

## An approximate formula for the Riemann zeta function

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### 1. Introduction.

The approximate functional equation is one of the most powerful formulae for the Riemann zeta function  $\zeta(s)$ . Although the  $O$ -term is complicated, it can be replaced, due to C. L. Siegel [1], by an asymptotic series. We may write this as follows. Let  $s=\sigma+it$  ( $t>0$ ), let  $m=\left[\sqrt{\frac{t}{2\pi}}\right]$ , and let  $a_n$  be the coefficients of Taylor's expansion of the function

$$\phi(z)=\exp\left((s-1)\log\left(1+\frac{z}{\sqrt{t}}\right)-i\sqrt{t}z+\frac{i}{2}z^2\right)$$

at the point  $z=0$ , i.e.  $\phi(z)=\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n$ . Put

$$\Psi(z)=\frac{\cos\pi\left(\frac{z^2}{2}-z-\frac{1}{8}\right)}{\cos\pi z},$$

and define, for every positive integer  $N$ ,

$$S_N=\sum_{n=0}^{N-1} \sum_{k=0}^{\lceil n/2 \rceil} \frac{n!i^{k-n}}{k!(n-2k)!2^n} \left(\frac{2}{\pi}\right)^{n/2-k} a_n \Psi^{(n-2k)}\left(\sqrt{\frac{2t}{\pi}}-2m\right).$$

If  $0 \leq \sigma \leq 1$ , and  $N < At$ , where  $A$  is a sufficiently small constant, then

$$\begin{aligned} \zeta(s) = & \sum_{n=1}^m n^{-s} + \frac{(2\pi)^s}{\pi} \sin \frac{\pi s}{2} \Gamma(1-s) \sum_{n=1}^m n^{s-1} + (-1)^{m-1} e^{-i\pi(s-1)/2} (2\pi t)^{(s-1)/2} \\ & \times e^{-it/2-\pi i/8} \Gamma(1-s) \left( S_N + O\left(\left(\frac{AN}{t}\right)^{N/6}\right) + O(e^{-At}) \right). \end{aligned}$$

The purpose of this paper is to construct some other asymptotic series of  $\zeta(s)$ . Our theorem is the same as Siegel's formula except for the sum  $S_N$ , the  $O$ -terms, and the conditions. In particular our sum  $S_N$  is defined as a function of  $2g$  variables  $\rho_1, \rho_2, \dots, \rho_g, n_1, n_2, \dots, n_g$ , so that if we take suitable  $2g$

variables, then we obtain some new asymptotic series of  $\zeta(s)$  (see the corollaries). A key idea in our proof is the fact that  $\phi(z)$  can be approximated by the sum of exponential functions  $\sum_{k=1}^g P_k(z) \exp(\rho_k t^{-r} z)$ .

Let  $r$  be a real number not less than  $\frac{1}{2}$ , let  $g$  be an integer not less than 2, let  $\rho_1, \rho_2, \dots, \rho_g$  be mutually distinct complex numbers, and let  $n_1, n_2, \dots, n_g$  be nonnegative integers. Put

$$N = \sum_{k=1}^g (n_k + 1),$$

$$M = \max(1, |\rho_1|, |\rho_2|, \dots, |\rho_g|),$$

$$B = \min_{1 \leq k < h \leq g} |\rho_k - \rho_h|,$$

and

$$b_{kh} = \frac{1}{f_k(\rho_k)} \sum_{u=0}^h \sum_{j=0}^{N-n_k-1} \frac{(h-u+j)!}{u!(h-u)!} (-\rho_k)^u f_{kj} a_{h-u+j} t^{r(j-u)} \quad (1 \leq k \leq g, 0 \leq h \leq n_k)$$

where  $f_k(z)$  and  $f_{kj}$  are defined by the relation

$$f_k(z) = \prod_{\substack{q=1 \\ q \neq k}}^g (z - \rho_q)^{n_q+1} = \sum_{j=0}^{N-n_k-1} f_{kj} z^j \quad (1 \leq k \leq g).$$

Let  $S_N$  denote the sum

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{k=1}^g \sum_{h=0}^{n_k} \sum_{q=0}^{\lceil h/2 \rceil} \sum_{j=0}^{h-2q} \frac{h! i^{q-h}}{q! j! (h-j-2q)! 2^h} \left(\frac{2}{\pi}\right)^{j/2} b_{kh} (\rho_k t^{-r})^{h-j-2q} \\ \times \exp\left(-\frac{i}{4} \rho_k^2 t^{-2r}\right) \Psi^{(j)}\left(\sqrt{\frac{2t}{\pi}} - 2m - \frac{i}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \rho_k t^{-r}\right), \end{aligned}$$

then we have the following theorem.

**THEOREM.** *If  $0 \leq \sigma \leq 1$ , and  $N+M^2 < At$ , where  $A$  is a sufficiently small constant, then*

$$\begin{aligned} \zeta(s) = \sum_{n=1}^m n^{-s} + \frac{(2\pi)^s}{\pi} \sin \frac{\pi s}{2} \Gamma(1-s) \sum_{n=1}^m n^{s-1} + (-1)^{m-1} e^{-i\pi(s-1)/2} (2\pi t)^{(s-1)/2} \\ \times e^{-it/2 - \pi i/8} \Gamma(1-s) \left( S_N + O\left(e^M \left(\frac{N^{13} M^6}{B^6 t}\right)^{N/6}\right) + O\left(\left(\frac{M}{B}\right)^N (19rN)^{3rN} e^{-At}\right)\right). \end{aligned}$$

If we take  $g=N$ ,  $n_k=0$  ( $1 \leq k \leq g$ ), and  $\rho_k=ik$ , then we have  $B=1$ ,  $N=M$ , and

$$f_{kj} = (-1)^{N-1} i^{N-1+j} c_{kj} \quad (1 \leq k \leq g, 0 \leq j \leq N-1),$$

where  $c_{kj}$  are the positive integers defined by

$$\prod_{\substack{q=1 \\ q \neq k}}^N (z+q) = \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} c_{kj} z^j \quad (1 \leq k \leq g).$$

We have further

$$f_k(\rho_k) = \prod_{\substack{q=1 \\ q \neq k}}^N (ik - iq) = (-1)^{N-k} i^{N-1} (k-1)! (N-k)! ,$$

so that

$$b_{k0} = \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \frac{j!(-1)^{k-1} i^j}{(N-k)!(k-1)!} c_{kj} a_j t^{rj} .$$

We thus obtain the following corollary.

