

On the fields generated by certain points of finite order on Shimura's elliptic curves*

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As the title indicates our object of study is an abelian variety B (in the present paper, we are interested only in the one-dimensional case), which was investigated by Shimura [5], [6]. Using such an abelian variety B , he has shown some important relation between the arithmetic of real quadratic fields and the cusp forms of "Neben"-type in Hecke's sense. Here we repeat the result briefly. B is defined over a real quadratic field $k = \mathbf{Q}(\sqrt{q})$, whose transform B^ε by the non-trivial automorphism ε of k is isogenous to B . Such a B can be obtained from the eigen-function $f(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n e^{2\pi i n z}$ for all Hecke operators acting on the space $S_2(\Gamma_0(q), \chi)$ of cusp forms of "Neben"-type of weight 2. The eigen-values of Hecke operators for $S_2(\Gamma_0(q), \chi)$ are closely connected with the reciprocity law in certain abelian extensions of k , moreover, such extensions can be generated by the coordinates of some specific section point (c -section point in [6, Th. 2.2. p. 141]) of B . It was observed that two rational integers c and $\text{tr}_{k/\mathbf{Q}}(\varepsilon_q)$ have non-trivial common factors where ε_q is the fundamental unit of k [6, §3] and the Fourier coefficients a_p of $f(z)$ has a certain congruence property with respect to c . As a continuation of this theory, the same investigation was made for the space of cusp forms of "Haupt"-type, by Doi and the present author [2].

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Now Doi [1] has found some arithmetical congruence (with respect to a prime factor l of the numerator of the generalized Bernoulli number $B_{\kappa, \chi}$) for the Fourier coefficients a_p of $f(z)$ of $S_{\kappa}(\Gamma_0(q), \chi)$ for arbitrary weight $\kappa \geq 2$ (see text). Thus, as a next task of the investigations which we explained above, we are naturally led to consider the field K_l generated over k by the coordinates of l -section point of B . In fact, in the present note, we shall treat as a typical examples the case where $q=29, 37$ and investigate the field K_l .

Theorem. *The following assertions (1), (2) hold (at least) for $q=29, 37$, and (3) holds for $q=29$.*

- (1) *Let l be an odd prime factor of $B_{2, \chi}$, and K_l be the field generated over $k=\mathbf{Q}(\sqrt{q})$ by the l -section point of the elliptic curve B . Then there is an isomorphism $\sigma \rightarrow R_l(\sigma)$ of the Galois group $\text{Gal}(K_l/k)$ onto the group*

$$\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & b \\ 0 & d \end{pmatrix} \in GL_2(\mathbf{Z}/l\mathbf{Z}) \mid b \in \mathbf{Z}/l\mathbf{Z}, d \in (\mathbf{Z}/l\mathbf{Z})^{\times} \right\}.$$

- (2) *We have $K_l = k(\zeta, \sqrt[l]{\varepsilon_q})$ where ε_q is the fundamental unit of k , and ζ is a primitive l -th root of unity.*
- (3) *K_l is unramified over $k(\zeta)$.*

For the precise definition and notation will be explained in the text.

Finally, we consider this investigation as a suggestive example for the general treatment of such extensions and one can expect similar results for K_l in the higher dimensional case.

1. Shimura's elliptic curves.

We recall here Shimura's theory for the abelian variety associated to cusp forms. For a prime q , let $\Gamma_0(q)$ be a congruence subgroup of $SL_2(\mathbf{Z})$,

$$\Gamma_0(q) = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in SL_2(\mathbf{Z}) \mid c \equiv 0 \pmod{q} \right\},$$

and $S_2(\Gamma_0(q), \chi)$ denote the vector space of holomorphic cusp forms $f(z)$ of weight 2 on the complex upper half plane, which satisfy

$$f\left(\frac{az+b}{cz+d}\right) = \chi(d)(cz+d)^2 f(z)$$

for all $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in \Gamma_0(q)$. Throughout this paper we assume that $q \equiv 1 \pmod 4$ and the character χ of $(\mathbf{Z}/q\mathbf{Z})^\times$ is of order 2. We denote by k the real quadratic field corresponding to the kernel of χ , namely $k = \mathbf{Q}(\sqrt{q})$. Let $f(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n e^{2\pi i n z}$, with $a_1 = 1$, be an element of $S_2(\Gamma_0(q), \chi)$, that is a common eigen-function of Hecke operator T_m for all m . Let K be the field generated by the numbers a_n over \mathbf{Q} for all n . Then we know K is totally imaginary, and the eigen-value of T_n satisfies

$$a_n^\rho = \chi(n) a_n,$$

if n is prime to q , where ρ denotes the complex conjugation.

