

Shintani zeta functions and Stark units 1:

Cases known for rank 1 abelian Stark conjecture:

TR_∞: $F = \mathbb{Q}$ example worked out

ATR: F imag. quadratic (elliptic units constructed using CM theory)

TR_p: $F = \mathbb{Q}$ Stickelberger's thm

Gross' refinement

other totally real base fields (under hypothesis) by

Darmann-Dasgupta-Pollack.

Only F s.t. Stark is known $\forall K/F$ is $F = \mathbb{Q}$ or $F = \text{imag. quad.}$

Motivation:

F imag. quad., K/F abelian.

$S = \infty_F \cup \{\text{places of } F \text{ ramified in } K\}$.

$v = \infty_F$, $w|v$.

Stark: $\sum'_{K/F, S}(\sigma, 0) = \frac{1}{e} \log |u^\sigma|_w$

$v_1, v_2: F \hookrightarrow \mathbb{C}$ $\bar{v}_1 = v_2$

$w_1, w_2: K \hookrightarrow \mathbb{C}$ $\bar{w}_1 = w_2$

$\sum'_{K/F, S}(\sigma, 0) = \frac{1}{e} \left[\log_2(w_1(u^\sigma)) + \log_2(w_2(u^\sigma)) \right]$.

CM theory: $W_\sigma(u^\sigma) = \text{CM value of an elliptic unit.}$

Idea:

$$\zeta_{K/F, S}(\sigma, s) = z_1(s) + z_2(s) \quad [F:\mathbb{Q}] = 2.$$

- $z_i(s)$ are not well-defined
- $z'_i(s)$ is mostly well-defined

* Decomposition arises in Shimura's proof of rationality of ζ -values of totally real fields at non-positive integers (1976).

Shimura zeta functions:

$$a \in \text{Mat}_{n \times d}(\mathbb{C}), \quad \text{Re}(a_i^j) > 0 \quad \forall i, j$$

$$x \in \mathbb{R}_{>0}^d, \quad x \neq 0.$$

Def: $\zeta(a, x, s) = \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0}^d} N(a(x+k))^{-s} \quad \text{Re}(s) > d/n.$

$$N \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ \vdots \\ c_n \end{pmatrix} = c_1 \cdots c_n.$$

Remark: $n=1$ case: Hurwitz zeta functions.

Thm: $\zeta(a, x, s)$ admit merom. continuation to \mathbb{C} .
 (proof later).

We now see the connection with partial zetas.

Ex: F/\mathbb{Q} real quadratic, $x \mapsto x\sigma$ emb.

$f \in \mathcal{O}_F$ s.t. $E(f) = \langle \varepsilon \rangle$, $0 < \varepsilon < 1$

$K = K_f$ ray class field

$\sigma \in \mathcal{O}_F$, $(\sigma, S_{\min}) = 1$, $(\sigma, f) = 1$.

$$\sum_{K/F, S} (\sigma, S) = \sum_{\substack{\omega \in \mathcal{O}_F \\ (\omega, S) = 1 \\ \omega \sim \sigma}} N \omega^{-s}$$

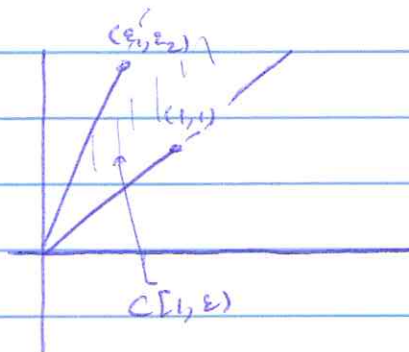
$$= N \sigma^{-s} \sum_{z \in (1 + \sigma^{-1}f)_{>0} / E(f)}$$

Exercises: 1) $(1 + \sigma^{-1}f)_{>0} / E(f) \xrightarrow{\sim} \{ \omega \in \mathcal{O}_F, (\omega, S) = 1, \omega \sim \sigma \}$

$$x \mapsto x\sigma$$

$$2) F_{>0} = \coprod_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \varepsilon^n c(1, \varepsilon)$$

$$c(1, \varepsilon) = \mathbb{Q}_{>0} \cdot 1 + \mathbb{Q}_{>0} \cdot \varepsilon$$



