

# Calculation of Selmer groups of elliptic curves with a rational 2-torsion

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## ABSTRACT

In this article, we give explicit formulae for the Selmer groups associated to the 2-isogenies, for any elliptic curves with a rational 2-torsion. Furthermore, we give a formula for the 2-Selmer group, in some special cases. Using this formula, we can obtain some results about  $\pi/3$ -congruent number problem.

## 1 Introduction

Let  $E$  be an elliptic curve with a rational 2-torsion, that is a curve defined by

$$y^2 = x^3 + Ax^2 + Bx,$$

where  $A, B$  are integers, and the discriminant  $16B^2(A^2 - 4B)$  is not zero. The point  $(0, 0)$  on this curve is the rational 2-torsion. It is difficult to compute the rank of this elliptic curve, but Selmer groups are computable, and give an upper bounds of the rank by

$$\text{rank } E(\mathbb{Q}) \leq \log_2 |S^{(\varphi)}(E/\mathbb{Q})| \cdot |S^{(\varphi')}(E'/\mathbb{Q})| - 2, \tag{1}$$

where  $E'$  is the curve defined by

$$y^2 = x^3 - 2Ax^2 + (A^2 - 4B)x,$$

and  $\varphi, \varphi'$  are isogenies of degree 2 such that  $\varphi' \circ \varphi = [2]_E, \varphi \circ \varphi' = [2]_{E'}$ . If  $E$  has three rational 2-torsions, then the Selmer group  $S^{(2)}(E/\mathbb{Q})$  gives a better upper bound of the rank.

Many mathematicians have studied the Selmer groups. For example, Monsky (Appendix in [5]) and Aoki [1] calculated the group for  $y^2 = x^3 - n^2x$  ( $n$  is an integer), Yoshida [12] did for  $y^2 = x^3 + pqx$  ( $p, q$  are primes), Schmitt [9] did for  $y^2 = x^3 - 2nx^2 + 2n^2x$  ( $n$  is an integer), Fujiwara [3], Kan [6], and Yoshida [13] did for  $y^2 = x^3 + 2nx^2 - 3n^2x$  ( $n = p, 2p, 3p, 6p$  for a prime  $p$ ). Though there is an algorithm to calculate the Selmer group of a given elliptic curve (cf. [10], [2]), no general formula seems to have been discovered.

**Theorem 1** *The Selmer groups  $S^{(\varphi)}(E/\mathbb{Q}), S^{(\varphi')}(E'/\mathbb{Q})$  are given by*

$$S^{(\varphi)}(E/\mathbb{Q}) = \bigcap_{p \in M_{\mathbb{Q}}} \text{Im}(\delta_p), \quad S^{(\varphi')}(E'/\mathbb{Q}) = \bigcap_{p \in M_{\mathbb{Q}}} \text{Im}(\delta'_p),$$

where  $M_{\mathbb{Q}} = \{\text{primes}\} \cup \{\infty\}$ . The groups  $\text{Im}(\delta_p), \text{Im}(\delta'_p)$  are given in §4.

This theorem is a generalized result of some earlier studies. The method owes its origin to Aoki [1]. In [4], an explicit procedure to calculate the Selmer group is described.

Let  $E_n$  and  $E_{n,\pi/3}$  be elliptic curves defined by

$$\begin{aligned} E_n &: y^2 = x^3 - n^2x, \\ E_{n,\pi/3} &: y^2 = x^3 + 2nx^2 - 3n^2x. \end{aligned}$$

Note that these curves have three rational 2-torsions. The curve  $E_n$  is connected to *congruent number problem* ([7]), and the curve  $E_{n,\pi/3}$  is connected to  $\pi/3$ -*congruent number problem* ([3]).

**Theorem 2** Let  $E = E_n$  or  $E_{n,\pi/3}$ . The Selmer group  $S^{(2)}(E/\mathbb{Q})$  is given by

$$S^{(2)}(E/\mathbb{Q}) = \bigcap_{p \in M_{\mathbb{Q}}} \text{Im}(\bar{\delta}_p).$$

The groups  $\text{Im}(\bar{\delta}_p)$  are given in §2.

## 2 Definition of the Selmer group

In this section, we recall the definition of the Selmer group. For details, see [11, chap.3] and [10, chap.10]. The Selmer group is usually defined by Galois cohomology:

$$S^{(\varphi)}(E/\mathbb{Q}) = \text{Ker} \left\{ H^1(\mathbb{Q}, E[\varphi]) \rightarrow \prod H^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, E[\varphi]) \right\}.$$

But we will give simpler definition.

