

# Regularized periods of some Eisenstein series

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# Modular curve

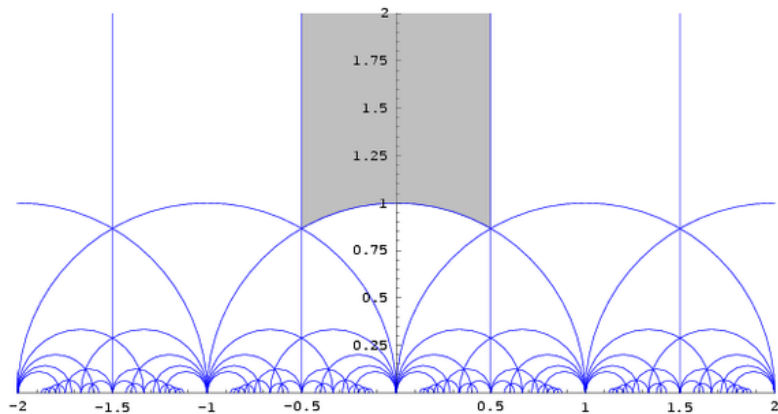
## Definition

- Let  $\mathcal{H} = \{z = x + iy \in \mathbb{C} \mid y > 0\}$  be the upper half plane.
- Let  $\Gamma$  be the group  $\mathrm{SL}_2(\mathbb{Z})$ , each  $\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in \Gamma$  acts on  $\mathcal{H}$  by linear fractional transformations:

$$z \mapsto \frac{az + b}{cz + d}.$$

- The quotient  $\Gamma \backslash \mathcal{H}$  is a smooth manifold with real dimension 2 and it has a natural  $\Gamma$ -invariant measure  $d\mu = dx \wedge dy / y^2$ .
- $\Gamma \backslash \mathcal{H}$  is not compact, but  $\mu(\Gamma \backslash \mathcal{H}) = \frac{\pi}{3} < \infty$ .

# Picture of the modular curve



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## Remark

- $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \in \Gamma = \mathrm{SL}_2(\mathbb{Z}) \Rightarrow f(z+1) = f(z) \Rightarrow f(z) = \sum_{n \geq 0} a_n q^n$ ,  
where  $q = e^{2\pi iz}$  and call  $a_n \in \mathbb{C}$  the Fourier coefficients of  $f$ .
- A modular form where  $a_0 = 0$  is called a **cuspidal form**.

# Fourier coefficients of modular forms

## Remark

- Here,  $a_n e^{-2\pi ny}$  can be written as an integral:

$$f(q) = \sum_{n \geq 0} a_n q^n \Rightarrow \int_0^1 f(x + iy) e^{-2\pi i n x} dx = a_n e^{-2\pi ny}.$$

- Hence,  $f$  is a cusp form if, taking  $n = 0$ ,

$$\int_{\mathbb{Z} \backslash \mathbb{R}} f(x + iy) dx = \int_0^1 f(x + iy) dx = a_0 = 0.$$

- Later, we will generalize this definition of cusp forms to automorphic forms.



# Examples of modular forms

## Examples (Holomorphic Eisenstein series)

For even  $k \geq 4$ , the Eisenstein series  $E_k(z)$  is defined as the absolutely convergent sum

$$E_k(z) = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \sum_{\substack{c,d \in \mathbb{Z} \\ (c,d)=1}} \frac{1}{(cz + d)^k}.$$

It is a modular form of weight  $k$  and it has a Fourier expansion

$$E_k(z) = 1 - \frac{2k}{B_k} \sum_{n \geq 1} \sigma_{k-1}(n) q^n,$$

where  $B_k \in \mathbb{Q}$  and  $\sigma_{k-1}(n) = \sum_{d|n} d^{k-1} \in \mathbb{Z}$ . Since  $a_0 = 1$ ,  $E_k(z)$  is **not** a cusp form. But  $E_4^3(z) - E_6^2(z) = 1728q + \cdots$  is a cusp form.

