

Some examples of quadratic fields with finite non-solvable maximal unramified extensions II

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Abstract Let K be a number field and K_{ur} be the maximal extension of K that is unramified at all places. In a previous article (Kim, J Number Theory 166:235–249, 2016), the first author found three real quadratic fields K such that $\text{Gal}(K_{\text{ur}}/K)$ is finite and non-abelian simple under the assumption of the generalized Riemann hypothesis (GRH). In this article, we extend the methods of Kim (2016) and identify more quadratic number fields K such that $\text{Gal}(K_{\text{ur}}/K)$ is a finite nonsolvable group and also explicitly calculate their Galois groups under the assumption of the GRH. In particular, we find the first imaginary quadratic field with this property.

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1 Introduction

Let K be a number field and K_{ur} be the maximal extension of K that is unramified at all places. In [13], Yamamura showed that $K_{\text{ur}} = K_1$, where K denotes an imaginary quadratic field with absolute discriminant value $|d_K| \leq 420$, and K_1 is the top of the class field tower of K and also computed $\text{Gal}(K_{\text{ur}}/K)$. Hence, we can find examples of abelian or solvable étale fundamental groups. It is then natural to wonder whether we can find examples with the property that $\text{Gal}(K_{\text{ur}}/K)$ is a finite nonsolvable group. In [3], we presented three explicit examples that provide an affirmative answer.

In this article, we will refine the previously used methods and identify two more quadratic number fields K such that $\text{Gal}(K_{\text{ur}}/K)$ is a finite nonsolvable group and also explicitly calculate their Galois groups under the generalized Riemann hypothesis (GRH). Under the assumption of GRH, we will show that $\text{Gal}(K_{\text{ur}}/K)$ is isomorphic to a finite nonsolvable group when $K = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{22268})$ (Theorem 4.1) and when $K = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{-1567})$ (Theorem 5.1).

In particular, to the best of the authors' knowledge, $K = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{-1567})$ is the first example of an imaginary quadratic field which has a nonsolvable unramified extension and for which $\text{Gal}(K_{\text{ur}}/K)$ is explicitly calculated.

Tools used for the proof to identify certain unramified extensions with nonsolvable Galois groups, we use the database of number fields created by Klüners and Malle [4]. To exclude further unramified extensions, we use a wide variety of tools, including class field theory, Odlyzko's discriminant bounds, results about low degree number fields with small discriminants, and various group-theoretical results. In particular, our examples demonstrate how to combine the methods of the previous paper [3] with more involved group-theoretical arguments to obtain conclusions for fields whose class numbers and discriminants do not yield immediate results via application of discriminant bounds.

2 Preliminaries

2.1 The action of Galois groups on class groups

If A is a finite abelian p -group, then $A \simeq \bigoplus \mathbb{Z}/p^{a_i} \mathbb{Z}$ for some integers a_i . Let

$$\begin{aligned} n_a &= \text{number of } i \text{ with } a_i = a, \\ r_a &= \text{number of } i \text{ with } a_i \geq a. \end{aligned}$$

Then

$$r_1 = p\text{-rank } A = \dim_{\mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z}} (A/A^p)$$

and, more generally,

$$r_a = \dim_{\mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z}} (A^{p^{a-1}}/A^{p^a}).$$

The action of Galois groups on class groups can often be used to obtain useful information on the structure of class groups. We review the following lemma, often called p -rank theorem. By $\text{cl}(K)$ we denote the class number of the number field K .

Lemma 2.1 (Theorem 10.8 of [11]) *Let L/K be a cyclic extension of degree n . Let p be a prime, $p \nmid n$ and assume that all fields E with $K \subseteq E \subsetneq L$ satisfy $p \nmid \text{Cl}(E)$. Let A be the p -Sylow subgroup of the ideal class group of L , and let f be the order of $p \bmod n$. Then*

$$r_a \equiv n_a \equiv 0 \pmod f$$

for all a , where r_a and n_a are as above. In particular, if $p \mid \text{Cl}(L)$ then the p -rank of A is at least f and $p^f \mid \text{Cl}(L)$.

2.2 A remark on the class field tower

Lemma 2.2 (Theorem 1 of [10]) *Let K be a number field and p any prime number. If the p -class group, i.e., the p -part of the class group of K is cyclic, then the p -class group of the Hilbert p -class field of K is trivial. Moreover, if $p = 2$ and the 2-class group of K is isomorphic to V_4 , then the 2-class group of the Hilbert 2-class field of K is cyclic.*

2.3 Root discriminant

Let K be a number field. We define the *root discriminant* of K to be $|d_K|^{1/n_K}$, where n_K is $[K : \mathbb{Q}]$. Given a tower of number fields $L/K/F$, we have the following equality for the ideals of F :

$$d_{L/F} = (d_{K/F})^{[L:K]} N_{K/F}(d_{L/K}), \tag{2.1}$$

where $d_{L/F}$ denotes the relative discriminant (see [7, Corollary 2.10]). Set $F = \mathbb{Q}$. It follows from (2.1) that, if L is an extension of K , $|d_K|^{1/n_K} \leq |d_L|^{1/n_L}$, with equality if and only if $d_{L/K} = 1$, i.e., L/K is unramified at all finite places.

2.4 Discriminant bounds

In this section, we describe how the discriminant bound is used to determine that a field has no nonsolvable unramified extensions.

2.4.1 Crucial proposition

Consider the following proposition, in which K_{ur} is the maximal extension of K that is unramified over all primes.

Proposition 2.3 (Proposition 1 of [13]) *Let $B(n_K, r_1, r_2)$ be the lower bound for the root discriminant of K of degree n_K with signature (r_1, r_2) . Suppose that K has an*

unramified normal extension L of degree m . If $\text{Cl}(L) = 1$, where $\text{Cl}(L)$ is the class number of L , and $|d_K|^{1/n_K} < B(60mn_K, 60mr_1, 60mr_2)$, then $K_{\text{ur}} = L$.

If the GRH is assumed, much better bounds can be obtained. The lower bounds for number fields are stated in Martinet’s expository paper [6].

2.4.2 Description of [6, Table III]

Table III of [6] describes the following. If K is an algebraic number field with r_1 real and $2r_2$ complex conjugate embeddings, and d_K denotes the absolute value of the discriminant of K , then, for any b , we have

$$d_K > A^{r_1} B^{2r_2} e^{f-E}, \tag{2.2}$$

where A , B , and E are given in the table, and

$$f = 2 \sum_{\mathfrak{p}} \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{\log N(\mathfrak{p})}{N(\mathfrak{p})^{m/2}} F(\log N(\mathfrak{p})^m), \tag{2.3}$$

where the outer sum is taken over all prime ideals of K , N is the norm from K to \mathbb{Q} , and

$$F(x) = G(x/b)$$

in the GRH case, where the even function $G(x)$ is given by

$$G(x) = \left(1 - \frac{x}{2}\right) \cos \frac{\pi}{2}x + \frac{1}{\pi} \sin \frac{\pi}{2}x \tag{2.4}$$

for $0 \leq x \leq 2$ and $G(x) = 0$ for $x > 2$.

The values of A and B are lower estimates; the values of E have been rounded up from their true values, which are

$$8\pi^2 b \left(\frac{e^{b/2} + e^{-b/2}}{\pi^2 + b^2} \right)^2 \tag{2.5}$$

in the GRH case.

3 Some group theory

In this section, we recall some facts from group theory.

3.1 Schur multipliers and central extensions

Definition 3.1 The *Schur multiplier* is the second homology group $H_2(G, \mathbb{Z})$ of a group G .

Definition 3.2 A *stem extension* of a group G is an extension

$$1 \rightarrow H \rightarrow G_0 \rightarrow G \rightarrow 1, \tag{3.1}$$

where $H \subset Z(G_0) \cap G'_0$ is a subgroup of the intersection of the center of G_0 and the derived subgroup of G_0 .

If the group G is finite and one considers only stem extensions, then there is a largest size for such a group G_0 , and for every G_0 of that size the subgroup H is isomorphic to the Schur multiplier of G . Moreover, if the finite group G is perfect as well, then G_0 is unique up to isomorphism and is itself perfect. Such G_0 are often called *universal perfect central extensions* of G , or *covering groups*.

