

Differential equation for p : We have

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$$(DE) \quad (p')^2 = 4p^3 - g_2 p - g_3$$

where $g_2 := 60 G_4$, $g_3 := 140 G_6$ and

$$G_r = G_r(L) := \sum_{\omega \in L^*} \frac{1}{\omega^r}$$

For a proof of (DE) we need

LEMMA We have the Laurent expansion

$$(LE) \quad p(u) = u^2 + 3G_4 u^2 + 5G_6 u^4 + \dots \quad \text{and} \\ p'(u) = -2u^{-3} + 6G_4 u + 20G_6 u^3 + \dots$$

Proof: (i) We have

$$(1-q)^{-1} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} q^n, \quad |q| < 1$$

$$+ (1-q)^{-2} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n \cdot q^n$$

⋮

$$(k-1)! (1-q)^{-k} = \sum_{n=k-1}^{\infty} n \cdot (n-1) \cdots (n-k+2) q^{n-k+1}$$

$$\underline{(1-q)^{-k}} = \sum_{n=k-1}^{+\infty} \binom{n}{k-1} q^{n-k+1} = \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} \binom{n+k-1}{k-1} q^n, \quad |q| < 1.$$

(ii) We have, for $|u| < |\omega|$,

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$$(u - \omega)^{-k} = (-\omega)^{-k} \left(1 - \frac{u}{\omega}\right)^{-k} = \frac{(-1)^k}{\omega^k} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \binom{n+k-1}{k-1} \frac{u^n}{\omega^n}, \text{ and thus}$$

$$(u - \omega)^{-2} - \omega^{-2} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (n+1) \frac{u^n}{\omega^{n+2}} \text{ and}$$

$$p(u) = u^{-2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (n+1) G_{n+2} u^n, \\ \parallel \\ 0 \\ \text{for odd } n$$

Finally, we get

$$p(u) = \frac{1}{u^2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (2n+1) G_{2n+2} u^{2n} \text{ and}$$

$$p'(u) = -\frac{2}{u^3} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (2n+1) \cdot 2n G_{2n+2} u^{2n-1}$$

Proof of (DE): By (LE), we have

$$(1) (p'(u))^2 = 4u^{-6} + 2 \cdot (-2) \cdot 6 G_4 u^{-2} + 2(-2) 20 G_6 + \dots$$

$$(2) (p(u))^3 = u^{-6} + 3 \cdot 3 G_4 u^{-2} + 3 \cdot 5 \cdot G_6 + \dots$$

By (1) and (2), the map $(p'(u))^2 - 4(p(u))^3 + g_2 p(u) + g_3$ is elliptic, it has no pole and vanishes at 0, thus it vanishes on the whole of \mathbb{C} . \square

Remark: Recall that $\alpha_1 = p(\omega_1/2)$,

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$\alpha_2 = p(\omega_2/2)$ and $\alpha_3 = p((\omega_1 + \omega_2)/2)$. Then

$\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3$ are three different simple roots of

$$(*) \quad 4z^3 - g_2z - g_3 = 0.$$

Indeed, $p'(\omega_1/2) = 0 = p'(\omega_2/2) = p'((\omega_1 + \omega_2)/2)$
and use (ΦE) .

Exercise A cubic equation $(*)$ has three
different simple roots iff $g_2^3 \neq 27g_3^2$.

\Rightarrow Let $p(z) = 4z^3 - g_2z - g_3 = 0$ and

$$p'(z) = 12z^2 - g_2 = 0.$$

Then $g_2 = 12z^2$ and $g_3 = -8z^3$. Thus $g_2^3 = 27g_3^2$.

