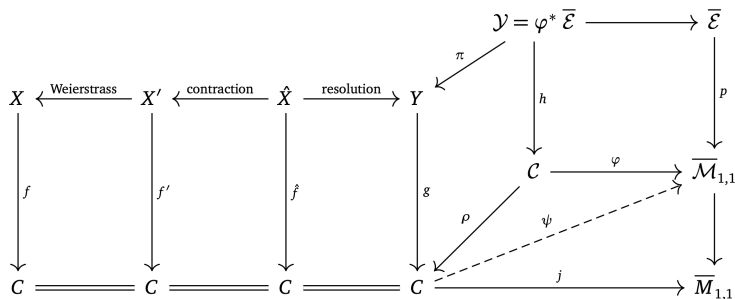


# Geometric Interpretation of Tate's Algorithm



Here  $f$  is a Weierstrass model,  $\psi$  is the associated weighted linear series viewed as a rational map to  $\bar{\mathcal{M}}_{1,1}$ ,  $\varphi$  is a twisted morphism from the universal tuning stack  $\mathcal{C}$  which induces a stable stack-like model  $h : \mathcal{Y} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$  where  $g : Y \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$  is the twisted model via coarse moduli maps,  $\hat{f}$  is a resolution of  $Y$ , and  $f'$  is the relative minimal model obtained by contracting relative  $(-1)$ -curves.

Suppose that normalized base multiplicity  $m = 3$ . This occurs if and only if  $(\nu(a_4), \nu(a_6)) = (1, \geq 2)$ . Then  $r = 12/\gcd(3, 12) = 4$  and  $a = 3/\gcd(3, 12) = 1$ . Thus the stabilizer of the twisted curve acts on the central fiber of the twisted model via the character  $\mu_4 \rightarrow \mu_4, \zeta_4 \mapsto \zeta_4^{-1}$ . In particular, the central fiber  $E$  of  $\mathcal{Y}$  has  $j = 1728$ . The  $\mu_4$  action on  $E$  has two fixed points, and there is an orbit of size two with stabilizer  $\mu_2 \subset \mu_4$ . Let  $E_0$  be the image of  $E$  in the twisted model  $Y$ . As  $E$  appears with multiplicity 4,  $Y$  has  $\frac{1}{4}(-1, -1)$  quotient singularities at the images of the the fixed points and a  $\frac{1}{2}(-1, -1)$  singularity at the image of the orbit of size two. Each of these singularities is resolved by a single blowup to obtain  $\hat{X}$  with central fiber  $4\tilde{E}_0 + E_1 + E_2 + E_3$  where  $E_i$  are the exceptional divisors of the resolution for  $i = 1, 2, 3$  and  $E_1^2 = E_2^2 = -4$  with  $E_3^2 = -2$ . Then  $\tilde{E}_0$  is a  $(-1)$ -curve so it needs to be contracted. After this contraction  $E_2$  becomes a  $(-1)$  curve and must also be contracted. Since  $E_i$  for  $i = 1, 2, 3$  are incident and pairwise transverse after blowing down  $\tilde{E}_0$ , then the images of  $E_1$  and  $E_2$  must be tangent after blowing down  $E_3$ . Moreover, they are now  $(-2)$ -curves and the relatively minimal model for type III.

# Tate's Algorithm via Twisted Morphisms

## Theorem (Dori Bejleri–JP–Matthew Satriano; April 2024)

If  $\text{char}(K) \neq 2, 3$ . Then the twisting condition  $(r, a)$  and the order of vanishing of  $j$  at  $j = \infty$  determine the Kodaira fiber type, and  $(r, a)$  is in turn determined by  $m = \min\{3\nu(a_4), 2\nu(a_6)\}$ .

$\gamma : (\nu(a_4), \nu(a_6))$	Reduction type with $j \in \overline{M}_{1,1}$	$\Gamma : (r, a)$
$(\geq 1, 1)$	II with $j = 0$	$(6, 1)$
$(1, \geq 2)$	III with $j = 1728$	$(4, 1)$
$(\geq 2, 2)$	IV with $j = 0$	$(3, 1)$
$(2, 3)$	$I_{k>0}^*$ with $j = \infty$ $I_0^*$ with $j \neq 0, 1728$	$(2, 1)$
$(\geq 3, 3)$	$I_0^*$ with $j = 0$	$(2, 1)$
$(2, \geq 4)$	$I_0^*$ with $j = 1728$	$(2, 1)$
$(\geq 3, 4)$	$IV^*$ with $j = 0$	$(3, 2)$
$(3, \geq 5)$	$III^*$ with $j = 1728$	$(4, 3)$
$(\geq 4, 5)$	$II^*$ with $j = 0$	$(6, 5)$

