

Height pairings of 1-motives

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ABSTRACT – The purpose of this work is to generalize, in the context of 1-motives, the p -adic height pairings constructed by B. Mazur and J. Tate on abelian varieties. Following their approach, we define a global pairing between the rational points of a 1-motive and its dual. We also provide a local pairing between disjoint zero-cycles of degree zero on a curve, which is done by considering the Picard and Albanese 1-motives associated to the curve.

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1. Introduction

In [12], Mazur and Tate gave a construction of a global pairing on the rational points of paired abelian varieties over a global field, as well as Néron-type local pairings between disjoint zero-cycles and divisors on an abelian variety over a local field. Their approach involved the concept of ρ -splittings of biextensions of abelian groups, which they mainly studied in the case of K -rational sections of a \mathbb{G}_m -biextension of abelian varieties over a local field. They proved that, when certain conditions on the base field, the morphism ρ , and the abelian varieties are met, there exist canonical ρ -splittings for this type of biextensions. They went on to construct canonical local pairings between disjoint zero-cycles and divisors on an abelian variety using said ρ -splittings. By considering a global field endowed with a set of places and its respective completions, they were also able to construct a global pairing on the rational points of paired abelian varieties.

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The Poincaré biextension of an abelian variety and its dual defined over a non-archimedean local field of characteristic 0 will be of particular interest to us. When considering this biextension, there is an alternate method of obtaining ρ -splittings, due to Zarhin [16], starting from splittings of the Hodge filtration of the first de Rham cohomology group of the abelian variety. His construction coincides with Mazur and Tate's in the case that ρ is unramified, or when ρ is ramified and the splitting of the Hodge filtration is the one induced by the unit root subspace. In the latter case, the equality of both constructions is a result of Coleman [6] in the case of ordinary reduction, and of Iovita and Werner [10] in the case of semistable ordinary reduction.

For our generalization to 1-motives, we will focus on the ramified case. Following Zarhin's approach, we will construct ρ -splittings of the Poincaré biextension of a 1-motive and its dual starting from a pair of splittings of the Hodge filtrations of their de Rham realizations; this is the content of Section 4. In order to construct pairings from these ρ -splittings, we will require them to be compatible with the canonical linearization associated to the biextension; the conditions under which this happens are studied in Section 3.

In Section 5 we consider a semi-normal irreducible curve C over a finite extension of \mathbb{Q}_p and construct a local pairing between disjoint zero-cycles of degree zero on C and on its regular locus C_{reg} . We do this by considering the Poincaré biextension of the Picard and Albanese 1-motives of C . This construction generalizes the local pairing of Mazur and Tate [12, p. 212] in the case of elliptic curves.

Finally, in Section 6 we consider a 1-motive M over a number field F and a set of places \mathcal{V} of F . For each $v \in \mathcal{V}$ we consider a homomorphism $\rho_v : F_v^* \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p$, as well as a ρ_v -splitting $\psi_v : P(F_v) \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p$ on the F_v -rational sections of the Poincaré biextension P of M and its dual M^\vee , satisfying certain properties. With this data we construct a global pairing between the F -rational points of M and M^\vee under the following condition on the family $\{\psi_v\}_v$: either ψ_v is compatible with the canonical $L_{F_v} \times_{F_v} L_{F_v}^\vee$ -linearization of P_{F_v} , or M_{F_v} has good reduction and ψ_v is zero on the set $P(\mathcal{O}_{F_v})$ of sections of P over the ring of F_v -integers. The pairing is defined similarly to the case of abelian varieties, hence generalizing the global pairing of Mazur and Tate [12, Lem. 3.1] in the case of an abelian variety and its dual.

2. Preliminaries on abelian varieties and 1-motives

2.1 – ρ -splittings on abelian varieties

For the definition of biextension of abelian groups and group schemes we refer to [13].

DEFINITION 2.1 ([12, p. 199]). Let A, B, H, Y be abelian groups and P a bi-extension of (A, B) by H . Let $\rho : H \rightarrow Y$ be a homomorphism. A ρ -splitting of P is a map $\psi : P \rightarrow Y$ such that

- (i) $\psi(h + x) = \rho(h) + \psi(x)$, for all $h \in H$ and $x \in P$, and
- (ii) for each $a \in A$ (resp. $b \in B$) the restriction of ψ to $P_{a,B}$ (resp. $P_{A,b}$) is a group homomorphism,

where $P_{a,B}$ (resp. $P_{A,b}$) denotes the preimage of P over $\{a\} \times B$ (resp. $A \times \{b\}$).

Thus, a ρ -splitting can be seen as a bi-homomorphic map which is compatible with the natural action of H on P . Moreover, ψ induces a trivialization (as biextension) of the pushout of P along ρ , hence its name.

The context in which these maps were classically studied is the following. Consider a field K which is complete with respect to a place v , either archimedean or discrete, A and B abelian varieties over K , P a biextension of (A, B) by \mathbb{G}_m , and $\rho : K^* \rightarrow Y$ a homomorphism from the group of units of K to an abelian group Y . A key result by Mazur and Tate [12, p. 199] states the existence of canonical ρ -splittings of the set $P(K)$ of K -rational points of P in the following cases:

- (i) v is archimedean and $\rho(c) = 0$ for all c such that $|c|_v = 1$,
- (ii) v is discrete, ρ is unramified (i.e. $\rho(R^*) = 0$, where R is the valuation ring of K) and Y is uniquely divisible by N , and
- (iii) v is discrete, the residue field of K is finite, A has semistable ordinary reduction and Y is uniquely divisible by M ,

where N is an integer depending on A and M is an integer depending on A and B . We will mainly focus on case (iii). In this case, the ρ -splitting of $P(K)$ is obtained by extending a local formal splitting of P , which exists and is unique because of the semistable ordinary reduction of A .

In the case of a p -adic base field, when considering $B = A^\vee$ the dual abelian variety of A and $P = P_A$ the Poincaré biextension, there is an alternate method of obtaining ρ -splittings of $P(K)$ starting with a splitting of the Hodge filtration of the first de Rham cohomology of A . This construction is due to Zarhin [16] and is done as follows. Let K be a field which is the completion of a number field with respect to a discrete place v over a prime p and consider a continuous homomorphism $\rho : K^* \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p$. Recall that, associated to the first de Rham cohomology K -vector space of A , there is a canonical extension

$$(2.1) \quad 0 \rightarrow H^0(A, \Omega_{A/K}^1) \rightarrow H_{\text{dR}}^1(A) \rightarrow H^1(A, \mathcal{O}_A) \rightarrow 0$$

coming from the Hodge filtration of $H_{\text{dR}}^1(A)$. It is known that (2.1) can be naturally

identified with the exact sequence of Lie algebras induced by the universal vectorial extension $A^{\vee\#}$ of A^\vee :

$$0 \rightarrow \omega_A \rightarrow A^{\vee\#} \rightarrow A^\vee \rightarrow 0,$$

where ω_A is the K -vector group scheme representing the sheaf of invariant differentials on A (see [11, Prop. 4.1.7]). Therefore, it is possible to obtain a (uniquely determined) splitting $\eta : A^\vee(K) \rightarrow A^{\vee\#}(K)$ at the level of groups from any splitting $r : H^1(A, \mathcal{O}_A) \rightarrow H_{\text{dR}}^1(A)$ of (2.1) (see [16, Ex. 3.1.5] or [6, Lem. 3.1.1]). Since A^\vee represents the functor $\underline{\text{Ext}}_K(A, \mathbb{G}_m)$, while $A^{\vee\#}$ represents the functor $\underline{\text{Extrig}}_K(A, \mathbb{G}_m)$ of rigidified extensions of A by \mathbb{G}_m , the morphism η gives a multiplicative way of associating a rigidification to every extension of A by \mathbb{G}_m . Indeed, take a point $a^\vee \in A^\vee(K)$ and let P_{A,a^\vee} be the fiber of the Poincaré bundle P_A over $A \times_K \{a^\vee\}$. Then $\eta(a^\vee)$ corresponds to the extension P_{A,a^\vee} of A by \mathbb{G}_m endowed with a rigidification or, equivalently, a splitting

$$s_{a^\vee} : \text{Lie } P_{A,a^\vee}(K) \rightarrow \text{Lie } \mathbb{G}_m(K)$$

of the exact sequence of Lie algebras induced by the extension P_{A,a^\vee} . The composition $\text{Lie } \rho \circ t_{a^\vee}$ can then be extended to a group homomorphism $P_{A,a^\vee}(K) \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p$ (see [16, Thm. 3.1.7]), for every $a^\vee \in A^\vee$, hence obtaining a ρ -splitting

$$\psi_\rho : P_A(K) \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p.$$

When ρ is unramified, ψ_ρ does not depend on the choice of splitting of (2.1), recovering Mazur and Tate’s result for case (ii) (see [16, Thm. 4.1]). On the other hand, when ρ is ramified, ψ_ρ does depend on the chosen splitting of (2.1) (see [16, Thm. 4.3]). Coleman [6] demonstrated that, when A has good ordinary reduction, the canonical ρ -splitting of $P_A(K)$ constructed by Mazur and Tate comes from the splitting of (2.1) induced by the unit root subspace, which is the subspace of $H_{\text{dR}}^1(A)$ on which the Frobenius map acts with slope 0. Later, Iovita and Werner [10] were able to generalize this result to abelian varieties with semistable ordinary reduction by considering their Raynaud extension, which can be seen as a 1-motive whose abelian part has good ordinary reduction (see also [15]).

2.2 – 1-motives

According to Deligne [8, p. 59], a 1-motive M over a field K consists of

- (i) a lattice L over K , i.e. a group scheme which, locally for the étale topology on K , is isomorphic to a finitely generated free abelian constant group;
- (ii) a semi-abelian variety G over K , i.e. an extension of an abelian variety A by a torus T ; and
- (iii) a morphism of K -group schemes $u : L \rightarrow G$.

A 1-motive can be considered as a complex of K -group schemes

$$M = [L \xrightarrow{u} G]$$

with the lattice in degree -1 and the semi-abelian variety in degree 0 . A *morphism of 1-motives* can then be defined as a morphism of the corresponding complexes.

2.2.1. Cartier duality. Associated to a 1-motive M , there is a *Cartier dual 1-motive*

$$M^\vee = [L^\vee \xrightarrow{u^\vee} G^\vee]$$

defined as follows (see [8, p. 67]). The lattice $L^\vee := \underline{\mathrm{Hom}}_K(T, \mathbb{G}_m)$ is the Cartier dual of T , the torus $T^\vee := \underline{\mathrm{Hom}}_K(L, \mathbb{G}_m)$ is the Cartier dual of L , the abelian variety A^\vee is the dual abelian variety of A , and the semi-abelian variety G^\vee is the image of the composition $v : L \xrightarrow{u} G \rightarrow A$ under the natural isomorphism

$$\mathrm{Hom}_K(L, A) \xrightarrow{\cong} \mathrm{Ext}_K^1(A^\vee, T^\vee).$$

There is a canonical biextension P of (M, M^\vee) by \mathbb{G}_m , called the *Poincaré biextension*, expressing the duality between M and M^\vee . It is defined as the pullback to $G \times_K G^\vee$ of the Poincaré biextension P_A of (A, A^\vee) . The biextension P is naturally endowed with trivializations

$$\tau : L \times_K G^\vee \rightarrow P, \quad \tau^\vee : G \times_K L^\vee \rightarrow P$$

that coincide over $L \times_K L^\vee$, which complete its structure of biextension of (M, M^\vee) by \mathbb{G}_m (see [8, p. 60]). Using the fact that the group scheme G^\vee represents the fppf-sheaf $\underline{\mathrm{Ext}}_K([L \xrightarrow{v} A], \mathbb{G}_m)$, it is possible to define the map $u^\vee : L^\vee \rightarrow G^\vee$ as

$$u^\vee : \underline{\mathrm{Hom}}_K(T, \mathbb{G}_m) \rightarrow \underline{\mathrm{Ext}}_K([L \xrightarrow{v} A], \mathbb{G}_m)$$

$$\chi \mapsto [L \xrightarrow{\xi} P_{A, v^\vee(x^\vee)}],$$

where $x^\vee \in L^\vee$ is the element corresponding to $\chi \in \underline{\mathrm{Hom}}_K(T, \mathbb{G}_m)$ and ξ is obtained from the trivialization of P over $L \times_K L^\vee$.

