

3.3 Moduli spaces with parahoric level structure 06.12.2021.

$N \geq 3$, $(p, N) = 1$, $\mathcal{I} = \{0, 1, \dots, g\}$

$\mathcal{A}_{g, \mathcal{I}} = \mathcal{A}_{\mathcal{I}}$: moduli space / $\mathbb{Z}_{(p)}[\xi_N]$ parameterizing complete chain of abelian varieties

$$(A_0 \xrightarrow{\alpha} A_1 \xrightarrow{\alpha} \dots \xrightarrow{\alpha} A_g, \lambda_0, \lambda_g, \eta), \text{ where}$$

- A_i : g -dim'l abelian variety
- α : isogeny of degree p .
- λ_0, λ_g : principal polarizations on A_0, A_g , resp.
s.t. $(\alpha^*)^* \lambda_g = p \cdot \lambda_0$.
- η : level- N structure on A_g .

$\pi: \mathcal{A}_{\mathcal{I}} \rightarrow \text{Spec } \mathbb{Z}_{(p)}[\xi_N]$: Siegel moduli scheme with Iwahori level structure (at p).

Thm (1) (Görtz, RZ conjecture) $\pi: \mathcal{A}_{\mathcal{I}} \rightarrow \text{Spec } \mathbb{Z}_{(p)}[\xi_N]$ is flat of relative dimension $g(g+1)/2$.

(2) (de Jong, Yu) The special fiber $\mathcal{A}_{\mathcal{I}} \otimes \bar{\mathbb{F}_p}$ is connected and has 2^g irreducible components.

For each $\emptyset \neq J \subset I$, one associates a moduli space A_J of partial chain of abelian varieties indexed by J .

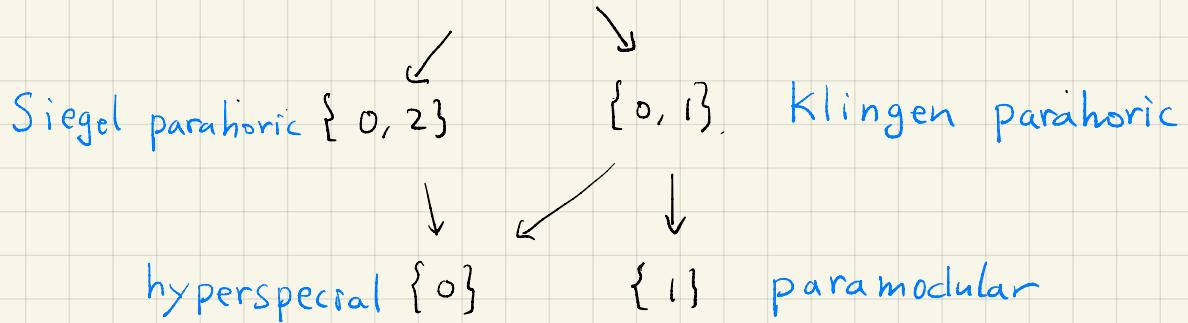
$$(A_{j_0} \xrightarrow{\alpha_1} A_{j_1} \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow A_{j_r}), \quad \lambda_{j_0}, \lambda_{j_r} \text{ polarizations of } A_{j_0}, A_{j_r}$$

st. λ_{j_0} = pull-back of λ_{j_r} $J = \{j_0, \dots, j_r\}$

- $\ker \lambda_{j_0} \subseteq A_{j_0}[p]$, (polarization of parahoric type)
- \Leftrightarrow polarization type of $\lambda_{j_0} = (p, \dots, p, 1, \dots, 1)$.

A_J = Siegel moduli scheme with parahoric level structure of type J .

For example: $g=2$, $I = \{0, 1, 2\}$ Iwahori



Thm: (1) (Görtz) $\pi: A_J \rightarrow \text{Spec } \mathbb{Z}_{(p)}[\xi_K]$ flat of relative dim

$$g(g+1)/2$$

(2) (Yu.) $A_J \otimes \bar{\mathbb{F}_p}$ is connected and has $(k_1 + 1) \cdots (k_r + 1)$

irreducible components, where $k_i = j_i - j_{i-1}$.

