# Cut-and-Project Quasicrystals: Patch Frequency and Moduli Spaces

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# **DEFINITION:** DELONE SET

Let (X, d) be a metric space. A point set  $\Lambda \subset X$  is called **Delone** if

- $\Lambda$  is uniformly discrete  $\exists r > 0$  such that  $B_r(x) \cap \Lambda = \{x\}$  for all  $x \in \Lambda$
- $\Lambda$  is relatively dense  $\exists R > 0$  such that  $B_R(0) + \Lambda$  covers X.

A local criterion for regularity of a system of points.

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# THM(DELONE, DOLBILIN, SHTOGRIN, GALIULIN;'76)

Let  $\Lambda \subset \mathbb{R}^d$  be Delone. There exists  $T_0 > 0$  such that if all  $T_0$ -patches are equivalent up to isometry then there exists a lattice  $\Gamma < \text{lsom}(\mathbb{R}^d)$  and  $x \in \Lambda$  s.t.

$$\Lambda = \Gamma x.$$

Same paper:  $\mathbb{S}^n$ ,  $\mathbb{H}^n$ .

#### MEYER'S DEFINITION OF A QUASICRYSTAL

A Delone set  $\Lambda \subset \mathbb{R}^d$  is called Meyer if  $\Lambda - \Lambda \subset \Lambda + E$  for  $E \subset \mathbb{R}^d$  finite.

This generalizes lattices:

- If E is trivial,  $\Lambda$  is a lattice.
- $\Lambda$  is Meyer if and only if  $\Lambda$  and  $\Lambda \Lambda$  are Delone. (Lagarias)

# EMBEDDING THEOREM (MEYER '72)

Any Meyer set is a subset of a cut-and-project quasicrystal.

#### DEFINITION: CUT-AND-PROJECT SCHEME

The data  $(\mathcal{L}, \mathbb{R}^d, \mathbb{R}^m)$  defines a cut-and-project scheme if  $\mathcal{L}$  is a lattice in the group  $\mathbb{R}^d \times \mathbb{R}^m$   $\pi = \pi_{\mathbb{R}^d}, \pi_{int} = \pi_{\mathbb{R}^m}$  natural projections satisfy (I)  $\pi|_{\mathcal{L}}$  is injective (D)  $\pi_{int}(\mathcal{L})$  is dense in  $\mathbb{R}^m$ .

DEFINITION: WINDOW AND CUT-AND-PROJECT SETS

Window  $\mathcal{W} \subset \mathbb{R}^m$  bounded and define the cut-and-project set

$$\Lambda(\mathcal{W},\mathcal{L}) = \pi\left(\mathcal{L}\cap\left(\mathbb{R}^d\times\mathcal{W}\right)\right)$$

If  ${\mathcal W}$  has non-empty interior, call it cut-and-project quasicrystal. It is Meyer.

(**Regular**) boundary of  $\mathcal{W}$  has zero measure For any *T*-patch  $\mathcal{P} = \mathcal{P}(y, T) = \Lambda \cap B_T(y)$  define

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# THEOREM ON PATCH FREQUENCY ASYMPTOTICS

Fix d + m = n, d > 2. There exists  $\kappa > 0$  such that for a **random** cut-and-project quasicrystal  $\Lambda$  of  $(\mathcal{L}, \mathbb{R}^d, \mathbb{R}^m)$  of  $\mathbb{K}$ -type SL<sub>k</sub> or Sp<sub>k</sub> we have

 $\#\{x \in \Lambda \cap B_t(0) : \mathcal{P}(x, T) \sim_{\mathbb{R}^d} \mathcal{P}\} = \mathsf{freq}_{\Lambda}(\mathcal{P})t^d + \mathcal{O}(t^{d-\kappa}).$ 

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# CONSTRUCTION OF MARKLOF AND STRÖMBERGSSON

- $\Lambda = \Lambda(\mathcal{L}, \mathcal{W})$  cut-and-project quasicrystal of  $(\mathcal{L}, \mathbb{R}^d, \mathbb{R}^m)$
- Suppose L = gZ<sup>n</sup> ∈ X<sub>n</sub> = SL<sub>n</sub>(ℝ) / SL<sub>n</sub>(Z) for g ∈ SL<sub>n</sub>(ℝ) and consider SL<sub>d</sub>(ℝ) < SL<sub>n</sub>(ℝ) top-left block.
- $\overline{\operatorname{SL}_d(\mathbb{R})\mathcal{L}} = L'\mathcal{L}$  for some  $L' < \operatorname{SL}_n(\mathbb{R})$  (Ratner)

The space of quasicrystals associated to  $\ensuremath{\mathcal{L}}$ 

$$\mathfrak{Q} = \{\Lambda(y, \mathcal{W}) : y \in L'\mathcal{L}\}$$

with probability measure  $\mu_{\mathfrak{Q}}$  (push forward of  $m_{L'\mathcal{L}}$  under  $y \mapsto \Lambda(y, \mathcal{W})$ ).

