

THE GEOMETRICAL LEMMA FOR SMOOTH REPRESENTATIONS IN NATURAL CHARACTERISTIC

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ABSTRACT. The Geometrical Lemma is a classical result in the theory of (complex) smooth representations of p -adic reductive groups, which helps to analyze the parabolic restriction of a parabolically induced representation by providing a filtration whose graded pieces are (smaller) parabolic inductions of parabolic restrictions. In this article, we establish the Geometrical Lemma for the derived category of smooth mod p representations of a p -adic reductive group.

As an important application we compute higher extension groups between parabolically induced representations, which in a slightly different context had been achieved by Hauseux assuming a conjecture of Emerton concerning the higher ordinary parts functor. We also compute the (cohomology functors of the) left adjoint of derived parabolic induction on principal series and generalized Steinberg representations.

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1. Introduction

1.1. History and motivation. Fix a finite extension $\mathfrak{F}/\mathbb{Q}_p$ and let G be (the group of \mathfrak{F} -points of) a connected reductive \mathfrak{F} -group. In the theory of complex smooth representations of G , the

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Geometrical Lemma, independently due to Bernstein–Zelevinsky [BZ77] and Casselman [Cas95], is one of the main tools in the classification of irreducible smooth representations in terms of parabolically induced representations. To state it, we fix a parabolic subgroup $P = M \ltimes U$ of G with Levi quotient M and unipotent radical U . Denote by $i_P^G: \text{Rep}_{\mathbb{C}}(M) \rightarrow \text{Rep}_{\mathbb{C}}(G)$ the normalized parabolic induction functor on the categories of smooth representations. Its left adjoint is the normalized parabolic restriction functor r_P^G . If $Q = L \ltimes N$ is another parabolic subgroup with Levi quotient L and unipotent radical N such that $P \cap Q$ contains a fixed minimal parabolic subgroup, then the Geometrical Lemma states that the functor $r_Q^G i_P^G$ admits a filtration by subfunctors such that the graded pieces are given by functors of the form

$$i_{g^{-1}Pg \cap L}^L \circ g_*^{-1} \circ r_{M \cap gQg^{-1}}^M,$$

where $g_*^{-1}: \text{Rep}_{\mathbb{C}}(M \cap gLg^{-1}) \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{Rep}_{\mathbb{C}}(g^{-1}Mg \cap L)$ is the equivalence of categories induced by conjugation with g^{-1} and g runs through a certain set of double coset representatives of $P \backslash G / Q$. All known proofs rely on the use of Haar measures and the exactness of r_P^G . They are easily adapted to prove a Geometrical Lemma for smooth representations over a field k of characteristic $\neq p$.

However, if k is a field of characteristic p , then the proofs break down completely. Since there is no modulus character, one cannot talk about normalization. We denote by $i_P^G: \text{Rep}_k(M) \rightarrow \text{Rep}_k(G)$ the unnormalized parabolic induction functor and $L^0(U, -)$ its left adjoint. In this context, Haar measures do not exist and $L^0(U, -)$ is not exact; the Geometrical Lemma takes on a much simpler but also less satisfactory form: the functor $L^0(N, -) i_P^G$ is isomorphic to $i_{P \cap L}^L L^0(M \cap N, -)$, see [AHV19, Theorem 5.5]; in other words, there is a filtration with only one graded piece. The reason for this pathological behaviour comes down to the fact that there exists no non-trivial Haar measure on U .

As it turns out, there is a full Geometrical Lemma once we pass to the derived categories.

1.2. Main results. From now on, let k be a field of characteristic p . For any p -adic Lie group H we denote by $D(H)$ the unbounded derived category of the category $\text{Rep}_k(H)$ of smooth k -linear representations of H . With the notation from above the parabolic induction extends to a derived functor $\text{R}i_P^G: D(M) \rightarrow D(G)$. By the main result of [Hey23], there exists a left adjoint $L(U, -)$. It should be noted that we need to assume that \mathfrak{F} has characteristic zero. If \mathfrak{F} has positive characteristic, then G is not a p -adic Lie group and the methods of *op. cit.* do not apply; in particular the existence of $L(U, -)$ remains unknown.

To state the Geometrical Lemma, we fix a set $\mathcal{N}_{P,Q}$ of double coset representatives of $P \backslash G / Q$ which normalizes a maximal \mathfrak{F} -split torus (of G) that is contained in $P \cap Q$. For the notion of filtration on a triangulated functor, we refer to Definition 3.2.7. If H is a p -adic Lie group, we denote by $\dim H$ its dimension as a p -adic manifold in the sense of [Sch11].

A. Theorem (Corollary 3.3.6). *The functor $L(N, -) \circ \text{R}i_P^G: D(M) \rightarrow D(L)$ admits a filtration of length $|\mathcal{N}_{P,Q}|$ with graded pieces of the form*

$$\text{R}i_{n^{-1}Pn \cap L}^L \circ (\omega_n \otimes_k -) \circ n_*^{-1} \circ L(M \cap nNn^{-1}, -),$$

for $n \in \mathcal{N}_{P,Q}$, where $\omega_n \in D(n^{-1}Mn \cap L)$ is a character in cohomological degree $-\dim(n^{-1}\overline{U}n \cap N)$ and \overline{U} is the unipotent radical of the parabolic opposite P .

To fix ideas, we note that, if one chooses $\mathcal{N}_{P,Q}$ carefully and if G is \mathfrak{F} -split, then ω_n is concentrated in degree $-\lceil \mathfrak{F} : \mathbb{Q}_p \rceil \ell(w)$, where $\ell(w)$ denotes the length of the image w of n in the (finite) Weyl group. Thus, ω_n contributes a cohomological shift which is not detected on the abelian categories; this gives a conceptual explanation of why there is no proper Geometrical Lemma for (underived) smooth mod p representations. The twist by the character ω_n is not surprising as it occurs also in the classical context although it is hidden in the normalization of the parabolic induction and restriction functors.

The proof of Theorem A follows the general strategy employed by Bernstein–Zelevinsky and Casselman in that the problem is reduced to checking certain compatibilities between compact

induction and (derived) coinvariants. Since we do not have Haar measures at our disposal (which are the primary tool in the classical setting), it is not possible to write down the required isomorphisms by hand. In comparison, our proof is more conceptual. As a non-formal input the proof uses that the derived inflation functor $\mathrm{RInf}_P^M : \mathrm{D}(M) \rightarrow \mathrm{D}(P)$ is fully faithful, which follows from the fact that U is a unipotent group, see [Hey23, Example 3.4.24]. Hence, the same proof will apply in other contexts as well.

A general method to determine explicitly the characters ω_n , for $n \in \mathcal{N}_{P,Q}$, is presented in Propositions 2.3.4 and 2.3.9. This is applied in Lemma 4.1.6 to deduce a concrete description of the characters ω_n .

As an application, we will compute several Ext-groups between parabolically induced representations. These are virtually identical with the main results of [Hau16, Hau18]; the important differences are that Hauseux computes higher extensions in the category of locally admissible representations and relies for the strongest of these results on an open conjecture of Emerton [Eme10, Conjecture 3.7.2], which to our knowledge has only been resolved for GL_2 . In contrast, the Ext-groups in this paper are computed in the category of all smooth representations and do not rely on conjectural statements.

To state the results concerning Ext-groups, we introduce some notation. We fix a maximal \mathfrak{F} -split torus contained in a minimal parabolic subgroup B . These choices come with a (relative) root system together with a set of simple roots. Fix standard parabolic subgroups $P = M \ltimes U$ and $Q = L \ltimes N$. We choose a distinguished set $\mathcal{N}_{P,Q}$ of double coset representatives of $P \backslash G / Q$, see §4.1.3 for more details. For each $n \in \mathcal{N}_{P,Q}$ we consider the smooth character δ_n of $n^{-1}Mn \cap L$ given by $\omega_n = \delta_n[\dim(n^{-1}\overline{U}n \cap N)]$.

B. Theorem (Theorems 4.2.8 and 4.2.11).

- (a) Assume $Q = B$. Let $\chi : M \rightarrow k^\times$ be a smooth character, let $r \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$, and denote $Z(L)$ the center of L .
 (i) Let $\chi' : L \rightarrow k^\times$ be a smooth character. If

$$\mathrm{Ext}_G^r(i_P^G \chi, i_B^G \chi') \neq 0,$$

then there exists $n \in \mathcal{N}_{P,B}$ such that $\dim(n^{-1}\overline{U}n \cap N) \leq r$ and $\chi' \cong \delta_n \otimes_k n_*^{-1} \chi$ after restriction to $Z(L)$.

- (ii) Assume $\delta_n \otimes_k n_*^{-1} \chi \not\cong \chi$ after restriction to $Z(L)$, for all $n \in \mathcal{N}_{P,B}$. For each $n \in \mathcal{N}_{P,B}$ with $\dim(n^{-1}\overline{U}n \cap N) \leq r$ one has k -linear isomorphisms

$$\mathrm{Ext}_G^r(i_P^G \chi, i_B^G(\delta_n \otimes_k n_*^{-1} \chi)) \cong \mathrm{Ext}_L^{r - \dim(n^{-1}\overline{U}n \cap N)}(\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{1}) \cong H^{r - \dim(n^{-1}\overline{U}n \cap N)}(L, k),$$

where $H^*(L, k)$ denotes continuous group cohomology.

- (b) Let $V \in \mathrm{Rep}_k(M)$ and $W \in \mathrm{Rep}_k(L)$.

- (i) Assume $P \not\subseteq Q$ and $P \not\supseteq Q$, that V is left cuspidal and that W is right cuspidal (see Definition 4.2.9). Then

$$\mathrm{Ext}_G^1(i_P^G V, i_Q^G W) = 0.$$

- (ii) Assume $P = Q$. For each $0 \leq i < [\mathfrak{F} : \mathbb{Q}_p]$ the functor i_P^G induces a k -linear isomorphism

$$\mathrm{Ext}_M^i(V, W) \xrightarrow{\cong} \mathrm{Ext}_G^i(i_P^G V, i_P^G W).$$

If moreover V is left cuspidal or W is right cuspidal, and V and W admit distinct central characters, then

$$\mathrm{Ext}_G^{[\mathfrak{F} : \mathbb{Q}_p]}(i_P^G V, i_P^G W) \cong \bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Delta_M^{\perp, 1}} \mathrm{Hom}_M(\delta_{n_\alpha} \otimes_k n_{\alpha*}^{-1} V, W),$$

where $\Delta_M^{\perp, 1}$ denotes the set of simple roots α of G which are orthogonal to all simple roots of M and such that the associated root space has dimension $[\mathfrak{F} : \mathbb{Q}_p]$ as a p -adic manifold. Here, $n_\alpha \in \mathcal{N}_{P,P}$ denotes the lift of the simple reflection corresponding to α .

(iii) Assume $P \supsetneq Q$ and that V is left cuspidal. For all $0 \leq i \leq [\mathfrak{F} : \mathbb{Q}_p]$, the functor i_P^G induces a k -linear isomorphism

$$\mathrm{Ext}_M^i(V, i_{M \cap Q}^M W) \xrightarrow{\cong} \mathrm{Ext}_G^i(i_P^G V, i_Q^G W).$$

(iv) Dually, assume $P \subsetneq Q$ and that W is right cuspidal. For all $0 \leq i \leq [\mathfrak{F} : \mathbb{Q}_p]$, the functor i_Q^G induces a k -linear isomorphism

$$\mathrm{Ext}_L^i(i_{P \cap L}^L V, W) \xrightarrow{\cong} \mathrm{Ext}_G^i(i_P^G V, i_Q^G W).$$

We further compute the representations $L^{-j}(N, \mathrm{Sp}_P^G)$ for all $j \geq 0$, where Sp_P^G denotes the generalized Steinberg representation attached to P , i.e., the unique irreducible quotient of $i_P^G(\mathbf{1})$; see Theorem 4.3.9 and Corollary 4.3.10. To our knowledge, this is the first computation of this kind. This raises the question whether one can compute $L^{-j}(N, V)$ for all irreducible smooth representations V . However, for supersingular V the answer seems to be out of reach with the current methods available. A naive hope would be that $L(N, V) = 0$ for all supersingular V , but [HW22, Theorem 10.37] shows that already for $G = \mathrm{GL}_2(\mathfrak{F})$, where $\mathfrak{F} \supsetneq \mathbb{Q}_p$ is unramified, there exist a supersingular representation V and a principal series $i_P^G W$ such that $\mathrm{Ext}_G^1(V, i_P^G W) \neq 0$, and this implies $L^{-1}(U, V) \neq 0$. In view of this it is unclear what one should expect.

1.3. Organization of the paper. The Geometrical Lemma is the content of Corollary 3.3.6. The preparatory lemmas concerning compact induction and derived coinvariants are proved in §2.2; these in turn rely on the abstract results about functors in monoidal categories which are presented in appendix A.1. The various characters that implicitly appear in the Geometrical Lemma are completely determined in §2.3.

Regarding applications, we compute $L^{-j}(N, V)$ whenever V is a principal series representation (Example 4.2.1) or a generalized Steinberg representation (Theorem 4.3.9 and Corollary 4.3.10). Finally, we use the Geometrical Lemma to compute many Ext-groups between parabolically induced representations in Theorems 4.2.8 and 4.2.11.

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2. Preliminaries

2.1. Notation and conventions. We fix a finite extension $\mathfrak{F}/\mathbb{Q}_p$ and a coefficient field k of characteristic p . The mod p cyclotomic character of \mathbb{Q}_p^\times is given by the composition $\varepsilon: \mathbb{Q}_p^\times \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_p^\times \rightarrow \mathbb{F}_p^\times \subseteq k^\times$, where the first map is given by $x \mapsto xp^{-\mathrm{val}_p(x)}$ for the usual p -adic valuation val_p . We put $\varepsilon_{\mathfrak{F}} := \varepsilon \circ \mathrm{Nm}_{\mathfrak{F}/\mathbb{Q}_p}$, where $\mathrm{Nm}_{\mathfrak{F}/\mathbb{Q}_p}$ is the norm of $\mathfrak{F}/\mathbb{Q}_p$.

If \mathbf{H} is an algebraic group defined over \mathfrak{F} , we denote its group of \mathfrak{F} -points by the corresponding lightface letter, that is, $H = \mathbf{H}(\mathfrak{F})$.

We fix a field k of characteristic $p > 0$.

For a p -adic Lie group G , we denote by $\dim(G)$ its dimension as a p -adic manifold. We denote by $\mathrm{Rep}_k(G)$ the Grothendieck abelian category of smooth k -linear G -representations.

The (unbounded) derived category of $\mathrm{Rep}_k(G)$ is denoted by $D(G)$; it is a *tensor triangulated category*, that is, a triangulated category which is symmetric monoidal and such that the functors $- \otimes_k X$ are triangulated for any X in $D(G)$. The tensor unit is $\mathbf{1} = k[0]$. We denote the right adjoint of $- \otimes_k X$ by $\underline{\mathrm{Hom}}(X, -): D(G) \rightarrow D(G)$. The *smooth dual* of X is denoted by $X^\vee := \underline{\mathrm{Hom}}(X, \mathbf{1})$.

The category $D(G)$ is naturally enriched over $D(k) := D(\{1\})$, the unbounded derived category of the category of k -vector spaces; we denote by $\mathrm{RHom}_G(X, Y) \in D(k)$ the derived Hom-complex, for each $X, Y \in D(G)$; it defines a triangulated functor in each variable.

The derived category $D(G)$ comes with a natural t-structure. For any integer $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ we denote by $D^{\leq n}(G)$ (resp. $D^{\geq n}(G)$) the full subcategory of objects X in $D(G)$ satisfying $H^i(X) = 0$ for

all $i > n$ (resp. $i < n$). Denote by $H^i: D(G) \rightarrow \text{Rep}_k(G)$ the i -th cohomology functor. Note that $\text{RHom}_G(X, Y) \in D^{\geq 0}(k)$ provided $X \in D^{\leq 0}(G)$ and $Y \in D^{\geq 0}(G)$.

If $F, G: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$ are two functors, we denote by $\text{Nat}(F, G)$ the class of natural transformations from F to G .

2.2. Compact induction and derived coinvariants. Let k be a field of characteristic p .

Many arguments in this section rely crucially on the mate correspondence, which is recalled in §A.1.1.

2.2.1. Let G be a p -adic Lie group and $H \leq G$ a closed subgroup. Given a smooth H -representation V , we denote by $\text{c-Ind}_H^G V \in \text{Rep}_k(G)$ the space of all locally constant functions $f: G \rightarrow V$ which satisfy $f(hg) = hf(g)$ for all $h \in H, g \in G$, and have compact support in $H \backslash G$; note that f is fixed by an open subgroup of G under the right translation action. The functor $V \mapsto \text{c-Ind}_H^G V$ is exact and hence extends to a triangulated functor on the (unbounded) derived categories:

$$\text{c-Ind}_H^G: D(H) \longrightarrow D(G).$$

As c-Ind_H^G clearly commutes with direct sums, Brown representability shows that it admits a right adjoint \mathcal{R}_H^G , cf. [Hey23, Corollary 2.3.10(a)]. The functors c-Ind_H^G and \mathcal{R}_H^G are transitive, i.e., if $H \leq H' \leq G$ is a closed intermediate group, then $\text{c-Ind}_H^G \cong \text{c-Ind}_{H'}^G \text{c-Ind}_H^{H'}$ and $\mathcal{R}_H^G \cong \mathcal{R}_{H'}^G \mathcal{R}_H^{H'}$. If $K \leq G$ is an open subgroup, we observe that $\mathcal{R}_K^G \cong \text{Res}_K^G$ by Frobenius reciprocity, where Res_K^G is the restriction functor; in this case we prefer to write ind_K^G instead of c-Ind_K^G .

2.2.2. With $H \leq G$ as above, given a smooth H -representation V , the group G acts by right translation on the space of all functions $f: G \rightarrow V$ which satisfy $f(hg) = hf(g)$ for all $h \in H, g \in G$; we denote by $\text{Ind}_H^G V \in \text{Rep}_k(G)$ the subspace of functions which are fixed by an open subgroup of G . The functor $V \mapsto \text{Ind}_H^G V$ is left exact; if $H \backslash G$ is compact, then $\text{c-Ind}_H^G \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{Ind}_H^G$ is even exact. Taking the right derived functor, we obtain a triangulated functor

$$\text{RInd}_H^G: D(H) \longrightarrow D(G),$$

which is right adjoint to restriction $\text{Res}_H^G: D(G) \rightarrow D(H)$ by Frobenius reciprocity. By a slight abuse of notation we write Ind_H^G for RInd_H^G in case $H \backslash G$ is compact.

The restriction functor $\text{Res}_H^G: D(G) \rightarrow D(H)$ satisfies the following compatibility with compact induction.

2.2.3. Lemma (Projection formula). *Let $H \leq G$ be a closed subgroup. There exists an isomorphism*

$$\text{c-Ind}_H^G(X \otimes_k \text{Res}_H^G Y) \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{c-Ind}_H^G(X) \otimes_k Y \quad \text{in } D(G)$$

which is natural in $X \in D(H)$ and $Y \in D(G)$. Moreover, the natural map

$$\underline{\text{Hom}}(\text{c-Ind}_H^G X, Y) \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{RInd}_H^G \underline{\text{Hom}}(X, \mathcal{R}_H^G Y)$$

is an isomorphism in $D(G)$, for all $X \in D(H)$ and $Y \in D(G)$.

Proof. We describe the inverse map. For any $V \in \text{Rep}_k(H)$ and $W \in \text{Rep}_k(G)$, the morphism $\text{c-Ind}_H^G(V) \otimes_k W \rightarrow \text{c-Ind}_H^G(V \otimes_k \text{Res}_H^G W)$ given by $f \otimes w \mapsto [g \mapsto f(g) \otimes gw]$ is a natural isomorphism, cf. [AHV19, Lemma 2.5]. Since c-Ind_H^G , Res_H^G , and $- \otimes_k -$ are exact functors, this isomorphism readily extends to the derived categories.

The isomorphism $\text{c-Ind}_H^G(X \otimes_k -) \text{Res}_H^G \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{c-Ind}_H^G X \otimes_k -$ yields, by passing to the right adjoints, an isomorphism $\underline{\text{Hom}}(\text{c-Ind}_H^G X, -) \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{RInd}_H^G \underline{\text{Hom}}(X, -) \mathcal{R}_H^G$, which proves the last assertion. \square

2.2.4. Given a closed normal subgroup $N \trianglelefteq G$, the inflation $\text{Inf}_G^{G/N} : \mathcal{D}(G/N) \rightarrow \mathcal{D}(G)$ along the projection $G \rightarrow G/N$ admits a right adjoint $\text{RH}^0(N, -)$ as well as a left adjoint, see [Hey23, Theorem 3.2.3], which we call the functor of *derived coinvariants* and denote

$$\text{L}_N : \mathcal{D}(G) \longrightarrow \mathcal{D}(G/N).$$

Note that for any subgroup $N \leq H \leq G$ there is an isomorphism $\text{Res}_{H/N}^{G/N} \text{L}_N \cong \text{L}_N \text{Res}_H^G$ by [Hey23, Proposition 3.2.19] so that the notation should not lead to confusion.

If G is compact and torsion-free, then $\text{RH}^0(N, -)$ admits a right adjoint denoted $F_G^{G/N}$, [Hey23, Lemma 3.1.3]. In this case, we call $\omega_G := F_G^{G/N}(\mathbf{1}) \in \mathcal{D}(G)$ the *dualizing complex*; we remark that $\omega_G \cong k[\dim N]$, [Hey23, Proposition 3.1.10].

2.2.5. Lemma. *Let G be compact and torsion-free, and let $N \leq H \leq G$ be closed subgroups such that $N \trianglelefteq G$. Then one has a commutative diagram*

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{D}(G/N) & \xrightarrow{\text{Res}_{H/N}^{G/N}} & \mathcal{D}(H/N) \\ F_G^{G/N} \downarrow & & \downarrow F_H^{H/N} \\ \mathcal{D}(G) & \xrightarrow{\text{Res}_H^G} & \mathcal{D}(H). \end{array}$$

Proof. We apply Lemma A.1.5(a) to the isomorphism $\alpha : \text{Res}_H^G \text{Inf}_G^{G/N} \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{Inf}_H^{H/N} \text{Res}_{H/N}^{G/N}$. By §2.2.4 and the projection formula for $\text{RH}^0(N, -)$, [Hey23, Lemma 3.1.2], the assumptions (A1) and (A2) of §A.1.4 are satisfied. Thus, we obtain a commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{Res}_H^G \omega_G^{G/N} \otimes_k \text{Res}_H^G \text{Inf}_G^{G/N}(X) & \xrightarrow{\cong} & \text{Res}_H^G F_G^{G/N}(X) \\ \beta_1 \otimes \alpha \downarrow & & \downarrow \beta \\ \omega_H^{H/N} \otimes_k \text{Inf}_H^{H/N} \text{Res}_{H/N}^{G/N}(X) & \xrightarrow{\cong} & F_H^{H/N} \text{Res}_{H/N}^{G/N}(X), \end{array}$$

where $\beta := r(r(\alpha^{-1})^{-1})$ in the notation of §A.1.4. The top and bottom horizontal maps are isomorphisms by [Hey23, Corollary 3.1.7]. The assertion is that β is an isomorphism. But note that β is non-zero (as the right mate of a non-zero map) and hence $\beta_1 \neq 0$ by the commutativity of the diagram. But since $\omega_G^{G/N}$ and $\omega_H^{H/N}$ are characters, β_1 is necessarily an isomorphism. Since also α is invertible, we deduce that the left vertical map in the diagram is an isomorphism. Therefore, β is an isomorphism. \square

2.2.6. Lemma. *Let $H, N \trianglelefteq G$ be closed normal subgroups such that HN is closed. Assume $\text{L}_{H \cap N}(\mathbf{1}) \cong \mathbf{1}$.¹ Then one has a commutative diagram*

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{D}(G/H) & \xrightarrow{\text{Inf}_G^{G/H}} & \mathcal{D}(G) \\ \text{L}_{HN/H} \downarrow & & \downarrow \text{L}_N \\ \mathcal{D}(G/HN) & \xrightarrow{\text{Inf}_{G/N}^{G/HN}} & \mathcal{D}(G/N). \end{array}$$

Proof. The natural isomorphism $\text{Inf}_G^{G/H} \text{Inf}_{G/H}^{G/HN} \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{Inf}_G^{G/N} \text{Inf}_{G/N}^{G/HN}$ induces, by passing to the left mates, a natural transformation $\text{L}_N \text{Inf}_G^{G/H} \Rightarrow \text{Inf}_{G/N}^{G/HN} \text{L}_{HN/H}$ which we claim is an isomorphism of functors $\mathcal{D}(G/H) \rightarrow \mathcal{D}(G/N)$. This can be checked after applying the conservative functor

¹Recall that by [Hey23, Proposition 3.2.19] this condition is independent of the group containing $H \cap N$ as a normal subgroup.

$\text{Res}_1^{G/N}$. By the compatibility of restriction with derived coinvariants, [Hey23, Proposition 3.2.19], and inflation we reduce to the case $G = N$. Hence, we have to show that the natural map

$$(2.2.7) \quad L_G \text{Inf}_G^{G/H} \Longrightarrow L_{G/H}$$

which arises as the left mate of $\varphi: \text{Inf}_G^{G/H} \text{Inf}_{G/H}^1 \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{Inf}_G^1$ is an isomorphism. Let us denote by $\psi: L_G \xrightarrow{\cong} L_{G/H} L_H$ the isomorphism obtained from φ by passing to the left adjoints. By [Hey23, Corollary 3.4.23], the hypothesis $L_H(\mathbf{1}) \cong \mathbf{1}$ means that the counit $\varepsilon: L_H \text{Inf}_G^{G/H} \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{id}_{D(G/H)}$ is an isomorphism. Consider the following commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{Nat}(L_{G/H}, L_{G/H}) & \xleftarrow{\quad} & \text{Nat}(\text{Inf}_{G/H}^1, \text{Inf}_{G/H}^1) \ni \text{id}_{\text{Inf}_{G/H}^1} \\ \downarrow (L_{G/H} \varepsilon)^* & & \downarrow \text{Inf}_G^{G/H} \\ \text{Nat}(L_{G/H} L_H \text{Inf}_G^{G/H}, L_{G/H}) & \xleftarrow{\quad} & \text{Nat}(\text{Inf}_G^{G/H} \text{Inf}_{G/H}^1, \text{Inf}_G^{G/H} \text{Inf}_{G/H}^1) \\ \downarrow (\psi \text{Inf}_G^{G/H})^* & & \downarrow \varphi_* \\ (2.2.7) \in \text{Nat}(L_G \text{Inf}_G^{G/H}, L_{G/H}) & \xleftarrow{\quad} & \text{Nat}(\text{Inf}_G^{G/H} \text{Inf}_{G/H}^1, \text{Inf}_G^1), \end{array}$$

where the horizontal maps are given by passing to the right/left mates. Now, the map (2.2.7) is the image of $\text{id}_{\text{Inf}_{G/H}^1}$ under the lower-right circuit. By the commutativity of the diagram we deduce that (2.2.7) coincides with the composition

$$L_G \text{Inf}_G^{G/H} \xrightarrow{\psi \text{Inf}_G^{G/H}} L_{G/H} L_H \text{Inf}_G^{G/H} \xrightarrow{L_{G/H} \varepsilon} L_{G/H}$$

of two isomorphisms and is thus itself an isomorphism. \square

2.2.8. Lemma. *Let $N \leq H \leq G$ be closed subgroups such that $N \trianglelefteq G$ is normal. One has commutative diagrams*

$$\begin{array}{ccc} D(H) & \xrightarrow{\text{c-Ind}_H^G} & D(G) \\ \downarrow L_N & & \downarrow L_N \\ D(H/N) & \xrightarrow{\text{c-Ind}_{H/N}^{G/N}} & D(G/N) \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{ccc} D(G/N) & \xrightarrow{\mathcal{R}_{H/N}^{G/N}} & D(H/N) \\ \downarrow \text{Inf}_G^{G/N} & & \downarrow \text{Inf}_H^{H/N} \\ D(G) & \xrightarrow{\mathcal{R}_H^G} & D(H). \end{array}$$

Proof. Denoting $\text{pr}: G \rightarrow G/N$ the projection map, we consider the natural isomorphism

$$(2.2.9) \quad \text{c-Ind}_H^G \text{Inf}_H^{H/N} \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{Inf}_G^{G/N} \text{c-Ind}_{H/N}^{G/N}$$

of functors $D(H/N) \rightarrow D(G)$, whose inverse is given by $f \mapsto f \circ \text{pr}$ on the level of underived categories. Passing to the left and right mates, respectively, we obtain natural transformations

$$(2.2.10) \quad L_N \text{c-Ind}_H^G \Longrightarrow \text{c-Ind}_{H/N}^{G/N} L_N$$

$$(2.2.11) \quad \text{Inf}_H^{H/N} \mathcal{R}_{H/N}^{G/N} \Longrightarrow \mathcal{R}_H^G \text{Inf}_G^{G/N}.$$

Note that (2.2.11) is obtained from (2.2.10) by passing to the right adjoints, and hence one is an isomorphism if and only if the other is. Thus, it suffices to prove that (2.2.11) is an isomorphism.

