A QUADRATIC DOUBLE DIRICHLET SERIES II: THE NUMBER FIELD CASE

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ABSTRACT. We construct a quadratic double Dirichlet series Z(s, w) built from single variable quadratic Dirichlet L-functions $L(s, \chi)$ over \mathbb{Q} . We prove that Z(s, w) admits meromorphic continuation to the (s, w)-plane and satisfies a group of functional equations.

1. Preliminaries

We present an overview of quadratic Dirichlet L-functions over \mathbb{Q} . We begin with the Riemann zeta-function. The zeta function $\zeta(s)$ is defined as the Dirichlet series or Euler product

$$\zeta(s) = \sum_{m>1} \frac{1}{m^s} = \prod_{p \text{ prime}} \left(1 - \frac{1}{p^s}\right)^{-1},$$

for Re(s) > 1. The second equality is an analytic reformulation of the fundamental theorem of arithmetic. The Riemann zeta function also admits meromorphic continuation to \mathbb{C} with a simple pole at s = 1 of residue 1. The functional equation is

$$\pi^{-\frac{s}{2}}\Gamma\left(\frac{s}{2}\right)\zeta(s) = \pi^{-\frac{1-s}{2}}\Gamma\left(\frac{1-s}{2}\right)\zeta(1-s).$$

Now we recall characters on \mathbb{Z} . They are multiplicative functions $\chi : \mathbb{Z} \to \mathbb{C}$. They form a group under multiplication. The two flavors we will care about are:

- Dirichlet characters: multiplicative functions $\chi_d : \mathbb{Z} \to \mathbb{C}$ modulo $d \geq 1$ (in that they are d-periodic) and such that $\chi_d(m) = 0$ if (m, d) > 1.
- Hilbert characters: The group of characters generated by those that appear in the sign change of reciprocity statements.

The image of a Dirichlet character always lands in the roots of unity. If χ is a Dirichlet character then its conjugate $\overline{\chi}$ is also a Dirichlet character. Moreover, $\overline{\chi}$ is the multiplicative inverse to χ and the Dirichlet characters modulo m form a group under multiplication. This group is always finite and its order is $\phi(d) = |(\mathbb{Z}/d\mathbb{Z})^*|$. Dirichlet characters also satisfy orthogonality relations:

Theorem 1.1 (Orthogonality relations).

(i) For any two Dirichlet characters χ and ψ modulo d,

$$\frac{1}{\phi(d)} \sum_{\substack{a \pmod{d}}} \chi(a) \overline{\psi}(a) = \delta_{\chi,\psi}.$$

(ii) For any $a, b \in (\mathbb{Z}/d\mathbb{Z})^*$,

$$\frac{1}{\phi(d)} \sum_{\chi \pmod{d}} \chi(a) \overline{\chi}(b) = \delta_{a,b}.$$

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The Dirichlet characters that are of interest to us are those given by the quadratic residue symbol on \mathbb{Z} . First let us recall this symbol. For any odd prime p and any $m \geq 1$, we define the quadratic residue symbol $\left(\frac{m}{p}\right)$ by

$$\left(\frac{m}{p}\right) \equiv m^{\frac{p-1}{2}} \pmod{p} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x^2 \equiv m \pmod{p} \text{ is solvable,} \\ -1 & \text{if } x^2 \equiv m \pmod{p} \text{ is not solvable,} \\ 0 & \text{if } m \equiv 0 \pmod{p}. \end{cases}$$

This symbol only depends upon m modulo p and is multiplicative in m. We can extend the quadratic residue symbol multiplicatively in the denominator. If $d = p_1^{e_1} p_2^{e_2} \cdots p_k^{e_k}$ is the prime factorization of d, then we define

$$\left(\frac{m}{d}\right) = \prod_{1 \le i \le k} \left(\frac{m}{p_i}\right)^{e_i}.$$

