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# RELATING TWO CONJECTURES IN $p$ -ADIC HODGE THEORY

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**Abstract.** — Let  $K$  be a finite extension of  $\mathbf{Q}_p$  and let  $\mathcal{G}_K = \text{Gal}(\overline{\mathbf{Q}_p}/K)$ . Fontaine has constructed a useful classification of  $p$ -adic representations of  $\mathcal{G}_K$  in terms of cyclotomic  $(\varphi, \Gamma)$ -modules. Lately, interest has risen around a generalization of the theory of  $(\varphi, \Gamma)$ -modules, replacing the cyclotomic extension with an arbitrary infinitely ramified  $p$ -adic Lie extension. Computations from Berger suggest that locally analytic vectors should provide such a generalization for any arbitrary infinitely ramified  $p$ -adic Lie extension, and this has been conjectured by Kedlaya.

In this paper, we focus on the case of  $\mathbf{Z}_p$ -extensions, using recent work of Berger-Rozensztajn and Porat on an integral version of locally analytic vectors and explain what is the structure of the locally analytic vectors in the higher rings of periods  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\dagger$  in this setting. We then use this result to construct, in the anticyclotomic setting and assuming that Kedlaya's conjecture holds, an element in the field of fractions of the Robba ring which “should not exist” according to a conjecture of Berger. As a consequence, we prove that this conjecture of Berger on substitution maps on the Robba ring is incompatible with Kedlaya's conjecture.

Should Berger's conjecture hold, this would provide an example of an extension for which there is no overconvergent lift of its field of norms and for which there exist nontrivial higher locally analytic vectors.

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## Introduction

Let  $p$  be a prime,  $p \neq 2$ , and let  $K$  be a finite extension of  $\mathbf{Q}_p$ . One of the main ideas to study  $p$ -adic representations and  $\mathbf{Z}_p$ -representations of  $\mathcal{G}_K = \text{Gal}(\overline{\mathbf{Q}}_p/K)$  is to use an intermediate extension  $K \subset K_\infty \subset \overline{\mathbf{Q}}_p$  such that  $K_\infty/K$  is nice enough but still deeply ramified (in the sense of [CG96]), so that  $\overline{\mathbf{Q}}_p/K_\infty$  is almost étale and “contains almost all the ramification of the extension  $\overline{\mathbf{Q}}_p/K$ ”. If  $K_\infty/K$  is an infinitely ramified  $p$ -adic Lie extension then those assumptions are satisfied. Classically, one lets  $K_\infty$  be the cyclotomic extension  $K(\mu_{p^\infty})$  of  $K$ .

One striking result following this idea has been the construction of cyclotomic  $(\varphi, \Gamma)$ -modules. Fontaine has constructed in [Fon90] an equivalence of categories  $V \mapsto \mathbf{D}(V)$  between the category of all  $p$ -adic representations of  $\mathcal{G}_K$  and the category of étale  $(\varphi, \Gamma)$ -modules. Different theories of cyclotomic  $(\varphi, \Gamma)$ -modules can be defined: one can define them over a 2-dimensional local ring  $\mathbf{B}_K$ , over a subring  $\mathbf{B}_K^\dagger$  of  $\mathbf{B}_K$  consisting of so-called overconvergent elements, or over the Robba ring. In every case, a  $(\varphi, \Gamma)$ -module is a finite free module over the corresponding ring, equipped with semilinear actions of  $\varphi$  and  $\Gamma = \text{Gal}(K_{\text{cycl}}/K)$  commuting one to another (the ring itself being equipped with such actions).

Thanks to a theorem of Cherbonnier and Colmez [CC98] and a theorem of Kedlaya [Ked05], these different theories are equivalent. Moreover, the theories over both  $\mathbf{B}_K^\dagger$  and  $\mathbf{B}_K$  come with their integral counterparts, so that free  $\mathbf{Z}_p$ -representations of  $\mathcal{G}_K$  are equivalent to étale  $(\varphi, \Gamma)$ -modules over some integral subring of either  $\mathbf{B}_K^\dagger$  or  $\mathbf{B}_K$ .

Lately, there has been an increasing interest in generalizing both  $(\varphi, \Gamma)$ -modules theory [Ber14, Car13, KR09] and more generally in understanding how to replace the cyclotomic extension by an arbitrary infinitely ramified  $p$ -adic Lie extension in  $p$ -adic Hodge theory [BC16, Poy22b].

One could try to define  $(\varphi, \Gamma)$ -modules attached to an almost totally ramified  $p$ -adic Lie extension by copying the constructions in the cyclotomic case. This strategy relies on finding a “lift of the field of norms” and happens to work in the Lubin-Tate setting [KR09]. Under some strong assumptions (which are not always met even in the cyclotomic case), namely that the lift is of “finite height”, Berger showed in [Ber14] that there were some restrictions on the kind of extensions one could consider in this case (and proving for example that there was no finite height lift of the field of norms in the anticyclotomic setting). The author proved that, under the same strong assumptions, the only extensions for which one could lift the field of norms were actually only the Lubin-Tate ones [Poy22a]. A more natural and less constraining assumption would be to ask for which extensions one could have an overconvergent lift, but in this case almost nothing is known.

An other idea to generalize  $(\varphi, \Gamma)$ -modules theory, and which has been used with success by Berger and Colmez [BC16] to generalize Sen theory, has been to use the theory of locally analytic vectors, initially introduced by Schneider and Teitelbaum [ST03]. Berger

and Colmez have shown that Sen theory could be completely generalized to any arbitrary infinitely ramified  $p$ -adic Lie extension by using locally analytic vectors. Computations from Berger [Ber16] showed that locally analytic vectors in the cyclotomic setting recovered the cyclotomic  $(\varphi, \Gamma)$ -modules over the Robba ring, and suggested that the theory of locally analytic vectors should be able to define a theory of  $(\varphi, \Gamma)$ -modules for any arbitrary infinitely ramified  $p$ -adic Lie extension. In [Ked13], Kedlaya conjectured that indeed, locally analytic vectors should provide a nice  $(\varphi, \Gamma)$ -module theory for any such  $p$ -adic Lie extension, and that the theory should even be defined at an integral level.

Up until recently, locally analytic vectors were only defined in a setting in which  $p$  is inverted, so it was difficult to use them in an integral setting (and even more in characteristic  $p$ ). One could say that an element  $x$  in a free  $\mathbf{Z}_p$ -algebra was locally analytic if it became locally analytic after inverting  $p$ , which is what Kedlaya does in the statement of his conjecture, but this definition is not very practical and does not extend for characteristic  $p$  algebras.

Recently, Berger-Rozensztajn [BR22a, BR22b], Gulotta [Gul19], Johansson and Newton [JN19] and Porat [Por24] have generalized the classical notion of locally analytic vectors (denoted by “Super-Hölder vectors” in the works of Berger and Rozensztajn) to a characteristic  $p$  and integral setting, by using classical tools of  $p$ -adic analysis like Mahler expansions. In [Por24], Porat has proven that these new integral locally analytic vectors can be used to recover cyclotomic  $(\varphi, \Gamma)$ -modules, thus generalizing the computations of Berger [Ber16] to an integral setting. This makes it possible to reinterpret Kedlaya’s conjecture in terms of those new integral locally analytic vectors.

In this paper, we focus on the particular case of  $\mathbf{Z}_p$ -extensions, of which both the cyclotomic and the anticyclotomic extensions are a particular case, and try to give a description on what the locally analytic vectors in the rings used to define  $(\varphi, \Gamma)$ -modules are. We thus let  $K_\infty/K$  be a totally ramified  $\mathbf{Z}_p$ -extension, and we look at the structure of the ring  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\dagger)^{\text{Gal}(\bar{\mathbf{Q}}_p/K_\infty), \text{Gal}(K_\infty/K)-\text{la}}$ , which we write  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\text{la}}$  in what follows.

Our first result is that only two very different situations may occur:

**Theorem 0.1.** — 1. *Either there is no nontrivial locally analytic vectors in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger$ , that is  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\text{la}} = \mathcal{O}_K$ ;*  
 2. *or  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\text{la}} = \varphi^{-\infty}(\mathbf{A}_K^\dagger)$ , where  $\mathbf{A}_K^\dagger$  is a ring of overconvergent functions in one variable.*

In the second case, we prove in the meantime that everything behaves as in the cyclotomic setting. In particular, we obtain an overconvergent lift of the field of norms, and we also prove that the existence of such a lift guarantees that we are in the second case of theorem 0.1:

**Theorem 0.2.** — *If  $K_\infty/K$  is a  $\mathbf{Z}_p$ -extension, then there exists an overconvergent lift of the field of norms of  $K_\infty/K$  if and only if there exists a nontrivial locally analytic vector in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger$ .*

Moreover, we also obtain a description of the rings  $(\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^I)^{\text{la}}$  which matches the specialization to the cyclotomic setting of theorem 4.4 of [Ber16], under some additional assumption (which holds for example when  $K/\mathbf{Q}_p$  is unramified).

Of course, if one believes in Kedlaya's conjecture, then the first situation in theorem 0.1 above should never arise. In the anticyclotomic setting, we prove that if we are in the second case of the theorem, then we can construct an element of the field of fractions of Robba ring which is invariant under a substitution map, thus contradicting a conjecture of Berger [Ber22]. In particular, this proves the following:

**Theorem 0.3.** — *Kedlaya's conjecture and Berger's are incompatible.*

## Notations

For the rest of the paper, we fix a prime  $p$  and we let  $K$  be a finite extension of  $\mathbf{Q}_p$ , with residue field  $k_K$  of cardinal  $q = p^h$ , and ramification index  $e$ . We let  $\mathcal{O}_K$  denote the ring of integers of  $K$ , and we let  $\pi$  be a uniformizer of  $\mathcal{O}_K$ .

### 1. Lubin-Tate and anticyclotomic extensions

Let  $\text{LT}$  be a Lubin-Tate formal  $\mathcal{O}_K$ -module attached to the uniformizer  $\pi$  of  $\mathcal{O}_K$ . For  $a \in \mathcal{O}_K$ , we let  $[a](T)$  denote the power series giving the multiplication by  $a$  map on  $\text{LT}$ . Let  $T$  be a local coordinate on  $\text{LT}$  such that  $[\pi](T) = T^q + \pi T$ , except in the particular case where  $K = \mathbf{Q}_p$  and  $\pi = p$ , where we choose instead a local coordinate  $T$  such that  $[p](T) = (1 + T)^p - 1$ . We let  $K_n = K(\text{LT}[\pi^n])$  be the extension of  $K$  generated by the  $\pi^n$ -torsion points of  $\text{LT}$ , and we let  $K_{\text{LT}} = \cup_{n \geq 1} K_n$ . We let  $\Gamma_{\text{LT}} = \text{Gal}(K_{\text{LT}}/K)$  and  $H_{\text{LT}} = \text{Gal}(\overline{\mathbf{Q}_p}/K_{\text{LT}})$ . By Lubin-Tate theory (see [LT65]), if  $g \in \Gamma_{\text{LT}}$  then there exists a unique  $a_g \in \mathcal{O}_K^\times$  such that  $g$  acts on the torsion points of  $\text{LT}$  through the power series  $[a_g](T)$ , and the map  $\chi_\pi : g \in \Gamma_{\text{LT}} \mapsto a_g \in \mathcal{O}_K^\times$  is a group isomorphism called the Lubin-Tate character attached to  $\pi$ .

For  $n \geq 1$ , we let  $\Gamma_n = \text{Gal}(\text{LT}/K_n)$  so that  $\Gamma_n = \{g \in \Gamma_{\text{LT}}, \chi_\pi(g) \in 1 + \pi^n \mathcal{O}_K\}$ . We let  $u_0 = 0$  and for  $n \geq 1$  we let  $u_n \in \overline{\mathbf{Q}_p}$  be such that  $[\pi](u_n) = u_{n-1}$ , with  $u_1 \neq 0$ . We have  $K_n = K(u_n)$ , and  $u_n$  is a uniformizer of  $K_n$ . We also let  $Q_n(T)$  be the minimal polynomial of  $u_n$  over  $K$ , so that  $Q_0(T) = T$ ,  $Q_1(T) = [\pi](T)/T$  and  $Q_{n+1} = Q_n([\pi](T))$  if  $n \geq 1$ .

We let  $\log_{\text{LT}} = T + O(\deg \geq 2) \in K[[T]]$  denote the Lubin-Tate logarithm map, which converges on the open unit disk and is such that  $\log_{\text{LT}}([a](T)) = a \cdot \log_{\text{LT}}(T)$  for  $a \in \mathcal{O}_K$ . We recall that  $\log_{\text{LT}}(T) = T \cdot \prod_{k \geq 1} Q_k(T)/\pi$ , and we let  $\exp_{\text{LT}}$  denote the inverse of  $\log_{\text{LT}}$ .

When  $K = \mathbf{Q}_{p^2}$ , the unramified extension of  $\mathbf{Q}_p$  of degree 2, and  $\pi = p$ , then  $K_{\text{LT}}$  contains two special and particularly interesting sub- $\mathbf{Z}_p$ -extensions: the cyclotomic extension  $K_{\text{cycl}} = K(\mu_{p^\infty})$  of  $K$ , which is defined, Galois and abelian over  $\mathbf{Q}_p$ , and the anticyclotomic extension  $K_{\text{ac}}$  which is the unique  $\mathbf{Z}_p$ -extension of  $K$ , defined, Galois and pro-dihedral over  $\mathbf{Q}_p$ : the Frobenius  $\sigma$  of  $\text{Gal}(K/\mathbf{Q}_p)$  acts on  $\text{Gal}(K_{\text{ac}}/K)$  by inversion. It is linearly disjoint from  $K_{\text{cycl}}$  over  $K$ , and the compositum  $K_{\text{cycl}} \cdot K_{\text{ac}}$  is equal to  $K_{\text{LT}}$ . If we let  $\chi_p$  denote the Lubin-Tate character corresponding to  $K_{\text{LT}}$ , then  $\chi_{\text{cycl}} = N_{K/\mathbf{Q}_p}(\chi_p) = \sigma(\chi_p) \cdot \chi_p$ . One defines an anticyclomic character  $\chi_{\text{ac}} : \text{Gal}(K_{\text{ac}}/K) \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_K^\times$  by  $g \mapsto \frac{\chi_p(g)}{\sigma(\chi_p(g))}$  which is an isomorphism on to its image, and the anticyclotomic extension is the subfield of  $K_{\text{LT}}$  fixed by the elements  $g \in \Gamma_{\text{LT}}$  such that  $\chi_{\text{ac}}(g) = 1$ .

## 2. Locally analytic and super-Hölder vectors

In this section, we recall the classical notion of locally analytic vectors, following [Eme17] and [Ber16, §2], along with the notion of locally analytic vectors for  $\mathbf{Z}_p$ -Tate algebras as introduced by Porat [Por24].

Let  $G$  be a  $p$ -adic Lie group, and let  $G_0$  be an open subgroup of  $G$  which is a uniform pro- $p$ -group (see §4 of [DDSMS03] for the definition of a uniform pro- $p$ -group and Interlude A of ibid for the statement). The main interest of such a subgroup  $G_0$  is that it provides a nice specific fundamental system of open neighborhoods of  $G$ , along with coordinates  $\mathbf{c} : G_0 \rightarrow \mathbf{Z}_p^d$ , where  $d$  is the dimension of  $G$  as a  $p$ -adic Lie group. Namely, if we let  $G_i = \{g^{p^i}, g \in G_0\}$  then we have the following properties (see §4 of [DDSMS03] for the proof):

1. for  $i \geq 0$ ,  $G_i$  is an open normal uniform subgroup of  $G_0$ ;
2.  $[G_i : G_{i+1}] = p^d$ ;
3. there is a coordinate  $\mathbf{c} : G_0 \rightarrow \mathbf{Z}_p^d$  such that for  $i \geq 0$ ,  $\mathbf{c}(G_i) = (p^i \mathbf{Z}_p)^d$ ;
4. For  $g, h \in G_0$ , we have  $gh^{-1} \in G_i$  if and only if  $\mathbf{c}(g) - \mathbf{c}(h) \in (p^i \mathbf{Z}_p)^d$ .

In the rest of this article, if  $G$  is a  $p$ -adic Lie group then we assume that we also have chosen such a subgroup  $G_0$ , along with coordinates  $\mathbf{c}$  and the  $(G_i)_{i \geq 0}$  as a fundamental system of open neighborhoods of  $G$ .

