



On the Ideal Discriminant of Some Relative Pure Extensions

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ABSTRACT: Let $L = K(\alpha)$ be an extension of a number field K where α satisfies the monic irreducible polynomial $P(X) = X^p - a \in R[X]$ of prime degree p and such that a is p^{th} power free in $R := O_K$ (the ring of integers of K). The purpose of this paper is to give an explicit formula for the ideal discriminant $D_{L/K}$ of L over K involving only the prime ideals dividing the principal ideals aR and pR . As an illustration, we compute the discriminant $D_{L/K}$ of a family of septic and quintic pure fields over quadratic fields. Hence a slightly simpler computation of discriminant $D_{L/\mathbb{Q}}$ is obtained.

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1. Introduction

Computation of the discriminant of certain number fields is in general a difficult task and is related to the computation of integral bases which is a classical hard problem in algebraic number theory. Many works are available in this area (cf. [1], [7], [8], [11], [12], [13], [14], [22], [23], [25], and others). It is called a problem of Hasse to characterize whether the ring of integers in an algebraic number field has a power integral basis or does not. Let R be a Dedekind ring of characteristic zero and K its fraction field. Let L/K be a finite separable extension of degree n and let O_L denote the ring of the integral elements of L . We say that L/K is *monogenic* if L possesses a relative *monogenic* integral basis, or equivalently, $\{1, \alpha, \alpha^2, \dots, \alpha^{n-1}\}$ is an integral basis of L/K for some α in O_L , in other words $O_L = R[\alpha]$ (In this case one may say that α is a power basis generator of L/K (see [10]). In 2010 Del Corso and Rossi [8] provided a formula for the discriminant of Kummer cyclic extension of number fields. For pure algebraic number fields Jakhar and Khanduja [13] gave a formula for the discriminant of pure number fields having square free degree. In 2020 the authors of [12] gave a formula for the discriminant of n -th degree fields of the type $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt[n]{a})$ using Newton polygon techniques. Let L be a relative pure extension, in other word an algebraic field of the type $L = K(\sqrt[p]{a})$, where K is an algebraic number field and the polynomial $X^p - a$ of prime degree belonging to $K[X]$ is irreducible over the field K . In the present paper, our aim is to give an explicit formula for the relative discriminant $D_{L/K}$ of O_L the ring of integer of L in terms of the set of primes \mathfrak{p} in O_K (denoted by $\text{Spec}(O_K)$) with $p\mathbb{Z} = \mathfrak{p} \cap O_K$ and such that $aO_K \subseteq \mathfrak{p}$. As a consequence, using the tower formula stated below (2.2), we compute the discriminant $D_{L/\mathbb{Q}}$ for two families of septic and quintic pure fields L , such that $[L : \mathbb{Q}] = 10$ and $[L : \mathbb{Q}] = 14$ respectively.

Let R be a Dedekind ring with finite residual fields and containing \mathbb{Z} . Let K be its fraction field. Let \mathfrak{p} be a non zero prime ideal in R and $N_{\mathfrak{p}} = |R/\mathfrak{p}|$ be the cardinality of the residual field R/\mathfrak{p} . Let a be a non zero element in R . We will say that a is n^{th} power free in R if $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(a) \leq n - 1$ for any non zero prime ideal \mathfrak{p} in R , where $v_{\mathfrak{p}}$ is the \mathfrak{p} -adic discrete valuation associated to \mathfrak{p} . Let p be a prime number. We denote by $\text{Fib}_R(p)$ the set of all non zero primes ideals in R which lie above p . It is clear that $\mathfrak{p} \in \text{Fib}_R(p)$

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if and only if $\text{char}(R/\mathfrak{p}) = p$. We note also that if a non zero element a in K , is n^{th} power free in K then $a \notin K^p$. The converse is false. By theorem 9.1 [[17] p. 331], if K is a field, p is an odd prime and $a \in K - \{0\}$ then the polynomial $P = X^p - a$ is irreducible in $K[X]$ if and only if $a \notin K^p$. Hence if a is n^{th} power free in K then the polynomial $P = X^p - a$ is irreducible in $K[X]$. If further R is integrally closed and a is n^{th} power free in R then the polynomial $P = X^p - a$ is irreducible in $R[X]$.

