

# MATH 178 Homework #12

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# Elliptic Curve Cryptography

## 1.

Our EC is  $y^2 = x^3 + 17$ . This means  $a_1 = 0$ ,  $a_3 = 0$ ,  $a_2 = 0$ ,  $a_4 = 0$ ,  $a_6 = 17$ .

Add  $[-2, 3]$  to  $[2, -5]$  in the EC.

$$m = \frac{(-5) - 3}{2 - (-2)} = -2 \quad (1)$$

$$y = ax + b \rightarrow 3 = -2x + b \rightarrow y = -2x - 1 \quad (2)$$

$$\text{Solve for } y^2 = x^3 + 17 \text{ and } y = -2x - 1 \quad (3)$$

$$0 = (x + 2)(x - 2)(x - 4) \quad (4)$$

$$y = -2(4) - 1 \rightarrow y = -9 \quad (5)$$

Therefore,  $[-2, 3] + [2, -5] + [4, -9] = 0$ .

$$[-2, 3] + [2, -5] = -[4, -9]. \quad y^2 = 4^3 + 17 = 81, \quad y = -9, 9.$$

$$[-2, 3] + [2, -5] = [4, 9]$$

$$\text{Using the equation, } \lambda = \frac{-5-3}{2-(-2)} = -2. \quad \nu = \frac{3*2-(-5*-2)}{2-(-2)} = -1.$$

$$x_3 = (-2)^2 - (-2) - 2 = 4. \quad y_3 = -(-2)4 - (-1) = 9$$

$$[-2, 3] + [2, -5] = [4, 9]$$

## 2.

To double the point  $[-2, 3]$ , begin with implicit differentiation.

$$y^2 = x^3 + 17 \quad (1)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(y^2) = \frac{d}{dx}(x^3 + 17) \quad (2)$$

$$2y \frac{dy}{dx} = 3x^2 \quad (3)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3x^2}{2y} \quad (4)$$

At the point  $[-2, 3]$ , the slope becomes  $\frac{3*4}{2*3} = 2$ . Finding the line,  $y = 2x + 7$ .

Solving the equations,  $y = 2x + 7$  and  $y^2 = x^3 + 17$ ,  $0 = (x + 2)^2(x - 8)$ .  
 $x = 8$ ,  $y = 2 * 8 + 7 = 23$ . Therefore  $2[-2, 3] + [8, 23] = 0$ .  $-[8, 23] = [8, -23]$ .

$$2[-2, 3] = [8, -23]$$

**3.**

$e = [0, 0, 0, 0, 17]$

$q = [-2, 3]$

$r = [2, 5]$

$2q = \text{ellpow}(e, q, 2) = [8, -23]$

$q+r = \text{elladd}(e, q, r) = [1/4, -33/8]$

$3q = \text{ellpow}(e, q, 3) = [19/25, 522/125]$

$4q = \text{ellpow}(e, q, 4) = [752/529, -54239/12167]$

$2r = \text{ellpow}(e, r, 2) = [-64/25, 59/125]$

$q-r = \text{ellsub}(e, q, r) = [4, 9]$

$2q-r = \text{ellsub}(e, q2, r) = [-1, -4]$

$3q-r = \text{ellsub}(e, q3, r) = [52, 375]$

$4q-r = \text{ellsub}(e, q4, r) = [-206/81, 541/729]$

$2q-2r = \text{ellsub}(e, q2, r2) = [-8/9, 109/27]$