

On Weierstrass Points Whose First Non-gaps are Five

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Abstract

Let N be the additive semigroup of non-negative integers. A subsemigroup H of N is called a *numerical semigroup* if the complement of H in N is finite. If a is the least positive integer which belongs to H , then we say that H starts with a . In this paper we give sufficient conditions on a numerical semigroup H starting with 5 such that H is equal to the set of nongaps of some point of a curve (in this case H is said to be *Weierstrass*), where a *curve* means a complete non-singular 1-dimensional algebraic variety over an algebraically closed field of characteristic 0.

Introduction

Let H be a numerical semigroup. Then the number of the set $N-H$ is called the *genus* of H , which is denoted by $g(H)$. Let C be a curve. For any point P of C , $H(P)$ denotes the set of non-gaps n at P , i.e. non-negative integers n satisfying

$$H^0(C, \mathcal{O}_C((n-1)P)) \subset H^0(C, \mathcal{O}_C(nP)).$$

Then $H(P)$ becomes a numerical semigroup. If $H(P)$ starts with a , then by abuse of language a is called the *first non-gap* of P .

Now there is a long-standing problem as follows: describe a necessary and sufficient condition for a numerical semigroup H to be Weierstrass. If H starts with 2, then it is equal to $H(P)$ where P is a Weierstrass point of a hyperelliptic curve. If H starts with 3, then it is Weierstrass¹⁾. If H starts with 4, then it is also Weierstrass²⁾. In this paper we will describe sufficient conditions on a numerical semigroup H starting with 5 to be Weierstrass. In fact, our result is the following: let H be a numerical semigroup starting with 5 and let $M(H)$ be the minimal set of generators for H .

(0) If $\#M(H) \leq 3$, then H is Weierstrass³⁾.

(1) Let $M(H) = \{5 < a_1 < a_2 < a_3\}$. Suppose that one of the following holds:

a) $2a_3 \equiv a_1 + a_2 \pmod{5}$,

b) $2a_2 \equiv a_1 + a_3 \pmod{5}$ and $2a_2 \geq a_1 + a_3$,

c) $2a_1 \equiv a_2 + a_3 \pmod{5}$, $a_1 + a_2 \equiv 0 \pmod{5}$ and $2a_3 \geq 2a_1 + a_2$,

d) $2a_1 \equiv a_2 + a_3 \pmod{5}$, $a_1 + a_3 \equiv 0 \pmod{5}$ and $2a_2 \geq 2a_1 + a_3$.

Then H is Weierstrass.

(2) Let $M(H) = \{5, 5q_1 + 1, 5q_2 + 2, 5q_3 + 3, 5q_4 + 4\}$. Suppose that one of the following holds:

a) $q_1 + q_4 = q_2 + q_3$,

b) $2q_1 - q_3 - q_4 - 1 \geq 0$ and $2q_4 + 1 - q_1 - q_2 \geq 0$,

c) $2q_2 - q_1 - q_3 \geq 0$ and $2q_3 - q_2 - q_4 \geq 0$.

Then H is Weierstrass.

Using the above result we will show that any numerical semigroup of genus $g \leq 7$ at least except $\langle 5, 7, 11, 13 \rangle$ is Weierstrass, where for positive integers a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{n-1} , $\langle a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{n-1} \rangle$ denotes the semigroup generated by a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{n-1} . Moreover, we will investigate whether a numerical semigroup of genus $8 \leq g \leq 10$ starting with 5 is Weierstrass.

§1. 5-cyclic numerical semigroups.

Definition 1.1. Let n be an integer with $n \geq 2$. A numerical semigroup H is said to be n -cyclic if H starts with n and if there exists a triplet (C, T, P) where C is a curve, T is its automorphism of order n with $C/\langle T \rangle \cong \mathbf{P}^1$ and P is a fixed point of T with $H(P) = H$, where $\langle T \rangle$ is the group generated by T .

In this section first we will give a description of a 5-cyclic numerical semigroup H . Using this we will show that any H with $\#M(H) = 4$ is not 5-cyclic and give a necessary and sufficient condition for H to be 5-cyclic.

Lemma 1.2. Let H be a numerical semigroup starting with 5. Then the following are equivalent:

- (1) H is 5-cyclic,
- (2) there are non-negative integers n_1, n_2, n_3 and n_4 with $5 \nmid n_1 + 2n_2 + 3n_3 + 4n_4$ such that

$$H = \langle 5, n_1 + 2n_2 + 3n_3 + 4n_4, 2n_1 + 4n_2 + n_3 + 3n_4, 3n_1 + n_2 + 4n_3 + 2n_4, 4n_1 + 3n_2 + 2n_3 + n_4 \rangle.$$

Proof. H is 5-cyclic if and only if the following situation holds: let C be a curve defined by an equation of the form

$$y^5 = \prod_{i=1}^4 \prod_{j=1}^{n_i} (x - c_{ij})^i$$

where c_{ij} 's are distinct elements of k , and n_1, n_2, n_3 and n_4 are non-negative integers with $5 \nmid \sum_{i=1}^4 in_i$. Let $f: C \rightarrow \mathbf{P}^1$ be the surjective morphism of degree 5 defined by sending any point P of C to $(1, x(P))$ and let $f^{-1}((0, 1)) = \{P_\infty\}$. Then $H = H(P_\infty)$. Therefore it suffices to calculate $H(P_\infty)$. Hence the proof is complete⁴⁾. Q.E.D.

