

$p$ -adic Artin  $L$ -function over a CM-field  
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## §1 Artin $L$ -function over $\mathbb{C}$

### Hecke $L$ -function

$\eta$  : algebraic Hecke character  $\mathbb{A}_K^\times / K^\times \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}^\times$  of finite order on a number field  $K$

We define the  $L$ -function of  $\eta$  to be

$$L(\eta, s) = \prod_{\lambda} \frac{1}{1 - \eta_{\lambda}(\varpi_{\lambda}) \text{Norm}(\lambda)^{-s}}$$

where  $\lambda$  runs through the prime ideals of  $\mathcal{O}_K$  which are unramified primes of  $\eta$  and  $\varpi_{\lambda}$  is a uniformizer of the prime  $\lambda$ .

- The Euler product defining  $L(\eta, s)$  is absolutely convergent on the region  $\operatorname{Re}(s) > 1$ .  
(Hence  $L(\eta, s)$  is holomorphic and non-zero on the region  $\operatorname{Re}(s) > 1$ )
- We have the functional equation  $\Lambda(\eta, s) = \epsilon(\eta, s)\Lambda(\eta^\vee, 1 - s)$   
where  $\Lambda(\eta, s) = L(\eta, s) \times$  (gamma factor) and  $\epsilon(\eta, s)$  is the epsilon factor.
- $L(\eta, s)$  is holomorphically continued to the whole  $\mathbb{C}$ -plane if  $\eta$  is non-trivial.
- $L(\eta, s)$  coincides with the Dedekind zeta function  $\zeta_K(s)$  if  $\eta$  is trivial.

Artin  $L$ -function

$\rho$  : continuous representation  $G_K \longrightarrow GL_n(\overline{\mathbb{Q}}) \cong \text{Aut}_{\overline{\mathbb{Q}}}(V_\rho)$

We define the Artin  $L$ -function of  $\rho$  to be

$$L(\rho, s) = \prod_{\lambda} \frac{1}{\det(\text{Id} - \text{Frob}_{\lambda} \text{Norm}(\lambda)^{-s}; V_{\rho}^{I_{\lambda}})}$$

where  $\lambda$  runs through the set of prime ideals of  $\mathcal{O}_K$ .

- The Euler product defining  $L(\rho, s)$  is absolutely convergent on the region  $\operatorname{Re}(s) > 1$ .  
(Hence  $L(\rho, s)$  is holomorphic and non-zero on the region  $\operatorname{Re}(s) > 1$ )
- We have the functional equation  $\Lambda(\rho, s) = \epsilon(\rho, s)\Lambda(\rho^\vee, 1 - s)$   
where  $\Lambda(\rho, s) = L(\rho, s) \times (\text{gamma factor})$  and  $\epsilon(\rho, s)$  is the epsilon factor.
- When  $\rho$  is of dimension 1, Artin  $L$ -function can be regarded as a Hecke  $L$ -function by the global class field theory.
- For two Artin representations  $\rho$  and  $\rho'$ , we have  $L(\rho \oplus \rho', s) = L(\rho, s)L(\rho', s)$ .

By the last remark, any Artin  $L$ -function is a product of Artin  $L$ -functions associated to irreducible Artin representations. Let us recall the following classical conjecture.

### Classical Conjecture

*Let  $\rho$  be a non-trivial irreducible Artin representation of the absolute Galois group of a finite algebraic number field  $K$ . Then  $L(\rho, s)$  is holomorphically continued to the whole  $\mathbb{C}$ -plane.*

Recall a classical result as follows.

### Theorem 1 (Application of Brauer's induction)

*Let  $\rho$  be an Artin representation of the absolute Galois group of a finite algebraic number field  $K$ . Then  $L(\rho, s)$  is **meromorphically** continued to the whole  $\mathbb{C}$ -plane.*



We will recall briefly why Theorem 1 holds.

### Brief sketch of the proof of Theorem 1

Let  $G$  be a group,  $H$  a finite-index subgroup of  $G$ .

Let  $\eta : H \rightarrow GL_n(\mathbb{C})$  be a linear representation

Then the induced representation  $\text{Ind}_H^G : G \rightarrow GL_{n[G:H]}(\mathbb{C})$  is defined to be

the representation such that  $V_{\text{Ind}_H^G} \cong V_\eta \otimes_{\mathbb{C}[H]} \mathbb{C}[G]$

## Theorem 2 (Brauer's induction theorem)

Let  $\rho : G \rightarrow GL_n(\mathbb{C})$  be a representation of a finite group  $G$ . Then there exist

- $H_1, \dots, H_r$ : subgroups of  $G$
- $\varphi_i : H_i \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^\times$
- $a_1, \dots, a_r \in \mathbb{Z}$

such that  $\rho \cong \bigoplus_{i=1}^r a_i \text{Ind}_{H_i}^G \varphi_i$ .

