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For a connected reductive algebraic group G over a number field  $\Bbbk$ , we investigate the Ryshkov domain  $R_Q$  associated to a maximal  $\Bbbk$ -parabolic subgroup Q of G. By considering the arithmetic quotients  $G(\Bbbk) \setminus G(\mathbb{A})^1 / K$  and  $\Gamma_i \setminus G(\Bbbk) / K_\infty$ , with K a maximal compact subgroup of the adele group  $G(\mathbb{A})$  and the  $\Gamma_i$  arithmetic subgroups of  $G(\Bbbk)$ , we present a method of constructing fundamental domains for  $Q(\Bbbk) \setminus R_Q$  and  $\Gamma_i \setminus G(\Bbbk_\infty)^1$ . We also study the particular case when  $G = \operatorname{GL}_n$ , and subsequently construct fundamental domains for  $P_n$ , the cone of positive definite Humbert forms over  $\Bbbk$ , with respect to the subgroups  $\Gamma_i$ .

# 1. Introduction

Let  $\Bbbk$  be an arbitrary algebraic number field with ring of integers O. This paper mainly focuses on the determination and construction of fundamental domains associated to certain arithmetic quotients of reductive algebraic groups over  $\Bbbk$ .

For the first part of the paper we consider a general connected reductive isotropic algebraic group *G* over  $\Bbbk$  and investigate fundamental domains associated to the arithmetic quotients  $G(\Bbbk) \setminus G(\mathbb{A})^1 / K$  and  $\Gamma_i \setminus G(\Bbbk_\infty)^1 / K_\infty$ , with *K* a maximal compact subgroup of  $G(\mathbb{A})$  and subgroups  $\Gamma_i$  of  $G(\Bbbk)$  to be described below.

The discussion and results here in the preliminary sections are an extension of Watanabe's results [2014]. A maximal k-parabolic subgroup Q of G is taken and we consider its associated height function  $H_Q$  and Hermite function  $m_Q(g) =$  $\min_{x \in Q(\mathbb{k}) \setminus G(\mathbb{k})} H_Q(xg)$  on  $G(\mathbb{A})^1$ . Watanabe [2014] introduced the Ryshkov domain of  $m_Q$ ,  $R_Q = \{g \in G(\mathbb{A})^1 : m_Q(g) = H_Q(g)\}$ , for the purpose of constructing a fundamental domain for  $G(\mathbb{k}) \setminus G(\mathbb{A})^1$  well matched with  $m_Q$ . Watanabe also considered the case when G is of class number 1, that is, when  $|G(\mathbb{k}) \setminus G(\mathbb{A})^1 / G_{\mathbb{A},\infty}^1| = 1$ , and obtained a fundamental domain for  $G(\mathbb{k}_\infty)$  with respect to  $G_Q = G(\mathbb{k}) \cap G_{\mathbb{A},\infty}$ .

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Here however, we consider algebraic groups of any general class number  $n_G$ . Particularly for class numbers higher than 1, for each  $i = 1, ..., n_G$  we are required to consider different arithmetic subgroups  $\Gamma_i$  of  $G(\Bbbk)$  in place of just  $G_O$ .

Let  $R_Q^*$  denote the closure in  $G(\mathbb{A})^1$  of the interior of  $R_Q$ . It was established in [Watanabe 2014] that by starting from a fundamental domain  $\Omega$  of  $R_Q^*$  with respect to  $Q(\mathbb{k})$ , a fundamental domain of  $G(\mathbb{A})^1$  with respect to  $G(\mathbb{k})$  can be obtained by taking the interior of  $\Omega$  in  $G(\mathbb{A})^1$ . In order to explicitly construct such an  $\Omega$ , we define groups

$$G_{\mathbb{A},\infty} = G(\mathbb{k}_{\infty}) \times K_f$$
 and  $\Gamma_i = \eta_i G^1_{\mathbb{A},\infty} \eta_i^{-1} \cap G(\mathbb{k}),$ 

where the  $\eta_1, \ldots, \eta_{n_G}$  are representatives of  $G(\Bbbk) \setminus G(\Bbbk)^1 / G^1_{\mathbb{A},\infty}$ . Also for each *i* take a complete set of representatives  $\{\xi_{ij}\}_{i=1}^{h_i}$  for  $Q(\Bbbk) \setminus G(\Bbbk) / \Gamma_i$ , define sets

$$R_{i,j,\infty} = \{g \in G(\mathbb{k}_{\infty})^1 : \mathsf{m}_Q(g\xi_{ij}\eta_i) = H_Q(g\xi_{ij}\eta_i)\}$$

and let  $Q_{i,j} = Q(\mathbb{k}) \cap \xi_{ij} \Gamma_i \xi_{ij}^{-1}$ . By considering the action of  $Q_{i,j}$  on  $R_{i,j,\infty}$ , we find that starting with arbitrary open fundamental domains  $\Omega_{i,j,\infty}$  for  $Q_{i,j} \setminus R_{i,j,\infty}$  we can construct the required  $\Omega$ . From this we obtain the following results.

**Theorem.**  $\Omega = \bigsqcup_{i=1}^{n_G} \bigsqcup_{j=1}^{h_i} \Omega_{i,j,\infty} \xi_{ij} \eta_i K_f$  is an open fundamental domain of  $R_Q^*$  with respect to  $Q(\mathbb{k})$ .

**Theorem.** For each  $i = 1, ..., n_G$ , the set  $\bigcup_{j=1}^{h_i} \xi_{ij}^{-1} \Omega_{i,j,\infty} \xi_{ij}$  is an open fundamental domain of  $G(\mathbb{k}_{\infty})^1$  with respect to  $\Gamma_i$ .

In particular we can take  $\eta_1$  to be the identity element of G, in which case  $\Gamma_1$  coincides with the group  $G_{\mathcal{O}} = G(\Bbbk) \cap G_{\mathbb{A},\infty}$  used in [Watanabe 2014] when  $n_G = 1$ .

The second topic of interest in this paper is the special case when *G* is the general linear group  $GL_n$  defined over  $\Bbbk$ . This time we consider the maximal  $\Bbbk$ -parabolic subgroup

$$Q = Q^{n,m} = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & d \end{bmatrix} : a \in \operatorname{GL}_m(\Bbbk), \ b \in M_{m,n-m}(\Bbbk), \ d \in \operatorname{GL}_{n-m}(\Bbbk) \right\}$$

for a fixed  $1 \le m < n$ . The class number of *G* in this case is equal to *h*, the class number of k. Using  $\{a_1, \ldots, a_h\}$ , a complete set of representatives for the ideal class group of k, we can produce a corresponding set of matrices  $\{\eta_1, \ldots, \eta_h\}$ representing  $GL_n(k) \setminus GL_n(A)^1 / G^1_{A,\infty}$ . The  $\Gamma_i$  in this case are the subgroups of  $GL_n(k)$  stabilizing the respective  $\mathcal{O}$ -lattices  $\sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \mathcal{O}e_k + a_ie_n$ . The main result established in this part is:

# **Theorem.** $|Q(k) \setminus \operatorname{GL}_n(k) / \Gamma_i| = h$ for every $i = 1, \ldots, h$ .

This can be proved by identifying  $Q(\Bbbk) \setminus GL_n(\Bbbk)$  with the set of all *m*-dimensional subspaces of  $\Bbbk^n$  and establishing a bijection between this set modulo  $\Gamma_i$  and the ideal class group of  $\Bbbk$ . This bijection also allows us to obtain suitable matrix

representatives  $\{\xi_{ij}\}_{j=1}^{h}$  for  $Q(\mathbb{k}) \setminus \operatorname{GL}_n(\mathbb{k}) / \Gamma_i$ . Relations between the field class number and the number of double cosets in quotients of similar type involving other algebraic groups, e.g.,  $\operatorname{SL}_n$ ,  $\operatorname{Sp}_{2n}$  and Chevalley groups, modulo a minimal parabolic subgroup instead are noted by Borel [1962, Section 4.7].

In the final sections we consider  $P_n$ , the space of positive definite Humbert forms over  $\Bbbk$ , with the usual identification  $P_n = \prod_{\sigma} P_n(\Bbbk_{\sigma})$ , where  $P_n(\Bbbk_{\sigma})$  denotes the set of  $n \times n$  positive definite real symmetric/complex Hermitian matrices, depending on whether  $\sigma$  is real or imaginary, and the product is taken over all infinite places  $\sigma$  of  $\Bbbk$ .

If  $\Bbbk = \mathbb{Q}$ , then  $P_n$  is just the cone of positive definite real symmetric matrices, and fundamental domains for  $P_n/\operatorname{GL}_n(\mathbb{Z})$  in this case have been historically constructed by Korkin and Zolotarev [1873], Minkowski [1905] and later on Grenier [1988]. For  $P_n$  over a general number field, Humbert [1939] previously provided a fundamental domain constructed with respect to the particular group  $\operatorname{GL}_n(\mathcal{O})$ . As  $\operatorname{GL}_n(\mathcal{O})$ coincides with one of the  $\Gamma_i$  we study in this paper, the question can be raised about fundamental domains for  $P_n$  with respect to each of the groups  $\Gamma_i$  when  $n_G > 1$ .

As such, we proceed in the final sections to provide a general way of constructing fundamental domains for  $P_n/\Gamma_i$  given any number field. The method of construction given here follows and generalizes the example given by Watanabe [2014] for the specific case  $\mathbb{k} = \mathbb{Q}$ . As already noted in that paper, when  $\mathbb{k} = \mathbb{Q}$  the fundamental domain for  $P_n/GL_n(\mathbb{Z})$  resulting from this method coincides with Grenier's [1988]. It was observed by Dutour Sikirić and Schürmann that Grenier's fundamental domain is in fact equivalent to the one previously developed by Korkin and Zolotarev. Regarding  $P_n/GL_n(\mathcal{O})$  for general number fields however, we note that the fundamental domain produced by the method here differs from Humbert's construction, which utilizes the matrix trace, whereas the domain here is defined using the adele norm of matrix determinants.

Using the matrix representatives  $\{\eta_i\}_{i=1}^h$  and  $\{\xi_{ij}\}_{j=1}^h$ , we associate to each pair  $(\eta_i, \xi_{ij})$  a maximal compact subgroup  $K_{i,j,\infty}$  of  $GL_n(\Bbbk_{\infty})$  and a map  $\pi_{ij}$  inducing an isomorphism between  $GL_n(\Bbbk_{\infty})/K_{i,j,\infty}$  and  $P_n$ . Then the results of our discussions on  $GL_n$  can be transferred to  $P_n$  via the maps  $\pi_{ij}$ , which finally lead up to an iterative method of constructing fundamental domains for  $P_n$  with respect to the groups  $\Gamma_i$  for any general dimension n. Watanabe has also graciously provided an appendix to this paper on Voronoi reduction over general number fields that are not necessarily totally real, which settles the base case of dimension 1.

We also demonstrate that this fundamental domain construction for  $P_n/\Gamma_i$  is well matched with certain automorphisms of  $GL(\mathbb{k}_{\infty})$ . Namely we see that the fundamental domain for  $P_n/\Gamma_i$  constructed using a set of ideals  $\{a_1, \ldots, a_h\}$  representing the ideal class group and the maximal k-parabolic subgroup  $Q^{n,m}$  can be directly mapped by an automorphism to the one constructed with the representative set  $\{a_1^{-1}, \ldots, a_h^{-1}\}$  and  $Q^{n,n-m}$ .

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# Notation

In this paper we use  $\mathbb{Q}$ ,  $\mathbb{R}$ ,  $\mathbb{C}$  for the fields of rational, real, and complex numbers respectively, and  $\mathbb{Z}$  for the ring of integers.  $\mathbb{R}_{>0}$  will denote the set of positive reals.

For positive integers r and s, we denote by  $M_{r,s}(S)$  the set of all  $r \times s$  matrices with entries in the set S, and we write  $M_r(S)$  for  $M_{r,r}(S)$ . The identity matrix of size r will be denoted by  $I_r$ . The transpose of a matrix A will be written by  ${}^tA$ . If  $A \in M_{r,s}(\mathbb{C})$ , we write  $\overline{A}$  for the matrix whose entries are the complex conjugates of the original entries of A.

We will fix and consider  $\Bbbk$ , an algebraic number field of finite degree over  $\mathbb{Q}$ , and denote its ring of integers by  $\mathcal{O}$ . We denote by  $p_{\infty}$  and  $p_f$  the sets of infinite and finite places of  $\Bbbk$  respectively and we let  $p = p_{\infty} \cup p_f$ . For  $\sigma \in p$ , we write  $\Bbbk_{\sigma}$  for the completion of  $\Bbbk$  at  $\sigma$ , while for any subring  $\mathbb{B}$  of  $\Bbbk$ , the closure of  $\mathbb{B}$  in  $\Bbbk_{\sigma}$  will be denoted by  $\mathbb{B}_{\sigma}$ . We denote by  $\Bbbk_{\infty}$  the étale  $\mathbb{R}$ -algebra  $\Bbbk \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}} \mathbb{R}$  which we identify with  $\prod_{\sigma \in p_{\infty}} \Bbbk_{\sigma}$ . The ideal class group of  $\Bbbk$  will be denoted by  $Cl(\Bbbk)$ .

The adele ring and idele group of  $\Bbbk$  are denoted by  $\mathbb{A}$  and  $\mathbb{A}^{\times}$  respectively. For an adele  $a \in \mathbb{A}$  we write  $a_{\infty}$  and  $a_f$  for its infinite and finite components respectively. Similarly for any matrix  $A = [a_{ij}]_{i,j}$  with elements in  $\mathbb{A}$  we write  $A_{\infty}$  to denote the matrix  $[(a_{ij})_{\infty}]_{i,j}$ .

For each place  $\sigma$ , we write  $| |_{\sigma}$  for the absolute value on  $\mathbb{k}_{\sigma}$  taken as follows: at each infinite place we use the standard complex absolute value on  $\mathbb{k}_{\sigma}$ , while for  $\sigma \in p_f$  we use the normalized absolute value satisfying  $|x|_{\sigma} = |\mathcal{O}_{\sigma}/\mathfrak{p}_{\sigma}|^{-1}$  for any arbitrary  $x \in \mathfrak{p}_{\sigma} \setminus \mathfrak{p}_{\sigma}^2$ , where  $\mathfrak{p}_{\sigma}$  is the prime ideal of  $\mathcal{O}_{\sigma}$ . For an  $a = (a_{\sigma}) \in \mathbb{A}^{\times}$  we write  $|a|_{\mathbb{A}}$  to denote the idele norm of a, and  $|a|_{\infty}$  for the idele norm of a restricted to  $\mathbb{k}_{\infty}^{\times}$ ,  $\prod_{\sigma \in p_{\infty}} |a_{\sigma}|_{0}^{[\mathbb{K}_{\sigma}:\mathbb{R}]}$ .

Given a finite-dimensional k-vector space V and  $\sigma \in \mathbf{p}$ , we will write  $V_{\sigma}$  for the  $\Bbbk_{\sigma}$ -vector space  $V \otimes_{\Bbbk} \Bbbk_{\sigma}$ . Also we will use the term  $\mathcal{O}$ -*lattice* in V to mean a finitely generated  $\mathcal{O}$ -submodule of V containing a k-basis of V. If L is such an  $\mathcal{O}$ -lattice in V, we write  $L_{\sigma}$  to denote the  $\mathcal{O}_{\sigma}$ -linear span of L in  $V_{\sigma}$  when  $\sigma \in \mathbf{p}_{f}$ .

For an affine algebraic group *G* defined over  $\Bbbk$  and any  $\Bbbk$ -algebra  $\mathbb{B}$ , we write  $G(\mathbb{B})$  for the set of all  $\mathbb{B}$ -rational points of *G*. Also, the set of all  $\Bbbk$ -rational characters of *G* will be written as  $X^*(G)_{\Bbbk}$ . We define  $G(\mathbb{A})^1$  to be the set  $\{g \in G(\mathbb{A}) : |\chi(g)|_{\mathbb{A}} = 1 \text{ for all } \chi \in X^*(G)_{\Bbbk}\}.$ 

Lastly given a topological space X and a subset  $Y \subset X$ , we denote by  $Y_X^{\circ}$  and  $Y_X^{-}$  (or just  $Y^{\circ}$  and  $Y^{-}$  if the underlying space X is clear) the interior and closure of Y in X respectively.

## 2. The Ryshkov domain of G associated to Q

Let *G* denote a connected reductive isotropic affine algebraic group over  $\Bbbk$ , *S* a fixed maximal  $\Bbbk$ -split torus of *G*, and *P*<sub>0</sub> a minimal  $\Bbbk$ -parabolic subgroup of *G* 

containing *S*. Let  $M_0$  be the centralizer of *S* in *G* and  $U_0$  the unipotent radical of  $P_0$  so that  $P_0$  has the Levi decomposition  $P_0 = M_0U_0$ . We consider a relative root system of *G* with respect to *S* and denote the set of simple roots with respect to  $P_0$  in this system by  $\Delta_{\mathbb{k}}$ .

