

UNCG Summer School in
Computational Number Theory



Zeta Functions – New Theory and Computations

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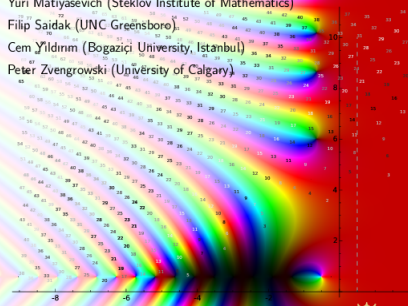
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Investigation on the *abc*-Conjecture and Ruderman's problem

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The *abc*-Conjecture (J.Osterlé, D.Masser, 1985)

- ▶ Given any $\epsilon > 0$, there is a constant $K(\epsilon) > 0$ such that for every triple of coprime integers a, b, c , satisfying $a + b = c$, we have,

$$\max(|a|, |b|, |c|) \leq K(\epsilon)N^{1+\epsilon},$$

where

$$N = \text{rad}(abc) = \prod_{\substack{p \text{ prime} \\ p|abc}} p.$$

- ▶ Easy to state, difficult to verify.
- ▶ Implications: $abc \Rightarrow$ the Fermat equation $x^n + y^n = z^n$ has at most finitely many integer solutions.
- ▶ $abc \Rightarrow$ Faltings' Theorem on Mordell's Conjecture. (N. Elkies, 1991)

Refinements to the abc -Conjecture

- ▶ Notation: Let $\omega(n)$ denote the number of distinct prime factors of an integer n and define $\omega = \omega(abc)$.
- ▶ Refinement (A. Baker, 1996):

$$\max(|a|, |b|, |c|) \ll N(\log N)^\omega / \omega!,$$

where the implied constant is absolute.

- ▶ Explicit abc -Conjecture (A. Baker, 2004): For any coprime integers a, b, c satisfying $a + b = c$, we have,

$$\max(|a|, |b|, |c|) < \frac{6}{5} N(\log N)^\omega / \omega!.$$

A Problem of Ruderman

- ▶ Selfridge noticed that $2^2 - 2|x^2 - x$, $2^{2^2} - 2^2|x^{2^2} - x^2$ and $2^{2^{2^2}} - 2^{2^2}|x^{2^{2^2}} - x^{2^2}$ for all $x \in \mathbb{N}$, and asked the following question: Find all pairs (m, n) such that $2^m - 2^n|x^m - x^n$ for all $x \in \mathbb{N}$.
- ▶ This is true for $(m, n) \in S$, with $|S| = 14$. (Sun Qi, Zhang Ming Zhi, 1985)
- ▶ There is a finite set S' such that for $m > n \geq 0$,

$$2^m - 2^n|3^m - 3^n \iff (m, n) \in S'.$$

(Murty and Murty, 2011)

- ▶ **H. Ruderman (1974)**: If $m > n \geq 0$ are integers such that $2^m - 2^n|3^m - 3^n$, then $2^m - 2^n|x^m - x^n$ for all $x \in \mathbb{N}$.
- ▶ Note that Ruderman's problem is true iff $S' = S$.

My goal is to employ Baker's explicit *abc*-Conjecture to find S' , and hence resolve Ruderman's problem.

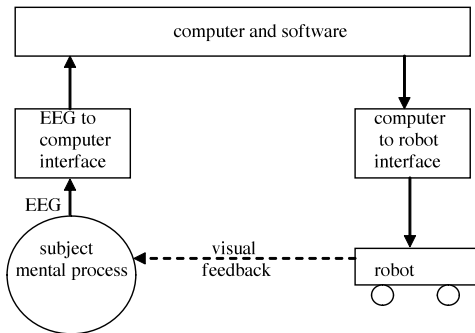
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Brain-Robot Interface: Controlling robots using energy emanating from a human brain

