

Vatsal 11/17

Recall our original goal: $L(g, \chi, 1) \neq 0$ for most anticyclotomic χ .

Gross's formula says, for any choice $P \in X_n$,

$$L(g, \chi, 1) \cdot \text{const}(g) = \left| \sum_{\sigma \in \text{Pic } \Delta_n} \chi(\sigma) \psi(p^\sigma) \right|^2$$

Expanding, we get

$$= \frac{1}{p^n} \sum_{P \in X_n} \sum_{\sigma \in \text{Pic } \Delta_n} \chi(\sigma) \psi(p^\sigma) \psi(p)$$

(Vatsal puts $p^{n-\delta}$; we assume $\delta=0$ — we already discussed where it comes from)

Write $G_n = \text{Pic } \Delta_n = \text{Gal}(H_n/K) = G \times \Delta_n$

also $\chi = \chi_t \chi_w$ χ_t : char on G , χ_w : char on Δ_n

Vatsal says: χ faithful $\Leftrightarrow \chi_w$ has order p^{n-1}

$\Leftrightarrow \chi_w$ nontrivial on $S_n \subseteq \Delta_n$

$\uparrow$
sgp of elts order p

(I'm actually confused by this) $\leftarrow$ now embarrassed that I was

According to a theorem of Shimura (which?), if $L(g, \chi_t \chi_w, 1) \neq 0$ for some faithful χ_w , same holds for all other faithful χ_w . So we'll prove

$$(*) \quad \frac{1}{p^{n-2}} \sum_{\substack{\chi_w \text{ faithful} \\ ?}} L(g, \chi_t \chi_w, 1) \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} \text{nonzero value}$$

happens to be the correct normalization.

Hence we consider

$$S_n(\sigma) = \sum_{\chi_w \text{ faithful}} \chi_w(\sigma) \quad \sigma \in \Delta_n$$

Lemma 2.12 $\sum_{\sigma \in \Delta_n} S_n(\sigma) \cdot \sigma = p^{n-1} \cdot \sigma_0 - p^{n-2} \sum_{\sigma \in S_n}$
in $\bar{\mathbb{Q}}[\Delta_n]$.

pf must be an easy exercise.

Using this lemma, (*) becomes

$$\frac{1}{p^{n-1}} \sum_{P \in X_n} \sum_{\tau \in G} \chi_{\tau}(P) \psi(P^{\tau}) \psi(P) = \frac{1}{p^{n-2}} \sum_{P \in X_n} \sum_{\tau \in G} \sum_{\sigma \in S_n} \chi_{\tau}(P) \psi(P^{\sigma \tau}) \psi(P)$$

We rewrite the latter part: recall

$$\sum_{\sigma \in S_n} \psi(P^{\sigma \tau}) = a_P \psi(Q^{\tau}) - \psi(\check{Q}^{\tau})$$

where Q = predecessor of P , $\check{Q}$ = pre- $\sim$ of Q ,

$S_n = \text{Gal}(H_n/H_{n-1})$ — remember Hecke action? ☺

so it becomes

$$\frac{1}{P} \sum_{Q \in X_{n-1}} \sum_{\tau \in G} \chi_{\tau}(P) (a_P \psi(Q^{\tau}) - \psi(\check{Q}^{\tau})) (a_P \psi(Q) - \psi(\check{Q}))$$

Prop 2.14 Let

$$E_D = \prod_{q|D} \left(1 + \chi_q(F_r q) \frac{a_q}{q+1} \right) \quad (\neq 0 \text{ b/c } \chi_q(F_r q) = \pm 1, |a_q| \leq 2\sqrt{q})$$

$$E_P = \left(1 + a_P^2 \frac{P-1}{P} \frac{P+1}{P+1} \right)$$

Weil bound.

