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Oberseminar zur Algebra und Algebraischen Kombinatorik

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"Rational points on cubic surfaces"

Only very little is known about the asymptotic distribution of rational points on smooth cubic surfaces. In 1998, Slater and Swinnerton-Dyer proved lower bounds of the (conjecturally) correct order of magnitude for rational points of bounded height on cubic surfaces that contain two skew rational lines.

We discuss a new straightforward proof of this result that relies on a fibration of the surface into conics. Our proof has the additional advantage of working over arbitrary number fields.

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Alle Interessierten sind herzlich eingeladen.

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