

***P*-ADIC INTERTWINING OPERATORS AND
LOCAL *L*-FACTORS FOR $SU(2, 1)$**

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Abstract: We prove that non-archimedean intertwining operators between induced principal series representations of certain unitary groups are quotients of local *L*-factors.

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1. Introduction

Classical hypergeometric functions at an archimedean prime of a number field play a crucial role in many parts of mathematics. For non-archimedean primes, analogues of Gamma functions and Beta functions have been studied by Gelfand and Graev in [2]. In this paper we show that, using these non-archimedean special functions, local non-archimedean intertwining operators for principal series representations of certain unitary groups are given by quotients of local *L*-factors. This generalizes the well known situation for $SL(2)$. As a consequence we show in [4] (among other things) that the reduction to the special fibre of the above situation (Iwahori case) leads to Gauß (and Jacobi-) sums.

In Section 2 we fix notation and state some facts about the group $SU(2, 1)$. In Section 3 we prove a lemma concerning the non-archimedean Gamma and Beta functions, which will be needed later in Section 4. In Section 4 we compute

the local intertwining operators making use of a computation of D. Keys in [3], and finally prove the above mentioned Theorem 4.

2. The Underlying Group

2.1. The Group $SU(2, 1)$

Let E/\mathbb{Q} be an imaginary quadratic number field, $\mathcal{O}(E)$ the ring of integers in E , and V a 3-dimensional vector space over E . Let f be the following non-degenerate hermitian form of signature $(2, 1)$ on $V \times V$:

$$f(x, y) = x_1\overline{y_3} - x_2\overline{y_2} + x_3\overline{y_1},$$

where $x = (x_1, x_2, x_3), y = (y_1, y_2, y_3) \in V$. Here $x \mapsto \overline{x}$ denotes the action of the non-trivial element in $\text{Gal}(E/\mathbb{Q})$.

A matrix representative of f is given by $J = \begin{pmatrix} & & 1 \\ & -1 & \\ 1 & & \end{pmatrix}$. We set

$$G(\mathbb{Q}) = \text{SU}(2, 1)(\mathbb{Q}) = \{g \in \text{SL}_3(E) \mid g = J[(\overline{g})^t]^{-1} \cdot J^{-1}\}$$

and accordingly $G(R) = \{g \in \text{SL}_3(E \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}} R) \mid g = J[(\overline{g})^t]^{-1} J^{-1}\}$ for any \mathbb{Q} -algebra R . A maximal torus T (non-split over \mathbb{Q}) is given by

$$T(\mathbb{Q}) = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} t & & \\ & \bar{t}/t & \\ & & 1/\bar{t} \end{pmatrix}, t \in E^* \right\}.$$

The maximal \mathbb{Q} -split torus T' in T is given by $T'(\mathbb{Q}) = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} t & & \\ & 1 & \\ & & t^{-1} \end{pmatrix} \right\}$. The group G is quasi-split with Borel subgroup $B = T \ltimes N$, where

$$N(\mathbb{Q}) = \left\{ n(x, y) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & x & y \\ & 1 & \overline{x} \\ & & 1 \end{pmatrix} \mid y + \overline{y} - x\overline{x} = 0 \text{ for } x, y \in E^* \right\}.$$

Note that we have a filtration $0 \rightarrow [N, N] \rightarrow N \rightarrow N/[N, N] \rightarrow 0$, where

$$[N, N](\mathbb{Q}) \cong \{y \in E \mid \text{Tr}_{E/\mathbb{Q}}(y) = 0\} \cong \mathbb{G}_a(\mathbb{Q}) \cong \mathbb{Q}$$

and

$$(N/[N, N])(\mathbb{Q}) \cong R_{E/\mathbb{Q}}\mathbb{G}_a(\mathbb{Q}) \cong E$$

via $n(x, y) \mapsto x$. Here $\text{Tr}_{E/\mathbb{Q}}$ denotes the trace and $R_{E/\mathbb{Q}}$ the restriction of scalars.

The character module $X^*(T)$ is generated by the two simple positive roots

α and β , where

$$\alpha \left(\begin{pmatrix} t & & \\ & \bar{t}/t & \\ & & 1/\bar{t} \end{pmatrix} \right) = \frac{t^2}{\bar{t}}, \quad \beta \left(\begin{pmatrix} t & & \\ & \bar{t}/t & \\ & & 1/\bar{t} \end{pmatrix} \right) = \frac{\bar{t}^2}{t}.$$

Let $W \cong S_3$ denote the absolute Weyl group and $W' \cong \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}$ the relative Weyl group. A matrix representative for the longest element $w = w_\ell$ of W is given by $w = \begin{pmatrix} & & 1 \\ & -1 & \\ 1 & & \end{pmatrix}$.

