



# Электронные публикации и основные физико- математические ресурсы Интернета

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# Об электронных публикациях в Интернете

В связи со стремительным развитием сети Интернет во всем мире в последние годы четко прослеживаются следующие тенденции:

- 1. Появление значительного числа электронных научных публикаций (в основном за рубежом) и электронных журналов в Интернете.**



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2. Многие исследователи (в том числе и ученые с мировым именем, входящие в редколлегии известных журналов), помимо обычных публикаций в журналах параллельно "выкладывают" свои статьи в Интернете.

Это обусловлено тремя причинами:

- (а) Публикации в Интернете появляются значительно быстрее (это особенно важно, когда идет речь о приоритетных работах).
- (б) Публикации в Интернете охватывают значительно более широкий круг читателей, если они размещены на известных и хорошо посещаемых сайтах.
- (в) Публикации в Интернете "страхуют" ученых от недобросовестных рецензентов (бывает, что статья отклоняется, после чего похожие результаты появляются с работ других авторов).



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3. На Западе часто цитируются и ссылаются на электронные публикации и сайты не только в научных журналах, но и в книгах.

Примеры современных научных книг широкого профиля, в которых даются ссылки на электронные источники



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1766 Lindeberg-Feller Central Limit Theorem

Line

$$\frac{1}{s_n^2} \sum_{k=1}^n \int_{|y| < ts_n} y^2 F_k(dy) \rightarrow 1. \quad (6)$$

Then the distribution

$$S_n^* = \frac{X_1 + \dots + X_n}{s_n} \quad (7)$$

tends to the NORMAL DISTRIBUTION with zero expectation and unit variance (Feller 1971, p. 256). The Lindeberg condition (5) guarantees that the individual variances  $\sigma_k^2$  are small compared to their sum  $s_n^2$  in the sense that for given  $\epsilon > 0$  for all SUFFICIENTLY LARGE  $n$ ,  $\sigma_k/s_n < \epsilon$  for  $k = 1, \dots, n$  (Feller 1971, p. 256).

See also CENTRAL LIMIT THEOREM, FELLER-LÉVY CONDITION

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Lindelöf's Theorem

The SURFACE OF REVOLUTION generated by the external CATENARY between a fixed point  $a$  and its conjugate on the ENVELOPE of the CATENARY through the fixed point is equal in AREA to the surface of revolution generated by its two Lindelöf TANGENTS, which cross the axis of rotation at the point  $a$  and are calculable from the position of the points and CATENARY.

See also CATENARY, ENVELOPE, SURFACE OF REVOLUTION

Lindemann-Weierstrass Theorem

If  $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n$  are linearly independent over  $\mathbb{Q}$ , then  $e^{\alpha_1}, \dots, e^{\alpha_n}$  are ALGEBRAICALLY INDEPENDENT over  $\mathbb{Q}$ . The Lindemann-Weierstrass theorem is implied by SCHANUEL'S CONJECTURE (Chow 1999).

See also ALGEBRAICALLY INDEPENDENT, HERMITE-LINDEMANN THEOREM, SCHANUEL'S CONJECTURE

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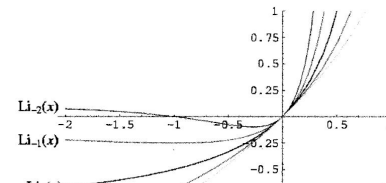
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Euclid defined a line as a "breadthless length," and a straight line as a line which "lies evenly with the points on itself" (Kline 1956, Dunham 1990). Lines are intrinsically 1-dimensional objects, but may be embedded in higher dimensional SPACES. An infinite line passing through points  $A$  and  $B$  is denoted  $\overleftrightarrow{AB}$ .

## Polylogarithm



the RIEMANN ZETA FUNCTION. The polylogarithm for argument  $1/2$  can also be evaluated analytically for small  $n$ ,

$$\text{Li}_1\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \ln 2 \quad (10)$$

$$\text{Li}_2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{12}[\pi^2 - 6(\ln 2)^2] \quad (11)$$

$$\text{Li}_3\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{24}[4(\ln 2)^3 - 2\pi^2 \ln 2 + 21\zeta(3)]. \quad (12)$$

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## 10.9 ELECTRONIC MATHEMATICAL RESOURCES

### 1. General web sites related to mathematics

- (a) <http://dir.yahoo.com/Science/mathematics/>

A very large list of useful sites relating to mathematics. It is perhaps the best place to start researching an arbitrary mathematical question not covered elsewhere in this list.

(c) <http://mathworld.wolfram.com>

A comprehensive on-line encyclopedia of mathematics with more than 10,000 entries, 4,000 figures, and 100 animated graphics.

- (f) <http://thesaurus.maths.org>

A mathematical thesaurus.

- (g) <http://www.cs.unb.ca/~alopez-o/math-faq/math-faq.html>

The FAQ (frequently asked questions) listing from the news group sci.math.

### 2. Web sites that respond to user input

- (a) <http://www-neos.mcs.anl.gov/>

The NEOS server for optimization will run many different optimization packages on an input user problem.

- (b) <http://www.theory.csc.uvic.ca/~cos/>

The Combinatorial Object Server creates combinatorial objects such as necklaces, permutations, combinations, etc.

- (c) <http://www.research.att.com/~njas/sequences/>

The On-Line Encyclopedia of Integer Sequences allows the “next term” in a sequence to be determined. (See page 25.)

- (d) <http://www.cecm.sfu.ca/projects/ISC/>

If a real number is input to the Inverse Symbolic Calculator it will determine where this number might have come from.

### 3. Societies

- (a) <http://www.ams.org>

The American Mathematical Society with the Combined Membership List of the AMS and the Math Reviews subject classifications.

