

Appendix A

Examples of Calabi-Yau 3-manifolds with complex multiplication

Introduction

The previous examples of Calabi-Yau manifolds with CM occur as fibers of a family over a Shimura variety, which has a dense set of complex multiplication fibers. Here we give some examples, which are not necessarily fibers of a non-trivial family with a dense set of complex multiplication fibers.

The first two sections give two different classes of examples by using involutions on $K3$ surfaces. In each of the both Sections we will use a modified version of the construction of Viehweg and Zuo to obtain $K3$ surfaces, which are suitable for the construction of a Borcea-Voisin tower.

In the third section we will prove that a $K3$ surface with a degree 3 automorphism has complex multiplication. By using methods, which has been introduced in Section 9.1 and Section 9.2, we will use this automorphism and the Fermat curve of degree 3 for the construction of a Calabi-Yau 3-manifold with complex multiplication.

A.1 Construction by degree 2 coverings of a ruled surface

We start by finding curves with complex multiplication. The following proposition yields some examples:

Proposition A.1.1. *Let $0 < d_1, d < m$, and ξ_k denote a primitive k -th. root of unity for all $k \in \mathbb{N}$. Then the curve C , which is locally given by*

$$y^m = x^{d_1} \prod_{i=1}^{n-2} (x - \xi_{n-2}^i)^d,$$

is covered by the Fermat curve $\mathbb{F}_{(n-2)m}$ locally given by

$$y^{(n-2)m} + x^{(n-2)m} + 1 = 0$$

and has complex multiplication.

Proof. (see Theorem 2.4.4) □

Example A.1.2. By the preceding proposition, the curves locally given by

$$y^4 = x_1^8 + x_0^8, \quad y^4 = x_1(x_1^7 + x_0^7), \quad y^4 = x_1(x_1^6 + x_0^6)x_0$$

have complex multiplication. These curves are degree 4 covers of the projective line and have the genus 9 as one can easily calculate by the Hurwitz formula.

The curves of the preceding example have a natural interpretation as cyclic covers of \mathbb{P}^1 of degree 4. One can identify these covers with the set of their 8 branch points in \mathbb{P}^1 . Thus let \mathcal{P}_8 denote the configuration space of 8 different points in \mathbb{P}^1 . We use a modified version of the construction in [58], Section 5 to construct K3 surfaces with complex multiplication by Example A.1.2 in a first step. This method is nearly the same method as in Section 8.2.

For our application, it is sufficient to work with \mathbb{P}^1 -bundles over \mathbb{P}^1 resp., with rational ruled surfaces. Let $\pi_n : \mathbb{P}_n \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^1$ denote the rational ruled surface given by $\mathbb{P}(\mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}^1} \oplus \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}^1}(n))$ and σ denote a non-trivial global section of $\mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}^1}(8)$, which has the 8 different zero points represented by a point $q \in \mathcal{P}_8$. The sections E_σ, E_0 and E_∞ of $\mathbb{P}(\mathcal{O} \oplus \mathcal{O}(8))$ are induced by

$$\begin{aligned} \text{id} \oplus \sigma : \mathcal{O} &\rightarrow \mathcal{O} \oplus \mathcal{O}(8), & \text{id} \oplus 0 : \mathcal{O} &\rightarrow \mathcal{O} \oplus \mathcal{O}(8) \\ \text{and } 0 \oplus \text{id} : \mathcal{O}(8) &\rightarrow \mathcal{O} \oplus \mathcal{O}(8) \end{aligned}$$

resp., by the corresponding surjections onto the cokernels of these embeddings as described in [26], II. Proposition 7.12.

Remark A.1.3. The divisors E_σ and E_0 intersect each other transversally over the 8 zero points of σ . Recall that $\text{Pic}(\mathbb{P}_8)$ has a basis given by a fiber and an arbitrary section. Hence by the fact that E_σ and E_0 do not intersect E_∞ , one concludes that they are linearly equivalent with self-intersection number 8. Since E_∞ is a section, it intersects each fiber transversally. Thus one has that $E_\infty \sim E_0 - (E_0 \cdot E_0)F$, where F denotes a fiber. Therefore one concludes

$$E_\infty \cdot E_\infty = E_\infty \cdot (E_0 - (E_0 \cdot E_0)F) = -(E_0 \cdot E_0) = -8.$$

