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Let  $F$  be a  $p$ -adic field and  $E$  a cyclic extension of  $F$  of degree  $d$  corresponding to the character  $\kappa$  of  $F^\times$ . For any positive integer  $m$ , we consider  $H = GL(m, E)$  as a subgroup of  $G = GL(md, F)$ . In this paper we discuss matching of orbital integrals between  $H$  and  $G$ . Specifically, ordinary orbital integrals corresponding to regular semisimple elements of  $H$  are matched with orbital integrals on  $G$  which are twisted by the character  $\kappa$ . For the general situation we only match functions which are smooth and compactly supported on the regular set. If the extension  $E/F$  is unramified, we are able to match arbitrary smooth, compactly supported functions.

### §1. Introduction.

Let  $F$  be a locally compact, non-discrete, nonarchimedean local field of characteristic zero. Let  $\kappa$  be a unitary character of  $F^\times$  of order  $d$ , and let  $E$  be the cyclic extension of  $F$  corresponding to  $\kappa$ . Let  $m$  and  $n$  be positive integers with  $n = md$  and write  $G = GL(n, F)$ ,  $H = GL(m, E)$ .  $H$  can be identified with a subgroup of  $G$ . In this paper we discuss matching of orbital integrals between  $H$  and  $G$ . Specifically, ordinary orbital integrals corresponding to regular semisimple elements of  $H$  are matched with orbital integrals on  $G$  which are twisted by the character  $\kappa$ . For the general situation we only match functions which are smooth and compactly supported on the regular set. If the extension  $E/F$  is unramified, we are able to match arbitrary smooth, compactly supported functions.

Extend  $\kappa$  to a character of  $G$  by  $\kappa(g) = \kappa(\det g)$  and let

$$G_0 = \{g \in G : \kappa(g) = 1\}.$$

$G_0$  is an open normal subgroup of  $G$  of finite index and  $H \subset G_0$ . Let  $C_c^\infty(G)$  denote the set of locally constant, compactly supported, complex-valued functions on  $G$ . For any  $\gamma \in G$  we let  $G_\gamma$  denote the centralizer of  $\gamma \in G$ . If  $G_\gamma \subset G_0$ , let

$$\Lambda_\kappa^G(f, \gamma) = \int_{G_\gamma \backslash G} f(x^{-1}\gamma x)\kappa(x)dx, f \in C_c^\infty(G),$$

be the twisted orbital integral of  $f$  over the orbit of  $\gamma$ . If  $G_\gamma \not\subset G_0$ , set  $\Lambda_\kappa^G(f, \gamma) = 0$ . Clearly for all  $x, \gamma \in G, f \in C_c^\infty(G)$ ,

$$\Lambda_\kappa^G(f, x\gamma x^{-1}) = \kappa(x)\Lambda_\kappa^G(f, \gamma).$$

Similarly we define

$$\Lambda^H(f, \gamma) = \int_{H_\gamma \backslash H} f(x^{-1}\gamma x) dx, f \in C_c^\infty(H), \gamma \in H,$$

the ordinary orbital integral of  $f$  over the  $H$ -orbit of  $\gamma$ .

The main results of this paper are the following theorems. Let  $G'$  denote the set of regular semisimple elements of  $G$  and  $C_c^\infty(G')$  the subset of all  $f \in C_c^\infty(G)$  with support in  $G'$ .

**Theorem 1.1.**

- (i) *Let  $f_G \in C_c^\infty(G')$ . Then there is  $f_H \in C_c^\infty(H \cap G')$  such that for all  $\gamma \in H \cap G'$ ,*

$$\Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, \gamma) = \Lambda^H(f_H, \gamma).$$

- (ii) *Conversely, suppose  $f_H \in C_c^\infty(H \cap G')$  such that*

$$\Lambda^H(f_H, x\gamma x^{-1}) = \kappa(x)\Lambda^H(f_H, \gamma)$$

*for all  $x \in G, \gamma \in H \cap G'$  such that  $x\gamma x^{-1} \in H$ . Then there is  $f_G \in C_c^\infty(G')$  such that for all  $\gamma \in H \cap G'$ ,*

$$\Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, \gamma) = \Lambda^H(f_H, \gamma).$$

In the case that  $\kappa$  is unramified, a stronger version of Theorem 1.1 can be proven using results of [W2, Hn]. Let  $\Delta_G^H$  be the transfer factor defined as in [W2].

**Theorem 1.2.** *Assume that  $\kappa$  is unramified.*

- (i) *Let  $f_G \in C_c^\infty(G)$ . Then there is  $f_H \in C_c^\infty(H)$  such that for all  $\gamma \in H \cap G'$ ,*

$$\Delta_G^H(\gamma)\Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, \gamma) = \Lambda^H(f_H, \gamma).$$

- (ii) *Conversely, suppose  $f_H \in C_c^\infty(H)$  such that*

$$\Lambda^H(f_H, x\gamma x^{-1}) = \Delta_G^H(x\gamma x^{-1})\Delta_G^H(\gamma)^{-1}\kappa(x)\Lambda^H(f_H, \gamma)$$

*for all  $x \in G, \gamma \in H \cap G'$  such that  $x\gamma x^{-1} \in H$ . Then there is  $f_G \in C_c^\infty(G)$  such that for all  $\gamma \in H \cap G'$ ,*

$$\Delta_G^H(\gamma)\Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, \gamma) = \Lambda^H(f_H, \gamma).$$

The matching theorems for twisted orbital integrals will be used in another paper to prove character formulas relating twisted characters on  $G$  to ordinary characters on  $H$ . These will generalize the lifting theorem proven by Kazhdan [K] in the case that  $m = 1$ . It will be shown in that paper that

$$\Delta_G^H(x\gamma x^{-1}) = \Delta_G^H(\gamma)\kappa(x)^{-1}$$

for all  $x \in N_G(H), \gamma \in H \cap G'$ . Thus when  $x \in N_G(H)$ , the condition on  $f_H$  in Theorem 1.2, (ii), is just

$$\Lambda^H(f_H, x\gamma x^{-1}) = \Lambda^H(f_H, \gamma)$$

for all  $\gamma \in H \cap G'$ . Since  $\Lambda^H$  is an ordinary orbital integral, this is automatic when  $x \in H$ .

The proof of Theorem 1.1 is routine using an easy extension of results in [V] to the twisted case and techniques as in [A-C, 1.3]. The proof of Theorem 1.2 uses the fundamental lemma proven by [W2, Hn]. Assume that  $\kappa$  is unramified. Let  $K = GL(n, R)$  where  $R$  is the ring of integers of  $F$  and let  $\mathcal{H}(G)$  denote the Hecke algebra of functions in  $C_c^\infty(G)$  which are  $K$  bi-invariant. Similarly, we define  $\mathcal{H}(H)$ , the Hecke algebra of  $H$ . Let  $b : \mathcal{H}(G) \rightarrow \mathcal{H}(H)$  be the homomorphism defined in [W2]. The following theorem was proven by Waldspurger [W2] when the algebra  $F(\gamma)$  is a product of tamely ramified extensions of  $F$  and was extended to the general case (as well as to the case of characteristic  $F$  not zero) by Henniart [Hn].

**Theorem 1.3** (Waldspurger, Henniart). *Let  $\phi \in \mathcal{H}(G), \gamma \in H \cap G'$ . Then*

$$\Delta_G^H(\gamma)\Lambda_\kappa^G(\phi, \gamma) = \Lambda^H(b\phi, \gamma).$$

Theorem 1.2 follows from Theorem 1.3 as follows. First, using standard techniques, it is enough to prove a matching of orbital integrals in a neighborhood of each semisimple element  $s$  of  $H$ . Further, by passing to centralizers, it is easy to reduce to the case that  $s = 1$ . The matching in a neighborhood of  $s = 1$  is a result of the following theorems which show that all germs in a neighborhood of the identity come from Hecke functions.