**COROLLARY 1.**

$$S_N = \sum_{k=1}^N \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \frac{j!(-1)^{k-1} i^j}{(N-k)!(k-1)!} c_{kj} a_j t^{rj} \exp\left(\frac{i}{4} k^2 t^{-2r}\right) \Psi\left(\sqrt{\frac{2t}{\pi}} - 2m + \frac{k}{\sqrt{2\pi}} t^{-r}\right) ,$$

and the sum of O-terms is

$$O\left(\left(\frac{N^{20}}{t}\right)^{N/6}\right) + O((19rN)^{5rN} e^{-At}) .$$

We now take  $g=N$ ,  $n_k=0$  ( $1 \leq k \leq g$ ), and  $\rho_k=\omega^k$ , where  $\omega=\exp(2\pi i/N)$ . Then we have  $B \geq \frac{1}{N}$ ,  $M=1$ , and

$$\sum_{j=0}^{N-1} f_{kj} z^j = \prod_{\substack{q=1 \\ q \neq k}}^N (z - \omega^q) = \omega^{k(N-1)} \prod_{\substack{q=1 \\ q \neq k}}^N (\omega^{-k} z - \omega^{q-k}) = \omega^{-k} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \omega^{-kj} z^j ,$$

so that

$$b_{k0} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} j! \omega^{-kj} a_j t^{rj} .$$

Therefore we obtain the following corollary.

**COROLLARY 2.**

$$S_N = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} j! \omega^{-kj} a_j t^{rj} \exp\left(-\frac{i}{4} \omega^{2k} t^{-2r}\right) \Psi\left(\sqrt{\frac{2t}{\pi}} - 2m - \frac{i}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \omega^k t^{-r}\right) ,$$

and the sum of O-terms is

$$O\left(\left(\frac{N^{19}}{t}\right)^{N/6}\right) + O((19rN)^{5rN} e^{-At}) .$$

**REMARK.** If we take  $g=1$ , and  $\rho_1=0$ , ignoring the assumption of  $g \geq 2$ , then we get Siegel's asymptotic series with indeterminate O-terms.

## 2. Lemmas.

We need four lemmas to prove the theorem. In this paper we use Vinogradov's symbol " $\ll$ ".

LEMMA 1.  $b_{kh} \ll \left(\frac{2NM}{eB}\right)^N N^{5/2} t^{-h/6 + (r-1/6)(N-n_k-1)}.$

PROOF. We first prove that

$$(1) \quad a_n \ll (n+1)t^{-n/6}.$$

We use mathematical induction with respect to  $n$ . Suppose that

$$|a_j| \leq (j+1)t^{-j/2 + \lfloor j/3 \rfloor} \quad (1 \leq j \leq n).$$

Then, from the fact ([3], p. 75) that  $a_0=1$ ,  $a_1=\frac{\sigma-1}{\sqrt{t}}$ , and

$$(j+1)\sqrt{t}a_{j+1} = (\sigma-j-1)a_j + ia_{j-2} \quad (j \geq 2),$$

we get

$$\begin{aligned} |a_{n+1}| &\leq \frac{|\sigma-n-1|}{(n+1)\sqrt{t}} |a_n| + \frac{1}{(n+1)\sqrt{t}} |a_{n-2}| \\ &\leq (n+1)t^{-(n+1)/2 + \lfloor (n+1)/3 \rfloor} + \left(1 - \frac{2}{n+1}\right) t^{-(n+1)/2 + \lfloor (n+1)/3 \rfloor} \\ &\leq (n+2)t^{-(n+1)/2 + \lfloor (n+1)/3 \rfloor}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore we have (1), so that

$$\begin{aligned} b_{kh} &= \prod_{\substack{q=1 \\ q \neq k}}^g (\rho_k - \rho_q)^{-n_q-1} \sum_{u=0}^h \sum_{j=0}^{N-n_k-1} \frac{(h-u+j)!}{u!(h-u)!} (-\rho_k)^u f_{kj} a_{h-u+j} t^{r(j-u)} \\ &\ll B^{-(N-n_k-1)} \sum_{u=0}^h \sum_{j=0}^{N-n_k-1} (N-1)! M^u (2M)^{N-n_k-1} (h-u+j+1) t^{-(h-u+j)/6} t^{r(j-u)}, \end{aligned}$$

since

$$|f_{kj}| \leq (1+M)^{N-n_k-1} \leq (2M)^{N-n_k-1}.$$

We thus have

$$\begin{aligned} b_{kh} &\ll B^{-N} N^2 (N-1)! M^{n_k} (2M)^{N-n_k-1} N t^{-h/6 + (r-1/6)(N-n_k-1)} \\ &\ll \left(\frac{2M}{B}\right)^N N^2 N! t^{-h/6 + (r-1/6)(N-n_k-1)}. \end{aligned}$$

By using Stirling's formula ([4], p. 253), we obtain

$$b_{kh} \ll \left(\frac{2NM}{eB}\right)^N N^{5/2} t^{-h/6 + (r-1/6)(N-n_k-1)}.$$

LEMMA 2. Define the function  $R_N(z)$  by

$$(2) \quad R_N(z) = \phi(z) - \sum_{k=1}^g \sum_{h=0}^{n_k} b_{kh} z^h e^{\rho_k t^{-r} z}.$$

Then  $R_N(z)$  vanishes at  $z=0$  with an order not less than  $N$ .

PROOF. We are going to determine  $g$  polynomials  $P_k(z)$  ( $1 \leq k \leq g$ ) of degrees  $n_k$  ( $1 \leq k \leq g$ ) such that the function

$$(3) \quad f(z) = \phi(z) - \sum_{q=1}^g P_q(z) e^{\rho_q t^{-r} z}$$

vanishes at  $z=0$  with an order not less than  $N$ . If we write the polynomials with indeterminate coefficients and equate the terms of order  $0, 1, \dots, N-1$  in the power series expansions of both sides of (3), then we obtain a system  $\{L_j(\phi)=0\}$  composed of  $N$  linear equations for the  $N$  unknown coefficients in the polynomials. We recall our problem has a unique solution in the case of  $\phi(z)=cz^{N-1}/(N-1)!$ , where  $c \neq 0$  ([2], p. 13, in which Siegel use the notation  $N$  instead of  $N-1$ ). Thus, in this case, the coefficient matrix of the linear equations  $\{L_j(\phi)=0\}$  with the  $N$  unknown variables has the rank  $N$ . On the other hand, the coefficient matrix of  $\{L_j(\phi)=0\}$  is the same for every  $\phi(z)$ . It follows that our problem has a unique solution in the case of  $\phi(z)=\exp((s-1)\log(1+\frac{z}{\sqrt{t}})-i\sqrt{t}z-\frac{i}{2}z^2)$ .

