Proof of Riemann hypothesis

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This paper is a trial to prove Riemann hypothesis according Abstract. to the following process. 1. We make one identity regarding x from one equation that gives Riemann zeta function $\zeta(s)$ analytic continuation and 2 formulas $(1/2 + a \pm bi, 1/2 - a \pm bi)$ that show non-trivial zero point of $\zeta(s)$. 2. We find that the above identity holds only at a = 0. 3. Therefore non-trivial zero points of $\zeta(s)$ must be $1/2 \pm bi$ because a cannot have any value but zero.

1. Introduction

The following (1) gives Riemann zeta function $\zeta(s)$ analytic continuation to 0 < Re(s). " $+\cdots$ " means infinite series in all equations in this paper.

$$1 - 2^{-s} + 3^{-s} - 4^{-s} + 5^{-s} - 6^{-s} + \dots = (1 - 2^{1-s})\zeta(s)$$
 (1)

The following (2) shows the zero point of the left side of (1) and also non-trivial zero point of $\zeta(s)$. i is $\sqrt{-1}$.

$$S_0 = 1/2 + a \pm bi (2)$$

The following (3) also shows non-trivial zero point of $\zeta(s)$ by the functional equation of $\zeta(s)$.

$$S_1 = 1 - S_0 = 1/2 - a \mp bi \tag{3}$$

We define the range of a and b as $0 \le a < 1/2$ and 14 < b respectively. Then we can show all non-trivial zero points of $\zeta(s)$ by the above (2) and (3). Because non-trivial zero points of $\zeta(s)$ exist in the critical strip of $\zeta(s)$ (0 < Re(s) < 1) and non-trivial zero points of $\zeta(s)$ found until now exist in the range of 14 < b.

We have the following (4) and (5) by substituting S_0 for s in the left side of (1) and putting both the real part and the imaginary part of the left side of (1) at zero respectively.

$$1 = \frac{\cos(b\log 2)}{2^{1/2+a}} - \frac{\cos(b\log 3)}{3^{1/2+a}} + \frac{\cos(b\log 4)}{4^{1/2+a}} - \frac{\cos(b\log 5)}{5^{1/2+a}} + \dots$$
 (4)

$$1 = \frac{\cos(b \log 2)}{2^{1/2+a}} - \frac{\cos(b \log 3)}{3^{1/2+a}} + \frac{\cos(b \log 4)}{4^{1/2+a}} - \frac{\cos(b \log 5)}{5^{1/2+a}} + \dots$$

$$0 = \frac{\sin(b \log 2)}{2^{1/2+a}} - \frac{\sin(b \log 3)}{3^{1/2+a}} + \frac{\sin(b \log 4)}{4^{1/2+a}} - \frac{\sin(b \log 5)}{5^{1/2+a}} + \dots$$

$$(5)$$

We also have the following (6) and (7) by substituting S_1 for s in the left side of (1) and putting both the real part and the imaginary part of the left side of (1) at zero

respectively.

$$1 = \frac{\cos(b \log 2)}{2^{1/2 - a}} - \frac{\cos(b \log 3)}{3^{1/2 - a}} + \frac{\cos(b \log 4)}{4^{1/2 - a}} - \frac{\cos(b \log 5)}{5^{1/2 - a}} + \dots$$

$$0 = \frac{\sin(b \log 2)}{2^{1/2 - a}} - \frac{\sin(b \log 3)}{3^{1/2 - a}} + \frac{\sin(b \log 4)}{4^{1/2 - a}} - \frac{\sin(b \log 5)}{5^{1/2 - a}} + \dots$$

$$(7)$$

$$0 = \frac{\sin(b\log 2)}{2^{1/2-a}} - \frac{\sin(b\log 3)}{3^{1/2-a}} + \frac{\sin(b\log 4)}{4^{1/2-a}} - \frac{\sin(b\log 5)}{5^{1/2-a}} + \dots$$
 (7)

2. The identity regarding x

We define f(n) as follows.

$$f(n) = \frac{1}{n^{1/2-a}} - \frac{1}{n^{1/2+a}} \ge 0 \qquad (n = 2, 3, 4, 5, \dots)$$
(8)

We have the following (9) from the above (4) and (6) with the method shown in item 1.1 of [Appendix 1: Equation construction].

$$0 = f(2)\cos(b\log 2) - f(3)\cos(b\log 3) + f(4)\cos(b\log 4) - f(5)\cos(b\log 5) + \cdots$$
 (9)

We also have the following (10) from the above (5) and (7) with the method shown in item 1.2 of [Appendix 1].

$$0 = f(2)\sin(b\log 2) - f(3)\sin(b\log 3) + f(4)\sin(b\log 4) - f(5)\sin(b\log 5) + \cdots$$
 (10)

We can have the following (11) regarding real number x from the above (9) and (10)with the method shown in item 1.3 of [Appendix 1]. And the value of (11) is always zero at any value of x.

$$0 \equiv \cos x \{ \text{right side of } (9) \} + \sin x \{ \text{right side of } (10) \}$$

$$= \cos x \{ f(2) \cos(b \log 2) - f(3) \cos(b \log 3) + f(4) \cos(b \log 4) - \cdots \}$$

$$+ \sin x \{ f(2) \sin(b \log 2) - f(3) \sin(b \log 3) + f(4) \sin(b \log 4) - \cdots \}$$

$$= f(2) \cos(b \log 2 - x) - f(3) \cos(b \log 3 - x) + f(4) \cos(b \log 4 - x)$$

$$- f(5) \cos(b \log 5 - x) + f(6) \cos(b \log 6 - x) - \cdots$$
(11)

At a = 0 we have the following (8-1) and the above (11) holds at a = 0.

$$f(n) = \frac{1}{n^{1/2-a}} - \frac{1}{n^{1/2+a}} \equiv 0 \qquad (n = 2, 3, 4, 5, \dots)$$
(8-1)

We have the following (12-1) by substituting $b \log 1$ for x in (11).

$$0 = f(2)\cos(b\log 2 - b\log 1) - f(3)\cos(b\log 3 - b\log 1) + f(4)\cos(b\log 4 - b\log 1) - f(5)\cos(b\log 5 - b\log 1) + f(6)\cos(b\log 6 - b\log 1) - \cdots$$
(12-1)

We have the following (12-2) by substituting $b \log 2$ for x in (11).

