

Back to the zeta function:

$$\zeta(s) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^s} \quad s = \sigma + it, \text{ converges absolutely for } \underset{\substack{'' \\ \sigma}}{\text{Re}(s)} > 1.$$

celebrated for connection to number theory:

$$\zeta(s) = \prod_{p:\text{prime}} (1 + p^{-s} + p^{-2s} + \dots) = \prod_{p:\text{prime}} (1 - p^{-s})^{-1}$$

(clear formally, equivalent to fund. thm. of arithmetic, but make this rigorous by analyzing conv. of partial products for $\text{Re}(s) > 1$)

Get back to this next week. Today explore analytic properties of $\zeta(s)$:

- analytic continuation to merom. function on all of \mathbb{C}
- functional equation.

} To explore these, need to use Gamma function.

$$\Gamma(s) = \int_0^{\infty} t^s e^{-t} \frac{dt}{t} \quad \text{for } \text{Re}(s) > 0.$$

Then changing vars $t \mapsto nt$, $n \in \mathbb{Z} > 0$ get

$$n^{-s} \Gamma(s) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-nt} t^s \frac{dt}{t}. \quad \left(\frac{dt}{t} \text{ was Haar meas for } \mathbb{R}_+^x \right)$$

if $\text{Re}(s) > 1$, then can sum left-hand side over $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

$$\zeta(s) \Gamma(s) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-nt} t^s \frac{dt}{t}.$$

Now want to interchange summation + integration.

if so, then
$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} e^{-nt} = \frac{e^{-t}}{1 - e^{-t}} = \frac{1}{e^t - 1}$$

so we expect

$$\zeta(s) \Gamma(s) = \int_0^{\infty} t^s \cdot \frac{1}{e^t - 1} \frac{dt}{t}$$

To prove rigorously: Pick α, β with $0 < \alpha < \beta < \infty$, so that

$$\int_0^{\alpha} t^{x-1} \frac{1}{e^t - 1} dt \text{ small } (< \epsilon/4 \text{ some } \epsilon) \quad (x > 1).$$

$$\int_{\beta}^{\infty} t^{x-1} \frac{1}{e^t - 1} dt \text{ small } (< \epsilon/4 \text{ some } \epsilon)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_n \int_0^{\alpha} \frac{1}{e^{nt} - 1} dt, \quad \sum_n \int_{\beta}^{\infty} \frac{1}{e^{nt} - 1} dt \text{ small}$$

then use uniform convergence of $\sum e^{-nt}$ to $\frac{1}{e^t - 1}$ on $[\alpha, \beta]$.

Thm: For $\text{Re}(s) > 1$,

$$\zeta(s) = - \frac{\Gamma(1-s)}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{(-z)^{s-1}}{e^z - 1} dz$$

where C is "infinite keyhole"



$$-z^{s-1} := e^{(s-1) \log(-z)}$$

log branch has cut along
(of $-z$) positive real axis

$$-\pi < \text{Im}(\log(-z)) < \pi$$

To evaluate: Only use Cauchy's thm to say that as we shrink contour, the value of the integral remains constant.

Usually estimates demonstrate integral over circular part $\rightarrow 0$ as its radius $\rightarrow 0$

$$\begin{aligned} (-z)^{s-1} &= x^{s-1} e^{-(s-1)\pi i} \quad \text{on upper edge} \\ &= x^{s-1} e^{(s-1)\pi i} \quad \text{on lower edge.} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_C \frac{(-z)^{s-1}}{e^z - 1} dz = \left[\frac{e^{(s-1)\pi i} - e^{-(s-1)\pi i}}{2i \sin(s-1)\pi} \right] \zeta(s) \Gamma(s)$$

do a little cleaning up: $\sin(s-1)\pi = -\sin s\pi$, $\Gamma(s)\Gamma(1-s) = \pi / \sin s\pi$.

so done.

Corollary: $\zeta(s)$ can be extended to a meromorphic function $\forall s \in \mathbb{C}$ whose only pole is a simple pole at $s=1$ with residue 1.

pf: $\int_C \frac{(-z)^{s-1}}{e^z - 1} dz$ defines entire function (integral well-defined for all s since growth of e^z faster than z^s for any fixed s .)

poles come from $\Gamma(1-s)$ at $s=1, 2, \dots$

then differentiate under integral sign

but we know $\zeta(s)$ defined for $s = \sigma + it$ with $\sigma > 1$,

so $s = 2, 3, \dots$ can't be poles. (In fact they cancel 0's from integration)

Only pole unaccounted for is $s = 1$.

Here the integral is $\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{dz}{e^z - 1} = 1$ (residue thm.)

From product expansion, $\Gamma(z) = e^{-\gamma z} z^{-1} \cdot \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(1 + \frac{z}{n}\right)^{-1} e^{z/n}$

then residue at pole at $z=0$ comes from $\prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{z}$, residue = 1

Conclusion: $\text{res}_{s=1} \zeta(s) = 1$.

Same as that for $-\Gamma(1-s)$.

Functional equation:

$$\zeta(s) = 2^s \pi^{s-1} \sin \frac{\pi s}{2} \Gamma(1-s) \zeta(1-s)$$

or more symmetrically:

$$\text{setting } \xi^*(s) = \frac{1}{2} s(s-1) \pi^{-s/2} \Gamma(s/2) \zeta(s)$$

then $\xi^*(s)$ is entire and $\xi^*(s) = \xi^*(1-s)$.

pf: Another contour integration.