

# Local Langlands Correspondence for $GL_n$

As modifying files in the sciebo folder is prohibited, the corrected version of my portion (with the typo rectified) will be available in the Github directories:

Talk1:

[https://github.com/ramified/personal\\_handwritten\\_collection/raw/main/weeklyupdate/2023.04.23\\_\(non-split\)\\_reductive\\_group.pdf](https://github.com/ramified/personal_handwritten_collection/raw/main/weeklyupdate/2023.04.23_(non-split)_reductive_group.pdf)

Talk2 (this one):

[https://github.com/ramified/personal\\_handwritten\\_collection/raw/main/Langlands/GL\\_case.pdf](https://github.com/ramified/personal_handwritten_collection/raw/main/Langlands/GL_case.pdf)

$F$ : local field      NA local field      +  $\mathbb{R}$  &  $\mathbb{C}$  case

$$\Gamma_F := \text{Gal}(F^{\text{sep}}/F)$$

$W_F :=$  Weil group of  $F$

$$\text{NA case: } W_F = \Gamma_F \rtimes_{\mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\mathbb{C} \text{ case: } W_{\mathbb{C}} = \mathbb{C}^*$$

$$\mathbb{R} \text{ case: } W_{\mathbb{R}} := \mathbb{C}^* \cup j\mathbb{C}^* \subseteq \mathbb{H}^*$$

Rep =                      sm rep

Irr =                      irr sm rep

$\Phi$  = adm irr sm rep

WDrep = Weil-Deligne rep

For Archimedean case, we only have continuous condition.

1.  $GL_n(F)$  for  $F$  NA local
2.  $GL_n(F)$  for  $F = \mathbb{C}$  or  $\mathbb{R}$
3.  $G$  nonsplit torus over  $\mathbb{R}$

1.  $GL_n(F)$  for  $F$  NA local

Let us first state the  $GL_n$  case for a NA local field  $F$ .

Thm (LLC for  $GL_n(F)$ , Harris-Taylor, Henniart, Scholze)  
We have a natural bijection

$$\text{Irr}_c(GL_n(F)) \longleftrightarrow \text{WDrep}_{\substack{n\text{-dim} \\ \text{Frob s.s.}}}(W_F)$$

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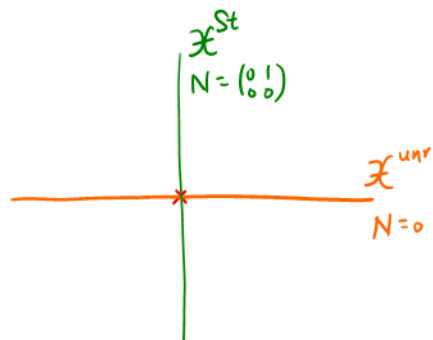
$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \rho: W_F \longrightarrow GL_n(\mathbb{C}) \\ + N \in \text{End}(\mathbb{C}^n) \\ + \text{compatibility} \end{array} \quad \rho(\text{Frob}) \text{ s.s.} \right\}$$

$n=1$

$$\chi: F^\times \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}^\times \longleftrightarrow \chi: W_F \longrightarrow W_F^{\text{ab}} \cong F^\times \xrightarrow{\chi} \mathbb{C}^\times$$

$n=2$

$$\begin{array}{lll} 1) & \chi \circ \det & \longleftrightarrow \left( \begin{pmatrix} \chi & \chi \cdot 1|_F \end{pmatrix}, 0 \right) \quad \times \\ 2) & n\text{-Ind}_B^{\text{GL}_2}(\chi_1, \chi_2) & \longleftrightarrow \left( \begin{pmatrix} \chi_1 & \chi_2 \end{pmatrix}, 0 \right) \quad - \\ 3) & \text{St} \otimes (\chi \circ \det) & \longleftrightarrow \left( \begin{pmatrix} \chi & \chi \cdot 1|_F \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \right) \quad | \\ 4) & c\text{-Ind}_{KZ}^{\text{GL}_2} \rho & \longleftrightarrow \text{don't know how to describe} \end{array}$$



