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## A KIRILLOV MODEL OF A PRINCIPAL SERIES REPRESENTATION OF $\mathrm{GL}_2(\mathcal{D})$

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### 0. Introduction

Let  $F$  be a non-Archimedean local field of arbitrary characteristic and  $\mathcal{D}$  a central finite dimensional division algebra over  $F$ . Godement [1] constructed a model of an irreducible admissible representation  $(\pi, V)$  of  $\mathrm{GL}_2(F)$ , which is called the Kirillov model of  $(\pi, V)$  and is denoted by  $\mathcal{K}(\pi)$ .  $\mathcal{K}(\pi)$  is realized as a certain space consisting of locally constant functions on  $F^*$  that vanish outside some compact subset of  $F$ . On  $\mathcal{K}(\pi)$ , upper triangular matrices act as

$$\pi \left( \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & d \end{pmatrix} \right) f(x) = \psi_F(d^{-1}xb)\omega_\pi(d)f(d^{-1}xa),$$

where  $\omega_\pi$  is the central character of  $\pi$  and  $\psi_F$  is a non-trivial additive character of  $F$ . Godement obtained an irreducibility criterion of principal series representations by using the theory of Kirillov models, and then classified principal series representations of  $\mathrm{GL}_2(F)$ .

Prasad and Raghuram [2] developed the theory of Kirillov models for admissible representations of  $\mathrm{GL}_2(\mathcal{D})$ . Let  $(\pi, V)$  be an admissible representation of  $\mathrm{GL}_2(\mathcal{D})$  and  $V_{N,\psi}$  the twisted Jacquet module of  $(\pi, V)$  with respect to a non-trivial additive character  $\Psi$  of  $\mathcal{D}$ . The Kirillov model of  $(\pi, V)$  is defined to be a certain space consisting of  $V_{N,\psi}$ -valued locally constant functions on  $\mathcal{D}^*$ . If  $f$  is an element of the Kirillov model of  $(\pi, V)$ ,  $f$  vanishes outside some compact subset of  $\mathcal{D}$  and upper triangular matrices act as

$$\pi \left( \begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ 0 & D \end{pmatrix} \right) f(X) = \Psi(D^{-1}XB)\pi_{N,\psi} \left( \begin{pmatrix} D & 0 \\ 0 & D \end{pmatrix} \right) f(D^{-1}XA).$$

In this paper we study a Kirillov model of a principal series representation  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  of  $\mathrm{GL}_2(\mathcal{D})$  induced from an irreducible representation  $(\pi_1 \otimes \pi_2, V_1 \otimes V_2)$  of  $\mathcal{D}^* \times \mathcal{D}^*$ . Any element of  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  is a  $V_1 \otimes V_2$ -valued locally constant function on  $\mathrm{GL}_2(\mathcal{D})$  and  $\mathrm{GL}_2(\mathcal{D})$  acts on  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  by right translations. Even if  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  is not irreducible, we construct its Kirillov model as follows. The element  $\xi_\varphi$  of the Kirillov model of  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  corresponding to  $\varphi \in V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  is given as a distri-

bution on  $C_c^\infty(\mathcal{D})$  by the form

$$\xi_\varphi(X) = |X|^{1/2} 1 \otimes \pi_2(X) \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \int_{\mathfrak{v}(Y)=n} \overline{\Psi(XY)}_\varphi \left( \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \right) \left( \begin{pmatrix} 1 & Y \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right) dY,$$

where  $\mathfrak{v}$  denotes an additive valuation on  $\mathcal{D}$ . Raghuram [3] proved that the defining infinite series of  $\xi_\varphi$  converges. We give a proof of this fact by a different way from Raghuram in Lemma 2.2. As a consequence of the convergence of the series, we know that the Kirillov model is realized as a certain space of functions on  $\mathcal{D}^*$ . The asymptotic behavior of  $\xi_\varphi$  around 0 characterizes a principal series representation  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$ . Although Raghuram studied a behavior of  $\hat{\phi}$  around 0, our statement in Theorem 2.3 is more precise than Raghuram’s one.

Moreover, we give a condition under when the map  $\phi \mapsto \hat{\phi}$  is injective in Proposition 2.4 and Theorem 2.6. From this theorem we get a sufficient condition for irreducibility of the principal series representations in Corollary 2.7. If the characteristic of  $F$  is 0, an irreducibility criterion of the principal series representations of  $GL_n(\mathcal{D})$  was given by Tadić [4] by using the theories of the Langlands classification and Hopf algebras. If we apply the results of Tadić to  $GL_2(\mathcal{D})$  case, the principal series representation  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  is reducible if and only if  $\pi_2(X) = |X|^{\pm 1} \pi_1(X)$  for all  $X \in \mathcal{D}^*$  when the characteristic of  $F$  is 0. As a consequence of this fact and Theorem 2.6 we know that if  $\dim_F \mathcal{D} \neq 1$  and the characteristic of  $F$  is 0, there exists a reducible principal series representation  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  such that the maps from  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  to its Kirillov model and from  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)^\vee$  to its Kirillov model are injective. If  $\dim_F \mathcal{D} = 1$ , such representations do not exist.

