

ODTU-Bilkent Algebraic Geometry

"Clifford's Theorem on Special Divisors"

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Abstract: It is very well known that for a non-special divisor D, the dimension of a linear system |D| on a smooth projective curve over C depends only on the degree of D. On the other hand, if D is special, we do not have such a dependence. After giving some facts about linear systems on curves we will see a classical theorem mainly concerning with the extremal behavior of the dimension r(D) of a complete special linear system |D|.

Date: 22 November 2019, Friday Time: 15:40 + Place: Mathematics Seminar Room, SA- 141 Tea and cookie will be served before the talk. You are most cordially invited.