

Goal: Compute  $L(\mathcal{D}(R), \mathfrak{P}_R^S)$  for  $R$  Dedekind ring with fraction field a number field

(i.e. rings of integers like  $R = \mathbb{Z}$ ). So far, we know  
true for  $R$  Dedekind,  $\text{char}(\text{Frac}(R)) \neq 2$

$$L_n(\mathcal{D}(R), \mathfrak{P}_R^S) \cong \begin{cases} L_n(\mathcal{D}(R), \mathfrak{P}_R^S) & \text{for } n \leq -3 \\ L_n(\mathcal{D}(R), \mathfrak{P}_R^S) & \text{for } n \geq -2 \end{cases}$$

Exercise: Show this for  $n = -2, -1$ .

### The symmetric case

Let  $R$  be a Dedekind ring,  $S$  a collection of non-zero prime ideals of  $R$   
Definition: We let  $R_S = \{x \in K \mid v_p(x) \geq 0 \text{ if } p \notin S\}$   $R_{(p)}$  is a discrete valuation ring,  $v_p$  the valuation extends to  $K$ .

Examples 1)  $S = \{0 \neq p \in R \text{ prime}\} \Rightarrow R_S = K$

2) If  $T$  is a multiplicative subset of  $R$ ,  $S = \{p \mid p \cap T \neq \emptyset\} \Rightarrow R_S = R[T^{-1}]$

3) If  $S = \{p_1, \dots, p_n\}$  and  $\exists r_i$  s.t.  $p_1^{r_1} \cdots p_n^{r_n} = (x) \Rightarrow R_S = R[\frac{1}{x}]$

Proposition: the ext. of scalar functor  $- \otimes_{R_S} : \mathcal{D}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{D}(R_S)$  ext. to the projection of a Grothendieck-Verdier

sequence  $(\mathcal{D}(R)_S, \mathfrak{P}_M^S) \rightarrow (\mathcal{D}(R), \mathfrak{P}_M^S) \rightarrow (\mathcal{D}(R_S), \mathfrak{P}_{M_S}^S)$  indeed this is true for all  $\mathfrak{P}_M^{\otimes m}$

Proof:  $M_S = M \otimes_R R_S \cong M \otimes_{R_S} (R_S \otimes_R R_S)$

• nat. comp. map:  $\mathfrak{P}_M^S(x) \rightarrow \mathfrak{P}_{M_S}^S(x \otimes_R R_S)$  given by

$$\text{map}_{R \otimes R}(x \otimes X, M) \xrightarrow{\text{K}_2 \text{ can.}} \text{map}_{R_S \otimes R_S}((X \otimes R_S) \otimes (X \otimes R_S), M \otimes R_S)$$

a priori, up to idempotent completion, but the map  $f$  is sm. surjective.  $\downarrow$

•  $\mathcal{D}(R)_S$  = kernel of the proj. is generated by  $\{R/p\}_{p \in S}$ ;  $\mathcal{D}(R) \xrightarrow{f} \mathcal{D}(R_S)$  is a Verdier projection

•  $\mathfrak{P}_{M_S}^S$  is left Kan extended from  $\mathfrak{P}_M^S$  along  $- \otimes_R R_S$ .  $(K_0(R) \cong \mathbb{Z} \oplus \text{Pic}(R) \rightarrow \mathbb{Z} \oplus \text{Pic}(R_S))$

the essential ingredient is that  $M \xrightarrow{f_S} M_S \cong (M_S)^{K_2}$

$R_S = \text{filtered colimit of free } R\text{-modules}$

$$+ K^x \xrightarrow{\bigoplus_{\substack{p \in S \\ \text{prime}}} \mathbb{Z}} \text{Pic}(R)$$

the left Kan extension on linear + bilinear forms is just base-changed along  $R \rightarrow R_S$ .

$$x \in R \Rightarrow (r_1 \mid p_1) \\ \underline{\underline{x}} = \frac{r_1}{p_1} - \frac{r_2}{p_2}$$

Now we want to describe  $(\mathcal{D}^b(R)_S, \mathcal{P}_R^S)$  in terms of  $(\mathcal{D}^b(R/p), ?)$  for  $p \in S$ .

so fix  $p \in S$ , and consider the restriction of scalars functor  $\mathcal{D}^b(R/p) \rightarrow \mathcal{D}^b(R)$

Proposition: the restriction functor  $\mathcal{D}^b(R/p) \xrightarrow{p^*} \mathcal{D}^b(R)$  refines to a

Poincaré functor  $(\mathcal{D}^b(R/p), \mathcal{P}_{R/p}^S) \xrightarrow{\text{der}} (\mathcal{D}^b(R)_S, \Sigma \mathcal{P}_R^S)$

depending on a uniformizer  $\pi$  for  $p$ .  
i.e. a generator of  $p \subseteq R_{(p)}$   $\in \text{DVR} \Rightarrow$  principle ideal domain.

