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- {G<sub>i</sub>}<sub>i∈I</sub>: a collection of k<sub>ω</sub>-topological groups, where the index set I is countable.
- ▶ For all but finitely many  $i \in I$ , let  $O_i$  be a fixed open subgroup of  $G_i$ .
- I<sub>∞</sub>: the finite subset of *I* consisting of all *i* ∈ *I* for which O<sub>i</sub> is not defined.

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Universal mapping property of free products

## Universal mapping property of free products.

Let \*<sub>i∈I</sub> G<sub>i</sub> denote the free product of the collection {G<sub>i</sub>}<sub>i∈I</sub> together with the canonical embeddings

$$\iota_{i_o}:G_{i_o}\hookrightarrow \underset{i\in I}{*}G_i,$$

for each  $i_o \in I$ .

The universal mapping property of free products: Let *H* be a topological group s.t. ∀*i*<sub>o</sub> ∈ *I*, ∃ a cont. homomorphism φ<sub>i<sub>o</sub></sub> : G<sub>i<sub>o</sub></sub> → *H*.
 THEN: ∃! cont. homomorphism φ : \*<sub>i∈I</sub> G<sub>i</sub> → *H*, such that φ ∘ ι<sub>i<sub>o</sub></sub> = φ<sub>i<sub>o</sub></sub>, for every *i<sub>o</sub>* ∈ *I*.

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Definition of restricted free products of topological groups

## Definition (Restricted free products of top. groups).

For every finite subset S of I satisfying I<sub>∞</sub> ⊆ S, define the topological group

$$G_{\mathcal{S}} := \underset{i \notin \mathcal{S}}{*} O_i * \left( \underset{i \in \mathcal{S}}{*} G_i \right)$$

as the free product of the topological groups  $O_i$ , for  $i \in I - S$ , and  $G_i$ , for  $i \in S$ .

- *G<sub>S</sub>* exists in the category of topological groups.
- ▶ For finite subsets *S* and *T* of *I*, such that  $I_{\infty} \subseteq S \subseteq T$ , the continuous homomorphism

$$\tau_S^T: G_S \to G_T$$

for  $S \subseteq T$  is defined naturally by the "universal mapping property of free products".

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Definition of restricted free products of topological groups

► The restricted free product of the collection {G<sub>i</sub>}<sub>i∈1</sub> with respect to the collection {O<sub>i</sub>}<sub>i∈1-1∞</sub>, which is denoted by \*'<sub>i∈1</sub>(G<sub>i</sub> : O<sub>i</sub>), is defined by the injective limit

$$*_{i\in I}'(G_i:O_i):=\varinjlim_S G_S$$

of  $G_S$  over all possible such finite  $S \subset I$  s.t.  $I_{\infty} \subseteq S$ , where the connecting morphism are

$$\tau_S^T: G_S \to G_T$$

for  $S \subseteq T$ .

The topology on \*'<sub>i∈I</sub>(G<sub>i</sub> : O<sub>i</sub>): defined by declaring X ⊆ \*'<sub>i∈I</sub>(G<sub>i</sub> : O<sub>i</sub>) to be open if X ∩ G<sub>S</sub> is open in G<sub>S</sub> for every S. So, endowed with this topology, \*'<sub>i∈I</sub>(G<sub>i</sub> : O<sub>i</sub>) is a topological group. This is the place where the assumption that I is countable and ∀i ∈ I, G<sub>i</sub> is a k<sub>ω</sub>-group is used.

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Universal mapping property of restricted free products

## Universal mapping property of restricted free products.

- Let *H* be a topological group.
- ▶ Assume:  $\forall i \in I$ ,  $\exists$  a cont. homomorphism

$$\phi_i: G_i \to H.$$

#### THEN,

- ▶  $\exists$ ! cont. homomorphism  $\phi_S : G_S \to H$ ,  $\forall$  finite  $S \underset{finite}{\subset} I$  s.t.  $I_{\infty} \subseteq S$ , and
- ►  $\exists ! \text{ cont. homomorphism } \phi = \varinjlim_{S} \phi_{S} : *'_{i \in I}(G_{i} : O_{i}) \to H$ satisfying

$$\phi_{S} = \phi \circ c_{S} : G_{S} \xrightarrow{c_{S}} *'_{i \in I} (G_{i} : O_{i}) \xrightarrow{\phi} H,$$

where  $c_S: G_S \to *'_{i \in I}(G_i: O_i)$  is the canonical hom.,  $\forall S$ .

