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# WACH MODULES AND IWASAWA THEORY FOR MODULAR FORMS

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**ABSTRACT.** We define a family of Coleman maps for positive crystalline  $p$ -adic representations of the absolute Galois group of  $\mathbb{Q}_p$  using the theory of Wach modules. Let  $f = \sum a_n q^n$  be a normalized new eigenform and  $p$  an odd prime at which  $f$  is either good ordinary or supersingular. By applying our theory to the  $p$ -adic representation associated to  $f$ , we define Coleman maps  $\text{Col}_i$  for  $i = 1, 2$  with values in  $\overline{\mathbb{Q}_p} \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \Lambda$ , where  $\Lambda$  is the Iwasawa algebra of  $\mathbb{Z}_p^\times$ . Applying these maps to the Kato zeta elements gives a decomposition of the (generally unbounded)  $p$ -adic  $L$ -functions of  $f$  into linear combinations of two power series of bounded coefficients, generalizing works of Pollack (in the case  $a_p = 0$ ) and Sprung (when  $f$  corresponds to a supersingular elliptic curve). Using ideas of Kobayashi for elliptic curves which are supersingular at  $p$ , we associate to each of these power series a  $\Lambda$ -cotorsion Selmer group. This allows us to formulate a “main conjecture”. Under some technical conditions, we prove one inclusion of the “main conjecture” and show that the reverse inclusion is equivalent to Kato’s main conjecture.

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

**1.1. Background.** Let  $E$  be an elliptic curve defined over  $\mathbb{Q}$  which has good ordinary reduction at the prime  $p$ . In [MSD74], Mazur and Swinnerton-Dyer constructed a  $p$ -adic  $L$ -function,  $\tilde{L}_{p,E}$ , which interpolates complex  $L$ -values of  $E$ . Let  $\mathbb{Q}_\infty = \mathbb{Q}(\mu_{p^\infty})$ . If  $G_\infty$  denotes the Galois group of  $\mathbb{Q}_\infty$  over  $\mathbb{Q}$ , then  $\tilde{L}_{p,E}$  is an element of  $\Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(G_\infty) = \mathbb{Q} \otimes \mathbb{Z}_p[[G_\infty]]$ . It is conjectured that  $\tilde{L}_{p,E}$  is in fact an element of the Iwasawa algebra  $\Lambda(G_\infty) = \mathbb{Z}_p[[G_\infty]]$ .

Recall that the  $p$ -Selmer group of  $E$  over any finite extension  $F$  of  $\mathbb{Q}$  is defined as

$$\mathrm{Sel}_p(E/F) = \ker \left( H^1(F, E_{p^\infty}) \longrightarrow \prod_v \frac{H^1(F_v, E_{p^\infty})}{E(F_v) \otimes \mathbb{Q}_p/\mathbb{Z}_p} \right),$$

where the product is taken over all places of  $F$ . If we let  $\mathrm{Sel}_p(E/\mathbb{Q}_\infty) = \varinjlim_n \mathrm{Sel}_p(E/\mathbb{Q}(\mu_{p^n}))$ , then  $\mathrm{Sel}_p(E/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)$  is equipped with an action of  $G_\infty$  which extends to an action of the Iwasawa algebra. It is not difficult to show that the Pontryagin dual  $\mathrm{Sel}_p(E/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)^\vee$  is finitely generated over  $\Lambda(G_\infty)$ , and a theorem of Kato-Rohrlich (conjectured by Mazur) states that it is in fact  $\Lambda(G_\infty)$ -torsion. We can therefore associate to it a characteristic ideal for each  $\Delta$ -isotypical component, where  $\Delta$  is the torsion subgroup of  $G_\infty$ , and the main conjecture of cyclotomic Iwasawa theory for  $E$  predicts that this ideal is generated by the corresponding isotypical component of  $\tilde{L}_{p,E}$ .

The construction of  $p$ -adic  $L$ -functions has been generalized to more general primes and modular forms in [AV75, Viš76]. If  $f = \sum a_n q^n$  is a normalized new eigenform of weight  $k \geq 2$ , level  $N$  and character  $\epsilon$ ,  $p \nmid N$ , then there exists a  $p$ -adic  $L$ -function  $\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha}$ , for any root  $\alpha$  of  $X^2 - a_p X + \epsilon(p)p^{k-1}$  such that  $v_p(\alpha) < k-1$ , interpolating complex  $L$ -values of  $f$ . Perrin-Riou [PR95] and Kato [Kat93] have established theories of  $p$ -adic  $L$ -functions for a wide class of  $p$ -adic Galois representations and formulated respective Iwasawa main conjectures. When the representation corresponds to a modular form, these main conjectures have been reformulated by Kato [Kat04] using the theory of Euler systems. If  $f$  is good ordinary at  $p$  (in other words,  $p \nmid N$  and  $a_p$  is a  $p$ -adic unit) and  $\alpha$  is the unique unit root, then  $\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha}$  is an element of  $\Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(G_\infty)$ . At a  $\Delta$ -isotypical component, the main conjecture is equivalent to asserting that  $\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha}$  generates the characteristic ideal of  $\mathrm{Sel}_p(f/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)^\vee$ . In *op.cit.*, Kato has shown that  $\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha}$  is contained in the characteristic ideal of  $\mathrm{Sel}_p(f/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)^\vee$  under some technical assumptions; his proof relies on the construction of certain zeta elements (which we will refer to as *Kato zeta elements*).

When  $f$  is supersingular at  $p$  (by which we mean  $p \nmid N$  and  $a_p$  is not a  $p$ -adic unit), two problems arise: on the one hand, the  $p$ -adic  $L$ -functions of Amice-Vélu and Vishik are no longer elements of  $\Lambda(G_\infty)$ , but they lie in the algebra  $\mathcal{H}(G_\infty)$  of distributions on  $G_\infty$ , and on the other hand,  $\mathrm{Sel}_p(f/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)^\vee$  is no longer  $\Lambda(G_\infty)$ -torsion. Perrin-Riou's (and hence Kato's) main conjecture can therefore not be translated into a statement relating  $\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha}$  and  $\mathrm{Sel}_p(f/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)$  as in the ordinary case. When  $a_p = 0$ , a remedy was made possible by the works of Pollack [Pol03]. If  $\alpha_1$  and  $\alpha_2$  are the roots of  $X^2 + \epsilon(p)p^{k-1}$ , Pollack showed that there is a decomposition

$$\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha_i} = \log_{p,k}^+ \tilde{L}_p^+ + \alpha_i \log_{p,k}^- \tilde{L}_p^-$$

for  $i = 1, 2$ , where  $\tilde{L}_p^\pm \in \Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(G_\infty)$  and  $\log_{p,k}^\pm$  are some explicit elements of  $\mathcal{H}(G_\infty)$  which only depend on  $k$ . When  $f$  corresponds to an elliptic curve  $E/\mathbb{Q}$  (and  $p > 2$ ), the  $\tilde{L}_p^\pm$  are in fact elements of  $\Lambda(G_\infty)$ . In [Kob03], Kobayashi formulates a main conjecture giving an arithmetic interpretation of these new  $p$ -adic

$L$ -functions. In analogy to the ordinary reduction case, he defines even and odd Selmer groups  $\text{Sel}_p^\pm(E/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)$  by modifying the local conditions at  $p$  in the definition of the usual Selmer group. Let  $T_p E$  be the Tate module of  $E$ . Kobayashi shows that  $\text{Sel}_p^\pm(E/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)$  is  $\Lambda(G_\infty)$ -cotorsion by constructing the so-called plus and minus Coleman maps

$$\text{Col}^\pm : H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, T_p E) \rightarrow \Lambda(G_\infty),$$

which depend on the structure of the formal group attached to  $E$ . (Here  $H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, T_p E)$  is the Iwasawa cohomology, defined as  $\varprojlim_n H^1(\mathbb{Q}_p(\mu_{p^n}), T_p E)$ ; see §2.3 below.) Kobayashi's modified main conjecture then asserts that in each  $\Delta$ -isotypical component, the functions  $\tilde{L}_p^\pm$  generate the respective characteristic ideals of  $\text{Sel}_p^\pm(E/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)^\vee$ . This main conjecture is in fact equivalent to [Kat04, Conjecture 12.10] (to which we refer as *Kato's main conjecture* from now on). Using the fact that the maps  $\text{Col}^\pm$  send the localization of the Kato zeta elements to  $\tilde{L}_p^\pm$ , Kobayashi shows that the elements  $\tilde{L}_p^\pm$  are contained in the characteristic ideals of  $\text{Sel}_p^\pm(E/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)^\vee$  (possibly after inverting  $p$  if  $p$  is one of the finitely many primes for which the  $p$ -adic Galois representation of  $E$  is not surjective), establishing half of the main conjecture. (When the elliptic curve has complex multiplication, the full conjecture has been proved by Pollack and Rubin [PoR04].)

Sprung [Spr09] has extended the results of Kobayashi to elliptic curves with supersingular reduction at  $p$  and  $a_p \neq 0$  (which forces  $p$  to be 2 or 3). He constructs Coleman maps

$$\text{Col}^\vartheta, \text{Col}^v : H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, T_p E) \longrightarrow \Lambda(G_\infty)$$

and defines  $\tilde{L}_p^\vartheta, \tilde{L}_p^v \in \Lambda(G_\infty)$  by applying these Coleman maps to the Kato zeta element. Analogously to the case  $a_p = 0$  discussed above, he defines two Selmer groups  $\text{Sel}_p^\vartheta(E/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)$  and  $\text{Sel}_p^v(E/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)$  to formulate the corresponding main conjectures. Moreover, he constructs a matrix  $M \in M_2(\mathcal{H}(G_\infty))$  whose entries are functions of logarithmic growth depending only on  $a_p$  such that

$$\begin{pmatrix} \tilde{L}_{p,\alpha}^\vartheta \\ \tilde{L}_{p,\beta}^v \end{pmatrix} = M \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{L}_p^\vartheta \\ \tilde{L}_p^v \end{pmatrix}$$

generalizing Pollack's results.

Generalizing Kobayashi's work in a different direction, the first author has shown in [Lei09] that the definition of the maps  $\text{Col}^\pm$  can be extended to general modular forms with  $a_p = 0$ , using  $p$ -adic Hodge theory in place of formal groups. For a normalized new eigenform  $f$ , there exists a  $p$ -adic representation  $V_f$  of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}} = \text{Gal}(\overline{\mathbb{Q}}/\mathbb{Q})$  attached to  $f$ , as constructed by Deligne [Del69]. When  $a_p = 0$ , one can then construct  $\pm$ -Coleman maps

$$\text{Col}^\pm : H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V_f) \rightarrow \Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(G_\infty),$$

using the structure of  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f)$  and Perrin-Riou's exponential map (see Section 2 in [Lei09]). Generalizing Kobayashi's construction, one can use  $\text{Col}^\pm$  to define  $\pm$ -Selmer groups, which again turn out to be  $\Lambda(G_\infty)$ -cotorsion and whose characteristic ideals at each  $\Delta$ -isotypical component contain Pollack's  $p$ -adic  $L$ -functions. Analogous to the work of Pollack and Rubin for elliptic curves, one can show that equality holds for forms of CM type; see [Lei09] for details.

**1.2. Statement of the main results.** Looking at all these results raises some natural questions: Is there a uniform explanation for Sprung's logarithmic matrix  $M$  and Pollack's  $\pm$ -logarithms? Can one generalize the construction of the two Coleman series to more general modular forms which are supersingular at  $p$ ?

In this paper, we approach these questions using methods from the theory of  $(\varphi, G_\infty)$ -modules. As shown by Fontaine (unpublished – for a reference see [CC99]), for any  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ -linear representation  $T$  of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$  there is a canonical isomorphism  $h_{\mathbb{Q}_p, \text{Iw}}^1 : H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, T) \cong \mathbb{D}(T)^{\psi=1}$ , where  $\mathbb{D}(T)$  denotes the  $(\varphi, G_\infty)$ -module<sup>1</sup> of  $T$  and  $\psi$  is a certain left inverse of  $\varphi$ . Recall that  $\mathbb{D}(T)$  is a module over the  $p$ -adic completion  $\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$  of the power series ring  $\mathbb{Z}_p[[\pi]][\pi^{-1}]$ . Also,  $\Lambda(G_\infty)$  can be identified with the additive group  $\mathbb{Z}_p[[\pi]]^{\psi=0}$  via the Mellin transform (c.f. Section 5.1). It seems therefore natural to expect that by carefully choosing a basis of  $\mathbb{D}(T)$ , it should be possible to define the two Coleman maps as certain maps on the coefficients of an element

<sup>1</sup>More familiarly known as a  $(\varphi, \Gamma)$ -module – our  $G_\infty$  is denoted by  $\Gamma$  in Fontaine's work, while we use  $\Gamma$  for its torsion-free part.

$x \in \mathbb{D}(T)^{\psi=1}$ . Such a construction would generalize the classical case  $T = \mathbb{Z}_p(1)$ : in this case, the Coleman map  $H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, \mathbb{Z}_p(1)) \cong \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^{\psi=1} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_p[[\pi]][\pi^{-1}]^{\psi=0}$  is just the map  $\varphi - 1$ .

Here, we develop this idea using Berger's theory of Wach modules [Ber03], which is a refined version of  $(\varphi, G_\infty)$ -modules for crystalline representations over unramified base fields originally studied by Wach in [Wac96]. The Wach module  $\mathbb{N}(V)$  of a crystalline  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ -representation  $V$  is a certain subspace of the  $(\varphi, G_\infty)$ -module  $\mathbb{D}(V)$  which is a finitely-generated module over the simpler ring  $\mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+ = \mathbb{Z}_p[[\pi]] \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \mathbb{Q}_p$ . If  $V$  is a crystalline representation of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$  with non-negative Hodge-Tate weights, and  $V$  has no quotient isomorphic to  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ , then Berger has shown in [Ber03] that  $\mathbb{D}(V)^{\psi=1} = \mathbb{N}(V)^{\psi=1}$ . Let  $\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(V)$  be the  $\mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ -submodule of  $\mathbb{D}(V)$  generated by the image of  $\varphi$ . For any such representation,  $1 - \varphi$  gives a map

$$1 - \varphi : \mathbb{N}(V)^{\psi=1} \longrightarrow (\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(V))^{\psi=0}.$$

Our first main result relates this map to Perrin-Riou's theory. Suppose that  $V_f$  is the  $p$ -adic representation associated to a modular form  $f$  with  $p$  a good prime for  $f$ , i.e.  $p$  does not divide the level of  $f$  (we assume here for notational simplicity that the coefficient field of the modular form is  $\mathbb{Q}$ , so  $V$  is a 2-dimensional  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ -vector space). Let  $V = V_f(k-1)$ , then  $V$  is a crystalline representation with Hodge-Tate weights  $0, k-1$ . We fix  $\bar{\nu}_1, \bar{\nu}_2$  a basis of  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f)$  in Section 3.3. It lifts to a basis  $n_1, n_2$  of  $\mathbb{N}(V_f)$ . Note that  $\pi^{1-k}n_1 \otimes e_{k-1}, \pi^{1-k}n_2 \otimes e_{k-1}$  then gives a basis of  $\mathbb{N}(V)$ . Let  $M = (m_{ij}) \in M_2(\varphi(\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+))$  be such that

$$\begin{pmatrix} \varphi(\pi^{1-k}n_1 \otimes e_{k-1}) \\ \varphi(\pi^{1-k}n_2 \otimes e_{k-1}) \end{pmatrix} = M \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\nu}_1 \otimes t^{1-k}e_{k-1} \\ \bar{\nu}_2 \otimes t^{1-k}e_{k-1} \end{pmatrix}.$$

**Proposition 1.1** (see Proposition 3.22). *For  $i = 1, 2$  we have a commutative diagram*

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{N}(V)^{\psi=1} & \xrightarrow{h_{\mathbb{Q}_p, \text{Iw}}^1} & H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V) \\ \downarrow 1-\varphi & & \downarrow \mathcal{L}_{1, \bar{\nu}_i \otimes (1+\pi)} \\ (\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(V))^{\psi=0} & & \\ \downarrow M & & \\ ((\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0})^{\oplus 2} & & \\ \downarrow \text{pr}_i & & \\ (\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0} & \xrightarrow{\mathfrak{M}^{-1}} & \mathcal{H}(G_\infty) \end{array}$$

Here,  $\mathcal{L}_{1, \bar{\nu}_i \otimes (1+\pi)}$  is a certain  $\Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ -module homomorphism whose definition is given in equation (18) below, defined using Perrin-Riou's exponential map and the Perrin-Riou pairing  $H_{\text{Iw}}^1(V) \times H_{\text{Iw}}^1(V^*(1)) \rightarrow \Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ . Also,  $\mathfrak{M}$  is the inverse Mellin transform (see (13)),  $\text{pr}_i$  is the projection map onto the  $i$ -th component, and for an element  $x \in (\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(V))^{\psi=0}$ ,  $M.x$  is defined as follows: if  $x = x_1\varphi(\pi^{1-k}n_1 \otimes e_{k-1}) + x_2\varphi(\pi^{1-k}n_2 \otimes e_{k-1})$  for some  $x_i \in (\mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$ , then  $M.x = M \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$ .

By applying this diagram to Kato's zeta element  $\mathbf{z}^{\text{Kato}} \in H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V)$ , we deduce that there exist  $\mathcal{M} \in M_2(\overline{\mathbb{Q}_p} \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \varphi(\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+))$  and  $L_{p,1}, L_{p,2} \in (\mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$  (c.f. Section 3.5.1), depending only on the basis  $n_1, n_2$ , such that we have a decomposition

$$(1) \quad \begin{pmatrix} \mathfrak{M}(\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha}) \\ \mathfrak{M}(\tilde{L}_{p,\beta}) \end{pmatrix} = \mathcal{M} \begin{pmatrix} L_{p,1} \\ L_{p,2} \end{pmatrix}.$$

In order to interpret this decomposition in terms of measures, we need to study the structure of  $(\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(V))^{\psi=0}$  as a  $\Lambda(G_\infty)$ -module. The following result was proven independently by Berger (Theorem 3.5, for general Wach modules) and ourselves (Theorem 4.24, for the Wach module of the representation arising from a supersingular modular form).

**Theorem 1.2.** *Let  $\mathcal{N}$  be a Wach module of rank  $d$ . Then  $(\varphi^*\mathcal{N})^{\psi=0}$  is a free  $\Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(G_\infty)$ -module of rank  $d$ . Moreover, there exists a basis  $n_1, \dots, n_d$  of  $\mathcal{N}$  such that  $(1 + \pi)\varphi(n_1), \dots, (1 + \pi)\varphi(n_d)$  is a  $\Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(G_\infty)$ -basis of  $(\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(V))^{\psi=0}$ .*

When  $V$  is the  $p$ -adic representation associated to a modular form with  $v_p(a_p) > \lfloor \frac{k-2}{p-1} \rfloor$ , then there is an explicit choice of the  $\mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ -basis of  $\mathbb{N}(V)$  which was constructed in [BLZ04] (c.f. Section 4). We show (Theorem 4.24) that this basis  $(n_1, n_2)$  has the additional property that  $(1 + \pi)\varphi(n_1), (1 + \pi)\varphi(n_2)$  is a  $\Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(G_\infty)$ -basis of  $(\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(V))^{\psi=0}$ . Hence we may define the *Iwasawa transform*

$$\mathfrak{J} : (\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(V))^{\psi=0} \longrightarrow \Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(G_\infty)^{\oplus 2}$$

to be the induced isomorphism of  $\Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(G_\infty)$ -modules associated to this basis. This map has the following property: if  $a_p = 0$ , then  $\mathfrak{J}$  fits into the commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{N}(V)^{\psi=1} & \xrightarrow{h_{\mathbb{Q}_p, \text{Iw}}^1} & H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V) \\ \downarrow 1-\varphi & & \downarrow (\text{Col}^\pm) \\ (\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(V))^{\psi=0} & \xrightarrow{\mathfrak{J}} & \Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(G_\infty)^{\oplus 2} \end{array}$$

where  $\text{Col}^\pm$  are the Coleman maps constructed in [Kob03] and [Lei09]. In other words, if  $i = 1, 2$  and we define  $\underline{\text{Col}}_i : \mathbb{N}(V)^{\psi=1} \rightarrow \Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(G_\infty)$  to be the composition of  $\mathfrak{J} \circ (1 - \varphi)$  with the projection of  $\Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(G_\infty)^{\oplus 2}$  onto the  $i$ -th component, then we recover the constructions in *op.cit.* In Sections 5.2 and 5.3, we use this new description of the Coleman maps to give alternative proofs of their main properties.

When  $v_p(a_p) > \lfloor \frac{k-2}{p-1} \rfloor$ , we define the maps  $\underline{\text{Col}}_i$  in the same manner, and it follows from Proposition 3.24 that the following diagram is commutative:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{N}(V)^{\psi=1} & \xrightarrow{h_{\mathbb{Q}_p, \text{Iw}}^1} & H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V) \\ \downarrow 1-\varphi & & \downarrow (\underline{\text{Col}}_1, \underline{\text{Col}}_2) \\ (\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(V))^{\psi=0} & \xrightarrow{\mathfrak{J}} & \Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(G_\infty)^{\oplus 2} \\ \downarrow M & & \downarrow \underline{M} \\ ((\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0})^{\oplus 2} \mathfrak{M}^{-1} & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \mathcal{H}(G_\infty)^{\oplus 2} \\ \downarrow \text{pr}_i & & \downarrow \underline{\text{pr}}_i \\ (\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0} & \xrightarrow{\mathfrak{M}^{-1}} & \mathcal{H}(G_\infty). \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} \curvearrowright \\ \mathcal{L}_{1, \bar{\nu}_i} \otimes (1 + \pi) \end{array}$$

Here, the map  $\underline{\text{pr}}_i$  is the projection onto the  $i$ -th component in  $\mathcal{H}(G_\infty)^{\oplus 2}$ . In particular, this diagram allows us to translate (1) in terms of  $\Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(G_\infty)$ :

**Theorem 1.3** (see Theorem 3.25). *For  $i = 1, 2$ , define  $\tilde{L}_{p,i} = \underline{\text{Col}}_i(\mathbf{z}^{\text{Kato}})$ . There exists a  $2 \times 2$ -matrix  $\underline{\mathcal{M}} \in M_2(\overline{\mathbb{Q}_p} \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \mathcal{H}(G_\infty))$  depending only on  $k$  and  $a_p$  such that*

$$(2) \quad \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{L}_{p,\alpha} \\ \tilde{L}_{p,\beta} \end{pmatrix} = \underline{\mathcal{M}} \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{L}_{p,1} \\ \tilde{L}_{p,2} \end{pmatrix}$$

We show in Proposition 5.10 that this decomposition reduces to the decompositions of  $\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha}, \tilde{L}_{p,\beta}$  given by Pollack when  $a_p = 0$ .

Assume now that  $V_f$  is the  $p$ -adic representation associated to a modular form  $f$  which is good ordinary at  $p$ , and let  $V = V_f(k-1)$ . By choosing a suitable basis for  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f)$  (c.f Section 3.6) and applying Theorem 3.5 to  $(\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(V))^{\psi=0}$ , we can proceed analogously to the supersingular case discussed above to construct Coleman maps  $\text{Col}_i : \mathbb{N}(V)^{\psi=1} \rightarrow \Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(G_\infty)$ . Let  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  be the unit and non-unit eigenvalues of the Frobenius respectively. The Kato zeta element gives rise to two  $p$ -adic  $L$ -functions  $\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha}$  and  $\tilde{L}_{p,\beta}$ , where  $\tilde{L}_{p,\beta}$  conjecturally agrees with the critical-slope  $p$ -adic  $L$ -function constructed by Pollack and Stevens in [PoS09] when  $V_f$  is not locally split at  $p$ . The analogue of (2) becomes

$$(3) \quad \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{L}_{p,\alpha} \\ \tilde{L}_{p,\beta} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \bar{u} \\ -\alpha \log_{p,k} & * \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{L}_{p,1} \\ \tilde{L}_{p,2} \end{pmatrix}.$$

for some  $\bar{u} \in \Lambda_E(G_\infty)^\times$  (c.f. (37)). Note that a similar decomposition can be obtained from works of Perrin-Riou for elliptic curves with good ordinary reduction at  $p$  (see [PR93, Section 1.4]). The decomposition (3) allows us to show that  $\tilde{L}_{p,1}, \tilde{L}_{p,2} \neq 0$  under some technical assumptions.

As in the cases studied in [Kob03] and [Lei09], we can use the maps  $\text{Col}_i$  to construct Selmer groups  $\text{Sel}_p^i(f/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)$  (see Definition 6.4), and we prove the following results. Define assumptions

- (A) (when  $f$  is supersingular at  $p$ )  $k \geq 3$  or  $a_p = 0$ ;
- (A') (when  $f$  is good ordinary at  $p$ )  $k \geq 3$  and  $V_f$  is not locally split at  $p$ .

**Theorem 1.4** (see Theorem 6.5). *Under assumption (A) (if  $f$  is supersingular at  $p$ ) or assumption (A') (if  $f$  is good ordinary at  $p$ ), the group  $\text{Sel}_p^i(f/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)$  is  $\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_\infty)$ -cotorsion for  $i = 1, 2$ . Moreover, there exist some  $n_i \geq 0$  such that*

$$\varpi^{n_i} \tilde{L}_{p,i}^\eta \in \text{Char}_{\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(\Gamma)}(\text{Sel}_p^i(f/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)^{\vee, \eta})$$

where  $\eta$  is any character on  $\Delta$  when  $i = 1$  and it is the trivial character when  $i = 2$ .

**Corollary 1.5** (see Corollary 6.6). *Let  $\eta$  be a character on  $\Delta$  as in Theorem 1.4. If either assumption (A) or assumption (A') is satisfied, and the image of  $\text{Gal}(\overline{\mathbb{Q}}/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)$  in  $\text{GL}(V_f)$  contains a conjugate of  $\text{SL}_2(\mathbb{Z}_p)$ , then Kato's main conjecture is equivalent to*

$$\text{Char}_{\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(\Gamma)}(\text{Sel}_p^i(f/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)^{\vee, \eta}) = \text{Char}_{\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(\Gamma)}(\text{Im}(\text{Col}_i)^\eta / (\tilde{L}_{p,i}^\eta)).$$

Note that in the ordinary case,  $\tilde{L}_{p,2}$  agrees with the usual  $p$ -adic  $L$ -function of  $f$  up to a unit in  $\Lambda_E(G_\infty)$ . It will be shown in a forthcoming paper of the first and third authors [LZ10] that the corresponding Selmer group is the usual  $\text{Sel}_p(f/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)$ ; whereas the first Coleman map gives a new  $p$ -adic  $L$ -function  $\tilde{L}_{p,1}$  and a new Selmer group.

**1.3. Notation.** Throughout this paper, let  $p$  be an odd prime. Fix embeddings of  $\overline{\mathbb{Q}}$  into  $\overline{\mathbb{Q}}_p$ , and into  $\mathbb{C}$ . For  $n \geq 0$ , write  $\mathbb{Q}_{p,n} = \mathbb{Q}_p(\mu_{p^n})$  (resp.  $\mathbb{Q}_n = \mathbb{Q}(\mu_{p^n})$ ) for the extension of  $\mathbb{Q}_p$  (resp.  $\mathbb{Q}$ ) obtained by adjoining the  $p^n$ -th roots of unity. Let  $G_n$  denote its Galois group. Let  $\mathbb{Q}_{p,\infty} = \bigcup \mathbb{Q}_{p,n}$ , and write  $G_\infty$  for the Galois group of  $\mathbb{Q}_{p,\infty}$  over  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ . We identify  $G_\infty$  with the Galois group of  $\mathbb{Q}_\infty = \bigcup_{n \geq 1} \mathbb{Q}_n$  over  $\mathbb{Q}$ . Then  $G_\infty \cong \Delta \times \Gamma$  where  $\Delta$  is a finite group of order  $p-1$  and  $\Gamma \cong \mathbb{Z}_p$ , the Galois group of  $\mathbb{Q}_{p,\infty}$  over  $\mathbb{Q}_p(\mu_p)$ . We fix a topological generator  $\gamma$  of  $\Gamma$  and write  $\chi$  for the cyclotomic character of  $G_\infty$ . Let  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p} = \text{Gal}(\overline{\mathbb{Q}}_p/\mathbb{Q}_p)$  and  $H_{\mathbb{Q}_p} = \text{Gal}(\overline{\mathbb{Q}}_p/\mathbb{Q}_{p,\infty})$ , where  $\overline{\mathbb{Q}}_p$  denotes an algebraic closure of  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ .

Given a finite extension  $K$  of  $\mathbb{Q}_p$  with ring of integers  $\mathcal{O}_K$ ,  $\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_K}(G_\infty)$  (respectively  $\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_K}(\Gamma)$ ) denotes the Iwasawa algebra of  $G_\infty$  (respectively  $\Gamma$ ) over  $\mathcal{O}_K$ . We further write  $\Lambda_K(G_\infty) = \Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_K}(G_\infty) \otimes \mathbb{Q}$  and  $\Lambda_K(\Gamma) = \Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_K}(\Gamma) \otimes \mathbb{Q}$ .

Given a module  $M$  over  $\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_K}(G_\infty)$  (respectively  $\Lambda_K(G_\infty)$ ) and a character  $\eta : \Delta \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_p^\times$ ,  $M^\eta$  denotes the  $\eta$ -isotypical component of  $M$ . For any  $m \in M$ , we write  $m^\eta$  for the projection of  $m$  into  $M^\eta$ .