**Theorem 1.4** [W1, Hr]. *Let  $u_1, \dots, u_p$  be a complete set of representatives for the unipotent conjugacy classes of  $H$ . Then there are  $\phi_1, \dots, \phi_p \in \mathcal{H}(H)$  such that*

$$\Lambda^H(\phi_i, u_j) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } 1 \leq i = j \leq p; \\ 0, & \text{if } 1 \leq i \neq j \leq p. \end{cases}$$

Using the results of [V] we obtain the following corollary.

**Corollary 1.5.** *Let  $u_1, \dots, u_p, \phi_1, \dots, \phi_p$  be as above. Let  $f \in C_c^\infty(H)$ . Then there is a neighborhood  $U$  of 1 in  $H$  so that for all  $\gamma \in U$ ,*

$$\Lambda^H(f, \gamma) = \sum_{i=1}^p \Lambda^H(f, u_i) \Lambda^H(\phi_i, \gamma).$$

Let  $u$  be a unipotent element of  $G$ . If  $G_u \not\subset G_0$ , then  $\Lambda_\kappa^G(f, u) = 0$  for all  $f \in C_c^\infty(G)$ . It is easy to show that the unipotent conjugacy classes  $\mathcal{O}(u)$  of  $G$  for which  $G_u \subset G_0$  are in bijective correspondence with the unipotent conjugacy classes of  $H$ .

**Theorem 1.6 [Hr].** *Let  $v_1, \dots, v_p$  be a complete set of representatives for the unipotent conjugacy classes in  $G$  such that  $G_{v_i} \subset G_0$ . Then there are  $\psi_1, \dots, \psi_p \in \mathcal{H}(G)$  such that*

$$\Lambda_\kappa^G(\psi_i, v_j) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } 1 \leq i = j \leq p; \\ 0, & \text{if } 1 \leq i \neq j \leq p. \end{cases}$$

An easy extension of germ expansions to the twisted case yields the following corollary.

**Corollary 1.7.** *Let  $v_1, \dots, v_p, \psi_1, \dots, \psi_p$  be as above. Let  $f \in C_c^\infty(G)$ . Then there is a neighborhood  $U$  of 1 in  $G$  so that for all  $\gamma \in U$ ,*

$$\Lambda_\kappa^G(f, \gamma) = \sum_{i=1}^p \Lambda_\kappa^G(f, v_i) \Lambda_\kappa^G(\psi_i, \gamma).$$

The organization of the paper is as follows.

In §2 we extend many of the results of Vignéras [V] to the case of twisted orbital integrals.

In §3 we use the results of §2 to prove Theorems 1.1 and 1.2.

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## §2. Twisted Orbital Integrals.

Let  $G = GL(n, F)$  and let  $\kappa$  be a unitary character of  $F^\times$  of order  $d$ ,  $d$  a divisor of  $n$ . In this section we do not assume that  $\kappa$  is unramified. We extend  $\kappa$  to a character of  $G$  by setting  $\kappa(g) = \kappa(\det g)$ ,  $g \in G$ . Let  $G_0 = \{g \in G : \kappa(g) = 1\}$ . Then  $G_0$  is an open normal subgroup of finite index in

$G$ . For any  $x \in G$  we let  $G_x$  denote the centralizer of  $x \in G$ . If  $G_x \subseteq G_0$ , we let

$$\Lambda_\kappa(f, x) = \int_{G_x \backslash G} f(g^{-1}xg) \kappa(g) dg, f \in C_c^\infty(G), x \in G$$

be the twisted orbital integral of  $f$  over the orbit of  $x$ . If  $G_x \not\subseteq G_0$ , we let  $\Lambda_\kappa(f, x) = 0$  for all  $f \in C_c^\infty(G)$ . (We assume measures are normalized as in [V, 1.h].)

In this section we will extend results of Vignéras on orbital integrals to the twisted case. For  $x \in G$ , define the normalizing factor  $d(x)$  as in [V, 1.g]. We will also write

$$F_\kappa(f, x) = d(x)\Lambda_\kappa(f, x).$$

Let  $s$  be a semisimple element in  $G$ . Then as in [V, 1.j] we write  $A_s$  for the set of all elements  $x$  of  $G$  with semisimple part (of the Jordan decomposition of  $x$ ) conjugate to  $s$ . Let  $A_s = \cup \mathcal{O}(su_i), 1 \leq i \leq m$ , be the standard decomposition as in [V, 1.j] where  $\mathcal{O}(x)$  denotes the  $G$  orbit of  $x \in G$ . For  $x \in G_0$  we will write  $\mathcal{O}_0(x)$  for the  $G_0$  orbit of  $x$ .

**Lemma 2.1.** *Fix  $1 \leq i \leq m$  and suppose that  $G_{su_i} \subseteq G_0$ . Then there is  $f_i \in C_c^\infty(G)$  such that*

$$F_\kappa(f_i, su_j) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } i = j; \\ 0, & \text{if } i \neq j. \end{cases}$$

*Proof.* As in [V, 1.k], for each  $1 \leq i \leq m$  there is a compact open subset  $K_i$  in  $G$  so that  $su_i \in K_i$ , and  $K_i \cap \mathcal{O}(su_j) = \emptyset, 1 \leq j \leq i - 1$ . Now suppose that  $G_{su_i} \subseteq G_0$ . Then

$$\mathcal{O}(su_i) \approx G_{su_i} \backslash G \approx G_{su_i} \backslash G_0 \times G_0 \backslash G \approx \mathcal{O}_0(su_i) \times G_0 \backslash G$$

so that  $\mathcal{O}_0(su_i)$  is open and closed in  $\mathcal{O}(su_i)$ . Thus there is  $K'_i \subseteq K_i$  compact open in  $G$  so that  $su_i \in K'_i, K'_i \cap \mathcal{O}(su_i) \subseteq \mathcal{O}_0(su_i)$ . Now if  $f'_i$  is the characteristic function of  $K'_i$ , then  $F_\kappa(f'_i, su_i) \neq 0$  because there can be no cancellation in the integral, and  $F_\kappa(f'_i, su_j) = 0, 1 \leq j \leq i - 1$ . Now using a standard Graham-Schmidt type procedure we can obtain  $f_i$ 's as in the lemma. □

**Lemma 2.2.** *Let  $s \in G$  be semisimple and suppose that  $f \in C_c^\infty(G)$  satisfies  $F_\kappa(f, x) = 0$  for all  $x \in A_s$ . Then there is a neighborhood  $V_f$  of  $s$  in  $G$  such that  $F_\kappa(f, x) = 0$  for all  $x \in V_f$ .*

*Proof.* We follow the proof of [K, 3.8]. Let  $S = C_c^\infty(A_s)$ . Since  $A_s$  is  $G$ -invariant,  $G$  acts on  $S$  by  $g \tilde{f}(x) = \tilde{f}(g^{-1}xg), g \in G, x \in A_s, \tilde{f} \in S$ . Since

$A_s$  is closed in  $G$ , restriction gives a mapping  $\pi : C_c^\infty(G) \rightarrow S$ . Let  $S'$  be the dual of  $S$  and let  $\Lambda = \left\{ \lambda \in S' : \lambda(g \cdot \tilde{f}) = \kappa(g)\lambda(\tilde{f}), \forall g \in G, \tilde{f} \in S \right\}$ . Then since  $G$  has only a finite number of orbits in  $A_s$  we see that  $\Lambda$  is generated by the  $\lambda_i, 1 \leq i \leq m$ , where  $\lambda_i(\pi(f)) = F_\kappa(f, su_i)$ . Let  $S_\kappa = \left\{ \tilde{f} \in S : \lambda(\tilde{f}) = 0, \forall \lambda \in \Lambda \right\}$ . Then  $S_\kappa$  is the set of all finite sums of functions of the form  $g \cdot \tilde{f} - \kappa(g)\tilde{f}$ .

