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# Computation of Tangent, Euler, and Bernoulli Numbers\*

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**Abstract.** Some elementary methods are described which may be used to calculate tangent numbers, Euler numbers, and Bernoulli numbers much more easily and rapidly on electronic computers than the traditional recurrence relations which have been used for over a century. These methods have been used to prepare an accompanying table which extends the existing tables of these numbers. Some theorems about the periodicity of the tangent numbers, which were suggested by the tables, are also proved.

**1. Introduction.** The tangent numbers  $T_n$ , Euler numbers  $E_n$ , and Bernoulli numbers  $B_n$ , are defined to be the coefficients in the following power series:

$$(1) \quad \tan z = T_0/0! + T_1z/1! + T_2z^2/2! + \dots = \sum_{n \geq 0} T_n z^n / n!,$$

$$(2) \quad \sec z = E_0/0! + E_1z/1! + E_2z^2/2! + \dots = \sum_{n \geq 0} E_n z^n / n!,$$

$$(3) \quad z/(e^z - 1) = B_0/0! + B_1z/1! + B_2z^2/2! + \dots = \sum_{n \geq 0} B_n z^n / n!.$$

Much of the older mathematical literature uses a slightly different notation for these numbers, to take account of the zero coefficients. Thus we find many papers where  $\tan z$  is written  $T_1z + T_2z^3/3! + T_3z^5/5! + \dots$ ,  $\sec z$  is written  $E_0 + E_1z^2/2! + E_2z^4/4! + \dots$ , and  $z/(e^z - 1)$  is written  $1 - z/2 + B_1z^2/2! - B_2z^4/4! + B_3z^6/6! \dots$ . Some other authors have used essentially the notation defined above but with different signs; in particular our  $E_{2n}$  is often accompanied by the sign  $(-1)^n$ .

In Section 2 we present simple methods for computing  $T_n$ ,  $E_n$ , and  $B_n$  which are readily adapted to electronic computers, and in Section 3 more details of the computer program are explained. A table of  $T_n$  and  $E_n$  for  $n \leq 120$ , and  $B_n$  for  $n \leq 250$ , is appended to this paper, thereby extending the hitherto published values of  $T_n$  for  $n \leq 60$  [6],  $E_n$  for  $n \leq 100$  [2, 3], and  $B_n$  for  $n \leq 220$  [7, 4].

Using the methods of this paper it is not difficult to extend the tables much further, and the authors have submitted a copy of the values of  $T_n$  ( $n \leq 835$ ),  $E_n$  ( $n \leq 808$ ),  $B_n$  ( $n \leq 836$ ) to the Unpublished Mathematical Tables repository of this journal.

Section 4 shows how the formulas of Section 2 lead to some simple proofs of arithmetical properties of these numbers.

**2. Formulas for Computation.** The traditional method of calculating  $T_n$  and  $E_n$  is to use recurrence relations, such as the following: Let  $\cos z = \sum_{n \geq 0} C_n z^n / n!$ ;

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then the coefficient of  $z^n/n!$  in  $(\tan z)(\cos z)$  is

$$\sum_k \binom{n}{k} T_k C_{n-k}$$

and in  $(\sec z)(\cos z)$  it is

$$\sum_k \binom{n}{k} E_k C_{n-k}.$$

Hence, making use of the fact that  $T_{2n} = E_{2n+1} = 0$ , we have the recurrence relations

$$(4) \quad \binom{2n+1}{1} T_1 - \binom{2n+1}{3} T_3 + \dots + (-1)^n \binom{2n+1}{2n+1} T_{2n+1} = 1, \quad n \geq 0;$$

$$(5) \quad \binom{2n}{0} E_0 - \binom{2n}{2} E_2 + \dots + (-1)^n \binom{2n}{2n} E_{2n} = 0, \quad n > 0.$$

The disadvantage of these formulas is that the binomial coefficients as well as the numbers  $T_n, E_n$  become very large when  $n$  is large, so a time-consuming multiplication of multiple-precision numbers is implied. As Lehmer [4] has observed, we may simplify the calculations if we remember the values of

$$\binom{2n+1}{k} T_k, \quad \binom{2n}{k} E_k$$

so that when  $n$  increases by 1 we need only multiply

$$\binom{2n+1}{k} T_k$$

by

$$\frac{(2n+2)(2n+3)}{(2n+2-k)(2n+3-k)}$$

to get the next value; but the method to be described here is even simpler and has other advantages.

The tangent numbers may be evaluated by noting that  $D(\tan^n z)$  is  $n \tan^{n-1} z (1 + \tan^2 z)$ ; hence the  $n$ th derivative of  $\tan z$  is a polynomial in  $\tan z$ . We have  $D^n(\tan z) = P_n(\tan z)$ , where the polynomials  $P_n(x)$  are defined by

$$(6) \quad P_1(x) = x, \quad P_{n+1}(x) = (1+x^2)P_n'(x).$$

Thus if we write

$$D^n(\tan z) = T_{n0} + T_{n1} \tan z + T_{n2} \tan^2 z + \dots$$

the coefficients  $T_{nk}$  satisfy the recurrence equation

$$(7) \quad T_{0k} = \delta_{1k}; \quad T_{n+1,k} = (k-1)T_{n,k-1} + (k+1)T_{n,k+1}.$$

Since  $T_n = D^n(\tan z)|_{z=0} = T_{n0}$ , and since  $T_{nk}$  is zero except for at most  $(n+3)/2$  values of  $k$ , formula (7) shows that the calculation of all  $T_{n+1,k}$  from the values of  $T_{n,k}$  essentially requires only  $(n+2)/2$  multiplications of a small number  $k$  by a

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large number  $T_{n,k}$  and  $n/2$  additions of large numbers. Since we are interested only in  $T_{n0}$  for odd values of  $n$ , we might try to use the relation

$$T_{n+2,k} = (k-2)(k-1)T_{n,k-2} + 2k^2T_{n,k} + (k+1)(k+2)T_{n,k+2}$$

but a count of the operations involved shows this provides little if any improvement over (7), and so the simpler form (7) is preferable.

