## 5. Eisenstein series and constant terms.

5.1 Definition of Eisenstein series. Let  $\pi$  be a cuspidal representation of  $\mathbf{M}(\mathbb{A})$ , and  $\mathbf{P} = P_{\theta} = \mathbf{M}\mathbf{N}$ , where  $\theta = \Delta - \{\alpha\}$ . For  $f_s \in I(s, \pi)$ , define the Eisenstein series

$$E(s, \pi, f_s, g) = \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbf{P}(F) \setminus \mathbf{G}(F)} f_s(\gamma g).$$

If  $f = \phi exp(\langle s\tilde{\alpha} + \rho_P, H_P() \rangle)$ , then we denote it by

$$E(s, \pi, \phi, g) = \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbf{P}(F) \backslash \mathbf{G}(F)} \phi(\gamma g) exp(\langle s\tilde{\alpha} + \rho_P, H_P(\gamma g) \rangle).$$

Example 5.1. Let  $\mathbf{G} = GL_2$ , and  $\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{B}$ , the Borel subgroup. By the strong approximation,  $GL_2(\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{Q}}) = GL_2(\mathbb{Q})GL_2^+(\mathbb{R})K$ , where  $K = \prod_p K_p$ , where  $K_p = GL_2(\mathbb{Z}_p)$  for all p, and  $K_{\infty} = SO(2)$ . Then  $GL_2(\mathbb{Q}) \cap GL_2^+(\mathbb{R})K = SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$ . (If  $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in K \cap GL_2(\mathbb{Q})$ , then  $a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{Z}_p \cap \mathbb{Q}$  for all p. Hence  $a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{Z}$ , and  $det \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = 1$ .) Hence  $GL_2(\mathbb{Q}) = SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \cdot \mathbf{B}(\mathbb{Q})$ . (Note that  $GL_2(\mathbb{Q}) \subset GL_2^+(\mathbb{R}) \cdot K \cdot \mathbf{B}(\mathbb{Q})$ .) So

$$\mathbf{B}(\mathbb{Q})\backslash\mathbf{G}(\mathbb{Q})\simeq (SL_2(\mathbb{Z})\cap\mathbf{B}(\mathbb{Q}))\backslash SL_2(\mathbb{Z}).$$

Now take  $\phi = 1$  and  $g = \begin{pmatrix} y^{\frac{1}{2}} & y^{-\frac{1}{2}}x \\ 0 & y^{-\frac{1}{2}} \end{pmatrix}$ , y > 0. Then by identifying  $\mathfrak a$  with  $\mathbb R$ , we see that  $\tilde \alpha = \rho_P$ ,  $H_P(g) = \log y$  and  $\exp(\langle s\tilde \alpha + \rho_P, H_P(g) \rangle) = y^{\frac{s+1}{2}}$ . Note that  $g \cdot i = z = x + yi$  and  $Im(\gamma z) = \frac{Imz}{|cz+d|^2}$ , where  $\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$ , and  $\gamma z = \frac{az+b}{cz+d}$ . Hence

$$E(s,1,g) = \sum_{\gamma \in (SL_2(\mathbb{Q}) \cap \mathbf{B}(\mathbb{Q})) \setminus SL_2(\mathbb{Z})} Im(\gamma z)^{\frac{s+1}{2}} = \sum_{\substack{(c,d) \in \mathbb{Z}^2 \\ gcd(c,d)=1}} \frac{y^{\frac{s+1}{2}}}{|cz+d|^{s+1}}.$$

If we use the fact that every non-zero  $(m,n) \in \mathbb{Z}^2$  can be written as  $\alpha \cdot (c,d)$ , where  $\alpha \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ , gcd(c,d) = 1, then

$$E(s,1,g) = \frac{1}{\zeta(s+1)} \sum_{\alpha=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\alpha^{s+1}} \sum_{\substack{(c,d) \in \mathbb{Z}^2 \\ gcd(c,d)=1}} \frac{y^{\frac{s+1}{2}}}{|cz+d|^{s+1}} = \frac{1}{\zeta(s+1)} \sum_{\substack{(m,n) \neq (0,0)}} \frac{y^{\frac{s+1}{2}}}{|mz+n|^{s+1}}.$$

This is the classical Eisenstein series.

