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THE BREUIL-MÉZARD CONJECTURE FOR NON-SCALAR SPLIT RESIDUAL REPRESENTATIONS

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ABSTRACT. – We prove the Breuil-Mézard conjecture for split non-scalar residual representations of $\text{Gal}(\overline{\mathbb{Q}_p}/\mathbb{Q}_p)$ by local methods. Combined with the cases previously proved in [20] and [26], this completes the proof of the conjecture (when $p \geq 5$). As a consequence, the local restriction in the proof of the Fontaine-Mazur conjecture in [20] is removed.

RÉSUMÉ. – Nous prouvons la conjecture de Breuil-Mézard pour les représentations résiduelles scindées non-scalaires de $\text{Gal}(\overline{\mathbb{Q}_p}/\mathbb{Q}_p)$ par des méthodes locales. Combiné avec les cas déjà prouvés dans [20] et [26], cela complète la preuve de la conjecture (lorsque $p \geq 5$). Par conséquent, la restriction locale dans la preuve de la conjecture de Fontaine-Mazur dans [20] est levée.

Notation

- $p \geq 5$ is a prime number. The p -adic valuation is normalized as $v_p(p) = 1$.
- E/\mathbb{Q}_p is a sufficiently large finite extension with ring of integers \mathcal{O} , a (fixed) uniformizer ϖ , and residue field \mathbb{F} . Its subring of Witt vectors is denoted by $W(\mathbb{F})$.
- For a number field F , the completion at a place v is written as F_v , for which we fix a uniformizer denoted by ϖ_v .
- For a local or global field L , $G_L = \text{Gal}(\overline{L}/L)$. The inertia subgroup for the local field is written as I_L .
- For each finite place v in a number field F , fix a map $G_{F_v} \rightarrow G_F$ by choosing an inclusion $\overline{F} \hookrightarrow \overline{F}_v$ of algebraic closures.
- $\epsilon : G_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_p^\times$ is the cyclotomic character, $\omega : G_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \rightarrow \mathbb{F}_p^\times$ is its reduction mod p , and $\tilde{\omega}$ is the Teichmüller lifting of ω .
- $\mathbb{1} : G_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \rightarrow \mathbb{F}_p^\times$ is the trivial character. We also let $\mathbb{1}$ denote other trivial representations, if no confusion arises.
- Normalize the local class field map $\mathbb{Q}_p^\times \rightarrow G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}^{\text{ab}}$ so that uniformizers correspond to geometric Frobenii. Then a character of $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ will also be regarded as a character of \mathbb{Q}_p^\times .
- For a ring R , $\text{m-Spec}R$ denotes the set of maximal ideals.

- For R a Noetherian ring and M a finite R -module of dimension at most d , let $\ell_{R_{\mathfrak{p}}}(M_{\mathfrak{p}})$ denote the length of the $R_{\mathfrak{p}}$ -module $M_{\mathfrak{p}}$, and let $Z_d(M) = \sum_{\mathfrak{p}} \ell_{R_{\mathfrak{p}}}(M_{\mathfrak{p}})\mathfrak{p}$ for all $\mathfrak{p} \in \text{Spec } R$ such that $\dim R/\mathfrak{p} = d$. When the context is clear, we simply denote it by $Z(M)$.
- For R a Noetherian local ring with maximal ideal \mathfrak{m} and M a finite R -module, and for an \mathfrak{m} -primary ideal \mathfrak{q} of R , let $e_{\mathfrak{q}}(R, M)$ denote the Hilbert-Samuel multiplicity of M with respect to \mathfrak{q} . We abbreviate $e_{\mathfrak{m}}(R, M) = e(R, M)$ and $e_{\mathfrak{q}}(R, R) = e_{\mathfrak{q}}(R)$.
- For $r \geq 0$, we let $\text{Sym}^r E^2$ (resp. $\text{Sym}^r \mathbb{F}^2$) be the usual symmetric power representation of $\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{Z}_p)$ (resp. of $\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{F}_p)$), but viewed as a representation of $\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{Z}_p)$.

1. Introduction

Consider the following data:

- an integer $k \geq 2$,
- a representation $\tau : I_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \rightarrow \text{GL}_2(E)$ with open kernel,
- a continuous character $\psi : G_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}^{\times}$ such that $\psi|_{I_{\mathbb{Q}_p}} = \epsilon^{k-2} \det \tau$.

We call such a triple (k, τ, ψ) a p -adic Hodge type. We say a 2-dimensional continuous representation $\rho : G_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \rightarrow \text{GL}_2(E)$ is of type (k, τ, ψ) if ρ is potentially semi-stable (i.e., de Rham) such that its Hodge-Tate weights are $(0, k - 1)$, $\text{WD}(\rho)|_{I_{\mathbb{Q}_p}} \simeq \tau$, and $\det \rho \simeq \psi \epsilon$. Here $\text{WD}(\rho)$ is the Weil-Deligne representation associated to ρ by Fontaine [12].

By a result of Henniart [14], there is a unique finite dimensional smooth irreducible $\overline{\mathbb{Q}}_p$ -representation $\sigma(\tau)$ (resp. $\sigma^{\text{cr}}(\tau)$) of $\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{Z}_p)$ associated to τ , such that for any infinite dimensional smooth absolutely irreducible representation π of $\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{Q}_p)$ and the associated Weil-Deligne representation $LL(\pi)$ via classical local Langlands correspondence, we have $\text{Hom}_{\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{Z}_p)}(\sigma(\tau), \pi) \neq 0$ if and only if $LL(\pi)|_{I_{\mathbb{Q}_p}} \simeq \tau$ (resp. $\text{Hom}_{\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{Z}_p)}(\sigma^{\text{cr}}(\tau), \pi) \neq 0$ if and only if $LL(\pi)|_{I_{\mathbb{Q}_p}} \simeq \tau$ and the monodromy operator is trivial). We remark that $\sigma(\tau)$ and $\sigma^{\text{cr}}(\tau)$ differ only when $\tau = \chi \oplus \chi$ is scalar, in which case

$$\sigma(\tau) = \tilde{\text{st}} \otimes \chi \circ \det, \quad \sigma^{\text{cr}}(\tau) = \chi \circ \det$$

where $\tilde{\text{st}}$ is the inflation to $\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{Z}_p)$ of the Steinberg representation of $\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{F}_p)$.

Enlarging E if needed, we may and do assume $\sigma(\tau)$ is defined over E . Form the finite dimensional $\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{Z}_p)$ -representation

$$\sigma(k, \tau) = \text{Sym}^{k-2} E^2 \otimes_E \sigma(\tau)$$

and the semi-simplification $\overline{\sigma(k, \tau)}^{\text{ss}}$ of the reduction modulo ϖ of a $\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{Z}_p)$ -stable \mathcal{O} -lattice inside $\sigma(k, \tau)$. Then $\overline{\sigma(k, \tau)}^{\text{ss}}$ does not depend on the choice of the lattice.

Recall that the finite dimensional irreducible \mathbb{F} -representations of $\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{Z}_p)$ are of the form

$$\sigma_{n,m} := \text{Sym}^n \mathbb{F}^2 \otimes \det^m, \quad n \in \{0, \dots, p - 1\}, m \in \{0, \dots, p - 2\}.$$

For each $\sigma_{n,m}$ let $a_{n,m} = a_{n,m}(k, \tau)$ be the multiplicity with which $\sigma_{n,m}$ occurs in $\overline{\sigma(k, \tau)}^{\text{ss}}$. We have the obvious analogue in the crystalline case by considering

$$\sigma^{\text{cr}}(k, \tau) := \text{Sym}^{k-2} E^2 \otimes_E \sigma^{\text{cr}}(\tau)$$

and denote the resulting numbers by $a_{n,m}^{\text{cr}} = a_{n,m}^{\text{cr}}(k, \tau)$.

Let $\bar{\rho} : G_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \rightarrow \mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{F})$ be a continuous representation and $R^\square(\bar{\rho})$ be its universal framed deformation ring ([19]). The following results on the structure of potentially semi-stable framed deformation rings are known.

THEOREM 1.1 (Kisin, [19]). – *There is a unique (possibly trivial) quotient $R^{\square,\psi}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})$ (resp. $R_{\mathrm{cr}}^{\square,\psi}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})$) of $R^\square(\bar{\rho})$ such that*

(i) *A map $x : R^\square(\bar{\rho}) \rightarrow E'$, for any finite extension E'/E , factors through $R^{\square,\psi}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})$ (resp. $R_{\mathrm{cr}}^{\square,\psi}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})$) if and only if the Galois representation ρ_x corresponding to x is of type (k, τ, ψ) (resp. and is potentially crystalline).*

(ii) *$R^{\square,\psi}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})$ (resp. $R_{\mathrm{cr}}^{\square,\psi}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})$) is p -torsion free.*

(iii) *$R^{\square,\psi}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})[1/p]$ (resp. $R_{\mathrm{cr}}^{\square,\psi}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})[1/p]$) is reduced, all of whose irreducible components are smooth of dimension 4.*

The following conjecture, the so-called Breuil-Mézard conjecture, relates the Hilbert-Samuel multiplicity of $R^{\square,\psi}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})/\varpi$ (resp. $R_{\mathrm{cr}}^{\square,\psi}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})/\varpi$) with the numbers $a_{n,m}$ (resp. $a_{n,m}^{\mathrm{cr}}$).

CONJECTURE 1.2 (Breuil-Mézard, [4]). – *For any (k, τ, ψ) as above, we have*

$$(1) \quad e(R^{\square,\psi}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})/\varpi) = \sum_{n,m} a_{n,m}(k, \tau) \mu_{n,m}(\bar{\rho}),$$

$$(2) \quad e(R_{\mathrm{cr}}^{\square,\psi}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})/\varpi) = \sum_{n,m} a_{n,m}^{\mathrm{cr}}(k, \tau) \mu_{n,m}(\bar{\rho})$$

for some integers $\mu_{n,m}(\bar{\rho})$ which are independent of k, τ and ψ .

In particular, the conjecture implies that

$$\mu_{n,m}(\bar{\rho}) = e\left(R_{\mathrm{cr}}^{\square,\psi}(n+2, (\tilde{\omega}^m)^{\oplus 2}, \bar{\rho})/\varpi\right)$$

which can be computed. We refer the reader to [20, 1.1.6] for these numbers, and remark that when $n = p - 2$ and $\bar{\rho}$ is scalar, $\mu_{p-2,m}(\bar{\rho}) = 4$, as is shown in [28].

Conjecture 1.2 was proved by Kisin [20] in the cases that $\bar{\rho}$ is not (a twist of) an extension of $\mathbb{1}$ by ω . He first proved the “ \leq ” part of (1) and (2) using the p -adic local Langlands [6], and then combined it with the (global) modularity lifting method to deduce the “ \geq ” part. Years later, the conjecture was proved by Paškūnas [26] for all $\bar{\rho}$ with only scalar endomorphisms, using the p -adic local Langlands and his previous (local) results in [25]. We prove, also using local methods (except for one global input due to Emerton [9], see the introduction of [26]), the following theorem (in the language of cycles of [10]), which in particular includes the remaining case of the conjecture (when $p \geq 5$).

THEOREM 1.3 (Remark 5.7, Theorem 5.11, Theorem 5.12). – *For any continuous representation $\bar{\rho} : G_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \rightarrow \mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{F})$ which is isomorphic to the direct sum of two distinct characters, and for any (k, τ, ψ) as above, there are 4-dimensional cycles $\mathcal{Z}_{n,m}$ of $R^\square(\bar{\rho})$ which are independent of (k, τ, ψ) such that*

$$\mathcal{Z}(R^{\square,\psi}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})/\varpi) = \sum_{n,m} a_{n,m}(k, \tau) \mathcal{Z}_{n,m}.$$

$$\mathcal{Z}(R_{\text{cr}}^{\square, \psi}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})/\varpi) = \sum_{n, m} a_{n, m}^{\text{cr}}(k, \tau) \mathcal{Z}_{n, m}.$$

Moreover, we have $\mathcal{Z}_{n, m} = \mathcal{Z}(R_{\text{cr}}^{\square, \psi}(n+2, (\tilde{\omega}^m)^{\oplus 2}, \bar{\rho})/\varpi)$. In particular, the Breuil-Mézard Conjecture 1.2 is true.

In fact, we prove Theorem 1.3 in the language of versal deformation rings $R^{\text{ver}}(\bar{\rho})$ (see §3). This implies the result, as is explained in §6.

Remark 5.7 is for the *generic* case, i.e., for $\bar{\rho} = \chi_1 \oplus \chi_2$ with $\chi_1 \chi_2^{-1} \notin \{\mathbb{1}, \omega^{\pm}\}$, while Theorem 5.11 and Theorem 5.12 are for the *non-generic* case, i.e., $\bar{\rho} \simeq \mathbb{1} \oplus \omega$ (up to twist), which is a new result.

For the proof, we follow closely that of [26], but have to deal with some extra complications, especially when $\bar{\rho}$ is a twist of $\mathbb{1} \oplus \omega$, which we explain now. In [26], Paškūnas developed a general formalism to deduce the Breuil-Mézard conjecture, the key of which is to construct an appropriate representation of $\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{Q}_p)$ with coefficients in $R^{\text{ver}}(\bar{\rho})$ satisfying several good properties, one of which is that it gives the universal deformation of $\bar{\rho}$ over $R^{\text{ver}}(\bar{\rho})$ via Colmez's functor (in fact, to do so, we should work with deformation rings with fixed determinant, but we ignore this issue in this introduction). Then, using the p -adic local Langlands, he reduces the proof of the conjecture to representation theory of $\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{Q}_p)$. When $\bar{\rho}$ is split and generic, such a construction can be done easily and essentially follows from that of [26].

However, we are not able to do it directly when $\bar{\rho}$ is a twist of $\mathbb{1} \oplus \omega$. In contrast, such a $\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{Q}_p)$ -representation over the pseudo-deformation ring of (the trace of) $\bar{\rho}$ is known, thanks to Paškūnas' previous work [25]. This naturally suggests that we first mimic Paškūnas' strategy in the setting of potentially semi-stable pseudo-deformation rings, and then pass to the corresponding versal deformation rings, as Kisin did in [20]. There are however two complications in doing so. The first one is that the $\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{Q}_p)$ -representation over the pseudo-deformation ring constructed in [25] is not flat, which makes the arguments more involved when verifying the setting of [26]; see §4.2. The second is that even if the (analogous) conjecture for pseudo-deformation rings is proven, the local argument in [20, §1.7] only gives the inequality “ \leq ”. To resolve these, we construct and study morphisms among various deformation rings, and reduce the conjecture to the (analogous) statement for pseudo-deformation rings and to the cases which have been treated in [26]. Thus, our proof may also be viewed as a refinement of the local argument in [20].

With the main result of [26] and Theorem 1.3 in hand, Kisin's original proof [20] applies to give the Fontaine-Mazur conjecture for geometric Galois representations $\rho : G_{\mathbb{Q}} \rightarrow \text{GL}_2(\theta)$ such that $\bar{\rho}|_{G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}}$ is a twist of an extension of $\mathbb{1}$ by ω , split or not. These are complementary to the cases treated in [20]. Putting them together, we have the following theorem (recall that $p \geq 5$).

THEOREM 1.4. – *Let $\rho : G_{\mathbb{Q}} \rightarrow \text{GL}_2(\theta)$ be a continuous representation which is unramified away from a finite set of primes, whose residual representation $\bar{\rho}$ is odd with restriction $\bar{\rho}|_{\mathbb{Q}(\zeta_p)}$ being absolutely irreducible. If $\rho|_{G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}}$ is potentially semi-stable with distinct Hodge-Tate weights, then ρ comes from a modular form, up to a twist.*

Note that the majority cases of Theorem 1.4 was also proved by Emerton [9], namely the cases for which $\bar{\rho}|_{G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}}$ is not a twist of an extension of ω by $\mathbb{1}$ or an extension of $\mathbb{1}$ by ω . Thus the only new case proved here is when $\bar{\rho}|_{G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}}$ is a twist of the direct sum $\mathbb{1} \oplus \omega$.

The paper is organized as follows. Section 2 and Section 4 are devoted to the study of the pseudo-deformation rings using representation theory of $\mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{Q}_p)$ via the theory developed in [25],[26]. In Section 3, we give explicit descriptions of certain deformation rings and maps among them. We prove Theorem 1.3 in Section 5 and prove Theorem 1.4 in Section 6.

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2. Preparations on \mathbb{F} -representations of $\mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{Q}_p)$

In this section, we redefine and study Kisin's map θ [20, 1.5.11]. It will be used in §4.

Let $G := \mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{Q}_p)$, $K := \mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{Z}_p)$ and $Z \subset G$ be the centre. Denote by $P \subset G$ the upper triangular Borel subgroup, by $I \subset K$ the upper triangular Iwahori subgroup, and by $I_1 \subset K$ the upper triangular pro- p -Iwahori subgroup.

Let $\mathrm{Mod}_G^{\mathrm{sm}}(\mathcal{O})$ be the category of smooth G -representations on \mathcal{O} -torsion modules and $\mathrm{Mod}_G^{1,\mathrm{fin}}(\mathcal{O})$ be its full subcategory consisting of locally finite objects. Here an object $\tau \in \mathrm{Mod}_G^{\mathrm{sm}}(\mathcal{O})$ is said to be *locally finite* if for all $v \in \tau$ the $\mathcal{O}[G]$ -submodule generated by v is of finite length. For $\tau \in \mathrm{Mod}_G^{1,\mathrm{fin}}(\mathcal{O})$, we write $\mathrm{soc}_G \tau$ for its G -socle, namely the largest semi-simple sub-representation of τ . Let $\mathrm{Mod}_G^{\mathrm{sm}}(\mathbb{F})$ and $\mathrm{Mod}_G^{1,\mathrm{fin}}(\mathbb{F})$ be respectively the full subcategory consisting of G -representations on \mathbb{F} -modules, i.e., killed by ϖ . Moreover, for a continuous character $\zeta : Z \rightarrow \mathcal{O}^\times$, adding the subscript ζ in any of the above categories indicates the corresponding full subcategory of G -representations with central character ζ .

Let $\mathrm{Mod}_G^{\mathrm{pro}}(\mathcal{O})$ be the category of compact $\mathcal{O}[[K]]$ -modules with an action of $\mathcal{O}[G]$ such that the two actions coincide when restricted to $\mathcal{O}[K]$. This category is anti-equivalent to $\mathrm{Mod}_G^{\mathrm{sm}}(\mathcal{O})$ under the Pontryagin dual $\tau \mapsto \tau^\vee := \mathrm{Hom}_{\mathcal{O}}(\tau, E/\mathcal{O})$, the latter being equipped with the compact-open topology. Finally let $\mathfrak{C}_\zeta(\mathcal{O})$ and $\mathfrak{C}_\zeta(\mathbb{F})$ be respectively the full subcategory of $\mathrm{Mod}_G^{\mathrm{pro}}(\mathcal{O})$ anti-equivalent to $\mathrm{Mod}_G^{1,\mathrm{fin}}(\mathcal{O})$ and $\mathrm{Mod}_G^{1,\mathrm{fin}}(\mathbb{F})$.

2.1. Some \mathbb{F} -representations of G

Fix an integer $r \in \{0, \dots, p-1\}$ and consider the representation $\mathrm{Sym}^r \mathbb{F}^2$ of KZ obtained by letting $p \in Z$ act trivially. Fix a continuous character $\chi : \mathbb{Q}_p^\times \rightarrow \mathbb{F}^\times$ and $\lambda \in \mathbb{F}$. For our purpose we will assume:

(H) $\lambda \neq 0$ and $(r, \lambda) \neq (p-1, \pm 1)$.

Write $I(\text{Sym}^r \mathbb{F}^2) := \text{c-Ind}_{KZ}^G \text{Sym}^r \mathbb{F}^2$, the compact induction of $\text{Sym}^r \mathbb{F}^2$ from KZ to G , and $I_\chi(\text{Sym}^r \mathbb{F}^2) := I(\text{Sym}^r \mathbb{F}^2) \otimes \chi \circ \det$. By [1, Proposition 8], we have

$$\text{End}_G(I_\chi(\text{Sym}^r \mathbb{F}^2)) \cong \mathbb{F}[T_r]$$

for certain Hecke operator T_r (as normalized in [1, §3.1] or in [20, 1.2.1]). We will often write $T = T_r$ if no confusion is caused. Write

$$\pi(r, \lambda, \chi) := I_\chi(\text{Sym}^r \mathbb{F}^2)/(T - \lambda).$$

By [1, Theorem 30], $\pi(r, \lambda, \chi)$ is an irreducible principal series if $(r, \lambda) \neq (0, \pm 1)$ (under our assumption **(H)**), and is reducible of length 2 if $(r, \lambda) = (0, \pm 1)$ in which case we have a *non-split* short exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Sp} \otimes \chi \mu_{\pm 1} \circ \det \rightarrow \pi(0, \pm 1, \chi) \rightarrow \chi \mu_{\pm 1} \circ \det \rightarrow 0$$

where Sp denotes the Steinberg representation of G and $\mu_{\pm 1} : \mathbb{Q}_p^\times \rightarrow \mathbb{F}^\times$ denotes the unramified character sending p to ± 1 .

