

## Talk 05 Local computations : archimedean places

There are two different choices, one by Xin Wan, the other by Skinner-Urban.

We will focus on Wan's version:

Runing hypothesis on  $\pi_\infty$ :

Suppose  $\pi_\infty$  is the holomorphic discrete series repn associated to the scalar weight  $(0, \dots, 0, k, \dots, k)$  as a rep of  $GL(r,s)(\mathbb{R})$ .

Intuition:  $GL_2(\mathbb{R})$  basically has

- "holomorphic discrete series"  $\longleftrightarrow$  "holomorphic automorphic forms"
- "principle series"  $\longleftrightarrow$  "Neub waveforms"

So here we are actually choosing with the first case.

Recall for  $\mathrm{GU}(n,n)$ , the corresponding Hermitian symmetric domain  $X_{n,n}^+$  is

$$X_{n,n}^+ = \{ x \in M_n(\mathbb{C}^\mathbb{Z}) \mid i(x^* - x) > 0 \}.$$

Then we define a distinguished point in  $X_{n,n}^+$  (we are in the constant signature case)

$$\begin{aligned} \overset{\circ}{\iota} \triangleright &:= \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2}i \cdot 1_s & & & \\ & i & & \\ & & \frac{1}{2}s & \\ & & & \frac{1}{2}i \cdot 1_s \end{pmatrix}_{\begin{matrix} s \\ 1 \\ r-s \\ s \end{matrix}} \in M_{r+s+1}(\mathbb{C}) \text{ for } \mathrm{GU}(r+s+1, r+s+1) \\ \overset{\circ}{\iota} \triangleleft &:= \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2}i \cdot 1_s & & & \\ & \frac{1}{2}s & & \\ & & \frac{1}{2}i \cdot 1_s & \\ & & & s \end{pmatrix}_{\begin{matrix} s \\ r-s \\ s \end{matrix}} \in M_{r+s}(\mathbb{C}) \text{ for } \mathrm{GU}(r+s, r+s) \end{aligned}$$

Recall for  $g = \begin{pmatrix} a & c \\ b & d \end{pmatrix} \in \mathrm{GU}(n,n)$ , we defined the second automorphy factor as

$$\begin{aligned} \mu : \mathrm{GU}(n,n)(\mathbb{R}) \times X_{n,n}^+ &\longrightarrow \mathrm{GL}_n(\mathbb{C}) \\ (g, x) &\longmapsto bx+d \end{aligned}$$

Siegel section at  $\infty$  For  $v \in \{\infty\}$ , the Siegel section we choose is

$$f_v^{\text{Siegel}, \triangleright}(g, z) := \mu(g, \overset{\circ}{\iota})^{-k} |\mu(g, \overset{\circ}{\iota})|^{k-2z-n-1}$$

$$f_v^{\text{Siegel}, \triangleleft}(g, z) := \mu(g, \overset{\circ}{\iota})^{-k} |\mu(g, \overset{\circ}{\iota})|^{k-2z-n}$$

(or write  $n^\bullet$  for  $\bullet = \{\triangleright, \triangleleft\}$ . then  $f_v^{\text{Siegel}, \bullet}(g, z) = \mu(g, \overset{\circ}{\iota})^{-k} |\mu(g, \overset{\circ}{\iota})|^{k-2z-n^\bullet}$ ) .

In Skinner-Urbanc, they used

$$f_v^{\text{SU}, \bullet}(g, z) = \mu(g, i1_{n^\bullet})^{-k} |\mu(g, i1_{n^\bullet})|^{k-2z-n^\bullet}$$

To use SU's computation, take  $\triangleright$ -case below, we relate Wan's  $\overset{\circ}{\iota}$  with SU's  $i1_n$  by

$$g^\triangleright = \text{diag}(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3, \lambda_4; \mu_1, \mu_2, \mu_3, \mu_4) \text{ s.t.}$$

$$g^\triangleright \cdot i1_n = g^\triangleright \begin{pmatrix} i1_{n^\triangleright} \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \overset{\circ}{\iota} \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{which gives } \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & \lambda_2 & \lambda_3 & \lambda_4 \\ & & & \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \mu_1^{-1} & & & \\ & \mu_2^{-1} & & \\ & & \mu_3^{-1} & \\ & & & \mu_4^{-1} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2}1_s & & & \\ & 1 & \frac{s}{2} & \\ & & \frac{1}{2}1_s & \\ & & & \frac{1}{2}1_s \end{pmatrix}. \quad (\star)$$

