



**Digitizing of special functions,
differential equations,
and solutions to Einstein's equations
within a computer algebra system**

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Digitizing (old paradigm)

- *Big amounts of knowledge available to everybody in local machines or through the internet*
- *Take advantage of basic computer functionality, like searching and editing*



Digitizing (new paradigm)

- *By digitizing mathematical knowledge inside appropriate computational contexts that understand about the topics, one can*
 - a) do an articulated, creative and useful use of this knowledge*
 - b) use the digitized knowledge to generate more and higher level knowledge*



Challenges

1) how to identify, test and organize the key blocks of information,

2) how to access it: the interface,

3) how to mathematically process it to obtain "derived information"



Three examples

▼ Mathematical Functions

"Mathematical functions, are defined by algebraic expressions. So consider algebraic expressions in general ..."

▼ The FunctionAdvisor (basic)

"Supporting information on definitions, identities, possible simplifications, integral forms, different types of series expansions, and mathematical properties in general"

▼ Examples

> restart; FunctionAdvisor()

The usage is as follows:

> FunctionAdvisor(topic, function, ...);

where 'topic' indicates the subject on which advice is required, 'function' is the name of a Maple function, and '...' represents possible additional input depending on the 'topic' chosen. To list the possible topics:

> FunctionAdvisor(topics);

A short form usage,

> FunctionAdvisor(function);

with just the name of the function is also available and displays a summary of information about the function.

> *FunctionAdvisor*(*topics*)

The topics on which information is available are:

[*DE, analytic_extension, asymptotic_expansion, branch_cuts, branch_points, calling_sequence, class_members, classify_function, definition, describe, differentiation_rule, function_classes, identities, integral_form, known_functions, periodicity, plot, relate, required_assumptions, series, singularities, special_values, specialize, sum_form, symmetries, synonyms, table*] **(6.1.1.1)**

> *FunctionAdvisor*(*function_classes, quiet*)

[*trig, trigh, arctrig, arctrigh, elementary, GAMMA_related, Psi_related, Kelvin, Airy, Hankel, Bessel_related, 0F1, orthogonal_polynomials, Ei_related, erf_related, Kummer, Whittaker, Cylinder, 1F1, Elliptic_related, Legendre, Chebyshev, 2F1, Lommel, Struve_related, hypergeometric, Jacobi_related, InverseJacobi_related, Elliptic_doubly_periodic, Weierstrass_related, Zeta_related, complex_components, piecewise_related, Other, Bell, Heun, trigall, arctrigall, integral_transforms*] **(6.1.1.2)**

> *FunctionAdvisor*(*bess*)

* Partial match of "bess" against topic "Bessel_related".
The 14 functions in the "Bessel_related" class are:

[*AiryAi, AiryBi, BesselI, BesselJ, BesselK, BesselY, HankelH1, HankelH2, KelvinBei, KelvinBer, KelvinHei, KelvinHer, KelvinKei, KelvinKer*] **(6.1.1.3)**

> *FunctionAdvisor*(*describe, BesselK*)

BesselK = Modified Bessel function of the second kind **(6.1.1.4)**

> *FunctionAdvisor*(*sum, tan*)

* Partial match of "sum" against topic "sum_form".

$$\left[\tan(z) = \sum_{_kl=1}^{\infty} \frac{B_{2_kl} (-1)^{-_kl} z^{-1+2_kl} (4^{-_kl} - 16^{-_kl})}{\Gamma(2_kl + 1)}, \text{ And } |z| < \frac{\pi}{2} \right] \quad \mathbf{(6.1.1.5)}$$

> *FunctionAdvisor*(*integral, Beta*)

* Partial match of "integral" against topic "integral_form".

$$\left[B(x, y) = \int_0^1 _kl^{x-1} (1 - _kl)^{y-1} d_kl, 0 < \Re(x) \text{ And } 0 < \Re(y) \right] \quad \mathbf{(6.1.1.6)}$$

Summarize about a function

> *FunctionAdvisor*(*GAMMA*)

▼ GAMMA

▼ describe

Γ = Gamma and incomplete Gamma functions

▼ definition

$$\Gamma(z) = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{k l^{z-1}}{e^{-k l}} d_k l$$

And $0 < \Re(z)$

$$\Gamma(a, z) = \Gamma(a) - z^a \left(\int_0^1 \frac{t l^{a-1}}{e^{-t l z}} d_t l \right)$$

And $0 < \Re(a)$

▼ analytic extension

$$\Gamma(z) = \frac{\pi}{\sin(z \pi) \Gamma(1-z)}$$

And $\Re(z) < 0$

▼ classify function

GAMMA_related

IF1

▼ periodicity

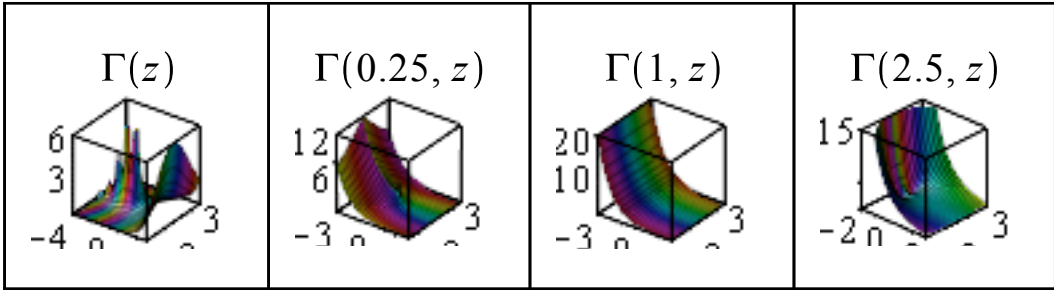
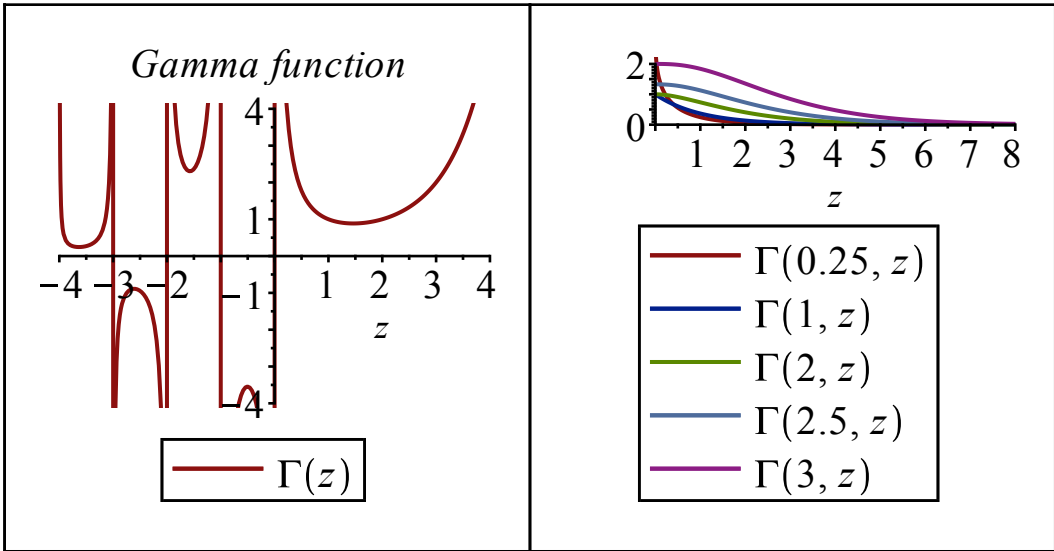
$\Gamma(z)$

No periodicity

$\Gamma(a, z)$

No periodicity

▼ **plot**



▼ **singularities**

$\Gamma(z)$	$z::nonposint$	$z = \infty + \infty I$
$\Gamma(a, z)$	$a = \infty + \infty I$	$z = \infty + \infty I$

▼ **branch points**

$\Gamma(z)$	No branch points
$\Gamma(a, z)$	$a::Not(posint) \text{ And } z \in [0, \infty + \infty I]$

▼ branch cuts

$\Gamma(z)$

No branch cuts

$\Gamma(a, z)$

$a::\text{Not}(\text{posint})$ **And** $z < 0$

▼ special values

$$\Gamma\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) = -2\sqrt{\pi}$$

$$\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \sqrt{\pi}$$

$$\Gamma(1) = 1$$

$$\Gamma(-1) = \infty + \infty \text{ I}$$

$$\Gamma(0) = \infty + \infty \text{ I}$$

$$\Gamma(\infty) = \infty$$

$$\Gamma(-\infty) = \textit{undefined}$$

$$\Gamma(\infty \text{ I}) = 0$$

$$\Gamma(-\infty \text{ I}) = 0$$

$$\Gamma(-1, z) = \frac{\text{Ei}_2(z)}{z}$$

$$\Gamma\left(-\frac{1}{2}, z\right) = -2\sqrt{\pi} \operatorname{erfc}(\sqrt{z}) + \frac{2\text{e}^{-z}}{\sqrt{z}}$$

$$\Gamma(0, z) = \text{Ei}_1(z)$$

$$\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2}, z\right) = \sqrt{\pi} \operatorname{erfc}(\sqrt{z})$$

$$\Gamma(1, z) = \text{e}^{-z}$$

$$\Gamma(a, 0) = \Gamma(a)$$

$$\Gamma(a, \infty) = 0$$

$$\Gamma(a, -\infty) = \infty + \infty \text{ I}$$

▼ identities

$$\Gamma(-z) = -\frac{\pi \csc(\pi z)}{\Gamma(z+1)}$$

$$\Gamma(z+y) = (z)_y \Gamma(z)$$

$$\Gamma(z) = \frac{2^{2z} \left(\prod_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{z}{2^{k-1}}\right)}{\sqrt{\pi}} \right)}{z}$$

$$\Gamma(z) = 2^{\frac{3}{4} - z} + \frac{\cos(2\pi z)}{4} \pi^{\frac{\sin(\pi z)^2}{2}} (2z - 2)!!$$

$$\Gamma(a+n, z) = (a)_n \Gamma(a, z) + z^{a+n-1} e^{-z} \left(\sum_{k=0}^{n-1} (1 - a - n)_{-k} (-z)^{-k} \right)$$

And $n::\text{nonnegint}$

$$\Gamma(a-n, z) = \frac{(-1)^n \Gamma(a, z)}{(1-a)_n} - e^{-z} z^{a-n} \left(\sum_{k=0}^{n-1} 1 / (a-n)_{-k+1} z^{-k} \right)$$

And $n::\text{nonnegint}$

▼ sum form

$\Gamma(a, z) = \sum_{_kl=0}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{z^a (-z)^{-_kl}}{\Gamma(_kl + 1) (_kl + a)} \right) + \Gamma(a)$	And $a::\text{Not}(\text{nonposint})$
$\Gamma(a, z) = \left(\sum_{_kl=0}^{-a-1} \frac{1}{\Gamma(1-a) e^z} \left(\Gamma(-a-_kl) z^{-_kl+a} (-1)^{-_kl} \right) \right) + \left(\sum_{_kl=0}^{\infty} \left((\Psi(_kl + 1) - \ln(z)) z^{-_kl} (-1)^{-a+2_kl} \right) / (e^z \Gamma(1-a) \Gamma(_kl + 1)) \right)$	$a::\text{nonposint}$ And $z \neq 0$
$\Gamma(a, z) = \sum_{_kl=0}^{a-1} \frac{(a-1)! z^{-_kl}}{e^z _kl!}$	$a::\text{posint}$ And $z \neq 0$