and write $|G_n| = c p^{n-1}$. Then

$$(i) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{c p^{n-1}} \sum_{P \in X_n} \sum_{\tau \in G} \chi_{\tau}(P) \psi(P^{\tau}) \psi(P) = E_D |\psi|^2$$

$$(ii) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{c p^{n-2}} \sum_{Q \in X_{n-1}} \sum_{\tau \in G} \chi_{\tau}(P) (a_P \psi(Q^{\tau}) - \psi(\check{Q}^{\tau})) (a_P \psi(Q) - \psi(\check{Q})) = E_P E_D |\psi|^2.$$

(Here $|\cdot|$ is L^2 -norm on $\Gamma^1 \cap$)

We will work out one τ at a time. Then

diagonal
embedding

both can be understood as integrating over the image of $G \xrightarrow{\Delta} \Gamma_1 \times \Gamma_2 \backslash G \times G$.

an "elliptic" orbit via

They've proved in nearly identical manner, so let me focus on (i) and be brief about (ii)

Let $\tilde{G} := \mathrm{PGL}_2 \mathbb{Q}_p$ as in Vatsal,

Γ some discrete cocompact sgp

$\tilde{V}$ an open cpt sgp.

To prove (i), we set $\tilde{V} = \mathrm{P}_1^* / \mathbb{Z}_p^*$, stabilizer of P of cond 1

To prove (ii), $\tilde{V} = \text{stab of a path } P \rightarrow P_2$, P_1 has cond p

Let $\phi: \tilde{G} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ left int under Γ , right int under $\tilde{V}$.

To prove (i), $\phi(P) = \psi(P)$

(ii), $\phi(P) = a_p \psi(P) - \psi(\tilde{P})$

Next write $\Gamma' = \tau_p^{-1} \Gamma \tau_p$ for some $\tau_p \in \tilde{G}$,

$$(\tau_p) \cdot \xi(g_1, g_2) = \phi(g_1) \phi(\tau_p g_2), \quad \xi(g) = \xi(g, g)$$

consider

$$\tilde{G} \xrightarrow{\Delta} \Gamma \times \Gamma' \backslash \tilde{G} \times \tilde{G}$$

$$\bigcup \tilde{X} = \overline{\delta(\tilde{G})} = \text{orbit of } \tilde{H} \subset \tilde{G} \times \tilde{G} \text{ closed sgp}$$

Ratner

$$= \Gamma_{\tilde{H}} \backslash \tilde{H}$$

$\Gamma_{\tilde{H}} := \Gamma \times \Gamma' \cap \tilde{H}$
has 'Haar measure' μ .

Prop 5.2 If $\Gamma \backslash \Gamma'$ not bipartite, then

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{c p^{n-1}} \sum_{P \in X_n} \xi(P) = \int_{\Gamma_{\tilde{H}} \backslash \tilde{H}} \xi(h) d\mu(h)$$

Today's goal is to assume this, and prove 2.14.

Before that, one last piece of number theory comes from some beer

Prop 3.6 Let $\tau \in G_1$, $\tilde{\tau} \in \hat{K}$ com. adele by CFT, $\tau_p = b_p f(\tilde{\tau}_p)$

Then $\tau_p \in \mathbb{Q}_p^* B_p^*$ (i.e. "rational" elt of B_p^*) $\Leftrightarrow \tau \in G_0$.

Here $G_0 = \langle \text{Frob } q : q \text{ ramifies over } K/\mathbb{Q} \rangle$

pt skip, for time reason.

* M, N, D, p are all coprimes to one another.

By this proposition, $\tau \in G_0 \Leftrightarrow \tau_p \in \mathbb{Q}_p^* B^*$

$$\Leftrightarrow \Gamma \nmid \Gamma' = \tau_p^{-1} \Gamma \tau_p \text{ comm.}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \tilde{H} = \text{diagonal } \tilde{\Delta}.$$

If $\tau \in G_1 \setminus G_0$, then $\tilde{H} = \tilde{\Delta} \cdot (\text{PSL}_2 \mathbb{Q}_p \times \text{PSL}_2 \mathbb{Q}_p)$

Sanghoon must've proved this last time. I'll explain again later.

