

Qss: Sappiamo che  $E_3 \in \mathcal{O}(K(B))$ , e in effetti si trova  $C = (B+C)^3$ ,  $\frac{C}{B+C} = E_3$

non è - perché  $B=0$  non dà una curva

Se  $\mathcal{O}(E_3)$ , la curva si spezza, si scompone

$$(C - E_3(B+C))(C - E_3^2(B+C))$$

sono due copie di  $\mathbb{P}^1$ . Sono distinte dalla richiesta  $e_3(P, \mathcal{O}) = \begin{pmatrix} E_3 \\ E_3^2 \end{pmatrix}$

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2 A reminder of reduction mod  $l$

minimal  $\leftarrow$  choose  $a_1, \dots, a_6 \in \mathbb{Z}$  s.t.  $v_l(\Delta)$  is minimal

Let  $E$  be an e.c.  $\mathcal{O}$ , with Weierstrass form  $f(x, y) = 0$ . We defined a curve  $\tilde{E} / \mathbb{F}_l$  given by  $\tilde{f}(x, y) = 0 \pmod{l}$ . If  $\tilde{f}$  is non-sing., then  $\tilde{E}$  is an elliptic curve, called the reduction of  $E \pmod{l}$ , and we say that  $E$  has good reduction at  $l$ .

What's more, one has a map

$$\begin{array}{ccc} (x, y, z) & \longrightarrow & (\tilde{x}, \tilde{y}, \tilde{z}) \\ E(\mathcal{O}) & \longrightarrow & \tilde{E}(\mathbb{F}_l) \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \mathbb{P}^2(\mathcal{O}) & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{P}^2(\mathbb{F}_l) \\ (x, y, z) & \longrightarrow & (\tilde{x}, \tilde{y}, \tilde{z}) \end{array}$$

where representatives  $x, y, z$  are chosen s.t.  $x, y, z \in \mathcal{O}$  and at least one has  $l$ -adic valuation equal to 0.

All of this can be suitably extended to n.f.: if  $K/\mathcal{O}$ ,  $l \in \mathcal{O}$ , then one also has a commuting diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{P}^2(\mathcal{O}) & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{P}^2(\mathbb{F}_l) \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \mathbb{P}^2(K) & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{P}^2(\mathbb{F}_l) \end{array}$$

Proposition: Let  $E/\mathcal{O}$  e.c. with good reduction at  $l$ .  $K/\mathcal{O}$ ,  $l \in \mathcal{O}$ . Then,  $E(K) \rightarrow \tilde{E}(\mathbb{F}_l)$  is a group homomorphism.

Also, let  $l \in \mathbb{Z}$ . Then, the map  $E(K)[m] \rightarrow \tilde{E}(\mathbb{F}_l)[m]$  is injective.

Rem: We  $E(\mathbb{F}_l)[m] \cong \mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z}$  isomorphism.

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Pick a base

Case

We're interest  $\tau$  is complex

Rem: We know that, under the hypothesis  $l \nmid m$ , one has  $E(K)[m] \cong (\mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z})^2$ ,  $E(\bar{K})[m] \cong (\mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z})^2$  for large enough  $K$  (and  $m$  fixed), so that one has an isomorphism.

① The characteristic polynomial on  $E[m]$   
 Keep notations as before, <sup>set  $m=p$  a prime different from  $l$</sup>  and let  $L \in \text{End}(E[p]) \cong \text{Mat}_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{F}_p)$ . We would like to compute its char. pol.  $P_L$ ,  $\text{End}(E[p])$  particularly in the two special cases where  $L = \phi$  comes from an isogeny of  $E$ , or where  $L = \sigma \in \text{Gal}(K/\mathbb{Q})$  comes from the Galois group of  $K/\mathbb{Q}$ .

Lemma:  $\text{tr}(L) = 1 + \det(L) - \det(\text{id} - L)$

simple computation, wlog  $L = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & 0 \\ 0 & \beta \end{pmatrix}$  or  $\begin{pmatrix} \alpha & 1 \\ 0 & \alpha \end{pmatrix}$  (Jordan form), one obtains  $\alpha + \beta = 1 + \alpha\beta - (1 - \alpha)(1 - \beta)$

Therefore, it's enough to study  $\det(L)$ . The Weil pairing will come in handy.

Pick a base  $P, \alpha$  of  $E[p]$ , so that  $L$  is represented by  $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$ .

Case I:  $L = \phi$  isogeny:

$$e(P, \alpha)^{\deg \phi} = e(c \deg \phi P, \alpha) = e(\hat{\phi} \circ \phi(P), \alpha) = e(\phi(P), \hat{\phi}(\alpha))$$

$$e(P, \alpha)^{\det \phi} = e(P, \alpha)^{ad - bc} = e(P, \alpha)^a e(\alpha, P)^d = e(aP + c\alpha, bP + d\alpha)$$

$$\Rightarrow \deg \phi = \det \phi \pmod{p}$$

Case II:  $L = \sigma$  Galois:

$$\sigma e(P, \alpha) = e(\sigma P, \sigma \alpha) = e(aP + c\alpha, bP + d\alpha)$$

$$e(P, \alpha)^{\det \sigma} = e(P, \alpha)^{ad - bc}$$

$\Rightarrow \text{Gal}(K/\mathbb{Q})$  acts on  $\mu_p$  via the determinant.