Now let  $f \in C_c^\infty(G)$  such that  $F_\kappa(f, su_i) = 0, 1 \leq i \leq m$ . Then  $\tilde{f} = \pi(f) \in S_\kappa$  so there are  $g_1, \dots, g_k \in G, \tilde{f}_1, \dots, \tilde{f}_k \in S$ , such that  $\tilde{f} = \sum_{i=1}^k g_i \cdot \tilde{f}_i - \kappa(g_i)\tilde{f}_i$ . Let  $f_i \in C_c^\infty(G)$  such that  $\pi(f_i) = \tilde{f}_i$ , and let  $\phi = f - \sum_{i=1}^k g_i \cdot f_i + \kappa(g_i)f_i$ . Then  $\pi(\phi) = 0$  so by [V, 2.4] there is an open,  $G$ -invariant neighborhood  $V_f$  of  $s$  such that  $\phi$  is zero on  $V_f$ . Thus  $F_\kappa(\phi, x) = 0$  for all  $x \in V_f$ . But for all  $x \in G, F_\kappa(f, x) = F_\kappa(\phi, x)$ .  $\square$

Renumber  $u_1, \dots, u_m$  so that  $su_i, 1 \leq i \leq k$ , are the orbits of  $A_s$  such that  $G_{su_i} \subseteq G_0, 1 \leq i \leq k$ . Suppose  $f_1, \dots, f_k \in C_c^\infty(G)$  satisfy  $F_\kappa(f_i, su_j) = \delta_{ij}, 1 \leq i, j \leq k$ , and  $f'_1, \dots, f'_k \in C_c^\infty(G)$  satisfy  $\Lambda_\kappa(f'_i, su_j) = \delta_{ij}, 1 \leq i, j \leq k$ .

**Lemma 2.3.** *Let  $f \in C_c^\infty(G)$ . Then there is a neighborhood  $V_f$  of  $s$  in  $G$  so that*

$$F_\kappa(f, x) = \sum_{i=1}^k F_\kappa(f, su_i) F_\kappa(f_i, x)$$

and

$$\Lambda_\kappa(f, x) = \sum_{i=1}^k \Lambda_\kappa(f, su_i) \Lambda_\kappa(f'_i, x)$$

for all  $x \in V_f$ .

*Proof.* Let  $f' = f - \sum_{i=1}^k F_\kappa(f, su_i) f_i$ . Then  $F_\kappa(f', su_j) = 0, 1 \leq j \leq k$ . Thus by Lemma 2.2 there is a neighborhood  $V_f$  of  $s$  such that  $F_\kappa(f', x) = 0$  for all  $x \in V_f$ .  $\square$

As in [V, 1.m], for any  $s \in G$  semisimple, we let  $T$  be the center of  $M = G_s$ . Let  $u \in Z_G(T)$  be unipotent. Then  $(T, u)$  is called a standard couple. For any subset  $X$  of  $G$ , let  $X^{reg}$  denote the subset of elements  $x \in X$  such that the dimension of the conjugacy class of  $x$  is greater than or equal to the dimension of the conjugacy class of any  $y \in X$ .

We can now extend Theorems A and B of [V, 1.n] to the twisted case.

**Theorem 2.4.** (A) *Let  $f \in C_c^\infty(G)$  and let  $F(x) = F_\kappa(f, x), x \in G$ . Let  $(T, u)$  be any standard couple. Then  $F$  has the following properties.*

- (i)  $F(gxg^{-1}) = \kappa(g)F(x), \forall x, g \in G;$
- (ii) *the restriction of  $F$  to  $Tu^{reg}$  is locally constant;*

- (iii) the restriction of  $F$  to  $Tu$  has compact support;
- (iv) for every  $s \in T$  there is a neighborhood  $V_F$  of  $s$  in  $T$  such that for  $t \in V_F \cap T^{reg}$ ,

$$F(tu) = \sum_{i=1}^k F(su_i) F_\kappa(f_i, tu)$$

where  $su_i, f_i, 1 \leq i \leq k$  are defined as in Lemma 2.3.

(B) Conversely, if  $F$  is a function on  $G$  satisfying (i)-(iv) above, then there is  $f \in C_c^\infty(G)$  such that  $F(x) = F_\kappa(f, x)$  for all  $x \in G$ .

*Proof.* Part (A) follows from Lemma 2.3 and [V, 2.7]. It also follows easily from [V, 2.7] that if  $f' \in C_c^\infty(T^{reg})$  transforms according to  $\kappa$  under the action of  $W(Tu) = N_G(Tu)/Z_G(Tu)$ , then there is  $f \in C_c^\infty(\mathcal{O}(T^{reg}))$  such that  $f'(t) = F_\kappa(f, t)$  for all  $t \in T^{reg}$ . Now the proof of (B) follows by an induction argument as in [V, 2.8].  $\square$

We can use Theorem 2.4 to obtain the following localization result. Let  $T_1, \dots, T_r$  be a complete set of Cartan subgroups of  $G$ , up to  $G$ -conjugacy. Let  $X = \cup_{i=1}^r T_i \subseteq G$ .

**Lemma 2.5.** *Let  $V$  be a closed and open subset of  $X$  such that  $\mathcal{O}(V) \cap X = V$ . Then given  $f \in C_c^\infty(G)$  there is  $f_V \in C_c^\infty(G)$  such that*

$$F_\kappa(f, \gamma) = F_\kappa(f_V, \gamma), \gamma \in V$$

and

$$F_\kappa(f_V, \gamma) = 0, \gamma \in X \setminus V.$$

*Proof.* Let  $F(x) = F_\kappa(f, x), x \in G$ . For any  $x \in G$ , write  $x = s(x)u(x)$  for the Jordan decomposition of  $x$ . Define

$$F_V(x) = \begin{cases} F(x), & \text{if } s(x) \in \mathcal{O}(V); \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Then for any  $x, g \in G, s(gxg^{-1}) = gs(x)g^{-1} \in \mathcal{O}(V)$  if and only if  $s(x) \in \mathcal{O}(V)$ . Thus if  $s(x) \notin \mathcal{O}(V)$  we have  $F_V(x) = F_V(gxg^{-1}) = 0$ . If  $s(x) \in \mathcal{O}(V)$  we have  $F_V(gxg^{-1}) = F(gxg^{-1}) = \kappa(g)F(x) = \kappa(g)F_V(x)$ . Thus  $F_V$  satisfies (i) of Theorem 2.4.

Let  $(T, u)$  be any standard couple. We can assume that  $T \subseteq T_i \subseteq X$  for some  $T_i$ . Let  $V_T = V \cap T$ . It is open and closed in  $T$ . Let  $\chi_V$  be the characteristic function of  $V_T u$ . It is a locally constant function. Further  $F_V|_{Tu} = F|_{Tu} \cdot \chi_V$  since, using our assumption that  $\mathcal{O}(V) \cap X = V$ , for

every  $tu \in Tu, t \in \mathcal{O}(V)$  if and only if  $t \in V_T$ . Thus  $F_V$  satisfies (ii) and (iii) of Theorem 2.4.

Finally, fix  $s \in T$ . If  $s \notin V_T$ , there is a neighborhood  $U$  of  $s$  in  $T$  such that  $U \cap V_T = \emptyset$ . Now  $F_V(su_i) = 0$  for all  $i$  and  $F_V(tu) = 0$  for all  $t \in U$ . Thus  $F_V$  satisfies the germ expansion in  $U$ . If  $s \in V_T$ , then let  $V_F$  be a neighborhood of  $s$  in  $T$  such that for all  $t \in V_F \cap T^{reg}$ ,

$$F(tu) = \sum_i F(su_i) F_\kappa(f_i, tu).$$

Let  $V_{F_V} = V_F \cap V_T$ . Then for all  $t \in V_{F_V}, F_V(tu) = F(tu)$ . Also  $F_V(su_i) = F(su_i)$  for all  $i$ . Thus  $F_V$  also satisfies (iv). □

Let  $s \in G$  be an arbitrary semisimple element. Let  $\{T_1, \dots, T_r\}$  be representatives for the Cartan subgroups of  $G$ , up to  $G$ -conjugacy, such that  $s \in T_i, 1 \leq i \leq r$ . Let  $M$  be the centralizer of  $s$  in  $G$ . Then  $T_i \subseteq M, 1 \leq i \leq r$ , and for any  $\psi \in C_c^\infty(M), \gamma \in T_i \cap G'$ , we can define

$$\Lambda_\kappa^M(\psi, \gamma) = \int_{T_i \setminus M} \psi(m^{-1}\gamma m) \kappa(m) dm$$

if  $T_i \subset G_0$  and  $\Lambda_\kappa^M(\psi, \gamma) = 0$  if  $T_i \not\subset G_0$ .