Stevo Bozinovski
South Carolina State University

The pioneering work, 1988

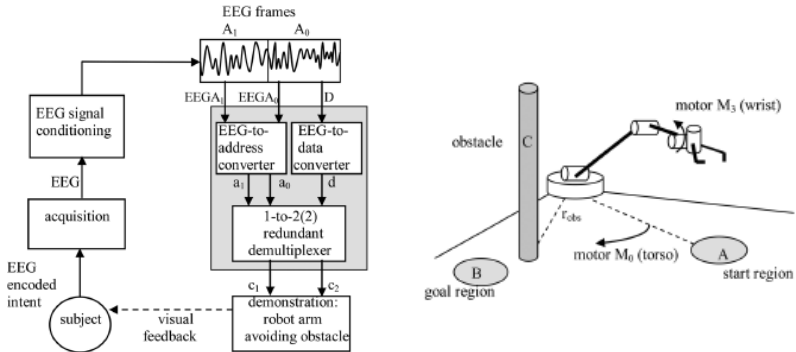
- S. Bozinovski, M. Sestakov, L. Bozinovska, "Using EEG alpha rhythm to control a mobile robot," In G. Harris, C. Walker (eds.) Proc 10th Annual Conference of IEEE Engineering in Medicine and Biology Society, New Orleans, USA, vol 3, pp. 1515-1516, 1988 (non-invasive recording, subjects were humans)
- The second work on Brain-Robot interface was 11 years later (Chapin et al 1999), (invasive inside brain recording, subjects were rats).
- Those were the only works in brain-robot interface in 20th century. In 21st century there is explosion of works in this area.



Solving the problem of psychokinesis, using EEG-based psychokinesis

Recent work, 2015

- S. Bozinovski, A. Bozinovski "Mental States, EEG Manifestations, and Mentally Emulated Digital Circuits for Brain-Robot Interaction" IEEE Transactions on Autonomous Mental Development 7(1): 39-51, 2015



Controlling several robot motors using single EEG channel

Things I Like to Work on

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Circle Packings and the Riemann zeta function

- Study the distribution of Ford circles in a Ford Circle Packing and obtain asymptotics of various geometric statistics associated to these circles.
- Obtain similar results for other kinds of packings like the Apollonian Circle Packing (ACP) and generalized ACPs.
- Monotonicity properties of derivatives of Riemann zeta function and L -functions associated to modular forms.
- Zeros on the critical line of bounded vertical shifts of the Riemann zeta function.

Pair Correlation of Sequences

- Study the distribution of gaps between members of a given arithmetic sequence.
- Provide examples of sequences whose pair correlation behaves as that of random sequences.
- For instance, Rudnick, Sarnak and Zaharescu showed that the pair correlation function for $\{\alpha x_n\}$, when $\{x_n\}$ is a lacunary sequence which coincides with that of a random sequence, for almost all real numbers α .
- We consider the fractional parts coming from a class of sequences that take rational values and show that their pair correlation behaves in the same way as that of a uniformly distributed random sequence.

Introduction and Interests

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 - Both projects under Dr. Gail Ratcliff.

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 - Theoretical Computer Science – logic, algorithms, language theory etc.

My Research Interest

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Let d be a squarefree positive integer and \mathcal{O}_d be the ring of integers of $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{d})$.

In my research for my thesis I am working towards computing and tabulating congruence subgroups of

$$PSL(2, \mathcal{O}_d) = SL(2, \mathcal{O}_d) / \{\pm 1\}$$

(Hilbert modular group) using Magma.