By virtue of [5, Th. 7.14] we obtain an abelian variety A and an isomorphism θ of K into $\text{End}_{\mathbf{Q}}(A)$. A and $\theta(a)$ for all $a \in K$ are rational over \mathbf{Q} . Further A has an automorphism μ rational over k , such that

$$\begin{aligned} \mu^2 &= 1, & \mu\theta(a) &= \theta(a^\rho)\mu \quad (a \in K), \\ \mu^\varepsilon &= -\mu, \end{aligned}$$

where ε denotes the generator of $\text{Gal}(k/\mathbf{Q})$. We put

$$B = (1 + \mu)A.$$

Then B is an abelian subvariety of A rational over k , and

$$A = B + B^\varepsilon, \quad B^\varepsilon = (1 - \mu)A.$$

Hereafter we restrict ourselves to the case $\dim B = 1$.

For a prime number l and a natural number n , put

$$B[l^n] = \{t \in B \mid l^n t = 0\},$$

$$B[l^\infty] = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} B[l^n].$$

It is well known that $B[l^n]$ (resp. $B[l^\infty]$) is isomorphic to $\mathbf{Z}/l^n\mathbf{Z} \oplus \mathbf{Z}/l^n\mathbf{Z}$ (resp. $\mathbf{Q}_l/\mathbf{Z}_l \oplus \mathbf{Q}_l/\mathbf{Z}_l$) where \mathbf{Q}_l denotes the l -adic number field and \mathbf{Z}_l the ring of l -adic integers. Let K_{l^n} (resp. K_{l^∞}) be the field generated over k by the coordinates of the points in $B[l^n]$ (resp. $B[l^\infty]$). It can be easily seen that K_{l^n} (resp. K_{l^∞}) is a finite (resp. an infinite) Galois extension of k . Taking a basis of $B[l^n]$ (resp. $B[l^\infty]$) we obtain a representation R_n (resp. R_∞)

$$R_n: \text{Gal}(K_{l^n}/k) \longrightarrow GL_2(\mathbf{Z}/l^n\mathbf{Z})$$

$$R_\infty: \text{Gal}(K_{l^\infty}/k) \longrightarrow GL_2(\mathbf{Z}_l).$$

We may assume that

$$(1.1) \quad R_n(\sigma') \equiv R_\infty(\sigma) \pmod{l^n},$$

if σ' is the restriction of an element σ of $\text{Gal}(K_{l^\infty}/k)$ to K_{l^n} .

Let \mathfrak{p} be a prime ideal not dividing q , then B has good reduction modulo \mathfrak{p} . We denote by \tilde{B} the elliptic curve obtained from B by reduction modulo \mathfrak{p} . Let $\varphi_{\mathfrak{p}}$ denote the Frobenius endomorphism of \tilde{B} of degree $N\mathfrak{p}$, and \mathfrak{R}_l the l -adic representation of $\text{End}(\tilde{B})$. Then we have (see [5, (7.6.15)])

$$(1.2) \quad \begin{aligned} \det(1_2 - u\mathfrak{R}_l(\varphi_{\mathfrak{p}})) &= 1 - a_{\mathfrak{p}}u + pu^2 & \text{if } (p) = \mathfrak{p} \cdot \mathfrak{p}', \\ \det(1_2 - u^2\mathfrak{R}_l(\varphi_{\mathfrak{p}})) &= (1 - a_{\mathfrak{p}}u - pu^2) \\ &\quad \times (1 - a_{\mathfrak{p}'}^2u - pu^2) & \text{if } N\mathfrak{p} = \mathfrak{p}^2, \end{aligned}$$