# Non-holomorphic Eisenstein series

## Generalization(non-holomorphic Eisenstein series)

- We can generalize Eisenstein series to the non-holomorphic setting, which can be seen as a “generalized modular form”.
- For  $z = x + iy \in \mathcal{H}$  and  $s \in \mathbb{C}$ , the **non-holomorphic** Eisenstein series  $E(z, s)$  is defined for  $\operatorname{Re}(s) > 1$  as :

$$E(z, s) = \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma_{\infty} \backslash \Gamma} \operatorname{Im}(\gamma(z))^s = y^s \sum_{\substack{c, d \in \mathbb{Z} \\ (c, d) = 1}} \frac{1}{|cz + d|^{2s}},$$

where  $\Gamma_{\infty} = \left\{ \pm \begin{pmatrix} 1 & b \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \middle| b \in \mathbb{Z} \right\}$  is the stabilizer of  $i\infty$  in  $\Gamma$ .

$E(z, s)$  is  $\Gamma$ -invariant:  $E(\gamma(z), s) = E(z, s)$ . The series is absolutely convergent for  $\operatorname{Re}(s) > 1$  and  $E(z, s)$  has a meromorphic continuation in  $s$  to  $\mathbb{C}$  ( $z$  is fixed).

# A formal computation

- A **period integral** is an integral of a function on a manifold over a closed submanifold. It has many applications in number theory.

- Ex: The integral  $\int_0^\infty \left( \sum_{n=1}^\infty e^{-n^2 \pi x} \right) x^{\frac{s}{2}-1} dx = \pi^{-\frac{s}{2}} \Gamma\left(\frac{s}{2}\right) \zeta(s)$  gives an integral representation of the Riemann  $\zeta$ -function.

- Formally (**without considering convergence**), we have the following **unfolding** computation (recall  $d\mu = \frac{dx \wedge dy}{y^2}$ ):

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\Gamma \backslash \mathcal{H}} E(z, s) d\mu &= \int_{\Gamma \backslash \mathcal{H}} \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma_\infty \backslash \Gamma} \text{Im}(\gamma(z))^s d\mu = \int_{\Gamma_\infty \backslash \mathcal{H}} \text{Im}(z)^s d\mu \\ &= \int_0^\infty y^s \left( \int_{\mathbb{Z} \backslash \mathbb{R}} dx \right) \frac{dy}{y^2} \\ &= \int_0^\infty y^{s-2} dy. \quad (\text{Re}(s) > 1) \end{aligned}$$

# Divergence issue

## Caution!

- We saw  $\int_{\Gamma \setminus \mathcal{H}} E(z, s) d\mu = \int_0^\infty y^{s-2} dy$ . ( $\operatorname{Re}(s) > 1$ ).
- When  $\operatorname{Re}(s) > 2$ ,  $|y^{s-2}| \rightarrow \infty$  when  $y \rightarrow \infty$ .
- It is due to  $E(z, s)$  is **NOT rapidly decaying** when  $y \rightarrow \infty$ .
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## Regularized integral!

# Regularizing the harmonic series

The harmonic series  $\sum_{n \geq 1} 1/n$  diverges. Here are two ways to regularize it that both suggest assigning it the finite value  $\gamma = .5772\dots$ , which is Euler's constant.

1. Truncate the series and subtract the divergent part. When  $N$  is large,

$$\sum_{n=1}^N \frac{1}{n} = \log N + \gamma + \frac{1}{2N} - \frac{1}{12N^2} + \dots,$$

so if we remove the divergent main term  $\log N$  and then let  $N \rightarrow \infty$ , the right side tends to its constant term  $\gamma$ .

2. Insert a parameter and subtract the divergent part. When  $s > 1$ , the series  $\sum_{n \geq 1} 1/n^s$  converges. When  $s \rightarrow 1^+$ ,

$$\sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{1}{n^s} = \zeta(s) = \frac{1}{s-1} + \gamma + c_1(s-1) + c_2(s-1)^2 + \dots,$$

so if we remove the divergent main term  $1/(s-1)$  and then let  $s \rightarrow 1^+$ , the right side tends to its constant term  $\gamma$ .

