

# REPRESENTATIONS OF THE $p$ -ADIC $\mathrm{GSpin}_4$ AND $\mathrm{GSpin}_6$ AND THE ADJOINT $L$ -FUNCTION

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**ABSTRACT.** We prove a conjecture of B. Gross and D. Prasad about determination of generic  $L$ -packets in terms of the analytic properties of the adjoint  $L$ -function for  $p$ -adic general even spin groups of semi-simple ranks 2 and 3. We also explicitly write the adjoint  $L$ -function for each  $L$ -packet in terms of the local Langlands  $L$ -functions for the general linear groups.

## 1. INTRODUCTION

In this article, we provide further details on the local  $L$ -packets for the non-Archimedean split general spin groups  $\mathrm{GSpin}_4$  and  $\mathrm{GSpin}_6$ , following our earlier work [AC17]. We then use our explicit description of these  $L$ -packets to prove a conjecture of B. Gross and D. Prasad [Gr22, GP92] determining which of the  $L$ -packets are “generic” (i.e., contain an irreducible representation with a Whittaker model) in terms of the analytic properties at  $s = 1$  of the adjoint  $L$ -function of the packet. We also write the adjoint  $L$ -function for each  $L$ -packet in terms of the local Langlands  $L$ -functions of the general linear groups. In addition to details about the representations that our results provide, given that the adjoint  $L$ -functions have a significant role in the Gan-Gross-Prasad conjectures, we expect that our results in this paper would be helpful in that direction as well. Particularly striking is the generalization of the Gan-Gross-Prasad to the non-tempered case [GGP20] where the relevant adjoint  $L$ -function does have a pole at  $s = 1$ .

Let  $F$  be a  $p$ -adic field of characteristic zero. Denote by  $W_F$  the Weil group of  $F$  and let  $W'_F = W_F \times \mathrm{SL}_2(\mathbb{C})$  be the Weil-Deligne group of  $F$ . Let  $G$  be a connected, reductive, linear algebraic group over  $F$ . The local Langlands Conjecture (LLC) predicts a surjective, finite-to-one map  $\mathcal{L}$  from the set  $\mathrm{Irr}(G)$  of equivalence classes of irreducible, smooth, complex representations of  $G(F)$  to the set  $\Phi(G)$  of  $\hat{G}$ -conjugacy classes of  $L$ -parameters of  $G(F)$ , i.e., admissible homomorphisms  $\phi : W'_F \rightarrow {}^L G$ . Here,  ${}^L G$  denotes the  $L$ -group of  $G$  with  $\hat{G} = {}^L G^0$  its connected component, i.e., the complex dual of  $G$  [Bor79]. Among other properties, the map  $\mathcal{L}$  is supposed to preserve the local  $L$ -,  $\epsilon$ -, and  $\gamma$ -factors. Moreover, the (finite) fibers  $\Pi_\phi$ , for  $\phi \in \Phi(G)$ , of the map  $\mathcal{L}$  are called the  $L$ -packets of  $G$  and their structures are expected to be controlled by certain finite subgroups of  $\hat{G}$ .

Consider the split general spin groups  $G = \mathrm{GSpin}_4$  and  $G = \mathrm{GSpin}_6$ , of type  $D_2 = A_1 \times A_2$  and  $D_3 = A_3$  respectively, whose algebraic structure we review in Section 2.3. We constructed most of the  $L$ -packets for these two groups in [AC17] and proved that they satisfy the expected properties of preservation of the local factors and their internal structure. We review and complete the construction of these  $L$ -packets. In particular, using the classification of representations of  $GL_n$ , we give more explicit descriptions of the  $L$ -packets for  $\mathrm{GSpin}_4$  and  $\mathrm{GSpin}_6$  in terms of given representations of  $\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2$  and  $\mathrm{GL}_4 \times \mathrm{GL}_1$ , respectively. As a byproduct, we are able to give the criteria for determining the size of the  $L$ -packets for  $\mathrm{GSpin}_4$  and  $\mathrm{GSpin}_6$  (see Sections 4 and 5).

The known cases of the LLC for the  $p$ -adic groups include  $\mathrm{GL}_n$  [HT01, Hen00, Sch13];  $\mathrm{SL}_n$  [GK82]; non-quasi-split  $F$ -inner forms of  $\mathrm{GL}_n$  and  $\mathrm{SL}_n$  [HS12, ABPS16];  $\mathrm{GSp}_4$  and  $\mathrm{Sp}_4$  [GT11, GT10]; non-quasi-split  $F$ -inner form  $\mathrm{GSp}_{1,1}$  of  $\mathrm{GSp}_4$  [GT14];  $\mathrm{Sp}_{2n}, \mathrm{SO}_n$ , and quasi-split  $\mathrm{SO}_{2n}^*$  [Art13];  $U_n$  [Rog90, Mok15]; non quasi-split  $F$ -inner forms of  $U_n$  [Rog90, KMSW14]; non-quasi-split  $F$ -inner form  $\mathrm{Sp}_{1,1}$  of  $\mathrm{Sp}_4$  [Cho17];  $\mathrm{GSpin}_4, \mathrm{GSpin}_6$  and their inner forms [AC17];  $\mathrm{GSp}_{2n}$  and  $\mathrm{GO}_{2n}$  [Xu18].

Going back to the case of general  $G$ , assume that  $\rho$  is a finite-dimensional complex representation of  ${}^L G$ . When LLC is known, one can define the local Langlands  $L$ -functions

$$L(s, \pi, \rho) = L(s, \rho \circ \phi)$$

for each  $\pi \in \Pi_\phi$ . Here, the  $L$ -factors on the right hand side are the Artin local factors associated to the given representation of  $W'_F$ .

B. Gross and D. Prasad conjectured (in the generality of quasi-split groups) that the local  $L$ -packet  $\Pi_\phi(G)$  is generic if and only if the adjoint  $L$ -function  $L(s, \text{Ad} \circ \phi)$  is regular at  $s = 1$  [GP92, Conj. 2.6]. Here,  $\text{Ad}$  denotes the adjoint representation of  ${}^L G$  on the dual Lie algebra  $\widehat{\mathfrak{g}}$  of  $\widehat{G}$ . (Note that in the body of this paper we use  $\text{Ad}$  exclusively for the restriction of the adjoint representation to the derived group of  $\widehat{\mathfrak{g}}$  to distinguish it from the full adjoint  $L$ -function, which would have an extra factor of the  $L$ -function for the trivial character when  $\widehat{\mathfrak{g}}$  has a one-dimensional center.)

We prove the above conjecture for the groups  $\text{GSpin}_4$  and  $\text{GSpin}_6$  as a consequence of our construction of the  $L$ -packets for these groups. In fact, we prove the conjecture for a larger class of groups  $G = G_{m,n}^{r,s}$ , which are given as subgroups of  $\text{GL}_m \times \text{GL}_n$  satisfying a certain determinant equality (2.6). We are able to work in the slightly larger generality because, as in the construction of the  $L$ -packets, we use the approach of restricting representations from  $\text{GL}_m(F) \times \text{GL}_n(F)$  to the subgroup  $G$ .

Moreover, we also give the adjoint  $L$ -function in all cases explicitly in terms of local Langlands  $L$ -functions of the general linear groups. While we are able to prove the Gross-Prasad conjecture already without the explicit knowledge of the adjoint  $L$ -function, the explicit description of the adjoint  $L$ -function certainly also verifies the conjecture and we include it here since it may lead to other number theoretic or representation theoretic results.

Finally, we take this opportunity to correct a few inaccuracies in [AC17]. They do not affect the main results in that paper and fix some errors in our description of the  $L$ -packets. The details are given in Section 6.

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## 2. PRELIMINARIES

**2.1. Local Langlands Correspondence (LLC).** Let  $p$  be a prime number and let  $F$  be a  $p$ -adic field of characteristic zero, i.e., a finite extension of  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ . We fix an algebraic closure  $\bar{F}$  of  $F$ . Denote the ring of integers of  $F$  by  $\mathcal{O}_F$  and its unique maximal ideal by  $\mathcal{P}_F$ . Moreover, let  $q$  denote the cardinality of the residue field  $\mathcal{O}_F/\mathcal{P}_F$  and fix a uniformizer  $\varpi$  with  $|\varpi|_F = q^{-1}$ . Also, let  $W_F$  denote the Weil group of  $F$ ,  $W'_F$  the Weil-Deligne group of  $F$ , and  $\Gamma$  the absolute Galois group  $\text{Gal}(\bar{F}/F)$ . Throughout the paper, we will use the notation  $\nu(\cdot) = |\cdot|_F$ .

Let  $G$  be a connected, reductive, linear algebraic group over  $F$ . Fixing  $\Gamma$ -invariant splitting data we define the  $L$ -group of  $G$  as a semi-direct product  ${}^L G := \widehat{G} \rtimes \Gamma$ , where  $\widehat{G} = {}^L G^0$  denotes the connected component of the  $L$ -group of  $G$ , i.e., the complex dual of  $G$  (see [Bor79, §2]).

LLC (still conjectural in this generality) asserts that there is a surjective, finite-to-one map from the set  $\text{Irr}(G)$  of isomorphism classes of irreducible smooth complex representations of  $G(F)$  to the set  $\Phi(G)$  of  $\widehat{G}$ -conjugacy classes of  $L$ -parameters, i.e., admissible homomorphisms  $\varphi : W'_F \rightarrow {}^L G$ .

Given  $\varphi \in \Phi(G)$ , its fiber  $\Pi_\varphi(G)$ , which is called an  $L$ -packet for  $G$ , is expected to be controlled by a certain finite group living in the complex dual group  $\widehat{G}$ . Furthermore, for  $\pi \in \Pi_\varphi(G)$  and  $\rho$  a finite dimensional algebraic representation of  ${}^L G$  one defines the local factors

$$L(s, \pi, \rho) = L(s, \rho \circ \phi), \quad (2.1)$$

$$\epsilon(s, \pi, \rho, \psi) = \epsilon(s, \rho \circ \phi, \psi), \quad (2.2)$$

$$\gamma(s, \pi, \rho, \psi) = \gamma(s, \rho \circ \phi, \psi). \quad (2.3)$$

provided that LLC is known for the case in question. Here, the factors on the right are Artin factors.

**2.2. The Adjoint  $L$ -Function.** What we recall in this subsection holds for  $G$  quasi-split ([GP92, §2]). However, for simplicity we will take  $G$  to be split over  $F$  since the groups we are working with in this article are split. When  $G$  is split over  $F$ , we may replace the  $L$ -group  ${}^L G$  by its connected component

$\widehat{G} = {}^L G^0$ . Take  $\rho$  to be the adjoint action of  $\widehat{G}$  on its Lie algebra. Then we obtain the adjoint  $L$ -function  $L(s, \pi, \mathrm{Ad}_{\widehat{G}}) = L(s, \mathrm{Ad}_{\widehat{G}} \circ \phi)$  for all  $\pi \in \Pi_\varphi(G)$ . The following is a conjecture of D. Gross and D. Prasad (see [GP92, Conj. 2.6]).

**Conjecture 2.1.**  *$\Pi_\varphi(G)$  contains a generic member if and only if  $L(s, \mathrm{Ad}_{\widehat{G}} \circ \phi)$  is regular at  $s = 1$ . (Equivalently,  $\pi$  is generic if and only if  $L(s, \pi, \mathrm{Ad}_{\widehat{G}})$  is regular at  $s = 1$ .)*

The conjecture is known in many cases in which the LLC is known. To mention a few, it was verified for  $\mathrm{GL}_n$  by B. Gross and D. Prasad [GP92], for  $\mathrm{GSp}_4$  in [GT11] and, for non-supercuspidals, in [AS08], and for  $\mathrm{SO}$  and  $\mathrm{Sp}$  groups, it follows from the work of Arthur on endoscopic classification [Art13]. We will verify this conjecture for the small rank split groups  $\mathrm{GSpin}_4$  and  $\mathrm{GSpin}_6$ .

**2.3. The Groups  $\mathrm{GSpin}_4$  and  $\mathrm{GSpin}_6$ .** We gave detailed information about the structure of these two groups (as well as their inner forms) in [AC17, §2.2]. For now we just recall the incidental isomorphisms

$$\mathrm{GSpin}_4 \cong \{(g_1, g_2) \in \mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2 : \det g_1 = \det g_2\} \quad (2.4)$$

$$\mathrm{GSpin}_6 \cong \{(g_1, g_2) \in \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_4 : g_1^2 = \det g_2\}. \quad (2.5)$$

While our main interests in this article are the split general spin groups  $\mathrm{GSpin}_4$  and  $\mathrm{GSpin}_6$ , for the purposes of Conjecture 2.1 it is no more difficult, and perhaps also more natural, to consider a slightly more general setup as follows.

Fix integers  $m, n \geq 1$  and  $r, s \geq 1$  and assume that  $\gcd(r, s) = 1$ . Define

$$G = G_{m,n}^{r,s} := \{(g, h) \in \mathrm{GL}_m \times \mathrm{GL}_n \mid (\det g)^r = (\det h)^s\} \quad (2.6)$$

**Proposition 2.2.** *The group  $G_{m,n}^{r,s}$  is a split, connected, reductive, linear algebraic group over  $F$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $X = (X_{ij})$  and  $Y = (Y_{kl})$  be  $m \times m$  and  $n \times n$  matrices, respectively. It is clear that  $G_{m,n}^{r,s}$ , being an almost direct product of  $SL_m \times SL_n$  and a torus, is reductive. The only issue that requires justification is that the polynomial  $f(X, Y) = (\det X)^r - (\det Y)^s$  is irreducible in  $F[X_{ij}, Y_{kl}]$  if and only if  $d = \gcd(r, s) = 1$ . It is clear that if  $d > 1$ , then  $f$  is reducible since it would be divisible by  $(\det X)^{(r/d)} - (\det Y)^{(s/d)}$ . It remains to show that if  $d = 1$ , then  $f(X, Y)$  is irreducible. This assertion should be easy to see via elementary arguments considering the polynomials in a possible factorization of  $f$ . However, we prove it below as a special case of a more general fact.

Assume that  $f(x, y)$  is an (arbitrary) irreducible polynomial in  $F[x, y]$ . Let

$$p(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_a) \in F[x_1, x_2, \dots, x_a] \quad \text{and} \quad q(y_1, y_2, \dots, y_b) \in F[y_1, y_2, \dots, y_b]$$

be two polynomials such that  $p - \alpha$  and  $q - \alpha$  are irreducible for all constants  $\alpha$ . Then,  $f(p, q)$  is irreducible in  $F[x_1, x_2, \dots, x_a, y_1, y_2, \dots, y_b]$ .

Our Proposition would clearly follow from the above assertion since  $(\det -\alpha)$  is always an irreducible polynomial and it is well-known that the two-variable polynomial  $x^r - y^s$  is irreducible in  $F[x, y]$  provided that  $d = \gcd(r, s) = 1$ .

To prove the assertion above, we proceed as follows. By base extension to an algebraic closure we may assume, without loss of generality, that  $F$  is algebraically closed.

Let  $A$  be the subscheme of  $\mathrm{Spec} F[x_1, x_2, \dots, x_a, y_1, y_2, \dots, y_b]$  defined by  $f(p, q)$ , and let  $B$  be the subscheme of  $\mathrm{Spec} F[x, y]$  defined by  $x^r - y^s$ . The latter is irreducible since  $x^r - y^s$  is an irreducible polynomial by our assumption that  $d = 1$ . There is a natural map  $A \rightarrow B$  which has irreducible (geometric) fibers. The result now follows from the following claim.

**Claim:** Let  $g : A \rightarrow B$  be an open morphism of schemes of finite type over an algebraically closed field  $F$  such that the (geometric) fibers of  $g$  are irreducible and  $B$  is irreducible. Then  $A$  is irreducible.

To see the claim let  $U$  be an open in  $A$ . We want to show that for any other open  $V$ , we have that  $U \cap V$  is nonempty. Since  $B$  is irreducible and  $g$  is open, we have that  $g(U) \cap g(V)$  is nonempty so there is a fiber  $F_0$  of  $g$  such that  $F_0 \cap U$  and  $F_0 \cap V$  are nonempty. Hence, by irreducibility of  $F_0$ , they have a nonempty intersection in  $F_0$ . In particular,  $U \cap V$  is nonempty, which gives the claim.