### Remark 1

If  $a_i$  is positive,  $\bigoplus_{i=1}^r a_i \text{Ind}_{H_i}^G \varphi_i$  means the direct sum  $\bigoplus_{i=1}^r (\text{Ind}_{H_i}^G \varphi_i)^{\oplus a_i}$ .

But  $a_i$  can be negative here.

So, in Theorem 2, we consider  $\bigoplus_{i=1}^r a_i \text{Ind}_{H_i}^G \varphi_i$  as a virtual sum in the Grothendieck group of representations of  $G$ .

Let  $K_\rho$  be the finite algebraic number field corresponding to the kernel of  $\rho$ .

Then  $\rho$  factors through the finite quotient

$$G_K \twoheadrightarrow \text{Gal}(K_\rho/K) \rightarrow GL_n(\mathbb{C}).$$

By Brauer's induction theorem, there exist

- $K_1, \dots, K_r$ : intermediate fields of  $K_\rho/K$
- Hecke character of finite order  $\varphi_i$  on  $K_i$  ( $i = 1, \dots, r$ ) whose associated Galois characters  $\varphi_i^{\text{gal}} : G_{K_i} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^\times$  factors through  $\text{Gal}(K_\rho/K_i)$ .
- $a_1, \dots, a_r \in \mathbb{Z}$

such that  $\rho \cong \bigoplus_{i=1}^r a_i \text{Ind}_{G_{K_i}}^{G_K} \varphi_i^{\text{gal}}$

Since  $L(\text{Ind}_{G_{K_i}}^{G_K} \varphi_i^{\text{gal}}, s) = L(\varphi_i^{\text{gal}}, s) = L(\varphi_i, s)$ ,

we have  $L(\rho, s) = \prod_{i=1}^r L(\varphi_i, s)^{a_i}$

Since  $L(\varphi_i, s)$  is known to be meromorphic for every  $i$ ,  $L(\rho, s)$  is meromorphic.  
(Q.E.D)

## Remark 2

There are some positive results on Conjecture A as applications of modularity theorems. But we do not discuss this subject here.

## §2 Review on the algebraicity of special values

### Algebraicity of the special values of Hecke $L$ -function

Let  $\phi$  be a non-trivial algebraic Hecke character of finite order on a number field  $K$ .

Suppose that  $K$  is a totally real number field.

Let  $c \in G_K$  the complex conjugate

Then we have the following result on the algebraicity of special values

- $\frac{L(\phi, n)}{\pi^{n[K:\mathbb{Q}]}} \in \overline{\mathbb{Q}}^\times$  if  $n > 1$  and  $(-1)^n \phi^{\text{gal}}(c) = +1$ .
- $L(\phi, n) \in \overline{\mathbb{Q}}^\times$  if  $n < 0$  and  $(-1)^n \phi^{\text{gal}}(c) = -1$ .

The above integers  $n$  are **critical points** of  $L(\phi, s)$ .  
(the precise definition of being critical is omitted)

When  $K$  is not totally real, it is known that  $L(\phi, s)$  have no critical points.

For example, we have  $L(\phi, n) = 0$  for all negative integers  $n$ .

When  $\psi$  is an algebraic Hecke character of finite order over a number field  $K$  which is not totally real, we can not expect the existence of the (one-variable) cyclotomic  $p$ -adic  $L$ -function  $L_p(\psi)$ .

However, we may have another kind of  $(d + 1$ -variable)  $p$ -adic  $L$ -function when  $K$  is a CM-field with  $[K : \mathbb{Q}] = 2d$ .

Let  $K$  be a CM field with  $[K : \mathbb{Q}] = 2d$ .

$I_K = \{\iota : K \hookrightarrow \mathbb{C}\}$ : the set of embeddings

$\Sigma_K \subset I_K$  is called a **CM type** if we have  $I_K = \Sigma_K \amalg \overline{\Sigma_K}$

We choose and fix a CM type  $\Sigma_K$  of  $K$ .

Let  $\eta$  be an algebraic Hecke character  $\mathbb{A}_K^\times / K^\times \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}^\times$   
(which is not necessarily of finite order)

Then there exists an element  $(\mathbf{m}, \mathbf{n}) \in \mathbb{Z}[\Sigma_K] \times \mathbb{Z}[\overline{\Sigma_K}]$  such that  $\eta_\infty : (K \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}} \mathbb{R})^\times \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}^\times$

coincides with the map  $(x_\sigma)_{\sigma \in \Sigma_K} \mapsto \prod_{\sigma \in \Sigma_K} x_\sigma^{m_\sigma} \times \prod_{\sigma \in \Sigma_K} \bar{x}_\sigma^{n_\sigma}$ .



The element  $(\mathbf{m}, \mathbf{n}) \in \mathbb{Z}[\Sigma_K] \times \mathbb{Z}[\overline{\Sigma_K}]$  is called the **type of  $\eta$** .

