

# A Brief Solution to the Riemann Hypothesis over the Lagarias Transformation

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Over the paper of Lagarias [1], for a positive integer  $n$ , let  $\sigma(n)$  denote the sum of the positive integers that divide  $n$ . Let  $H_n$  denote the  $n$ th harmonic number by

$$H_n = \sum_{n=1}^n \frac{1}{n}$$

Does the following inequality hold for all  $n \geq 1$  where  $\sigma(n)$  is the sum of divisors function?

$$H_n + \ln(H_n)e^{H_n} \geq \sigma(n)$$

## 1 Definition for the solutions

**Theorem:** First of all, let's define an imaginary function as  $\rho(n)$ , and know that this function is the sum of the elements which are not dividable being the result is an integer in a function as  $nH_n$ ; so according to this definition, it becomes as the following.

$$H_n = \frac{\sigma(n) + \rho(n)}{n}$$

By using the equation,  $H_n + \ln(H_n)e^{H_n} \geq \sigma(n)$  inequality turns into (1).

$$H_n + \ln(H_n)e^{H_n} \geq nH_n - \rho(n) \tag{1}$$

If it is edited, it becomes (2) over (2a).

$$\frac{\ln(H_n)e^{H_n} + \rho(n)}{n-1} \geq H_n \tag{2}$$

$$\ln(H_n)e^{H_n} \geq nH_n - H_n - \rho(n) \tag{2a}$$

**Condition:** Right this point assume, that the actual inequality is not (2) but is (3).

$$\frac{e^{H_n}}{n} \geq H_n \tag{3}$$

On (2), actually the numerator is always bigger than  $e^{H_n}$ , and also if the divisor was  $n-1$ , this would increase the possibility of to be greater than  $H_n$  of the division; so for the worst possibility, let's use this as (3).

Now, let (3) be (4).

$$\sqrt[n]{e} \geq \sqrt[n]{nH_n} \tag{4}$$

For  $e = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n$ , (4) becomes (5).

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n} \geq \sqrt[n]{nH_n}\right) \tag{5}$$

For this, it can be written as (6)

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (n + 1 \geq nk) \tag{6}$$

where  $k = \sqrt[n]{nH_n}$ . For  $n \geq nk - n$  it becomes  $\frac{1}{n} \geq k - 1$ ; so what ever the direction of the inequality, even if both sides were equal to each other,  $k$  would not become a number smaller than 1 since  $n$  is always positive. It is always  $k > 1$ . Here assume, that is (7)

$$n = nk - 1 + b \tag{7}$$

since it is  $n \geq nk - 1$  over (6), where  $b$  is a number being  $b \in \mathbb{R}^+$

and thus being  $b > 0$ ; thus it becomes (8) over (7).

$$n = \frac{b-1}{1-k} \tag{8}$$

Since is  $k > 1$ , then  $b$  must always be smaller number than 1 to be positive of the division; thus it becomes  $1 > b > 0$ ; so  $k$  cannot take random values since  $n$  is positive integer. If it is  $k > 1$ , for the greatest value of  $k$ , it becomes  $\lim_{b \rightarrow 0} k = 2$ . For this value, equality of (7) becomes  $n = 2n - 1$  and thus becomes  $n = 1$ . It means, actually  $k$  decreases as long as  $n$  increased; thus it means it is always (9),

$$1 = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[m]{m} \tag{9}$$

where  $m \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ ; thus also means it is (10),

$$1 = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[n]{nH_n} \tag{10}$$

since is  $H_n \geq 1$  and thus is  $nH_n \geq 1$ .

## 2 Conclusion

By the defined elements, over (6), it becomes (11).

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n + 1 \geq n \tag{11}$$

This is also equivalent of (3) and thus of (12).

$$H_n + \ln(H_n)e^{H_n} \geq \sigma(n) \tag{12}$$

## Acknowledgment

I have been working about some unknown problems for a time [2] that Riemann Hypothesis is included as well, and a short time ago I supposed that I found a solution out to the Riemann Hypothesis; but I noticed that there is a stupid mistake; after that I published a brief approach; for a long time I did not work about it; but today I remembered it and just wanted to work because of boredom, and finally I could bring a simple solution out indirectly in a few hours again after midnight even if it is not so sexy and enlightening about functions. Even so, solution is solution always.

Good bye!

## References

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