Remark 1.3. Let H be a numerical semigroup starting with a . Then we define a set of generators for H , which is denoted by $S(H)$, inductively as follows. Let $s_0 = a$. If $s_0 < s_1 < \dots < s_i$ have been chosen and $i < a - 1$, then s_{i+1} is defined by the least integer in H having a -residue distinct from those of s_0, s_1, \dots, s_i . Then we set $S(H) = \{s_0, s_1, \dots, s_{a-1}\}$. In the case of Lemma 1.2 we have $S(H) = \{5, b_1, b_2, b_3, b_4\}$ where we set $b_1 = n_1 + 2n_2 + 3n_3 + 4n_4$, b_2

$$= 2n_1 + 4n_2 + n_3 + 3n_4, \quad b_3 = 3n_1 + n_2 + 4n_3 + 2n_4 \text{ and } b_4 = 4n_1 + 3n_2 + 2n_3 + n_4.$$

Propositon 1.4. *If H is a numerical semigroup starting with 5 and satisfying $\#M(H) = 4$, then H is not 5-cyclic.*

Proof. Suppose that H is 5-cyclic. We use the notation in Remark 1.3. In view of $\#M(H) = 4$ there is a unique $i \in \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ such that $b_i \in M(H)$. In the case $i = 1$ we have $M(H) = \{5, b_2, b_3, b_4\}$. Hence $b_1 = b_2 + b_4$ or $b_1 = 2b_3$. If $b_1 = b_2 + b_4$, then

$$n_1 + 2n_2 + 3n_3 + 4n_4 = 6n_1 + 7n_2 + 3n_3 + 4n_4,$$

which implies that $n_1 = n_2 = 0$. Hence

$$\begin{aligned} H &= \langle 5, 3n_3 + 4n_4, n_3 + 3n_4, 4n_3 + 2n_4, 2n_3 + n_4 \rangle \\ &= \langle 5, n_3 + 3n_4, 2n_3 + n_4 \rangle, \end{aligned}$$

which contradicts $\#M(H) = 4$. If $b_1 = 2b_3$, then

$$n_1 + 2n_2 + 3n_3 + 4n_4 = 6n_1 + 2n_2 + 8n_3 + 4n_4,$$

which implies that $n_1 = n_3 = 0$. Hence

$$\begin{aligned} H &= \langle 5, 2n_2 + 4n_4, 4n_2 + 3n_4, n_2 + 2n_4, 3n_2 + n_4 \rangle \\ &= \langle 5, n_2 + 2n_4, 3n_2 + n_4 \rangle, \end{aligned}$$

which contradicts $\#M(H) = 4$. Similarly, in the cases $i = 2, 3, 4$ we have a contradiction.

Q.E.D.

Proposition 1.5. *Let H be a numerical semigroup starting with 5 and let $S(H) = \{5, 5q_1 + 1, 5q_2 + 2, 5q_3 + 3, 5q_4 + 4\}$. Then H is 5-cyclic if and only if $q_1 + q_4 = q_2 + q_3$.*

Proof. If H is 5-cyclic, then $b_1 + b_4 = b_2 + b_3$ where b_i 's are as in Remark 1.3. This implies that $q_1 + q_4 = q_2 + q_3$. Conversely we suppose that $q_1 + q_4 = q_2 + q_3$. Consider the following simultaneous linear equations with unknowns n_1, n_2, n_3, n_4 :

$$\begin{cases} n_1 + 2n_2 + 3n_3 + 4n_4 = 5q_1 + 1 \\ 2n_1 + 4n_2 + n_3 + 3n_4 = 5q_2 + 2 \\ 3n_1 + n_2 + 4n_3 + 2n_4 = 5q_3 + 3 \\ 4n_1 + 3n_2 + 2n_3 + n_4 = 5q_4 + 4. \end{cases}$$

In view of $q_1 + q_4 = q_2 + q_3$ these are equivalent to the following:

$$\begin{cases} n_1 = n_4 - 3q_1 + q_2 + 2q_3 + 1 \\ n_2 = -n_4 + q_1 + q_2 - q_3 \\ n_3 = -n_4 + 2q_1 - q_2. \end{cases}$$

Hence the solutions of the above are

$$(n_1, n_2, n_3, n_4) = (-3q_1 + q_2 + 2q_3 + 1, q_1 + q_2 - q_3, 2q_1 - q_2, 0) + \mathbf{R}(1, -1, -1, 1).$$

By Lemma 1.2 it suffices to find a solution consisting of non-negative integers. In the case $2q_2 \geq q_1 + q_3$ we may take

$$(n_1, n_2, n_3, n_4) = (-q_1 + 2q_3 + 1, -q_1 + 2q_2 - q_3, 0, 2q_1 - q_2)$$

as a non-negative integer solution. In the case $2q_2 < q_1 + q_3$ we may take

$$(n_1, n_2, n_3, n_4) = (-2q_1 + 2q_2 + q_3 + 1, 0, q_1 - 2q_2 + q_3, q_1 + q_2 - q_3)$$

as a non-negative integer solution.

Q.E.D.

§2. Numerical semigroups H starting with 5 and satisfying $\#M(H)=4$.

In this section we will give sufficient conditions for a numerical semigroup H starting with 5 and satisfying $\#M(H)=4$ to be Weierstrass. Let $M(H) = \{a_0=5, a_1, a_2, a_3\}$. First we investigate minimal relations among a_0, a_1, a_2 and a_3 .

Lemma 2.1. *Let $M(H) = \{a_0=5 < a_1 < a_2 < a_3\}$. We set*

$$\alpha_i = \text{Min}\{a \in \mathbf{N} \geq 2 \mid aa_i \in \langle a_0, \dots, a_{i-1}, a_{i+1}, \dots, a_3 \rangle\}$$

for all $0 \leq i \leq 3$. Then we have the following.

