

## Conjectural Extensions of the Gross-Zagier Theorem

### Gross Zagier Theorem:

$K \subset \mathbb{C}$  imag. quad. For simplicity assume class number 1.

$$D = |\text{disc}(K)|.$$

$N \in \mathbb{Z}^+$  s.t.  $\varphi|N \Rightarrow \varphi$  split in  $K$  (Heegner hyp)

Fix  $\mathcal{O} \subset \mathcal{O}_K$  s.t.  $\mathcal{O}_K/\mathcal{O} \cong \mathbb{Z}/N\mathbb{Z}$ .

Heegner pt.

$$\begin{array}{c} X = [\mathbb{C}/\mathcal{O}_K \rightarrow \mathbb{C}/N^{-1}] \in X_0(N)(K) \\ \downarrow \qquad \qquad \qquad \downarrow \\ X \in J_0(N)(K) \end{array}$$

Let  $f \in S_2^{\text{new}}(\Gamma_0(N))$ .

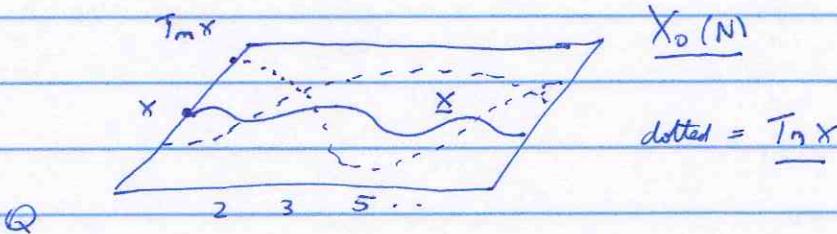
idempotent  $e_f \in$  Hecke algebra s.t.  $e_f \cdot S_2(\Gamma_0(N)) = \mathbb{C} \cdot f$ .

$$X_f = e_f \cdot X \in J_0(N)(K) \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{C}.$$

$$\text{Thm (Gross-Zagier): } \langle X_f, X_f \rangle_{N,T} = \frac{1}{\langle f, f \rangle_{\text{Pf}}} L'(f, K, 1).$$

Step 1: integral model  $X_0(N) \rightarrow \text{Spec}(\mathcal{O}_K)$

$X \in X_0(N)(\mathcal{O}_K)$  Zariski closure of  $X$ .



$I(x, T_n x)$ 

Gross computes intersection numbers.

 $a_m(\Theta(\tau) E'(\tau, 1))$ 

Fourier coeffs computed by Zagier.

$$\Theta(\tau) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \#\{a \in \mathcal{H} : a\bar{a} = m\} q^m \in M_1(\Gamma_0(D), x); \quad x = X_K/Q$$

 $E(\tau, s)$  is a wt 1 Eisenstein series.

They show these are equal. Of course there are a lot of other things going on here.

$$\text{Step II: } \Rightarrow \sum_m \langle x, T_n x \rangle_{\text{pt}} \cdot q^m = \Theta(\tau) E'(\tau, 1).$$

Apply  $e_f$  to both sides:

$$\langle x_f, x_f \rangle_{\text{pt}} f = \frac{\langle f, \Theta E' \rangle_{\text{pt}}}{\langle f, f \rangle_{\text{pt}}} f$$

Now use Rankin - Selberg:

$$\langle f, \Theta E' \rangle_{\text{pt}} = L(f, K, s).$$

$\downarrow$

$$\Theta(\tau) E(\tau, s).$$

One side is geometric, one side is automorphic. To generalize, we must consider how to generalize each side. The automorphic form side is easier to generalize.

Fix  $n \geq 2$ .  $f \in S_n^{\text{new}}(\Gamma_0(D), X^n)$ .

Let  $(\Lambda, H)$  be a self-dual pos. def. Hermitian lattice of rank  $n-1$ .