Similarly, we have  $D(\sec z \tan^n z) = \sec z (n \tan^{n-1} z + (n+1)\tan^{n+1} z)$ , hence if we write

$$(8) \quad D^n(\sec z) = (\sec z)(E_{n0} + E_{n1} \tan z + E_{n2} \tan^2 z + \dots)$$

we have the recurrence

$$(9) \quad E_{0k} = \delta_{0k}; \quad E_{n+1,k} = kE_{n,k-1} + (k+1)E_{n,k+1}.$$

Since  $E_n = E_{n0}$ , this relation yields an efficient method for calculating the Euler numbers. A somewhat similar recurrence relation was used by Joffe [3] to calculate Euler numbers; his method requires essentially the same amount of computation, but as explained in the next section there is a way to modify (9) to obtain a considerable advantage.

The identities  $\tan(\pi/4 + z/2) = \tan z + \sec z$  and  $D^n(\tan(\pi/4 + z/2)) = 2^{-n}P_n(\tan(\pi/4 + z/2))$  imply that the sums of the numbers  $T_{nk}$  have a very simple form:

$$(10) \quad 2^{-n}P_n(1) = 2^{-n} \sum_{k \geq 0} T_{nk} = \begin{cases} E_n, & n \text{ even,} \\ T_n, & n \text{ odd.} \end{cases}$$

This relation can be used to advantage when both  $E_n$  and  $T_n$  are being calculated.

The definition of  $\tan z$  implies

$$\begin{aligned} \tan z &= \frac{\sin z}{\cos z} = \frac{(e^{iz} - e^{-iz})}{i(e^{iz} + e^{-iz})} = \frac{1}{z} \left( \frac{2iz}{e^{2iz} + 1} - iz \right) = \frac{1}{z} \left( \frac{2iz}{e^{2iz} - 1} - \frac{4iz}{e^{4iz} - 1} - iz \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{z} \left( -iz + \sum_{n \geq 0} ((2iz)^n - (4iz)^n) B_n/n! \right); \end{aligned}$$

and by equating coefficients we obtain the well-known identity

$$(11) \quad B_n = -i^{-n} n T_{n-1} / 2^n (2^n - 1), \quad n > 1.$$

Hence, the Bernoulli numbers may be obtained from the tangent numbers by a calculation which (on a binary computer) is especially simple.

The celebrated von Staudt-Clausen theorem [8, 1] states that

$$(12) \quad B_{2n} = C_{2n} - \sum_{p \text{ prime}; (p-1) \mid 2n} \frac{1}{p}$$

where  $C_{2n}$  is an integer. The table appended to this paper expresses  $B_n$  in this form, and, as shown below, the calculation of (11) may be carried out without any multiple-precision division.

**3. Details of the Computation.** By the recurrence (7) we may discard the value of  $T_{n,k}$  once  $T_{n+1,k+1}$  has been calculated, so only about  $n$  of the values  $T_{n,k}$  need

to be retained in the computer memory at any one time. A further technique can be employed when the memory size has been exceeded; for example, suppose we start with the computation of  $T_{nk}$  for  $n \leq 4$ :

	$k = 0$	$k = 1$	$k = 2$	$k = 3$	$k = 4$	$k = 5$
$n = 0$	0	1				
$n = 1$	1	0	1			
$n = 2$	0	2	0	2		
$n = 3$	2	0	8	0	6	
$n = 4$	0	16	0	40	0	24

and suppose that very little memory space is available, so that we cannot completely evaluate all of the entries for  $n = 5$ ; we might obtain

$n = 5$	16	0	136	0	240	0	*
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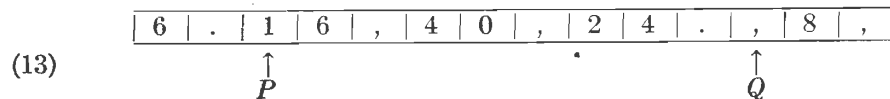
where "\*" denotes an unknown value. The calculation may still proceed, keeping track of unknown values:

$n = 6$	0	272	0	1232	0	*
$n = 7$	272	0	3968	0	*	
$n = 8$	0	7936	0	*		
$n = 9$	7936	0	*			etc.

In this way we may compute the values of about twice as many tangent numbers as were produced before overflow occurred, avoiding much of the calculation of the  $T_{n,k}$ .

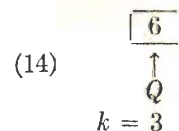
Since the numbers  $T_n$  become very large ( $T_{335}$  has 1866 digits, and  $T_n$  is asymptotically  $2^{n+2}n!/\pi^{n+1}$  when  $n$  is odd), care needs to be taken for storage allocation of the numbers  $T_{n,k}$  if we are to make efficient use of memory space. The program we prepared makes use of two rather small areas of memory (say  $A$  and  $B$ ) each of which is capable of holding any one of the numbers  $T_{n,k}$ , plus a large number of consecutive locations used for all the remaining values. By sweeping cyclically through this large memory area, it is possible to store and retrieve the values in a simple manner.