# Fourier expansion of $E(z, s)$

- The intuition is to throw out some “unimportant” part of  $E(z, s)$  for our purpose that leads to the divergence.
- Since  $E(z, s)$  is  $\Gamma$ -invariant in  $z$  and  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \in \Gamma$ , with effect  $z \mapsto z + 1$ ,  $E(z + 1, s) = E(z, s)$ . So  $E(z, s)$  also has a Fourier expansion

$$E(z, s) = \sum_{n \geq 0} a_n(y, s) e^{2\pi i n x}. \quad (z = x + iy)$$

- $a_n(y, s) = \int_0^1 E(z, s) e^{-2\pi i n x} dx$ . By a computation, the constant term  $a_0(y, s)$  is

$$a_0(y, s) = y^s + \frac{\zeta^*(2s-1)}{\zeta^*(2s)} y^{1-s} \quad (\operatorname{Re}(s) > 1),$$

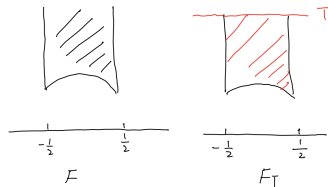
where  $\zeta^*(s) = \pi^{-s/2} \Gamma(s/2) \zeta(s)$ .

- $a_n(y, s)$  with  $n > 0$  is rapidly decaying when  $y \rightarrow \infty$ .

# Truncation operator I

Recall  $a_0(y, s) = y^s + \frac{\zeta^*(2s-1)}{\zeta^*(2s)} y^{1-s}$  ( $\operatorname{Re}(s) > 1$ ).

- Since  $a_0(y, s)$  grows like  $|y^s|$  when  $\operatorname{Re}(s) > 1$ , which is **not rapidly decaying**, a natural idea is to throw out  $a_0(y, s)$  and integrate the remaining terms.
- This leads to the definition of a truncation operator.
- Let  $\mathcal{F} = \{z \in \mathcal{H} \mid |z| \geq 1, |x| \leq \frac{1}{2}\}$  be a fundamental domain of  $\Gamma \backslash \mathcal{H}$ .
- For  $T \geq 1$ , let  $\mathcal{F}_T = \{z \in \mathcal{H} \mid |z| \geq 1, |x| \leq \frac{1}{2}, y \leq T\}$  be a truncated fundamental domain.





# Truncation operator II

## Definition (Zagier 1981)

- Let  $\chi_T$  be the indicator function of  $\mathcal{F}_T$ : for  $z \in \mathcal{F}$ ,

$$\chi_T(z) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } z \in \mathcal{F}_T, \\ 0 & \text{if } z \notin \mathcal{F}_T. \end{cases}$$

- For  $T \geq 1$  and  $F(z) = \sum_{n \geq 0} a_n(y) e^{2\pi i x}$  smooth on  $\mathcal{F}$ , the truncation operator  $\Lambda^T$  on  $\bar{F}$  is defined as

$$(\Lambda^T F)(z) = F(z) - (1 - \chi_T(z)) a_0(y), \text{ for } z = x + iy.$$

- $(\Lambda^T F)(z)$  is a function that **decays rapidly** as  $y \rightarrow \infty$  ( $x$  fixed).

# Regularized integrals

## Theorem (Zagier 1981)

- The integral  $\int_{\mathcal{F}} \Lambda^T(E(z, s)) d\mu(z)$  abs. conv. and equals

$$P(T) := \frac{1}{s-1} T^{s-1} - \frac{\zeta^*(2s-1)}{s \cdot \zeta^*(2s)} T^{-s}.$$

- The regularized integral  $\int_{\mathcal{F}}^* E(z, s) d\mu$  is defined as the **constant term** of  $P(T)$ .
- This suggests

$$\int_{\mathcal{F}}^* E(z, s) d\mu = 0.$$

## Remark

The regularized period integral throws out  $\int_0^\infty y^{s-2} dy$  in the formal computation.

