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$$l_G(\beta) = \{ \{ \ast, \beta \} \}_G \in H_1^{\text{orb}}(X_G, \mathbb{R})$$

$g = \text{genus of } X_G(\mathbb{C})$

$\hat{f}_1, \dots, \hat{f}_g$  complex basis of (cohomology  $H^1$ )

~~needed~~  $C_2(G) = \text{cusp forms of weight 2}$

(1-forms  $\uparrow$ , holom, vanishing at cusps)

$$\langle \gamma, f \rangle = \int_{\gamma} f(z) dz \quad \text{pairing } H_1(X_G, \mathbb{R}) \times C_2(G) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$\gamma \in H_1(X_G, \mathbb{R})$

$$F_{\alpha} := \{ \beta \in \mathbb{R} : (\langle l_G(\beta), \hat{f}_1 \rangle, \dots, \langle l_G(\beta), \hat{f}_g \rangle) = \alpha \in \mathbb{R}^{2g} \}$$

$$f_{2k-1} = \text{Re}(\hat{f}_k) \quad f_{2k} = \text{Im}(\hat{f}_k)$$

level sets of the limiting mod. symbol

For arbitrary finite index subgroups  $G \subset \Gamma = \text{PSL}_2(\mathbb{Z})$  with  $g \geq 1$   
~~an~~  $\exists$  convex differentiable function

$$h_G: \mathbb{R}^{2g} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad \text{st. for all } \alpha \in \nabla h_G(\mathbb{R}^{2g}) \subset \mathbb{R}^{2g}$$

$$\dim_H(F_{\alpha}) = \hat{h}_G(\alpha) \quad \text{where}$$

$$\hat{h}_G(\alpha) := \inf_{t \in \mathbb{R}^{2g}} (h_G(t) - \langle \alpha | t \rangle) \quad \text{Legendre transform}$$

and  $h_G(0) = 1$  unique minimum for  $h_G$  and

$$l_G(F_{\alpha}) = \{ p_{\alpha} \} \quad p_{\alpha} \in H_1(X_G, \mathbb{R}) \quad \text{determined uniquely by}$$

$$(\langle p_{\alpha}, \hat{f}_1 \rangle, \dots, \langle p_{\alpha}, \hat{f}_g \rangle) = \alpha$$

Also  $\overline{\bigcup_{\mathbb{Q}} (\mathbb{R}^{2\mathbb{Q}})} = \{ \alpha \in \mathbb{R}^{2\mathbb{Q}} : \mathbb{F}_{\alpha} \neq \emptyset \}$

i.e. get all values in this way

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Pushing modular forms on the invisible boundary:

$f$  a complex valued function defined on pairs of coprime integers  $(q, q')$  with  $q \geq q' \geq 1$

with a decay condition  $f(q, q') = O(q^{-\varepsilon})$  some  $\varepsilon > 0$

For  $\alpha \in (0, 1]$  set

$$l(f, \alpha) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f(q_n(\alpha), q_{n-1}(\alpha))$$

$q_n(\alpha) =$  successive denominators of cont. fr. expansion of  $\alpha$

A general analysis result (Lévy's lemma 1929)

$$\left| \int_0^1 l(f, \alpha) d\alpha = \sum' \frac{f(q, q')}{q(q+q')} \right|$$

where here  $\sum'$  means on the domain  $q \geq q' \geq 1$   $(q, q') = 1$   $q, q' \in \mathbb{N}$

One can see why Lévy's lemma is true by noticing that, for all  $q, q'$  with  $q \geq q' \geq 1$  and  $(q, q') = 1$   $\exists ! n \geq 0$  s.t. one can find an  $\alpha \in (0, 1]$  with

$q_n(\alpha) = q$   $q_{n-1}(\alpha) = q'$  and these  $\alpha$ 's form an interval of length

$$\frac{1}{q(q+q')}$$

~~the interval is~~

$$\frac{p_{n-1}(\alpha)z + p_n(\alpha)}{q_{n-1}(\alpha)z + q_n(\alpha)}$$

$$p_{n-1}(\alpha)q_n(\alpha) - p_n(\alpha)q_{n-1}(\alpha) = (-1)^{n-1}$$

$$z \in (0, 1]$$

Note: Can extend summation by removing  $(q, q') = 1$  condition by extending  $f$

choose  $K: \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$  arbitr. function &  $t$  number

