

Solutions 7

1. Let $z \in \mathbb{H}$ and consider the Θ -function defined by

$$\Theta_z(t) = \sum_{m,n \in \mathbb{Z}} e^{-\pi t \frac{|mz+n|^2}{y}}$$

for all $t > 0$.

a) Show that Θ_z satisfies the functional equation $\Theta_z(t) = \frac{1}{t} \Theta_z\left(\frac{1}{t}\right)$.

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} \Theta_z(t) &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \sum_{m,n \in \mathbb{Z}} e^{-\pi \frac{t}{y} ((mx+n)^2 + (my)^2)} \\ &= \sum_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} e^{-\pi \frac{t}{y} (my)^2} \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} e^{-\pi \frac{t}{y} (mx+n)^2} \\ &\stackrel{(*)}{=} \sum_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} e^{-\pi \frac{t}{y} (my)^2} \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} e^{2\pi i m x n} \sqrt{\frac{y}{t}} e^{-\pi \frac{y}{t} n^2} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{y}{t}} \sum_{m,n \in \mathbb{Z}} e^{-\pi t y m^2} e^{2\pi i m x n} e^{-\pi \frac{y}{t} n^2} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{y}{t}} \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} e^{-\pi \left(\frac{x^2+y^2}{ty}\right) n^2} \sum_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} e^{-\pi t y \left(m + \frac{inx}{ty}\right)^2} \\ &\stackrel{(*)}{=} \sqrt{\frac{y}{t}} \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} e^{-\pi \left(\frac{x^2+y^2}{ty}\right) n^2} \sum_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{ty}} e^{-\pi \frac{m^2}{ty}} e^{-\frac{\pi}{ty} (2mnx)} \\ &= \frac{1}{t} \sum_{m,n \in \mathbb{Z}} e^{-\frac{\pi}{ty} (n^2(x^2+y^2) + m^2 + 2mnx)} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \frac{1}{t} \Theta_z\left(\frac{1}{t}\right) \end{aligned}$$

where $(*)$ indicates that we applied the Poisson summation formula.

For all $s \in \langle 1, \infty \rangle$, let

$$E(z, s) = \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma_\infty \setminus \Gamma} \text{Im}(\gamma z)^s = \sum_{\substack{c,d \in \mathbb{Z} \\ (c,d)=1}} \frac{y^s}{|cz+d|^{2s}}$$

and

$$E^*(z, s) = \pi^{-s} \Gamma(s) 2\zeta(2s) E(z, s) = \pi^{-s} \Gamma(s) \sum_{\substack{m, n \in \mathbb{Z} \\ (m, n) \neq (0, 0)}} \frac{y^s}{|mz + n|^{2s}}.$$

b) Check that $E(\gamma z, s) = E(z, s)$ for all $\gamma \in \Gamma$ and show that

$$E^*(z, s) = \int_0^\infty (\Theta_z(t) - 1) t^s \frac{dt}{t}.$$

Solution: Let $\gamma' \in \Gamma$, then the collection of elements $\gamma\gamma'$ where γ runs through a system of coset representatives for $\Gamma_\infty \backslash \Gamma$ is also a system of coset representatives for that quotient, hence $E(\gamma'z, s) = E(z, s)$ and this holds for all $\gamma' \in \Gamma$.

Observe that

$$\Theta_z(t) - 1 = \sum_{\substack{m, n \in \mathbb{Z} \\ (m, n) \neq (0, 0)}} e^{-\pi \frac{t}{y} |mz + n|^2}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\mathbb{R}_{>0}} (\Theta_z(t) - 1) t^s \frac{dt}{t} &= \sum_{\substack{m, n \in \mathbb{Z} \\ (m, n) \neq (0, 0)}} \mathcal{M}\left(t \mapsto e^{-\pi \frac{t}{y} |mz + n|^2}\right)(s) \\ &\stackrel{(**)}{=} \mathcal{M}(t \mapsto e^{-t})(s) \sum_{\substack{m, n \in \mathbb{Z} \\ (m, n) \neq (0, 0)}} \left(\frac{\pi |mz + n|^2}{y}\right)^{-s} = E^*(z, s) \end{aligned}$$

where in **(**)** we applied the second transformation property of Mellin transforms that we proved in exercise 2b of problem set 5.

c) Show that $E^*(z, s)$ has a meromorphic continuation to the whole complex s -plane with single poles at $s = 0$ and $s = 1$ with residues -1 and 1 respectively. Finally, prove the functional equation $E^*(z, 1 - s) = E^*(z, s)$.

