

Degenerate Whittaker models for p -adic groups after C. Mœglin and J-L. Waldspurger ^{*}

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Abstract

In this note we present a detailed account for a work of Mœglin-Waldspurger on the dimension of the space of degenerate Whittaker vectors [MW]. We hope to extend this to the twisted case. This is in order to prove that certain twisted endoscopy for $GL(n)$ implies the (local) generic packet conjecture for many reductive groups.

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1 Degenerate Whittaker models

1.1 Some estimations

Let $F \supset \mathcal{O} \supset \mathfrak{p}_{\mathcal{F}} = (\varpi)$ be the usual notation for a non-archimedean local field of characteristic zero. Let p be the residual characteristic of F , and write $[F : \mathbb{Q}_p] = ef$ where e is the order of ramification and f is the modular degree. For $x \in \mathbb{Q}_p$, we have

$$\text{ord}_F(x) = -\log_{p^f} |x|_p^{ef} = e \cdot \text{ord}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(x).$$

On the other hand, if $a \in \mathbb{N}$ then

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ord}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(a!) &= \sum_{k=1}^{\lfloor \log_p a \rfloor} k \left(\left\lfloor \frac{a}{p^k} \right\rfloor - \left\lfloor \frac{a}{p^{k+1}} \right\rfloor \right) = \sum_{k=1}^{\lfloor \log_p a \rfloor} \left\lfloor \frac{a}{p^k} \right\rfloor \\ &\leq \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{a}{p^k} = \frac{a}{p-1}. \end{aligned}$$

These yield

$$\text{ord}_F(a!) \leq \frac{ae}{p-1}. \quad (1.1.1)$$

Let us consider a connected reductive F -group G . Let \mathfrak{g} be its Lie algebra. We fix a non-degenerate symmetric bilinear form $B(\cdot, \cdot)$ on $\mathfrak{g}(F)$. We need an F -group embedding $\iota : G \hookrightarrow GL(n)$. This gives a Lie F -algebra embedding $\iota : \mathfrak{g}(F) \hookrightarrow \mathfrak{gl}(n, F) = \mathbb{M}_n(F)$. Let Λ^ι be the \mathcal{O} -lattice $\iota^{-1}(\mathbb{M}_n(\mathcal{O}))$ of $\mathfrak{g}(F)$. Clearly we have $[\Lambda^\iota, \Lambda^\iota] \subset \Lambda^\iota$. Choose $A' \in \mathbb{N}$ such that $B(X, Y) \in \mathcal{O}$, for any $X, Y \in \varpi^{A'} \Lambda^\iota$, and set $\Lambda := \varpi^{A'} \Lambda^\iota$, $\tilde{\Lambda} := \varpi^{A'} \mathbb{M}_n(\mathcal{O})$. Λ is an \mathcal{O} -lattice in $\mathfrak{g}(F)$ satisfying

$$(i) \ B(\Lambda, \Lambda) \subset \mathcal{O}, \quad (ii) \ [\ast, \ast] \subset \ast, \quad (iii) \ \iota(\ast)\iota(\ast) \subset \tilde{\ast}.$$

We shall use the followings.

Lemma . (a) *There exists $A \in \mathbb{N}$ such that $\exp|_{\varpi^A \Lambda}$ is injective.*

(b) *For $c \in \mathbb{N}$ there exists $A_1 := \sup(A, \frac{3e}{p-1} + c + 2)$ such that*

$$\forall X \in \varpi^n \Lambda, \forall Y \in \varpi^m \Lambda, \text{ with } n, m \geq A_1 \quad (1.1.2)$$

$$\log(\exp X \exp Y) - (X + Y + \frac{1}{2}[X, Y]) \in \varpi^{n+m+c} \Lambda,$$

$$\forall X \in \varpi^n \Lambda \text{ with } n \geq A_1, \forall Y \in \varpi^m \Lambda \quad (1.1.3)$$

$$\text{Ad}(\exp X)Y - (Y + \text{ad}(X)Y) \in \varpi^{2n+m-\lfloor \frac{2e}{p-1} \rfloor} \Lambda.$$

The term $-\lfloor \frac{2e}{p-1} \rfloor$ is unnecessary if the residual characteristic of F is not 2.

Remark . In [MW, 1.1.3], it was stated that

$$\text{Ad}(\exp X)Y - (Y + \text{ad}(X)Y) \in \varpi^{n+m+c}\Lambda, \quad \forall X \in \varpi^n\Lambda, \forall Y \in \varpi^m\Lambda,$$

instead of (1.1.3). But this is insufficient.

Proof. (a) is well-known (cf. [H]).

To prove (1.1.2) we identify $X \in \mathfrak{g}(F)$ with $\iota(X) \in \mathbb{M}_n(F)$. By symmetricity, we may assume that $n \geq m \geq A_1$. We fix $k \in \mathbb{N}$ such that

$$(k+1)\left(m - \frac{e}{p-1}\right) \geq n + m + c + 1.$$

It follows from (1.1.1) that

$$\frac{X^a}{a!} \in \varpi^{na - [\frac{ae}{p-1}]} \tilde{\Lambda} \subseteq \varpi^{[(n - \frac{e}{p-1})a]} \tilde{\Lambda}.$$

In particular we have

$$\exp X \exp Y \in \left(1 + X + \frac{X^2}{2} + \varpi^{[3(n - \frac{e}{p-1})]} \tilde{\Lambda}\right) \left(\sum_{j=0}^k \frac{Y^j}{j!} + \varpi^{[(k+1)(m - \frac{e}{p-1})]} \tilde{\Lambda}\right).$$

$2n - m \geq n \geq A_1$ gives

$$\left[3\left(n - \frac{e}{p-1}\right)\right] > 3\left(n - \frac{e}{p-1}\right) - 1 > n + m + c,$$

and our choice of k implies

$$\left[(k+1)\left(m - \frac{e}{p-1}\right)\right] > (k+1)\left(m - \frac{e}{p-1}\right) - 1 \geq n + m + c.$$

Thus we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \exp X \exp Y &\in \left(1 + X + \frac{X^2}{2} + \varpi^{n+m+c} \tilde{\Lambda}\right) \left(1 + Y + \frac{Y^2}{2} + \cdots + \frac{Y^k}{k!} + \varpi^{n+m+c} \tilde{\Lambda}\right) \\ &= 1 + X + Y + \frac{X^2}{2} + XY + \frac{Y^2}{2} + \frac{X^2Y}{2} + \frac{XY^2}{2} + \frac{Y^3}{3!} + \cdots \\ &\quad + \frac{X^2Y^{k-2}}{2(k-2)!} + \frac{XY^{k-1}}{(k-1)!} + \frac{Y^k}{k!} + \varpi^{n+m+c} \tilde{\Lambda} \\ &= 1 + X + Y + \frac{X^2}{2} + XY + \frac{Y^2}{2} + \sum_{j=3}^k \frac{Y^j}{j!} + \varpi^{n+m+c} \tilde{\Lambda}. \end{aligned} \tag{*}$$

Note that if $j \geq 1$, $\ell \geq 2$, the choice of A_1 gives

$$\begin{aligned} \left[j\left(n - \frac{e}{p-1}\right)\right] + \left[\ell\left(m - \frac{e}{p-1}\right)\right] &> j\left(n - \frac{e}{p-1}\right) + \ell\left(m - \frac{e}{p-1}\right) - 2 \\ &\geq n - \frac{e}{p-1} + 2\left(m - \frac{e}{p-1}\right) - 2 = (n + m + c) + m - \left(\frac{3e}{p-1} + c + 2\right) \\ &\geq n + m + c. \end{aligned}$$

On the other hand, similar estimation gives

$$\begin{aligned}
& \exp(X + Y + \frac{1}{2}[X, Y]) \\
& \in 1 + X + Y + \frac{[X, Y]}{2} + \sum_{j=2}^k \frac{1}{j} \left(X + Y + \frac{[X, Y]}{2} \right)^j + \varpi^{n+m+c} \tilde{\Lambda} \\
& = 1 + X + Y + \frac{XY - YX}{2} + \frac{X^2 + XY + YX + Y^2}{2} + \sum_{j=3}^k \frac{Y^j}{j!} + \varpi^{n+m+c} \tilde{\Lambda}.
\end{aligned} \tag{**}$$

(*) and (**) imply

$$\exp X \exp Y \in \exp(X + Y + \frac{[X, Y]}{2} + \varpi^{n+m+c} \tilde{\Lambda}),$$

and the assertion follows.

For (1.1.3), we still identify X with $\iota(X)$. Note that $n \geq A_1$ implies

$$\left[3(n - \frac{e}{p-1}) \right] > 3n - \frac{3e}{p-1} - 1 \geq 2n + c + 1.$$

Thus we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Ad}(\exp X)Y & \in \left(Y + XY + \frac{X^2 Y}{2} + \varpi^{2n+m+c+1} \tilde{\Lambda} \right) \left(1 - X + \frac{X^2}{2} + \varpi^{2n+c+1} \tilde{\Lambda} \right) \\
& = Y + XY - YX + \frac{X^2 Y}{2} - XYX + \frac{YX^2}{2} + \varpi^{2n+m+c+1} \tilde{\Lambda} \\
& = Y + [X, Y] + \frac{X}{2}[X, Y] - [X, Y] \frac{X}{2} + \varpi^{2n+m+c+1} \tilde{\Lambda}.
\end{aligned}$$

Noting $X/2 \in \varpi^{n-\lceil \frac{2e}{p-1} \rceil} \tilde{\Lambda}$, $[X, Y] \in \varpi^{n+m} \tilde{\Lambda}$, we get (1.1.3). \square

1.2 The lattice Λ'

Let $N \in \Lambda$ be a nilpotent element. We write \mathfrak{g}^N and G^N for the centralizer of N in \mathfrak{g} and G , respectively.

Lemma . $X \in \mathfrak{g}^N(F)$ if and only if $B(N, [X, Y]) = 0$ for any $Y \in \mathfrak{g}(F)$.

Proof. We may assume that $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{gl}(n)$ and $B(X, Y) = \text{tr}(XY)$. Then the statement becomes that $XN = NX$ if and only if $\text{tr}(NXY) = \text{tr}(XNY)$ ($= \text{tr}(NYX)$) for any $Y \in \mathbb{M}_n(F)$. This is clear since the latter condition reads

$$B(NX, Y) = B(XN, Y), \quad \forall Y \in \mathfrak{gl}(n, F)$$

and B is non-degenerate. \square

Let ϕ be arbitrary element in $X_*(G)_F$ such that

$$\mathrm{Ad}(\phi(t))N = t^{-2}N, \quad \forall t \in \mathbb{G}_m.$$

We put $\mathfrak{g}_i := \{X \in \mathfrak{g} \mid \mathrm{Ad}(\phi(t))X = t^i X, \forall t \in \mathbb{G}_m\}$ so that

$$\mathfrak{g} = \bigoplus_{i \in \mathbb{Z}} \mathfrak{g}_i.$$

Since \mathfrak{g}^N is $\mathrm{Ad}(\phi(\mathbb{G}_m))$ -stable, we may choose $\mathfrak{m} \subset \mathfrak{g}$ such that

$$\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{g}^N \oplus \mathfrak{m}, \tag{1.2.1}$$

$$\mathfrak{m} \text{ is } \mathrm{Ad}(\phi)\text{-stable.} \tag{1.2.2}$$

We put $\mathfrak{m}_i = \mathfrak{m} \cap \mathfrak{g}_i$: $\mathfrak{m} = \bigoplus_{i \in \mathbb{Z}} \mathfrak{m}_i$.