Since $\mathbb{F}[T]$ acts freely on $I_\chi(\text{Sym}^r \mathbb{F}^2)$ by [1, Theorem 19], for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$ we have a natural G -equivariant injection

$$(T - \lambda) : I_\chi(\text{Sym}^r \mathbb{F}^2)/(T - \lambda)^n \rightarrow I_\chi(\text{Sym}^r \mathbb{F}^2)/(T - \lambda)^{n+1}.$$

Write $\pi_n(r, \lambda, \chi) := I_\chi(\text{Sym}^r \mathbb{F}^2)/(T - \lambda)^n$ for $n \geq 1$ so that $\pi_1(r, \lambda, \chi) = \pi(r, \lambda, \chi)$. For convenience, we set $\pi_0(r, \lambda, \chi) := 0$. Then, for $1 \leq m \leq n$, we have an exact sequence of G -representations:

$$(3) \quad 0 \rightarrow \pi_m(r, \lambda, \chi) \xrightarrow{(T-\lambda)^{n-m}} \pi_n(r, \lambda, \chi) \rightarrow \pi_{n-m}(r, \lambda, \chi) \rightarrow 0$$

which is non-split because $\mathbb{F}[T]$ acts freely on $I_\chi(\text{Sym}^r \mathbb{F}^2)$.

Put

$$\pi_\infty(r, \lambda, \chi) := \varinjlim_n \pi_n(r, \lambda, \chi).$$

Then $\pi_\infty(r, \lambda, \chi)$ is a smooth locally finite \mathbb{F} -representation of G with central character $\chi^2 \omega^r$. Taking $m = 1$ and passing to the limit over n in (3), we obtain a non-split exact sequence

$$(4) \quad 0 \rightarrow \pi(r, \lambda, \chi) \rightarrow \pi_\infty(r, \lambda, \chi) \rightarrow \pi_\infty(r, \lambda, \chi) \rightarrow 0.$$

LEMMA 2.1. – (i) *The \mathbb{F} -vector space $\text{Hom}_G(\pi(r, \lambda, \chi), \pi_\infty(r, \lambda, \chi))$ is of dimension 1 and is spanned by the second arrow constructed in (4). In particular, any non-zero G -equivariant morphism $\pi(r, \lambda, \chi) \rightarrow \pi_\infty(r, \lambda, \chi)$ is injective.*

(ii) *We have*

$$\text{soc}_G \pi_\infty(r, \lambda, \chi) = \text{soc}_G \pi(r, \lambda, \chi) = \begin{cases} \pi(r, \lambda, \chi) & \text{if } (r, \lambda) \neq (0, \pm 1) \\ \text{Sp} \otimes \chi \mu_{\pm 1} \circ \det & \text{if } (r, \lambda) = (0, \pm 1). \end{cases}$$

Proof. – We give a proof for the sake of completeness although the argument is standard. To simplify the notation, we write π_n for $\pi_n(r, \lambda, \chi)$ (where $n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{\infty\}$).

(i) By construction it suffices to prove that for any $n \geq 1$, the \mathbb{F} -vector space $\text{Hom}_G(\pi_1, \pi_n)$ is of dimension 1 and is spanned by $(T - \lambda)^{n-1} : \pi_1 \rightarrow \pi_n$. This is clear when $n = 1$. Let $n \geq 2$ and assume the assertion is true for $n - 1$. Then the exact sequence (3) with $m = n - 1$ induces

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Hom}_G(\pi_1, \pi_{n-1}) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_G(\pi_1, \pi_n) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_G(\pi_1, \pi_1).$$

We deduce that $\text{Hom}_G(\pi_1, \pi_n)$ is of dimension ≤ 2 , and the equality holds if and only if the last arrow is surjective if and only if (3) is split (when $m = n - 1$). Since (3) is non-split, the result follows.

(ii) The second equality is clear by what we have recalled. For the first one, if $(r, \lambda) \neq (0, \pm 1)$, then π_1 is irreducible and each irreducible constituent of π_∞ is isomorphic to π_1 so the lemma follows from (i).

Assume now $(r, \lambda) = (0, \pm 1)$ so that $\text{soc}_G \pi_1 = \text{Sp} \otimes \chi \mu_{\pm 1} \circ \det$. We assume moreover $\lambda = 1$ and χ is trivial; the general case can be deduced by twisting. In particular, the central character of π_n is trivial. Clearly if π is an irreducible smooth \mathbb{F} -representation of G such that $\text{Hom}_G(\pi, \pi_\infty) \neq 0$ then $\pi \cong \text{Sp}$ or $\pi \cong \mathbb{1}$ (the trivial \mathbb{F} -representation of G). Moreover, by (i) the natural morphism $\text{Hom}_G(\pi_1, \pi_\infty) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_G(\text{Sp}, \pi_\infty)$ is non-zero, hence $\dim_{\mathbb{F}} \text{Hom}_G(\text{Sp}, \pi_\infty) \geq 1$ and $\text{Hom}_G(\mathbb{1}, \pi_\infty) = 0$.

We are left to show $\dim_{\mathbb{F}} \text{Hom}_G(\text{Sp}, \pi_\infty) = 1$, or equivalently $\dim_{\mathbb{F}} \text{Hom}_G(\text{Sp}, \pi_n) = 1$ for all $n \geq 1$. For each $n \geq 2$ we define τ_n to be the kernel of the composition $\pi_n \twoheadrightarrow \pi_1 \twoheadrightarrow \mathbb{1}$. Then τ_n fits into the exact sequence

$$(5) \quad 0 \rightarrow \pi_{n-1} \rightarrow \tau_n \rightarrow \text{Sp} \rightarrow 0.$$

If we had $\dim_{\mathbb{F}} \text{Hom}_G(\text{Sp}, \pi_k) \geq 2$ for some $k \in \mathbb{N}$ which we choose to be the smallest, then $k \geq 2$ and the sequence (5) with $n = k$ must split and would induce an exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Sp} \oplus \pi_{k-1} \rightarrow \pi_k \rightarrow \mathbb{1} \rightarrow 0.$$

Since $\text{Hom}_G(\pi_{k-1}, \mathbb{1}) \neq 0$ and $\text{Ext}_{G/Z}^1(\mathbb{1}, \mathbb{1}) = 0$ (since $p \neq 2$, see [25, §10.1]), this would imply $\dim_{\mathbb{F}} \text{Hom}_G(\pi_k, \mathbb{1}) \geq 2$ hence

$$\dim_{\mathbb{F}} \text{Hom}_K(\text{Sym}^0 \mathbb{F}^2, \mathbb{1}) = \dim_{\mathbb{F}} \text{Hom}_G(I(\text{Sym}^0 \mathbb{F}^2), \mathbb{1}) \geq 2.$$

This being impossible, the assertion follows. □

Let $\text{Inj}_G \pi(r, \lambda, \chi)$ be an injective envelope of $\pi(r, \lambda, \chi)$ in $\text{Mod}_{G, \zeta}^{1, \text{fin}}(\mathbb{F})$, where $\zeta : Z \rightarrow \vartheta^\times$ is a continuous character whose reduction modulo ϖ is equal to $\chi^2 \omega^r$, the central character of $\pi(r, \lambda, \chi)$. Lemma 2.1 implies the existence of a G -equivariant injection

$$\theta : \pi_\infty(r, \lambda, \chi) \hookrightarrow \text{Inj}_G \pi(r, \lambda, \chi).$$

Such an injection need not be unique. We will show later that the image of θ does not depend on the choice; see Corollary 2.4.

Let \mathcal{H} be the Hecke algebra associated to $\text{c-Ind}_{I_1 Z}^G \zeta$ and $\text{Mod}_{\mathcal{H}}$ the category of \mathcal{H} -modules. Denote by $\mathcal{J} : \text{Mod}_{G, \zeta}^{\text{sm}}(\mathbb{F}) \rightarrow \text{Mod}_{\mathcal{H}}$ the left exact functor induced by taking I_1 -invariants and $\mathbb{R}^i \mathcal{J}$ its right derived functors for $i \geq 1$, cf. [25, §5.4] for a collection of properties about this functor. Recall the following result.

LEMMA 2.2. – *Let π be a smooth irreducible non-supersingular \mathbb{F} -representation of G . Then*

- (i) $\text{Ext}_{\mathcal{H}}^2(\mathcal{J}(\pi), *) = 0$;
- (ii) $\text{Ext}_{\mathcal{H}}^1(\mathcal{J}(\pi), \mathcal{J}(\pi(r, \lambda, \chi))) = 0$ except when $\pi \cong \text{soc}_G \pi(r, \lambda, \chi)$ in which case the space is of dimension 1 over \mathbb{F} .

Proof. – (i) It is a special case of [25, Lemma 5.24]. (ii) If $(r, \lambda) \neq (0, \pm 1)$ so that $\pi(r, \lambda, \chi)$ is irreducible, it is a special case of [25, Lemma 5.27(ii)]. If $(r, \lambda) = (0, \pm 1)$, then it follows from [25, Lemma 5.27(iii)], using (i) for the second assertion. \square

PROPOSITION 2.3. – *The morphism θ identifies $\pi_\infty(r, \lambda, \chi)$ with the largest G -stable subspace of $\text{Inj}_G \pi(r, \lambda, \chi)$ generated by its I_1 -invariants. In other words, θ induces an isomorphism*

$$\theta : \pi_\infty(r, \lambda, \chi) \xrightarrow{\sim} \langle G \cdot (\text{Inj}_G \pi(r, \lambda, \chi))^{I_1} \rangle.$$

Proof. – To simplify the notation, we write π_n for $\pi_n(r, \lambda, \chi)$ where $n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{\infty\}$.

Let π be an irreducible object in $\text{Mod}_{G,\zeta}^{\text{sm}}(\mathbb{F})$. Recall that we have the following exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Ext}_{\mathcal{H}}^1(\mathcal{J}(\pi), \mathcal{J}(\pi_\infty)) \xrightarrow{\mathcal{J}} \text{Ext}_{G,\zeta}^1(\pi, \pi_\infty) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{H}}(\mathcal{J}(\pi), \mathbb{R}^1 \mathcal{J}(\pi_\infty))$$

see for example [25, §5.4], where $\mathcal{J} : \text{Mod}_{\mathcal{H}} \rightarrow \text{Mod}_{G,\zeta}^{\text{sm}}(\mathbb{F})$ denotes the functor $M \mapsto M \otimes_{\mathcal{H}} \text{c-Ind}_{I_1 Z \zeta}^G$ and $\text{Ext}_{G,\zeta}^1$ indicates that the extensions are calculated in the category $\text{Mod}_{G,\zeta}^{\text{sm}}(\mathbb{F})$. By the main result of [24], an extension $0 \rightarrow \pi_\infty \rightarrow V \rightarrow \pi \rightarrow 0$ lies in the image of \mathcal{J} if and only if V is generated by its I_1 -invariants, i.e., $V = \langle G \cdot V^{I_1} \rangle$. We will show $\text{Ext}_{\mathcal{H}}^1(\mathcal{J}(\pi), \mathcal{J}(\pi_\infty)) = 0$ which will imply the assertion.

By definition of π_∞ , we have an isomorphism $\mathcal{J}(\pi_\infty) \cong \varinjlim_n \mathcal{J}(\pi_n)$ as \mathcal{H} -modules which induces $\text{Ext}_{\mathcal{H}}^1(\mathcal{J}(\pi), \mathcal{J}(\pi_\infty)) \cong \varinjlim_n \text{Ext}_{\mathcal{H}}^1(\mathcal{J}(\pi), \mathcal{J}(\pi_n))$. The latter isomorphism holds because $\mathcal{J}(\pi)$ is a finitely presented \mathcal{H} -module, see [32]. So it suffices to show that the transition map

$$\alpha_n : \text{Ext}_{\mathcal{H}}^1(\mathcal{J}(\pi), \mathcal{J}(\pi_n)) \rightarrow \text{Ext}_{\mathcal{H}}^1(\mathcal{J}(\pi), \mathcal{J}(\pi_{n+1}))$$

is zero for any $n \geq 1$. By Lemma 2.2, we may assume $\pi = \text{soc}_G \pi_1$. The exact sequence (3) induces a sequence of \mathcal{H} -modules

$$(6) \quad 0 \rightarrow \mathcal{J}(\pi_n) \rightarrow \mathcal{J}(\pi_{n+1}) \rightarrow \mathcal{J}(\pi_1) \rightarrow 0,$$

which is still exact by the main result of [24] because π_{n+1} is generated by its I_1 -invariants. Applying $\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{H}}(\mathcal{J}(\pi), *)$ to it and using Lemma 2.2(i) and the fact that $\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{H}}(\mathcal{J}(\pi), \mathcal{J}(\pi_n)) \cong \text{Hom}_G(\pi, \pi_n) \cong \mathbb{F}$ for all $n \geq 1$ by Lemma 2.1(ii), we get a long exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{H}}(\mathcal{J}(\pi), \mathcal{J}(\pi_1)) \rightarrow \text{Ext}_{\mathcal{H}}^1(\mathcal{J}(\pi), \mathcal{J}(\pi_n)) \xrightarrow{\alpha_n} \text{Ext}_{\mathcal{H}}^1(\mathcal{J}(\pi), \mathcal{J}(\pi_{n+1})) \rightarrow \text{Ext}_{\mathcal{H}}^1(\mathcal{J}(\pi), \mathcal{J}(\pi_1)) \rightarrow 0.$$

Since this holds for all $n \geq 1$, an induction on n , using Lemma 2.2(ii), implies that all dimensions over \mathbb{F} appeared in the last exact sequence are equal to 1, and the morphism α_n must be zero. This finishes the proof. \square

COROLLARY 2.4. – *The image of θ does not depend on the choice of θ . More generally, for any non-zero morphism $\theta' : \pi_\infty(r, \lambda, \chi) \rightarrow \text{Inj}_G \pi(r, \lambda, \chi)$, its image coincides with that of θ .*

Proof. – The first assertion follows from Proposition 2.3. Since θ' is nonzero, we can define the largest integer $k \in \mathbb{N}$ such that θ' factors through $\pi_k(r, \lambda, \chi)$. Then the induced map

$$\pi_\infty(r, \lambda, \chi)/\pi_k(r, \lambda, \chi) \rightarrow \text{Inj}_G \pi(r, \lambda, \chi)$$

must be an injection, using Lemma 2.1 when $\pi(r, \lambda, \chi)$ is reducible. The quotient $\pi_\infty(r, \lambda, \chi)/\pi_k(r, \lambda, \chi)$ is isomorphic to $\pi_\infty(r, \lambda, \chi)$ by (4), so we can apply the first assertion to conclude. \square

COROLLARY 2.5. – *For any smooth irreducible \mathbb{F} -representation σ of K , θ induces an isomorphism*

$$\text{Hom}_K(\sigma, \pi_\infty(r, \lambda, \chi)) \cong \text{Hom}_K(\sigma, \text{Inj}_G \pi(r, \lambda, \chi)).$$

Moreover, the two spaces are non-zero if and only if $\text{Hom}_K(\sigma, \pi(r, \lambda, \chi)) \neq 0$.

Proof. – The second assertion follows from the first one by definition of $\pi_\infty(r, \lambda, \chi)$. By Frobenius reciprocity, we need to show that the injection (induced from θ)

$$\text{Hom}_G(I_{\chi'}(\sigma), \pi_\infty(r, \lambda, \chi)) \hookrightarrow \text{Hom}_G(I_{\chi'}(\sigma), \text{Inj}_G \pi(r, \lambda, \chi))$$

is an isomorphism, where $\chi' : \mathbb{Q}_p^\times \rightarrow \mathbb{F}^\times$ is the character making the central character of $I_{\chi'}(\sigma)$ to be that of $\pi(r, \lambda, \chi)$. But this follows from Proposition 2.3 since the image of $I_{\chi'}(\sigma) \rightarrow \text{Inj}_G \pi(r, \lambda, \chi)$ is generated by its I_1 -invariants, hence lies in $\theta(\pi_\infty(r, \lambda, \chi))$. \square

REMARK 2.6. – *The above results (Proposition 2.3 and Corollaries 2.4, 2.5) hold true in the case $(r, \lambda) = (p - 1, \pm 1)$. To see this one can either modify the above proofs or apply (the proof of) [20, 1.5.5].*

The next lemma will be used in the proof of Proposition 2.9.

LEMMA 2.7. – *For any smooth irreducible \mathbb{F} -representation σ of K , the following sequence induced by (4) is exact*

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Hom}_K(\sigma, \pi(r, \lambda, \chi)) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_K(\sigma, \pi_\infty(r, \lambda, \chi)) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_K(\sigma, \pi_\infty(r, \lambda, \chi)) \rightarrow 0.$$

Proof. – To simplify the notation, we write π_n for $\pi_n(r, \lambda, \chi)$ (where $n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{\infty\}$). We may assume χ is trivial by twisting. We also assume that $\text{Hom}_K(\sigma, \pi_1) \neq 0$, otherwise the assertion is trivial by Corollary 2.5. By [1, Theorem 34], this implies that $\sigma \cong \text{Sym}^r \mathbb{F}^2$ if $r \notin \{0, p - 1\}$, and $\sigma \in \{\text{Sym}^0 \mathbb{F}^2, \text{Sym}^{p-1} \mathbb{F}^2\}$ otherwise. Moreover, in all cases, we have $\dim_{\mathbb{F}} \text{Hom}_K(\sigma, \pi_1) = 1$.

Since $\text{Hom}_K(\sigma, \pi_\infty) \cong \varinjlim_{n \geq 1} \text{Hom}_K(\sigma, \pi_n)$, it suffices to prove the exactness of the sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Hom}_K(\sigma, \pi_1) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_K(\sigma, \pi_n) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_K(\sigma, \pi_{n-1}) \rightarrow 0$$

for all $n \geq 1$, or equivalently, to prove $\dim_{\mathbb{F}} \text{Hom}_K(\sigma, \pi_n) = n$ for all $n \geq 1$. This is true if $\sigma \cong \text{Sym}^r \mathbb{F}^2$, since an easy induction on n shows that

$$\text{Hom}_K(\text{Sym}^r \mathbb{F}^2, \pi_n) \cong \text{Hom}_G(I(\text{Sym}^r \mathbb{F}^2), \pi_n)$$

is of dimension n over \mathbb{F} , with a basis given by

$$\{I(\text{Sym}^r \mathbb{F}^2) \twoheadrightarrow \pi_i \hookrightarrow \pi_n, 1 \leq i \leq n\},$$

where the first arrow is the natural quotient map and the second is given by (3).

If $\sigma \not\cong \text{Sym}^r \mathbb{F}^2$, then we have $r \in \{0, p-1\}$ and $\sigma \cong \text{Sym}^{p-1-r} \mathbb{F}^2$ so that

$$\text{soc}_K(\pi_n) = (\text{Sym}^r \mathbb{F}^2)^{\oplus n_1} \oplus (\text{Sym}^{p-1-r} \mathbb{F}^2)^{\oplus n_2}$$

for some $n_1, n_2 \geq 0$. By the case already treated, we have $n_1 = n$. On the other hand, since $\dim_{\mathbb{F}} \mathcal{J}(\pi_1) = 2$, an induction on n using the exact sequence (6) shows that $\dim_{\mathbb{F}} \mathcal{J}(\pi_n) = 2n$. Using the fact that $\text{Ind}_I^K \mathbb{1} \cong \text{Sym}^0 \mathbb{F}^2 \oplus \text{Sym}^{p-1} \mathbb{F}^2$, we show that $\text{soc}_K \pi_n$ is generated by $\pi_n^{I_1}$ as a K -representation, so that

$$2n = \dim_{\mathbb{F}} \mathcal{J}(\pi_n) = \dim_{\mathbb{F}} (\text{soc}_K \pi_n)^{I_1} = n_1 + n_2.$$

This implies $n_2 = n$ and finishes the proof. \square

2.2. The prime ideal J

We keep the notation in the preceding subsection. Let $\pi^{\vee}(r, \lambda, \chi)$ be the Pontryagin dual of $\pi(r, \lambda, \chi)$ and $\pi_{\infty}^{\vee}(r, \lambda, \chi)$ be that of $\pi_{\infty}(r, \lambda, \chi)$. They are objects in $\mathfrak{C}_{\zeta}(\mathbb{F})$, the dual category of $\text{Mod}_{G, \zeta}^{1, \text{fin}}(\mathbb{F})$. Dualizing the sequence (4), we get an injective G -equivariant endomorphism of $\pi_{\infty}^{\vee}(r, \lambda, \chi)$ which we denote by S . We have

$$(7) \quad 0 \rightarrow \pi_{\infty}^{\vee}(r, \lambda, \chi) \xrightarrow{S} \pi_{\infty}^{\vee}(r, \lambda, \chi) \rightarrow \pi^{\vee}(r, \lambda, \chi) \rightarrow 0$$

and $\pi_{\infty}^{\vee}(r, \lambda, \chi) \cong \varprojlim_n \pi_{\infty}^{\vee}(r, \lambda, \chi) / S^n$ so that $\pi_{\infty}^{\vee}(r, \lambda, \chi)$ can be naturally viewed as an $\mathbb{F}[[S]]$ -module.

Let $\tilde{P} := \text{Proj}_{\mathfrak{C}_{\zeta}(\theta)} \pi^{\vee}(r, \lambda, \chi)$, a projective envelope of $\pi^{\vee}(r, \lambda, \chi)$ in $\mathfrak{C}_{\zeta}(\theta)$, and $\tilde{E} := \text{End}_{\mathfrak{C}_{\zeta}(\theta)}(\tilde{P})$ which acts naturally on \tilde{P} . Then we have an isomorphism $\tilde{P} \otimes_{\theta} \mathbb{F} \cong (\text{Inj}_G \pi(r, \lambda, \chi))^{\vee}$ in $\mathfrak{C}_{\zeta}(\mathbb{F})$. The injection $\theta : \pi_{\infty}(r, \lambda, \chi) \hookrightarrow \text{Inj}_G \pi(r, \lambda, \chi)$ chosen in §2.1 induces a surjection in $\mathfrak{C}_{\zeta}(\theta)$:

$$\theta^{\vee} : \tilde{P} \rightarrow \tilde{P} \otimes_{\theta} \mathbb{F} \rightarrow \pi_{\infty}^{\vee}(r, \lambda, \chi).$$

Define a right ideal of \tilde{E} as follows:

$$J := \{\varphi \in \tilde{E} : \theta^{\vee} \circ \varphi = 0\}.$$

According to Proposition 2.3, J does not depend on the choice of θ .