## Definition

*The algebraic Hecke character  $\eta$  is critical*

*if and only if  $\iff$  the type  $(\mathbf{m}, \mathbf{n}) \in \mathbb{Z}[\Sigma_K] \times \mathbb{Z}[\overline{\Sigma_K}]$  of  $\eta$  satisfies either*

*the inequalities “  $m_\sigma \leq -1$  and  $0 \leq n_\sigma$  for all  $\sigma \in \Sigma_K$  ” (call it *the case (A)*)*

*or*

*the inequalities “  $n_\sigma \leq -1$  and  $0 \leq m_\sigma$  for all  $\sigma \in \Sigma_K$  (B) ” (call it *the case (B)*).*

Let  $\eta$  be an algebraic Hecke character  $\mathbb{A}_K^\times / K^\times \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}^\times$  whose type

$(\mathbf{m}, \mathbf{n}) \in \mathbb{Z}[\Sigma_K] \times \mathbb{Z}[\overline{\Sigma_K}]$  is **critical**.

Then we have

- $\frac{L(\eta, 0)}{\Omega_{\text{CM}, \infty}^{\mathbf{n}-\mathbf{m}}} \in \overline{\mathbb{Q}}^\times$  in the case (A)
- $\frac{L(\eta, 0)}{\Omega_{\text{CM}, \infty}^{\mathbf{m}-\mathbf{n}}} \in \overline{\mathbb{Q}}^\times$  in the case (B)

where  $\Omega_{\text{CM}, \infty} \in (K^+ \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}} \mathbb{C})^\times \cong (\mathbb{C}^\times)^{\Sigma_K}$  is a CM period.

## Algebraicity of the special values of Artin $L$ -function

Suppose that  $K$  is a totally real number field.

$\rho$  : continuous representation  $G_K \longrightarrow GL_n(\overline{\mathbb{Q}}) \cong \text{Aut}_{\overline{\mathbb{Q}}}(V_\rho)$

Suppose that the finite algebraic number field  $K_\rho$  corresponding to the kernel of  $\rho$  is totally real.

Then we have the following result on the algebraicity of critical special values

- $\frac{L(\rho, n)}{\pi^{n[K:\mathbb{Q}]\dim\rho}} \in \overline{\mathbb{Q}}^\times$  if  $n > 1$  and  $(-1)^n = +1$ .
- $L(\rho, n) \in \overline{\mathbb{Q}}^\times$  if  $n < 0$  and  $(-1)^n = -1$ .

Suppose that  $K$  is a CM field.

$\rho$  : continuous representation  $G_K \longrightarrow GL_n(\overline{\mathbb{Q}}) \cong \text{Aut}_{\overline{\mathbb{Q}}}(V_\rho)$

Then we have the following result on the algebraicity of special values

for any critical algebraic Hecke character  $\eta$  the type  $(\mathbf{m}, \mathbf{n}) \in \mathbb{Z}[\Sigma_K] \times \mathbb{Z}[\overline{\Sigma_K}]$

- $\frac{L(\rho \otimes \eta^{\text{gal}}, 0)}{\Omega_{\text{CM}, \infty}^{(\mathbf{n}-\mathbf{m})\dim\rho}} \in \overline{\mathbb{Q}}^\times$  in the case (A).
- $\frac{L(\rho \otimes \eta^{\text{gal}}, 0)}{\Omega_{\text{CM}, \infty}^{(\mathbf{m}-\mathbf{n})\dim\rho}} \in \overline{\mathbb{Q}}^\times$  in the case (B).

For the later use, we set  $|\mathbf{m} - \mathbf{n}| = \begin{cases} \mathbf{m} - \mathbf{n} & \text{in the case (B),} \\ \mathbf{n} - \mathbf{m} & \text{in the case (A).} \end{cases}$

### §3 Review of $p$ -adic Hecke $L$ -function

Let  $\tilde{K}$  be the composite of all  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ -extensions of  $K$ .

We denote by  $\Gamma_K$  the Galois group  $\text{Gal}(\tilde{K}/K)$ .

#### Leopoldt Conjecture

*We have an isomorphism  $\Gamma_K \cong (1 + p\mathbb{Z}_p)^{r_2(K)+1}$  where  $r_2(K)$  is the number of non-real embeddings  $K \hookrightarrow \mathbb{C}$  modulo complex conjugate.*

*Especially, when  $K$  is totally real,  $\tilde{K}$  is equal to the cyclotomic  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ -extension  $K_{\text{cyc}}$  of  $K$ .*

*(Known to be true if  $K$  is a finite abelian extension of  $\mathbb{Q}$  or a finite abelian extension of an imaginary quadratic field)*