Some interesting past work of mine:

- Multi-user Dynamic Proofs of Data Possession using Trusted Hardware
 - Cryptography and programming
 - Published by CODASPY
- 3D engine for possible future virtual tours of UNCG
 - Calculus application
 - Linear algebra based engine
 - Curve fitting with B-spline curves

Fractional Derivatives of Hurwitz Zeta Functions

Ricky Farr Joint Work With Sebastian Pauli

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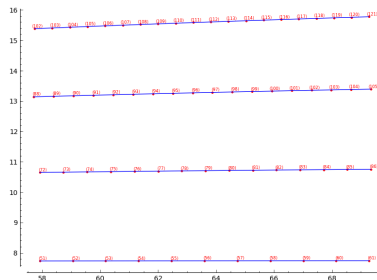
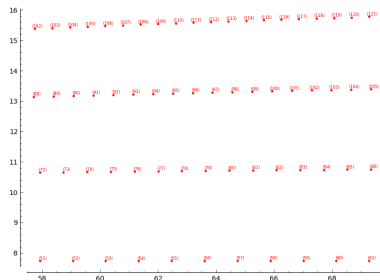
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Hurwitz Zeta Functions And Their Derivatives

Fractional Derivative of Hurwitz Zeta Functions

Let $s = \sigma + ti$ where $\sigma > 1$, $0 < a \leq 1$, and $\alpha > 0$

$$\zeta^{(\alpha)}(s, a) = (-1)^\alpha \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\log^\alpha(n+a)}{(n+a)^s}.$$

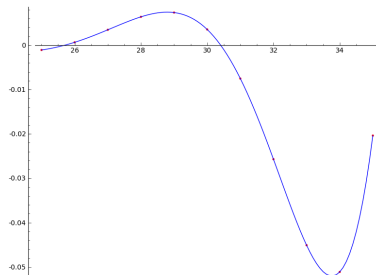
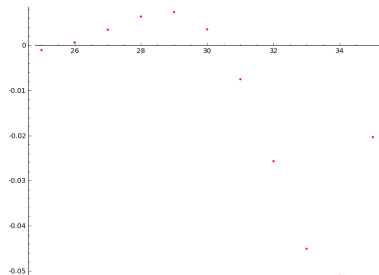


Generalized Non-Integer Stieltjes Constants

Definition

The non-integral generalized Stieltjes Constants is the sequence of numbers $\{\gamma_{\alpha+n}(a)\}_{n=0}^{\infty}$ with the property

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\log^{\alpha}(n+a)}{(n+a)^s} = \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{(s-1)^{\alpha+1}} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n \gamma_{\alpha+n}(a)}{n!} (s-1)^n, \quad s \neq 1$$



Self-Introduction and Research Interests

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Sample Result

The least prime that splits completely in a S_3 -sextic extension is $O(|D|^{0.499})$.

Distributions of Primes and the Lang-Trotter Conjecture

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Consider the elliptic curve $E : y^2 = x^3 - x$, and consider the trace of Frobenius for certain primes p .

Prime p	$a_p(E)$
5	-2
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Zeros of ζ as spectral parameters

Who? Kim Klinger-Logan

Advisor: Paul Garrett

From? University of Minnesota

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Hejhal observed that what Haas had actually solved was

$$(\Delta - \lambda_s)u = \delta_\omega^{afc}$$

for δ_ω^{afc} the automorphic dirac delta at the corners of the fundamental domain of $\Gamma \backslash \mathfrak{H}$.

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Thank you!

Explicit formula of a generalized Ramanujan sum

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where $\sigma_z^{(\beta)}(n) = \sum_{d^\beta | n} d^{\beta z}$. Note that this formula generalizes Titchmarsh explicit formula for $n = 1$ since $c_q^{(\beta)}(1) = \mu(q)$:

$$M'(x) = -2 + \lim_{\nu \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{|\gamma| \leq T_\nu} \frac{x^\rho}{\rho \zeta'(\rho)} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k (2\pi/x)^{2k}}{(2k)! k \zeta(2k+1)}$$

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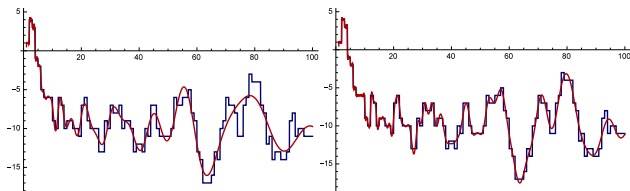


