

The Construction of Complete (k,4)-Arcs in PG(2,8) on projective plane over Galois Field GF (8)

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Abstract

In this work, we construct by an algebraic method the projectively distinct $(k,4)$ -arcs in $\text{PG}(2,8)$, where $k \geq 5$ and we prove that the complete $(k,4)$ -arcs do not exist, when $5 \leq k \leq 18$. Also we find that complete $(k,4)$ -arc in $\text{PG}(2,8)$ is the $(20,4)$ -arc and complete $(k,3)$ -arc and $\text{PG}(2,8)$ is the $(19,4)$ -arc.

المستخلص

في هذا البحث ، نبني بطريقة جبرية الأقواس - $(k,4)$ المختلفة اسقاطيا في المستوى الاسقطي $\text{PG}(2,8)$ ، حيث إن $5 \leq k \leq 18$. ونبرهن إن الأقواس - $(k,4)$ التامة غير موجودة عندما $5 \leq k \leq 18$. وجذنا قوس - $(k,4)$ تام في $\text{PG}(2,8)$ هو القوس $(20,4)$. وكذلك القوس - $(k,4)$ تام في $\text{PG}(2,8)$ هو القوس - $(19,4)$.

1. Projective geometry [2]

The history of projective geometry is a remarkable instance of art and science feeding off one another. Based on the optics studies of the Arabic mathematician Alhazen (Ibu Ali al-Hasan ibn al-Haytham) (965–1040), several early Renaissance artists attempted to develop a style of visual depiction that presented the eye with a truer semblance of three dimensional space than did earlier, flatter styles. The discovery of the principle of linear perspective (the idea that all parallel lines appear to converge at a single point) is credited to Filippo Brunelleschi (1377–1446). This led to a flurry of activity, culminating in the work of Girard Desargues (1591–1661), which introduced projective geometry as we now it.

2. Introduction[2,5]

The projective plane consists of the standard Euclidean plane, together with a set of points called points at infinity, one for each collection of parallel lines. We say that a line passes through the point at infinity corresponding to its direction (and no others), and that all of the points at infinity lie on a line at infinity. Note that three parallel lines now indeed have a common point at infinity, which retroactively justifies our calling such lines “concurrent”.

1. A point is that of which there is no part.
 2. And a line is a length without breadth.
 3. And the extremities of a line are points.
 4. A straight-line is whatever lies evenly with points upon itself.
 5. And a surface is that which has length and breadth alone.
 6. And the extremities of a surface are lines.
 7. A plane surface is whatever lies evenly with straight-lines upon itself.
 8. And a plane angle is the inclination of the lines,
- when two lines in a plane meet one another, and are not laid down straight-on with respect to one another.
9. And when the lines containing the angle are straight then the angle is called rectilinear.
 10. And when a straight-line stood upon (another) straight-line makes adjacent angles (which are) equal to one another, each of the equal angles is a right-angle, and the former straight-line is called perpendicular to that. upon which it stands.

A projective plane $\text{PG}(2,q)$ over $\text{GF}(q)$ is a two – dimensional projective space , which consists of points and lines with incidence relation between them.

$\text{PG}(2,q)$ satisfying the following axioms :

- A . Any two distinct points are contained in a unique line.
- B . Any two distinct lines are intersected in a unique point.
- C . There exist at least four points such that no three of them are collinear.

Also , in PG(2,q) :There are

There are $1+q+q^2$ points.

There are $1+q+q^2$ lines.

There are $1+q$ points on every line.

There are $1+q$ lines through every point.

Finally , the points of PG(2,q) can be numerated as follows:

The number of the point (1,0,0) is 1, point (x,1,0) is numerated as $x+2$, the point (x,y,1) is numbered as $x + (y \cdot q) + q + 2$.

3. Basic Definitions and Theorems

Definition 3. 1:- [2]

A (k,n) – arc K in PG(2,q) is a set of k points , such that same n, but no n+1 of which are collinear. A (k,4) – arc is a set of k points no five of them are collinear.

Definition 3. 2:- [2]

A (k,n) – arc K is complete if it is not contained in a (k+1,n) – arc .

Theorem 3. 3:- [2]

Let r_i be the total number of i – secants of a (k,n) – arc K in PG(2,q) , then the following equations are hold :-

$$\sum_{i=0}^n r_i = q^2 + q + 1 \quad \dots \dots \dots \quad (1)$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n ir_i = k(q+1) \quad \dots \dots \dots \quad (2)$$

$$\sum_{i=2}^n i(i-1)r_i = k(k-1) \quad \dots \dots \dots \quad (3)$$

Definition 3.4:- [7]

The rays $X = (x_1, x_2, x_3)$ and $X = \lambda (x_1, x_2, x_3)$ are the same and are mapped to the same point m of the plane P, X is the coordinate vector of m, (x_1, x_2, x_3) are its homogeneous coordinates

Definition 3.5:- [6]

The matrix H can be multiplied by an arbitrary non-zero number without altering the projective transformation

n Matrix H is called a “homogeneous matrix” (only ratios of terms are important)

Theorem 3.6:- [7]

A mapping is a projectively if and only if the mapping consists of a linear transformation of homogeneous coordinates $x' = Hx$ with H non singular

The addition's and Multiplication's Operations Of GF(8).

