

# Signing with higher dimensional isogenies

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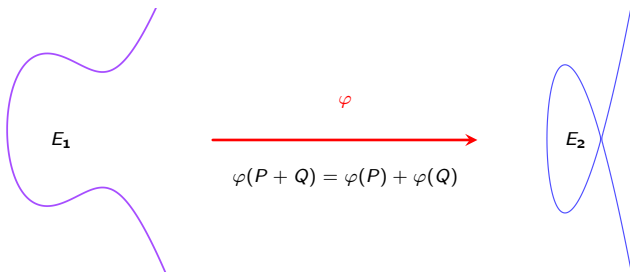


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Supersingular elliptic curves	Quaternions
$j(E)$ or $j(E)^p$ supersingular	$\mathcal{O} \cong \text{End}(E)$ maximal order in $\mathcal{B}_{p,\infty}$
$\varphi : E \rightarrow E'$	left $\mathcal{O}$ -ideal and right $\mathcal{O}'$ -ideal $I_\varphi$
$\varphi, \psi : E \rightarrow E'$	$I_\varphi \sim I_\psi$ ( $I_\psi = I_\varphi \alpha$ )
$\hat{\varphi}$	$\overline{I_\varphi}$
$\varphi \circ \psi$	$I_\psi \cdot I_\varphi$
$\theta \in \text{End}(E)$	Principal ideal $\mathcal{O}\theta$
$\text{deg}(\varphi)$	$\text{nrd}(I_\varphi)$

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# Effective Deuring correspondence and higher dimensional isogenies

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## Theorem (Robert, 2022)

Let  $\sigma : E_1 \rightarrow E_2$  such that  $\deg(\sigma) + a_1^2 + a_2^2 = \ell^e$ . Then:

- $\sigma : E_1 \rightarrow E_2$  can be represented in dimension 4 by the  $\ell^e$ -isogeny:

$$F := \begin{pmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & \widehat{\sigma} & 0 \\ -a_2 & a_1 & 0 & \widehat{\sigma} \\ -\sigma & 0 & a_1 & -a_2 \\ 0 & -\sigma & a_2 & a_1 \end{pmatrix} \in \text{End}(E_1^2 \times E_2^2).$$

- $F$  can be computed by evaluating  $\sigma$  on  $E_1[\ell^e]$ .

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**Context:** This idea comes from the attacks against SIDH [CD23; MM22; Rob23].

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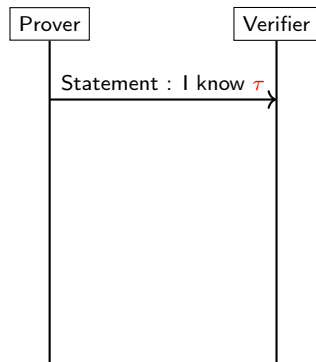
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- $(q, \sigma(E_1[\ell^e]))$ , is sufficient to represent  $\sigma$ .
- We can then compute  $F \in \text{End}(E_1^2 \times E_2^2)$  embedding  $\sigma$ .

