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Abstract

We prove equality of the various rational p-adic period morphisms for smooth, not necessarily proper, schemes. We start with showing that the K-theoretical uniqueness criterion we had found earlier for proper smooth schemes extends to proper finite simplicial schemes in the good reduction case and to cohomology with compact support in the semistable reduction case. It yields the equality of the period morphisms for cohomology with compact support defined using the syntomic, almost étale, and motivic constructions. We continue with showing that the h-cohomology period morphism agrees with the syntomic and almost étale period morphisms whenever the latter morphisms are defined (and up to a change of Hyodo–Kato cohomology). We do it by lifting the syntomic and almost étale period morphisms to the h-site of varieties over a field, where their equality with the h-cohomology period morphism can be checked directly using the Beilinson Poincaré lemma and the case of dimension 0. This also shows that the syntomic and almost étale period morphisms have a natural extension to the Voevodsky triangulated category of motives and enjoy many useful properties (since so does the h-cohomology period morphism).

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1. Introduction

Recall that rational p-adic period morphisms[1] make it possible to describe the p-adic étale cohomology of algebraic varieties over local fields of mixed characteristic in terms of differential forms. This is advantageous since the latter can often be computed. There are by now four main different approaches to the construction of these period morphisms:

- syntomic: Fontaine and Messing [FM87], Hyodo and Kato [HK94], Kato [Kat94a], Tsuji [Tsu99a], Yamashita [Yam11], Colmez and Nizioł [CN17];
- almost étale: Faltings [Fal89, Fal02], Scholze [Sch13], Li and Pan [LP19], Diao *et al.* [DLLZ19], Tan and Tong [TT19], Bhatt, Morrow and Scholze [BMS18, BMS19], Česnavičius and Koshikawa [ČK19];
- motivic: Nizioł [Niz98, Niz08];
- h-cohomology: Beilinson [Bei12, Bei13], Bhatt [Bha12].

Each of these approaches has its advantages and it is important to be able to compare the resulting period morphisms in the case one needs to pass from one to another. Since all the above period morphisms are normalized using Chern classes we expect them to be equal.

The two theorems below are examples of the results we obtain in the paper. Let $\mathcal{O}_K$ be a complete discrete valuation ring with fraction field K of characteristic 0 and with perfect residue field k of positive characteristic p. Let π be a uniformizer of $\mathcal{O}_K$. Let $\mathcal{O}_F$ be the ring of Witt vectors of k with fraction field F. Let X be a proper scheme over $\mathcal{O}_K$ with semistable reduction and of pure relative dimension d. Let $i : D \hookrightarrow X$ be the horizontal divisor and set $U = X \setminus D$. Equip X with the log-structure induced by D and the special fiber. Denote by $\mathcal{O}_F^0$ the scheme $\mathrm{Spec}(\mathcal{O}_F)$ with the log-structure given by $(\mathbf{N} \to \mathcal{O}_K, 1 \mapsto 0)$.

The first theorem is a generalization of the K-theoretical uniqueness criterion for p-adic period isomorphisms from [Niz09] as well as its applications.

Theorem 1.1. (i) *There exists a unique natural p-adic period isomorphism*

$$\alpha_i : H^i_{\text{ét},c}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p) \otimes \mathbf{B}_{\text{st}} \xrightarrow{\sim} H^i_{\text{HK}}(X) \otimes_F \mathbf{B}_{\text{st}}, \quad i \geq 0,$$

where $H^i_{\text{HK}}(X) = H^i_{\text{cr}}(X_0/\mathcal{O}_F^0)_{\mathbf{Q}}$ is the Hyodo–Kato cohomology, such that:

(a) *α_i is $\mathbf{B}_{\text{st}}$-linear, Galois equivariant, and compatible with Frobenius;*
(b) *α_i, extended to $\mathbf{B}_{\text{dR}}$ via the Hyodo–Kato morphism $\rho_\pi : H^i_{\text{HK}}(X) \to H^i_{\text{dR}}(X_K)$ and the morphism $\iota_\pi : \mathbf{B}_{\text{st}} \to \mathbf{B}_{\text{dR}}$, induces a filtered isomorphism*

$$\alpha_i^{\text{dR}} : H^i_{\text{ét},c}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p) \otimes \mathbf{B}_{\text{dR}} \xrightarrow{\sim} H^i_{\text{dR},c}(X_K) \otimes_K \mathbf{B}_{\text{dR}};$$

(c) *α_i is compatible with the étale and syntomic higher Chern classes from p-adic K-theory.*

(ii) *The syntomic, almost étale, and motivic semistable period morphisms for cohomology with compact support are equal.*

[1] We also discuss in this paper integral p-adic period morphisms in the context of Fontaine–Lafaille theory and the motivic approach to comparison theorems; see § 3.1.1.

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The second theorem takes a different approach to comparing p-adic period morphisms. It uses h-topology, the Beilinson (filtered) Poincaré lemma [Bei13], and the computations from [NN16] to formulate a simple uniqueness criterion using the fundamental exact sequence of p-adic Hodge theory and hence, basically, the case of dimension 0.

Theorem 1.2. *The syntomic, Faltings almost étale, and h-cohomology period morphisms lift to the Voevodsky category of motives over K. They are equal. In particular, they are compatible with (mixed) products.*

Remark 1.3. The above theorems do not cover the p-adic period morphisms of Bhatt, Morrow and Scholze [BMS18, BMS19] and Česnavičius and Koshikawa [ČK19] (which fall into the 'almost étale' category) but these morphisms are already known (at least the ones from [BMS18, ČK19]) to be the same as the syntomic period morphisms.

(i) It is likely that one can use the K-theory criterion from Theorem 1.1 to show this fact. Some compatibilities with Chern classes were already checked in [CDN19]. The h-topology method of comparing period morphisms from Theorem 1.2 cannot be applied directly in this case because the period morphism of Bhatt, Morrow and Scholze, as of now, is not allowing horizontal divisors.

(ii) However, the compatibility of the period morphism from [BMS18, ČK19] with the other period morphisms has been already checked in the forthcoming thesis of Sally Gilles (at ENS Lyon) by a more direct method. This involves the period morphism defined in [CN17]: Gilles lifted the local definition of this morphism to the geometric setting, globalized it together with its comparison with the Fontaine–Messing period morphism, and then directly compared the resulting morphism with the period morphism from [ČK19] (which is a reasonable approach since both morphisms are defined using very similar complexes).

Remark 1.4. Recently, there has been considerable interest in generalizing Faltings' original approach to p-adic comparison theorems. This started with the work of Scholze [Sch13] on the de Rham comparison theorem for proper smooth rigid varieties and nontrivial coefficients that extended Faltings' proof of the algebraic de Rham comparison theorem using Scholze's powerful almost purity theorem and his proof of the finiteness of p-adic étale cohomology. Recall that Faltings' proof of the de Rham comparison theorem used the Faltings site, the Faltings Poincaré lemma, and a basic comparison theorem and worked for all smooth algebraic varieties and trivial coefficients. This was extended to nontrivial coefficients in the thesis of Tsuzuki, which was, unfortunately, never published.

More work followed: Li and Pan [LP19] extended Scholze's de Rham comparison for trivial coefficients to the open case (with a nice compactification), Diao *et al.* [DLLZ19] added a treatment of nontrivial coefficients; from another angle, Tan and Tong [TT19] extended Scholze's proof to the case of good reduction (over an unramified base) proving the crystalline conjecture in this setting.

When specialized to algebraic varieties all these constructions of p-adic period morphisms are modifications of the original construction of Faltings (recall that Faltings' construction works for any smooth variety), the main one being a replacement of the Faltings site with the pro-étale site (see the discussion in [LP19, § 3]). Their equality with Faltings period morphisms is conceptually clear but, with all the modifications involved, the detailed proof of this fact is best left for the

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time when it is really needed (and then it can be checked in a direct, if tedious, way, or, in some cases, using our K-theory approach).

1.1 Proof of Theorem 1.1

To prove Theorem 1.1, we start with showing that the K-theoretical uniqueness criterion we had found for proper smooth schemes in [Niz09] extends to finite simplicial schemes in the good reduction case and to cohomology with compact support in the semistable reduction case. Using it we show the equality of the period morphisms for cohomology with compact support defined by the syntomic and almost étale methods. Along the way we extend our definition of the motivic period morphisms from [Niz98, Niz08] to the above-mentioned setting. By construction, this period morphism satisfies the K-theoretical uniqueness criterion and hence it is equal to the syntomic and almost étale period morphisms.

To present the proof of Theorem 1.1 in more detail, recall the definition of the motivic period morphisms in the simpler case of good reduction (see also the survey [Niz06b]). Let X be a smooth proper scheme over $\mathcal{O}_K$. Using the Suslin comparison theorem between p-adic motivic cohomology and p-adic étale cohomology [Sus00], we lift étale cohomology classes of $X_{\overline{K}}$ to p-adic motivic cohomology classes via the étale regulator (here we use λ-graded pieces of p-adic K-theory as a substitute for p-adic motivic cohomology), then we lift those to the integral model $X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}$, and, finally, we project them via the syntomic regulator to the syntomic cohomology of $X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}$ that maps canonically to the absolute crystalline cohomology of $X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}$.

This extends rather easily to simplicial schemes: there is no problem in defining the p-adic regulators and the fact that the étale regulator and the localization map from the integral model to the generic fiber are isomorphisms can be reduced to the case of schemes using the filtration of simplicial schemes by skeletons.

We have shown in [Niz09] that the construction of the motivic period morphisms for proper smooth schemes implies a simple K-theoretical uniqueness criterion for period morphisms. This can be extended now to proper smooth finite simplicial schemes: two period morphisms are equal if and only if the induced period morphisms from étale to syntomic cohomology are equal and this is true if and only if the latter agree on the values of étale regulators from p-adic K-theory. This, in turn, would follow if the period morphisms were compatible with the étale and syntomic regulators from p-adic K-theory. For motivic period morphisms this compatibility follows from the definition; for the syntomic and almost étale period morphisms of Tsuji [Tsu99a] and Faltings [Fal02], respectively, this can be checked on the level of the universal Chern classes and this was done in [Niz09].

1.2 Proof of Theorem 1.2

To prove Theorem 1.2, we take a different approach to comparing p-adic period morphisms: we compare them with the h-cohomology period morphism. First, we note that it is enough to compare the induced morphisms, after a change of Hyodo–Kato cohomology, from syntomic cohomology to étale cohomology (we call them *syntomic period morphisms*). Then we take the syntomic period morphism (in the derived category) and sheafify it in the h-topology of $X_{\overline{K}}$. This is possible because Beilinson has shown [Bei12] that de Jong augmentations allow us to exhibit a basis of h-topology that consists of proper (strictly) semistable schemes over $\mathcal{O}_K$. We obtain a map between the h-sheafification of syntomic cohomology and the h-sheafification of étale cohomology. Now, for $r \geq 0$, the étale cohomology of the Tate twist $\mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)' := (p^a a!)^{-1}\mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)$, for $r = (p-1)a + b, a, b \in \mathbf{Z}, 0 \leq b < p-1$, h-sheafifies to the constant sheaf $\mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)'$. Using

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the Beilinson filtered Poincaré lemma [Bei13], we see that the syntomic cohomology of the rth twist sheafifies to the kernel of the surjective map of constant sheaves $F^r_p\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}} \xrightarrow{1-\phi_r} \mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}$, ϕ_r being the divided Frobenius ϕ/p^r and $F^r_p\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}$ the Frobenius-divisible filtration. By the fundamental exact sequence this is $\mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)'$ and the syntomic period morphism, by functoriality, is the map that sends $t^{\{r\}} := t^b(t^{p-1}/p)^a$ to 1. But, as was shown in [NN16], this is the same map as the one induced by the h-cohomology period morphism. The argument for the almost étale period morphism is analogous.

The last claim of the theorem was proved for the Beilinson period isomorphism in [DN18] and hence it is true for the other period maps as well.

Conventions 1.5. We assume all the schemes (outside of some obvious exceptions) to be locally noetherian. We work in the category of fine log-schemes. For a scheme X over $\mathbf{Z}_p$, we will denote by X_n its reduction modulo p^n.

2. Preliminaries

We collect in this section basic cohomological computations, the study of the localization map in K-theory, and the study of the étale cycle class map. All of this is done in the context of cohomology with compact support and generalizes the computations done for the usual cohomology in [Niz98, Niz08].

Let $\mathcal{O}_K$ be a complete discrete valuation ring with fraction field K of characteristic 0 and with perfect residue field k of characteristic p. Let $W(k) = \mathcal{O}_F$ be the ring of Witt vectors of k with fraction field F. Let $\overline{K}$ be an algebraic closure of K and let C be its p-adic completion. Set $G_K = \mathrm{Gal}(\overline{K}/K)$ and let σ be the absolute Frobenius on $W(\overline{k})$. For an $\mathcal{O}_K$-scheme X, let X_0 denote the special fiber of X. We will denote by $\mathcal{O}_K$, $\mathcal{O}_K^{\times}$, and $\mathcal{O}_K^0$ the scheme $\mathrm{Spec}(\mathcal{O}_K)$ with the trivial, canonical (i.e., associated to the closed point), and $(\mathbf{N} \to \mathcal{O}_K, 1 \mapsto 0)$ log-structure respectively. We will freely use the notation from [Niz16].

2.1 Cohomological identities

We briefly review here certain facts involving syntomic and crystalline cohomologies that we will need.

2.1.1 *Rings of periods.* We start with reviewing basic facts concerning the rings of periods. Consider the ring $R = \varprojlim \mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}/p\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}$, where the maps in the projective system are the pth power maps. With addition and multiplication defined coordinate-wise, R is a ring of characteristic p. Take its ring of Witt vectors $W(R)$. Then $\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}$ is the p-adic completion of the divided power envelope $D_\xi(W(R))$ of the ideal $\xi W(R)$ in $W(R)$. Here $\xi = [p^\flat] - p$ and, for $x \in R$, $[x] = [x, 0, 0, \ldots] \in W(R)$ is its Teichmüller representative.

(1) *The rings* $\mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{cr}}$ *and* $\mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}}$. The ring $\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}$ is a topological $W(k)$-module having the following properties:

(i) $W(\overline{k})$ is embedded as a subring of $\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}$ and σ extends naturally to a Frobenius ϕ on $\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}$;
(ii) $\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}$ is equipped with a decreasing separated filtration $F^n\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}$, where $F^n\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}$ is the closure of the nth divided power of the PD ideal of $D_\xi(W(S))$; for $n < p$, $\phi(F^n\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}) \subset p^n\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}$;
(iii) G_K acts on $\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}$; the action is $W(\overline{k})$-semilinear, continuous, commutes with ϕ, and preserves the filtration;

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(iv) there exists an element $t \in F^1\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}$ such that $\phi(t) = pt$ and G_K acts on t via the cyclotomic character: if we fix $\varepsilon \in R$, a sequence of nontrivial p-roots of unity, then $t = \log([\varepsilon])$.

The rings $\mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{cr}}$ and $\mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{cr}}$ are defined as the rings $\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}[p^{-1}]$ and $\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}[p^{-1}, t^{-1}]$, respectively, with the induced topology, filtration, Frobenius, and the Galois action. For us, in this paper, it will be essential that the ring $\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}$ can be thought of as a cohomology of an 'arithmetic point', namely that

$$\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n} \simeq H^*_{\mathrm{cr}}(\mathrm{Spec}(\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K},n})),$$

where, for a scheme Y over $W(k)$, we set

$$\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(Y_n) := \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(Y_n/W_n(k)), \quad H^*_{\mathrm{cr}}(Y) := H^*_{\mathrm{cr}}(Y/W(k)) := H^* \operatorname{holim}_n \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(Y_n).$$

The canonical morphism $\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n} \to \mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}/p^n$ is surjective. Let $J_{\mathrm{cr},n}$ denote its kernel. Let

$$\mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}} = \varprojlim_r \Big(\mathbf{Q} \otimes \varprojlim_n \mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n}/J^{[r]}_{\mathrm{cr},n}\Big), \quad \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}} = \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}}[t^{-1}].$$

The ring $\mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}}$ has a discrete valuation given by powers of t. Its quotient field is $\mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}}$. We will denote by $F^n\mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}}$ the filtration induced on $\mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}}$ by powers of t.

(2) *The rings* $\mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}}$ *and* $\widehat{\mathbf{B}}_{\mathrm{st}}$. Let us now recall the definition of the ring $\mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}}$ [Fon94]. Set $\mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{st}} := \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{cr}}[u]$, $\phi(u) = pu$, and $Nu = -1$. Let π be a uniformizer of $\mathcal{O}_K$ (which we will fix in the rest of the paper). Let $\iota = \iota_\pi : \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{st}} \hookrightarrow \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}}$ denote the embedding $u \mapsto u_\pi = \log([\pi^\flat]/\pi)$. We use it to induce the Galois action on $\mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{st}}$ from the one on $\mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}}$. Let $\mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}} = \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{cr}}[u_\pi]$.

We will need the following crystalline interpretation of the ring $\mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{st}}$ (see [Kat94a, Tsu99a]). Let $R_{\pi,n}$ denote the PD envelope of the ring $W_n(k)[x]$ with respect to the closed immersion $W_n(k)[x] \to \mathcal{O}_{K,n}$, $x \mapsto \pi$, equipped with the log-structure associated to $\mathbf{N} \to R_{\pi,n}$, $1 \mapsto x$. Set $R_\pi := \varprojlim_n R_{\pi,n}$. Let

$$\widehat{\mathbf{A}}^+_{\mathrm{st}} = \varprojlim_n H^0_{\mathrm{cr}}(\mathrm{Spec}(\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K},n})/R_{\pi,n}), \quad \widehat{\mathbf{B}}^+_{\mathrm{st}} := \widehat{\mathbf{A}}^+_{\mathrm{st}}[1/p].$$

The ring $\widehat{\mathbf{B}}^+_{\mathrm{st}}$ has a natural action of G_K, Frobenius ϕ, and a monodromy operator N. Kato showed [Kat94a, 3.7] that the ring $\mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{st}}$ is canonically (and compatibly with all the structures) isomorphic to the subring of elements of $\widehat{\mathbf{B}}^+_{\mathrm{st}}$ annihilated by a power of the monodromy operator N. The map $\iota : \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{st}} \to \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}}$ extends naturally to a map $\iota : \widehat{\mathbf{B}}^+_{\mathrm{st}} \to \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}}$.

2.1.2 *Syntomic cohomology.* We will recall briefly the definition of syntomic cohomology. For a log-scheme X, we denote by X_{syn} the small log-syntomic site of X. For a log-scheme X log-syntomic over $\mathrm{Spec}(W(k))$, define

$$\mathcal{O}^{\mathrm{cr}}_n(X) = H^0_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_n, \mathcal{O}_{X_n}), \quad \mathcal{J}^{[r]}_n(X) = H^0_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_n, \mathcal{J}^{[r]}_{X_n}),$$

where $\mathcal{O}_{X_n}$ is the structure sheaf of the absolute log-crystalline site (i.e., over $W_n(k)$), $\mathcal{J}_{X_n} = \mathrm{Ker}(\mathcal{O}_{X_n/W_n(k)} \to \mathcal{O}_{X_n})$, and $\mathcal{J}^{[r]}_{X_n}$ is its rth divided power of $\mathcal{J}_{X_n}$. Set $\mathcal{J}^{[r]}_{X_n} = \mathcal{O}_{X_n}$ if $r \leq 0$. There is a canonical, compatible with Frobenius, and functorial isomorphism

$$H^*(X_{\mathrm{syn}}, \mathcal{J}^{[r]}_n) \simeq H^*_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_n, \mathcal{J}^{[r]}_{X_n}).$$

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It is easy to see that $\phi(\mathcal{J}_n^{[r]}) \subset p^r \mathcal{O}_n^{\mathrm{cr}}$ for $0 \leq r \leq p-1$. This fails in general and we modify $\mathcal{J}_n^{[r]}$:

$$\mathcal{J}_n^{\langle r \rangle} := \{x \in \mathcal{J}_{n+s}^{[r]} \mid \phi(x) \in p^r \mathcal{O}_{n+s}^{\mathrm{cr}}\}/p^n$$

for some $s \geq r$. This definition is independent of s. We can define the divided Frobenius

$$\phi_r = \text{“}\phi/p^r\text{”} : \mathcal{J}_n^{\langle r \rangle} \to \mathcal{O}_n^{\mathrm{cr}}.$$

Set

$$\mathcal{S}_n(r) := \mathrm{Cone}(\mathcal{J}_n^{\langle r \rangle} \xrightarrow{1-\phi_r} \mathcal{O}_n^{\mathrm{cr}})[-1].$$

We will write $\mathcal{S}_n(r)$ for the syntomic sheaves on $X_{m,\mathrm{syn}}$, $m \geq n$, as well as on X_{syn}. We will also need the ‘undivided’ version of syntomic complexes of sheaves:

$$\mathcal{S}'_n(r) := \mathrm{Cone}(\mathcal{J}_n^{[r]} \xrightarrow{p^r-\phi} \mathcal{O}_n^{\mathrm{cr}})[-1].$$

The natural map $\mathcal{S}'_n(r) \to \mathcal{S}_n(r)$ induced by the maps $p^r : \mathcal{J}_n^{[r]} \to \mathcal{J}_n^{\langle r \rangle}$ and $\mathrm{Id} : \mathcal{O}_n^{\mathrm{cr}} \to \mathcal{O}_n^{\mathrm{cr}}$ has kernel and cokernel killed by p^r. We will also write $\mathcal{S}_n(r)$, $\mathcal{S}'_n(r)$ for $\mathrm{R}\varepsilon_* \mathcal{S}_n(r)$, $\mathrm{R}\varepsilon_* \mathcal{S}'_n(r)$, respectively, where $\varepsilon : X_{n,\mathrm{syn}} \to X_{n,\text{ét}}$ is the canonical projection to the étale site.

The p-adic syntomic cohomology of X is defined as

$$\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X, \mathcal{S}(r)) := \mathrm{holim}_n \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X, \mathcal{S}_n(r)), \quad \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X, \mathcal{S}'(r)) := \mathrm{holim}_n \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X, \mathcal{S}'_n(r)).$$

2.1.3 *Cohomology with compact support.* Let X be a finite and saturated log-smooth log-scheme over $\mathcal{O}_K^{\times}$ (respectively over $\mathcal{O}_K$). Since X is log-regular it is normal and the maximal open subset $U = X_{\mathrm{tr}} \subset X$, where the log-structure M_X is trivial, is dense in X. We have $M_X = \mathcal{O}_X \cap j_* \mathcal{O}_U^*$, where $j : U \hookrightarrow X$ is the open immersion. By [Niz06a, Theorem 5.10], there exists a log-blow-up of X that has Zariski log-structure and is (classically) regular.

Assume that X itself has these properties. Then U is a complement of a divisor with simple normal crossings that is a union $D_0 \cup D$ (respectively D) of the reduced special fiber and the horizontal part D. The scheme X has *generalized semistable reduction*, i.e., Zariski locally on X, there exists an étale morphism over $\mathcal{O}_K$:

$$X \to \mathrm{Spec}(\mathcal{O}_K[T_1, \ldots, T_u]/(T_1^{n_1} \cdots T_u^{n_u} - \pi)[U_1, \ldots, U_m, V_1, \ldots, V_t])$$

for some integers $u \geq 1$ (respectively $u = 0$), $m, t \geq 0, n_i > 0$. The divisor D is the inverse image of $U_1 \cdots U_m = 0$. In particular, all the closed strata of D are log-smooth over $\mathcal{O}_K^{\times}$ and regular (respectively smooth over $\mathcal{O}_K$). If all $n_i = 1$, we say that X has *semistable reduction*.

Take X as above with semistable reduction. Recall the following definitions. The p-adic *étale cohomology* of $X_{\overline{K}}$ with compact support.[2]

$$\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét},c}(X_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p) = \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K}}, \bar{j}_{K!} \mathbf{Q}_p).$$

The *de Rham cohomology* of X_K with compact support [Tsu99b, Definition 3.2]

$$\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR},c}(X_K) = \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_K, \mathcal{I}_{D_K} \Omega^{\bullet}_{X_K}),$$

[2] If X is proper this is, of course, isomorphic to $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét},c}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p)$.