It is convenient to use the differential operator  $D=d/dz$ . Let  $j_1$  be an integer satisfying  $1 \leq j_1 \leq g$  and  $j_1 \neq k$ . If we multiply both sides of (3) by  $\exp(-\rho_{j_1} t^{-r} z)$ , and differentiate  $n_{j_1}+1$  times, then we have

$$\begin{aligned} f_1(z) &= e^{-\rho_{j_1} t^{-r} z} (D - \rho_{j_1} t^{-r})^{n_{j_1}+1} \phi(z) \\ &\quad - \sum_{\substack{q=1 \\ q \neq j_1}}^g e^{(\rho_q - \rho_{j_1}) t^{-r} z} ((\rho_q - \rho_{j_1}) t^{-r} + D)^{n_{j_1}+1} P_q(z). \end{aligned}$$

The function  $f_1(z)$  vanishes at  $z=0$  with an order not less than  $N-n_{j_1}-1$ . Let  $j_2$  be an integer satisfying  $1 \leq j_2 \leq g$ ,  $j_2 \neq k$ , and  $j_2 \neq j_1$ . If we multiply both sides of the above equation by  $\exp((\rho_{j_1} - \rho_{j_2}) t^{-r} z)$ , and differentiate  $n_{j_2}+1$  times, then we get

$$\begin{aligned} f_2(z) &= e^{-\rho_{j_2} t^{-r} z} (D - \rho_{j_2} t^{-r})^{n_{j_2}+1} (D - \rho_{j_1} t^{-r})^{n_{j_1}+1} \phi(z) \\ &\quad - \sum_{\substack{q \neq j_1 \\ q \neq j_2}} e^{(\rho_q - \rho_{j_2}) t^{-r} z} ((\rho_q - \rho_{j_2}) t^{-r} + D)^{n_{j_2}+1} ((\rho_q - \rho_{j_1}) t^{-r} + D)^{n_{j_1}+1} P_q(z). \end{aligned}$$

The function  $f_2(z)$  vanishes at  $z=0$  with an order not less than  $N-n_{j_1}-n_{j_2}-2$ . If we proceed in this way, then we have

$$\begin{aligned} f_{g-1}(z) &= e^{-\rho_j g-1 t^{-r} z} \prod_{\substack{q=1 \\ q \neq k}}^g (D - \rho_q t^{-r})^{n_q+1} \phi(z) \\ &\quad - e^{(\rho_k - \rho_j g-1) t^{-r} z} \prod_{\substack{q=1 \\ q \neq k}}^g ((\rho_k - \rho_q) t^{-r} + D)^{n_q+1} P_k(z). \end{aligned}$$

The function  $f_{g-1}(z)$  vanishes at  $z=0$  with an order not less than  $n_k+1$ . We now multiply both sides of the above equation by  $\exp((\rho_{j_{g-1}} - \rho_k) t^{-r} z)$ . Then we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} (4) \quad F(z) &= e^{-\rho_k t^{-r} z} \prod_{\substack{q=1 \\ q \neq k}}^g (D - \rho_q t^{-r})^{n_q+1} \phi(z) \\ &\quad - \prod_{\substack{q=1 \\ q \neq k}}^g ((\rho_k - \rho_q) t^{-r} + D)^{n_q+1} P_k(z). \end{aligned}$$

We notice that

$$Q_k(z) = \prod_{\substack{j=1 \\ j \neq k}}^g ((\rho_k - \rho_j) t^{-r} + D)^{n_j+1} P_k(z)$$

is a polynomial having the same degree as  $P_k(z)$ , and the function  $F(z)$  vanishes at  $z=0$  with an order not less than  $n_k+1$ . Therefore  $Q_k(z)$  is the sum of the first  $n_k+1$  terms of Taylor's expansion of the function

$$e^{-\rho_k t^{-r} z} \prod_{\substack{j=1 \\ j \neq k}}^g (D - \rho_j t^{-r})^{n_j+1} \phi(z)$$

at the point  $z=0$ . Hence

$$\begin{aligned} Q_k(z) &\equiv \sum_{u=0}^{n_k} \frac{(-\rho_k t^{-r} z)^u}{u!} t^{-r(N-n_k-1)} \sum_{j=0}^{N-n_k-1} f_{kj}(t^r D)^j \sum_{v=0}^N a_v z^v \pmod{z^{n_k+1}} \\ &\equiv t^{-r(N-n_k-1)} \sum_{u=0}^{n_k} \frac{(-\rho_k t^{-r})^u}{u!} z^u \sum_{j=0}^{N-n_k-1} f_{kj} t^{rj} \sum_{v=0}^N \frac{(v+j)!}{v!} a_{v+j} z^v \pmod{z^{n_k+1}}. \end{aligned}$$

We thus obtain

$$(5) \quad Q_k(z) = t^{-r(N-n_k-1)} \sum_{h=0}^{n_k} z^h \sum_{u=0}^h \sum_{j=0}^{N-n_k-1} \frac{(h-u+j)!}{u!(h-u)!} (-\rho_k)^u f_{kj} a_{h-u+j} t^{r(j-u)}.$$

We next determine  $P_k(z)$ . From (4), we get

$$\begin{aligned} P_k(z) &= \prod_{\substack{q=1 \\ q \neq k}}^g ((\rho_k - \rho_q) t^{-r} + D)^{-n_q-1} Q_k(z) \\ &= t^{r(N-n_k-1)} \prod_{\substack{q=1 \\ q \neq k}}^g (\rho_k - \rho_q)^{-n_q-1} \left( \sum_{j=0}^{n_k} ((\rho_k - \rho_q)^{-1} t^r D)^j \right)^{n_q+1} Q_k(z). \end{aligned}$$

If we differentiate  $h$  times, and put  $z=0$ , then we have

$$h! p_{kh} = h! q_{kh} t^{r(N-n_k-1)} \prod_{\substack{j=0 \\ j \neq k}}^g (\rho_k - \rho_j)^{-n_j-1} \quad (0 \leq h \leq n_k),$$

where  $p_{kh}$  and  $q_{kh}$  are the coefficients of  $z^h$  in the polynomials  $P_k(z)$  and  $Q_k(z)$  respectively. Therefore we obtain from (5)

$$P_k(z) = \sum_{h=0}^{n_k} b_{kh} z^h.$$

It turns out that  $R_N(z)$  vanishes at  $z=0$  with an order not less than  $N$ .

