-7.5	-4.5	-7.5	-4.5	-7.5	-4.5	-7.5	-4.5	-7.5	-4.5	-7.5	-4.5	-7.5	-4.5
2	-7.5	-4.5	-2.5	-1.5	-7.5	-4.5	7.5	4.5	-2.5	-1.5	-2.5	-1.5	-7.5	-4.5	-2.5	-1.5	-7.5	-4.5	7.5	4.5	-2.5	-1.5	-2.5	-1.5
3	-7.5	-4.5	2.5	1.5	-2.5	-1.5	2.5	1.5	2.5	1.5	7.5	4.5	-7.5	-4.5	2.5	1.5	-2.5	-1.5	2.5	1.5	2.5	1.5	7.5	4.5
4	-7.5	-4.5	7.5	4.5	-2.5	-1.5	-2.5	-1.5	7.5	4.5	2.5	1.5	-7.5	-4.5	7.5	4.5	-2.5	-1.5	-2.5	-1.5	7.5	4.5	2.5	1.5
5	-2.5	-1.5	-7.5	-4.5	7.5	4.5	-2.5	-1.5	-2.5	-1.5	7.5	4.5	-2.5	-1.5	-7.5	-4.5	7.5	4.5	-2.5	-1.5	-2.5	-1.5	7.5	4.5
6	-2.5	-1.5	-2.5	-1.5	7.5	4.5	2.5	1.5	-7.5	-4.5	2.5	1.5	-2.5	-1.5	-2.5	-1.5	7.5	4.5	2.5	1.5	-7.5	-4.5	2.5	1.5
7	-2.5	-1.5	2.5	1.5	2.5	1.5	7.5	4.5	7.5	4.5	-7.5	-4.5	-2.5	-1.5	2.5	1.5	2.5	1.5	7.5	4.5	7.5	4.5	-7.5	-4.5
8	-2.5	-1.5	7.5	4.5	2.5	1.5	-7.5	-4.5	2.5	1.5	-2.5	-1.5	-2.5	-1.5	7.5	4.5	2.5	1.5	-7.5	-4.5	2.5	1.5	-2.5	-1.5
9	2.5	1.5	-7.5	-4.5	2.5	1.5	-2.5	-1.5	2.5	1.5	2.5	1.5	2.5	1.5	-7.5	-4.5	2.5	1.5	-2.5	-1.5	2.5	1.5	2.5	1.5
10	2.5	1.5	-2.5	-1.5	2.5	1.5	2.5	1.5	7.5	4.5	7.5	4.5	2.5	1.5	-2.5	-1.5	2.5	1.5	2.5	1.5	7.5	4.5	7.5	4.5
11	2.5	1.5	2.5	1.5	7.5	4.5	7.5	4.5	-7.5	-4.5	-2.5	-1.5	2.5	1.5	2.5	1.5	7.5	4.5	7.5	4.5	-7.5	-4.5	-2.5	-1.5
12	2.5	1.5	7.5	4.5	7.5	4.5	-7.5	-4.5	-2.5	-1.5	-7.5	-4.5	2.5	1.5	7.5	4.5	7.5	4.5	-7.5	-4.5	-2.5	-1.5	-7.5	-4.5
13	7.5	4.5	-7.5	-4.5	-2.5	-1.5	-7.5	-4.5	7.5	4.5	-2.5	-1.5	7.5	4.5	-7.5	-4.5	-2.5	-1.5	-7.5	-4.5	7.5	4.5	-2.5	-1.5
14	7.5	4.5	-2.5	-1.5	-2.5	-1.5	7.5	4.5	2.5	1.5	-7.5	-4.5	7.5	4.5	-2.5	-1.5	-2.5	-1.5	7.5	4.5	2.5	1.5	-7.5	-4.5
15	7.5	4.5	2.5	1.5	-7.5	-4.5	2.5	1.5	-2.5	-1.5	2.5	1.5	7.5	4.5	2.5	1.5	-7.5	-4.5	2.5	1.5	-2.5	-1.5	2.5	1.5
16	7.5	4.5	7.5	4.5	-7.5	-4.5	-2.5	-1.5	-7.5	-4.5	7.5	4.5	7.5	4.5	7.5	4.5	-7.5	-4.5	-2.5	-1.5	-7.5	-4.5	7.5	4.5
17	-6.5	-0.5	-6.5	-0.5	-6.5	-0.5	-6.5	-0.5	-6.5	-0.5	-6.5	-0.5	3.5	5.5	3.5	5.5	3.5	5.5	3.5	5.5	3.5	5.5	3.5	5.5
