

# OBSERVATIONES GENERALES

CIRCA SERIES, QVARVM TERMINI SECVNDVM  
SINVS VEL COSINVS ANGVLORVM MVLTIPLO-  
RVM PROGREDIVNTVR.

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§. 1.

**Q**uodsi huius seriei  $A + Bx + Cxx + Dx^3 + \text{etc.}$  summa-  
tio fuerit cognita, ita vt, quicumque valor litterae  $x$  tribuatur,  
eius summa assignari queat, tum etiam semper tam summa  
huius seriei:

$$A + B \cos. \phi + C \cos. 2 \phi + D \cos. 3 \phi + \text{etc.}$$

quam huius:

$$B \sin. \phi + C \sin. 2 \phi + D \sin. 3 \phi + E \sin. 4 \phi + \text{etc.}$$

exhiberi poterit. Cum enim summa primae seriei exprimat  
per certam quandam functionem ipsius  $x$ , quam hoc caracte-  
re  $\Delta : x$  designemus, ita vt fit

$$\Delta : x = A + Bx + Cxx + Dx^3 + \text{etc.}$$

si loco  $x$  scribamus tam

$$\cos. \phi + \sqrt{-1} \sin. \phi, \text{ quam } \cos. \phi - \sqrt{-1} \sin. \phi$$

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summa ferierum inde resultantium erit

$2A + 2B \operatorname{cof.} \Phi + 2C \operatorname{cof.} 2\Phi + 2D \operatorname{cof.} 3\Phi + 2E \operatorname{cof.} 4\Phi + \text{etc.}$   
 cuius ergo summa erit

$\Delta : (\operatorname{cof.} \Phi + \sqrt{-1} \operatorname{fin.} \Phi) + \Delta : (\operatorname{cof.} \Phi - \sqrt{-1} \operatorname{fin.} \Phi);$   
 $\operatorname{fin}$  autem posteriorem a priore subtrahamus, prodibit ista series:  
 $2B\sqrt{-1} \operatorname{fin.} \Phi + 2C\sqrt{-1} \operatorname{fin.} 2\Phi + 2D\sqrt{-1} \operatorname{fin.} 3\Phi$   
 $+ 2E\sqrt{-1} \operatorname{fin.} 4\Phi \text{ etc.}$

cuius ergo summa erit

$$\Delta : (\operatorname{cof.} \Phi + \sqrt{-1} \operatorname{fin.} \Phi) - \Delta : (\operatorname{cof.} \Phi - \sqrt{-1} \operatorname{fin.} \Phi).$$

§. 2. Quo expressiones has commodiores reddamus, statuamus breuitatis gratia

$\operatorname{cof.} \Phi + \sqrt{-1} \operatorname{fin.} \Phi = p; \operatorname{cof.} \Phi - \sqrt{-1} \operatorname{fin.} \Phi = q$   
 eritque, uti in vulgus notum est,  $p q = 1$  ideoque  $q = \frac{1}{p}$ ; tum vero erit

$$\operatorname{cof.} \Phi = \frac{p+q}{2}; \operatorname{cof.} 2\Phi = \frac{p^2+q^2}{2}; \operatorname{cof.} 3\Phi = \frac{p^3+q^3}{2};$$

$$\operatorname{cof.} 4\Phi = \frac{p^4+q^4}{2}; \text{ etc.}$$

Praeterea vero pro finibus habebitur

$$\operatorname{fin.} \Phi = \frac{p-q}{2\sqrt{-1}}; \operatorname{fin.} 2\Phi = \frac{p^2-qq}{2\sqrt{-1}}; \operatorname{fin.} 3\Phi = \frac{p^3-q^3}{2\sqrt{-1}}; \text{ etc.}$$

quibus constitutis nanciscimur has duas summationes:

$$A \operatorname{cof.} 0\Phi + B \operatorname{cof.} \Phi + C \operatorname{cof.} 2\Phi + D \operatorname{cof.} 3\Phi + E \operatorname{cof.} 4\Phi + \text{etc.}$$

$$= \frac{\Delta : p + \Delta : q}{2}; \text{ et}$$

$$A \operatorname{fin.} 0\Phi + B \operatorname{fin.} \Phi + C \operatorname{fin.} 2\Phi + D \operatorname{fin.} 3\Phi + \text{etc.} = \frac{\Delta : p - \Delta : q}{2\sqrt{-1}}$$