Now it follows from the above lemma that

$$B_N : \mathfrak{g} \times \mathfrak{g} \ni (X_1, X_2) \longmapsto B(N, [X_1, X_2]) \in \mathbb{G}_a$$

is an alternating form and $B_N|_{\mathfrak{m}}$ is non-degenerate. Since the definition of ϕ implies

$$\begin{aligned} B_N(\mathrm{Ad}(\phi(s))X_1, \mathrm{Ad}(\phi(s))X_2) &= B(N, \mathrm{Ad}(\phi(s))[X_1, X_2]) \\ &= B(\mathrm{Ad}(\phi(s^{-1}))N, [X_1, X_2]) = B(s^2N, [X_1, X_2]) = s^2 B_N(X_1, X_2), \end{aligned}$$

the duality B_N is between \mathfrak{m}_i and \mathfrak{m}_{2-i} . Thus we can choose

- Basis $\{X_1, \dots, X_k\}$ of $\bigoplus_{i=0}^{-\infty} \mathfrak{m}_i$ and $\{X_1^*, \dots, X_k^*\}$ of $\bigoplus_{i=2}^{\infty} \mathfrak{m}_i$ dual to each other under B_N , and
- A Witt basis $\{Z_1, \dots, Z_\ell; Z_1^*, \dots, Z_\ell^*\}$ of \mathfrak{m}_1 for B_N ,

so that

$$B_N(X_i, X_i^*) = 1, \quad 1 \leq i \leq k, \quad B_N(Z_i, Z_i^*) = 1, \quad 1 \leq i \leq \ell.$$

We put

$$\mathfrak{m}^{\Lambda'} = \sum_{i=1}^k (\mathcal{O}\mathcal{X}_i + \mathcal{O}\mathcal{X}_i^*) + \sum_{i=\infty}^{\ell} (\mathcal{O}\mathcal{Z}_i + \mathcal{O}\mathcal{Z}_i^*)$$

and let

$$\Lambda' := \mathfrak{m}^{\Lambda'} + \sum_{i \in \mathbb{Z}} \Lambda \cap \mathfrak{g}_i^N(F), \quad \mathfrak{g}_i^N := \mathfrak{g}_i \cap \mathfrak{g}^N.$$

This is a lattice in $\mathfrak{g}(F)$, and we can take $d \in \mathbb{N}$ such that

$$\varpi^d \Lambda \subset \Lambda' \subset \varpi^{-d} \Lambda.$$

1.3 The subgroup \mathbf{K}_n

Lemma . Fix $C \geq d - 1$. For $D \geq \sup(A_1 + d, C + 3d)$, we have the followings.

- (1) $\exp|_{\varpi^D \Lambda'} : \varpi^D \Lambda' \rightarrow \exp(\varpi^D \Lambda')$ is a bijection. $\mathbf{K}_n := \exp(\varpi^n \Lambda')$ is a subgroup of $G(F)$ for $n \geq D$.
- (2) For $n, m \geq D$, $X \in \varpi^n \Lambda'$ and $Y \in \varpi^m \Lambda'$, we have

$$\log(\exp X \exp Y) - (X + Y + \frac{1}{2}[X, Y]) \in \varpi^{n+m+C} \Lambda.$$

- (3) For $n \geq D$, $m \in \mathbb{Z}$, $X \in \varpi^n \Lambda'$ and $Y \in \varpi^m \Lambda'$, we have

$$\text{Ad}(\exp X)Y - (Y + \text{ad}(X)Y) \in \varpi^{2n+m-3d-\lfloor \frac{2e}{p-1} \rfloor} \Lambda.$$

The term $-\lfloor \frac{2e}{p-1} \rfloor$ is not necessary if the residual characteristic of F is odd.

Proof. Putting $c = 2d + C$, we deduce (2), (3) and the first assertion of (1) from the lemma in 1.1. We shall check that $\exp(\varpi^n \Lambda')$ is a group. For $X, Y \in \varpi^n \Lambda'$ with $n \geq D$, we need to show that $\log(\exp X \exp Y) \in \varpi^n \Lambda'$. We have from (2) that

$$\log(\exp X \exp Y) = X + Y + \frac{1}{2}[X, Y] + Z, \quad \exists Z \in \varpi^{2n+C-d} \Lambda'.$$

Then the assertion follows from

$$\frac{1}{2}[X, Y] \in \varpi^{[2(n-d-\frac{e}{p-1})]} \Lambda \subset \varpi^{2(n-d-\frac{e}{p-1})-d-1} \Lambda',$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} 2 \left(n - d - \frac{e}{p-1} \right) - d - 1 &= n + n - 3d - \frac{2e}{p-1} - 1 \\ &\geq n + \frac{e}{p-1} + C + 1 - d > n. \end{aligned}$$

□

1.4 The unipotent subgroup attached to (N, ϕ)

We now put

$$\mathfrak{u} := \sum_{i>0} \mathfrak{g}_i, \quad \bar{\mathfrak{u}} := \sum_{i<0} \mathfrak{g}_i, \quad \bar{\mathfrak{p}} := \sum_{i \leq 0} \mathfrak{g}_i,$$

and set $U := \exp(\mathfrak{u})$ and $\bar{P} := \text{Stab}(\bar{\mathfrak{u}}, G)$. \bar{P} is a parabolic subgroup of G such that $\text{Lie} \bar{P} = \bar{\mathfrak{p}}$. For $n \geq D$, we set $\mathbf{K}'_n := \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-n})) \mathbf{K}_n$.

Lemma .

$$\mathbf{K}_n = (\mathbf{K}_n \cap \bar{P}(F))(\mathbf{K}_n \cap U(F)) = (\mathbf{K}_n \cap U(F))(\mathbf{K}_n \cap \bar{P}(F)).$$

Proof. Lemma.1.3 implies

$$\mathbf{K}_n \cap U(F) = \exp(\varpi^n \Lambda' \cap \mathfrak{u}(F)), \quad \mathbf{K}_n \cap \bar{P}(F) = \exp(\varpi^n \Lambda' \cap \bar{\mathfrak{p}}(F)).$$

Also the definition of Λ' gives $\Lambda' = \Lambda' \cap \bar{\mathfrak{p}}(F) \oplus \Lambda' \cap \mathfrak{u}(F)$.

Now let $g = \exp X \in \mathbf{K}_n$ ($X \in \varpi^n \Lambda'$). We can choose $Y_0 \in \varpi^n \Lambda' \cap \bar{\mathfrak{p}}(F)$ and $Z_0 \in \varpi^n \Lambda' \cap \mathfrak{u}(F)$ such that $X = Y_0 + Z_0$. If we set $y_0 := \exp Y_0$ and $z_0 := \exp Z_0$, then Lemma.1.3 (2) asserts that $g_1 := y_0^{-1} g z_0^{-1} \in \mathbf{K}_{n+1}$. Thus we can take $X_1 \in \varpi^{n+1} \Lambda'$ such that $g_1 = \exp X_1$. Take $Y_1 \in \varpi^{n+1} \Lambda' \cap \bar{\mathfrak{p}}(F)$ and $Z_1 \in \varpi^{n+1} \Lambda' \cap \mathfrak{u}(F)$ satisfying $X_1 = Y_1 + Z_1$. Again Lemma.1.3 (2) gives

$$g_1 := y_1^{-1} g_1 z_1^{-1} \in \mathbf{K}_{n+2}, \quad y_1 := \exp(Y_1), \quad z_1 := \exp(Z_1).$$

By repeating this process, we can take $\{y_m \in \mathbf{K}_{n+m} \cap \bar{P}(F)\}_{m \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{z_m \in \mathbf{K}_{n+m} \cap U(F)\}_{m \in \mathbb{N}}$ such that

$$g_{n+m} := (y_0 \cdots y_m)^{-1} g (z_m \cdots z_0)^{-1} \in \mathbf{K}_{n+m}, \quad \forall m \in \mathbb{N}.$$

We may choose subsequences of $\{(y_0 \cdots y_m)\}_{m \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{(z_m \cdots z_0)\}_{m \in \mathbb{N}}$ which are convergent. We write the limit of these sequences as y and z , respectively. Then

$$y^{-1} g z^{-1} \in \bigcap_{m \geq 0} \mathbf{K}_{n+m} = \{1\},$$

and hence $g = yz$ with $y \in \mathbf{K}_n \cap \bar{P}(F)$, $z \in \mathbf{K}_n \cap U(F)$. □

1.5 Remark

(1) Put

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{\mathbf{Q}}_n &:= \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-n}))(\mathbf{K}_n \cap \bar{P}(F)), \quad n \geq D \\ \mathbf{V}_n &:= \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-n})) \exp(\varpi^n \Lambda' \cap U(F)), \quad n \geq 0. \end{aligned}$$

Then we have

$$\mathbf{K}'_n = \bar{\mathbf{Q}}_n \mathbf{V}_n. \tag{1.5.1}$$

Consider the two groups on the right hand side.

It follows from the definition that

$$\begin{aligned} \varpi^n \Lambda' \cap \bar{\mathfrak{p}}(F) &= \varpi^n \mathfrak{m}^{\Lambda'} \cap \bar{\mathfrak{p}}(F) + \sum_{i \leq 0} \varpi^n \Lambda \cap \mathfrak{g}_i^N(F) \\ &= \varpi^n \left(\sum_{j=1}^k \mathcal{O}\mathcal{X}_j + \sum_{\rangle \leq l} * \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(\mathcal{F}) \right). \end{aligned}$$

Thus $\{\bar{\mathbf{Q}}_n\}_{n \geq D}$ is a system of fundamental neighborhoods of 1 in $\bar{P}(F)$.

Next comes \mathbf{V}_n . $\exp X$ belongs to \mathbf{V}_n if and only if X lies in

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-n}))(\varpi^n \Lambda' \cap \mathfrak{u}(F)) \\ &= \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-n}))\varpi^n \left(\sum_{j=1}^k \mathcal{O}\mathcal{X}_j^* + \sum_{|\infty}^{\ell} (\mathcal{O}\mathcal{Z}_j + \mathcal{O}\mathcal{Z}_j^*) + \sum_{\geq \infty} * \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(\mathcal{F}) \right) \end{aligned}$$

which clearly contains

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{j=1}^k \varpi^{-n} \mathcal{O}\mathcal{X}_j^* + \sum_{|\infty}^{\ell} (\mathcal{O}\mathcal{Z}_j + \mathcal{O}\mathcal{Z}_j^*) + * \cap \mathfrak{g}_{\infty}^N(\mathcal{F}) + \sum_{\geq \infty} \varpi^{-\setminus} * \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(\mathcal{F}) \\ &= \varpi^{-n} \left(\sum_{j=1}^k \mathcal{O}\mathcal{X}_j^* + \sum_{\geq \infty} * \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(\mathcal{F}) \right) + \Lambda \cap \mathfrak{g}_1^N(F) + \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} (\mathcal{O}\mathcal{Z}_j + \mathcal{O}\mathcal{Z}_j^*). \end{aligned}$$

Thus \mathbf{V}_n becomes bigger and bigger as n increases. Since

$$\sum_{j=1}^{\ell} (\mathcal{O}\mathcal{Z}_j + \mathcal{O}\mathcal{Z}_j^*) + * \cap \mathfrak{g}_{\infty}^N(\mathcal{F}) = *' \cap \mathfrak{g}_{\infty}(\mathcal{F}),$$

we have

$$\bigcup_{n \geq 0} \mathbf{V}_n = \exp(\Lambda' \cap \mathfrak{g}_1(F)) \cdot U^2(F). \quad (1.5.2)$$

with $U^2(F) := \exp(\sum_{i \geq 2} \mathfrak{g}_i(F))$.

(2) It follows from Lemma.1.3 (3) that $\mathbf{K}_m \triangleleft \mathbf{K}_n$ if $m \geq n \geq D$.

1.6 The character χ_n

We fix a non-trivial character ψ of F of order zero.

Lemma . Suppose that $n \geq D$ and the residual characteristic of F is not 2.

(1) $\chi_n : \mathbf{K}_n \ni \exp X \mapsto \psi(B(\varpi^{-2n}N, X)) \in \mathbb{C}^1$ is a character.

(2) Let $n \geq m \geq D$. Then $\text{Stab}(\chi_n, \mathbf{K}_m)$ is contained in $\mathbf{K}_n \exp(\varpi^m \Lambda \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(F))$.