REMARK 2.8. – Note that \tilde{E} need not be commutative, see [25, §9]. In fact, it is shown in [25] that \tilde{E} is commutative if and only if $(r, \lambda) \neq (p-2, \pm 1)$.

Let W be a smooth \mathbb{F} -representation of K of finite length. Recall from [26, Definition 2.2] the compact left \tilde{E} -module $M(W)$ defined as

$$M(W) := \text{Hom}_{\theta[K]}^{\text{cont}}(\tilde{P}, W^{\vee})^{\vee}.$$

The main result of [11] implies that \tilde{P} is also projective in $\text{Mod}_{K, \zeta}^{\text{pro}}(\theta)$, so that $M(\cdot)$ is an exact functor. Write $\text{Ann}(M(W))$ for the annihilator of $M(W)$ in \tilde{E} , i.e.,

$$\text{Ann}(M(W)) := \{\varphi \in \tilde{E} : u \circ \varphi = 0, \forall u \in \text{Hom}_K(\tilde{P}, W^{\vee})\}.$$

PROPOSITION 2.9. – Let σ be a smooth irreducible \mathbb{F} -representation of K . We have $M(\sigma) \neq 0$ if and only if $\text{Hom}_K(\sigma, \pi(r, \lambda, \chi)) \neq 0$. If this is the case, then $J = \text{Ann}(M(\sigma))$. Moreover, $\tilde{E}/J \cong \mathbb{F}[[S]]$, and J is a (two-sided) prime ideal of \tilde{E} .

Proof. – We write $\pi_n = \pi_n(r, \lambda, \chi)$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{\infty\}$ to simplify the notation.

The first assertion follows from Corollary 2.5 and that $\tilde{P} \otimes_{\theta} \mathbb{F} \cong (\text{Inj}_G \pi(r, \lambda, \chi))^\vee$. Assume $\text{Hom}_K(\sigma, \pi_1) \neq 0$. Dualizing, Corollary 2.5 gives an isomorphism

$$(8) \quad \text{Hom}_{\theta[K]}^{\text{cont}}(\pi_\infty^\vee, \sigma^\vee) \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{Hom}_{\theta[K]}^{\text{cont}}(\tilde{P}, \sigma^\vee)$$

so that $J \subseteq \text{Ann}(M(\sigma))$. Conversely, let $\varphi \in \text{Ann}(M(\sigma))$ and assume $\theta^\vee \circ \varphi \neq 0$. The image of $\theta^\vee \circ \varphi$ is then a non-zero sub-object of π_∞^\vee whose Pontryagin dual is the image of some non-zero morphism $\theta' : \pi_\infty \rightarrow \text{Inj}_G \pi_1$. However, we have $\text{Hom}_K(\sigma, \text{Im}(\theta')) \neq 0$ by Corollaries 2.4 and 2.5, hence $\text{Hom}_{\theta[K]}^{\text{cont}}(\text{Im}(\theta^\vee \circ \varphi), \sigma^\vee) \neq 0$. In view of (8), it contradicts that $\varphi \in \text{Ann}(M(\sigma))$.

For the last assertion, we claim that $M(\sigma)$ is a cyclic \tilde{E} -module. This implies that $M(\sigma) \cong \tilde{E}/\text{Ann}(M(\sigma)) \cong \tilde{E}/J$. However, Lemma 2.7 and the isomorphism (8) give an exact sequence

$$(9) \quad 0 \rightarrow M(\sigma) \rightarrow M(\sigma) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_{\theta[K]}^{\text{cont}}(\pi_1^\vee, \sigma^\vee)^\vee \rightarrow 0.$$

Since $\text{Hom}_{\theta[K]}^{\text{cont}}(\pi_1^\vee, \sigma^\vee)^\vee \cong \mathbb{F}$, we get $M(\sigma) \cong \mathbb{F}[S]$ hence $\tilde{E}/J \cong \mathbb{F}[S]$.

Now we prove the claim. Since we have a natural isomorphism

$$M(\sigma) \otimes_{\tilde{E}} \mathbb{F} \cong \text{Hom}_{\theta[K]}^{\text{cont}}(\tilde{P} \otimes_{\tilde{E}} \mathbb{F}, \sigma^\vee)^\vee$$

by [26, Proposition 2.4], it suffices to show that the latter space, whenever non-zero, is 1-dimensional over \mathbb{F} by Nakayama’s lemma. By the projectivity of \tilde{P} , we can find $x \in \tilde{E}$ which makes the following diagram commutative:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \tilde{P} & \xrightarrow{-x} & \tilde{P} \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \pi_\infty^\vee & \xrightarrow{S} & \pi_\infty^\vee \end{array}$$

Applying $\text{Hom}_{\theta[K]}^{\text{cont}}(*, \sigma^\vee)^\vee$ to the diagram and the cokernels we get using (7) and (8):

$$(10) \quad \dim_{\mathbb{F}} \text{Hom}_{\theta[K]}^{\text{cont}}(\tilde{P}/x\tilde{P}, \sigma^\vee)^\vee = \dim_{\mathbb{F}} \text{Hom}_{\theta[K]}^{\text{cont}}(\pi_1^\vee, \sigma^\vee)^\vee = 1.$$

Since \tilde{E} is a local ring by [25, Corollary 2.5] and x is not an isomorphism (as S is not surjective), x lies in the maximal ideal of \tilde{E} . This implies a natural surjection $\tilde{P}/x\tilde{P} \twoheadrightarrow \tilde{P} \otimes_{\tilde{E}} \mathbb{F}$, and therefore

$$\text{Hom}_{\theta[K]}^{\text{cont}}(\tilde{P}/x\tilde{P}, \sigma^\vee)^\vee \twoheadrightarrow \text{Hom}_{\theta[K]}^{\text{cont}}(\tilde{P} \otimes_{\tilde{E}} \mathbb{F}, \sigma^\vee)^\vee.$$

This proves the claim using (10). □

COROLLARY 2.10. – *For W a non-zero smooth \mathbb{F} -representation of K of finite length, J is the only associated prime ideal of $M(W)$.*

Proof. – It follows from Proposition 2.9 since $M(\cdot)$ is exact. □

2.3. Colmez’s functor

We keep the notation of the preceding subsection. Recall that Colmez ([6]) has defined an exact and covariant functor \mathbf{V} from the category of smooth, finite length representations of G on \mathcal{O} -torsion modules with a central character to the category of continuous finite length representations of $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ on \mathcal{O} -torsion modules. Moreover, if π is an object of finite length in $\text{Mod}_{G, \zeta}^{\text{sm}}(\mathcal{O})$, then the determinant of $\mathbf{V}(\pi)$ is equal to $\epsilon\zeta$. Following Paškūnas [26, §3], we define an exact covariant functor $\check{\mathbf{V}} : \mathfrak{C}_\zeta(\mathcal{O}) \rightarrow \text{Rep}_{G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}}(\mathcal{O})$ as follows: for $M \in \mathfrak{C}_\zeta(\mathcal{O})$ of finite length, we let $\check{\mathbf{V}}(M) := \mathbf{V}(M^\vee)^\vee(\epsilon\zeta)$ where \vee denotes the Pontryagin dual. For general $M \in \mathfrak{C}_\zeta(\mathcal{O})$, write $M = \varprojlim M_i$ with M_i of finite length in $\mathfrak{C}_\zeta(\mathcal{O})$ and define $\check{\mathbf{V}}(M) := \varprojlim \check{\mathbf{V}}(M_i)$.

PROPOSITION 2.11. – *The $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ -representation $\check{\mathbf{V}}(\pi_\infty^\vee(r, \lambda, \chi))$ is of rank 1 over $\mathbb{F}[[S]]$ and isomorphic to $\chi\mu_{S+\lambda}^{-1}$, where $\mu_{S+\lambda} : G_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \rightarrow \mathbb{F}[[S]]^\times$ is the unramified character sending geometric Frobenii to $S + \lambda$.*

Proof. – By the proof of [20, 1.5.9], $\mathbf{V}(I_\chi(\text{Sym}^r \mathbb{F}^2)/(T - \lambda)^n)$ is isomorphic to the character

$$\chi\omega^{r+1}\mu_{S+\lambda} : G_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \rightarrow (\mathbb{F}[[S]]/S^n)^\times.$$

Using the fact that ζ reduces to $\chi^2\omega^r$, this implies by definition that

$$\check{\mathbf{V}}((I_\chi(\text{Sym}^r \mathbb{F}^2)/(T - \lambda)^n)^\vee) = (\chi\omega^{r+1}\mu_{S+\lambda})^{-1} \cdot (\omega\chi^2\omega^r) = \chi\mu_{S+\lambda}^{-1}.$$

The result follows by passing to the limit. □

As in [20, §1.5], denote by $\bar{\tau}$ the pseudo-representation defined by

$$\chi\omega^{r+1}\mu_\lambda + \chi\mu_{\lambda-1}$$

and by $R^{\text{ps}, \zeta}(\bar{\tau})$ the universal pseudo-deformation ring with fixed determinant $\epsilon\zeta$ (see §3.2 for more details). It follows from results of [25] that $\tilde{E} \cong R^{\text{ps}, \zeta}(\bar{\tau})$ if $(r, \lambda) \neq (p - 2, \pm 1)$ and $R^{\text{ps}, \zeta}(\bar{\tau}) \hookrightarrow \tilde{E}$ otherwise (note that the definition of $R^{\text{ps}, \zeta}(\bar{\tau})$ in [25] is slightly different from ours). Recall that Proposition 2.9 gives a surjective ring morphism $\tilde{E} \twoheadrightarrow \mathbb{F}[[S]]$, which we denote by $\tilde{\theta}$.

COROLLARY 2.12. – *Assume (H) and moreover that $(r, \lambda) \neq (p - 2, \pm 1)$. Then, via the natural isomorphism $\tilde{E} \cong R^{\text{ps}, \zeta}(\bar{\tau})$, the map $\tilde{\theta} : \tilde{E} \rightarrow \mathbb{F}[[S]]$ coincides with the map $\theta : R^{\text{ps}, \zeta}(\bar{\tau}) \rightarrow \mathbb{F}[[S]]$ constructed in [20, 1.5.11].*

Proof. – The isomorphism $\tilde{E} \cong R^{\text{ps}, \zeta}(\bar{\tau})$ in [25] is compatible with Colmez’s functor, namely it is given by

$$\check{\mathbf{V}} : \tilde{E} = \text{End}_{\mathfrak{C}_\zeta(\mathcal{O})}(\tilde{P}) \cong \text{End}_{G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}}(\check{\mathbf{V}}(\tilde{P})) \cong R^{\text{ps}, \zeta}(\bar{\tau}).$$

The corollary follows since both $\tilde{\theta}$ and θ induce the same pseudo-deformation of $\bar{\tau}$ over $\mathbb{F}[[S]]$ by Proposition 2.11 and [20, 1.5.11] (taking the determinant into account). □

3. The versal and pseudo-deformation rings

Let $\bar{\rho} : G_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \rightarrow \mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{F})$ be a (continuous) representation. We aim to describe the versal deformation rings for various $\bar{\rho}$ explicitly, and then construct maps between them. For these we follow the methods of [2] and [25, Appendix B].

3.1. The versal deformation rings

We refer the reader to [23] for the general theory of Galois deformations. The deformation functor $D(\bar{\rho})$ on the category of Artinian local \mathcal{O} -algebras with residue field \mathbb{F} always has a versal hull $R^{\mathrm{ver}} = R^{\mathrm{ver}}(\bar{\rho})$, which is unique up to *non-canonical* isomorphisms.

In the rest of this section, we always assume that $\bar{\rho}$ is of the form $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & * \\ 0 & \omega \end{pmatrix}$ or $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ * & \omega \end{pmatrix}$. It is obvious that the deformation functor $D(\bar{\rho})$ is representable by a universal deformation ring if $\bar{\rho}$ is non-split, and has only a versal hull otherwise.

Denote by $L \subset \bar{\mathbb{Q}}_p$ the fixed field of $\mathrm{Ker}(\bar{\rho})$, and write $H = \mathrm{Gal}(L/\mathbb{Q}_p)$. Let $U \subset H$ be its p -Sylow subgroup, which is isomorphic to \mathbb{F}_p if $\bar{\rho}$ is a non-split extension, and is trivial otherwise. Write F as the fixed field of $\mathrm{Ker} \omega$. Then the quotient $C = \mathrm{Gal}(F/\mathbb{Q}_p)$ is isomorphic to \mathbb{F}_p^\times . For a deformation ρ_A to (A, \mathfrak{m}) , the image of $G_F \subset G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ thus has diagonal entries lying in $1 + \mathfrak{m}$ and the lower left (resp. upper right) entry lying in \mathfrak{m} , hence ρ_A factors through $\mathrm{Gal}(F(p)/\mathbb{Q}_p)$, with $F(p)$ the composition of all the finite extensions of F whose degrees are powers of p . As the order of C is prime to p , we can and do fix an isomorphism

$$\mathrm{Gal}(F(p)/\mathbb{Q}_p) \cong G_F(p) \rtimes C.$$

Here $G_F(p)$ denotes $\mathrm{Gal}(F(p)/F)$. We regard C as a subgroup of $\mathrm{GL}_2(R)$ for any complete Noetherian local ring R , via the map

$$g \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \tilde{\omega}_C(g) \end{pmatrix}$$

where $\tilde{\omega}_C : C \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_p^\times$ is the Teichmüller lifting of $\omega|_C : C \rightarrow \mathbb{F}_p^\times$.

A pro- p group D is called a Demuškin group if $\dim_{\mathbb{F}_p} H^1(D, \mathbb{F}_p) := n(D) < \infty$, $\dim_{\mathbb{F}_p} H^2(D, \mathbb{F}_p) = 1$, and the cup product

$$H^1(D, \mathbb{F}_p) \times H^1(D, \mathbb{F}_p) \xrightarrow{\cup} H^2(D, \mathbb{F}_p)$$

is a non-degenerate bilinear form. Since we assume $p \neq 2$, the Demuškin group D is determined (up to isomorphism) by $n(D)$ and $t(D)$, where $t(D)$ denotes the order of the torsion subgroup of D^{ab} . Namely, D is isomorphic to the pro- p group with $n(D)$ generators $t_1, \dots, t_{n(D)}$ and one relation

$$t_1^{t(D)} [t_1, t_2] [t_3, t_4] \cdots [t_{n(D)-1}, t_{n(D)}] = 1,$$

where $[t_i, t_j] = t_i^{-1} t_j^{-1} t_i t_j$ are commutators; see [21, Theorem 3]. It is well-known (see e.g., [21, Theorem 7]) that $G_F(p)$ is a Demuškin group, for which $n(G_F(p)) = p + 1$ and $t(G_F(p)) = p$.

For a pro- p group \mathcal{F} , define a filtration $\{\mathcal{F}_i\}_{i \geq 1}$ by setting

$$\mathcal{F}_1 = \mathcal{F}, \quad \mathcal{F}_i = \mathcal{F}_{i-1}^p [\mathcal{F}_{i-1}, \mathcal{F}], \quad \mathrm{gr}_i \mathcal{F} = \mathcal{F}_i / \mathcal{F}_{i+1}.$$

The Frattini quotient $\text{gr}_1 \mathcal{F}$ will play an important role in the following. By [2, Lemma 3.1] the action on \mathcal{F} of a group of order prime to p is determined by the action on $\text{gr}_1 \mathcal{F}$, up to inner automorphisms of \mathcal{F} .

We choose \mathcal{F} to be a free pro- p group in $p + 1$ generators, and a surjection

$$\phi : \mathcal{F} \rightarrow G_F(p)$$

whose kernel \mathcal{R} is generated by a single element $r \in \mathcal{F}$. We see that $\text{gr}_1 \mathcal{F} \simeq \text{gr}_1 G_F(p)$, hence $r \in \mathcal{I}_2$. By [2, Lemma 3.1], the C -action on $G_F(p)$ extends uniquely to \mathcal{F} and makes ϕ a C -equivariant homomorphism, hence gives a homomorphism

$$(11) \quad \phi : \mathcal{F} \rtimes C \rightarrow G_F(p) \rtimes C \simeq \text{Gal}(F(p)/\mathbb{Q}_p).$$

We will relate r with the Demuškin relation.

The local class field theory and the C -module structure of $G_F(p)^{\text{ab}}$ determined by Iwasawa [16, Theorem 1] give the following result.

LEMMA 3.1. – *There is a natural isomorphism of $\mathbb{F}_p[C]$ -modules*

$$\text{gr}_1 \mathcal{F} \simeq \text{gr}_1 G_F(p) \simeq \mathbb{F}_p \oplus \mu_p \oplus \mathbb{F}_p[C]$$

such that μ_p is the image of the torsion subgroup of $G_F(p)^{\text{ab}}$ under the projection $G_F(p)^{\text{ab}} \rightarrow \text{gr}_1 G_F(p)$ on which C acts by ω , and $\mathbb{F}_p[C]$ is the image of the 2nd ramification subgroup $I_{F,2}$ of the inertia I_F .

(GEN) Fix generators ξ_0, \dots, ξ_p of $\text{gr}_1 G_F(p)$ so that ξ_1 generates μ_p and ξ_2, \dots, ξ_p generate $\mathbb{F}_p[C]$, and such that C acts on ξ_i by ω^i .

We remark that Lemma 3.2 below is the best one can achieve, when choosing generators of \mathcal{F} that respect both C -actions and the Demuškin relation; cf. [2, Proposition 3.6].

LEMMA 3.2. – *There exist generators t_0, \dots, t_p in \mathcal{F} lifting ξ_0, \dots, ξ_p such that*

- (i) $\forall i \in \{0, \dots, p\}, \forall g \in C$, we have $gt_i g^{-1} = t_i^{\tilde{\omega}_C^i(g)}$.
- (ii) *The element $r_D := t_1^p [t_0, t_p] [t_1, t_{p-1}] \cdots [t_{\frac{p-1}{2}}, t_{\frac{p+1}{2}}]$ is congruent to r modulo \mathcal{I}_3 .*

Proof. – Take a lifting $t_0, \dots, t_p \in \mathcal{F}$ so that the C -actions are as in (i), which is achievable as C is of order prime to p ; recall [2, Lemma 3.1]. That they may be chosen to satisfy (ii) follows essentially from [21, Proposition 3] (see also [26, Lemma B.1]), where it is shown how the cup product $H^1(D, \mathbb{F}_p) \times H^1(D, \mathbb{F}_p) \rightarrow H^2(D, \mathbb{F}_p)$ for a Demuškin group D is determined by the image of an element of \mathcal{I}_2 modulo \mathcal{I}_3 . Namely, the image in $\mathcal{I}_2/\mathcal{I}_3$ of such an element must be of the form of Demuškin relation (up to rescaling), and it defines an isomorphism $H^2(D, \mathbb{F}_p) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathbb{F}_p$. It is then easy to see that r_D defines the same cup product on $H^1(G_F(p), \mathbb{F}_p) \times H^1(G_F(p), \mathbb{F}_p)$ as that defined by r , hence has the same image as r modulo \mathcal{I}_3 . □

To construct the (uni-)versal deformations for some $\bar{\rho}$ with semi-simplification $\mathbb{1} \oplus \omega$, we first introduce the following general result.

PROPOSITION 3.3. – *Let R be a complete Noetherian local \mathcal{O} -algebra with residue field \mathbb{F} . Suppose there are matrices m_i in $\mathrm{GL}_2(R)$ which satisfy the following conditions:*

- (1) *C -actions: $gm_i g^{-1} = m_i^{\tilde{\omega}_C^i(g)}, \forall g \in C$.*
- (2) *Demuškin relation: $m_1^p [m_0, m_p] [m_1, m_{p-1}] \cdots [m_{\frac{p-1}{2}}, m_{\frac{p+1}{2}}] = 1$.*

Then we have

(i) *The assignment $t_i \mapsto m_i$ ($i = 0, \dots, p$) is a C -equivariant group homomorphism, hence defines a homomorphism $\alpha_R : \mathcal{F} \rtimes C \rightarrow \mathrm{GL}_2(R)$, which satisfies that $\alpha_R(r) \in \alpha_R(\mathcal{F}_3)$.*

(ii) *There is a continuous homomorphism*

$$\rho_R : \mathrm{Gal}(F(p)/\mathbb{Q}_p) \rightarrow \mathrm{GL}_2(R)$$

and a continuous homomorphism

$$\phi' : \mathcal{F} \rtimes C \rightarrow \mathrm{Gal}(F(p)/\mathbb{Q}_p)$$

with the properties $\mathrm{Ker} \phi' \in \mathcal{F}_2$, $\alpha_R = \rho_R \circ \phi'$, and $\phi' \equiv \phi \pmod{\mathcal{F}_3}$.

(iii) *Moreover, ϕ' can be chosen uniformly for various R if $\bigcap_R \mathrm{Ker} \alpha_R$ is non-empty.*

Proof. – (i) follows from (1) and (2); we have $\alpha_R(r) \in \alpha_R(\mathcal{F}_3)$ by Lemma 3.2(ii) and that $r_D \in \mathrm{Ker} \alpha_R$.

