

**“A First Course in Modular Forms” by Schur and Diamond**  
**Chapter 1.1 Exercises**

3. (a) Show that the set  $\mathcal{M}_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  of modular forms of weight  $k$  forms a vector space over  $\mathbb{C}$ .

Note that a function  $f : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is a modular form by definition if

- $f$  is holomorphic on  $\mathcal{H}$
- $f$  is weakly modular of weight  $k$ , and
- $f$  is holomorphic at  $\infty$ .

In order to show that  $\mathcal{M}_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  is a vector space we must show

- i. that addition is associative and commutative,
- ii. the existence of an additive identity denoted 0 and an additive inverse for each element,
- iii. that scalar multiplication is associative,
- iv. that scalar multiplication distributes over vector addition and vice versa,
- v. and that  $\mathcal{M}_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  is closed under addition and scalar multiplication.

Indeed

- i. Addition is associative and commutative since for  $f, g : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  one has that  $f + g$  is defined by  $(f + g)(z) = f(z) + g(z)$  and thus the claim follows from the fact that addition in  $\mathbb{C}$  is associative and commutative.
- ii. Also, one has that the zero map  $0 \in \mathcal{M}_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  is a modular form of weight  $k$  due to quick verification of the three necessary properties. Also, it is the additive identity due to the definition of function addition as above.
- iii. Furthermore, scalar multiplication is associative once again due to definition of scalar multiplication of functions meaning that  $a(bf)$  is defined by  $(a(bf))(z) = a((bf)(z)) = ab(f(z)) = ((ab)(f))(z)$ .
- iv. Also scalar multiplication distributes over vector addition since  $(a(f + g))(z) = a((f + g)(z)) = af(z) + ag(z) = (af + ag)(z)$ .
- v. Finally,  $\mathcal{M}_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  is closed under addition and scalar multiplication.
  - Namely, if  $f, g : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  are holomorphic on  $\mathcal{H}$  then so is  $(f + g) : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ .
  - Likewise I claim that if  $f, g : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  are weakly modular of weight  $k$  then so is  $(f + g) : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ . In particular, we know by definition that

$$f(\gamma(\tau)) = (c\tau + d)^k f(\tau) \text{ and } g(\gamma(\tau)) = (c\tau + d)^k g(\tau) \text{ for all } \gamma = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \text{ and all } \tau \in \mathcal{H}.$$

Then, of course

$$(f + g)(\gamma(\tau)) = (c\tau + d)^k f(\tau) + (c\tau + d)^k g(\tau) = (c\tau + d)^k ((f + g)(\tau)) \text{ for all } \gamma = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \text{ and all } \tau \in \mathcal{H}.$$

- Finally, I claim that the fact that  $f, g$  are holomorphic at  $\infty$  implies that  $f + g$  is also holomorphic at  $\infty$ . Namely,  $f, g$  holomorphic at  $\infty$  means by definition that there exist  $z_1, z_2 \in \mathbb{C}$  such that the functions

$$\hat{f}(z) = \begin{cases} z_1 & \text{if } z = 0 \\ f\left(\frac{\log(z)}{2\pi i}\right) & \text{if } z \in D \setminus \{0\} \end{cases} \text{ and } \hat{g}(z) = \begin{cases} z_2 & \text{if } z = 0 \\ g\left(\frac{\log(z)}{2\pi i}\right) & \text{if } z \in D \setminus \{0\} \end{cases} \text{ are holomorphic on } D,$$

where  $D = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| \leq 1\}$  denotes the unit disk.

Then, we see that

$$\widehat{f + g}(z) = \begin{cases} z_1 + z_2 & \text{if } z = 0 \\ f\left(\frac{\log(z)}{2\pi i}\right) + g\left(\frac{\log(z)}{2\pi i}\right) & \text{if } z \in D \setminus \{0\} \end{cases} \text{ is holomorphic on } D,$$

since it is the sum of two holomorphic functions, and thus  $f + g$  is holomorphic at infinity, concluding the proof of closure under addition.