2. REPRESENTATIONS OF  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ 

In this section we review some aspects of the theory of  $p$ -adic representations of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ . Most of our account is reproduced from [Ber04] and [BLZ04, §2]. Let  $E$  be a finite extension of  $\mathbb{Q}_p$  with ring of integers  $\mathcal{O}_E$ . An  $E$ -linear representation of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$  is a finite dimensional  $E$ -vector space  $V$  with a continuous  $E$ -linear action of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ . We similarly have the notion of an  $\mathcal{O}_E$ -linear representation of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ , which is a finitely-generated (not necessarily free)  $\mathcal{O}_E$ -module with a continuous  $\mathcal{O}_E$ -linear action of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ . Define  $\text{Rep}_E(G_{\mathbb{Q}_p})$  (respectively  $\text{Rep}_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_{\mathbb{Q}_p})$ ) to be the category of  $E$ -linear (respectively  $\mathcal{O}_E$ -linear) representations of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ .

**2.1.  $p$ -adic Hodge theory.** In this section, we recall the definitions of some of Fournier's rings of periods. Let  $\mathbb{C}_p$  be the completion of  $\mathbb{Q}_p$  for the  $p$ -adic topology, endowed with the usual valuation  $v_p$  normalized such that  $v_p(p) = 1$ . Let

$$\tilde{\mathbb{E}} = \varprojlim_{x \mapsto x^p} \mathbb{C}_p = \{(x^{(0)}, x^{(1)}, \dots) : (x^{(i+1)})^p = x^{(i)}\},$$

and let  $\tilde{\mathbb{E}}^+$  be the set of  $x \in \tilde{\mathbb{E}}$  such that  $x^{(0)} \in \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{C}_p}$ . We can equip  $\tilde{\mathbb{E}}$  naturally with the structure of an algebraically closed field of characteristic  $p$ : if  $x = (x^{(i)})$  and  $y = (y^{(i)})$ , define  $x + y$  and  $xy$  by

$$(x + y)^{(i)} := \lim_{j \rightarrow +\infty} (x^{(i+j)} + y^{(i+j)})^{p^j}$$

$$(xy)^{(i)} := x^{(i)} y^{(i)}.$$

Define a complete valuation on  $\tilde{\mathbb{E}}$  by  $v_{\tilde{\mathbb{E}}}(x) = v_p(x^{(0)})$  if  $x = (x^{(i)}) \in \tilde{\mathbb{E}}$ . Let  $\tilde{\mathbb{A}}^+ = W(\tilde{\mathbb{E}}^+)$  be the ring of Witt vectors of  $\tilde{\mathbb{E}}^+$ , and let  $\tilde{\mathbb{B}}^+ = \tilde{\mathbb{A}}^+[p^{-1}]$ . An element  $x \in \tilde{\mathbb{B}}^+$  can then be written uniquely in the form

$$x = \sum_{i \gg -\infty} p^i [x_i],$$

where  $x_i \in \tilde{\mathbb{E}}^+$  and  $[x_i]$  denotes the Teichmüller lift. The ring  $\tilde{\mathbb{B}}^+$  is equipped with the Witt vector Frobenius map  $\varphi$  (lifting the map  $x \mapsto x^p$  on  $\tilde{\mathbb{E}}^+$ ), and with a map

$$\theta : \tilde{\mathbb{B}}^+ \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}_p$$

via  $\theta(\sum_{i \gg -\infty} p^i [x_i]) = \sum_{i \gg -\infty} p^i x_i^{(0)}$ . Fix an element  $\varepsilon = (\varepsilon^{(n)}) \in \tilde{\mathbb{E}}^+$  with  $\varepsilon^{(0)} = 1$  and  $\varepsilon^{(1)} \neq 1$ . Let  $\pi = [\varepsilon] - 1$ ,  $\pi_1 = [\varphi^{-1}(\varepsilon)] - 1$  and  $\omega = \frac{\pi}{\pi_1}$ .

The ring  $\mathbb{B}_{\text{dR}}^+$  is defined as  $\mathbb{B}_{\text{dR}}^+ = \varprojlim \tilde{\mathbb{B}}^+ / \ker(\theta)^n$ . It is a discrete valuation ring, and its maximal ideal is generated by  $t = \log([\varepsilon])$ . Define  $\mathbb{B}_{\text{dR}} = \mathbb{B}_{\text{dR}}^+[t^{-1}]$  to be the fraction field of  $\mathbb{B}_{\text{dR}}^+$ , which is equipped with an action of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$  and a filtration defined by  $\text{Fil}^i \mathbb{B}_{\text{dR}} = t^i \mathbb{B}_{\text{dR}}^+$ .

Define the ring  $\mathbb{B}_{\text{cris}}^+$  as

$$\mathbb{B}_{\text{cris}}^+ = \left\{ \sum_{n \geq 0} a_n \frac{\omega^n}{n!} \mid \text{where } a_n \in \tilde{\mathbb{B}}^+ \text{ is a sequence converging to } 0 \right\},$$

and  $\mathbb{B}_{\text{cris}} = \mathbb{B}_{\text{cris}}^+[t^{-1}]$ . The ring  $\mathbb{B}_{\text{cris}}$  injects canonically into  $\mathbb{B}_{\text{dR}}$ , and it is endowed with the induced Galois action and filtration, as well with a continuous Frobenius  $\varphi$  which extends the map  $\varphi : \tilde{\mathbb{B}}^+ \rightarrow \tilde{\mathbb{B}}^+$ . If  $V$  is a  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ -linear representation of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ , then  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V) = (V \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\text{cris}})^{G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}}$  is a filtered  $\varphi$ -module of dimension  $\leq \dim_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(V)$ . We define  $V$  to be crystalline if equality holds.

If  $V$  is a  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ -linear representation of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ , say that  $V$  is Hodge-Tate, with Hodge-Tate weights  $h_1, \dots, h_d$ , if we have a decomposition  $\mathbb{C}_p \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_p} V \cong \bigoplus_{i=1}^d \mathbb{C}_p(h_i)$ . Say that  $V$  is positive if its Hodge-Tate weights are negative. It is easy to see that a crystalline representation  $V$  is Hodge-Tate, and that its Hodge-Tate weights are those integers  $h$  such that  $\text{Fil}^{-h} \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V) \neq \text{Fil}^{1-h} \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)$ .

If  $V$  is an  $E$ -linear representation of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ , then we define its Hodge-Tate weights to be the weights of the underlying  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ -vector space, and we say that  $V$  is crystalline if and only if the underlying  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ -linear representation is crystalline. In this case,  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)$  is an  $E$ -vector space, and the filtration and Frobenius are  $E$ -linear.



**2.2. Crystalline representations and Wach modules.** Let  $\tilde{\mathbb{A}} = W(\tilde{\mathbb{E}})$ , and let  $\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$  be the completion of  $\mathbb{Z}_p[[\pi]][\pi^{-1}]$  in  $\tilde{\mathbb{A}}$  in the  $p$ -adic topology, so  $\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$  is a complete discrete valuation ring with residue field  $\mathbb{F}_p((\varepsilon - 1))$ . Let  $\mathbb{B}$  be the completion of the maximal unramified extension of  $\mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p} = \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}[\pi^{-1}]$  in  $\tilde{\mathbb{B}}$ , and define  $\mathbb{A} = \mathbb{B} \cap \tilde{\mathbb{A}}$  and  $\mathbb{B}^+ = \mathbb{B} \cap \tilde{\mathbb{B}}^+$ . These rings are endowed with an action of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$  and of the Frobenius operator  $\varphi$ . One can show that  $(\mathbb{B}^+)^{H_{\mathbb{Q}_p}} = \mathbb{Z}_p[[\pi]][p^{-1}]$ , which we denote by  $\mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ .

We define a left inverse  $\psi : \mathbb{B} \rightarrow \mathbb{B}$  by  $x \rightarrow \varphi^{-1}(p^{-1} \text{Tr}_{\mathbb{B}/\varphi(\mathbb{B})}(x))$ . If  $x = f(\pi) \in \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ , then the value of  $\psi(x)$  can also be calculated by

$$\varphi \circ \psi(x) = \frac{1}{p} \sum_{\zeta^p=1} f(\zeta(\pi + 1) - 1).$$

Since the residual extension  $\tilde{\mathbb{E}}/\varphi(\tilde{\mathbb{E}})$  is inseparable of degree  $p$ ,  $\psi$  preserves  $\mathbb{A}$  and  $\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ .

An étale  $(\varphi, G_\infty)$ -module over  $\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$  is a finitely generated  $\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ -module  $M$ , with semi-linear  $\varphi$  and a continuous action of  $G_\infty$  commuting with each other, such that  $\varphi(M)$  generates  $M$  as an  $\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ -module. In [Fon90], Fontaine constructs a functor  $T \rightarrow \mathbb{D}(T)$  which associates to every  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ -linear representation of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$  an étale  $(\varphi, G_\infty)$ -module over  $\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ . Moreover, he shows that this functor is an equivalence of categories. By inverting  $p$ , one also gets an equivalence of categories between the category of  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ -linear  $p$ -adic representations and the category of étale  $(\varphi, G_\infty)$ -modules over  $\mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ . The left inverse  $\psi$  of  $\varphi$  extends to the  $(\varphi, G_\infty)$ -module.

If  $E$  is a finite extension of  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ , we extend the Frobenius and the action of  $G_\infty$  to  $E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$  by  $E$ -linearity. We then get an equivalence of categories from the category of  $E$ -linear (or  $\mathcal{O}_E$ -linear) representations to the category of étale  $(\varphi, G_\infty)$ -modules over  $E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$  (resp. over  $E \otimes \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ ).

If  $V$  is a crystalline representation, we can say more about the  $(\varphi, G_\infty)$ -module. Let  $\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+ = \mathbb{Z}_p[[\pi]]$  and  $\mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+ = \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+[p^{-1}]$  as above. The following result is shown in [Ber03, §II.1 and §III.4] and [BLZ04, §2]: If  $V$  is an  $E$ -linear representation, then  $V$  is crystalline with Hodge-Tate weights in  $[a, b]$  if and only if there exists a (necessarily unique)  $E \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ -module  $\mathbb{N}(V)$  contained in  $\mathbb{D}(V)$  such that the following conditions are satisfied:

- (1)  $\mathbb{N}(V)$  is free of rank  $d = \dim_E(V)$  over  $E \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ ;
- (2) the action of  $G_\infty$  preserves  $\mathbb{N}(V)$  and is trivial on  $\mathbb{N}(V)/\pi\mathbb{N}(V)$ ;
- (3)  $\varphi(\pi^b\mathbb{N}(V)) \subset \pi^b\mathbb{N}(V)$  and  $\pi^b\mathbb{N}(V)/\varphi^*(\pi^b\mathbb{N}(V))$  is killed by  $q^{b-a}$  where  $q = \frac{\varphi(\pi)}{\pi}$ . (If  $M$  is a  $R$ -module equipped with a Frobenius  $\varphi$  where  $R$  is any ring, then  $\varphi^*(M)$  denotes the  $R$ -module generated by  $\varphi(M)$ .)

If  $V$  is crystalline and positive, then we can take  $b = 0$  above, so  $\varphi$  preserves  $\mathbb{N}(V)$ . In this case, if we endow  $\mathbb{N}(V)$  with the filtration  $\text{Fil}^i \mathbb{N}(V) = \{x \in \mathbb{N}(V) \mid \varphi(x) \in q^i \mathbb{N}(V)\}$ , then  $\mathbb{N}(V)/\pi\mathbb{N}(V)$  is a filtered  $E$ -linear  $\varphi$ -module, and as shown in [Ber03, §III.4] we have an isomorphism  $\mathbb{N}(V)/\pi\mathbb{N}(V) \cong \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)$ .

If  $T$  is a  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ -stable lattice in  $V$ , then  $\mathbb{N}(T) = \mathbb{N}(V) \cap \mathbb{D}(T)$  is an  $\mathcal{O}_E \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ -lattice in  $\mathbb{N}(V)$ , and by [Ber03, §III.4] the functor  $T \rightarrow \mathbb{N}(T)$  gives a bijection between the  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ -stable lattices  $T$  in  $V$  and the  $\mathcal{O}_E \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ -lattices in  $\mathbb{N}(V)$  satisfying

- (1)  $\mathbb{N}(T)$  is free of rank  $d = \dim_E(V)$  over  $\mathcal{O}_E \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ ;
- (2) the action of  $G_\infty$  preserves  $\mathbb{N}(T)$ ;
- (3)  $\varphi(\pi^b\mathbb{N}(T)) \subset \pi^b\mathbb{N}(T)$  and  $\pi^b\mathbb{N}(T)/\varphi^*(\pi^b\mathbb{N}(T))$  is killed by  $q^{b-a}$  where  $q = \frac{\varphi(\pi)}{\pi}$ .

Let  $\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+$  be the set of  $f(\pi) \in \mathbb{Q}_p[[\pi]]$  such that  $f(X)$  converges for all  $X$  in the open unit disc in  $\mathbb{C}_p$ . Note that  $t \in \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ . If  $V$  is a positive representation of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ , then as shown in [Ber03, §I.5], we can recover  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)$  from  $\mathbb{N}(V)$  as  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V) = (\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+ \otimes_{\mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+} \mathbb{N}(V))^{G_\infty}$ . Moreover, the inclusion  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V) \subset \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+ \otimes_{\mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+} \mathbb{N}(V)$  gives rise to an isomorphism

$$\iota : \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+ [t^{-1}] \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V) \cong \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+ [t^{-1}] \otimes_{\mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+} \mathbb{N}(V).$$

In [Ber02, proposition 2.12], Berger shows that for all  $n \geq 0$  there is an injective map  $\varphi^{-n}(\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+) \rightarrow \mathbb{B}_{\text{dR}}^+$ , which is compatible with the natural map  $\varphi^{-n}(\tilde{\mathbb{B}}^+) \rightarrow \mathbb{B}_{\text{dR}}^+$ . It is characterized by the fact that it sends

$\pi$  to  $\varepsilon^{(n)} \exp(t/p^n) - 1$ . Define a derivation  $\partial : \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+ \rightarrow \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+$  by  $\partial = (1 + \pi) \frac{d}{d\pi}$ . Under the map  $\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+ \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p[[t]]$  given by  $\pi \mapsto \exp(t) - 1$ ,  $\partial$  corresponds to the derivation  $\frac{d}{dt}$ .

If  $z \in \mathbb{Q}_{p,n}((t)) \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)$ , denote the constant coefficient of  $z$  by  $\partial_V(z) \in \mathbb{Q}_{p,n} \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)$ .

**2.3. Iwasawa cohomology and the Fontaine isomorphism.** If  $T \in \text{Rep}_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_{\mathbb{Q}_p})$ , define

$$H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, T) = \varprojlim_n H^1(\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}, T),$$

where the inverse limit is taken with respect to the corestriction maps. As shown by Fontaine (unpublished – for a reference see [CC99, Section II]), for any  $T \in \text{Rep}_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_{\mathbb{Q}_p})$ , there is a canonical isomorphism of  $\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_{\infty})$ -modules

$$(4) \quad h_{\mathbb{Q}_p, \text{Iw}}^1 : \mathbb{D}(T)^{\psi=1} \xrightarrow{\cong} H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, T).$$

Similarly, for  $V \in \text{Rep}_E(G_{\mathbb{Q}_p})$ , define  $H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V) = H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, T) \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \mathbb{Q}_p$ , where  $T$  is any  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ -invariant lattice of  $V$ ; this is independent of the choice of  $T$ , and  $h_{\mathbb{Q}_p, \text{Iw}}^1$  extends to an isomorphism of  $\Lambda_E(G_{\infty})$ -modules  $\mathbb{D}(V)^{\psi=1} \cong H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V)$ .

### 3. THE COLEMAN MAPS

**3.1. Positive crystalline representations.** In this subsection, we shall define  $d$  Coleman maps for a  $d$ -dimensional positive crystalline representation  $V$ , depending on a choice of basis of the Wach module  $\mathbb{N}(T)$  for a lattice  $T$  in  $V$ .

Let  $E$  be a finite extension of  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ . Let  $V$  be a positive crystalline  $d$ -dimensional  $E$ -linear representation of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$  with Hodge-Tate weights  $-r_d \leq -r_{d-1} \leq \dots \leq -r_1 \leq 0$ . We assume that  $V$  has no quotient isomorphic to  $E(-r_d)$  and fix an  $\mathcal{O}_E$ -lattice  $T$  in  $V$  which is stable under  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ . Write  $\mathbb{N}(T)$  for its Wach module, which is a free  $\mathcal{O}_E \otimes \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ -module of rank  $d$ , whereas  $\mathbb{N}(V) = \mathbb{N}(T) \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_p} E$  is a free  $E \otimes \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ -module of rank  $d$ . Choose an  $\mathcal{O}_E \otimes \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ -basis  $n_1, \dots, n_d$  of  $\mathbb{N}(T)$  and write  $P$  for the matrix of  $\varphi$  with respect to this basis. Then

$$\begin{pmatrix} \varphi(n_1) \\ \vdots \\ \varphi(n_d) \end{pmatrix} = P^T \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ \vdots \\ n_d \end{pmatrix}$$

where  $A^T$  denotes the transpose of  $A$  if  $A$  is a square matrix. Moreover, by [BB10, section 3], the determinant of  $P$  is  $q^{r_1 + \dots + r_d}$  up to a unit, where  $q = \frac{\varphi(\pi)}{\pi}$  as above.

Let  $m = \sum_{i=1}^d r_i$ . Then, for  $x \in \mathbb{D}(T(m))^{\psi=1}$ , we have  $x \in \mathbb{N}(T(m))^{\psi=1}$  by [Ber03, appendix A]. But  $\mathbb{N}(T(m)) = \pi^{-m} \mathbb{N}(T) \otimes e_m$ , where  $e_m$  is a vector space basis of  $\mathbb{Z}_p(m)$ . Hence, there exist unique  $x_1, \dots, x_d \in \mathcal{O}_E \otimes \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$  such that

$$(5) \quad x = \pi^{-m} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 & \dots & x_d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ \vdots \\ n_d \end{pmatrix} \otimes e_m.$$

**Lemma 3.1.** *For any  $x \in \mathbb{D}(T(m))^{\psi=1}$ , the entries of the row vector*

$$\mathbf{Col}(x) := \begin{pmatrix} x_1 & \dots & x_d \end{pmatrix} q^m (P^T)^{-1} - \begin{pmatrix} \varphi(x_1) & \dots & \varphi(x_d) \end{pmatrix}$$

*are elements of  $(\mathcal{O}_E \otimes \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$ .*

*Proof.* Recall that the determinant of  $P$  is  $q^m$  up to a unit in  $\mathcal{O}_E \otimes \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ , so the entries of  $\mathbf{Col}(x)$  are indeed elements of  $\mathcal{O}_E \otimes \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ . Since  $\varphi(\pi) = \pi q$ , (5) implies that

$$x = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 & \dots & x_d \end{pmatrix} q^m (P^T)^{-1} \varphi(\pi^{-m}) \begin{pmatrix} \varphi(n_1) \\ \vdots \\ \varphi(n_d) \end{pmatrix} \otimes e_m.$$

Hence,

$$\psi(x) = \psi \left( (x_1 \ \cdots \ x_d) q^m (P^T)^{-1} \right) \pi^{-m} \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ \vdots \\ n_d \end{pmatrix} \otimes e_m.$$

Therefore,  $\psi(x) = x$  implies that

$$\psi \left( (x_1 \ \cdots \ x_d) q^m (P^T)^{-1} \right) = (x_1 \ \cdots \ x_d).$$

Hence the result.  $\square$

**Definition 3.2.** For  $1 \leq i \leq d$ , we define the  $i$ -th Coleman map  $\text{Col}_i : \mathbb{D}(T(m))^{\psi=1} \rightarrow (\mathcal{O}_E \otimes \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$  by sending  $x$  to the  $i$ -th component of  $\mathbf{Col}(x)$ .

**Lemma 3.3.** Let  $n_1, \dots, n_d$  and  $n'_1, \dots, n'_d$  be two bases of  $\mathbb{N}(T)$  with  $\begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ \vdots \\ n_d \end{pmatrix} = M'' \begin{pmatrix} n'_1 \\ \vdots \\ n'_d \end{pmatrix}$ . Then, the Coleman maps defined by these two bases,  $\mathbf{Col}$  and  $\mathbf{Col}'$  are related by  $\mathbf{Col}(x)\varphi(M'') = \mathbf{Col}'(x)$  for all  $x \in \mathbb{D}(T(m))^{\psi=1}$ .

*Proof.* For any  $x \in \mathbb{D}(T(m))^{\psi=1}$ , write  $x = x_1 n_1 + \cdots x_d n_d = x'_1 n'_1 + \cdots x'_d n'_d$ . Then,

$$(x'_1 \ \cdots \ x'_d) = (x_1 \ \cdots \ x_d) M''$$

Let  $P$  and  $P'$  be the matrices of  $\varphi$  with respect to  $n_1, \dots, n_d$  and  $n'_1, \dots, n'_d$  respectively. Then  $P^T M'' = \varphi(M'') P'^T$ . Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{Col}'(x) &= (x'_1 \ \cdots \ x'_d) q^m (P'^T)^{-1} - (\varphi(x'_1) \ \cdots \ \varphi(x'_d)) \\ &= (x_1 \ \cdots \ x_d) q^m M'' (P'^T)^{-1} - (\varphi(x_1) \ \cdots \ \varphi(x_d)) \varphi(M'') \\ &= (x_1 \ \cdots \ x_d) q^m (P^T)^{-1} \varphi(M'') - (\varphi(x_1) \ \cdots \ \varphi(x_d)) \varphi(M''). \end{aligned}$$

Hence the lemma.  $\square$

It is clear that we can extend  $\text{Col}_i$  to a map from  $\mathbb{D}(V(m))^{\psi=1}$  to  $(E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$ . By an abuse of notation, we will write this map as  $\text{Col}_i$  as well. We now relate  $\mathbf{Col}(x)$  to  $(1 - \varphi)(x)$ . By writing down  $\varphi(x)$ , we have the following:

$$(6) \quad (1 - \varphi)(x) = \mathbf{Col}(x) \cdot \varphi(\pi)^{-m} P^T \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ \vdots \\ n_d \end{pmatrix} \otimes e_m$$

**Remark 3.4.** We see from (6) that for any  $x$  as above,  $(1 - \varphi)x \in (\varphi^* \mathbb{N}(T(m)))^{\psi=0}$ .

Note that the maps  $\text{Col}_i$  are not  $\Lambda(G_\infty)$ -homomorphisms under the canonical action of  $G_\infty$  on  $(\mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$  because  $G_\infty$  acts non-trivially on the basis  $\{n_i\}_{1 \leq i \leq d}$  of  $\mathbb{N}(V)$ . We deal with this problem using Theorem 3.5 below. Its proof is due to Laurent Berger; we quote it with his permission. In the case when  $V$  is the  $p$ -adic representation associated to a modular form with  $v_p(a_p) \geq \lfloor \frac{k-2}{p-1} \rfloor$ , we have independently found a proof of this result which uses the basis of  $\mathbb{N}(V)$  constructed in [BLZ04]. It is more explicit than Berger's proof, and we give it in Section 4 since it will be needed to analyse the images of the Coleman maps. For notational simplicity, we take  $E = \mathbb{Q}_p$  for the time being. Conceptually, there is no difficulty in extending the result to an  $E$ -linear representation.

**Theorem 3.5.** Let  $V$  be a crystalline  $p$ -adic representation of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$  of dimension  $d$ , and let  $T$  be a  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ -stable lattice in  $V$ . Then  $(\varphi^* \mathbb{N}(T))^{\psi=0}$  is a free  $\Lambda(G_\infty)$ -module of rank  $d$ . Moreover, if  $n_1^0, \dots, n_d^0$  is a basis of  $\mathbb{N}(T)$ , then there exists a basis  $n_1, \dots, n_d$  such that  $n_i \equiv n_i^0 \pmod{\pi}$  for all  $i$  and  $(1 + \pi)\varphi(n_1), \dots, (1 + \pi)\varphi(n_d)$  forms a  $\Lambda(G_\infty)$ -basis of  $(\varphi^* \mathbb{N}(T))^{\psi=0}$ .

Note that in this theorem we do not assume that  $V$  is positive. The proof of this result requires several preliminary lemmas. We assume without loss of generality that  $\chi(\gamma) = 1 + p$ . For  $k \geq 0$ , define

$$p_k = (1 - \gamma)(1 - \chi(\gamma)^{-1}\gamma) \dots (1 - \chi(\gamma)^{1-k}\gamma),$$

which is an element of  $\Lambda(\Gamma)$ .

**Lemma 3.6.** *If  $a \in \mathbb{Z}_p$  and  $x \in \mathbb{N}(T)$  and  $f \in \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$  and  $g \in G_\infty$ , then*

$$(1 - ag)(fx) = ((1 - ag)f)x + ag(f)((1 - g)x).$$

*Proof.* Immediate.  $\square$

**Lemma 3.7.** *The map  $\mathfrak{M} : \Lambda(G_\infty) \rightarrow (\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$  given by  $f \rightarrow f(1 + \pi)$  is an isomorphism of  $\Lambda(G_\infty)$ -modules, which takes  $p_k \Lambda(G_\infty)$  to  $\varphi(\pi)^k (\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$ .*

*Proof.* The first assertion is standard (we recall the relevant theory in section 5.1 below). Note that  $\gamma(\pi) = \chi(\gamma)\pi + O(\pi^2)$ , which implies that the image of  $p_k \Lambda(G_\infty)$  is contained in  $\varphi(\pi)^k (\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$ . Hence the surjection  $\Lambda(G_\infty) \rightarrow (\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$  gives a surjection  $\Lambda(G_\infty)/p_k \twoheadrightarrow (\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}/\varphi(\pi)^k$ . Since both are free  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ -modules of rank  $k(p - 1)$ , this must be an isomorphism.  $\square$

**Remark 3.8.** *Following the terminology of [Ber03, §II.6], we refer to the inverse of  $\mathfrak{M}$  as the Mellin transform.*

Let  $n_1^0, \dots, n_d^0$  be a basis of  $\mathbb{N}(T)$ . Since the action of  $G_\infty$  on  $\mathbb{N}(T)$  is trivial modulo  $\pi$ , we have  $(1 - g)n_i^0 \in \pi \mathbb{N}(T)$  for all  $1 \leq i \leq d$  and for all  $g \in G_\infty$ .

**Lemma 3.9.** *Let  $g$  be a topological generator of  $G_\infty$ , and write  $(1 - g)n_i^0 = \pi m_i$  for some  $m_i \in \mathbb{N}(T)$ . If we put  $n_i = n_i^0 - \frac{\pi m_i}{1 - \chi(g)}$ , then  $n_1, \dots, n_d$  is a basis of  $\mathbb{N}(T)$ , and  $(1 - \gamma)n_i \in \pi^2 \mathbb{N}(T)$ .*

*Proof.* Note that since  $p \neq 2$  and  $g$  is a topological generator of  $G_\infty$ ,  $1 - \chi(g) \in \mathbb{Z}_p^\times$ , so  $n_i \in \mathbb{N}(T)$  for all  $i$ , and they are obviously a basis. Since  $g(\pi) = \chi(g)\pi + O(\pi^2)$ , this basis is designed such that  $(1 - g)n_i \in \pi^2 \mathbb{N}(T)$ , and this implies that  $(1 - \gamma)n_i \in \pi^2 \mathbb{N}(T)$ .  $\square$

Let  $\mathcal{N}$  be the  $\Lambda(G_\infty)$ -submodule of  $(\varphi^*(\mathbb{N}(T)))^{\psi=0}$  generated by  $(1 + \pi)\varphi(n_1), \dots, (1 + \pi)\varphi(n_d)$ .

**Lemma 3.10.** *Let  $y \in (\varphi^*(\mathbb{N}(T)))^{\psi=0}$ . Then there exist  $\mathbf{n} \in \mathcal{N}$  and  $z \in (\varphi^*(\mathbb{N}(T)))^{\psi=0}$  such that  $y = \mathbf{n} + \varphi(\pi)z$ .*

*Proof.* Write  $y = \sum_{i=1}^d y_i \varphi(n_i)$  with  $y_i \in (\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$ . By Lemma 3.7 we can write  $y_i = b_i(1 + \pi)$  for some  $b_i \in \Lambda(G_\infty)$ , and Lemma 3.9 implies that  $b_i n_i \equiv n_i \pmod{\pi^2 \mathbb{N}(T)}$ . Therefore, we have

$$\sum_{i=1}^d b_i((1 + \pi)\varphi(n_i)) - \sum_{i=1}^d y_i \varphi(n_i) \in \varphi(\pi)^2 (\varphi^*(\mathbb{N}(T)))^{\psi=0},$$

which is slightly better than the lemma.  $\square$

Lemma 3.10 can be generalized to all  $k \geq 0$ :

**Proposition 3.11.** *Let  $k \geq 0$  and  $y \in \varphi(\pi)^k (\varphi^*(\mathbb{N}(T)))^{\psi=0}$ . Then there exists  $\mathbf{n} \in p_k \mathcal{N}$  and  $z \in (\varphi^*(\mathbb{N}(T)))^{\psi=0}$  such that  $y = \mathbf{n} + \varphi(\pi)^{k+1} z$ .*

*Proof.* The case  $k = 0$  is just Lemma 3.10. Assume that  $k \geq 1$ , and that the result is true for  $k - 1$ . If  $y = \sum_{i=1}^d y_i \varphi(n_i)$  with  $y_i \in \varphi(\pi)^k (\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$ , then we can write  $y_i = b_i(1 + \pi)$  with  $b_i \in p_k \Lambda(G_\infty)$  by Lemma 3.7. By the definition of  $p_k$ , we can write  $b_i = (1 - a\gamma)c_i$  with  $a = \chi(\gamma)^{1-k}$  for some  $c_i \in \Lambda(G_\infty)$ . Moreover,  $p_{k-1} | c_i$  for all  $i$ . Let  $x_i = c_i(1 + \pi)$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=1}^d y_i \varphi(n_i) &= \sum_{i=1}^d ((1 - a\gamma)x_i) \varphi(n_i) \\ &= (1 - a\gamma) \left( \sum_{i=1}^d x_i \varphi(n_i) \right) - a \sum_{i=1}^d \gamma(x_i) ((1 - \gamma)\varphi(n_i)) \end{aligned}$$

by Lemma 3.6. Let  $z_0 := \sum_{i=1}^d \gamma(x_i)((1-\gamma)\varphi(n_i))$ . By Lemma 3.9 and the fact that  $p_{k-1}|c_i$  (so  $\varphi(\pi)^{k-1}|x_i$ ), we have  $z_0 \in \varphi(\pi)^{k+1}(\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(T))^{\psi=0}$ .