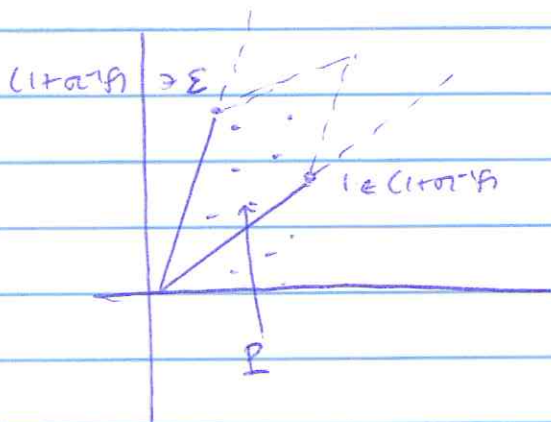
By 2) $(1 + \sigma^{-1}f)_{>0} \cap c(1, \varepsilon) \xrightarrow{\sim} (1 + \sigma^{-1}f)_{>0} / E(f)$

$$\therefore \sum_{K/F, S} (\sigma, S) = N \sigma^{-s} \sum_{z \in (1 + \sigma^{-1}f) \cap c(1, \varepsilon)}$$

Asymmetric boundary conditions inconvenient. To fix this,

$$c(1, \varepsilon) = c(1) \cup c(1, \varepsilon).$$

$$\sum_{K/F, S} (\sigma_{\alpha}, s) = N\sigma^{-s} \left(\sum_{(1+\sigma^{-1}P) \cap \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{C}}(1)} N z^{-s} + \sum_{(1+\sigma^{-1}P) \cap \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{C}}(1, \varepsilon)} N z^{-s} \right)$$



$$(1+\sigma^{-1}P) \cap \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{C}}(1, \varepsilon) = \bigsqcup_{\substack{z \in (1+\sigma^{-1}P) \cap \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{C}} \\ \text{finite}}} (z + \mathbb{Z}_{>0} \varepsilon + \mathbb{Z}_{>0} \varepsilon)$$

$$\sum_{(1+\sigma^{-1}P) \cap \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{C}}(1, \varepsilon)} N z^{-s} = \sum_{\substack{z \in (1+\sigma^{-1}P) \cap \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{C}}(1, \varepsilon) \\ z = x_1 + x_2 \varepsilon \\ x_i \in (0, 1] \cap \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{C}}}} \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0}^2} N((x_1 + k_1) + (x_2 + k_2) \varepsilon)^{-s}$$

$$= \sum_z \sum_k N \left(\begin{pmatrix} 1 & \varepsilon_1 \\ 1 & \varepsilon_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 + k_1 \\ x_2 + k_2 \end{pmatrix} \right)^{-s}$$

$M_{2,2}(\mathbb{R}_{>0})$

Thm: (Shintani): F totally real field, \exists a finite set V of places in $F_{>0}$ s.t.

$$F_{>0} = \bigsqcup_{\substack{c \in \mathbb{C} \\ \varepsilon \in \mathbb{E}(F)}} \mathbb{Z}^m c$$

Cor: $N\sigma^{-s} \sum_{K/F, S} (\sigma_{\alpha}, s)$ is a finite sum of Shintani zeta functions

Analytic Continuation and Heintze's Decomposition:

Euler: $\int_0^\infty e^{-nt} t^s \frac{dt}{t} = \Gamma(s) n^{-s}$

n-dim. version:

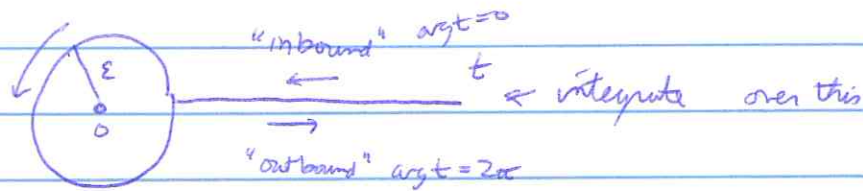
$\Gamma(s)^n \zeta(a, x, s) = \int_{(0, \infty)^n} e^{-tax} \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0}^d} e^{-tak} t^s \frac{dt}{t}$

prod. of d
geom. series

(where $t = (t_1, \dots, t_n)$, $t^s \frac{dt}{t} = t_1^s \dots t_n^s \frac{dt_1 \dots dt_n}{t_1 \dots t_n}$.)

$= \int_{(0, \infty)^n} G(k) t^s \frac{dt}{t}$ where

$G(k) = \prod_{j=1}^d \left(\frac{e^{ta_j^j(1-x_j)}}{e^{ta_j^j} - 1} \right)$



this was used by Riemann.

