

Weierstrass Elliptic functions (revisited) 3/17

$$\begin{aligned} \wp(z) &:= - \int z \wp(w) dw \quad \text{well-defined since } \oint \frac{dw}{w^2} = 0 \\ &:= \frac{1}{z} + \sum'_{\omega \in \Lambda} \left(\frac{1}{z-\omega} + \frac{1}{\omega} + \frac{z}{\omega^2} \right) \quad \wp(z; \Lambda) \text{ on } \mathbb{C}/\Lambda \\ &= \frac{1}{z} - E_4 z^3 - E_6 z^5 - \quad \text{odd function (no const term)} \end{aligned}$$

but $\wp(z + \omega_i) =: \wp(z) + \eta_i$, not periodic $i=1, 2$

$$\underline{\text{quasi-periods}} \quad \eta_i = 2 \wp\left(\frac{\omega_i}{2}\right) \quad (\text{say, put } z = -\frac{\omega_i}{2})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma(z) &:= e^{\int z \wp(w) dw} = e^{\log z} e^{-\frac{1}{4} E_4 z^4 - \frac{1}{6} E_6 z^6 -} \\ \text{or} \quad &= e^{\log z} \prod'_{\omega \in \Lambda} e^{\log(z-\omega) - \log(-\omega) + \frac{z}{\omega} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{z^2}{\omega^2}} \\ &= z \prod'_{\omega \in \Lambda} \left(1 - \frac{z}{\omega}\right) e^{\frac{z}{\omega} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{z^2}{\omega^2}} \quad \text{Hadamard product} \\ &\quad \text{entire func order 2} \\ &\quad \text{simple zero at } \Lambda \end{aligned}$$

i.e. $(\log \sigma)' = \wp$, so

$$\left(\log \frac{\sigma(z+\omega_i)}{\sigma(z)} \right)' = \wp(z+\omega_i) - \wp(z) = \eta_i;$$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma(z+\omega_i) = \sigma(z) e^{\eta_i z + c_i}, \quad z = \frac{-\omega_i}{2} \Rightarrow e^{c_i} = e^{\pi i + \frac{1}{2} \eta_i \omega_i}$$

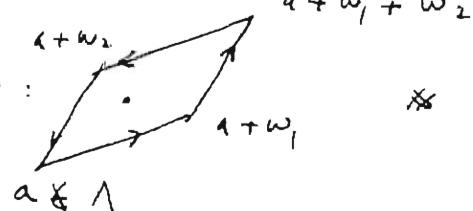
Hence get "theta func" like transformation law

$$\sigma(z+\omega_i) = -\sigma(z) e^{\eta_i (z + \frac{\omega_i}{2})}$$

Theorem (Legendre period relation)

$$\left| \frac{\eta_1}{\omega_1} \frac{\eta_2}{\omega_2} \right| = \eta_1 \omega_2 - \eta_2 \omega_1 = 2\pi i$$

Pf $2\pi i = \int_{\partial P} \wp(w) dw$ in $P:$



Ex Important role of $\sigma(z)$:

Any elliptic function on \mathbb{C}/Λ takes the form $f(z) = C \frac{\prod_{i=1}^n \sigma(z-a_i)}{\prod_{i=1}^m \sigma(z-b_i)}$
 $a_1, \dots, a_n \in \mathbb{C}$, $[a_i]$ may be repeated, $b_1, \dots, b_m \in \mathbb{C}$, $[b_i]$ may be repeated, such that $\sum a_i = \sum b_i$ in \mathbb{C} (not \mathbb{C}/Λ)

Recall $w_3 = w_1 + w_2$, $e_i := \wp\left(\frac{w_i}{2}\right)$, $e_1 + e_2 + e_3 = 0$

changing basis $w'_2 = a w_2 + b w_1$, $w'_1 = c w_2 + d w_1$, $g = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in SL(2, \mathbb{Z})$

permutes e_i 's In fact fixed for $\{g \equiv \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \pmod{2}\} = \Gamma(2)$

