

## Barnes G-Function and the Derivative of the Integral of a Theta Function

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### Abstract

The Riemann zeta function is generalized using the Barnes G-function. There is also a functional equation for this generalized zeta function. There appear to be zeros for all complex numbers with a real part of 1/2. Derivatives are used to derive these results.

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### 1. INTRODUCTION

Equation (3) in section 1.3 of Edward's [1] book is

$$\Pi(s) = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 \cdot 2 \cdots N}{(s+1)(s+2) \cdots (s+N)} (N+1)^s \quad (1)$$

This equation is valid for all  $s$  in the halfplane  $\text{Re } s > -1$ . (Edwards uses the notation  $\Pi(s-1)$  instead of  $\Gamma(s)$ .)

### 2. BARNES G-FUNCTION AND A THETA FUNCTION

An equation given in Kargin's [2] article relating  $\zeta(s)$  to the series  $\theta(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} e^{-n^2\pi x}$  is

$$\frac{\Gamma(\frac{1}{2}s)\zeta(s)}{\pi^{s/2}} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \int_0^{\infty} x^{s/2-1} e^{-n^2\pi x} dx = \int_0^{\infty} x^{s/2-1} \theta(x) dx \quad (2)$$

In the following, the partition function is  $\{\lambda_k\} = \{n \text{ with multiplicity } n\}$ ,  $n=1, 2, 3, \dots$ . Equation A.16 in Voros [3] article is

$$\Theta^B(t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n e^{-tn} = -\frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{1}{e^t - 1} \right) \quad (3)$$

Equation A.17 (the reflection formula for  $\Gamma(z)$ ) is

$$Z^B(s) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n \cdot n^{-s} \zeta(s-1) \quad (4)$$

Multiplying  $\frac{\Pi(\frac{s}{2})\zeta(s)}{\pi^{s/2}}$  and  $\Theta^B(s)$  gives

$$\zeta_1(s) = \Pi\left(\frac{s}{2}\right)\Theta^B(s)\zeta(s)\pi^{-s/2} \quad (5)$$

$\zeta_1(s)$  divided by  $\zeta(s)$  gives a logarithmic spiral. A plot of  $\zeta_1(s)$  and  $\zeta(s)$  for  $s = (0.5, 51.3720769775)$  (the average of the tenth and eleventh non-trivial zeta function zeros) and  $n \leq 1000$  is

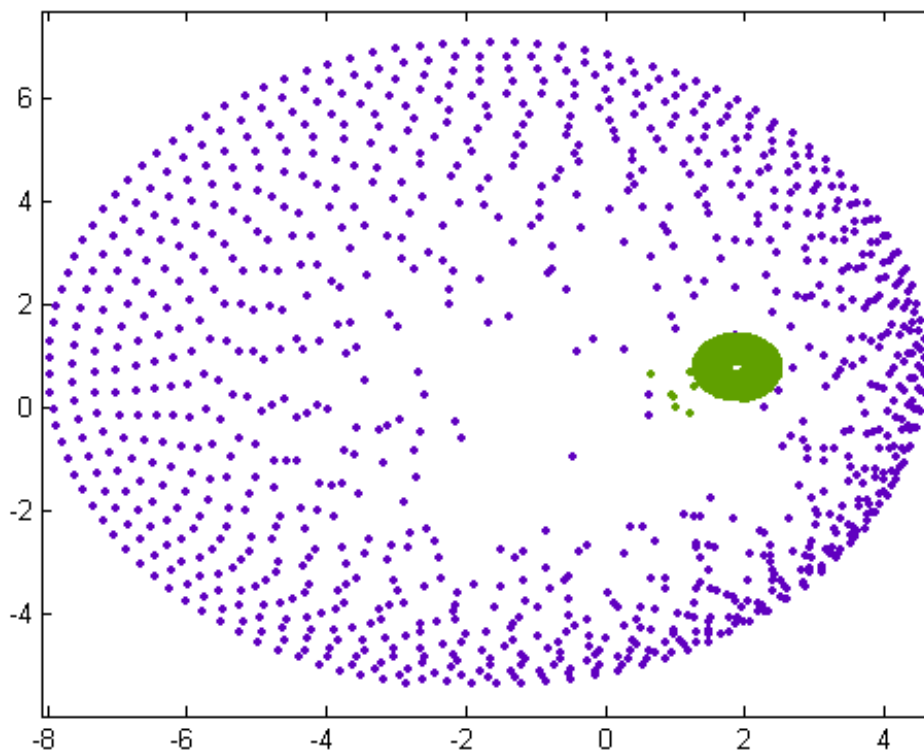


Figure 1:

The result of the division is

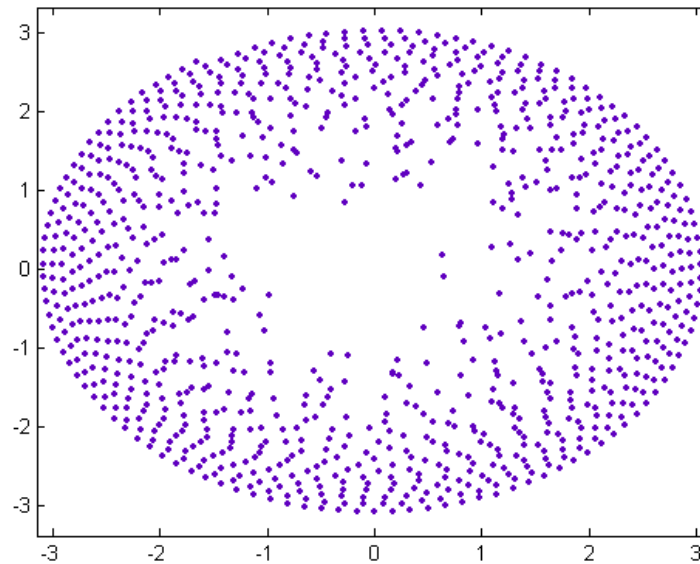


Figure 2:

A plot of the logarithms of the  $n$  values of the inflection points (where the curve decreases toward the  $x$ -axis and then increases) is