2.2.

Let $p \neq 2$ be a non-archimedean prime of \mathbb{Q} . Let $E_{\mathfrak{p}} = E \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}} \mathbb{Q}_p$, and let $\mathcal{O}_{\mathfrak{p}}$ be the ring of integers in $E_{\mathfrak{p}}$. We have

$$p \cdot \mathcal{O}_{\mathfrak{p}} = \begin{cases} \mathfrak{p} & \text{if } p \text{ is unramified and non-split in } E, \\ \mathfrak{p}^2 & \text{if } p \text{ is ramified in } E \end{cases}$$

(we ignore the split case, since this can be reduced to the case of SL_2).

Let $N_{E_{\mathfrak{p}}/\mathbb{Q}_p} : E_{\mathfrak{p}} \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p$, $x \mapsto x\bar{x}$ denote the norm map, and let π denote a local uniformizing element. We write multiplicative characters as $\chi = \chi_0 \cdot |\cdot|^s$, where $\chi_0 : E_{\mathfrak{p}}^* \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^*$ is a unitary character with $\chi_0(\pi) = 1$; also $|\cdot| = |\cdot|_{\mathfrak{p}}$ is the \mathfrak{p} -adic valuation and $s \in \mathbb{C}$. All additive characters are translates of a non-trivial base character ϕ_{base} which satisfies $\phi_{\text{base}}|_{\mathfrak{p}^{-1} \cdot \mathcal{D}_{E_{\mathfrak{p}}/\mathbb{Q}_p}^{-1}} \neq \text{id}$ and which factorizes over the trace $\text{Tr}_{E_{\mathfrak{p}}/\mathbb{Q}_p}$. Here $\mathcal{D}_{E_{\mathfrak{p}}/\mathbb{Q}_p}$ denotes the local differential.

A character of $T(\mathbb{Q}_p)$ is given simply by a character $\chi : E_{\mathfrak{p}} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^*$. Using the above choices of simple positive roots, we find that the modulus character $\delta = |\frac{1}{2}(\alpha + \beta + (\alpha + \beta))|_{\mathfrak{p}}$ is given by

$$\delta \left(\begin{pmatrix} t & & \\ & \bar{t}/t & \\ & & 1/\bar{t} \end{pmatrix} \right) = \left| \frac{t^2}{\bar{t}} \cdot \frac{\bar{t}^2}{t} \right|_{\mathfrak{p}} = |t|_{E_{\mathfrak{p}}}^2.$$

3. Generalized Gamma and Beta Functions

Let ϕ be given by $\phi(x) = \phi_{\text{base}}(\pi^{-d}x)$, where d is given by $\mathcal{D}_{E_{\mathfrak{p}}/\mathbb{Q}_p} = \mathfrak{p}^d$. For $f \in L^1(E_{\mathfrak{p}})$, the Fourier transform \hat{f} is defined by

$$\hat{f}(u) = \int_{E_{\mathfrak{p}}} \phi(-ux) f(x) dx.$$

For $\chi = \chi_0 \cdot |\cdot|^s$ as above set $\Gamma(\chi) = \int_{E_{\mathfrak{p}}} \phi(x)\chi_0(x)|x|^{s-1}dx$.

Proposition 1. (1) *The function $\Gamma(\chi) = \Gamma(\chi_0, s)$ converges and is holomorphic for $\text{Re}(x) = \text{Re}(s) > 0$. It possesses a meromorphic continuation to \mathbb{C} .*

(2) *If $\chi = |\cdot|^s$, $s \neq 0$, then $\Gamma(\chi) = \Gamma(s) = \frac{1-q^{s-1}}{1-q^{-s}}$. The only zero is given by $\chi = |\cdot|$, and the only pole by $\chi = \text{id}$, at which the residue is $\frac{1-q^{-1}}{\ln q}$.*

(3) *If $\chi = \chi_0 \cdot |\cdot|^s$ is ramified of ramification degree \mathfrak{f} , then $\Gamma(\chi) = W_\chi \cdot q^{\mathfrak{f}(s-\frac{1}{2})}$ and $|W_\chi| = 1$.*