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where $\mathcal{I}_{D_K} \subset j_{K*}\mathcal{O}^*_{U_K} \cap \mathcal{O}_{X_K}$ is the ideal of $\mathcal{O}_{X_K}$ corresponding to D_K. We filter it by

$$F^r \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR},c}(X_K) = \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_K, \mathcal{I}_{D_K}\Omega^{\geq r}_{X_K}), \quad r \in \mathbf{Z}.$$

The *crystalline cohomology* of X_0 over $W(k)^0$ with compact support [Tsu99b, Definition 5.4]

$$\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr},c}(X_0/W(k)^0) = \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_0/W(k)^0, \mathcal{K}_{D_0}),$$

where $\mathcal{K}_{D_0}$ is an ideal sheaf induced by the sheaf $\mathcal{I}_{D_0}$ [Tsu99b, Lemma 5.3]. The crystalline cohomology $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr},c}(X)$ is defined in a similar way. We filter it by setting $F^r\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr},c}(X) = \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X, \mathcal{K}_{D_0}\mathcal{J}_X^{[r]})$, $r \in \mathbf{Z}$. This allows us to define the syntomic cohomology with compact support $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn},c}(X, \mathcal{S}_n(r))$ and $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn},c}(X, \mathcal{S}'_n(r))$.

The above cohomologies with compact support are special cases of cohomologies of finite simplicial schemes. Define $C(X, D) := \mathrm{cofiber}(\widetilde{D}_\bullet \xrightarrow{i_*} X)$, where $\widetilde{D}_\bullet$ is the Čech nerve of the map $\coprod_i D_i \to D$, D_i being an irreducible component of D. The log-structure on the schemes in $C(X, D)$ is trivial if X is over $\mathcal{O}_K$ and induced from the special fiber if X is over $\mathcal{O}_K^\times$.

LEMMA 2.1. *Let* $\mathrm{R}\Gamma(X)$ *denote one of the cohomologies mentioned above. We have a natural (filtered) quasi-isomorphism*

$$\mathrm{R}\Gamma_c(X) \simeq \mathrm{R}\Gamma(C(X, D)).$$

It is compatible with products.[3]

Proof. The étale and de Rham cases follow immediately from the following exact sequences ($r \in \mathbf{Z}$):

$$\begin{aligned} 0 \to \bar{j}_{K!}\mathbf{Q}_p \to \mathbf{Q}_{p,X_{\overline{K}}} \to \bar{i}_{1*}\mathbf{Q}_{p,D^1_{\overline{K}}} \to \bar{i}_{2*}\mathbf{Q}_{p,D^2_{\overline{K}}} \to \cdots, \\ 0 \to \mathcal{I}_{D_K}\Omega^{\geq r}_{X_K} \to \Omega^{\geq r}_{X_K} \to i_{1*}\Omega^{\geq r}_{D^1_K} \to i_{2*}\Omega^{\geq r}_{D^2_K} \to \cdots. \end{aligned} \tag{2.2}$$

Here $D^m := \widetilde{D}_m$ is the direct sum of the intersections of m irreducible components of D. We note that $C(X, D)_{\overline{K}} \simeq C(X_{\overline{K}}, D_{\overline{K}})$ even if (X, D) is not geometrically irreducible.

The crystalline case over $W(k)^0$ follows from a mixed characteristic analog of the second sequence. And the case over $W(k)$ reduces to this sequence as well. Indeed, if $\mathcal{O}_K = W(k)$, this is clear. In general, locally, we have an embedding into such a situation. Because, by assumption, this embedding is regular, the above-mentioned sequence remains exact after tensoring with the divided power envelope and computes cohomology with compact support.

For the syntomic case, it suffices to check that the above crystalline quasi-isomorphism preserves filtrations. But this follows easily from the fact that the associated grading of the filtration on the divided power envelope is free over $\mathcal{O}_X$.

Concerning compatibility with products, the étale, the de Rham, and the crystalline cases are immediate from the expressions (2.2). In the syntomic case, compatibility follows from the fact that syntomic cohomology is defined as a mapping fiber of (filtered) crystalline cohomology and the syntomic product is the mapping fiber product induced from the crystalline product. □

[3] The product on the cohomology of a simplicial scheme is defined as the holim-product induced by the cosimplicial degree-wise products.

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2.1.4 *Fontaine–Lafaille theory.* The main reference for this section is [FL82]. Assume first that $\mathcal{O}_K = W(k)$. For the integral crystalline theory (Fontaine–Laffaille theory), we will need the following abelian categories:

(i) $\mathcal{MF}_{\mathrm{big}}(\mathcal{O}_K)$: an object is given by a p-torsion $\mathcal{O}_K$-module M and a family of p-torsion $\mathcal{O}_K$-modules F^iM together with $\mathcal{O}_K$-linear maps $F^iM \to F^{i-1}M$, $F^iM \to M$, and σ-semilinear maps $\phi_i : F^iM \to M$ satisfying certain compatibility conditions;
(ii) $\mathcal{MF}(\mathcal{O}_K)$: the full subcategory of $\mathcal{MF}_{\mathrm{big}}(\mathcal{O}_K)$ with objects: finite $\mathcal{O}_K$-modules M such that $F^iM = 0$ for $i \gg 0$, the maps $F^i(M) \to M$ are injective and $\sum \mathrm{Im}\,\phi_i = M$;
(iii) $\mathcal{MF}_{[a,b]}(\mathcal{O}_K)$: the full subcategory of objects M of $\mathcal{MF}(\mathcal{O}_K)$ such that $F^aM = M$ and $F^{b+1}M = 0$.

Consider the category $\mathcal{MF}_{[a,b]}(\mathcal{O}_K)$ with $b - a \leq p - 2$. There exists an exact and fully faithful functor

$$\mathbf{L}(M) = \ker(F^0(M \otimes \mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}\{-b\}(-b)) \xrightarrow{1-\phi_0} M \otimes \mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}(-b)),$$

where $\{-b\}$ and $(-b)$ are the $\mathcal{MF}$ and Tate twists[4], respectively, from $\mathcal{MF}_{[a,b]}(\mathcal{O}_K)$ to finite $\mathbf{Z}_p$-Galois representations. Its essential image is called the category of *crystalline representations of weight between a and b*. This category is closed under taking tensor products and duals (assuming that we stay in the admissible range of the filtration).

The following proposition generalizes [FM87, 2.7], Faltings [Fal89, 4.1], and [Niz09, Lemma 2.3] from schemes to finite simplicial schemes.

Proposition 2.3. *Let X be a smooth and proper m-truncated simplicial scheme over $\mathcal{O}_K = W(k)$ whose components have dimension smaller than d. Then, for $d \leq p-2$ or for $i \leq p-2$, the filtered Frobenius module $H^i_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_n)$ lies in $\mathcal{MF}_{[0,d]}(\mathcal{O}_K)$ or $\mathcal{MF}_{[0,i]}(\mathcal{O}_K)$, respectively. Moreover, then the natural morphism*

$$\psi_n : H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}_n(r)) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathbf{L}(H^i_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_n)\{-r\}) \simeq F^r H^i_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}},n})^{\phi_r = 1}$$

is an isomorphism for $p - 2 \geq r \geq d$ or for $0 \leq i \leq r \leq p-2$, respectively.

Here

$$H^i_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_n) \simeq H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_n/\mathcal{O}_{K,n}) := H^i(X_n, \Omega^\bullet_{X_n/\mathcal{O}_{K,n}})$$

and the maps

$$\phi_k = \text{“}\phi/p^k\text{”} : F^k H^i_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_n) \to H^i_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_n),$$

where ϕ denotes the crystalline Frobenius. The Hodge filtration is

$$F^k H^i_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_n) \simeq \mathrm{Im}(H^i(X_n, \Omega^{\geq k}_{X_n/\mathcal{O}_{K,n}}) \to H^i(X_n, \Omega^\bullet_{X_n/\mathcal{O}_{K,n}}))$$

since the Hodge–de Rham spectral sequence of X_n degenerates: by devissage, we can reduce to $n = 1$ and then it follows from the results of Deligne and Illusie [DI87, Corollary 3.7].

Proof. The proof of [FM87, 2.7] for schemes goes through for truncated simplicial schemes, proving the first claim of the proposition. For the second claim, we argue by induction on $m \geq 0$ such that $X \simeq \mathrm{sk}_m X$. The case of $m = 0$ is treated in [FM87, 2.7]. Assume that our proposition

[4] For $M \in \mathcal{MF}$, we set $F^jM\{i\} := F^{j-i}M, \phi_{M\{i\},j} := p^i\phi_{M,j-i}$.

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is true for $m-1$. To show it for m, consider the homotopy cofiber sequence

$$\operatorname{sk}_{m-1} X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}} \to \operatorname{sk}_m X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}} \to \operatorname{sk}_m X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}} / \operatorname{sk}_{m-1} X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}$$

and apply the maps ψ_n to it. We get the following map of sequences.

$$\begin{array}{ccccccccc}
H^{i-1}_{\mathrm{syn}}(\operatorname{sk}_{m-1} X) & \longrightarrow & H^{i-1}_{\mathrm{syn}}(X'_m) & \longrightarrow & H^{i}_{\mathrm{syn}}(\operatorname{sk}_m X) & \longrightarrow & H^{i}_{\mathrm{syn}}(\operatorname{sk}_{m-1} X) & \longrightarrow & H^{i}_{\mathrm{syn}}(X'_m) \\
\wr\downarrow \psi_n & & \wr\downarrow \psi_n & & \downarrow \psi_n & & \wr\downarrow \psi_n & & \wr\downarrow \psi_n \\
\mathbf{L}(H^{i-1}_{\mathrm{cr}}(\operatorname{sk}_{m-1} X)) & \to & \mathbf{L}(H^{i-1}_{\mathrm{cr}}(X'_m)) & \to & \mathbf{L}(H^{i}_{\mathrm{cr}}(\operatorname{sk}_m X)) & \to & \mathbf{L}(H^{i}_{\mathrm{cr}}(\operatorname{sk}_{m-1} X)) & \to & \mathbf{L}(H^{i}_{\mathrm{cr}}(X'_m))
\end{array}$$

Here we set $H^*_{\mathrm{syn}}(Y) = H^*_{\text{ét}}(Y_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}_n(r))$, $\mathbf{L}(H^*_{\mathrm{cr}}(Y)) = \mathbf{L}(H^*_{\mathrm{cr}}(Y_n)\{-r\})$. We also put

$$H^*_\alpha(X'_m, *) = H^*_\alpha(X_m, *) \cap \ker s_0^* \cap \cdots \cap \ker s_{m-1}^*, \quad \alpha = \mathrm{syn}, \mathrm{cr},$$

where each $s_i : X_{m-1} \to X_m$ is a degeneracy map. The top sequence is exact. So is the bottom: it is clearly exact before applying $\mathbf{L}$ and it stays exact because the relevant categories $\mathcal{MF}$ are closed under taking subobjects and the functor $\mathbf{L}$ is exact.

By the inductive hypothesis, we have the isomorphisms shown. It follows that the map

$$\psi_n : H^i_{\text{ét}}(\operatorname{sk}_m X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}_n(r)) \to \mathbf{L}(H^*_{\mathrm{cr}}(\operatorname{sk}_m X_n)\{-r\})$$

is an isomorphism as well. Since $H^i_{\text{ét}}(\operatorname{sk}_m X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}_n(r)) \xrightarrow{\sim} H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}_n(r))$ and $H^*_{\mathrm{cr}}(\operatorname{sk}_m X_n) \xrightarrow{\sim} H^*_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_n)$, we are done. □

The above proposition can be applied to cohomology with compact support.

COROLLARY 2.4. *Let X be a smooth and proper scheme over $\mathcal{O}_K = W(k)$ with a divisor D that has relative simple normal crossings and all the closed strata smooth over $\mathcal{O}_K$. Equip X with the log-structure coming from D. Then, if the relative dimension d of X is $\leq p-2$ or if $i \leq p-2$, the filtered Frobenius module $H^i_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_n)$ lies in $\mathcal{MF}_{[0,d]}(\mathcal{O}_K)$ or $\mathcal{MF}_{[0,i]}(\mathcal{O}_K)$, respectively. Moreover, then the natural morphism*

$$\psi_n : H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}_n(r)) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathbf{L}(H^i_{\mathrm{cr},c}(X_n)\{-r\}) \simeq F^r H^i_{\mathrm{cr},c}(X_n)^{\phi_r = 1}$$

is an isomorphism for $p-2 \geq r \geq d$ or for $0 \leq i \leq r \leq p-2$, respectively.

Proof. By Lemma 2.1, we have a canonical isomorphism

$$H^i_{\mathrm{cr},c}(X_n) \simeq H^i_{\mathrm{cr}}(C(X,D)_n).$$

Our corollary follows now from Proposition 2.3. □

2.1.5 *More cohomological identities.* Let $\mathcal{O}_K$ be general and let X be an $\mathcal{O}_K$-scheme. Recall that, if X is smooth and proper, Kato and Messing [KM92] have constructed the following

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isomorphisms:

$$\begin{aligned} h_{\mathrm{cr}} &: H^i_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_0)_{\mathbf{Q}} \otimes \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{cr}} \xrightarrow{\sim} H^i_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}})_{\mathbf{Q}} \quad [\text{KM92}, 1.2], \\ & H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) \otimes \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}} \simeq \varprojlim_N \Big(\varprojlim_n H^i_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}},n}, \mathcal{O}_n/J_n^{[N]}) \Big)_{\mathbf{Q}} \quad [\text{KM92}, 1.4], \\ h_{\mathrm{dR}} &: F^r(H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) \otimes \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}}) \xrightarrow{\sim} \varprojlim_N \Big(\varprojlim_n H^i_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}},n}, J_n^{[r]}/J_n^{[N]}) \Big)_{\mathbf{Q}}. \end{aligned}$$

We will need also to know the following lemma [Niz98, Lemma 2.2].

Lemma 2.5. *The following two compositions of maps are equal:*

$$\begin{aligned} &\mathbf{Q} \otimes \varprojlim_n H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'_n(r)) \to \varprojlim_N \Big(\mathbf{Q} \otimes \varprojlim_n H^i_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}},n}, J_n^{[r]}/J_n^{[N]}) \Big) \xrightarrow{h_{\mathrm{dR}}^{-1}} F^r(H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) \otimes \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}}) \\ &\quad \to H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) \otimes \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}}, \\ &\mathbf{Q} \otimes \varprojlim_n H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'_n(r)) \to \mathbf{Q} \otimes \varprojlim_n H^i_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}},n}) \xrightarrow{h_{\mathrm{cr}}^{-1}} H^i_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_0) \otimes_{W(k)} \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{cr}} \xrightarrow{\delta} H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) \otimes \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}}, \end{aligned}$$

where δ is induced by the Berthelot–Ogus isomorphism [BO83, 2.2] $H^i_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_0) \otimes_{W(k)} K \simeq H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K)$.

Let X be any fine log-scheme which is log-smooth and proper over $\mathcal{O}_K^{\times}$ with saturated log-structure on the generic fiber. We will need the crystalline interpretation of $\mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}} \otimes_K H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K)$ from [Kat94a] (see also [Tsu99a, 4.7]):

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}} \otimes_K H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) &\xrightarrow{\sim} \varprojlim_s H^i_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}/\mathcal{O}_K^{\times}, \mathcal{O}/J^{[s]})_{\mathbf{Q}} \quad [\text{Tsu99a}, 4.7.6], \\ F^r(\mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}} \otimes_K H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K)) &\xrightarrow{\sim} \varprojlim_{s \geq r} H^i_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}/\mathcal{O}_K^{\times}, J^{[r]}/J^{[s]})_{\mathbf{Q}} \quad [\text{Tsu99a}, 4.7.13]. \end{aligned} \tag{2.6}$$

Finally, let us recall briefly the *Hyodo–Kato isomorphism*. We define the Hyodo–Kato cohomology as

$$H^i_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) := H^i_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_0/W(k)^0)_{\mathbf{Q}}.$$

If the special fiber of X is of Cartier type, Kato defined [Kat94a, 4.2 and 4.5] canonical morphisms (that however depend on the choice of π)

$$H^i_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}})_{\mathbf{Q}} \xrightarrow{h_\pi} (\widehat{\mathbf{B}}^+_{\mathrm{st}} \otimes_F H^i_{\mathrm{HK}}(X))^{N=0} \xleftarrow{\sim} (\mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{st}} \otimes_F H^i_{\mathrm{HK}}(X))^{N=0}. \tag{2.7}$$

It can be checked (see [Tsu99a, 4.5.6 and 4.5.7]) that these morphisms are compatible with Galois action and the Frobenius. Moreover, Hyodo and Kato [HK94, 5.1] have constructed a canonical K-isomorphism

$$\rho_\pi : K \otimes_F H^i_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \xrightarrow{\sim} H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K). \tag{2.8}$$

Hence, the composition

$$\rho_\pi h_\pi : H^i_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}})_{\mathbf{Q}} \to \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{st}} \otimes_F H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K)$$

is functorial in X and compatible with Galois action.

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It is easy to check that all the above extends to finite simplicial (log-)schemes X.

(i) The map h_{cr} actually lifts in a functorial way to a statement in the ∞-derived category[5] and hence extends to simplicial schemes. Similarly for the morphisms in (2.7).
(ii) Similarly for the Hyodo–Kato isomorphism (2.8), though here finiteness of the simplicial scheme is an important assumption one needs to make to control the denominators (for details, see [Tsu98, 6.3] and [Kis02, 2.8]).
(iii) Similarly for the map h_{dR}, the maps in Lemma 2.5, and the maps in (2.6), where in addition one needs to use that the Hodge–de Rham spectral sequence for X degenerates (which, by passing to the complex numbers, follows from the classical Hodge theory; see [Del74, 7.2.8]).

2.1.6 *A key isomorphism.* Let X be a proper semistable scheme over $\mathcal{O}_K$. The following lemma will be crucial in the comparison of period morphisms.

LEMMA 2.9. *Let $r \geq i$. There exists a natural isomorphism*

$$H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'(r))_{\mathbf{Q}} \xrightarrow{\sim} (H^i_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \otimes_F \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}})^{N=0,\phi=p^r} \cap F^r(H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) \otimes_K \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}}).$$

Proof. This is well known; see [NN16, Corollary 3.23] and [CN17, Proposition 5.22]. We will sketch here the construction of the map for future reference; see [NN16, Corollary 3.23] for details. Consider the following sequence of maps of homotopy limits; they are all quasi-isomorphisms. Homotopy limits are taken in the ∞-derived category.

$$\begin{aligned}
h_r : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'(r))_{\mathbf{Q}} &\xrightarrow{\sim} [\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}})_{\mathbf{Q}}^{\phi=p^r} \xrightarrow{\mathrm{can}} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}})_{\mathbf{Q}}/F^r] \\
&\xrightarrow{\sim} [\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}/R_\pi)_{\mathbf{Q}}^{N=0,\phi=p^r} \xrightarrow{p_\pi} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}/\mathcal{O}_K^\times)_{\mathbf{Q}}/F^r] \\
&\xleftarrow{\sim} [(\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X/R_\pi) \otimes^L_{R_\pi} \widehat{\mathbf{B}}^+_{\mathrm{st}})^{N=0,\phi=p^r} \xrightarrow{p_\pi\otimes\iota} (\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) \otimes^L_K \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}})/F^r] \\
&\xleftarrow{\iota_\pi} [(\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \otimes^L_F \widehat{\mathbf{B}}^+_{\mathrm{st}})^{N=0,\phi=p^r} \xrightarrow{\rho_\pi\otimes\iota} (\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) \otimes^L_K \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}})/F^r] \\
&\xleftarrow{\sim} [(\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \otimes^L_F \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{st}})^{N=0,\phi=p^r} \xrightarrow{\rho_\pi\otimes\iota} (\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) \otimes^L_K \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}})/F^r] \ .
\end{aligned} \tag{2.10}$$

Here the eigenspaces are taken in the derived sense and we used the brackets $[-]$ to denote a mapping fiber. The first two maps and the last map are the canonical maps. We wrote p_π for the projection $x \mapsto \pi$. The second map is induced by the distinguished triangle

$$\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}) \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}/R_\pi) \xrightarrow{N} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}/R_\pi).$$

The third map is induced by the Künneth map; we also used here the quasi-isomorphism (2.6). The fourth map is induced by the section $\iota_\pi : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X/R_\pi)_{\mathbf{Q}}$ of the projection $x \mapsto 0$ (recall that $\rho_\pi = p_\pi\iota_\pi$). □

[5] A good source of the quasi-isomorphisms of this type is [Bei13] as well as [NN16].

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2.2 Localization map

For (finite simplicial) schemes X over $\mathcal{O}_K$ that are smooth or log-smooth and regular, the localization map

$$j^* : K_i(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathbf{Z}/n) \to K_i(X_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/n), \quad i \geq 0,$$

where $j : X_{\overline{K}} \hookrightarrow X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}$ is the natural open immersion, is easy to understand as the two following lemmas show. Here $K_i(-, \mathbf{Z}/n)$ is the K-theory with coefficients $\mathbf{Z}/n$ (see [Niz16, § 4.1.1]).

Lemma 2.11. *Let X be a finite smooth simplicial $\mathcal{O}_K$-scheme. For any integer n, the localization morphism*

$$j^* : K_i(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathbf{Z}/n) \to K_i(X_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/n), \quad i \geq 0,$$

is an isomorphism.

Proof. Recall that we have proved in [Niz98, Lemma 3.1] that this lemma is true if X is a single smooth scheme over $\mathcal{O}_K$. By the same method, we get the other hypercohomology spectral sequences, namely, the weight spectral sequences [Tho85, 5.13 and 5.48]

$$E_2^{st} = H^s(m \mapsto \pi_t(K(X_m), \mathbf{Z}/n)) \Rightarrow H^{s-t}(X, K; \mathbf{Z}/n), \quad t - s \geq 3.$$

Here K is the presheaf $\mathbf{Z} \times \mathbf{Z}_\infty BGL$, where $BGL(U) = \operatorname{inj\,lim}_n BGL_n(U)$. Since the natural inclusion $j : X_{\overline{K}} \hookrightarrow X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}$ induces a localization map on the corresponding spectral sequences compatible with the localization maps on individual schemes, we get isomorphisms on the terms of the spectral sequences that induce an isomorphism on the abutments, as wanted. □

Let X be a finite and saturated Zariski log-smooth log-scheme over $\mathcal{O}_K^\times$ (respectively over $\mathcal{O}_K$) that is classically regular. The maximal open subset $U = X_{\mathrm{tr}} \subset X$ where the log-structure M_X is trivial is dense in X and we have $M_X = \mathcal{O}_X \cap l_* \mathcal{O}_U^*$, where $l : U \hookrightarrow X$ is the open immersion. The subset U is a complement of a divisor with simple normal crossings that is a union $D_0 \cup D$ (respectively D) of the reduced special fiber and the horizontal part D.

Let K_1 be a finite extension of K and let $\mathcal{O}_{K_1}$ be its ring of integers. The log-scheme $X_{\mathcal{O}_{K_1}}$ is in general singular but it can be desingularized by a log-blow-up, i.e., there exists a log-blow-up $f : Y \to X_{\mathcal{O}_{K_1}}$ that does not modify the regular locus and such that Y is a (classically) regular Zariski log-scheme. Below we will only consider log-blow-ups of $X_{\mathcal{O}_{K_1}}$ that are *vertical*, i.e., we blow up only closed strata involving the vertical divisor $D_{0,\mathcal{O}_{K_1}}$. More precisely, let $F(X)$ be the fan of X [Kat94b, 10] (recall that X is assumed to be Zariski and regular). It is a fan over the fan $F(\mathcal{O}_K^\times) = \mathrm{Spec}(\mathbf{N})$, $\pi : F(X) \to \mathrm{Spec}(\mathbf{N})$. Let $F_0(X)$ be the vertical fan of $F(X)$, i.e., the maximal open subfan of $F(X)$ containing the closed fiber $\pi^{-1}(s)$, where $s = \{n \geq 1 | n \in \mathbf{N}\}$ is the closed point of $\mathrm{Spec}(\mathbf{N})$ [Sai04, proof of Lemma 2.5]. We have a natural map $F(X) \to F_0(X)$.