- Likewise if  $f : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is holomorphic, then so is  $af : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  for all  $a \in \mathbb{C}$ .
- Furthermore, if

$$f(\gamma(\tau)) = (c\tau + d)^k f(\tau) \text{ for all } \gamma = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \text{ and all } \tau \in \mathcal{H},$$

then

$$(af)(\gamma(\tau)) = (c\tau + d)^k (af)(\tau) \text{ for all } \gamma = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \text{ and all } \tau \in \mathcal{H}.$$

since  $(af)(\gamma(\tau)) = a(f(\gamma(\tau))) = a(c\tau + d)^k f(\tau) = (c\tau + d)^k (af)(\tau)$ .

- Finally, if  $f : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is holomorphic at infinity, that means by definition that there exists  $z' \in \mathbb{C}$  such that the function

$$\hat{f}(z) = \begin{cases} z' & \text{if } z = 0 \\ f\left(\frac{\log(z)}{2\pi i}\right) & \text{if } z \in D \setminus \{0\} \end{cases}$$

is holomorphic on  $D$ . Thus, the function

$$\widehat{(af)}(z) = \begin{cases} az' & \text{if } z = 0 \\ (af)\left(\frac{\log(z)}{2\pi i}\right) & \text{if } z \in D \setminus \{0\} \end{cases} = a\hat{f}(z)$$

is holomorphic on  $D$ , proving closure under scalar multiplication.

- (b) If  $f : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is a modular form of weight  $k$  and  $g : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is a modular form of weight  $\ell$ , show that  $(fg) : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is a modular form of weight  $k + \ell$ .

We need to prove that

- $(fg) : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is holomorphic,
- $(fg) : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is weakly modular of weight  $k + \ell$ ,
- and  $(fg) : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is holomorphic at infinity.

Indeed,

- we see that  $(fg) : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is holomorphic since the product of holomorphic functions is holomorphic.
- Likewise,  $(fg) : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is weakly modular of weight  $k + \ell$  since

$$(fg)(\gamma(\tau)) = f(\gamma(\tau))g(\gamma(\tau)) = ((c\tau + d)^k f(\tau))((c\tau + d)^\ell g(\tau)) = (c\tau + d)^{k+\ell} f(\tau)g(\tau) = (c\tau + d)^{k+\ell} (fg)(\tau)$$

for all  $\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$  and all  $\tau \in \mathcal{H}$ .

- Finally note that  $(fg) : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is holomorphic at infinity since  $f, g : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  holomorphic at infinity implies existence of  $z_1, z_2 \in \mathbb{C}$  such that

$$\hat{f}(z) = \begin{cases} z_1 & \text{if } z = 0 \\ f\left(\frac{\log(z)}{2\pi i}\right) & \text{if } z \in D \setminus \{0\} \end{cases} \text{ and } \hat{g}(z) = \begin{cases} z_2 & \text{if } z = 0 \\ g\left(\frac{\log(z)}{2\pi i}\right) & \text{if } z \in D \setminus \{0\} \end{cases} \text{ are holomorphic on } D,$$

which implies that the function

$$\hat{fg}(z) = \begin{cases} z_1 z_2 & \text{if } z = 0 \\ f\left(\frac{\log(z)}{2\pi i}\right) g\left(\frac{\log(z)}{2\pi i}\right) & \text{if } z \in D \setminus \{0\} \end{cases} = (\hat{f}\hat{g})(z) \text{ is holomorphic on } D,$$

since it is product of holomorphic functions, and thus  $(fg)$  is holomorphic at infinity as claimed.

- (c) Show that  $\mathcal{S}_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  is a vector subspace of  $\mathcal{M}_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  and that  $\mathcal{S}(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  is an ideal in  $\mathcal{M}(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$ .

- Since  $\mathcal{S}_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z})) \subseteq \mathcal{M}_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  one need only show that  $0 \in \mathcal{S}_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  (where  $0$  denotes the zero function  $0 : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ ), and closure under addition and scalar multiplication to show that  $\mathcal{S}_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  is a vector subspace of  $\mathcal{M}_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$ .
  - Indeed,  $0 \in \mathcal{S}_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  since the  $0 \in \mathcal{M}_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  and constant term in the Fourier expansion for  $0$  is clearly  $0$ .
  - Also, if  $f, g \in \mathcal{S}_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  then I claim that  $(f + g) \in \mathcal{S}_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  since
    - \*  $(f + g) \in \mathcal{M}_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  by our earlier arguments
    - \* and since the Fourier expansion of  $(f + g)$  is the sum of those for each of  $f$  and  $g$  meaning that the constant term in the Fourier expansion of  $(f + g)$  is zero.
  - Likewise, if  $f \in \mathcal{S}_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  then  $(af) \in \mathcal{S}_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  for all  $a \in \mathbb{C}$  since
    - \*  $(af) \in \mathcal{M}_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  by our earlier arguments
    - \* and since the 0th coefficients of the Fourier expansion of  $(af)$  is  $ac_0$  where  $c_0$  is the leading coefficient of the Fourier series for  $f$  which is zero since  $f \in \mathcal{S}_k(SL_1(\mathbb{Z}))$