Consider the element  $\sum_{i=1}^d x_i \varphi(n_i)$  where  $x_i = c_i(1+\pi)$  is divisible by  $\varphi(\pi)^{k-1}$  by Lemma 3.7 as  $p_{k-1}|c_i$ . Therefore, by induction, we can write  $\sum_{i=1}^d x_i \varphi(n_i)$  as  $x + \varphi(\pi)^k w$  with  $x \in p_{k-1}\mathcal{N}$  and  $w \in (\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(T))^{\psi=0}$ . If we set

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{n} &= (1 - a\gamma)(x), \\ \varphi(\pi)^{k+1}z &= z_0 + (1 - \chi(\gamma)^{-k}\gamma)(\varphi(\pi)^k w) \quad \text{and} \\ py_1 &= (\chi(\gamma)^{1-k} - \chi(\gamma)^{-k})\gamma(\varphi(\pi)^k w), \end{aligned}$$

then  $y = \mathbf{n} + \varphi(\pi)^{k+1}z + py_1$  with  $\mathbf{n} \in p_k\mathcal{N}$ ,  $z \in (\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(T))^{\psi=0}$  and  $y_1 \in \varphi(\pi)^k(\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(T))^{\psi=0}$ .

Iterating this gives us  $y_j \in (\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(T))^{\psi=0}$  and converging sequences  $\mathbf{n}_j \in \mathcal{N}$  and  $z_n \in (\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(T))^{\psi=0}$  such that

$$y = \mathbf{n}_j + \varphi(\pi)^{k+1}z_j + p^j y_j.$$

The proposition follows by taking  $\mathbf{n}$  and  $z$  to be the limits of  $\mathbf{n}_j$  and  $z_j$ , respectively.  $\square$

*Proof of Theorem 3.5.* If  $y \in (\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(T))^{\psi=0}$ , the iterating Proposition 3.11 shows that for all  $k \geq 0$  we can write

$$y = \mathbf{n}_0 + \mathbf{n}_1 + \cdots + \mathbf{n}_k + \varphi(\pi)^{k+1}z$$

with  $\mathbf{n}_j \in p_j\mathcal{N}$ . Passing to the limit over  $k$  shows that  $y = \sum_{i \geq 0} \mathbf{n}_i \in \mathcal{N}$ , which shows that  $(1 + \pi)\varphi(n_1), \dots, (1 + \pi)\varphi(n_d)$  form a generating set of the  $\Lambda(G_\infty)$ -module  $(\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(T))^{\psi=0}$ .

Finally, the map  $\Lambda(G_\infty)^{\oplus d}/p_k\Lambda(G_\infty)^{\oplus d} \rightarrow (\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(T))^{\psi=0}/\varphi(\pi)^k(\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(T))^{\psi=0}$  is a surjective map between two  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ -modules of equal rank, so that it is injective, and therefore the kernel of  $\Lambda(G_\infty)^{\oplus d} \rightarrow (\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(T))^{\psi=0}$  is equal to  $\bigcap_{k \geq 0} p_k\Lambda(G_\infty)^{\oplus d} = 0$ . This finishes the proof.  $\square$

We now resume our assumption that  $V$  is a positive crystalline  $E$ -linear representation of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ , with Hodge–Tate weights  $-r_i$  such that  $\sum_i r_i = m$ , and  $T \subset V$  an  $\mathcal{O}_E$ -lattice, as above. Applying theorem 3.5 to the representation  $V(m)$ , we find that for any basis  $n_1^0, \dots, n_d^0$  of  $\mathbb{N}(T)$ , there is a basis  $n_1, \dots, n_d$  of  $\mathbb{N}(T)$  with  $n_i = n_i^0 \bmod \pi$  such that the vectors  $(1 + \pi)\varphi(\pi^{-m}n_i \otimes e_m)$  are a basis of  $(\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(T(m)))^{\psi=0}$  as a  $\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}$ -module. With respect to such a basis  $n_1, \dots, n_d$ , we make the following definitions:

**Definition 3.12.** Define the Iwasawa transform to be the  $\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_\infty)$ -equivariant isomorphism

$$\mathfrak{J} : (\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(T(m)))^{\psi=0} \longrightarrow \Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_\infty)^{\oplus d}$$

determined by sending  $(1 + \pi)\varphi(n_i \otimes \pi^{-m}e_m)$  to  $(0, \dots, 0, 1, 0, \dots, 0)$ , where the 1 is the  $i$ -th entry.

**Definition 3.13.** Define  $\underline{\text{Col}} : \mathbb{N}(T(m))^{\psi=1} \rightarrow \Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_\infty)^{\oplus d}$  as  $\mathfrak{J} \circ (1 - \varphi)$ , and for  $1 \leq i \leq d$ , let  $\text{Col}_i : \mathbb{N}(T(m))^{\psi=1} \rightarrow \Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_\infty)$  be the composition of  $\underline{\text{Col}}$  with the projection onto the  $i$ -th component.

**Note 3.14.** For all  $1 \leq i \leq d$ , the map  $\text{Col}_i$  is  $\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_\infty)$ -equivariant.

**3.2. Comparison with  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}$ .** We now give an alternative formula for the Coleman maps of the previous subsection using the comparison isomorphisms between the Wach module  $\mathbb{N}(V)$  and  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)$ .

Recall from section 2.2 that for any positive crystalline representation  $V$  we have a canonical isomorphism  $\mathbb{N}(V)/\pi\mathbb{N}(V) \cong \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)$  ([Ber03, § III.4]).

**Lemma 3.15.** Let  $V$  be a positive crystalline  $E$ -linear representation of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ . Given any basis  $\nu_1, \dots, \nu_d$  of  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)$  over  $E$ , we can lift it to a basis of  $n_1, \dots, n_d$  of  $\mathbb{N}(V)$  over  $E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ . Moreover, we may assume that  $(1 + \pi)\varphi(\pi^{-m}n_1 \otimes e_m), \dots, (1 + \pi)\varphi(\pi^{-m}n_d \otimes e_m)$  is a  $\Lambda_E(G_\infty)$ -basis of  $(\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(V(m)))^{\psi=0}$ .

*Proof.* Let  $T$  be a  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ -stable  $\mathcal{O}_E$ -lattice in  $V$ . By theorem 3.5 above, we may choose a  $\mathcal{O}_E \otimes \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ -basis  $\bar{n}_1, \dots, \bar{n}_d$  of  $\mathbb{N}(T)$  such that  $(1 + \pi)\varphi(\pi^{-m}\bar{n}_i \otimes e_m)$  is a  $\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_\infty)$ -basis of  $(\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(T(m)))^{\psi=0}$ . Hence these elements are also a  $\Lambda_E(G_\infty)$ -basis of  $(\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(V(m)))^{\psi=0}$ .

By the comparison isomorphism, the elements  $\{\bar{\nu}_i := \bar{n}_i \bmod \pi : i = 1, \dots, d\}$  give a basis of  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)$  over  $E$ . Let  $A \in GL_d(E)$  be the change of basis matrix from  $\nu_1, \dots, \nu_d$  to  $\bar{\nu}_1, \dots, \bar{\nu}_d$ . On applying  $A^{-1}$  to

$\bar{n}_1, \dots, \bar{n}_d$ , we obtain a basis  $n_1, \dots, n_d$  of  $\mathbb{N}(V)$  lifting  $\nu_1, \dots, \nu_d$ . Now it is clear that  $(1 + \pi)\varphi(\pi^{-m}n_1 \otimes e_m), \dots, (1 + \pi)\varphi(\pi^{-m}n_d \otimes e_m)$  is a  $\Lambda_E(G_\infty)$ -basis of  $(\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(V(m)))^{\psi=0}$ , since it differs from the original basis by the scalar matrix  $A^{-1}$ , which is clearly invertible in  $\Lambda_E(G_\infty)$ .  $\square$

With respect to such a basis  $n_1, \dots, n_d$  of  $\mathbb{N}(V)$ , we can clearly define an Iwasawa transform and Coleman map as above but with  $E$ -coefficients,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathfrak{J} : (\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(V(m)))^{\psi=0} &\xrightarrow{\cong} \Lambda_E(G_\infty)^{\oplus d} \\ \underline{\text{Col}} : \mathbb{N}(V(m))^{\psi=1} &\longrightarrow \Lambda_E(G_\infty)^{\oplus d}, \end{aligned}$$

which are homomorphisms of  $\Lambda_E(G_\infty)$ -modules.

**Remark 3.16.** *If  $T$  is an  $\mathcal{O}_E$ -lattice in  $V$  stable under  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$  and the  $\mathcal{O}_E$ -lattice in  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)$  spanned by  $\nu_1, \dots, \nu_d$  is the reduction of  $\mathbb{N}(T)$ , then we can define the Coleman maps integrally, as in the previous section. In section 4 below we will work with a specific basis  $\nu_i$  for which such a lattice  $T$  can be explicitly constructed.*

Now, let  $\nu_1, \dots, \nu_d$  be a basis of  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)$  over  $E$ , and  $n_1, \dots, n_d$  a basis of  $\mathbb{N}(V)$  lifting  $\nu_1, \dots, \nu_d$  as in lemma 3.15. We write  $A_\varphi$  for the matrix of  $\varphi$  on  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)$  with respect to the basis  $\nu_1, \dots, \nu_d$ . Again by [BB10, section 3],  $E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+$  is a Bézout ring and

$$(7) \quad [(E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+) \otimes_{E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+} \mathbb{N}(V) : (E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+) \otimes_E \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)] = \left[ \left( \frac{t}{\pi} \right)^{r_1}; \dots; \left( \frac{t}{\pi} \right)^{r_d} \right].$$

In other words, there exists  $E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ -bases  $w_1, \dots, w_d$  and  $v_1, \dots, v_d$  for  $(E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+) \otimes_{E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+} \mathbb{N}(V)$  and  $(E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+) \otimes_E \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)$  respectively such that  $v_i = (t/\pi)^{r_i} w_i$  for  $i = 1, \dots, d$ . Therefore, the change of basis matrix  $M' \in M_d(E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+)$  with

$$(8) \quad \begin{pmatrix} \nu_1 \\ \vdots \\ \nu_d \end{pmatrix} = M' \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ \vdots \\ n_d \end{pmatrix},$$

has determinant  $(t/\pi)^m$  up to a unit in  $E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ . Moreover, since  $n_1, \dots, n_d$  lifts  $\nu_1, \dots, \nu_d$ , we have  $M'|_{\pi=0} = I$ , the identity matrix. The compatibility of the action of  $\varphi$  implies that

$$(9) \quad \varphi(M')P^T = A_\varphi^T M',$$

where  $P$  is the matrix of  $\varphi$  on  $\mathbb{N}(V)$  with respect to the basis  $n_1, \dots, n_d$  as in the previous subsection. We can now rewrite (5):

$$(10) \quad x = (x_1 \quad \dots \quad x_d) \cdot \left( \frac{t}{\pi} \right)^m M'^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} \nu_1 \\ \vdots \\ \nu_d \end{pmatrix} \otimes t^{-m} e_m$$

with  $(t/\pi)^m M'^{-1} \in M_d(E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+)$  and  $\nu_i \otimes t^{-m} e_m$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, d$  a basis of  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V(m))$ .

Rewriting (6) using this, we see that

$$(11) \quad (1 - \varphi)(x) = \mathbf{Col}(x) \cdot \left( \frac{t}{\pi q} \right)^m P^T M'^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} \nu_1 \\ \vdots \\ \nu_d \end{pmatrix} \otimes t^{-m} e_m.$$

**3.3. Supersingular modular forms.** We now apply the theory of Coleman maps developed above to the Galois representations attached to modular forms.

Let  $f = \sum a_n q^n$  be a normalized new eigenform of weight  $k$  and character  $\epsilon$ . Let  $p$  be an odd prime which does not divide the level of  $f$ . For simplicity, we will always assume that  $\epsilon(p) = 1$ . In particular  $a_p = \bar{a}_p$ . We write  $E = \mathbb{Q}_p(a_n : n \geq 1)$ , which is the completion of the coefficient field  $F$  of  $f$  at the prime above  $p$  determined our choice of embeddings. Then, by Deligne [Del69], we can associate to  $f$  a 2-dimensional  $E$ -linear representation  $V_f$  of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}}$ . Moreover, when restricted to  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ ,  $V_f$  is crystalline and its de Rham filtration is given by

$$(12) \quad \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}^i(V_f) = \begin{cases} E\nu_1 \oplus E\nu_2 & \text{if } i \leq 0 \\ E\nu_1 & \text{if } 1 \leq i \leq k-1 \\ 0 & \text{if } i \geq k \end{cases}$$

for some basis  $\nu_1, \nu_2$  over  $E$ . We further assume that  $v_p(a_p) \neq 0$ , i.e.  $f$  is supersingular at  $p$ . Then  $\nu_1$  is not an eigenvector of  $\varphi$  by [Kat04, Theorem 16.6] and we may choose  $\nu_2 = p^{1-k}\varphi(\nu_1)$  so that the matrix  $A_\varphi$  of  $\varphi$  with respect to the basis  $\nu_1, \nu_2$  is given by

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ p^{k-1} & a_p \end{pmatrix}$$

since  $\varphi^2 - a_p\varphi + p^{k-1} = 0$  (c.f. [Sch90]). We call such a basis a ‘good basis’ for  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f)$ .

Let  $\bar{\nu}_1$  and  $\bar{\nu}_2$  be a ‘good basis’ of  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_{\bar{f}})$ . Then, the matrix of  $\varphi$  with respect to this basis is equal to  $A_\varphi$  also since  $a_p = \bar{a}_p$ .

Note that  $V_{\bar{f}}$  has Hodge-Tate weights 0 and  $-k+1$ , so it is positive. Fix a basis  $n_1, n_2$  of  $\mathbb{N}(V_{\bar{f}})$  satisfying the conditions in Lemma 3.15, so  $\begin{pmatrix} \bar{\nu}_1 \\ \bar{\nu}_2 \end{pmatrix} = M' \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix}$  with  $M'|_{\pi=0} = I$ . We obtain two pairs of Coleman maps associated to  $f$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Col}_i : \mathbb{D}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))^{\psi=1} &\longrightarrow (E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}, \\ \underline{\text{Col}}_i : \mathbb{D}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))^{\psi=1} &\longrightarrow \Lambda_E(G_\infty), \end{aligned}$$

for  $i = 1, 2$ .

Recall the isomorphism (4) above:

$$h_{\mathbb{Q}_p, \text{Iw}}^1 : \mathbb{D}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))^{\psi=1} \cong H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V_{\bar{f}}(k-1)).$$

We can therefore consider the localization of Kato’s zeta element  $\mathbf{z}^{\text{Kato}}$  from [Kat04] (see section 6.1 below), which *a priori* is an element of  $H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))$ , as an element of  $\mathbb{D}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))^{\psi=1}$ . We can now define two pairs of  $p$ -adic  $L$ -functions:

**Definition 3.17.** For  $i = 1, 2$ , define  $L_{p,i} = \text{Col}_i(\mathbf{z}^{\text{Kato}}) \in (E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$  and  $\tilde{L}_{p,i} = \underline{\text{Col}}_i(\mathbf{z}^{\text{Kato}}) \in \Lambda_E(G_\infty)$  where  $\mathbf{z}^{\text{Kato}}$  is the localization of the Kato zeta element.

The reason why we consider  $V_{\bar{f}}$  instead of  $V_f$  will become apparent in section 3.4 below. In addition, below is a list of assumptions which we will need later when we prove different results.

- **Assumption (A):**  $k \geq 3$  or  $a_p = 0$ .
- **Assumption (B):**  $a_p$  is not of the form  $p^j + p^{k-2-j}$  for some integer  $1 \leq j \leq k-3$ .
- **Assumption (C):**  $v_p(a_p) > \lfloor (k-2)/(p-1) \rfloor$ .
- **Assumption (D):**  $p \geq k-1$ .

**3.4. Relation to the Perrin-Riou pairing.** Let  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  be the roots of the quadratic  $X^2 - a_p X + p^{k-1}$ . By the work of Amice–Vélu and Vishik cited in the introduction, we can associate to  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$   $p$ -adic  $L$ -functions  $L_{p,\alpha}$  and  $L_{p,\beta}$  respectively; see [MTT86, §11] for an account of the construction. We will relate them to  $L_{p,i}$ ,  $i = 1, 2$ , as defined above. We first prove some preliminary results on general crystalline representations.

Let  $\gamma$  be a topological generator of  $\Gamma$ . Define

$$\mathcal{H}(G_\infty) = \{f(\gamma - 1) \mid f(X) \in \mathbb{Q}_p[\Delta][[X]] \text{ such that } f \text{ converges for all } X \in \mathbb{C}_p \text{ with } |X| < 1\}.$$



We can identify  $\mathcal{H}(G_\infty)$  with  $(\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$  via the map

$$(13) \quad \begin{aligned} \mathfrak{M} : \mathcal{H}(G_\infty) &\longrightarrow (\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0} \\ f(\gamma - 1) &\longmapsto f(\gamma - 1)(\pi + 1), \end{aligned}$$

where any  $g \in G_\infty$  acts on  $\pi$  by  $(\pi + 1)^{\chi(g)} - 1$ . As shown in [PR01, B.2.8], this map is a bijection, extending the isomorphism  $\Lambda(G_\infty) \rightarrow (\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$  of Lemma 3.7. For  $r \geq 1$ , define

$$\mathcal{H}_r^{\text{temp}} = \left\{ \sum_{\sigma \in \Delta} \sum_{n \geq 0} c_{n, \sigma} \sigma X^n : \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{|c_{n, \sigma}|_p}{n^r} = 0 \right\}.$$

Let  $\mathcal{H}^{\text{temp}} = \bigcup_{r \geq 1} \mathcal{H}_r^{\text{temp}}$ , and define  $\mathcal{H}^{\text{temp}}(G_\infty) = \{f(\gamma - 1) \mid f(X) \in \mathcal{H}^{\text{temp}}\}$ .

Let  $V$  be any crystalline  $E$ -linear representation of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ , and let  $h$  be a positive integer such that  $\text{Fil}^{-h} \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V) = \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)$ . Denote by

$$\Omega_{V, h} : (\mathcal{H}^{\text{temp}}(G_\infty) \otimes \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V))^{\Sigma=0} \longrightarrow \mathcal{H}^{\text{temp}}(G_\infty) \otimes_{\Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}_p}} H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V)$$

Perrin-Riou's exponential map as constructed in [PR94]. Here,

$$\Sigma : \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+ \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V) \rightarrow \bigoplus_{k=0}^h (\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V) / (1 - p^k \varphi))(k)$$

is the map sending  $f \in \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+ \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)$  to the class of  $\oplus \partial^k(f)(0)$ , where  $\partial = (1 + \pi) \frac{d}{d\pi}$  is the derivation on  $\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+$  defined in §2.2. Since  $\Omega_{V, h}$  is a homomorphism of  $\mathcal{H}^{\text{temp}}(G_\infty)$ -modules, we can extend scalars to get

$$(14) \quad \Omega_{V, h} : ((\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0} \otimes \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V))^{\Sigma=0} \longrightarrow \mathcal{H}(G_\infty) \otimes_{\Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}_p}} H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V),$$

where we identify  $(\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$  with  $\mathcal{H}(G_\infty)$  via  $\mathfrak{M}$ .

**Remark 3.18.** We will only apply (14) to elements in which lie in the image of  $\mathcal{H}^{\text{temp}}(G_\infty) \otimes \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)$  under  $\mathfrak{M}$ , so we can refer to [PR94] for the properties of  $\Omega_{V, h}$ . The reason for extending scalars to  $\mathcal{H}(G_\infty)$  is that we want to be able to use Berger's description of the exponential map in [Ber03, §II.5].

Recall that we have chosen a  $p$ -power compatible system  $\varepsilon^{(n)}$ ,  $n \geq 0$ , of  $p$ -power roots of unity.

**Proposition 3.19.** Assume that  $V$  is a crystalline representation of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ . Let  $h \geq 1$  such that  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}^{-h}(V) = \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)$  and  $p^{-j}$  is not an eigenvalue of  $\varphi$  on  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)$  for  $j \in \mathbb{Z}$  with  $0 \leq j \leq h$ . Then, for all  $v \in \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)$ , the projection to the  $n$ -th local cohomology  $H^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, n, V)$  of  $\frac{1}{(h-1)!} \Omega_{V, h}((1 + \pi) \otimes v)$  is given by

$$(15) \quad \begin{cases} p^{-n} \exp_{F_n, V} \left( \sum_{m=0}^{n-1} \varepsilon^{(n-m)} \otimes \varphi^{m-n}(v) + (1 - \varphi)^{-1}(v) \right) & \text{if } n \geq 1 \\ \exp_{\mathbb{Q}_p, V} \left( \left(1 - \frac{\varphi^{-1}}{p}\right) (1 - \varphi)^{-1}(v) \right) & \text{if } n = 0. \end{cases}$$

*Proof.* Let  $g \in (\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0} \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)$ . We write  $\Delta_j(g) = \partial^j(g)(0)$  and

$$\tilde{g} = g - \sum_{j=0}^h \frac{1}{j!} \log_p^j \Delta_j(g).$$

By [PR94, section 2.2], the sum  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \varphi^n(\tilde{g})$  converges. A solution to  $(1 - \varphi)G = g$  with  $G \in (\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+ \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}})^{\psi=1}$  is given by

$$G = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \varphi^n(\tilde{g}) + \sum_{j=0}^h \frac{1}{j!} \log_p^j v_j$$

where  $v_j \in \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)$  is such that  $\Delta_j(g) = (1 - p^j \varphi)v_j$ . Now, take  $g = (1 + \pi) \otimes v$ , so  $\Delta_j(g) = v$  for all  $j$ . Let  $n$  be a positive integer, then

$$(16) \quad \varphi^m(\tilde{g})(\varepsilon^{(n)} - 1) = \begin{cases} (\varepsilon^{(n-m)} - 1) \otimes \varphi^m(v) & \text{if } m < n \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Therefore, we have

$$\begin{aligned} G(\varepsilon^{(n)} - 1) &= \sum_{m=0}^{n-1} (\varepsilon^{(n-m)} - 1) \otimes \varphi^m(v) + (1 - \varphi)^{-1}(v) \\ &= \sum_{m=0}^{n-1} \varepsilon^{(n-m)} \otimes \varphi^m(v) + (1 - \varphi)^{-1} \varphi^n(v) \end{aligned}$$

Hence, by the main result in [PR94], the  $n$ -th component of  $\frac{1}{(h-1)!} \Omega_{V,h}((1 + \pi) \otimes v)$  is given by the image of

$$(17) \quad p^{-n} \varphi^{-n} G(\varepsilon^{(n)} - 1) = \frac{1}{p^n} \left( \sum_{m=0}^{n-1} \varepsilon^{(n-m)} \otimes \varphi^{m-n}(v) + (1 - \varphi)^{-1}(v) \right)$$

under the map  $\exp_{\mathbb{Q}_p, n, V}$ . For the 0-th level, it is given by the image of

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Tr}_{\mathbb{Q}_p, 1/\mathbb{Q}_p} \left( \frac{1}{p} \varphi^{-1} G(\varepsilon^{(1)} - 1) \right) &= \frac{1}{p} \text{Tr}_{\mathbb{Q}_p, 1/\mathbb{Q}_p} (\varepsilon^{(1)} \otimes \varphi^{-1}(v) + (1 - \varphi)^{-1}(v)) \\ &= \frac{1}{p} (-1 \otimes \varphi^{-1}(v) + (p-1)(1 - \varphi)^{-1}(v)) \\ &= \left( 1 - \frac{\varphi^{-1}}{p} \right) (1 - \varphi)^{-1}(v). \end{aligned}$$

under the map  $\exp_{\mathbb{Q}_p, V}$ , so we are done.  $\square$

Define the Perrin-Riou pairing  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_V$  by

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_V : H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V) \times H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V^*(1)) &\longrightarrow \Lambda_E(G_\infty), \\ \langle (x_n), (y_n) \rangle_V &= \varprojlim \Sigma_{\tau \in G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}/G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^{p^n}} (\tau(x_n) \cup y_n) \tau. \end{aligned}$$

**Remark 3.20.** In [PR94], the pairing is defined by

$$\langle (x_n), (y_n) \rangle_V = \varprojlim \Sigma_{\tau \in G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}/G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^{p^n}} (\tau^{-1}(x_n) \cup y_n) \tau.$$

We use the different convention so that the map  $\mathcal{L}_{h,z}$  defined in (18) below is a  $\Lambda(G_\infty)$ -homomorphism.

We can extend the pairing  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_V$  to

$$\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_V : \left( \mathcal{H}(G_\infty) \otimes_{\Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}_p}} H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V) \right) \times \left( \mathcal{H}(G_\infty) \otimes_{\Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}_p}} H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V^*(1)) \right) \longrightarrow \mathcal{H}(G_\infty).$$

Any  $z \in ((\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0} \otimes \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V))^{\Sigma=0}$  therefore defines a map

$$(18) \quad \begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{h,z} : H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V^*(1)) &\longrightarrow \mathcal{H}(G_\infty), \\ (y_n)_{n \geq 0} &\longmapsto \langle \Omega_{h,V}(z), (y_n) \rangle_V. \end{aligned}$$

As recalled in section 2.3 above, for any  $p$ -adic representation  $V$  of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$  we have a canonical isomorphism

$$h_{\mathbb{Q}_p, \text{Iw}}^1 : \mathbb{D}(V)^{\psi=1} \cong H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V).$$

**Lemma 3.21.** For all  $j \in \mathbb{Z}$  and for all  $y \in \mathbb{D}(V)^{\psi=1}$  and  $y' \in \mathbb{D}(V^*(1))^{\psi=1}$ , we have

$$\partial^j \langle h_{\mathbb{Q}_p, \text{Iw}}^1(y), h_{\mathbb{Q}_p, \text{Iw}}^1(y') \rangle_V = \langle h_{\mathbb{Q}_p, \text{Iw}}^1(y \otimes e_j), h_{\mathbb{Q}_p, \text{Iw}}^1(y' \otimes e_{-j}) \rangle_{V(j)}.$$

*Proof.* See Lemme ii) Section 3.6 in [PR94].  $\square$

We now return to the setting in Section 3.3. We will apply Perrin-Riou's theory that we recalled above to the crystalline representation  $V_f(1)$ . In particular,  $V_f(1)^*(1) \cong V_{\bar{f}}(k-1)$ . By (12), we can take  $h = 1$ . Note that  $\varphi$  acts on  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f(1))$  by  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -p^{-1} \\ p^{k-2} & p^{-1}a_p \end{pmatrix}$  with respect to a 'good basis'  $\nu_i \otimes t^{-1}e_1$ ,  $i = 1, 2$  as chosen in Section 3.3. But  $a_p \neq p + p^{k-2}$  by the Weil bound, so both  $1 - \varphi$  and  $1 - p\varphi$  are isomorphisms on  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f(1))$  and  $\Sigma = 0$ . Let  $\bar{\nu}_1, \bar{\nu}_2$  be a 'good basis' for  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_{\bar{f}})$ . We can identify  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f)$  with  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f(1))$  (resp.  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_{\bar{f}})$  with  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))$ ) via  $\nu_i \mapsto \nu_i \otimes e_1 t^{-1}$  (resp.  $\bar{\nu}_i \mapsto \bar{\nu}_i \otimes e_{k-1} t^{1-k}$ ). Under these identifications, the natural pairing

$$(19) \quad [\ , \ ] : \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f(1)) \times \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1)) \rightarrow \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(E(1)) = E \cdot e_1 t^{-1}$$

satisfies  $[\nu_1, \bar{\nu}_1] = 0$ . By applying  $\varphi$ , we have  $[\nu_2, \bar{\nu}_2] = 0$ , too. We also have  $[\nu_1, \bar{\nu}_2] = -[\nu_2, \bar{\nu}_1] \neq 0$ . Without loss of generality, we may assume that  $[\nu_1, \bar{\nu}_2] = -[\nu_2, \bar{\nu}_1] = 1$ .

Let  $x \in \mathbb{D}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))^{\psi=1}$ . It follows from the construction of the Coleman maps in Section 3.3 that if we let

$$(20) \quad M = \begin{pmatrix} m_{11} & m_{12} \\ m_{21} & m_{22} \end{pmatrix} = \left( \frac{t}{\pi q} \right)^{k-1} P^T M'^{-1},$$

then, by (11),  $(1 - \varphi)(x)$  can be written as

$$(21) \quad (1 - \varphi)(x) = (y_1 m_{11} + y_2 m_{21}) \bar{\nu}_1 \otimes t^{1-k} e_{k-1} + (y_1 m_{12} + y_2 m_{22}) \bar{\nu}_2 \otimes t^{1-k} e_{k-1},$$

where  $y_i = \text{Col}_i(x)$  for  $i = 1, 2$ .

