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Summation of series (contd.)

1. Sum the series

$$e^\alpha \cos \beta - \frac{1}{3} e^{3\alpha} \cos 3\beta + \frac{1}{5} e^{5\alpha} \cos 5\beta - \dots \text{to } \infty$$

Soln Let the given series be denoted by C.

$$\Rightarrow C = e^\alpha \cos \beta - \frac{1}{3} e^{3\alpha} \cos 3\beta + \frac{1}{5} e^{5\alpha} \cos 5\beta - \dots \text{to } \infty$$

$$\text{Let } S = e^\alpha \sin \beta - \frac{1}{3} e^{3\alpha} \sin 3\beta + \frac{1}{5} e^{5\alpha} \sin 5\beta - \dots \text{to } \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow C + iS = e^\alpha (\cos \beta + i \sin \beta) - \frac{1}{3} e^{3\alpha} (\cos 3\beta + i \sin 3\beta) + \frac{1}{5} e^{5\alpha} (\cos 5\beta + i \sin 5\beta) - \dots \text{to } \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow C + iS = e^{\alpha + i\beta} - \frac{1}{3} e^{3(\alpha + i\beta)} + \frac{1}{5} e^{5(\alpha + i\beta)} - \dots \text{to } \infty$$

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Put $e^{\alpha + i\beta} = x$

$$\Rightarrow C + iS = x - \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^5}{5} - \dots \text{to } \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow C + iS = \tan^{-1} x$$

$$\Rightarrow C + iS = \tan^{-1} \left(e^{\alpha + i\beta} \right) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Replacing i by $-i$, we get

$$C - iS = \tan^{-1} \left(e^{\alpha - i\beta} \right) \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Adding (1) and (2), we get

$$\Rightarrow 2C = \tan^{-1} \left(e^{\alpha + i\beta} \right) + \tan^{-1} \left(e^{\alpha - i\beta} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2C = \tan^{-1} \left[\frac{e^{\alpha + i\beta} + e^{\alpha - i\beta}}{1 - e^{\alpha + i\beta} \cdot e^{\alpha - i\beta}} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow 2C = \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{e^{\alpha} (e^{i\beta} + e^{-i\beta})}{1 - e^{2\alpha}} \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2C = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{e^{\alpha} \cdot 2 \cos \beta}{1 - e^{2\alpha}} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{2 \cos \beta}{\frac{-\alpha}{e} - e^{\alpha}} \right) = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{2 \cos \beta}{2 \sinh \alpha} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2C = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\cos \beta}{\sinh \alpha} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow C = \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\cos \beta}{\sinh \alpha} \right)$$