

Distinguishing Hecke eigenforms and irreducibility of Hecke polynomials

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N	K for distinguishability	K for Maeda
7	6	2
$2 \cdot 5$	10	2
11	4	2
13	4	2
$2 \cdot 7$	8	2
$2 \cdot 3 \cdot 5$	14	2
$3 \cdot 11$	4	14
41	2	22

Some non-squarefree data for distinguishability

N	K	n_0
2^3	8	3
3^2	8	2
$2^2 \cdot 3$	20	5
2^4	6	3
$2 \cdot 3^2$	10	5
$2^2 \cdot 5$	8	3
5^2	4	2

