

# Modular Forms II

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## Mecke Theory

Let  $f \in S_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$   $f = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n q^n$  ( $a_n \in \mathbb{C}$ ). ( $q = e^{2\pi i \tau}$ ,  $\tau = x+iy$ )

Consider its L-series  $L(f, s) := \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n n^{-s}$ .

Q: Where does this converge?

Prop:  $|f(x+iy)| \ll e^{-2\pi y}$  as  $y \rightarrow +\infty$ .

Pf:  $f(x+iy) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n e^{-2\pi n y} e^{2\pi i n x} = e^{-2\pi y} \left( \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n e^{-2\pi(n-1)y} e^{2\pi i n x} \right)$   
 $\ll e^{-2\pi y}$  //

Prop (Behaviour of  $f$  when  $y \rightarrow 0$ ):

Uniformly in  $x$ ,  $|f(x+iy)| \ll y^{-k/2}$  as  $y \rightarrow 0$ .

Pf: From its definition,  $f(\gamma\tau) = (c\tau+d)^k f(\tau)$ ,  $\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$ .

Hence  $|f(\gamma\tau)|^2 = (c\tau+d)^k (c\bar{\tau}+d)^k |f(\tau)|^2$ .

Note that  $y(\tau) = \frac{\tau - \bar{\tau}}{2i}$ , and  $y(\gamma\tau) = \frac{\gamma\tau - \overline{\gamma\tau}}{2i} = \frac{y(\tau)}{(c\tau+d)(c\bar{\tau}+d)}$

This suggests to define  $G(\tau) := y^k |f(\tau)|^2$ , and observe that

$G(\tau)$  is invariant under  $SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$ . Hence  $G(\tau) \ll 1$ .

(b/c it's continuous on the compactified fundamental domain  $\frac{\mathcal{H}^{\text{or}}}{SL_2(\mathbb{Z})}$ .)

From this, a fortiori,  $|f(\tau)| \ll y^{-k/2}$ , as wanted. //

Prop:  $|a_n| \ll n^{k/2}$

Pf  $\int_0^1 f(x+iy) e^{-2\pi i n x} dx = a_n e^{-2\pi n y}$  (for  $y$  fixed).

Thus  $|a_n| e^{-2\pi n y} \ll y^{-k/2}$ . By setting  $y = 1/n$ , we are done //

Rk: We didn't make any serious use of  $f$  being a cusp form.

In fact, if we work harder we would get, for

cusp forms,  $|a_n| \ll n^{\frac{k-1}{2}}$ .

Corollary:  $L(f, s)$  converges absolutely for  $\text{Re}(s) > k/2 + 1$ .

Pf  $\sum a_n n^{-s} \ll \sum n^{k/2} n^{-\text{Re}(s)} < +\infty //$

### Integral Representation of $L(f, s)$

Let  $\Gamma(s) := \int_0^\infty t^s e^{-t} \frac{dt}{t}$  be the Gamma-function.

Set  $\Lambda(f, s) := (2\pi)^{-s} \Gamma(s) L(f, s)$

Prop:  $\Lambda(f, s) = \int_0^\infty f(it) t^s \frac{dt}{t}$

Rk:  $\left| \int_0^\infty f(it) t^s \frac{dt}{t} \right| \ll \int_0^\infty t^{-k/2+s} \frac{dt}{t}$  which converges provided that  $s > k/2$ .

Pf  $\Lambda(f, s) = (2\pi)^{-s} \left( \int_0^\infty t^s e^{-t} \frac{dt}{t} \right) \left( \sum_1^\infty a_n n^{-s} \right) = \sum_1^\infty a_n \int_0^\infty \left( \frac{t}{2\pi n} \right)^s e^{-t} \frac{dt}{t}$

Change variable  $t \mapsto \frac{t}{2\pi n}$ , and get  $= \sum_1^\infty a_n \int_0^\infty t^s e^{-2\pi n t} \frac{dt}{t}$ ,

$= \int_0^\infty \left( \sum_{n=1}^\infty a_n e^{-2\pi n t} \right) t^s \frac{dt}{t} = \int_0^\infty f(it) t^s \frac{dt}{t} //$

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Theorem:  $\Lambda(f, s) = \int_1^\infty f(it) t^s \frac{dt}{t} + i^k \int_1^\infty f(it) t^{k-s} \frac{dt}{t}$

Pf  $\Lambda(f, s) = \int_1^\infty + \int_0^1 f(it) t^s \frac{dt}{t}$

The modularity of  $f \Rightarrow f(-\frac{1}{it}) = (it)^k f(t)$ . Apply  $t \mapsto \frac{1}{t}$

(as change of variables), to get  $\int_0^1 f(it) t^s \frac{dt}{t} = \int_\infty^1 f(\frac{1}{t}) t^{-s} (-\frac{dt}{t}) =$

$= i^k \int_1^\infty f(it) t^{k-s} \frac{dt}{t}$  as wanted //

Rk: This gives the analytic continuation of  $\Lambda(f, s)$ , as well as that of  $L(f, s)$ .

Moreover, we get also the functional equation:

$[i^k \Lambda(f, k-s) = \Lambda(f, s)]$ .

Forms on  $\Gamma_0(N)$

Let  $f \in S_k(\Gamma_0(N))$ ,  $\Lambda(f, s) = \int_0^\infty f(it) t^s \frac{dt}{t}$ .

However,  $S = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$  does not belong to  $\Gamma_0(N)$  for  $N > 1$  (and there is no  $\gamma \in \Gamma_0(N)$  s.t.  $\gamma \cdot 0 = \infty$ ).

Let  $S_N = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ N & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ . We have  $S_N \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} S_N^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} d & -c/N \\ -bN & a \end{pmatrix}$ ,

and so  $S_N \Gamma_0(N) S_N^{-1} = \Gamma_0(N)$ .

Q: What is the relationship between  $f(it)$  and  $f(\frac{i}{Nt})$ ?

(we'll see it later).

## Slash operators.

Let  $M \in GL_2^+(\mathbb{Q})$ ,  $f \in S_k(\Gamma)$ .

$$\underline{\text{Def:}} (f|_k M)(\tau) := (\det M)^{k/2} (c\tau + d)^{-k} f(M\tau).$$

Remarks:

1)  $f \in S_k(\Gamma) \Leftrightarrow f|_k \gamma = f \quad \forall \gamma \in \Gamma \leq SL_2(\mathbb{Z}).$  (+ any conditions).

2)  $f|_k (M_1 M_2) = (f|_k M_1)|_k M_2.$

3)  $f|_k \begin{pmatrix} d & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = f$

4) For  $f \in S_k(\Gamma)$ ,  $f|_k M \in S_k(M^{-1}\Gamma M).$

5)  $f|_k S_N \in S_k(\Gamma_0(N)).$

Def (Fricke involution): as  $w_N = \cdot|_k S_N$ ,  $w_N: S_k(\Gamma_0(N)) \rightarrow S_k(\Gamma_0(N)).$

$$\underline{\text{Thm:}} \Lambda(f, s) = \int_{\frac{1}{\sqrt{N}}}^{\infty} f(it) t^s \frac{dt}{t} + i^k N^{k/2-s} \int_{\frac{1}{\sqrt{N}}}^{\infty} g(it) t^{k-s} \frac{dt}{t}$$

where  $g = f|_k S_N = w_N(f).$

Also, there is a functional eq:  $\Lambda(f, s) = i^k N^{k/2-s} \Lambda(w_N(f), k-s).$

pl exercise!

Important special case: if  $f$  is an eigenvector for  $w_N$ , then  $f|_k S_N = \varepsilon f$ ,

where  $\varepsilon \in \{\pm 1\}$ , and  $\Lambda(f, s) = \varepsilon i^k N^{k/2-s} \Lambda(f, k-s)$



Example: Suppose that  $E$  is an e.c. and  $f$  is its associated modular form on  $\Gamma_0(N)$ , with  $N = \text{cond}(E)$ , of weight  $k=2$ . Then the F.-eq. is:

$$\Lambda(\bar{E}, s) = -\epsilon N^{1-s} \Lambda(\bar{E}, 2-s),$$

where  $\epsilon$  is defined by  $w_N(f) = \epsilon \cdot f$

→ If  $\epsilon=1$ , then  $\Lambda(\bar{E}, 1) = 0 \Rightarrow L(\bar{E}, 1) = 0$ . In this case, the Birch-Swinnerton-Dyer conjecture predicts that  $\#E(\mathbb{Q}) = \infty$

→ If  $\epsilon=-1$ , then  $\text{ord}_{s=1} \Lambda(\bar{E}, s)$  is even. Again, BSD predicts  $\text{rk}(E(\mathbb{Q}))$  is even.

Q: When does  $L(f, s)$  admit an Euler product expression? If so, what is the shape of this Euler product?

$$\left[ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n n^{-s} = \prod_p \left( \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} a_{p^r} p^{-rs} \right) \right. \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{if } n \mapsto a_n \text{ is multiplicative} \\ \text{(i.e. } a_{mn} = a_n a_m \text{ for } (n,m)=1). \end{array} \right]$$

To give a criterion for the existence of such an Euler product for  $L(f, s)$ , Hecke introduced the so-called "Hecke operators". We will restrict ourselves at the beginning to  $SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$ .

• Hecke operators.

Recall: Think of modular forms as functions on lattices.

$$f(\mathbb{Z}\omega_1 + \mathbb{Z}\omega_2) = \omega_2^{-k} f\left(\frac{\omega_1}{\omega_2}\right) \quad \text{if } \text{Im}\left(\frac{\omega_1}{\omega_2}\right) > 0$$

Conversely,

$$f(\tau) := f(\mathbb{Z}\tau + \mathbb{Z}) \quad , \quad \tau \in \mathcal{H}.$$

The weight has to be imposed, as well:

$$f(A\Lambda) = A^{-k} f(\Lambda) \quad (\text{weight } k).$$

The Hecke operator  $T_n$ .

• First, as a function on lattices:

$$(T_n f)(\Lambda) := n^{k-1} \sum_{\substack{\Lambda' \subseteq \Lambda \\ \frac{\Lambda}{\Lambda'} \text{ of index } n}} f(\Lambda') \quad (\text{def.})$$

One would need to check the growth conditions at  $\infty$ , but we'll do it later.

• Second, the double-coset point of view:

$$\text{Consider } M_n := \left\{ \alpha \in M_2(\mathbb{Z}) : \alpha \cdot (\mathbb{Z} \oplus \mathbb{Z}) \overset{\text{of index } n}{\underset{n}{\subseteq}} \mathbb{Z} \oplus \mathbb{Z} \right\}.$$

Claim: 1)  $M_n = SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \cdot \begin{pmatrix} n & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$

2) If  $M_n = \bigcup_{i=1}^t SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \alpha_i$  (decomposition of left cosets),

then  $\mathbb{Z}^2 \alpha_1, \dots, \mathbb{Z}^2 \alpha_t$  are a complete set of the distinct lattices  $\Lambda$  with  $\Lambda \subseteq_n \mathbb{Z}^2$ .

Exercise.

One then defines (check that this is the same def. as before):

$$\begin{aligned}
 (T_n f)(\tau) &= n^{\frac{k}{2}-1} \sum_{i=1}^t (f|_k \alpha_i)(\tau) = && \text{(independent on the choice of rep,} \\
 & && \text{and mod-form of wt } k \text{ on } SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \text{)} \\
 &= n^{k-1} \sum_{i=1}^t j(\alpha_i, \tau)^{-k} f(\alpha_i \tau) && \text{where } j(\alpha_i, \tau) = c\tau + d \text{ if } \alpha_i = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

Basic Properties:

1)  $T_n : S_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z})) \rightarrow S_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  is  $\mathbb{C}$ -linear.

2) Multiplicativity: if  $(m, n) = 1$ , then  $T_{mn} = T_m \circ T_n (= T_n \circ T_m)$ .

Proof:

Let  $\mathcal{L}$  = free  $\mathbb{Z}$ -module generated by the lattices in  $\mathbb{C}$ :

$$\mathcal{L} = \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^t n_i [\Lambda_i] : n_i \in \mathbb{Z} \right\}.$$

$$\tilde{T}_n : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \mathcal{L}$$

$$[\Lambda] \mapsto \sum_{\Lambda' \subset \Lambda} [\Lambda']$$

(note that  $(T_n f)(\Lambda) = n^{k-1} f(\tilde{T}_n([\Lambda]))$ .)

If  $\Lambda' \subset_{mn} \Lambda$ , then there exists a unique  $\Lambda''$  with  $\Lambda' \subset_m \Lambda'' \subset_n \Lambda$ .

The assignment  $\Lambda' \leftrightarrow (\Lambda', \Lambda'')$  is a bijection, so:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \tilde{T}_{mn}([\Lambda]) &= \sum_{\Lambda' \subset_{mn} \Lambda} [\Lambda'] = \sum_{\Lambda'' \subset_n \Lambda} \left( \sum_{\Lambda' \subset_m \Lambda''} [\Lambda'] \right) = \sum_{\Lambda'' \subset_n \Lambda} \tilde{T}_m([\Lambda'']) \\
 &= \tilde{T}_m \left( \sum_{\Lambda'' \subset_n \Lambda} [\Lambda''] \right) = \tilde{T}_m(\tilde{T}_n([\Lambda])) \Rightarrow \tilde{T}_{mn} = \tilde{T}_m \circ \tilde{T}_n
 \end{aligned}$$

and we get the result.

It is enough now to understand  $T_p^r$

Lemma:  $T_p \circ T_p^{r-1} = T_p^r + p^{k-1} T_p^{r-2}$  if  $r \geq 2$

(and so  $T_p \circ T_p^{r+1} = T_p^{r+1} \circ T_p$ !)

Pf  $\widetilde{(T_p \circ T_p^{r-1})}([1]) = \widetilde{T}_p^r([1]) + p \widetilde{T}_p^{r-2}([p])$  (exercise)

and the lemma follows from this:

$$\begin{aligned} (T_p \circ T_p^{r-1} f)(\lambda) &= T_p \left( p^{(k-1)(r-1)} \widetilde{(T_p^{r-1} f)}([1]) \right) = p^{r(k-1)} f \left( \widetilde{T}_p^{r-1}(\widetilde{T}_p[\lambda]) \right) \\ &= p^{r(k-1)} f \left( \widetilde{T}_p^r([1]) + p \widetilde{T}_p^{r-2}([p]) \right) = \dots \end{aligned}$$

Explicit formulas for the Hecke operators

Note that, from the above results, it is enough to find formulas for  $T_p$ .

Lemma:  $SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \begin{pmatrix} p & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) = \left( \bigcup_{j=0}^{p-1} SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & j \\ 0 & p \end{pmatrix} \right) \cup SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \begin{pmatrix} p & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

Pf Just note that:

$$SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a' & b' \\ c' & d' \end{pmatrix} \in M_2(\mathbb{Z}) \text{ of det } p \text{ s.t. } (a' b') = \lambda (a, b) \pmod{p} \right\}$$

Corollary:  $(T_p f)(z) = \frac{1}{p} \sum_{j=0}^{p-1} f\left(\frac{z+j}{p}\right) + p^{k-1} f(pz)$

Corollary: If  $f(q) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n q^n$  is a (cusp form)  $q$ -expansion, then

$$(T_p f)(q) = \sum_{p|n} a_n q^{n/p} + p^{k-1} \sum a_n q^{np}$$

Note that, in particular, if  $p \nmid n$ , then  $a_n(T_p f) = a_{pn}(f)$

This is proven by a direct calculation:

$$\begin{aligned}
(T_p f)(\tau) &= \frac{1}{p} \sum_{j=0}^{p-1} f\left(\frac{\tau+j}{p}\right) + p^{k-1} f(p\tau) = \frac{1}{p} \sum_{j=0}^{p-1} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n e^{2\pi i n \frac{\tau+j}{p}} + p^{k-1} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n e^{2\pi i n p \tau} \\
&= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{p} \left( \sum_{j=0}^{p-1} e^{2\pi i \frac{n}{p} j} \right) a_n e^{2\pi i n \tau / p} + p^{k-1} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n e^{2\pi i n p \tau} = \\
&= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n q^{n/p} + p^{k-1} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n q^{np} //
\end{aligned}$$

$\begin{matrix} \neq 0 \text{ if } p \nmid n \\ \neq 0 \text{ if } p \mid n \end{matrix}$

We have a more general formula for the other Hecke operators:

$$a_n(T_m f) = \sum_{d|(m,n)} d^{k-1} \frac{a_{mn}}{d^2}(f)$$

In particular, if  $n=1$ :

$$a_1(T_m(f)) = a_m(f)$$

Def Let  $\mathbb{T}_k$  be the  $\mathbb{C}$ -subalgebra of  $\text{End}_{\mathbb{C}}(S_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z})))$  generated by the Hecke operators  $T_n \quad n=1,2,\dots$

It is called the Hecke algebra (of weight  $k$  and level 1).  
Complex (could use the integral, or rational, ...)

There is a bilinear pairing:

$$\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle: \mathbb{T}_k \times S_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z})) \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}$$
$$(T, f) \longmapsto a_1(T.f)$$

Claim:  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$  is non-degenerate on the right; i.e.

$$\text{if } \langle T, f \rangle = 0 \quad \forall T \in \mathbb{T}, \text{ then } f = 0.$$

$$\text{Proof: } \langle T, f \rangle = 0 \quad \forall T \Rightarrow \langle T_n, f \rangle = 0 \quad \forall n \Rightarrow a_n(f) = 0 \quad \forall n \geq 1 \Rightarrow f = 0.$$

Hence

$$S_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z})) \hookrightarrow \mathbb{T}_k^V = \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{T}_k, \mathbb{C})$$

$$\text{and so } \dim_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{T}_k) \geq t = \dim_{\mathbb{C}} S_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z})).$$

We will get more information on  $\mathbb{T}_k$  in the following lectures.

Def: A modular form  $f \in S_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  is an eigenform if it is an eigenvector for all the  $T_n$ .

Rk: if we let  $\lambda_n$  be the eigenvalue of  $T_n$  acting on  $f$ , then

$$a_n(f) = \lambda_n a_1(f) \quad (\text{as } a_n(f) = a_1(T_n f) = a_1(\lambda_n f)).$$

Hence if  $f$  is an eigenform,  $a_1(f) \neq 0$  (or  $f=0$ ) and so it can be scaled.

We say that  $f$  is normalized if  $a_1(f) = 1$ .

In this case,  $T_n(f) = a_n(f) \cdot f$ . (\*)

We now get to the important theorem of Hecke:

Thm (Hecke): If  $f = \sum a_n q^n$  is a normalized eigenform for  $\Pi_k$ , then:

a)  $a_{mn} = a_m a_n$  for  $(m, n) = 1$ .

b)  $a_{p^r} = a_p a_{p^{r-1}} - p^{k-1} a_{p^{r-2}}$

In particular,

c)  $L(f, s) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n n^{-s} = \prod_p (1 - a_p p^{-s} + p^{k-1-2s})^{-1}$

Pf (a) and (b) are obvious from the corresponding statements for  $T_m$ , in light of (\*)

For (c), multiplicativity (a).

$$\sum a_n n^{-s} = \prod_p (1 + a_p p^{-s} + a_{p^2} p^{-2s} + \dots)$$

By (b),  $(1 + a_p p^{-s} + a_{p^2} p^{-2s} + a_{p^3} p^{-3s} + \dots)(1 - a_p p^{-s} + p^{k-1-2s}) = 1$

Rk: The converse is also true: properties (a), (b) imply that  $f$  is a normalized eigenform.

Example:  $S_{12}(SL_2(\mathbb{Z})) = \mathbb{C} \Delta$ ,  $\Delta = q \prod (1 - q^n)^{24} = \sum \tau(n) q^n$

$\sum \tau(n) n^{-s} = \prod_p (1 - \tau(p) p^{-s} + p^{11-2s})^{-1}$

Q: How many eigenforms are there on  $S_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  ?

## • Petersson scalar product.

We need the following lemma:

Lemma: If  $f, g \in S_k(\mathbb{R}^{2n})$ , then:

1) The function  $G(\tau) = y^k f(\tau) \overline{g(\tau)}$  is invariant under  $SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$ .

2) The differential 2-form  $\frac{dx dy}{y^2}$  on  $\mathcal{H}$  is invariant under  $SL_2(\mathbb{R})$ .

Pf

If  $\sigma = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$ ,  $y(\sigma\tau) = (c\tau + d)^{-1} (c\bar{\tau} + d)^{-1} y(\tau)$ .

So (1) is clear.

For (2), note that  $\frac{dx dy}{y^2} = \frac{i}{2} \frac{d\tau d\bar{\tau}}{y^2}$  and then it follows

from  $d(\sigma\tau) = \frac{d\tau}{(c\tau + d)^2}$ .

Def Define  $\langle f, g \rangle := \int_{\mathcal{H}} y^k f(\tau) \overline{g(\tau)} \frac{dx dy}{y^2}$ , the  
Petersson scalar product.

This is a Hermitian pairing on  $S_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  (in particular, non-degenerate)

Rk: it converges, even if one of  $f, g$  is not a cusp form.  
(but problems arise if neither is a cusp form!).

Thm: The Hecke operators  $T_n$  are self-adjoint with respect to  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$

Rk: in particular, it will imply that the  $T_n$ 's are diagonalizable!



To prove the thm, we will use some previous result.

Lemma 1: Let  $\alpha \in M_2(\mathbb{C})$ ,  $\det \alpha \neq 0$ .

$$\text{Then } G(\alpha\tau) = y^k (f|_k \alpha)(\tau) \cdot \overline{(g|_k \alpha)(\tau)}$$

Pf A direct calculation.

If  $f, g \in S_k(\Gamma)$ , for  $\Gamma \subseteq SL_2(\mathbb{C})$  any subgroup, we will denote by:

$$\langle f, g \rangle_{\Gamma} := \int_{\Gamma \backslash \mathcal{H}} G(z) \frac{dx dy}{y^2}$$

Lemma 2: If  $f, g \in S_k(\Gamma)$ , then  $f|_k \alpha, g|_k \alpha \in S_k(\alpha^{-1}\Gamma\alpha)$ .

$$\text{Then: } \langle f|_k \alpha, g|_k \alpha \rangle_{\alpha^{-1}\Gamma\alpha} = \langle f, g \rangle_{\Gamma}$$

Pf A change of variables, using Lemma 1.

Lemma 3: Suppose  $f, g \in S_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$ . Suppose  $\Gamma \subseteq SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \cap (\alpha^{-1}SL_2(\mathbb{Z})\alpha) \cap \backslash \cap (\alpha SL_2(\mathbb{Z})\alpha^{-1})$

Then:

$$\langle f|_k \alpha, g \rangle_{\Gamma} = \langle f, g|_k \alpha^{-1} \rangle_{\Gamma} = \langle f, g|_k \alpha' \rangle_{\Gamma}$$

Further where  $\alpha' := \alpha^{-1} \cdot \det(\alpha)$ .

Pf Follows directly from Lemma 2.

Now we have the tools to actually prove the theorem.

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Proof (of Thm):

It is enough to show that  $T_p$  (for  $p$  prime) is self-adjoint.

$$\langle T_p f, g \rangle_{SL_2(\mathbb{Z})} = \frac{1}{d} \langle T_p f, g \rangle_{\Gamma} \quad \text{if } \Gamma \subseteq SL_2(\mathbb{Z}), [SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) : \Gamma] = d.$$

The last quantity is  $= \frac{p^{\frac{k}{2}-1}}{d} \left\langle \sum_{j=1}^{p+1} f | \alpha_j, g \right\rangle_{\Gamma}$

where  $SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \begin{pmatrix} p & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) = \bigsqcup_{j=1}^{p+1} SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \alpha_j$

Choose  $\Gamma$  so that  $\Gamma \subseteq SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \cap (\alpha_j SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \alpha_j^{-1}) \cap (\alpha_j^{-1} SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \alpha_j)$

(eg.  $\Gamma := \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \equiv \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \pmod{p} \right\}$  works).

We can then move  $\alpha_j$ 's to the other side:

$$= \frac{p^{\frac{k}{2}-1}}{d} \sum_{j=1}^{p+1} \langle f, g | \alpha_j^{-1} \rangle_{\Gamma}$$

However, in principle the  $\alpha_j^{-1}$  are a set of right coset reps, not left!

Lemma: There exists  $\{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_{p+1}\}$  such that

$$SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \begin{pmatrix} p & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) = \cup SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \alpha_j = \cup SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \alpha_j^{-1}$$

pf Write  $SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \begin{pmatrix} p & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) = \cup_{j=1}^{p+1} SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \alpha_j$  left cosets  
 $\cup_{j=1}^{p+1} L_j = \cup_{j=1}^{p+1} R_j$  right cosets

(RK: Check that  $\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & j \\ 0 & p \end{pmatrix} \right\} \cup \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} p & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$  do not have the property of the lemma).

Note that  $L_j \cap R_j \neq \emptyset$  for all  $j$ . Then choose,

for each  $j$ ,  $\alpha_j \in L_j \cap R_j$ . Now  $\cup \alpha_j SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) = \cup SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \alpha_j^{-1}$  //

Exercise: find such a system  $\{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_{p+1}\}$ .

(continue proof)

Then 
$$\frac{1}{d} \rho^{\frac{k}{2}-1} \sum \langle l, g | \alpha_j' \rangle_{\Gamma} = \frac{1}{d} \langle l, T_p g \rangle_{\Gamma} = \langle l, T_p g \rangle_{SL_2(\mathbb{Z})}.$$

Corollary:

1)  $S_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  has a (canonical) basis of normalized eigenforms.

2)  $\mathbb{T}_k \cong \mathbb{C}^d$  as  $\mathbb{C}$ -algebra, where  $d = \dim_{\mathbb{C}} S_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$ .

(i.e.  $\mathbb{T}_k$  has a basis of simultaneous eigenforms for all the  $T_n$ 's).

Pf 1)  $S_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z})) = \bigoplus_{\substack{f \\ \text{eigenforms}}} V^f = \bigoplus_{\substack{f \\ \text{eigenforms}}} \mathbb{C} f$     b/c  $V^f$  are all 1-dimensional

2) is obvious.

Remark:  $\mathbb{T}_k = \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{C}}(S_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z})), \mathbb{C})$  as vector spaces, or

equivalently,  $S_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z})) = \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{T}_k, \mathbb{C})$ .

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{normalized} \\ \text{eigenforms in} \\ S_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z})) \end{array} \right\} = \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{C}\text{-alg}}(\mathbb{T}_k, \mathbb{C}) = \text{Spec}(\mathbb{T}_k)$$

an integral domain over a field  $k$  which is finite dim as  $k$ -algebra is also a field.

• Rationality properties of the Fourier coeffs of eigenforms.

Recall that  $S_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  has a basis consisting of modular forms with rational  $q$ -expansions.

Define then  $S_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}), \mathbb{Q}) :=$  modular forms with rational  $q$ -exps  $\stackrel{\mathbb{Q}\text{-vector space}}{\cong} \mathbb{Q}^d$

Note that  $T_n$  acts on  $S_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}), \mathbb{Q})$ , and hence

the eigenvalues of  $T_n$  are algebraic numbers of degree  $\leq d$ .

Let then:

Def  $T_{n, \mathbb{Q}} :=$  sub- $\mathbb{Q}$ -algebra of  $\text{End}_{\mathbb{Q}}(S_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}), \mathbb{Q}))$  generated by  $\{T_n\}$ .

Then  $T_{n, \mathbb{Q}} \cong \bigoplus_{i=1}^t F_i$ , where the  $F_i$ 's are ~~field~~ number fields.

- $\sum_{i=1}^t [F_i : \mathbb{Q}] = d$

- The  $F_i$ 's are totally real.

(because  $F_i$ 's are generated by eigenvalues of some  $T_n$ , and these are real by Hermiticity of  $T_n$ .)

Q: What if  $SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$  is replaced by  $\Gamma = \Gamma_0(N)$ ?

Prop: The Hecke operators  $T_n$  for  $(n, N) = 1$  are self-adjoint for

$$\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_{\Gamma}$$

$\Downarrow$  Exercise. p

Rk: it is crucial to take  $(n, N) = 1$  !

Define by  $\Pi' :=$  algebra generated by  $\{T_n : (n, N) = 1\}$ .

As before,

$$S_k(\Gamma_0(N)) = \bigoplus_{i=1}^t V_i$$

where  $V_i$  is a  $\Pi'$ -eigenspace. (but now  $\dim V_i$  may not be 1!).

Suppose that  $f, g \in V_i$ . Then:

$$a_n(f) = d_n a_1(f) \quad \forall (n, N) = 1$$

$$a_n(g) = d_n a_1(g) \quad \forall (n, N) = 1$$

But  $a_1(f)$  may be 0! (without  $f$  being 0). Or even if  $a_1(f) = a_1(g)$ , not necessarily  $f = g$ .

Example: an (obvious) way of constructing  $V_i$  of  $\dim V_i > 1$ :

Let  $f \in S_k(\Gamma_0(d))$ ,  $d' d \mid N$ .

Then  $f(d'\tau) \in S_k(\Gamma_0(N))$

Lemma: if  $f \in S_k(\Gamma_0(d))$ , then  $\{f(d'\tau) : d' \mid \frac{N}{d}\}$  belongs  
(is an eigenform)

to a common eigenspace for  $\Pi'$ .

Pl Exercise.

Atkin-Lehner Theory:

Def: Let  $S_k^{old}(\Gamma_0(N)) := \text{Span} \langle \{f(d'\tau) : f \in S_k(\Gamma_0(d)) \ d \mid N, d \neq N, d' \mid \frac{N}{d}\} \rangle$

Define then  $S_k^{new}(\Gamma_0(N)) := (S_k^{old}(\Gamma_0(N)))^\perp$  wrt Petersson scalar product.

The main result, which we won't prove, is:

Theorem (Atkin-Lehner):

$$S_k^{\text{new}}(\Gamma_0(N)) = \bigoplus_{i=1}^d \mathbb{C} f_i$$

where the  $f_i$ 's are normalized eigenforms, and each  $\mathbb{C} f_i$  is a  $\pi'$ -eigenspace.

~~Proof omitted.~~

The  $f_i$ 's appearing in the previous theorem are called newforms.

(so  $f$  newform  $\equiv$  eigenform in  $S_k^{\text{new}}(\Gamma_0(N))$ , which is normalized).

Consequence: if  $f$  is a newform in  $S_k^{\text{new}}(\Gamma_0(N))$ , then

$$w_N: \mathbb{C} f \rightarrow \mathbb{C} f$$

and so  $w_N(f) = w \cdot f$ , where  $w \in \{+1, -1\}$ .

• Important Special Case.

$k=2$ . So consider  $S_2^{\text{new}}(\Gamma_0(N))$ .

The Modularity Theorem (Shimura-Taniyama conj, Wiles theorem):

Let  $E/\mathbb{Q}$  be an elliptic curve. Let  $N$  be its conductor. reduced curve  
(mod  $p$ )

( $[p|N \Leftrightarrow E$  has bad reduction at  $p$ ], and for  $p > 3$ , have  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \times \Rightarrow p|N \\ \checkmark \Rightarrow p^2|N \end{array} \right.$ )

Then  $\exists$  a newform  $f \in S_2^{\text{new}}(\Gamma_0(N))$  such that

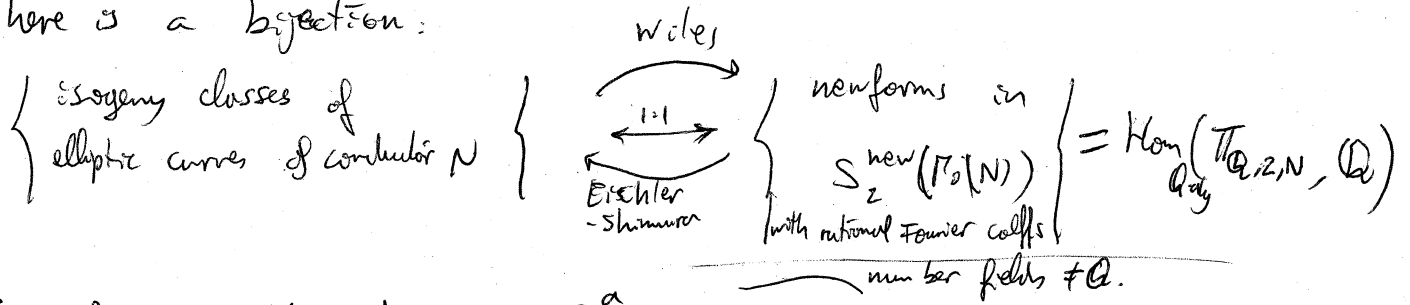
$$L(E, s) = L(f, s)$$

Proof: no way in this course ; //

Applications (of Modularity)

1) Remark: if  $E_1, E_2$  are two elliptic curves /  $\mathbb{Q}$  with  $L(E_1, s) = L(E_2, s)$ , then these two elliptic curves are isogenous:  $E_1 \underset{\text{isog. over } \mathbb{Q}}{\sim} E_2$   
 (ie  $\exists \varphi: E_1 \rightarrow E_2$  with finite kernel).  
 (Result of Faltings, known as the isogeny conjecture).

2) There is a bijection:



So if we write  $T_{\mathbb{Q},2,N} \cong \mathbb{Q}^a \times F_1 \times \dots \times F_s$

then  $a = \#\{\text{isogeny classes of } E/\mathbb{Q}\}$ .

3) write  $\Lambda(E, s) = (2\pi)^{-s} M(s) L(E, s)$ .

