

Hélène Esnault: Some Fundamental Groups in Arithmetic Geometry

Content: 1) Deligne's conjectures: p -adic theory
2) Deligne's conjectures: crystalline theory
3) Maltsev-Grothendieck theorem; Gieseker conjecture; de Jong conjecture
4) Relative 0-cycles

1) We review Deligne's Weil II p -adic conjecture 1.2.10, its analogous finiteness statement in Hodge theory (Deligne 87), on what (Lefschetz type) theorems the solution the Weill II conjecture relies, for the existence of weights (how to go from Lafforgue's theorem in dimension 1 to higher dimension), of p -companions (solved by Drinfeld) and for finiteness (solved by Deligne).

2) We review Deligne's Weil II p -adic conjecture 1.2.10, mention Abe's recent analogue of Lafforgue theorem, and explain what Lefschetz theorems are missing to go further, even to show the existence of weights.

3) We present a \sim conservativity program, the origins of which are rooted in Maltsev-Grothendieck theorem: in general one may ask what corresponds, over a perfect field of characteristic $p > 0$, to complex local systems. We discuss the category of crystals we treat, mention Gieseker conjecture and its positive solution for crystals on the infinitesimal site (Esnault-Mehta), de Jong conjecture and its partial positive solution for isocrystals coming from crystals in the crystalline site (Esnault-Shiho).

4) We pose the problem of a motivic version of the Grothendieck p -adic base change theorem and give a partial answer for relative 0-cycles (Kerz-Esnault-Wittenberg).