# Chapter 2

# Number of tagged parts over the partitions with designated summands

### 2.1 Introduction

In this chapter, we prove the congruences (1.3.5)-(1.3.8) and also find several new congruences and infinite families of congruences modulo 2 and 4.

The following theorem states the exact generating functions of  $PDO_t(8n + 6)$  and  $PDO_t(8n + 7)$  that immediately implies the congruences (1.3.7) and (1.3.8).

**Theorem 2.1.1.** For any nonnegative integer n, we have

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PDO_{t}(8n+6)q^{n} = 8\left(2\frac{f_{2}^{16}f_{6}^{10}}{f_{1}^{17}f_{3}^{3}f_{12}^{4}} - q\frac{f_{2}^{28}f_{3}f_{12}^{4}}{f_{1}^{21}f_{6}^{2}f_{4}^{8}} - 16q^{2}\frac{f_{2}^{4}f_{3}f_{4}^{8}f_{12}^{4}}{f_{1}^{13}f_{6}^{2}}\right)$$
(2.1.1)

and

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PDO_{t}(8n+7)q^{n} = 8\left(\frac{f_{2}^{14}f_{3}f_{6}^{4}f_{8}^{2}}{f_{1}^{14}f_{4}^{3}f_{12}^{2}} + 2\frac{f_{2}^{9}f_{3}^{2}f_{4}^{5}f_{6}}{f_{1}^{13}f_{8}^{2}} + 4q\frac{f_{2}^{8}f_{3}^{3}f_{4}f_{8}^{2}f_{12}^{2}}{f_{1}^{12}f_{6}^{2}}\right).$$
(2.1.2)

In the next theorem and corollary, we present our new congruences and infinite families of congruences modulo 2 and 4 for  $PD_t(n)$ .

**Theorem 2.1.2.** For any nonnegative integers k,  $\ell$  and n, we have

$$PD_t(24n + 12) \equiv 0 \pmod{2},$$
 (2.1.3)

$$PD_t(24n + 21) \equiv 0 \pmod{2},$$
 (2.1.4)

$$PD_t(48n + 30) \equiv 0 \pmod{2},$$
 (2.1.5)

$$PD_{t}(144n + 102) \equiv 0 \pmod{2},$$
 (2.1.6)

$$PD_{t}(216n + 153) \equiv 0 \pmod{2},$$
 (2.1.7)

$$PD_{t}(36n + 21) \equiv 0 \pmod{4},$$
 (2.1.8)

$$PD_{t}(36n + 33) \equiv 0 \pmod{4},$$
 (2.1.9)

$$PD_{t}(2^{2k} \cdot 12n) \equiv PD_{t}(12n) \pmod{4},$$
 (2.1.10)

$$PD_{t}(3^{\ell} \cdot 2^{2k}(24n+12)) \equiv PD_{t}(24n+12) \pmod{4},$$
 (2.1.11)

$$PD_t(96n + 60) \equiv 0 \pmod{4},$$
 (2.1.12)

$$PD_t(96n + 84) \equiv 0 \pmod{4},$$
 (2.1.13)

$$PD_{t}(144n + 84) \equiv 0 \pmod{4}, \tag{2.1.14}$$

$$PD_t(144n + 120) \equiv 0 \pmod{4},$$
 (2.1.15)

$$PD_{t}(144n + 132) \equiv 0 \pmod{4},$$
 (2.1.16)

$$PD_t(3^k(288n + 204)) \equiv PD_t(288n + 204) \equiv 0 \pmod{4},$$
 (2.1.17)

$$PD_t(864n + 792) \equiv 0 \pmod{4},$$
 (2.1.18)

$$PD_{t}(1728n + 1224) \equiv 0 \pmod{4}, \tag{2.1.19}$$

$$PD_{t}(2592n + 1080) \equiv 0 \pmod{4}, \tag{2.1.20}$$

$$PD_t(36n + 30) \equiv 0 \pmod{4},$$
 (2.1.21)

$$PD_{t}(108n + 90) \equiv 0 \pmod{4}, \tag{2.1.22}$$

$$PD_{t}(3^{2k}(12n+6)) \equiv PD_{t}(12n+6) \pmod{4}.$$
 (2.1.23)

Corollary 2.1.3. For any positive integers k,  $\ell$  and any nonnegative integer n, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathrm{PD_t}(3^{\ell} \cdot 2^{2k}(8n+5)) &\equiv 0 \pmod{4}, \\ \mathrm{PD_t}(3^{\ell} \cdot 2^{2k}(8n+7)) &\equiv 0 \pmod{4}, \\ \mathrm{PD_t}(3^{\ell} \cdot 2^{2k}(12n+7)) &\equiv 0 \pmod{4}, \\ \mathrm{PD_t}(3^{\ell} \cdot 2^{2k}(12n+11)) &\equiv 0 \pmod{4}, \\ \mathrm{PD_t}(3 \cdot 2^{2k+1}(6n+5)) &\equiv 0 \pmod{4}, \\ \mathrm{PD_t}(3^{\ell+1} \cdot 2^{2k}(24n+17)) &\equiv 0 \pmod{4}, \\ \mathrm{PD_t}(3^2 \cdot 2^{2k+1}(12n+11)) &\equiv 0 \pmod{4}, \\ \mathrm{PD_t}(3^2 \cdot 2^{2k+1}(12n+11)) &\equiv 0 \pmod{4}, \\ \mathrm{PD_t}(3^3 \cdot 2^{2k+1}(12n+5)) &\equiv 0 \pmod{4}, \\ \mathrm{PD_t}(3^3 \cdot 2^{2k+1}(12n+5)) &\equiv 0 \pmod{4}, \\ \mathrm{PD_t}(2 \cdot 3^k(6n+5)) &\equiv 0 \pmod{4}. \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* Congruences (2.1.12)–(2.1.14) and (2.1.16) may be rewritten as

$$\begin{aligned} & PD_t(24(4n+2)+12) \equiv 0 \pmod{4}, \\ & PD_t(24(4n+3)+12) \equiv 0 \pmod{4}, \\ & PD_t(24(6n+3)+12) \equiv 0 \pmod{4}, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$PD_t(24(6n+5)+12) \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$$
,

respectively. From (2.1.11) and the above congruences, we easily arrive at the first four infinite families of congruences of the corollary. Since the other congruences can also be proved in a similar way, we omit the details.

In Section 2.2, we present some preliminary results. In Section 2.3, we prove Theorem 2.1.1 whereas Section 2.4 is devoted to proving the congruences (1.3.5) and (1.3.6). In Section 2.5, we prove Theorem 2.1.2.

#### 2.2 Preliminary results

In the following lemma we state some useful 2-dissections.