Then  $\Lambda(E, s) = -w \cdot N^{1-s} \Lambda(E, 2-s)$  (thanks to the connection with modular forms)

The Birch-Swinnerton-Dyer conjecture says that

$$\text{ord}_{s=1} L(E, s) = \text{rank}(E(\mathbb{Q})).$$

↑  
 This now makes sense, as  $L(E, s)$  is meromorphic at  $s=1$  ( $L(\beta, s) \sim 1$ ).

## Twisting of L-series

Let  $\chi$  be a Dirichlet character of ~~conductor~~ <sup>period</sup>  $m$ .

(so  $\chi: (\mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z})^\times \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^\times$ , and is extended to  $\mathbb{Z}$  by  $\chi(n) = \begin{cases} 0 & (n, m) > 1 \\ \chi(\bar{n}) & (n, m) = 1 \end{cases}$ )

We make the further assumption that  $\chi$  is a primitive Dirichlet char.

(that is,  $\nexists \chi'$  of ~~conductor~~ <sup>period</sup>  $d|m, d \neq m$  s.t.  $\chi(n) = \chi'(n) \forall (n, m) = 1$ .)

In this case, one calls  $m$  the level of  $\chi$ .

Def: The twisted L-series attached to  $f = \sum a_n q^n$  and  $\chi$  is:

$$L(f, \chi, s) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \chi(n) n^{-s}$$

We want to extend the Hecke theory to the twisted L-series.

Q: integral representation of  $L(f, \chi, s)$ ?

Lemma: 
$$\int_0^{\infty} f\left(\frac{a}{m} + it\right) t^s \frac{dt}{t} = (2\pi)^{-s} \Gamma(s) \left( \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n e^{2\pi i \frac{a}{m} n} n^{-s} \right)$$

if  $\frac{a}{m}$  is any rational number ( $(a, m)$  not necessarily 1).

Rx: when  $a=0$ , this is just the integral representation of  $L(f, s)$  given earlier.

Pf 
$$\int_0^{\infty} f\left(\frac{a}{m} + it\right) t^s \frac{dt}{t} = \int_0^{\infty} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n e^{2\pi i n \left(\frac{a}{m} + it\right)} t^s \frac{dt}{t} =$$

$$= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n e^{2\pi i \frac{a}{m} n} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-2\pi n t} t^s \frac{dt}{t} = (2\pi)^{-s} \Gamma(s) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n e^{2\pi i \frac{a}{m} n} n^{-s}$$



Remark: The function  $n \mapsto e^{\frac{2\pi i a}{m} n}$  is an additive character on  $\mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z}$ . Let  $\psi_a(n) := e^{\frac{2\pi i a}{m} n}$ .

$$\text{Let } L(f, \psi_a, s) := \sum_n a_n \psi_a(n) n^{-s}.$$

The problem now is to express  $L(f, \chi, s)$  as a (linear) combination of different  $L(f, \psi_a, s)$ . This is a problem in Fourier analysis.

It is enough to express  $\chi$  as a linear combination of the  $\psi_a$ 's.

Fourier analysis on  $(\mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z}, +)$

Write  $L^2(\mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z}) := \{ \mathbb{C}\text{-valued functions on } \mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z} \}$ .

$\langle f, g \rangle := \frac{1}{m} \sum_{j=0}^{m-1} f(j) \overline{g(j)}$  gives  $L^2(\mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z})$  the structure of a Hilbert space,

and  $\{\psi_0, \psi_1, \dots, \psi_{m-1}\}$  are an orthonormal basis for  $L^2(\mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z})$ .

$$\text{So } \chi = \sum_{a=0}^{m-1} \underbrace{\langle \chi, \psi_a \rangle}_{\text{Gauss sums!}} \cdot \psi_a$$

Def: The complex number  $\tau_a(\chi) := m \cdot \langle \chi, \psi_a \rangle = \sum_{j=0}^{m-1} \chi(j) e^{-2\pi i \frac{a}{m} j}$  is called the Gauss sum associated to  $\chi$  and  $a$ .

Proposition:

1) If  $\lambda \in (\mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z})^\times$ , then  $\tau_{\lambda a}(x) = \overline{\chi(\lambda)} \tau_a(x)$ .

2) If  $(a, m) \neq 1$ , then  $\tau_a(x) = 0$ .

Prf

1)  $\tau_{\lambda a}(x) = \sum_{j=0}^{m-1} \chi(j) e^{-2\pi i \frac{\lambda a}{m} j}$  change  $j \rightsquigarrow \lambda j$   
 $\qquad\qquad\qquad = \sum_{j=0}^{m-1} \chi(\lambda' j) e^{-2\pi i \frac{a}{m} j}$

and just note that, if  $\lambda' \equiv \lambda^{-1} \pmod{m}$ , then  $\chi(\lambda') = \overline{\chi(\lambda)}$ .

2) If  $d := (a, m)$ , then  $\lambda a \equiv a \pmod{m}$   $\forall \lambda \equiv 1 \pmod{m/d}$ .

Using (1), have:

$$\tau_{\lambda a}(x) = \tau_a(x) \quad \forall \lambda \equiv 1 \pmod{m/d} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \overline{\chi(\lambda)} \tau_a(x) = \tau_a(x)$$

$\forall \lambda \equiv 1 \pmod{m/d}$

$\Rightarrow \overline{\chi(\lambda)} = 1 \quad \forall \lambda \equiv 1 \pmod{m/d}$  (if  $\tau_a(x) \neq 0$ )

This contradicts the primitivity of  $\chi$ . So  $\tau_a(x) = 0$ .

So it is enough to know about  $\tau(x) := \tau_1(x)$ .

Corollary:  $\chi = \frac{1}{m} \tau(x) \sum_{a=0}^{m-1} \overline{\chi(a)} \psi_a$

Hence:  $L(f, \chi, s) = \frac{1}{m} \tau(x) \sum_{a=0}^{m-1} \overline{\chi(a)} L(f, \psi_a, s)$

and this gives:  $\begin{matrix} a \geq 0 \\ (a, m) = 1 \end{matrix} \leftarrow$  by (2) of Prop.

$$L(f, \chi, s) = \frac{1}{m} \tau(x) \sum_{\substack{a=0 \\ (a, m)=1}}^{m-1} \overline{\chi(a)} \int_0^\infty f\left(\frac{a}{m} + it\right) t^s \frac{dt}{t}$$

(integral expression for the twisted L-series).

We want to use the integral representation to get a functional equation for  $L(f, \chi, s)$ . ( $\Lambda(f, \chi, s) = (2\pi)^{-s} \Gamma(s) L(f, \chi, s)$ ).

Functional Equation We have: (assume  $\gcd(m, N) = 1$ )

~~Recall~~  $\Lambda(f, \chi, s) = \frac{\tau(\chi)}{\tau(\bar{\chi})} i^k N^{\frac{k}{2}-s} \Lambda(f, \bar{\chi}, k-s)$

Goal: prove this.

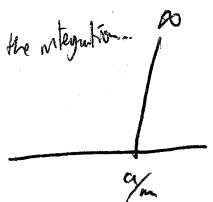
We need to rewrite  $\int_0^\infty f(\frac{a}{m} + it) t^s \frac{dt}{t}$  ~~in terms of~~

Note that

$$\int_0^\infty f(\frac{a}{m} + it) t^s \frac{dt}{t} = w \int_0^\infty (f|\gamma)(\frac{a}{m} + it) t^s \frac{dt}{t} \quad \leftarrow \Gamma_0(N)$$

where  $\gamma$  is any matrix of the form  $\begin{pmatrix} r & s \\ tN & u \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ N & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

We need  $ru - stN = 1$

We need that our  $\gamma$  moves the line  to some other vertical line.

Need to require that  $\gamma \frac{a}{m} = \infty$  (then it will send  $\infty$  to  $\frac{s}{m}$ )

$$\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} sN & -r \\ uN & -tN \end{pmatrix}$$

We want  $\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} sN & -r \\ mN & -aN \end{pmatrix}$ . The  $\det = N$  condition  $\implies$

$$-a s N + r m = 1$$

To solve this equation (in  $r, s$ ), write  $s = a'$ , where  $a'$  is any solution of  $aa' \equiv -1 \pmod{m}$ .  $(-aN)a' \equiv 1 \pmod{m}$   
Set then  $r$  to be the solution to the resulting equation

We find that  $\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} a'N & -r \\ mN & -aN \end{pmatrix}$

Lemma:  $\Lambda(f, \frac{a}{m}, s) = w \cdot (Nm)^{\frac{k}{2}-s} i^{-k} \Lambda(f, \frac{a'}{m}, k-s)$

where  $w \cdot f = w_N(f)$  ( $w \in \{\pm 1\}$ )

\*  $a' \in \mathbb{Z}$  is any integer s.t.  $a'(-Na) \equiv 1 \pmod{m}$ .

Pf

$$\Lambda(f, \frac{a}{m}, s) = \int_0^\infty f(\frac{a}{m} + it) t^s \frac{dt}{t}$$

Let  $\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} a'N & -r \\ mN & -aN \end{pmatrix} \in M_0(N) \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ N & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

where  $r$  is chosen s.t.  $\det \gamma = 1$  ( $-aa'N + rm = 1$ )

Hence:

$$\begin{aligned} \Lambda(f, \frac{a}{m}, s) &= w \int_0^\infty (f|_\gamma) \left(\frac{a}{m} + it\right) t^s \frac{dt}{t} = w \int_0^\infty N^{\frac{k}{2}} (mN it)^{-k} f\left(\frac{a'}{m} + \frac{i}{m^2 N} t\right) t^s \frac{dt}{t} \\ &= w N^{-\frac{k}{2}} m^{-k} i^{-k} \int_0^\infty t^{-k} f\left(\frac{a'}{m} + \frac{i}{m^2 N} t\right) t^s \frac{dt}{t} \end{aligned}$$

Change  $t = \frac{1}{m^2 N y}$ , and get  $= w N^{\frac{k}{2}-s} m^{k-2s} i^{-k} \int_0^\infty f\left(\frac{a'}{m} + iy\right) y^{k-s} \frac{dy}{y}$

Theorem (Functional equation for  $L(f, \chi, s)$ ):

$$\Lambda(f, \chi, s) = \frac{i^{-k} w \chi(-N)}{\tau(\chi)} \frac{\tau(\chi)}{\tau(\bar{\chi})} (Nm^2)^{\frac{k}{2}-s} \Lambda(f, \bar{\chi}, k-s)$$

↑  
called the root number  $(\pm 1)$   
(at least, for even  $k$ , and  $\chi$  quadratic)

Pf  $\Lambda(f, \chi, s) = \frac{\tau(\chi)}{m} \sum_{a=0}^{m-1} \bar{\chi}(a) \Lambda(f, \frac{a}{m}, s) \stackrel{\text{lemma}}{=} \dots$

Corollary: Suppose that  $f$  is of weight 2, and  $\chi$  is a quadratic character.

Then, if  $-w\chi(-N) = -1$ , then  $\Lambda(f, \chi, 1) = 0$ !

Arithmetic meaning of twisting.

First, note that  $\text{Gal}(\mathbb{Q}(\zeta_m)/\mathbb{Q}) \cong (\mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z})^\times$  canonically,

$$[\zeta \mapsto \zeta^a] \leftrightarrow a$$

so that  $\chi$  can be thought of  $\chi: \text{Gal}(\mathbb{Q}(\zeta_m)/\mathbb{Q}) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^\times$

Assume now that  $f \in S_2(\Gamma_0(N))$  is a newform, and also assume that  $f$  corresponds (via ~~Atkin-Lehner~~-Shimura-Taniyama corresp.) to an elliptic curve  $E/\mathbb{Q}$ .

Birch-Swinnerton Dyer Conjecture (twisted form) has a Galois action (b/c  $E$  is def  $/\mathbb{Q}$ )

$$\text{ord}_{s=1} L(f, \chi, s) = \dim_{\mathbb{C}} \left( \overline{E(\mathbb{Q}(\zeta_m))} \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{C} \right)^\chi \quad (\text{conjecture})$$

$$\text{where } \left( \overline{E(\mathbb{Q}(\zeta_m))} \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{C} \right)^\chi = \{ P \in E(\mathbb{Q}(\zeta_m)) \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{C} : \sigma P = \chi(\sigma) \cdot P \ \forall \sigma \in \text{Gal}(\mathbb{Q}(\zeta_m)/\mathbb{Q}) \}$$

The collection of special values

$$\{ L(f, \chi, 1) \}_{\chi \in \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{all Dirichlet} \\ \text{characters} \\ \text{of conductor prime to } N = \text{level of } f \end{array} \right\}}$$

carries a tremendous amount of arithmetic information.

The study of this leads to the p-adic L-series, as we will see.

### Theorem (Shimura)

Let  $f \in S_2(\Gamma_0(N))$  a newform corresponding to  $E/\mathbb{Q}$  (so  $f = \sum a_n q^n$ ,  $a_n \in \mathbb{Q}$ ,  $a_1 = 1$ )  
There exists a lattice  $\Lambda_f \subseteq \mathbb{C}$  such that:

$$\Lambda(f, \alpha, 1) \in \Lambda_f \text{ for all } \alpha \in \mathbb{Q}.$$

More precisely, one can choose  $\Lambda_f = \mathbb{Z} \Omega_f^+ \oplus i \mathbb{Z} \Omega_f^-$  (rectangular lattice)

$$\Lambda(f, \alpha, 1) = \Omega_f^+ \Lambda^+(f, \alpha, 1) + i \Omega_f^- \Lambda^-(f, \alpha, 1)$$

(where  $\Lambda^\pm(f, \alpha, 1)$  are integers).

We will prove this theorem using first some lemmas.

Lemma: 
$$\Lambda(f, \frac{a}{m}, 1) = \frac{-1}{2\pi} \int_{[\frac{a}{m}, i\infty]} \omega_f$$

where  $[\frac{a}{m}, i\infty]$  is the path in  $\mathcal{H}$  = upper half-plane going from  $\frac{a}{m}$  to  $i\infty$



and  $\omega_f = 2\pi i f(z) dz \in \Omega^1(X_0(N)(\mathbb{C}))$

Pf just a change of variables, using the integral representation for  $\Lambda(f, \frac{a}{m}, 1)$

So now it is enough to show that there is a lattice  $\Lambda_f$  such

that 
$$\int_{[\frac{a}{m}, i\infty]} \omega_f \in \Lambda_f.$$

geodesics  
↙ ↘

We replace  $[\frac{a}{m}, i\infty] = [\frac{a}{m}, 0] + [0, i\infty]$ .

Then  $[\frac{a}{m}, 0]$  will be a closed path, and  $[0, i\infty]$  doesn't depend on  $\frac{a}{m}$ !

(in  $X_0(N)(\mathbb{C})$ ).

We will need to assume  $(m, N) = 1$ , which is fine if we are interested in  $X$  of conductor coprime to  $N$ .

Remark!: The theorem of Shimura is also valid for  $(m, N) > 1$  as well, but we will do it only for  $(m, N) = 1$ .

The theorem can be extended to  $S_k(\Gamma_0(N))$  ( $k \neq 2$ ), but we don't get into it for now.

We have a pairing:

$$H_{\text{DR}}^1(X_0(N)(\mathbb{C})) \times H_1(X_0(N)(\mathbb{C}), \mathbb{C}) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$$

$$([\omega], \gamma) \longmapsto \int_{\gamma} \omega$$

or algebraically,

$H_{\text{DR}}^1(X_0(N))$  is defined to be the space of closed (algebraic) differential forms of the second kind (modulo exactness).

(and second kind means that  $\text{Res}_p(\omega) = 0 \forall p$ ).

(so we admit singularities, but those singularities won't affect the integration)

Let then  $\Omega^1(X_0(N)) =$  space of <sup>closed</sup> complex differentials regular (i.e. holomorphic) everywhere

the only exact  
differentials which "are"  
holomorphic everywhere are the 0.

So we have an exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow \Omega^1(X_0(N)) \rightarrow H_{\text{DR}}^1(X_0(N)) \rightarrow H^1(X_0(N), \mathcal{O}_{X_0(N)}) \rightarrow 0$$

This is called a Hodge filtration.

Serre duality says that  $(\Omega^1(X_0(N)))^\vee = H^1(X_0(N), \mathcal{O}_{X_0(N)})$ .

To represent  $H^1_{\text{dR}}(X_0(N))$ , we write  $X_0(N) = U \cup V$  (two Zariski opens)

$$\text{and } H^1_{\text{dR}}(X_0(N)) = \left\{ (\omega_U, \omega_V, f) : \begin{array}{l} \omega_U \in \Omega^1(U), \omega_V \in \Omega^1(V), \omega_U - \omega_V = df \text{ in } U \cap V \\ f \in \mathcal{O}_{U \cap V} \end{array} \right\}$$

The map  $H^1_{\text{dR}}(X_0(N)) \rightarrow H^1(X_0(N), \mathcal{O}_{X_0(N)})$  is defined by

$$(\omega_U, \omega_V, f) \mapsto f$$

and  $\omega \in \Omega^1(X_0(N)(\mathbb{C}))$  gets sent to  $(\omega|_U, \omega|_V, 0)$ .

Let now  $K_f :=$  field generated by  $a_n(f)$ ,  $n=1, 2, \dots$

where  $f \in S_2(\Gamma_0(N))$  is a newform (normalised, eigen, in  $S_2^{\text{new}}$ ).

Let  $\mathcal{O}_f :=$  ring of integers of  $K_f$ .

We know that  $[K_f : \mathbb{Q}] < \infty$  and  $K_f$  is totally-real.

In fact, also  $a_n(f) \in \mathcal{O}_f$ : this is because  $S_2(\Gamma_0(N), \mathbb{Z})$

is preserved by the Hecke operators.

$$\text{Define } \Lambda^+(\beta, \frac{a}{m}, 1) := \Lambda(\beta, \frac{a}{m}, 1) + \Lambda(\beta, -\frac{a}{m}, 1)$$

$$\Lambda^-(\beta, \frac{a}{m}, 1) := \Lambda(\beta, \frac{a}{m}, 1) - \Lambda(\beta, -\frac{a}{m}, 1)$$

This allows us to state the theorem we mentioned before:

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Theorem: There exists  $\Omega^+ \in \mathbb{R}, \Omega^- \in i\mathbb{R}$  such that: (Shimura)

$$\begin{aligned} \Lambda^+ \left( \beta, \frac{a}{m}, 1 \right) &\in \Omega^+ \mathcal{O}_f \\ \Lambda^- \left( \beta, \frac{a}{m}, 1 \right) &\in \Omega^- \mathcal{O}_f \quad \forall \frac{a}{m} \in \mathbb{Q}. \end{aligned}$$

Proof:

From the theory of Riemann Surfaces: let  $X$  be any compact R.S of genus  $g$ .

$\Omega^1(X)$  = Holomorphic differentials on  $X \cong \mathbb{C}^g$

$$\Omega^1(X)^\vee := \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{C}}(\Omega^1(X), \mathbb{C})$$

$$\begin{aligned} H_1(X, \mathbb{Z}) &\hookrightarrow \Omega^1(X)^\vee \\ \gamma &\longmapsto [\omega \mapsto \int_\gamma \omega] \end{aligned}$$

Fact: The previous map is injective, and the image of  $H_1(X, \mathbb{Z})$  is a lattice in  $\Omega^1(X)^\vee \cong \mathbb{C}^g$ . (So  $H_1(X, \mathbb{Z}) \cong \mathbb{Z}^{2g}$ ).

In particular, if  $X = X_0(N)(\mathbb{C})$ , we have a lattice

$$\begin{aligned} \Lambda &\subseteq \Omega^1(X)^\vee = S_2(\Gamma_0(N))^\vee \\ \text{"} & \\ H_1(X_0(N)(\mathbb{C}), \mathbb{Z}) &\cong \mathbb{Z}^{2g} \quad \text{where } g = \dim_{\mathbb{C}}(S_2(\Gamma_0(N))). \end{aligned}$$

We need a result:

Prop: The lattice  $\Lambda$  is preserved by the action of the  $T_n, (n, N) = 1$

Pf Given  $\gamma \in H_1(X, \mathbb{Z})$ , let  $\varphi_\gamma(\omega) = \int_\gamma \omega$ .

$$\text{Then } \varphi_\gamma \in S_2(\Gamma_0(N))^\vee. \text{ So } T_n(\varphi_\gamma)(\omega) = \int_\gamma (\omega | T_n)$$

$$\text{Recall } \Gamma_0(N) \begin{pmatrix} n & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \Gamma_0(N) = \bigcup_{i=1}^t \Gamma_0(N) \alpha_i$$

The group  $\Gamma_0(N)$  acts transitively on the set of  $t$  cosets (by right mult).

(cont of Prop)

Note that  $\int_{\gamma} \omega = \int_{z_0}^{\gamma z_0} \omega$  for some  $\gamma \in \Gamma_0(N)$

because  $H^* \rightarrow X_0(N)(\mathbb{C})$  is a covering space, and  $H^*$  is simply connected.

Hence if  $P \in X_0(N)(\mathbb{C})$  and  $z_0$  is a lift ( $z_0 \mapsto P$ ),

A path  $(\gamma)$  in  $X_0(N)(\mathbb{C})$  lifts uniquely to a path starting at  $z_0$ , and ending at  $z_0'$  (s.t.  $z_0' \mapsto P$  as well).

Hence  $\gamma z_0 = z_0'$  for some  $\gamma \in \Gamma_0(N)$ .

We can now partition  $\Gamma_0(N) \begin{pmatrix} n & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \Gamma_0(N) = \bigsqcup_{i=1}^r \left( \Gamma_0(N) \alpha_i \cup \Gamma_0(N) \alpha_i \gamma \cup \dots \cup \Gamma_0(N) \alpha_i \gamma^{t_i-1} \right)$

where  $t_i$  is the smallest integer s.t.  $\Gamma_0(N) \alpha_i = \Gamma_0(N) \alpha_i \gamma^{t_i}$ .

That is,  $\alpha_i \gamma^{t_i} \alpha_i^{-1} \in \Gamma_0(N)$

Now write

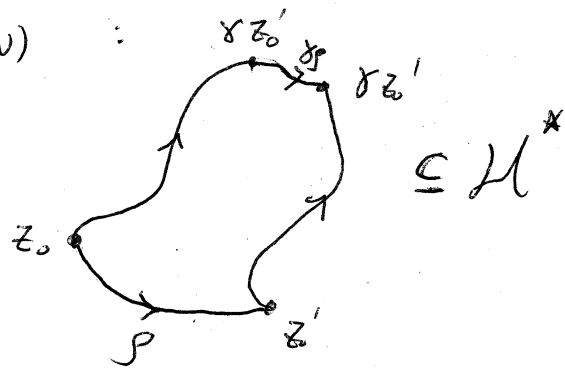
$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\gamma} \omega | T_n &= \int_{z_0}^{\gamma z_0} \omega | T_n = \sum_{i=1}^r \int_{z_0}^{\gamma z_0} (\omega | \alpha_i + \omega | \alpha_i \gamma + \dots + \omega | \alpha_i \gamma^{t_i-1}) = \left[ \text{change variables} \right] \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^r \int_{\alpha_i^{-1} z_0}^{\alpha_i^{-1} \gamma z_0} \omega + \int_{\alpha_i^{-1} z_0}^{\alpha_i^{-1} \gamma^2 z_0} \omega + \dots + \int_{\alpha_i^{-1} \gamma^{t_i-1} z_0}^{\alpha_i^{-1} \gamma^{t_i} z_0} \omega = \sum_{i=1}^r \int_{\alpha_i^{-1} z_0}^{\alpha_i^{-1} \gamma^{t_i} z_0} \omega = \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^r \int_{\alpha_i^{-1} z_0}^{(\alpha_i \gamma^{t_i} \alpha_i^{-1}) \alpha_i^{-1} z_0} \omega = \sum_{i=1}^r \int_{z_0}^{\alpha_i \gamma^{t_i} \alpha_i^{-1} z_0} \omega = \left( \sum_{i=1}^r \varphi_{\alpha_i \gamma^{t_i} \alpha_i^{-1}} \right) (\omega) \end{aligned}$$

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Remark:  $\int_{z_0}^{\delta z_0} \omega = \int_{z_0'}^{\delta z_0'} \omega$  if  $\delta \in \Gamma_0(N)$

$$\int_{z_0}^{\delta z_0} \omega - \int_{z_0'}^{\delta z_0'} \omega = \int_{\mathcal{P}} \omega - \int_{\mathcal{P}} \omega = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$\uparrow$   
 $\delta \in \Gamma_0(N)$   
(change variables)



We now continue the proof of the theorem of Shimura.

Choose a basis  $\{f_1, \dots, f_g\}$  of  $S_2(\Gamma_0(N))$  consisting of modular forms with real Fourier coefficients (could take them rational!).

(it's a fact that  $S_2(\Gamma_0(N), \mathbb{Q}) \simeq \mathbb{Q}^g$  — use Eisenstein series — ...).

We get then an identification:

$$S_2(\Gamma_0(N))^{\vee} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathbb{C}^g$$

$$\lambda \longmapsto (\lambda(f_1), \dots, \lambda(f_g)).$$

Let  $c: S_2(\Gamma_0(N))^{\vee} \rightarrow S_2(\Gamma_0(N))^{\vee}$  be the involution induced by complex conjugation on  $\mathbb{C}^g$ .

Prop:  $\Lambda$  is stable under  $c$ , and moreover  $c$  commutes with the  $T_n$ .

Pf

$$(c(\varphi_{\delta}))(\omega) = \overline{\int_{\delta} \omega} = \overline{\int_{z_0}^{\delta z_0} \frac{\omega = 2\pi i f(z) dz}{2\pi i f(z) dz}} = \int_{z_0}^{\delta z_0} -2\pi i f(-\bar{z}) d\bar{z} =$$

if  $f$  has real Fourier coeffs  $\Rightarrow \overline{f(z)} = f(-\bar{z})$

$$= \int_{z_0}^{\delta z_0} 2\pi i f(-\bar{z}) d\bar{z} = \int_{-\bar{z}_0}^{\delta' \cdot -\bar{z}_0} 2\pi i f(z) dz$$

where  $\delta' = \begin{pmatrix} a & -b \\ -c & d \end{pmatrix} \in \Gamma_0(N)$  also!

$$= \varphi_{\delta'}(\omega_f)$$

(if  $\delta = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$ )

(Cont of Prop)

Now we need to see that  $c$  commutes with  $T_n$ .

This is an exercise  $\checkmark$

Define now  $\Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}} := \Lambda \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{Q} \cong \mathbb{Q}^{2g}$ .

One can decompose  $\Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}} = \Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}}^+ \oplus \Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}}^-$  where  $c$  acts as

1 (resp -1) on  $\Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}}^+$  (resp  $\Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}}^-$ ).

As  $c$  commutes with  $T_n$ , then  $T_n$ 's respect the  $\Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}}^+$  and  $\Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}}^-$ .

Note:  $\Lambda \supset \Lambda^+ \oplus \Lambda^-$  with finite index (at most  $2^g$ ).

Recall  $\mathbb{T}_{\mathbb{Z}} = \mathbb{Z}$ -algebra generated by the matrices  $T_1, T_2, \dots$ , acting on  $S_{\mathbb{Z}}(\mathbb{T}_{\mathbb{Z}})$ .  
( $n, N=1$ )

A newform  $f$  gives rise to  $\varphi_f: \mathbb{T}_{\mathbb{Z}} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_f$   
 $T_n \mapsto a_n(f)$

Let  $I_f := \text{Ker } \varphi_f$ .

Lemma: 1)  $\Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}}^{\pm} [I_f] \cong \Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}}^{\pm} / I_f$  (module annihilated by  $I_f$ )  
is a one dimensional  $K_f$ -vector space.

(note that the action of the factors through  $I_f$ , and  $T_{\mathbb{Q}} / I_f \cong K_f$ ).

2)  $\Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}}^{\pm} / I_f \cong K_f$  as a  $K_f$ -vector space.

3)  $\Lambda_{\mathbb{Z}}^{\pm} / I_f \subseteq \Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}}^{\pm} / I_f$  is a  $\mathbb{Z}$ -lattice (so of  $\text{rk} = d = [K_f: \mathbb{Q}]$ ).  
 $\cong K_f$

Pf (of lemma) use primary decomposition:

$\mathbb{T}_a \approx K_f \oplus \mathbb{T}'$ . So have an idempotent  $\pi_f$  (corresp to  $(1,0)$ ).

$\Rightarrow \exists n_f \in \mathbb{Z}$  s.t  $n_f \pi_f \in \mathbb{T}'_{\mathbb{Z}}$

The next is left to the "reader".

Part (3) of the lemma  $\Rightarrow \exists \gamma_0^\pm \in \Lambda_{\mathbb{Q}}^\pm / I_f$  satisfying:  $\gamma = n_\gamma \gamma_0^\pm$  for some  $n_\gamma \in \mathbb{O}_f$  ( $\forall \gamma \in \Lambda^\pm / I_f$ ).

Now,  $\Lambda^-(f, \frac{a}{m}, 1) = \Lambda(f, \frac{a}{m}, 1) - \Lambda(f, -\frac{a}{m}, 1) = \int_{\frac{a}{m}}^{\frac{a}{m} + i\infty} \omega_f - \int_{-\frac{a}{m}}^{-\frac{a}{m} + i\infty} \omega_f =$   
 $= \int_{\frac{a}{m}}^{-\frac{a}{m}} \omega_f$

There is an element  $\gamma \in \Gamma_0(N)$  s.t  $\gamma \frac{a}{m} = -\frac{a}{m}$ .

So the integral is  $\int_{\frac{a}{m}}^{-\frac{a}{m}} \omega_f = \varphi_\gamma(\omega_f) \leftarrow$  depends only on image of  $\gamma$  modulo  $I_f$ .

write  $\gamma = n_\gamma \gamma_0^+$ ,  $\Rightarrow \varphi_\gamma(\omega_f) = \varphi_{n_\gamma \gamma_0^+}(\omega_f) = n_\gamma \varphi_{\gamma_0^+}(\omega_f)$ .

Then let  $\Omega^- := \int_{\gamma_0^-} \omega_f \in \mathbb{C}R$ .

For the  $+$ -part, the argument needs to be modified:

$\Lambda^+(f, \frac{a}{m}, 1) = \int_{\frac{a}{m}}^{\frac{a}{m} + i\infty} \omega_f + \int_{-\frac{a}{m}}^{-\frac{a}{m} + i\infty} \omega_f = \int_{\frac{a}{m}}^0 \omega_f + \int_{-\frac{a}{m}}^0 \omega_f + 2 \int_0^{i\infty} \omega_f$

need to deal with this

$\Omega^+ \in \mathbb{C}R$  where  $\Omega^+ = \int_{\gamma_0^+} \omega_f$  as before.

(cont p.1)

To control  $\int_0^{i\infty} \omega_f$ , we use  $T_p$ . Take representatives  $\begin{pmatrix} p & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & f \\ 0 & p \end{pmatrix}$ .

$$\int_0^{i\infty} \omega_f | T_p = \int_0^{i\infty} \omega_f |_2 \begin{pmatrix} p & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \dots + \omega_f |_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 & p-1 \\ 0 & p \end{pmatrix} = z \int_0^{i\infty} \omega_f + \int_{\frac{1}{p}}^{\frac{1}{p} + i\infty} \omega_f + \dots + \int_{\frac{p-1}{p}}^{\frac{p-1}{p} + i\infty} \omega_f =$$

$$= a_p \int_0^{i\infty} \omega_f$$

Consider now  $(p+1) \int_0^{i\infty} \omega_f$ , and then:

$$(p+1 - a_p(\beta)) \int_0^{i\infty} \omega_f = \int_{\frac{1}{p}}^0 \omega_f + \int_{\frac{2}{p}}^0 \omega_f + \dots + \int_{\frac{p-1}{p}}^0 \omega_f \in \Omega^+ \cdot \mathcal{O}_f$$

Hence  $\int_0^{i\infty} \omega_f \in \frac{\Omega^+}{(p+1 - a_p(\beta))} \mathcal{O}_f$ .

Replace now  $\Omega^+$  by  $\frac{\Omega^+}{p+1 - a_p(\beta)}$  for some  $p$  (could vary over all  $p$  to get an smaller denominator)

Recall of what we've done so far:  $\int \in S_2(\Gamma_0(N))$ ,  $\omega_f := z \bar{z} i f(z) d\tau$ .

We showed that  $\Lambda_f^+ \in K_f \Omega_+$ ,  $\Omega_+ \in i\mathbb{R}$

$\Lambda_f^- \in K_f \Omega_-$ ,  $\Omega_- \in i\mathbb{R}$

(where  $\Lambda_f^\pm = \left\{ \int_{a/m}^{\gamma/m + i\infty} \omega_f \pm \int_{-a/m}^{-\gamma/m + i\infty} \omega_f \right\} \in \begin{cases} \mathbb{R} & (+) \\ i\mathbb{R} & (-) \end{cases}$ ).

To do this, we proved that, for  $p \times N$ :

$$(1+p - a_p) \Lambda_f^+ \in \left\{ \int_\gamma \omega_f + \bar{\omega}_f : \gamma \in H_1(X_0(N)(\mathbb{C}), \mathbb{Z}) \right\}$$

$$\Lambda_f^- \in \left\{ \int_\gamma \omega_f - \bar{\omega}_f \right\}$$

Recall also that we defined a map:

$$\text{Int}_f^\pm: \frac{H_1(x_0(N)(\mathbb{C}), \mathbb{Z})^\pm}{I_f H_1(x_0(N)(\mathbb{C}), \mathbb{Z})^\pm} \xrightarrow{\text{action of } \alpha \text{ conjugation}} \mathbb{C}^\pm$$

where 
$$I_f = \text{Ker} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \pi \rightarrow K_f \\ T_n \mapsto a_n \end{array} \right\}$$

From this, get that  $\frac{H_1(x_0(N)(\mathbb{C}), \mathbb{Q})^\pm}{I_f} \cong K_f$  as a  $K_f$ -vector space

Hence  $\exists \Omega_\pm$  s.t.  $\Lambda_f^\pm \in K_f \Omega_\pm$ .

