

# A representation of the Zeta function.

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Let  $T$  be a self-adjoint operator in some Hilbert space  $H$ . Assume that  $(Tu, u) \geq \|u\|^2$  for  $u \in \mathcal{D}(T)$  and  $T^{-1} \in C_q(H)$  for some  $q > 0$ . Note that every eigenvalue of  $T$  is greater than 1.

Define the zeta function  $\zeta_T$  of  $T$  by

$$\zeta_T(s) := \sum_{\lambda \in \text{spec } T \setminus \{0\}} \lambda^{-s}, \quad \text{Re } s > q.$$

We will now deduce the following representation of  $\zeta_T(s)$  which is true for  $\text{Re } s > n$ :

$$\binom{n-1-s}{n-1} \zeta_T(s) = \frac{\sin \pi s}{\pi} \int_1^\infty z^{n-1-s} \text{tr}(z-T)^{-n} dz + \tilde{\zeta}_T(s),$$

where  $\tilde{\zeta}_T(s)$  is entire function.

We introduce the following paths on a complex plane, defined for  $0 < r \leq R \leq \infty$  and  $0 \leq a < \pi$ :

$$L_{r,R,a} := \{te^{ia} : r \leq t \leq R\},$$

$$C_{r,a} := \{re^{i\alpha} : |\alpha| \leq a\}.$$

Let  $\gamma$  be the closed path on a complex plane consisting of four pieces:  $C_{1/2,a}$  passed clockwise,  $C_{R,a}$  counterclockwise and two line segments  $L_{1/2,R,a}$  and  $L_{1/2,R,-a}$ .

Now using Cauchy formula for a function  $\lambda^{-s}$  and the path  $\gamma$  we get

$$\lambda^{-s} = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{z^{-s}}{z-\lambda} dz = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \left( - \int_{L_{1/2,R,a}} - \int_{C_{1/2,a}} + \int_{L_{1/2,R,-a}} + \int_{C_{R,a}} \right) \frac{z^{-s}}{z-\lambda} dz.$$

Denote the integrals  $I_1, I_2, I_3, I_4$  correspondingly. Consider the sum  $I_1 + I_3$

and let  $a$  tend to  $\pi$  then use the definition of a line integral

$$\begin{aligned}
& \lim_{a \rightarrow \pi} (I_1 + I_3) \\
&= - \int_{1/2}^R \frac{(te^{i\pi})^{-s}}{te^{i\pi} - \lambda} e^{i\pi} dt + \int_{1/2}^R \frac{(te^{-i\pi})^{-s}}{te^{-i\pi} - \lambda} e^{-i\pi} dt \\
&= (e^{i\pi s} - e^{-i\pi s}) \int_{1/2}^R \frac{t^{-s}}{t - \lambda} dt \\
&= 2i \sin \pi s \int_{1/2}^R \frac{t^{-s}}{t - \lambda} dt
\end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

Now consider  $I_4$ . Since  $Re^{i\alpha} - \lambda$  for  $-\pi \leq \alpha \leq \pi$  lies on a circle centered at  $-\lambda$  with radius  $R > \lambda > 1$  we get the inequality  $|R - \lambda| \leq |Re^{i\alpha} - \lambda|$ . So we can estimate the integral

$$|I_4| \leq |i \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{(Re^{i\alpha})^{1-s}}{Re^{i\alpha} - \lambda} d\alpha| \leq \left| \frac{2\pi R^{1-s}}{R - \lambda} \right| = \left| \frac{2\pi R^{-s}}{1 - \lambda/R} \right|$$

Since  $Re s > 0$

$$\lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} |I_4| = 0.$$

It remains to calculate the integral  $I_2$ .

$$I_2 = -2\pi i Res_{z=0} \left( \frac{z^{-s}}{z - \lambda} \right) = -2\pi i \frac{1}{(Res - 1)!} \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{d^{Res}}{dz^{Res}} \left( (z)^{Res} \frac{z^{-s}}{z - \lambda} \right) = \text{entire function of } s.$$

Summarize the integrals:

$$\lambda^{-s} = \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \lim_{a \rightarrow \pi} (I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4) = \frac{\sin \pi s}{\pi} \int_{1/2}^{\infty} \frac{t^{-s}}{t - \lambda} dt + \text{entire function.}$$

Since  $\lambda > 1$  there is no singularities between  $1/2$  and  $1$

$$\lambda^{-s} = \frac{\sin \pi s}{\pi} \int_1^{\infty} \frac{t^{-s}}{t - \lambda} dt + \text{entire function}$$

Now use integration by parts  $n - 1$  times for  $n < Re s$

$$\begin{aligned}
\lambda^{-s} &= \frac{\sin \pi s}{s} \int_1^R \frac{t^{-s}}{t-\lambda} dt \\
&= \frac{\sin \pi s}{s} \frac{t^{-s+1}}{-s+1} (t-\lambda)^{-1} \Big|_1^\infty + \frac{\sin \pi s}{s} \int_1^\infty \frac{t^{-s+1}}{-s+1} (t-\lambda)^{-2} dt \\
&= \frac{\sin \pi s}{s(-s+1)} (1-\lambda)^{-1} + \frac{\sin \pi s}{s} \int_1^\infty \frac{t^{-s+1}}{-s+1} (t-\lambda)^{-2} dt \\
&= \frac{\sin \pi s}{s} \int_1^\infty \frac{t^{-s+2}}{(-s+1)(-s+2)} 2(t-\lambda)^{-3} dt + \text{entire function} \\
&\dots \\
&= \frac{\sin \pi s}{s} \int_1^\infty \frac{t^{-s+n-1}}{(-s+1)(-s+2)\dots(-s+n-1)} (n-1)! (t-\lambda)^{-n} dt + \text{ent. f.}
\end{aligned}$$

Finally we get

$$\zeta_T(s) = \frac{\sin \pi s}{s} \frac{(n-1)!}{(-s+1)(-s+2)\dots(-s+n-1)} \int_1^\infty t^{-s+n-1} tr(t-T)^{-n} dt + \text{ent. f.}$$

To obtain the desired representation we denote the entire function by  $\tilde{\zeta}_T(s)$

$$\binom{n-1-s}{n-1} \zeta_T(s) = \frac{\sin \pi s}{\pi} \int_1^\infty z^{n-1-s} tr(z-T)^{-n} dz + \tilde{\zeta}_T(s),$$