## Theorem 5.2 (Langlands; Basic properties of Eisenstein series).

- (1)  $E(s, \pi, f_s, g)$  is absolutely convergent for  $Re(s) > \langle \rho_P, \alpha \rangle = \frac{2(\rho_P, \alpha)}{(\alpha, \alpha)}$ .
- (2)  $E(s, \pi, f_s, g)$  and  $M(s, \pi)$  have meromorphic continuation to all of  $\mathbb{C}$  and satisfies a functional equation

$$E(-s, w_0(\pi), M(s, \pi)f_s, g) = E(s, \pi, f_s, g); \quad M(-s, w_0(\pi))M(s, \pi) = id.$$

- (3)  $E(s, \pi, f_s, g)$  and  $M(s, \pi)$  are holomorphic on Re(s) = 0.
- (4) (adjoint formula) Suppose **P** is self-conjugate, and consider  $M(s, \pi)$  as an intertwining operator for  $\mathcal{H}$ . Then

$$(M(s,\pi)\phi_1,\phi_2) = (\phi_1, M(\bar{s},\pi)\phi_2).$$

Namely,  $M(s,\pi)^* = M(\bar{s},\pi)$ .

- (5) The singularities of  $E(s, \pi, \phi, g)$  and  $M(s, \pi)$  are the same. In the region Re(s) > 0, there are only finitely many of them, all are simple and on the interval,  $(0, \langle \rho_P, \alpha \rangle)$ . (Here note that we normalized  $\pi$  so that it is trivial on  $\mathbf{A}(\mathbb{R})_+$ .)
- (6)  $(M(s,\pi)\phi_1,\phi_2)$  is bounded in vertical strips  $T_{\epsilon,I} = \{z \in \mathbb{C} | Re(z) \in I, Im(z) \geq \epsilon\}$ , where  $\epsilon > 0$  and I is a closed positive real interval.
- 5.2 Constant terms. Define the constant term of  $E(s, \pi, \phi, g)$  along a parabolic subgroup  $\mathbf{Q} = \mathbf{M}_Q \mathbf{N}_Q$  by

$$E_Q(s, \pi, \phi, g) = \int_{\mathbf{N}_Q(F) \setminus \mathbf{N}_Q(\mathbb{A})} E(s, \pi, \phi, ng) \, dn.$$

**Theorem 5.3.** Unless  $\mathbf{Q} = \mathbf{P}, \mathbf{P}', E_Q(s, \pi, \phi, g) = 0$ . If  $\mathbf{P}$  is self-conjugate, i.e.,  $\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{P}', then$ 

$$E_P(s,\pi,\phi,g) = \phi(g) exp(\langle s\tilde{\alpha} + \rho_P, H_P(g) \rangle) + M(s,\pi)\phi(g) exp(\langle -s\tilde{\alpha} + \rho_P, H_P(g) \rangle).$$

If P is not self-conjugate, then

$$E_P(s, \pi, \phi, g) = \phi(g) exp(\langle s\tilde{\alpha} + \rho_P, H_P(g) \rangle),$$
  

$$E_{P'}(s, \pi, \phi, g) = M(s, \pi)\phi(g) exp(\langle -s\tilde{\alpha} + \rho_P, H_P(g) \rangle)$$

*Proof.* Use Bruhat decomposition: Let  $\theta_1, \theta_2 \subset \Delta$  and let  $\mathbf{P}_i = P_{\theta_i}$  for i = 1, 2. Then

$$\mathbf{G}(F) = \bigcup_{w \in W_{\theta_1} \setminus W/W_{\theta_2}} \mathbf{P}_1(F) w^{-1} \mathbf{P}_2(F),$$

where  $W_{\theta_i}$  is the subgroup of W generated by  $\{w_{\alpha} | \alpha \in \theta_i\}$ . We use the following three facts from Casselman:

(1) There are canonical double coset representatives in  $W_{\theta_1} \setminus W/W_{\theta_2}$ . They are given by  $W(\theta_1, \theta_2) = \{ w \in W | w(\alpha) > 0 \text{ for } \alpha \in \theta_1 \text{ and } w^{-1}(\beta) > 0 \text{ for } \beta \in \theta_2 \}$ .