2.2.2. De Rham realization. A 1-motive is endowed with a de Rham realization defined via its universal vectorial extension (see [8, p. 58]). The *universal vectorial extension* of a 1-motive $M = [L \xrightarrow{u} G]$ over K is a two-term complex of K -group schemes

$$M^{\natural} = [L \xrightarrow{u^{\natural}} G^{\natural}]$$

which is an extension of M by the K -vector group ω_{G^\vee} of invariant differentials on G^\vee

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 0 & \longrightarrow & 0 & \longrightarrow & L & \xlongequal{\quad} & L & \longrightarrow & 0 \\
 & & \downarrow & & \downarrow u^\natural & & \downarrow u & & \\
 0 & \longrightarrow & \omega_{G^\vee} & \longrightarrow & G^\natural & \longrightarrow & G & \longrightarrow & 0
 \end{array}$$

and satisfies the following universal property: for all K -vector groups V , the map

$$\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{O}_K}(\omega_{G^\vee}, V) \rightarrow \text{Ext}_K^1(M, V),$$

which sends a morphism $\omega_{G^\vee} \rightarrow V$ of vector groups to the extension of M by V induced by pushout, is an isomorphism. It is well known that the universal vectorial extension of a 1-motive always exists. The *de Rham realization* of M is then defined as

$$\text{T}_{\text{dR}}(M) := \text{Lie } G^\natural.$$

This is endowed with a *Hodge filtration*, defined as follows:

$$F^i \text{T}_{\text{dR}}(M) = \begin{cases} \text{T}_{\text{dR}}(M) & \text{if } i \leq -1, \\ \omega_{G^\vee} & \text{if } i = 0, \\ 0 & \text{if } i \geq 1. \end{cases}$$

We mention some properties concerning schemes involved in universal vectorial extensions.

LEMMA 2.2. (i) *The group scheme G^\natural represents the fppf-sheaf*

$$S \mapsto \left\{ (g, \nabla) \mid g \in G(S) \text{ and } \nabla \text{ is a } \natural\text{-structure on the extension } [L_S^\vee \rightarrow P_{g, G^\vee}] \text{ of } M_S^\vee \text{ by } \mathbb{G}_{m, S} \text{ associated to } g \right\}.$$

(ii) *If we regard the semi-abelian variety G as the 1-motive $G[0] = [0 \rightarrow G]$, then its universal vectorial extension is a group scheme $G^\#$ which is an extension of G by the vector group ω_{A^\vee} . Moreover, $G^\#$ represents the fppf-sheaf*

$$S \mapsto \left\{ (g, \nabla) \mid g \in G(S) \text{ and } \nabla \text{ is a } \natural\text{-structure on the extension of } [L_S^\vee \xrightarrow{v^\vee} A_S^\vee] \text{ by } \mathbb{G}_{m, S} \text{ associated to } g \right\}.$$

(iii) *If we regard the abelian variety A as the 1-motive $A[0] = [0 \rightarrow A]$, then its universal vectorial extension is a group scheme $A^\#$ which is an extension of A by the vector group ω_{A^\vee} . Moreover, $A^\#$ represents the fppf-sheaf*

$$S \mapsto \left\{ (a, \nabla) \mid a \in A(S) \text{ and } \nabla \text{ is a } \natural\text{-structure on the extension } P_{a, A^\vee} \text{ of } A_S^\vee \text{ by } \mathbb{G}_{m, S} \right\}.$$

(iv) If we regard the lattice L as the 1-motive $L[1] = [L \rightarrow 0]$, then its universal vectorial extension is the complex $[L \rightarrow \omega_{T^\vee}]$. Via the identifications $L = \underline{\mathrm{Hom}}_K(T^\vee, \mathbb{G}_m)$ and $\omega_{T^\vee} = \underline{\mathrm{Hom}}_{\mathcal{O}_K}(\mathrm{Lie} T^\vee, \mathcal{O}_K)$, this map is described as

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{\mathrm{Hom}}_K(T^\vee, \mathbb{G}_m) &\rightarrow \underline{\mathrm{Hom}}_{\mathcal{O}_K}(\mathrm{Lie} T^\vee, \mathcal{O}_K) \\ \chi &\mapsto \mathrm{Lie} \chi. \end{aligned}$$

PROOF. Parts (i) and (ii) follow from [4, Prop. 3.8] and [4, Lem. 5.2], respectively. Part (iii) follows from [11, Props. 2.6.7 and 3.2.3 (a)] (see also [6, Thm. 0.3.1]). And, finally, (iv) follows from [1, Lem. 2.2.2], once we notice that there is a natural isomorphism $L \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{G}_a \cong \omega_{T^\vee}$ mapping $x \otimes 1 \mapsto \mathrm{Lie} \chi$. ■

Let P^\natural be the biextension of $(M^\natural, M^{\vee\natural})$ by \mathbb{G}_m obtained from P by pullback. There is a canonical connection ∇ on P^\natural which endows it with a \natural -structure (see [8, Prop. 10.2.7.4]). Its curvature is an invariant 2-form on $G^\natural \times_K G^{\vee\natural}$ and therefore it determines an alternating pairing R on $\mathrm{Lie} G^\natural \times_K \mathrm{Lie} G^{\vee\natural}$ with values in $\mathrm{Lie} \mathbb{G}_m$. Since the restriction of R to $\mathrm{Lie} G^\natural$ and $\mathrm{Lie} G^{\vee\natural}$ is zero, this map induces a pairing

$$\Phi : \mathrm{Lie} G^\natural \times_K \mathrm{Lie} G^{\vee\natural} \rightarrow \mathrm{Lie} \mathbb{G}_m.$$

Deligne’s pairing is then defined as

$$(\cdot, \cdot)_M^{\mathrm{Del}} := -\Phi : \mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{dR}}(M) \times_K \mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{dR}}(M^\vee) \rightarrow \mathrm{Lie} \mathbb{G}_m.$$

2.2.3. Albanese and Picard 1-motives. Let C_0 be a curve over a field K of characteristic 0, i.e. a purely 1-dimensional variety. Note that originally Deligne considered only algebraically closed fields, but these constructions can also be done over an arbitrary field of characteristic 0 (see [3, pp. 87–90]). Consider the commutative diagram

$$q \left(\begin{array}{ccc} C' & \xrightarrow{j'} & \bar{C}' \\ \pi \downarrow & & \downarrow \bar{\pi} \\ C & \xrightarrow{j} & \bar{C} \\ \pi_0 \downarrow & & \\ C_0 & & \end{array} \right)$$

where C' is the normalization of C_0 , \bar{C}' is a smooth compactification of C' , and \bar{C} (resp. C) is the curve obtained from \bar{C}' (resp. C') by contracting each of the finite sets $q^{-1}(x)$, for $x \in C_0$. Notice that \bar{C} is projective and C is semi-normal. Let S be the set of singular points of C , $S' := \pi^{-1}(S)$, and $F := \bar{C}' - C' = \bar{C} - C$.

The *cohomological Albanese 1-motive of C_0* is defined as

$$\mathrm{Alb}^+(C_0) = [u_{\mathrm{Alb}} : \mathrm{Div}_F^0(\bar{C}') \rightarrow \mathrm{Pic}^0(\bar{C})],$$

where:

- (i) $\mathrm{Pic}^0(\bar{C})$ denotes the group of isomorphism classes of invertible sheaves on \bar{C} which are algebraically equivalent to 0. This is a semi-abelian variety: the map $\bar{\pi}^* : \mathrm{Pic}^0(\bar{C}) \rightarrow \mathrm{Pic}^0(\bar{C}')$ is surjective and its kernel is a torus.
- (ii) $\mathrm{Div}_F^0(\bar{C}')$ denotes the group of Weil divisors D on \bar{C}' such that $\mathrm{supp} D \subset F$ and $\mathcal{O}(D) \in \mathrm{Pic}^0(\bar{C}')$.
- (iii) u_{Alb} is the map $D \mapsto \mathcal{O}(D)$ attaching to a divisor D the corresponding invertible sheaf $\mathcal{O}(D)$.

The *homological Picard 1-motive of C_0* is defined as

$$\mathrm{Pic}^-(C_0) = [u_{\mathrm{Pic}} : \mathrm{Div}_{S'/S}^0(\bar{C}', F) \rightarrow \mathrm{Pic}^0(\bar{C}', F)],$$

where:

- (i) $\mathrm{Pic}^0(\bar{C}', F)$ denotes the group of isomorphism classes of pairs (\mathcal{L}, ϕ) , where \mathcal{L} is an invertible sheaf on \bar{C}' algebraically equivalent to 0 and $\phi : \mathcal{L}|_F \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_F$ is a trivialization of \mathcal{L} over F . This is a semi-abelian variety: the natural map $\mathrm{Pic}^0(\bar{C}', F) \rightarrow \mathrm{Pic}^0(\bar{C}')$ is surjective and its kernel is a torus.
- (ii) $\mathrm{Div}_{S'/S}^0(\bar{C}', F)$ denotes the group of Weil divisors D on \bar{C}' which belong to the kernel of $\bar{\pi}_* : \mathrm{Div}_{S'}^0(\bar{C}') \rightarrow \mathrm{Div}_S^0(\bar{C})$ and satisfy $\mathrm{supp} D \cap F = \emptyset$.
- (iii) u_{Pic} is the map $D \mapsto \mathcal{O}(D)$ attaching to a divisor D the corresponding invertible sheaf $\mathcal{O}(D)$.

An important fact is that the dual of $\mathrm{Pic}^-(C_0)$ is $\mathrm{Alb}^+(C_0)$, and viceversa.

3. Linearizations of biextensions

For the entirety of this section, we fix a field K . The following is inspired by [14, Def. 1.6].

DEFINITION 3.1. Let $C = [A \xrightarrow{u} B]$, $C' = [A' \xrightarrow{u'} B']$ be complexes of commutative group schemes over K . Let

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma : A \times_K B &\rightarrow B \\ (a, b) &\mapsto u(a) + b \end{aligned}$$

be the A -action on B induced by u , and define $\sigma' : A' \times_K B'$ analogously. Let P be a biextension of (B, B') by \mathbb{G}_m . We define an $A \times_K A'$ -linearization of P as an $A \times_K A'$ -action on P ,

$$\Sigma : (A \times_K A') \times_K P \rightarrow P,$$

satisfying the following conditions:

(i) \mathbb{G}_m -equivariance: For $a \in A$, $a' \in A'$, $c \in \mathbb{G}_m$ and $x \in P$,

$$\Sigma(a, a', c + x) = c + \Sigma(a, a', x).$$

(ii) *Compatibility with σ and σ'* : For $a \in A$ and $a' \in A'$, if $x \in P$ lies above $(b, b') \in B \times_K B'$, then $\Sigma(a, a', x)$ lies above $(\sigma(a, b), \sigma'(a', b'))$.