Proof. See [5] and [2]. □

Comparing $\Gamma(\chi)$ with the local factors $\zeta(f, \chi)$ of Tate’s thesis [6] (here f is a suitably chosen function), we find

$$\Gamma(\chi_0, s) \cdot \Gamma(\chi_0^{-1}, 1 - s) = \chi(-1). \tag{3.1}$$

We now set $L_{\mathfrak{p}}(\chi) = \zeta(f_{\mathfrak{f}}, \chi)$, where \mathfrak{f} is the ramification index of χ and

$$f_{\mathfrak{f}}(x) = \begin{cases} \phi(x) & \text{if } \chi \in \mathfrak{P}^{-\mathfrak{f}}, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

For two multiplicative characters χ_1, χ_2 and $|\cdot| = |\cdot|_{\mathfrak{p}}$ as before define

$$B(\chi_1, \chi_2) = \int_{E_{\mathfrak{p}}} \chi_1(x)|x|^{-1} \cdot \chi_2(1-x)|1-x|^{-1}dx.$$

The convergence of this integral can be shown by splitting it up into integrals over $\{x \mid |x| \leq 1\}$ and $\{x \mid |x| > 1\}$, proving convergence on these domains for (χ_1, χ_2) in suitable halfspaces, and then analytically continuing both integrals. It is not too hard to show:

Lemma 2.

$$B(\chi_1, \chi_2) = \frac{\Gamma(\chi_1) \cdot \Gamma(\chi_2)}{\Gamma(\chi_1\chi_2)}.$$

Proof. See [4]. □

Now choose τ such that $E_{\mathfrak{p}} = \mathbb{Q}_p(\tau)$ with $\bar{\tau} = -\tau$ and $\mathcal{O}_p = \mathbb{Z}_p + \tau\mathbb{Z}_p$. Normalise $\text{vol}(\mathcal{O}_{\mathfrak{p}}) = 1$.

Lemma 3. *The integral $I(1) = \int_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \chi(1-y\tau) \cdot |1-y\tau|_{E_{\mathfrak{p}}}^{-1} dy$ converges on a halfplane and is given by*

$$I(1) = \chi(-2) \cdot d_{\mathfrak{p}}^{-(s-\frac{1}{2})} \cdot \frac{L_{E_{\mathfrak{p}}}(\chi)}{L_{E_{\mathfrak{p}}}(\hat{\chi})} \cdot \frac{L_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(\widehat{\chi\mathbb{Q}_p})}{L_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(\chi\mathbb{Q}_p)}.$$

Here $d_{\mathfrak{p}}$ is the \mathfrak{p} part of the discriminant $d_{E/\mathbb{Q}}$ and $\hat{\chi} = \chi^{-1} \cdot |\cdot|$.

Proof. Convergence follows from the convergence on a halfplane of $B(\text{id}, \chi)$ and a non-archimedean Fubini Theorem.

For $u \in \mathbb{Q}_p$ set

$$\begin{aligned} I(u) &:= \int_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \chi(u - y\tau) \cdot |u - y\tau|_{E_{\mathfrak{F}}}^{-1} dy \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \chi(u - uy\tau) \cdot |u - uy\tau|_{E_{\mathfrak{F}}}^{-1} \cdot |u|_{\mathbb{Q}_p} dy \\ &= \chi|_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(u) \cdot |u|_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^{-1} \underbrace{\int_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \chi(1 - y\tau) \cdot |1 - y\tau|_{E_{\mathfrak{F}}}^{-1} dy}_{=I(1)}. \end{aligned}$$

We obtain

$$I(u) = (\chi|_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \cdot |\cdot|^{-1})(u) \cdot I(1)$$

and therefore

$$\hat{I}(1) = \Gamma_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(\chi|_{\mathbb{Q}_p}) \cdot I(1).$$