So the quadratic residue symbol now makes sense for any odd $d \ge 1$. We can extend this symbol further and allow $d \ge 1$ to be even. To this end, we define

$$\left(\frac{m}{2}\right) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } m \equiv 1,7 \pmod{8}, \\ -1 & \text{if } m \equiv 3,5 \pmod{8}, \\ 0 & \text{if } m \equiv 0 \pmod{2}, \end{cases}$$

and extend $\left(\frac{m}{d}\right)$ multiplatively in d when d is even. Now the quadratic residue symbol makes sense for any $m, d \geq 1$. Moreover, it is multiplicative in both m and d but no longer depends upon only m modulo d (it also depends upon m modulo 8). In particular,

and if $d \not\equiv 0 \pmod{2}$, we can compactly write

$$\left(\frac{-1}{d}\right) = (-1)^{\frac{d-1}{2}} = \begin{cases} 1 & d \equiv 1 \pmod{4}, \\ -1 & d \equiv 3 \pmod{4}, \end{cases} \text{ and } \left(\frac{2}{d}\right) = (-1)^{\frac{d^2-1}{8}} = \begin{cases} 1 & d \equiv 1, 7 \pmod{8}, \\ -1 & d \equiv 3, 5 \pmod{8}. \end{cases}$$

The quadratic residue symbol also admits the following reciprocity law:

Theorem 1.2 (Quadratic reciprocity). If d, m > 1, then

$$\left(\frac{d}{m}\right) = (-1)^{\frac{d^{(2)}-1}{2} \frac{m^{(2)}-1}{2}} \left(\frac{m}{d}\right),\,$$

where $d^{(2)}$ and $m^{(2)}$ are the parts of d and m relatively prime to 2 respectively.

We can now define the quadratic Dirichlet characters. For any odd square-free $d \in \mathbb{Z}$, define the quadratic Dirichlet character χ_d by the following quadratic residue symbol:

$$\chi_d(m) = \begin{cases} \left(\frac{d}{m}\right) & \text{if } d \equiv 1 \pmod{4}, \\ \left(\frac{4d}{m}\right) & \text{if } d \equiv 2, 3 \pmod{4}. \end{cases}$$

This quadratic Dirichlet character is attached to the quadratic extension $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{d})$. We extend χ_d multiplicatively in the denominator so that χ_d makes sense for any odd d. In particular, $\chi_d(m) = \pm 1$ provided d and m are relatively prime and $\chi_d(m) = 0$ if (m, d) > 1. Quadratic reciprocity implies that χ_d is a Dirichlet character modulo d if $d \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$ and is a Dirichlet character modulo 4d if $d \equiv 2, 3 \pmod{4}$. Indeed, if $d \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$ then $d^{(2)} = d$ and the sign is always 1. If $d \equiv 3 \pmod{4}$, then $d^{(2)} = d$ and the sign is

 $\left(\frac{-1}{m}\right)$ which is a character modulo 4. If $d \equiv 2 \pmod{4}$, then $d^{(2)} \equiv 1, 3 \pmod{4}$ and we are reduced to one of the previous two cases. We will also require an associated character. For each χ_d , we define $\widetilde{\chi}_d$ by

$$\widetilde{\chi}_d(m) = (-1)^{\frac{d^{(2)}-1}{2} \frac{m^{(2)}-1}{2}} \chi_d(m).$$

Equivalently, $\widetilde{\chi}_d(m)$ can be expressed as

$$\widetilde{\chi}_d(m) = \begin{cases} \chi_d(m) & \text{if } d \equiv 1, 2 \pmod{4}, \\ \chi_{-1}(m)\chi_d(m) & \text{if } d \equiv 3 \pmod{4}, \end{cases}$$

and it follows that $\tilde{\chi}_d(m)$ is a quadratic Dirichlet character of the same modulus as χ_d . We now discuss the Hilbert characters. We will only need four of them: the quadratic Dirichlet characters modulo 8. They are given as follows:

$$\chi_{1}(m) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } m \not\equiv 0 \pmod{2}, \\ 0 & \text{if } m \equiv 0 \pmod{2}, \end{cases} \quad \chi_{-1}(m) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } m \equiv 1 \pmod{4}, \\ -1 & \text{if } m \equiv 3 \pmod{4}, \\ 0 & \text{if } m \equiv 0 \pmod{2}, \end{cases}$$