(iii) *Compatibility with the partial group structures of P* : For $a \in A$, $a'_1, a'_2 \in A'$ and $x_1, x_2 \in P$ lying above $b \in B$,

$$\Sigma(a, a'_1 + a'_2, x_1 +_1 x_2) = \Sigma(a, a'_1, x_1) +_1 \Sigma(a, a'_2, x_2),$$

and for $a_1, a_2 \in A$, $a' \in A'$ and $x_1, x_2 \in P$ lying above $b' \in B'$,

$$\Sigma(a_1 + a_2, a', x_1 +_2 x_2) = \Sigma(a_1, a', x_1) +_2 \Sigma(a_2, a', x_2).$$

REMARK 3.2. An action $\Sigma : (A \times_K A') \times_K P \rightarrow P$ satisfying conditions (i) and (ii) is an $A \times_K A'$ -linearization of the line bundle P in the sense of [14, Def. 1.6]; this can be summed up as saying that Σ is a “bundle action” lifting the actions σ and σ' . Notice that σ and σ' are homomorphisms, and so condition (iii) may then be interpreted as a lifting to P of the compatibility of σ and σ' with the group structures of B and B' . In the rest of the article, we will only use the term *linearization* in the sense of Definition 3.1 above.

REMARK 3.3. By considering constant group schemes, we will also be able to talk about linearizations of biextensions of abelian groups.

Let $C = [A \xrightarrow{u} B]$ and $C' = [A' \xrightarrow{u'} B']$ be as in Definition 3.1 and consider a biextension P of (B, B') by \mathbb{G}_m . Whenever P has the structure of biextension of (C, C') by \mathbb{G}_m with trivializations

$$\tau : A \times_K B' \rightarrow P, \quad \tau' : B \times_K A' \rightarrow P,$$

we can define an $A \times_K A'$ -linearization of P as

$$\begin{aligned} \Sigma : (A \times_K A') \times_K P &\rightarrow P \\ (a, a', x) &\mapsto [\tau'(u(a), a') +_2 \tau'(b, a')] +_1 [\tau(a, b') +_2 x], \end{aligned}$$

where $x \in P$ lies above $(b, b') \in B \times_K B'$. This construction is due to [5, Thm. 6.8] (see also [15, p. 306]). Conversely, given an $A \times_K A'$ -linearization

$$\Sigma : (A \times_K A') \times_K P \rightarrow P$$

of P , we can define a biextension structure of (C, C') by \mathbb{G}_m on P as the one determined by the trivializations

$$\begin{aligned} \tau : A \times_K B' &\rightarrow P & \tau' : B \times_K A' &\rightarrow P \\ (a, b') &\mapsto \Sigma(a, 0, 0_{b'}), & (b, a') &\mapsto \Sigma(0, a', 0_b), \end{aligned}$$

where $0_b, 0_{b'}$ are the zero elements in the groups $(P_{b, B'}, +_1), (P_{B, b'}, +_2)$, respectively. These constructions are inverses of each other.

PROPOSITION 3.4. *Let C, C' and P be as in Definition 3.1 and suppose that $u(K)$ and $u'(K)$ are injective. Then an $A \times_K A'$ -linearization Σ of P induces a biextension $Q(K)$ of $(B(K)/A(K), B'(K)/A'(K))$ by K^* .*

PROOF. Notice that $P(K)$ is a biextension of $(B(K), B'(K))$ by K^* and that

$$\Sigma(K) : (A(K) \times A'(K)) \times P(K) \rightarrow P(K)$$

is an $A(K) \times A'(K)$ -linearization of $P(K)$. We define $Q(K)$ as the set consisting of the orbits

$$[x] := \{ \Sigma(a, a', x) \mid a \in A(K), a' \in A'(K) \}$$

of elements $x \in P(K)$ under Σ . Then $Q(K)$ maps surjectively onto $B(K)/A(K) \times B'(K)/A'(K)$ and is endowed with a K^* -action which is free and transitive on fibers. To see that it is a biextension it is then enough to prove that $+_1$ and $+_2$ induce partial group structures on $Q(K)$. For this, take elements $x_1, x_2 \in P(K)$ lying above $(b_1, b'_1), (b_2, b'_2) \in B(K) \times B'(K)$, respectively, such that the orbits of b_1 and b_2 under σ are equal. This is equivalent to having

$$b_1 = \sigma(a, b_2),$$

for some (unique) $a \in A(K)$. Then x_1 and $\Sigma(a, 0, x_2)$ project to $b_1 \in B(K)$ and we are able to define

$$[x_1] +_1 [x_2] := [x_1 +_1 \Sigma(a, 0, x_2)].$$

This is well defined and commutative. We define the partial group structure $+_2$ in the analogous way. ■

Consider a pair of 1-motives $M = [L \xrightarrow{u} G]$, $M' = [L' \xrightarrow{u'} G']$ over K and a biextension P of (M, M') by \mathbb{G}_m . For our purposes, we give the following definition which is inspired by [9, p. 326].

DEFINITION 3.5. We define the *group of K -points of M* , denoted $M(K)$, as

$$M(K) := \text{Ext}_K^1(M^\vee, \mathbb{G}_m).$$

Consider the following short exact sequence of complexes:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 & \longrightarrow & 0 & \longrightarrow & L^\vee & \xlongequal{\quad} & L^\vee & \longrightarrow & 0 \\ & & \downarrow & & \downarrow u^\vee & & \downarrow v^\vee & & \\ 0 & \longrightarrow & T^\vee & \longrightarrow & G^\vee & \longrightarrow & A^\vee & \longrightarrow & 0 \end{array}$$

and the long exact sequence of abelian groups that it induces:

$$\dots \rightarrow L(K) \xrightarrow{u(K)} G(K) \rightarrow M(K) \rightarrow \text{Ext}_K^1(T^\vee, \mathbb{G}_m) \rightarrow \dots$$

It follows that, when T^\vee is split (or, equivalently, when L is constant), the group of K -points of M can be described as

$$M(K) = G(K) / \text{Im}(u(K)).$$

If L, L' are constant and $u(K), u'(K)$ are injective, then $P(K)$ induces a biextension of $(M(K), M'(K))$ by K^* , by Proposition 3.4. When $M' = M^\vee$ and P is the Poincaré biextension, we will denote by $Q_M(K)$ the induced biextension of $(M(K), M^\vee(K))$ by K^* .

We will now introduce the concept of *compatibility* between a linearization and a ρ -splitting of a biextension (see Definition 2.1 for the definition of ρ -splitting of a biextension).

DEFINITION 3.6. Let $C = [A \xrightarrow{u} B]$, $C' = [A' \xrightarrow{u'} B']$ be complexes of commutative group schemes over K and P a biextension of (C, C') by \mathbb{G}_m . Let Y be an abelian group and $\rho : K^* \rightarrow Y$ a homomorphism. We will say that a ρ -splitting $\psi : P(K) \rightarrow Y$ of $P(K)$ is *compatible* with the $A \times_K A'$ -linearization Σ of P if any of the following equivalent conditions is satisfied:

- (i) $\psi(\Sigma(a, a', x)) = \psi(x)$, for all $a \in A(K)$, $a' \in A'(K)$ and $x \in P(K)$,
- (ii) $\psi \circ \tau$ and $\psi \circ \tau'$ vanish on $A(K) \times B'(K)$ and $B(K) \times A'(K)$, respectively.

REMARK 3.7. Assuming that $u(K)$ and $u'(K)$ are injective in Definition 3.6, a ρ -splitting ψ is compatible with the $A \times_K A'$ -linearization if and only if it induces a ρ -splitting on the biextension $Q(K)$ of Proposition 3.4.

4. ρ -splittings in the ramified case

Let K be a finite extension of \mathbb{Q}_p and consider a 1-motive $M = [L \xrightarrow{u} G]$ over K with dual

$$M^\vee = [L^\vee \xrightarrow{u^\vee} G^\vee].$$

We will assume that L and T are split (or, equivalently, that L^\vee and T^\vee are split). Let

$$M^\natural = [L \xrightarrow{u^\natural} G^\natural] \quad \text{and} \quad M^{\vee\natural} = [L \xrightarrow{u^{\vee\natural}} G^{\vee\natural}]$$

be their corresponding universal vectorial extensions. We will denote Deligne's pairing associated to M and its dual as

$$(\cdot, \cdot)_M^{\text{Del}} : \text{T}_{\text{dR}}(M) \times_K \text{T}_{\text{dR}}(M^\vee) \rightarrow \text{Lie } \mathbb{G}_m = \mathbb{G}_a.$$

Let P^\natural be the canonical biextension of $(M^\natural, M^{\vee\natural})$ by \mathbb{G}_m . We will denote by $e_{P^\natural/G^\natural}$ and $e_{P^\natural/G^{\vee\natural}}$ the zero sections of P^\natural over G^\natural and $G^{\vee\natural}$, respectively, and by $\pi^\natural : P^\natural \rightarrow G^\natural \times_K G^{\vee\natural}$ the projection:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & & \\ & \xrightarrow{e_{P^\natural/G^\natural}} & P^\natural & \xleftarrow{e_{P^\natural/G^{\vee\natural}}} & \\ & & \downarrow \pi^\natural & & \\ G^\natural \times_K \{0\} & \hookrightarrow & G^\natural \times_K G^{\vee\natural} & \longleftarrow & \{0\} \times_K G^{\vee\natural}. \end{array}$$

The canonical connection on P^\natural determines, and is determined by, a normal bi-invariant 1-form $\omega \in \Omega^1_{P^\natural/K}$ (see [6, Prop. 2.1]). In particular, if we denote by ω_1 and ω_2 the images of ω under the canonical maps

$$\Omega^1_{P^\natural/K} \rightarrow \Omega^1_{P^\natural/G^{\vee\natural}} \quad \text{and} \quad \Omega^1_{P^\natural/K} \rightarrow \Omega^1_{P^\natural/G^\natural},$$

then ω_1 and ω_2 are invariant differentials over $G^{\vee\natural}$ and G^\natural , respectively. Let

$$r_1 : \text{Lie}(P^\natural/G^{\vee\natural}) \rightarrow \mathbb{G}_{a, G^{\vee\natural}} \quad \text{and} \quad r_2 : \text{Lie}(P^\natural/G^\natural) \rightarrow \mathbb{G}_{a, G^\natural}$$

be the homomorphisms corresponding to ω_1 and ω_2 , respectively.

