

Fundamental Domains for Shimura curves

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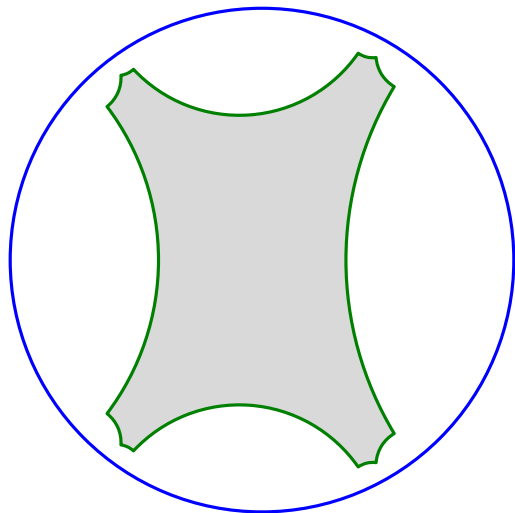


Figure 1: $F = \mathbb{Q}$, $\mathfrak{D} = 21$.

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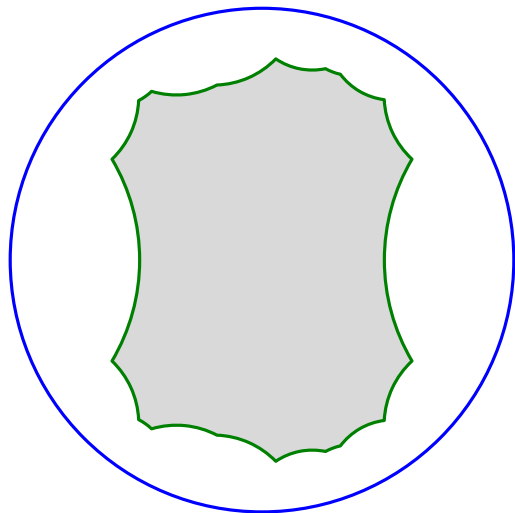


Figure 2: $F = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{5})$, $\text{Nm}_{F/\mathbb{Q}}(\mathfrak{D}) = 61$.

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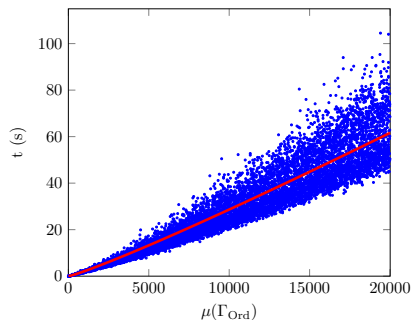


Figure 3: Time to compute the fundamental domain, $n = 1$.

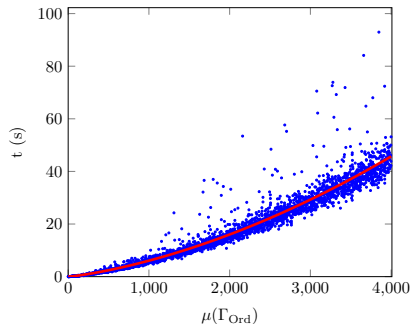


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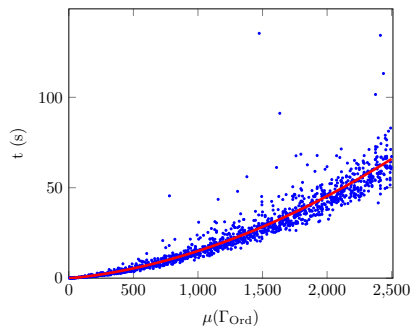


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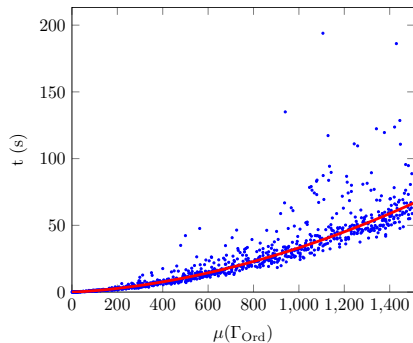


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Code in action

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