Let $K \leq G$ be any open subgroup; we write $K_H = K \cap H$ and $K_N = K \cap N$. Consider the following commutative diagram:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \text{Res}_{K_H}^H \text{Inf}_H^{H/N} \mathcal{R}_{H/N}^{G/N} & \xrightarrow{\cong} & \text{Inf}_{K_H}^{K_H/K_N} \text{Res}_{K_H/K_N}^{H/N} \mathcal{R}_{H/N}^{G/N} & \xrightarrow{\cong} & \text{Inf}_{K_H}^{K_H/K_N} \mathcal{R}_{K_H/K_N}^{K/K_N} \text{Res}_{K/K_N}^{G/N} \\
 \text{Res}_{K_H}^H \text{ (2.2.11)} \downarrow & & & & \downarrow \text{ (2.2.11) Res}_{K/K_N}^{G/N} \\
 \text{Res}_{K_H}^H \mathcal{R}_H^G \text{Inf}_G^{G/N} & \xrightarrow{\cong} & \mathcal{R}_{K_H}^K \text{Res}_K^G \text{Inf}_G^{G/N} & \xrightarrow{\cong} & \mathcal{R}_{K_H}^K \text{Inf}_K^{K/K_N} \text{Res}_{K/K_N}^{G/N} .
 \end{array}$$

Here, the upper right and lower left horizontal maps are isomorphisms, because compact induction, hence also its right adjoint, is transitive, [Vig96, I.5.3]. As $\text{Res}_{K_H}^H$ is conservative, (2.2.11) is an isomorphism if and only if the left vertical map is an isomorphism, if and only if the right vertical map is an isomorphism.

Thus, replacing G by K , we may assume from the beginning that G is compact and torsion-free. In this setting, the map (2.2.10) reads

$$(2.2.12) \quad L_N \text{Ind}_H^G \implies \text{Ind}_{H/N}^{G/N} L_N.$$

We finish by proving that (2.2.12) is an isomorphism. In the proof of Lemma 2.2.5 we verified that the isomorphism $\alpha: \text{Res}_H^G \text{Inf}_G^{G/N} \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{Inf}_H^{H/N} \text{Res}_{H/N}^{G/N}$ satisfies the assumptions (A1) and (A2) of §A.1.4 in the notation of which the map (2.2.12) is just $\gamma := l(r(\alpha)^{-1})$. We apply Lemma A.1.5(b) in the context

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 D(G/N) & \xrightarrow{\bar{g}^* = \text{Res}_{H/N}^{G/N}} & D(H/N) \\
 \bar{f}^* = \text{Inf}_G^{G/N} \downarrow & & \downarrow f^* = \text{Inf}_H^{H/N} \\
 D(G) & \xrightarrow{g^* = \text{Res}_H^G} & D(H)
 \end{array}$$

and with $a = \mathbf{1}$; we thus obtain a commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \text{RH}^0(N, \omega_G^{G/N} \otimes_k -) \text{Ind}_H^G & \xrightarrow{\cong} & \text{RH}^0(N, -) \text{Ind}_H^G (\text{Res}_H^G \omega_G^{G/N} \otimes_k -) & \xrightarrow{\cong} & \text{Ind}_{H/N}^{G/N} \text{RH}^0(N, \omega_H^{H/N} \otimes_k -) \\
 \cong \downarrow & & & & \downarrow \cong \\
 L_N \text{Ind}_H^G & \xrightarrow{\gamma} & & & \text{Ind}_{H/N}^{G/N} L_N
 \end{array}$$

commutes. The left and right vertical maps are isomorphisms by [Hey23, Corollary 3.1.8]. Hence, γ is an isomorphism. \square

2.2.13. Remark. Let $N \trianglelefteq G$ and $H \leq G$ be closed subgroups such that $G = HN$. Then one has a natural isomorphism

$$\text{RH}^0(N, -) \text{RInd}_H^G \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{RH}^0(H \cap N, -)$$

of functors $D(H) \rightarrow D(G/N)$ arising from the isomorphism $\text{Inf}_H^{H/H \cap N} \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{Res}_H^G \text{Inf}_G^{G/N}$ by passing to the right adjoints.

We will need the following dual statement.

2.2.14. Lemma. *Let $N \trianglelefteq G$ and $H \leq G$ be closed subgroups such that $G = HN$. Assume there exists a subnormal series $H \cap N = N_r \trianglelefteq N_{r-1} \trianglelefteq \dots \trianglelefteq N_1 \trianglelefteq N_0 = N$ by closed subgroups such that $L_{N_i}(\mathbf{1}) = \mathbf{1}$ for all $i = 1, \dots, r$. Then*

$$(2.2.15) \quad \omega_{H \setminus G} := L_N \text{c-Ind}_H^G(\mathbf{1}) \in D(G/N)$$

is a character concentrated in degree $-\dim H \backslash G$, and the following diagram commutes:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} D(H) & \xrightarrow{\text{c-Ind}_H^G} & D(G) \\ \downarrow L_{H \cap N} & & \downarrow L_N \\ D(H/H \cap N) & \xrightarrow{\omega_{H \backslash G} \otimes -} & D(G/N). \end{array}$$

Remark. We will check in Corollary 2.3.10 that $\text{Inf}_H^{G/N} \omega_{H \backslash G}$ is independent of the choice of N .

Proof. We will implicitly make the identification $H/H \cap N \cong G/N$ throughout the proof. Let $Y \in D(k)$ be arbitrary and put $X := \text{Inf}_H^1 Y$. Consider the natural isomorphism

$$L_N \text{c-Ind}_H^G(X \otimes_k -) \text{Res}_H^G \text{Inf}_G^{G/N} \xrightarrow[\cong]{L_N \text{pf}} L_N(\text{c-Ind}_H^G X \otimes_k -) \text{Inf}_G^{G/N} \xrightarrow[\cong]{\text{lpf}} L_N \text{c-Ind}_H^G X \otimes_k -,$$

where pf is the isomorphism in Lemma 2.2.3 and lpf is the map lpf_f from §A.1.6 for the functor $f^* = \text{Inf}_G^{G/N}$; note that lpf is an isomorphism by [Hey23, Corollary 3.3.5]. Using $\text{Res}_H^G \text{Inf}_G^{G/N} = \text{Inf}_H^{G/N}$ and passing to the left mate in the displayed isomorphism above, we obtain a natural map

$$\rho_{N,H}: L_N \text{c-Ind}_H^G(X \otimes X') \Longrightarrow L_N \text{c-Ind}_H^G X \otimes_k L_{H \cap N} X'$$

for any $X' \in D(H)$. We claim that $\rho_{N,H}$ is an isomorphism, which then for $X = \mathbf{1}$ witnesses the commutativity of the asserted diagram.

We reduce to the case $N = G$ as follows: apply the discussion of §A.1.6 to the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} D(G/N) & \xrightarrow{\text{Res}_1^{G/N}} & D(k) & & \\ \downarrow \text{Inf}_H^{G/N} & \searrow \text{Inf}_G^{G/N} & \swarrow \text{Inf}_N^1 & & \downarrow \text{Inf}_{H \cap N}^1 \\ & D(G) & \xrightarrow{\text{Res}_N^G} & D(N) & \\ \swarrow \text{Res}_H^G & \nearrow \text{c-Ind}_H^G & \nwarrow \text{Res}_{H \cap N}^N & \nearrow \text{c-Ind}_{H \cap N}^N & \\ D(H) & \xrightarrow{\text{Res}_{H \cap N}^H} & D(H \cap N). \end{array}$$

Note that, since $G = HN$, restriction of functions induces a natural isomorphism whose inverse

$$\text{c-Ind}_{H \cap N}^N \text{Res}_{H \cap N}^H \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{Res}_N^G \text{c-Ind}_H^G$$

plays the role of ϕ in §A.1.6. The condition **(A3)** is satisfied by [Hey23, Theorem 3.2.3]. The isomorphisms in **(A4)** are supplied by Lemma 2.2.3 for which **(A4)** is easily verified. Now, Lemma A.1.7 provides a commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} L_N \text{c-Ind}_{H \cap N}^N(\text{Res}_{H \cap N}^H X \otimes_k \text{Res}_{H \cap N}^H X') & \xrightarrow{\rho_{N,H \cap N}} & L_N \text{c-Ind}_{H \cap N}^N \text{Res}_{H \cap N}^H X \otimes_k L_{H \cap N} \text{Res}_{H \cap N}^H X' \\ \cong \downarrow & & \downarrow \cong \\ \text{Res}_1^{G/N} L_N \text{c-Ind}_H^G(X \otimes_k X') & \xrightarrow[\text{Res}_1^{G/N} \rho_{N,H}]{\text{Res}_1^{G/N} \rho_{N,H}} & \text{Res}_1^{G/N} (L_N \text{c-Ind}_H^G X \otimes_k L_{H \cap N} X'). \end{array}$$

The maps $l(\sigma)$ and $l(\rho)$ in Lemma A.1.7 correspond to the natural transformations

$$l(\sigma): L_N \text{Res}_N^G \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{Res}_1^{G/N} L_N \quad \text{and} \quad l(\rho): L_{H \cap N} \text{Res}_{H \cap N}^H \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{Res}_1^{G/N} L_{H \cap N},$$

which are isomorphisms by [Hey23, Proposition 3.2.19]. Therefore, the vertical maps are isomorphisms. Since $\text{Res}_1^{G/N}$ is conservative, it suffices to show that the top map is an isomorphism. In

other words, we may assume from the beginning that $N = G$ and have to show that the map

$$(2.2.16) \quad \rho_{N,H}: L_N \text{c-Ind}_H^N(X \otimes_k X') \longrightarrow L_N \text{c-Ind}_H^N X \otimes_k L_{H \cap N} X'$$

is a natural isomorphism. We induct on the length r of the subnormal series. Let $r = 1$ so that $H \trianglelefteq N$.² We apply the discussion in §A.1.8 to the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} D(k) & \xrightarrow{\text{Inf}_{N/H}^1} & D(N/H) & \xrightarrow{\text{Inf}_N^{N/H}} & D(N) \\ & \searrow & \downarrow \text{Res}_1^{N/H} & \uparrow \text{c-Ind}_1^{N/H} & \downarrow \text{c-Ind}_H^N \\ & & D(k) & \xrightarrow{\text{Inf}_H^1} & D(H). \end{array}$$

The map $l(\phi)$ in Lemma A.1.9 is now given by $L_H \text{c-Ind}_H^N \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{c-Ind}_1^{N/H} L_H$, see (2.2.10). The conditions **(A3)**–**(A5)** are clearly satisfied. By Lemma A.1.9, and since $L_N \cong L_{N/H} L_H$, we obtain a commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} L_N \text{c-Ind}_H^N(\text{Inf}_H^1 Y \otimes_k X') & \xrightarrow{\rho_{N,H}} & L_N \text{c-Ind}_H^N \text{Inf}_H^1 Y \otimes_k L_H X' \\ \downarrow \cong & & \downarrow \cong \\ L_{N/H} \text{c-Ind}_1^{N/H} L_H(\text{Inf}_H^1 Y \otimes_k X') & & L_N \text{Inf}_N^{N/H} \text{c-Ind}_1^{N/H} Y \otimes_k L_H X' \\ \downarrow \cong & & \downarrow \cong \varepsilon \otimes \text{id} \\ L_{N/H} \text{c-Ind}_1^{N/H}(Y \otimes_k L_H X') & \xrightarrow[\rho_{N/H,1}]{} & L_{N/H} \text{c-Ind}_1^{N/H} Y \otimes L_H X'. \end{array}$$

The lower left vertical map is an isomorphism by [Hey23, Corollary 3.3.5], and the lower right vertical map is an isomorphism by [Hey23, Corollary 3.4.23] and the hypothesis $L_H(\mathbf{1}) \cong \mathbf{1}$. It is obvious from the construction that $\rho_{N/H,1}$ is an isomorphism. Hence, $\rho_{N,H}$ is an isomorphism, which settles the case $r = 1$.

Let now $r \geq 2$. We apply the discussion in §A.1.10 to the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} & & \text{Inf}_N^1 & \xrightarrow{\quad} & D(N) \\ & & \swarrow & & \uparrow \text{Res}_{N_1}^N \\ D(k) & \xrightarrow{\text{Inf}_{N_1}^1} & D(N_1) & \xrightarrow{\text{c-Ind}_{N_1}^N} & D(N) \\ & & \swarrow \text{Res}_{N_1}^N & & \uparrow \text{c-Ind}_H^N \\ & & D(H) & \xrightarrow{\text{c-Ind}_H^N} & D(N) \\ & & \swarrow \text{Res}_H^N & & \uparrow \text{Inf}_H^1 \\ & & D(k) & \xrightarrow{\text{Inf}_H^1} & D(H) \end{array}$$

Note that there is a natural isomorphism $\text{c-Ind}_H^N \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{c-Ind}_{N_1}^N \text{c-Ind}_{H^1}^{N_1}$, [Vig96, I.5.3]. Again, the conditions **(A6)**–**(A8)** are easily verified. Let $Y' \in D(k)$ be arbitrary and put $Z := \text{Inf}_{N_1}^1 Y'$. By

²Note that, if $r = 0$, then $N = H = G$ and the assertion of the lemma is tautological. It is true, although not trivial, that $\rho_{N,N}$ is an isomorphism and will be left as an easy exercise.

Lemma A.1.11 we obtain a commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
L_N \text{c-Ind}_H^N (\text{Res}_H^{N_1} Z \otimes_k X \otimes_k X') & \xrightarrow{\cong} & L_N \text{c-Ind}_{N_1}^N (Z \otimes_k \text{c-Ind}_H^{N_1} (X \otimes X')) \\
\downarrow \rho_{N,H} & & \downarrow \cong \rho_{N,N_1} \\
L_N \text{c-Ind}_H^N (\text{Res}_H^{N_1} Z \otimes_k X) \otimes_k L_H X' & & L_N \text{c-Ind}_{N_1}^N Z \otimes_k L_{N_1} \text{c-Ind}_H^{N_1} (X \otimes X') \\
\downarrow \cong & & \downarrow \cong \text{id} \otimes \rho_{N_1,H} \\
L_N \text{c-Ind}_{N_1}^N (Z \otimes_k \text{c-Ind}_H^{N_1} X) \otimes_k L_H X' & \xrightarrow[\rho_{N,N_1} \otimes \text{id}]{\cong} & L_N \text{c-Ind}_{N_1}^N Z \otimes_k L_{N_1} \text{c-Ind}_H^{N_1} X \otimes_k L_H X'.
\end{array}$$

Here, the top horizontal and lower left vertical map are isomorphisms by Lemma 2.2.3. The maps ρ_{N,N_1} and $\rho_{N_1,H}$ are isomorphisms by the induction hypothesis. It follows that the top left vertical map is an isomorphism. In particular, for $Y' = \mathbf{1}$, this proves that (2.2.16) is an isomorphism. This finishes the induction step.

It remains to prove that $\omega_{H \setminus G} = L_N \text{c-Ind}_H^G \mathbf{1}$ is a character concentrated in degree $-\dim H \setminus G$. Note that $\text{Res}_1^{G/N} \omega_{H \setminus G} \cong \omega_{H \cap N \setminus N}$, so that we may assume $N = G$ from the beginning. We first treat the case $H = \{1\}$ so that the claim becomes $L_N \text{c-Ind}_1^N (\mathbf{1}) \cong k[\dim N]$. Fix a torsion-free open compact subgroup $K_N \leq N$; note that $\dim K_N = \dim N$. We compute

$$\begin{aligned}
L_N \text{c-Ind}_1^N (\mathbf{1}) &\cong L_N \text{ind}_{K_N}^N \text{Ind}_1^{K_N} (\mathbf{1}) \\
&\cong L_{K_N} \text{Ind}_1^{K_N} (\mathbf{1}) && \text{(by [Hey23, Proposition 3.2.11])} \\
&\cong \text{RH}^0(K_N, \omega_{K_N} \otimes_k \text{Ind}_1^{K_N} (\mathbf{1})) && \text{(by [Hey23, Proposition 3.1.8])} \\
&\cong \text{RH}^0(K_N, \text{Ind}_1^{K_N} k[\dim K_N]) && \text{(by [Hey23, Proposition 3.1.10])} \\
&\cong k[\dim K_N],
\end{aligned}$$

where the last isomorphism is Shapiro's lemma (or Remark 2.2.13). This settles the case $H = \{1\}$.

If $r = 1$, we compute

$$L_N \text{c-Ind}_H^N (\mathbf{1}) \cong L_N \text{Inf}_N^{N/H} \text{c-Ind}_1^{N/H} (\mathbf{1}) \cong L_{N/H} \text{c-Ind}_1^{N/H} (\mathbf{1}) \cong k[\dim N/H],$$

where the first isomorphism is (2.2.9), and the second follows from the assumption $L_H(\mathbf{1}) \cong \mathbf{1}$. Now, for $r \geq 2$, we have canonical isomorphisms

$$\begin{aligned}
\omega_{H \setminus N} &= L_N \text{c-Ind}_H^N (\mathbf{1}) \\
&\cong L_{N/N_1} L_{N_1} \text{c-Ind}_{N_1}^N \text{c-Ind}_H^{N_1} (\mathbf{1}) \\
&\cong L_{N/N_1} \text{c-Ind}_1^{N/N_1} L_{N_1} \text{c-Ind}_H^{N_1} (\mathbf{1}) && \text{(by Lemma 2.2.8)} \\
&\cong L_{N/N_1} \text{c-Ind}_1^{N/N_1} (\mathbf{1}) \otimes_k L_{N_1} \text{c-Ind}_H^{N_1} (\mathbf{1}) && \text{(induced by } \rho_{N/N_1,1}) \\
&= \omega_{N/N_1} \otimes_k \omega_{H \setminus N_1}.
\end{aligned}$$

Since $\dim(N/N_1) + \dim(H \setminus N_1) = \dim(H \setminus N)$, it follows that $\omega_{H \setminus N} \cong k[\dim H \setminus N]$. This finishes the proof. \square

2.3. The duality character.

2.3.1. We denote by $\varepsilon: \mathbb{Q}_p^\times \rightarrow k^\times$ the mod p cyclotomic character given by sending x to the image of $x p^{-\text{val}_p(x)}$ in k . If $\mathfrak{F}/\mathbb{Q}_p$ is a finite field extension, we put $\varepsilon_{\mathfrak{F}} := \varepsilon \circ \text{Nm}_{\mathfrak{F}/\mathbb{Q}_p}$, where $\text{Nm}_{\mathfrak{F}/\mathbb{Q}_p}$ denotes the norm map.

2.3.2. The purpose of this section is to give an explicit description of the character (2.2.15). Let G be a p -adic Lie group of dimension d and denote by \mathfrak{g} its \mathbb{Q}_p -Lie algebra (cf. [Sch11, p. 100]). The determinant of the adjoint action of G on \mathfrak{g} provides a character $\det \mathfrak{g}: G \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p^\times$. Put

$$\mathfrak{d}_G := \varepsilon \circ \det(\mathfrak{g}): G \longrightarrow k^\times.$$

Note that, if G is even a Lie group over a finite extension $\mathfrak{F}/\mathbb{Q}_p$ (in the sense of [Sch11]), then \mathfrak{g} is an \mathfrak{F} -vector space and $\mathfrak{d}_G = \varepsilon_{\mathfrak{F}} \circ \det_{\mathfrak{F}}(\mathfrak{g})$ by [Bou07, III, §9, no. 4, Proposition 6], where $\det_{\mathfrak{F}}(\mathfrak{g})$ denotes the determinant of the \mathfrak{F} -linear action of G on \mathfrak{g} .

2.3.3. Definition. Let $\Delta: G \rightarrow G \times G$, $g \mapsto (g, g)$ be the diagonal and write $G_1 := G \times \{1\}$ and $G_2 := \{1\} \times G$ as subgroups of $G \times G$. The *dualizing character* of G is defined as

$$\omega_G := L_{G_2} \text{c-Ind}_{\Delta(G)}^{G \times G}(\mathbf{1}) \in D(G),$$

where we identify $(G \times G)/G_2 \cong G$ via the first projection.

We leave it as an easy exercise for the reader to check that the automorphism on $G \times G$ given by $(g, h) \mapsto (h, g)$ induces an isomorphism $\omega_G \cong L_{G_1} \text{c-Ind}_{\Delta(G)}^{G \times G}(\mathbf{1})$.

2.3.4. Proposition. *One has $\omega_G \cong \mathfrak{d}_G[d]$ and $\omega_G^\vee \cong \mathcal{R}_{\Delta(G)}^{G \times G}(\mathbf{1})$.*

Proof. We compute

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{\text{Hom}}(\omega_G, \mathbf{1}) &\cong \text{RH}^0(G_2, \underline{\text{Hom}}(\text{c-Ind}_{\Delta(G)}^{G \times G}(\mathbf{1}), \mathbf{1})) && ([\text{Hey23, Corollary 3.3.7}]) \\ &\cong \text{RH}^0(G_2, \text{RInd}_{\Delta(G)}^{G \times G} \underline{\text{Hom}}(\mathbf{1}, \mathcal{R}_{\Delta(G)}^{G \times G}(\mathbf{1}))) && (\text{Lemma 2.2.3}) \\ &\cong \mathcal{R}_{\Delta(G)}^{G \times G}(\mathbf{1}), \end{aligned}$$

where the last isomorphism uses Remark 2.2.13 and that canonically $\underline{\text{Hom}}(\mathbf{1}, X) \cong X$ for each $X \in D(G)$.

We prove $\omega_G \cong \mathfrak{d}_G[d]$ by showing $\omega_G^\vee \cong \chi_G[-d]$, where χ_G is Kohlhaase's duality character. The claim then follows from [Koh17, Theorem 5.1]. Observe that restriction of functions induces a k -linear isomorphism $\text{c-Ind}_{\Delta(G)}^{G \times G}(\mathbf{1}) \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{c-Ind}_1^{G^2}(\mathbf{1})$. Under this identification the $G \times G$ action on $\text{c-Ind}_1^{G^2}(\mathbf{1})$ is given by $((g_1, g_2)f)(g) = f(g_1^{-1}gg_2)$. In this way, G acts on the 1-dimensional k -vector space $\text{Ext}_G^d(\text{c-Ind}_1^{G^2}(k), k)$ through the opposite G_1 -action on $\text{c-Ind}_1^{G^2}(k)$, which is denoted χ_G in [Koh17, Definition 3.12]. We finish by computing

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Res}_1^G \omega_G^\vee &\cong \text{RHom}_{D(k)}(\text{Res}_1^G L_{G_2} \text{c-Ind}_{\Delta(G)}^{G \times G}(\mathbf{1}), \mathbf{1}) \\ &\cong \text{RHom}_{D(k)}(L_{G_2} \text{Res}_{G_2}^{G \times G} \text{c-Ind}_{\Delta(G)}^{G \times G}(\mathbf{1}), \mathbf{1}) && ([\text{Hey23, Proposition 3.2.19}]) \\ &\cong \text{RHom}_{D(G)}(\text{Res}_{G_2}^{G \times G} \text{c-Ind}_{\Delta(G)}^{G \times G}(\mathbf{1}), \mathbf{1}) && (\text{adjunction and } \text{Inf}_G^1(\mathbf{1}) = \mathbf{1}) \\ &\cong \chi_G[-d]. \end{aligned}$$

□

Remark. The idea for defining the dualizing character as ω_G comes from the theory of six functor formalisms. The computation in [Sch19, Proof of Theorem 11.6] (which goes back to an idea of Verdier [Ver69, Proof of Theorem 3]) shows that $\mathcal{R}_{\Delta(G)}^{G \times G}(\mathbf{1})$ has to be the inverse dualizing object if derived smooth mod p representations were part of a six functor formalism.

2.3.5. Lemma. *Let $H \leq G$ be a closed subgroup. Then $\mathcal{R}_H^G(\mathbf{1})$ is a character concentrated in degree $\dim(G/H)$.*

Proof. Let $K \leq G$ be a torsion-free compact open subgroup. By our observations in §2.2.1, we compute $\text{Res}_{H \cap K}^H \mathcal{R}_H^G(\mathbf{1}) \cong \mathcal{R}_{H \cap K}^K \text{Res}_K^G(\mathbf{1})$. Therefore, we may assume from the beginning that G and H are compact and torsion-free. The isomorphism $\text{Res}_H^G \text{Inf}_G^1 \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{Inf}_H^1$ yields an isomorphism $\mathcal{R}_H^G F_G^1 \xrightarrow{\cong} F_H^1$ by passing to the right adjoints twice. Since $F_G^1(\mathbf{1}) = \mathbf{1}[\dim G]$ and $F_H^1(\mathbf{1}) = \mathbf{1}[\dim H]$ (see §2.2.4), we deduce $\mathcal{R}_H^G(\mathbf{1}[\dim G]) \cong \mathbf{1}[\dim H]$. The assertion follows. □

2.3.6. Lemma. *Let $H \leq G$ be a closed subgroup and let $X, Y \in \mathbf{D}(G)$. The natural map*

$$\mathcal{R}_H^G(X) \otimes_k \mathrm{Res}_H^G(Y) \longrightarrow \mathcal{R}_H^G(X \otimes_k Y)$$

is an isomorphism provided Y is dualizable.