LEMMA 3. *The function  $R_N(z)$  satisfies*

$$R_N(z) \ll \left(\frac{2NM}{eB}\right)^N N^{8/3} e^M t^{-N/6} |z|^N \quad \left(\text{if } N \leq \frac{9261}{25600} t, |z| \leq \frac{20}{21} \left(\frac{2N\sqrt{t}}{5}\right)^{1/3}\right),$$

and

$$R_N(z) \ll e^{(14/29)|z|^2} + \left(\frac{2^{2/3} N^2 M}{e^2 B}\right)^N N^{19/6} e^M e^{|z|} \quad \left(\text{if } |z| \leq \frac{\sqrt{t}}{2}\right).$$

PROOF. We can write by Lemma 2

$$R_N(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\Gamma} \frac{R_N(w) z^N}{w^N (w-z)} dw,$$

where  $\Gamma$  is a contour including the points 0 and  $z$ . Therefore we have

$$\begin{aligned} R_N(z) &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\Gamma} \frac{\phi(w) z^N}{w^N (w-z)} dw \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2\pi i} \sum_{k=1}^g \sum_{h=0}^{n_k} b_{kh} \int_{\Gamma} w^{h-N} e^{\rho_k t^{-r} w} \frac{z^N}{w-z} dw. \end{aligned}$$

We know ([3], p. 76) that

$$\begin{aligned} (6) \quad \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\Gamma} \frac{\phi(w) z^N}{w^N (w-z)} dw &= O\left(|z|^N \left(\frac{5e}{2N\sqrt{t}}\right)^{N/3}\right) \\ &\quad \left(N \leq \frac{27}{50} t, |z| \leq \frac{20}{21} \left(\frac{2N\sqrt{t}}{5}\right)^{1/3}\right), \end{aligned}$$

and

$$(7) \quad \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\Gamma} \frac{\phi(w) z^N}{w^N (w-z)} dw = O(e^{(14/29)|z|^2}) \quad \left(|z| \leq \frac{\sqrt{t}}{2}\right).$$

We now choose  $\Gamma$  a circle with center 0 and radius  $t^r$  in order to evaluate the sum of the last  $N$  terms of the integrals for  $|z| \leq \frac{\sqrt{t}}{2}$ . Let  $J$  denote the sum, then we have from Lemma 1

$$J \ll \sum_{k=1}^g \sum_{h=0}^{n_k} \left(\frac{2NM}{eB}\right)^N N^{5/2} t^{-h/6 + (\tau-1/6)(N-n_k-1)} t^{r(h-N)} \frac{e^M |z|^N}{t^r/2} \quad \left(|z| \leq \frac{\sqrt{t}}{2}\right).$$

We thus have

$$\begin{aligned} J &\ll \left(\frac{2NM}{eB}\right)^N N^{5/2} e^M |z|^N \sum_{k=1}^g \sum_{h=0}^{n_k} t^{-N/6 + (r-1/6)(h-n_k-1) - r} \\ &\ll \left(\frac{2NM}{eB}\right)^N N^{5/2} e^M |z|^N N t^{-N/6 - 5/6} \\ &\ll \left(\frac{2NM}{eB}\right)^N N^{8/3} e^M |z|^N t^{-N/6} \quad \left(|z| \leqq \frac{\sqrt{t}}{2}\right), \end{aligned}$$

since  $t^{-5/6} \leqq A^{5/6} N^{-5/6}$ . It follows that

$$(8) \quad J \ll \left(\frac{2NM}{eB}\right)^N N^{8/3} e^M |z|^N t^{-N/6} \quad \left(N \leqq \frac{9261}{25600} t, |z| \leqq \frac{20}{21} \left(\frac{2N\sqrt{t}}{5}\right)^{1/3}\right),$$

because  $\frac{20}{21} \left(\frac{2N\sqrt{t}}{5}\right)^{1/3} \leqq \frac{\sqrt{t}}{2}$  implies  $N \leqq \frac{9261}{25600} t$ . If we make use of the fact that, for  $1 \leqq |z| \leqq \frac{\sqrt{t}}{2}$ ,

$$t^{-N/6} |z|^N \leqq 2^{-N/3} |z|^{(2/3)N} \leqq N! 2^{-N/3} \exp(|z|^{2/3}) \leqq N! 2^{-N/3} \exp(|z|),$$

we get

$$J \ll \left(\frac{2NM}{eB}\right)^N N^{8/3} e^M N! 2^{-N/3} \exp(|z|) \quad \left(|z| \leqq \frac{\sqrt{t}}{2}\right).$$

Therefore we obtain by Stirling's formula

$$(9) \quad J \ll \left(\frac{2^{2/3} N^2 M}{e^2 B}\right)^N N^{19/6} e^M e^{|z|} \quad \left(|z| \leqq \frac{\sqrt{t}}{2}\right).$$

Hence we have from (6) and (8)

$$\begin{aligned} R_N(z) &\ll \left(\frac{5e}{2N\sqrt{t}}\right)^{N/3} |z|^N + \left(\frac{2NM}{eB}\right)^N N^{8/3} e^M t^{-N/6} |z|^N \\ &\ll \left(\frac{2NM}{eB}\right)^N N^{8/3} e^M t^{-N/6} |z|^N \quad \left(N \leqq \frac{9261}{25600} t, |z| \leqq \frac{20}{21} \left(\frac{2N\sqrt{t}}{5}\right)^{1/3}\right), \end{aligned}$$

since  $B \leqq 2M$ . We have also from (7) and (9)

$$R_N(z) \ll e^{(14/29)|z|^2} + \left(\frac{2^{2/3} N^2 M}{e^2 B}\right)^N N^{19/6} e^M e^{|z|} \quad \left(|z| \leqq \frac{\sqrt{t}}{2}\right).$$

This proves the lemma.

