

Elliptic Feynman integrals and pure functions

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Plan

- Introduction to the general theory of elliptic functions
- Elliptic polylogarithms
- Motivation and examples

Topics that will not be covered

- Hopf algebra for elliptic polylogarithms
- Specific methods for calculating elliptic integrals in terms of elliptic polylogarithms

Elliptic Curves

$$y^2 = (x - a_1)(x - a_2)(x - a_3)(x - a_4)$$

$$\omega_1 = 2c_4 \int_{a_2}^{a_3} \frac{dx}{y} = 2K(\lambda), \quad \omega_2 = 2c_4 \int_{a_1}^{a_2} \frac{dx}{y} = 2iK(1-\lambda),$$

$$\lambda = \frac{a_{14}a_{23}}{a_{13}a_{24}}, \quad c_4 = \sqrt{a_{13}a_{24}}, \quad a_{ij} = a_i - a_j$$

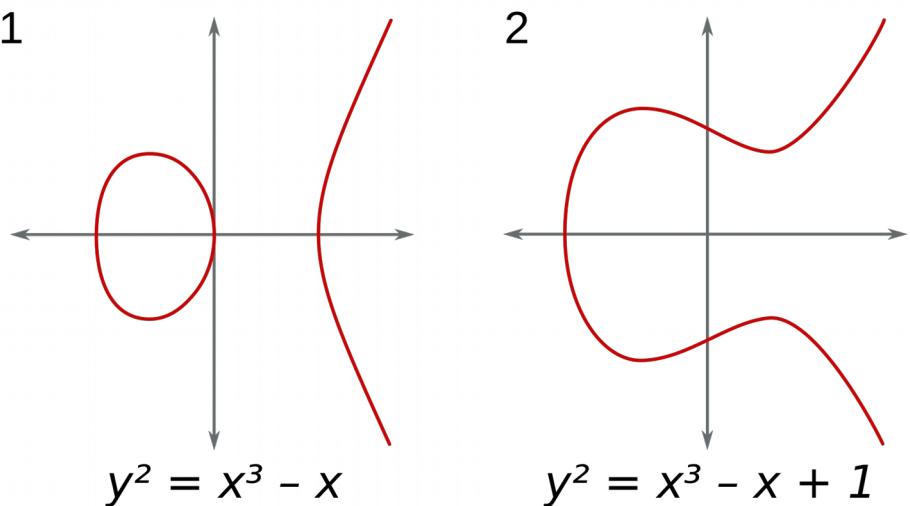
$\tau = \frac{\omega_2}{\omega_1}$ - modulus of the elliptic curve

modular group:

$$x \rightarrow \frac{ax - b}{cx - d}, \quad y \rightarrow \frac{y}{(cx - d)^2}, \quad ad - bc = 1.$$

Weierstrass canonical form

$$y^2 = 4x^3 - g_2(\tau)x - g_3(\tau), \quad j(\tau) = 1728 \frac{g_2(\tau)^3}{g_2(\tau)^3 - 27g_3(\tau)^2}.$$



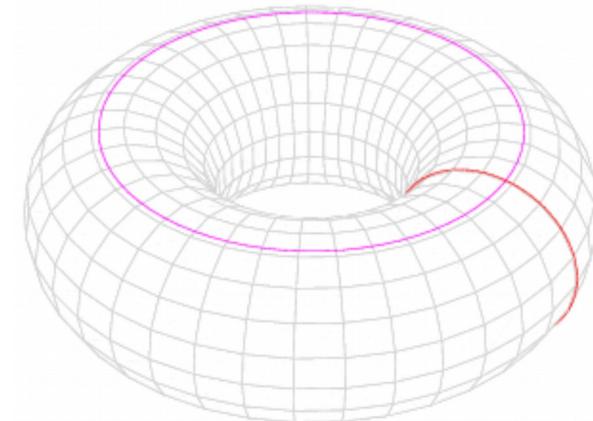
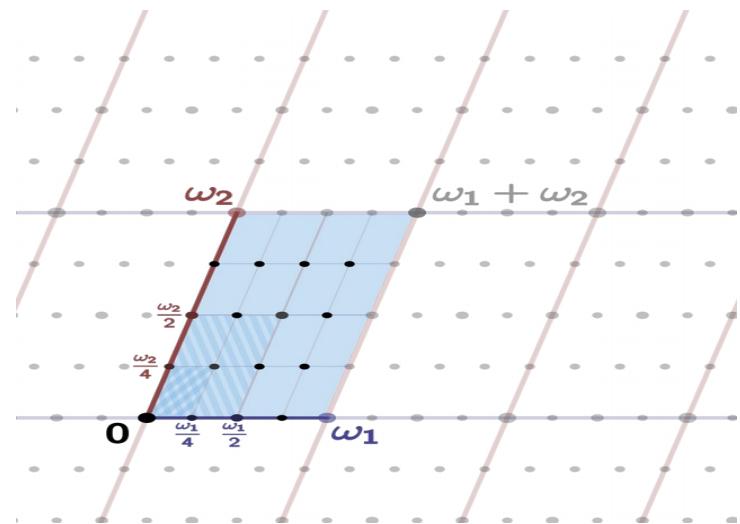
Elliptic functions