Proof. Recall that Y is called *dualizable* if $Y^\vee \otimes_k -$ is right adjoint to $Y \otimes_k -$. Observe that we always have the evaluation map $\mathrm{ev}: Y \otimes Y^\vee \rightarrow \mathbf{1}$. By [Lur23, Tag 02E3], being dualizable is equivalent to the existence of a coevaluation map $\mathrm{coev}: \mathbf{1} \rightarrow Y^\vee \otimes Y$ such that the compositions

$$Y \xrightarrow{\mathrm{id}_Y \otimes \mathrm{coev}} Y \otimes_k Y^\vee \otimes_k Y \xrightarrow{\mathrm{ev} \otimes \mathrm{id}_Y} Y$$

and

$$Y^\vee \xrightarrow{\mathrm{coev} \otimes \mathrm{id}_{Y^\vee}} Y^\vee \otimes_k Y \otimes_k Y^\vee \xrightarrow{Y^\vee \otimes \mathrm{ev}} Y^\vee$$

are the identity morphisms on Y and Y^\vee , respectively. As $\mathbf{D}(G)$ is symmetric monoidal, it follows that $Y^\vee \otimes_k -$ is also left adjoint to $Y \otimes_k -$. Since Res_H^G is monoidal, we deduce that $\mathrm{Res}_H^G Y$ is dualizable and that $\mathrm{Res}_H^G(Y^\vee) \xrightarrow{\cong} (\mathrm{Res}_H^G Y)^\vee$. Recall from Lemma 2.2.3 the natural isomorphism $\mathrm{c-Ind}_H^G(- \otimes_k \mathrm{Res}_H^G Y) \xrightarrow{\cong} (- \otimes_k Y) \mathrm{c-Ind}_H^G$ of functors $\mathbf{D}(H) \rightarrow \mathbf{D}(G)$. Passing to the left resp. right mates yields natural transformations

$$(2.3.7) \quad (- \otimes_k Y^\vee) \mathrm{c-Ind}_H^G \Longrightarrow \mathrm{c-Ind}_H^G(- \otimes_k \mathrm{Res}_H^G Y^\vee),$$

$$(2.3.8) \quad (- \otimes_k \mathrm{Res}_H^G Y) \mathcal{R}_H^G \Longrightarrow \mathcal{R}_H^G(- \otimes_k Y).$$

Note that (2.3.8) arises from (2.3.7) by passing to the right adjoints. It thus suffices to show that (2.3.7) is an isomorphism. We contemplate the commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathrm{c-Ind}_H^G(X) \otimes_k Y^\vee & \xlongequal{\quad} & \mathrm{c-Ind}_H^G(X) \otimes_k Y^\vee \\ \mathrm{coev} \downarrow & & \downarrow \mathrm{coev} \\ \mathrm{c-Ind}_H^G(X \otimes_k \mathrm{Res}_H^G Y^\vee \otimes_k \mathrm{Res}_H^G Y) \otimes_k Y^\vee & \xrightarrow{\cong} & \mathrm{c-Ind}_H^G(X) \otimes_k Y^\vee \otimes_k Y \otimes_k Y^\vee \\ \downarrow \cong & & \parallel \\ \mathrm{c-Ind}_H^G(X \otimes_k \mathrm{Res}_H^G Y^\vee) \otimes_k Y \otimes_k Y^\vee & \xrightarrow{\cong} & \mathrm{c-Ind}_H^G(X) \otimes_k Y^\vee \otimes_k Y \otimes_k Y^\vee \\ \mathrm{ev} \downarrow & & \downarrow \mathrm{ev} \\ \mathrm{c-Ind}_H^G(X \otimes_k \mathrm{Res}_H^G Y^\vee) & \xrightarrow{\cong} & \mathrm{c-Ind}_H^G(X) \otimes_k Y^\vee, \end{array}$$

where the isomorphisms are given by the projection formula. The composite of the left vertical arrows is (2.3.7), and the composite of the right vertical arrows is the identity. We deduce that (2.3.7), and hence also (2.3.8), is an isomorphism. \square

2.3.9. Proposition. *Let $H \leq G$ be a closed subgroup. There is an isomorphism*

$$(\mathcal{R}_H^G(\mathbf{1}))^\vee \cong \omega_H^\vee \otimes_k \mathrm{Res}_H^G \omega_G.$$

In particular, if H is open, one has $\mathrm{Res}_H^G \omega_G \cong \omega_H$.

Proof. We first compute

$$\begin{aligned} \mathrm{Res}_{\Delta(H)}^{H \times H} \mathcal{R}_{H \times H}^{G \times H}(\mathbf{1}) &= \mathrm{Res}_{\Delta(H)}^{H \times H} \mathcal{R}_{H \times H}^{G \times H}(\mathrm{Inf}_{G \times H}^G(\mathbf{1})) \\ &\cong \mathrm{Res}_{\Delta(H)}^{H \times H} \mathrm{Inf}_{H \times H}^H \mathcal{R}_H^G(\mathbf{1}) && \text{(Lemma 2.2.8)} \\ &\cong \mathcal{R}_H^G(\mathbf{1}), \end{aligned}$$

where the inflations are taken along the first projection maps. A similar computation shows $\text{Res}_{\Delta(H)}^{G \times H} \mathcal{R}_{G \times H}^{G \times G}(\mathbf{1}) \cong \mathcal{R}_H^G(\mathbf{1})$. Hence, we compute

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{R}_H^G(\mathbf{1}) \otimes_k \text{Res}_H^G \mathcal{R}_{\Delta(G)}^{G \times G}(\mathbf{1}) &\cong \mathcal{R}_H^G \mathcal{R}_{\Delta(G)}^{G \times G}(\mathbf{1}) && (\text{Lemma 2.3.6}) \\ &\cong \mathcal{R}_{\Delta(H)}^{H \times H} \mathcal{R}_{H \times H}^{G \times H} \mathcal{R}_{G \times H}^{G \times G}(\mathbf{1}) \\ &\cong \mathcal{R}_{\Delta(H)}^{H \times H}(\mathbf{1}) \otimes_k \text{Res}_{\Delta(H)}^{H \times H} \mathcal{R}_{H \times H}^{G \times H}(\mathbf{1}) \otimes_k \text{Res}_{\Delta(H)}^{G \times H} \mathcal{R}_{G \times H}^{G \times G}(\mathbf{1}) \\ &\cong \mathcal{R}_{\Delta(H)}^{H \times H}(\mathbf{1}) \otimes_k \mathcal{R}_H^G(\mathbf{1}) \otimes_k \mathcal{R}_H^G(\mathbf{1}). \end{aligned}$$

Since $\mathcal{R}_H^G(\mathbf{1})$ is invertible by Lemma 2.3.5, we can cancel it on both sides. By Proposition 2.3.4 we have $\text{Res}_H^G \omega_G^\vee \cong \omega_H^\vee \otimes_k \mathcal{R}_H^G(\mathbf{1})$, which is equivalent to the first assertion. The last assertion follows from the fact that $\mathcal{R}_H^G = \text{Res}_H^G$ if H is open. \square

2.3.10. Corollary. *Suppose the hypotheses of Lemma 2.2.14 are satisfied: let $N \trianglelefteq G$ and $H \leq G$ be closed subgroups such that $G = HN$ and assume there exists a subnormal series $H \cap N = N_r \trianglelefteq N_{r-1} \trianglelefteq \dots \trianglelefteq N_0 = N$ by closed subgroups such that $\text{L}_{N_i}(\mathbf{1}) = \mathbf{1}$ for all $i = 1, \dots, r$. Then*

$$\text{Inf}_H^{G/N} \omega_{H \setminus G} = \omega_H \otimes \text{Res}_H^G \omega_G^\vee.$$

In particular, $\text{Inf}_H^{G/N} \omega_{H \setminus G}$ does not depend on N .

Proof. Again, we make the identification $H/H \cap N \cong G/N$. As in the proof of Proposition 2.3.4 we compute

$$\begin{aligned} \omega_{H \setminus G}^\vee &= (\text{L}_N \text{c-Ind}_H^G(\mathbf{1}))^\vee \\ &\cong \text{RH}^0(N, (\text{c-Ind}_H^G(\mathbf{1}))^\vee) && ([\text{Hey23}, \text{Corollary 3.3.7}]) \\ &\cong \text{RH}^0(N, \text{RInd}_H^G \mathcal{R}_H^G(\mathbf{1})) && (\text{Lemma 2.2.3}) \\ &\cong \text{RH}^0(H \cap N, \mathcal{R}_H^G(\mathbf{1})) && (\text{Remark 2.2.13}) \\ &= \text{RH}^0(H \cap N, \mathcal{R}_H^G(\mathbf{1})^{\vee \vee}) \\ &\cong (\text{L}_{H \cap N} \mathcal{R}_H^G(\mathbf{1})^\vee)^\vee && ([\text{Hey23}, \text{Corollary 3.3.7}]). \end{aligned}$$

Hence, passing to the inverses yields $\omega_{H \setminus G} \cong \text{L}_{H \cap N} \mathcal{R}_H^G(\mathbf{1})^\vee$. Note that both $\text{Inf}_H^{G/N} \omega_{H \setminus G}$ and $\mathcal{R}_H^G(\mathbf{1})^\vee$ are characters of H concentrated in degree $-\dim(G/H)$ by Lemmas 2.2.14 and 2.3.5, respectively. Since $\text{L}_{H \cap N}^0$ is the usual coinvariants functor, we deduce that $H \cap N$ acts trivially on $\mathcal{R}_H^G(\mathbf{1})^\vee$. In other words, there exists $\omega \in \text{D}(G/N)$ such that $\mathcal{R}_H^G(\mathbf{1})^\vee = \text{Inf}_H^{G/N}(\omega)$. The projection formula for $\text{L}_{H \cap N}$ ([Hey23, Corollary 3.3.5]) and the hypothesis $\text{L}_{H \cap N}(\mathbf{1}) = \mathbf{1}$ imply

$$\omega_{H \setminus G} = \text{L}_{H \cap N} \text{Inf}_H^{G/N}(\omega) \cong \text{L}_{H \cap N}(\mathbf{1}) \otimes_k \omega = \omega.$$

Now apply Proposition 2.3.9 to finish the proof. \square

3. The Geometrical Lemma

3.1. Setup. We fix a finite extension $\mathfrak{F}/\mathbb{Q}_p$ and a field k of characteristic p .

3.1.1. Let \mathbf{G} be a connected reductive \mathfrak{F} -group and \mathbf{T} a maximal \mathfrak{F} -split torus of \mathbf{G} . Let $\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{M} \ltimes \mathbf{U}$ and $\mathbf{Q} = \mathbf{L} \ltimes \mathbf{N}$ be semistandard parabolic \mathfrak{F} -subgroups of \mathbf{G} , that is, the Levi factors \mathbf{M} and \mathbf{L} both contain $\mathbf{Z}_{\mathbf{G}}(\mathbf{T})$. Denote by $\overline{\mathbf{P}} = \mathbf{M} \ltimes \overline{\mathbf{U}}$ the parabolic opposite \mathbf{P} . We note the following:

- The semistandard condition is not a restriction, as any two parabolic \mathfrak{F} -subgroups contain a common minimal Levi, [BT65, 4.18. Corollaire].
- For any $n \in \mathbf{N}_{\mathbf{G}}(\mathbf{T})(\mathfrak{F})$ also $n\mathbf{P}n^{-1}$ is semistandard.
- One has a decomposition $\mathbf{P} \cap \mathbf{Q} = (\mathbf{M} \cap \mathbf{L}) \ltimes ((\mathbf{U} \cap \mathbf{L})(\mathbf{M} \cap \mathbf{N})(\mathbf{U} \cap \mathbf{N}))$, cf. [Car85, Proposition 2.8.2 and Theorem 2.8.7].

Recall our convention that for an algebraic \mathfrak{F} -group \mathbf{H} the corresponding lightface letter $H := \mathbf{H}(\mathfrak{F})$ denotes its associated group of \mathfrak{F} -points. Then H is a p -adic Lie group, and we denote by $\text{Rep}_k(H)$ the abelian category of smooth k -linear representations of H . We write $\text{C}(H)$ (resp. $\text{K}(H)$), resp. $\text{D}(H)$) for the category of unbounded complexes (resp. the homotopy category of unbounded complexes, resp. the unbounded derived category) of $\text{Rep}_k(H)$.

3.1.2. We write $i_P^G := \text{Ind}_P^G \circ \text{Inf}_P^M : \text{D}(M) \rightarrow \text{D}(G)$ for the functor of *parabolic induction*. It has a left adjoint $\text{L}(U, -) := \text{L}_U \circ \text{Res}_P^G$ and a right adjoint $\text{R}(U, -) := \text{RH}^0(U, -) \circ \mathcal{R}_P^G$. For any integer i we denote by $\text{L}^i(U, -), \text{R}^i(U, -) : \text{Rep}_k(G) \rightarrow \text{Rep}_k(M)$ the corresponding cohomology functors given by composing $\text{L}(U, -)$, resp. $\text{R}(U, -)$, with H^i . By the proof of [Hey23, Theorem 4.1.1] we have natural isomorphisms

$$\text{RHom}_M(\text{L}(U, X), Y) \cong \text{RHom}_G(X, i_P^G Y) \quad \text{and} \quad \text{RHom}_M(Y, \text{R}(U, X)) \cong \text{RHom}_G(i_P^G Y, X)$$

for all $X \in \text{D}(G)$ and $Y \in \text{D}(M)$.

In this section we will study the composite functor

$$\text{L}(N, -) \circ i_P^G : \text{D}(M) \longrightarrow \text{D}(L)$$

by constructing certain filtrations in §3.2 whose graded pieces will be described explicitly in §3.3

3.2. Filtrations.

3.2.1. The group $P \times Q$ acts continuously on G via $(x, y) \cdot g := xgy^{-1}$. By the Bruhat decomposition, the coset space $P \backslash G / Q$ admits a finite representing system $\mathcal{N}_{P,Q} \subseteq \mathbf{N}_{\mathbf{G}}(\mathbf{T})(\mathfrak{F})$. It follows from [BZ76, 1.5. Proposition] that the orbits PnQ are locally closed in G . We define a partial order on $\mathcal{N}_{P,Q}$ via

$$n \leq n' \stackrel{\text{def}}{\iff} Pn'Q \subseteq \overline{PnQ},$$

where the overline means topological closure. The following lemma is well-known.

3.2.2. Lemma. *For each $n \in \mathcal{N}_{P,Q}$ the subset $X_n := \bigcup_{n' \leq n} Pn'Q$ is the smallest open $P \times Q$ -invariant subset in G containing n . In particular, PnQ is open if n is minimal and is closed if n is maximal.*

Proof. Note that $G \setminus X_n = \bigcup_{n' \not\leq n} Pn'Q$ is closed, because $n' \not\leq n$ and $n' \leq n''$ implies $n'' \not\leq n$. If Y is any open $P \times Q$ -invariant subset containing n and if $n' \leq n$, then $Y \cap \overline{Pn'Q}$ contains n . From the definition of topological closure and the $P \times Q$ -invariance of Y it follows that $Pn'Q \subseteq Y$. Hence $X_n \subseteq Y$. The last assertions are immediate. \square

Remark. (a) Every open $P \times Q$ -invariant subset of G is a union of X_n 's.

(b) The poset $\mathcal{N}_{P,Q}$ has a smallest and a largest element but is in general not totally ordered.

3.2.3. We extend the notation introduced in §2.2.1. Let $Z \subseteq G$ be a $P \times Q$ -invariant subset. For any $V \in \text{Rep}_k(P)$ we denote by $\text{c-Ind}_P^Z V$ the k -vector space of locally constant functions $f : Z \rightarrow V$ which satisfy $f(xz) = xf(z)$, for all $x \in P, z \in Z$, and have compact support in $P \backslash Z$. The group Q acts smoothly by right translation on $\text{c-Ind}_P^Z V$. Observe that $\text{c-Ind}_P^Z V \subseteq \text{c-Ind}_P^G V$ provided Z is open in G , that is, every element of $\text{c-Ind}_P^Z V$ is fixed by an open compact subgroup of G . The functor $\text{c-Ind}_P^Z : \text{Rep}_k(P) \rightarrow \text{Rep}_k(Q)$ is exact and hence extends to a triangulated functor on the derived categories:

$$\text{c-Ind}_P^Z : \text{D}(P) \longrightarrow \text{D}(Q).$$

The next lemma is well-known, cf. [Cas95, Lemma 6.1.1].

3.2.4. Lemma. *Let $Z \subseteq Z' \subseteq G$ be $P \times Q$ -invariant subsets such that Z is open in Z' . For every smooth P -representation V one has an exact sequence*

$$0 \longrightarrow \text{c-Ind}_P^Z V \longrightarrow \text{c-Ind}_P^{Z'} V \longrightarrow \text{c-Ind}_P^{Z' \setminus Z} V \longrightarrow 0$$

of smooth Q -representations. Here, the first map is extension by zero and the second map is restriction of functions.

Proof. Choose a continuous section of the projection map $G \rightarrow P \backslash G$, cf. [AHV19, Lemma 2.3]; for any $P \times Q$ -invariant subset $Y \subseteq G$ it restricts to a continuous section $\sigma: P \backslash Y \rightarrow Y$. For any k -vector space W we denote by $\mathcal{C}_c^\infty(P \backslash Y, W)$ the space of locally constant functions $P \backslash Y \rightarrow W$ with compact support. We have k -linear isomorphisms $\mathrm{c}\text{-Ind}_P^Y V \xrightarrow{\cong} \mathcal{C}_c^\infty(P \backslash Y, V) \xleftarrow{\cong} \mathcal{C}_c^\infty(P \backslash Y, k) \otimes_k V$, where the first isomorphism is given by $f \mapsto f \circ \sigma$ and the second by $f \otimes v \mapsto [Py \mapsto f(Py)v]$. Put $Z'' := Z' \setminus Z$. Under all these identifications the sequence in the lemma arises by applying $- \otimes_k V$ to the sequence

$$(3.2.5) \quad 0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{C}_c^\infty(P \backslash Z, k) \longrightarrow \mathcal{C}_c^\infty(P \backslash Z', k) \longrightarrow \mathcal{C}_c^\infty(P \backslash Z'', k) \longrightarrow 0.$$

It therefore suffices to show that (3.2.5) is exact. Injectivity of the first map and exactness in the middle are clear. Let $f: P \backslash Z'' \rightarrow k$ be a locally constant function with compact support. Write $\mathrm{Supp}(f) = \bigsqcup_{i=1}^r \Omega_i''$ for some compact open subsets $\Omega_i'' \subseteq P \backslash Z''$ such that f is constant on each Ω_i'' . Choose compact open subsets $\Omega_i' \subseteq P \backslash Z'$ such that $\Omega_i' \cap P \backslash Z'' = \Omega_i''$ for all i (recall that $P \backslash Z'$ admits a basis consisting of compact open subsets). Replacing each Ω_i' by $\Omega_i' \setminus \bigcup_{j \neq i} \Omega_j'$ if necessary, we may further assume that the Ω_i' are pairwise disjoint. Extending each $f|_{\Omega_i''}$ constantly to Ω_i' then yields an extension of f in $\mathcal{C}_c^\infty(P \backslash Z', k)$. \square

3.2.6. Remark. If $Z' \setminus Z$ is open in Z' , then the sequence in Lemma 3.2.4 splits, so that we obtain a natural isomorphism $\mathrm{c}\text{-Ind}_P^{Z'} \cong \mathrm{c}\text{-Ind}_P^Z \oplus \mathrm{c}\text{-Ind}_P^{Z' \setminus Z}$ of functors $\mathrm{D}(P) \rightarrow \mathrm{D}(Q)$.

3.2.7. Definition. Let $F: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$ be a triangulated functor. A (*ascending*) *filtration* of length n on F is a sequence of natural transformations

$$(3.2.8) \quad F_i \xrightarrow{\lambda_i} F_{i+1} \xrightarrow{\mu_{i+1}} F_{i+1, i} \xrightarrow{\nu_i} F_i[1]$$

of triangulated functors $\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$, for $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$, such that:

- $F_0 = 0$ and $F_n = F$;
- evaluating (3.2.8) at any object of \mathcal{C} gives a distinguished triangle in \mathcal{D} .

The functor $F_{i, i-1}$ is called the *i-th graded piece* of the filtration; note that $\mu_1: F_1 \xrightarrow{\cong} F_{1,0}$ is an isomorphism.

3.2.9. Lemma. Let $Z \subseteq Z' \subseteq G$ be $P \times Q$ -invariant subsets such that Z is open in Z' . There exists a natural transformation $\nu: \mathrm{c}\text{-Ind}_P^{Z' \setminus Z} \Rightarrow \mathrm{c}\text{-Ind}_P^Z[1]$ of triangulated functors $\mathrm{D}(P) \rightarrow \mathrm{D}(Q)$ such that for all $X \in \mathrm{D}(P)$ one has a distinguished triangle

$$\mathrm{c}\text{-Ind}_P^Z X \longrightarrow \mathrm{c}\text{-Ind}_P^{Z'} X \longrightarrow \mathrm{c}\text{-Ind}_P^{Z' \setminus Z} X \xrightarrow{\nu} \mathrm{c}\text{-Ind}_P^Z X[1].$$

Proof. Denote by $\lambda: \mathrm{c}\text{-Ind}_P^Z \Rightarrow \mathrm{c}\text{-Ind}_P^{Z'}$ and $\mu: \mathrm{c}\text{-Ind}_P^{Z'} \Rightarrow \mathrm{c}\text{-Ind}_P^{Z' \setminus Z}$ the obvious maps. In order to construct ν let $F: \mathrm{C}(P) \rightarrow \mathrm{C}(Q)$ be the cone of λ . More precisely, given a complex (X, d) in $\mathrm{C}(P)$, define $F(X)^n := \mathrm{c}\text{-Ind}_P^Z X^{n+1} \oplus \mathrm{c}\text{-Ind}_P^{Z'} X^n$ with differential $F(X)^n \rightarrow F(X)^{n+1}$ given by the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} -\mathrm{c}\text{-Ind}_P^Z d^{n+1} & 0 \\ \lambda & \mathrm{c}\text{-Ind}_P^{Z'} d^n \end{pmatrix}$. It is clear that $F: \mathrm{C}(P) \rightarrow \mathrm{C}(Q)$ is indeed a functor which comes with natural transformations $\nu_1: F \Rightarrow \mathrm{c}\text{-Ind}_P^Z[1]$ and $\nu_2: F \Rightarrow \mathrm{c}\text{-Ind}_P^{Z' \setminus Z}$ given by $(\mathrm{id}, 0)$ and $(0, \mu)$, respectively. In combination with Lemma 3.2.4, the usual long exact sequence argument and the five lemma show that $\nu_2(X)$ is a quasi-isomorphism for all $X \in \mathrm{C}(P)$. Since $\mathrm{c}\text{-Ind}_P^Z$ and $\mathrm{c}\text{-Ind}_P^{Z'}$ are exact and mapping cones are functorial in $\mathrm{C}(Q)$, a similar argument shows that F preserves quasi-isomorphisms. Hence F descends to a functor $\mathrm{D}(P) \rightarrow \mathrm{D}(Q)$, and then $\nu := \nu_1 \circ \nu_2^{-1}$ is the desired natural transformation. \square

3.2.10. For any $P \times Q$ -invariant subset $Z \subseteq G$ we define

$$\Phi_Z := \mathrm{L}(N, -) \circ \mathrm{c}\text{-Ind}_P^Z \circ \mathrm{Inf}_P^M: \mathrm{D}(M) \rightarrow \mathrm{D}(L).$$

Observe that, if $Z = \bigsqcup_i P n_i Q$ is a union of open orbits in Z , then $\Phi_Z \cong \bigoplus_i \Phi_{P n_i Q}$.

3.2.11. Proposition. *Let $\emptyset = Z_0 \subseteq Z_1 \subseteq Z_2 \subseteq \cdots \subseteq Z_r$ be a chain of open $P \times Q$ -invariant subsets of Z_r . There exists a filtration*

$$0 \implies \Phi_{Z_1} \implies \Phi_{Z_2} \implies \cdots \implies \Phi_{Z_r}$$

of Φ_{Z_r} , whose i -th graded piece is $\Phi_{Z_i \setminus Z_{i-1}}$.

Proof. Use Lemma 3.2.9. □

3.2.12. Definition. Let $\emptyset = Z_0 \subseteq Z_1 \subseteq Z_2 \subseteq \cdots \subseteq Z_r = G$ be the unique chain of open $P \times Q$ -invariant subsets of G for which the $P \times Q$ -orbits in $Z_i \setminus Z_{i-1}$ are the open orbits in $G \setminus Z_{i-1}$ of maximal dimension. We call $\text{ht}(\mathcal{N}_{P,Q}) := r$ the *height* of $\mathcal{N}_{P,Q}$. The *height* $\text{ht}(n)$ of $n \in \mathcal{N}_{P,Q}$ is defined as the smallest integer i with $n \in Z_i$.

3.3. The Geometrical Lemma. We keep the notations of the previous subsections.

3.3.1. Proposition. *The following diagram commutes:*

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} D(M \cap Q) & \xrightarrow{\text{Inf}_{P \cap Q}^{M \cap Q}} & D(P \cap Q) & \xrightarrow{\text{c-Ind}_{P \cap Q}^Q} & D(Q) \\ \downarrow L_{M \cap N} & & & & \downarrow L_N \\ D(M \cap L) & \xrightarrow{\omega \otimes -} & D(M \cap L) & \xrightarrow{i_{P \cap L}^L} & D(L), \end{array}$$

where $\omega := \text{Res}_{M \cap L}^{P \cap L} L_N \text{c-Ind}_{P \cap Q}^{(P \cap L)N}(\mathbf{1})$ is a character concentrated in degree $-\dim(\overline{U} \cap N)$.

Proof. We first verify the commutativity of the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} D(M \cap Q) & \xrightarrow{\text{Inf}_{P \cap Q}^{M \cap Q}} & D(P \cap Q) & \xrightarrow{\text{c-Ind}_{P \cap Q}^{(P \cap L)N}} & D((P \cap L)N) & \xrightarrow{\text{c-Ind}_{(P \cap L)N}^Q} & D(Q) \\ \downarrow L_{M \cap N} & & \downarrow L_{P \cap N} & & \downarrow L_N & & \downarrow L_N \\ D(M \cap L) & \xrightarrow{\text{Inf}_{P \cap L}^{M \cap L}} & D(P \cap L) & \xrightarrow{\omega' \otimes -} & D(P \cap L) & \xrightarrow{\text{c-Ind}_{P \cap L}^L} & D(L), \end{array}$$

where $\omega' := \omega_{(P \cap Q) \setminus (P \cap L)N} \in D(P \cap L)$ is defined as in (2.2.15). The left diagram commutes by Lemma 2.2.6 applied to $(G, H, N) = (P \cap Q, U \cap Q, P \cap N)$; note that $L_{U \cap N}(\mathbf{1}) \cong \mathbf{1}$ by [Hey23, Example 3.4.24]. The diagram on the right commutes by Lemma 2.2.8. Since \mathbf{N} is a unipotent algebraic group, the hypotheses of Lemma 2.2.14 are easily seen to be satisfied. Hence, also the middle diagram commutes and ω' is a character of $P \cap L$ concentrated in degree $-\dim(\overline{U} \cap N)$; here, the computation of the degree uses the decomposition $(P \cap L)N = (P \cap Q) \times (\overline{U} \cap N)$ as p -adic manifolds. As the only character of $U \cap L$ is the trivial one, we have $\omega' = \text{Inf}_{P \cap L}^{M \cap L} \omega$. Hence, since $(\omega' \otimes_k -) \text{Inf}_{P \cap L}^{M \cap L} = \text{Inf}_{P \cap L}^{M \cap L}(\omega \otimes_k -)$ and compact induction is transitive, this proves the assertion. □

3.3.2. Notation. Given a closed subgroup $H \leq G$ and $g \in G$, we write $g(H) := gHg^{-1}$ and denote by $g_*: D(H) \xrightarrow{\cong} D(g(H))$ the “inflation” along the conjugation map $g(H) \xrightarrow{\cong} H$.

3.3.3. Lemma. *There is a natural isomorphism*

$$\text{c-Ind}_P^{PnQ} \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{c-Ind}_{n^{-1}(P) \cap Q}^Q \text{Res}_{n^{-1}(P) \cap Q}^{n^{-1}(P)} n_*^{-1}$$

of functors $D(P) \rightarrow D(Q)$.

