## Congruence ideals associated to Yoshida lifts

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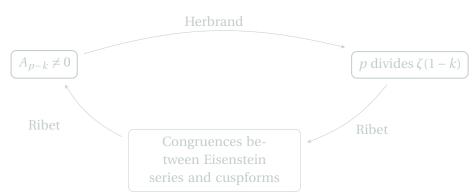
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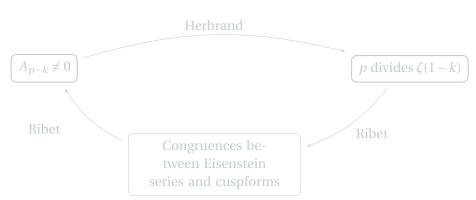
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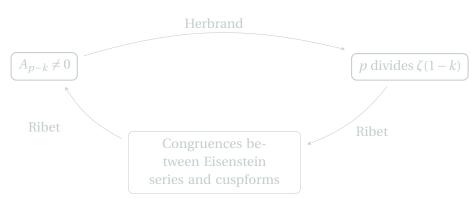
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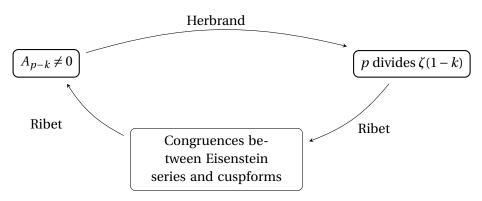
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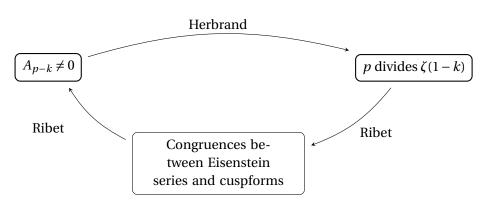
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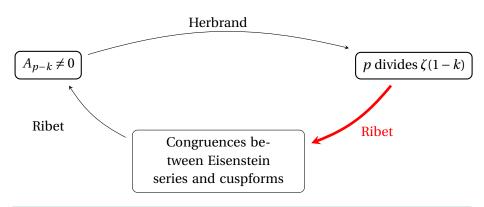
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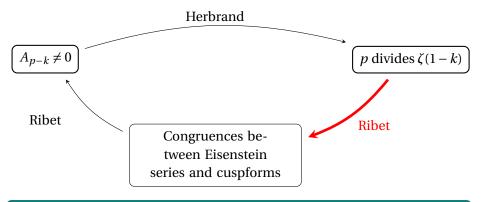
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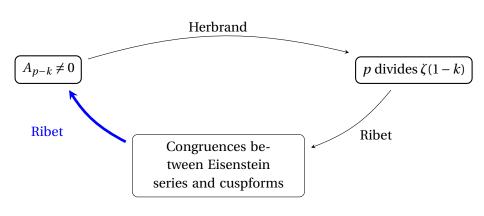
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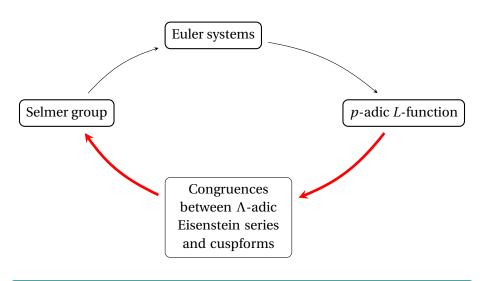
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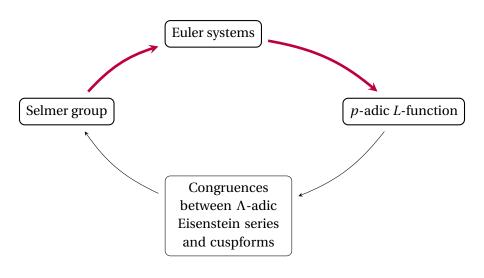
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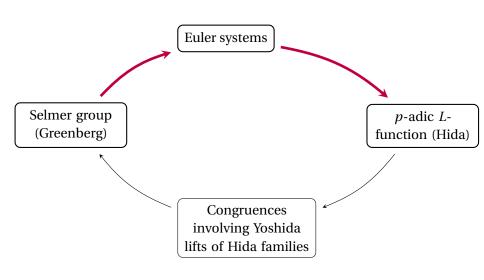
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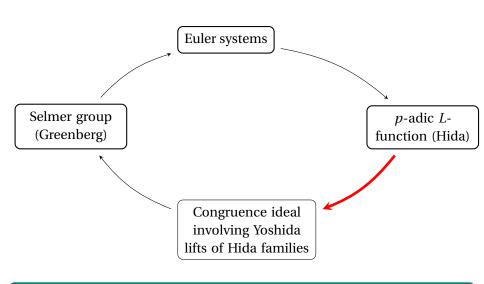
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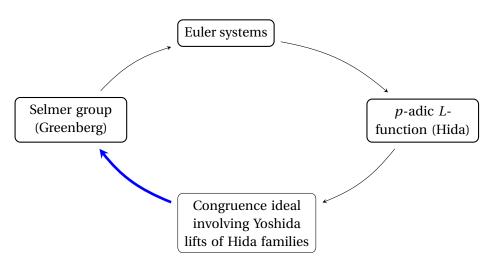
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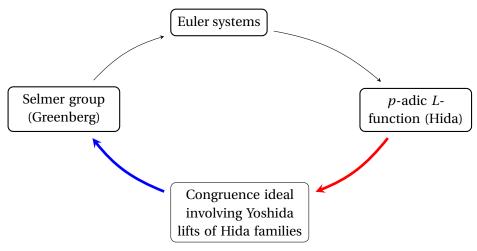
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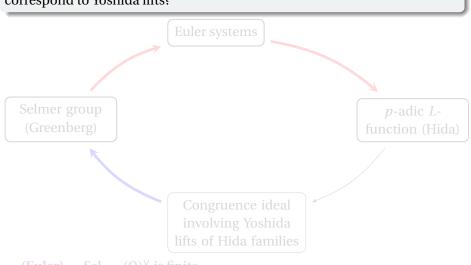
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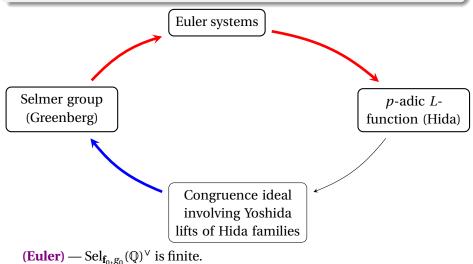
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# Main result towards pseudocyclicity