- (b) <http://www.maa.org/>

The Mathematics Association of America.

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## Supplement

### Some Useful Electronic Mathematical Resources

- CFD Codes List** ([http://www.fges.demon.co.uk/cfd/CFD\\_codes\\_p.html](http://www.fges.demon.co.uk/cfd/CFD_codes_p.html)). Free software.
- CFD Resources Online** (<http://www.cfd-online.com/Links>). Software, modeling and numerics, etc.
- Computer Handbook of ODEs** ([http://www.scg.uwaterloo.ca/ecterrab/handbook\\_odes.html](http://www.scg.uwaterloo.ca/ecterrab/handbook_odes.html)). An online computer handbook of methods for solving ordinary differential equations.
- Deal.II** (<http://www.dealii.org>). Finite element differential equations analysis library.
- Dictionary of Algorithms and Data Structures—NIST** (<http://www.nist.gov/dads/>). The dictionary of algorithms, algorithmic techniques, data structures, archetypical problems, and related definitions.
- DOE ACTS Collection** (<http://acts.nersc.gov>). The Advanced Computational Software (ACTS) on algebraic, ordinary differential, partial differential, integral, functional, and other mathematical equations.
- FOLDOC—Computing Dictionary** (<http://foldoc.doc.ic.ac.uk/foldoc/index.html>). The free online dictionary of computing is a searchable dictionary of terms from computing and related fields.
- Free Software** (<http://www.wseas.com/software>). Download free software packages for scientific-engineering purposes.
- FSF/UNESCO Free Software Directory** (<http://directory.fsf.org>).
- GAMS: Guide to Available Mathematical Software** (<http://gams.nist.gov>). A cross-index and virtual repository of mathematical and statistical software components of use in computational science and engineering.
- Google—Mathematics Websites** (<http://directory.google.com/Top/Science/Math/>). A directory of more than 11,000 mathematics Websites ordered by type and mathematical subject.
- Google—Software** (<http://directory.google.com/Top/Science/Math/Software>). A directory of software.
- Mathcom—PDEs** (<http://www.mathcom.com/corpdir/techinfo.mdir/scifaq/q260.html>). Partial differential equations and finite element modeling.
- Mathematical Atlas** (<http://www.math-atlas.org>). A collection of short articles designed to provide an introduction to the areas of modern mathematics.





# Об электронных публикациях в Интернете

4. Многие англоязычные журналы сейчас имеют две версии: бумажную и электронную (иногда электронная версия выставляется в Интернете существенно раньше, чем появляется бумажная). Эти версии обычно имеют разную подписку.

Пример российского журнала: ТОХТ (в переводе)

Пример иностранного журнала: Applied Mathematical Modelling (статья принята в октябре 2006 г., выставлена в Интернете в январе 2007 г., выйдет в ноябре 2007 г.)"



# Об электронных публикациях в Интернете

5. Многие учебные курсы (за рубежом и в России) частично или полностью переводятся в Интернет-форму.

Это обусловлено большей доступностью и наглядностью (могут использоваться цветовые выделения, анимация и др.) материалов, размещенных в Интернете, а также возможностью диалога с обучающей программой





# Об электронных публикациях в Интернете

6. Григорий Перельман, который отказался от Филдсовской премии 2006, номинировался на премию за две электронные статьи в arXiv.org (автоматический электронный архив статей по математике и физике), которые не были опубликованы в "бумажных журналах".

⇒ Стирается разница между бумажными и электронными публикациями



# Об электронных публикациях в Интернете

7. По утверждению ряда экспертов, в ближайшие 10-20 лет десятилетие многие журналы полностью "перейдут" из бумажной формы в "электронную". В бумажной форме сохранятся только известные журналы, имеющие большую подписку.

Следствие: надо максимально поддерживать уже существующие российские научные журналы



# Об электронных публикациях в Интернете

- 8. Основные достоинства электронных публикаций:**
- максимально быстро становятся доступными для читателей,
  - нет ограничений по объему текста,
  - низкая стоимость (на порядок дешевле бумажных публикаций),
  - наглядность (можно использовать цветовые выделения, анимации, "живые" ссылки на источники внутри статьи и внешние источники, размещенные в Интернете, и др.),
  - максимально широкий охват потенциальных читателей,
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- ...that prior to the development of **binoculars**, **bird collections**, collections consisting of birds and parts of their **anatomy**, were the dominant method of **bird** observation and study among **ornithologists**?
- ...that a picture of **Mary Ann Beyer**, "the ugliest woman in the world"



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- Greece declares a **state of emergency** as **forest fires** kill more than 50 people.
- The **Space Shuttle Orbiter Endeavour** safely returns from a **mission** to expand the **International Space Station**.
- Tropical cyclones**: **Hurricane Dean** passes south of **Jamaica** and makes **landfall** on the **Yucatán Peninsula**, while **Typhoon Sepat** moves across **Taiwan** and makes a second landfall in **Fujian**, forcing the evacuation of nearly one million people in southeastern **China**.
- The heaviest rainfall in 40 years causes **massive flooding** in **North Korea** that kills 200 and destroys 11% of the country's rice and corn fields.
- An 8.0-magnitude **earthquake** off the **Pacific coast** devastates **Ica** and various regions of **Peru**, killing more than 500 and flattening more than 85,000 buildings.

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**August 26: Heroes' Day** in the Philippines and **Ghost Festival** in the Chinese calendar (2007).

- 1071 – **Byzantine-Seljuk wars**: Seljuk Turks led by Alp Arslan captured Byzantine Emperor Romanos IV at the **Battle of Manzikert** (*pictured*). 
- 1346 – **Hundred Years' War**: English forces established the military supremacy of the English language

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