

McMahon's Expansions for n Fixed and s Large

10.1.58

$$a'_{n,s}, b'_{n,s} \sim \beta - (\mu + 7)(8\beta)^{-1} - \frac{4}{3}(7\mu^2 + 154\mu + 95)(8\beta)^{-3} - \frac{32}{15}(85\mu^3 + 3535\mu^2 + 3561\mu + 6133)(8\beta)^{-5} - \frac{64}{105}(6949\mu^4 + 474908\mu^3 + 330638\mu^2 + 9046780\mu - 5075147)(8\beta)^{-7} - \dots$$

$$\beta = \pi(s + \frac{1}{2}n - \frac{1}{2}) \text{ for } a'_{n,s}, \beta = \pi(s + \frac{1}{2}n) \text{ for } b'_{n,s}; \mu = (2n + 1)^2$$

Asymptotic Expansions of Zeros and Associated Values for n Large

10.1.59

$$a'_{n,1} \sim (n + \frac{1}{2}) + .8086165(n + \frac{1}{2})^{1/3} - .236680(n + \frac{1}{2})^{-1/3} - .20736(n + \frac{1}{2})^{-1} + .0233(n + \frac{1}{2})^{-5/3} + \dots$$

10.1.60

$$b'_{n,1} \sim (n + \frac{1}{2}) + 1.8210980(n + \frac{1}{2})^{1/3} + .802728(n + \frac{1}{2})^{-1/3} - .11740(n + \frac{1}{2})^{-1} + .0249(n + \frac{1}{2})^{-5/3} + \dots$$

10.1.61

$$j_n(a'_{n,1}) \sim .8458430(n + \frac{1}{2})^{-5/6} \{ 1 - .566032(n + \frac{1}{2})^{-2/3} + .38081(n + \frac{1}{2})^{-4/3} - .2203(n + \frac{1}{2})^{-2} + \dots \}$$

10.1.62

$$y_n(b'_{n,1}) \sim .7183921(n + \frac{1}{2})^{-5/6} \{ 1 - 1.274769(n + \frac{1}{2})^{-2/3} + 1.23038(n + \frac{1}{2})^{-4/3} - 1.0070(n + \frac{1}{2})^{-2} + \dots \}$$

See [10.31] for corresponding expansions for $s=2, 3$.

Uniform Asymptotic Expansions of Zeros and Associated Values for n Large

10.1.63

$$a'_{n,s} \sim (n + \frac{1}{2}) \{ z[(n + \frac{1}{2})^{-2/3} a'_s] + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} h_k[(n + \frac{1}{2})^{-2/3} a'_s](n + \frac{1}{2})^{-2k} \}$$

10.1.64

$$b'_{n,s} \sim (n + \frac{1}{2}) \{ z[(n + \frac{1}{2})^{-2/3} b'_s] + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} h_k[(n + \frac{1}{2})^{-2/3} b'_s](n + \frac{1}{2})^{-2k} \}$$

10.1.65

$$j_n(a'_{n,s}) \sim \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}\pi} \text{Ai}(a'_s) (n + \frac{1}{2})^{-5/6} h[(n + \frac{1}{2})^{-2/3} a'_s] (z[(n + \frac{1}{2})^{-2/3} a'_s])^{-1/2} \{ 1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} H_k[(n + \frac{1}{2})^{-2/3} a'_s](n + \frac{1}{2})^{-2k} \}$$

10.1.66

$$y_n(b'_{n,s}) \sim -\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}\pi} \text{Bi}(b'_s) (n + \frac{1}{2})^{-5/6} h[(n + \frac{1}{2})^{-2/3} b'_s] (z[(n + \frac{1}{2})^{-2/3} b'_s])^{-1/2} \{ 1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} H_k[(n + \frac{1}{2})^{-2/3} b'_s](n + \frac{1}{2})^{-2k} \}$$

$h(\xi), z(\xi)$ are defined as in 9.5.26, 9.3.38, 9.3.39. a'_s, b'_s s -th (negative) real zero of $\text{Ai}'(z), \text{Bi}'(z)$ (see 10.4.95, 10.4.99.)

Complex Zeros of $h_n^{(1)}(z), h_n^{(1)'}(z)$

$h_n^{(1)}(z)$ and $h_n^{(1)}(ze^{2m\pi i})$, m any integer, have the same zeros.

$h_n^{(1)}(z)$ has n zeros, symmetrically distributed with respect to the imaginary axis and lying approximately on the finite arc joining $z = -n$ and $z = n$ shown in Figure 9.6. If n is odd, one zero lies on the imaginary axis.

$h_n^{(1)'}(z)$ has $n + 1$ zeros lying approximately on the same curve. If n is even, one zero lies on the imaginary axis.