For the sake of illustration let us suppose the word size of our computer is very small, so that only one decimal digit may be stored per word; and suppose there are just 14 words of memory used for the table of  $T_{n,k}$ . After the calculation of the values for  $n = 4$ , the memory might have the following configuration:

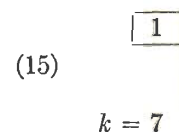


Here  $P$  and  $Q$  represent variables in the program that point to the current places of interest in the memory;  $P$  points to the number that will be accessed next, and  $Q$  points to the place where the next value is to be written. Only locations from  $P$  to  $Q$  contain information that will be used subsequently by the program. The symbols "." and "," represent special negative codes in the table which delimit the numbers in an obvious fashion. As we begin the calculation for  $n = 5$ , we set area  $A$  to zero and a variable  $k$  to 1. The basic cycle is then:

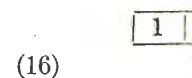
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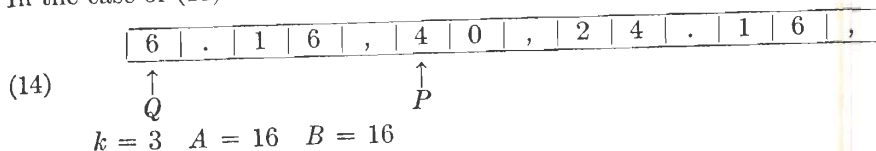
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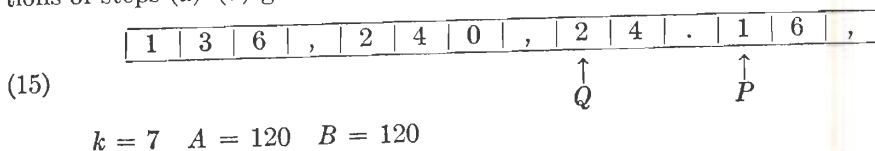
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- (a) Set area  $B$  to  $k$  times the next value indicated by  $P$ , and move  $P$  to the right.
- (b) Store the value of  $A + B$  into the locations indicated by  $Q$ , and move  $Q$  to the right.
- (c) Transfer the contents of  $B$  to area  $A$ .
- (d) Increase  $k$  by 2.

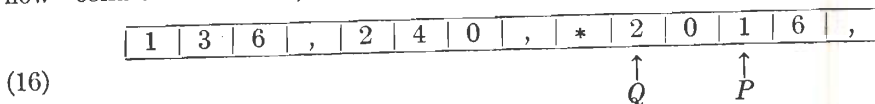
In the case of (13) we would change the memory configuration to



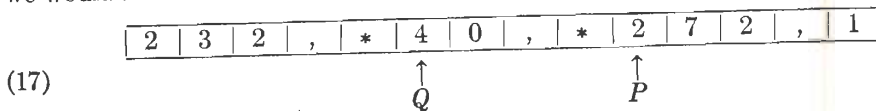
Notice that the value 16 has been stored, the pointer  $Q$  has moved to the right and (treating the memory as a circular store) then to the far left. The next two iterations of steps (a)-(d) give



Now since the terminating "." was sensed, the program attempts to store the value from area  $A$ ; but since this would make pointer  $Q$  pass  $P$ , the "memory overflow" condition is sensed, and the memory configuration becomes

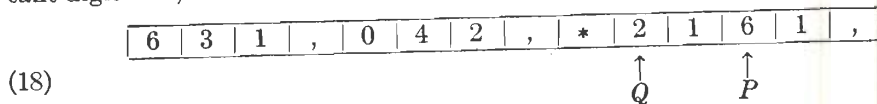


where "\*" is another internal code symbol. The computation for  $n = 6$  is similar but it uses a different initialization since  $n$  is even; after  $n = 6$  has been processed we would have



and so on.

The above discussion has been slightly simplified for purposes of exposition. In the actual program, it is preferable to keep the numbers stored with least significant digit first, so that for example (16), would really be



in order to simplify the multiple-precision operations. A few other changes in the sequence of operations were made in order to use memory a little more efficiently (for example the value  $T_{n0}$  need never be retained).

A similar method may be used for  $E_n$ . This arrangement of the computation gives a substantial advantage over Joffe's method [3] because of the "\*", and it

also has advantages over (10) for the same reason.

It remains to consider the calculation of the Bernoulli number  $B_{2n}$  from  $T_{2n-1}$ . Consider formula (12); if  $p$  is an odd prime,  $2^{p-1} \equiv 1$  (modulo  $p$ ), hence if  $(p - 1) \nmid 2n$ , then  $2^{2n} - 1$  is divisible by  $p$ . So we first compute the integer

$$(19) \quad N = (-1)^{n-1} 2n T_{2n-1} + \sum_{p \text{ prime: } (p-1) \nmid 2n} \frac{(2n)(2^{2n})(2^{2n} - 1)}{p}$$

by referring to an auxiliary table of primes that may be calculated at the beginning of the program. Then it is merely a question of computing

$$(20) \quad C_{2n} = N/2^{2n}(2^{2n} - 1) = N/2^{4n} + N/2^{6n} + N/2^{8n} + \dots$$

The calculation of  $N/2^k$  is of course merely a "shift right" operation in a binary computer, so all the terms of the infinite series on the right side of (20) are readily computed. This series converges very rapidly, and we know  $C_{2n}$  is an integer, so we need only carry out the calculation indicated in (20) until it converges one word-size (35 bits) to the right of the decimal point. It is simple to check at the same time that  $C_{2n}$  is indeed very close to an integer, in order to verify the computations.