The integrality follows from the fact that  $H_1(x_0(N)(\mathbb{C}), \mathbb{Z})$  is finitely-generated as a  $\mathbb{Z}$ -module.

Corollary:

1) If  $\chi(-1) = 1$  ( $\chi$  is even), then:

$$\Lambda(\beta, \chi, 1) \in \frac{1}{2} \frac{\tau(\chi)}{m} \Omega_f^+ \mathcal{O}_f \mathcal{O}_\chi$$

where  $\mathcal{O}_\chi = \mathbb{Z}[\chi(2), \chi(3), \dots, \chi(n-1)]$ .

(where  $m = \text{level of } \chi$  conductor)

2) If  $\chi(-1) = -1$  ( $\chi$  is odd) then:

$$\Lambda(\beta, \chi, 1) \in \frac{1}{2} \frac{\tau(\chi)}{m} \Omega_f^- \mathcal{O}_f \mathcal{O}_\chi$$

Pf

(1) As 
$$\Lambda(\beta, \chi, 1) = \frac{\tau(\chi)}{m} \sum_{a=0}^{m-1} \bar{\chi}(a) \Lambda(\beta, \frac{a}{m}, 1) \stackrel{\chi \text{ even}}{=} \frac{\tau(\chi)}{2m} \sum_{a=0}^{m-1} (\bar{\chi}(a) + \bar{\chi}(-a)) \Lambda(\beta, \frac{a}{m}, 1)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \frac{\tau(\chi)}{m} \sum_{a=0}^{m-1} \bar{\chi}(a) \Lambda^+(\beta, \frac{a}{m}, 1) \in \frac{1}{2} \frac{\tau(\chi)}{m} \Omega_f^+ \mathcal{O}_f \mathcal{O}_\chi$$

For (2), the proof is essentially the same.



• Modular Symbols: Let  $A$  be an abelian group.

Define: An  $A$ -valued modular symbol is a function

$$m: \mathbb{P}_1(\mathbb{Q}) \times \mathbb{P}_1(\mathbb{Q}) \rightarrow A$$

$$(r, s) \longmapsto m\{r \rightarrow s\}$$

satisfying:

$$1) m\{r \rightarrow s\} = -m\{s \rightarrow r\}$$

$$2) m\{r \rightarrow s\} + m\{s \rightarrow t\} = m\{r \rightarrow t\}$$

$$\forall r, s, t \in \mathbb{P}_1(\mathbb{Q}).$$

The group  $GL_2(\mathbb{Q})$  acts on  $\mathcal{M}(A) := \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{(abelian)} \\ \text{group} \end{array} \right\}$  of all  $A$ -valued modular symbols on the right, by the rule:

$$(m|\gamma)\{r \rightarrow s\} = m\{\gamma r \rightarrow \gamma s\}$$

Example: Given a newform  $f$ , can define:

$$\bullet m_f^+ \{r \rightarrow s\} := \int_r^s \omega_f + \int_{-r}^{-s} \omega_f$$

$$\bullet m_f^- \{r \rightarrow s\} := \int_r^s \omega_f - \int_{-r}^{-s} \omega_f$$

Note that  $m_f^\pm \in \mathcal{M}(\Omega_f^\pm \mathcal{O}_f)$

The modular symbols were introduced because they are computable.

So next we will see an algorithm to compute the  $m_f^\pm$ :

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Algorithm for computing  $m_f^\pm$

Simplifying assumption: assume  $N$  is prime.

In this case,  $\Gamma_0(N) \backslash P_1(\mathbb{C}) = \Gamma_0(N) \cdot 0 \sqcup \Gamma_0(N) \cdot \infty$

$\left\{ \frac{a}{b} : N \nmid b \right\}$        $\left\{ \frac{a}{b} : N \mid b \right\}$

(otherwise, we have more orbits)

(1)  $m_f^+ \{0 \rightarrow \infty\} = 2\Lambda(8, 1)$  ← has been worked out in the HW#3.

$m_f^- \{0 \rightarrow \infty\} = 0$

Def: Two elements  $\frac{a}{b}, \frac{c}{d}$  are adjacent if  $ad - bc = \pm 1$

(convention: always represented in lowest terms, and  $\infty = \frac{1}{0}$ ).

(2) Lemma: Any two cusps  $\frac{a}{b}, \frac{c}{d}$  can be joined by a succession of paths between adjacent "cusps" of  $P_1(\mathbb{C})$ .

pf Enough to be able to join  $\frac{a}{b}$  to  $\infty$ :

$\left\{ \frac{a}{b} \rightarrow \infty \right\} = \left\{ \frac{a}{b} \rightarrow \frac{t}{a'} \right\} + \left\{ \frac{t}{a'} \rightarrow \infty \right\}$

where  $a'a \equiv 1 \pmod{b}$  and such that  $|a'| \leq \frac{b}{2}$ .

And choose  $t$  s.t.  $aa' - bt = 1$ .

Then  $\left\{ \frac{a}{b} \rightarrow \frac{t}{a'} \right\}$  is adjacent, and we are reduced to a problem size,

as  $|a'| \leq \frac{b}{2}$ .

It is basically the Euclidean algorithm to compute  $\gcd(a, b)$

$$(3) m_f^\pm \{ \delta r \rightarrow \delta s \} = m_f^\pm \{ r \rightarrow s \} \quad \forall \delta \in \Gamma_0(N),$$

$$\text{because } m_f^\pm \{ \delta r \rightarrow \delta s \} = \int_{\delta r}^{\delta s} \omega_f^\pm = \int_r^s \omega_f^\pm | \delta = \int_r^s \omega_f^\pm = m_f^\pm \{ r \rightarrow s \}$$

From the remarks (1), (2), (3), we find that  $m_f^\pm$  is completely determined

by its values on

$$\Gamma_0(N) \backslash \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a & c \\ b & a \end{pmatrix} : ad - bc = 1 \right\} \xrightarrow{\cong} \mathbb{P}_1(\mathbb{Z}/N\mathbb{Z})$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & c \\ b & a \end{pmatrix} \longmapsto ? \leftarrow \text{exercise.}$$

Hence we just need to compute  $N+1$  values of  $m_f^\pm$ :

Corollary:  $m_f^\pm \{ r \rightarrow s \}$  is a  $\mathbb{Z}$ -linear combination of:

$$m_f^\pm \{ 0 \rightarrow \infty \}, m_f^\pm \{ 1 \rightarrow 0 \}, m_f^\pm \{ \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow 0 \}, \dots, m_f^\pm \{ \frac{1}{N-1} \rightarrow 0 \}.$$

(4) To compute this finite set of values, one can use analytic techniques.

Also, we can get an algorithm to compute modular forms:

### Computation of Modular Forms.

Lemma: the integration map  $S_2(\Gamma_0(N), \mathbb{R}) \longrightarrow \mathcal{M}(\mathbb{R})^{\Gamma_0(N)}$   
 $f \longmapsto m_f^\pm$

is an injection and can be made Hecke-equivariant

(after a suitable action of  $T$  on  $\mathcal{M}(\mathbb{R})^{\Gamma_0(N)}$ ).

$$\text{Def: } m | T_N \{ r \rightarrow s \} := \sum_{j=1}^k m \{ \alpha_j r \rightarrow \alpha_j s \} \quad \text{where } \Gamma_0(N) \begin{pmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \Gamma_0(N) = \bigcup_{j=1}^k \Gamma_b(N) \alpha_j$$

This leads to an efficient procedure for calculating  $S_2(\Gamma_0(N))$ , by doing linear algebra on  $M(\mathbb{R})^{\Gamma_0(N)}$  (diagonalize  $\mathbb{T}$  there, and will get the eigenvalues of the eigenforms --).

Another application: p-adic L-functions attached to  $f$ .

Fix a conductor  $m$  (prime to  $N$ , if  $f \in S_2(\Gamma_0(N))$ ).

Let  $G_m := (\mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z})^\times$ ,  $\lambda_f^\pm\left(\frac{a}{m}\right) := m_p^\pm \left\{ \frac{a}{m} \rightarrow \infty \right\} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{d}^\pm} \in \mathcal{O}_f$

Define  $\theta_m^\pm(f) := \sum_{a=1}^{m-1} \lambda_f^\pm\left(\frac{a}{m}\right) \cdot \sigma_a \in \mathcal{O}_f[G_m]$

where  $\sigma_a$  is the image of  $\frac{a}{m} \in (\mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z})^\times$  (and  $\sigma_a = 0$  if  $(a, m) \neq 1$ )

Note also that if  $\chi$  is a primitive character of conductor  $m$  (we computed this before)

$$\chi(\theta_m^\pm(f)) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\sqrt{d}^\pm} \Lambda(\beta, \chi, 1) & \text{if parity of } \chi = \pm \\ 0 & \text{if parity of } \chi \neq \pm \end{cases}$$

Fix now a prime  $p \nmid N$ , and consider the elements:

$$\theta_p^\pm(f), \theta_{p^2}^\pm(f), \dots, \theta_{p^n}^\pm(f)$$

We have a natural projection:

$$\nu: \mathcal{O}_f[G_{p^{n+1}}] \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_f[G_{p^n}]$$

induced by the canonical map  $(\mathbb{Z}/p^{n+1}\mathbb{Z})^\times \rightarrow (\mathbb{Z}/p^n\mathbb{Z})^\times$ .

Q: Do the  $\theta_{p^n}^\pm(f)$  have a compatibility under  $\nu$ ?

That is, what's the relation between  $\nu(\theta_{p^{n+1}}^\pm(f))$  and  $\theta_{p^n}^\pm(f)$ ?

Prop (Quasi-distribution relation):  $n \geq 1$ ,  $a \in (\mathbb{Z}/p^{n+1}\mathbb{Z})^\times$ . Then:

$$\sum_{j=0}^{p-1} \lambda_f^\pm \left( \frac{a+jp^n}{p^{n+1}} \right) = a_p \lambda_f^\pm \left( \frac{a}{p^n} \right) - \lambda_f^\pm \left( \frac{a}{p^{n-1}} \right)$$

↑  $p^{\text{th}}$  Fourier coeff of the modular form  $f$ .

Pf Recall that  $\lambda_f^\pm \left( \frac{a}{p^n} \right) = m_f^\pm \left\{ \frac{a}{p^n} \rightarrow \infty \right\} \cdot \frac{1}{\Omega^\pm}$

$$\text{So } m_f^\pm | T_p \left\{ \frac{a}{p^n} \rightarrow \infty \right\} = a_p(\mathcal{L}) \lambda_f^\pm \left( \frac{a}{p^n} \right) \Omega^\pm$$

$$\parallel$$

$$m_f^\pm \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} p & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \left( \frac{a}{p^n} \right) \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} p & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \infty \right\} + m_f^\pm \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & p \end{pmatrix} \left( \frac{a}{p^n} \right) \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & p \end{pmatrix} \infty \right\} + \dots + m_f^\pm \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & p-1 \\ 0 & p \end{pmatrix} \left( \frac{a}{p^n} \right) \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & p-1 \\ 0 & p \end{pmatrix} \infty \right\}$$

$$\left( = m_f^\pm \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} p & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \left( \frac{a}{p^n} \right) \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} p & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \infty \right\} + \sum_{j=0}^{p-1} m_f^\pm \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & j \\ 0 & p \end{pmatrix} \left( \frac{a}{p^n} \right) \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & j \\ 0 & p \end{pmatrix} \infty \right\} \right)$$

$$= m_f^\pm \left\{ \frac{a}{p^{n-1}} \rightarrow \infty \right\} + \sum_{j=0}^{p-1} m_f^\pm \left\{ \frac{a+jp^n}{p^{n+1}} \rightarrow \infty \right\}$$

We will then modify the  $\lambda_f^\pm$  so that they satisfy better compatibility.

Consider the polynomial  $X^2 - a_p X + p \in \mathcal{O}_f[X]$ .

$$X^2 - a_p X + p = (X - \alpha)(X - \beta) \quad , \quad \alpha, \beta \in \mathcal{O}_f' \leftarrow \text{simple quadratic / eq.}$$

Define:  $\widetilde{\lambda}_f^\pm \left( \frac{a}{p^n} \right) := \alpha^{-n} \left( \lambda_f^\pm \left( \frac{a}{p^n} \right) - \frac{1}{\alpha} \lambda_f^\pm \left( \frac{a}{p^{n-1}} \right) \right) \in K_f'$

RK: This definition depends on the choice of either  $\alpha$  or  $\beta$ , so there are two ways to define them.

Prop (Distribution relation):

$$\sum_{j=0}^{p-1} \tilde{\lambda}_f^\pm \left( \frac{a+jp^n}{p^{n+1}} \right) = \tilde{\lambda}_f^\pm \left( \frac{a}{p^n} \right) \in \mathcal{O}_f[\alpha^{-1}]$$

Proof:  $p-1$

$$\sum_{j=0}^{p-1} \tilde{\lambda}_f^\pm \left( \frac{a+jp^n}{p^{n+1}} \right) = \sum_{j=0}^{p-1} \alpha^{-(n+1)} \left( d_f^\pm \left( \frac{a+jp^n}{p^{n+1}} \right) - \frac{1}{\alpha} d_f^\pm \left( \frac{a}{p^n} \right) \right) \stackrel{\text{prev. prop.}}{=} \downarrow$$

$$= \alpha^{-(n+1)} \left( a_p d_f^\pm \left( \frac{a}{p^n} \right) - \lambda_f^\pm \left( \frac{a}{p^{n-1}} \right) - \frac{p}{\alpha} \lambda_f^\pm \left( \frac{a}{p^n} \right) \right)$$

As  $\frac{p}{\alpha} = \beta$  and  $a_p = \alpha + \beta$ , get:

$$= \alpha^{-(n+1)} \left( \alpha d_f^\pm \left( \frac{a}{p^n} \right) - \lambda_f^\pm \left( \frac{a}{p^{n-1}} \right) \right) = \tilde{\lambda}_f^\pm \left( \frac{a}{p^n} \right)$$

Corollary: Define, for  $n \geq 1$ ,  $\text{image of } a \text{ in } G_n = (\mathbb{Z}/p^n\mathbb{Z})^\times$

$$\tilde{\Theta}_n^\pm := \sum_{a \in (\mathbb{Z}/p^n\mathbb{Z})^\times} \tilde{\lambda}_f^\pm \left( \frac{a}{p^n} \right) \cdot \sigma_a \in \underbrace{\mathcal{O}_f[\frac{1}{\alpha}]}_R [G_n] \text{ (group ring)}$$

Then:  $(\psi_{n+1, n} : R[G_{n+1}] \rightarrow R[G_n])$

$$\boxed{\psi_{n+1, n}(\tilde{\Theta}_{n+1}^\pm) = \tilde{\Theta}_n^\pm}$$

$$G_\infty = \varprojlim G_n = \mathbb{Z}_p^\times$$

So one can define  $\Theta_\infty^\pm := (\tilde{\Theta}_n^\pm)_{n \geq 1} \in \varprojlim_{n \geq 1} R[G_n] =: R[G_\infty]$

Rk.:  $R[G_\infty] \subseteq R[[G_\infty]]$ , but the latter is much nicer.

Def: The ring  $R[[G_\infty]]$  is called the completed group ring with coefficients in  $R$ , associated to the profinite group  $G_\infty$ .

Some (soft)  $p$ -adic functional analysis.

Let  $\tilde{\mathcal{F}}_{lc}(G_\infty) (= \tilde{\mathcal{F}}_{lc}(\mathbb{Z}_p^\times))$  be the space of locally-constant  $R$ -valued functions on  $G_\infty$ .

That is, because  $R$  is endowed — for now — with the discrete topology, being locally-constant is the same as being continuous.

(so  $\tilde{\mathcal{F}}_{lc}(G_\infty)$  is the space of continuous functions  $G_\infty \rightarrow R$ ).

Let  $\tilde{\mathcal{F}}_{lc}^\vee(G_\infty) := \text{Hom}(\tilde{\mathcal{F}}_{lc}(G_\infty), R)$ .

Prop:  $\tilde{\mathcal{F}}_{lc}^\vee(G_\infty) \stackrel{\text{natural}}{=} R[[G_\infty]]$

Pf: deferred

~~Lemma: If  $h \in \tilde{\mathcal{F}}_{lc}(G_\infty)$~~

Remark: If  $U_{a,n} \subseteq G_\infty$  is an open subset, ~~then the~~ of the form

$$U_{a,n} = a + p^n \mathbb{Z}_p, \text{ for } a \in \mathbb{Z}_p^\times, \text{ then } U_{a,n}^c = \bigsqcup_{\substack{b \neq a \\ (\text{mod } p^n)}} (b + p^n \mathbb{Z}_p),$$

so  $U_{a,n}$  is both open and closed.

Hence  $\chi_{U_{a,n}}$  (the characteristic function on  $U_{a,n}$ ) is continuous.

Lemma:

1) If  $h \in \mathcal{F}_c(G_\infty)$ , then  $h$  is a finite  $R$ -linear combination of  $\chi_{\alpha, n}$ 's.

2) Suppose, further, that  $R$  contains all  $(p-1)p^n$ -th roots of 1, and  $\frac{1}{p(p-1)}$ . Then  $h$  is an  $R$ -linear combination of  $\underbrace{\text{characters}}_{\text{continuous}} \chi: G_\infty \rightarrow R^\times$ .

Pf

(1) For  $x \in G_\infty$ ,  $\exists U_x \ni x$  s.t.  $h|_{U_x}$  is constant.

So write  $G_\infty = \bigcup_{x \in G_\infty} U_x$ . As  $G_\infty$  is compact (profinite!),

$G_\infty = U_{x_1} \cup \dots \cup U_{x_n}$ . Then we are done.

(2) By Fourier analysis,  $\leftarrow$  on the  $G_n$ 's one can express any  $\chi_{\alpha, n}$  as a linear combination of  $\chi: G_\infty \rightarrow R^\times$ .

Prop (which implies the previously stated one):

The function  $\mathcal{F}_c^v(G_\infty) \rightarrow R[[G_\infty]]$  which sends  $\mu \mapsto (\theta_n = \sum_{a \in \mathbb{Z}/p^n\mathbb{Z}} \mu(a + p^n \mathbb{Z}_p) \sigma_a)$  is an  $R$ -linear isomorphism.

Exercise

Terminology:

• The elements of  $\mathcal{F}_c^v(G_\infty) = R[[G_\infty]]$  are called " $R$ -valued distributions on  $G_\infty$ ".

• If  $h \in \mathcal{F}_c(G_\infty)$ , and  $\mu \in \mathcal{F}_c^v(G_\infty)$ , then  $\mu(h) =: \int_{G_\infty} h d\mu$

In particular, to  $\tilde{\theta}_n^\pm \in R[[G_\infty]]$  we have an associated  $\mu_n^\pm \in \mathcal{F}_c^v(G_\infty)$ .

→ Interpolation formula:

Let  $\chi: \mathbb{Z}_p^\times \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^\times$  be a finite order continuous character of  $\mathbb{Z}_p^\times$ .

• If  $\chi \neq \chi_{\text{triv}}$ :

$$\int_{\mathbb{Z}_p^\times} \chi d\mu_f^\pm = \begin{cases} \frac{\alpha^{-n} p^n}{z(\chi)} \frac{\Lambda(\chi, 1)}{s\mathbb{Z}_p^\pm} & \text{if } \chi(-1) = \begin{matrix} \pm \\ \mp \end{matrix} 1 \\ 0 & \text{if } \chi(-1) = \begin{matrix} \mp \\ \pm \end{matrix} 1 \end{cases}$$

← signs according to  $\mu_f^\pm$

• If  $\chi = \chi_{\text{triv}}$ :

$$\int_{\mathbb{Z}_p^\times} d\mu_f^+ = \left(1 - \frac{1}{\alpha}\right) \frac{\Lambda(\chi, 1)}{s\mathbb{Z}_p^+}$$

and  $\int_{\mathbb{Z}_p^\times} d\mu_f^- = 0$

Prove it as an exercise.

We now put a topology on  $\mathbb{R}$ , and start now serious  $p$ -adic analysis.

So let  $\mathbb{R}$  be endowed with a  $p$ -adic topology.

(e.g.  $\mathbb{R} =$  completion of  $K_f$  at a prime above  $p$ ).

This gives  $\mathcal{F}_{\text{ic}}(G_{\infty})$  a topology (from the sup norm:  $\|h\|_{\text{sup}} = \sup_{x \in \mathbb{Z}_p^\times} |h(x)|$ ).

Then  $\mathcal{F}_{\text{ic}}(G_{\infty}) \subseteq \mathcal{F}_{\text{cont}}(G_{\infty})$

Lemma: The completion of  $\mathcal{F}_{\text{ic}}(G_{\infty})$  wrt  $\|\cdot\|_{\text{sup}}$  is  $\mathcal{F}_{\text{cont}}(G_{\infty})$ .

Pf Exercise (use compactness for the density).



Lemma: An  $\mathbb{R}$ -valued distribution  $\mu$  is continuous relative to the sup norm on  $\mathcal{F}_c(G_\infty)$  iff  $\mu$  is bounded

(i.e. iff  $\{\mu(a + p^n Z_p)\}_{n \geq 1} \in \mathbb{R}$  is a bounded subset) <sup>for the p-adic norm.</sup>  
( $a, p^n = 1$ )

Pf

$\Leftarrow$  If  $\mu$  is bounded.

Suppose that  $h, g \in \mathcal{F}_c(G_\infty)$  satisfy  $\|h-g\| < \epsilon$ .

There exists  $n \gg 1$  and  $U_1, \dots, U_n$  of open & closed subsets of  $Z_p^x$

such that  $h = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i \chi_{U_i}$ ,  $g = \sum_{i=1}^n b_i \chi_{U_i}$ ,

(assume also wlog that the  $U_i$ 's are disjoint).

$\|h-g\| < \epsilon \Rightarrow |a_i - b_i| < \epsilon$  for  $i=1 \dots n$ .

But  $\int h d\mu = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i \mu(U_i)$  ;  $\int g d\mu = \sum_{i=1}^n b_i \mu(U_i)$ .

So  $|\mu(h) - \mu(g)| = \left| \sum_{i=1}^n \overbrace{(a_i - b_i)}^{\epsilon} \overbrace{\mu(U_i)}^{\epsilon} \right| < C \cdot \epsilon$

$\uparrow$  strong triangle inequality (thanks to non-archimed.)

$\Rightarrow$  Suppose that  $\mu$  is unbounded. want to see that  $\mu$  is discontinuous.

Let  $U_1, \dots, U_n, \dots$  be a sequence of open/closed subsets of  $Z_p^x$  such that  $\mu(U_j) \rightarrow \infty$ .

But  $h_j := \frac{\chi_{U_j}}{\mu(U_j)} \rightarrow 0$  uniformly, and  $\int h_j d\mu = 1 \quad \forall j \Rightarrow$  disc

Lemma: Let  $j: K_f \rightarrow R$  be the natural embedding of  $K_f$  in its completion (that is,  $R = K_{f, \mathfrak{p}} = \mathfrak{p} \backslash \mathfrak{p}$ ).

Then  $j(\mu_f^\pm)$  is bounded iff  $|j(a_p)| = 1$  (i.e.  $j(a_p)$  is a unit).

Def: we say that  $f$  is ordinary at  $\mathfrak{p} \in \mathcal{O}_f$  if  $\mathfrak{p} \nmid a_p$ . (that is,  $\alpha \in \mathcal{O}_K^x$ )

Proof (of lemma):

Recall  $\alpha$  is a root of  $X^2 - a_p X + p$ .

If  $\mathfrak{p} \nmid a_p$ , then  $X^2 - a_p X + p \equiv X(X - a_p) \pmod{\mathfrak{p}}$ .   
distinct roots

So by Hensel's lemma, it has two roots (distinct)  $\alpha, \beta \in K_{f, \mathfrak{p}} = R$ .

Assume that  $\alpha \equiv a_p \pmod{\mathfrak{p}}$ ,  $\beta \equiv 0 \pmod{\mathfrak{p}}$ .

Then the corresponding  $\mu_f^\pm$  are bounded, hence continuous.

The converse is left as an exercise.

If  $f$  is ordinary, we get elements  $\mu_f^\pm \in \widetilde{\mathcal{F}}_{\text{cts}}(K_{f, \mathfrak{p}})^{\vee}$ .

Some key functions on  $\mathbb{Z}_p^x$  (continuous).

$\chi_k: x \mapsto x^k$ . These  $\chi_k \in \text{Hom}_{\text{cts}}(G_{\infty}, \mathbb{Z}_p^x)$  (for  $k = 1, 2, \dots$ ).

$\mathbb{Z} \subseteq \mathbb{Z}/(p-1)\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}_p$ . Put on  $\mathbb{Z}$  the subspace topology  $\left( \mathbb{Z}/(p-1)\mathbb{Z} \text{ with discrete top} \right)$ .

Then  $k \mapsto \chi_k$  is continuous relative to this topology:

if  $(k_1 - k_2) \equiv 0 \pmod{(p-1)p^n}$ , then  $x^{k_1} - x^{k_2} \equiv 0 \pmod{p^{n+1}} \forall x \in \mathbb{Z}_p^x$ .

(Pf as an exercise)

Def (The p-adic L-function) ← Mazur-Swinnerton Dyer

Suppose that f is ordinary at p, and let  $\mu_f^\pm$  be the (bided) dist on  $G_{\text{ord}}$ .

Then the p-adic L-function attached to f is the function on  $\mathbb{Z}/p^{-1} \times \mathbb{Z}_p$

$$L_p^\pm(f, s) := \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p^x} x^{s-1} d\mu_f^\pm(x) \quad (\text{the Mazur-Mellin transform})$$

(where  $s \in \mathbb{Z}/p^{-1} \times \mathbb{Z}_p$  can be seen as a limit of integers -  $\mathbb{Z}$  dense in  $\mathbb{Z}/p^{-1} \times \mathbb{Z}_p$ )

Lemma: If  $x \in \mathbb{Z}_p^x$ , then there exists a unique  $(p-1)^{\text{st}}$ -root of 1 in  $\mathbb{Z}_p^x$ , say  $\xi$  such that  $\xi \equiv x \pmod{p}$ .

Pf: Hensel's lemma

Notation:  $\omega(x) := \xi$ , is called the Teichmüller lift of x.

(Rk: sometimes  $\omega$  is defined to be  $\xi^{-1}$ !)

$$\text{Rk: } \omega(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x^{p^n}$$

Write then  $x = \omega(x) \langle x \rangle$ ,  $\langle x \rangle = 1 + p\tilde{x}$ ,  $\tilde{x} \in \mathbb{Z}_p$ .

Note then that  $(x \pmod{p}, \tilde{x})$  determine  $x \in \mathbb{Z}_p^x$ .

Recall  $U_{a,j} = a + p^j \mathbb{Z}_p$  = ball of radius  $p^{-j}$  "centered at a".

$$\text{Define } M_f(a, k) := \int_{U_{a,1}} \tilde{x}^k d\mu_f^\pm(x) \subseteq \text{Bounded subset of } K$$

(this is called the k-th moment of  $\mu_f^\pm$  on  $U_{a,1}$ ).

• "Taylor expansion" of  $L_p^\pm(f, s)$

Prop:  $L_p^\pm(f, s) = \sum_{a=1}^{p-1} \omega(a)^{s-1} \left( \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} p^k M(a, k) \binom{s-1}{k} \right)$

where  $\binom{s-1}{k} = \frac{(s-1)(s-2)\dots(s-k)}{k!} \in \mathbb{Z}_p$  if  $s \in \mathbb{Z}_p$ . (and  $\binom{s-1}{0} = 1$  by convention)

Proof:

$$\int_{\mathbb{Z}_p^\times} x^{s-1} d\mu_f^\pm(x) = \sum_{a=1}^{p-1} \int_{U_{a,1}} x^{s-1} d\mu_f^\pm(x) = \sum_a \int_{U_{a,1}} \omega(x)^{s-1} \langle x \rangle^{s-1} d\mu_f^\pm(x)$$

$$= \sum_a \omega(a)^{s-1} \int_{U_{a,1}} (1 + p\tilde{x})^{s-1} d\mu_f^\pm(x)$$

and use the binomial thm to expand this.

This is a good way to do computations (the moments are "easy" to compute).

Applications to arithmetic:

Key example: Elliptic Curves.

Let  $E/\mathbb{Q}$  be a given elliptic curve.

Theorem (Wiles, ...): There exists a newform  $f \in S_2(\Gamma_0(N))$  with integer coefficients such that  $L(E, s) = L(f, s)$ .

What is shown is that  $V_p(E) \cong V_p(f)$ , as representations of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}}$ .

where  $V_p(E) = \left( \varprojlim_n E[p^n] \right) \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \mathbb{Q}_p \cong \mathbb{Q}_p^2$ .

and  $V_p(f) =$  Galois rep. attached to  $f$ , characterised by the Frobenius:

if  $l \nmid Np$ , the char. poly of  $\text{Frob}_e$  is  $x^2 - a_e x + l$ .



Theorem (Gichler-Shimura): If  $f$  is a newform in  $S_2(\Gamma_0(N))$  with integer coefficients, then there exists an elliptic curve  $E_f$ , such that  $L(E_f, s) = L(f, s)$ .

Rk: once we have  $E_f$ , then define  $V_p(\rho) = V_p(E_f)$ .

Construction of  $E_f$ :  $E_f = \frac{J_0(N)}{I_f}$  where  $J_0(N) = \text{Jacobson of } X_0(N)$ .

What is the relation of  $E$  and  $E_f$ ?

We have that  $L(E, s) = L(E_f, s)$  (or equivalently,  $V_p(E) \cong V_p(E_f)$ )

Then:

Theorem (Faltings): If  $E_1, E_2$  are elliptic curves over  $\mathbb{Q}$  (or two abelian varieties over  $K$  a #field), such that

$V_p(E_1) \cong V_p(E_2)$ , then  $\exists \phi: E_1 \rightarrow E_2$  an isogeny.

Consequence: there is an <sup>algebraic</sup> map, defined over  $\mathbb{Q}$ ,  $J_0(N) \rightarrow E$ .

Recall the definition of  $\omega_f = 2\pi i f(\tau) d\tau$ , in  $\frac{H}{\Gamma(N)}$ , a diff form on  $X_0(N)(\mathbb{C})$ .

The elliptic curve  $E$  has a one-dimensional space of regular differential 1-forms:

$\omega_E = \frac{dx}{y}$  if  $E = y^2 = x^3 + ax + b, a, b \in \mathbb{Q}$ .



Theorem:  $\phi^*(\omega_E) = c \cdot \omega_f$ , for  $c \in \mathbb{Q}^\times$ . (and  $\phi: \mathcal{J}_0(N) \rightarrow E$  is the  $\mathbb{Q}$ -map.)

Periods of  $f$ :

$$m_f^\pm \{r \rightarrow s\} = \int_r^s \omega_f^\pm = \int_r^s \omega_f \pm \overline{\omega}_f = \int_r^s c^{-1} \phi^*(\omega_E^\pm) = c^{-1} \int_{\phi[r \rightarrow s]} \omega_E^\pm$$

define  $\omega_E^\pm = \omega_E \pm \overline{\omega}_E$

Choose  $q$  any prime  $q \nmid N$ , and then

$$\Rightarrow (q+1 - a_q) m_f^\pm \{r \rightarrow s\} = c^{-1} (q+1 - a_q) \int_{\phi[\mathbb{Z}[r \rightarrow s]]} \omega_E^\pm = c^{-1} \int_{\phi[(q+1-T_q)[r \rightarrow s]]} \omega_E^\pm$$

Note that  $\phi((q+1-T_q)[r \rightarrow s]) \in H_1(E(\mathbb{Q}), \mathbb{Z})$

Hence  $\boxed{m_f^\pm \{r \rightarrow s\} \in (q+1 - a_q)^{-1} \cdot c^{-1} \Lambda_E^\pm}$ ,

where  $\Lambda_E^\pm = \left\{ \int_\gamma \omega_E^\pm : \gamma \in H_1(E(\mathbb{Q}), \mathbb{Z}) \right\}$ .

Then  $\Lambda_E^+ = \Omega_E^+ \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $\Lambda_E^- = \Omega_E^- \mathbb{Z}$ , for  $\Omega_E^\pm \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\Omega_E^- \in i\mathbb{R}$ .

Birch - Swinnerton Dyer Conjecture:

By Mordell-Weil theorem,  $E(\mathbb{Q}) \cong \mathbb{Z}^r \oplus T$ ,  $|T| < \infty$ ,  $r = r_E(\mathbb{Q})$ .

Conjecture (BSD):  $\text{ord}_{s=1} L(E, s) = r_E(\mathbb{Q})$ .

Conjecture (BSD<sub>p</sub>):  $\text{ord}_{s=1} L_p^+(E, s) = r_E(\mathbb{Q})$  ( $\forall p \nmid N$ ).

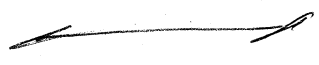
• What's known about BSD?

For the (classical) BSD: If  $\text{ord}_{s=1} L(E, s) \leq 1$ , then it is true.