#### Lemma 2.2.1. We have

$$\frac{1}{f_1^2} = \frac{f_5^5}{f_2^5 f_{16}^2} + 2q \frac{f_4^2 f_{16}^2}{f_2^5 f_8},\tag{2.2.1}$$

$$f_1^2 = \frac{f_2 f_8^5}{f_4^2 f_{16}^2} - 2q \frac{f_2 f_{16}^2}{f_8},\tag{2.2.2}$$

$$\frac{1}{f_1^4} = \frac{f_4^{14}}{f_2^{14} f_8^4} + 4q \frac{f_4^2 f_8^4}{f_2^{10}}, \tag{2.2.3}$$

$$f_1^4 = \frac{f_4^{10}}{f_2^2 f_8^4} - 4q \frac{f_2^2 f_8^4}{f_4^2}, (2.2.4)$$

$$f_1 f_3 = \frac{f_2 f_8^2 f_{12}^4}{f_4^2 f_6 f_{24}^2} - q \frac{f_4^4 f_6 f_{24}^2}{f_2 f_8^2 f_{12}^2}, \tag{2.2.5}$$

$$\frac{1}{f_1 f_3} = \frac{f_8^2 f_{12}^5}{f_2^2 f_4 f_6^4 f_{24}^2} + q \frac{f_4^5 f_{24}^2}{f_2^4 f_6^2 f_8^2 f_{12}},\tag{2.2.6}$$

$$\frac{f_1^3}{f_3} = \frac{f_4^3}{f_{12}} - 3q \frac{f_2^2 f_{12}^3}{f_4 f_6^2},\tag{2.2.7}$$

$$\frac{f_3}{f_1^3} = \frac{f_4^6 f_6^3}{f_2^9 f_{12}^2} + 3q \frac{f_4^2 f_6 f_{12}^2}{f_7^7},\tag{2.2.8}$$

$$\frac{f_3^3}{f_1} = \frac{f_4^3 f_6^2}{f_2^2 f_{12}} + q \frac{f_{12}^3}{f_4},\tag{2.2.9}$$

$$\frac{f_1^2}{f_3^2} = \frac{f_2 f_4^2 f_{12}^4}{f_6^5 f_8 f_{24}} - 2q \frac{f_2^2 f_8 f_{12} f_{24}}{f_4 f_6^4},$$

$$\frac{f_3^2}{f_1^2} = \frac{f_4^4 f_6 f_{12}^2}{f_2^5 f_8 f_{24}} + 2q \frac{f_4 f_6^2 f_8 f_{24}}{f_2^4 f_{12}}.$$
(2.2.10)

$$\frac{f_3^2}{f_1^2} = \frac{f_4^4 f_6 f_{12}^2}{f_2^5 f_8 f_{24}} + 2q \frac{f_4 f_6^2 f_8 f_{24}}{f_2^4 f_{12}}.$$
 (2.2.11)

*Proof.* Identities (2.2.1) and (2.2.3) are the 2-dissections of  $\varphi(q)$  and  $\varphi(q^2)$  (see [27, Eqs. (1.9.4) and (1.10.1)]). Replacing q by -q in (2.2.1) and (2.2.3), and then using

$$(-q; -q)_{\infty} = \frac{f_2^2}{f_1 f_4},\tag{2.2.12}$$

we readily arrive at (2.2.2) and (2.2.4), respectively. Identities (2.2.5), (2.2.6), (2.2.7), (2.2.9), (2.2.10), and (2.2.11) are Eqs. (30.12.1), (30.12.3), (22.1.13), (22.1.14), (30.10.2), and (30.10.4), respectively, in [27]. Finally, (2.2.8) follows from (2.2.7) by replacing q by -q and then using (2.2.12). 

The next lemma we present some useful 3-dissections.

#### Lemma 2.2.2. We have

$$\frac{f_1^2}{f_2} = \frac{f_9^2}{f_{18}} - 2q \frac{f_3 f_{18}^2}{f_6 f_9},\tag{2.2.13}$$

$$\frac{f_2}{f_1^2} = \frac{f_6^4 f_9^6}{f_3^8 f_{18}^3} + 2q \frac{f_6^3 f_9^3}{f_3^7} + 4q^2 \frac{f_6^2 f_{18}^3}{f_3^6}, \tag{2.2.14}$$

$$f_1^3 = f_3 a(q^3) - 3q f_9^3, (2.2.15)$$

$$\frac{1}{f_1^3} = a^2(q^3)\frac{f_9^3}{f_3^{10}} + 3qa(q^3)\frac{f_9^6}{f_3^{11}} + 9q^2\frac{f_9^6}{f_3^{12}},\tag{2.2.16}$$

$$\frac{1}{f_1 f_2} = a(q^6) \frac{f_9^3}{f_3^4 f_6^3} + qa(q^3) \frac{f_{18}^3}{f_3^3 f_6^4} + 3q^2 \frac{f_9^3 f_{18}^3}{f_3^4 f_6^4}, \tag{2.2.17}$$

where

$$a(q) := \sum_{m, n = -\infty}^{\infty} q^{m^2 + mn + n^2} = 1 + 6 \sum_{n = 0}^{\infty} \left( \frac{q^{3n+1}}{1 - q^{3n+1}} - \frac{q^{3n+2}}{1 - q^{3n+2}} \right).$$

Proof. The first identity is equivalent to the 3-dissection of  $\varphi(-q)$  (see [27, Eq. (14.3.2)]). The second can be obtained from the first by replacing q with  $\omega q$  and  $\omega^2 q$  and then multiplying the two results, where  $\omega$  is a primitive cube root of unity. Identities (2.2.15), (2.2.16) and (2.2.17) are in [27, Eqs. (21.3.1), (39.2.8) and (22.9.4)].

We also recall the following useful results from [27, Eqs. (22.1.12), (22.11.8) and (22.11.9)], where the first is a 2-dissection of a(q):

$$a(q) = a(q^4) + 6q \frac{f_4^2 f_{12}^2}{f_2 f_6},$$

$$a(q) + 2a(q^2) = 3 \frac{f_2 f_3^6}{f_1^2 f_6^3},$$

$$a(q) + a(q^2) = 2 \frac{f_2^6 f_3}{f_1^3 f_6^2}.$$

We end this section by noting the following congruences which can be easily established:

$$a(q) \equiv 1 \pmod{2}$$
,

$$a^{2}(q) \equiv 1 \pmod{4},$$

$$f_{1}^{2} \equiv f_{2} \pmod{2},$$

$$f_{1}^{4} \equiv f_{2}^{2} \pmod{4},$$

$$f_{1}^{8} \equiv f_{2}^{4} \pmod{8}.$$

We will use the identities and congruences of this section in the subsequent sections without referring to these.

# 2.3 Proof of Theorem 2.1.1

We have

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PDO_{t}(n)q^{n} = q \frac{f_{2}f_{12}^{2}}{f_{6}} \cdot \frac{f_{3}^{2}}{f_{1}^{2}}$$

$$= q \frac{f_{2}f_{12}^{2}}{f_{6}} \left( \frac{f_{4}^{4}f_{6}f_{12}^{2}}{f_{2}^{5}f_{8}f_{24}} + 2q \frac{f_{4}f_{6}^{2}f_{8}f_{24}}{f_{2}^{4}f_{12}} \right), \qquad (2.3.1)$$

from which we extract

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PDO_{t}(2n)q^{n} = 2qf_{2}f_{4}f_{6}f_{12} \cdot \frac{f_{3}}{f_{1}^{3}}$$

$$= 2qf_{2}f_{4}f_{6}f_{12} \left(\frac{f_{4}^{6}f_{6}^{3}}{f_{2}^{9}f_{12}^{2}} + 3q\frac{f_{4}^{2}f_{6}f_{12}^{2}}{f_{2}^{7}}\right).$$