A k-parabolic subgroup of G containing  $P_0$  is called a standard k-parabolic subgroup. A standard k-parabolic subgroup R has a unique Levi subgroup  $M_R$  containing  $M_0$ , which gives the Levi decomposition  $R = M_R U_R$ , where  $U_R$  denotes the unipotent radical of R. We write  $Z_R$  for the largest central k-split torus of  $M_R$ .

We fix a maximal compact subgroup  $K = \prod_{\sigma \in p} K_{\sigma}$  of  $G(\mathbb{A})$ , where each  $K_{\sigma}$  is a maximal compact subgroup of  $G(\mathbb{k}_{\sigma})$ , satisfying the property that for every standard  $\mathbb{k}$ -parabolic subgroup R of G,

- $K \cap M_R(\mathbb{A})$  is a maximal compact subgroup in  $M_R(\mathbb{A})$ ,
- $M_R(\mathbb{A}) = (M_R(\mathbb{A}) \cap U_0(\mathbb{A})) M_0(\mathbb{A}) (K \cap M_R(\mathbb{A}))$  (Iwasawa decomposition) holds.

Consider a standard proper maximal k-parabolic subgroup Q of G, which we now fix. There exists a unique simple root in  $\Delta_k$  that restricts nontrivially on  $Z_Q$ , which we denote by  $\chi_0$ . Let  $m_Q$  be the positive integer such that  $m_Q^{-1}\chi_0|_{Z_Q}$  is a  $\mathbb{Z}$ -basis of the  $X^*(Z_Q/Z_G)_k$ . We write  $\chi_Q$  for the character

$$[X^*(Z_Q/Z_G)_{\Bbbk}: X^*(M_Q/Z_G)_{\Bbbk}] m_Q^{-1}(\chi_0|_{Z_Q}),$$

which is a  $\mathbb{Z}$ -basis for  $X^*(M_Q/Z_G)_{\Bbbk}$ .

Next we define the map

$$z_Q: G(\mathbb{A}) \ni umh \longmapsto Z_G(\mathbb{A})M_Q(\mathbb{A})^1 m \in Z_G(\mathbb{A})M_Q(\mathbb{A})^1 \setminus M_Q(\mathbb{A}),$$

where  $u \in U_Q(\mathbb{A})$ ,  $m \in M_Q(\mathbb{A})$ ,  $h \in K$ . This is a well-defined left  $Q(\mathbb{A})^1$ -invariant map, which gives rise to the following map, which we also denote by  $z_Q$ :

$$Q(\mathbb{A})^1 \backslash G(\mathbb{A})^1 \ni Q(\mathbb{A})^1 g \longmapsto z_Q(g) \in M_Q(\mathbb{A})^1 \backslash (M_Q(\mathbb{A}) \cap G(\mathbb{A})^1).$$

Here we have used  $Z_G(\mathbb{A})^1 = Z_G(\mathbb{A}) \cap G(\mathbb{A})^1 \subset M_Q(\mathbb{A})^1$ .

We can now define the *height function*  $H_Q: G(\mathbb{A}) \to \mathbb{R}_{>0}$  by

 $H_{\mathcal{Q}}(g) = |\chi_{\mathcal{Q}}(z_{\mathcal{Q}}(g))|_{\mathbb{A}}^{-1}, \quad g \in G(\mathbb{A}),$ 

as well as the Hermite function  $m_Q : G(\mathbb{A})^1 \to \mathbb{R}_{>0}$  by

$$\mathsf{m}_{\mathcal{Q}}(g) = \min_{x \in \mathcal{Q}(\Bbbk) \setminus G(\Bbbk)} H_{\mathcal{Q}}(xg), \quad g \in G(\mathbb{A})^{1}.$$

**Definition** [Watanabe 2014, §4]. The set  $R_Q$  defined by

$$\{g \in G(\mathbb{A})^1 : \mathfrak{m}_Q(g) = H_Q(g)\}$$

is called the *Ryshkov domain of*  $m_Q$ .

# **3.** Fundamental domains of $G(\Bbbk) \setminus G(\mathbb{A})^1$ and $\Gamma_i \setminus G(\Bbbk_{\infty})^1$

**Definition.** Let T be a locally compact Hausdorff space and  $\Gamma$  a discrete group with a properly discontinuous action on T. An open subset  $\Omega$  of T satisfying

(i) 
$$T = \Gamma \Omega^{-}$$
,

(ii)  $\Omega \cap \gamma \Omega^- = \emptyset$  for all  $\gamma \in \Gamma \setminus \{e\}$ 

is called an open fundamental domain of T with respect to  $\Gamma$ . (Here we have assumed that  $\Gamma$  acts on T from the left. In the case of a right action the same definition holds with the group action written on the right instead.)

We call a subset F of T a fundamental domain of T with respect to  $\Gamma$ , or simply a fundamental domain of  $\Gamma \setminus T$  (T/ $\Gamma$  in the case of a right action) if there exists an open fundamental domain  $\Omega$  of T with respect to  $\Gamma$  such that  $\Omega \subset F \subset \Omega^{-}$ .

Further Notation. Hereafter we will use the following notation:

- $K_{\infty} = \prod_{\sigma \in \mathbf{n}_{\infty}} K_{\sigma}, \quad K_f = \prod_{\sigma \in \mathbf{n}_f} K_{\sigma},$
- $G_{\mathbb{A},\infty} = G(\mathbb{k}_{\infty}) \times K_f, \ G^1_{\mathbb{A},\infty} = G_{\mathbb{A},\infty} \cap G(\mathbb{A})^1,$
- $G(\Bbbk_{\infty})^1 = G(\Bbbk_{\infty}) \cap G(\mathbb{A})^1$ , where we identify  $G(\Bbbk_{\infty})$  with the subgroup  $\{g \in G(\mathbb{A}) : g_f = e\}$  of  $G(\mathbb{A})$ .

We will denote the *class number of* G, i.e., the finite number  $|G(\Bbbk) \setminus G(\mathbb{A}) / G_{\mathbb{A},\infty}|$ , by  $n_G$ . We note here that  $|G(\Bbbk) \setminus G(\mathbb{A})^1 / G^1_{\mathbb{A}_{\infty}}|$  is also equal to  $n_G$ .

The case when G is of class number 1 is discussed in [Watanabe 2014], where a fundamental domain for  $G(\Bbbk_{\infty})^1$  with respect to the group  $G(\Bbbk) \cap G_{\mathbb{A},\infty}$  is determined. In the following we discuss and obtain a similar fundamental domain in the general case.

We take a complete set of representatives  $\{\eta_1, \ldots, \eta_{n_G}\}$  for  $G(\Bbbk) \setminus G(\mathbb{A})^1 / G^1_{\mathbb{A}_{\infty}}$ . Then, for  $i = 1, \ldots, n_G$ , define the groups

$$G_i = \eta_i G^1_{\mathbb{A},\infty} \eta_i^{-1}$$
 and  $\Gamma_i = G_i \cap G(\Bbbk).$ 

We note that since  $(\eta_i)_{\infty} G(\Bbbk_{\infty})^1 (\eta_i)_{\infty}^{-1} = G(\Bbbk_{\infty})^1$ , we can also write  $G_i$  as  $G(\Bbbk_{\infty})^{1} \times (\eta_{i})_{f} K_{f}(\eta_{i})_{f}^{-1} \text{ or } G(\Bbbk_{\infty})^{1} \eta_{i} K_{f} \eta_{i}^{-1}.$ From  $G(\mathbb{A})^{1} = \bigsqcup_{i=1}^{n_{G}} G(\mathbb{k}) \eta_{i} G_{\mathbb{A},\infty}^{1} = \bigsqcup_{i=1}^{n_{G}} G(\mathbb{k}) G_{i} \eta_{i}$  we have

$$G(\mathbb{k})\backslash G(\mathbb{A})^1 = \bigsqcup_{i=1}^{n_G} \Gamma_i \backslash G_i \eta_i = \bigsqcup_{i=1}^{n_G} \Gamma_i \backslash (G(\mathbb{k}_\infty)^1 \eta_i K_f),$$

which gives us the isomorphism

$$G(\mathbb{k})\backslash G(\mathbb{A})^1/K \simeq \bigsqcup_{i=1}^{n_G} \Gamma_i \backslash G(\mathbb{k}_\infty)^1/K_\infty.$$

Also for each  $i = 1, ..., n_G$  we take a complete set of representatives  $\{\xi_{ij}\}_{j=1}^{h_i}$  for  $Q(\Bbbk) \setminus G(\Bbbk) / \Gamma_i$  (where the number of double cosets  $h_i$  is finite; see [Borel 1963, §7]) and define groups

$$Q_{i,j} = Q \cap \xi_{ij} \Gamma_i \xi_{ij}^{-1} = Q(\Bbbk) \cap \xi_{ij} G_i \xi_{ij}^{-1}$$

and the sets

$$R_{i,j,\infty} = \{g \in G(\mathbb{k}_{\infty})^1 : \mathsf{m}_Q(g\xi_{ij}\eta_i) = H_Q(g\xi_{ij}\eta_i)\}$$

for  $j = 1, ..., h_i$ . Also since  $G_i = G(\mathbb{k}_{\infty})^1 \eta_i K_f \eta_i^{-1}$  as previously noted,

$$\xi_{ij}G_i\xi_{ij}^{-1} = \xi_{ij}G(\mathbb{k}_{\infty})^1\eta_i K_f \eta_i^{-1}\xi_{ij}^{-1} = G(\mathbb{k}_{\infty})^1\xi_{ij}\eta_i K_f \eta_i^{-1}\xi_{ij}^{-1}.$$
  
**1.** 
$$G(\mathbb{A})^1 = \bigsqcup_{i=1}^{n_G}\bigsqcup_{j=1}^{h_i} Q(\mathbb{k})G(\mathbb{k}_{\infty})^1\xi_{ij}\eta_i K_f.$$

# Lemma 1.

*Proof.* We first show that for a fixed *i* the union  $\bigcup_{j=1}^{h_i} Q(\Bbbk)\xi_{ij}G_i\eta_i$  is disjoint. Suppose for some  $1 \le j$ ,  $j' \le h_i$  that  $Q(\Bbbk)\xi_{ij}G_i\eta_i \cap Q(\Bbbk)\xi_{ij'}G_i\eta_i$  is nonempty. Then there exist  $q, q' \in Q(\Bbbk)$  and  $g, g' \in G_i$  such that  $q\xi_{ij}g = q'\xi_{ij'}g'$ . Rearranging gives us  $gg'^{-1} = \xi_{ij}^{-1}q^{-1}q'\xi_{ij'} \in G_i \cap G(\Bbbk) = \Gamma_i$ . This shows that  $Q(\Bbbk)\xi_{ij'}\Gamma_i = Q(\Bbbk)\xi_{ij}\Gamma_i$ , implying j = j'. The result then follows from

$$G(\mathbb{A})^{1} = \bigsqcup_{i} G(\mathbb{k})\eta_{i}G^{1}_{\mathbb{A},\infty} = \bigsqcup_{i} G(\mathbb{k})G_{i}\eta_{i}$$
$$= \bigsqcup_{i} \left(\bigsqcup_{j} Q(\mathbb{k})\xi_{ij}\Gamma_{i}\right)G_{i}\eta_{i} \subset \bigsqcup_{i}\bigsqcup_{j} Q(\mathbb{k})\xi_{ij}G_{i}\eta_{i}$$

and  $\xi_{ij}G_i\eta_i = G(\Bbbk_{\infty})^1\xi_{ij}\eta_iK_f$ .

The lemma also gives us the disjointedness of the union in the following result.

**Proposition 2.** 
$$R_Q = \bigsqcup_{i=1}^{n_G} \bigsqcup_{j=1}^{h_i} Q(\Bbbk) R_{i,j,\infty} \xi_{ij} \eta_i K_f.$$

*Proof.* From the previous lemma, we see that any  $g \in G(\mathbb{A})^1$  can be written as  $qg'\xi_{ij}\eta_i h$  for some i, j and  $q \in Q(\mathbb{k}), g' \in G(\mathbb{k}_{\infty})^1, h \in K_f$ . Since both  $H_Q$  and  $\mathfrak{m}_Q$  are left  $Q(\mathbb{k})$ -invariant and right *K*-invariant, we see that

$$H_Q(g) = H_Q(g'\xi_{ij}\eta_i), \quad \mathsf{m}_Q(g) = \mathsf{m}_Q(g'\xi_{ij}\eta_i).$$

Hence  $g \in R_Q$  if and only if  $g' \in R_{i,j,\infty}$ .

The following two lemmas hold for any fixed  $1 \le i \le n_G$  and  $1 \le j \le h_i$ .

**Lemma 3.** Let  $q \in Q(\mathbb{k})$ . If the sets  $q(G(\mathbb{k}_{\infty})^1 \xi_{ij} \eta_i K_f)$  and  $G(\mathbb{k}_{\infty})^1 \xi_{ij} \eta_i K_f$ intersect, then  $q \in Q_{i,j}$ .

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*Proof.* Suppose that  $g \in q(G(\Bbbk_{\infty})^{1}\xi_{ij}\eta_{i}K_{f}) \cap (G(\Bbbk_{\infty})^{1}\xi_{ij}\eta_{i}K_{f})$ . By rewriting  $G(\Bbbk_{\infty})^{1}\xi_{ij}\eta_{i}K_{f}$  as  $\xi_{ij}G_{i}\eta_{i}$ , we have  $q^{-1}g$ ,  $g \in \xi_{ij}G_{i}\eta_{i}$ , from which we get  $q^{-1} \in \xi_{ij}G_{i}\xi_{ij}^{-1}$ . Hence  $q \in Q(\Bbbk) \cap \xi_{ij}G_{i}\xi_{ij}^{-1} = Q_{i,j}$ .

**Lemma 4.**  $Q_{i,j}(R_{i,j,\infty}\xi_{ij}\eta_iK_f) = R_{i,j,\infty}\xi_{ij}\eta_iK_f.$ 

*Proof.* Consider  $q \in Q_{i,j}$  and  $g \in R_{i,j,\infty}$ . Since  $q \in G(\mathbb{k}_{\infty})^1 \xi_{ij} \eta_i K_f \eta_i^{-1} \xi_{ij}^{-1}$ , we have  $q_f \in (\xi_{ij}\eta_i) K_f(\xi_{ij}\eta_i)^{-1}$ . Let  $q_f = (\xi_{ij}\eta_i) h(\xi_{ij}\eta_i)^{-1}$ , with  $h \in K_f$ . Then

$$H_Q((q_\infty g)\xi_{ij}\eta_i) = H_Q(q_\infty g(\xi_{ij}\eta_i)h) = H_Q(q_\infty gq_f(\xi_{ij}\eta_i)) = H_Q(qg\xi_{ij}\eta_i),$$

which is equal to  $H_Q(g\xi_{ij}\eta_i)$ . Similarly

$$\mathsf{m}_{\mathcal{Q}}((q_{\infty}g)\xi_{ij}\eta_i) = \mathsf{m}_{\mathcal{Q}}(q_{\infty}gq_f\xi_{ij}\eta_i) = \mathsf{m}_{\mathcal{Q}}(qg\xi_{ij}\eta_i) = \mathsf{m}_{\mathcal{Q}}(g\xi_{ij}\eta_i);$$

thus  $q_{\infty}g \in R_{i,j,\infty}$ . Finally  $q_f \xi_{ij} \eta_i K_f \subset \xi_{ij} \eta_i K_f$ . Hence we get  $q(g\xi_{ij} \eta_i K_f) \subset R_{i,j,\infty}\xi_{ij} \eta_i K_f$ , as required.

By taking a complete set of representatives  $\{\theta_{ijk}\}_k$  for  $Q(\Bbbk)/Q_{i,j}$  and using both Proposition 2 and Lemma 4, we obtain

(1) 
$$R_{Q} = \bigsqcup_{i=1}^{n_{G}} \bigsqcup_{j=1}^{h_{i}} Q(\mathbb{k}) R_{i,j,\infty} \xi_{ij} \eta_{i} K_{f} = \bigsqcup_{i=1}^{n_{G}} \bigsqcup_{j=1}^{h_{i}} \left( \bigsqcup_{k} \theta_{ijk} Q_{i,j} \right) R_{i,j,\infty} \xi_{ij} \eta_{i} K_{f}$$
$$= \bigsqcup_{i=1}^{n_{G}} \bigsqcup_{j=1}^{h_{i}} \bigsqcup_{k} \theta_{ijk} R_{i,j,\infty} \xi_{ij} \eta_{i} K_{f},$$

where the final unions are disjoint as a result of Lemma 3.

Denote  $(R_{i,j,\infty}^{\circ})^{-}$  by  $R_{i,j,\infty}^{*}$ , where the interior and closure is taken in  $G(\mathbb{k}_{\infty})^{1}$ . Similarly write  $R_{O}^{*}$  for  $(R_{O}^{\circ})^{-}$  in  $G(\mathbb{A})^{1}$ . From (1) we have

(2) 
$$R_Q^* = \bigsqcup_{i=1}^{n_G} \bigsqcup_{j=1}^{h_i} \bigsqcup_k \theta_{ijk} R_{i,j,\infty}^* \xi_{ij} \eta_i K_f.$$

Taking open fundamental domains  $\Omega_{i,j,\infty}$  of  $R^*_{i,j,\infty}$  with respect to  $Q_{i,j}$  for each  $i = 1, ..., n_G$  and  $j = 1, ..., h_i$ , we consider the set

$$\Omega = \bigsqcup_{i=1}^{n_G} \bigsqcup_{j=1}^{h_i} \Omega_{i,j,\infty} \xi_{ij} \eta_i K_f.$$

**Theorem 5.**  $\Omega$  is an open fundamental domain of  $R_O^*$  with respect to  $Q(\Bbbk)$ .

**Corollary 6.**  $\Omega^{\circ} (= \Omega^{\circ}_{G(\mathbb{A})^1})$  is an open fundamental domain of  $G(\mathbb{A})^1$  with respect to  $G(\mathbb{k})$ .