For  $\text{BSD}_p$ , we know a lot more:  $\text{ord}_{s=1} L_p^+(E, s) \leq 1$  then true as well, and:

$$\text{ord}_{s=1} L_p^+(E, s) \geq r_E(\mathbb{Q}) \quad (\text{theorem of Kato})$$

The philosophy is that the p-adic L-function is closer to arithmetic than the complex one.



• p-adic Modular Forms.

Preview: The Kubota-Leopoldt p-adic L-function:

Given  $\chi: (\mathbb{Z}/p^n\mathbb{Z})^\times \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^\times$ , have defined:

$$L(\chi, s) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \chi(n) n^{-s}$$

Theorem:  $L(\chi, 0)$  are rational  $\forall \chi$ , and moreover there exists a p-adic measure (a bounded p-adic distribution)  $\mu_a$  such that:

$$\forall \chi \neq 1 \text{ primitive} \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p^\times} \chi(t) d\mu_a(t) = L(\chi, 0) \cdot (1 - a \chi(a)).$$

(for any previously fixed  $a \in \mathbb{Z}_p^\times$ ).

$$\text{If } \chi=1, \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p^\times} d\mu_a(t) = (1 - a \chi(a)) \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}\right) \overbrace{L(1, 0)}^{=1}$$

## Kubota-Leopoldt L-function

we define  $L_p(s) = \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p^\times} x^{s-1} d\mu_a(x)$  ,  $s \in \mathbb{Z}/p-1 \times \mathbb{Z}_p$

Interesting phenomenon:

$$L_p(k) = \prod (1 - a^k)(1 - p^{k-1}) \zeta(1-k) \quad \forall k > 1 \text{ integer,}$$
$$k \equiv 1 \pmod{p-1}.$$

This is how  $L_p(s)$  is constructed usually:

One first proves that  $\zeta(1-k_1) \equiv \zeta(1-k_2) \pmod{p^m}$  if  $k_1 \equiv k_2 \pmod{(p-1)p^{m-1}}$   
and  $k_i \not\equiv 0 \pmod{p-1}$ .

(called Kummer-Von Staudt congruence).

Question: Can we prove similar congruences, and therefore construct analogous p-adic L-functions by replacing  $\zeta(s)$  by the Dedekind Zeta-function of a number field.

Let  $F$  be a number field,  $\zeta_F(s) = \sum_{a \in \mathcal{O}_F} (Na)^{-s} = \prod_p (1 - Np^{-s})^{-1}$

If  $F$  is abelian,  $\zeta_F(s) = \prod_{\chi \in \widehat{\text{Gal}(F/\mathbb{Q})}} L(\chi, s)$  is known.

But we can do it in general. We will see that  $\zeta_F(1-k)$  can be written as constant terms of certain modular forms.



Let  $f \in M_k := M_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$ ,  $g \in M_{k'}$ .

we want to show that:

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} a_n(f) \equiv a_n(g) \pmod{p^r} \\ (p-1) \nmid k \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow a_0(f) \equiv a_0(g) \pmod{p^r}$$

Recall the Eisenstein series  $G_k = \frac{1}{2} \zeta(1-k) + \sum_{n \geq 1} \sigma_{k-1}(n) q^n$   $k \geq 2$  even.

and  $E_k := \frac{-2k}{B_k} G_k = 1 - \frac{2k}{B_k} \sum_{n \geq 1} \sigma_{k-1}(n) q^n$   $\sigma_{k-1}(n) = \sum_{d|n} d^{k-1}$

Define also  $P := E_2 = 1 - 24 \sum \sigma_1(n) q^n$  ( $B_2 = 1/6$ )  
 $Q := E_4 = 1 + 240 \sum \sigma_3(n) q^n$  ( $B_4 = -1/30$ )  
 $R := E_6 = 1 - 504 \sum \sigma_5(n) q^n$  ( $B_6 = 1/42$ )  
 (from Ramanujan)

Rk: it is not true in general that the  $E_k$  have integer coefficients!

We will assume  $\boxed{p \geq 5}$ . For  $p=2, 3$  things can be adapted, but proofs become more cumbersome.

Basic properties of the Eisenstein series.

I. For  $k \geq 4$ ,  $E_k \in M_k$ .

I':  $E_2\left(\frac{az+b}{cz+d}\right) = (cz+d)^2 E(z) + \frac{12}{2\pi i} c \cdot (cz+d)$

because the series is not absolutely convergent

II. Clausen-Von Staudt congruences:

a)  $(p-1) \nmid k$ :  $\zeta(1-k)$  is  $p$ -integral and, if  $k \equiv k' \pmod{(p-1)p^{r-1}}$ , then it follows  $\zeta(1-k) \equiv \zeta(1-k') \pmod{p^r}$ .

b)  $(p-1) | k$ : then  $p | \text{denom}(\zeta(1-k))$ . More precisely, if  $k \equiv 0 \pmod{(p-1)p^{r-1}}$ , then  $p^r | \text{denom}(\zeta(1-k))$ . (and  $(p-1)p^{r-1} || k \Rightarrow p^r || \text{denom}(\zeta(1-k))$ )

The Clausen-VonStaudt congruences will not be proven. But check  
Cyclotomic Fields (L. Washington).

Proposition: ("Clausen-VonStaudt for Eisenstein series"): all the Fourier coeffs are congruent.

a) If  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} k \equiv k' \pmod{(p-1)p^{r-1}}, \text{ and} \\ (p-1) \nmid k \end{array} \right\}$  then  $G_k \equiv G_{k'} \pmod{p^r}$

b) If  $(p-1)p^{r-1} \mid k$ , then  $E_k \equiv 1 \pmod{p^r}$ .

pf  
a)  $a_0(G_k) \equiv a_0(G_{k'})$  is a restatement of the C-VStaudt congruence.

$a_n(G_k) \equiv a_n(G_{k'})$  follows from  $d^{k-1} \equiv d^{k'-1} \pmod{p^r}$ . ( $\because k \equiv k' \pmod{(p-1)p^{r-1}}$ )

b) Follows from C-VStaudt part (b) - immediately.

(continues basic properties)

III. Write  $M = \bigoplus M_k$  the graded  $\mathbb{Q}$  modular forms.

Last semester:  $M \subseteq \mathbb{C}[Q, R]$  with  $\deg Q = 4$   
 $\uparrow$  as graded rings  $\deg R = 6$

New definitions:

Let  $M_k :=$  modular forms of weight  $k$  on  $SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$  with Fourier coeffs  
in  $\mathbb{Z}_{(p)}$

$$M = \bigoplus_k M_k$$

Lemma:  $M \cong \mathbb{Z}_{(p)}[Q, R]$ .

pf There's a natural map  $\mathbb{Z}_{(p)}[Q, R] \hookrightarrow M$ . Need surjectivity.

We argue by induction on  $k$ , by considering the map:

$$\mathbb{Z}_{(p)}[Q, R]^{\deg=k} \hookrightarrow M_k \quad \text{and showing surjectivity there.}$$

For  $k=0$ ,  $M_0 = \mathbb{Z}_{(p)}$  ✓

$k=2$ ,  $M_2 = 0$  ✓

$k=4$ ,  $M_4 = \mathbb{Z}_{(p)} \cdot Q$  because if  $f \in M_4$ ,  $f = a_0(t) \cdot Q$ , and

$a_0(t) \in \mathbb{Z}_{(p)}$  ✓.

$k=6$ ,  $M_6 = \mathbb{Z}_{(p)} \cdot R$  similarly.

$k=8$ ,  $M_8 = \mathbb{Z}_{(p)} \cdot Q^2$  "

$k=10$ ,  $M_{10} = \mathbb{Z}_{(p)} \cdot QR$

Assume now  $k \geq 12$ . Let  $f \in M_k$ . Choose  $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}_{\neq 0}$  s.t.

$4a + 6b = k$  cusp forms with coeffs in  $\mathbb{Z}_{(p)}$

Let  $f_0 = f - a_0(t) Q^a R^b \in S_k \subseteq M_k$

So  $\exists g \in M_{k-12} \oplus \mathbb{C} \cap M_k$  s.t.  $f_0 = g \cdot \Delta$

Claim:  $g \in M_{k-12}$ .

pf Note that  $g = f_0 \Delta^{-1}$  in  $\mathbb{Z}_{(p)}[[Q]]$ . But  $f_0 \Delta^{-1} = f_0 q^{-1} \left(\frac{\Delta}{q}\right)^{-1}$   
 $\mathbb{Z}_{(p)}[[q]]$   
 $\downarrow$   
 $b/c \ a_1(\Delta) = 1$

Now, use induction hypothesis:  $g = G(Q, R)$ ,  $G \in \mathbb{Z}_{(p)}[Q, R]$ .

Then  $f_0 = g \cdot \Delta$ . As  $\Delta = \frac{Q^3 - R^2}{1728}$ , then  $f_0 = \frac{Q^3 - R^2}{1728} G(Q, R) \in \mathbb{Z}_{(p)}[Q, R]$

and we are done.

Def:  $f \in M_k, g \in M_{k'}$  are said to be congruent mod  $p^r$  if

$$a_n(f) \equiv a_n(g) \pmod{p^r} \quad \forall n \geq 0.$$

Theorem: If  $f \equiv g \pmod{p^r}$  and  $p \nmid k$ , then  $k \equiv k' \pmod{(p-1)p^{r-1}}$   
( $r \geq 1$ ) ^ avoid getting "stupider congruence".

To prove the theorem, consider first the case  $r=1$ .

Def: The space of modular forms mod  $p$ , denoted  $\bar{M}$ , is the natural image of  $M \otimes \mathbb{F}_p$  in  $\mathbb{F}_p[[q]]$

(coming from  $M \hookrightarrow \mathbb{Z}_{(p)}[[q]]$ , get  $M \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}_{(p)}} \mathbb{F}_p \rightarrow \mathbb{F}_p[[q]]$ , not injective anymore!).

• Structure of  $\bar{M}$ :

We need to study the kernel of the surjective map  $\pi: M \otimes \mathbb{F}_p \rightarrow \mathbb{F}_p[[q]]$ .

Recall that (C-VS)  $E_{p-1} \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$ .

Def: The polynomial  $A(X, Y) \in \mathbb{F}_p[X, Y]$  of degree  $p-1$  satisfying

$$E_{p-1} = A(Q, R)$$

is called the Hasse polynomial, or the Hasse invariant.

Obviously,  $A-1 \in \text{Ker } \pi$ .

RR:  $A-1$  is not homogeneous! (b/c of the  $-1$ ).

We will next show that  $\text{Ker } \pi = (A-1)$ .

Theorem:  $\text{Ker } \pi = (A-1)$

Step 1: It is enough to show that  $A-1$  is irreducible, so that  $(A-1)$  is prime:

$$\text{If } (A-1) \notin \text{Ker } \pi \triangleleft \mathbb{F}_p[x, y],$$

as  $\mathbb{F}_p[x, y]$  is 2-dimensional,  $\text{Ker } \pi$  is maximal.

This would imply that  $\bar{A} = \frac{\mathbb{F}_p[x, y]}{\text{Ker } \pi}$  is finite field.

But  $\pi|_{\mathbb{A}_k \otimes \mathbb{F}_p}$  is injective, hence  $\dim_{\mathbb{F}_p} \bar{A} = \infty \rightarrow !!$

Step 2: It is enough to show that  $A(x, y)$  has no multiple factors.

Why: Suppose that  $A(x, y) - 1$  has a nontrivial irreducible factor,

say  $G(x, y)$ .

Then  $\deg G(x, y) < \deg A(x, y) = p-1$   
homog. of degree  $r < p-1$

Write  $G = G_r(x, y) + (\text{homog. terms of lower degree})$ .

For  $\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_p^*$ , order of  $\lambda = p-1$

$$G(\lambda^4 x, \lambda^6 y) \mid A(\lambda^4 x, \lambda^6 y) - 1 = \lambda^{p-1} A(x, y) - 1 = A(x, y) - 1$$

So we get another divisor of  $A(x, y) - 1$ .

Note that  $G(\lambda^4 x, \lambda^6 y) = \lambda^r G_r(x, y) + \dots$   
 $\neq 1$  bc  $r < p-1$ .

So  $G(x, y)$  and  $G(\lambda^4 x, \lambda^6 y)$  are different.

Hence  $G(x, y) G(\lambda^4 x, \lambda^6 y) \mid A(x, y) - 1$ .

Looking at the leading terms; get:

$$\lambda^r G_r(x, y)^2 \mid A(x, y) \Rightarrow A(x, y) \text{ has a multiple factor } \checkmark$$

The fact that  $A(x,y)$  has no repeated factors is a classical result. We will see more about it later, but note that, assuming this fact, we have proven:

$$\bar{M} \cong \mathbb{F}_p[Q,R] / (A-1)$$

Then  $\bar{M}$  has a natural grading by  $\frac{z}{(p-1)z}$  (note that  $\deg A = p-1 \equiv 0 \pmod{p-1}$ )

So write  $\bar{M} = \bigoplus_{j=0}^{p-2} \bar{M}_j$  where  $\bar{M}_j = \text{image of } \bigoplus_{\substack{k \equiv j \\ \pmod{p-1}}} M_k \otimes \mathbb{F}_p \text{ in } \mathbb{F}_p[[z]]$ .

Now, suppose that  $f \in M_k, g \in M_{k'}$ .

Write  $\bar{f} = F(Q,R), \bar{g} = G(Q,R)$ . (Assume  $p \nmid f$ )

If  $f \equiv g \pmod{p}$ , then  $\bar{f} = \bar{g}$

$$F - G \in \ker \pi \Rightarrow \deg F = \deg G \pmod{p-1} \Rightarrow k \equiv k' \pmod{p-1}.$$

This is the main theorem, for the case  $r=1$ .

### Differential operators:

$$\text{Define } \theta = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \frac{d}{dz} = q \frac{d}{dq}$$

$$\text{So } \theta \left( \sum a_n q^n \right) = \sum n a_n q^n$$

The operator  $\theta$  operates nicely on  $q$ -expansions, but doesn't preserve  $M$ !

$$\text{Let } f \in M_k. \text{ Then } f\left(\frac{az+b}{cz+d}\right) = (cz+d)^k f(z).$$

Apply  $\theta$  to both sides:

$$(cz+d)^{-2} \theta \left( f\left(\frac{az+b}{cz+d}\right) \right) = (cz+d)^k (\theta f)(z) + k \cdot c \cdot (cz+d)^{k-1} f(z).$$

The computation from the previous page yields:

$$(\theta f) \left( \frac{az+b}{cz+d} \right) = (cz+d)^{k+2} (\theta f)(z) + kc(cz+d)^{k+1} f(z)$$

We will now modify  $\theta$  so that it preserves  $M$ :

Def:  $\partial_k := 12\theta - k\rho$  ( $\rho = E_z$ ).

Theorem:  $\partial_k$  maps  $M_k$  to  $M_{k+2}$

Pf  $(\rho \cdot f) \left( \frac{az+b}{cz+d} \right) = (cz+d)^{k+2} (\rho \cdot f)(z) + \frac{12c}{2\pi i} (cz+d)^{k+1} f(z)$

so letting  $\partial_k = 12\theta - k\rho$ , we cancel the "parasitic" term. //

Aside: a note about PB 3, Assignment 4.

Thm: Let  $\Gamma$  be a congruence subgroup of  $SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$ .

Let  $g = \text{genus} \left( \mathbb{H} / \Gamma \right) = \dim S_2(\Gamma)$ .

Let  $t = \# \text{cusps} = \# \left( \mathbb{H} / \Gamma \right) = \# [PSL_2(\mathbb{Z}) : \Gamma]$ .

Then:  $\dim_{\mathbb{C}} (M^{\Gamma}) = 2g + t - 1$ .

Pf (sketch).

Let  $\mathcal{F} := \text{space of } k\text{-valued functions on } P_1(\mathbb{C})$ .

$\mathcal{M} := \text{space of } k\text{-valued modular symbols}$

Then we have an exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow k \rightarrow \mathcal{F} \xrightarrow{d} \mathcal{M} \rightarrow 0$$
$$f \mapsto (df)_{\text{horiz}} = g(y) - g(x)$$

The congruence subgroup  $\Gamma$  acts on these spaces

Taking the  $\Gamma$ -group cohomology, get:

$$0 \rightarrow K \rightarrow \mathbb{F}^\Gamma \rightarrow M^\Gamma \xrightarrow{\delta} H^1(\Gamma, K) \rightarrow H^1(\Gamma, \mathbb{F}) \rightarrow H^1(\Gamma, M) \rightarrow \dots$$

Fact:  $\dim H^1(\Gamma, K) = 2g + t - 1$ .

(it's the abelianization of the fundamental gp of a surface of genus  $g$ , with  $t$  points removed).

Now write  $\mathbb{F} = \bigoplus_{x \in \mathbb{F}/\Gamma} \text{Incl}_{\Gamma_x}^\Gamma K$ .

$\Gamma_x$  ← stabilizer of  $x$ .

By Shapiro's lemma,  $H^1(\Gamma, \mathbb{F}) = H^1(\Gamma, \bigoplus_{x \in \mathbb{F}/\Gamma} \text{Incl}_{\Gamma_x}^\Gamma K) = \bigoplus_{x \in \mathbb{F}/\Gamma} H^1(\Gamma_x, K)$

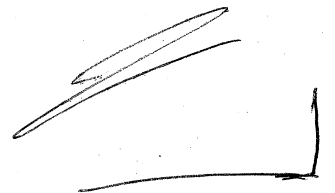
As  $\Gamma$  acts trivially on  $K$ ,

$$H^1(\Gamma_x, K) = \text{Hom}(\Gamma_x, K) \simeq K.$$

So  $\dim_K H^1(\Gamma, \mathbb{F}) = t$

Finally, one needs to analyze the kernel of  $H^1(\Gamma, \mathbb{F}) \rightarrow H^1(\Gamma, M)$ ,  
to show that it's one-dimensional.

Reference: Chapter II of H. Dorman's "Rational Points on Elliptic Curves".





Complementary Proposition:

$$12\theta P - P^2 \in M_4$$

Remark: There is no 2 in front of  $P^2$ ! ( $12\theta f - \textcircled{K}Pf \dots$ ).

Proof: exercise!

Formulae: write  $\partial_k := 12\theta - kP$  (so  $\partial_k f = \frac{12}{20i} \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} - kP f$ )

$$12\theta P - P^2 = -Q$$

$$\partial_4 Q = 12\theta Q - 4PQ = -4R$$

$$\partial_6 R = 12\theta R - 6PR = -6Q^2$$

From this, we get:

$$\theta P = \frac{P^2 - Q}{12}$$

$$\theta Q = \frac{PQ - R}{3}$$

$$\theta R = \frac{PR - Q^2}{2}$$

and so we find that  $\theta$  acts as a derivation on  $\mathbb{Z}_{(P)}[P, Q, R]$ ,  
and on its image in  $\mathbb{Z}_{(P)}[[q]]$ .

Define  $\partial := \bigoplus_{k=0}^{\infty} \partial_k = M \rightarrow M$ , which is a derivation of weight 2:

$$\partial(fg) = (\partial f) \cdot g + f \cdot \partial g$$

(that means that, if  $f$  has weight  $k$  and  $g$  has weight  $l$ , then

$$\partial_{k+l}(fg) = \partial_k f \cdot g + f \cdot \partial_l g.$$

• Differential equation satisfied by A.

Let  $B(x, y)$  be the unique homogeneous polynomial of degree  $p+1$

such that  $B(Q, R) = E_{p+1} \leftarrow \text{not } p-1!$

Recall that  $E_{p+1} = E_2^{p+1} \pmod{p}$  [b/c  $p+1 \equiv 2 \pmod{p-1}$ ].

As  $M \cong \mathbb{Z}_{(p)}[Q, R]$ ,  $\partial$  acts also on polynomials:

Def If  $F \in \mathbb{Z}_{(p)}[X, Y]$  is homogeneous of degree  $k$ ,

$\partial F :=$  unique hom poly of deg  $k+2$  s.t.  $(\partial F)(Q, R) = \partial_k(F(Q, R))$ .

(so  $\partial_y X = -4Y$ ,  $\partial_x Y = -6X^2$ ).


Thm: 1)  $\partial A = B$

2)  $\partial B = -QA$

Pf 1)  $(\partial A)(Q, R) = 12 \partial E_{p-1} - (p-1) P E_{p-1}$

In  $\mathbb{F}_p[[Q]]$ , this is  $\equiv 0 + P \cdot 1 \equiv P \equiv E_{p+1}$ .

Hence  $\partial A = B$ . (b/c  $\deg(\partial A) = \deg B$ ).

2) is done in the same way. (exercise). 

This will allow us to prove that  $A(x, y)$  has no multiple factors, and thus give the structure of the modular forms mod  $p$ .

Theorem:  $A(x, y)$  has no multiple factors in  $\mathbb{F}_p[x, y]$ .

Pf Suppose that  $F(x, y)$  is an irreducible polynomial such that  $F^a \parallel A$ ,  $a > 1$ .

As  $A$  is homogeneous,  $F$  will be as well.

Write  $A = F^a \tilde{A}$ ,  $F \nmid \tilde{A}$ .

Differentiating, we get:

$$B = \partial A = a F^{a-1} (\partial F) \tilde{A} + F^a (\partial \tilde{A}).$$

Note that  $\partial F$  is not divisible by  $F$  (b/c there are no "polynomials" of degree  $\geq 2$  ( $M_2 = 0$ )).

So  $(F, \partial F) = 1$ , and

$$B = \partial A = F^{a-1} \tilde{B}, \quad \text{with } (F, \tilde{B}) = 1.$$

Differentiating again ( $a-1 > 0$ ):

$$-\partial A = \partial^2 A = (a-1) F^{a-2} (\partial F) \tilde{B} + F^{a-1} (\partial \tilde{B}).$$

$$\text{So } -\partial A = F^{a-2} \cdot C, \quad \text{with } \gcd(C, F) = 1. \Rightarrow !!$$

because  $F^a \mid A$ !

Rk:  $a$  and  $a-1$  are nonzero, because  $\deg A = p-1$ , so  $a < p-1$ . mod  $p$ !

Remark: we have also shown that  $\gcd(A, B) = 1$ .

So far, we have the main theorem ( $f \equiv 0 \pmod{p^r} \Rightarrow k \equiv k' \pmod{(p-1)p^{r-1}}$  proved for the case  $r=1$ ).

Remark:  $\bar{M} = \frac{\mathbb{F}_p[Q, R]}{(A-1)} = \bigoplus_{j=0}^{p-2} \bar{M}_j$  ← grading on  $\mathbb{Z}/p-1$ .

This implies at once our thm (for  $r=1$ ).

Goal: Prove it for any  $r > 1$ .

For this, we introduce the filtration.

Def: The filtration, or weight of  $f \in \bar{M}_j$  is the ~~smallest~~ least  $k = w(f)$  such that  $f = F(Q, R)$  for some polynomial of degree  $k$ .

So  $k \equiv j \pmod{p-1}$

Properties: would have equality if  $A$  was irreducible, but it never is!

•  $w(fg) \leq w(f) + w(g)$ .

•  $w(f+g) \leq \max\{w(f), w(g)\}$ . (if  $w(f) = w(g)$ ,  $w(f+g)$  may decrease)

Define then  $\bar{M}_j^k := \{f \in \bar{M}_j : w(f) \leq k\}$ .

Then  $\bar{M}_j$  is filtered by these submodules.

$$\bar{M}_j^j \subseteq \bar{M}_j^{j+(p-1)} \subseteq \bar{M}_j^{j+2(p-1)} \subseteq \dots \subseteq \bar{M}_j$$

Crucial Remark:  $\theta$  preserves  $\bar{M}$ . More precisely,  $\theta(\bar{M}_j) \subseteq \bar{M}_{j+2}$ , for  $j \in \mathbb{Z}/(p-1)\mathbb{Z}$ .

pf Just note that the image of  $\mathbb{Z}_{(p)}[P, Q, R]$  in  $\mathbb{F}_p[[q]]$  equals image of  $\mathbb{Z}_{(p)}[E_{p+1}, Q, R] = \text{image of } \mathbb{Z}_{(p)}[Q, R] = \bar{M}$ .

As  $\theta$  preserves  $\mathbb{Z}_{(p)}[P, Q, R]$ , then it preserves  $\bar{M}$ .

We want to understand now how  $\theta$  interacts with the filtration.

Prop: Let  $f \in \bar{U}$ .

a)  ~~$w(\theta f) \leq w(f) + (p+1)$~~

b)  $w(\theta f) = w(f) + (p-1) \iff p \nmid w(f)$

c) If  $p \mid w(f)$ , then  $w(\theta f) \leq w(f) + 2$ .

*Pl deferred*

Examples of the Hasse invariant.

$p=5 \rightarrow A(Q, R) = Q$

$p=7 \rightarrow A(Q, R) = R$

$p=11 \rightarrow A(Q, R) = QR$

$p=13 \rightarrow A(Q, R) = \alpha Q^3 + \beta R^2$

Q: What are  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{Z}/13\mathbb{Z}$ ?

Exercise.

We want to see now how this theory help us on our guiding problem.

Prop: If  $f \in M_K \otimes \mathbb{Q}$ , ~~and~~  $f = \sum_{n \geq 0} a_n(f) q^n$ , and

a)  $(p-1) \nmid K$

b)  $a_n(f) \in \mathbb{Z}_{(p)}$  for all  $n \geq 1$ .

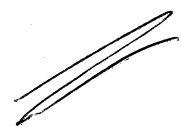
Then:  $a_0(f) \in \mathbb{Z}_{(p)}$  as well.

*Pl* Assume  $p^t \parallel \text{denom}(a_0(f))$ ,  $t \geq 1$  (to get a contradiction).

Consider  $p^t \cdot f \in M_K$ , and let  $g := \text{image of } p^t f \text{ in } \bar{M}_K$ .

Then  $g \equiv c$  in  $\mathbb{F}_p[[q]]$ , where  $c \in \mathbb{F}_p^\times$ . Then by the grading,

$g \in \bar{M}_0$ . But  $g \in \bar{M}_K$  as well, contradicting  $(p-1) \nmid K$ .



Q: What is  $(p-1) | k$ ?

The Prop is never true, as  $E_{p-1} \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$ . Or, if we want,

$$G_k = \sum_{n \geq 0} (1-k) + 2 \sum \sigma_{k-1}(n) q^n$$

In  $C$ -VS,  $p \nmid \sum (1-k) \in \mathbb{Z}_{(p)}$ , where  $t-1 = v_p(k-1)$ .

We will show that this counterexample is, in some sense, as bad as it gets.

Theorem: If  $f = \sum a_n(q) q^n \in M_k \otimes \mathbb{Q}$  and  $a_n(q) \in \mathbb{Z}_{(p)} \forall n \geq 1$ ,

and  $(p-1) | k$ , and  $t-1 = v_p(k-1)$ , then:

$$p^t a_0(q) \in \mathbb{Z}_{(p)}$$

~~Pf~~ Defered,

Note that, in the previous easy prop, we used in a crucial way that  $1 \notin \overline{M}_k$ . We will find a modular form that doesn't belong to  $\overline{M}_0$ , and use this for our theorem.

Recall the previous improved Prop:

Prop: Let  $f \in \overline{M}$ .

a) If  $p \nmid w(f)$ , then  $w(\theta f) = w(f) + p + 1$

b) If  $p | w(f)$ , then  $w(\theta f) \leq w(f) + 2$

~~Pf~~ If  $w(f) = k$ , then  $\exists F \in \mathbb{F}_p[Q, R]$  of deg  $k$  st  $F(Q, R) = f$ , and  $A \nmid F$ .

$12\theta f = \underbrace{\partial_k f}_{\text{weight } k+2} + kP f$ . So define  $\partial_k F$  st  $(\partial_k F)(Q, R) = \partial_k f$ ,

So  $\partial_k F$  is a hor. poly. of deg  $k+2$ .

↓

(cont of prop)

So we get:

we defined it last time.  
It's the one that represents  $P = E_{p+1}$

$$(\partial_k F)(Q, R) + \underbrace{k \cdot F(Q, R)}_{\text{wt } k} \cdot \underbrace{B(Q, R)}_{p+1}$$

Hence:

$$12 \theta f = A(Q, R) (\partial_k F)(Q, R) + k B(Q, R) F(Q, R)$$

and RHS = hom. poly - of degree  $k + (p+1)$ . So  $w(\theta f) \leq k + (p+1)$ .

We proved that  $\gcd(A, B) = 1$ . Hence  $A \nmid B(Q, R) F(Q, R)$ .

Hence, if  $p \nmid k$ ,  $w(\theta f) = w(f) + p + 1$ .

But if  $p \mid k$ , then this gets simplified to:

$$12 \theta f = (\partial_k F)(Q, R) \Rightarrow w(\theta f) \leq k + 2.$$

Theorem: If  $(p-1) \mid k$ , then  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sigma_{k-1}(n) q^n \in \mathbb{F}_p[[q]]$  doesn't  
~~belong~~ belong to  $\overline{M_0}$ , or even to  $\text{Frac}(\overline{M_0})$ .

Remark: If  $(p-1) \nmid k$ , then  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sigma_{k-1}(n) q^n$  does belong to  $\overline{M_k}$  if  $p \nmid 5(1-k)$ .

(e.g.  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sigma_{11}(n) q^n \in \overline{M_k}$  for  $p = 591$ ).

Pf

$$\sigma_{k-1}(n) = \sum_{d \mid n} d^{k-1} \stackrel{\text{write } n = p^t n', p \nmid n'}{\equiv} \sum_{d \mid n'} d^{k-1} \equiv \sum_{d \mid n'} d^{-1}$$

In particular, if  $p \nmid n$ , then  $\sigma_{k-1}(n) \equiv \sigma_{-1}(n) \equiv \sum_{d \mid n} \frac{1}{d}$ .

So  $n \sigma_{-1}(n) = \sigma_1(n) \ (\forall p \nmid n)$ .

✓

(cont of Thm).

Let  $\varphi = \sum_{n \geq 1} \sigma_{k-1}(n) q^n$ . Then  $\theta \varphi = \sum_{n \geq 1} \sigma_k(n) q^n \stackrel{\text{why?}}{=} \theta^{p-1} E_{p+1}$ .

$\left. \begin{array}{l} n^{p-1} \equiv 1 \text{ if } p \nmid n \\ d^p \equiv d \end{array} \right\}$

Let  $\varphi = \sum b(n) q^n$ ,  $\theta^{p-2} E_{p+1} = \sum c(n) q^n$ .

Then, as  $\theta \varphi = \theta \theta^{p-2} E_{p+1}$ , we have ~~that~~

$n b(n) = n c(n) \quad \forall n$ . Hence  $b(n) \equiv c(n) \pmod{p} \quad \forall n$ .

What about  $b(n' p^t)$ ?  $b(n' p^t) = b(n')$ .

On the other side,  $c(n' p^t) = 0$ .

Consider then  $\varphi - \varphi^p$ . It has the same Fourier coeffs as  $\theta^{p-2} E_{p+1}$ .

So  $\varphi - \varphi^p = \theta^{p-2} E_{p+1}$ .

We compute now their weights, to get a contradiction:

$w(\varphi) = k$ , and  $w(\varphi^p) = p k$  (if  $A \nmid F$ , then  $A \nmid F^p$ ).

To compute  $w(\varphi - \varphi^p)$ , we need to take:

$\varphi - \varphi^p = F(Q, R) \cdot A^k(Q, R) - F^p(Q, R)$  is not divisible by  $A$ ,

so that  $w(\varphi - \varphi^p) = p k$ .

On the other hand,  $w(E_{p+1}) = p+1$ ,  $w(\theta E_{p+1}) = 2(p+1)$ , ...  ~~$w(\theta^{p-2} E_{p+1}) =$~~

$w(\theta^{p-2} E_{p+1}) = (p-1)(p+1) = p^2 - 1$  (by our prev. Prop).

This is a contradiction, as  $p^2 - 1 \neq p k$  !!

So  $\varphi - \varphi^p \notin \overline{M}_0$ . But  $\overline{M}_0$  is integrally closed, so  $\varphi \notin \overline{M}_0$ , or ~~to the Fraction field.~~



We now go a little back, to prove:

Thm: If  $f = \sum a_n(f) x^n \in M_k \otimes \mathbb{Q}$  and  $a_n(f) \in \mathbb{Z}_{(p)}$ ,  $\forall n \geq 1$ ,  
and  $(p-1) | k$ ,  $t = v_p(k) + 1$ .

Then:  $p^t a_0(f) \in \mathbb{Z}_{(p)}$ .


pf

Assume that  $p^{t_1} \parallel \text{denom}(a_0(f))$ , with  $t_1 > t$ . want to get a contradiction.

Consider:

$$p^{t_1} \left( \sum (1-k) f - a_0(f) G_k \right) =: g.$$

Note that  $a_0(g) = 0$ , and  $a_n(g) \equiv \lambda \sigma_{k-1}(n) \pmod{p}$ ,  $\lambda \in (\mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z})^\times$ .

But then  $\bar{g} = \lambda \varphi$ , which contradicts the previous proposition. 

Corollary: If  $f \in M_k \otimes \mathbb{Q}$ ,  $g \in M_\ell \otimes \mathbb{Q}$ , and  $a_n(f), a_n(g) \in \mathbb{Z}_{(p)}$ .

