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*Some topics on modular functions, elliptic functions  
and transcendence theory*

Sheet of exercises n.5

- 5.1.** Prove that  $a_1 = (2\pi)^{12}$  in the Fourier expansion of the discriminant function  $\Delta$ .
- 5.2.** Let  $\mathcal{M} = \{(\omega_1, \omega_2) \in \mathbb{C}^* | \omega_1/\omega_2 \in \mathcal{H}\}$ . Consider two couples  $(\omega_1, \omega_2)$  and  $(\omega'_1, \omega'_2)$  in  $\mathcal{M}$  and set  $\Lambda := \mathbb{Z}\omega_1 \oplus \mathbb{Z}\omega_2$ ,  $\Lambda' := \mathbb{Z}\omega'_1 \oplus \mathbb{Z}\omega'_2$ . Prove that  $\Lambda = \Lambda'$  if and only if there exists a matrix  $\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$  in  $\text{SL}_2(\mathbb{Z})$  such that

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \omega_1 \\ \omega_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \omega'_1 \\ \omega'_2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- 5.3.** Let  $F$  be a lattice function of weight  $k$ . For  $\tau \in \mathcal{H}$ , set  $f(\tau) = F(\tau, 1)$ . Prove that  $f$  is weakly modular of weight  $k$ .
- 5.4.** Let  $f$  be weakly modular of weight  $k$ . For  $(\omega_1, \omega_2) \in \mathcal{M}$ , set  $F(\omega_1, \omega_2) = \omega_2^{-2k} f(\omega_1/\omega_2)$  and for  $\Lambda \in \mathcal{L}$ , set  $F(\Lambda) = F(\omega_1, \omega_2)$ , where  $\Lambda = \Lambda_{\omega_1, \omega_2}$ . Prove that  $F$  is a lattice function of weight  $k$ .