MS actually consider  $ASL_d(\mathbb{R})$ -orbit closure. See also El-Baz for Adelic case.

For  $m_{\mathcal{L}'\mathcal{L}}$ -a.e. y defines a cut-and-project scheme i.e. it holds (I)  $\pi|_{\mathcal{L}}$  is injective (D)  $\pi_{int}(\mathcal{L})$  is dense in  $\mathbb{R}^m$ . The space of quasicrystals associated to  $\mathcal L$ 

$$\mathfrak{Q} = \{ \Lambda(y, \mathcal{W}) : y \in L'\mathcal{L} \} \subset \mathfrak{C}(\mathbb{R}^d)$$

where  $\mathfrak{C}(\mathbb{R}^d)$  is the space of closed sets on  $\mathbb{R}^d$  equipped with the Chaubauty-Fell metric,

$$d(\Lambda_0,\Lambda_1) = \max\left(1, \inf_{\varepsilon}\left(\Lambda_i \cap B_{\frac{1}{\varepsilon}}(0) \subset \Lambda_{1-i} + B_{\varepsilon}(0); \ i = 0, 1\right)\right)$$

# PROPOSITION

$$\Psi: X_n = \operatorname{SL}_n(\mathbb{R}) / \operatorname{SL}_n(\mathbb{Z}) \to \mathfrak{C}(\mathbb{R}^d), \quad \mathcal{L} \mapsto \Lambda(\mathcal{L}, \mathcal{W})$$

is Borel, and continuous when  $\pi_{int}(\mathcal{L}) \cap \partial \mathcal{W} = \emptyset$ .

# **Chabauty-Fell topology**

#### The space of quasicrystals associated to $\mathcal L$

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# SIEGEL-VEECH THEOREM OF MS14

If  $\mathcal W$  is regular then  $m_{L'\mathcal L}(\pi_{\mathrm{int}}(\mathcal L)\cap\partial\mathcal W
eq\emptyset)=0$ 

# COROLLARY

 $\mu_{\mathfrak{Q}} = \Psi_* m_{L'\mathcal{L}}$  is a Borel probability and  $\Psi_*$  is continuous at  $m_{L'\mathcal{L}}$ .

#### Solidarity Theorem

Suppose  $\mu$  on  $\mathfrak{C}(\mathbb{R}^d)$  is  $SL_d(\mathbb{R})$ -ergodic probability gives positive mass on cut and project sets with regular windows. Then  $\mu = \mu_{\mathfrak{Q}}$  for some  $\mathfrak{Q}$ . In particular, there is a single internal space and window that give rise to its support.

#### PROOF.

By the Howe-Moore Theorem,  $\mu$  is  $g_t$  ergodic ( $g_t$  one-parameter diagonalizable subgroup) By the Birkhoff Ergodic Theorem, for  $\mu$  a.e.  $\Lambda$ 

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By invariance of  $U = G_{g_t}^+$  and Fubini's theorem, a.e.  $\Lambda$ ,  $m_U$ -a.e.  $u \in U$ ,  $u.\Lambda$  is Birkhoff generic.

Hence for  $\Omega \subset U$  compact, non-empty interior

$$\frac{1}{T}\int_0^T\int_{\Omega}(g_t u)_*\delta_{\Lambda}dm_Udt \to \mu$$

### PROOF.

#### For $\mu$ -a.e. $\Lambda$

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Take such a generic  $\Lambda = \Lambda(\mathcal{L}_{\Lambda}, W) = c\Lambda(\mathcal{L}, \frac{1}{c}W)$  for some unimodular  $\mathcal{L} < \mathbb{R}^n$  and regular window  $W < \mathbb{R}^m$ . Consider the same ergodic average, but on  $SL_n(\mathbb{R})/SL_n(\mathbb{Z})$  replacing  $\Lambda$  with  $\mathcal{L}$ .