provided that l is prime to $N\mathfrak{p}$. Let \mathfrak{P} be a prime divisor of K_l which divides \mathfrak{p} and σ a Frobenius element of $\text{Gal}(K_{l^\infty}/k)$ for \mathfrak{P} . Then we obtain

$$(1.3) \quad R_\infty(\sigma) = \mathfrak{R}_l(\varphi_{\mathfrak{p}})$$

by choosing suitable basis of $B[l^\infty]$ and $\tilde{B}[l^\infty]$, since we see easily $t^\sigma \bmod \mathfrak{P} = \varphi_{\mathfrak{p}}(t \bmod \mathfrak{P})$. Hence comparing (1.3) with (1.2), we know

the characteristic polynomial of $R_n(\sigma')$ coincides with that of $\mathfrak{R}_l(\varphi_p)$ modulo l^n . Further we can prove that K_l contains a primitive l^n -th root of unity ζ_n , and

$$(1.4) \quad \zeta_n^\tau = \zeta_n^{\text{det} R_n(\tau)}$$

for every $\tau \in \text{Gal}(K_{l^n}/k)$.

2. A congruence for a_p (due to Doi).

We now define the generalized Bernoulli number $B_{\kappa, \chi}$. Let χ be the character of order 2 with a prime conductor q and let

$$F_\chi(t) = \sum_{a=1}^q \frac{\chi(a)t \cdot e^{at}}{e^{qt} - 1}.$$

Expanding this into power series we have

$$F_\chi(t) = \sum_{\kappa=1}^{\infty} B_{\kappa, \chi} \cdot \frac{t^\kappa}{\kappa!}.$$

The number $B_{\kappa, \chi}$ defined as above is called the generalized Bernoulli number. It has been proved in [1],

$$(2.1) \quad \det(1 + \chi(p)p^{k-1} - T_{p, \kappa}) \equiv 0 \pmod{l}$$

where l is an odd prime factor of the numerator of $(2\kappa)^{-1} \cdot B_{\kappa, \chi}$, and $T_{p, \kappa}$ is the Hecke operator acting on the space $S_\kappa(\Gamma_0(q), \chi)$ of weight κ . Since we have assumed that the abelian variety B over k is of one-dimensional, the Fourier coefficient a_p of the corresponding cusp form $f(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n e^{2\pi i n z}$ is contained in \mathbf{Q} or an imaginary quadratic field according as $\chi(p) = 1$ or -1 . Hence, in our case, the congruence (2.1) becomes (setting $k=2$)

$$(2.2) \quad \begin{aligned} 1 + p - a_p &\equiv 0 \pmod{l} && \text{if } \chi(p) = 1 \\ (1 - p)^2 - a_p^2 &\equiv 0 \pmod{l} && \text{if } \chi(p) = -1, \end{aligned}$$

where l is an odd prime factor of the numerator of $4^{-1} \cdot B_{2, \chi}$.

3. Some Lemmas.

We give here some lemmas which is necessary to prove our Theorem.

Lemma 1. *For an odd prime l , let G be a subgroup of $GL_2(\mathbf{Z}/l\mathbf{Z})$ satisfying the following conditions: (1) G has elements of order l and $l-1$. (2) Any element of G has an eigen-value 1. Then G is isomorphic to the group $\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & b \\ 0 & d \end{pmatrix} \in GL_2(\mathbf{Z}/l\mathbf{Z}) \mid b \in \mathbf{Z}/l\mathbf{Z}, d \in (\mathbf{Z}/l\mathbf{Z})^\times \right\}$ of order $l(l-1)$.*