Proof. (1) If we write $X, X' \in \varpi^n \Lambda'$ in the form

$$\begin{aligned} X &= \sum_{j=1}^k \varpi^n (x_j^* X_j^* + x_j X_j) + \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} \varpi^n (z_j Z_j + z_j^* Z_j^*) + \varpi^n Z, \\ X' &= \sum_{j=1}^k \varpi^n (x_j'^* X_j^* + x_j' X_j) + \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} \varpi^n (z_j' Z_j + z_j'^* Z_j^*) + \varpi^n Z', \end{aligned}$$

with $x_j, x_j^*, z_j, z_j^*, x_j', x_j'^*, z_j', z_j'^* \in \mathcal{O}$ and $Z, Z' \in \Lambda \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(F)$, then we have

$$B_N(X, X') = \varpi^{2n} \left(\sum_{j=1}^k (x_j x_j'^* - x_j^* x_j') + \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} (z_j z_j'^* - z_j^* z_j') \right) \in \mathfrak{p}_F^{2n}.$$

That is, $\psi(B(\varpi^{-2n}N, [X, X'])) = 1$ for $X, X' \in \varpi^n \Lambda'$. Now for $X, Y \in \varpi^n \Lambda'$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}\chi_n(\exp X \exp Y) &\stackrel{1.3(2)}{=} \psi \circ B(\varpi^{-2n}N, X + Y + \frac{1}{2}[X, Y] + \varpi^{2n+C}\Lambda) \\ &= \psi \circ B(\varpi^{-2n}N, X + Y) \psi \circ B(N, \varpi^C\Lambda).\end{aligned}$$

The assertion follows from $B(N, \Lambda) \in \mathcal{O}$.

(2) Suppose that $\exp X_0 \in \text{Stab}(\chi_n, \mathbf{K}_m)$, ($X_0 \in \varpi^m \Lambda'$). We can write $X_0 = Y_0 + Z_0$, $Y_0 \in \varpi^m \mathbf{m}^{\Lambda'}$, $Z_0 \in \varpi^m \Lambda \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(F)$. We have

$$\begin{aligned}\chi_n(\text{Ad}(\exp(-Z_0)) \exp X) &= \psi \circ B(\varpi^{-2n}N, \text{Ad}(\exp(-Z_0))X) \\ &= \psi \circ B(\varpi^{-2n} \text{Ad}(\exp Z_0)N, X) = \psi \circ B(\varpi^{-2n}N, X) \\ &= \chi_n(\exp X)\end{aligned}$$

Thus we can replace $\exp X_0$ by $\exp X_0 \exp(-Z_0)$. It follows from 1.3 (2) that

$$\begin{aligned}\exp X_0 \exp(-Z_0) &= \exp(Y_0 + \frac{[Y_0, -Z_0]}{2} + Z), \quad \exists Z \in \varpi^{2m+C}\Lambda \\ &\in \exp(Y_0 + \varpi^{2m-3d}\Lambda').\end{aligned}$$

$m \geq C + 3d$ assures that $2m - 3d > m + C$. Thus if we set $X_1 := \log(\exp X_0 \exp(-Z_0))$, it can be written as $X_1 = Y_1 + Z_1$ with $Y_1 \in \varpi^m \mathbf{m}^{\Lambda'}$ and $Z_1 \in \varpi^{m+C}\Lambda \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(F)$. Again we can replace $\exp X_1$ by

$$\begin{aligned}\exp X_1 \exp(-Z_1) &= \exp(Y_1 + \frac{[Y_1, -Z_1]}{2} + Z'), \quad \exists Z' \in \varpi^{2m+2C}\Lambda \\ &\in \exp(Y_1 + \varpi^{2m+C-3d}\Lambda').\end{aligned}$$

We have $X_2 := \log(\exp X_1 \exp(-Z_1)) = Y_2 + Z_2$ with $Y_2 \in \varpi^m \mathbf{m}^{\Lambda'}$, $Z_2 \in \varpi^{m+2C}\Lambda \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(F)$. By repeating this process we obtain, for any $r \in \mathbb{N}$,

$$\begin{aligned}\exp X_0 &= \exp X_r \exp Z_{r-1} \cdots \exp Z_0, \\ X_r &= Y_r + Z_r, \quad Y_r \in \varpi^m \mathbf{m}^{\Lambda'}, \quad Z_r \in \varpi^{m+rC}\Lambda \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(F).\end{aligned}$$

Thus, if we take $Z \in \varpi^m \Lambda \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(F)$ such that $\exp Z$ is the limit of a convergent subsequence of $\{\exp Z_r \cdots \exp Z_0\}_{r \in \mathbb{N}}$, then $Y := \log(\exp X_0 \exp(-Z))$ is in $\varpi^m \mathbf{m}^{\Lambda'}$.

Now let $Y \in \varpi^m \mathbf{m}^{\Lambda'}$ be such that $\exp Y \in \text{Stab}(\chi_n, \mathbf{K}_m)$. Since 1.3 (3) gives

$$\chi_n(\text{Ad}(\exp Y) \exp X) = \psi(B(\varpi^{-2n}N, X + [Y, X] + Z_{X,Y})), \quad \exists Z_{X,Y} \in \varpi^{2m+n-3d}\Lambda,$$

this is equivalent to

$$B_N(Y, X) + B(N, Z_{X,Y}) \in \mathfrak{p}_F^{2n}, \quad \forall X \in \varpi^n \Lambda'. \quad (*)$$

If $2m - 3d < n$, this forces us to have $B_N(Y, X) \in -B(N, Z_{X,Y}) + \varpi^{2n}\mathcal{O} \subset \mathfrak{p}_F^{\infty + \lfloor -\exists \rfloor}$. $\mathbf{m}^{\Lambda'}$ is self-dual with respect to B_N and this implies that $Y \in \varpi^{2m-3d}\mathbf{m}^{\Lambda'}$. By repeating this argument, one may assume that $Y \in \varpi^k \mathbf{m}^{\Lambda'}$ with $2k - 3d \geq n$. Then $B(N, Z_{X,Y}) \in B(N, \varpi^{2n}\Lambda) \subset \varpi^{2n}\mathcal{O}$. Thus (*) becomes

$$B_N(Y, X) \in \mathfrak{p}_F^{2n}, \quad \forall X \in \varpi^n \Lambda'.$$

Now the self-duality of $\mathbf{m}^{\Lambda'}$ gives $Y \in \varpi^n \Lambda'$. □

1.7 Degenerate Whittaker models

Let $N \in \mathfrak{g}(F)$ be a nilpotent element and take $\phi \in X_*(G)_F$ as above.

Put $V = \exp(\mathfrak{g}_1 \cap \mathfrak{g}^N)U^2$. We observe that

$$U(F) \supset V(F) \supset U^2(F). \quad (1.7.1)$$

(Clear because $U(F)/U^2(F)$ is abelian.) We define

$$\chi : V(F) \ni \exp X \longmapsto \psi(B(N, X)) \in \mathbb{C}^1.$$

Then

$$\chi \text{ is a character stable under } U(F). \quad (1.7.2)$$

Proof. Since B is $\text{Ad}(\phi)$ -invariant, its restriction to $\mathfrak{g}_i(F) \times \mathfrak{g}_j(F)$ is identically zero unless $i + j = 0$. Writing $X = X_1 + X_{\geq 2}$, $X' = X'_1 + X'_{\geq 2} \in \text{Lie}V(F)$, $(X_1, X'_1 \in \mathfrak{g}_1^N(F)$, $X_{\geq 2}, X'_{\geq 2} \in \sum_{i \geq 2} \mathfrak{g}_i(F))$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \chi(\exp X \exp X') &= \psi\left(B(N, X + X' + \frac{[X_1, X'_1]}{2} + \sum_{j \geq 3} Y_j)\right), \exists Y_j \in \mathfrak{g}_j(F) \\ &\stackrel{N \in \mathfrak{g}_2^N(F)}{=} \chi(\exp X) \chi(\exp X') \psi\left(\frac{B_N(X_1, X'_1)}{2}\right) \\ &= \chi(\exp X) \chi(\exp X'). \end{aligned}$$

Thus χ is a character.

Next take $X = X_1 + X_{\geq 2} \in \text{Lie}V(F)$ as above and $Y = Y_1 + Y_{\geq 2} \in U(F)$, $(Y_1 \in \mathfrak{g}_1(F)$, $Y_{\geq 2} \in \text{Lie}U^2(F))$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} \chi(\text{Ad}(\exp Y) \exp X) &= \psi \circ B(N, \text{Ad}(\exp Y)X) = \psi \circ B(N, \text{Ad}(1 + Y + \frac{Y^2}{2} + \dots)X) \\ &= \psi \circ B(N, X + [Y, X] + Z), \quad \exists Z \in \sum_{i \geq 3} \mathfrak{g}_i(F) \\ &= \chi(\exp X) \psi(B_N(Y_1, X_1)) = \chi(\exp X), \end{aligned}$$

since $X_1 \in \mathfrak{g}^N(F)$. □

$N \in \mathfrak{g}_{-2}(F)$ gives

$$\chi|_{\exp(\mathfrak{g}_1^N(F))} = \mathbf{1}. \quad (1.7.3)$$

Now let (π, E) be an admissible representation of $G(F)$ [BZ]. We introduce the spaces [BZ]

$$\begin{aligned} E(V, \chi) &:= \text{Span}\{\pi(v)\xi - \chi(v)\xi \mid v \in V(F), \xi \in E\}, & E_{V, \chi} &:= E/E(V, \chi), \\ E(U^2, \chi) &:= \text{Span}\{\pi(u)\xi - \chi(u)\xi \mid u \in U^2(F), \xi \in E\}, & E_{U^2, \chi} &:= E/E(U^2, \chi). \end{aligned}$$

We set

$$\mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{N}} = \mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{N}, \phi} := \begin{cases} \mathcal{H}(\mathfrak{m}_{\infty}(\mathcal{F}), \psi \circ \mathcal{B}_{\mathcal{N}}) & \text{if } \mathfrak{m}_1 \neq \{0\}, \\ \mathbb{C}^1 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Here $\mathcal{H}(\mathfrak{m}_\infty(\mathcal{F}), \psi \circ \mathcal{B}_\mathcal{N})$ is the Heisenberg group $\mathfrak{m}_1(F) \times \mathbb{C}^1$ with the multiplication law:

$$(X, z)(Y, w) = (X + Y, zw\psi(B_N(X, Y))), \quad X, Y \in \mathfrak{m}_1(F), z, w \in \mathbb{C}^1.$$

Then the map

$$p_N : U(F) \ni \exp(X_1 + X_{\geq 2}) \longmapsto (X_1; \psi(B(N, X_{\geq 2}))) \in \mathcal{H}_\mathcal{N}$$

is a surjective homomorphism with the kernel $\ker \chi$. Write ρ_N for the Schrödinger representation of $\mathcal{H}(\mathfrak{m}_\infty(\mathcal{F}), \psi \circ \mathcal{B}_\mathcal{N})$ if $\mathfrak{m}_1 \neq 0$ and the identity representation of \mathbb{C}^1 otherwise. (1.7.2) assures that $U(F)$ acts on $E_{V, \chi}$ by $\rho_N \circ p_N$. We define the space of *degenerate Whittaker vectors with respect to (N, ϕ)* by

$$\mathcal{W}_{\mathcal{N}, \phi}(\pi) := \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{U}(\mathcal{F})}(\rho_N \circ \sqrt{\cdot}^\mathcal{N}, \mathcal{E}_{V, \chi}).$$

We write $\mathcal{N}(\mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{F}))$ for the set of nilpotent $\text{Ad}(G(F))$ -orbits in $\mathfrak{g}(F)$. Define $\mathcal{N}_{\text{Wh}}(\pi)$ for the subset of $\mathcal{N}(\mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{F}))$ consisting of those \mathfrak{D} with $\mathcal{W}_{\mathcal{N}, \phi}(\pi) \neq \{0\}$ for some $N \in \mathfrak{D}$ and ϕ .

From now on, we assume that N is in the lattice Λ . Set

$$\mathfrak{m}_1^{\Lambda'} := \mathfrak{m}_1(F) \cap \Lambda', \quad \mathbf{L} = \exp \mathfrak{m}_1^{\Lambda'}.$$

Since $\mathfrak{m}_1^{\Lambda'}$ is a self-dual lattice in $\mathcal{H}_\mathcal{N}/\mathbb{C}^\infty$, $\mathfrak{m}_1^{\Lambda'} \times \mathbb{C}^1$ is a maximal abelian subgroup in $\mathcal{H}_\mathcal{N}$. Hence it follows from the definition of ρ_N that

$$\mathcal{W}_{\mathcal{N}, \phi}(\pi) \simeq \mathcal{E}_{V, \chi}^{\mathbf{L}}. \quad (1.7.4)$$

1.8 Character expansion

Now suppose that π is irreducible. The following theorem is due to Howe in the case of $GL(n)$ and Harish-Chandra in general.