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Why restricted free products ?

#### Why restricted free products ?

Because :

$$st_{i\in I}'(G_i:O_i) \xrightarrow{\mathrm{ab}} (st_{i\in I}'(G_i:O_i))^{\mathrm{ab}} \xrightarrow{\sim} \prod_{i\in I}'(G_i^{ab}:O_i^{ab}).$$

Here,  $\prod_{i \in I}' (G_i^{ab} : O_i^{ab})$  is the restricted direct product of the collection  $\{G_i^{ab}\}_{i \in I}$  w.r.t. the collection  $\{O_i^{ab}\}_{i \in I-I_{\infty}}$ .

- Choosing the index set *I* as the set of places of a global field *K*, the groups *G<sub>i</sub>* for *i* ∈ *I*, and *O<sub>i</sub>* for *i* ∈ *I* − *I*<sub>∞</sub> as certain "arithmetical objects attached to the global field *K*" in such a way that *G<sub>i</sub><sup>ab</sup>* ≃ *K<sub>i</sub><sup>×</sup>* and *O<sub>i</sub><sup>ab</sup>* ≃ *U<sub>K<sub>i</sub></sub>* for places *i* of *K*, this group may be viewed as a non-commutative generalization of J<sub>K</sub>, the idèle group of *K*.
- Such a non-abelian generalization of the idèle group J<sub>K</sub> of K is only possible, if we have a reasonable local non-abelian class field theory over K<sub>ν</sub> in the sense of Hasse, for finite places ν of K.

Automorphic Langlands group  $L_K$  of a number field K

- Notation

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- K := a number field (or more generally a global field).
- $\mathbf{h}_K = \mathbf{f}_K :=$  the set of all finite places of K.
- $\mathbf{a}_K = \infty_K :=$  the set of all infinite places of K.
- $K_{\nu} :=$  the  $\nu$ -adic completion of K at a place  $\nu$  of K.

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Local non-abelian reciprocity map of  $K_{\nu}$  ( $\nu \in \mathbf{h}_{K}$ )

# Local non-abelian reciprocity map of $K_{\nu}$ ( $\nu \in \mathbf{h}_{K}$ ) The groups $\nabla_{\kappa_{\nu}}^{(\varphi_{\kappa_{\nu}})}$ for $v \in \mathbf{h}_{K}$

The aim here is to review very briefly the references [5,8] .

- ► For  $\nu \in \mathbf{f}_{\mathcal{K}}$ , we fix a lifting (=a Lubin-Tate splitting)  $\varphi_{\mathcal{K}_{\nu}}$  of the Frobenius automorphism  $\operatorname{Frob}_{\mathcal{K}_{\nu}}$  of  $\mathcal{K}_{\nu}^{\operatorname{pr}}$  to  $\mathcal{K}_{\nu}^{\operatorname{sep}}$ .
- There exists a topological group ∇<sup>(φ<sub>K<sub>v</sub></sub>)</sup><sub>K<sub>v</sub></sub> depending on K<sub>ν</sub>, whose construction uses the theory of APF-extensions and fields of norms of Fontaine-Wintenberger.
- ► The topological group ∇<sup>(φ<sub>κ<sub>v</sub></sub>)</sup> comes equipped with a topological isomorphism

$$\{\bullet, K_{\nu}\}_{\varphi_{\nu}}^{\text{Galois}}: \nabla_{K_{\upsilon}}^{(\varphi_{K_{\upsilon}})} \xrightarrow{\sim} G_{K_{\upsilon}},$$

we call the local non-abelian norm residue isomorphism of  $K_{\nu}$ , because it very much behaves like local abelian norm residue map of  $K_{\nu}$ .

In what follows, we shall consider the "Weil form" of the local non-abelian norm residue isomorphism

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

of  $K_v$ .