Exercise: Show this is well-defined, i.e. that  $R/p$  is a perfect  $R$ -module.

proof: For the Poincaré structure on  $p^*$  we calculate induced by the adj. of the

$$\text{map}_{R/p \otimes R/p}^{R/p} (X \otimes X, R/p) \xrightarrow{\text{adj } p^*} \text{map}_{R/p}^{R/p} (p^*(X \otimes X), p^* R/p) \xrightarrow{\text{adj}} \text{map}_{R \otimes R}^{R \otimes R} (p^*(X \otimes X), R[1])$$

Exercise: Show  $R/p[-1] \cong p_* R$  provided  $p$  is principal

Exercise: Show that the map  $p^* R/p \rightarrow R[1]$  adj. to the above equiv. is the Bockstein ass to  $\pi$  if  $p$  is principal.

$$R \xrightarrow{\pi} R \rightarrow R/p \xrightarrow{\text{der}} R[1]$$

Thm: Let  $R$  be a Dedekind ring,  $S$  set of non-zero primes with chosen uniformisers  $\pi_p$ . Then the map

$$\bigoplus_{p \in S} L(\mathcal{D}^b(R/p), \mathcal{P}_{R/p}^S) \xrightarrow{\text{der}_{\pi_p}} L(\mathcal{D}^b(R)_S, \Sigma \mathcal{P}_R^S)$$

is an equivalence.

proof sketch: 1) reduce to the case  $|S| < \infty$  (everything is comp. w/ filtered colimn).

2)  $\prod_{p \in S} \mathcal{D}^b(R/p)$  has t-structure (productwise) s.t.  $\mathcal{D}(\mathcal{P}_{\leq 0}) \subseteq \mathcal{P}_{\leq 0}$  +  $\mathcal{D}(\mathcal{P}_{\geq 0}) \subseteq \mathcal{P}_{\geq 0}$

3)  $\mathcal{D}^b(R)_S$  has t-structure (restricted from  $\mathcal{D}^b(R)$ ) s.t.  $\mathcal{D}(\mathcal{P}_{\leq 0}) \subseteq \mathcal{P}_{\leq 0}$  +  $\mathcal{D}(\mathcal{P}_{\geq 0}) \subseteq \mathcal{P}_{\geq 0}$

4) Deduce that odd dim L-groups vanish + even dim ones are sym + anti sym.

With groups of the heart of the t-structures

5) Use dérivation for t-1 sym. W groups :  $\bigoplus_{p \in S} W^{\pm 1}(R/p) \xrightarrow{\cong} W^{\pm 1}(\text{Mod}(R)_S^{\text{fg}})$

Corollary:  $R, S$  as before. There is a fibre sequence

$$L(\mathcal{D}^b(R), \mathcal{P}_R^S) \longrightarrow L(\mathcal{D}^b(R_S), \mathcal{P}_{R_S}^S) \xrightarrow{\bigoplus_{p \in S} L(\mathcal{D}^b(R/p), \mathcal{P}_{R/p}^S)}$$

Example:  $\partial_\pi: L_0(\mathfrak{A}^p(K), \varphi_K^s) \rightarrow L_0(\mathfrak{A}^p(R_{\mathfrak{p}}), \varphi_{R_{\mathfrak{p}}}^s)$  is given as follows

$L_0(\mathfrak{A}^p(K), \varphi_K^s) \cong W^s(K)$  generated by  $\langle x \rangle$  with  $x \in R \setminus \{0\}$ . We may assume  $R$  is local

so that  $x = \pi^i \cdot u$  for  $u \in R^\times$ .

$u \in R/\mathfrak{p}$  via  $R \rightarrow R/\mathfrak{p}$

suffices to specify  $\partial_\pi(\langle u \rangle) = 0$  and  $\partial_\pi(\langle \pi u \rangle) = \langle u \rangle$

means that all residue fields are finite fields.