$$\chi_{2}(m) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } m \equiv 1, 7 \pmod{8}, \\ -1 & \text{if } m \equiv 1, 7 \pmod{8}, \\ 0 & \text{if } m \equiv 3, 5 \pmod{8}, \end{cases} \quad \chi_{-2}(m) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } m \equiv 1, 3 \pmod{4}, \\ -1 & \text{if } m \equiv 1, 3 \pmod{8}, \\ 0 & \text{if } m \equiv 5, 7 \pmod{8}, \\ 0 & \text{if } m \equiv 0 \pmod{2}. \end{cases}$$

In general, we will denote a Hilbert character by χ_a with $a \in \{\pm 1, \pm 2\}$. Note that

$$\chi_{-1}(m) = \left(\frac{-1}{m}\right)$$
 and $\chi_2(m) = \left(\frac{m}{2}\right)$.

Moreover, we have the relations

$$\chi_{-2}(m) = \chi_{-1}(m)\chi_2(m), \quad \chi_1(m) = \chi_{-1}(m)\chi_{-1}(m), \quad \text{and} \quad \chi_{-1}(m) = \chi_2(m)\chi_{-2}(m).$$

Suppose d is square-free. If $d \equiv 1, 2, 5 \pmod 8$, then $d^{(2)} \equiv 1 \pmod 4$ so that the sign in the statement of quadratic recipricty is 1. If $d \equiv 3, 6, 7 \pmod 8$, then $d^{(2)} \equiv 3 \pmod 4$ and the sign is $(-1)^{\frac{m^{(2)}-1}{2}}$. This fact together with the relations for the quadratic characters modulo 8 imply

$$\chi_d(m) = \begin{cases}
\chi_m(d) & \text{if } d \equiv 1 \pmod{4}, \\
\chi_{-1}(m)\chi_m(d) & \text{if } d \equiv 3 \pmod{4}, \\
\chi_2(m)\chi_m\left(\frac{d}{2}\right) & \text{if } d \equiv 2 \pmod{8}, \\
\chi_{-2}(m)\chi_m\left(\frac{d}{2}\right) & \text{if } d \equiv 6 \pmod{8}.
\end{cases}$$

With the Dirichlet and Hilbert characters introduced, we are ready to discuss the L-functions associated to quadratic Dirichlet characters. We define the L-function $L(s, \chi_d)$ attached to χ_d for square-free d, by a Dirichlet series or Euler product:

$$L(s, \chi_d) = \sum_{m>1} \frac{\chi_d(m)}{|m|^s} = \prod_{p \text{ prime}} \left(1 - \frac{\chi_d(P)}{|P|^s}\right)^{-1}.$$

By definition of the quadratic Dirichlet character, $L(s, \chi_d) \ll \zeta(s)$ for Re(s) > 1 so that $L(s, \chi_d)$ is locally absolutely uniformly convergent in this region. $L(s, \chi_d)$ also admits meromorphic continuation to \mathbb{C} with a simple pole at s=1 if d is a perfect square. For square-free d, the completed L-function $L^*(s, \chi_d)$ is defined as

$$L^*(s,\chi_d) = \begin{cases} \pi^{-\frac{s}{2}}\Gamma\left(\frac{s}{2}\right)L(s,\chi_d) & \text{if } \chi_d \text{ is even,} \\ \pi^{-\frac{s}{2}}\Gamma\left(\frac{s+1}{2}\right)L(s,\chi_d) & \text{if } \chi_d \text{ is odd,} \end{cases}$$

and satisfies the functional equation

$$L^*(s,\chi_d) = \begin{cases} \varepsilon_{\chi} q^{\frac{1}{2}-s} L^*(1-s,\chi_d) & \text{if } \chi_d \text{ is even,} \\ -\varepsilon_{\chi} q^{\frac{1}{2}-s} L^*(1-s,\chi_d) & \text{if } \chi_d \text{ is odd.} \end{cases}$$

Note that the gamma factors depend upon the partiy of χ_d . This the root cause of an important technical issue later when deriving functional equations for the quadratic double Dirichlet series.