To find the addition and multiplication tables in PG(8) , we have the order triples (x_1,x_2,x_3) such that x_1,x_2,x_3 in GF(2) , as follows :

$$\begin{aligned} O &\equiv (0,0,0) \quad , \quad 1 \equiv (1,0,0) \quad , \quad 2 \equiv (0,1,0) \quad , \quad 3 \equiv (1,1,0), \\ 4 &\equiv (0,0,1) \quad , \quad 5 \equiv (1,0,1) \quad , \quad 6 \equiv (0,1,1) \quad , \quad 7 \equiv (1,1,1). \end{aligned}$$

Put these points in one orbit $(1,0,0)$ at the first point and by the principle $(1,0,0) A_i$, $i=$

$$0,1,2,\dots,7 \text{ and } A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(1,0,0) \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{array}{l} (0,1,0) \\ (0,0,1) \\ (1,0,1) \\ (1,1,1) \\ (1,1,0) \\ (0,1,1) \end{array}$$

Now, in the left of this table the operation of multiplication m , and in the right the operation of addition n , in multiplication side we write the numeration of points as last and the addition side takes the normal sequence.

M(*)		(+)n = f(m)
1	(1,0,0)	0
2	(0,1,0)	1
3	(1,1,0)	5
4	(0,0,1)	2
5	(1,0,1)	3
6	(0,1,1)	6
7	(1,1,1)	4
Mod 7		

In the addition's table we have the following relation :

$$(x_1,x_2,x_3) + (y_1,y_2,y_3) = (z_1,z_2,z_3) \text{ where } z_i \equiv (y_i + x_i) \pmod{2}, \text{ for } i = 1,2,3$$

In multiplication table we have the following relation :

$$m_1 * m_2 = m_3 \Leftrightarrow ((1,0,0)A_f(m_1) \ A_f(m_2)) =$$

$$m_1 * m_2 = m_3 \Leftrightarrow ((1,0) A_f(m_1)) A_f(m_2) = (1,0,0) A_f(m_1) + f(m_2) \pmod{7} \\ = (x_1,x_2,x_3)$$

For example : $3 * 7 = 4 \Leftrightarrow ((1,0,0)A_5)A_4 = (1,0,0) A_2 = (0,0,1)$

Where $(0,0,1)$ equal to 4 in multiplication side.

Now, we have the addition's and multiplication's tables

+	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
0	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	1	0	3	2	5	4	7	6
2	2	3	0	1	6	7	4	5
3	3	2	1	0	7	6	5	4
4	4	5	6	7	0	1	2	3
5	5	4	7	6	1	0	3	2
6	6	7	4	5	2	3	0	1
7	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0

*	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
2	2	4	6	5	7	1	3
3	3	6	5	1	2	7	4
4	4	5	1	7	3	2	6
5	5	7	2	3	6	4	1
6	6	1	7	2	4	3	5
7	7	3	4	6	1	5	2

Definition 3.7:- [1,3,4]

Let Q_1, Q_2 in $PG(2,q) \setminus K$ and let $K_1 = K \cup \{Q_1\}$, $K_2 = K \cup \{Q_2\}$, then Q_1 and Q_2 are in the same set if and only if K_1 and K_2 are projectively equivalent under type of lines.

The projective plane $PG(2,8)$ contains 73 points, 73 lines, 9 points on every line and 9 lines through every point. Any line in $PG(2,8)$

Table: Points and lines of $PG(2,8)$

I	P _i			L _i								
1	1	0	0	2	10	18	26	34	42	50	58	66
2	0	1	0	1	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
3	1	1	0	3	10	19	28	37	46	55	64	73
4	2	1	0	8	10	24	27	41	44	54	61	71
5	3	1	0	6	10	22	31	35	49	53	60	72
6	4	1	0	5	10	21	32	39	43	52	65	70
7	5	1	0	9	10	25	29	38	48	51	63	68
8	6	1	0	4	10	20	30	40	47	57	59	69
9	7	1	0	7	10	23	33	36	45	56	62	67
10	0	0	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
11	1	0	1	2	11	19	27	35	43	51	59	67
12	2	0	1	2	16	24	32	40	48	56	64	72
13	3	0	1	2	14	22	30	38	46	54	62	70
14	4	0	1	2	13	21	29	37	45	53	61	69
15	5	0	1	2	17	25	33	41	49	57	65	73
16	6	0	1	2	12	20	28	36	44	52	60	68
17	7	0	1	2	15	23	31	39	47	55	63	71
18	0	1	1	1	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25