Proof. Note that, by [BZ76, 1.6. Corollary]³, the inclusion $Q \hookrightarrow n^{-1}(P)Q$ and the homeomorphism $n^{-1}(P)Q \xrightarrow{n} PnQ$ induce homeomorphisms $n^{-1}(P) \cap Q \backslash Q \xrightarrow{\cong} n^{-1}(P) \backslash n^{-1}(P)Q \xrightarrow{\cong} P \backslash PnQ$. It

³The condition “countable at infinity” is automatic for \mathfrak{F} -points of linear algebraic groups.

follows that for any $V \in \text{Rep}_k(P)$ the natural map

$$\begin{aligned} \text{c-Ind}_P^{PnQ} V &\longrightarrow \text{c-Ind}_{n^{-1}(P) \cap Q}^Q \text{Res}_{n^{-1}(P) \cap Q}^{n^{-1}(P)} n_*^{-1} V, \\ f &\longmapsto [q \mapsto f(nq)] \end{aligned}$$

is an isomorphism in $\text{Rep}_k(Q)$. As all functors involved are exact, the assertion follows. \square

3.3.4. For any $n \in \mathcal{N}_{P,Q}$ we consider the functors $D(M) \rightarrow D(L)$ given by

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi_{PnQ} &= L_N \circ \text{c-Ind}_P^{PnQ} \circ \text{Inf}_P^M, \\ \Psi_n &:= i_{n^{-1}(P) \cap L}^L \circ (\omega_n \otimes_k -) \circ n_*^{-1} \circ L(M \cap n(N), -), \end{aligned}$$

where $\omega_n := \text{Res}_{n^{-1}(M) \cap L}^{n^{-1}(P) \cap L} L_N \text{c-Ind}_{n^{-1}(P) \cap Q}^{(n^{-1}(P) \cap L)N}(\mathbf{1})$ is by Lemma 2.2.14 a character of $n^{-1}(M) \cap L$ concentrated in degree $-\dim(n^{-1}(\overline{U}) \cap N)$.

3.3.5. Theorem. *For every $n \in \mathcal{N}_{P,Q}$ there is a natural isomorphism $\Phi_{PnQ} \xrightarrow{\cong} \Psi_n$.*

Proof. Applying Lemma 3.3.3 and Proposition 3.3.1 to $(P, Q) = (n^{-1}(P), Q)$, we compute

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi_{PnQ} &\xrightarrow{\cong} L_N \text{c-Ind}_{n^{-1}(P) \cap Q}^Q \text{Res}_{n^{-1}(P) \cap Q}^{n^{-1}(P)} n_*^{-1} \text{Inf}_P^M \\ &= L_N \text{c-Ind}_{n^{-1}(P) \cap Q}^Q \text{Inf}_{n^{-1}(P) \cap Q}^{n^{-1}(M) \cap Q} n_*^{-1} \text{Res}_{M \cap n(Q)}^M \\ &\xrightarrow{\cong} i_{n^{-1}(P) \cap L}^L (\omega_n \otimes_k -) L_{n^{-1}(M) \cap nN} n_*^{-1} \text{Res}_{M \cap n(Q)}^M \\ &\cong \Psi_n. \end{aligned} \quad \square$$

3.3.6. Corollary (Geometrical Lemma). *Let $\emptyset = Z_0 \subseteq Z_1 \subseteq Z_2 \subseteq \dots \subseteq Z_r = G$ be a chain of open $P \times Q$ -invariant subsets of G such that $Z_i \setminus Z_{i-1} = Pn_iQ$ for all $1 \leq i \leq r$, where $n_i \in \mathcal{N}_{P,Q}$. It induces a filtration on $\Phi_G = L(N, -) i_P^G$ whose i -th graded piece is Ψ_{n_i} .*

Proof. Combine Proposition 3.2.11 and Theorem 3.3.5. \square

3.3.7. Corollary. *The functor $L(N, -) \circ i_P^G$ admits a filtration of length $\text{ht}(\mathcal{N}_{P,Q})$ whose i -th graded piece is $\bigoplus_{n, \text{ht}(n)=i} \Psi_n$.*

Proof. Combine Proposition 3.2.11, §3.2.10, and Theorem 3.3.5. \square

3.3.8. Remark. There is a dual version of Corollary 3.3.6 which states that there exists a descending filtration on $R(U, -) i_Q^G$ with graded pieces (in some order) $i_{M \cap n(Q)}^M (\Omega_n \otimes_k -) n_* R(n^{-1}(U) \cap L, -)$, where $\Omega_n := \text{Res}_{M \cap n(L)}^{P \cap n(Q)} \mathcal{R}_{P \cap n(Q)}^{(P \cap n(L))n(N)}(\mathbf{1})$ is a character concentrated in degree $\dim(\overline{U} \cap n(N))$ and $n \in \mathcal{N}_{P,Q}$. However, for the proof it seems we need to employ the theory of ∞ -categories. Granted this more general framework, we could deduce this version by passing everywhere in the filtration to the right adjoints.

4. Applications

4.1. Setup and notation.

4.1.1. We fix a finite field extension $\mathfrak{F}/\mathbb{Q}_p$ and a coefficient field k of characteristic p .

4.1.2. Let \mathbf{G} be a connected reductive \mathfrak{F} -group. Fix a maximal \mathfrak{F} -split torus $\mathbf{T} \leq \mathbf{G}$. We choose a set of simple roots Δ_G inside the (relative) reduced root system $\Sigma := \Phi(\mathbf{G}, \mathbf{T})^{\text{red}}$ together with the associated set Σ^+ of positive roots, which corresponds to some minimal parabolic subgroup \mathbf{B} containing $\mathbf{Z} := \mathbf{Z}_{\mathbf{G}}(\mathbf{T})$. Put

$$\Delta_G^1 := \{\alpha \in \Delta_G \mid \dim_{\mathfrak{F}} \mathbf{U}_{\alpha} = 1\},$$

where \mathbf{U}_{α} denotes the root \mathfrak{F} -group normalized by \mathbf{Z} and associated with $\alpha \in \Sigma$, see [BT65, 5.2] for the definition. We denote by W the finite Weyl group associated with (\mathbf{G}, \mathbf{T}) . We fix once and for all a set $\mathcal{N} \subseteq \mathbf{N}_{\mathbf{G}}(\mathbf{T})(\mathfrak{F})$ of representatives of W and denote by n_w the element of \mathcal{N} corresponding

to $w \in W$. We denote by $n_\alpha \in \mathcal{N}$ the element lifting the simple reflection s_α attached to $\alpha \in \Delta_G$. For each $w \in W$ we put

$$d_w := d_{n_w} := \sum_{\alpha \in \Sigma^+ \cap w^{-1}(-\Sigma^+)} \dim_{\mathfrak{F}} \mathbf{U}_\alpha.$$

We also abbreviate $d_\alpha := d_{s_\alpha}$ for $\alpha \in \Sigma$.

To each standard parabolic subgroup $\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{M} \ltimes \mathbf{U}$ corresponds a subset $\Delta_M \subseteq \Delta_G$. Set

$$\Delta_M^\perp := \{\alpha \in \Delta_G \mid \langle \alpha, \beta^\vee \rangle = 0 \text{ for all } \beta \in \Delta_M\} \quad \text{and} \quad \Delta_M^{\perp,1} := \Delta_M^\perp \cap \Delta_G^1.$$

We denote by $\Sigma_M = \Phi(\mathbf{M}, \mathbf{T})^{\text{red}} \subseteq \Sigma$ the root system of \mathbf{M} ; the positive roots corresponding to Δ_M are $\Sigma_M^+ = \Sigma_M \cap \Sigma^+$. We denote by $W_M \leq W$ the finite Weyl group associated with (\mathbf{M}, \mathbf{T}) .

4.1.3. Fix standard parabolic subgroups $\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{M} \ltimes \mathbf{U}$ and $\mathbf{Q} = \mathbf{L} \ltimes \mathbf{N}$ of \mathbf{G} . We will choose a distinguished set $\mathcal{N}_{P,Q}$ of double coset representatives of $P \backslash G / Q$ as follows: Put

$$D_M := \{w \in W \mid w(\Delta_M) \subseteq \Sigma^+\}$$

and define D_L similarly. For the various properties of the set

$$D_{M,L} := (D_M)^{-1} \cap D_L = \{w \in W \mid w \in D_L \text{ and } w^{-1} \in D_M\}$$

we refer to [Car85, §2.7]. Let us only mention that $D_{M,L}$ is a set of double coset representatives of $W_M \backslash W / W_L$ and that each $w \in D_{M,L}$ is the unique element of minimal length in $W_M w W_L$. Finally, let $\mathcal{N}_{P,Q} \subseteq \mathcal{N}$ be the subset corresponding to $D_{M,L}$.

4.1.4. Lemma. *For each $w \in D_{M,L}$ one has*

$$[\mathfrak{F} : \mathbb{Q}_p] \cdot d_w = \dim(n_w^{-1}(\overline{\mathbf{U}}) \cap \mathbf{N}).$$

Proof. Note that $\dim(\cdot) = [\mathfrak{F} : \mathbb{Q}_p] \cdot \dim_{\mathfrak{F}}(\cdot)$. Put $\Sigma_N = \Sigma^+ \setminus \Sigma_L^+$ and $\Sigma_{\overline{\mathbf{U}}} = -(\Sigma^+ \setminus \Sigma_M^+)$. Then

$$n_w^{-1}(\overline{\mathbf{U}}) \cap \mathbf{N} = \prod_{\alpha \in \Sigma_N \cap w^{-1}(\Sigma_{\overline{\mathbf{U}}})} \mathbf{U}_\alpha.$$

The claim thus reduces to $\Sigma_N \cap w^{-1}(\Sigma_{\overline{\mathbf{U}}}) = \Sigma^+ \cap w^{-1}(-\Sigma^+)$. By definition of $D_{M,L}$ we have $w^{-1}(\Sigma_M^+) \subseteq \Sigma^+$ and $\Sigma_L^+ \subseteq w^{-1}(\Sigma^+)$. Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} \Sigma_N \cap w^{-1}(\Sigma_{\overline{\mathbf{U}}}) &= \Sigma^+ \setminus \Sigma_L^+ \cap -w^{-1}(\Sigma^+ \setminus \Sigma_M^+) \\ &= \Sigma^+ \setminus w^{-1}(-\Sigma_M^+) \cap w^{-1}(-\Sigma^+) \setminus \Sigma_L^+ = \Sigma^+ \cap w^{-1}(-\Sigma^+). \end{aligned} \quad \square$$

4.1.5. Notation. For each $w \in D_{M,L}$, let $\delta_w \in \text{Rep}_k(n_w^{-1}(M) \cap L)$ be the character defined by

$$\omega_w := \omega_{n_w} = \delta_w [[\mathfrak{F} : \mathbb{Q}_p] d_w],$$

see §3.3.4 and Lemma 4.1.4. If w is the simple reflection corresponding to $\alpha \in \Delta_G$, we also write δ_α for δ_w and ω_α for ω_w .

4.1.6. Lemma. *Let $w \in D_{M,L}$ and let $\delta'_w : n_w^{-1}(M) \cap L \rightarrow \mathfrak{F}^\times$ be the determinant of the \mathfrak{F} -linear adjoint action on $\text{Lie}(n_w^{-1}(\overline{\mathbf{U}}) \cap \mathbf{N})$. One has that*

$$\delta_w = \varepsilon_{\mathfrak{F}} \circ \delta'_w.$$

Proof. By Corollary 2.3.10 we have

$$\omega_w = \text{Res}_{n_w^{-1}(M) \cap L}^{n_w^{-1}(P) \cap Q} \omega_{n_w^{-1}(P) \cap Q}^\vee \otimes \text{Res}_{n_w^{-1}(M) \cap L}^{(n_w^{-1}(P) \cap L)N} \omega_{(n_w^{-1}(P) \cap L)N}$$

and hence Proposition 2.3.4 implies $\delta_w = \mathfrak{d}_{n_w^{-1}(P) \cap Q}^{-1} \cdot \mathfrak{d}_{(n_w^{-1}(P) \cap L)N}$ as characters of $n_w^{-1}(M) \cap L$. The assertion now follows from §2.3.2 and the observation that we have an $n_w^{-1}(M) \cap L$ -equivariant decomposition $\text{Lie}((n_w^{-1}(P) \cap L)N) = \text{Lie}(n_w^{-1}(P) \cap Q) \oplus \text{Lie}(n_w^{-1}(\overline{\mathbf{U}}) \cap \mathbf{N})$. \square

4.2. Computation of Ext-groups. Recall the setup in §4.1.2

4.2.1. Example. Let $\chi: M \rightarrow k^\times$ be a smooth character. We then have

$$(4.2.2) \quad L^{-j}(N, i_P^G \chi) = \bigoplus_{\substack{w \in D_{M,L} \\ [\mathfrak{F}:\mathbb{Q}_p]d_w=j}} i_{n_w^{-1}(P) \cap L}^L (\delta_w \otimes_k n_{w*}^{-1} \chi).$$

Indeed, fix $j \geq 0$. Consider the open $P \times Q$ -invariant subsets $Z \subseteq Z' \subseteq G$ defined by $Z := \bigsqcup_{\substack{w \in D_{M,L} \\ [\mathfrak{F}:\mathbb{Q}_p]d_w > j}} P n_w Q$ and $Z' := \bigsqcup_{\substack{w \in D_{M,L} \\ [\mathfrak{F}:\mathbb{Q}_p]d_w \geq j}} P n_w Q$. By Proposition 3.2.11 we obtain a filtration

$$\Phi_Z(\chi) \longrightarrow \Phi_{Z'}(\chi) \longrightarrow \Phi_G(\chi) = L(N, i_P^G \chi).$$

Applying $H^{-j}(-)$ to the triangle $\Phi_{Z'}(\chi) \rightarrow \Phi_G(\chi) \rightarrow \Phi_{G \setminus Z'}(\chi) \xrightarrow{+}$ yields an exact sequence

$$(4.2.3) \quad H^{-j-1}(\Phi_{G \setminus Z'}(\chi)) \longrightarrow H^{-j}(\Phi_{Z'}(\chi)) \longrightarrow H^{-j}(\Phi_G(\chi)) \longrightarrow H^{-j}(\Phi_{G \setminus Z'}(\chi)).$$

By Proposition 3.2.11 and Theorem 3.3.5 there exists a filtration on $\Phi_{G \setminus Z'}(\chi)$ with graded pieces of the form $i_{n_w(P) \cap L}^L (\delta_w [[\mathfrak{F}:\mathbb{Q}_p]d_w] \otimes_k n_{w*}^{-1} \chi) \in D^{\geq 1-j}(L)$; here we have used that, since $M \cap n_w(N)$ acts trivially on χ , we have $L(M \cap n_w(N), \chi) \cong \chi$ viewed as a character of $M \cap n_w(L)$. Since $D^{\geq 1-j}(L)$ is closed under extensions, we deduce $\Phi_{G \setminus Z'}(\chi) \in D^{\geq 1-j}(L)$. Hence, we have $H^{-j-1}(\Phi_{G \setminus Z'}(\chi)) = H^{-j}(\Phi_{G \setminus Z'}) = 0$, and then (4.2.3) shows $H^{-j}(\Phi_{Z'}(\chi)) \xrightarrow{\cong} H^{-j}(\Phi_G(\chi))$. A similar argument applied to the triangle $\Phi_Z(\chi) \rightarrow \Phi_{Z'}(\chi) \rightarrow \Phi_{Z' \setminus Z}(\chi) \xrightarrow{+}$ implies

$$0 = H^{-j}(\Phi_Z(\chi)) \longrightarrow H^{-j}(\Phi_{Z'}(\chi)) \xrightarrow{\cong} H^{-j}(\Phi_{Z' \setminus Z}(\chi)) \longrightarrow H^{-j+1}(\Phi_Z(\chi)) = 0.$$

The discussion shows $L^{-j}(N, i_P^G \chi) = H^{-j}(\Phi_G(\chi)) \cong H^{-j}(\Phi_{Z' \setminus Z}(\chi))$. Moreover, by Remark 3.2.6 and Theorem 3.3.5, we have

$$\begin{aligned} H^{-j}(\Phi_{Z' \setminus Z}(\chi)) &\cong \bigoplus_{\substack{w \in D_{M,L} \\ [\mathfrak{F}:\mathbb{Q}_p]d_w=j}} H^{-j}(\Phi_{P n_w Q}(\chi)) \\ &\cong \bigoplus_{\substack{w \in D_{M,L} \\ [\mathfrak{F}:\mathbb{Q}_p]d_w=j}} H^{-j}(\Psi_{n_w}(\chi)) \\ &\cong \bigoplus_{\substack{w \in D_{M,L} \\ [\mathfrak{F}:\mathbb{Q}_p]d_w=j}} i_{n_w^{-1}(P) \cap L}^L (\delta_w \otimes_k n_{w*}^{-1} \chi), \end{aligned}$$

where the last isomorphism again uses the fact that $L(M \cap n_w(N), \chi) \cong \chi$ viewed as a character of $M \cap n_w(L)$. This proves (4.2.2).

4.2.4. Lemma. Let $V, W \in \text{Rep}_k(G)$. Assume there exists a central element $z \in G$ such that the action of z on V and W is given by multiplication with distinct scalars. Then

$$\text{Ext}_G^i(V, W) = 0, \quad \text{for all } i \geq 0.$$

Proof. This is well-known, see [BW00, I, §4]. □

4.2.5. Remark. In [Hau19, Conjecture 3.17] Hauseux states a conjecture regarding the computation of Ext^1 -groups of representations which are parabolically induced from a supersingular representation. This conjecture is conditionally resolved in [Hau18, Corollary 5.2.9]; parts of the argument rely, however, on an open conjecture of Emerton, [Eme10, Conjecture 3.7.2], which states that the higher ordinary parts functor $H^\bullet \text{Ord}_P$ is the right derived functor of Ord_P on the category of locally admissible representations. Granting this conjecture, Hauseux is able to prove even more general forms of his conjecture, see particularly [Hau18, Remarks 5.2.6 and 5.2.8]. Further, Hauseux computes higher Ext-groups for principal series representations in [Hau16, Théorème 5.3.1], which again relies on the conjecture of Emerton.

In Theorems 4.2.8 and 4.2.11 below I give unconditional proofs of the computation, resp. the generalized conjecture, of Hauseux in a slightly different context: where Hauseux is computing

(higher) extensions in the category of locally admissible representations, our computations naturally work in the category of all smooth representations.

4.2.6. Observe (e.g., by [Ren10, V.2.6 Lemme] applied to $G = Z$) that restriction of characters induces an inclusion $X^*(Z) \subseteq X^*(T)$ with finite index, which is W -equivariant for the natural actions of W on $X^*(Z)$ and $X^*(T)$, respectively. (Note that W acts on $X^*(Z)$ since $\mathbf{N}_{\mathbf{G}}(\mathbf{T})(\mathfrak{F})$ normalizes Z and Z acts trivially on $X^*(Z)$.) For each $\alpha \in \Sigma$, the composite $\mathbf{T} \subseteq \mathbf{Z} \xrightarrow{\text{Ad}} \text{Aut}(\text{Lie } \mathbf{U}_{\alpha}) \rightarrow \text{Aut}(\bigwedge^{d_{\alpha}} \text{Lie } \mathbf{U}_{\alpha}) \cong \mathbb{G}_{m, \mathfrak{F}}$ coincides with $d_{\alpha}\alpha$. Hence, we have $d_{\alpha}\alpha \in X^*(Z)$ under the above inclusion.

For any $w \in W$, we put $\alpha_w := \sum_{\beta \in \Sigma^+ \cap w^{-1}(-\Sigma^+)} d_{\beta}\beta \in X^*(Z)$, which we also view as a character $Z^{\times} \rightarrow \mathfrak{F}^{\times}$. By Lemma 4.1.6 the character δ_w from Notation 4.1.5 is given by $\delta_w = \varepsilon_{\mathfrak{F}} \circ \alpha_w$, where $\varepsilon_{\mathfrak{F}}$ is the composition of the norm map $\text{Nm}_{\mathfrak{F}/\mathbb{Q}_p}$ and the mod p cyclotomic character $\varepsilon: \mathbb{Q}_p^{\times} \rightarrow k^{\times}$.

Inspired by the definition in [BG10, Definition 5.2.1], we call a character $\theta \in X^*(Z)$ a *twisting element* if $\langle \theta, \alpha^{\vee} \rangle = d_{\alpha}$ for all $\alpha \in \Delta_G$. If $\rho := \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha \in \Sigma^+} d_{\alpha}\alpha$ lies in $X^*(Z)$ (e.g., if \mathbf{G} is \mathfrak{F} -split, semisimple, and simply connected), then we show below that ρ is a twisting element.

4.2.7. Lemma.

- (a) One has $\alpha_w = \rho - w^{-1}(\rho)$ in $X^*(Z) \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{Q}$, for all $w \in W$.
- (b) The function $W \rightarrow X^*(Z)$, $w \mapsto \alpha_w$ is injective and satisfies the cocycle condition $\alpha_{vw} = \alpha_w + w^{-1}(\alpha_v)$ for all $v, w \in W$.
- (c) The assignment $\chi \star w := \delta_w \otimes_k w_*^{-1}\chi$ defines a right action of W on the group of smooth characters of Z .
- (d) One has $\langle \rho, \alpha^{\vee} \rangle = 0$ in $X^*(Z) \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{Q}$, for all $\alpha \in \Delta_G$. In particular, if $\rho \in X^*(Z)$, then ρ is a twisting element.
- (e) Assume there exists a twisting element θ . Then $\chi \star w = (\varepsilon_{\mathfrak{F}} \circ \theta) \otimes_k w_*^{-1}(\chi \otimes_k \varepsilon_{\mathfrak{F}}^{-1} \circ \theta)$ for all $w \in W$ and all smooth characters $\chi: Z \rightarrow k^{\times}$.

Remark. The action $(\chi, w) \mapsto \chi \star w$ is reminiscent of the “dot action” in the representation theory of semisimple Lie algebras.

Proof of Lemma 4.2.7. Note that $d_{\alpha} = d_{w(\alpha)}$ for all $\alpha \in \Sigma$, $w \in W$. For (a) we compute

$$\begin{aligned} 2w^{-1}(\rho) &= \sum_{\alpha \in \Sigma^+} d_{\alpha} \cdot w^{-1}(\alpha) = \sum_{\alpha \in \Sigma^+ \cap w(\Sigma^+)} d_{w^{-1}(\alpha)} w^{-1}(\alpha) + \sum_{\alpha \in \Sigma^+ \cap w(-\Sigma^+)} d_{w^{-1}(\alpha)} w^{-1}(\alpha) \\ &= \sum_{\alpha \in w^{-1}(\Sigma^+) \cap \Sigma^+} d_{\alpha}\alpha - \sum_{\alpha \in w^{-1}(-\Sigma^+) \cap \Sigma^+} d_{\alpha}\alpha = 2\rho - 2\alpha_w. \end{aligned}$$

The cocycle condition in (b) can be verified in $X^*(Z) \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{Q}$, in which case it is obvious from (a). If $v, w \in W$ are such that $\alpha_v = \alpha_w$, then $\alpha_v = \alpha_{vw^{-1}w} = \alpha_w + w^{-1}(\alpha_{vw^{-1}})$, and hence $\alpha_{vw^{-1}} = 0$; but this necessitates $v = w$. Part (c) follows from (b) noting that also $w \mapsto \delta_w = \varepsilon_{\mathfrak{F}} \circ \alpha_w$ is a cocycle. Let us prove (d). For each $\alpha \in \Delta_G$ we compute, using (a),

$$\langle \rho, \alpha^{\vee} \rangle = \langle s_{\alpha}(\rho), s_{\alpha}(\alpha^{\vee}) \rangle = \langle \rho - d_{\alpha}\alpha, -\alpha^{\vee} \rangle = -\langle \rho, \alpha^{\vee} \rangle + d_{\alpha}\langle \alpha, \alpha^{\vee} \rangle.$$

In combination with $\langle \alpha, \alpha^{\vee} \rangle = 2$, this shows $\langle \rho, \alpha^{\vee} \rangle = d_{\alpha}$. Finally, we prove (e). Note that $\langle \theta - \rho, \alpha^{\vee} \rangle = 0$ for all $\alpha \in \Delta_G$, by (d). Hence, W fixes $\theta - \rho$ (e.g., by [Bor91, 21.2 Theorem]), and therefore $\theta - w^{-1}(\theta) = \rho - w^{-1}(\rho) = \alpha_w$ in $X^*(Z)$ (the computation is carried out in $X^*(Z) \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{Q}$). We deduce $\delta_w = (\varepsilon_{\mathfrak{F}} \circ \theta) \otimes_k w_*^{-1}(\varepsilon_{\mathfrak{F}}^{-1} \circ \theta)$, from which the assertion follows. \square

4.2.8. Theorem. Let $\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{M} \ltimes \mathbf{U}$ a standard parabolic subgroup of \mathbf{G} and write $\mathbf{B} = \mathbf{Z} \ltimes \mathbf{N}$. Denote by $C(Z)$ the center of Z . Let $\chi: M \rightarrow k^{\times}$ be a smooth character and let $r \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$.

- (a) Let $\chi': Z \rightarrow k^{\times}$ be another smooth character. If

$$\text{Ext}_{\mathbf{G}}^r(i_{\mathbf{P}}^{\mathbf{G}} \chi, i_{\mathbf{B}}^{\mathbf{G}} \chi') \neq 0,$$

then there exists $w \in D_{M, Z}$ such that $\chi' \cong \delta_w \otimes_k n_{w*}^{-1}\chi$ as characters of $C(Z)$ and with $[\mathfrak{F}: \mathbb{Q}_p]d_w \leq r$.

- (b) Assume $\delta_w \otimes_k n_{w*}^{-1} \chi \not\cong \chi$ as characters of $C(Z)$, for all $w \in D_{M,Z}$. For each $w \in D_{M,Z}$ with $[\mathfrak{F} : \mathbb{Q}_p] d_w \leq r$ one has k -linear isomorphisms

$$\mathrm{Ext}_G^r(i_P^G \chi, i_B^G(\delta_w \otimes_k n_{w*}^{-1} \chi)) \cong \mathrm{Ext}_Z^{r-[\mathfrak{F}:\mathbb{Q}_p]d_w}(\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{1}) \cong H^{r-[\mathfrak{F}:\mathbb{Q}_p]d_w}(Z, k),$$

where $H^*(Z, k)$ denotes the continuous group cohomology of Z with coefficients in k .

Proof. By [Hey23, Corollary 4.1.3], there is a spectral sequence

$$E_2^{i,j} = \mathrm{Ext}_Z^i(L^{-j}(N, i_P^G \chi), \chi') \implies \mathrm{Ext}_G^{i+j}(i_P^G \chi, i_B^G \chi').$$

Moreover, (4.2.2) reads $L^{-j}(N, i_P^G \chi) \cong \bigoplus_{\substack{w \in D_{M,Z} \\ [\mathfrak{F}:\mathbb{Q}_p]d_w=j}} \delta_w \otimes_k n_{w*}^{-1} \chi$. We prove (a) by showing the contrapositive. If after restriction to $C(Z)$ we have $\chi' \not\cong \delta_w \otimes_k n_{w*}^{-1} \chi$ for all $w \in D_{M,Z}$ with $[\mathfrak{F} : \mathbb{Q}_p] d_w \leq r$, then Lemma 4.2.4 shows that $E_2^{i,j} = 0$ for all $j \leq r$ and all i . But this implies $\mathrm{Ext}_G^r(i_P^G \chi, i_B^G \chi') = 0$. We now prove (b). Take $w \in D_{M,Z}$ with $[\mathfrak{F} : \mathbb{Q}_p] d_w \leq r$ and put $\chi' := \delta_w \otimes_k n_{w*}^{-1} \chi$. By the assumption and Lemma 4.2.7.(c) we have $\chi' \not\cong \delta_v \otimes_k n_{v*}^{-1} \chi$ for all $v \neq w$ (as characters of $C(Z)$). Together with Lemma 4.2.4 we deduce $E_2^{i,j} = 0$ whenever $j \neq [\mathfrak{F} : \mathbb{Q}_p] d_w$, and

$$E_2^{i, [\mathfrak{F}:\mathbb{Q}_p]d_w} \cong \mathrm{Ext}_Z^i(\chi', \chi') \cong \mathrm{Ext}_Z^i(\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{1}) \cong H^i(Z, k),$$

where the third isomorphism follows from [Fus22, Theorem 1.1]. Hence, the spectral sequence collapses on the second page and gives an isomorphism $\mathrm{Ext}_Z^{r-[\mathfrak{F}:\mathbb{Q}_p]d_w}(\chi', \chi') \cong \mathrm{Ext}_G^r(i_P^G \chi, i_B^G \chi')$. \square

4.2.9. Definition. A smooth representation $V \in \mathrm{Rep}_k(G)$ is called *left cuspidal* (resp. *right cuspidal*) if for all proper parabolic subgroups $\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{M} \ltimes \mathbf{U}$ of \mathbf{G} it holds that $L^0(U, V) = 0$ (resp. $R^0(U, V) = 0$).