▼ **series**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{series}(\Gamma(z), z, 4) = & z^{-1} - \gamma + \left(\frac{\pi^2}{12} + \frac{\gamma^2}{2} \right) z + \left(-\frac{\zeta(3)}{3} - \frac{\pi^2 \gamma}{12} \right. \\ & \left. - \frac{\gamma^3}{6} \right) z^2 + \left(\frac{\pi^4}{160} + \frac{\zeta(3) \gamma}{3} + \frac{\pi^2 \gamma^2}{24} + \frac{\gamma^4}{24} \right) z^3 + O(z^4) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{series}(\Gamma(a, z), a, 4) = & \text{Ei}_1(z) + \left(\text{Ei}_1(z) \ln(z) + G_{2,3}^{3,0} \left(z \left| \begin{smallmatrix} 1, 1 \\ 0, 0, 0 \end{smallmatrix} \right. \right) \right) a \\ & + \left(\frac{\text{Ei}_1(z) \ln(z)^2}{2} + \ln(z) G_{2,3}^{3,0} \left(z \left| \begin{smallmatrix} 1, 1 \\ 0, 0, 0 \end{smallmatrix} \right. \right) + G_{3,4}^{4,0} \left(z \left| \begin{smallmatrix} 1, 1, 1 \\ 0, 0, 0, 0 \end{smallmatrix} \right. \right) \right) a^2 \\ & + \left(\frac{\text{Ei}_1(z) \ln(z)^3}{6} + \frac{\ln(z)^2 G_{2,3}^{3,0} \left(z \left| \begin{smallmatrix} 1, 1 \\ 0, 0, 0 \end{smallmatrix} \right. \right)}{2} + \ln(z) G_{3,4}^{4,0} \left(z \right. \right. \\ & \left. \left. \left| \begin{smallmatrix} 1, 1, 1 \\ 0, 0, 0, 0 \end{smallmatrix} \right. \right) + G_{4,5}^{5,0} \left(z \left| \begin{smallmatrix} 1, 1, 1, 1 \\ 0, 0, 0, 0, 0 \end{smallmatrix} \right. \right) \right) a^3 + O(a^4) \end{aligned}$$

▼ asymptotic expansion

$$\begin{aligned} \text{asympt}(\Gamma(z), z, 4) = & \frac{1}{\left(\frac{1}{z} \right)^z e^z} \left(\sqrt{2} \sqrt{\pi} \sqrt{\frac{1}{z}} + \frac{\sqrt{2} \sqrt{\pi} \left(\frac{1}{z} \right)^{3/2}}{12} \right. \\ & \left. + \frac{\sqrt{2} \sqrt{\pi} \left(\frac{1}{z} \right)^{5/2}}{288} - \frac{139 \sqrt{2} \sqrt{\pi} \left(\frac{1}{z} \right)^{7/2}}{51840} + O \left(\left(\frac{1}{z} \right)^{9/2} \right) \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{asympt}(\Gamma(a, z), a, 4) = & \frac{1}{\left(\frac{1}{a} \right)^a e^a} \left(\sqrt{2} \sqrt{\pi} \sqrt{\frac{1}{a}} + \frac{\sqrt{2} \sqrt{\pi} \left(\frac{1}{a} \right)^{3/2}}{12} \right. \\ & \left. + \frac{\sqrt{2} \sqrt{\pi} \left(\frac{1}{a} \right)^{5/2}}{288} - \frac{139 \sqrt{2} \sqrt{\pi} \left(\frac{1}{a} \right)^{7/2}}{51840} + O \left(\left(\frac{1}{a} \right)^{9/2} \right) \right) \end{aligned}$$

▼ integral form

$$\Gamma(z) = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{t^{z-1}}{e^t} dt \quad \text{And } 0 < \Re(z)$$

$$\Gamma(a, z) = \Gamma(a) - z^a \left(\int_0^1 \frac{t^{a-1}}{e^{tz}} dt \right) \quad \text{And } 0 < \Re(a)$$

$$\Gamma(a, z) = \int_z^{\infty} \frac{t^{a-1}}{e^t} dt \quad \text{And } 0 < \Re(z)$$

▼ differentiation rule

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial a} \Gamma(a, z) = \Gamma(a, z) \ln(z) + G_{2,3}^{3,0} \left(z \middle| \begin{matrix} 1, 1 \\ 0, 0, a \end{matrix} \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial z} \Gamma(a, z) = -z^{a-1} e^{-z}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial^n}{\partial z^n} \Gamma(a, z) = & \frac{1}{a(-a+n-1)} \left(z^{-1-\frac{a}{2}+\frac{n}{2}} e^{-\frac{z}{2}} (a-n+1)_n \left((a \right. \right. \\ & + 1) M_{\frac{a}{2}+\frac{n}{2}+1, \frac{a}{2}-\frac{n}{2}+\frac{1}{2}}(z) + (-n \\ & + z) M_{\frac{a}{2}+\frac{n}{2}, \frac{a}{2}-\frac{n}{2}+\frac{1}{2}}(z) \Big) z^{a-n} \Big) + \Gamma(a) (1-n)_n \end{aligned}$$

▼ DE

$$f(z) = \Gamma(a, z)$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} & \frac{d^2}{dz^2} f(z) \\ &= \frac{\left(\frac{d}{dz} f(z) \right) (a - z - 1)}{z} \end{aligned} \right|$$

More complicated relationships between mathematical functions, computed using Maple internal database and algorithms.

➤ *FunctionAdvisor*(specialize, HermiteH, KummerU)

$$\left[H_a(z) = 2^a U\left(-\frac{a}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, z^2\right), \text{ And } 0 < \Re(z) \text{ or } \Re(z) = 0 \text{ And } 0 < \Im(z) \right] \quad (6.1.1.7)$$

➤ *FunctionAdvisor*(DE, EllipticF(z, k))

$$\left[f(z, k) = F(z, k), \left[\frac{\partial^2}{\partial k^2} f(z, k) = \frac{(-1 - 3k^4 z^2 + (z^2 + 3)k^2) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial k} f(z, k) \right)}{k^5 z^2 + (-z^2 - 1)k^3 + k} \right. \right. \quad (6.1.1.8)$$

$$+ \frac{(z^3 - z) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial z} f(z, k) \right)}{(k^4 - k^2)z^2 - k^2 + 1} + \frac{(-k^2 z^2 + 1)f(z, k)}{k^4 z^2 - k^2 z^2 - k^2 + 1}, \frac{\partial^2}{\partial k \partial z} f(z, k) =$$

$$- \frac{\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial z} f(z, k) \right) k z^2}{k^2 z^2 - 1}, \left. \frac{\partial^2}{\partial z^2} f(z, k) \right. \\ \left. = \frac{(-2k^2 z^3 + (k^2 + 1)z) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial z} f(z, k) \right)}{1 + k^2 z^4 + (-k^2 - 1)z^2} \right] \right]$$

➤ EllipticF(exp(sqrt(z)), k)

$$F(e^{\sqrt{z}}, k) \quad (6.1.1.9)$$

➤ *FunctionAdvisor*(DE, (6.1.1.9), [z, k])

$$\left[f(z, k) = F(e^{\sqrt{z}}, k), \left[\frac{\partial^3}{\partial k^3} f(z, k) = \left(\frac{3 \left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial k \partial z} f(z, k) \right)}{\frac{\partial}{\partial z} f(z, k)} \right) \right. \right. \quad (6.1.1.10)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + \frac{-5k^2 + 1}{k^3 - k} \left) \left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial k^2} f(z, k) \right) + \left(\frac{(9k^2 - 3) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial k} f(z, k) \right)}{(k^3 - k) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial z} f(z, k) \right)} \right. \\
& \left. + \frac{3f(z, k)}{(k^2 - 1) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial z} f(z, k) \right)} \right) \left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial k \partial z} f(z, k) \right) \\
& + \frac{(-4k^2 - 1) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial k} f(z, k) \right)}{(k^2 - 1) k^2}, \frac{\partial^2}{\partial z^2} f(z, k) = \left(-k^3 (k - 1)^2 (k + 1)^2 \left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial k^2} \right. \right. \\
& \left. \left. f(z, k) \right)^2 + \left((-6k^6 + 8k^4 - 2k^2) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial k} f(z, k) \right) + 2k(k - 1)^2 (k \right. \right. \\
& \left. \left. + 1)^2 \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial z} f(z, k) \right) + (-2k^5 + 2k^3) f(z, k) \right) \left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial k^2} f(z, k) \right) \right. \\
& \left. - 9 \left(k^2 - \frac{1}{3} \right)^2 k \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial k} f(z, k) \right)^2 + \left((6k^4 - 8k^2 + 2) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial z} f(z, k) \right) \right. \right. \\
& \left. \left. + (-6k^4 + 2k^2) f(z, k) \right) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial k} f(z, k) \right) + 4 \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial z} f(z, k) \right)^2 k z + (2k^3 \right. \\
& \left. - 2k) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial z} f(z, k) \right) f(z, k) - f(z, k)^2 k^3 \right) \Bigg/ \left(-4kz(k - 1)^2 (k \right. \\
& \left. + 1)^2 \left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial k^2} f(z, k) \right) + (-12k^4 z + 16k^2 z - 4z) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial k} f(z, k) \right) + (\right. \\
& \left. - 4k^3 z + 4kz) f(z, k) \right), \left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial k \partial z} f(z, k) \right)^2 = \frac{k^2 \left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial k^2} f(z, k) \right)^2}{4z}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + \left(\frac{(3k^5 - 4k^3 + k) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial k} f(z, k) \right)}{2z(k-1)^2(k+1)^2} + \frac{(k^2 - 1)k^2 f(z, k)}{2z(k^4 - 2k^2 + 1)} \right) \left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial k^2} \right. \\
& \left. f(z, k) \right) + \frac{(-2k^3 + 2k) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial z} f(z, k) \right) \left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial k \partial z} f(z, k) \right)}{k^4 - 2k^2 + 1} \\
& + \frac{(3k^2 - 1)^2 \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial k} f(z, k) \right)^2}{4z(k-1)^2(k+1)^2} + \frac{(3k^3 - k) f(z, k) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial k} f(z, k) \right)}{2z(k-1)^2(k+1)^2} \\
& \left. - \frac{\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial z} f(z, k) \right)^2 k^2}{k^4 - 2k^2 + 1} + \frac{k^2 f(z, k)^2}{4z(k-1)^2(k+1)^2} \right]
\end{aligned}$$

The information returned by the **FunctionAdvisor** command can be used for further computations: verify the above

> *pdetest*(*op*((**6.1.1.10**)))

$$[0, 0, 0] \quad (6.1.1.11)$$

The relation between all elementary functions and the **pFq** hypergeometric function:

> *FunctionAdvisor*(*elementary*, *quiet*)

[*arccos*, *arccosh*, *arccot*, *arcoth*, *arccsc*, *arcsch*, *arcsec*, *arcsech*, *arcsin*, *arsinh*, *arctan*, *artanh*, *cos*, *cosh*, *cot*, *coth*, *csc*, *csch*, *exp*, *ln*, *sec*, *sech*, *sin*, *sinh*, *tan*, *tanh*] (6.1.1.12)

