

# COHOMOLOGICAL INTERLUDE:

## THE BDTJ CONJECTURE

London N.T. Study Group - 3 June 2020

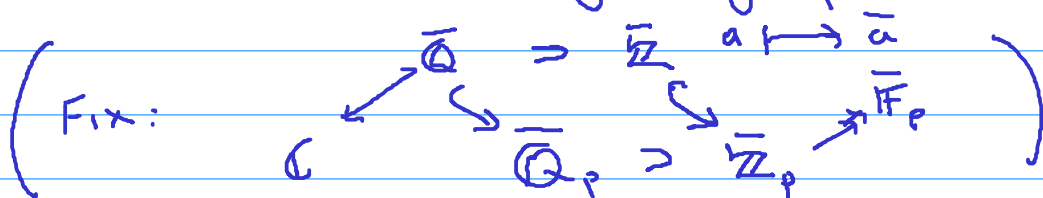
The weight part of Serre's Conj - week 7

---

Recall a continuous irreducible  $\rho: G_{\mathbb{Q}} \rightarrow GL_2(\overline{\mathbb{F}}_p)$  is modular of weight  $k (\geq 2)$  and level  $N$  (prime to  $p$ ) if  $\rho \cong \overline{\rho}_f$  for some eigenform  $f \in S_k(N, \mathbb{C}) = S_k(\Gamma_1(N))$ , i.e.

$$\text{tr}(\rho(\text{Frob}_v)) = \overline{a_v(f)} \quad \& \quad \det(\rho(\text{Frob}_v)) = \overline{v^{k-1} \chi_f(v)}$$

for all (but finitely many) primes  $v \nmid Np$ .



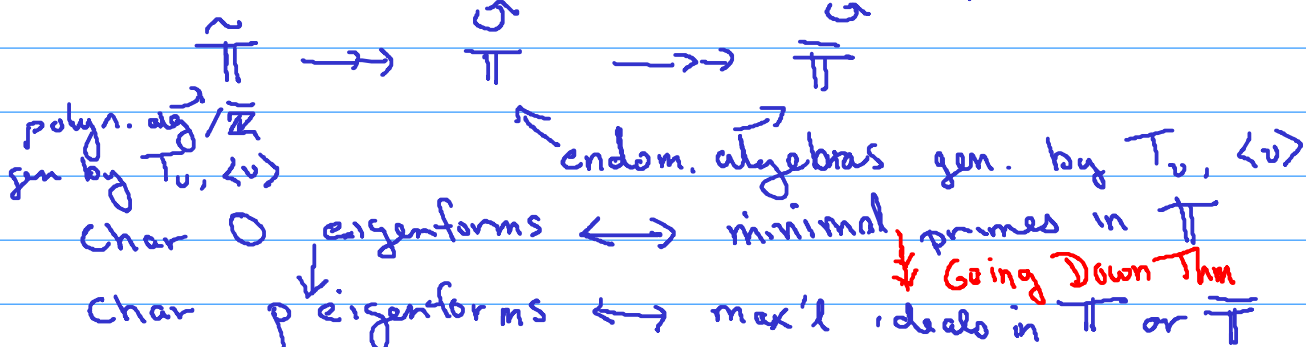
Equivalently,  $\exists$  eigenform  $f \in S_k(N, \overline{\mathbb{F}}_p)$  s.t.

$$\text{tr}(\rho(\overline{\text{Frob}}_v)) = a_v(f) \quad \& \quad \det(\rho(\overline{\text{Frob}}_v)) = v^{k-1} \chi_f(v)$$

for all but finitely many  $v \nmid Np$ .

Proof:  $\Rightarrow$  easy

$\Leftarrow$ : Recall  $S_k(N, \overline{\mathbb{Z}}_p) \twoheadrightarrow S_k(N, \overline{\mathbb{F}}_p)$  for  $k \geq 2$



Equivalently,  $m_p = \ker(\tilde{\Pi} \rightarrow \overline{\mathbb{F}}_p) \in \text{Supp}(S_k(N, \overline{\mathbb{Z}}_p))$ . □

For  $k \geq 2$ , can also give a more algebraic/cohomological interpretation of modularity, using:

Theorem (Eichler-Shimura):

$$\exists \text{ Hecke-equivariant } S_k(N, \mathbb{C})^2 \cong H_p^1(Y_1(N), L_{k-2}(\mathbb{C}))$$

$$\cong H_p^1(\Gamma_1(N), L_{k-2}(\mathbb{C}))$$

where  $H_p^1 = \text{im}(H_c^1 \rightarrow H^1)$ ,

$$L_n(\mathbb{R}) = \text{Sym}^n \mathbb{R}^2 \ni \text{SL}_2(\mathbb{Z}), \text{ and}$$

$$L_n(\mathbb{R}) = \Gamma_1(N) \backslash \mathbb{H}^2 \times L_n(\mathbb{R}) \text{ over } Y_1(N) = \Gamma_1(N) \backslash \mathbb{H}^2$$

So:  $\rho$  is modular of wt  $k$ , level  $N$

$$\Leftrightarrow m_\rho \text{ is in the support of } H_p^1(\Gamma_1(N), L_{k-2}(\mathbb{C}))$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \text{" " " " } H^1(\Gamma_1(N), L_{k-2}(\mathbb{C}))$$

(since  $\text{coker}(H_c^1 \rightarrow H^1) \leftrightarrow$  Eisenstein series,  
so  $\rho$  irred  $\Rightarrow m_\rho \notin$  support)

$$\Leftrightarrow m_\rho \text{ is in the support of } H^1(\Gamma_1(N), L_{k-2}(\overline{\mathbb{Z}}_p))$$

(since torsion  $\leftrightarrow H^0(\Gamma_1(N), L_{k-2}(\overline{\mathbb{F}}_p))$  is "Eisenstein")

$$\Leftrightarrow m_\rho \text{ is in the support of } H^1(\Gamma_1(N), L_{k-2}(\overline{\mathbb{F}}_p))$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \text{" " " " of } H^1(\Gamma_1(N), V_{m,n}) \cong H^1(Y_1(N), \bigvee_{m,n})$$

for some JH-factor  $V_{m,n} = \det^m \text{Sym}^n \mathbb{F}_p^2$   
of  $\text{Sym}^{k-2} \mathbb{F}_p^2$  as a repr of  $\Gamma_1(N) \rightarrow \text{GL}_2(\mathbb{F}_p)$  ( $0 \leq n \leq p-1$ )

Furthermore  $H^1(\Gamma_1(N), V_{m,n}) \cong H^1(\Gamma_1(N), V_{0,n})$

$$v^{mT_0} \leftrightarrow T_v$$

$$v^{2m} \langle v \rangle \leftrightarrow \langle v \rangle$$

Conclusion:  $\rho$  is modular of wt  $k$ , level  $N$   
 $\Leftrightarrow m_\rho$  is in the support of  $H^1(\Gamma_1(N), V_{m,n})$

for some  $V_{m,n} \in \text{JH}(\text{Sym}^{k-2} \mathbb{F}_p^2)$

$\Leftrightarrow m_{\rho \otimes \omega^{-m}} \in \text{Supp}(H^1(\Gamma_1(N), V_{m,n}))$  for such a  $V_{m,n}$

$\Leftrightarrow \rho \otimes \omega^{-m}$  is modular of level  $N$   
and wt  $n+2$  for such a  $V_{m,n}$

This proves that if  $\rho$  is modular of  
some weight  $k (\geq 2)$  of level  $N$  prime to  $p$ ,

then  $\{0 \leq m \leq p-2, 0 \leq n \leq p-1 \mid \rho \otimes \omega^{-m} \text{ is modular of level } N, \text{ wt } n+2\}$

is non-empty, and determines

$\{k \geq 2 \mid \rho \text{ is modular of wt } k, \text{ level } N\}$

For such  $(m,n)$ , say  $\rho$  is modular of wt  $V_{m,n}$   
if  $m_\rho$  is in the support of  $H^1(\Gamma_1(N), V_{m,n})$

Instead of the minimal weight,  
ask for:  $\{V_{m,n} \mid \rho \text{ is modular of wt } V_{m,n}\}$

Generalize this formulation... given  $\rho$ , automorphic  
w.r.t.  $G$ , describe its "Serre weights" as a set  
of irred. reps of  $G(\mathbb{F}_p)$  over  $\overline{\mathbb{F}_p}$

- Ash et al:  $GL_d$ ,  $d \geq 2$

- Buzzard-D-Jarvis:  $\text{Res}_{\mathbb{F}/\mathbb{A}} GL_2$  (Hilbert modular setting)

- Gee-Herzig-Swift: more general reductive  $G$

Rest of today's talk.

