

**Exercise 1** Let  $\Lambda$  be a lattice in  $\mathbb{C}$ ,  $k \geq 3$  an integer, and  $G_k = \sum_{\lambda \in \Lambda \setminus \{0\}} 1/\lambda^k$ . Let also  $\wp$  denote the Weierstrass function associated to  $\Lambda$ .

- a) Show that the series defining  $G_k$  converges and is zero for  $k$  odd.  
 b) Show that the Laurent expansion of  $\wp$  near 0 is

$$\wp(z) = \frac{1}{z^2} + 3G_4z^2 + 5G_6z^4 + O(z^6).$$

- c) Deduce that

$$\wp'(z)^2 = \frac{4}{z^6} - \frac{24G_4}{z^2} - 80G_6 + O(z^2)$$

and

$$\wp(z)^3 = \frac{1}{z^6} + \frac{9G_4}{z^2} + 15G_6 + O(z^2).$$

- d) Conclude that  $\wp$  satisfies the Weierstrass differential equation

$$\wp'(z)^2 = 4\wp(z)^3 - 60G_4\wp(z) - 140G_6.$$

**Exercise 2** Keep the notations of previous exercise.

- a) Show that if  $z_0 \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \Lambda$ ,  $\text{div}(\wp - \wp(z_0)) = [P_0] + [-P_0] - 2[0]$ , where  $P_0 = z_0 + \Lambda \in \mathbb{C}/\Lambda$ .  
 b) Let  $f \in \mathbb{C}(\Lambda)^*$  be an even nonzero  $\Lambda$ -elliptic function. Show that its divisor of zeros and poles is of the form

$$\text{div}(f) = \sum_{1 \leq i \leq k} n_i([P_i] + [-P_i])$$

with  $n_i \in \mathbb{Z}$  and  $P_i = z_i + \Lambda \in \mathbb{C}/\Lambda$  (observe that  $z \mapsto f(z + \omega)$  is even for  $\omega \in \frac{1}{2}\Lambda$ ).

- c) Show that  $\sum_i n_i = 0$ , and deduce that the function

$$g = \prod_{1 \leq i \leq k, z_i \notin \Lambda} (\wp - \wp(z_i))^{n_i}$$

has the same divisor of zeros and poles as  $f$ .

- d) Deduce that  $f = cg$  for  $c \in \mathbb{C}^*$ , and that  $f$  belongs to  $\mathbb{C}(\wp)$ , the subfield of  $\mathbb{C}(\Lambda)$  generated by  $\wp$ .  
 e) Show that  $\mathbb{C}(\Lambda) = \mathbb{C}(\wp) \oplus \mathbb{C}(\wp)\wp' = \mathbb{C}(\wp, \wp')$ , a field extension of degree 2 of  $\mathbb{C}(\wp)$ .

**Exercise 3** Still keep the notations of previous exercises. Let

$$\phi : \mathbb{C}/\Lambda \setminus \{0\} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^2$$

$$z + \Lambda \mapsto (\wp(z), \wp'(z)).$$

a) Let  $E \subset \mathbb{C}^2$  defined by the equation  $y^2 = 4x^3 - ax - b$ , where  $a = 60G_4$ ,  $b = 140G_6$ . Show that  $\phi(\mathbb{C}/\Lambda \setminus \{0\}) = E$ .

- b) Show that  $\phi$  is injective (consider  $\text{div}(\wp - x)$ ).

c) Let  $(\omega_1, \omega_2)$  be a  $\mathbb{Z}$ -basis of  $\Lambda$ . Show that the roots of  $4x^3 - ax - b = 0$  are  $\wp(\omega_1/2)$ ,  $\wp(\omega_2/2)$ ,  $\wp((\omega_1 + \omega_2)/2)$  (consider  $\text{div}(\wp')$  and the parity of  $\wp'$ ). Deduce that they are distinct.

- d) Show that  $E$  is a complex submanifold of  $\mathbb{C}^2$ .

e) Conclude that  $\phi$  is a biholomorphism from  $\mathbb{C}/\Lambda \setminus \{0\}$  to  $E$ .

- f) What happens near  $0 \in \mathbb{C}/\Lambda$ ?

**Exercise 4** Let  $\mathbb{S}^2$  be the unit sphere  $\{(u, t) \in \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{R} \mid |u|^2 + t^2 = 1\}$ , and  $\pi : \mathbb{S}^2 \setminus \{(0, 1)\} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  the stereographic projection.

a) Check that  $\pi(u, t) = u/(1 - t)$ , and that if  $z = \pi(u, t)$ ,  $|z|^2 + 1 = 2/(1 - t)$ .

b) Compute the riemannian metric  $|du|^2 + dt^2$  on the sphere in terms of  $z$  and  $dz$ , assuming  $t \neq 1$  (Let  $z = \pi(u, t)$ . Express first  $du$  in terms of  $z, t, dz, dt$ . Show that  $\operatorname{Re}(\bar{z}dz) = dt/(1 - t)^2$ . Then simplify  $|du|^2 + dt^2$ ). You should find an expression of the form  $a(z)|dz|^2$  for some positive function  $a$ , showing that  $\pi$  is a conformal map, meaning that its tangent map preserves orthogonality of tangent vectors.

c) Show that images by  $\pi$  of circles on  $\mathbb{S}^2$  (with  $(0, 1)$  removed if necessary) are circles or lines in  $\mathbb{C}$ .

**Exercise 5** Let  $H = \{(u, t) \in \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{R} \mid t > 0, t^2 - |u|^2 = 1\}$ , and consider the projection  $\pi : H \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  from the point  $(0, -1) \in \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{R}$ .

a) Check that  $\pi(u, t) = u/(1 + t)$ , and that if  $z = \pi(u, t)$ ,  $1 - |z|^2 = 2/(1 + t)$ . What is the image of  $\pi$ ? Check that  $\pi$  is a diffeomorphism from  $H$  onto its image.

b) Compute the quadratic differential form  $dt^2 - |du|^2$  on  $H$  in terms of  $z$  and  $dz$  (proceed as in the previous exercise). You should again find a metric of the form  $a(z)|dz|^2$  on  $\pi(H)$ .

c) What are the images by  $\pi$  of the intersections of  $H$  with planes containing the origin?