The log-scheme $X_{\mathcal{O}_{K_1}}$ has the fan $F(X_{\mathcal{O}_{K_1}}) = F_e(X) = F(X) \times_{\mathrm{Spec}(\mathbf{N})} \mathrm{Spec}(\mathbf{N}_e)$, where e denotes the ramification index of $\mathcal{O}_{K_1}/\mathcal{O}_K$. We have the natural map $F(X_{\mathcal{O}_{K_1}}) \to F_{0,e}(X)$. From now on we consider only log-blow-ups $Y \to X_{\mathcal{O}_{K_1}}$ induced from regular subdivisions of the vertical fan $F_{0,e}(X)$. In the local picture above, we consider only log-blow-ups of $X_{\mathcal{O}_{K_1}}$ induced from log-blow-ups of the vertical part $X^v_{\mathcal{O}_{K_1}}$. Notice that the scheme Y has generalized semistable reduction as well and the horizontal divisor D_Y is the preimage of $D_{\mathcal{O}_{K_1}}$.

Let $\mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}$ denote the projective system of such pairs $(f : Y \to Y_{\mathcal{O}_{K_1}}, \mathcal{O}_{K_1})$ (that we will sometimes just call Y) and $\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}$ denote the induced projective system $(D_Y \subset Y, f, \mathcal{O}_{K_1})$ for $(f : Y \to X_{\mathcal{O}_{K_1}}, \mathcal{O}_{K_1}) \in \mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}$. We will show that we can pass from the K-theory with compact

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support of the generic fiber $X_{\overline{K}}$ to the K-theory with compact support of the regular model $\mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}$ that we define as

$$K_j^{\mathrm{c}}(\mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) := \varinjlim_{Y \in \overrightarrow{\mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}}} K_j(C(Y, D_Y), \mathbf{Z}/p^n).$$

LEMMA 2.12. *Let $j : X_{\overline{K}} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}$ be the natural open immersion. Then the restriction*

$$j^* : K_j^{\mathrm{c}}(\mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \xrightarrow{\sim} K_j^{\mathrm{c}}(X_{\overline{K}}, D_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n), \quad j > d+1,$$

is an isomorphism and the induced map on the γ-graded pieces

$$j^* : F_\gamma^i/F_\gamma^{i+1}K_j^{\mathrm{c}}(\mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \to F_\gamma^i/F_\gamma^{i+1}K_j^{\mathrm{c}}(X_{\overline{K}}, D_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n), \quad j > d+1,$$

has kernel and cokernel annihilated by $M(2d, i+1, 2j)$ and $M(2d, i, 2j)$, respectively. Here $F_\gamma^i K_j(-, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$ is a γ-filtration (see [Niz16, § 4.1.4]).

Remark 2.13. The integers $M(k, m, n)$ are defined by the following procedure [Sou82, 3.4]. Let l be a positive integer, and let w_l be the greatest common divisor of the set of integers $k^N(k^l - 1)$ as k runs over the positive integers and N is large enough with respect to l. Let $M(k)$ be the product of the w_l for $2l < k$. Set $M(k, m, n) = \prod_{2m \le 2l \le n+2k+1} M(2l)$. An odd prime p divides $M(d, i, j)$ if and only if $p < (j + 2d + 3)/2$, and divides $M(l)$ if and only if $p < (l/2) + 1$.

Proof. It suffices to argue on finite levels. So, we may simply assume that we have a regular scheme X over $\mathcal{O}_K$ with a divisor D that has relative simple normal crossings and whose irreducible components are all regular. We need to show the above lemma just for the pair (X, D).

For the first statement of the lemma, consider the following commutative diagram with the horizontal sequences exact.

$$\begin{array}{ccccccccc}
\longrightarrow & K_{j+1}(\widetilde{D}_\bullet, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) & \longrightarrow & K_j^{\mathrm{c}}(X, D, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) & \longrightarrow & K_j(X, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) & \xrightarrow{i^*} & K_j(\widetilde{D}_\bullet, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) & \longrightarrow \\
 & \downarrow j^* & & \downarrow j^* & & \wr \downarrow j^* & & \downarrow j^* & \\
\longrightarrow & K_{j+1}(\widetilde{D}_{K\bullet}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) & \longrightarrow & K_j^{\mathrm{c}}(X_K, D_K, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) & \longrightarrow & K_j(X_K, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) & \xrightarrow{i^*} & K_j(\widetilde{D}_{K\bullet}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) & \longrightarrow
\end{array}$$

It shows that it suffices to prove that the restriction map

$$j^* : K_j(\widetilde{D}_\bullet, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \to K_j(\widetilde{D}_{K\bullet}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n), \quad j > d+1,$$

is an isomorphism. To see that, write $D = \bigcup_{i=1}^{i=m} D_i$ as a union of irreducible components D_i and argue by induction on m. Recall that we have proved in [Niz08, Lemma 3.5] that the above lemma is true if $m = 1$. Assume now that the above isomorphism holds for $m - 1$. To prove it for m, consider the restriction map of the following long exact sequences.

$$\begin{array}{ccccccccc}
\to & K_{j+1}(\widetilde{D}_{Y\bullet}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) & \to & K_j(\widetilde{D}_\bullet, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) & \to & K_j(Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \oplus K_j(\widetilde{D}'_\bullet, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) & \to & K_j(\widetilde{D}_{Y\bullet}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) & \to \\
 & \wr \downarrow j^* & & \downarrow j^* & & \wr \downarrow j^* & & \wr \downarrow j^* & \\
\to & K_{j+1}(\widetilde{D}_{Y,K\bullet}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) & \to & K_j(\widetilde{D}_{K\bullet}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) & \to & K_j(Y_K, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \oplus K_j(\widetilde{D}'_{K\bullet}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) & \to & K_j(\widetilde{D}_{Y,K\bullet}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) & \to
\end{array}$$

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Here we wrote $Y = D_1$, $D' = \bigcup_{i=2}^{i=m} D_i$, and $D_Y = D' \cap Y$. By the inductive hypothesis, we have the isomorphisms shown. It follows that we have the isomorphism

$$j^* : K_j(\widetilde{D}_\bullet, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \xrightarrow{\sim} K_j(\widetilde{D}_{K\bullet}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n), \quad j > d+1,$$

as wanted.

Hence, the first statement of the lemma is true. It implies that, for $j > d+1$, the top map in the following commutative diagram is an isomorphism.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \widetilde{F}^i_\gamma/\widetilde{F}^{i+1}_\gamma K^{\mathrm{c}}_j(X, D, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) & \xrightarrow[\sim]{j^*} & \widetilde{F}^i_\gamma/\widetilde{F}^{i+1}_\gamma K^{\mathrm{c}}_j(X_K, D_K, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ F^i_\gamma/F^{i+1}_\gamma K^{\mathrm{c}}_j(X, D, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) & \xrightarrow{j^*} & F^i_\gamma/F^{i+1}_\gamma K^{\mathrm{c}}_j(X_K, D_K, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \end{array}$$

Here $\widetilde{F}^i_\gamma$ refers to a modified γ-filtration (see [Niz16, § 4.1.4] for details). Since, by [Niz16, Lemma 4.4], $M(2d, i, 2j) F^i_\gamma K^{\mathrm{c}}_j(X_K, D_K, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \subset \widetilde{F}^i_\gamma K^{\mathrm{c}}_j(X_K, D_K, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$, we get the second statement of our lemma. □

2.3 Étale Chern classes

The following proposition shows that we can invert étale Chern classes modulo some constants.

Proposition 2.14. *Let Y be a smooth finite simplicial scheme over $\overline{K}$ such that $Y \simeq \mathrm{sk}_m Y$. Set $d = \max_{s \le m} \dim Y_s$. Let $p^n \ge 5$, $j \ge \max\{2d, 2\}$, $j \ge 3$ for $d = 0$ and $p = 2$, and $2i - j \ge 0$. There exists an integer $D(d, m, i, j)$ depending only on d, m, i, and j such that the kernel and cokernel of the Chern class map*

$$\overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{ij} : \mathrm{gr}^i_\gamma K_j(Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \to H^{2i-j}_{\text{ét}}(Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(i))$$

are annihilated by $D(d, m, i, j)$. Any prime $p > d + m + j + 1$ does not divide $D(d, m, i, j)$.

Remark 2.15. This proposition is a K-theory version of the following theorem of Suslin [Sus00, Gei10].

Theorem 2.16 Suslin. *For Y a smooth scheme of dimension d over $\overline{K}$, the change of topology map*

$$H^j_{\text{Zar}}(Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(i)_M) \to H^j_{\text{ét}}(Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(i)_M)$$

is an isomorphism for $i \ge d$. Here $\mathbf{Z}/p^n(i)_M$ is the complex of motivic sheaves (Bloch higher Chow complex).

Proof. To prove the proposition, we are going to argue by induction on m. The case of $m = 0$ was treated in [Niz08, Proposition 3.2]. We computed there that

$$D(d, 0, i, j) = (i-1)! M(d, i, j) M(d, i+1, j) M(d, i+1, 2j) M(d, i, 2j) M(2d)^{2d}.$$

Assume that $m \ge 1$. For the inductive step, we need to filter Y by its skeletons. We work on the site of schemes smooth over $\overline{K}$ equipped with the Zariski topology. Take a fibrant replacement $K \to K^f$. The pointed simplicial sets $\mathrm{Hom}(\mathrm{sk}_t Y, K^f)$ form a tower of fibrations converging to

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$\mathrm{Hom}(Y, K^f)$ [BK72, X.3.2]. Let F_t be the fiber over $*$ of $\mathrm{Hom}(\mathrm{sk}_t Y, K^f) \to \mathrm{Hom}(\mathrm{sk}_{t-1} Y, K^f)$. Then, by Bousfield and Kan [BK72, Proposition X.6.3],

$$F_t \simeq \mathrm{Hom}(\mathrm{sk}_t Y/\mathrm{sk}_{t-1} Y, K^f) \simeq \Omega^t N^t K^f(Y_t),$$

where

$$N^t K^f(Y_t) = K^f(Y_t) \cap \ker s_0^* \cap \cdots \cap \ker s_{t-1}^*$$

and $s_i : Y_{t-1} \to Y_t$ is a codegeneracy. In particular, the natural map

$$\mathrm{Hom}(Y, K^f) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{Hom}(\mathrm{sk}_m Y, K^f)$$

is a weak equivalence.

For $j \geq 2$ and $j + t \geq 3$, using again [BK72, Proposition X.6.3], we get the long exact sequence

$$\to K_{j+t}(Y'_t, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \to K_j(\mathrm{sk}_t Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \to K_j(\mathrm{sk}_{t-1} Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \to K_{j+t-1}(Y'_t, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \to . \quad (2.17)$$

Here we set

$$K_{j+t}(Y'_t, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) = K_j(\mathrm{sk}_t Y/\mathrm{sk}_{t-1} Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) = K_{j+t}(Y_t, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \cap \ker s_0^* \cap \cdots \cap \ker s_{t-1}^*.$$

By functoriality, λ-operations act on this exact sequence and this yields a sequence of γ-gradings

$$\to \mathrm{gr}^i_\gamma K_{j+t}(Y'_t, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \xrightarrow{d} \mathrm{gr}^i_\gamma K_j(\mathrm{sk}_t Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \xrightarrow{d_1} \mathrm{gr}^i_\gamma K_j(\mathrm{sk}_{t-1} Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \xrightarrow{d_2} \mathrm{gr}^i_\gamma K_{j+t-1}(Y'_t, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \xrightarrow{d_3}$$

that is exact only up to certain universal constants. More precisely, we have the following lemma. □

LEMMA 2.18. *If the element $[x]$ at any level of the long sequence (2.17) is a cocycle, then $C[x]$ is a coboundary for the following constant C:*

(i) *if $d_1([x]) = 0$ then $C = M(2i)M(2(j + t + d - i))$;*
(ii) *if $d_2([x]) = 0$ then $C = M(2i)M(2(j + t + d - i))$;*
(iii) *if $d([x]) = 0$ then $C = M(2i)M(2(j + t + d + 1 - i))$.*

Proof. First, note that $F^{j+t+1}_\gamma K_{j+t}(Y'_t, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) = 0$ since $K_{j+t}(Y'_t, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \subset K_{j+t}(Y_t, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$ and we have [Niz16, Lemma 4.3].

We will prove (i). The other cases can be proved in a similar way. Assume that $[x] \in \mathrm{gr}^i_\gamma K_j(\mathrm{sk}_t Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$ and look at the sequence

$$\mathrm{gr}^i_\gamma K_{j+t}(Y'_t, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \xrightarrow{d} \mathrm{gr}^i_\gamma K_j(\mathrm{sk}_t Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \xrightarrow{d_1} \mathrm{gr}^i_\gamma K_j(\mathrm{sk}_{t-1} Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n).$$

Assume that $x \in F^i_\gamma K_j(\mathrm{sk}_t Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$ is such that $d_1([x]) = 0$. That means that on the level of the long exact sequence (2.17), $d_1(x) \in F^{i+1}_\gamma K_j(\mathrm{sk}_{t-1} Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$. We will need certain projectors [Sou82, 2.8]. For two natural numbers $a \neq b$, denote by A_{abk}, $k \geq 2$, a family of integers such that $w_{|b-a|} = \sum_{k\geq 2} A_{abk}(k^a - k^b)$. Let

$$\phi_{a,b} = \sum_{k\geq 2} A_{abk}(\psi_k - k^b), \quad \phi_a = \prod_{2\leq b\leq a-1} \phi_{a,b}, \quad \phi^a_m = \prod_{a+1\leq b\leq j+m+d} \phi_{a,b}, \quad a \geq 2.$$

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Note that, for any $x \in K_j(-, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$, we have $\phi_a(x) \in F^a_\gamma K_j(-, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$. Since the kth Adams operation ψ_k acts on $gr^{\mathrm{c}}_\gamma K_j(\mathrm{sk}_t Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$ as k^{c}, we have

$$M(2(j+t+d-i))x - \phi^i_{t-1}(x) \in F^{i+1}_\gamma K_j(\mathrm{sk}_t Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n),$$

so $M(2(j+t+d-i))[x] = [\phi^i_{t-1}(x)]$. Since $d_1 x \in F^{i+1}_\gamma K_j(\mathrm{sk}_{t-1} Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$ and by [Niz16, Lemma 4.3] the length of the γ-filtration is $j+t-1+d$, we compute that $d_1(\phi^i_{t-1}(x)) = \phi^i_{t-1}(d_1 x) = 0$. Hence, $M(2(j+t+d-i))[x] = [y]$ is such that $d_1(y) = 0$ and $y \in F^i_\gamma K_j(\mathrm{sk}_t Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$.

From the long exact sequence (2.17), we then get $w \in K_{j+t}(Y'_t, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$ such that $dw = y$. Consider $w_1 = \phi_i(w) \in F^i_\gamma K_{j+t}(Y'_t, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$. We have

$$\begin{aligned}[d(w_1)] = [\phi_i(dw)] &= \prod_{2 \le b \le i-1} \left(\sum_{k \ge 2} A_{ibk}([\psi_k(dw)] - k^b[dw]) \right) \\ &= \prod_{2 \le b \le i-1} \left(\sum_{k \ge 2} A_{ibk}(k^i - k^b) \right) [dw] = M(2i)[dw].\end{aligned}$$

Hence, $M(2i)M(2(j+t+d-i))[x]$ is a coboundary, as wanted. □

To proceed, we will need the following two lemmas.

Lemma 2.19. *For a d-dimensional scheme Y smooth over $\overline{K}$, we have*

$$M(d, i+1, 2j)M(d, i, 2j) \operatorname{gr}^i_\gamma K_j(Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) = 0, \quad 2i - j < 0.$$

Proof. This is the K-theory version of the mod-p^n Beilinson–Soulé conjecture. Recall that we know its motivic version to be true. That is, $H^{2i-j}_{\mathrm{Zar}}(Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) = 0$ for $2i - j < 0$ [Akh07]. So, we just need to translate this statement into K-theory. Recall that Levine [Lev04] has constructed a Zariski Atiyah–Hirzebruch spectral sequence from motivic cohomology to K-theory:

$$E_2^{s,q} = H^s_{\mathrm{Zar}}(Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(q/2)_M) \Rightarrow K_{s-q}(Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n).$$

Here the differential $d_r : E_r^{s,q} \to E_r^{s+r,q+r-1}$. Denote by F^i_{AH} the filtration on K-theory groups defined by this spectral sequence. Levine showed [Lev04, 13.11] that

$$M(d, i, 2j)F^i_{AH}K_j(Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \subset \widetilde{F}^i_\gamma K_j(Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \subset F^i_{AH}K_j(Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n).$$

By the above, the kernel of the map

$$\widetilde{F}^i_\gamma / \widetilde{F}^{i+1}_\gamma K_j(Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \to F^i_{AH}/F^{i+1}_{AH} K_j(Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$$

is annihilated by $M(d, i+1, 2j)$ and the cokernel by $M(d, i, 2j)$. By [Niz16, (4.4)], the same holds for the map

$$\widetilde{F}^i_\gamma / \widetilde{F}^{i+1}_\gamma K_j(Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \to F^i_\gamma / F^{i+1}_\gamma K_n(Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n).$$

Since $F^i_{AH}/F^{i+1}_{AH} K_j(Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$ is a subquotient of $E_2^{2i-j,2i} = H^{2i-j}_{\mathrm{Zar}}(Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(i)_M)$, we are done. □

Lemma 2.20. (i) *For i, j as in Proposition 2.14, the kernel and cokernel of the Chern class map*

$$\overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{i,j} : \operatorname{gr}^i_\gamma K_j(Y'_m, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \to H^{2i-j}_{\text{ét}}(Y'_m, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(i)),$$

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where $H^{2i-j}_{\text{ét}}(Y'_m, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(i)) = H^{2i-j}_{\text{ét}}(Y_m, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(i)) \cap \ker s_0^* \cap \cdots \cap \ker s_{m-1}^*$, *are annihilated by a constant* $T(d,m,i,j)$. *Any prime* $p > d+j+1$ *does not divide* $T(d,m,i,j)$.

(ii) *For* $2i-j<0$, *we have*

$$i!(i+1)!\cdots(j+d)!M(d,i+1,2j)M(d,i,2j)\operatorname{gr}^i_\gamma K_j(Y'_m,\mathbf{Z}/p^n)=0.$$

Proof. Let us start with the first statement. For the kernel, take $x \in F^i_\gamma K_j(Y'_m, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$ such that $\overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{i,j}(x) = 0$. Then $D(d,0,i,j)x \in F^{i+1}_\gamma K_j(Y_m, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \cap K_j(Y'_m, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$. Set $y = D(d,0,i,j)x$. We have

$$\gamma^{i+1}(y) = (-1)^i i! y \mod F^{i+2}_\gamma K_j(Y_m, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \cap K_j(Y'_m, \mathbf{Z}/p^n).$$

Since, by [Niz16, Lemma 4.3], $F^{j+d+1}_\gamma K_j(Y_m, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) = 0$, by the inductive argument, we get

$$i!(i+1)!\cdots(j+d)!D(d,0,i,j)x \in F^{i+1}_\gamma K_j(Y'_m, \mathbf{Z}/p^n).$$

So, the kernel is annihilated by $i!(i+1)!\cdots(j+d)!D(d,0,i,j)$.

For the cokernel, take $x \in H^{2i-j}_{\text{ét}}(Y'_m, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(i))$. Then $D(d,0,i,j)x = \overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{i,j}(y)$ for some element y of $F^i_\gamma K_j(Y_m, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$. We need to show that some multiple of y lies in $F^i_\gamma K_j(Y'_m, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$. For each l, $0 \le l \le m-1$, consider the following commutative diagram.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \operatorname{gr}^i_\gamma K_j(Y_m, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) & \xrightarrow{s_l^*} & \operatorname{gr}^i_\gamma K_j(Y_{m-1}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \\ \downarrow{\scriptstyle \overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{i,j}} & & \downarrow{\scriptstyle \overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{i,j}} \\ H^{2i-j}_{\text{ét}}(Y_m, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(i)) & \xrightarrow{s_l^*} & H^{2i-j}_{\text{ét}}(Y_{m-1}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(i)) \end{array}$$

Since $s_l^*(x) = 0$, we have $D(d,0,i,j)s_l^*(y) \in F^{i+1}_\gamma K_j(Y_{m-1}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$. Arguing just like in the proof of Lemma 2.18, we find that

$$M(2(j+d-i))D(d,0,i,j)[y] = [y'], \quad y' \in F^i_\gamma K_j(Y_m, \mathbf{Z}/p^n), s_l^*(y') = 0.$$

Hence, repeating this argument for all l, we get

$$D(d,0,i,j)^m M(2(j+d-i))^m [y] = [y'], \quad y' \in F^i_\gamma K_j(Y_m, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \cap K_j(Y'_m, \mathbf{Z}/p^n).$$

As above, $i!(i+1)!\cdots(j+d)!D(d,0,i,j)^m M(2(j+d-i))^m[y] = [y']$, $y' \in F^i_\gamma K_j(Y'_m, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$. Hence, the cokernel is annihilated by $i!(i+1)!\cdots(j+d)!D(d,0,i,j)^{m+1}M(2(j+d-i))^m$. Set

$$T(d,m,i,j) = i!(i+1)!\cdots(j+d)!D(d,0,i,j)^{m+1}M(2(j+d-i))^m, \quad 2i \ge j+m.$$

For the second statement, assume that $2i-j<0$ and take $x \in F^i_\gamma K_j(Y'_m, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$. By Lemma 2.19, we have $M(d,i+1,2j)M(d,i,2j)x \in F^{i+1}_\gamma K_j(Y_m, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \cap K_j(Y'_m, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$. Arguing as above, $i!(i+1)!\cdots(j+d)!M(d,i+1,2j)M(d,i,2j)x \in F^{i+1}_\gamma K_j(Y'_m, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$.

Consider now the homotopy cofiber sequence

$$\operatorname{sk}_{m-1} Y \to \operatorname{sk}_m Y \to \operatorname{sk}_m Y / \operatorname{sk}_{m-1} Y.$$

By [Niz16, Remark 5.4], the étale Chern class maps are compatible with it and we get the following commutative diagram (where we skipped the coefficients $\mathbf{Z}/p^n$ and $\mathbf{Z}/p^n(i)$,

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respectively).

$$\begin{array}{ccccccccc}
\mathrm{gr}^i_\gamma K_{j+1}(\mathrm{sk}_{m-1} Y) & \xrightarrow{d_2} & \mathrm{gr}^i_\gamma K_{j+m}(Y'_m) & \xrightarrow{d} & \mathrm{gr}^i_\gamma K_j(\mathrm{sk}_m Y) & \xrightarrow{d_1} & \mathrm{gr}^i_\gamma K_j(\mathrm{sk}_{m-1} Y) & \xrightarrow{d_2} & \mathrm{gr}^i_\gamma K_{j+m-1}(Y'_m) \\
\downarrow{\scriptstyle \overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{i,j+1}} & & \downarrow{\scriptstyle \overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{i,j+m}} & & \downarrow{\scriptstyle \overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{ij}} & & \downarrow{\scriptstyle \overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{ij}} & & \downarrow{\scriptstyle \overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{i,j+m-1}} \\
H^{2i-j-1}_{\text{ét}}(\mathrm{sk}_{m-1} Y) & \longrightarrow & H^{2i-j-m}_{\text{ét}}(Y'_m) & \longrightarrow & H^{2i-j}_{\text{ét}}(\mathrm{sk}_m Y) & \longrightarrow & H^{2i-j}_{\text{ét}}(\mathrm{sk}_{m-1} Y) & \longrightarrow & H^{2i-j-m+1}_{\text{ét}}(Y'_m)
\end{array}$$

Here we put $H^*_{\text{ét}}(Y'_m) = H^*_{\text{ét}}(Y_m) \cap \ker s^*_0 \cap \cdots \cap \ker s^*_{m-1}$.

Let us first look at the kernel of the map $\overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{ij} : \mathrm{gr}^i_\gamma K_j(\mathrm{sk}_m Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \to H^{2i-j}_{\text{ét}}(\mathrm{sk}_m Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(i))$. Diagram chasing and the inductive hypothesis together with Lemmas 2.18 and 2.20 imply easily that this kernel is annihilated by

$$\begin{aligned} &T(d,m,i,j+m)D(d,m-1,i,j+1)D(d,m-1,i,j)M(2i) \\ &\quad \times M(2(j+m+d-i))i!(i+1)!\cdots(j+m+d)! \end{aligned}$$

if $2i \geq j+m$; if $2i < j+m$, we can drop the first term. Here we used the fact that the numbers $M(d,i+1,2j)$ and $M(d,i,2j)$ that appear in Lemma 2.19 divide $D(d,0,i,j)$.