Let  $H$  be an open subgroup of  $G$  which is uniform pro- $p$ , with coordinate  $\mathbf{c} : H \rightarrow \mathbf{Z}_p^d$ . Let  $W$  be a  $\mathbf{Q}_p$ -Banach representation of  $G$ . We say that  $w \in W$  is an  $H$ -analytic vector if there exists a sequence  $\{w_{\mathbf{k}}\}_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbf{N}^d}$  such that  $w_{\mathbf{k}} \rightarrow 0$  in  $W$  and such that  $g(w) = \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbf{N}^d} \mathbf{c}(g)^{\mathbf{k}} w_{\mathbf{k}}$  for all  $g \in H$ . We let  $W^{H-\text{an}}$  be the space of  $H$ -analytic vectors. This space injects into  $\mathcal{C}^{\text{an}}(H, W)$ , the space of all analytic functions  $f : H \rightarrow W$ . Note that  $\mathcal{C}^{\text{an}}(H, W)$  is a Banach space equipped with its usual Banach norm, so that we can endow  $W^{H-\text{an}}$  with the induced norm, that we will denote by  $\|\cdot\|_H$ . With this definition, we have  $\|w\|_H = \sup_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbf{N}^d} \|w_{\mathbf{k}}\|$  and  $(W^{H-\text{an}}, \|\cdot\|_H)$  is a Banach space.

The space  $\mathcal{C}^{\text{an}}(H, W)$  is endowed with an action of  $H \times H \times H$ , given by

$$((g_1, g_2, g_3) \cdot f)(g) = g_1 \cdot f(g_2^{-1} g g_3)$$

and one can recover  $W^{H-\text{an}}$  as the closed subspace of  $\mathcal{C}^{\text{an}}(H, W)$  of its  $\Delta_{1,2}(H)$ -invariants, where  $\Delta_{1,2} : H \rightarrow H \times H \times H$  denotes the map  $g \mapsto (g, g, 1)$  (see [Eme17, §3.3] for more details).

We say that a vector  $w$  of  $W$  is locally analytic if there exists an open subgroup  $H$  as above such that  $w \in W^{H-\text{an}}$ . Let  $W^{\text{la}}$  be the space of such vectors, so that  $W^{\text{la}} = \varinjlim_H W^{H-\text{an}}$ , where  $H$  runs through a sequence of open subgroups of  $G$ . The space  $W^{\text{la}}$  is naturally endowed with the inductive limit topology, so that it is an LB space.

Let  $W$  be a Fréchet space whose topology is defined by a sequence  $\{p_i\}_{i \geq 1}$  of seminorms. Let  $W_i$  be the Hausdorff completion of  $W$  at  $p_i$ , so that  $W = \varprojlim_{i \geq 1} W_i$ . The space  $W^{\text{la}}$  can

be defined but as stated in [Ber16] and as showed in §7 of [Poy22b], this space is too small in general for what we are interested in, and so we make the following definition, following [Ber16, Def. 2.3]:

**Definition 2.1.** — If  $W = \varprojlim_{i \geq 1} W_i$  is a Fréchet representation of  $G$ , then we say that a vector  $w \in W$  is pro-analytic if its image  $\pi_i(w)$  in  $W_i$  is locally analytic for all  $i$ . We let  $W^{\text{pa}}$  denote the set of all pro-analytic vectors of  $W$ .

We extend the definition of  $W^{\text{la}}$  and  $W^{\text{pa}}$  for LB and LF spaces respectively.

Because the classical definition of locally analytic vectors involves denominators in  $p$ , it may seem difficult to generalize this notion for  $\mathbf{Z}_p$ -algebras where  $p$  is not invertible (and may even be 0). The main idea to generalize the classical notion of locally analytic vectors to this setting is (as often in  $p$ -adic analysis) to replace Taylor expansions with Mahler expansions, using binomial coefficients. This is explained and used in [BR22a] and [Por24]. Following those two papers, we place ourselves in the following setting:  $R$  is a  $\mathbf{Z}_p$ -algebra, which is a Tate ring endowed with a valuation  $\text{val}_R : R \rightarrow (-\infty, \infty]$  satisfying the following properties:

1.  $\text{val}_R(x) = \infty$  if and only if  $x = 0$  (meaning that  $R$  is separated for the topology induced by  $\text{val}_R$ );
2.  $\text{val}_R(xy) \geq \text{val}_R(x) + \text{val}_R(y)$  for all  $x, y \in R$ ;
3.  $\text{val}_R(x + y) \geq \inf(\text{val}_R(x), \text{val}_R(y))$  for all  $x, y \in R$ ;
4.  $\text{val}_R(p) > 0$ .

We extend this definition to  $R$ -modules.

In what follows,  $G$  is a uniform pro- $p$ -group. For an  $R$ -module  $M$ , endowed with a compatible valuation  $\text{val}_M$ , we write  $\mathcal{C}^0(G, M)$  for the set of continuous functions from  $G$  to  $M$ .

Following [Por24], we make the following definition:

**Definition 2.2.** — 1. Let  $\lambda, \mu \in \mathbf{R}$ . We let  $\mathcal{C}^{\text{an}-\lambda, \mu}(\mathbf{Z}_p^d, M)$  denote the set of functions  $f : \mathbf{Z}_p^d \rightarrow M$  such that  $\text{val}_M(a_{\underline{n}}(f)) \geq p^\lambda \cdot p^{\lfloor \log_p(|\underline{n}|_\infty) \rfloor} + \mu$  for every  $\underline{n} = (n_1, \dots, n_d)$  in  $\mathbf{Z}_p^d$ , where  $|\underline{n}|_\infty$  denotes the maximum of the  $n_i$ . Note that it is contained in  $\mathcal{C}^0(G, M)$  (see §2 of [Por24]).

2. We define  $\mathcal{C}^{\text{an}-\lambda, \mu}(G, M)$  by pulling back along  $\mathbf{c} : G \rightarrow \mathbf{Z}_p^d$  the definition of  $\mathcal{C}^{\text{an}-\lambda, \mu}(\mathbf{Z}_p^d, M)$ .

3. We let  $\mathcal{C}^{\text{an}-\lambda}(G, M)$  denote the set of functions  $f : G \rightarrow M$  such that there exists  $\mu \in \mathbf{R}$  such that  $f \in \mathcal{C}^{\text{an}-\lambda, \mu}(G, M)$ .

4. We let  $\mathcal{C}^{\text{la}}(G, M)$  be the colimit of the cofinal system  $\{\mathcal{C}^{\text{an}-\lambda, \mu}(G, M)\}_{\lambda, \mu}$ , or equivalently, of the cofinal system  $\{\mathcal{C}^{\text{an}-\lambda}(G, M)\}_\lambda$ .

We refer the reader to §2 of [Por24] to see different characterization of those sets of functions.

We now assume that  $G$  is a uniform pro- $p$ -group, acting on  $M$  by isometries. As in the Banach-space setting, the space  $\mathcal{C}^0(G, M)$  is endowed with an action of  $G \times G \times G$ , given by

$$((g_1, g_2, g_3) \cdot f)(g) = g_1 \cdot f(g_2^{-1} g g_3)$$

and we define  $M^{G, \text{la}}$  (resp.  $M^{G, \lambda-\text{an}}$  resp.  $M^{G, \lambda-\text{an}, \mu}$ ) as the subspace of  $\mathcal{C}^{\text{la}}(G, M)$  (resp.  $\mathcal{C}(G, M)^{G, \lambda-\text{an}}$  resp.  $\mathcal{C}(G, M)^{G, \lambda-\text{an}, \mu}$ ) of its  $\Delta_{1,2}(G)$ -invariants, where  $\Delta_{1,2} : G \rightarrow G \times G \times G$  denotes the map  $g \mapsto (g, g, 1)$ .

We define the locally analytic vectors of  $M$  as the elements of

$$M^{\text{la}} := \varinjlim_i M^{G_i - \text{la}}.$$

As explained in Example 2.1.3 of [Por24], when  $R = \mathbf{Q}_p$ ,  $M$  is a  $\mathbf{Q}_p$ -Banach space and we recover the classical locally analytic vectors. We can actually give a more precise statement. Let  $\text{LA}_h(\mathbf{Z}_p, \mathbf{Q}_p)$  be the space of functions  $f : \mathbf{Z}_p \rightarrow \mathbf{Q}_p$  whose restriction to any ball of the form  $a + p^h \mathbf{Z}_p$  is the restriction of an analytic function  $f_{a,h}$ . This is a Banach space with the obvious norm. If  $W$  is a  $\mathbf{Q}_p$ -Banach space we define  $\text{LA}_h(\mathbf{Z}_p, W) := W \widehat{\otimes}_{\mathbf{Q}_p} \text{LA}_h(\mathbf{Z}_p, \mathbf{Q}_p)$ . Theorem 3 of [Ami64] and theorem I.4.7 of [Col10] have the following corollary:

**Corollary 2.3.** — *If  $f \in \mathcal{C}^0(\mathbf{Z}_p, \mathbf{Q}_p)$ , the following are equivalent:*

- $f \in \text{LA}_h(\mathbf{Z}_p, \mathbf{Q}_p)$ ;
- $f \in \mathcal{C}^{\text{an}-\lambda}(\mathbf{Z}_p, \mathbf{Q}_p)$  for all  $\lambda > -h - \frac{\log(p-1)}{\log(p)}$ .

*Proof.* — See the proof of [Col10, Coro. I.4.8]. □

In particular, if  $M$  be a  $\mathbf{Q}_p$ -Banach space on which  $G$  acts by isometry, then there exists  $\lambda \in \mathbf{R}$  such that  $x \in M^{G_0 - \text{an}, \lambda}$  if and only if there exists  $n \geq 0$  such that  $x \in M^{G_n - \text{an}}$  (in the sense of the classical definition).

Finally, one may define higher locally analytic vectors, coming from the derived functor induced by  $M \mapsto M^{\text{la}}$ . Once again, we follow Porat [Por24, §2.3] by setting

$$R_{\text{la}}^i(M) := \varinjlim_j H^i(G_j, \mathcal{C}^{\text{la}}(G_j, M)),$$

where the cocycles considered are continuous, and we take the inductive topology on  $\mathcal{C}^{\text{la}}(G_j, M)$  induced from that of its submodules  $\mathcal{C}^{\lambda - \text{an}}(G_j, M)$ . These groups form what we call the higher locally analytic vectors of  $M$ , and if

$$0 \rightarrow M_1 \rightarrow M_2 \rightarrow M_3 \rightarrow 0$$

is an exact sequence (in the appropriate category) then we have a long exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow M_1^{\text{la}} \rightarrow M_2^{\text{la}} \rightarrow M_3^{\text{la}} \rightarrow R_{\text{la}}^1(M_1) \rightarrow \dots$$

**Lemma 2.4.** — *If  $x, y \in R^{G, \lambda - \text{an}}$  then  $xy \in R^{G, \lambda - \text{an}}$ .*

*Proof.* — See lemma 3.3.1 of [Gul19]. □

### 3. Locally analytic vectors for classical rings of periods

In this section we quickly recall the definition of some classical rings of periods, and then recall several results regarding the locally analytic vectors attached to  $p$ -adic Lie extensions (and especially in the cyclotomic and Lubin-Tate cases) in those rings. We also explain how the normalization of the valuation may affect the “radius of analyticity” of the elements considered.

**3.1. Some rings of  $p$ -adic periods.** — In this section, we recall the definition of some rings of  $p$ -adic periods, defined in [Fon90, Fon94], [Ber02] and [Col02]. We also recall the definitions of some rings of periods attached to Lubin-Tate extensions, which can be specialized to recover the rings appearing in the cyclotomic setting.

We let  $\tilde{\mathbf{E}}^+ := \varprojlim_{x \mapsto x^q} \mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}_p}/\pi$  be the tilt of  $\mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}_p}$ . It is a perfect ring of characteristic  $p$  which is equipped with a valuation  $v_{\mathbf{E}}$  coming from the one of  $\mathbf{C}_p$ , and is complete for this valuation. We let  $\tilde{\mathbf{E}}$  denote the fraction field of  $\tilde{\mathbf{E}}^+$ . If  $F$  is a subfield of  $\mathbf{C}_p$ , let  $\mathfrak{a}_F^c$  be the set of elements  $x$  of  $F$  such that  $v_K(x) \geq c$ , and for any  $c > 0$  we identify  $\tilde{\mathbf{E}}^+$  with  $\varprojlim_{x \mapsto x^q} \mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}_p}/\mathfrak{a}_{\mathbf{C}_p}^c$ .

If  $\{u_n\}_{n \geq 0}$  are as in §1, then the sequence  $\bar{u} := (\bar{u}_0, \bar{u}_1, \dots) \in (\mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}_p}/\pi)^{\mathbf{N}}$  belongs to  $\tilde{\mathbf{E}}^+$ , and we have  $v_{\mathbf{E}}(\bar{u}) = q/(q-1)e$ .

We let  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^+ = \mathcal{O}_K \otimes_{\mathcal{O}_{K_0}} W(\tilde{\mathbf{E}}^+)$ , and  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^+ = \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^+[1/\pi]$ . We also let  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}} = \mathcal{O}_K \otimes_{\mathcal{O}_{K_0}} W(\tilde{\mathbf{E}})$  and  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}} = \tilde{\mathbf{A}}[1/\pi]$ . We write  $[\cdot]$  for the Teichmüller map. We endow these rings with the Frobenius map  $\varphi_q = \text{id} \otimes \varphi^h$ .

By §9.2 of [Col02], there exists  $u \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^+$ , whose image is  $\bar{u}$ , and such that  $\varphi_q(u) = [\pi](u)$  and  $g(u) = [\chi_\pi(g)](u)$  if  $g \in \Gamma_K$ . If  $K = \mathbf{Q}_p$  and  $\pi = p$ , then  $u = [\varepsilon] - 1$ , where  $\varepsilon \in \tilde{\mathbf{E}}^+$  is a compatible sequence of  $q^n$ -th roots of 1. We let  $Q_k = Q_k(u) \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^+$ .

Recall that we have a map  $\theta : \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^+ \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}_p}$  which is a ring homomorphism, whose kernel is a principal ideal generated by  $\varphi_q^{-1}(Q_1)$  or by  $[\tilde{\pi}] - [\pi]$  (see proposition 8.3 of [Col02]), where  $\tilde{\pi} \in \tilde{\mathbf{E}}^+$  is a compatible sequence of  $q^n$ -th roots of  $\pi$ . In particular,  $\varphi_q^{-1}(Q_1)/([\tilde{\pi}] - \pi)$  is a unit of  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^+$  and so are the elements  $Q_k/([\tilde{\pi}]^{q^k} - \pi)$  for all  $k \geq 1$ .

Every element of  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^+[1/[\bar{u}]]$  can be written as  $\sum_{k \gg -\infty} \pi^k [x_k]$ , where  $(x_k)_{k \in \mathbf{Z}}$  is a bounded sequence of  $\tilde{\mathbf{E}}$ . For  $r > 0$ , we define a valuation  $V(\cdot, r)$  on  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^+[1/[\bar{u}]]$  by the formula

$$V(x, r) = \inf_{k \in \mathbf{Z}} \left( \frac{k}{e} + \frac{p-1}{pr} v_{\mathbf{E}}(x_k) \right) \text{ if } x = \sum_{k \gg -\infty} \pi^k [x_k].$$

If  $I$  is a closed subinterval of  $[0, +\infty[$ ,  $I \neq [0, 0]$ , we let  $V(x, I) = \inf_{r \in I, r \neq 0} V(x, r)$  (one can take a look at remark 2.1.9 of [GP19] to understand why we avoid defining  $V(\cdot, 0)$ ). We define  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^I$  as the completion of  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^+[1/[\bar{u}]]$  for  $V(\cdot, I)$  if  $0 \notin I$ . If  $0 \in I$ , we let  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^I$  be the completion of  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^+$  for  $V(\cdot, I)$ . We let  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^I$  be the ring of integers of  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^I$  for  $V(\cdot, I)$ . By §2 of [Ber02], we have that  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r, s]}$  is also the  $p$ -adic completion of  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^+[\frac{p}{[\bar{u}]^r}, \frac{[\bar{u}]^s}{p}]$ .

For  $k \geq 1$ , we let  $r_k = p^{kh-1}(p-1)$  and  $\rho_k = p^{-kh}$ . The map  $\theta \circ \varphi_q^{-k} : \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^+ \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}_p}$  extends by continuity to  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^I$ , provided that  $r_k \in I$ , in which case we have that  $\theta \circ \varphi_q^{-k}(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^I) \subset \mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}_p}$ .

