

Théorie des Nombres TD6

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Exercice 1 (Minkowski's bound). Let K be a number field. The goal is to show the following statement

Theorem 1 (Minkowski). *Let $\alpha \in Cl(K)$. Then there exists an ideal I of \mathcal{O}_K with class α such that*

$$N_{K/\mathbb{Q}}(I) \leq \frac{n!}{n^n} \left(\frac{4}{\pi}\right)^{r_2} \sqrt{|d_K|}.$$

Let $\tau_1, \dots, \tau_{r_1}, \sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_{r_2}$ the real, resp. complex up to conjugacy, embeddings of K , and denote

$$i : K \hookrightarrow \mathbb{R}^{r_1} \times \mathbb{C}^{r_2}, x \mapsto (\tau_1(x), \dots, \tau_{r_1}(x), \sigma_1(x), \dots, \sigma_{r_2}(x)).$$

We identify $\mathbb{R}^{r_1} \times \mathbb{C}^{r_2} \simeq \mathbb{R}^d =: V$ with $d = r_1 + 2r_2$ in the obvious way.

1. Show that, if $i(x) = (t_1, \dots, t_{r_1}, x_1, y_1, \dots, x_{r_2}, y_{r_2}) \in V$, then

$$\begin{aligned} |N_{K/\mathbb{Q}}(x)| &\leq \frac{1}{n^n} (|t_1| + \dots + |t_{r_1}| + 2|x_1 + iy_1| + \dots + 2|x_{r_2} + iy_{r_2}|)^n \\ &\leq n^{-n/2} \left(\sqrt{t_1^2 + \dots + t_{r_1}^2 + 2(x_1^2 + y_1^2) + \dots + 2(x_{r_2}^2 + y_{r_2}^2)} \right)^n. \end{aligned}$$

We then set the norm $\|\cdot\|$ on V by $\|(t_1, \dots, t_{r_1}, x_1, y_1, \dots, x_{r_2}, y_{r_2})\| = t_1^2 + \dots + t_{r_1}^2 + 2(x_1^2 + y_1^2) + \dots + 2(x_{r_2}^2 + y_{r_2}^2)$.

2. For I an ideal of \mathcal{O}_K , show that $N_{K/\mathbb{Q}}(I) = (|\mathcal{O}_K/I|)$.
3. Let I be a fractional ideal of K , show that

$$\text{covol}(I) = \sqrt{|d_K|} N_{K/\mathbb{Q}}(I).$$

4. Show that the volume for the measure coming from $\|\cdot\|$ of the unit ball for $\|\cdot\|_1$, i.e. the volume of

$$\{x \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid \sum_i |x_i| \leq 1\},$$

is

$$V_n = 2^{r_1} \pi^{r_2} \frac{1}{n!}.$$

5. Let I be a fractional ideal of K . Show that I contains a non-zero element of norm at most

$$\frac{n!}{n^n} \left(\frac{4}{\pi}\right)^{r_2} \sqrt{|d_K|} |N_{K/\mathbb{Q}}(I)|$$

6. Prove the theorem.

Exercise 2 (Calculation of some class groups). 1. Let $K = \mathbb{Q}(i\sqrt{7})$. Show that $h_K := |Cl(\mathcal{O}_K)| = 1$.

2. Let $K = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{-5})$. Show that $Cl(\mathcal{O}_K) = \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}$.

3. Deduce that $Y^3 = X^2 + 5$ has no integral solution.

4. Let $K = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{-14})$. Show that $Cl(\mathcal{O}_K) = \mathbb{Z}/4\mathbb{Z}$.

5. Let $K = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{2})$ or $K = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{7})$. Show that $h_K := |Cl(\mathcal{O}_K)| = 1$.

Exercise 3. Compute the class group of $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt[3]{7}]$.

Remark 1. Actually we know the full list of quadratic fields $K = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{d})$ for which the norm gives the structure of a euclidean ring for \mathcal{O}_K (such a ring is called *norm euclidean*):

$$-11, -7, -3, -2, -1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 11, 13, 17, 19, 21, 29, 33, 37, 41, 57, 73.$$

But the story doesn't stop here : while we know that for quadratic *imaginary* field (i.e. $d < 0$) euclidean and norm euclidean are equivalent, thus giving the full list of quadratic imaginary field for which integral elements form an euclidean ring, the result is completely different for *real* quadratic fields ($d > 0$), as for $d = 14, 69$ the corresponding rings are euclidean but not Norm euclidean (a theorem of Harper and Clark respectively). Also, we know completely the list of *principal* integer rings for *imaginary* quadratic fields, adding

$$-19, -43, -67, -163,$$

to the previous list and we know that when $d \rightarrow -\infty$ then the class number h_K goes to infinity (Heilbronn), while for *real* quadratic fields this is widely open, and there is a conjecture of Gauss that \mathcal{O}_K will be principal for an infinite number of real quadratic field (actually $\sim 75, 4\%$ of them).