- Finally, I want to show that  $\mathcal{S}(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  is an ideal in  $\mathcal{M}(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$ , meaning we need to show that
  - $f + g \in \mathcal{S}(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  for all  $f, g \in \mathcal{S}(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$ ,
  - and  $hf \in \mathcal{S}(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  and  $fh \in \mathcal{S}(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  for all  $f \in \mathcal{S}(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  and all  $h \in \mathcal{M}(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$ .

Indeed,

- if one has

$$f = \bigoplus_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} f_k \in \mathcal{S}(SL_2(\mathbb{Z})) \quad \text{and} \quad g = \bigoplus_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} g_k \in \mathcal{S}(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$$

then we note that

$$f + g = \bigoplus_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} (f_k + g_k) \in \mathcal{S}(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$$

since for each  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$  we have as shown earlier that  $f_k + g_k \in \mathcal{S}_k(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$ .

- Furthermore, given any function  $h = \bigoplus_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} h_k \in \mathcal{M}(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  and any  $f = \bigoplus_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} f_k \in \mathcal{S}(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  one has that  $fh \in \mathcal{S}(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  due to the following argument. Namely, we note that

$$fh = \bigoplus_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \left( \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} f_{n-k} h_k \right)$$

and now what Remains to show is that

$$\left( \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} f_{n-k} h_k \right) \in \mathcal{S}_n(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$$

for all  $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ . Well, we know that

$$f_{n-k}(\tau) := \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j q^j$$

and

$$h_k(\tau) = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} b_r q^r.$$

So, we have that

$$(f_{n-k} h_k)(\tau) = \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} a_j b_r q^{j+r} = \sum_{s=1}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{m=0}^{s-1} b_s a_{s-m} \right) q^s.$$

Thus,

$$f_{n-k} h_k \in \mathcal{S}_n(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$$

for all  $n, k \in \mathbb{Z}$  which gives

$$\sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} f_{n-k} h_k \in \mathcal{S}_n(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$$

for all  $n \in \mathbb{Z}$  concluding the proof that  $fh \in \mathcal{S}(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  as desired. Finally, since  $fh = hf$  for all  $f, h : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  we see that  $hf \in \mathcal{S}(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  as well, proving that  $\mathcal{S}(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$  is an ideal in  $\mathcal{M}(SL_2(\mathbb{Z}))$ .

4. Let  $k \geq 3$  be an integer and let  $L' = \mathbb{Z}^2 - \{(0,0)\}$ .

- Show that the series  $S = \sum_{(c,d) \in L'} (\sup\{|c|, |d|\})^{-k}$  converges by considering the partial sums over expanding squares.

We decompose the sum as

$$\begin{aligned} S_n &= \sum_{(c,d) \in [-n,n]^2 \setminus \{(0,0)\}} (\sup\{|c|, |d|\})^{-k} \\ &= \sum_{c=0}^n \sum_{d=-n}^n |d|^{-k} + \sum_{c=-n}^n \sum_{d=0}^n |c|^{-k} + \sum_{\substack{(c,d) \in [-n,n]^2 \\ : c \neq 0 \neq d, |d| > |c|}} |d|^{-k} + \sum_{\substack{(c,d) \in [-n,n]^2 \\ : c \neq 0 \neq d, |c| > |d|}} |c|^{-k} + \sum_{\substack{(c,d) \in [-n,n]^2 \\ : c \neq 0 \neq d, |c| = |d|}} |c|^{-k}. \end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned}
S_n &= 2 \sum_{d=2}^n (d-1)(d^{-k}) + 8 \sum_{d=1}^n d^{-k} = 2 \sum_{d=2}^n (d-1)(d^{-k}) + 8 + 8 \sum_{d=2}^n d^{-k} \\
&= 2 \sum_{d=2}^n d(d^{-k}) - 2 \sum_{d=2}^n d^{-k} + 8 + 8 \sum_{d=2}^n d^{-k} \\
&= 2 \sum_{d=2}^n d^{-k+1} + 8 + 6 \sum_{d=2}^n d^{-k} \\
&= 8 + 2 \sum_{d=2}^n d^{-k+1} + 6 \sum_{d=2}^n d^{-k}.
\end{aligned}$$