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# $p$ -adic fields

- There are other kinds of absolute values on  $\mathbb{Q}$ : the  $p$ -adic absolute values  $|\cdot|_p$  for prime  $p$ . Denote the usual absolute value as  $|\cdot|_\infty$ .
- Let  $a = p^m b \in \mathbb{Z} - \{0\}$ , where  $p, b, m \in \mathbb{Z}$  and  $(p, b) = 1$ . The  $p$ -adic absolute value of  $a$  is defined as  $|a|_p = \frac{1}{p^m}$  (e.g.  $|18|_\infty = 18$ ,  $|18|_3 = \frac{1}{9}$ ,  $|18|_5 = 1$ .)
- The completion of  $\mathbb{Q}$  wrt  $|\cdot|_p$  is the  $p$ -adic field  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ .
- $\mathbb{Q}_p$  is a locally compact topological field.
- The ring of  $p$ -adic integers  $\mathbb{Z}_p$  is defined as

$$\mathbb{Z}_p := \{x \in \mathbb{Q}_p \mid |x|_p \leq 1\}.$$

- $\mathbb{Z}_p$  is a compact topological ring.
- **Fact** (Ostrowski 1916) Every nontrivial absolute value on  $\mathbb{Q}$  is equivalent (induces the same topology) to some  $|\cdot|_p$  or  $|\cdot|_\infty$ .

# Ring of Adeles

- We want a “machine” that contains  $\mathbb{Q}_p$  for all prime  $p$  and  $\mathbb{R}$ .
- The natural guess is  $\mathbb{R} \times \prod_p \mathbb{Q}_p$ . However, this is too large: it is **not locally compact** for the product topology.
- Restrict coordinates to get the adeles  $\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}}$ :

$$\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}} := \left\{ (x_{\infty}, x_2, x_3, x_5, \dots) \in \mathbb{R} \times \prod_p \mathbb{Q}_p \mid x_p \in \mathbb{Z}_p, \text{ for a.e. } p \right\},$$

here *a.e.* means almost every prime: all but finitely many  $p$ .

- $\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}}$  is a **locally compact ring** in a suitable topology.
- $\mathbb{Z} \subset \mathbb{R}$  discrete,  $\mathbb{Z} \setminus \mathbb{R}$  compact;  $\mathbb{Q} \subset \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}}$  discrete,  $\mathbb{Q} \setminus \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}}$  compact.
- $\mathbb{Q}^{\times} \subset \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}}^{\times}$  discrete,  $\mathbb{Q}^{\times} \setminus \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}}^{\times}$  NOT compact.
- $(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}}^{\times})^1 := \{x \in \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}}^{\times} \mid |x| = 1\}$ ,  $\mathbb{Q} \setminus (\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}}^{\times})^1$  **compact**.

# Automorphic forms on $GL_2, I$

- Let  $B_2 = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} * & * \\ 0 & * \end{pmatrix} \in GL_2 \right\}$ ,  $T_2 = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} * & 0 \\ 0 & * \end{pmatrix} \in GL_2 \right\}$ ,  
 $N_2 = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & * \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \in GL_2 \right\}$ . We call  $T_2$  a torus.
- Let  $GL_2(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}})^1 := \{g \in GL_2(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}}) \mid |\det(g)| = 1\}$ , which is a locally compact topological group.
- $GL_2(\mathbb{Q})$  is discrete in  $GL_2(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}})^1$ , like  $\mathbb{Q}^\times$  in  $(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}}^\times)^1$ .
- The quotient space  $GL_2(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash GL_2(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}})^1$  has a natural invariant measure  $dg$  and has finite volume like  $\Gamma \backslash \mathcal{H}$ . But it is **not compact**.
- An *automorphic form* is a “nice” smooth  $\mathbb{C}$ -valued function on  $GL_2(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash GL_2(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}})^1$ . **This generalizes modular forms.**
- A *cuspidal form*  $\phi$  is an automorphic form that satisfies

$$\int_{N_2(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash N_2(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}})} \phi(ng) dn = 0.$$