$I_\epsilon = \int_{(0, \infty)^n} \prod_{j=1}^d \frac{e^{ta_j^j(1-x_j)}}{e^{ta_j^j} - 1} t^s \frac{dt}{t}$

n=1: (Hurwitz zeta)

denom. $e^{ta^j} - 1$ has isolated 0 at $t=0$.

$$n > 1 \quad \text{denom} = e^{t_1 a_1^j + \dots + t_n a_n^j} - 1$$

- zero along a hyperplane through 0

$C(\infty, \varepsilon)^n$ > polydisc of radius ε .

Contour integral is not holo. on $C(\infty, \varepsilon)^n$ for any $\varepsilon > 0$!

Ahlfors's fix:

$$(0, \infty)^n = \bigsqcup_{i=1}^n D_i$$

$$D_i = \{ t : t_i \geq b_r \forall r=1, \dots, n \}$$

$$\text{on } D_i : t = u(y_1, \dots, y_{i-1}, 1, y_{i+1}, \dots, y_n)$$

$$(y_r = \frac{b_r}{a} \quad \bar{r} \neq i)$$

$$y_r \in (0, 1) \quad \forall r \neq i.$$

$$\int_{(0, \infty)^n} = \int_{(0, \infty)} \int_{(0, 1)^{n-1}}$$

$$J_\varepsilon = \int_{C(\infty, \varepsilon)} u^s \frac{du}{u} \int_{C(1, \varepsilon)} \prod_{j=1}^n \frac{e^{u y_j a^j (1-x_j)}}{e^{u y_j a^j} - 1} \prod_{r \neq i} y_r^s dy_r.$$

$$e^{u y_j a^j} - 1 = e^{u(y_1 a_1^j + \dots + \underbrace{1 a_i^j}_{> 0} + \dots + y_n a_n^j)} - 1$$

$$u \in C(\infty, \varepsilon) \Rightarrow |u| \geq \varepsilon.$$

$$\text{Considers } |y_r| = \frac{\varepsilon}{2}$$

This contour integral is holomorphic on the contour for ε small enough.

Greenberg

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$$Z_i(a_i, x, s) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(s)^n (e^{2\pi i n s} - 1)(e^{2\pi i s} - 1)^{n-1}} \int_E$$

$$\zeta(a, x, s) = \sum_{i=1}^n Z_i(a_i, x, s),$$

Abelian zeta functions and Stark units II:

o) Recall from last time:

$$a \in M_{n \times d}(\mathbb{C}), \operatorname{Re}(a_i^j) > 0, x \in \mathbb{R}_{>0}^d, x \neq 0$$

$$\zeta(a, x, s) = \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0}^d} N(a(x+k))^{-s} \quad \begin{array}{l} Nv = v_1 \cdots v_n \\ \operatorname{Re}(s) > \frac{d}{n} \end{array}$$

We showed

$$\zeta(a, x, s) = \sum_{i=1}^n \underbrace{z_i(a, x, s)}_{\substack{\text{I} \\ \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \mathbb{R}}}$$

$$\text{where } z_i(a, x, s) = c_n(s) \int_{\mathbb{C}(0, \varepsilon)} \frac{du}{u} u^{-s} \int_{\mathbb{C}(1, s)^{n-1}} G(u y |_{y_i=1}) \prod_{r \neq i} y_r^i \frac{dy_r}{y_r}$$

$$c_n(s) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(s)^n (e^{2\pi i s} - 1) (e^{-2\pi i s} - 1)^{n-1}}$$

$$G(t) = \prod_{j=1}^n \frac{e^{t a^j (1-x_j)}}{e^{t a^j} - 1} \quad (\text{for } s \text{ small enough})$$

1) Values of $\zeta(a, x, s)$ at nonpos. integers:

Residue calculus gives

$$z_i(a, x, 1-m) = \frac{(-1)^{n(m-1)}}{n} \frac{B_{i,m}(1-x)}{m!} \quad \mathbb{1} = (1, \dots, 1) \\ m \geq 1$$

$$\frac{B_{i,m}(1-x)}{(m!)^n} = \text{coeff. of } (G(u y |_{y_i=1}), (u^n y_1 \cdots y_i \cdots y_n)^{m-1})$$