Case A.1 (resp. Case A.2): $2a_3 \equiv a_1 + a_2 \pmod{5}$ and $a_2 + a_3 \equiv 0 \pmod{5}$ (resp. $a_1 + a_3 \equiv 0 \pmod{5}$). Then

$$\alpha_0 = \frac{a_2 + a_3}{5} \left(\text{resp. } \frac{a_1 + a_3}{5} \right) \text{ and } \alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha_3 = 2.$$

Case B.1 (resp. Case B.2): $2a_2 \equiv a_1 + a_3 \pmod{5}$ and $a_2 + a_3 \equiv 0 \pmod{5}$ (resp. $a_1 + a_2 \equiv 0 \pmod{5}$). If $2a_2 \geq a_1 + a_3$, then

$$\alpha_0 = \frac{a_2 + a_3}{5} \left(\text{resp. } \frac{a_1 + a_2}{5} \right) \text{ and } \alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha_3 = 2.$$

Case C: $2a_1 \equiv a_2 + a_3 \pmod{5}$ and $a_1 + a_2 \equiv 0 \pmod{5}$. If $2a_3 \geq 2a_1 + a_2$, then

$$\alpha_0 = \frac{a_1 + a_2}{5}, \alpha_1 = 3 \text{ and } \alpha_2 = \alpha_3 = 2.$$

Case D: $2a_1 \equiv a_2 + a_3 \pmod{5}$ and $a_1 + a_3 \equiv 0 \pmod{5}$. If $2a_2 \geq 2a_1 + a_3$, then

$$\alpha_0 = \frac{a_1 + a_3}{5}, \alpha_1 = 3 \text{ and } \alpha_2 = \alpha_3 = 2.$$

Proof. In the Case A.1, $2a_1 \equiv a_3 \pmod{5}$ and $2a_2 \equiv a_1 \pmod{5}$. Hence we get

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{a_2 + a_3}{5} a_0 &= a_2 + a_3, \quad 2a_1 = \frac{2a_1 - a_3}{5} a_0 + a_3, \\ 2a_2 &= \frac{2a_2 - a_1}{5} a_0 + a_1, \quad 2a_3 = \frac{2a_3 - a_1 - a_2}{5} a_0 + a_1 + a_2. \end{aligned}$$

Permuting suffixes 1 and 2 in the Case A.1 we get the result in the Case A.2. In the Case B.1, $2a_1 \equiv a_2 \pmod{5}$ and $2a_3 \equiv a_1 \pmod{5}$. Hence we get

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{a_2+a_3}{5}a_0 &= a_2+a_3, \quad 2a_1 = \frac{2a_1-a_2}{5}a_0+a_2, \\ 2a_2 &= \frac{2a_2-a_1-a_3}{5}a_0+a_1+a_3, \quad 2a_3 = \frac{2a_3-a_1}{5}a_0+a_1.\end{aligned}$$

Permuting suffixes 1 and 3 in the Case B.1 we get the result in the Case B.2. In the Case C, we obtain $3a_1 \equiv a_3 \pmod{5}$, $2a_2 \equiv a_3 \pmod{5}$ and $2a_3 \equiv 2a_1+a_2 \pmod{5}$. Hence we get

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{a_1+a_2}{5}a_0 &= a_1+a_2, \quad 3a_1 = \frac{3a_1-a_3}{5}a_0+a_3, \\ 2a_2 &= \frac{2a_2-a_3}{5}a_0+a_3, \quad 2a_3 = \frac{2a_3-2a_1-a_2}{5}a_0+2a_1+a_2.\end{aligned}$$

In the Case D, we obtain $3a_1 \equiv a_2 \pmod{5}$, $2a_3 \equiv a_2 \pmod{5}$ and $2a_2 \equiv 2a_1+a_3 \pmod{5}$. Hence we get

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{a_1+a_3}{5}a_0 &= a_1+a_3, \quad 3a_1 = \frac{3a_1-a_2}{5}a_0+a_2, \\ 2a_2 &= \frac{2a_2-2a_1-a_3}{5}a_0+2a_1+a_3 \text{ and } 2a_3 = \frac{2a_3-a_2}{5}a_0+a_2.\end{aligned} \quad Q.E.D.$$

Theorem 2.2. *Let H be a numerical semigroup with $M(H) = \{a_0=5 < a_1 < a_2 < a_3\}$. Suppose that one of the following holds.*

- (A) $2a_3 \equiv a_1+a_2 \pmod{5}$,
- (B) $2a_2 \equiv a_1+a_3 \pmod{5}$ and $2a_2 \geq a_1+a_3$,
- (C) $2a_1 \equiv a_2+a_3 \pmod{5}$, $a_1+a_2 \equiv 0 \pmod{5}$ and $2a_3 \geq 2a_1+a_2$,
- (D) $2a_1 \equiv a_2+a_3 \pmod{5}$, $a_1+a_3 \equiv 0 \pmod{5}$ and $2a_2 \geq 2a_1+a_3$.

Then H is Weierstrass.

§3. Numerical semigroups H starting with 5 and satisfying $\#M(H)=5$.

In this section we will give sufficient conditions for a numerical semigroup H starting with 5 and satisfying $\#M(H)=5$ to be Weierstrass.

Lemma 3.1. *Let H be a numerical semigroup starting with n . Assume that $M(H) = \{a_0 = n, a_1, \dots, a_{n-1}\}$. I_H denotes the kernel of the k -algebra homomorphism $\varphi_H: k[X_0, X_1, \dots, X_{n-1}] \rightarrow k[t]$ defined by sending X_i to t^{a_i} . For any i and j with $1 \leq i \leq j \leq n-1$, we set*

$$f_{ij} = X_i X_j - X_0^{e(i,j)} X_{r(i,j)}$$

where $a_i + a_j = e(i, j)n + a_{r(i,j)}$. Then for all i and j , we have $e(i, j) > 0$. Moreover, the ideal I_H is generated by f_{ij} 's ($1 \leq i \leq j \leq n-1$).