In particular, if $|J|=1$, then $A_J \otimes \bar{\mathbb{F}_p}$ is irreducible.

One important ingredient of the proof for irreducibility

the ordinary locus $\mathcal{A}_J^{\text{ord}} \subseteq \mathcal{A}_J$ is Zariski dense. So even for studying the geometry of the whole moduli space, we do need to study the classification of subvarieties.

§ 4 Dieudonné modules.

4.1. k : perfect field of char $p > 0$.

$W = W(k)$: the ring of Witt vectors over k , $B(k) = \text{Frac } W$.

σ : Frobenius map on W and on $B(k)$.

Def. A Dieudonné module over k is a finite W -module M

together a σ -linear map F (Frobenius) and a

σ^1 -linear map V (Verschiebung) on M . s.t. $FV = VF = P$.

σ : linear : $F(am) = \sigma(a)F(m)$ $a \in W, m \in M$

σ^1 -linear : $V(am) = \sigma^1(a)V(m)$.

If M is free/ W , it's equiv. to (M, F) s.t.

$$PM \subseteq FM \subseteq M \quad (\because V = P \cdot F^{-1} : M \rightarrow M)$$

Examples (1) M : free W -basis e_1, e_2 .

$$\begin{array}{ll} F: & e_1 \rightarrow e_1 \\ & e_2 \rightarrow pe_2 \\ V: & e_1 \rightarrow pe_1 \\ & e_2 \rightarrow e_2 \end{array} \quad \text{ordinary}$$

(2) M free, W -basis e_1, e_2

$$\begin{array}{ll} F: & e_1 \rightarrow e_2 \\ & e_2 \rightarrow pe_1 \\ V: & e_1 \rightarrow e_2 \\ & e_2 \rightarrow pe_1 \end{array} \quad \text{supersingular.}$$

(3) General construction. $n = \text{rank } M$

choose two W -bases

$$\begin{matrix} x_1, \dots, x_n \\ y_1, \dots, y_n \end{matrix}, \quad 1 \leq a \leq n.$$

$$x_1 \mapsto py_1$$

$$y_1 \mapsto x_1$$

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$$F: \begin{matrix} x_a \mapsto py_a \\ x_{a+1} \mapsto y_{a+1} \end{matrix}$$

$$V: \begin{matrix} y_a \mapsto x_a \\ y_{a+1} \mapsto px_{a+1} \end{matrix}$$

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$$x_n \mapsto y_n$$

$$y_n \mapsto px_n.$$

Conversely every W -free Dieudonné module arises in this way.

$$M/V_M = k\langle x_{a+1}, \dots, x_n \rangle, \quad VM_{pM} = k\langle x_1, \dots, x_a \rangle.$$

$$[y_1, \dots, y_n] = [x_1, \dots, x_n] \left[\begin{array}{c|c} A & B \\ \hline C & D \end{array} \right]^a \quad [x_1, \dots, x_n] \left[\begin{array}{c|c} A & B \\ \hline C & D \end{array} \right]^{n-a}$$

$$F[x_1, \dots, x_n] = [py_1, \dots, py_a, y_{a+1}, \dots, y_n]$$

$$= [y_1, \dots, y_n] \left[\begin{array}{c|c} p & \\ \hline & I \end{array} \right] = [x_1, \dots, x_n] \left[\begin{array}{c|c} A & B \\ \hline C & D \end{array} \right] \left[\begin{array}{c|c} p & \\ \hline & I \end{array} \right]$$

$$= [x_1, \dots, x_n] \left[\begin{array}{c|c} PA & B \\ \hline PC & D \end{array} \right]$$

$$M \longleftrightarrow \left[\begin{array}{c|c} A & B \\ \hline C & D \end{array} \right] \in GL_n(W)$$

$x_1, \dots, x_n \in VM$ s.t. $\bar{x}_1, \dots, \bar{x}_n$ k -basis on VM/PM (31)

$x_{n+1}, \dots, x_n \in M$ s.t. $\bar{x}_{n+1}, \dots, \bar{x}_n$ k -basis on M/VM .