$$F \text{ totally real, } \Sigma = \{F \hookrightarrow \mathbb{R}\}$$

$$d = [F: \mathbb{Q}] = \{F \hookrightarrow \overline{\mathbb{Q}}_p\} = \prod_{v|p} \Sigma_v$$

$$\vec{k}, \vec{l} \in \mathbb{Z}^{\Sigma} \text{ s.t. } k_{\theta} + 2l_{\theta} \text{ indep. of } \theta$$

Theorem: If  $f \in M_{k, \vec{l}}^{\sigma}(U_1(n))$  is a Hecke eigenform with  $T_v f = a_v f$  and  $S_v f = d_v f \forall v \nmid n, p$ , then  $\exists!$  semisimple (irred.  $\Leftrightarrow$  f cuspidal)  $\rho_f: G_F \rightarrow GL_2(\overline{\mathbb{Q}}_p)$  s.t.  $\forall v \nmid n, p$ ,  $\rho_f$  is unram. at  $v$  &  $\rho_f(\text{Frob}_v)$  has char poly:  $X^2 - a_v X + d_v N_{F/\mathbb{Q}} v$ .

Furthermore if  $k_{\theta} \geq 2 \forall \theta$  and  $v|p$ , then  $\rho_f|_{G_{F_v}}$  is de Rham (crystalline  $\Leftrightarrow v \nmid n$ ) with labelled HT weights  $(l_{\theta}, k_{\theta} + l_{\theta} - 1)_{\theta \in \Sigma_v}$ .

$$\left( \begin{array}{l} \text{i s.t. } \rho_f|_{G_{F_v}} = \bigoplus_{\theta \in \Sigma_v} \rho_{f, \theta} \\ \text{with } \rho_{f, \theta} \text{ HT weights } (l_{\theta}, k_{\theta} + l_{\theta} - 1) \end{array} \right)$$

$$F_v \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \overline{\mathbb{Q}}_p = \bigoplus_{\theta \in \Sigma_v} \overline{\mathbb{Q}}_p$$

Fontaine-Mazur-Langlands Conjecture: Every totally odd, irreducible, geometric  $\rho: G_F \rightarrow GL_2(\overline{\mathbb{Q}}_p)$  arises this way.

Folklore Conjecture: Every totally odd, irreducible  $\rho: G_F \rightarrow GL_2(\overline{\mathbb{F}}_p)$  arises this way (i.e.  $\cong \overline{\rho}_f$ )

What can we say about the possible  $n$  &  $\vec{k}$ ?

Minimal prime-to- $p$  part of  $n = \text{Artin conductor of } \rho$   
 (determined by  $\rho|_{\mathbb{I}_{F_v}}$  for  $v \nmid p$ )

$\vec{k}$ ? Again expect this to be determined  
 by  $\rho|_{\mathbb{I}_{F_v}}$  for  $v|p$ , but unlike  $F = \mathbb{Q}$ ,  
 not all  $\rho$  can arise from level prime to  $p$   
 (would  $\Rightarrow \det \rho|_{\mathbb{I}_{F_v}} = \omega_{\text{cyc}}^n$ ,  $n = k_0 + l_0 - 1$ ).

Instead take the alg. p.o.v. & ask if the  
 corresp. Hecke eigensystems arise in suitable  
 cohomology groups. Direct analogue would be:

$H^d(Y_1(n), \mathcal{V})$  for  $(n, p) = 1$  & suitable local  
 systems  $\mathcal{V} \leftrightarrow$  irred. reps of  $GL_2(\mathcal{O}_F/p)$  over  $\overline{\mathbb{F}}_p$ .  
 $d > 1$  introduces complications (e.g. torsion),  
 and this also isn't where the  $\rho_f$  come from.

Instead use Jacquet-Langlands to switch setting  
 from  $GL_2(F)$  to a suitable quat. alg.  $D/F$ .

For simplicity, assume for now  $d$  odd,  $p$  inert in  $F$ ,  
 and let  $D$  be a quat. alg. /  $F$  split at exactly one real place  
 and all finite places, so  $(D \otimes A_{\mathbb{F}})^{\times} \cong GL_2(A_{\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{F}})$