§. 3. Sumamus nunc pro serie principali potestatem quamcunque Binomii euolutam, quae est

$$(1+x)^n = 1 + \frac{n}{1} x + \frac{n(n-1)}{1 \cdot 2} x^2 + \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)}{1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3} x^3 + \text{etc.}$$

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ita vt hoc casu fit  $\Delta : x = (1 + x)^n$ ; tum vero, vt hanc expressionem contrahamus, designemus singulos coefficientes, vt iam aliquoties fecimus, his characteribus:  $\binom{n}{0}$ ,  $\binom{n}{1}$ ,  $\binom{n}{2}$ ,  $\binom{n}{3}$ ,  $\binom{n}{4}$ , ita vt fit

$$\begin{aligned} \binom{n}{0} &= 1, \\ \binom{n}{1} &= n, \\ \binom{n}{2} &= \frac{n}{1} \cdot \frac{n-1}{2}, \\ \binom{n}{3} &= \frac{n}{1} \cdot \frac{n-1}{2} \cdot \frac{n-2}{3}, \\ &\text{etc.} \end{aligned}$$

vbi obseruasse iuuabit esse in genere  $\binom{n}{i} = \binom{n}{n-i}$ , ideoque  $\binom{n}{n} = \binom{n}{0} = 1$ . Praeterea vero euidens est, quoties fuerit  $i$  vel numerus negatiuus, vel positiuus, maior quam  $n$ , tum semper esse  $\binom{n}{i} = 0$ , siquidem  $n$  fuerit numerus integer. His ergo obseruatis habebimus hanc summationem principalem:

$$(1 + x)^n = \binom{n}{0} + \binom{n}{1}x + \binom{n}{2}x^2 + \binom{n}{3}x^3 + \binom{n}{4}x^4 + \text{etc.}$$

vnde ergo per praecepta modo tradita deriuabimus binas sequentes summationes:

$$\begin{aligned} \binom{n}{0} \text{cos. } 0\Phi + \binom{n}{1} \text{cos. } \Phi + \binom{n}{2} \text{cos. } 2\Phi + \binom{n}{3} \text{cos. } 3\Phi + \text{etc.} \\ = \frac{(1+p)^n + (1+q)^n}{2} \text{ et} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \binom{n}{0} \text{sin. } 0\Phi + \binom{n}{1} \text{sin. } \Phi + \binom{n}{2} \text{sin. } 2\Phi + \binom{n}{3} \text{sin. } 3\Phi + \text{etc.} \\ = \frac{(1+p)^n - (1+q)^n}{2\sqrt{-1}}. \end{aligned}$$

Quouis autem casu, quamquam formulae pro  $p$  et  $q$  assumptae sunt imaginariae, tamen semper istas formulas ad valores reales reuocare licebit, quemadmodum in sequentibus binis problematibus sumus ostensuri.

### Problema I.

*Proposita hac serie cosinum:*

$$1 + \frac{n}{1} \text{cos. } \Phi + \frac{n}{1} \cdot \frac{n-1}{2} \text{cos. } 2\Phi + \frac{n}{1} \cdot \frac{n-1}{2} \cdot \frac{n-2}{3} \text{cos. } 3\Phi + \text{etc.} = s,$$

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$s = \binom{n}{0} \cos. 0 \Phi + \binom{n}{1} \cos. \Phi + \binom{n}{2} \cos. 2 \Phi + \binom{n}{3} \cos. 3 \Phi + \text{etc.}$   
 eius summam realiter exprimere.

### Solutio.

§. 4. Cum igitur fit, ut modo vidimus

$$s = \frac{(1+p)^n + (1+q)^n}{2},$$

existente  $p = \cos. \Phi + \sqrt{-1} \sin. \Phi$  et  $q = \cos. \Phi - \sqrt{-1} \sin. \Phi$ , totum negotium huc redit, ut ista expressio pro  $s$  exhibita ab imaginariis liberetur; evidens enim est, si formulae  $(1+p)^n$  et  $(1+q)^n$  actu evoluantur, tum imaginaria se sponte esse destructura, quandoquidem hinc ipsa series summanda exoritur; quam ob rem in aliam resolutionem nobis erit inquirendum, ut sine evolutione adhibita imaginaria e medio tollantur, id quod sequenti modo fieri poterit.