$$0 = f(2)\cos(b\log 2 - b\log 2) - f(3)\cos(b\log 3 - b\log 2) + f(4)\cos(b\log 4 - b\log 2) - f(5)\cos(b\log 5 - b\log 2) + f(6)\cos(b\log 6 - b\log 2) - \dots$$
(12-2)

We have the following (12-3) by substituting $b \log 3$ for x in (11).

$$0 = f(2)\cos(b\log 2 - b\log 3) - f(3)\cos(b\log 3 - b\log 3) + f(4)\cos(b\log 4 - b\log 3) - f(5)\cos(b\log 5 - b\log 3) + f(6)\cos(b\log 6 - b\log 3) - \cdots$$
(12-3)

In the same way as above we can have the following (12-N) by substituting $b \log N$ for x in (11). $(N = 4, 5, 6, 7, \dots)$

$$0 = f(2)\cos(b\log 2 - b\log N) - f(3)\cos(b\log 3 - b\log N) + f(4)\cos(b\log 4 - b\log N) - f(5)\cos(b\log 5 - b\log N) + f(6)\cos(b\log 6 - b\log N) - \cdots$$
(12-N)

3. The solution for the identity of (11)

We define g(k, N) as follows. $(k = 2, 3, 4, 5, \dots N = 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots)$

$$g(k, N) = \cos(b \log k - b \log 1) + \cos(b \log k - b \log 2) + \cos(b \log k - b \log 3) + \dots + \cos(b \log k - b \log N)$$

$$= \cos(b \log 1 - b \log k) + \cos(b \log 2 - b \log k) + \cos(b \log 3 - b \log k) + \dots + \cos(b \log N - b \log k)$$

$$= \cos(b \log 1/k) + \cos(b \log 2/k) + \cos(b \log 3/k) + \dots + \cos(b \log N/k)$$
(13)

We can have the following (14) from the equations of (12-1), (12-2), (12-3), \cdots , (12-N) with the method shown in item 1.4 of [Appendix 1].

$$0 = f(2)\{\cos(b\log 2 - b\log 1) + \cos(b\log 2 - b\log 2) + \cos(b\log 2 - b\log 3) + \dots + \cos(b\log 2 - b\log N)\}$$

$$-f(3)\{\cos(b\log 3 - b\log 1) + \cos(b\log 3 - b\log 2) + \cos(b\log 3 - b\log 3) + \dots + \cos(b\log 3 - b\log N)\}$$

$$+f(4)\{\cos(b\log 4 - b\log 1) + \cos(b\log 4 - b\log 2) + \cos(b\log 4 - b\log 3) + \dots + \cos(b\log 4 - b\log N)\}$$

$$-f(5)\{\cos(b\log 5 - b\log 1) + \cos(b\log 5 - b\log 2) + \cos(b\log 5 - b\log 3) + \dots + \cos(b\log 5 - b\log N)\}$$

$$+\dots$$

$$= f(2)q(2,N) - f(3)q(3,N) + f(4)q(4,N) - f(5)q(5,N) + \cdots$$
(14)

If (11) holds, the sum of the right sides of infinite number equations of (12-1), (12-2), (12-3), (12-4), (12-5), \cdots becomes zero. The rightmost side of (14) is the sum of the right sides of N equations of (12-1), (12-2), (12-3), \cdots , (12-N) as shown in item 1.4 of [Appendix 1]. Thererfore if (11) holds, $\lim_{N\to\infty} \{\text{the rightmost side of (14)}\} = 0$ must hold. Here we define F(a) as follows.

$$F(a) = f(2) - f(3) + f(4) - f(5) + \dots$$
(15)

We have the following (25) in [Appendix 2: Investigation of g(k, N)].

$$g(k,N)$$
 $\sim \frac{N\cos(b\log N)}{\sqrt{1+b^2}}$ $(N\to\infty \quad k=2,3,4,5,\cdots)$ (25)

From the above (15) and (25) we have the following (16).

The rightmost side of (14)
$$= f(2)g(2, N) - f(3)g(3, N) + f(4)g(4, N) - f(5)g(5, N) + \cdots$$

$$\sim f(2)\frac{N\cos(b\log N)}{\sqrt{1+b^2}} - f(3)\frac{N\cos(b\log N)}{\sqrt{1+b^2}} + f(4)\frac{N\cos(b\log N)}{\sqrt{1+b^2}}$$

$$- f(5)\frac{N\cos(b\log N)}{\sqrt{1+b^2}} + \cdots$$

$$= \frac{N\cos(b\log N)}{\sqrt{1+b^2}} \{f(2) - f(3) + f(4) - f(5) + \cdots \}$$

$$= F(a)\frac{N\cos(b\log N)}{\sqrt{1+b^2}} \qquad (N \to \infty)$$
(16)

We have the following (17) by summarizing the above (16).

The rightmost side of (14)
$$\sim F(a) \frac{N \cos(b \log N)}{\sqrt{1+b^2}} \quad (N \to \infty)$$
 (17)

 $\lim_{N \to \infty} \frac{N \cos(b \log N)}{\sqrt{1+b^2}} \text{ diverges to } \pm \infty. \quad 0 < F(a) \text{ holds in } 0 < a < 1/2 \text{ as shown in } [\text{Appendix 3 : Investigation of } F(a)]. Then <math>\lim_{N \to \infty} \{\text{the rightmost side of } (14)\} \text{ diverges to } \pm \infty \text{ in } 0 < a < 1/2 \text{ from the above } (17). \text{ This shows } (11) \text{ does not hold in } 0 < a < 1/2. (11) \text{ holds at } a = 0 \text{ as shown in item 2. Therefore non-trivial zero point of Riemann zeta function } \zeta(s) \text{ does not exist in } 0 < a < 1/2 \text{ but only at } a = 0.$

4. Conclusion

a has the range of $0 \le a < 1/2$ by the critical strip of $\zeta(s)$. However, a cannot have any value but zero as shown in the above item 3. Therefore non-trivial zero point of Riemann zeta function $\zeta(s)$ shown by (2) and (3) must be $1/2 \pm bi$.

Appendix 1. : Equation construction

We can construct (9), (10), (11) and (14) by applying the following Theorem 1[1].

Theorem 1 -

If the following (Series 1) and (Series 2) converge respectively, the following (Series 3) and (Series 4) hold.

