

High rank elliptic curves with prescribed torsion

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Let T be an admissible torsion group for an elliptic curve over the rationals. Define

$$B(T) = \sup \{ \text{rank}(E(\mathbf{Q})) : \text{torsion group of elliptic curve } E \text{ over } \mathbf{Q} \text{ is } T \}.$$

The conjecture is that $B(T)$ is unbounded for all T . In the following table we give the best known lower bounds for $B(T)$.

T	$B(T) \geq$	Author(s)
0	28	Elkies (2006)
$\mathbf{Z}/2\mathbf{Z}$	19	Elkies (2009)
$\mathbf{Z}/3\mathbf{Z}$	13	Eroshkin (2007,2008,2009)
$\mathbf{Z}/4\mathbf{Z}$	12	Elkies (2006), Dujella - Peral (2014)
$\mathbf{Z}/5\mathbf{Z}$	8	Dujella - Lecacheux (2009), Eroshkin (2009)
$\mathbf{Z}/6\mathbf{Z}$	8	Eroshkin (2008), Dujella - Eroshkin (2008), Elkies (2008), Dujella (2008), Dujella - Peral (2012), Dujella - Peral - Tadic (2014,2015)
$\mathbf{Z}/7\mathbf{Z}$	5	Dujella - Kulesz (2001), Elkies (2006), Eroshkin (2009,2011), Dujella - Lecacheux (2009), Dujella - Eroshkin (2009)
$\mathbf{Z}/8\mathbf{Z}$	6	Elkies (2006), Dujella - MacLeod - Peral (2013)
$\mathbf{Z}/9\mathbf{Z}$	4	Fisher (2009), van Beek (2015)
$\mathbf{Z}/10\mathbf{Z}$	4	Dujella (2005,2008), Elkies (2006), Fisher (2016)
$\mathbf{Z}/12\mathbf{Z}$	4	Fisher (2008)
$\mathbf{Z}/2\mathbf{Z} \times \mathbf{Z}/2\mathbf{Z}$	15	Elkies (2009)
$\mathbf{Z}/2\mathbf{Z} \times \mathbf{Z}/4\mathbf{Z}$	9	Dujella - Peral (2012)
$\mathbf{Z}/2\mathbf{Z} \times \mathbf{Z}/6\mathbf{Z}$	6	Elkies (2006), Dujella - Peral - Tadic (2015)
$\mathbf{Z}/2\mathbf{Z} \times \mathbf{Z}/8\mathbf{Z}$	3	Connell (2000), Dujella (2000,2001,2006,2008), Campbell - Goins (2003), Rathbun (2003,2006,2013), Dujella - Rathbun (2006), Flores - Jones - Rollick - Weigandt - Rathbun (2007), Fisher (2009)

Click on rank r to see the corresponding "record" curve(s) with torsion points and independent points P_1, P_2, \dots, P_r of infinite order.

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