Proof. If $e(i, j) \leq 0$, then this contradicts $a_{r(i,j)} \in M(H)$. Let J be the ideal generated by f_{ij} 's. In view of $a_i + a_j = e(i, j)a_0 + a_{r(i,j)}$, we get $J \subseteq I_H$. Conversely we will show that $I_H \subseteq J$. It is known that the ideal I_H is generated by the element of type

$$\prod X_i^{\nu_i} - \prod X_i^{\mu_i}, \quad \nu_i \mu_i = 0.$$

If $f = \prod X_i^{\nu_i} - \prod X_i^{\mu_i} \in I_H$ and $f \neq 0$, then we have $\sum \nu_i > 1$ and $\sum \mu_i > 1$, because of $a_i \in M(H)$. Moreover,

$$\begin{aligned} f &= f_{jt} \prod X_i^{\nu_i'} - f_{pq} \prod X_i^{\mu_i'} + X_0^{e(j,l)} X_{r(i,j)} \prod X_i^{\nu_i'} - X_0^{e(p,q)} X_{r(p,q)} \prod X_i^{\mu_i'} \\ &\equiv X_0^{e(j,l)} X_{r(i,j)} \prod X_i^{\nu_i'} - X_0^{e(p,q)} \prod X_i^{\mu_i'} \pmod{J}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence we may decrease the weight of f , because $e(i, j) > 0$, $e(p, q) > 0$, $J \subseteq I_H$ and the ideal I_H is prime. Therefore, at last we get $f \in J$. Q.E.D.

Let $M(H) = \{a_0 = 5, a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4\}$. First in certain cases we will give minimal relations among a_0, a_1, a_2, a_3 and a_4 .

Lemma 3.2. Let $M(H) = \{a_0 = 5, a_1 = 5q_1 + 1, a_2 = 5q_2 + 2, a_3 = 5q_3 + 3, a_4 = 5q_4 + 4\}$. Suppose that $2q_2 - q_1 - q_3 \geq 0$ and $2q_3 - q_2 - q_4 \geq 0$. We set

$$a_i = \text{Min}\{\alpha \in \mathbb{N} \geq 2 \mid \alpha a_i \in \langle a_0, \dots, a_{i-1}, a_{i+1}, \dots, a_4 \rangle\}.$$

Then we have $\alpha_0 = q_1 + q_4 + 1$ and $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha_3 = \alpha_4 = 2$. In fact,

$$\begin{aligned} (0, 0) \quad & \alpha_0 a_0 = \alpha_{01} a_1 + \alpha_{04} a_4, \quad \alpha_{01} = \alpha_{04} = 1, \\ (1, 1) \quad & \alpha_1 a_1 = \alpha_{10} a_0 + \alpha_{12} a_2, \quad \alpha_{10} = 2q_1 - q_2, \quad \alpha_{12} = 1, \\ (2, 2) \quad & \alpha_2 a_2 = \alpha_{20} a_0 + \alpha_{21} a_1 + \alpha_{23} a_3, \quad \alpha_{20} = 2q_2 - q_1 - q_3, \quad \alpha_{21} = \alpha_{23} = 1, \\ (3, 3) \quad & \alpha_3 a_3 = \alpha_{30} a_0 + \alpha_{32} a_2 + \alpha_{34} a_4, \quad \alpha_{30} = 2q_3 - q_2 - q_4, \quad \alpha_{32} = \alpha_{34} = 1, \\ (4, 4) \quad & \alpha_4 a_4 = \alpha_{40} a_0 + \alpha_{43} a_3, \quad \alpha_{40} = 2q_4 + 1 - q_3, \quad \alpha_{43} = 1. \end{aligned}$$

Moreover,

$$\begin{aligned} (1, 2) \quad & \alpha_{01} a_1 + \alpha_{32} a_2 = (\alpha_{10} + \alpha_{20}) a_0 + \alpha_{23} a_3, \\ (1, 3) \quad & \alpha_{01} a_1 + \alpha_{43} a_3 = (\alpha_{10} + \alpha_{20} + \alpha_{30}) a_0 + \alpha_{34} a_4, \\ (2, 3) \quad & \alpha_{12} a_2 + \alpha_{43} a_3 = (\alpha_{20} + \alpha_{30}) a_0 + \alpha_{21} a_1 + \alpha_{34} a_4, \\ (2, 4) \quad & \alpha_{12} a_2 + \alpha_{04} a_4 = (\alpha_{20} + \alpha_{30} + \alpha_{40}) a_0 + \alpha_{21} a_1, \\ (3, 4) \quad & \alpha_{23} a_3 + \alpha_{04} a_4 = (\alpha_{30} + \alpha_{40}) a_0 + \alpha_{32} a_2. \end{aligned}$$

Proof. We have

$$(q_2 + q_3 + 1) - (q_1 + q_4 + 1) = 2q_2 - q_1 - q_3 + 2q_3 - q_2 - q_4 \geq 0.$$

Hence $\alpha_0 = q_1 + q_4 + 1$. Computations show the remaining part. Q.E.D.