### 1. Preliminaries

**1.1. Notations.** In this paper  $\mathbb{Z}$  denotes the ring of integers and  $\mathbb{C}$  the field of complex numbers as usual. Let  $F$  be a non-Archimedean local field of arbitrary characteristic,  $\mathfrak{O}_F$  the integer ring of  $F$ ,  $\mathfrak{P}_F$  the unique maximal ideal of  $\mathfrak{O}_F$ ,  $q$  the cardinality of  $\mathfrak{O}_F/\mathfrak{P}_F$ , and  $\varpi_F$  the prime element of  $F$ . The additive valuation  $\mathfrak{v}_F$  and the multiplicative valuation  $|\cdot|_F$  on  $F$  are normalized so that  $|\varpi_F|_F = q^{-\mathfrak{v}_F(\varpi_F)} = q^{-1}$ . We fix a nontrivial additive character  $\psi_F$  of  $F$  so chosen that the maximal fractional ideal in  $F$  on which  $\psi_F$  is trivial is  $\mathfrak{O}_F$ . Let  $\mathcal{D}$  denote a central division algebra of dimension  $d^2$  over  $F$ ,  $\mathfrak{O}$  the maximal order of  $\mathcal{D}$ , and  $\mathfrak{P}$  the unique maximal ideal of  $\mathfrak{O}$ . Notice that the cardinality of  $\mathfrak{O}/\mathfrak{P}$  is equal to  $q^d$ . There is a generator  $\varpi$  of  $\mathfrak{P}$  as  $\varpi^d = \varpi_F$ . The additive valuation and the multiplicative valuation  $|\cdot|$  on  $\mathcal{D}$  are normalized so that  $|\varpi| = q^{-\mathfrak{v}(\varpi)} = q^{-d}$ . Let  $T_{\mathcal{D}/F}$  be the reduced trace from  $\mathcal{D}$  to  $F$ . Let  $\Psi$  be the additive character of  $\mathcal{D}$  obtained by composing  $T_{\mathcal{D}/F}$  and the character  $\psi_F$ . Let  $dX$  be the Haar measure on  $\mathcal{D}$  normalized so that the volume of  $\mathfrak{O}^*$  is  $(1 - q^{-d})^{-1}$ .

Let  $M_2(\mathcal{D})$  be the matrix algebra of  $2 \times 2$  matrices with entries in  $\mathcal{D}$ ,  $G =$

$GL_2(\mathcal{D}) = M_2(\mathcal{D})^*$  the unit group of  $M_2(\mathcal{D})$ ,  $P$  the subgroup of upper triangular matrices in  $G$  and  $N$  the unipotent radical of  $P$  consisting of matrices with 1's on diagonal. The Shalika subgroup  $S$  is defined to be the subgroup of  $G$  consisting of the matrices of the form  $\begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ 0 & A \end{pmatrix}$  for  $A \in \mathcal{D}^*$  and  $B \in \mathcal{D}$ . The subgroup of  $S$  consisting of the matrices of the form  $\begin{pmatrix} A & 0 \\ 0 & A \end{pmatrix}$  for all  $A \in \mathcal{D}^*$  is denoted by  $\Delta(\mathcal{D}^*)$ .

For a totally disconnected locally compact topological space  $X$  and an arbitrary vector space  $V$ , let  $C^\infty(X, V)$  be the space consisting of  $V$ -valued locally constant functions on  $X$  and  $C_c^\infty(X, V)$  be the subspace of  $C^\infty(X, V)$  consisting of compactly supported functions. If  $V$  is one dimensional, we write simply  $C^\infty(X)$  and  $C_c^\infty(X)$  for  $C^\infty(X, V)$  and  $C_c^\infty(X, V)$ , respectively.

**Proposition 1.1.** *Let  $w = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ . Then  $G$  is decomposed into the disjoint union of  $P$  and  $PwP = PwN = NwP$ .*

The subset  $PwP$  is called the big cell.

**Proposition 1.2.** *The additive character  $\Psi$  of  $\mathcal{D}$  is a constant on  $\mathfrak{P}^{1-d}$ .*

For the proof, refer to [5, Chapter 10].

**1.2. Admissible representations and Kirillov models.** Let  $(\pi, V)$  be a representation of  $G$ . In this paper, the representation space  $V$  is always a vector space over  $\mathbb{C}$ .  $(\pi, V)$  is called admissible if the stabilizer subgroup of  $v$  in  $G$  is open for all  $v \in V$  and the subspace which consists of all elements that are invariant under  $G'$  is finite dimensional for all open subgroup  $G'$  of  $G$ .