> *map2*(*FunctionAdvisor*, *relate*, (**6.1.1.12**), *hypergeom*)

$$\left[\arccos(z) = \frac{\pi}{2} - z {}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}; \frac{3}{2}; z^2\right), \operatorname{arccosh}(z) \right. \quad (6.1.1.13)$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{-(-1+z)^2} \left(2z {}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}; \frac{3}{2}; z^2\right) - \pi \right)}{-2 + 2z}, \operatorname{arccot}(z) = \frac{\pi}{2} - z$$

$${}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}, 1; \frac{3}{2}; -z^2\right), \operatorname{arcoth}(z)$$

$$= \frac{\pi \sqrt{-(z-1)^2} + 2z {}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}, 1; \frac{3}{2}; z^2\right) (z-1)}{2z-2}, \operatorname{arccsc}(z)$$

$$= \frac{{}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}; \frac{3}{2}; \frac{1}{z^2}\right)}{z}, \operatorname{arccsch}(z) = \frac{{}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}; \frac{3}{2}; -\frac{1}{z^2}\right)}{z}, \operatorname{arcsec}(z)$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{{}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}; \frac{3}{2}; \frac{1}{z^2}\right)}{z}, \operatorname{arcsech}(z)$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{-\frac{(z-1)^2}{z^2}} \left(z\pi - 2 {}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}; \frac{3}{2}; \frac{1}{z^2}\right) \right)}{2z-2}, \operatorname{arcsin}(z) = z$$

$${}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}; \frac{3}{2}; z^2\right), \operatorname{arcsinh}(z) = z {}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}; \frac{3}{2}; -z^2\right), \operatorname{arctan}(z) = z$$

$${}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}, 1; \frac{3}{2}; -z^2\right), \operatorname{arctanh}(z) = z {}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}, 1; \frac{3}{2}; z^2\right), \cos(z) = {}_0F_1\left(; \frac{1}{2};\right.$$

$$\left. -\frac{z^2}{4}\right), \cosh(z) = {}_0F_1\left(; \frac{1}{2}; \frac{z^2}{4}\right), \cot(z) = \frac{{}_0F_1\left(; \frac{1}{2}; -\frac{z^2}{4}\right)}{z {}_0F_1\left(; \frac{3}{2}; -\frac{z^2}{4}\right)}, \coth(z)$$

$$= \frac{{}_0F_1\left(; \frac{1}{2}; \frac{z^2}{4}\right)}{z {}_0F_1\left(; \frac{3}{2}; \frac{z^2}{4}\right)}, \csc(z) = \frac{1}{z {}_0F_1\left(; \frac{3}{2}; -\frac{z^2}{4}\right)}, \operatorname{csch}(z)$$

$$= \frac{1}{z {}_0F_1\left(; \frac{3}{2}; \frac{z^2}{4}\right)}, e^z = {}_0F_0(; z), \ln(z) = (z-1) {}_2F_1(1, 1; 2; -z+1),$$

$$\sec(z) = \frac{1}{{}_0F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}; -\frac{z^2}{4}\right)}, \operatorname{sech}(z) = \frac{1}{{}_0F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}; \frac{z^2}{4}\right)}, \sin(z) = z {}_0F_1\left(\frac{3}{2}; -\frac{z^2}{4}\right) - \frac{z^2}{4}, \sinh(z) = z {}_0F_1\left(\frac{3}{2}; \frac{z^2}{4}\right), \tan(z) = \frac{z {}_0F_1\left(\frac{3}{2}; -\frac{z^2}{4}\right)}{{}_0F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}; -\frac{z^2}{4}\right)}, \tanh(z) = \frac{z {}_0F_1\left(\frac{3}{2}; \frac{z^2}{4}\right)}{{}_0F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}; \frac{z^2}{4}\right)}$$

All the 'specializations' of the arcsin function

➤ *FunctionAdvisor(specialize, arcsin)*

$$\left[\operatorname{arcsin}(z) = \frac{z {}_2F_1\left(0, \frac{1}{2}, 0, 0, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{z^2}{z^2 - 1}\right)}{\sqrt{-z^2 + 1}}, \text{ with no restrictions on } (z) \right], \quad (6.1.1.14)$$

$$\left[\operatorname{arcsin}(z) = z {}_2F_1\left(0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 0, \frac{1}{2}, z^2\right), \text{ with no restrictions on } (z) \right],$$

$$\left[\operatorname{arcsin}(z) = \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{am^{-1}(\operatorname{arcsec}(z)|1)(z-1)}{\sqrt{-(z-1)^2}}, \text{ And } \Re(z) \in (0, \pi) \right],$$

$$\left[\operatorname{arcsin}(z) = \frac{z \pi P\left(\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\right)(-2z^2 + 1)}{-\frac{1}{2}}, \text{ with no restrictions on } (z) \right],$$

$$\left[\operatorname{arcsin}(z) = \frac{z \sqrt{\pi} (-2z^2 + 2)^{1/4} P^{-\frac{1}{2}}(-2z^2 + 1)}{2 (-2z^2)^{1/4}}, \right]$$

$$\text{with no restrictions on } (z) \left[\operatorname{arcsin}(z) = \frac{z {}_2F_1\left(-z^2, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)}{2 \sqrt{\pi}}, \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{with no restrictions on } (z) \end{array} \right] , \left[\arcsin(z) = \frac{\pi}{2} - \arccos(z), \right. \\
& \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{with no restrictions on } (z) \end{array} \right] , \left[\arcsin(z) = \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{\operatorname{arccosh}(z) (z-1)}{\sqrt{-(z-1)^2}}, \right. \\
& \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{with no restrictions on } (z) \end{array} \right] , \left[\arcsin(z) = \pi - 2 \operatorname{arccot}\left(\frac{z}{1 + \sqrt{-z^2 + 1}}\right), \right. \\
& \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{with no restrictions on } (z) \end{array} \right] , \left[\arcsin(z) \right. \\
& = \frac{1}{\operatorname{I} z + \sqrt{-z^2 + 1} + 1} \left((2 \operatorname{I} \sqrt{-z^2 + 1} + 2 \operatorname{I} \right. \\
& \left. - 2 z) \operatorname{arccoth}\left(\frac{-\operatorname{I} z}{1 + \sqrt{-z^2 + 1}}\right) + \operatorname{I} (1 \right. \\
& \left. + \sqrt{-z^2 + 1}) \pi \sqrt{-\left(\frac{\operatorname{I} z}{1 + \sqrt{-z^2 + 1}} + 1\right)^2} \right), \\
& \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{with no restrictions on } (z) \end{array} \right] , \left[\arcsin(z) = \operatorname{arccsc}\left(\frac{1}{z}\right), \right. \\
& \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{with no restrictions on } (z) \end{array} \right] , \left[\arcsin(z) = \operatorname{I} \operatorname{arccsch}\left(\frac{\operatorname{I}}{z}\right), \right. \\
& \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{with no restrictions on } (z) \end{array} \right] , \left[\arcsin(z) = \frac{\pi}{2} - \operatorname{arcsec}\left(\frac{1}{z}\right), \right. \\
& \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{with no restrictions on } (z) \end{array} \right] , \left[\arcsin(z) = \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{\operatorname{arcsech}\left(\frac{1}{z}\right) (-1 + z)}{\sqrt{-\left(\frac{1}{z} - 1\right)^2 z^2}}, \right. \\
& \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{with no restrictions on } (z) \end{array} \right] , \left[\arcsin(z) = -\operatorname{I} \operatorname{arcsinh}(\operatorname{I} z), \right. \\
& \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{with no restrictions on } (z) \end{array} \right] , \left[\arcsin(z) = 2 \operatorname{arctan}\left(\frac{z}{1 + \sqrt{-z^2 + 1}}\right), \right.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \left. \text{with no restrictions on } (z) \right], \left[\arcsin(z) = -2 \operatorname{I} \operatorname{arctanh} \left(\frac{\operatorname{I} z}{1 + \sqrt{-z^2 + 1}} \right), \right. \\ & \left. \text{with no restrictions on } (z) \right], \left[\arcsin(z) = z {}_2F_1 \left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}; \frac{3}{2}; z^2 \right), \right. \\ & \left. \text{with no restrictions on } (z) \right], \left[\arcsin(z) = -\operatorname{I} \ln \left(\operatorname{I} z + \sqrt{-z^2 + 1} \right), \right. \\ & \left. \text{with no restrictions on } (z) \right] \end{aligned}$$

▼ General description

- The **FunctionAdvisor** command provides information on the following topics.

analytic_extension	asymptotic_expansion	branch_cuts	branch_points
calling_sequence	class_members	classify_function	DE
definition	describe	differentiation_rule	display
function_classes	identities	integral_form	known_functions
relate	series	singularities	special_values
specialize	sum_form	synonyms	topics

The **FunctionAdvisor** command provides information on the following mathematical functions.

abs	AiryAi	AiryBi	AngerJ
arccos	arccosh	arccot	arccoth
arccsc	arccsch	arcsec	arcsech
arcsin	arcsinh	arctan	arctanh
argument	BellB	bernoulli	Bessell
BessellJ	BesselK	BesselY	Beta

<u>binomial</u>	<u>ChebyshevT</u>	<u>ChebyshevU</u>	<u>Chi</u>
<u>Ci</u>	<u>CompleteBellB</u>	<u>cos</u>	<u>cosh</u>
<u>cot</u>	<u>coth</u>	<u>CoulombF</u>	<u>csc</u>
<u>csch</u>	<u>csgn</u>	<u>CylinderD</u>	<u>CylinderU</u>
<u>CylinderV</u>	<u>dawson</u>	<u>dilog</u>	<u>Dirac</u>
<u>doublefactorial</u>	<u>Ei</u>	<u>EllipticCE</u>	<u>EllipticCK</u>
<u>EllipticCPi</u>	<u>EllipticE</u>	<u>EllipticF</u>	<u>EllipticK</u>
<u>EllipticModulus</u>	<u>EllipticNome</u>	<u>EllipticPi</u>	<u>erf</u>
<u>erfc</u>	<u>erfi</u>	<u>euler</u>	<u>exp</u>
<u>factorial</u>	<u>FresnelC</u>	<u>FresnelF</u>	<u>Fresnelg</u>
<u>FresnelS</u>	<u>GAMMA</u>	<u>GaussAGM</u>	<u>GegenbauerC</u>
<u>HankelH1</u>	<u>HankelH2</u>	<u>harmonic</u>	<u>Heaviside</u>
<u>HermiteH</u>	<u>HeunB</u>	<u>HeunBPrime</u>	<u>HeunC</u>
<u>HeunCPrime</u>	<u>HeunD</u>	<u>HeunDPrime</u>	<u>HeunG</u>
<u>HeunGPrime</u>	<u>HeunT</u>	<u>HeunTPrime</u>	<u>hypergeom</u>
<u>Hypergeom</u>	<u>Im</u>	<u>IncompleteBellB</u>	<u>InverseJacobiAM</u>
<u>InverseJacobiCD</u>	<u>InverseJacobiCN</u>	<u>InverseJacobiCS</u>	<u>InverseJacobiDC</u>
<u>InverseJacobiDN</u>	<u>InverseJacobiDS</u>	<u>InverseJacobiNC</u>	<u>InverseJacobiND</u>
<u>InverseJacobiNS</u>	<u>InverseJacobiSC</u>	<u>InverseJacobiSD</u>	<u>InverseJacobiSN</u>
<u>JacobiAM</u>	<u>JacobiCD</u>	<u>JacobiCN</u>	<u>JacobiCS</u>
<u>JacobiDC</u>	<u>JacobiDN</u>	<u>JacobiDS</u>	<u>JacobiNC</u>

<u>JacobiND</u>	<u>JacobiNS</u>	<u>JacobiP</u>	<u>JacobiSC</u>
<u>JacobiSD</u>	<u>JacobiSN</u>	<u>JacobiTheta1</u>	<u>JacobiTheta2</u>
<u>JacobiTheta3</u>	<u>JacobiTheta4</u>	<u>JacobiZeta</u>	<u>KelvinBei</u>
<u>KelvinBer</u>	<u>KelvinHei</u>	<u>KelvinHer</u>	<u>KelvinKei</u>
<u>KelvinKer</u>	<u>KummerM</u>	<u>KummerU</u>	<u>LaguerreL</u>
<u>LambertW</u>	<u>LegendreP</u>	<u>LegendreQ</u>	<u>LerchPhi</u>
<u>Li</u>	<u>ln</u>	<u>lnGAMMA</u>	<u>log</u>
<u>LommelS1</u>	<u>LommelS2</u>	<u>MathieuA</u>	<u>MathieuB</u>
<u>MathieuC</u>	<u>MathieuCE</u>	<u>MathieuCEPrime</u>	<u>MathieuCPrime</u>
<u>MathieuExponent</u>	<u>MathieuFloquet</u>	<u>MathieuFloquetPrime</u>	<u>MathieuS</u>
<u>MathieuSE</u>	<u>MathieuSEPrime</u>	<u>MathieuSPrime</u>	<u>MeijerG</u>
<u>pochhammer</u>	<u>polylog</u>	<u>Psi</u>	<u>Re</u>
<u>sec</u>	<u>sech</u>	<u>Shi</u>	<u>Si</u>
<u>signum</u>	<u>sin</u>	<u>sinh</u>	<u>SphericalY</u>
<u>Ssi</u>	<u>Stirling1</u>	<u>Stirling2</u>	<u>StruveH</u>
<u>StruveL</u>	<u>tan</u>	<u>tanh</u>	<u>WeberE</u>
<u>WeierstrassP</u>	<u>WeierstrassPPrime</u>	<u>WeierstrassSigma</u>	<u>WeierstrassZeta</u>
<u>WhittakerM</u>	<u>WhittakerW</u>	<u>Wrightomega</u>	<u>Zeta</u>

Like the [conversion facility](#) for mathematical functions, the **FunctionAdvisor** command also works with the concept of function classes and considers [assumptions](#) on the function parameters, if any. The **FunctionAdvisor** command provides information on the following function classes.