**4. Periodicity of the Sequences.** Examination of the tables produced by the computer program shows that the unit's digits of the nonzero tangent numbers repeat endlessly in the pattern 2, 6, 2, 6, 2, 6, starting with  $T_3$ ; furthermore the two least significant digits ultimately form a repeating period of length 10: 16, 72, 36, 92, 56, 12, 76, 32, 96, 52, 16, 72, . . . . The three least significant digits have a period of length 50, and for four digits the period-length is 250. These empirical observations suggest that theoretical investigation of period-length might prove fruitful.

**THEOREM 1.** Let  $p$  be an odd prime, and let  $\lambda$  be the period-length of the sequence  $\langle T_n \pmod p \rangle$ . Then

$$(21) \quad \lambda = \begin{cases} p - 1, & p \equiv 1 \pmod 4 \\ 2(p - 1), & p \equiv 3 \pmod 4 \end{cases}$$

and

$$(22) \quad T_{n+\lambda} \equiv T_n \pmod p \quad \text{for all } n \geq 0.$$

*Proof.* It is clear from the recurrence relation (7) that the sequence  $\langle T_n \pmod p \rangle$  is determined by the recurrence equation

$$(23) \quad y_{n+1} = Ay_n$$

where the vector  $y_n$  and the matrix  $A$  are defined by

$$(24) \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & & & & \\ 1 & 0 & 3 & & & \\ & 2 & 0 & 4 & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & 0 & \\ & & & & & p-1 \\ & & & & p-2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad y_n = \begin{bmatrix} T_{n,1} \\ T_{n,2} \\ \vdots \\ T_{n,p-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

For  $T_{n,k}$  can contribute nothing to any subsequent value of  $T_n$  when  $k \geq p$ . We will show below that the minimum polynomial equation satisfied by  $A$  is

$$(25) \quad A^{p-1} - (-1)^{(p-1)/2} I \equiv 0 \pmod{p};$$

hence (22) is valid for the value of  $\lambda$  given by (21). It remains to show that  $\lambda$  is the true period-length of the sequence, not merely a multiple of the period.

Accordingly, suppose  $T_{n+\lambda'} \equiv T_n \pmod{p}$  for some positive  $\lambda' \leq \lambda$  and all large  $n$ . In view of (22) this congruence must hold for all  $n \geq 0$ . Let  $y = y_{\lambda'} - y_0$ ; then  $p(A^n y) \equiv 0$  for all  $n \geq 0$  where  $p$  denotes the projection onto the first component of the vector  $A^n y$ . But this implies  $n! \alpha_n \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$  for all components  $\alpha_n$  of  $y$ , hence  $y \equiv 0$ , i.e.,  $y_0 \equiv y_{\lambda'} = A^{\lambda'} y_0$ . It follows that  $y_n \equiv A^{\lambda'} y_n$  for all  $n \geq 0$ , and since the vectors  $y_0, \dots, y_{p-2}$  are obviously linearly independent we must have  $A^{\lambda'} \equiv I \pmod{p}$ . Therefore,  $\lambda'$  is  $\geq \lambda$ , and the proof is complete.

It remains to verify (25), which seems to be a nontrivial identity. Clearly, the minimum polynomial of  $A$  must be of degree  $p-1$ , since  $y_0, \dots, y_{p-2}$  are linearly independent; therefore, it suffices to calculate the characteristic polynomial of  $A$ . Let

$$(26) \quad D_n = \det \begin{bmatrix} x & -(n-1) & & & & & & \\ -n & x & & & & & & \\ & & -(n-2) & & & & & \\ & & & \ddots & & & & \\ & & & & -(n-1) & & & \\ & & & & & \ddots & & \\ & & & & & & x & -1 \\ & & & & & & -2 & x \end{bmatrix};$$

then  $D_n = xD_{n-1} - (n-1)nD_{n-2}$  so we have

$$\begin{aligned} D_1 &= x, \\ D_2 &= x^2 - 1 \cdot 2, \\ D_3 &= x^3 - (1 \cdot 2 + 2 \cdot 3)x, \\ D_4 &= x^4 - (1 \cdot 2 + 2 \cdot 3 + 3 \cdot 4)x^2 + 1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 4, \\ D_5 &= x^5 - (1 \cdot 2 + 2 \cdot 3 + 3 \cdot 4 + 4 \cdot 5)x^3 + (1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 4 + 1 \cdot 2 \cdot 4 \cdot 5 + 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 4 \cdot 5)x, \end{aligned}$$

and in general

$$(27) \quad D_n = x^n - s_{n1}x^{n-2} + s_{n2}x^{n-4} - s_{n3}x^{n-6} + \dots,$$

where

$$(28) \quad s_{nk} = \sum a_1(a_1+1)a_2(a_2+1)\dots a_k(a_k+1)$$

is summed over all values  $1 \leq a_1 \ll a_2 \ll \dots \ll a_k < n$ . (Here  $u \ll v$ , for integers  $u, v$ , denotes  $v \geq u + 2$ .) Thus,  $s_{nk}$  is the sum of all products of  $k$  of the pairs  $1 \cdot 2, 2 \cdot 3, \dots, (n-1) \cdot n$  with no "overlapping" pairs allowed in the same term.