Let  $(\pi_1, V_1)$  and  $(\pi_2, V_2)$  be two irreducible representations of  $\mathcal{D}^*$ . We extend  $\pi_1, \pi_2$  to a representation of  $P$  on which  $N$  acts trivially. Let  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  denote the representation of  $G$  induced from  $\pi_1 \otimes \pi_2$  of  $P$ . Namely,

$$V(\pi_1, \pi_2) = \left\{ \varphi \in C^\infty(G, V_1 \otimes V_2) \left| \begin{array}{l} \varphi \left( \begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ 0 & D \end{pmatrix} g \right) = |AD^{-1}|^{1/2} \times \pi_1(A) \otimes \pi_2(D) \varphi(g) \\ \left( \text{for all } \begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ 0 & D \end{pmatrix} \in P \text{ and } g \in G \right) \end{array} \right. \right\}$$

and  $G$  acts on  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  by right translations. Then we obtain an admissible representation. Such a representation is called a principal series representation.

The following lemma is proved in the same way as [1, Theorem 5].

**Lemma 1.3.** *The contragredient representation of  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  is isomorphic to  $V(\pi_1^\vee, \pi_2^\vee)$ , where  $\pi_i^\vee$  denote the contragredient representation of  $\pi_i$ .*

We study the Kirillov model in order to investigate when a principal series repre-

sentation is irreducible. Let  $(\pi, V)$  be an admissible representation of  $G$ . Let  $V(N, \Psi)$  be the subspace of  $V$  spanned by  $\pi\left(\begin{pmatrix} 1 & X \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}\right)v - \Psi(X)v$  for all  $v$  in  $V$  and  $X$  in  $\mathcal{D}$ . The twisted Jacquet module  $V_{N,\Psi}$  of  $V$  is defined as  $V/V(N, \Psi)$ .  $V_{N,\Psi}$  is an  $S$ -module and the maximal quotient of  $V$  on which  $N$  acts via  $\Psi$ . It is known that if  $(\pi, V)$  is irreducible,  $V_{N,\Psi}$  is finite dimensional. The next lemma was proved by Prasad and Raghuram in [2, Theorem 2.1].

**Lemma 1.4.** *The twisted Jacquet module  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)_{N,\Psi}$  of a principal series representation  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  is isomorphic with  $V_1 \otimes V_2$  as  $\Delta(\mathcal{D}^*)$ -modules.*

DEFINITION 1.1. For any infinite dimensional admissible representation  $(\pi, V)$  of  $G$ , let  $L$  be the natural projection from  $V$  to  $V_{N,\Psi}$ . Let  $\xi_v$  be the function on  $\mathcal{D}^*$  defined by  $\xi_v(X) = L\left(\pi\left(\begin{pmatrix} X & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}\right)v\right)$ . Let  $\mathcal{K}(\pi)$  denote the space consisting of functions  $\xi_v$  for all  $v$  in  $V$ .  $\mathcal{K}(\pi)$  is called the Kirillov model of  $\pi$ .

The action of any element  $\begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ 0 & D \end{pmatrix}$  of  $P$  on  $\mathcal{K}(\pi)$  is easy to describe, which is

$$\pi\left(\begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ 0 & D \end{pmatrix}\right)\xi(X) = \Psi(D^{-1}XB)\pi_{N,\Psi}\left(\begin{pmatrix} D & 0 \\ 0 & D \end{pmatrix}\right)\xi(D^{-1}XA)$$

for all  $\xi$  in  $\mathcal{K}(\pi)$  and  $X$  in  $\mathcal{D}^*$ . From this formula, each  $V_{N,\Psi}$ -valued function  $\xi$  of  $\mathcal{K}(\pi)$  is locally constant on  $\mathcal{D}^*$  and vanishes outside some compact subset of  $\mathcal{D}$  because the stabilizer subgroup of  $\xi$  is open. The  $G$ -intertwining operator  $v \mapsto \xi_v$  is injective if  $(\pi, V)$  is irreducible. Prasad and Raghuram proved the following lemma [2, Theorem 3.1].

**Lemma 1.5.** *For an admissible representation  $\pi$ , the Kirillov model  $\mathcal{K}(\pi)$  contains the space  $C_c^\infty(\mathcal{D}^*, V_{N,\Psi})$ . Moreover, if  $\pi$  is a principal series representation,  $C_c^\infty(\mathcal{D}^*, V_{N,\Psi})$  is a proper subspace of  $\mathcal{K}(\pi)$ .*

## 2. Main results

**2.1. Asymptotic behavior of an element of a Kirillov model.** In this section, we study the Kirillov model of a principal series representation of  $GL_2(\mathcal{D})$ . Since  $\mathcal{D}^*$  is not always commutative, the irreducible representation of  $\mathcal{D}^*$  is not one-dimensional. However since  $\mathcal{D}^*$  is compact modulo the center  $F^*$ , the irreducible representation is finite-dimensional. Let  $(\pi_1, V_1), (\pi_2, V_2)$  be two irreducible representations of  $\mathcal{D}^*$ .