*Proof.* From (2) we have

$$R_Q^* = \bigsqcup_{i=1}^{n_G} \bigsqcup_{j=1}^{h_i} \bigsqcup_k \theta_{ijk} R_{i,j,\infty}^* \xi_{ij} \eta_i K_f = \bigsqcup_{i=1}^{n_G} \bigsqcup_{j=1}^{h_i} \bigsqcup_k \theta_{ijk} (Q_{i,j} \Omega_{i,j,\infty}^-) \xi_{ij} \eta_i K_f$$
$$= \bigsqcup_{i=1}^{n_G} \bigsqcup_{j=1}^{h_i} Q(\Bbbk) \Omega_{i,j,\infty}^- \eta_i K_f = Q(\Bbbk) \Omega^-.$$

Now suppose  $\Omega \cap q\Omega^- \neq \emptyset$  for  $q \in Q(\mathbb{k})$ . So for some i, i', j, j' we must have  $q(\Omega_{i,j,\infty}\xi_{ij}\eta_iK_f) \cap (\Omega^-_{i',j',\infty}\xi_{i'j'}\eta_{i'}K_f) \neq \emptyset$ . Writing  $q = \theta_{ijk}q'$  with  $q' \in Q_{i,j}$  and some k, we have

$$\theta_{ijk}(q')_{\infty}\Omega_{i,j,\infty}\xi_{ij}\eta_iK_f\cap\Omega_{i',j',\infty}^-\xi_{i'j'}\eta_{i'}K_f\neq\emptyset$$

since  $(q')_f \xi_{ij} \eta_i K_f \subset \xi_{ij} \eta_i K_f$ . Then (2) implies i = i', j = j', and  $\theta_{ijk} = e$ . Thus  $\Omega_{i,j,\infty} \cap (q')_{\infty} \Omega_{i,j,\infty}^- = \Omega_{i,j,\infty} \cap q' \Omega_{i,j,\infty}^-$  must be nonempty, which means q' = e and hence q = e. This proves the theorem, and the corollary follows from [Watanabe 2014, Theorem 15].

Finally, for any fixed  $1 \le i \le n_G$ , we have the following theorem.

**Theorem 7.** The set  $\Omega_{i,\infty} = \bigcup_{j=1}^{h_i} \xi_{ij}^{-1} \Omega_{i,j,\infty} \xi_{ij}$  is a fundamental domain of  $G(\mathbb{k}_{\infty})^1$  with respect to  $\Gamma_i$ .

*Proof.* The following proof was suggested by Professor Watanabe. To show that  $G(\Bbbk_{\infty})^1 = \Gamma_i \Omega_{i,\infty}^-$ , consider an arbitrary  $g \in G(\Bbbk_{\infty})^1$ . From Corollary 6,

$$G(\mathbb{A})^{1} = G(\mathbb{k})\Omega^{-} = G(\mathbb{k})\bigsqcup_{i=1}^{n_{G}}\bigsqcup_{j=1}^{h_{i}}\Omega_{i,j,\infty}^{-}\xi_{ij}\eta_{i}K_{f}$$
$$= G(\mathbb{k})\bigsqcup_{i=1}^{n_{G}}\bigsqcup_{j=1}^{h_{i}}\xi_{ij}(\xi_{ij}^{-1}\Omega_{i,j,\infty}^{-}\xi_{ij})\eta_{i}K_{f} \subset G(\mathbb{k})\bigsqcup_{i=1}^{n_{G}}\Omega_{i,\infty}^{-}\eta_{i}K_{f},$$

so we may write  $g\eta_i = g'\omega\eta_i h$  with  $g' \in G(\mathbb{k})$ ,  $\omega \in \Omega_{i,\infty}^-$  and  $h \in K_f$ . Rearranging we get  $g' = (g\omega^{-1})(\eta_i h^{-1}\eta_i^{-1})$ , which belongs to  $G(\mathbb{k}_{\infty})^1\eta_i K_f \eta_i^{-1} = G_i$ . Hence  $g' \in \Gamma_i$ . Since  $g = (g'\omega)(\eta_i h \eta_i^{-1})$  and  $g \in G(\mathbb{k}_{\infty})^1$ , we know  $\eta_i h \eta_i^{-1}$  must necessarily be trivial. Thus  $g \in \Gamma_i \Omega_{i,\infty}^-$ .

Now suppose that  $\Omega_{i,\infty}^{\circ} \cap g \Omega_{i,\infty}^{-}$  is nonempty for a  $g \in \Gamma_i$ . Then we must have  $\xi_{ij}^{-1} \Omega_{i,j,\infty}^{\circ} \xi_{ij} \cap g \xi_{ij'}^{-1} \Omega_{i,j',\infty}^{-} \xi_{ij'} \neq \emptyset$  for some j, j'. Since  $g_f \eta_i K_f = \eta_i K_f$ ,

$$\begin{split} \xi_{ij}^{-1} \Omega_{i,j,\infty}^{\circ} \xi_{ij} \cap g \xi_{ij'}^{-1} \Omega_{i,j',\infty}^{-} \xi_{ij'} \neq \varnothing \\ \Rightarrow \quad (\Omega_{i,j,\infty} \xi_{ij} \eta_i K_f)^{\circ} \cap \xi_{ij} g \xi_{ij'}^{-1} (\Omega_{i,j',\infty} \xi_{ij'} \eta_i K_f)^{-} \neq \varnothing \\ \Rightarrow \quad \Omega^{\circ} \cap (\xi_{ij} g \xi_{ij'}^{-1}) \Omega^{-} \neq \varnothing, \end{split}$$

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and thus  $\xi_{ij}g\xi_{ij'}^{-1} = e$  by Corollary 6. Hence  $Q(\Bbbk)\xi_{ij}\Gamma_i = Q(\Bbbk)\xi_{ij'}\Gamma_i$ , which implies j = j' whereby  $g = \xi_{ij}^{-1}\xi_{ij'} = e$ .

# 4. The case $G = GL_n$

We will now consider the case where *G* is a general linear group  $GL_n$  defined over  $\Bbbk$ . We use the group of diagonal matrices as the maximal  $\Bbbk$ -split torus *S*, and the group of upper triangular matrices in *G* as the minimal  $\Bbbk$ -parabolic subgroup  $P_0$ . Also fixing an integer  $1 \le m < n$ , we will consider the maximal standard  $\Bbbk$ -parabolic subgroup *Q* defined by

$$Q(\Bbbk) = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & d \end{bmatrix} : a \in \mathrm{GL}_m(\Bbbk), b \in M_{m,n-m}(\Bbbk), d \in \mathrm{GL}_{n-m}(\Bbbk) \right\}$$

and the Levi subgroup  $M_Q$  is given by

$$M_Q(\mathbb{k}) = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & d \end{bmatrix} : a \in \mathrm{GL}_m(\mathbb{k}), d \in \mathrm{GL}_{n-m}(\mathbb{k}) \right\}.$$

For the maximal compact subgroup K of  $G(\mathbb{A})$  let  $K = K_{\infty} \times K_f$ , where

$$K_{\infty} = \{g \in \operatorname{GL}_{n}(\mathbb{k}_{\infty}) : {}^{t}\bar{g}g = I_{n}\}, \quad K_{f} = \prod_{\sigma \in p_{f}} \operatorname{GL}_{n}(\mathcal{O}_{\sigma}).$$

Here we identify  $GL_n(\Bbbk_{\infty})$  with  $\prod_{\sigma \in p_{\infty}} GL_n(\Bbbk_{\sigma})$ , and for  $g = (g_{\sigma})_{\sigma \in p_{\infty}} \in GL_n(\Bbbk_{\infty})$ we write  ${}^t\bar{g}$  for the element  $({}^t\bar{g}_{\sigma})_{\sigma \in p_{\infty}}$  of  $GL_n(\Bbbk_{\infty})$ .

The character  $\chi_Q$  described in the first section is then given by

$$\chi_{\mathcal{Q}}\left(\begin{bmatrix}a & 0\\ 0 & d\end{bmatrix}\right) = (\det a)^{(n-m)/l} (\det d)^{-m/l}$$

and the height function  $H_Q$  by

$$H_Q\left(\begin{bmatrix}a & 0\\ 0 & d\end{bmatrix}\right) = |\det a|_{\mathbb{A}}^{-(n-m)/l} |\det d|_{\mathbb{A}}^{m/l},$$

where *l* is the greatest common divisor of n - m and *m*.

We shall see that in this case the number of double cosets of  $Q(\Bbbk) \setminus GL_n(\Bbbk) / \Gamma_i$  for each *i* is invariant and equal to  $|GL_n(\Bbbk) \setminus GL_n(\mathbb{A})^1 / G^1_{\mathbb{A},\infty}|$ , the class number of  $GL_n$ .

Denote the set of all  $\mathcal{O}$ -lattices in  $\mathbb{k}^r$   $(r \ge 1)$  by  $\mathfrak{L}_r$ , and the standard unit vectors of  $\mathbb{k}^r$  by  $e_1^{(r)}, \ldots, e_r^{(r)}$ . For this section we simply write  $\mathfrak{L}$  for  $\mathfrak{L}_n$  and  $e_k$  for  $e_k^{(n)}$   $(1 \le k \le n)$ .

For  $L \in \mathfrak{L}_r$  and  $g = (g_{\sigma})_{\sigma \in p} \in \operatorname{GL}_r(\mathbb{A})$  put

(3) 
$$gL = \left( (\mathbb{k}_{\infty})^r \times \prod_{\sigma \in \mathbf{p}_f} g_{\sigma} L_{\sigma} \right) \cap \mathbb{k}^r \in \mathfrak{L}_r.$$

This defines a transitive left action of  $\operatorname{GL}_r(\mathbb{A})^1$  on  $\mathfrak{L}_r$ . Note that if  $g \in \operatorname{GL}_r(\mathbb{k})$  then gL as defined above coincides with the usual image of L under the linear transformation  $v \mapsto gv$  of  $\mathbb{k}^r$ . The subset of  $\mathfrak{L}$  consisting of all  $\mathcal{O}$ -lattices of the form gL with  $g \in \operatorname{GL}_n(\mathbb{k})$  will be referred to as the  $\mathcal{O}$ -lattice class of L or just the lattice class of L in  $\mathfrak{L}$ .

There is known to be a one-to-one correspondence between the  $\mathcal{O}$ -lattice classes in  $\mathfrak{L}$  and the double cosets in  $GL_n(\mathbb{k}) \setminus GL_n(\mathbb{A})^1 / G^1_{\mathbb{A},\infty}$ , which we give explicitly later on in this section. For now we note that this means the number of distinct lattice classes in  $\mathfrak{L}$  and the class number  $|GL_n(\mathbb{k}) \setminus GL_n(\mathbb{A})^1 / G^1_{\mathbb{A},\infty}|$  are equal.

**Lemma 8.** Let *L* be an  $\mathcal{O}$ -lattice in a  $\Bbbk$ -vector space *V* of dimension  $s \ge 1$ . Then there exists a  $\Bbbk$ -basis  $\{x_j\}_{j=1}^s$  of *V* and *s* fractional ideals  $A_1, \ldots, A_s$  such that  $L = A_1x_1 + \cdots + A_sx_s$ . Moreover:

- (i) If W is a k-subspace of V of dimension r ≤ s, the x<sub>j</sub> can be chosen such that x<sub>1</sub>,..., x<sub>r</sub> ∈ W.
- (ii) The ideal class of  $A_1 \cdots A_s$  is uniquely determined by the isomorphism class of L as an  $\mathcal{O}$ -module. In particular,  $L \simeq \left(\bigoplus_{i=1}^{s-1} \mathcal{O}\right) \oplus (A_1 \cdots A_s)$ .
- (iii) In the case  $V \subseteq \mathbb{k}^n$  ( $s \le n$ ), we can find  $g \in GL_n(\mathbb{k})$  such that

$$gL = \left(\sum_{j=1}^{s-1} \mathcal{O}\boldsymbol{e}_j\right) + (A_1 \cdots A_s)\boldsymbol{e}_s.$$

*Proof.* See [Shimura 2010, Theorem 10.19]. We prove (iii) here. Consider the case s = 2, where  $L = A_1x_1 + A_2x_2$ . We can find  $k_1, k_2 \in \mathbb{k}^{\times}$  such that  $A'_1 = k_1A_1$  and  $A'_2 = k_2A_2$  are integral ideals and  $A'_1 + A'_2 = O$  [Shimura 2010, Lemma 10.15(i)]. Let g' be the matrix formed by substituting the first two columns of the  $n \times n$  unit matrix with  $k_1^{-1}x_1$  and  $k_2^{-1}x_2$ . Then  $g'^{-1}L = A'_1e_1 + A'_2e_2$ . Next let

$$g'' = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -a_2 & a_1 \\ & I_{n-2} \end{bmatrix},$$

where  $a_1 \in A'_1$  and  $a_2 \in A'_2$  are taken such that  $a_1 + a_2 = 1$ . It is easily verified that  $g''(A'_1e_1 + A'_2e_2) = Oe_1 + A'_1A'_2e_2$ . Hence  $g = \text{diag}(1, k_1^{-1}k_2^{-1}, 1, \dots, 1)g''g'^{-1}$  maps L to  $Oe_1 + A_1A_2e_2$ . The general case when s > 2 follows inductively from this result.

The ideal class associated to the  $\mathcal{O}$ -lattice L mentioned above in (ii) is known as the *Steinitz class of* L, denoted by  $\lambda(L)$ . We may also speak of the Steinitz class of an entire lattice class in  $\mathfrak{L}$  since every  $\mathcal{O}$ -lattice in a lattice class has the same Steinitz class.

It follows directly that mapping each lattice class to its Steinitz class gives a bijection between the set of lattice classes in  $\mathfrak{L}$  and  $Cl(\Bbbk)$ . As a result the class

number of  $GL_n$ , which we have noted to be equivalent to the number of distinct lattice classes in  $\mathfrak{L}$ , is equal to the class number of  $\Bbbk$ , which we write as *h*.

We now proceed to prove that  $h_i = |Q(\Bbbk) \setminus GL_n(\Bbbk) / \Gamma_i|$  is also equal to h for every i = 1, ..., h. As we did in the previous section, let  $\{\eta_1, ..., \eta_h\}$  be a complete set of representatives for  $GL_n(\Bbbk) \setminus GL_n(\mathbb{A})^1 / G^1_{\mathbb{A},\infty}$ . Then for each i = 1, ..., h put  $L_i = \eta_i (\mathcal{O}e_1 + \cdots + \mathcal{O}e_n) \in \mathfrak{L}$ .

Next we identify  $Q(\Bbbk) \setminus GL_n(\Bbbk)$  with the set of all *m*-dimensional linear subspaces of  $\Bbbk^n$  denoted by  $Gr_m$  (the Grassmannian) via the bijection

(4) 
$$Q(\Bbbk) \setminus \operatorname{GL}_n(\Bbbk) \ni Q(\Bbbk) g \longmapsto g^{-1} \left( \sum_{k=1}^m \Bbbk \boldsymbol{e}_k \right) \in \operatorname{Gr}_m.$$

From here up to the end of Theorem 11 we fix  $i \in \{1, ..., h\}$ . Considering the left action of  $\Gamma_i \subset GL_n(\Bbbk)$  on  $Gr_m$ , the map (4) gives rise to the bijection

(5) 
$$Q(\Bbbk) \setminus \operatorname{GL}_{n}(\Bbbk) / \Gamma_{i} \ni Q(\Bbbk) g \Gamma_{i} \longmapsto \Gamma_{i} g^{-1} \left( \sum_{k=1}^{m} \Bbbk \boldsymbol{e}_{k} \right) \in \Gamma_{i} \setminus \operatorname{Gr}_{m}$$

which lets us identify  $Q(\Bbbk) \setminus \operatorname{GL}_n(\Bbbk) / \Gamma_i$  with  $\Gamma_i \setminus \operatorname{Gr}_m$ .

**Lemma 9.**  $\Gamma_i$  is the stabilizer of  $L_i$  in  $GL_n(\mathbb{k})$ , under the action of  $GL_n(\mathbb{A})^1$  on  $\mathfrak{L}$ , *i.e.*,

$$\Gamma_i = \{g \in \operatorname{GL}_n(\Bbbk) : gL_i = L_i\}.$$

*Proof.* Since  $\Gamma_i = (\operatorname{GL}_n(\mathbb{k}_\infty) \times \eta_i \prod_{\sigma \in p_f} \operatorname{GL}_n(\mathcal{O}_\sigma) \eta_i^{-1}) \cap \operatorname{GL}_n(\mathbb{k})$ , this is obvious from our choice of  $L_i$ .