**This generalizes cuspidal modular forms.** ◀ ◻ ▶ ◀ ◻ ▶ ◀ ≡ ▶ ◀ ≡ ▶ ≡ ↺ ↻ 🔍

# Automorphic forms on $GL_2$ , II

- Let  $[GL_2]$  denote  $GL_2(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash GL_2(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}})^1$ .
- Since  $[GL_2]$  is not compact, get

$$\mathcal{A}([GL_2]) = \mathcal{A}_{disc}([GL_2]) \oplus \mathcal{A}_{cont}([GL_2]).$$

- The cusp forms span a closed subspace  $\mathcal{A}_{cusp}([GL_2])$  of  $\mathcal{A}([GL_2])$ .
- **Fact (Gelfand and Piatetski-Shapiro)**

$$\mathcal{A}_{cusp}([GL_2]) \subsetneq \mathcal{A}_{disc}([GL_2]).$$

- **Fact (Mœglin and Waldspurger)** The orthogonal complement of  $\mathcal{A}_{cusp}([GL_2])$  in  $\mathcal{A}_{disc}([GL_2])$  can be constructed using residues of some Eisenstein series.
- **Fact (Langlands):**  
 $\mathcal{A}_{cont}([GL_2])$  is “spanned by” **Eisenstein series**.

# Automorphic forms on $GL_2$ , III

## Definition

- Let  $A_{B_2}^\infty = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & d \end{pmatrix} \in GL_2(\mathbb{R}) \mid a > 0, d > 0 \right\}$  and let  $\mathfrak{a}_{B_2} = \text{Lie}(A_{B_2}^\infty) \cong \mathbb{R}^2$ .
- There is a canonical map  $H_{B_2} : GL_2(\mathbb{A}) \rightarrow \mathfrak{a}_{B_2}$ .
- For each  $\varphi \in \mathcal{A}_{\text{cusp}}(A_{B_2}^\infty T_2(\mathbb{Q}) N_2(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}}) \backslash GL_2(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}}))$ ,  $g \in GL_2(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}})$  and  $\lambda \in \mathfrak{a}_{B_2, \mathbb{C}}^*$ , the Eisenstein series  $E(g, \varphi, \lambda)$  is defined as

$$E(g, \varphi, \lambda) = \sum_{\gamma \in B_2(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash GL_2(\mathbb{Q})} \varphi(\gamma g) \exp \langle \lambda, H_{B_2}(\gamma g) \rangle.$$

- The summation in the definition is absolutely convergent if  $\text{Re}(\lambda)$  belongs to a suitable cone in  $\mathfrak{a}_{B_2}^*$ .
- Langlands proved the meromorphic continuation of  $E(g, \varphi, \lambda)$  in 1976. In 2019, Bernstein and Lapid gave a new proof of it.



# Toric periods of discrete spectrum

- Let  $G = \mathrm{GL}_2$  and  $H = T_2 = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} * & 0 \\ 0 & * \end{pmatrix} \right\} \subset \mathrm{GL}_2$  ( $H$  is a torus).
- For an automorphic form  $\phi$  on  $G$ , we are interested in the toric period:

$$P_H(\phi) = \int_{H(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash H(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}}) \cap G(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}})^1} \phi(h) dh.$$

- If  $\phi$  is a **cuspidal form**, this is absolutely convergent [Ash, Ginzburg, Rallis 1993]. In 1993, Friedberg and Jacquet proved a relation between  $P_H(\phi)$  and special values of some  $L$ -function.
- If  $\phi$  is a **noncuspidal** automorphic form in the **discrete** spectrum, Yang computed the regularized toric period and proved that it is factorizable in 2022.
- Hence, only  $P_H(\phi)$  for  $\phi$  in the **continuous** spectrum remains to be considered.