4.2.10. Remark. By [AHV19, Corollary 6.9], an irreducible admissible G -representation is left and right cuspidal if and only if it is supercuspidal.

4.2.11. Theorem. Let \mathbf{P}, \mathbf{Q} and $\mathcal{N}_{P,Q}$ be as in §4.1.3. Let $V \in \mathrm{Rep}_k(M)$ and $W \in \mathrm{Rep}_k(L)$.

- (a) Assume $\mathbf{P} \not\subseteq \mathbf{Q}$ and $\mathbf{P} \not\supseteq \mathbf{Q}$, that V is left cuspidal and that W is right cuspidal. Then

$$\mathrm{Ext}_G^1(i_P^G V, i_Q^G W) = 0.$$

- (b) Assume $\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{Q}$. For each $0 \leq i < [\mathfrak{F} : \mathbb{Q}_p]$, the functor i_P^G induces an isomorphism

$$\mathrm{Ext}_M^i(V, W) \xrightarrow{\cong} \mathrm{Ext}_G^i(i_P^G V, i_P^G W),$$

and there is an exact sequence

$$0 \longrightarrow \mathrm{Ext}_M^{[\mathfrak{F}:\mathbb{Q}_p]}(V, W) \longrightarrow \mathrm{Ext}_G^{[\mathfrak{F}:\mathbb{Q}_p]}(i_P^G V, i_P^G W) \longrightarrow X \longrightarrow \mathrm{Ext}_M^{[\mathfrak{F}:\mathbb{Q}_p]+1}(V, W),$$

where

$$X := \bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Delta_G^1 \setminus \Delta_M} \mathrm{Hom}_{n_\alpha^{-1}(M) \cap M}(\delta_\alpha \otimes_k n_{\alpha*}^{-1} L^0(M \cap n_\alpha(U), V), R^0(n_\alpha^{-1}(U) \cap M, W)).$$

- (c) Assume $\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{Q}$, that V is left cuspidal or W is right cuspidal, and that V and W admit distinct central characters. Then

$$\mathrm{Ext}_G^{[\mathfrak{F}:\mathbb{Q}_p]}(i_P^G V, i_P^G W) \cong \bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Delta_M^{\perp, 1}} \mathrm{Hom}_M(\delta_\alpha \otimes_k n_{\alpha*}^{-1} V, W).$$

- (d) Assume $\mathbf{P} \supsetneq \mathbf{Q}$ and that V is left cuspidal. For all $0 \leq i \leq [\mathfrak{F} : \mathbb{Q}_p]$, the functor i_P^G induces an isomorphism

$$\mathrm{Ext}_M^i(V, i_{M \cap Q}^M W) \xrightarrow{\cong} \mathrm{Ext}_G^i(i_P^G V, i_Q^G W).$$

(e) Assume $\mathbf{P} \subsetneq \mathbf{Q}$ and that W is right cuspidal. For all $0 \leq i \leq [\mathfrak{F} : \mathbb{Q}_p]$, the functor i_Q^G induces an isomorphism

$$\mathrm{Ext}_L^i(i_{P \cap L}^L V, W) \xrightarrow{\cong} \mathrm{Ext}_G^i(i_P^G V, i_Q^G W).$$

Proof. First note that the condition that $w \in D_{M,L}$ satisfies $d_w \leq 1$ is equivalent to $w = s_\alpha$ for some $\alpha \in \Delta_G^1$. Thus the $P \times Q$ -invariant open subsets $(G \setminus \bigcup_{w \in D_{M,L}} P n_w Q) \subseteq (G \setminus PQ) \subseteq G$ induce by Proposition 3.2.11 and Theorem 3.3.5 two distinguished triangles

$$(4.2.12) \quad Y \longrightarrow \mathrm{L}(N, i_P^G V) \longrightarrow Y' \xrightarrow{+}$$

and

$$(4.2.13) \quad \bigoplus_{\substack{\alpha \in \Delta_G^1 \\ n_\alpha \in \mathcal{N}_{P,Q}}} i_{n_\alpha^{-1}(P) \cap L}^L \omega_\alpha \otimes_k n_{\alpha*}^{-1} \mathrm{L}(M \cap n_\alpha(N), V) \longrightarrow Y' \longrightarrow i_{P \cap L}^L \mathrm{L}(M \cap N, V) \xrightarrow{+}$$

in $\mathrm{D}(L)$ such that $H^i(Y) = 0$ for each $i > -2[\mathfrak{F} : \mathbb{Q}_p]$. Applying $\mathrm{RHom}_L(-, W)$ to (4.2.12) and using $\mathrm{RHom}_G(i_P^G V, i_Q^G W) \cong \mathrm{RHom}_L(\mathrm{L}(N, i_P^G V), W)$, we obtain a distinguished triangle

$$\mathrm{RHom}_L(Y', W) \longrightarrow \mathrm{RHom}_G(i_P^Q V, i_Q^G W) \longrightarrow \mathrm{RHom}_L(Y, W) \xrightarrow{+},$$

where $H^i \mathrm{RHom}_L(Y, W) = 0$ for all $i < 2[\mathfrak{F} : \mathbb{Q}_p]$. Thus, for all $i < 2[\mathfrak{F} : \mathbb{Q}_p]$ we have an isomorphism

$$(4.2.14) \quad H^i \mathrm{RHom}_L(Y', W) \xrightarrow{\cong} \mathrm{Ext}_G^i(i_P^G V, i_Q^G W).$$

We now turn to the proofs of the statements.

We prove (a). From $\mathbf{P} \not\subseteq \mathbf{Q}$ we deduce that $\mathbf{M} \cap \mathbf{Q}$ is a proper parabolic of \mathbf{M} , and similarly from $\mathbf{P} \not\supseteq \mathbf{Q}$ it follows that $\mathbf{P} \cap \mathbf{L}$ is a proper parabolic of \mathbf{L} . As V is left cuspidal and W is right cuspidal, we obtain

$$\mathrm{L}^0(M \cap N, V) = 0 = \mathrm{R}^0(U \cap L, W).$$

Consequently, it follows that

$$\mathrm{RHom}_L(i_{P \cap L}^L \mathrm{L}(M \cap N, V), W) \cong \mathrm{RHom}_{M \cap L}(\mathrm{L}(M \cap N, V), \mathrm{R}(U \cap L, W))$$

lies in $\mathrm{D}^{\geq 2}(k)$.

Claim. Let $\alpha \in \Delta_G$. Then $\mathbf{M} \cap n_\alpha(\mathbf{N}) = \{1\} = n_\alpha^{-1}(\mathbf{U}) \cap \mathbf{L}$ implies $\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{Q}$.

Proof of the claim. The condition $\mathbf{M} \cap n_\alpha(\mathbf{N}) = \{1\}$ implies $\Sigma_M \cap s_\alpha(\Sigma^+ \setminus \Sigma_L) = \emptyset$, where s_α denotes the simple reflection attached to α . Since $-\Sigma_M = \Sigma_M$, we deduce $\Sigma_M \subseteq s_\alpha(\Sigma_L)$. Similarly, the condition $n_\alpha^{-1}(\mathbf{U}) \cap \mathbf{L} = \{1\}$ implies $\Sigma_L \subseteq s_\alpha^{-1}(\Sigma_M)$. Hence, we have $\Sigma_M = s_\alpha(\Sigma_L)$. If $s_\alpha \in D_{M,L}$, then $s_\alpha(\Sigma_L^+) \subseteq \Sigma^+ \cap \Sigma_M = \Sigma_M^+$ and in fact $s_\alpha(\Sigma_L^+) = \Sigma_M^+$. But then $s_\alpha(\Delta_L) = \Delta_M$ by the uniqueness of root bases. Since for $\beta \in \Delta_L$ the root $s_\alpha(\beta) = \beta - \langle \beta, \alpha^\vee \rangle \alpha$ is simple only if $\langle \beta, \alpha^\vee \rangle = 0$, it follows that $\alpha \in \Delta_L^\perp$ and hence that $\Delta_L = s_\alpha(\Delta_L) = \Delta_M$. This entails $\Sigma_L = \Sigma_M$. If $s_\alpha \notin D_{M,L}$, then $s_\alpha \in W_M$ or $s_\alpha \in W_L$ in which case it is clear that $\Sigma_M = \Sigma_L$. In any case, we obtain $\mathbf{M} = \mathbf{L}$ and hence also $\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{Q}$. \square

The (contrapositive of the) claim and the assumptions $\mathbf{P} \not\subseteq \mathbf{Q}$ and $\mathbf{P} \not\supseteq \mathbf{Q}$ imply that $\mathbf{M} \cap n_\alpha(\mathbf{Q})$ is a proper parabolic subgroup of \mathbf{M} or $n_\alpha^{-1}(\mathbf{P}) \cap \mathbf{L}$ is a proper parabolic subgroup of \mathbf{L} . As V is left cuspidal and W is right cuspidal, it follows that $\mathrm{L}^0(M \cap n_\alpha(N), V) = 0$ or $\mathrm{R}^0(n_\alpha^{-1}(U) \cap L, W) = 0$. Since also $\omega_\alpha = \delta_\alpha [[\mathfrak{F} : \mathbb{Q}_p] d_\alpha]$, we deduce that

$$\begin{aligned} \mathrm{RHom}_L(i_{n_\alpha^{-1}(P) \cap L}^L \omega_\alpha \otimes_k n_{\alpha*}^{-1} \mathrm{L}(M \cap n_\alpha(N), V), W) \\ \cong \mathrm{RHom}_{n_\alpha^{-1}(M) \cap L}(\omega_\alpha \otimes_k n_{\alpha*}^{-1} \mathrm{L}(M \cap n_\alpha(N), V), \mathrm{R}(n_\alpha^{-1}(U) \cap L, W)) \end{aligned}$$

lies in $\mathrm{D}^{\geq [\mathfrak{F} : \mathbb{Q}_p] d_\alpha + 1}(k)$. Hence, applying $H^1 \mathrm{RHom}_L(-, W)$ to (4.2.13) and using (4.2.14), we deduce

$$\mathrm{Ext}_G^1(i_P^G V, i_Q^G W) \cong H^1 \mathrm{RHom}_L(Y', W) \cong H^1 \mathrm{RHom}_L(i_{P \cap L}^L \mathrm{L}(M \cap N, V), W) = 0.$$

We now prove (b), so assume $\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{Q}$. For $\alpha \in \Delta_G^1$ we have $\omega_\alpha = \delta_\alpha [[\mathfrak{F} : \mathbb{Q}_p]]$, and hence the complex

$$(4.2.15) \quad \bigoplus_{\substack{\alpha \in \Delta_G^1 \\ n_\alpha \in \mathcal{N}_{P,P}}} \mathrm{RHom}_M(i_{n_\alpha^{-1}(P) \cap M}^M \omega_\alpha \otimes_k n_{\alpha*}^{-1} L(M \cap n_\alpha(U), V), W)$$

lies in $D^{\geq [\mathfrak{F} : \mathbb{Q}_p]}(k)$. Since $H^{[\mathfrak{F} : \mathbb{Q}_p]}((4.2.15)) \cong X$, the assertion follows by applying $H^i \mathrm{RHom}_M(-, W)$ to (4.2.13) and using (4.2.14).

For (c) we observe that $\mathrm{Ext}_M^i(V, W) = 0$ for all $i \geq 0$ by Lemma 4.2.4 and the assumption that V and W admit distinct central characters. Note that $\mathbf{M} \cap n_\alpha(\mathbf{P}) = \mathbf{M}$ if and only if $\mathbf{M} = n_\alpha(\mathbf{M})$ if and only if $\alpha \in (\Delta_M \cup \Delta_M^\perp)$. As V is left cuspidal or W is right cuspidal, we deduce $L^0(M \cap n_\alpha(U), V) = 0$ or $R^0(n_\alpha^{-1}(U) \cap M, W) = 0$, for each $\alpha \in \Delta_G \setminus (\Delta_M \cup \Delta_M^\perp)$. Now, the assertion follows from (b).

The proofs of (d) and (e) are symmetric, so we only prove (d). Since V is left cuspidal, we have $L^0(M \cap n_\alpha(U), V) = 0$ for all $\alpha \in \Delta_G \setminus (\Delta_M \cup \Delta_M^\perp)$. For all $\alpha \in \Delta_M^\perp$ we have

$$\mathrm{Hom}_M(\delta_\alpha \otimes_k n_{\alpha*}^{-1} V, i_{M \cap Q}^M W) = 0,$$

because with V also $\delta_\alpha \otimes_k n_{\alpha*}^{-1} V$ is left cuspidal and $\mathbf{M} \cap \mathbf{Q}$ is a proper parabolic subgroup of \mathbf{M} . Hence, the assertion follows from (b). \square

4.3. Generalized Steinberg representations. We will need the following well-known result, which we will prove for the convenience of the reader.

4.3.1. Lemma. *Let R be a unital associative ring and M an R -module of finite length whose constituents occur with multiplicity one. Denote by $\mathrm{JH}(M)$ the set of Jordan–Hölder factors of M .*

- (a) *For each $V \in \mathrm{JH}(M)$ there exists a unique minimal submodule $M_V \leq M$ which has V as a quotient. The cosocle of M_V is V .*
- (b) *One has $\mathrm{JH}(N_1 \cap N_2) = \mathrm{JH}(N_1) \cap \mathrm{JH}(N_2)$ and $\mathrm{JH}(N_1 + N_2) = \mathrm{JH}(N_1) \cup \mathrm{JH}(N_2)$, for all submodules $N_1, N_2 \leq M$.*

Proof. We first show (a). Let $V \in \mathrm{JH}(M)$ and take any submodule $N \leq M$ minimal with the property that V is a quotient of N . If we had $\mathrm{cosoc}(N) \neq V$, then the preimage of V under the surjection $N \twoheadrightarrow \mathrm{cosoc}(N)$ is strictly contained in N and has V as a quotient, contradicting the minimality assumption on N .

Let now $N, N' \leq M$ be two minimal submodules having V as a quotient. Consider the short exact sequence $0 \rightarrow N' \rightarrow N + N' \rightarrow N/(N \cap N') \rightarrow 0$. From the multiplicity one assumption, we deduce $V \notin \mathrm{JH}(N/(N \cap N'))$. Since $V \in \mathrm{JH}(N)$, it follows that $V \in \mathrm{JH}(N \cap N')$. Hence, there exists $N'' \leq N \cap N'$ having V as a quotient. By the minimality of N and N' we conclude $N = N'' = N'$. This proves the uniqueness claim.

For (b) it is generally true that $\mathrm{JH}(N_1 \cap N_2) \subseteq \mathrm{JH}(N_1) \cap \mathrm{JH}(N_2)$ and $\mathrm{JH}(N_1 + N_2) = \mathrm{JH}(N_1) \cup \mathrm{JH}(N_2)$. The remaining assertion needs the multiplicity one condition and follows from (a), since $V \in \mathrm{JH}(N_1) \cap \mathrm{JH}(N_2)$ implies $M_V \subseteq N_1 \cap N_2$ and hence $V \in \mathrm{JH}(N_1 \cap N_2)$. \square

4.3.2. Recall the setup in §4.1.2. For any $I \subseteq \Delta_G$ we denote by $\mathbf{P}_I = \mathbf{M}_I \ltimes \mathbf{U}_I$ the corresponding standard parabolic subgroup of \mathbf{G} . Note that $\mathbf{B} = \mathbf{P}_\emptyset$.

In the following, we will abbreviate $i_{P_I}^G$ for $i_{P_I}^G(\mathbf{1})$. By [GK14, Theorem D] (for split \mathbf{G} with classical root system) and [Ly15, Corollary 3.2] (for general \mathbf{G}) the Jordan–Hölder constituents of $i_{P_I}^G$ are the *generalized Steinberg representations*

$$\mathrm{Sp}_{P_J}^G := i_{P_J}^G / \sum_{J \subsetneq J' \subseteq \Delta_G} i_{P_{J'}}^G,$$

where $I \subseteq J \subseteq \Delta_G$; they are pairwise non-isomorphic and occur with multiplicity one.

4.3.3. Lemma. *Let $I, J, J_1, \dots, J_r \subseteq \Delta_G$ be arbitrary subsets. Inside i_B^G we have:*

- (a) $i_{P_I}^G \cap i_{P_J}^G = i_{P_{I \cup J}}^G$;
- (b) $i_{P_I}^G \cap \sum_{i=1}^r i_{P_{J_i}}^G = \sum_{i=1}^r (i_{P_I}^G \cap i_{P_{J_i}}^G)$.

Proof. (a) is clear as $P_{I \cup J}$ is generated as a group by P_I and P_J .

We now prove (b). Since the constituents of i_B^G occur with multiplicity one, we may prove the equality by showing that the sets of Jordan–Hölder factors are the same. Using Lemma 4.3.1 we compute

$$\begin{aligned} \text{JH}\left(i_{P_I}^G \cap \sum_{i=1}^r i_{P_{J_i}}^G\right) &= \text{JH}(i_{P_I}^G) \cap \bigcup_{i=1}^r \text{JH}(i_{P_{J_i}}^G) \\ &= \bigcup_{i=1}^r (\text{JH}(i_{P_I}^G) \cap \text{JH}(i_{P_{J_i}}^G)) = \text{JH}\left(\sum_{i=1}^r (i_{P_I}^G \cap i_{P_{J_i}}^G)\right). \end{aligned} \quad \square$$

4.3.4. Choose a total ordering \preccurlyeq on Δ_G . Fix subsets $I_0, I_1 \subseteq \Delta_G$ and $I, K \subseteq I_1$, and consider the power set $\mathcal{P}(I_1 \setminus I_0)$ as a partially ordered set with respect to reverse inclusion. Define a functor

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{V}_{I,K}^{I_0,I_1} : \mathcal{P}(I_1 \setminus I_0) &\longrightarrow \text{Rep}_k(M_K), \\ J &\longmapsto i_{P_{(I \cup J) \cap K}}^{M_K}, \end{aligned}$$

where $\mathcal{V}_{I,K}^{I_0,I_1}(J \subseteq J')$ is the inclusion $i_{P_{(I \cup J') \cap K}}^{M_K} \hookrightarrow i_{P_{(I \cup J) \cap K}}^{M_K}$, and where for any $I' \subseteq \Delta_G$ we write $i_{P_{I' \cap K}}^{M_K}$ instead of $i_{P_{I' \cap K} \cap M_K}^{M_K}$ for the sake of readability. We define a complex $C_{I,K}^\bullet(I, I_0)$ as follows: for each integer $n \leq 0$ we put

$$C_{I,K}^n(I, I_0) := \bigoplus_{\substack{J \subseteq I_1 \setminus I_0 \\ |J| = -n}} \mathcal{V}_{I,K}^{I_0,I_1}(J);$$

by convention, $C_{I,K}^n(I, I_0) = 0$ for $n > 0$. The differential $d^n : C_{I,K}^n(I, I_0) \rightarrow C_{I,K}^{n+1}(I, I_0)$ is defined on the J -th summand as

$$(d^n)_J = \sum_{j_0 \in J} \varepsilon_{I_0}(J \setminus \{j_0\}, j_0) \cdot \mathcal{V}_{I,K}^{I_0,I_1}(J \setminus \{j_0\} \subseteq J),$$

where $\varepsilon_{I_0}(J \setminus \{j_0\}, j_0) := (-1)^{|j \in I_0 \sqcup J | j \prec j_0|}$. It is an easy exercise to show that $C_{I,K}^\bullet(I, I_0)$ is indeed a complex.

4.3.5. Example. The complex $C_{\Delta_G, \Delta_G}^\bullet(I, I)$ can be depicted as

$$(4.3.6) \quad 0 \rightarrow \mathbf{1} \rightarrow \bigoplus_{\substack{I \subseteq J \subseteq \Delta_G \\ |\Delta_G \setminus J| = 1}} i_{P_J}^G \rightarrow \cdots \rightarrow \bigoplus_{j \in \Delta_G \setminus I} i_{P_{I \cup \{j\}}}^G \rightarrow i_{P_I}^G \rightarrow 0.$$

Observe that $H^0(C_{\Delta_G, \Delta_G}^\bullet(I, I)) = \text{Sp}_{P_I}^G$.

4.3.7. Proposition. *The complex $C_{I,K}^\bullet(I, I_0)$ is a resolution of $H^0(C_{I,K}^\bullet(I, I_0))$.*

Proof. In view of Lemma 4.3.3, this follows from the general [KS06, Corollary 12.4.11]. \square

4.3.8. Notation. For $w \in W$, we put

$$I(w) := \{\alpha \in \Delta_G \mid \ell(s_\alpha w) = \ell(w) + 1\},$$

where $\ell(\cdot)$ denotes the length function on W . Observe that $I(w) \subseteq \Delta_G$ is the maximal subset such that $w^{-1} \in D_{I(w)}$.

4.3.9. Theorem. *Let $I, K \subseteq \Delta_G$ and $j \in \mathbb{Z}$. Then*

$$L^{-j}(U_K, \mathrm{Sp}_{P_I}^G) = \bigoplus_{\substack{w \in D_{I,K}, \\ [\mathfrak{F}:\mathbb{Q}_p]d_w=j, \\ I(w) \setminus I \subseteq w(K)}} i_{P_{w^{-1}(I(w)) \cap K}}^{M_K} (\delta_w \otimes_k n_{w*}^{-1} \mathrm{Sp}_{P_{I \cap w(K)}}^{M_{I(w) \cap w(K)}}).$$

Proof. We compute $L^{-j}(U_K, \mathrm{Sp}_{P_I}^G)$ via a spectral sequence coming from the resolution (4.3.6). For any complex $X^\bullet \in \mathcal{C}(G)$ and any integer r , we denote by $\sigma^{\geq r} X$ the brutal truncation of X^\bullet [KS06, Definition 11.3.11]; these fit into a distinguished triangle

$$\sigma^{\geq r+1} X \longrightarrow \sigma^{\geq r} X \longrightarrow X^r[-r] \xrightarrow{+}$$

in $\mathcal{D}(G)$. As, e.g., described in [Hey23, Lemma 2.3.20] (applied to $X(r) := \sigma^{\geq r} X$), we obtain for any triangulated functor $F: \mathcal{D}(G) \rightarrow \mathcal{D}(M_K)$ a spectral sequence

$$E_1^{r,s} = H^s(F)(X^r) \implies H^{r+s}(FX),$$

which converges provided X^\bullet is bounded. We apply this to the bounded complex $X^\bullet = C_{\Delta_G, \Delta_G}^\bullet(I, I)$ and the functor $F = L(U_K, -)$ and obtain a third quadrant spectral sequence

$$E_1^{r,s} = \bigoplus_{\substack{I \subseteq J \subseteq \Delta_G \\ |J \setminus I| = -r}} L^s(U_K, i_{P_J}^G) \implies L^{r+s}(U_K, \mathrm{Sp}_{P_I}^G).$$

We will show that this spectral sequence collapses on the second page. Fix any s . The differential $d^r: E_1^{r,s} \rightarrow E_1^{r+1,s}$ is induced by the differential of $C_{\Delta_G, \Delta_G}^\bullet(I, I)$. In order to analyse $E_1^{\bullet,s}$, we fix $J \subseteq J' \subseteq \Delta_G$ for the moment. The inclusion $i_{P_{J'}}^G \hookrightarrow i_{P_J}^G$ coincides with $i_{P_{J'}}^G(\eta)$, where $\eta: \mathbf{1} \rightarrow i_{P_J \cap M_{J'}}^{M_{J'}}$ is the unit map. From the Geometrical Lemma (Corollary 3.3.6) we deduce

$$L^s(U_K, i_{P_J}^G) = \bigoplus_{\substack{w \in D_{J',K} \\ [\mathfrak{F}:\mathbb{Q}_p]d_w \leq -s}} i_{w^{-1}(P_{J'}) \cap M_K}^{M_K} \left(\delta_w \otimes n_{w*}^{-1} L^{s+[\mathfrak{F}:\mathbb{Q}_p]d_w} (M_{J'} \cap n_w(U_K), i_{P_J \cap M_{J'}}^{M_{J'}}) \right).$$

Hence, the map $L^s(U_K, i_{P_{J'}}^G) \rightarrow L^s(U_K, i_{P_J}^G)$ is induced on the w -th summand (where w satisfies $[\mathfrak{F}:\mathbb{Q}_p]d_w = -s$) by applying the functor $i_{w^{-1}(P_{J'}) \cap M_K}^{M_K} (\delta_w \otimes n_{w*}^{-1} L^0(M_{J'} \cap n_w(U_K), -))$ to the unit $\eta: \mathbf{1} \rightarrow i_{P_J \cap M_{J'}}^{M_{J'}}$. By Kilmoyer's Theorem [Car85, Theorem 2.7.4], we have $M_{J'} \cap n_w(M_K) = M_{J' \cap w(K)}$. Hence, $P_J \cap M_{J'} \cap w(M_K)$ is the standard parabolic subgroup of $M_{J' \cap w(K)}$ attached to $J \cap w(K)$. Observe that the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} L^0(M_{J'} \cap n_w(U_K), \mathbf{1}) & \longrightarrow & L^0(M_{J'} \cap n_w(U_K), i_{P_J \cap M_{J'}}^{M_{J'}}) \\ \cong \downarrow & & \downarrow \cong \\ \mathbf{1} & \longrightarrow & i_{P_J \cap w(K)}^{M_{J' \cap w(K)}}, \end{array}$$

commutes, where the bottom map is the unit map.