Proof. Put $G' = G \cap PSL_2(\mathbf{Z}/l\mathbf{Z})$, then G/G' is a subgroup of $GL_2(\mathbf{Z}/l\mathbf{Z})/PSL_2(\mathbf{Z}/l\mathbf{Z})$, hence $[G:G']$ is prime to l . Therefore G contains an element of order l by the assumption (1). By virtue of the assumption (2), any element g' of G' is conjugate to $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & b \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$, hence $g'^l = 1$. Therefore G' is an l -group and is also an l -Sylow subgroup of $PSL_2(\mathbf{Z}/l\mathbf{Z})$ by considering the order of $PSL_2(\mathbf{Z}/l\mathbf{Z})$. Hence G' is conjugate to the group $\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & b \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \mid b \in \mathbf{Z}/l\mathbf{Z} \right\}$. Since G normalizes the group G' , G is isomorphic to the group $\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & b \\ 0 & d \end{pmatrix} \mid b \in \mathbf{Z}/l\mathbf{Z}, d \in \mathfrak{h} \right\}$ where \mathfrak{h} is a subgroup of $(\mathbf{Z}/l\mathbf{Z})^\times$. Now G contains an element of order $l-1$, therefore $\mathfrak{h} = (\mathbf{Z}/l\mathbf{Z})^\times$. This completes the proof of our lemma 1.

We quote here a lemma given in ([4, p. 213]).

Lemma 2. (Shimura). *Let g be an element of $GL_2(\mathbf{Z}/l\mathbf{Z})$, whose characteristic polynomial is congruent to $X^2 - a_p X + p$ modulo l , where p is a prime and a_p is an integer. If $a_p^2 - 4p = ld$ with an integer d which is not divisible by l , then g is conjugate to a matrix of the form $\begin{pmatrix} b & 1 \\ 0 & b \end{pmatrix}$.*

Let K be a finite Galois extension over an algebraic number field k , whose Galois group $\text{Gal}(K/k)$ is isomorphic to the group $\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & b \\ 0 & d \end{pmatrix} \mid b \in \mathbf{Z}/l\mathbf{Z}, d \in (\mathbf{Z}/l\mathbf{Z})^\times \right\}$, where l is an odd prime. Further assume that K contains a primitive l -th root of unity $\zeta = e^{\frac{2\pi i}{l}}$. Under these

situations we obtain the following assertion.

Lemma 3. *If $\zeta^\eta = \zeta^{d \cdot \eta} = \zeta^d$ for $\eta = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & b \\ 0 & d \end{pmatrix} \in \text{Gal}(K/k)$, Then there exists an element α of K^\times such that $K = k(\zeta, \alpha)$ with $\alpha^l \in k^\times$.*

Proof. It is easy to see that the Galois group $\text{Gal}(K/k)$ is generated by $\sigma = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$, and $\tau = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & d \end{pmatrix}$ where d is a primitive root modulo l . Since $\zeta^\sigma = \zeta$ and $\zeta^\tau = \zeta^d$, K is a Kummer extension over $k(\zeta)$ of degree l . Hence there exists an element β of K^\times such that $K = k(\zeta, \beta)$ with $\beta^l \in k(\zeta)$. Now $(\beta^\sigma)^l = (\beta^l)^\sigma = \beta^l$, therefore we may assume β satisfies $\beta^\sigma = \zeta\beta$ (Consider a suitable power of β instead of β , if necessary). We see

$$\{x \in K^\times \mid x^l \in k(\zeta)\} = \bigcup_{v=0}^{l-1} k(\zeta)^\times \beta^v,$$

so there exists an element γ of $k(\zeta)^\times$ and an integer v ($0 \leq v \leq l-1$) such that $\beta^\tau = \gamma\beta^v$. Since $\tau\sigma^d = \sigma\tau$, we obtain $\gamma\zeta^{d^v}\beta^v = \beta^{\tau\sigma^d} = \beta^{\sigma^d} = (\zeta\beta)^\tau = \zeta^d\gamma\beta^v$, hence $\zeta^{d^v} = \zeta^d$, thus $v=1$. Namely, we obtain $\beta^\tau = \gamma\beta$ therefore we have $N_{k(\zeta)/k}(\gamma) = 1$. Thus there exists an element δ of $k(\zeta)$ such that $\gamma = \delta/\delta^\tau$. Define $\alpha = \beta\delta$ then we see $\alpha^\tau = \alpha$ and $\alpha^l \in k(\zeta)^\times$ therefore $\alpha^l \in k$. Hence we have $K = k(\zeta, \alpha)$ with $\alpha^l \in k$. This completes our proof of lemma 2.