From the above, we extract

$$\begin{split} &\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \text{PDO}_{\mathsf{t}}(4n+2)q^{n} \\ &= 2\frac{f_{2}^{7}}{f_{6}} \cdot \frac{1}{f_{1}^{8}} \cdot f_{3}^{4} \\ &= 2\frac{f_{2}^{7}}{f_{6}} \left(\frac{f_{4}^{14}}{f_{2}^{14}f_{8}^{4}} + 4q\frac{f_{4}^{2}f_{8}^{4}}{f_{2}^{10}}\right)^{2} \left(\frac{f_{12}^{10}}{f_{2}^{2}f_{4}^{4}} - 4q^{3}\frac{f_{6}^{2}f_{24}^{4}}{f_{12}^{2}}\right) \\ &= 2\frac{f_{4}^{28}f_{12}^{10}}{f_{2}^{21}f_{3}^{3}f_{8}^{8}f_{24}^{4}} + 16q\frac{f_{4}^{16}f_{12}^{10}}{f_{2}^{17}f_{6}^{3}f_{24}^{4}} + 32q^{2}\frac{f_{4}^{4}f_{8}^{8}f_{12}^{10}}{f_{2}^{13}f_{3}^{3}f_{24}^{4}} \\ &- 8q^{3}\frac{f_{4}^{28}f_{6}f_{24}^{4}}{f_{2}^{21}f_{8}^{8}f_{12}^{2}} - 64q^{4}\frac{f_{4}^{16}f_{6}f_{24}^{4}}{f_{2}^{17}f_{12}^{2}} - 128q^{5}\frac{f_{4}^{4}f_{6}f_{8}^{8}f_{24}^{4}}{f_{2}^{13}f_{12}^{3}}, \end{split}$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PDO_{t}(8n+6)q^{n} = 16 \frac{f_{2}^{16} f_{6}^{10}}{f_{1}^{17} f_{3}^{3} f_{12}^{4}} - 8q \frac{f_{2}^{28} f_{3} f_{12}^{4}}{f_{1}^{21} f_{4}^{8} f_{6}^{2}} - 128q^{2} \frac{f_{2}^{4} f_{3} f_{4}^{8} f_{12}^{4}}{f_{1}^{13} f_{6}^{2}}$$

which is (2.1.1).

Next, from (2.3.1) we also extract

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \text{PDO}_{t}(2n+1)q^{n} = \frac{f_{2}^{4}f_{6}^{4}}{f_{4}f_{12}} \cdot \frac{1}{f_{1}^{4}}$$

$$= \frac{f_{2}^{4}f_{6}^{4}}{f_{4}f_{12}} \cdot \left(\frac{f_{4}^{14}}{f_{2}^{14}f_{8}^{4}} + 4q\frac{f_{4}^{2}f_{8}^{4}}{f_{2}^{10}}\right),$$

from which we have

$$\begin{split} &\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \text{PDO}_{\mathsf{t}}(4n+3)q^{n} \\ &= 4\frac{f_{2}f_{4}^{4}}{f_{6}} \cdot \frac{1}{f_{1}^{2}} \cdot \frac{f_{3}^{4}}{f_{1}^{4}} \\ &= 4\frac{f_{2}f_{4}^{4}}{f_{6}} \left(\frac{f_{8}^{5}}{f_{2}^{5}f_{16}^{2}} + 2q\frac{f_{4}^{2}f_{16}^{2}}{f_{2}^{5}f_{8}}\right) \left(\frac{f_{4}^{4}f_{6}f_{12}^{2}}{f_{2}^{5}f_{8}f_{24}} + 2q\frac{f_{4}f_{6}^{2}f_{8}f_{24}}{f_{2}^{4}f_{12}}\right)^{2} \\ &= 4\frac{f_{1}^{12}f_{6}f_{8}^{3}f_{12}^{4}}{f_{1}^{24}f_{16}^{2}f_{24}^{2}} + 16q\frac{f_{4}^{9}f_{6}^{2}f_{8}^{5}f_{12}}{f_{2}^{13}f_{16}^{2}} + 8q\frac{f_{1}^{14}f_{6}f_{12}^{4}f_{16}^{2}}{f_{2}^{14}f_{8}^{3}f_{24}^{2}} \\ &+ 16q^{2}\frac{f_{4}^{6}f_{6}^{3}f_{8}^{7}f_{24}^{2}}{f_{2}^{12}f_{12}^{2}f_{16}^{2}} + 32q^{2}\frac{f_{1}^{41}f_{6}^{2}f_{12}f_{16}^{2}}{f_{2}^{13}f_{8}} + 32q^{3}\frac{f_{4}^{8}f_{6}^{3}f_{8}f_{24}^{2}}{f_{2}^{12}f_{22}^{2}f_{12}^{2}}, \end{split}$$

from which we extract

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PDO_{t}(8n+7)q^{n} = 8\frac{f_{2}^{14}f_{3}f_{6}^{4}f_{8}^{2}}{f_{1}^{14}f_{4}^{3}f_{12}^{2}} + 16\frac{f_{2}^{9}f_{3}^{2}f_{4}^{5}f_{6}}{f_{1}^{13}f_{8}^{2}} + 32q\frac{f_{2}^{8}f_{3}^{3}f_{4}f_{8}^{2}f_{12}^{2}}{f_{1}^{12}f_{6}^{2}},$$

which is (2.1.2).

# **2.4** Proofs of (1.3.5) and (1.3.6)

We have

$$2\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(n)q^{n} = \frac{f_{3}^{5}}{f_{6}^{2}} \cdot \frac{1}{f_{1}^{3}} - \frac{f_{6}}{f_{3}} \cdot \frac{1}{f_{1}f_{2}}$$

$$= \frac{f_{3}^{5}}{f_{6}^{2}} \left( a^{2}(q^{3}) \frac{f_{9}^{3}}{f_{3}^{10}} + 3qa(q^{3}) \frac{f_{9}^{6}}{f_{3}^{11}} + 9q^{2} \frac{f_{9}^{9}}{f_{3}^{12}} \right)$$

$$-\frac{f_6}{f_3}\left(a(q^6)\frac{f_9^3}{f_3^4f_6^3} + qa(q^3)\frac{f_{18}^3}{f_3^3f_6^4} + 3q^2\frac{f_9^3f_{18}^3}{f_3^4f_6^4}\right),\tag{2.4.1}$$