We now want to show that as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  we have that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n < \infty$ . So, we note that

$$0 \leq S_n \leq 8 + 2 \sum_{d=2}^n d^{-k+1} + 6 \sum_{d=2}^n d^{-k}$$

Of course, that means

$$0 \leq S_n \leq 8 + 8 \sum_{d=2}^n d^{-k+1} \leq 8 + 8 \sum_{d=2}^n d^{-2}$$

and since

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2} = \frac{\pi^2}{6}$$

we have that

$$0 \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n \leq 8 + \frac{8\pi^2}{6} < \infty,$$

concluding the proof.

- (b) Fix positive numbers  $A, B$  and let  $\Omega = \{\tau \in \mathcal{H} : |Re(\tau)| \leq A, Im(\tau) \geq B\}$ . Prove that there is a constant  $C > 0$  such that  $|\tau + \delta| > C \sup\{1, |\delta|\}$  for all  $\tau \in \Omega$  and  $\delta \in \mathbb{R}$ .

There are two cases: either  $\sup\{1, |\delta|\} = 1$  or  $\sup\{1, |\delta|\} = |\delta|$ .

If  $\sup\{1, |\delta|\} = 1$  then simply let  $C = B$  and note that  $|\tau + \delta| > Im(\tau + \delta) \geq B = B \sup\{1, |\delta|\}$ .

If  $\sup\{1, |\delta|\} = |\delta|$  then we have two natural subcases, either  $|\delta| > 2A$  or  $1 \leq |\delta| \leq 2A$ . If  $|\delta| > 2A$  then  $A < \frac{|\delta|}{2}$  meaning that

$$\begin{aligned}
|\tau + \delta| &\geq |Re(\tau + \delta)| = |Re(\tau) + \delta| \geq ||Re(\tau)| - |\delta|| = \max(|Re(\tau)| - |\delta|, |\delta| - |Re(\tau)|) \geq \max(|Re(\tau)| - |\delta|, |\delta| - A) \\
&\geq |\delta| - A > |\delta| - \frac{|\delta|}{2} = \frac{|\delta|}{2}
\end{aligned}$$

and thus

$$|\tau + \delta| > \frac{1}{2} \sup\{1, |\delta|\}.$$

Finally if  $\sup\{1, |\delta|\} = |\delta|$  and  $1 \leq |\delta| \leq 2A$  then one has  $Im(\tau) > A$  or  $B \leq Im(\tau) \leq A$ .

If  $B \leq Im(\tau) \leq A$  then note that  $-A + \delta \leq Re(\tau + \delta) \leq A + |\delta|$  and  $B \leq Im(\tau + \delta) \leq A$  proving that  $B \leq |\tau + \delta| \leq 2A + |\delta|$ . Then, since  $1 \leq |\delta| \leq 2A$  one has that  $F(\tau, \delta) = \frac{|\tau + \delta|}{|\delta|}$  is a continuous function  $F : (\Omega' \times [-2A, -1]) \cup (\Omega' \times [1, 2A]) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  where  $\Omega' = \Omega \cap \{z \in \mathbb{C} : Im(z) \leq A\}$  and since  $(\Omega' \times [-2A, -1]) \cup (\Omega' \times [1, 2A])$  is a compact set, that implies that  $M := \min(\frac{|\tau + \delta|}{|\delta|})$  is attained by some  $(\tau, \delta) \in (\Omega' \times [-2A, -1]) \cup (\Omega' \times [1, 2A])$  and thus

$$|\tau + \delta| \geq M|\delta| = M \sup\{1, |\delta|\}.$$

If  $Im(\tau) > A$  then note that

$$|\tau + \delta| \geq |Im(\tau + \delta)| = Im(\tau) > A$$

and since  $1 \leq |\delta| \leq 2A$  that implies that  $A \geq \frac{|\delta|}{2}$  implying that