Theorem ([HC]). *There exists a neighborhood U_π of 1 in $G(F)$ and a finite set of complex numbers $\{c_\mathfrak{D}(\pi)\}_{\mathfrak{D} \in \mathcal{N}(\mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{F}))}$ such that*

$$\text{tr} \pi(f) = \sum_{\mathfrak{D} \in \mathcal{N}(\mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{F}))} c_\mathfrak{D}(\pi) \int_{\mathfrak{D}} f(\widehat{\exp X}) d_{\mu_\mathfrak{D}}(X), \quad \forall f \in C_c^\infty(U_\pi).$$

Here, $f(\widehat{\exp X})$ is the Fourier transform

$$\mathcal{F}_{\psi \circ \mathcal{B}}(\{\circ \exp\})(\mathcal{X}) := \int_{\mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{F})} \{(\exp \mathcal{Y})\psi(\mathcal{B}(\mathcal{X}, \mathcal{Y}))\} [\mathcal{Y}].$$

The constants $c_\mathfrak{D}(\pi)$ depend on the choice of various measures. We fix the relevant measures as follows. We fix the measure on $\mathfrak{g}(F)$ self-dual with respect to $\psi \circ B$. The measure on $G(F)$ is chosen so that the Jacobian of \exp has absolute value one near 0. For each $\mathfrak{D} \in \mathcal{N}(\mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{F}))$ and $N \in \mathfrak{D}$, the tangent space of \mathfrak{D} at N is

$$T_N \mathfrak{D} \simeq \text{Span}\{\text{ad}(X)N \mid X \in \mathfrak{g}(F)\} \simeq \mathfrak{g}(F)/\mathfrak{g}^N(F) \simeq \mathfrak{m}(F).$$

On this we fix a measure self-dual with respect to $\psi \circ B_N$. This determines the invariant measure $\mu_\mathfrak{D}$ on \mathfrak{D} .

We write $\mathcal{N}_\mathcal{B}(\pi)$ for the set of nilpotent orbits $\mathfrak{D} \in \mathcal{N}(\mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{F}))$ such that $c_\mathfrak{D}(\pi) \neq 0$.

1.9 System of isotypic spaces

From now on, we suppose that the residual characteristic of F is not 2. For $n \geq D$, we introduce

$$\chi'_n : \mathbf{K}'_n \xrightarrow{\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^n))} \mathbf{K}_n \xrightarrow{\chi_n} \mathbb{C}^1$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} E[\chi_n] &:= \{\xi \in E \mid \pi(k)\xi = \chi_n(k)\xi \forall k \in \mathbf{K}_n\} \\ E[\chi'_n] &:= \{\xi \in E \mid \pi(k)\xi = \chi'_n(k)\xi \forall k \in \mathbf{K}'_n\}. \end{aligned}$$

Of course we have $E[\chi'_n] = \pi(\phi(\varpi^{-n}))E[\chi_n]$. We also define for $m, n \geq D$

$$\begin{aligned} I_{n,m} : E[\chi_n] \ni \xi &\mapsto \frac{1}{\text{meas}\mathbf{K}_m} \int_{\mathbf{K}_m} \overline{\chi_m(k)} \pi(k\phi(\varpi^{m-n}))\xi \, dk \in E[\chi_m], \\ I'_{n,m} : E[\chi'_n] \ni \xi &\mapsto \frac{1}{\text{meas}\mathbf{K}'_m} \int_{\mathbf{K}'_m} \overline{\chi'_m(k)} \pi(k)\xi \, dk \in E[\chi'_m], \\ I_n : E \ni \xi &\mapsto \frac{1}{\text{meas}\mathbf{K}_n} \int_{\mathbf{K}_n} \overline{\chi_n(k)} \pi(k)\xi \, dk \in E[\chi_n], \\ I'_n : E \ni \xi &\mapsto \frac{1}{\text{meas}\mathbf{K}'_n} \int_{\mathbf{K}'_n} \overline{\chi'_n(k)} \pi(k)\xi \, dk \in E[\chi'_n]. \end{aligned}$$

The following diagram obviously commutes:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} E[\chi_n] & \xrightarrow{I_{n,m}} & E[\chi_m] \\ \pi(\phi(\varpi^{-n})) \downarrow & & \downarrow \pi(\phi(\varpi^{-m})) \\ E[\chi'_n] & \xrightarrow{I'_{n,m}} & E[\chi'_m] \end{array} \quad (1.9.1)$$

Also we remark that

$$\begin{aligned} \chi'_n|_{\overline{\mathbf{Q}}_n} &= \mathbf{1}, \quad \chi_n|_{\overline{P(F)} \cap \mathbf{K}_n} = \mathbf{1}, \\ \chi'_n|_{\mathbf{L}} &= \mathbf{1} \quad (\text{note that } \mathbf{L} \subset \mathbf{V}_n, \forall n) \\ \chi'_n|_{V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_n} &= \chi|_{V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_n}. \end{aligned} \quad (1.9.2)$$

These are clear from above.

Now we have for $m > n$, $\xi \in E[\chi'_n]$

$$\begin{aligned} I'_{n,m}(\xi) &= \frac{1}{\text{meas}\mathbf{K}'_m} \int_{\mathbf{K}'_m} \overline{\chi'_m(k)} \pi(k)\xi \, dk = \frac{1}{\text{meas}\mathbf{K}'_m} \int_{\overline{\mathbf{Q}}_m \mathbf{V}_m} \overline{\chi'_m(k)} \pi(k)\xi \, dk \\ &= \frac{1}{\text{meas}\mathbf{V}_m} \int_{\mathbf{V}_m} \overline{\chi'_m(k)} \left(\frac{1}{\text{meas}\overline{\mathbf{Q}}_m} \int_{\overline{\mathbf{Q}}_m} \overline{\chi'_m(k')} \pi(kk')\xi \, dk' \right) dk \end{aligned}$$

since $\overline{\chi'_m(k')} = 1$ by (1.9.2) and $\xi \in E[\chi'_n]$ is invariant under $\overline{\mathbf{Q}}_m \subset \overline{\mathbf{Q}}_n$,

$$= \frac{1}{\text{meas}\mathbf{V}_m} \int_{\mathbf{V}_m} \overline{\chi'_m(k)} \pi(k)\xi \, dk.$$

Noting

$$\mathbf{V}_m = \mathbf{K}'_m \cap U(F), \quad V = \exp(\mathfrak{g}_1^N) \cdot U^2, \quad \mathbf{V}_m = (V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m) \rtimes \mathbf{L}, \quad (1.9.3)$$

we see that the above becomes

$$\begin{aligned} I'_{n,m}(\xi) &= \frac{1}{\text{meas} \mathbf{V}_m} \int_{V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m} \int_{\mathbf{L}} \overline{\chi'_m(k\ell)} \pi(k\ell) \xi \, dk \, d\ell \\ &\stackrel{(1.9.2)}{=} \frac{1}{\text{meas} \mathbf{V}_m} \int_{V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m} \int_{\mathbf{L}} \overline{\chi'_m(k)} \pi(k) \xi \, dk \, d\ell \quad (\xi \in E[\chi'_n]) \\ &= \frac{1}{\text{meas}(V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m)} \int_{V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m} \overline{\chi'_m(k)} \pi(k) \xi \, dk \\ &\stackrel{(1.9.2)}{=} \frac{1}{\text{meas}(V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m)} \int_{V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m} \overline{\chi(k)} \pi(k) \xi \, dk, \quad \forall \xi \in E[\chi'_n]. \end{aligned} \quad (1.9.4)$$

Since $V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m$ grows larger as m increases, we see that $\ker I'_{n,m} \subset \ker I'_{n,\ell}$ if $m \leq \ell$. We put

$$E'_{n,\chi} := \bigcup_{m > n} \ker I'_{n,m}.$$

Then it follows from (1.9.4) and [BZ, 2.33] that $E'_{n,\chi} \subset E(V, \chi)$ and the map

$$j : E/E'_{n,\chi} \longrightarrow E_{V,\chi} \quad (1.9.5)$$

is well-defined.

1.10

Lemma . *If $\mathcal{W}_{\mathcal{N},\phi}(\pi) \neq \iota$, then $E[\chi_n]$ and $E[\chi'_n]$ are non-zero for sufficiently large n .*

Proof. Since $(\mathcal{W}_{\mathcal{N},\phi}(\pi) \simeq \mathcal{E}_{V,\chi}^{\mathbf{L}}) \neq \iota$, we can choose $\xi \in E$ whose image in $E_{V,\chi}$ is non-zero and belongs to $E_{V,\chi}^{\mathbf{L}}$. Take $M \in \mathbb{N}$ such that

- $M \geq D$, and
- ξ is $\overline{\mathbf{Q}}_M$ -invariant.

Then we have for $m \geq M$,

$$\begin{aligned} I'_m(\xi) &= \frac{1}{\text{meas} \mathbf{K}'_m} \int_{\mathbf{K}'_m} \overline{\chi'_m(k)} \pi(k) \xi \, dk \stackrel{(1.9.2)}{=} \frac{1}{\text{meas} \mathbf{K}'_m} \int_{\mathbf{V}_m} \int_{\overline{\mathbf{Q}}_m} \overline{\chi'_m(v)} \pi(vq) \, dq \, dv \\ &= \frac{1}{\text{meas} \mathbf{K}'_m} \int_{\mathbf{V}_m} \overline{\chi'_m(v)} \pi(v) \left(\int_{\overline{\mathbf{Q}}_m} \pi(q) \xi \, dq \right) \, dv \\ &\stackrel{m \geq M}{=} \frac{1}{\text{meas} \mathbf{V}_m} \int_{\mathbf{V}_m} \overline{\chi'_m(v)} \pi(v) \xi \, dv \\ &\stackrel{(1.9.3)}{=} \frac{1}{\text{meas} \mathbf{V}_m} \int_{\mathbf{L}} \int_{V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m} \overline{\chi'_m(k)} \pi(k\ell) \xi \, dk \, d\ell \\ &\stackrel{(1.9.2)}{=} \frac{1}{\text{meas} \mathbf{V}_m} \int_{\mathbf{L}} \pi(\ell) \left(\int_{V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m} \overline{\chi(k)} \pi(k) \xi \, dk \right) \, d\ell. \end{aligned} \quad (\dagger)$$

Our choice of ξ assures that $\pi(\ell)\xi - \xi$ belongs to $E(V, \chi) \subset E(U^2, \chi)$ for any $\ell \in \mathbf{L}$. By [BZ, 2.33], we can take M sufficiently large so that

$$\int_{U^2(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m} \overline{\chi(k)} \pi(k) (\pi(\ell)\xi - \xi) dk = 0, \quad \forall m \geq M, \forall \ell \in \mathbf{L},$$

since $U^2(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m$ exhausts $U^2(F)$ as m increases and $\text{Span}\{\pi(\ell)\xi \mid \ell \in \mathbf{L}\}$ is finite dimensional. This gives

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m} \overline{\chi(k)} \pi(k) (\pi(\ell)\xi - \xi) dk \\ &= \int_{\Lambda \cap \mathfrak{g}_1^N(F)} \int_{U^2(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m} \overline{\chi(\exp X \cdot k)} \pi(\exp X \cdot k) (\pi(\ell)\xi - \xi) dk dX \\ &= \int_{\Lambda \cap \mathfrak{g}_1^N(F)} \pi(\exp X) \int_{U^2(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m} \overline{\chi(k)} \pi(k) (\pi(\ell)\xi - \xi) dk dX = 0 \end{aligned}$$

for any $m \geq M$ and $\ell \in \mathbf{L}$. Since \mathbf{L} normalizes $V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m$, this is equivalent to saying that the inner integral on the right hand side of (\dagger) is $\pi(\mathbf{L})$ -invariant. We conclude

$$I'_m(\xi) = \frac{1}{\text{meas}(V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m)} \int_{V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m} \overline{\chi(k)} \pi(k) \xi dk.$$

Since $\xi \notin E(V, \chi)$, [BZ, 2.33] implies

$$0 \neq \int_{V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m} \overline{\chi(k)} \pi(k) \xi dk = \text{meas}(V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m) I'_m(\xi).$$

Thus $I'_m(\xi) \in E[\chi'_n]$ cannot be zero. □

1.11

Proposition . *If $\mathcal{W}_{\mathcal{N}, \phi}(\pi) \neq \iota$, then there exists $\mathfrak{D} \in \mathcal{N}_{\mathcal{B}}(\pi)$ (cf. 1.8) such that $N \in \overline{\mathfrak{D}}$ (the closure in the usual p -adic topology).*