Let  $\delta' : E(\mathbb{Q}) \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_2^\times / \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$  be the following map:

$$\delta'(P) = \begin{cases} x, & \text{if } P = (x, y) \neq (0, 0), \mathcal{O}, \\ B, & \text{if } P = (0, 0), \\ 1, & \text{if } P = \mathcal{O} \end{cases}$$

This is called the *connecting homomorphism*. We define another homomorphism  $\delta : E'(\mathbb{Q}) \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_2^\times / \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$  similarly. Then the rank is given by the formula:

$$\text{rank } E(\mathbb{Q}) = \log_2 |\text{Im}(\delta)| \cdot |\text{Im}(\delta')| - 2. \quad (2)$$

Let  $p$  be a prime or infinity, then  $\delta'_p : E(\mathbb{Q}_p) \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p^\times / \mathbb{Q}_p^{\times 2}$  and  $\delta_p : E'(\mathbb{Q}_p) \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p^\times / \mathbb{Q}_p^{\times 2}$  are defined similarly. These are also called connecting homomorphism.

When we regard the images  $\text{Im}(\delta_p)$  as subgroups of  $\mathbb{Q}_2^\times / \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$ , we have  $\text{Im}(\delta) \subset \bigcap_p \text{Im}(\delta_p)$ . From (2), we have the inequality:

$$\text{rank } E(\mathbb{Q}) \leq \log_2 |\bigcap \text{Im}(\delta_p)| \cdot |\bigcap \text{Im}(\delta'_p)| - 2.$$

The Selmer groups are given by

$$S^{(\varphi)}(E/\mathbb{Q}) = \bigcap \text{Im}(\delta_p), \quad S^{(\varphi')}(E'/\mathbb{Q}) = \bigcap \text{Im}(\delta'_p),$$

hence we have the inequality (1). Note that we can calculate the Selmer group easily when the images are given. In §4, we will give the images for *all cases*.

Next, we consider the group  $S^{(2)}(E/\mathbb{Q})$ . Here, we restrict our elliptic curve to one with three rational 2-torsions, and let  $E$  be a curve defined by

$$y^2 = x(x - \alpha)(x - \beta),$$

where  $\alpha, \beta$  are integers. Let  $\bar{\delta}_p : E(\mathbb{Q}) \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_2^\times/\mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2} \times \mathbb{Q}_2^\times/\mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$  be the following map:

$$\bar{\delta}(P) = \begin{cases} (x, x - \alpha), & \text{if } P \neq (\alpha, 0), (0, 0), \mathcal{O}, \\ (\alpha, \alpha(\alpha - \beta)), & \text{if } P = (\alpha, 0), \\ (\alpha\beta, -\alpha), & \text{if } P = (0, 0), \\ (1, 1), & \text{if } P = \mathcal{O}. \end{cases}$$

Then the Selmer group is given by

$$S^{(2)}(E/\mathbb{Q}) = \bigcap \text{Im}(\bar{\delta}_p),$$

and this gives a better upper bound, that is,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{rank } E(\mathbb{Q}) &\leq \log_2 |S^{(2)}(E/\mathbb{Q})| - 2 \\ &\leq \log_2 |S^{(\varphi)}(E/\mathbb{Q})| \cdot |S^{(\varphi')}(E'/\mathbb{Q})| - 2. \end{aligned} \tag{3}$$

If the images  $\text{Im}(\bar{\delta}_p)$  are given, we can calculate the Selmer group  $S^{(2)}(E/\mathbb{Q})$ . If  $p$  is a prime not dividing the discriminant, then  $\text{Im}(\bar{\delta}_p) = \mathbb{Z}_p^\times \mathbb{Q}_p^\times/\mathbb{Q}_p^{\times 2} \times \mathbb{Z}_p^\times \mathbb{Q}_p^\times/\mathbb{Q}_p^{\times 2}$ .