Anyway, start w/ the case $\tau \in G_0$ so that $\Gamma \nmid \Gamma'$ comm. and $\tilde{H} = \tilde{\Delta}$. Write $\Gamma(\tau) = \Gamma \cap \Gamma'$. The strategy is to compute the "degree" of $S_\tau = \Gamma(\tau) \backslash \tilde{H} / \tilde{V}$ over $S_1 = \Gamma \backslash \tilde{H} / \tilde{V}$ (say, as a covering space) to reduce it to the case $\tau = 1$, which we've done already w/ Thm 1.5.

S_τ is just a finite set, so can write

$$\int_{\Gamma \backslash \tilde{H}} \xi(h) d\mu(h) = \frac{1}{|S_\tau|} \sum_{x \in S_\tau} \xi(x) =: A_d \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{where } d = q_1 q_2 \dots q_r \\ \text{where } \tau = F_{v_1} \dots F_{v_r} \end{array}$$

We claim

$$A_d = \frac{a_d}{t_d} A_1, \text{ where } a_d = a_d(\psi), t_d = \deg(T_d)$$

To this end, adelize S_1 back:

$$\Gamma \backslash \tilde{G} / \tilde{V} = B^* \backslash B^* \hat{\mathbb{Q}}^* B_p^* V / V = B^* \backslash J / V$$

where $V = \prod V_\ell \in \hat{\mathbb{R}}^*$ w/ $V_\ell = \text{elts of } \mathbb{R}_\ell^* \equiv 1 \pmod{M} \text{ if } \ell \neq p$
 $V_p = \text{inverse img of } \tilde{V} \text{ via } \mathbb{R}_p^* \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_p^* / \mathbb{Z}_p^*$

Point is to essentially make $B^* \cap V = \Gamma$.

(Helpful exercise: Pick your favorite cong grp Γ of $SL_2 \mathbb{R}$, and find $K = \prod K_p$ s.t. $\Gamma \backslash SL_2 \mathbb{R} = GL_2 \mathbb{Q} \backslash GL_2 \mathbb{A} \mathbb{Q} / \hat{\mathbb{Q}}^* K$.)

rise [strong approx $\Rightarrow J \triangleleft \hat{B}^*$ finite index ~~scribbles~~
 $S_1 = B^* \backslash J / V$ inherits Hecke actions $\{T_n\}_{n \geq 1}$ from $B^* \backslash \hat{B}^* / \hat{\mathbb{R}}^*$.

Next we have to adelize S_τ . We'll take Vatsal's computation for granted.

Start w/ $\tau_p \in G$, $\tau_p = b_p f(\tilde{\tau}_p)$ b was chosen so that $b f(\tilde{\tau})$ at $\ell \neq p$ th place is in $\mathbb{Q}_\ell^* \hat{\mathbb{R}}_\ell^*$

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sic

$$\tau \xrightarrow{\text{artin}} \tilde{\tau} \rightarrow f(\tilde{\tau}) \text{ adjusted by } b \in B^* \text{ so as to do nothing on } \ell \neq p \text{ places.}$$

$$G \rightarrow \text{cl}(R)$$

(for the sake of the normal form stuff)

Similarly as earlier,

$$\Gamma_{\tau} \setminus \hat{G} / V_p = B^* \setminus J / \hat{Q}^* V_{\tau}$$

$$V_{\tau} \text{ def'd by } (V_{\tau})_{\ell} = b_{\ell}^{-1} V_{\ell} b_{\ell} \quad \ell \neq p$$

$$(V_{\tau})_p = V_p$$

Because of how τ was defined ($\tau = \prod_i F_v q_i$)

again, exercise!

$$\begin{cases} (V_{\tau})_{q_i} = f(\tilde{\pi}_i) V_{q_i} f(\tilde{\pi}_i)^{-1} & \pi_i: \text{uniformizer of } q_i \\ \text{and} \\ (V_{\tau})_{\ell} = V_{\ell} & \text{all other } \ell \neq q_i \end{cases}$$

well cuz b_{ℓ} ($\ell \neq p$) is chosen to make $b_{\ell} f(\tilde{\tau}_{\ell})$ a unit in R_{ℓ}^* and at p , τ is trivial so $\tau_p = b_p$.