Recall by our assumption on  $S$ ,  $\lambda^{-1}S = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & a_{n-s} \end{pmatrix} > 0$ , so there exists  $a'_1, \dots, a'_{n-s}$  such that

$$\begin{pmatrix} a'_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & a'_{n-s} \end{pmatrix}^2 = \frac{S}{2}, \quad a'_1, \dots, a'_{n-s} \in \mathbb{R}_{>0}$$

$$a'_1 \cdots a'_{n-s} = \sqrt{a_1 \cdots a_{n-s}/2}$$

Then we can take

- $\lambda_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ ,  $\mu_1 = \sqrt{2}$
- $\lambda_2 = 1$ ,  $\mu_2 = 1$
- $\lambda_3 = \begin{pmatrix} a'_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & a'_{n-s} \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $\mu_3 = \lambda_3^{-1}$
- $\lambda_4 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ ,  $\mu_4 = \sqrt{2}$

to make (4) holds. Then by cocycle condition, i.e.  $\mu(gg_0, i1_n) = \mu(g, i) \mu(g_0, i1_n)$ ,

and

$$\mu(g_0, i1_n) = \det \begin{pmatrix} \mu_1^{-1} & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \mu_4^{-1} \end{pmatrix} = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^{2s} \cdot a'_1 \cdots a'_{n-s} = \frac{1}{2^s} \sqrt{\frac{a_1 \cdots a_{n-s}}{2}}$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} f_v^{slg, \heartsuit}(g, z) &= \mu(g, i)^{-k} |\mu(g, i)|^{k-2g-n-1} \\ &= \underline{\mu(gg_0, i1_n)^{-k}} |\mu(gg_0, i1_n)|^{k-2g-n-1} \cdot \underline{\mu(g_0, i1_n)^k} |\mu(g_0, i1_n)|^{k-2g-n-1} \\ &= \underline{f_v^{su, \heartsuit}(gg_0, z)} \cdot \underline{\mu(g_0, i1_n)^{2k-2g-n-1}} \leftarrow \text{a "constant" related to } \}$$

make it real  
to get rid of  
"1-1"

Let's name the extra factor as

$$s_v(n, z) := \mu(g_0, i1_n)^{2k-2g-n-1}$$

Note: In the  $\diamond$ -case, suffices to delete the second (block) row and the rests are the same.

## Fourier coefficient

We first state the computation for  $f_v^{SU}$ . The following result is stated for both  $\triangleright$  and  $\triangleleft$ :

Theorem: [S14, Lemma 1.4] Suppose  $\beta \in S_n(\mathbb{R})$ . Then

① The local Whittaker integral

$$z \mapsto W_\beta(h; f_v^{SU}, z) := \int_{\text{Herm}_n(F_v)} f_v^{SU}(z, \omega_n(\begin{smallmatrix} 1_n & \sigma \\ & 1_n \end{smallmatrix}) h) e_v(-\text{Tr} \beta \sigma) d\sigma$$

has a meromorphic continuation to all of  $\mathbb{C}$ .

② If  $k \geq n$ ,  $W_\beta(h; f_v^{SU}, z)$  is holomorphic at  $z_k = \frac{k-n}{2}$

③ For  $y \in GL_n(\mathbb{C})$ ,

$$W_\beta(\text{diag}(y, y^*); f_v^{SU}, z_k) = \begin{cases} 0 & \det \beta \leq 0 \\ C_v(n, k) \cdot e_v(i \text{Tr}(\beta y y^*) (\det \beta)^{k-n} (\det \bar{y})^k) & \det \beta > 0 \end{cases}$$

Here

$$C_v(n, k) = \frac{(-2)^{-n} (2\pi i)^{nk} \left(\frac{n}{\pi}\right)^{\frac{n(n-1)}{2}}}{\prod_{j=0}^{n-1} (k-j-1)!} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{is a constant related to } k \text{ and } n. \\ (\text{not related to } \beta, y, z) \end{array}$$

As a corollary, by the previous section,

$$W_\beta(\text{diag}(y, y^*); f_v^{\text{sig}}, z_k) = W_\beta(\text{diag}(y^{SU}, y^{SU, -*}); f_v^{SU}, z_k) \cdot S_v(n, z)$$

where  $y^{SU} := y \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & & & \\ & \lambda_2 & & \\ & & \lambda_3 & \\ & & & \lambda_4 \end{pmatrix}$ . Here we see the importance to have  $\lambda_i$  to be real.

This is the computation originally by Shimura.