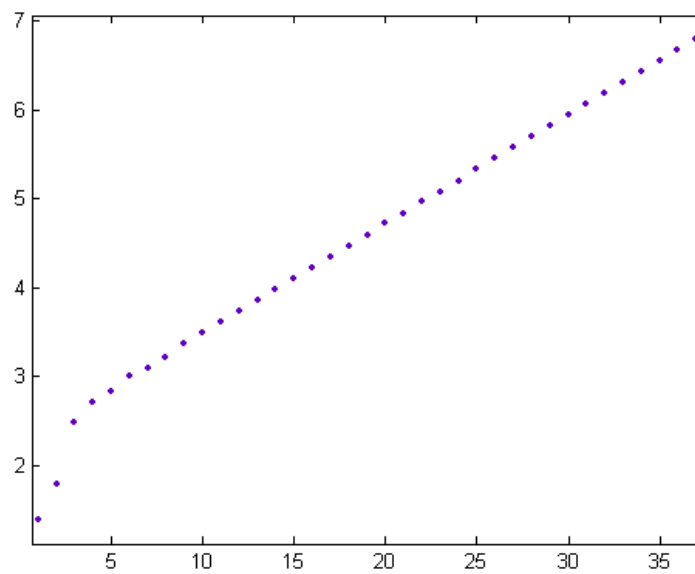


Figure 3:

For a linear least-squares fit of the curve (disregarding the first three  $n$  values),  $p_1 = 0.1232$  with a 95% confidence interval of (0.1229, 0.1236),  $p_2 = 2.245$  with a 95% confidence interval of (2.236, 2.253),  $SSE=0.003553$ ,  $R\text{-squared}=0.9999$ , and  $RMSE=0.01051$ . A plot of  $\zeta_1(s)$  and  $\zeta(s)$  for  $s = (0.5, 49.77383247767)$  (the tenth zeta function zero) and  $n \leq 1000$  is

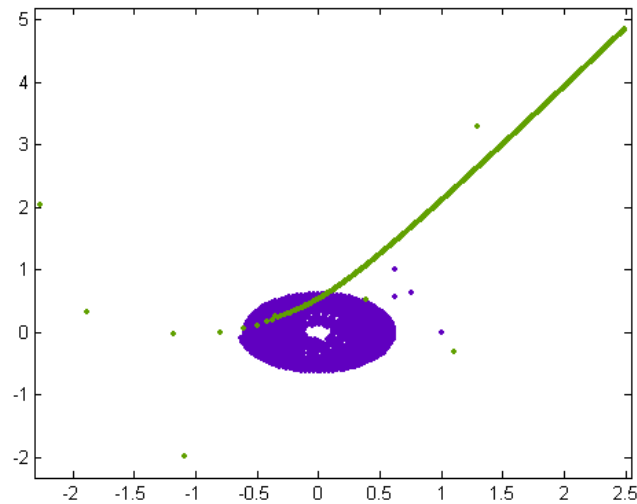


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A plot of the result of the division is

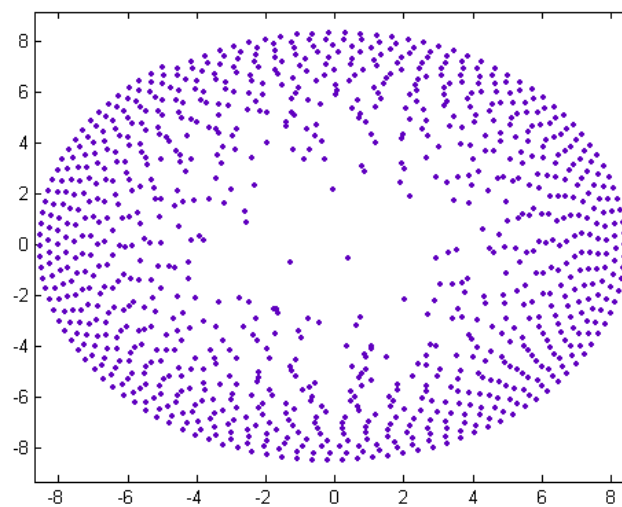


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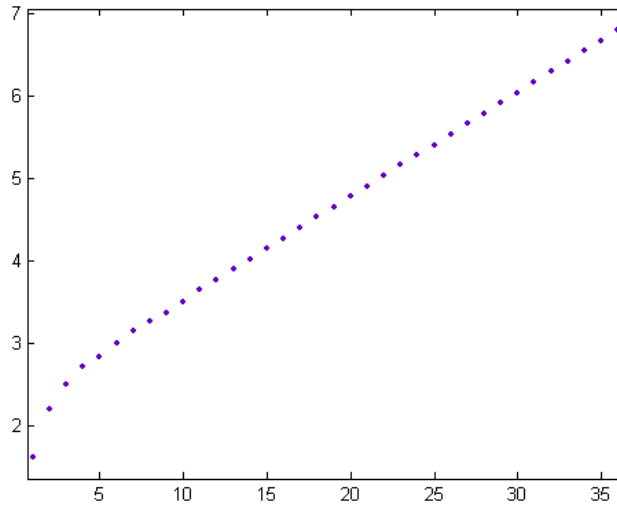


Figure 6:

For a linear least-squares fit of the curve (disregarding the first five  $n$  values),  $p_1 = 0.1265$  with a 95% confidence interval of (0.1263, 0.1267),  $p_2 = 2.241$  with a 95% confidence interval of (2.237, 2.245), SSE=0.0005179, R-squared=1, and RMSE=0.004226. A plot of  $\zeta_1(s)$  and  $\zeta(s)$  for  $s = (0.5, 52.97032147771446)$  (the eleventh zeta function zero) and  $n \leq 1000$  is