By a very similar argument, we get that the cokernel of the map $\overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{ij} : \mathrm{gr}^i_\gamma K_j(\mathrm{sk}_m Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \to H^{2i-j}_{\text{ét}}(\mathrm{sk}_m Y, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(i))$ is annihilated by

$$\begin{aligned} &T(d,m,i,j+m)T(d,m,i,j+m-1)D(d,m-1,i,j)M(2i) \\ &\quad \times M(2(j+m+d-i))i!(i+1)!\cdots(j+m-1+d)! \end{aligned}$$

if $2i \geq j+m$; if $2i = j+m-1$, we can drop the first term; if $2i < j+m-1$, we can drop the first two terms.

Set

$$\begin{aligned} D(d,m,i,j) = {} &T(d,m,i,j+m)T(d,m-1,i,j+m-1)D(d,m-1,i,j+1) \\ &\times D(d,m-1,i,j)\, M(2i)\, M(2(j+m+d-i))\, i!\, (i+1)!\cdots(j+m+d)! \end{aligned}$$

for $2i \geq j+m$; if $2i = j+m-1$, we drop the first term; if $2i < j+m-1$, we drop the first two terms. Since an odd prime p divides $M(l)$ if and only if $p < (l/2)+1$ and $H^t_{\text{ét}}(\mathrm{sk}_m Y) = 0$ for $t > 2d+m+1$, we get the last statement of the proposition. □

3. Comparison theorems for finite simplicial schemes via K-theory

We are now ready to prove comparison theorems for finite simplicial schemes using K-theory.

3.1 Crystalline conjecture for finite simplicial schemes

We start with the crystalline conjecture.

3.1.1 *Integral crystalline conjecture.* We treat first its integral version. Let X be a smooth proper finite simplicial scheme over $\mathcal{O}_K$, $\mathcal{O}_K = W(k)$. Assume that $X \simeq \mathrm{sk}_m X$ and that the dimension $d \leq p-2$, $d = \max_{s \leq m} \dim X_s$. We would like to construct functorial Galois-equivariant morphisms

$$\alpha_{ab} : H^a_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(b)) \to \mathbf{L}(H^a_{\text{cr}}(X_n)\{-b\}).$$

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We will be able to do it under certain additional restrictions on the integers a, b, and d. Our construction is based on the following diagram.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} F^b_\gamma/F^{b+1}_\gamma K_{2b-a}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) & \xrightarrow[j^*]{\sim} & F^b_\gamma/F^{b+1}_\gamma K_{2b-a}(X_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \\ \downarrow{\scriptstyle \overline{c}^{\mathrm{syn}}_{b,2b-a}} & & \wr\downarrow{\scriptstyle \overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{b,2b-a}} \\ H^a_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}_n(b)) & & H^a_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(b)) \end{array} \tag{3.1}$$

Here $1 \leq b < p-1$, $2b-a \geq 3$, $p^n \geq 5$, and $p \neq 2$. The Chern class map

$$\overline{c}^{\mathrm{syn}}_{b,2b-a} : F^b_\gamma K_j(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \to H^a_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}_n(b))$$

is defined as the limit over finite extensions $\mathcal{O}'_K/\mathcal{O}_K$ of the syntomic Chern class maps

$$F^b_\gamma K_{2b-a}(X_{\mathcal{O}'_K}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \to H^a_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}'_K}, \mathcal{S}_n(b)).$$

Due to [Niz16, Lemma 5.3], the Chern class maps $\overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{b,2b-a}$ and $\overline{c}^{\mathrm{syn}}_{b,2b-a}$ factor through F^{b+1}_γ yielding the maps in the above diagram. The restriction map

$$j^* : F^b_\gamma/F^{b+1}_\gamma K_{2b-a}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \to F^b_\gamma/F^{b+1}_\gamma K_{2b-a}(X_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$$

is an isomorphism by Lemma 2.11. By Proposition 2.14, the étale Chern class map

$$\overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{b,2b-a} : F^b_\gamma/F^{b+1}_\gamma K_{2b-a}(X_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \to H^a_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(b))$$

is an isomorphism if $p > d + m + 2b - a + 1$.

Assume now that $b \geq d$, $2b - a \geq 3$, and $p - 2 \geq d + m + 2b - a$. Define the morphisms

$$\alpha_{ab} : H^a_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(b)) \to \mathbf{L}(H^a_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_n)\{-b\})$$

as the composition $\alpha_{ab} := \psi_n \overline{c}^{\mathrm{syn}}_{b,2b-a}(j^*)^{-1}(\overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{b,2b-a})^{-1}$, where ψ_n is the natural map

$$H^a_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}_n(b)) \to \mathbf{L}(H^a_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_n)\{-b\}).$$

Note that, by Proposition 2.3, this map is an isomorphism.

The following theorem generalizes our [Niz98, Theorem 4.1] from schemes to finite simplicial schemes.

THEOREM 3.2. *For any proper smooth finite simplicial scheme X over $\mathcal{O}_K = W(k)$, $X \simeq \mathrm{sk}_m X$, the functorial Galois-equivariant morphism*

$$\alpha_{ab} : H^a_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(b)) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathbf{L}(H^a_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_n)\{-b\})$$

is an isomorphism if the numbers p, b, d are such that $b \geq 2d + 3$, $p - 2 \geq 2b + d + m$ for $d = \max_{s \leq m} \dim X_s$.

Remark 3.3. The original constants that appear in [Niz98] are different than (worse than) the ones we have quoted here. Also there we have assumed that the scheme X was projective over $\mathcal{O}_K$. However, one can easily modify the proof of Theorem 4.1 from [Niz98] by replacing the weak Proposition 4.1 used in [Niz98] with its improved version (Proposition 3.2) from [Niz08] to get the above theorem for schemes.

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Proof. By Lemma 2.11, Proposition 2.14, and Proposition 2.3, it suffices to show that the syntomic Chern class map

$$\overline{c}^{\mathrm{syn}}_{b,2b-a} : \mathrm{gr}^b_\gamma K_{2b-a}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \to H^a_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}_n(b))$$

is an isomorphism. Note that for $a < 0$ this is an isomorphism by Lemma 2.19.

We argue by induction on $m \geq 0$ such that $X \simeq \mathrm{sk}_m X$. The case of $m = 0$ is treated by [Niz98, Theorem 4.1]. Assume that our theorem is true for $m-1$. To show it for m, consider the homotopy cofiber sequence

$$\mathrm{sk}_{m-1} X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}} \to \mathrm{sk}_m X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}} \to \mathrm{sk}_m X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}} / \mathrm{sk}_{m-1} X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}$$

and apply the syntomic Chern class maps to it. We get the following map of sequences.

$$\begin{array}{ccccccccc}
K^b_{2b-a+1}(\mathrm{sk}_{m-1} X) & \to & K^b_{2b-a+m}(X'_m) & \to & K^b_{2b-a}(\mathrm{sk}_m X) & \to & K^b_{2b-a}(\mathrm{sk}_{m-1} X) & \to & K^b_{2b-a+m-1}(X'_m) \\
\wr \downarrow \overline{c}^{\mathrm{syn}}_{b,2b-a+1} & & \wr \downarrow \overline{c}^{\mathrm{syn}}_{b,2b-a+m} & & \downarrow \overline{c}^{\mathrm{syn}}_{b,2b-a} & & \wr \downarrow \overline{c}^{\mathrm{syn}}_{b,2b-a} & & \wr \downarrow \overline{c}^{\mathrm{syn}}_{b,2b-a+m-1} \\
H^{a-1}(\mathrm{sk}_{m-1} X, b) & \to & H^{a-m}(X'_m, b) & \to & H^a(\mathrm{sk}_m X, b) & \to & H^a(\mathrm{sk}_{m-1} X, b) & \to & H^{a-m+1}(X'_m, b)
\end{array}$$

Here we set $K^*_*(Y) = \mathrm{gr}^*_\gamma K_*(Y_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}})$, $H^*(Y, *) = H^*_{\text{ét}}(Y_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}_n(*))$, and skipped the coefficients $\mathbf{Z}/p^n$ in K-theory. We also put

$$K^*_*(X'_m) = K^*_*(X_m) \cap \ker s^*_0 \cap \cdots \cap \ker s^*_{m-1}, \quad H^*(X'_m, *) = H^*(X_m, *) \cap \ker s^*_0 \cap \cdots \cap \ker s^*_{m-1},$$

where each $s_i : X_{m-1} \to X_m$ is a degeneracy map. The bottom sequence is exact. By Lemma 2.18, so is the top. By the inductive hypothesis and by the case $m = 0$ of this theorem plus Lemmas 2.20 and 2.11, we have the isomorphisms shown. It follows that the syntomic Chern class map

$$\overline{c}^{\mathrm{syn}}_{b,2b-a} : \mathrm{gr}^b_\gamma K_{2b-a}(\mathrm{sk}_m X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \to H^a_{\text{ét}}(\mathrm{sk}_m X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}_n(b))$$

is an isomorphism as well. Since

$$K_{2b-a}(\mathrm{sk}_m X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \xrightarrow{\sim} K_{2b-a}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \quad \text{and} \quad H^a_{\text{ét}}(\mathrm{sk}_m X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}_n(b)) \xrightarrow{\sim} H^a_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}_n(b)),$$

we are done. □

Example 3.4. *Integral crystalline conjecture for cohomology with compact support.* As a corollary of the above comparison theorem, we obtain a comparison theorem for cohomology with compact support. Consider a proper smooth scheme X over $\mathcal{O}_K = W(k)$. Let $i : D \hookrightarrow X$, built from m irreducible components that are smooth over $\mathcal{O}_K$, be the divisor at infinity of X. Let $U = X \setminus D$. Consider the simplicial scheme $C(X, D) := \mathrm{cofiber}(\widetilde{D}_\bullet \xrightarrow{i_*} X)$. We have $C(X, D) \simeq \mathrm{sk}_m C(X, D)$. Equip X with the log-structure associated to D. Applying the above constructions to $C(X, D)$, we obtain the basic following diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
F^b_\gamma / F^{b+1}_\gamma K^{\mathrm{c}}_{2b-a}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, D_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) & \xrightarrow[j^*]{\sim} & F^b_\gamma / F^{b+1}_\gamma K^{\mathrm{c}}_{2b-a}(X_{\overline{K}}, D_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \\
\downarrow \overline{c}^{\mathrm{syn}}_{b,2b-a} & & \wr \downarrow \overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{b,2b-a} \\
H^a_{\text{ét}}(C(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, D_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}), \mathcal{S}_n(b)) & & H^a_{\text{ét}}(C(X_{\overline{K}}, D_{\overline{K}}), \mathbf{Z}/p^n(b))
\end{array}$$

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and the induced period morphism

$$\alpha'_{ab} : H^a_{\text{ét}}(C(X_{\overline{K}}, D_{\overline{K}}), \mathbf{Z}/p^n(b)) \to H^a_{\text{ét}}(C(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, D_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}), \mathcal{S}_n(b)).$$

But, by Lemma 2.1,

$$H^a_{\text{ét}}(C(X_{\overline{K}}, D_{\overline{K}}), \mathbf{Z}/p^n(b)) \simeq H^a_{\text{ét},c}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(b)),$$
$$H^a_{\text{ét}}(C(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, D_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}), \mathcal{S}_n(b)) \simeq H^a_{\text{ét},c}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}_n(b)).$$

Hence, we obtain a period morphism

$$\alpha'_{ab} : H^a_{\text{ét},c}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(b)) \to H^a_{\text{ét},c}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}_n(b))$$

that composed with the map $H^a_{\text{ét},c}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}_n(b)) \to \mathbf{L}(H^a_{\text{cr},c}(X_n)\{-b\})$ yields a Galois-equivariant map

$$\alpha_{ab} : H^a_{\text{ét},c}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(b)) \to \mathbf{L}(H^a_{\text{cr},c}(X_n)\{-b\}).$$

We get the following corollary of Theorem 3.2.

COROLLARY 3.5. *The Galois-equivariant morphism*

$$\alpha_{ab} : H^a_{\text{ét},c}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(b)) \to \mathbf{L}(H^a_{\text{cr},c}(X_n)\{-b\})$$

is an isomorphism if the numbers p, b, d are such that $b \geq 2d+3$ and $p-2 \geq 2b+d+m$.

3.1.2 *Rational crystalline conjecture.* We will treat now the rational crystalline conjecture. Let X be a smooth proper finite simplicial scheme over $\mathcal{O}_K$, where the ring $\mathcal{O}_K$ is possibly ramified over $W(k)$. Assume that $X \simeq \text{sk}_m X$ and set $d = \max_{s\leq m} \dim X_s$. For large b, we will construct Galois-equivariant functorial period morphisms

$$\alpha_{ab} : H^a_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(b)) \to H^a_{\text{cr}}(X_0) \otimes \mathbf{B}^+_{\text{cr}}.$$

Assume that $p^n \geq 5$, $2b-a \geq \max\{2d, 2\}$, $2b-a \geq 3$ for $d=0$ and $p=2$, and $a \geq 0$. Nizioł [Niz16, Lemma 5.3] and Lemma 2.11 give us the following diagram.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} F^b_\gamma/F^{b+1}_\gamma K_{2b-a}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) & \xrightarrow[j^*]{\sim} & F^b_\gamma/F^{b+1}_\gamma K_{2b-a}(X_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \\ \downarrow \overline{c}^{\text{syn}}_{b,2b-a} & & \downarrow \overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{ij} \\ H^a_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'_n(b)) & & H^a_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(b)) \end{array}$$

Define the morphisms

$$\alpha^n_{ab} : H^a_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(b)) \to H^a_{\text{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}},n})\{-b\}$$

as the composition

$$\alpha^n_{ab}(x) := \psi_n \overline{c}^{\text{syn}}_{b,2b-a}(j^*)^{-1} D(d,m,b,2b-a)(\overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{b,2b-a})^{-1}(D(d,m,b,2b-a)x),$$

where ψ_n is the natural projection

$$\psi_n : H^a_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'_n(b)) \to H^a_{\text{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}},n}).$$

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Here $(\overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{b,2b-a})^{-1}(D(d,m,b,2b-a)x)$ is any element in the preimage of $D(d,m,b,2b-a)x$ (by Proposition 2.14, $D(d,m,b,2b-a)x$ lies in the image of $\overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{b,2b-a}$). By Proposition 2.14, any ambiguity in that definition comes from a class of y such that $D(d,m,b,2b-a)[y]=[z]$, $z\in F^{b+1}_{\gamma}K_{2b-a}(X_{\overline{K}},\mathbf{Z}/p^n)$, and this ambiguity we killed by twisting the definition of α^n_{ab} by a factor of $D(d,m,b,2b-a)$.

Define the morphism

$$\alpha_{ab}: H^a_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K}},\mathbf{Q}_p(b))\to H^a_{\text{cr}}(X_0)\otimes_{W(k)}\mathbf{B}_{\text{cr}}\{-b\}$$

as the composition of $\mathbf{Q}\otimes\varprojlim_n\alpha^n_{ab}$ with the Kato–Messing isomorphism $h_{\text{cr}}: H^a_{\text{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}})_{\mathbf{Q}}\simeq H^a_{\text{cr}}(X_0)\otimes_{W(k)}\mathbf{B}^+_{\text{cr}}$ and the division by $D(d,m,b,2b-a)^2$.

The following theorem generalizes our [Niz08, Theorem 3.8] from schemes to finite simplicial schemes.

Theorem 3.6. *Let X be any proper smooth finite simplicial $\mathcal{O}_K$-scheme. Assume that $X\simeq \mathrm{sk}_m X$ and let $d=\max_{s\le m}\dim X_m$. Then, assuming that $b\ge 2d+2$, the functorial Galois-equivariant morphism*

$$\alpha_{ab}: H^a_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K}},\mathbf{Q}_p(b))\otimes_{\mathbf{Q}_p}\mathbf{B}_{\text{cr}}\to H^a_{\text{cr}}(X_0)\otimes_{W(k)}\mathbf{B}_{\text{cr}}\{-b\}$$

is an isomorphism. Moreover, the map α_{ab} preserves the Frobenius, is compatible with products and Tate twists, and, after extension to $\mathbf{B}_{\text{dR}}$, induces an isomorphism of filtrations.

Proof. We argue by induction on $m\ge 0$. The case $m=0$ is treated by [Niz08, Theorem 3.8]. Assume that our theorem is true for $m-1$. To show it for m, consider the homotopy cofiber sequence

$$\mathrm{sk}_{m-1}X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}\to \mathrm{sk}_m X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}\to \mathrm{sk}_m X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}/\mathrm{sk}_{m-1}X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}$$

and apply the period morphisms $\alpha_{*,*}$ to it. We get the following map of sequences.

$$\begin{array}{ccccccccc}
H^{a-1}_{\text{ét}}(\mathrm{sk}_{m-1}X,b) & \longrightarrow & H^{a-m}_{\text{ét}}(X'_m,b) & \longrightarrow & H^a_{\text{ét}}(\mathrm{sk}_m X,b) & \longrightarrow & H^a_{\text{ét}}(\mathrm{sk}_{m-1}X,b) & \longrightarrow & H^{a-m+1}_{\text{ét}}(X'_m,b)\\
\wr\downarrow{\scriptstyle\alpha_{a+1,b}} & & \wr\downarrow{\scriptstyle\alpha_{a-m,b}} & & \downarrow{\scriptstyle\alpha_{ab}} & & \wr\downarrow{\scriptstyle\alpha_{ab}} & & \wr\downarrow{\scriptstyle\alpha_{a-m+1,b}}\\
H^{a-1}_{\text{cr}}(\mathrm{sk}_{m-1}X_0,b) & \to & H^{a-m}_{\text{cr}}(X'_{m,0},b) & \to & H^a_{\text{cr}}(\mathrm{sk}_m X_0,b) & \to & H^a_{\text{cr}}(\mathrm{sk}_{m-1}X_0,b) & \to & H^{a-m+1}_{\text{cr}}(X'_{m,0},b)
\end{array}$$

Here we put $H^*_{\text{ét}}(T,b)=H^*_{\text{ét}}(T_{\overline{K}},\mathbf{Q}_p(b))\otimes\mathbf{B}_{\text{cr}}$, $H^*_{\text{cr}}(T,b)=H^*_{\text{cr}}(T)\otimes\mathbf{B}_{\text{cr}}\{-b\}$. And we defined

$$H^*_{\text{ét}}(X'_m,b)=H^*_{\text{ét}}(X_m,b)\cap\ker s_0^*\cap\cdots\cap\ker s^*_{m-1},$$
$$H^*_{\text{cr}}(X'_{m,0},b)=H^*_{\text{cr}}(X_{m,0},b)\cap\ker s_0^*\cap\cdots\cap\ker s^*_{m-1},$$

where each $s_i: X_{m-1}\to X_m$ is a degeneracy map. The horizontal sequences are exact by functoriality and finiteness of the étale and crystalline cohomologies. By the inductive hypothesis, we have the isomorphisms shown in the diagram. Hence, the period morphism

$$\alpha_{ab}: H^a_{\text{ét}}(\mathrm{sk}_m X_{\overline{K}},\mathbf{Q}_p(b))\otimes_{\mathbf{Q}_p}\mathbf{B}_{\text{cr}}\to H^a_{\text{cr}}(\mathrm{sk}_m X_0)\otimes_{W(k)}\mathbf{B}_{\text{cr}}\{-b\}$$

is an isomorphism. Since $H^a_{\text{ét}}(\mathrm{sk}_m X_{\overline{K}},\mathbf{Q}_p(b))\xrightarrow{\sim}H^a_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K}},\mathbf{Q}_p(b))$ and $H^a_{\text{cr}}(\mathrm{sk}_m X_0)\xrightarrow{\sim}H^a_{\text{cr}}(X_0)$, this proves the first claim of the theorem.

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We will now check that the morphism α_{ab} is compatible with products. This follows from the fact that the morphism h_{cr} is compatible with products and from the following lemma. □

LEMMA 3.7. *Let* $x \in H^a(X_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(b))$, $y \in H^c(X_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(e))$, $2b-a>2$, $2e-c>2$, *and* $p^n \geq 5$. *Set* $K(b,e) = -(b+e-1)!/((b-1)!(e-1)!)$. *Then (assuming that all the indices are in the valid range)*

$$\begin{aligned} &K(b,e)D(d,m,b,2b-a)^2 D(d,m,e,2e-c)^2 \alpha^n_{a+c,b+e}(x \cup y) \\ &\quad = K(b,e)D(d,m,b+e,2b+2e-a-c)^2 \alpha^n_{ab}(x) \cup \alpha^n_{ce}(y). \end{aligned}$$

Proof. Use the product formulas from [Niz16, Lemma 5.3] and [Niz16, Remark 5.4]. □

The claim about Tate twists follows from the following computation.

LEMMA 3.8. *Let* $p^n \geq 5$ *and* $b \geq 2d+2$. *We have the following relationship between Tate twists:*

$$(-b)D(d,m,b,2b-a)^2 \alpha^n_{a,b+1}(\zeta_n x) = (-b)D(d,m,b+1,2b+2-a)^2 \alpha^n_{ab}(x)t.$$

Proof. This follows just as in [Niz08, Lemma 3.6] from Lemma 3.7 and the fact that $\overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{1,2}(\beta_n) = \zeta_n$ and $\overline{c}^{\text{syn}}_{1,2}(\tilde{\beta}_n) = t$ (see [Niz98, Lemma 4.1]). Here $\beta_n \in K_2(\overline{K}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$ and $\tilde{\beta}_n \in K_2(\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$ are the Bott elements associated to ζ_n.

Now, to prove the claim about filtrations, first we evoke Lemma 2.5 that yields compatibility of the period morphism with filtrations and then we note that it suffices to prove the analog of our claim for the associated grading, i.e., that, for $i \in \mathbf{Z}$, the induced map

$$\alpha_{ab} : H^a_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(b)) \otimes_{\mathbf{Q}_p} C(i) \to \bigoplus_{j \in \mathbf{Z}} H^{a-j}(X_K, \Omega^j_{X_K/K}) \otimes_K C(i+b-j)$$

is an isomorphism. But this can be proved by an analogous argument to the one we used to prove the first claim of the theorem. □

Example 3.9 Rational crystalline conjecture for cohomology with compact support. Again, as a special case consider a smooth proper scheme X over $\mathcal{O}_K$ with a divisor D. We assume D to have relative simple normal crossings and all the irreducible components smooth over $\mathcal{O}_K$. Let U denote the complement of D in X and d be the relative dimension of X. Equip X with the log-structure induced by D. Consider the simplicial scheme $C(X,D) := \mathrm{cofiber}(\widetilde{D}_\bullet \xrightarrow{i} X)$, where all the schemes have trivial log-structure. We have $C(X,D) \simeq \mathrm{sk}_m C(X,D)$, where m is the number of irreducible components of D. Applying the above constructions to $C(X,D)$, we obtain the following basic diagram.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} F^b_\gamma/F^{b+1}_\gamma K^{\mathrm{c}}_{2b-a}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, D_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) & \xrightarrow[j^*]{\sim} & F^b_\gamma/F^{b+1}_\gamma K^{\mathrm{c}}_{2b-a}(X_{\overline{K}}, D_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \\ \downarrow \overline{c}^{\text{syn}}_{b,2b-a} & & \downarrow \overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{b,2b-a} \\ H^a_{\text{ét},c}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'_n(b)) & & H^a_{\text{ét},c}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(b)) \end{array}$$

Recall that we have

$$H^a_{\text{ét},c}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'_n(b)) \simeq H^a_{\text{ét}}(C(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, D_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}), \mathcal{S}'_n(b)).$$

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From this, we get a Galois-equivariant map

$$\alpha_{ab} : H^a_{\text{ét},c}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}(b)) \to H^a_{\text{cr},c}(X_0) \otimes \mathbf{B}_{\text{cr}}\{-b\}$$

and the following corollary of Theorem 3.6.

Corollary 3.10. *The Galois-equivariant morphism*

$$\alpha_{ab} : H^a_{\text{ét},c}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(b)) \otimes \mathbf{B}_{\text{cr}} \to H^a_{\text{cr},c}(X_0) \otimes \mathbf{B}_{\text{cr}}\{-b\}$$

is an isomorphism for $b \geq 2d+2$. Moreover, the map α_{ab} preserves the Frobenius, is compatible with products and Tate twists, and, after extension to $\mathbf{B}_{\text{dR}}$, induces an isomorphism of filtrations.