**Proposition 10.** Let  $V_1, V_2 \in \text{Gr}_m$  and put  $\tilde{L}_1 = L_i \cap V_1$ ,  $\tilde{L}_2 = L_i \cap V_2$ , which are  $\mathcal{O}$ -lattices in  $V_1$  and  $V_2$  respectively. Then  $\lambda(\tilde{L}_1) = \lambda(\tilde{L}_2)$  if and only if there exists  $g \in \Gamma_i$  such that  $V_1 = gV_2$ .

*Proof.* Suppose that  $V_1 = gV_2$  for some  $g \in \Gamma_i$ . From Lemma 8 we can find a  $\Bbbk$ -basis  $\{y_j\}_{j=1}^n$  for  $\Bbbk^n$  contained in  $L_i$  with  $y_1, \ldots, y_m \in V_2$ . Put  $x_j = gy_j$  for  $j = 1, \ldots, m$ . Then  $\{x_j\}_{j=1}^m$  and  $\{y_j\}_{j=1}^m$  span  $V_1$  and  $V_2$  respectively and since g stabilizes  $L_i$ , they are also contained in  $\tilde{L}_1$  and  $\tilde{L}_2$  respectively.

For  $v \in V_1$  and  $w \in V_2$ , we write  $(\alpha_v)_j$  and  $(\beta_w)_j$  for the k-coefficients of  $x_j$  and  $y_j$  in v and w respectively (so  $v = \sum_{j=1}^m (\alpha_v)_j x_j$  and  $w = \sum_{j=1}^m (\beta_w)_j y_j$ ). Let  $J_1$  be the fractional ideal generated by  $\{\det[(\alpha_{v_j})_l]_{j,l=1}^m \mid v_1, \ldots, v_m \in \tilde{L}_1\}$ . We can show that the ideal class of  $J_1$  in Cl(k) is  $\lambda(\tilde{L}_1)$  as follows: From the lemma above we have  $\tilde{L}_1 = A_1 x'_1 + \cdots + A_m x'_m$ , with fractional ideals  $A_1, \ldots, A_m$  and  $\{x'_j\}_{j=i}^m$  a basis of  $V_1$ . Comparing  $\bigwedge_{i=1}^m \tilde{L}_1 = A_1 \cdots A_m (x'_1 \wedge \cdots \wedge x'_m)$  with

$$\bigwedge_{j=1}^{m} \tilde{L}_1 = \mathbb{k}\text{-span of } \{v_1 \wedge \cdots \wedge v_m \mid v_1, \dots, v_m \in \tilde{L}_1\} = J_1(x_1 \wedge \cdots \wedge x_m),$$

we see that  $A_1 \cdots A_m$  is a  $\mathbb{k}^{\times}$ -multiple of  $J_1$ ; hence their ideal classes are equivalent.

Similarly  $\lambda(\tilde{L}_2)$  is the ideal class of the fractional ideal  $J_2$  generated by the det $[(\beta_{w_j})_l]_{j,l=1}^m$  for all  $w_1, \ldots, w_m \in \tilde{L}_2$ . However, since any arbitrary  $v \in \tilde{L}_1$  can be written as gw with some  $w \in \tilde{L}_2$  and

$$v = gw \iff \sum_{j=1}^{m} (\alpha_v)_j x_j = g\left(\sum_{j=1}^{m} (\beta_w)_j y_j\right) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} (\beta_w)_j gy_j = \sum_{j=1}^{m} (\beta_w)_j x_j$$
$$\iff (\alpha_v)_j = (\beta_w)_j, \quad j = 1, \dots, m,$$

this shows that  $J_1 = J_2$  and thus  $\lambda(\tilde{L}_1) = \lambda(\tilde{L}_2)$ .

Now suppose conversely that  $\lambda(\tilde{L}_1) = \lambda(\tilde{L}_2)$ . Using Lemma 8, we obtain k-bases  $\{x_j\}_{j=1}^n$ ,  $\{y_j\}_{j=1}^n$  for  $\mathbb{k}^n$  and fractional ideals  $A_1, \ldots, A_n, B_1, \ldots, B_n$  such that  $L_i = A_1 x_1 + \cdots + A_n x_n = B_1 y_1 + \cdots + B_n y_n$  and  $x_1, \ldots, x_m \in V_1, y_1, \ldots, y_m \in V_2$ . Since  $\tilde{L}_1 = A_1 x_1 + \cdots + A_m x_m$  and  $\tilde{L}_2 = B_1 y_1 + \cdots + B_m y_m$ , the ideal classes of  $A_1 \cdots A_m$  and  $B_1 \cdots B_m$  are equivalent, and hence so are those of  $A_{m+1} \cdots A_n$  and  $B_{m+1} \cdots B_n$ . By substituting the basis vectors and fractional ideals with suitable  $\mathbb{k}^{\times}$ -multiples, we may assume that  $A_1 \cdots A_m = B_1 \cdots B_m$  and  $A_{m+1} \cdots A_n = B_{m+1} \cdots B_n$ .

Finally using Lemma 8(iii) we can find  $g_1, g_2 \in GL_n(\Bbbk)$  satisfying

$$g_{1}L_{i} = \sum_{j=1}^{m-1} \mathcal{O}\boldsymbol{e}_{j} + (A_{1}\cdots A_{m})\boldsymbol{e}_{m} + \sum_{j=m+1}^{n-1} \mathcal{O}\boldsymbol{e}_{j} + (A_{m+1}\cdots A_{n})\boldsymbol{e}_{n},$$
  
$$g_{2}L_{i} = \sum_{j=1}^{m-1} \mathcal{O}\boldsymbol{e}_{j} + (B_{1}\cdots B_{m})\boldsymbol{e}_{m} + \sum_{j=m+1}^{n-1} \mathcal{O}\boldsymbol{e}_{j} + (B_{m+1}\cdots B_{n})\boldsymbol{e}_{n},$$

chosen such that

$$g_1 \tilde{L}_1 = \sum_{j=1}^{m-1} \mathcal{O} \boldsymbol{e}_j + (A_1 \cdots A_m) \boldsymbol{e}_m, \quad g_2 \tilde{L}_2 = \sum_{j=1}^{m-1} \mathcal{O} \boldsymbol{e}_j + (B_1 \cdots B_m) \boldsymbol{e}_m.$$

Put  $g = g_1^{-1}g_2$ . Since  $g_1L_i = g_2L_i$ , the previous lemma gives us  $g \in \Gamma_i$ , while  $gV_2 = V_1$  follows from  $gy_j \in g\tilde{L}_2 = \tilde{L}_1 \subset V_1$  (j = 1, ..., m).

Finally we consider the map

(6)  $\lambda_i: \Gamma_i \setminus \operatorname{Gr}_m \to \operatorname{Cl}(\Bbbk), \qquad \lambda_i(\Gamma_i V) = \lambda(L_i \cap V) \quad (V \in \operatorname{Gr}_m),$ 

which is well-defined and injective as a result of the previous proposition.

### Theorem 11. $h_i = h$ .

*Proof.* Since  $h_i = |Q(\Bbbk) \setminus GL_n(\Bbbk) / \Gamma_i| = |\Gamma_i \setminus Gr_m|$  we only need to prove that  $\lambda_i$  is surjective.

Take any ideal class in Cl(k) and let A be a fractional ideal representing this class. Also let B be a fractional ideal representing  $\lambda(L_i)$ . Lemma 8(iii) allows us

to find  $g \in GL_n(\Bbbk)$  such that

$$gL_i = \sum_{1 \le k < n-1} \mathcal{O}\boldsymbol{e}_k + A\boldsymbol{e}_{n-1} + A^{-1}B\boldsymbol{e}_n.$$

Let *V* be the subspace of  $\mathbb{k}^n$  spanned by  $\boldsymbol{e}, \ldots, \boldsymbol{e}_{m-1}, \boldsymbol{e}_{n-1}$  and put  $V' = g^{-1}V \in \operatorname{Gr}_m$ . Then  $L_i \cap V' \simeq \left(\bigoplus_{j=1}^{m-1} \mathcal{O}\right) \oplus A$  so  $\lambda_i(\Gamma_i V') = \lambda(L_i \cap V')$  is the class of *A* in Cl( $\mathbb{k}$ ), as required.

The one-to-one correspondence between  $GL_n(\mathbb{k}) \setminus GL_n(\mathbb{A})^1 / G^1_{\mathbb{A},\infty}$  and the set of  $\mathcal{O}$ -lattices classes in  $\mathfrak{L}$  mentioned earlier in the section is given by mapping each  $\eta_i$  to the lattice class of  $L_i$ . That this is a bijection follows from  $G^1_{\mathbb{A},\infty}$  being the stabilizer group of the  $\mathcal{O}$ -lattice  $\mathcal{O}e_1 + \cdots + \mathcal{O}e_n$  under the action of  $GL_n(\mathbb{A})^1$ on  $\mathfrak{L}$ . Continuing this map to the Steinitz class of the lattice gives us the bijection

$$\operatorname{GL}_n(\Bbbk) \setminus \operatorname{GL}_n(\mathbb{A})^1 / \operatorname{GL}_{\mathbb{A},\infty}^1 \ni \eta_i \mapsto \lambda(L_i) \in \operatorname{Cl}(\Bbbk).$$

This gives us an explicit way to find candidates for  $\{\eta_1, \ldots, \eta_h\}$  as follows. Let  $\{\mathfrak{a}_1, \ldots, \mathfrak{a}_h\}$  be a complete set of fractional ideals representing the ideal class of k. For each  $i = 1, \ldots, h$ , we shall require an element  $\eta_i \in GL_n(\mathbb{A})^1$  such that the Steinitz class of the resulting lattice  $L_i = \eta_i \left(\sum_{k=1}^n \mathcal{O} \boldsymbol{e}_k\right)$  is the ideal class represented by  $\mathfrak{a}_i$ .

Let  $D_n(x)$  ( $x \in \mathbb{A}$ ) denote the unit matrix of size *n* with bottom-most diagonal entry replaced by *x*. For each  $1 \le i \le h$  we can choose  $\alpha_i \in \mathbb{A}^{\times}$  such that  $\alpha_{i\sigma}$ generates the principal ideal  $\mathfrak{a}_i \mathcal{O}_\sigma$  for every finite  $\sigma$  and  $|\alpha_i|_{\infty} = N(\mathfrak{a}_i)$ , the ideal norm of  $\mathfrak{a}_i$ . Then  $D_n(\alpha_i) \in \operatorname{GL}_n(\mathbb{A})^1$  since  $|\det D_n(\alpha_i)|_{\mathbb{A}} = |\alpha_i|_{\mathbb{A}} = 1$ , and

$$D_n(\alpha_i)\left(\sum_{k=1}^n \mathcal{O}\boldsymbol{e}_k\right) = \sum_{1 \leq k < n} \mathcal{O}\boldsymbol{e}_k + \mathfrak{a}_i \boldsymbol{e}_n.$$

Hence putting  $\eta_i = D_n(\alpha_i)$   $(1 \le i \le h)$  gives us our required set of representatives. The corresponding  $\mathcal{O}$ -lattice  $L_i$  and its stabilizer group  $\Gamma_i$  will be denoted by  $L_n(\mathfrak{a}_i)$  and  $\Gamma_n(\mathfrak{a}_i)$  respectively whenever we want to call to attention the fractional ideal  $\mathfrak{a}_i$  or the dimension n.

We can also proceed similarly to find, for a fixed *i*, a suitable set of representatives for  $Q(\mathbb{k})\backslash \text{GL}_n(\mathbb{k})/\Gamma_i$ . We do this using the bijection

$$Q(\Bbbk) \setminus \operatorname{GL}_n(\Bbbk) / \Gamma_i \ni Q(\Bbbk) g \Gamma_i \longmapsto \lambda(L_i \cap g^{-1} V_m) \in \operatorname{Cl}(\Bbbk)$$

formed by composing  $\lambda_i$  with the bijection (5), where  $V_m = \sum_{k=1}^m \Bbbk e_k$ .

For each  $j \in \{1, ..., h\}$  the ideal  $\mathfrak{a}_i \mathfrak{a}_j^{-1}$  shares the same ideal class as a unique  $\mathfrak{a}_{j'}$  $(j' \in \{1, ..., h\})$ ; that is  $[\mathfrak{a}_j][\mathfrak{a}_{j'}] = [\mathfrak{a}_i]$ . Putting  $\tau_i(j) := j'$  defines a permutation  $\tau_i$ on  $\{1, ..., h\}$ . Call a set of matrices  $\{\xi_1, \ldots, \xi_h\} \subset GL_n(\mathbb{k})$  an (n, m)-splitting set for  $L_n(\mathfrak{a}_i)$  if for each  $j = 1, \ldots, h$ 

(7) 
$$\xi_j L_n(\mathfrak{a}_i) = \left(\sum_{1 \le k < m} \mathcal{O} \boldsymbol{e}_k + \mathfrak{a}_j \boldsymbol{e}_m\right) + \left(\sum_{m < k < n} \mathcal{O} \boldsymbol{e}_k + \mathfrak{a}_{\tau_i(j)} \boldsymbol{e}_n\right)$$
$$\simeq L_m(\mathfrak{a}_j) \oplus L_{n-m}(\mathfrak{a}_{\tau_i(j)}).$$

Since  $\lambda(L_i \cap \xi_j^{-1} V_m) = \lambda(\xi_j L_i \cap V_m) = [\mathfrak{a}_j]$   $(i \le j \le h)$ , such a set of matrices completely represents  $Q(\mathbb{k}) \setminus GL_n(\mathbb{k}) / \Gamma_i$ .

One such set is given as follows. For each j = 1, ..., h, first take  $\kappa_{ij} \in \mathbb{k}$  such that  $\mathfrak{a}_j \mathfrak{a}_{\tau_i(j)} = \kappa_{ij} \mathfrak{a}_i$ . Then choose elements  $\alpha_{ij} \in \mathfrak{a}_j$ ,  $\alpha'_{ij} \in \mathfrak{a}_{\tau_i(j)}$ ,  $\beta_{ij} \in \mathfrak{a}_j^{-1}$  and  $\beta'_{ij} \in \mathfrak{a}_{\tau_i(j)}^{-1}$  satisfying

$$\alpha_{ij}\beta_{ij} - \alpha'_{ij}\beta'_{ij} = 1$$

(see [Cohen 2000, §1, Proposition 1.3.12 or Algorithm 1.3.16]) and define the matrix

$$\xi_{ij} := \begin{bmatrix} I_{m-1} & & \\ & \alpha_{ij} & & \kappa_{ij}\beta'_{ij} \\ & & I_{n-m+1} \\ & \alpha'_{ij} & & \kappa_{ij}\beta_{ij} \end{bmatrix} \in \mathrm{GL}_n(\mathbb{k}).$$

By direct calculation it is easily verified that  $\{\xi_{ij}\}_{j=1}^{h}$  is indeed an (n, m)-splitting set for  $L_n(\mathfrak{a}_i)$  and thus fully represents  $Q^{n,m}(\mathbb{k}) \setminus \operatorname{GL}_n(\mathbb{k}) / \Gamma_n(\mathfrak{a}_i)$ .

# 5. Fundamental domains of $GL_n(\mathbb{k}) \setminus GL_n(\mathbb{A})^1$ and $P_n / \Gamma_i$

We use the results of Section 3 to determine suitable fundamental domains in our continued discussion of the general linear group.

# 5.1. Local height functions.

**Definition.** For each  $\sigma \in p$  define  $H_{\sigma} : \bigwedge^m \Bbbk_{\sigma}^n \to \mathbb{R}_{>0}$  by

$$H_{\sigma}\left(\sum_{I} a_{I}(\boldsymbol{e}_{i_{1}} \wedge \dots \wedge \boldsymbol{e}_{i_{m}})\right) = \begin{cases} \left(\sum_{I} |a_{I}|_{\sigma}^{2}\right)^{[\mathbb{K}_{\sigma}:\mathbb{R}]/2}, & \sigma \in \boldsymbol{p}_{\infty}, \\ \sup_{I} |a_{I}|_{\sigma}, & \sigma \in \boldsymbol{p}_{f}, \end{cases}$$

where the sum and the supremum are taken over all  $I = \{i_1 < \cdots < i_m\} \subset \{1, \ldots, n\}$ . We call this the *local height function* at  $\sigma$ .

In the following we extend each  $H_{\sigma}$  to a function of  $GL_n(\Bbbk_{\sigma})$  by putting

$$H_{\sigma}(\gamma) = H_{\sigma}(\gamma \boldsymbol{e}_1 \wedge \cdots \wedge \gamma \boldsymbol{e}_m), \quad \gamma \in \mathrm{GL}_n(\Bbbk_{\sigma}).$$

The following lemma allows us to express the height function  $H_Q$  (restricted to  $G(\mathbb{A})^1$ ) in terms of these local heights.