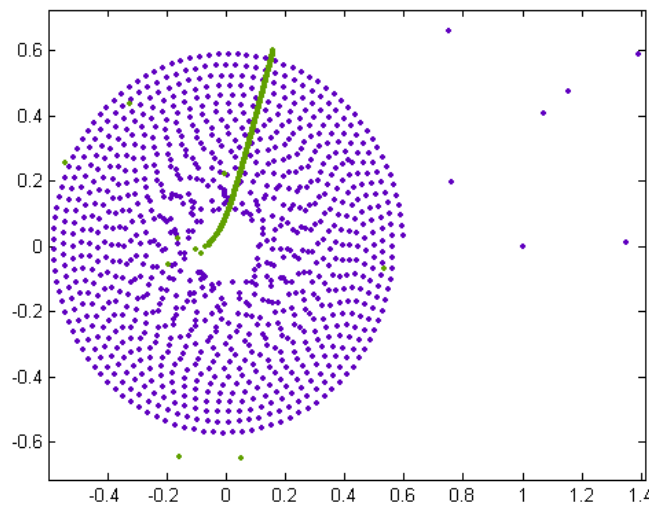


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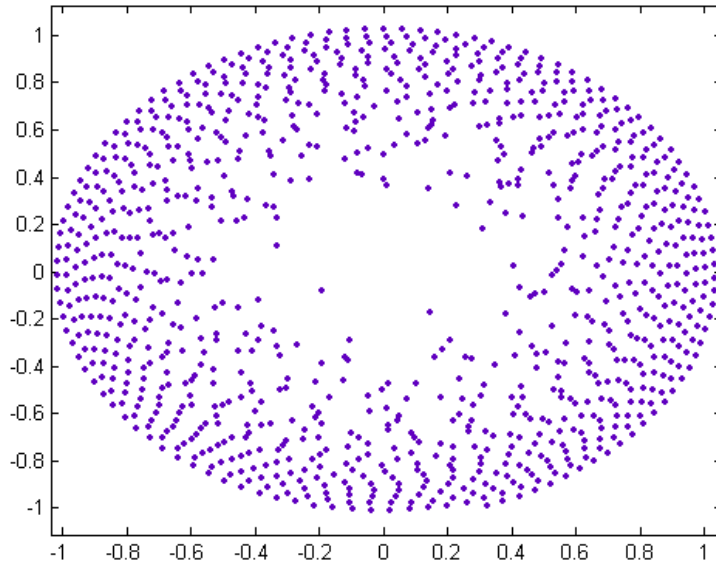


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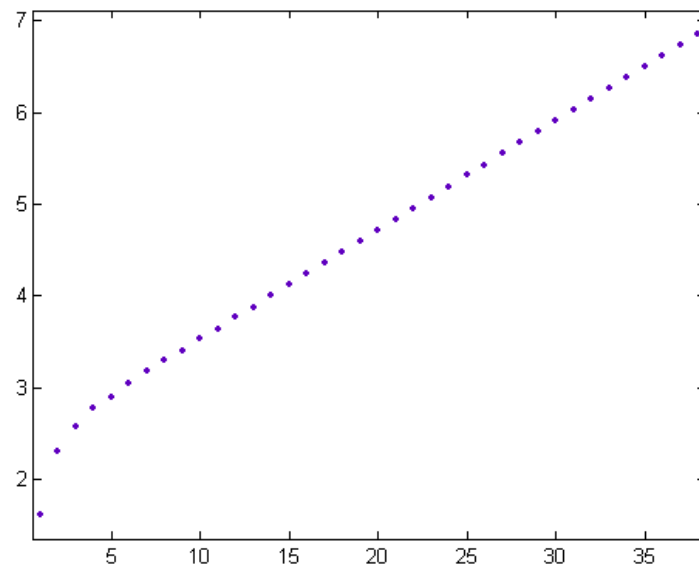


Figure 9:

For a linear least-squares fit of the curve (disregarding the first three  $n$  values),  $p_1 = 0.1189$  with a 95% confidence interval of (0.1188, 0.1191),  $p_2 = 2.2336$  with a 95% confidence interval of (2.333, 2.234), SSE=0.000564, R-squared=1, and RMSE=0.004265.

The average slope for the tenth and eleventh zeta function zeros (0.1227) is almost equal to the slope for the average  $s$  values (0.1232). Note that  $\zeta(s)$  is not centered for the average  $s$  values but the resulting logarithmic spirals from the divisions are all centered.

Riemann’s functional equation (equation (5) in section 1.6 of Edwards’ book) is

$$\Pi\left(\frac{s}{2} - 1\right)\pi^{-s/2}\zeta(s) = \Pi\left(\frac{1-s}{2} - 1\right)\pi^{-(1-s)/2}\zeta(1-s) \tag{6}$$

A plot of the left and right sides of the equation for the first non-trivial zeta function zero ( $s = (0.5, 14.134725191735)$ ) and  $n \leq 100000$  is

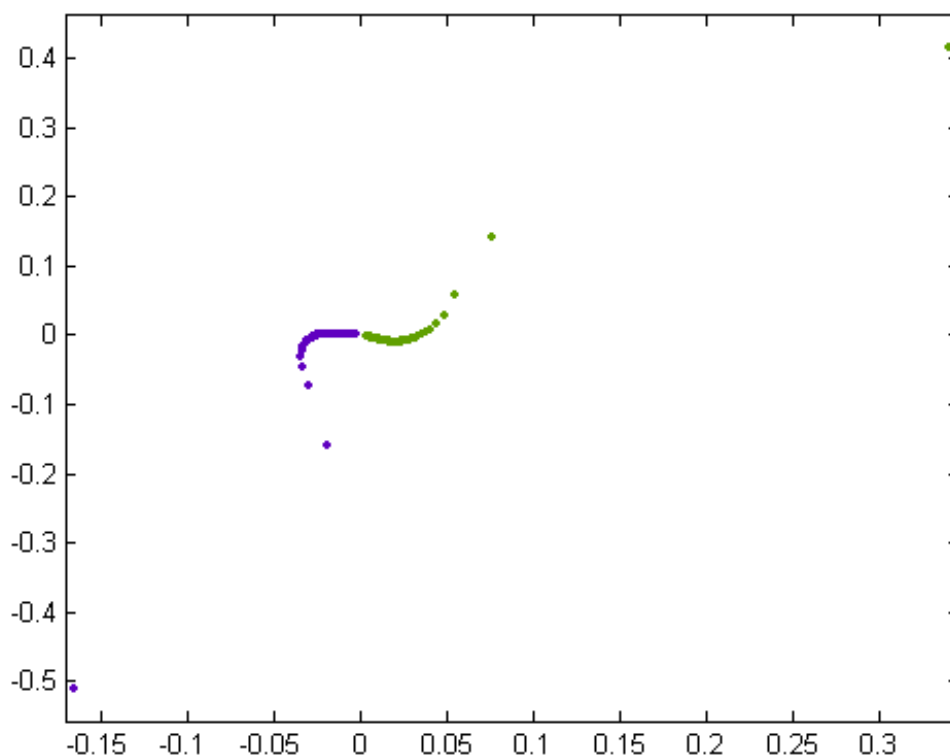


Figure 10:

Such curves are typical for zeta function zeros.