`0F1`	`1F1`	`2F1`	Airy
arctrig	arctrigh	Bessel_related	Chebyshev
Cylinder	Ei_related	elementary	Elliptic_doubly_per iodic
Elliptic_related	erf_related	GAMMA_related	Hankel
hypergeometric	Jacobi_related	Kelvin	Kummer
Legendre	Lommel	orthogonal_polyno mials	Other
Psi_related	Struve_related	trig	trigh
Weierstrass_relate d	Whittaker	Zeta_related	

- The **FunctionAdvisor** command can be considered to be between a help and a computational special function facility. Due to the wide range of information this command can handle and in order to facilitate its use, it includes two distinctive features:
 - If you call the **FunctionAdvisor** command without arguments, it returns information that you can follow until the appropriate information displays.
 - If you call the **FunctionAdvisor** command with a topic or function misspelled, but a match exists, it returns the information with a warning message.

You do not have to remember the exact Maple name of each mathematical function or the **FunctionAdvisor** topic. However, to avoid these messages and all **FunctionAdvisor** verbosity, specify the optional argument **quiet** when calling the **FunctionAdvisor** command from another routine.

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▼ Differential equation representation for generic nonlinear algebraic expressions - their use

"Compute differential polynomial forms for a given system of non-polynomial, possibly differential, equations - their use"

▼ The Differential Equations representing arbitrary algebraic expressions

> *restart, with(PDEtools) :*

For ease of reading, these functions are declared to be displayed in a compact way. Also, derivatives are displayed as indexed objects.

> *declare(f(x), g(x, y), _F1(x, y), _F2(x, y), _F3(x, y), prime = x)*

f(x) will now be displayed as f

g(x, y) will now be displayed as g

_F1(x, y) will now be displayed as _F1

_F2(x, y) will now be displayed as _F2

_F3(x, y) will now be displayed as _F3

derivatives with respect to x of functions of one variable will now be displayed with ' (6.2.1.1)

Consider the following non-polynomial expression.

> $f(x) = \tan(x)$

$$f = \tan(x) \quad (6.2.1.2)$$

> *dpolyform((6.2.1.2), no_Fn)*

$$[f' = f^2 + 1] \&\text{where } [f' \neq 0] \quad (6.2.1.3)$$

> $g(x, y) = \tan\left(2x - y^{\frac{1}{2}}\right)$

$$g = \tan(2x - \sqrt{y}) \quad (6.2.1.4)$$

A differential polynomial system (DPS) is given by:

> *dpolyform((6.2.1.4), no_Fn)*

$$\left[g_x = 2g^2 + 2, g_y^2 = \frac{g^4}{4y} + \frac{g^2}{2y} + \frac{1}{4y} \right] \&\text{where } [g_y \neq 0, -g^2 - 1 \neq 0] \quad (6.2.1.5)$$

> *pdetest((6.2.1.4), (6.2.1.5))*

$$[0, 0] \quad (6.2.1.6)$$

The **dpolyform** routine can handle systems of equations containing arbitrary compositions of most functions known to Maple, including fractional or abstract powers.

▼ Deriving knowledge: ODE solving methods

A useful side effect of this is that, by asking for the DP form of a special function for some **very generic arguments**, one receives the polynomial differential equation it satisfies. For example,

$$> y(x) = {}_2F_1(a, b; c; (\alpha x + \beta))$$

$$y(x) = {}_2F_1(a, b; c; \alpha x + \beta) \quad (6.2.2.1)$$

> dpolyform((6.2.2.1), [y, f], no_Fn)

$$\left[y'' = - \frac{\alpha (x (a + b + 1) \alpha + (a + b + 1) \beta - c) y'}{(\alpha x + \beta) (\alpha x + \beta - 1)} - \frac{\alpha^2 a b y(x)}{(\alpha x + \beta) (\alpha x + \beta - 1)} \right] \&\text{where } [y(x) \neq 0] \quad (6.2.2.2)$$

So, if we can recast a given equation in the form above as to tell the values of $\{a, \alpha, b, \beta, \delta, \gamma\}$, we directly know its answer:

> dsolve((6.2.2.2))

$$\left\{ y(x) = {}_2F_1(a, b; c; \alpha x + \beta) + {}_2F_1(a + 1 - c, b + 1 - c; 2 - c; \alpha x + \beta) \right\} \quad (6.2.2.3)$$

The same for the more general case

$$> y(x) = {}_2F_1\left(a, b; c; \frac{(\alpha x + \beta)}{(\gamma x + \delta)}\right) \quad (6.2.2.4)$$

> dpolyform((6.2.2.4), y(x), no_Fn)

$$\left[y'' = \left((-2 \alpha \gamma (\alpha - \gamma) x^2 + (-\beta (c - 2) \gamma^2 + \alpha ((c + 2) \delta + \beta (a + b - 3)) \gamma - \alpha^2 \delta (a + b + 1)) x + \beta ((2 - c) \delta + \beta (a + b - 1)) \gamma - (-c \delta + (a + b + 1) \beta) \alpha \delta) y' \right) / ((\gamma x + \delta) ((\alpha - \gamma) x + \beta - \delta) (\alpha x + \beta)) - \frac{a b (-\alpha \delta + \beta \gamma)^2 y(x)}{((\alpha - \gamma) x + \beta - \delta) (\gamma x + \delta)^2 (\alpha x + \beta)} \right] \&\text{where } [y(x) \neq 0] \quad (6.2.2.5)$$

▼ Extending the mathematical language to include the inverse functions

The **dpolyform** command can handle expressions involving more abstract representations as [DESol](#), [RootOf](#) or [@@](#). For example, consider the inverse of the [dawson](#) function.

$$> y(x) = \text{dawson}^{(-1)}(x)$$

$$y(x) = \text{dawson}^{(-1)}(x) \quad (6.2.3.1)$$

The differential polynomial representation of this object is an [Abel equation of the 2nd kind](#) which happens to admit symmetries separable by product.

$$> \text{dpolyform}((6.2.3.1), \text{no_Fn})$$

$$\left[y' = -\frac{1}{2 y(x) x - 1} \right] \&\text{where } [y(x) \neq 0] \quad (6.2.3.2)$$

$$> \text{dsolve}(\text{op}(1, (6.2.3.2)))$$

$$\left[\left\{ -CI + \frac{1}{2 I e^{y(x)^2} x - \text{erf}(I y(x)) \sqrt{\pi}} = 0 \right\} \right] \quad (6.2.3.3)$$

$$> \text{DEtools}[\text{odeadvisor}](\text{op}([1, 1], (6.2.3.2)), \text{help})$$

$$[[_1st_order, _with_symmetry_F(x)*G(y), 0], [_Abel, 2nd \text{ type}, class \ C]] \quad (6.2.3.4)$$

▼ Solving non-polynomial algebraic equations by solving polynomial differential equations

Finally, it is possible to use **dpolyform** to solve algebraic (nondifferential) systems as well. As an example of this, consider the following non-polynomial, nondifferential system of equations for the unknowns $y(t), z(t)$.

$$> \text{declare}((y, z)(t), \text{prime} = t);$$

y(t) will now be displayed as y

z(t) will now be displayed as z

derivatives with respect to t of functions of one variable will now be displayed with ' (6.2.4.1)

$$> \text{sys} := [t - \tan(y(t) + z(t) - \ln(y(t))) = 0, y(t) - e^{-y(t) + z(t) + \arctan(t)} = 0]$$

$$\text{sys} := [t + \tan(-y - z + \ln(y)) = 0, y - e^{-y + z + \arctan(t)} = 0] \quad (6.2.4.2)$$

Due to the non-trivial *non-polynomial* expressions involved, the Maple [solve](#) command in previous releases failed to solve this problem for $y(t)$ and $z(t)$. By using **dpolyform** you can solve sys as follows. First compute a differential polynomial form for sys .

$$> \text{dpolyform}(\text{sys}, \text{no_Fn})$$

$$\left[y' = \frac{1}{t^2 + 1}, z' = \frac{1}{y(t^2 + 1)} \right] \&\text{where } [y + 1 \neq 0, y \neq 0] \quad (6.2.4.3)$$

$$> \text{DP_sys} := [\text{op}(\text{map}(\text{op}, (6.2.4.3)))]$$

$$\text{DP_sys} := \left[y' = \frac{1}{t^2 + 1}, z' = \frac{1}{y(t^2 + 1)}, y + 1 \neq 0, y \neq 0 \right] \quad (6.2.4.4)$$

Second, solve DP_sys using [dsolve](#)

$$\begin{aligned} &> \text{sol_DP_sys} := \text{dsolve}(\text{DP_sys}, \text{explicit}) \\ &\quad \text{sol_DP_sys} := \{y = \arctan(t) + _C2, z = \ln(\arctan(t) + _C2) + _C1\} \end{aligned} \quad (6.2.4.5)$$

This solution to DP_sys includes the solution to sys for some particular values of the integration constants $\{_C1, _C2\}$ involved. To determine $\{_C1, _C2\}$, substitute the above into sys .

$$\begin{aligned} &> \text{sys_C} := \text{eval}(\text{sys}, \text{sol_DP_sys}) \\ &\text{sys_C} := [t - \tan(\arctan(t) + _C2 + _C1) = 0, \arctan(t) + _C2 \\ &\quad - e^{-_C2 + \ln(\arctan(t) + _C2) + _C1} = 0] \end{aligned} \quad (6.2.4.6)$$

The next step is to solve sys_C for $\{_C1, _C2\}$. We must expand sys_C in a series. It is sufficient to find a few terms from which you can get a solution. For computational reasons, use three intermediate steps.

$$\begin{aligned} &> z1 := \text{map}(\text{lhs}, \text{sys_C}) \\ &z1 := [t - \tan(\arctan(t) + _C2 + _C1), \arctan(t) + _C2 \\ &\quad - e^{-_C2 + \ln(\arctan(t) + _C2) + _C1}] \end{aligned} \quad (6.2.4.7)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &> z2 := \text{map}(\text{series}, z1, t, 1) \\ &\quad z2 := [-\tan(_C2 + _C1) + O(t), _C2 - e^{-_C2 + \ln(_C2) + _C1} + O(t)] \end{aligned} \quad (6.2.4.8)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &> z3 := \text{simplify}(\text{map}(\text{convert}, z2, \text{polynom})) \\ &\quad z3 := [-\tan(_C2 + _C1), _C2 - _C2 e^{-_C2 + _C1}] \end{aligned} \quad (6.2.4.9)$$

Now solve for $\{_C1, _C2\}$:

$$\begin{aligned} &> _EnvAllSolutions := \text{true} \\ &\quad _EnvAllSolutions := \text{true} \end{aligned} \quad (6.2.4.10)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &> \text{sol_C} := \text{solve}(\{op(z3)\}, \{_C1, _C2\}) \\ &\text{sol_C} := \{_C1 = \pi _Z1, _C2 = 0\}, \left\{ _C1 = \frac{\pi _Z2}{2} + I \pi _Z3, _C2 = \frac{\pi _Z2}{2} \right. \\ &\quad \left. - I \pi _Z3 \right\} \end{aligned} \quad (6.2.4.11)$$

where, by convention, $_Z1$ is an integer (see solve). Finally, the solution above leads to the solution for the nondifferential sys , by evaluating sol_DP_sys at these values of the integration constants. To see this, take for instance the solution containing the imaginary unit

$$\begin{aligned} &> \text{select}(\text{has}, [\text{sol_C}], I)_1 \\ &\quad \left\{ _C1 = \frac{\pi _Z2}{2} + I \pi _Z3, _C2 = \frac{\pi _Z2}{2} - I \pi _Z3 \right\} \end{aligned} \quad (6.2.4.12)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &> \text{sol_sys} := \text{eval}(\text{sol_DP_sys}, (6.2.4.12)) \\ &\quad \text{sol_sys} := \text{eval}(\text{sol_DP_sys}, (6.2.4.12)) \end{aligned} \quad (6.2.4.13)$$

$$sol_sys := \left\{ y = \arctan(t) + \frac{\pi Z2}{2} - I \pi Z3, z = \ln \left(\arctan(t) + \frac{\pi Z2}{2} - I \pi Z3 \right) + \frac{\pi Z2}{2} + I \pi Z3 \right\} \quad (6.2.4.13)$$

This solution can be verified by substituting into sys.