(2) The product map induces an isomorphism

$$P_{\theta_1} \times \{w^{-1}\} \times \prod_{\substack{\alpha \in \Phi_+ - \Sigma_{\theta_2}^+ \\ w^{-1}(\alpha) \notin \Phi_+ - \Sigma_{\theta_1}^+}} U_{\alpha} \simeq P_{\theta_1} w^{-1} P_{\theta_2}.$$

(3) The canonical projection induces an isomorphism

$$\prod_{\substack{\alpha \in \Phi_+ - \Sigma_{\theta_2}^+ \\ w^{-1}(\alpha) \notin \Phi_+ - \Sigma_{\theta_1}^+}} U_{\alpha} \simeq (w N_{\theta_1} w^{-1} \cap N_{\theta_2}) \backslash N_{\theta_2}.$$

Apply this to  $\theta = \theta_1$ . Let  $\mathbf{N}_1 = w \mathbf{N} w^{-1} \cap N_{\theta_2}$ .

$$\begin{split} E_{P_{\theta_2}}(s,\pi,\phi,g) &= \int_{N_{\theta_2}(F)\backslash N_{\theta_2}(\mathbb{A})} \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbf{P}(F)\backslash \mathbf{G}(F)} \phi(\gamma ng) exp(\langle s\tilde{\alpha} + \rho_P, H_P(\gamma ng) \rangle) \, dn \\ &= \sum_{w \in W(\theta,\theta_2)} \sum_{n' \in \mathbf{N}_1(F)\backslash N_{\theta_2}(F)} \int_{N_{\theta_2}(F)\backslash N_{\theta_2}(\mathbb{A})} \phi(w^{-1}n'ng) exp(\langle s\tilde{\alpha} + \rho_P, H_P(w^{-1}n'ng) \rangle) \, dn \\ &= \sum_{w \in W(\theta,\theta_2)} \int_{\mathbf{N}_1(F)\backslash N_{\theta_2}(\mathbb{A})} \phi(w^{-1}ng) exp(\langle s\tilde{\alpha} + \rho_P, H_P(w^{-1}ng) \rangle) \, dn \end{split}$$

Here  $m \mapsto \phi(mg)$  belongs to the space of  $\pi$ . So it is a cusp form. Note that  $w^{-1}P_{\theta_2}w \cap \mathbf{M}$  is parabolic in  $\mathbf{M}$  with unipotent radical  $w^{-1}N_{\theta_2}w \cap \mathbf{M}$ . Hence if  $w^{-1}N_{\theta_2}w \cap \mathbf{M} \neq 1$ ,

$$\int_{\mathbf{N}_1(F)\backslash N_{\theta_2}(\mathbb{A})} \phi(w^{-1}ng) exp(\langle s\tilde{\alpha} + \rho_P, H_P(w^{-1}ng) \rangle) dn = 0,$$

since  $\int_{\mathbf{N}''(F)\backslash\mathbf{N}''(\mathbb{A})} \phi(w^{-1}ng) exp(\langle s\tilde{\alpha}+\rho_P, H_P(w^{-1}ng)\rangle) dn = 0$ , where  $\mathbf{N}'' = w\mathbf{M}w^{-1} \cap N_{\theta_2}$ .