4. A Proof of the Theorem.

For primes $q=29, 37$, we have $\dim S_2(\Gamma_0(q), \chi) = 2$, namely the abelian variety B over $k = \mathbf{Q}(\sqrt{q})$ is of one dimensional.

Further we observe that $B_{2,x} = 12, 20$ for $q=29$ and 37 , respectively.

First we shall discuss the case $q=29$. We consider the field K_3 generated over $k = \mathbf{Q}(\sqrt{29})$ by the coordinates of points on B of order $l=3$. There is an isomorphism $\sigma \rightarrow R_l(\sigma)$ of the Galois group $\text{Gal}(K_3/k)$ onto a subgroup of $GL_2(\mathbf{Z}/3\mathbf{Z})$. Let p be a prime different from $3, 29$ and \mathfrak{p} be a prime divisor of p in K_3 . Let $\sigma_{\mathfrak{p}}$ be a Frobenius automorphism for \mathfrak{p} , then by (1.2) and (1.3) we have

$$\det(x \cdot 1_2 - R_l(\sigma_p)) \equiv \begin{cases} x^2 - a_p x + p & (\text{mod } 3) & \text{if } \chi(p) = 1 \\ x^2 - (a_p^2 + 2p)x + p^2 & (\text{mod } 3) & \text{if } \chi(p) = -1. \end{cases}$$

By Virtue of (2.2), $R_l(\sigma_p)$ has an eigen value 1 for any p . We assert that $R_l(\text{Gal}(K_3/k))$ contains elements of order 3 and 2. Take $p=7$, from the table (I) we get $a_7=2$. Hence $R_l(\text{Gal}(K_3/k))$ contains an element g whose characteristic polynomial is

$$X^2 - 2X + 7 \equiv (X-1)^2 \pmod{3},$$

and since $a_7^2 - 4 \cdot 7 = -24$, we can verify by lemma 2 that g is conjugate to a matrix of the form $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$. Hence $R_l(\text{Gal}(K_3/k))$ contains an element of order 3. Applying the same to $p=5$ we find an element of order 2 in $R_l(\text{Gal}(K_3/k))$.

Hence $\text{Gal}(K_3/k)$ satisfies the assumptions in lemma 1. Thus we have

$$\text{Gal}(K_3/k) \simeq \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & b \\ 0 & d \end{pmatrix} \in \text{Gl}_2(\mathbf{Z}/3\mathbf{Z}) \mid b \in \mathbf{Z}/3\mathbf{Z}, d \in (\mathbf{Z}/3\mathbf{Z})^\times \right\}$$

Next we shall determine the field K_3 explicitly.

As we know K_3 contains a primitive third root of unity $\zeta = e^{\frac{2\pi i}{3}}$ and $\zeta^\sigma = \zeta^{d \cdot \sigma}$ (see (1.4)), the extension K_3 over k satisfies the assumptions in lemma 3. Hence there exists an element α of K_3 such that $K_3 = k(\zeta, \alpha)$ with $\alpha^3 \in k$. Now we must prove that α^3 can be taken as the fundamental unit $\varepsilon = \frac{5 + \sqrt{29}}{2}$ of k . By the property of the field generated by l -section point, we know that any prime divisor \mathfrak{p} of $k(\zeta)$ is unramified in K_3 , if \mathfrak{p} does not divide $3 \cdot \sqrt{29}$. So we can put α^3 of k so as $\alpha^3 = 3^a \cdot \sqrt{29}^b \cdot \varepsilon^c$ where $0 \leq a, b, c \leq 2$ (Note that $\chi(3) = -1$). More precisely, we may put $\alpha^3 = 3, 3^a \cdot \sqrt{29}$ or $3^a \cdot \sqrt{29}^b \cdot \varepsilon$ with $0 \leq a, b \leq 2$. Hence there are 13 possibilities of the choice of α^3 . We shall show that $\alpha^3 = \varepsilon$ by examining the decomposition law of several prime divisors of $k(\zeta)$ in K_3 .