x'_1, \dots, x'_n another W -basis.

$$[x'_1, \dots, x'_n] = [x_1, \dots, x_n] \cdot P, \quad P = \begin{bmatrix} A_1 & B_1 \\ PC_1 & D_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$F \cdot [x'_1, \dots, x'_n] = F \cdot [x_1, \dots, x_n] \cdot \sigma(P)$$

$$= [x_1, \dots, x_n] \begin{bmatrix} PA & B \\ PC & D \end{bmatrix} \sigma(P)$$

$$= [x'_1, \dots, x'_n] \overbrace{P^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} P \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}}^{\sigma(P)^*} \sigma(P) \begin{bmatrix} P^{-1} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} P \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow F \cdot [x'_1, \dots, x'_n] = [x'_1, \dots, x'_n] P^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{bmatrix} \sigma(P)^* \begin{bmatrix} P \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= [x'_1, \dots, x'_n] \begin{bmatrix} A' & B' \\ C' & D' \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} P \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Prop : M, M' : Dieudonné modules with $a = \dim VM/PM = \dim VM'/PM'$.

Suppose $M \& M'$ are defined by $g = \begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{bmatrix}$ and $g' = \begin{bmatrix} A' & B' \\ C' & D' \end{bmatrix}$, resp.

$$(1) \quad M \simeq M' \Leftrightarrow \exists P = \begin{bmatrix} A_1 & B_1 \\ PC_1 & D_1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ s.t.}$$

$$g' = P^{-1} \cdot g \cdot \sigma(P)^*,$$

where $*$ is the involution $\begin{bmatrix} A_1 & B_1 \\ PC_1 & D_1 \end{bmatrix} \mapsto \begin{bmatrix} A_1 & PB_1 \\ C_1 & D_1 \end{bmatrix}$

(2) Write $\bar{M} := M/P\bar{M}$. Then $\bar{M} \cong \bar{M}' \iff$

$$\exists Q_1 = \begin{pmatrix} \bar{A}_1 & 0 \\ \bar{C}_1 & \bar{D}_1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } Q_2 = \begin{pmatrix} \bar{A}_2 & \bar{B}_2 \\ 0 & \bar{D}_2 \end{pmatrix} \text{ in } GL_n(k)$$

with $\bar{A}_1 \cdot \bar{A}_2 = id_a$, $\bar{D}_1 \cdot \bar{D}_2 = id_{n-a}$ s.t. $\bar{g}' = Q_2 \cdot \bar{g} \cdot \sigma(Q_1)$.

Pf: (1) follows from our computation.

$$(2) \text{ Write } P = \begin{pmatrix} A_1 & B_1 \\ PC_1 & D_1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } P^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} A_2 & B_2 \\ PC_2 & D_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} id_a & 0 \\ 0 & id_{n-a} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A_1 & B_1 \\ PC_1 & D_1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A_2 & B_2 \\ PC_2 & D_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A_1 A_2 + PB_1 C_2 & A_1 B_2 + B_1 D_2 \\ P(C_1 A_2 + D_1 C_2) & D_1 D_2 + PC_1 B_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{A}_1 \cdot \bar{A}_2 = id_a, \quad \bar{D}_1 \cdot \bar{D}_2 = id_{n-a}$$

$$\bar{C}_1 \cdot \bar{A}_2 + \bar{D}_1 \cdot \bar{C}_2 = 0 \Rightarrow \bar{C}_1: \text{can be arbitrary.} \because \bar{C}_2: \text{solvabale,}$$

$$\bar{A}_1 \cdot \bar{B}_2 + \bar{B}_1 \cdot \bar{D}_2 = 0 \Rightarrow \bar{B}_2: \text{can be arbitrary} \because \bar{B}_1: \text{solvabale.}$$

$$g' = P^{-1} g \sigma(P)^* \Rightarrow \bar{g}' = \begin{pmatrix} \bar{A}_2 & \bar{B}_2 \\ 0 & \bar{D}_2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \bar{g} \cdot \sigma \begin{pmatrix} \bar{A}_1 & 0 \\ \bar{C}_1 & \bar{D}_1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{Put } Q_2 = \begin{pmatrix} \bar{A}_2 & \bar{B}_2 \\ 0 & \bar{D}_2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad Q_1 = \begin{pmatrix} \bar{A}_1 & 0 \\ \bar{C}_1 & \bar{D}_1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \square$$