To evaluate  $s_{(p-1)k} \pmod{p}$ , it is convenient to allow also the pairs  $(p-1) \cdot p$  and  $p \cdot 1$ , since these contribute nothing to the sum. Thus for example,

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(modulo 7). Let us say two terms  $a_1(a_1 + 1) \cdots a_k(a_k + 1)$  and  $a'_1(a'_1 + 1) \cdots a'_k(a'_k + 1)$  are "equivalent" if, for some  $r$  and  $t$  and for all  $j$ ,  $a_j \equiv a'_j \pmod{p} + t$ ; thus, in the above example the terms  $1 \cdot 2 \cdot 4 \cdot 5$ ,  $2 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdot 6$ ,  $3 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \cdot 7$ ,  $4 \cdot 5 \cdot 7 \cdot 1$ ,  $5 \cdot 6 \cdot 1 \cdot 2$ ,  $6 \cdot 7 \cdot 2 \cdot 3$ ,  $7 \cdot 1 \cdot 3 \cdot 4$  are mutually equivalent. It is impossible for a term to be equivalent to itself when  $0 < t < p$ , since this would imply  $a_1 + \cdots + a_k \equiv a_1 + \cdots + a_k + kt$ , and  $t \equiv 0$ . Therefore, each equivalence class has precisely  $p$  terms in it. When  $k < (p - 1)/2$  the sum over an equivalence class has the form

$$\sum_{0 \leq t < p} (a_1 + t)(a_1 + t + 1) \cdots (a_k + t)(a_k + t + 1)$$

where the summand is a polynomial of degree  $\leq p - 2$  in  $t$ . Any such summation may be expressed modulo  $p$  as a sum of terms of the form

$$c \sum_{0 \leq t < p} \binom{t}{j} = c \binom{p}{j + 1} \equiv 0, \text{ since } 0 \leq j < p - 1,$$

so  $s_{kp} \equiv 0$ . It follows that

$$(29) \quad D_{p-1} \equiv x^{p-1} + (-1)^{(p-1)/2}(p - 1)! \pmod{p}$$

and an application of Wilson's theorem completes the proof of (25).

THEOREM 2. Let  $p$  be an odd prime, and let  $\lambda$  be the period-length of the sequence  $\langle E_n \pmod{p} \rangle$ . Then

$$(30) \quad \lambda = \begin{cases} p - 1, & p \equiv 1 \pmod{4} \\ 2(p - 1), & p \equiv 3 \pmod{4} \end{cases}$$

and

$$(31) \quad E_{n+\lambda} \equiv E_n \pmod{p} \text{ for all } n \geq 1.$$

Proof. Make the following changes in the proof of Theorem 1:

$$(32) \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & & & \\ 1 & 0 & 2 & & \\ & 2 & 0 & 3 & \\ & & 3 & & \ddots \\ & & & & p-1 & \\ & & & & & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad y_n = \begin{bmatrix} E_{n,0} \\ E_{n,1} \\ \vdots \\ E_{n,p-1} \end{bmatrix}.$$

Then the minimum polynomial equation satisfied by  $A$  is

$$(33) \quad A^p - (-1)^{(p-1)/2}A \equiv 0 \pmod{p}.$$

The proof is a straightforward modification of the proof of Theorem 1.

The congruences (22) and (31) were obtained long ago by Kummer (see for example [5, p. 270]), but it was not shown that the true period-length could not be a proper divisor of the number  $\lambda$  given by (21), (30). More general congruences given

by Kummer make it p  
THEOREM 3. Let p l

$$(34) \quad 1$$

$$(35) \quad 1$$

Proof. Assume n ≥

$$(36) \quad u$$

Kummer's congruence

$$(37) \quad \Delta^k u_m$$

where  $\Delta^k u_m$  denotes

$$u_{m+k} - \{$$

We will prove that (37)

$$(38) \quad u_{m+p^{r-1}}$$

and this will establish

Assume Eq. (37) is integers  $u_0, u_1, \dots$ ; then necessarily when  $k = 0$ . for fixed  $m$  also satisfies

Let  $E$  be the operator (modulo  $p^k$ ), and our  $(E^p - 1)^k(u_m/p) \equiv 0$   $f(E) = E^{p-2} + 2E^{p-3} - \dots - (E - 1)(p + f(E)(E -$

$$(E^p -$$

and each term in the s proved in fact that (E complete the proof of t

Note that Eqs. (34) sequence mod  $p^k$  when  $k = 2, 3, 4$ , the tangent do modulo 3.

The tangent number is 1 for all  $r$ . Eq. (35) (37) holds for  $u_m = E_n$  to show that for any n and the period-length c



by Kummer make it possible to establish further results about the period-length:

THEOREM 3. Let  $p$  be an odd prime, and let  $\lambda$  be given by (30). Then

$$(34) \quad T_{n+\lambda p^{k-1}} \equiv T_n \pmod{p^k}, \quad n \geq k,$$

$$(35) \quad E_{n+\lambda p^{k-1}} \equiv E_n \pmod{p^k}, \quad n \geq k.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $n \geq k$  and define the sequence  $\langle u_m \rangle$  by the rule

$$(36) \quad u_m = (-1)^{(p-1)m/2} T_{n+(p-1)m}, \quad m \geq 0.$$

Kummer's congruence for the tangent numbers may be written

$$(37) \quad \Delta^k u_m \equiv 0 \pmod{p^k}, \quad m \geq 0, \quad k \geq 1,$$

where  $\Delta^k u_m$  denotes

$$u_{m+k} - \binom{k}{1} u_{m+k-1} + \binom{k}{2} u_{m+k-2} - \cdots + (-1)^k u_m.$$

We will prove that (37) implies

$$(38) \quad u_{m+pr-1} \equiv u_m \pmod{p^r}, \quad m \geq 0, \quad r \geq 1,$$

and this will establish (34). Eq. (35) follows in the same way if we let

$$u_m = (-1)^{(p-1)m/2} E_{n+(p-1)m}.$$

Assume Eq. (37) is valid for some sequence of real numbers (not necessarily integers)  $u_0, u_1, \dots$ ; thus,  $\Delta^k u_m$  is an integer multiple of  $p^k$  when  $k \geq 1$ , but not necessarily when  $k = 0$ . We will prove that the sequence  $u_m/p, u_{m+p}/p, u_{m+2p}/p, \dots$ , for fixed  $m$  also satisfies Eq. (37), and this suffices to prove (38) by induction on  $r$ .

