

# Defining L-functions in GP

## A tutorial

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## Riemann $\zeta$ function

```
? Zeta = lfuncreate(1)
%1 = [[Vecsmall([1]),1],0,[0],1,1,1,1]
? lfun(Zeta,2)
%2 = 1.6449340668482264364724151666460251892
? lfun(Zeta,0,1)
%3 = -0.91893853320467274178032973640561763986
? lfun(Zeta,1)
%4 = 1.00000000000*x^-1+O(x^0)
? lfun(Zeta,1+x+O(x^10))
%5 = 1.0000000000*x^-1+0.5772156+0.0728158*x-0.00484
? lfunzeros(Zeta,20)
%6 = [14.134725141734693790457251983562470271]
? lfunlambda(Zeta,2)
%7 = 0.52359877559829887307710723054658381403
```

## Dirichlet $L$ functions

```

? G=znstar(4,1); G.clgp
%8 = [2, [2], [3]]
? Dir=lfuncreate([G, [1]]); lfunparams(Dir)
%9 = [4, 1, [1]]
? lfunan(Dir, 30)
%10 = [1, 0, -1, 0, 1, 0, -1, 0, 1, 0, -1, 0, 1, 0, -1, 0, 1, 0, -1, 0, -1, 0, 1, 0, -1, 0, 1, 0, -1, 0]
? lfun(Dir, 2)
%11 = 0.91596559417721901505460351493238411078
? Catalan
%12 = 0.91596559417721901505460351493238411077
? znconreyexp(G, [1])
%13 = 3
? lfun(Mod(3,4), 2)
%14 = 0.91596559417721901505460351493238411078

```

## Dedekind $\zeta$ functions

```
? Dedek = lfuncreate(x^2+1); lfunparams(Dedek)
%15 = [4, 1, [0, 1]]
? lfun(Dedek, 2)
%16 = 1.5067030099229850308865650481820713960
? lfuneuler(Dedek, 3)
%17 = 1/(-x^2+1)
? zeta(2)*Catalan
%18 = 1.5067030099229850308865650481820713960
? L=lfunmul(Zeta, Mod(3, 4)); lfun(L, 2)
%19 = 1.5067030099229850308865650481820713960
? L2=lfundiv(Dedek, 1); lfun(L2, 2)
%20 = 0.91596559417721901505460351493238411078
? lfuneuler(L2, 3)
%21 = 1/(x+1)
```

## Hecke $L$ functions

```
? bnf = bnfinit(a^2+23);  
? bnr = bnrinit(bnf, 1); bnr.clgp  
%23 = [3, [3]]  
? Hecke = lfuncreate([bnr, [1]]);  
? lfunparams(Hecke)  
%25 = [23, 1, [0, 1]]  
? lfuneuler(Hecke, 5)  
%26 = 1/(-x^2+1)  
? z=lfun(Hecke, 0, 1)  
%27 = 0.28119957432296184651205076406787829979+0.E-  
? algdep(exp(z), 3)  
%28 = x^3-x-1
```

## Abelian extension

Let  $L/K$  an Abelian extension. It is possible to build  $\zeta_L$  directly from class field theory parameters.

```
? bnr = bnrinit(bnf, 23); bnr.clgp
%29 = [759, [759]]
? ZL = lfuncreate([bnr, Mat(11)]);
? lfunparams(ZL)
%31 = [39471584120695485887249589623, 1, [0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0]]
? lfuneuler(ZL, 5)
%32 = 1/(-x^22+1)
? lfun(ZL, 1)
%33 = 0.20543374142343149269037323981188134330*x^-1
```

## Elliptic curves

For the elliptic curve  $y^2 + y = x^3 - x^2 - 10x - 20$ :

```
? E = ellinit([0,-1,1,-10,-20]);  
? lfun(E,1)  
%35 = 0.25384186085591068433775892335090946104  
? lfuneuler(E,5)  
%36 = 1/(5*x^2-x+1)  
? ellbsd(E)  
%37 = 0.25384186085591068433775892335090946104  
? lfunparams(E)  
%38 = [11,2,[0,1]]  
? L = lfun sympow(E,2); lfunparams(L)  
%39 = [121,3,[0,0,1]]
```