§. 5. Cum fit  $pq = 1$ , formula  $1+p$  ita exprimi poterit, ut fit  $1+p = (\sqrt{p} + \sqrt{q}) \sqrt{p}$ , similique modo erit  $1+q = (\sqrt{p} + \sqrt{q}) \sqrt{q}$ , hisque valoribus introductis prodibit nostra summa

$$s = \frac{1}{2} (\sqrt{p} + \sqrt{q})^n (p^{\frac{n}{2}} + q^{\frac{n}{2}}).$$

Cum iam in genere fit  $p^\alpha + q^\alpha = 2 \cos. \alpha \Phi$ , erit

$$p^{\frac{1}{2}} + q^{\frac{1}{2}} = 2 \cos. \frac{1}{2} \Phi \text{ et } p^{\frac{n}{2}} + q^{\frac{n}{2}} = 2 \cos. \frac{1}{2} n \Phi,$$

quibus valoribus substitutis summa quaesita iam realiter sequenti modo exprimetur:  $s = 2^n \cos. \frac{1}{2} \Phi^n \cos. \frac{1}{2} n \Phi$ .

§. 6. Hoc igitur pacto summationem maxime memorabilem sumus adepti, quae ita se habet, ut semper fit

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$$1 + \frac{n}{1} \operatorname{cof.} \Phi + \frac{n}{1} \cdot \frac{n-1}{2} \operatorname{cof.} 2\Phi + \frac{n}{1} \cdot \frac{n-1}{2} \cdot \frac{n-2}{3} \operatorname{cof.} 3\Phi + \text{etc.}$$

$$= 2^n \operatorname{cof.} \frac{1}{2} \Phi^n \operatorname{cof.} \frac{1}{2} n \Phi,$$

quae semper veritati est consentanea, quicumque numeri pro  $n$  substituantur, siue integri siue fracti, siue etiam negatiui. Operae ergo pretium erit ex quouis genere casus simpliciores ob oculos exponere.

### Euolutio casuum,

quibus exponens  $n$  est numerus integer positiuus.

§. 7. Consideremus casus sequentes :

1°. Sit  $n=0$ , et ipsa series in unitatem coalescit, summa autem erit  $= 1$ .

2°. Sit  $n=1$ , et series abibit in  $1 + \operatorname{cof.} \Phi$ ; summa autem inuenta praebet  $2 \operatorname{cof.} \frac{1}{2} \Phi^2$ . Constat autem esse  $2 \operatorname{cof.} \frac{1}{2} \Phi^2 = 1 + \operatorname{cof.} \Phi$ .

3°. Sit  $n=2$ , et series abit in  $1 + 2 \operatorname{cof.} \Phi + \operatorname{cof.} 2\Phi$ ; summa autem oritur  $= 4 \operatorname{cof.} \frac{1}{2} \Phi^2 \operatorname{cof.} \Phi$ . Modo autem vidimus esse  $2 \operatorname{cof.} \frac{1}{2} \Phi^2 = 1 + \operatorname{cof.} \Phi$ , quae forma per  $2 \operatorname{cof.} \Phi$  multiplicata producit

$$2 \operatorname{cof.} \Phi \times 2 \operatorname{cof.} \frac{1}{2} \Phi^2 = 1 + 2 \operatorname{cof.} \Phi + \operatorname{cof.} 2\Phi.$$

4°. Sit nunc  $n=3$ , et series nascitur haec:  $1 + 3 \operatorname{cof.} \Phi + 3 \operatorname{cof.} 2\Phi + \operatorname{cof.} 3\Phi$ , cuius summa est  $= 8 \operatorname{cof.} \frac{1}{2} \Phi^3 \operatorname{cof.} \frac{3}{2} \Phi$ , quae formula per reductiones satis cognitae ipsam seriem producit.