On the other hand we have

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{I}(1) &= \int_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \phi_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(x) \int_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \chi(x - y\tau) |x - y\tau|_{E_{\mathfrak{F}}}^{-1} dy dx \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \int_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \phi_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(2x) \cdot \chi(2x - 2y\tau) |2x - xy\tau|_{E_{\mathfrak{F}}}^{-1} |2|_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^2 dy dx \\ &= \chi(2) \int_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \int_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \phi_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(\text{Tr}_{E_{\mathfrak{F}}/\mathbb{Q}_p}(x + y\tau)) \chi(x + y\tau) \cdot |x + y\tau|_{E_{\mathfrak{F}}}^{-1} dy dx \\ &= \chi(2) \int_{E_{\mathfrak{F}}} \phi_{E_{\mathfrak{F}}}(z) \cdot \chi(z) |z|_{E_{\mathfrak{F}}}^{-1} dz \\ &= \chi(2) \cdot (\chi \cdot \widehat{|\cdot|^{-1}})(1) = \chi(2) \cdot \Gamma_{E_{\mathfrak{F}}}(\chi). \end{aligned}$$

Putting these calculations together gives

$$I(1) = \chi(2) \cdot \frac{\Gamma_{E_{\mathfrak{F}}}(\chi)}{\Gamma_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(\chi|_{\mathbb{Q}_p})}.$$

Using the functional equation (3.1), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} I(1) &= \chi(2) \cdot \Gamma_{E_{\mathfrak{F}}}(\chi) \cdot \chi|_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(-1) \cdot \Gamma_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(\chi^{-1}|_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \cdot |\cdot|_{\mathbb{Q}_p}) \\ &= \chi(-1)\chi(2) \cdot \Gamma_{E_{\mathfrak{F}}}(\chi) \cdot \Gamma_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(\chi^{-1}|_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \cdot |\cdot|_{\mathbb{Q}_p}) \\ &= \chi(-2) \cdot d_{\mathfrak{F}}^{-(s-\frac{1}{2})} \cdot \frac{L_{E_{\mathfrak{F}}}(\chi)}{L_{E_{\mathfrak{F}}}(\hat{\chi})} \cdot \frac{L_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(\widehat{\chi|_{\mathbb{Q}_p}})}{L_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(\chi|_{\mathbb{Q}_p})}. \quad \square \end{aligned}$$

4. Local Intertwining Operators

Local intertwining operators for $SU(3)$ have been computed by Keys in [3]. We will now prove that they are equal to quotients of local L -factors.

Let $p \neq 2$. Let

$$I_\chi = \text{Ind}_{B(\mathbb{Q}_p)}^{G(\mathbb{Q}_p)} = \{f : G(\mathbb{Q}_p) \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \mid f(b \cdot g) = \chi(b) \cdot \delta^{\frac{1}{2}}(b)f(g)\},$$

where $b \in B(\mathbb{Q}_p)$, $g \in G(\mathbb{Q}_p)$, and f is locally constant. Now let χ be a regular character, i.e. $w\chi \neq \chi$, where $w = w_\ell \in W$. An intertwining operator $T_{w,\chi} : I_\chi \rightarrow I_{w\chi}$ is given by

$$T_{w,\chi}(f)(g) = \int_{N(\mathbb{Q}_p)} f(w \cdot u \cdot g)du, \quad f \in I_\chi, g \in G(\mathbb{Q}_p).$$

$T_{w,\chi}$ converges for $\text{Re}(\chi) \gg 0$ and can be meromorphically continued to all χ (see [1]). Recall the Bruhat decomposition $G = Bw \cup BN^{-1}$, where $N^{-1} = wNw^{-1}$ (for convenience we write $G = G(\mathbb{Q}_p)$, $B = B(\mathbb{Q}_p)$, etc.). Let ν denote the \mathfrak{P} -adic order, i.e. $\nu(\pi^n) = n$. We now define

$$\theta_\chi(g) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } g \in Bw, \\ 0 & \text{if } g = b \cdot u^- \in B \cdot N^- \text{ and } u^- \notin k_{\mathfrak{f}}, \\ \chi(b) \cdot \delta^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot \phi_{-2\mathfrak{f}}(u^-) & \text{if } g = b \cdot u^- \in B \cdot N^- \text{ and } u^- \in k_{\mathfrak{f}}. \end{cases}$$

Here $k_{\mathfrak{f}} = \{g \in G(\mathcal{O}_{\mathfrak{P}}) \mid g \equiv \text{Id} \pmod{\mathfrak{P}^{\mathfrak{f}}}\}$ and $\phi_{-2\mathfrak{f}}$ denotes the following character of N^- :

$$\phi_{-2\mathfrak{f}} \left(\begin{pmatrix} 1 & & & \\ x & 1 & & \\ y & \bar{x} & 1 & \\ & & & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right) = \phi(\pi^{-2\mathfrak{f}} \cdot x),$$

where \mathfrak{f} is the ramification index of χ . The function θ_χ extends to all of G . We are going to compute $T_{w,\chi}$ for $\theta_\chi \in I_\chi$.