## Elliptic curves over number fields

We define the elliptic curve  $y^2 + xy + \phi x = x^3 + (\phi + 1)x^2 + x$  over the field  $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{5})$  where  $\phi = \frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}$ .

```
? nf = nfinit(a^2-5);
? phi = (1+a)/2;
? E = ellinit([1,phi+1,phi,phi,0],nf);
? E.j
%43 = Mod(-53104/31*a-1649/31,a^2-5)
? E.disc
%44 = Mod(-8*a+17,a^2-5)
? N = ellglobalred(E)[1]
%45 = [31,13;0,1]
? tor = elltors(E) \\ Z/8Z
%46 = [8,[8],[Mod(-1,a^2-5),Mod(-1/2*a+1/2,a^2-5)]]
```



## Elliptic curves over number fields

We check the BSD conjecture for  $E$ .

```
? om = E.omega
%47 = [[3.05217315, -2.39884477*I],
%      [8.43805989, 4.21902994-1.57216679*I]]
? per = om[1][1]*om[2][1];
? tam = elltamagawa(E)
%49 = 2
? bsd = (per*tam) / (tor[1]^2*sqrt(abs(nf.disc)))
%50 = 0.35992895949803944944002575466348575048
? ellbsd(E)
%51 = 0.35992895949803944944002575466348575048
? L1 = lfun(E,1)
%52 = 0.35992895949803944944002575466348575048
```

## lfuntwist

lfuntwist allows to twist an  $L$  function by a Dirichlet character.  
The conductors need to be coprime.

```
? E = ellinit([0,-1,1,-10,-20]);
? L=lfuntwist(E,Mod(2,5));
? lfunan(E,10)
%55 = [1,-2,-1,2,1,2,-2,0,-2,-2]
? lfunan(Mod(2,5),10)
%56 = [1,I,-I,-1,0,1,I,-I,-1,0]
? lfunan(L,10)
%57 = [1,-2*I,I,-2,0,2,-2*I,0,2,0]
```

## lfuntwist

We redefine the curve over  $\mathbb{Q}(\zeta_5)$ .

```
? nf=nfinit(polcyclo(5,'a'));  
? E2=ellinit(E[1..5],nf);  
? localbitprec(64); lfun(E2,2)  
%60 = 1.0543811873412420765  
? L2=lfuntwist(E,Mod(4,5));  
? lfun(E,2)*lfun(L2,2)*norm(lfun(L,2))  
%62 = 1.0543811873410821651289745964738865962
```

## Genus-2 curve

For the genus-2 curve  $y^2 + (x^3 + 1)y = x^2 + x$ :

```
? L=lfungenus2([x^2+x,x^3+1]);
? lfunparams(L)
%64 = [249, 2, [0, 0, 1, 1]]
? lfun(L, 1)
%65 = 0.13154950701147875921340134301217526069
? lfunan(L, 5)
%66 = [1, -2, -2, 1, 0]
```

## Galois group

We start with a Galois extension of the rationals, here  $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt[3]{2}, \zeta_3) = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt[6]{-108})$ , with Galois group isomorphic to  $S_3$ .

```
? N = nfinit(x^6+108);
```

```
? G = galoisinit(N);
```

$G$  is the Galois group of  $N$ .

## Linear representation

```
? [T,o] = galoischartable(G);
? T~
%70 = [1  1  1]
%      [1  1 -1]
%      [2 -1  0]
```

$T$  is the character table of  $G \cong \mathfrak{S}_3$ , which is defined over  $\mathbb{Z}$ . The first character is related to the trivial representation, the second to the signature, and the third to a faithful irreducible representation of dimension 2.

The ordering of the conjugacy classes is given by `galoisconjclasses(G)`.

```
? galoisconjclasses(G)
%71 = [[Vecsmall([1,2,3,4,5,6])], [Vecsmall([3,1,2,6
```

## Artin L-function

We compute the Artin function associated to the 3<sup>rd</sup> character.

```
? L = lfunartin(N,G,T[,3],o);
? lfuncheckfeq(L)
%73 = -138
? L[2..5]
%74 = [0, [0, 1], 1, 108]
? z = lfun(L,0,1)
%75 = 1.3473773483293841009181878914456530463
? algdep(exp(z),3)
%76 = x^3-3*x^2-3*x-1
```

which suggests that this function is equal to a Hecke L-function.

```
? bnr = bnrinit(bnfinit(a^2+a+1),6);
? lfunan([bnr,[1]],100)==lfunan(L,100)
%78 = 1
```