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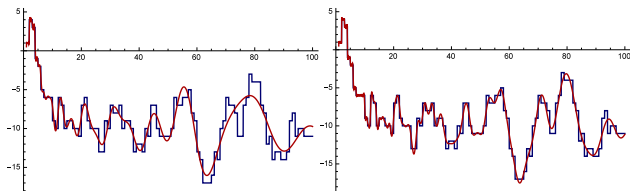


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Moreover, RH is connected to the rate of growth of $\mathfrak{C}^{(\beta)}(n, x)$:

Theorem (RH equivalence)

RH is true if and only if $\mathfrak{C}^{(\beta)}(n, x) \ll_{\beta, n} x^{1/2+\varepsilon}$

Liftings of Modular Forms

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Fermat's Last Theorem

Conjecture (Fermat, 1637)

No three positive integers a , b , and c can satisfy the equation $a^n + b^n = c^n$ for any integer value of n greater than two.

Theorem (Frey's Equation/ Ribet's Theorem, 1984)

If Fermat's equation had any solution (a, b, c) for exponent $p > 2$, then it could be shown that the elliptic curve (now known as a Frey curve)

$$y^2 = x(x - a^p)(x + b^p)$$

is not modular.

Theorem (Modularity Theorem/ Taniyama-Shimura-Weil conjecture)

Any elliptic curve over \mathbb{Q} can be obtained via a rational map with integer coefficients from the classical modular curve $X_0(N)$ for some integer N .

$$\zeta(s) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^s}, \quad \frac{\zeta(2n)}{(2\pi)^{2n}} = \frac{(-1)^{n+1} B_{2n}}{2(2n)!} \in \mathbb{Q}.$$

Theorem (Shimura, 1976)

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The Computation of Galois Groups over Local Fields

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OM Related Things

1. Splitting Field (Milstead, Pauli, Sinclair)

- Variation of OM Algorithm
- Brute Force method

2. Ramification Polygon: Newton polygon of $\frac{\phi(\alpha x + \alpha)}{\alpha^n}$.

Interested in 1 or 2 segment cases (**Grieve, Pauli**).

Blocks $(\Delta_{i,j})$:

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Polynomials over \mathbb{Q}

3. Stauduhar's method (1973):

- **Key Challenge:** finding a G -relative H -invariant $F \in \mathbb{Z}[X_1, \dots, X_n]$, i.e., F so that $\text{Stab}_G F := \{\sigma \in G \mid F^\sigma = F\} = H$ where $H < G \leq S_n$
- Construct resolvent $R_F := \prod_{\sigma \in G//H} (T - F^\sigma(\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n))$

to see if $\text{Gal}(f) \leq H^g$.

4. Fieker, Klüners

- The "first" practical degree independent algorithm.
- Special Invariants: invariants in terms of invariants of smaller degree (Blocks).
- Generic Invariants: Double Coset Decomposition (ladder) and Orbit Sums. Basis or probabilistic.

Some Additive Combinatorics

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(Szemerédi, 1975) If A has positive density in \mathbf{Z} , then A contains arbitrarily long arithmetic progressions.

(Bourgain, 1990) Even if A is fairly sparse, $A + A$ contains fairly long arithmetic progressions.

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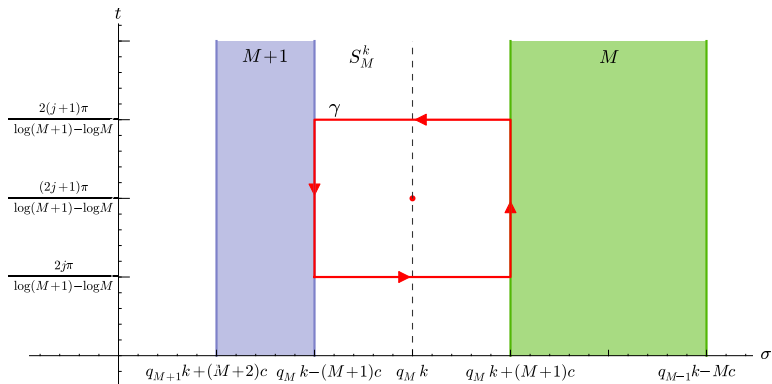
and there is a satisfying $\mathbf{F}_q[t]$ analogue (P, 2015).