The element  $\xi_\varphi$  in the Kirillov model of  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  corresponding to  $\varphi$  is defined as

$$\xi_\varphi(X) = |X|^{1/2} \otimes \pi_2(X) \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \int_{v(Y)=n} \overline{\Psi(XY)} \varphi\left(w^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & Y \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}\right) dY.$$

This map  $\varphi \mapsto \xi_\varphi$  is a  $G$ -intertwining operator, but not always injective.

We introduce the functions  $\phi$  on  $\mathcal{D}$  such that  $\phi(X) = \varphi(w^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & X \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix})$ . Let  $\mathcal{F}(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  denote the space of such functions on  $\mathcal{D}$ . All functions  $\phi$  of  $\mathcal{F}(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  are locally constant on  $\mathcal{D}$  and  $|X|\pi_1(X) \otimes \pi_2(X^{-1})\phi(X)$  are constant vectors for  $|X|$  large. We define  $\hat{\phi}$  of  $\phi$  as

$$(1) \quad \hat{\phi}(X) = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \int_{\mathfrak{v}(Y)=n} \overline{\Psi(XY)}\phi(Y) dY.$$

$\hat{\phi}$  makes sense if this is regarded as a Fourier transform of  $\phi$  in the sense of distribution on  $C_c^\infty(\mathcal{D}^*)$ .

**Lemma 2.1.** *The map  $\varphi \mapsto \xi_\varphi$  is injective if and only if the map  $\phi \mapsto \hat{\phi}$  is injective.*

*Proof.* The map  $\varphi \mapsto \xi_\varphi$  is a composition of the maps  $\varphi \mapsto \phi$ ,  $\phi \mapsto \hat{\phi}$  and  $\hat{\phi} \mapsto \xi_\varphi$ . The map  $\hat{\phi} \mapsto \xi_\varphi$  is obviously isomorphic.

Since the big cell is dense in  $G$ ,  $\varphi$  is completely determined on  $G$  by the corresponding  $\phi$ . Hence the map  $\varphi \mapsto \phi$  is an isomorphism from  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  to  $\mathcal{F}(\pi_1, \pi_2)$ . □

As a consequence of this lemma, it is important to consider the map  $\phi \mapsto \hat{\phi}$ . We start to consider of the convergence of the series of (1).

**Lemma 2.2.** *The series of (1) converges and the function vanishes outside some compact subset of  $\mathcal{D}$ .*

*Proof.* It is clear that  $\mathcal{F}(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  is the direct sum of  $C_c^\infty(\mathcal{D}, V_1 \otimes V_2)$  and the subspace spanned by the functions

$$\phi_v(X) = \begin{cases} |X|^{-1}\pi_1(X^{-1}) \otimes \pi_2(X)v & \text{if } |X| \geq 1 \\ 0 & \text{if } |X| < 1 \end{cases}$$

for all  $v \in V_1 \otimes V_2$ . If  $\phi \in C_c^\infty(\mathcal{D}, V_1 \otimes V_2)$ ,  $\phi \mapsto \hat{\phi}$  is a usual Fourier transform and therefore the series converges on every compact subset of  $\mathcal{D}^*$ .

Before considering  $\phi_v$ , we give a filtration to  $V_1 \otimes V_2$ . We denote by  $f$  the minimal number such that  $\pi_1(X) \otimes \pi_2(Y)v = v$  for all  $v$  in  $V_1 \otimes V_2$  and  $X, Y$  in  $1 + \mathfrak{P}^f$ . Let

$$\begin{aligned} W'_f &= V_1 \otimes V_2, \\ W'_{i-1} &= \{v \in W'_i \mid \pi_1(X) \otimes \pi_2(Y)v = v \text{ (for all } X, Y \in 1 + \mathfrak{P}^{i-1})\} \quad \text{for } 2 \leq i \leq f, \\ W'_0 &= \{v \in W'_1 \mid \pi_1(X) \otimes \pi_2(Y)v = v \text{ (for all } X, Y \in \mathfrak{O}^*)\}. \end{aligned}$$

There exists an  $\mathfrak{D}^* \times \mathfrak{D}^*$ -invariant scalar product  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$  on  $V_1 \otimes V_2$ . Indeed, if we fix a scalar product  $(\cdot, \cdot)$  on  $V_1 \otimes V_2$ , then  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$  may be given by

$$\langle v, w \rangle = \int_{\mathfrak{D}^*} \int_{\mathfrak{D}^*} (\pi_1(X) \otimes \pi_2(Y)v, \pi_1(X) \otimes \pi_2(Y)w) d^*Y d^*X.$$