Remark 1.1. The definitions for $L(s, \chi_d)$ and $L^*(s, \chi_d)$ work perfectly well even when d is not square-free (however the functional equations do not hold). We purposely do not define these L-functions, yet, for d not necessarily square-free.

THE QUADRATIC DOUBLE DIRICHLET SERIES

We will now define the quadratic double Dirichlet series Z(s, w). For any integer $d \ge 1$, write $d = d_0 d_1^2$ where d_0 is square-free. Equivalently, d_0 is the square-free part of d and $\frac{d}{d_0}$ is a perfect square. The quadratic double Dirichlet series Z(s, w) is defined as

$$Z(s,w) = \sum_{d \text{ odd}} \frac{L^{(2)}(s,\chi_{d_0})Q_{d_0d_1^2}(s)}{d^w},$$

where the superscript (2) indicates that the local factor at 2 has been removed, $Q_{d_0d_1^2}(s)$ is the **correction** polynomial defined by

$$Q_{d_0d_1^2}(s) = \sum_{e_1e_2|d_1} \mu(e_1)\chi_{d_0}(e_1)e_1^{-s}e_2^{1-s} = \sum_{e_1e_2e_3=d_1} \mu(e_1)\chi_{d_0}(e_1)e_1^{-s}e_2^{1-s},$$

and μ is the usual Möbius function. For Re(s) > 1, there is the trivial estimate

$$Q_{d_0 d_1^2}(s) \ll \sum_{e_1 e_2 | d_1} 1 \ll \sigma_0 (d_1)^2 \ll_{\varepsilon} |d_1^2|^{\varepsilon} \ll_{\varepsilon} |d|^{\varepsilon},$$

for any $\varepsilon > 0$. As $L(s, \chi_{d_0}) \ll 1$ for Re(s) > 1, Z(s, w) is locally absolutely uniformly convergent in the region $\Lambda = \{(s, w) \in \mathbb{C}^2 : \text{Re}(s) > 1, \text{Re}(w) > 1\}$. It will also be necessary to consider quadratic double Dirichlet series twisted by a pair of Hilbert characters χ_{a_1} and χ_{a_2} . The **quadratic double Dirichlet** series $Z_{a_1,a_2}(s,w)$ twisted by χ_{a_1} and χ_{a_2} is defined as

$$Z_{a_1,a_2}(s,w) = \sum_{d \text{ odd}} \frac{L^{(2)}(s,\chi_{a_1d_0})\chi_{a_2}(d)Q_{d_0d_1^2}(s,\chi_{a_1})}{|d|^w},$$

where $Q_{d_0d_1^2}(s,\chi_{a_1})$ is the **correction polynomial** twisted by χ_{a_1} defined by

$$Q_{d_0d_1^2}(s,\chi_{a_1}) = \sum_{e_1e_2|d_1} \mu(e_1)\chi_{a_1d_0}(e_1)|e_1|^{-s}|e_2|^{1-2s} = \sum_{e_1e_2e_3=d_1} \mu(e_1)\chi_{a_1d_0}(e_1)|e_1|^{-s}|e_2|^{1-2s},$$

and μ is the usual Möbius function. By definition of the Hilbert characters, we have the analogous bound $Q_{d_0d_1^2}(s,\chi_{a_1}) \ll |d|_{\varepsilon}$ so that $Z_{a_1,a_2}(s,w)$ converges locally absolutely uniformly in the same region as Z(s,w) does. In particular, $Z(s,w) = Z_{1,1}(s,w)$.