Exercise 4. Let F be a number field, and $\chi : \mathbb{A}_F^\times / F^\times \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^\times$ be a character.

1. Show that there exists $\chi_v : F_v^\times \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}^\times$ unramified for almost all v such that $\chi = \bigotimes_v \chi_v$, i.e.

$$\chi((x_v)_v) = \prod_v \chi_v(x_v).$$

Let $\mathfrak{m} = \prod_v \mathfrak{p}_v^{c_v}$ where \mathfrak{p}_v corresponds to the finite place v of F and c_v is the conductor of χ_v . Let χ_∞ the induced character of $\prod_{v|\infty} \chi_v$. Denote $I^\mathfrak{m} := I^\mathfrak{m}(F)$ the group of prime to \mathfrak{m} fractional ideals of F .

1. Show that

$$\omega : \begin{array}{ccc} I^\mathfrak{m} & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{C}^\times \\ \mathfrak{a} & \longmapsto & \prod_{v \nmid \infty} \chi_v(\pi_v^{v_{\mathfrak{p}_v}(\mathfrak{a})}) \end{array},$$

is well defined.

2. Show that if $F_\mathfrak{m}^\times = \{\alpha \in F^\times \mid \alpha \equiv 1 \pmod{\mathfrak{m}}\}$ then

$$\omega((\alpha)) = \chi_\infty(\alpha)^{-1}.$$

3. Show that $\chi_\infty|_{\mathcal{O}_F^\times \cap F_\mathfrak{m}^\times} = 1$.

4. Conversely show that if we have \mathfrak{m} a non zero ideal of \mathcal{O}_F , ω_∞ a character of F_∞^\times , trivial on $\mathcal{O}_F^\times \cap F_\mathfrak{m}^\times$, and a character

$$\omega : I^\mathfrak{m} \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}^\times,$$

such that $\omega((\alpha)) = \omega_\infty(\alpha)^{-1}$ for all $\alpha \in F_\mathfrak{m}^\times$, then there exists a unique

$$\chi : \mathbb{A}_F^\times / F^\times \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}^\times,$$

inducing ω , whose character divides \mathfrak{m} .

5. Show that characters of the class group of F corresponds to idele characters with $\mathfrak{m} = \mathcal{O}_F$ and $\chi_\infty = 1$.

Exercise 5. Let $F = \mathbb{Q}$ here.

1. What are the possibilities for χ_∞ ?
2. Show that Hecke characters of weight $\omega_\infty = 1$ and conductor dividing N corresponds to Dirichlet characters of $(\mathbb{Z}/N\mathbb{Z})^\times$.
3. Show that if χ correspond to $\theta : \mathbb{Z}/N\mathbb{Z}^\times \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}^\times$ then $\chi_\infty = \text{sgn}^a$ where $\theta(-1) = (-1)^a$.

4. Compute the L-function of such a character and its completed L-function.
5. Show that χ has conductor exactly N iff θ is primitive.

Exercise 6. Here $F = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{5})$. We denote $\varepsilon = \frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}$.

1. Show that $\mathcal{O}_F = \mathbb{Z}[\varepsilon]$ and $\mathcal{O}_F^\times = \{\pm 1\} \times \varepsilon^{\mathbb{Z}}$.
2. What are the characters with modulus $\mathfrak{m} = \mathcal{O}_F$ and $\omega_\infty = 1$?
3. Assume $\mathfrak{m} = \mathcal{O}_F$ and

$$\omega_\infty(x_1, x_2) = \left| \frac{x_1}{x_2} \right|^{\frac{-i\pi}{\log \varepsilon}}.$$

Show that this defines a character χ of I by

$$\chi((\alpha)) = \omega_\infty(\alpha) = \left| \frac{\alpha}{\sigma(\alpha)} \right|^{\frac{i\pi}{\log \varepsilon}},$$

where $\text{Gal}(F/\mathbb{Q}) = \langle \sigma \rangle$.