Research Interest:
Algorithms for Local Fields
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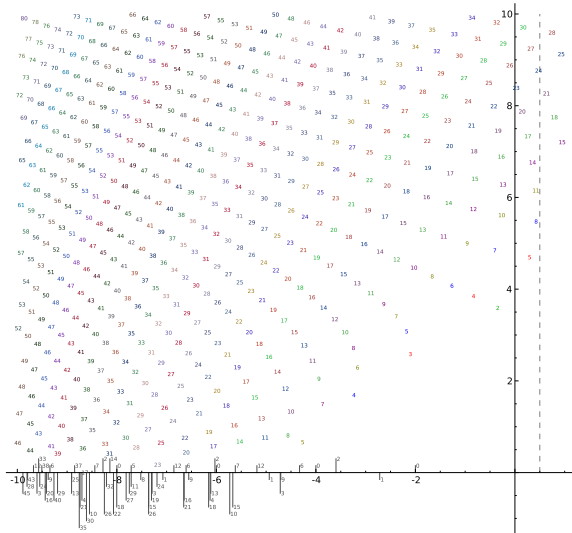


Theorem (Binder, P., Saidak)

For $M \geq 2$ and $q_M = \frac{\log\left(\frac{\log M}{\log(M+1)}\right)}{\log\left(\frac{M}{M+1}\right)}$ the red box contains one zero of $\zeta^{(k)}(s)$.

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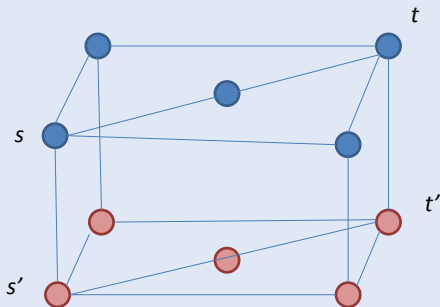
- Graph Theory
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Current Research

Bunk Bed Conjecture – Given a bunk bed graph with a probability function defined on the edges, the probability that s is connected to t is greater than the probability that s is connected to t' .



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What is the Maximum Amount of Information on Field Arithmetic that We Can Get out of L-Functions?

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Zeta Functions and Number Fields

Let

- ▶ F be a number field, a finite degree extension of the rationals.
- ▶ \mathcal{O}_F be the subring of elements satisfying a monic polynomial over \mathbb{Z} .
- ▶ h_F be the finite number of isomorphism classes of nonzero ideals of $\mathcal{O}(F)$.
- ▶ w_F be the number of roots of unity in F .
- ▶ R_F be the regulator determinant obtained from the units of \mathcal{O}_F .
- ▶ $\zeta_F(s) = \sum_I |\mathcal{O}_F/I|^{-s}$, which converges to an analytic function when the real part of s is greater than 1, and has an analytic continuation to the entire complex plane except for a pole at $s=0$.

Connections between Arithmetic and L-Values

Fundamental Theorem: The leading Taylor-McLaurin coefficient of $\zeta_F(s)$ is $\zeta_F^*(0) = -h_F R_F / w_F$

Questions:

- ▶ What similar results exist for the values at negative integers? (Lichtenbaum's Conjecture for the algebraic K-groups of \mathcal{O}_F).
- ▶ Can we decompose both sides of the equation into matching pieces using characters of a group of automorphisms of F ? (Stark's conjecture for Artin L -functions.)
- ▶ Can we get information on how such automorphisms act on the ideal classes of F from the L -functions? (Generalized Brumer-Stark conjecture.)
- ▶ What if F is not a commutative field, but a skew field? (Generalized Eichler Mass-formula?)
- ▶ Mix and match all of the above! Refine! (Generalized Coates-Sinnott conjecture for K-groups, Conjectures of Snaith, Buckingham, Burns, Gross, Rubin, Popescu, Emmons-Popescu ...)