LEMMA 4. Let

$$(10) \quad U_N = R_N \left( e^{-\pi i/4} \left( \frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}} + \sqrt{\pi} \left( \frac{\eta}{2\pi} - m \right) \right) \right),$$

where  $x$  is real, and  $\eta = \sqrt{2\pi t}$ ; then we have

$$U_N \ll \left( \frac{4NM}{eB} \right)^N N^{11/3} e^M t^{-N/6} \left( \left| \frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right|^N + 2^N \right)$$

$$\left( \text{if } N \leq \frac{9261}{25600} t, \left| \frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right| \leq \frac{40}{63} \left( \frac{2N\sqrt{t}}{5} \right)^{1/3} \right),$$

and

$$U_N \ll \exp\left(\frac{420}{841} \left| \frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right|^2\right) + \left( \frac{2^{2/3} N^2 M}{e^2 B} \right)^N N^{19/6} e^M \exp\left(\left| \frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right|\right)$$

$$\left( \text{if } \left| \frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right| \leq \frac{\sqrt{t}}{3} \right).$$

PROOF. If  $\left| \frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right| \leq \frac{40}{63} \left( \frac{2N\sqrt{t}}{5} \right)^{1/3}$ , and  $\sqrt{\pi} \leq \frac{20}{63} \left( \frac{2N\sqrt{t}}{5} \right)^{1/3}$  then we have

$$\left| \frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}} + \sqrt{\pi} \left( \frac{\eta}{2\pi} - m \right) \right| \leq \frac{20}{21} \left( \frac{2N\sqrt{t}}{5} \right)^{1/3},$$

so that we get from Lemma 3

$$U_N \ll \left( \frac{2NM}{eB} \right)^N N^{8/3} e^M t^{-N/6} \left| \frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}} + \sqrt{\pi} \left( \frac{\eta}{2\pi} - m \right) \right|^N$$

$$\ll \left( \frac{2NM}{eB} \right)^N N^{8/3} e^M t^{-N/6} \sum_{j=0}^N \binom{N}{j} \left| \frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right|^j 2^{N-j}$$

$$\left( N \leq \frac{9261}{25600} t, \quad \left| \frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right| \leq \frac{40}{63} \left( \frac{2N\sqrt{t}}{5} \right)^{1/3} \right),$$

since  $\sqrt{\pi} \leq 2$ . If we use an inequality

$$\binom{N}{j} \left| \frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right|^j 2^{N-j} \leq 2^N \left( \left| \frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right|^N + 2^N \right) \quad (0 \leq j \leq N),$$

then we obtain

$$U_N \ll \left( \frac{2NM}{eB} \right)^N N^{8/3} e^M t^{-N/6} (N+1) 2^N \left( \left| \frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right|^N + 2^N \right)$$

$$\ll \left( \frac{4NM}{eB} \right)^N N^{11/3} e^M t^{-N/6} \left( \left| \frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right|^N + 2^N \right)$$

$$\left( N \leq \frac{9261}{25600} t, \quad \left| \frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right| \leq \frac{40}{63} \left( \frac{2N\sqrt{t}}{5} \right)^{1/3} \right).$$

We next consider the case that  $\left| \frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right| \leq \frac{\sqrt{t}}{3}$ , and  $\sqrt{\pi} \leq \frac{\sqrt{t}}{6}$ . We then have

$$\left| \frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}} + \sqrt{\pi} \left( \frac{\eta}{2\pi} - m \right) \right| \leq \frac{\sqrt{t}}{2},$$

so that we get also from Lemma 3

$$\begin{aligned} U_N &\ll \exp\left(\frac{14}{29}\left|\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}} + \sqrt{\pi}\left(\frac{\eta}{2\pi} - m\right)\right|^2\right) \\ &+ \left(\frac{2^{2/3}N^2M}{e^2B}\right)^N N^{19/6} e^M \exp\left(\left|\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}} + \sqrt{\pi}\left(\frac{\eta}{2\pi} - m\right)\right|\right) \\ &\quad \left(\left|\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right| \leq \frac{\sqrt{t}}{3}\right). \end{aligned}$$

If we suppose  $\left|\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right| \geq 116$ , then we have  $\left|\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right|^2 + 4\left|\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right| \leq \frac{30}{29}\left|\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right|^2$ . Hence we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} U_N &\ll \exp\left(\frac{14}{29}\left(\left|\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right| + 2\right)^2\right) + \left(\frac{2^{2/3}N^2M}{e^2B}\right)^N N^{19/6} e^M \exp\left(\left|\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right| + 2\right) \\ &\ll \exp\left(\frac{420}{841}\left|\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right|^2\right) + \left(\frac{2^{2/3}N^2M}{e^2B}\right)^N N^{19/6} e^M \exp\left(\left|\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right|\right) \\ &\quad \left(116 \leq \left|\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right| \leq \frac{\sqrt{t}}{3}\right). \end{aligned}$$

This proves the lemma.

### 3. Proof of Theorem.

We recall an inequality for  $\zeta(s)$  ([3], p. 72). Let  $\eta$  be  $\sqrt{2\pi t}$ , let  $c$  be an absolute constant,  $0 < c \leq \frac{1}{2}$ , and let  $C_2$  be a line segment joining  $c\eta + i\eta(1+c)$  and  $-c\eta + i\eta(1-c)$ , then we have

$$\begin{aligned} (11) \quad \zeta(s) &= \sum_{n=1}^m n^{-s} + \frac{(2\pi)^s}{\pi} \sin \frac{\pi s}{2} \Gamma(1-s) \sum_{n=1}^m n^{s-1} \\ &+ \frac{e^{-i\pi s}}{2\pi i} \Gamma(1-s) \left( \int_{C_2} \frac{w^{s-1} e^{-mw}}{e^w - 1} dw + O(e^{-(\pi/2)t - At}) \right), \end{aligned}$$

where  $A$  is a sufficiently small constant. Here we consider the case where  $|e^w - 1| > A$  on  $C_2$ , and  $c = 2^{-5/2}$ . Let

$$I = \int_{C_2} \frac{w^{s-1} e^{-mw}}{e^w - 1} dw,$$

then we have ([3], p. 75)

$$\begin{aligned} I &= (i\eta)^{s-1} \int_{C_2} \exp\left((s-1)\log\left(1 + \frac{w-i\eta}{i\eta}\right) - mw\right) \frac{dw}{e^w - 1} \\ &= (i\eta)^{s-1} \int_{C_2} \exp\left(\frac{i}{4\pi}(w-i\eta)^2 + \frac{\eta}{2\pi}(w-i\eta) - mw\right) \phi\left(\frac{w-i\eta}{i\sqrt{2\pi}}\right) \frac{dw}{e^w - 1}. \end{aligned}$$

