

19.21.7 $u_r + iv_r = \Gamma(r + \frac{1}{2} + ia) / \Gamma(\frac{1}{2} + ia)$

or

19.21.8 $s(a, x) \sim \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} (-i)^r \frac{\Gamma(2r + \frac{1}{2} + ia)}{\Gamma(\frac{1}{2} + ia)} \frac{1}{2^r r! x^{2r}}$

19.22. Expansions for a Large With x Moderate

(i) a positive

When $a \gg x^2$, with $p = \sqrt{a}$, then

19.22.1 $W(a, x) = W(a, 0) \exp(-px + v_1)$

19.22.2 $W(a, -x) = W(a, 0) \exp(px + v_2)$

where $W(a, 0)$ is given by 19.17.4, and

19.22.3

$$v_1, v_2 \sim \pm \frac{\frac{2}{3}(\frac{1}{2}x)^3}{2p} + \frac{(\frac{1}{2}x)^2}{(2p)^2} \pm \frac{\frac{1}{2}x + \frac{2}{5}(\frac{1}{2}x)^5}{(2p)^3} + \frac{2(\frac{1}{2}x)^4}{(2p)^4} \pm \frac{\frac{1}{3}(\frac{1}{2}x)^3 + \frac{4}{7}(\frac{1}{2}x)^7}{(2p)^5} + \dots$$

($a \rightarrow +\infty$)

The upper sign gives the first function, and the lower sign the second function.

(ii) a negative

When $-a \gg x^2$, with $p = \sqrt{-a}$, then

19.22.4

$$W(a, x) + iW(a, -x) = \sqrt{2}W(a, 0) \exp\{v_r + i(px + \frac{1}{4}\pi + v_i)\}$$

where $W(a, 0)$ is given by 19.17.4, and

19.22.5

$$v_r \sim -\frac{(\frac{1}{2}x)^2}{(2p)^2} + \frac{2(\frac{1}{2}x)^4}{(2p)^4} - \frac{9(\frac{1}{2}x)^2 + \frac{1}{3}(\frac{1}{2}x)^6}{(2p)^6} + \dots$$

$$v_i \sim \frac{\frac{2}{3}(\frac{1}{2}x)^3}{2p} - \frac{\frac{1}{2}x + \frac{2}{5}(\frac{1}{2}x)^5}{(2p)^3} + \frac{\frac{1}{3}(\frac{1}{2}x)^3 + \frac{4}{7}(\frac{1}{2}x)^7}{(2p)^5} - \dots$$

($a \rightarrow -\infty$)

Further expansions of a similar type will be found in [19.3].

19.23. Darwin's Expansions

(i) a positive, $x^2 - 4a \gg 0$

Write

19.23.1

$$X = \sqrt{x^2 - 4a} \quad \theta = 4a\vartheta_2(x/2\sqrt{a}) = \frac{1}{2} \int_{2\sqrt{a}}^x X dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{4}xX - a \ln \frac{x+X}{2\sqrt{a}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4}x\sqrt{x^2 - 4a} - a \operatorname{arccosh} \frac{x}{2\sqrt{a}}$$

(see Table 19.3 for ϑ_2), then

19.23.2 $W(a, x) = \sqrt{2ke^{\nu_r}} \cos(\frac{1}{4}\pi + \theta + \nu_i)$

19.23.3 $W(a, -x) = \sqrt{2/ke^{\nu_r}} \sin(\frac{1}{4}\pi + \theta + \nu_i)$

where

19.23.4 $v_r \sim -\frac{1}{2} \ln X - \frac{d_6}{X^6} + \frac{d_{12}}{X^{12}} - \dots$

$$v_i \sim -\frac{d_3}{X^3} + \frac{d_9}{X^9} - \frac{d_{15}}{X^{15}} + \dots$$

($x^2 - 4a \rightarrow \infty$)

and d_{3r} is given by 19.23.12.

(ii) a positive, $4a - x^2 \gg 0$

Write

19.23.5

$$Y = \sqrt{4a - x^2} \quad \theta = 4a\vartheta_4(x/2\sqrt{a})$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^x Y dx = \frac{1}{4}xY + a \arcsin \frac{x}{2\sqrt{a}}$$

(see Table 19.3 for $\vartheta_4 = \frac{1}{8}\pi - \vartheta_3$), then

19.23.6 $W(a, x) = \exp\{-\theta + \nu(a, x)\}$

19.23.7 $W(a, -x) = \exp\{\theta + \nu(a, -x)\}$

where

19.23.8

$$\nu(a, x) \sim -\frac{1}{2} \ln Y + \frac{d_3}{Y^3} + \frac{d_6}{Y^6} + \frac{d_9}{Y^9} + \dots$$

($x^2 - 4a \rightarrow -\infty$)

and d_{3r} is again given by 19.23.12.

(iii) a negative, $x^2 - 4a \gg 0$

Write

19.23.9

$$X = \sqrt{x^2 + 4|a|} \quad \theta = 4|a|\vartheta_1(x/2\sqrt{|a|}) = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^x X dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{4}xX - a \ln \frac{x+X}{2\sqrt{|a|}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4}x\sqrt{x^2 + 4|a|} - a \operatorname{arcsinh} \frac{x}{2\sqrt{|a|}}$$

(see Table 19.3 for ϑ_1) then

19.23.10 $W(a, x) = \sqrt{2ke^{\nu_r}} \cos(\frac{1}{4}\pi + \theta + \nu_i)$

19.23.11 $W(a, -x) = \sqrt{2/ke^{\nu_r}} \sin(\frac{1}{4}\pi + \theta + \nu_i)$

where ν_r and ν_i are again given by 19.23.4. In each case the coefficients d_{3r} are given by