Solution : We decompose the integral representation of $E^*(z, s)$ into the sum of the two integrals

$$E^*(z, s) = \int_0^1 (\Theta_z(t) - 1) t^s \frac{dt}{t} + \int_1^\infty (\Theta_z(t) - 1) t^s \frac{dt}{t}.$$

Observe that the first integral is analytic for $s \in \langle 1, \infty \rangle$ while the second integral is entire

in that fundamental strip. For the first integral, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\int_0^1 (\Theta_z(t) - 1) t^s \frac{dt}{t} &= \int_1^\infty \left(\Theta_z\left(\frac{1}{t}\right) - 1 \right) t^{-s} \frac{dt}{t} \\
&\stackrel{a)}{=} \int_1^\infty \left(\Theta_z(t) - \frac{1}{t} \right) t^{1-s} \frac{dt}{t} \\
&= \int_1^\infty (\Theta_z(t) - 1) t^{1-s} \frac{dt}{t} + \int_1^\infty \left(1 - \frac{1}{t} \right) t^{1-s} \frac{dt}{t} \\
&= \int_1^\infty (\Theta_z(t) - 1) t^{1-s} \frac{dt}{t} + \frac{1}{s(1-s)}.
\end{aligned}$$

Again, the first integral is entire in s and it follows that $E^*(z, s)$ has a meromorphic continuation with poles at $s = 0, 1$ and $E^*(z, 1-s) = E^*(z, s)$.

2. Let $\varphi : \mathbb{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ be an analytic function such that $\varphi(\gamma z) = \varphi(z)$ for all $\gamma \in \Gamma$ and $\varphi(z) = O(y^{-C})$ as $y \rightarrow \infty$ for all $C > 0$. Such a function has a Fourier expansion of the form $\varphi(z) = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \varphi_n(y) e^{2\pi i n x}$ where $\varphi_n(y) = \int_0^1 \varphi(x + iy) e^{-2\pi i n x} dx$. Set

$$\Lambda_\varphi(s) = \pi^{-s} \Gamma(s) 2\zeta(2s) \mathcal{M}(\varphi_0)(s-1)$$

for all $s \in \langle 1, \infty \rangle$.

- a) Show that $\mathcal{M}(\varphi_0)(s)$ is indeed well-defined on the fundamental strip $\langle 0, \infty \rangle$ and that it is bounded in every vertical strip strictly contained in $\langle 0, \infty \rangle$.
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Proof: First of all, we show that a Γ -invariant function φ that decays rapidly in the cusp as described above, is a bounded function. By invariance, φ can be seen as a function on the closure $\overline{\mathcal{F}}$ of the standard fundamental domain for Γ . Now,

$$\overline{\mathcal{F}} = (\overline{\mathcal{F}} \cap \{y \leq C\}) \cup (\overline{\mathcal{F}} \cap \{y > C\}).$$

For any positive constant C , the first component defines a compact region on which φ is then necessarily bounded. We can choose C sufficiently large so that φ , which is rapidly decaying as $y \rightarrow \infty$, is also bounded on the second component.

Then $\varphi_0(y) = \int_0^1 \varphi(x + iy) e^{-2\pi i n x} dx$ is also bounded and rapidly decaying in the cusp.

Let $s \in \langle a, b \rangle$, a vertical strip strictly contained in the fundamental strip $\langle 0, \infty \rangle$. Then

$$|\mathcal{M}(\varphi_0)(s)| \leq \int_0^1 |\varphi_0(y)| y^a \frac{dy}{y} + \int_1^M |\varphi_0(y)| y^b \frac{dy}{y} + \int_M^\infty |\varphi_0(y)| y^b \frac{dy}{y} < \infty$$

where we chose M such that $|\varphi_0(y)| \ll y^{-b-1}$ whenever $y \geq M$.

b) Check that Λ_φ has the following integral representation

$$\Lambda_\varphi(s) = \langle \varphi, \overline{E^*(\cdot, s)} \rangle = \int_{\mathcal{F}} \varphi(z) E^*(z, s) d\mu(z)$$

where \mathcal{F} denotes a fundamental domain for Γ .