Applying Lemma 3.1 to our case we get the following:

Propositon 3.3 Let the notation be as in Lemma 3.2. Suppose that $2q_2 - q_1 - q_3 > 0$ and $2q_3 - q_2 - q_4 > 0$. We set

$$\begin{aligned} g_1 &= X_{010}^a, \quad g_2 = X_{020}^a, \quad g_3 = X_{030}^a, \quad g_4 = X_{040}^a, \quad g_5 = X_{101}^a, \quad g_6 = X_{121}^a, \\ g_7 &= X_{232}^a, \quad g_8 = X_{343}^a, \quad g_9 = X_{404}^a, \quad g_{10} = X_{212}^a, \quad g_{11} = X_{323}^a, \quad g_{12} = X_{434}^a. \end{aligned}$$

Let S be the subsemigroup of \mathbb{Z}^8 generated by

$$b_i = e_i (1 \leq i \leq 8), \quad b_9 = e_1 + e_2 + e_3 + e_4 - e_5, \quad b_{10} = -e_1 + e_5 + e_6, \\ b_{11} = -e_1 - e_2 + e_5 + e_7 \text{ and } b_{12} = -e_1 - e_2 - e_3 + e_5 + e_8.$$

where \mathbf{Z}^8 is the set of row vectors of dimension 8 with integral coefficients and for each i , e_i denotes the row vector with i -th coefficient 1 and other coefficients 0. Then we get $I_H = \eta(\text{Ker } \pi)k[X]$ where

$$\pi : k[Y] = k[Y_1, \dots, Y_{12}] \rightarrow k[T^s]_{s \in S} \\ (\text{resp. } \eta : k[Y] \rightarrow k[X] = k[X_0, X_1, \dots, X_4])$$

denotes the k -algebra homomorphism defined by $\pi(Y_i) = T^{b_i}$ (resp. $\eta(Y_i) = g_i$). Moreover S is saturated.

Proof. Let $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle : \mathbf{Z}^8 \times \mathbf{Z}^8 \rightarrow \mathbf{Z}$ be the pairing defined by $\langle r, a \rangle = r' a$ for any r and $a \in \mathbf{Z}^8$. We define the map

$$\Psi_H : k[T^{b_i}]_{1 \leq i \leq 12} \rightarrow k[H]$$

by sending T^{b_i} to $t^{\langle \lambda, b_i \rangle}$ where

$$\lambda = (\alpha_{10}a_0, \alpha_{20}a_0, \alpha_{30}a_0, \alpha_{40}a_0, \alpha_{01}a_1, \alpha_{21}a_1, \alpha_{32}a_2, \alpha_{43}a_3).$$

Then we have $\varphi_H \circ \eta = \phi_H \circ \pi$, which implies that $\eta(\text{Ker } \pi) \subseteq \text{Ker } \varphi_H = I_H$. Conversely we will show that $I_H \subseteq \eta(\text{Ker } \pi)k[X]$. By Lemma 3.1 the ideal I_H is generated by $f_{00}, f_{11}, f_{22}, f_{33}, f_{44}, f_{12}, f_{13}, f_{23}, f_{24}$ and f_{34} where f_{ij} 's are polynomials in $k[X]$ associated to the relation (i, j) in Lemma 3.2, e.g. $f_{00} = X_0^{a_0} - X_1^{a_{01}} X_4^{a_{04}}$. In fact,

$$a_2 + a_2 = (2q_2 - q_4)a_0 + a_4, \quad a_3 + a_3 = (2q_3 + 1 - q_1)a_0 + a_1 \text{ and } a_2 + a_3 = (q_2 + q_3 + 1)a_0.$$

$$\text{Then we see } X_2^2 - X_0^{2q_2 - q_4} X_4 = f_{22} + X_0^{2q_2 - q_1 - q_3} f_{13}, \quad X_3^2 - X_0^{2q_3 + 1 - q_1} X_1 = f_{33} + X_0^{2q_3 - q_2 - q_4} f_{24}$$

$$\text{and } X_2 X_3 - X_0^{q_2 + q_3 + 1} = f_{23} - X_0^{q_2 + q_3 - q_1 - q_4} f_{00}.$$

Moreover, the following polynomials in $k[Y]$ are contained in $\text{Ker } \pi$:

$$Y_1 Y_2 Y_3 Y_4 - Y_5 Y_9, \quad Y_5 Y_6 - Y_1 Y_{10}, \quad Y_7 Y_{10} - Y_2 Y_6 Y_{11}, \\ Y_8 Y_{11} - Y_3 Y_7 Y_{12}, \quad Y_9 Y_{12} - Y_4 Y_8, \quad Y_5 Y_7 - Y_1 Y_2 Y_{11}, \quad Y_5 Y_8 - Y_1 Y_2 Y_3 Y_{12}, \\ Y_{10} Y_8 - Y_6 Y_{12} Y_2 Y_3, \quad Y_{10} Y_9 - Y_2 Y_3 Y_4 Y_6 \text{ and } Y_{11} Y_9 - Y_3 Y_4 Y_7.$$

By calculation we have $I_H \subseteq \eta(\text{Ker } \pi)k[X]$. Hence we get $I_H = \eta(\text{Ker } \pi)k[X]$.