Let  $E$  be the operator  $E u_m = u_{m+1}$ . Eq. (37) may be written  $(E - 1)^k u_m \equiv 0 \pmod{p^k}$ , and our goal as stated in the preceding paragraph is to show that  $(E^p - 1)^k (u_m/p) \equiv 0 \pmod{p^k}$ , i.e.  $(E^p - 1)^k u_m \equiv 0 \pmod{p^{k+1}}$ . Let  $f(E) = E^{p-2} + 2E^{p-3} + \cdots + (p-2)E + (p-1)$ ; then  $E^p - 1 = (E - 1)(p + f(E)(E - 1))$ , hence

$$(E^p - 1)^k u_m = \sum_{0 \leq j \leq k} \binom{k}{j} p^j (E - 1)^{2k-j} f(E)^{k-j} u_m$$

and each term in the sum on the right is an integer multiple of  $p^{2k}$ . Hence, we have proved in fact that  $(E^p - 1)^k u_m \equiv 0 \pmod{p^{2k}}$ , which is more than enough to complete the proof of the theorem.

Note that Eqs. (34), (35) do not necessarily give the true period-length of the sequence mod  $p^k$  when  $k > 1$ ; although (34) is "best possible" when  $p = 5$  and  $k = 2, 3, 4$ , the tangent numbers have the same period-length modulo 9 as they do modulo 3.

The tangent number  $T_{2n+1}$  is divisible by  $2^n$ , so the period length of  $T_n$  mod  $2^r$  is 1 for all  $r$ . Eq. (35) is valid for  $\lambda = 2$  when  $p = 2$ , since Kummer's congruence (37) holds for  $u_m = E_{n+2m}$ . In particular, we may combine the results proved above to show that for any modulus  $m$  the sequences  $T_n$  mod  $m$ ,  $E_n$  mod  $m$  are periodic, and the period-length divides  $2\phi(m)$ .

TABLE 1. The first 60 nonzero tangent numbers

$n$	$T_n$
1	1.
3	2.
5	16.
7	272.
9	7936.
11	353792.
13	22368256.
15	1903757312.
17	20
19	2908
21	495149
23	101542388
25	2
27	702
29	231191
31	87139627
33	3
35	1798
37	970982
39	583203324
41	38
43	28372
45	22768137
47	1
49	1901
51	1965356
53	2195234391
55	264
57	341838
59	474090194
61	70
63	111325
69	63905
71	128843416
73	27
75	61734
	9865342976.
	885112832.
	8053124096.
	6506852352.
	4692148019
	5160160394
	8418780959
	5712516929
	7294077037
	6510934508
	8107850591
	9173100439
	7635983772
	7921907431
	9129930886
	9950025215
	6956465792
	9491567180
	0676159128
	2394112879
	3831232512.
	2307122176.
	3513421559
	3121068032.
	3237958001
	2783100116
	5345330806
	2252121679
	4703763027
	2547258153
	9576789446
	9123218698
	4459227344
	3680696607
	9449829416
	4992863438
	0207983616.
	3959887872.
	7841473536.
	6170811392.
	2052957109
	8878007175
	1237939970
	5494290432.
	1462400217
	7183229952.
	3920777216.
	9565816634
	2859204777
	6749880539
	5270244950
	6484887310
	5135645696.
	7183229952.
	3920777216.
	9565816634
	2859204777
	6749880539
	5270244950
	6484887310
	8470814438
	3030136589
	4659411015
	0783900575
	2938843795
	3886273130
	2457457867
	7058221056.
	0603858737
	8174170112.
	0757225472.
	5873499136.
	8829268992.
	5540243456.
	5817055122
	2678544895
	7845704226
	0902726842
	3915388146
	4320994101
	1380715918
	9114870464
	8520405728

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51	1903320	0676159128	8745605712	8470814438	2678544895
53	2195234391	2394112879	0088327017	3030136559	7345704226
55	264	3831232512.	80350174	4659411015	0902720842
57	341838	3013357185	7452258201	0783094575	2045388146
59	474090194	2307122176.	3937369998	1804708828	4320994101
61	70	3513421559	1763127296.	2938843795	1380715918
		3121068032.	700097162	3886273130	9114870464
		3237958001	700097162	2457457867	8520405728
		3783100116	700097162	7058221056.	0630707472
69	63965	4703763027	5733849943	0603858737	2702370300
71	128843416	2547258153	1136084889	8174170112.	4949445632.
73	27	9576789446	5395544961	0717441472	3741030484
75	61734	9122218698	6494595788	8719138436	6399568896.
77	146418390	4459227344	4371901652	0717441472	8688298159
79	36	3680696607	0734990348	2434251776.	2811185152.
81	96031	9449829416	7370744681	0705805634	4634906097
83	264889663	4992863438	8292113188	6422729861	6370878975
85	76	5893124310	2622751313	3027855649	4478585859
87	232434	2368442192	4329214126	7706863741	6173838087
89	737792682	5660095844	9633491577	2044764392	7149167320
91	244	3980054983	0682610727	6754520862	0950087716
93	849199	3027666248	7863741179	5349971865	4592740313
95	3073415080	6277121485	1075266957	6700552799	8660849712
97	1159	2807323067	4149713570	8108362187	5652777784
99	4560851	2211638598	1904830963	4594712417	9513190225
		6519961272	1466558923	6905643965	4033104110
		3607290907	1794130757	3187841278	7097769722
		4131044416.	2953998553	8836921783	0355004325
		9433745362	8780902217	7158091384	8924144787
		6661674060	8758468215	3467010271	
		0441500672.	2341769921	5792955877	
		4740564012	6583155193	5581949239	
		4777725652	9861738770		
		3945230336.	3431622461		
		8941953051	2662250632		
		2622951953	6739105340		
		9690334355	4508016361		
		0762262559	9861969626		
		7041570684	9929718418		
		9540333080	8854712967		
		2897237829	6637541376.		
		7879025458	3145169718		
		5856582593			
		9103698421			
		6102768897			
		4382396370			
		6616801111			