THE INTERCHANGE

As defined, $Z_{a_1,a_2}(s,w)$ is a sum of *L*-functions, and hence Euler products, in *s*. We will prove an interchange formula for $Z_{a_1,a_2}(s,w)$ which will show that it can be expressed as a sum of *L*-functions in *w*. That is, we want the variables *s* and *w* to change places. Precisely:

Theorem 1.3 (Interchange). Wherever $Z_{a_1,a_2}(s,w)$ converges locally absolutely uniformly,

$$Z_{a_1,a_2}(s,w) = \sum_{d,odd} \frac{L^{(2)}(s,\chi_{a_1d_0})\chi_{a_2}(d)Q_{d_0d_1^2}(s,\chi_{a_1})}{|d|^w} = \sum_{m,odd} \frac{L^{(2)}(w,\widetilde{\chi}_{a_2m_0})\chi_{a_1}(m)Q_{m_0m_1^2}(w,\chi_{a_2})}{|m|^s}.$$

Proof. Only the second equality needs to be proved. To do this, first expand the L-function $L^{(2)}(s, \chi_{a_1 d_0})$ and polynomial $Q_{d_0 d_1^2}(s, \chi_{a_1})$ to get

$$Z(s,w) = \sum_{d \text{ odd}} \frac{L(s,\chi_{a_1d_0})\chi_{a_2}(d)Q_{d_0d_1^2}(s,\chi_{a_1})}{|d|^w}$$

$$= \sum_{d \text{ odd}} \left(\sum_{m \text{ odd}} \chi_{a_1d_0}(m)|m|^{-s}\right) \left(\sum_{e_1e_2|d_1} \mu(e_1)\chi_{a_1d_0}(e_1)|e_1|^{-s}|e_2|^{1-2s}\right) \chi_{a_2}(d)|d|^{-w}$$

$$= \sum_{m,d \text{ odd}} \sum_{e_1e_2|d_1} \mu(e_1)\chi_{a_2}(d)\chi_{a_1d_0}(me_1)|e_1|^{-s}|e_2|^{1-2s}|m|^{-s}|d|^{-w}.$$

Now $\chi_{a_1d_0}(me_1)=0$ unless $(d_0,me_1)=1$. We make this restriction on the sum giving

$$\sum_{m,d \text{ odd}} \sum_{\substack{e_1e_2|d_1\\(d_0,me_1)=1}} \mu(e_1)\chi_{a_2}(d)\chi_{a_1d_0}(me_1)|e_1|^{-s}|e_2|^{1-2s}|m|^{-s}|d|^{-w}.$$

Making the change of variables $me_1 \to m$ yields

$$\sum_{\substack{d \text{ odd } m \text{ odd } \\ e_1 \mid m \text{ } (d_0, m) = 1}} \sum_{\substack{e_1 e_2 \mid d_1 \\ (d_0, m) = 1}} \mu(e_1) \chi_{a_2}(d) \chi_{a_1 d_0}(m) |e_2|^{1-2s} |m|^{-s} |d|^{-w}.$$

For fixed $d = d_0 d_1^2$ and e_2 , the subsum over m and e_1 is

$$\sum_{\substack{m \text{ odd} \\ e_1 \mid m}} \sum_{\substack{e_1 \mid \frac{d_1}{e_2} \\ (d_0, m) = 1}} \mu(e_1) \chi_{a_1 d_0}(m) |m|^{-s} = \sum_{\substack{m \text{ odd} \\ (d_0, m) = 1}} \chi_{a_1 d_0}(m) |m|^{-s} \left(\sum_{e_1 \mid \left(\frac{d_1}{e_2}, m\right)} \mu(e_1) \right).$$

The inner sum over e_1 of the Möbius function vanishes unless $\left(\frac{d_1}{e_2}, m\right) = 1$ in which case it is 1. Therefore the triple sum above becomes

$$\sum_{m, d \text{ odd}} \sum_{\substack{e_2 \mid d_1 \\ \left(\frac{d_0 d_1}{e_2}, m\right) = 1}} \chi_{a_2}(d) \chi_{a_1 d_0}(m) |e_2|^{1-2s} |m|^{-s} |d|^{-w}.$$