**Lemma 2.6.**

- (i) Let  $f \in C_c^\infty(G)$ . Then there are neighborhoods  $V_i$  of  $s$  in  $T_i$  and  $\psi \in C_c^\infty(M)$  so that for all  $1 \leq i \leq r, \gamma \in V_i \cap G'$ ,

$$\Lambda_\kappa^G(f, \gamma) = \Lambda_\kappa^M(\psi, \gamma).$$

- (ii) Let  $\psi \in C_c^\infty(M)$ . Then there are neighborhoods  $V_i$  of  $s$  in  $T_i$  and  $f \in C_c^\infty(G)$  so that for all  $1 \leq i \leq r, \gamma \in V_i \cap G'$ ,

$$\Lambda_\kappa^G(f, \gamma) = \Lambda_\kappa^M(\psi, \gamma).$$

*Proof.* The proof is an easy generalization of the argument used in [V, 2.5]. Define  $su_j, f_j, 1 \leq j \leq k$  as in Theorem 2.4. Let  $T$  be the center of  $M$ .

Fix  $f \in C_c^\infty(G)$  and let  $\Omega = \text{supp } f$ . Then using [HC], there are neighborhoods  $V_i$  of  $s$  in  $T_i$  and an open, compact subset  $\omega \subseteq M \setminus G$  so that  $g^{-1}V_i g \cap \Omega = \emptyset, 1 \leq i \leq r$ , unless  $Mg \in \omega$ . Further, as in [V, 2.5], there is a neighborhood  $V$  of  $s$  in  $T$  and an open, compact subset  $C \subseteq M \setminus G$  so that  $g^{-1}Vu_j g \cap \Omega = \emptyset, 1 \leq j \leq k$ , unless  $Mg \in C$ . Choose  $\alpha \in C_c^\infty(G)$  so that

$$\tilde{\alpha}(g) = \int_M \alpha(mg) dm = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } Mg \in C \cup \omega; \\ 0, & \text{if } Mg \notin C \cup \omega. \end{cases}$$

Define

$$\psi(m) = \int_G \alpha(x)\kappa(x)f(x^{-1}mx) dx, m \in M.$$

Then  $\psi \in C_c^\infty(M)$ , and it is easy to check that for all  $1 \leq i \leq r, \gamma \in V_i \cap G'$ ,

$$\Lambda_\kappa^G(f, \gamma) = \Lambda_\kappa^M(\psi, \gamma).$$

Further, for all  $1 \leq j \leq k, \gamma \in V$ ,

$$\Lambda_\kappa^G(f, \gamma u_j) = \Lambda_\kappa^M(\psi, \gamma u_j).$$

This proves part (i) of the Lemma.

Define  $su_j, f_j, 1 \leq j \leq k$  as above and let  $f'_j = d(su_j)f_j$ . Then the  $f'_j$  satisfy  $\Lambda_\kappa^G(f'_j, su_l) = \delta_{jl}, 1 \leq j, l \leq k$ . To prove part (ii), we use (i) to choose neighborhoods  $V_i$  of  $s$  in  $T_i, 1 \leq i \leq r$  and  $V$  of  $s$  in  $T$ , and functions  $\psi_j \in C_c^\infty(M), 1 \leq j \leq k$ , so that for all  $1 \leq j \leq k, 1 \leq i \leq r, \gamma \in V_i \cap T'_i$ ,

$$\Lambda_\kappa^G(f'_j, \gamma) = \Lambda_\kappa^M(\psi_j, \gamma).$$

Further, for all  $1 \leq l \leq k, \gamma \in V$ ,

$$\Lambda_\kappa^G(f'_j, \gamma u_l) = \Lambda_\kappa^M(\psi_j, \gamma u_l).$$

Thus the functions  $\psi_j$  satisfy

$$\Lambda_\kappa^M(\psi_j, su_l) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } j = l; \\ 0, & \text{if } j \neq l. \end{cases}$$

Now fix  $\psi \in C_c^\infty(M)$ . As in [V, 2.5], the orbital decomposition of  $A_{s,M}$  and  $A_s$  can be represented by the same elements  $su_1, \dots, su_m$ . Also  $M_{su_i} = G_{su_i}$  and  $M_0 = M \cap G_0$ , so that  $M_{su_i} \subseteq M_0$  if and only if  $G_{su_i} \subseteq G_0$ . Thus we can also take  $su_1, \dots, su_k$  the same for  $M$  and  $G$ . Thus using Lemma 2.3 applied to  $M$  there is a neighborhood  $U$  of  $s$  in  $M$  so that for all  $m \in U$ ,

$$\Lambda_\kappa^M(\psi, m) = \sum_{j=1}^k \Lambda_\kappa^M(\psi_j, m) \Lambda_\kappa^M(\psi, su_j).$$

Define  $f \in C_c^\infty(G)$  by

$$f(g) = \sum_{j=1}^k \Lambda_\kappa^M(\psi, su_j) f'_j(g), g \in G.$$

Then for all  $\gamma \in G$ ,

$$\Lambda_\kappa^G(f, \gamma) = \sum_{j=1}^k \Lambda_\kappa^M(\psi, su_j) \Lambda_\kappa^G(f'_j, \gamma).$$

But now we have

$$\Lambda_\kappa^G(f'_j, \gamma) = \Lambda_\kappa^M(\psi_j, \gamma), \gamma \in V_i \cap T'_i, 1 \leq i \leq r, 1 \leq j \leq k,$$

so that

$$\Lambda_\kappa^G(f, \gamma) = \sum_{j=1}^k \Lambda_\kappa^M(\psi, su_j) \Lambda_\kappa^M(\psi_j, \gamma).$$

Thus for  $\gamma \in V_i \cap U \cap T'_i, 1 \leq i \leq r$ , we have

$$\Lambda_\kappa^G(f, \gamma) = \Lambda_\kappa^M(\psi, \gamma).$$

□

### §3. Matching Theorems.

Let  $G = GL(n, F), K = GL(n, R)$ , and let  $\kappa$  be a unitary character of  $F^\times$  of order  $d, d$  a divisor of  $n$ . Unless otherwise noted we will assume that  $\kappa$  is unramified.

As in Theorem 1.6 we let  $u_1, \dots, u_k$  represent the unipotent conjugacy classes with  $G_{u_i} \subset G_0$ , and  $\phi_1, \dots, \phi_k \in \mathcal{H}(G)$  satisfy  $\Lambda_\kappa(\phi_i, u_j) = \delta_{ij}$ . The following lemma is a special case of Lemma 2.3.

**Lemma 3.1.** *Let  $f \in C_c^\infty(G)$ . Then there is a neighborhood  $U$  of 1 in  $G$  so that*

$$\Lambda_\kappa(f, \gamma) = \sum_{i=1}^k \Lambda_\kappa(f, u_i) \Lambda_\kappa(\phi_i, \gamma)$$

for all  $\gamma \in U \cap G'$ .