- Let  $\chi_{\text{cyc}} : \text{Gal}(K(\mu_{p^\infty})/K) \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_p^\times$  be the  $p$ -adic cyclotomic character.
- Let  $\kappa_{\text{cyc}} = \chi_{\text{cyc}}\omega^{-1} : \text{Gal}(K_{\text{cyc}}/K) \rightarrow 1 + p\mathbb{Z}_p \subset \mathbb{Z}_p^\times$  where  $\omega : (\mathbb{Z}/(p))^\times \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_p^\times$  is the Teichmüller character. We have  $\text{Gal}(K_{\text{cyc}}/K) \cong \Gamma_K \times (\mathbb{Z}/(p))^\times$  and we can regard  $\kappa_{\text{cyc}}$  as a character  $\Gamma_K \rightarrow 1 + p\mathbb{Z}_p$ .
- If  $\phi : \Gamma_K \rightarrow 1 + p\mathbb{Z}_p$  is a character of finite order, we can regard  $\phi$  as an algebraic Hecke character of finite order on  $K$  by the global class field theory.

When  $K$  is totally real, we have the following “one-variable”  $p$ -adic Hecke  $L$ -function.

### Theorem 3 (Deligne–Ribet, Cassou-Noguès, Barsky)

Let  $\psi$  be an algebraic Hecke character of finite order on a totally real number field  $K$  such that  $K_\psi$  is totally real (For simplicity, we assume that  $\psi \neq \mathbf{1}$ ). Then we have an element  $L_p(\psi) \in \mathbb{Z}_p[\psi][[\Gamma_K]]$  satisfying the interpolation property:

$$\kappa_{\text{cyc}}^j \phi(L_p(\psi)) = \prod_{\mathfrak{p}|(p)} \left( 1 - \frac{(\psi\phi^{-1}\omega^{-j})(\mathfrak{p})}{\text{Nr}(\mathfrak{p})^j} \right) \cdot L(\psi\phi^{-1}\omega^{-j}, j)$$

for any integer  $j \leq 0$  and any character  $\phi$  of finite order on  $\Gamma_K$ .

When  $K$  is a CM number field of degree  $2d$ , we have the following “ $d + 1$ -variable”  $p$ -adic Hecke  $L$ -function.

### Theorem 4 (Katz, Hida-Tilouine)

Let  $\psi$  be an algebraic Hecke character of finite order on a CM number field  $K$  of degree  $2d$  which is at most tamely ramified at primes over  $(p)$ . Assume that the CM type  $\Sigma_K$  is  $p$ -ordinary ( $p$ -ordinary CM type exists only when all primes over  $(p)$  of  $K_+$  split at  $K$ ). Then there exists an element  $L_{p, \Sigma_K}(\psi)$  of  $\widehat{\mathcal{O}}^{\text{ur}}[[\Gamma_K]]$  which is uniquely characterized by the following interpolation property:

$$\frac{\eta^{\text{gal}}(L_{p, \Sigma_K}^{\text{KHT}}(\psi))}{\Omega_{\text{CM}, p}^{|\mathbf{m}-\mathbf{n}|}} = [\mathfrak{r}_K^\times : \mathfrak{r}_{K_+}^\times] W_p(\psi^{\text{gal}} \otimes \eta^{\text{gal}}) \frac{(-1)^{w(\eta)d} \prod_{\sigma \in \Sigma_K} (2\pi)^{|r_\sigma(\eta)|} \Gamma_{\Sigma_K}(\mathbf{m}, \mathbf{n})}{\sqrt{|D_{K_+}|} \text{Im}(2\delta)^{r(\eta)}} \\ \cdot \prod_{\mathfrak{P} \in \Sigma_{K, p}} \{(1 - \psi^{\text{gal}} \eta^{\text{gal}}(\mathfrak{P}^c))(1 - \check{\psi}^{\text{gal}} \check{\eta}^{\text{gal}}(\overline{\mathfrak{P}}))\} \frac{L(\psi \eta, 0)}{\Omega_{\text{CM}, \infty}^{|\mathbf{m}-\mathbf{n}|}}$$

for every critical algebraic Hecke character  $\eta$  of type  $(\mathbf{m}, \mathbf{n})$  such that  $\eta^{\text{gal}}$  factors through  $\Gamma_K$ .



## Notation of Theorem 4

$\Omega_{\text{CM},p} \in (O_{K^+} \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} \widehat{\mathcal{O}}^{\text{ur}})^{\times}$  (resp.  $\Omega_{\text{CM},\infty} \in (K^+ \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}} \mathbb{C})^{\times}$ ):  $p$ -adic (resp. complex) CM period of the CM-field  $K$

$\delta \in K$ : polarization divisor associated to a CM abelian variety

$\Gamma_{\Sigma_K}(\mathbf{m}, \mathbf{n}) = \prod_{\sigma \in \Sigma_K} \Gamma(\max(m_{\sigma}, n_{\sigma})) \in \mathbb{Z}$