Then, if  $\begin{cases} a_n(f) \equiv a_n(g) \pmod{p^t} \quad \forall n \geq 1 \\ k \equiv \ell \pmod{(p-1)p^{t-1}} \end{cases}$ , then:

a) If  $(p-1) \nmid k$  (and hence  $(p-1) \nmid \ell$ ), then  $a_0(f) \equiv a_0(g) \pmod{p^t}$ .


b) If  $(p-1) | k$  (and hence  $(p-1) | \ell$ ), then:

$$p^{t_0} a_0(f) \equiv p^{t_0} a_0(g) \pmod{p^t}, \quad \text{for } t_0 = v_p(k) + 1$$

Proof:

Apply the previous result to  $P^{-t} (f - E_h g) \in M_k$  (assume wlog  $k > \ell$ )  
 $k = \ell + h, (p-1) | h$ .

Then  $a_n(h) \in \mathbb{Z}_{(p)}$  for  $n \geq 1 \Rightarrow a_0(h) \in \mathbb{Z}_{(p)}$  (part a).

Part (b) is proven similarly. 

Key Application: Congruences of Clausen-VonStaudt type for totally-real fields.

Let  $K/\mathbb{Q}$  be a totally real field.

$$\zeta_K(s) := \sum_{\mathfrak{a} \neq \mathfrak{O}_K} (N\mathfrak{a})^{-s} = \prod_{\mathfrak{p} \neq \mathfrak{O}_K} (1 - (N\mathfrak{p})^{-s})^{-1}$$

( $\zeta_K(1-k) \equiv 0$  for  $k \geq 2$  if  $K$  is not totally real. Hence our assumption)

Denote by  $r := [K:\mathbb{Q}]$ , and let  $\iota_1, \dots, \iota_r: K \hookrightarrow \mathbb{R}$  the distinct embeddings.

If  $x \in K$ , write  $x_j := \iota_j(x) \in \mathbb{R}$ .

We get then an embedding  $K \hookrightarrow \mathbb{R}^r$ . The image of  $\mathfrak{O}_K$  is a lattice in  $\mathbb{R}^r$ , of rank  $r$ .

Theorem (Hecke, Siegel): The values  $\zeta_K(1-k)$ , for  $k \geq 2$  even are all rational nonzero (and occur as the constant term of a particular modular form of weight  $r-k$  on  $SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$ ).

Pf (sketch):

Uses Eisenstein series on the Hilbert Modular group:  $SL_2(\mathfrak{O}_K)$ .

Using  $\iota_1, \dots, \iota_r$ , can embed  $SL_2(\mathfrak{O}_K) \hookrightarrow SL_2(\mathbb{R})^r$

Then  $SL_2(\mathfrak{O}_K)$  acts on  $\mathcal{H}^r$  ( $r$  copies of the upper half plane), with discrete orbits.

This leads to the notion of Hilbert modular forms:

$f(z_1, \dots, z_r)$  holomorphic on  $\mathcal{H}^r$  which satisfies:

$$f\left(\frac{a_1 z_1 + b_1}{c_1 z_1 + d_1}, \frac{a_2 z_2 + b_2}{c_2 z_2 + d_2}, \dots, \frac{a_r z_r + b_r}{c_r z_r + d_r}\right) = (c_1 z_1 + d_1)^k \dots (c_r z_r + d_r)^k f(z_1, \dots, z_r)$$

(+ assumption at cusps).

(confirms sketch of  $\mathbb{P}^1$ )

Let  $I$  be an (integral) ideal of  $\mathcal{O}_K$ . Define:

$$G_{I, k}(\tau_1, \dots, \tau_r) := \sum_{(m, n) \in \frac{I^2 \cdot (\mathcal{O}_K)^r}{\mathcal{O}_K^k}} (m_1, \tau_1 + n_1)^{-k} \dots (m_r, \tau_r + n_r)^{-k}$$

This definition depends only on the ideal class of  $I$  (in  $\mathcal{C}l(K)$ ).

The Eisenstein series for  $K$  are then:

$$G_{K, k}(\tau_1, \dots, \tau_r) := \sum_{I \in \mathcal{C}l(K)} G_{I, k}$$

Basic properties of  $G_{K, k}$ :

a)  $G_{K, k}(\gamma_1 \tau_1, \dots, \gamma_r \tau_r) = (\tau_1 + d_1)^k \dots (\tau_r + d_r)^k G_{K, k}(\tau_1, \dots, \tau_r)$   
 for all  $\gamma \in SL_2(\mathcal{O}_K)$ . (even for  $k=2$ ).

b) Fourier expansions:

Let  $\delta :=$  different ideal. (dual of  $\mathcal{O}_K$  w.r.t  $\text{Tr}: K \times K \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ ).

$$G_{K, k} = \zeta_K(1-k) + 2^r \sum_{\substack{n \in \delta^{-1} \\ n \gg 0}} \sigma_{k-1}(\delta n) e^{2\pi i (n_1 \tau_1 + \dots + n_r \tau_r)}$$

where  $n \gg 0$  means that  $n_1 \gg 0, \dots, n_r \gg 0$ .

$$\sigma_{k-1}(I) := \sum_{J|I} N(J)^{k-1} \text{ for } I \text{ an integral ideal.}$$

The calculation to prove these properties is completely analogous to the one done for the classical Eisenstein series.

(For more reading: Thesis of Pierre Chardonis).

(continues the sketch of  $\rho$ ).

Define then:

$$g_k(\tau) := G_{k,x}(\tau, \tau, \dots, \tau).$$

This is a modular form of weight  $kr$  on  $SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$ , with Fourier coeffs in  $\mathbb{C}$ . (a priori).

$$g_k = \zeta_k(1-k) + 2^r \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{\substack{x \in \delta^{-1} \\ x >> 0 \\ \text{Tr}(x) = n}} \sigma_{k-1}(\delta x) \right) e^{2\pi i n \tau}$$

$$\text{Then, } a_n(g_k) = \sum_{\substack{x \in \delta^{-1} \\ x >> 0 \\ \text{Tr}(x) = n}} \sum_{\mathbb{I}|\delta x} (N\mathbb{I})^{k-1} \leftarrow \text{finite sums!}$$

Theorem: Suppose that

- a)  $k_1 \equiv k_2 \pmod{(p-1)p^{t-1}}$
- b)  $k_1, k_2 \not\equiv \frac{t}{2}$
- c)  $(p-1) \nmid k_1$  (and hence  $k_2$ )

$$\text{Then } \zeta_k(1-k_1) \equiv \zeta_k(1-k_2) \pmod{p^t}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{pf } a_n(g_{k_1}) \equiv a_n(g_{k_2}) \pmod{p^t} \quad \forall n \neq 1 \\ \text{Also, } k_1 \equiv k_2 \pmod{(p-1)p^{t-1}} \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \text{per result} \\ \Rightarrow a_0(g_{k_1}) \equiv a_0(g_{k_2}) \pmod{p^t} \end{array}$$

Theorem': Suppose that (a) and (b), but:

- c')  $(p-1) \mid k_1$  (and hence  $k_2$ ), and let  $t_0 := v_p(k_1) + 1 < t$

$$\text{Then: } p^{t_0} \zeta_k(1-k_1) \equiv p^{t_0} \zeta_k(1-k_2) \pmod{p^t}.$$

Exercise (analogous).

Def: A p-adic modular form (in the sense of Serre) is a limit, in  $\mathbb{Z}_p[[q]]$ , of forms  $\{f_k\}$  of possibly varying weights  $k$ .

Theorem: Suppose that  $f \in M_k, g \in M_l$ . Assume that  $f \equiv g \pmod{p^t}$ . ( $t \geq 1$ )

Then:  $k \equiv l \pmod{(p-1)p^{t-1}}$ .

Proof: The case  $t=1$  was proved in the context of mod  $p$  modular forms.

Also,  $f \equiv g$ , so  $k \equiv l \pmod{p-1}$ .  
Assume WLOG that  $k > l$ , write  $k = l + h$ .

Consider  $f - g \cdot E_h = \underbrace{f - g}_{\substack{\text{divisible} \\ \text{by } p^t}} + g(1 - E_h)$

Let  $t_0 := \nu_p(h) + 1$  (altho, want to prove that  $t_0 \geq t$ ).

So assume that  $t_0 < t$ .

Then  $M_k \ni \frac{f - g E_h}{p^{t_0}} = \frac{f - g}{p^{t_0}} + g \left( \frac{1 - E_h}{p^{t_0}} \right)$ .

Reducing, the first summand goes away. So we get:

$$\bar{g} \cdot \varphi \in \overline{M_0}, \text{ where } \varphi = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sigma_{h-1}(n) q^n.$$

This means that  $\varphi \in \text{Frac}(\overline{M_0})$  - which is a contradiction, since  $(p-1) | h$ .

Corollary: A p-adic modular form  $f = \sum_i \frac{f_i}{p^i}$  has a well-defined weight in  $\mathbb{Z}/(p-1) \times \mathbb{Z}_p$ ,  $k(f) = \sum_i k_i$ .



We want to extend the results of the previous lectures to the case of  $F$  a number field, not necessarily totally real.

Exercise: Show that, if  $F$  is not totally real, then  $\zeta_F(1-n) = 0 \quad \forall n > 0$ .

From now on, we focus on the case  $F = \underline{\text{quadratic imaginary field}}$ .

Assume also (although this wouldn't be necessary) that  $h(F) = 1$  (i.e.  $\mathcal{O}_F$  is a PID).

Iden:  $\zeta_F(s) = \frac{1}{\#\mathcal{O}_F^\times} \sum_{\alpha \in \mathcal{O}_F \setminus \{0\}} (\alpha \bar{\alpha})^{-s}$

Choose a complex embedding  $K \hookrightarrow \mathbb{C}$  and consider then only the powers of  $\alpha$ , instead of their norm.

Def:  $\zeta_F(n_1, n_2) := \sum_{\alpha \in \mathcal{O}_F} \alpha^{-n_1} \bar{\alpha}^{-n_2}$  ("Hurwitz Numbers")

( $n_1, n_2 \in \mathbb{Z}$  because  $\alpha$  is a complex number, so have otherwise problems with the choice of the branch of logarithm).

Basic Properties:

- 1) Converges (absolutely) if  $n_1 + n_2 > 2$ .
- 2) If  $n_1 \not\equiv n_2 \pmod{2}$ , then  $\zeta_F(n_1, n_2) = 0$  (b/c  $-1 \in \mathcal{O}_F^\times$ ).
- 3)  $\zeta_F(n_1, n_2) = \overline{\zeta_F(n_2, n_1)}$  (Remark: as  $\mathcal{O}_F$  is stable under  $\alpha \mapsto \bar{\alpha}$ ,  $\overline{\zeta_F(n_2, n_1)} = \zeta_F(n_2, n_1)$ ).
- 4)  $\zeta_F(n, n) = \zeta_F(n)$  ← the usual definition.

Q: What are the critical values (in the sense of Deligne).

Relation between  $\zeta_F(n_1, n_2)$  and special values of Hecke L-series.

Given  $r \geq 0$ , define  $f_r := \sum_{\alpha \in \mathbb{Q}^{\times \neq 0}} \alpha^r q^{\alpha \bar{\alpha}}$

Claim:  $f_r$  is a modular form of weight  $r+1$  on  $\Gamma_0(D)$ ,  $D = \text{disc}(F)$   
with character  $\epsilon_F : G_{\mathbb{Q}} \rightarrow \{\pm 1\}$  (action of  $G_{\mathbb{Q}}$  on  $F$ ).

Recall: For any quadratic form  $Q$  on  $\Lambda$  (a lattice), then  $\theta_Q = \sum_{v \in \Lambda \setminus \{0\}} q^{Q(v)}$   
is a modular form of weight  $\frac{1}{2} \text{rank}(\Lambda)$ .

More generally, for any  $P$  a harmonic polynomial, with  $P(0) = 0$

$\theta_{P, Q} := \sum P(v) q^{Q(v)}$  is also a modular form (a cusp form, actually),  
of weight  $\frac{1}{2} \text{rank}(\Lambda) + \deg P$ .

In our case, the weight is  $r+1$ .

Lemma: Suppose that  $r_2 = n_2 - n_1 \geq 0$ .

Then  $\zeta_F(n_1, n_2) = L(f_r, n_2)$

$$\zeta_F(n_1, n_2) = \sum_{\alpha \neq 0} \alpha^{-n_1} \bar{\alpha}^{-n_2} = \sum_{\alpha \neq 0} \alpha^{n_2 - n_1} (\alpha \bar{\alpha})^{-n_2}, \quad f_r = \sum_{\alpha \neq 0} \alpha^{n_2 - n_1} q^{\alpha \bar{\alpha}}$$

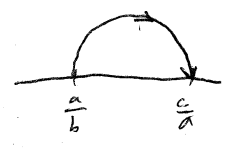
On the other hand,  $L(f_r, s) = \sum \alpha^{n_2 - n_1} (\alpha \bar{\alpha})^{-s}$



Theorem (Shimura): Let  $f$  be a <sup>normalized eigenform (cusp)</sup> ~~modular form~~ of weight  $k \geq 2$ .

Then there exist periods  $\Omega_f^+$  ( ~~$\Omega_f$~~ ) such that:

$$\operatorname{Re} \left( \int_{a/b}^{c/d} f(\tau) P(\tau) d\tau \right) \in \Omega_f^+ \bar{\mathbb{Q}}$$



for all  $\frac{a}{b}, \frac{c}{d} \in \mathbb{P}_1(\mathbb{Q})$ , and for all  $P(\tau) \in \bar{\mathbb{Q}}[\tau]^{\deg \leq k-2}$

(note that  $S_L(z) \in \bar{\mathbb{Q}}[z]^{\deg \leq k-2}$  by  $(p|_k \gamma)(z) = P\left(\frac{az+b}{cz+d}\right)(cz+d)^{k-2}$ )

(omitted proof)

In particular,

$$\operatorname{Re} \left( \int_0^{i\infty} f(\tau) \tau^m d\tau \right) / \Omega_f^+ \in \bar{\mathbb{Q}} \quad 0 \leq m \leq k-2.$$

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 $L(f, m+1)$  (for  $m$  even, if it is odd, then have  $\Omega_f^-$  and one takes  $\operatorname{Im}$  instead of  $\operatorname{Re}$ ).

So there is a critical range (namely  $1 \leq m \leq k-1$ ) for which we expect algebraicity of the special values of  $L(f, m)$ .

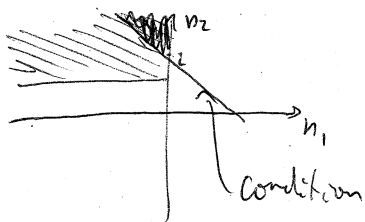
(note: for  $k=2$ , there is only the "critical point").

Recall now that  $\zeta_F(n_1, n_2) = L(f, n_2)$ .

So we will suppose  $\begin{cases} n_2 - n_1 \geq 0 \\ n_1 \leq n_2 - n_1 = r \end{cases}$ ;

that is,  $n_2 \geq 1, n_1 \leq 0$

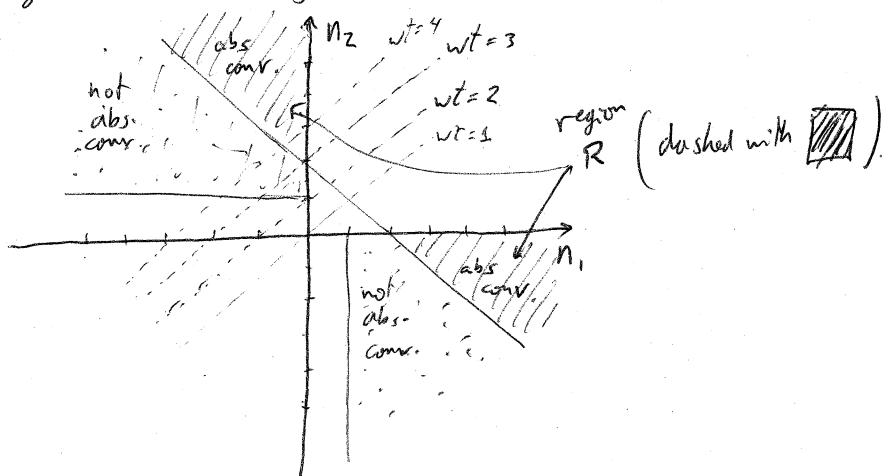
The critical range is then:



← the diagonal is not there!

Also, we must  $n_1 \equiv n_2 \pmod{2}$

Also,  $n_1$  and  $n_2$  can be interchanged (via the functional equation), so we get the following region (critical range):



• Rationality properties of  $\zeta_F(n_1, n_2)$  for  $(n_1, n_2) \in R$

We will focus now on the cone in the 4th quadrant.

key observation: write  $\mathcal{O}_F = \mathbb{Z} + \mathbb{Z}\omega$ ,  $\omega \in \mathcal{H}$  (well defined up to  $SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$ ).

Then  $\zeta_F(k, 0) = G_k(\omega)$ , where  $G_k(\tau) = \sum'_{(m,n)} (m+n\tau)^{-k}$

(the Eisenstein series of weight  $k$ ).

$$\text{Pf: } \zeta_F(k, 0) = \sum_{\alpha \in \mathcal{O}_F \setminus \{0\}} \alpha^{-k} = \sum'_{(m,n)} (m+n\omega)^{-k}$$

The function  $k \mapsto G_k(\omega)$  has  $p$ -adic interpolation. want to replace  $\omega$  by  $\omega$  and get a similar statement.

The problem is that the x-axis and the y-axis (together) are not dense in  $\mathbb{Z}^2$ , so we (practically) and so we don't get good interpolation, we need more points.

Recall the Shimura-Maass operator:

~~$\delta_k = \left(\frac{d}{dz} + \frac{k}{z-\bar{z}}\right) \cdot \frac{1}{2\pi i}$~~   $=: \delta_k$ . But we'll omit the  $\frac{1}{2\pi i}$  for a few lectures!

It is a differential operator that sends:  $M_k \rightarrow M_{k+2}^{nh}$ ,

where  $M_{k+2}^{nh}$  = "nearly holomorphic modular forms of wt  $k+2$ ".

Theorem:  $\delta_k G_k(\omega) = \frac{k}{\omega-\bar{\omega}} \zeta_F(k+1, -1)$

pf:  $\delta_k (m+n\tau)^{-k} = -kn (m+n\tau)^{-k-1} + \frac{k}{z-\bar{z}} (m+n\tau)^{-k} =$   
 $= (m+n\tau)^{-(k+1)} \left( -kn + \frac{k}{z-\bar{z}} (m+n\tau) \right)$   
 $= (m+n\tau)^{-(k+1)} \frac{k(m+n\bar{\tau})}{z-\bar{z}}$

$\sum_{(m,n)} \delta_k G_k(\tau) = \frac{k}{z-\bar{z}} \sum_{(m,n)} (m+n\tau)^{-(k+1)} (m+n\bar{\tau})$

at  $\omega$ , get  $\delta_k G_k(\omega) = \frac{k}{\omega-\bar{\omega}} \sum (m+n\omega)^{-(k+1)} (m+n\bar{\omega}) = \frac{k}{\omega-\bar{\omega}} \zeta_F(k+1, -1)$

This gives us a new row of values in the cone we are looking at.

We want to iterate this:

Thm:  $(\delta_{k+2} \delta_k G_k)(\omega) = \frac{k(k+1)}{(\omega-\bar{\omega})^2} \zeta_F(k+2, -2)$



Proof (this is similar to the general case):

$$\text{We know } \delta_k (m+n\tau)^{-k} = \frac{k}{\tau-\bar{\tau}} (m+n\tau)^{-(k+1)} (m+n\bar{\tau})$$

$$\delta_{k+2} \delta_k (m+n\tau)^{-k} = \frac{-k}{(\tau-\bar{\tau})^2} (m+n\tau)^{-(k+1)} (m+n\bar{\tau}) - \frac{k(k+1) \cdot n}{\tau-\bar{\tau}} (m+n\tau)^{-(k+2)} (m+n\bar{\tau})$$

$$+ \frac{(k+2)k}{(\tau-\bar{\tau})^2} (m+n\tau)^{-(k+1)} (m+n\bar{\tau})$$


$$= \frac{k(k+1)}{(\tau-\bar{\tau})^2} (m+n\tau)^{-(k+1)} (m+n\bar{\tau}) - \frac{k(k+1)n}{\tau-\bar{\tau}} (m+n\tau)^{-(k+2)} (m+n\bar{\tau})$$

$$= \frac{k(k+1)}{(\tau-\bar{\tau})^2} (m+n\tau)^{-(k+2)} (m+n\bar{\tau})^2 \left( \frac{(m+n\tau)}{(m+n\bar{\tau})} - \frac{n(\tau-\bar{\tau})}{(m+n\bar{\tau})} \right)$$

and we conclude the proof as before. 

The general theorem is: define first  $\delta_k^r := \delta_{k+2(r-1)} \circ \delta_{k+2(r-3)} \circ \dots \circ \delta_{k+2} \circ \delta_k$

$$\text{Thm: } \delta_k^r G_k(\omega) = \frac{k(k+1)\dots(k+r-1)}{(\omega-\bar{\omega})^r} \zeta_F(k+r, -r)$$

PF Exercise. ( $r=0,1,2$  is already done). 

Theorem (Shimura): There exists a period  $\Omega$ , depending only on  $\mathbb{F}$ , such that, for all  $f \in M_k$  with Fourier coefficients in  $\mathbb{Q}$ .

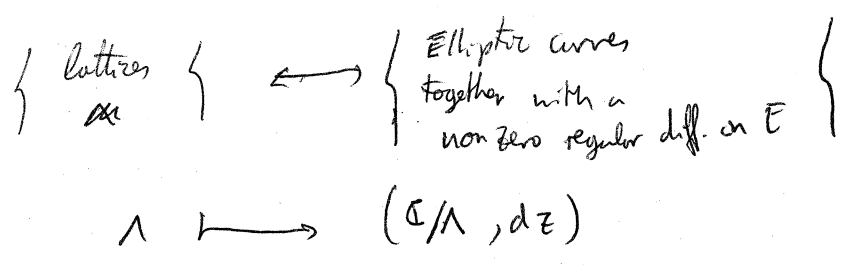
$$\frac{(\delta_k^r f)(\omega)}{\Omega^{k+2r}} \in \overline{\mathbb{Q}}$$

Corollary (to the Thm of Shimura):

$$\frac{\zeta_F(k+r, -r)}{\pi^k \Omega^{k+2r}} \in \overline{\mathbb{Q}}$$

(Pf: B/C  $\frac{G_k}{\pi^{2k}}$  has rational Fourier coefficients)

Recall now that there is a bijection:



$$\langle \int_{\gamma} \omega : \text{res}_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{C}/\Lambda) \rangle \longleftrightarrow (E, \omega)$$

Algebraic Modular Forms.

Def: An algebraic modular form <sup>of weight  $k$</sup>  over a ring  $R_0$  is a rule  $f$  which, to every pair  $(E/R, \omega/R)$ , where  $R = \text{an } R_0\text{-algebra}$ , associates an element  $f(E, \omega) \in R$ ;

subject to:

A1) If  $\varphi: R_1 \rightarrow R_2$  is an  $R_0$ -algebra homomorphism, then:

$$f(\varphi(E/R_1, \omega/R_1)) = \varphi(f(E/R_1, \omega/R_1)) \quad (\text{compatible with base change})$$

A2)  $f(E/R, \lambda \omega/R) = \lambda^{-k} f(E/R, \omega/R)$  for all  $\lambda \in R^\times$

A3)  $f\left(\left(\text{Tate}_{\mathfrak{q}}, \frac{d\tau}{\tau}\right) \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} R[\frac{1}{6}][\mathfrak{q}]\right) \in R[\frac{1}{6}][\mathfrak{q}]$  belongs to  $R[\frac{1}{6}][\mathfrak{q}]$   
 (we'll define it now.)  
 called the  $\mathfrak{q}$ -expansion of  $f$ .

An elliptic curve over a ring  $R$  can be defined by an equation  
 is a curve of genus 1 over  $R$ , equipped with an  $R$ -rational point  $\mathcal{O}$   
 such that, for all  $\varphi: R \rightarrow K$  ( $K$  a field),  
 $E \times_{\varphi} \text{Spec } K$  is an elliptic curve over  $K$ .

Over  $K$ , one can use Riemann-Roch, and will get an equation:

$$y^2 + a_1 xy + a_3 y = x^3 + a_2 x^2 + a_4 x + a_6 \quad (\Delta \in R^\times)$$

( $x$  is defined up to  $x \mapsto ax+b$ ,  $a, b \in K$ ,  $a \in K^\times$ ).

( $y$  is defined up to  $y \mapsto a'y + b'x + c'$ ,  $a' \in K^\times$ ,  $b', c' \in K$ ).

Remark: There are no elliptic curves over  $\mathbb{Z}$ ! But there are plenty  
 of alg. modular forms over  $\mathbb{Z}$  ( $\mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_{(n)}, \dots$ ).

We also get a representable functor:

$$E: (R\text{-alg}) \rightarrow (\text{Groups})$$

$$E(S) = \{ (x:y:z) \in \mathbb{P}_2(S) : x^2 + a_1 xy + a_3 y^2 = x^3 + a_2 x^2 z + a_4 x z^2 + a_6 z^3 \}$$

$$\text{(where } \mathbb{P}_2(S) = \{ (x:y:z) \in S^3 \text{ s.t. } (x,y,z) = (1)S \} / S^\times \text{.)}$$

Differential Forms on E. Assume  $R$  is a PID, or some other "nice" ring.

Let  $\mathcal{O}_E$  = sheaf of functions on  $E$  (the structure sheaf).

( $\mathcal{O}_E(U) = \{ \text{alg. functions which are regular on } U \}$ ).

Let  $\Omega_{E/R}$  = sheaf of regular differentials on  $E$ .

Example: Let  $U = E - \{ \text{pt} \}$ . Then:

$$\mathcal{O}_E(U) = \frac{R[x, y]}{(E)} \quad (E) = \text{eq. of the curve.}$$

$$\Omega_{E(U)} = \left( R[x, y] dx + R[x, y] dy \right) / (dE) \quad (dE = \text{eq obtained by applying } d \text{ to the original eq.})$$

Let  $D$  be a divisor on  $E$ ,  $D = \sum n_i P_i$ ,  $n_i \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $P_i \in E(R)$  (restricted definition)

$\mathcal{O}_E(D)$  = sheaf defined by  $\mathcal{O}_E(D)(U) := \{ f \text{ such that } \text{ord}_{P_i}(f) \geq -n_i \forall P_i \in U \}$

$\Omega_{E(D)}(U) := \{ w \in \Omega_E \text{ s.t. } \text{ord}_{P_i}(w) \geq -n_i \}$   
meromorphic differentials

Theorem (Riemann-Roch): If  $X$  is a <sup>smooth</sup> curve over  $R$ ,

$H^0(X, \mathcal{O}_X(D))$  and  $H^1(X, \Omega_X(D))$  are locally-free  $R$ -modules ( $\Lambda$ ,  $R = \text{PID}$ , they are actually free). If  $g = \text{genus}(X)$ , then:

$$\text{rank } H^0(E, \mathcal{O}_E(D)) - \text{rank } H^0(\bar{E}, \Omega_{\bar{E}}(-D)) = 1 - g + \text{deg } D.$$

If  $X = \bar{E}$ ,  $g = 1$ , then

• Take  $D = 0$ .

Get  $H^0(\bar{E}, \mathcal{O}_{\bar{E}}) = R = R \cdot 1 \Rightarrow H^0(E, \mathcal{O}_E) = R \cdot \omega_E$ ,  $\checkmark$  ( $\Rightarrow K = 0$ )  
↑ canonical divisor

where  $\omega_E \rightarrow$  well-defined up to  $\omega_E \mapsto \lambda \omega_E$ ,  $\lambda \in R^\times$ .

• Take  $D = n \cdot (\infty)$ ,  $n = 1 \dots 6$  and get the equation of  $\bar{E}$ .

Key lemma: Let  $E/R$  be an elliptic curve ( $R$  a PID). Let  $\omega_E$  be a regular differential on  $E$ . Assume that  $\infty \in R^\times$ . Then there exist unique functions  $x, y$  on  $E$  ( $x, y \in \mathcal{O}_E(E - \infty)$ ) such that:

a)  $x, y$  satisfy an equation of the form:

$$y^2 = x^3 + g_2x + g_3, \quad g_2, g_3 \in R.$$

b)  $\omega_E = \frac{dx}{y}$ .

Proof: exercise//.

Def: Given  $(E, \omega_E)$ , the functions  $x, y$  given by the "key lemma" are called the "canonical coordinates" on  $E$ , and the equation:

$$\left( y^2 = x^3 + g_2x + g_3, \frac{dx}{y} \right) \text{ is called the "canonical equation"}$$

for the pair  $(\bar{E}, \omega_E)$ .

Next we will see some examples of elliptic curves over rings.



Examples:

1)  $R = \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\mathbb{E} = \frac{\mathbb{C}}{\langle 1, \tau \rangle}$   $\omega_{\mathbb{E}} = dz$ . The canonical equation is then:

$$\left( y^2 = x^3 + g_2 x + g_3, \frac{dx}{y} \right), \text{ where } \begin{cases} g_2 = -60 \sum_{m,n} (m+n\tau)^{-4} \\ g_3 = -140 \sum_{m,n} (m+n\tau)^{-6} \end{cases}$$

1') "The universal elliptic curve over  $\mathcal{H}$ ":

$\left( y^2 = x^3 + g_2(\tau)x + g_3(\tau), \frac{dx}{y} \right)$  is an elliptic curve defined over

the ring  $\mathcal{O}_{\mathcal{H}} =$  ring of holomorphic functions on  $\mathcal{H}$ .

2) The Tate Curve:

$$\frac{\mathbb{C}}{\langle 1, \tau \rangle} \xrightarrow[\cong]{\varphi: z \mapsto e^{2\pi i z}} \frac{\mathbb{C}^{\times}}{q^{\mathbb{Z}}}, \quad q = e^{2\pi i \tau}$$

Q: what does correspond to  $dz$ ?

A: Try  $\frac{dt}{t}$ :  $\varphi^* \left( \frac{dt}{t} \right) = \frac{2\pi i e^{2\pi i z}}{e^{2\pi i z}} dz = 2\pi i dz$

So  $dz$  corresponds to  $\frac{1}{2\pi i} \frac{dt}{t}$

The canonical equation for the pair  $\left( \frac{\mathbb{C}^{\times}}{q^{\mathbb{Z}}}, \frac{dt}{t} \right)$  is of the form:

Tate  $g_{2,3}$   
 $\left( y^2 = x^3 + \tilde{g}_2(q)x + \tilde{g}_3(q), \frac{dx}{y} \right)$ , where  $\tilde{g}_2, \tilde{g}_3$  belong

to  $\mathbb{Z} \left[ \frac{1}{6} \right] \llbracket q \rrbracket$ .

The discriminant is  $\Delta = q \prod_{n \neq 0} (1 - q^n)^{24} \in \mathbb{Z} \left[ \frac{1}{6} \right] \llbracket (q) \rrbracket^{\times}$

Laurent series in  $q$   
 $\downarrow$

Def: The pair  $(\text{Tate}_q, \frac{dt}{t})$  is called the Tate curve. It is an elliptic curve over  $\mathbb{Z}[\frac{1}{6}](q)$ .

Reference: Silverman's "Advanced Topics in the arithmetic of  $\bar{\mathbb{C}}$ ."

We go back now to algebraic modular forms:

• From algebraic to "classical" modular forms:

Let  $f$  be an algebraic modular form over  $\mathbb{C}$ .

Consider the function  $\tilde{f}(z) := f\left(\left\langle \frac{c}{1}, z \right\rangle, dz\right)$

Claim:  $\tilde{f}$  is a modular form of weight  $k$  on  $SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$ .

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• Invariance under  $SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{f}(z) &= f\left(\left\langle \frac{c}{1}, z \right\rangle, dz\right) = f\left(\left\langle \frac{c}{cz+d}, az+tb \right\rangle, dz\right) = f\left(\left\langle \frac{c}{1}, \frac{az+tb}{cz+d} \right\rangle, (cz+d)dz\right) \\ &= (cz+d)^{-k} f\left(\left\langle \frac{c}{1}, \frac{az+tb}{cz+d} \right\rangle, dz'\right) = (cz+d)^{-k} \tilde{f}\left(\frac{az+tb}{cz+d}\right). \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

• Holomorphicity:

Note that  $\tilde{f}(z) = f\left(\left(y^2 = x^3 + g_2(z)x + g_3(z)\right), \frac{dx}{y}\right) \in \mathcal{O}_H$

• Growth at  $\infty$  comes from A3.

The q-expansion principle.

It says that the map (K ~~fields~~ any field  $\mathbb{Q} \subseteq K \subseteq \mathbb{C}$ )

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{algebraic} \\ \text{modular forms} \\ \text{over } K \end{array} \right\} \xrightarrow{q\text{-exp}} K[[q]]$$

is injective, and its image is exactly  $M_K(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}); K) \subseteq K[[q]]$   
(it's actually a map of  $K$ -~~vectorspaces~~ algebras)

Proof:

Injectivity: Suppose that  $f(\text{Tate}_q, \frac{df}{f}) = 0$ . We want to see that  $f = 0$ .

If  $(E, \omega)$  is any test object defined over  $\mathbb{C}$ , then

$$f(E, \omega) = f\left(\frac{\mathbb{C}}{\langle 1, \tau \rangle}, \lambda dz\right) = 0 \quad \leftarrow \text{value of } q\text{-expansion at } q = e^{2\pi i \tau}$$

If now  $R$  is any  $K$ -algebra, and  $K \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is a homomorphism,

(\*)  
 $\uparrow$  then  $\varphi(f(E/R, \omega/R)) = f((E/R, \omega/R) \otimes \mathbb{C}) = 0 \Rightarrow f(E/R, \omega/R) = 0$   
we'll clarify this later. (on pg 48, back).