We fix a branch $\lambda : K^* \rightarrow K$ of the p -adic logarithm for the rest of the section. For a commutative algebraic group H over K we will denote by $\lambda_H : H(K) \rightarrow \text{Lie } H(K)$ the uniquely determined homomorphism of Lie groups extending λ as constructed in [17, §1]. We have the following result:

LEMMA 4.1. *Let $h \in G^\natural(K)$, $h^\vee \in G^{\vee\natural}(K)$ and $y \in P^\natural(K)$ be such that $\pi^\natural(y) = (h, h^\vee)$. Then*

$$(\lambda_{G^\natural}(h), \lambda_{G^{\vee\natural}}(h^\vee))_M^{\text{Del}} = r_{1, h^\vee} \circ \lambda_{P^\natural_{G^\natural, h^\vee}}(y) - r_{2, h} \circ \lambda_{P^\natural_{h, G^{\vee\natural}}}(y).$$

PROOF. Let $\mathcal{T}P^{\natural}$ denote the tangent sheaf of P^{\natural} . Notice that the germ of $\mathcal{T}P^{\natural}$ at $y \in P^{\natural}$ can be expressed as the contracted product of \mathbb{G}_a -torsors

$$(\mathcal{T}P^{\natural})_y = \mathrm{Lie} P_{G^{\natural}, h^{\vee}}^{\natural} \wedge^{\mathbb{G}_a} \mathrm{Lie} P_{h, G^{\vee \natural}}^{\natural},$$

where $(h, h^{\vee}) = \pi^{\natural}(y)$. Let $F_1, F_2 \in \Gamma(P^{\natural}, \mathcal{T}P^{\natural})$ be the global sections given by

$$\begin{aligned} F_1(y) &= \lambda_{P_{G^{\natural}, h^{\vee}}^{\natural}}(y) \wedge \lambda_{P_{h, G^{\vee \natural}}^{\natural}}(e_{P^{\natural}/G^{\natural}}(h)) \in \mathrm{Lie} P_{G^{\natural}, h^{\vee}}^{\natural} \wedge^{\mathbb{G}_a} \mathrm{Lie} P_{h, G^{\vee \natural}}^{\natural}, \\ F_2(y) &= \lambda_{P_{G^{\natural}, h^{\vee}}^{\natural}}(e_{P^{\natural}/G^{\vee \natural}}(h^{\vee})) \wedge \lambda_{P_{h, G^{\vee \natural}}^{\natural}}(y) \in \mathrm{Lie} P_{G^{\natural}, h^{\vee}}^{\natural} \wedge^{\mathbb{G}_a} \mathrm{Lie} P_{h, G^{\vee \natural}}^{\natural}. \end{aligned}$$

We have the formula

$$d\omega(F_1, F_2) = F_1 \cdot \omega(F_2) - F_2 \cdot \omega(F_1) - \omega([F_1, F_2]),$$

where $F_1 \cdot \omega(F_2)$ denotes the vector field F_1 applied as a differential operator to the scalar field $\omega(F_2)$. First, we observe that $[F_1, F_2] = 0$. Furthermore,

$$F_1 \cdot \omega(F_2) = F_1 \cdot \omega_2(F_2) = \omega_2(F_2),$$

where the first equality is due to $e_{P^{\natural}/G^{\vee \natural}}$ being the zero section of P^{\natural} over $G^{\vee \natural}$, and the second one due to $e_{P^{\natural}/G^{\natural}}$ being the zero section of P^{\natural} over G^{\natural} . Similarly, we have

$$F_2 \cdot \omega(F_1) = \omega_1(F_1).$$

Therefore, the alternating map on $\mathcal{T}P^{\natural} \times \mathcal{T}P^{\natural}$ induced by $d\omega$ satisfies

$$d\omega(F_1(y), F_2(y)) = r_{2, h} \circ \lambda_{P_{h, G^{\vee \natural}}^{\natural}}(y) - r_{1, h^{\vee}} \circ \lambda_{P_{G^{\natural}, h^{\vee}}^{\natural}}(y),$$

where $(h, h^{\vee}) = \pi^{\natural}(y)$.

Now, let γ be the 2-form on $G^{\natural} \times_K G^{\vee \natural}$ inducing Deligne's pairing. Since $d\omega = \pi^{\natural*} \gamma$ (see [6, Prop. 2.1]) we have that

$$\gamma((\lambda_{G^{\natural}}(h), 0), (0, \lambda_{G^{\vee \natural}}(h^{\vee}))) = d\omega(F_1(y), F_2(y)).$$

Finally, note that Deligne's pairing ([8, (10.2.7.3)]) on the pair $(\lambda_{G^{\natural}}(h), \lambda_{G^{\vee \natural}}(h^{\vee}))$ is given by the formula

$$(\lambda_{G^{\natural}}(h), \lambda_{G^{\vee \natural}}(h^{\vee}))_M^{\mathrm{Del}} = -\gamma((\lambda_{G^{\natural}}(h), 0), (0, \lambda_{G^{\vee \natural}}(h^{\vee}))).$$

Putting together the last three equalities, we obtain the desired result. ■

DEFINITION 4.2. Let $\eta : G(K) \rightarrow G^{\natural}(K)$ and $\eta^{\vee} : G^{\vee}(K) \rightarrow G^{\vee \natural}(K)$ be a pair of splittings of the exact sequences of Lie groups

$$(4.1) \quad 0 \rightarrow \omega_{G^{\vee}}(K) \xrightarrow{\iota} G^{\natural}(K) \xrightarrow{\theta} G(K) \rightarrow 0,$$

$$(4.2) \quad 0 \rightarrow \omega_G(K) \xrightarrow{\iota^{\vee}} G^{\vee \natural}(K) \xrightarrow{\theta^{\vee}} G^{\vee}(K) \rightarrow 0.$$

We say that (η, η^{\vee}) , or also that $(\text{Lie } \eta, \text{Lie } \eta^{\vee})$, are *dual* with respect to Deligne’s pairing if

$$(\text{Lie } \eta, \text{Lie } \eta^{\vee})_M^{\text{Del}} = 0.$$

The following result is a slight generalization of [6, Lem. 3.1.1] (see also [16, Thm. 3.1.3]). It implies, in particular, that from any section r of $\text{Lie } \theta : \text{Lie } G^{\natural}(K) \rightarrow \text{Lie } G(K)$ we can always obtain a canonical section η of $\theta : G^{\natural}(K) \rightarrow G(K)$ such that $\text{Lie } \eta = r$.

LEMMA 4.3. *Let*

$$0 \rightarrow V \rightarrow X \rightarrow Y \rightarrow 0$$

be an exact sequence of algebraic K -groups with V a vector group. There is a bijection between splittings of the exact sequence

$$(4.3) \quad 0 \rightarrow V(K) \rightarrow X(K) \rightarrow Y(K) \rightarrow 0$$

and splittings of the exact sequence of Lie algebras

$$(4.4) \quad 0 \rightarrow \text{Lie } V(K) \rightarrow \text{Lie } X(K) \rightarrow \text{Lie } Y(K) \rightarrow 0.$$

PROOF. Consider the commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccccccc} 0 & \longrightarrow & V(K) & \longrightarrow & X(K) & \longrightarrow & Y(K) & \longrightarrow & 0 \\ & & \parallel & & \downarrow \lambda_X & & \downarrow \lambda_Y & & \\ 0 & \longrightarrow & \text{Lie } V(K) & \longrightarrow & \text{Lie } X(K) & \longrightarrow & \text{Lie } Y(K) & \longrightarrow & 0. \end{array}$$

If $s : X(K) \rightarrow V(K)$ is a splitting of (4.3), then $\text{Lie } s : \text{Lie } X(K) \rightarrow \text{Lie } V(K)$ is a splitting of (4.4); notice that $\text{Lie } s \circ \lambda_X = s$. For the converse, let $r : \text{Lie } X(K) \rightarrow \text{Lie } V(K)$ be a splitting of (4.4). Then

$$s : X(K) \xrightarrow{\lambda_X} \text{Lie } X(K) \xrightarrow{r} \text{Lie } V(K) = V(K)$$

is a splitting of (4.3). Moreover, by the properties of the logarithm (see [17, §1]), this map is such that $\text{Lie } s = r$. We remark that the above also implies that the functor Lie provides a bijection between splittings $s' : Y(K) \rightarrow X(K)$ of (4.3) and splittings $r' : \text{Lie } Y(K) \rightarrow \text{Lie } X(K)$ of (4.4). ■

THEOREM 4.4. *Let $\eta : G(K) \rightarrow G^{\natural}(K)$ and $\eta^{\vee} : G^{\vee}(K) \rightarrow G^{\vee \natural}(K)$ be splittings of the exact sequences (4.1) and (4.2), respectively. Then:*

- (i) *There is a λ -splitting $\psi_1 : P(K) \rightarrow K$ of $P(K)$ defined as follows. For $z \in P(K)$ lying above $(g, g^{\vee}) \in G(K) \times G^{\vee}(K)$, denote by $s_{g^{\vee}}$ the rigidification of $P_{G, g^{\vee}}$ corresponding to $\eta^{\vee}(g^{\vee})$. The map $s_{g^{\vee}}$ sits in the following diagram:*

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 K^* & \xrightarrow{\lambda} & K \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow \scriptstyle s_{g^{\vee}} \\
 P_{G, g^{\vee}}(K) & \xrightarrow{\lambda_{P_{G, g^{\vee}}}} & \text{Lie } P_{G, g^{\vee}}(K) \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 G(K) \times \{g^{\vee}\} & \xrightarrow{\lambda_G} & \text{Lie } G(K).
 \end{array}$$

We define the image of z by ψ_1 as

$$\psi_1(z) = s_{g^{\vee}} \circ \lambda_{P_{G, g^{\vee}}}(z).$$

- (ii) *There is a λ -splitting $\psi_2 : P(K) \rightarrow K$ of $P(K)$ defined as follows. For $z \in P(K)$ lying above $(g, g^{\vee}) \in G(K) \times G^{\vee}(K)$, denote by s_g the rigidification of $P_{g, G^{\vee}}$ corresponding to $\eta(g)$. The map s_g sits in the following diagram:*

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 K^* & \xrightarrow{\lambda} & K \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow \scriptstyle s_g \\
 P_{g, G^{\vee}}(K) & \xrightarrow{\lambda_{P_{g, G^{\vee}}}} & \text{Lie } P_{g, G^{\vee}}(K) \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 \{g\} \times G^{\vee}(K) & \xrightarrow{\lambda_{G^{\vee}}} & \text{Lie } G^{\vee}(K).
 \end{array}$$

We define the image of z by ψ_2 as

$$\psi_2(z) = s_g \circ \lambda_{P_{g, G^{\vee}}}(z).$$

- (iii) *If (η, η^{\vee}) are dual with respect to Deligne’s pairing, then $\psi_1 = \psi_2$.*

PROOF. By construction, the invariant 1-form $\omega_1 \in \Omega^1_{P^{\natural}/G^{\vee \natural}}$ is obtained via pull-back from an invariant differential

$$\bar{\omega}_1 \in \Omega^1_{P_{G, G^{\vee \natural}}/G^{\vee \natural}},$$

where $P_{G, G^{\vee \natural}}$ denotes the pullback of P along the map $\text{Id} \times \theta^{\vee} : G \times G^{\vee \natural} \rightarrow G \times G^{\vee}$ (see the proof of [4, Prop. 3.9]). Similarly, $\omega_2 \in \Omega^1_{P^{\natural}/G^{\natural}}$ comes from an invariant

differential

$$\bar{\omega}_2 \in \Omega_{P_{G^\natural, G^\vee}/G^\natural}^1.$$

Denote by

$$\bar{r}_1 : \text{Lie}(P_{G, G^\vee}/G^\vee) \rightarrow \mathbb{G}_{a, G^\vee} \quad \text{and} \quad \bar{r}_2 : \text{Lie}(P_{G^\natural, G^\vee}/G^\natural) \rightarrow \mathbb{G}_{a, G^\natural}$$

the homomorphisms corresponding to $\bar{\omega}_1$ and $\bar{\omega}_2$, respectively.

