

Math 105: Introduction to Modular Forms  
Homework 2: Due Wednesday, May 7

1. (a) Prove that  $\{I\} \cup \{T^{-j}S\}_{j=0}^{p-1}$  is a complete set of left coset representatives for  $\Gamma_0(p)$  in  $\Gamma$ .

(b) Draw a fundamental domain for  $\Gamma_0(2)$ .

2. Let  $f \in M_k(\Gamma_0(N), \chi)$  and set  $W_N := \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ N & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ . The map  $f \mapsto f|_k W_N$  is called the Fricke involution.

(a) Prove that  $f|_k W_N \in M_k(\Gamma_0(N), \bar{\chi})$ , and that the square of the Fricke involution is the map  $(-1)^k$  on  $M_k(\Gamma_0(N), \chi)$ . Show that the Fricke involution is an isomorphism of vector spaces from  $M_k(\Gamma_0(N), \chi)$  to  $M_k(\Gamma_0(N), \bar{\chi})$ .

(b) If  $\chi = \bar{\chi}$  (that is if  $\chi(d) = \pm 1$ ), then show that

$$M_k(\Gamma_0(N), \chi) = M_k^+(\Gamma_0(N), \chi) \oplus M_k^-(\Gamma_0(N), \chi),$$

where  $M_k^\pm(\Gamma_0(N), \chi) = \{f \in M_k(\Gamma_0(N), \chi) : f|_k W_N = \pm i^{-k} f\}$ .

3. (a) For  $\delta \in \mathbb{N}$ , show that if  $\gamma \in \Gamma$  then  $\begin{pmatrix} \delta & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \gamma = \gamma' \begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ 0 & D \end{pmatrix}$  for some  $\gamma' \in \Gamma$  and integers  $A, B$  and  $D$ , with  $A$  and  $D$  positive.

(b) For  $\alpha = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in GL_2^+(\mathbb{Q})$ , define

$$\eta(z)|_{\frac{1}{2}} \alpha := (\det \alpha)^{\frac{1}{4}} (cz + d)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \eta(\alpha z),$$

where we take the branch of the square root having nonnegative real part. Using the fact that for  $\gamma \in \Gamma$ ,  $\eta(z)|_{\frac{1}{2}} \gamma = \epsilon \eta(z)$  for some root of unity  $\epsilon$ , prove that the order of

vanishing of an eta-quotient  $f(z) = \prod_{\delta|N} \eta^{r_\delta}(\delta z)$  at a cusp  $s$  is

$$\text{ord}_s f = \frac{N}{24(c^2, N)} \sum_{\delta|N} \frac{(c, \delta)^2}{\delta} r_\delta.$$

4. (a) Show that  $g(z) = \eta^3(z)\eta^3(7z) \in S_3(\Gamma_0(7), (\frac{\cdot}{7}))$ .

(b) Prove that if  $f$  is a nonzero element of  $S_3(\Gamma_0(7), (\frac{\cdot}{7}))$ , then it is a constant multiple of  $g(z)$ .