18	-6.5	-0.5	-3.5	-5.5	-6.5	-0.5	6.5	0.5	-3.5	-5.5	-3.5	-5.5	3.5	5.5	6.5	0.5	3.5	5.5	-3.5	-5.5	6.5	0.5	6.5	0.5
19	-6.5	-0.5	3.5	5.5	-3.5	-5.5	3.5	5.5	3.5	5.5	6.5	0.5	3.5	5.5	-6.5	-0.5	6.5	0.5	-6.5	-0.5	-6.5	-0.5	-3.5	-5.5
20	-6.5	-0.5	6.5	0.5	-3.5	-5.5	-3.5	-5.5	6.5	0.5	3.5	5.5	3.5	5.5	-3.5	-5.5	6.5	0.5	6.5	0.5	-3.5	-5.5	-6.5	-0.5
21	-3.5	-5.5	-6.5	-0.5	6.5	0.5	-3.5	-5.5	-3.5	-5.5	6.5	0.5	6.5	0.5	3.5	5.5	-3.5	-5.5	6.5	0.5	6.5	0.5	-3.5	-5.5
22	-3.5	-5.5	-3.5	-5.5	6.5	0.5	3.5	5.5	-6.5	-0.5	3.5	5.5	6.5	0.5	6.5	0.5	-3.5	-5.5	-6.5	-0.5	3.5	5.5	-6.5	-0.5
23	-3.5	-5.5	3.5	5.5	3.5	5.5	6.5	0.5	6.5	0.5	-6.5	-0.5	6.5	0.5	-6.5	-0.5	-6.5	-0.5	-3.5	-5.5	-3.5	-5.5	3.5	5.5
24	-3.5	-5.5	6.5	0.5	3.5	5.5	-6.5	-0.5	3.5	5.5	-3.5	-5.5	6.5	0.5	-3.5	-5.5	-6.5	-0.5	3.5	5.5	-6.5	-0.5	6.5	0.5
25	3.5	5.5	-6.5	-0.5	3.5	5.5	-3.5	-5.5	3.5	5.5	3.5	5.5	-6.5	-0.5	3.5	5.5	-6.5	-0.5	6.5	0.5	-6.5	-0.5	-6.5	-0.5
26	3.5	5.5	-3.5	-5.5	3.5	5.5	3.5	5.5	6.5	0.5	6.5	0.5	-6.5	-0.5	6.5	0.5	-6.5	-0.5	-6.5	-0.5	-3.5	-5.5	-3.5	-5.5
27	3.5	5.5	3.5	5.5	6.5	0.5	6.5	0.5	-6.5	-0.5	-3.5	-5.5	-6.5	-0.5	-6.5	-0.5	-3.5	-5.5	-3.5	-5.5	3.5	5.5	6.5	0.5
28	3.5	5.5	6.5	0.5	6.5	0.5	-6.5	-0.5	-3.5	-5.5	-6.5	-0.5	-6.5	-0.5	-3.5	-5.5	-3.5	-5.5	3.5	5.5	6.5	0.5	3.5	5.5
29	6.5	0.5	-6.5	-0.5	-3.5	-5.5	-6.5	-0.5	6.5	0.5	-3.5	-5.5	-3.5	-5.5	3.5	5.5	6.5	0.5	3.5	5.5	-3.5	-5.5	6.5	0.5
30	6.5	0.5	-3.5	-5.5	-3.5	-5.5	6.5	0.5	3.5	5.5	-6.5	-0.5	-3.5	-5.5	6.5	0.5	6.5	0.5	-3.5	-5.5	-6.5	-0.5	3.5	5.5
31	6.5	0.5	3.5	5.5	-6.5	-0.5	3.5	5.5	-3.5	-5.5	3.5	5.5	-3.5	-5.5	-6.5	-0.5	3.5	5.5	-6.5	-0.5	6.5	0.5	-6.5	-0.5
32	6.5	0.5	6.5	0.5	-6.5	-0.5	-3.5	-5.5	-6.5	-0.5	6.5	0.5	-3.5	-5.5	-3.5	-5.5	3.5	5.5	6.5	0.5	3.5	5.5	-3.5	-5.5

Table A3. Cont.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