Proof: Since  $G_n(R) = Q_n(R) \cdot K_{n,\infty}$  by Iwasawa decomposition, it suffices to prove ①,② for  $h = \text{diag}(y, y^*)$ . Then direct computation shows:

$$x := w_n \begin{pmatrix} 1_n & \sigma \\ & 1_n \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} y & y^* \\ & y^* \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma & y^* \\ -y & -\sigma y^* \end{pmatrix},$$

then  $\mu_n(x, i1_n) = \det(-y - \sigma y^*) = (-1)^n \det y^* \det(iyy^* + \sigma)$ .

Hence

$$W_\beta(h; f_v^{\text{su}}, \beta) := (-1)^{-nk} (\det y^*)^k |\det y^*|^{-(k-3_k-n)} \int_{\text{Herm}_n(R)} \frac{\det(iyy^* + \sigma)^{-k}}{e_R(-\text{Tr}\beta\sigma)} \left| \det(iyy^* + \sigma) \right|^{k-2} d\sigma$$

- $\stackrel{k-n=2\beta_k}{=} (-1)^{-nk} (\det \bar{y})^k |\det \bar{y}|^{2(3-3_k)} \int_{\text{Herm}_n(R)} e_R(-\text{Tr}\beta\sigma) \det(iyy^* + \sigma)^{-k+3_k-3} \det(-iy^* + \sigma)^{3_k-3} d\sigma$
- ~~get rid of  $\beta$~~   $\stackrel{1-1}{=} 2^{\frac{n(n-1)}{2}} (-1)^{-nk} (\det \bar{y})^k |\det \bar{y}|^{2(3-3_k)} \cdot \zeta_{\text{Shi}}(yy^*, \beta, 3-3_k+k, 3-3_k)$

Here  $\zeta_{\text{Shi}}(-, -, s, s')$  is the function in [Shi97, (18.11.4)]. In Lemma 18.12 loc.cit.:

- $\zeta_{\text{Shi}}$  is convergent at least for  $\text{Re}(s) > n$ , and can be meromorphically continued as a function of  $s$  and  $s'$  on  $\mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}$ .
  - "The poles can be controlled by finitely many  $\Gamma$ -functions"
- $\Rightarrow W_\beta(h; f_v^{\text{su}}, \beta)$  is holomorphic at  $\beta = \beta_k$  if  $k \geq n$  and is zero at  $\beta = \beta_k$  if  $\beta \leq 0$ .

For ③, by previous computation,

$$W_\beta(\text{diag}(y, y^*); f_v^{\text{su}}, \beta_k) = 2^{\frac{n(n-1)}{2}} (-1)^{-nk} (\det \bar{y})^k \cdot \zeta_{\text{Shi}}(yy^*, \beta, k, 0)$$

By another computation of [Shimura 1982, (1.23)], we obtain the result.  $\square$

## Pullback integrals

Confused : Go back to the definition.

$$\begin{aligned} F_\phi(f^{\text{sig}, \diamond}, z, g, \chi) &= \int_{U(r,s)(\mathbb{A}_F)} \bar{\chi}(\det g_i h) f^{\text{sig}, \diamond}(z, \iota_\diamond(g, g_i h)) \phi(g_i h) dg_i \\ &= S_\phi(n, \gamma) \int_{U(r,s)(\mathbb{A}_F)} \bar{\chi}(\det g_i h) f^{\text{su}, \diamond}(z, \iota_\diamond(g, g_i h) g_0) \phi(g_i h) dg_i, \end{aligned}$$

Here the adjusting  $g_0$  does NOT lie in the image of

$$\iota_\diamond : \mathrm{GU}(r+1, s+1) \times_{\mathbb{G}_m} -\mathrm{GU}(r, s) \longrightarrow \mathrm{GU}(r+s+1, r+s+1) \simeq \mathrm{GU}(V_\diamond, \eta_{rs}^\diamond).$$

$$(g_1, g_2) \longmapsto M_\diamond^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} g_1 & \\ & g_2 \end{pmatrix} M_\diamond$$

by very explicit calculations. Actually diagonal matrices in  $\iota_\diamond$  must have the form

$$\begin{matrix} \text{diag}(a, g, m, s, s; y, m, a) & \longleftrightarrow & \text{diag}(a, g, m, s, y; a, m, s) \\ s & 1 & r-s & s & 1 & s & r-s & s \end{matrix}$$

So how can we use the pullback integral computed in SU to Wan's case?