I	P _i	L _i									
19	1 1 1	3	11	18	29	36	47	54	65	72	
20	2 1 1	8	16	18	33	35	46	52	63	69	
21	3 1 1	6	14	18	27	39	45	57	64	68	
22	4 1 1	5	13	18	31	40	44	51	62	73	
23	5 1 1	9	17	18	30	37	43	56	60	71	
24	6 1 1	4	12	18	32	38	49	55	61	67	
25	7 1 1	7	15	18	28	41	48	53	59	70	
26	0 2 1	1	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	
27	1 2 1	4	11	21	31	41	46	56	58	68	
28	2 2 1	3	16	25	30	39	44	53	58	67	
29	3 2 1	7	14	19	29	40	49	52	58	71	
30	4 2 1	8	13	23	28	38	43	57	58	72	
31	5 2 1	5	17	22	27	36	48	55	58	69	
32	6 2 1	6	12	24	35	37	47	51	58	70	
33	7 2 1	9	15	20	32	33	45	54	58	73	
34	0 3 1	1	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	
35	1 3 1	5	11	20	33	38	42	53	64	71	
36	2 3 1	9	16	19	31	36	42	57	61	70	
37	3 3 1	3	14	23	32	41	42	51	60	69	
38	4 3 1	7	13	24	30	35	42	55	65	68	
39	5 3 1	6	17	21	28	40	42	54	63	67	
40	6 3 1	8	12	22	29	39	42	56	59	73	
41	7 3 1	4	15	25	27	37	42	52	62	72	
42	0 4 1	1	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	
43	1 4 1	6	11	23	30	34	48	52	61	73	
44	2 4 1	4	16	22	28	34	45	51	65	71	
45	3 4 1	9	14	21	33	34	44	55	59	72	
46	4 4 1	3	13	20	27	34	49	56	63	70	
47	5 4 1	8	17	19	32	34	47	53	62	68	
48	6 4 1	7	12	25	31	34	43	54	64	69	
49	7 4 1	5	15	24	29	34	46	57	60	67	

i	P _i	L _i									
50	0 5 1	1	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	
51	1 5 1	7	11	22	32	37	44	57	63	66	
52	2 5 1	6	16	20	29	41	43	55	62	66	
53	3 5 1	5	14	25	28	35	47	56	61	66	
54	4 5 1	4	13	19	33	39	48	54	60	66	
55	5 5 1	3	17	24	31	38	45	52	59	66	
56	6 5 1	9	12	23	27	40	46	53	65	66	
57	7 5 1	8	15	21	30	36	49	51	64	66	
58	0 6 1	1	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	
59	1 6 1	8	11	25	26	40	45	55	60	70	
60	2 6 1	5	16	23	26	37	49	54	59	68	
61	3 6 1	4	14	24	26	36	43	53	63	73	
62	4 6 1	9	13	22	26	41	47	52	64	67	
63	5 6 1	7	17	20	26	39	46	51	61	72	
64	6 6 1	3	12	21	26	35	48	57	62	71	
65	7 6 1	6	15	19	26	38	44	56	65	69	
66	0 7 1	1	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	
67	1 7 1	9	11	24	28	39	49	50	62	69	
68	2 7 1	7	16	21	27	38	47	50	60	73	
69	3 7 1	8	14	20	31	37	48	50	65	67	
70	4 7 1	6	13	25	32	36	46	50	59	71	
71	5 7 1	4	17	23	29	35	44	50	64	70	
72	6 7 1	5	12	19	30	41	45	50	63	72	
73	7 7 1	3	15	22	33	40	43	50	61	68	

The Construction of the projectively Distinct (k,4) – Arcs in PG(2,8).

Let A = {1,2,3,10,19} be the set of the reference and the unite points in PG(2,8) , no three of them are collinear.

The distinct (k,4) – arcs can be constructed by adding to A in each time one point from the remaining 68 points of the projective plane PG(2,8) as follows :

$$A_1 = A \cup \{4\}, A_2 = A \cup \{5\}, \dots, A_{68} = A \cup \{73\}.$$

Incomplete	19	10	4	3	2	1
Incomplete	19	10	5	3	2	1
Incomplete	19	10	5	4	2	1
Incomplete	19	11	10	4	3	2
Incomplete	19	12	10	4	3	2
Incomplete	28	19	10	4	3	2
Incomplete	29	19	10	4	3	2
Incomplete	19	11	10	5	3	2
Incomplete	29	19	10	5	4	2
Incomplete	19	12	11	10	4	3
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Incomplete	20	19	11	10	4	3
Incomplete	22	19	11	10	4	3
Incomplete	32	19	11	10	4	3
Incomplete	29	19	12	10	4	3
Incomplete	28	19	11	10	4	3
Incomplete	28	19	14	10	4	3
Incomplete	28	20	19	10	4	3
Incomplete	38	28	19	10	4	3
Incomplete	41	29	19	10	4	3
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Incomplete	19	18	12	11	10	4
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Incomplete	71	52	41	39	30	28	19	18	11	10	4	3	2
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Incomplete	56	47	45	40	39	38	28	27	26	20	19	18	12
Complete	63	56	53	45	39	38	36	28	27	26	19	18	12
Complete	62	56	47	45	40	39	38	28	27	26	20	19	18
Complete	62	56	47	45	40	39	38	28	27	26	20	19	18

Results

From the above results , the number of the distinct $(k,4)$ -arcs , $k =5,6,7,8,9,10,11,\dots,18$ are All of these arcs are incomplete . Finally , we obtain two complete $(19,4)$ – arcs and $(20,4)$ – arcs.

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