Remark: We also have a map

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{alg-mod. forms} \\ \text{over } \mathbb{F}_p \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow \mathbb{F}_p[[q]]$$

but this is not injective, as the image of the Hasse invariant is the same as the element 1.

Surjectivity:

We know  $M(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}), K) = \bigoplus_{n \geq 0} M_n(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}), K) = K[E_4, E_6]$ . It's enough

to show that  $E_4$  and  $E_6$  are algebraic mod. forms of weights 4, 6.

(cont of  $g$ -extension pp1e):

Given  $(E, \omega) / R$  we show (Key Lemma) that there exist unique  $X, Y \in H^0(E, \mathcal{O}_E)$

and  $g_2, g_3 \in R$  such that:

$$Y^2 = X^3 + g_2 X + g_3, \quad \omega = \frac{dX}{Y}$$

Define then  ~~$E_4 := g_2$~~   $E_4(E, \omega) := \alpha \cdot g_2$ ,  $E_6 := \beta g_3$

(where  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{Z}[\frac{1}{6}]^\times$  are the appropriate constants)

Proposition: Let  $\tau \in \mathbb{H}$ , and suppose that  $\mathbb{C}/\langle 1, \tau \rangle$  is isomorphic to an elliptic curve defined over a field  $K$ . ~~Suppose~~

Then: there is a period  $\Omega_\tau \in \mathbb{C}^\times$  such that

$$\frac{f(\tau)}{\Omega_\tau^K} \in K \quad \text{for all } f \in M_K(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}), K)$$

Proof: By hypothesis, there is an isomorphism  $\varphi: \mathbb{C}/\langle 1, \tau \rangle \xrightarrow{\sim} E^{\text{alg}}$ , where  $E^{\text{alg}}$  is defined over  $K$ .

Let  $\omega$  be a regular differential on  $E^{\text{alg}}/K$ .

Then  $\varphi^* \omega = \Omega_\tau dz$  ( $\Omega_\tau$  is defined to be the constant we get in this expression).

(if  $\omega$  is changed by  $\lambda \in K^\times$ , the conclusion of the theorem is not affected!)

$$\begin{aligned} f(\tau) &= f\left(\frac{\mathbb{C}}{\langle 1, \tau \rangle}, dz\right) = f\left(\frac{\mathbb{C}}{\langle 1, \tau \rangle}, \frac{1}{\Omega_\tau} \cdot \varphi^* \omega\right) = \frac{f\left(\frac{\mathbb{C}}{\langle 1, \tau \rangle}, \varphi^* \omega\right)}{\Omega_\tau^K} \\ &= \Omega_\tau^K f\left(\frac{\mathbb{C}}{\langle 1, \tau \rangle}, \varphi^* \omega\right) = \Omega_\tau^K f\left((E_\tau^{\text{alg}}, \omega) \otimes_{K, \varphi} \mathbb{C}\right) = \Omega_\tau^K f\left(\underbrace{(E_\tau^{\text{alg}}, \omega)}_K\right) \end{aligned}$$

Theorem: Let  $F \subseteq \mathbb{C}$  be an imaginary quadratic field, and let  $\tau \in \mathcal{H} \cap F$ . Then  $\mathbb{C}/\langle 1, \tau \rangle$  is isomorphic to an elliptic curve defined over  $\overline{\mathbb{Q}}$  (more precisely, it's defined over some algebraic extension of  $F$ ).

Pf (sketch):

$$\text{End}_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{C}/\langle 1, \tau \rangle) \cong \left\{ \alpha \in \mathbb{C} : \begin{cases} \alpha\tau = a\tau + b \\ \alpha \cdot 1 = c\tau + d \end{cases} \text{ for some } \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in M_2(\mathbb{Z}) \right\}$$

If  $\tau$  doesn't satisfy a quadratic equation with coefficients in  $\mathbb{Z}$ , then

$$\text{End}_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{C}/\langle 1, \tau \rangle) \cong \mathbb{Z}, \text{ because only diagonal matrices are there.}$$

If, on the contrary,  $\tau \in \mathcal{H} \cap F$ , so  $\tau^2 + t\tau + p = 0$  for some  $t, p \in \mathbb{Q}$ ,

$$\text{then } \text{End}_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{C}/\langle 1, \tau \rangle) \cong \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in M_2(\mathbb{Z}) : (c, d - a, b) \sim (1, t, p) \right\}$$

The ring  $\text{End}_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{C}/\langle 1, \tau \rangle)$  is contained in  $F$ , and it is free of rank 2 as a  $\mathbb{Z}$ -module. Such a ring is called an order

in  $F$ . It is of the form  $\mathcal{O} = \mathbb{Z} + \mathbb{Z}\omega$ .

Fix now this order  $\mathcal{O}$ , and consider the collection of  $E/\mathbb{C}$  <sup>satisfying</sup> <sub>modulo isomorphism</sub>

$$\text{End}_{\mathbb{C}}(E) \cong \mathcal{O}.$$

Lemma: The collection of such isomorphism classes is a finite set, in bijection with the class group of  $\mathcal{O}$ ,  $\mathcal{C}l(\mathcal{O})$ .

$$(\text{map } [I] \xrightarrow{\mathcal{C}l(\mathcal{O})} \mathbb{C}/I)$$

Let  $\{E_1, \dots, E_n\}$  be the collection of representatives for these is-classes.

Consider the  $j$ -invariants  $j(E_1), \dots, j(E_n)$ .

If  $\sigma \in \text{Aut}(\mathbb{C}/\bar{\mathbb{Q}})$ , then  $j(E_i)^\sigma = j(E_{\sigma(i)})$  for some permutation of the indices.

Therefore, the set  $j(E_i) \in \bar{\mathbb{Q}}$ .

References:

- Serre's article in Cassels - Frohlich.
- Chapter in Silverman's A.T. (vol II).

Corollary: If  $\tau \in \mathcal{H} \cap F$ , then there exists  $\Omega_\tau \in \mathbb{C}^\times$  st

$$\frac{f(\tau)}{\Omega_\tau^k} \in \bar{\mathbb{Q}} \quad \forall f \in M_k(SL_2(\tau), \bar{\mathbb{Q}}).$$

Pf  $\tau$  corresponds to  $\mathbb{C}/\langle 1, \tau \rangle$  which corresponds to an algebraic elliptic curve, so we are done.

Now we want to understand  $\delta_k f(\tau)$ ,  $\delta_k^\Gamma f(\tau)$ .

Theorem: If  $\tau \in \mathcal{H} \cap F$ , then  $\frac{f(\tau)}{\Omega_\tau^k} \in \bar{\mathbb{Q}} \quad \forall f \in M_k(\Gamma, \bar{\mathbb{Q}})$

for any  $\Gamma(N) \leq \Gamma \leq SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$  (congruence subgroup).

$$\Gamma(N) = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \equiv \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \pmod{N} \right\}$$

The idea in the previous theorem is to interpret also

$M_k(\Gamma, \bar{\mathbb{Q}})$  as algebraic modular forms.

So the definition has to be extended:

The "test objects" are now  $(E, \omega, \{P_1, P_2\})_{/\mathbb{K}}$ , where  $P_1, P_2$  are a basis for  $E[N]$  (the  $N$ -torsion)

To  $f(E, \omega, (P_1, P_2))$  we associate  $f(\tau) := f\left(\frac{\mathbb{C}}{\langle 1, \tau \rangle}, dz, \left(\frac{1}{N}, \frac{\tau}{N}\right)\right)$

Define now  $\tilde{M}_k := \bigoplus_{\substack{\Gamma \rightarrow \text{varying } N! \\ \Gamma \subset SL_2(\mathbb{Q})}} M_k(\Gamma, \bar{\mathbb{Q}})$  ;  $\tilde{M} = \bigoplus_{k \geq 0} \tilde{M}_k$

We enlarge it still further by considering the fraction field:  $\tilde{M}^+ = \bigoplus_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \tilde{M}_k^+$

Prop: If  $f \in \tilde{M}_k^+$  and  $f$  is defined on  $\tau$ , then

$$\frac{f(\tau)}{\Omega_{\tau}^k} \in \bar{\mathbb{Q}} \quad \text{K that will be step 3.}$$

In fact, we prove ~~instead~~ first Step 2:

Thm:  $\frac{f(\tau)}{\Omega_{\tau}^k} \in \bar{\mathbb{Q}}$ , for all  $f \in M_k(\Gamma, \bar{\mathbb{Q}})$  ( $\Gamma$  a congruence subgroup).

Pf (sketch):

We may assume that  $\Gamma = \Gamma(N)$ . A modular form  $f$  on  $\Gamma(N)$  can be interpreted a rule which associates to every triple

$(E, \omega, (P_1, P_2))_{/\mathbb{C}}$  ( $E/\mathbb{C}$  an elliptic curve,  $\omega \in H^0(E, \Omega^1)$ ,  $(P_1, P_2)$  a  $\frac{\mathbb{Z}}{N\mathbb{Z}}$ -basis

for  $E[N]$ ).  $f(\tau) = f\left(\frac{\mathbb{C}}{\langle 1, \tau \rangle}, dz, \left(\frac{1}{N}, \frac{\tau}{N}\right)\right)$

↓

This leads, as we saw, to algebraic modular forms, exactly as before.

What about the Tate curve:

The "natural" basis for  $E_{\text{ Tate}}[N]$  would be  $(\zeta_N, q^{1/N})$ .

So it is defined on  $\mathbb{Z}[\zeta_N][[q^{1/N}]]$ .

(The  $q$ -expansions at the different cusps are given by evaluating the modular form on  $E_{\text{ Tate}}$ , but with basis  $(\zeta_N^a q^{b/N}, \zeta_N^c q^{d/N})$ , for

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in SL_2(\mathbb{Z}).$$

Fact:  $f$  is an algebraic modular form over a ring  $R$  if, and only if,

$$f\left(\text{Tate } q, \frac{df}{f}, (\zeta_N, q^{1/N})\right) \in R[\zeta_N][[q^{1/N}]]$$

← called the  $q$ -expansion principle.

(so only need to check at one cusp).

Now, we <sup>can</sup> write:

$$f(\tau) = f\left(\frac{e}{\langle 1, \tau \rangle}, dz, \left(\frac{1}{N}, \frac{\tau}{N}\right)\right) = f\left(A_\tau, \Omega_\tau^{-1} \frac{dx}{y}, (P_1, P_2)\right) =$$

(where  $P_1, P_2$  are defined over  $F^{\text{ab}}$  ( $F = \mathbb{Q}(\tau)$ )).

$$= \Omega_\tau^{+k} f\left(A_\tau, \frac{dx}{y}, (P_1, P_2)\right).$$

By the  $q$ -expansion principle, any classical modular form on  $M_k(\Gamma, \bar{\chi})$

is algebraic, and so we are done.



Recall the definition we gave:

$$\tilde{M}_k := \varinjlim_{\Gamma(N) \subseteq \Gamma \subseteq \mathrm{SL}_2(\mathbb{Z})} M_k(\Gamma, \bar{\mathbb{A}}) \quad , \quad \tilde{M} := \bigoplus_{k \geq 0} \tilde{M}_k$$

and the fraction field,  $\tilde{M}^+ = \mathrm{Frac}(\tilde{M})$  ( $\tilde{M}$  is an integral domain)

(so  $\tilde{M}_k^+ = \bigoplus_{k \geq 0} \tilde{M}_k^+$ , where  $\tilde{M}_k^+$  is generated by  $\frac{f}{g}$ ,  $f \in \tilde{M}_{k+l}$ ,  $g \in \tilde{M}_l$ ).

Next step (3):  $r=0$ , but  $f \in \tilde{M}_k^+$

Pr  $f(z)$  is in this case a  $\bar{\mathbb{A}}$ -linear combination of expressions of the form  $\frac{g}{h}$ ,  $g \in \tilde{M}_{k+l}$ ,  $h \in \tilde{M}_l$ , so it follows immediately. //

Step 4:  $r=1$ ,  $k=0$ :

Theorem: For all  $f \in \tilde{M}_0^+$ , we have:

$$\frac{(\delta_0 f)(z)}{\Omega_z^2} \in \bar{\mathbb{A}}$$

Pr Enough to prove this if  $f = \frac{g}{h}$ ,  $g, h \in \tilde{M}_k$  (in general, it would be a linear combination of those).

$$\delta_0 \left( \frac{g}{h} \right) = \delta_0 \left( \frac{g}{h} \right) = \frac{(\delta_0 g)h - g\delta_0 h}{h^2} = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \left( \frac{g'h - gh'}{h^2} \right)$$

Exercise: if  $g, h \in \tilde{M}_k$ , then ~~the~~  $[g, h] := \frac{1}{2\pi i} (g'h - gh')$  is in  $\tilde{M}_{2k+2}$ . (cf assignment #10).

So  $\delta_0 f \in \tilde{M}_2^+$   $\Rightarrow$  We are done, by the previous step. //

Next, Step 5:  $r=1$ ,  $k$  general:

Thm:  $\frac{(\delta_k f)(\tau)}{S_\tau^{k+2}} \in \bar{\mathcal{O}} \quad \forall f \in \tilde{M}_k$

Pf Choose a matrix  $M = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in SL_2(\mathcal{O})$  such that  $M \cdot \tau = \tau$

That is,  $\begin{cases} a\tau + b = \alpha\tau \\ c\tau + d = \alpha \end{cases}$ , where  $\alpha \in F^\times - \mathcal{O}^\times$ .

(we can do this because  $\tau$  is quadratic imaginary,  $\mathcal{O}(\tau) = F$ .)

(Just impose  $c \neq 0$ .)

Apply now the slash operator:

$$(f|_k M)(\tau) = (c\tau + d)^{-k} f(M\tau) = (c\tau + d)^{-k} f(\tau)$$

Remark:  $f|_k M \in \tilde{M}_k$ .

$$\sum f|_k M = f \cdot h^{(*)}, \quad h \in \tilde{M}_0^+ \quad \left( h(\tau) = (c\tau + d)^{-k} \right).$$

$$\sum h(\tau) = (c\tau + d)^{-k} = \alpha^{-k} \in F^\times.$$

We apply  $\delta_k$  to both sides of (\*):

$$\delta_k (f|_k M) = \delta_k (f h) \stackrel{\text{assign. \#9}}{=} (\delta_k f) h + f \cdot (\delta_0 h) \quad (\text{Leibniz formula})$$

$\parallel$  ass #9

$$(\delta_k f)|_{k+2} M$$

Evaluating the resulting identity at  $\tau$ , yields:

$$((\delta_k f)|_{k+2} M)(\tau) = (\delta_k f)(\tau) h(\tau) + f(\tau) (\delta_0 h)(\tau)$$

$$(c\tau + d)^{-k-2} \cdot (\delta_k f)(\tau)$$

(cont of)

we get:

$$\alpha^{-k-2} (\delta_k f)(\tau) = (\delta_k f)(\tau) \cdot \alpha^{-k} + f(\tau) \cdot (\delta_0 h)(\tau)$$

So:

$$(\alpha^{-k-2} - \alpha^{-k}) (\delta_k f)(\tau) = f(\tau) \cdot (\delta_0 h)(\tau)$$

Hence:

$$(\delta_k f)(\tau) = \alpha^k (\alpha^{-2} - 1)^{-1} f(\tau) (\delta_0 h)(\tau)$$

By Step 1,  $\frac{f(\tau)}{\Omega_\tau^k} \in \overline{\mathcal{A}}$

⇒ ✓

By Step 4,  $\frac{(\delta_0 h)(\tau)}{\Omega_\tau^2} \in \overline{\mathcal{A}}$



Last Step: General  $r, k$ .

We just use the general Leibniz rule (Axiom #9):

$$\delta_k^r (f h) = \sum_{j=0}^r \binom{r}{j} (\delta_k^j f) (\delta_0^{r-j} h)$$

Theorem:  $\frac{(\delta_k^r f)(\tau)}{\Omega_\tau^{k+2r}} \in \overline{\mathcal{A}}, \forall f \in \tilde{M}_k^+$ . ( $\forall r \geq 0$ )

Proof: Again, take the equation (\*):  $f|_k M = f \cdot h$ , and apply  $\delta_k^r$  to both sides:

$$\delta_k^r (f|_k M) = \sum_{j=0}^r \binom{r}{j} (\delta_k^j f) (\delta_0^{r-j} h) = \delta_k^r f \cdot h + \sum_{j=0}^{r-1} \binom{r}{j} (\delta_k^j f) (\delta_0^{r-j} h)$$

//  $(\delta_k^r f)|_{k+2r} M$

Again as before, we get the desired result: 2

$$\alpha^{-k-2r} (\sigma_k^r f)(\tau) = (\sigma_k^r f)(\tau) \cdot \alpha^{-k} + \sum_{j=0}^{r-1} \binom{r}{j} (\sigma_k^j f)(\tau) (\sigma_0^{r-j} h)(\tau)$$


Hence:

$$(\sigma_k^r f)(\tau) \alpha^{-k} (\alpha^{-2r} - 1) = \sum_{j=0}^{r-1} \binom{r}{j} (\sigma_k^j f)(\tau) (\sigma_0^{r-j} h)(\tau)$$

Proceed by induction on  $r$  (has been done before for  $r=0,1$ ).

$$\frac{(\sigma_k^j f)(\tau)}{\Omega_{\tau}^{k+2j}} \in \bar{\mathcal{Q}}, \quad \alpha \left( \frac{\sigma_0^{r-j} h}{\Omega_{\tau}^{\tilde{M}_2^+}} \right)$$

Also,  $\sigma_0^{r-j} h = \sigma_2^{r-j-1} (\sigma_0 h)$ , so we can apply ind. hyp. here as well,

to get  $\frac{\sigma_0^{r-j} h}{\Omega_{\tau}^{2r-2j}} \in \bar{\mathcal{Q}}$ , and hence we are done. 

Some remark about the universal elliptic curve:

Prop: There exists a universal pair  $(E^{univ}, \omega^{univ})_{/R^{univ}}$ , where  $R^{univ}$  is a  $\mathbb{Z}[\frac{1}{6}]$ -algebra, such that if  $(E, \omega)_{/R}$  is any pair, with  $R$  a  $\mathbb{Z}[\frac{1}{6}]$ -algebra, then there is a unique

$$d_{(E, \omega)} : R^{univ} \rightarrow R, \text{ a hom. of } \mathbb{Z}[\frac{1}{6}]\text{-algebras,}$$

$$\text{such that } (E, \omega)_{/R} = (E^{univ}, \omega^{univ}) \otimes_{d_{(E, \omega)}} R$$

So we get a functor  $\mathcal{F} : \mathbb{Z}[\frac{1}{6}]\text{-alg.} \rightarrow \text{Sets}$ , which associates to  $R$  the set of all  $R$ -iso classes of  $(E, \omega)_{/R}$ .

Actually,  $R^{uv}$  is defined to be:

$$\left( Y^2 = X^3 + aX + b, \frac{dx}{y} \right) \downarrow \mathbb{Z} \left[ \frac{1}{6}, a, b, \frac{1}{\Delta(a,b)} \right]$$

Now, let  $f$  be an algebraic modular form, and suppose that  $f((E, \omega)_{/\mathbb{C}}) = 0 \quad \forall (E, \omega)$  pair defined over  $\mathbb{C}$ .

Consider then  $F(a,b) := f \left( (E^{uv}, \omega^{uv})_{/\mathbb{Z} \left[ \frac{1}{6}, a, b, \frac{1}{\Delta} \right]} \right) \in \mathbb{Z} \left[ \frac{1}{6}, a, b, \frac{1}{\Delta} \right]$ .

By compatibility with base change,

$$F(a,b) = 0 \quad \forall (a,b) \in \mathbb{C}^2 - (\text{zeros locus of } \Delta).$$

$\Rightarrow F \equiv 0$  (as a polynomial).

Remark:  $F(a,b)$  is actually the expression of  $f$  as a homogeneous polynomial in  $(a,b)$  of weight 4, 6, respectively.

$$M_k^{alg}(R) \xrightarrow{\text{Evaluation at } (E^{uv}, \omega^{uv})} R[Q,R]^{hom-k}$$

Recall the theorem we just proved in last lecture:

Thm: If  $\tau \in \mathcal{H} \cap F$ ,  $F$  a quadratic imaginary # field, ~~the~~ ~~and~~ then there exists  $\Omega_\tau \in \mathbb{C}^\times$  s.t.  $\forall f \in M_k^{alg}(\overline{\mathbb{Q}})$ ,

$$\frac{(\delta_k^\tau f)(\tau)}{\Omega_\tau^{k+2r}} \in \overline{\mathbb{Q}}.$$

Recall that we had defined:

$$\zeta_F(n_1, n_2) := \sum_{\alpha \in \mathcal{O}_F} \alpha^{-n_1} \bar{\alpha}^{-n_2}$$

If  $\mathcal{O}_F = \mathbb{Z} + \mathbb{Z}\omega$ ,  $\omega \in \mathcal{H}$ , then we had seen that:

$$\frac{k(k+1)\dots(k+r-1)}{(\omega - \bar{\omega})^r} \frac{\zeta_F(k+r, -r)}{\pi^k \Omega_F^{k+2r}} = \frac{\int_k^r \tilde{G}_k(\omega)}{\Omega_F^{k+2r}} \in \overline{\mathbb{Q}} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{from the thm} \\ k \geq 2 \\ r \geq 0 \end{array}$$

Q: Can we interpolate  $\zeta_F$  (or <sup>rather</sup> this algebraic multiple) to extend it to a  $p$ -adically continuous function on  $(\mathbb{Z}/(p-1)\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}_p)^2$ ?

Rk: The range  $k \geq 2, r \geq 0$  gives  $\{(k+r, -r)\} \rightarrow$  a cone that we drew before, which has dense image in  $(\mathbb{Z}/(p-1)\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}_p)^2$ , so such an extension would be unique.

More general question: Let  $M := \bigoplus_{k \geq 0} M_k$ ,  $M_k = M_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}); \mathbb{Z})$ .

Suppose that  $f_1, f_2 \in M$ .

Suppose that  $f_1 \equiv f_2 \pmod{p^n}$ , and that  $p \nmid k_1$ .

We know that  $k_1 \equiv k_2 \pmod{(p-1)p^{n-1}}$ . ( $k_i = \text{weight}(f_i)$ ).

Is it true that

$$a) \frac{f_1(\omega)}{\Omega_{\omega}^{k_1}} \equiv \frac{f_2(\omega)}{\Omega_{\omega}^{k_2}} \pmod{p^n} ?$$

$\leftarrow$  needs to be refined, as at least we need  $p$ -integrality.

b) If  $r_1 \equiv r_2 \pmod{(p-1)p^{n-1}}$ , does that imply that  $(f \in M_{k_1})$

$$\frac{(\delta_k^{r_1} f)(\omega)}{\Omega^{k+2r_1}} \equiv \frac{(\delta_k^{r_2} f)(\omega)}{\Omega^{k+2r_2}} ?$$

Consider now the rings:

$M \otimes \mathbb{Z}_p$

$M \otimes \mathbb{F}_p = \frac{M}{pM} \subseteq \text{an } \mathbb{F}_p\text{-algebra.}$

$\bar{M} := \text{ring of modular forms mod } p = \text{image of } M \text{ in } \mathbb{F}_p[[q]]$ ,

$\bar{M} = \frac{M \otimes \mathbb{F}_p}{(1-E_{p-1})}$        $E_{p-1} = \text{normalized Eisenstein series of wt } p-1.$

$(\bar{M} = \bigoplus_{j=0}^{p-2} \bar{M}_j).$

We want to give a geometric interpretation of  $\bar{M}$  and of  $\bar{M}_0$ .

Note first that  $M \otimes \mathbb{Z}_p = M_K^{\text{alg}}(\mathbb{Z}_p)$

Likewise,  $M_K \otimes \mathbb{F}_p = M_K^{\text{alg}}(\mathbb{F}_p)$

Note that any element of  $\bar{M}_0$  can be written in the form  $\frac{F}{A^r}$ , for some  $r$ , where  $F \in M_{r(p-1)} \otimes \mathbb{F}_p$

Hence, any  $f \in \bar{M}_0$  gives rise to a function  $(E, \omega) \mapsto f(E, \omega)$ , provided that we restrict ourselves to pairs  $(E, \omega)_{/R}$  for which

$A(E, \omega) \in R^\times$

Def: A modular form mod p is a rule to which every  $(E, \omega)_{/R}$ ,  $R$  an  $\mathbb{F}_p$ -algebra such that  $A(E, \omega) \in R^\times$ , associates some  $f(E, \omega) \in R$ .

Def: An elliptic curve  $E$  defined over  $\overline{\mathbb{F}_p}$  satisfying  $A(E, \omega) = 0$   
 (for one, and hence all invariant differentials  $\omega$  on  $E$ ) is  
 called supersingular.

Rk: There are finitely many  $E/\mathbb{F}_p$  supersingular curves (in fact, there are  
 roughly  $\frac{p}{12}$ ).

◦ Modular definition of the Hasse invariant.

Define  $\tilde{A}$  as an algebraic modular form (over  $R_0$ , an  $\mathbb{F}_p$ -algebra.)

The Frobenius endomorphism is  $F: R \rightarrow R$   
 $x \mapsto x^p$

If  $(E, \omega)_R$  is a test object, we get a new test object  $(E^{(p)}, \omega^{(p)})$ ,

which is  $(E^{(p)}, \omega^{(p)}) := (E, \omega) \otimes_F R$ .

(ie if  $(E, \omega) = (y^2 = x^3 + ax + b, \frac{dx}{y})$ , then  $(E^{(p)}, \omega^{(p)}) = (y^2 = x^3 + a^p x + b^p, \frac{dx}{y})$ .)

Consider also the "geometric Frobenius map", which is an isogeny:

$$F: E_{/R} \rightarrow E^{(p)}_{/R} \quad \leftarrow \text{purely inseparable}$$

which sends  $(x, y) \mapsto (x^p, y^p)$ .

The degree of  $F$  is  $p$ , so  $\text{Ker } F \subseteq E[p]_{/R}$

◦ The dual isogeny to  $F$  is called the Verschiebung, and denoted  $V$ .

$$\left( V: E^{(p)} \rightarrow E, \quad \text{and} \quad V \circ F = [p]_E, \quad F \circ V = [p]_{E^{(p)}} \right)$$

Also, it is a fact that  $\text{Ker } F$  is a connected group scheme.

$$\left( (\text{Ker } F)(\overline{\mathbb{F}_p}) = 0 \right)$$



Q: IS  $V$  separable?

Consider  $V^*(\omega) = \tilde{A}(E, \omega) \cdot \omega^{(p)}$  ( $\tilde{A}(E, \omega) \in \mathbb{R}$ ).

This is how we define  $\tilde{A}$ :

To  $(E, \omega)$ , we compare  $V^*\omega$  with  $\omega^{(p)}$ , and the ratio is called  $\tilde{A}(E, \omega)$ .

Theorem:  $A(E, \omega) = \tilde{A}(E, \omega)$ .

Pr We will show that they have the same weight and the same  $q$ -expansion. (mod  $p!$ ).

(1) weight =  $p-1$

$$(2) A\left(\text{Tate}_q, \frac{dx}{y}\right) = 1 = \tilde{A}\left(\text{Tate}_q, \frac{dx}{y}\right)$$

(0) the weight of  $\tilde{A}$ :

$$\tilde{A}\left((E, \lambda\omega), \mathbb{R}\right) ?$$

$$V^*(\lambda\omega) = \lambda \cdot V^*(\omega) = \lambda \cdot \tilde{A}(E, \omega) \cdot \omega^{(p)}$$

Note now  $(\lambda\omega)^{(p)} = \lambda^p \omega^{(p)}$ , so  $V^*(\lambda\omega) = \lambda^{1-p} \tilde{A}(E, \omega) \cdot (\lambda\omega)^{(p)}$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{A}(E, \lambda\omega) = \lambda^{1-p} \tilde{A}(E, \omega) \Rightarrow \text{weight } p-1. \quad \checkmark$$

$$(2) \left(\text{Tate}_q, \omega_q\right) = \left(y^2 = x^3 + a(q)x + b(q), \frac{dx}{y}\right) = \left(\frac{\mathbb{F}_m}{q^{\mathbb{Z}}}, \frac{dx}{y}\right)$$

$a(q), b(q) \in \mathbb{F}_p \llbracket q \rrbracket$

$$\left(\text{Tate}_q^{(p)}, \omega_q^{(p)}\right) = \left(y^2 = x^3 + a(q^p)x + b(q^p), \frac{dx}{y}\right) = \left(\frac{\mathbb{F}_m}{q^{p\mathbb{Z}}}, \frac{dx}{y}\right)$$

The Frobenius morphism is induced by  $\mathbb{F}_m \rightarrow \mathbb{F}_m, t \mapsto t^p$ ,  $F: \frac{\mathbb{F}_m}{q^{\mathbb{Z}}} \rightarrow \frac{\mathbb{F}_m}{q^{p\mathbb{Z}}}, t \mapsto t^p$ .  
(and  $\text{Ker } F = \mu_p$ ).

From this,  $V: \mathbb{G}_m / q^p \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{G}_m / q \mathbb{Z}$  sends  $t \mapsto t$

Then  $\ker V = \langle q \rangle$  (cyclic of order  $p$ ).

From the expression for  $V$ ,  $V^* \frac{dt}{t} = \frac{dt}{t} = \left(\frac{dt}{t}\right)^{(p)} \Rightarrow \tilde{A}(\text{Tot}_q, \omega_q) = 1$

as we wanted.

Theorem: Let  $E/\mathbb{F}_p$  be an elliptic curve. Then the following are equivalent:

1)  $A(E, \omega) = 0$  for one (and hence all)  $\omega$ .

2) The morphism  $V: E^{(p)} \rightarrow E$  is (purely) inseparable.

3) The morphism  $[p]: E \rightarrow E$  is purely inseparable.

4) There is no  $p$ -torsion:  $E(\overline{\mathbb{F}_p})[p] = \{0\}$ .

(In other words, if  $E$  is defined over  $\mathbb{F}_q$ , then  $\#E(\mathbb{F}_{q^t}) = q^t + 1 - \alpha^t - \bar{\alpha}^t$ ,  
and we ask that  $\alpha + \bar{\alpha} \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$ ).

5)  $\text{End}(E)$  is an order in a quaternion algebra.

In this case, we say that  $E$  is supersingular.

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(1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2) follows from the differential criterion for separability.

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3) follows because  $F$  is inseparable.

(3)  $\Rightarrow$  (4) and (4)  $\Rightarrow$  (5) can be found on Silverman's 1<sup>st</sup> book.

## Algebraic, mod $p$ , and $p$ -adic modular forms.

### Algebraic modular forms:

Fix  $Z$  a base ring.

eg:

a)  $Z = \text{field } (\mathbb{Q}, \bar{\mathbb{Q}}, \mathbb{C}, \mathbb{F}_p, \bar{\mathbb{F}}_p, \mathbb{Q}_p, k((q)))$ .

b)  $Z$ -local ring  $(\mathbb{Z}_{(p)}, \mathbb{Z}_p)$

c)  $Z = \text{PID } (\mathbb{Z})$ .

Let  $E$  be an elliptic curve over  $R$  (smooth curve of genus 1, with a section).

For all hom.  $\varphi: R \rightarrow k$ , we have  $E \otimes_R k$  an elliptic curve over  $k$ .

(where  $k$  is a field).

### Modular forms over $Z$ .

a) Naive definition:

$$M_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}), \mathbb{Z}) := M_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}), \mathbb{Z}) \otimes \mathbb{Z}$$

(if  $G \in \mathbb{Z}^k$ , this is  $\cong$  to  $\mathbb{Z}[Q, R]^{\deg=k}$ )

b) Katz's definition

Def: A test object over  $Z$  is a tuple  $(E, \omega)_{/R}$  where:

-  $R$  is a  $Z$ -algebra.

-  $E$  is an elliptic curve over  $R$ . locally free  $R$ -module of rank 1.

-  $\omega \in H^0(E, \Omega_{E/R}^1)$  (in particular, the image of  $\omega$  in  $H^0(\bar{C}, \Omega_{\bar{C}/k}^1)$ )

$\omega$  nonzero for all  $\varphi: R \rightarrow k$ ).

We identify  $(E, \omega)_{/R} \sim (E', \omega')_{/R}$  iff  $\exists \varphi: E \rightarrow E'$

such that  $\varphi^*(\omega') = \omega$ .

we have a base change for test objects: if  $\varphi: R \rightarrow R'$  is a  $\mathbb{Z}$ -algebra homomorphism, then

$$(E, \omega)_{/R} \otimes_{\varphi} R' := (E \otimes R', \omega \otimes R')_{/R'}$$

Def: An algebraic modular form over  $\mathbb{Z}$  is a rule which, to any test object  $(E, \omega)_{/R}$  with  $R$  a  $\mathbb{Z}$ -algebra it associates

$\{ (E, \omega)_{/R} \in R \}$  such that:

1) Compatible with base change.

2) wt  $k$ :  $f((E, d\omega)_{/R}) = d^{-k} f((E, \omega)_{/R}) \quad \forall d \in R^\times$

3)  $f((\text{ Tate } \varphi, \omega_{\text{can}})_{/Z((\varphi))}) \in \mathbb{Z}[[\varphi]]$

Normal Form Theorem: Assume that  $\mathfrak{G} \in \mathbb{Z}^\times$ .

