

# Calculations for Broué's abelian defect group conjecture

## ブルエの可換不足群予想の計算

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This is a joint work with **Naoko Kunugi** and **Katsushi Waki**, and a detailed version of a result presented here is in [6].

It has been conjectured by Michel Broué that a block algebra of a finite group should be derived (Rickard) equivalent to a block algebra of the normalizer of a common defect group which correspond each other via the Brauer correspondence provided the defect group is abelian, see [2, 6.2.Question]. This is known as *Broué's Abelian Defect Group Conjecture*, (ADGC) for short. We have been continuing a project on Broué's ADGC for a specific defect group, say the elementary abelian group of order nine, see [3], [4], [5]. Our main result here is the following:

**Theorem** (Koshitani-Kunugi-Waki, 2005). *Let  $G$  be the Janko simple group  $J_4$ , and let  $(\mathcal{O}, \mathcal{K}, k)$  be a splitting 3-modular system for all subgroups of  $G$ , namely,  $\mathcal{O}$  is a complete discrete valuation ring of rank one such that  $\mathcal{K}$  is the quotient field of  $\mathcal{O}$  with  $\text{char}(\mathcal{K}) = 0$  and such that  $k$  is the residue field of  $\mathcal{O}$ , namely  $k = \mathcal{O}/\text{rad}(\mathcal{O})$ , with  $\text{char}(k) = 3$ , and  $\mathcal{K}$  and  $k$  are both splitting fields for all subgroups of  $G$ . Let  $A$  be a unique block algebra of  $\mathcal{O}G$  whose defect group  $P$  is elementary abelian of order 9, and let  $B$  be the Brauer correspondent of  $A$  in  $\mathcal{O}H$  where  $H = N_G(P)$ . Then,  $A$  and  $B$  are derived (Rickard) equivalent. In fact, even stronger fact is proved, namely,  $A$  and  $B$  are splendidly derived (Rickard) equivalent, see [9] and [10].*

**Remark.** In our proof results in papers of Okuyama [7] and [8] are important.

**Corollary.** *It turns out that Broué's ADGC holds for any prime  $p$  and any block algebra of  $G$ . This means that Broué's ADGC is settled for all primes and all block algebras of  $J_4$ .*

**Proof.** This follows immediately from Theorem and [1, Lemma 5.1].

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