33	-5.5	3.5	-5.5	3.5	-5.5	3.5	-5.5	3.5	-5.5	3.5	-5.5	3.5	5.5	-3.5	5.5	-3.5	5.5	-3.5	5.5	-3.5	5.5	-3.5	5.5	-3.5
34	-5.5	3.5	-0.5	6.5	-5.5	3.5	5.5	-3.5	-0.5	6.5	-0.5	6.5	5.5	-3.5	0.5	-6.5	5.5	-3.5	-5.5	3.5	0.5	-6.5	0.5	-6.5
35	-5.5	3.5	0.5	-6.5	-0.5	6.5	0.5	-6.5	0.5	-6.5	5.5	-3.5	5.5	-3.5	-0.5	6.5	0.5	-6.5	-0.5	6.5	-0.5	6.5	-5.5	3.5
36	-5.5	3.5	5.5	-3.5	-0.5	6.5	-0.5	6.5	5.5	-3.5	0.5	-6.5	5.5	-3.5	-5.5	3.5	0.5	-6.5	0.5	-6.5	-5.5	3.5	-0.5	6.5
37	-0.5	6.5	-5.5	3.5	5.5	-3.5	-0.5	6.5	-0.5	6.5	5.5	-3.5	0.5	-6.5	5.5	-3.5	-5.5	3.5	0.5	-6.5	0.5	-6.5	-5.5	3.5
38	-0.5	6.5	-0.5	6.5	5.5	-3.5	0.5	-6.5	-5.5	3.5	0.5	-6.5	0.5	-6.5	0.5	-6.5	-5.5	3.5	-0.5	6.5	5.5	-3.5	-0.5	6.5
39	-0.5	6.5	0.5	-6.5	0.5	-6.5	5.5	-3.5	5.5	-3.5	-5.5	3.5	0.5	-6.5	-0.5	6.5	-0.5	6.5	-5.5	3.5	-5.5	3.5	5.5	-3.5
40	-0.5	6.5	5.5	-3.5	0.5	-6.5	-5.5	3.5	0.5	-6.5	-0.5	6.5	0.5	-6.5	-5.5	3.5	-0.5	6.5	5.5	-3.5	-0.5	6.5	0.5	-6.5
41	0.5	-6.5	-5.5	3.5	0.5	-6.5	-0.5	6.5	0.5	-6.5	0.5	-6.5	-0.5	6.5	5.5	-3.5	-0.5	6.5	0.5	-6.5	-0.5	6.5	-0.5	6.5
42	0.5	-6.5	-0.5	6.5	0.5	-6.5	0.5	-6.5	5.5	-3.5	5.5	-3.5	-0.5	6.5	0.5	-6.5	-0.5	6.5	-0.5	6.5	-5.5	3.5	-5.5	3.5
43	0.5	-6.5	0.5	-6.5	5.5	-3.5	5.5	-3.5	-5.5	3.5	-0.5	6.5	-0.5	6.5	-0.5	6.5	-5.5	3.5	-5.5	3.5	5.5	-3.5	0.5	-6.5
44	0.5	-6.5	5.5	-3.5	5.5	-3.5	-5.5	3.5	-0.5	6.5	-5.5	3.5	-0.5	6.5	-5.5	3.5	-5.5	3.5	5.5	-3.5	0.5	-6.5	5.5	-3.5
45	5.5	-3.5	-5.5	3.5	-0.5	6.5	-5.5	3.5	5.5	-3.5	-0.5	6.5	-5.5	3.5	5.5	-3.5	0.5	-6.5	5.5	-3.5	-5.5	3.5	0.5	-6.5
46	5.5	-3.5	-0.5	6.5	-0.5	6.5	5.5	-3.5	0.5	-6.5	-5.5	3.5	-5.5	3.5	0.5	-6.5	0.5	-6.5	-5.5	3.5	-0.5	6.5	5.5	-3.5
47	5.5	-3.5	0.5	-6.5	-5.5	3.5	0.5	-6.5	-0.5	6.5	0.5	-6.5	-5.5	3.5	-0.5	6.5	5.5	-3.5	-0.5	6.5	0.5	-6.5	-0.5	6.5
48	5.5	-3.5	5.5	-3.5	-5.5	3.5	-0.5	6.5	-5.5	3.5	5.5	-3.5	-5.5	3.5	-5.5	3.5	5.5	-3.5	0.5	-6.5	5.5	-3.5	-5.5	3.5