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Local non-abelian reciprocity map of  $K_{\nu}$  ( $\nu \in \mathbf{h}_{K}$ )

Local non-abelian reciprocity map of  $K_{\nu}$  ( $\nu \in \mathbf{h}_{K}$ ) Ramification filtration on  $W_{\kappa_{\nu}}$  in upper numbering

There exists a subgroup <sub>Z</sub>∇<sup>(φκ<sub>v</sub>) <u>e</u></sup> of <sub>Z</sub>∇<sup>(φκ<sub>v</sub>)</sup> so that the "Weil form" of the local non-abelian norm residue isomorphism {●, K<sub>ν</sub>}<sup>Weil</sup> of K<sub>v</sub> induces an isomorphism

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

of topological groups (for details look at [6]).

The well-known "local abelian class field theory" and the "local non-abelian class field theory" can be summarized and associated via the following tables :

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Local non-abelian reciprocity map of  $K_{\nu}$  ( $\nu \in \mathbf{h}_{K}$ )

## Local non-abelian reciprocity map of $K_{\nu}$ ( $\nu \in \mathbf{h}_{K}$ ) Summary

Non-abelian local C.F.T. ( $\varphi_K$ fixed)		
$G_{K_{ u}}$	$ abla_{\mathcal{K}_{ u}}^{(arphi_{\mathcal{K}_{ u}})}$	
$W_{K_{ u}}$	$_{\mathbb{Z}}  abla^{(arphi_{\kappa_{ u}})}_{\kappa_{ u}}$	
$W^0_{K_{\nu}}$	$_{1} abla_{\mathcal{K}_{ u}}^{(arphi_{\mathcal{K}_{ u}})\underline{0}}$	
$W^{\delta}_{K_{ u}}, \ \delta \in (i-1,i]$	$_{1} abla^{(arphi_{\kappa_{ u}})^{\underline{i}}}_{\kappa_{ u}}$	

#### and via abelianization:

Abelian local class fie	ld theory		
$G^{ab}_{K_ u}$	$\widehat{K_{\nu}^{ imes}}$		
$W^{ab}_{K_{ u}}$	$K_ u^ imes$		
$W^{ab0}_{K_{ u}}$	$U_{K_{ u}}$		
$W^{ab\delta}_{K_ u}, \; \delta \in (i-1,i]$	$U^i_{K_ u}$		
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└─ The local Langlands group  $L_{K_{\nu}}$  of  $K_{\nu}$  ( $\nu \in \mathbf{h}_{K} \cup \mathbf{a}_{K}$ )

# The local Langlands group $L_{K_{\nu}}$ of $K_{\nu}$ ( $\nu \in \mathbf{h}_{K} \cup \mathbf{a}_{K}$ )

► The absolute Langlands group L<sub>K<sub>ν</sub></sub> of K<sub>ν</sub> (which exists!) is defined by:

• 
$$L_{K_{\nu}} := WA_{K_{\nu}} := W_{K_{\nu}} \times SU(2, \mathbb{R})$$
, if  $\nu \in \mathbf{h}_{K}$ ;

•  $L_{K_{\nu}} := W_{K_{\nu}}$ , if  $\nu \in \mathbf{a}_{K}$ ,

where  $W_{K_{\nu}}$  denotes the Weil group of  $K_{\nu}$ . Recall:  $W_{\mathbb{C}} = \mathbb{C}^{\times}$ and  $W_{\mathbb{R}} = \mathbb{C}^{\times} \cup j\mathbb{C}^{\times}$ .

▶ For  $\nu \in \mathbf{h}_{K}$ , fix a Lubin-Tate splitting  $\varphi_{K_{\nu}}$ . The local non-abelian norm residue isomorphism

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

of  $K_{\nu}$  in "Weil form" induces an isomorphism

$$\{\bullet, \mathcal{K}_{\nu}\}_{\varphi_{\nu}}^{\mathrm{Langlands}} : {}_{\mathbb{Z}}\nabla_{\mathcal{K}_{\nu}}^{(\varphi_{\mathcal{K}_{\nu}})} \times \mathrm{SU}(2, \mathbb{R}) \xrightarrow{\{\bullet, \mathcal{K}_{\nu}\}_{\varphi_{\mathcal{K}_{\nu}}}^{\mathrm{Weil}} \times \mathrm{id}_{\mathrm{SU}(2, \mathbb{R})}}{\sim} \mathcal{L}_{\mathcal{K}_{\nu}},$$

the local non-abelian norm residue isomorphism of  $K_{\nu}$  in "Langlands form".