Proposition 3.3 Let H be a finite abelian group, and let $1 \rightarrow H \rightarrow G_0 \rightarrow G \rightarrow 1$ be a central extension of G by H . Then either this extension is a stem extension, or G_0 has a non-trivial abelian quotient.

Proof By definition, if the extension is not a stem extension, then $H \not\subset G'_0$, and thus G_0/G'_0 is a non-trivial abelian quotient. □

Lemma 3.4 The Schur multiplier of A_n is C_2 for $n = 5$ or $n > 7$ and it is C_6 for $n = 6$ or 7 .

Proof See [12, 2.7] □

Lemma 3.5 The Schur multiplier of $\text{PSL}_n(\mathbb{F}_{p^d})$ is a cyclic group of order $\gcd(n, p^d - 1)$ except for $\text{PSL}_2(\mathbb{F}_4)$ (order 2), $\text{PSL}_2(\mathbb{F}_9)$ (order 6), $\text{PSL}_3(\mathbb{F}_2)$ (order 2), $\text{PSL}_3(\mathbb{F}_4)$ (order 48, product of cyclic groups of orders 3, 4, 4) and $\text{PSL}_4(\mathbb{F}_2)$ (order 2).

Proof See [12, 3.3]. □

3.2 Group extensions of groups with trivial centers

Let H and F be groups, with G a group extension of H by F :

$$1 \rightarrow H \rightarrow G \rightarrow F \rightarrow 1.$$

Then, it is well known that G acts on H by conjugation, and this action induces a group homomorphism $\psi_G : F \rightarrow \text{Out } H$, which depends only on G .

Lemma 3.6 ((7.11) of [9]) Suppose that H has trivial center ($Z(H) = \{1\}$). Then, the structure of G is uniquely determined by the homomorphism ψ_G . For any group homomorphism ψ from F to $\text{Out } H$, there exists an extension G of H by F such

that $\psi_G = \psi$. Moreover, the isomorphism class of G is uniquely determined by ψ . [In particular, the class of $F \times H$ is determined by ψ with $\psi(F) = 1$]. All of the extensions are realized as a subgroup U of the direct product $F \times \text{Aut } H$ satisfying the two conditions $U \cap \text{Aut } H = \text{Inn } H$ and $\pi(U) = F$, where π is the projection from $F \times \text{Aut } H$ to F .

3.3 Prerequisites on $\text{GL}_n(\mathbb{F}_q)$

3.3.1 General prerequisites

The following lemma is well known.

Lemma 3.7 *Let $n \geq 2$, q be a prime power, and let $U \leq \text{GL}_n(\mathbb{F}_q)$ act irreducibly on $(\mathbb{F}_q)^n$. Then the centralizer of U in $\text{GL}_n(\mathbb{F}_q)$ is cyclic.*

Proof This follows immediately from Schur’s lemma. □

Lemma 3.8 *Let $n \geq 2$, q be a prime power and let $U \leq \text{GL}_n(\mathbb{F}_q)$ be cyclic, of order coprime to q . Assume that U acts irreducibly on $(\mathbb{F}_q)^n$. Then the centralizer of U in $\text{GL}_n(\mathbb{F}_q)$ is cyclic of order $q^n - 1$.*

Proof This follows from [2, Hilfssatz II.3.11]. Namely, setting $G := C_{\text{GL}_n(\mathbb{F}_q)}$, the centralizer of U in $\text{GL}_n(\mathbb{F}_q)$, that theorem states that G is isomorphic to $\text{GL}_1(\mathbb{F}_{q^n})$, and thus in particular cyclic of order $q^n - 1$. □

An important special case of the previous lemma is the following:

Lemma 3.9 *Let $n \geq 2$, q be a prime power and let p be a primitive prime divisor of $q^n - 1$, that is p divides $q^n - 1$, but does not divide any of the numbers $q^k - 1$ with $1 \leq k < n$. Then the following hold:*

- (i) *There is a unique non-trivial linear action of C_p on $(\mathbb{F}_q)^n$, and this action is irreducible.*
- (ii) *The centralizer of a subgroup of order p in $\text{GL}_n(\mathbb{F}_q)$ is cyclic, of order $q^n - 1$.*

Proof Let $U < \text{GL}_n(\mathbb{F}_q)$ be any subgroup isomorphic to C_p . From Maschke’s theorem, it follows immediately that U acts irreducibly on $(\mathbb{F}_q)^n$. From Lemma 3.8, the centralizer of U in $\text{GL}_n(\mathbb{F}_q)$ is then cyclic, of order $q^n - 1$. Finally, every such U is the unique subgroup of order p of some p -Sylow subgroup of $\text{GL}_n(\mathbb{F}_q)$ [note that, by assumption, the p -Sylow subgroups are of order dividing $q^n - 1$, and then in fact cyclic, since $\text{GL}_1(\mathbb{F}_{q^n}) \leq \text{GL}_n(\mathbb{F}_q)$ is cyclic]. Therefore, all such subgroups U are conjugate in $\text{GL}_n(\mathbb{F}_q)$, proving the uniqueness in (i). □

In the following sections, we collect some results about more specific linear groups.

3.3.2 Structure of $\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{F}_p)$

Lemma 3.10 *$\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{F}_p)$ does not contain any non-abelian simple subgroups for any prime p .*

Proof Let S be non-abelian simple. Then it is known that S contains a non-cyclic abelian subgroup (see e.g., [5, Corollary 6.6]), and therefore even some subgroup $C_r \times C_r$ for some prime r . On the other hand, as a direct consequence of Schur’s lemma, any subgroup $C_r \times C_r$ of $\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{F}_p)$ must intersect the center of $\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{F}_p)$ non-trivially.¹ Since S has trivial center, it follows that S cannot be contained in $\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{F}_p)$. \square

3.3.3 Structure of $\text{GL}_4(\mathbb{F}_2)$

This article uses the structure of $\text{GL}_4(\mathbb{F}_2)$. Thus, we recall several structural properties of this group.

Proposition 3.11 A_8 is isomorphic to $\text{PSL}_4(\mathbb{F}_2) = \text{GL}_4(\mathbb{F}_2)$.

Lemma 3.12 A_8 does not contain a subgroup isomorphic to $A_5 \times C_2$ or $\text{SL}_2(\mathbb{F}_5)$.

Proof Both $A_5 \times C_2$ and $\text{SL}_2(\mathbb{F}_5)$ contain an element of order 10, but there is no element of order 10 in A_8 . \square

Lemma 3.13 The class of (12345) is the unique conjugacy class of elements of order 5 in A_8 . In particular, there is a unique non-trivial linear C_5 -action on $(\mathbb{F}_2)^4$. This action is irreducible.

Proof This is a special case of Lemma 3.9, with $q = 2$ and $n = 4$. \square

3.3.4 Structure of $\text{GL}_4(\mathbb{F}_3)$

We also make use of the structure of $\text{GL}_4(\mathbb{F}_3)$ in this article. So we recall several structural properties of this group. We proved the following lemmas, partially aided by the computer program Magma.

Lemma 3.14 $\text{GL}_4(\mathbb{F}_3)$ contains a unique conjugacy class of subgroups isomorphic to $A_5 \times C_2$.

Proof By computer calculation, we can check that $\text{GL}_4(\mathbb{F}_3)$ has four conjugacy classes of subgroups of order 120. They are

$$\left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 0020 \\ 0201 \\ 1000 \\ 0101 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1112 \\ 2002 \\ 2100 \\ 1020 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2000 \\ 0200 \\ 0020 \\ 0002 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle, \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 1102 \\ 0200 \\ 2122 \\ 0002 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2011 \\ 1201 \\ 0010 \\ 0012 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle \tag{3.2}$$

$$\left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 2122 \\ 2011 \\ 1120 \\ 1102 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0002 \\ 2102 \\ 2201 \\ 0220 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2000 \\ 0200 \\ 0020 \\ 0002 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle \text{ and } \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 2201 \\ 0100 \\ 1211 \\ 0001 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1022 \\ 2102 \\ 0020 \\ 0021 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle.$$

We use Magma to check that $\left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 2122 \\ 2011 \\ 1120 \\ 1102 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0002 \\ 2102 \\ 2201 \\ 0220 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2000 \\ 0200 \\ 0020 \\ 0002 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle$ is the only the conjugacy class of subgroup of order 120 which is isomorphic to $A_5 \times C_2$. \square

¹ To apply Schur’s lemma here, we have used that $p \neq r$, which is obvious, since p^2 does not divide $|\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{F}_p)|$.