**Proposition 3.22.** *On identifying with their images under  $\mathfrak{M}$ , we have*

$$(22) \quad \langle \Omega_{V_f(1),1}((1 + \pi) \otimes \nu_1), x \rangle_{V_f(1)} = y_1 m_{12} + y_2 m_{22},$$

$$(23) \quad -\langle \Omega_{V_f(1),1}((1 + \pi) \otimes \nu_2), x \rangle_{V_f(1)} = y_1 m_{11} + y_2 m_{21}.$$

The rest of this section is devoted to proving this result. We follow closely Berger's proof of Perrin-Riou's explicit reciprocity law in [Ber03]. We first make the following definition: let  $V \in \text{Rep}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(G_{\mathbb{Q}_p})$ . For an element  $x \in H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V)$ , define  $h_{\mathbb{Q}_p, V}^1(x)$  to be the image of  $x$  under the projection map  $H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V) \rightarrow H^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V)$ .

Recall also the map  $\partial_V$  defined in subsection 2.2: for  $z \in \mathbb{Q}_{p,n}((t)) \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f(1+j))$ , we denote the constant coefficient of  $z$  by  $\partial_{V_f(1+j)}(z) \in \mathbb{Q}_{p,n} \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f(1+j))$ .

**Lemma 3.23.** *Let  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ , and choose  $\eta_i \in (\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+ \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f(1)))^{\psi=1}$  such that  $(1 - \varphi)\eta_i = (1 + \pi) \otimes \nu_i$ . Then*

$$h_{\mathbb{Q}_p, V_f(1+j)}^1 \Omega_{V_f(1+j), 1+j}(\partial^{-j}(1 + \pi) \otimes \nu_i \otimes t^{-j} e_j) = j! \exp_{\mathbb{Q}_p, V_f(1+j)} \left( \left(1 - \frac{\varphi^{-1}}{p}\right) \partial_{V_f(1+j)}(\partial^{-j} \eta_i \otimes t^{-j} e_j) \right).$$

*Proof.* By Proposition 3.19, we need to prove that  $\partial_{V_f(1+j)}(\partial^{-j} \eta_i \otimes t^{-j} e_j) = (1 - \varphi)^{-1}(\nu_i \otimes t^{-j} e_j)$ . Note that  $\varphi$  commutes with  $\partial_{V_f(1+j)}$  and  $\varphi \circ \partial^{-j} = p^j \partial^{-j} \circ \varphi$ , so

$$(1 - \varphi) \partial_{V_f(1+j)}(\partial^{-j} \eta_i \otimes t^{-j} e_j) = \partial_{V_f(1+j)}(\partial^{-j}(1 + \pi) \otimes \nu_i \otimes t^{-j} e_j).$$

Note that  $\partial(1 + \pi) = 1 + \pi$ , so  $\partial_{V_f(1+j)}(\partial^{-j}(1 + \pi) \otimes \nu_i \otimes t^{-j} e_j) = \nu_i \otimes t^{-j} e_j$ . Also, as observed above,  $1 - \varphi$  is invertible on  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f(1))$ , which proves the result.  $\square$

We can now prove Proposition 3.22. We will only prove (23) here; the proof of (22) is analogous.

*Proof.* For  $i = 1, 2$ , let  $\eta_i \in (\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+ \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f(1)))^{\psi=1}$  such that  $(1 - \varphi)\eta_i = (1 + \pi) \otimes \nu_i$ . By  $p$ -adic interpolation it is sufficient to show that

$$\partial^j (\langle \Omega_{V_f(1),1}((1 + \pi) \otimes \nu_2), h_{\mathbb{Q}_p, \text{Iw}}^1(x) \rangle_{V_f(1)}) (0) = \partial^j (y_1 m_{12} + y_2 m_{22}) (0)$$

for all  $j \gg 0$ . We have

$$(24) \quad \begin{aligned} & \partial^j (\langle \Omega_{V_f(1),1}((1+\pi) \otimes \nu_2), x \rangle_{V_f(1)}) = \langle \Omega_{V_f(1),1}((1+\pi) \otimes \nu_2) \otimes e_j, h_{\text{Iw}, V_{\bar{f}}(k-1-j)}^1(x \otimes e_{-j}) \rangle_{V_f(1+j)} \\ & = (-1)^j \langle \Omega_{V_f(1+j),1+j}(\partial^{-j}(1+\pi) \otimes \nu_2 \otimes t^{-j}e_j), h_{\text{Iw}, V_{\bar{f}}(k-1-j)}^1(x \otimes e_{-j}) \rangle_{V_f(1+j)} \end{aligned}$$

by Lemma 3.21 and the properties of  $\Omega$  (c.f. p. 119, Théorème (B)(ii) in [PR94]). Hence

$$(25) \quad \begin{aligned} & \partial^j (\langle \Omega_{V_f(1),1}((1+\pi) \otimes \nu_2), x \rangle_{V_f(1)})(0) \\ & = (-1)^j \langle h_{\mathbb{Q}_p, V_f(1+j)}^1 \Omega_{V_f(1+j),1+j}(\partial^{-j}(1+\pi) \otimes \nu_2 \otimes t^{-j}e_j), h_{\mathbb{Q}_p, V_{\bar{f}}(k-1-j)}^1(x \otimes e_{-j}) \rangle_{V_f(1+j)} \end{aligned}$$

$$(26) \quad = j! \left\langle \exp_{\mathbb{Q}_p, V_f(1+j)} \left( \left(1 - \frac{\varphi^{-1}}{p}\right) \partial_{V_f(1+j)}(\partial^{-j}\eta_2 \otimes t^{-j}e_j) \right), h_{\mathbb{Q}_p, V_{\bar{f}}(k-1-j)}^1(x \otimes e_{-j}) \right\rangle_{V_f(1+j)}$$

$$(27) \quad = j! \left[ \left(1 - \frac{\varphi^{-1}}{p}\right) \partial_{V_f(1+j)}(\partial^{-j}\eta_2 \otimes t^{-j}e_j), \exp_{\mathbb{Q}_p, V^*(1+j)}^* h_{\mathbb{Q}_p, V_{\bar{f}}(k-1-j)}^1(x \otimes e_{-j}) \right]_{V_f(1+j)}$$

$$(28) \quad = j! \left[ \left(1 - \frac{\varphi^{-1}}{p}\right) \partial_{V_f(1+j)}(\partial^{-j}\eta_2 \otimes t^{-j}e_j), \left(1 - \frac{\varphi^{-1}}{p}\right) \partial_{V_{\bar{f}}(k-1-j)}(x \otimes e_{-j}) \right]_{V_f(1+j)}$$

$$(29) \quad = j! [\partial_{V_f(1+j)}(\partial^{-j}(1+\pi) \otimes \nu_2 \otimes t^{-j}e_j), \partial_{V_{\bar{f}}(k-1-j)}((1-\varphi)x \otimes e_{-j})]_{V_f(1+j)}$$

The equalities can be explained as follows:

- the first equality is immediate from (24) and the construction of  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_V$ ;
- the implication (25)  $\Rightarrow$  (26) follows from Lemma 3.23;
- the implication (26)  $\Rightarrow$  (27) is the duality between  $\exp_{F, V_f(1+j)}$  and  $\exp_{F, V_f(1+j)}^*$ ;
- the implication (27)  $\Rightarrow$  (28) follows from [Ber03, Theorem II.6], and
- (29) follows from (28) since  $1 - \varphi$  is the adjoint of  $1 - \frac{\varphi^{-1}}{p}$  under the pairing  $[\cdot, \cdot]$ .

Now  $\partial(1+\pi) = 1+\pi$ , which implies that  $\partial^{-j}(1+\pi) \otimes \nu_2 \otimes t^{-j}e_j = (1+\pi) \otimes \nu_2 \otimes t^{-j}e_j$  and hence

$$\partial_{V_f(1+j)}(\partial^{-j}(1+\pi) \otimes \nu_2 \otimes t^{-j}e_j) = \nu_2 \otimes t^{-j}e_j.$$

By (21), we can write

$$(1-\varphi)x = (y_1 m_{11} + y_2 m_{21})\bar{\nu}_1 + (y_1 m_{12} + y_2 m_{22})\bar{\nu}_2.$$

Recall that by construction, we have  $[\nu_2, \bar{\nu}_1] = -1$  and  $[\nu_i, \bar{\nu}_i] = 0$  for  $i = 1, 2$ . It follows that if we write  $-(y_1 m_{11} + y_2 m_{21}) = \sum_{i \geq 0} c_i t^i$  with  $c_i \in \mathbb{Q}_p$ , then (29) is equal to  $j! c_j$ . Since also  $-\partial^j(y_1 m_{11} + y_2 m_{21})(0) = j! c_j$ , this finishes the proof of (23).  $\square$

We can summarize the results of this section by the following corollary:

**Corollary 3.24.** *We have a commutative diagram*

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{N}(V)^{\psi=1} & \xrightarrow{h_{\mathbb{Q}_p, \text{Iw}}^1} & H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V) \\ \downarrow 1-\varphi & & \downarrow (\text{Col}_1, \text{Col}_2) \\ (\varphi^* \mathbb{N}(V))^{\psi=0} & \xrightarrow{\mathfrak{J}} & \Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(G_\infty)^{\oplus 2} \\ \downarrow M & & \downarrow \underline{M} \\ ((\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0})^{\oplus 2} \xrightarrow{\mathfrak{M}^{-1}} & \mathcal{H}(G_\infty)^{\oplus 2} \\ \downarrow \text{pr}_i & & \downarrow \underline{\text{pr}}_i \\ (\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0} & \xrightarrow{\mathfrak{M}^{-1}} & \mathcal{H}(G_\infty). \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} \curvearrowright \\ \mathcal{L}_{1, \bar{\nu}_i \otimes (1+\pi)} \end{array}$$

Here,  $\text{pr}_i$  and  $\underline{\text{pr}}_i$  denote the projection maps onto the respective  $i$ -th components, and for an element  $x \in (\varphi^* \mathbb{N}(V))^{\psi=0}$ ,  $M.x$  is defined as follows: if  $x = x_1 \varphi(\pi^{1-k} n_1 \otimes e_{k-1}) + x_2 \varphi(\pi^{1-k} n_2 \otimes e_{k-1})$  with  $x_1, x_2 \in (\mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$ , then  $M.x = M \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$ .

**3.5. Bounded  $p$ -adic  $L$ -functions.** We now establish some basic properties of  $L_{p,i}$  and  $\tilde{L}_{p,i}$ .

**3.5.1. Decomposition of  $p$ -adic  $L$ -functions.** Recall that  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are the roots of the quadratic  $X^2 - a_p X + p^{k-1}$ . By [Kat04, Theorem 16.6], there exist eigenvectors  $\eta_\alpha$  and  $\eta_\beta$  of  $\varphi$  in  $E(\alpha) \otimes_E \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f)$  with eigenvalues  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  respectively such that  $[\eta_\alpha, \bar{\nu}_1] = [\eta_\beta, \bar{\nu}_1] = 1$  and we have

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \Omega_{V_f(1),1}((1+\pi) \otimes \eta_\alpha), \mathbf{z}^{\text{Kato}} \rangle_{V_f(1)} &= \tilde{L}_{p,\alpha}, \\ \langle \Omega_{V_f(1),1}((1+\pi) \otimes \eta_\beta), \mathbf{z}^{\text{Kato}} \rangle_{V_f(1)} &= \tilde{L}_{p,\beta}. \end{aligned}$$

It can be verified that

$$\begin{aligned} \eta_\alpha &= \alpha^{-1} \nu_1 - \nu_2, \\ \eta_\beta &= \beta^{-1} \nu_1 - \nu_2. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, by Definition 3.17 and Proposition 3.22, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathfrak{M}(\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha}) &= (\alpha^{-1} m_{12} + m_{11}) L_{p,1} + (\alpha^{-1} m_{22} + m_{21}) L_{p,2}, \\ \mathfrak{M}(\tilde{L}_{p,\beta}) &= (\beta^{-1} m_{12} + m_{11}) L_{p,1} + (\beta^{-1} m_{22} + m_{21}) L_{p,2}; \end{aligned}$$

in the notation of Section 1.2, we have

$$\mathcal{M} = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha^{-1} m_{12} + m_{11} & \alpha^{-1} m_{22} + m_{21} \\ \beta^{-1} m_{12} + m_{11} & \beta^{-1} m_{22} + m_{21} \end{pmatrix}.$$

The functions  $L_{p,1}$  and  $L_{p,2}$  can therefore be written as

$$(30) \quad L_{p,1} = \frac{(\beta^{-1} m_{22} + m_{21}) \mathfrak{M}(\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha}) - (\alpha^{-1} m_{22} + m_{21}) \mathfrak{M}(\tilde{L}_{p,\beta})}{(\beta^{-1} - \alpha^{-1}) \det(M)}$$

$$(31) \quad L_{p,2} = \frac{(\beta^{-1} m_{12} + m_{11}) \mathfrak{M}(\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha}) - (\alpha^{-1} m_{12} + m_{11}) \mathfrak{M}(\tilde{L}_{p,\beta})}{(\alpha^{-1} - \beta^{-1}) \det(M)}$$

Let  $x \in \mathbb{D}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))^{\psi=1}$ . On the one hand,

$$(1 - \varphi)x = \underline{\text{Col}}_1(x) \cdot [(1 + \pi) \varphi(\pi^{1-k} n_1 \otimes e_{k-1})] + \underline{\text{Col}}_2(x) \cdot [(1 + \pi) \varphi(\pi^{1-k} n_2 \otimes e_{k-1})].$$

On the other hand, Proposition 3.22 says that

$$(1 - \varphi)x = \mathfrak{M} \circ \mathcal{L}_{1,\nu_1 \otimes (1+\pi)}(x) \bar{\nu}_2 \otimes t^{1-k} e_{k-1} - \mathfrak{M} \circ \mathcal{L}_{1,\nu_2 \otimes (1+\pi)}(x) \bar{\nu}_1 \otimes t^{1-k} e_{k-1}.$$

Therefore, we have

$$(\underline{\text{Col}}_1(x) \quad \underline{\text{Col}}_2(x)) \cdot [(1 + \pi)M] = (-\mathfrak{M} \circ \mathcal{L}_{1,\nu_2 \otimes (1+\pi)}(x) \quad \mathfrak{M} \circ \mathcal{L}_{1,\nu_1 \otimes (1+\pi)}(x)).$$

Let  $\underline{M} = (\underline{m}_{ij}) = \mathfrak{M}^{-1}[(1 + \pi)M]$ , then as elements of  $\mathcal{H}(G_\infty)$

$$(32) \quad (\underline{\text{Col}}_1(x) \quad \underline{\text{Col}}_2(x)) \underline{M} = (-\mathcal{L}_{1,\nu_2 \otimes (1+\pi)}(x) \quad \mathcal{L}_{1,\nu_1 \otimes (1+\pi)}(x)).$$

Therefore, by exactly the same calculation as above, we have the following theorem:

**Theorem 3.25.** *Define*

$$\underline{\mathcal{M}} = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha^{-1} \underline{m}_{12} + \underline{m}_{11} & \alpha^{-1} \underline{m}_{22} + \underline{m}_{21} \\ \beta^{-1} \underline{m}_{12} + \underline{m}_{11} & \beta^{-1} \underline{m}_{22} + \underline{m}_{21} \end{pmatrix}.$$

*Then we have the decomposition*

$$(33) \quad \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{L}_{p,\alpha} \\ \tilde{L}_{p,\beta} \end{pmatrix} = \underline{\mathcal{M}} \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{L}_{p,1} \\ \tilde{L}_{p,2} \end{pmatrix}$$

Again, in the notation of Section 1.2, we have

$$\underline{\mathcal{M}} = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha^{-1}\underline{m}_{12} + \underline{m}_{11} & \alpha^{-1}\underline{m}_{22} + \underline{m}_{21} \\ \beta^{-1}\underline{m}_{12} + \underline{m}_{11} & \beta^{-1}\underline{m}_{22} + \underline{m}_{21} \end{pmatrix}.$$

3.5.2. *Interpolating properties.* We calculate the values of our new  $p$ -adic  $L$ -functions at characters modulo  $p$ . We first state a lemma concerning such characters.

**Lemma 3.26.** *If  $A \in (\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$  is divisible by  $\varphi(\pi)$ , then  $\mathfrak{M}^{-1}(A)$  is zero when evaluated at any character with conductor  $p$ .*

*Proof.* This is a special case of Theorem 5.4 as proved below.  $\square$

**Notation 3.27.** *For any element  $x \in \mathbb{C}_p \otimes (\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$  and  $\eta$  a character on  $G_\infty$ , we write  $\eta(x)$  for  $\eta(\mathfrak{M}^{-1}(x))$ .*

**Proposition 3.28.** *Let  $\eta$  be a primitive character modulo  $p$ , then*

$$\begin{aligned} \eta(L_{p,1}) &= \frac{\tau(\eta)}{p^{k-1}} \cdot \frac{L(f_{\eta^{-1}}, 1)}{\Omega_f^{\eta(-1)}}, \\ \eta(L_{p,2}) &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, if  $\eta$  is the trivial character, then

$$\begin{aligned} \eta(L_{p,1}) &= \frac{a_p - p^{k-2} - 1}{p^{k-1}} \cdot \frac{L(f, 1)}{\Omega_f^+}, \\ \eta(L_{p,2}) &= \left(\frac{1}{p} - 1\right) \cdot \frac{L(f, 1)}{\Omega_f^+}. \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* Since

$$M = (t/\pi q)^{k-1} P^T M'^{-1} = (t/\pi q)^{k-1} \varphi(M'^{-1}) A_\varphi^T$$

and  $M'|_{\pi=0} = I$ , we have  $M|_{\pi=(\zeta-1)} = A_\varphi^T$  for any  $p$ -th root of unity  $\zeta$ . In other words, we have  $M \equiv A_\varphi^T \pmod{\varphi(\pi)}$ . Therefore, (30) and (31) imply that,

$$(34) \quad L_{p,1} \equiv \frac{(\beta^{-1}a_p - 1)\mathfrak{M}(\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha}) - (\alpha^{-1}a_p - 1)\mathfrak{M}(\tilde{L}_{p,\beta})}{(\beta^{-1} - \alpha^{-1})p^{k-1}} \pmod{\varphi(\pi)}$$

$$(35) \quad L_{p,2} \equiv \frac{\beta^{-1}\mathfrak{M}(\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha}) - \alpha^{-1}\mathfrak{M}(\tilde{L}_{p,\beta})}{(\alpha^{-1} - \beta^{-1})} \pmod{\varphi(\pi)}$$

Therefore, we are done by Lemma 3.26 and the values of  $\eta(\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha})$  and  $\eta(\tilde{L}_{p,\beta})$  given in [MTT86] for example.  $\square$

**Corollary 3.29.** *If  $k \geq 3$ , then  $L_{p,i} \neq 0$  for  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ . Moreover, if  $\eta$  is a character of  $\Delta$ , then  $L_{p,1}^\eta \neq 0$ .*

*Proof.* Since  $k \geq 3$ , the result follows from the fact that  $L(f_{\eta^{-1}}, 1) \neq 0$  (by [Shi76, Proposition 2]).  $\square$

**Remark 3.30.** *If  $k = 2$  and  $a_p = 0$ , we will show that under the Mellin transform,  $L_{p,1}$  and  $L_{p,2}$  agree with Pollack's plus and minus  $p$ -adic  $L$ -functions up to a unit. Therefore, by [Pol03, Corollary 5.11], it is in fact enough to assume that assumption (A) holds in order for Corollary 3.29 to hold.*

**Remark 3.31.** *We see that the interpolating properties of  $L_{p,1}$  and  $L_{p,2}$  at a character modulo  $p$  are independent of the choice of  $n_1, n_2$  as long as we have fixed a pair of 'good bases' for  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f)$  and  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_{\bar{f}})$ .*

**Lemma 3.32.** *If  $z \in \Lambda_E(G_\infty)$  and  $f \in (E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p})^{\psi=0}$ , then  $z \cdot (fn_i) \equiv (z \cdot f)n_i \pmod{\varphi(\pi)}$  for  $i = 1, 2$ .*

*Proof.* It follows from the fact that if  $g \in G_\infty$ ,  $g(\varphi\mathbb{N}(V)) \subset \varphi(\pi)\mathbb{N}(V)$  for any  $V$ .  $\square$

**Corollary 3.33.** *Proposition 3.28 (and hence Corollary 3.29) still hold after replacing  $L_{p,i}$  by  $\tilde{L}_{p,i}$  for  $i = 1, 2$ .*

*Proof.* By definitions, we have

$$(1 - \varphi)(\mathbf{z}^{\text{Kato}}) = (L_{p,1} \quad L_{p,2}) M \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\nu}_1 \\ \bar{\nu}_2 \end{pmatrix} \otimes t^{1-k} e_{k-1} = (\tilde{L}_{p,1} \quad \tilde{L}_{p,2}) \cdot \begin{pmatrix} (1 + \pi)n_1 \\ (1 + \pi)n_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

where  $\mathbf{z}^{\text{Kato}}$  is the localization of the Kato zeta element and  $M$  is as defined in (20). This implies

$$(L_{p,1} \quad L_{p,2}) \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix} = (\tilde{L}_{p,1} \quad \tilde{L}_{p,2}) \cdot \begin{pmatrix} (1 + \pi)n_1 \\ (1 + \pi)n_2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Therefore, by Lemma 3.32, we have  $L_{p,i} \equiv \mathfrak{M}(\tilde{L}_{p,i}) \pmod{\varphi(\pi)}$  and hence  $\mathfrak{M}^{-1}(L_{p,i})$  agrees with  $\tilde{L}_{p,i}$  at a character modulo  $p$  by Lemma 3.26.  $\square$

**3.5.3. Infinitude of zeros.** Let  $\eta$  be a character of  $\Delta$ . Mazur proved that at least one of  $\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha}$  and  $\tilde{L}_{p,\beta}$  has infinitely many zeros if  $v_p(\alpha) \neq v_p(\beta)$ . This has been generalized to the case  $a_p = 0$  ([Pol03, Theorem 3.5]). We show that our decomposition of  $\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha}$  and  $\tilde{L}_{p,\beta}$  can be used to give an alternative proof to Mazur's result as well as generalize Pollack's result to the case  $a_p \neq 0$ .

**Proposition 3.34.** *If  $f$  is a modular form as given in the beginning of Section 3.3 and  $\eta$  a character of  $\Delta$ , then either  $\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha}^\eta$  or  $\tilde{L}_{p,\beta}^\eta$  has infinitely many zeros.*

*Proof.* Assume not, then [Pol03, Lemma 3.2] implies that  $\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha}^\eta$  and  $\tilde{L}_{p,\beta}^\eta$  are  $O(1)$ .

By [BB10, Lemmas 3.3.5 and 3.3.6], the entries of  $M$  are  $O(\log_p^m)$  where  $m = \max\{v_p(\alpha), v_p(\beta)\} < k - 1$ . Therefore, with the notation above,  $m_{ij} = O(\log_p^m)$  for  $i, j \in \{1, 2\}$ . In particular, the  $\eta$ -component of

$$(\beta^{-1}m_{22} + m_{21})\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha} - (\alpha^{-1}m_{22} + m_{21})\tilde{L}_{p,\beta}$$

is  $O(\log_p^m)$ . By (30), the quantity above is divisible by  $(t/\pi q)^{k-1} \sim \log_p^{k-1}$  which forces  $L_{p,1}^\eta = 0$  contradicting Corollary 3.28.  $\square$

As with [Pol03, Theorem 3.5], we have:

**Corollary 3.35.** *If  $\alpha \notin E(\eta)$ , then both  $\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha}^\eta$  and  $\tilde{L}_{p,\beta}^\eta$  have infinitely many zeros.*

**3.6. Good ordinary modular forms.** We now assume that  $f$  is good ordinary at  $p$ . We will pick different bases from the supersingular case to define our Coleman maps. Let  $\alpha$  be the root of  $X^2 - a_p X + p^{k-1}$  which is a  $p$ -adic unit and  $\beta$  is the one with  $p$ -adic valuation  $k - 1$ . By a result of Deligne and Mazur-Wiles (see for example [Kat04, Section 17] for an exposition), there exists a 1-dimensional  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ -subrepresentation  $V'_f$  in  $V_f$ . Moreover,  $V'_f$  has Hodge-Tate weight 0 and  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V'_f)$  can be identified with the  $\alpha$ -eigenspace of  $\varphi$  in  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f)$ . We fix a nonzero element  $\bar{\nu}_1 \in \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V'_f)$ . Then, by (7),  $n_1 = \bar{\nu}_1$  is a basis of  $\mathbb{N}(V'_f)$  over  $E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ . Let  $\bar{\nu}_2$  be a nonzero  $\beta$ -eigenvector of  $\varphi$  in  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f)$ .

**Proposition 3.36.** *We may find  $n_2 \in \mathbb{N}(V_f)$  lifting  $\bar{\nu}_2$  such that  $n_1, n_2$  is an  $E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ -basis of  $\mathbb{N}(V_f)$ , and  $(1 + \pi)\varphi(\pi^{1-k}n_1 \otimes e_{k-1}), (1 + \pi)\varphi(\pi^{1-k}n_2 \otimes e_{k-1})$  is a  $\Lambda_E(G_\infty)$ -basis of  $(\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(V_f(k-1)))^{\psi=0}$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $N = \mathbb{N}(V_f)$  and  $N' = \mathbb{N}(V'_f)$ . Then the quotient  $N'' = N/N'$  may be identified with the Wach module of the quotient  $V_f/V'_f$ , and we have an exact sequence

$$0 \longrightarrow (\varphi^*N'(k-1))^{\psi=0} \longrightarrow (\varphi^*N(k-1))^{\psi=0} \longrightarrow (\varphi^*N''(k-1))^{\psi=0} \longrightarrow 0.$$

It is clear that  $(1 + \pi)\varphi(n_1 \otimes \pi^{1-k}e_{k-1})$  is a basis of  $(\varphi^*N'(k-1))^{\psi=0}$ , and the result now follows on applying theorem 3.5 to  $N''$ .  $\square$

Hence the change of basis matrix  $M'$ , with

$$\begin{pmatrix} \bar{\nu}_1 \\ \bar{\nu}_2 \end{pmatrix} = M' \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix},$$

is lower triangular, with  $1, (t/\pi)^{k-1}$  on the diagonal. With respect to this basis, the Coleman maps given in Section 3.1 enable us to define:



**Definition 3.37.** For  $i = 1, 2$ , define  $L_{p,i} \in (E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$  to be the image of the localization of the Kato zeta element (on using the identification as given by (4)) under  $\text{Col}_i$ . Similarly, define  $\tilde{L}_{p,i}$  to be the image of the localization of the Kato zeta element under  $\underline{\text{Col}}_i$ .

Since  $\varphi(n_1) = \alpha n_1$ , the matrix  $P$  as defined in Section 3.1 is upper triangular and there exists a unit  $u$  in  $E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$  such that

$$P = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & * \\ 0 & uq^{k-1} \end{pmatrix}.$$

Therefore, (10) becomes

$$(36) \quad (1 - \varphi)(x) = (\text{Col}_1(x) \quad \text{Col}_2(x)) \begin{pmatrix} \alpha(\frac{t}{\pi q})^{k-1} & 0 \\ * & u \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\nu}_1 \\ \bar{\nu}_2 \end{pmatrix} \otimes t^{1-k} e_{k-1}.$$

**Lemma 3.38.** Let  $\nu_1, \nu_2$  be a basis of  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f)$  such that  $\varphi(\nu_1) = \alpha\nu_1$  and  $\varphi(\nu_2) = \beta\nu_2$ . Then

$$[\nu_i \otimes t^{-1} e_1, \bar{\nu}_i \otimes t^{1-k} e_{k-1}] = 0$$

for  $i = 1, 2$  where  $[\ , \ ]$  is the pairing defined in (19).

*Proof.* Assume  $m_1 := [\nu_1 \otimes t^{-1} e_1, \bar{\nu}_1 \otimes t^{1-k} e_{k-1}] \neq 0$ . Since  $[\ , \ ]$  is compatible with  $\varphi$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi[\nu_1 \otimes t^{-1} e_1, \bar{\nu}_1 \otimes t^{1-k} e_{k-1}] &= [\varphi(\nu_1 \otimes t^{-1} e_1), \varphi(\bar{\nu}_1 \otimes t^{1-k} e_{k-1})] \\ p^{-1} m_1 &= [\alpha p^{-1} \nu_1 \otimes t^{-1} e_1, \alpha p^{1-k} \bar{\nu}_1 \otimes t^{1-k} e_{k-1}] \\ p^{k-1} m_1 &= \alpha^2 m_1. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $\alpha^2 = p^{k-1}$ , which is a contradiction. The proof for  $i = 2$  is similar.  $\square$

As in Section 3.4, we may assume that  $[\nu_1, \bar{\nu}_2] = -[\nu_2, \bar{\nu}_1] = 1$  and an analogue of Proposition 3.22 says that

$$\mathfrak{M}(-\mathcal{L}_{\nu_2 \otimes (1+\pi)} \circ h_{\text{Iw}}^1 \quad \mathcal{L}_{\nu_1 \otimes (1+\pi)} \circ h_{\text{Iw}}^1) = (\text{Col}_1 \quad \text{Col}_2) \begin{pmatrix} \alpha(\frac{t}{\pi q})^{k-1} & 0 \\ * & u \end{pmatrix}.$$

In particular, if we apply this to the Kato zeta element, we have

$$(-\mathfrak{M}(\tilde{L}_{p,\beta}) \quad \mathfrak{M}(\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha})) = (L_{p,1} \quad L_{p,2}) \begin{pmatrix} \alpha(\frac{t}{\pi q})^{k-1} & 0 \\ * & u \end{pmatrix}$$

where  $\tilde{L}_{p,\beta} = \mathcal{L}_{\nu_2}(\mathbf{z}^{\text{Kato}})$ . Similarly, we have

$$(37) \quad (-\tilde{L}_{p,\beta} \quad \tilde{L}_{p,\alpha}) = (\tilde{L}_{p,1} \quad \tilde{L}_{p,2}) \begin{pmatrix} \alpha \log_{p,k} & 0 \\ * & \tilde{u} \end{pmatrix}$$

where  $\log_{p,k} = \prod_{j=0}^{k-2} \log_p(\chi(\gamma)^{-j} \gamma) / (\chi(\gamma)^{-j} \gamma - 1)$  and  $\tilde{u} \in \Lambda_E(G_\infty)^\times$ .