Weierstrass elliptic function

$$\wp(z) = \frac{1}{z^2} + \sum_{(m,n) \neq (0,0)} \left(\frac{1}{(z + m\omega_1 + n\omega_2)^2} - \frac{1}{(m\omega_1 + n\omega_2)^2} \right)$$

$$\wp(z + i\omega_1 + j\omega_2) = \wp(z), \quad \wp'(z + i\omega_1 + j\omega_2) = \wp'(z), \quad i, l \in \mathbb{Z}$$

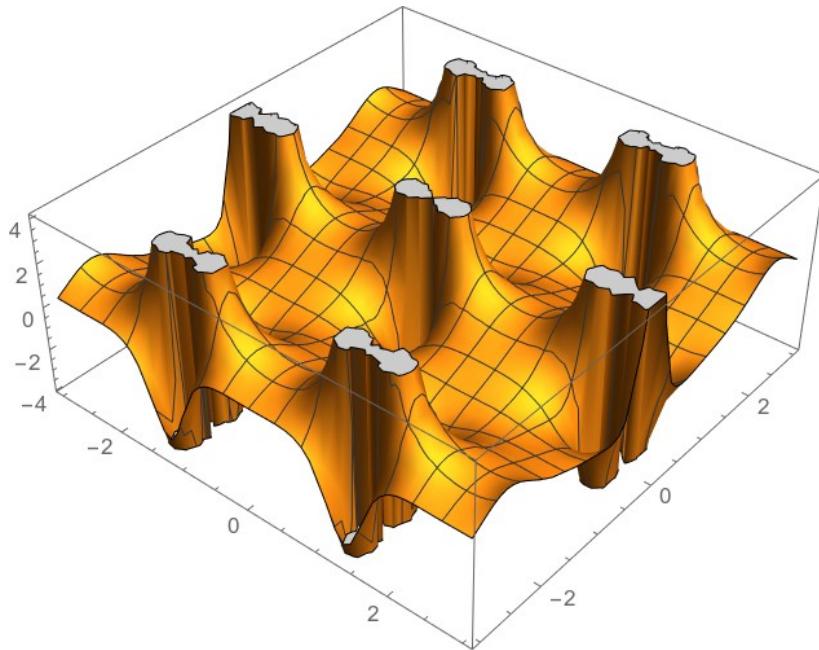
$$\wp'(z)^2 = 4\wp(z)^3 - g_2(\tau)\wp(z) - g_3(\tau)$$



