

# Lecture 10 - Taylor-Wiles primes I

Fix again a global ddf problem

$$S = (\bar{\rho}, S, \Psi, \mathcal{O}, \{D_v\}_{v \in S})$$

where  $\bar{\rho}: G_{F,S} \rightarrow GL_2(\mathbb{F})$  is rank 2

Def A Taylor-Wiles prime (for  $S$ ) is a prime  $v$  of  $F$ ,  $v \notin S$  such that

1.  $q_v := N_m(v) \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$

2.  $\bar{\rho}(\text{Frob}_v)$  has distinct  $\mathbb{F}$ -rational eigenvalues.

We say a Taylor-Wiles prime  $v$  has level  $N$ ,  $N \geq 1$ , if further

1'.  $q_v \equiv 1 \pmod{p^N}$

Rem. Can and do assume  $\mathbb{F}$  is large enough so that all eigenvalues of all elements in  $\bar{\rho}(G_{F,S})$  are defined  $\mathbb{F}$ .

- In higher rank, the generalization of 2 varies depending on the context

Prop Let  $v$  be a Taylor-Wiles prime (for  $S$ ). For any  $A \in \text{CNL}_0$  and any lift  $\bar{\rho}: G_F \rightarrow GL_2(A)$  of  $\bar{\rho}|_{G_F}$ ,  $\bar{\rho}$  is conjugate to a diagonal lift

$$\begin{pmatrix} \chi_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \chi_2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Proof Can reduce to the case where  $A$  is Artinian.

Fix  $\bar{\rho} \in G_K$  a lift of  $\text{Frob}_v$ . Since  $\bar{\rho}(\text{Frob}_v)$  has distinct  $k$ -not eqvals, can find a basis for  $\rho$  s.t.

$$\rho(\bar{\rho}) = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & \\ & \beta \end{pmatrix}$$

Since  $\bar{\rho}(\bar{I}_{F_v}) = 1$ ,  $\rho(\bar{I}_{F_v}) \in 1 + M_2(m_A)$ , so is pre- $\rho$  so  $\rho|_{\bar{I}_{F_v}}$  factors through tame inertia.

Fix a top  $\gamma$  of  $I$  for tame inertia. It suffices to prove that in our fixed basis  $\rho(\gamma)$  is diagonal.

We induct on  $\text{length}(A)$ . Can assume

$$\rho(\gamma) = 1 + X \in 1 + M_n(m_A) \text{ with } X = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}, b, c \in m_A^n$$

and  $m_A^{n+1} = 0$ . Easy check shows that  $X^k$  is diagonal if  $k \geq 2$ .

We know that  $\bar{\rho}^{-1} \gamma \bar{\rho} = \gamma^v$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = \rho(\bar{\rho}^{-1}) \rho(\gamma) \rho(\bar{\rho}) - \rho(\gamma)^v$$

$$= 1 + \begin{pmatrix} \alpha^{-1} \alpha' \beta b \\ \alpha \beta' c & d \end{pmatrix} - 1 + \gamma^v \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} + \text{diagonal}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & (\alpha^{-1} \beta - 1) b \\ (\alpha \beta' - 1) c & 0 \end{pmatrix} + \text{diagonal}, \text{ since } (\gamma^v - 1) b = (\gamma^v - 1) c = 0$$

But  $\alpha^{-1} \beta - 1$  and  $\alpha \beta' - 1$  are units in  $A$ , since

$\alpha \text{ mod } m_A, \beta \text{ mod } m_A$

are the distinct eigenvalues of  $\bar{\rho}$ .

$$\Rightarrow b = c = 0$$

□

Say  $v$  is a Taylor-Wiles prime for  $S$ .

Let  $R_v^{\square, \chi}$  be the universal lifting ring for  $\bar{\rho} / G_{F_v}$  with fixed det  $\chi$ , and let  $\rho^\chi$  be the universal lift.