> sys

$$\left[t + \tan(-y - z + \ln(y)) = 0, y - e^{-y + z + \arctan(t)} = 0 \right] \quad (6.2.4.14)$$

> simplify(expand(eval(sys, sol_sys)))

$$[0 = 0, 0 = 0] \quad (6.2.4.15)$$

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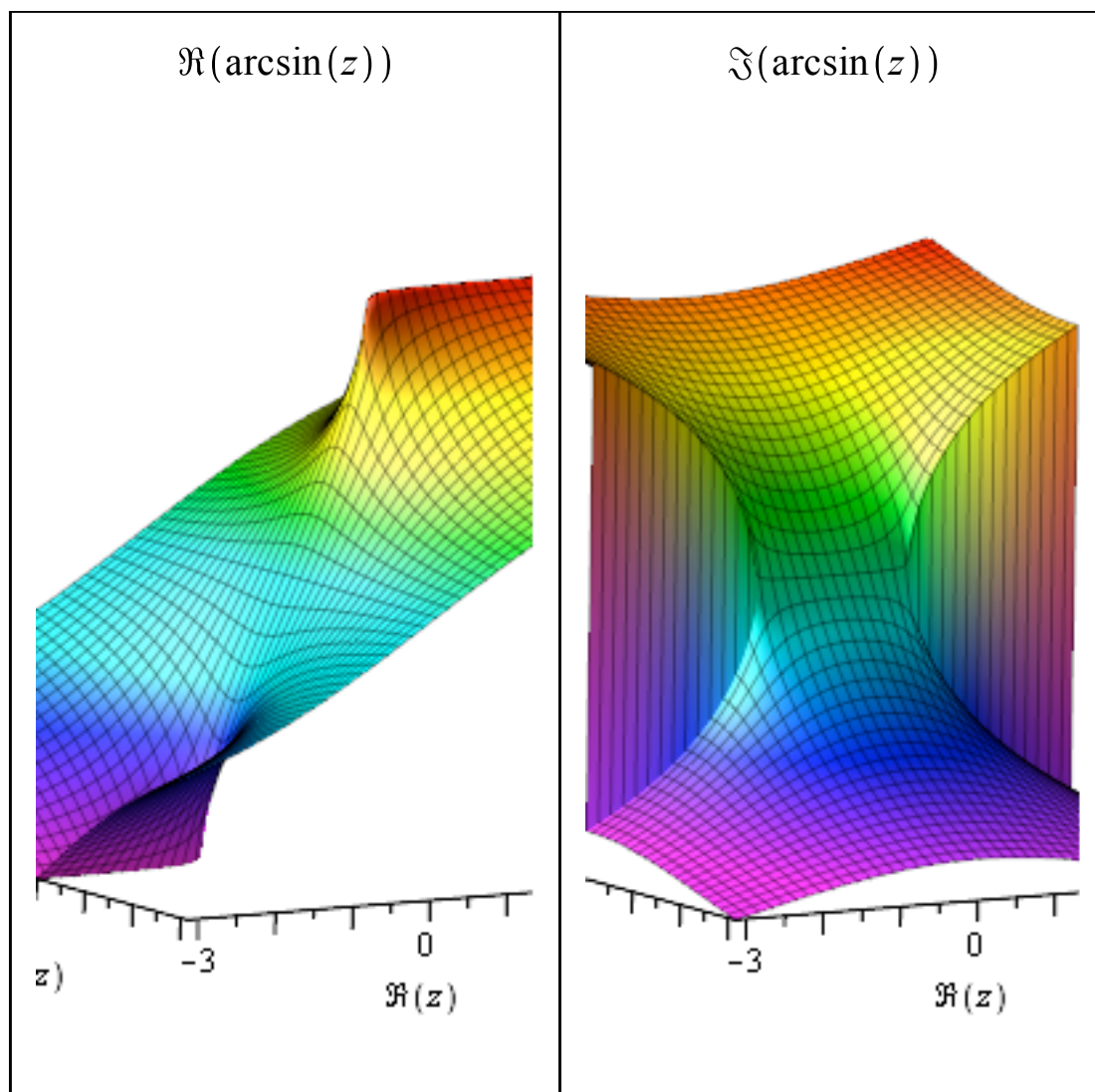
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▼ Branch Cuts of algebraic expressions

"Algebraically compute, and visualize, the branch cuts of a given arbitrary mathematical expression"

▼ Examples

> FunctionAdvisor(branch_cuts, arcsin(z), plot = 3 D)

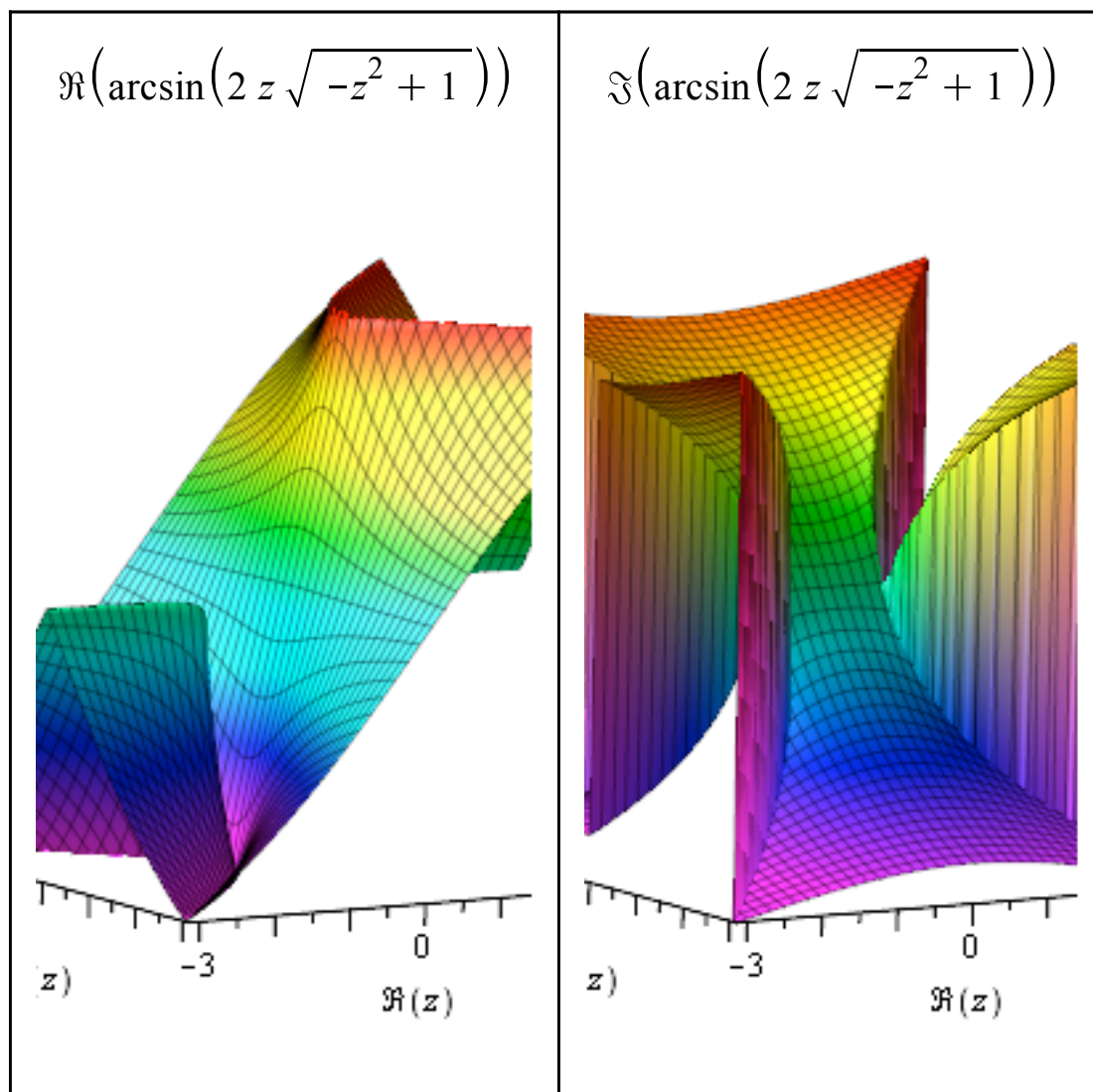


$[\arcsin(z), 1 \leq z, z \leq -1]$

(6.3.1.1)

What about the cuts of an algebraic expression?