Let us try to work out  $n=1$  case. In that case,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{RHS} &= \{ \rho: W_F \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^\times \} \\ &= \{ \rho: W_F^{\text{ab}} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^\times \} \\ &\stackrel{\text{Artin}}{=} \{ \rho: F^\times \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^\times \} = \text{LHS} \end{aligned}$$

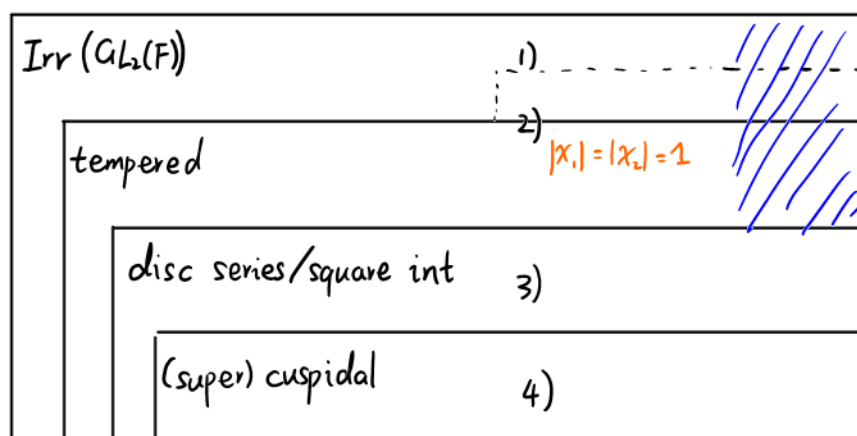
Rem. The key argument is the Artin map  
 $W_F^{\text{ab}} \cong F^\times$

For  $n=2$  case, we still have nice descriptions on both side.  
 However, it would already take the content of a whole book for us to comprehend the details of this case.

Thm (Langlands classification for  $\text{Irr}_{\mathbb{C}}(\text{GL}_2(F))$ )

We have a classification of  $\text{Irr}_{\mathbb{C}}(\text{GL}_2(F))$ .  $\chi: K^\times \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$

1) 1-dim	$\chi \cdot \det$	
2) principal series	$n\text{-Ind}_B^{\text{GL}_2}(X_1, X_2)$	$X_1 X_2^{-1} \neq    \cdot   ^{\pm 1}$
3) a twist of St by $\chi$	$\text{St} \otimes (\chi \cdot \det)$	
4) supercuspidal rep	$c\text{-Ind}_{KZ}^{\text{GL}_2} \rho$	for some $\rho \in \text{Irr}_{\mathbb{C}}(KZ)$



/// (possibly)  
 unramified  
 unitary?  
 ↑ def & results?

For  $\text{IF}_p(t)$ -case, see wiki: Drinfeld module.

2.  $GL_n(F)$  for  $F = \mathbb{C}$  or  $\mathbb{R}$

For the Archimedean case, we also want to construct such a correspondence. In this case, we have a relatively explicit description on both sides, since the structure of the Weyl gp is easier. Also, we don't need to worry about cuspidal reps here.

For avoiding technical conditions, we only state the LLC for  $GL_n(F)$ .

$F = \mathbb{R}$  or  $\mathbb{C}$ .

Thm (LLC for  $GL_n(F)$ )

We have a 1-to-1 correspondence

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \Phi(GL_n(F))/\sim & \longleftrightarrow & \left\{ \rho: W_F \longrightarrow GL_n(\mathbb{C}) \right\} / GL_n(\mathbb{C})\text{-conj} \\ \downarrow \cong & & \text{semisimple as reps} \\ \{ \text{Irr adm } (g/n, K)\text{-modules} \} & & \end{array}$$

where

$$K := O(n) \text{ or } U(n)$$

$\sim$ : up to infinitesimally equivalence  
i.e. induce the same  $(g, K)$ -modules

For letting  $n=1$  case to be true, we have to ask at least

$$W_F^{ab} \cong F^\times$$

Also,  $W_K$  should be related to  $\Gamma_F$ .

