

Relative representation theory – Harmonic analysis over spherical varieties

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$$\sup_{F \text{ is a finite or local field}} \left(\sup_{\rho \in \text{irr}(G(F))} \langle F(X), \rho \rangle \right) < \infty.$$