

**Arithmetic Relation Between Family of Elliptic Curves Over Finite Field****Haleemah Ghazwani\****Department of Mathematics, Science College, Jazan university, Saudi Arabia**\*Corresponding author: hqghazwani@jazanu.edu.sa*

**Abstract.** Let  $\mathbb{F}_q$  be a finite field, where  $q$  is an odd prime such that  $q > 3$ . Let  $f(t) = t^3 - t \in \mathbb{F}_q[t]$  be a polynomial of degree 3. For  $\lambda \neq 0$  in  $\mathbb{F}_q$ , consider families of elliptic curves  $\{E_\lambda\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*}$  and  $\{H_\lambda\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*}$  defined respectively by

$$v^2 = \lambda f(u) \text{ and } f(v) = \lambda f(u).$$

In this paper, I investigate the relation between the rational points over finite field on  $\{E_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q)\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*}$  and  $\{H_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q)\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*}$ , and determine the number of rational points on both of these family of curves.

**1. INTRODUCTION**

The Legendre symbol [5] of a element  $\alpha \in \mathbb{F}_q$  is given as:

$$\left(\frac{\alpha}{q}\right) \equiv \alpha^{\frac{q-1}{2}} \pmod{q}.$$

**Definition 1.1.** [5] Let  $q$  be a prime number, an element  $\alpha \in \mathbb{F}_q$  is called quadratic residue if there exists  $\beta \in \mathbb{F}_q$  satisfies

$$\beta^2 = \alpha.$$

If there is no such  $\beta$ , then  $\alpha$  a quadratic non-residue.

The quadratic character of  $\chi : \mathbb{F}_q \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  for  $\alpha \in \mathbb{F}_q$ , is given as follows:

$$\chi(\alpha) = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } \alpha = 0, \\ +1, & \text{if } \left(\frac{\alpha}{q}\right) = 1, \\ -1, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

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**Corollary 1.1.** [1] Let  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  be integers with an odd prime such that  $q \nmid \alpha$ , then

$$\sum_{u=0}^{q-1} \left( \frac{\alpha u^2 + \beta u + \gamma}{q} \right) = \begin{cases} -\left(\frac{\alpha}{q}\right) & \text{if } \beta^2 - 4\alpha\gamma \equiv 0 \pmod{q}, \\ (q-1)\left(\frac{\alpha}{q}\right) & \text{if } \beta^2 - 4\alpha\gamma \not\equiv 0 \pmod{q}. \end{cases}$$

**Definition 1.2.** [1] If  $\alpha \in \mathbb{F}_q$ , the Jacobsthal sum  $\phi_n(\alpha)$  is defined by

$$\phi_n(\alpha) = \sum_{u \in \mathbb{F}_q} \chi(u) \chi(u^n + \alpha),$$

where  $n$  is a positive integer.

For a smooth projective curve  $C$ , the Riemann hypothesis over finite fields says

$$|N - (q + 1)| \leq 2g\sqrt{q},$$

where  $N$  is the number of  $\mathbb{F}_q$ -rational points on  $C$ , and  $g$  is a genus of  $C$ .

**Definition 1.3.** [7] For an odd prime, the number of solutions  $(u, v) \in \mathbb{F}_q \times \mathbb{F}_q$  of quadratic polynomial  $f(u)$  is given by

$$\#\{(u, v) \in \mathbb{F}_q \times \mathbb{F}_q \mid v^2 = f(u)\} = q + \sum_{u=0}^{q-1} \chi(f(u)).$$

Consider the projective curve  $\mathcal{H}_\lambda$  defined by the equation homogeneous polynomial

$$F(u, v, z) = z^n f\left(\frac{v}{z}\right) - \lambda z^n f\left(\frac{u}{z}\right), \quad \lambda^n \neq 1 \text{ and } \lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*.$$

**Theorem 1.1.** [2] Let  $\mathbb{F}_q$  be a finite field of characteristic  $q$  such that  $q$  does not divide  $n$ . The projective curve  $\mathcal{H}_\lambda$  is non-singular at infinity.

**Definition 1.4.** [4] The genus of non-singular algebraic curve defined by a polynomial  $F(u, v)$  of degree  $t$  is given by the formula

$$g = \frac{1}{2} [(t-1)(t-2)].$$

## 2. RATIONAL POINTS ON A FAMILY OF CURVES $v^2 = \lambda f(u)$

Let  $f(u) = u^3 - u$  be a polynomial of degree 3 such that  $u \in \mathbb{F}_q$ . Consider the elliptic curve  $E_\lambda$  which is defined by

$$F(u, v) = v^2 - \lambda(u^3 - u), \text{ and } \lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*.$$

Let  $E_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q)$  denote the set of  $\mathbb{F}_q$ -rational points on the affine curve.