$$\begin{split} 2\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathrm{PD_t}(3n+1)q^n &= 3a(q)\frac{f_6^3}{f_1^6f_2^2} - a(q)\frac{f_6^3}{f_1^4f_2^3} \\ &= \left(3\frac{f_6^6}{f_1^6f_2^2} - \frac{f_6^3}{f_1^4f_2^3}\right)a(q) \\ &= \frac{f_6^3}{f_1^4f_2^3}\left(3\frac{f_2f_6^3}{f_1^2f_6^3} - 1\right)a(q) \\ &= \frac{f_6^3}{f_1^4f_2^3}\left(a(q) + 2a(q^2) - 1\right)a(q) \\ &= \frac{f_6^3}{f_1^4f_2^3}\left(a(q) + a(-q) + 2a(q^2) - 1 - a(-q)\right)a(q) \\ &= \frac{f_6^3}{f_1^4f_2^3}\left(2a(q^4) + 2a(q^2) - 1 - a(-q)\right)a(q) \\ &= \frac{f_6^3}{f_1^4f_2^3}\left(4\frac{f_6^4f_6}{f_2^3f_2^2} - 1 - a(-q)\right)a(q) \\ &= \frac{f_6^3}{f_1^4f_2^3}\left(4\frac{f_6^4f_6}{f_2^3f_2^2} - 1\right)\left(a(q^4) + 6q\frac{f_4^2f_{12}^2}{f_2f_6}\right) - a(-q)a(q)\right) \\ &= \frac{f_6^3}{f_1^4f_2^3}\left(4\frac{f_6^4f_6}{f_2^3f_{12}^2} - 1\right)\left(a(q^4) + 6q\frac{f_4^2f_{12}^2}{f_2f_6}\right) - a(-q)a(q)\right) \\ &= \frac{f_6^3}{f_1^4f_2^3}\left(4\frac{f_6^4f_6}{f_2^3f_{12}^2} - 1\right)\left(a(q^4) + 6q\frac{f_4^2f_{12}^2}{f_2f_6}\right) - a(-q)a(q)\right) \\ &= \frac{f_6^3}{f_1^4f_2^3}\left(4\frac{f_6^4f_6}{f_2^3f_{12}^2} - 1\right)\left(a(q^4) + 6q\frac{f_4^2f_{12}^2}{f_2f_6}\right) - a(-q)a(q)\right) \\ &= \frac{f_6^3}{f_1^4f_2^3}\left(4\frac{f_6^4f_6}{f_2^3f_{12}^2} - 1\right)\left(a(q^4) + 6q\frac{f_4^2f_{12}^2}{f_2f_6}\right) - a(-q)a(q)\right) \\ &= \frac{f_6^3}{f_1^4f_2^3}\left(4\frac{f_6^4f_6}{f_2^3f_{12}^2} - 1\right)\left(a(q^4) + 6q\frac{f_4^2f_{12}^2}{f_2f_6}\right) - a(-q)a(q)\right) \\ &= \frac{f_6^3}{f_1^4f_2^3}\left(4\frac{f_6^4f_6}{f_2^3f_{12}^2} - 1\right)\left(a(q^4) + 6q\frac{f_4^2f_{12}^2}{f_2f_6}\right) - a(-q)a(q)\right) \\ &= \frac{f_6^3}{f_1^4f_2^3}\left(4\frac{f_6^4f_6}{f_2^3f_{12}^2} - 1\right)\left(a(q^4) + 6q\frac{f_4^2f_{12}^2}{f_2f_6}\right) - a(-q)a(q)\right) \\ &= \frac{f_6^3}{f_1^4f_2^3}\left(4\frac{f_6^4f_6}{f_2^3f_{12}^2} - 1\right)\left(a(q^4) + 6q\frac{f_4^2f_{12}^2}{f_2f_6}\right) - a(-q)a(q)\right) \\ &= \frac{f_6^3}{f_1^4f_2^3}\left(4\frac{f_6^4f_6}{f_2^3f_{12}^2} - 1\right)\left(a(q^4) + 6q\frac{f_4^2f_1^2}{f_2f_6}\right) - a(-q)a(q)\right) \\ &= \frac{f_6^3}{f_1^4f_2^3}\left(4\frac{f_6^4f_6}{f_2^3f_{12}^2} - 1\right)\left(a(q^4) + 6q\frac{f_4^2f_1^2}{f_2f_6}\right) - a(-q)a(q)\right) \\ &= \frac{f_6^3}{f_1^4f_2^3}\left(4\frac{f_6^4f_6}{f_2^3f_{12}^2} - 1\right)\left(a(q^4) + 6q\frac{f_4^2f_1^2}{f_2f_6}\right) - a(-q)a(q)\right) \\ &= \frac{f_6^3}{f_1^4f_2^3}\left(4\frac{f_6^4f_6}{f_2^3f_{12}^2} - 1\right)\left(a(q^4) + 6q\frac{f_4^2f_1^2}{f_2f_6}\right) - a(-q)a(q)\right) \\ &= \frac{f_6^3}{f_1^4f_2^3}\left(4\frac{f_6^4f_6}{f_2^3f_{12}^2} - 1\right)\left(4\frac{f_6^4f_6}{f_2^3f_1^2} - 1\right) - a(-q)a(q)\right) \\ &= \frac{f_$$

Extracting the terms involving  $q^{2n+1}$  from both sides of the above and then dividing by 2, we find that

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(6n+4)q^{n} = \frac{f_{3}^{3}}{f_{1}^{3}} \left( 2\frac{f_{2}^{2}f_{4}^{4}}{f_{1}^{10}} \left( 4\frac{f_{2}^{6}f_{3}}{f_{1}^{3}f_{6}^{2}} a(q^{2}) - a(q^{2}) - a^{2}(q^{2}) + 36q \frac{f_{2}^{4}f_{6}^{4}}{f_{1}^{2}f_{3}^{2}} \right) + \frac{f_{2}^{14}}{f_{1}^{14}f_{4}^{4}} \left( 12\frac{f_{2}^{8}}{f_{1}^{4}} - 3\frac{f_{2}^{2}f_{6}^{2}}{f_{1}f_{3}} \right) \right).$$

Taking congruences modulo 8, we have

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(6n+4)q^{n}$$

$$\equiv \frac{f_{3}^{3}}{f_{1}^{3}} \left( 6\frac{f_{2}^{2}f_{4}^{4}}{f_{1}^{10}} \left( a(q^{2}) + a^{2}(q^{2}) \right) + 4\frac{f_{2}^{22}}{f_{1}^{18}f_{4}^{4}} + 5\frac{f_{2}^{16}f_{6}^{2}}{f_{1}^{15}f_{3}f_{4}^{4}} \right)$$

$$\equiv \frac{f_{3}^{3}}{f_{1}^{3}} \left( 6\frac{f_{2}^{2}f_{4}^{4}}{f_{1}^{10}} a(q^{2}) + 6\frac{f_{2}^{2}f_{4}^{4}}{f_{1}^{10}} + 4\frac{f_{2}^{22}}{f_{1}^{18}f_{4}^{4}} + 5\frac{f_{2}^{16}f_{6}^{2}}{f_{1}^{15}f_{3}f_{4}^{4}} \right)$$

$$\equiv \left( 6f_{4}^{2}f_{6}^{2}a(q^{2}) + 10f_{4}^{2}f_{6}^{2} \right) \cdot \frac{1}{f_{1}f_{3}} + 5f_{6}^{2} \cdot \frac{f_{3}^{2}}{f_{1}^{2}}$$

$$\equiv \left( 6f_{4}^{2}f_{6}^{2}a(q^{2}) + 10f_{4}^{2}f_{6}^{2} \right) \left( \frac{f_{8}^{2}f_{12}^{5}}{f_{2}^{2}f_{4}f_{6}^{4}f_{24}^{2}} + q\frac{f_{4}^{5}f_{24}^{2}}{f_{4}^{4}f_{6}^{2}f_{8}^{2}f_{12}} \right)$$

$$+ 5f_{6}^{2} \left( \frac{f_{4}^{4}f_{6}f_{12}^{2}}{f_{2}^{5}f_{8}f_{24}} + 2q\frac{f_{4}f_{6}^{2}f_{8}f_{24}}{f_{4}^{4}f_{12}} \right) \pmod{8}. \tag{2.4.2}$$

