

## ON THE TWO SIDED IDEALS OF ORDERS IN A QUATERNION ALGEBRA

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**Abstract.** The orders in quaternion algebras play central role in the theory of Hecke operators. In this paper, we study the order of two sided ideal group in orders of a quaternion algebra.

### 1. Introduction

A quaternion algebra over a field  $k$  means a semi simple algebra of dimension 4 over  $k$ . It is known that there are three kinds of primitive orders in quaternion algebras over a local field. First, if  $A$  is a division algebra, an order of  $A$  is primitive if it contains the full ring of integers of a quadratic extension field of  $k$ . Second, if  $A$  is isomorphic to  $\text{Mat}_{2 \times 2}(k)$ , an order of  $A$  is primitive if it contains a subset which is isomorphic to  $\mathfrak{o} \oplus \mathfrak{o}$ , where  $\mathfrak{o}$  is the ring of integers in  $k$ . Finally, if  $A$  is isomorphic to  $\text{Mat}_{2 \times 2}(k)$ , an order of  $A$  is also called primitive if it contains the full ring of integers in a quadratic extension field of  $k$ . The arithmetic properties of first two types of primitive orders were studied in [3], [7]. For the remaining type was studied in [5] only for the non dyadic local field case. In this paper we will study the arithmetic theory of the remaining type over a dyadic local field. As an application, the class number of primitive orders over a dyadic local field will be computed.

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## 2. Primitive orders

**2.1.** In this section, we summarize the arithmetic theory of a quaternion algebra and its order.

A lattice on  $A$  is a finitely generated  $\mathbb{Z}$  module containing a base of  $A$  over  $\mathbb{Q}$ . An order of  $A$  is a lattice on  $A$  which is also a subring with 1. The analogous definitions hold for lattices and orders in  $A_p = A \otimes \mathbb{Q}_p$  for a prime  $p$ .

Throughout this paper we assume that  $k$  is a dyadic local field,  $\mathbb{Q}_2$ . Let  $\mathfrak{o}$  denote the ring of integers in  $k$ ,  $\mathfrak{p}$  the maximal ideal of  $\mathfrak{o}$ . By  $\Delta(\alpha)$ , we denote the discriminant of  $\alpha$ .

$$\Delta(\alpha) = \text{Tr}(\alpha)^2 - 4N(\alpha),$$

where  $\text{Tr}$  and  $N$  are the trace and norm of  $L$  over  $k$  respectively, where  $L$  is a quadratic extension field of  $k$ . If  $\Gamma$  is an  $\mathfrak{o}$  algebra of rank 2 contained in  $L$ , then  $\Gamma = \mathfrak{o} + \mathfrak{o}x$  and the discriminant of  $\Gamma$  is

$$\Delta(\Gamma) = \Delta(x) \pmod{U^2},$$

where  $U$  is the set of all units in  $\mathfrak{o}$ .

Let  $\mathfrak{o}^2 - 4\mathfrak{o} = \{s^2 - 4n \mid s, n \in \mathfrak{o}\}$ . Then we consider the set of all possible discriminants  $(\mathfrak{o}^2 - 4\mathfrak{o})/U^2$ .

**2.2.** Note that  $\Delta_\sigma^* \neq \phi$  only if  $\sigma = 2\rho, 0 \leq \rho \leq e$  or  $\sigma = 2e + 1$  where  $e = \text{ord}_k(2)$ . Let

$$\Delta^* = \cup_{\sigma=0}^\infty \Delta_\sigma^* = (\cup_{\rho=0}^e \Delta_{2\rho}^*) \cup \Delta_{2e+1}^*.$$

Then we know  $\Gamma$  is a maximal order of a quadratic extension field of  $k$  if and only if  $\Delta(\Gamma) \in \Delta^*$ . If  $\epsilon > 0$  and  $1 \leq \rho \leq e$

$$\Delta_{2\rho}^* = \pi^{2\rho}(U^2 + \pi^{2\epsilon-2\rho+1}U)/U^2.$$

There is a bijective correspondence between elements of  $\Delta^*$  and quadratic extension field of  $k$  given by  $\Delta(\Gamma) \rightarrow \Gamma \otimes \mathfrak{o}_k$  for  $\Delta(\Gamma)$  an element of  $\Delta^*$ .