**Theorem 2'** *For the curve  $E_n$ , the images  $\text{Im}(\bar{\delta}_p)$  are given as follows.*

1.  $\text{Im}(\bar{\delta}_\infty) = \{(1, 1), (-1, 1)\}$ .
2. If  $p$  is an odd prime dividing  $n$ , then  $\text{Im}(\bar{\delta}_p) = \{(1, 1), (n, 2n), (-n, 2), (-1, n)\}$ .
3. If  $n$  is odd, then  $\text{Im}(\bar{\delta}_2) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} (1, 1), (1, 5), (n, 2n), (n, 10n), \\ (-n, 2), (-n, 10), (-1, n), (-1, 5n) \end{array} \right\}$ .
4. If  $n \equiv 2 \pmod{8}$ , then  $\text{Im}(\bar{\delta}_2) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} (1, 1), (5, -1), (n, 2n), (-n, 2), \\ (5n, -2n), (-5n, -2), (-5, -n), (-1, n) \end{array} \right\}$ .
5. If  $n \equiv 6 \pmod{8}$ , then  $\text{Im}(\bar{\delta}_2) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} (1, 1), (5, -5), (n, 2n), (-n, 2), \\ (5n, -10n), (-5n, -10), (-5, -5n), (-1, n) \end{array} \right\}$ .

*For the curve  $E_{n,\pi/2}$ , the images  $\text{Im}(\bar{\delta}_p)$  are given as follows.*

1. If  $n > 0$ , then  $\text{Im}(\bar{\delta}_\infty) = \{(1, 1), (-1, 1)\}$ .
2. If  $n < 0$ , then  $\text{Im}(\bar{\delta}_\infty) = \{(1, 1), (-1, -1)\}$ .
3. If  $p$  is a prime greater than 3, then  $\text{Im}(\bar{\delta}_p) = \{(1, 1), (n, n), (-3n, 3), (-3, 3n)\}$ .
4. If  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ , then  $\text{Im}(\bar{\delta}_3) = \{(1, 1), (-1, -1), (3, -3), (-3, 3)\}$ .
5. If  $n \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$ , then  $\text{Im}(\bar{\delta}_3) = \{(1, 1), (-1, -1), (3, 3), (-3, -3)\}$ .
6. If  $3 \mid n$ , then  $\text{Im}(\bar{\delta}_3) = \{(1, 1), (n, n), (-3n, 3), (-3, 3n)\}$ .

- 7. If  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{8}$ , then  $\text{Im}(\bar{\delta}_2) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} (1, 1), (1, 5), (-1, 2), (-1, 10), \\ (-5, -10), (-5, -2), (5, -5), (5, -1) \end{array} \right\}$ .
- 8. If  $n \equiv -1, \pm 5 \pmod{8}$ , then  $\text{Im}(\bar{\delta}_2) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} (1, 1), (1, 5), (n, 5n), (n, n), \\ (5n, -1), (5n, -5), (5, -5n), (5, -n) \end{array} \right\}$ .
- 9. If  $n \equiv 2 \pmod{8}$ , then  $\text{Im}(\bar{\delta}_2) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} (1, 1), (1, -1), (n, n), (n, -n), \\ (5n, 5), (5n, -5), (5, 5n), (5, -5n) \end{array} \right\}$ .
- 10. If  $n \equiv -2 \pmod{8}$ , then  $\text{Im}(\bar{\delta}_2) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} (1, 1), (1, -5), (n, -5n), (n, n), \\ (5n, -5), (5n, 1), (5, n), (5, -5n) \end{array} \right\}$ .

### 3 Congruent number problem

If the rank of the curve  $E_{n,\pi/3}$  is positive, the integer  $n$  is called a  $\pi/3$ -congruent number. If  $|S^{(2)}(E_{n,\pi/3}/\mathbb{Q})| = 4$ , then the rank is 0, by (3).

**Theorem 3** ([3],[6],[13],[4]) *Let  $p$  be a prime.*

- 1. *If  $p \equiv 5, 7$  or  $19 \pmod{24}$ , then  $p$  is not  $\pi/3$ -congruent.*
- 2. *If  $p \equiv 7$  or  $13 \pmod{24}$ , then  $2p$  is not  $\pi/3$ -congruent.*
- 3. *If  $p \equiv 5, 11, 17$  or  $19 \pmod{24}$ , then  $3p$  is not  $\pi/3$ -congruent.*

Using Theorem 2, we can obtain more analogous facts.