Proof. By Lemma 1.10 we may suppose that $E[\chi_n] \neq 0$, for sufficiently large n . Put

$$\varphi_n(x) := \begin{cases} \chi_n(x)^{-1} & \text{if } x \in \mathbf{K}_n, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Then the theory of elementary idempotents implies

$$\dim E[\chi_n] = \frac{1}{\text{meas} \mathbf{K}_n} \text{tr} \pi(\varphi_n).$$

We shall apply 1.8 to this. We note

$$\begin{aligned}
\widehat{\varphi_n \circ \exp}(X) &= \int_{\mathfrak{g}(F)} \varphi_n(\exp Y) \psi(B(X, Y)) dY \\
&= \int_{\varpi^n \Lambda'} \chi_n(\exp(-Y)) \psi(B(X, Y)) dY \\
&= \int_{\varpi^n \Lambda'} \psi(B(\varpi^{-2n} N, -Y) + B(X, Y)) dY \\
&= \int_{\varpi^n \Lambda'} \psi(B(X - \varpi^{-2n} N, Y)) dY \\
&= \begin{cases} \text{meas}(\varpi^n \Lambda') & \text{if } X \in \varpi^{-2n} N + (\varpi^n \Lambda')^*, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

Here $(\varpi^n \Lambda')^*$ denotes the dual lattice of $\varpi^n \Lambda'$. Then Theorem 1.8 gives

$$\sum_{\mathfrak{D} \in \mathcal{N}_{\mathcal{B}}(\pi)} c_{\mathfrak{D}}(\pi) \int_{\mathfrak{D}} \widehat{\varphi_n \circ \exp}(X) d\mu_{\mathfrak{D}}(X) = \text{tr} \pi(\varphi_n) = \text{meas} \mathbf{K}_n \dim E[\chi_n] \neq 0.$$

Thus there must be $\mathfrak{D} \in \mathcal{N}_{\mathcal{B}}(\pi)$ such that $\mathfrak{D} \cap \varpi^{-2n} N + (\varpi^n \Lambda')^*$ is non-empty. Or equivalently,

$$\mathfrak{D} \cap N + \varpi^{2n} (\varpi^n \Lambda')^* \neq \emptyset, \quad \forall n \gg 0$$

since \mathfrak{D} is invariant under multiplication by $(F^\times)^2$. But because $\{\varpi^{2n} (\varpi^n \Lambda')^* \mid n \in \mathbb{N}\}$ form a fundamental system of neighborhoods of 0 in $\mathfrak{g}(F)$, we deduce $N \in \overline{\mathfrak{D}}$. \square

1.12

We define a partial order $\mathfrak{D} \geq \mathfrak{D}'$ on $\mathcal{N}(\mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{F}))$ by $\overline{\mathfrak{D}} \supset \overline{\mathfrak{D}'}$. For each subset $S \subset \mathcal{N}(\mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{F}))$, we write S^{sup} for the set of maximal elements in S with respect to this partial order.

Lemma . *Suppose $N \in \mathfrak{D} \in \mathcal{N}_{\mathcal{B}}(\pi)^{\text{sup}}$. Then $\dim E[\chi_n] = c_{\mathfrak{D}}(\pi)$ for sufficiently large n .*

Proof. As in the proof of Prop.1.11, we have

$$\dim E[\chi_n] = \frac{1}{\text{meas} \mathbf{K}_n} \text{tr} \pi(\varphi_n) = \sum_{\mathfrak{D}' \in \mathcal{N}_{\mathcal{B}}(\pi)} c_{\mathfrak{D}'}(\pi) \int_{\mathfrak{D}' \cap (\varpi^{-2n} N + (\varpi^n \Lambda')^*)} d\mu_{\mathfrak{D}'}(X). \quad (\dagger)$$

The last integral does not vanish only if $N \in \overline{\mathfrak{D}'}$. If $N \in \overline{\mathfrak{D}'}$ then $\overline{\mathfrak{D}'} \cap \mathfrak{D} \neq \emptyset$ and the maximality of \mathfrak{D} implies $\mathfrak{D}' = \mathfrak{D}$. Thus (\dagger) becomes

$$\dim E[\chi_n] = c_{\mathfrak{D}}(\pi) \mu_{\mathfrak{D}}(\mathfrak{D} \cap (\varpi^{-2n} N + (\varpi^n \Lambda')^*)).$$

Let us calculate $\mu_{\mathfrak{D}}(\mathfrak{X}_n)$ for sufficiently large n , where $\mathfrak{X}_n = \mathfrak{D} \cap (\varpi^{-2n} N + (\varpi^n \Lambda')^*)$. The map $G(F)/G^N(F) \ni g \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{Ad}(g)N \in \mathfrak{D}$ gives

$$G(F)\phi(\varpi^n)/G^N(F) \ni g\phi(\varpi^n) \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{Ad}(g)\varpi^{-2n} N \in \mathfrak{D}.$$

Since $\text{Ad}(g)\varpi^{-2n}N \in \varpi^{-2n}N + (\varpi^n\Lambda')^*$ if and only if

$$\text{Ad}(g)N - N \in \varpi^{2n}(\varpi^n\Lambda')^* = \varpi^n\Lambda'^*,$$

we have

$$\mathfrak{X}_n = \{\text{Ad}(g\phi(\varpi^n))N \mid g \in G(F)/G^N(F), \text{Ad}(g)N - N \in \varpi^n\Lambda'^*\}.$$

Next we note that $\{\varpi^n\Lambda'^*\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ is a system of fundamental neighborhoods of 0 in $\mathfrak{g}(F)$. It follows that

$$\{g \in G(F)/G^N(F) \mid \text{Ad}(g)N - N \in \varpi^n\Lambda'^*\}, \quad n \gg 0$$

form a system of fundamental neighborhoods of 1 in $G(F)/G^N(F)$. Thus noting the decomposition $\mathfrak{g}(F) = \mathfrak{g}^N(F) \oplus \mathfrak{m}(F)$, for any $a \geq D$, we can take $M \in \mathbb{N}$ such that

$$\mathfrak{X}_n \subset \text{Ad}(\exp(\varpi^a\mathfrak{m}^{\Lambda'}))\phi(\varpi^n)N, \quad \forall n \geq M.$$

We shall calculate \mathfrak{X}_n with $n \geq M$. Suppose $X \in \varpi^a\mathfrak{m}^{\Lambda'}$ satisfies $\text{Ad}(\exp(X)\phi(\varpi^n))N \in \mathfrak{X}_n$. Then $Z := \text{Ad}(\exp X)N - N \in \varpi^n\Lambda'^*$ and

$$\begin{aligned} \psi \circ B(\varpi^{-2n}\text{Ad}(\exp X)N, Y) &= \psi \circ B(\varpi^{-2n}(N + Z), Y) \\ &= \psi \circ B(\varpi^{-2n}N, Y)\psi \circ B(\varpi^{-2n}Z, Y) \\ &= \psi \circ B(\varpi^{-2n}N, Y), \quad \forall Y \in \varpi^n\Lambda'. \end{aligned}$$

In other words, $\exp X$ is in $\text{Stab}(\chi_n, \mathbf{K}_a) \subset \mathbf{K}_n \exp(\varpi^a\Lambda \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(F))$ (Lem.1.6 (2)). Thus we may write $\exp X = \exp Y \exp Z$ with $Y \in \varpi^n\Lambda'$, $Z \in \varpi^a\Lambda \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(F)$. But then it follows from (1.1.2) with $c = 2d + C$ that

$$X \in Y + Z + \frac{1}{2}[Y, Z] + \varpi^{n+a+C+d}\Lambda \cap \varpi^a\mathfrak{m}^{\Lambda'} \subset \varpi^n\mathfrak{m}^{\Lambda'}.$$

That is, $\mathfrak{X}_n \subset \{\text{Ad}(\exp X\phi(\varpi^n))N \mid X \in \varpi^n\mathfrak{m}^{\Lambda'}\}$. Conversely, if $X \in \varpi^n\mathfrak{m}^{\Lambda'}$, then (1.1.3) gives

$$\text{Ad}(\exp X)N - N \in [X, N] + \varpi^{2n-2d-\lceil \frac{2e}{p-1} \rceil}\Lambda.$$

Since $(\Lambda')^*$ is a fixed lattice of $\mathfrak{g}(F)$, we have $\varpi^{n-2d-\lceil \frac{2e}{p-1} \rceil}\Lambda \subset (\Lambda')^*$ for sufficiently large n . Moreover in each simple component of $\mathfrak{g}(F)$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} B(\varpi^{-n}[X, N], Y) &= \varpi^{-n}\text{tr}(XNY - NXY) = \varpi^{-n}\text{tr}(NYX - NXY) \\ &= \varpi^{-n}\text{tr}(N \cdot [Y, X]) = B(N, [Y, \varpi^{-n}X]) \\ &= B_N(Y, \varpi^{-n}X) \in B_N(\mathfrak{m}^{\Lambda'}, \mathfrak{m}^{\Lambda'}) \\ &\subset \mathcal{O}, \quad \forall Y \in \mathfrak{m}^{\Lambda'}. \end{aligned}$$

That is, $\varpi^{-n}[X, N] \in (\Lambda')^*$ and we obtain $\text{Ad}(\exp X)N - N \in \varpi^n(\Lambda')^*$. We conclude

$$\mathfrak{X}_n = \{\text{Ad}(\exp X\phi(\varpi^n))N \mid X \in \varpi^n\mathfrak{m}^{\Lambda'}\}. \quad (1.12.1)$$

We now have

$$\dim E[\chi_n] = c_{\mathfrak{D}}(\pi)\mu_{\mathfrak{D}}(\mathfrak{X}_n) = c_{\mathfrak{D}}(\pi)\text{meas}[\mathbf{K}_n\phi(\varpi^n)G^N(F)/G^N(F)]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= c_{\mathfrak{D}}(\pi) \text{meas}[(\mathbf{K}_n/\mathbf{K}_n \cap G^N(F))\phi(\varpi^n)] \\
&= c_{\mathfrak{D}}(\pi) \text{meas}[\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-n}))(\mathbf{K}_n/\mathbf{K}_n \cap G^N(F))] \\
&= c_{\mathfrak{D}}(\pi) |\det(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-n}))|_{\mathfrak{g}(F)/\mathfrak{g}^N(F)})| \text{meas}(\mathbf{K}_n/\mathbf{K}_n \cap G^N(F)).
\end{aligned}$$

Noting that $\dim \mathfrak{m} = \dim \mathfrak{m}_1 + \sum_{i \geq 2} 2 \dim \mathfrak{m}_i$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\det(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-n}))|_{\mathfrak{g}(F)/\mathfrak{g}^N(F)}) &= \det(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-n}))|_{\mathfrak{m}}) \\
&= \left| \varpi^{-n \dim \mathfrak{m}_1} \cdot \prod_{i \geq 2} \varpi^{-ni \dim \mathfrak{m}_i} \cdot \varpi^{-n(2-i) \dim \mathfrak{m}_i} \right| \\
&= |\varpi^{-n \dim \mathfrak{m}}|.
\end{aligned}$$

Also it follows from the choice of our measures in 1.8 that

$$\text{meas}(\mathbf{K}_n/\mathbf{K}_n \cap G^N(F)) = \text{meas}(\varpi^n \mathfrak{m}^{\Lambda'}) = |\varpi^n \dim \mathfrak{m}|.$$

We obtain $\dim E[\chi_n] = c_{\mathfrak{D}}(\pi)$. □

1.13

Lemma . *Let $N \in \mathfrak{D} \in \mathcal{N}_{\mathcal{B}}(\pi)^{\text{sup}}$ be as above. Take $b > D$ and $X \in \varpi^{[n/2]+b} \Lambda \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(F)$. Then*

- (i) $\exp X \in \text{Norm}(\mathbf{K}_n, G(F))$, $\exp X \in \text{Stab}(\chi_n, G(F))$.
- (ii) *In particular, $\pi(\exp X)$ preserves $E[\chi_n]$. Moreover $\pi(\exp X)|_{E[\chi_n]} = \text{id}$ for sufficiently large n .*

Proof. (i) If $Y \in \varpi^n \Lambda'$, we have

$$\text{Ad}(\exp X) \exp Y = \exp(Y + [X, Y] + Z),$$

where $Z \in \varpi^{2[n/2]+2b-d+n} \Lambda \subset \varpi^n \Lambda'$. Also we have $[X, Y] \in [\varpi^{[n/2]+b} \Lambda, \varpi^{n-d} \Lambda] \subset \varpi^{n+[n/2]+b-d} \Lambda \subset \varpi^n \Lambda'$. Thus $\exp X \in \text{Norm}(\mathbf{K}_n, G(F))$. The latter assertion follows from

$$\begin{aligned}
\chi_n(\text{Ad}(\exp X) \exp Y) &= \psi(B(\varpi^{-2n} N, Y + [X, Y] + Z)) \\
&= \psi(N(\varpi^{-2n} N, Y)) \psi(\varpi^{-2n} B_N(X, Y)) \psi(B(\varpi^{-2n} N, Z)) \\
&= \chi_n(\exp Y),
\end{aligned}$$

for $Y \in \varpi^n \Lambda'$. Note that $B_N(X, Y) = 0$ because $X \in \mathfrak{g}^N(F)$. Also $B(\varpi^{-2n} N, Z) \in \varpi^{-2n+2[n/2]+2b-d+n} \mathcal{O} \subset \varpi^{\epsilon \in [\backslash \vee \epsilon] - \backslash + \in \mathcal{C} + \nabla \uparrow} \mathcal{O}$.