Thus we can classify all quadratic extension fields of a dyadic local field  $k$  as follows:  $\Delta_0^*$  contains one point which corresponds to a unique unramified quadratic extension of  $k$  and

$$\Delta_{2e+1}^* = \pi^{2e+1}U/U^2$$

contains  $2q^2$  points representatives where  $q = |\mathfrak{o}/\mathfrak{p}|$ .

**Definition 1.** Let  $L$  be a quadratic extension of  $k$ . We define

$$t = t(L) = \text{ord}_k(\Delta(L)) - 1.$$

**Remark.** Note that if  $L$  is an unramified extension field of  $k$ , then  $t = -1$ . On the other hand, if  $L$  is a ramified extension field of a dyadic field  $k$ , then  $t > 0$  (See 1.3 in [4] ).

**2.3.** Let  $A$  be a rational quaternion algebra ramified precisely at the odd prime  $q$  and  $\infty$ . That is,  $A_q = A \times \mathbb{Q}_q$  and  $A_\infty = A \times R$  are division algebras. Otherwise,  $A_p = A \times \mathbb{Q}_p$  is isomorphic to  $M_2(\mathbb{Q}_p)$  for a finite prime  $p \neq q$  (See [5]).

Fix a prime  $p \neq q$  and let  $L$  be a quadratic extension field of  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ . It is known that  $\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & \bar{\beta} \\ \beta & \bar{\alpha} \end{pmatrix} \mid \alpha, \beta \in L \right\}$  is a quaternion algebra over  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ .

Let  $\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & \bar{\beta} \\ \beta & \bar{\alpha} \end{pmatrix} \mid \alpha, \beta \in L \right\} = L + \xi L$ , where  $\xi = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ . Then  $\xi\alpha = \bar{\alpha}\xi$ ,  $\xi^2 = 1$  and  $\bar{\xi} = -\xi$ .

Hence, we can define the norm of an element in  $A$  as its determinant.

**2.4.** Let  $P_L$  be the prime ideal of  $\mathcal{O}_L$  which is the ring of integers in  $L$ . In [6], we have computed that the possibilities of an order,  $R$  of  $A_2$

containing  $\mathcal{O}_L$ . We state the results in the following theorem.

**Theorem 2.1.** Let the notations be as in 2.3 and 2.4. If an order  $R$  of  $A_2$  contains  $\mathcal{O}_L$ , then the possibilities of  $R$  are one of the followings.

- (i) If  $p$  is a unramified prime in  $L$ ,  $R = \mathcal{O}_L + \xi P_L^\nu$ .
- (ii) If  $p$  is a ramified prime in  $L$ ,  $R = \mathcal{O}_L + (1 + \xi)P_L^{\nu-t-1}$  or  $\overline{R} = \mathcal{O}_L + (1 - \xi)P_L^{\nu-t-1}$ .

for some nonnegative integer  $\nu$  with some  $\xi \in A_2$ .

**Proof.** See [6].

**Remark.** Since  $\text{ord}_k(2) = e$ , if  $L$  is a ramified quadratic extension field of  $k$ , then  $\text{ord}_L(2) = 2e$ . Hence, in the above definition, if  $t(L) < 2e$ , then  $(1 + \xi)P_L^{-t-1} = (1 - \xi)P_L^{-t-1}$ . That is  $R_0(L) = \overline{R_0(L)}$ . On the other hand, if  $t(L) = 2e$ , then there are two different maximal orders  $R_0(L)$  and  $\overline{R_0(L)}$ . However,  $\mathcal{O}_L + (1 + \xi)P_L^{-t} = \mathcal{O}_L + (1 - \xi)P_L^{-t}$  by the same reasoning of the  $t(L) < 2e$  case. i.e.  $R_1(L) = R_0(L) \cap \overline{R_0(L)}$ .

We now define the level of order  $M$  of  $A$ .