Consider the following diagram, where $\overline{\theta \times \theta^\vee} : P^\natural \rightarrow P$ denotes the morphism of biextensions obtained from $\theta \times \theta^\vee$ by pullback:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} P^\natural & \xrightarrow{\overline{\theta \times \theta^\vee}} & P \\ \pi^\natural \downarrow & & \downarrow \pi \\ G^\natural \times_K G^\vee & \xrightarrow{\theta \times \theta^\vee} & G \times_K G^\vee. \end{array}$$

Let $z \in P(K)$ and $(g, g^\vee) = \pi(z)$. Let $y \in P^\natural(K)$ be the rational point such that

$$\pi^\natural(y) = (\eta(g), \eta^\vee(g^\vee)) \quad \text{and} \quad \overline{\theta \times \theta^\vee}(y) = z.$$

We have the following diagram:

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \mathbb{G}_m & \xlongequal{\quad} & \mathbb{G}_m & \xlongequal{\quad} & \mathbb{G}_m \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ P_{\eta(g), G^\vee}^\natural & \xrightarrow{\bar{\theta}^\vee} & P_{\eta(g), G^\vee} & \xrightarrow{\sim} & P_{g, G^\vee} \\ \pi^\natural \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \pi \\ \{\eta(g)\} \times_K G^\vee & \xrightarrow{\theta^\vee} & \{\eta(g)\} \times_K G^\vee & \xrightarrow{\sim} & \{g\} \times_K G^\vee, \end{array}$$

where the lower squares are pullback diagrams, so that $\bar{\theta}^\vee$ denotes the morphism of extensions obtained from θ^\vee by pullback. Notice that the isomorphism

$$P_{\eta(g), G^\vee} \xrightarrow{\sim} P_{g, G^\vee}$$

sends $\bar{\theta}^\vee(y)$ to z . We now consider the corresponding diagram of rigidified extensions of Lie algebras:

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \text{Lie } \mathbb{G}_m & \xlongequal{\quad} & \text{Lie } \mathbb{G}_m & \xlongequal{\quad} & \text{Lie } \mathbb{G}_m \\ \downarrow \begin{array}{c} \nearrow r_{2, \eta(g)} \\ \downarrow \\ \searrow \end{array} & & \downarrow \begin{array}{c} \nearrow \bar{r}_{2, \eta(g)} \\ \downarrow \\ \searrow \end{array} & & \downarrow \begin{array}{c} \nearrow s_g \\ \downarrow \\ \searrow \end{array} \\ \text{Lie } P_{\eta(g), G^\vee}^\natural & \xrightarrow{\text{Lie } \bar{\theta}^\vee} & \text{Lie } P_{\eta(g), G^\vee} & \xrightarrow{\sim} & \text{Lie } P_{g, G^\vee} \\ \text{Lie } \pi^\natural \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \text{Lie } \pi \\ \{\eta(g)\} \times_K \text{Lie } G^\vee & \xrightarrow{\text{Lie } \theta^\vee} & \{\eta(g)\} \times_K \text{Lie } G^\vee & \xrightarrow{\sim} & \{g\} \times_K \text{Lie } G^\vee. \end{array}$$

From the commutativity of this diagram and the properties of the logarithm we obtain the following equalities:

$$\begin{aligned}
 r_{2,\eta(g)} \circ \lambda_{P_{\eta(g),G^{\natural\vee}}}^{\natural}(y) &= \bar{r}_{2,\eta(g)} \circ \text{Lie } \bar{\theta}^{\vee} \circ \lambda_{P_{\eta(g),G^{\natural\vee}}}^{\natural}(y) \\
 &= \bar{r}_{2,\eta(g)} \circ \lambda_{P_{\eta(g),G^{\vee}}}(\bar{\theta}^{\vee}(y)) \\
 &= s_g \circ \lambda_{P_{g,G^{\vee}}}(z).
 \end{aligned}$$

Analogously, we have

$$r_{1,\eta^{\vee}(g^{\vee})} \circ \lambda_{P_{G^{\natural},\eta^{\vee}(g^{\vee})}}^{\natural}(y) = s_{g^{\vee}} \circ \lambda_{P_{G,g^{\vee}}}(z).$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned}
 &(\text{Lie } \eta \circ \lambda_G(g), \text{Lie } \eta^{\vee} \circ \lambda_{G^{\vee}}(g^{\vee}))_M^{\text{Del}} \\
 &= (\lambda_{G^{\natural}} \circ \eta(g), \lambda_{G^{\vee\natural}} \circ \eta^{\vee}(g^{\vee}))_M^{\text{Del}} \\
 &= r_{1,\eta^{\vee}(g^{\vee})} \circ \lambda_{P_{G^{\natural},\eta^{\vee}(g^{\vee})}}^{\natural}(y) - r_{2,\eta(g)} \circ \lambda_{P_{\eta(g),G^{\natural\vee}}}^{\natural}(y) \\
 &= s_{g^{\vee}} \circ \lambda_{P_{G,g^{\vee}}}(z) - s_g \circ \lambda_{P_{g,G^{\vee}}}(z) \\
 &= \psi_1(z) - \psi_2(z).
 \end{aligned}$$

Since $z \in P(K)$ was arbitrary, it is clear from the above formula that if (η, η^{\vee}) are dual with respect to Deligne's pairing, then $\psi_1 = \psi_2$.

It remains to check that ψ_1 and ψ_2 are indeed λ -splittings. First, notice that for all $c \in K^*$ and $z, z' \in P_{G,g^{\vee}}(K)$ we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \psi_1(c + z) &= s_{g^{\vee}} \circ \lambda_{P_{G,g^{\vee}}}(c + z) \\
 &= s_{g^{\vee}} \circ \lambda_{P_{G,g^{\vee}}}(c) + s_{g^{\vee}} \circ \lambda_{P_{G,g^{\vee}}}(z) \\
 &= \lambda(c) + \psi_1(z), \\
 \psi_1(z + z') &= s_{g^{\vee}} \circ \lambda_{P_{G,g^{\vee}}}(z + z') \\
 &= s_{g^{\vee}} \circ \lambda_{P_{G,g^{\vee}}}(z) + s_{g^{\vee}} \circ \lambda_{P_{G,g^{\vee}}}(z') \\
 &= \psi_1(z) + \psi_1(z').
 \end{aligned}$$

In a similar way we prove the compatibility of ψ_2 with the partial group structure $+_1$ of $P(K)$ and the K^* -action. If (η, η^{\vee}) are dual with respect to Deligne's pairing, then $\psi_1 = \psi_2$ and both ψ_1 and ψ_2 are λ -splittings. To prove that ψ_1 is a λ -splitting in the general case (the proof for ψ_2 is done similarly), notice that it is always possible to find a splitting $\tilde{r} : \text{Lie } G(K) \rightarrow \text{Lie } G^{\natural}(K)$ of

$$0 \rightarrow \omega_{G^{\vee}}(K) \xrightarrow{\text{Lie } \iota} \text{Lie } G^{\natural}(K) \xrightarrow{\text{Lie } \theta} \text{Lie } G(K) \rightarrow 0$$

such that $(\tilde{r}, \text{Lie } \eta^\vee)$ are dual, due to the fact that Deligne's pairing is perfect (see [4, Thm. 4.3]). Applying Lemma 4.3, we can obtain a splitting $\tilde{\eta}$ of (4.1) such that $\text{Lie } \tilde{\eta} = \tilde{r}$. Proceeding as before with $(\tilde{\eta}, \eta^\vee)$, we are able to prove that ψ_1 is a λ -splitting. ■

THEOREM 4.5. *Let $\eta : G(K) \rightarrow G^{\natural}(K)$ and $\eta^\vee : G^\vee(K) \rightarrow G^{\vee\natural}(K)$ be a pair of splittings of the exact sequences (4.1) and (4.2), respectively, which are dual with respect to Deligne's pairing. Assume, moreover, that η and η^\vee make the following diagrams commute:*

$$\begin{array}{ccc} L(K) & \xlongequal{\quad} & L(K) \\ u \downarrow & & \downarrow u^{\natural} \\ G(K) & \xrightarrow{\eta} & G^{\natural}(K), \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{ccc} L^\vee(K) & \xlongequal{\quad} & L^\vee(K) \\ u^\vee \downarrow & & \downarrow u^{\vee\natural} \\ G^\vee(K) & \xrightarrow{\eta^\vee} & G^{\vee\natural}(K). \end{array}$$

Then the λ -splitting $\psi : P(K) \rightarrow K$ constructed in Theorem 4.4 is compatible with the $L \times_K L^\vee$ -linearization of P . In particular, it induces a λ -splitting of the biextension $Q_M(K)$ of $(M(K), M^\vee(K))$ by K^* in the case that $u(K)$ and $u^\vee(K)$ are injective.

REMARK 4.6. The condition $\eta \circ u = u^{\natural}$ says that, on K -sections, (Id, η) is a splitting of the complex M^{\natural} seen as an extension of M by ω_{G^\vee} ; and similarly for η^\vee .

PROOF. We have to prove that the λ -splitting $\psi : P(K) \rightarrow K$ constructed in Theorem 4.4 satisfies that $\psi \circ \tau$ and $\psi \circ \tau^\vee$ vanish on K -sections. We will only prove this for $\psi \circ \tau$ since the proof for $\psi \circ \tau^\vee$ is carried out in a similar way.

We fix a splitting of the following short exact sequence of vector groups:

$$(4.5) \quad 0 \longrightarrow \omega_{A^\vee} \xrightarrow{\quad} \omega_{G^\vee} \xrightarrow{\quad} \omega_{T^\vee} \longrightarrow 0.$$

This induces by duality a splitting of the following exact sequence of Lie algebras:

$$(4.6) \quad 0 \longrightarrow \text{Lie } T^\vee \xrightarrow{\quad} \text{Lie } G^\vee \xrightarrow{\quad} \text{Lie } A^\vee \longrightarrow 0.$$

Consider the following commutative diagram with exact rows and columns, where the splitting of the middle column is obtained by pushout along ι from the split exact sequence (4.5):

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 & & 0 & & 0 & & \\
 & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \\
 0 & \longrightarrow & \omega_{A^\vee} & \longrightarrow & G^\# & \longrightarrow & G \longrightarrow 0 \\
 & & \downarrow \wr & & \downarrow \wr \bar{\sigma} & & \parallel \\
 0 & \longrightarrow & \omega_{G^\vee} & \xrightarrow{\iota} & G^\natural & \xrightarrow{\theta} & G \longrightarrow 0 \\
 & & \downarrow \wr & & \downarrow \wr \sigma & & \\
 & & \omega_{T^\vee} & \xlongequal{\quad} & \omega_{T^\vee} & & \\
 & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \\
 & & 0 & & 0 & &
 \end{array}$$

Let $x \in L(K)$ and denote by $\chi : T^\vee \rightarrow \mathbb{G}_m$ the homomorphism corresponding to it. We have the following diagram with exact rows (see [1, §1.2]):

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 0 & \longrightarrow & T^\vee & \longrightarrow & G^\vee & \longrightarrow & A^\vee \longrightarrow 0 \\
 & & \downarrow -\chi & & \downarrow \tau'_x & & \parallel \\
 0 & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{G}_m & \longrightarrow & P_{v(x), A^\vee} & \longrightarrow & A^\vee \longrightarrow 0 \\
 & & \parallel & & \uparrow & & \uparrow \\
 0 & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{G}_m & \longrightarrow & P_{u(x), G^\vee} & \longrightarrow & G^\vee \longrightarrow 0,
 \end{array}$$

where v is the composition $L \xrightarrow{u} G \rightarrow A$. We also have the corresponding diagram of Lie algebras with exact rows and splittings induced from (4.6) by pushout and pullback:

$$(4.7) \quad \begin{array}{ccccccc}
 & & & \xleftarrow{j} & & \xleftarrow{\quad} & \\
 0 & \longrightarrow & \text{Lie } T^\vee & \longrightarrow & \text{Lie } G^\vee & \longrightarrow & \text{Lie } A^\vee \longrightarrow 0 \\
 & & \downarrow -\text{Lie } \chi & & \downarrow & & \parallel \\
 0 & \longrightarrow & \text{Lie } \mathbb{G}_m & \longrightarrow & \text{Lie } P_{v(x), A^\vee} & \longrightarrow & \text{Lie } A^\vee \longrightarrow 0 \\
 & & \parallel & & \uparrow & & \uparrow \\
 0 & \longrightarrow & \text{Lie } \mathbb{G}_m & \longrightarrow & \text{Lie } P_{u(x), G^\vee} & \longrightarrow & \text{Lie } G^\vee \longrightarrow 0.
 \end{array}$$