**Theorem 2.1.** For  $f(u) = u^3 - u$ , the number of rational points on the curve  $E_\lambda$  is given by

$$\#E_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q) = (q-3) + \chi(\lambda)\phi(-1) + 3.$$

*Proof.* Let

$$S = \{(0, 0), (\pm 1, 0)\},$$

be the set trivial rational points on a curve  $E_\lambda$ . Let  $\#E_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q)$  be the number of rational points  $(u, v) \in \mathbb{F}_q \times \mathbb{F}_q$  of the congruence  $v^2 = \lambda(u^3 - u) \pmod{q}$  and  $u \neq 0, \pm 1$  which is given as follow,

$$\begin{aligned} \#E_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q) &= \sum_{u \in \mathbb{F}_q^*} (1 + \chi(\lambda) \chi(u^3 - u)) + \#S \\ &= \sum_{u \in \mathbb{F}_q^*} 1 + \sum_{u \in \mathbb{F}_q^*} \chi(\lambda) \chi(u^3 - u) + 3 \\ &= (q - 3) + \chi(\lambda) \phi(-1) + 3. \end{aligned}$$

□

**Theorem 2.2.** Let  $\{E_\lambda\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q}$  be a family of elliptic curves, then  $\#\{E_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q)\}$  is given by

$$\#\{E_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q)\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*} = (q - 1)(q - 3) + 3.$$

*Proof.* Consider the set

$$E_\lambda^*(\mathbb{F}_q) = \{(u, v) \in \mathbb{F}_q \times \mathbb{F}_q \mid v^2 = \lambda(u^3 - u), \lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*, v \neq 0\},$$

where  $E_\lambda^*(\mathbb{F}_q) \cap E_\mu^*(\mathbb{F}_q) = \emptyset$  when  $\lambda \neq \mu$ . To prove this, assume  $E_\lambda^*(\mathbb{F}_q) \cap E_\mu^*(\mathbb{F}_q) \neq \emptyset$  for  $\lambda \neq \mu$ , then there exists  $(\alpha, \beta)$  that belongs to  $E_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q)$  and  $E_\mu(\mathbb{F}_q)$ , so  $\beta^2 = \lambda(\alpha^3 - \alpha)$  and  $\beta^2 = \mu(\alpha^3 - \alpha)$ , which implies either  $\mu = \lambda$  or  $\alpha = \pm 1$ , a contradiction since  $\lambda \neq \mu$  and  $\beta \neq 0$ . Let  $QR(\mathbb{F}_q)$  be the collection of elements that are quadratic residues in  $\mathbb{F}_q$ , while  $QNR(\mathbb{F}_q)$  is the the collection of elements that are quadratic non-residues in  $\mathbb{F}_q$ .

Consider the family of curves  $\{E_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q)\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*}$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} \{E_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q)\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*} &= \bigcup_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*} E_\lambda^*(\mathbb{F}_q) + S \\ \#\{E_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q)\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*} &= \sum_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*} \#E_\lambda^*(\mathbb{F}_q) + \#S \\ &= \sum_{\lambda \in QR(\mathbb{F}_q)} \#E_\lambda^*(\mathbb{F}_q) + \sum_{\lambda \in QNR(\mathbb{F}_q)} \#E_\lambda^*(\mathbb{F}_q) + \#S. \end{aligned}$$

Moreover, by Theorem 2.1.

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{q-1}{2} [(q-3) + \phi(-1)] + \frac{q-1}{2} [(q-3) - \phi(-1)] + 3 \\ &= \frac{q-1}{2} [(q-3) + \phi(-1) + (q-3) - \phi(-1)] + 3 \\ &= (q-1)(q-3) + 3. \end{aligned}$$

□

### 3. RATIONAL POINTS OF THE CURVE $H_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q)$

Consider the affine Holm curve [6]  $H_\lambda$  defined by  $F(u, v) = f(v) - \lambda f(u)$

$$H_\lambda : f(v) = \lambda f(u), \lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*$$

$$H_\lambda : v^3 - v = \lambda(u^3 - u), \lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*$$

and its projective model

$$\mathcal{H}_\lambda : v^3 - vz^2 = \lambda(u^3 - uz^2), \lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*$$

By Theorem 1.1.,  $\mathcal{H}_\lambda$  has no singularity at infinity. In addition, by solving the system of equation  $F_u = F_v = F_z = F = 0$ , I obtain  $H_\lambda$  is non-singular curve, Moreover, by Definition 1.4., the genus of  $H_\lambda$  is one.