It only remains to check that the map  $A \rightarrow B$  above is open. In fact, it is flat since it is a base extension of the cartesian product of two flat morphisms  $p : \mathrm{Spec} F[x_1, \dots, x_a] \rightarrow \mathrm{Spec} F[x]$  and  $q : \mathrm{Spec} F[y_1, \dots, y_b] \rightarrow \mathrm{Spec} F[y]$ . (Here, we are using the fact that  $\mathrm{Spec} F[x]$  is a curve.) This finishes the proof.  $\square$

Of particular interest to us in this paper are the cases

- $m = n = 2$  and  $r = s = 1$ , when  $G = \mathrm{GSpin}_4$ , and
- $m = 1, n = 4$  and  $r = 2, s = 1$ , when  $G = \mathrm{GSpin}_6$ .

The (connected)  $L$ -group of  $G$  is

$${}^L G_{m,n}^{r,s,0} = \widehat{G} \cong (\mathrm{GL}_m(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_n(\mathbb{C})) / \{(z^{-r} I_m, z^s I_n) : z \in \mathbb{C}^\times\} \quad (2.7)$$

and we have the exact sequence

$$1 \longrightarrow \{(z^{-r} I_m, z^s I_n) : z \in \mathbb{C}^\times\} \cong \mathbb{C}^\times \longrightarrow \mathrm{GL}_m(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_n(\mathbb{C}) \xrightarrow{pr_{m,n}^{r,s}} \widehat{G}_{m,n}^{r,s} \longrightarrow 1. \quad (2.8)$$

**2.4. Computation of the Adjoint  $L$ -Function for  $G$ .** Let  $\pi$  be an irreducible admissible representation of  $G(F)$ . There exist irreducible admissible representations  $\pi_m$  and  $\pi_n$  of  $\mathrm{GL}_m(F)$  and  $\mathrm{GL}_n(F)$ , respectively, such that

$$\pi \hookrightarrow \mathrm{Res}_{G(F)}^{\mathrm{GL}_m(F) \times \mathrm{GL}_n(F)} (\pi_m \otimes \pi_n). \quad (2.9)$$

Let  $\mathrm{Ad}_{\widehat{G}}$  denote the adjoint action of  $\widehat{G}$  on its Lie algebra

$$\widehat{\mathfrak{g}} = \{(X, Y) \in \mathfrak{gl}_m(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathfrak{gl}_n(\mathbb{C}) \mid r \mathrm{tr}(X) = s \mathrm{tr}(Y)\}. \quad (2.10)$$

In what follows, let us write

$$\mathrm{Ad}_{\widehat{G}} = \mathrm{triv} \oplus \mathrm{Ad} \quad (2.11)$$

and for  $i \in \{m, n\}$  we similarly write  $\mathrm{Ad}_i = \mathrm{Ad}_{\widehat{\mathrm{GL}}_i} = \mathrm{triv} \oplus \mathrm{Ad}$ , where  $\mathrm{Ad}$  here denotes the action of  $\mathrm{GL}_i(\mathbb{C})$  on the space of traceless  $i \times i$  complex matrices  $\mathfrak{sl}_i(\mathbb{C})$ .

Let  $\phi_\pi : W_F \times \mathrm{SL}_2(\mathbb{C}) \rightarrow \widehat{G}$  be the  $L$ -parameter of  $\pi$  and let  $\phi_i : W_F \times \mathrm{SL}_2(\mathbb{C}) \rightarrow \mathrm{GL}_i(\mathbb{C})$ ,  $i = m, n$ , be the  $L$ -parameter of  $\pi_i$ . Recall by (2.8) that we have a natural map

$$pr = pr_{m,n}^{r,s} : \mathrm{GL}_m(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_n(\mathbb{C}) \longrightarrow \widehat{G}. \quad (2.12)$$

Then we have

$$\phi_\pi = pr \circ (\phi_m \otimes \phi_n). \quad (2.13)$$

Since the subgroup  $\{(z^{-r} I_m, z^s I_n) : z \in \mathbb{C}^\times\}$  is central in  $\mathrm{GL}_m(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_n(\mathbb{C})$  the following diagram commutes.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & \mathrm{GL}_m(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_n(\mathbb{C}) & \xrightarrow{\mathrm{Ad}_m \otimes \mathrm{Ad}_n} \mathrm{Aut}_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathfrak{gl}_m(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathfrak{gl}_n(\mathbb{C})) \\ & \nearrow \phi_m \otimes \phi_n & \downarrow \\ W_F \times \mathrm{SL}_2(\mathbb{C}) & & \\ & \searrow \phi_\pi & \downarrow \\ & \widehat{G} & \xrightarrow{\mathrm{Ad}_{\widehat{G}}} \mathrm{Aut}_{\mathbb{C}}(\widehat{\mathfrak{g}}) \end{array}$$

Note that the adjoint action  $\mathrm{Ad}_m$  of  $\mathrm{GL}_m(\mathbb{C})$  on  $\mathfrak{gl}_m(\mathbb{C})$  preserves the trace, and similarly for  $n$ , so we obtain a right downward arrow by simply restricting any automorphism to the set of those pairs satisfying the trace equality in (2.10). We have

$$\begin{aligned} L(s, 1_{F^\times}) L(s, \pi, \mathrm{Ad}) \cdot L(s, 1_{F^\times}) &= L(s, \pi, \mathrm{Ad}_{\widehat{G}}) \cdot L(s, 1_{F^\times}) \\ &= L(s, \mathrm{Ad}_{\widehat{G}} \circ \phi_\pi) \cdot L(s, 1_{F^\times}) \\ &= L(s, (\mathrm{Ad}_m \otimes \mathrm{Ad}_n) \circ (\phi_m \otimes \phi_n)) \\ &= L(s, \mathrm{Ad}_m \circ \phi_m) L(s, \mathrm{Ad}_n \circ \phi_n) \\ &= L(s, \pi_m, \mathrm{Ad}_m) L(s, \pi_n, \mathrm{Ad}_n) \\ &= L(s, 1_{F^\times})^2 L(s, \pi_m, \mathrm{Ad}) L(s, \pi_n, \mathrm{Ad}). \end{aligned} \quad (2.14)$$

Therefore, we obtain the more convenient equality

$$L(s, \pi, \mathrm{Ad}) = L(s, \pi_m, \mathrm{Ad})L(s, \pi_n, \mathrm{Ad}), \quad (2.15)$$

which holds thanks to our choice of the notation  $\mathrm{Ad}$ . In Section 3.2 this relation helps verify Conjecture 2.1 for the groups of interest to us.

### 3. GENERICITY AND THE CONJECTURE OF B. GROSS AND D. PRASAD

**3.1. Restriction of Generic Representations.** Let us write  $\square^D$  for the group  $\mathrm{Hom}(\square, \mathbb{C}^\times)$  of all continuous characters on a topological group  $\square$ . Dente by  $\square_{\mathrm{der}}$  the derived group of  $\square$ . Let  $G$  and  $\tilde{G}$  be connected, reductive, linear, algebraic groups over  $F$  satisfying the property that

$$G_{\mathrm{der}} = \tilde{G}_{\mathrm{der}} \subseteq G \subseteq \tilde{G}. \quad (3.1)$$

For any connected, reductive, linear, algebraic group  $\square$  over  $F$ , we write  $\mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{sc}}(\square)$  and  $\mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{esq}}(\square)$  for the set of equivalence classes of supercuspidal and essentially square-integrable representations of  $\square(F)$ , respectively.

Assume  $\tilde{G}$  and  $G$  to be  $F$ -split. Let  $\tilde{B}$  be a Borel subgroup of  $\tilde{G}$  with Levi decomposition  $\tilde{B} = \tilde{T}\tilde{U}$ . Then  $B = \tilde{B} \cap G$  is a Borel subgroup of  $G$  with  $B = TU$ . Note that  $T = \tilde{T} \cap G$  and  $\tilde{U} = U$ . Let  $\psi$  be a generic character of  $U(F)$ . From [Tad92, Proposition 2.8] we know that given a  $\psi$ -generic irreducible representation  $\tilde{\sigma}$  of  $\tilde{G}(F)$  we have a unique  $\psi$ -generic  $\sigma$  of  $G(F)$  such that

$$\sigma \mapsto \mathrm{Res}_{\tilde{G}}^G(\tilde{\sigma}).$$

The generic character associated with  $\sigma$  is not unique though.

**Proposition 3.1.** *Each generic character associated with  $\sigma$  is determined up to the action of  $\tilde{T}(F)/T(F)$ .*

*Proof.* We let  $\tilde{\sigma} \in \mathrm{Irr}(\tilde{G})$  be  $\psi$ -generic. Then there is a unique  $\psi$ -generic  $\sigma_\psi \in \Pi_{\tilde{\sigma}}(G)$ . On the other hand, for each  $\sigma \in \Pi_{\tilde{\sigma}}(G)$  there exists  $t \in \tilde{T}(F)/T(F) \cong \tilde{G}/G(F)$  such that  $\sigma = {}^t\sigma_\psi$ , where  ${}^t\sigma_\psi(g) = \sigma(t^{-1}gt)$ . This implies that  $\sigma$  is  ${}^t\psi$ -generic. Here  ${}^t\psi$  is defined as  ${}^t\psi(u) = \psi(t^{-1}ut)$ .  $\square$

*Remark 3.2.* We say  $\sigma \in \mathrm{Irr}(G)$ , resp.  $\tilde{\sigma} \in \mathrm{Irr}(\tilde{G})$ , is generic if it is  $\psi$ -generic with respect to some generic character  $\psi$ . With this notation,  $\sigma \in \mathrm{Irr}(G)$  is generic if and only if  $\tilde{\sigma} \in \mathrm{Irr}(\tilde{G})$ .

**3.2. Criterion for Genericity.** In this section we verify Conjecture 2.1 for the small rank general spin groups we are considering in this article.

**Theorem 3.3.** *Let  $G = G_{m,n}^{r,s}$  be the group defined in (2.6). Let  $\pi$  be an irreducible admissible representation of  $G(F)$ . Then  $\pi$  is generic if and only if  $L(s, \pi, \mathrm{Ad})$  is regular at  $s = 1$ .*

*Proof.* Given  $\pi$  there exist irreducible admissible representations  $\pi_m$  of  $\mathrm{GL}_m(F)$  and  $\pi_n$  of  $\mathrm{GL}_n(F)$  such that  $\pi$  is a subrepresentation of the restriction to  $G(F)$  of  $\pi_m \otimes \pi_n$  as in (2.9). Now,  $\pi$  is generic if and only if both  $\pi_m$  and  $\pi_n$  are generic. By the truth of Conjecture 2.1 for the general linear groups, the latter is equivalent to both  $L(s, \pi_m, \mathrm{Ad})$  and  $L(s, \pi_n, \mathrm{Ad})$  being regular at  $s = 1$ . Hence, by (2.15) and the fact that neither of the  $L$ -functions can have a zero at  $s = 1$ , we have that  $\pi$  is generic if and only if  $L(s, \pi, \mathrm{Ad})$  is regular at  $s = 1$ . This proves the theorem.  $\square$

As we observed in Section 2.3, the split groups  $\mathrm{GSpin}_4$  and  $\mathrm{GSpin}_6$  are special cases of  $G_{m,n}^{r,s}$ . Therefore, we have the following.

**Corollary 3.4.** *Conjecture 2.1 holds for the groups  $\mathrm{GSpin}_4$  and  $\mathrm{GSpin}_6$ .*

## 4. REPRESENTATIONS OF $\mathrm{GSpin}_4$

In this section we list all the irreducible representations of  $\mathrm{GSpin}_4(F)$  and then calculate their associated adjoint  $L$ -function explicitly. To this end, we give the nilpotent matrix associated to their parameter in each case.

### 4.1. The Representations.

4.1.1. *Classification of representations of  $\mathrm{GSpin}_4$ .* Following [AC17], we have

$$1 \longrightarrow \mathrm{GSpin}_4(F) \longrightarrow \mathrm{GL}_2(F) \times \mathrm{GL}_2(F) \longrightarrow F^\times \longrightarrow 1. \quad (4.1)$$

Recall that

$$\mathrm{GSpin}_4(F) \cong \{(g_1, g_2) \in \mathrm{GL}_2(F) \times \mathrm{GL}_2(F) : \det g_1 = \det g_2\}, \quad (4.2)$$

$${}^L\mathrm{GSpin}_4 = \widehat{\mathrm{GSpin}}_4 = \mathrm{GSO}_4(\mathbb{C}) \cong (\mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{C})) / \{(z^{-1}, z) : z \in \mathbb{C}^\times\}, \quad (4.3)$$

and

$$1 \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}^\times \longrightarrow \mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{C}) \xrightarrow{pr_4} \widehat{\mathrm{GSpin}}_4 \longrightarrow 1. \quad (4.4)$$

When convenient, we view  $\mathrm{GSO}_4$  as the group similitude orthogonal  $4 \times 4$  matrices with respect to the anti-diagonal matrix

$$J = J_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}. \quad (4.5)$$

The Lie algebra of this group is also defined with respect to  $J$  and an element  $X$  in this Lie algebra satisfies

$${}^tXJ + JX = 0.$$

4.1.2. *Construction of the  $L$ -packets of  $\mathrm{GSpin}_4$  (recalled from [AC17]).* Given  $\sigma \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GSpin}_4)$  we have a lift  $\tilde{\sigma} \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2)$  such that

$$\sigma \hookrightarrow \mathrm{Res}_{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}^{\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2}(\tilde{\sigma}).$$

It follows from the LLC for  $GL_n$  [HT01, Hen00, Sch13] that there is a unique  $\tilde{\varphi}_{\tilde{\sigma}} \in \Phi(\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2)$  corresponding to the representation  $\tilde{\sigma}$ . We now have a surjective, finite-to-one map

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_4 : \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GSpin}_4) &\longrightarrow \Phi(\mathrm{GSpin}_4) \\ \sigma &\longmapsto pr_4 \circ \tilde{\varphi}_{\tilde{\sigma}}, \end{aligned} \quad (4.6)$$

which does not depend on the choice of the lifting  $\tilde{\sigma}$ . Then, for each  $\varphi \in \Phi(\mathrm{GSpin}_4)$ , all inequivalent irreducible constituents of  $\tilde{\sigma}$  constitutes the  $L$ -packet

$$\Pi_\varphi(\mathrm{GSpin}_4) := \Pi_{\tilde{\sigma}}(\mathrm{GSpin}_4) = \left\{ \sigma \mid \sigma \hookrightarrow \mathrm{Res}_{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}^{\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2}(\tilde{\sigma}) \right\} / \cong. \quad (4.7)$$

Here,  $\tilde{\sigma}$  is the member in the singleton  $\Pi_{\tilde{\varphi}}(\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2)$  and  $\tilde{\varphi} \in \Phi(\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2)$  is such that  $pr_4 \circ \tilde{\varphi} = \varphi$ . We note that the construction does not depends on the choice of  $\tilde{\varphi}$ , due to the LLC for  $\mathrm{GL}_2$ , [GK82, Lemma 2.4], [Tad92, Corollary 2.5], and [HS12, Lemma 2.2]. Further details can be found in [AC17, Section 5.1].

4.1.3. *The  $L$ -parameters of  $\mathrm{GL}_2$ .* We recall the generic representations of  $\mathrm{GL}_2(F)$  in this paragraph. We refer to [Wed08, Kud94, GR10] for details. Let  $\chi : F^\times \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^\times$  denote a continuous quasi-character of  $F^\times$ . By Zelevinski ([Zel80, Theorem 9.7] or [Kud94, Theorem 2.3.1]) we know that the generic representations of  $\mathrm{GL}_2$  are: the supercuspidals,  $\mathrm{St} \otimes (\chi \circ \det)$  where  $\mathrm{St}$  denotes the Steinberg representation, and normally induced representations  $i_{\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_2}(\chi_1 \otimes \chi_2)$  with  $\chi_1 \neq \chi_2 \nu^{\pm 1}$ . The only non-generic representation is  $\chi \circ \det$ .