For  $r > 0$ , we define  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^{\dagger, r}$  the subset of overconvergent elements of “radius”  $r$  of  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}$ , by

$$\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^{\dagger, r} = \left\{ x = \sum_{k \gg -\infty} \pi^k [x_k] \text{ such that } \lim_{k \rightarrow +\infty} v_{\mathbf{E}}(x_k) + \frac{pr}{(p-1)e} k = +\infty \right\}.$$

Note that  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^{\dagger, r}$  can naturally be identified with a subring of  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^{[r, r]}$  and we endow it with the valuation  $V(\cdot, r)$ . We let



$$\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r} = \left\{ x = \sum_{k \geq 0} \pi^k [x_k] \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}} \cap \tilde{\mathbf{B}}^{\dagger,r} \text{ such that } \forall k \geq 0, v_{\mathbf{E}}(x_k) + \frac{pr}{(p-1)e} k \geq 0 \right\}$$

and we also endow it with the valuation  $V(\cdot, r)$ . Note that  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}$  is also the  $p$ -adic completion of  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^+[\frac{p}{[\bar{u}]^r}]$ . If  $\rho = \frac{r_0}{r}$ , we let  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{(0,\rho]} := \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}[1/[\bar{u}]]$ . We endow  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{(0,\rho]}$  with the valuation  $v_\rho$  given by the  $[\bar{u}]$ -adic valuation, so that  $\rho v_\rho = V(\cdot, r)$  and  $v_\rho = \frac{r}{r_0} V(\cdot, r)$ . Note that  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}$  is the ring of integers of  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{(0,\rho]}$  for  $v_\rho$  and also for  $V(\cdot, r)$ . Moreover, for any  $\rho > 0$ , we have  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{(0,\rho]}/(\pi) = \tilde{\mathbf{E}}$  and  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0,\rho]}/(\pi) = \tilde{\mathbf{E}}_K$ .

We let  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^\dagger := \cup_{r>0} \tilde{\mathbf{B}}^{\dagger,r}$  and  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\dagger = \cup_{\rho>0} \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{(0,\rho]}$ .

For  $\rho > 0$ , let  $\rho' = \rho \cdot e \cdot p / (p-1) \cdot (q-1) / q$ . Note that we have  $V(u^i, r) = i/r'$ . Let  $I$  be a subinterval of  $[0, +\infty[$  which is either a subinterval of  $]1, +\infty[$  or such that  $0 \in I$ . Let  $f(Y) = \sum_{k \in \mathbf{Z}} a_k Y^k$  be a power series with  $a_k \in K$  and such that  $v_p(a_k) + k/\rho' \rightarrow +\infty$  when  $|k| \rightarrow +\infty$  for all  $\rho \in I$ . The series  $f(v)$  converges in  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^I$  and we let  $\mathbf{B}_K^I$  denote the set of all  $f(v)$  with  $f$  as above. It is a subring of  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^I = (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^I)^{H_K}$  which is stable under the action of  $\Gamma_K$ . The Frobenius map gives rise to a map  $\varphi_q : \mathbf{B}_K^I \rightarrow \mathbf{B}_K^{qI}$ .

We shall write  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_{\text{rig}}^{\dagger,r}$  for  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^{[r, +\infty[}$  and  $\mathbf{B}_{\text{rig},K}^{\dagger,r}$  for  $\mathbf{B}_K^{[r, +\infty[}$ . We let  $\mathbf{B}_K^{\dagger,r}$  denote the set of  $f(u) \in \mathbf{B}_{\text{rig},K}^{\dagger,r}$  such that the sequence  $\{a_k\}_{k \in \mathbf{Z}}$  is bounded. This is a subring of  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^{\dagger,r} = (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^{\dagger,r})^{H_K}$ . We also define  $\mathbf{A}_K^{\dagger,r} = \mathbf{B}_K^{\dagger,r} \cap \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}$ .

**Lemma 3.1.** — *An element  $x = \sum_{k \geq 0} \pi^k [x_k] \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}$  is a unit of  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}$  if and only if  $v_{\mathbf{E}}(x_0) = 0$  and  $V(x - [x_0], r) > 0$ . Moreover, if  $x \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\dagger$  is such that  $v_{\mathbf{E}}(x_0) \geq 0$  then :*

1. *there exists  $r > 0$  such that  $x \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}$  ;*
2. *there exists  $s \geq r$  such that  $\frac{x}{[x_0]}$  belongs to  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,s}$  and is a unit of  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,s}$ .*

*Proof.* — The first statement is [Col08, Lemm. 5.9].

For item 1, let us write  $x = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} p^k [x_k]$ . Since  $x \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\dagger$ , there exists  $t > 0$  such that  $\frac{k}{e} + \frac{p-1}{pt} v_{\mathbf{E}}(x_k)$  goes to  $+\infty$  when  $k \rightarrow +\infty$ , so that the sequence  $(\frac{k}{e} + \frac{p-1}{pt} v_{\mathbf{E}}(x_k))$  is bounded below by some constant  $C$ . If  $C \geq 0$  then  $x \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}$  so the first item is satisfied. Otherwise, it is bounded by  $-D$  for some  $D > 0$ . Then if  $s \geq t \cdot (eD + 1)$ , we have  $\frac{k}{e} + \frac{p-1}{ps} v_{\mathbf{E}}(x_k) \geq 0$  for  $k \geq 1$ , and since  $v_{\mathbf{E}}(x_0) \geq 0$ , this means that  $V(x, s) \geq 0$ .

For item 2, one uses item 1 to find  $s \geq r$  such that  $\frac{x}{[x_0]}$  belongs to  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,s}$ , and then up to increasing again  $s$  this element is a unit of  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,s}$  by the first statement of the lemma.  $\square$

**Proposition 3.2.** — *Let  $k \geq 0$ . Then:*

1.  $\ker \left( \theta \circ \varphi_q^{-k} : \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r_k, r_k]} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}_p} \right) = \frac{[\tilde{\pi}]^{q^k} - \pi}{\pi} \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r_k, r_k]}$ ;
2.  $\ker \left( \theta \circ \varphi_q^{-k} : \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{(0, \rho_k]} \rightarrow \mathbf{C}_p \right) = ([\tilde{\pi}]^{q^k} - \pi) \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{(0, \rho_k]}$ ;
3.  $\ker \left( \theta \circ \varphi_q^{-k} : \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_k} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}_p} \right) = \frac{[\tilde{\pi}]^{q^k} - \pi}{[\tilde{\pi}]^{q^k}} \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_k}$ .

*Proof.* — Up to composing by a suitable power of  $\varphi_q$ , it suffices to prove the case for  $k = 0$ . The first item is a generalization of §2.2 of [Ber02] and can be found as item 1. of lemma 3.2 of [Ber16] (along with the discussion before lemma 3.1 of ibid.).

For the second item, we remark that since  $[\tilde{\pi}]$  is a unit in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{(0,\rho_k]}$ , the ideal generated by  $([\tilde{\pi}] - \pi)$  is also generated by  $(\frac{\pi}{[\tilde{\pi}]} - 1)$ . Moreover,  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{(0,\rho_k]} = \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r_k}[\frac{1}{[\tilde{\pi}]}]$  and  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r_k}$  is the  $p$ -adic completion of  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^+[\frac{\pi}{[\tilde{\pi}]}] = \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^+[\frac{\pi}{[\tilde{\pi}]} - 1]$  (see §2.1 of [Ber02]). Therefore, we have that

$$\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{(0,\rho_k]}/([\tilde{\pi}] - \pi) \simeq \left( \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^+ / ([\tilde{\pi}] - \pi) \right) \left[ \frac{1}{[\tilde{\pi}]} \right]$$

since localization and quotient commute. Moreover, the RHS is isomorphic to  $\mathbf{C}_p$  as  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^+ / ([\tilde{\pi}] - \pi) \simeq \mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}_p}$ . Therefore,  $([\tilde{\pi}] - \pi)$  is a maximal ideal of  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{(0,\rho_k]}$  which is clearly contained in the kernel of  $\theta$ , and this means that  $\ker(\theta) = ([\tilde{\pi}] - \pi)$  which proves item 2.

It remains to prove the third item. Let  $x \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r_0}$  such that  $\theta(x) = 0$ . By the second item, there exists  $z \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{(0,1]}$  such that  $x = (1 - \frac{\pi}{[\tilde{\pi}]}) \cdot z$ . Let us assume that  $z$  does not belong to  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r_0}$ , and let us write  $z = \sum_{i \geq 0} \pi^i [z_i]$  in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}$ . This means that there exists  $j \geq 0$  such that  $v_{\mathbf{E}}(z_j) < j/e$ . Let  $j_0$  be the smallest such  $j$  and let  $w_\ell : \tilde{\mathbf{A}} \rightarrow \mathbf{R} \cup \{+\infty\}$  denote the function  $w_\ell(y) = \inf_{i \leq \ell} (y_i)$  for  $y = \sum_{i \geq 0} \pi^i [y_i] \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}$ . Recall that  $w_\ell(x + y) \geq \inf(w_\ell(x), w_\ell(y))$  with equality if  $w_\ell(x) \neq w_\ell(y)$  (see for example the beginning of §5.1 of [Col08]). A direct computation shows that  $w_\ell(\frac{\pi}{[\tilde{\pi}]}z) = w_{\ell-1}(z) - \frac{1}{e}$ . The property of the function  $w_\ell$  recalled above shows that, by our definition of  $j_0$ , we have  $w_{j_0}(z - \frac{\pi}{[\tilde{\pi}]}z) = w_{j_0}(z)$  and thus  $\inf_{j \geq 0} (v_{\mathbf{E}}(x_j) + \frac{j}{e}) = \inf_{j \geq 0} (w_j(x) + \frac{j}{e}) < 0$ , so that  $x$  does not belong to  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r_0}$ . Therefore, the assumption that  $z$  does not belong to  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r_0}$  is wrong, and thus  $\frac{\pi}{[\tilde{\pi}]} - 1$  divides  $x$  in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r_0}$ . This finishes the proof.  $\square$

**Lemma 3.3.** — *Let  $x \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}$ , whose image modulo  $\pi$  is  $\bar{x} = (x_n)_{n \geq 0}$  in  $\tilde{\mathbf{E}}$ , and assume that there exists  $n \geq 0$  such that  $x \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r_n}$ , so that  $\bar{x} \in \tilde{\mathbf{E}}^+$ . Then for  $m > n$ ,  $\theta \circ \varphi_q^{-m}(x) = x_m$  in  $\mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}_p}/\mathfrak{a}_{\mathbf{C}_p}^c$  where  $c = \frac{q-1}{qe}$ .*

*Proof.* — If  $x \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r_n}$ ,  $x = \sum_{k \geq 0} \pi^k [x_k]$  in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}$ , then  $\theta \circ \varphi_q^{-m}(x)$  is well defined for  $m \geq n$  and given by  $\theta \circ \varphi_q^{-m}(x) = \sum_{k \geq 0} \pi^k x_k^{(m)}$  (this is a direct consequence of lemma 5.18 of [Col08]). But then the fact that  $x \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r_n}$  implies that for  $m > n$ , the  $\pi^k x_k^{(m)}$ ,  $k \neq 0$  have  $p$ -adic valuation  $\geq \frac{q-1}{qe}$ . Thus  $\theta \circ \varphi_q^{-m}(x) = x_0^{(m)} \pmod{\mathfrak{a}_{\mathbf{C}_p}^c}$ .  $\square$

**Proposition 3.4.** — *Let  $k \geq 0$  and let  $r = r_k$ . If  $y \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[0,r]} + \pi \cdot \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r,r]}$  and if  $\{y_i\}_{i \geq 0}$  is a sequence of elements of  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}$  such that  $y - \sum_{i=0}^{j-1} y_i \cdot (Q_k/\pi)^i$  belongs to  $\ker(\theta \circ \varphi_q^{-k})^j$  for all  $j \geq 1$ , then there exists  $j \geq 1$  such that  $y - \sum_{i=0}^{j-1} y_i \cdot (Q_k/\pi)^i \in \pi \cdot \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r,r]}$ .*

*Proof.* — This is almost the same proposition as proposition 3.3 of [Ber16] except that we allow the  $y_i$  to belong to  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}$ . Our proof follows the one of ibid almost verbatim.

By lemma 3.1 of ibid. there exist  $j \geq 1$  and  $a_0, \dots, a_{j-1}$  elements of  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^+$  such that we have

$$(3.1) \quad y - (a_0 + a_1 \cdot (Q_k/\pi) + \dots + a_{j-1} \cdot (Q_k/\pi)^{j-1}) \in \pi \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r,s]}.$$

We have  $a_0 \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^+$ ,  $y_0 \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}$  so that both belong to  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}$ . By assumption, we have  $\theta \circ \varphi_q^{-k}(y_0 - a_0) \in \pi\mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}_p}$  so that by proposition 3.2 there exists  $c_0, d_0 \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}$  such that  $a_0 = y_0 + (Q_k/[\tilde{\pi}]^{q^k})c_0 + \pi d_0$ . This implies that the identity (3.1) holds if we replace  $a_0$  by  $y_0$ .

We now assume that  $f \leq j-1$  is such that the identity (3.1) holds if we replace each  $a_i$  by  $y_i$ , for  $i \leq f-1$ . The element

$$\sum_{i=0}^{j-1} a_i \cdot (Q_k/\pi)^i - \sum_{i=0}^{j-1} y_i \cdot (Q_k/\pi)^i$$

belongs to  $\pi\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r,r]} + (Q_k/\pi)^j\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r,r]}$ . By assumption, the element

$$\sum_{i=f}^{j-1-f} a_i \cdot (Q_k/\pi)^i - \sum_{i=f}^{j-1-f} y_i \cdot (Q_k/\pi)^i$$

belongs to  $\pi\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r,r]} + (Q_k/\pi)^{j-f}\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r,r]}$  since  $\pi\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r,r]} \cap (Q_k/\pi)^f\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r,r]} = \pi(Q_k/\pi)^f\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r,r]}$  by applying enough times item (2) of lemma 3.2 of *ibid.* Now  $a_f \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^+$ ,  $y_f \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}$  so that both belong to  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}$ , and we have that  $\theta \circ \varphi_q^{-k}(y_f - a_f) \in \pi\mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}_p}$  so that by proposition 3.2 there exists  $c_f, d_f \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}$  such that  $a_f = y_f + (Q_k/[\tilde{\pi}]^{q^k})c_f + \pi d_f$ , so that the identity (3.1) also holds by replacing  $a_f$  with  $y_f$ .

By induction, this shows that  $y - \sum_{i=0}^{j-1} y_i \cdot (Q_k/\pi)^i$  belongs to  $\pi\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r,r]}$ .  $\square$

**3.2. Locally analytic vectors in those rings and a conjecture of Kedlaya.** — We now explain the relations between the classical point of view of locally analytic vectors in Banach representations of  $p$ -adic Lie groups and the new point of view of locally analytic vectors in mixed characteristic, in the context of the ring  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\dagger$ .

In the rest of this subsection, we let  $K_\infty/K$  be an infinitely ramified  $p$ -adic Lie extension, with Galois group  $\Gamma_K$ , a  $p$ -adic Lie group of rank  $d$ . We also choose coordinates  $\mathbf{c}$  along with a nice fundamental system  $(\Gamma_n)_{n \geq 1}$  of open neighborhoods of the identity of  $\Gamma_K$  as in §2. If  $R$  is a ring endowed with an action of  $\mathcal{G}_K$  we write  $R_K$  for  $R^{H_K}$ .

Note that if  $\rho' \leq \rho$ , then  $v_{\rho'} \geq v_\rho$  by definition. Therefore, if  $x \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0,\rho]}$  is such that it is  $\lambda, \mu$ -analytic for  $\Gamma_m$ , then it is also  $\lambda, \mu$ -analytic for  $\Gamma_m$  as an element of  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0,\rho']}$  for all  $\rho' \leq \rho$ . It therefore makes sense to define  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_m-\text{an}, \lambda, \mu} = \varinjlim_{\rho > 0} (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0,\rho]})^{\Gamma_m-\text{an}, \lambda, \mu}$ , and we

also define  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_m-\text{an}, \lambda}$  and  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K-\text{la}}$  in the same way.