(ii) and (iii) can be obtained by the proof of [2, Proposition 3.8], with $\mathrm{Ker} \alpha$ *loc.cit.* replaced by the intersection of the $\mathrm{Ker} \alpha_R$'s; the intersection is taken for the uniformness of ϕ' . More precisely, we first note that C acts on $H^2(G_F(p), \mathbb{F}_p)$ by ω^{-1} , since the latter is the \mathbb{F}_p -dual of μ_p on which C acts by ω . Thus, by the discussion on [2, Page 118], C acts on r by $\tilde{\omega}$. Now, for any $i \geq 2$, form the composite N_i of \mathcal{F}_i and $\bigcap_R \mathrm{Ker} \alpha_R$. Then [2, Lemma 3.2] shows that there is an element $r_i \in N_i$ on which C acts as $\tilde{\omega}$, and $r_i \equiv r \pmod{\mathcal{F}_i}$ for any $i \geq 2$, hence all $r_i \in \mathcal{F}_2$.

Denote by C_{r_i} the closure of $\{r_j\}_{j \geq i}$ in $N_i \cap \mathcal{F}_2$. Then $I := \bigcap_{i \geq 2} C_{r_i}$ is non-empty by the compactness of \mathcal{F} , and lies in $(\bigcap_R \mathrm{Ker} \alpha_R) \cap \mathcal{F}_2$. Note that C acts on any element in C_{r_i} (for any $i \geq 2$) via $\tilde{\omega}$, because the set $\{x \in \mathcal{F} \mid g \cdot x = x^{\tilde{\omega}(g)}, \forall g \in G\}$ is closed. Thus C acts on any element in I via $\tilde{\omega}$. Furthermore, an element in I is congruent to r modulo \mathcal{F}_3 by the construction of r_i 's, hence \mathcal{F} modulo such an element defines a Demuškin group which is isomorphic to $G_F(p)$, by [21, Proposition 3]. Then, \mathcal{F} modulo an element in $I \subset \mathcal{F}_2$ gives the wanted homomorphisms ϕ' and ρ_R . □

Depending on the shapes of the representations $\bar{\rho}$, the (candidates for) versal deformations and deformation rings are listed below.

For each $R = R^{\mathrm{ver}}, R^1, R^{\mathrm{peu}}$ and the matrices m_i in $\mathrm{GL}_2(R)$ below, direct computation shows that the conditions (1) and (2) in Proposition 3.3 are satisfied. (We refer the reader to [2, Lemma 5.3 (i)-(iii)] for more details on the choices of these matrices.) Moreover, the intersection $\bigcap_R \mathrm{Ker} \alpha_R$ of these rings is non-empty, because, for instance, t_2 lies in it. Therefore Proposition 3.3 applies.

3.1.1. *The split case.* – Let $\bar{\rho}$ be $\mathbb{1} \oplus \omega$. We pick indeterminate variables $a_0, a_1, b, c_0, c_1, d_0, d_1$ and write

$$\begin{aligned}
 m_0 &= (1 + a_0)^{1/2} \begin{pmatrix} (1 + d_0)^{1/2} & 0 \\ 0 & (1 + d_0)^{-1/2} \end{pmatrix}, & m_1 &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ c_0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \\
 m_{p-1} &= (1 + a_1)^{1/2} \begin{pmatrix} (1 - p + d_1)^{1/2} & 0 \\ 0 & (1 - p + d_1)^{-1/2} \end{pmatrix}, & m_p &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ c_1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \\
 m_{p-2} &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & b \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, & m_2 &= \cdots = m_{p-3} = I_{2 \times 2}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Set

$$R^{\text{ver}} = \frac{\mathcal{O}[[a_0, a_1, b, c_0, c_1, d_0, d_1]]}{(c_0 d_1 - c_1 d_0)}.$$

By the description above, the same proof as in [25, B.4] shows that the reducibility ideal of R^{ver} is (bc_0, bc_1) , that is, for $x : R^{\text{ver}} \rightarrow E$ a closed point, the corresponding deformation ρ_x is reducible if and only if $(bc_0, bc_1) \subset \text{Ker } x$.

3.1.2. *The non-split cases.* – (1) Assume $\bar{\rho}$ is a non-split extension of ω by $\mathbb{1}$ (unique up to scalar as $p \geq 5$). Pick indeterminate variables $a_0, a_1, c_0, c_1, d_0, d_1$. Set m_0, \dots, m_p as in the split case, except that we replace $m_{p-2} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & b \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ with $m_{p-2} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$.

Set

$$R^1 = \frac{\mathcal{O}[[a_0, a_1, c_0, c_1, d_0, d_1]]}{(c_0 d_1 - c_1 d_0)}.$$

One sees easily that the reduction of ρ_{R^1} given by Proposition 3.3 is a non-split extension of ω by $\mathbb{1}$. Similarly as before, we have that the reducibility ideal of R^1 is (c_0, c_1) .

(2) Assume $\bar{\rho}$ is a non-split extension $0 \rightarrow \omega \rightarrow \bar{\rho} \rightarrow \mathbb{1} \rightarrow 0$. We know that $\text{Ext}_{G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}}^1(\mathbb{1}, \omega) \simeq H^1(G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}, \omega)$ is of dimension 2, so $\bar{\rho}$ could be either *peu ramifié* or *très ramifié* extensions, as defined by Serre [31, §2.4]. We recall the definition below.

Write $K_0 = \mathbb{Q}_p^{\text{ur}}$ the maximal unramified extension of \mathbb{Q}_p , and $K_t = K_0(\mu_p)$ the tamely ramified field. Then Kummer theory tells us that the Galois representation $\bar{\rho}|_{\text{Gal}(\bar{\mathbb{Q}}_p/K_t)}$ must factor through $\text{Gal}(K/K_t)$ for some K of the form

$$K = K_t(x_1^{1/p}, \dots, x_m^{1/p}) \quad \text{for } x_i \in K_0^\times / (K_0^\times)^p,$$

for some $m \geq 1$. We then say $\bar{\rho}$ is *peu ramifié* if $p|v_p(x_i)$ for each i , and say the associated element in $H^1(G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}, \omega)$ is a *peu ramifié* extension. A *peu ramifié* extension is unique up to scalars. Depending on context, we sometimes call the trivial extension $\mathbb{1} \oplus \omega$ a *peu ramifié* extension. All the other extensions are called *très ramifié* extensions.

The following equivalent variation of Serre’s definition is easy to obtain.

LEMMA 3.4. – *An extension $0 \rightarrow \omega \rightarrow \bar{\rho} \rightarrow \mathbb{1} \rightarrow 0$ is peu ramifié if and only if the image of the 2nd ramification subgroup $I_{F,2} \subset \text{Gal}(\bar{\mathbb{Q}}_p/K_t)$ under $\bar{\rho}$ is trivial.*

Proof. – First recall from Lemma 3.1 that the image of I_F (or equivalently, that of the wild inertia $I_{F,1}$) in $\text{gr}_1 G_F(p)$ is isomorphic to $\mu_p \oplus \mathbb{F}_p[C]$ as $\mathbb{F}_p[C]$ -modules, and that under the same reduction the 2nd ramification subgroup $I_{F,2}$ is mapped onto $\mathbb{F}_p[C]$ and the p -torsion subgroup of $I_{F,1}$ is mapped onto μ_p .

Let H be the kernel of the projection $I_{F,1} \twoheadrightarrow \mu_p \subset \text{gr}_1 G_F(p)$ and K be the fixed field of H . Then $H = I_{F,2}$ and K is an abelian extension over K_t of degree p . Moreover, since K_t contains the p -th roots of unity, K is a Kummer extension and of the form $K = K_t(u^{1/p})$ with $u \in K_0^\times / (K_0^\times)^p$. We then have the 2nd ramification subgroup $\text{Gal}(K/K_t)_2 = \{1\}$ by [30, p. 68, Corollary]. On the other hand, it is elementary to check that $\text{Gal}(K_t(u^{1/p})/K_t)_2 = \{1\}$ if and only if $v_p(u) = 0 \pmod p$. The claim follows. \square

REMARK 3.5. – *By Kummer theory, we have the isomorphism*

$$\mathbb{Q}_p^\times / (\mathbb{Q}_p^\times)^p \xrightarrow{\sim} H^1(G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}, \omega), \quad u \mapsto (g \mapsto g(u^{1/p})/u^{1/p}).$$

Then the image of $\mathbb{Z}_p^\times / (\mathbb{Z}_p^\times)^p$ in $H^1(G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}, \omega)$ is the peu ramifié line. Hence a peu ramifié extension $\bar{\rho}$ must factor through $\text{Gal}(\mathbb{Q}_p(\mu_p, (1-p)^{1/p})/\mathbb{Q}_p)$; take $u = 1-p$ in the proof of Lemma 3.4.

Assume $\bar{\rho}$ is a non-split extension of $\mathbb{1}$ by ω which is peu ramifié. We pick indeterminate variables a_0, a_1, x_1, x_2, x_3 and write

$$\begin{aligned} m_0 &= (1+a_0)^{1/2} \begin{pmatrix} (1+x_1)^{1/2} & 0 \\ 0 & (1+x_1)^{-1/2} \end{pmatrix}, & m_1 &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \\ m_{p-1} &= (1+a_1)^{1/2} \begin{pmatrix} (1-p+x_1x_2)^{1/2} & 0 \\ 0 & (1-p+x_1x_2)^{-1/2} \end{pmatrix}, & m_p &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ x_2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \\ m_{p-2} &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & x_3 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, & m_2 &= \dots = m_{p-3} = I_{2 \times 2}. \end{aligned}$$

Set

$$R^{\text{peu}} = \mathcal{O}[[a_0, a_1, x_1, x_2, x_3]].$$

The reducibility ideal of R^{peu} is (x_3) .

By Lemma 3.4, (GEN) and the choices m_i , the deformation $\rho_{R^{\text{peu}}}$ obtained via Proposition 3.3 reduces to the peu ramifié extension $\bar{\rho}$ modulo the maximal ideal of R^{peu} (up to isomorphism). This justifies the notation $\rho_{R^{\text{peu}}}$.

COROLLARY 3.6. – *The rings $R = R^{\text{ver}}, R^1, R^{\text{peu}}$ in §§3.1.1, 3.1.2 are the (uni-)versal deformation rings of the corresponding $\bar{\rho}$, and the continuous homomorphisms ρ_R obtained via Proposition 3.3 are the associated (uni-)versal deformations.*

Proof. – This is by the same proof as in [2, Theorem 6.2]. \square

We need to consider the deformations with fixed determinants, which is needed to link the deformation rings to p -adic Langlands correspondence.

COROLLARY 3.7. – *Keep the notation above. Let $\psi : G_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}^\times$ be a continuous character whose reduction mod ϖ is equal to $\mathbb{1}$, and let $D(\bar{\rho})^\psi$ be the sub-functor of $D(\bar{\rho})$ parametrizing the deformations with determinants equal to $\epsilon\psi$. Then the functor $D(\bar{\rho})^\psi$ is (pro-)represented by the quotient of R by $(a_0 - \alpha_0, a_1 - \alpha_1)$ for some $\alpha_0, \alpha_1 \in \varpi\mathcal{O}$.*

Proof. – This is clear by the choice of the matrices $m_i = \alpha_R(t_i)$. □

3.2. Comparison of various deformation rings

Let $\bar{\rho} : G_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \rightarrow \mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{F})$ be the representation as before. Define $D^{\mathrm{ps}} = D^{\mathrm{ps}}(\mathrm{tr}\bar{\rho})$ as the functor from the category of Artinian local \mathcal{O} -algebras A with residue field \mathbb{F} to the category of sets of pseudo-deformations of $\mathrm{tr}\bar{\rho}$, which is always (pro-)represented by a complete Noetherian local \mathcal{O} -algebra $R^{\mathrm{ps}} = R^{\mathrm{ps}}(\mathrm{tr}\bar{\rho})$, equipped with the universal pseudo-deformation T^{univ} . Furthermore, we define $D^{\mathrm{ps},\psi}$ to be the sub-functor of D^{ps} parametrizing the pseudo-deformations $T \in D^{\mathrm{ps}}(A)$ such that $\epsilon\psi(g)$ is mapped to $\frac{T^2(g) - T(g^2)}{2}$ under the structure morphism. The Noetherian local \mathcal{O} -algebra representing $D^{\mathrm{ps},\psi}$ is denoted by $R^{\mathrm{ps},\psi}$ and the corresponding universal pseudo-deformation is denoted by $T^{\mathrm{univ},\psi}$.

By the constructions in §§3.1.1, 3.1.2 and Proposition 3.3, we will write down the maps among various (pseudo-)deformation rings, adapting the idea of [25, Appendix B].

3.2.1. *The map f^1 .* – First consider a non-split extension $0 \rightarrow \mathbb{1} \rightarrow \bar{\rho}^1 \rightarrow \omega \rightarrow 0$. The construction of $R^1 = R^{\mathrm{ver}}(\bar{\rho}^1)$ provides the following description of the pseudo-deformation ring $R^{\mathrm{ps}} = R^{\mathrm{ps}}(\mathrm{tr}\bar{\rho})$.

PROPOSITION 3.8. – *The natural homomorphism $R^{\mathrm{ps}} \rightarrow R^1$ given by taking traces is an isomorphism and induces the isomorphism*

$$f^1 : R^{\mathrm{ps},\psi} \simeq R^{1,\psi}.$$

Proof. – This is [25, Proposition B.15]. □

We identify $R^{\mathrm{ps},\psi} = R^{1,\psi}$ from now on, hence have an isomorphism

$$(12) \quad R^{\mathrm{ps},\psi} \cong \mathcal{O}[[c_0, c_1, d_0, d_1]] / (c_0d_1 - c_1d_0).$$

Recall that we have defined in §2.2 a prime ideal J of $R^{\mathrm{ps},\psi}$, the kernel of the map $\theta : R^{\mathrm{ps},\psi} \rightarrow \mathbb{F}[[S]]$. (Here we have taken ζ *loc. cit.* to be ψ , whose reduction mod ϖ is trivial.)

LEMMA 3.9. – *Under the identification (12), we have $J = (\varpi, c_0, c_1, d_1)$.*

Proof. – First, $\varpi \in J$ as the image of θ is $\mathbb{F}[[S]]$. Since c_0, c_1 lie in the reducibility ideal, they lie in J . By Proposition 2.11, the image of the inertia I_F under $\theta \circ T^{\mathrm{univ},\psi}$ is trivial as χ is trivial in our case. By Lemma 3.1 and the choice **(GEN)** of generators of $\mathrm{gr}_1\mathcal{F} \simeq \mathrm{gr}_1G_F(p)$ (and [2, Lemma 3.1] again), the image $t'_{p-1} = \phi'(t_{p-1}) \in G_F(p)$ of $t_{p-1} \in \mathcal{F}$ comes from I_F , hence has trivial action under $\theta \circ T^{\mathrm{univ},\psi}$. Thus we have $\theta(d_1) = 0$, noting that $T^{\mathrm{univ},\psi}(t'_{p-1}) = (1 + \alpha_1)^{1/2}((1 - p + d_1)^{1/2} + (1 - p + d_1)^{-1/2})$ with $\alpha_1 \in \varpi\mathcal{O}$ by Corollary 3.7, and $\theta(p) = 0$. We thus get the inclusion $(\varpi, c_0, c_1, d_1) \subseteq J$, from which the result follows since they have the same height. □

3.2.2. *The map f^{peu} .* – Let $\bar{\rho}^{\text{peu}}$ be a (non-split) peu ramifié extension. By the construction of $R^{\text{peu},\psi} \cong \mathcal{O}[[x_1, x_2, x_3]]$ in §3.1.2, the ideal of $R^{\text{peu},\psi}$ generated by the (1, 2)-entry of $\rho_{R^{\text{peu},\psi}}(g)$ for all $g \in G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ is just (x_3) , so the conjugation

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_3^{-1} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \rho_{R^{\text{peu},\psi}} \begin{pmatrix} x_3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

still takes values in $R^{\text{peu},\psi}$. We check easily that this gives a representation on $R^{\text{peu},\psi}$ whose residual representation is a non-split extension of ω by $\mathbb{1}$, hence induces a ring homomorphism $R^{1,\psi} \rightarrow R^{\text{peu},\psi}$. It is seen at the same time that $\begin{pmatrix} x_3^{-1} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \rho_{R^{\text{peu},\psi}} \begin{pmatrix} x_3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ is isomorphic to the base change to $R^{\text{peu},\psi}$ of the universal representation on $R^{1,\psi}$. By Proposition 3.3(iii) and the fact that taking conjugation does not change traces, the composition of the above map with (12) gives us the trace map:

$$(13) \quad f^{\text{peu}} : R^{\text{ps},\psi} \simeq \frac{\mathcal{O}[[c_0, c_1, d_0, d_1]]}{(c_0 d_1 - c_1 d_0)} \hookrightarrow R^{\text{peu},\psi},$$

$$c_0 \mapsto x_3, \quad c_1 \mapsto x_2 x_3, \quad d_0 \mapsto x_1, \quad d_1 \mapsto x_1 x_2.$$

3.2.3. *The map f^{ver} .* – Assume $\bar{\rho} = \mathbb{1} \oplus \omega$ is split. As in §3.2.2, one checks, using the construction in §§3.1.1, 3.1.2 and Proposition 3.3, that the conjugation by $\begin{pmatrix} b & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ on the universal representation $\rho_{R^{\text{ver},\psi}}$ gives a map $R^{1,\psi} \rightarrow R^{\text{ver},\psi}$, hence the trace map:

$$(14) \quad f^{\text{ver}} : R^{\text{ps},\psi} \rightarrow R^{\text{ver},\psi}, \quad c_i \mapsto b c_i, \quad d_i \mapsto d_i, \quad i = 0, 1.$$

By Lemma 3.9, $R^{\text{ver},\psi} / JR^{\text{ver},\psi}$ has three minimal prime ideals:

$$(15) \quad \mathfrak{p}_1 = (\varpi, c_0, c_1, d_1), \quad \mathfrak{p}_2 = (\varpi, b, c_1, d_1), \quad \mathfrak{p}_3 = (\varpi, b, d_0, d_1).$$

In fact, one checks that $JR^{\text{ver},\psi} = \mathfrak{p}_1 \cap \mathfrak{p}_2 \cap \mathfrak{p}_3$. Write

$$(16) \quad f_i^{\text{ver}} : R^{\text{ps},\psi} \rightarrow R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver},\psi}$$

for the induced homomorphism. The following property of f_1^{ver} and f_2^{ver} will be used in the proof of the Breuil-Mézard conjecture later.

PROPOSITION 3.10. – *For $i = 1, 2$, f_i^{ver} is flat, and for any radical ideal \mathfrak{a} of R^{ps} , $\mathfrak{a}R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}$ is still radical.*

Proof. – We only prove the claim for \mathfrak{p}_1 ; the proof for \mathfrak{p}_2 goes over verbatim. Note that $R_J^{\text{ps},\psi}$ is a regular local ring, because its Krull dimension is 3 and its maximal ideal is generated by ϖ, c_0, d_1 (as $c_1 = c_0 d_1 d_0^{-1}$). Also, $R_{\mathfrak{p}_1}^{\text{ver},\psi}$ is Cohen-Macaulay since it is a localization of a Cohen-Macaulay ring. Since $(f^{\text{ver}})^{-1}(\mathfrak{p}_1) = J$, the map $f_1^{\text{ver}} : R^{\text{ps},\psi} \rightarrow R_{\mathfrak{p}_1}^{\text{ver},\psi}$ factors as

$$R^{\text{ps},\psi} \hookrightarrow R_J^{\text{ps},\psi} \rightarrow R_{\mathfrak{p}_1}^{\text{ver},\psi},$$

where the second map is a local homomorphism. The first map is clearly flat. The second map is also flat by [22, Theorem 23.1], since one checks directly that $\dim R_{\mathfrak{p}_1}^{\text{ver},\psi} = \dim R_J^{\text{ps},\psi} + \dim R_{\mathfrak{p}_1}^{\text{ver},\psi} / JR_{\mathfrak{p}_1}^{\text{ver},\psi} = 3$. In fact, since $JR_{\mathfrak{p}_1}^{\text{ver},\psi} = \mathfrak{p}_1 R_{\mathfrak{p}_1}^{\text{ver},\psi}$, the quotient ring $R_{\mathfrak{p}_1}^{\text{ver},\psi} / JR_{\mathfrak{p}_1}^{\text{ver},\psi}$ is a field. Thus the map f_1^{ver} is flat.

Recall [15, Theorem 2.1]: Let $u : A \rightarrow B$ be a local flat morphism of Noetherian local rings, with A a Nagata ring. If $B/\mathfrak{m}_A B$ is a geometrically reduced A/\mathfrak{m}_A -algebra, then u is a reduced morphism (see [15, Definition 1.1] for its definition), which in particular sends radical ideals to radical ideals.

For the second assertion, we first note that $\mathfrak{a}R_J^{\text{ps},\psi}$ is a radical ideal. Hence, it suffices to check that the map $R_J^{\text{ps},\psi} \rightarrow R_{\mathfrak{p}_1}^{\text{ver},\psi}$ sends radical ideals to radical ideals. The last map is a flat local morphism of Noetherian local rings. The ring $R_J^{\text{ps},\psi}$ is a Nagata ring, since it is a localization of a complete Noetherian local ring; see [3, Chapitre IX, §4, n°4]. By [15, Theorem 2.1], we only need to show that $R_{\mathfrak{p}_1}^{\text{ver},\psi}/JR_{\mathfrak{p}_1}^{\text{ver},\psi} \simeq \mathbb{F}((d_0, b))$, the field of fractions of $R^{\text{ver},\psi}/\mathfrak{p}_1 \simeq \mathbb{F}[[d_0, b]]$, is geometrically reduced over $R_J^{\text{ps},\psi}/JR_J^{\text{ps},\psi} \simeq \mathbb{F}((d_0)) =: k$. To see this, let k' be any finite extension of k . Then $k' \otimes_k k((b))$ is reduced since it is a field. But we have the inclusion $k' \otimes_k \mathbb{F}((d_0, b)) \subset k' \otimes_k k((b))$ by the flatness of k' over k , which implies that $k' \otimes_k \mathbb{F}((d_0, b))$ is also reduced. \square

REMARK 3.11. – One sees easily that the induced homomorphism $f_3^{\text{ver}} : R^{\text{ps},\psi} \rightarrow R_{\mathfrak{p}_3}^{\text{ver},\psi}$ is not flat.