If  $w^{-1}N_{\theta_2}w \cap \mathbf{M} = 1$ ,  $w\mathbf{M}w^{-1} \cap N_{\theta_2} = 1$ . Since  $w(\theta) > 0$ ,  $w(\theta) \subset \Sigma_{\theta_2}^+$ . So  $w(\Sigma_{\theta}^+) \subset \Sigma_{\theta_2}^+$ . Hence  $w\mathbf{M}w^{-1} \subset M_{\theta_2}$ . Since  $\mathbf{M}$  is a maximal Levi subgroup,  $w\mathbf{M}w^{-1} = M_{\theta_2}$ . This implies that  $w(\theta) = \theta_2$ . (If  $w(\alpha) = \beta + \gamma$ , where  $\beta, \gamma \in \Sigma_{\theta_2}^+$ , then  $\alpha = w^{-1}(\beta) + w^{-1}(\gamma)$  with  $w^{-1}(\beta), w^{-1}(\gamma) > 0$ . This contradicts to the fact that  $\alpha$  is simple.) If  $\mathbf{P}$  is self-conjugate, there are two elements, namely  $w = 1, w_0$  such that  $w(\theta) = \theta$ . Here we normalize the measure on the compact set  $\mathbf{N}(F) \setminus \mathbf{N}(A)$  so that  $\int_{\mathbf{N}(F) \setminus \mathbf{N}(A)} dn = 1$ . So if w = 1, it gives rise to  $\phi(g) exp(\langle s\tilde{\alpha} + \rho_P, H_P(g) \rangle)$ . If  $w = w_0$ , we obtain

$$\int_{\mathbf{N}(\mathbb{A})} \phi(w_0^{-1} n g) exp(\langle s\tilde{\alpha} + \rho_P, H_P(w_0^{-1} n g) \rangle) dn$$

which is exactly  $M(s,\pi)\phi(g)exp(\langle -s\tilde{\alpha}+\rho_P, H_P(w_0^{-1}ng)\rangle)$ . The other case is similar.

Let us illustrate the above proof with an example: Let  $\mathbf{G} = Sp(4)$ ,  $\mathbf{P} = P_{\theta}$ ,  $\theta = \{e_1 - e_2\}$ . Then  $\mathbf{M} \simeq GL_2$ , and  $W(\theta, \theta) = \{1, c_2, w_0 = (1\ 2)c_1c_2\}$ , where  $c_1, c_2$  are sign changes. If  $w = c_2$ , then  $w^{-1}\mathbf{N}w \cap \mathbf{M} = U_{e_1-e_2} = \{diag(\begin{pmatrix} 1 & x \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -x \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix})\}$ .

5.3 Pseudo-Eisenstein series. Note that  $\mathbf{N}(\mathbb{A})\mathbf{M}(F)\backslash\mathbf{G}(\mathbb{A})=(\mathbf{M}(F)\backslash\mathbf{M}(\mathbb{A})^1)$ .  $\mathbf{A}(\mathbb{R})_+\cdot K$ . Then  $exp(\langle s\tilde{\alpha}, H_P(y)\rangle)=y^s$  for  $y\in\mathbf{A}(\mathbb{R})_+\simeq\mathbb{R}_+$ . We choose measures  $dm_1$  on  $\mathbf{M}(\mathbb{A})^1$  and da on  $\mathbf{A}(\mathbb{R})_+$  (multiplicative measure, i.e.,  $\frac{dy}{y}$ , where dy is a measure on  $\mathbb{R}$ ) so that

$$\int_{\mathbf{G}(\mathbb{A})} f(g) dg = \int_{\mathbf{N}(\mathbb{A})} \int_{\mathbf{M}(\mathbb{A})^1} \int_{\mathbf{A}(\mathbb{R})_+} \int_K f(nm_1 ak) e^{-\langle 2\rho_P, H_P(a) \rangle} dk da dm_1 dn.$$

Now  $E(s, \pi, \phi, g)$  is an automorphic form (see the lecture by J. Cogdell for the precise definition) for any s, and for the trace formula, we need  $E(s, \pi, \phi, g)$  for Re(s) = 0. Since non-constant terms are rapidly decreasing, they are square integrable. However, since the integral  $\int_1^\infty y^s dy$  is convergent only for s < -1,  $E(s, \pi, \phi, g)$  is not square integrable at Re(s) = 0. It is integrable if  $-\langle \rho_P, \alpha \rangle < Re(s) < \langle \rho_P, \alpha \rangle$ . In order to obtain square integrable automorphic forms, we need to multiply  $\phi$  by special type of functions, namely, Paley-Wiener type functions (Fourier transform of compactly supported functions on  $\mathbb{R}_+$ ).

