

# Modular Forms: Problem Sheet 5

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1. Let  $\Gamma$  and  $\Gamma'$  be congruence subgroups such that  $\Gamma' \trianglelefteq \Gamma$ .

1. Show that if  $c, d \in C(\Gamma')$  are equivalent in  $C(\Gamma)$ , then  $h_{\Gamma'}(c) = h_{\Gamma'}(d)$ .

2. Let  $c \in \text{Cusps}(\Gamma')$ . Show that

$$\sum_{\substack{d \in C(\Gamma') \\ d=c \text{ in } \text{Cusps}(\Gamma)}} h_{\Gamma'}(d) = [\bar{\Gamma} : \bar{\Gamma}'] h_{\Gamma}(c).$$

3. Hence show that for  $p$  odd,  $\Gamma_1(p)$  has exactly  $p - 1$  cusps.

2. (a) Show that  $\text{SL}_2(\mathbb{Z})$  contains an index 2 subgroup  $\Gamma$  which is congruence of level 2.

(b) Show that the only cusp of  $\Gamma$  is  $[\infty]$ . What is its width?

3. Show that the cusp  $c = [1/2]$  of  $\Gamma_1(4)$  is irregular, and find a generator of the corresponding subgroup  $H_c$ .

4. Let  $\Gamma$  and  $\Gamma'$  be congruence subgroups such that  $\Gamma' \trianglelefteq \Gamma$ . Let  $f$  be a meromorphic function on  $\mathcal{H}$  that is weakly modular of weight  $k$  for  $\Gamma$ . Let  $P' \in \text{Cusps}(\Gamma')$ , and let  $P$  be its image in  $\text{Cusps}(\Gamma)$ . Then  $f$  is holomorphic at  $P$  if and only if  $f$  (viewed as a weakly modular function of weight  $k$  for  $\Gamma'$ ) is holomorphic at  $P'$ . Also show that  $f$  vanishes at  $P$  if and only if  $f$  vanishes at  $P'$ .