Lemma 3.15 $GL_4(\mathbb{F}_3)$ does not contain a subgroup isomorphic to $A_5 \times V_4$.

Proof $A_5 \times V_4$ contains an abelian subgroup isomorphic to $C_{10} \times C_2$. As a special case of Lemma 3.9 (with $q = 3, n = 4$), the centralizer of a cyclic group of order 5 in $GL_4(\mathbb{F}_3)$ is cyclic, of order $3^4 - 1 = 80$. Now of course, if $GL_4(\mathbb{F}_3)$ contained a subgroup isomorphic to $C_{10} \times C_2$, then the centralizer of a respective subgroup of order 5 would be non-cyclic. This ends the proof. \square

Lemma 3.16 There exist a unique conjugacy class of elements of order 5 in $GL_4(\mathbb{F}_3)$. Furthermore, there is a unique non-trivial linear action of C_5 on $(\mathbb{F}_3)^4$, and this action is irreducible.

Proof This again follows directly from Lemma 3.9, with $q = 3$ and $n = 4$. \square

3.3.5 Structure of $GL_3(\mathbb{F}_5)$

We will also use the structures of $GL_3(\mathbb{F}_5)$.

Lemma 3.17 $GL_3(\mathbb{F}_5)$ contains a unique conjugacy class of subgroups isomorphic to $A_5 \times C_2$.

Proof By computer calculation, we can check that $GL_4(\mathbb{F}_3)$ has four conjugacy classes of subgroups of order 120. They are

$$\left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 4 & 1 \\ 4 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle, \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 4 & 0 \\ 4 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & 3 \\ 3 & 4 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle, \tag{3.3}$$

$$\left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 4 & 4 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 4 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle, \text{ and } \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 4 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 & 4 \\ 2 & 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle.$$

We use Magma to check that $\left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 4 & 4 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 4 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle$ is the only the conjugacy class of subgroup of order 120 which is isomorphic to $A_5 \times C_2$.

Lemma 3.18 $GL_3(\mathbb{F}_5)$ does not contain a subgroup isomorphic to $A_5 \times V_4$.

Proof By Lemma 3.10, any subgroup $A_5 \leq GL_3(\mathbb{F}_5)$ has to act irreducibly. Since $A_5 \times V_4$ has non-cyclic center, the claim now follows immediately from Lemma 3.7. \square

3.3.6 Structures of $GL_5(\mathbb{F}_2)$ and $GL_6(\mathbb{F}_2)$

Lemma 3.19 $GL_5(\mathbb{F}_2)$ does not contain a subgroup isomorphic to $PSL_2(8)$.

Proof The group $PSL_2(\mathbb{F}_8) = SL_2(\mathbb{F}_8)$ contains cyclic subgroups of order $\frac{8^2-1}{8-1} = 9$. However, $GL_5(\mathbb{F}_2)$ does not contain any such subgroups. Indeed, since 9 is a prime power, Maschke’s theorem implies that the existence of such a cyclic subgroup would enforce the existence of an irreducible cyclic subgroup of order 9 in some $GL_d(\mathbb{F}_2)$ with $d \leq 5$. Then $2^d - 1$ would have to be divisible by 9, which is not the case for any such d . This concludes the proof. \square

Lemma 3.20 $GL_6(\mathbb{F}_2)$ contains a unique conjugacy class of subgroups isomorphic to $PSL_2(\mathbb{F}_8)$.

Proof Since $PSL_2(\mathbb{F}_8) = SL_2(\mathbb{F}_8) \leq GL_2(\mathbb{F}_8)$, the existence follows immediately from the well-known fact that $GL_{n,d}(\mathbb{F}_q)$ contains subgroups isomorphic to $GL_n(\mathbb{F}_{q^d})$. The uniqueness can once again be verified with Magma. \square

Lemma 3.21 $GL_6(\mathbb{F}_2)$ does not contain subgroups isomorphic to $PSL_2(\mathbb{F}_8) \times C_2$.

Proof By Maschke’s theorem (and using the proof of Lemma 3.19), any cyclic subgroup of order 9 in $GL_6(\mathbb{F}_2)$ has to act irreducibly. By Lemma 3.8, the centralizer of such a subgroup is then cyclic of order $2^6 - 1 = 63$. However, the centralizer of an order-9 subgroup in $PSL_2(\mathbb{F}_8) \times C_2$ is of course of even order. This concludes the proof. \square

4 Example: $K = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{22268})$

Let K be the real quadratic number field $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{22268})$. We determine the Galois group of the maximal unramified extension of K .

Theorem 4.1 *Let K be the real quadratic field $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{22268})$. Then, under the assumption of GRH, $Gal(K_{ur}/K)$ is isomorphic to $A_5 \times C_2$.*

The class number of K is 2, i.e., $Cl(K) \simeq C_2$. Let K_1 be the Hilbert class field of K . Then K_1 can be written as $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{76}, \sqrt{293})$. By computer calculation, we know that the class group of K_1 is trivial, i.e., K_1 has no non-trivial solvable unramified extensions.

4.1 An unramified A_5 -extension of K_1

Let $K = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{22268})$ and let L be the splitting field of

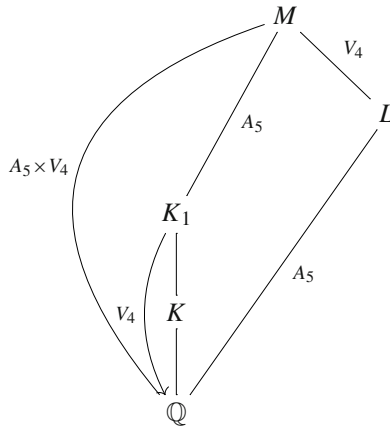
$$x^6 - 10x^4 - 7x^3 + 15x^2 + 14x + 3, \tag{4.1}$$

a totally real polynomial with discriminant $19^2 \cdot 293^2$. We can also find the polynomial (4.1) from the database of [4] and check that the discriminant of a root field of the polynomial (4.1) is also $19^2 \cdot 293^2$. Then, L is an A_5 -extension over \mathbb{Q} which is only ramified at 19 and 293. The factorizations of the above polynomial modulo 19 and 293 are

$$\begin{aligned} x^6 - 10x^4 - 7x^3 + 15x^2 + 14x + 3 &= (x + 12)^2(x + 15)^2(x^2 + 3x + 12) \pmod{19}, \\ x^6 - 10x^4 - 7x^3 + 15x^2 + 14x + 3 &= (x + 66)^2(x + 103)(x + 160)(x + 242)^2 \pmod{293}. \end{aligned}$$

Thus, 19 and 293 are the only primes ramified in this field with ramification index 2. By Abhyankar’s lemma, LK_1/K_1 is unramified at all primes, and 2, 19, and 293 are the only primes ramified in LK_1/\mathbb{Q} with ramification index 2 (note that $22268 = 4 \cdot$

19·293). Since A_5 is a non-abelian simple group, $L \cap K_1 = \mathbb{Q}$. Thus, $\text{Gal}(LK_1/K_1) \simeq \text{Gal}(L/\mathbb{Q}) \simeq A_5$, i.e., LK_1 is an unramified A_5 -extension of K_1 . We also know that $\text{Gal}(LK_1/\mathbb{Q}) \simeq V_4 \times A_5$. Define M as LK_1 .



4.2 Determination of $\text{Gal}(K_{\text{ur}}/K)$

To prove Theorem 4.1, it suffices to show that M possesses no non-trivial unramified extensions. Since M/K is unramified, the root discriminant of M is $|d_M|^{1/n_M} = |d_K|^{1/n_K} = \sqrt{22268} = 149.2246\dots$. If we assume GRH, then $|d_M|^{1/n_M} = |d_K|^{1/n_K} = \sqrt{22268} = 149.2246\dots < 153.252 \leq B(31970, 31970, 0)$ (see [6, Table]). This implies that $[K_{\text{ur}} : M] < \frac{31,970}{[M:\mathbb{Q}]} = 133.2083\dots$

We now first exclude the existence of non-trivial unramified abelian extensions of M . Suppose M possesses such an extension T/M . Without loss, T/M can be assumed cyclic of prime degree. Let T' be its normal closure over \mathbb{Q} . Then T' is unramified and elementary-abelian over K_1 , and $\text{Gal}(M/K_1) \simeq A_5$ acts on $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$. The following intermediate result is useful.