TABLE 1.  
(Types of  $n = pq, 2pq, 3pq$  and  $6pq$  with rank  $E_{n,\pi/3}(\mathbb{Q}) = 0$ )

$p \times q \pmod{24}$	$(p/q)$	ex.	$p \times q \pmod{24}$	$(p/q)$	ex.
$1 \times 5$	-1	365	$2 \times 11 \times 23$	-1	506
$1 \times 7$	-1	511	$2 \times 13 \times 13$		962
$1 \times 19$	-1	1843	$2 \times 13 \times 19$	-1	494
$5 \times 5$		145	$2 \times 17 \times 23$	-1	782
$5 \times 11$	-1	319	$3 \times 1 \times 5$	-1	1095
$5 \times 23$	-1	115	$3 \times 1 \times 11$	-1	2409
$7 \times 7$		217	$3 \times 1 \times 17$	-1	3723
$7 \times 11$	-1	77	$3 \times 1 \times 19$	-1	5529
$7 \times 13$	-1	91	$3 \times 5 \times 5$		435
$11 \times 11$		649	$3 \times 5 \times 7$	1	465
$11 \times 17$	-1	187	$3 \times 5 \times 13$	-1	195
$13 \times 17$	-1	533	$3 \times 5 \times 17$		255
$13 \times 19$	-1	247	$3 \times 5 \times 23$	-1	345
$17 \times 23$	-1	391	$3 \times 7 \times 11$	-1	231
$19 \times 19$		817	$3 \times 7 \times 17$	-1	273
$19 \times 23$	-1	437	$3 \times 7 \times 23$	-1	483
$2 \times 1 \times 7$	-1	1022	$3 \times 11 \times 17$	1	2937
$2 \times 1 \times 13$	-1	1898	$3 \times 11 \times 19$	1	627
$2 \times 5 \times 5$		290	$3 \times 13 \times 17$	-1	1599
$2 \times 5 \times 11$	-1	110	$3 \times 13 \times 23$	-1	1833
$2 \times 5 \times 17$	-1	170	$3 \times 17 \times 17$		2091
$2 \times 7 \times 13$		182	$3 \times 17 \times 19$	1	969
$2 \times 7 \times 19$	-1	602	$3 \times 19 \times 23$		1311

Serf [8] construct such a table for the curve  $E_n$ . Using Theorem 2, we can complement Serf's table.

## 4 Flowchart

In this section, we describe the flowchart giving the groups  $\text{Im}(\delta'_p)$ ,  $\text{Im}(\delta_p)$ , without proof (see [4] for some special cases). Recall that our elliptic curve is

$$y^2 = x^3 + Ax^2 + Bx$$

with a discriminant  $16B^2(A^2 - 4B)$ .

In the rest of this article, we denote by  $\langle c_1, \dots, c_n \rangle$  the subgroup of  $\mathbb{Q}_p^\times / \mathbb{Q}_p^{\times 2}$ , generated by  $c_1, \dots, c_n$ , and by  $u$  a non-square element modulo  $p$ . In view of the following well-known fact, if one of the groups  $\text{Im}(\delta_p)$ ,  $\text{Im}(\delta'_p)$  is given, the other group is automatically given.

**Theorem 4** *Let  $p \in M_{\mathbb{Q}}$  and  $(\cdot, \cdot)_p$  be the Hilbert symbol. For a subgroup  $V \subset \mathbb{Q}_p^\times / \mathbb{Q}_p^{\times 2}$ , we define  $V^\perp = \{x \in \mathbb{Q}_p^\times / \mathbb{Q}_p^{\times 2} \mid (x, y)_p = 1 \text{ for all } y \in V\}$ . Then*

$$\text{Im}(\delta_p) = \text{Im}(\delta'_p)^\perp.$$

From the locus  $E(\mathbb{R})$ , the images  $\text{Im}(\delta'_\infty)$ ,  $\text{Im}(\delta_\infty)$  are clearly given as follows.

1. If  $B > 0$  and  $(A < 0 \text{ or } A^2 - 4B < 0)$ , then  $\text{Im}(\delta'_\infty) = \{1\}$ ,  $\text{Im}(\delta_\infty) = \mathbb{R}^\times / \mathbb{R}^{\times 2}$ .
2. In the other case,  $\text{Im}(\delta'_\infty) = \mathbb{R}^\times / \mathbb{R}^{\times 2}$ ,  $\text{Im}(\delta_\infty) = \{1\}$ .