It converges to some homogeneous measure  $m_{L'\mathcal{L}}$  by a theorem of Shah!

Since any such  $m_{L'\mathcal{L}}$  is a continuity point for  $\Psi_*$  by previous corollary, also the original ergodic average converges to  $\Psi_*m_{L'\mathcal{L}}$ .

# THEOREM I

Write  $Y = \overline{SL_d(\mathbb{R})g SL_n(\mathbb{Z})} = L'\mathcal{L} = gLSL_n(\mathbb{Z})$ . Then *L* is isogeneous to the real points of an almost  $\mathbb{Q}$ -simple linear algebraic group  $\mathbb{L}$ .

#### THEOREM II

 $\mathbb{L}$  is isogeneous (over  $\mathbb{C}$ ) to either a product of  $SL_k(\mathbb{C})$ s or  $Sp_k(\mathbb{C})$ s.

#### WHAT WE REALLY NEED

What  $\mathbb{Q}$ -groups do really appear? For the remainder of this talk:  $\mathbb{L} = \operatorname{Res}_{\mathbb{K}|\mathbb{Q}}(SL_d)$  (I)  $\pi|_{\mathcal{L}}$  is injective (D)  $\pi_{int}(\mathcal{L})$  is dense in  $\mathbb{R}^m$ .

# (I) AND (D) IMPLIES (L) LEMMA

A vector space  $V < \mathbb{R}^n$  is called  $\mathcal{L}$ -rational if  $V \cap \mathcal{L}$  is a lattice in V.

The following implications hold.

a. (D)  $\Rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d$  is not contained in a proper  $\mathcal{L}$ -rational subspace. b. (I)  $\Rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$  contains no non-trivial  $\mathcal{L}$ -rational subspace.

Define

- (irred) There exists no proper  $\mathcal{L}$ -rational subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^n$  that is  $SL_d(\mathbb{R})$ -invariant
  - $\mathfrak{c}$ . (I) and (D)  $\Rightarrow$  (irred).

- Shah '91: L minimal Q-group generated by unipotents containing H' = g<sup>-1</sup> SL<sub>d</sub>(ℝ)g
- L is semi-simple: Let U denote the (unipotent) radical of L.
   By Shah it is also defined over Q.
- V<sup>U</sup> is a rational subspace by Zariski density of U(Q). Cannot be by previous lemma, so it must be trivial.
- Since U unipotent it does have an invariant subspace, so it U must be trivial.

- Decompose L into Q-simple factors T<sub>j</sub> which we further split in R-simple factors S<sub>j</sub>.
- Need to show that  $H' = g^{-1} \operatorname{SL}_d(\mathbb{R})g < S_i = \mathbb{S}_i(\mathbb{R})$  for some *i*.
- Decompose  $\mathbb{R}^n$  into irreducible representations of H', i.e.  $\mathbb{R}^n = g^{-1}\mathbb{R}^d \oplus g^{-1}\mathbb{R}^m$ .
- Project H' to  $S_j$ , call it  $H'_j$ .  $\mathcal{I} = \{i : H'_i \neq e\}$ . Let  $L_{H'} = \prod_{i \in \mathcal{I}} S_i$ . Contains H'.
- Let  $V_i$  isotypical reps of  $L_{H'}$ , assume  $g^{-1}\mathbb{R}^d < V_1$ . Then H' is inside intersection of kernels of  $L_{H'}|_{V>1}$ .
- Intersection of these kernels is a normal subgroup of  $L_{H'}$ hence equal to some subproduct of  $S_i$ ,  $i \in \mathcal{I}$ , contains H', so it is all of  $L_{H'}$ . Hence  $V_{>1}$  trivial rep.