(Series 1) =
$$a_1 + a_2 + a_3 + a_4 + a_5 + \cdots = A$$

(Series 2) = $b_1 + b_2 + b_3 + b_4 + b_5 + \cdots = B$
(Series 3) = $(a_1 + b_1) + (a_2 + b_2) + (a_3 + b_3) + (a_4 + b_4) + \cdots = A + B$
(Series 4) = $(a_1 - b_1) + (a_2 - b_2) + (a_3 - b_3) + (a_4 - b_4) + \cdots = A - B$

1.1. Construction of (9)

We can have (9) as (Series 4) by regarding (6) and (4) as (Series 1) and (Series 2) respectively.

1.2. Construction of (10)

We can have (10) as (Series 4) by regarding (7) and (5) as (Series 1) and (Series 2) respectively.

1.3. Construction of (11)

We can have (11) as (Series 3) by regarding the following (11-1) and (11-2) as (Series 1) and (Series 2) respectively.

(Series 1) =
$$\cos x\{\text{right side of }(9)\} \equiv 0$$
 (11-1)

(Series 2) =
$$\sin x \{ \text{right side of } (10) \} \equiv 0$$
 (11-2)

1.4. Construction of (14)

1.4.1 We can have the following (12-1*2) as (Series 3) by regarding the following (12-1) and (12-2) as (Series 1) and (Series 2) respectively.

$$(Series \ 1) = f(2)\cos(b\log 2 - b\log 1) - f(3)\cos(b\log 3 - b\log 1) \\ + f(4)\cos(b\log 4 - b\log 1) - f(5)\cos(b\log 5 - b\log 1) \\ + f(6)\cos(b\log 6 - b\log 1) - \cdots = 0 \qquad (12-1)$$

$$(Series \ 2) = f(2)\cos(b\log 2 - b\log 2) - f(3)\cos(b\log 3 - b\log 2) \\ + f(4)\cos(b\log 4 - b\log 2) - f(5)\cos(b\log 5 - b\log 2) \\ + f(6)\cos(b\log 6 - b\log 2) - \cdots = 0 \qquad (12-2)$$

$$(Series \ 3) = f(2)\{\cos(b\log 2 - b\log 1) + \cos(b\log 2 - b\log 2)\} \\ - f(3)\{\cos(b\log 3 - b\log 1) + \cos(b\log 3 - b\log 2)\} \\ + f(4)\{\cos(b\log 4 - b\log 1) + \cos(b\log 4 - b\log 2)\} \\ - f(5)\{\cos(b\log 5 - b\log 1) + \cos(b\log 5 - b\log 2)\} \\ + \cdots = 0 + 0 \qquad (12-1*2)$$

1.4.2 We can have the following (12-1*3) as (Series 3) by regarding the above (12-1*2) and the following (12-3) as (Series 1) and (Series 2) respectively.

(Series 2) =
$$f(2) \cos(b \log 2 - b \log 3) - f(3) \cos(b \log 3 - b \log 3)$$

+ $f(4) \cos(b \log 4 - b \log 3) - f(5) \cos(b \log 5 - b \log 3)$
+ $f(6) \cos(b \log 6 - b \log 3) - \dots = 0$ (12-3)
(Series 3)
= $f(2) \{\cos(b \log 2 - b \log 1) + \cos(b \log 2 - b \log 2) + \cos(b \log 2 - b \log 3)\}$

$$= f(2)\{\cos(b\log 2 - b\log 1) + \cos(b\log 2 - b\log 2) + \cos(b\log 2 - b\log 3)\}$$

$$- f(3)\{\cos(b\log 3 - b\log 1) + \cos(b\log 3 - b\log 2) + \cos(b\log 3 - b\log 3)\}$$

$$+ f(4)\{\cos(b\log 4 - b\log 1) + \cos(b\log 4 - b\log 2) + \cos(b\log 4 - b\log 3)\}$$

$$- f(5)\{\cos(b\log 5 - b\log 1) + \cos(b\log 5 - b\log 2) + \cos(b\log 5 - b\log 3)\}$$

$$+ \cdots = 0 + 0$$

$$(12-1*3)$$

1.4.3 We can have the following (12-1*4) as (Series 3) by regarding the above (12-1*3) and the following (12-4) as (Series 1) and (Series 2) respectively.

(Series 2) =
$$f(2)\cos(b\log 2 - b\log 4) - f(3)\cos(b\log 3 - b\log 4)$$

+ $f(4)\cos(b\log 4 - b\log 4) - f(5)\cos(b\log 5 - b\log 4)$
+ $f(6)\cos(b\log 6 - b\log 4) - \cdots = 0$ (12-4)

(Series 3)

$$= f(2)\{\cos(b\log 2 - b\log 1) + \cos(b\log 2 - b\log 2) + \cos(b\log 2 - b\log 3) + \cos(b\log 2 - b\log 4)\}$$

$$-f(3)\{\cos(b\log 3 - b\log 1) + \cos(b\log 3 - b\log 2) + \cos(b\log 3 - b\log 3) + \cos(b\log 3 - b\log 3) + \cos(b\log 3 - b\log 4)\}$$

$$+f(4)\{\cos(b\log 4 - b\log 1) + \cos(b\log 4 - b\log 2) + \cos(b\log 4 - b\log 3) + \cos(b\log 4 - b\log 4)\}$$

$$-f(5)\{\cos(b\log 5 - b\log 1) + \cos(b\log 5 - b\log 2) + \cos(b\log 5 - b\log 3) + \cos(b\log 5 - b\log 4)\}$$

$$+\dots = 0 + 0$$

$$(12-1*4)$$

1.4.4 In the same way as above we can have the following (12-1*N)=(14) as (Series 3) by regarding (12-1*N-1) and (12-N) as (Series 1) and (Series 2) respectively. $(N=5,6,7,8,\cdots\cdots) \quad g(k,N) \text{ is defined in page 3. } (k=2,3,4,5,\cdots\cdots)$

$$(Series 3) =$$

$$f(2)\{\cos(b\log 2 - b\log 1) + \cos(b\log 2 - b\log 2) + \cos(b\log 2 - b\log 3) + \dots + \cos(b\log 2 - b\log N)\}$$

$$-f(3)\{\cos(b\log 3 - b\log 1) + \cos(b\log 3 - b\log 2) + \cos(b\log 3 - b\log 3) + \dots + \cos(b\log 3 - b\log N)\}$$

$$+f(4)\{\cos(b\log 4 - b\log 1) + \cos(b\log 4 - b\log 2) + \cos(b\log 4 - b\log 3) + \dots + \cos(b\log 4 - b\log N)\}$$

$$-f(5)\{\cos(b\log 5 - b\log 1) + \cos(b\log 5 - b\log 2) + \cos(b\log 5 - b\log 3) + \dots + \cos(b\log 5 - b\log N)\}$$

$$+\dots\dots$$

$$= f(2)g(2,N) - f(3)g(3,N) + f(4)g(4,N) - f(5)g(5,N) + \cdots$$

$$= 0 + 0$$
(12-1*N)