**Lemma 3.5.** — *We have  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0,\rho]})^{\Gamma_K-\text{an}, \lambda}$  if and only if  $\varphi_q(x) \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0,q^{-1}\rho]})^{\Gamma_K-\text{an}, h+\lambda}$ .*

*Proof.* — This just follows from the fact that  $v_{q^{-1}\rho}(\varphi_q(x)) = qv_\rho(x)$  (which is item (v) of [Col08, Prop. 5.4]).  $\square$

**Lemma 3.6.** — *Let  $x \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0,\rho]}$ . Then  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0,\rho]})^{\Gamma_K-\text{la}}$  if and only if  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^{[r,r]})^{\Gamma_K-\text{la}}$ , where  $r = r_0/\rho$ .*

*Proof.* — Let  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0,\rho]})^{\Gamma_K-\text{la}}$ . By definition, there exists  $\lambda \in \mathbf{R}$  such that  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0,\rho]})^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}}$ . The fact that for  $r = r_0/\rho$  we have an inclusion  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0,\rho]} \subset \tilde{\mathbf{B}}^{[r,r]}$  shows

that  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^{[r,r]})^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}}$  for  $v_\rho$ . Since  $v_\rho = \frac{r}{r_0}V(\cdot, r)$ , this means that  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^{[r,r]})^{\Gamma_{m-\text{an}}, \lambda'}$ , where  $\lambda' = \lambda - \alpha$  with  $\alpha$  such that  $p^\alpha = \frac{r}{r_0}$ , and is thus locally analytic as an element of  $(\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^{[r,r]})$  by corollary 2.3.

For the converse, the reasoning is the same: by corollary 2.3, if  $x \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0,\rho]}$  belongs to  $(\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^{[r,r]})^{\Gamma_K-\text{la}}$  then there exist  $\lambda \in \mathbf{R}$  such that  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^{[r,r]})^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}}$ . The relation  $v_\rho = \frac{r}{r_0}V(\cdot, r)$  implies that  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0,\rho]})^{\Gamma_{m-\text{an}}, \lambda'}$  where  $\lambda' = \lambda + \alpha$  and so we are done.  $\square$

**Proposition 3.7.** — *Let  $x \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger$ . Then  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K-\text{la}}$  if and only if  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_{\text{rig},K}^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K-\text{pa}}$ .*

*Proof.* — Let  $\rho > 0$ ,  $m \geq 0$ , and  $\lambda, \mu \in \mathbf{R}$  be such that  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0,\rho]})^{\Gamma_{m-\text{an}}, \lambda, \mu}$ . Let  $r = r_0/\rho$ . By the remark above, if  $s \geq r$  and  $\rho' = r_0/s$ , then  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0,\rho']})^{\Gamma_{m-\text{an}}, \lambda, \mu}$ , so that by lemma 3.6, there exist  $m' \geq m$ ,  $\lambda', \mu' \in \mathbf{R}$  such that  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^{[s,s]})^{\Gamma_{m'-\text{an}}, \lambda', \mu'}$ . Using the maximum principle (see corollary 2.20 of [Ber02]), this implies that  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^{[r,s]})^{\Gamma_{m'-\text{an}}, \lambda'', \mu''}$  for  $\lambda'' = \max(\lambda, \lambda')$  and  $\mu'' = \max(\mu, \mu')$ . Therefore,  $x$  belongs to  $(\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^{[r,s]})^{\Gamma_K-\text{la}}$  by corollary 2.3. Since this is true for every  $s \geq r$ , we deduce that  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_{\text{rig},K}^{\dagger,r})^{\Gamma_K-\text{pa}}$ .

For the converse, assume that  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_{\text{rig},K}^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K-\text{pa}}$ . Then  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^{[r,r]})^{\Gamma_K-\text{la}}$  for any  $r > 0$  such that  $x \in \tilde{\mathbf{B}}^{\dagger,r}$ . Therefore,  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0,\rho]})^{\Gamma_K-\text{la}}$  for  $\rho = r_0/r$  by lemma 3.6 and thus  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K-\text{la}}$ .  $\square$

**Corollary 3.8.** — *We have  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K-\text{la}} = \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\dagger \cap (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_{\text{rig},K}^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K-\text{pa}}$ .*

**Remark 3.9.** — Note that since the valuations on  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0,\rho]}$  and  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^{[r,r]}$  are not normalized in the same way, we do not have that  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K-\text{la}} = \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\dagger \cap (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_{\text{rig},K}^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K-\text{la}}$ . Actually, one can show that in the cyclotomic case, the ring  $(\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_{\text{rig},K}^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K-\text{la}}$  is quite small (see §7 of [Poy22b]) and does not contain  $u = [\varepsilon] - 1$ , which clearly belongs to  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K-\text{la}}$ .

We now recall the conjecture of Kedlaya [Ked13, Conjecture 12.13].

**Conjecture 3.10 (Kedlaya).** — *Let  $T$  be a finite free  $\mathbf{Z}_p$ -module equipped with a continuous action of  $\mathcal{G}_K$ . For  $r > 0$ , let  $\tilde{\mathbf{D}}_K^{\dagger,r}(T) = (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r} \otimes_{\mathbf{Z}_p} T)^{H_K}$  and let  $\tilde{\mathbf{D}}_K^{\dagger,r}(T)^{\Gamma_K-\text{la}}$  denote the set of locally analytic elements of  $\tilde{\mathbf{D}}_K^{\dagger,r}(T)$  for the action of  $\Gamma_K$  as defined in §2, which is a module over  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{\dagger,r})^{\Gamma_K-\text{la}}$ . Then for any  $r > 0$ , the natural map*

$$\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{\dagger,r} \otimes_{(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{\dagger,r})^{\Gamma_K-\text{la}}} \tilde{\mathbf{D}}_K^{\dagger,r}(T)^{\Gamma_K-\text{la}} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathbf{D}}_K^{\dagger,r}(T)$$

*is an isomorphism.*

Note that the natural map  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r} \otimes_{\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{\dagger,r}} \tilde{\mathbf{D}}_K^{\dagger,r}(T) \rightarrow \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r} \otimes_{\mathbf{Z}_p} T$  is an isomorphism thanks to for example §8 of [KL15]. We quickly remark that thanks to lemma 3.6 it is easy to check that the definitions of locally analytic elements in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}$  used in [Ked13] coincide with ours.

#### 4. Overconvergent lifts of the field of norms

Let  $K_\infty$  be an infinite totally ramified Galois extension of  $K$  whose Galois group is a  $p$ -adic Lie group. The main theorem of [Sen72] shows that  $K_\infty/K$  is “strictly arithmetically profinite” (or strictly APF) in the terminology of [Win83] and we can thus apply the field of norms construction of *ibid.* to  $K_\infty/K$ . We let  $X_K(K_\infty)$  be the field of norms attached to the extension  $K_\infty/K$ , which is a local field of characteristic  $p$  with residue field  $k_K$  by theorem 2.1.3 of *ibid.* In particular there exists a uniformizer  $u$  of  $X_K(K_\infty)$  such that  $X_K(K_\infty) = k_K((u))$ . Moreover, this field comes equipped with an action of  $\Gamma_K$  and of the absolute Frobenius  $\varphi : x \mapsto x^p$ .

If we let  $\mathcal{E}_{K_\infty}$  denote the set of finite subextensions  $K \subset E \subset K_\infty$ , then by definition, elements of  $X_K(K_\infty)$  are norm-compatible sequences  $(x_E)_{E \in \mathcal{E}(K_\infty)}$  such that  $x_E \in E$  for all  $E \in \mathcal{E}(K_\infty)$ , and  $N_{F/E}(x_F) = x_E$  whenever  $E, F \in \mathcal{E}(K_\infty)$ ,  $E \subset F$ .

Since  $K_\infty/K$  is strictly APF, there exists by [Win83, 4.2.2.1] a constant  $c = c(K_\infty/K) > 0$  such that for all  $F \subset F'$  finite subextensions of  $K_\infty/K$ , and for all  $x \in \mathcal{O}_{F'}$ , we have

$$v_K\left(\frac{N_{F'/F}(x)}{x^{[F':F]}} - 1\right) \geq c.$$

We can always assume that  $c \leq v_K(p)/(p-1)$  and we do so in what follows. By §2.1 and §4.2 of [Win83], there is a canonical  $\mathcal{G}_K$ -equivariant embedding  $\iota_K : A_K(K_\infty) \hookrightarrow \tilde{\mathbf{E}}^+$ , where  $A_K(K_\infty)$  is the ring of integers of  $X_K(K_\infty)$ . We can extend this embedding into a  $\mathcal{G}_K$ -equivariant embedding  $X_K(K_\infty) \hookrightarrow \tilde{\mathbf{E}}$  where  $\tilde{\mathbf{E}}$  is the fraction field of  $\tilde{\mathbf{E}}^+$ , and we note  $\mathbf{E}_K$  its image. We also let  $\mathbf{E}_K^+$  denote the ring of valuation of  $\tilde{\mathbf{E}}_K$ . We can actually give an explicit description of this embedding.

**Proposition 4.1.** — *Let  $0 < c \leq c(K_\infty/K)$ .*

1. *the map  $\iota_K : A_K(K_\infty) \rightarrow \varprojlim_{x \mapsto x^q} \mathcal{O}_{K_\infty}/\mathfrak{a}_{K_\infty}^c = \tilde{\mathbf{E}}_K^+$  is injective and isometric;*
2. *the image of  $\iota_K$  is  $\varprojlim_{x \mapsto x^q} \mathcal{O}_{K_n}/\mathfrak{a}_{K_n}^c$ .*

*Proof.* — This is proven in §4.2 of [Win83]. □

Let  $E$  be a finite extension of  $\mathbf{Q}_p$ , with residue field  $k_E = k_K$ . Let  $\varpi_E$  be a uniformizer of  $E$ , and let  $\mathbf{A}_K$  denote the  $\varpi_E$ -adic completion of  $\mathcal{O}_E[[T]][1/T]$  (the notation  $\mathbf{A}_K$  is used here for compatibility with the action of  $\mathcal{G}_K$  but be mindful that this is actually dependent on  $E$  even if it does not appear in the notation). The ring  $\mathbf{A}_K$  is a  $\varpi_E$ -Cohen ring of  $X_K(K_\infty) = k_K((\pi_K))$ , and following the definition of [Ber14], we say that the action of  $\Gamma_K$  is liftable if there exists such a field  $E$  and power series  $\{F_g(T)\}_{g \in \Gamma_K}$  and  $P(T)$  in  $\mathbf{A}_K$  such that:

1.  $\overline{F}_g(\pi_K) = g(\pi_K)$  and  $\overline{P}(\pi_K) = \pi_K^q$ ;
2.  $F_g \circ P = P \circ F_g$  and  $F_g \circ F_h = F_{hg}$  for all  $g, h \in \Gamma_K$ ;

where the notations  $\overline{F}_g$  and  $\overline{P}$  stand for the reduction of the power series mod  $\varpi_E$ .

When the action of  $\Gamma_K$  is liftable we get a  $(\varphi, \Gamma)$ -module theory as in Fontaine’s classical cyclotomic theory [Fon90] in order to study  $\mathcal{O}_E$ -representations of  $\mathcal{G}_K$ , replacing the cyclotomic extension in the theory of Fontaine by the extension  $K_\infty/K$ . In particular, if the action of  $\Gamma_K$  is liftable, then there is an equivalence of categories between étale  $(\varphi_q, \Gamma_K)$ -modules on  $\mathbf{A}_K$  and  $\mathcal{O}_E$ -linear representations of  $\mathcal{G}_K$  (see [Ber14, Thm. 2.1]).

**Proposition 4.2.** — *There is a  $\mathcal{G}_K$ -equivariant embedding  $\mathbf{A}_K \hookrightarrow \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K$  and compatible with  $\varphi_q$  that lifts the embedding  $\iota_K : X_K(K_\infty) \hookrightarrow \tilde{\mathbf{E}}_K = \widehat{\mathbf{E}}^{\text{Gal}(\overline{\mathbf{Q}}_p/K_\infty)}$ .*

*Proof.* — See [Fon90, A.1.3] or [Ber14, §3].  $\square$

Let  $\mathcal{A}_K^{\dagger,r}$  denote the set of Laurent series  $\sum_{k \in \mathbf{Z}} a_k T^k$  with coefficients in  $\mathcal{O}_K$  such that  $v_p(a_k) + kr/e \geq 0$  for all  $k \in \mathbf{Z}$  and such that  $v_p(a_k) + kr/e \rightarrow +\infty$  when  $k \rightarrow -\infty$ . We say that a lift of the field of norms is overconvergent if the power series  $P(T)$  giving the lift of the Frobenius belongs to  $\mathcal{A}_K^{\dagger,s}$  for some  $r > 0$ .

We now assume that there is an overconvergent lift of the field of norms. Let  $u \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K$  be the image of  $T$  by the embedding given by proposition 4.2, so that  $\varphi_q(u) = P(u)$  and  $g(u) = F_g(u)$  for  $g \in \Gamma_K$ .

**Lemma 4.3.** — *If  $P(T) \in \mathcal{A}_K^{\dagger,r}$  then  $u \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}$ .*

*Proof.* — We assume without any loss of generality that  $P(T) \in \mathcal{A}_K^{\dagger,r}$  with  $r \geq \frac{p-1}{p}$ .

We have  $u \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}$ , and we write  $u = (u - [\bar{u}]) + [\bar{u}]$ . Since  $\bar{u} \in \tilde{\mathbf{E}}^+$ , we have  $u \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^+ + \varpi_E \tilde{\mathbf{A}})$ . Let us write  $P(T) = P^+(T) + P^-(1/T)$ , with  $P^+(T) \in T^q + \mathbf{m}_E[[T]]$  and  $P^-(T) = \sum_{n>0} a_n T^n \in \mathbf{m}_E[[T]]$  with  $v_p(a_n) \geq ne/r$ . We thus have

$$P^+(u) \in (P^+([\bar{u}]) + \varpi_E^2 \tilde{\mathbf{A}}) \subset (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^+ + \varpi_E^2 \tilde{\mathbf{A}})$$

and

$$P^-\left(\frac{1}{u}\right) = P^-\left(\frac{1}{[\bar{u}]} \frac{1}{1 + \frac{u - [\bar{u}]}{[\bar{u}]}}\right) \in (P^-\left(\frac{1}{[\bar{u}]}\right) + \varpi_E^2 \tilde{\mathbf{A}})$$

since  $\frac{1}{1 + \frac{u - [\bar{u}]}{[\bar{u}]}} \in 1 + \varpi_E \tilde{\mathbf{A}}$ . Thus  $P(u) \in (P([\bar{u}]) + \varpi_E^2 \tilde{\mathbf{A}}) \subset (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r} + \varpi_E^2 \tilde{\mathbf{A}})$ .

Therefore,  $u = \varphi_q^{-1}(P(u)) \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r/q} + \varpi_E^2 \tilde{\mathbf{A}}) \subset (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r} + \varpi_E^2 \tilde{\mathbf{A}})$ . Now let us assume that  $u \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r} + \varpi_E^k \tilde{\mathbf{A}})$  for some  $k \geq 2$ . Let us write  $u = a + b$ , with  $a \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}$  and  $b \in \varpi_E^k \tilde{\mathbf{A}}$ . Since  $\bar{u} = \bar{a}$ , we have that  $\frac{a}{[\bar{a}]}$  belongs to and is a unit of  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r'}$  with  $r' = r + \frac{p-1}{p}$  by lemma 3.1. Writing  $a = \frac{a}{[\bar{a}]} [\bar{a}]$  shows that  $b/a \in \varpi_E^k \tilde{\mathbf{A}}$  and thus

$$\frac{1}{u} = \frac{1}{a} \left( \frac{1}{1 + \frac{b}{a}} \right) \in \left( \frac{[\bar{a}]}{a} \frac{1}{[\bar{a}]} + \varpi_E^k \tilde{\mathbf{A}} \right).$$

Therefore, we have

$$P(u) \in P\left(\frac{[\bar{a}]}{a} \frac{1}{[\bar{a}]}\right) + \varpi_E^{k+1} \tilde{\mathbf{A}} \subset \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r'} + \varpi_E^{k+1} \tilde{\mathbf{A}}$$

and thus  $u = \varphi_q^{-1}(P(u)) \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r'/q} + \varpi_E^{k+1} \tilde{\mathbf{A}}) \subset (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r} + \varpi_E^{k+1} \tilde{\mathbf{A}})$ . We can now conclude by using the fact that for any  $r > 0$ , we have  $\bigcap_{k \geq 0} (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r} + \varpi_E^k \tilde{\mathbf{A}}) = \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}$  (which follows from the definition of  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}$ ).  $\square$

**Remark 4.4.** — If one looks closely at the proof of lemma 4.3, one could improve the radius of surconvergence of  $u$ , but we don't need this level of precision here.