Solution: Note that it suffices to show that $\mathcal{M}(\varphi_0)(s-1) = \langle \varphi, \overline{E(\cdot, s)} \rangle$. And indeed,

$$\mathcal{M}(\varphi_0)(s-1) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \int_0^\infty \varphi_0(y) y^s \frac{dy}{y^2} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \int_0^\infty \int_0^1 \varphi(x+iy) dx y^s \frac{dy}{y^2} = \int_{\mathcal{F}_\infty} \varphi(z) y^s d\mu(z),$$

where $\mathcal{F}_\infty = \{z \in \mathbb{H} : x \in [0, 1]\}$. One can choose a collection of representatives (α_j) such that $\mathcal{F}_\infty = \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Gamma_\infty \setminus \Gamma} \alpha^{-1} \mathcal{F}$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\mathcal{F}_\infty} \varphi(z) y^s d\mu(z) &= \sum_{\alpha \in \Gamma_\infty \setminus \Gamma} \int_{\alpha^{-1} \mathcal{F}} \varphi(z) y^s d\mu(z) \\ &= \sum_{\alpha \in \Gamma_\infty \setminus \Gamma} \int_{\mathcal{F}} \varphi(z) \text{Im}(\alpha z)^s d\mu(z) = \int_{\mathcal{F}} \varphi(z) E(z, s) d\mu(z). \end{aligned}$$

c) Prove that Λ_φ has a meromorphic continuation to the whole complex plane with simple poles at $s = 0$ and $s = 1$ with residues $\mp \int_{\mathcal{F}} \varphi(z) d\mu(z)$. It is bounded in any vertical strip (that does not contain a pole) and satisfies the functional equation

$$\Lambda_\varphi(s) = \Lambda_\varphi(1-s).$$

N.B. This is the simplest case of the Rankin–Selberg method.

Proof: By the assumptions on φ and ex 1c), Λ_φ is analytic for $s \neq 0, 1$, where it admits simple poles, coming from the simple poles of $E^*(z, s)$. We can conclude that it is moreover bounded on vertical strips from part a) of this exercise. Finally,

$$\text{Res}_{s=1}(\Lambda_\varphi) = \int_{\mathcal{F}} \text{Res}_{s=1} E^*(z, s) \varphi(z) d\mu(z) = \int_{\mathcal{F}} \varphi(z) d\mu(z),$$

and by the functional equation from 1c) $\text{Res}(\Lambda_\varphi)(1) = -\text{Res}(\Lambda_\varphi)(0)$.

Let $f = \sum a_n q^n \in \mathcal{S}_k(\Gamma)$ and $g = \sum b_n q^n \in \mathcal{M}_k(\Gamma)$ and set $\phi = f \bar{g} y^k$. We define

$$\begin{aligned} L(f \times g, s) &= 2\zeta(2s-2k+2) \sum_{n \geq 1} a_n \bar{b}_n n^{-s}, \\ \Lambda(f \times g, s) &= \pi^{k-1} (2\pi)^{-2s} \Gamma(s) \Gamma(s-k+1) L(f \times g, s). \end{aligned}$$

For simplicity, we will assume that $b_n = \bar{b}_n$ for all n .

The L -series $L(f \times g, s)$ is called the Rankin–Selberg convolution of f and g .

- d) Check that ϕ satisfies the same properties as the function φ at the beginning of the exercise. Show that for all $s \in \langle 0, \infty \rangle$

$$\mathcal{M}(\phi_0)(s) = (4\pi)^{-(s+k)} \Gamma(s+k) \sum_{n \geq 1} a_n \bar{b}_n n^{-(s+k)}.$$

Solution: Clearly φ is analytic. Since f is a cusp form, $f(z) = O(y^{-C})$ as $y \rightarrow \infty$ for any $C > 0$. In particular, let $f(z) = O(y^{-C-k})$ also holds. The function g is a modular form and therefore $g(z) = O(1)$, hence $\phi(z) = O(y^{-C})$ as $y \rightarrow \infty$. Finally,

$$\phi(\gamma z) = \frac{j(\gamma, z)^k \overline{j(\gamma, z)^k}}{|j(\gamma, z)|^{2k}} \phi(z) = \phi(z)$$

for all $\gamma \in \Gamma$ and $z \in \mathbb{H}$.