Appendix 2. : Investigation of g(k, N)

2.1 We define G and H as follows. $(N = 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots)$

$$G = \lim_{N \to \infty} \frac{1}{N} \{ \cos(b \log \frac{1}{N}) + \cos(b \log \frac{2}{N}) + \cos(b \log \frac{3}{N}) + \dots + \cos(b \log \frac{N}{N}) \}$$

$$= \int_0^1 \cos(b \log x) dx$$

$$(20-1)$$

$$H = \lim_{N \to \infty} \frac{1}{N} \{ \sin(b \log \frac{1}{N}) + \sin(b \log \frac{2}{N}) + \sin(b \log \frac{3}{N}) + \dots + \sin(b \log \frac{N}{N}) \}$$

$$= \int_0^1 \sin(b \log x) dx$$

$$(20-2)$$

We calculate G and H by Integration by parts.

$$G = [x\cos(b\log x)]_0^1 + bH = 1 + bH$$

$$H = [x\sin(b\log x)]_0^1 - bG = -bG$$

Then we can have the values of G and H from the above equations as follows.

$$G = \frac{1}{1+b^2} \qquad H = \frac{-b}{1+b^2} \tag{21}$$

2.2 We define $E_c(N)$ and $E_s(N)$ as follows.

$$\frac{\cos(b\log\frac{1}{N}) + \cos(b\log\frac{2}{N}) + \cos(b\log\frac{3}{N}) + \dots + \cos(b\log\frac{N}{N})}{N} - G = E_c(N)$$
(22-1)

$$\frac{\sin(b\log\frac{1}{N}) + \sin(b\log\frac{2}{N}) + \sin(b\log\frac{3}{N}) + \dots + \sin(b\log\frac{N}{N})}{N} - H = E_s(N)$$
(22-2)

From (20-1), (20-2), (22-1) and (22-2) we have the following (23).

$$\lim_{N \to \infty} E_c(N) = 0 \qquad \lim_{N \to \infty} E_s(N) = 0 \tag{23}$$

2.3 From (13) we can calculate g(k, N) as follows. $(N = 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots)$

$$\begin{split} g(k,N) &= \cos(b\log 1/k) + \cos(b\log 2/k) + \cos(b\log 3/k) + \dots + \cos(b\log N/k) \\ &= N\frac{1}{N}\{\cos(b\log \frac{1}{N}\frac{N}{k}) + \cos(b\log \frac{2}{N}\frac{N}{k}) + \cos(b\log \frac{3}{N}\frac{N}{k}) + \dots + \cos(b\log \frac{N}{N}\frac{N}{k})\} \\ &= N\frac{1}{N}\{\cos(b\log \frac{1}{N} + b\log \frac{N}{k}) + \cos(b\log \frac{2}{N} + b\log \frac{N}{k}) \\ &+ \cos(b\log \frac{3}{N} + b\log \frac{N}{k}) + \dots + \cos(b\log \frac{N}{N} + b\log \frac{N}{k})\} \\ &= N\frac{1}{N}\cos(b\log \frac{N}{k})\{\cos(b\log \frac{1}{N}) + \cos(b\log \frac{2}{N}) + \cos(b\log \frac{3}{N}) + \dots + \cos(b\log \frac{N}{N})\} \\ &- N\frac{1}{N}\sin(b\log \frac{N}{k})\{\sin(b\log \frac{1}{N}) + \sin(b\log \frac{2}{N}) + \sin(b\log \frac{3}{N}) + \dots + \sin(b\log \frac{N}{N})\} \\ &= N\cos(b\log \frac{N}{k})G \end{split}$$

$$+ N \cos(b \log \frac{N}{k}) \left\{ \frac{\cos(b \log 1/N) + \cos(b \log 2/N) + \cos(b \log 3/N) + \dots + \cos(b \log N/N)}{N} - G \right\}$$

$$- N \sin(b \log \frac{N}{k}) H$$

$$- N \sin(b \log \frac{N}{k}) \left\{ \frac{\sin(b \log 1/N) + \sin(b \log 2/N) + \sin(b \log 3/N) + \dots + \sin(b \log N/N)}{N} - H \right\}$$

$$= N \cos(b \log \frac{N}{k}) G + N \cos(b \log \frac{N}{k}) E_c(N) - N \sin(b \log \frac{N}{k}) H$$

$$- N \sin(b \log \frac{N}{k}) E_s(N)$$

$$= N \cos(b \log \frac{N}{k}) \frac{1}{1 + b^2} + N \cos(b \log \frac{N}{k}) E_c(N)$$

$$+ N \sin(b \log \frac{N}{k}) \frac{b}{1 + b^2} - N \sin(b \log \frac{N}{k}) E_s(N)$$

$$= \frac{N}{\sqrt{1 + b^2}} \left\{ \cos(b \log \frac{N}{k}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + b^2}} + \sin(b \log \frac{N}{k}) \frac{b}{\sqrt{1 + b^2}} \right\}$$

$$+ N \cos(b \log \frac{N}{k}) E_c(N) - N \sin(b \log \frac{N}{k}) E_s(N)$$

$$= N \left\{ \frac{\cos(b \log N/k - \tan^{-1} b)}{\sqrt{1 + b^2}} + \cos(b \log \frac{N}{k}) E_s(N) \right\}$$

$$= N \left[\frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + b^2}} \cos\{b \log N(1 - \frac{\log k}{\log N} - \frac{\tan^{-1} b}{b \log N}) \right]$$

$$+ \cos(b \log \frac{N}{k}) E_c(N) - \sin(b \log \frac{N}{k}) E_s(N) \right]$$

$$(24-6)$$

From (22-1), (22-2) and (24-1) we have (24-2). From (21) and (24-2) we have (24-3).