By [Ber14, Rem. 4.3], we have the following:

**Proposition 4.5.** — For all  $g \in \Gamma_K$ ,  $F_g(T) \in T \cdot (\mathcal{A}_K^{\dagger,r})^\times$ .

**Proposition 4.6.** — We have  $u \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K - \text{la}}$ .

*Proof.* — Recall that  $\mathcal{A}_K^{\dagger,r}$  is endowed with a valuation  $v_r$  given by  $V_r(f(T)) = \inf_{k \in \mathbf{Z}} (v_p(a_k) + kr/e)$  if  $f(T) = \sum_{k \in \mathbf{Z}} a_k T^k$ . Since the Galois action on  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{\dagger,r}$  is continuous, there exists  $n \gg 0$  such that for all  $g \in \Gamma_n$ ,  $V_r(g(u) - u, r) > \frac{1}{p-1}$ . Up to increasing  $r$  if needed, we can assume that  $V_r(F_g(T) - T) > \frac{1}{p-1}$  for all  $g \in \Gamma_n$ .

For  $g \in \Gamma_n$ , let  $\Delta_g : \mathcal{A}_K^{\dagger,r} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}_K^{\dagger,r}$  be the map defined by  $h(T) \mapsto h(F_g(T)) - h(T)$ . We claim that the target of this map is indeed contained in  $\mathcal{A}_K^{\dagger,r}$  (i.e. that  $\Delta_g(\mathcal{A}_K^{\dagger,r}) \subset \mathcal{A}_K^{\dagger,r}$ ) and that it satisfies  $\|\Delta_g(h)\|_r \leq |p|^c \cdot \|h\|_r$  for any  $c < \frac{1}{p-1}$ . In order to prove this claim, we write  $h = h^+ + h^-$ , where  $h(T) = \sum_{n \in \mathbf{Z}} a_n T^n$ ,  $h^+(T) = \sum_{n \geq 0} a_n T^n$  and  $h^-(T) = \sum_{n < 0} a_n T^n$ , which we rewrite as  $h^-(T) = \sum_{n > 0} b_n T^{-n}$ . Then

$$h^+(F_g(T)) - h^+(T) = \sum_{n \geq 0} a_n ((F_g(T))^n - T^n) = \sum_{n > 0} a_n (F_g(T) - T) \left( \sum_{k=0}^n F_g(T)^k T^{n-k} \right)$$

and since  $\|F_g(T)\|_r = \|T\|_r$  by proposition 4.5, this means that

$$|\Delta_g(h^+(T))|_r \leq \sum_{n > 0} |a_n|_p \|\Delta_g(T)\|_r \|h^+\|_r.$$

We do the same for  $h^-$ : we have  $h^-(F_g(T)) - h^-(T) = \sum_{n \geq 1} b_n (\frac{1}{F_g(T)^n} - \frac{1}{T^n})$ . We write  $B(T) = \frac{T}{F_g(T)} \in (\mathcal{A}_K^{\dagger,r})^\times$ . Thus

$$\frac{1}{F_g(T)^n} - \frac{1}{T^n} = \frac{T^n - F_g(T)^n}{(TF_g(T))^n} = \frac{T^n - F_g(T)^n}{T^{2n}} B(T)^n.$$

and hence

$$\frac{1}{F_g(T)^n} - \frac{1}{T^n} = (T - F_g(T)) \sum_{k=0}^n \left( \frac{F_g(T)}{T} \right)^k \frac{B(T)^n}{T^n}.$$

Since  $\frac{F_g(T)}{T}$  is a unit of  $\mathcal{A}_K^{\dagger,r}$  (and so is  $B(T)$ ), we obtain that

$$\|(T - F_g(T)) \sum_{k=0}^n \left( \frac{F_g(T)}{T} \right)^k \frac{B(T)^n}{T^n}\|_r = \|T - F_g(T)\|_r \|T^{-n}\|_r$$

so that

$$\|\Delta_g(h^-(T))\|_r \leq \|T - F_g(T)\|_r \sum_{n > 0} |b_n|_p \|T^{-n}\|_r = \|T - F_g(T)\|_r \|h^-(T)\|_r.$$

Therefore,  $\|\Delta_g(h(T))\|_r \leq \|T - F_g(T)\|_r \|h(T)\|_r$ , which gives us exactly the result claimed.

To conclude, let  $B := \{f(u), f(T) \in \mathcal{A}_K^{\dagger,r}[1/p]\} \subset \tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^{\dagger,r}$ . Then the completion of  $B$  for  $V(\cdot, r)$  is a  $\mathbf{Q}_p$ -Banach space (contained in  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^{[r,r]}$ ) which is  $\Gamma_n$ -stable, and over which we showed that the  $\Gamma_n$ -action satisfies  $\|\gamma - 1\| < p^{-\frac{1}{p-1}}$  for any  $\gamma \in \Gamma_n$ , so that the  $\Gamma_K$ -action on this Banach space is locally analytic by [BSX15, Lemm. 2.14]. Thus  $u \in (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^{[r,r]})^{\Gamma_K - \text{la}}$ , which finishes the proof thanks to lemma 3.6.  $\square$

### 5. Structure of locally analytic vectors in $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\dagger$ for $\mathbf{Z}_p$ -extensions

In this section, we assume that  $K_\infty/K$  is a totally ramified  $\mathbf{Z}_p$ -extension, with Galois group  $\Gamma_K \simeq \mathbf{Z}_p$ . The goal of this section is to prove that if there are nontrivial locally analytic vectors in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger$ , that is if  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K - \text{la}} \neq \mathcal{O}_K$ , then everything behaves just as if  $K_\infty/K$  was the cyclotomic extension.

Let  $K_\infty/K$  be a totally ramified  $\mathbf{Z}_p$ -extension, with Galois group  $\Gamma_K \simeq \mathbf{Z}_p$ . We assume furthermore that  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\text{la}} \neq \mathcal{O}_K$ , which means that it contains a nontrivial locally analytic vector. For  $n \geq 1$  we let  $K_n/K$  be the subextension of  $K_\infty/K$  such that  $\text{Gal}(K_n/K) = \mathbf{Z}/p^n\mathbf{Z}$  and we let  $\Gamma_n = \text{Gal}(K_\infty/K_n) \subset \Gamma_K$ . We also let  $H_K = \text{Gal}(\bar{K}/K_\infty)$ . Note that, up to extending the field  $K$ , we can always assume without loss of generality that  $K/\mathbf{Q}_p$  is Galois, and we do so in what follows.

We let  $s : \tilde{\mathbf{A}} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathbf{A}}/\pi\tilde{\mathbf{A}} \simeq \tilde{\mathbf{E}}$  denote the projection map given by the reduction modulo  $\pi$ . Note that it induces by restriction projections that we will still denote by  $s : \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K \rightarrow \tilde{\mathbf{E}}_K$ ,  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger \rightarrow \tilde{\mathbf{E}}_K$  and  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger \rightarrow \tilde{\mathbf{E}}_K$  and whose kernel is still generated by  $\pi$ .

**Proposition 5.1.** — *We have  $(\tilde{\mathbf{E}}_K)^{\Gamma_K, 0-\text{an}} \subset \mathbf{E}_K$ , and we have  $(\tilde{\mathbf{E}}_K)^{\Gamma_K - \text{la}} = \bigcup_{n \geq 0} \varphi_q^{-n}(\mathbf{E}_K)$ .*

*Proof.* — This is theorem 2.2.3 of [BR22b].  $\square$

In what follows, we choose the smallest integer  $\lambda$  such that  $(\tilde{\mathbf{E}}_K)^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}} \subset \mathbf{E}_K$ . In particular,  $\lambda \leq 0$ .

**Corollary 5.2.** — *We have  $s((\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}}) \subset \mathbf{E}_K$  and  $s((\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K - \text{la}}) \subset \varphi_q^{-\infty}(\mathbf{E}_K)$ .*

*Proof.* — Let  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}}$ . Then  $s(x) \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger/\pi\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger \simeq \tilde{\mathbf{E}}_K$  is  $\lambda$ -analytic (for  $\Gamma_K$ ) for the valuation induced on  $\tilde{\mathbf{E}}_K$  by the one on  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger$ . Proposition 5.1 shows that  $s(x) \in \mathbf{E}_K$ , so this proves the first part of the corollary. The second part comes from the fact that  $x \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{(0, \rho]}$  is  $\kappa$ -analytic (for  $\Gamma_K$ ) if and only if  $\varphi_q^\ell(x)$  is  $(\kappa - f\ell)$ -analytic (for  $\Gamma_K$ ) by lemma 3.5.  $\square$

**Lemma 5.3.** — *There exists  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}}$  whose image by  $s$  belongs to  $\mathbf{E}_K^+ \setminus k_K$ .*

*Proof.* — Since we assumed that  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\text{la}}$  is non trivial, there exists  $m \geq 0$ ,  $\kappa \geq 0$  and  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_m, \kappa-\text{an}}$  whose image by  $s$  is an element of  $\varphi_q^{-k}(\mathbf{E}_K) \setminus k_K$  for some  $k \geq 0$ . Indeed, up to subtracting an element of  $\mathcal{O}_K$  and dividing by  $\pi$  and repeating this process enough times to any nontrivial element of  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\text{la}}$  will yield a locally analytic element of  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\text{la}}$  whose image is not in  $k_K$ .

We now use proposition 3.3.5 of [Gul19]: for  $\kappa \ll 0$ , we have  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_m, \kappa-\text{an}} = (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K, (\kappa-m)-\text{an}}$ . Therefore, up to decreasing  $\kappa$ , we can always assume that our element belongs to  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K, \kappa-\text{an}}$ . By applying  $\varphi_q^\ell$  to this element for  $\ell \gg 0$ , we find using lemma 3.5 that there exists  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\lambda-\text{an}}$  whose image by  $s$  is an element of  $\mathbf{E}_K \setminus k_K$ .

We can assume up to replacing  $x$  by its inverse that  $s(x)$  belongs to  $\mathbf{E}_K^+$ : since  $s(x) \neq 0$ , the inverse of  $x$  belongs to  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\dagger$  and not just  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^\dagger$ , and its inverse is locally analytic by lemma 2.5 of [BC16] and lemma 3.6.  $\square$



**Definition 5.4.** — We let  $\alpha := \min\{v_{\mathbf{E}}(s(x)), v_{\mathbf{E}}(s(x)) > 0, x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}}\}$ .

Note that the set of elements  $x$  in  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}}$  such that the valuation of  $s(x)$  is nonzero is nonempty by lemma 5.3, and that the set of  $s(x)$  such that  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}}$  is included in  $\mathbf{E}_K^+$  by corollary 5.2. Since the valuation on  $\mathbf{E}_K^+$  is discrete, this means that  $\alpha$  is well defined, and that the minimum is reached for some element in  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}}$  which will be denoted by  $v$ .

Since  $\alpha = v_{\mathbf{E}}(s(v)) > 0$ , the sequence  $(v^n)_{n \geq 0}$  goes to 0 in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K$  for the  $(\pi, [s(v)])$ -adic topology (for which  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}$  and  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K$  are complete), and thus  $\mathcal{O}_K((v))$  is naturally a subring of  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K$ . We let  $\mathbf{A}_K$  denote the  $\pi$ -adic completion of  $\mathcal{O}_K((v))$  in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K$  (we recall that  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K$  is  $\pi$ -adically complete).

In the definition 5.4 above, we can thanks to lemma 3.1 assume that our choice of  $v$  satisfies the additional assumption that there exists  $n \geq 0$  such that  $v \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_n}$  and such that  $\frac{v}{[s(v)]}$  belongs to  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_n}$  and is a unit of this ring. In order to avoid additional notations we write  $r$  for  $r_n$  in the rest of this section.

**Lemma 5.5.** — We have  $s((\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}}) \subset k_K((s(v)))$ .

*Proof.* — Let  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}}$ . By corollary 5.2, we know that  $s(x) \in \mathbf{E}_K$ . Let  $k = v_{\mathbf{E}}(s(x))$ , and let  $k = q_0\alpha + r$  be the euclidean division of  $k$  by  $\alpha$ . We have  $v^{-q_0}x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}}$  by lemma 2.4, and  $0 \leq v_{\mathbf{E}}(s(v^{-q_0}x)) = r < \alpha$ , so that  $r = 0$  by definition of  $\alpha$ . There exists therefore  $c_0 \in k_K$  such that  $z := [c_0]v^{q_0}$  satisfies  $v_{\mathbf{E}}(s(x) - s(z)) > v_{\mathbf{E}}(s(x))$ . Now  $x - z \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}}$  and thus we can apply the same reasoning to  $x - z$  instead of  $x$ . This yields  $c_1 \in k_K$  and  $q_1 > q_0$  such that  $z_1 := x - [c_0]v^{q_0} + [c_1]v^{q_1}$  is such that  $v_{\mathbf{E}}(s(z_1)) > v_{\mathbf{E}}(s(x - z))$ . Applying the same process inductively gives us  $(q_i)_{i \geq 0} \in \mathbf{Z}^{\mathbf{N}}$  an increasing sequence and  $(c_i)_{i \geq 0} \in k_K^{\mathbf{N}}$  such that  $s(x) = \sum_{i=0}^{+\infty} c_i s(v)^{q_i}$  and thus  $s(x) \in k_K((s(v)))$ .  $\square$

**Lemma 5.6.** — We have  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}} \subset \mathbf{A}_K$ .

*Proof.* — Let  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}}$ . By lemma 5.5, we know that  $s(x) \in k_K((s(v)))$ . Therefore, there exists  $P_0(T) \in \mathcal{O}_K((T))$  such that  $x - P_0(v) \in \pi \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger$ . Moreover, since  $x, v \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}}$ , this implies that  $x - P_0(v) \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}} \cap \pi \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger = \pi (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}}$ . Let  $z = \frac{x - P_0(v)}{\pi} \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}}$ . Then applying the same process for  $z$  instead of  $x$  yields  $P_1(T) \in \mathcal{O}_K((T))$  such that  $x - P_0(v) - \pi \cdot P_1(v) \in \pi^2 \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger$ . Inductively, we find a sequence  $(P_i(T))_{i \geq 0}$  of elements of  $\mathcal{O}_K((T))$  such that  $x = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \pi^i \cdot P_i(v)$ , and this series converges in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K$  since it is  $\pi$ -adically complete, to an element of  $\mathbf{A}_K$  by definition of  $\mathbf{A}_K$ .  $\square$

**Lemma 5.7.** — We have  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K-\text{la}} \subset \varphi_q^{-\infty}(\mathbf{A}_K)$ .

*Proof.* — Let  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K-\text{la}}$ . Therefore there exists  $m \geq 0$  and  $\mu \in \mathbf{R}$  such that  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_m, \mu-\text{an}}$ . Note that by lemma 1.10 of [BR22a], this is equivalent to the existence of  $\mu' \in \mathbf{R}$  such that  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K, \mu'-\text{an}}$ . If  $k$  is an integer such that  $kh + \mu' \geq \lambda$ , then  $\varphi_q^k(x) \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K, (\mu' + kf) - \text{an}} \subset (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}}$  so that  $\varphi_q^k(x) \in \mathbf{A}_K$  by lemma 5.6, and thus  $x \in \varphi_q^{-k}(\mathbf{A}_K)$ .  $\square$

Recall that  $\mathcal{A}_K^{\dagger,s}$  denotes the set of Laurent series  $\sum_{k \in \mathbf{Z}} a_k T^k$  with coefficients in  $\mathcal{O}_K$  such that  $v_p(a_k) + ks/e \geq 0$  for all  $k \in \mathbf{Z}$  and such that  $v_p(a_k) + ks/e \rightarrow +\infty$  when  $k \rightarrow -\infty$ .

Recall also that there exists some  $r > 0$  such that  $v \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}$  and such that  $\frac{v}{[s(v)]}$  is a unit in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}$ . For  $s \geq r$ , we let  $\mathbf{A}_K^{\dagger,s}$  denote the set of  $P(v) \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}$  such that  $P \in \mathcal{A}_K^{\dagger,s}$ . We also let  $\mathbf{A}_K^\dagger = \cup_{s \geq r} (\mathbf{A}_K^{\dagger,s} [1/v])$ .

**Proposition 5.8.** — *For  $s \geq r$ , we have  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{\dagger,s})^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}} = \mathbf{A}_K^{\dagger,s}$ .*

*Proof.* — By lemma 3.1 and the choice of  $r$  we made,  $v$  belongs to  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}$  and is such that  $\frac{v}{[s(v)]}$  is a unit in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger,r}$ .

