# THE CONTINUOUS PROPERTY FOR $\zeta(s)$

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ABSTRACT. In this article it's discussed that the continuous property of  $\zeta(s)$ . The popular opinion is denied.

### 1. INTRODUCTION

 $\zeta(s)$  [1] is defined (by Riemann) as:

$$(1 - e^{i2pi(s-1)})\Gamma(s)\zeta(s) = \int_{C=C_1+C_2+C_3} t^{s-1}/(e^t - 1)dt$$

$$C_1 = (-\infty, r]e^{2i\pi}, C_2 = re^{i\theta}, \theta = (2\pi, \pi], C_3 = (r, \infty), 0 < r < 2\pi$$

Most of people thinks this function is analytic except s = 1[1]. There still another series for  $\zeta(s)$  that 's called the second definition in this article.

$$\zeta(s) = \frac{1}{1 - 2^{1-s}} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} n^{-s}, R(s) > 0$$

This expression is analytic except s = 1, If the Riemann's definition is also analytic they should be identical. In this article the analytic property in R(s) = 1 is discussed.

## 2. Discussion

**Theorem 2.1.** The second definition of  $\zeta(s)$  has divergent derivation at the place near s = 0.

Proof.

$$F_m(s) := \sum_{n=1}^m (-1)^{n+1} n^{-s}, R(s) > 0$$

Set  $s \in (0, 1)$ .

$$F'_{m}(s) = \sum_{n>0,2|n+1}^{\infty} \ln(n)(sn^{-s-1} - n^{-s-2}s(s+1)\theta/2), 0 < \theta < 1$$
$$F'_{m}(s) > \frac{1}{2} \int_{n=3}^{m-2} \ln(n)n^{-s-1}sdn - \sum_{n>0,2|n+1}^{\infty} \ln(n)n^{-s-2}s(s+1)\theta/2$$

$$\lim_{m \to \infty} F'_m(s) = \frac{1}{2} \int_3^\infty s \ln(x) x^{-s-1} dx - C$$

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$$\lim_{m \to \infty} F'_m(s) > \frac{1}{2} \int_{\ln(3)}^{\infty} sx e^{-sx} dx - C$$
$$\lim_{m \to \infty} F'_m(s) > \frac{1}{2} \int_{\ln(3)}^{\infty} \frac{sx e^{-sx} d(sx)}{s} - C$$

It's easy to find when  $s \to 0$  this term approaches to infinity.

There is coming up sharp controversy, as is commonly known the  $\zeta(s)$  doesn't has infinity derivation in near s = 0. But in this article the opinion inclines to find the fault of the Riemann's definition.

#### Definition 2.2.

$$g_t(s) = \int_{x \to 0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{s-1}}{e^x - 1} dx, R(s) \ge 1$$
$$G_t(s) = \int_C \frac{x^{s-1}}{e^x - 1} dx, R(s) \ge 1$$

 ${\cal C}$  is defined in the section of Introduction.

**Theorem 2.3.**  $g_t(s)$  is continuous at  $1 \le R(s) < 2, s \ne 1$ . Proof.

$$\int_{x \to 0}^{\delta' \to 0} \frac{x^{s-1}}{e^x - 1} dx$$
$$= \int_{x \to 0}^{\delta' \to 0} \sum_{n=0} B_n x^{s-2+n} dx/n!$$
$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{B_n x^{s-1+n}}{(s-1+n)n!} |_{x \to 0}^{\delta' \to 0}$$

 $B_n$  is Bernoulli number. Because[2]

$$B_{2n} = \frac{(-1)^{n-1}2(2n)!}{(2\pi)^{2n}}\zeta(2n), B_{2n+1} = 0, n > 0, |B_n/n!|^{1/n} < C$$

So that this integration is uniformly convergent at  $1 \le R(s) < 2, s \ne 1$ .

**Lemma 2.4.**  $\zeta(s), R(s) \leq 1$  is not the continuation of  $\zeta(s), R(s) > 1$  at R(s) = 1 for Riemann's definition.

*Proof.* This opposes the classical calculation. The classical calculation try to analyze:

$$\zeta(\delta + ai)$$

$$\leftrightarrow \lim_{r \to 0} \lim_{\delta' \to \delta} \int_C t^{\delta' + ai} / (e^t - 1) dt, \delta' > 0, a \in \mathbf{R}$$

$$\leftrightarrow \lim_{\delta' \to \delta} \lim_{r \to 0} \int_{C1 + C_3} t^{\delta' + ai} / (e^t - 1) dt, \delta' > 0, a \in \mathbf{R}$$

If



is uniformly continuous at 1 < R(s) < 2, 0 < r < 1 (it is), the difference of the two terms is

$$\lim_{r \to 0} \lim_{\delta' \to \delta} \int_{C_2} t^{\delta' + ai} / (e^t - 1) dt \neq 0$$

But we are still convinced by the analytic property of  $x^{s-1}/(e^x-1)$ . In fact it's not the reason of the analytic of the function but possibly that the analytic of  $r^{ai}$  that the radium of  $C_2$  involves. This function is calculated analytically but r is not analytic very much. As a fact if set r = 0 then the controversy disappears.

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