**Definition 2.** Let  $A$  be an quaternion algebra over a number field  $K$  and let  $L$  be a quadratic extension field of  $K$ . An order  $M$  of  $A$  is called primitive if  $M$  contains the ring of integers of  $L$ .

**Remark.** A primitive order was studied in Eicher's thesis [2]. Over a local field, this primitive order is divided into three types of orders. Since  $A_p = A \otimes K_p$  is either a division algebra or a  $2 \times 2$  matrix algebra over  $K_p$  and  $L \otimes K_p$  is either  $K_p \otimes K_p$  or a quadratic extension field of  $K_p$ , we are able to classify the primitive orders  $M_p$  of  $A_p$  as follows.

1. If  $A_p$  is a division algebra, then  $L \otimes K_p$  is a quadratic extension field of  $K_p$ . Hence,  $M_p$  contains the ring of integers of  $L \otimes K_p$ .

2. If  $A_p$  is a  $2 \times 2$  matrix algebra over  $K_p$ , then  $M_p$  contains  $\mathfrak{o}_K \otimes \mathfrak{o}_K$ , where  $\mathfrak{o}_K$  is the ring of integers in  $K_p$ .
3. If  $A_p$  is a  $2 \times 2$  matrix algebra over  $K_p$ , then  $M_p$  contains the ring of integers of  $L \otimes K_p$ .

In this paper we study third type of orders over a dyadic local field.

**Definition 3.** Let  $A$  be a rational quaternion algebra ramified precisely at one finite prime  $q$  and  $\infty$ . For finite primes,  $p_1, p_2, \dots, p_d \neq q$ , an order  $M$  has level  $(q; L(p_1), \nu(p_1); \dots; L(p_d), \nu(p_d))$  if

- (i)  $M_q$  is the maximal order of  $A_q$ .
- (ii) for a prime  $p \neq q$ , there exists a quadratic extension field  $L(p)$  of  $\mathbb{Q}_p$  and nonnegative integer  $\nu(p)$  (which is even if  $L(p)$  is unramified) such that  $M_p = R_{\nu(p)}(L(p))$ ,
- (iii)  $\nu(p_i) > 0$  for  $i = 1, 2, \dots, d$  and  $\nu(p) = 0$  for  $p \neq q, p_1, \dots, p_d$ . (i.e.  $M_p$  is a maximal order of  $A_p$  if  $p \neq p_1, p_2, \dots, p_d$ ).

**2.5.** In the rest of this paper, let  $A$  be a rational quaternion algebra ramified precisely at the odd prime  $q$  and  $\infty$  and we will restrict ourselves with the primitive orders  $\mathcal{O}$  in a quaternion algebra which has level  $N' = (q; L(p_1), \nu(p_1); \dots; L(p_d), \nu(p_d))$  with  $\nu(p_i) > 1$  for  $i = 1, \dots, d$ . If  $L(p)$  is the unramified extension field of  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ ,  $\nu(p)$  is always even number.

**Definition 4.** Let  $\mathcal{O}$  be an order of level  $N'$  in  $A$ . A left  $\mathcal{O}$  ideal  $I$  is a lattice on  $A$  such that  $I_p = \mathcal{O}_p a_p$  (for some  $a_p \in A_p^\times$ ) for all  $p < \infty$ . Two left  $\mathcal{O}$  ideals  $I$  and  $J$  are said to belong to the same class if  $I = Ja$  for some  $a \in A^\times$ . One has the analogous definition for right  $\mathcal{O}$  ideals.

**Definition 5.** The norm of an ideal, denoted by  $N(I)$ , is the positive rational number which generates the fractional ideal of  $\mathbb{Q}$  generated by  $\{N(a) | a \in I\}$ . The conjugate of an ideal  $I$ , denoted by  $\bar{I}$ , is given by  $\bar{I} = \{\bar{a} | a \in I\}$ . The inverse of an ideal, denoted by  $I^{-1}$ , is given by

$$I^{-1} = \{a \in A \mid IaI \subset I\}.$$

**Definition 6.** The class number of left ideals for any order  $\mathcal{O}$  of level  $N'$  is the number of distinct classes of such ideals. We denote this by  $H(N')$ .

