

On Friday, we proved meromorphic continuation of the zeta function:

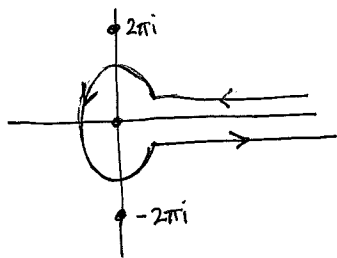
Thm: $\zeta(s)$ is meromorphic for $s \in \mathbb{C}$ with only pole a simple pole at $s=1$, with residue 1.

Key idea: Use integral expression for Γ -function

$$\Gamma(s) = \int_0^{\infty} x^s e^{-x} \frac{dx}{x} \quad \text{For } \text{Re}(s) > 0.$$

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

with C :



with $\log(-z)$ defined on $\mathbb{C} \setminus \{ \text{non-neg. reals} \}$
 $\mathbb{R} \geq 0$.

Thm 2: (Functional equation)

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

or, defining
$$\xi^*(s) = \frac{1}{2} (s(s-1)) \pi^{-s/2} \Gamma(s/2) \zeta(s) \quad (*)$$

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

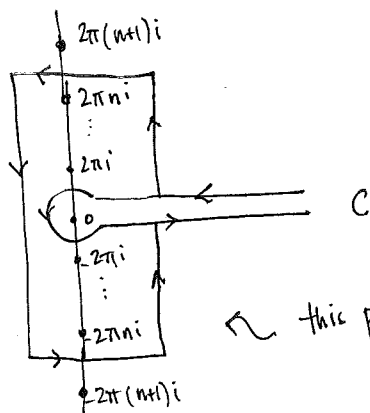
[You might worry about poles of $\Gamma(s/2)$ on RHS of (*). They occur at negative even integers. But $\zeta(s)$ has "trivial zeros" at negative even integers using expansion

$$\frac{1}{e^z - 1} = \frac{1}{z} - \frac{1}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{k-1} \frac{B_k}{(2k)!} z^{2k-1}$$

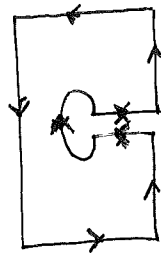
insert into integral over C above, use residue thm ...

only odds!

pf of thm 2: Use pair of contours C (as before) and C_n (as below)



$\Rightarrow C_n - C:$



"floppy disk contour"

← this piece is supposed to be a square ...

Then by residue thm:
$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_n - C} \frac{(-z)^{s-1}}{e^z - 1} dz = \sum_{m=1}^n \left[(-2\pi i m)^{s-1} + (2\pi i m)^{s-1} \right]$$

$$= 2 \cdot (2\pi)^{s-1} \sin \frac{\pi s}{2} \sum_{m=1}^n m^{s-1}$$

If we take $\text{Re}(s) < 0$, then $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{m=1}^n m^{s-1}$ converges to $\zeta(1-s)$.

What about left-hand side? Get expected F.E. if we can show that

$$\int_{C_n - C} \rightarrow \int_{-C} = - \int_C \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty.$$

(Assuming $\text{Re}(s) < 0$; thus two sides of FE are meromorphic functions on \mathbb{C} agreeing on $\text{Re}(s) < 0$. Must be same.)

Write $C_n = \underbrace{C_n^{sq}}_{\text{part on square}} \cup \underbrace{C_n^{ray}}_{\text{tail outside of square}}$

On C_n^{sq} : $\left| \frac{(-z)^{s-1}}{e^z - 1} \right| < K \cdot n^{\text{Re}(s)-1}$, $|dz| \leq K' \cdot \underbrace{(\text{length of square})}_{\text{order } n}$

so $\left| \int_{C_n^{sq}} \frac{(-z)^{s-1}}{e^z - 1} dz \right| < K'' n^{\text{Re}(s)} \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$ if $\text{Re}(s) < 0$.

finally, on C_n^{ray} , just getting pair of integrals similar to

$$\int_n^\infty \frac{(-z)^{s-1}}{e^z - 1} dz = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \int_n^N \frac{(-z)^{s-1}}{e^z - 1} dz, \text{ and want to take limit as } n \rightarrow \infty.$$

One way to prove this: $\left| \int_n^\infty \frac{(-z)^{s-1}}{e^z - 1} \frac{dz}{z} \right| \leq \frac{1}{n} \int_n^\infty \frac{z^s}{e^z - 1} dz$
convergent.

or as geometric series since $\text{Re}(s) < 0$.

Another pf. of analytic continuation: before related $\zeta(s)$ to $\int_0^\infty t^s \frac{1}{e^t - 1} \frac{dt}{t}$
 exponential decay implies well-defined at ∞
 but that may have problems near $t=0$ if $\text{Re}(s)$ not > 1 .
"Mellin transform of $\frac{1}{e^x - 1}$ "

Riemann's other pf. of functional equation:

$$\theta(z) = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} e^{\pi i n^2 z}$$

Consider Mellin transform of $\theta(iy) = \underbrace{\text{const term}}_{=1}$

$$= \int_0^\infty y^s (\theta(iy) - 1) \frac{dy}{y}$$

$$= \int_0^\infty y^s \sum_{\substack{n \in \mathbb{Z} \\ n \neq 0}} e^{-\pi n^2 y} \frac{dy}{y}$$

Clever bit:

$$= \int_0^1 + \int_1^\infty$$

now take $y \mapsto 1/y$ in first integral ...

$$= 2 \cdot \pi^{-s} \Gamma(s) \zeta(2s)$$

Left with:
$$\int_1^\infty \left[y^s (\Theta(iy) - 1) + y^{-s} (\Theta(i/y) - 1) \right] \frac{dy}{y}$$

Wonderful resolution: $\Theta(i/y) \sim y \Theta(iy)$

this "functional equation" for Theta function is

consequence of 2 facts:

(1) Fourier transform of $e^{-\pi x^2}$ is itself

(2) Poisson summation:

$$\sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} f(n) = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \hat{f}(n)$$

↑
Fourier transform

so in fact obtain merom. continuation + functional equation all at once.

Note: this functional equation is for $\Theta(iy)$, not $\Theta(iy) - 1$.

Taking into account the -1 is where poles come in.

Note 2: This transformation for Θ extends to relation for all $z \in \mathbb{C}$. Implies that

$\Theta(z)$ is a kind of modular form.