Next we establish a morphism $\mu : \mathbb{P}_2 \rightarrow \mathbb{P}_8$ over \mathbb{P}^1 . By [26], **II**. Proposition 7.12., this is the same as to give a surjection $\pi_2^*(\mathcal{O} \oplus \mathcal{O}(8)) \rightarrow \mathcal{L}$, where \mathcal{L} is an invertible sheaf on \mathbb{P}_2 . By the composition

$$\pi_2^*(\mathcal{O} \oplus \mathcal{O}(8)) = \pi_2^*(\mathcal{O}) \oplus \pi_2^*\mathcal{O}(8) \hookrightarrow \bigoplus_{i=0}^4 \pi_2^*\mathcal{O}(2i) = \text{Sym}^4(\pi_2^*(\mathcal{O} \oplus \mathcal{O}(8))) \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}_2}(4),$$

where the last morphism is induced by the natural surjection $\pi_2^*(\mathcal{O} \oplus \mathcal{O}(2)) \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}_2}(1)$ (see [26], **II**. Proposition 7.11), we obtain a morphism μ^* of sheaves. This morphism μ^* is not a surjection onto $\mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}_2}(4)$, but onto its image $\mathcal{L} \subset \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}_2}(4)$. Over $\mathbb{A}^1 \subset \mathbb{P}^1$ all rational ruled surfaces are locally given by $\text{Proj}(\mathbb{C}[x][y_1, y_2])$, where x has the weight 0. Hence we have locally that $\pi_2^*(\mathcal{O} \oplus \mathcal{O}(8)) = \mathcal{O}_{e_1} \oplus \mathcal{O}_{e_2}$. Over \mathbb{A}^1 the morphism μ^* is given by

$$e_1 \rightarrow y_1^4, e_2 \rightarrow y_2^4$$

such that the sheaf $\mathcal{L} = \text{im}(\mu^*) \subset \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}_2}(4)$ is invertible. Thus the morphism $\mu : \mathbb{P}_2 \rightarrow \mathbb{P}_8$ corresponding to μ^* is locally given by the ring homomorphism

$$(\mathbb{C}[x])[y_1, y_2] \rightarrow (\mathbb{C}[x])[y_1, y_2] \text{ via } y_1 \rightarrow y_1^8 \text{ and } y_2 \rightarrow y_2^8.$$

Construction A.1.4. One has a commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \mathcal{Y}' & \xrightarrow{\tau'} & \mathbb{P}'_2 & \xrightarrow{\mu'} & \mathbb{P}^1 \times \mathbb{P}^1 \\ \delta \uparrow & & \uparrow \delta_2 & & \uparrow \delta_8 \\ \hat{\mathcal{Y}} & \xrightarrow{\hat{\tau}} & \hat{\mathbb{P}}_2 & \xrightarrow{\hat{\mu}} & \hat{\mathbb{P}}_8 \\ \rho \downarrow & & \downarrow \rho_2 & & \downarrow \rho_8 \\ \mathcal{Y} & \xrightarrow{\tau} & \mathbb{P}_2 & \xrightarrow{\mu} & \mathbb{P}_8 \\ \pi \downarrow & \xrightarrow{\sqrt[2]{\frac{\mu^* E_\sigma}{3 \cdot (\mu^* E_0)_{red}}}} & \downarrow \pi_2 & \xrightarrow{\sqrt[4]{\frac{E_\infty + 8 \cdot F}{E_0}}} & \downarrow \pi_8 \\ \mathbb{P}^1 & \xrightarrow{\text{id}} & \mathbb{P}^1 & \xrightarrow{\text{id}} & \mathbb{P}^1 \end{array}$$

of morphisms between normal varieties with:

- (a) $\delta, \delta_2, \delta_8, \rho, \rho_2$ and ρ_8 are birational.
- (b) π is a family of curves, π_2 and π_8 are \mathbb{P}^1 -bundles.

Proof. One must only explain δ_8 and ρ_8 . Recall that E_σ is a section of $\mathbb{P}(\mathcal{O} \oplus \mathcal{O}(8))$, which intersects E_0 transversally in exactly 8 points. The morphism ρ_8 is the blowing up of the 8 intersection points of $E_0 \cap E_\sigma$. The preimage of the 8 points given by $q \in \mathbb{P}_8$ with respect to $\pi_8 \circ \rho_8$ consists of the exceptional divisor \hat{D}_1 and the proper transform \hat{D}_2 of the preimage of these 8 points with respect to ρ_8 given by 8 rational curves with self-intersection number -1 . The morphism δ_8 is obtained by blowing down \hat{D}_2 . \square

Remark A.1.5. The section σ has the zero divisor given by some $q \in \mathcal{P}_8$. Hence one obtains $\mu^*(E_\sigma) \cong C$, where $C \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^1$ is a cyclic cover of degree 4 as in Example A.1.2 ramified over the 8 points given by σ . The surface \mathcal{Y} is a cyclic degree 2 cover of \mathbb{P}^2 ramified over C . Thus it has an involution. It is given by the invertible sheaf

$$\mathcal{L} = \omega_{\mathbb{P}^2}^{-1}$$

and the divisor

$$B = \mu^*(E_\sigma), \text{ where } \mathcal{O}(B) \cong \mathcal{L}^2,$$

with the notation of [6] I. Section 17. Thus [6] I. Lemma 17.1 implies that \mathcal{Y} is a $K3$ surface.