Making the change of variables $d \to de_2^2$, the condition $\left(\frac{d_0d_1}{e_2}, m\right) = 1$ becomes $(d_0d_1, m) = 1$ which is equivalent to (d, m) = 1. Moreover, $\chi_{a_2}(de_2^2) = \chi_{a_2}(d)$. Altogether, we obtain

$$\sum_{\substack{m, d \text{ odd} \\ (d,m)=1}} \sum_{e_2} \chi_{a_2}(d) \chi_{a_1 d_0}(m) |e_2|^{1-2s-2w} |m|^{-s} |d|^{-w}.$$

Writing $m = m_0 m_1^2$ analogously as for d, quadratic reciprocity implies $\chi_{d_0}(m) = \widetilde{\chi}_m(d_0) = \widetilde{\chi}_{m_0}(d)$ where the last equality holds because (d, m) = 1 and both d_0 and m_0 differ from d and m respectively by perfect squares. This implies $\chi_{a_2}(d)\chi_{a_1d_0}(m) = \chi_{a_1}(m)\widetilde{\chi}_{a_2m_0}(d)$ and so our expression becomes

$$\sum_{\substack{m, d \text{ monic} \\ (d,m)=1}} \sum_{e_2} \chi_{a_1}(m) \widetilde{\chi}_{a_2 m_0}(d) |e_2|^{1-2s-2w} |m|^{-s} |d|^{-w}.$$

But now we can reverse the argument with the roles of d, m, χ_{a_1} , and $\tilde{\chi}_{a_2}$ interchanged respectively to obtain

$$Z(s,w) = \sum_{m \text{ monic}} \frac{L(w, \widetilde{\chi}_{a_2 m_0}) \chi_{a_1}(m) Q_{m_0 m_1^2}(w, \chi_{a_2})}{|m|^s}.$$

Note that the interchange is not completely symmetric because of the character $\widetilde{\chi}_{a_2m_0}$ in the second expression for $Z_{a_1,a_2}(s,w)$. This is due to the fact that recipricty is not perfect. In even more general settings the correction polynomials in w need not be equal to those in s.

WEIGHTING TERMS

We will now study the coefficients of $Z_{a_1,a_2}(s,w)$ expanded in s and w. By expanding $L(s,\chi_{a_1d_0})Q_{d_0d_1^2}(s,\chi_{a_1})$ in the numerator of $Z_{a_1,a_2}(s,w)$, we can write

$$Z_{a_1,a_2}(s,w) = \sum_{d \text{ monic}} \frac{L(s,\chi_{a_1d_0})\chi_{a_2}(d)Q_{d_0d_1^2}(s,\chi_{a_1})}{|d|^w} = \sum_{m,d \text{ monic}} \frac{\chi_{a_1d_0}(\widehat{m})\chi_{a_2}(d)a(m,d)}{|m|^s|d|^w},$$

where \widehat{m} is the part of m relatively prime to d_0 and the weighting coefficient a(m,d) is given by

$$a(m,d) = \sum_{\substack{e_1e_2^2e_3 = m \\ e_1e_2|d_1 \\ (d_0,e_1e_3) = 1}} \mu(e_1)|e_2|.$$

To see this, the coefficient of $|m|^{-s}|d|^{-w}$ in the definition of $Z_{a_1,a_2}(s,w)$ is

$$\chi_{a_{2}}(d) \sum_{\substack{e_{1}e_{2}^{2}e_{3}=m\\e_{1}e_{2}|d_{1}}} \mu(e_{1})\chi_{a_{1}d_{0}}(e_{1}e_{3})|e_{2}| = \chi_{a_{2}}(d) \sum_{\substack{e_{1}e_{2}^{2}e_{3}=m\\e_{1}e_{2}|d_{1}\\(d_{0},e_{1}e_{3})=1}} \mu(e_{1})\chi_{a_{1}d_{0}}(e_{1}e_{3})|e_{2}|$$

$$= \chi_{a_{1}d_{0}}(\widehat{m})\chi_{a_{2}}(d) \sum_{\substack{e_{1}e_{2}^{2}e_{3}=m\\e_{1}e_{2}|d_{1}\\(d_{0},e_{1}e_{3})=1\\(d_{0},e_{1}e_{3})=1}} \mu(e_{1})|e_{2}|$$