$$F(q, q') := K(d) d^{-t} f(q, q') \quad \text{with } d = \gcd(q, q')$$

$$\text{then } \sum' \frac{f(q, q')}{q(q+q')} = \zeta(K, t)^{-1} \sum_{q \geq q' \geq 1} \frac{F(q, q')}{q(q+q')}$$

$$\zeta(K, t) = \sum_{d \geq 1} K(d) d^{-t}$$

An identity about modular symbols proved by Manin  $\sim 72$

$$\sum_{d|m} \sum_{b=1}^d \int_{\{0, \frac{b}{d}\}} \omega = (\sigma(m) - c_m) \int_0^{i\infty} \frac{\pi^* \omega}{z^2}$$

where  $G = \Gamma_0(N)$ ,  $(m, N) = 1$ ,  $\pi^*(\omega) =$  cusp form for  $\Gamma_0(N)$

eigenfunction of Hecke operators  $T_m$

$$T_m \pi^*(\omega) = c_m \pi^*(\omega)$$

↑  
eigenvalue

$$\sigma(m) = \sum_{d|m} d$$

Multiply by  $m^{-2-t}$ ; sum over  $m$  prime to  $N$ :

$$\sum_{m: (m,N)=1} \frac{1}{m^{2+t}} \sum_{d|m} \sum_{b=1}^d \int_{\{0, \frac{b}{d}\}_G} \omega =$$

$$= \left[ \sum_{m: (m,N)=1} \frac{\sigma(m)}{m^{2+t}} - L_{\omega}^{(N)}(2+t) \right] \int_0^{+\infty} \pi^*(\omega)$$

L-function of the Hecke eigenform  $\omega$  with omitted Euler  $N$ -factor

if  $N$  not prime: omitted all  $m$  not with  $(m,N)=1$  in sum

Note then: any

$\{0, \frac{q'}{q}\}_G$  symbol, where  $(q, q')=1$ ,

occurs as  $\{0, \frac{b}{d}\}_G$  for some  $d|m$  and some  $b$

iff  $q|m$  and in this case it occurs  $\tau(m/q)$  times

where  $\tau(n) = \sum_{d|n} 1 = \#\{d: d|n\}$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{m: (m,N)=1} \sum_{q|m} \frac{\tau(\frac{m}{q})}{m^{2+t}} \sum_{\substack{q' \leq q \\ (q, q')=1}} \{0, \frac{q'}{q}\}_G$$

$$= \sum_{n: (n,N)=1} \frac{\tau(n)}{n^{2+t}} \sum_{q: (q,N)=1} \frac{\sum_{q' \leq q, (q, q')=1} \{0, \frac{q'}{q}\}_G}{q^{2+t}} =$$

$$= \zeta^{(N)}(2+t)^2 \left[ \sum_{q:(q,N)=1} \frac{1}{q^{2+t}} \sum_{\substack{q' \leq q \\ (q,q')=1}} \int_{\mathcal{G}} \left\{ 0, \frac{q'}{q} \right\} \right]$$

Note also that

$$\zeta^{(N)}(1+t) \zeta^{(N)}(2+t) = \sum_{m:(m,N)=1} \frac{\sigma(m)}{m^{2+t}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{q:(q,N)=1} \frac{1}{q^{2+t}} \sum_{\substack{q' \leq q \\ (q,q')=1}} \int_{\mathcal{G}} \omega =$$

$$\left( \frac{\zeta^{(N)}(1+t)}{\zeta^{(N)}(2+t)} - \frac{L_{\omega}^{(N)}(2+t)}{\zeta^{(N)}(2+t)^2} \right) \int_0^{\infty} \pi^*(\omega)$$

Taking  $f(q,q') = \frac{q+q'}{q^{1+t}} \int_{\mathcal{G}} \left\{ 0, \frac{q'}{q} \right\}$

for  $N$  prime:  $\left\{ 0, \frac{q'}{q} \right\} = \left\{ 0, i\omega \right\}$  for  $\frac{1}{q}$  get

write  $\int_0^1 l(f, \alpha) d\alpha = \sum' \frac{f(q,q')}{q(q+q')}$

for all  $(q,q')=1$

for this  $f(q,q')$

gives

$$\int_0^1 dx \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{q_{n+1}(\alpha) + q_n(\alpha)}{q_{n+1}(\alpha)^{1+t}} \int_{\{0, \frac{q_n(\alpha)}{q_{n+1}(\alpha)}\}_G} \omega$$

$$= \left[ \frac{\zeta^{(N)}(1+t)}{\zeta^{(N)}(2+t)} - \frac{L_{\omega}^{(N)}(2+t)}{\zeta^{(N)}(2+t)^2} \right] \int_0^{i\infty} \pi^*(\omega)$$