## A more interesting example

Let  $E$  be a model of the curve  $X_0(11)$

$E: y^2 + y = x^3 - x^2 - 10x - 20$ , we build the field  $\mathbb{Q}(E[3])$  generated by the coordinates of the points of 3-torsions.

```
? E=ellinit([0,-1,1,-10,-20]);
  \ or ellinit("11a1") if elldata is available
? P=elldivpol(E,3)
%80 = 3*x^4-4*x^3-60*x^2-237*x-21
? Q=polresultant(P,y^2-elldivpol(E,2))
%81 = 27*y^8+108*y^7-4813*y^6-14817*y^5+162543*y^4+
? R=nfsplitting(Q)
%82 = y^48-36*y^46+558*y^44-4588*y^42+24549*y^40-11
```

This defines a Galois extension of  $\mathbb{Q}$  with Galois group  $GL_2(\mathbb{F}_3)$ .



## Non monomial representation

```
? N=nfinit(R); G=galoisinit(N);
? [T,o]=galoischartable(G); T~
%84 = [1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1;
%      1,1,-1,1,1,1,-1,-1;
%      2,0,-y^3-y,1,-1,-2,0, y^3+y;
%      2,0, y^3+y,1,-1,-2,0,-y^3-y;
%      2,2,0,-1,-1,2,0,0;
%      3,-1,-1,0,0,3,1,-1;
%      3,-1,1,0,0,3,-1,1;
%      4,0,0,-1,1,-4,0,0]
? o
%85 = 8
```

$o = 8$  means that the variable  $y$  denotes a 8-th root of unity.

## Non monomial representation

```
? minpoly(Mod(y^3+y, polcyclo(o, y)))
%86 = x^2+2
```

So the coefficients are in  $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{-2})$ . We use the third irreducible representation.

```
? L = lfunartin(N, G, T[, 3], o);
? L[2..5]
%88 = [1, [0, 1], 1, 3267]
? lfuncheckfeq(L)
%89 = -127
```

## Determinant

```
? dT = galoischarDET(G, T[, 3], o)
%90 = [1, 1, -1, 1, 1, 1, -1, -1]~
? dL = lfunartin(N, G, dT, o);
? dL[2..5]
%92 = [0, [1], 1, 3];
```

So  $L$  is associate to a modular form of weight 1, level 3267 and nebentypus  $(\frac{-3}{\cdot})$ .

```
? mf=mfinit([3267, 1, -3], 1);
? M=mfeigenbasis(mf);
? C=mfcoefs(M[3], 100);
? mfembed(M[3], C)[2][2..-1]==lfunan(L, 100)
%96 = 1
```

## Link to E

We reduce the coefficients of  $L$  modulo  $1 + \sqrt{-2}$  of norm 3.

```
? S = lfunan(L,1000); SE = lfunan(E,1000);
? Smod3 = round(real(S))+round(imag(S)/sqrt(2));
? [(Smod3[i]-SE[i])%3|i<-[1..#Smod3],gcd(i,33)==1]
%99 = [0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,...
```

The coefficients of  $L$  are congruent to the coefficients of the  $L$ -function associated to  $E$  modulo  $1 + \sqrt{-2}$ .

## Quotient of Hecke $L$ -function

We will write  $L$  as  $L_1/L_2$ , where  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  are two Hecke  $L$ -functions.

```
? bnf6=bnfinit (a^6-3*a^5+6*a^4+4*a^3+6*a^2-3*a+1);
? bnr6=bnrinit (bnf6,1);
? L1=lfuncreate ([bnr6, [1]]);
? L1[2..5]
%103 = [1, [0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1], 1, 32019867]
? bnf4=bnfinit (a^4-a^3+3*a^2+a-1);
? pr4 = idealprimedec (bnf4,3) [1];
? bnr4=bnrinit (bnf4, [pr4, [0,1]]);
? L2=lfuncreate ([bnr4, [1]]);
? L2[2..5]
%108 = [0, [0, 0, 1, 1], 1, 9801]
```

## Quotient of Hecke $L$ -function

```
? LL = lfundiv(L1,L2); LL[2..5]
%109 = [0, [0, 1], 1, 3267]
? round(lfunan(L,1000)-lfunan(LL,1000), &e)
%110 = [0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, ...]
? e
%111 = -125
```

So  $L$  is equal to a quotient of two Hecke  $L$ -functions.