

Dedekind Sums

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Abstract

For integers h, k , the Dedekind sum is defined as

$$s(h, k) = \sum_{r=1}^{k-1} \frac{r}{k} \left(\left\{ \frac{hr}{k} \right\} - \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

where $\{x\} = x - [x]$ denotes the fractional part of x .

These sums occur in various contexts in analytic number theory, e.g. in the functional equation of the Dedekind η function or in the study of modular forms.

We give the definition of $s(h, k)$ and prove its basic properties, including the reciprocity law

$$s(h, k) + s(k, h) = \frac{1}{12hk} + \frac{h}{12k} + \frac{k}{12h} - \frac{1}{4}$$

and various congruence results.

Our formalisation follows Chapter 3 of Apostol's *Modular Functions and Dirichlet Series in Number Theory* [1] and contains all facts related to Dedekind sums from it (without the exercises).

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1 Dedekind sums

theory *Dedekind_Sums*

imports

Complex_Main

"HOL-Library.Periodic_Fun"

"HOL-Library.Real_Mod"

"HOL-Number_Theory.Number_Theory"

"Bernoulli.Bernoulli_FPS"

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1.1 Preliminaries

lemma *rcong_of_intI*: " $[a = b] \pmod{m} \implies [of_int\ a = of_int\ b] \pmod{of_int\ m}$ "
<proof>

lemma *rcong_of_int_iff*: " $[of_int\ a = of_int\ b] \pmod{of_int\ m} \iff [a = b] \pmod{m}$ "
<proof>

1.2 Definition and basic properties

definition *dedekind_sum* :: "*int* \Rightarrow *int* \Rightarrow *real*" **where**

"*dedekind_sum* *h k* $\equiv \sum_{r \in \{1..<k\}}$. (*of_int* *r* / *of_int* *k* * (*frac* (*of_int* (*h*r*) / *of_int* *k*) - 1/2))"

definition *dedekind_frac* :: "*real* \Rightarrow *real*" **where**

"*dedekind_frac* *x* = (if $x \in \mathbb{Z}$ then 0 else *frac* *x* - 1 / 2)"

lemma *dedekind_frac_int* [*simp*]: " $x \in \mathbb{Z} \implies \text{dedekind_frac } x = 0$ "
<proof>

notation *dedekind_frac* ("*<_>*")

interpretation *dedekind_frac*: *periodic_fun_simple'* *dedekind_frac*
<proof>

lemma *dedekind_frac_uminus* [*simp*]: " $\langle -x \rangle = -\langle x \rangle$ "
<proof>

lemma *dedekind_frac_one_minus* [*simp*]: " $\langle 1 - x \rangle = -\langle x \rangle$ "
<proof>

lemma *dedekind_frac_rcong*:
 assumes " $[x = x'] \pmod{1}$ "
 shows " $\langle x \rangle = \langle x' \rangle$ "
<proof>

lemma *dedekind_frac_mod*:

"⟨of_int (a mod k) / of_int k⟩ = ⟨of_int a / of_int k⟩"
⟨proof⟩

lemma *sum_dedekind_frac_eq_0*:
"⟨ $\sum_{r \in \{1..<k\}}$ of_int r / of_int k⟩ = 0"
⟨proof⟩

lemma *sum_dedekind_aux*:
assumes "f (0::int) = 0"
shows "⟨ $\sum_{r \in \{0..<k\}}$ f r⟩ = ⟨ $\sum_{r \in \{1..<k\}}$ f r⟩"
⟨proof⟩

lemma *sum_dedekind_frac_eq_0'*:
"⟨ $\sum_{r \in \{0..<k\}}$ of_int r / of_int k⟩ = 0"
⟨proof⟩

lemma *sum_dedekind_frac_mult_eq_0*:
assumes "coprime h k"
shows "⟨ $\sum_{r \in \{1..<k\}}$ of_int (h * r) / of_int k⟩ = 0"
⟨proof⟩

lemma *sum_dedekind_frac_mult_eq_0'*:
assumes "coprime h k"
shows "⟨ $\sum_{r \in \{0..<k\}}$ of_int (h * r) / of_int k⟩ = 0"
⟨proof⟩

lemma *dedekind_sum_altdef*:
assumes "coprime h k"
shows "dedekind_sum h k = ⟨ $\sum_{r \in \{1..<k\}}$ of_int r / of_int k⟩ * ⟨of_int (h*r) / of_int k⟩"
⟨proof⟩

theorem *dedekind_sum_cong*:
assumes "[h' = h] (mod k)"
assumes "coprime h' k \vee coprime h k"
shows "dedekind_sum h' k = dedekind_sum h k"
⟨proof⟩