# $\overline{\mathsf{SL}_d(\mathbb{R})g\,\mathsf{SL}_n(\mathbb{Z})} = L'\mathcal{L} = g\mathbb{L}(\mathbb{R})\,\mathsf{SL}_n(\mathbb{Z}).$ Claim: $\mathbb{L}$ is $\mathbb{Q}$ -simple

- Need to show that  $H' = g^{-1} \operatorname{SL}_d(\mathbb{R})g < S_i = \mathbb{S}_i(\mathbb{R})$  for some *i*. So far:  $\mathbb{R}^n = V_1 \oplus W$  where *W* trivial rep of  $L_{H'}$  and  $g^{-1}\mathbb{R}^d < V_1$ .
- $H'_i = \pi_{S_i}(H')$ ,  $H'_i$  also preserve  $g^{-1}\mathbb{R}^d$  (argument using regular elements  $h = \prod h_i$ ).
- Assume  $h_1 \in H'_2$  action on  $g^{-1}\mathbb{R}^d$  non-trivial, take some  $h_1$ -invariant proper subspace V'' of  $g^{-1}\mathbb{R}^d$ .
- Since H'<sub>>1</sub>-invariant, must be trivial w.r.t H'<sub>>1</sub> ≃ SL<sub>d</sub>(ℝ). Use here that: 1) simplicity 2) classification of reps of SL<sub>d</sub>(ℝ)
  3) and that dim of V'' is < d.</li>
- Get non trivial kernels in  $S_{>1}$ , so kernels equal to  $S_j$  and  $S_j$  act trivally on V'' and hence on  $V''' = \text{span}(S_1V'')$ .
- So V''' is  $L_{H'}$ -invariant. But note that since  $H' < L_{H'}$ ,  $L_{H'}$  acts irred on  $V_1$ , hence  $V_1 = V'''$ .

• Hence  $S_{>1}$  acts trivial on  $V_1$ , hence on  $\mathbb{R}^n$  by previous slide. Hence  $S_{>1}$  didn't exist in the first place (definition if  $\mathcal{I}$ ), and  $H' < S_1$ .

# THEOREM (TAMAGAWA)

If  $\mathbb{L}$  is almost  $\mathbb{Q}$ -simple and simply connected, there exists a field  $\mathbb{K}$  and an absolutely almost simple simply connected group  $\mathbb{G}$  defined over  $\mathbb{K}$  such that  $\mathbb{L} \simeq_{\mathbb{Q}} \operatorname{Res}_{\mathbb{K}/\mathbb{Q}}(\mathbb{G})$ .

THEOREM (MORRIS-WITTE IN APPENDIX OF SOLOMON-WEISS '14)

If  $\mathbb{G}$  as above contains a conjugate of the top left  $SL_d(\mathbb{C})$  then  $\mathbb{G}$  is either of type  $A_k$  or  $C_k$ .

Let  $\mathbb{K}$  be a number field. Let  $\mathbb{G}$  be a  $\mathbb{K}$ -group. Then there is a  $\mathbb{Q}$ -group  $\operatorname{Res}_{\mathbb{K}|\mathbb{Q}}(\mathbb{G})$  such that if  $\sigma_i : \mathbb{K} \to \mathbb{C}$  fields embeddings then

$$\mathsf{Res}_{\mathbb{K}|\mathbb{Q}}(\mathbb{G})(\mathbb{Q}) = \{\sigma_1(g), \dots, \sigma_d(g) : g \in \mathbb{G}(\mathbb{K})\}$$

(similarly, with  $\mathbb{Z}$  and  $\mathcal{O}$  replacing  $\mathbb{Q}$  resp.  $\mathbb{K}$ ) For any field  $\mathbb{K}'$  containing all  $\sigma_i(\mathbb{K})$ ,

$$\mathsf{Res}_{\mathbb{K}|\mathbb{Q}}(\mathbb{G})(\mathbb{K}') = \prod \mathbb{G}^{\sigma_i}(\mathbb{K}').$$

Concretely, 
$$\mathbb{K} = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{2})$$
,  $\mathbb{G} = SL_2(\mathbb{C})$ .  
 $\mathbb{K}$  is a  $\mathbb{Q}$  vectorspace. In fact algebra.  
 $\phi: a + b\sqrt{2} \mapsto \begin{bmatrix} a & 2b \\ b & a \end{bmatrix} \in Mat_2(\mathbb{Q})$   
 $AD - BC = 1 \quad \begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{bmatrix} \mapsto \begin{bmatrix} \phi(A) & \phi(B) \\ \phi(C) & \phi(D) \end{bmatrix} \in SL_4(\mathbb{C})$   
Image of  $\phi$  can be simulatenously diagonalized (over  $\mathbb{K}$ ),  $\phi(z)$  has  
Eigenvalues  $z = \sigma_1(z)$ ,  $\overline{z} = \sigma_2(z)$ .