Now the proof of item (i) of [Col08, Prop. 7.5] carries over and shows that  $\mathbf{A}_K \cap \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{\dagger,r} = \mathbf{A}_K^{\dagger,r}$  for  $r \geq s$ . To finish the proof, it suffices to notice that if  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{\dagger,r})^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}}$ , then  $x \in \mathbf{A}_K$  by lemma 5.6, and  $x$  belongs to  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{\dagger,r}$ .  $\square$

**Corollary 5.9.** — *There exists  $P(T)$  in  $\mathcal{A}_K^{\dagger,pr}$  such that  $\varphi(v) = P(v)$ , there exists  $Q(T)$  in  $\mathcal{A}_K^{\dagger,qr}$  such that  $\varphi_q(v) = Q(v)$  and for each  $g \in \Gamma_K$ , there exists a series  $F_g(T)$  in  $\mathcal{A}_K^{\dagger,r}$  such that  $g(v) = F_g(v)$ .*

**Corollary 5.10.** — *We have  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K - \text{la}} = \varphi_q^{-\infty}(\mathbf{A}_K^\dagger)$ .*

**Proposition 5.11.** — *There exist  $k \geq 0$  and  $w \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K - \text{la}}$  such that  $\varphi^{-k}(s(w))$  is a uniformizer of  $\mathbf{E}_K$ .*

*Proof.* — Let  $u$  be a uniformizer of  $\mathbf{E}_K$ , and let us write  $\bar{v}$  for  $s(v)$ . Note that  $k_K((u))/k_K((\bar{v}))$  is a finite extension of local fields of characteristic  $p$ . It can thus be decomposed as a purely inseparable extension of a separable extension of  $k_K((\bar{v}))$ , so that there exists  $k \geq 0$  and a separable monic polynomial  $P$  with coefficients in  $k_K((\bar{v}))$  such that  $\varphi^k(u)$  is a root of  $P$ . Now let  $y := \varphi^k(u)$  and let  $\tilde{P}(T) \in \mathcal{O}_K((v))[T] \subset \tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^\dagger$  be a lift of  $P$  which is monic. Since  $\mathbf{B}_K^\dagger := \mathbf{A}_K^\dagger[1/p]$  is a Henselian field (cf §2 of [Mat95]), and since  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^\dagger$  is absolutely unramified and has  $\tilde{\mathbf{E}}$  as a residue field which contains  $\mathbf{E}_K$ , there exists  $\tilde{y} \in \tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^\dagger$  lifting  $y$  such that  $\tilde{P}(\tilde{y}) = 0$  and by construction  $\tilde{y} \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger$  and  $\tilde{P}'(\tilde{y}) \neq 0$ .

Since  $\tilde{P}'(\tilde{y}) \neq 0$  and since  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^\dagger$  is a field, there exists  $r > 0$  such that  $\tilde{P}'(\tilde{y})$  is invertible in  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^{\dagger,r}$  and such that all the coefficients of  $\tilde{P}$  belong to  $\mathbf{B}_K^{\dagger,r} \subset \tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^{\dagger,r}$  (up to increasing  $r$  if needed for the last inclusion to make sense). Since the coefficients of  $\tilde{P}$  belong to  $\mathbf{B}_K^{\dagger,r}$ , they are locally analytic for the action of  $\Gamma_K$  as elements of  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^{[r,r]}$  by lemma 3.6. Thus there exists  $k \gg 0$  such that for  $g \in G_k$ , we have that the coefficients of  $gP$  are analytic functions of  $G_k$ . Moreover, we have the equality  $(g\tilde{P})(g(\tilde{y})) = 0$  and  $\tilde{P}'(\tilde{y})$  is invertible in  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^{[r,r]}$  so that  $\tilde{y} \in (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^{[r,r]})^{\Gamma_K - \text{la}}$  by the implicit function theorem for analytic functions (which follows from the inverse function theorem given on page 73 of [Ser92]). Using once again lemma 3.6, this shows that  $\tilde{y} \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K - \text{la}}$  and thus  $w = \tilde{y}$  satisfies the claim.  $\square$

**Corollary 5.12.** — *In definition 5.4,  $s(v)$  is actually a uniformizer of  $\mathbf{E}_K$ .*

*Proof.* — Let  $w$  be as in proposition 5.11. Since we assumed at the beginning of the section that  $K/\mathbf{Q}_p$  is Galois, we can find  $\tau \in \text{Gal}(K/\mathbf{Q}_p)$  whose image in  $\text{Gal}(k_K/\mathbf{F}_p)$  is the absolute Frobenius  $\varphi$ . We let  $\iota_\tau : \tilde{\mathbf{A}} = \mathcal{O}_K \otimes_{\mathcal{O}_{K_0}} W(\tilde{\mathbf{E}}) \rightarrow \tilde{\mathbf{A}}$  be the map defined by  $(\tau \otimes \varphi)$ . Note that this map preserves locally analytic vectors, but that there is a shift in terms of “level of analyticity” coming from lemma 3.5.

We have  $\iota_\tau^{-k}(w) \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\text{la}}$  and thus by corollary 5.10  $\iota_\tau^{-k}(w) \in \varphi_q^{-\ell}(\mathbf{A}_K^\dagger)$  for some  $\ell \geq 0$ . Therefore there exists  $r > 0$  and  $R(T) \in \mathcal{A}^{\dagger,r}[1/T]$  such that  $\iota_\tau^{-k}(w) = \varphi_q^{-\ell}(R(v))$ .

We also know by proposition 5.11 that  $\iota_\tau^{-k}(w)$  lifts a uniformizer  $u$  of  $\mathbf{E}_K$ , so that if  $\bar{R} \in k_K((T))$  denotes the Laurent series obtained by reducing the coefficients of  $R$  modulo  $p$ , we have  $u = \varphi_q^{-\ell}(\bar{R}(s(v)))$ . Since  $s(v) \in \mathbf{E}_K^+$  and since  $u$  is a uniformizer of  $\mathbf{E}_K$ , there exists  $f(T) \in k_K[[T]]$  such that  $s(v) = f(u)$ . This means that we have the inclusions

$$k_K((\varphi_q^\ell(u))) \subset k_K((s(v))) \subset k_K((u))$$

and thus since the extension  $k_K((u))/k_K((\varphi^\ell(u)))$  is purely inseparable, so is  $k_K((u))/k_K((s(v)))$ . This means that there exists  $h \geq 0$  such that  $\varphi^{-h}(s(v))$  is a uniformizer of  $k_K((u))$ .

But now  $s(\iota_\tau^{-h}(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}}) \subset k_K((\varphi^{-h}(s(v)))) = \mathbf{E}_K$  by lemma 5.5, and thus  $\lambda' = \lambda - h$  satisfies proposition 5.1. However, this contradicts our choice of  $\lambda$ , so that  $h = 0$  and  $s(v)$  is a uniformizer of  $\mathbf{E}_K$ .  $\square$

**Remark 5.13.** — In particular, corollaries 5.9 and 5.12 show that the existence of a nontrivial locally analytic vector implies the existence of an overconvergent lift of the field of norms as defined in §4. Note that this only holds *a priori* for  $\mathbf{Z}_p$ -extensions, because super-Hölder vectors in this case recover exactly the perfectization of the corresponding field of norms. As pointed out in remark 2.2.4 of [BR22b], as soon as  $K_\infty/K$  is a  $p$ -adic Lie extension whose Galois group is of dimension (as a  $p$ -adic Lie group) at least 2, then the set of super-Hölder vectors of  $\tilde{\mathbf{E}}_K$  contains the field of norms  $X_K(L_\infty)$  of any  $p$ -adic Lie extension  $L_\infty/K$  contained in  $K_\infty$  and is thus no longer generated by a single element over  $k_K$ .

The following theorem summarizes most of the results of the section:

**Theorem 5.14.** — Let  $K_\infty/K$  be a totally ramified  $\mathbf{Z}_p$ -extension, and assume that  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K - \text{la}} \neq \mathcal{O}_K$ . Then there exists  $\lambda \in \mathbf{R}_{\leq 0}$  and  $r > 0$  such that for  $s \geq r$ ,  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{\dagger,r})^{\Gamma_K, \lambda-\text{an}} \simeq \mathcal{A}_K^{\dagger,r}$ . Moreover, we have  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K - \text{la}} = \varphi_q^{-\infty}(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\lambda-\text{an}}$ .

## 6. The kernel of $\theta$ when $K/\mathbf{Q}_p$ is unramified

In what follows, we assume that  $K/\mathbf{Q}_p$  is unramified. While we expect the conclusions of this section to hold without that assumption, the author does not have a proof of proposition 6.4 which does not rely on that assumption. We also still assume that  $K_\infty/K$  is a  $\mathbf{Z}_p$ -extension, so that it is abelian and by local class field theory, there exists a Lubin-Tate extension  $K_{\text{LT}}/K$  such that  $K_\infty \subset K_{\text{LT}}$ . We let  $\Gamma_{\text{LT}} = \text{Gal}(K_{\text{LT}}/K)$  and  $H_{\text{LT}} = \text{Gal}(\bar{\mathbf{Q}}_p/K_{\text{LT}})$  and we keep the notations from §1 and from the previous section.

In particular, there exists  $n \geq 0$  and  $v \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{\dagger,r_n}$  such that  $v$  lifts a uniformizer of the field of norms of  $K_\infty/K$  and is a locally analytic vector of  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{\dagger,r_n}$  for  $\Gamma_K$ . Since  $v \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{\dagger,r_n}$  and

since  $\theta : \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_0} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}_p}$  is well defined, we can consider  $v_m := \theta \circ \varphi^{-m}(v)$  for all  $m \geq n/h$ . By lemma 3.3 and proposition 4.1, we have  $v_K(\varphi_q^{-n}(v)) \rightarrow 0$  when  $m \rightarrow +\infty$ , so up to increasing  $n$  we can always assume that for all  $m \geq n$ ,  $v_{\mathbf{E}}(\theta \circ \varphi_q^{-m}(v)) < c$  where  $c = c(K_{\infty}/K)$  is as in §4, and we do so in what follows.

Recall that  $\mathcal{A}_K^{\dagger, s}$  is the set of Laurent series  $f(T) = \sum_{k \in \mathbf{Z}} a_k T^k$  with coefficients in  $\mathcal{O}_K$  such that  $v_p(a_k) + ks/e \geq 0$  for all  $k \in \mathbf{Z}$  and such that  $v_s(f) = v_p(a_k) + ks/e \rightarrow +\infty$  when  $k \rightarrow -\infty$  and that  $\mathbf{A}_K^{\dagger, s}$  is the set of  $P(v) \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}$  such that  $P \in \mathcal{A}_K^{\dagger, s}$  for  $s \geq r_n$ . We let  $\mathcal{R}_K^s$  denote the Fréchet completion of  $\mathcal{A}_K^{\dagger, s}[1/p]$  for the valuations  $v_{s'}$ ,  $s' \geq s$ .

**Proposition 6.1.** — *If  $s \geq r_n$ , then a power series  $R(T) = \sum_{n \in \mathbf{Z}} a_n T^n$ ,  $a_n \in K$  is such that  $R(v) \in \tilde{\mathbf{B}}_{\text{rig}, K}^{\dagger, s}$  if and only if  $R(T) \in \mathcal{R}_K^s$ .*

*Proof.* — This follows directly from the proof of proposition 5.8, using the same arguments as in proposition 7.5 and 7.6 of [Col08].  $\square$

Since  $v \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{\dagger, r_n})^{\Gamma_K, \lambda\text{-an}}$ , it is a pro-analytic element of  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_{\text{rig}, K}^{\dagger, r_n}$  for the action of  $\Gamma_K$  by proposition 3.7. The operator  $\nabla := \log g$ , for  $g \in \Gamma_K$  close enough to 1 is well defined on  $(\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_{\text{rig}, K}^{\dagger, r_n})^{\Gamma_K\text{-pa}}$  so that  $\nabla(v) \in (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_{\text{rig}, K}^{\dagger, r_n})^{\Gamma_K\text{-pa}}$ . If  $\gamma \in \Gamma_K$  is a topological generator, then we also have

$$\nabla(v) = \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{\gamma^{p^n}(v) - v}{p^n}.$$

In particular, by proposition 6.1 the sequence  $\frac{F_{\gamma^{p^n}(T)-T}}{p^n}$  converges in  $\mathcal{R}^s$  for  $s \geq r_n$  to an element  $H(T)$  such that  $H(v) = \nabla(v)$ .

We can rewrite  $\frac{F_{\gamma^{p^n}(T)-T}}{p^n} = (F_{\gamma}(T) - T) \prod_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{p} \left( \frac{F_{\gamma^{p^k}(T)-T}}{F_{\gamma^{p^{k-1}}(T)-T}} \right)$ . Since  $F_{\gamma}(T) - T$  belongs to  $\mathcal{A}_K^s$  and is nonzero, it is invertible in the Robba ring  $\mathcal{R}_K := \cup_{s>0} \mathcal{R}_K^s$ , and the convergence of the sequence  $\frac{F_{\gamma^{p^n}(T)-T}}{p^n}$  in  $\mathcal{R}_K$  thus implies the convergence in  $\mathcal{R}_K$  of the infinite product

$$\prod_{k \geq 1} \frac{1}{p} \left( \frac{F_{\gamma^{p^k}(T)-T}}{F_{\gamma^{p^{k-1}}(T)-T}} \right).$$

Let us write  $H_k(T) := \frac{1}{p} \left( \frac{F_{\gamma^{p^k}(T)-T}}{F_{\gamma^{p^{k-1}}(T)-T}} \right)$ . The convergence in  $\mathcal{R}_K$  of the infinite product above is equivalent to the fact that, for  $s \gg 0$ , we have  $|H_k(T)|_s \rightarrow 1$  when  $k \rightarrow +\infty$ .

**Lemma 6.2.** — *We have  $(\widehat{K_{\infty}})^{\Gamma_m\text{-an}} = K_m$ .*

*Proof.* — One can follow the first part of the proof of [BC16, Thm. 3.2].  $\square$

**Lemma 6.3.** — *There exists  $n_0 \geq n$  and  $\ell \geq 0$  such that for all  $m \geq n_0$ ,  $K(v_m) = \mathcal{O}_{K_{m+\ell}}$ .*

*Proof.* — For  $m \geq n$ , we let  $L_m = K(v_m)$  be the extension of  $K$  generated by  $v_m$ . Since  $v$  is locally analytic for the action of  $\Gamma_K$  and since  $\theta$  and  $\varphi$  are  $\mathcal{G}_K$ -equivariant, we get that the  $v_m$  are algebraic over  $K$  by lemma 6.2 and that  $L_m \subset K_{\infty}$ . Let  $L = \cup_{m \geq n} L_m \subset K_{\infty}$ . We first prove that  $L = K_{\infty}$ , which is equivalent to the fact that an element of  $\Gamma_K$

acting trivially on  $L$  is trivial. Let  $g \in \Gamma_K$  be such that  $g|_{L_m} = \text{id}_{L_m}$  for all  $m \geq n$ . Then by definition of  $L_m$ , we have  $g(v_m) = v_m$  for all  $m \geq n$ . Thus the power series  $F_g(T) - T \in \mathcal{A}_K^{r_n}$  admits infinitely many zeroes in the open unit disc (since  $|v_m| \rightarrow 1$ ) and is therefore zero (since it is bounded). We thus obtain that  $F_g(T) = T$  hence  $g(v) = v$ . Therefore  $g$  acts as the identity on the field of norms of  $K_\infty/K$  thus  $g = \text{id}$  in  $\Gamma_K$  and we are done.

Now the inclusion  $K \subset L_n$  induces a continuous injective morphism  $\text{Gal}(K_\infty/L_n) \subset \Gamma_K$  whose image is compact open and thus  $K_\infty/L_n$  is a sub- $\mathbf{Z}_p$ -extension (totally ramified) of  $K_\infty/K$ . In order to prove the proposition, it thus suffices to prove that for  $m$  big enough,  $L_{m+1}/L_m$  is of degree  $p$ .

Recall that  $\varphi(v)$  is an overconvergent series in  $v$ , so that there exists  $P(T) \in \mathcal{A}_K^{r_{n+1}}$  such that  $\varphi(v) = v$ . By definition of the elements  $v_m$ , this means that we have  $P^{\varphi^{-1}}(v_{m+1}) = v_m$ , where  $P^{\varphi^{-1}}$  is the series  $P$  where we have applied  $\varphi$  to the coefficients. Since  $|v_m|_p \rightarrow 1$  in  $\mathbf{C}_p$ , by the Weierstrass preparation theorem and the theory of Newton polygons, we have  $v_K(v_{m+1}) = \frac{1}{p} v_K(v_m)$  (we have  $P(T) \equiv T^p \pmod{\mathfrak{m}_K}$  by definition). Since  $L_{m+1}/L_m$  has at most degree  $p$  by Weierstrass preparation theorem and since  $K_\infty/L_n$  is totally wildly ramified (since  $K_\infty/K$  is as such), we have  $v_{L_m}(v_m) = \frac{v_{L_{m-1}}(v_{m-1})}{p} [L_m : L_{m-1}]$  so that the sequence  $(v_{L_m}(v_m))_{m \geq n}$  is nonincreasing. Since it is bounded below and has integers values, it is constant for  $m$  big enough and the relation  $v_K(v_{m+1}) = \frac{1}{p} v_K(v_m)$  for  $m \gg 0$  implies that for  $m \gg 0$ , the extension  $L_{m+1}/L_m$  is of degree  $p$ .