It follows from (2) that

$$(12) \quad I = (i\eta)^{s-1} \sum_{k=1}^g \sum_{h=0}^{n_k} b_{kh} \int_{C_2} \exp\left(\frac{i}{4\pi}(w-i\eta)^2 + \left(\frac{\eta}{2\pi} - \frac{i}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \rho_k t^{-r}\right)(w-i\eta)\right. \\ \left.- mw\right) \left(\frac{w-i\eta}{i\sqrt{2\pi}}\right)^h \frac{dw}{e^w - 1} \\ + (i\eta)^{s-1} \int_{C_2} \exp\left(\frac{i}{4\pi}(w-i\eta)^2 + \frac{\eta}{2\pi}(w-i\eta) - mw\right) R_N\left(\frac{w-i\eta}{i\sqrt{2\pi}}\right) \frac{dw}{e^w - 1}.$$

We first estimate the last term of the above series. Let  $I_1$  denote the term, and put  $w-i\eta = \lambda \exp\left(\frac{\pi i}{4}\right)$ , where  $\lambda$  is real, then we have

$$I_1 \ll \eta^{\sigma-1} e^{-\pi t/2} \int_{-\eta/4}^{\eta/4} \exp\left(-\frac{\lambda^2}{4\pi} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\left(\frac{\eta}{2\pi} - m\right)\lambda\right) \left|R_N\left(e^{-\pi i/4} \frac{\lambda}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right)\right| d\lambda \\ \ll \eta^{\sigma-1} e^{-\pi t/2} \exp\left(\frac{1}{2}\left(\sqrt{\pi}\left(\frac{\eta}{2\pi} - m\right)\right)^2\right) \\ \times \int_{-\eta/4}^{\eta/4} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{\lambda}{\sqrt{2\pi}} - \sqrt{\pi}\left(\frac{\eta}{2\pi} - m\right)\right)^2\right) \left|R_N\left(e^{-\pi i/4} \frac{\lambda}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right)\right| d\lambda.$$

If we substitute  $\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}}$  for  $\frac{\lambda}{\sqrt{2\pi}} - \sqrt{\pi}\left(\frac{\eta}{2\pi} - m\right)$  in the integral, then we obtain

$$I_1 \ll \eta^{\sigma-1} e^{-\pi t/2} \int_{-\eta/3}^{\eta/3} \exp\left(-\frac{x^2}{4\pi}\right) \left|R_N\left(e^{-\pi i/4} \left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}} + \sqrt{\pi}\left(\frac{\eta}{2\pi} - m\right)\right)\right)\right| dx,$$

for  $t > 120$ , since  $0 < \sqrt{\pi}\left(\frac{\eta}{2\pi} - m\right) < 2$ . We thus have by (10)

$$I_1 \ll \eta^{\sigma-1} e^{-\pi t/2} \int_{-\eta/3}^{\eta/3} \exp\left(-\frac{x^2}{4\pi}\right) \left|U_N\right| dx.$$

From Lemma 4, we get

$$I_1 \ll \eta^{\sigma-1} e^{-\pi t/2} \left( \int_0^\alpha \exp\left(-\frac{x^2}{4\pi}\right) \left(\frac{4NM}{eB}\right)^N N^{11/3} e^M t^{-N/6} \left(\left|\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right|^N + 2^N\right) dx \right. \\ \left. + \int_\alpha^{\eta/3} \exp\left(-\frac{x^2}{4\pi}\right) \left( \exp\left(-\frac{420}{841} \left|\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right|^2\right) + \left(\frac{2^{2/3} N^2 M}{e^2 M}\right)^N N^{19/6} e^M \exp\left(\left|\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right|\right) \right) dx \right) \\ \ll \eta^{\sigma-1} e^{-\pi t/2} \left( \left(\frac{4NM}{eB}\right)^N N^{11/3} e^M t^{-N/6} \int_0^\infty \exp\left(-\frac{x^2}{4\pi}\right) \left(\left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right)^N + 2^N\right) dx \right. \\ \left. + \int_\alpha^\infty \exp\left(-\frac{x^2}{3364\pi}\right) dx + \left(\frac{2^{2/3} N^2 M}{e^2 B}\right)^N N^{19/6} e^M \int_\alpha^\infty \exp\left(-\frac{x^2}{4\pi} + \frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right) dx \right),$$

where  $\alpha$  is  $\frac{40}{63} \left(\frac{2N\sqrt{t}}{5}\right)^{1/3} \sqrt{2\pi}$ . It follows that

$$\begin{aligned}
I_1 &\ll \eta^{\sigma-1} e^{-\pi t/2} \left( \left( \frac{4NM}{eB} \right)^N N^{11/3} e^M t^{-N/6} 2^N I \left( \frac{N}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \right) \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \left( \frac{8NM}{eB} \right)^N N^{11/3} e^M t^{-N/6} + \exp \left( -\frac{1}{3364\pi} \left( \frac{40}{63} \left( \frac{2N\sqrt{t}}{5} \right)^{1/3} \sqrt{2\pi} \right)^2 \right) \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \left( \frac{2^{2/3}N^2M}{e^2B} \right)^N N^{19/6} e^M \exp \left( -\frac{1}{4\pi} \left( \frac{20}{63} \left( \frac{2N\sqrt{t}}{5} \right)^{1/3} \sqrt{2\pi} \right)^2 \right) \right),
\end{aligned}$$

because  $\frac{20}{63} \left( \frac{2N\sqrt{t}}{5} \right)^{1/3} > 1$ . By using Stirling's formula, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
I_1 &\ll \eta^{\sigma-1} e^{-\pi t/2} \left( \left( \left( \frac{N}{e} \right)^{3/2} \frac{4M}{B} \right)^N N^{11/3} e^M t^{-N/6} \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \left( \frac{8NM}{eB} \right)^N N^{11/3} e^M t^{-N/6} + \exp \left( -\frac{800}{3337929} \left( \frac{2N\sqrt{t}}{5} \right)^{3/2} \right) \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \left( \frac{2^{2/3}N^2M}{e^2B} \right)^N N^{19/6} e^M \exp \left( -\frac{200}{3969} \left( \frac{2N\sqrt{t}}{5} \right)^{2/3} \right) \right).
\end{aligned}$$