theorem *dedekind_sum_negate*:
assumes "coprime h k"
shows "dedekind_sum (-h) k = -dedekind_sum h k"
⟨proof⟩

theorem *dedekind_sum_negate_cong*:
assumes "[h' = -h] (mod k)" "coprime h' k \vee coprime h k"
shows "dedekind_sum h' k = -dedekind_sum h k"
⟨proof⟩

theorem dedekind_sum_inverse:
 assumes "[h * h' = 1] (mod k)"
 shows "dedekind_sum h k = dedekind_sum h' k"
 <proof>

theorem dedekind_sum_inverse':
 assumes "[h * h' = -1] (mod k)"
 shows "dedekind_sum h k = -dedekind_sum h' k"
 <proof>

theorem dedekind_sum_eq_zero:
 assumes "[h² + 1 = 0] (mod k)"
 shows "dedekind_sum h k = 0"
 <proof>

1.3 The Reciprocity Law

theorem sum_of_powers':
 " $(\sum_{k < n :: nat. (real\ k)^m} = (bernpoly\ (Suc\ m)\ n - bernpoly\ (Suc\ m)\ 0) / (m + 1)$ "
 <proof>

theorem sum_of_powers'_int:
 assumes "n ≥ 0"
 shows " $(\sum_{k=0..<n::int. real_of_int\ k^m} = (bernpoly\ (Suc\ m)\ n - bernpoly\ (Suc\ m)\ 0) / (m + 1)$ "
 <proof>

theorem sum_of_powers'_int_from_1:
 assumes "n ≥ 0" "m > 0"
 shows " $(\sum_{k=1..<n::int. real_of_int\ k^m} = (bernpoly\ (Suc\ m)\ n - bernpoly\ (Suc\ m)\ 0) / (m + 1)$ "
 <proof>

theorem dedekind_sum_reciprocity:
 assumes "h > 0" and "k > 0" and "coprime h k"
 shows " $12 * h * k * dedekind_sum\ h\ k + 12 * k * h * dedekind_sum\ k\ h = h^2 + k^2 - 3 * h * k + 1$ "
 <proof>

theorem dedekind_sum_reciprocity':
 assumes "h > 0" and "k > 0" and "coprime h k"
 shows " $dedekind_sum\ h\ k = -dedekind_sum\ k\ h + h / k / 12 + k / h / 12 - 1 / 4 + 1 / (12 * h * k)$ "
 <proof>

1.4 Congruence Properties

definition `dedekind_sum'` :: "int \Rightarrow int \Rightarrow int" where

"`dedekind_sum' h k = $\lfloor 6 * \text{real_of_int } k * \text{dedekind_sum } h k \rfloor$ "`

lemma `dedekind_sum'_cong`:

"`[h = h'] (mod k) \implies coprime h k \vee coprime h' k \implies dedekind_sum' h k = dedekind_sum' h' k`"
 $\langle \text{proof} \rangle$

lemma

assumes "k > 0"

shows `of_int_dedekind_sum'`:

"`real_of_int (dedekind_sum' h k) = 6 * real_of_int k * dedekind_sum h k`"

and `dedekind_sum'_altdef`:

"`dedekind_sum' h k = h * (k - 1) * (2 * k - 1) - 6 * ($\sum_{r=1..<k. r * \lfloor \text{of_int } (h * r) / k \rfloor$) - 3 * (k * (k - 1) div 2)`"

and `dedekind_sum'_cong_3`: "`[dedekind_sum' h k = h * (k - 1) * (2 * k - 1)] (mod 3)`"

$\langle \text{proof} \rangle$

lemma `three_dvd_dedekind_sum'_iff_aux`:

fixes h k :: int

defines " $\vartheta \equiv \text{gcd } 3 k$ "

assumes "k > 0" "coprime h k"

shows "`3 dvd (2 * dedekind_sum' h k) \longleftrightarrow \neg 3 dvd k`"

$\langle \text{proof} \rangle$

lemma `dedekind_sum'_reciprocity`:

fixes h k :: int

assumes "h > 0" "k > 0" "coprime h k"

shows "`2 * h * dedekind_sum' h k = -2 * k * dedekind_sum' k h + h2 + k2 - 3 * h * k + 1`"

$\langle \text{proof} \rangle$

lemma `cong_dedekind_sum'_1`:

fixes h k :: int

defines " $\vartheta \equiv \text{gcd } 3 k$ "

assumes "h > 0" "coprime h k"

shows "`[2 * k * dedekind_sum' k h = 0] (mod $\vartheta * k$)`"