4.2. **Generic Representations of  $\mathrm{GSpin}_4$ .** Following [AC17, Section 5.3], given  $\varphi \in \Phi(\mathrm{GSpin}_4)$ , fix the lift

$$\tilde{\varphi} = \tilde{\varphi}_1 \otimes \tilde{\varphi}_2 \in \Phi(\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2)$$

with  $\tilde{\varphi}_i \in \Phi(\mathrm{GL}_2)$  such that  $\varphi = pr_4 \circ \tilde{\varphi}$ . Let

$$\tilde{\sigma} = \tilde{\sigma}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\sigma}_2 \in \Pi_{\tilde{\varphi}}(\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2)$$

be the unique member such that  $\{\tilde{\sigma}_i\} = \Pi_{\tilde{\varphi}_i}(\mathrm{GL}_2)$ .

Recall the notation

$$I^{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}(\tilde{\sigma}) := \left\{ \chi \in (\mathrm{GL}_2(F) \times \mathrm{GL}_2(F) / \mathrm{GSpin}_4(F))^D \mid \tilde{\sigma} \otimes \chi \cong \tilde{\sigma} \right\}.$$

Then we have

$$\Pi_\varphi(\mathrm{GSpin}_4) \xrightarrow{1-1} I^{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}(\tilde{\sigma}), \quad (4.8)$$

and we recall that, by [AC17, Proposition 5.7], we have

$$I^{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}(\tilde{\sigma}) = \begin{cases} I^{\mathrm{SL}_2}(\tilde{\sigma}_1), & \text{if } \tilde{\sigma}_2 \cong \tilde{\sigma}_1 \tilde{\eta} \text{ for some } \tilde{\eta} \in (F^\times)^D; \\ I^{\mathrm{SL}_2}(\tilde{\sigma}_1) \cap I^{\mathrm{SL}_2}(\tilde{\sigma}_2), & \text{if } \tilde{\sigma}_2 \not\cong \tilde{\sigma}_1 \tilde{\eta} \text{ for any } \tilde{\eta} \in (F^\times)^D. \end{cases} \quad (4.9)$$

4.2.1. *Irreducible Parameters.* Let  $\varphi \in \Phi(\mathrm{GSpin}_4)$  be irreducible. Then  $\tilde{\varphi}$ ,  $\tilde{\varphi}_1$ , and  $\tilde{\varphi}_2$  are all irreducible. By Section 3.1, we have the following.

**Proposition 4.1.** *Let  $\varphi \in \Phi(\mathrm{GSpin}_4)$  be irreducible. Then every member in  $\Pi_\varphi(\mathrm{GSpin}_4)$  is supercuspidal and generic.*

To study the internal structure of  $\Pi_\varphi(\mathrm{GSpin}_4)$ , by (4.8), we need to know the structure of  $I^{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}(\tilde{\sigma})$ , as we now recall from [AC17].

**gnt-(a)** When  $\tilde{\sigma}_2 \cong \tilde{\sigma}_1 \tilde{\eta}$  for some  $\tilde{\eta} \in (F^\times)^D$ , we have

$$I^{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}(\tilde{\sigma}) \cong \begin{cases} \{1\}, & \text{if } \tilde{\varphi}_1 \text{ (and hence also } \tilde{\varphi}_2) \text{ is primitive or non-trivial on } \mathrm{SL}_2(\mathbb{C}); \\ \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}, & \text{if } \tilde{\varphi}_1 \text{ (and hence also } \tilde{\varphi}_2) \text{ is dihedral w.r.t. one quadratic extension;} \\ (\mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z})^2, & \text{if } \tilde{\varphi}_1 \text{ (and hence also } \tilde{\varphi}_2) \text{ is dihedral w.r.t. three quadratic extensions.} \end{cases}$$

**gnt-(b)** When  $\tilde{\sigma}_2 \not\cong \tilde{\sigma}_1 \tilde{\eta}$  for any  $\tilde{\eta} \in (F^\times)^D$ , then by (4.9) we have

$$I^{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}(\tilde{\sigma}) \cong \{1\} \text{ or } \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}.$$

Since  $\tilde{\sigma}_2 \not\cong \tilde{\sigma}_1 \tilde{\eta}$  for any  $\tilde{\eta} \in (F^\times)^D$ , the case of both  $\tilde{\varphi}_1$  and  $\tilde{\varphi}_2$  being dihedral w.r.t. three quadratic extensions is excluded. Thus, we have the following list:

- If at least one of  $\tilde{\varphi}_i$  is primitive, then  $I^{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}(\tilde{\sigma}) \cong \{1\}$ .
- If both are dihedral, then  $I^{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}(\tilde{\sigma}) \cong \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}$ .

From [AC17, Proposition 2.1], we recall the identification

$$\Delta^\vee = \{\beta_1^\vee = f_{11}^* - f_{12}^*, \beta_2^\vee = f_{21}^* - f_{22}^*\}, \quad (4.10)$$

using the notation  $f_{ij}$  and  $f_{ij}^*$ ,  $1 \leq i, j \leq 2$ , for the usual  $\mathbb{Z}$ -basis of characters and cocharacters of  $\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2$  and  $\beta_1, \beta_2$  denote the simple roots of  $\mathrm{GSpin}_4$ . We can use this identification to relate the nilpotent matrices associated to the parameters of  $\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2$  and  $\mathrm{GSpin}_4$ , respectively.

For both (a) and (b) above, we have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{C})} = \left( \left[ \begin{array}{cc} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right], \left[ \begin{array}{cc} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \right) \stackrel{(4.10)}{\iff} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_4(\mathbb{C})} = \mathbf{0}_{4 \times 4}.$$

*Remark 4.2.* We note that case (b) above was mentioned, less precisely, in [AC17, Remark 5.10].

4.2.2. *Reducible Parameters.* If  $\varphi \in \Phi(\mathrm{GSpin}_4)$  is reducible, then at least one  $\tilde{\varphi}_i$  must be reducible. Since the number of irreducible constituents in  $\mathrm{Res}_{\mathrm{SL}_2}^{\mathrm{GL}_2}(\tilde{\sigma}_i)$  is at most 2, we have  $I^{\mathrm{SL}_2}(\tilde{\sigma}_i) \cong \{1\}$ , or  $\mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}$ . This implies that

$$I^{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}(\tilde{\sigma}) \cong \{1\}, \text{ or } \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}.$$

If  $\tilde{\varphi}_i$  is reducible and generic, then  $\tilde{\sigma}_i$  is either the Steinberg representation twisted by a character or an irreducibly induced representation from the Borel subgroup of  $\mathrm{GL}_2$ . We make case-by-case arguments as follows.

**gnt-(i)** Note that the Steinberg representation of  $\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2$  is of the form  $\mathrm{St}_{\mathrm{GL}_2} \boxtimes \mathrm{St}_{\mathrm{GL}_2}$ . We have

$$\mathrm{Res}_{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}^{\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2}(\mathrm{St}_{\mathrm{GL}_2} \boxtimes \mathrm{St}_{\mathrm{GL}_2}) = \mathrm{St}_{\mathrm{GSpin}_4} \quad (4.11)$$

and

$$\mathrm{Res}_{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}^{\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2}(\mathrm{St}_{\mathrm{GL}_2} \otimes \chi_1 \boxtimes \mathrm{St}_{\mathrm{GL}_2} \otimes \chi_2) = \mathrm{St}_{\mathrm{GSpin}_4} \otimes \chi$$

for some  $\chi$ . We have  $I^{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}(\tilde{\sigma}) \cong \{1\}$  as  $I^G(\mathrm{St}_G) \cong \{1\}$ . Thus, by (4.9), the  $L$ -packet remains a singleton and the restriction is irreducible.

- To determine  $\chi$ , we use the required properties of  $\chi_1, \chi_2$ . Using

$$T = \left\{ \left( \left[ \begin{array}{cc} a & 0 \\ 0 & b \end{array} \right], \left[ \begin{array}{cc} c & 0 \\ 0 & d \end{array} \right] \right) \mid ab = cd \right\}, \quad (4.12)$$

we have  $\chi_1(ab) = \chi_2(cd) \iff \chi_1 = \chi_2$ . Denote  $\chi_1 = \chi_2$  by  $\chi$ .

For (4.11), we have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{C})} = \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) \stackrel{(4.10)}{\iff} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_4(\mathbb{C})} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

**gnt-(ii)** Next we consider

$$\mathrm{Res}_{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}^{\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2} \left( i_{\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_2} (\chi_1 \otimes \chi_2) \boxtimes \mathrm{St}_{\mathrm{GL}_2} \otimes \chi \right). \quad (4.13)$$

By (4.9), the fact that  $\tilde{\sigma}_2 \not\cong \tilde{\sigma}_1 \tilde{\eta}$  for any  $\tilde{\eta} \in (F^\times)^D$ , and since  $I^G(\mathrm{St}_G) \cong \{1\}$ , it follows that

$$I^{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}(\tilde{\sigma}) \cong \{1\}.$$

Thus, the  $L$ -packet remains a singleton and the restriction (4.13) is irreducible.

• To describe the restriction (4.13), we proceed similarly as above. We have

$$\chi_1(a)\chi_2(b) = \chi(cd) = \chi(ab) \iff \chi_1\chi^{-1}(a) = \chi_2^{-1}\chi(b)$$

Specializing to  $a = b$  and  $c = d$  in the center, we have

$$\chi_1\chi_2\chi^{-2} = 1$$

For (4.13), we have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{C})} = \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) \stackrel{(4.10)}{\iff} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_4(\mathbb{C})} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

**gnt-(iii)** We consider

$$\mathrm{Res}_{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}^{\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2} \left( i_{\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_2} (\chi_1 \otimes \chi_2) \boxtimes i_{\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_2} (\chi_3 \otimes \chi_4) \right) = i_T^{\mathrm{GSpin}_4} (\chi_1 \otimes \chi_2, \chi_3 \otimes \chi_1\chi_2\chi_3^{-1}).$$

Here,  $\chi_1 \neq \chi_2\nu^{\pm 1}$  and  $\chi_3 \neq \chi_4\nu^{\pm 1}$ . Note that by (4.9) this induced representation may be irreducible or consist of two irreducible inequivalent constituents. We have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{C})} = \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) \stackrel{(4.10)}{\iff} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_4(\mathbb{C})} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

**gnt-(iv)** Given a supercuspidal  $\tilde{\sigma} \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GL}_2)$ , we consider

$$\mathrm{Res}_{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}^{\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2} (\tilde{\sigma} \boxtimes \mathrm{St}_{\mathrm{GL}_2} \otimes \chi). \quad (4.14)$$

Since  $I^G(\mathrm{St}_G) \cong \{1\}$ , due to (4.9), the restriction (4.14) is irreducible. We then have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{C})} = \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) \stackrel{(4.10)}{\iff} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_4(\mathbb{C})} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

**gnt-(v)** Given supercuspidal  $\tilde{\sigma} \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GL}_2)$ , we next consider

$$\mathrm{Res}_{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}^{\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2} \left( \tilde{\sigma} \boxtimes i_{\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_2} (\chi_1 \otimes \chi_2) \right).$$

Note from (4.9) that this may be irreducible or consist of two irreducible inequivalent constituents. We have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{C})} = \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) \stackrel{(4.10)}{\iff} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_4(\mathbb{C})} = \mathbf{0}_{4 \times 4}.$$



**4.3. Non-Generic Representations of  $\mathrm{GSpin}_4$ .** If  $\sigma \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GSpin}_4)$  is non-generic, then  $\sigma$  is of the form

$$\mathrm{Res}_{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}^{\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2} ((\chi \circ \det) \boxtimes \tilde{\sigma}), \quad (4.15)$$

with  $\tilde{\sigma} \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GL}_2)$ . Note this restriction is irreducible due to (4.9), and that as  $\chi \circ \det$  is non-generic, so is the restriction  $\sigma$  for any  $\tilde{\sigma} \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GL}_2)$ .

For  $\tilde{\sigma} = \mathrm{St} \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GL}_2)$ , we have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{C})} = \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) \xLeftrightarrow{(4.10)} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_4(\mathbb{C})} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix},$$

and otherwise we have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{C})} = \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) \xLeftrightarrow{(4.10)} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_4(\mathbb{C})} = 0_{4 \times 4}.$$

We summarize the above information about the representations of  $\mathrm{GSpin}_4$  in Table 1.

**4.4. Computation of the Adjoint  $L$ -function for  $\mathrm{GSpin}_4$ .** We now give explicit expressions for the adjoint  $L$ -function for each of the representations of  $\mathrm{GSpin}_4(F)$ . We start by recalling that the adjoint  $L$ -functions of the representations  $\tilde{\sigma} \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GL}_2)$  are as follows.

$$L(s, \tilde{\sigma}, \mathrm{Ad}_2) = \begin{cases} L(s)^2 L(s, \chi_1 \chi_2^{-1}) L(s, \chi_1^{-1} \chi_2), & \text{if } \tilde{\sigma} = i_{\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_2} (\chi_1 \boxtimes \chi_2) \text{ with } \chi_1 \chi_2^{-1} \neq \nu^{\pm 1}; \\ L(s) L(s+1), & \text{if } \tilde{\sigma} = \mathrm{St}_{\mathrm{GL}_2} \otimes \chi; \\ L(s) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}, \mathrm{Sym}^2 \otimes \omega_{\tilde{\sigma}}^{-1}), & \text{if } \tilde{\sigma} \text{ is supercuspidal}; \\ L(s)^2 L(s-1) L(s+1), & \text{if } \tilde{\sigma} = \chi \circ \det. \end{cases}$$

Here,  $L(s) = L(s, 1_{F^\times})$ . Recall our choice of notation

$$L(s, \tilde{\sigma}, \mathrm{Ad}_2) = L(s) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}, \mathrm{Ad}).$$

Combining with (2.14), Sections 4.2.1 and 4.2.2, we have the following.

**gnr-(a)&(b)** Given a supercuspidal  $\sigma \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GSpin}_4)$ , we recall that

$$\sigma \subset \mathrm{Res}_{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}^{\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2} (\tilde{\sigma}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\sigma}_2)$$

for some supercuspidal  $\tilde{\sigma}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\sigma}_2 \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2)$ . By (2.15) we have

$$L(s, \sigma, \mathrm{Ad}) = L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_1, \mathrm{Sym}^2 \otimes \omega_{\tilde{\sigma}_1}^{-1}) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_2, \mathrm{Sym}^2 \otimes \omega_{\tilde{\sigma}_2}^{-1}).$$

**gnr-(i)** Given

$$\sigma = \mathrm{St}_{\mathrm{GSpin}_4} \otimes \chi \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GSpin}_4),$$

by (2.15) we have

$$L(s, \sigma, \mathrm{Ad}) = L(s+1)^2.$$

**gnr-(ii)** Given  $\sigma \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GSpin}_4)$  such that

$$\sigma = \mathrm{Res}_{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}^{\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2} \left( i_{\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_2} (\chi_1 \otimes \chi_2) \boxtimes \mathrm{St}_{\mathrm{GL}_2} \otimes \chi \right),$$

by (2.15) we have

$$L(s, \sigma, \mathrm{Ad}) = L(s) L(s, \chi_1 \chi_2^{-1}) L(s, \chi_1^{-1} \chi_2) L(s+1).$$

**gnr-(iii)** Given  $\sigma \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GSpin}_4)$  such that

$$\sigma \subset \mathrm{Res}_{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}^{\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2} \left( i_{\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_2} (\chi_1 \otimes \chi_2) \boxtimes i_{\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_2} (\chi_3 \otimes \chi_4) \right)$$

by (2.15) we have

$$L(s, \sigma, \mathrm{Ad}) = L(s)^2 L(s, \chi_1 \chi_2^{-1}) L(s, \chi_1^{-1} \chi_2) L(s, \chi_3 \chi_4^{-1}) L(s, \chi_3^{-1} \chi_4).$$

**gnr-(iv)** Given  $\sigma \in \text{Irr}(\text{GSpin}_4)$  such that

$$\sigma = \text{Res}_{\text{GSpin}_4}^{\text{GL}_2 \times \text{GL}_2} (\tilde{\sigma} \boxtimes \text{St}_{\text{GL}_2} \otimes \chi)$$

by (2.15) we have

$$L(s, \sigma, \text{Ad}) = L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_2, \text{Sym}^2 \otimes \omega_{\tilde{\sigma}_2}^{-1}) L(s+1).$$

**gnr-(v)** Given  $\sigma \in \text{Irr}(\text{GSpin}_4)$  such that

$$\sigma \subset \text{Res}_{\text{GSpin}_4}^{\text{GL}_2 \times \text{GL}_2} \left( \tilde{\sigma} \boxtimes i_{\text{GL}_1 \times \text{GL}_1}^{\text{GL}_2} (\chi_1 \otimes \chi_2) \right)$$

by (2.15) we have

$$L(s, \sigma, \text{Ad}) = L(s) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_2, \text{Sym}^2 \otimes \omega_{\tilde{\sigma}_2}^{-1}) L(s, \chi_1 \chi_2^{-1}) L(s, \chi_1^{-1} \chi_2).$$

**nongnr** Given a non-generic  $\sigma \in \text{Irr}(\text{GSpin}_4)$ , from (4.15), we recall that

$$\sigma = \text{Res}_{\text{GSpin}_4}^{\text{GL}_2 \times \text{GL}_2} (\chi \circ \det \boxtimes \tilde{\sigma})$$

and by (2.15) we have

$$L(s, \sigma, \text{Ad}) = L(s) L(s-1) L(s+1) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}, \text{Ad}).$$

We summarize the explicit computations above in Table 2.