Consider  $\Phi(g,s) = \phi(g)h(s)$ , where  $\phi \in \mathcal{H}$  and h is a Schwartz function, namely,

$$h(s) = \int_0^\infty \hat{h}(y) y^{-s} \frac{dy}{y},$$

where  $\hat{h} \in C_c^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}_+)$ . Now let  $y = e^x$  and  $s = \sigma + it$ . Then

$$h(s) = \int_{-infty}^{\infty} \hat{h}(e^x)e^{-x(\sigma+it)} dx.$$

By Fourier inversion formula,

$$\hat{h}(e^x)e^{-x\sigma} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(s)e^{ixt} dt.$$

So we have

$$\hat{h}(y) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(s) y^s \, dt = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{Re(s) = \sigma > 0} h(s) y^s \, ds,$$

where  $s = \sigma + it$  (note that ds = idt).

Let  $\hat{\Phi}(g) = \phi(g)\hat{h}(exp(\langle \tilde{\alpha}_P, H_P(g) \rangle))$ . Here note that  $exp(\langle \tilde{\alpha}, H_P(g) \rangle) = y$ , where  $y \in \mathbf{A}(\mathbb{R})_+$ , in the decomposition  $\mathbf{N}(\mathbb{A})\mathbf{M}(F)\backslash\mathbf{G}(\mathbb{A}) = \mathbf{M}(F)\backslash\mathbf{M}(\mathbb{A})^1 \cdot \mathbb{A}(\mathbb{R})_+ \cdot K$ . We define the pseudo-Eisenstein series

$$\theta_{\hat{\Phi}}(g) = \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbf{P}(F) \backslash \mathbf{G}(F)} \hat{\Phi}(\gamma g) exp(\langle \rho_P, H_P(\gamma g) \rangle) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{Re(s) = \sigma >> 0} h(s) E(s, \pi, \phi, g) \, ds.$$

Here  $\theta_{\hat{\Phi}}$  converges absolutely and  $\theta_{\Phi} \in L^2(\mathbf{G}(F) \backslash \mathbf{G}(\mathbb{A}), \omega)$ .

Sometimes, we put together  $\phi$  and h:  $\Phi(g,s)$  is the Fourier transform:

$$\Phi(g,s) = \int_0^\infty \hat{\Phi}(yg) exp(\langle -s\tilde{\alpha} - \rho_P, H_P(y) \rangle) dy,$$

where  $y \in \mathbf{A}(\mathbb{R})_+$  and  $\hat{\Phi}$  is a function on  $\mathbf{N}(\mathbb{A})\mathbf{M}(F)\backslash \mathbf{G}(\mathbb{A})$  such that  $y \longmapsto \hat{\Phi}(yg)$  is compactly supported in  $\mathbf{A}(\mathbb{R})_+$ . For each s,  $\Phi(g,s) \in I(s,\pi)$ . Now let  $y = e^x$  and  $s = \sigma + it$ . Then

$$\Phi(g,s) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \hat{\Phi}(e^x g) exp(\langle -\rho_P, H_P(e^x) \rangle) e^{-x(\sigma+it)} dx.$$

By Fourier inversion formula,

$$\hat{\Phi}(e^x g) exp(\langle -\rho_P, H_P(e^x) \rangle) e^{-x\sigma} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \Phi(g, s) e^{ixt} dt.$$

By letting x = 0, we have

$$\hat{\Phi}(g) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \Phi(g, s) \, dt = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{Re(s) = \sigma > 0} \Phi(g, s) \, ds,$$

where  $s = \sigma + it$ . Let

$$\theta_{\hat{\Phi}}(g) = \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbf{P}(F) \backslash \mathbf{G}(F)} \hat{\Phi}(\gamma g) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{Re(s) = \sigma > 0} E(s, \pi, \Phi, g) \, ds.$$