By Lemma 10.4.1, there is only one elliptic curve with a cyclic degree 4 cover onto \mathbb{P}^1 . Let \mathbb{E} denote this curve, which is locally given by

$$y^4 = x(x - 1)^2.$$

One can easily see that \mathbb{E} has the j invariant 1728. Thus \mathbb{E} has complex multiplication.

We fix some notation. Let $n \in \mathbb{N}$, let ξ be a fixed primitive n -th. root of unity and let C_1 and C_2 be curves locally given by

$$y^n = f_1(x) \text{ and } y^n = f_2(x),$$

where $f_1, f_2 \in \mathbb{C}[x]$. By $(x, y) \rightarrow (x, \xi y)$, one can define an automorphism γ_i on C_i for $i = 1, 2$. The surface $C_1 \times C_2 / \langle (1, 1) \rangle$ is the quotient of $C_1 \times C_2$ by $\langle (\gamma_1, \gamma_2) \rangle$.

Proposition A.1.6. *The surface \mathcal{Y} is birationally equivalent to $C \times \mathbb{E} / \langle (1, 1) \rangle$.¹*

Proof. Let \tilde{E}_\bullet denote the proper transform of the section E_\bullet with respect to ρ_8 . Then $\hat{\mu}$ is the Kummer covering given by

$$\sqrt[4]{\frac{\tilde{E}_\infty + 8 \cdot F}{\tilde{E}_0 + \hat{D}_1}},$$

where \hat{D}_1 denotes the exceptional divisor of ρ_8 . Thus the morphism μ' is the Kummer covering

$$\sqrt[4]{\frac{(\delta_8)_* \tilde{E}_\infty + 8 \cdot (\delta_8)_* F}{(\delta_8)_* \tilde{E}_0 + (\delta_8)_* \hat{D}_1}} = \sqrt[4]{\frac{\mathbb{P}^1 \times \{\infty\} + 8 \cdot (P \times \mathbb{P}^1)}{\mathbb{P}^1 \times \{0\} + \Delta \times \mathbb{P}^1}},$$

¹ Similarly to [58], Construction 5.2, we show that \mathcal{Y}' is birationally equivalent to $C \times \mathbb{E} / \langle (1, 1) \rangle$.

where Δ is the divisor of the 8 different points in \mathbb{P}^1 given by $q \in \mathcal{P}_8$ and $P \in \mathbb{P}^1$ is the point with the fiber F . Since $E_0 + E_\sigma$ is a normal crossing divisor, \tilde{E}_σ neither meets \tilde{E}_0 nor \tilde{D}_2 , where \tilde{D}_2 is the proper transform of $\pi_8^*(\Delta)$. Therefore $(\delta_8)_*\tilde{E}_\sigma$ neither meets

$$(\delta_8)_*\tilde{E}_0 = \mathbb{P}^1 \times \{0\} \quad \text{nor} \quad (\delta_8)_*\tilde{E}_\infty = \mathbb{P}^1 \times \{\infty\}.$$

Hence one can choose coordinates in \mathbb{P}^1 such that $(\delta_8)_*\tilde{E}_\sigma = \mathbb{P}^1 \times \{1\}$.

By the definition of τ , we obtain that $\hat{\tau}$ is given by

$$\sqrt[2]{\frac{\rho_2^*\mu^*(E_\sigma)}{\rho_2^*\mu^*(E_0)}} = \sqrt[2]{\frac{\hat{\mu}^*(\tilde{E}_\sigma)}{\hat{\mu}^*(\tilde{E}_0)}},$$

and τ' is given by

$$\sqrt[2]{\frac{\mu'^*(\mathbb{P}^1 \times \{1\})}{\mu'^*(\mathbb{P}^1 \times \{0\})}}.$$

By the fact that the last function is the root of the pullback of a function on $\mathbb{P}^1 \times \mathbb{P}^1$ with respect to μ' , it is possible to reverse the order of the field extensions corresponding to τ' and μ' such that the resulting varieties obtained by Kummer coverings are birationally equivalent. Hence we have the composition of $\beta : \mathbb{P}^1 \times \mathbb{P}^1 \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^1 \times \mathbb{P}^1$ given by

$$\sqrt[2]{\frac{\mathbb{P}^1 \times \{1\}}{\mathbb{P}^1 \times \{0\}}}$$

with

$$\sqrt[4]{\frac{\beta^*(\mathbb{P}^1 \times \{\infty\}) + 8 \cdot (P \times \mathbb{P}^1)}{\beta^*(\mathbb{P}^1 \times \{0\}) + (\Delta \times \mathbb{P}^1)}},$$

which yields the covering variety isomorphic to $\mathbb{E} \times C/\langle(1, 1)\rangle$. □