Let

$$W_i = \{v \in W'_i \mid \langle v, v' \rangle = 0 \text{ (for all } v' \in W'_{i-1})\},$$

for  $1 \leq i \leq f$  and  $W_0 = W'_0$ . Then  $V_1 \otimes V_2 = \bigoplus_{i=0}^f W_i$  and if  $i \neq j$ ,  $\langle v_i, v_j \rangle = 0$  for all  $v_i \in W_i$  and  $v_j \in W_j$ . Notice that if  $W_0$  is not  $\{0\}$ ,  $V_1 \otimes V_2$  is one-dimensional because all  $\pi_1(X) \otimes \pi_2(Y)$ ,  $X, Y \in \mathfrak{D}^*$ , are commutative with each other on  $W_0$ . If  $v_i$  is an element of  $W_i$ , then

$$\phi_{v_i}(X) = \begin{cases} |X|^{-1} \pi_1(X^{-1}) \otimes \pi_2(X)v_i & \text{if } |X| \geq 1 \\ 0 & \text{if } |X| < 1, \end{cases}$$

and  $\hat{\phi}_{v_i}$  is equal to

$$\sum_{n \leq 0} \int_{\mathfrak{v}(Y)=n} \overline{\Psi(XY)} \pi_1(Y^{-1}) \otimes \pi_2(Y)v_i d^*Y.$$

If  $i = 0$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\mathfrak{v}(Y)=n} \overline{\Psi(XY)} \pi_1(Y^{-1}) \otimes \pi_2(Y)v_0 d^*Y \\ &= \int_{\mathfrak{D}^*} \overline{\Psi(X\varpi^n Y)} \pi_1(Y^{-1}\varpi^{-n}) \otimes \pi_2(\varpi^n Y)v_0 d^*Y \\ &= \pi_1(\varpi^{-n}) \otimes \pi_2(\varpi^n)v_0 \int_{\mathfrak{D}^*} \overline{\Psi(X\varpi^n Y)} d^*Y \\ &= \pi_1(\varpi^{-n}) \otimes \pi_2(\varpi^n)v_0 \int_{\mathfrak{D}} (\overline{\Psi(X\varpi^n Y)} - |\varpi| \overline{\Psi(X\varpi^{n+1} Y)}) dY. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\Psi$  is trivial on  $\mathfrak{P}^{1-d}$ ,  $\int_{\mathfrak{D}} (\overline{\Psi(X\varpi^n Y)} - |\varpi| \overline{\Psi(X\varpi^{n+1} Y)}) dY \neq 0$  is equivalent to  $X\varpi^{n+1} \in \mathfrak{P}^{1-d}$ . Hence  $\hat{\phi}_{v_0}$  vanishes outside some compact subset of  $\mathfrak{D}$  and the series turns out to be a finite sum whenever  $\mathfrak{v}(X)$  is fixed.

Let  $i \neq 0$ . Since  $v_i \in W_i$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\mathfrak{v}(Y)=n} \overline{\Psi(XY)} \pi_1(Y^{-1}) \otimes \pi_2(Y)v_i d^*Y \\ &= \int_{\mathfrak{D}^*/1+\mathfrak{P}^i} \int_{1+\mathfrak{P}^i} \overline{\Psi(X\varpi^n AB)} \pi_1(B^{-1}A^{-1}\varpi^{-n}) \otimes \pi_2(\varpi^n AB)v_i d^*B d^*A \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int_{\mathcal{D}^*/1+\mathfrak{P}^i} \pi_1(A^{-1}\varpi^{-n}) \otimes \pi_2(\varpi^n A) \int_{1+\mathfrak{P}^i} \overline{\Psi(X\varpi^n AB)} v_i d^*B d^*A \\ &= \int_{\mathcal{D}^*/1+\mathfrak{P}^i} \overline{\Psi(X\varpi^n A)} \pi_1(A^{-1}\varpi^{-n}) \otimes \pi_2(\varpi^n A) v_i d^*A \int_{\mathfrak{P}^i} \overline{\Psi(X\varpi^n AB)} dB. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\Psi$  is trivial on  $\mathfrak{P}^{1-d}$ ,  $\int_{\mathfrak{P}^i} \overline{\Psi(X\varpi^n AB)} dB \neq 0$  is equivalent to  $X\varpi^n A \in \mathfrak{P}^{1-d}$ . Hence  $\hat{\phi}_{v_i}$  vanishes outside some compact subset of  $\mathcal{D}$  and the series turn out to be a finite sum whenever  $\mathfrak{v}(X)$  is fixed.

This completes the proof since any function in  $\mathcal{F}(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  can be written as a finite sum of the above functions. □

By this lemma the Kirillov model is realized as a certain space consisting of locally constant functions on  $\mathcal{D}^*$ .

REMARK 2.1. Raghuram also considered the convergence of the series (1) in [3] as follows. For  $\mathfrak{v}(X)$  large, let

$$A(X) = \sum_{n \leq \mathfrak{v}(X)} \int_{\mathfrak{v}(T)=n} \overline{\Psi(T)} (\pi_1(T^{-1}) \otimes \pi_2(T)) d^*T.$$

$A(X)$  is an element of  $\text{End}(V_1 \otimes V_2)$ . Then

$$\hat{\phi}_{\mathfrak{v}}(X) = (1 \otimes \pi_2(X)^{-1}) \cdot A(X) \cdot (\pi_1(X) \otimes 1)v$$

where the notations are the same as Lemma 2.2. He analyzed  $A(X)$  and proved that the defining series of  $A(X)$  is a finite sum.