We compute

$$\phi_0(y) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \int_0^1 \phi(x+iy) dy = \sum_{m \geq 1} \sum_{n \geq 0} a_m b_n y^k e^{-2\pi(m+n)y} \int_0^1 e^{2\pi i(m-n)x} dx = \sum_{n \geq 1} a_n b_n y^k e^{-4\pi n y}.$$

By Hecke's estimate, $|a_n| = O(n^{\frac{k}{2}})$ and $|b_n| = O(n^k)$. Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{M}(\phi_0)(s) &= \sum_{n \geq 1} a_n b_n \int_{\mathbb{R}_{>0}} e^{-4\pi n y} y^{s+k} \frac{dy}{y} \\ &= \sum_{n \geq 1} a_n b_n \left((4\pi n)^{-(s+k)} \Gamma(s+k) \right) \\ &= (4\pi)^{-(s+k)} \Gamma(s+k) \sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{a_n b_n}{n^{s+k}}. \end{aligned}$$

for all $s \in \langle k/2 + 2, \infty \rangle$. We finally show that this actually holds on the strip $\langle 0, \infty \rangle$.

We assume that the sum doesn't converge absolutely anymore for $\text{Re}(s) \leq \sigma$ and choose σ maximally. By contradiction we assume that $\sigma > 0$. Note that the equality still holds for $s \in \langle \sigma + \frac{1}{N}, \infty \rangle$ for all $N > 0$. Also note that $\text{Im}(s)$ doesn't matter for the absolute convergence. Since the sum doesn't converge absolutely for $\text{Re}(s) \leq \sigma$ we can (wlog) assume that the following series diverges as $N \rightarrow \infty$:

$$S_N := \sum_{n \geq 1} a_n \bar{b}_n n^{-(\sigma + \frac{1}{N} + k)}$$

But on the other hand we have:

$$S_N = (4\pi)^{\sigma + \frac{1}{N} + k} \Gamma\left(\sigma + \frac{1}{N} + k\right) \mathcal{M}(\phi_0(y))\left(\sigma + \frac{1}{N}\right)$$

Which converges for $N \rightarrow \infty$ to $(4\pi)^{\sigma+k} \Gamma(\sigma+k) \mathcal{M}(\phi_0(y))(\sigma) \in \mathbb{C}$ (as shown before). This gives a contradiction. Hence the formula holds for $s \in \langle 0, \infty \rangle$.

- e) Prove that $\Lambda(f \times g, s)$ has a meromorphic continuation to the whole complex plane with simple poles at $s = k$ and $s = k - 1$ with residues $\pm \langle f, g \rangle$. It is bounded in any vertical strip (that does not contain a pole) and satisfies the functional equation

$$\Lambda(f \times g, s) = \Lambda(f \times g, 2k - 1 - s).$$

Hint: Show first that $\Lambda_\phi(s) = \Lambda(f \times g, s + k - 1)$.

Proof: By the definitions,

$$\Lambda(f \times g, s + k - 1) = \frac{\pi^{k-1}}{4^{s+k-1}} 2\zeta(2s)\Gamma(s)\Gamma(s + k - 1) \sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{a_n b_n}{n^{s+k-1}}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \Lambda_\phi(s) &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \pi^{-s}\Gamma(s)2\zeta(2s)\mathcal{M}(\phi_0)(s - 1) \\ &\stackrel{2d}{=} \frac{\pi^{-s}}{(4\pi)^{s+k-1}} \frac{4^{s+k-1}}{\pi^{k-1}} \Lambda(f \times g, s + k - 1) = \Lambda(f \times g, s + k - 1) \end{aligned}$$

for all $s \in \langle 1, \infty \rangle$. Now we can derive the statement from the meromorphic continuation of Λ_ϕ and its properties established in exercise 2c.