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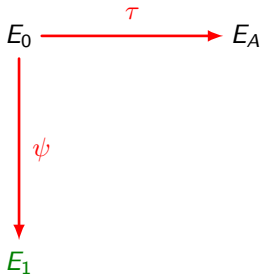
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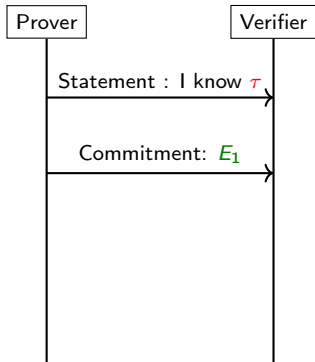
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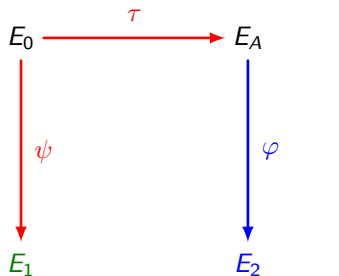
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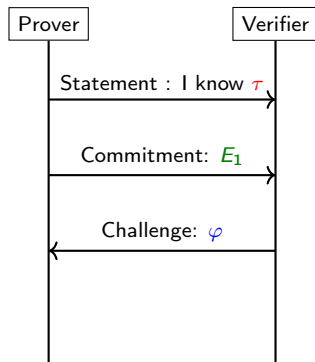
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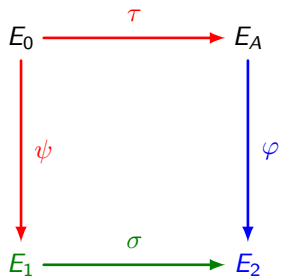
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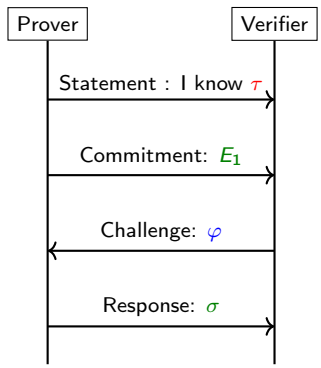
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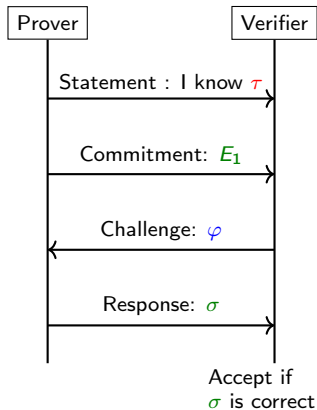
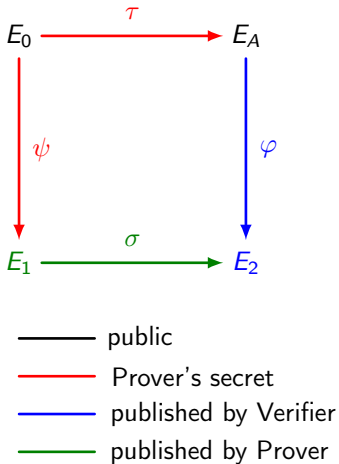


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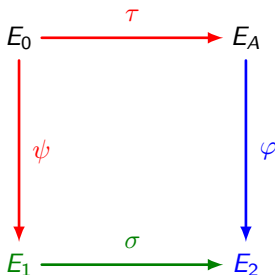




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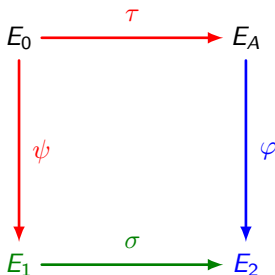


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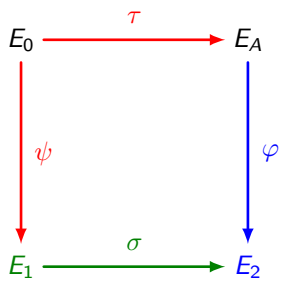
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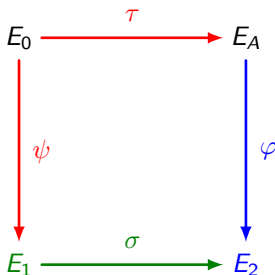
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Proof of concept.  
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## Comparison of SQIsignHD with SQIsign

	SQIsign	SQIsignHD
Security	✗ Ad-hoc heuristic: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Distribution of <math>\sigma</math>.</li> </ul>	✓ Simpler heuristics: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Oracle (RUGDIO);</li> <li>• Distribution of <math>E_1</math>.</li> </ul>
Signing time	✗ 400 ms for NIST-1	✓ 28 ms for NIST-1
Signature size	✓ 204 bytes for NIST-1	✓ 109 bytes for NIST-1
Verification	✓ Fast (6 ms for NIST-1)	✗ 850 ms for NIST-1 in sagemath

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