We can define  $\theta_{\hat{\Phi}}$  for all parabolic subgroups. Let  $L^2(\mathbf{G}(F)\backslash\mathbf{G}(\mathbb{A}),\omega)_{(M,\pi)}$  be the closure of the subspace of  $L^2(\mathbf{G}(F)\backslash\mathbf{G}(\mathbb{A}),\omega)$  generated by all such  $\theta_{\hat{\Phi}}$ . We put an equivalence relation on  $(M,\pi)$ , namely,  $(M_1,\pi_1)\sim(M_2,\pi_2)$  if there exists  $w\in W$  such that  $w(M_1)=M_2$  and  $w(\pi_1)\simeq\pi_2$ . Then

## Theorem 5.4 (Langlands).

- (1)  $L^2(\mathbf{G}(F)\backslash\mathbf{G}(\mathbb{A}),\omega) = \bigoplus_{(M,\pi)} L^2(\mathbf{G}(F)\backslash\mathbf{G}(\mathbb{A}),\omega)_{(M,\pi)}$ .
- (2)  $L^2_{dis}(\mathbf{G}(F)\backslash\mathbf{G}(\mathbb{A}),\omega)_{(M,\pi)}$ , the discrete spectrum, is spanned by residues of Eisenstein series. If  $\mathbf{P}$  is maximal, they are the residues of  $E(s,\pi,\Phi,g)$  for  $0 < s \le \langle \rho_P, \alpha \rangle$ . (We move the contour  $Re(s) = \sigma >> 0$  to Re(s) = 0.)

(3)  $L^2_{cont}(\mathbf{G}(F)\backslash\mathbf{G}(\mathbb{A}),\omega)_{(M,\pi)}$ , the continous spectrum. If  $\mathbf{P}$  is maximal, it is spanned by

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{Re(s)=0} E(s,\pi,\Phi,g) \, ds.$$

(4) Let  $L^2_{dis}(\mathbf{G}(F)\backslash\mathbf{G}(\mathbb{A}),\omega)$  be the discrete spectrum. Then

$$\begin{split} L^2_{dis}(\mathbf{G}(F)\backslash\mathbf{G}(\mathbb{A}),\omega) &= \oplus_{(M,\pi)} L^2_{dis}(\mathbf{G}(F)\backslash\mathbf{G}(\mathbb{A}),\omega)_{(M,\pi)} \\ &= L^2_{cusp}(\mathbf{G}(F)\backslash\mathbf{G}(\mathbb{A}),\omega) \oplus L^2_{res}(\mathbf{G}(F)\backslash\mathbf{G}(\mathbb{A}),\omega), \end{split}$$

where  $L^2_{res}(\mathbf{G}(F)\backslash\mathbf{G}(\mathbb{A}),\omega) = \bigoplus_{(M,\pi),M\neq G} L^2_{dis}(\mathbf{G}(F)\backslash\mathbf{G}(\mathbb{A}),\omega)_{(M,\pi)}.$  (5) (inner product of two pseudo-Eisenstein series) Suppose  $\mathbf{P}$  is maximal.

$$\begin{split} \langle \theta_{\hat{\Phi}_1}, \theta_{\hat{\Phi}_2} \rangle &= \int_{\mathbf{Z}(\mathbb{A})\mathbf{G}(F) \backslash \mathbf{G}(\mathbb{A})} \theta_{\hat{\Phi}_1}(g) \overline{\theta_{\hat{\Phi}_2}(g)} \, dg \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{Re(s) = \sigma > 0} \sum_{w \in W(\pi_1, \pi_2)} (M(s, \pi, w) \Phi_1(s), \Phi_2(-w\bar{s})) \, ds, \end{split}$$

where  $W(\pi_1, \pi_2)$  is the set of Weyl group elements such that  $w(M_1, \pi_1) = (M_2, \pi_2)$ . Hence  $W(\pi_1, \pi_2) = 1$  or  $\{1, w_0\}$ . Especially,  $L^2$ -norm of  $\theta_{\hat{\Phi}}$  is

$$\begin{split} ||\theta_{\hat{\Phi}}||^2 &= \int_{\mathbf{Z}(\mathbb{A})\mathbf{G}(F)\backslash\mathbf{G}(\mathbb{A})} |\theta_{\hat{\Phi}}(g)|^2 \, dg \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{Re(s)=\sigma >>0} \sum_{w \in W(\pi,\pi)} (M(s,\pi,w)\Phi(s),\Phi(-w\bar{s})) \, ds. \end{split}$$