Lemma 12. For  $g = (g_{\sigma})_{\sigma \in p} \in GL_n(\mathbb{A})^1$ ,

$$H_{\mathcal{Q}}(g) = \prod_{\sigma \in \boldsymbol{p}} H_{\sigma}(g_{\sigma}^{-1})^{n/l}$$

*Proof.* By noting that every local height  $H_{\sigma}$  as a function of  $GL_n(\Bbbk_{\sigma})$  is left  $K_{\sigma}$ -invariant and writing

$$g = \begin{bmatrix} a & * \\ 0 & d \end{bmatrix} h \quad (a \in \operatorname{GL}_m(\mathbb{A}), \ d \in \operatorname{GL}_{n-m}(\mathbb{A}), \ h \in K),$$

we see that  $H_{\sigma}(g_{\sigma}^{-1}) = |\det(a_{\sigma}^{-1})|_{\sigma}^{r_{\sigma}}$  at every  $\sigma$ , where  $r_{\sigma} = 2$  when  $\sigma$  is an imaginary infinite place and 1 otherwise. Hence the right-hand side of our equation becomes  $|\det a|_{\mathbb{A}}^{-n/l}$ , while  $H_Q(g) = |\det a|_{\mathbb{A}}^{-(n-m)/l} |\det d|_{\mathbb{A}}^{m/l}$  by definition. Then since  $g \in GL_n(\mathbb{A})^1$ , we have  $1 = |\det g|_{\mathbb{A}} = |\det a|_{\mathbb{A}} |\det d|_{\mathbb{A}}$ , which gives us our equality.  $\Box$ 

We proceed to describe the sets  $R_{i,j,\infty}$  using the matrices  $\eta_i$  and  $\xi_{ij}$  chosen at the end of the previous section. For the rest of this paper, for a square matrix A with entries in  $\mathbb{A}$  or  $\mathbb{k}_{\infty}$ , we will write  $|A|_{\mathbb{A}}$  and  $|A|_{\infty}$  to denote  $|\det A|_{\mathbb{A}}$  and  $|\det A|_{\infty}$ respectively. When the size of A is at least m, we write  $A^{[m]}$  for the top-left  $m \times m$  submatrix of A, and use  $|A|_{\infty}^{[m]}$  to denote  $|A^{[m]}|_{\infty}$ .

**Lemma 13.** Let  $X_{ij}$  be the  $n \times m$  matrix formed by the first m columns of  $\xi_{ij}^{-1}$ . Then

(8) 
$$H_{Q}(\xi_{ij}\gamma g\eta_{i}) = N(\mathfrak{a}_{j})^{n/l} \left| {}^{t} \overline{X}_{ij} {}^{t} \overline{\gamma}^{-1} {}^{t} \overline{g}^{-1} (\eta_{i})_{\infty}^{-2} g^{-1} \gamma^{-1} X_{ij} \right|_{\infty}^{n/2l}$$

for any  $1 \le i, j \le h, \gamma \in \Gamma_i$  and  $g \in GL_n(\Bbbk_{\infty})^1$ .

*Proof.* Let  $x = \eta_i^{-1} g^{-1} \gamma^{-1} X_{ij}$  so that  $H_{\sigma}((\xi_{ij} \gamma g \eta_i)_{\sigma}^{-1}) = H_{\sigma}(x_{\sigma} \boldsymbol{e}_1 \wedge \cdots \wedge x_{\sigma} \boldsymbol{e}_m)$ . For  $\sigma \in \boldsymbol{p}_{\infty}$ , this computes to

$$\left(\sum_{\substack{I \subset \{1,\dots,n\}\\|I|=m}} |\det[x_{\sigma}]_{I}|_{\sigma}^{2}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}[\mathbb{K}_{\sigma}:\mathbb{R}]} = \left(\sum_{I} \det^{t} \overline{[x_{\sigma}]}_{I} \det[x_{\sigma}]_{I}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}[\mathbb{K}_{\sigma}:\mathbb{R}]} = \det({}^{t}\bar{x}_{\sigma}x_{\sigma})^{\frac{1}{2}[\mathbb{K}_{\sigma}:\mathbb{R}]},$$

where for each  $I = \{i_1 < \cdots < i_m\}$  that the sums run through  $[x_\sigma]_I$  denotes the  $m \times n$  matrix formed by the  $i_1$ -th, ...,  $i_m$ -th rows of  $x_\sigma$  arranged from top to bottom in that order. The final equality is due to the Cauchy–Binet formula; see [Bombieri and Gubler 2006, Proposition 2.8.8].

For  $\sigma \in \mathbf{p}_f$ , since  $g_{\sigma}$  is trivial and  $\gamma_{\sigma} \in \eta_{i\sigma} \operatorname{GL}_n(\mathcal{O}_{\sigma}) \eta_{i\sigma}^{-1}$ , we have  $(\xi_{ij} \gamma g \eta_i)_{\sigma} = \xi_{ij\sigma} \eta_{i\sigma} h_{\sigma}$  for some  $h_{\sigma} \in \operatorname{GL}_n(\mathcal{O}_{\sigma})$ . Hence  $H_{\sigma}((\xi_{ij} \gamma g \eta_i)_{\sigma}^{-1})$  simplifies to

$$H_{\sigma}(\eta_{i\sigma}^{-1}\xi_{ij\sigma}^{-1}) = H_{\sigma}(\beta_{ij}(\boldsymbol{e}_{1}\wedge\cdots\wedge\boldsymbol{e}_{m}) + \alpha_{i\sigma}^{-1}\kappa_{ij}\alpha_{ij}'(\boldsymbol{e}_{1}\wedge\cdots\wedge\boldsymbol{e}_{m-1}\wedge\boldsymbol{e}_{n}))$$

or

$$\max\{|\beta_{ij}|_{\sigma}, |\alpha_{i\sigma}^{-1}\kappa_{ij}^{-1}\alpha_{ij}'|_{\sigma}\} = |\beta_{ij}'\kappa_{ij}\alpha_{i\sigma}|_{\sigma}^{-1}\max\{|\beta_{ij}\beta_{ij}'\kappa_{ij}\alpha_{i\sigma}|_{\sigma}, |\alpha_{ij}'\beta_{ij}'|_{\sigma}\}.$$

By the previous lemma,  $H_Q(\xi_{ij}\gamma g\eta_i)$  is obtained by taking the n/l-th power of the product of all the  $H_\sigma((\xi_{ij}\gamma g\eta_i)_{\sigma}^{-1})$ . Thus it remains to verify that

$$\prod_{\sigma \in \mathbf{p}_f} |\beta'_{ij} \kappa_{ij} \alpha_{i\sigma}|_{\sigma}^{-1} \max\{|\beta_{ij} \beta'_{ij} \kappa_{ij} \alpha_{i\sigma}|_{\sigma}, |\alpha'_{ij} \beta'_{ij}|_{\sigma}\} = N(\mathfrak{a}_j).$$

First we see that  $\prod_{\sigma \in \mathbf{p}_{f}} |\beta'_{ij} \kappa_{ij} \alpha_{i\sigma}|_{\sigma}^{-1} = N(\beta'_{ij} \kappa_{ij} \mathfrak{a}_{i}) = N(\beta'_{ij} \mathfrak{a}_{j} \mathfrak{a}_{\tau_{i}(j)})$ . It is then sufficient to show that the product of the remaining factors is  $N(\beta'_{ij} \mathfrak{a}_{\tau_{i}(j)})^{-1}$ .

Let  $\mathfrak{p}_{\sigma}$  denote the prime ideal associated to a finite place  $\sigma \in p_f$ . Write the prime ideal decompositions of  $\beta_{ij}\mathfrak{a}_j$  and  $\beta'_{ij}\mathfrak{a}_{\tau_i(j)}$  as  $\prod_{\sigma \in p_f} (\mathfrak{p}_{\sigma} \cap \mathcal{O})^{d_{\sigma}}$  and  $\prod_{\sigma \in p_f} (\mathfrak{p}_{\sigma} \cap \mathcal{O})^{e_{\sigma}}$  respectively, the exponents  $d_{\sigma}$  and  $e_{\sigma}$  being nonnegative.

Then  $\beta_{ij}\beta'_{ij}\kappa_{ij}\mathfrak{a}_i = (\beta_{ij}\mathfrak{a}_j)(\beta'_{ij}\mathfrak{a}_{\tau_i(j)}) = \prod_{\sigma \in \mathbf{p}_f} (\mathfrak{p}_{\sigma} \cap \mathcal{O})^{d_{\sigma}+e_{\sigma}}$  and since each  $\mathfrak{a}_{i\sigma}$  is generated by  $\alpha_{i\sigma}$ , this yields

$$|\beta_{ij}\beta'_{ij}\kappa_{ij}\alpha_{i\sigma}|_{\sigma} = |\mathcal{O}_{\sigma}/\mathfrak{p}_{\sigma}|^{-d_{\sigma}-e_{\sigma}}, \quad \sigma \in \boldsymbol{p}_{f}$$

Now  $\alpha'_{ij}\beta'_{ij} \in \beta'_{ij}\mathfrak{a}_{\tau_i(j)}$  and hence  $|\alpha'_{ij}\beta'_{ij}|_{\sigma} \leq |\mathcal{O}_{\sigma}/\mathfrak{p}_{\sigma}|^{-e_{\sigma}}$ . We have two cases. **Case 1:**  $d_{\sigma} = 0$ . Then  $|\alpha'_{ij}\beta'_{ij}|_{\sigma} \leq |\beta_{ij}\beta'_{ij}\kappa_{ij}\alpha_{i\sigma}|_{\sigma} = |\mathcal{O}_{\sigma}/\mathfrak{p}_{\sigma}|^{-e_{\sigma}}$ .

**Case 2:**  $d_{\mathfrak{p}} > 0$ . In this case

$$\alpha_{ij}^{\prime}\beta_{ij}^{\prime} = -1 + \alpha_{ij}\beta_{ij} \in -1 + \beta_{ij}\mathfrak{a}_j \subset -1 + (\mathfrak{p}_{\sigma} \cap \mathcal{O})^{d_{\mathfrak{p}}}$$

shows us that  $\alpha'_{ij}\beta'_{ij} \in \mathcal{O}^{\times}_{\sigma}$  and so  $|\alpha'_{ij}\beta'_{ij}|_{\sigma} = 1 \ge |\beta_{ij}\beta'_{ij}\kappa_{ij}\alpha_{i\sigma}|_{\sigma}$ . We also note that since  $\beta_{ij}$  and  $\beta'_{ij}$  were chosen in such a way that  $\beta_{ij}\mathfrak{a}_{ij} + \beta'_{ij}\mathfrak{a}_{ij} = \mathcal{O}$ , the ideal  $\beta_{ij}\mathfrak{a}_{j}$  is prime to  $\beta'_{ij}\mathfrak{a}_{\tau_i(j)}$ , which means  $e_{\sigma} = 0$ .

So in either case,

$$\max\{|\beta_{ij}\beta'_{ij}\kappa_{ij}\alpha_{i\sigma}|_{\sigma}, |\alpha'_{ij}\beta'_{ij}|_{\sigma}\} = |\mathcal{O}_{\sigma}/\mathfrak{p}_{\sigma}|^{-e_{\sigma}}$$

and thus the product over all finite places is  $N(\beta'_{ij}\mathfrak{a}_{\tau_i(j)})^{-1}$ , as required.

Now fix  $1 \le i$ ,  $j \le h$  and first consider the set  $\xi_{ij}^{-1} R_{i,j,\infty} \xi_{ij}$ . It is easy to directly verify that

$$\xi_{ij}^{-1}R_{i,j,\infty}\xi_{ij} = \{g \in G(\mathbb{k}_{\infty})^1 : H_Q(\xi_{ij}g\eta_i) = \mathsf{m}_Q(g\eta_i)\}.$$

Hence for  $g \in \xi_{ij}^{-1} R_{i,j,\infty} \xi_{ij}$  we have

$$H_{\mathcal{Q}}(\xi_{ij}g\eta_i) = \mathsf{m}_{\mathcal{Q}}(g\eta_i) = \min_{x \in \mathcal{Q}(\Bbbk) \setminus \mathrm{GL}_n(\Bbbk)} H_{\mathcal{Q}}(xg\eta_i) = \min_{\substack{1 \le k \le h \\ \gamma \in \Gamma_i}} H_{\mathcal{Q}}(\xi_{ik}\gamma g\eta_i),$$

which in this case can be written using (8) as

$$|{}^{t}\bar{X}_{ij}{}^{t}\bar{g}^{-1}(\eta_{i})_{\infty}^{-2}g^{-1}X_{ij}|_{\infty} \leq \left(\frac{N(\mathfrak{a}_{k})}{N(\mathfrak{a}_{j})}\right)^{2}|{}^{t}\bar{X}_{ik}{}^{t}\bar{\gamma}{}^{t}\bar{g}^{-1}(\eta_{i})_{\infty}^{-2}g^{-1}\gamma X_{ik}|_{\infty}$$

for all k = 1, ..., h and  $\gamma \in \Gamma_i$ .

Now  ${}^{t}\overline{X}_{ik}{}^{t}\overline{\gamma}{}^{t}\overline{g}^{-1}(\eta_{i})_{\infty}^{-2}g^{-1}\gamma X_{ik} = ({}^{t}\overline{\xi}_{ik}{}^{-1}{}^{t}\overline{\gamma}{}^{t}\overline{g}^{-1}(\eta_{i})_{\infty}^{-2}g^{-1}\gamma \xi_{ik}{}^{-1})^{[m]}$ , which by letting  $g_{[ij]} = \xi_{ij}g\xi_{ij}{}^{-1}$  can be rewritten as

$$\left({}^{t}(\overline{\xi_{ij}\gamma\xi_{ik}^{-1}}){}^{t}\bar{g}_{[ij]}^{-1}({}^{t}\bar{\xi}_{ij}^{-1}(\eta_{i})_{\infty}^{-2}\xi_{ij}^{-1})g_{[ij]}^{-1}(\xi_{ij}\gamma\xi_{ik}^{-1})\right)^{[m]}$$

This lets us express the set  $R_{i,j,\infty}$  as follows. For  $g \in GL_n(\mathbb{k}_{\infty})$  let  $\pi_{ij}(g)$  denote  ${}^t\bar{g}^{-1}({}^t\bar{\xi}_{ij}^{-1}(\eta_i)_{\infty}^{-2}\xi_{ij}^{-1})g^{-1}$ . Then  $g \in R_{i,j,\infty}$  if and only if

(9) 
$$|\pi_{ij}(g)|_{\infty}^{[m]} \le \left(\frac{N(\mathfrak{a}_k)}{N(\mathfrak{a}_j)}\right)^2 \left| {}^t (\overline{\xi_{ij}\gamma\xi_{ik}^{-1}}) \pi_{ij}(g)(\xi_{ij}\gamma\xi_{ik}^{-1}) \right|_{\infty}^{[m]}$$

for all k = 1, ..., h and  $\gamma \in \Gamma_i$ .

**5.2.** Fundamental domains of  $P_n/\Gamma_i$ . For each infinite place  $\sigma$  of  $\Bbbk$  let  $P_n(\Bbbk_{\sigma})$  denote the subset of  $GL_n(\Bbbk_{\sigma})$  consisting of all positive definite real symmetric matrices when  $\sigma$  is real and positive definite Hermitian matrices when  $\sigma$  is imaginary. We consider the subset of  $GL_n(\Bbbk_{\infty})$  defined by  $P_n = \prod_{\sigma \in p_{\infty}} P_n(\Bbbk_{\sigma})$ . This is the space of positive definite Humbert forms in  $GL_n(\Bbbk)$ .

We have the following right action of  $GL_n(\Bbbk_{\infty})$  on  $P_n$ :

(10) 
$$A \cdot g = {}^{t}\bar{g}Ag \quad (g \in \operatorname{GL}_{n}(\Bbbk_{\infty}), A \in P_{n}).$$

To determine fundamental domains in  $P_n$  with respect to subgroups of  $GL_n(\Bbbk)$ , we consider instead the induced action  $A \cdot gZ = {}^t \bar{g}Ag$  of  $GL_n(\Bbbk)/Z$  on  $P_n$ , where  $Z = \{z \in \Bbbk : \bar{z}z = 1\}$ , the set of roots of unity in  $\Bbbk$ . Here  $\{zI_n : z \in Z\}$  is naturally seen to be the intersection of  $K_\infty$  and the center of  $GL_n(\Bbbk)$ .

Hence given a discrete subgroup  $\Gamma$  of  $GL_n(\Bbbk)$  acting on a subset T of  $P_n$ , a fundamental domain  $\Omega$  of a  $T/\Gamma$  is an open subset of T satisfying

(i) 
$$T = \Omega^{-} \cdot \Gamma$$
,

(ii) for  $\gamma \in \Gamma$ , if  $\Omega^{\circ} \cap (\Omega^{-} \cdot \gamma) \neq \emptyset$  then  $\gamma \in Z$ .