Enumerating Invariants and Extensions of p -adic Fields

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Algorithms for counting extensions with additional invariants

- Specializations of Krasner's mass formula given ramification polygon or both the polygon and its residual polynomials.

Example: Totally ramified over \mathbb{Q}_3 with $n = 9, disc = 3^{15}$

We can enumerate extensions by considering reduced (in the Monge sense) Eisenstein polynomials having given ramification polygon and residual polynomials.

Ramification Polygon	Rep. of \mathcal{A}	Polys.	Extensions		
$\{(1, 7), (9, 0)\}$	$(z + 1)$	6	54	54	162
$\{(1, 7), (3, 3), (9, 0)\}$	$(z^2 + 1, z^3 + 1)$	6	54	108	
	$(2z^2 + 1, z^3 + 2)$	18	54		

Compare Pauli-Roblot:

$3^{12}2^2 = 2\,125\,764$ polynomials to generate 162 extensions.

(13 122 per extension)

Stark's Conjecture as it relates to Hilbert's 12th Problem

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Let F be a real quadratic field, \mathcal{O}_F the ring of integers in F , and \mathfrak{m} an integral ideal in \mathcal{O}_F with $\mathfrak{m} \neq (1)$. There are two infinite primes associated to the two distinct embeddings of F into \mathbb{R} , denoted by $\mathfrak{p}_\infty^{(1)}$ and $\mathfrak{p}_\infty^{(2)}$. Let $\mathcal{H}_2 := H(\mathfrak{mp}_\infty^{(2)})$ denote the ray class group modulo $\mathfrak{mp}_\infty^{(2)}$, which is a finite abelian group.

Given a class $\mathcal{C} \in \mathcal{H}_2$, there is an associated partial zeta function $\zeta(s, \mathcal{C}) = \sum \mathfrak{N}\mathfrak{a}^{-s}$, where the sum runs over all integral ideals (necessarily rel. prime to \mathfrak{m}) lying within the class \mathcal{C} . The function $\zeta(s, \mathcal{C})$ has a meromorphic continuation to \mathbb{C} with exactly one (simple) pole at $s = 1$. We have $\zeta(0, \mathcal{C}) = 0$ for all $\mathcal{C} \in \mathcal{H}_2$, but $\zeta'(0, \mathcal{C}) \neq 0$ (if certain conditions are met).

First crude statement of Stark's conjecture: $e^{-2\zeta'(0, \mathcal{C})}$ is an algebraic integer, indeed this real number is conjectured to be a root of a palindromic monic polynomial

$$f(x) = x^n + a_1x^{n-1} + a_2x^{n-2} + \cdots + a_2x^2 + a_1x + 1 \in \mathbb{Z}[x].$$

For this reason, $e^{-2\zeta'(0, \mathcal{C})}$ is called a “Stark unit”. By class field theory, there exists a ray class field $F_2 := F(\text{mp}_\infty^{(2)})$ with the following special property: F_2 is an abelian extension of F with $\text{Gal}(F_2/F) \cong \mathcal{H}_2$. Stark's conjecture states more precisely that $e^{-2\zeta'(0, \mathcal{C})} \in F_2$ for all $\mathcal{C} \in \mathcal{H}_2$.

This fits the general theme of Hilbert's 12th problem: Construct analytic functions which when evaluated at “special” points produce algebraic numbers which generate abelian extensions over a given base field.