Lemma 4.2 *If T/M is an unramified cyclic C_p -extension, then the action of A_5 on $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$ is faithful or $[T' : M] = 2$.*

Proof Since A_5 is simple, it suffices to exclude the case that the action of A_5 on $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$ is trivial. In that case, the extension $1 \rightarrow \text{Gal}(T'/M) \rightarrow \text{Gal}(T'/K_1) \rightarrow A_5 \rightarrow 1$ would be a central extension. Assume that this extension is not a stem extension. In this case, $\text{Gal}(T'/K_1)$ has a non-trivial abelian quotient by Proposition 3.3. Since T'/K_1 is unramified, this contradicts the fact that K_1 has class number 1. So the extension is a stem extension, whence Lemma 3.4 yields $\text{Gal}(T'/M) \simeq C_2$. \square

Corollary 4.3 *If T/M is an unramified cyclic C_p -extension, then $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$ is one of $(C_2)^k$ with $k \in \{1, 4, 5, 6, 7\}$, or $(C_3)^4$, or $(C_5)^3$.*

Proof Lemma 4.2 shows that either $[T' : M] = 2$, or A_5 embeds into $\text{Aut}(\text{Gal}(T'/M))$. Furthermore, we already know $[T' : M] \leq 133$. Now it is easy to check that only the above possibilities for $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$ remain (see in particular Lemma 3.10). \square

We now treat the remaining cases one by one.

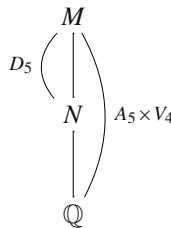
4.2.1 2-Class group of M

With the above notation, suppose that $\text{Gal}(T/M) \simeq C_2$. Then, T'/M is unramified and $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$ is isomorphic to $(C_2)^m$ ($1 \leq m \leq 7$).

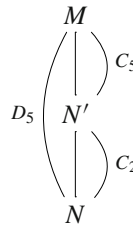
Let $E \subset L$ be a root field of the polynomial (4.1) and N be the compositum of E and K_1 , i.e., $N = EK_1$. Then E can be defined by the composite of three polynomials: $x^2 - 19$, $x^2 - 293$ and the polynomial (4.1). By computer calculation, N is a root field of the following polynomial:

$$\begin{aligned}
 &x^{24} - 3784x^{22} - 28x^{21} + 6404076x^{20} + 53312x^{19} - 6401641814x^{18} \\
 &\quad - 31411548x^{17} + 4204260566526x^{16} - 5837238288x^{15} \\
 &\quad - 1908791963697448x^{14} + 18501271313028x^{13} \\
 &\quad + 613640140988085895x^{12} - 11975084172112012x^{11} \\
 &\quad - 140616516271183965910x^{10} + 4264300576327196748x^9 \\
 &\quad + 22779186389906647652933x^8 - 932994735936411884988x^7 \\
 &\quad - 2542792801321996372912890x^6 \tag{4.2} \\
 &\quad + 124393633255686127917612x^5 \\
 &\quad + 185598619641359536180924174x^4 \\
 &\quad - 9237397310199896463461164x^3 \\
 &\quad - 7951324489796939270027088092x^2 \\
 &\quad + 291464252731787840722883096x \\
 &\quad + 151174316045577424616769218057.
 \end{aligned}$$

We also know that $\text{Gal}(M/N)$ is isomorphic to D_5 .



By computer calculation, we know that the class group of N is isomorphic to C_2 under GRH. Let N' be the Hilbert class field of N . (Note that, N' is a subfield of M , since M/N is unramified.)



By Lemma 2.2, the 2-class group of N' is trivial. Thus the rank m of the 2-class group of M is a multiple of 4 by Lemma 2.1, i.e., m is equal to 0 or 4.

Suppose that $m = 4$. Then, $\text{Gal}(T'/K_1)$ is an extension of A_5 by $(C_2)^4$. By Lemma 4.2, $\text{Gal}(M/K_1)$ acts faithfully on $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$. Consider $\text{Gal}(T'/K)$. This group is an extension of $\text{Gal}(M/K) (\simeq A_5 \times C_2)$ by $\text{Gal}(T'/M) (\simeq (C_2)^4)$ and an extension of $\text{Gal}(K_1/K) (\simeq C_2)$ by $\text{Gal}(T'/K_1)$ simultaneously. Therefore, it is natural to examine how $\text{Gal}(K_1/K)$ acts on $\text{Gal}(T'/M) (\simeq (C_2)^4)$. By Lemma 3.12, $\text{Gal}(M/K) (\simeq A_5 \times C_2)$ does not act faithfully on $\text{Gal}(T'/M) (\simeq (C_2)^4)$. Since $\text{Gal}(M/K_1) (\simeq A_5)$ acts non-trivially on $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$, we obtain that $\text{Gal}(K_1/K) (\simeq \text{Gal}(M/LK))$ acts trivially on $\text{Gal}(T'/M) (\simeq (C_2)^4)$.

$\text{Gal}(T'/LK) \simeq (C_2)^5$ Since $\text{Gal}(M/LK)$ acts trivially on $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$, $\text{Gal}(T'/LK)$ is $(C_2)^3 \times C_4$ or $(C_2)^5$. Let $\text{Gal}(T'/LK)$ be $(C_2)^3 \times C_4$. Then, $\text{Gal}(T''/LK)$ is isomorphic to $(C_2)^4$, where T''/LK is the maximal elementary abelian 2-subextension of T'/LK . By the maximality of T'' , T'' is also Galois over \mathbb{Q} and $\text{Gal}(T''/K)$ is an extension of A_5 by $(C_2)^4$. By restriction, this A_5 -actions on $(C_2)^4$ comes from the $\text{Gal}(M/K)$ -actions on $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$ mentioned above. Since $\text{Gal}(T'/K_1)$ does not have any abelian quotient, $\text{Gal}(T''/K)$ also has no abelian quotients, i.e., $T'' \cap K_1 = K$. Thus, $\text{Gal}(T'/K)$ is a direct product of $\text{Gal}(T''/K)$ and $\text{Gal}(K_1/K)$, i.e., $\text{Gal}(T'/LK)$ is a direct product of $\text{Gal}(T''/LK) \simeq (C_2)^4$ and $\text{Gal}(K_1/K) \simeq C_2$. This contradicts the fact that $\text{Gal}(T'/LK)$ is $(C_2)^3 \times C_4$. Thus, $\text{Gal}(T'/LK)$ is isomorphic to $(C_2)^5$, and there exists some $S/LK/K$ such that $SK_1 = T'$ and $\text{Gal}(S/K) \simeq (C_2)^4 \rtimes A_5$.

In a similar manner, we can prove that there exists some $S'/L/\mathbb{Q}$ such that $S'K_1 = T'$ and $\text{Gal}(S'/\mathbb{Q}) \simeq (C_2)^4 \rtimes A_5$.

Since $S'K$ is contained in T' , $S'K/K$ is an unramified extension. Therefore, the only ramified primes in $S'/L/\mathbb{Q}$ are 2, 19, and 293 with ramification index 2. Since 19 and 293 are already ramified in L/\mathbb{Q} , the only ramified prime in S'/L is 2.

