

Table of the Zeros and Weight Factors of the First Twenty Hermite Polynomials¹

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The chief use of this table of the zeros and weight factors of the Hermite polynomials is in the calculation of integrals over the interval $[-\infty, \infty]$, when the integrand is either the product of e^{-x^2} and a polynomial, or may be closely approximated by e^{-x^2} times a polynomial. The zeros and weight factors, $x_i^{(n)}$ and $\alpha_i^{(n)}$, respectively, together with the auxiliary quantities $\beta_i^{(n)} = \alpha_i^{(n)} \exp [-(x_i^{(n)})^2]$, which are useful in computation, are all tabulated here for the first twenty Hermite polynomials. The zeros $x_i^{(n)}$ and $\beta_i^{(n)}$ are given to 13 or more decimals, and the weight factors $\alpha_i^{(n)}$ to 13 significant figures. Although other shorter tables have appeared, this present table will enable one to cope with problems requiring much higher degree and accuracy, both in problems involving direct quadratures and those arising in the numerical solution of linear integral equations for the range $[-\infty, \infty]$. Thus the use of this table in any direct quadrature can give exact accuracy as far as the 39th degree (the only inexactitude arising from the use of rounded values of $x_i^{(n)}$ and $\alpha_i^{(n)}$).

1. Introduction

The main purpose of the table of the zeros $x_i^{(n)}$ and weight factors ("Christoffel numbers") $\alpha_i^{(n)}$ of the Hermite polynomials is to provide the basic quantities that occur in the quadrature formula

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-x^2} f(x) dx = \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i^{(n)} f(x_i^{(n)}) + R_n, \quad (1)$$

where

$$R_n = \frac{\pi^{\frac{1}{2}} f^{(2n)}(\xi)}{2^n (2n-1) \dots (n+2)(n+1)}$$

for some $\xi, -\infty < \xi < \infty$ [2, p. 101–102, 369].²

When the integrand does not contain e^{-x^2} explicitly, but behaves like e^{-x^2} times a polynomial, instead of (1), there is

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(x) dx = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-x^2} [e^{x^2} F(x)] dx \cong \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i^{(n)} e^{x_i^{(n)} 2} F(x_i^{(n)}). \quad (2)$$

For dealing with quadratures of the type in (2), it is convenient to follow the example of A. Reiz [1] and to tabulate also the quantities $\beta_i^{(n)} = \alpha_i^{(n)} \exp [-(x_i^{(n)})^2]$. From the form of the remainder term R_n , (1) is seen to be exact (save for the use of rounded values of $x_i^{(n)}$ and $\alpha_i^{(n)}$) when $f(x)$ is a polynomial of at most the $(2n-1)$ th degree.

2. Numerical Solution of Integral Equations

Besides problems involving direct quadratures, there are those arising in the numerical solution of linear integral equations of the second kind for integrals over the range $[-\infty, \infty]$, namely,

$$\phi(y) = f(y) + \lambda \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) K(y, x) dx. \quad (3)$$

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² Figures in brackets indicate the literature references at the end of this paper.

By considering $e^{x^2} f(x) K(y, x)$ as a polynomial in x , and making use of (2) for $y = x_i^{(n)}$, $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$, the approximate solution of (3) is reduced to the solution of a set of only n linear equations for the (approximate values of) $f(x_i^{(n)})$. These values of $f(x_i^{(n)})$ can then be used in (2) to find $f(y)$ for any value of y . The advantage in the use of (2) instead of an equally spaced quadrature formula for solving (3) is that here only n points are needed to give accuracy obtainable by approximating $e^{x^2} f(x) K(y, x)$ as a polynomial of the $(2n-1)$ th degree in x . For a full description of the method, including examples, see A. Reiz [1], especially p. 4 to 10, 16 to 21.