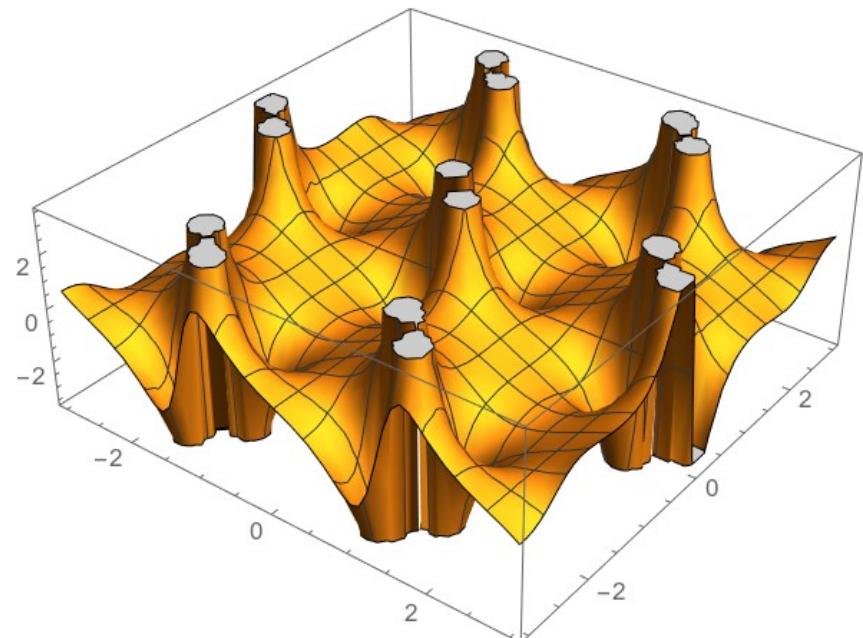
$$\mathbb{C}/\Lambda, \quad \Lambda = \mathbb{Z} + \tau\mathbb{Z} \cong \mathbb{Z}^2$$

Elliptic functions

$\operatorname{Re} \wp(z)$



$\operatorname{Im} \wp(z)$

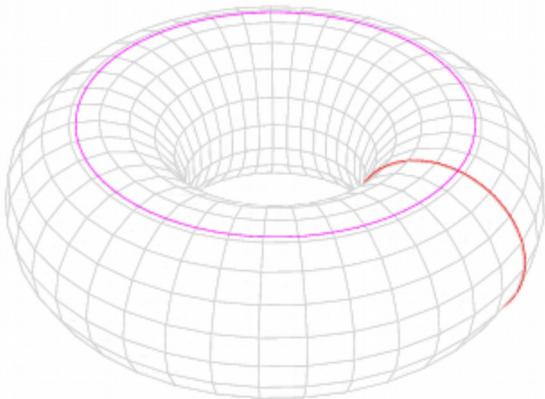


$$\rho_\tau : \mathbb{C}/\Lambda \rightarrow E$$

$$z_c \mapsto (x, y) \equiv (\rho_\tau(z_c), c_4 \rho'_\tau(z_c)),$$

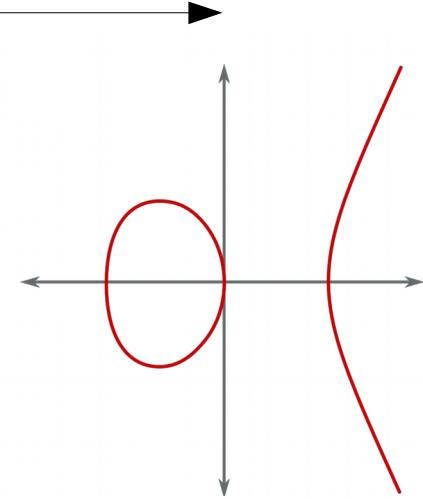
$$(c_4 \rho'_\tau(z_c))^2 = (\rho_\tau(z_c) - a_1)(\rho_\tau(z_c) - a_2)(\rho_\tau(z_c) - a_3)(\rho_\tau(z_c) - a_4).$$

Torus coordinates



$$\mathbb{C}/\Lambda, \quad \Lambda = \mathbb{Z} + \tau\mathbb{Z} \cong \mathbb{Z}^2$$

$$\rho_\tau(z_c) = R_1(\wp_\tau(z_c)) + R_2(\wp_\tau(z_c))\wp'_\tau(z)$$



$$\rho_\tau^{-1} : E \rightarrow \mathbb{C}/\Lambda$$

$$y^2 = (x - a_1)(x - a_2)(x - a_3)(x - a_4)$$

$$z_x = \frac{c_4}{\omega_1} \int_{a_1}^x \frac{dx}{y}.$$

Multiple polylogarithms(MPLs)

Definition:

$$G(a_1, \dots, a_n; x) = \int_0^x \frac{G(a_2, \dots, a_n; x')}{x' - a_1} dx', \quad n > 0, \quad G(; x) = 1, \quad G(\vec{0}_n; x) = \frac{\log^n x}{n!}$$