Corollary:  $R$  Dedekind,  $K = \text{frac}(R)$  global field of characteristic 2. Then

$$L_n(\mathfrak{A}^p(R), \varphi_R^s) \cong \begin{cases} W^s(R) & \text{if } n=0 \text{ (2)} \\ \text{Pic}(R)/_2 & \text{if } n \geq 1 \text{ (2)} \end{cases}$$

Proof: There is a fibre sequence

$$\begin{aligned} L(\mathfrak{A}^p(R), \varphi_R^s) &\rightarrow L(\mathfrak{A}^p(K), \varphi_K^s) \xrightarrow{\oplus \partial_\pi} \bigoplus_{p \neq 0} L(\mathfrak{A}^p(R_{\mathfrak{p}}), \varphi_{R_{\mathfrak{p}}}^s) \\ \rightsquigarrow 0 \rightarrow L_0(\mathfrak{A}^p(R), \varphi_R^s) &\rightarrow L_0(\mathfrak{A}^p(K), \varphi_K^s) \rightarrow \bigoplus_{p \neq 0} L_0(\mathfrak{A}^p(R_{\mathfrak{p}}), \varphi_{R_{\mathfrak{p}}}^s) \rightarrow L_{-1}(\mathfrak{A}^p(R), \varphi_R^s) \rightarrow 0 \\ W_s^s(R) &\xrightarrow{\text{HS}} W_s^s(K) \xrightarrow{\oplus \partial_\pi} \bigoplus_{p \neq 0} W_s^s(R_{\mathfrak{p}}) \\ Z_2[K^\times] &\xrightarrow{\quad} \bigoplus_{p \neq 0} Z_2 \xrightarrow{\quad} \text{Pic}(R)/_2 \xrightarrow{\quad} 0 \end{aligned}$$

fields have no odd  
L-groups

Fact: cokernel of  $W^s(K) \xrightarrow{\partial_\pi} \bigoplus_{p \neq 0} W^s(R_{\mathfrak{p}})$  is  $\text{Pic}(R)/_2$  whenever  $K$  is global (e.g. a number field)

Corollary:  $R$  Dedekind ring,  $K$  global field of char.  $\neq 2$ . Let  $d = \#$  dyadic primes ( $2 \in \mathfrak{p}$ )

$$L_n(\mathfrak{A}^p(R), \varphi_R^s) \cong \begin{cases} W^s(R) & n \equiv 0 \pmod{4} \\ (\mathbb{Z}_2)^d & n \equiv 1 \pmod{4} \\ 0 & n \equiv 2 \pmod{4} \\ \text{Pic}(R)/_2 & n \equiv 3 \pmod{4} \end{cases}$$

Proof: Exercise.

$$\text{Corollary: } L_n(\mathfrak{A}^p(\mathbb{Z}), \varphi^s) = L_n^s(\mathbb{Z}) = \begin{cases} \mathbb{Z} & n \equiv 0 \pmod{4} \\ \mathbb{Z}/2 & n \equiv 1 \pmod{4} \\ 0 & n \equiv 2 \pmod{4} \\ 0 & n \equiv 3 \pmod{4} \end{cases}$$

Inv. = signature  
Inv. = deRham inv.

## The quadratic case

Exercise: Derivation fails for  $L(-; \varphi^q)$   $\leadsto$  maybe wait until the end of the lecture

Thm: let  $R$  be a ring,  $x \in R$  s.t.  $x$ -power torsion is bounded. Then for  $q = q^{\frac{1}{2}}, q^{\frac{1}{3}}$

$$L(\mathcal{D}^0(R), q) \longrightarrow L(\mathcal{D}^0(R[\frac{1}{x}]), q)$$

$$\downarrow \quad \square \quad \downarrow$$

$$L(\mathcal{D}^0(R_x^\wedge), q) \longrightarrow L(\mathcal{D}^0(R_x^\wedge[\frac{1}{x}]), q)$$

else interpret  $R_x^\wedge$  as the derived completion.

assume  $K_0(R) \rightarrow K_0(R[\frac{1}{x}]) +$

$K_0(R_x^\wedge) \rightarrow K_0(R_x^\wedge[\frac{1}{x}])$  } true for  $R = \text{Dedekind}$

is a pullback.