Now let  $E$  be the cyclic extension of order  $d$  of  $F$  corresponding to  $\kappa$  and let  $H = GL(m, E), md = n$ . Fix an embedding of  $H$  in  $G$  as in [W2]. Then for  $\gamma \in H$  we can define both the ordinary orbital integral  $\Lambda^H(f, \gamma), f \in C_c^\infty(H)$ , and the twisted orbital integral  $\Lambda_\kappa^G(f, \gamma), f \in C_c^\infty(G)$ .

Write  $\mathcal{H}(G), \mathcal{H}(H)$  for the Hecke algebras of  $G$  and  $H$  respectively. Let  $b : \mathcal{H}(G) \rightarrow \mathcal{H}(H)$  be the homomorphism of  $\mathcal{H}(G)$  onto  $\mathcal{H}(H)$  defined as in [W2], and define the transfer factor  $\Delta_G^H$  as in [W2, HI]. The following theorem was proven by Waldspurger [W2] for  $F$  of characteristic zero and  $F(\gamma)$  tamely ramified over  $F$ , and was extended by Henniart [Hn].

**Theorem 3.2** (Waldspurger, Henniart). *Let  $f \in \mathcal{H}(G), \gamma \in H \cap G'$ . Then*

$$\Delta_G^H(\gamma)\Lambda_\kappa^G(f, \gamma) = \Lambda^H(bf, \gamma).$$

Write  $Z_G$  for the center of  $G$ .

**Theorem 3.3.** *Let  $z \in Z_G$ .*

- (i) *Let  $f_G \in C_c^\infty(G)$ . Then there are a neighborhood  $U$  of  $z$  in  $H$  and  $f_H \in C_c^\infty(H)$  so that*

$$\Delta_G^H(\gamma)\Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, \gamma) = \Lambda^H(f_H, \gamma)$$

*for all  $\gamma \in U \cap G'$ .*

- (ii) *Let  $f_H \in C_c^\infty(H)$ . Then there are a neighborhood  $U$  of  $z$  in  $H$  and  $f_G \in C_c^\infty(G)$  so that*

$$\Delta_G^H(\gamma)\Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, \gamma) = \Lambda^H(f_H, \gamma)$$

*for all  $\gamma \in U \cap G'$ .*

*Proof.* Suppose first that  $z = 1$  is the identity. Define  $u_1, \dots, u_k \in G, \phi_1, \dots, \phi_k \in \mathcal{H}(G)$ , as in Lemma 3.1. Let  $f_G \in C_c^\infty(G)$  and let  $V$  be a neighborhood of 1 in  $G$  so that

$$\Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, \gamma) = \sum_{i=1}^k \Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, u_i) \Lambda_\kappa^G(\phi_i, \gamma)$$

for all  $\gamma \in V \cap G'$ . Define  $f_H \in C_c^\infty(H)$  by

$$f_H = \sum_{i=1}^k \Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, u_i) (b\phi_i).$$

Let  $U = V \cap H$ . Then using Theorem 3.2, for all  $\gamma \in U \cap G'$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_G^H(\gamma)\Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, \gamma) &= \sum_{i=1}^k \Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, u_i) \Delta_G^H(\gamma)\Lambda_\kappa^G(\phi_i, \gamma) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^k \Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, u_i) \Lambda^H(b\phi_i, \gamma) = \Lambda^H(f_H, \gamma). \end{aligned}$$

Now let  $u'_1, \dots, u'_k \in H, \phi'_1, \dots, \phi'_k \in \mathcal{H}(H)$  be defined as in Theorem 1.4 so that  $u'_1, \dots, u'_k$  represent the unipotent conjugacy classes in  $H$  and

$\Lambda^H(\phi'_i, u'_j) = \delta_{ij}$ . Let  $f_H \in C_c^\infty(H)$  and let  $U$  be a neighborhood of 1 in  $H$  so that

$$\Lambda^H(f_H, \gamma) = \sum_{i=1}^k \Lambda^H(f_H, u'_i) \Lambda^H(\phi'_i, \gamma)$$

for all  $\gamma \in U \cap H'$ . Choose  $\phi_1, \dots, \phi_k \in \mathcal{H}(G)$  so that  $b\phi_i = \phi'_i, 1 \leq i \leq k$ , and define

$$f_G = \sum_{i=1}^k \Lambda^H(f_H, u'_i) \phi_i.$$

Then as above

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_G^H(\gamma) \Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, \gamma) &= \sum_{i=1}^k \Lambda^H(f_H, u'_i) \Delta_G^H(\gamma) \Lambda_\kappa^G(\phi_i, \gamma) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^k \Lambda^H(f_H, u'_i) \Lambda^H(\phi'_i, \gamma) = \Lambda^H(f_H, \gamma) \end{aligned}$$

for all  $\gamma \in U \cap G'$ .

To extend the result to arbitrary  $z \in Z_G$ , we use right translation by  $z$  as in [V, 2.5]. □

We want to extend the matching of Theorem 3.3 to a matching which is valid for every  $\gamma \in H \cap G'$ . In order to do this, we need to be able to match orbital integrals in the neighborhood of any semisimple element of  $H$ .

Let  $s \in H$  be an arbitrary semisimple element. Let  $M_G$  be the centralizer of  $s$  in  $G$  and let  $M_H$  be the centralizer of  $s$  in  $H$ .

**Lemma 3.4.**

- (i) *Let  $\psi_G \in C_c^\infty(M_G)$ . Then there are a neighborhood  $U$  of  $s$  in  $M_H$  and  $\psi_H \in C_c^\infty(M_H)$  so that for all  $\gamma \in U \cap G'$ ,*

$$\Delta_H^G(\gamma) \Lambda_\kappa^{M_G}(\psi_G, \gamma) = \Lambda^{M_H}(\psi_H, \gamma).$$

- (ii) *Let  $\psi_H \in C_c^\infty(M_H)$ . Then there are a neighborhood  $U$  of  $s$  in  $M_H$  and  $\psi_G \in C_c^\infty(M_G)$  so that for all  $\gamma \in U \cap G'$ ,*

$$\Delta_H^G(\gamma) \Lambda_\kappa^{M_G}(\psi_G, \gamma) = \Lambda^{M_H}(\psi_H, \gamma).$$

*Proof.* Write  $M_G = \prod_{i=1}^k GL(n_i, F_i)$  where the  $F_i$  are extensions of degree  $r_i$  of  $F$  and  $\sum_{i=1}^k n_i r_i = n$ . For each  $1 \leq i \leq k$ , let  $\kappa_i$  be the character of  $F_i^\times$  given by  $\kappa_i(\lambda) = \kappa(N_{F_i/F}(\lambda))$ . Now the center  $T_G$  of  $M_G$  is isomorphic to

$\prod_{i=1}^k F_i^\times$ . For  $\lambda_i \in F_i^\times, 1 \leq i \leq k$ , write  $a(\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_k)$  for the corresponding element of  $T_G$ . Then

$$\kappa(a(\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_k)) = \prod_{i=1}^k \kappa_i(\lambda_i^{n_i}).$$

Let  $d_i$  be the order of  $\kappa_i$ . Then if there is  $1 \leq i \leq k$  such that  $d_i$  does not divide  $n_i$ , there is  $a \in T_G$  so that  $\kappa(a) \neq 1$ . But since  $s \in H$  is semisimple, it is contained in some Cartan subgroup  $T$  of  $H$ . But every Cartan subgroup of  $H$  is a Cartan subgroup of  $G$  so that  $T_G \subseteq T$ . Thus  $T_G \subseteq H$  so that  $\kappa(a) = 1$  for all  $a \in T_G$ . Thus  $d_i$  divides  $n_i$  for all  $i$ . Write  $n_i = m_i d_i, 1 \leq i \leq k$  and let  $E_i$  be the extension of  $F_i$  corresponding to  $\kappa_i$ . It is the minimal extension of  $F_i$  containing  $E$ . Now  $M_H = \prod_{i=1}^k GL(m_i, E_i)$ .