$\zeta_1(s)$  can be substituted into the functional equation. A plot of the left and right sides of the equation for the first zeta function zero and  $n \leq 1000$  is

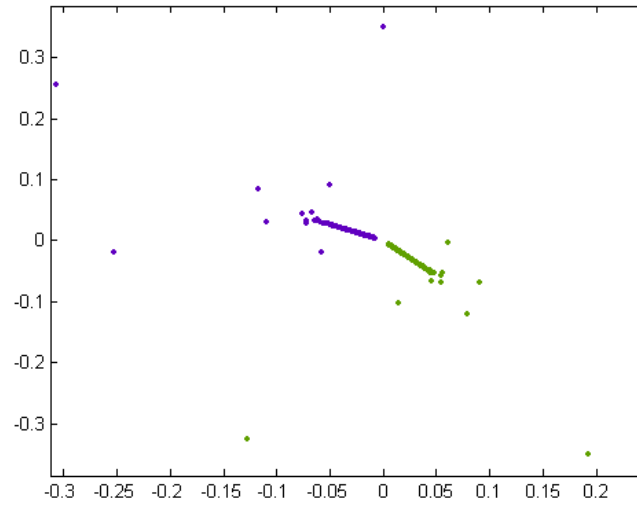


Figure 11:

### 3. ANOTHER RATIO INVOLVING THE BARNES G-FUNCTION

A plot of  $\Theta^B(s)\pi^{-s/2}$  for the second zeta function zero and  $n \leq 1000$  is

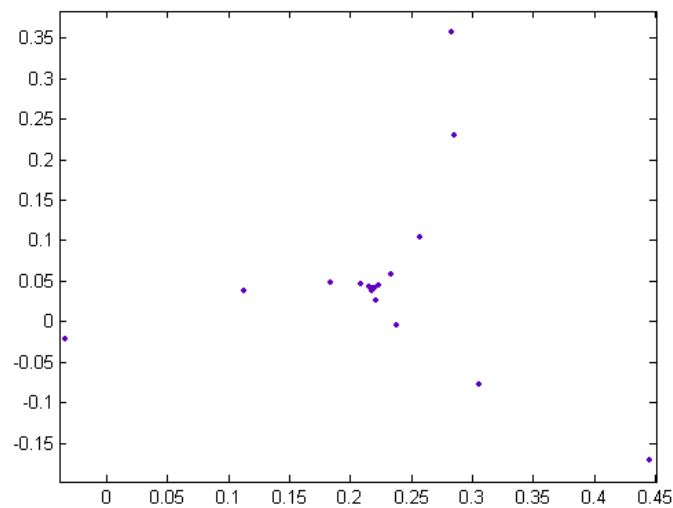


Figure 12:

The curve converges to (0.2178, 0.0414).



A plot of  $\Theta^B(s)\pi^{-s/2}$  for the fourth zeta function zero and  $n \leq 1000$  is

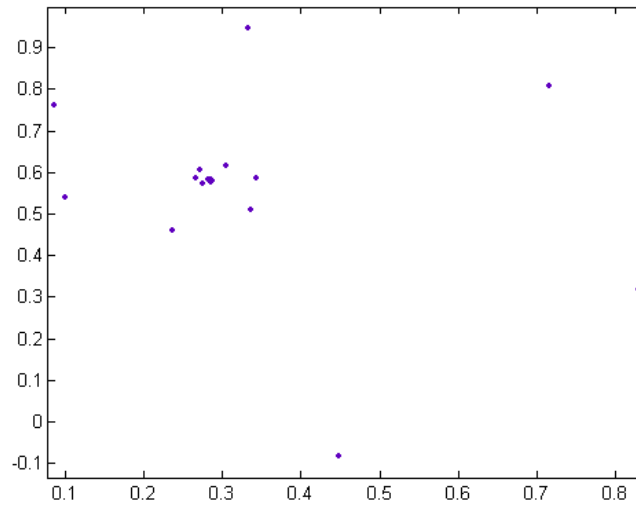


Figure 13:

The curve converges to (0.2835, 0.5824).

A plot of  $\Theta^B(s)\pi^{-s/2}$  for the seventh zeta function zero and  $n \leq 1000$  is

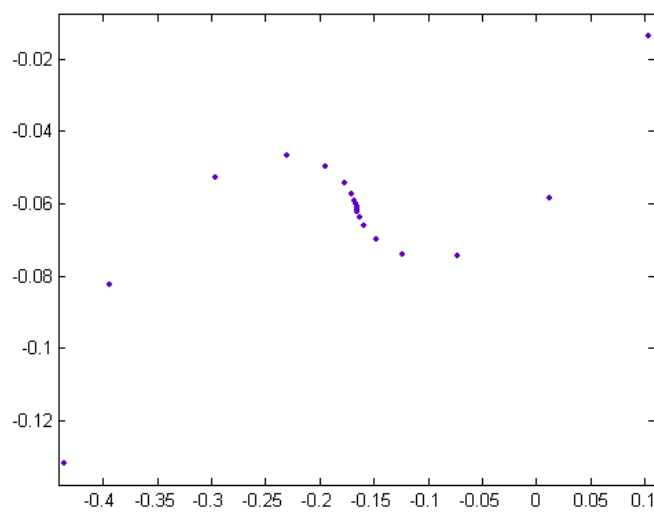


Figure 14:

The curve converges to  $(-0.1659, -0.0610)$ .

A plot of  $\Theta^B(s)\pi^{-s/2}$  for  $s = (0.5, 13.5)$  and  $n \leq 1000$  is

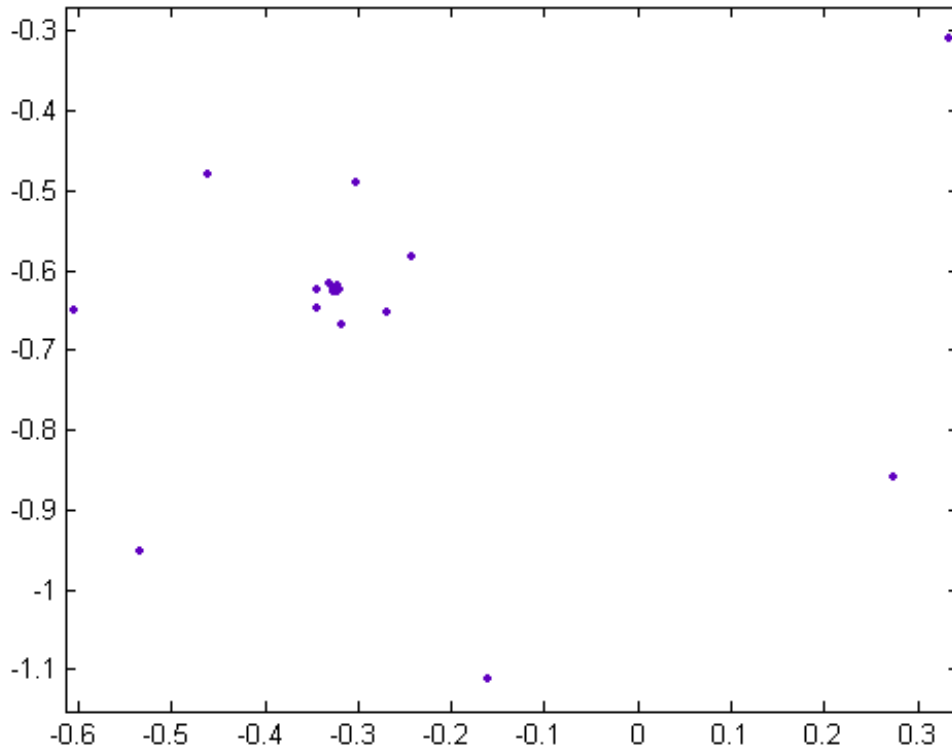


Figure 15:

The curve converges to  $(-0.3251, -0.6256)$ .