Therefore, as in Section 3.4, we can decompose  $\tilde{L}_{p,\beta}$  into a linear combination of  $\tilde{L}_{p,1}$  and  $\tilde{L}_{p,2}$ , whereas  $\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha} = \tilde{L}_{p,2}$ , up to a unit. We now say something about  $\tilde{L}_{p,1}$ . When  $V_f$  is not locally split at  $p$ ,  $\tilde{L}_{p,\beta}$  is conjecturally equal to the critical slope  $p$ -adic  $L$ -function constructed in [PoS09]. We itemize this condition since we will need it again later.

• **Assumption (A')**:  $V_f$  is not locally split at  $p$  and  $k \geq 3$ .

In this case, [Kat04, Theorem 16.4 and 16.6] imply that  $\tilde{L}_{p,\beta}$  has the same interpolating properties as  $\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha}$ , namely:

$$(38) \quad \chi^r \eta(\tilde{L}_{p,\alpha}) = \frac{c_{\eta,r}}{\beta^n} L(f_{\eta^{-1}}, r+1) \quad \text{and} \quad \chi^r \eta(\tilde{L}_{p,\beta}) = \frac{c_{\eta,r}}{\beta^n} L(f_{\eta^{-1}}, r+1)$$

where  $\eta$  is a finite character of conduction  $p^n > 1$ ,  $0 \leq r \leq k-2$  and  $c_{\eta,r}$  is some constant independent of  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ . Note that the values given by (38) do not determine  $\tilde{L}_{p,\beta}$  uniquely. However, they allow us to show that  $\tilde{L}_{p,1}, L_{p,1} \neq 0$ .

**Proposition 3.39.** If assumption (A') holds, then  $\tilde{L}_{p,1}^\eta, L_{p,1}^\eta \neq 0$  for any character  $\eta$  on  $\Delta$ .

*Proof.* As in the proof of Proposition 3.28,  $M'|_{\pi=0}$  implies that  $M|_{\pi=(\zeta-1)} = A_\varphi^T$  for any  $\zeta^p = 1$ , where  $A_\varphi = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & 0 \\ 0 & \beta \end{pmatrix}$  is the matrix of  $\varphi$  with respect to  $\bar{v}_1, \bar{v}_2$ . Therefore,  $\mathfrak{M}(\tilde{L}_{p,\beta})(\zeta-1) = \alpha L_{p,1}(\zeta-1)$ . Since  $V_f$  is not locally split and  $k \geq 3$ , by the above discussion,  $\eta(\tilde{L}_{p,\beta}) = \frac{\tau(\eta)}{\beta} L(f_{\eta^{-1}}, 1) \neq 0$  as in the supersingular case. Therefore,  $L_{p,1}(\zeta-1) \neq 0$ . The statement about  $\tilde{L}_{p,1}$  then follows as in Corollary 3.33.  $\square$

We see from the proof that the interpolating properties of  $\mathfrak{M}^{-1}(L_{p,1})$  and  $\tilde{L}_{p,1}$  at characters modulo  $p$  are the same as that of  $\tilde{L}_{p,\beta}$  after multiplying a constant.

**Remark 3.40.** *If  $V_f$  does split locally at  $p$ , we can choose  $n_2 = \bar{v}_2$  and both  $P$  and  $M'$  would be diagonal. Therefore, we have  $\tilde{L}_{p,\beta} = \mathfrak{M}^{-1}((t/\pi q)^{k-1} L_{p,1}) = \log_{p,k} \tilde{L}_{p,1}$ . But it is not known that whether  $\tilde{L}_{p,\beta}$  is nonzero or not.*

#### 4. COLEMAN MAPS FOR THE BERGER–LI–ZHU BASIS

In this section, we will prove some results on the images of the Coleman maps under the assumption that  $v_p(a_p) > \lfloor \frac{k-2}{p-1} \rfloor$ , using the explicit basis of  $\mathbb{N}(V_{\bar{f}})$  written down in [BLZ04]. We shall also give an explicit proof that this particular basis satisfies the conclusions of theorem 3.15.

Write  $m = \lfloor (k-2)/(p-1) \rfloor$  and define

$$\log^+(1+\pi) = \prod_{n \geq 0} \frac{\varphi^{2n+1}(q)}{p} = \prod_{\substack{n \geq 1 \\ n \text{ even}}} \frac{\Phi_n(1+\pi)}{p}$$

and

$$\text{and} \quad \log^-(1+\pi) = \prod_{n \geq 0} \frac{\varphi^{2n}(q)}{p} = \prod_{\substack{n \geq 1 \\ n \text{ odd}}} \frac{\Phi_n(1+\pi)}{p}.$$

where  $\Phi_n(X)$  is the  $p^n$ -th cyclotomic polynomial. Let  $z_i$  be elements of  $\mathbb{Q}_p$  such that

$$p^m \left( \frac{\log^-(1+\pi)}{\log^+(1+\pi)} \right)^{k-1} = \sum_{i \geq 0} z_i \pi^i,$$

then as shown in [BLZ04, Proposition 3.1.1],

$$z = \sum_{i=0}^{k-2} z_i \pi^i \in \mathbb{Z}_p[[\pi]].$$

By [BLZ04], under assumption (C), i.e.  $v_p(a_p) > m$ , there is a lattice  $T_{\bar{f}}$  in  $V_{\bar{f}}$  and a basis of  $\mathbb{N}(T_{\bar{f}})$  such that the matrix of  $\varphi$  with respect to this basis,  $P$ , is given by

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ q^{k-1} & \delta z \end{pmatrix}$$

where  $\delta = a_p/p^m$ . In particular, the reduction of this basis modulo  $\pi$  is a “good basis” in the sense of §3.3, and hence the Coleman maps may be defined integrally as in remark 3.16. By construction, for any  $x \in \mathbb{D}(T_{\bar{f}}(k-1))^{\psi=1}$  with

$$x = \pi^{1-k} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix} \otimes e_{k-1},$$

we can express  $\text{Col}_i(x)$ ,  $i = 1, 2$ , in terms of  $x_1$  and  $x_2$ :

$$(39) \quad \text{Col}_1(x) = x_2 - \varphi(x_1) + \delta z x_1,$$

$$(40) \quad \text{Col}_2(x) = -q^{k-1} x_1 - \varphi(x_2).$$

**Remark 4.1.** *The representation constructed in [BLZ04] is really  $V_{\bar{f}}$  twisted by an unramified character. But since we assume that  $\epsilon(p) = 1$ , it does not affect the action of  $P$  and our calculations later on.*

4.1. **The image of  $\text{Col}_1$ .** We first give a few preliminary lemmas.

**Lemma 4.2.** *For all  $n \geq 0$ , we have  $\varphi^n(M'^{-1})(A_\varphi^T)^n = \varphi^{n-1}(P^T) \cdots \varphi(P^T)P^T M'^{-1}$ . Moreover, as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , the quantity above tends to 0.*

*Proof.* The equality follows from (9) and induction. For the limit, note that  $M'|_{\pi=0} = I$ , hence  $\varphi^n(M') \rightarrow I$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . The eigenvalues of  $A_\varphi$  are  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ . But  $\alpha^n, \beta^n \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , so we are done.  $\square$

**Lemma 4.3.** *Let  $x = \pi^{1-k} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix} \otimes e_{k-1}$ . Then,  $\psi(x)$  is given by*

$$\begin{pmatrix} \psi(x_1 \delta z + x_2) & -\psi(q^{k-1} x_1) \end{pmatrix} \pi^{1-k} \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

*Proof.* Recall that  $\varphi(\pi) = \pi q$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} x &= \pi^{1-k} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \end{pmatrix} (P^T)^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} \varphi(n_1) \\ \varphi(n_2) \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \delta z + x_2 & -q^{k-1} x_1 \end{pmatrix} \varphi(\pi)^{1-k} \begin{pmatrix} \varphi(n_1) \\ \varphi(n_2) \end{pmatrix}, \end{aligned}$$

hence the result  $\square$

**Lemma 4.4.** *For all  $n \geq 1$ , the constant term of  $\psi(q^n)$  is  $p^{n-1}$ .*

*Proof.* Induction.  $\square$

**Lemma 4.5.** *If  $f(\pi) \in E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ , then there exist unique  $a_i \in E$  for  $1 \leq i \leq k-1$  such that  $f(\pi) = \sum_{i=1}^{k-1} a_i (\pi+1)^i \pmod{\pi^{k-1}}$ .*

*Proof.* Note that

$$(41) \quad (\pi+1)^k = \binom{k}{1}(\pi+1)^{k-1} - \cdots + (-1)^{k-2} \binom{k}{k-1}(\pi+1) + (-1)^{k-1} \pmod{\pi^k}.$$

Suppose now that there exist  $a_1, \dots, a_{k-1} \in E$  such that  $(\pi+1)^k = \sum_{i=1}^{k-1} a_i (\pi+1)^i \pmod{\pi^k}$ . Subtracting this sum from (41) shows that

$$\left( \binom{k}{1} - a_{k-1} \right) (\pi+1)^{k-1} + \cdots + \left( (-1)^{k-2} \binom{k}{k-1} - a_1 \right) (\pi+1) + (-1)^{k-1} = 0.$$

But this gives a contradiction since  $\{(\pi+1)^i\}_{0 \leq i < k}$  is a basis of the vector space of polynomials of degree  $\leq k-1$ .  $\square$

**Proposition 4.6.** *Under assumption (C), the map  $(\pi^{k-1} \mathcal{O}_E \otimes \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0} \subset \text{Col}_1(\mathbb{D}(T_{\bar{f}}(k-1))^{\psi=1})$ .*

*Proof.* Recall that (6) says

$$(1-\varphi)x = \begin{pmatrix} y_1 & y_2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot (\pi q)^{1-k} P^T \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix} \otimes e_{k-1}.$$

For any  $y_1 \in (\pi^{k-1} \mathcal{O}_E \otimes \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$ , we have

$$y := \begin{pmatrix} y_1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot (\pi q)^{1-k} P^T \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix} \otimes e_{k-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & y_1/\pi^{k-1} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix} \otimes e_{k-1}.$$

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi^n(y) &= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \varphi^n(y_1/\pi^{k-1}) \end{pmatrix} \varphi^{n-1}(P^T) \cdots \varphi(P^T) P^T \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix} \otimes e_{k-1} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \varphi^n(y_1/\pi^{k-1}) \end{pmatrix} \varphi^n(M'^{-1})(A_\varphi^T)^n M' \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix} \otimes e_{k-1}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, Lemma 4.2 implies that  $\varphi^n(y) \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  and the series  $x := \sum_{n \geq 0} \varphi^n(y)$  converges to an element of  $\mathbb{D}(T_{\bar{f}}(k-1))^{\psi=1}$  with  $(1-\varphi)x = y$ . Therefore,  $y_1 = \text{Col}_1(x)$ .  $\square$

**Proposition 4.7.** *Under assumptions (B), (C) and (D), the map  $\text{Col}_1 : \mathbb{D}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1)) \rightarrow (E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$  is surjective.*

*Proof.* By Proposition 4.6, if  $y_1 \in (\pi^{k-1}E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$ , then  $y_1 \in \text{Im}(\text{Col}_1)$ . For an arbitrary  $y_1 \in (E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$ , by Lemma 4.5 there exists  $y'$  in the  $E$ -linear span of  $\{(1+\pi)^i\}_{1 \leq i < k}$  such that  $y_1 + \varphi(y')$  is divisible by  $\pi^{k-1}$ . Hence, by the same argument as above, the sum

$$\sum_{n \geq 0} \varphi^n \left( \begin{pmatrix} 0 & (y_1 + \varphi(y'))/\pi^{k-1} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix} \right)$$

converges to an element  $x \in \mathbb{N}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))$ . By Lemma 4.3 and the fact that  $\psi(y_1) = 0$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \psi(x) - x &= \psi \left( \begin{pmatrix} 0 & (y_1 + \varphi(y'))/\pi^{k-1} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix} \right) \\ &= \pi^{1-k} \begin{pmatrix} y' & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Let  $x' = x + \pi^{1-k} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix}$ . Then

$$\psi(x') - x' = \pi^{1-k} \begin{pmatrix} y' - x_1 + \psi(x_1 \delta z + x_2) & -x_2 - \psi(q^{k-1}x_1) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Hence,  $x' \in \mathbb{D}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))^{\psi=1}$  if and only if

$$(42) \quad \begin{aligned} x_2 &= -\psi(q^{k-1}x_1) \\ y' &= x_1 - \psi(x_1 \delta z) + \psi^2(q^{k-1}x_1) \end{aligned}$$

Assume that such  $x_1$  exists in the  $E$ -linear span of  $\{(1+\pi)^i\}_{1 \leq i < k}$ , and let  $a$  be its degree in  $\pi$ . Since the degrees of  $\delta z$  and  $q^{k-1}$  are at most  $k-2$  and  $(p-1)(k-1)$  respectively, the degrees of  $\psi(x_1 \delta z)$  and  $\psi^2(q^{k-1}x_1)$  are at most  $(k-2+a)/p$  and  $((p-1)(k-1)+a)/p^2$  respectively. But we assume that  $p \geq k-1$ , so the right-hand side of (42) has degree  $\leq a$ . Since  $y'$  has degree at most  $k-1$  and  $x_1$  is in the  $E$ -linear span of  $\{(1+\pi)^i\}_{1 \leq i < k}$ , both  $\psi(x_1 \delta z)$  and  $\psi^2(q^{k-1}x_1)$  are scalar multiples of  $(1+\pi)$ . We write

$$y' = \sum_{i=1}^{k-1} \alpha_i (1+\pi)^i, \quad x_1 = \sum_{i=1}^{k-1} \beta_i (1+\pi)^i \quad \text{and} \quad \delta z = \sum_{i=0}^{k-2} \gamma_i (1+\pi)^i$$

where  $\alpha_i, \beta_i, \gamma_i \in E$ . Then (42) says that

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha_i &= \beta_i \quad \text{for } i \geq 2 \\ \alpha_1 &= \beta_1 - \sum_{i+j=p} \beta_i \gamma_j + \beta_{p^2-(k-1)(p-1)} \end{aligned}$$

where  $\gamma_i = \beta_i = 0$  if  $i < 0$ . But  $p^2 - (k-1)(p-1) > 1$  and  $\gamma_{p-1} = 0$ , the matrix relating  $(\alpha_i)_{1 \leq i \leq k-1}$  and  $(\beta_i)_{1 \leq i \leq k-1}$  is upper triangular with non-zero entries on the diagonal. Therefore, there is a bijection between  $(\alpha_i)_{1 \leq i \leq k-1} \in E^{k-1}$  and  $(\beta_i)_{1 \leq i \leq k-1} \in E^{k-1}$ . In other words, given any  $y'$  as above, there exists a unique  $x_1$  (and hence  $x_2$ ) such that  $x' \in \mathbb{D}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))^{\psi=1}$ . For any  $0 \leq j \leq k-2$ , we can therefore choose  $y$  (and hence  $y'$ ) such that  $x_1 \equiv \pi^j \pmod{\pi^{j+1}}$ . In this case,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Col}_1(x') &= y_1 + \varphi(y') - \psi(q^{k-1}x_1) - \varphi(x_1) + x_1 \delta z \\ &\equiv -\psi(q^{k-1}x_1) - \varphi(x_1) + x_1 \delta z \pmod{\pi^{k-1}} \\ &\equiv (-p^{k-2-j} - p^j + a_p) \pi^j \pmod{\pi^{j+1}}, \end{aligned}$$

where we deduce the last line from the previous one using Lemma 4.4 and the observation that  $\pi q = \varphi(\pi)$ . Therefore, our assumption on  $a_p$  implies that for all  $y_1 \in (E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$ , there exists some  $x \in \mathbb{D}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))^{\psi=1}$  such that  $\text{Col}^+(x) \equiv y_1 \pmod{\pi^{j+1}}$  by induction. Hence we are done.  $\square$

**Corollary 4.8.** *Under assumptions (B), (C) and (D), the image of  $\text{Col}_1 : \mathbb{D}(T_{\bar{f}}(k-1))^{\psi=1} \rightarrow (\mathcal{O}_E \otimes \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$  is pseudo isomorphic to  $(\mathcal{O}_E \otimes \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$ .*

*Proof.* It suffices to show that the said image has finite index in  $(\mathcal{O}_E \otimes \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$ . The proof of Proposition 4.6 shows that  $(\pi^{k-1}\mathcal{O}_E \otimes \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$  lies in the image and for all  $0 \leq j \leq k-2$ , there exists  $x_j \in \mathbb{D}(T_{\bar{f}}(k-1))^{\psi=1}$  such that  $\text{Col}_1(x_j) \equiv \alpha_j \pi^j \pmod{\pi^{j+1}}$  for some  $\alpha_j \neq 0$ . Therefore, the quotient lies inside  $\prod_{j=0}^{k-2} \mathcal{O}_E / \alpha_j \mathcal{O}_E$ , so we are done.  $\square$

**4.2. The image of  $\text{Col}_2$ .** We now describe the image of  $\text{Col}_2$ . We will show that it is generated by two elements.

**Lemma 4.9.** *Let  $x = \pi^{1-k} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix} \otimes e_{k-1}$  and  $\gamma$  a topological generator of  $\Gamma$ , then*

$$\gamma(x) = \pi^{1-k} \begin{pmatrix} \gamma(x_1) & \gamma(x_2) \end{pmatrix} G_\gamma \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix} \otimes e_{k-1}$$

for some  $G_\gamma \in I + \pi M(2, \mathbb{Z}_p[[\pi]])$ .

*Proof.* By [BLZ04, Proposition 3.1.3], there exists  $G_\gamma \in I + \pi M_2(\mathbb{Z}_p[[\pi]])$  such that  $\begin{pmatrix} \gamma(n_1) \\ \gamma(n_2) \end{pmatrix} = G_\gamma^T \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix}$ . Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \gamma(x) &= \gamma(\pi)^{1-k} \begin{pmatrix} \gamma(x_1) & \gamma(x_2) \end{pmatrix} G_\gamma^T \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \chi(\gamma)^{k-1} e_{k-1} \\ &= \left( \frac{(1+\pi)^{\chi(\gamma)} - 1}{\chi(\gamma)} \right)^{1-k} \begin{pmatrix} \gamma(x_1) & \gamma(x_2) \end{pmatrix} G_\gamma^T \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix} \otimes e_{k-1}. \end{aligned}$$

But  $\chi(\gamma) \in 1 + p\mathbb{Z}_p$ , which implies  $((1+\pi)^{\chi(\gamma)} - 1)/\chi(\gamma) \in \pi(1 + p\mathbb{Z}_p[[\pi]])$ . Hence the result.  $\square$

**Lemma 4.10.** *Let  $x = \pi^{1-k} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix} \otimes e_{k-1} \in \mathbb{D}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))^{\psi=1}$ . Write  $x_i = \sum_{j \geq 0} a_{i,j} \pi^j$ . Then  $x_1$  has order  $< k-1$  if and only if  $x_2$  has order  $< k-1$ . If this is the case, they have the same order which we denote by  $d_x$ . Moreover,  $a_{2,d_x} = -p^{k-2-d_x} a_{1,d_x}$ .*

*Proof.* Since  $x \in \mathbb{D}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))^{\psi=1}$ , we have  $x_2 = -\psi(q^{k-1}x_1)$ , hence the result by Lemma 4.4.  $\square$

**Proposition 4.11.** *Under assumptions (C) and (D), the image of  $\text{Col}_2 : \mathbb{D}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1)) \rightarrow (E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$  contains  $(\varphi(\pi)^{k-1}E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$  and the quotient of the containment is a cyclic  $\Lambda_E(\Gamma)$ -module under the action of  $\Gamma$  described in Lemma 4.9.*

*Proof.* For any  $y_2 \in (\varphi(\pi)^{k-1}E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$ , we have

$$y := \begin{pmatrix} 0 & y_2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot (\pi q)^{1-k} P^T \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix} \otimes e_{k-1} = \varphi(\pi)^{1-k} \begin{pmatrix} -y_2 & y_2 \delta z \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix} \otimes e_{k-1}.$$

Hence, as in the proof of Proposition 4.6,  $\sum_{n \geq 0} \varphi^n(y)$  converges which implies that  $y_2$  lies in the image of  $\text{Col}_2$ .

Recall that if  $x = \pi^{1-k} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix} \otimes e_{k-1}$ , then  $-\text{Col}_2(x) = q^{k-1}x_1 + \psi(x_2)$ . For  $i = 1, 2$ , write  $x_i = \sum_{j \geq 0} a_{i,j} \pi^j$  and

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{\mathcal{C}}(x) &= q^{k-1}x_1 - \varphi(x_2) \pmod{\varphi(\pi)^{k-1}} \\ &= (q^{k-1}a_{1,0} + a_{2,0}) + \varphi(\pi)(q^{k-2}a_{1,1} + a_{2,1}) + \cdots \varphi(\pi)^{k-2}(qa_{1,k-2} + a_{2,k-2}) \pmod{\varphi(\pi)^{k-1}}. \end{aligned}$$

We now construct a generator  $f$  for  $\bar{\mathcal{C}}(\mathbb{D}(V)^{\psi=1})$  over  $\Lambda_E(\Gamma)$  inductively. By the proof of Proposition 4.6, there exists  $x_i \in \mathbb{D}(V)^{\psi=1}$  of order  $i$  for all  $0 \leq i < k-1$ . Let  $f_0 = x_0$ . For  $i \geq 0$ , suppose that we have constructed  $f_i$ . Write

$$\begin{aligned} f'_i &= \prod_{j=0}^i (\gamma - \chi(\gamma)^j)(f_i) \\ &= \pi^{1-k} \begin{pmatrix} f'_{i,1} & f'_{i,2} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix} \otimes e_{k-1} \end{aligned}$$

then it follows from Lemma 4.9 that  $f'_i$  is of order  $\geq i+1$ . Let  $\alpha_{i+1,1}$  and  $\alpha_{i+1,2}$  be the coefficients of  $\pi^{i+1}$  in the power series expansions of  $f'_{i,1}$  and  $f'_{i,2}$ , respectively. There are two possibilities: either both  $\alpha_{i+1,j}$  are non-zero, in which case we let  $f_{i+1} = f_i$ . Or both of them are zero, in which case we let  $f_{i+1} = f_i + x_{i+1}$ .

Let  $f = f_{k-2}$ . Then for all  $0 \leq i < k-1$ , the order of  $\prod_{j=0}^i (\gamma - \chi(\gamma)^j)(f)$  is  $i$ . To finish the proof, it is now sufficient to observe that by Lemma 4.10, for all  $x \in \mathbb{D}(V_{\bar{F}}(k-1))^{\psi=1}$  there exist scalars  $\alpha_i \in E$  for  $0 \leq i < k-1$  such that  $x - \sum_{i=1}^{k-2} \alpha_i \prod_{j=1}^i (\gamma - \chi(\gamma)^j)f$  is of order  $\geq k-1$ .  $\square$

#### 4.3. The Iwasawa transform.

**Convention 4.12.** For the rest of this section as well as in Sections 4.4 and 4.5, we assume without loss of generality that  $\chi(\gamma) = 1 + p$ .

**Lemma 4.13.**

$$(43) \quad \frac{q}{\gamma(q)} = 1 \pmod{(p\pi, \pi^{p-1})}.$$

*Proof.* We have  $q = \frac{\varphi(\pi)}{\pi}$ , and  $\gamma(1 + \pi) = (1 + \pi)(1 + \varphi(\pi))$ . Hence

$$\frac{q}{\gamma(q)} = \frac{1 + q + \varphi(\pi)}{1 + \varphi(q) + \varphi^2(\pi)}$$

It remains to notice that  $q = \pi^{p-1} \pmod{p}$ . Moreover, the constant term of  $q$  (and hence of  $\varphi(q)$ ) is  $p$ , and  $\sum_{j=0}^{+\infty} (-p)^j$  is the multiplicative inverse of  $1 + p$ , which implies the result.  $\square$

**Corollary 4.14.** Both  $\frac{\log^+}{\gamma(\log^+)}$  and  $\frac{\log^-}{\gamma(\log^-)}$  are congruent to 1 mod  $(p\pi, \pi^{p-1})$  (and hence in particular congruent to 1 mod  $(p\pi, \pi^2)$  since we assume  $p \geq 3$ ).

*Proof.* Clear from Lemma 4.13 and the definition of  $\log^{\pm}$ .  $\square$

Define

$$G_{\gamma}^{(k-1)} = \begin{pmatrix} \left(\frac{\log^+}{\gamma(\log^+)}\right)^{k-1} & 0 \\ 0 & \left(\frac{\log^-}{\gamma(\log^-)}\right)^{k-1} \end{pmatrix}.$$

**Lemma 4.15.**  $G_{\gamma}^{(k-1)} \simeq \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \pmod{(p\pi, \pi^2)}$ .

*Proof.* Immediate from the definition and Corollary 4.14.  $\square$

Let  $\varpi_E$  be a uniformizer of  $E$ .

**Proposition 4.16.**  $G_{\gamma} \simeq \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \pmod{(\varpi_E \pi, \pi^2)}$ .

*Proof.* We first review the construction of  $G_{\gamma}$  as in [BLZ04, §3.1]. For  $l \geq k$ , we define recursively

$$G_{\gamma}^{(l)} = G_{\gamma}^{(l-1)} + \pi^{l-1} H^{(l)}$$

for some  $H^{(l)} \in M(2, \mathbb{Z}_p[[X]])$  where  $X = a_p/p^m$  and  $m = \lfloor \frac{k-2}{p-1} \rfloor$ . Note that  $X \in \mathfrak{m}_E$  by assumption (C). The matrix  $G_\gamma$  is then given by the limit of  $G_\gamma^{(l)}$  as  $l \rightarrow \infty$ . Therefore, when  $k > 2$ , the result is immediate from Lemma 4.15.

When  $k = 2$ , it suffices to show that  $H^{(2)} \equiv 0 \pmod{\varpi_E}$ . By construction (see [BLZ04, Lemma 3.1.2 and Proposition 3.1.3]),  $H^{(2)}$  satisfies the following:

$$(44) \quad H^{(2)} - P_0 H^{(2)} (pP_0)^{-1} = -R^{(1)} \pmod{\pi}$$

for some matrix  $R^{(1)} \in XM(2, \mathbb{Z}_p[[\pi, X]])$  and  $P_0 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ p & a_p \end{pmatrix}$ . If we write  $H = \begin{pmatrix} h_{11} & h_{12} \\ h_{21} & h_{22} \end{pmatrix}$ , then (44) says that

$$\begin{pmatrix} h_{11} & h_{12} + h_{21} \\ h_{21} & h_{22} \end{pmatrix} \equiv 0 \pmod{X},$$

and hence we are done since  $\varpi_E | X$ .  $\square$

Let  $n'_i = \varphi(n_i \otimes \pi^{1-k} e_{k-1})$  for  $i = 1, 2$ . Let  $T = T_{\bar{f}}(k-1)$  and  $V = V_{\bar{f}}(k-1)$ . (In fact, the proof works for  $T = T_{\bar{f}}(m)$  for any integer  $m$ .) Recall that  $\chi(\gamma) = 1 + p$ .