Therefore, there exists  $\ell \geq 0$  such that for  $m$  big enough, we have  $L_m = K_{m+\ell}$ . This proves the result  $\square$

If  $\ell$  is as in lemma 6.3, we let for  $k \geq n/h$ ,  $f_k := p \cdot H_{kh+\ell}(v) \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{\dagger, r_n}$ .

**Proposition 6.4.** — For  $k \geq n/h$  big enough,  $f_k/Q_k$  is a unit in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_k}$  and  $f_k/p$  is a generator of  $\ker(\theta \circ \varphi_q^{-k} : \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r_k, r_k]} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}_p})$ .

*Proof.* — It may not even be clear that  $f_k$  belongs to  $J_k := \ker(\theta \circ \varphi_q^{-k} : \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_k} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}_p})$ , so we first prove that statement. Let  $m_0$  be as in lemma 6.3, so that for  $m \geq m_0$ ,  $K(v_m) = K_{m+\ell}$ .

Since  $\gamma$  is a topological generator of  $\Gamma_K$ , we know that  $g_k := \gamma^{p^{kh+\ell}}$  is a topological generator of  $\text{Gal}(K_\infty/K_{kh+\ell})$  for  $k \geq 0$ . By lemma 6.3, this means since  $\theta$  and  $\varphi$  are  $\mathcal{G}_K$ -equivariant maps that  $F_{g_k}(v_{kh}) = g_k(v_{kh}) = v_{kh}$ , but also that  $F_{g_{k-1}}(v_{kh}) = g_{k-1}(v_{kh}) \neq v_{kh}$ . Therefore,  $v_{kh}$  is a root of  $H_{kh+\ell}(T)$  and thus  $\theta \circ \varphi_q^{-k}(f_k) = 0$  so that  $f_k \in J_k$ .

We know by proposition 3.2 that for  $k \geq 1$ ,  $Q_k$  is a generator of  $\ker(\theta \circ \varphi_q^{-k} : \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{(0, \rho_k]} \rightarrow \mathbf{C}_p)$  so that there exists  $\beta_k \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{(0, \rho_k]}$  such that  $f_k = Q_k \cdot \beta_k$ . Moreover, the sequence  $\frac{Q_k}{\pi}$  goes to 1 in  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_{\text{rig}}^{\dagger, r}$  (see for example §1 of [Ber16] and the discussion following lemma 3.4 of ibid.). Since  $K/\mathbf{Q}_p$  is unramified,  $p/\pi$  is a unit of  $\mathcal{O}_K$ , and  $\beta_k \rightarrow p/\pi$  so that it is a unit of  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{(0, \rho_k]}$  for  $k$  big enough, and thus is a unit of  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_k}$  for  $k$  big enough (since  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_k}$  is the ring of integers of  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{(0, \rho_k]}$ ). Therefore,  $f_k/p$  generates the same ideal as  $Q_k$  in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_k}$  and so is a generator of  $\ker(\theta \circ \varphi_q^{-k} : \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r_k, r_k]} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}_p})$  by proposition 3.2.  $\square$

**Lemma 6.5.** — We have  $\ell = 0$ , and for  $m \geq n$  big enough,  $v_m$  is a uniformizer of  $K_m$ .

*Proof.* — By proposition 6.4, for  $k \geq n/h$  big enough,  $f_k/Q_k$  is a unit in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_k}$  and  $f_k$  belongs to  $\ker(\theta \circ \varphi_q^{-k} : \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r_k, r_k]} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}_p})$ . Writing  $f_k = \sum_{i \geq 0} [y_i] p^i$ , this means by lemma 3.1 that  $v_{\mathbf{E}}(y_0) = v_{\mathbf{E}}([\tilde{\pi}]^{q^k}) = q^k v_p(\pi)$ .

Let us write  $pH_{k+\ell}(T) = f^\dagger(T) \cdot R(T)$  where  $R$  is a monic polynomial with coefficients in  $\mathcal{O}_K$  and  $f^\dagger$  is invertible in  $\mathcal{A}_K^r$ . Since  $f_k$  is not a unit in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_k}$  and since  $f^\dagger(v)$  is a unit in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_k}$ ,  $R(0)$  is not a unit in  $\mathcal{O}_K^\times$  and thus  $R(0) \in \pi \mathcal{O}_K$ .

Since  $f_k$  belongs to the kernel of  $\theta : \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_k} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}_p}$ , this means that  $v_{kh}$  is a root of  $R(T)$ . Let us write

$$R(v) = v^d + \dots + R(0)$$

where  $d$  is the degree of  $R$ . Since  $R(0) \in \pi \mathcal{O}_K$ , we get that  $v_{\mathbf{E}}(s(R(v))) = d \cdot v_{\mathbf{E}}(s(v)) = v_p(\pi)$  (since  $s(v)$  is a uniformizer of the field of norms of  $K_\infty/K$ ), and this has to match the value of  $v_{\mathbf{E}}(y_0)$  computed above as  $f^\dagger(v)$  is a unit in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_k}$ . Therefore,  $d = q^k$ . But now this means that  $v_{kh}$ , which generates  $K_{\ell+k}$  over  $K$  which is of degree  $p^{\ell+kh}$ , is a root of  $R$  which is a polynomial of degree  $q^k$ . This means that  $\ell = 0$ .  $\square$

By lemma 6.5, we can assume up to increasing  $n$  that for all  $m \geq n$ ,  $v_m$  is a uniformizer of  $K_m$ , and we do so in what follows.

**Proposition 6.6.** — *Let  $x \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_0}$  be such that for all  $m \geq 0$ ,  $\varphi_q^{-m}(x) \in \mathcal{O}_{K_{mh}}$ . Then  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^{[r_0, r_0]})_{\Gamma_K - \text{an}}$  and  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0,1]})_{\Gamma_K, 0 - \text{an}}$ .*

*Proof.* — By corollary 6.9 of [DK11], the map  $x \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_0} \mapsto (\theta \circ \varphi_q^{-k}(x))_{k \geq 0}$  induces an isometric isomorphism from  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_0}$  to the ring denoted by  $\xleftarrow{W} (\tilde{\mathbf{E}})_*(\mathbf{C}_p)$  in ibid. Looking at definition 6.5 of ibid, this means that the norm of  $x \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_0}$  for  $V(\cdot, r_0)$  is equal to the well defined limit  $\lim_{k \geq 0} |\theta \circ \varphi_q^{-k}(x)|_p^{q^k}$ .

Let  $k \geq 0$  and let  $x_k = \theta \circ \varphi_q^{-k}(x) \in \mathcal{O}_{K_k}$ , and let  $(a_{m,k})_{m \geq 0}$  denote the Mahler coefficients of the function  $g \in \Gamma_K \mapsto g(x_k)$ . Since the  $x_k$  are  $\Gamma_{kh}$ -analytic, we have by corollary 2.3 that  $\liminf \frac{1}{n} v_p(a_{n,k}) > \frac{1}{(p-1)p^{kh}}$ . Moreover, if we let  $(a_m)_{m \geq 0}$  denote the Mahler coefficients of the function  $g \in \Gamma_K \mapsto g(x)$  in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_0}$ , then since the isometric isomorphism coming from corollary 6.9 of [DK11] is  $\mathcal{G}_K$ -equivariant, we obtain that for all  $m \geq 0$ ,  $V(a_m, r_0) = \lim_{k \geq 0} q^k v_p(\theta \circ \varphi_q^{-k}(a_{m,k}))$ . Since  $\liminf \frac{1}{n} v_p(a_{n,k}) > \frac{1}{(p-1)p^{kh}}$ , this means that  $\liminf \frac{1}{n} V(a_m, r_0) > \frac{1}{p-1}$ . Therefore, using once again corollary 2.3, we find that  $x$  is  $\Gamma_K$ -analytic as an element of  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^{[r_0, r_0]}$ , and that  $x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0,1]})_{\Gamma_K, 0 - \text{an}}$ .  $\square$

**Proposition 6.7.** — *Let  $m \geq n$ . Then:*

1.  $\varphi_q^{-m}(v) \in (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^{[r_0, r_0]})_{\Gamma_{mh} - \text{an}}$ ;
2.  $v \in (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^{[r_m, r_m]})_{\Gamma_{mh} - \text{an}}$ .

*Proof.* — We start with the first item. Let  $m \geq n$ . Then for all  $k \geq 0$ , we have  $\theta \circ \varphi_q^{-k}(\varphi_q^{-m}(v)) \in \mathcal{O}_{K_{(m+k)h}}$  so that  $\varphi_q^{-m}(v) \in (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^{[r_0, r_0]})_{\Gamma_{mh} - \text{an}}$  by proposition 6.6.

Item 2 follows directly from item 1 by applying  $\varphi_q^m$  to  $v_m$  and using the fact that  $\varphi_q$  is a continuous  $\mathbf{Q}_p$ -linear map from  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^{[r_0, r_0]}$  to  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^{[r_m, r_m]}$ .  $\square$

### 7. Locally analytic vectors in the rings $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^I$ for good $\mathbf{Z}_p$ -extensions

Our goal is now to derive results regarding the structure of the rings  $(\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^I)^{\Gamma_m-\text{an}}$ , assuming that  $K_\infty/K$  is a “good”  $\mathbf{Z}_p$ -extension, i.e. for which there are nontrivial locally analytic vectors in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger$ . Since  $K_\infty/K$  is a  $\mathbf{Z}_p$ -extension, it is abelian and by local class field theory, there exists a Lubin-Tate extension  $K_{\text{LT}}/K$  such that  $K_\infty \subset K_{\text{LT}}$ . We let  $\Gamma_{\text{LT}} = \text{Gal}(K_{\text{LT}}/K)$  and  $H_{\text{LT}} = \text{Gal}(\overline{\mathbf{Q}}_p/K_{\text{LT}})$  and we keep the notations from §1 and from the previous section. In particular, there exists  $n \geq 0$  and  $v \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{\dagger, r_n}$  such that  $v$  lifts a uniformizer of the field of norms of  $K_\infty/K$ .

We also assume that there exists  $\beta_m \in \mathbf{A}_K^{\dagger, r_n}$  such that  $\beta_m/\pi$  generates the kernel of the map  $\theta \circ \varphi_q^{-m} : \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r_m, r_m]} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}_p}$  (note that this is automatically the case when  $K/\mathbf{Q}_p$  is unramified by proposition 6.4).

For  $I$  a subinterval of  $]1, +\infty[$  such that  $\min(I) \geq r_n$ , let  $f(Y) = \sum_{k \in \mathbf{Z}} a_k Y^k$  be a power series with  $a_k \in \mathcal{O}_K$  and such that  $v_p(a_k) + kr_0/re \rightarrow +\infty$  when  $|k| \rightarrow +\infty$  for all  $r \in I$ . The series  $f(v)$  converges in  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^I$  and we let  $\mathbf{B}_K^I$  denote the set of  $f(u)$  where  $f$  is as above. Note that this is a subring of  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^I$  which is stable by the action of  $\Gamma_K$ . The Frobenius map gives rise to a map  $\varphi_q : \mathbf{B}_K^I \rightarrow \mathbf{B}_K^{qI}$ . If  $m \geq 0$ , then  $\varphi_q^{-m}(\mathbf{B}_K^{q^m I}) \subset \tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^I$  and we let  $\mathbf{B}_{K,m}^I = \varphi_q^{-m}(\mathbf{B}_K^{q^m I})$ , and  $\mathbf{B}_{K,\infty}^I = \bigcup_{m \geq 0} \mathbf{B}_{K,m}^I$ . We let  $\mathbf{A}_{K,m}^I$  denote the ring of integers of  $\mathbf{B}_{K,m}^I$  for  $V(\cdot, I)$ .

For the rest of this section (and only for the rest of this section), for  $m \geq 1$  we write  $\Gamma_m$  for  $\Gamma_{\text{LT},m}$  and  $K_m$  for  $K_\infty \cap K_{\text{LT},m}$ .

**Lemma 7.1.** — *Let  $I = [r_h, r_k]$  with  $h \geq n$ , and let  $m_0 \geq 0$  be such that  $t_\pi, t_\pi/Q_k$  and  $Q_k/\beta_k$  belong to  $(\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_{\text{LT}}^I)^{\Gamma_{\text{LT},m_0}-\text{an}}$ . If  $m \geq m_0$  and if  $a \in \tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^I$  is such that  $\beta_k \cdot a \in (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^I)^{\Gamma_m-\text{an}}$  then  $a \in (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^I)^{\Gamma_m-\text{an}}$ .*

*Proof.* — Let us write  $\beta_k \cdot a = Q_k \cdot \frac{\beta_k}{Q_k} \cdot a$ . By [Ber16, Lemm. 4.3], we know that  $\frac{\beta_k}{Q_k} \cdot a \in (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_{\text{LT}}^I)^{\Gamma_{\text{LT},m_0}-\text{an}}$ . Since  $Q_k/\beta_k \in (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_{\text{LT}}^I)^{\Gamma_{\text{LT},m_0}-\text{an}}$ , this implies that  $a$  itself belongs to  $(\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_{\text{LT}}^I)^{\Gamma_{\text{LT},m_0}-\text{an}}$ , and since  $a \in (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^I)$  this finishes the proof.  $\square$

The following theorem, relying on the exact same ideas as theorem 4.4 of [Ber16], gives a description of the locally analytic vectors of  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^I$ :

**Theorem 7.2.** — *Let  $I = [r_h, r_k]$  and let  $m \geq 0$  be such that  $t_\pi, t_\pi/Q_k$  and  $Q_k/\beta_k$  belong to  $(\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_{\text{LT}}^I)^{\Gamma_{m+k}-\text{an}}$ . Then:*

1.  $(\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^I)^{\Gamma_{m+k}-\text{an}} \subset \mathbf{B}_K^I$ ;
2.  $(\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^I)^{\text{la}} = \mathbf{B}_{K,\infty}^I$ .

*Proof.* — This is basically the same proof as the one of [Ber16, Theo 4.4] (note that there’s a slight gap in ibid. which is fixed in [Ber18]) once we have the same “ingredients”. Note that the second item follows directly from the first one, so we only need to prove the first item.

We start by proving the result when  $h = k$  so that  $I = [r_k, r_k]$ . Let  $x \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^I \cap (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^I)^{\Gamma_{m+k}-\text{an}}$ .

If  $d = q^{\ell-1}(q-1)$  then by a straightforward generalization of corollary 2.2 of [Ber02], we have  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r_k, r_k]} = \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[0; r_k]} \{ \pi / [s(v)] \}$ . Thus for all  $n \geq 1$ , there exists  $k_n \geq 0$  such that  $([s(v)]^d / \pi)^{k_n} \cdot x \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[0; r_k]} + \pi^{n-1} \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r_k, r_k]}$ . Since  $v/[s(v)]$  is a unit of  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_k}$  we have  $(v^d / \pi)^{k_n} \cdot x \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_k})^\times \cdot (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[0; r_k]} + \pi^{n-1} \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r_k, r_k]})$ . Note that if  $x \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^I \cap (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^I)^{\Gamma_{m+k-\text{an}}}$  and if  $x_n = (v^d / \pi)^{k_n} \cdot x$  then by proposition 6.7 we have that  $x_n \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{[r_k, r_k]} \cap (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^{[r_k, r_k]})^{\Gamma_{m+k-\text{an}}}$  so that  $\theta \circ \varphi^{-k}(x_n) \in \mathcal{O}_{\tilde{K}_\infty}^{\Gamma_{m+k-\text{la}}} = \mathcal{O}_{K_{m+k}}$  by lemma 6.2.