3.2 Semistable conjecture for cohomology with compact support

We will now prove a comparison theorem for cohomology with compact support in the semistable case using K-theory. We start with the definition of the period morphism. Let X be a proper scheme over $\mathcal{O}_K$ with (strictly) semistable reduction and of pure relative dimension d. Let $i : D \hookrightarrow X$ be the horizontal divisor and set $U = X \setminus D$. Equip X with the log-structure induced by D and the special fiber. Assume that $p^n \geq 5$ and $b \geq 2d+2$. We will define a period morphism

$$\alpha^n_{ab} : H^a_c(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(b)) \to H^a_{\text{cr},c}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}},n})\{-b\}.$$

We will use the following diagram.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} F^b_\gamma/F^{b+1}_\gamma K^{\text{c}}_{2a-b}(\mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) & \xrightarrow{j^*} & F^b_\gamma/F^{b+1}_\gamma K^{\text{c}}_{2a-b}(X_{\overline{K}}, D_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \\ \downarrow \overline{c}^{\text{syn}}_{b,2a-b} & & \downarrow \overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{b.2a-b} \\ H^a_{\text{ét},c}(\mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'_n(b)_X(D)) & & H^a_{\text{ét},c}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(b)) \end{array}$$

where $j : X_{\overline{K}} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}$ is the natural open immersion and we set

$$H^a_{\text{ét},c}(\mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'_n(b)_X(D)) = \varinjlim_{Y \in \overrightarrow{\mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}}} H^a_{\text{ét}}(C(Y, D_Y), \mathcal{S}'_n(b)).$$

Here the log-structure on the schemes Y, D_Y is trivial.

Define

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha^n_{ab}(x) := {} & \psi_n(\pi^*)^{-1} \varepsilon \overline{c}^{\text{syn}}_{b,2b-a} M(2d, b+1, 2(2b-a))(j^*)^{-1} \\ & \times M(2d, b, 2(2b-a)) D(d, d, b, 2b-a)(\overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{b,2b-a})^{-1}(D(d, d, b, 2b-a)x), \end{aligned}$$

where $\psi_n(\pi^*)^{-1}\varepsilon$ is the composition

$$H^a_{\text{ét},c}(\mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'_n(b)_X(D)) \xrightarrow{\varepsilon} H^a_{\text{ét},c}(\mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'_n(b)) \xrightarrow{(\pi^*)^{-1}} H^a_{\text{ét},c}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'_n(b)) \xrightarrow{\psi_n} H^a_{\text{cr},c}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}},n})\{-b\},$$

where we set

$$H^a_{\text{ét},c}(\mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'_n(b)) = \varinjlim_{Y \in \overrightarrow{\mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}}} H^a_{\text{ét}}(C(Y, D_Y), \mathcal{S}'_n(b)).$$

Here the log-structure on the schemes defining $C(Y, D_Y)$ is induced from the special fiber. The pullback map

$$\pi^* : H^a_{\text{ét},c}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'_n(b)) \xrightarrow{\sim} H^a_{\text{ét},c}(\mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'_n(b))$$

is an isomorphism by a simplicial (and easy to prove) version of [Niz08, Corollary 2.4].

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In the definition of $\alpha^n_{ab}(x)$, for $x \in H^a_c(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(b))$, we take $(\overline{c}^{\text{ét}}_{b,2b-a})^{-1}(D(d,d,b,2b-a)x) \in F^b_\gamma/F^{b+1}_\gamma K^c_{2b-a}(X_{\overline{K}}, D_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$ to be any element in the preimage of $D(d,d,b,2b-a)x$ (this is possible by Proposition 2.14). By Proposition 2.14, any ambiguity in that definition comes from a class of y such that $D(d,d,b,2b-a)[y] = [z]$, $z \in F^{b+1}_\gamma K^c_{2b-a}(X_{\overline{K}}, D_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$, and that we killed by twisting the definition of α^n_{ab} by a factor of $D(d,d,b,2b-a)$. Similarly, for $x \in F^b_\gamma/F^{b+1}_\gamma K^c_{2b-a}(X_{\overline{K}}, D_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n)$, we take $(j^*)^{-1}(M(2d,b,2(2b-a))x)$ to be any element in the preimage of $M(2d,b,2(2b-a))x$ under j^*. This is possible by Lemma 2.12 and by the same lemma any ambiguity is killed by twisting the definition of α^n_{ab} by $M(2d,b+1,2(2b-a))$.

Let $b \geq 2d+2$. We can now define the rational period morphism

$$\alpha_{ab} : H^a_{\text{ét},c}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(b)) \to H^a_{\text{cr},c}(X_0/W(k)^0) \otimes_{W(k)} \mathbf{B}_{\text{st}}\{-b\}$$

as the composition of $\mathbf{Q} \otimes \varprojlim_n \alpha^n_{ab}$ with the map [Kat94a, 4.2 and 4.5]

$$h_\pi : \mathbf{Q} \otimes \varprojlim_n H^a_{\text{cr},c}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}},n}) \to H^a_{\text{cr},c}(X_0/W(k)^0) \otimes_{W(k)} \mathbf{B}_{\text{st}}$$

and with the division by $M(2d,b+1,2(2b-a))M(2d,b,2(2b-a))D(d,d,b,2b-a)^2$.

The morphism α_{ab} preserves the Frobenius, the action of $\text{Gal}(\overline{K}/K)$, and the monodromy operator, and, after extension to $\mathbf{B}_{\text{dR}}$, is compatible with filtrations (use the simplicial analog of Lemma 4.8.4 from [Tsu99a], which can be easily shown, as in § 2.1.5, by lifting all the maps functorially to the ∞-derived category as was done in detail in [Bei13] and [NN16]; see also [Tsu98, § 7]).

We have the following generalization of our [Niz08, Theorem 3.8] (where the divisor at infinity D is trivial).

THEOREM 3.11. *Let X be a proper scheme over $\mathcal{O}_K$ with semistable reduction. Let D be the horizontal divisor, let $U = X \setminus D$, and let d be the relative dimension of X. Equip X with the log-structure induced by D and the special fiber. Then, assuming that $b \geq 2d+2$, the morphism*

$$\alpha_{ab} : H^a_{\text{ét},c}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(b)) \otimes_{\mathbf{Q}_p} \mathbf{B}_{\text{st}} \to H^a_{\text{cr},c}(X_0/W(k)^0) \otimes_{W(k)} \mathbf{B}_{\text{st}}\{-b\}$$

is an isomorphism. The map α_{ab} preserves the Frobenius, the action of $\text{Gal}(\overline{K}/K)$, and the monodromy operator. It is independent of the choice of π and compatible with products and Tate twists. Moreover, after extension to $\mathbf{B}_{\text{dR}}$, it induces a filtered isomorphism

$$\alpha_{ab} : H^a_{\text{ét},c}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(b)) \otimes_{\mathbf{Q}_p} \mathbf{B}_{\text{dR}} \to H^a_{\text{dR},c}(X_K) \otimes_K \mathbf{B}_{\text{dR}}\{-b\}.$$

Proof. Consider the finite semistable vertical simplicial log-scheme $C = C(X,D)$. The individual schemes in the simplicial scheme are equipped with the log-structure induced from the special fiber. We have $C(X,D) \simeq \text{sk}_m C(X,D)$ if D has m irreducible components. We filter $C(X,D)$ by its skeleta $\text{sk}_i C(X,D)$ and will show, by induction on $i \geq 0$, that the period morphism[6]

$$\alpha_{ab} : H^a_{\text{ét}}(\text{sk}_i C(X,D)_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(b)) \otimes_{\mathbf{Q}_p} \mathbf{B}_{\text{st}} \to H^a_{\text{cr}}(\text{sk}_i C(X,D)_0/W(k)^0) \otimes_{W(k)} \mathbf{B}_{\text{st}}\{-b\}$$

[6] It is easy to see that the definition of our period morphism extends, in a compatible manner, to the skeleta of $C(X,D)$.

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is an isomorphism. Start with $i = 0$, where the statement is known. For $i \geq 1$, assume that our theorem is true for $i-1$. To show it for i, consider the homotopy cofiber sequences

$$\mathrm{sk}_{i-1} C(Y, D_Y) \to \mathrm{sk}_i C(Y, D_Y) \to \mathrm{sk}_i C(Y, D_Y)/\mathrm{sk}_{i-1} C(Y, D_Y)$$

and apply the period morphisms $\alpha_{*,*}$ to it. We get the following map of exact sequences.

$$\begin{array}{ccccccccc}
H^{a-1}_{\text{ét}}(\mathrm{sk}_{i-1} C, b) & \longrightarrow & H^{a-i}_{\text{ét}}(C'_i, b) & \longrightarrow & H^a_{\text{ét}}(\mathrm{sk}_i C, b) & \longrightarrow & H^a_{\text{ét}}(\mathrm{sk}_{i-1} C, b) & \longrightarrow & H^{a-i+1}_{\text{ét}}(C'_i, b) \\
\wr \downarrow \alpha_{a+1,b} & & \wr \downarrow \alpha_{a-i,b} & & \downarrow \alpha_{ab} & & \wr \downarrow \alpha_{ab} & & \wr \downarrow \alpha_{a-i+1,b} \\
H^{a-1}_{\text{cr}}(\mathrm{sk}_{i-1} C_0, b) & \longrightarrow & H^{a-i}_{\text{cr}}(C'_{i,0}, b) & \longrightarrow & H^a_{\text{cr}}(\mathrm{sk}_i X_0, b) & \longrightarrow & H^a_{\text{cr}}(\mathrm{sk}_{i-1} C_0, b) & \longrightarrow & H^{a-i+1}_{\text{cr}}(C'_{i,0}, b)
\end{array}$$

Here we put $H^*_{\text{ét}}(T, *) = H^*_{\text{ét}}(T_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(b)) \otimes \mathbf{B}_{\text{st}}$, $H^*_{\text{cr}}(T, b) = H^*_{\text{cr}}(T) \otimes \mathbf{B}_{\text{st}}\{-b\}$. And we defined

$$H^*_{\text{ét}}(C'_i, b) = H^*_{\text{ét}}(C_i, b) \cap \ker s_0^* \cap \cdots \cap \ker s_{i-1}^*,$$
$$H^*_{\text{cr}}(C'_{i,0}, b) = H^*_{\text{cr}}(C_{i,0}, b) \cap \ker s_0^* \cap \cdots \cap \ker s_{i-1}^*,$$

where each $s_i : \mathrm{sk}_{i-1} C \to \mathrm{sk}_i C$ is a degeneracy map. By the inductive hypothesis, we have the isomorphisms shown in the diagram. Hence, the period morphism

$$\alpha_{ab} : H^a_{\text{ét}}(\mathrm{sk}_i C_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(b)) \otimes_{\mathbf{Q}_p} \mathbf{B}_{\text{st}} \to H^a_{\text{cr}}(\mathrm{sk}_i C_0) \otimes_{W(k)} \mathbf{B}_{\text{st}}\{-b\}$$

is an isomorphism. Since $H^a_{\text{ét}}(\mathrm{sk}_m C_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(b)) \xrightarrow{\sim} H^a_{\text{ét}}(C_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(b))$ and $H^a_{\text{cr}}(\mathrm{sk}_m C_0) \xrightarrow{\sim} H^a_{\text{cr}}(C_0)$, this proves the first claim of the theorem.

For the claim about the filtrations, we need to show that α^{dR}_{ab} (that is, α_{ab} extended to $\mathbf{B}_{\text{dR}}$) induces an isomorphism on filtrations. Passing to the associated grading, one reduces to showing that the induced Hodge–Tate period map

$$\alpha^{\text{HT}}_{ab} : C \otimes H^a_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(b)) \to H^a_{\text{HT}}(X_K, b),$$

where we set

$$H^a_{\text{HT}}(X_K, b) := \bigoplus_{j \in \mathbf{Z}} C(b-j) \otimes_K H^{a-j}(X_K, \Omega^j_{X_K}),$$

is an isomorphism. But this can be checked exactly as above.

The claim about the uniformizer can be checked as in the proof of [Niz08, Theorem 3.8]. The claims about products and Tate twists can be checked as in the proof of Theorem 3.6 using analogs of Lemmas 3.7 and 3.8 (where the constants have to be modified accordingly to the definition of the maps α^n_{ab}). □

4. Comparison of period morphisms

This section has two parts. In the first part we formulate a K-theoretical uniqueness criterion for p-adic period morphisms for cohomology with compact support and, using it, we prove that the period morphisms defined using the syntomic, almost étale, and motivic methods are equal. In the second part we use h-topology and the Beilinson (filtered) Poincaré lemma to formulate a simple uniqueness criterion for p-adic period morphisms. Using it, we show that the p-adic period morphisms of Faltings, Tsuji (and Yamashita), and Beilinson are the same whenever they are defined (so, in particular, for open varieties with semistable compactifications). Moreover,

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they are all compatible with (possibly mixed) products. This all holds up to a change of the Hyodo–Kato cohomology described in § 4.3.2.

4.1 A simple uniqueness criterion

We start with a very simple uniqueness criterion.

4.1.1 *The case of schemes.* Recall the following formulation of the semistable conjecture of Fontaine and Jannsen.

Conjecture 4.1 Semistable conjecture. *Let X be a proper, log-smooth, fine, and saturated $\mathcal{O}_K^{\times}$-log-scheme with Cartier-type reduction. There exists a natural $\mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}}$-linear Galois-equivariant period isomorphism*

$$\alpha_i : H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K},\mathrm{tr}}, \mathbf{Q}_p) \otimes_{\mathbf{Q}_p} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}} \xrightarrow{\sim} H^i_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \otimes_F \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}}$$

that preserves the Frobenius and the monodromy operators and, after extension to $\mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}}$, induces a filtered isomorphism

$$\alpha_i : H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K},\mathrm{tr}}, \mathbf{Q}_p) \otimes_{\mathbf{Q}_p} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}} \xrightarrow{\sim} H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) \otimes_K \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}}.$$

This conjecture was proved, possibly under additional assumptions, by Kato [Kat94a], Tsuji [Tsu99a, Tsu03], Yamashita [Yam11], Faltings [Fal02], Nizioł [Niz08], and Beilinson [Bei13]. It was generalized to formal schemes by Colmez and Nizioł [CN17] and by Česnavičius and Koshikawa [ČK19] (who generalized the proof of the crystalline conjecture by Bhatt, Morrow and Scholze [BMS18]) in the case when there is no horizontal divisor.

Let $r \geq 0$. For a period isomorphism α_i as above, we define its twist

$$\alpha_{i,r} : H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K},\mathrm{tr}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(r)) \otimes_{\mathbf{Q}_p} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}} \to H^i_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \otimes_F \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}}\{-r\}$$

as $\alpha_{i,r} := t^r \alpha_i \epsilon^{-r}$. Clearly, it is an isomorphism. It follows from Conjecture 4.1 that we can recover the étale cohomology with the Galois action from the Hyodo–Kato cohomology:

$$\alpha_{i,r} : H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K},\mathrm{tr}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(r)) \xrightarrow{\sim} (H^i_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \otimes_F \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}})^{N=0,\phi=p^r} \cap F^r(H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) \otimes_K \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}}). \tag{4.2}$$

For $r \geq i$, by Lemma 2.9, the right-hand side is isomorphic to $H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'(r))_{\mathbf{Q}}$, i.e., there exists a natural isomorphism

$$H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'(r))_{\mathbf{Q}} \xrightarrow{\sim} (H^i_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \otimes_F \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}})^{N=0,\phi=p^r} \cap F^r(H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) \otimes_K \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}}).$$

We will denote by

$$\tilde{\alpha}_{i,r} : H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K},\mathrm{tr}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(r)) \xrightarrow{\sim} H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'(r))_{\mathbf{Q}}$$

the induced isomorphism and call it the *syntomic period isomorphism*.

The following lemma is immediate.

Lemma 4.3. *Let $r \geq i$. A period isomorphism $\alpha_{i,r}$, and hence also a period isomorphism α_i satisfying Conjecture 4.1, is uniquely determined by the induced syntomic period isomorphism $\tilde{\alpha}_{i,r}$.*

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4.1.2 *The case of simplicial schemes.* The above discussion carries over to finite simplicial schemes. That is, we assume that we have a period isomorphism α_i as in Conjecture 4.1 but for a finite simplicial scheme X with components as in Conjecture 4.1. It then yields an isomorphism $\alpha_{i,r}$ as in (4.2) for $i \leq r$. We will need the following analog of Lemma 2.9.

Lemma 4.4. *Let $r \geq i$. There exists a natural isomorphism*

$$H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'(r))_{\mathbf{Q}} \xrightarrow{\sim} (H^i_{\text{HK}}(X) \otimes_F \mathbf{B}_{\text{st}})^{N=0,\phi=p^r} \cap F^r(H^i_{\text{dR}}(X_K) \otimes_K \mathbf{B}_{\text{dR}}).$$

Proof. By functoriality of all the maps involved, the proof of Lemma 2.9 yields a quasi-isomorphism

$$\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'(r))_{\mathbf{Q}} \simeq \ [(\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{HK}}(X) \otimes_F \mathbf{B}^+_{\text{st}})^{N=0,\phi=p^r} \xrightarrow{\rho_\pi \otimes \iota} (\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{dR}}(X_K) \otimes_K \mathbf{B}^+_{\text{dR}})/F^r] \ .$$

We have natural isomorphisms

$$H^i((\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{HK}}(X) \otimes_F \mathbf{B}^+_{\text{st}})^{N=0,\phi=p^r}) \simeq (H^i_{\text{HK}}(X) \otimes_F \mathbf{B}^+_{\text{st}})^{N=0,\phi=p^r},$$
$$H^i((\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{dR}}(X_K) \otimes_K \mathbf{B}^+_{\text{dR}})/F^r) \simeq (H^i_{\text{dR}}(X_K) \otimes_K \mathbf{B}^+_{\text{dR}})/F^r.$$

The first isomorphism holds because $H^i_{\text{HK}}(X) \otimes_F \mathbf{B}^+_{\text{st}}$ is a (ϕ, N)-module (see [NN16, proof of Corollary 3.25] for an argument) and the second one because we have a degeneration of the Hodge–de Rham spectral sequence for X. This yields a natural long exact sequence

$$\begin{aligned}(H^{i-1}_{\text{HK}}(X) \otimes_F \mathbf{B}^+_{\text{st}})^{N=0,\phi=p^r} \xrightarrow{\rho_\pi \otimes \iota} (H^{i-1}_{\text{dR}}(X_K) \otimes_K \mathbf{B}^+_{\text{dR}})/F^r \xrightarrow{\partial} H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'(r))_{\mathbf{Q}} \\ \to (H^i_{\text{HK}}(X) \otimes_F \mathbf{B}^+_{\text{st}})^{N=0,\phi=p^r} \xrightarrow{\rho_\pi \otimes \iota} (H^i_{\text{dR}}(X_K) \otimes_K \mathbf{B}^+_{\text{dR}})/F^r.\end{aligned}$$

It suffices thus to show that, for $i \leq r$, the map ∂ in the above exact sequence is zero. Or that the map

$$(H^{i-1}_{\text{HK}}(X) \otimes_F \mathbf{B}_{\text{st}})^{N=0,\phi=p^r} \xrightarrow{\rho_\pi \otimes \iota_\pi} (H^{i-1}_{\text{dR}}(X_K) \otimes_K \mathbf{B}_{\text{dR}})/F^r$$

is surjective. But this follows from the fact that the pair $H^{i-1}_{\text{HK}}(X), H^{i-1}_{\text{dR}}(X_K)$ is an admissible filtered (ϕ, N)-module such that $F^r H^{i-1}_{\text{dR}}(X_K) = 0$ (see [CN17, Proposition 5.20]). □

As above, we will denote by

$$\tilde{\alpha}_{i,r} : H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K},\text{tr}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(r)) \xrightarrow{\sim} H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'(r))_{\mathbf{Q}}$$

the induced isomorphism and call it the *syntomic period isomorphism*. Again, the following lemma is immediate.

Lemma 4.5. *Let $r \geq i$. A period isomorphism $\alpha_{i,r}$, and hence also a period isomorphism α_i satisfying Conjecture 4.1 for X, is uniquely determined by the induced syntomic period morphism $\tilde{\alpha}_{i,r}$.*

4.2 Comparison of period morphisms for cohomology with compact support

We will prove in this section that the comparison morphisms for cohomology with compact support defined using the syntomic, almost étale, and motivic methods are equal. We will use for that a motivic uniqueness criterion.

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4.2.1 *A K-theoretical uniqueness criterion.* We will prove now a uniqueness criterion for period morphisms that generalizes the one stated in [Niz09]. Let X be a proper scheme over $\mathcal{O}_K$ with semistable reduction and of pure relative dimension d. Let $i : D \hookrightarrow X$ be the horizontal divisor and set $U = X \setminus D$. Equip X with the log-structure induced by D and the special fiber.

Proposition 4.6. *Let $r \geq 2d+2$. There exists a unique semistable period morphism*

$$\tilde{\alpha}_{i,r} : H^i_{\text{ét},c}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(r)) \to H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, S'(r)(D))_{\mathbf{Q}}$$

that makes the diagram from § 3.2 commute.

Proof. Consider the diagram mentioned and use the fact that the étale Chern classes $c^{\text{ét}}_{r,2r-i}$ are isomorphisms rationally by Proposition 2.14 and that the restriction map j^* is an isomorphism by Lemma 2.12. □

4.2.2 *Comparison of period morphisms for cohomology with compact support.* The comparison morphisms of Faltings [Fal89, Fal02] and Tsuji [Tsu99a] extend easily to finite simplicial schemes. This was done explicitly in [Kis02, Tsu98]. In particular, they extend to cohomology with compact support. We will show in this section that they are equal to the period morphisms constructed in § 3. We will use for that the uniqueness criterion for period morphisms stated above. We will do the computations just for cohomology with compact support in the semistable case. The arguments in other cases are analogous.

Theorem 4.7. (i) *There exists a unique natural p-adic period isomorphism*

$$\alpha_i : H^i_{\text{ét},c}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p) \otimes \mathbf{B}_{\text{st}} \xrightarrow{\sim} H^i_{\text{cr},c}(X_0/W(k)^0) \otimes_{W(k)} \mathbf{B}_{\text{st}}$$

such that:

(a) *α_i is $\mathbf{B}_{\text{st}}$-linear, Galois equivariant, and compatible with Frobenius;*
(b) *α_i, extended to $\mathbf{B}_{dR}$, induces a filtered isomorphism*

$$\alpha_i^{\text{dR}} : H^i_{\text{ét},c}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p) \otimes \mathbf{B}_{\text{dR}} \xrightarrow{\sim} H^i_{\text{dR},c}(X_K) \otimes_K \mathbf{B}_{\text{dR}};$$

(c) *α_i is compatible with the étale and syntomic higher Chern classes from p-adic K-theory.*

(ii) *The period morphisms of Faltings, Tsuji, and Nizioł are equal.*[7]

Proof. The first claim follows from Proposition 4.6 and Lemma 4.5.

For the second claim, choose r such that $r \geq 2d+2$ and $r \geq i$. It suffices to show that the Faltings, Tsuji, and Nizioł period morphisms $\alpha^F_{i,r}$, $\alpha^T_{i,r}$, and $\alpha^N_{i,r}$

$$\alpha^*_{i,r} : H^i_{\text{ét},c}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(r)) \otimes \mathbf{B}_{\text{st}} \xrightarrow{\sim} H^i_{\text{cr},c}(X_0/W(k)^0) \otimes_{W(k)} \mathbf{B}_{\text{st}}\{-r\},$$

and their de Rham analogs are equal. For that, apply the first claim. The needed compatibility of the period morphism with higher p-adic Chern classes is clear in the case of the map $\alpha^N_{i,r}$ and was proved in [Niz09, Corollaries 4.14 and 5.9] for the other two maps. These corollaries are stated for proper log-schemes but their proofs carry over to the case of finite simplicial schemes (with the same properties). □

[7] By Nizioł period morphisms, we mean the morphisms defined in § 3.