## 5. REPRESENTATIONS OF $\text{GSpin}_6$

We now list all the representations of  $\text{GSpin}_6(F)$  and then calculate their associated adjoint  $L$ -function explicitly. Again, we do this explicit calculation by finding the  $6 \times 6$  nilpotent matrix in the complex dual group  $\text{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})$  in each case that is associated with the parameter of the representation.

### 5.1. The Representations.

5.1.1. *Classification of representations of  $\text{GSpin}_6$ .* Again, following [AC17], we have

$$1 \longrightarrow \text{GSpin}_6(F) \longrightarrow \text{GL}_1(F) \times \text{GL}_4(F) \longrightarrow F^\times \longrightarrow 1. \quad (5.1)$$

Recall that

$$\text{GSpin}_6(F) \cong \{(g_1, g_2) \in \text{GL}_1(F) \times \text{GL}_4(F) : g_1^2 = \det g_2\}, \quad (5.2)$$

$${}^L\text{GSpin}_6 = \widehat{\text{GSpin}}_6 = \text{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C}) \cong (\text{GL}_1(\mathbb{C}) \times \text{GL}_4(\mathbb{C})) / \{(z^{-2}, z) : z \in \mathbb{C}^\times\}, \quad (5.3)$$

and

$$1 \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}^\times \longrightarrow \text{GL}_1(\mathbb{C}) \times \text{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \xrightarrow{pr_6} \widehat{\text{GSpin}}_6 \longrightarrow 1. \quad (5.4)$$

Just as the rank two case, here too we view  $\text{GSO}_6$  as the group similitude orthogonal  $6 \times 6$  matrices with respect to the analogous  $6 \times 6$ , anti-diagonal, matrix  $J = J_6$  as in (4.5), and similarly define its Lie algebra with respect to  $J$ .

5.1.2. *Construction of the  $L$ -packets of  $\text{GSpin}_6$  (recalled from [AC17]).* Given  $\sigma \in \text{Irr}(\text{GSpin}_6)$  we have a lift  $\tilde{\sigma} \in \text{Irr}(\text{GL}_1 \times \text{GL}_4)$  such that

$$\sigma \hookrightarrow \text{Res}_{\text{GSpin}_6}^{\text{GL}_1 \times \text{GL}_4} (\tilde{\sigma}).$$

It follows from the LLC for  $GL_n$  [HT01, Hen00, Sch13] that there is a unique  $\tilde{\varphi}_{\tilde{\sigma}} \in \Phi(\text{GL}_1 \times \text{GL}_4)$  corresponding to the representation  $\tilde{\sigma}$ . We now have a surjective, finite-to-one map

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_6 : \text{Irr}(\text{GSpin}_6) &\longrightarrow \Phi(\text{GSpin}_6) \\ \sigma &\longmapsto pr_6 \circ \tilde{\varphi}_{\tilde{\sigma}}, \end{aligned} \quad (5.5)$$

which does not depend on the choice of the lifting  $\tilde{\sigma}$ . Then, for each  $\varphi \in \Phi(\text{GSpin}_6)$ , all inequivalent irreducible constituents of  $\tilde{\sigma}$  constitutes the  $L$ -packet

$$\Pi_\varphi(\text{GSpin}_6) := \Pi_{\tilde{\sigma}}(\text{GSpin}_6) = \left\{ \sigma : \sigma \hookrightarrow \text{Res}_{\text{GSpin}_6}^{\text{GL}_1 \times \text{GL}_4} (\tilde{\sigma}) \right\} / \cong, \quad (5.6)$$

where  $\tilde{\sigma}$  is the unique member of  $\Pi_{\tilde{\varphi}}(\text{GL}_1 \times \text{GL}_4)$  and  $\tilde{\varphi} \in \Phi(\text{GL}_1 \times \text{GL}_4)$  is such that  $pr_6 \circ \tilde{\varphi} = \varphi$ . We note that the construction does not depends on the choice of  $\tilde{\varphi}$ . Further details can be found in [AC17, Section 6.1].

Following [AC17, Section 6.3], given  $\varphi \in \Phi(\mathrm{GSpin}_6)$ , fix the lift

$$\tilde{\varphi} = \tilde{\eta} \otimes \tilde{\varphi}_0 \in \Phi(\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_4)$$

with  $\tilde{\varphi}_0 \in \Phi(\mathrm{GL}_4)$  such that  $\varphi = \mathrm{pr}_6 \circ \tilde{\varphi}$ . Let

$$\tilde{\sigma} = \tilde{\eta} \boxtimes \tilde{\sigma}_0 \in \Pi_{\tilde{\varphi}}(\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_4)$$

be the unique member such that  $\{\tilde{\sigma}_0\} = \Pi_{\tilde{\varphi}_0}(\mathrm{GL}_4)$ .

Recall that

$$I^{\mathrm{GSpin}_6}(\tilde{\sigma}) := \left\{ \tilde{\chi} \in \left( \mathrm{GL}_1(F) \times \mathrm{GL}_4(F) / \mathrm{GSpin}_6(F) \right)^D : \tilde{\sigma} \otimes \tilde{\chi} \cong \tilde{\sigma} \right\}.$$

Then we have

$$\Pi_{\varphi}(\mathrm{GSpin}_6) \xleftarrow{1-1} I^{\mathrm{GSpin}_6}(\tilde{\sigma}), \quad (5.7)$$

and by [AC17, Lemma 6.5 and Proposition 6.6] we have

$$I^{\mathrm{GSpin}_6}(\tilde{\sigma}) \cong \{ \tilde{\chi} \in I^{\mathrm{SL}_4}(\tilde{\sigma}_0) : \tilde{\chi}^2 = 1_{F^\times} \} \quad (5.8)$$

and any  $\tilde{\chi} \in I^{\mathrm{GSpin}_6}(\tilde{\sigma})$  is of the form

$$\tilde{\chi} = (\tilde{\chi}')^{-2} \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}',$$

for some  $\tilde{\chi}' \in (F^\times)^D$ .

**5.2. Generic Representations of  $\mathrm{GSpin}_6$ .** Thanks to the group structure (5.2) and the relation of generic representations in Section 3.1, in order to classify the generic representations of  $\mathrm{GSpin}_6$ , it suffices to classify the generic representations of  $\mathrm{GL}_4$ .

Here are two key facts from the GL theory.

- Recall from [Zel80, Theorem 9.7] and [Kud94, Theorem 2.3.1] that a generic representation of  $\mathrm{GL}_4$  is of the form

$$i_{M_b}^{\mathrm{GL}_4}(\sigma_b)$$

where  $M_b$  runs through any  $F$ -Levi subgroup of  $\mathrm{GL}_4$  (including  $\mathrm{GL}_4$  itself) and  $\sigma_b$  is any essentially square-integrable representation of  $M_b$ .

- For their  $L$ -parameters, we note from [Kud94, §5.2] that the generic representations of  $\mathrm{GL}_4$  have Langlands parameters (i.e., 4-dimensional Weil-Deligne representations  $(\rho, N)$ ) of the form

$$(\rho_1 \otimes \mathrm{sp}(r_1)) \otimes \dots \otimes (\rho_t \otimes \mathrm{sp}(r_t))$$

with  $t \leq 4$ , where  $\rho_i$ 's are irreducible and no two segments are linked.

**5.2.1. Irreducible Parameters.** Let  $\varphi \in \Phi(\mathrm{GSpin}_6)$  be irreducible. Then  $\tilde{\varphi}$  and  $\tilde{\varphi}_0$  are also irreducible. By Section 3.1, we have the following.

**Proposition 5.1.** *Let  $\varphi \in \Phi(\mathrm{GSpin}_6)$  be irreducible. Every member in  $\Pi_{\varphi}(\mathrm{GSpin}_6)$  is supercuspidal and generic.*

To see the internal structure of  $\Pi_{\varphi}(\mathrm{GSpin}_6)$ , we need, by (5.7), to know the detailed structure of  $I^{\mathrm{GSpin}_6}(\tilde{\sigma})$  as follows.

**gnt-(a)** Given  $\sigma \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{sc}}(\mathrm{GSpin}_6)$ , we have

$$\tilde{\sigma} = \tilde{\sigma}_0 \boxtimes \tilde{\eta} \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{sc}}(\mathrm{GL}_4 \times \mathrm{GL}_1). \quad (5.9)$$

From [AC17, Proposition 2.1], we recall the identification:

$$\Delta^{\vee} = \{ \beta_1^{\vee} = f_2^* - f_3^*, \beta_2^{\vee} = f_1^* - f_2^*, \beta_3^{\vee} = f_3^* - f_4^* \}. \quad (5.10)$$

using the notation  $f_{ij}$  and  $f_{ij}^*$ ,  $1 \leq i, j \leq 4$ , for the usual  $\mathbb{Z}$ -basis of characters and cocharacters of  $\mathrm{GL}_4$ . Also,  $\{ \beta_1, \beta_2, \beta_3 \}$  are the simple roots of  $\mathrm{GSpin}_6$ .

We have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = (0_{4 \times 4}, 0) \xleftrightarrow{(5.10)} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = 0_{6 \times 6}.$$

5.2.2. *Reducible Parameters.* When  $\tilde{\varphi}_0$  is not irreducible, we have proper parabolic inductions. An exhaustive list of  $F$ -Levi subgroups  $\mathbf{M}$  of  $\mathrm{GSpin}_6$  (up to isomorphism) is as follows.

- $\mathbf{M} \cong \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 = \widetilde{\mathbf{M}} \cap \mathrm{GSpin}_6$ , where  $\widetilde{\mathbf{M}} = (\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1) \times \mathrm{GL}_1$ .
- $\mathbf{M} \cong \mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 = \widetilde{\mathbf{M}} \cap \mathrm{GSpin}_6$ , where  $\widetilde{\mathbf{M}} = (\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1) \times \mathrm{GL}_1$ .
- $\mathbf{M} \cong \mathrm{GL}_3 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 = \widetilde{\mathbf{M}} \cap \mathrm{GSpin}_6$ , where  $\widetilde{\mathbf{M}} = (\mathrm{GL}_3 \times \mathrm{GL}_1) \times \mathrm{GL}_1$ . (Note: The factor  $\mathrm{GL}_1$  of  $\mathbf{M}$  is  $\mathrm{GSpin}_0$  by convention.)
- $\mathbf{M} \cong \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GSpin}_4 = \widetilde{\mathbf{M}} \cap \mathrm{GSpin}_6$ , where  $\widetilde{\mathbf{M}} = (\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2) \times \mathrm{GL}_1$ .
- $\mathbf{M} \cong \mathrm{GSpin}_6 = \widetilde{\mathbf{M}} \cap \mathrm{GSpin}_6$ , where  $\widetilde{\mathbf{M}} = \mathrm{GL}_4 \times \mathrm{GL}_1$ .

(Note that  $\mathbf{M} \cong \mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2$  does not occur on this list.) We now consider each case and, by abuse of notation, conflate algebraic groups and their  $F$ -points.

**gnr-(I)**  $\mathbf{M} \cong \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1$  and  $\widetilde{\mathbf{M}} = (\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1) \times \mathrm{GL}_1$ .  
Given  $\chi_i \in (F^\times)^D$  we consider

$$i_M^{\mathrm{GSpin}_6}(\chi_1 \boxtimes \chi_2 \boxtimes \chi_3 \boxtimes \chi_4). \quad (5.11)$$

Write  $\chi_1 \boxtimes \chi_2 \boxtimes \chi_3 \boxtimes \chi_4 = (\tilde{\chi}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_2 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_3 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_4 \boxtimes \tilde{\eta})|_M$  with  $\tilde{\chi}_i, \tilde{\eta} \in (F^\times)^D$  so that

$$\tilde{\chi}_1 \tilde{\chi}_2 \tilde{\chi}_3 \tilde{\chi}_4 = \tilde{\eta}^2.$$

Then we have the following relations

$$\chi_1 = \tilde{\chi}_1, \chi_2 = \tilde{\chi}_2, \chi_3 = \tilde{\chi}_3, \chi_4 = \tilde{\eta}^2 (\tilde{\chi}_2 \tilde{\chi}_3 \tilde{\chi}_4)^{-1}. \quad (5.12)$$

By Section 3.1, we know that the representation (5.11) is generic if and only if its lift

$$i_{\widetilde{\mathbf{M}}}^{\mathrm{GL}_4 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}(\tilde{\chi}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_2 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_3 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_4 \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}) \quad (5.13)$$

is generic if and only if

$$i_{\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_4}(\tilde{\chi}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_2 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_3 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_4) \quad (5.14)$$

is generic. By the classification of the generic representations of  $\mathrm{GL}_n$  ([Zel80, Theorem 9.7] and [Kud94, Theorem 2.3.1]), this amounts to (5.14) being irreducible. By [Kud94, Theorem 2.1.1] and [BZ77, Zel80], the necessary and sufficient condition for this to occur is that there is no pair  $i, j$  with  $i \neq j$  such that

$$\tilde{\chi}_i = \nu \tilde{\chi}_j.$$

We have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = (0_{4 \times 4}, 0) \xrightarrow{(5.10)} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = 0_{6 \times 6}$$

**gnr-(II)**  $\mathbf{M} \cong \mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1$  and  $\widetilde{\mathbf{M}} = (\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1) \times \mathrm{GL}_1$ .  
Given  $\sigma_0 \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{esq}}(\mathrm{GL}_2)$  and  $\chi_1, \chi_2 \in (F^\times)^D$ , we consider

$$i_M^{\mathrm{GSpin}_6}(\sigma_0 \boxtimes \chi_1 \boxtimes \chi_2). \quad (5.15)$$

Write  $\sigma_0 \boxtimes \chi_1 \boxtimes \chi_2 = (\tilde{\sigma}_0 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_2 \boxtimes \tilde{\eta})|_M$  with  $\tilde{\sigma}_0 \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{esq}}(\mathrm{GL}_2)$ ,  $\tilde{\chi}_i, \tilde{\eta} \in (F^\times)^D$ .