As in Section 8.2 we conclude:

Corollary A.1.7. *If the curve C has complex multiplication, the K3-surface \mathcal{Y} has complex multiplication, too.*

By the the preceding corollary, our Example A.1.2 yields 3 different K3 surfaces with complex multiplication locally given by

$$y_2^2 + y_1^4 + x_1^8 + x_0^8, \quad y_2^2 + y_1^4 + x_1(x_1^7 + x_0^7), \quad y_2^2 + y_1^4 + x_1(x_1^6 + x_0^6)x_0.$$

Proposition A.1.8. *For $i = 1, 2$ assume that C_i is a Calabi-Yau i -manifold with complex multiplication endowed with the involution ι_i such that ι_i acts by -1 on $\Gamma(\omega_{C_i})$. By blowing up the singular locus of $C_1 \times C_2/\langle(\iota_1, \iota_2)\rangle$, one obtains a Calabi-Yau 3-manifold with complex multiplication.*

Proof. It is well-known that an involution on a Calabi-Yau 2-manifold resp., a $K3$ surface, which acts by -1 on $\Gamma(\omega)$, has a smooth divisor of fixed points or it has not any fixed point. Thus the proof follows from the same methods as in Section 7.2. \square

Now we need some elliptic curves with complex multiplication:

Example A.1.9. Elliptic curves with CM has been well studied by number theorists. Some examples of elliptic curves with complex multiplication are given by the following list:

equation	j invariant
$y_1^2 x_0 = x_1^3 - x_0^3$	0
$y_1^2 x_0 = x_1(x_1 - x_0)(x_1 - 2x_0)$	1728
$y^2 x_0 = x_1(x_1 - x_0)(x_1 - (1 + \sqrt{2})^2 x_0)$	8000
$y^2 x_0 = x_1(x_1 - x_0)(x_1 - \frac{1}{4}(3 + i\sqrt{7})^2 x_0)$	-3375
$y^2 x_0 = x_1^3 - 15x_1 x_0^2 + 22x_0^3$	54000
$y^2 x_0 = x^3 - 595x_1 x_0^2 + 5586x_0^3$	16581375

Note that the equations allow an explicit definition of an involution on these elliptic curves. (see Section 7.4)

A.1.10. By combining our 3 examples of $K3$ surfaces and the 6 elliptic curves and using Proposition A.1.8, we have 18 examples of Calabi-Yau 3-manifolds with complex multiplication. By [60], one has equations to determine the Hodge numbers of these examples. Let C_2 be a $K3$ surface satisfying the assumptions of Proposition A.1.8, let N be the number of curves in the ramification locus of the quotient map $C_2 \rightarrow C_2/\iota_2$ and let N' be given by

$$N' = g_1 + \dots + g_N,$$

where g_i denotes the genus of the i -th. curve in the ramification locus. Then one has for the Calabi-Yau 3-manifold, which results by Proposition A.1.8:

$$h^{1,1} = 11 + 5N - N'$$

$$h^{2,1} = 11 + 5N' - N$$

In our case the ramification locus of $C_2 \rightarrow C_2/\iota_2$ is given by one genus 9 curve. Thus in our case the Hodge numbers are given by

$$h^{1,1} = 7 \text{ and } h^{2,1} = 55.$$

A.2 Construction by degree 2 coverings of \mathbb{P}^2

Example A.2.1. By Proposition A.1.1, the projective curves given by

$$y^6 = x_1^6 + x_0^6, \quad y^6 = x_1(x_1^5 + x_0^5), \quad y^6 = x_1(x_1^4 + x_0^4)x_0$$

have complex multiplication. These curves have the genus 10 as one can easily calculate by the Hurwitz formula.

Let \mathcal{P}_6 denote the configuration space of 6 different points in \mathbb{P}^1 . Again we use a modified version of the construction in [58], Section 5. Let σ denote a non-trivial global section of $\mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}^1}(6)$, which has the 6 different zero points represented by a point $q \in \mathcal{P}_6$.

Here the sections E_σ, E_0 and E_∞ of $\mathbb{P}(\mathcal{O} \oplus \mathcal{O}(6))$ are induced by

$$\begin{aligned} \text{id} \oplus \sigma : \mathcal{O} &\rightarrow \mathcal{O} \oplus \mathcal{O}(6), & \text{id} \oplus 0 : \mathcal{O} &\rightarrow \mathcal{O} \oplus \mathcal{O}(6) \\ \text{and } 0 \oplus \text{id} : \mathcal{O}(6) &\rightarrow \mathcal{O} \oplus \mathcal{O}(6) \end{aligned}$$

resp., by the corresponding surjections onto the cokernels of these embeddings as described in [26], II. Proposition 7.12.