By the prop,  $\rho^\chi$  is con to  $\begin{pmatrix} \chi_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \chi_2 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $\chi_i : G_{F_v} \rightarrow (R_v^{\square, \chi})^\times$  and  $\chi_1 \chi_2 = \chi$ .

In particular, since  $\chi$  is unramified at  $v$ ,

$$\chi_1|_{I_{F_v}} = \chi_2|_{I_{F_v}}^{-1}$$

Since  $\bar{\rho}$  is unramified,  $\chi_1|_{I_{F_v}}$  is a pre- $p$  character of  $I_{F_v}/F_v \cong k_v^\times \times \mathbb{Z}_q^d$  (for  $q$ -group)

where  $q = \text{res char of } v$ ,  $k_v = \text{res fld of } F \text{ at } v$ .

Let  $\Delta_v = \max p\text{-power quotient of } k_v^\times$ ,

$\mathcal{O}[\Delta_v] = \text{group alg}$

$\mathfrak{a}_v = \text{any ideal}$ .

$\chi_1|_{I_{F_v}}$  determines an  $\mathcal{O}[\Delta_v]$ -alg structure on  $R_v^{\square, \chi}$

Messour, note  $\exists$  a natural surjection  $R_v^{\square, \chi} \rightarrow R_v^{\square, \chi} = \text{universal lifting ring for } \bar{\rho} / G_{F_v}$  of lift  $\rho$  s.t.  $\rho(I_{F_v}) = 1$  and  $\det \rho = \chi$

and its kernel is

$$\mathfrak{a}_v R_v^{\square, \chi}$$

since any unramified det  $\chi$  lift to  $A$  determines a map  $\phi : R_v^{\square, \chi} \rightarrow A$  s.t.  $\phi(\mathfrak{a}_v) = 0$

$\Rightarrow R_v^{\square, \gamma} / \alpha_v R_v^{\square, \gamma} \Rightarrow R_v^{\omega, \gamma}$   
 and conversely, the universal unramified  
 $R_v^{\square, \gamma} / \alpha_v R_v^{\square, \gamma}$ -valued lift  
 is unramified.

$\Rightarrow R_v^{\square, \gamma} \rightarrow R_v^{\square, \gamma} / \alpha_v R_v^{\square, \gamma}$   
 factors through  $R_v^{\omega, \gamma}$ .

Hence

$$R_v^{\square, \gamma} / \alpha_v R_v^{\square, \gamma} \cong R_v^{\omega, \gamma}.$$

Then, say  $\mathcal{Q}$  is a finite set of Taylor-Wiles primes.  
 Let  $\Delta_{\mathcal{Q}} = \prod_{v \in \mathcal{Q}} \Delta_v$ ,  $\mathcal{O}[\Delta_{\mathcal{Q}}]$  and any ideal  $\alpha_{\mathcal{Q}}$ .

We define the global dcf problem

$$S_{\mathcal{Q}} = (\bar{\rho}, S \cup \mathcal{Q}, \gamma, \mathcal{O}, \{D_v\}_{v \in S} \cup \{D_v^{\gamma}\}_{v \in \mathcal{Q}})$$

where for  $v \in \mathcal{Q}$ ,  $D_v^{\gamma}$  is the dcf condition of all lifts of  
 $\bar{\rho}|_{\mathcal{O}_F}$  with  $\text{dcl} = \gamma|_{\mathcal{O}_F}$ .

Then, assuming  $\text{End}_{\mathbb{F}[\mathcal{O}_{F,S}]}(\bar{\rho}) = \mathbb{F}$ , we have

$$R_{S_{\mathcal{Q}}} \text{ and } R_S$$

and also  $R_{S_{\mathcal{Q}}}^{\tau}$  and  $R_S^{\tau}$  for any  $\tau \in \Sigma$ .