- (ii) We first modify the assertion. Take $H \in \mathfrak{g}(F)$ such that $\text{ad}(H)N = 2N$.

Claim . $B([H, N], X) = 0$.

Proof. We may decompose \mathfrak{g} as $\mathfrak{g} = \bigoplus_{i=0}^r \mathfrak{g}_i$, where $\mathfrak{g}_0 = \mathfrak{z}$ is the center and each \mathfrak{g}_i is a simple Lie algebra. We note that this decomposition is orthogonal with respect to $B(\cdot, \cdot)$. In fact, we have

$$B([X_i, Y_i], X_j) = B(X_i, [Y_i, X_j]) = B(X_i, 0) = 0$$

for any $X_i, Y_i \in \mathfrak{g}_i(F)$, $X_j \in \mathfrak{g}_j(F)$, $1 \leq i \leq r$, $0 \leq j \leq r$, $i \neq j$. But since \mathfrak{g}_i ($1 \leq i \leq r$) are simple, it is spanned by the elements $[X_i, Y_i]$ ($X_i, Y_i \in \mathfrak{g}_i(F)$). Thus the decomposition is orthogonal.

We write $N = \sum_{i=1}^r N_i$, $X = \sum_{i=0}^r X_i$ and $H = \sum_{i=0}^r H_i$, where N_i , X_i and H_i belong to $\mathfrak{g}_i(F)$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} B([H, N], X) &= B\left(\sum_{i,j=0}^r [H_i, N_j], \sum_{i=0}^r X_i\right) = B\left(\sum_{i=1}^r [H_i, N_i], \sum_{i=0}^r X_i\right) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^r B([H_i, N_i], X_i). \end{aligned}$$

Thus we are reduced to the case when \mathfrak{g} is simple.

Now we fix an embedding of F -Lie algebras $\mathfrak{g}(F) \ni X \hookrightarrow \tilde{X} \in \mathfrak{gl}(n, F)$ in such a way that

$$B(X, Y) = \text{tr} \tilde{X} \tilde{Y}$$

holds. We conclude

$$\begin{aligned} B([H, N], X) &= \text{tr}[\widetilde{[H, N]}] \tilde{X} = \text{tr} \tilde{H} \tilde{N} \tilde{X} - \text{tr} \tilde{N} \tilde{H} \tilde{X} \\ &= \text{tr} \tilde{N} \tilde{X} \tilde{H} - \text{tr} \tilde{N} \tilde{H} \tilde{X} = B(N, [X, H]) = B_N(X, H) \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

□

This claim implies $B(N, X) = \frac{1}{2}B([H, N], X) = 0$ and hence

$$\psi(B(\varpi^{-2n}N, X)) = 1. \quad (1.13.1)$$

Next we note that if n is sufficiently large, $\exp X$ belongs to a compact open subgroup \mathbf{K}_m for some m . Considering $\pi|_{\mathbf{K}_m}$ as a unitary representation of \mathbf{K}_m , we see that $\pi(\exp X)|E[\chi_n]$ is a unitary operator. In particular, $\pi(\exp X)|E[\chi_n] = \text{id}$ if and only if

$$\text{tr} \pi(\exp X)|E[\chi_n] = \dim E[\chi_n]. \quad (\dagger)$$

We recall the function φ_n from the proof of Prop. 1.11. Usual calculation shows that $\pi(\varphi_n)$ is the $\text{meas} \mathbf{K}_n$ -multiple of the \mathbf{K}_n -equivariant projector onto $E[\chi_n]$. Moreover we have ($\delta_{\exp X}$ is the Dirac distribution at $\exp X$)

$$\pi(\varphi_n * \delta_{\exp X})\xi = \text{meas} \mathbf{K}_n \pi(\exp X)\xi, \quad \xi \in E[\chi_n]. \quad (1.13.2)$$

Using (1.13.2), the formula (\dagger) to be shown becomes

$$\frac{1}{\text{meas} \mathbf{K}_n} \text{tr}(\pi(\varphi_n * \delta_{\exp X})|E[\chi_n]) = \dim E[\chi_n]. \quad (\ddagger)$$

To prove this, we calculate $\text{tr}\pi(\varphi_n * \delta_{\exp X})|E[\chi_n]$ by means of Th.1.8. Write R_c^∞ for the right regular representation of $G(F)$ on $C_c^\infty(G(F))$. We know that [BZ, 1.25]

$$\varphi_n * \delta_{\exp X} = R_c^\infty(\exp(-X))\varphi_n.$$

Calculate the Fourier transform:

$$((R_c^\infty(\exp(-X))\varphi_n) \circ \exp)^\wedge(Y) = \int_{\mathfrak{g}(F)} \varphi_n(\exp T \exp(-X))\psi(B(T, Y)) dT.$$

The integrand is not zero only if $\exp T \in \mathbf{K}_n \exp X$. Lem.1.3 (2) gives

$$\log(\exp Y \exp X) = X + Y + \frac{1}{2}[Y, X] + Z, \quad Z \in \varpi^{[n/2]+b-d+n+C}\Lambda,$$

and hence

$$\varpi^n \Lambda' \ni S \longmapsto \exp(X + S) \in \mathbf{K}_n \exp X$$

is a bijection. (Note that $\exp|_{X+\varpi^n \Lambda'}$ is injective for sufficiently large n .) Thus we have

$$\begin{aligned} & ((R_c^\infty(\exp(-X))\varphi_n) \circ \exp)^\wedge(Y) \\ &= \psi(B(X, Y)) \int_{\mathfrak{g}(F)} \varphi_n(\exp(X + S) \exp(-X))\psi(B(S, Y)) dS. \end{aligned}$$

As in the proof of (1.1.2), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \exp(X + S) &= 1 + X + S + \frac{X^2 + XS + SX + S^2}{2} + \frac{X^3}{6} + \varpi^{2n+1}\Lambda, \\ \exp(-X) &= 1 - X + \frac{X^2}{2} - \frac{X^3}{6} + \varpi^{2n+1}\Lambda, \end{aligned}$$

and hence

$$\begin{aligned} \exp(X + S) \exp(-X) &= 1 - X + X + S + \frac{X^2}{2} - X^2 - SX + \frac{X^2}{2} + \frac{XS + SX}{2} + \frac{S^2}{2} \\ &\quad - \frac{X^3}{6} + \frac{X^3}{2} + \frac{SX^2}{2} - \frac{X^3}{2} - \frac{XSX}{2} - \frac{SX^2}{2} - \frac{S^2X}{2} + \frac{X^3}{6} + \varpi^{2n+1}\Lambda \\ &= 1 + S + \frac{[X, S]}{2} + \frac{S^2}{2} + \varpi^{2n+1}\Lambda. \end{aligned}$$

Also we have

$$\exp\left(S + \frac{[X, S]}{2}\right) \in 1 + S + \frac{[X, S]}{2} + \frac{S^2}{2} + \varpi^{2n+1}\Lambda.$$

This enables us to take $T' \in \varpi^{2n+1}\Lambda$ such that

$$\exp(X + S) \exp(-X) = \exp\left(S + \frac{[X, S]}{2} + T'\right).$$

In particular we have

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi_n(\exp(X + S) \exp(-X)) &= \psi(B(\varpi^{-2n}N, S + \frac{[X, S]}{2} + T'))^{-1} \\ &= \psi(B(\varpi^{-2n}N, S))^{-1} \psi(\varpi^{-2n}2^{-1}B_N(X, S))^{-1} = \varphi_n(\exp S), \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} ((R_c^\infty(\exp(-X))\varphi_n) \circ \exp)^\wedge(Y) &= \psi(B(X, Y)) \int_{\mathfrak{g}(F)} \varphi_n(\exp S) \psi(B(S, Y)) dS \\ &= \psi(B(X, Y)) \widehat{\varphi_n \circ \exp}(Y). \end{aligned}$$

Now Th.1.8 gives

$$\begin{aligned} \mathrm{tr} \pi(\varphi_n * \delta_{\exp X}) &= \mathrm{tr} \pi(R_c^\infty(\exp(-X))\varphi_n) \\ &= \sum_{\mathfrak{D}' \in \mathcal{N}(\mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{F}))} c_{\mathfrak{D}'}(\pi) \int_{\mathfrak{D}'} ((R_c^\infty(\exp(-X))\varphi_n) \circ \exp)^\wedge(Y) d\mu_{\mathfrak{D}'}(Y) \end{aligned}$$

since $N \in \mathfrak{D} \in \mathcal{N}_B(\pi)^{\mathrm{sup}}$ (cf. proof of 1.12)

$$= c_{\mathfrak{D}}(\pi) \int_{\mathfrak{D}} \psi(B(X, Y)) (\widehat{\varphi_n \circ \exp})(Y) d\mu_{\mathfrak{D}}(Y)$$

using the formula for $\widehat{\varphi_n \circ \exp}$ (see 1.11)

$$\begin{aligned} &= c_{\mathfrak{D}}(\pi) \int_{\mathfrak{D} \cap \varpi^{-2n}N + (\varpi^n \Lambda')^*} \psi(B(X, Y)) \mathrm{meas} \mathbf{K}_n d\mu_{\mathfrak{D}}(Y) \\ &= \mathrm{meas} \mathbf{K}_n \cdot c_{\mathfrak{D}}(\pi) \int_{\mathfrak{X}_n} \psi(B(X, Y)) d\mu_{\mathfrak{D}}(Y), \end{aligned}$$

where $\mathfrak{X}_n := \mathfrak{D} \cap \varpi^{-2n}N + (\varpi^n \Lambda')^*$. Using the description (1.12.1) of \mathfrak{X}_n , we may write $Y \in \mathfrak{X}_n$ as $Y = \varpi^{-2n} \mathrm{Ad}(\exp Z)N$ with $Z \in \varpi^n \mathfrak{m}^{\Lambda'}$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} \psi(B(X, Y)) &= \psi(B(X, \varpi^{-2n} \mathrm{Ad}(\exp Z)N)) \\ &\stackrel{(1.1.3)}{=} \psi(\varpi^{-2n} B(X, N + [Z, N] + Z')), \quad \exists Z' \in \varpi^{2n-2d-\lfloor \frac{2e}{p-1} \rfloor} \Lambda \end{aligned}$$

noting $b \geq D \geq \frac{3e}{p-1} + 3d + C + 2$,

$$= \psi(\varpi^{-2n} B(X, N)) \psi(\varpi^{-2n} B(X, [Z, N]))$$

noting $B(X, [Z, N]) = B(N, [X, Z])$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \psi(\varpi^{-2n} B(X, N)) \psi(\varpi^{-2n} B_N(X, Z)) \\ &= \psi(\varpi^{-2n} B(X, N)). \end{aligned}$$

Hence we conclude

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{1}{\mathrm{meas} \mathbf{K}_n} \mathrm{tr}(\pi(\varphi_n * \delta_{\exp X}) | E[\chi_n]) \\ &= c_{\mathfrak{D}}(\pi) \int_{\mathfrak{X}_n} \psi(B(X, Y)) d\mu_{\mathfrak{D}}(Y) = \psi(\varpi^{-2n} B(X, N)) c_{\mathfrak{D}}(\pi) \mathrm{meas} \mathfrak{X}_n \\ &\stackrel{(1.13.1)}{=} \dim E[\chi_n] \end{aligned}$$

which is (\ddagger) . □

1.14 Key injectivity

Corollary . For sufficiently large n , $j : E[\chi'_n]/E'_{n,\chi} \rightarrow E_{V,\chi}$ in 1.9 is injective and its image is $E_{V,\chi}^{\mathbf{L}}$.