Raghuram also calculated the asymptotic behavior of  $\hat{\phi}$  around 0 and obtained

$$\hat{\phi}(X) = (1 \otimes \pi_2(X^{-1})) \cdot A(X) \cdot (\pi_1(X) \otimes 1)v_1 + v_2$$

for  $|X|$  enough small. By the proof of Lemma (2.2), we can calculate  $A(X)$  more precisely.

Let  $\omega_i$  be the central characters of  $\pi_i$  for  $i = 1, 2$  and  $\omega = \omega_1 \cdot \omega_2^{-1}$ .

**Theorem 2.3.** *For each  $\phi \in \mathcal{F}(\pi_1, \pi_2)$ , there exist four vectors  $v_\alpha, v_\beta, v_\gamma, v_\delta$  in  $V_1 \otimes V_2$  such that*

$$(2) \quad \hat{\phi}(X) = \left( (1 \otimes \pi_2(X^{-1})) \cdot A_1 \cdot (\pi_1(X) \otimes 1) + \sum_{t=0}^{[m/d]} \omega(\varpi^{td}) A_2 + A_3(m) \right) v_\alpha + \pi_1(X) \otimes \pi_2(X^{-1})v_\beta + mv_\gamma + v_\delta$$



for  $X \in \mathfrak{P}^m$ ,  $X \notin \mathfrak{P}^{m+1}$  with  $m$  large. Here

$$\begin{aligned} A_1 &= \sum_{1-d-f \leq n \leq 1-d} \int_{\mathfrak{v}(Y)=n} \overline{\Psi(Y)} \pi_1(Y) \otimes \pi_2(Y^{-1}) d^*Y, \\ A_2 &= \sum_{1-d \leq n \leq 0} \int_{\mathfrak{v}(Y)=n} \pi_1(Y^{-1}) \otimes \pi_2(Y) d^*Y, \\ A_3(m) &= \sum_{1-d-m \leq n \leq -d-[m/d]d} \int_{\mathfrak{v}(Y)=n} \pi_1(Y^{-1}) \otimes \pi_2(Y) d^*Y, \end{aligned}$$

considered as elements of  $\text{End}(V_1 \otimes V_2)$ .

Proof. Similarly as in previous lemma, we start from the case  $\phi$  is in  $C_c^\infty(\mathcal{D}, V_1 \otimes V_2)$ . Since  $\phi \mapsto \hat{\phi}$  is Fourier transform, in some neighborhood of 0,  $\hat{\phi}(X)$  is a constant vector  $\int_{\mathcal{D}} \phi(Y) dY$ .

Let  $m = \mathfrak{v}(X)$  be enough large. From the proof of the previous lemma, we have

$$\hat{\phi}_v(X) = \sum_{-d-f-m \leq n \leq 0} \int_{\mathfrak{v}(Y)=n} \overline{\Psi(XY)} \pi_1(Y^{-1}) \otimes \pi_2(Y) v d^*Y$$

for  $v$  in  $V_1 \otimes V_2$ . If  $v_0$  is a non-zero element of  $W_0$ ,  $\pi_1$  and  $\pi_2$  are characters. Then,

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\phi}_{v_0}(X) &= \sum_{-d-m \leq n \leq 0} \int_{\mathfrak{v}(Y)=n} \overline{\Psi(XY)} \pi_1(Y^{-1}) \pi_2(Y) v_0 d^*Y \\ &= \sum_{-d-m \leq n \leq 0} \pi_1(\varpi^{-n}) \pi_2(\varpi^n) v_0 \int_{\mathcal{D}^*} \overline{\Psi(X\varpi^n Y)} d^*Y \\ &= \sum_{-d-m \leq n \leq 0} \pi_1(\varpi^{-n}) \pi_2(\varpi^n) v_0 \int_{\mathcal{D}} (\overline{\Psi(X\varpi^n Y)} - |\varpi| \overline{\Psi(X\varpi^{n+1} Y)}) dY. \end{aligned}$$

If we assume  $\pi_1(\varpi) \pi_2(\varpi^{-1}) \neq 1$ , since  $\Psi$  is trivial on  $\mathfrak{P}^{1-d}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\phi}_{v_0}(X) &= -|\varpi| \pi_1(\varpi^{d+m}) \pi_2(\varpi^{-d-m}) v_0 + (1 - |\varpi|) \sum_{1-d-m \leq n \leq 0} \pi_1(\varpi^{-n}) \pi_2(\varpi^n) v_0 \\ &= -\pi_1(X) \otimes \pi_2(X^{-1}) \\ &\quad \times \left( (1 - |\varpi|) \frac{\pi_1(\varpi^d) \otimes \pi_2(\varpi^{-d})}{1 - \pi_1(\varpi) \otimes \pi_2(\varpi^{-1})} + |\varpi| \pi_1(\varpi^d) \otimes \pi_2(\varpi^{-d}) \right) v_0 \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{1 - \pi_1(\varpi) \otimes \pi_2(\varpi^{-1})} v_0. \end{aligned}$$

The last is the behavior of  $\hat{\phi}_{v_0}$  around 0 in this case.