Applying this diagonalization, and a permutation matrix,

$$\begin{bmatrix} \phi(A) & \phi(B) \\ \phi(C) & \phi(D) \end{bmatrix} \mapsto \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_1(A) & \sigma_1(B) & & \\ \sigma_1(C) & \sigma_1(D) & & \\ & & \sigma_2(A) & \sigma_2(B) \\ & & & \sigma_2(C) & \sigma_2(D) \end{bmatrix} \in \mathsf{SL}_2^{\sigma_1}(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathsf{SL}_2^{\sigma_2}(\mathbb{C})$$

- Field embeddings  $\sigma_i : \mathbb{K} \to \mathbb{R}$ , extend to  $\mathbb{K}^k \to \mathbb{R}^k$ .

• 
$$\mathcal{L} = \{(\sigma_1(v), \dots, \sigma_D(v)) : v \in \mathcal{O}^k\} < \mathbb{R}^{Dk}$$
 lattice

# EXAMPLE: VERTICES OF AMMANN-BEENKER TILING

$$\begin{split} \mathbb{K} &= \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{2}), \ k = 2 \ \text{then consider} \\ \{(\sigma_1(v), \sigma_2(v)) : v \in \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{2}]^2\} < \mathbb{R}^4 \ \text{with basis} \\ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \sqrt{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \sqrt{2} \\ 1 & 0 & -\sqrt{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -\sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix} \\ \text{Ammann-Beenker: } \mathcal{L} \ \text{finite index sublattice of above (s.t.} \\ v_1 - v_2 \in \sqrt{2}\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{2}]). \\ d = m = 2 \\ \mathcal{W} = \text{Octagon.} \end{split}$$

See Baake-Grimm or Hammarhjelm.

# Ammann - Beenker

Demo

 $f \in C_c(\mathbb{R}^d)$ . Define the Siegel-Veech transform, for  $\Lambda \in \mathfrak{Q}$ ,

$$\hat{f}(\Lambda) = \sum_{v \in \Lambda - \{0\}} f(v)$$

SIEGEL-VEECH FORMULA, MS 2014

$$\mu_{\mathfrak{Q}}(\hat{f}) = cm_{\mathbb{R}^d}(f)$$

Reduces to Siegel formula on (sub-)space of lattices, applied to  $f \times \mathbb{1}_{\mathcal{W}}$ 



• 
$$\mathbb{K}_{S} = \prod \mathbb{K}_{|\cdot|_{\sigma_{i}}} = \prod \mathbb{R} = \mathbb{R}^{D}$$

- $\mathcal{O}^d = \mathcal{L}_{\mathcal{O}} < \mathbb{K}^d_S$  lattice embedded via  $v \mapsto (\sigma_1(v), \dots, \sigma_D(v))$
- $G = SL_d(\mathbb{K}_S) = SL_d(\mathbb{R})^D$ ,  $\Gamma = \Gamma_{\mathcal{O}} = SL_d(\mathcal{O}) < G$ , embedded via  $\gamma \mapsto (\sigma_1(\gamma), \ldots, \gamma_D(\gamma))$ .

#### GOAL: ROGER TYPE BOUNDS

Suppose 
$$f \in C_c(\mathbb{R}^d)$$
,  $\Lambda \in \mathfrak{Q} = \Psi(G/\Gamma) = \{\Lambda(\mathcal{L}, \mathcal{W}) : \mathcal{L} \in G.\mathcal{O}^d\}$ ,  
 $\mu_{\mathfrak{Q}} = \Psi_* m_{G/\Gamma}$  then  $\mu_{\mathfrak{Q}}(\widehat{f}^2) = m_{\mathbb{R}^d}(f)^2 + \mathcal{O}(m_{\mathbb{R}^d}(f))$ .

What I will prove: If  $f = f_1 \cdots \times f_D : \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}$  characteristic function and  $\hat{f}$  Siegel transform on  $\mathbb{R}^n$  as usual then

$$m_{G/\Gamma}(\widehat{f}^2) = m_{\mathbb{R}^n}(f)^2 + \mathcal{O}(m_{\mathbb{R}^n}(f)).$$

# INTEGRABILITY

$$\hat{f} \in L^{d+\varepsilon}(m_{G/\Gamma}).$$

This is strict.

Eskin-Margulis-Mozes '99 for  $\mathbb{K} = \mathbb{Q}$ .