REMARK 3.12. – In the case that $\bar{\rho}$ is split generic, that is, $\bar{\rho} \cong \chi_1 \oplus \chi_2$ with $\chi_1\chi_2^{-1} \notin \{\mathbb{1}, \omega^{\pm 1}\}$, the situation is similar and in fact simpler. More precisely, using the machinery above, one gets, after choosing parameters, that $R^{\text{ps},\psi} = \mathcal{O}[[y_1, y_2, y_3]]$ and $R^{\text{ver},\psi} = \mathcal{O}[[b, y_1, y_2, y_3]]$. By a similar construction as in §§3.1.1, 3.1.2, taking traces induces the homomorphism

$$f^{\text{ver}} : R^{\text{ps},\psi} \hookrightarrow R^{\text{ver},\psi}, \quad y_1 \mapsto y_1, \quad y_2 \mapsto y_2, \quad y_3 \mapsto by_3.$$

One then sees that f^{ver} is flat and maps radical ideals to radical ideals.

3.2.4. The maps γ_i . – Consider the ideals \mathfrak{p}_2 and \mathfrak{p}_3 of $R^{\text{ver},\psi}$. Meanwhile, one checks that $R^{\text{peu}}/JR^{\text{peu}}$ has two minimal prime ideals, which we denote by $\mathfrak{q}_2, \mathfrak{q}_3$ (notation chosen to be consistent with $\mathfrak{p}_2, \mathfrak{p}_3$):

$$\mathfrak{q}_2 = (\varpi, x_2, x_3), \quad \mathfrak{q}_3 = (\varpi, x_1, x_3).$$

PROPOSITION 3.13. – Let $\widehat{R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver},\psi}}$ ($i = 2, 3$) be the completion of $R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver},\psi}$ with respect to its maximal ideal. We still write f^{ver} for the composition $R^{\text{ps},\psi} \rightarrow R^{\text{ver},\psi} \rightarrow \widehat{R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver},\psi}}$.

(i) There is a unique local homomorphism of \mathcal{O} -algebras

$$(17) \quad \gamma_i : R_{\mathfrak{q}_i}^{\text{peu},\psi} \rightarrow \widehat{R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver},\psi}}$$

which is compatible with the trace maps f^{peu} and f^{ver} . That is, we have the following commutative diagram:

$$(18) \quad \begin{array}{ccc} R^{\text{ps},\psi} & & \\ \downarrow f^{\text{peu}} & \searrow f^{\text{ver}} & \\ R_{\mathfrak{q}_i}^{\text{peu},\psi} & \xrightarrow{\gamma_i} & \widehat{R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver},\psi}} \end{array}$$

(ii) The map γ_i is flat and sends radical ideals to radical ideals.

Proof. – (i) Define

$$\gamma_i : R^{\text{peu},\psi} \rightarrow \widehat{R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver},\psi}}, \quad x_1 \mapsto d_0, \quad x_2 \mapsto c_0^{-1}c_1, \quad x_3 \mapsto bc_0.$$

One checks that this is well-defined. Now look at the inverse image of the maximal ideal $\mathfrak{p}_i \widehat{R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver},\psi}}$ in $R^{\text{peu},\psi}$, which is a prime ideal containing \mathfrak{q}_i but not the maximal ideal (because it does not contain x_1 (resp. x_2) when $i = 2$ (resp. $i = 3$)), hence must be equal to \mathfrak{q}_i . This implies that γ_i factors through $R_{\mathfrak{q}_i}^{\text{peu},\psi} \rightarrow \widehat{R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver},\psi}}$, and it makes the diagram (18) commute using the definitions of (13), (14). On the other hand, any morphism $\gamma' : R_{\mathfrak{q}_i}^{\text{peu},\psi} \rightarrow \widehat{R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver},\psi}}$ fitting into the commutative diagram (18) must be of the form above.

(ii) It can be proved similarly as in the proof of Proposition 3.10. The flatness of γ_i follows from [22, Theorem 23.1], which applies as $R_{\mathfrak{q}_i}^{\text{peu},\psi}$ is regular and $\widehat{R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver},\psi}}$ is Cohen-Macaulay, being the completion of a localization of the Cohen-Macaulay ring $R^{\text{ver},\psi}$. More concretely, one checks that

$$\mathfrak{m}_{R_{\mathfrak{q}_i}^{\text{peu},\psi}} \widehat{R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver},\psi}} = \mathfrak{p}_i \widehat{R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver},\psi}}$$

is the maximal ideal, hence $\dim \widehat{R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver},\psi}} = \dim R_{\mathfrak{q}_i}^{\text{peu},\psi} + \dim \widehat{R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver},\psi}} / \mathfrak{m}_{R_{\mathfrak{q}_i}^{\text{peu},\psi}} \widehat{R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver},\psi}} = 3$.

That γ_i sends radical ideals to radical ideals follows from [15, Theorem 2.1]. Namely, it suffices to show, say for $i = 2$, that $\widehat{R_{\mathfrak{p}_2}^{\text{ver},\psi}} / \mathfrak{m}_{R_{\mathfrak{q}_2}^{\text{peu},\psi}} \widehat{R_{\mathfrak{p}_2}^{\text{ver},\psi}} \simeq \mathbb{F}((c_0, d_0))$ is geometrically reduced over the residue field $\mathbb{F}((x_1))$ of $R_{\mathfrak{q}_2}^{\text{peu},\psi}$, via the map $\gamma_i : x_1 \mapsto d_0$; but we have seen how to show this in the proof of Proposition 3.10. The same argument goes through when $i = 3$. □

REMARK 3.14. – *One checks easily that there does not exist an $R^{\text{ps},\psi}$ -homomorphism from $R^{\text{peu},\psi}$ to $R^{\text{ver},\psi}$.*

4. The multiplicity of pseudo-deformation rings

In this section, we will study the multiplicity of potentially semi-stable pseudo-deformation rings of $\bar{\rho} := \mathbb{1} \oplus \omega$.

Recall that $R^{\text{ps},\psi} = R^{\text{ps},\psi}(\text{tr}\bar{\rho})$ denotes the universal pseudo-deformation ring of $\bar{\rho}$ with fixed determinant $\epsilon\psi$, where $\psi : G_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}^\times$ is a continuous character. To lighten the notation, we will omit the superscript ψ in the rest of the section; for example, we write R^{ps} for $R^{\text{ps},\psi}$.

For $\mathfrak{n} \in \mathfrak{m}\text{-Spec}R^{\text{ps}}[1/p]$ we denote by $\kappa(\mathfrak{n})$ the quotient field $R^{\text{ps}}[1/p]/\mathfrak{n}$, $\mathcal{O}_{\kappa(\mathfrak{n})}$ the ring of integers of $\kappa(\mathfrak{n})$, and $T_{\mathfrak{n}}$ the induced pseudo-deformation of $\bar{\rho}$ defined over $\kappa(\mathfrak{n})$.

Denote by $I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}}$ the intersection of all $\mathfrak{n} \in \mathfrak{m}\text{-Spec}R^{\text{ps}}[1/p]$ such that $T_{\mathfrak{n}}$ is the trace of an absolutely irreducible representation of $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ which is potentially semi-stable of type (k, τ, ψ) , and by I_1^{ps} (resp. I_2^{ps}) the intersection of all $\mathfrak{n} \in \mathfrak{m}\text{-Spec}R^{\text{ps}}[1/p]$ such that $T_{\mathfrak{n}}$ is the trace of an absolutely reducible representation which is potentially semi-stable of type (k, τ, ψ) and contains a one-dimensional sub-representation lifting $\mathbb{1}$ (resp. ω) with the higher Hodge-Tate weight. We define in a similar way $I_{\text{cr,irr}}^{\text{ps}}$ and $I_{\text{cr},i}^{\text{ps}}$ ($i = 1, 2$) by replacing “semi-stable” by “crystalline” in the above definition. Here we note that for an indecomposable

reducible potentially semi-stable representation of distinct Hodge-Tate weights, the unique one-dimensional sub-representation is automatically of higher weight.

REMARK 4.1. – *In the definition of I_i^{ps} (and $I_{\text{cr},i}^{\text{ps}}$), we could have demanded that T_n come from an indecomposable reducible representation, because it follows from [27] that, for instance for I_2^{ps} , if $\rho = \delta_1 \oplus \delta_2$ is potentially semi-stable of type (k, τ, ψ) , such that δ_1 (resp. δ_2) lifts $\mathbb{1}$ (resp. ω) and $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ acts on δ_2 via the higher Hodge-Tate weight, then any non-split extension*

$$0 \rightarrow \delta_2 \rightarrow \rho' \rightarrow \delta_1 \rightarrow 0$$

is also potentially semi-stable of the same type. Moreover, ρ' is automatically potentially crystalline except when $k = 2$ and $\tau = \chi \oplus \chi$ is scalar, in which case $\delta_2\delta_1^{-1} = \epsilon$ and $\text{Ext}_{G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}}^1(\delta_1, \delta_2)$ is 2-dimensional and we can always find a non-split potentially crystalline extension.

Fix a p -adic Hodge type (k, τ, ψ) , and write V for $\sigma(k, \tau) := \text{Sym}^{k-2} E^2 \otimes \sigma(\tau)$ or $\sigma^{\text{cr}}(k, \tau) := \text{Sym}^{k-2} E^2 \otimes \sigma^{\text{cr}}(\tau)$ (when we consider potentially crystalline deformation rings). Choose a K -stable \mathcal{O} -lattice Θ inside V . Let N_1, N_2 be respectively a projective envelope of π_α^\vee and of Sp^\vee in the category $\mathfrak{C}_\psi(\mathcal{O})$, where $\pi_\alpha := \text{Ind}_P^G \alpha$ with $\alpha := \omega \otimes \omega^{-1}$ the smooth character of $T := \begin{pmatrix} \mathbb{Q}_p^\times & 0 \\ 0 & \mathbb{Q}_p^\times \end{pmatrix}$. For $i = 1, 2$, set

$$M_i(\Theta) := \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{O}}(\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{O}[[K]]}^{\text{cont}}(N_i, \Theta^d), \mathcal{O}),$$

where Θ^d denotes the Schikhof dual of Θ (see [29]). Then $M_1(\Theta)$ and $M_2(\Theta)$ are naturally compact R^{ps} -modules where R^{ps} acts on N_1 and N_2 via the natural isomorphisms $R^{\text{ps}} \cong \text{End}_{\mathfrak{C}_\psi(\mathcal{O})}(N_1) \cong \text{End}_{\mathfrak{C}_\psi(\mathcal{O})}(N_2)$ (cf. [25, §10]).

4.1. The module $M_1(\Theta)$

Recall that $\bar{\rho}^1$ denotes a non-split extension of ω by $\mathbb{1}$ (unique up to scalars), $R^{\text{ver}}(\bar{\rho}^1)$ the universal deformation ring of $\bar{\rho}^1$ with determinant $\epsilon\psi$ and $R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho}^1)$ the potentially semi-stable deformation ring of type (k, τ, ψ) . (The superscript ψ is omitted as we remarked.) The following theorem is a consequence of results of [25], [26].

THEOREM 4.2. – *We have an isomorphism*

$$\text{Ann}(M_1(\Theta)) \cong I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} \cap I_1^{\text{ps}}$$

and an equality of 1-dimensional cycles (where J is the prime ideal defined in §2.2)

$$\mathcal{Z}_1(R^{\text{ps}}/(I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} \cap I_1^{\text{ps}}, \varpi)) = a_{p-3,1} J.$$

The same statement holds if we replace $I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}}, I_1^{\text{ps}}, a_{p-3,1}$ by $I_{\text{cr,irr}}^{\text{ps}}, I_{\text{cr},1}^{\text{ps}}, a_{p-3,1}^{\text{cr}}$ respectively.

Proof. – Note that $\check{V}(N_1)$ is isomorphic to the universal deformation of $\bar{\rho}^1$ by [25, Corollary 10.72]. By [26, Corollary 6.5] we know

$$R^{\text{ver}}(\bar{\rho}^1)/\text{Ann}_{R^{\text{ver}}(\bar{\rho}^1)}(M_1(\Theta)) \cong R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho}^1).$$

The natural isomorphism $f^1 : R^{\text{ps}} \rightarrow R^{\text{ver}}(\bar{\rho}^1)$ (see Proposition 3.8) induces an isomorphism from $R^{\text{ps}}/(I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} \cap I_1^{\text{ps}})$ to $R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho}^1)$. The first assertion follows from this and the second assertion from [26, Theorem 6.6] and Proposition 2.9, which say that $\mathcal{Z}_1(R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho}^1)/\varpi) = a_{p-3,1} \mathcal{Z}_1(M_1(\sigma_{p-3,1})) = a_{p-3,1} J$. □

4.2. The module $M_2(\Theta)$

We turn to study the action of R^{ps} on $M_2(\Theta)$. Recall that N_2 denotes a projective envelope of Sp^\vee in $\mathfrak{C}_\psi(\Theta)$. For $\pi_1, \pi_2 \in \text{Mod}_{G,\psi}^{1,\text{fin}}(\mathbb{F})$ we will write $e^1(\pi_1, \pi_2) := \dim_{\mathbb{F}} \text{Ext}_{G,\psi}^1(\pi_1, \pi_2)$. We refer to [25, §10.1] for the list of $e^1(\pi_1, \pi_2)$ when π_1, π_2 are both irreducible non-supersingular representations.

If \mathfrak{m} is an $R^{\text{ps}}[1/p]$ -module of finite length, we define as in [26, §2.2]

$$\Pi(\mathfrak{m}) := \text{Hom}_{\Theta}^{\text{cont}}(N_2 \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} \mathfrak{m}^0, E),$$

where \mathfrak{m}^0 is any R^{ps} -stable Θ -lattice in \mathfrak{m} (the definition does not depend on the choice of \mathfrak{m}^0). Equipped with the supremum norm, $\Pi(\mathfrak{m})$ is an admissible unitary E -Banach space representation of G .

The following result is an analogue of [26, Proposition 4.7]. Recall from [25] that an absolutely irreducible Banach space representation is called *non-ordinary* if it is not a subquotient of a parabolic induction of a unitary character.

PROPOSITION 4.3. – *For almost all $\mathfrak{n} \in \mathfrak{m}\text{-Spec} R^{\text{ps}}[1/p]$, the $\kappa(\mathfrak{n})$ -Banach space representation $\Pi(\kappa(\mathfrak{n}))$ is either absolutely irreducible non-ordinary or fits into a non-split extension*

$$0 \rightarrow (\text{Ind}_P^G \delta_1 \otimes \delta_2 \epsilon^{-1})_{\text{cont}} \rightarrow \Pi(\kappa(\mathfrak{n})) \rightarrow (\text{Ind}_P^G \delta_2 \otimes \delta_1 \epsilon^{-1})_{\text{cont}} \rightarrow 0,$$

where $\delta_1, \delta_2 : \mathbb{Q}_p^\times \rightarrow \kappa(\mathfrak{n})^\times$ are unitary characters such that $\delta_1 \delta_2 = \epsilon \psi$ and $\delta_1 \delta_2^{-1} \neq \mathbb{1}, \epsilon^{\pm 1}$.

We need some preparations to prove this proposition. In the proof of the next lemma, we shall use Emerton’s functor of ordinary parts defined in [8]; our main reference for this is [25, §7.1].

LEMMA 4.4. – *We have $((N_2 \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} \mathbb{F})^\vee)^{\text{ss}} \cong \text{Sp} \oplus \mathbb{1}^{\oplus 2} \oplus \pi_\alpha^{\oplus 2}$.*

Proof. – First note that $N_2 \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} \mathbb{F}$ is the maximal quotient of N_2 which contains Sp^\vee with multiplicity one (in fact Sp^\vee must appear as its cosocle), or equivalently, $(N_2 \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} \mathbb{F})^\vee$ is the (unique) maximal smooth \mathbb{F} -representation of G with G -socle isomorphic to Sp and such that $(N_2 \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} \mathbb{F})^\vee / \text{Sp}$ contains no subquotient isomorphic to Sp . We now construct it explicitly. Consider the smooth \mathbb{F} -representation τ_1 of G defined in [25, (181)], which fits into an exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Sp} \rightarrow \tau_1 \rightarrow \mathbb{1} \oplus \mathbb{1} \rightarrow 0.$$

Moreover the G -socle of τ_1 is Sp . By [25, Lemma 10.12], $e^1(\pi_\alpha, \tau_1) = 2$, hence there exists an extension of $\pi_\alpha \oplus \pi_\alpha$ by τ_1 , denoted by τ'_1 :

$$(19) \quad 0 \rightarrow \tau_1 \rightarrow \tau'_1 \rightarrow \pi_\alpha \oplus \pi_\alpha \rightarrow 0,$$

such that the G -socle of τ'_1 is still Sp . In particular, we have an injection $\tau'_1 \hookrightarrow (N_2 \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} \mathbb{F})^\vee$. We shall prove that it is in fact an isomorphism. For this it suffices to show $e^1(\pi, \tau'_1) = 0$ for all irreducible $\pi \in \text{Mod}_{G,\psi}^{\text{sm}}(\mathbb{F})$ except when $\pi \cong \text{Sp}$. Firstly, one checks $e^1(\mathbb{1}, \tau'_1) = 0$, using that (see [25, §10.1])

$$e^1(\mathbb{1}, \mathbb{1}) = 0, \quad e^1(\mathbb{1}, \pi_\alpha) = 0, \quad e^1(\mathbb{1}, \text{Sp}) = 2.$$

We claim that $e^1(\pi_\alpha, \tau'_1) = 0$. For this we need to use Emerton’s functor of ordinary parts relative to P (see [8]). We denote by $\text{Ord}_P : \text{Mod}_{G,\psi}^{1,\text{fin}}(\mathbb{F}) \rightarrow \text{Mod}_{T,\psi}^{1,\text{fin}}(\mathbb{F})$ this functor and

by $\mathbb{R}^i \text{Ord}_P$ its right derived functors for $i \geq 1$. It follows from [11] that $\mathbb{R}^i \text{Ord}_P = 0$ for $i \geq 2$. Moreover we know by [25, (182),(126)] that

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Ord}_P \tau_1 &= \mathbb{1}, & \mathbb{R}^1 \text{Ord}_P \tau_1 &= (\alpha^{-1})^{\oplus 2}, \\ \text{Ord}_P \pi_\alpha &= \alpha^{-1}, & \mathbb{R}^1 \text{Ord}_P \pi_\alpha &= \mathbb{1}. \end{aligned}$$

Applying Ord_P to (19) gives

$$0 \rightarrow \mathbb{1} \rightarrow \text{Ord}_P \tau'_1 \rightarrow (\alpha^{-1})^{\oplus 2} \xrightarrow{\partial} (\alpha^{-1})^{\oplus 2} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^1 \text{Ord}_P \tau'_1 \rightarrow \mathbb{1}^{\oplus 2} \rightarrow 0.$$

The connecting morphism ∂ must be injective. Indeed, if not, we would have that $\text{Hom}_T(\text{Ord}_P \tau'_1, \alpha^{-1}) \neq 0$, hence $\text{Hom}_T(\alpha^{-1}, \text{Ord}_P \tau'_1) \neq 0$ since there is no non-trivial T -extension between α^{-1} and $\mathbb{1}$ (as $p \neq 2$). We then get

$$\text{Hom}_G(\pi_\alpha, \tau'_1) \neq 0$$

by the adjointness property between Ord_P and Ind_P^G (see [25, (120),(125)]), which contradicts the definition of τ'_1 . We deduce that $\text{Ord}_P \tau'_1 \cong \mathbb{1}$ and $\mathbb{R}^1 \text{Ord}_P \tau'_1 \cong \mathbb{1}^{\oplus 2}$. Since $p \neq 2$, the claim follows from this and the exact sequence (see e.g., [25, (123)])

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Ext}_{T,\psi}^1(\alpha, \text{Ord}_P \tau'_1) \rightarrow \text{Ext}_{G,\psi}^1(\pi_\alpha, \tau'_1) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_T(\alpha, \mathbb{R}^1 \text{Ord}_P \tau'_1).$$

Since the block of Sp consists of $\{\text{Sp}, \mathbb{1}, \pi_\alpha\}$ by [25, Proposition 5.42], we see that $\text{Ext}_{G,\psi}^1(\pi, \tau'_1) = 0$ for all *irreducible* $\pi \in \text{Mod}_{G,\psi}^{\text{sm}}(\mathbb{F})$ except for $\pi \cong \text{Sp}$. This shows that $(N_2 \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} \mathbb{F})^\vee$ is isomorphic to τ'_1 , and the lemma follows. \square

Write \mathfrak{B} for the block of Sp , i.e., $\mathfrak{B} = \{\text{Sp}, \mathbb{1}, \pi_\alpha\}$. Let $\text{Ban}_{G,\psi}^{\text{adm,fl}}(E)^\mathfrak{B}$ be the category of admissible unitary E -Banach space representations Π of G , of finite length and with central character ψ , such that all the irreducible constituents of $\overline{\Pi}^{\text{ss}}$ lie in \mathfrak{B} . Here $\overline{\Pi}^{\text{ss}}$ denotes the semi-simplification of the modulo ϖ reduction of any open bounded G -invariant lattice in Π . As in [25, §10], for \mathfrak{n} a maximal ideal of $R^{\text{ps}}[1/p]$, let $\text{Ban}_{G,\psi}^{\text{adm,fl}}(E)_\mathfrak{n}^\mathfrak{B}$ be the full subcategory of $\text{Ban}_{G,\psi}^{\text{adm,fl}}(E)^\mathfrak{B}$ consisting of those Π such that $\mathfrak{m}(\Pi)$ is killed by a power of \mathfrak{n} , where \mathfrak{m} is defined as in [25, Corollary 4.42] with $\tilde{P} = N_2$.