To summarize, the map $L^s(U_K, i_{P_{J'}}^G) \rightarrow L^s(U_K, i_{P_J}^G)$ is on the w -th summand given by

$$i_{w^{-1}(P_{J'}) \cap M_K}^{M_K} \delta_w \longrightarrow i_{w^{-1}(P_{J'}) \cap M_K}^{M_K} (\delta_w \otimes_k n_{w*}^{-1} i_{P_J \cap w(K)}^{M_{J' \cap w(K)}}).$$

For any $w \in D_{I,K}$, we consider the complex $C^\bullet(w) := C_{I(w), I(w) \cap w(K)}^\bullet(I, I)$ attached to the functor

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{V}_{I, I(w) \cap w(K)}^{I, I(w)}: \mathcal{P}(I(w) \setminus I) &\longrightarrow \mathrm{Rep}_k(M_{I(w) \cap w(K)}), \\ J &\longmapsto i_{P_{(I \cup J) \cap w(K)}}^{M_{I(w) \cap w(K)}}, \end{aligned}$$

cf. §4.3.4. Our analysis shows that

$$E_1^{\bullet,s} = \bigoplus_{\substack{w \in D_{I,K} \\ [\mathfrak{F}:\mathbb{Q}_p]d_w = -s}} i_{P_{w^{-1}(I(w)) \cap K}}^{M_K} (\delta_w \otimes_k n_{w*}^{-1} C^\bullet(w)).$$

From Proposition 4.3.7 it follows that $C^\bullet(w)$ is a resolution of

$$H^0(C^\bullet(w)) = \begin{cases} \mathrm{Sp}_{P_{I \cap w(K)}}^{M_{I(w) \cap w(K)}}, & \text{if } I(w) \setminus I \subseteq w(K), \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

We conclude that $E_2^{\bullet,\bullet}$ is supported on the 0-th column, *i.e.*, the spectral sequence collapses on the second page. Since

$$E_2^{0,-j} = \bigoplus_{\substack{w \in D_{I,K}, \\ [\mathfrak{F}:\mathbb{Q}_p]d_w = j, \\ I(w) \setminus I \subseteq w(K)}} i_{P_{w^{-1}(I(w)) \cap K}}^{M_K} (\delta_w \otimes_k n_{w*}^{-1} \mathrm{Sp}_{P_{I \cap w(K)}}^{M_{I(w) \cap w(K)}}),$$

the assertion follows. \square

4.3.10. Corollary. *For every $I \subseteq \Delta_G$ and $j \in \mathbb{Z}$, one has*

$$L^{-j}(U_\emptyset, \mathrm{Sp}_{P_I}^G) = \bigoplus_{\substack{w \in D_{I,\emptyset}, \\ [\mathfrak{F}:\mathbb{Q}_p]d_w = j, \\ I = I(w)}} \delta_w.$$

(The condition $I = I(w)$ indicates $w \in D_{I,\emptyset} \setminus \bigcup_{J \supsetneq I} D_{J,\emptyset}$.) \square

Appendix A.

A.1. General abstract nonsense. The purpose of this appendix is to formulate some formal statements about adjunctions in monoidal categories. These will be applied in Lemmas 2.2.6, 2.2.8, and 2.2.14.

For the relevant notions concerning monoidal categories we refer to [Lur23, Section 00BL].

A.1.1. The primary tool for the constructions in this section is the ‘mate correspondence’ of [KS74, Proposition 2.1]. We quickly recall here the formulation. For two functors $F, G: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$ we denote by $\mathrm{Nat}(F, G)$ the class of natural transformations from F to G .

A.1.2. Proposition. *Consider a (not necessarily commutative) diagram of functors*

$$(A.1.3) \quad \begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{C} & \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{L} \\ \xleftarrow{R} \end{array} & \mathcal{D} \\ F \downarrow & & \downarrow G \\ \mathcal{C}' & \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{L'} \\ \xleftarrow{R'} \end{array} & \mathcal{D}', \end{array}$$

where L (resp. L') is left adjoint to R (resp. R'). Denote by $\eta: \mathrm{id}_{\mathcal{C}} \Rightarrow RL$ and $\eta': \mathrm{id}_{\mathcal{C}'} \Rightarrow R'L'$ the units and by $\varepsilon: LR \Rightarrow \mathrm{id}_{\mathcal{D}}$ and $\varepsilon': L'R' \Rightarrow \mathrm{id}_{\mathcal{D}'}$ the counits of the adjunctions. Then there is a natural bijection

$$\begin{aligned} \mathrm{Nat}(L'F, GL) &\xleftarrow{\cong} \mathrm{Nat}(FR, R'G) \\ \alpha &\longmapsto (R'G\varepsilon) \circ (R'\alpha_R) \circ (\eta'_{FR}), \\ (\varepsilon'_{GL}) \circ (L'\beta_L) \circ (L'F\eta) &\longmapsto \beta, \end{aligned}$$

which is compatible with horizontal and vertical compositions of the diagrams of the form (A.1.3).

A.1.4. Let $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B}, \mathcal{C}, \mathcal{D}$ be monoidal categories and consider a diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{A} & \xrightarrow{\bar{g}^*} & \mathcal{B} \\ \bar{f}^* \downarrow & \nearrow \alpha & \downarrow f^* \\ \mathcal{C} & \xrightarrow{g^*} & \mathcal{D} \end{array}$$

of (strongly) monoidal functors, where $\alpha: g^* \bar{f}^* \xrightarrow{\cong} f^* \bar{g}^*$ is a monoidal natural isomorphism. We make two assumptions:

(A1) We have the following adjunctions (of the underlying ordinary categories)

$$\begin{aligned} f_{(1)} \dashv f^* \dashv f_* \dashv f^{(1)}, & \quad g^* \dashv g_* \\ \bar{f}_{(1)} \dashv \bar{f}^* \dashv \bar{f}_* \dashv \bar{f}^{(1)}, & \quad \bar{g}^* \dashv \bar{g}_*, \end{aligned}$$

where the notation “ $F \dashv G$ ” means “ F is left adjoint to G ”.

As f^* is monoidal, we have a natural isomorphism

$$\text{mon}_f: f^*(b') \otimes f^*(b) \xrightarrow{\cong} f^*(b' \otimes b).$$

The right mate of $f^* \circ (- \otimes b) \Rightarrow (- \otimes f^*(b)) \circ f^*$ yields a natural map

$$\text{rpf}_f: f_*(d) \otimes b \longrightarrow f_*(d \otimes f^*(b)).$$

Similarly, $\text{rpf}_{\bar{f}}$ and mon_h , for $h \in \{\bar{f}, g, \bar{g}\}$, are defined. Define $\text{rpf}_g: c \otimes g_*(d) \rightarrow g_*(g^*(c) \otimes d)$ as the right mate of $g^* \circ (c \otimes -) \Rightarrow (g^*(c) \otimes -) \circ g^*$ and similarly for $\text{rpf}_{\bar{g}}$. The second assumption we make is:

(A2) rpf_f and $\text{rpf}_{\bar{f}}$ are isomorphisms. In other words: the adjunctions $f^* \dashv f_*$ and $\bar{f}^* \dashv \bar{f}_*$ satisfy (right) projection formulas.

Finally, we consider the natural maps (which we do not require to be isomorphisms)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{groth}_f: f^{(1)}(b') \otimes f^*(b) &\longrightarrow f^{(1)}(b' \otimes b) \\ \text{wirth}_f: f_*(f^{(1)}(b) \otimes d) &\longrightarrow b \otimes f_{(1)}(d), \end{aligned}$$

and similarly for f replaced by \bar{f} . Here, the morphism groth_f arises as the right mate of the map $\text{rpf}_f^{-1}: f_* \circ (- \otimes f^*(b)) \Rightarrow (- \otimes b) \circ f_*$ and the map wirth_f arises as the left mate of the natural transformation $\text{groth}_f: (f^{(1)}(b) \otimes -) \circ f^* \Rightarrow f^{(1)} \circ (b \otimes -)$.

Denoting $r(\cdot)$ and $l(\cdot)$ the passage to right and left mates,⁴ respectively, we consider the following natural transformations:

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha: g^* \bar{f}^* &\xrightarrow{\cong} f^* \bar{g}^* \\ r^2(\alpha^{-1}): \bar{f}_* g_* &\xrightarrow{\cong} \bar{g}_* f_* \\ \beta := r(r(\alpha^{-1})^{-1}): g^* \bar{f}^{(1)} &\Longrightarrow f^{(1)} \bar{g}^* \\ \gamma := l(r(\alpha)^{-1}): \bar{f}_{(1)} g_* &\Longrightarrow \bar{g}_* f_{(1)}. \end{aligned}$$

Note also that $l(\gamma) = l^2(r(\alpha)^{-1}) = l^2(r(\alpha))^{-1} = l(\alpha)^{-1}$ and therefore $\gamma = r(l(\alpha)^{-1})$.

A.1.5. Lemma. For all $a', a \in \mathcal{A}$ and $d \in \mathcal{D}$, the following diagrams commute:

⁴These operations are not well-defined, because there are usually several ways to pass to right/left mates. However, the context provides enough information to make the intended meaning unambiguous.

$$\begin{array}{c}
(a) \quad \begin{array}{ccc}
g^* \bar{f}^{(1)}(a') \otimes g^* \bar{f}^*(a) & \xrightarrow{\text{mon}_g} & g^*(\bar{f}^{(1)}(a') \otimes \bar{f}^*(a)) \xrightarrow{g^* \text{groth}_{\bar{f}}} g^* \bar{f}^{(1)}(a' \otimes a) \\
\downarrow \beta \otimes \alpha & & \downarrow \beta \\
f^{(1)} \bar{g}^*(a') \otimes f^* \bar{g}^*(a) & \xrightarrow{\text{groth}_f} & f^{(1)}(\bar{g}^*(a') \otimes \bar{g}^*(a)) \xrightarrow{f^{(1)} \text{mon}_{\bar{g}}} f^{(1)} \bar{g}^*(a' \otimes a);
\end{array} \\
\\
(b) \quad \begin{array}{ccc}
\bar{f}_* g_*(g^* \bar{f}^{(1)}(a) \otimes d) & \xrightarrow{r^2(\alpha^{-1})} & \bar{g}_* f_*(g^* \bar{f}^{(1)}(a) \otimes d) \xrightarrow{\bar{g}_* f_*(\beta \otimes \text{id})} \bar{g}_* f_*(f^{(1)} \bar{g}^*(a) \otimes d) \\
\uparrow \bar{f}_* \text{rpf}_g & & \downarrow \bar{g}_* \text{wirth}_f \\
\bar{f}_*(\bar{f}^{(1)}(a) \otimes g_*(d)) & & \bar{g}_*(\bar{g}^*(a) \otimes f_{(1)}(d)) \\
\downarrow \text{wirth}_{\bar{f}} & & \uparrow \text{rpf}_{\bar{g}} \\
a \otimes \bar{f}_{(1)} g_*(d) & \xrightarrow{\text{id} \otimes \gamma} & a \otimes \bar{g}_* f_{(1)}(d).
\end{array}
\end{array}$$

Proof. To prove (a), we start with the observation that, since α is a monoidal isomorphism, there is a commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
f^*(\bar{g}^*(a') \otimes \bar{g}^*(a)) & \xrightarrow{f^* \text{mon}_{\bar{g}}} & f^* \bar{g}^*(a' \otimes a) & \xrightarrow{\alpha^{-1}} & g^* \bar{f}^*(a' \otimes a) \\
\downarrow \text{mon}_f^{-1} \cong & & \downarrow \cong & & \downarrow g^* \text{mon}_{\bar{f}}^{-1} \\
f^* \bar{g}^*(a') \otimes f^* \bar{g}^*(a) & \xrightarrow{\alpha^{-1} \otimes \alpha^{-1}} & g^* \bar{f}^*(a') \otimes g^* \bar{f}^*(a) & \xrightarrow{\text{mon}_g} & g^*(\bar{f}^*(a') \otimes \bar{f}^*(a)).
\end{array}$$

We now compute the right mate at $\text{mon}_{\bar{f}}^{-1}$:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
\text{Nat}(f^*(_ \otimes \bar{g}^*(a)), (_ \otimes f^* \bar{g}^*(a)) f^*) & \xleftarrow{\quad} & \text{Nat}(_ \otimes \bar{g}^*(a)) f_*, f_*(_ \otimes f^* \bar{g}^*(a)) \\
\downarrow (\bar{g}^*)^* & & \downarrow (g^*)^* \\
\text{Nat}(f^*(_ \otimes \bar{g}^*(a)) \bar{g}^*, (_ \otimes f^* \bar{g}^*(a)) f^* \bar{g}^*) & & \text{Nat}((_ \otimes \bar{g}^*(a)) f_* g^*, f_*(_ \otimes f^* \bar{g}^*(a)) g^*) \\
\downarrow (\alpha^{-1})_* & & \downarrow r(\alpha^{-1})^* \\
\text{Nat}(f^*(_ \otimes \bar{g}^*(a)) \bar{g}^*, (_ \otimes f^* \bar{g}^*(a)) g^* \bar{f}^*) & \xleftarrow{\quad} & \text{Nat}((_ \otimes \bar{g}^*(a)) \bar{g}^* \bar{f}_*, f_*(_ \otimes f^* \bar{g}^*(a)) g^*) \\
\downarrow (\alpha^{-1})_* & & \downarrow (\alpha^{-1})_* \\
\text{Nat}(f^*(_ \otimes \bar{g}^*(a)) \bar{g}^*, (_ \otimes g^* \bar{f}^*(a)) g^* \bar{f}^*) & \xleftarrow{\quad} & \text{Nat}((_ \otimes \bar{g}^*(a)) \bar{g}^* \bar{f}_*, f_*(_ \otimes g^* \bar{f}^*(a)) g^*) \\
\downarrow (\text{mon}_g)_* & & \downarrow (\text{mon}_g)_* \\
\text{Nat}(f^*(_ \otimes \bar{g}^*(a)) \bar{g}^*, g^*(_ \otimes \bar{f}^*(a)) \bar{f}^*) & \xleftarrow{\quad} & \text{Nat}((_ \otimes \bar{g}^*(a)) \bar{g}^* \bar{f}_*, f_* g^*(_ \otimes \bar{f}^*(a))) \\
\uparrow (\text{mon}_{\bar{g}})^* & & \uparrow (\text{mon}_{\bar{g}})^* \\
\text{Nat}(f^* \bar{g}^*(_ \otimes a), g^*(_ \otimes \bar{f}^*(a)) \bar{f}^*) & \xleftarrow{\quad} & \text{Nat}(\bar{g}^*(_ \otimes a) \bar{f}_*, f_* g^*(_ \otimes \bar{f}^*(a))) \\
\uparrow (\alpha^{-1})^* & & \uparrow r(\alpha^{-1})_* \\
\text{Nat}(g^* \bar{f}^*(_ \otimes a), g^*(_ \otimes \bar{f}^*(a)) \bar{f}^*) & & \text{Nat}(\bar{g}^*(_ \otimes a) \bar{f}_*, \bar{g}^* \bar{f}_*(_ \otimes \bar{f}^*(a))) \\
\uparrow (g^*)^* & & \uparrow (\bar{g}^*)^* \\
\text{Nat}(\bar{f}^*(_ \otimes a), (_ \otimes \bar{f}^*(a)) \bar{f}^*) & \xleftarrow{\quad} & \text{Nat}((_ \otimes a) \bar{f}_*, \bar{f}_*(_ \otimes \bar{f}^*(a))).
\end{array}$$

The commutativity of (A.1.5.1) means that mon_f^{-1} in the upper left and $\text{mon}_{\bar{f}}^{-1}$ in the lower left map to the same transformation in the fourth line from the bottom. By the mate correspondence, this means that $\text{rpf}_f = r(\text{mon}_f^{-1})$ in the upper right and $\text{rpf}_{\bar{f}} = r(\text{mon}_{\bar{f}}^{-1})$ in the lower right map to

the same transformation in the fourth line from the bottom. The resulting commutative diagram is

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 \overline{g}^* \overline{f}_*(c) \otimes \overline{g}^*(a) & \xrightarrow{r(\alpha^{-1}) \otimes \text{id}} & f_* g^*(c) \otimes \overline{g}^*(a) & \xrightarrow{\text{rpf}_f} & f_*(g^*(c) \otimes f^* \overline{g}^*(a)) \xrightarrow{f_*(\text{id} \otimes \alpha^{-1})} f_*(g^*(c) \otimes g^* \overline{f}^*(a)) \\
 \downarrow \text{mon}_{\overline{g}} & & & & \downarrow f_* \text{mon}_g \\
 \overline{g}^*(\overline{f}_*(c) \otimes a) & \xrightarrow{\overline{g}^* \text{rpf}_{\overline{f}}} & \overline{g}^* \overline{f}_*(c \otimes \overline{f}^*(a)) & \xrightarrow{r(\alpha^{-1})} & f_* g^*(c \otimes \overline{f}^*(a)).
 \end{array}$$

Since the maps rpf_f , $\text{rpf}_{\overline{f}}$, α^{-1} , and $r(\alpha^{-1})$ are invertible, we obtain the commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 f_*(g^*(c) \otimes g^* \overline{f}^*(a)) & \xrightarrow{f_*(\text{id} \otimes \alpha)} & f_*(g^*(c) \otimes f^* \overline{g}^*(a)) & \xrightarrow{\text{rpf}_f^{-1}} & f_* g^*(c) \otimes \overline{g}^*(a) \xrightarrow{r(\alpha^{-1})^{-1} \otimes \text{id}} \overline{g}^* \overline{f}_*(c) \otimes \overline{g}^*(a) \\
 \downarrow f_* \text{mon}_g & & & & \downarrow \text{mon}_{\overline{g}} \\
 f_* g^*(c \otimes \overline{f}^*(a)) & \xrightarrow{r(\alpha^{-1})^{-1}} & \overline{g}^* \overline{f}_*(c \otimes \overline{f}^*(a)) & \xrightarrow{\overline{g}^* \text{rpf}_{\overline{f}}^{-1}} & \overline{g}^*(\overline{f}_*(c) \otimes a),
 \end{array}
 \tag{A.1.5.2}$$

which, again, we compute the right mate of:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \text{Nat}(f_*(_ \otimes f^* \overline{g}^*(a)), (_ \otimes \overline{g}^*(a)) f_*) & \longleftrightarrow & \text{Nat}((_ \otimes f^* \overline{g}^*(a)) f^{(1)}, f^{(1)}(_ \otimes \overline{g}^*(a))) \\
 \downarrow (g^*)^* & & \downarrow (\overline{g}^*)^* \\
 \text{Nat}(f_*(_ \otimes f^* \overline{g}^*(a)) g^*, (_ \otimes \overline{g}^*(a)) f_* g^*) & & \text{Nat}((_ \otimes f^* \overline{g}^*(a)) f^{(1)} \overline{g}^*, f^{(1)}(_ \otimes \overline{g}^*(a)) \overline{g}^*) \\
 \downarrow (r(\alpha^{-1})^{-1})_* & & \downarrow (r(r(\alpha^{-1})^{-1}))^* \\
 \text{Nat}(f_*(_ \otimes f^* \overline{g}^*(a)) g^*, (_ \otimes \overline{g}^*(a)) \overline{g}^* \overline{f}_*) & \longleftrightarrow & \text{Nat}((_ \otimes f^* \overline{g}^*(a)) g^* \overline{f}^{(1)}, f^{(1)}(_ \otimes \overline{g}^*(a)) \overline{g}^*) \\
 \downarrow \alpha^* & & \downarrow \alpha^* \\
 \text{Nat}(f_*(_ \otimes g^* \overline{f}^*(a)) g^*, (_ \otimes \overline{g}^*(a)) \overline{g}^* \overline{f}_*) & \longleftrightarrow & \text{Nat}((_ \otimes g^* \overline{f}^*(a)) g^* \overline{f}^{(1)}, f^{(1)}(_ \otimes \overline{g}^*(a)) \overline{g}^*) \\
 \downarrow (\text{mon}_{\overline{g}})_* & & \downarrow (\text{mon}_{\overline{g}})_* \\
 \text{Nat}(f_*(_ \otimes g^* \overline{f}^*(a)) g^*, \overline{g}^*(_ \otimes a) \overline{f}_*) & \longleftrightarrow & \text{Nat}((_ \otimes g^* \overline{f}^*(a)) g^* \overline{f}^{(1)}, f^{(1)} \overline{g}^*(_ \otimes a)) \\
 \uparrow (\text{mon}_g)^* & & \uparrow (\text{mon}_g)^* \\
 \text{Nat}(f_* g^*(_ \otimes \overline{f}^*(a)), \overline{g}^*(_ \otimes a) \overline{f}_*) & \longleftrightarrow & \text{Nat}(g^*(_ \otimes \overline{f}^*(a)) \overline{f}^{(1)}, f^{(1)} \overline{g}^*(_ \otimes a)) \\
 \uparrow (r(\alpha^{-1})^{-1})^* & & \uparrow (r(r(\alpha^{-1})^{-1}))_* \\
 \text{Nat}(\overline{g}^* \overline{f}_*(_ \otimes \overline{f}^*(a)), \overline{g}^*(_ \otimes a) \overline{f}_*) & & \text{Nat}(g^*(_ \otimes \overline{f}^*(a)) \overline{f}^{(1)}, g^* \overline{f}^{(1)}(_ \otimes a)) \\
 \uparrow (\overline{g}^*)_* & & \uparrow (g^*)_* \\
 \text{Nat}(\overline{f}_*(_ \otimes \overline{f}^*(a)), (_ \otimes a) \overline{f}_*) & \longleftrightarrow & \text{Nat}((_ \otimes \overline{f}^*(a)) \overline{f}^{(1)}, \overline{f}^{(1)}(_ \otimes a)).
 \end{array}$$

The commutativity of (A.1.5.2) means that rpf_f^{-1} in the upper left and $\text{rpf}_{\overline{f}}^{-1}$ in the lower left map to the same transformation in the fourth line from the bottom. By the mate correspondence, this means that $\text{groth}_f = r(\text{rpf}_f^{-1})$ in the upper right and $\text{groth}_{\overline{f}} = r(\text{rpf}_{\overline{f}}^{-1})$ in the lower right map to the same transformation in the fourth line from the bottom. Unraveling the definitions, we deduce that the diagram in the assertion commutes.

We now prove (b). The following diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 & & g^* \overline{f}^*(a') \otimes g^* \overline{f}^*(a) & \xrightarrow{\alpha \otimes \alpha} & f^* \overline{g}^*(a') \otimes f^* \overline{g}^*(a) \\
 & \nearrow \text{mon}_g^{-1} & & & \searrow \text{mon}_f \\
 & g^*(\overline{f}^*(a') \otimes \overline{f}^*(a)) & & & f^*(\overline{g}^*(a') \otimes \overline{g}^*(a)) \\
 & \searrow g^* \text{mon}_{\overline{f}} & & & \nearrow f^* \text{mon}_{\overline{g}}^{-1} \\
 & g^* \overline{f}^*(a' \otimes a) & \xrightarrow{\alpha} & f^* \overline{g}^*(a' \otimes a) &
 \end{array}
 \tag{A.1.5.3}$$

commutes, since α is a monoidal isomorphism. Let us compute the right mate:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
\text{Nat}(g^*(\overline{f}^*(a') \otimes _), (g^*\overline{f}^*(a') \otimes _)g^*) & \xleftarrow{\quad} & \text{Nat}((\overline{f}^*(a') \otimes _)g_*, g_*(g^*\overline{f}^*(a') \otimes _)) \\
(\overline{f}^*)^* \downarrow & & \downarrow (f^*)^* \\
\text{Nat}(g^*(\overline{f}^*(a') \otimes _)\overline{f}^*, (g^*\overline{f}^*(a') \otimes _)g^*\overline{f}^*) & & \text{Nat}((\overline{f}^*(a') \otimes _)g_*f^*, g_*(g^*\overline{f}^*(a') \otimes _)f^*) \\
\alpha_* \downarrow & & \downarrow (r(\alpha))^* \\
\text{Nat}(g^*(\overline{f}^*(a') \otimes _)\overline{f}^*, (g^*\overline{f}^*(a') \otimes _)f^*\overline{g}^*) & \xleftarrow{\quad} & \text{Nat}((\overline{f}^*(a') \otimes _)\overline{f}^*\overline{g}_*, g_*(g^*\overline{f}^*(a') \otimes _)f^*) \\
\alpha_* \downarrow & & \downarrow \alpha_* \\
\text{Nat}(g^*(\overline{f}^*(a') \otimes _)\overline{f}^*, (f^*\overline{g}^*(a') \otimes _)f^*\overline{g}^*) & \xleftarrow{\quad} & \text{Nat}((\overline{f}^*(a') \otimes _)\overline{f}^*\overline{g}_*, g_*(f^*\overline{g}^*(a') \otimes _)f^*) \\
(\text{mon}_f)_* \downarrow & & \downarrow (\text{mon}_f)_* \\
\text{Nat}(g^*(\overline{f}^*(a') \otimes _)\overline{f}^*, f^*(\overline{g}^*(a') \otimes _)\overline{g}^*) & \xleftarrow{\quad} & \text{Nat}((\overline{f}^*(a') \otimes _)\overline{f}^*\overline{g}_*, g_*f^*(\overline{g}^*(a') \otimes _)) \\
(\text{mon}_{\overline{f}})^* \uparrow & & \uparrow (\text{mon}_{\overline{f}})^* \\
\text{Nat}(g^*\overline{f}^*(a' \otimes _), f^*(\overline{g}^*(a') \otimes _)\overline{g}^*) & \xleftarrow{\quad} & \text{Nat}(\overline{f}^*(a' \otimes _)\overline{g}_*, g_*f^*(\overline{g}^*(a') \otimes _)) \\
\alpha^* \uparrow & & \uparrow (r(\alpha))_* \\
\text{Nat}(f^*\overline{g}^*(a' \otimes _), f^*(\overline{g}^*(a') \otimes _)\overline{g}^*) & & \text{Nat}(\overline{f}^*(a' \otimes _)\overline{g}_*, \overline{f}^*\overline{g}_*(\overline{g}^*(a') \otimes _)) \\
(f^*)^* \uparrow & & \uparrow (\overline{f}^*)^* \\
\text{Nat}(\overline{g}^*(a' \otimes _), (\overline{g}^*(a') \otimes _)\overline{g}^*) & \xleftarrow{\quad} & \text{Nat}((a' \otimes _)\overline{g}_*, \overline{g}_*(\overline{g}^*(a') \otimes _)).
\end{array}$$

The commutativity of (A.1.5.3) means that mon_g^{-1} in the upper left and $\text{mon}_{\overline{g}}^{-1}$ in the lower left map to the same transformation in the fourth line from the bottom. By the mate correspondence, this means that $\text{rpf}_g = r(\text{mon}_g^{-1})$ in the upper right and $\text{rpf}_{\overline{g}} = r(\text{mon}_{\overline{g}})$ in the lower right map to the same transformation in the fourth line from the bottom. The resulting diagram is

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
\overline{f}^*(a') \otimes \overline{f}^*\overline{g}_*(b) & \xrightarrow{\text{id} \otimes r(\alpha)} & \overline{f}^*(a') \otimes g_*f^*(b) & \xrightarrow{\text{rpf}_g} & g_*(g^*\overline{f}^*(a') \otimes f^*(b)) \xrightarrow{g_*(\alpha \otimes \text{id})} g_*(f^*\overline{g}^*(a') \otimes f^*(b)) \\
\text{mon}_{\overline{f}} \downarrow & & & & \downarrow g_*\text{mon}_f \\
\overline{f}^*(a' \otimes \overline{g}_*(b)) & \xrightarrow{\quad \overline{f}^*\text{rpf}_{\overline{g}} \quad} & \overline{f}^*\overline{g}_*(\overline{g}^*(a') \otimes b) & \xrightarrow{r(\alpha)} & g_*f^*(\overline{g}^*(a') \otimes b).
\end{array}$$

Replacing $\text{mon}_{\overline{f}}$, $g_*\text{mon}_f$, and $g_*(\alpha \otimes \text{id})$ by their inverses, we obtain the diagram (A.1.5.5)

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
\overline{f}^*(a' \otimes \overline{g}_*(b)) & \xrightarrow[\cong]{\text{mon}_{\overline{f}}^{-1}} & \overline{f}^*(a') \otimes \overline{f}^*\overline{g}_*(b) & \xrightarrow{\text{id} \otimes r(\alpha)} & \overline{f}^*(a') \otimes g_*f^*(b) & & \\
\overline{f}^*\text{rpf}_{\overline{g}} \downarrow & & & & \downarrow \text{rpf}_g & & \\
\overline{f}^*\overline{g}_*(\overline{g}^*(a') \otimes b) & \xrightarrow{r(\alpha)} & g_*f^*(\overline{g}^*(a') \otimes b) & \xrightarrow[\cong]{g_*\text{mon}_f^{-1}} & g_*(f^*\overline{g}^*(a') \otimes f^*(b)) & \xrightarrow[\cong]{g_*(\alpha^{-1} \otimes \text{id})} & g_*(g^*\overline{f}^*(a') \otimes f^*(b)).
\end{array}$$