3. The MacDonald–Bessel function is given by

$$K_s(y) = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^\infty e^{-\frac{y}{2}(t+\frac{1}{t})} t^s \frac{dt}{t}$$

for all $y > 0, s \in \mathbb{C}$. It is entire as a function in s and decays rapidly as $y \rightarrow \infty$. Moreover, one can show by a change of variable that $K_s(y) = K_{-s}(y)$.

- a) Set

$$I_s(a) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{e^{iau}}{(u^2 + 1)^s} du$$

for all $a \in \mathbb{R}, s \in \langle 1/2, \infty \rangle$. Prove that

$$\Gamma(s)I_s(a) = \begin{cases} \sqrt{\pi}\Gamma(s - 1/2) & a = 0 \\ 2\sqrt{\pi} \left|\frac{a}{2}\right|^{s-1/2} K_{s-1/2}(|a|) & a \neq 0. \end{cases}$$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma(s)I_s(a) &= \int_0^\infty \int_{-\infty}^\infty e^{-t} t^{s-1} \frac{e^{iau}}{(u^2 + 1)^s} du dt \\ &= \int_0^\infty \int_{-\infty}^\infty e^{-(u^2+1)t} t^{s-1} e^{iau} du dt \\ &= \int_0^\infty \left(\int_{-\infty}^\infty e^{-(u^2+1)t} e^{iau} du \right) t^s \frac{dt}{t}. \end{aligned}$$

If $a = 0$, then the inner integral is equal to $\sqrt{\pi} e^{-t} t^{-1/2}$, and

$$\Gamma(s)I_s(0) = \sqrt{\pi} \int_0^\infty e^{-t} t^{s-1/2} \frac{dt}{t} = \sqrt{\pi} \Gamma(s-1/2).$$

Otherwise, it is equal to

$$\begin{aligned} e^{-t} \int_{\mathbb{R}} e^{iau} e^{-tu^2} du &= 2\pi e^{-t} \int_{\mathbb{R}} e^{-4\pi^2 u^2 t} e^{-2\pi i a u} du \\ &= 2\pi e^{-t} \left(\frac{1}{2\sqrt{\pi t}} e^{-\frac{\pi a^2}{4\pi t}} \right) = \sqrt{\pi} \frac{e^{-t}}{\sqrt{t}} e^{-a^2/(4t)} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{t}} e^{-\frac{|a|}{2} \left(\frac{|a|}{2} t + \frac{1}{\frac{|a|}{2} t} \right)}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma(s)I_s(a) &= \sqrt{\pi} \mathcal{M} \left(t \mapsto e^{-\frac{|a|}{2} \left(\frac{|a|}{2} t + \frac{1}{\frac{|a|}{2} t} \right)} \right) (s-1/2) \\ &= \sqrt{\pi} \left(\frac{|a|}{2} \right)^{s-1/2} \mathcal{M} \left(e^{-\frac{|a|}{2} \left(t + \frac{1}{t} \right)} \right) (s-1/2) \\ &= \sqrt{\pi} \left(\frac{|a|}{2} \right)^{s-1/2} K_{s-1/2}(|a|). \end{aligned}$$

Let $s \in \langle 1, \infty \rangle$ and consider the Fourier expansion $E^*(z, s) = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} a_n(y, s) e^{2\pi i n x}$ with coefficients

$$\begin{aligned} a_0(y, s) &= 2\Lambda(2s)y^s + 2\Lambda(2s-1)y^{1-s} \\ a_n(y, s) &= 4\sqrt{y}|n|^{s-1/2} \sigma_{1-2s}(|n|) K_{s-1/2}(2\pi|n|y) \end{aligned}$$

where $\Lambda(s) = \pi^{-s/2} \Gamma(s/2) \zeta(s)$.