Def (Weil gp for  $F = \mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}$ )

$$W_{\mathbb{C}} := \mathbb{C}^\times$$

$$W_{\mathbb{R}} := \mathbb{C}^\times \cup j\mathbb{C}^\times \subset \mathbb{H}^\times$$

$$\text{Ex. } 1 \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}^\times \longrightarrow W_{\mathbb{R}} \longrightarrow \Gamma_{\mathbb{R}} \longrightarrow 1$$

$$j^2 = -1 \quad jzj^{-1} = \bar{z} \quad \forall z \in \mathbb{C}^\times$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\bar{z}}{z} = jzj^{-1}z^{-1} \in [W_{\mathbb{R}}, W_{\mathbb{R}}]$$

$$\Rightarrow [W_{\mathbb{R}}, W_{\mathbb{R}}] = S'$$

$$\Rightarrow W_{\mathbb{R}}^{ab} \cong (\mathbb{C}^\times \cup j\mathbb{C}^\times) / S' \cong \mathbb{R}_{>0} \cup j\mathbb{R}_{>0} \cong \mathbb{R}^\times$$

By this iso ( $W_F^{ab} \cong F^*$ ), we have shown the LLC for  $n=1$  case abstractly. To understand more, we must discuss this case in more detail.

$GL_n(F)$	$\mathbb{R}$	$\mathbb{C}$
$n=1$	$\mathbb{C} \times \{\pm 1\}$ $i\mathbb{R} \times \{\pm 1\}$	$\mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{Z}$ $i\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{Z}$
$n=2$	$\mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{N}_{>0}$ $i\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{N}_{>0}$	$\phi$
$n>2$	$\phi$	$\phi$

... written as direct sum of lower dim reps.  
orange: unitary representations. for  $L$ -parameters side.

E.g.  $n=1, F=\mathbb{R}$

$$\left\{ \rho: \mathbb{R}^* \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^* \right\}_{\substack{\cong \\ \mathbb{R}_{>0}^* \times \{\pm 1\}}} \cong \mathbb{C} \times \{\pm 1\}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} x & \mapsto & x^t \\ -1 & \mapsto & \pm 1 \end{array} \quad \rightsquigarrow \begin{cases} \rho_{\text{triv}} \otimes | \cdot |^t \\ \rho_{\text{sign}} \otimes | \cdot |^t \end{cases}$$

The characters of  $W_{\mathbb{R}}$  are given by

$$\begin{array}{ccc} W_{\mathbb{R}} & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{C}^* \\ \downarrow & \nearrow & \\ \mathbb{R}^* \cong W_{\mathbb{R}}^{ab} & \xrightarrow{\exists!} & \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{ccc} z & \nearrow & |z|^t \\ \downarrow & & \\ |z| & & \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{ccc} 1 & \nearrow & \pm 1 \\ \downarrow & & \\ -1 & & \end{array}$$

e.p. the unitary reps are parameterized by  $i\mathbb{R} \times \{\pm 1\}$ .

E.g.  $n=1, F=\mathbb{C}$

$$\left\{ \rho: \mathbb{C}^* \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^* \right\}_{\substack{\cong \\ \mathbb{R}_{>0}^* \times \mathbb{S}^1}} \cong \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{Z}$$

$$z = r e^{i\theta} \mapsto r^t e^{i\theta t}$$

$$\parallel$$

$$z^{\frac{t+1}{2}} \bar{z}^{\frac{t-1}{2}}$$

$$z \mapsto z^\mu \bar{z}^\nu \quad \left\{ (\mu, \nu) \in \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C} \mid \mu - \nu \in \mathbb{Z} \right\}$$

reparameterization

e.p. the unitary reps are parameterized by  $i\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{Z}$ .