Now for each  $1 \le i, j \le h$ , put

$$K_{i,j,\infty} = (\xi_{ij}\eta_i)_{\infty} K_{\infty}(\xi_{ij}\eta_i)_{\infty}^{-1}, \quad P_n^{ij} = \{A \in P_n : |A|_{\infty} = N(\kappa_{ij}\mathfrak{a}_i)^{-2}\},\$$

and define the map  $\pi_{ij} : G(\Bbbk_{\infty}) \ni g \mapsto {}^{t} \bar{g}^{-1} ({}^{t} \bar{\xi}_{ij}^{-1}(\eta_{i})_{\infty}^{-2} \xi_{ij}^{-1}) g^{-1} \in P_{n}$ . Note that  $K_{i,j,\infty}$  is the stabilizer of  ${}^{t} \bar{\xi}_{ij}^{-1}(\eta_{i})_{\infty}^{-2} \xi_{ij}^{-1} \in P_{n}$  under the action of  $GL_{n}(\Bbbk_{\infty})$  on  $P_{n}$  and that  $\pi_{ij}$  preserves this action. Thus the surjective map  $\pi_{ij}$  gives us the isomorphisms

$$\operatorname{GL}_{n}(\mathbb{k}_{\infty})/K_{i,j,\infty} \simeq P_{n} \quad \text{and} \quad \operatorname{GL}_{n}(\mathbb{k}_{\infty})^{1}/K_{i,\infty} \simeq \pi_{ij}(\operatorname{GL}_{n}(\mathbb{k}_{\infty})^{1}) = P_{n}^{ij}$$
  
since  $|{}^{i}\bar{\xi}_{ij}^{-1}(\eta_{i})_{\infty}^{-2}\xi_{ij}^{-1}|_{\infty} = N(\kappa_{ij}\mathfrak{a}_{i})^{-2}.$ 

Lastly let  $F_{i,i}^{n,m}$  denote the following closed subset of  $P_n$ :

$$\left\{A \in P_n : |A|_{\infty}^{[m]} \le \left(\frac{N(\mathfrak{a}_k)}{N(\mathfrak{a}_j)}\right)^2 \Big|^t (\overline{\xi_{ij}\gamma\xi_{ik}^{-1}})A(\xi_{ij}\gamma\xi_{ik}^{-1})\Big|_{\infty}^{[m]}, \ 1 \le k \le h, \ \gamma \in \Gamma_i\right\}.$$

From (9),  $\pi_{ij}$  maps  $R_{i,j,\infty}$  onto  $F_{i,j}^{n,m} \cap P_n^{ij}$ . We also note that following statement holds true, the proof of which will be given later in the section.

**Proposition 14.**  $F_{i,j}^{n,m}$  is right  $Q_{i,j}$ -invariant under the action (10).

Thus the subgroup  $Q_{i,j}$  of  $\operatorname{GL}_n(\mathbb{k}_\infty)$  acts on  $R_{i,j,\infty}$  from the left and on  $F_{i,j}^{n,m}$  from the right, and  $\pi_{ij}$  preserves this. Hence by constructing a fundamental domain for  $F_{i,j}^{n,m}/Q_{i,j}$ , we can find one for  $Q_{i,j} \setminus R_{i,j,\infty}$  by taking the inverse image under  $\pi_{ij}$ .

We start by observing that  $\xi_{ij}\Gamma_i\xi_{ij}^{-1}$  is the stabilizer in  $GL_n(\Bbbk)$  of the  $\mathcal{O}$ -lattice  $\xi_{ij}L_i$  described in (7). This gives us an expression for  $Q_{i,j} = Q(\Bbbk) \cap \xi_{ij}\Gamma_i\xi_{ij}^{-1}$ :

$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & d \end{bmatrix} : a \in \Gamma_m(\mathfrak{a}_j), \ d \in \Gamma_{n-m}(\mathfrak{a}_{\tau_i(j)}), \ bL_{n-m}(\mathfrak{a}_{\tau_i(j)}) \subset L_m(\mathfrak{a}_j) \right\}.$$

Any  $A \in P_n$  can be written uniquely in the form

(11) 
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} I_m & 0 \\ {}^t \overline{u_{A,m}} & I_{n-m} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A^{[m]} & 0 \\ 0 & A_{[n-m]} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I_m & u_{A,m} \\ 0 & I_{n-m} \end{bmatrix}$$

with  $A^{[m]} \in P_m$ ,  $A_{[n-m]} \in P_{n-m}$  and  $u_{A,m} \in M_{m,n-m}(\mathbb{k}_{\infty})$ . (The symbol  $A^{[m]}$  here coincides with its prior use to denote the top left  $m \times m$  submatrix of A). It is easy to verify that the action of  $q = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & d \end{bmatrix} \in Q_{i,j}$  on A results in

$$({}^{t}\bar{q}Aq)^{[m]} = {}^{t}\bar{a}A^{[m]}a, \quad ({}^{t}\bar{q}Aq)_{[n-m]} = {}^{t}\bar{d}A_{[n-m]}d,$$
  
 $u_{{}^{t}\bar{q}Aq,m} = a^{-1}(u_{A,m}d+b).$ 

These equations will determine the necessary form of our fundamental domain, as well as allow us to prove our previous proposition. Given  $A \in F_{i,j}^{n,m}$  and q as above, we first see that

$$|{}^{t}\bar{q}Aq|_{\infty}^{[m]} = |{}^{t}\bar{a}|_{\infty}|A|_{\infty}^{[m]}|a|_{\infty} = |A|_{\infty}^{[m]}.$$

Next put  $q = \xi_{ij} \gamma_q \xi_{ij}^{-1}$ ,  $\gamma_q \in \Gamma_i$ , to get

$${}^{t}(\overline{\xi_{ij}\gamma\xi_{ik}^{-1}}){}^{t}\bar{q}Aq(\xi_{ij}\gamma\xi_{ik}^{-1}) = {}^{t}(\overline{\xi_{ij}\gamma_{q}\gamma\xi_{ik}^{-1}})A(\xi_{ij}\gamma_{q}\gamma\xi_{ik}^{-1})$$

for all  $\gamma \in \Gamma_i$  and every k. Together, this shows that  ${}^t \bar{q} A q \in F_{i,j}^{n,m}$  as proposed.

Now for each k = 1, ..., h choose sets  $\vartheta_k$ ,  $\vartheta'_k$  and  $\vartheta_{ik}$  that are fundamental domains for  $\Bbbk_{\infty}$  with respect to addition by  $\mathfrak{a}_k$ ,  $\mathfrak{a}_k^{-1}$  and  $\mathfrak{a}_k \mathfrak{a}_{\tau_i(k)}^{-1}$  respectively. We require each of these sets to be closed under multiplication by Z. Then choose also a subset  $\tilde{\vartheta}_{ik}$  of  $\vartheta_{ik}$  that is a fundamental domain for  $\vartheta_{ik}$  with respect to multiplication

by *Z*. Also if necessary (which will be the case when m > 1 and n - m > 1) take a fundamental domain  $\mathfrak{d}_{\mathcal{O}}$  of  $\Bbbk_{\infty}$  with respect to addition by  $\mathcal{O}$ .

Using these, we define for 1 < i, j < h the sets

$$\mathfrak{D}_{i,j}^{n,m} = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} d_{11} \cdots d_{1,n-m} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ d_{m1} \cdots & d_{m,n-m} \end{bmatrix} : d_{m,n-m} \in \tilde{\mathfrak{d}}_{ij}, \, d_{rs} \in \left\{ \begin{matrix} \mathfrak{d}_{\mathcal{O}}, & r < m, \, s < n-m, \\ \mathfrak{d}'_{\tau_i(j)}, & r < m, \, s = n-m, \\ \mathfrak{d}_j, & r = m, \, s < n-m \end{matrix} \right\}$$

and

$$F_{i,j}^{n,m}(S,S') = \{A \in F_{i,j}^{n,m} : A^{[m]} \in S, A_{[n-m]} \in S', u_{A,m} \in \mathfrak{D}_{i,j}^{n,m}\}$$

with arbitrary subsets  $S \subset P_m$  and  $S' \subset P_{n-m}$ .

In particular we will want to consider  $F_{i,j}^{n,m}(\mathfrak{B}_j, \mathfrak{C}_{\sigma_i(j)})$  when  $\mathfrak{B}_j$  and  $\mathfrak{C}_{\tau_i(j)}$  are fundamental domains for  $P_m/\Gamma_m(\mathfrak{a}_j)$  and  $P_{n-m}/\Gamma_{n-m}(\mathfrak{a}_{\tau_i(j)})$  respectively. In this case, based on our observations on the action of  $Q_{i,j}$  on  $F_{i,j}^{n,m}$ , we establish the following result.

**Lemma 15.**  $F_{i,j}^{n,m}(\mathfrak{B}_j, \mathfrak{C}_{\tau_i(j)})$  is a fundamental domain of  $F_{i,j}^{n,m}/Q_{i,j}$ .

*Proof.* We write  $F = F_{i,j}^{n,m}(\mathfrak{B}_j, \mathfrak{C}_{\tau_i(j)})$  for short. First consider an  $A \in F_{i,j}^{n,m}$ . We can find  $b \in \mathfrak{B}_j^-$ ,  $c \in \mathfrak{C}_{\tau_i(j)}^-$  and  $a \in \Gamma_m(\mathfrak{a}_j)$ ,  $d \in \Gamma_{n-m}(\mathfrak{a}_{\tau_i(j)})$  such that  $A^{[m]} = {}^t \bar{a}ba$  and  $A_{[n-m]} = {}^t \bar{d}cd$ . Also, by substituting a with a suitable Z-multiple if necessary, we can find  $f \in (\mathfrak{D}_{i,j}^{n,m})^-$  and a  $g \in M_{m,n-m}(\mathbb{k})$  mapping  $L_{n-m}(\mathfrak{a}_{\tau_i(j)})$  to  $L_m(\mathfrak{a}_j)$  such that  $au_{A,m}d^{-1} = f + g$ . Let

$$q = \begin{bmatrix} a & gd \\ 0 & d \end{bmatrix}, \quad A' = \begin{bmatrix} I_m & 0 \\ {}^t \bar{f} & I_{n-m} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} b & 0 \\ 0 & c \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I_m & f \\ 0 & I_{n-m} \end{bmatrix}.$$

Then  $q \in Q_{i,j}$  and  $A = {}^{t}\bar{q}A'q$ . We have from the  $Q_{i,j}$ -invariance of  $F_{i,j}^{n,m}$  that  $A' \in F_{i,j}^{n,m}$  and so  $A' \in F^{-}$ . This shows that  $F_{i,j}^{n,m} = F^{-} \cdot Q_{i,j}$ .

Next suppose  $F^{\circ} \cap (F^{-} \cdot q)$  is nonempty for a  $q = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & d \end{bmatrix} \in Q_{i,j}$ , so there exist  $A \in F^{\circ}$  and  $A' \in F^{-}$  such that  $A = {}^{t}\bar{q}A'q$ . We must show that  $q \in Z$ . From  $A^{[m]} = {}^{t}\bar{a}A'^{[m]}a \in \mathfrak{B}_{ij}$  and  $A_{[n-m]} = {}^{t}\bar{d}A'_{[n-m]}d \in \mathfrak{C}_{ij}$ , we must have  $a = a_{1}I_{m}$  and  $d = d_{1}I_{n-m}$  with some  $a_{1}, d_{1} \in Z$ . Since the entries of  $u_{A,m}$  and  $u_{A',m}$  are respectively in the interior and closure of either  $\mathfrak{d}_{\mathcal{O}}, \mathfrak{d}_{j}, \mathfrak{d}'_{\tau_{i}(j)}$  or  $\mathfrak{d}_{ij}$ , which are all invariant under Z, we see that  $b = au_{A,m} - u_{A',m}d$  must necessarily be 0. From this we get  $a_{1}u_{A,m} = d_{1}u_{A',m}$ , whose (m, n-m)-th entry belongs to  $\tilde{\mathfrak{d}}_{ij}$ , implying that  $a_{1}d_{1}^{-1} \in Z$ . Hence  $q \in Z$ .

As a result, the inverse image of  $F_{i,j}^{n,m}(\mathfrak{B}_{ij},\mathfrak{C}_{ij})\cap P_n^{ij}$  under  $\pi_{ij}$  is a fundamental domain of  $Q_{i,j}\setminus R_{i,j,\infty}$ .

If we have fundamental domains  $\mathfrak{B}_1, \ldots, \mathfrak{B}_h$  for  $P_m$  with respect to the groups  $\Gamma_m(\mathfrak{a}_1), \ldots, \Gamma_m(\mathfrak{a}_h)$ , as well as fundamental domains  $\mathfrak{C}_1, \ldots, \mathfrak{C}_h$  of  $P_{n-m}$  with respect to  $\Gamma_{n-m}(\mathfrak{a}_1), \ldots, \Gamma_{n-m}(\mathfrak{a}_h)$ , we are able to construct the sets  $F_{i,j}^{n,m}(\mathfrak{B}_j, \mathfrak{C}_{\sigma_i(j)})$ 

for each *i* and *j*. Then by Corollary 6 a fundamental domain for  $GL_n(\mathbb{k}) \setminus GL_n(\mathbb{A})^1$  is given by the set

$$\bigsqcup_{1\leq i,j\leq h}\pi_{ij}^{-1}(F_{i,j}^{n,m}(\mathfrak{B}_j,\mathfrak{C}_{\tau_i(j)})\cap P_n^{ij})\xi_{ij}\eta_iK_f.$$

Also Theorem 7 shows us that  $\bigcup_{j=1}^{h} \xi_{ij}^{-1} \pi_{ij}^{-1} (F_{i,j}^{n,m}(\mathfrak{B}_j, \mathfrak{C}_{\tau_i(j)}) \cap P_n^{ij}) \xi_{ij}$  is a fundamental domain for  $\mathrm{GL}_n(\mathbb{k}_{\infty})^1$  with respect to  $\Gamma_i$ . Now let

$$\Omega_i^{n,m}(\mathfrak{B}_1,\ldots,\mathfrak{B}_h,\mathfrak{C}_1,\ldots,\mathfrak{C}_h) = \bigcup_{j=1}^h {}^t \bar{\xi}_{ij} F_{i,j}^{n,m}(\mathfrak{B}_j,\mathfrak{C}_{\tau_i(j)}) \xi_{ij}$$

We have the following result.

**Theorem 16.**  $\Omega_i^{n,m}(\mathfrak{B}_1,\ldots,\mathfrak{B}_h,\mathfrak{C}_1,\ldots,\mathfrak{C}_h) \cap P_n^{ij}$  is a fundamental domain of  $P_n^{ij}$  with respect to  $\Gamma_i$ . In addition, by viewing  $\mathbb{R}_{>0}$  as a subset of  $\mathbb{k}_{\infty}$  via the usual diagonal embedding, if we assume for  $k = 1, \ldots, h$  that

$$\mathbb{R}_{>0}\mathfrak{B}_k=\mathfrak{B}_k,\quad \mathbb{R}_{>0}\mathfrak{C}_k=\mathfrak{C}_k,$$

then  $\Omega_i^{n,m}(\mathfrak{B}_1,\ldots,\mathfrak{B}_h,\mathfrak{C}_1,\ldots,\mathfrak{C}_h)$  is a fundamental domain of  $P_n/\Gamma_i$ .

*Proof.* We write  $\Omega$  for  $\Omega_i^{n,m}(\mathfrak{B}_1,\ldots,\mathfrak{B}_h,\mathfrak{C}_1,\ldots,\mathfrak{C}_h)$  and  $\Gamma$  for  $\Gamma_i$  for short. If we define the map  $G(\mathbb{k}_{\infty}) \ni g \mapsto {}^t \bar{g}^{-1}(\eta_i)_{\infty}^{-2} g^{-1} \in P_n$  we can directly verify that the image of  $\bigcup_{j=1}^h \xi_{ij}^{-1} \pi_{ij}^{-1}(F_{i,j}^{n,m}(\mathfrak{B}_j,\mathfrak{C}_{\tau_i(j)}) \cap P_n^{ij})\xi_{ij}$  under this map is  $\Omega$ , which gives us the first result. For the second part, note that  $\mathbb{R}_{>0}F_{i,j}^{n,m} = F_{i,j}^{n,m}$  and

$$(xA)^{[m]} = x(A^{[m]}), \quad (xA)_{[n-m]} = x(A_{[n-m]}), \quad u_{xA,m} = u_{A,m}$$

for any  $x \in \mathbb{R}_{>0}$  and  $A \in P_n$ . Thus the conditions on the  $\mathfrak{B}_k$  and  $\mathfrak{C}_k$  imply that  $\mathbb{R}_{>0}F_{i,j}^{n,m}(\mathfrak{B}_j,\mathfrak{C}_{\tau_i(j)}) = F_{i,j}^{n,m}(\mathfrak{B}_j,\mathfrak{C}_{\tau_i(j)})$  for each j; hence  $\mathbb{R}_{>0}\Omega = \Omega$ . Since  $P_n = \mathbb{R}_{>0}P_n^{ij}$ , we see from  $P_n^{ij} = (\Omega \cap P_n^{ij})^- \cdot \Gamma$  that  $P_n = \Omega^- \cdot \Gamma$ . Finally suppose that  $\Omega^\circ \cap ({}^t \bar{\gamma} \Omega^- \gamma)$  ( $\gamma \in \Gamma$ ) contains an element  $g = {}^t \bar{\gamma} g' \gamma$  ( $g' \in \Omega^-$ ). Put  $x = (N(\kappa_{ij}\mathfrak{a}_i)^2 |g|_{\infty})^{-1/n[\mathbb{R}_{\infty}:\mathbb{R}]}$ . Then  $|xg|_{\infty} = |xg'|_{\infty} = N(\kappa_{ij}\mathfrak{a}_i)^{-2}$  and hence  $xg = {}^t \bar{\gamma} xg' \gamma \in (\Omega^\circ \cap P_n^{ij}) \cap {}^t \bar{\gamma} (\Omega^- \cap P_n^{ij}) \gamma$ , which gives us  $\gamma = I_n$ , as required.  $\Box$ 

Using the theorem, we can construct fundamental domains for  $P_n$  with respect to  $\Gamma_i$  for each i and  $n \ge 1$ . Since  $\Gamma_i = \mathcal{O}^{\times}$  for any i when n = 1, we can start by choosing a fixed fundamental domain,  $\Omega^1$ , for  $P_1$  with respect to  $\mathcal{O}^{\times}/Z$  that is closed under multiplication by  $\mathbb{R}_{>0}$ . (The existence of such a set can be shown using Voronoi reduction; see the Appendix.) Then for each  $i = 1, \ldots, h$ , let  $\Omega_i^1 = \Omega^1$  and define

$$\Omega_i^n = \Omega_i^{n,n-1}(\Omega_1^{n-1}\dots,\Omega_h^{n-1},\Omega^1,\dots,\Omega^1)$$

inductively for  $n \ge 2$ . By construction,  $\mathbb{R}_{>0}\Omega_i^n = \Omega_i^n$  so for each  $1 \le i \le h$  and  $n \ge 1$ ,  $\Omega_i^n$  gives us a fundamental domain for  $P_n/\Gamma_i$ .