If  $p$  is a prime not dividing the discriminant, then  $\text{Im}(\delta'_p) = \mathbb{Z}_p^\times \mathbb{Q}_p^\times / \mathbb{Q}_p^{\times 2}$ ,  $\text{Im}(\delta_p) = \mathbb{Z}_p^\times \mathbb{Q}_p^\times / \mathbb{Q}_p^{\times 2}$ . For the groups  $I_p = \text{Im}(\delta'_p)$ ,  $J_p = \text{Im}(\delta_p)$  with an odd prime  $p$  dividing the discriminant, go to Question A1. For the groups  $I_2 = \text{Im}(\delta'_2)$ ,  $J_2 = \text{Im}(\delta_2)$ , go to Question B1.

**A1** Does the prime  $p$  divide  $B$ ?

- Yes  $\rightarrow$  Go to A3.
- No  $\rightarrow$  Go to A2.

**A2** ( $p \nmid B$ ) Let  $a = \text{ord}_p(A^2 - 4B)$ . Then

- $a$  is even and  $(-2A/p) = -1 \rightarrow I_p = \mathbb{Z}_p^\times \mathbb{Q}_p^{\times 2} / \mathbb{Q}_p^{\times 2}$ .
- the other case  $\rightarrow I_p = \{1\}$ .

**A3** Does the prime  $p$  divide  $A$ ?

- Yes  $\rightarrow$  Go to A5.
- No  $\rightarrow$  Go to A4.

**A4** ( $p \nmid A, p \mid B$ ) Let  $b = \text{ord}_p(B)$ . Then

- $b$  is even and  $(A/p) = -1 \rightarrow I_p = \mathbb{Z}_p^\times \mathbb{Q}_p^{\times 2} / \mathbb{Q}_p^{\times 2}$ .
- the other case  $\rightarrow I_p = \mathbb{Q}_p^\times / \mathbb{Q}_p^{\times 2}$ .

**A5** ( $p \mid A, p \mid B$ ) Let  $a = \text{ord}_p(A)$ ,  $b = \text{ord}_p(B)$ . Which is your case?

- $b = 1 \rightarrow$  Go to A6.
- $b = 2, a = 1 \rightarrow$  Go to A8.
- $b = 2, a \geq 2 \rightarrow$  Go to A14.
- $b \geq 3, a = 1 \rightarrow$  Go to A7.
- $b = 3, a \geq 2 \rightarrow$  Go to A6.

**A6** ( $b = 1$  or  $b = 3, a \geq 2$ ) In your case,  $I_p = \langle B \rangle$ .

**A7** ( $b \geq 3, a = 1$ ) In your case,  $I_p = \langle -A, B \rangle$ .

**A8** ( $b = 2, a = 1$ ) Which is your case?

- $(A'^2 - 4B'/p) = 1 \rightarrow$  Go to A11.
- $(A'^2 - 4B'/p) = -1 \rightarrow$  Go to A10.
- $(A'^2 - 4B'/p) = 0 \rightarrow$  Go to A9.

**A9** In your case,  $J_p = \langle 2A, A^2 - 4B \rangle$ .

**A10** In your case,  $I_p = \langle B \rangle$ .

**A11** Is  $B$  a square in  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ ?

- Yes  $\rightarrow$  Go to A13.
- No  $\rightarrow$  Go to A12.

**A12** In your case,  $I_p = \mathbb{Q}_p^\times / \mathbb{Q}_p^{\times 2}$ .

**A13** Let  $A = pA', B = p^2B'$ . Since  $B$  is a square in  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ , the congruence  $x^2 \equiv B' \pmod{p}$  has solutions. We denote by  $\sqrt{B'}$  one of such solutions. Then the image is given as follows.

- $(A' + 2\sqrt{B'}/p) = 1 \rightarrow J_p = \langle p \rangle$ .
- $(A' + 2\sqrt{B'}/p) = -1 \rightarrow J_p = \langle pu \rangle$ .

**A14** ( $b = 2, a \geq 2$ ) Is  $-B$  a square in  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ ?

- Yes  $\rightarrow$  Go to A16.
- No  $\rightarrow$  Go to A15.

**A15** In your case,  $I_p = \langle B \rangle$ .

**A16** Which is the value  $p \pmod{4}$ ?

- $p \equiv 1 \pmod{4} \rightarrow$  Go to A18.
- $p \equiv 3 \pmod{4} \rightarrow$  Go to A17.

**A17** In your case,  $I_p = \mathbb{Q}_p^\times / \mathbb{Q}_p^{\times 2}$ .

**A18** In your case, the image is given as follows.

- $(-B')^{(p-1)/4} \equiv 1 \pmod{p} \rightarrow I_p = \langle p \rangle$ .
- $(-B')^{(p-1)/4} \equiv -1 \pmod{p} \rightarrow I_p = \langle pu \rangle$ .