Unramifiedness of S'/L Suppose that 2 is ramified in S'/L . The ramification index of 2 should then be 2. Let $\bar{\mathfrak{p}}$ (resp. \mathfrak{p}) be a prime ideal in S' (resp. L) satisfying $\bar{\mathfrak{p}}|2$ (resp. $\mathfrak{p}|2$). The factorization of the polynomial (4.1) modulo 2 is

$$x^6 - 10x^4 - 7x^3 + 15x^2 + 14x + 3 \equiv (x + 1)(x^5 + x^4 + x^3 + x + 1) \pmod{2}. \tag{4.3}$$

Thus, we know that $\text{Gal}(L_{\mathfrak{p}}/\mathbb{Q}_2)$ is isomorphic to $C_5 \simeq \langle (12345) \rangle$, where $L_{\mathfrak{p}}$ is the \mathfrak{p} -completion of L . Consider $\text{Gal}(S'_{\bar{\mathfrak{p}}}/L_{\mathfrak{p}})$. Since the ramification index of \mathfrak{p} is 2, $\text{Gal}(S'_{\bar{\mathfrak{p}}}/L_{\mathfrak{p}})$ is C_2 or $(C_2)^2$, i.e., the proper subgroup of $(C_2)^4$. Hence, $\text{Gal}(S'_{\bar{\mathfrak{p}}}/\mathbb{Q}_3) = \text{Gal}(S'_{\bar{\mathfrak{p}}}/L_{\mathfrak{p}}) \rtimes \langle (12345) \rangle \subsetneq (C_2)^4 \rtimes \langle (12345) \rangle$. This contradicts the statement that

there is no proper subgroup of $(C_2)^4$ that is invariant under the action of $\langle(12345)\rangle$ (see Lemma 3.13). Thus, S'/L should be unramified at all places. In conclusion, S'/\mathbb{Q} is a $(C_2)^4 \rtimes A_5$ -extension of \mathbb{Q} that has ramification index 2 at only 19 and 293. Let us now consider the root discriminant of S' . Since S'/L is unramified at all places,

$$|d_{S'}|^{1/n_{S'}} = |d_L|^{1/n_L} = (19^{30} \cdot 293^{30})^{1/60} = \sqrt{19 \cdot 293} = 74.6123 \dots$$

This implies that $|d_{S'}|^{1/n_{S'}} < 106.815 \dots \leq B(960, 960, 0)$ under the GRH (see [6, Table]). This contradicts the definition of the lower bound for the root discriminant. Thus, the 2-class group of M is trivial.

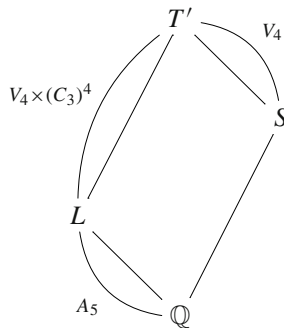
4.2.2 3-Class group of M

Suppose that T/M is an unramified C_3 -extension. Then, as seen above, T' is unramified over M and $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$ is isomorphic to $(C_3)^4$. Then, $\text{Gal}(T'/\mathbb{Q})$ is an extension of $\text{Gal}(M/\mathbb{Q}) \simeq A_5 \times V_4$ by $(C_3)^4$. Therefore, it is natural to examine how $\text{Gal}(M/\mathbb{Q})$ acts on $\text{Gal}(T'/M) \simeq (C_3)^4$. By Lemmas 3.14 and 3.15, we know that there are three possibilities of the actions of $\text{Gal}(M/\mathbb{Q})$ on $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$. [Note that $\text{Aut}((C_3)^4) \simeq \text{GL}_4(\mathbb{F}_3)$]. Each action is induced by the following three group homomorphisms $\psi : A_5 \times V_4 \rightarrow \text{GL}_4(\mathbb{F}_3)$:

- ψ is trivial.
- $\psi(A_5 \times V_4) \simeq A_5$.
- $\psi(A_5 \times V_4) \simeq A_5 \times C_2$.

By Lemma 4.2, $\text{Gal}(M/K_1)$ acts faithfully on $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$. Therefore, ψ cannot be trivial.

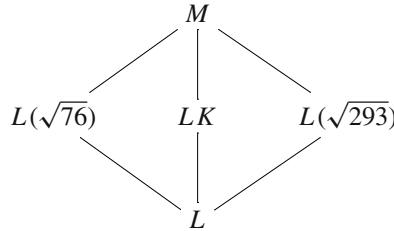
$\psi(A_5 \times V_4) \simeq A_5$ This means that $\text{Gal}(M/K_1) (\simeq A_5)$ acts non-trivially on $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$ and $\text{Gal}(M/L) \simeq V_4$ acts trivially on $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$. Since $|\text{Gal}(T'/M)|$ and $|\text{Gal}(M/L)|$ are coprime, $\text{Gal}(T'/L)$ is isomorphic to $V_4 \times (C_3)^4$. Let S be the subfield of T' fixed by V_4 . Then $\text{Gal}(S/\mathbb{Q})$ is a group extension of A_5 by $(C_3)^4$.



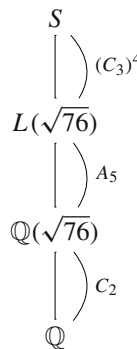
Since 19 and 293 are already ramified in L/\mathbb{Q} , the only ramified prime in S/L is 2. If 2 is ramified in S/L , its ramification index should be 2. But it is impossible, because the degree of $[S : L]$ is odd. Thus S/L is unramified over all places. By a similar

argument as in Sect.4.2.2.1, we can check that this contradicts the definition of the lower bound for the root discriminant.

$\psi(A_5 \times V_4) \simeq A_5 \times C_2$ First of all, let us see the intermediate fields in M/L . Since $\text{Gal}(M/L)$ is isomorphic to V_4 , there are three proper intermediate fields in M/L .



Suppose that $\text{Gal}(M/L(\sqrt{76}))$ acts trivially on $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$. This means that $\text{Gal}(T'/L(\sqrt{76}))$ is isomorphic to $C_2 \times (C_3)^4$, i.e., there exists a subfield S in $T'/L(\sqrt{76})$ such that $\text{Gal}(S/L(\sqrt{76}))$ is isomorphic to $(C_3)^4$.



We easily check that $S/L(\sqrt{76})$ is unramified over all places. Let \bar{p} (resp. p' , p) be a prime ideal in S [resp. $L(\sqrt{76})$, $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{76})$] satisfying $\bar{p}|2$ (resp. $p'|2$, $p|2$). We had already show that the factorization of the polynomial (4.1) modulo 2 is

$$x^6 - 10x^4 - 7x^3 + 15x^2 + 14x + 3 \equiv (x + 1)(x^5 + x^4 + x^3 + x + 1) \pmod{2}. \tag{4.4}$$

Thus, we know that $\text{Gal}(L(\sqrt{76})_{p'}/\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{76})_p)$ is isomorphic to $C_5 \simeq \langle (12345) \rangle$, where $L(\sqrt{76})_{p'}$ [resp. $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{76})_p$] is the p' -completion of $L(\sqrt{76})$ [resp. the p -completion of $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{76})_p$].

Let us consider $\text{Gal}(S_{\bar{p}}/L(\sqrt{76})_{p'})$. We know that $S/L(\sqrt{76})$ is unramified. Thus, $S_{\bar{p}}/L(\sqrt{76})_{p'}$ is a cyclic extension, i.e., $\text{Gal}(S_{\bar{p}}/L(\sqrt{76})_{p'})$ is isomorphic to C_3 or a trivial group.

Suppose that $\text{Gal}(S_{\bar{p}}/L(\sqrt{76})_{p'})$ is isomorphic to C_3 . Then $\text{Gal}(S_{\bar{p}}/\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{76})_p) = \text{Gal}(S_{\bar{p}}/L(\sqrt{76})_{p'}) \rtimes \langle (12345) \rangle \subsetneq (C_3)^4 \rtimes \langle (12345) \rangle$. This contradicts the statement

that there is no proper subgroup of $(C_3)^4$ that is invariant under the action of $\langle(12345)\rangle$ (see Lemma 3.16). In conclusion, $\text{Gal}(S_{\bar{p}}/L(\sqrt{76})_{\bar{p}})$ is trivial.