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An example implementation of this construction for  $P_2$  over the imaginary quadratic field  $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{-5})$  of class number 2 is given in the following subsection. Similar work on fundamental domains in spaces over real quadratic fields of class number 1 can be found in [Cohn 1965].

**5.3.** An example  $(\Bbbk = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{-5}))$ . When  $\Bbbk$  is an imaginary quadratic field, we have  $\Bbbk_{\infty} = \mathbb{C}$ . For n = 1 we have  $P_1 = \mathbb{R}_{>0} (\subset \mathbb{C})$  and  $\Gamma_i = \mathcal{O}^{\times} = Z$  acts trivially on  $P_1$ ; hence  $P_1$  itself is a fundamental domain for  $P_1/\Gamma_1(\mathfrak{a}_i)$ .

Consider in particular  $\Bbbk = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{-5})$  of class number h = 2. We can choose representatives  $\mathfrak{a}_1, \mathfrak{a}_2$  for Cl( $\Bbbk$ ) by putting  $\mathfrak{a}_1 = \mathcal{O}$  and  $\mathfrak{a}_2 = \langle 2, 1 + \sqrt{-5} \rangle$ . Then following the procedure at the end of Section 4, we see that

$$\mathfrak{a}_{1}^{2} = \mathfrak{a}_{1}, \qquad \mathfrak{a}_{2}^{2} = 2\mathfrak{a}_{1} \qquad \left(\tau_{1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}, \kappa_{11} = 1, \kappa_{12} = 2 \end{pmatrix},$$
  
 $\mathfrak{a}_{1}\mathfrak{a}_{2} = \mathfrak{a}_{2}, \qquad \mathfrak{a}_{2}\mathfrak{a}_{1} = \mathfrak{a}_{2} \qquad \left(\tau_{2} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \kappa_{21} = \kappa_{22} = 1 \right),$ 

and (2, 1)-splitting sets for  $L_2(a_i)$  are given by

$$\begin{cases} \xi_{11} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \ \xi_{12} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 + \sqrt{-5} \\ 2 & 3 + \sqrt{-5} \end{bmatrix} \end{cases} \quad (i = 1), \\ \begin{cases} \xi_{21} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \ \xi_{22} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{cases} \quad (i = 2).$$

For  $1 \le i, j, k \le 2$  denote by  $\Xi_{i,j,k}$  the set of the first columns of the matrices  $\xi_{ij}\gamma\xi_{ik}^{-1}$  as  $\gamma$  ranges over  $\Gamma(\mathfrak{a}_i)$ . Then for  $A \in P_2$ 

$$\min_{\gamma \in \Gamma_{i}} \left| {}^{t}(\overline{\xi_{ij}\gamma\xi_{ik}^{-1}})A(\xi_{ij}\gamma\xi_{ik}^{-1}) \right|_{\infty}^{[1]} = \min_{\boldsymbol{x} \in \Xi_{i,j,k}} {}^{t}\overline{\boldsymbol{x}}A\boldsymbol{x} \\
= \min_{\left[ {e \atop f} \right] \in \Xi_{i,j,k}} {}^{A[1]}|\boldsymbol{e} + \boldsymbol{u}_{A,1}f|^{2} + {}^{A[1]}|f|^{2},$$

and so  $F_{i,j}^{2,1}$  can be expressed as

$$F_{i,j}^{2,1} = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ \bar{d} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} b & 0 \\ 0 & c \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & d \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} : \begin{array}{l} |e+df|^2 + \frac{c}{b}|f|^2 \ge 1, \\ \begin{bmatrix} e \\ f \end{bmatrix} \in \frac{1}{N(\mathfrak{a}_j)} \Xi_{i,j,1} \cup \frac{2}{N(\mathfrak{a}_j)} \Xi_{i,j,2} \end{array} \right\}$$

Now for  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{k}$  let

$$\mathfrak{d}(\alpha,\beta) = \left\{ x\alpha + y\beta : -\frac{1}{2} < x, y \le \frac{1}{2} \right\}.$$

When  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  generate a fractional ideal  $\mathfrak{a}$ , we have  $\mathfrak{d}(\alpha, \beta)$  is a fundamental domain for  $\mathbb{C}$  with respect to addition by  $\mathfrak{a}$ . Also if we let  $\tilde{\mathfrak{d}}(\alpha, \beta)$  denote the subset

of  $\mathfrak{d}(\alpha, \beta)$  where the range of y is restricted to  $0 \le y \le \frac{1}{2}$ , this gives us a fundamental domain for  $\mathfrak{d}(\alpha, \beta)$  with respect to multiplication by  $Z = \{\pm 1\}$ .

In particular  $\mathfrak{d}(1, \sqrt{-5})$ ,  $\mathfrak{d}(2, 1 + \sqrt{-5})$ ,  $\mathfrak{d}(1, \frac{1}{2}(1 - \sqrt{-5}))$  are fundamental domains for  $\mathbb{C}$  with respect to addition by  $\mathcal{O}$ ,  $\mathfrak{a}_2$  and  $\mathfrak{a}_2^{-1}$  respectively, and we can put  $\tilde{\mathfrak{d}}_{11} = \tilde{\mathfrak{d}}_{12} = \tilde{\mathfrak{d}}(1, \sqrt{-5})$ ,  $\tilde{\mathfrak{d}}_{21} = \tilde{\mathfrak{d}}(1, \frac{1}{2}(1 - \sqrt{-5}))$  and  $\tilde{\mathfrak{d}}_{22} = \tilde{\mathfrak{d}}(2, \sqrt{-5})$ . Then

$$F_{i,j}^{2,1}(P_1, P_1) = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ \bar{d} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} b & 0 \\ 0 & c \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & d \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} : \begin{array}{c} |e+df|^2 + \frac{c}{b}|f|^2 \ge 1, \\ \begin{bmatrix} e \\ f \end{bmatrix} \in \frac{1}{N(\mathfrak{a}_j)} \Xi_{i,j,1} \cup \frac{2}{N(\mathfrak{a}_j)} \Xi_{i,j,2} \end{array} \right\}.$$

Writing  $F_{i,j}^{2,1}(P_1, P_1)$  as  $F_{i,j}$ , we obtain the fundamental domains  $\Omega_1^2 = F_{1,1} \cup {}^t \bar{\xi}_{12} F_{1,2} \xi_{12}$  for  $P_2 / \Gamma_2(\mathfrak{a}_1)$  and  $\Omega_2^2 = F_{1,1} \cup {}^t \bar{\xi}_{22} F_{2,2} \xi_{22}$  for  $P_2 / \Gamma_2(\mathfrak{a}_2)$ .

**5.4.** *Relations between the fundamental domains.* So far we have used a representative set  $\{a_1, \ldots, a_h\}$  for Cl( $\Bbbk$ ) and a standard parabolic subgroup  $Q^{n,m}$  of GL<sub>n</sub> in constructing our fundamental domains. This construction is of course possible with *m* varied and using any other representative set of fractional ideals. We will demonstrate in this section that the fundamental domain for  $P_n/\Gamma_n(a_i)$  constructed using  $\{a_1, \ldots, a_h\}$  and  $Q^{n,m}$  can be mapped by an automorphism to a fundamental domain for  $P_n/\Gamma_n(a_i^{-1})$  constructed with the representative set  $\{a_1^{-1}, \ldots, a_h^{-1}\}$  and  $Q^{n,n-m}$ .

For integers *n* and *m* where  $1 \le m < n$ , define the outer automorphism  $\phi_{n,m}$  of  $\operatorname{GL}_n(\Bbbk_{\infty})$  by

(12) 
$$\phi_{n,m}(g) := {}^{t}J_{n,m}({}^{t}g^{-1})J_{n,m}, \quad g \in \operatorname{GL}_{n}(\Bbbk_{\infty}),$$

where

$$J_{n,m} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & I_m \\ I_{n-m} & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Note that  ${}^{t}J_{n,m} = (J_{n,m})^{-1} = J_{n,n-m}$  so that in particular we have  $\phi_{n,m}^{-1} = \phi_{n,n-m}$ . Also  $\phi_{n,m}$  gives a one-to-one map between these two standard parabolic subgroups of GL<sub>n</sub> since  $\phi_{n,m}(Q^{n,m}(\Bbbk)) = Q^{n,n-m}(\Bbbk)$ .

Let the ideals  $\mathfrak{a}_1, \ldots, \mathfrak{a}_h$ , the corresponding adeles  $\alpha_1, \ldots, \alpha_h$ , and the matrices  $\xi_{ij}$   $(1 \le i, j \le h)$  be as they were chosen in the last section. Clearly  $\{\mathfrak{a}_1^{-1}, \ldots, \mathfrak{a}_h^{-1}\}$  is also a set of representative ideals for ideal class group. A corresponding set of matrices representing  $GL_n(\mathbb{k})\backslash GL_n(\mathbb{A})^1/(GL_n)^1_{\mathbb{A},\infty}$  is given by

$$\{D_n(\alpha_1^{-1}), \ldots, D_n(\alpha_h^{-1})\} = \{\eta_i^{-1}, \ldots, \eta_h^{-1}\},\$$

which gives us the subgroups

$$D_n(\alpha_i^{-1})(\operatorname{GL}_n(\Bbbk_\infty)^1 \times K_f) D_n(\alpha_i^{-1})^{-1} \cap \operatorname{GL}_n(\Bbbk) = \Gamma_n(\mathfrak{a}_i^{-1}),$$

which are the respective stabilizer subgroups in  $GL_n(\Bbbk)$  of the lattices  $L_n(\mathfrak{a}_i^{-1})$ (i = 1, ..., h).

Next for each  $i, j = 1, \ldots, h$  set

$$\tilde{\xi}_{ij} := {}^{t}J_{n,m} {}^{t}\xi_{i\tau_{i}(j)}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} I_{n-m+1} \\ -\beta'_{i\tau_{i}(j)} & \kappa_{ij}^{-1}\alpha_{i\tau_{i}(j)} \\ I_{m-1} & & \\ \beta_{i\tau_{i}(j)} & -\kappa_{ij}^{-1}\alpha'_{i\tau_{i}(j)} \end{bmatrix},$$

which is easily verified to satisfy

(13) 
$$\tilde{\xi}_{ij}L_n(\mathfrak{a}_i^{-1}) = \left(\sum_{1 \le k < n-m} \mathcal{O}\boldsymbol{e}_k^{(n)} + \mathfrak{a}_j^{-1}\boldsymbol{e}_m^{(n)}\right) + \left(\sum_{n-m < k < n} \mathcal{O}\boldsymbol{e}_k^{(n)} + \mathfrak{a}_{\tau_i(j)}^{-1}\boldsymbol{e}_n^{(n)}\right)$$
  
 $\simeq L_{n-m}(\mathfrak{a}_j^{-1}) \oplus L_m(\mathfrak{a}_{\tau_i(j)}^{-1}).$ 

Thus  $\{\tilde{\xi}_{ij}\}_{j=1}^{h}$  is an (n, n-m)-splitting set for  $L_n(\mathfrak{a}_i^{-1})$ , and hence a complete set of representatives for  $Q^{n,n-m}(\Bbbk) \setminus \operatorname{GL}_n(\Bbbk) / \Gamma_n(\mathfrak{a}_i^{-1})$ .

We can also define

$$\begin{split} \tilde{Q}_{i,j}^{n,n-m} &\coloneqq Q^{n,n-m}(\mathbb{k}) \cap \tilde{\xi}_{ij}^{n,n-m} \Gamma_n(\mathfrak{a}_i^{-1})(\tilde{\xi}_{ij}^{n,n-m})^{-1}, \\ \tilde{F}_{i,j}^{n,n-m} &= \left\{ A \in P_n : |A|_{\infty}^{[n-m]} \leq \left(\frac{N(\mathfrak{a}_k^{-1})}{N(\mathfrak{a}_j^{-1})}\right)^2 \Big|^t (\overline{\tilde{\xi}_{ij}\gamma\tilde{\xi}_{ik}^{-1}}) A(\tilde{\xi}_{ij}\gamma\tilde{\xi}_{ik}^{-1}) \Big|_{\infty}^{[n-m]}, \\ 1 \leq k \leq h, \, \gamma \in \Gamma_n(\mathfrak{a}^{-1}) \right\}, \\ \end{split}$$

$$\tilde{\mathfrak{D}}_{i,j}^{n,n-m} = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} d_{11} \cdots d_{1,m} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ d_{n-m,1} \cdots & d_{n-m,m} \end{bmatrix} : d_{n-m,m} \in \tilde{\mathfrak{d}}_{ij}, d_{rs} \in \left\{ \begin{matrix} \mathfrak{d}_{\mathcal{O}}, & r < n-m, s < m, \\ \mathfrak{d}_{\tau_i(j)}, & r < n-m, s = m, \\ \mathfrak{d}'_j, & r = n-m, s < m \end{matrix} \right\},$$

where the fundamental domains  $\mathfrak{d}_k$ ,  $\mathfrak{d}'_k$ ,  $\mathfrak{\tilde{d}}_{ik}$ ,  $\mathfrak{d}_{\mathcal{O}}$  are taken as in the previous section, and

$$\tilde{F}_{i,j}^{n,n-m}(S,S') = \left\{ A \in \tilde{F}_{i,j}^{n,n-m} : A^{[n-m]} \in S, \ A_{[m]} \in S', \ u_{A,n-m} \in \tilde{\mathfrak{D}}_{i,j}^{n,n-m} \right\}$$

for arbitrary subsets  $S \subset P_{n-m}$ ,  $S' \subset P_m$ . These are precisely the groups  $Q_{i,j}^{n,m}$ and sets  $F_{i,j}^{n,m}$ ,  $\mathfrak{D}_{i,j}^{n,m}$  and  $F_{i,j}^{n,m}(S, S')$  from the previous section with  $\mathfrak{a}_i^{-1}$  and  $\tilde{\xi}_{ik}$  in place of the  $\mathfrak{a}_i$  and  $\xi_{ik}$  respectively, when m = n - m. It is easily verified that  $\phi_{n,m}(Q_{i,j}^{n,m}) = \tilde{Q}_{i,\tau_i(j)}^{n,n-m}$ .

**Lemma 17.** For  $A \in P_n$ ,

$$\phi_{n,m}(A)^{[n-m]} = {}^{t}A^{-1}_{[n-m]}, \quad \phi_{n,m}(A)_{[m]} = {}^{t}(A^{[m]})^{-1},$$
$$u_{\phi_{n,m}(A),n-m} = -{}^{t}u_{A,m}.$$

*Proof.* Apply the automorphism  $\phi_{n,m}$  to both sides of (11).