Thus  $M_G = \prod_{i=1}^k GL(n_i, F_i)$  and  $M_H = \prod_{i=1}^k GL(m_i, E_i)$  are products of groups  $G_i = GL(n_i, F_i), H_i = GL(m_i, E_i)$  of the same type as our original groups  $G$  and  $H$ . Further, if  $g = (g_1, g_2, \dots, g_k) \in M_G = \prod G_i$ , then  $\det_G g = \prod N_{F_i/F}(\det_{G_i} g_i)$  so that  $\kappa(g) = \prod \kappa_i(g_i)$ . Thus  $\kappa$ -twisted orbital integrals on  $M_G$  are the products of  $\kappa_i$ -twisted orbital integrals on the factors  $G_i$ . Now since  $s \in M_H$  is central in  $M_G$ , we can apply Theorem 3.3 to match functions  $\psi_G \in C_c^\infty(M_G)$  in a neighborhood of  $s$  with functions  $\psi'_H \in C_c^\infty(M_H)$  using the transfer factor  $\Delta_{M_G}^{M_H}$ . Thus to complete the proof of the lemma it suffices to show that there is a neighborhood  $U$  of  $s$  in  $M_H$  so that  $\Delta_G^H \left(\Delta_{M_G}^{M_H}\right)^{-1}$  is constant and non-zero on  $U \cap G'$ , so we can also match using the transfer factor  $\Delta_G^H$ . This is proven in Lemmas 3.5 and 3.6 below.  $\square$

In order to complete the proof of Lemma 3.4, we must define the transfer factors. For  $\gamma, \delta \in H$ , let  $c_1, \dots, c_m$ , respectively  $d_1, \dots, d_m$  denote the eigenvalues of  $\gamma$ , resp.  $\delta$ , in some extension of  $E$ . As in [W2, H1] we set

$$r(\gamma, \delta) = \prod_{i,j=1}^m (c_i - d_j).$$

Then for all  $\gamma \in H \cap G'$ , we define

$$\Delta_G^{H,1}(\gamma) = \left| \prod_{\sigma, \tau \in \mathcal{G}(E/F), \sigma \neq \tau} r(\sigma\gamma, \tau\gamma) \right|_F^{\frac{1}{2}} \left| \det_G(\gamma) \right|_F^{\frac{(m-n)}{2}}$$

where  $\mathcal{G}(E/F)$  denotes the Galois group of  $E/F$ . Further, we set

$$\Delta_G^{H,2}(\gamma) = 1$$

for all  $\gamma \in H$  if  $d$  is odd. If  $d$  is even, let  $\sigma_+$  be the unique element of order 2 in  $\mathcal{G}(E/F)$  and let  $\nu_E$  denote the valuation in  $E$ . Then we define

$$\Delta_G^{H,2}(\gamma) = (-1)^{\nu_E(r(\gamma, \sigma_+\gamma))}$$

for all  $\gamma \in H$ . Finally, for all  $\gamma \in H \cap G'$ , we define

$$\Delta_G^H(\gamma) = \Delta_G^{H,1}(\gamma)\Delta_G^{H,2}(\gamma).$$

We now return to the notation of Lemma 3.4 so that  $s \in H$  is an arbitrary semisimple element with centralizers  $M_G$  and  $M_H$  in  $G$  and  $H$  respectively.

**Lemma 3.5.** *There is a neighborhood  $U$  of  $s$  in  $M_H$  so that  $\Delta_G^{H,1} \left( \Delta_{M_G}^{M_H,1} \right)^{-1}$  is constant and non-zero on  $U \cap G'$ .*

*Proof.* For  $\gamma \in H \cap G'$ , let  $c_1, \dots, c_m$  denote the eigenvalues of  $\gamma$  considered as an element of  $H = GL(m, E)$  and let  $d_1, \dots, d_n$  denote its eigenvalues considered as an element of  $G = GL(n, F)$ . Define

$$\Delta_H(\gamma) = \prod_{1 \leq i < j \leq m} (c_i - c_j), \quad \Delta_G(\gamma) = \prod_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} (d_i - d_j).$$

Fix  $\gamma \in H \cap G'$ . For each  $\sigma \in \mathcal{G}(E/F)$ , let  $c(i, \sigma), 1 \leq i \leq m$ , denote the eigenvalues of  $\sigma\gamma$  as an element of  $H = GL(m, E)$ . Then as an element of  $G = GL(n, F), \gamma$  has eigenvalues  $c(i, \sigma), 1 \leq i \leq m, \sigma \in \mathcal{G}(E/F)$ . Thus we can rewrite

$$\prod_{\sigma, \tau \in \mathcal{G}(E/F), \sigma \neq \tau} r(\sigma\gamma, \tau\gamma) = \Delta_G(\gamma)N_{E/F}\Delta_H(\gamma)^{-1}$$

and

$$\Delta_G^{H,1}(\gamma) = |\Delta_G(\gamma)|_F^{\frac{1}{2}} |\Delta_H(\gamma)|_E^{-\frac{1}{2}} \left| \det(\gamma) \right|_F^{\frac{(m-n)}{2}}.$$

Now use the notation in the proof of Lemma 3.4 so that we have  $M_H = \prod H_i, M_G = \prod G_i$ , where for  $1 \leq i \leq k, H_i = GL(m_i, E_i), G_i = GL(n_i, F_i)$ . Then for any  $\gamma = \prod \gamma_i \in M_H \cap M'_G$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_{M_G}^{M_H,1}(\gamma) &= \prod \Delta_{G_i}^{H_i,1}(\gamma_i) \\ &= \prod_i |\Delta_{G_i}(\gamma_i)|_{F_i}^{\frac{1}{2}} |\Delta_{H_i}(\gamma_i)|_{E_i}^{-\frac{1}{2}} \left| \det(\gamma_i) \right|_{F_i}^{\frac{(m_i-n_i)}{2}}. \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_G^{H,1}(\gamma) \Delta_{M_G}^{M_H,1}(\gamma)^{-1} &= |\Delta_G(\gamma)|_F^{\frac{1}{2}} \prod_i |N_{F_i/F} \Delta_{G_i}(\gamma_i)|_F^{-\frac{1}{2}} \\ &\quad \times |\Delta_H(\gamma)|_E^{-\frac{1}{2}} \prod_i |N_{E_i/E} \Delta_{H_i}(\gamma_i)|_E^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &\quad \times \left| \det(\gamma) \right|_F^{\frac{(m-n)}{2}} \prod_i \left| \det(\gamma_i) \right|_{F_i}^{\frac{(n_i-m_i)}{2}}. \end{aligned}$$

We can index the eigenvalues of  $\gamma$  in  $GL(n, F)$  as  $c(i, j, t)$ ,  $1 \leq i \leq k, 1 \leq j \leq n_i, 1 \leq t \leq r_i$ , so that

$$\prod_i N_{F_i/F} \Delta_{G_i}(\gamma_i) = \prod_i \prod_t \prod_{j \neq j'} [c(i, j, t) - c(i, j', t)].$$

Then we have

$$\Delta_G(\gamma) \prod_i N_{F_i/F} \Delta_{G_i}(\gamma_i)^{-1} = \prod_{(i,t) \neq (i',t')} \prod_{j,j'} [c(i, j, t) - c(i', j', t')].$$