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4.3 Comparison of Tsuji and Beilinson period morphisms

We prove in the next two sections that the Beilinson period morphisms [Bei12, Bei13] agree with the period morphisms of Faltings and Tsuji whenever the latter are defined (and modulo a change of Hodo–Kato cohomology). Our strategy is to appeal to Lemma 4.3 and then to sheafify the syntomic morphisms induced by the latter period morphisms in the h-topology on the generic fiber. We identify the syntomic period morphisms on the sheaf level as certain canonical maps appearing in the fundamental exact sequence. Since we had shown in [NN16] that the same maps are used to define the Beilinson syntomic period morphism, it follows that all the period morphisms are equal. Along the way we obtain useful properties of the Faltings and Tsuji period morphisms.

We start with comparing the period morphisms of Tsuji and Beilinson.

4.3.1 *Tsuji period morphism.* We will briefly discuss the period morphism used by Tsuji. Let X be a log-smooth log-scheme over $\mathcal{O}_K^{\times}$. Recall that Fontaine and Messing, and Kato have defined natural period morphisms on the étale site of X_0 [FM87, Tsu98]

$$\beta_r^{\mathrm{T}} : \mathcal{S}_n(r) \to i^*\mathrm{R}j_*\mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)', \quad r \geq 0,$$

where $i : X_0 \hookrightarrow X, j : X_{K,\mathrm{tr}} \hookrightarrow X$ are the natural immersions. Here we set $\mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)' := (1/(p^a a!)\mathbf{Z}_p(r)) \otimes \mathbf{Z}/p^n$, where a is the largest integer $\leq r/(p-1)$. Recall that we have the fundamental exact sequence [Tsu99a, Theorem 1.2.4]

$$0 \to \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)' \to J_{\mathrm{cr},n}^{\langle r\rangle} \xrightarrow{1-\phi_r} \mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n} \to 0,$$

where

$$J_n^{\langle r\rangle} := \{x \in J_{n+s}^{[r]} \mid \phi(x) \in p^r \mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n+s}\}/p^n$$

for some $s \geq r$.

The above period morphisms were used to prove the following comparison theorem.

Theorem 4.8 (Tsuji [Tsu99a, 3.3.4, Theorem 3.4.4]). (i) *Let X be a semistable scheme over $\mathcal{O}_K$ or a finite base change of such a scheme. Then, for any $0 \leq i \leq r$, the kernel and cokernel of the period morphism*

$$\beta_r^{\mathrm{T}} : \mathcal{H}^i(\mathcal{S}_n(r)_{\overline{X}}) \to \overline{i}^*\mathrm{R}^i\overline{j}_*\mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)'_{X_{\overline{K},\mathrm{tr}}}$$

are annihilated by p^N for an integer N which depends only on p, r, and i. Here $\overline{i}$ and $\overline{j}$ are extensions of i and j to $\overline{X} := X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}$.

(ii) *Assume moreover that X is proper. Then, for any $0 \leq i \leq r$, the induced morphism*

$$H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}(r))_{\mathbf{Q}} \to H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K},\mathrm{tr}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(r))$$

is an isomorphism.

For a proper semistable scheme X over $\mathcal{O}_K$ and $r \geq i$, the modulo p^n and rational semistable Tsuji period morphisms are defined as

$$\begin{gathered}\beta_{r,n}^{\mathrm{T}} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'_n(r)) \xrightarrow{\mathrm{can}} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}_n(r)) \xrightarrow{\beta_r^{\mathrm{T}}} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K},\mathrm{tr}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)'),\\ \beta_r^{\mathrm{T}} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'(r))_{\mathbf{Q}} \xrightarrow{\mathrm{can}} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}(r))_{\mathbf{Q}} \xrightarrow{\beta_r^{\mathrm{T}}} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K},\mathrm{tr}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(r)) \xrightarrow{p^{-r}} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K},\mathrm{tr}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(r)).\end{gathered} \tag{4.9}$$

By Theorem 4.8, β_r^{T} is a quasi-isomorphism after truncation at $\tau_{\leq r}$.

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The Tsuji period morphism

$$\alpha^{\mathrm{T}}_{i,r} : H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K},\mathrm{tr}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(r)) \to (H^i_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \otimes_F \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}})^{N=0,\phi=p^r}$$

is defined by composing the above morphism with the map h_π (and changing $\widehat{\mathbf{B}}_{\mathrm{st}}$ to $\mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}}$).

4.3.2 *Beilinson comparison theorem.* In [Bei13], Beilinson proved the following comparison theorem.

THEOREM 4.10 Semistable conjecture [Bei13]. *Let X be a proper semistable scheme over $\mathcal{O}_K$ endowed with its canonical log-structure. There exists a natural $\mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}}$-linear Galois-equivariant period isomorphism*[8]

$$\alpha^B_{h,i} : H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K},\mathrm{tr}}, \mathbf{Q}_p) \otimes_{\mathbf{Q}_p} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}} \xrightarrow{\sim} H^{B,i}_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \otimes_F \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}}$$

that preserves the Frobenius and the monodromy operators and, after extension to $\mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}}$, induces a filtered isomorphism

$$\alpha^B_i : H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K},\mathrm{tr}}, \mathbf{Q}_p) \otimes_{\mathbf{Q}_p} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}} \xrightarrow{\sim} H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) \otimes_K \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}}.$$

We added the subscript h (for h-topology) to underscore the different formulation from Theorem 4.1. Here $H^{B,i}_{\mathrm{HK}}(X)$ is the Beilinson–Hyodo–Kato cohomology [Bei13, 1.16.1] and the base change to the de Rham comparison uses the Beilinson–Hyodo–Kato isomorphism

$$\rho^B : H^{B,i}_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \otimes_F K \xrightarrow{\sim} H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K)$$

as well as the canonical map $\iota_p : \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}} \to \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}}$ [NN16, § 2.1]. A priori, these Hyodo–Kato-type constructions are not the same as the original ones (for one thing, they are independent of the choice of the uniformizer π; in fact, they should be seen, in a sense that can be made precise, as associated to the canonical choice of p). However, the two constructions are related by a natural quasi-isomorphism, i.e., there is a natural map κ that makes the following diagram commute [NN16, (31)].

$$\begin{array}{ccc} H^i_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) & \xrightarrow{\rho_\pi} & H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) \\ {\scriptstyle\kappa}\uparrow{\scriptstyle\wr} & \nearrow_{\rho^B} & \\ H^{B,i}_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) & & \end{array}$$

4.3.3 *Beilinson equivalence of topoi.* To describe the Beilinson period morphism, we will need to work with h-topology on the generic fiber. Beilinson has shown that h-topology has a base consisting of semistable schemes. We will review his result briefly.

For a field K, let $\mathcal{V}ar_K$ denote the category of varieties over K. We will equip it with h-topology (see [Bei12, 2.3]), i.e., the coarsest topology finer than the Zariski and proper topologies.[9] We note that the h-topology is finer than the étale topology. It is generated by the pretopology whose coverings are finite families of maps $\{Y_i \to X\}$ such that $Y := \coprod Y_i \to X$

[8] See § 4.3.6 for a precise definition.
[9] The latter is generated by a pretopology whose coverings are proper surjective maps.

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is a universal topological epimorphism (i.e., a subset of X is Zariski open if and only if its preimage in Y is open). We denote by $\mathcal{V}ar_{K,h}, X_h$, $X \in \mathcal{V}ar_K$, the corresponding h-sites.

Let K be now as in § 2. An *arithmetic pair* over K is an open embedding $j : U \hookrightarrow \overline{U}$ with dense image of a K-variety U into a reduced proper flat V-scheme $\overline{U}$. A morphism $(U, \overline{U}) \to (T, \overline{T})$ of pairs is a map $\overline{U} \to \overline{T}$ which sends U to T. In the case that the pairs represent log-regular schemes, this is the same as a map of log-schemes. For a pair $(U, \overline{U})$, we set $V_U := \Gamma(\overline{U}, \mathcal{O}_{\overline{U}})$ and $K_U := \Gamma(\overline{U}_K, \mathcal{O}_{\overline{U}})$. The ring K_U is a product of several finite extensions of K (labeled by the connected components of $\overline{U}$) and, if $\overline{U}$ is normal, V_U is the product of the corresponding rings of integers.

A *semistable pair* over K [Bei12, 2.2] is a pair of schemes $(U, \overline{U})$ over (K, V) such that:

(i) $\overline{U}$ is regular and proper over V;
(ii) $\overline{U} \setminus U$ is a divisor with normal crossings on $\overline{U}$;
(iii) the closed fiber $\overline{U}_0$ of $\overline{U}$ is reduced and its irreducible components are regular.

A closed fiber is taken over the closed points of V_U. We will think of semistable pairs as log-schemes equipped with log-structure given by the divisor $\overline{U} \setminus U$. The closed fiber $\overline{U}_0$ has the induced log-structure.

A *semistable pair* over $\overline{K}$ [Bei12, 2.2] is a pair of connected schemes $(T, \overline{T})$ over $(\overline{K}, \overline{V})$ such that there exist a semistable pair $(U, \overline{U})$ over K and a $\overline{K}$-point $\alpha : K_U \to \overline{K}$ such that $(T, \overline{T})$ is isomorphic to the base change $(U_{\overline{K}}, \overline{U}_{\overline{V}})$. We will denote by $\mathcal{P}^{\mathrm{ss}}_{\overline{K}}$ the category of semistable pairs over $\overline{K}$.

Let, for just a moment, K be any field of characteristic 0. A *geometric pair* over K is a pair $(U, \overline{U})$ of varieties over K such that $\overline{U}$ is proper and $U \subset \overline{U}$ is open and dense. We say that the pair $(U, \overline{U})$ is an *nc-pair* if $\overline{U}$ is regular and $\overline{U} \setminus U$ is a divisor with normal crossings in $\overline{U}$; it is a *strict nc-pair* if the irreducible components of $U \setminus \overline{U}$ are regular. A morphism of pairs $f : (U_1, \overline{U}_1) \to (U, \overline{U})$ is a map $\overline{U}_1 \to \overline{U}$ that sends U_1 to U. We denote the category of nc-pairs over K by $\mathcal{P}^{\mathrm{nc}}_K$.

For the category $\mathcal{P}^{\mathrm{ss}}_{\overline{K}}$ mentioned above, let $\gamma : (U, \overline{U}) \to U$ denote the forgetful functor. Beilinson proved [Bei12, 2.5] that the category $(\mathcal{P}^{\mathrm{ss}}_{\overline{K}}, \gamma)$ forms a base for $\mathcal{V}ar_{\overline{K},h}$. This implies that γ induces an equivalence of the topoi

$$\gamma : \mathrm{Shv}_h(\mathcal{P}^{\mathrm{ss}}_{\overline{K}}) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{Shv}_h(\mathcal{V}ar_{\overline{K}}).$$

Similarly for the categories $\mathcal{P}^{\mathrm{ss}}_K$ and $\mathcal{P}^{\mathrm{nc}}_K$ (and the category $\mathcal{V}ar_K$).

4.3.4 *Definitions of cohomology sheaves.* We will now recall briefly the definition of geometric syntomic cohomology, i.e., syntomic cohomology over $\overline{K}$, from [NN16], and the related cohomologies from [Bei13].

(i) *Absolute crystalline cohomology.* For $(U, \overline{U}) \in \mathcal{P}^{\mathrm{ss}}_{\overline{K}}$, $r \geq 0$, we have the absolute crystalline cohomology complexes and their completions

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(U, \overline{U}, \mathcal{J}^{[r]})_n &:= \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(\overline{U}_{n,\text{ét}}, \mathrm{R}u_*\mathcal{J}^{[r]}), \\
\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(U, \overline{U}, \mathcal{J}^{[r]}) &:= \mathrm{holim}_n \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(U, \overline{U}, \mathcal{J}^{[r]})_n, \\
\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(U, \overline{U}, \mathcal{J}^{[r]})_{\mathbf{Q}} &:= \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(U, \overline{U}, \mathcal{J}^{[r]}) \otimes \mathbf{Q}_p,
\end{aligned}$$

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where $u : \overline{U}_{n,\mathrm{cr}} \to \overline{U}_{n,\text{ét}}$ is the natural projection. The complex $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(U,\overline{U})$ is a perfect $\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}$-complex and

$$\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(U,\overline{U})_n \simeq \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(U,\overline{U}) \otimes^L_{\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}} \mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}/p^n \simeq \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(U,\overline{U}) \otimes^L \mathbf{Z}/p^n.$$

In general, we have $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(U,\overline{U},\mathcal{J}^{[r]})_n \simeq \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(U,\overline{U},\mathcal{J}^{[r]}) \otimes^L \mathbf{Z}/p^n$. Moreover, by [Tsu99a, 1.6.3 and 1.6.4],

$$J^{[r]}_{\mathrm{cr}} = \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(\mathrm{Spec}(\overline{K}),\mathrm{Spec}(\overline{V}),\mathcal{J}^{[r]}).$$

The absolute crystalline cohomology complexes are filtered E_∞ algebras over $\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n}$, $\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}$, or $\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr},\mathbf{Q}}$, respectively. Moreover, the rational ones are filtered commutative dg algebras.

Let $\mathcal{J}^{[r]}_{\mathrm{cr}}$ and $\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}$ be the h-sheafifications on $\mathcal{V}ar_{\overline{K}}$ of the presheaves sending $(U,\overline{U}) \in \mathcal{P}^{\mathrm{ss}}_{\overline{K}}$ to $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(U,\overline{U},\mathcal{J}^{[r]})$ and $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(U,\overline{U})$, respectively. Let $\mathcal{J}^{[r]}_{\mathrm{cr},n}$ and $\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n}$ denote the h-sheafifications of the mod-p^n versions of the respective presheaves; and let $\mathcal{J}^{[r]}_{\mathrm{cr},\mathbf{Q}}$ and $\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},\mathbf{Q}}$ be the h-sheafifications of the rational versions of the same presheaves.

For $X \in \mathcal{V}ar_{\overline{K}}$, set $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_h) := \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_h,\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr}})$. It is a filtered (by $\mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_h,\mathcal{J}^{[r]}_{\mathrm{cr}})$, $r \geq 0$) E_∞ $\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}$-algebra equipped with the Frobenius action ϕ. The Galois group G_K acts on $\mathcal{V}ar_{\overline{K}}$ and it acts on $X \mapsto \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_h)$ by transport of structure. If X is defined over K, then G_K acts naturally on $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_h)$.

(ii) *Geometric syntomic cohomology.* For $r \geq 0$, the mod-p^n, completed, and rational syntomic complexes $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(U,\overline{U},r)_n$, $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(U,\overline{U},r)$, and $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(U,\overline{U},r)_{\mathbf{Q}}$ are defined by the formulas

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(U,\overline{U},r)_n &:= [\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(U,\overline{U},\mathcal{J}^{[r]})_n \xrightarrow{p^r-\phi} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(U,\overline{U})_n)],\\
\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(U,\overline{U},r) &:= \mathrm{holim}_n\, \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(U,\overline{U},r)_n,\\
\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(U,\overline{U},r)_{\mathbf{Q}} &:= [\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(U,\overline{U},\mathcal{J}^{[r]})_{\mathbf{Q}} \xrightarrow{1-\phi_r} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(U,\overline{U})_{\mathbf{Q}})].
\end{aligned}$$

We have $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(U,\overline{U},r)_n \simeq \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(U,\overline{U},r) \otimes^L \mathbf{Z}/p^n$. Let $\mathcal{S}'(r)$ be the h-sheafification on $\mathcal{V}ar_{\overline{K}}$ of the presheaf sending $(U,\overline{U}) \in \mathcal{P}^{\mathrm{ss}}_{\overline{K}}$ to $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(U,\overline{U},r)$. Let $\mathcal{S}'_n(r)$ and $\mathcal{S}'(r)_{\mathbf{Q}}$ denote the h-sheafifications of the mod-p^n and the rational versions of the same presheaf, respectively.

For $r \geq 0$, set $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(X_h,r)_n = \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_h,\mathcal{S}'_n(r))$, $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(X_h,r) := \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_h,\mathcal{S}'(r)_{\mathbf{Q}})$. We have

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(X_h,r)_n &\simeq [\mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_h,\mathcal{J}^{[r]}_{\mathrm{cr},n}) \xrightarrow{p^r-\phi} \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_h,\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n})],\\
\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(X_h,r) &\simeq [\mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_h,\mathcal{J}^{[r]}_{\mathrm{cr},\mathbf{Q}}) \xrightarrow{1-\phi_r} \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_h,\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},\mathbf{Q}})].
\end{aligned}$$

The direct sum $\bigoplus_{r\geq 0} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(X_h,r)$ is a graded E_∞ algebra over $\mathbf{Z}_p$.

(iii) *de Rham cohomology.* Consider the presheaf $(U,\overline{U}) \mapsto \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(U,\overline{U}) := \mathrm{R}\Gamma(\overline{U},\Omega^\bullet_{(U,\overline{U})})$ of filtered dg K-algebras on $\mathcal{P}^{\mathrm{nc}}_K$. Let $\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{dR}}$ be its h-sheafification. It is a sheaf of filtered K-algebras on $\mathcal{V}ar_K$. For $X \in \mathcal{V}ar_K$, we have Deligne's de Rham complex of X equipped with Deligne's Hodge filtration: $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_h) := \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_h,\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{dR}})$.

(iv) *Beilinson–Hyodo–Kato cohomology.* Let $\mathcal{A}^B_{\mathrm{HK}}$ be the h-sheafification of the presheaf of (arithmetic) Beilinson–Hyodo–Kato cohomology $(U,\overline{U}) \mapsto \mathrm{R}\Gamma^B_{\mathrm{HK}}(U,\overline{U})_{\mathbf{Q}}$ on $\mathcal{P}^{\mathrm{ss}}_K$; this is an h-sheaf of E_∞ F-algebras on $\mathcal{V}ar_K$ equipped with a ϕ-action and a derivation N such that $N\phi = p\phi N$. For $X \in \mathcal{V}ar_K$, set $\mathrm{R}\Gamma^B_{\mathrm{HK}}(X_h) := \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_h,\mathcal{A}^B_{\mathrm{HK}})$.

Let $\mathcal{A}^B_{\mathrm{HK}}$ be the h-sheafification of the presheaf $(U,\overline{U}) \mapsto \mathrm{R}\Gamma^B_{\mathrm{HK}}(U,\overline{U})_{\mathbf{Q}}$ of (geometric) Beilinson–Hyodo–Kato cohomology on $\mathcal{P}^{\mathrm{ss}}_{\overline{K}}$. This is an h-sheaf of E_∞ F^{nr}-algebras, where F^{nr} is the

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maximal unramified extension of F, equipped with a ϕ-action and locally nilpotent derivation N such that $N\phi = p\phi N$. For $X \in \mathcal{V}ar_{\overline{K}}$, set $\mathrm{R}\Gamma^B_{\mathrm{HK}}(X_h) := \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_h, \mathcal{A}^B_{\mathrm{HK}})$. We have the Beilnson–Hyodo–Kato quasi-isomorphism

$$\rho^B_h : \mathrm{R}\Gamma^B_{\mathrm{HK}}(X_h) \otimes_{F^{\mathrm{nr}}} \overline{K} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_h).$$

(v) *Comparison statements.* The h-topology definitions of cohomology are often compatible with the original definitions.

Lemma 4.11. *We have the following comparison statements.*

(i) *For $(U, \overline{U}) \in \mathcal{P}^{\mathrm{nc}}_L$, $L = K, \overline{K}$, the canonical map $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(U, \overline{U}) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(U_h)$ is a filtered quasi-isomorphism [Bei12, 2.4].*

(ii) *For any $(U, \overline{U}) \in \mathcal{P}^{\mathrm{ss}}_{\overline{K}}$, $r \geq 0$, the canonical maps*

$$\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(U, \overline{U}, \mathcal{J}^{[r]})_{\mathbf{Q}} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma(U_h, \mathcal{J}^{[r]}_{\mathrm{cr}})_{\mathbf{Q}}, \quad \mathrm{R}\Gamma^B_{\mathrm{HK}}(U, \overline{U}) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma^B_{\mathrm{HK}}(U_h)$$

are quasi-isomorphisms (see [Bei13, 2.4] and [NN16, Proposition 3.21]). In particular,

$$\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(U, \overline{U}, r) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(U_h, r).$$

(iii) *For any arithmetic pair $(U, \overline{U})$ that is fine, log-smooth over $\mathcal{O}_K^{\times}$, and of Cartier type, the canonical map*

$$\mathrm{R}\Gamma^B_{\mathrm{HK}}(U, \overline{U}) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma^B_{\mathrm{HK}}(U_h)$$

is a quasi-isomorphism [NN16, Proposition 3.18].

4.3.5 *Poincaré lemma.* We will recall the Poincaré lemma of Beilinson [Bei13] and its syntomic cohomology version [NN16].

Theorem 4.12 (Filtered crystalline Poincaré lemma [Bei13, 2.3], [Bha12, Theorem 10.14]). *Let $r \geq 0$. The canonical map $J^{[r]}_{\mathrm{cr},n} \to \mathcal{J}^{[r]}_{\mathrm{cr},n}$ is a quasi-isomorphism of h-sheaves on $\mathcal{V}ar_{\overline{K}}$.*

Set $S'_n(r) := \mathrm{Cone}(J^{[r]}_{\mathrm{cr},n} \xrightarrow{p^r - \phi} \mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n})[-1]$. There is a natural morphism of complexes $\tau_n : S'_n(r) \to \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)'$ (induced by p^r on $J^{[r]}_{\mathrm{cr},n}$ and Id on $\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n}$), whose kernel and cokernel are annihilated by p^r. The filtered crystalline Poincaré lemma implies easily the following syntomic Poincaré lemma.

Corollary 4.13. *There is a unique quasi-isomorphism $S'_n(r) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{S}'_n(r)$ of complexes of sheaves on $\mathcal{V}ar_{\overline{K},h}$ that is compatible with the crystalline Poincaré lemma.*

Proof. We include here the simple proof from [NN16, Corollary 4.5]. Consider the following map of distinguished triangles.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
\mathcal{S}'_n(r) & \longrightarrow & \mathcal{J}^{[r]}_{\mathrm{cr},n} & \xrightarrow{p^r-\phi} & \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n} \\
\uparrow & & \wr\uparrow & & \wr\uparrow \\
S'_n(r) & \longrightarrow & J^{[r]}_{\mathrm{cr},n} & \xrightarrow{p^r-\phi} & \mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n}
\end{array}$$

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The triangles are distinguished by definition. The vertical continuous arrows are quasi-isomorphisms by the crystalline Poincaré lemma. They induce the dashed arrow that is clearly a quasi-isomorphism. □

4.3.6 *Beilinson period morphism.* We will now recall the definition of the period morphism of Beilinson [Bei13, 3.1]. Let $X \in \mathcal{V}ar_{\overline{K}}$. Recall first the definition of the crystalline period morphism [Bei13]

$$\beta^{\mathrm{B}}_{\mathrm{cr}} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_h) \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_{\text{ét}}, \mathbf{Z}_p)\widehat{\otimes}\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr}}.$$

Consider the natural map $\pi_n : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_h) \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_h, \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n})$ and take the composition

$$\rho_n : \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_{\text{ét}}, \mathbf{Z}_p) \otimes^L_{\mathbf{Z}_p} \mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_{\text{ét}}, \mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n}) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_h, \mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n}) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_h, \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n}).$$

Set $\beta^{\mathrm{B}}_{\mathrm{cr},n} := \rho_n^{-1}\pi_n$ and $\beta^{\mathrm{B}}_{\mathrm{cr}} := \mathrm{holim}_n \beta^{\mathrm{B}}_{\mathrm{cr},n}$.

The Beilinson–Hyodo–Kato period map

$$\beta_{\mathrm{HK}} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma^B_{\mathrm{HK}}(X_h) \otimes^L_{F^{\mathrm{nr}}} \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{st}} \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_{\text{ét}}, \mathbf{Q}_p) \otimes^L \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{st}}, \quad \beta_{\mathrm{HK}} := \beta_{\mathrm{cr},\mathbf{Q}}\iota^B_{\mathrm{st}},$$

is obtained by composing the map $\beta_{\mathrm{cr},\mathbf{Q}}$ with the quasi-isomorphism

$$\rho^B_{\mathrm{cr}} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma^B_{\mathrm{HK}}(X_h) \otimes^L_{F^{\mathrm{nr}}} \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{st}} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_h)_{\mathbf{Q}}.$$

We have the induced quasi-isomorphism

$$\beta_{\mathrm{HK}} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma^B_{\mathrm{HK}}(X_h) \otimes^L_{F^{\mathrm{nr}}} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}} \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_{\text{ét}}, \mathbf{Q}_p) \otimes^L \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}}$$

and we set $\alpha^B_h := \beta^{-1}_{\mathrm{HK}}$.