Let $\lambda(\tau) := \frac{e_3 - e_2}{e_1 - e_2}$ Set $w_1 = 1$, $w_2 = \tau$
 $\neq 0, 1, \infty$ since e_i 's differ

On generators $s = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$, $T = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$, get

$$(*) \quad \lambda(-1/\tau) = (-\lambda(\tau)), \quad \lambda(\tau+1) = \frac{\lambda(\tau)}{\lambda(\tau)-1}, \quad \text{periodic } T \mapsto T+2$$

$$e_3 - e_2 = \sum_{m,n} \frac{1}{((m-\frac{1}{2})+(n-\frac{1}{2})\tau)^2} - \frac{1}{(m+(\frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{2})\tau)^2} = \pi^2 \sum_n \frac{1}{\cos^2 \pi(n-\frac{1}{2})\tau} - \frac{1}{\sin^2 \pi(n-\frac{1}{2})\tau}$$

$$e_1 - e_2 = \sum_{m,n} \frac{1}{((m-\frac{1}{2})+n\tau)^2} - \frac{1}{(m+(\frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{2})\tau)^2} = \pi^2 \sum_n \frac{1}{\cos^2 \pi n \tau} - \frac{1}{\sin^2 \pi(n-\frac{1}{2})\tau}$$

leading terms in $e^{\pi i \tau} = g$ for $\Gamma(2)$, unit conv for $\operatorname{Im} \tau \geq \delta > 0$
 coordinate at ∞

$$\text{for } \operatorname{Im} \tau \rightarrow \infty \quad \lambda(\tau) \sim \frac{2\pi^2}{\pi^2} \cdot 4 e^{\pi i \frac{\tau}{2}} \sim 16 e^{\pi i \tau} + \dots \rightarrow 0$$

$$e_1 - e_2 \rightarrow \pi^2 \quad (n=0) \quad (n=0, 1) \quad \text{rational coefficients}$$

power series in g

$(*) \Rightarrow \lambda(\tau) \rightarrow 1$ as $\tau \rightarrow 0$ from above, $\lambda(\tau) \rightarrow \infty$ as $\tau \rightarrow 1$

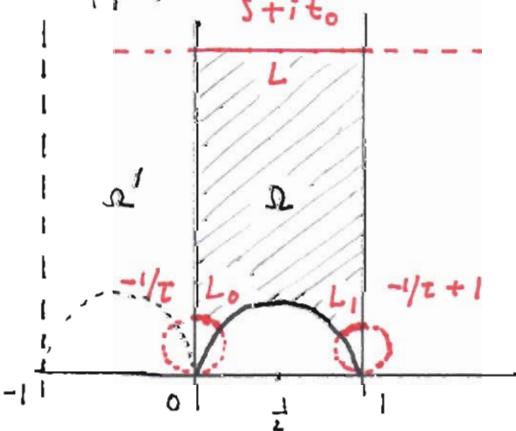
Theorem: Let $\Omega = \{ \tau \in \mathbb{H} \mid 0 < \operatorname{Re} \tau < 1, | \tau - \frac{1}{2} | > \frac{1}{2} \}$

Then $\lambda : \Omega \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathbb{H}$ Moreover λ extends $\bar{\mathbb{Q}}$ s.t.

λ is real on $\partial \Omega$, $(0, 1, \infty) \mapsto (1, \infty, 0)$

Pf:

$s + it_0$



Map L to a portion of circle near 1 by $-1/\tau + 1$, say L_1

Then λ maps L_1 to

$$\lambda(-1/\tau + 1) = \frac{\lambda(-1/\tau)}{1 - \lambda(-1/\tau)} = \frac{1 - \lambda(\tau)}{-\lambda(\tau)}$$

$$= 1 - 1/\lambda(\tau) \sim 1 - \frac{1}{16} e^{-\pi i \tau}$$

i.e. half circle in \mathbb{H} with large radius

Hence any point in \mathbb{H} has winding

number 1 wrt $\lambda(\partial \Omega)$ Argument principle \Rightarrow Thm \square