3. Important Properties of Hermite Polynomials

The Hermite polynomials may be defined by the formula

$$H_n(x) = (-1)^n e^{x^2} \frac{d^n}{dx^n} (e^{-x^2}), \quad (4)$$

or by the generating function

$$e^{-z^2 + 2zx} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} H_n(x) \frac{z^n}{n!}. \quad (5)$$

They are given explicitly by the formula

$$H_n(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{[n/2]} \frac{(-1)^k n!}{k!(n-2k)!} (2x)^{n-2k}. \quad (6)$$

The numerical values of the coefficients of $H_n(x)$ for the first 30 values of n are contained in H. E. Salzer [3]. The polynomials $H_n(x)$ satisfy the differential equation

$$H_n''(x) - 2xH_n'(x) + 2nH_n(x) = 0, \quad (7)$$

the recurrence formula

$$H_{n+1}(x) - 2xH_n(x) + 2nH_{n-1}(x) = 0, \quad n \geq 2, \quad (8)$$

and the differential-recurrence formula

$$H_n'(x) = 2nH_{n-1}(x). \quad (9)$$

The Hermite polynomials have the orthogonality property

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-x^2} H_n(x) H_m(x) dx = \pi^{1/2} 2^n n! \delta_n^m. \quad (10)$$

A most important consequence of (10) is (1), where the $\alpha_i^{(n)}$ are defined by

$$\alpha_i^{(n)} = \frac{1}{H_n'(x_i^{(n)})} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^{-x^2} H_n(x)}{x - x_i^{(n)}} dx. \quad (11)$$

The $\alpha_i^{(n)}$ are also expressible in the following form [2, p. 344], [4, p. 311]:

$$\alpha_i^{(n)} = \frac{\pi^{1/2} 2^{n+1} n!}{\{H_n'(x_i^{(n)})\}^2}, \quad (12)$$

which, from (9), can be written as

$$\alpha_i^{(n)} = \frac{\pi^{1/2} 2^{n-1} (n-1)!}{n \{H_{n-1}(x_i^{(n)})\}^2} \quad (13)$$

the latter form being more convenient for computation.

4. Description of Tables

This table gives the zeros $x_i^{(n)}$, the weight factors $\alpha_i^{(n)}$ and $\beta_i^{(n)}$, for the first 20 Hermite polynomials. The absolute values of the zeros, $|x_i^{(n)}|$, are tabulated to 15 decimals for $n=1(1)13$, to 14 decimals for $n=14(1)16$, and to 13 decimals for $n=17(1)20$. To each nonvanishing $|x_i^{(n)}|$ there corresponds the two zeros $x_i^{(n)} = +|x_i^{(n)}|$ and $x_i^{(n)} = -|x_i^{(n)}|$. The weight factors $\alpha_i^{(n)} = \alpha_{n-i+1}^{(n)}$ are tabulated to 13 significant figures. For a given n , zeros having the same absolute value are associated with the same weight factor. The auxiliary quantities $\beta_i^{(n)}$ are tabulated to 13 decimals.

5. Method of Computation and Checking

Since $H_n(x)$ is an odd or even polynomial for n odd or even, respectively, it was convenient to change the variable to $X=4x^2$ and to calculate $X_i^{(n)} \equiv 4x_i^{(n)2}$, where the nonvanishing $X_i^{(n)}$ are the zeros of polynomials $A_{[n/2]}(X)$, n odd, and $B_{[n/2]}(X)$, n even, of degree $[n/2]$ in X . Thus the degree of the polynomials $A_{[n/2]}(X)$ and $B_{[n/2]}(X)$ did not exceed 10, and the coefficients were considerably smaller than those of $H_n(x)$. A first approximation to $X_i^{(n)}$ was obtained from E. R. Smith [5], which gives the zeros of

$$h_n(x) = (-1)^n e^{x^2/2} \frac{d^n (e^{-x^2/2})}{dx^n}$$

by taking twice the square of the latter. The polynomials $A_{[n/2]}(X)$ and $B_{[n/2]}(X)$ were tabulated for five or six values of X in the neighborhood of each $X_i^{(n)}$, at intervals of 0.0001 in X . The zeros $X_i^{(n)}$ were calculated by a formula for inverse interpolation given in H. E. Salzer [6], and then were checked by direct interpolation in the polynomials $A_{[n/2]}(X)$ and $B_{[n/2]}(X)$, using the Gregory-Newton formula with advancing differences. The accuracy of the zero $X_i^{(n)}$ was determined from the approximate relation:

$$\text{error in } X_i^{(n)} \cong \frac{0.0001}{\Delta} F(X_i^{(n)}),$$

where $F(X_i^{(n)})$ denotes either $A_{[n/2]}(X_i^{(n)})$ or $B_{[n/2]}(X_i^{(n)})$, and Δ is the difference between two consecutive entries of $F(X)$ on either side of $X_i^{(n)}$.