$R_{S_{\mathcal{Q}}}^{\tau}$  has the structure of an  $\mathcal{O}[\Delta_{\mathcal{Q}}]$ -alg, and the  
 natural surjection

$$R_{S_{\mathcal{Q}}}^{\tau} \rightarrow R_S^{\tau} \text{ has kernel } \alpha_{\mathcal{Q}} R_{S_{\mathcal{Q}}}^{\tau}.$$

Recall for our (possibly empty)  $T \subseteq S$ , the tangent space of  $R_S^T$  is given by a cohen group

$$H_{S,T}^1(\text{ad}^0 \bar{\rho})$$

and its dimension is

$$h_{S,T}^1(\text{ad}^0 \bar{\rho}) = h_{S^c,T}^1(\text{ad}^0 \bar{\rho}(1)) + \sum_{v \in S,T} (\dim_{\mathbb{F}} L_v - h^0(F_v, \text{ad}^0 \bar{\rho})) - \sum_{v \nmid \infty} h^0(F_v, \text{ad}^0 \bar{\rho}) - h^0(F_S/F, \text{ad}^0 \bar{\rho}(1))$$

where  $h_{S^c,T}^1(\text{ad}^0 \bar{\rho}(1)) := h^1(F_S/F, \text{ad}^0 \bar{\rho}(1)) + \begin{cases} |T|-1 & \text{if } T \neq \emptyset \\ 0 & \text{if } T = \emptyset \end{cases}$

$$\rightarrow \prod_{v \in S,T} h^1(F_v, \text{ad}^0 \bar{\rho}(1)) / L_v^\perp$$

- $L_v \subseteq h^1(F_v, \text{ad}^0 \bar{\rho})$  that is image of  $D_v(\mathbb{F}[e]) \cong L_v \subseteq Z^1(F_v, \text{ad}^0 \bar{\rho})$   
 $L_v^\perp \subseteq h^1(F_v, \text{ad}^0 \bar{\rho}(1))$  is the orthogonal complement of  $L_v$  under Tate duality.

Now assume that the following hold

1.  $\bar{\rho}|_{G_{F(\mu_p)}}$  is abs irréd  $\Rightarrow$  no non scalar  $G_{F_S}$ -equiv homs  $\bar{\rho} \rightarrow \bar{\rho}(1) \Rightarrow h^0(F_S/F, \text{ad}^0 \bar{\rho}(1)) = 0$
2.  $F$  is totally real and  $\det \bar{\rho}(G_v) = -1$  for all  $v \nmid \infty$  in  $F$  and  $G_v = \text{complex conj at } v$ .  
 $\Rightarrow h^0(F_v, \text{ad}^0 \bar{\rho}) = 1$

$$3. \quad \forall v|p, v \notin T, \dim_{\mathbb{F}} L_v - h^0(F_v, \text{ad}^0 \bar{\rho}) = [F_v : \mathbb{Q}_p]$$

Eg This is true if  $\bar{\rho}|_{G_{F_v}} \cong \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\chi}_1 & * \\ 0 & \bar{\chi}_2 \end{pmatrix}$  with  $\bar{\chi}_1|_{I_{F_v}} = 1$

and  $\bar{\chi}_2|_{I_{F_v}} \neq 1$  and  $D_v = D_v^{\text{ad}, \psi}$  is the  $D_v^{\text{ad}}$  from

Lectures 6 and 7 + fixed det  $\psi$ .

$$4. \quad \forall v \in S \setminus \{v|p\}, v \in T, \dim_{\mathbb{F}} L_v - h^0(F_v, \text{ad}^0 \bar{\rho}) = 0$$

Eg This is true if

$$\bar{\rho}|_{I_v} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & * \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \neq 1 \text{ or } \bar{\rho}|_{G_{F_v}} = \begin{pmatrix} \chi_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \chi_2 \end{pmatrix} \text{ with } \chi_1|_{I_{F_v}} = 1$$

and  $D_v = \text{min det problem} + \text{fixed det from}$   
Lectures 6 + 7.

Under these assumptions

$$h_{S,T}^1(\text{ad}^0 \bar{\rho}) = h_{S,T}^1(\text{ad}^0 \bar{\rho}(1)) + \begin{cases} |T|-1 & \text{if } T \neq \emptyset \\ 0 & \text{if } T = \emptyset. \end{cases}$$