We extract

$$\begin{split} &\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathrm{PD_t}(12n+4)q^n \\ &\equiv \left(6f_2^2f_3^2a(q) + 10f_2^2f_3^2\right) \frac{f_4^2f_6^5}{f_1^2f_2f_3^4f_{12}^2} + 5\frac{f_2^4f_3^3f_6^2}{f_1^5f_4f_{12}} \\ &\equiv 6\frac{f_2f_4^2}{f_6} \cdot a(q) \cdot \frac{f_3^2}{f_1^2} + 10f_4^2 + 5\frac{f_6^2}{f_4f_{12}} \cdot f_1^3f_3^3 \\ &\equiv 6\frac{f_2f_4^2}{f_6} \left(a(q^4) + 6q\frac{f_4^2f_{12}^2}{f_2f_6}\right) \left(\frac{f_4^4f_6f_{12}^2}{f_2^5f_8f_{24}} + 2q\frac{f_4f_6^2f_8f_{24}}{f_2^4f_{12}}\right) \\ &\quad + 10f_4^2 + 5\frac{f_6^2}{f_4f_{12}} \left(\frac{f_2f_8^2f_{12}^4}{f_4^2f_6f_{24}^2} - q\frac{f_4^4f_6f_{24}^2}{f_2f_8^2f_{12}^2}\right)^3 \\ &\equiv 6\left(a(q^4)\frac{f_4^6f_{12}^2}{f_2^4f_8f_{24}} + 12q^2\frac{f_4^5f_8f_{12}f_{24}}{f_2^4} + q\left(2a(q^4)\frac{f_4^3f_6f_8f_{24}}{f_2^3f_{12}}\right) \\ &\quad + 6\frac{f_4^8f_{12}^4}{f_2^5f_6f_8f_{24}}\right)\right) + 10f_4^2 + 5\left(\frac{f_2^3f_8^6f_{11}^{11}}{f_4^7f_6f_{24}^6} - 3q\frac{f_2f_6f_8^2f_{12}^5}{f_4f_{24}^2}\right) \\ &\quad + 3q^2\frac{f_4^5f_6^3f_{24}^2}{f_2f_8^2f_{12}} - q^3\frac{f_1^{11}f_6^5f_{24}^6}{f_2^3f_8^6f_{12}^7}\right) \ (\text{mod } 8), \end{split}$$

from which we extract

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(24n+4)q^{n}$$

$$\begin{split} &\equiv 6a(q^2)\frac{f_2^6f_6^2}{f_1^4f_4f_{12}} + 10f_2^2 + 5\left(\frac{f_1^3f_4^6f_6^{11}}{f_2^7f_3f_{12}^6} + 3q\frac{f_2^5f_3^3f_{12}^2}{f_1f_4^2f_6}\right) \\ &\equiv 6a(q^2)\frac{f_4f_6^2}{f_{12}} + 10f_2^2 + 5\left(\frac{f_2f_4^2f_6^3}{f_{12}^3} \cdot \frac{f_1^3}{f_3} + 3q\frac{f_2^5f_{12}^2}{f_4^2f_6} \cdot \frac{f_3^3}{f_1}\right) \\ &\equiv 6a(q^2)\frac{f_4f_6^2}{f_{12}} + 10f_2^2 + 5\left(\frac{f_2f_4^2f_6^3}{f_{12}^2}\left(\frac{f_4^3}{f_{12}} - 3q\frac{f_2^2f_{12}^3}{f_4f_6^2}\right)\right) \\ &+ 3q\frac{f_2^5f_{12}^2}{f_4^2f_6}\left(\frac{f_4^3f_6^2}{f_2^2f_{12}} + q\frac{f_{12}^3}{f_4}\right)\right) \\ &\equiv 6a(q^2)\frac{f_4f_6^2}{f_{12}} + 10f_2^2 + 5\left(\frac{f_2f_4^5f_6^3}{f_{12}^3} + 3q^2\frac{f_2^5f_{12}^5}{f_4^3f_6}\right) \pmod{8}. \end{split}$$

Therefore,

$$PD_{t}(48n + 28) \equiv 0 \pmod{8}.$$

which is (1.3.5).

Now, from (2.4.2), we also extract

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(12n+10)q^{n}$$

$$\equiv \left(6f_{2}^{2}f_{3}^{2}a(q)+10f_{2}^{2}f_{3}^{2}\right)\frac{f_{2}^{5}f_{12}^{2}}{f_{1}^{4}f_{3}^{2}f_{4}^{2}f_{6}}+10\frac{f_{2}f_{3}^{4}f_{4}f_{12}}{f_{1}^{4}f_{6}}$$

$$\equiv 6\frac{f_{2}f_{12}^{2}}{f_{6}}\cdot a(q)+10\frac{f_{2}f_{12}^{2}}{f_{6}}+10\frac{f_{2}f_{6}f_{12}}{f_{2}}$$

$$\equiv 6\frac{f_{2}f_{12}^{2}}{f_{6}}\left(a(q^{4})+6q\frac{f_{4}^{2}f_{12}^{2}}{f_{2}f_{6}}\right)+10\frac{f_{2}f_{12}^{2}}{f_{6}}+10\frac{f_{2}f_{6}f_{12}}{f_{2}} \pmod{8},$$

from which we extract

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(24n + 22)q^{n} \equiv 36 \frac{f_{2}^{2} f_{6}^{4}}{f_{3}^{2}} \equiv 36 f_{2}^{2} f_{6}^{3} \pmod{8},$$

Thus,

$$PD_t(48n + 46) \equiv 0 \pmod{8},$$

which is (1.3.6).

# 2.5 Proof of Theorem 2.1.2

From (2.4.1) we extract

$$2\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(3n)q^{n} = \frac{f_{3}^{3}}{f_{1}^{5}f_{2}^{2}}a^{2}(q) - \frac{f_{3}^{3}}{f_{1}^{5}f_{2}^{2}}a(q^{2})$$

$$\equiv \frac{1}{f_{4}^{2}} \cdot \frac{f_{3}^{3}}{f_{1}} - \frac{a(q^{2})}{f_{4}^{2}} \cdot \frac{f_{3}^{3}}{f_{1}}$$

$$\equiv \left(\frac{1}{f_{4}^{2}} - \frac{a(q^{2})}{f_{4}^{2}}\right) \left(\frac{f_{4}^{3}f_{6}^{2}}{f_{2}^{2}f_{12}} + q\frac{f_{12}^{3}}{f_{4}}\right) \pmod{4}, \tag{2.5.1}$$

from which we extract

$$2\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(6n)q^{n}$$

$$\equiv \left(\frac{1}{f_{2}^{2}} - \frac{a(q)}{f_{2}^{2}}\right) \frac{f_{2}^{3}f_{3}^{2}}{f_{1}^{2}f_{6}}$$

$$\equiv \frac{f_{2}}{f_{6}} \cdot \frac{f_{3}^{2}}{f_{1}^{2}} - \frac{f_{2}}{f_{6}} \cdot \frac{f_{3}^{2}}{f_{1}^{2}} \cdot a(q)$$

$$\equiv \frac{f_{2}}{f_{6}} \left(\frac{f_{4}^{4}f_{6}f_{12}^{2}}{f_{5}^{5}f_{8}f_{24}} + 2q\frac{f_{4}f_{6}^{2}f_{8}f_{24}}{f_{2}^{4}f_{12}}\right)$$

$$-\frac{f_{2}}{f_{6}} \left(\frac{f_{4}^{4}f_{6}f_{12}^{2}}{f_{5}^{5}f_{8}f_{24}} + 2q\frac{f_{4}f_{6}^{2}f_{8}f_{24}}{f_{2}^{4}f_{12}}\right) \left(a(q^{4}) + 6q\frac{f_{4}^{2}f_{12}^{2}}{f_{2}f_{6}}\right) \pmod{4}. \tag{2.5.2}$$

Therefore,

$$2\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(12n)q^{n} \equiv \frac{f_{2}^{4}f_{6}^{2}}{f_{1}^{4}f_{4}f_{12}} - \frac{f_{1}}{f_{3}}\frac{f_{2}^{4}f_{3}f_{6}^{2}}{f_{1}^{5}f_{4}f_{12}} \ a(q^{2})$$
$$\equiv \frac{f_{2}^{2}f_{6}^{2}}{f_{4}f_{12}} - \frac{f_{2}^{2}f_{6}^{2}}{f_{4}f_{12}} \ a(q^{2}) \ (\text{mod } 4),$$

from which we readily arrive at

$$PD_{t}(24n + 12) \equiv 0 \pmod{2},$$

which is (2.1.3).