One concludes similarly to the preceding section that

$$E_\infty \cdot E_\infty = E_\infty \cdot (E_0 - (E_0 \cdot E_0)F) = -(E_0 \cdot E_0) = -6.$$

By the composition

$$\pi_1^*(\mathcal{O} \oplus \mathcal{O}(6)) = \pi_1^*(\mathcal{O}) \oplus \pi_1^*\mathcal{O}(6) \hookrightarrow \bigoplus_{i=0}^6 \pi_1^*\mathcal{O}(i) = \text{Sym}^6(\pi_1^*(\mathcal{O} \oplus \mathcal{O}(6))) \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}^1}(6),$$

where the last morphism is induced by the natural surjection $\pi_2^*(\mathcal{O} \oplus \mathcal{O}(1)) \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}^1}(1)$ (see [26], II. Proposition 7.11), we obtain a morphism μ^* of sheaves as in the preceding section. The morphism $\mu : \mathbb{P}_1 \rightarrow \mathbb{P}_6$ corresponding to μ^* is locally given by the ring homomorphism

$$(\mathbb{C}[x])[y_1, y_2] \rightarrow (\mathbb{C}[x])[y_1, y_2] \quad \text{via } y_1 \rightarrow y_1^6 \text{ and } y_2 \rightarrow y_2^6.$$

Construction A.2.2. One has a commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \mathcal{Y}' & \xrightarrow{\tau'} & \mathbb{P}'_1 & \xrightarrow{\mu'} & \mathbb{P}^1 \times \mathbb{P}^1 \\ \delta \uparrow & & \uparrow \delta_1 & & \uparrow \delta_6 \\ \hat{\mathcal{Y}} & \xrightarrow{\hat{\tau}} & \hat{\mathbb{P}}_1 & \xrightarrow{\hat{\mu}} & \hat{\mathbb{P}}_6 \\ \rho \downarrow & & \downarrow \rho_1 & & \downarrow \rho_6 \\ \mathcal{Y} & \xrightarrow{\tau} & \mathbb{P}_1 & \xrightarrow{\mu} & \mathbb{P}_6 \\ \pi \downarrow & & \downarrow \pi_1 & & \downarrow \pi_6 \\ \mathbb{P}^1 & \xrightarrow{\text{id}} & \mathbb{P}^1 & \xrightarrow{\text{id}} & \mathbb{P}^1 \end{array}$$

$\sqrt[2]{\frac{\mu^* E_\sigma}{3 \cdot (\mu^* E_0)_{red}}}$ $\sqrt[6]{\frac{E_\infty + 6 \cdot F}{E_0}}$

of morphisms between normal varieties with:

- (a) $\delta, \delta_1, \delta_1, \rho, \rho_1$ and ρ_6 are birational.
- (b) π is a family of curves, π_1 and π_6 are \mathbb{P}^1 -bundles.

Proof. One must only explain δ_6 and ρ_6 . These morphisms are given by blowing up morphisms similar to the preceding section. □

Remark A.2.3. The section σ has the zero divisor given by some $q \in \mathcal{P}_6$. Hence one obtains $\mu^*(E_\sigma) \cong C$, where $C \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^1$ is a cyclic cover of degree 6 as in Example A.2.1 ramified over the 6 points given by σ . The surface \mathcal{Y} is a cyclic degree 2 cover of \mathbb{P}_1 ramified over C . Thus it is birationally equivalent to the K3 surface given the degree 2 cover of \mathbb{P}^2 ramified over C .

Let C' denote the projective smooth curve locally given by

$$y^6 = x(x - 1).$$

By Proposition A.1.1, it has complex multiplication.

Proposition A.2.4. *The surface \mathcal{Y} is birationally equivalent to $C \times C' / \langle (1, 1) \rangle$.*

Proof. Let \tilde{E}_\bullet denote the proper transform of the section E_\bullet with respect to ρ_6 . Then $\hat{\mu}$ is the Kummer covering given by

$$\sqrt[6]{\frac{\tilde{E}_\infty + 6 \cdot F}{\tilde{E}_0 + \hat{D}_1}},$$

where \hat{D}_1 denotes the exceptional divisor of ρ_6 . Thus the morphism μ' is the Kummer covering

$$\sqrt[6]{\frac{(\delta_6)_* \tilde{E}_\infty + 6 \cdot (\delta_6)_* F}{(\delta_6)_* \tilde{E}_0 + (\delta_6)_* \hat{D}_1}} = \sqrt[6]{\frac{\mathbb{P}^1 \times \{\infty\} + 6 \cdot (P \times \mathbb{P}^1)}{\mathbb{P}^1 \times \{0\} + \Delta \times \mathbb{P}^1}},$$