Lastly we will show that S is saturated. It suffices to show that

$$\sum_{i=1}^{12} \mathbf{R}_+ b_i \cap \mathbf{Z}^8 = \sum_{i=1}^{12} \mathbf{N} b_i.$$

Let us take $y = \sum_{i=1}^{12} s_i b_i \in \mathbf{Z}^8$ with $s_i \in \mathbf{R}_+$. Then we may assume $0 \leq s_i < 1$ for all i . Now

$$y = (s_1 + s_9 - s_{10} - s_{11} - s_{12}, \quad s_2 + s_9 - s_{11} - s_{12}, \quad s_3 + s_9 - s_{12}, \quad s_4 + s_9, \\ s_5 - s_9 + s_{10} + s_{11} + s_{12}, \quad s_6 + s_{10}, \quad s_7 + s_{11}, \quad s_8 + s_{12}) \in \mathbf{Z}^8.$$

In the case $s_1 + s_9 - s_{10} - s_{11} - s_{12} = -2$ we have

$$s_2 + s_9 - s_{11} - s_{12} = -2 + s_{10} - s_1 + s_2 < 0,$$

which implies that $s_2 + s_9 - s_{11} - s_{12} = -1$. Hence we may assume that

$$y = (-2, -1, 0, 0, 2, 1, 1, 1).$$

Now

$$y = b_3 + b_7 + b_{10} + b_{12} \in \sum_{i=1}^{12} \mathbf{N}b_i.$$

In the case $s_1 + s_9 - s_{10} - s_{11} - s_{12} = -1$ we have

$$s_5 - s_9 + s_{10} + s_{11} + s_{12} = s_5 + s_1 + 1.$$

Moreover, $s_{10}s_{11} \neq 0$ or $s_{12} \neq 0$. Hence we may assume that

$$y = (-1, -1, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0) = b_6 + b_{11}$$

or

$$y = (-1, -1, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 1) = b_3 + b_{12}.$$

Therefore we get $y \in \sum_{i=1}^{12} \mathbf{N}b_i$. The case of $s_1 + s_9 - s_{10} - s_{11} - s_{12} \geq 0$ and $s_2 + s_9 - s_{11} - s_{12} = -1$ does not occur. Hence we get our desired result. *Q.E.D.*

In the case of $2q_2 - q_1 - q_3 = 0$ or $2q_3 - q_2 - q_4 = 0$ we also obtain the result which is similar to Proposition 3.3. Hence we get

Theorem 3.4. *Let H be a numerical semigroup with*

$$M(H) = \{a_0 = 5, a_1 = 5q_1 + 1, a_2 = 5q_2 + 2, a_3 = 5q_3 + 3, a_4 = 5q_4 + 4\}.$$

If $2q_2 - q_1 - q_3 \geq 0$ and $2q_3 - q_2 - q_4 \geq 0$, then H is Weierstrass²⁾.

In the similar way we get the following :

Theorem 3.5 *Let H be a numerical semigroup with*

$$M(H) = \{a_0 = 5, a_1 = 5q_1 + 1, a_2 = 5q_2 + 2, a_3 = 5q_3 + 3, a_4 = 5q_4 + 4\}.$$

If $2q_1 - q_3 - q_4 - 1 \geq 0$ and $2q_4 + 1 - q_1 - q_2 \geq 0$, then H is Weierstrass.

Proof. Replacing suffixes 1, 2, 3 and 4 in the proof of Theorem 3.4 by 3, 1, 4 and 2 respectively, we get the proof of Theorem 3.5 *Q.E.D.*

Lastly we show that the condition of Theorem 3.4 and that of Theorem 3.5 are disjoint.

Remark 3.6. Let

$$I = \{(q_1, q_2, q_3, q_4) \in \mathbf{N}^4 \mid 2q_2 - q_1 - q_3 \geq 0, 2q_3 - q_2 - q_4 \geq 0\}$$

and

$$J = \{(q_1, q_2, q_3, q_4) \in \mathbf{N}^4 \mid 2q_1 - q_3 - q_4 - 1 \geq 0, 2q_4 + 1 - q_1 - q_2 \geq 0\}.$$

Then we have $I \cap J = \emptyset$.

Proof. Let $(q_1, q_2, q_3, q_4) \in I \cap J$. Since

$$(2q_2 - q_1 - q_3) + (2q_3 - q_2 - q_4) = -((2q_1 - q_3 - q_4 - 1) + (2q_4 + 1 - q_1 - q_2)),$$

(q_1, q_2, q_3, q_4) satisfies the simultaneous linear equations

$$2q_1 - q_3 - q_4 - 1 = 0, 2q_2 - q_1 - q_3 = 0, 2q_3 - q_2 - q_4 = 0, 2q_4 + 1 - q_1 - q_2 = 0.$$

Then the solutions of the above are

$$(q_1, q_2, q_3, q_4) = \left(\frac{3}{5}, \frac{2}{5}, \frac{1}{5}, 0\right) + \mathbf{R}(1, 1, 1, 1).$$

Since q_i 's must be integers, this is a contradiction. Hence we obtain $I \cap J = \emptyset$. *Q.E.D.*

§4. Numerical semigroups of genus $g \leq 10$ starting with 5.

In the last section applying our results we will investigate whether a numerical semigroup of genus $g \leq 10$ starting with 5 is Weierstrass.

Example 4.1. Any numerical semigroup of genus $g \leq 6$ is Weierstrass.

Proof. It suffices to show that all numerical semigroups starting with $a \geq 5$ are Weierstrass^(1),2). All numerical semigroups of genus 3 start with $a \leq 4$. Any numerical semigroup of genus 4 except $\langle 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 \rangle$ starts with $a \leq 4$. Numerical semigroups of genus 5 starting with $a \geq 5$ are the following:

$$\begin{array}{lll} 5.1) \langle 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 \rangle & 5.2) \langle 5, 7, 8, 9, 11 \rangle & 5.3) \langle 5, 6, 8, 9 \rangle \\ 5.4) \langle 5, 6, 7, 9 \rangle & 5.5) \langle 5, 6, 7, 8 \rangle. \end{array}$$