$$|\tau + \delta| > \frac{1}{2} |\delta| = \frac{1}{2} \sup\{1, |\delta|\}.$$

So, we let

$$C = \min(B, \frac{1}{2}, M).$$

(c) Use parts (a) and (b) to prove that the series defining  $G_k$  converges absolutely and uniformly for  $\tau \in \Omega$ . Conclude that  $G_k$  is holomorphic on  $\mathcal{H}$ . Let  $\mathbb{Z}^{2'} = \mathbb{Z}^2 \setminus \{(0, 0)\}$ .

- We first note that  $|c\tau + d| = |c||\tau + \frac{d}{c}|$ .
- Then, by part (b),  $|c\tau + d| \geq |c|C \sup\{1, |\frac{d}{c}|\} = C \sup\{|c|, |d|\}$  for all  $\tau \in \Omega$ .
- Then,

$$\sum_{(c,d) \in (\mathbb{Z}^2)'} \frac{1}{|c\tau + d|^k} \leq \sum_{(c,d) \in (\mathbb{Z}^2)'} \frac{1}{(C \sup\{|c|, |d|\})^k} = \frac{1}{C^k} \sum_{(c,d) \in (\mathbb{Z}^2)'} \frac{1}{\sup\{|c|, |d|\}^k},$$

which means by part (a) that

$$\sum_{(c,d) \in (\mathbb{Z}^2)'} \frac{1}{|c\tau + d|^k} < \infty \text{ for all } \tau \in \Omega,$$

proving that the series representing  $G_k$  converges absolutely for  $z \in \Omega$ .

Now, to show that the series representing  $G_k$  converges uniformly we note that the fact that the series representing  $G_k$  converges absolutely implies that the series converges unconditionally meaning that any reordering of the series converges. We have

$$G_k(\tau) = \sum_{(c,d) \in (\mathbb{Z}^2)'} \frac{1}{(c\tau + d)^k} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{\substack{(c,d) \in (\mathbb{Z}^2)': \\ |c|+|d|=n}} \frac{1}{(c\tau + d)^k} \right).$$

We denote

$$T_N(\tau) = \sum_{n=1}^N \left( \sum_{\substack{(c,d) \in (\mathbb{Z}^2)': \\ |c|+|d|=n}} \frac{1}{(c\tau + d)^k} \right).$$

I claim that for fixed  $\epsilon > 0$  there exists  $N \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $|G_k(\tau) - T_M(\tau)|$  for all  $M \geq N$ . Namely, note that for arbitrary  $m \in \mathbb{N}$  and arbitrary  $\tau \in \Omega$  one has that