2.4 From (23) and the above (24-6) we have the following (25).

$$g(k,N)$$
 $\sim \frac{N\cos(b\log N)}{\sqrt{1+b^2}}$ $(N\to\infty \quad k=2,3,4,5,\cdots)$ (25)

Appendix 3. : Investigation of F(a)

3.1 F(0) = 0 holds due to $f(n) \equiv 0$ at a = 0. The alternating series F(a) converges due to $\lim_{n\to\infty} f(n) = 0$.

$$f(n) = \frac{1}{n^{1/2-a}} - \frac{1}{n^{1/2+a}} \ge 0 \quad (n = 2, 3, 4, 5, \dots \quad 0 \le a < 1/2)$$

$$F(a) = f(2) - f(3) + f(4) - f(5) + f(6) - \dots$$

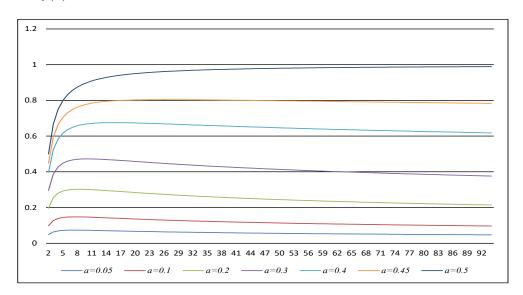
$$(16)$$

$$F(a) = f(2) - f(3) + f(4) - f(5) + f(6) - \dots$$
(16)

We have the following (31) by differentiating f(n) regarding n.

$$\frac{df(n)}{dn} = \frac{1/2 + a}{n^{a+3/2}} - \frac{1/2 - a}{n^{3/2 - a}} = \frac{1/2 + a}{n^{a+3/2}} \left\{ 1 - \left(\frac{1/2 - a}{1/2 + a}\right) n^{2a} \right\}$$
(31)

The value of f(n) increases with increase of n and reaches the maximum value $f(n_{max})$ at $n = n_{max}$. Afterward f(n) decreases to zero with $n \to \infty$. n_{max} is one of the 2 consecutive natural numbers that sandwich $\left(\frac{1/2+a}{1/2-a}\right)^{\frac{1}{2a}}$. (Graph 1) shows f(n) in various value of a.



Graph 1 : f(n) in various value of a

3.2 We define F(a, n) as the following (32).

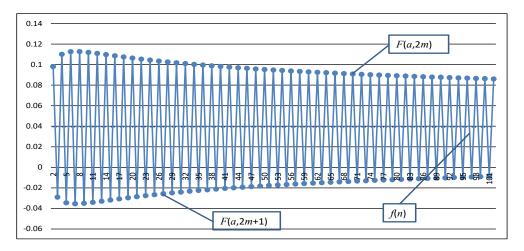
$$F(a,n) = f(2) - f(3) + f(4) - f(5) + \dots + (-1)^n f(n)$$
(32)

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} F(a, n) = F(a) \tag{33}$$

F(a) is an alternating series. So F(a,n) repeats increase and decrease by f(n)with increase of n as shown in (Graph 2). In (Graph 2) upper points mean $(m = 1, 2, 3, \dots)$ and lower points mean F(a, 2m + 1). F(a, 2m)decreases and converges to F(a) with $m \to \infty$. F(a, 2m + 1) increases and also

converges to F(a) with $m \to \infty$ due to $\lim_{n \to \infty} f(n) = 0$. From the above (33) we have the following (34).

$$\lim_{m \to \infty} F(a, 2m) = \lim_{m \to \infty} F(a, 2m + 1) = F(a)$$
(34)



Graph 2 : F(0.1, n) from 1st to 100th term

3.3 From the above (34) we can approximate F(a) with the average of $\{F(a,n) + F(a,n+1)\}/2$. But we approximate F(a) by the following (35) for better accuracy.

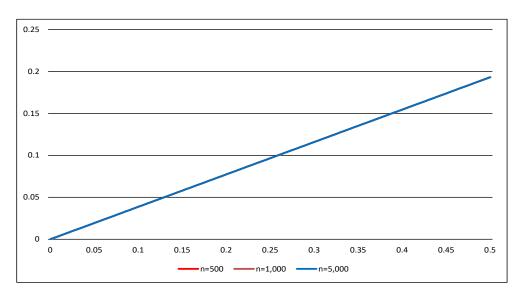
$$\frac{\frac{F(a,n-1)+F(a,n)}{2} + \frac{F(a,n)+F(a,n+1)}{2}}{2} = F(a)_n$$
 (35)

We have the following (35-1) and (35-2) from the above (33) and (35).

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} F(a)_n = F(a) \tag{35-1}$$

$$F(a)_{n+1} = F(a)_n + (-1)^n \frac{\frac{f(n+2) - f(n+1)}{2} - \frac{f(n+1) - f(n)}{2}}{2}$$
(35-2)

3.3.1 (Graph 3) in the next page shows $F(a)_n$ calculated at 3 cases of (n = 500, 1000, 5000). 3 line graphs overlap. Because the values of $F(a)_n$ calculated at 3 cases are equal to 3 digits after the decimal point. Therefore the values of (Table 1) are true as the values of F(a) to 3 digits after the decimal point except F(1/2).



Graph $3: F(a)_n$ at 3 cases

| I | а | 0 | 0.05 | 0.1 | 0.15 | 0.2 | 0.25 | 0.3 | 0.35 | 0.4 | 0.45 | 0.5 |
|---|---------|---|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| I | n=500 | 0 | 0.01932876 | 0.03865677 | 0.05798326 | 0.0773074 | 0.09662832 | 0.11594507 | 0.13525658 | 0.15456168 | 0.17385904 | 0.19314718 |
| | n=1,000 | 0 | 0.01932681 | 0.03865282 | 0.05797725 | 0.0772993 | 0.09661821 | 0.11593325 | 0.13524382 | 0.15454955 | 0.17385049 | 0.19314743 |
| | n=5,000 | 0 | 0.01932876 | 0.03865676 | 0.05798324 | 0.07730738 | 0.09662829 | 0.11594504 | 0.13525655 | 0.15456165 | 0.17385902 | 0.19314718 |

Table 1: The values of $F(a)_n$ at 3 cases

- 3.3.2 The range of a is $0 \le a < 1/2$. a = 1/2 is not included in the range. But we added $F(1/2)_n$ to calculation due to the following reason. f(n) at a = 1/2 is 1 1/n and F(1/2) fluctuates due to $\lim_{n \to \infty} f(n) = 1$. The above (35-2) shows that $F(a)_n$ is partial sum of alternating series which has the term of $\frac{f(n+2) f(n+1) f(n)}{2}$. Then $\lim_{n \to \infty} F(1/2)_n$ can converge to the fixed value on the condition of $\lim_{n \to \infty} \{f(n+1) f(n)\} = 0$. The condition holds due to $f(n+1) f(n) = 1/(n+n^2)$.
- 3.4 We define as follows.

$$f'(n) = \frac{df(n)}{da} = \frac{1}{n^{1/2 - a}} \log n + \frac{1}{n^{a + 1/2}} \log n > 0$$
 (36)

$$F'(a) = f'(2) - f'(3) + f'(4) - f'(5) + \cdots$$
(37)

$$F'(a,n) = f'(2) - f'(3) + f'(4) - f'(5) + \dots + (-1)^n f'(n)$$
(38)

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} F'(a, n) = F'(a) \tag{38-1}$$

F'(a) is an alternating series. F'(a) converges due to $\lim_{n\to\infty}f'(n)=0$. We can

calculate approximation of F'(a) i.e. $F'(a)_n$ according to the following (39).