Now 5.1) is the set of non-gaps at an ordinary point. 5.2), 5.3), 5.4) and 5.5) are negatively graded, which implies that they are Weierstrass^(6),7). In the similar way any numerical semigroup of genus 6 starting with $a \geq 6$ is Weierstrass. Numerical semigroups of genus 6 starting with 5 are the following:

$$\begin{array}{lll} 6.1) \langle 5, 8, 9, 11, 12 \rangle & 6.2) \langle 5, 7, 9, 11, 13 \rangle & 6.3) \langle 5, 7, 8, 11 \rangle \\ 6.4) \langle 5, 7, 8, 9 \rangle & 6.5) \langle 5, 6, 9, 13 \rangle & 6.6) \langle 5, 6, 8 \rangle \quad 6.7) \langle 5, 6, 7 \rangle. \end{array}$$

By Proposition 1.5, 6.1) and 6.2) are 5-cyclic, hence Weierstrass. By Theorem 2.2, 6.3), 6.4) and 6.5) are Weierstrass. Moreover, 6.6) and 6.7) are generated by three elements, which implies that they are Weierstrass⁽³⁾. *Q.E.D.*

Example 4.2. Any numerical semigroup of genus 7 at least except $\langle 5, 7, 11, 13 \rangle$ is Weierstrass. I don't know whether $\langle 5, 7, 11, 13 \rangle$ is Weierstrass or not.

Proof. Numerical semigroups of genus 7 starting with $a \geq 7$ are negatively graded, which implies that they are Weierstrass. For any numerical semigroup H we denote by $w(H)$ the weight of H , i.e. $w(H) = \sum_{i=1}^g (n_i - 1)$ where $g = g(H)$ and n_1, \dots, n_g are the elements of $N - H$. Then we note the following result: if a numerical semigroup H starting with a satisfies $w(H) < a$, then H is Weierstrass⁽⁸⁾. Numerical semigroups H of

genus 7 starting with 6 which satisfy $w(H) \geq 6$ are the following :

$$7.1) \langle 6, 7, 8, 9 \rangle \quad 7.2) \langle 6, 7, 8, 10 \rangle \quad 7.3) \langle 6, 7, 8, 11 \rangle \quad 7.4) \langle 6, 7, 9, 10 \rangle$$

First we consider the case 7.1). Let C be a curve defined by an equation of the form

$$y^6 = (x - c_1)(x - c_2)(X - c_3)(x - c_4)^4$$

where c_i 's are distinct elements of k . Let $f: C \rightarrow \mathbf{P}^1$ be the surjective morphism of degree 6 corresponding to the inclusion $k(x) \subset k(x, y) = K(C)$ where $K(C)$ is the function field of C . If $\{P_\infty\} = f^{-1}((0, 1))$, then we have $H(P_\infty) = \langle 6, 7, 8, 9 \rangle$. In the case 7.2) if we set $H = \langle 6, 7, 9, 10 \rangle$, then the ideal I_H is generated by

$$X_0^3 - X_2X_3, X_1^2 - X_0X_2, X_2^2 - X_0X_3 \text{ and } X_3^2 - X_0X_1^2.$$

Hence H is Weierstrass³⁾. In the case 7.3) the semigroup is 1-neat, hence Weierstrass⁵⁾. Lastly we consider the case 7.4). Let E be an elliptic curve with the origin Q' and let P'_2, P'_3 be two distinct points of E such that $P'_2 + P'_3 \neq Q'$. Let $P'_1 = -2P'_2 - 2P'_3$. Take $z \in K(E)$ such that $\text{div}_C(z) = P'_1 + 2P'_2 + 3P'_3 - 5Q'$. Let $\pi: C \rightarrow E$ be the surjective morphism corresponding to the inclusion $K(E) \subset K(E)(y) = K(C)$ with $y = z^{\frac{1}{5}}$. We set $\{P_i\} = \pi^{-1}(P'_i)$ for $i = 1, 2, 3$. Suppose that $Q' + P'_i$ for $i = 1, 2, 3$ and that $3P'_2 + 3P'_3 = Q'$. Then we have

$$\begin{aligned} \text{div}_C(y) &= P_1 + 2P_2 + 2P_3 - \pi^*(Q'), \\ \text{div}_C(dy) &= -2\pi^*(Q') + P_2 + P_3 + \sum_{i=1}^4 \pi^*(R'_i) \end{aligned}$$

where R'_1, R'_2, R'_3 and R'_4 are points of E which are distinct from P'_1, P'_2, P'_3 and Q' . Moreover, for any $r \in \mathbf{N}$ and any $f \in K(E)$ with $\text{div}_E(f) = \sum_{P' \in E} n(P')P'$ we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \text{div}_C\left(\frac{f dy}{y^{1-r}}\right) &= (5n(P'_1) + (r-1))P_1 + \sum_{i=2}^3 (5n(P'_i) + 1 + 2(r-1))P_i \\ &\quad + (n(Q') - r - 1)\pi^*(Q') + \sum_{i=1}^4 (n(R'_i) + 1)\pi^*(R'_i) + \sum' n(P')\pi^*(P') \end{aligned}$$

where \sum' means the summation over all $P' \in E$ except P'_1, P'_2, P'_3, R'_j 's and Q' . For any divisor D' on E we set

$$L(D') = \{f \in K(E) \mid \text{div}(f) \geq -D'\} \text{ and } l(D') = \dim_k L(D').$$

Hence for any $r \in \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4\}$, $\frac{f dy}{y^{1-r}}$ has no poles if and only if $f \in L(D'_r)$ where

$$\begin{aligned} D'_0 &= -P'_1 - P'_2 - P'_3 - Q' + \sum_{i=1}^4 R'_i, \quad D'_1 = -2Q' + \sum_{i=1}^4 R'_i, \quad D'_2 = -3Q' + \sum_{i=1}^4 R'_i, \\ D'_3 &= -4Q' + P'_2 + P'_3 + \sum_{i=1}^4 R'_i \text{ and } D'_4 = -5Q' + P'_2 + P'_3 + \sum_{i=1}^4 R'_i. \end{aligned}$$