ζ_x : value at $s=0$

$$I_{\mathcal{E}}(0) = \int_{C(\infty, \mathcal{E})} \frac{du}{u} \int_{C(1, \mathcal{E})^{n-1}} G(uy |_{y_i=1}) \frac{1}{y_1 \cdots \hat{y}_i \cdots y_n} dy_1 \cdots \hat{dy}_i \cdots dy_n$$

$$= (2\pi)^{n-1} \int_{C(\infty, \mathcal{E})} \frac{du}{u} \prod_{j=1}^d \frac{e^{ua_i^j(1-x_j)}}{e^{ua_i^j} - 1}$$

$$\prod_{j=1}^d = \prod_{j=1}^d \frac{1}{ua_i^j} \frac{(ua_i^j) e^{ua_i^j(1-x_j)}}{e^{ua_i^j} - 1}$$

\vdots

$$\zeta_i(a, x, 0) = \frac{(-1)^d}{n} \sum_{\substack{l_1 + \cdots + l_d = d \\ (l_1, \dots, l_d)}} \prod_{j=1}^d \frac{B_{l_j}(x_j)}{l_j!} (a_j)^{l_j-1}$$

$$\zeta_i(a, x, 0) \in \mathbb{Q}(\{x_i\}, \{a_i^j\}).$$

Thm (Klingen-Siegel): $\zeta_{K/F}(\sigma_m, 1-m) \in \mathbb{Q}$

Pf (Shintani): $a^1, \dots, a^d \in F_{\geq 0}$

$$\zeta(a, x, 0) = \sum_{x_j \in \mathbb{C}} \text{Tr}_{F/\mathbb{C}} \left(\prod_{j=1}^d \left\{ \frac{B_{l_j}(x_j)}{l_j!} (a_j)^{l_j-1} \right\} \right) \in \mathbb{C}$$

Dedekind sums

2) Shintani zeta functions for non-TR fields

$$F = \# \text{ field}, \quad v_i: F \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad i=1, \dots, r_i,$$

$$v_i: F \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \quad i=1, n, \dots, n$$

$$f \in \mathcal{O}_F, K = \mathbb{R} \text{ or } \mathbb{C}$$

$\exists \mathcal{C}$ cones s.t.

$$F_{>0} = \coprod_{\xi \in E(f)} \coprod_{c \in \mathcal{C}} \xi c$$

$$c = \sum_{j=1}^{d(c)} \alpha_j a_i^j \quad a_i^j \in F_{>0}$$

Problem: No guarantee $\operatorname{Re}(a_{c,i}^j) > 0$

Fix: At cost of refining $\mathcal{C} \exists u_{c,i} \in \mathbb{C}, c \in \mathcal{C},$

$i=1, \dots, n$ s.t.

$$\textcircled{1} |u_{c,i}| = 1 \quad \forall i$$

$$\textcircled{2} v_i = \bar{v}_i \Rightarrow u_{c,i} = \bar{u}_{c,i}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \operatorname{Re}(u_{c,i} a_{c,i}^j) > 0$$

$$u_c = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & & & \\ & \dots & & & \\ & & u_{c,n} & & \\ & & & \dots & \\ & & & & u_{c,n} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \Rightarrow N(u_c; a_c(x+k)) = N(a_c(x+k))$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{K/F, S} (\sigma_\alpha, s) = \sum_{c \in \mathcal{C}} \sum_{\substack{z \in (1+\alpha^{-1}f)nc \\ z = \sum_{j=1}^d x_j a_i^j \\ x_j \in (0,1]}} \zeta(u_c a_c, x, s)$$

Define:

$$z_i(\sigma, \mathcal{C}, \{u_i\}, s) = \sum_{c \in \mathcal{C}} \sum_{z \dots} z_i(u_c a_c, x, s)$$

$$\sum_{K/F} (\sigma_\alpha, s) = N \alpha^{-s} \sum_{i=1}^n z_i(\sigma, \mathcal{C}, \{u_i\}, s)$$

Ex: F imag. quad.

$$\sum_{K/F} z'_i(\sigma, \mathcal{C}, \{u_i\}, 0) = -\log |u^\sigma|_w \quad \forall \sigma \in \text{Gal}(K/F)$$

$$= -\log^w(u^\sigma) - \log^w(\overline{u^\sigma})$$

$$z'_1(0) + z'_2(0)$$

Thm (Shintani): $z'_i(-, 0) = \log(\text{cm-value of Siegel unit})$

(We'll see why this is indep. of choices we have made)

$n \geq 2$ $z'_i(\sigma, \mathcal{C}, \{u_i\}, 0)$ is not independent of the choices we have made.

3) Dependence on choices:

Thm: ① $z_i(\sigma, \mathcal{C}, \{u_i\}, 0)$ is well-defined

② If v_i is real, $z'_i(\sigma, \mathcal{C}, \{u_i\}, 0)$ is well-defined.