$\langle \text{proof} \rangle$

lemma `cong_dedekind_sum'_2_aux`:

fixes h k :: int

defines " $\vartheta \equiv \text{gcd } 3 k$ "

assumes "h > 0" "k > 0" "coprime h k"

shows "[2 * h * dedekind_sum' h k = h² + 1] (mod ϑ * k)"
 <proof>

lemma dedekind_sum'_negate:
 assumes "k > 0" "coprime h k"
 shows "dedekind_sum' (-h) k = -dedekind_sum' h k"
 <proof>

lemma cong_dedekind_sum'_2:
 fixes h k :: int
 defines " $\vartheta \equiv \text{gcd } 3 \text{ k}$ "
 assumes "k > 0" "coprime h k"
 shows "[2 * h * dedekind_sum' h k = h² + 1] (mod ϑ * k)"
 <proof>

theorem dedekind_sum'_cong_8:
 assumes "k > 0" "coprime h k"
 shows "[2 * dedekind_sum' h k =
 (k-1)*(k+2) - 4*h*(k-1) + 4*($\sum_{r \in \{1..<(k+1) \text{ div } 2\}} [2*h*r/k]$)]
 (mod 8)"
 <proof>

theorem dedekind_sum'_cong_8_odd:
 assumes "k > 0" "coprime h k" "odd k"
 shows "[2 * dedekind_sum' h k =
 k - 1 + 4*($\sum_{r \in \{1..<(k+1) \text{ div } 2\}} [2*h*r/k]$)] (mod 8)"
 <proof>

lemma dedekind_sum'_cong_power_of_two:
 fixes h k k1 :: int and n :: nat
 assumes "h > 0" "k1 > 0" "odd k1" "n > 0" "k = 2 ^ n * k1" "coprime
 h k"
 shows "[2 * h * dedekind_sum' h k =
 h² + k² + 1 + 5 * k - 4 * k * ($\sum_{v=1..<(h+1) \text{ div } 2} [\text{of_int}$
 (2 * k * v) / h])]
 (mod 2 ^ (n + 3))"
 <proof>

lemma dedekind_sum'_cong_power_of_two':
 fixes h k k1 :: int
 assumes "h > 0" "k > 0" "even k" "coprime h k"
 shows "[2 * h * dedekind_sum' h k =
 h² + k² + 1 + 5 * k - 4 * k * ($\sum_{v=1..<(h+1) \text{ div } 2} [\text{of_int}$
 (2 * k * v) / h])]
 (mod 2 ^ (multiplicity 2 k + 3))"

<proof>

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lemma dedekind_sum_diff_even_int_aux:
  fixes a b c d :: int assumes det: "a * d - b * c = 1"
  fixes q c1 r δ' :: int and δ :: real
  assumes a: "a > 0"
  assumes q: "q ∈ {3, 5, 7, 13}" and "c1 > 0"
  assumes c: "c = q * c1"
  defines "r ≡ 24 div (q - 1)"
  defines "δ' ≡ (2 * dedekind_sum' a c - (a + d)) - (2 * q * dedekind_sum'
a c1 - (a + d) * q)"
  defines "δ ≡ (dedekind_sum a c - (a+d)/(12*c)) - (dedekind_sum a c1
- (a+d)/(12*c1))"
  shows "of_int δ' = 12 * c * δ" and "24 * c dvd r * δ'"
<proof>
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theorem dedekind_sum_diff_even_int:
  fixes a b c d :: int assumes det: "a * d - b * c = 1"
  fixes q c1 r :: int and δ' :: "int ⇒ int" and δ :: "int ⇒ real"
  assumes q: "q ∈ {3, 5, 7, 13}" and "c1 > 0"
  assumes c: "c = q * c1"
  defines "r ≡ 24 div (q - 1)"
  defines "δ' ≡ (λa. 2 * dedekind_sum' a c - (a + d) - (2 * q * dedekind_sum'
a c1 - (a + d) * q))"
  defines "δ ≡ (λa. dedekind_sum a c - (a+d)/(12*c) - (dedekind_sum a
c1 - (a+d)/(12*c1)))"
  shows "of_int (δ' a) = 12 * c * δ a"
  and "24 * c dvd r * δ' a"
  and "real_of_int r * δ a / 2 ∈ ℤ"
<proof>
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no_notation dedekind_frac ("⟨_⟩")
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end

References

- [1] T. M. Apostol. *Modular Functions and Dirichlet Series in Number Theory*. Graduate Texts in Mathematics. Springer, 1990.