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MPLs include usual logs $G(a; b) = \log \left(1 - \frac{b}{a}\right), \quad a \neq 0$

MPLs include "classical" polylogs $\text{Li}_n(x) = -G\left(\vec{0}_{n-1}, \frac{1}{x}; 1\right) = \int_0^x \frac{dx'}{x'} \text{Li}_{n-1}(x')$

Closed space under derivatives $dG(a_1, \dots, a_n; x) = \sum_{i=1}^n G(a_1, \dots, a_{i-1}, a_{i+1}, \dots, a_n; x) d \log \left(\frac{a_{i-1} - a_i}{a_{i+1} - a_i}\right)$

Closed space under primitives $R(x)G(\vec{a}; x)$

MPLs form a shuffle algebra: $G(\vec{v}, x)G(\vec{u}, x) = \sum_{\vec{c}=\vec{v} \sqcup \vec{u}} G(\vec{c}, x)$

MPLs form a Hopf algebra

Regularization:

eMPLs as iterated integrals on a torus

$$\Gamma\left(\begin{smallmatrix} n_1, \dots, n_k \\ z_1, \dots, z_k \end{smallmatrix}; z; \tau\right) = \int\limits_0^z dz' f^{(n_1)}(z' - z_1, \tau) \Gamma\left(\begin{smallmatrix} n_2, \dots, n_k \\ z_2, \dots, z_k \end{smallmatrix}; z'; \tau\right), \quad z - \text{torus coordinates}$$

f kernels properties



Complete elliptic
function with two periods

Non-elliptic function
but with only one simple pole

eMPLs as iterated integrals on a torus

$$\tilde{\Gamma}\left(\begin{smallmatrix} n_1, \dots, n_k \\ z_1, \dots, z_k \end{smallmatrix}; z; \tau\right) = \int_0^z dz' g^{(n_1)}(z' - z_1, \tau) \tilde{\Gamma}\left(\begin{smallmatrix} n_2, \dots, n_k \\ z_2, \dots, z_k \end{smallmatrix}; z'; \tau\right), \quad k - \text{length and } \sum_i n_i - \text{the weight}$$

Eisenstein-Kronecker series: $F(z, \alpha, \tau) = \frac{1}{\alpha} \sum_{n \geq 0} g^{(n)}(z, \tau) \alpha^n = \frac{\theta'_1(0, \tau) \theta_1(z + \alpha, \tau)}{\theta_1(z, \tau) \theta_1(\alpha, \tau)}$

$$\theta_1(z, q) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} (-1)^{n-\frac{1}{2}} q^{\left(n+\frac{1}{2}\right)^2} e^{i(2n+1)z} \quad - \text{ odd Jacobi theta function}$$

$$g^{(n)}(-z, \tau) = (-1)^n g^{(n)}(z, \tau),$$

$$g^{(n)}(z + 1, \tau) = g^{(n)}(z, \tau), \quad g^{(n)}(z + \tau, \tau) = \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{(-2\pi i)^k}{k!} g^{(n-k)}(z, \tau).$$

$g^{(1)}(z, \tau)$ - has a simple pole at a point $z = 0$ with a residue 1

Pure eMPLs as iterated integrals

$$\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} n_1 & \dots & n_k \\ c_1 & \dots & c_k \end{smallmatrix}; x; \vec{a}\right) = \int_0^x dx' \Psi_{n_1}(c_1, x', \vec{a}) \mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} n_2 & \dots & n_k \\ c_2 & \dots & c_k \end{smallmatrix}; x'; \vec{a}\right), \quad k - \text{length and } \sum_i |n_i| - \text{the weight}$$

$$dx \Psi_{\pm n}(c, x, \vec{a}) = dz_x \left[g^{(n)}(z_x - z_c, \tau) \pm g^{(n)}(z_x + z_c, \tau) - \delta_{\pm n, 1} \left(g^{(1)}(z_x - z_*, \tau) + g^{(1)}(z_x + z_*, \tau) \right) \right]$$

the same class of functions but with a different basis, more conveniently expressed in coordinates x and y