The following set

$$T = \{(0, 0), (\pm 1, 0), (0, \pm 1), (\pm 1, \pm 1)\},$$

of trivial points of cardinality 9 contained in the following set

$$H_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q) = \{(u, v) \in \mathbb{F}_q \times \mathbb{F}_q : v^3 - v = \lambda(u^3 - u)\},$$

for each  $\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*$ . Let  $\#H_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q)$  be the number of  $\mathbb{F}_q$ -rational points on the affine curve  $H_\lambda$ . Then by the Riemann Hypothesis over finite fields, I get

$$\left| \sum_{u=0}^{q-1} \chi(f(u)) \right| \leq 2\sqrt{q}.$$

**Proposition 3.1.** For each  $\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*$ ,

- (1)  $\#H_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q) = \#H_\mu(\mathbb{F}_q)$ , where  $\lambda$  is an additive inverse of  $\mu$ .
- (2)  $\#H_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q) = \#H_\mu(\mathbb{F}_q)$ , where  $\lambda$  is a multiplicative inverse of  $\mu$ .
- (3)  $\#H_1(\mathbb{F}_q) = \begin{cases} 2q + 1 & q \equiv 1, 11 \pmod{12}, \\ 2q - 1 & q \equiv 5, 7 \pmod{12}. \end{cases}$

*Proof.* (1) Observe the map

$$G : H_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q) \rightarrow H_\mu(\mathbb{F}_q),$$

defined as  $(\alpha, \beta) \rightarrow (-\alpha, \beta)$  is a bijective map. Hence,  $\#H_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q) = \#H_\mu(\mathbb{F}_q)$ .

(2) Observe the map

$$G : H_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q) \rightarrow H_\mu(\mathbb{F}_q),$$

defined as  $(\alpha, \beta) \rightarrow (\beta, \alpha)$  is a bijective map. Hence,  $\#H_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q) = \#H_\mu(\mathbb{F}_q)$ .

(3) The curve  $H_1(\mathbb{F}_q)$  is defined by the equation

$$\begin{aligned} v^3 - v - (u^3 - u) &= 0, \\ (v - u)(v^2 + uv + u^2) - (v - u) &= 0, \\ (v - u)(v^2 + uv + u^2 - 1) &= 0, \end{aligned}$$

if  $(v - u) = 0$ , then  $\#\{(u, v) : u = v\} = q$ . Otherwise, if  $v^2 + uv + u^2 - 1 = 0$ , this leaves two cases:

**Case 1:** Let  $u = v$ , then  $3u^2 = 1$ , if  $\chi(3) = +1$  this implies  $\left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$  and  $\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$  belong to

$$\{(u, v) : u = v\};$$

moreover,  $\chi(3) = +1$  when  $q \equiv 1, 11(\text{mod}12)$ . Therefore,

$$\#\{(u, v); v^2 + uv + u^2 = 1, u = v\} = \begin{cases} 2 & q \equiv 1, 11(\text{mod}12), \\ 0 & q \equiv 5, 7(\text{mod}12). \end{cases}$$

**Case 2:** Let  $v \neq u$ . Dividing by  $v$  and putting  $\beta = \frac{1}{v}$  and  $\alpha = \frac{u}{v}$ ,

$$\{(\alpha, \beta) \in \mathbb{F}_q \times \mathbb{F}_q : \beta^2 = \alpha^2 + \alpha + 1\},$$

then by Corollary 1.1.

$$\#\{(\alpha, \beta) \in \mathbb{F}_q \times \mathbb{F}_q : \beta^2 = \alpha^2 + \alpha + 1\} = q - 1.$$

Now, If  $q \equiv 1, 11(\text{mod}12)$ , then  $\{(u, v) : u = v\} \cap \{(u, v); v^2 + uv + u^2 = 1\} = 2$ , therefore

$$\{(u, v); v^2 + uv + u^2 = 1\} = \begin{cases} q - 3 & q \equiv 1, 11(\text{mod}12), \\ q - 1 & q \equiv 5, 7(\text{mod}12). \end{cases}$$