Moreover, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} l(D'_0) &= 1, \quad l(D'_0 - P'_1) = 0, \quad l(D'_1) = 2, \quad l(D'_1 - P'_1) = l(D'_1 - 2P'_1) = 1, \\ l(D'_1 - 3P'_1) &= 0, \quad l(D'_2) = 1, \quad l(D'_2 - P'_1) = 0, \quad l(D'_3) = 2, \quad l(D'_3 - P'_1) = 1, \\ l(D'_3 - 2P'_1) &= 0, \quad l(D'_4) = 1, \quad l(D'_4 - P'_1) = 0, \end{aligned}$$

which imply that $N - H(P_1) = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 11\}$, hence $H(P_1) = \langle 6, 7, 9, 10 \rangle$. If H is a numerical semigroup of genus 7 starting with 5 which satisfies $\#M(H) \geq 4$ and $w(H) \geq 5$, then it is one of the following :

$$7.5) \langle 5, 6, 13, 14 \rangle \quad 7.6) \langle 5, 7, 9, 11 \rangle \quad 7.7) \langle 5, 7, 9, 13 \rangle$$

$$7.8) \langle 5, 7, 11, 13 \rangle \quad 7.9) \langle 5, 8, 9, 11 \rangle \quad 7.10) \langle 5, 8, 9, 12 \rangle.$$

In view of Theorem 2.2, 7.5), 7.6), 7.7) and 7.9) are Weierstrass. Moreover, 7.10) is Weierstrass⁹⁾. Q.E.D.

Example 4.3. All numerical semigroups of genus 8 starting with 5 at least except $\langle 5, 9, 11, 12 \rangle$ are Weierstrass.

Proof. Any numerical semigroup of genus 8 starting with 5 is one of the following :

$$\begin{aligned} &\langle 5, 11, 12, 13, 14 \rangle, \langle 5, 9, 12, 13, 16 \rangle, \langle 5, 9, 11, 13, 17 \rangle, \langle 5, 9, 11, 12 \rangle, \\ &\langle 5, 8, 12, 14 \rangle, \langle 5, 8, 11, 14, 17 \rangle, \langle 5, 8, 11, 12 \rangle, \langle 5, 8, 9 \rangle, \langle 5, 7, 13, 16 \rangle, \\ &\langle 5, 7, 11 \rangle, \langle 5, 7, 9 \rangle, \langle 5, 6, 14 \rangle, \langle 5, 6, 13 \rangle. \end{aligned}$$

By Proposition 1.5 and Theorems 2.2, 3.4, 3.5, we get our result. Q.E.D.

Example 4.4. All numerical semigroups of genus 9 starting with 5 at least except $\langle 5, 11, 13, 14, 17 \rangle$, $\langle 5, 11, 12, 14, 18 \rangle$, $\langle 5, 11, 12, 13, 19 \rangle$, $\langle 5, 9, 12, 16 \rangle$ and $\langle 5, 8, 14, 17 \rangle$ are Weierstrass.

Proof. Any numerical semigroup of genus 9 starting with 5 is one of the following :

$$\begin{aligned} &\langle 5, 12, 13, 14, 16 \rangle, \langle 5, 11, 13, 14, 17 \rangle, \langle 5, 11, 12, 14, 18 \rangle, \\ &\langle 5, 11, 12, 13, 19 \rangle, \langle 5, 9, 13, 16, 17 \rangle, \langle 5, 9, 12, 16 \rangle, \langle 5, 9, 12, 13 \rangle, \\ &\langle 5, 9, 11, 17 \rangle, \langle 5, 9, 11, 13 \rangle, \langle 5, 8, 14, 17 \rangle, \langle 5, 8, 12, 19 \rangle, \\ &\langle 5, 8, 11, 17 \rangle, \langle 5, 8, 11, 14 \rangle, \langle 5, 7, 16, 18 \rangle, \langle 5, 7, 13 \rangle, \langle 5, 6, 19 \rangle. \end{aligned}$$

Applying our results in sections 1, 2 and 3 to these cases we get the above statement. Q.E.D.

Example 4.5. All numerical semigroups of genus 10 starting with 5 at least except $\langle 5, 12, 13, 14, 21 \rangle$ and $\langle 5, 11, 13, 14 \rangle$ are Weierstrass.

Proof. Any numerical semigroup of genus 10 starting with 5 is one of the following :

$$\begin{aligned} &\langle 5, 13, 14, 16, 17 \rangle, \langle 5, 12, 14, 16, 18 \rangle, \langle 5, 12, 13, 16, 19 \rangle, \\ &\langle 5, 12, 13, 14, 21 \rangle, \langle 5, 11, 14, 17, 18 \rangle, \langle 5, 11, 13, 17, 19 \rangle, \\ &\langle 5, 11, 13, 14 \rangle, \langle 5, 11, 12, 18, 19 \rangle, \langle 5, 11, 12, 14 \rangle, \langle 5, 11, 12, 13 \rangle, \\ &\langle 5, 9, 16, 17 \rangle, \langle 5, 9, 13, 17, 21 \rangle, \langle 5, 9, 13, 16 \rangle, \langle 5, 9, 12 \rangle, \langle 5, 9, 11 \rangle, \\ &\langle 5, 7, 18 \rangle, \langle 5, 7, 16 \rangle, \langle 5, 6 \rangle, \langle 5, 8, 17, 19 \rangle. \end{aligned}$$

Applying our results in sections 1, 2 and 3 to these cases, we get the above statement. Q.E.D.

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