**Proposition 4.17.** *We have  $\gamma[(1 + \pi)n'_i] = (1 + \varphi(\pi))(1 + \pi)n'_i \pmod{(\varpi_E \varphi(\pi), \varphi(\pi)^2)}$  for  $i = 1, 2$ .*

*Proof.* We know that  $\begin{pmatrix} n'_1 \\ n'_2 \end{pmatrix} = P^T \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \varphi(\pi)^{1-k} e_{k-1}$ . Since the actions of  $\gamma$  and  $\varphi$  commute, we have  $\gamma(P^T)G_\gamma^T = \varphi(G_\gamma^T)P^T$ , which implies

$$\begin{pmatrix} \gamma n'_1 \\ \gamma n'_2 \end{pmatrix} = \chi(\gamma)^{k-1} \varphi\left(\frac{\pi}{\gamma(\pi)}\right)^{k-1} \varphi(G_\gamma^T) \begin{pmatrix} n'_1 \\ n'_2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Now

$$(45) \quad \begin{aligned} \chi(\gamma) \frac{\pi}{\gamma(\pi)} &= \frac{\chi(\gamma)}{1 + q + \varphi(\pi)} \\ &\equiv 1 \pmod{(p\pi, \pi^2)} \end{aligned}$$

where the congruence comes from the fact that the constant term of  $q$  is  $p$ , and hence the constant term of  $\frac{1}{1+q+\varphi(\pi)}$  is  $\sum_{j=0}^{+\infty} (-p)^j$ , which is equal to  $\chi(\gamma)^{-1}$ . Hence  $\varphi\left(\frac{\chi(\gamma)\pi}{\gamma(\pi)}\right) \equiv 1 \pmod{(p\varphi(\pi), \varphi(\pi)^2)}$ . Moreover,  $\gamma(1 + \pi) = (1 + \pi)^{\chi(\gamma)} = (1 + \pi)(1 + \varphi(\pi))$ . Hence

$$\gamma[(1 + \pi)n'_1] \equiv (1 + \varphi(\pi))(1 + \pi)n'_1 \pmod{(\varpi_E \varphi(\pi), \varphi(\pi)^2)}$$

by Corollary 4.16  $\square$

We will now show that we can adapt the arguments from Proposition 4.17 to pass from  $\varphi(\pi)(1 + \pi)n'_i$  to  $\varphi(\pi)^2(1 + \pi)n'_i \pmod{(\varpi_E \varphi(\pi), \varphi(\pi)^3)}$  for  $i = 1, 2$ .

**Lemma 4.18.** *We have  $(\gamma - 1)[\varphi(\pi)(1 + \pi)n'_i] = \varphi(\pi)^2(1 + \pi)n'_i \pmod{(\varpi_E \varphi(\pi), \varphi(\pi)^3)}$  for  $i = 1, 2$ .*

*Proof.* We have  $\gamma(\pi) = (1 + \pi)(1 + \varphi(\pi)) - 1 = \pi + \varphi(\pi) + \pi\varphi(\pi)$ , so

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi(\gamma(\pi)) &= \varphi(\pi)(1 + \varphi(\pi) + \pi\varphi(\pi)) \\ &\equiv \varphi(\pi) \pmod{(\varpi_E \varphi(\pi), \varphi(\pi)^3)}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \gamma[\varphi(\pi)(1 + \pi)n'_1] &\equiv \varphi(\pi)(1 + \varphi(\pi) + \pi\varphi(\pi))(1 + \pi)(1 + \varphi(\pi))n'_1 \pmod{(\varpi_E \varphi(\pi)^2, \varphi(\pi)^3)} \\ &\equiv \varphi(\pi)(1 + \pi)(1 + \varphi(\pi))n'_1 \pmod{(\varpi_E \varphi(\pi), \varphi(\pi)^3)} \end{aligned}$$

and hence

$$(46) \quad (\gamma - 1)[\varphi(\pi)(1 + \pi)n'_1] \equiv \varphi(\pi)^2(1 + \pi)n'_1 \pmod{(\varpi_E \varphi(\pi), \varphi(\pi)^3)}.$$

$\square$



The lemma generalizes as follows for arbitrary  $r \geq 1$ .

**Proposition 4.19.** *We have  $(\gamma - 1)[\varphi(\pi)^r(1 + \pi)n'_i] \equiv \varphi(\pi)^{r+1}(1 + \pi)n'_i \pmod{(\varpi_E \varphi(\pi)^r, \varphi(\pi)^{r+2})}$  for  $i = 1, 2$ .*

*Proof.* Be the same calculations as in Lemma 4.18, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \gamma[\varphi(\pi)^r(1 + \pi)n'_1] &\equiv \varphi(\pi)^r(1 + \varphi(q) + \varphi(\pi)\varphi(q))^r(1 + \pi)(1 + \varphi(\pi))n'_1 \pmod{(\varpi_E \varphi(\pi)^{r+1}, \varphi(\pi)^{r+2})} \\ &\equiv \varphi(\pi)^r(1 + \pi)(1 + \varphi(\pi))n'_1 \pmod{(\varpi_E \varphi(\pi)^r, \varphi(\pi)^{r+2})} \end{aligned}$$

□

**Definition 4.20.** *For all  $r \geq 2$ , denote by  $I_r$  the ideal of  $\varphi(\mathcal{O}_E \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)$  generated by the elements*

$$\varpi_E^{r-1}\varphi(\pi), \varpi_E^{r-2}\varphi(\pi)^2, \dots, \varpi_E \varphi(\pi)^{r-1}, \varphi(\pi)^{r+1},$$

*and let  $\mathfrak{I}_r = I_r(\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(T))^{\psi=0}$ .*

Note that  $\mathfrak{I}_r$  is stable under the action of  $G_\infty$ .

**Lemma 4.21.** *We have  $(\gamma - 1)\mathfrak{I}_r \subset \mathfrak{I}_{r+1}$ .*

*Proof.* It is enough to show that  $(\gamma - 1)[x\varphi(\pi)^m(1 + \pi)n'_i] \in \mathfrak{I}_{r+1}$  for any  $m \geq 0$ , any  $x \in I_r$  and  $i = 1, 2$ .

Let  $x = \varpi_E^{r-j}\varphi(\pi)^j$  where  $1 \leq j \leq r - 1$ . By Proposition 4.19, we have

$$\begin{aligned} (\gamma - 1)[\varpi_E^{r-j}\varphi(\pi)^{m+j}(1 + \pi)n'_i] &\equiv \varpi_E^{r-j}\varphi(\pi)^{m+j+1}(1 + \pi)n'_i \pmod{(\varpi_E^{r-j+1}\varphi(\pi)^{m+j}, \varpi_E^{r-j}\varphi(\pi)^{m+j+2})} \\ &\equiv 0 \pmod{\mathfrak{I}_{r+1}} \end{aligned}$$

for all  $m \geq 0$ . Similarly, the same holds for  $x = \varphi(\pi)^{r+1}$ . Hence the result. □

**Proposition 4.22.** *We have*

$$(\gamma - 1)^r[(1 + \pi)n'_i] \equiv \varphi(\pi)^r(1 + \pi)n'_i \pmod{\mathfrak{I}_r}$$

*for all  $r \geq 2$ .*

*Proof.* We proceed by induction on  $r$ . Let  $r = 2$ . By Proposition 4.17, we have

$$(\gamma - 1)[(1 + \pi)n'_i] \equiv \varphi(\pi)(1 + \pi)n'_i \pmod{(\varpi_E \varphi(\pi), \varphi(\pi)^2)}.$$

It therefore follows from Lemma 4.18 and Proposition 4.19 that

$$(\gamma - 1)^2[(1 + \pi)n'_i] \equiv \varphi(\pi)^2(1 + \pi)n'_i \pmod{(\varpi_E \varphi(\pi), \varphi(\pi)^3)}.$$

Assume now that the result is true for  $r - 1 \geq 2$ , so

$$(\gamma - 1)^{r-1}[(1 + \pi)n'_i] \equiv \varphi(\pi)^{r-1}(1 + \pi)n'_i \pmod{\mathfrak{I}_{r-1}}.$$

Now

$$\begin{aligned} (\gamma - 1)[\varphi(\pi)^{r-1}(1 + \pi)n'_i] &\equiv \varphi(\pi)^r(1 + \pi)n'_i \pmod{(\varpi_E \varphi(\pi)^{r-1}, \varphi(\pi)^{r+1})} \\ &\equiv \varphi(\pi)^r(1 + \pi)n'_i \pmod{\mathfrak{I}_r} \end{aligned}$$

by Proposition 4.19. The result therefore follows from Lemma 4.21. □

To simplify the notation, let  $X = \varphi(\mathcal{O}_E \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)(1 + \pi)n'_1 + \varphi(\mathcal{O}_E \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)(1 + \pi)n'_2$ .

**Corollary 4.23.** *For all  $x \in X$ , there exist  $\omega_1, \omega_2 \in \Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(\Gamma)$  such that*

$$\omega_1((1 + \pi)n'_1) + \omega_2((1 + \pi)n'_2) - x \in \varpi_E X.$$

*Proof.*  $(\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(T))^{\psi=0}$  is complete in the  $(\varpi_E, \varphi(\pi))$ -adic topology, and the  $\mathfrak{I}_r$ ,  $r \geq 1$  form a neighbourhood of zero in  $(\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(T))^{\psi=0}$ . Hence the result follows from Proposition 4.22. □

Note that  $(\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(T))^{\psi=0}$  is the  $\Delta$ -orbit of  $X$ . The previous corollary therefore implies the following result:

**Theorem 4.24.**  $(\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(T))^{\psi=0}$  is a free  $\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_K}(G_\infty)$ -module of rank 2, and a basis is given by  $(1+\pi)n'_1$  and  $(1+\pi)n'_2$ .

*Proof.* Let  $y \in (\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(T))^{\psi=0}$ . It follows from Corollary 4.23 and the fact that  $\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_\infty)$  is  $p$ -adically complete that there exists  $\omega_1, \omega_2 \in \Lambda_E(G_\infty)$  such that  $y = \omega_1((1+\pi)n'_1) + \omega_2((1+\pi)n'_2)$ . As shown in [PR94],  $\mathbb{N}(T)^{\psi=1}$  is a free  $\Lambda_E(G_\infty)$ -module of rank 2, and the map  $1 - \varphi : \mathbb{N}(T)^{\psi=1} \rightarrow (\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(T))^{\psi=0}$  is injective since  $V^{H_{\mathbb{Q}_p}} = \{0\}$ . Hence the result.  $\square$

It therefore follows that after tensoring with  $\mathbb{Q}$ , there is an isomorphism of  $\Lambda_E(G_\infty)$ -modules (the *Iwasawa transform*)

$$\mathfrak{J} : (\varphi^*\mathbb{N}(V))^{\psi=0} \longrightarrow \Lambda_E(G_\infty)^{\oplus 2}$$

which satisfies the following condition: if  $y = y_1(1+\pi)n'_1 + y_2(1+\pi)n'_2$  with  $y_i \in \varphi(E \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)$  (write  $y = (y_1, y_2)$ ) and  $(z_1, z_2) = \mathfrak{J}(y_1, y_2)$ , then  $y = z_1[(1+\pi)n'_1] + z_2[(1+\pi)n'_2]$ . In particular,  $\mathfrak{J}$  is additive and linear over  $E$ .

**4.4. An algorithm for  $\mathfrak{J}$ .** We now summarize the results of the previous section to give an explicit description of  $\mathfrak{J}$  when restricted to  $\varphi(E \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)(1+\pi)n'_1 \oplus \varphi(E \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)(1+\pi)n'_1 \cong \varphi(E \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\oplus 2}$ . For a non-zero  $y = (y_1, y_2) \in \varphi(E \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\oplus 2}$ , we write

$$y_1 = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n \varphi(\pi)^n \quad \text{and} \quad y_2 = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_n \varphi(\pi)^n.$$

On multiplying by a power of  $\varpi_E$ , we may assume that  $y \in \varphi(\mathcal{O}_E \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\oplus 2}$  but  $\varpi_E \nmid y$ . For such a  $y$ , we define the order  $\text{ord}(y)$  of  $y$  to be the minimum integer  $n$  such that either  $a_n$  or  $b_n$  is a unit in  $\mathcal{O}_E$ .

**Proposition 4.25.** For  $y$  as above, there exists  $z^{(n)} \in (\gamma - 1)^n \Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(\Gamma)^2$  such that  $y - \mathfrak{J}^{-1}(z^{(n)})$  has order strictly greater than  $n$ .

*Proof.* This is simply a reformulation of Proposition 4.22. In particular, one could take

$$z^{(n)} = (a_n(\gamma - 1)^n, b_n(\gamma - 1)^n).$$

$\square$

**Corollary 4.26.** For  $y$  as above, there exists a sequence  $z^{(0)}, z^{(1)}, \dots$  in  $\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(\Gamma)^{\oplus 2}$  such that  $z^{(i)} \rightarrow 0$  as  $i \rightarrow \infty$  and

$$y - \mathfrak{J}^{-1} \left( \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} z^{(i)} \right) \in \varpi_E \varphi(\mathcal{O}_E \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^2$$

We write  $y^{(0)} = y$  and  $u^{(0)}$  for the infinite sum given by Corollary 4.26. Define a sequence  $y^{(n)}$  recursively: for  $n \geq 0$ , let  $y^{(n+1)} = (y^{(n)} - \mathfrak{J}^{-1}(u^{(n)}))/\varpi_E$  where  $u^{(n)}$  to be the sum given by Corollary 4.26 on applying it to  $y^{(n)}$ . Then, we have

$$\mathfrak{J}(y) = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \varpi_E^i u^{(i)}.$$

**4.5. The image of  $\text{Col}_1$ .** Throughout this section, we assume that assumptions (B), (C) and (D) are satisfied.

**Definition 4.27.** Let  $\text{Col} = \mathfrak{J} \circ \text{Col} : \mathbb{N}(T)^{\psi=1} \rightarrow \Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_\infty)^{\oplus 2}$ , and for  $i = 1, 2$ , define

$$\text{Col}_i : \mathbb{N}(T)^{\psi=1} \longrightarrow \Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_\infty)$$

as the composition  $\text{pr}_i \circ \text{Col}$ , where  $\text{pr}_i$  is the projection from  $\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_\infty)^{\oplus 2}$  onto the  $i$ -th coefficient.

By abuse of notation, we also write  $\text{Col}_i$  for the natural extension  $\mathbb{N}(V)^{\psi=1} \rightarrow \Lambda_E(G_\infty)$ . The aim of this section is to prove the following theorem.

**Theorem 4.28.** The map  $\text{Col}_1 : \mathbb{N}(V)^{\psi=1} \rightarrow \Lambda_E(G_\infty)$  is surjective.

The idea of the proof is to translate Proposition 4.7 using the explicit description of  $\mathfrak{J}$  given in Section 4.4. Note that since  $\mathfrak{J}$  is a  $\Lambda_E(G_\infty)$ -homomorphism, it is sufficient to show that  $\varpi_E^m \in \text{Im}(\text{Col}_1)$  for some  $m \in \mathbb{Z}$ .

**Proposition 4.29.** *Let  $y_2 \in \varphi(\mathcal{O}_E \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)$ . Then there exists a sequence  $z^{(i)} \in \Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(\Gamma)$  tending to 0 as  $i \rightarrow +\infty$  and  $\tilde{x} \in \mathbb{N}(T)^{\psi=1}$  and  $y'_2 \in \varphi(\mathcal{O}_E \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)$  such that*

$$\mathfrak{J}(0, y_2) - \mathfrak{J} \circ \text{Col}(\tilde{x}) = \sum_{i \geq 0} (0, z^{(i)}) + \varpi_E \mathfrak{J}(0, y'_2).$$

*Proof.* If  $(0, y_2) = +\infty$ , then  $\varpi_E | y_2$  and we are done. Assume that  $\text{ord}(y_2) = n$  and write  $y_2 = \sum_{r \geq 0} b_r \varphi(\pi)^r$ . Then, by Lemma 4.25,

$$(47) \quad \mathfrak{J}(0, y_2) = \mathfrak{J}(y_1^{(1)}, y_2^{(1)}) + (0, b_n(\gamma - 1)^n).$$

where  $y_2^{(i)}$  has order strictly greater than  $n$ . By applying  $\mathfrak{J}^{-1}$  to (47), we see that

$$y_2(1 + \pi)n'_2 = y_1^{(1)}(1 + \pi)n'_1 + y_2^{(1)}(1 + \pi)n'_2 + b_n(\gamma - 1)^n[(1 + \pi)n'_2].$$

Since  $G_\gamma$  is diagonal mod  $\pi^{k-1}$ , this implies that  $y_1^{(1)} \equiv 0 \pmod{\varphi(\pi)^{k-1}}$ . In particular, the proof of Proposition 4.6 implies that there exists  $x_1 \in \mathbb{N}(T)^{\psi=1}$  such that  $(1 - \varphi)x_1 = y_1^{(1)}(1 + \pi)n'_1$ . Hence, we have

$$\mathfrak{J}(0, y_2) - \mathfrak{J} \circ \text{Col}(x_1) = \mathfrak{J}(0, y_2^{(1)}) + (0, z^{(1)})$$

where  $z^{(1)} = b_n(\gamma - 1)^n$ .

On applying the above to  $y_2^{(1)}$  and repeat, we obtain sequences  $\{x_n \in \mathbb{N}(T)^{\psi=1}\}$ ,  $\{z^{(n)} \in \Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(\Gamma)\}$  and  $\{y_2^{(n)} \in \varphi(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)\}$  such that

$$\mathfrak{J}(0, y_2^{(n-1)}) - \mathfrak{J} \circ \text{Col}(x_n) = \mathfrak{J}(0, y_2^{(n)}) + (0, z^{(n)}),$$

the sequence  $m_n = \text{ord}(y_2^{(n)})$  is strictly increasing,  $z^{(n)} \in (\gamma - 1)^{m_{n-1}} \Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(\Gamma)$  and  $\text{Col}(x_n) + (y_2^{(n)} - y_2^{(n-1)})(1 + \pi)n'_2 = z^{(n)}[(1 + \pi)n'_2]$ . Now  $\text{Col}(x_n) \in \varphi(\mathcal{O}_E \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)(1 + \pi)n'_1$ , so (i)  $x_n \rightarrow 0$  and (ii)  $(y_2^{(n)} - y_2^{(n-1)}) \rightarrow 0$ . By completeness, (ii) implies that  $y_2^{(n)}$  converges to an element in  $\varpi_E \varphi(\mathcal{O}_E \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)$ . (The limit must be in  $\varpi_E \varphi(\mathcal{O}_E \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)$  because the order of the limit is  $+\infty$  by construction.) Now, on taking sums, we have for all  $n \geq 1$ ,

$$\mathfrak{J}(0, y_2) - \sum_{i=1}^n \mathfrak{J} \circ \text{Col}(x_i) = \mathfrak{J}(0, y_2^{(n)}) + \sum_{i=1}^n (0, z^{(i)}).$$

We obtain the result by letting  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . □

**Corollary 4.30.** *Let  $y_2 \in \varphi(\mathcal{O}_K \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)$ . Then there exists a sequence  $z^{(i)} \in \Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(\Gamma)$  tending to 0 as  $i \rightarrow +\infty$  and  $\tilde{x} \in \mathbb{N}(T)^{\psi=1}$  such that*

$$\mathfrak{J}(0, y_2) - \mathfrak{J} \circ \text{Col}(\tilde{x}) = \sum_{i \geq 0} (0, z^{(i)}).$$

*Proof.* Iterate the result in Proposition 4.29 for  $\mathfrak{J}(0, y'_2)$  etc. and use that both  $\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(\Gamma)$  and  $\varphi^*(\mathbb{N}(T))^{\psi=0}$  are  $p$ -adically complete. □

**Corollary 4.31.** *Let  $y \in (\varphi^* \mathbb{N}(T))^{\psi=0}$  be of the form  $y = y_2 n'_2$  for some  $y_2 \in (\mathcal{O}_E \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$ . Then there exists a sequence  $z^{(i)} \in \Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_\infty)$  tending to 0 as  $i \rightarrow +\infty$  and  $\tilde{x} \in \mathbb{N}(T)^{\psi=1}$  such that*

$$\mathfrak{J}(y) - \mathfrak{J} \circ \text{Col}(\tilde{x}) = \sum_{i \geq 0} (0, z^{(i)}).$$

*Proof.* Immediate from the previous corollary and the observation that  $(\mathcal{O}_E \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0} n'_2$  is the  $\Delta$ -orbit of  $\varphi(\mathcal{O}_E \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)(1 + \pi)n'_2$ . □

We can now prove Theorem 4.28. By Proposition 4.7 there exists  $x \in \mathbb{N}(T)^{\psi=1}$  such that  $\text{Col}(x) = \varpi_E^m(1 + \pi)n'_1 + y_2n'_2$  for some  $y_2 \in (\mathcal{O}_E \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$ . It is clear that  $\mathfrak{J}(\varpi_E^m(1 + \pi)n'_1) = (\varpi_E^m, 0)$ . Also, we know by Corollary 4.31 that there exists a sequence  $z^{(i)} \in \Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_\infty)$  tending to 0 as  $i \rightarrow +\infty$  and  $\tilde{x} \in \mathbb{N}(T)^{\psi=1}$  such that

$$\mathfrak{J}(y_2n'_2) - \mathfrak{J} \circ \text{Col}(\tilde{x}) = \sum_{i \geq 0} (0, z^{(i)}).$$

Hence  $\mathfrak{J} \circ \text{Col}(x) - \mathfrak{J} \circ \text{Col}(\tilde{x}) = (\varpi_E^m, 0) + \sum_{i \geq 0} (0, z^{(i)})$ , i.e.

$$\mathfrak{J} \circ \text{Col}(x - \tilde{x}) = (\varpi_E^m, 0) + \sum_{i \geq 0} (0, z^{(i)}).$$

**Remark 4.32.** *Alas so far we don't know how to translate Proposition 4.11 into a statement about  $\text{Im } \text{Col}_2$ .*

**Remark 4.33.** *In a forthcoming paper [LLZ10], we give a description of the images of the  $\text{Col}_i$  using Perrin-Riou's  $p$ -adic regulator.*

## 5. RELATIONS TO EXISTING WORK

**5.1. Fourier transforms.** In this section, we prove a compatibility result in  $p$ -adic Fourier theory (theorem 5.4 below) which will allow us to relate divisibility of elements in  $\mathcal{H}(G_\infty)$  and of their images in  $(\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$  under the Mellin transform. This will allow us to compare our results above to the ones in [Kob03], [Lei09] and [Spr09]. Throughout,  $E$  is a complete extension of  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ .

**5.1.1. The Fourier transform for  $\mathbb{Z}_p$  and  $\mathbb{Z}_p^\times$ .** We recall some standard results of  $p$ -adic Fourier theory. These results are due to Amice [AV75]; see also [Col10] for a more modern account. We denote by  $C^{\text{la}}(\mathbb{Z}_p, E)$  the space of locally analytic  $E$ -valued functions on  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ , with the topology it acquires as the locally convex direct limit as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  of the Banach algebras of functions analytic on cosets of  $p^n\mathbb{Z}_p$ . A *distribution* on  $\mathbb{Z}_p$  is a continuous  $E$ -linear functional  $C^{\text{la}}(\mathbb{Z}_p, E) \rightarrow E$ ; we write  $D^{\text{la}}(\mathbb{Z}_p, E)$  for the space of distributions.

**Proposition 5.1** ([Col10, theorem 2.3]). *There is an isomorphism between  $D^{\text{la}}(\mathbb{Z}_p, E)$  and the subset of functions  $f \in E[[T]]$  converging for all  $T$  in the open unit disc of  $\mathbb{C}_p$ , given by  $\mu \mapsto F_\mu(T) = \sum_{n \geq 0} T^n \mu\left(\binom{x}{n}\right)$ . The value of  $F_\mu$  at a point  $x \in E$  (with  $|x| < 1$ ) is  $\mu(\kappa_x)$ , where  $\kappa_x$  is the unique character of  $\mathbb{Z}_p$  such that  $\kappa(1) = 1 + x$ .*

Thus we may identify  $D^{\text{la}}(\mathbb{Z}_p, E)$  with  $E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ . Under this identification, the subspace  $D^{\text{la}}(\mathbb{Z}_p^\times, E)$  of distributions supported in  $\mathbb{Z}_p^\times$  corresponds to  $(E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$  [Col10, §2.4.5].

Suppose  $p \neq 2$ . An alternative description of  $D^{\text{la}}(\mathbb{Z}_p^\times, E)$  is given by the isomorphism  $\mathbb{Z}_p^\times = (1 + p\mathbb{Z}_p) \times \Delta \cong \mathbb{Z}_p \times \Delta$ , where  $\Delta$  is the group of  $(p-1)$ st roots of unity in  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ . If we fix a topological generator  $\gamma$  of  $1 + p\mathbb{Z}_p$ , we thus have an isomorphism

$$D^{\text{la}}(\mathbb{Z}_p^\times, E) \cong E \otimes \mathcal{H}(G_\infty),$$

where as in section 3.4 above,  $\mathcal{H}(G_\infty)$  is the ring of formal series  $f(\gamma - 1)$ , for  $f \in \mathbb{Q}_p[[\Delta]][[X]]$  converging for all  $|X| < 1$ .

Thus for a distribution  $\mu$  on  $\mathbb{Z}_p^\times$ , we obtain two power series

$$F_\mu^+(\pi) \in (E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$$

and

$$F_\mu^\times(X) \in E \otimes \mathcal{H}(G_\infty).$$

These are related by the Mellin transform of lemma 3.7: we have  $\mathfrak{M}(F_\mu^\times(\gamma)) = F_\mu^+$ .

**5.1.2. Step functions.** Let  $n \geq 0$  be an integer. We say a function  $f : \mathbb{Z}_p \rightarrow E$  is a *step function of order  $n$*  if it is constant on any coset  $a + p^n \mathbb{Z}_p$ ; the space  $\text{Step}_n(\mathbb{Z}_p)$  of such functions is clearly a subspace of  $C^{\text{la}}(\mathbb{Z}_p, E)$  of dimension  $p^n$ .

For each  $n$  we have an inclusion  $\text{Step}_n(\mathbb{Z}_p) \rightarrow \text{Step}_{n+1}(\mathbb{Z}_p)$ . A section of this is given by the “averaging” map  $I : \text{Step}_{n+1}(\mathbb{Z}_p) \rightarrow \text{Step}_n(\mathbb{Z}_p)$  defined by

$$I(f)(x) = \frac{1}{p} \sum_{y \in \mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z}} f(x + p^n y).$$

For  $n \geq 1$ , we say a function  $f \in \text{Step}_n(\mathbb{Z}_p)$  is a *primitive step function* if it is in the kernel of this map, and write  $\text{PStep}_n(\mathbb{Z}_p)$  for the space of such functions, which clearly has dimension  $p^{n-1}(p-1)$ . For consistency we take  $\text{PStep}_0(\mathbb{Z}_p) = \text{Step}_0(\mathbb{Z}_p) = K$ .

**Lemma 5.2.** *Let  $n \geq 0$  and suppose  $E$  contains a primitive  $p^n$ -th root of unity  $\zeta_{p^n}$ . Then a basis for  $\text{Step}_n(\mathbb{Z}_p)$  is given by the functions  $x \mapsto (\zeta_{p^n})^{xt}$ , as  $t$  varies through  $\mathbb{Z}/p^n \mathbb{Z}$ . The subset corresponding to  $t \in (\mathbb{Z}/p^n \mathbb{Z})^\times$  is a basis for  $\text{PStep}_n(\mathbb{Z}_p)$ .*

*Proof.* This follows immediately from the fact that  $x \mapsto \frac{1}{p^n} \sum_{t \in \mathbb{Z}/p^n \mathbb{Z}} (\zeta_{p^n})^{xt} (\zeta_{p^n})^{-at}$  is the characteristic function of  $a + p^n \mathbb{Z}_p$ .  $\square$

We also have a “multiplicative” version. For  $n \geq 1$ , we define  $\text{Step}_n(\mathbb{Z}_p^\times)$  as the functions in  $\text{Step}_n(\mathbb{Z}_p)$  which are supported in  $\mathbb{Z}_p^\times$ . For  $n \geq 2$  the averaging map restricts to a map  $\text{Step}_n(\mathbb{Z}_p^\times) \rightarrow \text{Step}_n(\mathbb{Z}_p^\times)$ , and we define  $\text{PStep}_n(\mathbb{Z}_p^\times)$  to be its kernel. We take  $\text{PStep}_1(\mathbb{Z}_p^\times) = \text{Step}_1(\mathbb{Z}_p^\times)$ , so for all  $n \geq 1$  restriction to  $\mathbb{Z}_p^\times$  defines a surjective map  $\text{PStep}_n(\mathbb{Z}_p) \rightarrow \text{PStep}_n(\mathbb{Z}_p^\times)$ .

**Lemma 5.3.** *A basis for  $\text{Step}_n(\mathbb{Z}_p^\times)$  is given by the Dirichlet characters modulo  $p^n$ . For  $n \geq 2$  the subset of primitive characters modulo  $p^n$  gives a basis for  $\text{PStep}_n(\mathbb{Z}_p^\times)$ .*

*Proof.* Similar to the previous lemma.  $\square$

**5.1.3. Relating the additive and multiplicative transforms.** We now suppose we are given a distribution  $\mu \in D^{\text{la}}(\mathbb{Z}_p^\times, E)$ . Let  $F_\mu^\times$  and  $F_\mu^+$  be the corresponding transforms.

**Theorem 5.4.** *For  $n \geq 2$ , the following are equivalent:*

- (1)  $F_\mu^+$  is divisible by the cyclotomic polynomial  $\Phi_n(1 + \pi)$  in  $\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ .
- (2)  $\mu$  annihilates  $\text{PStep}_n(\mathbb{Z}_p)$ .
- (3)  $\mu$  annihilates  $\text{PStep}_n(\mathbb{Z}_p^\times)$ .
- (4)  $F_\mu^\times(\chi)$  is zero for all primitive Dirichlet characters  $\chi \bmod p^n$ .
- (5)  $F_\mu^\times$  is divisible by  $\Phi_{n-1}(1 + X)$  in  $E \otimes \mathcal{H}(G_\infty)$ .

For  $n = 1$ , the same holds with the last two statements replaced by:

- (4')  $F_\mu^\times(\chi)$  is zero for all Dirichlet characters  $\chi \bmod p$ .
- (5')  $F_\mu^\times$  is divisible by  $X$  in  $E \otimes \mathcal{H}(G_\infty)$ .