By proposition 6.7 there exists  $y_{n,0} \in \mathcal{O}_K[\varphi_q^{-m}(v)]$  such that  $\theta \circ \varphi_q^{-k}(x_n) = \theta \circ \varphi_q^{-k}(y_{n,0})$ . By proposition 6.4, there exists  $x_{n,1} \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{[r_k, r_k]}$  such that  $x_n - y_{n,0} = (\beta_m / \pi) \cdot x_{n,1}$ . By lemma 7.1,  $x_{n,1} \in (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^{[r_k, r_k]})^{\Gamma_{m+k-\text{an}}}$ . Applying this procedure inductively gives us a sequence  $\{y_{n,i}\}_{i \geq 0}$  of elements of  $\mathcal{O}_K[\varphi_q^{-m}(v)]$  such that for all  $j \geq 1$ , we have

$$x_n - (y_{n,0} + y_{n,1} \cdot (\beta_k / \pi) + \cdots + y_{n,j-1} \cdot (\beta_k / \pi)^{j-1}) \in \ker(\theta \circ \varphi_q^{-k})^j.$$

Since the  $y_{n,i}$  belong to  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_n}$  and since  $\beta_m / Q_m$  is a unit by proposition 6.4, we can apply proposition 3.4 so that there exists  $j \gg 0$  such that

$$x_n - (y_{n,0} + y_{n,1} \cdot (\beta_k / \pi) + \cdots + y_{n,j-1} \cdot (\beta_k / \pi)^{j-1}) \in \pi \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r_k, r_k]},$$

and thus belongs to  $\pi(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[0, r_k]} + \pi^{n-1} \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r_k, r_k]})$  by item (3) of [Ber16, Lemm. 3.2]. We can thus write  $x_n - (y_{n,0} + y_{n,1} \cdot (\beta_k / \pi) + \cdots + y_{n,j-1} \cdot (\beta_k / \pi)^{j-1}) = \pi x'_n$  with  $x'_n \in (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[0, r_k]} + \pi^{n-1} \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r_k, r_k]})$ . By proposition 6.7,  $x'_n$  belongs to  $(\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^{[r_k, r_k]})^{\Gamma_{m+k-\text{an}}}$ . We can now do the same with  $x'_n$  instead of  $x_n$  and we thus find some  $j \gg 0$  and elements  $\{y_{n,i}\}_{i \leq j}$  of  $\mathcal{O}_K[\varphi_q^{-m}(v)]$  such that if  $y_n = y_{n,0} + y_{n,1} \cdot (\beta_k / \pi) + \cdots + y_{n,j-1} \cdot (\beta_k / \pi)^{j-1}$  then  $y_n - x_n \in \pi^n \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r_k, r_k]}$ . If  $z_n = (\pi / v^d)^{k_n} y_n$  then  $z_n - x = (\pi / v^d)^{k_n} (y_n - x_n) \in \pi^n \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r_k, r_k]}$  and thus  $(z_n)_{n \geq 1}$  converges  $p$ -adically to  $x$ , and for all  $n \geq 0$   $z_n$  belongs to  $\mathbf{A}_{K,m}^{[r_k, r_k]}$  so that  $x \in \mathbf{A}_{K,m}^{[r_k, r_k]}$ .

This proves the result when  $h = k$ . Assume now that  $h \neq k$ . The same proof shows that if  $x \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^I \cap (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_K^I)^{\Gamma_{m+k-\text{an}}}$  then  $x = \varphi_q^{-m}(v)$  where  $f$  converges on the annulus corresponding to the interval  $[q^m r_k, q^m r_k]$ . Let us write  $f(Y) = f^+(Y) + f^-(Y)$ , where  $f^+(Y)$  is the positive part and converges on  $[0, q^m r_k]$  (note that we only know that  $f^+(\varphi_q^{-m}(v))$  belongs to  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^{[r_h, r_k]}$ ) and  $f^-(Y)$  is the negative part and converges and is bounded on  $[q^m r_k; +\infty[$ . If we let  $x^- = \varphi_q^{-m}(f^-(v))$  then it belongs to both  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^{[r_h, r_k]}$  (by the fact that  $x^- = x - x^+$  where  $x^+ = \varphi_q^{-m}(f^+(v)) \in \tilde{\mathbf{B}}^{[r_h, r_k]} \subset \tilde{\mathbf{B}}^{[r_h, r_k]}$ ) and to  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^{[r_k, +\infty[}$  so that it belongs to  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^{[r_h, +\infty[}$ .

The final result needed to conclude is that if the power series  $f^-(Y)$  converges on  $[q^m r_k, +\infty[$  and if  $f^-(v)$  belongs to  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}^{[q^m r_h, +\infty[}$  then  $f^-(v)$  converges on  $[q^m r_h, +\infty[$ . The proof is the same as the one of [Col08, Prop. 7.5] (see also [CC98, Lemm. II.2.2]). Therefore, we have  $x \in \mathbf{A}_{K,m}^{[r_h, r_k]}$ , as claimed.  $\square$

## 8. The case of the anticyclotomic extension

In this section, we explain how to use the results from the previous sections to produce, in the anticyclotomic case, an element of  $\text{Frac } \mathcal{R}_K$  which is invariant by  $\varphi_q$ . This shows



that Berger's conjecture on substitution maps on the Robba ring and Kedlaya's conjecture are incompatible.

We start by recalling Berger's conjecture [Ber22, Conj. 3.1].

**Conjecture 8.1.** — *Let  $\mathcal{R}$  be the Robba ring with coefficients in  $K$ , and let  $s$  be an overconvergent substitution of  $\mathcal{R}$ . Then  $(\text{Frac } \mathcal{R})^{s=1} = K$ .*

**Proposition 8.2.** — *Let  $K = \mathbf{Q}_{p^2}$  and let  $K_\infty/K$  be the anticyclotomic extension of  $K$ . Suppose that there exists nontrivial locally analytic vectors in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger$  for the action of  $\Gamma_K$ . Then there exists an overconvergent substitution  $f$  of the Robba ring  $\mathcal{R}_K$  such that  $(\text{Frac } \mathcal{R}_K)^{f=1} \neq K$ .*

*Proof.* — Let us assume that there exist nontrivial locally analytic vectors in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger$  in the anticyclotomic case. Therefore, there exists  $v \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger$ , locally analytic and lifting a uniformizer of  $\mathbf{E}_K^+$ , as in §5.

By proposition 6.4, up to increasing  $n$ , then for  $k \geq n/h$ ,  $f_k/Q_k$  is a unit in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_k}$  and  $f_k/p$  is a generator of  $\ker(\theta \circ \varphi_q^{-k} : \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{[r_k, r_k]} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}_p})$ . Moreover, the infinite product  $\lambda_1(T) := \prod_{k=1}^{+\infty} H_{kh}(T)$  converges in  $\mathcal{R}_K^{r_n}$  and the infinite product  $\prod_{k=1}^{+\infty} f_k/p$  converges in  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_{\text{rig}, K}^{\dagger, r_n}$  to  $\lambda_1(v)$ .

Since each  $f_k$  is divisible by  $Q_k$ ,  $\lambda_1$  is divisible in  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_{\text{rig}, \text{LT}}^\dagger$  by the infinite product  $t_{\text{id}} = y_{\text{LT}} \cdot \prod_{k \geq 1} Q_k/\pi$  (the argument is the same as in lemma 4.6 of [Ber02]). But since  $f_k/Q_k$  is a unit in  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{\dagger, r_k}$  for  $k \geq n$ , the same argument shows that  $\lambda_1$  divides  $t_{\text{id}}$  in  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_{\text{rig}, \text{LT}}^\dagger$ . This means that there exists  $\alpha \in (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_{\text{LT}, \text{rig}}^\dagger)^\times$  such that  $\lambda_1 = \alpha \cdot t_{\text{id}}$  and thus  $\alpha \in \tilde{\mathbf{B}}_{\text{LT}}^\dagger$  (for example by [FF19, Prop. 1.8.6]).

Recall that we have overconvergent power series  $P(T), Q(T)$  such that  $P(v) = \varphi(v)$  and  $Q(v) = \varphi_q(v)$ . Applying  $\varphi$  to the equality  $\lambda_1(v) = \alpha \cdot t_{\text{id}}$  gives us  $\lambda_2(v) = \beta \cdot t_\sigma$ , where  $\beta = \varphi(\alpha) \in \tilde{\mathbf{B}}_{\text{LT}}^\dagger$ , and  $\lambda_2(T) = \lambda_1^\varphi \circ P(T)$  which belongs to  $\mathbf{B}_{\text{rig}, K}^{\dagger, pr_n}$ . Moreover, the same proof as in lemma 5.1.1 of [GP19] shows that both  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are pro-analytic vectors of  $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_{\text{rig}, \text{LT}}^\dagger$  for the action of  $\text{Gal}(K_{\text{LT}}/K)$ . Writing

$$\frac{\alpha}{\beta} = \frac{\lambda_1(v)}{\lambda_2(v)} \frac{t_\sigma}{t_{\text{id}}}$$

shows that  $\frac{\alpha}{\beta}$  is invariant by  $\text{Gal}(K_{\text{LT}}/K_\infty)$  (since it is the case of  $\lambda_1(v), \lambda_2(v)$  and  $\frac{t_\sigma}{t_{\text{id}}}$ ). Therefore, by propositions 3.7 and 5.8, there exists  $\ell \geq 0$  such that  $\varphi_q^\ell(\frac{\alpha}{\beta}) = R(v)$ , where  $R(T)$  belongs to  $\mathcal{A}_K^s$  for some  $s \geq pr_n$ . Since  $\frac{t_\sigma}{t_{\text{id}}}$  is invariant by  $\varphi_q$ , so is  $\frac{\lambda_2(v)}{\lambda_1(v)} \cdot \frac{\alpha}{\beta}$  and so is  $\varphi_q^\ell(\frac{\lambda_2(v)}{\lambda_1(v)})R(v) = \frac{(\lambda_1 \circ Q^{\circ \ell})(v)}{(\lambda_2 \circ Q^{\circ \ell})(v)} \cdot R(v)$ . Therefore, the element  $\frac{(\lambda_1 \circ Q^{\circ \ell})(T)}{(\lambda_2 \circ Q^{\circ \ell})(T)} \cdot R(T) \in \text{Frac } \mathcal{R}_K$  is invariant by the overconvergent substitution  $Q(T)$ .  $\square$

In particular, using propositions 4.6 and 8.2, we obtain the following result:

**Corollary 8.3.** — *If Berger's conjecture holds then there is no overconvergent lift of the field of norms in the anticyclotomic setting.*

**Proposition 8.4.** — *Let  $K_\infty/K$  be a  $\mathbf{Z}_p$  extension with Galois group  $\Gamma_K$ , and assume that  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K - \text{la}} = \mathcal{O}_K$ . Then Kedlaya's conjecture is false for  $K_\infty/K$ .*

*Proof.* — Let us assume that  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K - \text{la}} = \mathcal{O}_K$  and that Kedlaya's conjecture is true. This means that if  $T$  is a free  $\mathcal{O}_K$ -representation of  $\mathcal{G}_K$  then  $\tilde{\mathbf{D}}_K^{\dagger, \text{an}}(T) := (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\dagger \otimes_{\mathbf{Z}_p} T)^{H_K, \Gamma_K - \text{la}}$  is an  $\mathcal{O}_K$ -module such that  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\dagger \otimes_{\mathcal{O}_K} \tilde{\mathbf{D}}_K^{\dagger, \text{an}}(T) \simeq \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\dagger \otimes_{\mathbf{Z}_p} T$  and thus  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\dagger \otimes_{\mathcal{O}_K} \tilde{\mathbf{D}}_K^{\dagger, \text{an}}(T))^{\varphi_q=1} \simeq T$ .

Moreover, since  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K - \text{la}} = \mathcal{O}_K$ , we can assume that  $K_\infty/K$  is not (an unramified twist of) the cyclotomic extension of  $K$ . Now let  $T$  be a rank 1  $\mathcal{O}_K$ -representation of  $\mathcal{G}_K$ , with basis  $e$ . By Kedlaya's conjecture, there exists  $y \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\dagger$  such that  $(T \otimes_{\mathcal{O}_K} \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\dagger)^{H_K, \Gamma_K - \text{la}}$  is a rank 1  $\mathcal{O}_K$ -module generated by  $e \otimes y$ , and comes equipped with an  $\mathcal{O}_K$ -linear action of  $\Gamma_K$  and  $\varphi_q$ . In particular, there exists  $a \in \mathcal{O}_K^\times$  (since  $\varphi_q$  is an isomorphism) such that  $\varphi_q(e \otimes y) = a \cdot (e \otimes y)$ , and  $\Gamma_K$  acts on  $e \otimes y$  by multiplication by some character  $\eta : \Gamma_K \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_K^\times$ .

By local class field theory, there exists  $z$  in  $\mathcal{O}_{\widehat{K^{\text{unr}}}}$ , the ring of integers of the  $p$ -adic completion of the maximal unramified extension of  $K$ , such that  $\frac{z}{\varphi_q(z)} = a$ . Since  $\mathcal{O}_{\widehat{K^{\text{unr}}}} \subset \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^+ \subset \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\dagger$ , we have that  $z \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\dagger$  and if  $x = e \otimes y \otimes z \in \tilde{\mathbf{D}}_K^{\dagger, \text{an}}(T) \otimes_{\mathcal{O}_K} \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\dagger \simeq T \otimes_{\mathcal{O}_K} \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\dagger$ , we get that  $\varphi_q(x) = x$  so that  $yz \in \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\dagger$  is invariant by  $\varphi_q$  and thus belongs to  $\mathcal{O}_K$ .

This means that  $y \in \mathcal{O}_{\widehat{K^{\text{unr}}}}$ , and since  $\Gamma_K$  acts on  $e \otimes y$  by multiplication by some character  $\eta : \Gamma_K \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_K^\times$ , this means that  $\mathcal{G}_K$  acts on  $e$  by multiplication by a character which factors through  $\text{Gal}(K_\infty \cdot K^{\text{unr}}/K)$ . Since this is true for any rank 1 representation  $T$  of  $\mathcal{G}_K$ , this means by local class field theory that  $K^{\text{ab}} = K_\infty \cdot K^{\text{unr}}$ , which is possible if and only if  $K_\infty$  is a Lubin-Tate extension of  $K$ . Since  $K_\infty/K$  is a  $\mathbf{Z}_p$ -extension, this means that  $K = \mathbf{Q}_p$  and that  $K_\infty/K$  is an unramified twist of the cyclotomic extension of  $K$ , which as stated above is ruled out by the assumption that  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^\dagger)^{\Gamma_K - \text{la}} = \mathcal{O}_K$ .  $\square$

As a corollary of propositions 8.2 and 8.4, we obtain the following theorem:

**Theorem 8.5.** — *Berger's conjecture and Kedlaya's conjecture are incompatible.*

We finish this section and paper by exhibiting, assuming that Berger's conjecture holds, nontrivial higher locally analytic vectors in the anticyclotomic setting:

**Proposition 8.6.** — *Let  $K_\infty/\mathbf{Q}_{p^2}$  be the anticyclotomic extension. Then for any  $n \geq 0$ , we have an embedding  $K_\infty \subset R_{\text{la}}^1(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0, \rho_n]})$ .*

*Proof.* — Let  $n \geq 0$ , and let  $x$  be a generator of  $\ker(\theta : \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0, \rho_n]} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\widehat{K_\infty}})$  given by proposition 6.4. Consider the following exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0, \rho_n]} \rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{x} \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0, \rho_n]}\right) \rightarrow \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0, \rho_n]} / x \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0, \rho_n]} \rightarrow 0$$

and note that  $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0, \rho_n]} / x \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0, \rho_n]} \simeq \widehat{K_\infty}$ . Taking  $\Gamma_K$ -analytic vectors, we obtain:

$$0 \rightarrow (\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0, \rho_n]})^{\Gamma_K - \text{la}} \rightarrow \left(\left(\frac{1}{x} \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0, \rho_n]}\right)\right)^{\Gamma_K - \text{la}} \rightarrow \widehat{K_\infty}^{\Gamma_K - \text{la}} \rightarrow R_{\text{la}}^1(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0, \rho_n]})$$

By proposition 8.2, assuming that Berger's conjecture holds, we have  $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0, \rho_n]})^{\Gamma_K - \text{la}} = \mathcal{O}_K$ . Moreover, we have  $(\frac{1}{x} \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0, \rho_n]}) \subset \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\dagger$ , so that still by proposition 8.2, we have

$((\frac{1}{x}\widetilde{\mathbf{A}}_K^{(0,\rho_n]})^{\Gamma_K-\text{la}} = \mathcal{O}_K$ . Finally,  $\widehat{K_\infty}^{\Gamma_K-\text{la}} \simeq K_\infty$  by [BC16, Thm. 1.6]. This gives us the result we wanted.  $\square$

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