> *FunctionAdvisor*(*branch_cuts*, $\arcsin(2z\sqrt{1-z^2})$, *plot* = 3 D)

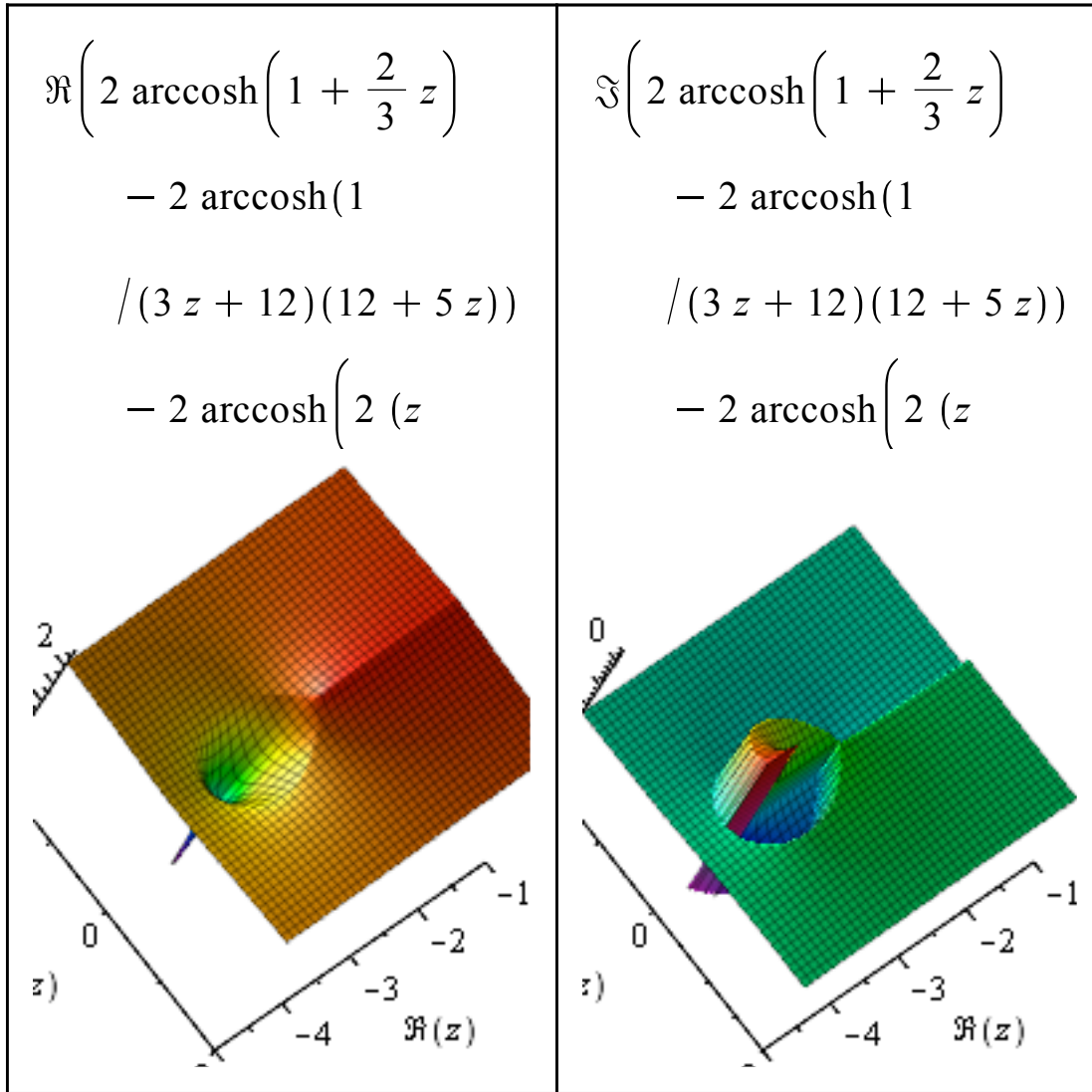


$$\left[\arcsin\left(2 z \sqrt{-z^2 + 1}\right), 1 < z, z < -1, \Re(z) = -\frac{\sqrt{4 \Im(z)^2 + 2}}{2}, \Re(z) = \frac{\sqrt{4 \Im(z)^2 + 2}}{2} \right] \quad (6.3.1.2)$$

A classic example in the theory of branch cut calculation is that of Kahan's teardrop:

$$\begin{aligned} > KTD := 2 \operatorname{arccosh}\left(\frac{(3 + (2 z))}{3}\right) - 2 \operatorname{arccosh}\left(\frac{(12 + (5 z))}{(3 (z + 4))}\right) - 2 \operatorname{arccosh}\left(2 (z \right. \\ &\quad \left. + 3) \sqrt{\frac{(z + 3)}{(27 (z + 4))}}\right): \end{aligned}$$

> *FunctionAdvisor*(*branch_cuts*, *KTD*, *plot* = 3., *shift_range* = -3, *scale_range* = 2, *orientation* = [- 124, 20, 14])



$$\begin{aligned}
 & \left[2 \operatorname{arccosh} \left(1 + \frac{2z}{3} \right) - 2 \operatorname{arccosh} \left(\frac{12 + 5z}{3z + 12} \right) - 2 \operatorname{arccosh} \left(2(z \right. \right. \\
 & \left. \left. + 3) \sqrt{\frac{z + 3}{27z + 108}} \right), -4 < z \leq 0, -\frac{9}{2} < z < -4, \Im(z) \right. \\
 & = \frac{\sqrt{-4 \Re(z)^2 - 28 \Re(z) - 45} (\Re(z) + 3)}{2 \Re(z) + 5} \text{ And } \Re(z) \leq 0 \text{ And } -\frac{9}{4} \\
 & < \Re(z), \Im(z) = \frac{\sqrt{-4 \Re(z)^2 - 28 \Re(z) - 45} (\Re(z) + 3)}{2 \Re(z) + 5} \text{ And } \Re(z) \\
 & \leq -3 \text{ And } -\frac{9}{2} < \Re(z), \Im(z) = \\
 & - \frac{\sqrt{-4 \Re(z)^2 - 28 \Re(z) - 45} (\Re(z) + 3)}{2 \Re(z) + 5} \text{ And } \Re(z) \leq 0 \text{ And } -\frac{9}{4}
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{6.3.1.3}$$

$$\Re(z), \Im(z) = \frac{\sqrt{-4 \Re(z)^2 - 28 \Re(z) - 45} (\Re(z) + 3)}{2 \Re(z) + 5} \text{ And } -\frac{5}{2}$$

$$\Re(z) \text{ And } \Re(z) < -\frac{9}{4}, \Im(z) =$$

$$-\frac{\sqrt{-4 \Re(z)^2 - 28 \Re(z) - 45} (\Re(z) + 3)}{2 \Re(z) + 5} \text{ And } \Re(z) \leq -3 \text{ And } -\frac{9}{2}$$

$$\Re(z), \Im(z) = -\frac{\sqrt{-4 \Re(z)^2 - 28 \Re(z) - 45} (\Re(z) + 3)}{2 \Re(z) + 5} \text{ And } -\frac{5}{2}$$

$$\Re(z) \text{ And } \Re(z) < -\frac{9}{4} \Bigg]$$

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▼ Algebraic expressions in terms of specified functions

"A conversion network for mathematical expressions, allowing to rewrite algebraic expressions in terms of different functions in flexible ways"

▼ Examples

> restart;

Start with the error function

> erf(z)

$$\operatorname{erf}(z) \tag{6.4.1.1}$$

> convert((6.4.1.1), HermiteH)

$$-\frac{2 H_{-1}(z)}{\sqrt{\pi} e^{z^2}} + 1 \tag{6.4.1.2}$$

> convert((6.4.1.2), KummerU)

$$- \frac{z U\left(1, \frac{3}{2}, z^2\right) \sqrt{z^2} - \sqrt{\pi} e^{z^2} (z - \sqrt{z^2})}{\sqrt{z^2} \sqrt{\pi} e^{z^2}} + 1 \quad (6.4.1.3)$$

> normal(convert((6.4.1.3), WhittakerW))

$$\frac{z \left(\sqrt{\pi} e^{z^2} (z^2)^{1/4} - W_{-\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}}(z^2) e^{\frac{z^2}{2}} \right)}{\sqrt{\pi} e^{z^2} (z^2)^{3/4}} \quad (6.4.1.4)$$

> convert((6.4.1.4), hypergeom)

$$\frac{z \left(\sqrt{\pi} e^{z^2} (z^2)^{1/4} - (z^2)^{1/4} \sqrt{\pi} {}_0F_0(;; z^2) + 2 (z^2)^{3/4} {}_1F_1\left(1; \frac{3}{2}; z^2\right) \right)}{\sqrt{\pi} e^{z^2} (z^2)^{3/4}} \quad (6.4.1.5)$$

> simplify((6.4.1.5))

$$\operatorname{erf}(z) \quad (6.4.1.6)$$

Most special functions satisfy identities relating contiguous values of their parameters. These identities can also be computed as "conversions", for instance,

> $H_a(z)$

$$H_a(z) \quad (6.4.1.7)$$

> (6.4.1.7) = convert((6.4.1.7), HermiteH, "raise a")

$$H_a(z) = \frac{2z H_{a+1}(z) - H_{a+2}(z)}{2a+2} \quad (6.4.1.8)$$

Many "rule conversions" can be requested at once and performed in a specified order; for instance, consider the following expression:

$$\begin{aligned} > ee := \frac{1}{8} U\left(\frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, z^2\right) - \frac{1}{8} U\left(1, \frac{3}{2}, z^2\right) \sqrt{z^2} - \frac{1}{4} U\left(1, \frac{3}{2}, z^2\right) z^2 \sqrt{z^2} \\ & \quad + \left(\frac{1}{4} \sqrt{z^2}\right) \\ ee &:= \frac{U\left(\frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, z^2\right)}{8} - \frac{U\left(1, \frac{3}{2}, z^2\right) \sqrt{z^2}}{8} - \frac{U\left(1, \frac{3}{2}, z^2\right) z^2 \sqrt{z^2}}{4} + \frac{\sqrt{z^2}}{4} \end{aligned} \quad (6.4.1.9)$$

By converting it to 'KummerU' and applying rules for normalizing the first and second indices, here respectively called a and b , and then mixing them, you obtain varied representations for the same expression.

> convert(ee, KummerU, "normalize a", "normalize b", "mix a and b")

$$\frac{\sqrt{z^2} U\left(2, \frac{3}{2}, z^2\right)}{8} - \frac{U\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, z^2\right)}{8} - \frac{U\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, z^2\right) z^2}{4} + \frac{\sqrt{z^2}}{4} \quad (6.4.1.10)$$

> *convert*((6.4.1.10), KummerU, "normalize a", "normalize b", "mix a and b")

$$\frac{(2z^2 + 1) U\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, z^2\right)}{8} - \frac{U\left(1, \frac{3}{2}, z^2\right) \sqrt{z^2}}{8} - \frac{U\left(1, \frac{3}{2}, z^2\right) z^2 \sqrt{z^2}}{4} \quad (6.4.1.11)$$

A further manipulation actually shows the expression was always equal to zero :)

> *convert*((6.4.1.11), KummerU, "normalize a", "normalize b", "mix a and b")

$$\frac{(2z^2 + 1) U\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, z^2\right)}{8} - \frac{U\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, z^2\right)}{8} - \frac{U\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, z^2\right) z^2}{4} \quad (6.4.1.12)$$

> *normal*((6.4.1.12))

$$0 \quad (6.4.1.13)$$

▼ General description

• The functions to which you can convert - the second argument could be one of these - are:

AiryAi	AiryBi	arccos	arccosh
arccot	arccoth	arccsc	arccsch
arcsec	arcsech	arcsin	arcsinh
arctan	arctanh	BellB	Bessell
Bessell	BesselK	BessellY	ChebyshevT
ChebyshevU	cos	cosh	cot
coth	CoulombF	csc	csch
CylinderD	CylinderU	CylinderV	dilog
Ei	EllipticE	EllipticK	erf
exp	GAMMA	GegenbauerC	HankelH1
HankelH2	HermiteH	hypergeom	JacobiP

KummerM	KummerU	LaguerreL	LegendreP
LegendreQ	ln	MeijerG	polylog
Psi	sec	sech	sin
sinh	SphericalY	tan	tanh
WhittakerM	WhittakerW	Wrightomega	

- When a *function class* name is given as second argument the routines attempt to express **expr** using any of the functions of that class. The function classes understood by [convert](#) are:

`0F1`	`1F1`	`2F1`	Airy
arctrig	arctrigh	Bessel_related	Chebyshev
Cylinder	Ei_related	elementary	Elliptic_related
erf_related	GAMMA_related	Hankel	Heun
Kelvin	Kummer	Legendre	trig
trigh	Whittaker		

* (note spaces between words are filled with _)

- Despite the large number of function classes, most of the functions of mathematical physics belong to one of the three hypergeometric classes: [2F1](#), [1F1](#), and [0F1](#) where these three classes also include as particular cases all the elementary functions ([trig](#), [hyperbolic trig](#), their arcs, [exp](#), and [ln](#)).

