

The subleading term of p -adic L -functions

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§ 1 The subleading term

$E: y^2 = x^3 + ax + b; a, b \in \mathbb{Q}$. Conductor N

$$E(\mathbb{Q}) \cup \infty \cong \mathbb{Z}^{\text{rank}} \times E_{\text{tor}}(\mathbb{Q}) \quad \text{all day: } (p, N) = 1$$

$$a_p := p + 1 - |E(\mathbb{F}_p)|$$

$$L(E, s) = \prod_{p \nmid N} (1 - a_p p^{-s} + p^{1-2s})^{-1} \times \prod_{p \mid N} (\dots)$$

$$\text{Known: } = a(s-1)^{\tau} + b(s-1)^{\tau+1} + \dots$$

($a \neq 0$)

Conj. (Birch, Swinnerton-Dyer)

$$\cdot \tau \stackrel{?}{=} \text{rank}$$

$$\cdot a = \# \Omega(E) \frac{\Omega_{\text{Reg}} \prod_{p \mid N} c_p}{\tau! |E_{\text{tor}}(\mathbb{Q})|^2}$$

a : "leading term" . b : "subleading term".

Q What does b encode?

Thm (Wuthrich, 2016)

$$b = a \times \left(-\frac{1}{2} \log(N) + \log(2\pi) + \text{Euler's constant} \right)$$

≈ 0.577216

Pf Put $\Lambda(s) := \frac{\sqrt{N}}{2\pi} \Gamma(s) L(E, s)$.

Fn'al eq'n: $\Lambda(s) = (-1)^{\tau} \Lambda(2-s) \Rightarrow \frac{d^i}{ds^i} \Lambda(s) \Big|_{s=1} = 0$ if $i \not\equiv \tau \pmod{2}$

Q: p -adic[✓] version? What else does the functional equation give us?

§2 p -adic L -functions

	Complex-analytic	p -adic analytic
$\mathbb{Z}$	$\zeta(s)$	$\zeta_p(X) \in \mathbb{Z}_p[[X]]$
$\mathbb{Z}, \psi$ ψ : Dirichlet char.	$L(\psi, s)$	$L_p(\psi, X)$
interpolate at $s=1-2n$		
E	$L(E, s)$	$L_p(E, X)$
E, ψ	$L(E, \psi, s)$	$L_p(E, \psi, X)$

Idea: $L_p(E, X)$ interpolates $\sum \frac{L(E, \chi_p^n, 1) \times (\dots)}{\alpha^n}$ χ_p^n : Dirichlet char. of cond. p^n .

(Mazur +

Swinnerton-Dyer 1970) $\alpha = \text{sol'n of } Y^2 - a_p Y + p = 0$
 $(Y - \alpha)(Y - \beta)$

Two scenarios:

- $p \nmid a_p$; $\text{ord}_p(\alpha) = 0 \Rightarrow L_p(E, X)$ and $L_p(E, \psi, X)$
 $\in \mathbb{Z}_p[[X]]$ (~~$\mathbb{Q}$~~)
- $p \mid a_p$; $\text{ord}_p(\alpha) > 0$

$\Rightarrow L_p(E, X)$ and $L_p(E, \psi, X) \in \mathbb{C}_p[[X]]$

(Amice + Vélu, Višik, 1970's)
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Thm (²⁰⁰⁰ Pollack, $a_p = 0$; ²⁰¹² S. plap)

Gave ^{explicit} construction of $L_{\#}(E, X), L_b(E, X) \in \mathbb{Z}_p[[X]]$
from $L_p(E, X) \in \mathbb{Z}_p[[X]]$.

Important fact: $L_p, L_{\#}, L_b$ all satisfy functional eq'n.

§3 Theorems about p-adic L-functions

Write $L_p(E, X) = aX^r + bX^{r+1} + \dots$

p-adic BSD still possible (Mazur, Tate, Teitelbaum
1980's)

Let $p > 2$ from now on.

Thm (Bianchi, 2017)

$b = -\frac{a}{2} (\log_X(N) + r)$; $\log_X$: p-adic version of
log that knows relationship btw. s and X .

p-adic Weierstrass
Preparation Thm

$f \in \mathbb{Z}_p[[X]] \Rightarrow f = p^{\mu} (X^{\lambda} + c_{\lambda-1} X^{\lambda-1} + \dots + c_0) U$.

$\mu, \lambda \in \mathbb{N}^{\geq 0}$; $c_i \in p\mathbb{Z}_p$; $U \in \mathbb{Z}_p[[X]]^{\times}$.

$\mu(f)$: " μ -invariant of f "

$\lambda(f)$: " λ -invariant of f ".

Let $p \nmid ap$. Let ψ be a Dirichlet character with conductor prime to p .
 $\bar{\psi}$ be complex-conjugate of ψ .

Thm (Bianchi)

$$\mu(L_p(E, \psi, X)) = \mu(L_p(E, \bar{\psi}, X)).$$

Pfs use anal eq's.

§ 4 Results

Let $p \nmid ap$. Write $L_{\#}(E, X) = a_{\#} X^{\tau_{\#}} + b_{\#} X^{\tau_{\#}+2} + \dots$
 and $L_b(E, X) = a_b X^{\tau_b} + b_b X^{\tau_b+1} + \dots$

Thm (Dion + S.)

$$b_{\#/\#} = -\frac{a_{\#/\#}}{2} (\log_8(N) + \tau_{\#/\#})$$

Thm (Dion + S.)

- $\mu(L_{\#/\#}(E, \psi, X)) = \mu(L_{\#/\#}(E, \bar{\psi}, X))$.
- $\lambda(L_{\#/\#}(E, \psi, X)) = \lambda(L_{\#/\#}(E, \bar{\psi}, X))$
- (when $p \nmid ap$, have $\lambda(L_p(E, \psi, X)) = \lambda(L_p(E, \bar{\psi}, X))$.

Conj. (S, 2015) $\tau_{\#} \stackrel{?}{=} \tau_b \stackrel{?}{=} \text{rank}$.

$\Leftrightarrow$ (p -adic BSD of $L_p(E, X)$
 by Bernardi + Perrin-Riou (+MTT)).

Jhm (Dion + S.) $\tau_{\#} \equiv \tau_b \pmod{2}$

Pf. Functional Equations state

$$\begin{aligned} L_{\#}(E, X) &= \pm (1+X)^{-\log_{\#}(N)} L_{\#}\left(E, \frac{1}{1+X} - 1\right) \\ L_b(E, X) &= \pm (1+X)^{-\log_b(N)} L_b\left(E, \frac{1}{1+X} - 1\right) \end{aligned}$$

same sign!

Differentiate the above $\tau_{\#}$ resp. τ_b times and evaluate at $X=0$. Get $(-1)^{\tau_{\#}} = (-1)^{\tau_b} \Rightarrow \tau_{\#} \equiv \tau_b \pmod{2}$

Q (Dinesh Thakur / दिनेश ठाकुर)

What about sub-subleading terms?

A No idea in the $\#$ field case.

for field case $\rightarrow$ Zhiwei Yun + Wei Zhang / 惲之瑋 + 張偉
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Q Dirichlet L-fns?

A See Colmez's 1993 Annals paper.

Q (Ravi Ramakrishna / (not sure which script))

Relation with Greenberg - Stevens?

A Maybe — spec. value at 0 vs at 1.