Given  $(g, h_1, h_2, h_3) \in \widetilde{\mathbf{M}}$  with  $\det(gh_1 h_2) = h_3^2$ ,

- if we set  $(g, h_1, h_3) \in M$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\sigma}_0(g) \tilde{\chi}_1(h_1) \tilde{\chi}_2(h_2) \tilde{\eta}(h_3) &= \tilde{\sigma}_0(g) \tilde{\chi}_1(h_1) \tilde{\chi}_2(\det g^{-1} h_1^{-1} h_3^2) \tilde{\eta}(h_3) \\ &= (\tilde{\sigma}_0 \tilde{\chi}_2^{-1} \circ \det)(g) (\tilde{\chi}_1 \tilde{\chi}_2^{-1})(h_1) (\tilde{\chi}_2^2 \tilde{\eta})(h_3) \\ &= \sigma(g) \chi_1(h_1) \chi_2(h_3). \end{aligned}$$

Then we have

$$\tilde{\sigma}_0 = \sigma_0 \tilde{\chi}_2, \tilde{\chi}_1 = \chi_1 \tilde{\chi}_2, \tilde{\eta} = \chi_2 \tilde{\chi}_2^{-2}.$$

- If we set  $(g, h_2, h_3) \in M$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\sigma}_0(g)\tilde{\chi}_1(h_1)\tilde{\chi}_2(h_2)\tilde{\eta}(h_3) &= \tilde{\sigma}_0(g)\tilde{\chi}_1(\det g^{-1}h_2^{-1}h_3^2)\tilde{\chi}_2(h_2)\tilde{\eta}(h_3) \\ &= (\tilde{\sigma}_0\tilde{\chi}_1^{-1} \circ \det)(g)(\tilde{\chi}_2\tilde{\chi}_1^{-1})(h_2)(\tilde{\chi}_1^2\tilde{\eta})(h_3) \\ &= \sigma(g)\chi_1(h_2)\chi_2(h_3). \end{aligned}$$

Then we have

$$\tilde{\sigma}_0 = \sigma_0\tilde{\chi}_1, \quad \tilde{\chi}_2 = \chi_2\tilde{\chi}_1, \quad \tilde{\eta} = \chi_1\tilde{\chi}_1^{-2}. \quad (5.16)$$

As before, the representation (5.15) is generic if and only if its lift

$$i_{\tilde{M}}^{\mathrm{GL}_4 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}(\tilde{\sigma}_0 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_2 \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}) \quad (5.17)$$

is generic if and only if

$$i_{\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_4}(\tilde{\sigma}_0 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_2) \quad (5.18)$$

is generic. Again by the classification of the generic representations of  $\mathrm{GL}_n$  this amounts to (5.18) being irreducible. Hence, we must have

$$\tilde{\chi}_1 \neq \nu^{\pm 1}\tilde{\chi}_2.$$

In other words, given  $(g, h_1, h_2, h_3) \in \tilde{M}$  with  $\det(gh_1h_2) = h_3^2$ ,

- if we set  $(g, h_1, h_3) \in M$ , then

$$\chi_1 \neq \nu^{\pm 1};$$

- if we set  $(g, h_2, h_3) \in M$ , then

$$\chi_2 \neq \nu^{\pm 1}.$$

We have the following two cases. If  $\sigma_0$  is supercuspidal, then

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = (0_{4 \times 4}, 0) \xLeftrightarrow{(5.10)} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = 0_{6 \times 6}.$$

If  $\sigma_0$  is non-supercuspidal, then

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, 0 \right) \xLeftrightarrow{(5.10)} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

**gnt-(III)**  $\mathbf{M} \cong \mathrm{GL}_3 \times \mathrm{GL}_1$  and  $\tilde{\mathbf{M}} = (\mathrm{GL}_3 \times \mathrm{GL}_1) \times \mathrm{GL}_1$ .

Given  $\sigma_0 \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{esq}}(\mathrm{GL}_3)$  and  $\chi \in (F^\times)^D$ , we consider

$$i_{\tilde{M}}^{\mathrm{GSpin}_6}(\sigma_0 \boxtimes \chi). \quad (5.19)$$

Write  $\sigma_0 \boxtimes \chi = (\tilde{\sigma}_0 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi} \boxtimes \tilde{\eta})|_M$  with  $\tilde{\sigma}_0 \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{esq}}(\mathrm{GL}_3)$ ,  $\tilde{\chi}, \tilde{\eta} \in (F^\times)^D$ .

Given  $(g, h_1, h_2) \in \tilde{M}$  with  $\det(gh_1) = h_2^2$ , if we set  $(g, h_2) \in M$ , then we have

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\sigma}_0(g)\tilde{\chi}(h_1)\tilde{\eta}(h_2) &= \tilde{\sigma}_0(g)\tilde{\chi}(\det g^{-1}h_2^2)\tilde{\eta}(h_2) \\ &= (\tilde{\sigma}_0\tilde{\chi}^{-1} \circ \det)(g)(\tilde{\chi}^2\tilde{\eta})(h_2) \\ &= \sigma(g)\chi(h_2). \end{aligned} \quad (5.20)$$

Then, we have

$$\tilde{\sigma}_0 = \sigma_0\tilde{\chi} \quad \text{and} \quad \tilde{\eta} = \chi_2\tilde{\chi}^{-2}.$$

As before, (5.19) is generic if and only if its lift

$$i_{\tilde{M}}^{\mathrm{GL}_4 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}(\tilde{\sigma}_0 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi} \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}) \quad (5.21)$$

is generic if and only if

$$i_{\mathrm{GL}_3 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_4}(\tilde{\sigma}_0 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}) \quad (5.22)$$

is generic. This amounts to (5.22) being irreducible as before, which is always true since  $\tilde{\sigma}_0$  is an essentially square integrable representation of  $\mathrm{GL}_3$ . Note that by the classification of essentially square-integrable representations of  $\mathrm{GL}_3$  ([Kud94, Proposition 1.1.2]),  $\tilde{\sigma}_0$  must be either supercuspidal or the unique subrepresentation of

$$i_{\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_3}(\nu\chi \boxtimes \chi \boxtimes \nu^{-1}\chi) \quad (5.23)$$

with any  $\chi \in (F^\times)^D$ .

We have the following two cases. If  $\sigma_0$  is supercuspidal, then

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = (0_{4 \times 4}, 0) \xLeftrightarrow{(5.10)} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = 0_{6 \times 6}.$$

If  $\sigma_0$  is the non-supercuspidal, unique, subrepresentation of (5.23), then

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = \left( \begin{pmatrix} [0 & 1 & 0 & 0] \\ [0 & 0 & 1 & 0] \\ [0 & 0 & 0 & 0] \\ [0 & 0 & 0 & 0] \end{pmatrix}, 0 \right) \xLeftrightarrow{(5.10)} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

**gnr-(IV)**  $\mathbf{M} \cong \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GSpin}_4$  and  $\widetilde{\mathbf{M}} = (\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2) \times \mathrm{GL}_1$ .

Given  $\sigma_0 \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{esq}}(\mathrm{GSpin}_4)$  and  $\chi \in (F^\times)^D$  we consider

$$i_M^{\mathrm{GSpin}_6}(\chi \boxtimes \sigma_0). \quad (5.24)$$

Write  $\chi \boxtimes \sigma_0 \subset (\tilde{\sigma}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\sigma}_2 \boxtimes \tilde{\eta})|_M$  with  $\tilde{\sigma}_i \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{esq}}(\mathrm{GL}_2)$ ,  $\tilde{\eta} \in (F^\times)^D$ .

As before, (5.24) is generic if and only if its lift

$$i_{\widetilde{\mathbf{M}}}^{\mathrm{GL}_4 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}(\tilde{\sigma}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\sigma}_2 \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}) \quad (5.25)$$

is generic if and only if

$$i_{\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2}^{\mathrm{GL}_4}(\tilde{\sigma}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\sigma}_2) \quad (5.26)$$

is generic. This amounts to (5.26) being irreducible. Thus, we must have

$$\tilde{\sigma}_1 \neq \nu^{\pm 1}\tilde{\sigma}_2.$$

We have several cases to consider. If  $\sigma_0$  is supercuspidal (so are  $\tilde{\sigma}_1$  and  $\tilde{\sigma}_2$ ), then

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = (0_{4 \times 4}, 0) \xLeftrightarrow{(5.10)} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = 0_{6 \times 6}.$$

If  $\sigma_0$  is non-supercuspidal, then for supercuspidal  $\tilde{\sigma}_1$  and non-supercuspidal  $\tilde{\sigma}_2$  we have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = \left( \begin{pmatrix} [0 & 0 & 0 & 0] \\ [0 & 0 & 0 & 0] \\ [0 & 0 & 0 & 1] \\ [0 & 0 & 0 & 0] \end{pmatrix}, 0 \right) \xLeftrightarrow{(5.10)} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix};$$

for non-supercuspidal  $\tilde{\sigma}_1$  and supercuspidal  $\tilde{\sigma}_2$  we have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = \left( \begin{pmatrix} [0 & 1 & 0 & 0] \\ [0 & 0 & 0 & 0] \\ [0 & 0 & 0 & 0] \\ [0 & 0 & 0 & 0] \end{pmatrix}, 0 \right) \xLeftrightarrow{(5.10)} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix};$$

and for non-supercuspidal  $\tilde{\sigma}_1$  and  $\tilde{\sigma}_2$  we have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = \left( \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, 0 \right) \stackrel{(5.10)}{\iff} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

**gnr-(V)**  $\mathbf{M} \cong \mathrm{GSpin}_6$  and  $\widetilde{\mathbf{M}} = \mathrm{GL}_4 \times \mathrm{GL}_1$ .

Given  $\sigma \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{esq}}(\mathrm{GSpin}_6) \setminus \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{sc}}(\mathrm{GSpin}_6)$ , we consider

$$\sigma \subset (\tilde{\sigma} \boxtimes \tilde{\eta})|_M$$

with  $\tilde{\sigma} \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{esq}}(\mathrm{GL}_4) \setminus \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{sc}}(\mathrm{GL}_4)$ ,  $\tilde{\eta} \in (F^\times)^D$ . Here, we note that  $\varphi \in \Phi(\mathrm{GSpin}_6)$  is not irreducible and neither  $\tilde{\sigma}$  nor  $\sigma$  is supercuspidal. It is clear that  $\sigma$  is generic as  $\tilde{\sigma} \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}$  is. By the classification of essentially square-integrable representations of  $\mathrm{GL}_4$  ([Kud94, Proposition 1.1.2]),  $\tilde{\sigma}$  must be the unique subrepresentation of either

$$i_{\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_4} \left( \nu^{3/2} \tilde{\chi} \boxtimes \nu^{1/2} \tilde{\chi} \boxtimes \nu^{-1/2} \tilde{\chi} \boxtimes \nu^{-3/2} \tilde{\chi} \right) \quad (5.27)$$

with any  $\tilde{\chi} \in (F^\times)^D$  (i.e.,  $\tilde{\sigma} = \mathrm{St}_{\mathrm{GL}_4} \otimes \tilde{\chi}$ ), or of

$$i_{\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2}^{\mathrm{GL}_4} \left( \nu^{1/2} \tilde{\tau} \boxtimes \nu^{-1/2} \tilde{\tau} \right) \quad (5.28)$$

with any  $\tilde{\tau} \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{sc}}(\mathrm{GL}_2)$ .

Now, for (5.27) we have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = \left( \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, 0 \right) \stackrel{(5.10)}{\iff} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix};$$

and for (5.28) we have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = \left( \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, 0 \right) \stackrel{(5.10)}{\iff} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(We note, cf. [Tat79, (4.1.5)], that  $N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C})}$  is of the form  $O_{2 \times 2} \otimes I_{2 \times 2} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \otimes I_{2 \times 2}$ .)

**5.3. Non-Generic Representations of  $\mathrm{GSpin}_6$ .** Using the transitivity of the parabolic induction and the classification of generic representations of  $\mathrm{GL}_n$ , ([Zel80, Theorem 9.7] and [Kud94, Theorem 2.3.1]), the non-generic representations of  $\mathrm{GSpin}_6$  are as follows.

**nongnr-(A)**  $\mathbf{M} \cong \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1$  and  $\widetilde{\mathbf{M}} = (\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1) \times \mathrm{GL}_1$ .

Given  $\chi_i \in (F^\times)^D$ , by Section 3.1 and using (5.12), the representation (5.11) contains a non-generic constituent if and only if the same is true for

$$i_{\widetilde{\mathbf{M}}}^{\mathrm{GL}_4 \times \mathrm{GL}_1} (\tilde{\chi}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_2 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_3 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_4 \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}) \quad (5.29)$$

if and only if

$$i_{\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_4} (\tilde{\chi}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_2 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_3 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_4) \quad (5.30)$$

contains a non-generic constituent. This amounts to (5.30) being reducible. As before, the necessary and sufficient condition for this to occur is that there is some pair  $i, j$  with  $i \neq j$  such that  $\tilde{\chi}_i = \nu\tilde{\chi}_j$ .

By the Langlands classification and the description of constituents of the parabolic induction (see [Zel80, Theorem 7.1], [Rod82, Theorem 7.1], and [Kud94, Theorems 2.1.1 §5.1.1]), each constituent can be described as a Langlands quotient, denoted by  $Q(\dots)$ , as follows.

The first case is when there is only one pair, say  $\tilde{\chi}_1 = \nu^{1/2}\tilde{\chi}$  and  $\tilde{\chi}_2 = \nu^{-1/2}\tilde{\chi}$  for some  $\tilde{\chi} \in (F^\times)^D$  while  $\tilde{\chi}_3 \neq \nu^{\pm 1}\tilde{\chi}_j$  for  $j \neq 3$  and  $\tilde{\chi}_4 \neq \nu^{\pm 1}\tilde{\chi}_j$  for  $j \neq 4$ . Then we have the non-generic constituent

$$Q\left([\nu^{1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\tilde{\chi}_3], [\tilde{\chi}_4]\right), \quad (5.31)$$

which is the Langlands quotient of

$$i_{\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_4} \left( Q\left([\nu^{1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1/2}\tilde{\chi}]\right) \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_3 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_4 \right) = i_{\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_4} \left( (\tilde{\chi} \circ \det) \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_3 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_4 \right).$$

We have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = (0_{4 \times 4}, 0) \stackrel{(5.10)}{\iff} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = 0_{6 \times 6}.$$

Note that the other constituent of this induced representation, which is generic, is

$$\begin{aligned} Q\left([\nu^{-1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\tilde{\chi}_3], [\tilde{\chi}_4]\right) &= i_{\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_4} \left( Q\left([\nu^{-1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{1/2}\tilde{\chi}]\right) \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_3 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_4 \right) \\ &= i_{\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_4} \left( (\mathrm{St} \otimes \tilde{\chi}) \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_3 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_4 \right). \end{aligned}$$

The next case is when there are two pairs, say  $\tilde{\chi}_1 = \nu\tilde{\chi}$ ,  $\tilde{\chi}_2 = \tilde{\chi}$ , and  $\tilde{\chi}_3 = \nu^{-1}\tilde{\chi}$  for some  $\tilde{\chi} \in (F^\times)^D$  and  $\tilde{\chi}_4 \neq \nu^{\pm 1}\tilde{\chi}_i$  for  $i = 1, 2, 3$ . Then we have the following three non-generic constituents:

$$Q([\nu\tilde{\chi}], [\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1}\tilde{\chi}], [\tilde{\chi}_4]) = i_{\mathrm{GL}_3 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_4} \left( (\tilde{\chi} \circ \det) \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_3 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_4 \right); \quad (5.32)$$

$$Q([\tilde{\chi}], [\nu\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1}\tilde{\chi}], [\tilde{\chi}_4]); \quad (5.33)$$

$$Q([\nu\tilde{\chi}], [\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1}\tilde{\chi}], [\tilde{\chi}_4]). \quad (5.34)$$

For (5.32) we have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = (0_{4 \times 4}, 0) \stackrel{(5.10)}{\iff} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = 0_{6 \times 6},$$

for (5.33) we have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = \left( \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, 0 \right) \stackrel{(5.10)}{\iff} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix},$$

and for (5.34) we have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = \left( \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, 0 \right) \stackrel{(5.10)}{\iff} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Finally, in the case where we have three pairs we are in the situation of (5.27). Then we have the following seven non-generic constituents:

$$Q\left([\nu^{3/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-3/2}\tilde{\chi}]\right) = \tilde{\chi} \circ \det; \quad (5.35)$$

$$Q\left([\nu^{1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{3/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-3/2}\tilde{\chi}]\right); \quad (5.36)$$



$$Q\left([\nu^{3/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-3/2}\tilde{\chi}]\right); \quad (5.37)$$

$$Q\left([\nu^{3/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-3/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1/2}\tilde{\chi}]\right); \quad (5.38)$$

$$Q\left([\nu^{1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{3/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-3/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1/2}\tilde{\chi}]\right); \quad (5.39)$$

$$Q\left([\nu^{-1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{3/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-3/2}\tilde{\chi}]\right); \quad (5.40)$$

$$Q\left([\nu^{3/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-3/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{1/2}\tilde{\chi}]\right). \quad (5.41)$$