**Remark.** Let  $A$  be a quaternion algebra and let  $M$  be any order of  $A$ . The idele group of  $J_A$  of  $A$  is

$$J_A = \{ \tilde{a} = (a_p) \in \prod_p A_p^\times \mid a_p \in U(M_p) \text{ for almost all } p \},$$

where  $U(M_p)$  is the set of all units in  $M_p$ .

Here the product is over all primes, finite and infinite. Note that since for two orders  $M$  and  $N$  of  $A$ ,  $M_p = N_p$  for almost all  $p$ ,  $J_A$  is independent of the particular orders used in this definition.  $J_A$  is a locally compact group with the topology induced by the product topology on the open set  $\prod_{p \in S} A_p^\times \prod_{p \notin S} U(M_p)$ , where  $S$  ranges over all finite subset of primes containing  $\infty$ . If  $\tilde{a} \in J_A$ , we define the volume of  $\tilde{a}$  as  $\text{vol}(\tilde{a}) = \prod_p |N(a_p)|_p$  where  $|\cdot|_p$  is normalized such that  $|p|_p = \frac{1}{p}$  for  $p < \infty$  and  $|\cdot|_\infty$  is the ordinary absolute value in  $\mathbb{R}$ . Let  $J_A^1 = \{ \tilde{a} \in J_A \mid \text{vol}(\tilde{a}) = 1 \}$  and embed  $A^\times \subset J_A^1$  along the diagonal. Finally, if  $M$  is an any order of  $A$ , let  $\mathfrak{U}(M) = \{ \tilde{a} \in J_A^1 \mid a_p \in U(M_p) \text{ for all } p < \infty \}$ .

**Proposition 2.2.** Let  $\mathcal{O}$  be any order of level  $N'$  in  $A$ . Then

- (1)  $A^\times$  is a discrete subgroup of  $J_A^1$ .
- (2)  $J_A^1/A^\times$  is compact.
- (3)  $\mathfrak{U}(\mathcal{O})$  is an open compact subgroup of  $J_A^1$ .

**Proof.** See Weil [11].

**Proposition 2.3.** The double cosets  $\mathfrak{U}(\mathcal{O}) \backslash J_A^1 / A^\times$  are in 1-1 correspondence with the ideal classes of left  $\mathcal{O}$  ideals.

**Proof.** If  $J_A^1 = \cup_{i=1}^H \mathfrak{U}(\mathcal{O}) \tilde{a}_i A^\times$ , then  $\mathcal{O} \tilde{a}_i$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, H$  represent the distinct left  $\mathcal{O}$  ideal classes.

**Proposition 2.4.**  $J_A^1$  acts transitively ( by conjugation) on orders of level  $N'$  in  $A$ .

**Proof.** The action is for  $\tilde{a} \in J_A^1$  and  $\mathcal{O}$  an order of level  $N'$ :  $\mathcal{O} \leftrightarrow \{\mathcal{O}_p\} \mapsto \{a_p^{-1} \mathcal{O}_p a_p\} \leftrightarrow \mathcal{O}'$  and we write  $\mathcal{O}' = \tilde{a}^{-1} \mathcal{O} \tilde{a}$ . The action is obviously transitive.

**Definition 7.** Let  $I$  be a left  $\mathcal{O}$ -ideal for some order of level  $N'$ . The left order of  $I = \{a \in A | aI \subseteq I\}$ . If  $I = \mathcal{O} \tilde{a}$ , then the left order of  $I$  is  $\mathcal{O}$  and the right order is  $\tilde{a}^{-1} \mathcal{O} \tilde{a}$ . Thus if  $I$  is an ideal of an order of level  $N'$ , its left and right orders also have level  $N$ .

From the above definition, we are able to define two sided ideals. A left  $\mathcal{O}$ -ideal is said to be two sided if its right order is also  $\mathcal{O}$ , i.e. if it is also a right  $\mathcal{O}$ -ideal. More explicitly, we define two sided ideals as follows.

