

ABSTRACT. Let  $\varphi : V \rightarrow V$  be a self-morphism of a quasiprojective variety defined over a number field  $K$  and let  $P \in V(K)$  be a point with infinite orbit under iteration of  $\varphi$ . For each prime  $\mathfrak{p}$  of good reduction, let  $m_{\mathfrak{p}}(\varphi, P)$  be the size of the  $\varphi$ -orbit of the reduction of  $P$  modulo  $\mathfrak{p}$ . Fix any  $\epsilon > 0$ . We show that for almost all primes  $\mathfrak{p}$  in the sense of analytic density, the orbit size  $m_{\mathfrak{p}}(\varphi, P)$  is larger than  $(\log N_{K/\mathbb{Q}}\mathfrak{p})^{1-\epsilon}$ .