Let L be a finite separable extension of K and O_L the integral closure of R in L . Let $\alpha \in O_L$ such that $L = K(\alpha)$. Assume that $\text{char}K = 0$ and $P = X^p - a \in R[X]$ is the monic minimal polynomial of α , where p is an odd prime number and a is p^{th} power free in R . The main result of this paper is Theorem 1.1 which gives the discriminant $D_{L/K}$ of a pure relative cyclic fields of prime degree. Precisely stated, we prove the following result:

Theorem 1.1. *With the above assumptions, if $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(a^{N_{\mathfrak{p}}} - a) = 1$, for all primes $\mathfrak{p} \in \text{Fib}_R(p)$, then*

$$D_{L/K} = p^p \mathfrak{a}^{p-1},$$

where \mathfrak{a} is the ideal radical of aR .

Corollary 1.1. *With the above assumptions, if the ideal aR is square free and $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(a^{N_{\mathfrak{p}}} - a) = 1$, for all primes $\mathfrak{p} \in \text{Fib}_R(p)$, then α is a power basis generator of L/K .*

Proof. indeed if the ideal aR is square free then its radical is aR and hence $D_{L/K} = \text{Disc}_R P$.

Note the above corollary is approved by Theorem 6.1 in [21]. Indeed \mathfrak{p} satisfies the Wieferich congruence if and only if $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(a^{N_{\mathfrak{p}}-1} - 1) \geq 2$ (see [6]).

2. Preliminary results

Throughout this article, unless specifically stated otherwise, R is a Dedekind ring of characteristic zero and K its fraction field. Let L/K be a finite separable extension of degree n , O_L the integral closure of R in L , and $L = K(\alpha)$ for some $\alpha \in O_L$. Let $P \in K[X]$ be the minimal irreducible polynomial of α over K . Since R is integrally closed, $P \in R[X]$ (see [15, p. 7]). Let $\text{Disc}_R(P)$ be the principal ideal of R generated by $\text{Res}(P, P')$, where $\text{Res}(P, P')$ denotes the resultant of the two polynomials P and its derivative P' , we let $D_{L/K}$ denote the discriminants over R of the number field L over K . The following Index-discriminant formula (2.1) and the tower formula (2.2) are well known (see [2], [5] or [9]).

$$\text{Disc}_R(P) = \text{Ind}_R(\alpha)^2 D_{L/K}, \quad (2.1)$$

$$D_{L/\mathbb{Q}} = N_{K/\mathbb{Q}}(D_{L/K}) \cdot (D_{K/\mathbb{Q}})^{[L:K]}, \quad (2.2)$$

where $N_{K/\mathbb{Q}}$ denotes the norm from K to \mathbb{Q} (see [19, Corollary 10. 2] and [9]). We denote by $\text{Spec}(R)$, the set of the prime ideals of a commutative ring R . Recall that the closed sets of the Zariski topology on $\text{Spec}(R)$, are the sets:

$$V(I) = \{\mathfrak{p} \in \text{Spec}(R) \mid I \subseteq \mathfrak{p}\}$$

where I is an arbitrary ideal in R . Note also that for any non-zero prime ideal \mathfrak{p} in R , we consider the set of prime ideals \mathfrak{q} in O_L such that $\mathfrak{p} = \mathfrak{q} \cap R$. We call this set the fibre of \mathfrak{p} in L and we will denote it by $\text{Fib}_L(\mathfrak{p})$.