The last term can be written as

$$\left( \frac{2^{2/3}N^2M}{e^2B} \right)^N N^{19/6} e^M t^{-N/6} \cdot t^{N/6} \exp \left( -\frac{200}{3969} \left( \frac{2N\sqrt{t}}{5} \right)^{2/3} \right).$$

The second factor  $t^{N/6} \exp \left( -\frac{200}{3969} \left( \frac{2N\sqrt{t}}{5} \right)^{2/3} \right)$  has the maximum  $\left( \frac{7^6 3^{12} N}{2^{14} 5^4} \right)^{N/6}$   
 $\times \exp \left( -\frac{N}{2} \right)$  for  $t = \frac{7^6 3^{12} N}{2^{14} 5^4}$ , so that the last term is

$$\begin{aligned}
&\ll \left( \frac{2^{2/3}N^2M}{e^2B} \right)^N N^{19/6} e^M t^{-N/6} \left( \frac{7^6 3^{12} N}{2^{14} 5^4} \right)^{N/6} \exp \left( -\frac{N}{2} \right) \\
&\ll \left( \frac{N^{18} M^6}{B^6} \right)^{N/6} e^M t^{-N/6},
\end{aligned}$$

since  $\frac{7^6 3^{12}}{2^{10} 5^4 e^{15}} < 1$ . Therefore we finally obtain

$$(13) \quad I_1 \ll \eta^{\sigma-1} e^{-\pi t/2} e^M \left( \frac{N^{18} M^6}{B^6 t} \right)^{N/6}.$$

In the first  $N$  terms of (12) we now replace  $C_2$  by the infinite straight line of which it is a part. We denote this new straight line by  $C'_2$ , and put

$$\begin{aligned}
I_2 &= (i\eta)^{s-1} \sum_{k=1}^g \sum_{h=0}^{n_k} b_{kh} \int_{C'_2 - C_2} \exp \left( \frac{i}{4\pi} (w - i\eta)^2 + \left( \frac{\eta}{2\pi} - \frac{i}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \rho_k t^{-r} \right) (w - i\eta) \right. \\
&\quad \left. - mw \right) \left( \frac{w - i\eta}{i\sqrt{2\pi}} \right)^h \frac{dw}{e^w - 1}.
\end{aligned}$$

We then get from Lemma 1

$$\begin{aligned}
 I_2 &\ll \eta^{\sigma-1} e^{-\pi t/2} \sum_{k=1}^g \sum_{h=0}^{n_k} \left( \frac{2NM}{eB} \right)^N N^{5/2} t^{-h/6+(r-1/6)(N-n_k-1)} \\
 &\quad \times \int_{\eta/4}^{\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{\lambda^2}{4\pi} + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\left(\frac{\eta}{\sqrt{2\pi}} - m\right) + \frac{Mt^{-r}}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right)\lambda\right) \left(\frac{\lambda}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right)^h d\lambda \\
 &\ll \eta^{\sigma-1} e^{-\pi t/2} \left( \frac{2NM}{eB} \right)^N N^{5/2} \sum_{k=1}^g \sum_{h=0}^{n_k} t^{-h/6+(r-1/6)N} \\
 &\quad \times \int_{\eta/4}^{\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{\lambda}{\sqrt{2\pi}} - \sqrt{\pi}\left(\frac{\eta}{2\pi} - m\right) - Mt^{-r}\right)^2\right) \left(\frac{\lambda}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right)^h d\lambda,
 \end{aligned}$$

since  $0 < \sqrt{\pi}\left(\frac{\eta}{2\pi} - m\right) - Mt^{-r} < \sqrt{\pi} + A^{1/2}t^{1/2-r} < 2$ . If we substitute  $\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}}$  for

$\frac{\lambda}{\sqrt{2\pi}} - \sqrt{\pi}\left(\frac{\eta}{2\pi} - m\right) - Mt^{-r}$  in the integral, then we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 I_2 &\ll \eta^{\sigma-1} e^{-\pi t/2} \left( \frac{2NM}{eB} \right)^N N^{5/2} \sum_{k=1}^g \sum_{h=0}^{n_k} t^{-h/6+(r-1/6)N} \int_{\eta/5}^{\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{x^2}{4\pi}\right) \\
 &\quad \times \left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}} + \sqrt{\pi}\left(\frac{\eta}{2\pi} - m\right) + Mt^{-r}\right)^h dx,
 \end{aligned}$$

if  $\frac{\sqrt{t}}{20} > 2$ . It follows that

$$I_2 \ll \eta^{\sigma-1} e^{-\pi t/2} \left( \frac{4NM}{eB} \right)^N N^{7/2} \sum_{k=1}^g \sum_{h=0}^{n_k} t^{-h/6-(r-1/6)N} \int_{\eta/5}^{\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{x^2}{4\pi}\right) \left(\left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right)^h + 2^h\right) dx,$$

because  $\left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}} + \sqrt{\pi}\left(\frac{\eta}{2\pi} - m\right) + Mt^{-r}\right)^h \leq (N+1)2^N \left(\left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right)^h + 2^h\right)$ . Here we estimate the term

$$(14) \quad t^{-h/6+(r-1/6)N} \int_{\eta/5}^{\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{x^2}{4\pi}\right) \left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right)^h dx.$$

We can write the integrand as

$$\exp\left(-\frac{50A}{4\pi}x^2\right) \cdot \exp\left(-\frac{1-50A}{4\pi}x^2\right) \left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right)^h.$$

The second factor is steadily decreasing for  $x \geq 2\sqrt{h\pi}$ , and so throughout the interval of integration if  $A$  is sufficiently small. Therefore the term (14) is

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\ll t^{-h/6+(r-1/6)N} \exp\left(-\frac{1-50A}{4\pi} \left(\frac{\sqrt{2\pi t}}{5}\right)^2\right) \left(\frac{\sqrt{t}}{5}\right)^h \\
 &\ll t^{(r-1/6)N} \exp\left(-\left(\frac{1}{50} - 2A\right)t\right) \exp(-At).
 \end{aligned}$$