For (5.35) we have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = (0_{4 \times 4}, 0) \xLeftrightarrow{(5.10)} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = 0_{6 \times 6},$$

for (5.36) we have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, 0 \right) \xLeftrightarrow{(5.10)} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix},$$

for (5.37) we have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, 0 \right) \xLeftrightarrow{(5.10)} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix},$$

for (5.38) we have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, 0 \right) \xLeftrightarrow{(5.10)} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix},$$

for (5.39) we have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, 0 \right) \xLeftrightarrow{(5.10)} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix},$$

for (5.40) we have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, 0 \right) \xLeftrightarrow{(5.10)} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix},$$

and for (5.41) we have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = \left( \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, 0 \right) \stackrel{(5.10)}{\iff} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

**nongnr-(B)**  $\widetilde{\mathbf{M}} \cong \mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1$  and  $\widetilde{\mathbf{M}} = (\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1) \times \mathrm{GL}_1$ .  
Given  $\sigma_0 \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GL}_2)$  and  $\chi_1, \chi_2 \in (F^\times)^D$ , we consider

$$i_M^{\mathrm{GSpin}_6}(\sigma_0 \boxtimes \chi_1 \boxtimes \chi_2). \quad (5.42)$$

Write

$$\sigma_0 \boxtimes \chi_1 \boxtimes \chi_2 = (\tilde{\sigma}_0 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_2 \boxtimes \tilde{\eta})|_M$$

with  $\tilde{\sigma}_0 \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GL}_2)$  and  $\tilde{\chi}_i, \tilde{\eta} \in (F^\times)^D$ . By (5.16), it follows that (5.42) contains a non-generic constituent if and only if its lift

$$i_M^{\mathrm{GL}_4 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}(\tilde{\sigma}_0 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_2 \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}) \quad (5.43)$$

contains a non-generic constituent if and only if

$$i_{\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_4}(\tilde{\sigma}_0 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_2) \quad (5.44)$$

does. Recalling **nongnr-(A)**, it is sufficient to consider the case of  $\tilde{\sigma}_0 \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GL}_2)$ ,  $\tilde{\chi}_1 = \nu^{1/2}\tilde{\chi}$ , and  $\tilde{\chi}_2 = \nu^{-1/2}\tilde{\chi}$  for  $\tilde{\chi} \in (F^\times)^D$ , where the segment  $\Delta_{\tilde{\sigma}_0}$  of  $\tilde{\sigma}_0$  does not precede either  $\tilde{\chi}_1$  or  $\tilde{\chi}_2$ . We then have the following sole non-generic constituent:

$$Q([\Delta_{\tilde{\sigma}_0}], [\nu^{1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1/2}\tilde{\chi}]). \quad (5.45)$$

We have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = (0_{4 \times 4}, 0) \stackrel{(5.10)}{\iff} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = 0_{6 \times 6}.$$

**nongnr-(C)**  $\widetilde{\mathbf{M}} \cong \mathrm{GL}_3 \times \mathrm{GL}_1$  and  $\widetilde{\mathbf{M}} = (\mathrm{GL}_3 \times \mathrm{GL}_1) \times \mathrm{GL}_1$ .

Given a non-generic  $\sigma_0 \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GL}_3)$  and any  $\chi \in (F^\times)^D$ , we consider

$$i_M^{\mathrm{GSpin}_6}(\sigma_0 \boxtimes \chi). \quad (5.46)$$

Write

$$\sigma_0 \boxtimes \chi = (\tilde{\sigma}_0 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi} \boxtimes \tilde{\eta})|_M$$

with non-generic  $\tilde{\sigma}_0 \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GL}_3)$  and  $\tilde{\chi}, \tilde{\eta} \in (F^\times)^D$ . As in (5.20) we have

$$\tilde{\sigma}_0 = \sigma_0 \tilde{\chi}, \quad \text{and} \quad \tilde{\eta} = \chi_2 \tilde{\chi}^{-2}.$$

As before, (5.46) contains a non-generic constituent if and only if its lift

$$i_M^{\mathrm{GL}_4 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}(\tilde{\sigma}_0 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi} \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}) \quad (5.47)$$

also contains one if and only if

$$i_{\mathrm{GL}_3 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_4}(\tilde{\sigma}_0 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}) \quad (5.48)$$

does. To have a non-generic  $\tilde{\sigma}_0$  of  $\mathrm{GL}_3(F)$ , the irreducible representation  $\tilde{\sigma}_0$  must be some constituent in a reducible induction. This case has been covered in **nongnr-(A)** and **(B)** above.

**nongnr-(D)**  $\widetilde{\mathbf{M}} \cong \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GSpin}_4$  and  $\widetilde{\mathbf{M}} = (\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2) \times \mathrm{GL}_1$ .

Given a non-generic  $\sigma_0 \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GSpin}_4)$ , by Section 4.3, we know that it must be of the form

$$\mathrm{Res}_{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}^{\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2}((\chi \circ \det) \boxtimes \tilde{\sigma})$$

for  $\tilde{\sigma} \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GL}_2)$ . For  $\eta \in (F^\times)^D$ , the induced representation

$$i_M^{\mathrm{GSpin}_6}((\chi \circ \det) \boxtimes \tilde{\sigma} \boxtimes \eta) \quad (5.49)$$

contains a non-generic constituent if and only if so does

$$i_{\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2}^{\mathrm{GL}_4}((\chi \circ \det) \boxtimes \tilde{\sigma}),$$

which is always the case. Therefore, if  $\tilde{\sigma}$  is supercuspidal, then

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = (0_{4 \times 4}, 0) \xLeftrightarrow{(5.10)} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = 0_{6 \times 6}.$$

If  $\tilde{\sigma}$  is non-supercuspidal, then it suffices to consider the case  $\tilde{\sigma} = \mathrm{St}_{\mathrm{GL}_2} \otimes \eta$  with  $\eta \in (F^\times)^D$  since the other case has been covered in **nongnr**-(A). Thus, we have

$$N_{\mathrm{GL}_4(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathrm{GL}_1(\mathbb{C})} = \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, 0 \right) \xLeftrightarrow{(5.10)} N_{\mathrm{GSO}_6(\mathbb{C})} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

**nongnr**-(E)  $\mathbf{M} \cong \mathrm{GSpin}_6$  and  $\widetilde{\mathbf{M}} = \mathrm{GL}_4 \times \mathrm{GL}_1$ .

Given a non-generic  $\sigma \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GSpin}_6)$ , it must be of the form

$$\mathrm{Res}_{\mathrm{GSpin}_6}^{\mathrm{GL}_4 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}(\tilde{\chi} \circ \det \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}) = \chi \circ \det, \quad (5.50)$$

for some  $\tilde{\chi}, \tilde{\eta} \in (F^\times)^D$ . This is the case  $Q([\nu^{3/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-3/2}\tilde{\chi}])$  in **nongnr**-(A).

**5.4. Computation of the Adjoint  $L$ -function for  $\mathrm{GSpin}_6$ .** We now give explicit expressions for the adjoint  $L$ -function of each of the representations of  $\mathrm{GSpin}_6(F)$ . Recall that if we have a parameter  $(\phi, N)$  with  $N$  a nilpotent matrix on the vector space  $V$ , then its adjoint  $L$ -function is

$$L(s, \phi, \mathrm{Ad}) = \det(1 - q^{-s} \mathrm{Ad}(\phi) | V_N^I)^{-1},$$

where  $V_N = \ker(N)$ ,  $V^I$  the vectors fixed by the inertia group, and  $V_N^I = V^I \cap V_N$ . Below for the cases where  $N$  is non-zero, we write  $\ker(\mathrm{Ad}(N))$  and we use  $L_\alpha$  to denote the root group associated with the root  $\alpha$ .

We now consider each case. Using (2.14) and Sections 5.2, and 5.3, we have the following.

**gnr**-(a) Given  $\sigma \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{sc}}(\mathrm{GSpin}_6)$ , we have  $\tilde{\sigma} = \tilde{\sigma}_0 \boxtimes \tilde{\eta} \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{sc}}(\mathrm{GL}_4 \times \mathrm{GL}_1)$ . Then

$$L(s, 1_{F^\times})L(s, \sigma, \mathrm{Ad}) = L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_0, \mathrm{Ad}_{\widehat{\mathrm{GL}}_4})$$

or

$$L(s, \sigma, \mathrm{Ad}) = L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_0, \mathrm{Ad}).$$

**gnr**-(I) Given  $\mathbf{M} \cong \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1$  and  $\widetilde{\mathbf{M}} = (\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1) \times \mathrm{GL}_1$ , we recall

$$i_{\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_4}(\tilde{\chi}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_2 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_3 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_4)$$

must be irreducible. Thus, given  $\sigma \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GSpin}_6)$  such that

$$\sigma = i_M^{\mathrm{GSpin}_6}(\tilde{\chi}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_2 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_3 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_4),$$

we have

$$L(s, \sigma, \mathrm{Ad}) = L(s)^3 \prod_{i \neq j} L(s, \tilde{\chi}_i \tilde{\chi}_j^{-1}).$$

**gnr**-(II) Given  $\mathbf{M} \cong \mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1$  and  $\widetilde{\mathbf{M}} = (\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1) \times \mathrm{GL}_1$ , for  $\sigma_0 \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{esq}}(\mathrm{GL}_2)$  and  $\chi_1, \chi_2 \in (F^\times)^D$ , we have an irreducible induced representation

$$\sigma = i_M^{\mathrm{GSpin}_6}(\sigma_0 \boxtimes \chi_1 \boxtimes \chi_2) = \mathrm{Res}_{\mathrm{GSpin}_6}^{\mathrm{GL}_4 \times \mathrm{GL}_1} \left( i_{\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_4}(\tilde{\sigma}_0 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_2 \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}) \right),$$

for some  $\tilde{\sigma}_0 \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{esq}}(\mathrm{GL}_2)$ , and  $\tilde{\chi}_i, \tilde{\eta} \in (F^\times)^D$ . For supercuspidal  $\tilde{\sigma}_0$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} L(s, \sigma, \mathrm{Ad}) &= L(s)^2 L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_0, \mathrm{Ad}) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_0 \times \tilde{\chi}_1^{-1}) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_0^\vee \times \tilde{\chi}_1) \\ &\quad L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_0 \times \tilde{\chi}_2^{-1}) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_0^\vee \times \tilde{\chi}_2) L(s, \tilde{\chi}_1 \tilde{\chi}_2^{-1}) L(s, \tilde{\chi}_2 \tilde{\chi}_1^{-1}). \end{aligned}$$

For non-supercuspidal  $\tilde{\sigma}_0 \in \text{Irr}(\text{GL}_2)$ , i.e.,  $\sigma_0 = \text{St}_{\text{GL}_2} \otimes \tilde{\chi}$  for some  $\tilde{\chi} \in (F^\times)^D$ , we have

$$\ker \left( \text{ad} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) = \left\langle \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & b & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & c \end{bmatrix}, L_{f_1-f_2}, L_{f_1-f_3}, L_{f_1-f_4}, L_{f_3-f_2}, L_{f_3-f_4}, L_{f_4-f_2}, L_{f_4-f_3} \right\rangle. \quad (5.51)$$

It follows that

$$\begin{aligned} L(s, \sigma, \text{Ad}) &= L(s)^2 L(s+1) L(s+1, \tilde{\chi} \tilde{\chi}_1^{-1}) L(s+1, \tilde{\chi} \tilde{\chi}_2^{-1}) \\ &\quad \cdot L(s, \tilde{\chi}^{-1} \tilde{\chi}_1) L(s, \tilde{\chi}^{-1} \tilde{\chi}_2) L(s, \tilde{\chi}_1 \tilde{\chi}_2^{-1}) L(s, \tilde{\chi}_2 \tilde{\chi}_1^{-1}). \end{aligned}$$

**gnt-(III)** Given  $\mathbf{M} \cong \text{GL}_3 \times \text{GL}_1$  and  $\tilde{\mathbf{M}} = (\text{GL}_3 \times \text{GL}_1) \times \text{GL}_1$ , for  $\sigma_0 \in \text{Irr}_{\text{esq}}(\text{GL}_3)$  and  $\chi \in (F^\times)^D$ , we have an irreducible induced representation

$$\sigma = i_M^{\text{GSpin}_6}(\sigma_0 \boxtimes \chi) = \text{Res}_{\text{GSpin}_6}^{\text{GL}_4 \times \text{GL}_1} \left( i_{\text{GL}_3 \times \text{GL}_1 \times \text{GL}_1}^{\text{GL}_4 \times \text{GL}_1}(\tilde{\sigma}_0 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi} \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}) \right),$$

for  $\tilde{\sigma}_0 \in \text{Irr}_{\text{esq}}(\text{GL}_3)$  and  $\tilde{\chi}, \tilde{\eta} \in (F^\times)^D$ . If  $\tilde{\sigma}_0 \in \text{Irr}_{\text{esq}}(\text{GL}_3)$  is supercuspidal, then we have

$$L(s, \sigma, \text{Ad}) = L(s) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_0, \text{Ad}) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_0 \times \tilde{\chi}^{-1}) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_0^\vee \times \tilde{\chi}).$$

For non-supercuspidal  $\tilde{\sigma}_0 \in \text{Irr}_{\text{esq}}(\text{GL}_3)$ , i.e.,  $\sigma_0 = \text{St}_{\text{GL}_3} \otimes \tilde{\chi}_0$  for some  $\tilde{\chi}_0 \in (F^\times)^D$ , we have

$$\ker \left( \text{ad} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) = \left\langle \begin{bmatrix} a & c & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a & c & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & b \end{bmatrix}, L_{f_1-f_3}, L_{f_1-f_4}, L_{f_4-f_3} \right\rangle. \quad (5.52)$$

It follows that

$$L(s, \sigma, \text{Ad}) = L(s) L(s+1) L(s+2) L(s+1, \tilde{\chi} \tilde{\chi}_0^{-1}) L(s+1, \tilde{\chi}^{-1} \tilde{\chi}_0).$$

**gnt-(IV)** Given  $\mathbf{M} \cong \text{GL}_1 \times \text{GSpin}_4$  and  $\tilde{\mathbf{M}} = (\text{GL}_2 \times \text{GL}_2) \times \text{GL}_1$ , we have the representation (5.24)

$$\sigma = i_M^{\text{GSpin}_6}(\chi \boxtimes \sigma_0)$$

with  $\sigma_0 \in \text{Irr}_{\text{esq}}(\text{GSpin}_4)$ , and  $\chi \in (F^\times)^D$ . We have the irreducible  $i_{\text{GL}_2 \times \text{GL}_2}^{\text{GL}_4}(\tilde{\sigma}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\sigma}_2)$  as in (5.26), where  $\chi \boxtimes \sigma_0 \subset (\tilde{\sigma}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\sigma}_2 \boxtimes \tilde{\eta})|_M$  with  $\tilde{\sigma}_i \in \text{Irr}_{\text{esq}}(\text{GL}_2)$ ,  $\tilde{\eta} \in (F^\times)^D$ . Thus, if  $\sigma_0$  is supercuspidal (and hence so are  $\tilde{\sigma}_1$  and  $\tilde{\sigma}_2$ ) we have

$$L(s, \sigma, \text{Ad}) = L(s) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_1, \text{Ad}) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_2, \text{Ad}) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_1 \times \tilde{\sigma}_2^\vee) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_1^\vee \times \tilde{\sigma}_1).$$