- In [Wan15ANT], he directly gave a formula without mentioning SU, but referring to [Shimura97]. I choose to believe in him.
- In [Wan20ANT], he ignored this issue completely : he doesn't care the possible changes (Lemma 6.7) and the coefficients.

Theorem [Wan15ANT, Lemma 4.3] The pullback integrals  $F^\diamond$  and  $F^\diamond$  converges absolutely for  $\Re(z)$  sufficiently large, and for such  $z$ ,

- $F_\phi^\diamond(f_v^{\text{sig}, \diamond}, z, g) = C_v^\diamond(k, z) F_v^{\text{king}}(k, z; g) \in V$
- $F_\phi^\diamond(f_v^{\text{sig}, \diamond}, z, g) = C_v^\diamond(k, z) \underline{\pi(g)} \varphi \in V$

$$\text{here } C_v^\diamond(k, z) = 2^\nu \left| \det S \right|_v^b \cdot \begin{cases} \pi^{(a+b)b} \Gamma_b(z + \frac{n+k}{2} - a - b) \Gamma_b(z + \frac{n-k}{2})^{-1} & b > 0 \\ 1 & b = 0 \end{cases} \quad b > 0,$$

$$\cdot T_m(s) := \pi^{\frac{m(m+1)}{2}} \prod_{k=0}^{m-1} T(s-k), \quad \nu := (a+2b)db, \quad d := [F : \mathbb{Q}],$$

$$\cdot C_v^\diamond(k, z) = C_v^\diamond(k, z + \frac{1}{2}).$$

Now let me explain the distinguished  $F_v^{\text{Kling}}$ :

As in the theorem above, the following discussion is only for  $\mathfrak{O}$ .

- By assumption on  $\pi_{\infty}$ , there exists a unique (up to scalar) vector  $v \in \pi$

such that

$$g \cdot v = \det \mu_{\text{Gal}(r,s)}(g, i)^{-k} \cdot v, \quad \forall g \in \text{Gal}(r,s)(F_v).$$

For a  $GL_2$ -case, one may see the original [SU, §9.2.1]. But I haven't found any reference dealing with the general case!

- Then by Frobenius reciprocity, there exists a unique (up to scalar) vector  $F^{\text{Kling}}$  in the Klingen section space  $I_p(\pi, \chi)$  such that

$$g \cdot F^{\text{Kling}}(k, \gamma, -) = \det \mu_{\text{Gal}(r+1, s+1)}(g, i)^{-k} \cdot F^{\text{Kling}}(k, \gamma, -), \quad \forall g \in \text{Gal}(r+1, s+1)(F_v).$$

- Normalization: Fix  $v$  and multiply  $F^{\text{Kling}}$  by a constant so that  $F^{\text{Kling}}(1) = v$

Remark: In the previous theorem, the constants " $\zeta_i(k, \gamma)$ " is cumbersome.

In [Wen2020ANT], Wan further chose  $v$  so that after the above normalization, the constant  $\zeta_i$  is absorbed in  $F^{\text{Kling}}$ , so that

$$F^{\text{p}}(f_v^{\text{sing}}, \gamma, g) = F^{\text{Kling}}(k, \gamma, g).$$

This section is called the "good Klingen section" at  $v \in \infty$ .

Archimedean Böchner integral :

Recall the Böchner integral when computing the constant terms :

$$M_\nu(f_{\delta, \nu}^{\text{Kling}})(g) = \int_{N_p(F_0)} f_{\delta}^{\text{Kling}}(wng) dn, \quad \omega := \begin{pmatrix} 1_{b+1} \\ -1_{b+1} & 1_a \end{pmatrix}$$

It actually acts as an intertwining operator :

- For  $\pi$ , we define  $(\pi^\vee, V)$  be the  $(\text{gl}(R), K_\infty')$ -module given by

$$\pi^\vee(x) := \pi(\text{Ad}(\eta)x) := \pi(\eta^{-1}x\eta), \quad \eta := \begin{pmatrix} 1_b \\ -1_b & 1_a \end{pmatrix}$$

for  $x \in \text{gl}(R)$  or  $K_\infty'$ .