where Δ is the divisor of the 6 different points in \mathbb{P}^1 given by $q \in \mathcal{P}_6$ and $P \in \mathbb{P}^1$ is the point with the fiber F . Since $E_0 + E_\sigma$ is a normal crossing divisor, \tilde{E}_σ neither meets \tilde{E}_0 nor \tilde{D}_2 , where \tilde{D}_2 is the proper transform of $\pi_6^*(\Delta)$. Therefore $(\delta_6)_* \tilde{E}_\sigma$ neither meets

$$(\delta_6)_* \tilde{E}_0 = \mathbb{P}^1 \times \{0\} \quad \text{nor} \quad (\delta_6)_* \tilde{E}_\infty = \mathbb{P}^1 \times \{\infty\}.$$

Hence one can choose coordinates in \mathbb{P}^1 such that $(\delta_6)_* \tilde{E}_\sigma = \mathbb{P}^1 \times \{1\}$.

By the definition of τ , we obtain that $\hat{\tau}$ is given by

$$\sqrt[2]{\frac{\rho_1^* \mu^*(E_\sigma)}{\rho_1^* \mu^*(E_0)}} = \sqrt[2]{\frac{\hat{\mu}^*(\tilde{E}_\sigma)}{\hat{\mu}^*(\tilde{E}_0)}},$$

and τ' is given by

$$\sqrt[2]{\frac{\mu'^*(\mathbb{P}^1 \times \{1\})}{\mu'^*(\mathbb{P}^1 \times \{0\})}}.$$

By the fact that the last function is the root of the pullback of a function on $\mathbb{P}^1 \times \mathbb{P}^1$ with respect to μ' , it is possible to reverse the order of the field extensions corresponding to τ' and μ' such that the resulting varieties obtained by Kummer coverings are birationally equivalent. Hence we have the composition of $\beta : \mathbb{P}^1 \times \mathbb{P}^1 \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^1 \times \mathbb{P}^1$ given by

$$\sqrt[2]{\frac{\mathbb{P}^1 \times \{1\}}{\mathbb{P}^1 \times \{0\}}}$$

with

$$\sqrt[6]{\frac{\beta^*(\mathbb{P}^1 \times \{\infty\}) + 6 \cdot (P \times \mathbb{P}^1)}{\beta^*(\mathbb{P}^1 \times \{0\}) + (\Delta \times \mathbb{P}^1)}},$$

which yields the covering variety isomorphic to $C' \times C/\langle(1, 1)\rangle$. □

Hence \mathcal{Y} is birationally equivalent to $C' \times C/\langle(1, 1)\rangle$. As in Section 8.2 we conclude:

Corollary A.2.5. *If the curve C has complex multiplication, the $K3$ -surface \mathcal{Y} has complex multiplication, too.*

A.2.6. By the preceding corollary, our Example A.2.1 yields 3 different $K3$ surfaces with complex multiplication as degree 2 covers of \mathbb{P}^2 , which are locally given by

$$y_2^2 + y_1^6 = x_1^6 + x_0^6, \quad y_2^2 + y_1^6 = x_1(x_1^5 + x_0^5), \quad y_2^2 + y_1^6 = x_1(x_1^4 + x_0^4)x_0.$$

By an elliptic curve with complex multiplication, these $K3$ surfaces yield Calabi-Yau 3-manifolds with complex multiplication. We obtain 18 Calabi-Yau 3-manifolds with complex multiplication by using Example A.1.9. By the same methods as in A.1.10, one calculates easily that the resulting Calabi-Yau 3-manifolds have the Hodge numbers

$$h^{1,1} = 6 \quad \text{and} \quad h^{2,1} = 60.$$

A.3 Construction by a degree 3 quotient

Consider the $K3$ surface

$$S = V((y_2^3 - y_1^3)y_1 + (x_1^3 - x_0^3)x_0) \subset \mathbb{P}^3.$$

By using the partial derivatives of the defining equation, one can easily verify that S is smooth. First we prove that this surface has complex multiplication. In a second step we consider an automorphism of degree 3 on this surface, which allows the construction of a Calabi-Yau 3-manifold with complex multiplication.