$\phi =$  Euler function

$$+ \sum_{d=1}^{\infty} \frac{\phi(Nd)}{(Nd)^{2+t}} \int_0^{i\infty} \pi^*(\omega)$$

$$\parallel$$

$$\left[ \frac{\zeta(1+t)}{\zeta(2+t)} - \frac{\zeta^{(N)}(1+t)}{\zeta^{(N)}(2+t)} \right] \int_0^{i\infty} \pi^*(\omega)$$

$$= \left[ \frac{\zeta(1+t)}{\zeta(2+t)} - \frac{L_{\omega}^{(N)}(2+t)}{\zeta^{(N)}(2+t)^2} \right] \int_0^{i\infty} \pi^*(\omega)$$

Riemann zeta funct  
& L-function of  $\omega$

period of Hecke eigenforms  
~~(Möbius transform)~~

A combination of information on the boundary  $P^1(\mathbb{R})$

"holography" type phenomenon

Another relation between  $L_\beta$  ~~Ruelle transfer op.~~  $\times$  on  $[0,1] \times \mathbb{P}$  and geometry of mod. curve  $X_G$ : (7)

Selberg zeta function:

$g \in GL_2(\mathbb{Z})$  set

$$D(g) = \text{Tr}(g)^2 - 4 \det(g)$$

$$N(g) = \left( \frac{\text{Tr}(g) + D(g)^{1/2}}{2} \right)^2$$

- $g$  hyperbolic if  $\text{Tr}(g)$  &  $D(g)$  are both positive
- $g$  primitive if not a power  $g = h^n$  of some  $h \in GL_2(\mathbb{Z})$

$$\chi_s(g) = \frac{N(g)^{-s}}{1 - \det(g) N(g)^{-1}} \quad \text{for } g \text{ hyperbolic}$$

$\mathbb{P} = GL_2(\mathbb{Z}) / G$  coset space

$\rho_{\mathbb{P}} : GL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}[\mathbb{P}]$  representation  
(from action on  $\mathbb{P}$ )

$$Z_G(s) := \prod_{g \in \text{Prim}} \prod_{m=0}^{\infty} \det \left( 1 - \det(g)^m N(g)^{-s-m} \rho_{\mathbb{P}}(g) \right)$$

Selberg zeta function

$GL_2(\mathbb{Z})$ -conjugacy classes of primitive hyperbolic elements of  $GL_2(\mathbb{Z})$

then:

$$\zeta_G(s) = \det(1 - L_s)$$

↑ as a compact trace class op on  $B_G$

to see this:

$$\begin{aligned}
 -\log \det(1 - L_s) &= \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \frac{\text{Tr}(L_s^l)}{l} \\
 &= \text{Tr} \left( \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{l} \left( \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \pi_{s,n} \right)^l \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

where

$\pi_{s,n}$  = n-th summand of  $L_s$

$$\pi_{s,n}(f)(x,t) = \frac{1}{(x+n)^{2s}} f\left(\frac{1}{x+n}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & n \end{pmatrix} t\right)$$

set  $\pi_s(g) = \prod_i \pi_{s,k_i}$  where  $g = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & k_1 \end{pmatrix} \dots \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & k_{l(g)} \end{pmatrix}$   
 for  $g \in \text{Red}$

Hyp = conj. classes of all hyperbolic matrices  
 $k(g)$  max integer s.t.  $g = h^{k(g)}$  for some  $h$

$$\tau_g = \text{Tr}(\rho_{\mathbb{P}}(g)) = \# \{ t \in \mathbb{P} : g(t) = t \}$$

then

$$\sum_{g \in \text{Hyp}} \frac{1}{k(g)} \pi_s(g) \tau_g = \sum_{g \in \text{Prim}} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k} \frac{N(g)^{-ks} \tau_g^k}{1 - \det(g)^k N(g)^{-k}}$$



But also have

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$$\begin{aligned} -\log Z_G(s) &= \sum_{g \in P_{\text{prim}}} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \text{Tr} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k} \det(g)^{mk} N(g)^{-(s+m)k} \rho(g^k) \\ &= \sum_{g \in P_{\text{prim}}} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k} \frac{N(g)^{-ks} \zeta_g^k}{1 - \det(g)^k N(g)^{-k}} \end{aligned}$$

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