Thus, for a number field S/\mathbb{Q} , $e_2 = 2$ and $f_2 = 5$ where e_2 is the ramification index of 2 and f_2 is the inertia degree for 2. Let us recall the function (2.3)

$$f = 2 \sum_{\mathfrak{p}} \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{\log N(\mathfrak{p})}{N(\mathfrak{p})^{m/2}} F(\log N(\mathfrak{p})^m).$$

Since every term of f is greater than or equal to 0, the following holds for the number field S .

$$f \geq 2 \sum_{j=1}^{972} \sum_{i=1}^{100} \frac{\log N(\bar{q}_j)}{N(\bar{q}_j)^{i/2}} F(\log N(\bar{q}_j)^i), \tag{4.5}$$

where the \bar{q}_j denote the prime ideals of S satisfying $\bar{q}_j|2$. Since $f_2 = 5$, $N(\bar{q}_j) = 2^5$ for all j . Set $b = 8.8$. By a numerical calculation, we have

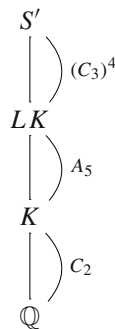
$$f \geq 2 \cdot 972 \sum_{i=1}^{100} \frac{\log 2^5}{2^{5i/2}} F(\log 2^{5i}) = 1111.46 \dots \tag{4.6}$$

Let us recall (2.2). For $b = 8.8$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} |d_S|^{1/n_S} &> 149.272 \cdot e^{(f-604.89)/9720} \\ &\geq 149.272 \cdot e^{(1111.46-604.89)/9720} = 157.258 \dots \end{aligned} \tag{4.7}$$

$|d_S|^{1/n_S} = |d_K|^{1/n_K} = \sqrt{22268}$ contradicts the fact that $|d_S|^{1/n_S} = 149.2246 \dots$

Next, suppose that $\text{Gal}(M/LK)$ acts trivially on $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$. This means that $\text{Gal}(T'/LK)$ is isomorphic to $C_2 \times (C_3)^4$, i.e., there exists a subfield S' in T'/LK such that $\text{Gal}(S'/LK)$ is isomorphic to $(C_3)^4$.

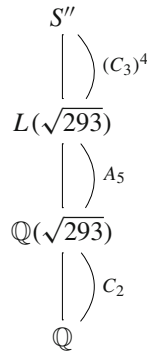


By the same argument as in the above, we can get

$$|d_{S'}|^{1/n_{S'}} > 157.258 \dots \tag{4.8}$$

and this contradicts the fact that $|d_S|^{1/ns} = 149.2246\dots$

Finally, suppose that $\text{Gal}(M/L(\sqrt{293}))$ acts trivially on $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$. This means that $\text{Gal}(T'/L(\sqrt{293}))$ is isomorphic to $C_2 \times (C_3)^4$, i.e., there exists a subfield S'' in $T'/L(\sqrt{293})$ such that $\text{Gal}(S''/L(\sqrt{293}))$ is isomorphic to $(C_3)^4$.



We easily know that 19 and 293 are the only ramified primes in S''/\mathbb{Q} . By a similar argument as in Sect. 4.2.1.2, we can check that this contradicts the definition of the lower bound for the root discriminant.

In conclusion, the 3-class group of M is trivial.

4.2.3 5-Class group of M

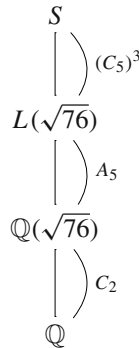
Suppose that T/M is an unramified C_5 -extension. Then, T' is unramified over M and $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$ is isomorphic to $(C_5)^3$. Thus, $\text{Gal}(T'/\mathbb{Q})$ is an extension of $\text{Gal}(M/\mathbb{Q}) \simeq A_5 \times V_4$ by $(C_5)^3$. Therefore, it is natural to examine how $\text{Gal}(M/\mathbb{Q})$ acts on $\text{Gal}(T'/M) \simeq (C_5)^3$. By Lemmas 3.17 and 3.18, we know that there are three possibilities of the actions of $\text{Gal}(M/\mathbb{Q})$ on $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$. Each action is induced by the following three group homomorphisms $\psi : A_5 \times V_4 \rightarrow \text{GL}_3(\mathbb{F}_5)$:

- ψ is trivial.
- $\psi(A_5 \times V_4) \simeq A_5$.
- $\psi(A_5 \times V_4) \simeq A_5 \times C_2$.

By a similar argument as in Sect. 4.2.2, we just need to think about the case $\psi(A_5 \times V_4) \simeq A_5 \times C_2$.

$\psi(A_5 \times V_4) \simeq A_5 \times C_2$ Consider again the intermediate fields of M/L as in Sect. 4.2.2.2. Suppose that $\text{Gal}(M/L(\sqrt{76}))$ acts trivially on $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$. This means that $\text{Gal}(T'/L(\sqrt{76}))$ is isomorphic to $C_2 \times (C_5)^3$, i.e., there exists a subfield S in

$T'/L(\sqrt{76})$ such that $\text{Gal}(S/L(\sqrt{76}))$ is isomorphic to $(C_5)^3$.

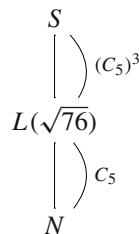


From [4], we know that L can also be defined as the splitting field of following polynomial, corresponding to an imprimitive degree-12 action of A_5 :

$$\begin{aligned}
 &x^{12} + 11x^{11} - 59x^{10} - 647x^9 - 295x^8 + 5446x^7 + 4294x^6 \\
 &\quad - 14727x^5 - 4960x^4 + 16477x^3 - 4028x^2 - 1813x + 324.
 \end{aligned} \tag{4.9}$$

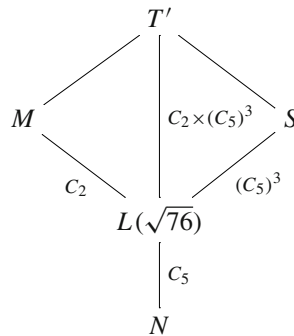
Let $E \subset L$ be a root field of the polynomial (4.9). We know that the discriminant d_E of E is $19^6 \cdot 293^6$. Since $|d_E|^{1/n_E} = |d_L|^{1/n_L}$, L/E is unramified.

Define N as the compositum of E and $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{76})$. Then N is a subfield of $L(\sqrt{76})$ and $\text{Gal}(L(\sqrt{76})/N)$ is isomorphic to C_5 .



By Abhyankar’s lemma, we easily know that $L(\sqrt{76})/N$ is unramified. Using a computer calculation, we can check that N is a root field of the following polynomial:

$$\begin{aligned}
 &x^{24} - 111x^{22} + 4394x^{20} - 83286x^{18} + 818659x^{16} - 4122356x^{14} \\
 &\quad + 9878557x^{12} - 10688099x^{10} + 5561624x^8 - 1360039x^6 \\
 &\quad + 130854x^4 - 2499x^2 + 1.
 \end{aligned} \tag{4.10}$$



By the calculation of Sage, we can check that the class group of N is equal to C_{10} , i.e., 5-class group of N is C_5 and Hilbert 5-class field of N is $L(\sqrt{76})$. We know that $\text{Gal}(T'/L(\sqrt{76}))$ is isomorphic to $C_2 \times (C_3)^5$, i.e., 5-class group of $L(\sqrt{76})$ is not trivial. This contradicts Lemma 2.2.

Suppose that $\text{Gal}(M/LK)$ acts trivially on $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$. Define N' as the compositum of E and K . Then N can be defined by the following polynomial:

$$\begin{aligned}
 &x^{24} - 98x^{22} + 4073x^{20} - 94,476x^{18} + 1354898x^{16} - 12553566x^{14} \\
 &+ 76075696x^{12} - 297782263x^{10} + 723063287x^8 - 1000608193x^6 \quad (4.11) \\
 &+ 654400814x^4 - 110097135x^2 + 3818116.
 \end{aligned}$$

By a computer calculation with Magma, we can check, assuming GRH, that the class group of N is equal to C_{10} , i.e., the 5-class group of N is C_5 and the Hilbert 5-class field of N is LK . By the same argument as above, we obtain a contradiction.

Suppose that $\text{Gal}(M/L(\sqrt{293}))$ acts trivially on $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$. This means that $\text{Gal}(T'/L(\sqrt{293}))$ is isomorphic to $C_2 \times (C_5)^3$, i.e., there exists a subfield S'' in $T'/L(\sqrt{293})$ such that $\text{Gal}(S''/L(\sqrt{293}))$ is isomorphic to $(C_5)^3$, and such that 19 and 293 are the only ramified primes in S''/\mathbb{Q} . By a similar argument as in Sect. 4.2.2.1, we can check that this contradicts the lower bound for the root discriminant.