**Definition 8.** Let  $I = \mathcal{O} \tilde{a}$  for some order  $\mathcal{O}$  of level  $N'$  and  $\tilde{a} \in J_A^1$ . Then  $I$  is called a two sided ideal if  $\tilde{a}^{-1} \mathcal{O} \tilde{a} = \mathcal{O}$ .

### 3. The Normalizer of orders

It is clear that if we fix  $\mathcal{O}$ , the set of two sided ideals form a group. If  $I$  and  $J$  are two sided  $\mathcal{O}$  ideals and  $I = Ja$  for  $a \in A^\times$ , then  $a^{-1} \mathcal{O} a = \mathcal{O}$  as  $I$  and  $J$  have the same right order and thus  $\mathcal{O} a$  is also a two sided  $\mathcal{O}$  ideal. Hence we can consider the ideal class group of two sided  $\mathcal{O}$  ideals.

The order of this group is called the class number of two sided  $\mathcal{O}$  ideals. This group is important to study the action of the canonical involution acting on the certain spaces of modular forms.

**Definition 9.** We define the normalizer of an order  $\mathfrak{D}$  of a quaternion algebra  $A$  as

$$\mathfrak{N}(\mathfrak{D}) = \{ \tilde{a} \in J_A^1 | \tilde{a}^{-1} \mathfrak{D} \tilde{a} = \mathfrak{D} \},$$

locally  $\mathcal{N}(\mathfrak{D}_p) = \{ a_p \in A^\times | a_p^{-1} \mathfrak{D}_p a_p = \mathfrak{D}_p \text{ for all } p < \infty \}$ .

In order to compute the normalizer of orders, we first compute the normalizer of orders locally. If  $p \neq 2$ , the normalizer of orders were computed by several authors in [3], [5], [7]. Hence we will compute only for dyadic local field case, i.e.  $p = 2$  case.

Recall the definition of orders,  $R_\nu = \mathcal{O}_L + \xi P_L^{\nu-t-1}$ . For the computational convenience, we introduce a new notation :  $M(R_\nu) = \{ x \in R_0(L)^\times | x^{-1} R_\nu x = R_\nu \}$ .

**Theorem 3.1.** Let  $L$  be a unramified quadratic extension field of  $k$  and  $k = \mathbb{Q}_2$ . Then for an order of  $A_2 = A \otimes k$ ,  $R_\nu(L)$ , we have

$$M(R_\nu) = \begin{cases} R_0^\times \\ R_\nu^\times \cup \xi R_\nu(L)^\times \text{ for } \nu > 0. \end{cases}$$

**Proof.**  $\nu = 0$  case is trivial. Hence assume that  $\nu > 0$ . Let  $\alpha + \xi\beta \in R_\nu(L) = \mathcal{O}_L + \xi P_L^\nu$  and  $g \in R_0^\times = (\mathcal{O}_L + \xi \mathcal{O}_L)^\times$ .

$$\begin{aligned} g(\alpha + \xi\beta)\bar{g} &= (\gamma + \xi\delta) \cdot (\alpha + \xi\beta) \cdot \overline{(\gamma + \xi\delta)} \\ &= (\alpha\gamma + \beta\bar{\delta} + \xi(\alpha\delta + \beta\bar{\gamma})) \cdot (\bar{\gamma} - \xi\delta) \\ &= \alpha\gamma\bar{\gamma} + \beta\bar{\gamma}\delta - \alpha\bar{\delta}\delta - \bar{\beta}\gamma\delta + \xi(\alpha\bar{\gamma}\delta + \beta\bar{\gamma}^2 - \alpha\bar{\gamma}\delta - \beta\delta^2) \\ &\in \mathcal{O}_L + \xi P_L^\nu. \end{aligned}$$



$\alpha\bar{\gamma}\delta + \beta\bar{\gamma}^2 - \overline{\alpha\gamma}\delta - \beta\delta^2 \in P_L^\nu$  implies that  $\text{ord}_k((\alpha - \bar{\alpha})\bar{\gamma}\delta) \geq \nu$ . Hence either  $\text{ord}_L(\delta) \geq \nu$  and  $\gamma \in \mathcal{O}_L^\times$ , or  $\text{ord}_L(\gamma) \geq \nu$  and  $\delta \in \mathcal{O}_L^\times$ . This means  $M(R_\nu(L)) = R_\nu(L)^\times \cup \xi R_\nu(L)^\times$ .