We now pass to the right mate:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
\text{Nat}(\bar{f}^*(_ \otimes \bar{g}_*(b)), (_ \otimes \bar{f}^* \bar{g}_*(b)) \bar{f}^*) & \longleftarrow & \text{Nat}((_ \otimes \bar{g}_*(b)) \bar{f}_*, \bar{f}_*(_ \otimes \bar{f}^* \bar{g}_*(b))) \\
\downarrow (r(\alpha))_* & & \downarrow (r(\alpha))_* \\
\text{Nat}(\bar{f}^*(_ \otimes \bar{g}_*(b)), (_ \otimes g_* f^*(b)) \bar{f}^*) & \longleftarrow & \text{Nat}((_ \otimes \bar{g}_*(b)) \bar{f}_*, \bar{f}_*(_ \otimes g_* f^*(b))) \\
\downarrow (\text{rpf}_g)_* & & \downarrow (\text{rpf}_g)_* \\
\text{Nat}(\bar{f}^*(_ \otimes \bar{g}_*(b)), g_*(_ \otimes f^*(b)) g^* \bar{f}^*) & \longleftarrow & \text{Nat}((_ \otimes \bar{g}_*(b)) \bar{f}_*, \bar{f}_* g_*(_ \otimes f^*(b)) g^*) \\
\uparrow (\text{rpf}_{\bar{g}})^* & & \uparrow (\text{rpf}_{\bar{g}})^* \\
\text{Nat}(\bar{f}^* \bar{g}_*(_ \otimes b) \bar{g}^*, g_*(_ \otimes f^*(b)) g^* \bar{f}^*) & \longleftarrow & \text{Nat}(\bar{g}_*(_ \otimes b) \bar{g}^* \bar{f}_*, \bar{f}_* g_*(_ \otimes f^*(b)) g^*) \\
\uparrow (r(\alpha))^* & & \uparrow (r^2(\alpha))_* \\
\text{Nat}(g_* f^*(_ \otimes b) \bar{g}^*, g_*(_ \otimes f^*(b)) g^* \bar{f}^*) & & \text{Nat}(\bar{g}_*(_ \otimes b) \bar{g}^* \bar{f}_*, \bar{g}_* f_*(_ \otimes f^*(b)) g^*) \\
\uparrow (g_*)_* & & \uparrow (\bar{g}_*)_* \\
\text{Nat}(f^*(_ \otimes b) \bar{g}^*, (_ \otimes f^*(b)) g^* \bar{f}^*) & \longleftarrow & \text{Nat}((_ \otimes b) \bar{g}^* \bar{f}_*, f_*(_ \otimes f^*(b)) g^*) \\
\uparrow (\alpha^{-1})^* & & \uparrow (r(\alpha^{-1}))^* \\
\text{Nat}(f^*(_ \otimes b) \bar{g}^*, (_ \otimes f^*(b)) f^* \bar{g}^*) & & \text{Nat}((_ \otimes b) f_* g^*, f_*(_ \otimes f^*(b)) g^*) \\
\uparrow (\bar{g}^*)^* & & \uparrow (g^*)^* \\
\text{Nat}(f^*(_ \otimes b), (_ \otimes f^*(b)) f^*) & \longleftarrow & \text{Nat}((_ \otimes b) f_*, f_*(_ \otimes f^*(b)))
\end{array}$$

The commutativity of (A.1.5.5) means that $\text{mon}_{\bar{f}}^{-1}$ in the upper left and mon_f^{-1} in the lower left map to the same transformation in the third line from the top. By the mate correspondence, this means that $\text{rpf}_{\bar{f}} = r(\text{mon}_{\bar{f}}^{-1})$ in the upper right and $\text{rpf}_f = r(\text{mon}_f^{-1})$ in the lower right map to the same transformation in the third line from the top. The resulting diagram is

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
\bar{f}_*(c) \otimes \bar{g}_*(b) & \xrightarrow{\text{rpf}_{\bar{f}}} & \bar{f}_*(c \otimes \bar{f}^* \bar{g}_*(b)) & \xrightarrow{\bar{f}_*(\text{id} \otimes r(\alpha))} & \bar{f}_*(c \otimes g_* f^*(b)) \\
\downarrow \text{rpf}_{\bar{g}} & & & & \downarrow \bar{f}_*(\text{rpf}_g) \\
\bar{g}_*(\bar{g}^* \bar{f}_*(c) \otimes b) & \xrightarrow{\bar{g}_*(r(\alpha^{-1}) \otimes \text{id})} & \bar{g}_*(f_* g^*(c) \otimes b) & \xrightarrow{\bar{g}_*(\text{rpf}_f)} & \bar{g}_* f_*(g^*(c) \otimes f^*(b)) \xrightarrow{r^2(\alpha)} \bar{f}_* g_*(g^*(c) \otimes f^*(b)).
\end{array}$$

Inverting the maps $\text{rpf}_{\bar{f}}$, $\bar{g}_*(\text{rpf}_f)$, $r(\alpha^{-1})$, and $r^2(\alpha)$, we obtain the following diagram: (A.1.5.6)

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
\bar{f}_*(c \otimes \bar{f}^* \bar{g}_*(b)) & \xrightarrow[\cong]{\text{rpf}_{\bar{f}}^{-1}} & \bar{f}_*(c) \otimes \bar{g}_*(b) & \xrightarrow{\text{rpf}_{\bar{g}}} & \bar{g}_*(\bar{g}^* \bar{f}_*(c) \otimes b) \\
\downarrow \bar{f}_*(\text{id} \otimes r(\alpha)) & & & & \uparrow \bar{g}_*(r(\alpha^{-1})^{-1} \otimes \text{id}) \\
\bar{f}_*(c \otimes g_* f^*(b)) & \xrightarrow{\bar{f}_*(\text{rpf}_g)} & \bar{f}_* g_*(g^*(c) \otimes f^*(b)) & \xrightarrow[\cong]{r^2(\alpha^{-1})} & \bar{g}_* f_*(g^*(c) \otimes f^*(b)) & \xrightarrow[\cong]{\bar{g}_*(\text{rpf}_f^{-1})} & \bar{g}_*(f_* g^*(c) \otimes b).
\end{array}$$

We now compute the right mate of this diagram.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
\text{Nat}(\overline{f}_*(-\otimes \overline{f}^*\overline{g}_*(b)), (-\otimes \overline{g}_*(b))\overline{f}_*) & \longleftrightarrow & \text{Nat}((-\otimes \overline{f}^*\overline{g}_*(b))\overline{f}^{(1)}, \overline{f}^{(1)}(-\otimes \overline{g}_*(b))) \\
\downarrow (\text{rpf}_{\overline{g}})_* & & \downarrow (\text{rpf}_{\overline{g}})_* \\
\text{Nat}(\overline{f}_*(-\otimes \overline{f}^*\overline{g}_*(b)), \overline{g}_*(-\otimes b)\overline{g}^*\overline{f}_*) & \longleftrightarrow & \text{Nat}((-\otimes \overline{f}^*\overline{g}_*(b))\overline{f}^{(1)}, \overline{f}^{(1)}\overline{g}_*(-\otimes b)\overline{g}^*) \\
\uparrow (r(\alpha))^* & & \uparrow (r(\alpha))^* \\
\text{Nat}(\overline{f}_*(-\otimes g_*f^*(b)), \overline{g}_*(-\otimes b)\overline{g}^*\overline{f}_*) & \longleftrightarrow & \text{Nat}((-\otimes g_*f^*(b))\overline{f}^{(1)}, \overline{f}^{(1)}\overline{g}_*(-\otimes b)\overline{g}^*) \\
\uparrow (\text{rpf}_g)^* & & \uparrow (\text{rpf}_g)^* \\
\text{Nat}(\overline{f}_*g_*(-\otimes f^*(b))g^*, \overline{g}_*(-\otimes b)\overline{g}^*\overline{f}_*) & \longleftrightarrow & \text{Nat}(g_*(-\otimes f^*(b))\overline{f}^{(1)}, \overline{f}^{(1)}\overline{g}_*(-\otimes b)\overline{g}^*) \\
\uparrow (r^2(\alpha^{-1}))^* & & \uparrow (r^3(\alpha^{-1}))_* \\
\text{Nat}(\overline{g}_*f_*(-\otimes f^*(b))g^*, \overline{g}_*(-\otimes b)\overline{g}^*\overline{f}_*) & & \text{Nat}(g_*(-\otimes f^*(b))g^*\overline{f}^{(1)}, g_*f^{(1)}(-\otimes b)\overline{g}^*) \\
\uparrow (\overline{g}_*)^* & & \uparrow (g_*)^* \\
\text{Nat}(f_*(-\otimes f^*(b))g^*, (-\otimes b)\overline{g}^*\overline{f}_*) & \longleftrightarrow & \text{Nat}((-\otimes f^*(b))g^*\overline{f}^{(1)}, f^{(1)}(-\otimes b)\overline{g}^*) \\
\uparrow (r(\alpha^{-1})^{-1})^* & & \uparrow (r(r(\alpha^{-1})^{-1}))^* \\
\text{Nat}(f_*(-\otimes f^*(b))g^*, (-\otimes b)f_*g^*) & & \text{Nat}((-\otimes f^*(b))f^{(1)}\overline{g}^*, f^{(1)}(-\otimes b)\overline{g}^*) \\
\uparrow (g^*)^* & & \uparrow (\overline{g}^*)^* \\
\text{Nat}(f_*(-\otimes f^*(b)), (-\otimes b)f_*) & \longleftrightarrow & \text{Nat}((-\otimes f^*(b))f^{(1)}, f^{(1)}(-\otimes b)).
\end{array}$$

The commutativity of (A.1.5.6) means that $\text{rpf}_{\overline{f}}^{-1}$ in the upper left and rpf_f^{-1} in the lower left map to the same transformation in the second line from the top. By the mate correspondence, this means that $\text{groth}_{\overline{f}} = r(\text{rpf}_{\overline{f}}^{-1})$ in the upper right and $\text{groth}_f = r(\text{rpf}_f^{-1})$ in the lower right map to the same transformation in the second line from the top. The resulting diagram is

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
\overline{f}^{(1)}(a) \otimes g_*f^*(b) & \xleftarrow[\cong]{\text{id} \otimes r(\alpha)} & \overline{f}^{(1)}(a) \otimes \overline{f}^*\overline{g}_*(b) & \xrightarrow{\text{groth}_{\overline{f}}} & \overline{f}^{(1)}(a \otimes \overline{g}_*(b)) \xrightarrow{\overline{f}^{(1)}\text{rpf}_{\overline{g}}} \overline{f}^{(1)}\overline{g}_*(\overline{g}^*(a) \otimes b) \\
\downarrow \text{rpf}_g & & & & \uparrow r^3(\alpha^{-1}) \\
g_*(g^*\overline{f}^{(1)}(a) \otimes f^*(b)) & \xrightarrow{g_*(r(r(\alpha^{-1})^{-1}) \otimes \text{id})} & g_*(f^{(1)}\overline{g}^*(a) \otimes f^*(b)) & \xrightarrow{g_*\text{groth}_f} & g_*f^{(1)}(\overline{g}^*(a) \otimes b).
\end{array}
\tag{A.1.5.7}$$

After taking the inverse of $\text{id} \otimes r(\alpha)$, we compute the left mate:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
\text{Nat}(\overline{f}_* \overline{f}^{(1)}(a) \otimes -, (a \otimes -) \overline{f}_{(1)}) & \xleftarrow{\quad} & \text{Nat}((\overline{f}^{(1)}(a) \otimes -) \overline{f}^*, \overline{f}^{(1)}(a \otimes -)) \\
(g_*)^* \downarrow & & \downarrow (\overline{g}_*)^* \\
\text{Nat}(\overline{f}_* \overline{f}^{(1)}(a) \otimes -) g_*, (a \otimes -) \overline{f}_{(1)} g_* & & \text{Nat}((\overline{f}^{(1)}(a) \otimes -) \overline{f}^* \overline{g}_*, \overline{f}^{(1)}(a \otimes -) \overline{g}_*) \\
(l(r(\alpha)^{-1}))_* \downarrow & & \downarrow (r(\alpha)^{-1})^* \\
\text{Nat}(\overline{f}_* \overline{f}^{(1)}(a) \otimes -) g_*, (a \otimes -) \overline{g}_* f_{(1)} & \xleftarrow{\quad} & \text{Nat}((\overline{f}^{(1)}(a) \otimes -) g_* f^*, \overline{f}^{(1)}(a \otimes -) \overline{g}_*) \\
(\text{rpf}_{\overline{g}})_* \downarrow & & \downarrow (\text{rpf}_{\overline{g}})_* \\
\text{Nat}(\overline{f}_* \overline{f}^{(1)}(a) \otimes -) g_*, \overline{g}_* (\overline{g}^*(a) \otimes -) f_{(1)} & \xleftarrow{\quad} & \text{Nat}((\overline{f}^{(1)}(a) \otimes -) g_* f^*, \overline{f}^{(1)} \overline{g}_* (\overline{g}^*(a) \otimes -)) \\
(\text{rpf}_g)^* \uparrow & & \uparrow (\text{rpf}_g)^* \\
\text{Nat}(\overline{f}_* g_* (\overline{g}^* \overline{f}^{(1)}(a) \otimes -), \overline{g}_* (\overline{g}^*(a) \otimes -) f_{(1)}) & \xleftarrow{\quad} & \text{Nat}(g_* (\overline{g}^* \overline{f}^{(1)}(a) \otimes -) f^*, \overline{f}^{(1)} \overline{g}_* (\overline{g}^*(a) \otimes -)) \\
(r^2(\alpha^{-1}))^* \uparrow & & \uparrow (r^3(\alpha^{-1}))_* \\
\text{Nat}(\overline{g}_* f_* (\overline{g}^* \overline{f}^{(1)}(a) \otimes -), \overline{g}_* (\overline{g}^*(a) \otimes -) f_{(1)}) & & \text{Nat}(g_* (\overline{g}^* \overline{f}^{(1)}(a) \otimes -) f^*, g_* f^{(1)}(\overline{g}^*(a) \otimes -)) \\
(\overline{g}_*)^* \uparrow & & \uparrow (g_*)^* \\
\text{Nat}(f_* (\overline{g}^* \overline{f}^{(1)}(a) \otimes -), (\overline{g}^*(a) \otimes -) f_{(1)}) & \xleftarrow{\quad} & \text{Nat}((\overline{g}^* \overline{f}^{(1)}(a) \otimes -) f^*, f^{(1)}(\overline{g}^*(a) \otimes -)) \\
(r(r(\alpha^{-1})^{-1}))^* \uparrow & & \uparrow (r(r(\alpha^{-1})^{-1}))^* \\
\text{Nat}(f_* (f^{(1)} \overline{g}^*(a) \otimes -), (\overline{g}^*(a) \otimes -) f_{(1)}) & \xleftarrow{\quad} & \text{Nat}((f^{(1)} \overline{g}^*(a) \otimes -) f^*, f^{(1)}(\overline{g}^*(a) \otimes -))
\end{array}$$

The commutativity of (A.1.5.7) means that $\text{groth}_{\overline{f}}$ in the upper right and groth_f in the lower right map to the same transformation in the fourth line from the top. By the mate correspondence, this means that $\text{lpf}_{\overline{f}} = l(\text{groth}_{\overline{f}})$ in the upper left and $\text{lpf}_f = l(\text{groth}_f)$ in the lower left map to the same transformation in the fourth line from the top. Unraveling the definitions, we deduce that the diagram in (b) commutes. \square

A.1.6. Consider a diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
\mathcal{A} & \xrightarrow{\alpha^*} & \overline{\mathcal{A}} \\
\downarrow f^* & \Rightarrow \sigma & \downarrow \overline{f}^* \\
\mathcal{B} & \xrightarrow{\beta^*} & \overline{\mathcal{B}} \\
\downarrow g^* \quad \swarrow g_! & \Rightarrow \tau & \downarrow \overline{g}^* \quad \swarrow \overline{g}_! \\
\mathcal{C} & \xrightarrow{\gamma^*} & \overline{\mathcal{C}}
\end{array}$$

h^* on the left, \overline{h}^* on the right, α^* on top, γ^* on bottom.

where the solid diagram commutes and consists of (strongly) monoidal functors between monoidal categories, and where $\sigma: \beta^* f^* \xrightarrow{\cong} \overline{f}^* \alpha^*$ and $\tau: \gamma^* g^* \xrightarrow{\cong} \overline{g}^* \beta^*$ are monoidal natural isomorphisms. Identify $h^* = g^* f^*$ and $\overline{h}^* = \overline{g}^* \overline{f}^*$ and put $\rho := \overline{g}^* \sigma \circ \tau f^*: \gamma^* h^* \xrightarrow{\cong} \overline{h}^* \alpha^*$. Let further

$$\phi: \overline{g}_! \gamma^* \xrightarrow{\cong} \beta^* g_!$$

be a natural isomorphism. We make the following assumptions:

(A3) The functors $f^*, \overline{f}^*, h^*, \overline{h}^*$ admit left adjoints:

$$f_{(1)} \dashv f^*, \quad \overline{f}_{(1)} \dashv \overline{f}^*, \quad h_{(1)} \dashv h^*, \quad \overline{h}_{(1)} \dashv \overline{h}^*.$$

(A4) There exist natural isomorphisms

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{pf}_g &: g_!(c \otimes g^*(b)) \xrightarrow{\cong} g_!(c) \otimes b \\ \mathbf{pf}_{\bar{g}} &: \bar{g}_!(\bar{c} \otimes \bar{g}^*(\bar{b})) \xrightarrow{\cong} \bar{g}_!(\bar{c}) \otimes \bar{b} \end{aligned}$$

such that the following diagram commutes:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \bar{g}_!(\gamma^*(c) \otimes \bar{g}^*\beta^*(b)) & \xrightarrow{\mathbf{pf}_{\bar{g}}} & \bar{g}_!\gamma^*(c) \otimes \beta^*(b) \\ \bar{g}_!(\mathrm{id} \otimes \tau^{-1}) \downarrow & & \downarrow \phi \otimes \mathrm{id} \\ \bar{g}_!(\gamma^*(c) \otimes \gamma^*g^*(b)) & & \beta^*g_!(c) \otimes \beta^*(b) \\ \bar{g}_!\mathrm{mon}_\gamma \downarrow & & \downarrow \mathrm{mon}_\beta \\ \bar{g}_!\gamma^*(c \otimes g^*(b)) & & \\ \phi \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \beta^*g_!(c \otimes g^*(b)) & \xrightarrow{\mathbf{pf}_g} & \beta^*(g_!(c) \otimes b). \end{array}$$

By (A3), the left mate of $\mathrm{mon}_f: (- \otimes f^*(a)) \circ f^* \xrightarrow{\cong} f^* \circ (- \otimes a)$ yields a natural map

$$\mathbf{lpf}_f: f_{(1)}(b \otimes f^*(a)) \longrightarrow f_{(1)}(b) \otimes a,$$

and similarly for $\mathbf{lpf}_{\bar{f}}$. Passing to the left mate of the composite

$$f_{(1)}g_! \circ (c \otimes -) \circ g^*f^* \xrightarrow{f_{(1)}\mathbf{pf}_g} f_{(1)} \circ (g_!(c) \otimes -) \circ f^* \xrightarrow{\mathbf{lpf}_f} f_{(1)}g_!(c) \otimes -,$$

and using $h^* = g^*f^*$, we obtain a natural map

$$\mathbf{ltm}_{f,g}: f_{(1)}g_!(c' \otimes c) \longrightarrow f_{(1)}g_!(c') \otimes h_{(1)}(c).$$

Similarly, the map $\mathbf{ltm}_{\bar{f},\bar{g}}: \bar{f}_{(1)}\bar{g}_!(\bar{c}' \otimes \bar{c}) \rightarrow \bar{f}_{(1)}\bar{g}_!(\bar{c}') \otimes \bar{h}_{(1)}(\bar{c})$ is defined.

A.1.7. Lemma. *For all $c', c \in \mathcal{C}$ the following diagram commutes:*

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \bar{f}_{(1)}\bar{g}_!(\gamma^*(c') \otimes \gamma^*(c)) & \xrightarrow{\mathbf{ltm}_{\bar{f},\bar{g}}} & \bar{f}_{(1)}\bar{g}_!\gamma^*(c') \otimes \bar{h}_{(1)}\gamma^*(c) \\ \bar{f}_{(1)}\bar{g}_!\mathrm{mon}_\gamma \downarrow & & \downarrow \bar{f}_{(1)}\phi \otimes \mathrm{id} \\ \bar{f}_{(1)}\bar{g}_!\gamma^*(c' \otimes c) & & \bar{f}_{(1)}\beta^*g_!(c') \otimes \bar{h}_{(1)}\gamma^*(c) \\ \bar{f}_{(1)}\phi \downarrow & & \downarrow l(\sigma) \otimes l(\rho) \\ \bar{f}_{(1)}\beta^*g_!(c' \otimes c) & & \alpha^*f_{(1)}g_!(c') \otimes \alpha^*h_{(1)}(c) \\ l(\sigma) \downarrow & & \downarrow \mathrm{mon}_\alpha \\ \alpha^*f_{(1)}g_!(c' \otimes c) & \xrightarrow{\alpha^*\mathbf{ltm}_{f,g}} & \alpha^*(f_{(1)}g_!(c') \otimes h_{(1)}(c)). \end{array}$$

Proof. Since σ is a monoidal isomorphism, we have a commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \beta^*f^*(a') \otimes \beta^*f^*(a) & \xrightarrow{\mathrm{mon}_\beta} & \beta^*(f^*(a') \otimes f^*(a)) & \xrightarrow{\beta^*\mathrm{mon}_f} & \beta^*f^*(a' \otimes a) \\ \sigma \otimes \sigma \downarrow & & & & \downarrow \sigma \\ \bar{f}^*\alpha^*(a') \otimes \bar{f}^*\alpha^*(a) & \xrightarrow{\mathrm{mon}_{\bar{f}}} & \bar{f}^*(\alpha^*(a') \otimes \alpha^*(a)) & \xrightarrow{\bar{f}^*\mathrm{mon}_\alpha} & \bar{f}^*\alpha^*(a' \otimes a). \end{array}$$

After passing to the left mates at $\text{mon}_{\overline{f}}: (- \otimes \overline{f}^* \alpha^*(a)) \overline{f}^* \alpha^* \Rightarrow \overline{f}^* (- \otimes \alpha^*(a)) \alpha^*$, we obtain a commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \overline{f}_{(1)}(\beta^* g_!(c) \otimes \overline{f}^* \alpha^*(a)) & \xrightarrow{\text{lpf}_{\overline{f}}} & \overline{f}_{(1)} \beta^* g_!(c) \otimes \alpha^*(a) \\
 \overline{f}_{(1)}(\text{id} \otimes \sigma) \uparrow & & \downarrow l(\sigma) \otimes \text{id} \\
 \overline{f}_{(1)}(\beta^* g_!(c) \otimes \beta^* f^*(a)) & & \alpha^* f_{(1)} g_!(c) \otimes \alpha^*(a) \\
 \text{mon}_{\beta} \downarrow & & \downarrow \text{mon}_{\alpha} \\
 \overline{f}_{(1)} \beta^*(g_!(c) \otimes f^*(a)) & & \\
 l(\sigma) \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 \alpha^* f_{(1)}(g_!(c) \otimes f^*(a)) & \xrightarrow{\alpha^* \text{lpf}_f} & \alpha^*(f_{(1)} g_!(c) \otimes a).
 \end{array}$$

Using (A4), one now easily checks that the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \overline{f}_{(1)} \overline{g}_!(\gamma^*(c) \otimes \overline{g}^* \overline{f}^* \alpha^*(a)) & \xrightarrow{\overline{f}_{(1)} \text{pf}_{\overline{g}}} & \overline{f}_{(1)}(\overline{g}_! \gamma^*(c) \otimes \overline{f}^* \alpha^*(a)) \xrightarrow{\text{lpf}_{\overline{f}}} \overline{f}_{(1)} \overline{g}_! \gamma^*(c) \otimes \alpha^*(a) \\
 \overline{f}_{(1)} \overline{g}_!(\text{id} \otimes \rho) \uparrow & & \downarrow l(\sigma) \overline{f}_{(1)} \phi \otimes \text{id} \\
 \overline{f}_{(1)} \overline{g}_!(\gamma^*(c) \otimes \gamma^* g^* f^*(a)) & & \alpha^* f_{(1)} g_!(c) \otimes \alpha^*(a) \\
 \overline{f}_{(1)} \overline{g}_! \text{mon}_{\gamma} \downarrow & & \downarrow \text{mon}_{\alpha} \\
 \overline{f}_{(1)} \overline{g}_! \gamma^*(c \otimes g^* f^*(a)) & & \\
 l(\sigma) \overline{f}_{(1)} \phi \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 \alpha^* f_{(1)} g_!(c \otimes g^* f^*(a)) & \xrightarrow{\alpha^* f_{(1)} \text{pf}_g} \alpha^* f_{(1)}(g_!(c) \otimes f^*(a)) \xrightarrow{\alpha^* \text{lpf}_f} \alpha^*(f_{(1)} g_!(c) \otimes a).
 \end{array}$$

commutes. Now, passing to the left mates at

$$\text{lpf}_{\overline{f}} \circ \overline{f}_{(1)} \text{pf}_{\overline{g}}: \overline{f}_{(1)} \overline{g}_!(\gamma^*(c) \otimes -) \overline{g}^* \overline{f}^* \alpha^* \Longrightarrow (\overline{f}_{(1)} \overline{g}_! \gamma^*(c) \otimes -) \alpha^*$$

yields the commutativity of the diagram in the lemma. \square

A.1.8. We stay in the context of §A.1.6 but restrict to the subdiagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 \mathcal{A} & \xrightarrow{f^*} & \mathcal{B} & \xrightarrow{\beta^*} & \overline{\mathcal{B}} \\
 & \searrow h^* & \uparrow g^* & \uparrow \overline{g}_! & \uparrow \overline{g}^* \\
 & & \mathcal{C} & \xrightarrow{\gamma^*} & \overline{\mathcal{C}}.
 \end{array}$$

Besides (A3) and (A4) we additionally assume:

(A5) The functors β^* and γ^* admit left adjoints:

$$\beta_{(1)} \dashv \beta^*, \quad \gamma_{(1)} \dashv \gamma^*.$$

We denote $\varepsilon_{\beta}: \beta_{(1)} \beta^* \Rightarrow \text{id}_{\mathcal{B}}$ the counit. Observe that $f_{(1)} \beta_{(1)}$ is a left adjoint of $\beta^* f^*$. Passing to the left mate of the composite $f_{(1)} \beta_{(1)} \overline{g}_! \circ (\overline{c}' \otimes -) \circ \overline{g}^* \beta^* f^* \xrightarrow{\text{pf}_{\overline{g}}} f_{(1)} \beta_{(1)} \circ (\overline{g}_!(\overline{c}') \otimes -) \circ \beta^* f^* \xrightarrow{\text{lpf}_{\beta}} f_{(1)} \circ (\beta_{(1)} \overline{g}_!(\overline{c}') \otimes -) \circ f^* \xrightarrow{\text{lpf}_f} f_{(1)} \beta_{(1)} \overline{g}_!(\overline{c}') \otimes -$, and using $\overline{g}^* \beta^* f^* = \gamma^* h^*$ we obtain a natural map

$$\text{ltm}_{f, \beta, \overline{g}}: f_{(1)} \beta_{(1)} \overline{g}_!(\overline{c}' \otimes \overline{c}) \longrightarrow f_{(1)} \beta_{(1)} \overline{g}_!(\overline{c}') \otimes h_{(1)} \gamma_{(1)}(\overline{c}).$$

Let $\text{lpf}_{\gamma}: \gamma_{(1)}(\gamma^*(c) \otimes \overline{c}) \rightarrow c \otimes \gamma_{(1)}(\overline{c})$ be the left mate of $\text{mon}_{\gamma}: (\gamma^*(c) \otimes -) \circ \gamma^* \xrightarrow{\cong} \gamma^* \circ (c \otimes -)$.