For complex numbers with a real part of  $1/2$ , the radius of convergence appears to be 1.

#### 4. A DERIVATIVE INVOLVING THE REFLECTION FORMULA

In a variant of the above, the expression

$$\Pi\left(\frac{s}{2}\right)\Theta^B(s)\zeta(s) \quad (7)$$

is multiplied by the following expression.

$$\frac{2\pi\zeta(s)}{\Pi(1-s)Z^B(s)} \quad (8)$$

This gives  $\zeta_2(s)$ . A plot of  $\zeta_2(s)$  for the first zeta function zero and  $n \leq 1000$  is

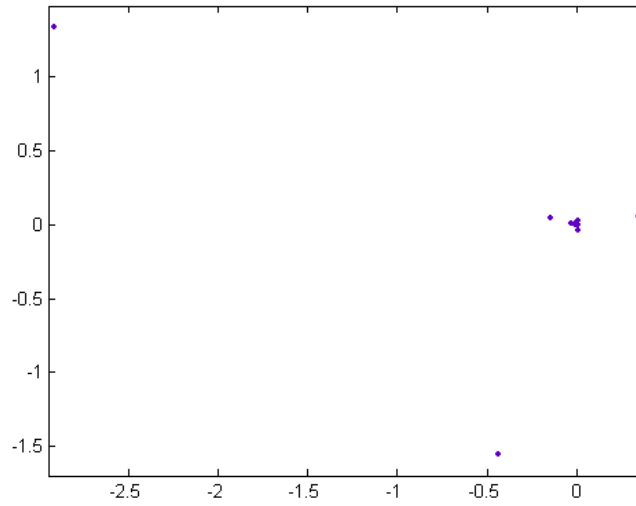


Figure 16:

A plot of the curve for  $100 \leq n \leq 1000$  is

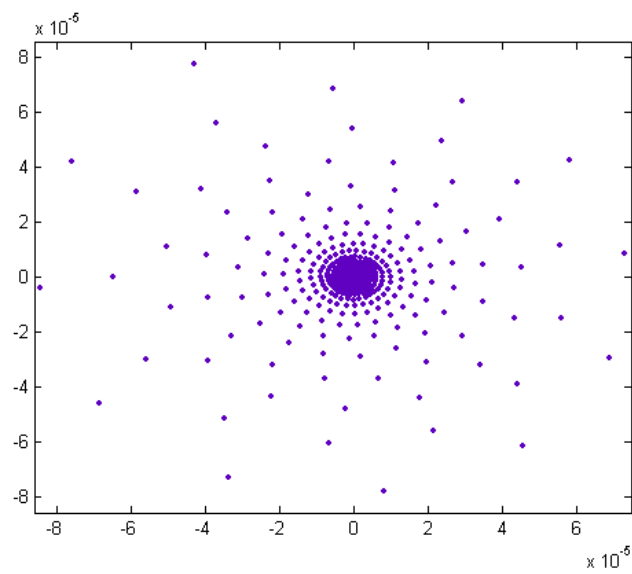


Figure 17:

A plot of the logarithms of the  $n$  values of the inflection points is

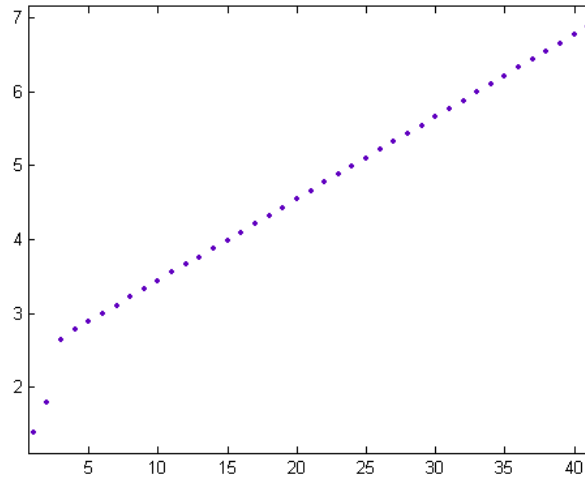


Figure 18:

For a linear least-squares fit of the curve (disregarding the first two  $n$  values),  $p_1 = 0.1111$  with a 95% confidence interval of (0.111, 0.113),  $p_2 = 2.323$  with a 95% confidence interval of (2.319, 2.327), SSE=0.001177, R-squared=1, and RMSE=0.00564. The slope is about a fourth of that for the first zeta function zero.

A plot of  $\Pi(\frac{s}{2})\Theta^B(s)\zeta(s)$  and  $\frac{2\pi\zeta(s)}{\Pi(1-s)Z^B(s)}$  is

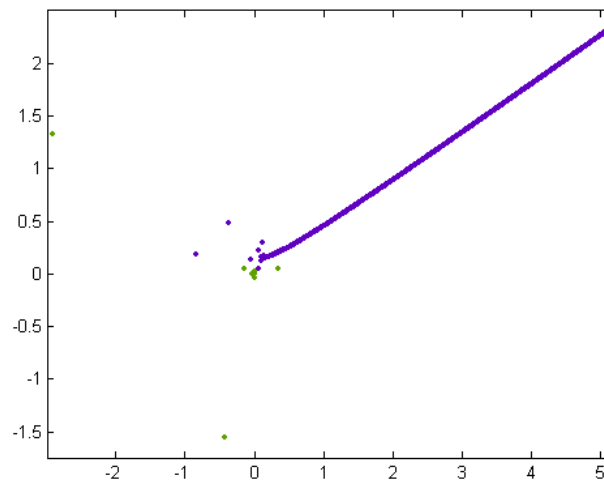


Figure 19:

$\Pi(\frac{s}{2})\Theta^B(s)\zeta(s)$  can be interpreted as being the derivative of  $\frac{2\pi\zeta(s)}{\Pi(1-s)Z^B(s)}$ .  $\zeta_2(s)$  can also be substituted into the functional equation. A plot of the logarithms of the  $n$  values of the inflection points for the left side of the equation is

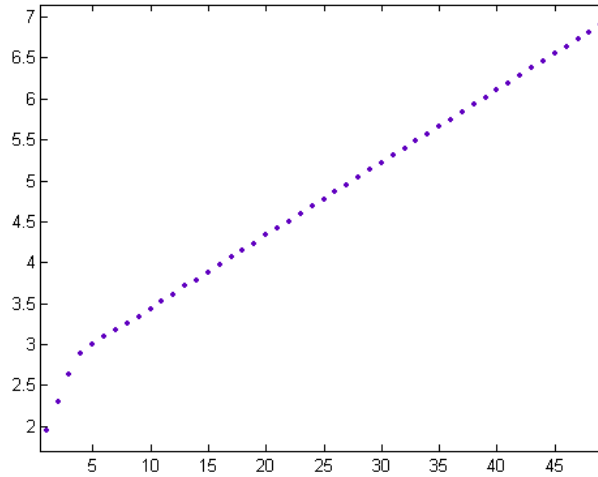


Figure 20:

For a linear least-squares fit of the curve (disregarding the first three  $n$  values),  $p_1 = 0.089$  with a 95% confidence interval of (0.0889, 0.08911),  $p_2 = 2.546$  with a 95% confidence interval of (2.542, 2.549), SSE=0.0009971, R-squared=1, and RMSE=0.004761. A plot of the logarithms of the  $n$  values of the inflection points for the right side of the equation is

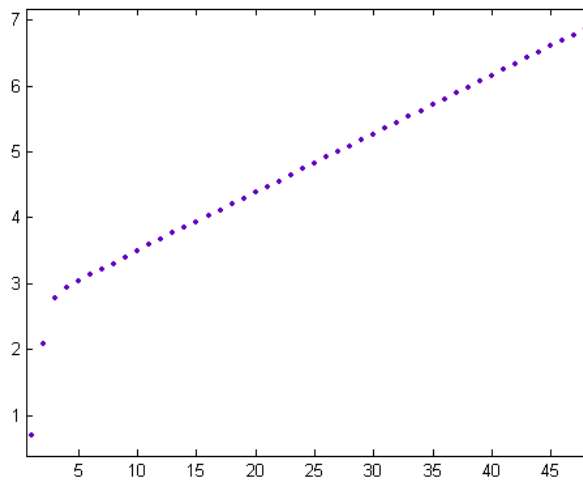


Figure 21:

For a linear least-squares fit of the curve (disregarding the first three  $n$  values),  $p_1 = 0.0889$  with a 95% confidence interval of (0.08881, 0.08899),  $SSE=0.0006367$ ,  $R\text{-squared}=1$ , and  $RMSE=0.003848$ . The parameters are almost the same. A plot of the superimposed logarithmic spirals for  $100 \leq n \leq 1000$  is

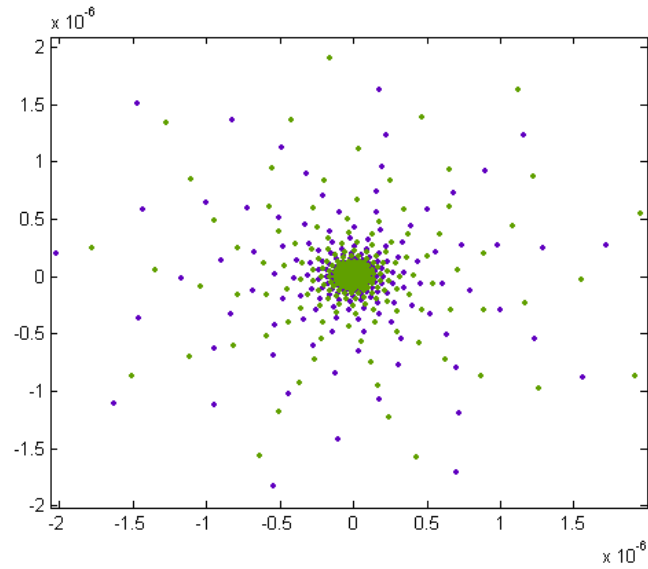


Figure 22:

A plot of  $\zeta_2(s)$  for  $s = (0.5, 51.3720769775)$  and  $100 \leq n \leq 1000$  is

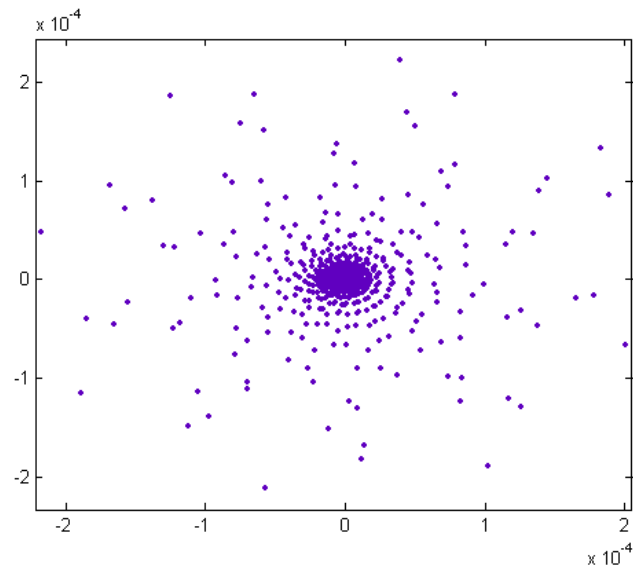


Figure 23:

The logarithmic spiral is still centered on (0, 0).

## 5. METHODS

C code for computing the two generalizations of the Riemann zeta function is as follows. The prime look-up table contains the primes less than 1500000.