Denote by $\Gamma(N) = \{ g \in SL(2, \mathbb{Z}) \mid g \equiv I_2 \pmod{N} \}$

Theorem: $\overline{\gamma} \cup \gamma'$ is a fund domain of $\Gamma(2)$ in \mathbb{H} ,

Also, λ induces modular curve $X(2) := \Gamma(2) \backslash \mathbb{H} \cong \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0, 1\}$

By adding 3 "cusps", get $\overline{X(2)} \cong \mathbb{C} \setminus \{p\}$

For the pf, one needs $SL(2, \mathbb{Z})/\Gamma(2)$ has representatives

$$\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{smallmatrix}\right), \left(\begin{smallmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{smallmatrix}\right), \left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{smallmatrix}\right), \left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{smallmatrix}\right), \left(\begin{smallmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{smallmatrix}\right), \left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{smallmatrix}\right)$$

and the old easier fact on the fund domain of $SL(2, \mathbb{Z})$ \square

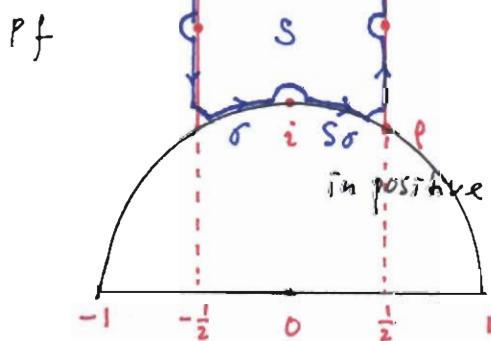
Def'': A (mero) fcn on \mathbb{H} is automorphic (modular) if it is invariant under a subgroup of $SL(2, \mathbb{R})$ ($SL(2, \mathbb{Z})$)

Ex (Ahlfors) $j(\tau) := 1728 \frac{g_2^3}{g_2^3 - 27g_3^2}$ gives $SL(2, \mathbb{Z}) \backslash \mathbb{H} \cong \mathbb{C}$

3/24 Modular Forms (for $SL(2, \mathbb{Z})$) \curvearrowleft disc Δ in $\wp'^2 = 4\wp^3 - g_2\wp - g_3$

Theorem Let f be modular of wt k wrt $SL(2, \mathbb{Z})$, k must be even

Then $v_\infty(f) + \frac{1}{2} v_r(f) + \frac{1}{3} v_p(f) + \sum^* v_p(f) = \frac{k}{12}$
 \curvearrowleft in $q = e^{2\pi i \tau}$ coordinate \curvearrowleft in a fund domain



$$\sum^* v_p(f) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\partial S} \frac{df}{f}$$

$$\rightarrow -\frac{1}{2} v_r(f) + 2 \frac{1}{6} v_p(f) - v_\infty(f) + \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\sigma - S_\sigma} \frac{df}{f} \star \xrightarrow{\frac{1}{2}(-\frac{1}{2})} \text{form a circle around } f=0$$

$$f(s\tau) = \tau^k f(\tau) \Rightarrow \frac{df(s\tau)}{f(s\tau)} = k \frac{d\tau}{\tau} + \frac{df(\tau)}{f(\tau)}, \text{ get } \star \rightarrow \frac{k}{12} \quad \square$$

Def'': M_k = space of modular forms (ie. holo) of wt. k

M_k° = cusp forms, ie vanishes at (all) cusps ($\text{here } \infty$)

Recall Eisenstein series: $E_k(\tau) = \sum' \frac{1}{(a+b\tau)^k} = 2\zeta(k) + 2 \frac{(2\pi i)^k}{(k-1)!} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sigma_{k+1}(n) q^n$

for $k=4, 6, 8, \dots$ In terms of $\frac{\tau}{e\tau-1} =: \sum_{k \geq 0} B_k \frac{\tau^k}{k!}$,

$$E_k(\tau) = 2\zeta(k) \left(1 - \frac{2k}{B_k} \sum_{n>0} \sigma_{k+1}(n) q^n \right) \in (2\pi i)^k M_{k, \mathbb{Q}}, \text{ call } \tilde{E}_k$$

