

# Riemann Hypothesis

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## 1 Abstract

The Riemann Zeta function is defined as

$$\zeta(s) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 1/n^s, \operatorname{Re}(s) > 1$$

*The Zeta function is holomorphic in the complex plane except for a pole at  $s = 1$ . The trivial zeros of  $\zeta(s)$  are  $-2, -4, -6, \dots$ . Its non trivial zeros lie in the critical strip  $0 < \operatorname{Re}(s) < 1$ .*

*The Riemann Hypothesis states that all the non trivial zeros lie on the critical line  $\operatorname{Re}(s) = 1/2$ .*

## 2 Proof

Riemann Hypothesis is equivalent to the integral equation (see [3, p.136, Corollary 8.7])

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\log|\zeta(1/2+it)|}{1+4t^2} dt = 0$$

$$\text{Let, } I = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\log|\zeta(1/2+it)|}{1+4t^2} dt$$

Substitute,  $t = \frac{1}{2}\tan\theta$ .

$$dt = \frac{1}{2}\sec^2\theta d\theta.$$

$$I = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \log \left| \zeta\left(\frac{1+i\tan\theta}{2}\right) \right| \frac{\sec^2\theta}{1+\tan^2\theta} d\theta$$

$$I = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \log \left| \zeta\left(\frac{1+i\tan\theta}{2}\right) \right| d\theta$$

$$\text{Let, } f(\theta) = \log \left| \zeta\left(\frac{1+i\tan\theta}{2}\right) \right|$$

$$f(-\theta) = \log \left| \zeta\left(\frac{1-i\tan\theta}{2}\right) \right|$$

Since, by Schwarz reflection principle,  $\zeta(\bar{s}) = \overline{\zeta(s)}$

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$$f(-\theta) = f(\theta)$$

So,  $f$  is an even function.

$$I = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \log \left| \zeta\left(\frac{1+i\tan\theta}{2}\right) \right| d\theta = \int_0^{\pi/2} \log \left| \zeta\left(\frac{1+i\tan\theta}{2}\right) \right| d\theta$$

$$I = \int_0^{\pi/2} \log \left| \zeta\left(\frac{1+i\tan\theta}{2}\right) \right| d\theta \tag{1}$$

$$\text{Let, } J = \int_0^{\pi} \log \left| \zeta\left(\frac{1+i\tan\theta}{2}\right) \right| d\theta \tag{2}$$

$$\text{let, } g(\theta) = \log \left| \zeta\left(\frac{1+i\tan\theta}{2}\right) \right|$$

$$g(2\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta) = g(\pi - \theta) = \log \left| \zeta\left(\frac{1-i\tan\theta}{2}\right) \right|$$

Since, by Schwarz reflection principle,  $\zeta(\bar{s}) = \overline{\zeta(s)}$

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$$g(2\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta) = g(\theta)$$

$$\text{Thus, } \int_0^{2\pi} g(\theta) d\theta = 2 \int_0^{\pi} g(\theta) d\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^{2\pi} \log \left| \zeta\left(\frac{1+i\tan\theta}{2}\right) \right| d\theta = 2 \int_0^{\pi} \log \left| \zeta\left(\frac{1+i\tan\theta}{2}\right) \right| d\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^{\pi} \log \left| \zeta\left(\frac{1+i\tan\theta}{2}\right) \right| d\theta = \int_0^{\pi} \log \left| \zeta\left(\frac{1+i\tan\theta}{2}\right) \right| d\theta$$

From equation (1) and (2),

$$J = 2I. \tag{3}$$

$$\text{Let, } K = \int_0^{2\pi} \log \left| \zeta\left(\frac{1+i\tan\theta}{2}\right) \right| d\theta \tag{4}$$

$$\text{Let, } h(\theta) = \log \left| \zeta\left(\frac{1+i\tan\theta}{2}\right) \right|$$

$$h(2\pi - \theta) = \log \left| \zeta\left(\frac{1-i\tan\theta}{2}\right) \right|$$

Since, by Schwarz reflection principle,  $\zeta(\bar{s}) = \overline{\zeta(s)}$

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$$\int_0^{2\pi} h(\theta) d\theta = 2 \int_0^{\pi} h(\theta) d\theta.$$

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \log \left| \zeta\left(\frac{1+i\tan\theta}{2}\right) \right| d\theta = 2 \int_0^{\pi} \log \left| \zeta\left(\frac{1+i\tan\theta}{2}\right) \right| d\theta$$

$$K = 2J \text{ (from equation (2) and (4))}$$

$$J = 2I \text{ (from equation (3))}$$

$$\Rightarrow K = 2J = 4I$$

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Putting value of  $K$  from equation (4),

$$4I = \int_0^{2\pi} \log \left| \zeta\left(\frac{1+i\tan\theta}{2}\right) \right| d\theta$$

$$I = \frac{1}{4} \int_0^{2\pi} \log \left| \zeta\left(\frac{1+i\tan\theta}{2}\right) \right| d\theta$$

$$I = \frac{1}{4} \int_0^{2\pi} \log \left| \zeta\left(\frac{\cos\theta+i\sin\theta}{2\cos\theta}\right) \right| d\theta$$

$$I = \frac{1}{4} \int_0^{2\pi} \log \left| \zeta\left(\frac{e^{i\theta}}{e^{i\theta}+e^{-i\theta}}\right) \right| d\theta$$

$$\text{Let., } e^{-i\theta} = z.$$

$$-ie^{-i\theta}d\theta = dz.$$

$$d\theta = -dz/iz = idz/z.$$

$$I = \frac{i}{4} \oint_{|z|=1} \frac{\log|\zeta(\frac{z^2}{z^2+1})|}{z} dz$$

Thus, Riemann Hypothesis is equivalent to,

$$I = \frac{i}{4} \oint_{|z|=1} \frac{\log|\zeta(\frac{z^2}{z^2+1})|}{z} dz = 0$$

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