We will need to apply Colmez’s functor \check{V} to objects in $\text{Ban}_{G,\psi}^{\text{adm,fl}}(E)^\mathfrak{B}$. For such a Π , we define

$$\check{V}(\Pi) := \check{V}(\Theta^d) \otimes_{\mathcal{O}} E$$

for any open bounded G -invariant \mathcal{O} -lattice Θ in Π . Remark that \check{V} is exact and *contravariant* on $\text{Ban}_{G,\psi}^{\text{adm,fl}}(E)^\mathfrak{B}$. By the proof of [26, Lemma 4.2], for \mathfrak{m} an $R^{\text{ps}}[1/p]$ -module of finite length, we have

$$(20) \quad \check{V}(\Pi(\mathfrak{m})) \cong \check{V}(N_2) \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} \mathfrak{m}.$$

To see this, we just tensor the sequence [26, (23)] with E (over \mathcal{O}).

LEMMA 4.5. – *The representation $\Pi(\kappa(\mathfrak{n}))$ is nonzero, of finite length, and has an irreducible G -socle (in the category $\text{Ban}_{G,\psi}^{\text{adm,fl}}(E)^\mathfrak{B}$). In particular, it is indecomposable and lies in the category $\text{Ban}_{G,\psi}^{\text{adm,fl}}(E)_\mathfrak{n}^\mathfrak{B}$.*

Proof. – It follows from [25, Lemma 4.25] that $\Pi(\kappa(\mathfrak{n}))$ is non-zero and of finite length. By Lemma 4.4, $N_2 \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} \mathbb{F}$ is of finite length in $\mathfrak{C}_\psi(\mathcal{O})$ and is finitely generated as an $\mathcal{O}[[K]]$ -module, so [25, Corollary 4.33] implies that $\Pi(\kappa(\mathfrak{n}))$ has an irreducible G -socle. The last assertion follows from this and the decomposition of categories

$$\text{Ban}_{G,\psi}^{\text{adm,fl}}(E)^{\mathfrak{B}} \cong \bigoplus_{\mathfrak{n} \in \mathfrak{m}\text{-Spec} R^{\text{ps}}[1/p]} \text{Ban}_{G,\psi}^{\text{adm,fl}}(E)_{\mathfrak{n}}^{\mathfrak{B}}$$

established in [25, Corollary 10.106]. □

Recall that R^{ps} is isomorphic to $\mathcal{O}[[c_0, c_1, d_0, d_1]]/(c_0d_1 - c_1d_0)$ by (12). Let $\mathfrak{r} = (c_0, c_1)$ be the reducibility ideal of R^{ps} . Also recall from §4.1 that N_1 denotes a projective envelope of π_α^\vee in $\mathfrak{C}_\psi(\mathcal{O})$.

LEMMA 4.6. – *We have an exact sequence of $R^{\text{ps}}[G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}]$ -modules:*

$$(21) \quad 0 \rightarrow \mathfrak{r} \cdot \check{\mathbf{V}}(N_1) \rightarrow \check{\mathbf{V}}(N_2) \rightarrow \rho_{\mathbb{1}}^{\text{univ}} \rightarrow 0,$$

where $\rho_{\mathbb{1}}^{\text{univ}}$ is the universal deformation of the trivial representation $\mathbb{1}$ to $R^{\text{ps}}/\mathfrak{r}$ (viewed as an R^{ps} -module).

Proof. – This follows from [25, Remark 10.97]. In fact it gives a commutative diagram of $R^{\text{ps}}[G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}]$ -modules:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 & \longrightarrow & \check{\mathbf{V}}(N_2) & \longrightarrow & \check{\mathbf{V}}(N_1) & \longrightarrow & \rho_{\omega}^{\text{univ}} \longrightarrow 0 \\ & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \parallel \\ 0 & \longrightarrow & \rho_{\mathbb{1}}^{\text{univ}} & \longrightarrow & \check{\mathbf{V}}(N_1)/\mathfrak{r} \cdot \check{\mathbf{V}}(N_1) & \longrightarrow & \rho_{\omega}^{\text{univ}} \longrightarrow 0 \end{array}$$

and the result follows from the snake lemma. □

LEMMA 4.7. – *Assume \mathfrak{n} contains the reducibility ideal \mathfrak{r} . Then $\mathfrak{r} \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} \kappa(\mathfrak{n})$ is of dimension 2 over $\kappa(\mathfrak{n})$ if $\mathfrak{n} = (c_0, c_1, d_0, d_1)$ and of dimension 1 otherwise.*

Proof. – Write $f = c_0d_1 - c_1d_0$ so that $R^{\text{ps}} \cong \mathcal{O}[[c_0, c_1, d_0, d_1]]/(f)$. Let $\mathfrak{n}_0 := \mathfrak{n} \cap R^{\text{ps}}$ so that $R^{\text{ps}}/\mathfrak{n}_0 \cong \mathcal{O}_{\kappa(\mathfrak{n})}$ and

$$\mathfrak{r} \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} \kappa(\mathfrak{n}) \cong \mathfrak{r}/(\mathfrak{r} \cdot \mathfrak{n}_0) \otimes_{\mathcal{O}_{\kappa(\mathfrak{n})}} \kappa(\mathfrak{n}).$$

In particular if $\mathfrak{n} = (c_0, c_1, d_0, d_1)$, we have $f \in \mathfrak{r} \cdot \mathfrak{n}_0$ and see easily that $\mathfrak{r}/\mathfrak{r} \cdot \mathfrak{n}_0$ is free of rank 2 over $\mathcal{O} \cong \mathcal{O}_{\kappa(\mathfrak{n})}$, generated by c_0, c_1 . When $\mathfrak{n} \neq (c_0, c_1, d_0, d_1)$, then making a base change from $\kappa(\mathfrak{n})$ to a finite field extension κ' , we may assume that $\mathfrak{n} = (c_0, c_1, d_0 - t'_0, d_1 - t'_1)$ with $t'_i \in \kappa'$ and at least one of them is non-zero, say $t'_0 \neq 0$. This implies that $c_1 = c_0 t'_1 t_0^{-1}$ in $\mathfrak{r} \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} \kappa'$, hence the latter κ' -space is of dimension 1 (it is nonzero by Nakayama’s lemma). The lemma follows. □

Proof of Proposition 4.3. – Suppose first that $T_{\mathfrak{n}}$ is absolutely irreducible. By [25, Proposition 10.107(i)], the category $\text{Ban}_{G,\psi}^{\text{adm,fl}}(E)_{\mathfrak{n}}^{\mathfrak{B}}$ contains only one absolutely irreducible object denoted by $\Pi_{\mathfrak{n}}$, which must be non-ordinary. In particular, each irreducible subquotient of $\Pi(\kappa(\mathfrak{n}))$ is isomorphic to $\Pi_{\mathfrak{n}}$ and Lemma 4.5 gives an injection $\Pi_{\mathfrak{n}} \hookrightarrow \Pi(\kappa(\mathfrak{n}))$. Lemma 4.4 implies that the setup of [25, Proposition 4.32] is satisfied, which implies that $\mathfrak{m}(\Pi(\kappa(\mathfrak{n}))/\Pi_{\mathfrak{n}}) = 0$ (we use the notation \mathfrak{m} as in *loc.cit.*), hence $\Pi(\kappa(\mathfrak{n}))/\Pi_{\mathfrak{n}} = 0$.

Suppose from now on that T_n is absolutely reducible and can be written as $T_n = \delta_1 + \delta_2$ over a finite extension L' of $\kappa(\mathfrak{n})$ with $\delta_1 \delta_2^{-1} \neq \mathbb{1}, \epsilon^{\pm 1}$. Since $\delta_1 \neq \delta_2$ as they reduce to different characters, we have only excluded the case when $T_n = \delta + \delta\epsilon$ (with $\delta^2 = \psi$). Using the isomorphism $R^{\text{ps}} \cong R^{\text{ver}}(\bar{\rho}^1)$, [25, Corollary 10.94] implies that we only exclude the ideal (c_0, c_1, d_0, d_1) .

We first treat the case when $L' = \kappa(\mathfrak{n})$. Up to order, we may assume that δ_1 reduces to $\mathbb{1}$ modulo the maximal ideal of $\mathcal{O}_{\kappa(\mathfrak{n})}$, and therefore δ_2 reduces to ω . Then [25, Proposition 10.107(ii)] implies that $\text{Ban}_{G, \psi}^{\text{adm, fl}}(E)_{\mathfrak{n}}^{\mathfrak{B}}$ has exactly two (non-isomorphic) absolutely irreducible objects Π_1 and Π_2 , where

$$\Pi_1 = (\text{Ind}_P^G \delta_1 \otimes \delta_2 \epsilon^{-1})_{\text{cont}}, \quad \Pi_2 = (\text{Ind}_P^G \delta_2 \otimes \delta_1 \epsilon^{-1})_{\text{cont}}.$$

Let Π be the unique irreducible Banach space sub-representation of $\Pi(\kappa(\mathfrak{n}))$ given by Lemma 4.5. Since $\overline{\Pi}^{\text{ss}}$ contains Sp as a subquotient, we have $\Pi \cong \Pi_1$ by our convention. Moreover, by the assumption $p \geq 5$ we must have $\overline{\Pi_2}^{\text{ss}} \cong \pi_\alpha$. Put

$$\Pi' := \Pi(\kappa(\mathfrak{n}))/\Pi.$$

As in the irreducible case, [25, Proposition 4.32] implies that each irreducible subquotient of Π' is isomorphic to Π_2 . To conclude we need to show that $\Pi \cong \Pi_2$, or equivalently $\check{V}(\Pi_2) \cong \delta_2$.

Tensoring the sequence (21) with $\kappa(\mathfrak{n})$ (over R^{ps}) gives

$$\mathfrak{r} \cdot \check{V}(N_1) \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} \kappa(\mathfrak{n}) \xrightarrow{\phi} \check{V}(N_2) \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} \kappa(\mathfrak{n}) \rightarrow \rho_{\mathbb{1}}^{\text{univ}} \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} \kappa(\mathfrak{n}) \rightarrow 0.$$

On the one hand, since \mathfrak{n} contains the reducibility ideal \mathfrak{r} , $\rho_{\mathbb{1}}^{\text{univ}} \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} \kappa(\mathfrak{n})$ is non-zero and $\rho_{\mathbb{1}}^{\text{univ}} \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} \mathcal{O}_{\kappa(\mathfrak{n})}$ is a deformation of $\mathbb{1}$ to $\mathcal{O}_{\kappa(\mathfrak{n})}$. By our convention, this implies that $\rho_{\mathbb{1}}^{\text{univ}} \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} \kappa(\mathfrak{n})$ is isomorphic to δ_1 . On the other hand, since $\check{V}(N_1)$ is the universal deformation of $\bar{\rho}^1$ over $R^{\text{ver}}(\bar{\rho}^1) \simeq R^{\text{ps}}$, it is flat over R^{ps} . Together with Lemma 4.7, this implies that

$$\mathfrak{r} \cdot \check{V}(N_1) \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} \kappa(\mathfrak{n}) \cong \check{V}(N_1) \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} (\mathfrak{r} \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} \kappa(\mathfrak{n})) \cong \check{V}(N_1) \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} \kappa(\mathfrak{n}),$$

which is isomorphic to a non-split extension of δ_2 by δ_1 by [26, Proposition 4.9(ii)]. The map ϕ cannot be injective, since $\check{V}(N_2) \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} \kappa(\mathfrak{n})$ does not contain δ_1 as a *sub*-representation (otherwise, $\Pi(\kappa(\mathfrak{n}))$ would admit Π_1 as a *quotient* which contradicts Lemma 4.5). Moreover, ϕ cannot be zero because its kernel, being a quotient of $\text{Tor}_1^{R^{\text{ps}}}(\rho_{\mathbb{1}}^{\text{univ}}, \kappa(\mathfrak{n}))$, admits only irreducible subquotients reducing to $\mathbb{1}$. As a consequence, $\text{Im}(\phi) \cong \delta_2$, and $\check{V}(N_2) \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} \kappa(\mathfrak{n})$ is a non-split extension of δ_1 by δ_2 .

For general L' , the same argument as above shows that $\check{V}(\Pi(\kappa(\mathfrak{n}))) \otimes_{\kappa(\mathfrak{n})} L'$, which is isomorphic to $\check{V}(N_2) \otimes_{R^{\text{ps}}} L'$ by (20), is a non-split extension of δ_1 by δ_2 . Since $\mathbb{1} \neq \omega$ (as $p > 2$), [26, Lemma 4.5] implies that δ_1, δ_2 are in fact defined over $\kappa(\mathfrak{n})$. As in the proof of [26, Proposition 4.9], we see that $\Pi(\kappa(\mathfrak{n}))$ is a non-split extension of Π_2 by Π_1 . \square

REMARK 4.8. – *We thank Paškūnas for pointing out to us that N_2 is not flat over R^{ps} .*

PROPOSITION 4.9. – *If $V = \sigma(k, \tau)$ (resp. $V = \sigma^{\text{cr}}(k, \tau)$), then*

$$\dim_{\kappa(\mathfrak{n})} \text{Hom}_K(V, \Pi(\kappa(\mathfrak{n}))) \leq 1$$

for almost all $\mathfrak{n} \in \text{m-Spec} R^{\text{ps}}[1/p]$. Moreover, for such \mathfrak{n} , $\dim_{\kappa(\mathfrak{n})} \text{Hom}_K(V, \Pi(\kappa(\mathfrak{n}))) = 1$ if and only if T_n is absolutely irreducible and potentially semi-stable (resp. potentially crystalline)

of type (k, τ, ψ) , or $T_{\mathfrak{n}}$ is reducible and isomorphic to the trace of a potentially semi-stable (resp. potentially crystalline) representation of type (k, τ, ψ) which is non-split and contains a one-dimensional sub-representation lifting ω .

Proof. – We exclude the finite set of \mathfrak{n} as in Proposition 4.3. The case when $T_{\mathfrak{n}}$ is absolutely irreducible is identical to that of [26, Proposition 4.14]. Assume that $T_{\mathfrak{n}}$ is absolutely reducible. Then by the proof of Proposition 4.3, $T_{\mathfrak{n}}$ can be written of the form $\delta_1 + \delta_2$ over $\kappa(\mathfrak{n})$ with $\delta_1 \delta_2^{-1} \neq \mathbb{1}, \epsilon^{\pm 1}$, and $\Pi(\kappa(\mathfrak{n}))$ fits into a non-split extension

$$0 \rightarrow \Pi_1 \rightarrow \Pi(\kappa(\mathfrak{n})) \rightarrow \Pi_2 \rightarrow 0$$

with Π_1, Π_2 absolutely irreducible and non-isomorphic. As in the proof of Proposition 4.3, we assume that δ_1 reduces to $\mathbb{1}$ and δ_2 reduces to ω modulo the maximal ideal of $\mathcal{O}_{\kappa(\mathfrak{n})}$, so that $\check{V}(\Pi_i) \cong \delta_i$ for $i = 1, 2$. Now the proof of [26, Proposition 4.14] gives that $\Pi(\kappa(\mathfrak{n}))^{\text{alg}}$, the subspace of locally algebraic vectors in $\Pi(\kappa(\mathfrak{n}))$, is non-zero if and only if Π_1^{alg} is non-zero, if and only if the $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ -representation

$$(22) \quad 0 \rightarrow \delta_2 \rightarrow \check{V}(\Pi(\kappa(\mathfrak{n}))) \rightarrow \delta_1 \rightarrow 0$$

is potentially semi-stable (resp. potentially crystalline if $V = \sigma^{\text{cr}}(k, \tau)$) of type (k, τ, ψ) . We conclude as in the proof of *loc.cit.*, noting that the sequence (22) is non-split since $\Pi(\kappa(\mathfrak{n}))$ is a non-split extension of Π_2 by Π_1 . □

Recall the fixed K -stable lattice Θ in V and the R^{ps} -module $M_2(\Theta)$. As in §4.1, we have the following result.

THEOREM 4.10. – *We have an isomorphism*

$$\text{Ann}(M_2(\Theta)) \cong I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} \cap I_2^{\text{ps}}$$

and an equality of 1-dimensional cycles

$$\mathcal{Z}_1(R^{\text{ps}}/(I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} \cap I_2^{\text{ps}}, \varpi)) = (a_{0,0} + a_{p-1,0})J.$$

The same statement holds if we replace $I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}}, I_2^{\text{ps}}, a_{0,0}, a_{p-1,0}$ by $I_{\text{cr,irr}}^{\text{ps}}, I_{\text{cr,2}}^{\text{ps}}, a_{0,0}^{\text{cr}}, a_{p-1,0}^{\text{cr}}$ respectively.

Proof. – Write Σ for the set of \mathfrak{n} in the statement of Proposition 4.9 such that $\dim_{\kappa(\mathfrak{n})} \text{Hom}_K(V, \Pi(\kappa(\mathfrak{n}))) = 1$. By Proposition 4.9 and Remark 4.1, we see that Σ forms a dense subset of $\text{Spec}(R^{\text{ps}}/(I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} \cap I_2^{\text{ps}})) [1/p]$, hence of $\text{Spec} R^{\text{ps}}/(I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} \cap I_2^{\text{ps}})$, see [26, Remark 2.43]. Now [26, Proposition 2.22] implies that Σ forms a dense subset of the support of $M_2(\Theta)$, so we get the equality $\sqrt{\text{Ann}(M_2(\Theta))} = I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} \cap I_2^{\text{ps}}$.

To prove the theorem, we need to check the conditions (a),(b),(c) in [26, Theorem 2.42] in order to apply it. The condition (a) follows from the definition of N_2 , using the main result of [11]. The condition (c)(i) is just Proposition 4.9 and (c)(ii) proceeds exactly as in [26, §4.2] using the main result of [7] and Proposition 4.9 in place of [26, Proposition 4.9].

We are left to verify the condition (b). By [26, Proposition 2.29], it suffices to prove that $M_2(\Theta)$ is a finitely generated Cohen-Macaulay R^{ps} -module. Recall that we have constructed an element $x \in R^{\text{ps}}$ in the proof of Proposition 2.9, which is a lifting of S via the surjection $R^{\text{ps}} \twoheadrightarrow \mathbb{F}[[S]]$. We claim that (ϖ, x) forms a regular sequence for $M_2(\Theta)$. Firstly, since N_2 is

projective in $\text{Mod}_{K,\zeta}^{\text{pro}}(\vartheta)$, the exact sequence $0 \rightarrow \Theta \xrightarrow{\varpi} \Theta \rightarrow \Theta/\varpi\Theta \rightarrow 0$ induces an exact sequence of R^{ps} -modules

$$0 \rightarrow M_2(\Theta) \xrightarrow{\varpi} M_2(\Theta) \rightarrow M_2(\Theta/\varpi\Theta) \rightarrow 0.$$

This implies that ϖ is regular for $M_2(\Theta)$ and $M_2(\Theta)/\varpi M_2(\Theta) \cong M_2(\Theta/\varpi\Theta)$. Secondly, it follows from the exact sequence (9) (in Proposition *loc.cit.*) that x is regular for $M_2(\sigma)$ for any smooth irreducible \mathbb{F} -representation σ of K , hence also regular for $M_2(\Theta/\varpi\Theta)$ (here we use that N_2 is projective in $\text{Mod}_{K,\zeta}^{\text{pro}}(\vartheta)$). Moreover, the quotient $M_2(\Theta/\varpi\Theta)/xM_2(\Theta/\varpi\Theta)$ is of Krull dimension 0 since this is true for $M_2(\sigma)/xM_2(\sigma)$ by (9). This proves the claim. Finally, Lemma 4.4 and [26, Proposition 2.15] imply that $M_2(\Theta)$ is finitely generated over R^{ps} .

All conditions of [26, Theorem 2.42] being verified, we deduce that $\text{Ann}(M_2(\Theta))$ is a radical ideal, hence the equality $\text{Ann}(M_2(\Theta)) = I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} \cap I_2^{\text{ps}}$. We also deduce an equality of 1-dimensional cycles

$$\mathcal{Z}_1(R^{\text{ps}}/(I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} \cap I_2^{\text{ps}}, \varpi)) = \sum_{n,m} a_{n,m} \mathcal{Z}_1(M_2(\sigma_{n,m})).$$

But it follows from Proposition 2.9 that $M_2(\sigma_{n,m}) \neq 0$ if and only if $(n, m) = (0, 0)$ or $(p - 1, 0)$, in which case the associated 1-dimensional cycle is J . □

5. Proof of the Breuil-Mézard conjecture

In this section we prove the Breuil-Mézard conjecture for the residual representation $\mathbb{1} \oplus \omega$. To do this, we study the relation between potentially semi-stable pseudo-deformation rings and potentially semi-stable (of the same type) deformation rings so that we can use what is proved in Section 3 and Section 4 to deduce the multiplicities of potentially semi-stable deformation rings (modulo ϖ).

Notational remark: As the character ψ will be fixed everywhere, we omit it from the notation of the deformation rings for simplicity. For $\mathfrak{m} \in \text{m-Spec} R^{\text{ver}}[1/p]$, write $\rho_{\mathfrak{m}}$ for the associated deformation of $\bar{\rho}$.