$W_p(\eta)$ : local root number at  $p$  associated to  $\eta$

$r(\eta) \in \mathbb{Z}[\Sigma_K]$ ,  $w(\eta) \in \mathbb{Z}$  such that we have

$$\begin{cases} n_{\bar{\sigma}} - w(\eta) = 2r(\eta)_{\sigma} \text{ and } m_{\sigma} - w(\eta) = -2r(\eta)_{\sigma} & \text{(in the case (A))} \\ m_{\sigma} - w(\eta) = 2r(\eta)_{\sigma} \text{ and } n_{\bar{\sigma}} - w(\eta) = -2r(\eta)_{\sigma} & \text{(in the case (B))} \end{cases}$$

for all  $\sigma \in \Sigma_K$

## §3 Our results on $p$ -adic Artin $L$ -function

### Setting

- $K$ : CM number field of degree  $2d$  which is absolutely unramified over  $p$ .
- $\rho$ : Artin representation of  $G_K$  which is unramified at all primes lying over  $(p)$  such that  $K_\rho$  is also a CM field.

### Assumption

- The CM type  $\Sigma_K$  is  $p$ -ordinary.  
(Note that  $p$ -ordinary CM type exists only when all primes over  $(p)$  of  $K_+$  split at  $K$ ).
- The  $(d(K') + 1$ -variable) Iwasawa Main Conjecture is true for any intermediate field  $K'$  of  $K_\rho/K$  and for any algebraic Hecke character  $\psi'$  of finite order on  $K'$  where  $d(K') = [K' : \mathbb{Q}]/2$ .  
(Note that  $K'$  is a CM-field by the assumption that  $K_\rho$  is a CM-field.)

In this situation, we have the following “ $d + 1$ -variable”  $p$ -adic Artin  $L$ -function.

### Theorem A (construction of $d + 1$ -variable $p$ -adic Artin $L$ -function / Hara-O)

There exists an element  $L_{p, \Sigma_K}(\rho)$  of  $\widehat{\mathcal{O}}^{\text{ur}}[[\Gamma_K]]$  uniquely characterized by the following interpolation property:

$$\frac{\eta^{\text{gal}}(L_{p, \Sigma_K}^{\text{KHT}}(\rho))}{\Omega_{\text{CM}, p}^{|\mathbf{n} - \mathbf{m}| \dim \rho}} = W_p(\rho \otimes \eta^{\text{gal}}) \left( \frac{(-1)^{w(\eta)d} \prod_{\sigma \in \Sigma_K} (2\pi)^{|r_\sigma(\eta)|} \Gamma_{\Sigma_K}(\mathbf{m}, \mathbf{n})}{\text{Im}(2\delta)^{r(\eta)}} \right)^{\dim \rho} \\ \cdot \prod_{\mathfrak{P} \in \Sigma_{K, p}} \{ \det(1 - \text{Frob}_{\mathfrak{P}}; \rho \otimes \eta^{\text{gal}}) \det(1 - \text{Frob}_{\overline{\mathfrak{P}}}; \check{\rho} \otimes \check{\eta}^{\text{gal}}) \} \frac{L(\rho \otimes \eta^{\text{gal}}, 0)}{\Omega_{\text{CM}, \infty}^{|\mathbf{n} - \mathbf{m}| \dim \rho}}$$

for every critical algebraic Hecke character  $\eta$  of the type  $(\mathbf{m}, \mathbf{n})$  such that  $\eta^{\text{gal}}$  factors through  $\Gamma_K$

We define the Selmer group  $\text{Sel}_\rho(\tilde{K})$  to be

$$\text{Sel}_\rho(\tilde{K}) = \text{Ker} \left[ H^1(K_S/\tilde{K}, A_\rho) \longrightarrow \prod_{\substack{\lambda \in S \\ \lambda \nmid p\infty}} H^1(I_\lambda, A_\rho) \times \prod_{\mathfrak{p} \in \Sigma_{K,p}} H^1(I_{\bar{\mathfrak{p}}}, A_\rho) \right].$$

Here,

- $S$  is a finite set of primes of  $K$  which contains the set of primes over  $(p)$ , infinite primes and ramified primes of  $\rho$ .
- The discrete Galois module  $A_\rho$  is defined to be  $A_\rho = V_\rho/T$  where  $T$  is a Galois stable lattice of  $V_\rho$ .

We can check that (the isomorphism class of)  $\text{Sel}_\rho(\tilde{K})^\vee$  does not depend on the choice of  $T$  under this situation (by using Euler Poincaré characteristic formula).

Below is the  $d + 1$ -variable Iwasawa Main Conjecture for the Artin representation  $\rho$ .

