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Curves with symmetry and virtual linear representations of the mapping class group

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Abstract. Let C be a very general complex smooth projective algebraic curve endowed with a group of automorphisms G such that the quotient C/G has genus at least 3. Then, the algebra of \mathbb{Q} -endomorphisms of the Jacobian J(C) of C is naturally isomorphic to the group algebra $\mathbb{Q}G$. Via Hodge theory this result has applications to the theory of virtual linear representations of the mapping class group. This talk is based on joint work with Eduard Looijenga (cf. arXiv:1811.09741).