E.g.  $n=2$ .  $F=\mathbb{R}$

$$\left\{ \rho: \underset{\substack{U \\ \mathbb{C}^x}}{W_{\mathbb{R}}} \longrightarrow GL_2(\mathbb{C}) \right\} / \sim$$

$$z \longmapsto \begin{pmatrix} z^\mu \bar{z}^\nu & \\ & z^{\mu'} \bar{z}^{\nu'} \end{pmatrix}$$

①:  $\rho = \chi_1 \oplus \chi_2$   $\dim \chi_i = 1$

$\rightsquigarrow$  subquotient of  $n\text{-Ind}_B^G(\chi_1, \chi_2)$   
 quotient, when  $\operatorname{Re} t_1 \geq \operatorname{Re} t_2$   
 FD & principal series  
 $\uparrow$  finite dim reps.

②:  $\rho$  irreducible.

By linear algebra arguments, i.e. choose a good basis

$$\left\{ \rho: \underset{z}{W_{\mathbb{R}}} \longrightarrow GL_2(\mathbb{C}) \text{ irr} \right\} / \sim \cong \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{N}_{>0}$$

$$z \longmapsto \begin{pmatrix} z^\mu \bar{z}^\nu & \\ & z^\nu \bar{z}^\mu \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\mu+\nu}{2}, \mu-\nu \\ t, 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$j \longmapsto \begin{pmatrix} & (-1)^{\mu-\nu} \\ & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$\rightsquigarrow DS_i \otimes |\det(\cdot)|_{\mathbb{R}}^+$   
 $\downarrow \qquad \qquad \downarrow$   
 discrete series  $\chi_{\det}$

Rem. In Prof. Caraiani's course, we did the classification of  
 irr adm  $(\mathfrak{gl}_{2,\mathbb{R}}, O(2))$ -modules.  
 We reproduce it by the LLC!

Details about linear algebras should be put in this page.

Ref here: [Knapp91, Sec 3]: <https://www.math.stonybrook.edu/~aknapp/pdf-files/motives.pdf>

Step 1. Analyze  $\rho|_{\mathbb{C}^\times}$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \rho(z) \text{ is diagonalizable} \\ \mathbb{C}^\times \text{ is commutative} \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \rho|_{\mathbb{C}^\times} \cong \chi_1 \oplus \chi_2$$

i.e. under some basis  $\{u, v\}$ ,

$$\rho: z \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} z^\mu \bar{z}^\nu & \\ & z^{\mu'} \bar{z}^{\nu'} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \rho(z) \cdot u &= z^\mu \bar{z}^\nu u \\ \rho(z) \cdot v &= z^{\mu'} \bar{z}^{\nu'} v \end{aligned}$$

Step 2. Remove decomposable cases:

When  $\mu = \mu', \nu = \nu'$ : (same eigenvalues)

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \rho(j) \text{ is diagonalizable} \\ \rho(\mathbb{C}^\times) \subset Z(GL_2(\mathbb{C})) \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \rho \cong \chi_1 \oplus \chi_2$$

Assume  $\mu \neq \mu'$  or  $\nu \neq \nu'$  now.

$$\begin{aligned} \rho(z) \rho(j) u &= \rho(j) \rho(\bar{z}) u = z^\nu \bar{z}^\mu \rho(j) u \\ \Rightarrow \rho(j) u &\text{ is an eigenvector with eigenvalue } z^\nu \bar{z}^\mu \end{aligned}$$

When  $\mu = \nu$ , then

$$\mathbb{C}u \text{ is irr subrep} \leadsto \rho \cong \chi_1 \oplus \chi_2;$$

When  $\mu \neq \nu$ , then  $\mu' = \nu, \nu' = \mu$ .