### Theorem (Hsieh-P.)

Suppose that the two algebraic p-adic L-functions

$$\Theta_{\mathbf{F},G,s}, \qquad \Theta_{F,\mathbf{G},s},$$
 (6)

have no common irreducible factor.

Then, the  $\mathbb{I}[[t]]$ -module  $\operatorname{Sel}_{F,G}(\mathbb{Q}_{\operatorname{cyc}})^{\vee}$  is pseudo-cyclic. That is, for all height one primes  $\mathscr{P}$ ,

$$\left(\operatorname{Sel}_{\mathbf{F},G}(\mathbb{Q}_{\operatorname{cyc}})^{\vee}\right)_{\mathscr{P}} \cong \frac{\mathbb{I}[[t]]_{\mathscr{P}}}{(\Theta_{\mathbf{F},G,s})}.$$

### Ingredients in the proof

Use the theory of pseudo-representations of Bellaïche-Chenevier.

globally 
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- ► To construct the global extension, we need to use the fact that Yoshida ideal contains the reducibility ideal.
- ► To show that these desired extensions satisfy the local Selmer condition, we need to use a result of Urban.

locally 
$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} \psi_1 \chi_p^{\kappa_1 + \kappa_2 - 3} & * & * & * \\ 0 & \psi_2 \chi_p^{\kappa_1 - 1} & * & * \\ 0 & 0 & \psi_3 \chi_p^{\kappa_2 - 2} & * \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \psi_4 \end{bmatrix}$$



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