$\leadsto$  Shimura curve  $Y = Y_1^D(n)_F$  with

$$Y(\mathbb{C}) = D_{>0}^{\times} \backslash \mathbb{H} \times GL_2(A_{\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{F}}) / U_1(n) \cong \prod_t \Gamma_t \backslash \mathbb{H}$$

with locally const.  $\mathcal{V}_{\vec{m}, \vec{n}} = \prod_t \Gamma_t \backslash (\mathbb{H} \times V_{\vec{m}, \vec{n}})$

$$V_{\vec{m}, \vec{n}} = \bigotimes_{\theta \in \Sigma} (\det^{m_{\theta}} \otimes \text{Sym}^{n_{\theta}} \overline{\mathbb{F}}_p^2) \otimes_{\mathbb{R}} GL_2(\mathcal{O}_F/p),$$

irred  $\Leftrightarrow n_{\theta} \leq p-1 \quad \forall \theta$

Say  $\rho$  is modular of weight  $V_{\vec{m}, \vec{n}}$  (and level  $n$ )  
 if  $\pi_\rho (= \ker(\tilde{\pi} \rightarrow \overline{\mathbb{F}}_p))$  is in the support of  $H^1(Y(\mathbb{C}), V_{\vec{m}, \vec{n}})$   
 ( $\Leftrightarrow \rho$  arises in  $H_{\text{ét}}^1(Y_{\overline{\mathbb{F}}}, V_{\vec{m}, \vec{n}}^{\text{ét}})$ ).

As in the classical case, if  $\rho$  is modular, then

$$W_{\text{mod}}(\rho) := \{ \text{irred } V \mid \rho \text{ is modular of wt } V \text{ \& level prime to } p \}$$

is non-empty, and determines all possible wts (& level structures  
 at  $v|p$ ) of eigenforms  $f$  with all  $k_\theta \geq 2$   
 giving rise to  $\rho$  (i.e.  $\rho \cong \bar{\rho}_f$ ).

Conjecture:  $W_{\text{mod}}(\rho) = W_{\text{cris}}(\rho)$ , where

$$W_{\text{cris}}(\rho) := \{ V_{\vec{m}, \vec{n}} \mid \rho|_{G_{F_v}} \text{ has a crys. lift w/ labelled HT wts } (m_\theta, m_\theta + n_\theta - 1)_{\theta \in \Sigma} \}$$

This formulation is due to Gee, based on a more explicit  
 $W_{\text{mod}}(\rho) \subset W_{\text{cris}}(\rho)$ , later proved  $=$  by G-Liu-Savitt,  
 and generalizes to arbitrary totally real  $F$ .

Example:  $d=2$ ,  $p$  inert, fix  $\theta = \theta_0$ ,

$$\rho|_{G_{F_v}} = \begin{pmatrix} \psi & * \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \text{ with } \psi|_{I_{F_v}} = \omega_\theta^{a_0 + a_1 p},$$

$$1 \leq a_0, a_1 \leq p \text{ (not both 1)}$$

where  $\omega_\theta$  is the fund. char:

$$I_{F_v} \twoheadrightarrow \mathcal{O}_{F_v}^X \twoheadrightarrow (\mathcal{O}_F/p)^X \xrightarrow{\theta} \overline{\mathbb{F}}_p^X$$

$$g \longmapsto g(\bar{w})/\bar{w} \text{ mod } \bar{w}, \bar{w}^{p^2-1} = p$$

Then  $V_{\vec{0}, \vec{n}} \in W_{\text{cris}}(\rho)$ , where  $\vec{n} = (n_0-1, n_1-1)$ ,  
 but there may be more ...

Assume for simplicity  $\psi|_{I_{F_v}} \neq 1$  or  $w_{\text{cyc}} = w_{\theta}^{p+1} (= w_{\theta}^{p+p^2})$ .

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & \Downarrow & \Downarrow \\ & a_0 = a_1 = p-1 & a_0 = a_1 = p \end{array}$$

Then  $\chi \mapsto c_{\rho} \in H^1(G_{F_v}, \overline{\mathbb{F}}_p(\chi))$ , which has dim 2,  
and

$$\rho|_{I_{F_v}} = w_{\theta}^{-a'_0} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} w_{\theta}^{pa'_1} \chi & * \\ 0 & w_{\theta}^{a'_0} \end{pmatrix}$$

for some  $\vec{n}' = (a'_0, a'_1)$  with  $1 \leq a'_0, a'_1 \leq p$ ,

$$(\text{=} (p-a_0, a_1+1) \text{ if } a_0, a_1 < p)$$

$$\text{and get } \bigvee_{\vec{m}', \vec{n}'} \in W_{\text{cns}}(\rho) \iff c_{\rho} \in L'$$

where  $L'$  is a one-dim'l subsp. of  $H^1(G_{F_v}, \overline{\mathbb{F}}_p(\chi))$ .