# **Integrability of Siegel Transform**

#### INTEGRABILITY

If  $f \in C_c(\mathbb{R}^{dD=n})$ , then

$$\hat{f} \in L^{d+\varepsilon}(m_{\mathsf{SL}_d(\mathbb{K}_S)/\Gamma_\mathcal{O}})$$

where  $\mathsf{SL}_d(\mathbb{K}_S) = \mathsf{SL}_d(\mathbb{R})^D$  and  $\Gamma_{\mathcal{O}} = \{(\sigma_1(\gamma), \dots, \sigma_d(\gamma)) : \gamma \in \mathsf{SL}_d(\mathcal{O})\}.$ 

#### PROOF.

- Define  $\alpha(\mathcal{L}) = \max (\operatorname{covol}(\mathcal{L}')^{-1} : \mathcal{L}' < \mathcal{L})$ . Then  $\hat{f} \ll \alpha$ .
- If  $\mathcal{L} = g\mathbb{Z}^n = kan\mathbb{Z}^n$ , then  $\alpha(\mathcal{L}) \ll \alpha(a\mathbb{Z}^n)$  where  $a = \text{diag}(a_1, \ldots, a_n)$  (via Siegel domain) or, if  $\lambda_i$  Minkowski's successive minima, then  $\alpha(\mathcal{L}) \asymp \lambda_1 \cdots \cdots \lambda_{i_0}$ , where  $i_0$  last index such that  $\lambda_{i_0} < 1$ .

• Denote  $A_d$  diagonal matrices in  $SL_d(\mathbb{R})$ 

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- Haar measure on  $SL_d(\mathbb{R})$  in  $KA_dN$  coordinates given by  $dg = dk \ da \ \rho(a) \ dn$ where  $\rho(a) = |\det Ad(a)|_{\mathfrak{n}}| = \prod_{i < j} \frac{a_i}{a_j}$ and  $da = \prod_{i=1}^{d-1} \frac{da_i}{a_i}$
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- $\Gamma_{\mathcal{O}}$  stabilizer of the lattice  $\mathcal{L}_{\mathcal{O}} = \{\sigma_1(v), \dots, \sigma_D(v) : v \in \mathcal{O}^d\}.$
- Upper unipotents of  $\Gamma_{\mathcal{O}}$  (uniform) lattice in upper unipotents of  $\mathsf{SL}_d(\mathbb{R})^D$
- By Minkowksi successive minima + Gram Schmidt g = kan with, a<sub>i</sub> ≈ λ<sub>i</sub>(aL<sub>O</sub>), a<sub>i+1</sub>/a<sub>i</sub> ≫ 1 in each each SL<sub>d</sub>(ℝ) block (so i = jd.....(j + 1)d − 1).
- Have units in O, hence have non-compact diagonal subgroup in Γ<sub>O</sub>. Can find u ∈ O<sup>×</sup> such that for any z ∈ K, |σ<sub>i</sub>(zu)| ≍ N(z)<sup>1/D</sup>
- Can be used to find  $\gamma \in \Gamma_{\mathcal{O}}$  such that for any  $a \in A_d^D, a\gamma$  has  $(a\gamma)_{jd} \asymp (a\gamma)_{1d}$  for  $j = 1 \dots D$

- In summery: Instead of integrating over *D*-fold product of (*A<sub>d</sub>*)<sub>c</sub> = { <sup>*a<sub>i+1</sub>*/<sub>*a<sub>i</sub>*</sub> ≥ *c*}, only need to integerate over **one** (*A<sub>d</sub>*)<sub>c</sub> and *D* − 1 many compact neighborhoods of identity in *A<sub>d</sub>*.
  </sup>
- Have now explicit formula of integrand and measure, so an explicit calculation (identically to EMM99) remains, giving same integrability exponent as Z case.

- The probabilistic almost all counting result uses bounds on second moments (Borel-Cantelli)
- This is given by Rogers type formula:

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ROGER TYPE FORMULA
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Suppose  $h \in C_c(\mathbb{R}^{pn})$ .

$${}^{\mathcal{P}}\widehat{h}(\mathcal{L}) = \sum_{v_1,\ldots,v_p} h(v_1,\ldots,v_p)$$

If  ${}^p\widehat{h}(\mathcal{L}) \in L^1(\mu)$  for  $\mu$  *L*-invariant homogeneous measure

$$\mu({}^{p}\widehat{h}) = \sum \tau_{i}(h)$$

where  $\tau_i$  are Lebesgue measures supported on *L*-orbits on  $\mathbb{R}^{pn}$ , and hence Lebesgue on some some hyperplane.

