

FINITENESS OF A COHOMOLOGY ASSOCIATED WITH CERTAIN JACKSON INTEGRALS

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Abstract. A structure theorem on q -analogues of b -functions is stated. Basic properties for Jackson integrals of associated q -multiplicative functions are given. Finiteness of cohomology group attached to them is proved for arrangement of A -type root system. Some problems about the derived q -difference systems are posed. An example of basic hypergeometric functions are given.

1. Let $E_n := E^n$ be the direct product of n copies of an elliptic curve E of modulus $q = e^{2\pi\sqrt{-1}\tau}$ for $\text{Im } \tau > 0$. The first cohomology group $H^1(E_n, \mathbb{C})$ has the Hodge decomposition $H^1(E_n, \mathbb{C}) = H^{1,0}(E_n) + H^{0,1}(E_n)$, where $H^{1,0}(E_n)$ is isomorphic to the direct sum of n copies of $H^{1,0}(E)$, the space of holomorphic 1-forms on E . Let $\{\mathfrak{z}_1, \dots, \mathfrak{z}_n; \mathfrak{z}_{n+1}, \dots, \mathfrak{z}_{2n}\}$ be a basis of the first homology group $H_1(E_n, \mathbb{Z})$ such that each pair $\{\mathfrak{z}_j, \mathfrak{z}_{n+j}\}$ represents a pair of canonical loops in E . There exists a system of holomorphic 1-forms $\theta_1, \dots, \theta_n$ on E_n such that

$$(1.1) \quad \begin{aligned} \int_{\mathfrak{z}_j} \theta_k &= 2\pi\sqrt{-1} \delta_{j,k} \\ \int_{\mathfrak{z}_{n+j}} \theta_k &= 2\pi\sqrt{-1} \tau \delta_{j,k}, \quad \text{Im } \tau > 0. \end{aligned}$$

We denote by \bar{X} the factor space of the dual $H^{1,0}(E_n)^*$ of $H^{1,0}(E_n)$ with respect to the abelian subgroup $A = \langle \mathfrak{z}_1, \dots, \mathfrak{z}_n \rangle$ of $H_1(E_n, \mathbb{Z})$ generated by \mathfrak{z}_j , $1 \leq j \leq n$. This is possible because $H_1(E_n, \mathbb{Z})$ can be contained in $H^{1,0}(E_n, \mathbb{C})^*$. In the same way we denote by X the factor space $H_1(E_n, \mathbb{Z})/A$. X can be assumed to be a submodule of \bar{X} and has a basis $\chi_j = \mathfrak{z}_{n+j} \bmod A$. An arbitrary $\chi \in X$ is written uniquely as

$$(1.2) \quad \chi = \sum_{j=1}^n v_j \chi_j \quad \text{for } v_j \in \mathbb{Z}.$$

The quotient \bar{X}/X is canonically isomorphic to E_n . By the map

$$(1.3) \quad \bar{X} \ni \omega \mapsto x = (x_1 = \exp((\theta_1, \omega)), \dots, x_n = \exp((\theta_n, \omega))) \in (\mathbb{C}^*)^n$$

for $\omega \in \bar{X}$, \bar{X} is isomorphic to the algebraic torus $q^{\bar{X}} = (\mathbb{C}^*)^n$ and X is isomorphic to the discrete subgroup q^X generated by $q^{x_1} = (q, 1, \dots, 1), \dots, q^{x_n} = (1, 1, \dots, q)$. Here (θ, ω) denotes the canonical bilinear form on $H^{1,0}(E_n, \mathbb{C})$ and its dual.

We denote by $R(\bar{X})$ the field of rational functions on $q^{\bar{X}}$ and by $R^\times(\bar{X})$ the