Hence $M_k = M_k^\circ \oplus \mathbb{C} E_k$, $k \geq 4$ Clearly $M_k^\circ = 0$ for $k < 12$

$\Rightarrow M_k = \mathbb{C} E_k$ for $k=4, 6, 8, 10$ (eg $\tilde{E}_4^2 = \tilde{E}_8$, $\tilde{E}_4 \tilde{E}_6 = \tilde{E}_{10}$)

Theorem: $M_{12, \mathbb{Z}}^{\circ} = \mathbb{Z} \Delta$ & $\Delta = \gamma(\tau)^{24} = q \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} (1 - q^n)^{\frac{24}{(2\pi)^{12}}}$ since $wt \gamma = 1/2$

$$\text{Indeed, } \Delta := g_2^3 - 27g_3^2 = \frac{(2\pi)^{12}}{2^6 3^3} (\tilde{E}_4^3 - \tilde{E}_6^2) = (2\pi)^{12} (g - 24g^2 + 252g^3 \dots)$$

The statement on $\gamma(\tau)$ is proved in CA-I, last lecture

Cor 1 $\Delta |_{M_{k-12}} \cong M_k^{\circ}$ Also,

The only zero of E_4, E_6, Δ is at p, i, ∞ resp and simple

Cor 2: M_k has a basis $E_4^m E_6^n$ with $4m+6n=k$, $m, n \geq 0$

pf • Let $k \geq 8$, Always \exists st (m, n)

$f \in M_k \Rightarrow f - \lambda E_4^m E_6^n \in M_k^{\circ}$ for some λ ,

by Cor 1, this is done by descending induction on k

• If these monomials are linearly dependent,

say $E_4^{m_1} E_6^{n_1}, E_4^{m_2} E_6^{n_2}$ then $2(m_1 - m_2) + 3(n_1 - n_2) = 0$

i.e. $n_1 = n_2 + 2l, m_1 = m_2 - 3l$

$\Rightarrow f = E_6^2/E_4^3$ satisfies an alg equation / \mathbb{Q}

* by looking at the highest order pole at $\tau = i$ \square

i.e. $M = \bigoplus_k M_k \cong \mathbb{C}[E_4, E_6]$ is a graded poly algebra

Back to $j = 1728 \frac{g_2^3}{\Delta}$ modular of wt. = 0

holomorphic on \mathbb{H} , simple pole at ∞ ($g=0$)

Thm: $\delta: SL(2, \mathbb{Z}) \setminus \mathbb{H} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathbb{C}$ (Ex prove by dim formula)

Cor: Any modular function is a rat'l function of $j(\tau)$, hence quotient of 2 modular forms of the same wt
Similarly, any modular function wrt $\Gamma(2)$ is rat'l in $\lambda(\tau)$

Summary: First Interview with modular curves (defined / \mathbb{Q})

- 1) $\overline{X} = \overline{SL(2, \mathbb{Z}) \setminus \mathbb{H}} \cong \mathbb{CP}^1$ has one cusp $[\infty]$, 2 orbifold points $[i]$ with stabilizer $\cong \mathbb{Z}/2$, $[-i]$ with $\mathbb{Z}/3$
- 2) $\overline{X(2)} = \overline{\Gamma(2) \setminus \mathbb{H}} \cong \mathbb{CP}^1$ has 3 cusps $[0], [i], [\infty]$, 2 orbif. pts $[i], [-i]$
- 3) $\overline{X_0(2)} = \overline{\Gamma_0(2) \setminus \mathbb{H}} \cong \mathbb{CP}^1$ has one cusp $[\infty]$, one orbif. pt $[i]$

This is discussed in CA-I But in general $\overline{X(N)}, \overline{X_0(N)} \not\cong \mathbb{CP}^1$