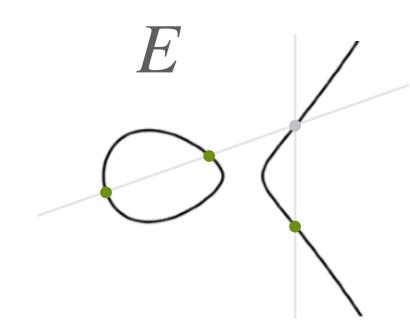
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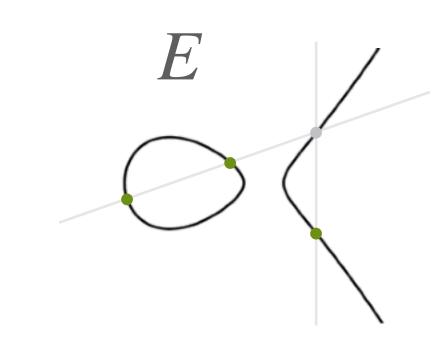


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$$(\varphi + \psi)(P) = \varphi(P) + \psi(P)$$

• we can "multiply" endomorphisms by composition

$$(\varphi \cdot \psi)(P) = \varphi(\psi(P))$$

• so, we get a ring structure End(E), by our examples dimension is at least 2