4. Write down its L-function and functional equation.

Exercise 7. Let $N > 1$ an integer and for $a \in \mathbb{Z}/N\mathbb{Z}$ we define the partial zeta function

$$\zeta_a(s) = \sum_{n \geq 1, n \equiv a \pmod{N}} n^{-s}.$$

For $x > 0$ the Hurwitz zeta function $\zeta(s, x)$ is given by

$$\zeta(s, x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(n+x)^s}.$$

Let $\chi : \mathbb{Z}/N\mathbb{Z}^\times \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^\times$ a Dirichlet character, which we extend to \mathbb{N} by $\chi(a) = 0$ if $a \notin \mathbb{Z}/N\mathbb{Z}^\times$.

1. Give an expression for $L(s, \chi)$ in terms of $\zeta_a(s)$ and of $\zeta_a(s)$ in terms of $\zeta(s, x)$ for some x .
2. Show that

$$\Gamma(s)\zeta(s, x) = \int_0^{+\infty} \frac{e^{-xt}}{1 - e^{-t}} t^s \frac{dt}{t}, \quad \text{for } \Re(s) > 1$$

For $n \in \mathbb{N}$, denote by $B_n(x) \in \mathbb{C}[x]$ the n -th Bernoulli polynomial, defined by

$$\frac{te^{xt}}{e^t - 1} = \sum_{n \geq 0} B_n(x) \frac{t^n}{n!} \in \mathbb{C}[x][[t]].$$

3. Show that if $B_n := B_n(0)$ then $B_0 = 1$, and $(n+1)B_n = -\sum_{s=0}^{n-1} \binom{n+1}{s} B_s$ for $n > 0$.

4. Calculate B_1 , show that

$$B_n(x) = \sum_{s=0}^n \binom{n}{s} B_s x^{n-s},$$

and deduce $B_1(x)$.

5. Show that

$$\int_0^1 \frac{e^{-xt}}{1 - e^{-t}} t^s \frac{dt}{t} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{B_n(x)}{n!} \frac{(-1)^n}{s + n - 1},$$

and deduce that $\Gamma(s)\zeta(s, x)$ as meromorphic continuation on \mathbb{C} . Where are the poles ?

6. Let $n \in \mathbb{N}_{>0}$. Compute $\lim_{s \rightarrow 1-n} (s + n - 1)\Gamma(s)$ and deduce

$$\zeta(1 - n, x) = -\frac{B_n(x)}{n}.$$

7. Deduce finally the equality

$$L(0, \chi) = -\frac{1}{N} \sum_{s=1}^{N-1} s\chi(s).$$

Exercise 8. Let $F = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{-26})$.

1. What are the integer ring and the discriminant of F ? What is $|\mathcal{O}_K^{tors}|$?
2. What is the class group of F ?
3. Let $\phi : \{p \in \mathbb{Z} \text{ prime}\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$ the function defined by

$$\phi(p) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } p \text{ is (totally) split} \\ -1 & \text{if } p \text{ is inert} \\ 0 & \text{if } p \text{ is ramified} \end{cases}$$

Denote

$$L(s) = \prod_p \frac{1}{1 - \phi(p)p^{-s}}.$$

Show that $L(s)$ is absolutely convergent for $\Re(s) > 1$ and

$$\zeta_F(s) = \zeta(s)L(s).$$

4. Our goal is to show that there exists a character $\chi : \text{Gal}(\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{-26})/\mathbb{Q}) \longrightarrow \{\pm 1\}$ such that $L(s) = L(\chi, s)$ for $\Re(s) > 1$.
- Show that $\mathbb{Q}(i), \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{2}), \mathbb{Q}(i\sqrt{2}) \subset \mathbb{Q}(\zeta_8)$. *Hint: Show that $\zeta_8^2 + \zeta_8^{-2} = 0$.*
 - Show that $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{13}) \subset \mathbb{Q}(\zeta_{13})$. *Hint: consider $g_k = \sum_{a \in \mathbb{Z}/13\mathbb{Z}^\times} \left(\frac{a}{p}\right) \zeta_{13}^{ka}$ and show that $g_1^2 = 13$.*
 - Deduce that $\mathbb{Q}(i\sqrt{26}) \subset \mathbb{Q}(\zeta_{104})$. How many quadratic extensions in $\mathbb{Q}(\zeta_{104})$ are there?
 - Construct a character of $\text{Gal}(\mathbb{Q}(\zeta_{104})/\mathbb{Q}) \longrightarrow \{\pm 1\}$ which sends a prime p coprime to 104 to $\phi(p)$.
 - Show that this factors through the extension $\text{Gal}(\mathbb{Q}(i\sqrt{26})/\mathbb{Q})$. *Hint: Look at primes 5 and 7 and use previous questions.*
5. What is the value $L(1, \chi)$?
6. Deduce $L(0, \chi)$ and $\sum_{s=1}^{103} s \chi(s)$.