My Research Interest

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Automorphic for $\Gamma = SL(2, \mathbb{Z})$

- smooth $f : \mathcal{H}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$
- periodic $f(\gamma z) = f(z) \quad \gamma \in SL(2, \mathbb{Z})$
- eigenform $\Delta f = \nu(1 - \nu)f \quad \Delta = y^2 \left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} \right)$
- polynomial growth $f(\mathbf{1}y) = o(y^N)$

Fourier expansion

$$f(z) = \sum_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} A_m(y) e^{2\pi i m x} \parallel W_m(z)$$

A Whittaker function of type ν

- smooth
- eigenform $\Delta W(z) = \nu(1 - \nu)W(z)$
- $W \left(\begin{pmatrix} 1 & u \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot z \right) = W(z) e^{2\pi i m u}$

Example $W(z, \nu, \psi) := \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} I_\nu \left(\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & u \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot z \right) e^{2\pi i m u} du \quad I_\nu(z) = y^\nu$

Theorem 3.4.8 (Multiplicity one) *Let $\Psi(z)$ be an $SL(2, \mathbb{Z})$ -Whittaker function of type $\nu \neq 0, 1$, associated to an additive character ψ , which has rapid decay at ∞ . Then $\Psi(z) = aW(z, \nu, \psi)$*

- Automorphic forms for $\Gamma = SL(3, \mathbb{Z})$
- smooth $f : \mathcal{H}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$
 - periodic $f(\gamma z) = f(z)$
 - eigenform $\Delta_1 f = \lambda_1 f \quad \Delta_2 f = \lambda_2 f$

A Whittaker function of type ν

- smooth
- eigenform $\Delta_1 W = \lambda W \quad \Delta_2 W = \mu W$
- $W(uz) = W(z)e^{2\pi i(u_1+u_2)}$

Example Jacquet Whittaker function for $SL(3, \mathbb{Z})$

$$W_{\text{Jacquet}}(z, \nu, \psi_m) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} I_{\nu}(w_3 \cdot u \cdot z) \overline{\psi_m(u)} du_{1,2} du_{1,3} du_{2,3} \quad I_{\nu}(z) = y_1^{\nu_1+2\nu_2} y_2^{2\nu_1+\nu_2}$$

Theorem (Diaconu and Goldfeld) Fix $\nu = (\nu_1, \nu_2) \in \mathbb{C}^2$. Let $\Psi_{\nu}(z)$ be an $SL(3, \mathbb{Z})$ Whittaker function. Assume that $\Psi_{\nu}(z)$ has sufficient decay in y_1, y_2 so that

$$\int_0^{\infty} \int_0^{\infty} y_1^{\sigma_1} y_2^{\sigma_2} |\Psi_{\nu}(y)| \frac{dy_1 dy_2}{y_1 y_2} \text{ converges for sufficiently large } \sigma_1, \sigma_2. \text{ Then } \Psi_{\nu}(z) = c \cdot W_{\text{Jacquet}}(z, \nu, \psi)$$

Applications of Reduction Theory to Automorphic Forms

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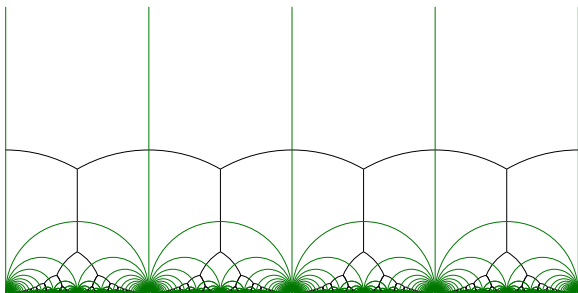
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Zeta Functions – New Theory and Computations

“Modular forms” $(f(z) = \sum a_n q^n)$

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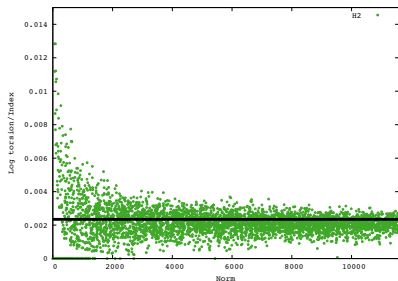
$$H_1(X_0(N), \partial X_0(N); \mathbb{Q}) \simeq \mathcal{M}_2(\Gamma_0(N))$$