Pure eMPLs as iterated integrals

in x,y coordinates:

$$\Psi_0(0, x, \vec{a}) = \frac{c_4}{\omega_1 y}$$

$$\Psi_1(c, x, \vec{a}) = \frac{1}{x - c}, \quad \Psi_{-1}(c, x, \vec{a}) = \frac{y(c)}{y(x - c)} + Z_4(c, \vec{a}), \quad c \neq \infty,$$

$$\Psi_1(\infty, x, \vec{a}) = -Z_4(x, \vec{a}) \frac{c_4}{y}, \quad \Psi_{-1}(\infty, x, \vec{a}) = \frac{x}{y} - \frac{a_1 + 2c_4 G_*(\vec{a})}{y}.$$

$$Z_4(x, \vec{a}) = -\frac{1}{\omega_1} \left(g^{(1)}(z_x - z_*, \tau) + g^{(1)}(z_x + z_*, \tau) \right), \quad G_*(\vec{a}) = \frac{g^{(1)}(z_*, \tau)}{\omega_1}$$

Properties of pure eMPLs

Purity, function is called pure if it is unipotent and its total differential involves only pure functions and one-forms with at most logarithmic singularities

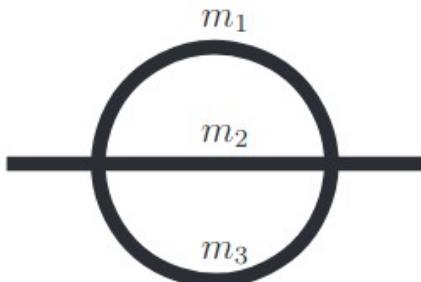
Ordinary MPLs are a subset of eMPLs $\mathcal{E}_4\left(\frac{1}{a_1} \dots \frac{1}{a_n}; x; \vec{a}\right) = G(a_1, \dots, a_n; x)$

Rescaling of arguments $\mathcal{E}_4\left(\frac{n_1, \dots, n_k}{pc_1, \dots, pc_k}; px; p\vec{a}\right) = \mathcal{E}_4\left(\frac{n_1, \dots, n_k}{c_1, \dots, c_k}; x; \vec{a}\right)$

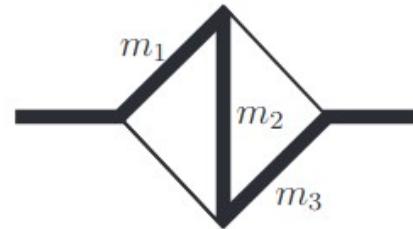
eMPLs form a shuffle algebra $\mathcal{E}_4(\vec{V}; x; a)\mathcal{E}_4(\vec{U}; x; a) = \sum_{\vec{C}=\vec{V} \sqcup \vec{U}} \mathcal{E}_4(\vec{C}; x; a).$

eMPLs form a Hopf algebra

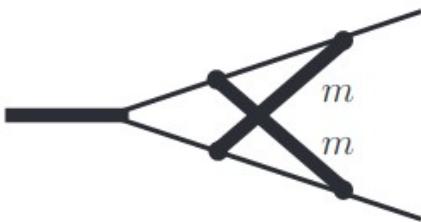
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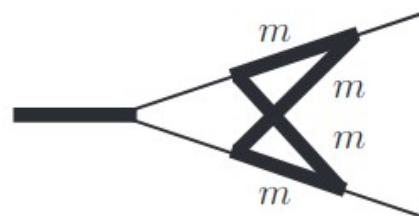
(a)



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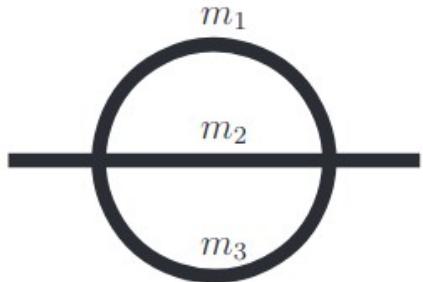


(d)

Figure 1. The collection of two-loop Feynman integrals of uniform weight that we have evaluated analytically. Thick lines denote massive propagators.