- $\Lambda$  is proj.  $\mathcal{O}_K$ -module of rank  $n-1$
- $H: \Lambda \times \Lambda \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_K$  pos. def. Hermitian form inducing  $\Lambda \cong \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{O}_K}(\Lambda, \mathcal{O}_K)$ .

$$\Theta_{\Lambda}(z) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \#\{a \in \Lambda : H(a, a) = m\} q^m \in M_{n-1}(\Gamma_0(D), X^{n-1})$$

Remark:  $(\Lambda, H) = (\mathcal{O}_K, N_m)^{\wedge n}$  gives  $\Theta_{\Lambda} = \Theta^{\wedge n}$ .

Rankin-Selberg L-function:

$$L(f \times \Theta_{\Lambda}, s) = \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{a_m(f) a_m(\Theta_{\Lambda})}{m^s}$$

Shift no fund. eqn is so  
 $s \longleftrightarrow -s$ .

$$L'(f \times \Theta_{\Lambda}, 0) = ????$$

This gives the automorphic side of things.

Now for the geometric side. Zhang and Nekovar have considered new things for  $\Theta$  at 1. The geometry there is with Kuga-Sata varieties. In this case things are totally different.

$GU(n-1, 1)$  Shimura variety.

$M = M_{(n-1,1)} = \text{moduli space of } (A, \kappa, \lambda, F) \text{ over}$

$\mathcal{O}_K$ -algebras  $i: \mathcal{O}_K \rightarrow R$

•  $A/R$  abelian scheme of dim  $n$ .

•  $\kappa: \mathcal{O}_K \rightarrow \text{End}(A)$  is an action of  $\mathcal{O}_K$

•  $\lambda: A \rightarrow A^\vee$   $\mathcal{O}_K$ -linear principal polarization.

•  $F \subset \text{Lie}(A)$   $\mathcal{O}_K$ -stable direct  $R$ -module

summand of rank  $n-1$  s.t.  $\mathcal{O}_K$  acts

on  $F$  via  $i: \mathcal{O}_K \rightarrow R$

$\mathcal{O}_K$  acts on  $\text{Lie}(A)/F$  via conjugate of

Has a canonical toroidal compactification.

Remark:  $M_{(1,1)}$  is almost  $X_0(D)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} X_0(D) &\longrightarrow M_{(1,1)} \\ [E \xrightarrow{\phi} E'] &\longleftrightarrow E \times E' \text{ with } \sqrt{-D} \text{ acting as} \\ &(x, y) \mapsto (\phi^*(y), -\phi(x)). \end{aligned}$$

$M$  has a canonical point:  $E = \mathbb{C}/\mathcal{O}_K$  with obvious  $\mathcal{O}_K$ -action

$\bar{E} = E$  with complex conj. action.

$$E^{n-1} \times \bar{E} \in M(\mathcal{O}_K).$$

From  $(\Lambda, H)$ , we can construct  $B = (\Lambda \otimes_{\mathcal{O}_K} \mathbb{C})/\Lambda$   
 symplectic form  $\lambda: \Lambda \times \Lambda \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$   $\lambda(x, y) = \frac{H(x, y) - H(y, x)}{\sqrt{-D}}$ .

This defines polarization, so gives an abelian variety.

Magnus point  $x \in B \times \bar{E} \in M(\mathcal{O}_K)$ .

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### Kudla-Rapoport Divisors:

Fix  $m > 0$ . Given  $A \in M(R)$   $R = \mathbb{Q}_p$ -algebra.

$\mathcal{O}_K$ -module  $\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{O}_K}(E_{/\mathbb{R}}, A)$  has a positive def. Hermitian form.

$$\langle f_1, f_2 \rangle = f_2^* \circ f_1 \in \text{End}_{\mathcal{O}_K}(E_{/\mathbb{R}}) = \mathcal{O}_K.$$

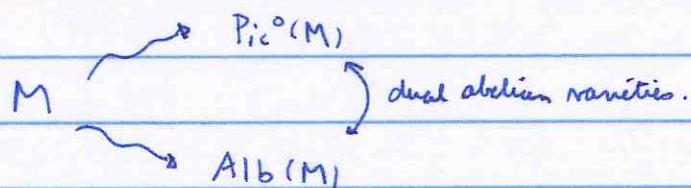
$KR(M) =$  moduli of  $(A, f)_{/\mathbb{R}}$  where

- $A \in M(R)$
- $f \in \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{O}_K}(E_{/\mathbb{R}}, A)$  s.t.  $f^* \circ f = m$

Remark: 1)  $KR(1) =$  locus of  $A$  on  $M$  at which  $A \cong ? \times E$ .