4.2 Duality

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Def. M : Dieudonné module over k .

$$M^t := \begin{cases} \text{Hom}_W(M, W) & \text{if } M: \text{free as } W\text{-module} \\ \text{Hom}_W(M, B(k)/W) & \text{if } M \text{ of finite length. i.e. } P^n M = 0 \\ & \text{for some } n. \end{cases}$$

and $Ff(m) := F(vm)^\sigma$, $Vf(m) := f(Fm)^\sigma$

for $f \in M^t$, $m \in M$.

Then M^t is a Dieudonné module / k , called the **dual** of M .

- $Ff(am) = f(V(am))^\sigma = [\sigma(a) \cdot f(Vm)]^\sigma$
 $= a \cdot f(Vm)^\sigma = a \cdot (Ff)(m)$

$F: M^t \rightarrow M^t$. Same as V

- $F(af)(m) = [(af)(Vm)]^\sigma = \sigma(a) \cdot f(Vm)^\sigma = \sigma(a)(Ff)(m)$

$F: M^t \rightarrow M^t$ σ -linear. Similarly. $V: M^t \rightarrow M^t$ σ^{-1} -linear.

? Is there a uniform definition for M^t ?

; M : f.g. W -module & W complete, M is complete.

write $M = \varprojlim M/P^n M$, $M^t = \varinjlim_n (M/P^n M)^t$
 $= \text{Hom}(M, B(k)/W)$

M^t not f.g. W -module, though good dual object.

4.3 p -divisible groups.

Def. (1) A p -divisible group of height h over k is

an inductive system $(G_n, G_n \hookrightarrow G_{n+1})$, or $G = \varinjlim G_n$.

(i) G_n : finite commutative group scheme of rank $p^{n \cdot h} \forall n$

(ii) $G_n = G_{n+1}[p^n]$,

(iii) $p: G_{n+1} \rightarrow G_n$: faithfully flat.

(2) A p -divisible group over a base scheme S is an inductive system $(G_n, G_n \rightarrow G_{n+1})$ of **locally free** finite group schemes G_n satisfies (i) and (iii).

$(G_n)_S, T \rightarrow S$ Then $(G_n)_T := (G_n \times_S T)_n$.

(3) G : finite comm. gp scheme / k .

Then we have a canonical filtration: $0 \subset G^m \subset G^\circ \subset G$.

and G/G° is étale. G is called étale if $G^\circ = 0$

multiplicative if $G^\circ: \text{étale i.e. } G = G^m$

unipotent if $G^m = 0$.

Def. The Cartier dual G^\vee of G is the finite group scheme

that represents the group functor $\text{Hom}(G, \mathbb{G}_m)$.

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A : abelian variety / k , $A[p^\infty] = \varprojlim A[p^n]$: p -divisible gp

4.4 Classical Dieudonné theory

Thm k : perfect field of char $p > 0$.

(1) There is an anti-equivalence of categories

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} p\text{-divisible} \\ \text{groups over } k \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{M^*} \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{Dieudonné modules over} \\ k, \text{ free as } W\text{-modules} \end{array} \right)$$

(2) There is an anti-equivalence of categories

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} \text{commutative finite} \\ \text{group schemes over } k \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{M^*} \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{Dieudonné modules over} \\ k \text{ of finite length} \end{array} \right)$$

(1) follows from (2) : $G = \varinjlim G_n$

$$M^*(G) := \varprojlim M^*(G_n), \quad M^*(G_n) : \text{free } W_{p^n}\text{-module}$$

of rank h .