under the basis  $\{u, \rho(j)u\}$ ,

$$\rho: z \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} z^\mu \bar{z}^\nu & \\ & z^\nu \bar{z}^\mu \end{pmatrix}$$

$$j \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 1 & ? \\ & ? \end{pmatrix} \stackrel{j^2 = -1}{=} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & (-1)^{\mu-\nu} \\ & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Step 3. By the symmetry, we can assume that  $\mu - \nu > 0$ .

under the basis  $\{\rho(j)u, (-1)^{\mu-\nu} u\}$ ,

$$\rho: z \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} z^\nu \bar{z}^\mu & \\ & z^\mu \bar{z}^\nu \end{pmatrix}$$

$$j \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} & (-1)^{\nu-\mu} \\ 1 & \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} (\det \rho)(z) = |z|^{\nu+\mu} \\ (\det \rho)(j) = (-1)^{\nu-\mu+1} \\ \rho|_{\mathbb{C}^\times} \cong \chi_{\nu, \mu} \oplus \chi_{\mu, \nu} \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \left( \frac{\mu+\nu}{2}, |\mu-\nu| \right) \in \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{N}_0 \text{ are determined by the rep } \rho.$$

□

Rmk. By the similar linear algebra argument, one can show

$$\begin{aligned} \rho \in \text{Irr}_{\mathbb{C}}(W_{\mathbb{R}}) &\rightsquigarrow \dim_{\mathbb{C}} \rho = 1 \text{ or } 2 \\ \rho \in \text{Irr}_{\mathbb{C}}(W_{\mathbb{C}}) &\rightsquigarrow \dim_{\mathbb{C}} \rho = 1 \end{aligned}$$

By the correspondence, we get classifications of  $GL_n(F)$ -reps explicitly:

[Knapp91, p400]: <https://www.math.stonybrook.edu/~aknapp/pdf-files/motives.pdf>

**Theorem 1.** For  $G = GL_n(\mathbb{R})$ ,

(a) if the parameters  $n_j^{-1}t_j$  of  $(\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_r)$  satisfy

$$n_1^{-1} \text{Re } t_1 \geq n_2^{-1} \text{Re } t_2 \geq \dots \geq n_r^{-1} \text{Re } t_r, \quad (2.5)$$

$n\text{-Ind}_P^{GL_n}(\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_r)$

then  $I(\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_r)$  has a unique irreducible quotient  $J(\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_r)$ ,

(b) the representations  $J(\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_r)$  exhaust the irreducible admissible representations of  $G$ , up to infinitesimal equivalence,

(c) two such representations  $J(\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_r)$  and  $J(\sigma'_1, \dots, \sigma'_r)$  are infinitesimally equivalent if and only if  $r' = r$  and there exists a permutation  $j(i)$  of  $\{1, \dots, r\}$  such that  $\sigma'_i = \sigma_{j(i)}$  for  $1 \leq i \leq r$ .

Q: Find a reference for the statement of  $GL_n(\mathbb{C})$ .





Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{RHS} &= \{ \rho: W_{\mathbb{R}} \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}^{\times} \rtimes \Gamma_{\mathbb{R}} \text{ cont "sec"} \} / \mathbb{C}^{\times}\text{-conj} \\ &= \{ \rho: S' \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}^{\times} \rtimes \Gamma_{\mathbb{R}} \text{ cont "sec"} \} / \mathbb{C}^{\times}\text{-conj} \\ &\xrightarrow{\quad} \{ \rho: S' \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}^{\times} \text{ cont} \} = \text{LHS} \end{aligned}$$

For the effect of  $\mathbb{C}^{\times}\text{-conj}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} (z, \text{Id}) (\rho(j), \sigma) (z^{-1}, \text{Id}) &= (z \rho(j) \bar{z}^{-1}, \sigma) \\ &= (z \rho(j) z, \sigma) \\ &= (z^2 \rho(j), \sigma) \end{aligned}$$

So we can assume  $\rho(j)=1$ , and remove  $\mathbb{C}^{\times}\text{-conj}$  action.