In view of the previous Index-Discriminant formula (2.1), the element α is a power basis generator (PBG for short) of L over K if and only if \mathfrak{p} doesn't divide the index ideal $[O_L : R[\alpha]]_R$, for any non zero prime ideal \mathfrak{p} in R , such that \mathfrak{p}^2 divides $\text{Disc}_R(P)$. This fact leads us to introduce, for any irreducible polynomial P , the set S_P of prime ideals which square divides the ideal $\text{Disc}_R P$. Then:

$$S_P = \{\mathfrak{p} \in \text{spec}R \mid \mathfrak{p}^2 \text{ divides } \text{Disc}_R(P)\}.$$

It may pointed out that S_P is the set of non zero primes whose may divide the ideal $\text{Ind}_R(\alpha)$. Finally recall that -with notation as above - for a polynomial P belonging to $R[X]$, \overline{P} will stand for the polynomial over $k = R/\mathfrak{p}$ obtained on replacing each coefficient of P by its residue modulo \mathfrak{p} . Denote by $R_{\mathfrak{p}}$ the localization of R at the prime \mathfrak{p} .

The following lemma is an immediate consequence of the already known results [1, Proposition 5.12, p. 62] and [2, property (2), p. 10]), its proof is omitted (cf. [[6], Lemma 3.4]).

Lemma 2.1. *Let R be a Dedekind ring, K its fraction field, L is a finite separable extension over K and O_L is the integral closure of R in L . Let $\alpha \in O_L$ be an algebraic integer over R such that $L = K(\alpha)$. Let \mathfrak{p} be a non zero prime ideal in R and B the integral closure of $R_{\mathfrak{p}}$ in L . Then $\text{Ind}_{R_{\mathfrak{p}}}(\alpha) = (\text{Ind}_R(\alpha))_{\mathfrak{p}}$. In particular \mathfrak{p} doesn't divide the index ideal $\text{Ind}_R(\alpha)$ if and only if $B = R_{\mathfrak{p}}[\alpha]$.*

Definition 2.1. *Let R be a Dedekind ring, K its fraction field and v be a valuation on K . Let $P = a_0 + a_1X + \dots + a_nX^n \in K[X]$, we put:*

$$v_G(P) = \inf\{v(a_i) \mid 0 \leq i \leq n\},$$

then v_G is a valuation on $K[X]$ called the Gauss valuation on $K[X]$ relative to v .

The well known Dedekind criterion permits us to decide whether a primitive element $\alpha \in O_L$ is a power basis generator of L over K (PBG for short or a monogenic element of L over K).

Theorem 2.2 (Dedekind Criterium). *(see [20], [3], [18], [16], [4], [23]) With notations as above, let $P = \text{Irrd}(\alpha, R) \in R[X]$ be the monic irreducible polynomial of α . Let \mathfrak{p} be a non zero prime ideal in R and $k := R/\mathfrak{p}$ its residual field. Let \bar{P} be the image in $k[X]$ of P and assume that $\bar{P} = \prod_{i=1}^r \bar{P}_i^{l_i}$ is the primary decomposition of \bar{P} in $k[X]$ with $P_i \in R[X]$ a monic lift of the irreducible polynomial \bar{P}_i for $1 \leq i \leq r$. Let $T \in R[X]$ satisfying $P = \prod_{i=1}^r P_i^{l_i} + \pi T$. Then α is a PBG of L over $R_{\mathfrak{p}}$ if and only if $\text{gcd}(\bar{P}_i, \bar{T}) = 1$ for all $i = 1, \dots, r$ such that $l_i \geq 2$.*

Corollary 2.1. *With notations as in Theorem 2.2. Let $V_i \in R[X]$ be the remainder of Euclidean division of P by P_i . Let $v_{\mathfrak{p}}$ be the \mathfrak{p} -adic discrete valuation associated to \mathfrak{p} . Let v_G be the Gauss valuation on $K[X]$ associated to $v_{\mathfrak{p}}$. Then \mathfrak{p} doesn't divide the index ideal $\text{Ind}_R(\alpha)$ if and only if $v_G(V_i) = 1$ for all $i = 1, \dots, r$ such that $l_i \geq 2$.*

Proof. Let $T \in R[X]$ satisfying $P = \prod_{i=1}^r P_i^{l_i} + \pi T$. Then it can be easily verified that $\text{gcd}(\bar{P}_i, \bar{T}) = 1$ for all $i = 1, \dots, r$ such that $l_i \geq 2$ if and only if $v_G(V_i) = 1$ for all $i = 1, \dots, r$ such that $l_i \geq 2$, where $V_i \in R[X]$ is the remainder of Euclidean division of P by P_i .