Next, extracting the terms involving  $q^{2n+1}$  from both sides of (2.5.2), and then dividing by 2, we have

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(12n+6)q^{n} \equiv \frac{f_{2}f_{3}f_{4}f_{12}}{f_{1}^{3}f_{6}} - a(q^{2})\frac{f_{2}f_{3}f_{4}f_{12}}{f_{1}^{3}f_{6}} - 3\frac{f_{2}^{6}f_{6}^{4}}{f_{1}^{5}f_{3}f_{4}f_{12}}$$

$$\equiv \frac{f_2 f_4 f_{12}}{f_6} \cdot \frac{f_3}{f_1^3}$$

$$\equiv \frac{f_2 f_4 f_{12}}{f_6} \left( \frac{f_4^6 f_6^3}{f_2^9 f_{12}^2} + 3q \frac{f_4^2 f_6 f_{12}^2}{f_2^7} \right) \pmod{2},$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(24n+6)q^{n} \equiv \frac{f_{1}f_{2}f_{6}}{f_{3}} \cdot \frac{f_{2}^{6}f_{3}^{3}}{f_{1}^{9}f_{6}^{2}} \equiv f_{2}^{3} \pmod{2},$$

from which we further extract

$$PD_{t}(48n + 30) \equiv 0 \pmod{2},$$

which is (2.1.5), and

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(48n+6)q^{n} \equiv f_{1}^{3} \equiv f_{3}a(q^{3}) - 3qf_{9}^{3} \pmod{2},$$

which implies

$$PD_t(144n + 102) \equiv 0 \pmod{2},$$

which is (2.1.6).

Now, from (2.5.1) we extract

$$2\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(6n+3)q^{n} \equiv \left(\frac{1}{f_{2}^{2}} - \frac{a(q)}{f_{2}^{2}}\right) \frac{f_{6}^{3}}{f_{2}}$$

$$\equiv \frac{f_{6}^{3}}{f_{2}^{3}} - \frac{f_{6}^{3}}{f_{2}^{3}} \left(a(q^{4}) + 6q \frac{f_{4}^{2} f_{12}^{2}}{f_{2} f_{6}}\right) \pmod{4},$$

from which we extract

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(12n+9)q^{n} \equiv \frac{f_{2}^{2}f_{3}^{2}f_{6}^{2}}{f_{1}^{4}} \equiv f_{6}^{3} \pmod{2}.$$
 (2.5.3)

This implies

$$PD_{t}(24n + 21) \equiv 0 \pmod{2},$$

which is (2.1.4). Furthermore,

$$PD_{t}(36n + 21) \equiv PD_{t}(36n + 33) \equiv 0 \pmod{2},$$

which are weaker versions of (2.1.8) and (2.1.9).

From (2.5.3) we also extract

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(72n+9)q^{n} \equiv f_{1}^{3} = f_{3}a(q^{3}) - 3qf_{9}^{3} \pmod{2}, \tag{2.5.4}$$

from which we further extract

$$PD_t(216n + 153) \equiv 0 \pmod{2}$$
,

which is (2.1.7).

From (2.4.1), we extract

$$\begin{split} 2\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathrm{PD_{t}}(3n)q^{n} &= \frac{f_{3}^{3}}{f_{1}^{5}f_{2}^{2}}a^{2}(q) - \frac{f_{3}^{3}}{f_{1}^{5}f_{2}^{2}}a(q^{2}) \\ &= \frac{f_{3}^{3}}{f_{1}^{5}f_{2}^{2}}\left(2(a(q) + a(q^{2})) - (a(q) + 2a(q^{2}))\right)^{2} \\ &- \frac{f_{3}^{3}}{f_{1}^{5}f_{2}^{2}}\left((a(q) + 2a(q^{2})) - (a(q) + a(q^{2}))\right) \\ &= \frac{f_{3}^{3}}{f_{1}^{5}f_{2}^{2}}\left(4\frac{f_{2}^{6}f_{3}}{f_{1}^{3}f_{6}^{2}} - 3\frac{f_{2}f_{3}^{6}}{f_{1}^{2}f_{3}^{6}}\right)^{2} - \frac{f_{3}^{3}}{f_{1}^{5}f_{2}^{2}}\left(3\frac{f_{2}f_{3}^{6}}{f_{1}^{2}f_{6}^{3}} - 2\frac{f_{2}^{6}f_{3}}{f_{1}^{3}f_{6}^{2}}\right). \end{split}$$

Taking congruences modulo 8, we have

$$2\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(3n)q^{n} \equiv \frac{f_{6}^{2}}{f_{2}^{4}} \cdot \frac{1}{f_{1}f_{3}} + 5\frac{f_{6}}{f_{2}^{5}} \cdot f_{1}f_{3} + 2$$

$$\equiv \frac{f_{6}^{2}}{f_{2}^{4}} \left( \frac{f_{8}^{2}f_{12}^{5}}{f_{2}^{2}f_{4}f_{6}^{4}f_{24}^{2}} + q\frac{f_{4}^{5}f_{24}^{2}}{f_{2}^{4}f_{6}^{6}f_{24}^{2}} \right)$$

$$+ 5\frac{f_{6}}{f_{2}^{5}} \left( \frac{f_{2}f_{8}^{2}f_{12}^{4}}{f_{4}^{4}f_{6}f_{24}^{2}} - q\frac{f_{4}^{4}f_{6}f_{24}^{2}}{f_{2}f_{8}^{2}f_{12}^{2}} \right) + 2 \pmod{8}, \tag{2.5.5}$$

from which we extract

$$\begin{split} 2\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathrm{PD_{t}}(6n+3)q^{n} \\ &\equiv \frac{f_{2}^{5}f_{12}^{2}}{f_{1}^{8}f_{4}^{2}f_{6}} + 3\frac{f_{2}^{4}f_{3}^{2}f_{12}^{2}}{f_{1}^{6}f_{4}^{2}f_{6}^{2}} \\ &\equiv \frac{f_{2}f_{12}^{2}}{f_{4}^{2}f_{6}} + 3\frac{f_{12}^{2}}{f_{4}^{2}f_{6}^{2}} \cdot f_{1}^{2}f_{3}^{2} \\ &\equiv \frac{f_{2}f_{12}^{2}}{f_{4}^{2}f_{6}} + 3\frac{f_{12}^{2}}{f_{4}^{2}f_{6}^{2}} \cdot \left(\frac{f_{2}f_{8}^{2}f_{12}^{4}}{f_{4}^{2}f_{6}f_{24}^{2}} - q\frac{f_{4}^{4}f_{6}f_{24}^{2}}{f_{2}f_{8}^{2}f_{12}^{2}}\right)^{2} \end{split}$$

$$\equiv \frac{f_2 f_{12}^2}{f_4^2 f_6} + 3 \frac{f_{12}^2}{f_4^2 f_6^2} \cdot \left( \frac{f_2^2 f_8^4 f_{12}^8}{f_4^4 f_6^2 f_{24}^4} - 2q f_4^2 f_{12}^2 + q^2 \frac{f_4^8 f_6^2 f_{24}^4}{f_2^2 f_8^4 f_{12}^4} \right) \pmod{8}.$$

Extracting the terms involving  $q^{2n+1}$  from both sides, and then dividing by 2, we have

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(12n+9)q^{n} \equiv \frac{f_{6}^{4}}{f_{3}^{2}} \pmod{4},$$

from which we extract

$$PD_t(36n + 21) \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$$

and

$$PD_{t}(36n + 33) \equiv 0 \pmod{4},$$

which are (2.1.8) and (2.1.9), respectively.

