NEW CLUES ON ARBITRARY-PRECISION CALCULATION OF THE RIEMANN ZETA FUNCTION ON THE CRITICAL LINE

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ABSTRACT

The Riemann Hypothesis, is considered by many mathematicians to be the most important unsolved problem, consist in the assertion that all of zeta's nontrivial zeros line up at the so called critical line, $\zeta(1/2+it)$.

This paper presents an algorithm, based on a closed-form system of equations, that computes directly at n^{th} decimal digit each non-trivial zeros of the Riemann Zeta Function.

Keywords Riemann Hypothesis · Riemann Zeta Function · Non-trivial Zeros

1 Introduction

The non-trivial zeros of Riemann Zeta Function has been focus of intense investigation, actually considered the most important unsolved problem in pure mathematics.

The Riemann-Siegel formula is an approximation algorithm that permits very fast evaluation of the zeta function, and the accuracy of the approximations of $\zeta(1/2+it)$ improves with increasing t [1].

Very recent formulas found by Guilherme França and LeClair André [2] and Simon Plouffe [3] are also allowing very fast calculations of non-trivial zeros.

2 On the Transcendental Equations Satisfying Zeta Function

From an explicit expression given by Guilherme França and LeClair André [2], we can get approximated values of imaginary part for every non-trivial zero of zeta function:

$$t_n = \frac{2\pi \left(n - \frac{11}{8}\right)}{W\left(\frac{n - \frac{11}{8}}{e}\right)} \tag{1}$$

Related from this formula we propose a system of equations which provides an unprecedentedly accurate estimation of the zeros on the critical line.

$$\begin{cases}
t_{m_1} = \frac{2\pi \left(m - \frac{11}{8}\right)}{W\left(\frac{m - \frac{11}{8}}{e}\right)} \\
t_{m_2} = \frac{t_m \cdot W\left(\frac{8m - 11}{8e}\right)}{W\left(\frac{t_m \cdot W\left(\frac{8m - 11}{8e}\right)}{2e\pi}\right)}
\end{cases} (2)$$

Based on this system of equations, we can compute every zeta non-trivial roots and gram points.

3 Algorithm and Experimental Results

3.0.1 Algorithm description

As is known the non-trivial zeros of zeta are denoted by $\rho_n = 1/2 + i\gamma n$ for $n \neq 0$, we describe the follow algorithm to compute γn at desired decimal digit of accuracy.

By simple trial and error method, we can find a value (m) that satisfy the proposed system of equations.

In each iteration we got 2 values for the equation system $(t_{m_1} \text{ and } t_{m_2})$ which correspond to equation (2) and (3) respectively.

3.0.2 Algorithm pseudocode

Algorithm 1: Computation of γn at n^{th} digit

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\overline{\textbf{Result: } t_m \simeq \gamma n}
Decimal digits accuracy = d;
compute t_n for n;
m=n;
for i \leftarrow 1 to d do
    for j \leftarrow 0 to 9 do
         compute t_{m_1} and t_{m_2};
         if d digit of t_{m_1} and t_{m_2} = d digit of t_m then
              break;
         else
              d digit of t_m = j;
         end
         for k \leftarrow 0 to 9 do
              compute t_{m_1} and t_{m_2};
              if d digit of t_{m_1} and t_{m_2} = d digit of t_m then
              else
                  d digit of m = k;
              end
         end
    end
end
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3.1 Examples

 $\begin{array}{l} t_{m_1} = \textbf{14.13472514173469379048} \\ 1428397495655351465114229693 \\ t_{m_2} = \textbf{14.13472514173469379048} \\ 7060314410974499528667832387 \end{array}$

Using the algorithm for some other examples of zeros at ten decimal digits of accuracy

Table 1: First four zeros of $\zeta(1/2+it)$: t_n, t_m and γn for $n \in \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$

n	t_n	m	t_m	γn
1	14 .5213469531	0.9492778727	14.13472514 22	14.1347251417
2	2 0.6557403558	2.0698956896	21.02203963 91	21.0220396388
3	25 .4926754322	2.8933326859	25.01085758 31	25.0108575801
4	29.7394116323	4.1708464753	30.42487612 75	30.4248761259

4 Conclusions

We only present a new way to compute Riemann Zeta Function, based on a system of equations which uses the Lambert W function that could finally lead to a truly fundamental formula.

There are no proofs of all this, just empirical results. Further investigations must be done to confirm/reject or even improve those findings.

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