49	-4.5	7.5	-4.5	7.5	-4.5	7.5	-4.5	7.5	-4.5	7.5	-4.5	7.5	-1.5	2.5	-1.5	2.5	-1.5	2.5	-1.5	2.5	-1.5	2.5	-1.5	2.5
50	-4.5	7.5	-1.5	2.5	-4.5	7.5	4.5	-7.5	-1.5	2.5	-1.5	2.5	-1.5	2.5	-4.5	7.5	-1.5	2.5	1.5	-2.5	-4.5	7.5	-4.5	7.5
51	-4.5	7.5	1.5	-2.5	-1.5	2.5	1.5	-2.5	1.5	-2.5	4.5	-7.5	-1.5	2.5	4.5	-7.5	-4.5	7.5	4.5	-7.5	4.5	-7.5	1.5	-2.5
52	-4.5	7.5	4.5	-7.5	-1.5	2.5	-1.5	2.5	4.5	-7.5	1.5	-2.5	-1.5	2.5	1.5	-2.5	-4.5	7.5	-4.5	7.5	1.5	-2.5	4.5	-7.5
53	-1.5	2.5	-4.5	7.5	4.5	-7.5	-1.5	2.5	-1.5	2.5	4.5	-7.5	-4.5	7.5	-1.5	2.5	1.5	-2.5	-4.5	7.5	-4.5	7.5	1.5	-2.5
54	-1.5	2.5	-1.5	2.5	4.5	-7.5	1.5	-2.5	-4.5	7.5	1.5	-2.5	-4.5	7.5	-4.5	7.5	1.5	-2.5	4.5	-7.5	-1.5	2.5	4.5	-7.5
55	-1.5	2.5	1.5	-2.5	1.5	-2.5	4.5	-7.5	4.5	-7.5	-4.5	7.5	-4.5	7.5	4.5	-7.5	4.5	-7.5	1.5	-2.5	1.5	-2.5	-1.5	2.5
56	-1.5	2.5	4.5	-7.5	1.5	-2.5	-4.5	7.5	1.5	-2.5	-1.5	2.5	-4.5	7.5	1.5	-2.5	4.5	-7.5	-1.5	2.5	4.5	-7.5	-4.5	7.5
57	1.5	-2.5	-4.5	7.5	1.5	-2.5	-1.5	2.5	1.5	-2.5	1.5	-2.5	4.5	-7.5	-1.5	2.5	4.5	-7.5	-4.5	7.5	4.5	-7.5	4.5	-7.5
58	1.5	-2.5	-1.5	2.5	1.5	-2.5	1.5	-2.5	4.5	-7.5	4.5	-7.5	4.5	-7.5	-4.5	7.5	4.5	-7.5	4.5	-7.5	1.5	-2.5	1.5	-2.5
59	1.5	-2.5	1.5	-2.5	4.5	-7.5	4.5	-7.5	-4.5	7.5	-1.5	2.5	4.5	-7.5	4.5	-7.5	1.5	-2.5	1.5	-2.5	-1.5	2.5	-4.5	7.5
60	1.5	-2.5	4.5	-7.5	4.5	-7.5	-4.5	7.5	-1.5	2.5	-4.5	7.5	4.5	-7.5	1.5	-2.5	1.5	-2.5	-1.5	2.5	-4.5	7.5	-1.5	2.5
61	4.5	-7.5	-4.5	7.5	-1.5	2.5	-4.5	7.5	4.5	-7.5	-1.5	2.5	1.5	-2.5	-1.5	2.5	-4.5	7.5	-1.5	2.5	1.5	-2.5	-4.5	7.5
62	4.5	-7.5	-1.5	2.5	-1.5	2.5	4.5	-7.5	1.5	-2.5	-4.5	7.5	1.5	-2.5	-4.5	7.5	-4.5	7.5	1.5	-2.5	4.5	-7.5	-1.5	2.5
63	4.5	-7.5	1.5	-2.5	-4.5	7.5	1.5	-2.5	-1.5	2.5	1.5	-2.5	1.5	-2.5	4.5	-7.5	-1.5	2.5	4.5	-7.5	-4.5	7.5	4.5	-7.5
64	4.5	-7.5	4.5	-7.5	-4.5	7.5	-1.5	2.5	-4.5	7.5	4.5	-7.5	1.5	-2.5	1.5	-2.5	-1.5	2.5	-4.5	7.5	-1.5	2.5	1.5	-2.5

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