Again similarly,

$$S_{\tau} = \Gamma \cap \Gamma_{\tau} \setminus \hat{G} / \hat{V} = B^* \setminus J / \hat{Q}^* V(\tau) \quad V(\tau) := V \cap V_{\tau}$$

Consider the projection to

$$S_1 = B^* \setminus J / V$$

Fiber above $x \in S_1$ is $\dots$ one place at a time

$$x, V_{q_i} \left(\prod_j x_j; (V_{q_i} \cap f(\tilde{\pi}_i) V_{q_i} f(\tilde{\pi}_i)^{-1}) \right)$$

$f(\tilde{\pi}_i)$ is simply a matrix of $\det q_i$.

Must compute the cosets $\mathcal{O}_j$... should correspond to

Hecke correspondence T_q^{**} so that the fiber above x equals $T_d(x)$, and so

$$A_d = \sum_{[S_1] \text{ t.d. } x \in S_1} \xi(x) = \sum_{[S_1] \text{ t.d. } x \in S_1} \xi(x) = \frac{a_d}{|S_1| \text{ t.d. } x \in S_1} \sum \xi(x) = \frac{a_d}{t_d} A_1$$

as desired.

Now, the case $\tau \in G_1 \setminus G_0$.

In this case, $\tilde{H} = \tilde{\Delta} \cdot (PSL_2 \mathbb{Q}_p \times PSL_2 \mathbb{Q}_p)$.

Let $\Gamma_{\tilde{H}} = \Gamma \times \Gamma' \cap \tilde{H}$.

Must compute

$$\int_{\Gamma_{\tilde{H}} \backslash \tilde{H}} \xi(g_1, g_2) d\mu, \text{ by prop 5.2.}$$

(Note $\xi(g_1, g_2) = \psi(g_1, \tau g_2)$ is left invt under $(\gamma, 1)$ where $\gamma \in \Gamma$ is any elt that interchanges even/odd vertices of T and right invt under $\tilde{V}_* := \tilde{V} \times \tilde{V}$.)

Claim $\tilde{G}_* = \tilde{H} \tilde{V}_* U(\gamma, 1) \cdot \tilde{H} \tilde{V}_*$.

Assuming the claim, by invariances of ξ suffices to consider

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\Gamma_{\tilde{H}} \backslash \tilde{G}_*} \xi(g_1, g_2) d\mu &= \sum_{x, y} \psi(x) \psi(y) \\ &= 0 \text{ by Lemma 3.11.} \end{aligned}$$

p.f of claim $\tilde{G} = PSL_2 \mathbb{Q}_p \cdot \tilde{V} U \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \\ & \tau \end{pmatrix} PSL_2 \mathbb{Q}_p \cdot \tilde{V}$ (exercise).

$$\text{So } \tilde{G}_* = \tilde{H} \tilde{V}_* U \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \\ & \tau \end{pmatrix} \tilde{H} \tilde{V}_*.$$

modify appropriately.

In summary,

$$\frac{1}{c^{p-1}} \sum_{p \in X_n} \sum_{\tau \in G_1} \chi_{\tau}(\tau) \psi(p) \psi(p^{\tau})$$

$$\rightarrow \sum_{\tau \in G_0} \chi_{\tau}(\tau) \frac{ad}{td} A_1 = \prod_{q|d} \left(1 + \chi_{\tau}(Fr_q) \frac{a_q}{t_q} \right) A_1,$$

by multiplicativity of the coefficient, as desired.