Computation of Framed Deformation Functors

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Abstract. The purpose of this talk is the application of Deformation Theory, originally developed by Mazur [2], to the classification of abelian varieties performed by Abrashkin [1] and Schoof [3]. After recalling the main definitions and results of Deformation Theory, I will describe some local-to-global arguments for the computation of a Universal Deformation Ring. I will finally show a direct computation of a Framed Deformation Ring, in the case of representations coming from elliptic curves with minimal ramification property; these examples match the properties of the varieties classified in [3].

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