We're interested in the case where  $F: \tilde{E} \rightarrow \tilde{E}$  is the Frobenius, and where  $\tau$  is complex conjugation.

Cor: With notation as before, the char. pol. of  $F, \tau$  are

$$p_F(t) = t^2 - at + l \quad \text{elementary facts}$$

$$p_\tau(t) = t^2 - 1$$

Proof: It is known that  $\deg F = l$ , and by our previous lemma

$$t(F) = 1 + l - \deg(1-F) = 1 + l - \#\tilde{E}(\mathbb{F}_l)$$

As for  $\tau$ , we know that  $q_\tau | t^2 - 1$ , one is left with the cases

$$\text{I) } q_\tau = t - 1 \Rightarrow p_\tau = (t - 1)^2$$

$$\text{II) } q_\tau = t + 1 \Rightarrow p_\tau = (t + 1)^2$$

$$\text{III) } q_\tau = t^2 - 1 \Rightarrow p_\tau = t^2 - 1$$

det = 1 always

except when  $p=2$ , then  $p_\tau$  is the same in all 3 cases.

However,  $q_\tau = t - 1$  may happen

But  $\det \tau = -1$  since  $\tau$  acts by  ${}^c \xi = \xi^{-1}$  on  $\mu_p$ : this only leaves us with case III.

□

### Elementary properties of $y_n$

Remember: we fixed  $E$  e.c. /  $\mathbb{Q}$ ,  $\rho: X_0(N) \rightarrow E$  par.,  $K = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{-D})$ ,  $D \neq 3, 4$ ,  $\text{disc } K = -D$

$D$  s.t. all primes of  $N$  split in  $K$ , so that we may find  $\mathcal{O}_K / \mathfrak{m} \cong \mathbb{Z} / \mathfrak{m}\mathbb{Z}$ .

From now on  $p$  will be a prime, sufficiently large. so that  $\text{Gal}(\mathbb{Q}(\mu_p) / \mathbb{Q}) \cong \text{Gal}(\mathbb{Z} / \mathfrak{m}\mathbb{Z})$  (specialisation argument)

Now, let  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  be s.t.  $(n, N \cdot D \cdot p) = 1$ ,  $n$  squarefree. Let  $\ell | n$  be a prime divisor.

Let  $\mathcal{O}_n = \mathbb{Z} + n\mathcal{O}_K$ ,  $\mathfrak{m}_n = \mathfrak{m} \cap \mathcal{O}_n$ ,  $K_n$  the ring class field of  $K$  with conductor  $n$ .

Then,  $\mathcal{O}_n / \mathfrak{m}_n \rightarrow \mathbb{Z} / \mathfrak{m}\mathbb{Z}$  defines  $x_n \in X_0(N) \xrightarrow{(\cdot)_n} y_n \in E(K_n)$ .

Remember from Andrea's lecture that

$$\text{Gal}(\mathcal{O}_n) \begin{pmatrix} K_n (\mathcal{O}_n / \mathfrak{m}_n)^\times =: G_n \\ | \\ K_1 (\mathbb{Z} / \mathfrak{m}\mathbb{Z})^\times \\ | \\ \text{Gal}(\mathcal{O}_K) \\ | \\ K \\ | \\ \mathbb{Q} \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{of course, } \tau \text{ extends on } \mathbb{Q} / \mathbb{Q}$$

Rem: Under our hypotheses,  $\ell$  unramified in  $K(E(p))$ .  $K \begin{matrix} \swarrow \\ \searrow \end{matrix} \begin{matrix} K(E(p)) \\ \mathbb{Q}(E(p)) \end{matrix}$   
 It's enough to show  $\ell$  unram. in both  $K$  and  $\mathbb{Q}(E(p))$ . As for the former,

it follows immediately from  $\text{disc } K = -D$ ; as for the latter, we pick  $\lambda \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $\sigma \in \text{Gal}(K/\mathbb{Q})$ , and show  $\sigma = \text{id}$ :

$$\sigma \in \text{Gal}(K/\mathbb{Q}) \Leftrightarrow \sigma \tilde{P} = \tilde{P} \quad \forall P \in \text{ECP} \quad \Leftrightarrow \sigma P = P \quad \forall P \in \text{ECP} \quad \Leftrightarrow \sigma \text{ fixes } \mathbb{Q}(\text{ECP})$$

Now, let  $\text{Frob}(\lambda)$  be the conjugacy class of  $\tau$  in  $\text{Gal}(K(\text{ECP})/\mathbb{Q})$ ; we impose the condition  $\text{Frob}(\lambda) = \text{Frob}(\infty)$ : there are an infinite number of such primes, by Chebotarev's density theorem. In particular,  $\text{Frob}(\lambda) = \tau$  on  $\text{Gal}(K/\mathbb{Q})$ . This means that  $\mathbb{F}_\lambda$  doesn't split completely over  $K$ , and so it must be inert,  $e \mid \lambda = \lambda$ .

