



# On the Langlands reciprocity and functoriality principles

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**Abstract:** I shall describe my reflections on the Langlands reciprocity and functoriality principles.

Let  $K$  is a number field. The local Langlands group  $L_{K_\nu}$  of  $K_\nu$  is defined by  $L_{K_\nu} = WA_{K_\nu} = W_{K_\nu} \times \mathrm{SL}(2, \mathbb{C})$  if  $\nu \in \mathfrak{h}_K$ , and by  $L_{K_\nu} = W_{K_\nu}$  if  $\nu \in \mathfrak{o}_K$ , where  $W_{K_\nu}$  denotes the local Weil group of  $K_\nu$ . For each  $\nu \in \mathfrak{h}_K$ , fix a Lubin-Tate splitting  $\varphi_{K_\nu}$ . The local non-abelian norm-residue homomorphism

$$\{\bullet, K_\nu\}_{\varphi_\nu} : {}_{\mathbb{Z}}\nabla_{K_\nu}^{(\varphi_{K_\nu})} \xrightarrow{\sim} W_{K_\nu}$$

of  $K_\nu$  is defined and studied in the papers by E. Serbest and the author, where  ${}_{\mathbb{Z}}\nabla_{K_\nu}^{(\varphi_{K_\nu})}$  is a certain topological group constructed using Fontaine-Wintenberger theory of fields of norms. Fix  $\varphi = \{\varphi_{K_\nu}\}_{\nu \in \mathfrak{h}_K}$  and define the non-commutative topological group  $\mathcal{W}\mathcal{A}_K^\varphi$ , which depends only on  $K$ , by the “restricted free topological product”

$$\mathcal{W}\mathcal{A}_K^\varphi := \bigast_{\nu \in \mathfrak{h}_K} \left( {}_{\mathbb{Z}}\nabla_{K_\nu}^{(\varphi_{K_\nu})} \times \mathrm{SL}(2, \mathbb{C}) : {}_{\mathbb{Z}}\nabla_{K_\nu}^{(\varphi_{K_\nu})} \times \mathrm{SL}(2, \mathbb{C}) \right) * W_{\mathbb{R}}^{*r_1} * W_{\mathbb{C}}^{*r_2}.$$

Here,  $r_1$  and  $r_2$  denote the numbers of real and the pairs of complex conjugate embeddings of the global field  $K$  in  $\mathbb{C}$ . Note that,  $\mathcal{W}\mathcal{A}_K^{\varphi^{ab}} = \mathbb{J}_K$ . Let  $L_K$  denote the hypothetical Langlands group  $L_K$  of  $K$ . For  $\nu \in \mathfrak{h}_K \cup \mathfrak{o}_K$ , an embedding  $e_\nu : K^{sep} \hookrightarrow K_\nu^{sep}$  determines a continuous homomorphism  $e_\nu^{\mathrm{Langlands}} : L_{K_\nu} \rightarrow L_K$  unique up to conjugacy, which in return defines a continuous homomorphism

$$\mathrm{NR}_{K_\nu}^{(\varphi_{K_\nu})^{\mathrm{Langlands}}} : {}_{\mathbb{Z}}\nabla_{K_\nu}^{\varphi_{K_\nu}} \times \mathrm{SL}(2, \mathbb{C}) \xrightarrow[\sim]{\{\bullet, K_\nu\}_{\varphi_{K_\nu}} \times \mathrm{id}_{\mathrm{SL}(2, \mathbb{C})}} L_{K_\nu} \xrightarrow{e_\nu^{\mathrm{Langlands}}} L_K$$

unique up to conjugacy, for each  $\nu \in \mathfrak{h}_K$ . Fixing one such morphism for each  $\nu \in \mathfrak{h}_K$ , the collection  $\{\mathrm{NR}_{K_\nu}^{(\varphi_{K_\nu})^{\mathrm{Langlands}}}\}_{\nu \in \mathfrak{h}_K}$  defines a unique continuous homomorphism

$$\mathrm{NR}_K^{\varphi^{\mathrm{Langlands}}} : \mathcal{W}\mathcal{A}_K^\varphi \rightarrow L_K,$$

which is compatible with Arthur's proposed construction of  $L_K$ .

Let  $G$  be a connected, quasisplit reductive group over  $K$ . There is a bijection between the set of “ $WA$ -parameters”

$$\phi : \mathcal{W}\mathcal{A}_K^\varphi \rightarrow {}^L G(\mathbb{C}) = \widehat{G}(\mathbb{C}) \rtimes L_K$$

of  $G$  over  $K$  and the set  $\mathcal{P}_G$  whose elements are the collections

$$\{\phi_\nu : L_{K_\nu} \rightarrow {}^L G_\nu(\mathbb{C})\}_{\nu \in \mathfrak{h}_K \cup \mathfrak{o}_K}$$

consisting of local  $L$ -parameters of  $G_\nu$  over  $K_\nu$  for each  $\nu$ . Note that, assuming the local reciprocity principle for  $G_\nu$  over  $K_\nu$  for all  $\nu \in \mathfrak{h}_K \cup \mathfrak{o}_K$ , the set  $\mathcal{P}_G$  is in bijection with the set whose elements are the collections  $\{\Pi_{\phi_\nu}\}_{\nu \in \mathfrak{h}_K \cup \mathfrak{o}_K}$  of local  $L$ -packets of  $G_\nu$  over  $K_\nu$  for each  $\nu$ . As global admissible  $L$ -packets of  $G$  over  $K$  are the restricted tensor products of local  $L$ -packets of  $G_\nu$  over  $K_\nu$ , by Flath's decomposition theorem, we end up having the following theorems

**Theorem 1.** *Let  $G$  be a connected quasisplit reductive group over the number field  $K$ . Assume that the local Langlands reciprocity principle for  $G$  over  $K$  holds. Then, there exists a bijection*

$$\{WA\text{-parameters of } G \text{ over } K\} \leftrightarrow \{\text{global admissible } L\text{-packets of } G \text{ over } K\}$$

*satisfying the “naturalness” properties.*

and

**Theorem 2.** *Let  $G$  and  $H$  be connected quasisplit reductive groups over the number field  $K$ . Let*

$$\rho : {}^L G \rightarrow {}^L H$$

*be an  $L$ -homomorphism. Assume that the local Langlands reciprocity principle for  $G$  over  $K$  holds. Then, the  $L$ -homomorphism  $\rho : {}^L G \rightarrow {}^L H$  induces a map (lifting) from the global admissible  $L$ -packets of  $G$  over  $K$  to the global admissible  $L$ -packets of  $H$  over  $K$  satisfying the “naturalness” properties.*

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