A.1.9. Lemma. For all $c \in \mathcal{C}$ and $\bar{c} \in \overline{\mathcal{C}}$ the following diagram commutes:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 f_{(1)}\beta_{(1)}\overline{g}_!(\gamma^*(c) \otimes \bar{c}) & \xrightarrow{\text{ltm}_{f\beta,\overline{g}}} & f_{(1)}\beta_{(1)}\overline{g}_!\gamma^*(c) \otimes h_{(1)}\gamma_{(1)}(\bar{c}) \\
 \downarrow f_{(1)}l(\phi) & & \downarrow f_{(1)}\beta_{(1)}\phi \otimes \text{id} \\
 f_{(1)}g_!\gamma_{(1)}(\gamma^*(c) \otimes \bar{c}) & & f_{(1)}\beta_{(1)}\beta^*g_!(c) \otimes h_{(1)}\gamma_{(1)}(\bar{c}) \\
 \downarrow f_{(1)}g_!\text{lpf}_\gamma & & \downarrow f_{(1)}\varepsilon_\beta \otimes \text{id} \\
 f_{(1)}g_!(c \otimes \gamma_{(1)}(\bar{c})) & \xrightarrow{\text{ltm}_{f,g}} & f_{(1)}g_!(c) \otimes h_{(1)}\gamma_{(1)}(\bar{c}).
 \end{array}$$

Proof. It suffices to show that the following diagram commutes, because then passing to the left mates at $\text{lpf}_f \circ f_{(1)}\text{lpf}_\beta \circ f_{(1)}\beta_{(1)}\text{pf}_{\overline{g}}: f_{(1)}\beta_{(1)}\overline{g}_!(\gamma^*(c) \otimes -)\overline{g}^*\beta^*f^* \Rightarrow (f_{(1)}\beta_{(1)}\overline{g}_!\gamma^*(c) \otimes -)$ proves the assertion.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 f_{(1)}\beta_{(1)}\overline{g}_!(\gamma^*(c) \otimes \overline{g}^*\beta^*f^*(a)) & \xrightarrow{f_{(1)}l(\phi)(\text{id} \otimes \tau^{-1})} & f_{(1)}g_!\gamma_{(1)}(\gamma^*(c) \otimes \gamma^*g^*f^*(a)) & \xrightarrow{f_{(1)}g_!\gamma_{(1)}\text{mon}_\gamma} & f_{(1)}g_!\gamma_{(1)}\gamma^*(c \otimes g^*f^*(a)) \\
 \downarrow f_{(1)}\beta_{(1)}\text{pf}_{\overline{g}} & & & & \downarrow f_{(1)}g_!\varepsilon_\gamma \\
 f_{(1)}\beta_{(1)}(\overline{g}_!\gamma^*(c) \otimes \beta^*f^*(a)) & & & & f_{(1)}g_!(c \otimes g^*f^*(a)) \\
 \downarrow f_{(1)}\text{lpf}_\beta & & & & \downarrow f_{(1)}\text{pf}_g \\
 f_{(1)}(\beta_{(1)}\overline{g}_!\gamma^*(c) \otimes f^*(a)) & \xrightarrow{f_{(1)}(\beta_{(1)}\phi \otimes \text{id})} & f_{(1)}(\beta_{(1)}\beta^*g_!(c) \otimes f^*(a)) & \xrightarrow{f_{(1)}(\varepsilon_\beta \otimes \text{id})} & f_{(1)}(g_!(c) \otimes f^*(a)) \\
 \downarrow \text{lpf}_f & & \downarrow \text{lpf}_f & & \downarrow \text{lpf}_f \\
 f_{(1)}\beta_{(1)}\overline{g}_!\gamma^*(c) \otimes a & \xrightarrow{f_{(1)}\beta_{(1)}\phi \otimes \text{id}} & f_{(1)}\beta_{(1)}\beta^*g_!(c) \otimes a & \xrightarrow{f_{(1)}\varepsilon_\beta \otimes \text{id}} & f_{(1)}g_!(c) \otimes a
 \end{array}$$

The small squares commute by the naturality of lpf_f . For the big square, we consider

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 \beta_{(1)}\overline{g}_!(\gamma^*(c) \otimes \overline{g}^*\beta^*(b)) & \xrightarrow{\beta_{(1)}\text{pf}_{\overline{g}}} & \beta_{(1)}(\overline{g}_!\gamma^*(c) \otimes \beta^*(b)) & \xrightarrow{\text{lpf}_\beta} & \beta_{(1)}\overline{g}_!\gamma^*(c) \otimes b \\
 \downarrow \beta_{(1)}\overline{g}_!(\text{id} \otimes \tau^{-1}) & & \downarrow \beta_{(1)}(\phi \otimes \text{id}) & & \downarrow \beta_{(1)}\phi \otimes \text{id} \\
 \beta_{(1)}\overline{g}_!(\gamma^*(c) \otimes \gamma^*g^*(b)) & \xrightarrow{\beta_{(1)}\overline{g}_!\text{mon}_\gamma} & \beta_{(1)}(\beta^*g_!(c) \otimes \beta^*(b)) & \xrightarrow{\text{lpf}_\beta} & \beta_{(1)}\beta^*g_!(c) \otimes b \\
 \downarrow l(\phi) & & \downarrow \beta_{(1)}\text{mon}_\beta & & \downarrow \varepsilon_\beta \otimes \text{id} \\
 g_!\gamma_{(1)}(\gamma^*(c) \otimes \gamma^*g^*(b)) & \xrightarrow{g_!\gamma_{(1)}\text{mon}_\gamma} & g_!\gamma_{(1)}\gamma^*(c \otimes g^*(b)) & \xrightarrow{g_!\varepsilon_\gamma} & g_!(c \otimes g^*(b)) \\
 & & \downarrow l(\phi) & & \downarrow \text{pf}_g \\
 & & g_!(c \otimes g^*(b)) & \xrightarrow{\text{pf}_g} & g_!(c) \otimes b
 \end{array}$$

(A) (B)

where we have put $b := f^*(a)$. The commutativity of the small squares on the left and top right are clear from the naturality of $l(\phi)$ and lpf_β , respectively. For the diagram (A) we consider

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 \beta_{(1)} \overline{g}_! (\gamma^*(c) \otimes \overline{g}^* \beta^*(b)) & \xrightarrow{\beta_{(1)} \text{pf}_{\overline{g}}} & \beta_{(1)} (\overline{g}_! \gamma^*(c) \otimes \beta^*(b)) & \xrightarrow{\beta_{(1)} (\phi \otimes \text{id})} & \beta_{(1)} (\beta^* g_!(c) \otimes \beta^*(b)) \\
 \downarrow \beta_{(1)} \overline{g}_! (\text{id} \otimes \tau^{-1}) & & & & \downarrow \beta_{(1)} \text{mon}_\beta \\
 \beta_{(1)} \overline{g}_! (\gamma^*(c) \otimes \gamma^* g^*(b)) & & & & \\
 \downarrow \beta_{(1)} \overline{g}_! \text{mon}_\gamma & & & & \\
 \beta_{(1)} \overline{g}_! \gamma^*(c \otimes g^*(b)) & \xrightarrow{\beta_{(1)} \phi} & \beta_{(1)} \beta^* g_!(c \otimes g^*(b)) & \xrightarrow{\beta_{(1)} \beta^* \text{pf}_g} & \beta_{(1)} \beta^*(g_!(c) \otimes b) \\
 \downarrow l(\phi) & (B') & \downarrow \varepsilon_\beta & & \downarrow \varepsilon_\beta \\
 g_! \gamma_{(1)} \gamma^*(c \otimes g^*(b)) & \xrightarrow{g_! \varepsilon_\gamma} & g_!(c \otimes g^*(b)) & \xrightarrow{\text{pf}_g} & g_!(c) \otimes b.
 \end{array}$$

Here, the lower right square commutes by naturality of ε_β , and the top square commutes by (A4). The diagrams (B) and (B') commute by the following general fact: Consider the left diagram of functors

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \mathcal{X} & \begin{array}{c} \xleftarrow{L} \\ \xrightarrow{R} \end{array} & \mathcal{Y} \\
 F \downarrow & \begin{array}{c} \text{=} \chi \Rightarrow \\ \text{=} \end{array} & \downarrow G \\
 \mathcal{X}' & \begin{array}{c} \xleftarrow{L'} \\ \xrightarrow{R'} \end{array} & \mathcal{Y}'
 \end{array}
 \qquad
 \begin{array}{ccc}
 L'FR & \xrightarrow{L'\chi} & L'R'G \\
 l(\chi)R \downarrow & & \downarrow \varepsilon'G \\
 GLR & \xrightarrow{G\varepsilon} & G
 \end{array}$$

where $\chi: FR \Rightarrow R'G$ is a natural transformation with left mate $l(\chi): L'F \Rightarrow GL$. Denote by $\varepsilon: LR \Rightarrow \text{id}_\mathcal{Y}$ and $\varepsilon': L'R' \Rightarrow \text{id}_{\mathcal{Y}'}$ the counits of the respective adjunctions. Then the right diagram above commutes, since the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 L'FR & \xrightarrow{\quad} & L'FR \\
 \downarrow L'F\eta R & & \downarrow L'\chi \\
 L'FR\eta R & \xrightarrow{L'FR\varepsilon} & L'FR \\
 \downarrow L'\chi LR & & \downarrow L'\chi \\
 L'R'GLR & \xrightarrow{L'R'G\varepsilon} & L'R'G \\
 \downarrow \varepsilon'GLR & & \downarrow \varepsilon'G \\
 GLR & \xrightarrow{G\varepsilon} & G
 \end{array}$$

$l(\chi)R$ (curved arrow from $L'FR$ to GLR)

is commutative, where $\eta: \text{id}_\mathcal{X} \Rightarrow RL$ denotes the unit of the adjunction $L \dashv R$. □

A.1.10. Consider a diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 & & \alpha^* & & \mathcal{A} \\
 & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 \mathcal{D} & \xrightarrow{\beta^*} & \mathcal{B} & \xrightarrow{f^*} & \mathcal{A} \\
 & & \downarrow f_! & & \downarrow h_! \\
 & & \mathcal{C} & \xrightarrow{g^*} & \mathcal{E} \\
 & & \downarrow g_! & & \downarrow h^* \\
 & & \mathcal{D} & \xrightarrow{\gamma^*} & \mathcal{E}
 \end{array}$$

(Solid diagram commutes; dashed diagram commutes)

where the solid diagram commutes and consists of (strongly) symmetric monoidal functors between symmetric monoidal categories, and where the dashed diagram commutes. The commutativity of

the right triangles is witnessed by natural isomorphisms

$$\lambda: h_! \xrightarrow{\cong} f_! g_! \quad \text{and} \quad \mu: h^* \xrightarrow{\cong} g^* f^*,$$

where μ is monoidal. We make the following assumption:

(A6) The functors α^* , β^* , and γ^* admit left adjoints:

$$\alpha_{(1)} \dashv \alpha^*, \quad \beta_{(1)} \dashv \beta^*, \quad \gamma_{(1)} \dashv \gamma.$$

Assume moreover that there are natural isomorphisms

$$\begin{aligned} \text{pf}_f: f_!(b \otimes f^*(a)) &\xrightarrow{\cong} f_!(b) \otimes a, \\ \text{pf}_g: g_!(c \otimes g^*(b)) &\xrightarrow{\cong} g_!(c) \otimes b, \\ \text{pf}_h: h_!(c \otimes h^*(a)) &\xrightarrow{\cong} h_!(c) \otimes a, \end{aligned}$$

which satisfy the following conditions:

(A7) For all $a \in \mathcal{A}$, $c \in \mathcal{C}$ the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} h_!(c \otimes h^*(a)) & \xrightarrow{\text{pf}_h} & h_!(c) \otimes a & & \\ \lambda \downarrow & & \downarrow \lambda \otimes \text{id} & & \\ f_! g_!(c \otimes h^*(a)) & & & & \\ f_! g_!(\text{id} \otimes \mu) \downarrow & & & & \\ f_! g_!(c \otimes g^* f^*(a)) & \xrightarrow{f_! \text{pf}_g} & f_!(g_!(c) \otimes f^*(a)) & \xrightarrow{\text{pf}_f} & f_! g_!(c) \otimes a \end{array}$$

is commutative.

(A8) For all $a', a \in \mathcal{A}$, $b \in \mathcal{B}$ the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} f_!((b \otimes f^*(a')) \otimes f^*(a)) & \xrightarrow{\text{pf}_f} & f_!(b \otimes f^*(a')) \otimes a & \xrightarrow{\text{pf}_f \otimes \text{id}} & (f_!(b) \otimes a') \otimes a \\ f_! \text{assoc} \downarrow \cong & & & & \downarrow \cong \text{assoc} \\ f_!(b \otimes (f^*(a') \otimes f^*(a))) & \xrightarrow{f_!(\text{id} \otimes \text{mon}_f)} & f_!(b \otimes f^*(a' \otimes a)) & \xrightarrow{\text{pf}_f} & f_!(b) \otimes (a' \otimes a) \end{array}$$

is commutative, and similarly with f replaced by g . Here, **assoc** denotes the associativity constraint in the respective monoidal categories.

Finally, let $\tilde{\text{pf}}_g$ be the unique natural isomorphism making the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} g_!(g^*(b) \otimes c) & \xrightarrow{\tilde{\text{pf}}_g} & b \otimes g_!(c) \\ \text{sym} \downarrow \cong & & \cong \downarrow \text{sym} \\ g_!(c \otimes g^*(b)) & \xrightarrow{\text{pf}_g} & g_!(c) \otimes b \end{array}$$

commutative, where **sym** denotes the symmetry constraints in the respective symmetric monoidal categories.

A.1.11. Lemma. For all $b \in \mathcal{B}$ and $c', c \in \mathcal{C}$ the following diagram commutes:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
\alpha_{(1)} h_!((g^*(b) \otimes c') \otimes c) & \xrightarrow{\text{ltm}_{\alpha, h}} & \alpha_{(1)} h_!(g^*(b) \otimes c') \otimes \gamma_{(1)}(c) \xrightarrow{\alpha_{(1)} \lambda \otimes \text{id}} \alpha_{(1)} f_! g_!(g^*(b) \otimes c') \otimes \gamma_{(1)}(c) \\
\downarrow \alpha_{(1)} \lambda & & \downarrow \alpha_{(1)} f_! \tilde{\text{pf}}_g \otimes \text{id} \\
\alpha_{(1)} f_! g_!((g^*(b) \otimes c') \otimes c) & & \alpha_{(1)} f_!(b \otimes g_!(c')) \otimes \gamma_{(1)}(c) \\
\downarrow \alpha_{(1)} f_! g_! \text{assoc} & & \downarrow \text{ltm}_{\alpha, f} \otimes \text{id} \\
\alpha_{(1)} f_! g_!(g^*(b) \otimes (c' \otimes c)) & & (\alpha_{(1)} f_!(b) \otimes \beta_{(1)} g_!(c')) \otimes \gamma_{(1)}(c) \\
\downarrow \alpha_{(1)} f_! \tilde{\text{pf}}_g & & \downarrow \text{assoc} \\
\alpha_{(1)} f_!(b \otimes g_!(c' \otimes c)) & \xrightarrow{\text{ltm}_{\alpha, f}} & \alpha_{(1)} f_!(b) \otimes \beta_{(1)} g_!(c' \otimes c) \xrightarrow{\text{id} \otimes \text{ltm}_{\beta, g}} \alpha_{(1)} f_!(b) \otimes (\beta_{(1)} g_!(c') \otimes \gamma_{(1)}(c)),
\end{array}$$

where $\text{ltm}_{\alpha, h}$, $\text{ltm}_{\alpha, f}$, and $\text{ltm}_{\beta, g}$ are defined as in §A.1.6.

Proof. It suffices to show that the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
\alpha_{(1)} h_!((g^*(b) \otimes c') \otimes h^* \alpha^*(d)) & \xrightarrow{\alpha_{(1)} \text{pf}_h} & \alpha_{(1)}(h_!(g^*(b) \otimes c') \otimes \alpha^*(d)) & \xrightarrow{\text{lpf}_\alpha} & \alpha_{(1)} h_!(g^*(b) \otimes c') \otimes d \\
\downarrow \alpha_{(1)} \lambda(\text{id} \otimes \mu) & & \downarrow \alpha_{(1)}(\lambda \otimes \text{id}) & & \downarrow \alpha_{(1)} \lambda \otimes \text{id} \\
\alpha_{(1)} f_! g_!((g^*(b) \otimes c') \otimes g^* f^* \alpha^*(d)) & \xrightarrow{\alpha_{(1)} f_! \text{pf}_g} & \alpha_{(1)} f_! g_!(g^*(b) \otimes c') \otimes f^* \alpha^*(d) & \xrightarrow{\alpha_{(1)} \text{pf}_f} & \alpha_{(1)}(f_! g_!(g^*(b) \otimes c') \otimes \alpha^*(d)) & \xrightarrow{\text{lpf}_\alpha} & \alpha_{(1)} f_! g_!(g^*(b) \otimes c') \otimes d \\
\downarrow \alpha_{(1)} f_! g_! \text{assoc} & & \downarrow \alpha_{(1)} f_! \tilde{\text{pf}}_g \otimes \text{id} & & \downarrow \alpha_{(1)}(f_! \tilde{\text{pf}}_g \otimes \text{id}) & & \downarrow \alpha_{(1)} f_! \tilde{\text{pf}}_g \otimes \text{id} \\
\alpha_{(1)} f_! g_!(g^*(b) \otimes (c' \otimes g^* \beta^*(d))) & \xrightarrow{\alpha_{(1)} f_! \text{id} \otimes \text{pf}_g} & \alpha_{(1)} f_!(b \otimes g_!(c') \otimes \beta^*(d)) & \xrightarrow{\alpha_{(1)} \text{pf}_f} & \alpha_{(1)}(f_!(b \otimes g_!(c')) \otimes \alpha^*(d)) & \xrightarrow{\text{lpf}_\alpha} & \alpha_{(1)} f_!(b \otimes g_!(c')) \otimes d \\
\downarrow \alpha_{(1)} f_! \tilde{\text{pf}}_g & & \downarrow \alpha_{(1)} f_! \text{assoc} & & \downarrow \alpha_{(1)} \text{pf}_f & & \downarrow \alpha_{(1)} f_! \tilde{\text{pf}}_g \otimes \text{id} \\
\alpha_{(1)} f_!(b \otimes g_!(c' \otimes g^* \beta^*(d))) & \xrightarrow{\alpha_{(1)} f_! \text{id} \otimes \text{pf}_g} & \alpha_{(1)} f_!(b \otimes g_!(c') \otimes \beta^*(d)) & \xrightarrow{\alpha_{(1)} \text{pf}_f} & \alpha_{(1)}(f_!(b \otimes g_!(c')) \otimes \alpha^*(d)) & \xrightarrow{\text{lpf}_\alpha} & \alpha_{(1)} f_!(b \otimes g_!(c')) \otimes d \\
\downarrow \text{ltm}_{\alpha, f} & & \downarrow \text{ltm}_{\alpha, f} & & \downarrow \text{ltm}_{\alpha, f} & & \downarrow \text{ltm}_{\alpha, f} \otimes \text{id} \\
\alpha_{(1)} f_!(b) \otimes \beta_{(1)} g_!(c' \otimes g^* \beta^*(d)) & \xrightarrow{\text{id} \otimes \beta_{(1)} \text{pf}_g} & \alpha_{(1)} f_!(b) \otimes \beta_{(1)}(g_!(c') \otimes \beta^*(d)) & \xrightarrow{\text{id} \otimes \text{lpf}_\beta} & \alpha_{(1)} f_!(b) \otimes (\beta_{(1)} g_!(c') \otimes d) & \xleftarrow{\text{assoc}} & (\alpha_{(1)} f_!(b) \otimes \beta_{(1)} g_!(c')) \otimes d
\end{array}$$

commutes, because then passing to the left mates at $\text{lpf}_\alpha \circ \alpha_{(1)} \text{pf}_h : \alpha_{(1)} h_!((g^*(b) \otimes c') \otimes -) h^* \alpha^* \Rightarrow \alpha_{(1)} h_!(g^*(b) \otimes c') \otimes -$ shows that the diagram in the lemma commutes. The upper left rectangle commutes by (A7), and the commutativity of all squares except (I) and (II) is clear.

Ad (I) We need to show that the outer diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
g_!((g^*(b) \otimes c') \otimes g^*(b')) & \xrightarrow{\text{pf}_g} & g_!(g^*(b) \otimes c') \otimes b' & \xrightarrow{\tilde{\text{pf}}_g \otimes \text{id}} & (b \otimes g_!(c')) \otimes b' \\
\downarrow g_!(s \otimes \text{id}) & & \downarrow g_! s \otimes \text{id} & & \downarrow s \otimes \text{id} \\
g_!((c' \otimes g^*(b)) \otimes g^*(b')) & \xrightarrow{\text{pf}_g} & g_!(c' \otimes g^*(b)) \otimes b' & \xrightarrow{\text{pf}_g \otimes \text{id}} & (g_!(c') \otimes b) \otimes b' \\
\downarrow g_! \text{assoc} & & \downarrow g_! \text{id} \otimes g^* s & & \downarrow \text{assoc} \\
g_!(c' \otimes (g^*(b) \otimes g^*(b'))) & \xrightarrow{g_! \text{id} \otimes \text{mon}_g} & g_!(c' \otimes g^*(b \otimes b')) & \xrightarrow{\text{pf}_g} & g_!(c') \otimes (b \otimes b') \\
\downarrow g_! \text{id} \otimes s & & \downarrow g_! \text{id} \otimes g^* s & & \downarrow \text{id} \otimes s \\
g_!(c' \otimes (g^*(b') \otimes g^*(b))) & \xrightarrow{g_! \text{id} \otimes \text{mon}_g} & g_!(c' \otimes g^*(b' \otimes b)) & \xrightarrow{\text{pf}_g} & g_!(c') \otimes (b' \otimes b) \\
\downarrow g_! \text{assoc} & & \downarrow g_! \text{id} \otimes g^* s & & \downarrow \text{id} \otimes s \\
g_!((c' \otimes g^*(b')) \otimes g^*(b)) & \xrightarrow{\text{pf}_g} & g_!(c' \otimes g^*(b')) \otimes b & \xrightarrow{\text{pf}_g \otimes \text{id}} & (g_!(c') \otimes b') \otimes b \\
\downarrow g_! s & & \downarrow s & & \downarrow s \\
g_!(g^*(b) \otimes (c' \otimes g^*(b'))) & \xrightarrow{\text{pf}_g} & b \otimes g_!(c' \otimes g^*(b')) & \xrightarrow{\text{id} \otimes \text{pf}_g} & b \otimes (g_!(c') \otimes b')
\end{array}$$

commutes, where we have put $b' := f^* \alpha^*(d)$. It is clear that all the small squares commute; for example, the left square in the middle commutes, because g is a symmetric monoidal functor. The diagrams marked (*) and (**) commute by (A8). The diagrams on the far left and far right commute by the hexagon identity.

Ad (II) After passing to the right mate at $\text{id} \otimes \text{lpf}_\beta$ or $\text{lrm}_{\alpha,f} \otimes \text{id}$, and using $\beta^* = f^* \alpha^*$, it suffices to show that the following diagram commutes:

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 \alpha_{(1)} f_!(b \otimes (f^* \alpha^*(d') \otimes f^* \alpha^*(d))) & \xrightarrow{\alpha_{(1)} f_!(\text{id} \otimes \text{mon}_f)} & \alpha_{(1)} f_!(b \otimes f^*(\alpha^*(d') \otimes \alpha^*(d))) & \xrightarrow{\alpha_{(1)} f_!(\text{id} \otimes f^* \text{mon}_\alpha)} & \alpha_{(1)} f_!(b \otimes f^* \alpha^*(d' \otimes d)) \\
 \uparrow \alpha_{(1)} f_! \text{assoc} & & \downarrow \alpha_{(1)} \text{pf}_f & & \downarrow \alpha_{(1)} \text{pf}_f \\
 \alpha_{(1)} f_!((b \otimes f^* \alpha^*(d')) \otimes f^* \alpha^*(d)) & & \alpha_{(1)}(f_!(b) \otimes (\alpha^*(d') \otimes \alpha^*(d))) & \xrightarrow{\alpha_{(1)}(\text{id} \otimes \text{mon}_\alpha)} & \alpha_{(1)}(f_!(b) \otimes \alpha^*(d' \otimes d)) \\
 \downarrow \alpha_{(1)} \text{pf}_f & & \uparrow \alpha_{(1)} \text{assoc} & & \downarrow \text{lpf}_\alpha \\
 \alpha_{(1)}(f_!(b \otimes f^* \alpha^*(d')) \otimes \alpha^*(d)) & \xrightarrow{\alpha_{(1)}(\text{pf}_f \otimes \text{id})} & \alpha_{(1)}((f_!(b) \otimes \alpha^*(d')) \otimes \alpha^*(d)) & & \alpha_{(1)} f_!(b) \otimes (d' \otimes d) \\
 \downarrow \text{lpf}_\alpha & & \downarrow \text{lpf}_\alpha & & \uparrow \text{assoc} \\
 \alpha_{(1)} f_!(b \otimes f^* \alpha^*(d')) \otimes d & \xrightarrow{\alpha_{(1)} \text{pf}_f \otimes \text{id}} & \alpha_{(1)}(f_!(b) \otimes \alpha^*(d')) \otimes d & \xrightarrow{\text{lpf}_\alpha \otimes \text{id}} & (\alpha_{(1)} f_!(b) \otimes d') \otimes d
 \end{array}$$

The lower left square commutes by naturality of lpf_α , and the upper right square by the naturality of $\alpha_{(1)} \text{pf}_f$. The upper left rectangle commutes by (A8). For the lower right rectangle, we pass to the right mate at, say, $\text{lpf}_\alpha: \alpha_{(1)}(- \otimes \alpha^*(d' \otimes d)) \Rightarrow (- \otimes (d' \otimes d)) \alpha_{(1)}$, and then it suffices to show that the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 (\alpha^*(d'') \otimes \alpha^*(d')) \otimes \alpha^*(d) & \xrightarrow{\text{mon}_\alpha \otimes \text{id}} & \alpha^*(d'' \otimes d') \otimes \alpha^*(d) \xrightarrow{\text{mon}_\alpha} \alpha^*((d'' \otimes d') \otimes d) \\
 \downarrow \text{assoc} & & \downarrow \alpha^* \text{assoc} \\
 \alpha^*(d'') \otimes (\alpha^*(d') \otimes \alpha^*(d)) & \xrightarrow{\text{id} \otimes \text{mon}_\alpha} & \alpha^*(d'') \otimes \alpha^*(d' \otimes d) \xrightarrow{\text{mon}_\alpha} \alpha^*(d'' \otimes (d' \otimes d)).
 \end{array}$$

is commutative. But this follows from the fact that α is a monoidal functor. Thus, we deduce that (II) commutes. \square

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