5°. Sit nunc  $n=4$ , et series abit in

$$1 + 4 \operatorname{cof.} \Phi + 6 \operatorname{cof.} 2\Phi + 4 \operatorname{cof.} 3\Phi + \operatorname{cof.} 4\Phi$$

cuius ergo summa erit  $2^4 \operatorname{cof.} \frac{1}{2} \Phi^4 \operatorname{cof.} 2\Phi$ , cuius veritas etiam non difficulter ostenditur. Sicque semper veritatem per reductiones cognitae ostendere licebit.

## Euolutio casuum,

quibus pro  $n$  numerus integer negatius accipitur.

§. 8. Statuamus 1°.  $n = -1$ , atque hinc nascetur sequens series infinita:

$1 - \text{cof. } \Phi + \text{cof. } 2\Phi - \text{cof. } 3\Phi + \text{cof. } 4\Phi - \text{cof. } 5\Phi \text{ etc.}$

in infinitum, cuius ergo summa per nostram seriem generalem erit  $\frac{\text{cof. } \frac{1}{2}\Phi}{2 \text{ cof. } \frac{1}{2}\Phi} = \frac{1}{2}$ , quod quidem iam dudum a Geometris est obseruatum. Quodsi enim haec series, cuius summa tantisper ponatur  $= s$ , ducatur in  $2 \text{ cof. } \frac{1}{2}\Phi$ , reperietur per reductiones notissimas

$$2s \text{ cof. } \frac{1}{2}\Phi = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 2 \text{ cof. } \frac{1}{2}\Phi - \text{cof. } \frac{3}{2}\Phi + \text{cof. } \frac{5}{2}\Phi - \text{cof. } \frac{7}{2}\Phi + \text{cof. } \frac{9}{2}\Phi \\ -\text{cof. } \frac{1}{2}\Phi + \text{cof. } \frac{3}{2}\Phi - \text{cof. } \frac{5}{2}\Phi + \text{cof. } \frac{7}{2}\Phi - \text{cof. } \frac{9}{2}\Phi \end{array} \right\} \text{ etc.}$$

quod manifesto redit ad  $2s \text{ cof. } \frac{1}{2}\Phi = \text{cof. } \frac{1}{2}\Phi$  ideoque  $s = \frac{1}{2}$ .

§. 9. Statuamus nunc  $n = -2$ , et series orietur sequens:

$1 - 2 \text{ cof. } \Phi + 3 \text{ cof. } 2\Phi - 4 \text{ cof. } 3\Phi + 5 \text{ cof. } 4\Phi - 6 \text{ cof. } 5\Phi \text{ etc.}$

cuius ergo summa erit  $= \frac{\text{cof. } \Phi}{4 \text{ cof. } \frac{1}{2}\Phi^2}$ , cuius veritas etiamnunc sequenti modo ostendi potest. Posita seriei summa  $= s$ , erit

$$2s \text{ cof. } \frac{1}{2}\Phi = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 2 \text{ cof. } \frac{1}{2}\Phi - 2 \text{ cof. } \frac{3}{2}\Phi + 3 \text{ cof. } \frac{5}{2}\Phi - 4 \text{ cof. } \frac{7}{2}\Phi \\ -2 \text{ cof. } \frac{1}{2}\Phi + 3 \text{ cof. } \frac{3}{2}\Phi - 4 \text{ cof. } \frac{5}{2}\Phi + 5 \text{ cof. } \frac{7}{2}\Phi \end{array} \right\} \text{ etc.}$$

qui valor coalescit in sequentem seriem:

$$2s \text{ cof. } \frac{1}{2}\Phi = \text{cof. } \frac{3}{2}\Phi - \text{cof. } \frac{5}{2}\Phi + \text{cof. } \frac{7}{2}\Phi - \text{cof. } \frac{9}{2}\Phi \text{ etc.}$$

Multiplicetur denuo per  $2 \text{ cof. } \frac{1}{2}\Phi$ , ac prodibit

$$4s \text{ cof. } \frac{1}{2}\Phi^2 = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{cof. } \Phi + \text{cof. } 2\Phi - \text{cof. } 3\Phi + \text{cof. } 4\Phi + \text{cof. } 5\Phi \\ -\text{cof. } 2\Phi + \text{cof. } 3\Phi - \text{cof. } 4\Phi - \text{cof. } 5\Phi \end{array} \right\} \text{ etc.} = \text{cof. } \Phi$$