### Theorem B ( $d + 1$ -variable Iwasawa Main Conjecture / Hara-O)

*Under the same setting and the assumptions as Theorem A, we have the following equality between*

$$(L_{p, \Sigma_K}^{\text{KHT}}(\rho)) = \text{char}_{\hat{\mathcal{O}}^{\text{ur}}[[\Gamma_K]]} \text{Sel}_{\rho}(\tilde{K})^{\vee} \otimes_{\mathcal{O}[[\Gamma_K]]} \hat{\mathcal{O}}^{\text{ur}}[[\Gamma_K]]$$

In order to prove Theorem A and Theorem B, we will show Proposition A which is a weaker version of Theorem A.

### Proposition A

There exists an element  $L_{p,\Sigma_K}(\rho) \in \text{Frac}(\widehat{\mathcal{O}}^{\text{ur}}[[\Gamma_K]])$  which has the following interpolation property:

$$\frac{\eta^{\text{gal}}(L_{p,\Sigma_K}(\rho))}{\Omega_{\text{CM},p}^{|\mathbf{n}-\mathbf{m}|\dim\rho}} = W_p(\rho \otimes \eta^{\text{gal}}) \left( \frac{(-1)^{w(\eta)d} \prod_{\sigma \in \Sigma_K} (2\pi)^{|r_\sigma(\eta)|} \Gamma_{\Sigma_K}(\mathbf{m}, \mathbf{n})}{\text{Im}(2\delta)^{r(\eta)}} \right)^{\dim\rho} \\ \cdot \prod_{\mathfrak{P} \in \Sigma_{K,p}} \{ \det(1 - \text{Frob}_{\mathfrak{P}}; \rho \otimes \eta^{\text{gal}}) \det(1 - \text{Frob}_{\overline{\mathfrak{P}}}; \check{\rho} \otimes \check{\eta}^{\text{gal}}) \} \frac{L(\rho \otimes \eta^{\text{gal}}, 0)}{\Omega_{\text{CM},\infty}^{|\mathbf{n}-\mathbf{m}|\dim\rho}}$$

for every critical algebraic Hecke character  $\eta$  of the type  $(\mathbf{m}, \mathbf{n})$  such that  $\eta^{\text{gal}}$  factors through  $\Gamma_K$

## Sketch of the proof of Proposition A

By Brauer's induction theorem, there exist

- $K_1, \dots, K_r$ : intermediate fields of  $K_\rho/K$
- Hecke character of finite order  $\varphi_i$  on  $K_i$  ( $i = 1, \dots, r$ ) whose associated Galois characters  $\varphi_i^{\text{gal}} : G_{K_i} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^\times$  factors through  $\text{Gal}(K_\rho/K_i)$ .
- $a_1, \dots, a_r \in \mathbb{Z}$

such that  $\rho \cong \bigoplus_{i=1}^r a_i \text{Ind}_{G_{K_i}}^{G_K} \varphi_i^{\text{gal}}$ .

By applying Theorem 4 to  $\varphi_1, \dots, \varphi_r$ , we have  $L_{p, \Sigma_{K_i}}^{\text{KHT}}(\varphi_i) \in \widehat{\mathcal{O}}^{\text{ur}}[[\Gamma_{K_i}]]$ . We define

$L'_{p, \Sigma_K}(\rho) \in \text{Frac}(\widehat{\mathcal{O}}^{\text{ur}}[[\Gamma_K]])$  to be

$$L'_{p, \Sigma_K}(\rho) = \prod_{i=1}^r p_i (L_{p, \Sigma_{K_i}}^{\text{KHT}}(\varphi_i))^{a_i}$$

where  $p_i$  is the natural surjection  $\widehat{\mathcal{O}}^{\text{ur}}[[\Gamma_{K_i}]] \twoheadrightarrow \widehat{\mathcal{O}}^{\text{ur}}[[\Gamma_K]]$  ( $i = 1, \dots, r$ ).

By definition, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \eta^{\text{gal}}(L'_{p, \Sigma_K}(\rho)) &= \prod_{i=1}^r \eta^{\text{gal}}(L_{p, \Sigma_{K_i}}^{\text{KHT}}(\varphi_i))^{a_i} \\
 &= \prod_{i=1}^r \left( \Omega_{\text{CM}, K_i, p}^{|\mathbf{m}-\mathbf{n}|} [\mathfrak{r}_{K_i}^\times : \mathfrak{r}_{K_i^+}^\times] W_p(\eta^{\text{gal}}|_{K_i}) \right. \\
 &\quad \cdot \frac{(-1)^{w(\eta)d_i} \prod_{\sigma \in \Sigma_{K_i}} (2\pi)^{|r_\sigma(\eta)|} \Gamma_{\Sigma_{K_i}}(\mathbf{m}_i, \mathbf{n}_i)}{\sqrt{|D_{K_i^+}|} \text{Im}(2\delta)^{r_i(\eta)}} \\
 &\quad \cdot \prod_{\mathfrak{P} \in \Sigma_{K_i, p}} \{ \det(1 - \text{Frob}_{\mathfrak{P}}; \varphi_i \otimes \eta^{\text{gal}}) \det(1 - \text{Frob}_{\overline{\mathfrak{P}}}; \check{\varphi}_i \otimes \check{\eta}^{\text{gal}}) \} \\
 &\quad \cdot \left. \frac{L(\varphi_i^{\text{gal}} \otimes \eta^{\text{gal}}, 0)}{\Omega_{\text{CM}, K_i, \infty}^{|\mathbf{m}-\mathbf{n}|}} \right)^{a_i}
 \end{aligned}$$



We show that the interpolation property of  $L'_{p,\Sigma_K}(\rho)$  “almost” fits into the expected interpolation property of  $L_{p,\Sigma_K}(\rho)$  (call this “[matching](#)”).