▼ The Optional Arguments

The conversion routines accept an optional extra argument indicating a *rule*; it could be one rule or a sequence of them:

"raise a",	"lower a",	"normalize a",
"raise b",	"lower b",	"normalize b",
"raise c",	"lower c",	"normalize c",
"mix a and b",	"1F1 to 0F1",	"0F1 to 1F1"

["quadratic 1"](#),

["quadratic 2"](#),

["quadratic 3"](#)

["quadratic 4"](#),

["quadratic 5"](#),

["quadratic 6"](#)

["2a2b"](#),

["raise 1/2"](#),

["lower 1/2"](#)

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▼ Symbolic differentiation of algebraic expressions

"Perform symbolic differentiation by combining different algebraic techniques, including functions of symbolic sequences and Faà di Bruno's formula"

▼ Examples

A power where the exponent is linear in the differentiation variable, a relatively easy problem, can be in a database

> restart;

> (%diff=diff) (f^{αz+β}, z\$n)

$$\frac{\partial^n}{\partial z^n} (f^{\alpha z + \beta}) = \alpha^n f^{\alpha z + \beta} \ln(f)^n \quad (6.5.1.1)$$

More complicated, consider the k^{th} power of a generic function; the corresponding symbolic derivative can be mapped into a sum of symbolic derivatives of powers of $g(z)$ with lower degree

> (%diff=diff) (g(αz+β)^k, z\$n) assuming n < k

$$\frac{\partial^n}{\partial z^n} (g(\alpha z + \beta)^k) \quad (6.5.1.2)$$

$$= k \binom{n-k}{n} \left(\sum_{kl=0}^n \frac{1}{k-kl} \left((-1)^{-kl} \binom{n}{kl} g(\alpha z + \beta)^{k-kl} \frac{\partial^n}{\partial z^n} (g(\alpha z + \beta)^{-kl}) \right) \right)$$

For $g = \ln$ this result can be expressed using Stirling numbers of the first kind

> (%diff=diff) (ln(αz+β)^k, z\$n)

$$\frac{\partial^n}{\partial z^n} (\ln(\alpha z + \beta))^k = \frac{\alpha^n \left(\sum_{kl=0}^n (k - kl + 1) S_n^{kl} \ln(\alpha z + \beta)^{k-kl} \right)}{(\alpha z + \beta)^n} \quad (6.5.1.3)$$

The case of the MeijerG function of an *arbitrary number of parameters*

> MeijerG([[a[i] \$ i = 1 ..n], [b[i] \$ i = n + 1 ..p]], [[b[i] \$ i = 1 ..m], [b[i] \$ i = m + 1 ..q]], z)

$$G_{p,q}^{m,n} \left(z \left| \begin{matrix} a_1, \dots, a_n, b_{n+1}, \dots, b_p \\ b_1, \dots, b_m, b_{m+1}, \dots, b_q \end{matrix} \right. \right) \quad (6.5.1.4)$$

> diff((6.5.1.4), z\$k)

$$G_{1+p,q+1}^{m,n+1} \left(z \left| \begin{matrix} -k, a_1 - k, \dots, a_n - k, b_{n+1} - k, \dots, b_p - k \\ b_1 - k, \dots, b_m - k, 0, b_{m+1} - k, \dots, b_q - k \end{matrix} \right. \right) \quad (6.5.1.5)$$

Not only the mathematics of this result is correct: the object returned is actually computable (for given concrete values of n, p, m and q)

Finally, the "holy grail" of this problem: the n^{th} derivative of a composite function $f(g(z))$ - this always-unreachable implementation of [Faa di Bruno formula](#). Building on top of the basic blocks of knowledge, Faa di Bruno's formula is now a new, higher level, basic block:

> (%diff=diff) (f(g(z)), z\$n)

$$\frac{d^n}{dz^n} f(g(z)) = \sum_{k2=0}^n D^{(-k2)}(f)(g(z)) \text{IncompleteBellB} \left(n, k2, \frac{d}{dz} g(z), \dots, \frac{d^{n-k2+1}}{dz^{n-k2+1}} g(z) \right) \quad (6.5.1.6)$$

Note the symbolic sequence of symbolic order derivatives of lower degree, both of f and g , also within the arguments of the IncompleteBellB function. This is a **very** abstract formula ...

To see this at work, consider, for instance, a case where the n^{th} derivatives of $f(z)$ and $g(z)$ can both be computed, say $f = \sin, g = \cos$

> sin(cos(α z + β))

$$\sin(\cos(\alpha z + \beta)) \quad (6.5.1.7)$$

> (%diff=diff) ((6.5.1.7), z\$n)

$$\frac{d^n}{dz^n} \sin(\cos(\alpha z + \beta)) = \sum_{k2=0}^n \sin \left(\cos(\alpha z + \beta) \right) \quad (6.5.1.8)$$

$$+ \frac{k2 \pi}{2} \Big) \text{IncompleteBellB} \left(n, _k2, \cos \left(\alpha z + \beta + \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \alpha, \dots, \cos \left(\alpha z + \beta + \frac{(n - _k2 + 1) \pi}{2} \right) \alpha^{n - _k2 + 1} \right)$$

Take for instance $n = 3$

> eval((6.5.1.8), n = 3)

$$\frac{d^3}{dz^3} \sin(\cos(\alpha z + \beta)) = \sum_{_k2=0}^3 \sin \left(\cos(\alpha z + \beta + \frac{k2 \pi}{2}) \alpha, \dots, \cos \left(\alpha z + \beta + \frac{(4 - _k2) \pi}{2} \right) \alpha^{4 - _k2} \right) \quad (6.5.1.9)$$

> value((6.5.1.9))

$$\begin{aligned} & \alpha^3 \sin(\alpha z + \beta) \cos(\cos(\alpha z + \beta)) - 3 \alpha^3 \cos(\alpha z + \beta) \sin(\alpha z + \beta) \sin(\cos(\alpha z + \beta)) + \alpha^3 \sin(\alpha z + \beta)^3 \cos(\cos(\alpha z + \beta)) \\ & = \alpha^3 \sin(\alpha z + \beta) \cos(\cos(\alpha z + \beta)) - 3 \alpha^3 \cos(\alpha z + \beta) \sin(\alpha z + \beta) \sin(\cos(\alpha z + \beta)) + \alpha^3 \sin(\alpha z + \beta)^3 \cos(\cos(\alpha z + \beta)) \end{aligned} \quad (6.5.1.10)$$

The two sides of this equation are equal

> simplify((lhs - rhs)((6.5.1.10)))

$$0 \quad (6.5.1.11)$$

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▼ Ordinary Differential Equations

"Beyond the concept of a database, classify an arbitrary ODE and suggest solution methods for it"

▼ General description

- Given an ODE, the **odeadvisor** command's main goal is to classify it according to standard text

books (see [dsolve,references](#)), and to display a help page including related information for solving it .

- First order ODEs

[Abel](#), [Abel2A](#), [Abel2C](#), [Bernoulli](#), [Chini](#),
[Clairaut](#), [dAlembert](#), [exact](#), [fully_exact_linear](#), [homogeneous](#),
[homogeneousB](#), [homogeneousC](#), [homogeneousD](#), [homogeneousG](#), [linear](#),
[patterns](#), [quadrature](#), [rational](#), [Riccati](#), [separable](#),
[sym_implicit](#)

- Second order ODEs

[Bessel](#), [Duffing](#), [ellipsoidal](#), [elliptic](#), [Emden](#),
[erf](#), [exact_linear](#), [exact_nonlinear](#), [Gegenbauer](#), [Halm](#),
[Hermite](#), [Jacobi](#), [Lagerstrom](#), [Laguerre](#), [Lienard](#),
[Liouville](#), [linear_ODEs](#), [linear_sym](#), [missing](#), [Painleve](#),
[quadrature](#), [reducible](#), [sym_Fx](#), [Titchmarsh](#), [Van_der_Pol](#)

- High order ODEs

[quadrature](#), [missing](#), [exact_linear](#), [exact_nonlinear](#), [reducible](#),
[linear_ODEs](#)

- The following links point to help pages containing details of the implementation of specific ODE solving algorithms:

[First order Abel ODEs](#)

[First order symmetry patterns](#)

[Algorithms for first order ODEs](#)

[Algorithms for Linear ODEs](#)

[Factorization of Linear ODEs](#)

[Integrating Factors for Linear ODEs](#)

[Algorithm for fully exact Linear ODEs](#)

[Integrating Factors for 2nd order Non-Linear ODEs](#)

[Algorithms for exact solutions for ODEs of all orders](#)

[dsolve in Education](#)

[Hypergeometric solutions to second order linear](#)

▼ Examples

Kamke's ODE 97

> restart, with (DEtools) : PDEtools:-declare(y(x), prime = x)
y(x) will now be displayed as y
derivatives with respect to x of functions of one variable will now be displayed with ' (7.2.1)

> ODE := x y' (x) + (a y(x)²) - y(x) + (b x²) = 0
ODE := x y' + a y² - y + b x² = 0 (7.2.2)

> odeadvisor (ODE)
[[_homogeneous, class D], _rational, _Riccati] (7.2.3)

> odeadvisor (ODE, help)
[[_homogeneous, class D], _rational, _Riccati] (7.2.4)

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▼ Exact Solutions to Einstein's equations

$$g_{\mu, \nu} \Lambda + G_{\mu, \nu} = 8 \pi T_{\mu, \nu}$$

"The authors of "Exact solutions to Einstein's equations" reviewed more than 4,000 papers containing solutions to Einstein's equations in the general relativity literature, organized the whole material into chapters according to the physical properties of these solutions. These solutions are key in the area of general relativity and are now all digitized"

The ability to search the database according to the physical properties of the solutions, their

classification, or just by parts of keywords (old paradigm) changes the game.

More important, within a computer algebra system *this knowledge becomes alive* (new paradigm).

- The solutions are turned active by a simple call to one command, called the `g_` spacetime metric.
- Everything else gets automatically derived and set on the fly ([Christoffel symbols](#) , [Ricci](#) and [Riemann](#) tensors [orthonormal and null tetrads](#), etc.)
- Almost all of the mathematical operations one can perform on these solutions are implemented as commands in the [Physics](#) and [DifferentialGeometry](#) packages.
- All the mathematics within the Maple library are instantly ready to work with these solutions and derived mathematical objects.

Finally, in the Maple [PDEtools package](#), we have all the mathematical tools to tackle *the equivalence problem around these solutions*.

▼ Examples

Load [Physics](#), set the metric to be *Schwarzschild's* solution (and everything else automatically) in one go

> `restart, with(Physics) :`

> `g_[sc]`

Systems of spacetime Coordinates are: $\{X = (r, \theta, \phi, t)\}$

Default differentiation variables for `d_`, `D_` and `dAlembertian` are: $\{X = (r, \theta, \phi, t)\}$

The Schwarzschild metric in coordinates $[r, \theta, \phi, t]$

Parameters: $[m]$

$$g_{\mu, \nu} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{r}{-r + 2m} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -r^2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -r^2 \sin(\theta)^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{r - 2m}{r} \end{bmatrix} \quad (8.1.1)$$

And that is all we do.