The values of $x_i^{(n)}$ were found from $x_i^{(n)} = \pm \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{X_i^{(n)}}$, and checked back by squaring to get $X_i^{(n)} = 4x_i^{(n)2}$. Additional checks upon the $x_i^{(n)}$ were performed by calculating

$$\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^{(n)2} = \frac{n(n-1)}{2}, \quad (14)$$

$$\prod_{i=1}^n x_i^{(n)} = (-1)^{(n-1)/2} \frac{(n+1)!}{((n+1)/2)!} \text{ for } n \text{ odd}, \quad (15a)$$

where π' denotes the omission of the factor $x_i^{(n)} = 0$, and

$$\prod_{i=1}^n x_i^{(n)} = (-1)^{n/2} \frac{n!}{(n/2)!} \text{ for } n \text{ even}. \quad (15b)$$

The weight factors $\alpha_i^{(n)}$ were calculated from (13), using

$$H_{n-1}(x_i^{(n)}) = B_{[(n-1)/2]}(X_i^{(n)}) \text{ for } n \text{ odd},$$

and

$$H_{n-1}(x_i^{(n)}) = \sqrt{X_i^{(n)}} A_{[(n-1)/2]}(X_i^{(n)}) \text{ for } n \text{ even}.$$

Formula (12) was used to check the $\alpha_i^{(n)}$, in the form

$$\alpha_i^{(n)} = \frac{\pi^{1/2} 2^{n-3} n!}{\{X_i^{(n)} A'_{[n/2]}(X_i^{(n)})\}^2} \text{ for } n \text{ odd}, i \neq \frac{1}{2}(n+1) \quad (12a)$$

and

$$\alpha_i^{(n)} = \frac{\pi^{1/2} 2^{n-3} n!}{X_i^{(n)} \{B'_{[n/2]}(X_i^{(n)})\}^2} \text{ for } n \text{ even}. \quad (12b)$$

Additional over-all checks upon $\alpha_i^{(n)}$ were performed, using (1) for $P(x)=1, x^2, x^4, \dots, x^{2^m}, 2^m < 2n-1 < 2^{m+1}$, and in a few cases for $P(x)=x^{2^n+2^p}, 2^m+2^p <$

$2n-1 < 2^{m+1}$, the left member of (1) equal to $\Gamma\left(k + \frac{1}{2}\right)$ for $P(x) = x^{2k}$. The choice of these different powers of x for $P(x)$ was to ensure that every significant figure of the $\alpha_i^{(n)}$ was covered in the checks.

The auxiliary quantities $\beta_i^{(n)}$ were computed by multiplying the weight factors $\alpha_i^{(n)}$ by $e^{x_i^{(n)} / 4}$, where the $e^{x_i^{(n)} / 4}$ were obtained from the NBS tables of the exponential function [7] and were checked by the relation $\log \beta_i^{(n)} = \log \alpha_i^{(n)} + X_i^{(n)} / 4$, where the logarithms were obtained from the NBS tables [8].

The functions $x_i^{(n)}$, $\alpha_i^{(n)}$, and $\beta_i^{(n)}$ were calculated to about two more places than are tabulated, and are available in manuscript form. All entries given here, which were obtained by rounding the manuscript table, are correct to within about a unit in the last place.

The functions in this present table were compared with those in three much shorter similar tables given by R. E. Greenwood and J. J. Miller [9], A. Reiz [1], and Z. Kopal [10], and the few errors of more than a unit in the last place in those three tables were noted and reported to the journal "Mathematical Tables and Other Aids to Computation." Also, the values of $X_i^{(n)}$ for $n=16$ upon the worksheets were compared with those in J. Barkley Rosser [11], with perfect agreement. Finally, the zeros in the table of the Harvard University Laboratory [28] were checked by calculating $\sqrt{2}|x_i^{(n)}|$, to give complete agreement.