\Leftarrow Let $g_2^3 = 27g_3^2$ and $g_2 = 0$. Then

$$z := -\frac{3}{2} \frac{g_3}{g_2} \text{ satisfies } p(z) = 0 = p'(z). \quad \square$$

Geometric interpretation of p

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For a given lattice $L = \mathbb{Z}\omega_1 + \mathbb{Z}\omega_2$, we have the corresponding Weierstrass function p which satisfies

$$(\Phi E) \quad (p')^2 = 4p^3 - g_2p - g_3.$$

Let us consider the hyperelliptic $\mathbb{R}S$ X given by

$$X := \{(z, w) \in \mathbb{C}^2 \mid w^2 = 4z^3 - g_2z - g_3\}.$$

As we know, by adding one point ∞_0 at infinity to X we can compactify X , i.e.,

$\bar{X} := X \cup \{\infty_0\}$ is a compact connected $\mathbb{R}S$

and the z -projection

$$\pi: \bar{X} \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^1$$

$$\pi(z, w) := z, \quad (z, w) \in X;$$

$$\pi(\infty_0) := \infty;$$

is a meromorphic function.

Theorem (1) The mapping $\phi: \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \bar{X}$

defined by $\phi(u) := (p(u), p'(u))$, $u \in \mathbb{C}$, $u \neq 0$;
 $:= \infty$, $u \sim 0$;

is doubly periodic and holomorphic.

(2) The corresponding map $\bar{\phi}: \mathbb{C}/L \rightarrow \bar{X}$ given by

$$\bar{\phi}([u]) := \phi(u) \text{ if } u \in \mathbb{C} \text{ and } [u] = u + L$$

is a conformal mapping of \mathbb{C}/L onto \bar{X} .

In particular, $\mathbb{C}/L \cong \bar{X}$.

Proof: (1) Put $P(z, w) := w^2 - (4z^3 - g_2z - g_3)$.

(a) Let $u \neq 0$ and $p'(u) \neq 0$. Then ϕ is holomorphic on a neighborhood of u . Indeed, put $(z, w) := (p(u), p'(u)) \in X$.

Then a local map on a neighborhood of (z, w) is given by the z -projection π because $\frac{\partial P}{\partial w}(z, w) = 2w \neq 0$.

In the local map, we have that $\pi \circ \phi = p$ is holomorphic.

(b) Let $u \neq 0$ and $p'(u) = 0$. Put $(z, w) = (p(u), p'(u)) \in X$.

Since $\frac{\partial P}{\partial z} \neq 0$ at (z, w) a local map on a neighborhood of $(z, w) \in X$ is given by the w -projection

$$\begin{aligned} \rho: X &\rightarrow \mathbb{C} \\ (z, w) &\rightarrow w \end{aligned}$$

and, in the local map, $\rho \circ \phi = p'$ is holomorphic.

(c) It is clear that $\lim_{u \rightarrow 0} \phi(u) = \infty$. EL17

(2) Since $\bar{\phi}$ is a non-constant holomorphic map between compact connected R.S., $\bar{\phi}$ is surjective. The map $\bar{\phi}$ is injective. Indeed, $p(u) = \infty$ iff $u \sim 0$. Moreover, let $p(u) = p(v) \in \mathbb{C}$ and $p'(u) = p'(v)$. Then $v \sim u$.

(a) Let $p'(u) \neq 0$. Then $p'(-u) = -p'(u) \neq p'(u)$, so $u \not\sim -u$ and $v \sim \pm u$. By $p'(u) = p'(v)$, we get $v \sim u$.

(b) Let $p(u) = \infty$. Then p attains its value at u twice, so $v \sim u$. \blacksquare

Theorem Let X be a R.S. FSAE:

- (1) X is a compact connected R.S. of genus 1;
- (2) X is conformally equivalent to \mathbb{C}/L for some lattice $L := \mathbb{Z}\omega_1 + \mathbb{Z}\omega_2$ with $\omega_1, \omega_2 \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$ and $\omega_2/\omega_1 \notin \mathbb{R}$;

(3) X is conformally equivalent to EL 18
one point compactification of the hyperelliptic
RS given by the equation $w^2 = p(z)$ for some
cubic polynomial p having just three
simple roots.

pf: (2) \Rightarrow (3) \Rightarrow (1) We proved these implica-
tions in this and previous lectures.

(1) \Rightarrow (2): We do not give a proof of this
statement. \square