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Given a set *S* consisting of invertible matrices, denote the set  $\{{}^{t}s^{-1} : s \in S\}$  by  ${}^{t}S^{-1}$ . Lemma 18. For  $S \subset P_m$  and  $S' \subset P_{n-m}$ ,

$$\phi_{n,m}(F_{i,j}^{n,m}(S,S')) = \tilde{F}_{i,\tau_i(j)}^{n,n-m}({}^{t}S'^{-1}, {}^{t}S^{-1}).$$

*Proof.* We first show that  $\phi_{n,m}(F_{i,j}^{n,m}) = \tilde{F}_{i,\tau_i(j)}^{n,n-m}$ . First consider  $A \in F_{i,j}^{n,m}$ . Put

$$A(k,\gamma) = {}^{t}(\xi_{ij}\gamma\xi_{ik}^{-1})A(\xi_{ij}\gamma\xi_{ik}^{-1})$$

for  $1 \le k \le h$  and  $\gamma \in \Gamma_i$ . We have

$$|A(k,\gamma)| = \left(\frac{\kappa_{ij}}{\kappa_{ik}}\right)^2 |A| = \left(\frac{\kappa_{ij}}{\kappa_{ik}}\right)^2 |A^{[m]}| |A_{[n-m]}|.$$

Substitute this and  $|A(k, \gamma)^{[m]}| = |A(k, \gamma)| |A(k, \gamma)_{[n-m]}|^{-1}$  into the inequality

$$|A^{[m]}|_{\infty} \leq \left(\frac{N(\mathfrak{a}_k)}{N(\mathfrak{a}_j)}\right)^2 |A(k,\gamma)^{[m]}|_{\infty}.$$

Rearranging, we get

$$|A_{[n-m]}|_{\infty}^{-1} \leq \left(\frac{|\kappa_{ik}^{-1}|_{\infty}N(\mathfrak{a}_k)}{|\kappa_{ij}^{-1}|_{\infty}N(\mathfrak{a}_j)}\right)^2 |A(k,\gamma)_{[n-m]}|_{\infty}^{-1},$$

which, using the previous lemma, becomes

$$|\phi_{n,m}(A)|_{\infty}^{[n-m]} \leq \left(\frac{N(\mathfrak{a}_{\tau_i(k)}^{-1})}{N(\mathfrak{a}_{\tau_i(j)}^{-1})}\right)^2 |\phi_{n,m}(A(k,\gamma))|_{\infty}^{[n-m]},$$

and since

$$\phi_{n,m}(A(k,\gamma)) = {}^t(\overline{\tilde{\xi}_{i\tau_i(j)}}{}^t\gamma^{-1}\tilde{\xi}_{i\tau_i(k)}^{-1})\phi_{n,m}(A)(\tilde{\xi}_{i\tau_i(j)}{}^t\gamma^{-1}\tilde{\xi}_{i\tau_i(k)}^{-1}),$$

this shows that  $\phi_{n,m}(A) \in \tilde{F}_{i,\tau_i(j)}^{n,n-m}$ . Thus  $\phi_{n,m}(F_{i,j}^{n,m}) \subset \tilde{F}_{i,\tau_i(j)}^{n,n-m}$  and similarly  $\phi_{n,n-m}(\tilde{F}_{i,\tau_i(j)}^{n,n-m}) \subset F_{i,j}^{n,m}$ . The rest of our result follows from the previous lemma.  $\Box$ 

**Lemma 19.** Let  $\Gamma$  be a subgroup of  $\operatorname{GL}_n(\Bbbk_{\infty})$  acting on a subset X of  $P_n$ , the action being the one defined in (10). If F is a given fundamental domain for  $X/\Gamma$  and  $\phi$  a group automorphism of  $\operatorname{GL}_n(\Bbbk_{\infty})$  that is also a topological isomorphism, then  $\phi(F)$  is a fundamental domain for  $\phi(X)/\phi(\Gamma)$ .

*Proof.* Since  $\phi$  is both a group homomorphism and a topological isomorphism,  $X = F^- \cdot \Gamma$  implies  $\phi(X) = \phi(F)^- \cdot \phi(\Gamma)$ . Also, for  $g \in \Gamma$ , if the intersection of  $\phi(F)^\circ$  and  $\phi(F)^- \cdot \phi(g)$  is nonempty, then so is  $F^\circ \cap F^- \cdot g$ , implying  $g \in Z$ . Since Z consists of all roots of unity in  $\Bbbk$ , we have  $\phi(g) \in Z$ .

In particular, if for k = 1, ..., h we let  $\mathfrak{B}_k$  and  $\mathfrak{C}_k$  be fundamental domains for  $P_m / \Gamma_m(\mathfrak{a}_k)$  and  $P_{n-m} / \Gamma_{n-m}(\mathfrak{a}_k)$  respectively as in the end of the previous section, then  ${}^t\mathfrak{B}_k^{-1}$  and  ${}^t\mathfrak{C}_k^{-1}$  are respectively fundamental domains for  $P_{n-m} / \Gamma_{n-m}(\mathfrak{a}_k^{-1})$  and  $P_m / \Gamma_m(\mathfrak{a}_k^{-1})$ . Also we have:

Corollary 20. The set

 $\phi_{n,m}(F_{i,j}^{n,m}(\mathfrak{B}_j,\mathfrak{C}_{\tau_i(j)}))$ 

is a fundamental domain for  $\tilde{F}_{i,\tau_i(j)}^{n,n-m}/\tilde{Q}_{i,\tau_i(j)}^{n,n-m}$ .

Corollary 21. The set

$${}^{t}\left(\Omega_{i}^{n,m}(\mathfrak{B}_{1},\ldots\mathfrak{B}_{h},\mathfrak{C}_{1},\ldots,\mathfrak{C}_{h})\right)^{-1}$$

is a fundamental domain for  $P_n/\Gamma_n(\mathfrak{a}_i^{-1})$ .

Since

$$\tilde{F}_{i,j}^{n,n-m}({}^{t}\mathfrak{C}_{j}^{-1},{}^{t}\mathfrak{B}_{\tau_{i}(j)}^{-1})=\phi_{n,m}(F_{i,\tau_{i}(j)}^{n,m}(\mathfrak{B}_{\tau_{i}(j)},\mathfrak{C}_{j})),$$

the first corollary is consistent with Lemma 15 in the previous section.

Similarly if we put

$$\tilde{\Omega}_{i}^{n,n-m}(\mathfrak{C}_{1},\ldots,\mathfrak{C}_{h},\mathfrak{B}_{1},\ldots,\mathfrak{B}_{h}) = \bigcup_{j=1}^{h} {}^{t} \tilde{\xi}_{ij} \tilde{F}_{i,j}^{n,m}({}^{t}\mathfrak{C}_{j}^{-1},{}^{t}\mathfrak{B}_{\tau_{i}(j)}^{-1}) \tilde{\xi}_{ij}$$

then  $\tilde{\Omega}_i^{n,n-m}(\mathfrak{C}_1,\ldots,\mathfrak{C}_h,\mathfrak{B}_1,\ldots,\mathfrak{B}_h) = {}^t (\Omega_i^{n,m}(\mathfrak{B}_1,\ldots,\mathfrak{B}_h,\mathfrak{C}_1,\ldots,\mathfrak{C}_h))^{-1}$  and according to Theorem 16, this set is indeed a fundamental domain for  $P_n/\Gamma_n(\mathfrak{a}_i^{-1})$ .

# **Appendix: Voronoi reduction**

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We present here generalizations of results from [Watanabe et al. 2013, §4], without the assumption that the underlying number field is totally real.

Let  $\Bbbk$ ,  $\mathcal{O}$  and  $P_n$  be as previously defined in this paper. We consider the space of self-adjoint matrices in  $M_n(\Bbbk_{\infty})$  (with respect to the inner product  $\langle , \rangle$  as defined in [Watanabe et al. 2013, §1]), which we denote here by  $H_n$ . Identifying  $H_n$  with  $\prod_{\sigma \in p_{\infty}} H_n(\Bbbk_{\sigma})$ , where  $H_n(\Bbbk_{\sigma})$  denotes the set of  $n \times n$  real symmetric (complex Hermitian) matrices when  $\sigma$  is real (imaginary respectively), we see that  $P_n$  is the set of positive definite matrices in  $H_n$ .

Also as per [Watanabe et al. 2013, §1], we use the inner product (, ) on  $H_n$  defined by

$$(A, B) = \sum_{\sigma \in \boldsymbol{p}_{\infty}} \operatorname{Tr}_{\mathbb{k}_{\sigma}/\mathbb{R}}(\operatorname{Tr}(A_{\sigma}B_{\sigma}))$$

for  $A = (A_{\sigma})_{\sigma \in p_{\infty}}, B = (B_{\sigma})_{\sigma \in p_{\infty}} \in H_n$ .

Following [Watanabe et al. 2013, §2], we fix a projective  $\mathcal{O}$ -module  $\Lambda \subset \mathbb{k}^n$  of rank *n* and consider the arithmetical minimum function

$$\mathsf{m}_{\Lambda}(A) = \inf_{x \in \Lambda \setminus \{0\}} \langle Ax, x \rangle$$

on  $P_n^-$ . The set

$$K_1(\mathsf{m}_{\Lambda}) = \{ A \in P_n^- : \mathsf{m}_{\Lambda}(A) \ge 1 \},\$$

known as the Ryshkov polyhedron of  $m_{\Lambda}$ , is a locally finite polyhedron contained in  $P_n$  [Watanabe et al. 2013, Lemma 2.1 and Proposition 2.2]. The set of 0-dimensional faces of  $K_1(m_{\Lambda})$ , denoted by  $\partial^0 K_1(m_{\Lambda})$ , is characterized in [Watanabe et al. 2013, Theorem 2.5].

Now for a given  $A \in P_n$  and a positive constant  $\theta$ , define the sets

$$H_{A,\theta} = \{ B \in H_n : (A, B) \le \theta \},$$
  
$$[A]_{\theta} = \partial^0 K_1(\mathfrak{m}_{\Lambda_0}) \cap H_{A,\theta}.$$

**Lemma A1.**  $[A]_{\theta}$  is a finite set.

*Proof.* Since  $H_{A,\theta} \cap P_n^-$  is compact [Faraut and Korányi 1994, Corollary I.1.6] and  $K_1(\mathsf{m}_\Lambda)$  is a locally finite polyhedron, it follows that their intersection  $K_1(\mathsf{m}_\Lambda) \cap H_{A,\theta}$  is a polytope. Hence  $[A]_{\theta}$  must be finite.

**Lemma A2.** For an  $A \in P_n$ , there exists  $B_0 \in \partial^0 K_1(\mathfrak{m}_\Lambda)$  such that

$$\inf_{B \in K_1(\mathsf{m}_\Lambda)} (A, B) = (A, B_0)$$

and hence A is in  $D_{B_0}$ , the perfect domain of  $B_0$  [Watanabe et al. 2013, §3]. Here

$$D_{B_0} = \left\{ \sum_{x \in S_{\Lambda}(B_0)} \lambda_x x^t \bar{x} : \lambda_x \ge 0 \right\},\,$$

where

$$S_{\Lambda}(B_0) = \{x \in \Lambda : \mathsf{m}_{\Lambda}(B_0) = \langle B_0 x, x \rangle \}.$$

*Proof.* Take a sufficiently large  $\theta > 0$  whereby  $[A]_{\theta}$  is nonempty. Since  $K_1(\mathsf{m}_{\Lambda})$  is the convex hull of  $\partial K_1(\mathsf{m}_{\Lambda})$  [Watanabe et al. 2013, Theorem 2.6], we have

$$\inf_{B \in K_1(\mathsf{m}_\Lambda)} (A, B) = \inf_{B \in \partial K_1(\mathsf{m}_\Lambda)} (A, B) = \inf_{B \in [A]_{\theta}} (A, B),$$

which together with the previous lemma proves the existence of  $B_0$ . The proof that  $A \in D_{B_0}$  is the same as in [Watanabe et al. 2013, Lemma 4.8].

Next consider the set

$$\Bbbk_{\infty}^{+} = \{ (\alpha_{\sigma})_{\sigma \in \boldsymbol{p}_{\infty}} : \alpha_{\sigma} > 0 \text{ for all } \sigma \in \boldsymbol{p}_{\infty} \}$$

**Lemma A3.** The subset  $\{\beta\bar{\beta}:\beta\in \mathbb{k}^{\times}\}$  of  $\mathbb{k}_{\infty}$  is dense in  $\mathbb{k}_{\infty}^{+}$ .

*Proof.* Define the norm  $\|\cdot\|$  on  $\Bbbk_{\infty}$  by

$$\|\alpha\| = \max_{\sigma \in \boldsymbol{p}_{\infty}} \sqrt{\alpha_{\sigma} \overline{\alpha}_{\sigma}}, \quad \alpha = (\alpha_{\sigma}) \in \Bbbk_{\infty}.$$

Now given a  $\alpha \in \mathbb{k}_{\infty}^+$  there is an element  $\sqrt{\alpha} \in \mathbb{k}_{\infty}^+$  such that  $(\sqrt{\alpha})^2 = \alpha$ . Since  $\mathbb{k}$  is dense in  $\mathbb{k}_{\infty}$ , for a sufficiently small  $\epsilon > 0$  we can find  $\beta \in \mathbb{k}^{\times}$  such that

$$\|\sqrt{\alpha} - \beta\| < \frac{\epsilon}{2\|\sqrt{\alpha}\| + 1} < 1.$$

From  $\|\beta\| < \|\sqrt{\alpha}\| + 1$ , we have  $\|\sqrt{\alpha} + \beta\| < 2\|\sqrt{\alpha}\| + 1$ , and thus

$$\begin{aligned} \|\alpha - \beta \bar{\beta}\| &= \frac{1}{2} \left\| (\sqrt{\alpha} - \beta)(\sqrt{\alpha} + \bar{\beta}) + (\sqrt{\alpha} + \beta)(\sqrt{\alpha} - \bar{\beta}) \right\| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} \left( \|\sqrt{\alpha} - \beta\| \|\sqrt{\alpha} + \beta\| + \|\sqrt{\alpha} + \beta\| \|\sqrt{\alpha} - \beta\| \right) < \epsilon. \end{aligned}$$

**Lemma A4.** 
$$\mathbb{k}_{\infty}^{+} \cup \{0\} = \left\{ \sum_{k=1}^{l} \lambda_{k} \beta_{k} {}^{t} \bar{\beta}_{k} : 1 \leq l \in \mathbb{Z}, \ \lambda_{k} \in \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}, \ \beta_{k} \in \mathbb{k}^{\times} \right\}$$

Proof. See the proof of [Watanabe et al. 2013, Lemma 4.2].

As a result of the previous lemma, if we define the subsets

$$\Omega_1 = \left\{ \sum_{k=1}^l \alpha_k x_k \,^t \bar{x}_k : 1 \le l \in \mathbb{Z}, \ \alpha_k \in \mathbb{R}^+_\infty \cup \{0\}, \ x_i \in \mathbb{R}^n \right\}$$
$$\Omega_2 = \left\{ \sum_{k=1}^l \lambda_k x_k \,^t \bar{x}_k : 1 \le l \in \mathbb{Z}, \ \lambda_k \in \mathbb{R}_{\ge 0}, \ x_i \in \mathbb{R}^n \right\}$$

of  $P_n^-$ , we have  $\Omega_1 = \Omega_2$ . Also by Lemma A2,  $P_n \subset \Omega_2 = \Omega_1$ .

# Lemma A5.

$$\Omega_2 = \bigcup_{B \in \partial^0 K_1(\mathsf{m}_\Lambda)} D_B$$

*Proof.* For any  $A \in \Omega_2 \setminus \{0\}$ , following the same arguments as in the proofs of [Watanabe et al. 2013, Lemmas 4.7 and 4.8], we can find an element  $B_0 \in \partial^0 K_1(\mathfrak{m}_\Lambda)$  such that  $\inf_{B \in K_1(\mathfrak{m}_\Lambda)}(A, B) = (A, B_0)$  and hence  $A \in D_{B_0}$ .

Finally take a complete set of representatives  $B_1, \ldots, B_t$  for  $\partial^0 K_1(\mathfrak{m}_\Lambda)/\mathrm{GL}(\Lambda)$ , where the right action is the same one as (10), and for each  $k = 1, \ldots, t$  define the subgroups  $\Gamma_{B_k} = \{\gamma \in \mathrm{GL}(\Lambda) : B_k \cdot {}^t \bar{\gamma} = B_k\}$ . Since for any  $A \in \partial^0 K_1(\mathfrak{m})$  and  $\gamma \in \mathrm{GL}(\Lambda)$  we have  $S_\Lambda(A \cdot \gamma) = \gamma^{-1} S_\Lambda(A)$  and hence  $D_{A \cdot {}^t \bar{\gamma}} = (D_A) \cdot \gamma^{-1}$ , we see that  $\Gamma_{B_k}$  stabilizes  $D_{B_k}$  for each k. Thus we conclude from the previous lemma the following result.

**Theorem A6.** 
$$\Omega_2/\mathrm{GL}(\Lambda) = \bigcup_{k=1}^t D_{B_k} / \Gamma_{B_k}$$

This is analogous to [Watanabe et al. 2013, Theorem 4.9]. In particular when n = 1, if we take  $\Lambda = O$ , we have  $GL(\Lambda) = O^{\times}$  and  $P_1 = \mathbb{k}^+_{\infty} = \Omega_1 \setminus \{0\} = \Omega_2 \setminus \{0\}$ .

Since the action of  $\mathcal{O}^{\times}$  on  $\mathbb{k}_{\infty}^{+}$  is simply  $x \cdot \epsilon = \overline{\epsilon} \epsilon x$  ( $x \in \mathbb{k}_{\infty}^{+}, \epsilon \in \mathcal{O}^{\times}$ ), we have  $\Gamma_{B_{k}} = Z$  acts trivially on  $D_{B_{k}}$  for each k. Thus we obtain the decomposition

$$P_1/\mathcal{O}^{\times} = \mathbb{k}_{\infty}^+/\mathcal{O}^{\times} = \bigcup_{k=1}^t (D_{B_k} \setminus \{0\}).$$

By definition each  $D_{B_k} \setminus \{0\}$  is invariant under multiplication by  $\mathbb{R}_{>0}$ , so this establishes the existence of the fundamental domain  $\Omega^1$  in the conclusion of Section 5.2.

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