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//
// compute Mobius function
//
#include <math.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include "table5.h" // prime look-up table
extern char *malloc();
int mobius(unsigned int a, unsigned int *table, unsigned int tsize) {
  unsigned int i,count,p;
  if (a==1)
    return(1);
  count=0;
  for (i=0; i<tsize; i++) {
    p=table[i];
    if (p>a)
      break;
    if (a==(a/p)*p) {
      a=a/p;
      if (a==(a/p)*p)
        return(0);
      count=count+1;
      if (a==1)
        break;
    }
  }
  if ((count&1)==0)
    return(1);
  else
    return(-1);
}
//
// compute Euler's phi function
//
int mobius(unsigned int a, unsigned int *t, unsigned int tsize);
unsigned int nueuler(unsigned int n, unsigned int *table,
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unsigned int tsize) {
unsigned int d;
int sum;
if (n==1)
    return(1);
sum=0;
for (d=1; d<=n; d++) {
    if (n==(n/d)*d)
        sum=sum+(n/d)*mobius(d, table, tsize);
    }
return((unsigned int)sum);
}
//
// Generalization of Riemann zeta function
//
unsigned int nueuler(unsigned int a, unsigned int *table, unsigned int tsize);
unsigned int max=1000;
double s=.50; // 0.50 usually
//double t=51.3720769775;
//double t=144.556414146;
double t=14.13472514173470;
//double t=21.02203963877156;
//double t=25.01085758014569;
//double t=30.42487612585951;
//double t=32.93506158773919;
//double t=37.58617815882568;
//double t=40.91871901214750;
//double t=43.32707328091500;
//double t=48.00515088116716;
//double t=49.77383247767230;
//double t=52.97032147771446;
//double t=56.44624769706339;
//double t=59.34704400260235;
//double t=60.83177852460981;
//double t=65.11254404808160;
//double t=67.07981052949417;
//double t=69.54640171117399;
//double t=72.06715767448191;
//double t=75.70469069908393;

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//double t=77.14484006887480;
double pi=3.14159265359;
unsigned int n=1; // select n
unsigned int xmin=0;
unsigned int out=1; // 2 for top, 3 for left, 4 for bottom, 5 for right
// usually set to 4 when the spiral is not output
unsigned int flag=1; // if set, multiply by  $\pi^{-s/2}$ 
unsigned int skip=0; // set to 1 to get first part, 2 to get second part
unsigned int tsize=114155; // size of prime look-up table
void main() {
unsigned int temp,x;
double temp1,temps,tempt,prods,a,b,c,d,e,f,g,sums,sumt,sumr,sumi;
double *rsave,*isave,oldsumr,oldsumi,R,I,z;
FILE *Outfp;
Outfp = fopen("double4.dat","w");
if (max>1500000) {
    printf("max too large \n");
    return;
}
rsave=(double*) malloc(16000004);
if (rsave==NULL)
    return;
isave=(double*) malloc(16000004);
if (isave==NULL)
    return;
//
//  $\Pi(s/2)\zeta(s)\Theta^B(s)\pi^{-s/2}$ 
//
if (s>=0.0)
    temp1=pow(pi,s/2.0);
else {
    temp1=pow(pi,-s/2.0);
    temp1=1.0/temp1;
}
temps=temp1*(cos(t*log(pi/2.0)));
tempt=temp1*(sin(t*log(pi/2.0)));
a=temps*temps+tempt*tempt;
e=temps/a;
f=-tempt/a;

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prods=1.0;
sums=0.0;
sumt=0.0;
sumr=0.0;
sumi=0.0;
for (x=1; x<=max; x++) {
    if (n==0)
        temp=nueuler(x,table,tsize);
    else
        temp=x;
    prods=prods*(double)temp/((double)temp+s);
    if (s>=0.0)
        temp1=pow((double)(x+1),s/2.0);
    else {
        temp1=pow((double)(x+1),-s/2.0);
        temp1=1.0/temp1;
    }
    temps=temp1*(cos(t*log(x+1)));
    tempt=temp1*(sin(t*log(x+1)));
    a=prods*temps-tempt;
    b=prods*tempt+temps;
    if (s>=0.0)
        temp1=pow((double)x,s);
    else {
        temp1=pow((double)x,-s);
        temp1=1.0/temp1;
    }
    temps=temp1*(cos(t*log(x)));
    tempt=temp1*(sin(t*log(x)));
    temp1=temps*temps+tempt*tempt;
    c=temps/temp1;
    d=tempt/temp1;
    sums=sums+c;
    sumt=sumt-d;
    temps=a*sums-b*sumt;
    tempt=a*sumt+b*sums;
}
//
// Barnes G-function
//

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temp1=exp((double)x*s);
a=temp1*cos((double)x*t);
b=temp1*sin((double)x*t);
g=a*a+b*b;
sumr=sumr+a*(double)x/g;
sumi=sumi-b*(double)x/g;
a=temp1*sumr-temp1*sumi;
b=temp1*sumi+temp1*sumr;
if (flag!=0) {
    temps=a*e-b*f;
    tempt=a*f+b*e;
    a=temps;
    b=tempt;
}
rsave[x-1]=a;
isave[x-1]=b;
}
sumr=0.0;
sumi=0.0;
oldsumi=0.0;
oldsumr=0.0;
for (x=1; x<=max; x++) {    if (n==0)
    temp=nueuler(x,table,tsize);
    else
        temp=x;
    if (s>=0.0)        temp1=pow((double)temp,s);
    else {
        temp1=pow((double)temp,-s);
        temp1=1.0/temp1;
    }
    R=temp1*cos(t*log((double)temp));
    I=temp1*sin(t*log((double)temp));
    temp1=R*R+I*I;
    sumr=sumr+R/temp1;
    sumi=sumi-I/temp1;
    c=sumr;
    d=sumi;
    a=rsave[x-1];
    b=isave[x-1];
}

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if (skip==0) {
    z=c*c+d*d;
    temps=(c*a+d*b)/z;
    tempt=(c*b-d*a)/z;
    tempt=-tempt;
}    if (skip==1) {
    temps=a;
    tempt=b;
}
if (skip==2) {
    temps=c;
    tempt=d;
}
if (x>xmin) {
    if (out==1)
        fprintf(Outfp," %.10lf, %.10lf \n",temps,tempt);
    if ((out==2)&&((oldsumr>0.0)&&(temps<0.0)))
        fprintf(Outfp," %.10lf \n",log((double)x));
    if ((out==3)&&((oldsumi>0.0)&&(tempt<0.0)))
        fprintf(Outfp," %.10lf \n",log((double)x));
    if ((out==4)&&((oldsumr<0.0)&&(temps>0.0)))
        fprintf(Outfp," %.10lf \n",log((double)x));
    if ((out==5)&&((oldsumi<0.0)&&(tempt>0.0)))
        fprintf(Outfp," %.10lf \n",log((double)x));
    oldsumr=temps;
    oldsumi=tempt;
}
if (x==(x/1000)*1000)
    printf(" x=%d \n",x);
indent }
fclose(Outfp);
return;
}

#include <math.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include "table5.h" // prime look-up table
extern char *malloc();
//

