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$F$  is periodic in each variable; then  $F$  has a Fourier development

$$F = \sum_{n, r, m \in \mathbb{Z}} a(n, r, m) \frac{g^n g^r g^m}{e^{2\pi i(n\tau + r\tau + m\tau')}} \quad \left( \begin{matrix} \text{upper } 2\pi i\tau \\ \text{lower } 2\pi i\tau' \end{matrix} \right)$$

By the "Koebe principle"

$$a(n, r, m) \geq 0 \text{ unless } n, m \geq 0, r^2 - 4nm \leq 0;$$

by  $\odot$  with

$$g = \begin{pmatrix} x & 0 \\ 0 & x \end{pmatrix}$$

it follows that

$$a(n, r, m) = a(n', r', m') \text{ if } \exists A \in SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \text{ such that } [n', r', m'] \circ A \in [n, r, m].$$

$$\text{here } [n', r', m'] = n'X^2 + r'XY + m'Y^2, \quad ([n', r', m'] \circ A)(X, Y) \in [n, r, m](A^t(X, Y)).$$

thus the coefficients of  $F$  may be viewed as a map

~~integral form, positive definite  
quadratic forms  
modulo  $SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$~~

$$a: \mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$$

$\mathcal{B} = \left\{ \begin{matrix} SL_2(\mathbb{Z})\text{-equiv. classes of} \\ \text{integral, semi-positive definite} \\ \text{binary quadratic forms} \end{matrix} \right\}$

let us introduce at this point another notation:

The problem is then:  $S_k(\rho_2) =$  subspace of cusp forms in  $M_k(\rho_2)$   
 $=$  space of  $f \in M_k(\rho_2)$  s.t.  $a_f(Q) = 0$   
 address  $Q$  is strictly positive definite  
 What maps  $\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  occur as Fourier coefficients of Siegel modular forms?

By a result of Igusa (at least)

At least it is possible to tabulate a basis for the Fourier coefficients for a basis of  $M_k(\rho_2)$  for any given  $k$ . ~~Nearly one~~

Since we are interested in this talk only in even weight we state Igusa's result only for this case.

Theorem (Igusa) Let  $\chi_4, \chi_6, \chi_{10}, \chi_{12}$  be non-zero forms in the one dimensional spaces  $M_4(\rho_2), M_6(\rho_2), S_{10}(\rho_2), S_{12}(\rho_2)$ .

Then  $M_{2k}(\rho_2) = \bigoplus_{k \in \mathbb{N}} M_{2k}(\rho_2) = \mathbb{C}[\chi_4, \chi_6, \chi_{10}, \chi_{12}]$ .