If  $x \in \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow R \Rightarrow$  same statement true  
for  $q^{2m}$  for all  $m$ .

proof:

$$(\mathcal{D}^0(R) \text{ on } x, q) \longrightarrow (\mathcal{D}^0(R), q) \xrightarrow{\text{PV proj}} (\mathcal{D}^0(R[\frac{1}{x}]), q)$$

equivalence of categories  
compatible with duality.

$$\longrightarrow \downarrow \otimes \quad \downarrow \text{Poincaré functor} \quad \downarrow$$

$$(\mathcal{D}^0(R_x^\wedge) \text{ on } x, q) \rightarrow (\mathcal{D}^0(R_x^\wedge), q) \xrightarrow{\text{PV proj}} (\mathcal{D}^0(R_x^\wedge[\frac{1}{x}]), q)$$

$q^{\frac{1}{2}}, q^{\frac{1}{3}}$  are determined by the duality, so  $\otimes$  is an equiv. of Poincaré  $\infty$ -categories

applying  $L(-)$  hence gives horizontal fibre sequence + fibres are equivalent.  $\blacksquare$

Thm (Wall) Let  $I \subseteq R$  ideal, and assume  $R$  is  $I$ -adically complete. Then

$$L^q(R) = L(\mathcal{D}^0(R), \varphi_R^q) \xrightarrow{\sim} L(\mathcal{D}^0(R_I), \varphi_{R_I}^q) \text{ is an equivalence.}$$

Question: Is this true if  $R \rightarrow R_I$  is only a Henselian pair?

Exercise: prove surjectivity on  $\pi_{2k}$  (this works more generally if  $R \rightarrow S$  surjective + kernel  $\subseteq$  Jacobson radical).

Corollary: Let  $R$  be a ring. Then there is a pullback

$$L^q(R) \longrightarrow L^q(R_1) \simeq L^q(R_2)$$

$$\downarrow \quad \square \quad \downarrow$$

$$L^q(R) \longrightarrow L^q(R_2^\wedge)$$

Exercise: prove the Corollary.

Thm let  $R$  be a Dedekind ring,  $K$  global,  $\text{char}(K) \neq 2$ ,  $d = \# \text{ dyadic primes}$

$$L_n^q(R) \cong \begin{cases} W^q(R) & n \equiv 0 \pmod{4} \\ 0 & n \equiv 1 \pmod{4} \\ (\mathbb{Z}/2)^d & n \equiv 2 \pmod{4} \end{cases}$$

and  $\exists$  an extension  $0 \rightarrow A \rightarrow L_3^q(R) \rightarrow L_3^s(R) \rightarrow 0$

with  $A = \text{coker}(W^s(R) \oplus W^q(R_2^1) \rightarrow W^s(R_2^1))$ .

Exercise: prove the theorem. Hint:  $W^q(\mathbb{F}_q) \cong \mathbb{Z}/2$  if  $\mathbb{F}_q$  is a finite field of char. 2.

Corollary:

$$L_n^q(\mathbb{Z}) = \begin{cases} \mathbb{Z} & n \equiv 0 \pmod{4} \\ 0 & n \equiv 1 \pmod{4} \\ \mathbb{Z}/2 & n \equiv 2 \pmod{4} \\ 0 & n \equiv 3 \pmod{4} \end{cases}$$

signature divided by 8

Arf invariant

Exercise: signature of an even sym. form /  $\mathbb{Z}$  is divisible by 8

proof: need  $A=0$ : We have an exact sequence

$$W^q(\mathbb{Z}) \hookrightarrow W^s(\mathbb{Z}) \oplus W^q(\mathbb{Z}_2^1) \rightarrow W^s(\mathbb{Z}_2^1) \rightarrow A \rightarrow 0$$

Ex:  $= 0$

$$\downarrow$$

$$W^q(\mathbb{F}_2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{inj. map } \mathbb{Z}/8\mathbb{Z} \oplus \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z} \rightarrow W^s(\mathbb{Z}_2^1) \text{ and by comp. to } W^s(\mathbb{Q}_2)$$

fundamental controlled by ideal 'is'

$$H_{\text{ét}}^*(\mathbb{Q}_2, \mu_2) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \mathbb{Z}/2 \\ \mathbb{Z}/2 \end{array} \right\}$$

one can see that  $W^s(\mathbb{Z}_2^1)$  has 16 elements.

Exercise: If  $d \geq 2 \Rightarrow A \neq 0$ .