In conclusion, 5-class group of M is also trivial under the assumption of the GRH. We have therefore obtained:

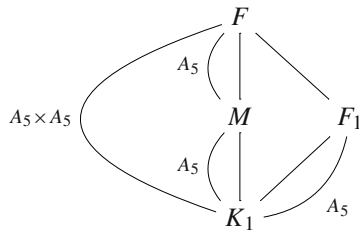
Proposition 4.4 *The class number of M is 1, under the assumption of the GRH.*

4.2.4 A_5 -unramified extension of M

Since the class number of M is one, there is no solvable unramified extension over M . The last thing we have to do is to show that there is no nonsolvable unramified extension over M . Since $[K_{\text{ur}} : M] < 133.2083 \dots$, our task is to show that K does not admit an unramified A_5 -extension.

Suppose that M admits an unramified A_5 -extension F . Because $[K_{\text{ur}} : M] < 134$, F is the unique unramified A_5 -extension of M , i.e., F is Galois over \mathbb{Q} . It is well known that A_5 is isomorphic to $\text{PSL}_2(\mathbb{F}_5)$ and S_5 is isomorphic to $\text{PGL}_2(\mathbb{F}_5)$. By

Lemma 3.6, $\text{Gal}(F/K_1) \simeq A_5 \times A_5$, i.e., K_1 admits another A_5 -unramified extension F_1 .



(Note that, F_1 is also Galois over \mathbb{Q} , or otherwise K_1 would have further unramified A_5 -extensions, contradicting Odlyzko’s bound.) Then, by Lemma 3.6, there are only two possibilities for $\text{Gal}(F_1/K)$: $A_5 \times C_2$ or S_5 .

Case 1: $\text{Gal}(F_1/K) \simeq A_5 \times C_2$ By a similar argument in the above, K admits an A_5 -unramified extension F_2 . Then, $\text{Gal}(F_2/\mathbb{Q})$ is also isomorphic to $A_5 \times C_2$ or S_5 .

Case 1.1: $\text{Gal}(F_2/\mathbb{Q}) \simeq A_5 \times C_2$ This implies that there exists an A_5 -extension F_3/\mathbb{Q} with all ramification indices ≤ 2 and unramified outside of $\{2, 19, 293\}$. Assume first that 19 is unramified in F_3/\mathbb{Q} . Let E be a quintic subfield of F_3/\mathbb{Q} . Then, by a well known result of Dedekind, we get the upper bound $|d_E| \leq 2^6 \cdot 293^2 < 5.5 \cdot 10^6$ for the discriminant of E . However, from [8, Table 2 in Sect. 4.1] no extension with this discriminant bound and ramification restrictions exists. We may therefore assume that 19 is ramified in F_3/\mathbb{Q} . Since its inertia group is generated by a double transposition in A_5 , the inertia degree of 19 in the extension F_2/\mathbb{Q} (with Galois group $A_5 \times C_2$) is at most 2. The same holds for the inertia degree of 19 in the extension L/\mathbb{Q} , and therefore eventually also in the compositum LF_2/\mathbb{Q} .

Let us recall the function (2.3)

$$f = 2 \sum_{\mathfrak{p}} \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{\log N(\mathfrak{p})}{N(\mathfrak{p})^{m/2}} F(\log N(\mathfrak{p})^m).$$

Since every term of f is greater than or equal to 0, the following holds for the number field LF_2 .

$$f \geq 2 \sum_{j=1}^{1800} \sum_{i=1}^{100} \frac{\log N(\bar{\mathfrak{q}}_j)}{N(\bar{\mathfrak{q}}_j)^{i/2}} F(\log N(\bar{\mathfrak{q}}_j)^i), \tag{4.12}$$

where the $\bar{\mathfrak{q}}_j$ denote the prime ideals of LF_2 satisfying $\bar{\mathfrak{q}}_j | 19$. Since $f_{19} = 2$, $N(\bar{\mathfrak{q}}_j) = 19^2$ for all j . Set $b = 8.8$. By a numerical calculation, we have

$$f \geq 2 \cdot 1800 \sum_{i=1}^{100} \frac{\log 19^2}{19^i} F(\log 19^{2i}) = 683.225 \dots \tag{4.13}$$

Let us recall (2.2). For $b = 8.8$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} |d_{LF_2}|^{1/n_{LF_2}} &> 149.272 \cdot e^{(f-604.89)/7200} \\ &\geq 149.272 \cdot e^{(683.225-604.89)/7200} = 150.905 \dots \end{aligned} \tag{4.14}$$

$|d_{LF_2}|^{1/n_{LF_2}} = |d_K|^{1/n_K} = \sqrt{22268}$ contradicts the fact that $|d_{LF_2}|^{1/n_{LF_2}} = 149.2246 \dots$

Case 1.2: $\text{Gal}(F_2/\mathbb{Q}) \simeq S_5$ By the unramifiedness of F_2/K , and since the only involutions of S_5 not contained in A_5 are the transpositions, a quintic subfield E of F_2 must have the discriminant 22268. However, such a quintic number field does not exist, from [8]. This is a contradiction.

Case 2: $\text{Gal}(F_1/K) \simeq S_5$ By Lemma 3.6, $\text{Gal}(F_1/\mathbb{Q}) \simeq S_5 \times C_2$. Consequently, F_1 is the compositum of K and an S_5 -extension F_2 of \mathbb{Q} . Furthermore, F_2/\mathbb{Q} has a quadratic subextension contained in K_1 , but linearly disjoint from K . Therefore, it is either $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{293})$ or $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{76})$. Consider now a quintic subfield E of F_2/\mathbb{Q} . Of course, E/\mathbb{Q} is unramified outside $\{2, 19, 293\}$. Furthermore, all non-trivial inertia subgroups are generated either by transpositions or by double transpositions. Finally, the inertia subgroups at those primes which ramify in the quadratic subfield of F_2/\mathbb{Q} are generated by transpositions. By a similar argument as in Sect. 4.2.4.2, we then get one of the following two upper bounds for the discriminant of E : either $|d_E| \leq 2^3 \cdot 19 \cdot 293^2$ [namely, if the quadratic subfield is $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{76})$], or $|d_E| \leq 2^6 \cdot 19^2 \cdot 293$. Such a quintic number field does not exist, from [8, Sect. 4.1]. This is a contradiction.

In conclusion, M admits no unramified A_5 -extensions, i.e., we have that $\text{Gal}(K_{ur}/K_1) \cong A_5$ under the assumption that the GRH holds. This concludes the proof of Theorem 4.1.

5 Example: $K = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{-1567})$

Until now, we dealt with real quadratic fields. In this section, we will give the first case of an imaginary quadratic field.

Let K be the imaginary quadratic number field $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{-1567})$. We show the following:

Theorem 5.1 *Let K be the imaginary quadratic field $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{-1567})$ and K_{ur} be its maximal unramified extension. Then $\text{Gal}(K_{ur}/K)$ is isomorphic to $\text{PSL}_2(\mathbb{F}_8) \times C_{15}$ under the assumption of the GRH.*

The class number of K is 15, i.e., $\text{Cl}(K) \simeq C_{15}$. Let K_1 be the Hilbert class field of K .

5.1 Class number of K_1

The first thing we have to do is show that the class number of K_1 is one. It can be computed that K_1 is the splitting field of the polynomial

$$\begin{aligned}
 &x^{15} + 14x^{14} + 56x^{13} + 105x^{12} + 497x^{11} + 832x^{10} + 1157x^9 + 1274x^8 \\
 &\quad + 644x^7 - 971x^6 - 2582x^5 - 177x^4 + 7x^3 + 1187x^2 - 20x + 1.
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{5.1}$$

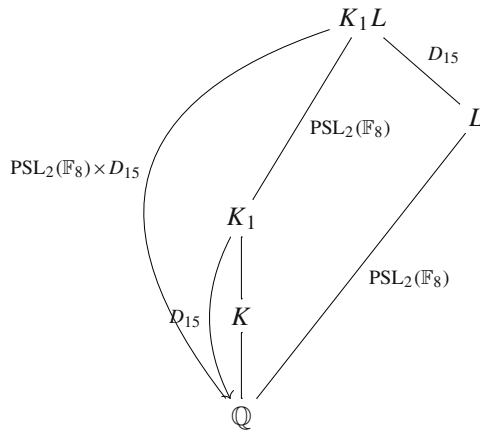
We can then check with Magma that the class number of K_1 is 1, under GRH.