Let $\bar{\rho}$ be an extension of two distinct characters χ_2 by χ_1 and fix a p -adic Hodge type (k, τ, ψ) . A closed point in $\text{Spec} R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})[1/p]$ is called of reducibility type *irr* if the corresponding $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ -representation is absolutely irreducible. For a closed point $x \in \text{Spec} R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})[1/p]$ such that the corresponding $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ -representation V_x is reducible, it has to be an (possibly split) extension of two distinct characters δ_i lifting χ_i , respectively. We say the point x is of reducibility type χ_i , or more briefly, of type i , if δ_i has the higher Hodge-Tate weight.

For $*$ \in $\{\text{irr}, 1, 2\}$, define an ideal I_*^{ver} of R^{ver} as follows:

$$I_*^{\text{ver}} := \left(\bigcap_{\mathfrak{m} \in \text{m-Spec} R^{\text{ver}}[1/p]} \mathfrak{m} \right) \cap R^{\text{ver}},$$

for \mathfrak{m} ranging over all the maximal ideals such that $\rho_{\mathfrak{m}}$ is potentially semi-stable of type (k, τ, ψ) and of reducibility type $*$, so that

$$R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho}) = R^{\text{ver}}/(I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ver}} \cap I_1^{\text{ver}} \cap I_2^{\text{ver}}).$$

In the pseudo-deformation ring $R^{\text{ps}} = R^{\text{ps}}(\text{tr}\bar{\rho})$, define the ideal

$$I_*^{\text{ps}} := I_*^{\text{ver}} \cap R^{\text{ps}}.$$

One sees that this definition coincides with the one defined at the beginning of Section 4.

We define in an obvious way the ideals $I_{\text{cr},*}^{\text{ver}}$ and $I_{\text{cr},*}^{\text{ps}}$ ($* \in \{\text{irr}, 1, 2\}$) by considering potentially crystalline representations of type $*$.

REMARK 5.1. – In [20], a quotient ring $R_{U_0}^{\text{ps}}$ of R^{ps} (denoted by $R^{\text{ps}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})$ in [5]) is introduced, which can be seen as the analogue of $R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})$. One checks that $R_{U_0}^{\text{ps}} = R^{\text{ps}}/(I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} \cap I_1^{\text{ps}} \cap I_2^{\text{ps}})$ and that I_*^{ps} defines the (closure of union of) components in $\text{Spec } R_{U_0}^{\text{ps}}[1/p]$ of type $*$ defined loc. cit.

In the rest of this section, we will take $\bar{\rho} = \mathbb{1} \oplus \omega$ and use the convention $\chi_1 = \mathbb{1}$ and $\chi_2 = \omega$ while we talk about reducibility types.

Recall from §3 that there are three minimal prime ideals of R^{ver} containing JR^{ver} : $\mathfrak{p}_1, \mathfrak{p}_2, \mathfrak{p}_3$, and that $JR^{\text{ver}} = \mathfrak{p}_1 \cap \mathfrak{p}_2 \cap \mathfrak{p}_3$. We first record the following fact, which says that they induce all possible minimal prime ideals of $R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})/\varpi$.

PROPOSITION 5.2. – (i) *The quotient ring $R^{\text{ver}}/(I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ver}} + (\varpi))$ has at most three minimal prime ideals, that is among $\{\mathfrak{p}_1, \mathfrak{p}_2, \mathfrak{p}_3\}$.*

(ii) *The quotient ring $R^{\text{ver}}/(I_1^{\text{ver}} + (\varpi))$ has at most one minimal prime ideal \mathfrak{p}_1 , with the quantity being one if and only if $I_1^{\text{ver}} \neq R^{\text{ver}}$.*

(iii) *The quotient ring $R^{\text{ver}}/(I_2^{\text{ver}} + (\varpi))$ has at most two minimal prime ideals \mathfrak{p}_2 and \mathfrak{p}_3 .*

The same hold in the crystalline case, i.e., with I_^{ver} replaced by $I_{\text{cr},*}^{\text{ver}}$.*

Proof. – (i) Let $* \in \{\text{irr}, 1, 2\}$ and $\mathfrak{q} \in \text{Spec } R^{\text{ver}}$ be any minimal prime ideal over $I_*^{\text{ver}} + (\varpi)$. By Theorems 4.2 and 4.10, J is the radical of the ideal $I_*^{\text{ps}} + (\varpi)$. Since the natural map $f^{\text{ver}} : R^{\text{ps}} \rightarrow R^{\text{ver}}$ maps I_*^{ps} into I_*^{ver} , there exists $r \in \mathbb{N}$ large enough such that

$$(\mathfrak{p}_1 \cap \mathfrak{p}_2 \cap \mathfrak{p}_3)^r R^{\text{ver}} = J^r R^{\text{ver}} \subset (I_*^{\text{ps}} + (\varpi))R^{\text{ver}} \subset \mathfrak{q}.$$

Hence \mathfrak{q} must contain one of the $\mathfrak{p}_1, \mathfrak{p}_2, \mathfrak{p}_3$. By Theorem 1.1 and [22, Theorem 31.5], $R^{\text{ver}}/(I_*^{\text{ver}} + (\varpi))$ is equidimensional of dimension 2, which implies that \mathfrak{q} has height 3. Since \mathfrak{p}_i ($i = 1, 2, 3$) also has height 3, the first claim follows.

The proofs of (ii) and (iii) are similar and we only give that of (ii). We follow the arguments in the proof of [5, Lemma 4.3.4(ii)]. Let \mathfrak{q}' be a minimal prime ideal over I_1^{ver} . By the proof of (i) we only need to show $\mathfrak{q}' \not\subset \mathfrak{p}_2, \mathfrak{p}_3$. As in the proof loc. cit., the associated deformation

$$\rho_{\mathfrak{q}'} : G_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \rightarrow \text{GL}_2(R^{\text{ver}}/\mathfrak{q}')$$

is reducible and it contains a free sub- $R^{\text{ver}}/\mathfrak{q}'$ -module of rank 1 as a direct summand, which is a deformation of the trivial character $\mathbb{1}$. The same property holds for any prime ideal of R^{ver} containing \mathfrak{q}' . However, by the explicit description of $\rho_{R^{\text{ver}}}$ in §3.1.1, the deformations $\rho_{\mathfrak{p}_2}$ and $\rho_{\mathfrak{p}_3}$ are reducible *non-split*, containing a free sub-module of rank 1 lifting ω . This implies $\mathfrak{q}' \not\subset \mathfrak{p}_2, \mathfrak{p}_3$ and the result follows. \square

By [22, Theorem 14.7] we have

$$(23) \quad e(R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})/\varpi) = \sum_{i=1}^3 \ell(R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})_{\mathfrak{p}_i}/\varpi) e(R^{\text{ver}}/\mathfrak{p}_i) = \sum_{i=1}^3 \ell(R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})_{\mathfrak{p}_i}/\varpi)$$

where the second equality holds because $e(R^{\text{ver}}/\mathfrak{p}_i) = 1$ for $i = 1, 2, 3$. We are left to study $\ell(R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})_{\mathfrak{p}_i}/\varpi)$, which is also equal to $e(R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})_{\mathfrak{p}_i}/\varpi)$. Of course, the same happens in the crystalline case.

5.1. Multiplicities at \mathfrak{p}_1 and \mathfrak{p}_2

Recall the maps (16) $f_i^{\text{ver}} : R^{\text{ps}} \rightarrow R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}$, for $i = 1, 2, 3$.

PROPOSITION 5.3. – (i) For $i = 1, 2$, we have $I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ver}} R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}} = I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}$ and $I_i^{\text{ver}} R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}} = I_i^{\text{ps}} R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}$.

(ii) For $* \in \{\text{irr}, 2\}$, we have $I_*^{\text{ver}} R_{\mathfrak{p}_3}^{\text{ver}}[1/p] = \sqrt{I_*^{\text{ps}} R_{\mathfrak{p}_3}^{\text{ver}}[1/p]}$.

Proof. – First look at $I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ver}}$. Using the fact that $R^{\text{ver}}[1/p]$ is a Jacobson ring, we have by definition

$$I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ver}} R^{\text{ver}}[1/p] = \bigcap_{\mathfrak{n} \in \mathfrak{m}\text{-Spec} R^{\text{ver}}[1/p]} \mathfrak{n}, \quad \sqrt{I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} R^{\text{ver}}[1/p]} = \bigcap_{\mathfrak{m} \in \mathfrak{m}\text{-Spec} R^{\text{ver}}[1/p]} \mathfrak{m},$$

where \mathfrak{n} ranges over all maximal ideals such that $\rho_{\mathfrak{n}}$ is absolutely irreducible of type (k, τ, ψ) , and \mathfrak{m} ranges over all maximal ideals such that $\text{tr}(\rho_{\mathfrak{m}})$ is absolutely irreducible of type (k, τ, ψ) , that is $\text{tr}(\rho_{\mathfrak{m}}) \cong \text{tr}(\rho')$ for some ρ' which is absolutely irreducible of type (k, τ, ψ) . Clearly these conditions define the same subset of $\mathfrak{m}\text{-Spec} R^{\text{ver}}[1/p]$, hence the equality

$$(24) \quad I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ver}} R^{\text{ver}}[1/p] = \sqrt{I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} R^{\text{ver}}[1/p]} = \sqrt{I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} R^{\text{ver}}[1/p]}$$

where the second equality holds because taking radical commutes with localization. Taking localization at \mathfrak{p}_i (viewing the two sides as R^{ver} -modules), $i = 1, 2, 3$, gives

$$(25) \quad I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ver}} R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}[1/p] = \sqrt{I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}[1/p]}$$

hence (ii) holds for $* = \text{irr}$. To deduce (i), first remark that if A is an \mathcal{O} -algebra and I is an ideal of A such that the quotient A/I is an \mathcal{O} -flat module, then $I = (IA[1/p]) \cap A$. Since the map $R^{\text{ps}} \rightarrow R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}$ (here $i = 1, 2$) is flat by Proposition 3.10, $R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}/I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}$ is \mathcal{O} -flat as $R^{\text{ps}}/I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}}$ is. This implies that $R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}/\sqrt{I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}}$ is also \mathcal{O} -flat and thus (25) improves to be

$$I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ver}} R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}} = \sqrt{I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}}, \quad i = 1, 2.$$

Then we conclude still by Proposition 3.10, which says that $I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}$ is already radical. So far we have proved (i) and (ii) for $* = \text{irr}$.

The claim for I_i^{ver} ($i = 1, 2$) is proved similarly, using Proposition 5.2. More precisely, with the notation in the proof of *loc. cit.* let $\mathfrak{n} \in \text{Spec}((R^{\text{ver}}/\mathfrak{q}')[1/p])$ be any closed point such that $\text{tr} \rho_{\mathfrak{n}}$ comes from some potentially semi-stable representation of type (k, τ, ψ) . Since we have fixed its reducibility type, the representation $\rho_{\mathfrak{n}}$ itself has to be potentially semi-stable of type (k, τ, ψ) . The rest of the proof then goes over as in the irreducible case. \square

REMARK 5.4. – In general, we do not expect $I_*^{\text{ps}} R_{\mathfrak{p}_3}^{\text{ver}} = I_*^{\text{ver}} R_{\mathfrak{p}_3}^{\text{ver}}$ to be true (this would imply $I_*^{\text{ps}} R^{\text{ver}} = I_*^{\text{ver}}$). For example, in the crystalline case it could happen that $I_{\text{cr,irr}}^{\text{ps}} = (c_0 - p, c_1, d_1)$ in R^{ps} . Then $I_{\text{cr,irr}}^{\text{ps}} R^{\text{ver}} = (c_0 d_1 - c_1 d_0, bc_0 - p, bc_1, d_1)$ and $R^{\text{ver}} / I_{\text{cr,irr}}^{\text{ps}} R^{\text{ver}}$ has \mathfrak{p}_3 as a minimal prime ideal, which implies that $R^{\text{ver}} / I_{\text{cr,irr}}^{\text{ps}} R^{\text{ver}}$ is not equidimensional, while $R^{\text{ver}} / I_{\text{cr,irr}}^{\text{ver}}$ is equidimensional by Theorem 1.1.

PROPOSITION 5.5. – For $i = 1, 2$, we have

$$\ell(R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})_{\mathfrak{p}_i} / \varpi) = \ell(R_J^{\text{ps}} / (I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} \cap I_i^{\text{ps}}, \varpi)).$$

Proof. – It follows from Proposition 5.2 that $R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})_{\mathfrak{p}_i} \cong R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}} / (I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ver}} \cap I_i^{\text{ver}})$ for $i = 1, 2$. Then Proposition 5.3(i) implies further that

$$R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})_{\mathfrak{p}_i} \cong R_J^{\text{ps}} / (I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} \cap I_i^{\text{ps}}) \otimes_{R_J^{\text{ps}}} R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}.$$

Since the local map $R_J^{\text{ps}} \rightarrow R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}$ is flat by (the proof of) Proposition 3.10, so is $R_J^{\text{ps}} / (I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} \cap I_i^{\text{ps}}, \varpi) \rightarrow R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})_{\mathfrak{p}_i} / \varpi$. Applying Lemma 5.6 below to it we obtain

$$\ell(R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})_{\mathfrak{p}_i} / \varpi) = \ell(R_J^{\text{ps}} / (I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} \cap I_i^{\text{ps}}, \varpi)) e(R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}} / J) = \ell(R_J^{\text{ps}} / (I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ps}} \cap I_i^{\text{ps}}, \varpi)).$$

Here we have used the fact that $e(R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}} / J) = 1$. □

LEMMA 5.6. – Let $A \rightarrow B$ be a local map of Noetherian local rings with radicals \mathfrak{m} and \mathfrak{n} , respectively. Let $\mathfrak{p} \subset A$ be a nilpotent prime ideal and suppose that all the minimal prime ideals of B lie over \mathfrak{p} . Assume further that B is flat over A . Then

$$e_{\mathfrak{n}}(B) = e_{\mathfrak{n}/\mathfrak{p}B}(B/\mathfrak{p}B) \ell(A_{\mathfrak{p}}).$$

Proof. – Let $\{\mathfrak{q}_1, \dots, \mathfrak{q}_m\}$ be the set of minimal prime ideals of B . By [22, Theorem 14.7], we have

$$e_{\mathfrak{n}}(B) = \sum_{i=1}^m e_{\mathfrak{n}/\mathfrak{q}_i}(B/\mathfrak{q}_i) \ell_{B_{\mathfrak{q}_i}}(B_{\mathfrak{q}_i})$$

and

$$e_{\mathfrak{n}/\mathfrak{p}B}(B/\mathfrak{p}B) = \sum_{i=1}^m e_{\mathfrak{n}/\mathfrak{q}_i}(B/\mathfrak{q}_i) \ell_{(B/\mathfrak{p}B)_{\mathfrak{q}_i}}((B/\mathfrak{p}B)_{\mathfrak{q}_i}).$$

Since $A \rightarrow B$ is flat, so is $A_{\mathfrak{p}} \rightarrow B_{\mathfrak{q}_i}$ for any i . By Nagata’s flatness theorem (see for example [22, Ex. 22.1]), we have

$$\ell_{B_{\mathfrak{q}_i}}(B_{\mathfrak{q}_i}) = \ell_{A_{\mathfrak{p}}}(A_{\mathfrak{p}}) \cdot \ell_{B_{\mathfrak{q}_i}}(B_{\mathfrak{q}_i}/\mathfrak{p}B_{\mathfrak{q}_i}).$$

The result follows.

Note that we can also adapt the proof of [20, 1.3.10], where all the inequalities appeared become equalities under the assumption that B is flat over A . □

REMARK 5.7. – In this remark, we take $\bar{\rho}$ to be of the form $\bar{\rho} \cong \chi_1 \oplus \chi_2$ with $\chi_1 \chi_2^{-1} \notin \{\mathbb{1}, \omega^{\pm 1}\}$. The situation is simpler, in the sense that the analogue of Proposition 5.2 holds except that the minimal ideal \mathfrak{p}_3 disappears. In this case, there are only two minimal prime ideals of R^{ver} containing JR^{ver} ; in the notation of Remark 3.12, $J = (\varpi, y_2, y_3)$. By Remark 3.12, the natural homomorphism $R^{\text{ps}} \rightarrow R^{\text{ver}}$ is flat and maps radical ideals to radical

ideals. If we let $\bar{\rho}^1$ (resp. $\bar{\rho}^2$) be the unique non-split extension of χ_2 by χ_1 (resp. of χ_1 by χ_2), then we have

$$e(R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})/\varpi) = e(R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho}^1)/\varpi) + e(R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho}^2)/\varpi),$$

which proves the Breuil-Mézard conjecture in this case; the conjecture for the two terms on the right-hand side are already known by [20] and [26]. The crystalline case is shown in the same way.

5.2. Multiplicity at \mathfrak{p}_2 and \mathfrak{p}_3

We determine the multiplicity of $R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})/\varpi$ at \mathfrak{p}_2 and \mathfrak{p}_3 , by means of deformation rings of *peu* ramifié extensions, for which the Breuil-Mézard conjecture has been treated in [26].

Recall the map (13)

$$f^{\text{peu}} : R^{\text{ps}} \simeq \frac{\mathcal{O}[[c_0, c_1, d_0, d_1]]}{(c_0d_1 - c_1d_0)} \hookrightarrow R^{\text{peu}} \simeq \mathcal{O}[[x_1, x_2, x_3]],$$

$$c_0 \mapsto x_3, \quad c_1 \mapsto x_2x_3, \quad d_0 \mapsto x_1, \quad d_1 \mapsto x_1x_2.$$

Here $R^{\text{peu}} := R^{\text{ver}}(\bar{\rho}^{\text{peu}})$ denotes the universal deformation ring (with fixed determinant $\epsilon\psi$) of $\bar{\rho}^{\text{peu}}$, the (non-split) *peu* ramifié extension of $\mathbb{1}$ by ω . Recall that $R^{\text{peu}}/JR^{\text{peu}}$ has two minimal prime ideals $\mathfrak{q}_2 = (\varpi, x_2, x_3)$ and $\mathfrak{q}_3 = (\varpi, x_1, x_3)$.

By Proposition 3.13 we have the following commutative diagram (18)

$$\begin{array}{ccc} R^{\text{ps}} & & \\ \downarrow f^{\text{peu}} & \searrow f^{\text{ver}} & \\ R_{\mathfrak{q}_i}^{\text{peu}} & \xrightarrow{\gamma_i} & \widehat{R}_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}. \end{array}$$

In the proof of Proposition 3.13, we have seen that $\mathfrak{p}_i \widehat{R}_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}$ lies over $\mathfrak{q}_i R_{\mathfrak{q}_i}^{\text{peu}}$ ($i = 2, 3$) and $\mathfrak{q}_i \widehat{R}_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}} = \mathfrak{p}_i \widehat{R}_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}$, under the map γ_i (17).

Denote by $I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{peu}}$ (resp. I_2^{peu}) the ideal of R^{peu} cutting out the closure in $\text{Spec } R^{\text{peu}}$ of closed points in $\text{Spec } R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho}^{\text{peu}})[1/p]$ which are of irreducible type (resp. of reducible type). The notation I_2^{peu} chosen as a component of reducible type is automatically of type 2.

PROPOSITION 5.8. – We have for $i = 2, 3$ the following relations under the map γ_i (17):

$$I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{peu}} \widehat{R}_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}} = I_{\text{irr}}^{\text{ver}} \widehat{R}_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}, \quad I_2^{\text{peu}} \widehat{R}_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}} = I_2^{\text{ver}} \widehat{R}_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}.$$

Proof. – By Proposition 5.3, we have for $* \in \{\text{irr}, 2\}$ and $i \in \{2, 3\}$

$$I_*^{\text{ver}} R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}[1/p] = \sqrt{I_*^{\text{ps}} R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}[1/p]} = \sqrt{I_*^{\text{ps}} R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ps}}[1/p]}.$$

Applying Lemma 5.9 below to $A = R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}$ and $I = \sqrt{I_*^{\text{ps}} R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}}$, $J = I_*^{\text{ver}} R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}$ we get

$$(26) \quad I_*^{\text{ver}} \widehat{R}_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}[1/p] = \sqrt{I_*^{\text{ps}} R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}} \widehat{R}_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}[1/p]} = \sqrt{I_*^{\text{ps}} \widehat{R}_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}[1/p]},$$

where to get the second equality we have applied Lemma 5.9(ii) to $A = R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}$ which is a Nagata ring, being a localization of a complete Noetherian local ring (see [3, Chapitre IX, §4, n° 4]). On the other hand, a similar proof as in Proposition 5.3 shows

$$(27) \quad I_*^{\text{peu}} R_{\mathfrak{q}_i}^{\text{peu}}[1/p] = \sqrt{I_*^{\text{ps}} R_{\mathfrak{q}_i}^{\text{peu}}[1/p]} = \sqrt{I_*^{\text{ps}} R_{\mathfrak{q}_i}^{\text{peu}}[1/p]}.$$

Then using the commutative diagram (18), we get

$$I_*^{\text{ver}} \widehat{R}_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}[1/p] \stackrel{(26)}{=} \sqrt{f^{\text{ver}}(I_*^{\text{ps}} \widehat{R}_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}[1/p])} = \sqrt{I_*^{\text{ps}} R_{\mathfrak{q}_i}^{\text{peu}} \widehat{R}_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}[1/p]} \stackrel{(27)}{=} I_*^{\text{peu}} \widehat{R}_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}[1/p].$$

Here, we use (the proof of) Lemma 5.9(ii), applied to the morphism γ_i , to get the second equality, since γ_i sends radical ideals to radical ideals by Proposition 3.13. Since $\gamma_i : R_{\mathfrak{q}_i}^{\text{peu}} \rightarrow \widehat{R}_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}$ is flat by Proposition 3.13 again, we conclude as in the proof of Proposition 5.3(i). \square

LEMMA 5.9. – *Let (A, \mathfrak{m}) be a Noetherian local ring and denote by \hat{A} its \mathfrak{m} -adic completion.*

(i) *Let $I \subseteq J$ be two ideals of A such that $IA[1/p] = JA[1/p]$. Then we have $I\hat{A}[1/p] = J\hat{A}[1/p]$.*

(ii) *If moreover A is a Nagata ring, then the natural morphism $A \rightarrow \hat{A}$ sends radical ideals to radical ideals. In particular, $\sqrt{I\hat{A}} = \sqrt{I} \hat{A}$ for any ideal I of A .*

Proof. – (i) Write $M = I/J$ and consider the exact sequence of A -modules:

$$(28) \quad 0 \rightarrow I \rightarrow J \rightarrow M \rightarrow 0.$$

The assumption that $IA[1/p] = JA[1/p]$ implies that $M[1/p] = 0$. Since M is a finitely generated A -module, we can find $n \in \mathbb{N}$ large enough such that $p^n m = 0$ for all $m \in M$. Taking \mathfrak{m} -adic completions and inverting p , the sequence (28) induces an exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow I\hat{A}[1/p] \rightarrow J\hat{A}[1/p] \rightarrow \hat{M}[1/p] \rightarrow 0.$$

By definition we have $\hat{M} = \varprojlim_{i \geq 1} M/\mathfrak{m}^i M$, so that \hat{M} is also killed by p^n and therefore $\hat{M}[1/p] = 0$. The result follows.