By Lemma 2.2 (i), $u^\natural(x) \in G^\natural(K)$ corresponds to the extension $[L^\vee \rightarrow P_{u(x), G^\vee}]$ of M^\vee by \mathbb{G}_m endowed with a \natural -structure. By Lemma 2.2 (iv), we know that the invariant differential $\sigma \circ u^\natural(x) \in \omega_{T^\vee}(K)$ is the one associated to the homomorphism $\text{Lie } \chi \in \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{O}_K}(\text{Lie } T^\vee, \mathbb{G}_a)$. On the other hand, $\bar{\sigma} \circ u^\natural(x) \in G^\#(K)$ is the extension $[L^\vee \rightarrow P_{v(x), A^\vee}]$ of $[L^\vee \xrightarrow{v} A^\vee]$ by \mathbb{G}_m endowed with the normal invariant differential

associated to $\xi : \text{Lie } P_{v(x),A^\vee} \rightarrow \text{Lie } \mathbb{G}_m$. The above can be summarized in the following diagram:

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \omega_{T^\vee}(K) & \xleftarrow{\sigma} & G^\natural(K) & \xrightarrow{\bar{\sigma}} & G^\#(K) \\ \text{Lie } \chi & \longleftarrow & u^\natural(x) & \longmapsto & ([L^\vee \rightarrow P_{v(x),A^\vee}], \xi). \end{array}$$

The way in which we obtain an element in $G^\natural(K)$ from a pair of elements in $\omega_{T^\vee}(K)$ and $G^\#(K)$ is by considering the decomposition

$$\text{Lie } P_{u(x),G^\vee} \cong \text{Lie } T^\vee \times_K \text{Lie } P_{v(x),A^\vee}$$

induced by (4.6), as displayed by the following diagram:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} & & 0 & & 0 & & \\ & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \\ & & \text{Lie } \mathbb{G}_m & \xlongequal{\quad} & \text{Lie } \mathbb{G}_m & & \\ & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \\ 0 & \longrightarrow & \text{Lie } T^\vee & \longrightarrow & \text{Lie } P_{u(x),G^\vee} & \longrightarrow & \text{Lie } P_{v(x),A^\vee} \longrightarrow 0 \\ & & \parallel & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ 0 & \longrightarrow & \{u(x)\} \times_K \text{Lie } T^\vee & \xrightarrow{j} & \{u(x)\} \times_K \text{Lie } G^\vee & \longrightarrow & \{v(x)\} \times_K \text{Lie } A^\vee \longrightarrow 0 \\ & & & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ & & & & 0 & & 0. \end{array}$$

From the decomposition of $\text{Lie } P_{u(x),G^\vee}$ and our hypothesis that $\eta \circ u = u^\natural$, it follows that $s_{u(x)}$ can be expressed as

$$s_{u(x)} = \text{Lie } \chi + \xi : \text{Lie } P_{u(x),G^\vee} \cong \text{Lie } T^\vee \times_K \text{Lie } P_{v(x),A^\vee} \rightarrow \mathbb{G}_a.$$

Observe, moreover, that $\lambda_{P_{u(x),G^\vee}}(\tau(x, g^\vee)) \in \text{Lie } P_{u(x),G^\vee}$ corresponds under this isomorphism to

$$(j \circ \lambda_{G^\vee}(g^\vee), \lambda_{P_{v(x),A^\vee}} \circ \tau'_x(g^\vee)) \in \text{Lie } T^\vee \times_K \text{Lie } P_{v(x),A^\vee}.$$

Furthermore, the middle row in diagram (4.7) allows us to identify $\text{Lie } P_{v(x),A^\vee}$ with $\text{Lie } \mathbb{G}_m \times_K \text{Lie } A^\vee$; under this identification, $\lambda_{P_{v(x),A^\vee}} \circ \tau'_x(g^\vee) \in \text{Lie } P_{v(x),A^\vee}$ corresponds to

$$(-\text{Lie } \chi \circ j \circ \lambda_{G^\vee}(g^\vee), \lambda_{A^\vee}(a^\vee)) \in \text{Lie } \mathbb{G}_m \times_K \text{Lie } A^\vee,$$

where $a^\vee \in A^\vee$ is the image of $g^\vee \in G^\vee$ under the canonical projection. Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \psi \circ \tau(x, g^\vee) &= s_{u(x)} \circ \lambda_{P_{u(x)}, G^\vee}(\tau(x, g^\vee)) \\ &= \text{Lie } \chi(j \circ \lambda_{G^\vee}(g^\vee)) + \xi(\lambda_{P_{v(x)}, A^\vee} \circ \tau'_x(g^\vee)) \\ &= \text{Lie } \chi \circ j \circ \lambda_{G^\vee}(g^\vee) - \text{Lie } \chi \circ j \circ \lambda_{G^\vee}(g^\vee) \\ &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

COROLLARY 4.7. *Let $\rho : K^* \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p$ be a ramified homomorphism and consider a pair $r : \text{Lie } G(K) \rightarrow \text{Lie } G^\natural(K)$ and $r^\vee : \text{Lie } G^\vee(K) \rightarrow \text{Lie } G^{\vee\natural}(K)$ of splittings of the exact sequences of Lie algebras*

$$\begin{aligned} 0 \rightarrow \omega_{G^\vee}(K) &\xrightarrow{\text{Lie } \iota} \text{Lie } G^\natural(K) \xrightarrow{\text{Lie } \theta} \text{Lie } G(K) \rightarrow 0, \\ 0 \rightarrow \omega_G(K) &\xrightarrow{\text{Lie } \iota^\vee} \text{Lie } G^{\vee\natural}(K) \xrightarrow{\text{Lie } \theta^\vee} \text{Lie } G^\vee(K) \rightarrow 0, \end{aligned}$$

respectively, which are dual with respect to Deligne's pairing. Then:

- (i) *There is a ρ -splitting $\psi : P(K) \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p$.*
- (ii) *Let $\eta : G(K) \rightarrow G^\natural(K)$ and $\eta^\vee : G^\vee(K) \rightarrow G^{\vee\natural}(K)$ be the splittings of (4.1) and (4.2), respectively, such that $\text{Lie } \eta = r$ and $\text{Lie } \eta^\vee = r^\vee$, as constructed in Lemma 4.3. If the diagrams*

$$\begin{array}{ccc} L(K) & \xlongequal{\quad} & L(K) & & L^\vee(K) & \xlongequal{\quad} & L^\vee(K) \\ u \downarrow & & \downarrow u^\natural & & u^\vee \downarrow & & \downarrow u^{\vee\natural} \\ G(K) & \xrightarrow{\eta} & G^\natural(K), & & G^\vee(K) & \xrightarrow{\eta^\vee} & G^{\vee\natural}(K) \end{array}$$

commute, then the ρ -splitting $\psi : P(K) \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p$ of (i) is compatible with the $L \times_K L^\vee$ -linearization of P . In particular, if $u(K)$ and $u^\vee(K)$ are injective, then ψ induces a ρ -splitting of the biextension $Q_M(K)$ of $(M(K), M^\vee(K))$ by K^* .

PROOF. (i) By [16, p. 319], there exist a branch $\lambda : K^* \rightarrow K$ of the p -adic logarithm and a \mathbb{Q}_p -linear map $\delta : K \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p$ such that $\rho = \delta \circ \lambda$. Let $\psi : P(K) \rightarrow K$ be the λ -splitting constructed as in Theorem 4.4 from the splittings η, η^\vee of (4.1), (4.2), respectively, satisfying $\text{Lie } \eta = r$ and $\text{Lie } \eta^\vee = r^\vee$. Then $\psi_\rho := \delta \circ \psi : P(K) \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p$ is a ρ -splitting of $P(K)$.

(ii) If $\eta \circ u = u^\natural$ and $\eta^\vee \circ u^\vee = u^{\vee\natural}$, then $\psi_\rho \circ \tau = \delta \circ \psi \circ \tau$ is zero on K -sections, and similarly for $\psi_\rho \circ \tau^\vee$. Therefore, ψ_ρ is compatible with the $L \times_K L^\vee$ -linearization of P and thus induces a ρ -splitting of $Q_M(K)$, in the case that $u(K)$ and $u^\vee(K)$ are injective. ■

5. Local pairing between zero-cycles

In this section we construct a pairing between disjoint zero-cycles of degree zero on a curve over a local field and its regular locus, which generalizes the local pairing defined in [12, p. 212] in the case of an elliptic curve (see also [7]).

Let K be a finite extension of \mathbb{Q}_p and C a semi-normal irreducible curve over K . Consider the commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} C' & \xleftarrow{j'} & \bar{C}' \\ \pi \downarrow & & \downarrow \bar{\pi} \\ C & \xleftarrow{j} & \bar{C}, \end{array}$$

where C' is the normalization of C , \bar{C}' is a smooth compactification of C' , and \bar{C} (resp. C) is the curve obtained from \bar{C}' (resp. C') by contracting each of the finite sets $\pi^{-1}(x)$, for $x \in C$. Let S be the set of singular points of C , $S' := \pi^{-1}(S)$, and $F := \bar{C}' - C' = \bar{C} - C$. We recall from Section 2.2.3 the homological Picard 1-motive of C ,

$$\text{Pic}^-(C) = [u : \text{Div}_{S'/S}^0(\bar{C}', F) \rightarrow \text{Pic}^0(\bar{C}', F)],$$

and the cohomological Albanese 1-motive of C ,

$$\text{Alb}^+(C) = \text{Pic}^-(C)^\vee = [u^\vee : \text{Div}_F^0(\bar{C}) \rightarrow \text{Pic}^0(\bar{C})].$$

Denote by \bar{C}_{reg} the set of smooth points of \bar{C} and let $a_x^+ : \bar{C}_{\text{reg}} \rightarrow \text{Pic}^0(\bar{C})$ be the Albanese mapping, which depends on a base point $x \in \bar{C}_{\text{reg}}$ which we assume to be rational over K (see [3, p. 50]). Extending by linearity, one obtains a mapping $a_{\bar{C}}^+ : Z^0(\bar{C}_{\text{reg}}/K) \rightarrow \text{Pic}^0(\bar{C})$ on the group of zero-cycles of degree zero on \bar{C}_{reg} defined over K ; notice that $a_{\bar{C}}^+$ does not depend on any base point. Finally, we denote by P the Poincaré biextension of $(\text{Pic}^-(C), \text{Alb}^+(C))$ by \mathbb{G}_m .

We consider a homomorphism $\rho : K^* \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p$ and a ρ -splitting $\psi : P(K) \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p$ which is compatible with the $\text{Div}_{S'/S}^0(\bar{C}', F) \times_K \text{Div}_F^0(\bar{C})$ -linearization of P . Our aim is to construct a pairing

$$[\cdot, \cdot]_C : (Z^0(C/K) \times Z^0(C_{\text{reg}}/K))' \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p,$$

where $(Z^0(C/K) \times Z^0(C_{\text{reg}}/K))'$ denotes the subset of $Z^0(C/K) \times Z^0(C_{\text{reg}}/K)$ consisting of pairs of zero-cycles of degree zero defined over K with disjoint support.

