

$X = H \backslash G$  homogeneous spherical (affine  $\Leftrightarrow$  reductive)  
 " (normal, open Borel orbit)

$F = \text{global field}$

$\mathcal{L}_F = (\text{conjectural}) \text{ Langlands group}$

by Matsushima's Criterion  
 [Lu73] Luna, Slices étales, ch 2  
 [Ric77] Richardson, Affine coset spaces of reductive alg. gps.

Def Global Arthur parameter:  $\psi: \mathcal{L}_F \times SL_2(\mathbb{C}) \rightarrow \check{G}$

- $\mathcal{L}_F$  has bounded image
- $SL_2$  restriction is algebraic

$\mathcal{L}_F \longrightarrow \mathcal{L}_F \times SL_2(\mathbb{C}) \xrightarrow{\psi} \check{G}$  gives Langlands parameter  
 $w \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} w & |w|^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ & |w|^{-\frac{1}{2}} \end{pmatrix}$

$\check{G}$ -conj class  $[\psi] \rightsquigarrow$  A product of finite sets of  
 $A_{[\psi]} \subset L^2([G])$        $[G] = G(F) \backslash G(\mathbb{A})$   
 subspace of automorphic forms

Arthur conjecture:  $L^2([G]) = \int A_{[\psi]} \mu(\psi)$

(local-global compatibility)

Defn  $X$ -distinguished Arthur parameter is commutative diagram:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & \phi \text{id} & \rightarrow \check{G}_X \times SL_2 \\ \mathcal{L}_F \times SL_2 & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \downarrow \quad \text{to be constructed} \\ & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \check{G} \end{array}$$

where  $\phi$  is tempered (bounded on  $\mathcal{L}_F$ ) Langlands parameter into  $\check{G}_X$ .

Rank  $X$ -distinguished Arthur parameter is Arthur parameter into  $\check{G}$   
 plus a lift

Assumptions:  $\pi$  cuspidal for simplicity  
 $\pi$  irreducible unitary rep of  $G(\mathbb{A})$  tempered embedding  $\hookrightarrow C^\infty(\check{G})$

$$\pi = \bigotimes_v \pi_v$$

- Multiplicity one:  $\dim \text{Hom}_{G(F_v)}(\pi_v, C^\infty(X(F_v))) \leq 1$   
 (Jacquet shows mult one condition too restrictive)
- Use Tamagawa measure everywhere.

$$\mathcal{P}^{\text{Aut}}(f_1, f_2) = \int_{[H]} f_1 dh \cdot \int_{[H]} \bar{f}_2 dh \quad \text{Hermitian}$$

$$\langle , \rangle : \pi \otimes \bar{\pi} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$$

$$\mathcal{P}_{\nu}^{\text{Planch}} : \pi_{\nu} \otimes \bar{\pi}_{\nu} \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \quad H(F_v)\text{-biinvariant Hermitian}$$

$$\mathcal{P}_{\nu}^{\text{Planch}}(u_1, u_2) = \int_{H(F_v)} \langle \pi_{\nu}(h)u_1, u_2 \rangle dh$$

(RHS need strongly tempered assumption on  $X, G$   
but  $\mathcal{P}_{\nu}^{\text{Planch}}$  can be defined even without it)

multiplicity one



Global Conjecture (Period)  
Let  $\psi$  an  $X$ -distinguished Arthur-parameter (assume  $\check{G}_X \subset \check{G}$ )

Choose  $A'_{[\psi]} \subset A_{[\psi]}$  to contain each irrep w/ mult. one

and  $\mathcal{P}^{\text{Aut}}$  is zero on orthogonal complement of  $A'_{[\psi]}$ . ( $A'_{[\psi]}$  exists by multiplicity one assumption on  $X$ )

$$\boxed{\mathcal{P}^{\text{Aut}}|_{\pi} = \mathbb{Q}^{\times} \cdot \prod_v \mathcal{P}_{\nu}^{\text{Planch}}}$$

For  $\pi \hookrightarrow \mathcal{P}'_{[\psi]}$ .

RHS doesn't converge: for  $\pi_{\nu}$  unramified,  $u_0 \in \pi_{\nu}^{K_{\nu}}$ ,  $\langle u_0, u_0 \rangle = 1$

$$\frac{\mathcal{P}_{\nu}^{\text{Planch}}(u_0, u_0)}{\langle u_0, u_0 \rangle} = \frac{L_{X, \nu}(\text{central value})}{\text{"Plancherel measure for } \check{G}_X\text{"}} \xrightarrow{\text{Sakellaridis, "Spherical functions on spherical varieties"}}$$

$\check{G}_X$  is dual group of  $G_X$ .

Part of conjecture is that  $\prod_v L_{X, \nu}(s)$  has analytic continuation, and we can make sense of  $\prod_v \mathcal{P}_{\nu}^{\text{Planch}}$  using analytic cont.

Spectrally,  $L_X(s)$  seems to be L-function for some repn of  $\underline{\check{G}_X}$

E.g. (Godement-Jacquet, Tate)

$$X = \text{Mat}_n \hookrightarrow G = \text{GL}_n \times \text{GL}_n$$

$$L(\pi, \overset{\text{GL}_n}{\underset{\text{Std}}{\text{GL}}}, s)$$

(Rankin-Selberg)

$$X = \overline{\mathcal{P}_n^{\text{diag}}} \setminus \text{GL}_n \times \text{GL}_n$$

not affine

$$L(\pi, \pi_2, \otimes, s)$$

$$\mathcal{P}_n = \begin{pmatrix} * & * \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ mirabolic subgroup}$$