Proof. Suppose that n is sufficiently large so that Lemma 1.13 holds.

Let $\mathbf{j}_n := \varpi^{[n/2]+b}\Lambda \cap \mathfrak{g}_1^N(F)$, $\mathbf{J}_n := \exp \mathbf{j}_n$. Then

$$\mathbf{J}_n \mathbf{K}_n \subset G(F) \text{ is a subgroup.} \quad (1.14.1)$$

In fact for $X_i \in \mathbf{j}_n$ and $Y_i \in \varpi^n \Lambda'$ ($i = 1, 2$) we have $Y \in \varpi^n \Lambda'$ such that

$$\begin{aligned} \exp X_1 \exp Y_1 \exp X_2 \exp Y_2 &\stackrel{1.13(i)}{=} \exp X_1 \exp Y \exp X_2 \\ &= \exp X_1 \exp X_2 \exp(\text{Ad}(\exp(-X_2))Y). \end{aligned}$$

Since 1.13 (i) assures that $\exp(\text{Ad}(\exp(-X_2))Y)$ is in \mathbf{K}_n , we have only to show that $\exp X_1 \exp X_2 \in \mathbf{J}_n \mathbf{K}_n$. For this we use (1.1.2) to have

$$\exp X_1 \exp X_2 = \exp(X_1 + X_2 + \frac{1}{2}[X_1, X_2] + X'), \quad \exists X' \in \varpi^{2[n/2]+2b}\Lambda \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(F),$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \exp(-(X_1 + X_2)) \exp X_1 \exp X_2 &= \exp(-(X_1 + X_2)) \exp(X_1 + X_2 + \frac{1}{2}[X_1, X_2] + X') \\ &\stackrel{(1.1.2)}{=} \exp\left(\frac{[X_1, X_2]}{2} + X' - \frac{1}{2}[X_1 + X_2, \frac{[X_1, X_2]}{2} + X'] + X''\right), \quad \exists X'' \in \varpi^{2[n/2]+2b}\Lambda \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(F). \end{aligned}$$

But since

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \frac{[X_1, X_2]}{2} &\in \varpi^{2[n/2]+2b}\Lambda \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(F) \subset \varpi^{n+b}\Lambda \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(F) \subset \varpi^{n+2d}\Lambda' \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(F), \\ X', X'' &\in \varpi^{n+2d}\Lambda' \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(F), \\ \frac{1}{2}[X_1 + X_2, \frac{[X_1, X_2]}{2} + X'] &\in \varpi^{3[n/2]+3b}\Lambda \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(F) \subset \varpi^{n+2d}\Lambda' \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(F) \end{aligned} \right\} \subset \varpi^n \Lambda',$$

we see that

$$\exp X_1 \exp X_2 \in \exp(X_1 + X_2) \exp(\varpi^n \Lambda' \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(F)) \subset \mathbf{J}_n \mathbf{K}_n. \quad (\clubsuit)$$

Now 1.13 (i) allows us to extend χ_n trivially on \mathbf{J}_n to a character of $\mathbf{J}_n \mathbf{K}_n$. This is well-defined by (\clubsuit) . Then 1.13 (ii) gives

$$\begin{aligned} E[\chi_n] &= \{\xi \in E \mid \pi(j)\pi(k)\xi = \chi_n(k)\xi, \forall jk \in \mathbf{J}_n \mathbf{K}_n\} \\ &= \{\xi \in E \mid \pi(x)\xi = \chi_n(x)\xi, \forall x \in \mathbf{J}_n \mathbf{K}_n\}. \end{aligned}$$

This amounts to

$$\begin{aligned} E[\chi'_n] &= \pi(\phi(\varpi^{-n}))E[\chi_n] \\ &= \{\xi \in E \mid \pi(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-n}))x)\xi = \chi_n(x)\xi, x \in \mathbf{J}_n \mathbf{K}_n\} \\ &= \{\xi \in E \mid \pi(x)\xi = \chi'_n(x)\xi, \forall x \in \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-n}))(\mathbf{J}_n) \cdot \mathbf{K}_n\}. \end{aligned}$$

Here $\chi'_n : \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-n}))(\mathbf{J}_n)\mathbf{K}'_n \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^1$ is the trivial extension of χ'_n on $\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-n}))(\mathbf{J}_n)$. Thus for $m \geq n$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} I'_{n,m}(\xi) &\stackrel{(1.9.4)}{=} \frac{1}{\text{meas}(V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m)} \int_{V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m} \chi(k^{-1})\pi(k)\xi \, dk \\ &\stackrel{(1.7.4)}{=} \frac{1}{\text{meas}(V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m)} \cdot (\text{const}) \int_{\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-m}))(\mathbf{J}_m)\mathbf{K}'_m \cap V(F)} \chi(k^{-1})\pi(k)\xi \, dk. \end{aligned}$$

Suppose that $\xi \in E$ is contained in $\ker j \subset E(V, \chi)$. Since $\{\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-m}))(\mathbf{J}_m)\mathbf{K}'_m \cap V(F)\}_m$ is an increasing series of compact open subgroup of $V(F)$ which exhausts $V(F)$, [BZ, 2.33] implies that there exists $m \in \mathbb{N}$ such that

$$\int_{\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-m}))(\mathbf{J}_m)\mathbf{K}'_m \cap V(F)} \chi(k^{-1})\pi(k)\xi \, dk = 0.$$

That is, $\xi \in \text{Ker } I'_{n,m} \subset E'_{n,\chi}$ and j is injective.

Next we calculate $j(E[\chi'_n])$. We have already seen that it is contained in $E_{V,\chi}^{\mathbf{L}}$. Take $\bar{\xi} \in E_{V,\chi}^{\mathbf{L}}$ and let $\xi \in j^{-1}(\bar{\xi})$. Then as in the proof of 1.10, we have $M(\xi) \in \mathbb{N}$ such that

$$I'_m(\xi) - \xi = \frac{1}{\text{meas}(V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m)} \int_{V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m} (\overline{\chi(k)}\pi(k)\xi - \xi) \, dk, \quad \forall m \geq M(\xi).$$

Let $\mathbf{K}_\xi := \text{Stab}(\xi, V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m) \cap \text{Ker } \chi$ and write

$$V(F) \cap \mathbf{K}'_m = \coprod_{i=1}^r k_i \mathbf{K}_\xi$$

for the coset decomposition. Then we have

$$\begin{aligned} I'_m(\xi) - \xi &= \frac{1}{r \cdot \text{meas } \mathbf{K}_\xi} \sum_{i=1}^r \int_{\mathbf{K}_\xi} (\overline{\chi(k_i x)}\pi(k_i x)\xi - \xi) \, dx \\ &= \frac{1}{r \cdot \text{meas } \mathbf{K}_\xi} \sum_{i=1}^r \int_{\mathbf{K}_\xi} (\overline{\chi(k_i)}\pi(k_i)\xi - \xi) \, dx \\ &= \frac{1}{r} \sum_{i=1}^r \overline{\chi(k_i)}(\pi(k_i)\xi - \chi(k_i)\xi), \quad \forall m \geq M(\xi). \end{aligned}$$

Since the last line is contained in $E(V, \chi)$, we see that $j(I'_m(\xi)) = \bar{\xi}$ for any $m \geq M(\xi)$.

Now let $\bar{\xi}_1, \dots, \bar{\xi}_T$ be linearly independent elements in $E_{V,\chi}^{\mathbf{L}}$. Putting $M := \sup_{1 \leq i \leq T} M(\xi_i)$, we set $\eta_i := I'_n(\xi_i) \in E[\chi'_n]/E'_{n,\chi}$ for a choice of inverse images ξ_i for $\bar{\xi}_i$. Then we have

(1) $\dim E_{V,\chi}^{\mathbf{L}} \leq \dim E[\chi'_n]/E'_{n,\chi} \leq \dim E[\chi_n] = c_{\mathfrak{S}}(\pi)$ is finite.

(2) (By taking a basis of $E_{V,\chi}^{\mathbf{L}}$ as $\{\xi_i\}$) for $n \geq M$, $E[\chi'_n]/E'_{n,\chi} \xrightarrow{j_n} E_{V,\chi}^{\mathbf{L}}$ is surjective.

□

1.15 Injectivity continued

Lemma . $I_{n,n+1}$ is injective for sufficiently large n .

Proof. For the brevity, write $d\mu_n$ for the measure on \mathbf{K}_n such that $\mu_n(\mathbf{K}_n) = 1$. Then one has

$$\begin{aligned} & I_{n+1,n} \circ I_{n,n+1} \circ I_n(\xi) \\ &= \int_{\mathbf{K}_n} \int_{\mathbf{K}_{n+1}} \int_{\mathbf{K}_n} \bar{\chi}_n(\gamma) \bar{\chi}_{n+1}(h) \bar{\chi}_n(\gamma') \pi(\gamma \phi(\varpi)^{-1} h \phi(\varpi) \gamma') \xi \, d\mu_n(\gamma') \, d\mu_{n+1}(h) \, d\mu_n(\gamma) \\ &= \int_{\mathbf{K}_n} \int_{\mathbf{K}_n} \bar{\chi}_n(\gamma) \pi(\gamma) \int_{\mathbf{K}_{n+1}} \bar{\chi}_{n+1}(h) \bar{\chi}_n(\gamma') \pi(\phi(\varpi)^{-1} h \phi(\varpi) \gamma') \xi \, d\mu_{n+1}(h) \, d\mu_n(\gamma') \, d\mu_n(\gamma). \end{aligned}$$

The inner integral reads

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\mathbf{K}_{n+1}} \bar{\chi}_{n+1}(h) \bar{\chi}_n(\gamma') \pi(\phi(\varpi)^{-1} h \phi(\varpi) \gamma') \xi \, d\mu_{n+1}(h) \\ &= \sum_{\dot{\gamma} \in \mathbf{K}_{n+1}/\mathbf{K}_{n+1} \cap \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))\mathbf{K}_n} \int_{\mathbf{K}_{n+1} \cap \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))\mathbf{K}_n} \bar{\chi}_{n+1}(\dot{\gamma} h) \bar{\chi}_n(\gamma') \pi(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))(\dot{\gamma} h) \gamma') \xi \, d\mu_{n+1}(h) \end{aligned}$$

putting $x := \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))h$,

$$\begin{aligned} &= \sum_{\dot{\gamma} \in \mathbf{K}_{n+1}/\mathbf{K}_{n+1} \cap \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))\mathbf{K}_n} \int_{\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))(\mathbf{K}_{n+1}) \cap \mathbf{K}_n} \bar{\chi}_{n+1}(\dot{\gamma} \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))x) \bar{\chi}_n(\gamma') \\ & \quad \pi(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))(\dot{\gamma})x\gamma') \xi \, d\mu_{n+1}(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))(x)). \end{aligned}$$

Moreover if we write $x = \exp X$ ($X \in \varpi^n \Lambda'$), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \chi_{n+1}(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))(x)) &= \psi(B(\varpi^{-2n-2}N, \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))X)) \\ &= \psi(B(\varpi^{-2n-2}\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))N, X)) = \psi(B(\varpi^{-2n}N, X)) \\ &= \chi_n(x). \end{aligned}$$