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Weil-Arthur idèles of K

## Weil-Arthur idèles of K

Fix 
$$\underline{\varphi} = \{\varphi_{\mathcal{K}_{\nu}}\}_{\nu \in \mathbf{h}_{\mathcal{K}}}.$$

▶ Define an unconditional non-commutative topological group WA<sup>𝒯</sup><sub>K</sub> depending only to the number field K, which we called the Weil-Arthur idèle group of K, by the restricted free product

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of the collection  $\{\mathbb{Z}\nabla_{K_{\nu}}^{(\varphi_{K_{\nu}})} \times \mathrm{SU}(2,\mathbb{R})\}_{\nu \in h_{K}} \cup \{W_{K_{\nu}}\}_{\nu \in a_{K}}$  with respect to the collection  $\{_{1}\nabla_{K_{\nu}}^{(\varphi_{K_{\nu}})\underline{0}} \times \mathrm{SU}(2,\mathbb{R})\}_{\nu \in h_{K}}$ . Here,  $r_{1} = \#(\mathbf{a}_{K,\mathbb{R}})$  and  $2r_{2} = \#(\mathbf{a}_{K,\mathbb{C}})$ .

The topological group WA<sup>φ</sup><sub>K</sub> can be considered as a non-commutative generalization of the idèle group J<sub>K</sub> of K, because WA<sup>φab</sup><sub>K</sub> = J<sub>K</sub>.

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# Automorphic Langlands group $L_K$ of K

- Let L<sub>K</sub> denote the hypothetical automorphic Langlands group L<sub>K</sub> of the number field K.
   Assumption: Assume that L<sub>K</sub> exists for now.
- It is expected that, an embedding e<sub>ν</sub> : K<sup>sep</sup> → K<sup>sep</sup><sub>ν</sub> determines a homomorphism (unique up to L<sub>K</sub>-conjugacy) e<sup>Langlands</sup><sub>ν</sub> : L<sub>K<sub>ν</sub></sub> → L<sub>K</sub>.
- Therefore, for  $\nu \in \mathbf{h}_{\mathcal{K}}$ , there exists a morphism

$$_{\mathbb{Z}}\nabla^{(\varphi_{K_{\nu}})}_{\mathcal{K}_{\nu}}\times \mathrm{SU}(2,\mathbb{R})\xrightarrow[\sim]{\{\bullet,K_{\nu}\}_{\varphi_{K_{\nu}}}^{\mathrm{Langlands}}}L_{\mathcal{K}_{\nu}}\xrightarrow[\sim]{e_{\nu}^{\mathrm{Langlands}}}L_{\mathcal{K}}$$

(unique up to  $L_{\mathcal{K}}$ -conjugacy).

So, by the universal mapping property of restricted free products, we state **the main result of our talk**:

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Theorem (The global non-abelian norm residue map of K in "Langlands form")

The collection of arrows  $\{e_{\nu}^{\text{Langlands}} \circ \{\bullet, K_{\nu}\}_{\varphi \kappa_{\nu}}^{\text{Langlands}}\}_{\nu \in \mathbf{h}_{\kappa}}$  defines a unique continuous homomorphism

$$\mathsf{NR}_{\overline{K}}^{\underline{\varphi}^{\mathrm{Langlands}}}: \mathcal{WA}_{\overline{K}}^{\underline{\varphi}} \to L_{K},$$

which is unique up to "local  $L_K$ -conjugation".

- Moreover, this result is compatible with Arthur's construction of L<sub>K</sub> (look at [2]).
- The arrow  $NR_{K}^{\underline{\varphi}^{Langlands}} : \mathcal{WA}_{K}^{\underline{\varphi}} \to L_{K}$  behaves like global abelian norm residue map of K (look at [3]).

We conclude our talk with the following conjecture:

#### Conjecture

The homomorphism  $NR_{\overline{K}}^{\underline{\varphi}^{\text{Langlands}}} : \mathcal{WA}_{\overline{K}}^{\underline{\varphi}} \to L_{K}$  is open and surjective.

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#### THINKING NOW!

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