Now, from (2.5.5), we extract

$$2\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(6n)q^{n} \equiv \frac{f_{4}^{2}f_{6}^{5}}{f_{1}^{6}f_{2}f_{3}^{2}f_{12}^{2}} + 5\frac{f_{4}^{2}f_{6}^{4}}{f_{1}^{4}f_{2}^{2}f_{12}^{2}} + 2$$

$$\equiv \frac{f_{4}^{2}f_{6}^{5}}{f_{2}^{5}f_{12}^{2}} \cdot \frac{f_{1}^{2}}{f_{3}^{2}} - 3\frac{f_{4}^{2}f_{6}^{4}}{f_{2}^{2}f_{12}^{2}} \cdot \frac{1}{f_{1}^{4}} + 2$$

$$\equiv \frac{f_{4}^{2}f_{6}^{5}}{f_{2}^{5}f_{12}^{2}} \left(\frac{f_{2}f_{4}^{2}f_{12}^{4}}{f_{6}^{5}f_{8}f_{24}} - 2q\frac{f_{2}^{2}f_{8}f_{12}f_{24}}{f_{4}f_{6}^{4}}\right)$$

$$-3\frac{f_{4}^{2}f_{6}^{4}}{f_{2}^{2}f_{12}^{2}} \left(\frac{f_{4}^{14}}{f_{2}^{14}f_{8}^{4}} + 4q\frac{f_{4}^{2}f_{8}^{4}}{f_{10}^{2}}\right) + 2 \text{ (mod 8)}, \qquad (2.5.6)$$

which yields

$$2\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(12n)q^{n} \equiv \frac{f_{2}^{4}f_{6}^{2}}{f_{4}f_{12}} \cdot \frac{1}{f_{1}^{4}} - 3f_{6}^{2} \cdot \frac{1}{f_{3}^{4}} + 2$$

$$\equiv \frac{f_{2}^{4}f_{6}^{2}}{f_{4}f_{12}} \left( \frac{f_{4}^{14}}{f_{2}^{14}f_{8}^{4}} + 4q \frac{f_{4}^{2}f_{8}^{4}}{f_{2}^{10}} \right)$$

$$-3f_{6}^{2} \left( \frac{f_{12}^{14}}{f_{6}^{14}f_{24}^{4}} + 4q^{3} \frac{f_{12}^{2}f_{24}^{4}}{f_{6}^{10}} \right) + 2 \pmod{8}, \tag{2.5.7}$$

from which we extract

$$2\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(24n)q^{n} \equiv \frac{f_{2}}{f_{6}} \cdot \frac{f_{3}^{2}}{f_{1}^{2}} - 3f_{6}^{2} \cdot \frac{1}{f_{3}^{4}} + 2$$

$$\equiv \frac{f_2}{f_6} \left( \frac{f_4^4 f_6 f_{12}^2}{f_2^5 f_8 f_{24}} + 2q \frac{f_4 f_6^2 f_8 f_{24}}{f_2^4 f_{12}} \right) \\
- 3f_6^2 \left( \frac{f_{12}^{14}}{f_6^{14} f_{24}^4} + 4q^3 \frac{f_{12}^2 f_{24}^4}{f_6^{10}} \right) + 2 \pmod{8}.$$
(2.5.8)

We extract

$$2\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(48n)q^{n} \equiv \frac{f_{2}^{4}f_{6}^{2}}{f_{4}f_{12}} \cdot \frac{1}{f_{1}^{4}} - 3\frac{f_{6}^{2}}{f_{3}^{4}} + 2 \pmod{8}.$$
 (2.5.9)

From (2.5.7) and (2.5.9), we arrive at

$$PD_t(12n) \equiv PD_t(48n) \pmod{4}$$
,

which, by iteration, gives (2.1.10).

We also extract from (2.5.7)

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(24n+12)q^{n} \equiv 2f_{4}^{3} - 2qf_{12}^{3}$$

$$\equiv 2f_{12}a(q^{12}) - 6q^{4}f_{36}^{3} - 2qf_{12}^{3} \pmod{4}, \tag{2.5.10}$$

from which we extract

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(24(3n+1)+12)q^{n} \equiv 2f_{4}^{3} - 2qf_{12}^{3} \pmod{4}.$$

From the above two, we have

$$PD_t(24(3n+1)+12) = PD_t(3(24n+12)) \equiv PD_t(24n+12) \pmod{4}$$
.

Thus, for any nonnegative integer  $\ell$ ,

$$PD_{t}(3^{\ell}(24n+12)) \equiv PD_{t}(24n+12) \pmod{4}.$$

Combining the above with (2.1.10), we readily arrive at (2.1.11).

Next, from (2.5.8) we also have

$$2\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(24n)q^{n} \equiv \frac{f_{3}^{2}}{f_{6}} \cdot \frac{f_{2}}{f_{1}^{2}} - 3\frac{f_{6}^{2}}{f_{3}^{4}} + 2$$

$$\equiv \frac{f_{3}^{2}}{f_{6}} \left( \frac{f_{6}^{4}f_{9}^{6}}{f_{3}^{8}f_{18}^{3}} + 2q\frac{f_{6}^{3}f_{9}^{3}}{f_{3}^{7}} + 4q^{2}\frac{f_{6}^{2}f_{18}^{3}}{f_{3}^{6}} \right) - 3\frac{f_{6}^{2}}{f_{3}^{4}} + 2 \pmod{8},$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(72n + 48)q^{n} \equiv 2\frac{f_{2}f_{6}^{3}}{f_{1}^{4}}$$
$$\equiv 2\frac{f_{6}^{3}}{f_{2}} \pmod{4},$$

from which we further extract

$$PD_t(144n + 120) \equiv 0 \pmod{4},$$

which is (2.1.15).

From (2.5.10), we extract

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(48n + 12)q^{n} \equiv 2f_{2}^{3} \pmod{4}$$
 (2.5.11)

and

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(48n + 36)q^{n} \equiv 2f_{6}^{3} \pmod{4}, \tag{2.5.12}$$

which readily implies

$$PD_t(96n + 60) \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$$

and

$$PD_{t}(96n + 84) \equiv 0 \pmod{4},$$

which are (2.1.12) and (2.1.13), respectively. Furthermore, equating the coefficients of  $q^{3n+1}$  and  $q^{3n+2}$  from both sides of (2.5.12), we arrive at

$$PD_{t}(144n + 84) \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$$

and

$$PD_t(144n + 132) \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$$
,

which are (2.1.14) and (2.1.16), respectively.

From (2.5.11) and (2.5.12), we also have

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(96n+12)q^{n} \equiv \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(288n+36)q^{n} \equiv 2f_{1}^{3} \equiv 2\left(f_{3}a(q^{3})-3qf_{9}^{3}\right) \pmod{4},$$

from which we extract

$$PD_t(288n + 204) \equiv PD_t(3(288n + 204)) \equiv 0 \pmod{4},$$

which, by iteration, yields (2.1.17).