Also, on  $K(\text{ECP})/K$  one finds  $\text{Frob}(\lambda) = \text{id}$ , and so  $\lambda$  splits completely in  $K(\text{ECP})$ .

Rem: Under our assumption,  $P_F = P_{\text{Frob}(\lambda)} = P_\tau$  on  $\tilde{\text{ECP}}$ , since again the request  $\tau = \text{Frob}(\lambda)$  means that  $\tau \tilde{P} = F(\tilde{P}) \quad \forall P \in \text{ECP}$ .

But as we've seen, this means

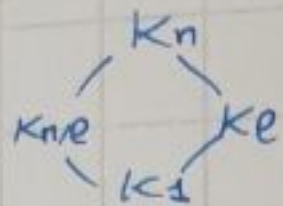
$$\begin{aligned} t^2 - 1 &= t^2 - at + l \pmod{p} \\ \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} at \equiv 0 \pmod{p} \\ l + 1 \equiv 0 \pmod{p} \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

As a consequence,  $\tilde{\text{ECP}}$  can be decomposed into  $\tilde{\text{ECP}}^\pm \cong \mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z}$ , the eigenspaces of  $\tau$ .

Rem: All points of  $\tilde{\text{ECP}}$  are defined on  $\mathbb{F}_2$ , since  $\tilde{\text{E}}(\mathbb{F}_2) = \ker(F^2 - \text{id})$ , and  $F = \tau$  on  $\tilde{\text{ECP}}$ .

Now, write  $n = \prod \ell_i$  and let  $G_e = \text{Gal}(K_n/K_{n,e})$ , so that  $G_n = \prod G_e$ , and moreover  $G_e \cong \text{Gal}(K_{\ell_i}/K_1) \cong \frac{\mathbb{O}_{K_{\ell_i}/\mathbb{O}_{K_1}}^\times}{(\mathbb{Z}/\ell_i\mathbb{Z})^\times} = \frac{(\mathbb{O}_{K_{\ell_i}/\mathbb{O}_{K_1}})^\times}{\mathbb{F}_{\ell_i}^\times} = \frac{\mathbb{F}_{\ell_i}^\times}{\mathbb{F}_{\ell_i}^\times}$  cyclic of order  $\ell_i$ .

Fix  $\sigma_e$  a generator.



$K_{n,e}K_e = K_1$  by CRT: it doesn't ramify anywhere, and contains  $K_1$ .

Now, let's work in  $\mathbb{Z}[G_e]$ , which as a ring is isomorphic to  $\mathbb{Z}[t]/(t^{\ell_i}-1)$ . Let us define  $\text{Tr}_e = \sum_{\sigma \in G_e} \sigma$ , and let  $D_e$  be any selection of

$$(\sigma_e - 1) D_e = \ell_i + 1 - \text{Tr}_e.$$

They exist, for example one notes that  $\mathfrak{I} = \ker(\mathbb{Z}[G_e] \rightarrow \mathbb{Z})$  is cyclic generated by  $\sigma_e - 1$ , and  $\ell_i + 1 - \text{Tr}_e \in \mathfrak{I}$ . A solution  $D_e$  is defined up to an additive constant in  $\mathbb{Z} \cdot \text{Tr}_e$ .

Finally, let us define  $D_n = \prod D_e \in \mathbb{Z}[G_n]$

Prop 3.6: It makes sense to write  $D_n y_n \in \mathbb{E}(K_n)$ . Its class  $[D_n y_n]$  in  $\mathbb{E}(K_n)/\mathbb{P}\mathbb{E}(K_n)$  is fixed by  $G_n$ .

Proof: It's enough to show  $\sigma_e([D_n y_n]) = [D_n y_n] \forall e|n$ , which reduces to showing that  $(\sigma_e - 1) D_n y_n \in \mathbb{P}\mathbb{E}(K_n)$ .

Write  $n = \ell_i m$ , then

$$(\sigma_e - 1) D_n y_n = (\sigma_e - 1) D_e D_m y_n = (\ell_i + 1 - \text{Tr}_e) D_m y_n = \underbrace{(\ell_i + 1)}_{\sigma_e \text{ acts } p|\ell_i+1} D_m y_n - D_m \text{Tr}_e y_n.$$

We can show that  $\text{Tr}_e y_n = a_e \cdot y_m$  as part of the following proposition, so one concludes with  $p|a_e$ .

□

Prop 3.7: With notation as before,

1)  $\text{Tr}_e y_n = a_e \cdot y_m$

2) each prime  $\lambda | \ell_i$  in  $K_m$  is totally ramified in  $K_n$ , that is  $\lambda_n = (\lambda_m)^{\ell_i}$ , and  $y_n = \text{Frob}(\lambda_m/y_m) \bmod \lambda_n$   
here we mean  $\text{Frob}(\lambda_m/y_m) \in G_m$