2) These divisors come from  $GU(n-2, 1) \hookrightarrow GU(n-1, 1)$ .

### Idea (too naive):



$$\langle KR(1)_f, x_f \rangle_{NT} = L'(f \times \Theta_{n,0}).$$

There are problems with this though.

### Arithmetic Chow groups:

$\hat{\mathbb{Z}}^1(M)$  contains arithmetic divisors

$\hat{Z}'(M) = \mathbb{R}$ -linear combinations  $(D, G)$  where  $D$  is a divisor on  $M$ ,  $G$  is Green function for  $D$  i.e., if  $f=0$  is local equation for  $D(G)$  in  $M(\mathbb{C})$  then

$G(z_i) + \log|f|^2$  extends smoothly across  $D(\mathbb{C})$ .

Principal arithmetic divisors  $\hat{B}'(M) = \mathbb{R}\text{-span}_\mathbb{Q} \{ (\text{div}(f), -\log|f|^2) \}$  for all rational functions  $f$ .

Arithmetic Chow group  $\hat{CH}'(M) = \hat{Z}'(M) / \hat{B}'(M)$

$\exists$  linear functional "intersection with  $x$ "  
 $\deg_x : \hat{CH}'(M) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ .

Fact: There are natural Green functions  $G_m$  for  $KR(m)$

$$\hat{KR}(m) = (KR(m), G_m) \in \hat{CH}'(M).$$

Conjecture: ① For some choice of  $\hat{KR}(0) \in \hat{CH}'(M)$  the generating series

$$\hat{KR} = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \hat{KR}(m) q^m \in \hat{CH}'(M)[[q]]$$

lies in

$$M_n(\Gamma_0(N), X^n) \otimes_{\mathbb{R}} \hat{CH}'(M)$$

② Given  $f \in S_n^{\text{new}}(\Gamma_0(N), X^n)$  can form

$$\hat{Z}(f) = \langle f, \hat{KR} \rangle_{\text{Poi}} \in \hat{CH}'(M)$$

Then  $\deg_x \hat{Z}(f) = L'(f \times \Theta_n, 0)$ .

Sketch of partial proof:

Find at least 2 Eisenstein series  $E(\tau, s)$  s.t.

$$\textcircled{1} \quad L(f \times \Theta_n, s) = \langle f, \Theta_n \cdot E \rangle_{\text{Pet}}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \forall m \quad \deg_x \hat{K}R(m) = a_m(\Theta_n E).$$

Suppose one knows these. Then one computes

$$\begin{aligned} \deg_x \hat{Z}(f) &= \deg_x \langle f, \hat{K}R \rangle_{\text{Pet}} \\ &= \langle f, \deg_x \hat{K}R \rangle_{\text{Pet}} \\ &= \langle f, \Theta_n \cdot E \rangle_{\text{Pet}} \quad \text{by } \textcircled{2} \\ &= L'(f \times \Theta_n, 0) \quad \text{by } \textcircled{1}. \end{aligned}$$

So all the hard work goes into proving  $\textcircled{2}$ .

Prop: Suppose  $m > 0$  and  $(\Lambda, H)$  does not represent  $m$ .

Then  $\textcircled{2}$  is true.

This simple case is the evidence for this conjecture. The Eisenstein series  $E(\tau, s)$  is given in a paper of Kudla-Yang.

Let  $K = \mathbb{Q}(i)$   $(\Lambda, H) = (\mathbb{Z}[i], N_m) \oplus (\mathbb{Z}[i], N_m)$ .

This represents every integer.. So this shows the ~~property~~ condition in the prop. is very restrictive.