For example, verifying the “matching” of the special values  $L(\varphi_i \otimes \eta^{\text{gal}}, 0)^{a_i}$  is rather straight-forward as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \prod_{i=1}^r L(\varphi_i^{\text{gal}} \otimes \eta^{\text{gal}}, 0)^{a_i} &= L(\bigoplus_{i=1}^r \varphi_i^{\text{gal}})^{\oplus a_i} \otimes \eta^{\text{gal}}, 0) \\ &= L(\bigoplus_{i=1}^r a_i (\text{Ind}_{G_K}^{G_{K_i}} \varphi_i^{\text{gal}}) \otimes \eta^{\text{gal}}, 0) \\ &= L(\rho \otimes \eta^{\text{gal}}, 0). \end{aligned}$$

On the other hand, verifying the “matching” of the epsilon factors is not so straight-forward.

We need to verify:

$$\prod_{i=1}^r W_p(\varphi_i \otimes \eta^{\text{gal}}, 0)^{a_i} = W_p(\rho \otimes \eta^{\text{gal}}, 0).$$

This is essentially reduced to a certain relation between generalized Gauss sums and we will prove a certain kind of generalization of Davenport-Hasse relation of Gauss sums.

Similarly we will verify the “matching” of Gamma factors, complex periods,  $p$ -adic periods, polarization divisors, etc.

Then, multiplying a certain constant to  $L'_{p, \Sigma_K}(\rho)$ , we obtain the  $p$ -adic  $L$ -function  $L_{p, \Sigma_K}(\rho)$ .

(Q.E.D)

The key proposition on the algebraic side is as follows.

### Proposition B

We have

$$\mathrm{char}_{\mathcal{O}[[\Gamma_K]]}\mathrm{Sel}_\rho(\tilde{K}K_\rho)^\vee = \prod_{i=1}^r p_i (\mathrm{char}_{\mathcal{O}[[\Gamma_{K_i}]]}\mathrm{Sel}_{\varphi_i}(\tilde{K}_iK_\rho)^\vee)^{a_i}$$

where  $p_i$  is the natural surjection  $\widehat{\mathcal{O}}[[\Gamma_{K_i}]] \rightarrow \widehat{\mathcal{O}}[[\Gamma_K]]$  ( $i = 1, \dots, r$ ).

We call the above proposition the “**descent argument**”.

### Remark 3

The descent argument for the  $p$ -ordinary CM-type algebraic Iwasawa module was studied in [HO18]. In the proof of Proposition B, we apply techniques developed in [HO18] and their further refinement.

## Sketch of the proof of Proposition B

By the Brauer induction isomorphism  $\rho \cong \bigoplus_{i=1}^r a_i \text{Ind}_{G_{K_i}}^{G_K} \varphi_i^{\text{gal}}$  given in the proof of Proposition A, we have:

$$\text{Sel}_\rho(\tilde{K}K_\rho) = \bigoplus_{i=1}^r \text{Sel}_{\varphi_i}(\tilde{K}K_\rho)^{\oplus a_i}.$$

Note that  $\text{Sel}_{\varphi_i}(\tilde{K}K_\rho)^\vee$  is a finitely generated torsion  $\mathcal{O}[[\Gamma_K]]$ -module.

To prove the desired descent, we need to show the following descent:

$$\text{(DES)} \quad \text{char}_{\mathcal{O}[[\Gamma_K]]} \text{Sel}_{\varphi_i}(\tilde{K}K_\rho)^\vee = p_i (\text{char}_{\mathcal{O}[[\Gamma_{K_i}]]} \text{Sel}_{\varphi_i}(\tilde{K}_i K_\rho)^\vee).$$

The most important key to prove (DES) is **the use of the strict Selmer group** which is defined as follows:

We define the Selmer group  $\text{Sel}_{\varphi_i}^{\text{str}}(\tilde{K}K_\rho)$  to be

$$\text{Sel}_{\varphi_i}^{\text{str}}(\tilde{K}K_\rho) = \text{Ker} \left[ H^1(K_S/\tilde{K}K_\rho, A_{\varphi_i}) \longrightarrow \prod_{\substack{\lambda \in S_{K_\rho} \\ \lambda \nmid p\infty}} H^1(I_\lambda, A_{\varphi_i}) \times \prod_{\mathfrak{p} \in \Sigma_{K_\rho, p}} H^1(D_{\bar{\mathfrak{p}}}, A_{\varphi_i}) \right].$$

where  $D_{\bar{\mathfrak{p}}}$  are decomposition groups.