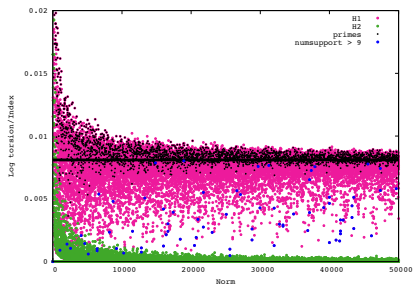
Generalize: F a number field of degree $r + 2s$

$\mathrm{GL}_2 / \mathbb{Q}$	GL_2 / F
$\Gamma_0(N) \subset \mathrm{GL}_2(\mathbb{Z})$	$\Gamma_0(\mathfrak{n}) \subset \mathrm{GL}_2(\mathcal{O}_F)$
\mathfrak{h}	$\mathfrak{h}^r \times \mathfrak{h}_3^s \times \mathbb{R}^{r+s-1}$
modular symbols	sharblies

Torsion plots: $\delta = 1$ examples



$$F = \text{cubic fld of disc } -23$$
$$X = \mathfrak{h} \times \mathfrak{h}_3 \times \mathbb{R}$$



$$F = \mathbb{Q}(i)$$
$$X = \mathfrak{h}_3$$

Research Interest: Gaps between the zeros of the Riemann zeta function

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Things I like to think about

Let $N(T)$ be the number of zeros of $\zeta(s)$, then one can deduce

$$N(T) := \frac{T}{2\pi} \log \frac{T}{2\pi e} + O(\log T),$$

with $s = \sigma + it$ in the rectangle $0 \leq \sigma \leq 1$, $0 \leq t \leq T$. Define $\lambda := \limsup(\gamma' - \gamma) \frac{\log \gamma}{2\pi}$ and $\mu := \liminf(\gamma' - \gamma) \frac{\log \gamma}{2\pi}$, where γ runs over all the ordinates of the zeros of the $\zeta(s)$.

Natural question to ask:

Is $\mu = 0$ and $\lambda = +\infty$?

Progress toward gaps:

Montgomery and Odlyzko (1984): $\mu < 0.5179$.

Conery, Ghosh, and Goneck (1984): $\mu < 0.5172$.

Bui, Milinovich, and Ng (2010): $\mu < 0.5155$.

Feng and Wu (2012): $\mu < 0.5154$.

How to detect gaps?

Define

$$A(t) := \sum_{k \leq K} a_k k^{-it}$$

with T being large and $K := T(\log T)^{-2}$.

$$M_1 := \int_{T/2}^{2T} |A(t)|^2 dt \text{ and } M_2(c) := \int_{-\pi c / \log T}^{\pi c / \log T} \sum_{T/2 \leq \gamma \leq 2T} |A(\gamma + \alpha)|^2 d\alpha.$$

Then $M_2(c)$ is monotonically increasing and $M_2(\mu) \leq M_1 \leq M_2(\lambda)$. If $M_2(c) > M_1$ for some c and $A(t)$ then $\mu < c$. With a little working one can show $M_2(c)/M_1 = h(c) + o(1)$, where

$$h(c) = c - \frac{\Re(\sum_{nk \leq K} a_k \bar{a}_{nk} g_c(n) \Lambda(n) n^{-1/2})}{\sum_{k \leq K} |a_k|^2}, \text{ and } g_c(n) = \frac{2 \sin(\pi c \frac{\log n}{\log T})}{\pi \log(n)}.$$

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$$\zeta(s) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^s} = \prod_p \frac{1}{1-p^{-s}}$$

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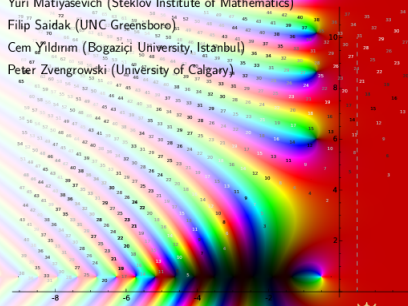
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