First, we define a pairing

$$[\cdot, \cdot]'_C : (\text{Div}^0(\bar{C}', F) \times Z^0(\bar{C}_{\text{reg}}/K))' \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p$$

on the set of all pairs (D, z) , with D a divisor on \bar{C}' algebraically equivalent to 0 whose support is contained in $\bar{C}' - F$, and z a zero-cycle of degree zero on \bar{C}_{reg} defined over K , satisfying $\text{supp } D \cap \text{supp } z = \emptyset$. Notice that a divisor $D \in \text{Div}^0(\bar{C}', F) \subset \text{Div}^0(\bar{C}')$ corresponds to a line bundle $L(D)$ over \bar{C}' together with a rational section $s_D : \bar{C}' \dashrightarrow L(D)$ which is defined on the open subset $\bar{C}' - \text{supp } D \subset \bar{C}'$; in particular, s_D is defined on F since $\text{supp } D \cap F = \emptyset$. Moreover, the pullback along a_x^+ of $P_{\mathcal{O}(D)}$, the fiber of the Poincaré bundle P over $\mathcal{O}(D) \in \text{Pic}^0(\bar{C}', F)$, is the restriction of $L(D)$ to \bar{C}_{reg} , and so a_x^+ induces a map $a_{x,D}^+ : L(D)|_{\bar{C}_{\text{reg}}} \rightarrow P_{\mathcal{O}(D)}$ by pullback:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} L(D)|_{\bar{C}_{\text{reg}}} & \xrightarrow{a_{x,D}^+} & P_{\mathcal{O}(D)} \\ \uparrow \scriptstyle s_D|_{\bar{C}_{\text{reg}}} \downarrow \scriptstyle \dashrightarrow & \lrcorner & \downarrow \\ \bar{C}_{\text{reg}} & \xrightarrow{a_x^+} & \{\mathcal{O}(D)\} \times_K \text{Pic}^0(\bar{C}). \end{array}$$

Therefore, we can define

$$[D, z]'_C := \sum n_j \psi \circ a_{x_j,D}^+ \circ s_D(x_j),$$

where $z = \sum n_j x_j \in Z^0(\bar{C}_{\text{reg}}/K)$. Notice that since z has degree zero, $[D, z]'_C$ does not depend on the base point x .

When $D \in \text{Div}_{S'/S}^0(\bar{C}', F) \subset \text{Div}^0(\bar{C}', F)$, we have that $a_{x,D}^+ \circ s_D = \tau \circ a_x^+$ on \bar{C}_{reg} :

$$\begin{array}{ccc} L(D)|_{\bar{C}_{\text{reg}}} & \xrightarrow{a_{x,D}^+} & P_u(D) \\ \uparrow \scriptstyle s_D|_{\bar{C}_{\text{reg}}} \downarrow \scriptstyle \dashrightarrow & \lrcorner & \downarrow \scriptstyle \tau \\ \bar{C}_{\text{reg}} & \xrightarrow{a_x^+} & \{D\} \times_K \text{Pic}^0(\bar{C}). \end{array}$$

This implies that $[D, z]'_C = 0$, for all $D \in \text{Div}_{S'/S}^0(\bar{C}', F)$. Notice that, since every closed point in C' is also closed in \bar{C}' , the subgroup of divisors in $\text{Div}^0(\bar{C}', F)$ that are defined over K is $Z^0(C'/K)$. Moreover, since \bar{C}' is irreducible, the subgroup of divisors in $\text{Div}_{S'/S}^0(\bar{C}', F)$ that are defined over K is the free abelian subgroup generated by cycles of the form $x_0 - x_1$, where $\pi(x_0) = \pi(x_1)$; denote this group by $Z^0((S'/S)/K)$. Recalling that the pushforward of cycles along π preserves the degree, we obtain the following exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow Z^0((S'/S)/K) \rightarrow Z^0(C'/K) \xrightarrow{\pi_*} Z^0(C/K) \rightarrow 0.$$

Therefore, $[\cdot, \cdot]'$ is a pairing on $(Z^0(C'/K) \times Z^0(\bar{C}_{\text{reg}}/K))'$ which is zero when restricted to $(Z^0((S'/S)/K) \times Z^0(\bar{C}_{\text{reg}}/K))'$, yielding a pairing

$$[\cdot, \cdot]''_C : (Z^0(C/K) \times Z^0(\bar{C}_{\text{reg}}/K))' \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p.$$

By restricting to $Z^0(C_{\text{reg}}/K) \subset Z^0(\bar{C}_{\text{reg}}/K)$, we get the desired pairing

$$[\cdot, \cdot]_C : (Z^0(C/K) \times Z^0(C_{\text{reg}}/K))' \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p.$$

We make the observation that $[D, z]_C = 0$ whenever $z \in Z^0(F/K)$ (notice that $F = \bar{C}_{\text{reg}} - C_{\text{reg}}$). Indeed, since \bar{C}' is irreducible, the subgroup of divisors in $\text{Div}_F^0(\bar{C})$ defined over K is $Z^0(F/K)$, and so the restriction of a_C^\pm to $Z^0(F/K)$ equals u^\vee :

$$\begin{array}{ccc} Z^0(F/K) & \hookrightarrow & \text{Div}_F^0(\bar{C}) \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow u^\vee \\ Z^0(\bar{C}_{\text{reg}}/K) & \xrightarrow{a_C^\pm} & \text{Pic}^0(\bar{C}). \end{array}$$

Moreover, we have that the trivialization τ^\vee is given by the formula

$$\tau^\vee\left(\mathcal{O}(D), \sum n_j x_j\right) = \sum n_j a_{x_j, D}^+ \circ s_D(x_j),$$

for $D \in \text{Div}^0(\bar{C}', F)$ and $\sum n_j x_j \in Z^0(F/K)$, which implies that

$$\left[D, \sum n_j x_j\right]_C' = \psi \circ \tau^\vee\left(\mathcal{O}(D), \sum n_j x_j\right) = 0.$$

6. Global pairing on rational points

In this section we define a global pairing between the rational points of a 1-motive over a number field and its dual. The construction, which is given in Proposition 6.3, generalizes the global pairing defined in [12, Lem. 3.1] in the case of abelian varieties (see also [16, p. 337]).

Let F be a number field endowed with a set of places \mathcal{V} . For each place v , let F_v denote the completion of F with respect to v . For v discrete, denote by \mathcal{O}_{F_v} the ring of integers of F_v , and let π_v be a uniformizer of \mathcal{O}_{F_v} such that $\pi_v \in F$. Let $M_F = [L_F \xrightarrow{u_F} G_F]$ be a 1-motive over F , where G_F is an extension of A_F by T_F . For each place v , denote by $M_{F_v} = [L_{F_v} \xrightarrow{u_{F_v}} G_{F_v}]$ its base change to F_v , so that G_{F_v} is an extension of A_{F_v} by T_{F_v} . Denote by P_F the Poincaré biextension of (M_F, M_F^\vee) and by P_{F_v} its base change to F_v , which coincides with the Poincaré biextension of $(M_{F_v}, M_{F_v}^\vee)$. Finally, denote by

$$\tau_{F_v} : L_{F_v} \times_{F_v} G_{F_v}^\vee \rightarrow P_{F_v}, \quad \tau_{F_v}^\vee : G_{F_v} \times_{F_v} L_{F_v}^\vee \rightarrow P_{F_v}$$

the trivializations associated to the 1-motive M_{F_v} and its dual. Observe that M_{F_v} has good reduction over \mathcal{O}_{F_v} for almost all discrete places v (see [2, Lem. 3.3]). When this

is the case, there exists an \mathcal{O}_{F_v} -1-motive

$$M_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}} = [L_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}} \xrightarrow{u_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}} G_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}]$$

with $G_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}$ an extension of an abelian scheme $A_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}$ by a torus $T_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}$, whose generic fiber is M_{F_v} . Furthermore, the Poincaré biextension $P_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}$ of $(M_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}, M_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}^\vee)$ has generic fiber equal to P_{F_v} and its trivializations

$$\tau_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}} : L_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}} \times_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}} G_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}^\vee \rightarrow P_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}, \quad \tau_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}^\vee : G_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}} \times_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}} L_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}^\vee \rightarrow P_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}$$

extend τ_{F_v} and $\tau_{F_v}^\vee$, respectively.

Consider a family $\rho = (\rho_v)_{v \in \mathcal{V}}$ of homomorphisms $\rho_v : F_v^* \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p$ and, for every v , a ρ_v -splitting $\psi_v : P_{F_v}(F_v) \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p$ of $P_{F_v}(F_v)$ such that

- (i) $\rho_v(\mathcal{O}_{F_v}^*) = 0$ for almost all discrete places v ,
- (ii) the “sum formula”

$$\sum_{v \in \mathcal{V}} \rho_v(c) = 0$$

holds for all $c \in F^*$, and

- (iii) $\psi_v(P_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}(\mathcal{O}_{F_v})) = 0$ for almost all discrete places v for which M_{F_v} has good reduction.

Denote by \mathcal{V}' the set of discrete places v satisfying condition (iii); then this condition is equivalent to $\mathcal{V} - \mathcal{V}'$ being a finite set. Notice that $\rho_v(\mathcal{O}_{F_v}^*) = 0$ for all $v \in \mathcal{V}'$. We have the following result:

PROPOSITION 6.1. *There is a pairing*

$$\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle : G_F(F) \times G_F^\vee(F) \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p$$

such that if $y \in P_F(F)$ lies above $(g, g^\vee) \in G_F(F) \times G_F^\vee(F)$, then

$$(6.1) \quad \langle g, g^\vee \rangle = \sum_{v \in \mathcal{V}} \psi_v(y).$$

PROOF. First, we prove that the right-hand side of (6.1) is a finite sum. For this, we use the fact that the 1-motive M_F has good reduction over $\mathcal{O}_F[1/N]$, for N sufficiently divisible (see [2, Lem. 3.3]). This implies that M_F extends to a 1-motive $M_{\mathcal{O}_F[1/N]} = [L_{\mathcal{O}_F[1/N]} \rightarrow G_{\mathcal{O}_F[1/N]}]$ over $\mathcal{O}_F[1/N]$, and similarly for M_F^\vee . Moreover, the Poincaré biextension P_F extends as well to a biextension $P_{\mathcal{O}_F[1/N]}$ over $\mathcal{O}_F[1/N]$. We then obtain a tower of two biextensions as follows:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
\mathcal{O}_F[1/N]^* & \hookrightarrow & F^* \\
\downarrow & & \downarrow \\
P_{\mathcal{O}_F[1/N]}(\mathcal{O}_F[1/N]) & \hookrightarrow & P_F(F) \\
\Downarrow & & \Downarrow \\
G_{\mathcal{O}_F[1/N]}(\mathcal{O}_F[1/N]) \times G_{\mathcal{O}_F[1/N]}^\vee(\mathcal{O}_F[1/N]) & \hookrightarrow & G_F(F) \times G_F^\vee(F).
\end{array}$$

Consider a pair of F -points $(g, g^\vee) \in G_F(F) \times G_F^\vee(F)$. We have that, for S sufficiently divisible, (g, g^\vee) belongs to the image of

$$G_{\mathcal{O}_F[1/S]}(\mathcal{O}_F[1/S]) \times G_{\mathcal{O}_F[1/S]}^\vee(\mathcal{O}_F[1/S]) \hookrightarrow G_F(F) \times G_F^\vee(F).$$

So, up to multiplying N by a factor, we can assume that (g, g^\vee) is in the image of

$$G_{\mathcal{O}_F[1/N]}(\mathcal{O}_F[1/N]) \times G_{\mathcal{O}_F[1/N]}^\vee(\mathcal{O}_F[1/N]) \hookrightarrow G_F(F) \times G_F^\vee(F)$$

(notice that now N also depends on the pair (g, g^\vee)). Let $y \in P_{\mathcal{O}_F[1/N]}(\mathcal{O}_F[1/N])$ be an element lying above (g, g^\vee) ; observe that $y \in P_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}(\mathcal{O}_{F_v})$ for almost all v . From this we get that $\psi_v(y) = 0$ for almost all v , thus proving that

$$\sum_{v \in \mathcal{V}} \psi_v(y)$$

is a finite sum.