Proposition A.3.1. *The K3 surface S has complex multiplication.*

Proof. Consider the isomorphic curves

$$C_1 = V(z_1^4 - (y_2^3 - y_1^3)y_1) \subset \mathbb{P}^2,$$

$$C_2 = V(z_2^4 - (x_1^3 - x_0^3)x_0) \subset \mathbb{P}^2.$$

Since the elliptic curve with j invariant 0 given by

$$V(y^2x_0 + x_1^3 + x_0^3) \subset \mathbb{P}^2$$

has complex multiplication, one concludes as in Remark 7.4.2 that C_1 and C_2 have complex multiplication, too. The K3 surface S is birationally equivalent to

$$T = C_1 \times C_2 / \langle (1, 1) \rangle.$$

This follows from the rational map $C_1 \times C_2 \rightarrow S$ given by

$$((z_1 : y_2 : y_1), (z_2 : x_1 : x_0)) \rightarrow \left(\frac{z_2}{z_1} y_2 : \frac{z_2}{z_1} y_1 : x_1 : x_0 \right).^2$$

There exists a suitable sequence of blowing ups turning $C_1 \times C_2$ into $\widetilde{C_1 \times C_2}$ such that

$$\widetilde{T} = \widetilde{C_1 \times C_2} / \langle (1, 1) \rangle$$

is smooth. Since we only blow up points, $\widetilde{C_1 \times C_2}$ has CM , too (see Corollary 7.1.6). Thus the quotient has CM . Since \widetilde{T} is birationally equivalent to S , there exists a sequence of blowing ups of smooth points and blowing downs to smooth points, which turns \widetilde{T} into S . By Corollary 7.1.6, the fact that \widetilde{T} has CM implies that S has CM . \square

A.3.2. Let ξ denote $e^{\frac{2\pi i}{3}}$. The K3 surface S has an automorphism γ of degree 3 given by

$$(y_2 : y_1 : x_1 : x_0) \rightarrow (\xi y_2 : y_1 : \xi x_1 : x_0).$$

On $\{x_0 = 1\}$ we have the 4 fixed points given by

$$(0 : \sqrt[4]{-1} : 0 : 1).$$

² In [9], Section 5 one finds a similar rational map.

Now assume $x_0 = 0$. By the equation of S , this yields

$$(y_2^3 - y_1^3)y_1 = 0.$$

Thus in addition the line given by $y_1 = x_0 = 0$ is fixed.

Proposition A.3.3. *The automorphism γ acts via pullback by ξ^2 on $\Gamma(\omega_S)$.*

Proof. By the multiplication of i with z_1 and z_2 , one defines an action of the group of the 4-th. roots of unity on the curves C_1 and C_2 given by

$$V(z_1^4 - (y_2^3 - y_1^3)y_1) \subset \mathbb{P}^2 \quad \text{and} \quad C_2 = V(z_2^4 - (x_1^3 - x_0^3)x_0) \subset \mathbb{P}^2.$$

The -1 eigenspace in $\Gamma(\omega_{C_1})$ and $\Gamma(\omega_{C_2})$ with respect to the action of i comes from the cohomology of the elliptic curve E_0 given by

$$y^2x_0 = x_1^3 - x_0^3$$

(see Section 4.2). Note that the action of $\langle(1, 1)\rangle$ on $\omega_{C_1 \times C_2}$ fixes exactly the tensor product of the -1 eigenspaces in $\Gamma(\omega_{C_1})$ and $\Gamma(\omega_{C_2})$. Thus one concludes that $\Gamma(\omega_S)$ is given by the tensor product of the -1 eigenspaces in $\Gamma(\omega_{C_1})$ and $\Gamma(\omega_{C_2})$.

The automorphism $\gamma_{\mathbb{F}_3} : E_0 \rightarrow E_0$ given by $x_1 \rightarrow \xi x_1$ is the generator of the Galois group of the degree 3 cover, which allows an identification of E_0 with the Fermat curve \mathbb{F}_3 of degree 3. It acts via pullback by ξ on $\Gamma(\omega_{\mathbb{F}_3})$. Thus the corresponding automorphisms $\varphi_{C_1} : C_1 \rightarrow C_1$ and $\varphi_{C_2} : C_2 \rightarrow C_2$ act by ξ on the -1 eigenspace with respect to $H^0(\omega_{C_1})$ and $H^0(\omega_{C_2})$. Note that $(\varphi_{C_1}, \varphi_{C_2})$ yields an automorphism of $C_1 \times C_2 / \langle(1, 1)\rangle$. By the birational map to S , this automorphism corresponds to γ and one verifies easily that γ acts via pullback by ξ^2 on $\Gamma(\omega_S)$. \square

A.3.4. Consider the blowing up $\tilde{\mathbb{P}}^3$ of \mathbb{P}^3 with respect to $\{y_2 = x_1 = 0\}$. Let \tilde{S} denote the proper transform of the blowing up of S with respect to the latter blowing up, which has the exceptional divisor E consisting of four -1 curves over the 4 points given by $(0 : \sqrt[4]{-1} : 0 : 1)$. Consider the projection

$$p : S \setminus \{y_2 = x_1 = 0\} \hookrightarrow \mathbb{P}^3 \setminus \{y_2 = x_1 = 0\} \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^1 \quad \text{given by} \quad (y_2 : y_1 : x_1 : x_0) \rightarrow (y_2 : x_1).$$