Thm If  $(E, \omega)_{/R}$  is a test object, then  $\exists! x, y \in H^0(E - \text{id}_E, \mathcal{O}_E)$

Satisfying, for ~~the~~ some elements  $a, b \in R$ :

a)  $y^2 = 4x^3 + ax + b$

b)  $\omega = \frac{dx}{y}$

From this, we get that:

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{test objects} \\ \text{defined over } R \end{array} \right\} \xleftrightarrow{\text{b.i.}} \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{Z}}(R^{univ}, R)$$

where  $R^{univ} = M_{\mathbb{Z}} = \mathbb{Z}[Q, R] = M_{\mathbb{Z}} \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{Z}$

Modular forms over  $\mathbb{F}_p$  ( $p \geq 5$ ).

Take in the previous discussion  $Z := \mathbb{F}_p$ .

$$M_{\mathbb{F}_p} := M \otimes \mathbb{F}_p.$$

The space  $M_{\mathbb{F}_p}$  contains a distinguished form of degree weight  $p-1$ , called the Hasse invariant  $A(Q, R)$  such that:

$$A(Q, R) \equiv E_{p-1} \equiv 1 \text{ in } \mathbb{F}_p[[Q]]. \quad (\text{Naive definition of } A).$$

Modular definition of  $A(Q, R)$

We saw how to define it on  $(E, \omega)_{/R}$ .

Let  $F: R \rightarrow R$  the Frobenius ( $R$  of char  $p$ ).

$$\text{Then } (E^{(p)}, \omega^{(p)})_R := (E, \omega)_{/R} \otimes_F R.$$

Concretely, if  $E \cong y^2 = x^3 + ax + b$ ,  $a, b \in R$ , then  $(\omega = dx/y)$

$$E^{(p)} \cong y^2 = x^3 + a^{(p)}x + b^{(p)} \quad \omega^{(p)} = dx/y$$

we get an isogeny also  $F: E \rightarrow E^{(p)}$  which sends  $(x, y) \mapsto (x^{(p)}, y^{(p)})$ .

$\deg F = p$ , and so if we define  $V := F^V$ , then  $\deg V = p$ , and

$$V \circ F = [p]_E, \quad F \circ V = [p]_{E^{(p)}}.$$

The Frobenius  $F$  is always (purely) inseparable. But  $V$  is not, in general:

Theorem:  
 $V^*(\omega^{(p)}) = A(E, \omega) \cdot \omega.$



$\mathbb{P}^1$  we saw last time that  $w_t(A) = p-1$ . We want to see as well that its  $q$ -expansion is  $\equiv 1 \pmod{p}$  (continues  $\mathbb{P}$  later)

Some things about the Tate curve.

a) For  $\tau \in \mathcal{H}$ , we have a "natural" test object:

$$(\mathbb{C}/\langle 1, \tau \rangle, dz) / \mathbb{C}$$

By the Normal Form Theorem, this equals:

$$(y^2 = 4x^3 - g_2(\tau)x - g_3(\tau), \frac{dx}{y})$$

$$\text{where } g_2(\tau) = \frac{(2\pi i)^4}{12} (1 + 240S_3(q))$$

$$g_3(\tau) = \frac{(2\pi i)^6}{2^3 3^3} (-1 + 504S_5(q))$$

$$q = e^{2\pi i \tau}$$

$$\left( \text{and } S_k(q) = \sum_{n \geq 1} \sigma_k(n) q^n = \sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{n^k q^n}{1 - q^n} \in \mathbb{Z}[[q]] \right).$$

Moreover, the functions  $x$  and  $y$  are given by ( $u := e^{2\pi i z}$ )

$$x = \mathcal{P}_z(z) = (2\pi i)^2 \left( \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \frac{q^n u}{(1 - q^n u)^2} + \frac{1}{12} - 2S_1(q) \right)$$

$$y = \mathcal{P}'_z(z) = (2\pi i)^3 \left( \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \frac{q^n u (1 + q^n u)}{(1 - q^n u)^3} \right)$$

b) Tate curve over  $\mathbb{C}$ , but in terms of  $q$ :

Make a change of variables  $z \mapsto u = e^{2\pi i z}$

$$\varphi: \mathbb{C}/\langle 1, \tau \rangle \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}^x / q\mathbb{Z}$$

$$\text{But } \varphi^* \left( \frac{du}{u} \right) = 2\pi i dz$$

We change then the original test object, to get:

$$\left( \mathbb{C} / \langle \tau \rangle, 2\pi i dz \right) // \mathbb{C} \cong \left( \mathbb{C}^x / q^{\mathbb{Z}}, \frac{du}{u} \right).$$

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$$\left( Y^2 = 4X^3 - \tilde{g}_2(q)X - \tilde{g}_3(q), \frac{dx}{y} \right) // \mathbb{Z}[[q]] \quad \text{need } G \in \mathbb{Z}^x!$$

where  $\tilde{g}_2(q) = \frac{1}{12} (1 + 240 S_3(q)) \in \mathbb{Z}[[q]] = \frac{1}{12} Q$

$$\tilde{g}_3(q) = \frac{1}{6^3} (-1 + 504 S_5(q)) \in \mathbb{Z}[[q]] = \frac{-1}{6^3} R$$

Moreover, the new functions are:

$$X(u, q) = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \frac{q^n u}{(1 - q^n u)^2} + \frac{1}{12} + 2S_1(q) \in \mathbb{Z}\left[u, \frac{1}{u}\right][[q]]$$

$$Y(u, q) = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \frac{q^n u (1 + q^n u)}{(1 - q^n u)^3} \in \mathbb{Z}\left[u, \frac{1}{u}\right][[q]]$$

### c) The Tate curve over a complete local ring.

Let  $K$  be a local field (quotient field of a complete local ring).

~~Assume~~ Assume furthermore that  $\mathcal{O}_K$  is a DVR.

Let  $q \in K^x$  be such that  $|q| < 1$ .

Also, suppose that  $K$  is a  $\mathbb{Z}$ -algebra (eg take  $\mathbb{Z} = \mathbb{Z}[\frac{1}{6}]$ ).

We have an "evaluation map"  $\mathbb{Z}[[q]] \rightarrow K$ .

Also, we have, for all  $u_1, u_2 \in \mathbb{C}^x$ ,

$$\left( X(u_1, u_2, q), Y(u_1, u_2, q) \right) = \left( X(u_1, q), Y(u_1, q) \right) +_E \left( X(u_2, q), Y(u_2, q) \right).$$

Def: The Tate curve is then defined to be:

$$(\text{Tate}(q), \omega_{\text{can}}) / K := \left( Y^2 = 4X^3 - \tilde{g}_2(q)X - \tilde{g}_3(q) \frac{dx}{y} \right) / K$$

Note that  $(\text{Tate}(q))(K) \cong K^{\times} / q^{\mathbb{Z}}$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} (X(u, q), Y(u, q)) & \longleftrightarrow & u \\ \uparrow & & \uparrow \\ \mathbb{Z}[u, \frac{1}{u}] & \cong & \mathbb{Z}[q] \end{array}$$

is an analytic isomorphism.  
(not algebraic!)

→ Explicit descriptions of  $F$  and  $V$  on  $(\text{Tate}(q), \omega_{\text{can}}) / \mathbb{F}_p(q)$

$$\text{Again, } (\text{Tate}(q) \cong Y^2 = 4X^3 - \tilde{g}_2(q)X - \tilde{g}_3(q), \frac{dx}{y})$$

$$F: \mathbb{F}_p(q) \rightarrow \mathbb{F}_p(q^p) \quad \text{sends } \sum a_n q^n \mapsto \sum a_n^p q^{pn}$$

So:

$$\text{Tate}(q)^{(p)} \cong Y^2 = 4X^3 - \tilde{g}_2(q^p)X - \tilde{g}_3(q^p) \quad \text{and } \frac{dx}{y} \text{ stays the same.}$$

$$\text{So } F: (X, Y) \mapsto (X^p, Y^p) = (X(u^p, q^p), Y(u^p, q^p))$$

$$\text{Claim } V: \text{Tate}(q^p) \rightarrow \text{Tate}(q)$$

$$(X(u, q^p), Y(u, q^p)) \mapsto (X(u, q), Y(u, q))$$

Pf Exercise. (check that  $V \circ F = [p]$ ).

Now we compute:

$$V^* \left( \frac{dX(u, q^p)}{Y(u, q^p)} \right) = \frac{d(X(u, q^p))}{Y(u, q^p)} = \omega^{(p)}$$

$$\text{Hence } V^* \omega = \omega^{(p)}$$

So the Hasse invariant  $A$ , evaluated at  $(\text{Tate}(q), \omega_{\text{can}}) / \mathbb{F}_p(q)$  is 1.  
(in particular, lies on  $\mathbb{F}_p[[q]]$ , which we didn't know a priori!)



### Geometric Interpretation of Modular forms mod p.

Let  $f \in M_0^{\#} = M_{\mathbb{F}_p} / (A-1)$ . ( $M_{\mathbb{F}_p} = M_K \otimes \mathbb{F}_p$ )

We want to define  $f((E, \omega)_R)$ , where  $R$  is an  $\mathbb{F}_p$ -algebra.

~~Then~~  $\exists$   $f_k \in M_K \otimes \mathbb{F}_p$  such that  $f_k \equiv f$  in  $\mathbb{F}_p[[q]]$ . (note that  $(p-1|K)$ )

So we can define:

$$f((E, \omega)) := \frac{f_k(E, \omega)}{A(E, \omega)^{\frac{K}{p-1}}}$$

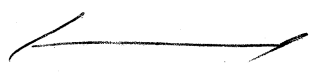
We need to check that this is well-defined:

If  $f_{k'} \equiv f_k \pmod{p}$ , then  $k' = k + 2(p-1)$  (why assume  $2 > 0$ )

Then  $f_{k'} = f_k \cdot A^{\frac{k'-k}{p-1}}$ , so when we divide by the appropriate power, we get the same value.

The only problem we have then is that  $A$  is nonzero.

Hence we stay away from supersingular elliptic curves.



We have as for written  $\frac{S_F(k, 0)}{S_C^k} = \frac{E_k}{S_C^k} = E_k(A_C, \omega)$

where  $A_C$  is an elliptic curve defined over  $H =$  Hilbert class field of  $F$ , and  $\omega$  is a regular differential on  $A_C/H$ .

We want to study the assignment:

$$k \mapsto E_k((A_C, \omega)/H).$$

Let  $\mathfrak{p}$  be a prime of  $H$  above the prime  $p$ , and let

$\mathcal{O}_{\mathfrak{p}} =$  ring of integers of  $H_{\mathfrak{p}} \leftarrow$  completion of  $H$  at  $\mathfrak{p}$ .

Def:  $A_{\tau}$  has good reduction at  $\mathfrak{p}$  if there exists  $\tilde{A}_{\tau}/\mathcal{O}$  such that  $\tilde{A}_{\tau} \otimes_{\mathcal{O}} H \simeq A_{\tau}$ .

Such an  $\tilde{A}_{\tau}$  is called an integral model (at  $\mathfrak{p}$ ) of  $A_{\tau}$  over  $\mathcal{O}$ .

Def: We say that  $A_{\tau}$  has good ordinary reduction if  $\tilde{A}_{\tau} \otimes_{\mathcal{O}} (\mathcal{O}/\mathfrak{p})$  is ordinary (i.e. not supersingular).

Theorem: The elliptic curve  $A_{\tau}$  has good ordinary reduction at  $\mathfrak{p}$  if and only if,  $\mathfrak{p}$  <sup>small  $p$ !</sup> splits in  $F$ .

Pf We prove only the  $\Leftarrow$  implication. Write  $p = \pi \bar{\pi}$ , where  $\pi, \bar{\pi}$  are ideals of  $\mathcal{O}_F$ .

If  $h =$  class number of  $\mathcal{O}_F$  (or simply the order of  $\pi$  in  $\text{cl}(\mathcal{O}_F)$ ),

then  $p^h = \alpha_p \bar{\alpha}_p$ , where  $\alpha_p, \bar{\alpha}_p \in \mathcal{O}_F \cong \text{End}_H(A_{\tau})$

Consider the endomorphisms on  $\tilde{A}_{\tau}$  (defined over  $\mathcal{O}$ ) given by  $\alpha_p$  and  $\bar{\alpha}_p$ .

(Let  $\tilde{A}_{\tau}$  be an integral model of  $A_{\tau}$  over  $\mathcal{O}$  (over  $F$ , all elliptic curves have good reduction! In general, they have bad reduction only on a finite set of primes).)

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(cont pf of thm).

We want to see whether  $\alpha_p, \bar{\alpha}_p$  are separable. So let  $\omega \in \Omega_{A_\tau/\mathcal{O}}^1$

$$\alpha_p^*(\omega) = \alpha_p \cdot \omega, \quad \bar{\alpha}_p^*(\omega) = \bar{\alpha}_p \omega$$

(choose the isomorphism  $\mathcal{O}_F \cong \text{End}(A_\tau)$  so that this happens).

There is exactly one of  $\alpha_p, \bar{\alpha}_p$  whose image in  $\mathcal{O}/\mathfrak{p}$  is nonzero.

(otherwise, we'd have  $\mathfrak{p}$  and  $\bar{\mathfrak{p}}$  divide  $\alpha_p$  (and  $\bar{\alpha}_p$ )  $\Rightarrow \mathfrak{p} | \alpha_p \Rightarrow \dots$ )

This implies that exactly one of the isogenies  $\alpha_p, \bar{\alpha}_p$  is separable.

Hence  $\mathfrak{p}^h = \alpha_p \bar{\alpha}_p$  is not purely inseparable.  $\Rightarrow \mathfrak{p}$  is not purely inseparable.

Hence  $A_\tau/\mathcal{O}$  is not supersingular. Therefore, it's ordinary.

From now on, assume that  $(A_\tau, \omega)/\mathcal{O}$  is a test object defined over  $\mathcal{O}$ , and  $\Omega_\tau$  is chosen such that  $\Omega_\tau - (2\tau id_{\mathbb{Z}}) = \omega$ .

Theorem: let  $f_1, f_2$  be classical modular forms in  $M_{k_1} \otimes \mathbb{Z}_p$  and  $M_{k_2} \otimes \mathbb{Z}_p$  (resp).

Assume that  $f_1 \equiv f_2 \pmod{p^n}$ , and that  $p \nmid k_1$ .

Then: a)  $k_2 \equiv k_1 \pmod{(p-1)p^{n-1}}$

b) If  $k_2 = k_1 + (p-1)v$ , then:

~~$$E_{p-1}(A_\tau)^\vee f_1(A_\tau, \omega) \equiv f_2(A_\tau, \omega) \pmod{\mathfrak{p}^n \mathcal{O}}$$~~

$$\left(E_{p-1}(A_\tau)\right)^\vee f_1(A_\tau, \omega) \equiv f_2(A_\tau, \omega) \pmod{\mathfrak{p}^n \mathcal{O}}$$

Pf (of thm):

Assume wlog that  $v \geq 0$  (part (a) has been proved previously).

To prove part (b):

$$\text{Then } E_{p-1}^v \equiv 1 \pmod{p^n}.$$

Therefore,  $E_{p-1}^v f_1 \equiv f_2 \pmod{p^n}$ . (mod form on  $M_{k_2} \otimes \mathbb{Z}_p$ ).

Hence we can write  $E_{p-1}^v f_1 = f_2 + p^n \cdot h$ ,  $h \in M_{k_2} \otimes \mathbb{Z}_p$ .

Evaluating at  $(E_\tau, \omega)_{\mathcal{O}}$ , yields the result, as  $h(E_\tau, \omega) \in \mathcal{O}$ .

Remark: Let  $f$  be a  $p$ -adic modular form of weight  $k_0 \in \mathbb{Z}$ , with coefficients in  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ . Then  $f$  can be written as  $f = \sum_{\nu} f_{k_0 + (p-1)\nu}$  where  $f_{k_0 + (p-1)\nu}$  is a classical modular form (in  $M_{k_0 + (p-1)\nu} \otimes \mathbb{Z}_p$ ).

The sequence:  $\frac{f_{k_0 + (p-1)\nu}(A_\tau, \omega)_{\mathcal{O}}}{E_{p-1}^v(A_\tau, \omega)_{\mathcal{O}}} \in \mathcal{O}$  converges in  $\mathcal{O}$ .

So we can define  $f(A_\tau, \omega)_{\mathcal{O}} \leftarrow f$  weight  $k_0$  as well.

(we need that  $\mathcal{O}$  is a  $p$ -adic ring, that is that

$$\mathcal{O} \cong \varprojlim (\mathcal{O}/p^n \mathcal{O}).$$

Theorem: There exists a period  $\Omega_{F,p} \in \tilde{\mathcal{O}}^\times$  ( $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}$  a finite extension of  $\mathcal{O}$ ) such that the function:

$$k \mapsto \frac{\zeta_F(k,0)}{\pi^k \Omega_{\mathbb{Z}}^k} = \Omega_{F,p}^k$$

extends to a continuous (in fact, analytic) function of  $k \in \frac{\mathbb{Z}}{(p-1)\mathbb{Z}} \times \mathbb{Z}_p$ .

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$$\frac{\zeta_F(k,0)}{\pi^k} = \tilde{G}_k(A_0, \omega) \cdot \Omega_{\mathbb{Z}}^k$$

Let then  $\Omega_{F,p}$  be a  $(p-1)^{\text{st}}$  root of  $E_{p-1}(A_0, \omega)^{-1} \in \mathcal{O}^\times$ .

$$\text{So } \Omega_{F,p} = E_{p-1}(A_0, \omega)^{-\frac{1}{p-1}} \in \tilde{\mathcal{O}}^\times$$

$$\text{Then } \frac{\zeta_F(k,0)}{\pi^k \Omega_{\mathbb{Z}}^k} = \tilde{G}_k(A_0, \omega) \Rightarrow \frac{\zeta_F(k,0)}{\pi^k \Omega_{\mathbb{Z}}^k} \cdot \Omega_{F,p}^k = \frac{\tilde{G}_k(A_0, \omega)}{(E_{p-1}(A_0, \omega))^{\frac{k}{p-1}}}$$

And apply the previous result.

We need still to interpolate  $\zeta_F(k+r, -r)$ . (which involves the  $\delta_k^r$ 's).

$$\text{Recall that } \zeta_F(k+r, -r) \leftrightarrow \delta_k^r E_k(A_0, \omega)$$

Our next goal is to prove the following:

Theorem: Let  $f$  be a classical modular form in  $M_k(\mathbb{Z})$ . Let  $(A, \omega)_{/\mathcal{O}}$  be an ordinary test object such that  $\text{End}(A) \cong \mathcal{O}_K$ .

$$\text{Then: } \underbrace{(\delta_k^r f)}_{\substack{\text{function on} \\ \text{lattices}}}(A, \omega) = \underbrace{(d^r f)}_{\substack{\text{p-adic modular form}}}(A, \omega)$$

where  $d$  is the operator  $M_k \xrightarrow{d} M_k^+$  is the operator  $f \frac{d}{dq}$ .

## The derivative of a modular form.

First, an alternate description of modular forms:

Def: A modular form of weight  $k$  over  $Z$  (a ring) is a rule which associates  
to any  $E/R$  ( $R$  a  $Z$ -algebra) an element  $f(E/R) \in (\Omega'_{E/R})^{\otimes k}$

(given an algebraic modular form, then

$$f(E/R) := f((E, \omega)/R) \cdot \omega^{\otimes k}$$

which is independent of the choice of  $\omega$ ).

Let  $X = \mathcal{M}$ -line (the parameter space for elliptic curves). Then the space of relative differentials  $(\Omega'_{E_{\text{univ}}/X})^{\otimes k}$  is a line bundle on  $X$ ,

and a modular form is just a global section of this line bundle.

Problem: Suppose that  $(E_\lambda, \omega_\lambda)$  is an algebraic family of elliptic curves and  $\omega_\lambda$  differential form on  $E_\lambda$ .

We'd like to define the "derivative wrt  $\lambda$ " of  $\omega_\lambda$ , as an element of  $\Omega'_{E_\lambda}$

this is not possible:

Example:  $\text{Sp}_3$   $(E_\lambda, \omega_\lambda)$  is the family  $(y^2 = x(x-1)(x-\lambda), \frac{dx}{y})$

$$\text{Then } \frac{dx}{y} = \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x(x-1)(x-\lambda)}} \quad \text{But } \frac{d}{d\lambda} \left( \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x(x-1)(x-\lambda)}} \right) = \frac{-dx}{x(x-1)(x-\lambda)^{3/2}}$$

$= \frac{-dx}{y(x-\lambda)}$  has a pole at  $x=\lambda$ .

• deRham cohomology (algebraic) (only for curves).

Let  $X$  be a nonsingular projective curve ~~def~~ over a field  $k$ .

Def: A closed point on  $X$  is an element of  $X(\bar{k})$ . If  $P \in X(\bar{k})$  has residue field  $k_r(P) = k_P$ .

We have a map  $k(X) \rightarrow k_P((x_P))$ .

A function  $x \in k(X)$  is called a local parameter for  $X$  at  $P$  if it vanishes at  $P$  to order 1. Choosing a local parameter  $x_P$ , we get an evaluation map:

$$ev_P : k(X) \xrightarrow{\text{function field.}} k_P((x_P))$$

Differential 1-forms on  $X$ .

Def: A differential form  $\omega$  on  $X$  is called regular if  $ev_P(\omega) \in k_P[[x_P]] dx_P \in \Omega^1_{k_P((x_P))/k_P}$

(note that  $ev_P$  extends to  $ev_P : \Omega^1_{k(X)/k} \rightarrow \Omega^1_{k_P((x_P))/k_P} = k_P((x_P)) dx_P$ )

Def: The residue of  $\omega$  at the point  $P$  is the element of  $k_P$  appearing as the coefficient of  $x_P^{-1}$  in  $ev_P(\omega) = \sum_{-M}^{\infty} a_n(P) x_P^n dx_P$ .

Fact: doesn't depend on the choice of local parameter.

Def: A differential form  $\omega \in \Omega^1_{k(X)/k}$  is said to be

- of the first kind if it is regular at  $P$ ,  $\forall P \in X(\bar{k})$
- of the second kind if  $res_P(\omega) = 0 \quad \forall P \in X(\bar{k})$ .

we have:

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{diff. forms} \\ \text{of the 1st kind} \end{array} \right\} \overset{\text{small}}{\subseteq} \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{diff. forms} \\ \text{of the 2nd kind} \end{array} \right\} \overset{\text{huge space}}{\leftarrow}$$

Remark: If  $\text{res}_p(\omega) = 0$ , then  $\text{exp}_p(\omega) = \omega_p \in \Omega_{\mathbb{C}P^1(\text{exp}_p)/\mathbb{C}P^1}$  is exact  
 (can integrate termwise) Conversely, exact  $\Rightarrow \text{res} = 0$ . (in the local ring).  
 This doesn't mean that one can ~~local~~ integrate globally!

Remark: If  $K = \mathbb{C}$  and  $\gamma \in H_1(X(\mathbb{C}), \mathbb{Z})$ , then:

$$\int_{\gamma} \eta \text{ makes sense for any } \eta \text{ of the second kind.}$$

Def: The first deRham cohomology of  $X/K$  is the quotient:

$$H_{\text{dR}}^1(X/K) := \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{differential 1-forms} \\ \text{of the second kind on } X/K \end{array} \right\} \left/ \begin{array}{l} \text{exact forms} \\ \{df, f \in K(X)\} \end{array} \right\}$$

Key properties: There is a natural map:  $\Omega^1_{X/K} \longrightarrow H_{\text{dR}}^1(X/K)$

① given by  $\omega \mapsto [\omega]$ .  $\leftarrow$  regular (i.e. first kind).

which is injective:

$$[\omega] = 0 \Rightarrow \omega = df. \text{ As } \omega \text{ is regular, } f \text{ is regular everywhere, so } f = ct. \\ \Rightarrow \omega = 0. \quad \checkmark$$



② If  $\omega \in H^1_{dR}(X/k)$ , then there exists a covering  $X = \cup X_i$  by open subsets (in the Zariski topology) s.t.

$$\omega|_{X_i} = \omega_i + df_i$$

where  $\omega_i \in \Omega^1_{X_i}$  and  $f_i \in \mathcal{O}_{X_i}$ .

Define then  $f_{ij} := f_i - f_j \in \mathcal{O}_{X_i \cap X_j}(X_i \cap X_j)$

Then  $\{f_{ij}\}_{i,j}$  is a 1-cocycle (i.e. in  $H^1(X, \mathcal{O}_X)$ ).

$$(i.e. f_{ij} + f_{jk} + f_{ki} = 0)$$

To  $\omega \in H^1_{dR}(X/k)$  we can thus associate a pair the data:

$$(\omega_i, f_{ij}) \text{ s.t. } df_{ij} = \omega_j - \omega_i$$

A collection of  $\omega_i \in \Omega^1_{X_i}$  and  $f_{ij} \in \mathcal{O}_{X_i \cap X_j}(X_i \cap X_j)$  satisfying

1)  $df_{ij} = \omega_j - \omega_i$

2)  $f_{ij} + f_{jk} + f_{ki} = 0$

is called a deRham hypercocycle.

Claim:

The map  $\omega \mapsto \{f_{ij}\}_{i,j}$  from  $H^1_{dR}(X/k) \rightarrow H^1(X, \mathcal{O}_X)$  is surjective, and has kernel  $= \Omega^1_{X/k}$ .

P/s omitted

(but it's clear that  $\Omega^1_{X/k} \subseteq \text{kernel}$ )

We get in this way an exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow \Omega_{X/k}^1 \rightarrow H_{dR}^1(X/k) \rightarrow H^1(X, \mathcal{O}_X) \rightarrow 0$$

③ Duality: Given  $[\omega], [\eta] \in H_{dR}^1(X/k)$  (viewed as differentials of the second kind),

we can write:

$$\omega_p = dF_p, \quad F_p \in K_p(\mathcal{O}_{X,p}) \quad (F_p \text{ is sometimes called a local primitive for } \omega \text{ at } p).$$

Assume that  $\omega, \eta$  have no common singularity

(one can modify one of them by an exact form so that this is true).

$$\langle [\omega], [\eta] \rangle := \sum_{p \in X(\bar{k})} \text{res}_p(F_p \cdot \eta_p)$$

Claim: This pairing is well-defined.

1) Doesn't depend on the choice of the  $F_p$ :

$$\left( \text{res}_p((F_p + c) \eta_p) = \text{res}_p(F_p \eta_p) + \text{res}_p(c \cdot \eta_p) \right) \quad \left( \text{res}_p(c \cdot \eta_p) = 0 \text{ by the residue theorem} \right)$$

2) Doesn't depend on the class representatives:

• of  $\omega$ :

if  $\omega' = \omega + dg$ , then can take  $F_p' = F_p + g$  // 0 by the residue theorem.

$$\text{Then } \sum_p \text{res}_p(F_p' \eta) = \sum_p \text{res}_p(F_p \eta) + \sum_p \text{res}_p(g \cdot \eta) \quad \left( \text{global meromorphic function!} \right)$$

• of  $\eta$ : write  $\eta' = \eta + dg$ .

$$\text{Then } \sum_p \text{res}_p(F_p \eta') = \sum_p \text{res}_p(F_p \eta) + \sum_p \text{res}_p(F_p dg)$$

Note that  $\text{res}_p(F_p dg) = -\text{res}_p(dF_p \cdot g) = -\text{res}_p(\omega \cdot g)$  so again can apply the residue theorem.

Properties of  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$ : (assume  $k$  is perfect) <sup>but don't need to.</sup>

1) Bilinear and alternating ( $\langle \omega, \eta \rangle = -\langle \eta, \omega \rangle$ ).

2) It takes values in  $k$ . (although  $\text{res}_p(F_0^1/p) \in k_p$ , but it's stable under  $\Gamma_k$ )

3) (Non-formal property)  $\Omega^1_{X/k}$  is a maximal isotropic subspace for  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$ .

(so that it induces a ~~perfect~~ perfect  $k$ -linear pairing:

$$\Omega^1_{X/k} \times H^1(X, \mathcal{O}_X) \rightarrow k$$

(Serre duality).

4) Periods: Suppose now  $k = \mathbb{C}$ . Then  $X(k)$  is a Riemann surface, say of genus  $g$ . ( $2g = \text{rank}_{\mathbb{Z}}(H_1(X(\mathbb{C}), \mathbb{Z}))$ ).

This gives an integration map (called the period map)

$$\text{per}: H^1_{\text{dR}}(X/\mathbb{C}) \rightarrow H_1(X(\mathbb{C}), \mathbb{C})^{\vee}$$

which is an isomorphism. (note that  $\dim_{\mathbb{C}} = 2g$  for each of them).

We have also  $H^1_{\text{dR,an}}(X(\mathbb{C}), \mathbb{C}) = \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{closed smooth } \mathbb{C}\text{-valued} \\ \text{differential forms on } X(\mathbb{C}) \end{array} \right\} \setminus \{ \text{exact forms} \}$ .

Thm (deRham):  $H^1_{\text{dR,an}}(X(\mathbb{C}), \mathbb{C}) \cong H_1(X(\mathbb{C}), \mathbb{C})^{\vee}$ .

In this way, we get a map:

$$H^1_{\text{dR}}(X/\mathbb{C}) \xrightarrow{\cong} H^1_{\text{dR,an}}(X(\mathbb{C}), \mathbb{C})$$

$$[\omega] \longmapsto [\omega^{\text{an}}]$$

where  $\omega^{\text{an}}$  is smooth on  $X(\mathbb{C})$  and closed, and  $\int_{\gamma} \omega = \int_{\gamma} \omega^{\text{an}} \quad \forall \gamma \in H_1(X(\mathbb{C}), \mathbb{C})$

Theorem: Given  $\omega_1, \omega_2 \in H^1_{\text{DR}}(X/\mathbb{C})$ , then

$$\langle \omega_1, \omega_2 \rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{X(\mathbb{C})} \omega_1^{\text{an}} \wedge \omega_2^{\text{an}}$$

the pairing on analytic deRham cohomology (topological).  
(cf Poincaré duality)

Key example:  $X = E$  is an elliptic curve over  $k$ , equipped with

$$\omega \in \Omega^1_{E/k}. \quad \text{Assume also } 6 \in k^\times.$$

$$\text{So } \# (E, \omega) \sim (y^2 = 4x^3 - g_2x - g_3, \frac{dx}{y}), \text{ where } g_2, g_3 \in k.$$

Define then  $\eta := x \frac{dx}{y}$  (note that  $\eta$  has a double pole at  $\infty$ )

Prop: The form  $\eta$  is a differential form of the second kind on  $E/k$ , and the classes  $[\omega], [\eta]$  give a basis for  $H^1_{\text{DR}}(E/k)$ .

Pf: We will prove the first part using analytic techniques ( $k = \mathbb{C}$ ), although by choosing our parameter at  $\infty$  one can do it algebraically.

Note that under the identification  $(E, \omega) \sim (\mathbb{C}/\langle 1, \tau \rangle, dz)$ , then  $x \leftrightarrow P(z), y \leftrightarrow P'(z)$ .

$$\text{So } \frac{dx}{y} \leftrightarrow dz, \text{ and } x \frac{dx}{y} \leftrightarrow P(z) dz.$$

At  $z=0$ ,  $P(z) = \frac{1}{z^2} + \sum g(z)$ ,  $g \in \mathbb{C}[[z]]$ . So it has no term in  $\frac{1}{z}$ , as we wanted.

As  $\dim_k H^1_{\text{DR}}(E/k) = 2g = 2$ , we just need to prove linear independence.

Note that if  $[\eta] = \lambda \cdot [\omega]$ , then  $\langle \omega, \eta \rangle = 0$ . So need to show  $\langle \omega, \eta \rangle \neq 0$ .

$$\langle \omega, \eta \rangle = \text{res}_0 \left( z \cdot \left( \frac{1}{z^2} + g(z) \right) dz \right) = \text{res}_0 \left( \left( \frac{1}{z} + zg(z) \right) dz \right) = 1 \neq 0.$$

Remark: All the previous definitions (in the key example of an elliptic curve) work for  $E$  defined over any ring  $R$  with  $G \in R^*$ .

So if  $(E, \omega)_{/R}$  is a test object, then

$$H^1_{dR}(E/R) = R \cdot \left[ \frac{dx}{y} \right] + R \left[ x \frac{dx}{y} \right]$$

This gives a canonical splitting of the Hodge filtration:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 0 & \rightarrow & \Omega^1_{E/R} & \rightarrow & H^1_{dR}(E/R) & \rightarrow & H^1(E, \mathcal{O}_E) \rightarrow 0 \\
 & & \omega & & \mathbb{Z} & \dots & \mathbb{Z}
 \end{array}$$


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The Gauss-Mumford Connection

Let  $E$  be an elliptic curve defined over  $\mathbb{K}(\lambda)$ .

↖ field of rational functions on  $\lambda$  (an indeterminate)

Let  $\omega \in \Omega^1_{E/\mathbb{K}(\lambda)}$ . We get then  $(y^2 = 4x^3 - g_2(\lambda)x - g_3(\lambda), \frac{dx}{y})$ ,

where  $g_2, g_3 \in \mathbb{K}(\lambda)$ , and  $\Delta_E \in \mathbb{K}(\lambda)^*$ .

Let  $P_1, \dots, P_5$  be the set of poles of  $g_2(\lambda), g_3(\lambda) \cup \{ \text{set of zeros \& poles of } \Delta(\lambda) \}$  (a subset of  $\bar{\mathbb{K}}$ ).

Let  $R$  be the ring of functions which are regular outside  $\{P_1, \dots, P_5\}$ .