**Theorem 3.2.** Let  $L$  be a ramified quadratic extension field of  $k$  and  $k = \mathbb{Q}_2$ . Then for an order of  $A_2 = A \otimes k, R_\nu(L)$ , we have

$$M(R_\nu) = \begin{cases} R_\nu^\times & \text{if } \nu = 0 \\ R_{[\frac{1}{2}(\nu+1)]}^\times & \text{if } 0 < \nu \leq 2t + 2 \\ R_{\nu-t-1}^\times \cup \xi R_{\nu-t-1}^\times & \text{if } 2t + 2 < \nu, \end{cases}$$

where  $[x]$  is the largest integer not greater than  $x$ .

**Proof.** If  $\nu = 0$ ,  $R_0$  is a maximal order.  $M(R_0) = R_0^\times$  clear from the definition.

Now assume that  $L$  is ramified. we divide this into two cases. That is,  $t = 2e$  case and  $t < 2e$  case.

We first consider  $t = 2e$  case.

There are two different maximal orders which contain  $\mathcal{O}_L$ , i.e.  $R_0(L) = \mathcal{O}_L + (1 + \xi)P_L^{-t-1}$  and  $\overline{R_0(L)} = \mathcal{O}_L + (1 - \xi)P_L^{-t-1}$ . Since  $t = 2e$ ,  $\mathcal{O}_L + (1 - \xi)P_L^{-t} = \mathcal{O}_L + (-1 - \xi + 2)P_L^{-t} = \mathcal{O}_L + (1 + \xi)P_L^{-t}$ .  $R_0(L) \cap \overline{R_0(L)} = R_1(L)$ . Thus, by Hijikata's theorem in [3],  $R_1 \simeq \begin{pmatrix} \mathfrak{o} & \mathfrak{o} \\ 2\mathfrak{o} & \mathfrak{o} \end{pmatrix}$ , where  $\mathfrak{o}$  is the ring of integers in  $k$ .  $M(R_1) = R_1^\times$  was computed in [3].

If  $1 < \nu \leq 2t + 2$ , then  $R_\nu = \mathcal{O}_L + (1 + \xi)P_L^{\nu-t-1}$ . Let  $g \in M(R_1)$ . Then  $gR_1g^{-1}$  contains  $R_\nu$  and  $gR_1g^{-1}$  is the second largest order containing  $R_\nu$ , which implies  $gR_\nu g^{-1} = R_\nu$ . Without loss of generality, we assume that  $M(R_\nu) \subset M(R_1) = R_1^\times$ . Let  $g = c + d + \xi d \in R_1^\times$  and

$$a + b + \xi b \in R_\nu = \mathcal{O}_L + (1 + \xi)P_L^{\nu-t-1}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} g(\alpha + \xi\beta)\bar{g} &= (c + d + \xi d) \cdot (a + b + \xi b) \cdot (\overline{c + d + \xi d}) \\ &= (c + d + \xi d) \cdot (a + b + \xi b) \cdot (\overline{c + d} - \xi d) \\ &= ((c + d)(a + b) + b\bar{d} + \xi((a + b)d + b(\overline{c + d}))) \cdot (\overline{c + d} - \xi d) \\ &= N(c + d)(a + b) + b\bar{d}(\overline{c + d}) - (\overline{a + b})\bar{d}d - \bar{b}(c + d)d \\ &\quad + \xi((a + b)(\overline{c + d})d + b(\overline{c + d})^2 - \overline{(c + d)(a + b)d} - \bar{b}d^2) \\ &\in \mathcal{O}_L + (1 + \xi)P_L^{\nu-t-1}. \end{aligned}$$