(I) the case $q=29^*$

p	a_p	$a_p^2 - 4p$	r	Ind, 3	Ind, 29	Ind, ε
5	-3					
7	2	-24	3	1	6	1, 2
13	-1	-51	6	8	8	7, 11
67	8	-204	2	39		
547	38	-744	17	39	342	

Let σ_p be the Frobenius automorphism for p of K_3 where p is dividing one of 7, 13 and 547. Then by lemma 2, we verify $R_1(\sigma_p)$ is of order 3, hence any prime divisor of $k(\zeta)$ which divides one of 7, 13 and 547 does not decompose in K_3 . On the other hand, as the table shows, we have for $p=547$

$$(3^a \cdot \sqrt{29^b})^{\frac{p-1}{3}} \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$$

where p is any prime factor of 547 in $k(\zeta)$. This shows that the Frobenius automorphism σ_p for p of the extension $k(\zeta, \sqrt[3]{3^a \cdot \sqrt{29^b}})$ over $k(\zeta)$ is trivial since

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt[3]{3^a \cdot \sqrt{29^b}} \sigma_p &\equiv \sqrt[3]{3^a \sqrt{29^b}}^p \pmod{p} \\ &\equiv \sqrt[3]{3^a \sqrt{29^b}} \pmod{p}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence a prime factor p of 547 in $k(\zeta)$ decomposes completely in $k(\zeta, \sqrt[3]{3^a \sqrt{29^b}})$. Thus we can not have $\alpha^3 = 3 \cdot 3^a \cdot \sqrt{29}$. Next we take $p=7$ then

$$(3^2 \sqrt{29^b} \cdot \varepsilon)^{\frac{p-1}{3}} \equiv 1 \pmod{p} \quad \text{if } p \text{ divides } 6 + \sqrt{29},$$

$$(3 \cdot \sqrt{29^b} \cdot \varepsilon)^{\frac{p-1}{3}} \equiv 1 \pmod{p} \quad \text{if } p \text{ divides } 6 - \sqrt{29},$$

* The meaning of this table is as follows: r denotes a primitive root modulo p , Ind, n the index of n with respect to r . $\varepsilon = \frac{5 + \sqrt{b}}{2}$, where $b^2 \equiv 29 \pmod{p}$.

for any b . Thus by the same reasoning as for $p=547$, we can not have $\alpha^3=3\cdot\sqrt{29^b}\varepsilon$, $3^2\cdot\sqrt{29^b}\varepsilon$ for any b ($0\leq b\leq 2$). Further, take $p=13$ we see

$$(\sqrt{29^2\cdot\varepsilon})^{\frac{p-1}{3}}\equiv 1 \pmod{p} \quad \text{if } p \text{ divides } \frac{9-\sqrt{29}}{2},$$

$$(\sqrt{29\cdot\varepsilon})^{\frac{p-1}{3}}\equiv 1 \pmod{p} \quad \text{if } p \text{ divides } \frac{9+\sqrt{29}}{2},$$

thus we can not have $\alpha^3=\sqrt{29}\varepsilon$, $\sqrt{29^2}\varepsilon$. Summing up above facts we must have $\alpha^3=\varepsilon$. This completes the proof of (2) for the case $q=29$. Lastly, we must show that K_3 is unramified over $k(\zeta)$. Since we proved $K_3=k(\zeta, \sqrt[3]{\varepsilon})$, a prime divisor \mathfrak{p} of $k(\zeta)$ is unramified in K_3 unless \mathfrak{p} divides 3. Now assume $\mathfrak{p}=(1-\zeta)$, which divides 3, is ramified in K_3 , then the prime ideal (3) of k is also totally ramified in $k(\sqrt[3]{\varepsilon})$. Let w be the additive (3)-adic valuation of the (3)-adic field of $k(\sqrt[3]{\varepsilon})$. normalized as $w(3)=1$. Define the element x of $k(\sqrt[3]{\varepsilon})$ as $\sqrt[3]{\varepsilon}=x+\varepsilon^3$, then x satisfies

$$x^3+3\varepsilon^3x^2+\varepsilon^9-\varepsilon=-3\varepsilon^6x.$$

Because $\mathfrak{p}=(3)$ is totally ramified in $k(\sqrt[3]{\varepsilon})$,

$$\begin{aligned} w(x) &= -\frac{1}{3}w(N_{k(\sqrt[3]{\varepsilon})/k}(x)) \\ &= -\frac{1}{3}w(\varepsilon^9-\varepsilon). \end{aligned}$$