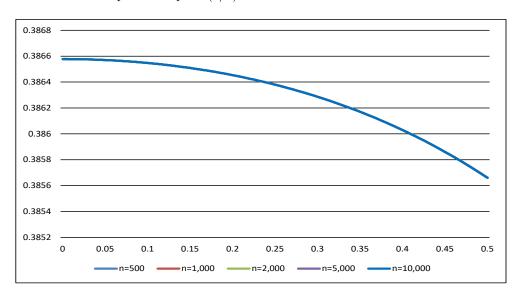
$$\frac{\frac{F'(a,n-1)+F'(a,n)}{2} + \frac{F'(a,n)+F'(a,n+1)}{2}}{2} = F'(a)_n$$
 (39)

We have the following (39-1) and (39-2) from the above (38-1) and (39).

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} F'(a)_n = F'(a) \tag{39-1}$$

$$F'(a)_{n+1} = F'(a)_n + (-1)^n \frac{\frac{f'(n+2) - f'(n+1)}{2} - \frac{f'(n+1) - f'(n)}{2}}{2}$$
(39-2)

3.4.1 (Graph 4) shows $F'(a)_n$ calculated by the above (39) at 5 cases of (n = 500, 1000, 2000, 5000, 10000). 5 line graphs overlap. Because the values of $F'(a)_n$ calculated at 5 cases are equal to 6 digits after the decimal point. Therefore the values of (Table 2) are true as the values of F'(a) to 6 digits after the decimal point except F'(1/2).



Graph $4: F'(a)_n$ at 5 cases

| а | 0 | 0.05 | 0.1 | 0.15 | 0.2 | 0.25 | 0.3 | 0.35 | 0.4 | 0.45 | 0.5 |
|----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| n=500 | 0.38657754 | 0.38657004 | 0.38654734 | 0.38650882 | 0.38645348 | 0.3863799 | 0.38628625 | 0.38617032 | 0.3860295 | 0.38586078 | 0.38566075 |
| n=1,000 | 0.38657764 | 0.38657014 | 0.38654743 | 0.38650891 | 0.38645355 | 0.38637995 | 0.38628627 | 0.3861703 | 0.3860294 | 0.38586057 | 0.38566038 |
| n=2,000 | 0.38657766 | 0.38657016 | 0.38654745 | 0.38650893 | 0.38645357 | 0.38637996 | 0.38628628 | 0.3861703 | 0.38602938 | 0.38586052 | 0.38566029 |
| n=5,000 | 0.38657766 | 0.38657016 | 0.38654745 | 0.38650893 | 0.38645358 | 0.38637997 | 0.38628628 | 0.3861703 | 0.38602938 | 0.38586051 | 0.38566026 |
| n=10,000 | 0.38657766 | 0.38657016 | 0.38654745 | 0.38650893 | 0.38645358 | 0.38637997 | 0.38628629 | 0.3861703 | 0.38602938 | 0.3858605 | 0.38566026 |

Table 2: The values of $F'(a)_n$ at 5 cases

3.4.2 The range of a is $0 \le a < 1/2$. a = 1/2 is not included in the range. But we added $F'(1/2)_n$ to calculation due to the following reason.

f'(n) at a=1/2 is $(1+1/n)\log n$ and F'(1/2) diverges to $\pm \infty$ because $\lim_{n\to\infty} \{(1+1/n)\log n\}$ diverges to ∞ . The above (39-2) shows that $F'(a)_n$ is partial sum of alternating series which has the term of $\frac{f'(n+2)-f'(n+1)}{2}-\frac{f'(n+1)-f'(n)}{2}$

 $\frac{f'(n+2)-f'(n+1)}{2} - \frac{f'(n+1)-f'(n)}{2} \quad \text{and} \quad \lim_{n \to \infty} F'(1/2)_n \text{ can converge to the fixed value on the condition of } \lim_{n \to \infty} \{f'(n+1)-f'(n)\} = 0. \quad \lim_{n \to \infty} \{f'(n+1)-f'(n)\} = 0 \text{ holds as shown below.}$

f'(n) at a = 1/2 is a monotonically increasing function regarding n due to $\frac{df'(n)}{dn} = \frac{1+n-\log n}{n^2} > 0$. Therefore 0 < f'(n+1) - f'(n) holds.

$$0 < f'(n+1) - f'(n) = \{1 + 1/(n+1)\} \log(n+1) - (1 + 1/n) \log n$$

< $(1 + 1/n) \log(n+1) - (1 + 1/n) \log n = (1 + 1/n) \log(1 + 1/n)$

From the above inequality we can have $\lim_{n\to\infty} \{f'(n+1) - f'(n)\} = 0$ due to $\lim_{n\to\infty} \{(1+1/n)\log(1+1/n)\} = 0$.

We redefine the range of a as $0 \le a \le 1/2$ except the definition in F(a) and F'(a).