Thus we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & I_{n+1,n} \circ I_{n,n+1} \circ I_n(\xi) \\ &= \int_{\mathbf{K}_n} \int_{\mathbf{K}_n} \bar{\chi}_n(\gamma) \pi(\gamma) \sum_{\dot{\gamma} \in \mathbf{K}_{n+1}/\mathbf{K}_{n+1} \cap \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))\mathbf{K}_n} \int_{\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))(\mathbf{K}_{n+1}) \cap \mathbf{K}_n} \bar{\chi}_{n+1}(\dot{\gamma}) \bar{\chi}_n(x\gamma') \\ & \quad \pi(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))(\dot{\gamma})x\gamma') \xi \, d\mu_{n+1}(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))(x)) \, d\mu_n(\gamma') \, d\mu_n(\gamma) \\ &= \sum_{\dot{\gamma} \in \mathbf{K}_{n+1}/\mathbf{K}_{n+1} \cap \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))\mathbf{K}_n} \bar{\chi}_{n+1}(\dot{\gamma}) \int_{\mathbf{K}_n} \int_{\mathbf{K}_n} \varphi_n(\gamma) \pi(\gamma) \pi(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))\dot{\gamma}) \\ & \quad \int_{\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))(\mathbf{K}_{n+1}) \cap \mathbf{K}_n} \varphi_n(x\gamma') \pi(x\gamma') \xi \, d\mu_{n+1}(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))(x)) \, d\mu_n(\gamma') \, d\mu_n(\gamma) \end{aligned}$$

putting γ' for $x\gamma'$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \sum_{\dot{\gamma} \in \mathbf{K}_{n+1}/\mathbf{K}_{n+1} \cap \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))\mathbf{K}_n} \bar{\chi}_{n+1}(\dot{\gamma}) \int_{\mathbf{K}_n} \int_{\mathbf{K}_n} \varphi_n(\gamma) \pi(\gamma) \pi(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))\dot{\gamma}) \\
&\quad \int_{\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))(\mathbf{K}_{n+1}) \cap \mathbf{K}_n} \varphi_n(\gamma') \pi(\gamma') \xi \, d\mu_{n+1}(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))x) \, d\mu_n(\gamma') \, d\mu_n(\gamma) \\
&= \sum_{\dot{\gamma} \in \mathbf{K}_{n+1}/\mathbf{K}_{n+1} \cap \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))\mathbf{K}_n} \bar{\chi}_{n+1}(\dot{\gamma}) \mu_{n+1}(\mathbf{K}_{n+1} \cap \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))\mathbf{K}_n) \\
&\quad \int_{\mathbf{K}_n} \int_{\mathbf{K}_n} \varphi_n(\gamma) \pi(\gamma) \pi(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))\dot{\gamma}) \varphi_n(\gamma') \pi(\gamma') \xi \, d\mu_n(\gamma') \, d\mu_n(\gamma) \\
&= \mu_{n+1}(\mathbf{K}_{n+1} \cap \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))\mathbf{K}_n) \sum_{\dot{\gamma} \in \mathbf{K}_{n+1}/\mathbf{K}_{n+1} \cap \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))\mathbf{K}_n} \overline{\chi_{n+1}(\dot{\gamma})} \\
&\quad \times \int_{\mathbf{K}_n} \int_{\mathbf{K}_n} \varphi_n(\gamma) \varphi_n(\gamma') \pi(\gamma \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))\dot{\gamma} \cdot \gamma') \xi \, d\mu_n(\gamma') \, d\mu_n(\gamma).
\end{aligned}$$

noting $\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))\mathbf{K}_{n+1} \subset \text{Norm}(\mathbf{K}_n, G(F))$ for $n \gg 0$ (cf. 1.5 (2)), we put $\gamma := \text{Int}(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))\dot{\gamma})^{-1}(\gamma)$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \mu_{n+1}(\mathbf{K}_{n+1} \cap \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))\mathbf{K}_n) \sum_{\dot{\gamma} \in \mathbf{K}_{n+1}/\mathbf{K}_{n+1} \cap \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))\mathbf{K}_n} \overline{\chi_{n+1}(\dot{\gamma})} \\
&\quad \int_{\mathbf{K}_n} \int_{\mathbf{K}_n} \varphi_n(\text{Int}(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))\dot{\gamma})(\gamma)) \varphi_n(\gamma') \pi(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))\dot{\gamma} \cdot \gamma\gamma') \xi \, d\mu_n(\gamma') \, d\mu_n(\gamma) \\
&= \mu_{n+1}(\mathbf{K}_{n+1} \cap \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))\mathbf{K}_n) \sum_{\dot{\gamma} \in \mathbf{K}_{n+1}/\mathbf{K}_{n+1} \cap \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))\mathbf{K}_n} \overline{\chi_{n+1}(\dot{\gamma})} \pi(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))\dot{\gamma}) \\
&\quad \int_{\mathbf{K}_n} \int_{\mathbf{K}_n} \overline{\chi_n(\text{Int}(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))\dot{\gamma})(\gamma) \cdot \gamma')} \pi(\gamma\gamma') \xi \, d\mu_n(\gamma') \, d\mu_n(\gamma).
\end{aligned}$$

Putting $\gamma\gamma' = \gamma'$, this double integral becomes

$$\begin{aligned}
&\int_{\mathbf{K}_n} \int_{\mathbf{K}_n} \overline{\chi_n(\text{Int}(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))\dot{\gamma})\gamma \cdot \gamma^{-1}\gamma')} \pi(\gamma') \xi \, d\mu_n(\gamma') \, d\mu_n(\gamma) \\
&= \int_{\mathbf{K}_n} \text{Int}(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))\dot{\gamma}^{-1}) \bar{\chi}_n \cdot \chi_n(\gamma) \, d\mu_n(\gamma) \cdot \int_{\mathbf{K}_n} \overline{\chi_n(\gamma')} \pi(\gamma') \xi \, d\mu_n(\gamma') \\
&= \begin{cases} I_n(\xi) & \text{if } \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))\dot{\gamma} \in \text{Stab}(\chi_n, G(F)), \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

Thus we conclude

$$\begin{aligned}
&I_{n+1,n} \circ I_{n,n+1} \circ I_n(\xi) \\
&= \mu_{n+1}(\mathbf{K}_{n+1} \cap \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))\mathbf{K}_n) \sum_{\substack{\dot{\gamma} \in \mathbf{K}_{n+1}/\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))\mathbf{K}_n \cap \mathbf{K}_{n+1} \\ \dot{\gamma} \in \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))\text{Stab}(\chi_n, G(F))}} \overline{\chi_{n+1}(\dot{\gamma})} \pi(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))\dot{\gamma}) I_n(\xi).
\end{aligned}$$

In the sum above we see

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))\dot{\gamma} &\in \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))(\mathbf{K}_{n+1}) \cap \text{Stab}(\chi_n, G(F)) \\
&= \exp(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))(\varpi^{n+1}\Lambda')) \cap \text{Stab}(\chi_n, G(F)) \\
&\subset \exp(\varpi^{[n/2]+b}\Lambda') = \mathbf{K}_{[n/2]+b} \cap \text{Stab}(\chi_n, G(F)) \\
&\stackrel{1.6(2)}{\subset} \exp(\varpi^{[n/2]+b}\Lambda \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(F))\mathbf{K}_n.
\end{aligned}$$

We may suppose that $\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))\dot{\gamma} = \exp X$ with $X \in \varpi^{[n/2]+b}\Lambda \cap \mathfrak{g}^N(F)$. We apply 1.13 (ii) to have $\pi(\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi^{-1}))\dot{\gamma})I_n(\xi) = I_n(\xi)$. Moreover

$$\chi_{n+1}(\dot{\gamma}) = \psi(B(\varpi^{-2n-2}N, \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))X)) = \psi(B(\varpi^{-2n}N, X)) \stackrel{(1.13.1)}{=} 1$$

because $X \in \mathfrak{g}^N(F)$. We obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
I_{n+1} \circ I_{n,n+1} \circ I_n(\xi) &= \mu_{n+1}(\mathbf{K}_{n+1} \cap \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))\mathbf{K}_n) \times \sum_{\substack{\dot{\gamma} \in \mathbf{K}_{n+1}/\text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))(\mathbf{K}_n) \cap \mathbf{K}_{n+1} \\ \dot{\gamma} \in \text{Ad}(\phi(\varpi))\text{Stab}(\chi_n, G(F))}} I_n(\xi) \\
&= \kappa I_n(\xi)
\end{aligned}$$

for some non-zero constant κ . Thus $I_{n+1,n} \circ I_{n,n+1}$ is injective and so is $I_{n,n+1}$. \square

1.16 The result

Theorem . *Let (π, E) be an irreducible admissible representation of $G(F)$. Then*

$$\mathcal{N}_{\mathcal{B}}(\pi)^{\text{sup}} = \mathcal{N}_{\text{Wh}}(\pi)^{\text{sup}}.$$

Proof. Take $\mathfrak{D} \in \mathcal{N}_{\mathcal{B}}(\pi)^{\text{sup}}$, $N \in \mathfrak{D} \cap \Lambda$ and $\phi : \mathbb{G}_m \rightarrow G$ such that $\text{Ad}(\phi(t))N = t^{-2}N$. Then 1.14 implies

$$\mathcal{W}_{\mathcal{N},\phi}(\pi) \stackrel{(1.7.4)}{\cong} \mathcal{E}_{\mathcal{V},\chi}^{\mathbf{L}} \neq \emptyset$$

if and only if $E[\chi'_n]/E'_{n,\chi} \neq 0$ for any sufficiently large n . Since $\mathfrak{D} \in \mathcal{N}_{\mathcal{B}}(\pi)^{\text{sup}}$, we have

$$0 \neq c_{\mathfrak{D}}(\pi) \stackrel{1.12}{=} \dim E[\chi_n] = \dim E[\chi'_n].$$

Now we take n sufficiently large so that 1.15 holds. Then noting (1.9.1),

$$I'_{n,m} = I'_{n,n+1} \circ \cdots \circ I'_{m-1,m}$$

is injective and hence $E'_{n,\chi} = \{0\}$. Thus $E[\chi'_n]/E'_{n,\chi} \neq 0$, and we have shown that $\mathcal{N}_{\mathcal{B}}(\pi)^{\text{sup}} \subset \mathcal{N}_{\text{Wh}}(\pi)$.

Let $\mathfrak{D} \in \mathcal{N}_{\text{Wh}}(\pi)$. Prop.1.11 assures that for $N \in \mathfrak{D}$, there exists $\mathfrak{D}' \in \mathcal{N}_{\mathcal{B}}(\pi)^{\text{sup}}$ such that $N \in \overline{\mathfrak{D}'}$. This implies that $\overline{\mathfrak{D}} \subset \overline{\mathfrak{D}'}$. The previous paragraph asserts that $\mathfrak{D}' \in \mathcal{N}_{\text{Wh}}(\pi)$. In particular, if $\mathfrak{D} \in \mathcal{N}_{\text{Wh}}(\pi)^{\text{sup}}$, the maximality implies $\mathfrak{D} = \mathfrak{D}'$. Hence $\mathcal{N}_{\text{Wh}}(\pi)^{\text{sup}} \subset \mathcal{N}_{\mathcal{B}}(\pi)^{\text{sup}}$.

Conversely, take $\mathfrak{D} \in \mathcal{N}_{\mathcal{B}}(\pi)^{\text{sup}}$. Then it is contained in $\mathcal{N}_{\text{Wh}}(\pi)$, and we can take $\mathfrak{D}' \in \mathcal{N}_{\text{Wh}}(\pi)^{\text{sup}} \subset \mathcal{N}_{\mathcal{B}}(\pi)^{\text{sup}}$ such that $\overline{\mathfrak{D}} \subset \overline{\mathfrak{D}'}$. Since $\mathfrak{D}, \mathfrak{D}' \in \mathcal{N}_{\mathcal{B}}(\pi)^{\text{sup}}$, we have $\mathfrak{D} = \mathfrak{D}' \in \mathcal{N}_{\text{Wh}}(\pi)^{\text{sup}}$. \square

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Corollary . *Let $\mathfrak{D} \in \mathcal{N}_{\mathcal{B}}(\pi)^{\sup}$. Then we have $c_{\mathfrak{D}}(\pi) = \dim \mathcal{W}_{\mathcal{N},\phi}(\pi)$ for any choice of $N \in \mathfrak{D}$ and ϕ .*

Proof. Let $n \in \mathbb{N}$ be sufficiently large and $\mathfrak{D} \in \mathcal{N}_{\mathcal{B}}(\pi)^{\sup} = \mathcal{N}_{\text{Wh}}(\pi)^{\sup}$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} \dim \mathcal{W}_{\mathcal{N},\phi}(\pi) &\stackrel{(1.7.4)}{=} \dim E_{V,\chi}^{\mathbf{L}} \stackrel{1.14}{=} \dim E[\chi'_n]/E'_{\chi,n} \\ &= \dim E[\chi'_n]/\bigcup_{m>n} \ker(I'_{n,m}) \stackrel{1.15}{=} \dim E[\chi_n] \\ &\stackrel{1.12}{=} c_{\mathfrak{D}}(\pi). \end{aligned}$$

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