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**Iwasawa L-functions for multiplicative abelian varieties.** (English) Zbl 0716.14008  
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Iwasawa L-functions for abelian varieties with multiplicative reductions are studied, extending some results proved by *B. Mazur* in *Invent. Math.* 18, 183-266 (1972; [Zbl 0245.14015](#)) for abelian varieties with good ordinary reductions.

Let  $p \neq 2$  be a prime,  $\Gamma = \mathbb{Z}_p$  (as an additive topological group) with a generator  $\gamma$ , and  $\Lambda := \varprojlim_{\leftarrow \nu} \mathbb{Z}_p[\Gamma/p^\nu \Gamma]$ . Then the map which sends  $T$  to  $\gamma^{-1}$  induces an isomorphism from  $\mathbb{Z}_p[[T]]$  to  $\Lambda$ . The Iwasawa L-function for an elliptic curve was defined as the characteristic polynomial of the  $p$ -Selmer group of the curve. To generalize this definition to abelian varieties, one needs "good"  $\Lambda$ -modules which are finitely generated modules  $M$  over  $\Lambda$ . Such a module is quasi-isomorphic to the direct sum  $\Lambda^\rho \oplus \mathbb{Z}/p^{\mu_i} \mathbb{Z}[[T]] \oplus (\oplus_j \mathbb{Z}_p[[T]](F_j)^{n_j})$  where  $\rho$  is the free rank of  $M$ ,  $F_j$  is an irreducible distinguished polynomial for each  $j$ . The invariants  $(\rho, \mu_i, \{F_j^{n_j}\})$  determine  $M$  completely up to quasi-isomorphism (i.e., up to finite kernel and cokernel). The  $\mu$ -invariant of  $M$  is  $\mu := \sum_i \mu_i$ , the characteristic polynomial of  $M$  is  $F_M(T) := p^\mu \prod_j (F_j(T))^{n_j}$  and  $f_M(t)$  is the polynomial satisfying  $f_M(T+1) = F_M(T)$ .

Let  $K$  be a number field with ring of integers  $\mathfrak{O}_K$ . Let  $A/K$  be an abelian variety defined over  $K$ ,  $\tilde{A}$  its Néron model over  $\mathfrak{O}_K$ ,  $\hat{A}$  the dual abelian variety of  $A$ ,  $A^0$  the connected component of  $A$  and  $A_{p^\infty} := \cup_\nu A_{p^\nu}$ . Let  $\Phi$  be defined by the short exact sequence  $0 \rightarrow A^0 \rightarrow A \rightarrow \Phi \rightarrow 0$ . Let  $L/K$  be a  $\Gamma$ -extension of  $K$ ,  $T$  the set of all primes in  $K$  ramifying in  $L$ ,  $\log_p$  a  $p$ -adic logarithm of  $L/K$ ,  $\kappa : \text{Gal}(L/K) \rightarrow 1 + p^e \mathbb{Z}_p \subset \mathbb{Z}_p^*$  a fixed continuous character compatible with  $\log_p$ . If  $\nu \in T$ ,  $e_\nu$  denotes the dimension of a maximal split subtorus in the reduction of  $A$  at  $\nu$  and  $e := \sum_\nu e_\nu$ .

Assume that  $A$  satisfies the following hypothesis:

1.  $Sh_{p^\infty}(K)$  is finite.
2. Every prime of  $K$  for which  $A$  has bad reduction splits finitely in  $L$ .
3. The reduction of  $A$  is semistable at every place of  $K$  dividing  $p$  and is an extension of an ordinary abelian variety by a torus for every  $t \in T$ .
4. For every place  $t \in T$ , the universal norm of  $A(L_t)$  is of finite index in  $A(K_t)$ .