Therefore, I conclude

$$\#H_1(\mathbb{F}_q) = \begin{cases} 2q - 3 & q \equiv 1, 11(\text{mod}12), \\ 2q - 1 & q \equiv 5, 7(\text{mod}12). \end{cases}$$

□

#### 4. ARITHMETIC RELATION BETWEEN $\{E_\lambda\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*}$ AND $\{H_\lambda\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*}$

Throughout this section, I study the arithmetic relation between elliptic curves  $\{E_\lambda\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*}$  and  $\{H_\lambda\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*}$ . Consider

$$E_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q) : \{(u, v) \in \mathbb{F}_q \times \mathbb{F}_q, v^2 = \lambda f(u), \lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*\},$$

$$E_\lambda^*(\mathbb{F}_q) : \{(u, v) \in \mathbb{F}_q \times \mathbb{F}_q, v^2 = \lambda f(u), f(u) \neq 0, \lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*\}.$$

And consider the sets

$$\Pi = \{(q_1, q_2) \in E_\lambda^* \times E_\mu^* : q_1 = (u_1, v_1), q_2 = (u_2, v_2), v_1^2 = v_2^2, \lambda \neq \mu\},$$

$$H_\lambda^*(\mathbb{F}_q) = \{(u, v) \in \mathbb{F}_q \times \mathbb{F}_q : f(v) = \lambda f(u), f(v) \neq 0, f(u) \neq 0, \lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*\}.$$

Moreover, since  $f(u) \neq 0, u^3 - u \neq 0$ , then  $u \neq 0, \pm 1$ , which leads to  $v \neq 0, \pm 1$ . Now consider

$$\Pi^* = \Pi - \{(q_1, q_2) \in E_\lambda^* \times E_\mu^* : q_1 = (u_1, \pm 1), q_2 = (u_2, \pm 1)\}.$$

**Theorem 4.1.** *The arithmetic relation between two family of elliptic curves  $\{H_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q)\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*}$  and  $\{E_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q)\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*}$  is given as follows*

$$G : \Pi^* \rightarrow H_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q). \\ (q_1, q_2) \mapsto (u_1, u_2)$$

*Proof.* Let  $(q_1, q_2) \in \Pi^*$ , such that  $q_1 = (\alpha_1, \beta_1) \in E_\lambda^*$ ,  $q_2 = (\alpha_2, \beta_2) \in E_\mu^*$  where  $\lambda \neq \mu$ , I have proved that when  $\lambda \neq \mu$ ,  $E_\lambda^* \cap E_\mu^* = \phi$ , then

$$\beta_1^2 = \lambda(\alpha_1^3 - \alpha_1), \beta_2^2 = \mu(\alpha_2^3 - \alpha_2), \text{ and } \beta_1^2 = \beta_2^2,$$

then the rational point  $(\alpha_1, \alpha_2)$  would be lying on the following curve

$$(\alpha_1^3 - \alpha_1) = \rho(\alpha_2^3 - \alpha_2), \text{ where } \rho = \frac{\mu}{\lambda}.$$

Conversely: suppose that  $(\alpha_1, \alpha_2) \in H_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q)$ , then

$$(\alpha_1^3 - \alpha_1) = \lambda(\alpha_2^3 - \alpha_2),$$

this leaves two cases:

**Case 1:** If the curve  $(\alpha_1^3 - \alpha_1) = \lambda(\alpha_2^3 - \alpha_2)$  is a quadratic equation, then there exists  $\beta \in \mathbb{F}_q^*$  such that

$$(\alpha_1^3 - \alpha_1) = \lambda(\alpha_2^3 - \alpha_2) = \beta^2,$$

then,  $(\alpha_1, \pm\beta) \in E_\lambda^*(\mathbb{F}_q)$ , and  $(\alpha_2, \pm\beta) \in E_\mu^*(\mathbb{F}_q)$ .