5.2 An unramified $\text{PSL}_2(\mathbb{F}_8)$ -extension of K_1

Let $K = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{-1567})$ and let L be the splitting field of

$$x^9 - 2x^8 + 10x^7 - 25x^6 + 34x^5 - 40x^4 + 52x^3 - 45x^2 + 20x - 4,
 \tag{5.2}$$

a polynomial with complex roots. Then L is a $\text{PSL}_2(\mathbb{F}_8)$ -extension of \mathbb{Q} and 1567 is the only prime ramified in this field with ramification index two. By Abhyankar’s lemma, LK/K is unramified at all primes. Since $\text{PSL}_2(\mathbb{F}_8)$ is a non-abelian simple group, $L \cap K_1 = \mathbb{Q}$. So $\text{Gal}(LK_1/K_1) \simeq \text{Gal}(L/\mathbb{Q}) \simeq \text{PSL}_2(\mathbb{F}_8)$, i.e., LK_1 is a $\text{PSL}_2(\mathbb{F}_8)$ -extension of K_1 which is unramified over all places. It follows that $\text{Gal}(LK_1/\mathbb{Q})$ is isomorphic to $\text{PSL}_2(\mathbb{F}_8) \times D_{15}$.



5.3 The determination of $\text{Gal}(K_{\text{ur}}/K)$

Define M as LK_1 . Since M/K is unramified at all places, the root discriminant of M is $|d_M|^{1/|M|} = |d_K|^{1/|K|} = \sqrt{1567} = 39.5853 \dots$. If we assume GRH, then $|d_M|^{1/|M|} = |d_K|^{1/|K|} = \sqrt{1567} = 39.5853 < 39.895 \dots = B(1000000, 0, 500000)$ (see [6, Table]). This implies that $[K_{\text{ur}} : M] < \frac{1,000,000}{[M:\mathbb{Q}]} = 66.1375 \dots$. We now proceed similarly as in Sect. 4. Let T be a non-trivial unramified C_p -extension of M , and let T' be its Galois closure over \mathbb{Q} . First, we obtain the following analog of Lemma 4.2.

Lemma 5.2 *If T/M is a non-trivial unramified cyclic C_p -extension, then the action of $\text{PSL}_2(\mathbb{F}_8)$ on $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$ is faithful.*

Proof As in Lemma 4.2, and using additionally that $\text{PSL}_2(\mathbb{F}_8)$ has trivial Schur multiplier (see Lemma 3.5). \square

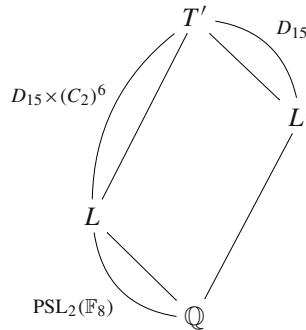
Corollary 5.3 *If T/M is a non-trivial unramified cyclic C_p -extension, then $p = 2$ and $\text{Gal}(T'/M) \simeq (C_2)^6$.*

Proof Use Lemma 5.2, the bound $[T' : M] \leq 66$, and Lemmas 3.10 and 3.19 in order to obtain that $(C_2)^6$ is the only elementary-abelian group in the relevant range which allows a non-trivial $\text{PSL}_2(\mathbb{F}_8)$ -action. \square

We deal with the remaining case below.

5.3.1 2-Class group of M

Suppose that M has an unramified C_2 -extension T and let T' be its normal closure over \mathbb{Q} . As shown above, T' is unramified over M and $\text{Gal}(T'/M)$ is isomorphic to $(C_2)^6$.



Let $\bar{\mathfrak{p}}$ (resp. \mathfrak{p}) be a prime ideal in L' (resp. L) satisfying $\bar{\mathfrak{p}}|2$ (resp. $\mathfrak{p}|2$). The factorization of the polynomial (5.2) modulo 2 is

$$x^2(x^7 + x^4 + 1) \pmod{2}. \tag{5.3}$$

Since $\text{PSL}_2(\mathbb{F}_8)$ contains no elements of order 14, we thus know that $\text{Gal}(L_{\mathfrak{p}}/\mathbb{Q}_2)$ is isomorphic to C_7 , where $L_{\mathfrak{p}}$ is the \mathfrak{p} -completion of L . Consider $\text{Gal}(L'_{\bar{\mathfrak{p}}}/L_{\mathfrak{p}})$. Because L'/L is unramified, $\text{Gal}(L'_{\bar{\mathfrak{p}}}/L_{\mathfrak{p}})$ is either trivial or C_2 .

$$\left. \begin{array}{c} L' \\ | \\ L \end{array} \right) (C_2)^6$$

By Lemma 3.20, there is a unique class of subgroups $\text{PSL}_2(\mathbb{F}_8)$ inside $\text{GL}_6(\mathbb{F}_2)$. The cyclic subgroups of order 7 in these subgroups act fixed-point-freely on $(C_2)^6$ (in fact, the vector space decomposes into a direct sum of two irreducible modules of

dimension 3 under their action). Therefore, the corresponding group extension of C_7 by $(C_2)^6$ has trivial center, and in particular contains no element of order 14. Thus, $\text{Gal}(L'_p/L_p)$ is trivial, i.e., p splits completely in L' .

Define S to be the compositum $L'K$. Since $-1567 \equiv 1$ modulo 8, 2 splits completely in K . Then, for the number field S/\mathbb{Q} , we have that $f_2 = 7$, where f_2 is the inertia degree of 2. Let us recall the function (2.3) again.

$$f = 2 \sum_p \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{\log N(\mathfrak{p})}{N(\mathfrak{p})^{m/2}} F(\log N(\mathfrak{p})^m).$$

Since every term of f is greater than or equal to 0, the following holds for the number field S .

$$f \geq 2 \sum_{j=1}^{9216} \sum_{i=1}^{100} \frac{\log N(\bar{q}_j)}{N(\bar{q}_j)^{i/2}} F(\log N(\bar{q}_j)^i), \tag{5.4}$$

where the \bar{q}_j denote the prime ideals of S satisfying $\bar{q}_j|2$. Since $f_2 = 7$, $N(\bar{q}_j) = 2^7$ for all j . Set $b = 11.6$. By a numerical calculation, we have

$$f \geq 2 \cdot 9216 \sum_{i=1}^{100} \frac{\log 2^7}{2^{7i/2}} F(\log 2^{7i}) = 6814.41\dots \tag{5.5}$$

Let us recall (2.2). For $b = 11.6$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} |d_S|^{1/n_S} &> 39.619 \cdot e^{(f-4790.3)/64,512} \\ &\geq 39.619 \cdot e^{(6814.41-4790.3)/64,512} = 40.8818\dots \end{aligned} \tag{5.6}$$

Since S/K is unramified, $|d_S|^{1/n_S} = |d_K|^{1/n_K} = \sqrt{1567} = 39.5853\dots$ This is a contradiction. Therefore, the 2-class group of M is trivial. In conclusion, the class number of M is one.

5.3.2 A_5 -unramified extension of M

Since $[K_{\text{ur}} : M] < 66.1375\dots$, our final task is to show that M does not admit an unramified A_5 -extension. By an analogous argument as in Sect. 4.2.4, K admits an A_5 -extension F and $\text{Gal}(F/\mathbb{Q})$ is also isomorphic to $A_5 \times C_2$ or S_5 .

Case 1: $\text{Gal}(F/\mathbb{Q}) \simeq A_5 \times C_2$ This implies that there exists an A_5 -extension F_1/\mathbb{Q} with ramification index 2 at 1567, and unramified at all other finite primes. However, from [1, Tables] no such extensions exists. This is a contradiction.

Case 2: $\text{Gal}(F/\mathbb{Q}) \simeq S_5$ By the unramifiedness of F/K , a quintic subfield E of F must have the discriminant -1567 . However, the minimal negative discriminant of quintic fields with Galois group S_5 is -4511 [8, Table 3]. This is a contradiction.

Therefore, we know that $K_{\text{ur}} = M$ under the assumption of the GRH. This concludes the proof of Theorem 5.1.

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