Motivation, Feynman integrals calculus

Sunset Integral



$$m = m_1 = m_2 = m_3$$

with

$$S_1(p^2, m^2) = -\frac{\omega_1}{(p^2 + m^2) c_4} T_1(p^2, m^2),$$

and

$$T_1(p^2, m^2) = \left(\frac{m^2}{-p^2}\right)^{-2\epsilon} \left[T_1^{(0)} + \epsilon T_1^{(1)} + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon^2) \right],$$

$$T_1^{(0)} = 2\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 0 & \infty \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) + \mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) + \mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right),$$

$$\begin{aligned} T_1^{(1)} = & -4\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & a_3 & \infty \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) - 4\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & a_1 & \infty \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) - 4\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & a_4 & \infty \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) - 4\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & a_2 & \infty \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) \\ & - 2\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & a_3 & 0 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) - 2\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & a_3 & 1 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) - 2\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & a_1 & 0 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) - 2\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & a_1 & 1 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) + \dots \end{aligned}$$

where the vector of branch points \vec{a} is

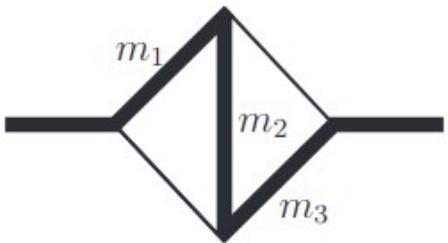
$$\vec{a} = \left(\frac{1}{2}(1 + \sqrt{1 + \rho}), \frac{1}{2}(1 + \sqrt{1 + \bar{\rho}}), \frac{1}{2}(1 - \sqrt{1 + \rho}), \frac{1}{2}(1 - \sqrt{1 + \bar{\rho}}) \right).$$

with

$$\rho = -\frac{4m^2}{(m + \sqrt{-p^2})^2} \quad \text{and} \quad \bar{\rho} = -\frac{4m^2}{(m - \sqrt{-p^2})^2}.$$

Motivation, Feynman integrals calculus

Kite Integral



$$m = m_1 = m_2 = m_3$$

$$K(p^2, m^2) = \frac{1}{m^4} \frac{1}{z} [K_0(z) + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon)]$$

we find for the first order in the ϵ -expansion

$$\begin{aligned} K_0(z) = & \frac{1}{6} \left[-9\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} -1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) - 9\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} -1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) - 18\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} -1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & \infty & 1 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) - 9\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) \right. \\ & - 9\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) - 18\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & \infty \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) + 3\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} -1 & -1 & 1 \\ \infty & 0 & 1 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) + 3\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} -1 & -1 & 1 \\ \infty & 1 & 1 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) \\ & + 6\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} -1 & -1 & 1 \\ \infty & \infty & 1 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) + 3\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} -1 & 1 & -1 \\ \infty & 1 & 0 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) + 3\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} -1 & 1 & -1 \\ \infty & 1 & 1 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) + 6\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} -1 & 1 & -1 \\ \infty & 1 & \infty \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) \\ & + 3\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) + 3\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) + 6\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & \infty & 0 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) - 6\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) \\ & - 6\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) - 12\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & \infty \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) - 3\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & \infty & 0 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) - 3\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & \infty & 1 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) \\ & - 6\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & \infty & \infty \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) - 6\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ \xi & 0 & 0 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) - 6\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ \xi & 0 & 1 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) - 12\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ \xi & 0 & \infty \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) \\ & + 3\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ \xi & 1 & 0 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) + 3\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ \xi & 1 & 1 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) + 6\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ \xi & 1 & \infty \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) \\ & + 9\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ \xi & \infty & 0 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) + 9\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ \xi & \infty & 1 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) + 18\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ \xi & \infty & \infty \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) \\ & + 6\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ \xi & 0 & 0 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) - 2\pi^2 G(0; z) + \pi^2 G(1; z) - 3G(0, 0, 0; z) + 6G(0, 1, 0; z) \\ & - 12G(0, 1, 1; z) + 3G(1, 0, 0; z) + 6G(1, 0, 1; z) + 27\zeta_3 \Big] \\ & + 2\pi i \left[2\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ \xi & 0 & \infty \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) + \mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ \xi & 0 & 0 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) + \mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ \xi & 0 & 1 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) + 2\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & \infty & 1 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) \right. \\ & + 2\mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & \infty \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) + \mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) + \mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) + \mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) \\ & \left. + \mathcal{E}_4\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{smallmatrix}; 1, \vec{a}\right) \right] \end{aligned}$$

Thank you for your attention!