6. Illustration

As an example of the use of (1) for quadratures, suppose that one wished to evaluate numerically, say to 13 places, the integral $\int_0^\infty e^{-t^2} J_0(t) dt$, where $J_0(t)$ denotes the Bessel function of order zero. It hap-

pens that that integral is known to be $\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\pi} e^{-1/8} I_0(1/8)$, where $I_0(t)$ denotes the modified Bessel function of order zero (see [26, p. 394]). As the integrand $e^{-t^2} J_0(t)$ is even, and as $\alpha_i^{(n)} J_0(x_i^{(n)}) = \alpha_{n-i+1}^{(n)} J_0(-x_i^{(n)})$, from (1), whenever n is even,

$$\int_0^\infty e^{-t^2} J_0(t) dt \cong \sum \alpha_i^{(n)} J_0(x_i^{(n)}), \quad (16)$$

where the summation covers only the positive values of $x_i^{(n)}$. In the present example the error in (16) (from the term R_n in (1) and the inequality $|J_0^{(m)}(x)| \leq 1$) does not exceed 10^{-13} for n as small as 10. For the right member of (16), $J_0(x_i^{(10)})$ was computed to as many places as were sufficient to obtain $\alpha_i^{(n)} J_0(x_i^{(n)})$ to 13 places. The $J_0(x_i^{(10)})$ was calculated by interpolation in the Bessel function table of the Harvard Computation Laboratory [27]. The following are the results of these computations (the extra fourteenth place in $\alpha_i^{(10)} J_0(x_i^{(10)})$ was carried to avoid the cumulation of rounding errors):

i	$J_0(x_i^{(10)})$	$\alpha_i^{(10)} J_0(x_i^{(10)})$
6	0. 97081 99870 413	0. 59303 76541 6692
7	0. 74887 18398 349	0. 17983 30434 9660
8	0. 36515 41522 17	0. 01236 93757 8926
9	-0. 06452 02154 9	-0. 00008 66923 1312
10	-0. 37050 3331	-0. 00000 28308 0582

$$\sum_{i=6}^{10} \alpha_i^{(10)} J_0(x_i^{(10)}) = 0.78515 05503 338.$$

This answer differs by only a unit in the thirteenth place from the true value of $\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\pi} e^{-1/8} I_0(1/8)$ which was found (employing the power series for $I_0(t)$) to be, to 13 decimals, 0.78515 05503 339.

7. Table of the Zeros and Weight Factors of the First Twenty Hermite Polynomials

$ x_i^{(n)} $	$\alpha_i^{(n)}$	$\beta_i^{(n)}$
$n=1$	$n=1$	$n=1$
0. 00000 00000 00000	1. 7724 53850 906	1. 77245 38509 055
$n=2$	$n=2$	$n=2$
0. 70710 67811 86548	0. 88622 69254 528	1. 46114 11826 611
$n=3$	$n=3$	$n=3$
0. 00000 00000 00000 1. 22474 48713 91589	1. 1816 35900 604 0. 29540 89751 509	1. 18163 59006 037 1. 32393 11752 136
$n=4$	$n=4$	$n=4$
0. 52464 76232 75290 1. 65068 01238 85785	0. 80491 40900 055 0. (1)81312 83544 725	1. 05996 44828 950 1. 24022 58176 958
$n=5$	$n=5$	$n=5$
0. 00000 00000 00000 0. 95857 24646 13819 2. 02018 28704 56086	0. 94530 87204 829 0. 39361 93231 522 0. (1)19953 24205 905	0. 94530 87204 829 0. 98658 09967 514 1. 18148 86255 360