③ Suppose v_i is complex. $N(c, x) = \text{denom.}(\sum (u_c a_c, x, 0))$

Then set

$$\varphi_i(a_c, x) := z'_i(u_c a_c, x, 0) - \sum (u_c a_c, x, 0) \log |u_c|_i$$

Then

$$\varphi_i(a_c, x) \bmod \frac{2\pi i \mathbb{Z}}{N(c, x)} \quad \text{is independent of } \{u_c\}$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad \Phi_i(\sigma, \mathcal{C}) = \sum_{c \in \mathcal{C}} \sum_{z \in \dots} \varphi_i(a_c, x)$$

$$N(\sigma, \mathcal{C}) = \text{lcm}(\{N(c, x)\})$$

$$\Phi_i(\sigma, \mathcal{C}) \bmod \frac{2\pi i}{N(\sigma, \mathcal{C})} \mathbb{Z} \quad \text{is indep. of } \{u_c\}$$

$$\sum_{i \in I} \Phi_i(\sigma, \mathcal{C}) = \sum'_{K/F, S} (\sigma_{\sigma}, 0).$$

Worthwhile project: "T-smoothing" this whole discussion,
relate to Stark-Tate

$$\sum'_{K/F, S, T} (\sigma) = -\log |u_T^{\sigma}|_{\omega}$$

(u_T unique if it exists).

Smoothing Shimura:

- P: Casson-Norway consistⁿ of p-adic zeta function of totally real fields
- Dasgupta's refinement conjecture.

From now on we'll ignore all N 's.

Thm: $\forall i, \text{ complex}, \mathcal{C}, \mathcal{C}', \exists \varepsilon \in E(\mathbb{F}) \text{ s.t.}$

$$\Phi_i(\sigma, \mathcal{C}') = \Phi_i(\sigma, \mathcal{C}) + \log \varepsilon_i \pmod{2\pi i \mathbb{Z}}.$$

Pf: • $\Phi_i(\sigma, \mathcal{C})$ is invariant under subdivision of \mathcal{C} (Szeged)

- it suffices to consider:

$$\forall c \in \mathcal{C} \exists \varepsilon_c \in E(\mathbb{F}) \text{ s.t.}$$

$$\mathcal{C}' = \{ \varepsilon_c c : c \in \mathcal{C} \}$$

$$\text{Then } a_{\varepsilon_c} = \delta_c a_c. \quad \delta_c = \text{diag}(\varepsilon, \dots, \varepsilon) \quad \swarrow ?$$

$$\text{can take } u_{\varepsilon_c} = u_c \delta_c^{-1}$$

$$\varphi(a_{\varepsilon_i, c}, x) = \sum (u_{\varepsilon_i, c} a_c, x, 0) \log u_{\varepsilon_i, c} \cdot \varepsilon_{\varepsilon_i, c}^{-1}$$

$$= \varphi(a_c, x) - \sum (u_c a_c, x, 0) \log (u_{\varepsilon_i, c})$$

$\Rightarrow \varphi(a_{\varepsilon_i, c}, x)$

$$\varphi(a_{\varepsilon_i, c}, x) = \varphi(a_c, x) + \log \varepsilon_{\varepsilon_i, c}^{\sum (u_c a_c, x, 0)}$$

Now sum over x, c, \dots

4) Complex cubic fields (Ren-Suzuki):

F complex cubic, v_1 real emb. $\bar{v}_2 = v_3$.

$$E(\eta) = \langle \eta \rangle.$$

Want: $\mathcal{V} \bmod 2\pi i \mathbb{Z}$ some comb. of $\mathbb{F}_1(\sigma, \tau)$ & $\mathbb{F}_2(\sigma, \tau)$

s.t.

① $\mathcal{V} \bmod 2\pi i \mathbb{Z}$ is well-defined

$$\textcircled{2} (\mathcal{V} + \bar{\mathcal{V}}) = \sum_{K/F, S} (\sigma_{\sigma}, 0).$$

Conj: $\mathcal{V} = \log(\text{Stark unit})$.

$$\mathcal{V} := \phi_1(\xi, \sigma) \frac{\log \eta_2}{\log \eta_1} - \phi_2(\xi, \sigma).$$

$$\mathcal{V} + \bar{\mathcal{V}} = \frac{\log \eta_2}{\log \eta_1} (\phi_1(\xi, \sigma) + \phi_1(\bar{\xi}, \bar{\sigma})) - (\phi_2(\xi, \sigma) + \phi_2(\bar{\xi}, \bar{\sigma}))$$