- 3.4.3 (Graph 4) is plotted by calculating $F'(a)_n$ for a every 0.001. We will confirm 0 < F'(a) in $0 \le a < 1/2$ in this item.
 - 3.4.3.1 f'(n) has the following properties.
 - (1) f'(n) increases monotonically with increase of a in $0 < a \le 1/2$ from the following (40-1).

$$\frac{df'(n)}{da} = f''(n) = (\log n)^2 \left(\frac{1}{n^{1/2-a}} - \frac{1}{n^{1/2+a}}\right) \ge 0 \tag{40-1}$$

(2) We have the following (40-2) from the above (40-1) and f'(n) is a strictly convex function regarding a in $0 \le a \le 1/2$ from (40-2). Then f''(n) increases monotonically with increase of a in $0 \le a \le 1/2$ from the following (40-2).

$$\frac{df''(n)}{da} = f'''(n) = (\log n)^3 \left(\frac{1}{n^{1/2-a}} + \frac{1}{n^{1/2+a}}\right) > 0$$
 (40-2)

(3) We have the following (40-3) from the above (40-2) and f''(n) is a strictly convex function regarding a in $0 < a \le 1/2$ from (40-3).

$$\frac{df'''(n)}{da} = f^{(4)}(n) = (\log n)^4 \left(\frac{1}{n^{1/2-a}} - \frac{1}{n^{1/2+a}}\right) \ge 0 \tag{40-3}$$

3.4.3.2 We define n as even number and $500 \le n$ because of (n = 500, 1000, 2000, 5000, 10000). We also define $F'(a, +)_n$ and $F'(a, -)_n$ as follows.

$$F'(a,+)_n = f'(2) + f'(4) + f'(6) + \dots + f'(n-2) + (3/4)f'(n)$$
 (41-1)

$$F'(a,-)_n = f'(3) + f'(5) + f'(7) + \dots + f'(n-1)$$

$$+ (1/4)f'(n+1)$$
 (41-2)

We have the following (41-3) from (38), (39), (41-1) and (41-2).

$$F'(a)_n = f'(2) - f'(3) + f'(4) - f'(5) + \dots + f'(n-2)$$

$$- f'(n-1) + (3/4)f'(n) - (1/4)f'(n+1)$$

$$= F'(a,+)_n - F'(a,-)_n$$

$$(n : \text{even number} \quad 500 \le n) \tag{41-3}$$

 $F'(a, +)_n$ and $F'(a, -)_n$ in the above (41-3) have the following properties respectively.

(1) We have the following (42-1) and (42-2) from the above (41-1) and (41-2).

$$F''(a,+)_n = f''(2) + f''(4) + f'(6) + \dots + f''(n-2)$$

$$+ (3/4)f''(n)$$

$$F''(a,-)_n = f''(3) + f''(5) + f''(7) + \dots + f''(n-1)$$

$$+ (1/4)f''(n+1)$$

$$(42-2)$$

We have the following (42-3) from the above item 3.4.3.1-(1), (42-1) and (42-2).

$$0 < F''(a, +)_n \qquad 0 < F''(a, -)_n \qquad (0 < a \le 1/2) \tag{42-3}$$

 $F'(a, +)_n$ and $F'(a, -)_n$ increase monotonically with increase of a in $0 < a \le 1/2$ from the above (42-3) respectively.

(2) We have the following (43-1) and (43-2) from the above (42-1) and (42-2).

$$F'''(a,+)_n = f'''(2) + f'''(4) + f'''(6) + \dots + f'''(n-2) + (3/4)f'''(n)$$

$$+ (3/4)f'''(n)$$

$$+ (3/4)f'''(n) + f'''(7) + \dots + f'''(n-1) + (1/4)f'''(n+1)$$

$$+ (1/4)f'''(n+1)$$

$$(43-2)$$

We have the following (43-3) from the above item 3.4.3.1-(2), (43-1) and (43-2).

$$0 < F'''(a, +)_n$$
 $0 < F'''(a, -)_n$ $(0 < a < 1/2)$ (43-3)

 $F'(a,+)_n$ and $F'(a,-)_n$ are strictly convex functions regarding a in $0 \le a \le 1/2$ from the above (43-3) respectively. Then $F''(a,+)_n$ and $F''(a,-)_n$ increase monotonically with increase of a in $0 \le a \le 1/2$ from the above (43-3) respectively.

(3) We have the following (44-1) and (44-2) from the above (43-1) and (43-2).

$$F^{(4)}(a,+)_n = f^{(4)}(2) + f^{(4)}(4) + f^{(4)}(6) + \dots + f^{(4)}(n-2)$$

$$+ (3/4)f^{(4)}(n) (44-1)$$

$$F^{(4)}(a,-)_n = f^{(4)}(3) + f^{(4)}(5) + f^{(4)}(7) + \dots + f^{(4)}(n-1) + (1/4)f^{(4)}(n+1)$$
(44-2)

We have the following (44-3) from the above item 3.4.3.1-(3), (44-1) and (44-2).

$$0 < F^{(4)}(a, +)_n \quad 0 < F^{(4)}(a, -)_n \quad (0 < a \le 1/2)$$
 (44-3)

 $F''(a,+)_n$ and $F''(a,-)_n$ are strictly convex functions regarding a in $0 < a \le 1/2$ from the above (44-3) respectively.

3.4.3.3 (Graph 4) is plotted by calculating $F'(a)_n$ for a every 0.001 and we can confirm that (Graph 4) has a monotonically decreasing and a strictly concave curve. We can also confirm the following inequality from the data of (Graph 4).

$$F'(a_0)_n > F'(a_0 + 0.001)_n$$
 $(n = 500, 1000, 2000, 5000, 10000)$
 $a_0 = 0, 0.001, 0.002, 0.003, \dots, 0.497, 0.498, 0.499)$ (45)

 $F''(a, +)_n$ and $F''(a, -)_n$ are monotonically increasing and strictly convex functions in $0 < a \le 1/2$ as shown in the above item 3.4.3.2-(2) and (3). The following (46) holds from (40-1), (42-1) and (42-2).

$$F''(0,+)_n = F''(0,-)_n = 0 (46)$$

From (41-3) we have the following (47).

$$F''(a,+)_n - F''(a,-)_n = F''(a)_n \tag{47}$$

The situations of $F''(a,+)_n$ and $F''(a,-)_n$ are limitted to the following 5 cases.

- (Case 1) $F''(a, -)_n < F''(a, +)_n$ holds in $0 < a \le 1/2$. $F'(a)_n$ becomes a monotonically increasing function in $0 < a \le 1/2$ from the above (47). This case does not match (Graph 4) and (45).
- (Case 2) $F''(a,+)_n < F''(a,-)_n$ holds in $0 < a \le 1/2$. $F'(a)_n$ becomes a monotonically decreasing function in $0 < a \le 1/2$ from the above (47). This case match (Graph 4) and (45).
- (Case 3) $F''(a, +)_n$ and $F''(a, -)_n$ have an intersection at $a = a_1$. If $F''(a, -)_n < F''(a, +)_n$ holds in $0 < a < a_1, F'(a)_n$ becomes a monotonically increasing function in $0 < a < a_1$ from the above (47). If $F''(a, +)_n < F''(a, -)_n$ holds in $0 < a < a_1, F'(a)_n$ becomes a monotonically increasing function in $a_1 < a$ as shown in the following (Figure 1) from the above (47). This case does not match (Graph 4) and (45).