Observe that if $y \in P_F(F)$ lies above (g, g^\vee) , then any other element lying above (g, g^\vee) is of the form $c + y$, for $c \in F^*$. From (ii) and the fact that each ψ_v is a ρ_v -splitting we obtain the equalities

$$\sum_{v \in \mathcal{V}} \psi_v(c + y) = \sum_{v \in \mathcal{V}} \rho_v(c) + \sum_{v \in \mathcal{V}} \psi_v(y) = \sum_{v \in \mathcal{V}} \psi_v(y),$$

which proves that the right-hand side of (6.1) indeed defines a map on $G_F(F) \times G_F^\vee(F)$. It remains to check that this map is bilinear. Let $y_1, y_2 \in P_F(F)$ mapping to $(g_1, g^\vee), (g_2, g^\vee) \in G_F(F) \times G_F^\vee(F)$, respectively. Since the ψ_v are ρ_v -splittings, we get that

$$\begin{aligned}
\langle g_1 + g_2, g^\vee \rangle &= \sum_{v \in \mathcal{V}} \psi_v(y_1 + y_2) \\
&= \sum_{v \in \mathcal{V}} \psi_v(y_1) + \sum_{v \in \mathcal{V}} \psi_v(y_2) \\
&= \langle g_1, g^\vee \rangle + \langle g_2, g^\vee \rangle.
\end{aligned}$$

In a similar way we verify linearity in G_F^\vee . ■

From now on we will assume that L_F and T_F are split. We assume, moreover, that any ψ_v factors through a ρ_v -splitting $\psi_{A,v}$ of $P_{A_{F_v}}(F_v)$:

$$\psi_v : P_{F_v}(F_v) \rightarrow P_{A_{F_v}}(F_v) \xrightarrow{\psi_{A,v}} \mathbb{Q}_p.$$

LEMMA 6.2. *For every $x^\vee \in L_F^\vee(F)$ and $g \in G_F(F)$ there exists $t \in T_F(F)$ such that*

$$\sum_{v \in \mathcal{V}} \psi_v \circ \tau_{F_v}^\vee(g, x^\vee) = \sum_{v \in \mathcal{V} - \mathcal{V}'} \psi_v \circ \tau_{F_v}^\vee(t^{-1}g, x^\vee),$$

and similarly for every $x \in L_F(F)$ and $g^\vee \in G_F^\vee(F)$.

PROOF. Fix $x^\vee \in L_F^\vee(F)$ and $g \in G_F(F)$. Suppose that $L_F^\vee \cong \mathbb{Z}_F^r$ and let $(m_1, \dots, m_r) \in \mathbb{Z}_F^r$ be the element corresponding to x^\vee . Notice that this induces an isomorphism $T_F \cong \mathbb{G}_{m,F}^r$. Consider a discrete place v in \mathcal{V}' . Since G_{F_v} has good reduction, we have $A_{F_v}(F_v) = A_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}(\mathcal{O}_{F_v})$, which induces isomorphisms

$$(6.2) \quad \frac{G_{F_v}(F_v)}{G_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}(\mathcal{O}_{F_v})} \cong \frac{T_{F_v}(F_v)}{T_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}(\mathcal{O}_{F_v})} \cong \mathbb{Z}^r.$$

Moreover, since M_{F_v} has good reduction, the following diagram commutes:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} 0 & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \mathbb{Q}_p \\ \psi_v|_{P_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}} \uparrow & & \uparrow \psi_v \\ P_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}(\mathcal{O}_{F_v}) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & P_{F_v}(F_v) \\ \tau_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}^\vee \curvearrowright & & \curvearrowleft \tau_{F_v}^\vee \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ G_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}(\mathcal{O}_{F_v}) \times G_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}^\vee(\mathcal{O}_{F_v}) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & G_{F_v}(F_v) \times G_{F_v}^\vee(F_v) \\ \uparrow \text{Id} \times u_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}^\vee & & \uparrow \text{Id} \times u_{F_v}^\vee \\ G_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}(\mathcal{O}_{F_v}) \times L_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}^\vee(\mathcal{O}_{F_v}) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & G_{F_v}(F_v) \times L_{F_v}^\vee(F_v). \end{array}$$

This implies that the map

$$\psi_v \circ \tau_{F_v}^\vee(\cdot, x^\vee) : G_{F_v}(F_v) \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p$$

factors through the quotient $G_{F_v}(F_v)/G_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}(\mathcal{O}_{F_v})$. Thus, any $t_v \in T_{F_v}(F_v)$ whose class in $T_{F_v}(F_v)/T_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}(\mathcal{O}_{F_v})$ equals that of g satisfies

$$(6.3) \quad \psi_v \circ \tau_{F_v}^\vee(g, x^\vee) = \psi_v \circ \tau_{F_v}^\vee(t_v, x^\vee),$$

where we identify t_v with the corresponding point in $G_{F_v}(F_v)$. If the class of g corresponds to $(n_1, \dots, n_r) \in \mathbb{Z}^r$ under the isomorphism (6.2), we may choose t_v of the

form $t_v := (\pi_v^{n_1}, \dots, \pi_v^{n_r})$; in this way, t_v belongs to $T_F(F)$ and

$$(6.4) \quad \psi_w \circ \tau_{F_w}^\vee(t_v, x^\vee) = 0,$$

for all $w \in \mathcal{V}'$ such that $w \neq v$. To prove this last assertion, start by considering any place $w \in \mathcal{V}$. We have the following commutative diagram with exact rows:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} & & & \mathbb{G}_{m, F_w} & \xlongequal{\quad} & \mathbb{G}_{m, F_w} & \\ & & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & \\ 0 & \longrightarrow & T_{F_w} & \xrightarrow{i} & P_{G_{F_w}, \{x^\vee\}} & \longrightarrow & P_{A_{F_w}, a^\vee} \longrightarrow 0 \\ & & \downarrow \cong & & \tau_{F_w}^\vee \uparrow \downarrow & \lrcorner & \downarrow \\ 0 & \longrightarrow & T_{F_w} \times_{F_w} \{x^\vee\} & \longrightarrow & G_{F_w} \times_{F_w} \{x^\vee\} & \longrightarrow & A_{F_w} \times_{F_w} \{a^\vee\} \longrightarrow 0, \end{array}$$

where $a^\vee \in A_{F_w}^\vee(F_w)$ denotes the image of x^\vee under the composition

$$L_{F_w}^\vee \xrightarrow{u_{F_w}} G_{F_w}^\vee \rightarrow A_{F_w}^\vee.$$

The map i is the one that when composed with $P_{G_{F_w}, \{x^\vee\}} \rightarrow G_{F_w} \times_{F_w} \{x^\vee\}$ equals the natural injection and when composed with $P_{G_{F_w}, \{x^\vee\}} \rightarrow P_{A_{F_w}, a^\vee}$ equals zero. Let $\chi : T_F \rightarrow \mathbb{G}_{m, F}$ be the map corresponding to $x^\vee \in L_F^\vee$. With this notation we have

$$\tau_{F_w}^\vee(t, x^\vee) = \chi(t) + i(t),$$

for all $t \in T_{F_w}$. In particular, for $w \neq v$ in \mathcal{V}' and $t = t_v$ we get

$$\begin{aligned} \psi_w \circ \tau_{F_w}^\vee(t_v, x^\vee) &= \psi_w(\chi(t_v) + i(t_v)) \\ &= \rho_w(\chi(t_v)) \\ &= \rho_w(\pi_v^{\sum n_i m_i}) \\ &= (n_1 m_1 + \dots + n_r m_r) \rho_w(\pi_v) \\ &= 0, \end{aligned}$$

where the second equality is deduced from $\psi_w(i(t_v)) = 0$ (since ψ_w is obtained from a ρ_w -splitting of $P_{A_{F_w}}$), and the last one from the fact that $\pi_v \in \mathcal{O}_{F_w}^*$. Define

$$t := \prod_{v \in \mathcal{V}'} t_v \in T_F(F).$$

Notice that this is a finite product, since $g \in G_{\mathcal{O}_{F_v}}(\mathcal{O}_{F_v})$ for almost all $v \in \mathcal{V}'$. From (6.3) and (6.4), we get that t satisfies

$$\psi_v \circ \tau_{F_v}^\vee(t, x^\vee) = \psi_v \circ \tau_{F_v}^\vee(g, x^\vee),$$

for every $v \in \mathcal{V}'$. Therefore, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{v \in \mathcal{V}} \psi_v \circ \tau_{F_v}^\vee(g, x^\vee) &= \sum_{v \in \mathcal{V} - \mathcal{V}'} \psi_v \circ \tau_{F_v}^\vee(g, x^\vee) + \sum_{v \in \mathcal{V}'} \psi_v \circ \tau_{F_v}^\vee(g, x^\vee) \\ &= \sum_{v \in \mathcal{V} - \mathcal{V}'} \psi_v \circ \tau_{F_v}^\vee(g, x^\vee) + \sum_{v \in \mathcal{V}'} \psi_v \circ \tau_{F_v}^\vee(t, x^\vee) \\ &= \sum_{v \in \mathcal{V} - \mathcal{V}'} \psi_v \circ \tau_{F_v}^\vee(g, x^\vee) - \sum_{v \in \mathcal{V} - \mathcal{V}'} \psi_v \circ \tau_{F_v}^\vee(t, x^\vee) \\ &= \sum_{v \in \mathcal{V} - \mathcal{V}'} \psi_v \circ \tau_{F_v}^\vee(t^{-1}g, x^\vee), \end{aligned}$$

where the third equality is derived from

$$\sum_{v \in \mathcal{V}} \psi_v \circ \tau_{F_v}^\vee(t, x^\vee) = \sum_{v \in \mathcal{V}} \rho_v(\chi(t)) = 0. \quad \blacksquare$$

PROPOSITION 6.3. *Suppose that $u_F(K)$ and $u_F^\vee(K)$ are injective, and that the ρ_v -splittings ψ_v are compatible with the $L_{F_v} \times_{F_v} L_{F_v}^\vee$ -linearization of P_{F_v} , for every place $v \in \mathcal{V} - \mathcal{V}'$. Then the pairing $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$ of Proposition 6.1 descends to a pairing*

$$\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_M : M_F(F) \times M_F^\vee(F) \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p.$$

PROOF. Fix $g \in G_F(F)$ and $x^\vee \in L_F^\vee(F)$, and let $t \in T_F(F)$ be the element constructed in Lemma 6.2. We have

$$\sum_{v \in \mathcal{V}} \psi_v \circ \tau_{F_v}^\vee(g, x^\vee) = \sum_{v \in \mathcal{V} - \mathcal{V}'} \psi_v \circ \tau_{F_v}^\vee(t^{-1}g, x^\vee) = 0.$$

Since we have the analogous equality for every $x \in L_F(F)$ and $g^\vee \in G_F^\vee(F)$, the pairing $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$ is zero on $G(F) \times \text{Im}(u^\vee(F))$ and $\text{Im}(u(F)) \times G^\vee(F)$, inducing a pairing

$$\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_M : M_F(F) \times M_F^\vee(F) \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_p. \quad \blacksquare$$

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