If we assume  $\pi_1(\varpi)\pi_2(\varpi^{-1}) = 1$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\phi}_{v_0}(X) &= -|\varpi|\pi_1(\varpi^{d+m})\pi_2(\varpi^{-d-m})v_0 + (1 - |\varpi|) \sum_{1-d-m \leq n \leq 0} \pi_1(\varpi^{-n})\pi_2(\varpi^n)v_0 \\ &= -|\varpi|v_0 + (1 - |\varpi|)(d + m)v_0 \\ &= m(1 - |\varpi|)v_0 + ((1 - |\varpi|)d - |\varpi|)v_0. \end{aligned}$$

The last is the behavior of  $\hat{\phi}_{v_0}$  around 0 in this case.

Next, we assume  $v_i$  is an element of  $W_i$  for  $i \neq 0$ . Since  $\Psi$  is trivial on  $\mathfrak{P}^{1-d}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\phi}_{v_i}(X) &= \sum_{1-d-f-m \leq n \leq -d-m} \int_{\mathfrak{v}(Y)=n} \overline{\Psi(XY)}\pi_1(Y^{-1}) \otimes \pi_2(Y)v_i d^*Y \\ &+ \sum_{1-d-m \leq n \leq 0} \int_{\mathfrak{v}(Y)=n} \pi_1(Y^{-1}) \otimes \pi_2(Y)v_i d^*Y \\ &= (1 \otimes \pi_2(X^{-1})) \\ &\times \left( \sum_{1-d-f \leq n \leq -d} \int_{\mathfrak{v}(Y)=n} \overline{\Psi(Y)}\pi_1(Y^{-1}) \otimes \pi_2(Y)d^*Y \right) (\pi_1(X) \otimes 1)v_i d^*Y \\ &+ \sum_{1-d-[m/d]d \leq n \leq 0} \int_{\mathfrak{v}(Y)=n} \pi_1(Y^{-1}) \otimes \pi_2(Y)v_i d^*Y \\ &+ \sum_{1-d-m \leq n \leq -d-[m/d]d} \int_{\mathfrak{v}(Y)=n} \pi_1(Y^{-1}) \otimes \pi_2(Y)v_i d^*Y \\ &= (1 \otimes \pi_2(X^{-1})) \cdot A_1 \cdot (\pi_1(X) \otimes 1)v_i \\ &+ \sum_{t=0}^{[m/d]} \omega(\varpi^{td}) \left( \sum_{1-d \leq n \leq 0} \int_{\mathfrak{v}(Y)=n} \pi_1(Y^{-1}) \otimes \pi_2(Y)v_i d^*Y \right) + A_3(m)v_i. \end{aligned}$$

Then the asymptotic behavior around 0 is

$$\hat{\phi}_{v_i}(X) = (1 \otimes \pi_2(X^{-1})) \cdot A_1 \cdot (\pi_1(X) \otimes 1)v_i + \sum_{t=0}^{[m/d]} \omega(\varpi^{td})A_2v_i + A_3(m)v_i$$

in this case.

Any function in  $\mathcal{F}(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  is a finite sum of above functions. Hence (2) is obtained.  $\square$

**2.2. Injectivity of the map to a Kirillov model.** Here we study the condition under when the map from  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  to its Kirillov model is injective. Since this map is  $G$ -intertwining,  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  is reducible if the map has non-zero kernel.

**Proposition 2.4.** *The mapping  $\phi \mapsto \hat{\phi}$  is injective unless there exists a non-zero subspace of  $V_1 \otimes V_2$  on which  $\pi_1(X) \otimes \pi_2(X^{-1})$  acts as  $|X|^{-1}$ , in which case its kernel is the set of constant vector-valued functions in  $\mathcal{F}(\pi_1, \pi_2)$ .*

*Proof.* We fix a basis of  $n$ -dimensional vector space  $V_1 \otimes V_2$ . Then,  $\hat{\phi}(X)$  is written as  $(\hat{\phi}_1(X), \dots, \hat{\phi}_n(X))$  and also  $\phi(X)$  is  $(\phi_1(X), \dots, \phi_n(X))$ , where each  $\hat{\phi}_i$  is the Fourier transform of  $\phi_i$ . If  $\hat{\phi}_i = 0$  on  $\mathcal{D}^*$ , the measure  $\hat{\phi}_i(X)dX$  is proportional to Dirac measure, which means  $\phi_i$  is a constant on  $\mathcal{D}$ . Hence  $\phi$  is a constant vector on  $\mathcal{D}$ . This happens if and only if there exists a non-zero subspace in  $V_1 \otimes V_2$  on which  $\pi_1(X) \otimes \pi_2(X^{-1})$  acts as  $|X|^{-1}$ .  $\square$