- Riesz representation Theorem (directly from integrability)
- Unfolding a la Weil (Something to check: finite volume)

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Rogers:  $\mu = m_{X_n}$ , n > 2. Macbeath-R Determines what *exactly* the  $\tau_i$  are Generalizations by Yu, Kelmer-Yu, Ghosh-KY, Han to other groups, congruence lattice, *S*-adics... For application suffices to get bound on volume growth. Schmidt n = 2. See Kleinbock-Skenderi "Rogers type groups"

### ROGER TYPE FORMULA

Suppose  $h \in C_c(\mathbb{R}^{pn})$ .

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Get useful moment bounds for Siegel transform of  $f \in C_c(\mathbb{R}^n)$ :  $\mu(\hat{f}^p) = m_{\mathbb{R}^n}(f)^p + \tau_{rest}(f^{\otimes p})$  with  $\tau_{rest}$  lower order volume growth.

# Weil Unfolding

Let  $G_1 \subset G_2$  unimodular,  $\Gamma_2 \subset G_2$  lattice,  $\Gamma_1 = \Gamma_2 \cap G_1$ , and for any  $\gamma \in \Gamma_2$ , denote its coset  $\gamma \Gamma_1 \in \Gamma_2 / \Gamma_1$  by  $[\gamma]$ .

#### Weil Unfolding Theorem

Assume that  $\Gamma_1$  is a lattice in  $G_1$ . For any  $F \in L^1(G_2/G_1, m_{G_2/G_1})$ , define

$$ilde{F}(g\Gamma_2) = \sum_{[\gamma]\in \Gamma_2/\Gamma_1} F(g\gamma).$$

Then  $ilde{F} \in L^1(G_2/\Gamma_2, m_{G_2/\Gamma_2})$  and

$$\int_{G_2/\Gamma_2} \tilde{F} \, dm_{G_2/\Gamma_2} = \int_{G_2/G_1} F \, dm_{G_2/G_1}$$

 $G = G_2$ .  $G_1 = \operatorname{Stab}(v, w)$ , for  $(v, w) \in \mathcal{O}^{2d}$ .

In more detail:  $m_{\mathsf{SL}_d(\mathbb{R})^D/\Gamma_{\mathcal{O}}}(\widehat{f}^2) = \sum \tau_i(f \otimes f) = m_{\mathbb{R}^{Dd}}(f)^2 + \mathcal{O}(m_{\mathbb{R}^{Dd}}(f))$ 

- Decompose pairs of vectors  $\{(v, w) \in \mathcal{O}^d \times \mathcal{O}^d\}$  in  $SL_d(\mathcal{O})$ -orbits.
- Sum over these single orbits correspond to "primitive Siegel transform"
- Unfolding identifies this discrete measure with measure on  $SL_d(\mathbb{R})^D$  modulo stabilizer of (v, w)
- Three types: w = 0,  $v \in \mathbb{K}^{\times} w$ , linear independent
- SL<sub>d</sub>(K) < SL<sub>d</sub>(K<sub>S</sub>) = SL<sub>d</sub>(R)<sup>D</sup> transitive on linear independent vectors of O<sup>d</sup> < R<sup>dD</sup>. This is the main term, corresponding to τ<sub>i</sub> = τ<sub>main</sub> = m<sub>R<sup>2dD</sup></sub> stab(v, w) = SL<sub>d-2</sub>(K<sub>S</sub>) × K<sub>S</sub><sup>2(d-2)</sup> up to a conjugation in SL<sub>d</sub>(K). (namely, by some matrix having (v, w) as first two column vectors) Intersects SL<sub>d</sub>(O) in a lattice. So Weil applies.

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- Other orbits (av, bv), for  $a, b \in \mathbb{K}$ .
- Plugging in (product) balls, can calculate explicitely when integrating against "*dv*" since correlation of two scaled balls is again a ball.
- Can move to general functions by using Rogers / Brasscamp-Lieb-Luttinger symmetrization formula (see discussions in Skenderi)
- Alternatively, do a trick of Schmidt f(x)f(<sup>a</sup>/<sub>b</sub>x) ≤ f(<sup>a</sup>/<sub>b</sub>x) for f characteristic function.
- In any case, need some care of showing ∑ c<sub>i</sub> < ∞ (follows from integrability, i.e. the abstract Rogers formula).</li>
- Caveat: *f* must be a product function *f*<sub>1</sub>...*f*<sub>D</sub> resp. get Roger type bound only for the RMS measure, not general homogenous orbit.