Similarly get a  $\bigvee_{\vec{m}'', \vec{n}''} \in W_{\text{cns}}(\rho) \iff c_{\rho} \in L''$   
for some one-dim'l  $L'' (= L' \iff a_0 \text{ or } a_1 = p)$ ,

and get another weight if  $\rho|_{G_{F_v}}$  splits (i.e.  $c_{\rho} = 0$ ).

Theorem (Barnet-Lamb-G-Geraghty, G-Liu-Savitt, G-Kisin, Newton):  
If  $\rho$  satisfies a T.W hypothesis, then

$$W_{\text{cns}}(\rho) = W_{\text{mod}}(\rho).$$

Strategy initiated by Toby:

- Use automorphy lifting theorems to prove existence (!) and automorphy of lifts with prescribed local behavior at  $v|p$ .

- Play off the relation between the weights and level structures at  $p$ .

Example (related to DKS): Suppose  $p$  inert  $\&$   
 $\psi: (\mathbb{O}_F/p)^x \rightarrow \overline{\mathbb{Z}}^x$ . Then  $\rho \cong \bar{\rho}_\psi$  for some  $f$  of  
 wt  $\vec{k} = (2, \dots, 2)$ , level  $\pi p$ , char  $\psi$  (i.e. inertial type  $1 \oplus \psi$ ) at  $p$   
 $\Leftrightarrow \rho$  is modular of some wt  $\in \text{JH}(\text{Ind}_{\mathbb{B}}^{GL_2(\mathbb{O}_F/p)}(1 \otimes \bar{\psi}))$ .

Applying the approach with this example in the  
 classical setting already leads to a proof of the

Companion Forms Theorem: Suppose

$$\rho|_{I_p} \sim \begin{pmatrix} \omega^{k-1} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad 3 \leq k \leq p-1.$$

$$\text{Then } W_{\text{ans}}(\rho) = \{V_{0, k-2}, V_{k-1, p-1-k}\} \text{ (}\& V_{p-2, p-1} \text{ if } k=p-1\text{)}$$

Show  $\rho$  is modular of wt  $\mathbb{Z}$   $\&$  type  $1 \oplus \omega^{k-2}$ .

Therefore  $\rho$  is modular of some weight

$$\in \text{JH}(\text{Ind}_{\mathbb{B}}^{GL_2(\mathbb{F}_p)}(1 \otimes \omega^{k-2})) = \{V_{0, k-2}, \cancel{V_{k-2, p-1-k}}\}$$

$\Rightarrow$  modular of wt  $k$ , level prime to  $p$ .

In general, knowing the set of such  $\psi$ ,  
 or even all inertial types  $\tau$ , s.t.  $\rho$   
 is modular of wt  $(2, 2, \dots, 2)$   $\&$  type  $\tau$ , doesn't  
 determine  $W_{\text{mod}}(\rho)$ , but more refined info -  
 provided by the **Breuil-Mézard Conjecture** - does:

Gee et al prove that for  $\sigma: G_{F_v} \rightarrow GL_2(\overline{\mathbb{F}}_p)$ ,  
 $\exists \mu_{\vec{m}, \vec{n}}(\sigma)$  such that  $\forall$  inertial types  $\tau$ :

$$e_{\text{HS}}(\bar{R}_{\sigma, \tau}) = \sum_{\vec{m}, \vec{n}} \mu_{\vec{m}, \vec{n}}(\sigma) \cdot \nu_{\tau}(V_{\vec{m}, \vec{n}})$$

Furthermore (for  $\rho$  satisf. TW-hypothesis)

$$V_{\vec{m}, \vec{n}} \in W_{\text{mod}}(\rho) \Leftrightarrow \mu_{\vec{m}, \vec{n}}(\rho|_{G_{F_v}}) > 0 \Leftrightarrow V_{\vec{m}, \vec{n}} \in W_{\text{ans}}(\rho).$$



Here  $R_{\sigma, \tau} = \text{wt } (2, 2, \dots, 2)$ , type  $\tau$  deformation ring.

$e_{\text{HS}}$  = Hilbert-Samuel multiplicity

$\nu_{\tau}(V_{\vec{m}, \vec{n}}) = \text{mult of } V_{\vec{m}, \vec{n}} \text{ in the reduction}$

of a representation of  $\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{O}_{F, p})$  determined by  $\tau$  (via local Langlands & theory of types).

Everything above assumes  $k_{\theta} \geq 2 \quad \forall \theta \in \Sigma$ .

Next week - back to geometric setting to be able to study:

- (partial) weight one
- minimal weights
- $\theta$ -cycles