If  $\sigma_0$  is non-supercuspidal, with  $\tilde{\sigma}_1$  supercuspidal and  $\tilde{\sigma}_2$  non-supercuspidal, i.e.,  $\tilde{\sigma}_2 = \text{St}_{\text{GL}_2} \otimes \tilde{\chi}$  for some  $\tilde{\chi} \in (F^\times)^D$ , we have

$$\ker \left( \text{ad} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) = \left\langle \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & b & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & c & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & c \end{bmatrix}, L_{f_1-f_2}, L_{f_1-f_4}, L_{f_2-f_1}, L_{f_2-f_4}, L_{f_3-f_1}, L_{f_3-f_2}, L_{f_3-f_4} \right\rangle, \quad (5.53)$$

and it then follows that

$$L(s, \sigma, \text{Ad}) = L(s) L(s+1) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_1, \text{Ad}) L(s + \frac{1}{2}, \tilde{\sigma}_1^\vee \times \tilde{\chi}) L(s + \frac{1}{2}, \tilde{\sigma}_1 \times \tilde{\chi}^{-1}).$$

If  $\sigma_0$  is non-supercuspidal, with  $\tilde{\sigma}_1$  non-supercuspidal and  $\tilde{\sigma}_2$  supercuspidal, i.e.,  $\tilde{\sigma}_1 = \text{St}_{\text{GL}_2} \otimes \tilde{\chi}$  for some  $\tilde{\chi} \in (F^\times)^D$ , then  $\ker(\text{ad}(N))$  is as in (5.51) and we have

$$L(s, \sigma, \text{Ad}) = L(s) L(s+1) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_2, \text{Ad}) L(s + \frac{1}{2}, \tilde{\sigma}_2^\vee \times \tilde{\chi}) L(s + \frac{1}{2}, \tilde{\sigma}_2 \times \tilde{\chi}^{-1}).$$

If both  $\tilde{\sigma}_1$  and  $\tilde{\sigma}_2$  are non-supercuspidal, i.e.,  $\tilde{\sigma}_i = \mathrm{St}_{\mathrm{GL}_2} \otimes \tilde{\chi}_i$  with  $\tilde{\chi}_1, \tilde{\chi}_2 \in (F^\times)^D$  satisfying  $\tilde{\chi}_1 \neq \tilde{\chi}_2 \nu^{\pm 1}$ , we have

$$\ker \left( \mathrm{ad} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) = \left\langle \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 & c & 0 \\ 0 & a & 0 & c \\ d & 0 & b & 0 \\ 0 & d & 0 & b \end{bmatrix}, L_{f_1-f_2}, L_{f_1-f_4}, L_{f_3-f_2}, L_{f_3-f_4} \right\rangle, \quad (5.54)$$

and it follows that

$$L(s, \sigma, \mathrm{Ad}) = L(s)L(s+1)^2L(s+1, \tilde{\chi}_1\tilde{\chi}_2^{-1})L(s+1, \tilde{\chi}_1^{-1}\tilde{\chi}_2)L(s, \tilde{\chi}_1^{-1}\tilde{\chi}_2)L(s, \tilde{\chi}_1\tilde{\chi}_2^{-1}).$$

**gnr-(V)** Given  $\mathbf{M} \cong \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GSpin}_4$  and  $\tilde{\mathbf{M}} = (\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2) \times \mathrm{GL}_1$ , we consider  $\sigma \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{esq}}(\mathrm{GSpin}_6)$  and  $\tilde{\sigma} \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{esq}}(\mathrm{GL}_4)$  and  $\tilde{\eta} \in (F^\times)^D$  such that  $\sigma \subset (\tilde{\sigma} \boxtimes \tilde{\eta})|_M$ . Then,  $\tilde{\sigma}$  must be either (5.27) or (5.28).

For (5.27) (i.e.,  $\tilde{\sigma} = \mathrm{St}_{\mathrm{GL}_4} \otimes \tilde{\chi}$ ), we have

$$\ker \left( \mathrm{ad} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) = \left\langle \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c & 0 \\ 0 & a & b & c \\ 0 & 0 & a & b \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & a \end{bmatrix}, L_{f_1-f_4} \right\rangle, \quad (5.55)$$

and it follows that

$$L(s, \sigma, \mathrm{Ad}) = L(s+3)L(s+2)L(s+1).$$

For (5.28) (i.e.,  $\tilde{\tau} \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{sc}}(\mathrm{GL}_2)$ ), we have

$$\ker \left( \mathrm{ad} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) = \left\langle \begin{bmatrix} a & c & 0 & 0 \\ d & b & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a & c \\ 0 & 0 & d & b \end{bmatrix}, L_{f_1-f_3}, L_{f_1-f_4}, L_{f_2-f_3}, L_{f_2-f_4} \right\rangle, \quad (5.56)$$

and it follows that

$$L(s, \sigma, \mathrm{Ad}) = L(s, \tilde{\tau}, \mathrm{Ad})L(s, \tilde{\tau} \times \tilde{\tau}^\vee).$$

**nongnr-(A)** For  $Q([\nu^{1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\tilde{\chi}_3], [\tilde{\chi}_4])$  (5.31), we have

$$\begin{aligned} L(s, \sigma, \mathrm{Ad}) &= L(s)^3L(s+1)L(s-1)L(s, \tilde{\chi}_3\tilde{\chi}_4^{-1})L(s, \tilde{\chi}_3^{-1}\tilde{\chi}_4) \\ &\quad \prod_{i=3,4} \left( L(s + \frac{1}{2}, \tilde{\chi}\tilde{\chi}_i^{-1})L(s - \frac{1}{2}, \tilde{\chi}^{-1}\tilde{\chi}_i)L(s - \frac{1}{2}, \tilde{\chi}\tilde{\chi}_i^{-1})L(s + \frac{1}{2}, \tilde{\chi}^{-1}\tilde{\chi}_i) \right) \end{aligned}$$

For  $Q([\nu\tilde{\chi}], [\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1}\tilde{\chi}], [\tilde{\chi}_4])$  (5.32), we have

$$L(s, \sigma, \mathrm{Ad}) = L(s)^3L(s+1)^2L(s-1)^2L(s+2)L(s-2) \prod_{t=0,1,-1} (L(s+t, \tilde{\chi}\tilde{\chi}_4^{-1})L(s+t, \tilde{\chi}^{-1}\tilde{\chi}_4)),$$

For  $Q([\tilde{\chi}, \nu\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1}\tilde{\chi}], [\tilde{\chi}_4])$  (5.33), we have  $\ker(\mathrm{ad}(N))$  as in (5.51) and

$$L(s, \sigma, \mathrm{Ad}) = L(s)^2L(s-1)^2L(s-2) \prod_{t=-1,0} L(s+t, \tilde{\chi}\tilde{\chi}_4^{-1}) \prod_{t=\pm 1} L(s+t, \tilde{\chi}^{-1}\tilde{\chi}_4).$$

For  $Q([\nu\tilde{\chi}], [\tilde{\chi}, \nu^{-1}\tilde{\chi}], [\tilde{\chi}_4])$  (5.34), since

$$\ker \left( \mathrm{ad} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) = \left\langle \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & b & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & b & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & c \end{bmatrix}, L_{f_1-f_3}, L_{f_1-f_4}, L_{f_2-f_1}, L_{f_2-f_3}, L_{f_2-f_4}, L_{f_4-f_1}, L_{f_4-f_3} \right\rangle, \quad (5.57)$$

we have

$$L(s, \sigma, \mathrm{Ad}) = L(s)^2L(s+2)L(s-1)L(s+1) \prod_{t=0,1} L(s+t, \tilde{\chi}\tilde{\chi}_4^{-1}) \prod_{t=\pm 1} L(s+t, \tilde{\chi}^{-1}\tilde{\chi}_4).$$

For  $Q([\nu^{3/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-3/2}\tilde{\chi}])$  (5.35), we have

$$L(s, \sigma, \text{Ad}) = L(s)^3 L(s+1)^3 L(s-1)^3 L(s+2)^2 L(s-2)^2 L(s+3) L(s-3).$$

For  $Q([\nu^{1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{3/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-3/2}\tilde{\chi}])$  (5.36), we have  $\ker(\text{ad}(N))$  is as in (5.51) and

$$L(s, \sigma, \text{Ad}) = L(s)^2 L(s-1)^2 L(s+1)^2 L(s-2) L(s+2) L(s-3).$$

For  $Q([\nu^{3/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-3/2}\tilde{\chi}])$  (5.37), we have  $\ker(\text{ad}(N))$  is as in (5.57) and

$$L(s, \sigma, \text{Ad}) = L(s)^2 L(s+1)^2 L(s+2) L(s-1)^2 L(s-3) L(s-2).$$

For  $Q([\nu^{3/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-3/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1/2}\tilde{\chi}])$  (5.38), we have  $\ker(\text{ad}(N))$  is as in (5.53) and

$$L(s, \sigma, \text{Ad}) = L(s)^2 L(s+1)^2 L(s-1)^2 L(s-2) L(s+2) L(s-3).$$

For  $Q([\nu^{1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{3/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-3/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1/2}\tilde{\chi}])$  (5.39), we have  $\ker(\text{ad}(N))$  is as in (5.54) and

$$L(s, \sigma, \text{Ad}) = L(s) L(s-1)^2 L(s+1) L(s+2) L(s-2) L(s-3).$$

For  $Q([\nu^{-1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{3/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-3/2}\tilde{\chi}])$  (5.40), we have  $\ker(\text{ad}(N))$  is as in (5.52) and

$$L(s, \sigma, \text{Ad}) = L(s) L(s-1) L(s-2) L(s+1) L(s-3).$$

Finally, for  $Q([\nu^{3/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-3/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{1/2}\tilde{\chi}])$  (5.41), since

$$\ker \left( \text{ad} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) = \left\langle \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & b & c & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & b & c \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & b \end{bmatrix}, L_{f_1-f_4}, L_{f_2-f_1}, L_{f_2-f_4} \right\rangle, \quad (5.58)$$

we have

$$L(s, \sigma, \text{Ad}) = L(s) L(s+1) L(s-1) L(s-2) L(s-3).$$

**nongnr-(B)** For  $Q([\Delta\tilde{\sigma}_0], [\nu^{1/2}\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1/2}\tilde{\chi}])$  (5.45), with say  $[\Delta\tilde{\sigma}_0] = i_{\text{GL}_1 \times \text{GL}_1}^{\text{GL}_2}(\tilde{\eta}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}_2)$ ,  $\tilde{\eta}_1 \tilde{\eta}_2^{-1} \neq \nu^{\pm 1}$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} L(s, \sigma, \text{Ad}) &= L(s)^3 L(s+1) L(s-1) L(s, \tilde{\eta}_1 \tilde{\eta}_2^{-1}) L(s, \tilde{\eta}_1^{-1} \tilde{\eta}_2) \\ &\quad \prod_{i=1,2} \left( L(s - \frac{1}{2}, \tilde{\eta}_i \tilde{\chi}^{-1}) L(s + \frac{1}{2}, \tilde{\eta}_i \tilde{\chi}^{-1}) L(s + \frac{1}{2}, \tilde{\eta}_i^{-1} \tilde{\chi}) L(s - \frac{1}{2}, \tilde{\eta}_i^{-1} \tilde{\chi}) \right). \end{aligned}$$

**nongnr-(C)** As mentioned before, all the possibilities in this case were covered in (A) and (B) above.

**nongnr-(D)** For (5.49) with  $\tilde{\sigma}$  supercuspidal, we have

$$\begin{aligned} L(s, \sigma, \text{Ad}) &= L(s)^2 L(s+1) L(s-1) L(s, \sigma, \text{Ad}) \\ &\quad L(s - \frac{1}{2}, \sigma \times \chi^{-1}) L(s + \frac{1}{2}, \sigma \times \chi^{-1}) L(s - \frac{1}{2}, \sigma^\vee \times \chi) L(s + \frac{1}{2}, \sigma^\vee \times \chi), \end{aligned}$$

For (5.49) with non-supercuspidal  $\tilde{\sigma} = \text{St}_{\text{GL}_2} \otimes \eta$ ,  $\eta \in (F^\times)^D$  we have  $\ker(\text{ad}(N))$  as in (5.53) and

$$L(s, \sigma, \text{Ad}) = L(s)^2 L(s+1)^2 L(s-1) L(s, \chi \eta^{-1}) L(s+1, \chi \eta^{-1}) L(s+1, \chi^{-1} \eta) L(s, \chi^{-1} \eta).$$

Recall that the remaining possibilities in this case were already covered in (A) above.

**nongnr-(E)** Finally, as mentioned before, all the possibilities in this case we also covered in (A).

## 6. CORRECTION TO [AC17]

We take this opportunity to correct the following errors in our earlier work [AC17]. They do not affect the main results in that paper.

### 6.1. Proposition 5.5 and 6.4.

- Change “1,2,4,8, if  $p = 2$ ” to “1,2,4,8,...,  $2^{[F:\mathbb{Q}_2]+2}$ , if  $p = 2$ .” We have  $2^{[F:\mathbb{Q}_p]+2}$  due to the fact that  $|F^\times/(F^\times)^2| = 2^{[F:\mathbb{Q}_2]+2}$ .
- For Proposition 5.5, using [GP92, Corollary 7.7], it follows that the case of  $p = 2$  is bounded by  $|(\mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z})^{4-1}| = 8$ . Here 4 is coming from  $\widehat{\mathrm{GSpin}}_4 = \mathrm{GSO}(4, \mathbb{C})$ .
- For Proposition 6.4, using [GP92, Corollary 7.7], it follows that the case of  $p = 2$  is bounded by  $|(\mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z})^{6-1}| = 32$ . Here 6 is coming from  $\widehat{\mathrm{GSpin}}_6 = \mathrm{GSO}(6, \mathbb{C})$ .

### 6.2. Remark 5.11.

- The formula (5.13) should read as follows:

$$\left| \Pi_\varphi(\mathrm{GSpin}_4) \right| = \left| \Pi_\varphi(\mathrm{GSpin}_4^{1,1}) \right| = 4, \quad \left| \Pi_\varphi(\mathrm{GSpin}_4^{2,1}) \right| = 1. \quad (5.13)$$

Also, in the following sentence change “in which case the multiplicity is 2” to “in which case the multiplicity 2 could also occur”. We thank Hengfei Lu [Lu20] for bringing this error to our attention.

- In addition, it is more accurate that we use ‘not irreducible’ rather than ‘reducible’ in this Remark since one may have indecomposable parameters. Alternatively, we may write  $\tilde{\varphi}_i|_{W_F}$  is reducible. Thus, at the beginning the Remark, change “When  $\tilde{\varphi}_i$  is reducible,” to “When  $\tilde{\varphi}_i$  is not irreducible.”