# THEOREM (ROGERS, BRASCAMP-LIEB-LUTTINGER])

Suppose  $f_j : \mathbb{R}^d \to \mathbb{R}$ ,  $j = 1, ..., \ell$  are nonnegative, and  $\{a_{jm}\}$  an  $\ell \times r$ -matrix. Then

$$\int_{(\mathbb{R}^d)^r} f_1(\sum a_{1m} x_m) \dots f_\ell(\sum a_{\ell m} x_m) dm_{\mathbb{R}^d}(x_1) \dots dm_{\mathbb{R}^d}(x_r)$$

$$\leq \int_{(\mathbb{R}^d)^r} f_1^*(\sum a_{1m}x_m) \dots f_\ell^*(\sum a_{\ell m}x_m) dm_{\mathbb{R}^d}(x_1) \dots dm_{\mathbb{R}^d}(x_r)$$

where given a function  $f : \mathbb{R}^d \to \mathbb{R}$ , the function  $f^* : \mathbb{R}^d \to is$  the symmetric decreasing rearrangement, i.e. if  $f = \mathbb{1}_A$  then  $f^* = \mathbb{1}_{B_r(0)}$  where  $|A| = |B_r(0)|$ 



- Up to conjugation in  $SL_d(\mathbb{K})$ , stabilizer of  $SL_d(\mathbb{K}_S)$  at  $(av, bv), v \in \mathcal{O}^d, a, b \in \mathbb{K}$  is  $SL_{d-1}(\mathbb{K}_S) \ltimes \mathbb{K}_S^{d-1}$
- SL<sub>d</sub>(K<sub>S</sub>)-orbit at e = (av, bv) in K<sup>2d</sup><sub>S</sub> is a (K-rationally) skewed K<sup>d</sup><sub>S</sub> with Lebesgue measure being a multiple c<sub>e</sub> of a push-forward of a fixed Haar measure (×a, ×b)<sub>\*</sub>m<sub>K<sup>d</sup><sub>c</sub></sub>

• 
$$\tau_{\text{rest}}(f \otimes f) = \sum_{e} c_{e}(\times a, \times b)_{*} m_{\mathbb{K}_{S}^{d}}(f \otimes f)$$

• 
$$(\times a, \times b)_* m_{\mathbb{K}^d_S}(f \otimes f) = \int f(aw) f(bw) dm_{\mathbb{K}^d_S}(w)$$

$$= \int_{\mathbb{R}^{dD}} f_1(\sigma_1(a)x_1) \dots f_D(\sigma_D(a)x_D) f_1(\sigma_1(b)x_1) \dots f_D(\sigma_d(b)x_D)$$

$$dm_{\mathbb{R}^d}(x_1)\ldots dm_{\mathbb{R}^d}(x_D)$$

• Apply symmetrization to  $\ell = 2D$ , r = D



• By the previous, if  $f = \prod \mathbb{1}_{A_i}$ ,  $|A_i| = V_i = |B_{r_i}(0)|$ 

 $au_{\mathsf{rest}}(f\otimes f)$ 

$$\leq \sum_{\mathfrak{e}} c_{\mathfrak{e}} \int_{\mathbb{R}^{dD}} \prod \mathbb{1}_{B_{r_i}(0)} (\sigma_i(a) x_i) \mathbb{1}_{B_{r_i}(0)} (\sigma_i(b) x_i) dm_{\mathbb{R}^d}(x_i)$$
$$= \sum c_{\mathfrak{e}} \prod \max(|\sigma_i(a)|, |\sigma_i(b)|)^{-d} V_i = c_{\mathsf{rest}} m_{\mathbb{K}^d_S}(f)$$

•  $c_{\text{rest}} < \infty$  since the inequality  $\leq$  is equality if f is a product of balls, and  $\tau_{\text{rest}}(f \otimes f) < \infty$ 

- Got Rogers bound for "product sets "  $A_1 \times \ldots A_D$
- This suffices for the application, which needs  $A \times \mathcal{W}$  where  $|A| \to \infty$ .
- Indeed, take A<sub>2</sub> × · · · × A<sub>D</sub> ⊃ W to dominate in τ<sub>rest</sub>. These are fixed, hence absorbed into the constant.