*Proof.* It is clear that (1)  $\Leftrightarrow$  (2) for arbitrary  $\mu \in D^{\text{la}}(\mathbb{Z}_p, E)$  (not necessarily supported in  $\mathbb{Z}_p^\times$ ), because of Lemma 5.2. Since restriction of functions gives a surjective map  $\text{PStep}_n(\mathbb{Z}_p) \twoheadrightarrow \text{PStep}_n(\mathbb{Z}_p^\times)$ , we have (2)  $\Leftrightarrow$  (3). The equivalence (3)  $\Leftrightarrow$  (4) follows from Lemma 5.3.

To show (4)  $\Leftrightarrow$  (5) for  $n \geq 2$ , let us write  $F_\mu^\times = \sum_{i=1}^{p-1} [\tau(i)] F_i(X)$ , where  $F_i \in E[[X]]$  and  $\tau(i) \in \Delta$  is the Teichmüller lift of  $i$ . For any primitive  $p^{n-1}$ -st root of unity  $\zeta$ , there are exactly  $p-1$  primitive Dirichlet characters modulo  $p^n$  mapping  $\gamma$  to  $\zeta$ , and their restrictions to  $\Delta$  are given by  $\tau(i) \mapsto \tau(i)^k$  for  $k \in \mathbb{Z}/(p-1)\mathbb{Z}$ . So (4) is equivalent to

$$\sum_{i=1}^{p-1} \tau(i)^k F_i(\zeta - 1) = 0$$

for all  $k = 0 \dots p-2$  and all primitive  $p^{n-1}$ st roots of unity  $\zeta$ , which is equivalent to  $F_i(\zeta - 1) = 0$  for each  $i = 1, \dots, p-1$ . In other words, each of the functions  $F_i(X)$  vanishes at every root of the polynomial  $\Phi_{n-1}(1+X)$ , which is clearly equivalent to  $F_\mu^\times$  being divisible by  $\Phi_{n-1}(1+X)$  in  $E \otimes \mathcal{H}(G_\infty)$ .

(The only change necessary for  $n = 1$  is to note that  $\text{PStep}_1(\mathbb{Z}_p^\times)$  is the linear span of all Dirichlet characters modulo  $p$ , not just the primitive ones.)  $\square$

We also have an accompanying result:

**Lemma 5.5.** *Let  $F \in (E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$ . Then  $\Phi_1(1+\pi)$  divides  $F(\pi)$  if and only if  $\varphi(\pi) = \pi\Phi_1(1+\pi)$  divides  $F(\pi)$ .*

*Proof.* Since  $\psi(F)(0) = 0$ , we have

$$F(0) + \sum_{\substack{\zeta \in \mu_p \\ \zeta \neq 1}} F(\zeta - 1) = 0.$$

Hence if  $F$  vanishes at the points  $\zeta - 1$  for primitive  $\zeta \in \mu_p$ , then it must also vanish at 0.  $\square$

**5.2. The case  $a_p = 0$ .** We now relate the construction of Coleman maps in this paper to the construction given in [Lei09] for modular forms with  $a_p = 0$ .

**5.2.1. Construction of the Coleman maps.** Consider  $f$  a normalized new eigenform as in Section 3.3 with  $a_p = 0$ . To ease notation, we assume that  $E = \mathbb{Q}_p$ . The plus and minus Coleman maps in [Lei09] are constructed as follows.

Let  $u = \chi(\gamma)$ . In [Pol03], Pollack defines the following elements of  $\mathcal{H}(G_\infty)$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \log_{p,k}^+ &= \prod_{j=0}^{k-2} \frac{1}{p} \prod_{n=1}^{+\infty} \frac{\Phi_{2n}(u^{-j}\gamma)}{p} \\ \log_{p,k}^- &= \prod_{j=0}^{k-2} \frac{1}{p} \prod_{n=1}^{+\infty} \frac{\Phi_{2n-1}(u^{-j}\gamma)}{p}. \end{aligned}$$

Let  $\nu^- = \bar{\nu}_1$ ,  $\nu^+ = \bar{\nu}_2$  be the basis of  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_{\bar{f}})$  as in Section 3.3 and let  $\eta^\pm = (1+\pi) \otimes \nu^\pm \in (\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0} \otimes \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)$ . Let

$$\mathcal{L}_{1, \eta^\pm} : H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V_{\bar{f}}(k-1)) \longrightarrow \mathcal{H}(G_\infty)$$

be the map defined by (18).

**Lemma 5.6.**  $\log_{p,k}^\pm \mid \mathcal{L}_{1, \eta^\pm}(z)$  for any  $z \in H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))$ .

*Proof.* See [Lei09, Lemma 2.2].  $\square$

One can therefore define

$$(48) \quad \begin{aligned} \text{Col}^\pm : H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V_{\bar{f}}(k-1)) &\longrightarrow \Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}_p}(G_\infty) \\ z &\longmapsto \frac{\mathcal{L}_{1, \eta^\pm}(z)}{\log_{p,k}^\pm}. \end{aligned}$$

In this setting, we can work out the matrix  $M$  in (20) explicitly. As in section 4 above, we let  $n_1, n_2$  be the basis of  $\mathbb{N}(V_{\bar{f}})$  constructed in [BLZ04]. The results of *op.cit.* imply that the  $\mathcal{O}_E \otimes \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ -span of  $n_1, n_2$  is  $\mathbb{N}(T_{\bar{f}})$  for a  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ -stable  $\mathcal{O}_E$ -lattice  $T_{\bar{f}} \subset V_{\bar{f}}$ .

Recall that  $M \in M_2(\varphi(\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+))$  is the matrix satisfying  $\begin{pmatrix} \varphi(n_1) \\ \varphi(n_2) \end{pmatrix} = M \begin{pmatrix} \nu_1 \\ \nu_2 \end{pmatrix}$ .

**Lemma 5.7.** *The matrix  $M$  is given by*

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & (\log^+(1+\pi))^{k-1} \\ -(\log^-(1+\pi)/q)^{k-1} & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

*Proof.* With respect to the basis  $n_1, n_2$  of  $\mathbb{N}(V_{\bar{f}})$  over  $\mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ , as chosen in [BLZ04], the matrices of  $\varphi$  and  $\gamma \in G_\infty$  are given by

$$(49) \quad P = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ q^{k-1} & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \begin{pmatrix} \left( \frac{\log^+(1+\pi)}{\gamma(\log^+(1+\pi))} \right)^{k-1} & 0 \\ 0 & \left( \frac{\log^-(1+\pi)}{\gamma(\log^-(1+\pi))} \right)^{k-1} \end{pmatrix}$$

respectively. Then,

$$\bar{v}_1 = (\log^+(1+\pi))^{k-1} n_1 \quad \text{and} \quad \bar{v}_2 = (\log^-(1+\pi))^{k-1} n_2,$$

so the base-change matrix  $M'$  (defined in (8)) is given by

$$(50) \quad \begin{pmatrix} (\log^+(1+\pi))^{k-1} & 0 \\ 0 & (\log^-(1+\pi))^{k-1} \end{pmatrix}$$

and the result follows from explicit calculations, using that  $M = \left( \frac{t}{\pi q} \right)^{k-1} P^T M'^{-1}$ .  $\square$

**Lemma 5.8.** *We have  $\varphi(\log^-(1+\pi)) = \log^+(1+\pi)$  and  $\varphi(\log^+(1+\pi)) = \frac{p}{q} \log^-(1+\pi)$ .*

*Proof.* Immediate.  $\square$

**Lemma 5.9.** *For  $i \in \{1, \dots, p-1\}$  we have*

$$\mathfrak{M}^{-1} \left( (1+\pi)^i \log^+(1+\pi)^{k-1} \cdot \varphi(\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+) \right) = \tau(i) \log_{p,k}^-(\gamma) \cdot \mathcal{H}(\Gamma)$$

and

$$\mathfrak{M}^{-1} \left( (1+\pi)^i \log^-(1+\pi)^{k-1} / q^{k-1} \cdot \varphi(\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+) \right) = \tau(i) \log_{p,k}^+(\gamma) \cdot \mathcal{H}(\Gamma),$$

where  $\tau(i) \in \Delta$  is the Teichmüller lift of  $i$ .

*Proof.* Let us suppose first that  $k = 2$ . Any element  $f \in (1+\pi)^i \log^+(1+\pi) \cdot \varphi(\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+)$  is  $F_\mu^+$  for some distribution  $\mu$  on  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ , supported in  $i + p\mathbb{Z}_p \subseteq \mathbb{Z}_p^\times$ ; hence we have a corresponding multiplicative Fourier transform  $F_\mu^\times = \mathfrak{M}^{-1}(f)$ , lying in  $\tau(i)\mathcal{H}(\Gamma)$ . Moreover, we have the implications

$$\begin{aligned} & \log^+(1+\pi) \mid f \text{ in } \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+ \\ \iff & \Phi_n(1+\pi) \mid f \text{ for all even } n \geq 2 \\ \iff & \Phi_n(1+X) \mid \mathfrak{M}^{-1}(f) \text{ for all odd } n \geq 1 \text{ (by theorem 5.4)} \\ \iff & \log^-(1+X) \mid \mathfrak{M}^{-1}(f). \end{aligned}$$

The second statement is similar, noting that  $q = \Phi_1(1+\pi)$  and hence  $\log^-(1+\pi)/q$  divides  $f$  if and only if  $f$  vanishes at the primitive  $p^n$ -th roots of unity for all odd  $n \geq 3$ .

For general  $k \geq 2$ , we note that  $f \in \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+$  vanishes to order  $k-1$  at a point  $z$  if and only if  $\partial^j f$  vanishes at  $z$  for  $j = 0, \dots, k-2$ , where  $\partial$  is the differential operator  $(1+\pi) \frac{d}{d\pi}$  introduced in §2.2. Applying the preceding argument to each of the functions  $\partial^j f$ , we see that  $\log^+(1+\pi) \mid f$  if and only if  $\mathfrak{M}^{-1}(\partial^j f)$  is divisible by  $\log^-(1+X)$  for  $0 \leq j \leq k-2$ . Since  $\mathfrak{M}^{-1}(\partial^j f)(z) = \mathfrak{M}^{-1}(f)(u^j(1+z) - 1)$  where  $u = \chi(\gamma)$ , this is equivalent to the divisibility of  $f$  by  $\log_{p,k}^-$ . Again, the second statement follows very similarly to the first.  $\square$

**Proposition 5.10.** *There exists  $a^\pm \in \Lambda_E(G_\infty)^\times$  such that*

$$\underline{M} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -a^- \log_{p,k}^- \\ a^+ \log_{p,k}^+ & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$



*Proof.* By Lemma 5.9,  $\mathfrak{M}$  restricts to an isomorphism of  $\mathcal{H}(G_\infty)$ -modules between the subspaces  $X^\pm = (1+\pi)\varphi(\log^\pm(1+\pi))^{k-1} \cdot \varphi(\mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+)$  and  $Y^\pm = \log_{p,k}^\pm \cdot \mathcal{H}(G_\infty)$ . In particular, there exist  $a^\pm \in \mathcal{H}(G_\infty)$  such that

$$\mathfrak{M}^{-1}((1+\pi)\varphi(\log^\pm(1+\pi))^{k-1}) = a^\pm \log_{p,k}^\pm.$$

Furthermore,  $(1+\pi)\varphi(\log^\pm(1+\pi))^{k-1}$  are  $\Lambda_E(G_\infty)$ -module generators of  $(1+\pi)\varphi(\log^\pm(1+\pi))^{k-1} \cdot \varphi(\mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)$ , by Proposition 4.24. Since any finitely-generated submodule of  $\mathcal{H}(G_\infty)$  is closed, they must be  $\mathcal{H}(G_\infty)$ -module generators of the closures of these spaces, which are clearly  $X^\pm$ . Therefore the images of  $(1+\pi)\varphi(\log^\pm(1+\pi))^{k-1}$  under  $\mathfrak{M}^{-1}$  must be generators of  $Y^\pm$ , so the factors  $a^\pm$  are units.  $\square$

Therefore, by (32), we have:

**Corollary 5.11.** *Let  $a^\pm$  be as in Proposition 5.10, then  $a^- \text{Col}_1 = \text{Col}^-$  and  $a^+ \text{Col}_2 = \text{Col}^+$ .*

5.2.2. *Description of the kernels.* The aim of this section is to give a simple description of  $\ker(\text{Col}_i)$  for  $i = 1, 2$ . Recall that the basis  $\bar{\nu}_1, \bar{\nu}_2$  of  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_{\bar{f}})$  determines a basis of  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))$  via the map  $\bar{\nu}_i \mapsto \bar{\nu}_i \otimes e_{k-1}t^{1-k}$ . We first need to know a bit more about  $\mathbb{N}(V_{\bar{f}})$ . As stated in [Ber03, Section II.3], we have a comparison isomorphism

$$\iota : \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+[t^{-1}] \otimes_{\mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+} \mathbb{N}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1)) \cong \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+[t^{-1}] \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1)).$$

By (20) and (10), if  $x \in \mathbb{D}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))^{\psi=1}$ , then we can write  $\iota(x) = x_1(\bar{\nu}_1 \otimes e_{k-1}t^{1-k}) + x_2(\bar{\nu}_2 \otimes e_{k-1}t^{1-k})$  where

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 &= x'_1(\log^-(1+\pi))^{k-1} \\ x_2 &= x'_2(\log^+(1+\pi))^{k-1} \end{aligned}$$

for some  $x'_1, x'_2 \in \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ .

We will need the following auxiliary lemma.

**Lemma 5.12.** *Let  $x$  be as above. Then  $p^{k-2}\theta(x_1) + \theta(x_2) = 0$ .*

*Proof.* By [Ber03, Theorem II.6], we have

$$(51) \quad \exp_{\mathbb{Q}_p, V_{\bar{f}}(k-1)}^*(h_{\mathbb{Q}_p, V_{\bar{f}}(k-1)}^1(x)) = (1 - p^{-1}\varphi^{-1})\partial_V(x).$$

Since  $\partial_V(x) = \theta(x_1)\bar{\nu}_1 \otimes e_{k-1}t^{1-k} + \theta(x_2)\bar{\nu}_2 \otimes e_{k-1}t^{1-k}$ , we have

$$(1 - p^{-1}\varphi^{-1})\partial_V(x) = (\theta(x_1) - p^{-1}\theta(x_2))\nu_1 + (p^{k-2}\theta(x_1) + \theta(x_2))\nu_2.$$

The image of  $\exp_{\mathbb{Q}_p, V_{\bar{f}}(k-1)}^*$  is contained in  $\text{Fil}^0 \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))$ , which implies that  $p^{k-2}\theta(x_1) + \theta(x_2) = 0$ .  $\square$

**Lemma 5.13.** *Let  $x \in \mathbb{D}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))^{\psi=1}$ , and write  $\iota(x) = x_1(\bar{\nu}_1 \otimes e_{k-1}t^{1-k}) + x_2(\bar{\nu}_2 \otimes e_{k-1}t^{1-k})$  as above. Then*

- (i)  $x \in \ker(\text{Col}_1)$  if and only if  $\varphi(x_1) = -p^{k-1}\psi(x_1)$ ;
- (ii)  $x \in \ker(\text{Col}_2)$  if and only if  $\varphi(x_2) = -p^{k-1}\psi(x_2)$ .

*Proof.* We will prove the proposition for  $\text{Col}_1$ ; the proof for  $\text{Col}_2$  is analogous. Note that the condition that  $\psi(x) = x$  translates as  $\psi(x_1) = -p^{1-k}x_2$  and  $\psi(x_2) = x_1$ . By Lemma 5.8,  $\text{Col}_1(x) = x'_2 - \varphi(x'_1) = 0$  if and only if  $x_2 = \varphi(x_1)$ . Hence,  $\text{Col}_1(x) = 0$  if and only if  $\varphi(x_1) = -p^{k-1}\psi(x_1)$ .  $\square$

**Proposition 5.14.** *Let  $x$  be as above, and write  $x_i = f_i(\pi)$  with  $f_i(X) \in \mathbb{Q}_p[[X]]$ . Then*

- (i)  $x \in \ker(\text{Col}_1)$  if and only if

$$(52) \quad \text{Tr}_{\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}/\mathbb{Q}_{p,n-1}}(f_1(\zeta_{p^n} - 1)) = -p^{2-k}f_1(\zeta_{p^{n-2}} - 1) \text{ for all } n \geq 2, \text{ and}$$

$$(53) \quad \text{Tr}_{\mathbb{Q}_{p,1}/\mathbb{Q}_p}(f_1(\zeta_p - 1)) = -(1 + p^{2-k})f_1(0);$$

(ii)  $x \in \ker(\text{Col}_2)$  if and only if

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Tr}_{\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}/\mathbb{Q}_{p,n-1}}(f_2(\zeta_{p^n} - 1)) &= -p^{2-k} f_2(\zeta_{p^{n-2}} - 1) \text{ for all } n \geq 2, \text{ and} \\ \text{Tr}_{\mathbb{Q}_{p,1}/\mathbb{Q}_p}(f_2(\zeta_p - 1)) &= -(1 + p^{2-k}) f_2(0). \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* We prove the proposition for  $\text{Col}_1$ . Recall that

$$\varphi\psi(x_1) = p^{-1} \sum_{\zeta^p=1} f_1(\zeta(1+\pi) - 1).$$

Hence,  $\varphi(x_1) = -p^{k-1}\psi(x_1)$  implies that

$$(54) \quad \sum_{\zeta^p=1} f_1(\zeta(1+\pi) - 1) = -p^{2-k} \varphi^2(f_1(\pi)).$$

Let  $n \geq 2$ . On applying  $\theta \circ \varphi^{-n}$  to (54) implies that

$$\text{Tr}_{\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}/\mathbb{Q}_{p,n-1}}(f_1(\zeta_{p^n} - 1)) = \sum_{\zeta^p=1} f_1(\zeta\zeta_{p^n} - 1) = -p^{2-k} f_1(\zeta_{p^{n-2}} - 1).$$

Similarly, we obtain the second condition by applying  $\theta$  to (54).

Conversely, assume that (52) holds for all  $n \geq 2$ , then  $\varphi(f_1) + p^{k-1}\psi(f_1) = 0$  at  $\zeta_{p^n} - 1$ . Recall that  $x_1 = x'_1(\log^-(1+\pi))^{k-1}$  where  $x'_1 \in \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ . By Lemma 5.8,

$$\varphi(x_1) + p^{k-1}\psi(x_1) = (\varphi(x'_1) + \psi(q^{k-1}x'_1))(\log^+(1+\pi))^{k-1}.$$

Hence, the power series in  $\mathbb{Q} \otimes \mathbb{Z}_p[[X]]$  corresponding to  $(\varphi(x'_1) + \psi(q^{k-1}x'_1))$  has infinitely many zeros, so it must be zero itself and we are done.  $\square$

As a corollary, we obtain the following descriptions of  $\ker(\text{Col}_i)$ .

**Corollary 5.15.** *For  $x \in \mathbb{D}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))^{\psi=1}$ , write  $e_n(x) = \exp_{n,V_{\bar{f}}(k-1)}^* \circ \text{Pr}_n \circ h_{\mathbb{Q}_p, \text{Iw}}^1(x)$  where  $\text{Pr}_n$  is the projection from  $H_{\text{Iw}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_p, V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))$  to  $H^1(\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}, V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))$ . Let  $i = 1$  (respectively  $i = 2$ ), then*

$$\ker(\text{Col}_i) = \{x \in \mathbb{D}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))^{\psi=1} : e_0(x) = 0 \text{ and } e_{n+1}(x) = p^{-1}e_n(x) \forall \text{ odd (respectively even) } n \geq 1\}.$$

*Proof.* Again, we only prove this for  $i = 1$ . By [CC99, Théorème IV.2.1], we have  $e_n(x) = p^{-n}\partial_V(\varphi^{-n}(x))$  for all  $n \geq 1$ . But  $\varphi^{-2}$  is the multiplication by  $-p^{k-1}$  on  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))$ . Using again that  $\text{Im}(\exp_{n,V_{\bar{f}}(k-1)}^*) \subset \text{Fil}^0 \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V)$ , we see that

$$\begin{aligned} e_{2n}(x) &= p^{-2n} \cdot (-p)^{n(k-1)} f_1(\zeta_{p^{2n}} - 1) \bar{\nu}_1 \otimes t^{1-k} e_{k-1} \\ e_{2n+1}(x) &= p^{-2n-1} \cdot (-p)^{n(k-1)} f_2(\zeta_{p^{2n+1}} - 1) \bar{\nu}_1 \otimes t^{1-k} e_{k-1} \end{aligned}$$

and  $f_2(\zeta_{p^{2n}} - 1) = f_1(\zeta_{p^{2n-1}} - 1) = 0$  for all  $n \geq 1$ . Therefore, (52) holds for  $2n-1$  and for  $2n$  if and only if  $e_{2n}(x) = \text{Tr}_{F_{2n+1}/F_{2n}}(e_{2n+1}(x)) = p^{-1}e_{2n-1}(x)$ .

Now  $e_0(x) = (f_1(0) - p^{-1}f_2(0))\bar{\nu}_1 \otimes t^{1-k}e_{k-1}$  by (51) and  $p^{k-2}f_1(0) + f_2(0) = 0$  by Lemma 5.12, so

$$e_0(x) = (1 + p^{k-3})f_1(0)\bar{\nu}_1 \otimes t^{1-k}e_{k-1} = -(p^{2-k} + p^{-1})f_2(0)\bar{\nu}_1 \otimes t^{1-k}e_{k-1}$$

The condition (53) is therefore equivalent to  $f_1(0) = 0$ , which in turns is equivalent to  $e_0(x) = 0$ .  $\square$

In the rest of this section, we will relate Corollary 5.15 to the description of  $\ker(\text{Col}^\pm)$  in [Lei09, Section 2.2]. Recall that  $H_f^1(\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}, T_f(1))^\pm$  is defined by

$$\{x \in H_f^1(\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}, T_f(1)) : \text{cor}_{n/m+1}x \in H_f^1(\mathbb{Q}_{p,m}, T_f(1)) \forall m \text{ even (odd), } m < n\}.$$

Denote by  $H_\pm^1(\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}, T_{\bar{f}}(k-1))$  the annihilator of  $H_f^1(\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}, T_f(1))^\pm$  under the pairing

$$(55) \quad [\cdot, \cdot]_n : H^1(\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}, T_f(1)) \times H^1(\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}, T_{\bar{f}}(k-1)) \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_p.$$

As shown in [Lei09, Section 2.2.4], we have  $\ker(\text{Col}^\pm) = \varprojlim_n H_\pm^1(\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}, T_{\bar{f}}(k-1))$ . Hence, we can identify the kernels described in Corollary 5.15 with  $\ker(\text{Col}^\pm)$  described in [Lei09] via the isomorphism  $h_{\text{Iw}, V_{\bar{f}}(k-1)}^1$ :

**Proposition 5.16.** *For any  $x \in H^1(\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}, T_{\bar{f}}(k-1))$  and  $m \leq n$ , let  $e_m(x) = \exp_{m, V_{\bar{f}}(k-1)}^*(\text{cor}_{n/m}(x))$ . Then,  $H_{\pm}^1(\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}, T_{\bar{f}}(k-1))$  coincides with the following set:*

$$\{x \in H^1(\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}, T_{\bar{f}}(k-1)) : e_0(x) = 0 \text{ and } e_m(x) = p^{-1}e_{m-1}(x) \forall m \text{ odd (even), } m \leq n\}$$

*Proof.* On the one hand, (55) factors through

$$H_f^1(\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}, T_f(1)) \times \frac{H^1(\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}, T_{\bar{f}}(k-1))}{H_f^1(\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}, T_{\bar{f}}(k-1))} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_p.$$

On the other hand, the pairing

$$[\sim, \sim]_n' : \left( \mathbb{Q}_{p,n} \otimes \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f(1)) \right) \times \left( \mathbb{Q}_{p,n} \otimes \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1)) \right) \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_{p,n} \xrightarrow{\text{Tr}_{n/0}} \mathbb{Q}_p$$

factors through

$$\left( \mathbb{Q}_{p,n} \otimes \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f(1)) / \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}^0(V_f(1)) \right) \times \left( \mathbb{Q}_{p,n} \otimes \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}^0(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1)) \right) \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p.$$

Hence, the compatibility of the two pairings, namely  $[\exp_{n, V_{\bar{f}}(1)}(\sim), \sim]_n = \text{Tr}_{n/0}[\sim, \exp_{n, V_{\bar{f}}(k-1)}^*(\sim)]_n'$ , implies that  $H_{\pm}^1(\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}, T_{\bar{f}}(k-1))$  is the  $\exp_{n, V_{\bar{f}}(k-1)}^*$ -preimage of  $\left( \mathbb{Q}_{p,n}^{\pm} \otimes \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f(1)) / \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}^0(V_f(1)) \right)^{\perp}$  where

$$\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}^{\pm} = \{x \in \mathbb{Q}_{p,n} : \text{Tr}_{n/m+1}(x) \in \mathbb{Q}_{p,m} \forall m \text{ even (odd), } m < n\}.$$

But we have:

$$\left( \mathbb{Q}_{p,n}^{\pm} \otimes \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f(1)) / \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}^0(V_f(1)) \right)^{\perp} = \left( \mathbb{Q}_{p,n}^{\pm} \right)^{\perp} \otimes \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}^0(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))$$

where  $\left( \mathbb{Q}_{p,n}^{\pm} \right)^{\perp}$  is the orthogonal complement of  $\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}^{\pm}$  under the pairing

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{Q}_{p,n} \times \mathbb{Q}_{p,n} &\rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p \\ (x, y) &\mapsto \text{Tr}_{n/0}(xy). \end{aligned}$$

By simple linear algebra, we have

$$\left( \mathbb{Q}_{p,n}^{\pm} \right)^{\perp} = \{x \in \mathbb{Q}_{p,n} : \text{Tr}_{n/0}(x) = 0 \text{ and } \text{Tr}_{n/m+1}(x) \in \mathbb{Q}_{p,m} \forall m \text{ odd (even), } m < n\},$$

hence the lemma.  $\square$

**5.3. Elliptic curves with  $a_p = 0$ .** We now specialize to the case when  $f$  corresponds to an elliptic curve  $E$  over  $\mathbb{Q}$  with  $a_p = 0$ . Then  $V_{\bar{f}}(k-1) = V_f(1) = \mathbb{Q}_p \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} T$ , where  $T = T_p(E)$ . Furthermore,  $E[p]$  is irreducible as a mod  $p$  representation of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ ; thus  $T$  is the unique  $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ -stable lattice in  $\mathbb{Q}_p \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} T_p(E)$  up to scaling, and in particular we may take the lattice  $T_f(1)$  constructed in [BLZ04] (which is only defined up to scaling) to coincide with  $T$ .

In this situation, we can recover results of Kobayashi [Kob03] which give a precise description of the images  $\mathbb{D}(T)^{\psi=1}$  under the Coleman maps. Recall that if  $x \in \mathbb{D}(V)^{\psi=1}$ , say  $x = (x_1 n_1 + x_2 n_2) \otimes \pi^{-1} e_1$ , then we have

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Col}_1(x) &= x_2 - \varphi(x_1) \\ \text{Col}_2(x) &= qx_1 + \varphi(x_1) \end{aligned}$$

where we have replaced  $\text{Col}_2$  by  $-\text{Col}_2$  for simplicity.

**Proposition 5.17.** *The map  $\text{Col}_1 : \mathbb{D}(T)^{\psi=1} \rightarrow (\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$  is surjective.*

*Proof.* We first show that  $(\pi \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0} \subset \text{Im}(\text{Col}_1)$ . If  $y \in (\pi \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$ , then the series  $\sum_{i \geq 1} (-1)^i \frac{\varphi^{2i-1}(y)}{q \dots \varphi^{2i-2}(q)}$  and  $\sum_{i \geq 0} (-1)^i \frac{\varphi^{2i}(y)}{\varphi(q) \dots \varphi^{2i-1}(q)}$  converge in  $\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$  to elements  $x_1$  and  $x_2$ , respectively, and it is easy to see that  $\psi(qx_2) = -x_1$  and  $\psi(x_1) = x_2$ . It follows that if we let  $x = x_1 \log^-(1 + \pi) \nu_1 + x_2 \log^+(1 + \pi) \nu_2$ , then  $x \in \mathbb{D}(T)^{\psi=1}$ , and moreover  $\text{Col}_1(x) = x_2 - \varphi(x_1) = y$ .