All of the tensor components of the general relativity tensors related to this solution got derived automatically, on the fly. For instance this is the definition (in terms of [Christoffel symbols](#)) of the Riemann tensor followed by its 16 invariants using the formulas by [Carminati and McLenaghan](#)

> `Riemann[definition]`

$$R_{\mu, \nu, \alpha, \beta} = g_{\mu, \lambda} \left(\partial_{\alpha} \left(\Gamma_{\nu, \beta}^{\lambda} \right) - \left(\partial_{\beta} \left(\Gamma_{\nu, \alpha}^{\lambda} \right) \right) + \Gamma_{\kappa, \alpha}^{\lambda} \Gamma_{\nu, \beta}^{\kappa} - \Gamma_{\kappa, \beta}^{\lambda} \Gamma_{\nu, \alpha}^{\kappa} \right) \quad (8.1.2)$$

> *Riemann[invariants]*

$$r_0 = 0, r_1 = 0, r_2 = 0, r_3 = 0, w_1 = \frac{6 m^2}{r^6}, w_2 = \frac{6 m^3}{r^9}, m_1 = 0, m_2 = 0, m_3 = 0, m_4 = 0, m_5 = 0 \quad (8.1.3)$$

The related [Weyl scalars](#) in the context of the [Newman-Penrose formalism](#)

> *Weyl[scalarsdefinition]*

$$\psi_0 = -C^{\mu, \nu, \alpha, \beta} l_{\mu} m_{\nu} l_{\alpha} m_{\beta}, \psi_1 = -C^{\mu, \nu, \alpha, \beta} l_{\mu} n_{\nu} l_{\alpha} m_{\beta}, \psi_2 = -C^{\mu, \nu, \alpha, \beta} l_{\mu} m_{\nu} \bar{m}_{\alpha} n_{\beta}, \quad (8.1.4)$$

$$\psi_3 = -C^{\mu, \nu, \alpha, \beta} l_{\mu} n_{\nu} \bar{m}_{\alpha} n_{\beta}, \psi_4 = -C^{\mu, \nu, \alpha, \beta} n_{\mu} \bar{m}_{\nu} n_{\alpha} \bar{m}_{\beta}$$

> *Weyl[scalars]*

$$\psi_0 = 0, \psi_1 = 0, \psi_2 = -\frac{m}{r^3}, \psi_3 = 0, \psi_4 = 0 \quad (8.1.5)$$

The four Killing vectors defining transformations that leave the spacetime metric solution invariant

> *Define(K, quiet)* :

> *KillingVectors(K)*

$$\left[K^{\mu} = [0, 0, 0, 1], K^{\mu} = \left[0, \sin(\phi), \frac{\cos(\phi)}{\tan(\theta)}, 0 \right], K^{\mu} = \left[0, \cos(\phi), -\frac{\sin(\phi)}{\tan(\theta)}, 0 \right], K^{\mu} = [0, 0, 1, 0] \right] \quad (8.1.6)$$

These are the 2x2 matrix components of the [Christoffel symbols of the second kind](#) (that describe, in coordinates, the effects of parallel transport in curved surfaces), when the first of its three indices is equal to 1

> *Christoffel[~1, alpha, beta, matrix]*

$$\Gamma_{\alpha, \beta}^1 = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{m}{r(-r+2m)} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -r+2m & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & (-r+2m)\sin(\theta)^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{-2m^2+mr}{r^3} \end{bmatrix} \quad (8.1.7)$$

> *Christoffel[1, alpha, beta, matrix]*

$$\Gamma_{1, \alpha, \beta} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{m}{(-r + 2m)^2} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & r & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & r \sin(\theta)^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{m}{r^2} \end{bmatrix} \quad (8.1.8)$$

This is the tetrad related to the book's metric with number 12.16.1

> with (Tetrads) :

Setting lowercase latin letters to represent tetrad indices

Defined as tetrad tensors (see ?Physics,tetrads), $e_{a, \mu}, \eta_{a, b}, \gamma_{a, b, c}, \lambda_{a, b, c}$

Defined as spacetime tensors representing the NP null vectors of the tetrad formalism (see (8.1.9)

?Physics,tetrads), $l_{\mu}, n_{\mu}, m_{\mu}, \bar{m}_{\mu}$

> $e_{\mu} []$

$$e_{a, \mu} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{-I\sqrt{r}}{\sqrt{-r + 2m}} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & r & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & r \sin(\theta) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{-I\sqrt{-r + 2m}}{\sqrt{r}} \end{bmatrix} \quad (8.1.10)$$

One can check these things directly; for instance this is the definition of the tetrad, where the right-hand side is the tetrad metric

> $e_{\mu} [definition]$

$$e_{a, \mu} e_b^{\mu} = \eta_{a, b} \quad (8.1.11)$$

This shows that, for the components given by (8.1.10), the definition holds

> *TensorArray((8.1.11))*

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 = -1 & 0 = 0 & 0 = 0 & 0 = 0 \\ 0 = 0 & -1 = -1 & 0 = 0 & 0 = 0 \\ 0 = 0 & 0 = 0 & -1 = -1 & 0 = 0 \\ 0 = 0 & 0 = 0 & 0 = 0 & 1 = 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (8.1.12)$$

And where are Einstein's equations?

> $Einstein[\mu, \nu] = 8 \pi T[\mu, \nu]$

$$G_{\mu, \nu} = 8 \pi T_{\mu, \nu} \quad (8.1.13)$$

The expression on the left represents the curvature of spacetime as determined by the metric; the expression on the right represents the matter/energy content of spacetime.

> $Einstein[definition]$

$$G_{\mu, \nu} = R_{\mu, \nu} - \frac{g_{\mu, \nu} R_{\alpha}^{\alpha}}{2} \quad (8.1.14)$$

Substituting in (8.1.13)

> $isolate(subs((8.1.14), (8.1.13)), T[\mu, \nu])$

$$T_{\mu, \nu} = \frac{R_{\mu, \nu}}{8 \pi} \quad (8.1.15)$$

> $convert((8.1.15), g_)$

$$\begin{aligned} T_{\mu, \nu} = & \frac{1}{8 \pi} \left(\frac{(\partial_{\alpha}(g^{\alpha, \tau})) (\partial_{\nu}(g_{\mu, \tau}) + \partial_{\mu}(g_{\nu, \tau}) - (\partial_{\tau}(g_{\mu, \nu})))}{2} \right. \\ & + \frac{g^{\alpha, \tau} (\partial_{\alpha}(\partial_{\nu}(g_{\mu, \tau})) + \partial_{\alpha}(\partial_{\mu}(g_{\nu, \tau})) - (\partial_{\alpha}(\partial_{\tau}(g_{\mu, \nu}))))}{2} \\ & - \frac{(\partial_{\nu}(g^{\alpha, \lambda})) (\partial_{\mu}(g_{\alpha, \lambda}))}{2} - \frac{g^{\alpha, \lambda} (\partial_{\nu}(\partial_{\mu}(g_{\alpha, \lambda})))}{2} \\ & + \frac{g^{\beta, \chi} (\partial_{\nu}(g_{\chi, \mu}) + \partial_{\mu}(g_{\chi, \nu}) - (\partial_{\chi}(g_{\mu, \nu}))) g^{\alpha, \kappa} (\partial_{\beta}(g_{\alpha, \kappa}))}{4} - \frac{1}{4} \left(\right. \\ & g^{\beta, \nu} (\partial_{\mu}(g_{\alpha, \nu}) + \partial_{\alpha}(g_{\mu, \nu}) - (\partial_{\nu}(g_{\alpha, \mu}))) g^{\alpha, \sigma} (\partial_{\nu}(g_{\beta, \sigma}) + \partial_{\beta}(g_{\nu, \sigma}) \\ & \left. \left. - (\partial_{\sigma}(g_{\beta, \nu}))) \right) \right) \end{aligned} \quad (8.1.16)$$

And in this particular case,

> $Define((8.1.16))$

Defined objects with tensor properties

$$\left\{ \mathcal{D}_{\mu}, \gamma_{\mu}, K^{\mu}, \sigma_{\mu}, R_{\mu, \nu}, R_{\mu, \nu, \alpha, \beta}, T_{\mu, \nu}, C_{\mu, \nu, \alpha, \beta}, X_{\mu}, \partial_{\mu}, e_{a, \mu}, \eta_{a, b}, g_{\mu, \nu}, \gamma_{a, b, c}, l_{\mu}, \right. \\ \left. \lambda_{a, b, c}, m_{\mu}, \bar{m}_{\mu}, n_{\mu}, \Gamma_{\mu, \nu, \alpha}, G_{\mu, \nu}, \delta_{\mu, \nu}, \epsilon_{\alpha, \beta, \mu, \nu} \right\} \quad (8.1.17)$$

Check the components:

> $T[]$

$$T_{\mu, \nu} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad (8.1.18)$$

One could query the database, directly from the spacetime metrics command (`g_`), about the solutions (metrics) to Einstein's equations related to Levi-Civita, the Italian mathematician

> `g_[civi]`

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These solutions can be set in one go from the metrics command, just by indicating the number with which it appears in the "Exact Solutions to Einstein's Equations" book.

The ability to query rapidly, set things in one go, change everything again etc. is at this point fantastic. The search can also be done visually, by properties.

Example: Search for solutions in the database that are of *Pure Radiation* type, with *Petrov Type* "D", *Plebanski-Petrov Type* "O" and that have *Isometry Dimension* equal to 1:

> `DifferentialGeometry:-Library:-MetricSearch( )`

Metric Search

Physical Properties

Primary Description: ☐ Dust ☐ Einstein ☐ Einstein-Maxwell ☐ Perfect Fluid ☒ Pure Radiation ☐ Vacuum

Secondary Description: ☐ Homogeneous ☐ Plane Wave ☐ PP-Wave ☐ Pure Radiation ☐ Robertson-Walker ☐ Simply Transitive ☐ Static

Keyword Description: (a list of strings)

Algebraic Properties

Petrov Type: ☐ I ☐ II ☐ III ☐ D ☐ N ☐ O Plebanski-Petrov Type: ☐ I ☐ II ☐ III ☐ D ☐ N ☒ O

Segre Type: ☐ [(1,111)] ☐ [1,(111)] ☐ [(1,1),1] ☐ [(1,1)11] ☐ [1,1(11)] ☐ [(1,1)(11)] ☐ [1,111] ☐ [(2, 11)] ☐ [(1,1)2] ☐ [(1,1)2] ☐ [2,(11)] ☐ [(3,1)] ☐ [3,1] ☐ [ZZ, (11)] ☐ [ZZ11]

Isometry Properties

Isometry Dimension: ☒ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ 10

Orbit Dimension: ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 Orbit Type: ☐ Null ☐ Lorentzian ☐ Riemannian

Isotropy Type: ☐ F1 ☐ F2 ☐ F3 ☐ F4 ☐ F5 ☐ F6 ☐ F7 ☐ F8 ☐ F9 ☐ F10 ☐ F11 ☐ F12 ☐ F13 ☐ F14 ☐ F15

Search

Results

[[{"Stephani", [28, 74, 1]]]

Retrieve

Reference DataBaseEntry Manifold

Set the solution and everything related in one go

> $g_{-}[[28, 74, 1]]$

Systems of spacetime Coordinates are: $\{X = (u, \eta, r, y)\}$

Default differentiation variables for d_{-} , D_{-} and $dAlembertian$ are: $\{X = (u, \eta, r, y)\}$

The Frolov and Khlebnikov (1975) metric in coordinates $[u, \eta, r, y]$

Parameters: $[\kappa_0, m(u), b, d]$

Comments: With $_m(u) = \text{constant}$, the metric is Ricci flat and becomes 28.24 in Stephani.

Resetting the signature of spacetime from "- - - +" to "- + + +" in order to match the signature in the database of metrics:

$$g_{\mu, \nu} = \left[\left[\frac{2 m(u)^3 - 6 m(u)^2 \eta r - r^2 (-6 \eta^2 + b) m(u) + r^3 (-2 \eta^3 + b \eta + d)}{r m(u)^2} \right], \quad (8.1.20) \right]$$

$$\left[-\frac{r^2}{m(u)}, -1, 0 \right],$$

$$\left[-\frac{r^2}{m(u)}, \frac{r^2}{-2\eta^3 + b\eta + d}, 0, 0 \right],$$

$$\left[-1, 0, 0, 0 \right],$$

$$\left[0, 0, 0, r^2 (-2\eta^3 + b\eta + d) \right]$$

- *100% of the solutions collected in Exact Solutions to Einstein's Field Equations were digitized*
- *The Physics package has 76 computational commands to work with these spacetime metric solutions, plus a programming language for Physics with 175 commands*
- *The DifferentialGeometry package has 289 commands to work with these solutions*
- *The PDEtools package has other 56 commands to tackle diverse aspects of the equivalence problem for these solutions*

Concluding remark, how many solutions are in the book?

➤ *DifferentialGeometry:-Library:-Retrieve("Stephani", 1)*

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