The factor  $t^{(r-1/6)N} \exp\left(-\left(\frac{1}{50}-2A\right)t\right)$  has the maximum

$$\left(\frac{\left(r-\frac{1}{6}\right)N}{\frac{1}{50}-2A}\right)^{(r-1/6)N} e^{-(r-1/6)N} \quad \text{for } t = \frac{\left(r-\frac{1}{6}\right)N}{\frac{1}{50}-2A},$$

so that the term is

$$\ll \left(\frac{51}{e}\left(r-\frac{1}{6}\right)N\right)^{(r-1/6)N} e^{-At},$$

if  $A < \frac{1}{5100}$ . It is easily verified that

$$t^{-h/6+(r-1/6)N} \int_{\eta/6}^{\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{x^2}{4\pi}\right) 2^h dx \ll \left(\frac{51}{e}\left(r-\frac{1}{6}\right)N\right)^{(r-1/6)N} e^{-At},$$

because  $2^h t^{-h/6} \leq 2^h A^{h/6} N^{-h/6} < 1$ , for sufficiently small  $A$ . Therefore we obtain

$$(15) \quad \begin{aligned} I_2 &\ll \eta^{\sigma-1} e^{-\pi t/2} \left(\frac{4NM}{eB}\right)^N N^{9/2} \left(\frac{51}{e}\left(r-\frac{1}{6}\right)N\right)^{(r-1/6)N} e^{-At} \\ &\ll \eta^{\sigma-1} e^{-\pi t/2} \left(\frac{M}{B}\right)^N (19rN)^{3rN} e^{-At}, \end{aligned}$$

since  $\frac{51}{e} < 19$ , and  $1 + \left(r - \frac{1}{6}\right) \leq 3r$ .

Let

$$\begin{aligned} I_3 &= (i\eta)^{s-1} \sum_{k=1}^g \sum_{n=0}^{n_k} b_{kn} (i\sqrt{2\pi})^{-h} \int_{C'_2} \exp\left(\frac{i}{4\pi}(w-i\eta)^2\right) \\ &\quad + \left(\frac{\eta}{2\pi} - \frac{i}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \rho_k t^{-r}\right) (w-i\eta) - mw \Big) (w-i\eta)^h \frac{dw}{e^w - 1}. \end{aligned}$$

The integral can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} &- \int_L \exp\left(\frac{i}{4\pi}(w+2m\pi i-i\eta)^2 + \left(\frac{\eta}{2\pi} - \frac{i}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \rho_k t^{-r}\right)(w+2m\pi i-i\eta) - mw\right) \\ &\quad \times (w+2m\pi i-i\eta)^h \frac{dw}{e^w - 1}, \end{aligned}$$

where  $L$  is a line in the direction  $\arg w = \frac{\pi}{4}$ , passing between  $0$  and  $2\pi i$ . This is  $h!$  times the coefficient of  $\xi^h$  in Taylor's expansion of the function

$$\begin{aligned}
& - \int_L \exp\left(\frac{i}{4\pi}(w+2m\pi i-i\eta)^2 + \left(\frac{\eta}{2\pi} - \frac{i}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\rho_k t^{-r} + \xi\right)(w+2m\pi i-i\eta) - mw\right) \frac{dw}{e^w-1} \\
& = - \exp\left(i(2m\pi-\eta)\left(\frac{3\eta}{4\pi} - \frac{m}{2} - \frac{i}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\rho_k t^{-r} + \xi\right)\right) \\
& \quad \times \int_L \exp\left(\frac{i}{4\pi}w^2 + \left(\frac{\eta}{\pi} - 2m - \frac{i}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\rho_k t^{-r} + \xi\right)w\right) \frac{dw}{e^w-1}
\end{aligned}$$

at the point  $\xi=0$ . We now recall ([3], p. 26) that

$$\int_L \frac{e^{(i/4\pi)w^2+a w}}{e^w-1} dw = 2\pi e^{i\pi(a^2/2-5/8)} \Psi(a).$$

Therefore the function is

$$\begin{aligned}
& 2\pi(-1)^{m-1} \exp\left(-\frac{it}{2} - \frac{5\pi i}{8} - \frac{i}{4}\rho_k^2 t^{-2r}\right) \Psi\left(\frac{\eta}{\pi} - 2m - \frac{i}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\rho_k t^{-r} + \xi\right) \\
& \quad \times \exp\left(\frac{i\pi}{2}\xi^2 + \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}}\rho_k t^{-r}\xi\right) \\
& = 2\pi(-1)^{m-1} \exp\left(-\frac{it}{2} - \frac{5\pi i}{8} - \frac{i}{4}\rho_k^2 t^{-2r}\right) \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \Psi^{(j)}\left(\frac{\eta}{\pi} - 2m - \frac{i}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\rho_k t^{-r}\right) \frac{\xi^j}{j!} \\
& \quad \times \sum_{q=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{i\pi}{2}\xi^2\right)^q \frac{1}{q!} \sum_{u=0}^{\infty} \left(\sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}}\rho_k t^{-r}\xi\right)^u \frac{1}{u!}.
\end{aligned}$$

Hence we get

$$\begin{aligned}
(16) \quad I_3 &= (i\eta)^{s-1} \sum_{k=1}^g \sum_{h=0}^{n_k} b_{kh} (i\sqrt{2\pi})^{-h} h! 2\pi(-1)^{m-1} \exp\left(-\frac{it}{2} - \frac{5\pi i}{8} - \frac{i}{4}\rho_k^2 t^{-2r}\right) \\
& \quad \times \sum_{q=0}^{\lceil h/2 \rceil} \sum_{j=0}^{h-2q} \Psi^{(j)}\left(\frac{\eta}{\pi} - 2m - \frac{i}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\rho_k t^{-r}\right) \\
& \quad \times \frac{1}{j!} \left(\frac{i\pi}{2}\right)^q \frac{1}{q!} \left(\sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}}\rho_k t^{-r}\right)^{h-j-2q} \frac{1}{(h-j-2q)!}.
\end{aligned}$$

For simplicity we have considered only the case where  $|e^w-1|>A$  on  $C_2$ . In this case, if we take account of the fact that  $I=I_1+I_2+I_3$ , then we obtain the theorem from (11), (12), (13), (15), and (16). In the remaining case where the path  $C_2$  goes near a pole of  $1/(e^w-1)$ , we have also the same result, by using the technique in Titchmarsh ([3], p. 73). This completes the proof.

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