(ii) By Nagata-Zariski theorem, see for example [15, Theorem 1.3], the natural morphism $A \rightarrow \hat{A}$ is a reduced morphism, hence sends radical ideals to radical ideals. To show the last assertion, we remark that for any ring morphism $f : A \rightarrow B$ which sends radical ideals to radical ideals and any ideal I of A , we have $\sqrt{fI} = \sqrt{fI}$. Indeed, the inclusion \subseteq holds in general, and the inclusion \supseteq holds because $fI \subseteq \sqrt{fI}$ and \sqrt{fI} is already radical. \square

COROLLARY 5.10. – *We have the equality*

$$\ell(R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})_{\mathfrak{p}_2}/\varpi) + \ell(R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})_{\mathfrak{p}_3}/\varpi) = a_{0,0} + 2a_{p,-1,0}.$$

Proof. – To lighten the notation, denote $R^{\text{peu}}(k, \tau) := R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho}^{\text{peu}})$. First, a similar proof as that of Proposition 5.2 implies that $R^{\text{peu}}(k, \tau)/\varpi$ has at most 2 minimal prime ideals \mathfrak{q}_2 and \mathfrak{q}_3 , so that by [22, Theorem 14.7]

$$e(R^{\text{peu}}(k, \tau)/\varpi) = \ell(R^{\text{peu}}(k, \tau)_{\mathfrak{q}_2}/\varpi) + \ell(R^{\text{peu}}(k, \tau)_{\mathfrak{q}_3}/\varpi),$$

where we have used that $R^{\text{peu}}/\mathfrak{q}_2$ and $R^{\text{peu}}/\mathfrak{q}_3$ both have Hilbert-Samuel multiplicity 1. Since we know $e(R^{\text{peu}}(k, \tau)/\varpi) = a_{0,0} + 2a_{p-1,0}$ by the Breuil-Mézard conjecture for $\bar{\rho}^{\text{peu}}$ which is proved in [26], it suffices to show

$$(29) \quad \ell(R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})_{\mathfrak{p}_i}/\varpi) = \ell(R^{\text{peu}}(k, \tau)_{\mathfrak{q}_i}/\varpi), \quad i = 2, 3.$$

Proposition 5.2 and Proposition 5.8 imply that

$$R^{\text{ver}}(\widehat{k, \tau, \bar{\rho}})_{\mathfrak{p}_i} \cong R^{\text{peu}}(k, \tau)_{\mathfrak{q}_i} \otimes_{R_{\mathfrak{q}_i}^{\text{peu}}} \widehat{R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}}.$$

Note that taking completion does not change Hilbert-Samuel multiplicities. Then using that $\mathfrak{q}_i \widehat{R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}} = \mathfrak{p}_i \widehat{R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}}$ for $i = 2, 3$, we get (29) by applying Lemma 5.6 to the flat map $R^{\text{peu}}(k, \tau)_{\mathfrak{q}_i}/\varpi \rightarrow R^{\text{ver}}(\widehat{k, \tau, \bar{\rho}})_{\mathfrak{p}_i}/\varpi$, base change of the flat local morphism $R_{\mathfrak{q}_i}^{\text{peu}} \rightarrow \widehat{R_{\mathfrak{p}_i}^{\text{ver}}}$, as in the proof of Proposition 5.5. \square

5.3. Conclusion

We can now prove the (cycle version of) Breuil-Mézard conjecture for $\bar{\rho} = \mathbb{1} \oplus \omega$. First we prove it for potentially semi-stable deformation rings.

THEOREM 5.11. – *The cycle version of the Breuil-Mézard Conjecture (hence the original Conjecture 1.2) is true for the representation $\bar{\rho} = \mathbb{1} \oplus \omega$. Precisely, we have*

$$\mathcal{Z}(R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})/\varpi) = a_{p-3,1}\mathfrak{p}_1 + a_{0,0}\mathfrak{p}_2 + a_{p-1,0}(\mathfrak{p}_2 + \mathfrak{p}_3).$$

Proof. – Theorem 4.2, Theorem 4.10 and Proposition 5.5 imply that

$$\ell(R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})_{\mathfrak{p}_1}/\varpi) = a_{p-3,1}, \quad \ell(R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})_{\mathfrak{p}_2}/\varpi) = a_{0,0} + a_{p-1,0}.$$

Together with Corollary 5.10, this implies that $\ell(R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})_{\mathfrak{p}_3}/\varpi) = a_{p-1,0}$. They prove the theorem by (23). \square

To prove the Breuil-Mézard Conjecture for potentially crystalline deformation rings, it is enough to assume that the Galois type τ is scalar, since otherwise potentially semi-stable and potentially crystalline deformation rings coincide by [4, Lemma 2.2.2.2].

THEOREM 5.12. – *The cycle version of the crystalline Breuil-Mézard Conjecture (hence the original Conjecture 1.2) holds for $\bar{\rho} = \mathbb{1} \oplus \omega$:*

$$\mathcal{Z}(R_{\text{cr}}^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})/\varpi) = a_{p-3,1}^{\text{cr}}\mathfrak{p}_1 + a_{0,0}^{\text{cr}}\mathfrak{p}_2 + a_{p-1,0}^{\text{cr}}(\mathfrak{p}_2 + \mathfrak{p}_3).$$

Proof. – In the case $k > 2$, all the previous arguments in §§5.1-5.2 go over verbatim with $I_*^{\text{ps}}, I_*^{\text{ver}}$ and $R^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})$ replaced by $I_{\text{cr},*}^{\text{ps}}, I_{\text{cr},*}^{\text{ver}}$ and $R_{\text{cr}}^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})$, respectively. For example, Proposition 5.3, which is the key result, holds true, since a representation is potentially crystalline of type (k, τ, ψ) if and only if its trace is.

We are left to treat the special case $k = 2$. In this case there are crystalline representations and semi-stable non-crystalline representations with the same trace, which makes Proposition 5.3(ii) fail when $*$ = 2. However, we give a direct proof in this case. After twisting, we may assume $\tau = \mathbb{1}$ is the trivial type and ψ is the trivial character.

First of all, Theorem 5.11 implies that

$$\mathcal{Z}(R^{\text{ver}}(2, \mathbb{1}, \bar{\rho})/\varpi) = \mathfrak{p}_2 + \mathfrak{p}_3$$

since $\overline{\sigma(2, \mathbb{1})}^{\text{ss}} = \sigma_{p-1,0}$. By definition, $\text{Spec } R_{\text{cr}}^{\text{ver}}(2, \mathbb{1}, \bar{\rho})/\varpi$ is a union of irreducible components of $\text{Spec } R^{\text{ver}}(2, \mathbb{1}, \bar{\rho})/\varpi$. Moreover, we know by [18, Proposition 3.6] that $R_{\text{cr}}^{\text{ver}}(2, \mathbb{1}, \bar{\rho})$ is formally smooth, which implies that the cycle $\mathcal{Z}(R_{\text{cr}}^{\text{ver}}(2, \mathbb{1}, \bar{\rho})/\varpi)$ is simply of the form \mathfrak{p}_i for some $i \in \{2, 3\}$. However, we cannot have $i = 3$, since the image of $\text{Spec}(R^{\text{ver}}/\mathfrak{p}_3)$ in $\text{Spec } R^{\text{ps}}$ reduces to the closed point, whereas that of $\text{Spec } R_{\text{cr}}^{\text{ver}}(2, \mathbb{1}, \bar{\rho})/\varpi$ does not because we can find easily two crystalline liftings of $\bar{\rho}$ with distinct traces. Hence we have $\mathcal{Z}(R_{\text{cr}}^{\text{ver}}(k, \tau, \bar{\rho})/\varpi) = \mathfrak{p}_2$ which proves the theorem since $\overline{\sigma^{\text{cr}}(2, \mathbb{1})}^{\text{ss}} = \sigma_{0,0}$. \square

6. The Fontaine-Mazur conjecture

This section is devoted to the proof of Theorem 1.4. Since the arguments for deducing the Fontaine-Mazur conjecture from the Breuil-Mézard conjecture are now standard, thanks to [20] (and its errata in [13]), we only emphasize how to modify Kisin’s original proof in the cases that are not covered in [20]. In the following, whenever we quote a result in [20, §2], we mean the corrected version given in [13, Appendix B].

Let F be a totally real field in which p is split. Let D be a quaternion algebra with centre F , ramified at all infinite places and a set of finite places Σ which does not contain the places above p . Let $U \subset (D \otimes_F \mathbb{A}_F^f)^\times$ be the open compact as in [20, 2.1.1]. Fix a continuous representation $\sigma : U \rightarrow \text{Aut}(\prod_v W_{\sigma_v})$ such that

$$W_{\sigma_v} = \text{Sym}^{k_v-2} \theta_{F_v}^2 \otimes \sigma(\tau_v) \otimes \det^{w_v}, \quad \forall v|p$$

with w_v an integer and $\tau_v : I_v \rightarrow \text{GL}_2(E)$ a representation with open kernel, and σ is trivial at other places. Fix a character $\psi : (\mathbb{A}_F^f)^\times / F^\times \rightarrow \theta^\times$ so that at any $U_v \cap \theta_{F_v}^\times$, σ is given by ψ . Extend σ to be a representation of the product $U(\mathbb{A}_F^f)^\times$ by letting the second component act by ψ . Let $S_{\sigma, \psi}(U, \theta)$ be the set of continuous functions $f : D^\times \backslash (D \otimes_F \mathbb{A}_F^f)^\times \rightarrow \prod_v W_{\sigma_v}$ defined in [20, 2.1.1], which is chosen to be a finite projective θ -module by shrinking U ; cf. [20, 2.1.2].

We take S to be the union of $\Sigma_p := \Sigma \cup \{v, v|p\}$ and some other unramified places v such that $U_v \subset D_v^\times$ consists of matrices which are upper triangular and unipotent modulo ϖ_v . Consider a continuous absolutely irreducible representation

$$\bar{\rho} : G_{F,S} \rightarrow \text{GL}_2(\mathbb{F})$$

such that there is an eigenform $f \in S_{\sigma, \psi}(U, \theta)$ with the associated Galois representation reducing to $\bar{\rho}$; cf. [20, 2.2.3] for additional technical conditions on $\bar{\rho}$. We have the universal deformation ring $R_{F,S} := R^{\text{ver}}(\bar{\rho})$ analogous to the local setting.

In the following, it is more convenient to use the universal framed deformation rings; see, for example, [18, Section 2] for basics. Note that by [18, Proposition 2.1] a universal framed deformation ring R^\square is formally smooth over a corresponding versal deformation ring R^{ver} , and that all the closed points of $\text{Spec } R^\square[1/p]$ lying above a given closed point of $\text{Spec } R^{\text{ver}}[1/p]$ give rise to isomorphic representations. Hence our main results in Section 5 hold for framed deformation rings.

We add the superscript \square to the notation of deformation rings to indicate framed deformations, and as before use the superscript ψ to indicate the deformations with fixed determinant ψ . Among them, the universal framed deformation ring $R_{F,S}^\square$ of the global absolutely

irreducible $\bar{\rho}$ is defined by considering deformations of $\bar{\rho}$, together with the lifts of a fixed basis of (the representation space of) $\bar{\rho}|_{G_{F_v}}$ for each $v \in \Sigma_p$. In particular, this gives a natural map of \mathcal{O} -algebras $R_{\Sigma_p}^{\square, \psi} := \widehat{\otimes} R_v^{\square, \psi} \rightarrow R_{F, S}^{\square, \psi}$, where $R_v^{\square, \psi}$ is the local framed deformation ring of $\bar{\rho}|_{G_{F_v}}$. We denote the various quotient rings analogously.

Let Q_n (for any $n \geq 1$) be the set of auxiliary primes as in [20, 2.2.4], for which $h := |Q_n| = \dim_{\mathbb{F}} H^1(G_{F, S}, \text{ad}^0 \bar{\rho}(1))$ is independent of n and $R_{S_{Q_n}}^{\square, \psi}$ ($S_{Q_n} = S \cup Q_n$ and U_v for $v \in Q_n$ are defined as in [20, 2.1.6]) is topologically generated by $g = h + j - d$ elements as an $R_{\Sigma_p}^{\square, \psi}$ -algebra, with $j = 4|\Sigma_p| - 1$ and $d = [F : \mathbb{Q}] + 3|\Sigma_p|$. Set

$$M_n = S_{\sigma, \psi}(U_{Q_n}, \mathcal{O})_{\mathfrak{m}_{Q_n}} \otimes_{R_{F, S_{Q_n}}^{\square, \psi}} R_{F, S_{Q_n}}^{\square, \psi},$$

where the ideal \mathfrak{m}_{Q_n} is associated to $\bar{\rho}$ and Q_n as in [20, 2.1.5, 2.1.6], and $U_{Q_n} = \prod_{v \in Q_n} U_v$.

Fix a K -stable filtration of $W_{\sigma} \otimes_{\mathcal{O}} \mathbb{F}$ by \mathbb{F} -vector spaces:

$$0 = L_0 \subset \dots \subset L_s = W_{\sigma} \otimes_{\mathcal{O}} \mathbb{F},$$

such that the graded piece $\sigma_i = L_{i+1}/L_i$ is absolutely irreducible, which then has the form $\sigma_i = \otimes_{v|p} \sigma_{n_{i,v}, m_{i,v}}$, with $n_{i,v} \in \{0, \dots, p-1\}$ and $m_{i,v} \in \{0, \dots, p-2\}$. This induces a filtration $\{M_n^i\}$ on $M_n \otimes_{\mathcal{O}} \mathbb{F}$ for any $n \geq 0$. Let $\mathfrak{c}_n \subset \mathcal{O}[[y_1, \dots, y_{h+j}]]$ be the ideal as in [20, 2.2.9]. There are maps of $R_{\Sigma_p}^{\square, \psi}[[x_1, \dots, x_g]]$ -modules $f_n : M_{n+1}/\mathfrak{c}_{n+1}M_{n+1} \rightarrow M_n/\mathfrak{c}_nM_n$ compatible with the filtrations (modulo ϖ). The R_{∞} -module $M_{\infty} = \varprojlim M_n/\mathfrak{c}_nM_n$ is finite free as an $\mathcal{O}[[y_1, \dots, y_{h+j}]]$ -module, whose reduction mod ϖ has a filtration

$$0 = M_{\infty}^0 \subset \dots \subset M_{\infty}^s = M_{\infty} \otimes_{\mathcal{O}} \mathbb{F},$$

each of whose graded pieces is a finite free $\mathbb{F}[[y_1, \dots, y_{h+j}]]$ -module.

As explained in [20, 2.2.10], the action of $R_v^{\square, \psi}$ on M_{∞} for $v|p$ factors through the potentially semi-stable quotient $\bar{R}_v^{\square, \psi}$, twist of $R_v^{\square, \psi}(k_v, \tau_v, \bar{\rho}|_{G_{F_v}} \otimes \omega^{-w_v})$, and for $v \in \Sigma$ factors through certain quotient $\bar{R}_v^{\square, \psi}$ whose closed points parametrize extensions of γ_v by $\gamma_v(1)$, where γ_v is the unramified character such that $\gamma_v^2 = \psi|_{G_{F_v}}$. Denote $\bar{R}_{\Sigma_p}^{\square, \psi} := \widehat{\otimes}_{v \in \Sigma_p} \bar{R}_v^{\square, \psi}$. It can be shown that $\bar{R}_{\Sigma_p}^{\square, \psi}$ is of relative dimension d over \mathcal{O} . Now M_{∞} is an $\bar{R}_{\infty} = \bar{R}_{\Sigma_p}^{\square, \psi}[[x_1, \dots, x_g]]$ -module.

Let $i \in \{1, \dots, s\}$. For $v \in \Sigma$ and $v|p$ such that $\bar{\rho}|_{G_{F_v}}$ is not a twist of $\begin{pmatrix} \omega & * \\ 0 & \mathbb{1} \end{pmatrix}$, let $\bar{R}_{v,i}^{\square, \psi}$ be as in the proof of [20, 2.2.15]. Otherwise, we define for $v|p$ with $\bar{\rho}|_{G_{F_v}}$ (possibly split) peu ramifié (resp. très ramifié) that

$$\bar{R}_{v,i}^{\square, \psi} = R^{\square, \psi_{i,v}}(2, (\tilde{\omega}^{m_{i,v}})^{\oplus 2}, \bar{\rho}|_{G_{F_v}}) / \varpi_v$$

with $\psi_{i,v} : G_{F_v} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}^{\times}$ any character such that $\psi_{i,v}|_{I_{F_v}} = \epsilon^{n_{i,v}} \tilde{\omega}^{2m_{i,v}}$ and $\psi_{i,v} \equiv \psi|_{G_{F_v}} \pmod{\varpi_v}$ (cf. [20, 2.2.13]). That is, we use the semi-stable instead of crystalline deformation rings in the latter cases as building blocks, because of the appearance of components of semi-stable non-crystalline points. Then we form the completed tensor product $\bar{R}_{\Sigma_p, i}^{\square, \psi}$ of the $\bar{R}_{v,i}^{\square, \psi}$ for all $v \in \Sigma_p$ and set $\bar{R}_{\infty}^i := \bar{R}_{\Sigma_p, i}^{\square, \psi}[[x_1, \dots, x_g]]$.

LEMMA 6.1. – *For any $i = 1, \dots, s$, the support of the \bar{R}_{∞}^i -module $M_{\infty}^i/M_{\infty}^{i-1}$ is all of $\text{Spec } \bar{R}_{\infty}^i$.*

Proof. – This is a modification of the proof of [20, 2.2.15], which uses the existence of modular liftings of prescribed type. For the latter in the cases that $\bar{\rho}|_{G_{F_v}}$ is a twist of $\begin{pmatrix} \omega & * \\ 0 & \mathbb{1} \end{pmatrix}$ ($v|p$), which is not treated in [20], we use [18, Theorem 9.7] as follows.

Suppose we are in these cases. By [4, Theorem 5.3.1(i)], we know that the cycle $\mathcal{Z}(R^{\square, \psi_{i,v}}(2, (\tilde{\omega}^{m_{i,v}})^{\oplus 2}, \bar{\rho}|_{G_{F_v}})/\varpi)$ is irreducible if $\bar{\rho}$ is très ramifié. In the (possibly split) peu ramifié case, it is the sum of two irreducible components, one of which is just $\mathcal{Z}(R_{\text{cr}}^{\square, \psi_{i,v}}(2, (\tilde{\omega}^{m_{i,v}})^{\oplus 2}, \bar{\rho}|_{G_{F_v}})/\varpi)$, and the other of which is the closure of the semi-stable non-crystalline points, as predicted by the Breuil-Mézard conjecture. Now [18, Theorem 9.7] tells us that the support of $M_{\infty}^i/M_{\infty}^{i-1}$, as an \bar{R}_{∞}^i -module, meets each irreducible component of \bar{R}_{∞}^i , and in fact consists of all of it by dimension counting; cf. the proof of [20, 2.2.15]. \square

PROPOSITION 6.2. – M_{∞} is a faithful \bar{R}_{∞} -module.

Proof. – Recall Theorem 5.11 and the main result of [26]. Now the result follows from Lemma 6.1 and the argument of [20, 2.2.17]. \square

THEOREM 6.3. – Let F be a totally real field in which p splits. Let $\rho : G_{F,S} \rightarrow \text{GL}_2(\theta)$ be a continuous representation such that $\bar{\rho}$ is odd, $\bar{\rho}|_{G_{F(\zeta_p)}}$ is absolutely irreducible, the restriction $\rho|_{G_{F_v}}$ for each place $v|p$ is potentially semi-stable of distinct Hodge-Tate weights, and the residual representation $\bar{\rho}$ is modular. Then ρ comes from a Hilbert modular form.

As a consequence, Theorem 1.4 holds.

Proof. – By Proposition 6.2 and [20, 2.2.11], the modularity holds in the case that $\rho|_{I_{F_v}}, v \in \Sigma$, is an extension of γ_v by $\gamma_v(1)$. The general case then follows from the base change arguments as in the proof of [20, 2.2.18]. For Theorem 1.4, one only needs that $\bar{\rho}$ is modular, which is the main result of [17], [18]. \square

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