**Proposition 2.5.** *Let  $H$  be an arbitrary group,  $(\pi_1, V_1)$  and  $(\pi_2, V_2)$  finite dimensional irreducible representations of  $H$ , and  $\chi$  a one dimensional representation of  $H$ . There exists a non-zero element  $v$  of  $V_1 \otimes V_2$  such that  $\pi_1(X) \otimes \pi_2(X^{-1})v = \chi(X)v$  for all  $X \in H$  if and only if  $\pi_1 = \chi \cdot \pi_2$  and  $\dim V_1 = \dim V_2 = 1$ .*

*Proof.* We assume there exists a non-zero element  $v$  of  $V_1 \otimes V_2$  such that  $\pi_1(X) \otimes \pi_2(X^{-1})v = \chi(X)v$  for all  $X \in H$  and  $(\pi_1, V_1)$  and  $(\pi_2, V_2)$  are finite dimensional and irreducible. Notice that

$$\pi_1(X) \otimes 1v = \chi(X)(1 \otimes \pi_2(X))v.$$

Any element of  $V_1 \otimes V_2$  is written as

$$\sum_i a_i(\pi_1(Y_i) \otimes 1)v,$$

where the sum is finite,  $a_i \in \mathbb{C}^*$ , and  $Y_i \in H$ . For any element  $X$  of  $H$ , one has

$$\begin{aligned} & \pi_1(X) \otimes \pi_2(X^{-1}) \left( \sum_i a_i(\pi_1(Y_i) \otimes 1)v \right) \\ &= \sum_i a_i(1 \otimes \pi_2(X^{-1}))(\pi_1(XY_i) \otimes 1)v \\ &= \sum_i a_i(1 \otimes \pi_2(Y_i))(\pi_1(XY_i) \otimes \pi_2((XY_i)^{-1}))v \\ &= \sum_i a_i\chi(XY_i)(1 \otimes \pi_2(Y_i))v \\ &= \chi(X) \sum_i a_i(\pi_1(Y_i) \otimes 1)v. \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $\pi_1(X) \otimes \pi_2(X^{-1})$  acts on  $V_1 \otimes V_2$  as  $\chi(X)$ . Next we consider the action

of  $\pi_1(XY) \otimes 1$  on  $V_1 \otimes V_2$  for all  $X, Y \in H$ . If  $w$  is any element of  $V_1 \otimes V_2$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} (\pi_1(XY) \otimes 1)w &= \chi(Y)(\pi_1(X) \otimes \pi_2(Y))w \\ &= \chi(Y)(1 \otimes \pi_2(Y))(\pi_1(X) \otimes 1)w \\ &= (\pi_1(YX) \otimes 1)w. \end{aligned}$$

By Schur's lemma,  $\dim V_1 = 1$ . Similarly,  $\dim V_2 = 1$ .

The converse is obvious. □

These two propositions yield immediately the next theorem.

**Theorem 2.6.** *The map from an induced representation  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  to its Kirillov model is injective unless  $\pi_1 = | \cdot |^{-1} \cdot \pi_2$  and  $\dim V_1 = \dim V_2 = 1$ .*

By this theorem we obtain a sufficient condition for the reducibility of a principal series representation.

**Corollary 2.7.** *If  $\dim V_1 = \dim V_2 = 1$  and  $\pi_1 = | \cdot |^{\pm 1} \cdot \pi_2$ ,  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  is reducible.*

Proof. Since the map  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2) \ni \varphi \mapsto \xi_\varphi \in \mathcal{K}(\pi)$  is a  $G$ -intertwining operator, if this map is not injective,  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  is reducible. By Lemma 1.3, the map from  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)^\vee$  to its Kirillov model is not injective if  $\pi_1 = | \cdot | \cdot \pi_2$  and  $\dim V_1 = \dim V_2 = 1$ . □

Tadić obtained the irreducibility criterion of principal series representations of  $GL_n(\mathcal{D})$  when the characteristic of  $F$  is 0 by using theories of Langlands classification and Hopf algebras [4, Lemma 2.5 and 4.2]. The following theorem is a  $GL_2(\mathcal{D})$  case of the results of Tadić.

**Theorem 2.8** (Tadić). *When the characteristic of  $F$  is 0, the representation  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  is reducible if and only if  $\pi_1 = | \cdot |^{\pm 1} \pi_2$ .*

As a consequence of Corollary 2.7 and Theorem 2.8, if  $d \geq 2$  and the characteristic of  $F$  is 0, there exists a reducible principal series representation  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  such that the maps from  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  to  $\mathcal{K}(\pi)$  and from  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)^\vee$  to  $\mathcal{K}(\pi)^\vee$  are injective. If  $d = 1$ , i.e.  $\mathcal{D}$  is a commutative field, such representation  $V(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  does not exist [1, Theorem 6].

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