The Beilinson–de Rham period map

$$\beta_{\mathrm{dR}} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_h) \otimes^L_{\overline{K}} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}} \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_{\text{ét}}, \mathbf{Q}_p) \otimes^L \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}}$$

is obtained from the Beilinson–Hyodo–Kato period map β_{HK} using the Beilinson–Hyodo–Kato isomorphism $\rho_{\mathrm{HK}} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma^B_{\mathrm{HK}}(X_h) \otimes^L_{F^{\mathrm{nr}}} \overline{K} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_h)$ and the canonical map $\iota_p : \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}} \to \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}}$. We set $\alpha^B := \beta^{-1}_{\mathrm{dR}}$.

The induced syntomic period morphism

$$\beta^{\mathrm{B}}_r : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(X_h, r) \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_{\text{ét}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(r)), \quad r \geq 0,$$

can be described in the following way. Take the natural map $\pi_n : \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_h, \mathcal{S}'(r)) \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_h, \mathcal{S}'_n(r))$ and the zigzag

$$\beta^{\mathrm{B}}_n : \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_h, \mathcal{S}'_n(r)) \xleftarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_h, S'_n(r)) \xrightarrow{\tau_n} \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_h, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)') \xleftarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_{\text{ét}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)').$$

Set $\beta^{\mathrm{B}} := (\mathrm{holim}_n \beta^{\mathrm{B}}_n) \otimes \mathbf{Q}$. Then the map

$$\widetilde{\beta}^{\mathrm{B}}_{h,r} := p^{-r}\beta^{\mathrm{B}}\pi : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(X_h, r) \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_{\text{ét}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(r)),$$

where $\pi := (\mathrm{holim}_n \pi_n) \otimes \mathbf{Q}$, is the induced syntomic period morphism. By [NN16, Proposition 4.6], it is an isomorphism after truncation $\tau_{\leq r}$.

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Remark 4.14. It is worth looking carefully at the composition

$$\beta^{\mathrm{B}}\pi : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(X_h, r) \xrightarrow{\pi} (\mathrm{holim}_n \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_h, \mathcal{S}'_n(r)))_{\mathbf{Q}} \xrightarrow{\beta^{\mathrm{B}}} \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_{\text{ét}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(r)).$$

This composition is a quasi-isomorphism after truncation $\tau_{\leq r}$. Since, by Corollary 4.13, the second map is a quasi-isomorphism, it follows that the first map is a quasi-isomorphism after truncation $\tau_{\leq r}$ as well.

4.3.7 *A very simple comparison criterion.* This is an analog of the criterion in Lemma 4.3 in the context of Beilinson comparison morphisms from Theorem 4.10.

Let X be a semistable scheme over $\mathcal{O}_K$. Let $r \geq 0$. For a period isomorphism $\alpha_{h,i}$ as in Theorem 4.10, we define its twist

$$\alpha_{h,i,r} : H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K},\mathrm{tr}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(r)) \otimes_{\mathbf{Q}_p} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}} \to H^{B,i}_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \otimes_F \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}}\{-r\}$$

as $\alpha_{h,i,r} := t^r \alpha_{h,i} \epsilon^{-r}$. Clearly, it is an isomorphism. It follows from Theorem 4.10 that we can recover the étale cohomology with the Galois action from the Beilinson–Hyodo–Kato cohomology:

$$\alpha_{h,i,r} : H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K},\mathrm{tr}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(r)) \xrightarrow{\sim} (H^{B,i}_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \otimes_F \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}})^{N=0,\phi=p^r} \cap F^r(H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) \otimes_K \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}}). \tag{4.15}$$

For $r \geq i$, by [NN16, Proposition 3.25 and Corollary 3.26], the right-hand side is isomorphic to $H^i_{\mathrm{syn}}(X_{\overline{K},h}, r)$, i.e., there exists a natural isomorphism

$$h_{h,i,r} : H^i_{\mathrm{syn}}(X_{\overline{K},\mathrm{tr},h}, r) \xrightarrow{\sim} (H^{B,i}_{\mathrm{HK}}(X_{\mathrm{tr}}) \otimes_F \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}})^{N=0,\phi=p^r} \cap F^r(H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_{\mathrm{tr}}) \otimes_K \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}}). \tag{4.16}$$

We will denote by

$$\tilde{\alpha}_{h,i,r} : H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K},\mathrm{tr}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(r)) \xrightarrow{\sim} H^i_{\mathrm{syn}}(X_{\overline{K},\mathrm{tr},h}, r)$$

the induced isomorphism and call it the *syntomic period isomorphism*.

The following lemma is immediate.

Lemma 4.17. *Let $r \geq i$. A period isomorphism $\alpha_{h,i,r}$, and hence also a period isomorphism $\alpha_{h,i}$ satisfying Theorem 4.10, is uniquely determined by the induced syntomic period isomorphism $\tilde{\alpha}_{h,i,r}$.*

Remark 4.18. We also have an analog of Lemma 4.17 for finite simplicial schemes with components as in that lemma. The proof is analogous to the proof of Lemma 4.4.

4.3.8 *Comparison of Tsuji and Beilinson period morphisms.* Let $X \in \mathcal{V}ar_{\overline{K}}$. We can h-sheafify the Tsuji syntomic period morphism by setting, for $(U, \overline{U}) \in \mathcal{P}^{\mathrm{ss}}_{\overline{K}}$,

$$\beta^{\mathrm{T}}_{r,n} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}((U,\overline{U}), \mathcal{S}'_n(r)) \xrightarrow{\mathrm{can}} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}((U,\overline{U}), \mathcal{S}_n(r)) \xrightarrow{\beta^{\mathrm{T}}_r} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(U, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)')$$

from (4.9) to obtain the compatible maps of h-sheaves

$$\beta^{\mathrm{T}}_{r,n} : \mathcal{S}'_n(r) \to \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)'. \tag{4.19}$$

Taking cohomology, we get the induced compatible syntomic period morphisms

$$\beta^{\mathrm{T}}_n : \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_h, \mathcal{S}'_n(r)) \xrightarrow{\beta^{\mathrm{T}}_{r,n}} \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_h, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)') \xleftarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_{\text{ét}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)').$$

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As in the case of the Beilinson period morphism, they induce a syntomic period morphism

$$\widetilde{\beta}^{\mathrm{T}}_{h,r} := p^{-r}\beta^{\mathrm{T}}\pi : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(X_h, r) \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X, \mathbf{Q}_p(r)), \quad \beta^{\mathrm{T}} := (\mathrm{holim}_n \beta^{\mathrm{T}}_n) \otimes \mathbf{Q}. \tag{4.20}$$

It is a quasi-isomorphism after truncation $\tau_{\leq r}$: by Remark 4.14, the map π is a quasi-isomorphism after truncation $\tau_{\leq r}$ and, by Corollary 4.13, the map (4.19) is a p^r-quasi-isomorphism and hence the map β^{T} is a quasi-isomorphism after truncation $\tau_{\leq r}$ as well.

THEOREM 4.21. *Let $r \geq 0$.*

(i) *Let $X \in \mathcal{V}ar_{\overline{K}}$. The Tsuji and Beilinson syntomic period morphisms*

$$\widetilde{\beta}^{\mathrm{T}}_{h,r}, \widetilde{\beta}^{\mathrm{B}}_{h,r} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(X_h, r) \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X, \mathbf{Q}_p(r))$$

are equal.

(ii) *If $X = (U, \overline{U}) \in \mathcal{P}^{\mathrm{ss}}_K$ and is split over*[10] *$\mathcal{O}_K$, the period isomorphisms*

$$\alpha^{\mathrm{T}}_{h,i}, \alpha^{\mathrm{B}}_{h,i} : H^i_{\text{ét}}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p) \otimes_{\mathbf{Q}_p} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}} \xrightarrow{\sim} H^{B,i}_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \otimes_F \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}},$$
$$\alpha^{\mathrm{T}}_{i}, \alpha^{\mathrm{B}}_{i} : H^i_{\text{ét}}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p) \otimes_{\mathbf{Q}_p} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}} \xrightarrow{\sim} H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) \otimes_K \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}},$$

where we set $\alpha^{\mathrm{T}}_{h,i} := \kappa^{-1}\alpha^{\mathrm{T}}_i$, are equal as well.

Proof. For the first claim, by construction of the syntomic period morphisms $\widetilde{\beta}^{\mathrm{T}}_{h,r}$ and $\widetilde{\beta}^{\mathrm{B}}_{h,r}$, it suffices to show that, for all $n \geq 1$, the maps

$$\beta^{\mathrm{B}}_n : \mathcal{S}'_n(r) \xleftarrow{\sim} S'_n(r) \xrightarrow{\tau_n} \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)',$$
$$\beta^{\mathrm{T}}_n : \mathcal{S}'_n(r) \xrightarrow{\alpha^{\mathrm{T}}_r} \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)'$$

are equal. Or that so are the maps

$$\tau_n : S'_n(r) \to \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)',$$
$$S'_n(r) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{S}'_n(r) \xrightarrow{\beta^{\mathrm{T}}_r} \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)'.$$

But this is immediate from the functoriality of $\beta^{\mathrm{T}}_{r,n}$: for $(U, \overline{U}) \in \mathcal{P}^{\mathrm{ss}}_{\overline{K}}$, the canonical map $(U, \overline{U}) \to (\mathrm{Spec}\,\overline{K}, \mathrm{Spec}\,\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}})$ yields the following commutative diagram.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}((U,\overline{U}), \mathcal{S}'_n(r)) & \xrightarrow{\beta^{\mathrm{T}}_r} & \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(U, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)') \\
\uparrow & & \uparrow \\
\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}((\mathrm{Spec}\,\overline{K}, \mathrm{Spec}\,\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}), \mathcal{S}'_n(r)) & \xrightarrow{\beta^{\mathrm{T}}_r} & \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(\mathrm{Spec}\,\overline{K}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)') \\
\wr\uparrow & & \wr\uparrow \\
S'_n(r) & \xrightarrow{\tau_n} & \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)'
\end{array}$$

For the second claim, let $X = (U, \overline{U}) \in \mathcal{P}^{\mathrm{ss}}_K$ be split over $\mathcal{O}_K$. By Lemma 4.17, it suffices to show that, for $r \geq i$, the induced maps $\tilde{\alpha}^{\mathrm{T}}_{h,i,r}$ and $\tilde{\alpha}^{\mathrm{B}}_{h,i,r}$ from $H^i_{\text{ét}}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(r))$ to $H^i_{\mathrm{syn}}(U_{\overline{K},h}, r)$ are equal. But, by the first claim of this theorem, it suffices to prove the following lemma.

[10] Recall that this means that the associated log-scheme over $\mathcal{O}^{\times}_K$ is semistable.

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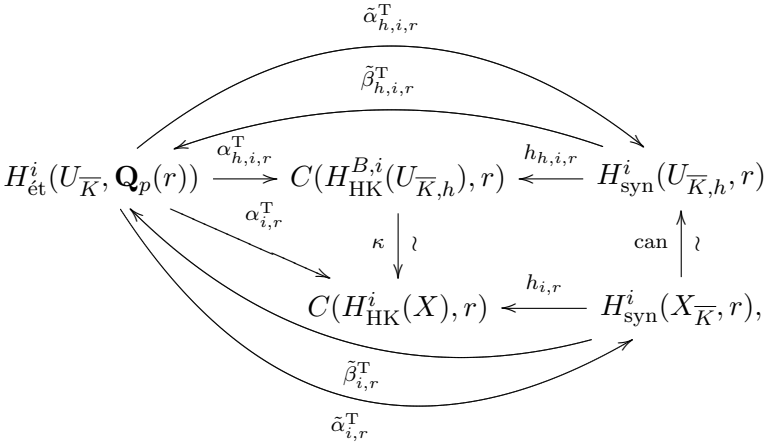
Lemma 4.22. (i) *The map $\tilde{\alpha}^{\mathrm{B}}_{h,i,r}$ is the inverse of the map $\tilde{\beta}^{\mathrm{B}}_{h,i,r}$.*

(ii) *The map $\tilde{\alpha}^{\mathrm{T}}_{h,i,r}$ is the inverse of the map $\tilde{\beta}^{\mathrm{T}}_{h,i,r} : H^i_{\mathrm{syn}}(U_{\overline{K},h}, r) \to H^i_{\text{ét}}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(r))$ induced by $\tilde{\beta}^{\mathrm{T}}_{h,r}$.*

Proof. The first claim was shown in [NN16, (49)]. The second claim is also basically shown in [NN16] (which contains a detailed analysis of the Beilinson–Hyodo–Kato map and its interaction with more classical constructions). However, we could not find there the exact statement we need here so we provide an argument how the proof can be glued from statements proved already in [NN16].

Consider the following diagram (all the maps are isomorphisms)



where we set

$$C(H^{B,i}_{\mathrm{HK}}(U_{\overline{K},h}), r) := \ker((H^{B,i}_{\mathrm{HK}}(U_{\overline{K},h}) \otimes_{F^{\mathrm{nr}}} \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{st}})^{N=0,\phi=p^r} \xrightarrow{\rho^B \otimes \iota_p} (H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(U_{\overline{K},h}) \otimes_{\overline{K}} \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}})/F^r),$$
$$C(H^i_{\mathrm{HK}}(X), r) := \ker((H^i_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \otimes_F \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{st}})^{N=0,\phi=p^r} \xrightarrow{\rho_\pi \otimes \iota_\pi} (H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) \otimes_K \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}})/F^r),$$
$$H^i_{\mathrm{syn}}(X_{\overline{K}}, r) := H^i \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(X_{\overline{K}}, r) := H^i \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'(r))_{\mathbf{Q}}.$$

The map $h_{i,r}$ is induced by the map h_r defined in (2.10). Since, by definition, $\alpha^{\mathrm{T}}_{i,r} = h_{i,r}(\tilde{\beta}^{\mathrm{T}}_{i,r})^{-1}$ and the maps $\tilde{\beta}^{\mathrm{T}}_{h,i,r}$, $\tilde{\beta}^{\mathrm{T}}_{i,r}$ are compatible, a diagram chase shows that it suffices to show that the right square in the diagram commutes.

This diagram can be lifted to the ∞-derived category, where it takes the following form:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} C(\mathrm{R}\Gamma^B_{\mathrm{HK}}(U_{\overline{K},h}), r) & \xleftarrow{h_{h,r}} & \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(U_{\overline{K},h}, r) \\ \wr \downarrow \kappa & & \wr \uparrow \\ C(\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{HK}}(X), r) & \xleftarrow{h_r} & \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(X_{\overline{K}}, r) \end{array}$$

where we set

$$C(\mathrm{R}\Gamma^B_{\mathrm{HK}}(U_{\overline{K},h}), r) := [[\mathrm{R}\Gamma^B_{\mathrm{HK}}(U_{\overline{K},h}) \otimes^L_{F^{\mathrm{nr}}} \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{st}}]^{N=0,\phi=p^r} \xrightarrow{\rho^B \otimes \iota_p} (\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(U_{\overline{K},h}) \otimes^L_{\overline{K}} \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}})/F^r],$$
$$C(\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{HK}}(X), r) := [[\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \otimes^L_F \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{st}}]^{N=0,\phi=p^r} \xrightarrow{\rho_\pi \otimes \iota_\pi} (\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(X) \otimes^L_K \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}})/F^r].$$

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Proceeding now as in the proof of [NN16, Lemma 4.7], we reduce to proving that, possibly changing the base field K, the following diagram commutes for all $X = (U, \overline{U}) \in \mathcal{P}_K^{\mathrm{ss}}$ that are split over $\mathcal{O}_K$.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} C(\mathrm{R}\Gamma^B_{\mathrm{HK}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}), r) & \xleftarrow{h_r^B} & \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(X_{\overline{K}}, r) \\ & \wr \big\downarrow \kappa \quad \searrow^{h_r} & \\ & C(\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{HK}}(X), r) & \end{array}$$

Recall that the map h_r^B is defined as the following composition:

$$\begin{aligned} h_r^B : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(X_{\overline{K}}, r) &\xrightarrow{\sim} [\,[\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}})_{\mathbf{Q}}]^{\phi=p^r} \xrightarrow{\gamma_r^{-1}} (\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_{\overline{K}}) \otimes^L_{\overline{K}} \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}})/F^r\ ] \\ &\xleftarrow{\sim} [\,[\mathrm{R}\Gamma^B_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \otimes^L_F \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{st}}]^{N=0,\phi=p^r} \xrightarrow{\rho^B \otimes \iota_p} (\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) \otimes^L_K \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}})/F^r\ ] \\ &=: C(\mathrm{R}\Gamma^{\mathrm{B}}_{\mathrm{HK}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}), r) \end{aligned}$$

where we have used the quasi-isomorphism $\gamma_r : (\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_{\overline{K}}) \otimes^L_{\overline{K}} \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}})/F^r \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}})_{\mathbf{Q}}/F^r$ and the second quasi-isomorphism in the definition of h_r^B uses the Beilinson crystalline period quasi-isomorphism

$$\rho^B_{\mathrm{cr}} : (\mathrm{R}\Gamma^B_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \otimes^L_F \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{st}})^{N=0} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}})_{\mathbf{Q}}$$

(that is compatible with the action of N and ϕ) as well as [NN16, Lemma 3.24] (which shows that we have the needed commutative diagrams). Recall that the map h_r is defined as the following composition:

$$\begin{aligned} h_r : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(X_{\overline{K}}, r) &\xrightarrow{\sim} [\,[\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}})_{\mathbf{Q}}]^{\phi=p^r} \xrightarrow{\gamma_r^{-1}} (\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_{\overline{K}}) \otimes^L_{\overline{K}} \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}})/F^r\,] \\ &\xrightarrow{\sim} [\,[\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}/\widehat{\mathbf{A}}_{\mathrm{st}})]^{N=0,\phi=p^r}_{\mathbf{Q}} \xrightarrow{\gamma_\pi} (\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) \otimes^L_K \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}})/F^r\,] \\ &\xleftarrow[\cup]{\sim} [\,[\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X/R_\pi)_{\mathbf{Q}} \otimes^L_{R_{\pi,\mathbf{Q}}} \widehat{\mathbf{B}}^+_{\mathrm{st}})]^{N=0,\phi=p^r}_{\mathbf{Q}} \xrightarrow{p_\pi \otimes \iota_\pi} (\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) \otimes^L_K \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}})/F^r\,] \\ &\xleftarrow[\iota_\pi \otimes \mathrm{Id}]{\sim} [\,[\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \otimes^L_F \widehat{\mathbf{B}}^+_{\mathrm{st}}]^{N=0,\phi=p^r} \xrightarrow{\rho_\pi \otimes \iota_\pi} (\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) \otimes^L_K \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}})/F^r\,] \\ &\xleftarrow{\sim} [\,[\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \otimes^L_F \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{st}}]^{N=0,\phi=p^r} \xrightarrow{\rho_\pi \otimes \iota_\pi} (\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) \otimes^L_K \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}})/F^r\,] \qquad (4.23) \end{aligned}$$

Here the map γ_π is defined as the composition

$$\gamma_\pi : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}/\widehat{\mathbf{A}}_{\mathrm{st}})_{\mathbf{Q}} \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}/\mathcal{O}^\times_K)_{\mathbf{Q}}/F^r \xleftarrow{\sim} (\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_{\overline{K}}) \otimes^L_{\overline{K}} \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{dR}})/F^r.$$

The fact that the second and the third quasi-isomorphisms in the definition of the map h_r are well defined follows from the last commutative diagram in the proof of [CDN20, Proposition 3.48].

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Finally, recall that the map κ can be lifted to the ∞-derived category as well: we have the following commutative diagram (see [NN16, (31)]).

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) & \xrightarrow{\rho_\pi} & \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) \\ \wr\uparrow\kappa & \nearrow_{\rho^B} & \\ \mathrm{R}\Gamma^B_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) & & \end{array} \tag{4.24}$$

Using this map κ and its analogs, one can write the bottom four homotopy fibers in the definition of the map h_r (and the maps between them) using Beilinson–Hyodo–Kato cohomology instead of the original Hyodo–Kato cohomology (this includes a change of p to π). See the last large diagram in the proof of [NN16, Lemma 4.7] for how this is done. This diagram also shows that the obtained result is isomorphic to the map h^B_r, as wanted. □

□

4.3.9 *Period morphisms for motives, I.* Recall that the Beilinson period morphism lifts to the Voevodsky triangulated category of (homological) motives $\mathrm{DM}_{\mathrm{gm}}(K, \mathbf{Q}_p)$ [DN18, 4.15]. That is, for any Voevodsky motive M, we have the Hyodo–Kato and de Rham comparison quasi-isomorphisms

$$\alpha^{\mathrm{B}}_{\mathrm{pst}} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(M) \otimes^L_{\mathbf{Q}_p} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{HK}}(M) \otimes^L_{F^{\mathrm{nr}}} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}},$$
$$\alpha^{\mathrm{B}}_{\mathrm{dR}} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(M) \otimes^L_{\mathbf{Q}_p} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(M) \otimes^L_{K} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}}.$$

They are compatible via the Hyodo–Kato quasi-isomorphism $\rho : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{HK}}(M) \otimes^L_{F^{\mathrm{nr}}} \overline{K} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(M)$ and the map $\iota_p : \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}} \to \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}}$. The complexes $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(M)$, $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{HK}}(M)$, and $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(M)$ are the étale, Hyodo–Kato, and de Rham realizations of M, respectively. All cohomologies are geometric. The comparison quasi-isomorphisms are compatible with Galois action, filtrations, monodromy, and Frobenius (when appropriate). If we apply them to the cohomological Voevodsky motive $M(X)^\vee = f_*(1_X)$ of any variety X over K with structural morphism f, we get back Beilinson period quasi-isomorphisms from § 4.3.6.

Example 4.25. An interesting case is obtained by using the (homological) motive with compact support $M^{\mathrm{c}}(X)$ in $\mathrm{DM}_{\mathrm{gm}}(K, \mathbf{Q}_p)$ of Voevodsky for any K-variety X, and its dual $M^{\mathrm{c}}(X)^\vee = \underline{\mathrm{Hom}}(M^{\mathrm{c}}(X), \mathbf{Q}_p)$ which belongs to $\mathrm{DM}_{\mathrm{gm}}(K, \mathbf{Q}_p)$ as well. Since, in terms of the six-functors formalism, $M^{\mathrm{c}}(X)^\vee = f_!(1_X)$ [CD15, Proposition 8.10], $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(M^{\mathrm{c}}(X)^\vee)$ is the étale cohomology with compact support (as defined by Grothendieck and Deligne).

Similarly for the Hyodo–Kato and de Rham cohomologies. Let X be a scheme over $\mathcal{O}_K$ with generalized semistable reduction as in § 2.1.3. Let D be its divisor at ∞. Define the Voevodsky motive $M(X_K, D_K) \in \mathrm{DM}_{\mathrm{gm}}(K, \mathbf{Q}_p)$ as the cone

$$M(X_K, D_K) := \mathrm{Cone}(M(\widetilde{D}_{\bullet,K}) \xrightarrow{i_*} M(X_K)),$$

where $\widetilde{D}_\bullet$ is the Čech nerve of the map $\coprod_i D_i \to D$, D_i being an irreducible component of D. Hence, the dual motive $M(X_K, D_K)^\vee \in \mathrm{DM}_{\mathrm{gm}}(K, \mathbf{Q}_p)$ is

$$M(X_K, D_K)^\vee \simeq \mathrm{Fiber}(M(X_K)^\vee \xrightarrow{i^*} M(\widetilde{D}_{\bullet,K})^\vee).$$

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LEMMA 4.26. *For $U := X \setminus D$, we have*

$$M^{\mathrm{c}}(U_K)^\vee \simeq M(X_K, D_K)^\vee.$$

Proof. This easily follows from the localization property:

$$M^{\mathrm{c}}(U_K)^\vee \simeq \mathrm{Fiber}(M(X_K)^\vee \xrightarrow{i^*} M(D_K)^\vee)$$

and the Mayer–Vietoris property for closed coverings (a special case of cdh-descent [CD19, 3.3.10]), which yields

$$M(D_K) \simeq M(\widetilde{D}_{\bullet,K}). \qquad \square$$

Hence, by Lemma 2.1, the realization $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_\epsilon(M^{\mathrm{c}}(U_K)^\vee)$, $\epsilon = \mathrm{HK}, \mathrm{dR}$, represents the compactly supported cohomology of U_K.

