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**TITLE: INDICES IN CUBIC NUMBER FIELDS AND  
THUE EQUATIONS**

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Let  $f \in \mathbb{Z}[X, Y]$  be a homogeneous irreducible polynomial of degree  $n \geq 3$  and  $k$  be an integer. In 1909 Thue proved that the diophantine equation

$$f(x, y) = k$$

has only finitely many solutions in integers  $x$  and  $y$ .

His method does not give explicitly the solutions. In this talk, first we review old and new results on this direction.

We investigate the theory of *indices in cubic number fields*. We then obtain new method to study Thue Equations. We obtain precise results when  $f$  is irreducible binary cubic form. As a consequence of our study we will be able to obtain information on the number of integers and also of the number of rational points of the *Mordell's elliptic curves* :

$$E_d : dy^2 = x^3 + Ax + B.$$

These families are extremely studied in the literature and are sources of intensive research at present in the field of elliptic curves.

In particular, there is :

- Connection between the number of integers points on the curves  $E_d$  and the rank of  $E_d$ .
- Connection with Birch-Swinnerton-dyer conjecture and special values at integers of the  $L$ -function associated to  $E_d$ .

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