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ideoque  $s = \frac{\text{cof. } \Phi}{4 \text{ cof. } \frac{1}{2} \Phi^2}$ , vti inuenimus, siue erit etiam

$$s = \frac{\text{cof. } \Phi}{2(1 + \text{cof. } \Phi)}$$

§. 10. Sit nunc  $n = -3$ , orieturque haec series infinita:

$$1 - 3 \text{ cof. } \Phi + 6 \text{ cof. } 2\Phi - 10 \text{ cof. } 3\Phi + 15 \text{ cof. } 4\Phi - 21 \text{ cof. } 5\Phi \text{ etc.}$$

cuius ergo summa erit  $= \frac{\text{cof. } \frac{3}{2} \Phi}{8 \text{ cof. } \frac{1}{2} \Phi^3}$ . Haec autem expressio

porro reducitur ad hanc

$$s = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{8 \text{ cof. } \frac{1}{2} \Phi^2} = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{4(1 + \text{cof. } \Phi)}$$

ita vt quoque fit  $s = \frac{-1 + 2 \text{ cof. } \Phi}{4(1 + \text{cof. } \Phi)}$ .

§. 11. Simili modo sequentes adipiscemur summationes:

$$1 - 4 \text{ cof. } \Phi + 10 \text{ cof. } 2\Phi - 20 \text{ cof. } 3\Phi \text{ etc.} = \frac{\text{cof. } 2\Phi}{16 \text{ cof. } \frac{1}{2} \Phi^4}$$

$$1 - 5 \text{ cof. } \Phi + 15 \text{ cof. } 2\Phi - 35 \text{ cof. } 3\Phi + 70 \text{ cof. } 4\Phi \text{ etc.} = \frac{\text{cof. } \frac{5}{2} \Phi}{32 \text{ cof. } \frac{1}{2} \Phi^5}$$

$$1 - 6 \text{ cof. } \Phi + 21 \text{ cof. } 2\Phi - 56 \text{ cof. } 3\Phi + 126 \text{ cof. } 4\Phi \text{ etc.} = \frac{\text{cof. } 3\Phi}{64 \text{ cof. } \frac{1}{2} \Phi^6}$$

$$1 - 7 \text{ cof. } \Phi + 28 \text{ cof. } 2\Phi - 84 \text{ cof. } 3\Phi + 210 \text{ cof. } 4\Phi \text{ etc.} = \frac{\text{cof. } \frac{7}{2} \Phi}{128 \text{ cof. } \frac{1}{2} \Phi^7}$$

### Euolutio casus

quo  $n = \frac{1}{2}$ .

§. 12. Hinc ergo formabitur sequens series infinita:

$$1 + \frac{1}{2} \text{ cof. } \Phi - \frac{1 \cdot 1}{2 \cdot 4} \text{ cof. } 2\Phi + \frac{1 \cdot 1 \cdot 3}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6} \text{ cof. } 3\Phi - \frac{1 \cdot 1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \cdot 8} \text{ cof. } 4\Phi \text{ etc.}$$

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cuius ergo summa erit  $\equiv \cos. \frac{1}{2} \Phi \sqrt{2} \cos. \frac{1}{2} \Phi$ , cuius veritatem  
 haud facile erit aliunde comprobare; certis autem casibus ma-  
 nifesto in oculos incurrit. Veluti si fuerit  $\Phi = 0$ , habebitur

$$1 + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1 \cdot 1}{2 \cdot 4} + \frac{1 \cdot 1 \cdot 3}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6} - \frac{1 \cdot 1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \cdot 8} \text{ etc. } = \sqrt{2};$$

series enim manifesto oritur ex evolutione  $(1 + 1)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \sqrt{2}$ .  
 Faciamus nunc  $\Phi = 180^\circ$ , ut sit  $\frac{1}{2} \Phi = 90^\circ$ , et series erit

$$1 - \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1 \cdot 1}{2 \cdot 4} - \frac{1 \cdot 1 \cdot 3}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6} - \frac{1 \cdot 1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \cdot 8} \text{ etc. } = 0$$

quod etiam inde evidens est, quia haec series nascitur ex for-  
 ma  $(1 - 1)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ . Sit etiam  $\Phi = 90^\circ$  et series inde nata erit

$$1 + \frac{1 \cdot 1}{2 \cdot 4} - \frac{1 \cdot 1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \cdot 8} + \frac{1 \cdot 1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdot 7 \cdot 9}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \cdot 8 \cdot 10 \cdot 12} \text{ etc. } = \cos. 22^\circ, 30' \sqrt[4]{2}.$$