There is a  $p$ -adic height pairing  $\langle, \rangle_p$  on  $A$  such that  $\langle, \rangle_p := \langle, \rangle_\gamma \log_p \kappa(\gamma)$ , where  $\langle, \rangle_\gamma$  is a  $p$ -adic height pairing defined by the author [" $p$ -adic heights for semistable abelian varieties", *Compos. Math.* (to appear)] and is equivalent to Schneider's analytic height [*P. Schneider*, *Invent. Math.* 69, 401-409 (1982; [Zbl 0509.14048](#))]. A necessary and sufficient condition for  $\langle, \rangle_p$  to be nondegenerate is obtained. Further, define the groups  $\mathcal{I} := \text{Image}[H^1(\mathfrak{O}_K, A_{p^\infty}^0) \rightarrow H^1(\mathfrak{O}_K - T, A_{p^\infty}^0)]$  and  $\mathcal{I}_\infty := \text{Image}[H^1(\mathfrak{O}_L, A_{p^\infty}^0) \rightarrow H^1(\mathfrak{O}_L - T, A_{p^\infty}^0)]$ . (They are quasi-isomorphic to the classical  $p$ -Selmer group of  $A$  over  $K$  and  $L$ , respectively.) Write  $A_{p^\infty}(L) = A_{p^\infty}^{\text{inf}}(L) \oplus A_{p^\infty}^{\text{fin}}(L)$  where  $A_{p^\infty}^{\text{inf}}$  is the divisible subgroup of  $A_{p^\infty}(L)$ . Then one can define  $A_{p^\infty}^{\text{fin}}(K)$  to be the  $K$ -rational points of  $A_{p^\infty}^{\text{fin}}(L)$ . Define the  $\mathcal{L}_\nu$ -invariant of  $A$  with respect to  $L/K$  at a place  $\nu \in T$  by  $\mathcal{L}_\nu(A) := (A(K_\nu)/NA(K_\nu))/(\Phi(\mathfrak{O}_{K_\nu})|\log_p \kappa(\gamma)|_p^{e_\nu})$  and define the global  $\mathcal{L}$ -invariant of  $A$  with respect to  $L/K$  by  $\mathcal{L}(A) := \prod_{\nu \in T} \mathcal{L}_\nu(A)$ .

The main result of the paper is to define a "good"  $\Lambda$ -module,  $H$ , which is subject to a quasi-exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \mathcal{I}_\infty \rightarrow H \rightarrow (\mathbb{Q}_p/\mathbb{Z}_p)^e \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{or} \quad 0 \rightarrow (\mathbb{Q}_p/\mathbb{Z}_p)^e \rightarrow H \rightarrow \mathcal{I}_\infty \rightarrow 0$$

where  $\Gamma$  acts trivially on the  $(\mathbb{Q}_p/\mathbb{Z}_p)^e$  term. Let  $f_H(t) = (t-1)^e f_{\mathcal{I}}(t)$ , and define a  $p$ -adic L-function  $L_H(s) := f_H(\kappa(\gamma)^{1-s})$ . (This is a candidate for the  $p$ -adic L-function of an ordinary abelian variety  $A$  which is semistable at  $p$ .) Let  $\rho = \text{ord}_{s=1} L_H(s)$  and  $r = \text{rank}_{\mathbb{Z}} A(K)$ . Then the main result of this paper is formulated in the following theorem:

One has  $\rho \geq r + e$ . If  $\langle, \rangle_p$  is nondegenerate, then  $\rho = r + e$  and the  $\rho$ -th derivative of  $L_H(s)$  has the

following value at  $s = 1$  :

$$L_H^{(\rho)}(1) \approx \mathcal{L}(A) \frac{\det \langle \cdot \rangle_p Sh_K}{A_{p^\infty}^{fin}(K) \tilde{A}_{p^\infty}^{fin}(K)} \cdot \prod_{\ell \neq \infty} m_\ell,$$

where  $m_\ell$  denotes the number of connected components in the fibre of  $A$  over  $\ell$  and  $a \approx b$  means that  $a$  and  $b$  have the same  $p$ -norm.

A functional equation for  $L_H(s)$  is also proved. That is,  $f_H(t) = (-1)^\rho t^\lambda f_H(1/t)$  where  $\lambda$  is the  $\lambda$ -invariant of  $H$  and  $\rho$  is the multiplicity of the root of 1 in  $f_H(t)$ , and similarly,  $L_H(s) = (-1)^\rho \kappa(\gamma)^{\lambda(1-s)} L_H(2-s)$ . Several candidates for such a  $\Lambda$ -module are tested, e.g.,  $H^1(\mathcal{D}_L, A_{p^\infty}^0)$ ,  $H^1(\mathcal{D}_L, A_{p^\infty})$ , and Greenberg's module.

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- [14G10](#) Zeta functions and related questions in algebraic geometry (e.g., Birch-Swinnerton-Dyer conjecture)
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