Similarly, the Tsuji period morphism also lifts to the Voevodsky triangulated category of (homological) motives $\mathrm{DM}_{\mathrm{gm}}(K, \mathbf{Q}_p)$ [DN18, 4.15]. More specifically, for $X \in \mathcal{V}ar_{\overline{K}}$, the syntomic period morphism from (4.20)

$$\widetilde{\beta}^{\mathrm{T}}_{h,r} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(X_h, r) \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X, \mathbf{Q}_p(r))$$

extends to a syntomic period morphism

$$\widetilde{\beta}^{\mathrm{T}}_{r} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(M, r) \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(M, \mathbf{Q}_p(r)), \quad M \in \mathrm{DM}_{\mathrm{gm}}(K, \mathbf{Q}_p).$$

It is quasi-isomorphism after truncation $\tau_{\le r}$. If we apply it to the cohomological Voevodsky motive $M(U)^\vee = f_*(1_X)$ for any proper semistable scheme X over $\mathcal{O}_K$, and $U = X_K \setminus D_K$ with structural morphism f, we get back Fontaine–Messing period quasi-isomorphisms (modulo identifications of the cohomologies involved and their h-localizations).

For $M \in \mathrm{DM}_{\mathrm{gm}}(K, \mathbf{Q}_p)$, define

$$\begin{aligned}
\widetilde{\alpha}^{\mathrm{T}}_r &: \tau_{\le r}\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(M, \mathbf{Q}_p(r)) \xleftarrow[\sim]{\widetilde{\beta}^{\mathrm{T}}_r} \tau_{\le r}\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(M, r) \xrightarrow{h_{h,r}} \tau_{\le r}(\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{HK}}(M) \otimes^L_{F^{\mathrm{nr}}} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}}\{-r\}),\\
\alpha^{\mathrm{T}}_{\mathrm{pst},r} &: \tau_{\le r}\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(M, \mathbf{Q}_p) \to \tau_{\le r}(\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{HK}}(M) \otimes^L_{F^{\mathrm{nr}}} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}}), \quad \alpha^{\mathrm{T}}_{\mathrm{pst},r} := t^{-r}\widetilde{\alpha}^{\mathrm{T}}_r \epsilon^r.
\end{aligned}$$

Here $h_{h,r}$ is the motivic lift of the h-sheafification of the map h_r from (4.23). Write

$$\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(M, \mathbf{Q}_p(r)) \simeq \mathrm{hocolim}_r\, \tau_{\le r}\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(M, \mathbf{Q}_p(r))$$

and set

$$\alpha^{\mathrm{T}}_{\mathrm{pst}} := \mathrm{hocolim}_r\, \alpha^{\mathrm{T}}_{\mathrm{pst},r} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(M, \mathbf{Q}_p) \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{HK}}(M) \otimes^L_{F^{\mathrm{nr}}} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}}.$$

This makes sense since, by [Tsu99a, Corollary 4.8.8], we have $t\widetilde{\alpha}^{\mathrm{T}}_{r-1} = \widetilde{\alpha}^{\mathrm{T}}_r \epsilon$.

To sum up, for any Voevodsky motive M, we have the Hyodo–Kato and de Rham comparison quasi-isomorphisms

$$\begin{aligned}
\alpha^{\mathrm{T}}_{\mathrm{pst}} &: \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(M) \otimes^L_{\mathbf{Q}_p} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{HK}}(M) \otimes^L_{F^{\mathrm{nr}}} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}},\\
\alpha^{\mathrm{T}}_{\mathrm{dR}} &: \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(M) \otimes^L_{\mathbf{Q}_p} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(M) \otimes^L_{K} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}}
\end{aligned} \tag{4.27}$$

as in the case of Beilinson comparison quasi-isomorphisms. By Theorem 4.21, these comparison quasi-isomorphisms are the same as the ones of Beilinson. If we apply them to the cohomological Voevodsky motive $M(U)^\vee = f_*(1_X)$ for any proper semistable scheme X over $\mathcal{O}_K$, and $U =$

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$X_K \setminus D_K$ with structural morphism f, we get back Tsuji period quasi-isomorphisms after the identification of the Beilinson–Hyodo–Kato and the original Hyodo–Kato cohomologies via the map $\kappa : \mathrm{R}\Gamma^B_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{HK}}(X)$ from (4.24).

Remark 4.28. In [Tsu03], Tsuji has shown that the Fontaine–Messing period morphism yields a comparison theorem for U as above. This was done by showing compatibility of the period morphism with the Gysin sequence and thus reducing to the proper case. The period quasi-isomorphisms (4.27) imply Tsuji's result. But we know now of another way: using Banach–Colmez spaces [Col02] as in [CN17] one can obtain the isomorphism (4.16), which is enough to prove that the period map is an isomorphism; in this way one avoids using Poincaré duality.

The map κ and its properties extend to finite proper simplicial schemes with semistable reduction and of Cartier type, which implies that the Tsuji comparison theorem for cohomology with compact support from [Tsu98] agrees with the one of Beilinson (after the identification of Hyodo–Kato cohomologies). Similarly, since the comparison theorems of Yamashita for cohomology with (possibly partial) compact support can also be seen as defined using finite simplicial schemes (use the arguments of Lemma 2.1) and the Fontaine–Messing period morphisms, they are the same as those of Tsuji and Beilinson.

Finally, as shown in [DN18, Proposition 4.24], the Beilinson period morphisms are compatible with (possibly mixed) products. By the same argument, so are the period morphisms (4.27). It follows that so are the period morphisms of Tsuji and Yamashita (the change of the Hyodo–Kato cohomology map κ is compatible with products: pass through the Hyodo–Kato isomorphisms, which are compatible with products, to de Rham cohomology).

4.4 Comparison of Faltings and Beilinson period morphisms

We will compare now the Faltings and Beilinson period morphisms.

4.4.1 *Faltings period morphism.* We will briefly recall the definition of the period morphism of Faltings.

(i) *Faltings site.* Faltings' construction of the period morphism uses an auxiliary topos, a topos of 'sheaves of local systems' (see [Fal89, III] and [Fal02, 3]), that is now known as the 'Faltings topos' (a term coined by Abbes and Gros [AG16]). We will briefly describe it.

For a scheme X, let $X_{\mathrm{F\acute{e}t}}$ denote the topos defined by the site of finite étale morphisms $U \to X$ with coverings given by surjective maps. For a connected X and a choice of a geometric point $\overline{x} \to X$, $X_{\mathrm{F\acute{e}t}}$ is equivalent to the topos of sets with a continuous action of the fundamental group $\pi_1(X, \overline{x})$. In particular, for an abelian sheaf $\mathcal{F}$, the étale cohomology $H^*(X_{\mathrm{F\acute{e}t}}, \mathcal{F})$ is isomorphic to the (continuous) group cohomology $H^*(\pi_1(X, \overline{x}), \mathcal{F}_{\overline{x}})$. Let X be noetherian. Then $X_{\mathrm{F\acute{e}t}}$ is equivalent to the topos of étale sheaves that are inductive limits of locally constant sheaves.[11] There is a map of topoi

$$\pi : X_{\text{ét}} \to X_{\mathrm{F\acute{e}t}}$$

with $\pi_*\mathcal{F}$ given by the restriction of $\mathcal{F}$ to finite étale schemes over X and $\pi^*(\mathcal{F}) = \mathcal{F}$ for an ind-locally constant sheaf $\mathcal{F}$.

Recall the following notion.

[11] For us, *locally constant* is a shorthand for locally constant constructible.

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Definition 4.29. A noetherian scheme X is a $K(\pi,1)$-space if for every integer n invertible on X and any locally constant sheaf $\mathcal{L}$ of $\mathbf{Z}/n$-modules, the natural map $\mathcal{L} \to R\pi_*\pi^*(\mathcal{L})$ is an isomorphism.

The following analog of a classical result of Artin [AGV73, Exposé XI, 4.4] on the existence of a base for the Zariski topology consisting of $K(\pi,1)$-spaces was proved by Faltings [Fal88, 2.1] in the good reduction case and by Achinger [Ach15, Theorem 9.5] in general.

Theorem 4.30 (Faltings, Achinger). *Let X be a log-smooth $\mathcal{O}_K^{\times}$-log-scheme such that X_K is smooth over K. For every geometric point $\overline{x}$ of X, $X_{(\overline{x})} \times_X X_{\mathrm{tr},\overline{K}}$ is a $K(\pi,1)$-space.*

Let X be a noetherian $\mathcal{O}_K$-scheme. The Faltings topos $\widetilde{X}_{\overline{K},\text{ét}}$ is defined[12] by a site which has for objects pairs (U,V), where U is an étale X-scheme and $V \to X_{\overline{K}}$ is a finite étale morphism; morphisms are compatible pairs of maps, and coverings are pairs of surjective maps (see [AG16] for details).

There is a canonical map

$$\rho : X_{\overline{K},\text{ét}} \to \widetilde{X}_{\overline{K},\text{ét}}$$

from the étale topos of $X_{\overline{K}}$ to $\widetilde{X}_{\overline{K},\text{ét}}$. On the level of sites, this map is given by sending (U,V) to V. If X is a log-smooth log-scheme over $\mathcal{O}_K^{\times}$ with a smooth generic fiber, it follows (see [Fal02, III] and [Ach15, Corollary 9.6]) from Theorem 4.30 that, for a locally constant sheaf $\mathcal{L}$ on $X_{\overline{K}}$, the natural map

$$\mathrm{R}\Gamma(\widetilde{X}_{\overline{K},\text{ét}}, \rho_*\mathcal{L}) \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_{\overline{K},\text{ét}}, \mathcal{L}) \tag{4.31}$$

is a quasi-isomorphism.

(ii) *Faltings period morphism.* Let X be a saturated, log-smooth, and proper log-scheme over $\mathcal{O}_K^{\times}$. Then, by [Fal02, Corollary 3.1], we have a natural almost quasi-isomorphism

$$v_{r,n} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma(\widetilde{X}_{\overline{K},\text{ét}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \otimes^L F^r\mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma(\widetilde{X}_{\overline{K},\text{ét}}, F^r\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n}), \quad r \geq 0,$$

where $\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n}$ is a relative version of the crystalline period ring (equipped with the log-structure $(\mathbf{N} \to \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n}, 1 \mapsto [\pi^\flat])$). For $r \geq 0$, there is a natural morphism

$$\beta_{r,n} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_n/R_{\pi,n}, \mathcal{J}^{[r]}) \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma(\widetilde{X}_{\overline{K},\text{ét}}, F^r\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n}).$$

Faltings' main comparison result is the following theorem.

Theorem 4.32 (Faltings [Fal02, Corollary 5.4]). *The almost morphism*

$$\tilde{\beta}_n : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_n/R_{\pi,n}) \otimes^L_{R_{\pi,n}} \mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n} \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathrm{tr},\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n) \otimes^L \mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n}, \quad \tilde{\beta}_n := \rho^* v_{0,n}^{-1}\beta_{0,n},$$

has an inverse up to t^d (that is, composition either way is the multiplication by t^d), $d = \dim X_K$. It is compatible with Frobenius and filtration.

The map $R_{\pi,n} \to \mathbf{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n}$ above is induced by $x \mapsto [\pi^\flat]$. This is not Galois-equivariant and hence, for the period morphism $\tilde{\alpha}$ to be compatible with the Galois action, this action has to be

[12] We use here the modification of the original definition of Faltings presented by Abbes and Gros in [AG16].

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twisted (using monodromy) on the domain (see [Fal02, p. 259] for details). Passing to the limit over n and tensoring with $\mathbf{Q}$ in the above yields an almost morphism

$$\tilde{\beta} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X/R_\pi) \otimes^L_{R_\pi} \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{cr}} \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathrm{tr},\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}_p) \otimes^L \mathbf{B}^+_{\mathrm{cr}}.$$

Taking cohomology, we get an isomorphism

$$\tilde{\beta}_i : H^i_{\mathrm{cr}}(X/R_\pi)_{\mathbf{Q}} \otimes_{R_{\pi,\mathbf{Q}}} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{cr}} \xrightarrow{\sim} H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathrm{tr},\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p) \otimes \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{cr}}.$$

The Faltings period isomorphism

$$\alpha^{\mathrm{F}}_i : H^i_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathrm{tr},\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p) \otimes \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{cr}} \xrightarrow{\sim} H^i_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \otimes_F \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{cr}}$$

is defined as $\alpha^{\mathrm{F}}_i := (\beta^{\mathrm{F}}_i)^{-1}$, $\beta^{\mathrm{F}}_i := \widetilde{\beta}_i \iota_\pi$, where $\iota_\pi : H^i_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \to H^i_{\mathrm{cr}}(X/R_\pi)_{\mathbf{Q}}$ is the Hyodo–Kato section.

(iii) *Faltings syntomic period morphism.* Let $r \geq 0$. The definition of the map $\beta_{r,n}$ above can be generalized easily to obtain an almost map

$$\beta_{r,n} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}},n}/R_{\pi,n}, \mathcal{J}^{[r]}) \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma((\widetilde{X}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}})_{\overline{K},\text{ét}}, F^r\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n}) \xleftarrow{a.is.} \mathrm{R}\Gamma(\widetilde{X}_{\overline{K},\text{ét}}, F^r\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n}).$$

Here we set $\mathrm{R}\Gamma((\widetilde{X}_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}})_{\overline{K},\text{ét}}, F^r\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n}) := \mathrm{hocolim}_{K'} \mathrm{R}\Gamma((\widetilde{X}_{\mathcal{O}_{K'}})_{\overline{K},\text{ét}}, F^r\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n})$, where the limit is over finite extensions K'/K. In an analogous way we define almost maps[13]

$$\tilde{\beta}_{r,n} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_n, \mathcal{J}^{[r]}) \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma(\widetilde{X}_{\overline{K},\text{ét}}, F^r\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n}), \quad \tilde{\beta}_{r,n} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{cr}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}},n}, \mathcal{J}^{[r]}) \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma(\widetilde{X}_{\overline{K},\text{ét}}, F^r\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n}).$$

All these maps are compatible.

Recall that we have the fundamental exact sequence

$$0 \to \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)'_s \to F^r_p\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n} \xrightarrow{\phi_r - 1} F^r\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n} \to 0. \tag{4.33}$$

Here $F^r_p\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n}$ denotes the Frobenius 'divisible' filtration and, for a sheaf $\mathcal{F}$ on $\widetilde{X}_{\overline{K},\text{ét}}$, $\mathcal{F}_s$ stands for its restriction to the special fiber, i.e., to the complement of the generic fiber (the site consisting of objects with trivial special fiber). For X proper and $\mathcal{F}$ torsion, the proper base-change theorem yields that the cohomologies of $\mathcal{F}$ and $\mathcal{F}_s$ coincide.

Using the map $\tilde{\beta}_{r,n}$ and the above sequence, we obtain a map

$$\tilde{\beta}_{r,n} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'_n(r)) \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(\widetilde{X}_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)'_s).$$

More precisely, we get a canonical map from $\mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'_n(r))$ to the $\widetilde{X}_{\overline{K}}$-cohomology of the mapping fiber of $\phi - p^r : F^r\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n} \to \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n}$, which in turn maps via multiplication by p^r on $F^r\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n}$ to the $\widetilde{X}_{\overline{K}}$-cohomology of the mapping fiber of $\phi_r - 1 : F^r_p\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n} \to \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{cr},n}$. But the last mapping fiber, by the fundamental exact sequence (4.33), is quasi-isomorphic to $\mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)'_s$.

Hence, the Faltings period isomorphism induces a morphism (a genuine morphism not just an almost morphism; see [Niz09, § 5.1])

$$\beta^{\mathrm{F}}_{r,n} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'_n(r)) \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathrm{tr},\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)') \tag{4.34}$$

[13] We note that these maps do not depend on the choice of the uniformizer π.

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as the composition

$$\beta^{\mathrm{F}}_{r,n} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'_n(r)) \xrightarrow{\tilde{\beta}_{r,n}} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(\widetilde{X}_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)'_s) \xleftarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(\widetilde{X}_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)') \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathrm{tr},\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)').$$

The first quasi-isomorphism holds because X is proper. The last quasi-isomorphism holds by (4.31). Consider now the composition ($\beta^{\mathrm{F}}_r := (\mathrm{holim}_n \beta^{\mathrm{F}}_{r,n})_{\mathbf{Q}}$)

$$\tilde{\beta}^{\mathrm{F}}_r : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X_{\mathcal{O}_{\overline{K}}}, \mathcal{S}'(r))_{\mathbf{Q}} \xrightarrow{\beta^{\mathrm{F}}_r} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(r)) \xrightarrow{p^{-r}} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(r)).$$

For $r \geq i$, using the diagram (2.10) and the discussion in [Niz09] preceding Theorem 5.8, it is easy to check that, on degree-i cohomology, $(\tilde{\beta}^{\mathrm{F}}_{i,r})^{-1}$ is the syntomic period morphism $\tilde{\alpha}^{\mathrm{F}}_{i,r}$ induced from the Faltings period morphism $\alpha^{\mathrm{F}}_{i,r}$ via the procedure described in § 4.1.

4.4.2 *Comparison of Faltings and Beilinson period morphisms.* Let $X \in \mathcal{V}ar_{\overline{K}}$. We can h-sheafify the Faltings period morphism by setting, for $(U, \overline{U}) \in \mathcal{P}^{\mathrm{ss}}_{\overline{K}}$,

$$\beta^{\mathrm{F}}_{r,n} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}((U,\overline{U}), \mathcal{S}'_n(r)) \xrightarrow{\mathrm{can}} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}((U,\overline{U}), \mathcal{S}_n(r)) \xrightarrow{\beta^{\mathrm{F}}_{r,n}}, \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(U, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)'),$$

where the morphism $\beta^{\mathrm{F}}_{r,n}$ is the one from (4.34), to obtain the compatible maps of h-sheaves

$$\beta^{\mathrm{F}}_{r,n} : \mathcal{S}'_n(r) \to \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)'. \tag{4.35}$$

Taking cohomology, we get the induced compatible syntomic period morphisms

$$\beta^{\mathrm{F}}_n : \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_h, \mathcal{S}'_n(r)) \xrightarrow{\beta^{\mathrm{F}}_{r,n}} \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_h, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)') \xleftarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma(X_{\text{ét}}, \mathbf{Z}/p^n(r)').$$

As in the case of the Beilinson period morphism, they induce a syntomic period morphism

$$\widetilde{\beta}^{\mathrm{F}}_{h,r} := p^{-r}\beta^{\mathrm{F}}\pi : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(X_h, r) \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X, \mathbf{Q}_p(r)), \quad \beta^{\mathrm{F}} := (\mathrm{holim}_n \beta^{\mathrm{F}}_n) \otimes \mathbf{Q}.$$

It is a quasi-isomorphism after truncation $\tau_{\leq r}$: by Remark 4.14, the map π is a quasi-isomorphism after truncation $\tau_{\leq r}$ and, by Corollary 4.13, the map (4.35) is a p^r-quasi-isomorphism and hence the map β^{F} is a quasi-isomorphism after truncation $\tau_{\leq r}$ as well.

Since the Faltings syntomic period morphism $\beta^{\mathrm{F}}_{r,n}$ is functorial, an argument analogous to the one we used in the proof of Theorem 4.21 shows that $\tilde{\beta}^{\mathrm{F}}_{h,r} = \tilde{\beta}^{\mathrm{B}}_{h,r}$. We have obtained the first claim of the following theorem.

THEOREM 4.36. *Let $r \geq 0$.*

(i) *Let $X \in \mathcal{V}ar_{\overline{K}}$. The induced Faltings and Beilinson syntomic period morphisms*

$$\widetilde{\beta}^{\mathrm{F}}_{h,r}, \widetilde{\beta}^{\mathrm{B}}_{h,r} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{syn}}(X_h, r) \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(X, \mathbf{Q}_p(r))$$

are equal.

(ii) *If $X = (U, \overline{U}) \in \mathcal{P}^{\mathrm{ss}}_K$ and is split over $\mathcal{O}_K$, the period morphisms*

$$\alpha^{\mathrm{F}}_{h,i}, \alpha^{\mathrm{B}}_{h,i} : H^i_{\text{ét}}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p) \otimes_{\mathbf{Q}_p} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}} \xrightarrow{\sim} H^{B,i}_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \otimes_F \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}},$$
$$\alpha^{\mathrm{F}}_i, \alpha^{\mathrm{B}}_i : H^i_{\text{ét}}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p) \otimes_{\mathbf{Q}_p} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}} \xrightarrow{\sim} H^i_{\mathrm{dR}}(X_K) \otimes_K \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}}$$

are equal as well. Here we set $\alpha^{\mathrm{F}}_{h,i} := \kappa^{-1}\alpha^{\mathrm{F}}_i$.

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Proof. Let $X = (U, \overline{U}) \in \mathcal{P}_K^{\mathrm{ss}}$ be split over $\mathcal{O}_K$. By Lemma 4.17, it suffices to show that, for $r \geq i$, the induced maps $\tilde{\alpha}^{\mathrm{F}}_{h,i,r}$ and $\tilde{\alpha}^{\mathrm{B}}_{h,i,r}$ from $H^i_{\text{ét}}(U_{\overline{K}}, \mathbf{Q}_p(r))$ to $H^i_{\mathrm{syn}}(U_{\overline{K},h}, r)$ are equal. But, by Lemma 4.22, the map $\tilde{\alpha}^{\mathrm{B}}_{h,i,r}$ is the inverse of the map $\tilde{\beta}^{\mathrm{B}}_{h,i,r}$. Hence, by the first claim of our theorem, it suffices to prove the lemma below. □

Lemma 4.37. *The map $\tilde{\alpha}^{\mathrm{F}}_{h,i,r}$ is the inverse of the map $\tilde{\beta}^{\mathrm{F}}_{h,i,r}$.*

Proof. Identical to the proof of the second claim of Lemma 4.22 (recall that the main issue there was a relation between syntomic cohomology and the Hyodo–Kato and Beilinson–Hyodo–Kato cohomologies). □

4.4.3 *Period morphisms for motives, II.* The content of § 4.3.9 goes through practically verbatim for the Faltings period morphism. We obtain that, for any Voevodsky motive M, we have the Hyodo–Kato and de Rham comparison quasi-isomorphisms

$$\alpha^{\mathrm{F}}_{\mathrm{pst}} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(M) \otimes^L \mathbf{Q}_p \, \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{HK}}(M) \otimes^L_{F^{\mathrm{nr}}} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{st}},$$
$$\alpha^{\mathrm{F}}_{\mathrm{dR}} : \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\text{ét}}(M) \otimes^L_{\mathbf{Q}_p} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{dR}}(M) \otimes^L_{K} \mathbf{B}_{\mathrm{dR}}$$

as in the case of Beilinson comparison quasi-isomorphisms. By Theorem 4.36, these comparison quasi-isomorphisms are the same as the ones of Beilinson. If we apply them to the cohomological Voevodsky motive $M(U)^\vee = f_*(1_X)$ for any proper semistable scheme X over $\mathcal{O}_K$, and $U = X_K \setminus D_K$ with structural morphism f, we get back Faltings period quasi-isomorphisms after the identification of the Beilinson–Hyodo–Kato and the original Hyodo–Kato cohomologies via the map $\kappa : \mathrm{R}\Gamma^B_{\mathrm{HK}}(X) \to \mathrm{R}\Gamma_{\mathrm{HK}}(X)$ from (4.24).

Hence, we recover Theorem 4.7 comparing Faltings and Fontaine–Messing period morphisms for cohomology with compact support. But we also get:

(i) Faltings and Fontaine–Messing period morphisms are equal for open varieties: because they are equal to Beilinson period morphisms;
(ii) Faltings period morphisms are compatible with (mixed) products (which recovers [Fal02]): use the argument for Tsuji products in § 4.3.9.

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