In order to prove surjectivity of  $\text{Col}_1$ , it is hence sufficient to show that there exists  $y \in \text{Im}(\text{Col}_1)$  with  $y \equiv 1 \pmod{\pi}$ . Let  $y \in \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^{+, \psi=0}$  such that  $\pi \mid ((1+\pi)^p + y)$ . As above, the series  $\sum_{i \geq 1} (-1)^i \frac{\varphi^{2i-1}(y) + \varphi^{2i}(1+\pi)}{q \dots \varphi^{2i-2}(q)}$  and  $\sum_{i \geq 0} (-1)^i \frac{\varphi^{2i}(y) + \varphi^{2i+1}(1+\pi)}{\varphi(q) \dots \varphi^{2i-1}(q)}$  converge in  $\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ . Let

$$\begin{aligned} z_1 &= \frac{1}{2} \left( (1+\pi) + \sum_{i \geq 1} (-1)^i \frac{\varphi^{2i-1}(y) + \varphi^{2i}(1+\pi)}{q \dots \varphi^{2i-2}(q)} \right), \\ z_2 &= \frac{1}{2} \left( -\psi(q(1+\pi)) + \sum_{i \geq 0} (-1)^i \frac{\varphi^{2i}(y) + \varphi^{2i+1}(1+\pi)}{\varphi(q) \dots \varphi^{2i-1}(q)} \right). \end{aligned}$$

It is easy to see that  $\psi^2(q(1+\pi)) = 0$ , so  $\psi(qz_1) = -z_2$  and  $\psi(z_2) = z_1$ . It follows that if we let  $x = z_1 \log^-(1+\pi)\nu_1 + z_2 \log^+(1+\pi)\nu_2$ , then  $x \in \mathbb{D}(T)^{\psi=1}$ , and moreover

$$\text{Col}_1(x) = z_2 - \varphi(z_1) = 1 \pmod{\pi}.$$

□

**Corollary 5.18.** *The map  $\text{Col}_1 : \mathbb{D}(T)^{\psi=1} \rightarrow \Lambda(G_\infty)$  is surjective.*

*Proof.* By Proposition 5.17, there exists  $x \in \mathbb{N}(T)^{\psi=1}$  such that  $\text{Col}_1(x) = 1 + \pi$ . The result therefore follows by precisely the same argument as in the proof of Theorem 4.28. □

**Proposition 5.19.** *The image of  $\text{Col}_2 : \mathbb{D}(T)^{\psi=1} \rightarrow (\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^{\psi=0}$  is equal to  $(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^{+, \psi=0})^\Delta + \varphi(\pi)\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^{+, \psi=0}$ .*

*Proof.* A similar argument to the one in the proof of Proposition 4.6 shows that  $\varphi(\pi)\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^{+, \psi=0} \subset \text{Im}(\text{Col}_2)$ . In [Fon90], Fontaine shows that  $(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)^\Delta = \mathbb{Z}_p[[\pi_0]]$ , where  $\pi_0 = -p + \sum_{a \in \mathbb{F}_p} [\varepsilon]^{[a]}$ . Note that  $\theta(\pi_0) = 0$  and  $\theta \circ \varphi^{-1}(\pi_0) = -p$ , so  $\pi_0 = -p + \alpha q$  for some  $\alpha \in \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$  satisfying  $\alpha \equiv 1 \pmod{\pi}$ . Now  $\{[\varepsilon]^{[a]}\}_{a \in \mathbb{F}_p^\times}$  is a basis for  $\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$  over  $\varphi(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+)$ , so  $\psi(\pi_0) = 1 - p$ , and hence  $\pi_0 + p - 1 \in \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^{+, \psi=0}$ . In order to prove that  $(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^{+, \psi=0})^\Delta \subset \text{Im}(\text{Col}_2)$ , it is therefore sufficient to prove the following results:

- (1)  $\pi_0 + p - 1 \in \text{Im}(\text{Col}_2)$ ;
- (2) If  $y \in (\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^{+, \psi=0})^\Delta$ , then  $y = c(\pi_0 + p - 1) \pmod{\varphi(\pi)}$  for some  $c \in \mathbb{Z}_p$ .

*Proof of claim 1.* Note that since  $\pi_0 + p - 1 \equiv -1 + q \pmod{\varphi(\pi)}$ , (a) is equivalent to showing that there exists  $y \in \text{Im}(\text{Col}_2)$  such that  $y \equiv -1 + q \pmod{\varphi(\pi)}$ . If  $i(x) = x_1 \log^-(1+\pi)\nu_1 + x_2 \log^+(1+\pi)\nu_2$  for some  $x \in \mathbb{D}(T)^{\psi=1}$ , then  $\text{Col}_2(x) = qx_1 + \varphi(x_2)$ . As shown in Lemma 5.12, we have  $\theta(x_1) = -\theta(x_2)$ , so

$$\text{Col}_2(x) \equiv \theta(x_2)(1 - q) \pmod{\varphi(\pi)}.$$

Suppose now that  $\theta(x_2) = 0$  for all  $x \in \mathbb{D}(T)^{\psi=1}$ . Then, the fact that  $\text{Col}_1(x) \equiv \theta(x_2) - \theta(x_1) \pmod{\pi}$  implies that  $\text{Col}_1(x) \in \pi\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$  for all  $x \in \mathbb{D}(T)^{\psi=1}$ , which contradicts the surjectivity of  $\text{Col}_1$ . □

*Proof of claim 2.* We will show that if  $y \in (\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^{+, \psi=0})^\Delta$ , then

$$(56) \quad y = c(-1 + q) \pmod{\varphi(\pi)}$$

for some  $c \in \mathbb{Z}_p$ . Write  $y = f(\pi_0) = g(\pi)$ . In order to show (56), it is sufficient to prove that  $g(0) = -(p-1)g(\zeta_p - 1)$ . The condition that  $y \in \ker(\psi)$  translates as

$$\frac{1}{p} \sum_{\xi^p=1} f\left(-p + \sum_{a \in \mathbb{F}_p} \xi^a (\pi + 1)^{[a]}\right) = 0.$$

Evaluating this condition at  $\pi = 0$  shows that  $f(0) + (p-1)f(-p) = 0$ . By definition, we have  $\pi_0 = -p + \sum_{a \in \mathbb{F}_p} (\pi + 1)^{[a]}$ , so  $g(0) = f(0)$  and  $g(\zeta_p - 1) = f(-p)$ , which finishes the proof. □

This completes the proof of proposition 5.19. □

Let  $\eta : \Delta \rightarrow (\mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z})^\times$  be a tame character. For a  $\Lambda(G_\infty)$ -module  $A$ , denote by  $A^\eta$  the  $\Lambda(G_\infty)$ -submodule of  $A$  on which  $\Delta$  acts via  $\eta$ . The following result is an immediate consequence of Proposition 5.19.

**Corollary 5.20.** *We have*

$$\mathrm{Im}(\mathrm{Col}_2)^\eta = \begin{cases} (\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^{+, \psi=0})^\Delta & \text{if } \eta = 1 \\ (\varphi(\pi)\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^{+, \psi=0})^\eta & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

We can translate Proposition 5.19 and Corollary 5.20 into a statement about  $\mathrm{Im}(\underline{\mathrm{Col}}_2)$ .

**Proposition 5.21.** *The image of  $\underline{\mathrm{Col}}_2 : \mathbb{D}(T)^{\psi=1} \rightarrow \Lambda(G_\infty)$  is equal to  $(\sum_{i=1}^{p-1} \delta^i) \Lambda(G_\infty) + (\gamma - 1) \Lambda(G_\infty)$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $y_2 = \varphi(\pi)(1 + \pi) \in \mathrm{Im}(\mathrm{Col}_2)$ . As shown in the proof of Proposition 5.19,  $y = (0, y_2) \in \mathrm{Im}(\mathrm{Col})$ ; more precisely, there exists  $x \in \mathbb{N}(T)^{\psi=1}$  such that  $\mathrm{Col}(x) = y$ . Applying the algorithm for  $\mathfrak{J}$  (see Section 4.4) to  $y$  shows that  $\underline{\mathrm{Col}}_2(x) = (\gamma - 1) \bmod (p, (\gamma - 1)^2)$ , so the  $\Lambda(G_\infty)$ -submodule of  $\Lambda(G_\infty)$  generated by  $\underline{\mathrm{Col}}_2(x)$  is equal to the ideal generated by  $(\gamma - 1)$ .

Furthermore,  $y'_2 \sum_{i=1}^{p-1} (\pi + 1)^i \in \mathrm{Im}(\mathrm{Col}_2)$  by Proposition 5.19, and every  $y \in \mathrm{Im}(\mathrm{Col}_2)$  is congruent to a scalar multiple of  $y'_2 \bmod \varphi(\pi)$ . If  $x' \in \mathbb{N}(T)^{\psi=1}$  satisfies  $\mathrm{Col}_2(x') = y'_2$ , then again the algorithm for  $\mathfrak{J}$  implies that  $\underline{\mathrm{Col}}_2(x) = \sum_{i=1}^{p-1} \delta^i \bmod (\gamma - 1)$ . This finishes the proof.  $\square$

**Corollary 5.22.** *We have*

$$\mathrm{Im}(\underline{\mathrm{Col}}_2)^\eta = \begin{cases} \Lambda(G_\infty)^\Delta = (\sum_{i=1}^{p-1} \delta^i) \Lambda(G_\infty) & \text{if } \eta = 1 \\ ((\gamma - 1) \Lambda(G_\infty))^\eta & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Note that the results of Corollaries 5.18 and 5.22 are equivalent to Theorem 6.2 in [Kob03].

**5.4. The case  $k = 2$ .** In this section we consider the case of modular forms which have weight 2 and are non-ordinary at  $p$ . For modular forms with trivial character and coefficients in  $\mathbb{Q}$  (hence corresponding to elliptic curves), but with  $a_p \neq 0$ , this case was studied in detail by Sprung.

**5.4.1. Coleman maps via the Perrin-Riou pairing.** We first review Sprung's construction of the Coleman maps for elliptic curves over  $\mathbb{Q}$  with  $p \mid a_p$  but  $a_p \neq 0$ , and explain how we can rewrite these Coleman maps using Perrin-Riou's pairing.

Let  $f$  be a modular form as in Section 3.3 with  $k = 2$ . Define for  $n \geq 1$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \Theta_n^1 & \Upsilon_n^1 \\ \Theta_n^0 & \Upsilon_n^0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \Phi_n(\gamma) \\ -1 & a_p \end{pmatrix} \cdots \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \Phi_1(\gamma) \\ -1 & a_p \end{pmatrix} \in M_2(\mathcal{H}(G_\infty)).$$

Then, we have:

**Lemma 5.23.** *Let  $i \in \mathbb{Z}$  and write*

$$A_n^i = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & p \\ -1 & a_p \end{pmatrix}^i \begin{pmatrix} \Theta_n^1 & \Upsilon_n^1 \\ \Theta_n^0 & \Upsilon_n^0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

*Then,  $A_n^{i-n}$  converges in  $M_2(\mathcal{H}(G_\infty))$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  for a fixed  $i$ . Write  $A_\infty^i$  for the limit, then all entries of  $A_\infty^i$  are  $O(\log_p^{1/2})$ . Moreover, if  $\eta$  is a character on  $G_\infty$  which factors through  $G_n$  but not  $G_{n-1}$ , then  $\eta(A_\infty^i) = \eta(A_m^{i-m})$  for any  $m \geq n - 1$ .*

*Proof.* [Spr09, Lemma 3.21]  $\square$

**Proposition 5.24.** *For any  $\mathbf{z} \in H_{\mathrm{Iw}}^1(V_{\bar{f}}(1))$  and  $0 \neq \omega \in \mathbb{D}_{\mathrm{cris}}^1(V_f)$ , the entries of the row vector*

$$\left( \frac{1}{p} \mathcal{L}_{1, (1+\pi) \otimes \varphi(\omega)}(z) \quad -\mathcal{L}_{1, (1+\pi) \otimes \omega}(z) \right) A_\infty^{-1}$$

*are both divisible by  $\log_p(\gamma)/(\gamma - 1)$ .*

*Proof.* For  $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ , write  $u_n = (\alpha^n - \beta^n)/(\alpha - \beta)$  where  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are the roots of  $X^2 - a_p X + p$ . Then,  $\varphi^n = u_n \varphi - pu_{n-1}$  and

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & p \\ -1 & a_p \end{pmatrix}^n = \begin{pmatrix} -pu_{n-1} & pu_n \\ -u_n & u_{n+1} \end{pmatrix}.$$

Therefore, if  $n > 1$  and  $\eta$  is a character of  $G_\infty$  which factors through  $G_n$  but not  $G_{n-1}$  (so  $\eta(\gamma)$  is a primitive  $p^{n-1}$ -th root of unity), we have

$$\eta(A_\infty^{-1}) = \begin{pmatrix} -pu_{n-1} & pu_{-n} \\ -u_{-n} & u_{-n+1} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ -1 & a_p \end{pmatrix} \eta \begin{pmatrix} \Theta_{n-2}^1 & \Upsilon_{n-2}^1 \\ \Theta_{n-2}^0 & \Upsilon_{n-2}^0 \end{pmatrix}$$

where the last matrix is the identity if  $n = 2$ .

By [Lei09, Section 1.1.4], we have

$$\eta(\mathcal{L}_{1,(1+\pi)\otimes v}(\mathbf{z})) = \frac{1}{\tau(\eta^{-1})} \sum_{\sigma \in G_n} \eta^{-1}(\sigma)[\varphi^{-n}(v), \exp_{n,1}^*(z_n^\sigma)]_n$$

for any  $v \in \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f)$  and  $z \in H_{\text{Iw}}^1(V_{\bar{f}}(1))$ . Hence, if  $\omega \in \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}^1(V_f)$ , then

$$\eta \left( \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{p}\mathcal{L}_{1,(1+\pi)\otimes \varphi(\omega)}(z) & -\mathcal{L}_{1,(1+\pi)\otimes \omega}(z) \end{pmatrix} A_\infty^{-1} \right) = 0$$

because

$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{p}u_{-n+1} & -u_{-n} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -pu_{n-1} & pu_{-n} \\ -u_{-n} & u_{-n+1} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ -1 & a_p \end{pmatrix} = 0,$$

which implies that

$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{p}\varphi^{-n+1}(\omega) & -\varphi^{-n}(\omega) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -pu_{n-1} & pu_{-n} \\ -u_{-n} & u_{-n+1} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ -1 & a_p \end{pmatrix} \equiv 0 \pmod{\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}^1(V_f)}.$$

□

By [PR94], the image of  $\mathcal{L}_{1,(1+\pi)\otimes v}$  is  $O(\log_p^{1/2})$  for any  $v \in \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f)$ , so we obtain two Coleman maps:

**Definition 5.25.** Fix a non-zero element  $\omega \in \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}^1(V_f)$ . For  $*$  =  $\vartheta, v$  and  $z \in H_{\text{Iw}}^1(V_{\bar{f}}(1))$ ,  $\text{Col}^*(z) \in \Lambda_E(G_\infty)$  is defined by

$$(57) \quad (\text{Col}^\vartheta(z) \quad \text{Col}^v(z)) \cdot \log_p(\gamma)/p(\gamma - 1) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{p}\mathcal{L}_{(1+\pi)\otimes \varphi(\omega)}(z) & -\mathcal{L}_{(1+\pi)\otimes \omega}(z) \end{pmatrix} A_\infty^{-1}.$$

In particular, we can define two  $p$ -adic  $L$ -functions

$$\tilde{L}_p^* = \text{Col}^*(\mathbf{z}^{\text{Kato}}) \in \Lambda_E(G_\infty)$$

where  $\mathbf{z}^{\text{Kato}}$  is the localization of the Kato zeta element and  $*$  =  $\vartheta, v$ .

**Remark 5.26.** The results above hold for any modular forms with  $k = 2$ ,  $p \nmid N$  and  $v_p(a_p) \geq 1/2$ . This setting is slightly more general than that in [Spr09].

5.4.2. *Compatibility of Coleman maps.* Since condition (C) holds and  $k = 2$ , with respect to the canonical basis of  $\mathbb{N}(V_f)$  given above,  $P$  is simply

$$(58) \quad \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ q & a_p \end{pmatrix}.$$

Write  $B_\infty^i$  (respectively  $B_n^i$ ) for the matrix obtained from  $A_\infty^i$  (respectively  $A_n^i$ ) by replacing  $\Phi_m(\gamma)$  by  $\varphi^{m-1}(q)$  for all  $m$ . Then, we have:

**Lemma 5.27.** Under the notation above,  $M' = B_\infty^0$ .

*Proof.* By (58),  $(B_n^{-n})^T = P\varphi(P) \cdots \varphi^{n-1}(P)A_\varphi^{-n}$ . For  $\gamma \in G_\infty$ , we write  $G_\gamma^{(n)} = (B_n^{-n})^T \cdot \gamma((B_n^{-n})^T)^{-1}$ . Then,

$$P \cdot \varphi(G_\gamma^{(n)}) \cdot \gamma(P)^{-1} = G_\gamma^{(n+1)}.$$

Hence, if we write  $G_\gamma$  for the limit of  $G_\gamma^{(n)}$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , then

$$P \cdot \varphi(G_\gamma) \cdot \gamma(P)^{-1} = G_\gamma,$$

It is easy to check that  $G_\gamma$  satisfies  $G_{\gamma_1\gamma_2} = G_{\gamma_1} \cdot \gamma_1(G_{\gamma_2})$  for any  $\gamma_1, \gamma_2 \in G_\infty$ . Hence, we recover the action of  $G_\infty$  on the Wach module  $\mathbb{N}(V_f)$ . In other words,  $G_\gamma$  is the matrix of  $\gamma$  with respect to the basis  $n_1, n_2$  chosen in [BLZ04]. Since  $G_\gamma = (B_\infty^0)^T \cdot \gamma((B_\infty^0)^T)^{-1}$  and  $G_\gamma|_{\pi=0} = I$ , we have

$$B_\infty^0 \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix} \in \left( (E \otimes \mathbb{B}_{\text{rig}, \mathbb{Q}_p}^+) \otimes \mathbb{N}(V_f) \right)^{G_\infty} = \mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_f)$$

and  $M' = B_\infty^0$ . □

We write  $A^c = \det(A)A^{-1}$  if  $A$  is an invertible matrix, then we have:

**Corollary 5.28.** *The matrix  $M$  can be obtained from  $(A_\infty^{-1})^c$  by replacing  $\Phi_m$  by  $\varphi(q)^m$ .*

*Proof.* Recall that

$$M = \frac{t}{\pi q} P^T (M')^{-1} = \frac{t}{\pi q} \varphi(M'^{-1}) A_\varphi^T.$$

By Lemma 5.27,  $\det(M') = \det(B_\infty^0) = \prod_{n \geq 0} \frac{\varphi^n(q)}{p} = t/\pi$ . But  $\det A_{vp} = p$  and  $A_\infty^{i+1} = A_\varphi^T A_\infty^i$  for all  $i$ . Hence, we have

$$M = \varphi((A_\varphi^T)^{-1} B_\infty^0)^c = \varphi(B_\infty^{-1})^c$$

and we are done. □

On setting  $\nu_1 = -\omega$  in (57), (32) implies that

$$(59) \quad (\underline{\text{Col}}_1 \quad \underline{\text{Col}}_2) \underline{M} A_\infty^{-1} = (\text{Col}^\vartheta \circ h_{\text{Iw}}^1 \quad \text{Col}^\nu \circ h_{\text{Iw}}^1) \log_p(\gamma)/p(\gamma-1).$$

By [Spr09],

$$\text{Im}(\text{Col}^\vartheta) = \text{Im}(\text{Col}^\nu) = \Lambda_E(G_\infty)$$

and (59) implies that the matrix  $\underline{M} A_\infty^{-1}$  defines a  $\Lambda_E(G_\infty)$ -linear map from  $\Lambda_E(G_\infty)^{\oplus 2}$  onto  $(\log_p(\gamma)/p(\gamma-1))\Lambda_E(G_\infty)^{\oplus 2}$ . Hence, there exists  $A \in GL_2(\Lambda_E(G_\infty))$ ,  $\underline{M} A_\infty^{-1} = [\log_p(\gamma)/p(\gamma-1)]A$ . This implies

$$(\underline{\text{Col}}_1 \quad \underline{\text{Col}}_2) A = (\text{Col}^\vartheta \circ h_{\text{Iw}}^1 \quad \text{Col}^\nu \circ h_{\text{Iw}}^1).$$

We also see that  $\underline{M}$  and  $(A_\infty^{-1})^c$  agree up to an element in  $GL_2(\Lambda_E(G_\infty))$  which is a generalization of Proposition 5.10 because of the description of  $M$  in Corollary 5.28.

## 6. MAIN CONJECTURES

**6.1. Kato's main conjecture.** In general, if  $V$  is a  $p$ -adic representation of  $G_\mathbb{Q}$  unramified outside a finite set of primes, and  $T$  is a  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ -lattice in  $V$  stable under  $G_\mathbb{Q}$ , we write

$$\mathbb{H}^i(T) = \varprojlim_n H_{\text{ét}}^i \left( \text{Spec } \mathbb{Z}[\zeta_{p^n}, \frac{1}{p}], j_* T \right),$$

$$\mathbb{H}^i(V) = \mathbb{Q}_p \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \mathbb{H}^i(T).$$

for  $i = 1, 2$ ; see [Kat04, §§8.2 & 12.2]. Here  $j$  is the natural map  $\text{Spec } \mathbb{Q}(\zeta_{p^n}) \rightarrow \text{Spec } \mathbb{Z}[\zeta_{p^n}, \frac{1}{p}]$ . Note that  $\mathbb{H}^i(V)$  is independent of the choice of lattice  $T$ .

We now continue under the notation of Section 3.3 and Section 3.6. Fix a uniformizer  $\varpi$  of  $\mathcal{O}_E$ . Let  $\mathbb{Z}(T_f) \subset \mathbb{H}^1(T_f)$  denote the  $\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_\infty)$ -module generated by the Kato zeta elements as defined in [Kat04, Theorem 12.5] and write  $\mathbb{Z}(V_f) = \mathbb{Z}(T_f) \otimes \mathbb{Q}$ . The following assumption will be needed for some of the results below.

- **Assumption (E):** there exists a basis of  $T_f$  for which the image of  $\text{Gal}(\overline{\mathbb{Q}}/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)$  in  $\text{GL}_2(\mathcal{O}_E)$  contains  $\text{SL}_2(\mathbb{Z}_p)$ .

**Theorem 6.1** ([Kat04, theorem 12.5]). *Let  $\eta : \Delta \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_p^\times$  be a character, then:*

- (a)  $\mathbb{H}^2(T_f)$  is a torsion  $\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_\infty)$ -module.
- (b)  $\mathbb{H}^1(T_f)$  is a torsion free  $\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_\infty)$ -module and  $\mathbb{H}^1(V_f)$  is a free  $\Lambda_E(G_\infty)$ -module of rank 1.
- (c) The quotient  $\mathbb{H}^1(V_f)/\mathbb{Z}(V_f)$  is a torsion  $\Lambda_E(G_\infty)$ -module.
- (d)  $\text{Char}_{\Lambda_E(\Gamma)}(\mathbb{H}^1(V_f)^\eta/\mathbb{Z}(V_f)^\eta) \subset \text{Char}_{\Lambda_E(\Gamma)}(\mathbb{H}^2(V_f)^\eta)$ .
- (e) If assumption (E) holds, then  $\mathbb{Z}(T_f) \subset \mathbb{H}^1(T_f)$ . Moreover,  $\mathbb{H}^1(T_f)$  is a free  $\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_\infty)$ -module of rank 1 and

$$\text{Char}_{\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(\Gamma)}(\mathbb{H}^1(T_f)^\eta/\mathbb{Z}(T_f)^\eta) \subset \text{Char}_{\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(\Gamma)}(\mathbb{H}^2(T_f)^\eta).$$

Kato's main conjecture states that:

**Conjecture 6.2.** *Let  $\eta : \Delta \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_p^\times$  be a character, then  $\mathbb{Z}(T_f)^\eta \subset \mathbb{H}^1(T_f)^\eta$  and*

$$\text{Char}_{\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(\Gamma)}(\mathbb{H}^1(T_f)^\eta/\mathbb{Z}(T_f)^\eta) = \text{Char}_{\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(\Gamma)}(\mathbb{H}^2(T_f)^\eta).$$

**Remark 6.3.** *The above formulation of the conjecture can be found in [Kob03, §5]; it is more convenient for our purposes than the original formulation (Conjecture 12.10 of [Kat04]).*

**6.2. Reformulation of Kato's main conjecture.** Let  $K$  be a number field. The  $p$ -Selmer group of  $f$  over  $K$  is defined by

$$\text{Sel}_p(f/K) = \ker \left( H^1(K, V_f/T_f(1)) \rightarrow \prod_\nu \frac{H^1(K_\nu, V_f/T_f(1))}{H_f^1(K_\nu, V_f/T_f(1))} \right)$$

where  $\nu$  runs through all the places of  $K$ .

We choose a "good basis"  $\nu_1, \nu_2$  of  $\mathbb{D}_{\text{cris}}(V_{\bar{f}})$  in the sense of subsection 3.3. Lemma 3.15 shows that we may find a lift  $n_1, n_2$  of this to a basis of  $\mathbb{N}(V_{\bar{f}})$  such that  $(1 + \pi)\varphi(\pi^{1-k}n_1 \otimes e_{k-1}), (1 + \pi)\varphi(\pi^{1-k}n_2 \otimes e_{k-1})$  is a  $\Lambda_E$ -basis of  $\mathbb{N}(V_{\bar{f}}(k-1))$ . We choose such basis  $(n_1, n_2)$ .

With respect to this basis, we write  $H_f^1(\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}, V_f/T_f(1))^i$  for the annihilator of the projection of  $\ker(\text{Col}_i)$  in  $H^1(\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}, T_{\bar{f}}(k-1))$  under the pairing

$$H^1(\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}, T_{\bar{f}}(k-1)) \times H^1(\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}, V_f/T_f(1)) \rightarrow E/\mathcal{O}_E.$$

This enables us to make the following definition:

**Definition 6.4.**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sel}_p^i(f/\mathbb{Q}(\mu_{p^n})) &= \ker \left( \text{Sel}_p(f/\mathbb{Q}(\mu_{p^n})) \rightarrow \frac{H^1(\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}, V_f/T_f(1))}{H_f^1(\mathbb{Q}_{p,n}, V_f/T_f(1))^i} \right) \\ \text{Sel}_p^i(f/\mathbb{Q}_\infty) &= \varinjlim_n \text{Sel}_p^i(f/\mathbb{Q}(\mu_{p^n})). \end{aligned}$$

By the Poitou-Tate exact sequence (see [Kob03, Section 7] and [Lei09, Section 4]), we have

$$(60) \quad \mathbb{H}^1(T_{\bar{f}}(k-1)) \rightarrow \text{Im}(\text{Col}_i) \rightarrow \text{Sel}_p^i(f/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)^\vee \rightarrow \mathbb{H}^2(T_{\bar{f}}(k-1)) \rightarrow 0$$

where  $(\cdot)^\vee$  denotes the Pontryagin dual.

**Theorem 6.5.** *Under assumption (A) (if  $f$  is supersingular at  $p$ ) or assumption (A') (if  $f$  is ordinary at  $p$ ),  $\text{Sel}_p^i(f/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)$  is  $\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_\infty)$ -cotorsion. Moreover, there exist some  $n_i \geq 0$  such that*

$$\varpi^{n_i} \tilde{L}_{p,i}^\eta \in \text{Char}_{\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(\Gamma)}(\text{Sel}_p^i(f/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)^{\vee, \eta})$$

where  $\eta$  is any character on  $\Delta$  when  $i = 1$  and it is the trivial character when  $i = 2$ .



*Proof.* Assume  $f$  is supersingular at  $p$ . By Corollary 3.29, assumption (A) implies that  $\tilde{L}_{p,i}^\eta \neq 0$ . Hence, the cokernel of the first map in (60) is  $\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_\infty)$ -torsion. But  $\mathbb{H}^2(T_{\bar{f}}(k-1))$  is also  $\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_\infty)$ -torsion by [Kat04], so  $\mathrm{Sel}_p^i(f/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)^\vee$  is  $\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_\infty)$ -torsion, too.

As in [Kob03, Theorem 7.3], the first arrow of (60) is now injective and there exist  $n \geq 0$  such that

$$(61) \quad 0 \rightarrow \mathbb{H}^1(T_{\bar{f}}(k-1))/\mathbb{Z}(T_{\bar{f}}(k-1)) \rightarrow \mathrm{Im}(\mathrm{Col}_i)/(\varpi^{n_i} \tilde{L}_{p,i}) \rightarrow \mathrm{Sel}_p^i(f/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)^\vee \rightarrow \mathbb{H}^2(T_{\bar{f}}(k-1)) \rightarrow 0.$$

Hence, the second part of the theorem follows from Theorem 6.1(d) on taking  $\eta$ -components. The proof for the ordinary case is analogous.  $\square$

**Corollary 6.6.** *Let  $\eta$  be a character on  $\Delta$  as above. If assumptions (A) (or (A')) depending on whether  $f$  is supersingular or ordinary at  $p$  and (E) hold, then Kato's main conjecture is equivalent to*

$$\mathrm{Char}_{\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(\Gamma)}(\mathrm{Sel}_p^i(f/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)^{\vee,\eta}) = \mathrm{Char}_{\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(\Gamma)}(\mathrm{Im}(\mathrm{Col}_i)^\eta/(\tilde{L}_{p,i}^\eta)).$$

*Proof.* It follows immediately from (61).  $\square$

**Remark 6.7.** *We do not assume that  $n_1, n_2$  is an  $\mathcal{O}_E \otimes \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^+$ -basis for  $\mathbb{N}(T_{\bar{f}})$ . Hence  $\mathrm{Im}(\mathrm{Col}_i)$  need not be contained in  $\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_\infty)$ ; but it is still clearly a  $\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}_E}(G_\infty)$ -submodule of  $\Lambda_E(G_\infty)$ .*

By Theorem 4.28, if  $f$  is supersingular at  $p$ , then assumptions (B), (C) and (D) imply that  $\mathrm{Im}(\mathrm{Col}_1) = \Lambda_E(G_\infty)$ . Therefore, we can reformulate Kato's main conjecture in the following form:

**Corollary 6.8.** *If  $f$  is supersingular at  $p$  and assumptions (A)-(D) all hold, then Kato's main conjecture (after tensoring by  $\mathbb{Q}$ ) is equivalent to the assertion that  $\mathrm{Char}_{\Lambda_E(\Gamma)}(\mathrm{Sel}_p^1(f/\mathbb{Q}_\infty)^{\vee,\eta})$  is generated by  $\tilde{L}_{p,1}^\eta$ .*

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