# Formal computations

- We begin by formal **unfolding** computations.
- In these computations, ignore the superscript “1”.
- Let  $\varphi_\lambda(g) = \varphi(g) \exp(\langle \lambda, H_{B_2}(g) \rangle)$  and  $H_\eta = H \cap \eta^{-1} B_2 \eta$  for  $\eta \in G(\mathbb{Q})$ .
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$$\begin{aligned}
 & \int_{H(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash H(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}})} E(g, \varphi, \lambda) dh \\
 &= \int_{H(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash H(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}})} \sum_{\gamma \in B_2(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash G(\mathbb{Q})} \varphi_\lambda(\gamma h) dh \\
 &= \int_{H(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash H(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}})} \sum_{\eta \in B_2(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash G(\mathbb{Q}) / H(\mathbb{Q})} \sum_{\gamma \in H_\eta(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash H(\mathbb{Q})} \varphi_\lambda(\eta \gamma h) dh \\
 &= \sum_{\eta \in B_2(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash G(\mathbb{Q}) / H(\mathbb{Q})} \int_{H_\eta(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash H(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}})} \varphi_\lambda(\eta h) dh.
 \end{aligned}$$

## Another type of period integrals

$$\int_{H(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash H(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}})} E(g, \varphi, \lambda) dh = \sum_{\eta \in B_2(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash G(\mathbb{Q})/H(\mathbb{Q})} \int_{H_{\eta}(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash H(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}})} \varphi_{\lambda}(\eta h) dh.$$

### Definition

For  $\eta \in B_2(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash G(\mathbb{Q})/H(\mathbb{Q})$ ,  
 $\varphi \in \mathcal{A}_{\text{cusp}}(A_{B_2}^{\infty} T_2(\mathbb{Q}) N_2(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}}) \backslash \text{GL}_2(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}}))$  and  $\lambda \in \mathfrak{a}_{B_2, \mathbb{C}}^*$ , the  
integral

$$J(\eta, \varphi, \lambda) := \int_{H_{\eta}(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash H(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}})} \varphi_{\lambda}(\eta h) dh.$$

is called the *intertwining period* associated to  $\eta$ .

### Theorem (S. 2024)

$J(\eta, \varphi, \lambda)$  is absolutely convergent for  $\text{Re}(\lambda)$  in certain open cone  
in  $\mathfrak{a}_{B_2}^*$ .

# Regularized periods, I

- In 2019, Zydor defined a **relative** truncation operator  $\Lambda^T$  for  $T$  in suitable open cone of  $\mathfrak{a}_{B_2}$  as an operator from the space of moderate growth functions on  $G(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash G(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}})$  to the space of rapidly decaying functions on  $H(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash H(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}})$ .
- It is a vast generalization of the truncation used by Zagier.
- For any automorphic form  $\phi$  on  $G$ , Zydor showed the integral

$$\int_{H(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash H(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}})} (\Lambda^T \phi)(h) dh$$

is absolutely convergent.

# Regularized periods, II

## Theorem (Zydor 2019)

- Fix some "regular"  $\phi$ . The truncated period integral  $\int_{H(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash H(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}})} (\Lambda^T \phi)(h) dh$  is an exponential polynomial function of  $T$ . Explicitly, it equals a finite sum

$$\sum_{\lambda \in \mathfrak{a}_{B_2, \mathbb{C}}^*} P_{\lambda}(T) \exp(\langle \lambda, T \rangle),$$

where  $P_{\lambda}(T)$  is a polynomial in  $T$ .

- $P_0(T)$  is a constant.
- The regularized period integral is defined as

$$\int_{H(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash H(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}})}^* \phi(h) dh := P_0(T).$$

# The main result for $GL_2$

## Theorem (S. 2024)

We have the following identity:

$$\int_{H(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash H(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}})}^* E(h, \varphi, \lambda) dh = J(\eta, \varphi, \lambda),$$

for some  $\eta \in B_2(\mathbb{Q}) \backslash G(\mathbb{Q})/H(\mathbb{Q})$  in the **open** orbit.

## Remark

- The theorem gives a rigorous justification of the “unfolding”.
- By this identity and meromorphic continuation and functional equation of  $E(h, \varphi, \lambda)$ , we can get the meromorphic continuation and functional equation of  $J(\eta, \varphi, \lambda)$ .
- The work for  $GL_2$  and  $T_2 = GL_1 \times GL_1$  extends to  $GL_{n+m}$  and  $GL_n \times GL_m$ , which will be stated.

