Coleman Extensions Examples

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Abstract

This shows some example calculations using the Coleman Extensions Magma library for computing Coleman integrals to number field points and run effective Chabauty for curves with known infinite order divisors.

1 A curve without an infinite order rational point

To load the code you must load both the Coleman library of Balakrishnan and Tuitman as well as the Coleman Extensions library:

```
> load "coleman.m";
> load "colemanextensions.m";
```

In this example we consider the Chabauty-Coleman calculation for the curve with the plane model $y^3 = x^4 + 7x^3 + 3x^2 - x$. First we compute the rank using RankBounds.

Since x represents a torsion divisor, we have to choose an infinite order divisor which is a sum of points defined over a degree three extension of \mathbb{Q} . Let $g = x^3 + 6x^2 + 3x - 1$. We will run Chabauty-Coleman using this divisor. To choose an appropriate prime of which the roots of g are defined we ask for the first split prime:

```
> first_split_prime(g,33264270000);
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```

where 33264270000 is the discriminant of f.

We can construct the splitting field of g and set the divisor corresponding to g manually by computing the b_0^i vector $[1, y, y^2]$ using the following code. We start by defining the Coleman data from the Balakrishnan and Tuitman code, then we compute the points to set in the divisor.

```
> p:=17;
> N:=10;
> data:=coleman_data(y^3-f,p,N);
> L, roots:=SplittingField(x^3 + 6*x^2 + 3*x - 1);
> bvals:=[];
> for r in roots do
for> bool,b:=IsPower(Evaluate(f,r),3);
for> bvals:=Append(bvals,[1,b,b^2]);
for> end for;
> bvals;
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        1,
        r.1,
        r.1^2
   ],
        1,
        r.1^2 + 5*r.1 - 2
        -6*r.1^2 - 31*r.1 + 8
   ],
    1,
        -r.1^2 - 6*r.1 - 4,
        5*r.1^2 + 31*r.1 + 22
    ]
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> OL:=MaximalOrder(L);
> p_splitting:=Factorization(p*OL);
> prime_over_p:=p_splitting[1][1];
> inf:=false;
> divisor:=true;
> D:=set_bad_div(roots,bvals,inf,data,L,prime_over_p,divisor);
rec<recformat<x, b, inf, xt, bt, index, divisor, L> |
    x := [-573834685435 + 0(17^10), -66446288765 + 0(17^10), 640280974194 +
        0(17^10)],
    b := [
        [1 + 0(17^{10}), -573834685435 + 0(17^{10}), 786733237963 + 0(17^{10})],
        [1 + 0(17^10), -66446288765 + 0(17^10), 972512418021 + 0(17^10)],
        [1 + 0(17^{10}), 640280974194 + 0(17^{10}), 256748244495 + 0(17^{10})]
   ],
    inf := false,
    divisor := true,
    L := Number Field with defining polynomial x^3 + 6*x^2 + 3*x - 1 over the
        Rational Field>
```

To automatically find rational points up to a bound on f and set $\mathrm{Div}(g) - 3\infty$ as a divisor on f without going through the steps above we can simply define the usual Coleman data from Balakrishnan and Tuitman and then run the Q_divs function:

```
> g:=x^3 + 6*x^2 + 3*x - 1;
> bound:=1000;
> Qdivs:=Q_divs(data, bound, g);
Then some points of Qdivs are rational points, for example
> Qdivs[1];
```

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rec<recformat<x, b, inf, xt, bt, index, divisor, L> |
   x := [0],
   b := [
        [1 + 0(17^10), 0, 0]
    ],
    inf := false,
    divisor := false,
   L := Rational Field>
  corresponds to the rational point [0,0,1]. But,
> Qdivs[3];
rec<recformat<x, b, inf, xt, bt, index, divisor, L> |
    x := [-573834685435 + 0(17^10), 640280974194 + 0(17^10), -66446288765 +
        0(17^10)],
    b := [
        [1 + 0(17^10), -573834685435 + 0(17^10), 786733237963 + 0(17^10)],
        [1 + 0(17^{10}), 640280974194 + 0(17^{10}), 256748244495 + 0(17^{10})],
        [1 + 0(17^10), -66446288765 + 0(17^10), 972512418021 + 0(17^10)]
   ],
    inf := false,
    divisor := true,
   L := Number Field with defining polynomial x^3 + 6*x^2 + 3*x - 1 over the
        Rational Field>
```

corresponds to the divisor $Div(g) - 3\infty$ defined above manually. We can run effective Chabauty using this known infinite order divisor to compute the vanishing differential using the function

```
> L, v:=effective_chabauty_with_Qdiv(data:Qpoints:=Qdivs,e:=150);
```

As in the code of Balakrishnan and Tuitman this returns a list of candidate points and annihilating differentials:

```
> L;
rec<recformat<x, b, inf, xt, bt, index> |
        x := 0(17^6),
        b := [1 + 0(17^10), 0(17^4), 0(17^2)],
        inf := true>,
    rec<recformat<x, b, inf, xt, bt, index> |
        x := O(17^10),
        b := [1 + 0(17^10), 0(17^6), 0(17^10)],
        inf := false>,
    rec<recformat<x, b, inf, xt, bt, index> |
        x := 539378708825 + O(17^10)
        b := [1 + O(17^10), O(17^6), O(17^10)],
        inf := false>,
    rec<recformat<x, b, inf, xt, bt, index> |
        x := 743576159772 + O(17^10),
        b := [1 + 0(17^10), 0(17^6), 0(17^10)],
        inf := false>,
    rec<recformat<x, b, inf, xt, bt, index> |
        x := 733039031845 + O(17^10),
        b := [1 + 0(17^10), 0(17^6), 0(17^10)],
        inf := false>,
    rec<recformat<x, b, inf, xt, bt, index> |
        x := 1 + 0(17^6),
        b := [1 + 0(17^10), 10462466 + 0(17^6), -4761912 + 0(17^6)],
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inf := false>
]
> v;
[
    [1 + 0(17^7), 0(17^7), 0(17^7)],
    [0(17^7), 1 + 0(17^7), 0(17^7)],
    [0(17^7), 0(17^7), 1 + 0(17^7)]
]
```

The vanishing differentials are computed by finding regular one-forms which vanishes on the integral over D as well as all known rational points; this integral over D is computed by summing over the integrals to all points in the support of the divisor Div(g) from the basepoint ∞ . In this case we get an unusually large space of vanishing differentials for a rank 1 curve.

2 An endomorphism example

One can also use the code to compute integrals to number field points, for example to check if a point is torsion. Here we exhibit another example of points on a Picard curve which are not explained by torsion or linearity, but instead come from the presence of extra endomorphisms of the curve. The curve is a rank 2 Picard curve given by the plane model $y^3 - (x^4 - 2)$ and we can run Chabauty as in the example above at p = 5 to get 5-adic points which can be recognized as global points $Q_1 = [i, -1, 1]$ and $Q_2 = [-i, -1, 1]$.

There is a function which computes basis integrals to number field points, allowing one to quickly test relations with Coleman integrals:

For example, this shows that $Q_1 + Q_2 - 2\infty$ is torsion while $Q_i - \infty$ is not torsion. More generally, one can use compute_integrals to easily compute all basis integrals between an enumerated sequence of rational points (replacing the empty sequence) and an enumerated sequence of points over a number field K.