**B1** Let  $a = \text{ord}_2(A)$ ,  $b = \text{ord}_2(B)$ . Which is your case?

- $a = 0, b = 0 \rightarrow$  Go to B2.
- $a = 0, b \geq 1 \rightarrow$  Go to B8.
- $a = 1, b = 0 \rightarrow$  Go to B10.
- $a \geq 1, b = 1 \rightarrow$  Go to B3.
- $a = 1, b = 2 \rightarrow$  Go to B3.
- $a = 1, b \geq 3 \rightarrow$  Go to B9.
- $a \geq 2, b = 0 \rightarrow$  Go to B6.
- $a = 2, b = 2 \rightarrow$  Go to B14.
- $a = 2, b = 3 \rightarrow$  Go to B4.
- $a \geq 3, b = 2 \rightarrow$  Go to B7.
- $a \geq 3, b = 3 \rightarrow$  Go to B5.

**B2** ( $a = 0, b = 0$ ) In your case, the image is given as follows.

- $B \equiv 3 \pmod{4}$  or  $A \equiv B + 2 \pmod{8} \rightarrow I_2 = \mathbb{Z}_2^\times \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2} / \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$ .
- the other case  $\rightarrow I_2 = \langle 5 \rangle$ .

**B3** ( $a \geq 1, b = 1$  or  $a = 1, b = 2$ ) In your case,  $I_2 = \langle B, (B + 1)(-A + 1) \rangle$ .

**B4** ( $a = 2, b = 3$ ) In your case,  $I_2 = \langle 5, B \rangle$ .

**B5** ( $a \geq 3, b = 3$ ) In your case,  $I_2 = \langle B \rangle$ .

**B6** ( $a \geq 2, b = 0$ ) In your case, the image is given as follows.

- $B \equiv 3 \pmod{4}$  and  $A + B \equiv 7$  or  $11 \pmod{16} \rightarrow I_2 = \mathbb{Z}_2^\times \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2} / \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$ .
- the other case  $\rightarrow I_2 = \langle B \rangle$ .

**B7** ( $a \geq 3, b = 2$ ) Let  $B = 2^2 B'$ . Then the image is given as follows.

- $a = 3$  and  $B' \not\equiv 5, 9 \pmod{16} \rightarrow J_2 = \langle -B' + 4 \rangle$ .
- $a = 4$  and  $B' \equiv 1, 13 \pmod{16} \rightarrow J_2 = \mathbb{Z}_2^\times \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2} / \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$ .
- $a \neq 4$  and  $B' \equiv 5, 9 \pmod{16} \rightarrow J_2 = \mathbb{Z}_2^\times \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2} / \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$ .
- the other case  $\rightarrow J_2 = \langle -B' \rangle$ .

**B8** ( $a = 0, b \geq 1$ ) In your case, the image is given as the following table.

$A \bmod 8$	$b$	$I_2$
1	1	$\langle 5, B \rangle$
	2, 3	$\mathbb{Q}_2^\times / \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$
	4	$\mathbb{Z}_2^\times \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2} / \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$
	$\geq 5$	$\mathbb{Q}_2^\times / \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$
3	1	$\mathbb{Q}_2^\times / \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$
	2	$\langle 5, B \rangle$
	3	$\langle 2, 5, B \rangle$
	$\geq 4$	$\langle -2, 5, B \rangle$

$A \bmod 8$	$b$	$I_2$
5	1	$\langle 5, B \rangle$
	2	$\mathbb{Q}_2^\times / \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$
	$\geq 3$ : odd	$\mathbb{Q}_2^\times / \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$
	$\geq 4$ : even	$\mathbb{Z}_2^\times \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2} / \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$
7	1	$\mathbb{Q}_2^\times / \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$
	2	$\langle 5, B \rangle$
	3	$\langle -2, 5, B \rangle$
	$\geq 4$	$\langle 2, 5, B \rangle$

**B9** ( $a = 1, b \geq 3$ ) In your case, the image is given as the following table.

$A \bmod 16$	$B \bmod 32$	$I_2$
2	0	$\langle -1, 2, B \rangle$
	8	$\mathbb{Q}_2^\times / \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$
	16	$\langle -1, 10, B \rangle$
	24	$\mathbb{Q}_2^\times / \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$
6	0	$\langle -2, -5, B \rangle$
	8	$\mathbb{Q}_2^\times / \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$
	16	$\langle 2, -5, B \rangle$
	24	$\langle 2, -5 \rangle$