Theorem 4. *Let $p \neq 2$. Then $T_{w,\chi}(\theta_\chi) = c_{w,\chi} \cdot \theta_{w\chi}$, where*

$$c_{w,\chi} = C \cdot \frac{L_{E_{\mathfrak{P}}}(\chi \circ N_{E_{\mathfrak{P}}/\mathbb{Q}_p})}{L_{E_{\mathfrak{P}}}(\hat{\chi} \circ N_{E_{\mathfrak{P}}/\mathbb{Q}_p})} \cdot \frac{L_{E_{\mathfrak{P}}}(\chi)}{L_{E_{\mathfrak{P}}}(\hat{\chi})} \cdot \frac{L_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(\widehat{\chi|_{\mathbb{Q}_p}})}{L_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(\chi|_{\mathbb{Q}_p})}$$

and $C = \chi(-1) \cdot |\pi|_{E_{\mathfrak{P}}}^{4\mathfrak{f}s} \cdot d_{\mathfrak{P}}^{-(2s-1)}$.

Proof. From results of Casselman [1] and the choice of our function θ_χ , we know that $(T_{w^{-1},w\chi} \circ T_{w,\chi})(\theta_\chi)$ is a homothety. It is therefore sufficient to evaluate $T_{w,\chi}(\theta_\chi)$ at 1.

Recall the notation $n(x, y) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & x & y \\ & 1 & \bar{x} \\ & & 1 \end{pmatrix}$, $w = \begin{pmatrix} & & 1 \\ & -1 & \\ 1 & & \end{pmatrix}$. We write $x = x_1 + \tau x_2$, $y = y_1 + \tau y_2$, where $x_i, y_i \in \mathbb{Q}_p$ and $\bar{\tau} = -\tau$. We then have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_N \theta_\chi(wn)dn &= \int_N \theta_\chi \left(\begin{pmatrix} & & 1 \\ & -1 & \\ 1 & & \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & x & \frac{1}{2}x\bar{x} + \tau y_2 \\ & 1 & \bar{x} \\ & & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right) dx dy_2 \\ &= \int_N \theta_\chi \left(\begin{pmatrix} 1/\bar{y} & & \\ & \bar{y}/y & \\ & & y \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -\frac{x\bar{y}}{y} & \bar{y} \\ & 1 & -\frac{\bar{x}y}{y} \\ & & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\bar{y}} & & \\ & 1 & \\ & & \frac{x}{y} & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right) dx dy_2 \\ &= \int_{\nu(\frac{1}{\bar{y}}), \nu(\frac{x}{y}) \geq f} \chi \delta^{1/2} \left(\frac{1}{\bar{y}} \right) \cdot \phi_{-2f} \left(\frac{\bar{x}}{\bar{y}} \right) dx dy_2 \\ &= \int_{\nu(x), \nu(x\bar{x}(1-\tau y_2)) \geq f} \chi \delta^{1/2} \left(\frac{1}{2}x\bar{x}(1-y_2\tau) \right) \phi_{-2f}(x) \cdot |1-y_2\tau|_{E_{\mathfrak{P}}}^{-2} \cdot |x|_{E_{\mathfrak{P}}}^{-2} \frac{dx}{|x|_{E_{\mathfrak{P}}}} dy_2 \\ &= \chi^{-1}(2) \sum_{i=f}^{\infty} \int_{\nu(x)=i} \chi(x\bar{x}) \phi_{-2f}(x) \cdot |x|^2 \cdot |x|^{-2} \\ &\quad \frac{dx}{|x|_{E_{\mathfrak{P}}}} \int_{\nu(\tau y_2) \geq f-2i} \chi \delta^{1/2}(1-y_2\tau) \cdot |1-y_2\tau|^{-2} dy_2 \\ &= \chi^{-1}(2) \sum_{i=f}^{\infty} \int_{\nu(x)=i} \chi(x\bar{x}) \phi_{-2f}(x) \frac{dx}{|x|_{E_{\mathfrak{P}}}} \int_{\nu(\tau y_2) \geq f-2i} \chi(1-y_2\tau) \cdot |1-y_2\tau|^{-1} dy_2 \\ &= \chi^{-1}(2) \sum_{i=f}^{\infty} \int_{\nu(x)=i} \chi(x\bar{x}) \phi_{-2f}(x) \frac{dx}{|x|_{E_{\mathfrak{P}}}} \left[\int_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \chi(1-y_2\tau) \cdot |1-y_2\tau|^{-1} dy_2 \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \underbrace{\int_{\nu(\tau y_2) < f-2i} \chi(1-y_2\tau) \cdot |1-y_2\tau|_{E_{\mathfrak{P}}}^{-1} dy_2}_{=: A_i} \right] \\ &= \chi^{-1}(2) \chi(\pi^{2f} \cdot \bar{\pi}^{-2f}) \sum_{i=f}^{\infty} \int_{\nu(x)=i-2f} \chi(x\bar{x}) \phi(x) \frac{dx}{|x|_{E_{\mathfrak{P}}}} \\ &\quad \left[\chi(-2) \cdot d_{\mathfrak{P}}^{-(s-\frac{1}{2})} \cdot \frac{L_{E_{\mathfrak{P}}}(\chi)}{L_{E_{\mathfrak{P}}}(\hat{\chi})} \cdot \frac{L_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(\widehat{\chi|_{\mathbb{Q}_p}})}{L_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(\chi|_{\mathbb{Q}_p})} - A_i \right] \\ &= \underbrace{\chi(-1) \cdot |\pi|^{4fs} \cdot d_{E_{\mathfrak{P}}}^{-2(s-\frac{1}{2})}}_C \cdot \frac{L_{E_{\mathfrak{P}}}(\chi \circ N_{E_{\mathfrak{P}}/\mathbb{Q}_p})}{L_{E_{\mathfrak{P}}}(\hat{\chi} \circ N_{E_{\mathfrak{P}}/\mathbb{Q}_p})} \cdot \frac{L_{E_{\mathfrak{P}}}(\chi)}{L_{E_{\mathfrak{P}}}(\hat{\chi})} \cdot \frac{L_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(\widehat{\chi|_{\mathbb{Q}_p}})}{L_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(\chi|_{\mathbb{Q}_p})} \end{aligned}$$

