

This is the second set of exercises, based on the material in Chapter II in Silverman's book.

- (1) Do all details in Example 3.3 and Example 4.6 in Chapter II of Silverman's book.
- (2) Read the definition of ramification index on page 23 in Chapter II, then do Exercise 2.2
- (3) Exercise 2.5
- (4) Exercise 2.8 (Hint: Hurwitz' formula).

Note that the last two exercises are more "theoretical", they point out non-obvious properties of the projective line and morphisms of smooth curves, respectively. You may want to wait until after the lecture on Tuesday 04.09 before you try these.