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// Generalizaiton of Riemann Zeta Function
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unsigned int max=1000;
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//double t=49.77383247767230;
//double t=52.97032147771446;
//double t=56.44624769706339;
//double t=59.34704400260235;
//double t=60.83177852460981;
//double t=65.11254404808160;
//double t=67.07981052949417;
//double t=69.54640171117399;
//double t=72.06715767448191;
//double t=75.70469069908393;
//double t=77.14484006887480;
double pi=3.14159265359;
unsigned int n=1; // select n
unsigned int xmin=0;
unsigned int out=4; // 2 for top, 3 for left, 4 for bottom, 5 for right
// usually set to 4 when the spiral is not output
unsigned int tsize=114155; // size of prime look-up table
void main() {
unsigned int temp,x;
double temp1,temps,tempt,prods,a,b,c,d,sums,sumt,sumr,sumi,g,olds,oldt;
double *rsave,*isave,z,R,I;
FILE *Outfp;
Outfp = fopen("doubley.dat","w");
rsave=(double*) malloc(16000004);

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if (rsave==NULL)
    return;
isave=(double*) malloc(16000004);
if (isave==NULL)
    return;
if (max>1500000) {    printf("max too large \n");
    return;
}
//
//  $\frac{2\pi\zeta(s)}{\Gamma(1-s)Z^B(s)}$ 
//  $\Gamma(s/2)\Theta^B(s)\zeta(s)$ 
//
prods=1.0;
sums=0.0;
sumt=0.0;
sumr=0.0;
sumi=0.0;
for (x=1; x<=max; x++) {
    if (n==0)
        temp=nueuler(x,table,tsize);
    else
        temp=x;
    prods=prods*(double)temp/((double)temp+s);
    z=1.0-s;
    if (z>=0.0)
        temp1=pow((double)(x+1),z);
    else {
        temp1=pow((double)(x+1),-z);
        temp1=1.0/temp1;
    }
    temps=temp1*(cos(t*log(x+1)));
    tempt=temp1*(sin(t*log(x+1)));
    a=prods*temps-tempt;
    b=prods*tempt+temps;
    if (s>=0.0)
        temp1=pow((double)x,s);
    else {
        temp1=pow((double)x,-s);
        temp1=1.0/temp1;
    }
}

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    }
    temps=temp1*(cos(t*log(x)));
    tempt=temp1*(sin(t*log(x)));
    temp1=temps*temps+tempt*tempt;
    c=temps/temp1;
    d=tempt/temp1;
    sums=sums+c;
    sumt=sumt-d;
    z=a*a+b*b;
    temps=(a*sums+b*sumt)/z;
    tempt=(a*sumt-b*sums)/z;
    tempt=-tempt;
    c=temps*2.0*pi;
    d=tempt*2.0*pi;
    rsave[x-1]=c;
    isave[x-1]=d;
}
sumr=0.0;
sumi=0.0;
sums=0.0;
sumt=0.0;
for (x=1; x<=max; x++) {
    if (n==0)
        temp=nueuler(x,table,tsize);
    else
        temp=x;
    if (s>=0.0)
        temp1=pow((double)temp,s);
    else {
        temp1=pow((double)temp,-s);
        temp1=1.0/temp1;
    }
    R=temp1*cos(t*log((double)temp));
    I=temp1*sin(t*log((double)temp));
    temp1=R*R+I*I;
    sumr=sumr+R/temp1;
    sumi=sumi-I/temp1;
    a=sumr*(double)temp;
    b=sumi*(double)temp;
}

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z=s-1.0;
if (z>=0.0)
    temp1=pow((double)temp,z);
else {
    temp1=pow((double)temp,-z);
    temp1=1.0/temp1;
}
R=temp1*cos(t*log((double)temp));
I=temp1*sin(t*log((double)temp));
temp1=R*R+I*I;
sums=sums+R/temp1;
sumt=sumt-I/temp1;
c=a*sums-b*sumt;
d=a*sumt+b*sums;
a=rsave[x-1];
b=isave[x-1];
z=c*c+d*d;
temps=(c*a+d*b)/z;
tempt=(c*b-d*a)/z;
tempt=-tempt;
c=tempt;
d=temps;
rsave[x-1]=c;
isave[x-1]=d;
}
olds=0.0;
oldt=0.0;
prods=1.0;
sums=0.0;
sumt=0.0;
sumr=0.0;
sumi=0.0;
for (x=1; x<=max; x++) {
    if (n==0)
        temp=nueuler(x,table,tsize);
    else
        temp=x;
    prods=prods*(double)temp/((double)temp+s);
    if (s>=0.0)

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    temp1=pow((double)(x+1),s/2.0);
else {
    temp1=pow((double)(x+1),-s/2.0);
    temp1=1.0/temp1;
}
temps=temp1*(cos(t*log(x+1)));
tempt=temp1*(sin(t*log(x+1)));
a=prods*temps-tempt;
b=prods*tempt+temps;
if (s>=0.0)
temp1=pow((double)x,s);
else {
    temp1=pow((double)x,-s);
    temp1=1.0/temp1;
}
temps=temp1*(cos(t*log(x)));
tempt=temp1*(sin(t*log(x)));
temp1=temps*temps+tempt*tempt;
c=temps/temp1;
d=tempt/temp1;
sums=sums+c;
sumt=sumt-d;
temps=a*sums-b*sumt;
tempt=a*sumt+b*sums;
//
// Barnes G-function
//
temp1=exp((double)x*s);
a=temp1*(cos((double)x*t));
b=temp1*(sin((double)x*t));
g=a*a+b*b;
sumr=sumr+a*(double)x/g;
sumi=sumi-b*(double)x/g;
a=temps*sumr-tempt*sumi;
b=temps*sumi+tempt*sumr;
c=rsave[x-1];
d=isave[x-1];
temps=a*c-b*d;
tempt=a*d+b*c;

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if (x>xmin) {
    if (out==1)
        fprintf(Outfp," %.10lf %.10lf \n",temps,tempt);
    if ((out==2)&&((olds>0.0)&&(temps<0.0)))
        fprintf(Outfp," %.10lf \n",log((double)x));
    if ((out==3)&&((oldt>0.0)&&(tempt<0.0)))
        fprintf(Outfp," %.10lf \n",log((double)x));
    if ((out==4)&&((olds<0.0)&&(temps>0.0)))
        fprintf(Outfp," %.10lf \n",log((double)x));
    if ((out==5)&&((oldt<0.0)&&(tempt>0.0)))
        fprintf(Outfp," %.10lf \n",log((double)x));
    olds=temps;
    oldt=tempt;
}
}
fclose(Outfp);
return;
}
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