

Mean Value Results for the Non-Symmetric Form of the Approximate Functional Equation of the Riemann Zeta-Function

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1. Statement of results.

Let $s = \sigma + it$ ($0 \leq \sigma \leq 1$, $t \geq 1$) be a complex variable, $\zeta(s)$ the Riemann zeta-function, $d(n)$ the number of positive divisors of the integer n , γ the Euler constant and $\exp(2\pi i\alpha) = e(\alpha)$. We first define

$$R(s; t/2\pi) = \zeta^2(s) - \sum_{n \leq t/2\pi} d(n)n^{-s} - \chi^2(s) \sum_{n \leq t/2\pi} d(n)n^{s-1},$$

where

$$\chi(s) = 2^s \pi^{s-1} \sin(\pi s/2) \Gamma(1-s).$$

As for this function $R(s; t/2\pi)$, Motohashi (see (1) of [6]) proved the following "weak form" of the Riemann-Siegel formula for $\zeta^2(s)$:

$$\begin{aligned} \chi(1-s)R(s; t/2\pi) &= (t/2\pi)^{-1/4} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} d(n)h(n)n^{-1/4} \sin(2\sqrt{2\pi tn} + \pi/4) \\ &\quad + O(t^{-1/2} \log t), \end{aligned} \tag{1.1}$$

where

$$h(n) = (2/\pi)^{1/2} \int_0^{\infty} (y+n\pi)^{-1/2} \cos(y + \pi/4) dy.$$

Kiuchi and Matsumoto (see Theorem 1 of [3]) started from this formula, and proved an asymptotic formula for the mean square of $|R(1/2 + it; t/2\pi)|$:

$$\int_1^T |R(1/2 + it; t/2\pi)|^2 dt = \sqrt{2\pi} \left\{ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} d^2(n)h^2(n)n^{-1/2} \right\} T^{1/2} + O(T^{1/4} \log T). \tag{1.2}$$