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7042772066	0171869441	0047936547	8229870027	6817088804
9937408986	6899187030	6963423232.	6174743255	0509816834
8669279906	6534977615	9928982810	1754542669	2529915556
2879473499	3871837828	1122719555	8308970496.	6539875280
3954320693	5127146296	4772550115	5150283969	3638482311
2326836383	7296825215	8440590799	7257788852	
5263054499	4140134793	4632528787	0450762752.	
6116040308	1135561434	7362070730	4639405654	6029941974
0277448013	2955727650	0727464271	4332559603	0384517339
2030080598	1901789276	349985629	9077718016.	
8006679743	5816406207	0224471177	2513397720	9248162391
1717858874	5215971711	0186706465	6004226144	6628003769
7128707035	1972782143	4957959108	9433217448	6336438272.
3458730392	9487648121	8799405564	7574980560	2111631319
7828380939	9490537680	2460595806	9836404772	1015654470
7321330938	3312556087	6114515653	5856757008	9952933936.
4162805881	5541548168	6784721593	1240712916	4430020735
4196147801	8966239285	9619830441	1421845843	7007093225
8125472693	6727895619	3951931102	3279305256	8372641792.
2703193275	6005581575	1662244551	7974770028	4375913985
8398663290	4131567170	1199172580	5047696425	9280405845
4340241234	2038670128	5665524839	9227926705	5414739516
2218319170	1679429091	1384499992	0007069533	0048288233
6332256256.	8391389087	3747623961	0945677436	0653272241
6070691740	2977785601	0534109858	6107197749	0969176471
9319091564	1459335577	7733542817		
4725860275				
6738445312.	7004078003	1278606958	7871036923	3804707134
9555589879	2466184489	3499287007	8763836938	6390752650
9116874639	1483758302	7014497286	3537856412	6193750216
8633084261				
2020990976.				
2969544137	3711110813	9491520587	0894578681	8558730200
7333881055	9724342116	8172307776	6222847786	5964664757
3601851664	4828218413	9690510871	7176120451	6527175740
8580920993	7947000832.			

TABLE 2. For proof of non-zero factor moments

$n$	$E_n$
0	1.
2	1.
4	5.
6	61.
8	1385.
10	50521.
12	970765.

6738445312.  
 9555589879  
 9116874639  
 8633084261  
 202090976.  
 2969544137  
 7333881055  
 3601851664  
 5580920493

7004078003  
 2466184489  
 1483758302  
 1278606958  
 3499287007  
 7014497286  
 9491520587  
 8172307776  
 9690510871  
 9930510871  
 7917000832.

7871036923  
 8763836938  
 3537856412  
 8558730200  
 5964664757  
 6527175740

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$L_n$   
 0 1.  
 2 1.  
 4 5.  
 6 61.  
 8 1385.  
 10 50521.  
 12 2702765.  
 14 199360981.  
 16 1  
 18 240  
 20 37037  
 22 6934887  
 24 1551453416  
 26 40  
 28 12522  
 30 4415438  
 32 1775193915  
 34 80  
 36 41222  
 38 23489580  
 40 1  
 42 1036  
 44 794757  
 46 666753751  
 48 60  
 50 60532  
 52 65061624  
 54 7  
 56 9420  
 58 12622019  
 60 1  
 62 2775  
 64 4535810

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9391512145.  
 4879675441.  
 1188237525.  
 4393137901.  
 3557080905.  
 8707250929  
 5964140362  
 9324902310  
 7933928943  
 7232992358  
 0603395177  
 5270431082  
 4851150718  
 4622733519  
 9422597592  
 6685541977  
 9627864556  
 8524818862  
 8668460884  
 5466599390  
 9858645581.  
 3218964202  
 9394903945.  
 2518062187  
 9964920041.  
 8108911496  
 1410660809  
 7101702071  
 7803378276  
 3330017889

3123892361.  
 9865468285.  
 4553682821.  
 6664789665.  
 8789806216  
 0212234707  
 5201782857  
 1149500178  
 6121193979  
 7036080405  
 4350284747  
 8542158691  
 1896314383  
 7715870634  
 0873909806  
 4120420228  
 1990340923  
 5792304965  
 5454231325.  
 5805973669  
 6889782501.  
 1747468878

8247453281.  
 9671259045.  
 6198947741.  
 7715678140  
 5730474518  
 1008807061  
 7374819752  
 6857428768  
 7851110490  
 080829834  
 1432565889  
 6237690583  
 7287489255  
 4580774165  
 8090837152  
 7156776236

5826684425.  
 5976310201.  
 9519273805.  
 4107684661.  
 4315397653  
 8810349822  
 8364423676  
 7367442122  
 2272093888  
 4823410611  
 2158688783  
 7449233019  
 6351861519

9044435185.  
 5146815121.  
 5385576565.  
 4002471169  
 5259964600  
 9182559406  
 4873492363  
 5948009175  
 4703688814