3. Proof of Theorem 1.1

Let R be a Dedekind ring containing \mathbb{Z} and $P = X^p - a$ a monic irreducible polynomial in $R[X]$. Recall that the discriminant of P is equal to $\text{Disc}_R(P) = p^p a^{p-1} R$. As $p \geq 3$, then the set $S_P = \text{Fib}_R(p) \cup V(aR)$. Recall also if \mathfrak{p} is a non zero prime ideal in R then $\text{char}(R/\mathfrak{p}) = p$ if and only if $\mathfrak{p} \in \text{Fib}_R(p)$.

To prove Theorem 1.1 we shall need the following lemmas:

Lemma 3.1. *Let R be a Dedekind ring with finite residual fields and K its fraction field. Assume that $\text{char}K = 0$ and $L = K(\alpha)$ is a finite separable extension of K . Let $P = X^p - a \in R[X]$ be the monic minimal polynomial of α , where p is an odd prime number. Let \mathfrak{p} be a non zero prime of R and $v_{\mathfrak{p}}$ be the \mathfrak{p} -adic discrete valuation associated to \mathfrak{p} . Assume that $\mathfrak{p} \in V(aR) - \text{Fib}_R(p)$. Then $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(D_{L/K}) = p - 1$.*

Proof. Assume that $\mathfrak{p} \in V(aR) - \text{Fib}_R(p)$, by localization at \mathfrak{p} the ring $R_{\mathfrak{p}}$ is a discrete valuation ring, putting $\mathfrak{p} = \pi R$ its maximal ideal, we obtain $P \equiv X^p \pmod{\pi R}$, therefore it is immediate that the remainder of the Euclidean division of P by X is a . Hence if $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(a) = 1$, then by Dedekind Criterion (Theorem 2.2) α is a PBG of L over $R_{\mathfrak{p}}$. Now applying Lemma 2.1 we see that \mathfrak{p} does not divide the index ideal $\text{Ind}_R(\alpha)$ and hence by the index-discriminant formula (2.1) we have $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(D_{L/K}) = p - 1$. Set $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(a) = s$ and suppose that $s > 1$, let $1 < r < p$ such that $sr \equiv 1[p]$. Set $t = \frac{rs-1}{p}$, then the element $\beta = \frac{a^r}{\pi^t}$ is an algebraic integer satisfies the polynomial $Q = X^p - b$ where $b = \frac{a^r}{\pi^t}$. As the remainder of the Euclidean division of Q by X is b and $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(b) = rs - tp = 1$, we see that β is a PBG of L over $R_{\mathfrak{p}}$. Now by index-discriminant formula (2.1) we immediately conclude that

$$p^p b^{p-1} = \text{Ind}_R(\beta)^2 D_{L/K}.$$

Since in view of Lemma 2.1, \mathfrak{p} does not divide the index $\text{Ind}_R(\beta)$, the above equation shows that the exact power of \mathfrak{p} dividing $D_{L/K}$ is $p - 1$.

Lemma 3.2. *With notations as in Lemma 3.1 assume that $\mathfrak{p} \in \text{Fib}_R(p) - V(aR)$ and $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(a^{N_{\mathfrak{p}}} - a) = 1$. Then $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(D_{L/K}) = pe(\mathfrak{p}/p)$.*