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# The regularized periods for cuspidal Eisenstein series

## Theorem (S. 2024)

- ① Let  $G = \mathrm{GL}_{2n}$  and  $H = \mathrm{GL}_n \times \mathrm{GL}_n$  for  $n \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 1}$ . For any standard parabolic subgroup  $P = MN$  of  $G$ , any  $\varphi \in \mathcal{A}_{P, \text{cusp}}(G)$  and  $\lambda \in \mathfrak{a}_{M, \mathbb{C}}^*$ , we have

$$\int_{H(F) \backslash H(\mathbb{A}_F)^{G,1}}^* E(h, \varphi, \lambda) dh = \begin{cases} 0 & M \neq \mathrm{GL}_n \times \mathrm{GL}_n, \\ J(\eta, \varphi, \lambda) & M = \mathrm{GL}_n \times \mathrm{GL}_n, \end{cases}$$

where  $\eta$  the **open** orbit in  $P \backslash G/H$ .

- ② Let  $G = \mathrm{GL}_{n+m}$  and  $H = \mathrm{GL}_n \times \mathrm{GL}_m$  for  $n, m \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 1}$  and  $n \neq m$ . For any standard parabolic subgroup  $P = MN$  of  $G$ , any  $\varphi \in \mathcal{A}_{P, \text{cusp}}(G)$  and  $\lambda \in \mathfrak{a}_{M, \mathbb{C}}^*$ , we have

$$\int_{H(F) \backslash H(\mathbb{A}_F)^{G,1}}^* E(h, \varphi, \lambda) dh = 0.$$



# The regularized periods for discrete Eisenstein series

## Theorem (S. 2024)

Let  $G = \mathrm{GL}_{2n}$  and  $H = \mathrm{GL}_n \times \mathrm{GL}_n$  for  $n \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 1}$ . For any standard parabolic subgroup  $P = MN$  of  $G$ , any  $\varphi \in \mathcal{A}_{P,\pi}(G)$  with  $\pi \in \Pi_{\text{disc}}(M)$  and  $\lambda \in \mathfrak{a}_{M,\mathbb{C}}^*$ , we have:

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$$\int_{H(F) \backslash H(\mathbb{A}_F)^{G,1}}^* E(h, \varphi, \lambda) dh = 0.$$

except the following two cases.

- ① When  $M = G$  and  $\pi \cong \pi^\vee$ .
- ② When  $M = \mathrm{GL}_n \times \mathrm{GL}_n$  and  $\pi \cong \sigma \boxtimes \sigma^\vee$ , where  $\sigma \in \Pi_{\text{disc}}(\mathrm{GL}_n)$ . In this case, we have

$$\int_{H(F) \backslash H(\mathbb{A}_F)^{G,1}}^* E(h, \varphi, \lambda) dh = J(\eta, \varphi, \lambda).$$

# Final remarks

## Remark

- To establish a sufficient condition for the non-vanishing of regularized periods of Eisenstein series, we are working on the local computation of intertwining periods.
- In 2022, Suzuki and Xue computed the regularized periods of **cuspidal** Eisenstein series for  $D_E \backslash \mathrm{GL}_2(D)$ , where  $D$  is a division algebra over  $F$  and  $E$  is a quadratic extension of  $F$ . Hence, our result for cuspidal Eisenstein series can be viewed as a **split** counterpart of the result of Suzuki and Xue.
- We have a work in progress to get a **global** spectral expansion for  $\mathrm{GL}_n \times \mathrm{GL}_n \backslash \mathrm{GL}_{2n}$  using our results.
- The author has another work in progress with Yiyang Wang (Kyoto) to find a new regularization for  $\mathrm{GL}_n \times \mathrm{GL}_m \backslash \mathrm{GL}_{n+m}$ , which has applications for proving a **local** Plancherel formula for  $\mathrm{GL}_{n+m} / \mathrm{GL}_n \times \mathrm{GL}_m$ .

Thank you!