Thus  $\gamma \mapsto \Delta_G(\gamma) \prod_i N_{F_i/F} \Delta_{G_i}(\gamma_i)^{-1}$  extends to a continuous function on  $M_G$ . Further, when  $\gamma = s$ ,  $\gamma_i$  is central in  $G_i$  for all  $i$  so that  $c(i, j, t) = c(i, j', t)$  for all  $i, j, j', t$ . But since  $M_G = \prod G_i$  is the full centralizer of  $s$  in  $G$  we have  $c(i, j, t) \neq c(i', j', t')$  if  $(i, t) \neq (i', t')$ . Thus  $\Delta_G(\gamma) \prod_i N_{F_i/F} \Delta_{G_i}(\gamma_i)^{-1}$  is non-zero at  $\gamma = s$ . Similarly, we see that  $\gamma \mapsto \Delta_H(\gamma) \prod_i N_{E_i/E} \Delta_{H_i}(\gamma_i)^{-1}$  extends to a continuous function on  $M_H$  which is non-zero at  $\gamma = s$ . Finally, the determinant factors are certainly continuous and non-zero on all of  $M_H$ . Thus

$$\gamma \mapsto \Delta_G^{H,1}(\gamma) \Delta_{M_G}^{M_H,1}(\gamma)^{-1}$$

extends to a function which is constant in a neighborhood of  $s$  in  $M_H$ . □

**Lemma 3.6.** *There is a neighborhood  $U$  of  $s$  in  $M_H$  so that  $\Delta_G^{H,2} \left( \Delta_{M_G}^{M_H,2} \right)^{-1}$  is constant and non-zero on  $U \cap G'$ .*

*Proof.* We first need to derive an alternate formula for  $\Delta_G^{H,2}$ . Let  $\sigma_0$  be a generator of  $\mathcal{G}(E/F)$ . For all  $\gamma \in H$  we define

$$\tilde{\Delta}(\gamma) = \prod_{0 \leq i < j \leq d-1} r(\sigma_0^i \gamma, \sigma_0^j \gamma).$$

Then for each  $\gamma \in H \cap G'$ ,  $\tilde{\Delta}(\gamma)$  is an element of  $E^\times$ . Clearly  $r(\delta, \gamma) = (-1)^m r(\gamma, \delta)$  for all  $\gamma, \delta \in H$ . Thus it is easy to see that

$$\sigma_0 \tilde{\Delta}(\gamma) = (-1)^{m(d-1)} \tilde{\Delta}(\gamma), \quad \forall \gamma \in H.$$

If  $m(d - 1)$  is even we let  $e_0 = 1$ . Suppose that  $m(d - 1)$  is odd. Then  $d$  is even. Define  $E_2 = \{e \in E : \sigma_0^2 e = e\}$ . Then  $E_2/F$  is a cyclic extension of degree 2 and we can choose a unit  $e_0 \in E_2$  such that  $E_2 = F[e_0], \sigma_0 e_0 = -e_0$ . With these choices of  $e_0$  we have  $e_0 \tilde{\Delta}(\gamma) \in F$  for all  $\gamma \in H$ . We now claim that

$$\Delta_G^{H,2}(\gamma) = \kappa(e_0 \tilde{\Delta}(\gamma)), \quad \gamma \in H \cap G'.$$

Let  $\eta$  be an unramified character of  $E^\times$  which extends  $\kappa$ . Thus for all  $e \in E^\times, \eta(e) = \zeta^{\nu_E(e)}$  where  $\zeta$  is a primitive  $d^{\text{th}}$  root of unity. Now since  $e_0$  is a unit we have

$$\Delta_G^{H,2}(\gamma) = \eta(e_0 \tilde{\Delta}(\gamma)) = \eta(\tilde{\Delta}(\gamma)).$$

Now

$$\prod_{\sigma \neq \tau} r(\sigma\gamma, \tau\gamma) = \pm \tilde{\Delta}(\gamma)^2$$

so that

$$\nu_E(\tilde{\Delta}(\gamma)) = \frac{1}{2} \nu_E \left( \prod_{\sigma \neq \tau} r(\sigma\gamma, \tau\gamma) \right).$$

But

$$\prod_{\sigma \neq \tau} r(\sigma\gamma, \tau\gamma) = N_{E/F} \left( \prod_{\tau \neq 1} r(\gamma, \tau\gamma) \right).$$

Thus

$$\nu_E(\tilde{\Delta}(\gamma)) = \frac{1}{2} \prod_{1 \leq i \leq d-1} \nu_E(N_{E/F} r(\gamma, \sigma_0^i \gamma)).$$

But for any  $1 \leq i \leq d - 1$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \nu_E(N_{E/F} r(\gamma, \sigma_0^{d-i} \gamma)) &= \nu_E(N_{E/F} \sigma_0^{d-i} r(\sigma_0^i \gamma, \gamma)) \\ &= \nu_E(N_{E/F} r(\gamma, \sigma_0^i \gamma)). \end{aligned}$$

Further,  $\nu_E(N_{E/F}(e)) = d \nu_E(e)$  for all  $e \in E^\times$ . Thus, calculating modulo  $d$ , we have

$$\nu_E(\tilde{\Delta}(\gamma)) \equiv \begin{cases} \frac{d}{2} \nu_E(r(\gamma, \sigma_0^{\frac{d}{2}} \gamma)), & \text{if } d \text{ is even;} \\ 0, & \text{if } d \text{ is odd.} \end{cases}$$

Now when  $d$  is even  $\sigma_0^{\frac{d}{2}} = \sigma_+$  so we can conclude that

$$\eta(\tilde{\Delta}(\gamma)) = \begin{cases} (-1)^{\nu_E(r(\gamma, \sigma_+ \gamma))}, & \text{if } d \text{ is even;} \\ 1, & \text{if } d \text{ is odd.} \end{cases}$$

This completes the proof that  $\Delta_G^{H,2}(\gamma) = \kappa(e_0\tilde{\Delta}(\gamma))$ ,  $\gamma \in H \cap G'$ .

Similarly, for all  $\gamma = \prod_i \gamma_i \in \prod H_i$ , we have

$$\Delta_{M_G}^{M_H,2}(\gamma) = \prod \kappa_i(e_{0,i}\tilde{\Delta}_i(\gamma_i))$$

where  $e_{0,i}, \tilde{\Delta}_i$  are defined for the pair  $H_i, G_i$ . Since  $\kappa_i = \kappa \circ N_{F_i/F}$ , for  $\gamma = \prod \gamma_i \in M_H \cap G'$  we have

$$\Delta_G^{H,2}(\gamma)\Delta_{M_G}^{M_H,2}(\gamma)^{-1} = \kappa\left(e_0\tilde{\Delta}(\gamma) \prod N_{F_i/F}(e_{0,i}\tilde{\Delta}_i(\gamma_i))^{-1}\right).$$

Thus  $\Delta_G^{H,2}(\Delta_{M_G}^{M_H,2})^{-1}$  will extend to a function which is constant and non-zero in a neighborhood of  $s$  if we can show that

$$\gamma \mapsto \tilde{\Delta}(\gamma) \prod N_{F_i/F}(e_{0,i}\tilde{\Delta}_i(\gamma_i))^{-1}$$

extends to a continuous function on  $M_H$  which is not zero at  $\gamma = s$ . Note that, using the notation in the proof of Lemma 3.6, we have

$$\tilde{\Delta}(\gamma)^2 = \pm \prod_{\sigma \neq \tau} r(\sigma\gamma, \tau\gamma) = \pm \Delta_G(\gamma)N_{E/F}\Delta_H(\gamma)^{-1}.$$

Thus the analysis proceeds exactly as in Lemma 3.6. That is,  $\prod N_{F_i/F}(e_{0,i}\tilde{\Delta}_i(\gamma_i))^{-1}$  cancels out exactly the terms in  $\tilde{\Delta}(\gamma)$  which are zero when  $\gamma = s$ . □

Let  $T_1, \dots, T_k$  denote the Cartan subgroups of  $H$  containing  $s$ , up to  $G$ -conjugacy.