Proof. Let $\mathfrak{p} \in \text{Fib}_R(p) - V(aR)$ and assume that $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(a^{N_{\mathfrak{p}}} - a) = 1$, by localization at \mathfrak{p} the ring $R_{\mathfrak{p}}$ is a discrete valuation ring, set $\mathfrak{p} = \pi R$ its maximal ideal, we claim that $\lambda = \alpha - a \frac{N_{\mathfrak{p}}}{p}$ is a PBG of L over $R_{\mathfrak{p}}$. Observe first that the element λ is an algebraic integer satisfying the polynomial

$$P_{\lambda}(X) = \left(X + a \frac{N_{\mathfrak{p}}}{p}\right)^p - a = \sum_{k=1}^p \binom{p}{k} X^k \left(a \frac{N_{\mathfrak{p}}}{p}\right)^{p-k} + a^{N_{\mathfrak{p}}} - a,$$

Since p divide $\binom{p}{k}$ for $1 \leq k \leq p-1$, then we see immediately that $P_{\lambda} \equiv X^p \pmod{\pi R}$ and hence the remainder of the Euclidean division of P by X is $a^{N_{\mathfrak{p}}} - a$, this proves in view of Dedekind Criterion and the fact that $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(a^{N_{\mathfrak{p}}} - a) = 1$ that λ is a PBG of L over $R_{\mathfrak{p}}$, consequently in view of Lemma 2.1 \mathfrak{p} does not divide the index $\text{Ind}_R(\lambda) = \text{Ind}_R(\alpha)$. Now by index-discriminant formula (2.1) one can write

$$\text{Disc}_R(P_{\lambda}) = \text{Disc}_R(P) = p^p a^{p-1} = \text{Ind}_R(\alpha)^2 D_{L/K},$$

the above equation shows that the exact power of \mathfrak{p} dividing $D_{L/K}$ is $p-1$.

Proof of Theorem 1.1.

Indeed $pR = \prod_{\mathfrak{p}|p} \mathfrak{p}^{e(\mathfrak{p}/p)}$. Let $\mathfrak{c} := p^p \mathfrak{p}^{p-1}$. It suffices to show that $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(D_{L/K}) = v_{\mathfrak{p}}(\mathfrak{c})$ for all prime $\mathfrak{p} \in S_P$. Let $\mathfrak{p} \in S_P$. It is clear first that

$$v_{\mathfrak{p}}(\mathfrak{c}) = v_{\mathfrak{p}}(p) + (p-1)v_{\mathfrak{p}}(\mathfrak{p}) = \begin{cases} pe(\mathfrak{p}/p) + (p-1) & \text{if } v_{\mathfrak{p}}(a) \geq 1, \\ pe(\mathfrak{p}/p) & \text{if } v_{\mathfrak{p}}(a) = 0, \end{cases}$$

If $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(a) = 0$, then $\mathfrak{p} \in \text{Fib}_R(p)$ and hence in view of Lemma 3.2 $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(D_{L/K}) = pe(\mathfrak{p}/p)$. If $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(a) \geq 1$, then then there is two cases: If $\mathfrak{p} \notin \text{Fib}_R(p)$ then $e(\mathfrak{p}/p) = 0$ and in view of Lemma 3.2 $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(D_{L/K}) = v_{\mathfrak{p}}(\mathfrak{c}) = p-1$. If $\mathfrak{p} \in \text{Fib}_R(p)$ then $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(a) = 1$ as $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(a^{N_{\mathfrak{p}}} - a) = 1$ hence \mathfrak{p} does not divide the index $\text{Ind}_R(\alpha)$ and consequently $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(D_{L/K}) = v_{\mathfrak{p}}(\text{Disc}_R(P)) = v_{\mathfrak{p}}(\mathfrak{c}) = pe(\mathfrak{p}/p) + p-1$.

4. Illustration

4.1. Relative pure septic extension

Theorem 4.1. *Let $K = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{35})$ be a quadratic extension and O_K its ring of integer. Let $L = K(\alpha)$ be a septic extension of the field K , where α satisfies an irreducible polynomial $P = X^7 - a_m$ belonging to $O_K[x]$ such that $a_m = \sqrt{35} + m$, ($m \in \mathbb{Z}$), furthermore we assume that $7 \nmid m$ and $m^6 \equiv 1 \pmod{49}$. Then*

$$D_{L/K} = 7^7 \mathfrak{b}_m^6,$$

where \mathfrak{b}_m is the ideal radical of $a_m R$.