For (2). one first constructs an anti-equiv of cat.

$$(*) \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{contm. unipotent} \\ \text{finite gp schemes/k} \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{M^*} \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{Dieudonné modules/k} \\ \text{of finite length, st } V \\ \text{is nilpotent} \end{array} \right)$$

and use the decompose $G = G^m \oplus G^{\text{uni}}$

If G multiplicative, $M^*(G) := M^*(G^\Delta)^t$

To do (*), one first constructs a group scheme \mathbb{W} over k ,
on which we have $\mathbb{W}(k)$ -module structure

and operators F which are σ -linear
 V which are σ^{-1} -linear s.t. $FV = VF = P$

Then define $M^*(G) := \underset{\rightarrow}{\text{Hom}}(G, \mathbb{W})$.

An ad hoc covariant version: $M(G) = M^*(G)^t$,

for G : p -divisible group, or G : finite group scheme.

Remark

When G : connected p -divisible group / k



p -divisible formal group / k

Cartier's Theory: $M_{\text{Cart}}(G)$.

$$M(G) \simeq M_{\text{Cart}}(G).$$

It is natural to extend the contravariant Dieudonné functor M^*

to the category \mathcal{C} which is the smallest abelian category in

the abelian category of commutative group schemes/ k (or viewed as fppf sheaves)

that contains p -divisible groups and hence finite group schemes. Then there is an anti-equivalence of categories.

$$M^*: \mathcal{C} \xrightarrow{\sim} DM_k = \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{Dieudonné modules} \\ \text{over } k \end{array} \right)$$

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Then $0 \rightarrow H_1 \rightarrow H_2 \rightarrow H_3 \rightarrow 0$ exact seq in \mathcal{C}

$$\Leftrightarrow 0 \rightarrow M^*(H_3) \rightarrow M^*(H_2) \rightarrow M^*(H_1) \rightarrow 0.$$

Question: M : Dieudonné module.

$$0 \rightarrow M_{\text{tor}} \rightarrow M \rightarrow M' \rightarrow 0, \quad M': \text{free}/W$$

Does it split? Is there a canonical splitting.

This is useful for us to extend the duality as

$$M^t = M_{\text{tor}}^t \oplus (M')^t.$$

§5 Newton stratification.

5.1 Classification up to isogeny

$$(m, n) \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0} \times \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}, \quad \gcd(m, n) = 1.$$

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$$F^m - V^n = 0$$

$$F^{\frac{m+n}{n}} = p^n$$

$$F \sim p^{\frac{n}{m+n}}$$

$$M_{m,n} = W[F, V]/(F^m - V^n), \quad W\text{-module rank } m+n.$$

Then $M_{m,n}$ is a Dieudonné module, and call $\frac{n}{m+n}$: the slope of $M_{m,n}$ (with multiplicity $m+n$).

Thm (Dieudonné-Manin) M : any Dieudonné module / $k = \bar{k}$

$$\Rightarrow M \otimes B(k) \simeq \bigoplus_{(m_i, n_i)} M_{m_i, n_i}^{r_i} \otimes B(k)$$

for some $0 \neq (m_i, n_i) \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}^2$, coprime pairs, and $r_i \geq 1$.

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$$\text{slope}(M) := \left\{ \left(\frac{n_i}{m_i+n_i} \right)^{\oplus r_i(m_i+n_i)} \dots \right\}, \quad \lambda_i \leq \lambda_{i+1}$$

\downarrow
 λ_i

Called the **slope sequence** of M . \longleftrightarrow Newton polygon of M .

Note: the multiplicity of each slope λ_i is a multiple of its denominator.

integral condition.

\hookrightarrow break points of NP are lattices.

If k is perfect, then $\text{slope}(M) := \text{slope}(M \otimes W(k))$.

Def. (1) A Dieudonné module M over k is called **supersingular** if it has only slope $1/2$.

(2) The **a-number** of M is defined as

$$a(M) := \dim_k M/(F, V)M$$

$$a(M \otimes W(k)) = a(M) \text{ for any perfect extn } k/k.$$

(3) The **p-rank** of M is defined as

$$p\text{-rank}(M) = \text{rank}_{\mathbb{Z}_p} M^{\text{ét}}, \quad \text{where } M^{\text{ét}} = \{x \in M \otimes W(k) : Fx = x\}.$$

If $M = M^*(G)$, G : p-divisible gp then $p\text{-rank}(G) = f$,

where $f = \text{the integer s.t. } G[p](k) = (\mathbb{Z}/p)^f$.