Est vero

$$\cos. 22^\circ, 30' = \sqrt{\frac{1 + \cos. 45^\circ}{2}} = \sqrt{\frac{1 + \sqrt{2}}{2}}$$

unde summa concluditur  $= \sqrt{\frac{1 + \sqrt{2}}{2}}$ , ficque habetur haec sum-  
 matio maxime memoratu digna:

$$1 + \frac{1 \cdot 1}{2 \cdot 4} - \frac{1 \cdot 1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \cdot 8} + \frac{1 \cdot 1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdot 7 \cdot 9}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \cdot 8 \cdot 10 \cdot 12} \text{ etc. } = \sqrt{\frac{1 + \sqrt{2}}{2}}.$$

Sumamus etiam  $\Phi = 60^\circ$ , et orietur ista series:

$$1 + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1 \cdot 1}{2 \cdot 4} \cdot \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1 \cdot 1 \cdot 3}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6} + \frac{1 \cdot 1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \cdot 8} \cdot \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1 \cdot 1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdot 7}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \cdot 8 \cdot 10} \cdot \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1 \cdot 1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdot 7 \cdot 9}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \cdot 8 \cdot 10 \cdot 12} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \text{ etc.}$$

cuius seriei ergo summa erit  $\cos. 15^\circ \sqrt[4]{3}$ . Cum igitur sit

$$\cos. 15^\circ = \sqrt{\frac{1 + \cos. 30^\circ}{2}} = \sqrt{\frac{2 + \sqrt{3}}{4}},$$

seriei summa erit  $\frac{1}{2} \sqrt[4]{(3 + 2\sqrt{3})}$ .

### Evolutio casus

quo  $n = -\frac{1}{2}$ .

§. 13. Hinc ergo sequens formabitur series infinita:

$$1 - \frac{1}{2} \cos. \Phi + \frac{1 \cdot 3}{2 \cdot 4} \cos. 2\Phi - \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6} \cos. 3\Phi + \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdot 7}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \cdot 8} \cos. 4\Phi \text{ etc.}$$

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cuius ergo summa erit  $= \frac{\text{cof. } \frac{1}{4} \Phi}{\sqrt{2} \text{ cof. } \frac{1}{2} \Phi}$ . Hinc si fuerit  $\Phi = 0$ ,  
 oritur haec summatio :

$$1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1 \cdot 3}{2 \cdot 4} - \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6} + \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdot 7}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \cdot 8} \text{ etc.} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}.$$

Nascitur enim haec series ex forma  $(1 + x)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$ . Sit nunc  
 $\Phi = 180^\circ$ , et series resultans erit

$$1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1 \cdot 3}{2 \cdot 4} + \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6} + \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdot 7}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \cdot 8} + \text{etc.} = \infty.$$

Oritur enim haec series ex evolutione  $(1 - x)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$ . Sumamus  
 etiam  $\Phi = 90^\circ$  et series erit

$$1 - \frac{1 \cdot 3}{2 \cdot 4} + \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdot 7}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \cdot 8} - \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdot 7 \cdot 9 \cdot 11}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \cdot 8 \cdot 10 \cdot 12} \text{ etc.} = \frac{\text{cof. } 22^\circ, 30'}{\sqrt[4]{2}}.$$

Ante autem vidimus esse  $\text{cof. } 22^\circ, 30' = \sqrt{\frac{1 + \sqrt{2}}{2\sqrt{2}}}$ , vnde ista  
 summa erit  $= \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{1 + \sqrt{2}}$ .