Proof. First of all we note that $7O_K = \mathfrak{p}^2$, it is known that the cardinality of O_K/\mathfrak{p} is 7 since the residual degree of \mathfrak{p} is $f = 1$. We claim that $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(a_m^7 - a_m) = 1$. Observe first that

$$\begin{aligned} a_m^6 - 1 &= \sum_{k=0}^6 \binom{6}{k} (\sqrt{35})^k m^{6-k} - 1 \\ &= m^6 - 1 + 525m^4 + 18375m^2 + 42875 + \sqrt{35}(6m^5 + 700m^3 + 7350m). \end{aligned}$$

Now by property of dominance principle, and using the fact that $v_7(m) = 0$, it is easy to check that

$$v_{\mathfrak{p}}(6m^5 + 700m^3 + 7350m) = 0,$$

and

$$v_{\mathfrak{p}}(525m^4 + 18375m^2 + 42875) = 2.$$

Keeping this in mind and using the fact that $m^6 \equiv 1 \pmod{49}$, we see immediately that

$$v_{\mathfrak{p}}(a_m^6 - 1) = \min\left(v_{\mathfrak{p}}(525m^4 + 18375m^2 + 42875), v_{\mathfrak{p}}((m^6 - 1)), v_{\mathfrak{p}}(\sqrt{35})\right) = 1$$

Now it is clear that $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(a_m^7 - a_m) = 1$, as $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(a_m) = 0$ since $7 \nmid m$. Satisfying the conditions of Theorem 1.1, so the discriminant of L over K is given by

$$D_{L/K} = 7^7 \mathfrak{b}_m^6,$$

where \mathfrak{b}_m is the ideal radical of $a_m R$.

Corollary 4.1. *With notations as in Theorem 4.1, the discriminant $D_{L/\mathbb{Q}}$ is given by*

$$D_{L/\mathbb{Q}} = 7^{21} \cdot 2^{14} \cdot 5^7 \cdot N_{K/\mathbb{Q}}(\mathfrak{p}_m)^6.$$

Proof. The proof immediately follows from the discriminant tower formula (2.2) and the fact that $D_{K/\mathbb{Q}} = 2^2 \cdot 5 \cdot 7$.

Examples 4.1. *With notations as in Theorem 4.1, let $m = 1$, then $L = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{35}, \sqrt[7]{1 + \sqrt{35}})$. Now using the facts that $N_{K/\mathbb{Q}}(\sqrt{35} + 1) = 2 \times 17$, $x^2 - 35 \equiv (x+1)^2 \pmod{2}$, $x^2 - 35 \equiv (x+1)(x+16) \pmod{17}$, we see that $(\sqrt{35} + 1)O_K = \mathfrak{p}_1^2 \mathfrak{p}_2$ where $\mathfrak{p}_1 = 2O_K + (\sqrt{35} + 1)O_K$ and $\mathfrak{p}_2 \in \text{Fib}_{O_K}(17)$. Hence by Theorem 4.1 the discriminant of L over K is given by*

$$D_{L/K} = 7^7 (\mathfrak{p}_1 \mathfrak{p}_2)^6,$$

Using now corollary 4.1 we see that

$$D_{L/\mathbb{Q}} = 7^{21} \cdot 2^{14} \cdot 5^7 \cdot N_{K/\mathbb{Q}}(\mathfrak{p}_1)^6 N_{K/\mathbb{Q}}(\mathfrak{p}_2)^6 = 7^{21} \cdot 2^{20} \cdot 5^7 \cdot 17^6.$$

4.2. Relative pure quintic extension

Theorem 4.2. *Let $K = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{3})$ be a quadratic extension and O_K its ring of integer. Let $L = K(\alpha)$ be a quintic extension of the field K where α satisfies an irreducible polynomial $P = X^5 - a_m$ belonging to $O_K[x]$ such that $a_m = 5^2 m + \sqrt{3}$, ($m \in \mathbb{Z}$). Then*

$$D_{L/K} = 5^5 \mathfrak{b}_m^4,$$

where \mathfrak{b}_m is the ideal radical of $a_m R$.