Note that  $\text{Sel}_{\varphi_i}^{\text{str}}(\tilde{K}K_\rho)$  is a subgroup of  $\text{Sel}_{\varphi_i}(\tilde{K}K_\rho)$ .

The strict Selmer groups  $\text{Sel}_{\varphi_i}^{\text{str}}(\tilde{K}'K_\rho)$  over other intermediate fields  $K'$  are defined in the same way (replacing  $\tilde{K}$  by  $\tilde{K}'$  in the right-hand side of the above definition).

Under our setting, we can show that

$$\mathrm{Sel}_{\varphi_i}(\tilde{K}_i K_\rho)^\vee \twoheadrightarrow \mathrm{Sel}_{\varphi_i}^{\mathrm{str}}(\tilde{K}_i K_\rho)^\vee$$

$$\mathrm{Sel}_{\varphi_i}(\tilde{K} K_\rho)^\vee \twoheadrightarrow \mathrm{Sel}_{\varphi_i}^{\mathrm{str}}(\tilde{K} K_\rho)^\vee$$

is a pseudo-isomorphism of  $\mathcal{O}[[\Gamma_{K_i}]]$ -modules (resp.  $\mathcal{O}[[\Gamma_K]]$ -modules)

Hence the descent (DES) is reduced to the following descent:

$$(DES)' \quad \mathrm{char}_{\mathcal{O}[[\Gamma_K]]} \mathrm{Sel}_{\varphi_i}^{\mathrm{str}}(\tilde{K} K_\rho)^\vee = p_i (\mathrm{char}_{\mathcal{O}[[\Gamma_{K_i}]]} \mathrm{Sel}_{\varphi_i}^{\mathrm{str}}(\tilde{K}_i K_\rho)^\vee).$$

The advantage of working with the strict Selmer group (compared to the usual Selmer group) is as follows:

- Easier to show **the control theorem** for the restriction map

$$\mathrm{Sel}_{\varphi_i}^{\mathrm{str}}(\tilde{K}K_\rho) \longrightarrow \mathrm{Sel}_{\varphi_i}^{\mathrm{str}}(\tilde{K}_iK_\rho)[\mathrm{Ker}(p_i)].$$

- Easier to prove **the non-existence of the pseudo-null  $\mathcal{O}[[\Gamma_{K'}]]$ -submodule** of

$$\mathrm{Sel}_{\varphi_i}^{\mathrm{str}}(\tilde{K}'K_\rho)^\vee \text{ for any intermediate fields } K' \text{ of } K_\rho/K.$$

Working on this, we prove (DES)' and we complete the proof of Proposition B.

(Q.E.D)

## Proof of Theorem A and Theorem B

Proposition A + Proposition B  $\Rightarrow$  Theorem A + Theorem B

More precisely, by proposition A and Proposition B, we prove the equality of the fractional ideal of  $\widehat{\mathcal{O}}^{\text{ur}}[[\Gamma_K]]$  as follows:

$$(L_{p, \Sigma_K}^{\text{KHT}}(\rho)) = \text{char}_{\widehat{\mathcal{O}}^{\text{ur}}[[\Gamma_K]]} \text{Sel}_{\rho}(\widetilde{K})^{\vee} \otimes_{\mathcal{O}[[\Gamma_K]]} \widehat{\mathcal{O}}^{\text{ur}}[[\Gamma_K]].$$

Since the right-hand side of this equality is an integral ideal of  $\widehat{\mathcal{O}}^{\text{ur}}[[\Gamma_K]]$ , the left-hand side of the above equality is also an integral ideal of  $\widehat{\mathcal{O}}^{\text{ur}}[[\Gamma_K]]$ . Thus we prove Theorem A and Theorem B simultaneously.

(Q.E.D)



Greenberg [Gr83], [Gr04] proved the prototype of this work over a totally real field.

Finally, we explain **some technical difficulties compared to the work of Greenberg**

- In [Gr83] and [Gr04], we did not need the **“matching of the interpolation property”**.

The interpolation property of the  $p$ -adic  $L$ -function is much simpler.

(no complex periods, no  $p$ -adic periods, no Gamma-factors, no epsilon-factors, etc. in [Gr83] and [Gr04])

- In [Gr83] and [Gr04], we did not need the **“descent argument”**.

The Selmer groups and the  $p$ -adic  $L$ -functions of number of the intermediate fields of  $\text{Ker}\rho/K$  is always one-variable when  $K$  is totally real. Hence, in [Gr83], [Gr04], we did not need the descent argument.