$$\begin{aligned} |G_k(\tau) - T_m(\tau)| &= \left| \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{\substack{(c,d) \in (\mathbb{Z}^2)': \\ |c|+|d|=n}} \frac{1}{(c\tau + d)^k} \right) \right| \leq \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{\substack{(c,d) \in (\mathbb{Z}^2)': \\ |c|+|d|=n}} \frac{1}{|c\tau + d|^k} \right) \\ &\leq \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{\substack{(c,d) \in (\mathbb{Z}^2)': \\ |c|+|d|=n}} \frac{1}{(C \sup\{|c|, |d|\})^k} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{\substack{(c,d) \in (\mathbb{Z}^2)': \\ |c|+|d|=n}} \frac{1}{\sup\{|c|, |d|\}^k} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{1}{\sup\{|-n|, |0|\}^k} + \frac{1}{\sup\{|n|, |0|\}^k} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \sum_{c \in [-n+1, n-1]} \left( \frac{1}{\sup\{|c|, n-|c|\}^k} + \frac{1}{\sup\{|c|, n-|c|\}^k} \right) \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{2}{\sup\{|n|, |0|\}^k} + \sum_{c \in [-n+1, n-1]} \frac{2}{\sup\{|c|, n-|c|\}^k} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{1}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{2}{\sup\{|n|, |0|\}^k} + \frac{2}{\sup\{0, n\}^k} \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \sum_{c \in [1, n-1]} \frac{4}{\sup\{|c|, n - |c|\}^k} \right) \\
&= \frac{1}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{4}{\sup\{|n|, |0|\}^k} + \sum_{c \in [1, n-1]} \frac{4}{\sup\{|c|, n - |c|\}^k} \right) \\
&= \frac{1}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{4}{\sup\{|n|, |0|\}^k} + \sum_{c \in [1, \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor]} \frac{4}{(n - |c|)^k} \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \sum_{c \in [\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor + 1, n-1]} \frac{4}{|c|^k} \right) \\
&= \frac{1}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{4}{n^k} \right) + \frac{1}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{c \in [1, \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor]} \frac{4}{(n - |c|)^k} \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \sum_{c \in [\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor + 1, n-1]} \frac{4}{|c|^k} \right) \\
&= \frac{1}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{4}{n^k} \right) + \frac{1}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{c \in [n - \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor, n-1]} \frac{4}{c^k} \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \sum_{c \in [\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor + 1, n-1]} \frac{4}{c^k} \right) \\
&= \frac{4}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{1}{n^k} \right) + \frac{8}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{c \in [n - \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor, n-1]} \frac{1}{c^k} \right) \\
&\leq \frac{4}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{1}{n^k} \right) + \frac{8}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \left[ \frac{n}{2} \right] \frac{1}{(\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor + 1)^k} \\
&\leq \frac{4}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{1}{n^k} \right) + \frac{8}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \frac{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor + 1}{(\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor + 1)^k} = \frac{4}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{1}{n^k} \right) + \frac{8}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor + 1)^{k-1}} \\
&\leq \frac{4}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{1}{n^k} \right) + \frac{8}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor + 1)^2} \leq \frac{4}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{1}{n^2} \right) + \frac{8}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor^2} \\
&\leq \frac{4}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor^2} + \frac{8}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor^2} = \frac{12}{C^k} \sum_{n=m+1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor^2} \leq \frac{12}{C^k} \sum_{l=\lfloor \frac{m+1}{2} \rfloor}^{\infty} \frac{2}{l^2} = \frac{24}{C^k} \sum_{l=\lfloor \frac{m+1}{2} \rfloor}^{\infty} \frac{1}{l^2}.
\end{aligned}$$

Now, note that

$$\frac{1}{l^2} \leq \frac{1}{l(l-1)}$$

which implies that

$$\sum_{l=\lfloor \frac{m+1}{2} \rfloor}^{\infty} \frac{1}{l^2} \leq \sum_{l=\lfloor \frac{m+1}{2} \rfloor}^{\infty} \frac{1}{l(l-1)} = \sum_{l=\lfloor \frac{m+1}{2} \rfloor}^{\infty} \frac{1}{l(l-1)} = \sum_{l=\lfloor \frac{m+1}{2} \rfloor}^{\infty} \left( \frac{1}{l-1} - \frac{1}{l} \right) = \frac{1}{(\lfloor \frac{m+1}{2} \rfloor - 1)}.$$

So, for fixed  $\epsilon > 0$ , let  $N(\epsilon)$  be defined so that

$$\frac{24}{C^k} \frac{1}{(\lfloor \frac{m+1}{2} \rfloor - 1)} < \epsilon$$

for all  $m \geq N$  since that will imply that

$$|G_k(\tau) - T_m(\tau)| < \epsilon$$

for all  $m \geq N$ . In particular, let  $N$  be so that

$$\frac{1}{(\lfloor \frac{m+1}{2} \rfloor - 1)} < \frac{\epsilon C^k}{24}$$

for all  $m \geq N$  or equivalently

$$(\lfloor \frac{m+1}{2} \rfloor - 1) > \frac{24}{\epsilon C^k}$$

meaning

$$\lfloor \frac{m+1}{2} \rfloor > \frac{24}{\epsilon C^k} + 1$$

for all  $m \geq N$ . So, let  $N$  be so that

$$\frac{m+1}{2} - 1 > \frac{24}{\epsilon C^k} + 1$$

for all  $m \geq N$  or more precisely so that

$$m+1 > \frac{48}{\epsilon C^k} + 4$$

for all  $m \geq N$  meaning we may let

$$N = \left\lfloor \frac{48}{\epsilon C^k} + 4 \right\rfloor,$$

proving uniform convergence.

