

Sec 4

$g \geq 1$

$C(\mathbb{F}_p)$

$$y^2 = f(x)$$

$$f \in \mathbb{F}_p[x]$$

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Prop 4.1.1

let  $h = f^{\frac{p-1}{2}}$

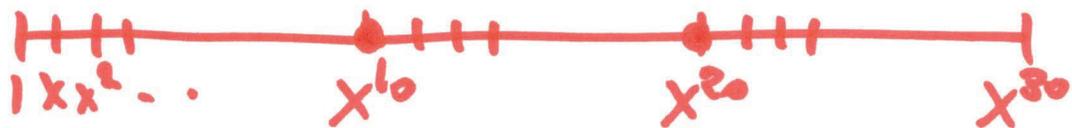
$$\# C(\mathbb{F}_p) \equiv 1 - \sum_{j=1}^g h_{j(p-1)} \pmod{p}$$

Example :  $p=11$   $g=2$

$$\deg f = 2g + 2 = 6.$$

$$\deg h = 6 \cdot \frac{p-1}{2} = 30.$$

$$\# C(\mathbb{F}_{11}) = 1 - h_{10} - h_{20} \pmod{11}$$



Idea of proof :

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evaluate  $\sum_{\alpha \in \mathbb{F}_p^*} (f(\alpha)^{\frac{p-1}{2}} + 1) \pmod{p}$

in 2 ways.

$$= \sum_{\alpha \in \mathbb{F}_p^*} (h(\alpha) + 1)$$

Legendre symbol  
 $\left(\frac{f(\alpha)}{p}\right)$

$$\rightsquigarrow \sum_{\alpha \in \mathbb{F}_p^*} \alpha^j$$

Group trace formula (Thm 4.2.7)

Define  $A_f \in \text{Mat}_g(\mathbb{F}_p)$

by  $(A_f)_{v,u} = h_{vp-u} \quad 1 \leq u, v \leq g.$

(still  $h = f^{\frac{p-1}{2}}$ )

Hasse-Witt / Cartier-Mumford matrix. [2-3]

$$\#C(\mathbb{F}_{p^r}) \equiv 1 - \text{tr}(A_f^r) \pmod{p}$$

$$r=1, 2, \dots$$

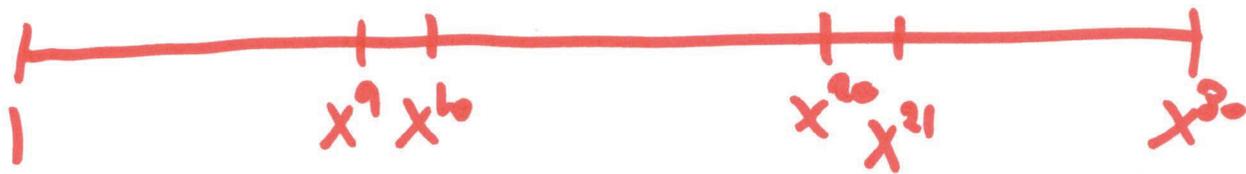
Proof: idea: use  $f(x)^{p^r-1}$ .

Example:  $p=11$   $g=2$

$$A_f = \begin{bmatrix} h_{10} & h_{01} \\ h_{21} & h_{20} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\#C(\mathbb{F}_p) \equiv 1 - \text{tr} A_f$$

$$\#C(\mathbb{F}_{p^2}) \equiv 1 - \text{tr}(A_f^2) \pmod{p}$$



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recall:

$$Z_C(T) = \exp(N_1 T + \frac{N_2}{2} T^2 + \dots)$$

$$\exp(z) = 1 + z + \frac{z^2}{2!} + \frac{z^3}{3!} + \dots$$

# Consequences for L-polynomial

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$$N_r = \#C(\mathbb{F}_{p^r})$$

$$A_F \xrightarrow{\text{trace formula}} N_1, \dots, N_g \pmod{p}$$

CAN FAILS if  $p > g$  (Prob 4.3.3)  
if  $p \leq g$  (Prob 4.3.1)

$$Z_C(T) \pmod{p}$$

up to  $T^g$ .

↓ evy.

$$L_C(T) \pmod{p}$$

AMAZINGLY:

Thm 4.3.2

$$L_C(T) = \det(I - TA_F) \pmod{p}$$

(even if  $p \leq g$  !!)

"Expansion strategy" to compute  $L_c(t)$  P-5  
modp.

1) expand out  $h = f^{R-1}$   
to get  $Af$ .

2) compute  $\det(I - T Af)$ .

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Complexity analysis.

(Multitape Turing  
Machine - bit complexity)

Compute  $h = f^{R-1}$  by "repeated squaring".  
(see 2.3)

eg.  $p = 83$ .

$$\begin{array}{lcl} \text{want } f^{41} = f \cdot (f^{20})^2 & \text{-----} & \\ f^{20} = (f^{10})^2 & \text{-----} & \\ f^{10} = (f^5)^2 & \text{---} & \\ f^5 = f(f^2)^2 & \text{+} & \\ f^2 = f^2 & \text{"} & \end{array}$$

Complexity dominated by last multiplication

Let  $M_p(n) =$  cost of multiplying polys  
of deg  $\leq n$  in  $\mathbb{F}_p[x]$ .

$M_{int}(n) =$  cost of " " integers  
of  $\leq n$  bits.

Know:  $M_{int}(n) = O(n \log n)$  (2019).

Think:  $M_p(n) = O(b \cdot \log b)$  ???  
 $b = n \log p$ . (total bitsize)

Can use "Kronecker substitution" to get

$$M_p(n) = O(b_1 \log b_1)$$

$$b_1 = n \log(np)$$

Cost of step ①?  $\deg h = O(gp)$ .

$$b_1 = O(gp \cdot \log(gp^2))$$

$$= O(gp \cdot \log(gp))$$

$$b_1 \log b_1 = O(gp \cdot \log(gp) \log(gp \cdot \log(gp)))$$

$$= O(gp \cdot \log^2(gp)).$$

If  $p \gg g$  then this is

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$$O(gp \cdot \lg^2 p).$$

"linear" in  $p$ .  
poly. in  $g$ .

Step 2

Let  $\omega =$  exponent of matrix multiplication.

i.e. can multiply  $d \times d$  matrices over  $K$  using  $O(d^\omega)$  field ops in  $K$

Classical:  $\omega = 3$

Strassen:  $\omega = \frac{\lg 7}{\lg 2} \doteq 2.81$

record:  $\omega = 2.372 \dots$

Thm: Can compute  $\det(I - TAF)$  in  $O(d^\omega)$  ops in  $K$ .

Each op in  $\mathbb{F}_p$  needs  $O((\lg p)^{1+\epsilon})$  bit operations (see 2.1)

Cost of step ② is:

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$$O(g^{\omega} (\log p)^{1+\epsilon}) \quad (\text{bit complexity})$$

$$\text{Total: } O(gp \log^2(gp) + g^{\omega} (\log p)^{1+\epsilon})$$

Notice: polynomial in  $g$ .

Unlike enumeration (exp. in  $g$ ).

But only have  $L_c(t) \pmod{p}$ .