b) Prove that each coefficient $a_n(y, s)$, $n \neq 0$, has an analytical continuation to an entire function and satisfies the functional equation

$$a_n(y, s) = a_n(y, 1-s).$$

Proof: Each $a_n(y, s)$, $n \neq 0$, is entire, since $K_s(y)$ and $\sigma_s(|n|)$ are entire. To show the functional equation, we first compute

$$\begin{aligned} |n|^{1/2-s} \sigma_{2s-1}(|n|) &= |n|^{1/2-s} \sum_{d|n} d^{2s-1} \\ &= |n|^{s-1/2} \sum_{d|n} \frac{d^{2s-1}}{|n|^{1-2s}} \\ &= |n|^{s-1/2} \sum_{d|n} d^{1-2s} = |n|^{s-1/2} \sigma_{1-2s}(|n|). \end{aligned}$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} a_n(y, s) &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} 4\sqrt{y} \left(|n|^{s-1/2} \sigma_{1-2s}(|n|) \right) K_{s-1/2}(2\pi|n|y) \\ &= 4\sqrt{y} \left(|n|^{1/2-s} \sigma_{2s-1}(|n|) \right) K_{1/2-s}(2\pi|n|y) = a_n(y, 1-s). \end{aligned}$$

- c) Show that $\Lambda(s)$ has a meromorphic continuation to the whole complex plane with simple poles at $s = 0, 1$ with residues ∓ 1 , and that it satisfies the functional equation

$$\Lambda(s) = \Lambda(1-s).$$

Proof: It follows from exercises 3b and 1c that the constant term $a_0(y, s)$ has a meromorphic continuation to the whole complex plane, with poles at $s = 0, 1$, residues ∓ 1 and functional equation $a_0(y, s) = a_0(y, 1-s)$.

If we observe that

$$a_0\left(y, \frac{s}{2}\right) \frac{y^{s/2-1}}{2} = \Lambda(s)y^{s-1} + \Lambda(s-1),$$

we can express $\Lambda(s)$ as

$$\Lambda(s) = \Lambda(s) \left(\frac{y_1^{s-1} - y_2^{s-1}}{y_1^{s-1} - y_2^{s-1}} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \frac{a_0(y_1, s/2)y_1^{s/2-1} - a_0(y_2, s/2)y_2^{s/2-1}}{y_1^{s-1} - y_2^{s-1}}$$

where $y_1, y_2 \in \mathbb{R}_{>0}$ are distinct. Now $\Lambda(s)$ has a meromorphic continuation, and is analytic outside of $s = 0, 1, 2$. Moreover, from the functional equation for a_0 , one has

$$\Lambda(s)y^{s/2} + \Lambda(s-1)y^{1-s/2} = \Lambda(2-s)y^{1-s/2} + \Lambda(1-s)y^s$$

or equivalently,

$$\Lambda(s) - \Lambda(1-s) = (\Lambda(2-s) - \Lambda(s-1))y^{1-s}.$$

The latter equality can only be true if $\Lambda(s) = \Lambda(1-s)$.

To compute the residue at $s = 0$, we choose $y_1 = y$ and $y_2 = -y$,

$$\operatorname{Res}_{s=0} \Lambda(s) = \frac{y}{4} \left(\frac{-4}{y} \right) = -1.$$

It follows from then functional equation that the residue at $s = 1$ is then $= +1$. Finally, choosing for $\Lambda(s)$ $y_1 = y_2 = y$, we note that $s = 2$ is a removable singularity.

4. a) Let $w \in \mathbb{C}$. Show that:

$$\mathcal{M}(K_w(y))(s) = 2^{s-2} \Gamma\left(\frac{s+w}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{s-w}{2}\right)$$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} 2^{s-2} \Gamma\left(\frac{s+w}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{s-w}{2}\right) &= 2^{s-2} \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty e^{-(y+z)} y^{\frac{s+w}{2}} z^{\frac{s-w}{2}} \frac{dy}{y} \frac{dz}{z} \\ \left(\text{setting } y = t^2 z, \frac{dy}{y} = 2 \frac{dt}{t}\right) &= 2^s \frac{1}{2} \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty e^{-(t^2 z + z)} t^{s+w} z^s \frac{dt}{t} \frac{dz}{z} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty e^{-\frac{2tz}{2}(t+\frac{1}{t})} (2tz)^s t^w \frac{dt}{t} \frac{dz}{z} \\ \left(\text{setting } y = 2tz, \frac{dz}{z} = \frac{dy}{y}\right) &= \int_0^\infty \left(\frac{1}{2} \int_0^\infty e^{-\frac{y}{2}(t+\frac{1}{t})} t^w \frac{dt}{t}\right) y^s \frac{dy}{y} \\ &= \int_0^\infty K_w(y) y^s \frac{dy}{y} = \mathcal{M}(K_w(y))(s) \end{aligned}$$