From (2.5.8), we extract

$$\begin{split} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathrm{PD_{t}}(48n+24)q^{n} &\equiv \frac{f_{2}f_{3}f_{4}f_{12}}{f_{1}^{3}f_{6}} - 2q\frac{f_{6}^{2}f_{12}^{4}}{f_{3}^{8}} \\ &\equiv \frac{f_{2}f_{4}f_{12}}{f_{6}} \cdot \frac{f_{3}}{f_{1}^{3}} - 2qf_{12}^{3} \\ &\equiv \frac{f_{2}f_{4}f_{12}}{f_{6}} \left(\frac{f_{4}^{6}f_{6}^{3}}{f_{2}^{9}f_{12}^{2}} + 3q\frac{f_{4}^{2}f_{6}f_{12}^{2}}{f_{2}^{7}}\right) - 2qf_{12}^{3} \; (\bmod \; 4), \end{split}$$

from which we further extract

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(96n + 24)q^{n} \equiv \frac{f_{2}^{7} f_{3}^{2}}{f_{1}^{8} f_{6}}$$

$$\equiv \frac{f_{3}^{2}}{f_{6}} \cdot f_{2}^{3}$$

$$\equiv \frac{f_{3}^{2}}{f_{6}} \left( f_{6}a(q^{6}) - 3q^{2} f_{18}^{3} \right) \pmod{4}$$
(2.5.13)

and

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(96n + 72)q^{n} \equiv 3\frac{f_{2}^{3}f_{6}^{3}}{f_{1}^{6}} - 2f_{6}^{3}$$

$$\equiv 2f_{6}^{3} + 3f_{2}f_{6}^{3} \cdot \frac{1}{f_{1}^{2}}$$

$$\equiv 2f_{6}^{3} + 3f_{2}f_{6}^{3} \left(\frac{f_{8}^{5}}{f_{2}^{5}f_{16}^{2}} + 2q\frac{f_{4}^{2}f_{16}^{2}}{f_{2}^{5}f_{8}}\right) \pmod{4}. \tag{2.5.14}$$

From (2.5.13) we extract

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(288n + 216)q^{n} \equiv f_{6}^{3} \cdot \frac{f_{1}^{2}}{f_{2}}$$

$$\equiv f_6^3 \left( \frac{f_9^2}{f_{18}} - 2q \frac{f_3 f_{18}^2}{f_6 f_9} \right) \pmod{4},$$

$$PD_{t}(864n + 792) \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$$
,

which is (2.1.18). We further extract

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(864n + 216)q^{n} \equiv \frac{f_{3}^{2}}{f_{6}} \cdot f_{2}^{3}$$

$$\equiv \frac{f_{3}^{2}}{f_{6}} \left( f_{6}a(q^{6}) - 3q^{2}f_{18}^{3} \right) \pmod{4},$$

from which we have

$$PD_t(2592n + 1080) \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$$
,

which is (2.1.20).

From (2.5.14) we extract

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(192n + 72)q^{n}$$

$$\equiv 2f_{3}^{3} + 3\frac{f_{3}^{3}f_{4}^{5}}{f_{1}^{4}f_{8}^{2}}$$

$$\equiv 2f_{3}^{3} + 3f_{3}^{3} \cdot \frac{f_{4}}{f_{2}^{2}}$$

$$\equiv 2f_{3}^{3} + 3f_{3}^{3} \left(\frac{f_{12}^{4}f_{18}^{6}}{f_{6}^{6}f_{36}^{36}} + 2q^{2}\frac{f_{12}^{3}f_{18}^{3}}{f_{6}^{6}} + 4q^{4}\frac{f_{12}^{2}f_{36}^{3}}{f_{6}^{6}}\right) \pmod{4},$$

from which we extract

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(576n + 72)q^{n} \equiv 2f_{1}^{3} + 3\frac{f_{1}^{3}f_{4}^{4}f_{6}^{6}}{f_{2}^{8}f_{12}^{3}}$$

$$\equiv \left(2 + 3\frac{f_{6}^{2}}{f_{12}}\right) \cdot f_{1}^{3}$$

$$\equiv \left(2 + 3\frac{f_{6}^{2}}{f_{12}}\right) \left(f_{3}a(q^{3}) - 3qf_{9}^{3}\right) \pmod{4},$$

from which we further extract

$$PD_{t}(1728n + 1224) \equiv 0 \pmod{4},$$

which is (2.1.19).

From (2.5.6), we extract

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(12n+6)q^{n} \equiv -\frac{f_{2}f_{3}f_{4}f_{12}}{f_{1}^{3}f_{6}} - 2\frac{f_{2}^{4}f_{3}^{4}f_{4}^{4}}{f_{1}^{12}f_{6}^{2}}$$

$$\equiv 2f_{4}^{3} + 3\frac{f_{2}f_{4}f_{12}}{f_{6}} \cdot \frac{f_{3}}{f_{1}^{3}}$$

$$\equiv 2f_{4}^{3} + 3\frac{f_{2}f_{4}f_{12}}{f_{6}} \left(\frac{f_{4}^{6}f_{6}^{3}}{f_{2}^{9}f_{12}^{2}} + 3q\frac{f_{4}^{2}f_{6}f_{12}^{2}}{f_{2}^{7}}\right)$$

$$\equiv \left(2 + 3\frac{f_{6}^{2}}{f_{12}}\right) \cdot f_{4}^{3} + qf_{12}^{3} \cdot \frac{f_{2}^{2}}{f_{4}}$$

$$\equiv \left(2 + 3\frac{f_{6}^{2}}{f_{12}}\right) \left(f_{12}a(q^{12}) - 3q^{4}f_{36}^{3}\right)$$

$$+ qf_{12}^{3} \left(\frac{f_{18}^{2}}{f_{36}} - 2q^{2}\frac{f_{6}f_{36}^{2}}{f_{12}f_{18}}\right) \pmod{4},$$

$$(2.5.15)$$

from which we extract

$$PD_{t}(36n + 30) \equiv 0 \pmod{4},$$

which is (2.1.21), and

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(36n+18)q^{n} \equiv 2qf_{12}^{3} + 3qf_{12}^{3} \cdot \frac{f_{2}^{2}}{f_{4}} + \frac{f_{6}^{2}}{f_{12}} \cdot f_{4}^{3}$$

$$\equiv 2qf_{12}^{3} + 3qf_{12}^{3} \left(\frac{f_{18}^{2}}{f_{36}} - 2q^{2}\frac{f_{6}f_{36}^{2}}{f_{12}f_{18}}\right)$$

$$+ \frac{f_{6}^{2}}{f_{12}} \left(f_{12}a(q^{12}) - 3q^{4}f_{36}^{3}\right) \pmod{4}.$$

From the above we extract

$$PD_t(108n + 90) \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$$
,

which is (2.1.22), and

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} PD_{t}(108n + 54)q^{n} \equiv \left(2 + 3\frac{f_{6}^{2}}{f_{12}}\right) \cdot f_{4}^{3} + qf_{12}^{3} \cdot \frac{f_{2}^{2}}{f_{4}} \pmod{4}. \tag{2.5.16}$$

From (2.5.15) and (2.5.16), we have

$$PD_t(9(12n+6)) \equiv PD_t(12n+6) \pmod{4}$$

which, upon iteration, yields (2.1.23). This completes the proof.