Over $\{x_0 = 1\}$ one has an embedding of an open subset of $\tilde{\mathbb{P}}^3$ into $\mathbb{P}^1 \times \mathbb{A}^3$, which yields an open embedding e of an open subset U of \tilde{S} into $\mathbb{P}^1 \times \mathbb{A}^3$. Note that $\mathbb{P}^1 \times \mathbb{A}^3$ is endowed with a natural projection $pr_1 : \mathbb{P}^1 \times \mathbb{A}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^1$. Over $U \setminus \{y_2 = x_1 = 0\}$ one has

$$p = pr_1 \circ e.$$

Thus by gluing, p extends to a morphism $\tilde{S} \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^1$, which is a family of projective curves of degree 4. This family has a section $D = \{y_1 = x_0 = 0\}$.

One checks easily the singular loci of the fibers do not meet D (since $y_2 \neq 0$ or $x_1 \neq 0$). By $\tilde{S} \times \mathbb{F}_3 \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^1$, we have a family of surfaces. Let denote the generator of the Galois group of $\mathbb{F}_3 \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^1$, which acts via pullback by ξ on $\omega_{\mathbb{F}_3}$. The quotient map onto $\tilde{S} \times \mathbb{F}_3 / \langle (\gamma, \gamma_{\mathbb{F}_3}) \rangle$ yields three quotient singularities of type $A_{3,2}$ with the notation of [6], **III**. Section 5. As in Section 9.2 described one must blow up the three corresponding sections obtained from D and in a second step one blows up the fixed locus of the exceptional divisor over D . Now we blow down the image of the proper transform of the exceptional divisor over D and obtain the orbifold X_1 . Note that the exceptional divisor E of the blowing up $\tilde{S} \rightarrow S$ and the 3 points on \mathbb{F}_3 fixed by $\gamma_{\mathbb{F}_3}$ yield a singular locus consisting of 12 curves.

On $S \times \mathbb{F}_3$ we blow up the 12 points given by the product of $\{(0 : \sqrt[4]{-1} : 0 : 1)\}$ with the three points fixed by $\gamma_{\mathbb{F}_3}$. Since $(\gamma, \gamma_{\mathbb{F}_3})$ acts by ξ on all local parameters of each of these points, the exceptional divisor over these points is contained in the ramification locus of the quotient map onto

$$X_2 = \widetilde{S \times \mathbb{F}_3} / \langle (\gamma, \gamma_{\mathbb{F}_3}) \rangle.$$

X_2 is a orbifold with three $A_{3,2}$ singularities obtained from D . By gluing the complements of the singular loci of X_1 and X_2 , one obtains a Calabi-Yau 3-manifold X . By the same arguments as in Section 9.2, the Calabi-Yau manifold X has obviously complex multiplication.

Thus the Calabi-Yau manifold X is obtained by the method of S. Cynk and K. Hulek [13], which we have written down in Proposition 10.4.3.

A.3.5. For the computation of the Hodge numbers we use the same methods as in Section 10.3. During Section 10.3 these methods are explained in-depth. The automorphism γ of S acts on \tilde{S} , too. The quotient map φ onto $M = \tilde{S}/\gamma$ is ramified over E and $D = \{y_1 = x_0 = 0\}$. Since D is a rational curve on a $K3$ surface, the adjunction formula implies that $D \cdot D = -2$. By the Hurwitz formula, one has

$$\varphi^* K_M \sim -2D - E.$$

Since

$$3 \cdot K_M^2 = (\varphi^* K_M)^2,$$

one concludes that

$$c_1(M)^2 = K_M^2 = -4.$$

Thus the Noether formula

$$\chi(\mathcal{O}_M) = \frac{1}{12}(c_1(M)^2 + c_2(M)) \quad \text{and} \quad c_2(M) - 2 = b_2(M)$$

tell us that $b_2(M) = 14$. Since we have blown up 4 points, one obtains $h_0^{1,1}(S) = 10$. Thus

$$h_1^{1,1}(S) = h_2^{1,1}(S) = 5.$$

By the fact that one has an exceptional divisor consisting of 12 copies of \mathbb{P}^2 and 6 rational ruled surfaces and $b_1(S) = 0$, one obtains as in Section 10.3:

$$h^{1,1}(X) = h_0^{0,0}(\mathbb{F}_3) \cdot h_0^{1,1}(S) + h_0^{0,0}(S) \cdot h_0^{1,1}(\mathbb{F}_3) + 18 = 10 + 1 + 18 = 29$$

$$h^{2,1}(X) = h_1^{1,0}(\mathbb{F}_3) \cdot h_2^{1,1}(S) = 5$$

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