b) Use task 3b, c) and 4a) to show that:

$$\Lambda(E^*(\cdot, w), s) := \mathcal{M}(E^*(iy, w) - a_0(y, w))(s) = 2\Lambda(s+w)\Lambda(s+1-w) = 2\Lambda(w+s)\Lambda(w-s)$$

Hint: Show and use the following fact:

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sigma_w(n) n^{-s} = \zeta(s) \zeta(s-w)$$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sigma_w(n) n^{-s} &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{d|n} d^w n^{-s} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{\substack{a, b \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0} \\ ab=n}} a^w (ab)^{-s} = \sum_{a, b \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0}} a^{-s} b^{-s} \\ &= \sum_{a=1}^{\infty} a^{-s} \sum_{b=1}^{\infty} b^{-s} = \zeta(s) \zeta(s-w) \end{aligned}$$

First note that

$$E^*(iy, w) - a_0(y, w) = \sum_{n \neq 0} a_n(y, w) = 8y^{\frac{1}{2}} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^{w-\frac{1}{2}} \sigma_{1-2w}(n) K_{w-\frac{1}{2}}(2\pi ny)$$

Since the Mellin transformation is linear we only need to compute

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{M}\left(y^{\frac{1}{2}}K_{w-\frac{1}{2}}(2\pi ny)\right)(s) &= \mathcal{M}\left(K_{w-\frac{1}{2}}(2\pi ny)\right)\left(s+\frac{1}{2}\right) \\
&= (2\pi n)^{-(s+\frac{1}{2})}\mathcal{M}\left(K_{w-\frac{1}{2}}(y)\right)\left(s+\frac{1}{2}\right) \\
&= (2\pi n)^{-(s+\frac{1}{2})}\left(2^{s-2+\frac{1}{2}}\Gamma\left(\frac{s+\frac{1}{2}+w-\frac{1}{2}}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{s+\frac{1}{2}-w+\frac{1}{2}}{2}\right)\right) \\
&= \frac{1}{4}\pi^{-(s+\frac{1}{2})}n^{-(s+\frac{1}{2})}\Gamma\left(\frac{s+w}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{s+1-w}{2}\right)
\end{aligned}$$

Finally,

$$\begin{aligned}
\Lambda(E^*(\cdot, w), s) &= \mathcal{M}(E^*(iy, w) - a_0(y, w))(s) = 8 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^{w-\frac{1}{2}}\sigma_{1-2w}(n)\mathcal{M}\left(y^{\frac{1}{2}}K_{w-\frac{1}{2}}(2\pi ny)\right)(s) \\
&= 8 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^{w-\frac{1}{2}}\sigma_{1-2w}(n)\left(\frac{1}{4}\pi^{-(s+\frac{1}{2})}n^{-(s+\frac{1}{2})}\Gamma\left(\frac{s+w}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{s+1-w}{2}\right)\right) \\
&= 2\pi^{-(s+\frac{1}{2})}\Gamma\left(\frac{s+w}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{s+1-w}{2}\right)\sum_{n=1}^{\infty}\sigma_{1-2w}(n)n^{-(s+1-w)} \\
&= 2\pi^{-(s+\frac{1}{2})}\Gamma\left(\frac{s+w}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{s+1-w}{2}\right)\zeta(s+1-w-1+2w)\zeta(s+1-w) \\
&= 2\left(\pi^{-\frac{s+w}{2}}\Gamma\left(\frac{s+w}{2}\right)\zeta(s+w)\right)\left(\pi^{-\frac{s+1-w}{2}}\Gamma\left(\frac{s+1-w}{2}\right)\zeta(s+1-w)\right) \\
&= 2\Lambda(s+w)\Lambda(s+1-w) = 2\Lambda(w+s)\Lambda(w-s)
\end{aligned}$$
