

Analysis

End Semester

December 2005

1. • Prove that the series converges whenever x is not an integer.

$$X = \frac{1}{x} + \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z} - \{0\}} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{x-n} \right)$$

- Show that

$$\lim \left(\sum_{-p}^q \frac{1}{x-n} \right) - X = -\log k$$

where p, q tend to ∞ in such a way that $\lim(q/p) = k$.

2. For continuous 2π periodic functions $f, g : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, let $f * g$ be the function given by

$$(f * g)(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x-t)g(t)dt$$

Show that $f * g$ is continuous, 2π periodic, and that the Fourier coefficients of $f * g$ are given by

$$c_n(f * g) = c_n(f)c_n(g)$$

3. • Show that

$$1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \dots + \frac{1}{n} = \int_0^1 \frac{1 - (1-t)^n}{t} dt$$

- Show that the Euler's Constant is given by

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\int_0^1 \left\{ 1 - \left(1 - \frac{1}{n} \right) \right\} \frac{dt}{t} - \int_1^n \left(1 - \frac{1}{n} \right)^n \frac{dt}{t} \right)$$

4. • Let

$$u_n = \frac{(n+a_1)(n+a_2) \cdots (n+a_k)}{(n+b_1)(n+b_2) \cdots (n+b_l)}$$

. Show that the infinite product $\prod_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$ converges, then $k = 1$ and $a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_k = b_1 + b_2 + \dots + b_l$.

- When these conditions are satisfied, show that

$$\prod_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n = \frac{\Gamma(1 + b_1)\Gamma(1 + b_2) \cdots \Gamma(1 + b_i)}{\Gamma(1 + a_1)\Gamma(1 + a_2) \cdots \Gamma(1 + a_k)}$$