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Title : *The Prasad conjecture for $PGSp(4)$*
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Abstract

Period Problem is one of the most popular interesting problems in recently years, such as the Gan-Gross-Prasad conjectures. In this talk, we mainly focus on the local period problems, so called the relative local Langlands programs. Given a quadratic local field extension E/F and a quasi-split reductive group G defined over F with associated quadratic character χ_G , let π be a smooth representation of $G(E)$. Assume the Langlands-Vogan conjecture, Prof. Prasad gives a precise description for the dimension $\dim \text{Hom}_{G(F)}(\pi, \chi_G)$. We verify this conjecture if π is a discrete series representation and $G = PGSp(4)$.

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