Corollary 5.5. Unless P is self-conjugate and  $w_0\pi \simeq \pi$ ,

$$L^2_{dis}(\mathbf{G}(F)\backslash\mathbf{G}(\mathbb{A}),\omega)_{(M,\pi)}=0.$$

i.e., the Eisenstein series has no poles for  $Re(s) \ge 0$ , and  $M(s,\pi)$  is holomorphic for Re(s) > 0.

Proof. If **P** is not self-conjugate,  $W(\pi, \pi) = 1$ . If **P** is self-conjugate and  $w_0\pi \not\simeq \pi$ , then  $M(s, \pi, w_0)\Phi(s) \in I(-s, w_0\pi)$ , but  $\Phi(-w_0\bar{s}) \in I(\bar{s}, \pi)$ . Hence again  $W(\pi, \pi) = 1$ . So the integrand in  $||\theta_{\hat{\Phi}}||^2$  is just  $(\Phi(s), \Phi(-\bar{s}))$ , which is entire. Hence we can deform the contour  $Re(s) = \sigma$  to Re(s) = 0 without picking up residues. Hence the Eisenstein series has no poles for  $Re(s) \geq 0$ . Since the poles of the Eisenstein series coincide with those of  $M(s, \pi)$ ,  $M(s, \pi)$  is holomorphic for Re(s) > 0.  $\square$ 

If  $s_0$  is a pole of  $E(s, \pi, \Phi, g)$ , let  $E_{-1}(\pi, \Phi, g) = res_{s=s_0} E(s, \pi, \Phi, g)$ , and  $M_{-1}\Phi = res_{s=s_0} M(s, \pi, w_0)$ . Then  $E_{-1}(\pi, \Phi, g)$  is a square integrable automorphic form and

$$\langle E_{-1}(\pi,\Phi,g), E_{-1}(\pi,\Phi,g) \rangle_{\mathbf{Z}(\mathbb{A})\mathbf{G}(F)\backslash\mathbf{G}(\mathbb{A})} = (M_{-1}\Phi,\Phi)_{(\mathbf{M}(F)\backslash\mathbf{M}(\mathbb{A})^1)\cdot K}.$$

Remark 5.6. Eisenstein series can be defined for residual representations. We call them residual Eisenstein series. For example, let  $\mathbf{G} = Sp(2n)$ ,  $\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{M}\mathbf{N}$ , where  $\mathbf{M} \simeq GL_n$ . Let  $\chi$  be a grössencharacter of F. We can consider  $\chi$  as a character of  $\mathbf{M}(\mathbb{A})$  by setting  $\chi(g) = \chi(detg)$ . Then  $\chi$  is a residual representation, namely,  $\chi \in L^2_{dis}(\mathbf{M}(F)\backslash\mathbf{M}(\mathbb{A}))_{(B_M,\chi)}$ , where  $B_M$  is a Borel subgroup of  $\mathbf{M}$ . This follows from the fact that  $\chi$  is the Langlands' quotient of  $Ind \chi ||\frac{n-1}{2} \otimes \chi||\frac{n-1}{2} - 1 \otimes \cdots \otimes \chi||^{-\frac{n-1}{2}}$ . We can form an Eisenstein series  $E(s,\chi,\Phi)$ . It is a generalization of Siegel Eisenstein series

$$\sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma_{\infty} \backslash \Gamma} |det(CZ + D)|^{-s},$$

where  $\Gamma = Sp(2n, \mathbb{Z})$ ,  $\Gamma_{\infty} = \Gamma \cap \mathbf{P}(\mathbb{Q})$ , and Z = X + iY, Y is a positive definite symmetric matrix.

We can show that  $E(s, \chi, \Phi)$  is an iterated residue of Eisenstein series from Borel subgroup.