□

E.g. For  $G = \text{Res}_{\mathbb{C}/\mathbb{R}} G_{m, \mathbb{C}}$ , we get

$$\widehat{G}(\mathbb{C}) = \mathbb{C}^{\times} \times \mathbb{C}^{\times} \quad {}^L G = (\mathbb{C}^{\times} \times \mathbb{C}^{\times}) \rtimes \Gamma_{\mathbb{R}}$$

where  $\Gamma_{\mathbb{R}}$  acts on  $\mathbb{C}^{\times} \times \mathbb{C}^{\times}$  by

$$\Gamma_{\mathbb{R}} \times (\mathbb{C}^{\times} \times \mathbb{C}^{\times}) \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}^{\times} \times \mathbb{C}^{\times} \quad (\sigma, (z_1, z_2)) \mapsto \sigma(z_1, z_2) = (z_2, z_1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{RHS} &= \{ \rho: W_{\mathbb{R}} \longrightarrow (\mathbb{C}^{\times} \times \mathbb{C}^{\times}) \rtimes \Gamma_{\mathbb{R}} \text{ cont "sec"} \} / (\mathbb{C}^{\times} \times \mathbb{C}^{\times})\text{-conj} \\ &= \{ \rho: W_{\mathbb{R}} \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}^{\times} \times \mathbb{C}^{\times} \text{ cocycle} \} / \text{twisted } (\mathbb{C}^{\times} \times \mathbb{C}^{\times})\text{-conj} \end{aligned}$$

By the formula

$$\rho(\bar{z}) = \rho(j z j^{-1}) = \bar{\rho}(z)$$

we get

$$\rho(z) = (z^{\mu} \bar{z}^{\nu}, z^{\nu} \bar{z}^{\mu}).$$

By  $(\mathbb{C}^{\times} \times \mathbb{C}^{\times})\text{-conj}$ , we can assume

$$\rho(j) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \\ & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{RHS} &= \left\{ \rho: \mathbb{C}^{\times} \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}^{\times} \times \mathbb{C}^{\times} \right. \\ &\quad \left. z \mapsto (z^{\mu} \bar{z}^{\nu}, z^{\nu} \bar{z}^{\mu}) \right\} \\ &= \{ \rho: \mathbb{C}^{\times} \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}^{\times} \text{ cont} \} \\ &= \{ \rho: (\text{Res}_{\mathbb{C}/\mathbb{R}} G_{m, \mathbb{C}})(\mathbb{R}) \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}^{\times} \text{ cont} \} = \text{LHS}. \end{aligned}$$

□

One may compute

$$\begin{aligned} ((z_1, z_2), \text{Id}) ((a, b), \sigma) ((z_1^{-1}, z_2^{-1}), \text{Id}) \\ = ((z_1 a \bar{z}_1^{-1}, z_2 b \bar{z}_2^{-1}), \sigma) \\ = ((z_1^2 a, z_2^2 b), \sigma) \end{aligned}$$

Fun game: you have already some examples of LLC. ( $GL_n + \text{torus}$ ) Try to make some comparisons and find some functoriality results!

e.g.  $G_{m, \mathbb{R}} \hookrightarrow GL_2, \mathbb{R} \Rightarrow \Phi(\mathbb{R}^{\times}) \leftarrow \Phi(GL_2(\mathbb{R}))$   
 $SO_2, \mathbb{R} \hookrightarrow \Phi(S')$

e.g.  $\Phi(G_m(\mathbb{C})) = \Phi(\text{Res}_{\mathbb{C}/\mathbb{R}} G_{m, \mathbb{R}}(\mathbb{R}))$

Task left: work out some examples of torus over  $F$ , where  $F$ : local NA field