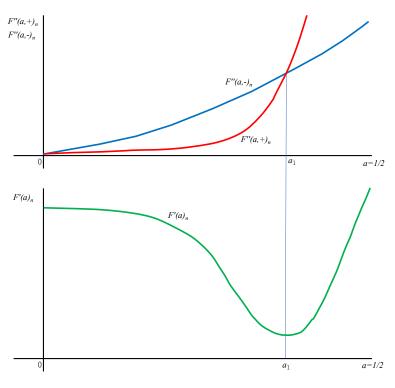


Figure 1

- (Case 4) If in the above (Case 3) $0 < a_1 < 0.001$, $F''(a, -)_n < F''(a, +)_n$ in $0 < a < a_1$ and $F'(0)_n > F'(0.001)_n$ hold, the graph of $F'(a)_n$ looks like a decreasing function in 0 < a < 1/2. Because $F'(a)_n$ is not displayed in 0 < a < 0.001. $F'(a)_n$ should be a monotonically increasing function in $0 < a < a_1$ in the above situation. We can confirm that $F'(a)_n$ is a monotonically decreasing function in $0 < a \le 0.001$ by calculating $F'(a)_n$ for a every 0.00001. Then this case does not exist although this case match (Graph 4) and (45). Even if (Case 4) is mistaken for (Case 2), the conclusion of $F'(1/2)_n \le F'(a)_n$ from (Case 4) is same as the conclusion from (Case 2) shown in item 3.4.3.4.
- (Case 5) If in the above (Case 3) $0.499 < a_1 < 1/2$, $F''(a, -)_n < F''(a, +)_n$ in $a_1 < a \le 1/2$ and $F'(0.499)_n > F'(1/2)_n$ hold, the graph of $F'(a)_n$ looks like a decreasing function in 0 < a < 1/2. Because $F'(a)_n$ is not displayed in 0.499 < a < 1/2. $F'(a)_n$ should be a districtly convex function before a_1 with increase of a from (47) in the above situation as shown in (Figure 1). We can confirm that $F'(a)_n$ is a districtly concave function in $0 < a \le 1/2$ in (Graph 4). Then this case does not match (Graph 4) and (45).

As shown above only (Case 2) exists and other cases do not exist. $F'(a)_n$ is a monotonically decreasing function in $0 < a \le 1/2$ from (Case 2).

3.4.3.4 Now we can confirm that $F'(a)_n$ is a monotonically decreasing function in $0 < a \le 1/2$ from (Graph 4) and the above item 3.4.3.3. Then we have

the following (48).

$$F'(1/2)_n \le F'(a)_n \tag{48}$$

(1) From the data of (Graph 4) we can confirm that the values of $F'(a)_n$ are equal to the values of F'(a) to 6 digits after the decimal point in $500 \le n$ at $(a = 0, 0.001, 0.002, 0.003, \dots, 0.498, 0.499, 0.5)$ as shown in item 3.4.1. The value of F'(a) is determined up to 6 digits after the decimal point at n = 500, and 7 digits or less is determined during from n = 500 to $n = \infty$. $F'(a)_{500}$ is equal to F'(a) with an error of 0.00026% as shown below.

$$\frac{0.000001*100}{F'(1/2)_{500}} = \frac{0.0001}{0.38566075} = 0.00026\%$$

 $F'(a)_n$ converges to F'(a) with $n \to \infty$ and $F'(a)_{500}$ is almost equal to F'(a). Then the curve of (Graph 4) is determined up to n = 500 and the curve does not change during from n = 500 to $n = \infty$. Therefore $F'(a)_n$ becomes a monotonically decreasing function although n is a large number.

- (2) F'(a) also becomes a monotonically decreasing function. If F'(a) is a monotonically increasing function, $F'(a)_n$ must become a monotonically increasing function in $n_0 < n$. (n_0 : large nutural number) But this contradicts the above item (1).
- (3) We have the following (49) and (50) from the above item (1).

$$F'(a_0)_n - 0.000001 < F'(a_0) < F'(a_0)_n + 0.000001$$

$$F'(a_0 + 0.01)_n - 0.000001 < F'(a_0 + 0.01)$$

$$< F'(a_0 + 0.01)_n + 0.000001$$

$$(a_0 = 0, 0.001, 0.002, 0.003, \dots, 0.497, 0.498, 0.499)$$

$$(50)$$

From the above (49) and (50) F'(a) can exist in the yellow area excluding dotted lines in the following (Figure 2) in $a_0 \le a \le a_0 + 0.001$. Because F'(a) is a monotonically decreasing function as shown in above item (2).

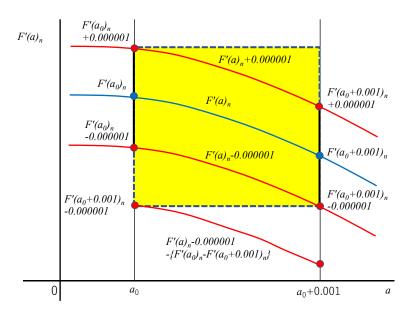


Figure 2

(4) We can have the following (51). Because $F'(a)_n$ is a monotonically increasing and districtly concave function.

$$F'(a_0)_n - F'(a_0 + 0.001)_n < F'(0.499)_n - F'(1/2)_n$$
 (51)

From the above (Figure 2) we have the following (52).

$$F'(a) > F'(a)_n - 0.000001 - \{F'(a_0)_n - F'(a_0 + 0.001)_n\}$$
 (52)

From (48), (51) and (52) we have the following (53) by putting n = 500.

$$F'(a) > F'(a)_{500} - 0.000001 - \{F'(a_0)_{500} - F'(a_0 + 0.001)_{500}\}$$

$$> F'(1/2)_{500} - 0.000001 - \{F'(0.499)_{500} - F'(1/2)_{500}\}$$

$$= 0.38566075 - 0.000001 - (0.38566508 - 0.38566075)$$

$$= 0.38566075 - 0.000001 - 0.000004 > 0.385$$
(53)

- 3.5 0 < F(a) holds in 0 < a < 1/2 due to the following reasons.
 - 3.5.1 F(0) = 0 holds as shown in item 3.1.
 - 3.5.2 F(a) is a monotonically increasing function in $0 \le a < 1/2$ because 0 < F'(a) holds in $0 \le a < 1/2$ as shown in the above item 3.4.3.4.

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