Now since $\varepsilon^4+1=\varepsilon^2\cdot\text{tr}(\varepsilon^2)=\varepsilon^2\cdot\text{tr}\left(\frac{27+5\sqrt{29}}{2}\right)=27\varepsilon^2$, $\varepsilon^4-1=\varepsilon^4+1-2\neq 0 \pmod{3}$, we have $w(\varepsilon^9-\varepsilon)=3$. Thus $w(x)=1$. Hence $w(x^3+3\varepsilon^3x^2+\varepsilon^9-\varepsilon)\geq 3$, while $w(-3\varepsilon^6x)=2$. This is a contradiction. Thus the prime divisor $\mathfrak{p}=(1-\zeta)$ of $k(\zeta)$ is unramified in $K_3=k(\zeta, \sqrt[3]{\varepsilon})$. This completes the proof of our Theorem for the case $q=29$.

[Remark] It was proved by Casselman (On abelian varieties with

many endomorphisms and a conjecture of Shimura's, *Inventiones math.* 12 (1971), 225–236) that Shimura's elliptic curve for the case $q=29$ has good reduction at every primes of $k=\mathbf{Q}(\sqrt{29})$. So the prime $(\sqrt{29})$ is unramified in K_3 . If we use this facts, there are only 4 possibilities of α^3 , namely $\alpha^3=3, 3\varepsilon, 3^2\varepsilon$ and ε , which makes the proof of our Theorem a little simpler.

In [3, §3.10] Serre has given an elliptic curve B' over $k=\mathbf{Q}(\sqrt{29})$ defined by the equation

$$B': y^2 + xy + \varepsilon^2 y = x^3$$

where $\varepsilon = \frac{5 + \sqrt{29}}{2}$. B' has also good reduction at every primes of k . It is conjectured that B' is isomorphic to the Shimura's elliptic curve B for the case $q=29$ (see [6, §10]). It was also remarked that the Galois group of the field K'_3 generated by the 3-section points of B' over k is isomorphic to the group

$$\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & b \\ 0 & d \end{pmatrix} \mid b \in \mathbf{Z}/3\mathbf{Z}, d \in (\mathbf{Z}/3\mathbf{Z})^\times \right\},$$

verifying the rational point $(0, 0)$ on B' is of order 3. We note here that the field K'_3 coincides with K_3 , which can be verified by examining the trace $\text{tr}(\varphi'_p)$ of the Frobenius automorphism of the elliptic curve \tilde{B} obtained by the reduction modulo \mathfrak{p} , putting $N\mathfrak{p}=7, 13, 67$, (For these primes we have $\text{tr}(\varphi'_p)=a_p$).

Secondly, we treat the case $q=37$. In this case we have $B_{2,x}=20$. So we consider the field K generated over $k=\mathbf{Q}(\sqrt{37})$ by 5-section point of the elliptic curve B associated to the space $S_2(\Gamma_0(37), \chi)$. There is an isomorphism $\sigma \rightarrow R_l(\sigma)$ of the Galois group $\text{Gal}(K_5/k)$ onto a subgroup of $GL_2(\mathbf{Z}/5\mathbf{Z})$. Let \mathfrak{p} be a prime divisor of 11 in K_5 . Then by the same reasoning as the case $q=29$, the characteristic polynomial of the image $R_l(\sigma_{\mathfrak{p}})$ of the Frobenius automorphism for \mathfrak{p} is

$$X^2 - a_{11}X + 11 = X^2 + 3X + 11 \equiv (X - 1)^2 \pmod{5},$$

and since $a_{11}^2 - 4 \cdot 11 = -35$, we see that the order $R_l(\sigma_{\mathfrak{p}})$ is of order