- Again we formulate the Kling section space

$$I_p^V(\pi, \chi, \gamma) := I_p(\pi^\vee \otimes \chi \circ \det, \bar{X}^c, \gamma)$$

Then the Böchner integral is actually a linear operator

$$M_\nu(-) \in \text{Hom}_C(I_p(\pi, \chi, \gamma), I_p^V(\pi, \chi, \gamma)). \quad (\text{One may check directly}).$$

With suitable adjustments, the key is that

$$M_\nu(F^{\text{Kling}}) = c(\pi, \gamma) \cdot F^{\text{Kling}, \vee}$$

Theorem : [SU14, Lemma 9.3] [WANISANT, Lemma 5.10].

$$c(\pi, \gamma) = \pi^{a+2b+1} \prod_{i=0}^{b-1} \left( \gamma + \frac{k}{2} - \frac{1}{2} - i - a \right)^{-1} \left( \gamma - \frac{k}{2} + \frac{1}{2} - i \right)^{-1} \prod_{i=0}^{a-1} (-1 + \gamma - 2i + 2b)^{-1} \\ \times \frac{\Gamma(2\gamma + a) 2^{-1-2\gamma+2b}}{\Gamma(\frac{a+1}{2} + \gamma + \frac{k}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{a+1}{2} + \gamma - \frac{k}{2})} \det\left(\frac{iS}{2}\right)^{-2}.$$

Here when  $a$  or  $b=0$ , the product  $\bullet$  is regarded as 1 respectively.

Note : In [SU14],  $r=s=1$ , hence  $b=1, a=0$ . In this case, we get the same Gamma part of [SU14] and a slight difference on the power of 2 and  $i$ , once we use the functional equation  $\Gamma(x+1) = x\Gamma(x)$ .

Corollary [SWIT, Lemma 9.7] [WANISANT, Corollary 5.11]

When  $k > \frac{3}{2}a+2b$ , or  $k \geq 2b$  and  $a=0$ , we have  $C(\pi, \gamma_k) = 0$  for  $\gamma_k = \frac{k-(a+2b+1)}{2}$ .

(actually I think Wan's bound is not enough.  $k$  should be larger. See my modification.)

Proof : Directly use the explicit expression above.

- Recall as a complex function,  $T(\gamma)$  has no zeros and has simple poles at negative integers and zero.
- Let  $\gamma = \gamma_k = \frac{k-(a+2b+1)}{2}$ , then the denominator of  $C(\pi, \gamma)$  is

$$\prod_{i=0}^{b-1} \left( k - \left( \frac{3}{2}a + b + i + 1 \right) \right) \left( -\frac{a}{2} - b - i \right) \prod_{i=0}^{a-1} \left( a + 4b + i - k \right) \cdot \det \left( \frac{i\pi}{2} \right)^2 \prod_{i=0}^{k-b} \Gamma(k-b) \Gamma(-b)$$

As  $b \geq 0$ ,  $\Gamma(-b)$  contributes a pole already. Therefore, we need to guarantee that the other factors are nonzero:

- $k - \left( \frac{3}{2}a + b + i + 1 \right) \neq 0$ ,  $\forall i = 0, \dots, b-1$ .  
A sufficient condition is that  $k > \frac{3}{2}a + 2b$ .
- $a + 4b + i - k \neq 0$ ,  $\forall i = 0, \dots, a-1$ .  
A sufficient condition is that  $k > 2a + 4b - 1$ .

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and moreover no poles appear in the numerator:

$$\text{numerator} = \pi^{a+2b+1} \Gamma(k-(2b+1)) 2^{\frac{a+2b-k}{2}}$$

So we require  $k-(2b+1) > 0$ , i.e.  $k > 2b+1$ .

this bound  
always appears

So as I calculate above, the bound for  $k$  should be:

- $a=0$  ( $\Rightarrow b \neq 0$ ):  $k > 2b+1$ .
- $b=0$  ( $\Rightarrow a \neq 0$ ):  $k > \max \{ 1, 2a-1 \} = \begin{cases} 2a-1 & a > 1 \text{ (otherwise)} \\ 1 & a=1 \text{ (i.e. case)} \end{cases}$
- $a \neq 0$  and  $b \neq 0$ :  $k > \max \left\{ \frac{3}{2}a + 2b, 2a + 4b - 1, 2b+1 \right\}$ .  
 $= \max \left\{ \frac{3}{2}a + 2b, 2a + 4b - 1 \right\}$

$a \neq 0 \& b \neq 0$

Compute:  $\gamma = 2a + 4b - 1 - \left( \frac{3}{2}a + 2b \right)$

$$= \frac{1}{2}a + 2b - 1 \geq 0 \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{2}a + 2b \geq 1, \text{ always holds!}$$

So in this case,  $k > 2a + 4b - 1$ . In general, Wan only touched " $\frac{3}{2}a + 2b$ ".

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