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Title: Lower Bounds for Galois Orbits of CM points

Abstract: Let x be a CM point in the moduli space $\mathcal{A}_g(\mathbb{C})$ of principally polarized complex abelian varieties of genus g, corresponding to an Abelian variety A with complex multiplication by a ring R. Edixhoven conjectured that the size of the Galois orbit of x should grow at least like a power of the discriminant Disc(R) of R. For g = 1, this reduces to the classical Brauer-Siegel theorem. A positive answer to this conjecture would be very useful in proving the André-Oort conjecture unconditionally. We will present a proof of the conjectured lower bounds in some special cases, including $g \leq 6$. Along the way we derive transfer principles for torsion in class groups of different fields which may be interesting in their own right.