5. Applying the same to $p=3$ we find an element of order 4 in $R_l(\text{Gal}(K_5/k))$. Thus we have

$$\text{Gal}(K_5/k) \cong \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & b \\ 0 & d \end{pmatrix} \in GL_2(\mathbf{Z}/5\mathbf{Z}) \mid b \in \mathbf{Z}/5\mathbf{Z}, d \in (\mathbf{Z}/5\mathbf{Z})^\times \right\},$$

by virtue of lemma 1. Thus there exists an element α of K_5 such that $K_5 = k(\zeta, \alpha)$ with $\alpha^5 \in k = \mathbf{Q}(\sqrt{37})$ and $\zeta = e^{\frac{2\pi i}{5}}$. By the same argument as the case $q=29$, α^5 of k can be taken as $\alpha^5 = 5^a \sqrt{37}^b \varepsilon^c$ where $0 \leq a, b, c \leq 4$ (Note that $\chi(5) = -1$). More precisely we can put $\alpha^5 = 5, 5^a \sqrt{37}, 5^a \sqrt{37}^b \varepsilon$ with $0 \leq a, b \leq 4$, where $\varepsilon = 6 + \sqrt{37}$ is the fundamental unit of k . Hence there are 31 possibilities of the choice of α^5 . We shall show $\alpha^5 = \varepsilon$.

(II) the case $q=37$

p	a_p	$a_p^2 - 4p$	r	Ind, 5	Ind, 37	Ind, ε
3	-1					
11	-3	-35	2	4	2	3, 2
41	-3	-155	6	22	32	13, 7
181	-3	-715	10	48	38	149, 21
491	12	-1820	10	478	340	131, 114
601	-18	-2080	506	50	580	

Let σ_p be the Frobenius automorphism for p of K_5 where p is dividing one of 11, 41, 181, 491 and 601, then as the table (II) shows the order of $R_l(\sigma_p)$ is of order 5. Hence any prime divisor of $k(\zeta)$ which divides one of 11, 41, 181, 491, and 601 does not decompose in K_5 . On the other hand, we have for $p=601$

$$(5^a \sqrt{37}^b)^{\frac{p-1}{5}} \equiv 1 \pmod{p},$$

where p is any prime of $k(\zeta)$ dividing $p=601$. This shows we can not have $\alpha^5 = 5, 5^a \cdot \sqrt{37}$ ($0 \leq a \leq 4$). Next $p=491$, then

$$(5^2 \sqrt{37}^b \varepsilon)^{\frac{p-1}{5}} \equiv 1 \pmod{p} \quad \text{if } p \text{ divides } 48 - 7\sqrt{37},$$

$$(5^3\sqrt{37^b\epsilon})^{\frac{p-1}{5}} \equiv 1 \pmod{p} \quad \text{if } p \text{ divides } 48 + 7\sqrt{37},$$

for any b . Thus we can not have $\alpha^5 = 5^2\sqrt{37^b}$, $5^3\sqrt{37^b}$ ($0 \leq b \leq 4$). Further applying the same to $p=11, 41$ and 181 , it turns out that we can not have $\alpha^5 = 5^a\sqrt{37^b\epsilon}$ for any a, b except $a=b=0$. Summing up all these facts we obtain $\alpha^5 = \epsilon$. Thus we have $K_5 = k(\zeta, \sqrt[5]{\epsilon})$. This completes the proof for the case $q=37$.

[Remark] We add a remark for the case $q=37$. Consider the extension $k(\sqrt[5]{\epsilon})$ over $k = \mathbf{Q}(\sqrt{37})$. Then $k(\sqrt[5]{\epsilon})$ is generated by $x = \sqrt[5]{\epsilon} - \epsilon^5$, which satisfies

$$x^5 + 5\epsilon^5 \cdot x^4 + 10\epsilon^{10} \cdot x^3 + 10\epsilon^{15} x^2 + 5\epsilon^{20} x + \epsilon^{25} - \epsilon = 0.$$

We can verify that $\epsilon^{25} - \epsilon$ is divisible by the prime ideal (5) of k but not divisible by (5)². Hence the above equation is the so-called Eisenstein equation. Thus the prime ideal (5) of k is totally ramified in $k(\sqrt[5]{\epsilon})$. This means that the field K_5 is ramified over $k(\zeta)$.

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