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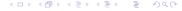
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 - ► Malle gave a solution for imprimitive **spetsial** complex reflection groups in 1995.
 - Stating now a long series of precise axioms many of technical nature

 we can now show that there is a unique solution for all primitive

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Spetsial groups in red.

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Remark							H_3				

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Remark	F_4		H_4					E_6	E ₇	<i>E</i> ₈

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In red = the Φ'_6 -series.

• = the Φ_4 -series.

Character	Degree	FakeDegree	Eigenvalue	Family
• $\phi_{1,0}$	• 1	1	1	C_1
$\phi_{2,1}$	$\frac{3-\sqrt{-3}}{6}q\Phi_3'\Phi_4\Phi_6''$	$q\Phi_4$	1	$X_3.01$
$\phi_{2,3}$	$\frac{3+\sqrt{-3}}{6}q\Phi_3''\Phi_4\Phi_6'$	$q^3\Phi_4$	1	$X_3.02$
<i>Z</i> ₃ : 2	$\frac{\sqrt{-3}}{3}q\Phi_1\Phi_2\Phi_4$	0	ζ_3^2	$X_3.12$
• $\phi_{3,2}$	• $q^2\Phi_3\Phi_6$	$q^2\Phi_3\Phi_6$	1	C_1
$\phi_{1,4}$	$\frac{-\sqrt{-3}}{6}q^4\Phi_3''\Phi_4\Phi_6''$	q^4	1	$X_{5}.1$
$\phi_{1,8}$	$\frac{\sqrt{-3}}{6}q^4\Phi_3'\Phi_4\Phi_6'$	q^8	1	$X_5.2$
• $\phi_{2,5}$	• $\frac{1}{2}q^4\Phi_2^2\Phi_6$	$q^5\Phi_4$	1	$X_{5}.3$
$Z_3:11$	$\frac{\sqrt{-3}}{3}q^4\Phi_1\Phi_2\Phi_4$	0	ζ_3^2	$X_{5}.4$
• G ₄	$\bullet \ \frac{1}{2}q^4\Phi_1^2\Phi_3$	0	-1	$X_5.5$

 Φ_3',Φ_3'' (resp. $\Phi_6',\Phi_6'')$ are factors of Φ_3 (resp $\Phi_6)$ in $\mathbb{Q}(\zeta_3)$