# Geometric Meaning of Height Moduli Framework

1. So one can run the resolution / minimal model. As these are *algebraic surfaces* it can be done over  $\text{char}(K) = p > 0$
2. A twisted morphism  $\varphi : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{1,1}$  with its twisting data  $\Gamma$  from the universal tuning stack  $\mathcal{C}$  induces a stable stack-like model  $h : \mathcal{Y} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$  as a unique pullback of the universal family  $p : \overline{\mathcal{E}} \rightarrow \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{1,1}$ . All the ensuing birational geometry is natural.
3. True purpose of a **representable classifying morphism** is in the universal principle that  $\varphi$  intrinsically contains all the algebro-geometric data necessary to uniquely determine a fibration with singular fibers. This is the very essence of the inner arithmetic of rational points on moduli stacks over  $K$ .

# Algebraic Geometry $\cap$ Topology $\iff$ Arithmetic

1. Consider the fact that  $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{1,1}$  could have been any other algebraic stack  $\mathcal{X}$  (such as  $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_g$  or  $\overline{\mathcal{A}}_g$ ) which is the representing object for certain moduli functor as the fine moduli stack together with the universal family  $p : \overline{\mathcal{E}} \rightarrow \mathcal{X}$ .
2. Representable classifying morphisms as twisted morphisms  $\varphi : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{X}$  uniquely determines certain families of varieties (of algebraic curves or abelian varieties) with non-abelian stabilizers ( $g \geq 2$ ). And they naturally have corresponding “Tate’s algorithm”, counting statements and so on.
3. Geometrizing  $\mathcal{X}(K)$  leads to Height moduli space  $\mathcal{M}_n(\mathcal{X}, \mathcal{V})$ . Once we have a **space**, we compute its **invariants**, consider all invariants simultaneously via generating series and show the motivic height zeta function’s **rationality**, naturally having various kinds of **consequences**.

## Theorem (Dori Bejleri–JP–Matthew Satriano; April 2024)

$$\left\{ \mathcal{W}_{n=1}^{\min}(\mathcal{P}(\vec{\lambda})) \right\} = \{\mathbb{P}^N\}(\mathbb{L}^{|\vec{\lambda}|} - \mathbb{L}) + \mathbb{L}^{N+1} \{\mathbb{P}^{|\vec{\lambda}|-N-2}\}$$

$$\left\{ \mathcal{W}_{n \geq 2}^{\min}(\mathcal{P}(\vec{\lambda})) \right\} = \mathbb{L}^{(n-2)|\vec{\lambda}|+N+2} (\mathbb{L}^{|\vec{\lambda}|-1} - 1) \{\mathbb{P}^{|\vec{\lambda}|-1}\}$$

Take  $|\vec{\lambda}| = 10$  and  $N = 1$  as  $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{1,1} \cong \mathcal{P}(4, 6)$  over  $\mathbb{Z}[1/6]$ .

1. When  $n = 1$ ,  $X$  is a **Rational elliptic surface**.

$$\{\mathcal{W}_1^{\min}\} = \mathbb{L}^{11} + \mathbb{L}^{10} + \mathbb{L}^9 + \mathbb{L}^8 + \mathbb{L}^7 + \mathbb{L}^6 + \mathbb{L}^5 + \mathbb{L}^4 + \mathbb{L}^3 - \mathbb{L}$$

2. When  $n = 2$ ,  $X$  is algebraic  $K3$  surface with elliptic fibration (i.e., **Projective elliptic K3 surface with moduli dim. 18**).

$$\{\mathcal{W}_2^{\min}\} = \mathbb{L}^{21} + \mathbb{L}^{20} + \mathbb{L}^{19} + \mathbb{L}^{18} + \mathbb{L}^{17} + \mathbb{L}^{16} + \mathbb{L}^{15} + \mathbb{L}^{14} + \mathbb{L}^{13} - \mathbb{L}^{11} - \mathbb{L}^{10} - \mathbb{L}^9 - \mathbb{L}^8 - \mathbb{L}^7 - \mathbb{L}^6 - \mathbb{L}^5 - \mathbb{L}^4 - \mathbb{L}^3$$

$$= \mathbb{L}(\mathbb{L}^2 - 1) \left( \mathbb{L}^{18} + \mathbb{L}^{17} + 2\mathbb{L}^{16} + 2\mathbb{L}^{15} + 3\mathbb{L}^{14} + 3\mathbb{L}^{13} + 4\mathbb{L}^{12} + 4\mathbb{L}^{11} + 5\mathbb{L}^{10} + 4\mathbb{L}^9 + 4\mathbb{L}^8 + 3\mathbb{L}^7 + 3\mathbb{L}^6 + 2\mathbb{L}^5 + 2\mathbb{L}^4 + \mathbb{L}^3 + \mathbb{L}^2 \right)$$