(4) A : abelian variety / $k = \bar{k}$, $M = M^*(A[p^\infty])$ = the (contr.)

Dieudonné module of A . Define

slope(A) := slope(M), A is **supersingular** if M is supersingular

$a(A) := a(M)$, A is **ordinary** if $f\text{-rank}(M) = g$, $g = \dim A$

$p\text{-rank}(A) := p\text{-rank}(M)$, A is **almost ordinary** if $f = g - 1$

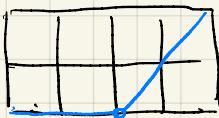
A is **superspecial** if $a(A) = g$.

Note: p-rank is an isogeny invariant

a-# is not an isogeny invariant -

$$g = \dim(A) = 2$$

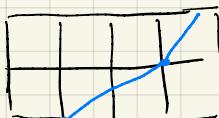
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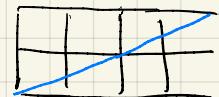
f	a-#	dim
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1	1	2

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almost
ordinary

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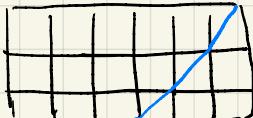


supersingular

0	1, 2	1
↓ Superspecial		

$$g=3 : 5 \text{ Newton polygons}$$

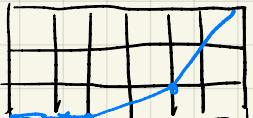
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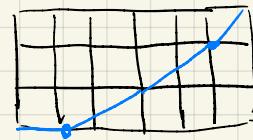
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2	1	5

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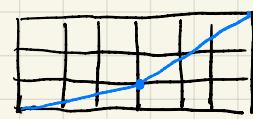
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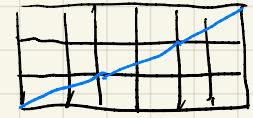
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0	1, 2	3
↓ superspecial		

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supersingular

0	1, 2, 3	2
↓ Superspecial		

discussions:

M : étale Dieudonné module / k : perfect. slope 0.



$\rho: \text{Gal}(\bar{k}/k) \rightarrow GL_n(\mathbb{Z}_p)$ continuous Galois representation.

$$M \otimes W(\bar{k}) \simeq M_{1,0}^r \otimes W(\bar{k}), \text{ for some } r$$

$$G[p]_{\bar{k}} = \mu_p^r \times G[p]^{\text{loc. loc.}} \times \underbrace{G[p]^{\text{ét}}}_{\substack{\parallel \\ (\mathbb{Z}/p)^f}}$$

general.

$$G[p](\bar{k}) = (\mathbb{Z}/p)^f.$$

M ^{ét}: Dieudonné module / E_p .

$$\begin{aligned} &\simeq M_{1,0}^{\oplus f} & M_{1,0} &= W(E_p)[F, V]/(F-1) \\ & & &= \mathbb{Z}_p[FV]/(F-1) \\ & & & \quad (\text{so } V=p) \end{aligned}$$

$$a(A) = \dim \text{Hom}(\alpha_p, A) \quad (42)$$

$$a(G) = \dim \text{Hom}(\alpha_p, G)$$

$$\overset{*}{M}(\alpha_p) = k, \quad F = V = 0$$

$$\begin{matrix} M \\ " \\ k \\ " \end{matrix}$$

$$\text{Hom}_{\text{gp}}(\alpha_p, G) = \underset{\text{DM}}{\text{Hom}}(M^*(G), M^*(\alpha_p))$$

$$= \underset{\text{W}}{\text{Hom}}(M/(F, V)M, k)$$

$$\text{Hom}_{\text{gp}}(\alpha_p, G) \cong \underset{\substack{\text{can} \\ \text{K.-V.-S.}}}{\underline{(M/(F, V)M)}}^*$$