$ x_i^{(n)} $	$\alpha_i^{(n)}$	$\beta_i^{(n)}$
$n=6$	$n=6$	$n=6$
0. 43607 74119 27617 1. 33584 90740 13697 2. 35060 49736 74492	0. 72462 95952 244 0. 15706 73203 229 0. (2)45300 09905 509	0. 87640 13344 362 0. 93558 05576 312 1. 13690 83326 745
$n=7$	$n=7$	$n=7$
0. 00000 00000 00000 0. 81628 78828 58965 1. 67355 16287 67471 2. 65196 13568 35233	0. 81026 46175 568 0. 42560 72526 101 0. (1)54515 58281 913 0. (3)97178 12450 995	0. 81026 46175 568 0. 82868 73032 836 0. 89718 46002 252 1. 10133 07296 103
$n=8$	$n=8$	$n=8$
0. 38118 69902 07322 1. 15719 37124 46780 1. 98165 67566 95843 2. 93063 74202 57244	0. 66114 70125 582 0. 20780 23258 149 0. (1)17077 98300 741 0. (3)19960 40722 114	0. 76454 41286 517 0. 79289 00483 864 0. 86675 26065 634 1. 07193 01442 480
$n=9$	$n=9$	$n=9$
0. 00000 00000 00000 0. 72355 10187 52838 1. 46855 32892 16668 2. 26658 05845 31843 3. 19099 32017 81528	0. 72023 52156 061 0. 43265 15590 026 0. (1)88474 52739 438 0. (2)49436 24275 537 0. (4)39606 97726 326	0. 72023 52156 061 0. 73030 24527 451 0. 76460 81250 946 0. 84175 27014 787 1. 04700 35809 767
$n=10$	$n=10$	$n=10$
0. 34290 13272 23705 1. 03661 08297 89514 1. 75668 36492 99882 2. 53273 16742 32790 3. 43615 91188 37738	0. 61086 26337 353 0. 24013 86110 823 0. (1)33874 39445 548 0. (2)13436 45746 781 0. (5)76404 32855 233	0. 68708 18539 513 0. 70329 63231 049 0. 74144 19319 436 0. 82066 61264 048 1. 02545 16913 657
$n=11$	$n=11$	$n=11$
0. 00000 00000 00000 0. 65680 95668 82100 1. 32655 70844 94933 2. 02594 80158 25755 2. 78329 00997 81652 3. 66847 08465 59583	0. 65475 92869 146 0. 42935 97523 561 0. 11722 78751 677 0. (1)11911 39544 491 0. (3)34681 94663 233 0. (5)14395 60393 714	0. 65475 92869 146 0. 66096 04194 410 0. 68121 18810 667 0. 72195 36247 284 0. 80251 68688 510 1. 00652 67861 724
$n=12$	$n=12$	$n=12$
0. 31424 03762 54359 0. 94778 83912 40164 1. 59768 26351 52605 2. 27950 70805 01060 3. 02063 70251 20890 3. 88972 48978 69782	0. 57013 52362 625 0. 26049 23102 642 0. (1)51607 98561 588 0. (2)39053 90584 629 0. (4)85736 87043 588 0. (6)26585 51684 356	0. 62930 78743 695 0. 63962 12320 203 0. 66266 27732 669 0. 70522 03661 122 0. 78664 39394 633 0. 98969 90470 923
$n=13$	$n=13$	$n=13$
0. 00000 00000 00000 0. 60576 38791 71060 1. 22005 50365 90748 1. 85310 76516 01512 2. 51973 56856 78238 3. 24660 89783 72410 4. 10133 75961 78640	0. 60439 31879 211 0. 42161 62968 985 0. 14032 33206 870 0. (1)20862 77529 617 0. (2)12074 59992 719 0. (4)20430 36040 271 0. (7)48257 31850 073	0. 60439 31879 211 0. 60852 95837 033 0. 62171 60552 868 0. 64675 94633 158 0. 69061 80348 378 0. 77258 08233 517 0. 97458 03956 399
$n=14$	$n=14$	$n=14$
0. 29174 55106 7256 0. 87871 37873 2940 1. 47668 27311 4114 2. 09518 32585 0772 2. 74847 07249 8540 3. 46265 69336 0227 4. 30444 85704 7363	0. 53640 59097 121 0. 27310 56090 642 0. (1)68505 53422 347 0. (2)78500 54726 458 0. (3)35509 26135 519 0. (5)47164 84355 019 0. (8)86285 91168 125	0. 58406 16905 220 0. 59110 66670 432 0. 60637 97391 261 0. 63290 06064 723 0. 67770 67591 924 0. 75998 70873 976 0. 96087 87030 257