Thus we need two conditions,  $(a + b)(\overline{c + d})d + b(\overline{c + d})^2 - \overline{(c + d)(a + b)d} - \bar{b}d^2 \in P_L^{\nu-t-1}$  and  $N(c + d)(a + b) + b\bar{d}(\overline{c + d}) - (\overline{a + b})\bar{d}d - \bar{b}(c + d)d - \{(a + b)(\overline{c + d})d + b(\overline{c + d})^2 - \overline{(c + d)(a + b)d} - \bar{b}d^2\} \in \mathcal{O}_L$ . For the first one, we have the followings.

$$\begin{aligned} &(a + b)(\overline{c + d})d + b(\overline{c + d})^2 - \overline{(c + d)(a + b)d} - \bar{b}d^2 \\ &= ((a + b) - (\overline{a + b}))(\overline{c + d})d + b(\overline{c + d})^2 - \bar{b}d^2 \\ &= ((a - \bar{a})(\overline{c + d})d + (b - \bar{b})(\overline{c + d})d + b\bar{c}^2 + 2b\bar{c}\bar{d} + b\bar{d}^2 - \bar{b}d^2) \\ &= ((a - \bar{a})(\overline{c + d})d + (b - \bar{b})\bar{c}d + b\bar{c}^2 + 2b\bar{c}\bar{d} + b\bar{d}^2 - \bar{b}d^2 + (b - \bar{b})d\bar{d}) \\ &= ((a - \bar{a})(\overline{c + d})d + (b - \bar{b})\bar{c}d + b\bar{c}^2 + 2b\bar{c}\bar{d} + (b\bar{d} - \bar{b}d)(d + \bar{d})). \end{aligned}$$

Since  $d \in P_L^{-t}$ ,  $\text{Tr}(d) = d + \bar{d} \in \mathcal{O}_L$ . Hence,  $b \in P^{\nu-t-1}$  implies that  $\text{ord}_L((a - \bar{a})(\overline{c + d})d) = t + 1 + 2\text{ord}_L(d) \geq \nu - t - 1$  is needed. That is,  $\text{ord}_L(d) \geq \frac{1}{2}\nu - t - 1$  and the second condition is easily satisfied with  $\text{ord}_L(d) \geq \frac{1}{2}\nu - t - 1$ . Thus  $M(R_\nu(L)) = R_{[\frac{1}{2}(\nu+1)]}(L)$  for  $1 \leq \nu \leq 2t + 2$ , where  $[x]$  is the largest integer not greater than  $x$ .

Next, if  $2t + 2 \leq \nu$ , then  $R_\nu = \mathcal{O}_L + \xi P_L^{\nu-t-1}$ . Let  $\alpha + \xi\beta \in R_\nu(L)$  and  $g \in R_{t+1}^\times = (\mathcal{O}_L + \xi\mathcal{O}_L)^\times$ .

$$\begin{aligned} g(\alpha + \xi\beta)\bar{g} &= (\gamma + \xi\delta) \cdot (\alpha + \xi\beta) \cdot \overline{(\gamma + \xi\delta)} \\ &= (\alpha\gamma + \beta\bar{\delta} + \xi(\alpha\delta + \beta\bar{\gamma})) \cdot (\bar{\gamma} - \xi\delta) \\ &= \alpha\gamma\bar{\gamma} + \beta\bar{\gamma}\bar{\delta} - \bar{\alpha}\delta\delta - \bar{\beta}\gamma\delta + \xi(\alpha\bar{\gamma}\delta + \beta\bar{\gamma}^2 - \bar{\alpha}\bar{\gamma}\delta - \beta\delta^2) \\ &\in \mathcal{O}_L + \xi P_L^{\nu-t-1}. \end{aligned}$$

$\text{ord}_k((\alpha - \bar{\alpha})\bar{\gamma}\delta) \geq \nu - t - 1 \Rightarrow \text{ord}_L(\delta) \geq \nu - 2t - 2$  and  $\nu \geq 0$ . Finally, it is easy to see  $\xi R_\nu \xi^{-1} = R_\nu$ . Thus  $M(R_\nu(L)) = R_{\nu-t-1}(L)^\times \cup \xi R_{\nu-t-1}(L)^\times$  for  $2t + 2 < \nu$ .

$$M(R_\nu) = \begin{cases} R_{[\frac{1}{2}(\nu+1)]}^\times & \text{if } t + 1 \leq 2t + 2 \\ R_{\nu-t-1}(L)^\times \cup \xi R_{\nu-t-1}(L)^\times & \text{if } 2t + 2 \leq \nu. \end{cases}$$

Finally,  $t < 2e$ , The computation of this case is exactly same manner as in the case  $t = 2e$ .