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TABLE 1. Representations of  $\mathrm{GSpin}_4(F)$ 

	$\mathrm{Res}_{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}^{\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2}$ of	$L$ -packet Structure	generic
(a)	$(\tilde{\sigma}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\sigma}_2), \tilde{\sigma}_2 \cong \tilde{\sigma}_1 \tilde{\eta}, \tilde{\sigma}_i \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{sc}}(\mathrm{GL}_2)$	$\{1\}, \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}, (\mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z})^2$	•
(b)	$(\tilde{\sigma}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\sigma}_2), \tilde{\sigma}_2 \not\cong \tilde{\sigma}_1 \tilde{\eta}, \tilde{\sigma}_i \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{sc}}(\mathrm{GL}_2)$	$\{1\}, \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}$	•
(i)	$(\mathrm{St}_{\mathrm{GL}_2} \boxtimes \mathrm{St}_{\mathrm{GL}_2}) = \mathrm{St}_{\mathrm{GSpin}_4}$ (irreducible)	$\{1\}$	•
(ii)	$(i_{\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_2}(\chi_{\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_2}(\chi_1 \otimes \chi_2) \boxtimes \mathrm{St}_{\mathrm{GL}_2} \otimes \chi))$ (irreducible)	$\{1\}$	•
(iii)	$(i_{\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_2}(\chi_1 \otimes \chi_2) \boxtimes i_{\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_2}(\chi_3 \otimes \chi_4)), \chi_1 \neq \nu^{\pm 1} \chi_2, \chi_3 \neq \nu^{\pm 1} \chi_4$	$\{1\}, \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}$	•
(iv)	$(\tilde{\sigma} \boxtimes \mathrm{St}_{\mathrm{GL}_2} \otimes \chi), \tilde{\sigma} \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{sc}}(\mathrm{GL}_2)$ (irreducible)	$\{1\}$	•
(v)	$(\tilde{\sigma} \boxtimes i_{\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_2}(\chi_1 \otimes \chi_2)), \tilde{\sigma} \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{sc}}(\mathrm{GL}_2)$	$\{1\}, \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}$	•
nongnr	$(\chi \circ \det \boxtimes \tilde{\sigma}), \tilde{\sigma} \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GL}_2)$ (irreducible)	$\{1\}$	

 TABLE 2. The adjoint  $L$ -function  $L(s, \sigma, \mathrm{Ad})$  for  $\mathrm{GSpin}_4$ 

	$L(s, \sigma, \mathrm{Ad})$	$\mathrm{ord}_{s=1}$
(a)&(b)	$L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_1, \mathrm{Sym}^2 \otimes \omega_{\tilde{\sigma}_1}^{-1}) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_2, \mathrm{Sym}^2 \otimes \omega_{\tilde{\sigma}_2}^{-1})$	0
(i)	$L(s+1)^2$	0
(ii)	$L(s) L(s+1) L(s, \chi_1 \chi_2^{-1}) L(s, \chi_1^{-1} \chi_2)$	0
(iii)	$L(s)^2 L(s, \chi_1 \chi_2^{-1}) L(s, \chi_1^{-1} \chi_2) L(s, \chi_3 \chi_4^{-1}) L(s, \chi_3^{-1} \chi_4)$	0
(iv)	$L(s+1) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_2, \mathrm{Sym}^2 \otimes \omega_{\tilde{\sigma}_2}^{-1})$	0
(v)	$L(s) L(s, \chi_1 \chi_2^{-1}) L(s, \chi_1^{-1} \chi_2) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_2, \mathrm{Sym}^2 \otimes \omega_{\tilde{\sigma}_2}^{-1})$	0
nongnr	$L(s-1) L(s) L(s+1) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}, \mathrm{Ad})$	$1 + \mathrm{ord}_{s=1} L(s, \tilde{\sigma}, \mathrm{Ad})$

 TABLE 3. Representations of  $\mathrm{GSpin}_6(F)$ 

	$\mathrm{Res}_{\mathrm{GSpin}_6}^{\mathrm{GL}_4 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}$ of	generic
(a)	$(\tilde{\sigma}_0 \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}), \tilde{\sigma}_0 \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{sc}}(\mathrm{GL}_4)$	•
(I)	$(i_{(\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1) \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_4 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}(\tilde{\chi}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_2 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_3 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_4 \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}), \tilde{\chi}_i \neq \nu \tilde{\chi}_j$	•
(II)	$(i_{(\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1) \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_4 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}(\tilde{\sigma}_0 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_2 \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}), \tilde{\sigma}_0 \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{esq}}(\mathrm{GL}_2), \tilde{\chi}_1 \neq \nu^{\pm 1} \tilde{\chi}_2$	•
(III)	$(i_{(\mathrm{GL}_3 \times \mathrm{GL}_1) \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_4 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}(\tilde{\sigma}_0 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi} \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}), \tilde{\sigma}_0 \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{esq}}(\mathrm{GL}_3)$	•
(IV)	$(i_{(\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2) \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_4 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}(\tilde{\sigma}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\sigma}_2 \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}), \tilde{\sigma}_i \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{esq}}(\mathrm{GL}_2), \tilde{\sigma}_1 \neq \nu^{\pm 1} \tilde{\sigma}_2$	•
(V)	$(\tilde{\sigma} \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}), \tilde{\sigma} \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{esq}}(\mathrm{GL}_4) \setminus \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{sc}}(\mathrm{GL}_4)$	•
(A)	$(i_{(\mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1) \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_4 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}(\tilde{\chi}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_2 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_3 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_4 \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}), \tilde{\chi}_i = \nu \tilde{\chi}_j$	
(B)	$(i_{(\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_1 \times \mathrm{GL}_1) \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_4 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}(\tilde{\sigma}_0 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_2 \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}), \tilde{\sigma}_0 \notin \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{esq}}(\mathrm{GL}_2), \text{ or } \tilde{\chi}_1 = \nu^{\pm 1} \tilde{\chi}_2$	
(C)	$(i_{(\mathrm{GL}_3 \times \mathrm{GL}_1) \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_4 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}(\tilde{\sigma}_0 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi} \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}), \text{ non-generic } \tilde{\sigma}_0 \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GL}_3)$	
(D)	$(i_{(\mathrm{GL}_2 \times \mathrm{GL}_2) \times \mathrm{GL}_1}^{\mathrm{GL}_4 \times \mathrm{GL}_1}((\chi \circ \det) \boxtimes \tilde{\sigma} \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}), \tilde{\sigma} \in \mathrm{Irr}(\mathrm{GL}_2)$	
(E)	$(\tilde{\chi} \circ \det \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}), \tilde{\sigma} \in \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{esq}}(\mathrm{GL}_4) \setminus \mathrm{Irr}_{\mathrm{sc}}(\mathrm{GL}_4)$	

TABLE 4. The adjoint  $L$ -function  $L(s, \sigma, \text{Ad})$  for  $\text{GSpin}_6$ 

	$\sigma \in \text{Irr}(\text{GSpin}_6(F))$ determined by	$L(s, \sigma, \text{Ad})$	$\text{ord}_{s=1}$
(a)	(5.9) $\tilde{\sigma}_0 \in \text{Irr}_{\text{sc}}(\text{GL}_4)$	$L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_0, \text{Ad})$	0
(I)	(5.14) $\tilde{\chi}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_2 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_3 \boxtimes \tilde{\chi}_4 \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}$	$L(s)^3 \prod_{i \neq j} L(s, \tilde{\chi}_i \tilde{\chi}_j^{-1})$	0
(II)	(5.18) $\tilde{\sigma}_0 \in \text{Irr}_{\text{sc}}(\text{GL}_2)$	$L(s)^2 L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_0, \text{Ad}) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_0 \times \tilde{\chi}_1^{-1}) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_0^\vee \times \tilde{\chi}_1)$ $L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_0 \times \tilde{\chi}_2^{-1}) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_0^\vee \times \tilde{\chi}_2) L(s, \tilde{\chi}_1 \tilde{\chi}_2^{-1}) L(s, \tilde{\chi}_2 \tilde{\chi}_1^{-1})$	0
(II)	(5.18) $\tilde{\sigma}_0 = \text{St}_{\text{GL}_2} \otimes \tilde{\chi}$	$L(s)^2 L(s+1) L(s+1, \tilde{\chi} \tilde{\chi}_1^{-1}) L(s+1, \tilde{\chi} \tilde{\chi}_2^{-1})$ $L(s, \tilde{\chi}^{-1} \tilde{\chi}_1) L(s, \tilde{\chi}^{-1} \tilde{\chi}_2) L(s, \tilde{\chi}_1 \tilde{\chi}_2^{-1}) L(s, \tilde{\chi}_2 \tilde{\chi}_1^{-1})$	0
(III)	(5.22) $\tilde{\sigma}_0 \in \text{Irr}_{\text{sc}}(\text{GL}_3)$	$L(s) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_0, \text{Ad}) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_0 \times \tilde{\chi}^{-1}) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_0^\vee \times \tilde{\chi})$	0
(III)	(5.22) $\tilde{\sigma}_0 = \text{St}_{\text{GL}_3} \otimes \tilde{\chi}_0$	$L(s) L(s+1) L(s+2) L(s+1, \tilde{\chi} \tilde{\chi}_0^{-1}) L(s+1, \tilde{\chi}^{-1} \tilde{\chi}_0)$	0
(IV)	(5.26) $\tilde{\sigma}_i \in \text{Irr}_{\text{sc}}(\text{GL}_2)$	$L(s) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_1, \text{Ad}) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_2, \text{Ad})$ $L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_1 \times \tilde{\sigma}_2^\vee) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_1^\vee \times \tilde{\sigma}_2)$	0
(IV)	(5.26) $\tilde{\sigma}_1 \in \text{Irr}_{\text{sc}}(\text{GL}_2), \tilde{\sigma}_2 = \text{St}_{\text{GL}_2} \otimes \tilde{\chi}$	$L(s) L(s+1) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_1, \text{Ad})$ $L(s + \frac{1}{2}, \tilde{\sigma}_1^\vee \times \tilde{\chi}) L(s + \frac{1}{2}, \tilde{\sigma}_1 \times \tilde{\chi}^{-1})$	0
(IV)	(5.26) $\tilde{\sigma}_2 \in \text{Irr}_{\text{sc}}(\text{GL}_2), \tilde{\sigma}_1 = \text{St}_{\text{GL}_2} \otimes \tilde{\chi}$	$L(s) L(s+1) L(s, \tilde{\sigma}_2, \text{Ad})$ $L(s + \frac{1}{2}, \tilde{\sigma}_2^\vee \times \tilde{\chi}) L(s + \frac{1}{2}, \tilde{\sigma}_2 \times \tilde{\chi}^{-1})$	0
(IV)	(5.26) $\tilde{\sigma}_1 = \text{St}_{\text{GL}_2} \otimes \tilde{\chi}_1, \tilde{\sigma}_2 = \text{St}_{\text{GL}_2} \otimes \tilde{\chi}_2$	$L(s) L(s+1)^2 L(s, \tilde{\chi}_1^{-1} \tilde{\chi}_2) L(s, \tilde{\chi}_1 \tilde{\chi}_2^{-1})$ $L(s+1, \tilde{\chi}_1 \tilde{\chi}_2^{-1}) L(s+1, \tilde{\chi}_1^{-1} \tilde{\chi}_2)$	0
(V)	(5.27) $\tilde{\sigma} = \text{St}_{\text{GL}_4} \otimes \tilde{\chi}$	$L(s+1) L(s+2) L(s+3)$	0
(V)	(5.28) $\tilde{\sigma} = \Delta[\nu^{1/2}, \nu^{-1/2}], \tilde{\tau} \in \text{Irr}_{\text{sc}}(\text{GL}_2)$	$L(s, \tilde{\tau}, \text{Ad}) L(s, \tilde{\tau} \times \tilde{\tau}^\vee)$	0
(A)	(5.31) $Q([\nu^{1/2} \tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1/2} \tilde{\chi}], [\tilde{\chi}_3], [\tilde{\chi}_4])$	$L(s-1) L(s)^3 L(s+1) L(s, \tilde{\chi}_3 \tilde{\chi}_4^{-1}) L(s, \tilde{\chi}_3^{-1} \tilde{\chi}_4)$ $\prod_{i=3,4} \begin{pmatrix} L(s + \frac{1}{2}, \tilde{\chi} \tilde{\chi}_i^{-1}) L(s - \frac{1}{2}, \tilde{\chi}^{-1} \tilde{\chi}_i) \\ L(s - \frac{1}{2}, \tilde{\chi} \tilde{\chi}_i^{-1}) L(s + \frac{1}{2}, \tilde{\chi}^{-1} \tilde{\chi}_i) \end{pmatrix}$	$\geq 1$
(A)	(5.32) $Q([\nu \tilde{\chi}], [\tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1} \tilde{\chi}], [\tilde{\chi}_4])$	$L(s-2) L(s-1)^2 L(s)^3 L(s+1)^2 L(s+2)$ $\prod_{t=-1,0,1} (L(s+t, \tilde{\chi} \tilde{\chi}_4^{-1}) L(s+t, \tilde{\chi}^{-1} \tilde{\chi}_4))$	$\geq 2$
(A)	(5.33) $Q([\tilde{\chi}, \nu \tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1} \tilde{\chi}], [\tilde{\chi}_4])$	$L(s-2) L(s-1)^2 L(s)^2$ $\prod_{t=-1,0} L(s+t, \tilde{\chi} \tilde{\chi}_4^{-1}) \prod_{t=-1,1} L(s+t, \tilde{\chi}^{-1} \tilde{\chi}_4)$	$\geq 2$
(A)	(5.34) $Q([\nu \tilde{\chi}], [\tilde{\chi}, \nu^{-1} \tilde{\chi}], [\tilde{\chi}_4])$	$L(s-1) L(s)^2 L(s+1) L(s+2)$ $\prod_{t=0,1} L(s+t, \tilde{\chi} \tilde{\chi}_4^{-1}) \prod_{t=-1,1} L(s+t, \tilde{\chi}^{-1} \tilde{\chi}_4)$	$\geq 1$
(A)	(5.35) $Q([\nu^{3/2} \tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{1/2} \tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1/2} \tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-3/2} \tilde{\chi}])$	$L(s-3) L(s-2)^2 L(s-1)^3 L(s)^3$ $L(s+1)^3 L(s+2)^2 L(s+3)$	3
(A)	(5.36) $Q([\nu^{1/2} \tilde{\chi}, \nu^{3/2} \tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1/2} \tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-3/2} \tilde{\chi}])$	$L(s-3) L(s-2) L(s-1)^2 L(s)^2 L(s+1)^2 L(s+2)$	2
(A)	(5.37) $Q([\nu^{3/2} \tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-1/2} \tilde{\chi}, \nu^{1/2} \tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-3/2} \tilde{\chi}])$	$L(s-3) L(s-2) L(s-1)^2 L(s)^2 L(s+1)^2 L(s+2)$	2
(A)	(5.38) $Q([\nu^{3/2} \tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{1/2} \tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-3/2} \tilde{\chi}, \nu^{-1/2} \tilde{\chi}])$	$L(s-3) L(s-2) L(s-1)^2 L(s)^2 L(s+1)^2 L(s+2)$	2
(A)	(5.39) $Q([\nu^{1/2} \tilde{\chi}, \nu^{3/2} \tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-3/2} \tilde{\chi}, \nu^{-1/2} \tilde{\chi}])$	$L(s-3) L(s-2) L(s-1)^2 L(s) L(s+1) L(s+2)$	2
(A)	(5.40) $Q([\nu^{-1/2} \tilde{\chi}, \nu^{1/2} \tilde{\chi}, \nu^{3/2} \tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-3/2} \tilde{\chi}])$	$L(s-3) L(s-2) L(s-1) L(s) L(s+1)$	1
(A)	(5.41) $Q([\nu^{3/2} \tilde{\chi}], [\nu^{-3/2} \tilde{\chi}, \nu^{-1/2} \tilde{\chi}, \nu^{1/2} \tilde{\chi}])$	$L(s-3) L(s-2) L(s-1) L(s) L(s+1)$	1
(B)	(5.45) $Q([i_B^{\text{GL}_2}(\tilde{\eta}_1 \boxtimes \tilde{\eta}_2)], [\tilde{\chi} \nu^{1/2}], [\tilde{\chi} \nu^{-1/2}]),$ $\tilde{\eta}_1 \tilde{\eta}_2^{-1} \neq \nu^{\pm 1}$	$L(s-1) L(s)^3 L(s+1) L(s, \tilde{\eta}_1 \tilde{\eta}_2^{-1}) L(s, \tilde{\eta}_1^{-1} \tilde{\eta}_2)$ $\prod_{t=\pm \frac{1}{2}} \prod_{i=1,2} (L(s+t, \tilde{\eta}_i \tilde{\chi}^{-1}) L(s+t, \tilde{\eta}_i^{-1} \tilde{\chi}))$	$\geq 1$
(B)	(5.45) (others covered in (A))		
(C)	(5.48) (covered in (A) and (B))		
(D)	(5.49) with $\tilde{\sigma} \in \text{Irr}_{\text{sc}}(\text{GL}_2)$	$L(s-1) L(s)^2 L(s+1) L(s, \sigma, \text{Ad})$ $\prod_{t=\pm \frac{1}{2}} (L(s+t, \sigma \times \chi^{-1}) L(s+t, \sigma^\vee \times \chi))$	1
(D)	(5.49) with $\tilde{\sigma} = \text{St}_{\text{GL}_2} \otimes \eta$	$L(s-1) L(s)^2 L(s+1)^2$ $L(s, \chi \eta^{-1}) L(s+1, \chi \eta^{-1}) L(s+1, \chi^{-1} \eta) L(s, \chi^{-1} \eta)$	$\geq 1$
(D)	(5.49) (others covered in (A))		
(E)	(5.50) (covered in (A))		