$$- \chi^{-1}(2) \cdot \underbrace{\sum_{i=f}^{\infty} A_i \cdot \int_{\nu(x)=i} \chi(x\bar{x}) \cdot \phi_{-2f}(x) \frac{dx}{|x|_{E_{\mathfrak{p}}}}}_{=:A}$$

which is our claim if we can show that $A = 0$.

If $\nu(\tau y_2) < -f$ we have $\chi(1 - \tau y_2) = \chi(-\tau y_2(1 - \frac{1}{\tau y_2})) = \chi(-\tau y_2)$ and $|1 - \tau y_2| = |-\tau y_2(1 - \frac{1}{\tau y_2})| = |\tau y_2|$. So using the substitution $y_2 \mapsto \tilde{y}_2 = x\bar{x}y_2$ we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \sum_{i=f}^{\infty} \int_{\nu(\tau y_2) < f-2i} \chi(1 - y_2\tau) \cdot |1 - y_2\tau|_{E_{\mathfrak{p}}}^{-1} dy_2 \cdot \int_{\nu(x)=i} \chi(x\bar{x}) \cdot \phi_{-2f}(x) \frac{dx}{|x|_{E_{\mathfrak{p}}}} \\ &= \sum_{i=f}^{\infty} \int_{\nu(\tau y_2) < f-2i, \nu(x)=i} \chi(-\tau y_2 x\bar{x}) \cdot |\tau y_2 \cdot x\bar{x}|_{E_{\mathfrak{p}}}^{-1} \cdot |x\bar{x}|_{E_{\mathfrak{p}}} \cdot \phi_{-2f}(x) \cdot |x\bar{x}|_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^{-1} \frac{dx}{|x|_{E_{\mathfrak{p}}}} d\tilde{y}_2 \\ &= \underbrace{\int_{\nu(\tau \tilde{y}_2) < f} \chi(-\tau \tilde{y}_2) \cdot |\tau \tilde{y}_2|_{E_{\mathfrak{p}}}^{-1} d\tilde{y}_2}_{=:D} \cdot \sum_{i=f}^{\infty} \int_{\nu(x)=i} \phi_{-2f}(x) dx \\ &= D \cdot \int_{\nu(x) \geq -f} \phi(x) dx = 0. \end{aligned}$$

This achieves our goal. □

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