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$n$	$E_n$							
66	7886284206	6884383791	9695760705.	9990423947	8162972003	7689327097		
68	1456	6617894181	0072074223	4700949423	2660186081	2858314982		
70	2850517	5749485716	7945376961.	8862902085.	0425524177	8255239879		
72	5905747207	1844380139	6315007150	5567393395	3301618182	2954929765		
74	1292	9864476977	6806459548	5397447421.	7540761705	1912367260		
76	2986928	8322369771	8732198729	4395713720	1850937881.	7068070281		
78	7270601714	3532111069	8042754623	1891063465.	6929223693	0790510830		
80	1862	7754436545	5135032296	3235938698	0288452845.	1945185560		
82	5013104	9721536598	0505026450	3180819573	6011920010	5396878225.		
84	1	9736641878	6417049760	2217140005	3229383700	2205397659		
86	4196	6411370597	3437870353	1565580896	0083336722	9951554801.		
88	13021595	1832845769	5093074365	9281851647	5318908480	5845492837		
90	4	3812833466	8980381720	4619109300	2167040547	7502043638		
92	14343	0168641438	0328065169	9395592341.	9771259876			
94	50817990	9583687385	6880176415	4140694188	9181896262	8391683907		
96	18	2915758412	6970444824	3217838146	60805388087	8636544057		
98	72365	6357710109	5681956123	3308186813	5675761398	6610030678		
100	290352834	9408109796	6129086936	9262297123	6771997435	9174800620		
		7359623656	1571401154	5589929214	5931029338	4538867236		
		4165255759	7856259916	2836959052	5634078984	3021532175		
		9123907001	4684537456	2640578565	8585798821	4884315911		
		0612547605.		1261825484	8857854461	5507146314		
		6431640402		3090736003	4824356715	1341392681		
		0392122285		7489775212	2164140484	8819075342		
		0254969261.		0757918417	9892539001	4449070053		
		9052404639		6177360616	7857968114	9179074580		
		0957582424		8077899745.	2986259565	1810672327		
		4646368985.		6173678229	9223614145	2770950810		
		2272406861		2246475917	7553006646	4174210011		
		9082676644		7708964641.	4700000000			
		0794578239		0546038347				
		1106574955		5413270625				
		4403492151						
		7245804251						
		3239886828						
		9706818956						
		7833293645						
		6463768087						
		8122338310						
		3438103385						
		6071243105						
		8421919498						
		6661097497						



TABLE 3. The first 250 Bernoulli numbers

$B_0 = 1, B_1 = -1/2, B_{2n+1} = 0$  for  $n \geq 1$ , and the values of  $B_{2n}$  for  $1 \leq n \leq 125$  appear below in the form  $C_{2n} - \{p_1, p_2, \dots, p_k\}$ . This notation stands for  $C_{2n} - 1/p_1 - \dots - 1/p_k$ ; thus  $B_4 = 1 - \{2, 3, 5\} = 1 - 1/2 - 1/3 - 1/5 = -1/30$ . The Bernoulli numbers have been expressed in this form here, since the numbers  $C_{2n}$  have not been tabulated before.

$n$	$B_n$	
2	1	$\{2, 3\}$
4	1	$\{2, 3, 5\}$
6	1	$\{2, 3, 7\}$
8	1	$\{2, 3, 5\}$
10	1	$\{2, 3, 11\}$
12	1	$\{2, 3, 5, 7, 13\}$
14	2	$\{2, 3\}$
16	-6	$\{2, 3, 5, 17\}$
18	56	$\{2, 3, 7, 19\}$
20	-528	$\{2, 3, 5, 11\}$
22	6193	$\{2, 3, 23\}$
24	-86579	$\{2, 3, 5, 7, 13\}$
26	1425518	$\{2, 3\}$
28	-27298230	$\{2, 3, 5, 29\}$
30	601580875	$\{2, 3, 7, 11, 31\}$
32	-1	$\{2, 3, 5, 17\}$
34	42	$\{2, 3\}$
36	-1371	$\{2, 3, 5, 7, 13, 19, 37\}$
38	48833	$\{2, 3\}$
40	-1929657	$\{2, 3, 5, 11, 41\}$
42	84169304	$\{2, 3, 7, 43\}$
44	-4033807185	$\{2, 3, 5, 23\}$
46	21	$\{2, 3, 47\}$
48	-1208	$\{2, 3, 5, 7, 13, 17\}$
50	75008	$\{2, 3, 11\}$
52	-5038778	$\{2, 3, 5, 53\}$
54	365287764	$\{2, 3, 7, 19\}$
56	-2	$\{2, 3, 5, 29\}$
58	238	$\{2, 3, 5, 23\}$
60	2-21399	$\{2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13, 31, 61\}$
62	050097	$\{2, 3\}$
64	-209380059	$\{2, 3, 5, 17\}$
66	2	$\{2, 3, 5, 17\}$
68	-262	$\{2, 3, 5, 17\}$
70	32125	$\{2, 3, 5, 17\}$
72	-4159827	$\{2, 3, 5, 7, 13, 19, 37, 73\}$
74	569206954	$\{2, 3\}$
76	-8	$\{2, 3, 5\}$
78	1250	$\{2, 3, 5\}$
80	-200155	$\{2, 3, 5\}$

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56	-2	8198706302	9819192193	-{2,3,59}
58	238	6542749908	4765101996	-{2,3,5,7,11,13,31,61}
60	2-21399	9492572253	3366581074	-{2,3}
62	050097	5723478097	95675126	-{2,3,5,17}
64	-209380059	1134637840	0279701046	-{2,3,7,23,67}
66	2	2752096488	4926035276	-{2,3}
68	-262	5771028623	0497301582	-{2,3,11,71}
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