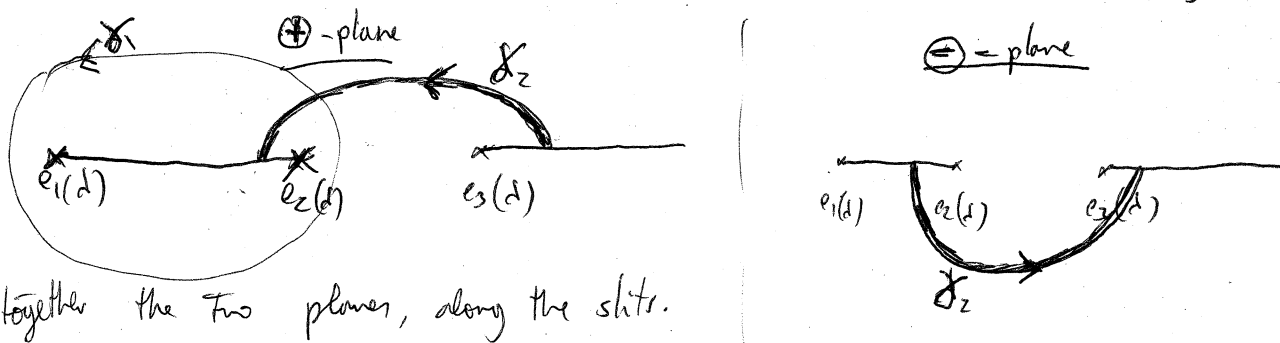
So  $E$  gives a <sup>ell</sup>curve defined over  $R$ . (base extension)

We view  $\bar{E}/R$  as giving an algebraic family  $(E_\lambda, \omega_\lambda)$ , varying with the parameter  $\lambda$ .

The goal  $\Rightarrow$  to "differentiate"  $\omega_\lambda$  w.r.t.  $\lambda$ .

To define  $\frac{d}{d\lambda} \omega_\lambda$ , we should be able to "compare"  $\omega_{\lambda+\epsilon}$  with  $\omega_\lambda$ , but they belong to different spaces! We need to "identify"  $\Omega^1_{E_\lambda} \simeq \Omega^1_{E_{\lambda+\epsilon}}$ . We get the idea from the analytic/topology setting: so assume  $K = \mathbb{C}$ .

$$E_\lambda \cong y^2 = 4x^3 - g_2(\lambda)x - g_3(\lambda) = 4(x - e_1(\lambda))(x - e_2(\lambda))(x - e_3(\lambda)).$$



and glue together the two planes, along the slits.

The paths  $\delta_1, \delta_2$  are generators for the homology  $(H_1(E_\lambda(\mathbb{C}), \mathbb{Z}))$

Note that these two paths still make sense if  $e_i(\lambda)$  move very little, so in some neighborhood of  $\lambda$ .

So choose a basis  $\delta_1, \delta_2$  for  $H_1(E_\lambda(\mathbb{C}), \mathbb{Z})$ , and this determines a basis (noted again  $\delta_1, \delta_2$ ) for  $H_1(E_{\lambda+\epsilon}(\mathbb{C}), \mathbb{Z})$ , for  $\epsilon$  sufficiently small.

As the deRham cohomology is the dual of the homology, we get a canonical identification (via the period map).

$$H^1_{dR}(E_\lambda/\mathbb{C}) \simeq H^1_{dR}(E_{\lambda+\epsilon}/\mathbb{C}).$$

Theorem: Let  $\omega_\lambda \in H_{dR}^1(E/R)$ . Then, there exists a unique form  $\omega_\lambda' \in H_{dR}^1(E/R)$  ( $k = \mathbb{C}$ ) such that:

$$(*) \quad \int_{\gamma_1} \omega_\lambda' = \frac{d}{d\lambda} \int_{\gamma_1} \omega_\lambda \quad \text{and} \quad \int_{\gamma_2} \omega_\lambda' = \frac{d}{d\lambda} \int_{\gamma_2} \omega_\lambda$$

Proof:

For each  $\lambda \in \mathbb{C} - \{P_1, P_2\}$ , the equations (\*) determine  $\omega_\lambda'$  as an element in  $H_{dR}^1(E_\lambda/\mathbb{C})$ . The problem is to show that  $\{\omega_\lambda'\}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{C} - \{P_1, P_2\}}$  comes from a differential of the second kind in  $H_{dR}^1(E/R)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Write } \omega_\lambda &= A(\lambda) \frac{dx}{y} + B(\lambda) x \frac{dx}{y} \quad (A(\lambda), B(\lambda) \in R) \\ &= \frac{A(\lambda) + xB(\lambda)}{\sqrt{4x^3 - g_2(\lambda)x - g_3(\lambda)}} dx \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{d}{d\lambda} \int_{\gamma_1} \omega_\lambda = \int_{\gamma_1} \frac{d}{d\lambda} \omega_\lambda = \int_{\gamma_1} \frac{(A'(\lambda) + B'(\lambda)x) \sqrt{4x^3 - g_2(\lambda)x - g_3(\lambda)} + \frac{1}{2} (\sqrt{\quad})^{-1}}{4x^3 - g_2(\lambda)x - g_3(\lambda)} dx$$

$\gamma_1$  doesn't depend on  $\lambda$ !

$$= \int_{\gamma_1} \frac{(A'(\lambda) + B'(\lambda)x) \cdot y + \frac{1}{2} y^{-1} \cdot (g_2'(\lambda)x + g_3'(\lambda))(A(\lambda) + xB(\lambda))}{y^2} dx$$

$$= \int_{\gamma_1} \omega_\lambda' \quad \text{where } \omega_\lambda' \text{ is an algebraic differential form on } E/R.$$

To see that it's of the second kind, we need to compute:

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_{\mathcal{C}} \omega_\lambda' = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \frac{d}{d\lambda} \left( \oint_{\mathcal{C}} \omega_\lambda \right) \stackrel{\text{essentially}}{=} 0 = 0.$$

This will allow us to define the Gauss-Mann connection.

Remark: we can replace now  $C[\lambda] \left[ \frac{1}{(\lambda-P_1) \cdots (\lambda-P_s)} \right]$  with

$$K[\lambda] \left[ \frac{1}{(\lambda-P_1) \cdots (\lambda-P_s)} \right]$$

Def: The form  $\omega'_\lambda$  is called the derivative of  $\omega_\lambda$  with respect to  $\lambda$ , for the Gauss-Mann connection.

We write  $\omega'_\lambda =: \nabla_\lambda \omega_\lambda$

We want to eliminate the dependence on  $\lambda$ . We define thus  $\nabla$  as an  $R$ -linear map:

$$\nabla: H_{dR}^1(E/R) \longrightarrow H_{dR}^1(E/R) \otimes \Omega_{R/K}^1 \quad (\text{Gauss-Mann connection})$$

such that:  $\nabla(\omega) \left( \frac{d}{d\lambda} \right) = \nabla_\lambda \omega$

Properties: (recall  $d: R \rightarrow \Omega_{R/K}^1$ ).

Leibniz rule:  $\nabla(\lambda \cdot \omega) = d\lambda \otimes \omega + \lambda \cdot \nabla(\omega)$

(HW)

### Relation to Modular Forms

If  $f$  is a modular form of weight  $k$ , it gives rise to an element of  $\Omega_{E/K}^{1 \otimes k}$  (the  $k^{\text{th}}$  symmetric power of  $\Omega_{E/K}^1$ ), by considering:

$$f(E, \omega) \omega^k \in \text{Sym}_R^k \Omega^1(E/K) \hookrightarrow \text{Sym}^k H_{dR}^1(E/K)$$

We will get  $\nabla: H_{dR}^1(E/R)^{\otimes k} \xrightarrow{\Delta} H_{dR}^1(E/R)^{\otimes k} \otimes \Omega_{R/K}^1 \xrightarrow{\text{we'll find a map here.}} \Omega_{E/K}^{1 \otimes k} \otimes \Omega_{E/K}^1$

At the end, we will get a map  $\Omega_{E/R}^{1 \otimes k} \rightarrow \Omega_{E/R}^{1 \otimes k} \otimes \Omega_{E/R}^{1 \otimes 2}$



## Algebraic description of the Gauss-Mannion connection

Let  $R$  be a  $k$ -algebra, (e.g.  $R = k[\lambda]$ ). Let  $E/R$  be an elliptic curve.  
Let  $d\lambda$  be an  $R$ -module generator for  $\Omega^1_{R/k}$  (assume here  $\dim \Omega^1 = 1$ ).

Then a form  $\omega \in H^1_{dR}(E/R)$  can be viewed as an algebraic family  $\{\omega_\lambda\}_{\lambda \in \text{Spec } R}$  of differentials of the second kind on  $\{E_\lambda\}$

Define then:

$$\nabla(\omega) := \left( \frac{d}{d\lambda} \omega_\lambda \right) \otimes d\lambda$$

Analytic description: if  $k = \mathbb{C}$  (or  $k \subseteq \mathbb{C}$ ), let  $\{\gamma_1, \gamma_2\}$  = basis for  $H_1(E_\lambda(\mathbb{C}), \mathbb{Z})$

Then  $\gamma_1, \gamma_2$  are also a basis for  $H_1(E_{\lambda'}(\mathbb{C}), \mathbb{Z})$  for  $\lambda'$  close to  $\lambda$ .

To  $\omega_\lambda$ , one can associate  $(\omega_1(\lambda), \omega_2(\lambda))$ , where  $\omega_j(\lambda) = \int_{\gamma_j} \omega_\lambda$ .

Then  $\frac{d}{d\lambda} \omega_\lambda$  is, by definition, the diff. of second kind on  $E_\lambda$  satisfying:

$$\int_{\gamma_j} \omega_\lambda' = \frac{d}{d\lambda} \omega_j(\lambda)$$

## Some sheaves and isomorphisms

a)  $\omega_{E/R} :=$  sheaf of regular differentials on  $E/R$

$$\omega_{E/R}(U) := \Omega^1_{E/\mathcal{O}_U}$$

$\leftarrow$  locally-free of rk 1. ( $U$  = affine open)

b)  $\mathcal{H}^1_{dR}(E/R) :=$  relative deRham cohomology sheaf.

$$\mathcal{H}^1_{dR}(U) := H^1_{dR}(E/\mathcal{O}_U)$$

c)  $\Omega^1_{R/k} :=$  sheaf of differentials on  $R/k$

$$\Omega^1_{R/k}(U) = \Omega^1_{\mathcal{O}_U/k}$$

We also define their  $k^{\text{th}}$  symmetric powers:

$$d) \mathbb{W}_{E/R}^k := \text{Sym}^k(\mathbb{W}_{E/R})$$

$$\mathbb{W}_{E/R}^{-k} := \text{Sym}^k(\mathbb{W}_{E/R}^{-1}), \text{ where } \mathbb{W}_{E/R}^{-1} = \text{Hom}(\mathbb{W}_{E/R}, \mathcal{O}_R)$$

e)  $\mathcal{H}'_{\text{dR}}(E/R)^k$  will be of rank  $k+1$ .

Theorem: Suppose that  $(E, \omega)_{/R}$  is a test object, and that  $6 \in R^\times$ .

Then:

$$\textcircled{1} \mathcal{H}'_{\text{dR}}(E/R) = \mathbb{W}_{E/R} \oplus \mathbb{W}_{E/R}^{-1}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \mathcal{H}'_{\text{dR}}(E/R)^k = \mathbb{W}_{E/R}^k \oplus \mathbb{W}_{E/R}^{k-2} \oplus \dots \oplus \mathbb{W}_{E/R}^{-k}$$

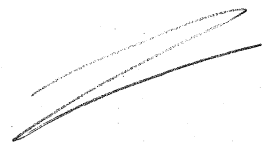
Pr For all affine  $U \in \text{Spec } R$ , we have:

$$\textcircled{1} \mathcal{H}'_{\text{dR}}(E/R)(U) = \mathcal{H}'_{\text{dR}}(E/\mathcal{O}_U) = \mathcal{O}_U \frac{dx}{y} \oplus \mathcal{O}_U x \frac{dx}{y} = \mathbb{W}'_{E/R}(U) \oplus \mathbb{W}_{E/R}^{-1}(U)$$

Remark: this decomposition is not functorial.

$$\left( \varphi^* \left( \frac{dx}{y} \right) = \alpha \cdot \frac{dx}{y}, \text{ but } \varphi^* \left( x \frac{dx}{y} \right) \neq \beta \cdot x \frac{dx}{y} \right) \quad \left( \varphi: E_1 \rightarrow E_2 \text{ an isogeny} \right)$$

For  $\textcircled{2}$ , this is just formal.



Theorem: There is a canonical map of sheaves of rank 1.

$$KS: \omega_{E/R}^2 \rightarrow \Omega_{R/K}^1 \quad (KS = Kodaira-Spencer map).$$

If  $R = K[j]$  and  $\frac{E}{j(j^2-1728)}$  is the "universal" elliptic curve, then KS is an isomorphism.

Pf (only of the first part).

To define KS, we need to define what  $\omega$ :

$$KS(\omega_1 \otimes \omega_2) := \langle \nabla(\omega_1), \omega_2 \rangle$$

Note that  $\nabla(\omega_1) \in H^1_{dR}(E/R) \otimes \Omega^1_{R/K}$ , and  $\omega_2 \in H^1_{dR}(E/R)$ .

Then  $\langle \nabla(\omega_1), \omega_2 \rangle \in R \otimes_R \Omega^1_{R/K} = \Omega^1_{R/K}$ .

Example: Consider  $(E, \omega) = (\mathbb{C}/\langle 1, \tau \rangle, dz)$ .

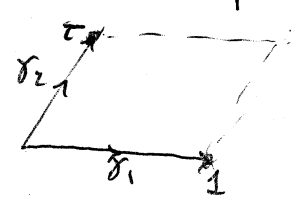
Instead of working with the algebraic decomposition  $(dz, P_z(z)dz)$ ,

we work with the Hodge decomposition:

Define  $\eta = d\bar{z}$  ( $\omega = dz$ ).  $\begin{cases} dz = dx + idy \\ d\bar{z} = dx - idy \end{cases}$

Prop:  $\{[dz], [d\bar{z}]\}$  generate  $H^1_{dR}(E/\mathbb{C})$ .

Pf: Consider their periods:



$$\int_{\delta_1} dz = 1, \quad \int_{\delta_2} dz = \tau. \quad \text{So the "period vector" of } dz \text{ is } (1, \tau)$$

The period vector of  $d\bar{z}$  is then  $(1, \bar{\tau})$ . These two vectors are l.i because  $\text{Im}(\tau) \neq 0$ .

(continues example)

The Hodge decomposition in this case is:

$$H'_{dR}(E/\mathbb{C}) = H'^0(E/\mathbb{C}) \oplus H'^1(E/\mathbb{C})$$

$$\nabla(dz) = \nabla_z(dz) \otimes d\tau$$

To compute  $\nabla_z(dz)$ , we use the period description:

The periods of  $\nabla_z(dz)$  are  $\frac{d}{dz}(1, \tau) = (0, 1)$ .

$$\text{So } \nabla_z(dz) = \frac{dz - d\bar{z}}{z - \bar{z}}$$

$$\text{Hence } \nabla(dz) = \frac{dz - d\bar{z}}{z - \bar{z}} \otimes d\tau \leftarrow \begin{array}{l} \text{This doesn't depend on the} \\ \text{choice of } \tau! \quad (\text{inv under } SL_2(\mathbb{R})) \end{array}$$

Also, in the same way we find  $\nabla(d\bar{z}) = 0$

Note that in our setting,  $\omega^2_{E/\mathbb{C}} = (dz)^2$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \boxed{ks(dz^2)} &= \langle \nabla(dz), dz \rangle = \left\langle \frac{dz - d\bar{z}}{z - \bar{z}}, dz \right\rangle \cdot d\tau = \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{E(\mathbb{C})} \frac{dz \wedge d\bar{z}}{z - \bar{z}} \cdot d\tau = \boxed{-\frac{d\tau}{2\pi i}} \end{aligned}$$

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Let now  $s: H'_{dR}(E/\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \Omega^1_{E/\mathbb{R}}$  be an algebraic splitting of the Hodge filtration. Or, more generally, let  $s: H'_{dR}(E_\lambda/\mathbb{C}) \rightarrow \Omega^1_{E_\lambda/\mathbb{C}}$  be a splitting (need not be algebraic or holomorphic), which is smooth relative to  $u, v$  if  $\lambda = u + iv$ .

We want to define an operation:

$$D_s : \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Mod-forms of} \\ \text{weight } k \\ \text{(algebraic)} \end{array} \right\} \longrightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Mod-forms of} \\ \text{weight } k+z \\ \text{(maybe not} \\ \text{algebraic!)} \end{array} \right\}$$

Recall that we had an identification:

$$M_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z})) \longrightarrow (\Omega_{\mathbb{C}/\mathbb{R}}^1)^k$$

$$f \longmapsto f(E, \omega) \cdot \omega^k$$

Next, note that  $\Omega_{\mathbb{C}/\mathbb{R}}^1 \hookrightarrow H_{\mathbb{R}}^1(\mathbb{C}/\mathbb{R})$ .

Lastly, ~~project, using the splitting  $s$ , to~~  $H_{\mathbb{R}}^1(\mathbb{C}/\mathbb{R})^k$ .

Next, apply  $\nabla : H_{\mathbb{R}}^1(\mathbb{C}/\mathbb{R})^k \rightarrow H_{\mathbb{R}}^1(\mathbb{C}/\mathbb{R})^k \otimes \Omega_{\mathbb{R}/\mathbb{C}}^1$

Apply then the splitting  $s$  to  $H_{\mathbb{R}}^1(\mathbb{C}/\mathbb{R})$ , to land in:

$$H_{\mathbb{R}}^1(\mathbb{C}/\mathbb{R})^k \otimes \Omega_{\mathbb{R}/\mathbb{C}}^1 \xrightarrow{s} \Omega_{\mathbb{C}/\mathbb{R}}^1 \otimes_{\mathbb{R}} \Omega_{\mathbb{R}/\mathbb{C}}^1$$

Lastly, apply the Kodaira-Spencer map (the inverse of what we have seen)

$$\text{to identify } \Omega_{\mathbb{R}/\mathbb{C}}^1 \cong (\Omega_{\mathbb{C}/\mathbb{R}}^1)^2$$

So the composition of all these maps gives:

$$D_s : M_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z})) \longrightarrow M_{k+z}^{\downarrow}(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$$

*maybe not algebraic anymore,  
depends on  $s$ !*

Example: the case where  $s = \text{Hodge splitting}$ .

We have  $S(a dz + b d\bar{z}) := a dz \quad (a, b \in \mathbb{C})$

Start with  $f \in M_k(SL_2(\mathbb{C}))$ .

It gives us  $f(\tau) dz^k \in (\Omega_{\mathbb{C}/\mathbb{R}}^1)^k$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Apply } \nabla: \quad \nabla(f(\tau)(dz)^k) &= df(\tau) dz^k + f(\tau) \nabla(dz^k) = \\ &= f'(\tau) dz^k d\tau + f(\tau) k \cdot \nabla(dz) \cdot (dz)^{k-1} \\ &= f'(\tau) dz^k d\tau + k f(\tau) \frac{dz - d\bar{z}}{z - \bar{z}} (dz)^{k-1} d\tau \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So } \nabla(f(\tau)(dz)^k) = \left( f'(\tau) + \frac{k f(\tau)}{z - \bar{z}} \right) dz^k d\tau - \frac{k f(\tau)}{z - \bar{z}} d\bar{z} (dz)^{k-1} d\tau$$

Note that this last expression is invariant under  $z \mapsto \frac{az+b}{cz+d}$ !

Applying now  $S$ , gives us:

$$\left( f'(\tau) + k \frac{f(\tau)}{z - \bar{z}} \right) dz^k d\tau$$

The  $k$ s -map is  $dz^z = \frac{d\tau}{2\pi i}$ , so we get:

$$-2\pi i \left( f'(\tau) + k \frac{f(\tau)}{z - \bar{z}} \right) dz^{k+z} = (\delta_k f)(\tau) dz^{k+z}$$

We now do ~~the~~ a similar computation, ~~but with a different splitting,~~  
~~but algebraically~~  
 Let  $f$  be a modular form of weight  $k$ .

$$f(q) = f(\text{Take}_q) = f\left(\mathbb{C}^x/q^z, \frac{dt}{t}\right).$$

If  $q = e^{2\pi i \tau}$ ,  $t = e^{2\pi i z}$ , then this is the same as

$$f\left(\mathbb{C}/\langle 1, \tau \rangle, 2\pi i dz\right) = f(\tau).$$

Now,

$$f(E, \omega)^k = f\left(\mathbb{C}/\langle 1, \tau \rangle, 2\pi i dz\right) (2\pi i dz)^k = f(\tau) (2\pi i dz)^k.$$

We have previously computed:

$$\nabla(f(\tau)(2\pi i dz)^k) = \left[ f'(\tau) + \frac{k f(\tau)}{\tau - \bar{\tau}} \right] (2\pi i dz)^k d\tau + \mathcal{O}((2\pi i dz)^{k-1} 2\pi i d\bar{\tau} dz)$$

The Hodge splitting induces also:

$$\begin{aligned} S_{\text{Hodge}} : H^k d\mathbb{R} (E/\mathbb{C})^k &\rightarrow (\Sigma^1_{E/\mathbb{C}})^k \\ a dz^k + b d\bar{z}^k d\bar{z} &\mapsto a dz^k \end{aligned}$$

So applying  $S_{\text{Hodge}}$  to  $\nabla(f(\tau)(2\pi i dz)^k)$  yields:

$$S(\nabla(f(\tau)(2\pi i dz)^k)) = \left[ f'(\tau) + \frac{k f(\tau)}{\tau - \bar{\tau}} \right] (2\pi i dz)^k.$$

Last time we saw that  $KS((2\pi i dz)^2) = 2\pi i d\tau$

$$\Sigma KS^{-1}(S_{\text{Hodge}}(\nabla(-))) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \left( f'(\tau) + \frac{k f(\tau)}{\tau - \bar{\tau}} \right) (2\pi i dz)^{k+2} = \int_K f(\tau) (2\pi i dz)^{k+2}$$

↓

The function  $\delta_k f$  can be thought of as a function on lattices (even if it's not holomorphic), as  $\delta_k f(\tau) = (\delta_k f)(\mathbb{C}/\langle 1, \tau \rangle, z \mapsto dz)$ .

So our computation yields:

$$(kS^{-1} \circ S_{\text{holo}} \circ \nabla)(f(E, \omega) \omega^k) = (\delta_k f)(E, \omega) \cdot \omega^{k+2}$$

Now we use an algebraic splitting.

Let  $E$  be an elliptic curve over  $R = \mathbb{C}[j][\frac{1}{j(j-1728)}]$ .

(the universal elliptic curve, i.e. whose  $j$ -invariant is exactly  $j$ ).

Then  $E$  can be viewed as a curve  $A(\mathcal{H})$  (ring of hol functions on  $\mathcal{H}$ ).

In this identification, let  $E_\tau$  the curve corresponding to  $\tau \in \mathcal{H}$ .

Consider the basis:

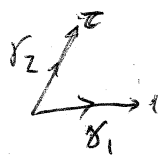
$$\left\{ \omega = 2\pi i \frac{dx}{y}, \eta = \frac{1}{2\pi i} x \frac{dx}{y} \right\} \text{ of } H^1_{\text{dR}}(E_\tau(\mathbb{C})).$$

where we take  $E = (\mathbb{C}/\langle 1, \tau \rangle, z \mapsto dz)$ . In this case, the equation

of  $E$  is  $y^2 = 4x^3 + g_2x + g_3$ , where  $g_2, g_3$  have rational coefficients.

We want to compute now  $\nabla \omega$ .

We'll work analytically, so we first compute the periods of  $\omega, \eta$ .



$$\text{per: } H^1_{\text{dR}}(E_\tau(\mathbb{C})) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^2$$

$$\alpha \longmapsto (\alpha_1, \alpha_2)$$

$$\text{where } \alpha_j = \int_{\gamma_j} \alpha$$



We get (note that  $\omega = 2\pi i \frac{dx}{y} = 2\pi i \frac{d(P(z))}{P'(z)} = 2\pi i dz$ .)

$$\eta = \frac{1}{2\pi i} P(z) dz$$

$\text{pr}(\omega) = (\omega_1, \omega_2) = (2\pi i, 2\pi i \tau)$

$\text{pr}(\eta) = ?$

Note that  $P(z)$  has no residue, so the periods make sense.

Fact 1,  $\eta_1 = \frac{2\pi i}{12} P(z) = \frac{2\pi i}{12} E_2(z)^{1+\dots}$

Proof:  $\eta_1 = \int_{z_0}^{z_0+1} \frac{1}{2\pi i} P(z) dz = \dots$  (it's a classical computation, see Appendix to Katz's paper)  
 ← cont take  $z_0=0$  because it doesn't converge there.

Fact 2:  $\omega_1 \eta_2 - \omega_2 \eta_1 = 2\pi i$

PF We know that  $\langle \omega, \eta \rangle = 1$  algebraic pairing.

It's an alternating bilinear pairing, which induces one on  $\mathbb{C}^2$ . So it's a multiple of the determinant.

Hence  $\exists \lambda \in \mathbb{C}^\times$  s.t.  $\forall \omega, \eta \in H'_{DR}(E_\tau)$ ,

$\langle \omega, \eta \rangle = \lambda (\omega_1 \eta_2 - \omega_2 \eta_1)$ .

To compute  $\lambda$ , take  $\omega = dz, \eta = d\bar{z}$ . Then  $\langle dz, d\bar{z} \rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\mathbb{C}} dz d\bar{z} = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\mathbb{C}} (z - \bar{z})$

and  $\omega_1 \eta_2 - \omega_2 \eta_1 = \tau - \bar{\tau}$

From the two previous facts, we get:

$$(\omega_1, \omega_2) = (2\pi i, 2\pi i \tau) \leftarrow \text{derivative} = (0, 2\pi i)$$

$$(\eta_1, \eta_2) = \left( \frac{2\pi i}{12} P(\tau), \frac{2\pi i}{12} \tau P(\tau) + 1 \right)$$

Next, we need to compute  $\nabla_{\tau} \omega$  = the unique class whose periods are  $(0, 2\pi i)$

$$\text{So } \nabla_{\tau} \omega = -2\pi i \left( \frac{P(\tau)}{12} \omega - \eta \right)$$

$$\nabla(f(\tau) \omega^k) = f'(\tau) \omega^k d\tau + f(\tau) \nabla(\omega^k) = f'(\tau) \omega^k d\tau + k f(\tau) \nabla(\omega) \omega^{k-1} =$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi i} f'(\tau) \omega^k (2\pi i d\tau) + k f(\tau) 2\pi i \left( \frac{P(\tau)}{12} \omega - \eta \right) \omega^{k-1} d\tau$$

$$= \left[ \frac{1}{2\pi i} f'(\tau) - k f(\tau) \frac{P(\tau)}{12} \right] \omega^k 2\pi i d\tau + \underbrace{k f(\tau) 2\pi i \eta \omega^{k-1} d\tau}$$

The algebraic splitting consists on keeping only  $\omega^k$ . We also take  $K_S^{-1}$ , and get

$$(K_S^{-1} \circ S_{\text{alg}} \circ \nabla)(f(\tau) \omega^k) = \left[ \frac{1}{2\pi i} f'(\tau) - k f(\tau) \frac{P(\tau)}{12} \right] \omega^{k+2} =$$

$$= \left[ q \frac{d f}{d q}(q) - \frac{k f(q) P(q)}{12} \right] \left( \frac{dt}{t} \right)^{k+2} \leftarrow \text{Serre's operator!}$$

We want to understand the relation between  $(z \in \mathcal{H}/N \text{ a CM-point})$

$$\delta_k f(z) \leftrightarrow d^r f(Az, w) \quad \left( d = q \frac{d}{dq} \right)$$

The p-adic picture,

Let now  $E$  be an ordinary e.c. over a p-adic ring  $R$ .

(think  $R =$  ring of integers of a finite unramified extension of  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ .)

(then  $R = W(\mathbb{F}_q)$ , where  $q = p^{[Frac(R) : \mathbb{Q}_p]}$ )  
 $\uparrow$  Witt-vector

Note also that  $R/p = \mathbb{F}_q$ . Let  $\bar{E}$  be the special fiber over  $\mathbb{F}_q$ .

We have the isogeny  $F: \bar{E}/\mathbb{F}_q \rightarrow \bar{E}^{(p)}/\mathbb{F}_q$  (Frobenius).

This induces a map:

$$\tilde{F}: H'_{dR}(\bar{E}^{(p)}/\mathbb{F}_q) \rightarrow H'_{dR}(\bar{E}/\mathbb{F}_q)$$

which is  $\mathbb{F}_q$ -linear.

We can identify  $H'_{dR}(\bar{E}/\mathbb{F}_q) \simeq H'_{dR}(\bar{E}^{(p)}/\mathbb{F}_q)$ , which is

not  $\mathbb{F}_q$ -linear, but  $\varphi$ -linear ( $\varphi$  the Frobenius on  $\mathbb{F}_q$ ).

By composition, we get:

$$F: H'_{dR}(\bar{E}/\mathbb{F}_q) \rightarrow H'_{dR}(\bar{E}/\mathbb{F}_q)$$

which is  $\varphi$ -semilinear:

$$F(\lambda w) = \lambda^p F(w) = \varphi(\lambda) F(w).$$



Important Fact: The Frobenius  $F$  lifts canonically to  $H^1_{\text{dR}}(E/R)$  giving a  $\varphi$ -semilinear operation on it.

If  $E$  is ordinary, then there exists  $\eta \in H^1_{\text{dR}}(E/R)$  such that  $\langle F(\eta) \rangle = R \cdot \eta$  (as  $R$ -modules).

(it's like saying that  $\eta$  is an eigenvector of "cyclically" a unit, but eigenvalues are not well-defined in semilinear maps).

Fact:  $\omega$  and  $\eta$  generate  $H^1_{\text{dR}}(E/R)$ . We choose  $\eta$  such that  $\langle \omega, \eta \rangle = 1$ .

~~This~~ This gives us the unit-root splitting.

We need a formula for  $\eta$  on  $(\text{Tate}_q, \overset{\omega}{\left(\frac{dt}{t}\right)}) / \mathbb{Z}_p[[q]]$ :

Fact:  $\eta = \nabla \left( q \frac{d}{dq} \right) \cdot \omega = \nabla_q \omega$

(in other words,  $\nabla(\omega) = \eta \frac{dq}{q}$ ).

Let  $S_{\text{unitroot}}(a\omega + b\eta) = a\omega$ . Then we compute:  $(d = \theta = q \frac{d}{dq})$

$$\nabla \left( f(q) \left( \frac{dt}{t} \right)^k \right) = \theta f(q) \left( \frac{dt}{t} \right)^k \frac{dq}{q} + f(q) \nabla \left( \left( \frac{dt}{t} \right)^k \right)$$

After  $S_{\text{unitroot}}$ , get:

$$(S_{\text{unitroot}} \circ \nabla) \left( f(q) \omega^k \right) = (\theta f(q)) \omega^k \frac{dq}{q}$$

$$(K_S^{-1} \circ S_{\text{unitroot}} \circ \nabla) \left( \quad \right) = (\theta f)(q) \omega^{k+2}$$

So the  $\theta$ -operation on  $p$ -adic modular forms also arises from this setting.

Key Fact: Unlike the algebraic splitting, the Hodge and unit-root splittings are functorial:

If  $\alpha: E \rightarrow E'$  is an isogeny, that is,  $\alpha^*(\eta') \in \langle \eta \rangle$

In particular, if  $E/\mathcal{O}_H$  is a CM-elliptic curve, and we

fix  $i_p: \mathcal{O}_H \hookrightarrow \mathbb{C}$ ,  $i_q: \mathcal{O}_H \hookrightarrow \mathbb{R}$  two embeddings (complex and real resp.)

then there is a decomposition:

$$H_{dR}^1(E/H) = H\omega \oplus H\eta$$

in such a way that:

$$H_{dR}^1(E/\mathbb{C}) = \mathbb{C}\omega \oplus \mathbb{C}\eta \quad H_{dR}^1(E/\mathbb{R}) = \mathbb{R}\omega \oplus \mathbb{R}\eta$$

$\lambda d\bar{z}, \lambda \in \mathbb{C}^*$        $\lambda'$ : unit-root class

Let  $\alpha \in \mathcal{O}_F$ . Think of  $\alpha$  as an isogeny  $E \xrightarrow{\alpha} E$ , such that

$$\alpha^*(\omega) = \alpha \cdot \omega \quad (\text{the usual normalization})$$

$$\text{Then } \alpha^*(d\bar{z}) = \bar{\alpha} d\bar{z}$$

$$\alpha^*(\eta_{\text{unitroot}}) = \bar{\alpha} \eta_{\text{unitroot}}$$

So the two splittings (Hodge and unit-root) are the same there.

It follows that:

$$\sum_k \sigma_k(A, \omega) = d^r E_k(A, \omega)$$

The LHS is related to  $\sum_k (k+r, -r)$

The RHS has Fourier coefficients  $n^r \sigma_{k-1}(n)$  as long as  $p \nmid n$ .

So as long as  $p \nmid n$ , the function  $(r, k) \mapsto n^r \sigma_{k-1}(n)$  is analytic on  $(\mathbb{Z}_{p-1} \times \mathbb{Z}_p)^{\mathbb{Z}}$ , so it provides an interpolation to  $\zeta_F(k_1, k_2)$ .

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