$$= \chi_{a_{1}d_{0}}(\widehat{m})\chi_{a_{2}}(d) a(m,d),$$

where the first equality holds because $\chi_{d_0}(e_1e_3) = 0$ unless $(d_0, e_1e_3) = 1$ and the second equality holds because if $(d_0, e_1e_3) = 1$, \widehat{m} differs from e_1e_3 by a perfect square (the divisors of which belong to (d_0, e_2)) and so $\chi_{d_0}(e_1e_3) = \chi_{d_0}(\widehat{m})$.

Remark 1.2. Also, a(m,d) = 0 unless $m = e_1 e_2^2 e_3$ with $(d_0, e_1 e_3) = 1$ and $e_1 e_2^2 \mid d_1$.

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We will define $L(s, \chi_{a_1d})$ to be the Dirichlet series given by

$$L(s, \chi_{a_1 d}) = L(s, \chi_{a_1 d_0}) Q_{d_0 d_1^2}(s, \chi_{a_1}) = \sum_{m \text{ monic}} \frac{\chi_{a_1 d_0}(\widehat{m}) a(m, d)}{|m|^s}.$$

In particular, $L(s, \chi_d)$ now makes sense for d not necessarily square-free and this defintion agrees with the former when d is square-free. Moreover, we have the representation

$$Z_{a_1,a_2}(s,w) = \sum_{d \text{ monic}} \frac{\chi_{a_2}(d)L(s,\chi_{a_1d})}{|d|^w}.$$

If we perform the same procedure to the interchange, then

$$Z_{a_1,a_2}(s,w) = \sum_{m \text{ monic}} \frac{L(w,\widetilde{\chi}_{a_2m_0})\chi_{a_1}(m)Q_{m_0m_1^2}(w,\chi_{a_2})}{|m|^s} = \sum_{m,d \text{ monic}} \frac{\widetilde{\chi}_{a_2m_0}(\widehat{d})\chi_{a_1}(m)a(d,m)}{|m|^s|d|^w},$$

where \hat{d} is the part of d relatively prime to m_0 . Analogously, we define $L(w, \tilde{\chi}_{a_2m})$ by

$$L(w, \widetilde{\chi}_{a_2m}) = L(w, \widetilde{\chi}_{a_2m_0})Q_{m_0m_1^2}(w, \chi_{a_2}) = \sum_{\substack{d \text{ monic}}} \frac{\widetilde{\chi}_{a_2m_0}(d)a(d, m)}{|d|^w},$$

so that

$$Z_{a_1,a_2}(s,w) = \sum_{\substack{m \text{ monic} \\ |m|^s}} \frac{\chi_{a_1}(m)L(w,\widehat{\chi}_{a_2m})}{|m|^s}.$$

We can now derive an important relationship for the weighting coefficients. Equating the coefficients of the two expansions for $Z_{a_1,a_2}(s,w)$ gives

$$\chi_{a_1d_0}(\widehat{m})\chi_{a_2}(d)a(m,d) = \chi_{a_2m_0}(\widehat{d})\chi_{a_1}(m)a(d,m)$$

By applying quadratic reciprocity twice we have

$$\chi_{d_0}(\widehat{m}) = \chi_{\widehat{m}}(d_0) = \chi_{\widehat{m_0}}(d_0) = \chi_{m_0}(\widehat{d}_0) = \chi_{m_0}(\widehat{d}),$$

so upon setting $a_1 = a_2 = 1$ we have

$$a(m,d) = a(d,m).$$

In other words, the weighting coefficients are symmetric. The weighting coefficients also posess a multiplicativity property:

Proposition 1.1. We have a(m, 1) = a(1, d) = 1 and

$$a(m,d) = \prod_{\substack{P^{\alpha}||m\\P^{\beta}||d}} a(P^{\alpha}, P^{\beta}).$$

FUNCTIONAL EQUATIONS

MEROMORPHIC CONTINUATION

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