$ x_i^{(n)} $	$\alpha_i^{(n)}$	$\beta_i^{(n)}$
$n=15$	$n=15$	$n=15$
0. 00000 00000 0000 0. 56506 95832 5558 1. 13611 55852 1092 1. 71999 25751 8649 2. 32573 24861 7386 2. 96716 69279 0560 3. 66995 03734 0445 4. 49999 07073 0939	0. 56410 03087 264 0. 41202 86874 989 0. 15848 89157 959 0. (1)30780 03387 255 0. (2)27780 68842 913 0. (3)10000 44412 325 0. (5)10591 15547 711 0. (8)15224 75804 254	0. 56410 03087 264 0. 56702 11534 466 0. 57619 33502 835 0. 59302 74497 642 0. 62066 26035 270 0. 66616 60051 091 0. 74860 73660 169 0. 94836 89708 276
$n=16$	$n=16$	$n=16$
0. 27348 10461 3815 0. 82295 14491 4466 1. 38025 85391 9888 1. 95178 79909 1625 2. 54620 21578 4748 3. 17699 91619 7996 3. 86944 79048 6012 4. 68873 89393 0582	0. 50792 94790 166 0. 28064 74585 285 0. (1)83810 04139 899 0. (1)12880 31153 551 0. (3)93228 40086 242 0. (4)27118 60092 538 0. (6)23209 80844 865 0. (9)26548 07474 011	0. 54737 52050 378 0. 55244 19573 675 0. 56321 78290 882 0. 58124 72754 009 0. 60973 69582 560 0. 65575 56728 761 0. 73824 56222 777 0. 93687 44928 841
$n=17$	$n=17$	$n=17$
0. 00000 00000 000 0. 53163 30013 427 1. 06764 87257 435 1. 61292 43142 212 2. 17350 28266 666 2. 75776 29157 039 3. 37893 20911 415 4. 06194 66758 755 4. 87134 51936 744	0. 53091 79376 249 0. 40182 64694 704 0. 17264 82976 701 0. (1)40920 03414 976 0. (2)50673 49957 628 0. (3)29864 32866 978 0. (5)71122 89140 021 0. (7)49770 78981 631 0. (10)45805 78930 799	0. 53091 79376 249 0. 53307 06545 736 0. 53976 31139 085 0. 55177 73530 782 0. 57073 92941 245 0. 59989 27326 678 0. 64629 17002 129 0. 72874 83705 871 0. 92625 41399 895
$n=18$	$n=18$	$n=18$
0. 25826 77505 191 0. 77668 29192 674 1. 30092 08583 896 1. 83553 16042 616 2. 38629 90891 667 2. 96137 75055 316 3. 57376 90684 863 4. 24811 78735 681 5. 04836 40088 745	0. 48349 56947 255 0. 28480 72856 700 0. (1)97301 74764 132 0. (1)18640 04238 754 0. (2)18885 22630 268 0. (4)91811 26867 929 0. (5)18106 54481 093 0. (7)10467 20579 579 0. (11)78281 99772 116	0. 51684 58364 816 0. 52063 49466 761 0. 52858 94429 188 0. 54157 86786 621 0. 56127 90455 498 0. 59095 30034 631 0. 63763 01720 062 0. 71999 33831 053 0. 91639 35375 519
$n=19$	$n=19$	$n=19$
0. 00000 00000 000 0. 50352 01634 239 1. 01036 83871 343 1. 52417 06193 935 2. 04923 17098 506 2. 59113 37897 945 3. 15784 88183 476 3. 76218 73519 640 4. 42853 28066 038 5. 22027 16905 375	0. 50297 48882 762 0. 39160 89886 130 0. 18363 27013 070 0. (1)50810 38690 905 0. (2)79888 66777 723 0. (3)67087 75214 072 0. (4)27209 19776 316 0. (6)44882 43147 223 0. (8)21630 51009 864 0. (11)13262 97094 499	0. 50297 48882 762 0. 50461 53313 522 0. 50967 93750 983 0. 51863 31937 003 0. 53240 23605 516 0. 55269 46209 671 0. 58277 95297 628 0. 62965 66326 368 0. 71188 18743 371 0. 90719 87960 928
$n=20$	$n=20$	$n=20$
0. 24534 07083 009 0. 73747 37285 454 1. 23407 62153 953 1. 73853 77121 166 2. 25497 40020 893 2. 78880 60584 281 3. 34785 45673 832 3. 94476 40401 156 4. 60368 24495 507 5. 38748 08900 112	0. 46224 36696 006 0. 28667 55053 628 0. 10901 72060 200 0. (1)24810 52088 746 0. (2)32437 73342 238 0. (3)22283 86360 163 0. (5)78025 56478 532 0. (6)10860 69370 769 0. (9)43993 40992 273 0. (12)22293 93645 534	0. 49092 15006 667 0. 49384 33852 721 0. 49992 08713 363 0. 50967 90271 175 0. 52408 03509 486 0. 54485 17423 644 0. 57526 24428 525 0. 62227 86961 914 0. 70433 29611 769 0. 89859 19614 532

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