Proof. Observe first that $O_K = \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{3}]$ and $5O_K = \mathfrak{p}$ is prime in O_K . We claim that $v_{\mathfrak{p}}(a_m^{25} - a_m) = 1$. It is clear that

$$\begin{aligned} a_m^{24} - 1 &= \sum_{k=0}^{24} \binom{24}{k} (\sqrt{3})^k (5^2 m)^{24-k} - 1, \\ &= (\sqrt{3})^{24} - 1 + \sum_{k=0}^{23} \binom{24}{k} (\sqrt{3})^k (5^2 m)^{24-k}. \end{aligned}$$

Now using the fact that for any $0 \leq k \leq 23$, we have

$$v_{\mathfrak{p}}(5^2 m)^{24-k} = (24 - k)(v_{\mathfrak{p}}(m) + 2).$$

It is easy to check that

$$v_{\mathfrak{p}}\left(\sum_{k=0}^{23} \binom{24}{k} (\sqrt{3})^k (5^2 m)^{24-k}\right) > 1.$$

Now since $v_p((\sqrt{3})^{24} - 1) = 1$, then by property of dominance principle, it is easy to check that

$$v_p(a_m^{24} - 1) = \min \left(v_p((\sqrt{3})^{24} - 1), v_p \left(\sum_{k=0}^{23} \binom{24}{k} (\sqrt{3})^k (5^2 m)^{24-k} \right) \right) = 1.$$

To complete the proof. It is clearly enough to show that $v_p(a_m) = 0$. Suppose to the contrary that 5 divides a_m , now since 5 divides $5^2 m$, then 5 divides $\sqrt{3}$ which is impossible as $v_5(\sqrt{3}) = 0$, this proves that $v_p(a_m) = v_5(a_m) = 0$. Satisfying the conditions of Theorem 1.1, so the discriminant of L over K is given by

$$D_{L/K} = 5^5 \mathfrak{b}_m^4,$$

where \mathfrak{b}_m is the ideal radical of $a_m R$.

Corollary 4.2. *With previous conditions in Theorem 4.2. The discriminant $D_{L/\mathbb{Q}}$ is given by:*

$$D_{L/\mathbb{Q}} = 5^{10} \cdot 2^{10} \cdot 3^5 N_{K/\mathbb{Q}}(\mathfrak{p}_m)^4.$$

Proof. The proof follows immediately from the fact that Since $D_{K/\mathbb{Q}} = 2^2 \cdot 3$ and the discriminant tower formula (2.2).

Examples 4.2. *Assume that $m = 2$, then $L = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{3}, \sqrt[5]{50 + \sqrt{3}})$ Now using the facts that $N_{K/\mathbb{Q}}(50 + \sqrt{3}) = 11.277$ and $x^2 - 3 \equiv \pmod{(x+5)(x+6)} \pmod{11}$, $x^2 - 3 \equiv \pmod{(x+130)(x+147)} \pmod{277}$, we see that $(50 + \sqrt{3})O_K = \mathfrak{p}_1 \mathfrak{p}_2$ where $\mathfrak{p}_1 \in \text{Fib}_{O_K}(11)$. and $\mathfrak{p}_2 \in \text{Fib}_{O_K}(277)$. Hence by Theorem 4.2 we see that*

$$D_{L/K} = 5^5 (\mathfrak{p}_1 \mathfrak{p}_2)^4.$$

Now using corollary 4.2 we see that the discriminant of L over \mathbb{Q} is given by

$$D_{L/\mathbb{Q}} = 5^{10} \cdot 2^{10} \cdot 3^5 N_{K/\mathbb{Q}}(\mathfrak{p}_1)^4 N_{K/\mathbb{Q}}(\mathfrak{p}_2)^4 = 5^{10} \cdot 2^{10} \cdot 3^5 \cdot 11^4 \cdot 277^4.$$

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