$A \bmod 16$	$B \bmod 32$	$I_2$
10	0	$\langle -1, 10, B \rangle$
	8	$\langle -1, 2 \rangle$
	16	$\langle -1, 2, B \rangle$
	24	$\langle -1, 10 \rangle$
14	0	$\langle 2, -5, B \rangle$
	8	$\langle 2, -5 \rangle$
	16	$\langle -2, -5, B \rangle$
	24	$\mathbb{Q}_2^\times / \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$

**B10** ( $a = 1, b = 0$ ) Which is the value  $B \bmod 8$ ?

- $B \equiv 1 \pmod{8} \rightarrow$  Go to B13.
- $B \equiv 5 \pmod{8} \rightarrow$  Go to B12.
- $B \equiv 3$  or  $7 \pmod{8} \rightarrow$  Go to B11.

**B11** In your case,  $I_2 = \langle B \rangle$ .

**B12** In your case, the image is given as follows.

- If  $(A \bmod 32, B \bmod 32)$  is one of the following, then  $I_2 = \mathbb{Z}_2^\times \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2} / \mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$ .  
 $(2, 29), (6, 5), (6, 21), (10, 5), (14, 13), (14, 29),$   
 $(18, 13), (22, 5), (22, 21), (26, 21), (30, 13), (30, 29).$
- In the other case,  $I_2 = \langle 5 \rangle$ .



**B13** Let  $A = 2A'$  and  $C = A'^2 - B$ , then the image is given as the following table.

$A' \pmod 8$	$\text{ord}_2(C)$	$J_2$	$A' \pmod 8$	$\text{ord}_2(C)$	$J_2$
1	3	$\mathbb{Q}_2^\times/\mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$	5	3	$\mathbb{Q}_2^\times/\mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$
	4	$\langle 5, C \rangle$		4	$\langle 5, C \rangle$
	5	$\langle -2, 5, C \rangle$		5	$\langle 2, 5, C \rangle$
	$\geq 6$	$\langle 2, 5, C \rangle$		$\geq 6$	$\langle -2, 5, C \rangle$
3	3	$\langle 5, C \rangle$	7	3	$\langle 5, C \rangle$
	4	$\mathbb{Q}_2^\times/\mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$		4, 5	$\mathbb{Q}_2^\times/\mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$
	$\geq 5$ : odd	$\mathbb{Q}_2^\times/\mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$		6	$\mathbb{Z}_2^\times\mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}/\mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$
	$\geq 6$ : even	$\mathbb{Z}_2^\times\mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}/\mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$		$\geq 7$	$\mathbb{Q}_2^\times/\mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$

**B14** ( $a = b = 2$ ) Let  $A = 4A'$ ,  $B = 4B'$ . Which is the value  $B' \pmod 8$ ?

- $B' \equiv 1 \pmod 8 \rightarrow$  Go to B16.
- $B' \equiv 3, 5$  or  $7 \pmod 8 \rightarrow$  Go to B15.

**B15** In your case,  $J_2 = \langle A'^2 - B', (A'^2 - B' + 1)(2A' + 1) \rangle$ .

**B16** Let  $C = A'^2 - B'$ , then the image is given as the following table.

$A \pmod{32}$	$C \pmod{32}$	$J_2$	$A \pmod{32}$	$C \pmod{32}$	$J_2$
4	0	$\langle 2, -5, C \rangle$	20	0	$\langle -2, -5, C \rangle$
	8	$\langle 2, -5 \rangle$		8	$\mathbb{Q}_2^\times/\mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$
	16	$\langle -2, -5, C \rangle$		16	$\langle 2, -5, C \rangle$
	24	$\mathbb{Q}_2^\times/\mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$		24	$\langle 2, -5 \rangle$
12	0	$\langle -1, 10, C \rangle$	28	0	$\langle -1, 2, C \rangle$
	8	$\langle -1, 2 \rangle$		8	$\mathbb{Q}_2^\times/\mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$
	16	$\langle -1, 2, C \rangle$		16	$\langle -1, 10, C \rangle$
	24	$\langle -1, 10 \rangle$		24	$\mathbb{Q}_2^\times/\mathbb{Q}_2^{\times 2}$

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