**Theorem 3.3.** Let  $R_\nu$  be an order of  $A_2$  over a dyadic local field  $k$ . Then

$$\mathcal{N}(R_\nu)/R_\nu^\times k^\times \approx \begin{cases} \{1\} & \text{if } \nu = 0 \\ R_{[\frac{1}{2}(\nu+1)]}^\times/R_\nu^\times & \text{if } 0 < \nu \leq 2t + 2 \text{ and } L \text{ is ramified} \\ R_{\nu-t-1}^\times/R_\nu^\times \cup \xi R_{\nu-t-1}^\times/R_\nu^\times & \text{if } 2t + 2 < \nu \text{ and } L \text{ is ramified} \\ \{1, \xi\} & \text{if } 0 < \nu \text{ and } L \text{ is unramified,} \end{cases}$$

where  $\approx$  is a set theoretical bijective relation.

**Proof.** From the facts that  $\mathcal{N}(R_\nu) = k^\times M(R_\nu)$ , this is immediate from Theorem 3.1 and 3.2.

**Corollary 3.4.** Let the notations be as in Theorem 3.3. Then

$$|\mathcal{N}(R_\nu)/R_\nu^\times k^\times| = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \nu = 0 \\ 2^{\nu - [\frac{1}{2}(\nu+1)]} & \text{if } 0 < \nu \leq 2t + 2 \text{ and } L \text{ is ramified} \\ 2^{t+1} & \text{if } 2t + 2 < \nu \text{ and } L \text{ is ramified} \\ 2 & \text{if } 0 < \nu \text{ and } L \text{ is unramified.} \end{cases}$$

**Proof.** By Theorem 3.3, this is immediately given.

From Definition 8, the classes of two sided ideal correspond to  $\mathfrak{N}(\mathcal{O})/\mathfrak{U}(\mathcal{O})J_{\mathbb{Q}}^1$  where  $\mathfrak{U}(\mathcal{O}) = \{\bar{a}|a_p \in \mathcal{O}_p^\times \text{ for all } p < \infty\}$ . We are now finally able to find the general formula for class number of the two sided  $\mathcal{O}$  ideal classes. For  $p = 2$  we have computed the normalizer in this paper and for the other primes, we refer to [5].

**Theorem 3.5.** Let  $\mathcal{O}$  be an order of level  $N' = (q; L(2), \nu(2); \dots ; L(p_d), \nu(p_d))$  in  $A$ . Then

$$H(N') = 2^{d_1 \cdot (\nu - [\frac{1}{2}(\nu+1)])} \cdot 2^{d_2(t+1)} \cdot 2^{d_3},$$

where  $d_1$  is the number of ramified prime  $p_i$  with  $0 < \nu(p_i) \leq 2t + 2$ ,  $d_2$  is the number of ramified primes with  $2t + 2 < \nu(p_i)$  and  $d_3$  is the number of unramified primes.

**Proof.** By Theorem 3.3 and Corollary 3.4, we have

$$\begin{aligned} H(N') &= |\mathfrak{N}(\mathcal{O})/\mathfrak{U}(\mathcal{O})J_{\mathbb{Q}}^1| \\ &= \prod_p |\mathcal{N}(\mathcal{O}_p)/\mathcal{O}_p^\times k^\times| \\ &= 2^{d_1 \cdot (\nu - [\frac{1}{2}(\nu+1)])} \cdot 2^{d_2(t+1)} \cdot 2^{d_3}, \end{aligned}$$

where  $d_1$  is the number of ramified prime  $p_i$  with  $0 < \nu(p_i) \leq 2t + 2$ ,  $d_2$  is the number of ramified primes with  $2t + 2 < \nu(p_i)$  and  $d_3$  is the number of unramified primes.

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