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Lecture: Riemann surfaces Exercise sheet 3

Exercise 1. Let X be a compact Riemann surface and X' the complement of a finite set of points $\{x_1, \ldots, x_n\}$ in X. Prove that every automorphism $f : X' \to X'$ extends to an automorphism of X.

Exercise 2. Let $\Gamma \subset \mathbb{C}$ be a lattice and consider the Weierstrass \wp_{Γ} -function on \mathbb{C} , which is defined by:

$$\wp_{\Gamma}(z) = \frac{1}{z^2} + \sum_{\omega \in \Gamma \setminus \{0\}} \left(\frac{1}{(z-\omega)^2} - \frac{1}{\omega^2} \right)$$

(a) Prove that for every compact disk $K_r := \{z \in \mathbb{C} \mid |z| \le r\}$ there exists a finite subset $\Gamma_0 \subset \Gamma$ such that $\omega \notin K_r$ for every $\omega \in \Gamma \setminus \Gamma_0$ and the series

$$\sum_{\omega \in \Gamma \backslash \Gamma_0} \left(\frac{1}{(z-\omega)^2} - \frac{1}{\omega^2} \right)$$

converges uniformly on K_r . This implies that \wp_{Γ} is a well-defined meromorphic function on \mathbb{C} with poles of order two at the lattice points.

(b) Show that \wp_{Γ} induces a meromorphic function $\mathbb{C}/\Gamma \to \mathbb{C}P^1$. To do this, first show that its derivative is doubly periodic.

Exercise 3. Let $f : \mathbb{C}P^1 \to \mathbb{C}P^1$ be the holomorphic map defined by $f(z) = \frac{1}{z} + z$. Find its branch points and show that the preimage of any other point consists of two points.

Please hand in your solutions at the start of the exercise class on Monday, May 22, 2017.