**Lemma 3.7.**

- (i) Let  $f_G \in C_c^\infty(G)$ . Then there are neighborhoods  $V_i$  of  $s$  in  $T_i$  and  $f_H \in C_c^\infty(H)$  so that for all  $1 \leq i \leq k, \gamma \in V_i \cap G'$ ,

$$\Delta_H^G(\gamma)\Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, \gamma) = \Lambda^H(f_H, \gamma).$$

- (ii) Let  $f_H \in C_c^\infty(H)$ . Then there are neighborhoods  $V_i$  of  $s$  in  $T_i$  and  $f_G \in C_c^\infty(G)$  so that for all  $1 \leq i \leq k, \gamma \in V_i \cap G'$ ,

$$\Delta_H^G(\gamma)\Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, \gamma) = \Lambda^H(f_H, \gamma).$$

*Proof.* This follows easily from combining Lemmas 3.4 and 2.6. □

Locally there is no obstruction to matching twisted orbital integrals on  $G$  with ordinary orbital integrals on  $H$ . However, if  $f_H \in C_c^\infty(H)$  is to match orbital integrals with  $f_G$  for all  $h \in H \cap G'$ , we must have

$$(*) \quad \Lambda^H(f_H, xhx^{-1}) = \kappa(x)\Delta_H^G(xhx^{-1}) \Delta_H^G(h)^{-1} \Lambda^H(f_H, h)$$

for all  $h \in H \cap G'$  and  $x \in G$  such that  $xhx^{-1} \in H$ .

**Theorem 3.8.**

(i) Let  $f_G \in C_c^\infty(G)$ . Then there is  $f_H \in C_c^\infty(H)$  so that for all  $\gamma \in H \cap G'$ ,

$$\Delta_H^G(\gamma)\Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, \gamma) = \Lambda^H(f_H, \gamma).$$

(ii) Let  $f_H \in C_c^\infty(H)$  satisfying (\*). Then there is  $f_G \in C_c^\infty(G)$  so that for all  $\gamma \in H \cap G'$ ,

$$\Delta_H^G(\gamma)\Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, \gamma) = \Lambda^H(f_H, \gamma).$$

*Proof.* (i) Let  $T_1, \dots, T_k$  be a complete set of Cartan subgroups of  $H$  up to  $H$ -conjugacy. For each  $i$ , let  $\Omega_i$  be the support of  $\Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, \cdot)$  restricted to  $T_i$ . Let  $X = \cup T_i$  and  $\Omega = \cup \Omega_i$ . Then  $\Omega$  is a compact subset of  $X$ . For each  $s \in X$ , use Lemma 3.7 to find  $U(s)$ , a compact open neighborhood of  $s$  in  $X$ , and  $f_s \in C_c^\infty(H)$  such that

$$\Delta_H^G(\gamma)\Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, \gamma) = \Lambda^H(f_s, \gamma), \gamma \in U(s) \cap G'.$$

Note that since both sides are invariant under  $H$ -conjugacy, the equality is in fact valid for all  $\gamma \in \mathcal{O}_H(U(s)) \cap G'$ . Write  $U'(s) = \mathcal{O}_H(U(s)) \cap X$ .

Since  $\Omega$  is compact, there are  $s_1, \dots, s_p$  so that  $\Omega \subseteq \cup_{i=1}^p U'(s_i)$ . By shrinking if necessary we can assume that the  $U'(s_i)$  are disjoint. Now by Lemma 2.5 applied to ordinary orbital integrals on  $H$ , there are  $f_i \in C_c^\infty(H)$ ,  $1 \leq i \leq p$ , so that

$$\Lambda^H(f_i, \gamma) = \begin{cases} \Lambda^H(f_{s_i}, \gamma), & \text{if } \gamma \in U'(s_i); \\ 0, & \text{if } \gamma \in X \setminus U'(s_i). \end{cases}$$

Let  $f_H = \sum_{i=1}^p f_i$ . Then for  $\gamma \in X \cap G'$ , if  $\gamma \in U'(s_i)$ , then

$$\Lambda^H(f_H, \gamma) = \Lambda_H(f_{s_i}, \gamma) = \Delta_H^G(\gamma)\Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, \gamma).$$

If  $\gamma \notin \cup_{i=1}^p U'(s_i)$ , then  $\gamma \notin \Omega$  so that

$$\Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, \gamma) = 0 = \Lambda^H(f_H, \gamma).$$

(ii) Let  $T_1, \dots, T_k$  be a complete set of Cartan subgroups of  $H$  up to  $G$ -conjugacy. For each  $i$ , let  $\Omega_i$  be the support of  $\Lambda^H(f_H, \cdot)$  restricted to  $T_i$ . Let  $X = \cup T_i$  and  $\Omega = \cup \Omega_i$ . Then  $\Omega$  is a compact subset of  $X$ . For each  $s \in X$ , use Lemma 3.7 to find  $U(s)$ , a compact open neighborhood of  $s$  in  $X$ , and  $f_s \in C_c^\infty(G)$  such that

$$\Delta_H^G(\gamma)\Lambda_\kappa^G(f_s, \gamma) = \Lambda^H(f_H, \gamma), \gamma \in U(s) \cap G'.$$

Note that since both sides transform in the same way with respect to  $G$ -conjugacy, the equality is in fact valid for all  $\gamma \in \mathcal{O}_G(U(s)) \cap H \cap G'$ . Write  $U'(s) = \mathcal{O}_G(U(s)) \cap X$ . Now the proof is finished in the same way as that of (i) using Lemma 2.5.  $\square$

If we drop the assumption that  $E/F$  is unramified, we can obtain a weaker version of Theorem 3.8 as follows. Let  $s$  be a semisimple element of  $H$  and as before let  $T_1, \dots, T_r$  be the Cartan subgroups of  $G$  which contain  $s$ , up to  $G$ -conjugacy. Suppose that  $M_G = M_H$ . Then  $T_i \subseteq M_G = M_H \subseteq H$  for all  $1 \leq i \leq r$ . We can use the results of §2 to prove the following lemma.

**Lemma 3.9.** *Suppose  $s \in H$  is a semisimple element such that  $M_G = M_H$ .*

(i) *Let  $f_G \in C_c^\infty(G)$ . Then there are neighborhoods  $V_i$  of  $s$  in  $T_i$  and  $f_H \in C_c^\infty(H)$  so that for all  $1 \leq i \leq r, \gamma \in V_i \cap G'$ ,*

$$\Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, \gamma) = \Lambda^H(f_H, \gamma).$$

(ii) *Let  $f_H \in C_c^\infty(H)$ . Then there are neighborhoods  $V_i$  of  $\gamma_0$  in  $T_i$  and  $f_G \in C_c^\infty(G)$  so that for all  $1 \leq i \leq r, \gamma \in V_i \cap G'$ ,*

$$\Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, \gamma) = \Lambda^H(f_H, \gamma).$$

*Proof.* For part (i), use Lemma 2.6 to match  $f_G \in C_c^\infty(G)$  with  $\psi_G \in C_c^\infty(M_G)$ . Now use Vignéras’s version of Lemma 2.6 [V] applied to  $H$  and ordinary orbital integrals to match  $\psi_H = \psi_G \in C_c^\infty(M_H)$  with  $f_H \in C_c^\infty(H)$ . For part (ii) go backwards.  $\square$

Suppose that  $s \in H \cap G'$ . Then  $M_G = M_H$  is a Cartan subgroup of  $H$  and  $G$ , so that we can apply Lemma 3.9 in a neighborhood of  $s$ . Thus if we restrict our attention to functions supported on such points, we can use Lemmas 3.9 and 2.5 to prove the following theorem.

**Theorem 3.10.**

(i) *Let  $f_G \in C_c^\infty(G')$ . Then there is  $f_H \in C_c^\infty(H \cap G')$  so that for all  $\gamma \in H \cap G'$ ,*

$$\Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, \gamma) = \Lambda^H(f_H, \gamma).$$

(ii) Let  $f_H \in C_c^\infty(H \cap G')$  such that

$$\Lambda^H(f_H, x\gamma x^{-1}) = \kappa(x)\Lambda^H(f_H, \gamma)$$

for all  $\gamma \in H \cap G', x \in G$  such that  $x\gamma x^{-1} \in H$ . Then there is  $f_G \in C_c^\infty(G')$  so that for all  $\gamma \in H \cap G'$ ,

$$\Lambda_\kappa^G(f_G, \gamma) = \Lambda^H(f_H, \gamma).$$

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