**Case 2:** If the curve  $(\alpha_1^3 - \alpha_1) = \lambda(\alpha_2^3 - \alpha_2)$  is not a quadratic equation, then there exists  $\rho \in \mathbb{F}_q^*(\mathbb{F}_q)$  such that

$$\rho(\alpha_1^3 - \alpha_1) = \rho\lambda(\alpha_2^3 - \alpha_2) = \beta^2.$$

Let  $\rho\lambda = \mu$  then,  $(\alpha_1, \pm\beta) \in E_\rho^*(\mathbb{F}_q)$  and  $(\alpha_2, \pm\beta) \in E_\mu^*(\mathbb{F}_q)$ . □

**Theorem 4.2.** Let  $\{H_\lambda\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*}$  be a family of elliptic curves, then  $\#\{H_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q)\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*}$  is given as follows

$$\#\{H_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q)\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*} = (q-3)^2 + 9.$$

*Proof.* Consider the set

$$\begin{aligned} H_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q) &= \{(u, v) \in \mathbb{F}_q \times \mathbb{F}_q : v^3 - v = \lambda(u^3 - u), \lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*\}, \\ H_\lambda^*(\mathbb{F}_q) &= \{(u, v) \in \mathbb{F}_q \times \mathbb{F}_q : v^3 - v = \lambda(u^3 - u), \lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*\} - T, \end{aligned}$$

where  $H_\lambda^*(\mathbb{F}_q) \cap H_\mu^*(\mathbb{F}_q) = \phi$  when  $\lambda \neq \mu$ . since  $f(v) \neq 0$  and  $f(u) \neq 0$ , which implies  $v \neq \pm 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \{H_\lambda^*(\mathbb{F}_q)\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*} &= \bigcup_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*} H_\lambda^*(\mathbb{F}_q) \\ \#\{H_\lambda^*(\mathbb{F}_q)\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*} &= \sum_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*} \#H_\lambda^*(\mathbb{F}_q) \\ &= \#\pi^* - \#\{(u, v) \in \mathbb{F}_q \times \mathbb{F}_q | v^2 = \lambda f(u), v = \pm 1\}. \end{aligned}$$

For a given  $u_0 \in \mathbb{F}_q^*$  and  $u_0 \neq \pm 1$ , there are two points  $(u, v)$  on  $E_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q)$  with  $u$ -coordinate  $u_0$ ; if  $\lambda f(u_0)$  non-square in  $\mathbb{F}_q$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \#\{(u_0, v) : (u_0, v) \in E_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q)\} &= 1 + \chi(\lambda f(u_0)) \\ &= 1 + \chi(\lambda) \phi(-1). \end{aligned}$$

The number of  $(u_0, v)$  on  $\{E_\lambda^*(\mathbb{F}_q)\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*}$

$$\begin{aligned} \#\{(u_0, v) : (u_0, v) \in \{E_\lambda^*(\mathbb{F}_q)\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*}\} &= \sum_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*} 1 + \sum_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*} \chi(\lambda) \phi(-1) \\ &= \sum_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*} 1 + \phi(-1) \sum_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*} \chi(\lambda) \\ &= (q-1) + \phi(-1)(0) \\ &= q-1. \end{aligned}$$

So, there are  $q-1$  of distinct rational points  $(u_0, v)$  for a given  $u_0$ . Now, for all over  $u \in \mathbb{F}_q^*$  and  $u \neq \pm 1$ ,

$$\#\pi^* = (q-3)(q-1).$$

Let  $C$  be the elliptic curve such that  $v^2 = 1$ , then  $\lambda(u^3 - u) = 1$ , so there are at most two points  $(u, \pm 1) \in E_\lambda^*(\mathbb{F}_q)$  for each  $\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*$ . By theorem 2.2  $\#\{E_\lambda^*(\mathbb{F}_q)\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*} = (q-1)(q-3)$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} \#\{(u, v) \in \mathbb{F}_q \times \mathbb{F}_q, \lambda(u^3 - u) = 1, \lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*\} &= 2 \left[ \frac{(q-1)(q-3)}{(q-1)} \right] \\ &= 2(q-3). \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \#\{H_\lambda^*(\mathbb{F}_q)\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*} &= \#\pi^* - \#\{(u, v) \in \mathbb{F}_q \times \mathbb{F}_q | v^2 = \lambda f(u), v = \pm 1\} \\ \#\{H_\lambda^*(\mathbb{F}_q)\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q^*} &= (q-3)(q-1) - 2(q-3) \\ &= (q-3)^2. \end{aligned}$$

Moreover,

$$\#\{H_\lambda(\mathbb{F}_q)\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q} = (q-3)^2 + 9.$$

□

### 5. CONCLUSION

In this paper, I have proved there is an arithmetic relation between families of elliptic curves  $\{E_\lambda\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q}$  and  $\{H_\lambda\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q}$  and calculated the number of rational points on each of  $\{E_\lambda\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q}$  and  $\{H_\lambda\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_q}$ .

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