- (d) Show that for  $\gamma \in SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$ , right multiplication by  $\gamma$  defines a bijection from  $L'$  to  $L'$ .

Consider

$$\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in SL_2(\mathbb{Z}).$$

Since  $\det(\gamma) \neq 0$ , that implies that  $\gamma : \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is injective which implies that  $\gamma|_{L'}$  is also injective. To show that  $\gamma|_{L'} : L' \rightarrow L'$  is surjective we note that

$$\gamma^{-1} = \frac{1}{ad-bc} \begin{pmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{pmatrix} \in SL_2(\mathbb{Z}).$$

Thus, arbitrary  $(x, y)^T \in L'$  one can produce  $(u, w)^T \in L'$  such that  $\gamma((u, w)^T) = (x, y)^T$ . Namely, let

$$(u, w)^T = \gamma^{-1}((x, y)^T)$$

and note that since  $\gamma^{-1} \in SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$  we have that  $(u, w) \in \mathbb{Z}^2$  and since  $(x, y) \neq (0, 0)$  and  $\gamma^{-1}$  is injective we have that  $(u, w) \neq (0, 0)$  meaning  $(u, w)^T \in L'$  as desired.

- (e) Use the calculation from (c) to show that  $G_k$  is bounded on  $\Omega$ .

Indeed, we see that as noted in part (c)

$$\sum_{(c,d) \in (\mathbb{Z}^2)',} \frac{1}{|c\tau + d|^k} \leq \frac{1}{C^k} \sum_{(c,d) \in (\mathbb{Z}^2)',} \frac{1}{\sup\{|c|, |d|\}^k},$$

and by part (a)

$$\sum_{(c,d) \in (\mathbb{Z}^2)',} \frac{1}{\sup\{|c|, |d|\}^k} \leq 8 + \frac{8\pi^2}{6},$$

and thus

$$|G_k(\tau)| = \left| \sum_{(c,d) \in (\mathbb{Z}^2)',} \frac{1}{(c\tau + d)^k} \right| \leq \frac{1}{C^k} (8 + \frac{8\pi^2}{6})$$

for all  $\tau \in \Omega$ , proving boundedness.

- (f) From the text and part (d),  $G_k$  is weakly modular so in particular  $G_k(\tau+1) = G_k(\tau)$ . Show that therefore  $G_k(\tau)$  is bounded as  $Im(\tau) \rightarrow \infty$ .

Indeed, fix  $A = 1$ ,  $B = 1$  and consider the corresponding region  $\Omega(A, B)$  and constant  $C = C(A, B)$ . Note that for all  $\tau \in \Omega$  one has that  $|G_k(\tau)| \leq \frac{1}{C^k} (8 + \frac{8\pi^2}{6})$ . In particular, for arbitrary  $\tau \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $Im(\tau) \geq 2$  one has that

$$\tau = Re(\tau) + iIm(\tau) = \lfloor Re(\tau) \rfloor + (Re(\tau) - \lfloor Re(\tau) \rfloor) + iIm(\tau).$$

Since  $|(Re(\tau) - \lfloor Re(\tau) \rfloor)| < 1$  and  $Im(\tau) \geq 2 \geq B$  one has that  $(Re(\tau) - \lfloor Re(\tau) \rfloor) + iIm(\tau) \in \Omega$ . Also,  $\lfloor Re(\tau) \rfloor \in \mathbb{Z}$  implies that  $G_k(\lfloor Re(\tau) \rfloor + s) = G_k(s)$  for all  $s \in \mathbb{C}$ . Thus,

$$G_k(\tau) = G_k((Re(\tau) - \lfloor Re(\tau) \rfloor) + iIm(\tau))$$

and thus

$$|G_k(\tau)| \leq \frac{1}{C^k} \left(8 + \frac{8\pi^2}{6}\right)$$

for all  $\tau \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $Im(\tau) \geq 2$ . Thus,

$$0 \leq \lim_{Im(\tau) \rightarrow \infty} |G_k(\tau)| \leq \lim_{Im(\tau) \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{C^k} \left(8 + \frac{8\pi^2}{6}\right) = \frac{1}{C^k} \left(8 + \frac{8\pi^2}{6}\right)$$

since  $C$  depends only on  $A, B$  and  $A, B$  do not depend on  $\tau$ .