§. 14. In genere etiam pro exponentibus quibuscun-  
 que  $n$  operae pretium erit angulo  $\Phi$  certos tribuere valores,  
 ac primo quidem sumpto  $\Phi = 0$  habebimus

$$1 + \binom{n}{1} + \binom{n}{2} + \binom{n}{3} + \binom{n}{4} + \text{etc.} = 2^n;$$

haec scilicet series est ipsa formula  $(1 + x)^n$  euoluta. Suma-  
 mus nunc  $\Phi = 180^\circ$  et orietur haec series:

$$1 - \binom{n}{1} + \binom{n}{2} - \binom{n}{3} + \binom{n}{4} - \text{etc.} = 0,$$

scilicet haec series est  $= (1 - x)^n$ . Sit etiam  $\Phi = 90^\circ$  et se-  
 ries hinc nata erit

$$1 - \binom{n}{2} + \binom{n}{4} - \binom{n}{6} + \binom{n}{8} - \binom{n}{10} \text{ etc.}$$

cuius ergo summa erit

$$2^n \text{ cof. } 45^n \text{ cof. } n 45^\circ = 2^{\frac{1}{2}n} \text{ cof. } n 45^\circ.$$

§. 15. Haec postrema series eo maiori attentione digna videtur, quod eius veritas non parum est abscondita; unde haud abs re erit casus aliquot speciales contemplari, ac primo quidem pro numeris integris positivis:

- 1°. Si  $n=0$  erit  $1=1$ ,
  - 2°. Si  $n=1$  erit  $1=\cos.45^\circ\sqrt{2}=1$ ,
  - 3°. Si  $n=2$  erit  $1-1=2\cos.90^\circ=0$ ,
  - 4°. Si  $n=3$  erit  $1-3=2^{\frac{3}{2}}\cos.3.45^\circ=-2$ ,
  - 5°. Si  $n=4$  erit  $1-6+1=2^2\cos.4.45^\circ=-4$ ,
  - 6°. Si  $n=5$  erit  $1-10+5=2^{\frac{5}{2}}\cos.5.45^\circ=-4$ ,
  - 7°. Si  $n=6$  erit  $1-15+15-1=2^3\cos.6.45^\circ=0$ ,
  - 8°. Si  $n=7$  erit  $1-21+35-7=2^{\frac{7}{2}}\cos.7.45^\circ=2^3$ ,
  - 9°. Si  $n=8$  erit  $1-28+70-28+1=2^4\cos.8.45^\circ=2^4$ ,
- etc. etc.

§. 16. Maiorem attentionem merentur casus, quibus pro  $n$  numeri negativi accipiuntur, quippe quibus series infinitae proueniunt.

- 1°. Si  $n=-1$  erit  $1-1+1-1+1-1+1-1+1-1$  etc.  

$$= \frac{\cos.45^\circ}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{2},$$
- 2°. Si  $n=-2$  erit  $1-3+5-7+9-11+13-15+17$  etc.  

$$= 2\cos.2.45^\circ=0,$$
- 3°. Si  $n=-3$  erit  $1-6+15-28+45-66+91$  etc.  

$$= \frac{\cos.3.45^\circ}{\sqrt{8}} = -\frac{1}{4},$$
- 4°. Si  $n=-4$  erit  $1-10+35-84+165-286+455$  etc.  

$$= \frac{\cos.4.45^\circ}{4} = -\frac{1}{2},$$

5°.

5°. Si  $n = -5$  erit  $1 - 15 + 70 - 210 + 495 - 1001$  etc.

$$= \frac{\text{cof. } 5. 45^\circ}{2^{\frac{5}{2}}} = -\frac{1}{8}$$

6°. Si  $n = -6$  erit  $1 - 21 + 126 - 462 + 1287 - 3003$  etc.

$$= \frac{\text{cof. } 6. 45^\circ}{8} = 0,$$

etc.

etc.

In genere autem pro his casibus erit-

$$1 - \frac{\lambda(\lambda+1)}{1 \cdot 2} + \frac{\lambda(\lambda+1)(\lambda+2)(\lambda+3)}{1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 4} - \frac{\lambda(\lambda+1) \cdot \dots \cdot (\lambda+5)}{1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 4 \cdot 5 \cdot 6} + \frac{\lambda(\lambda+1) \cdot \dots \cdot (\lambda+7)}{1 \cdot 2 \cdot \dots \cdot 8} - \frac{\lambda(\lambda+1) \cdot \dots \cdot (\lambda+9)}{1 \cdot 2 \cdot \dots \cdot 10} \text{ etc.}$$

cuius ergo seriei summa erit

$$= \frac{\text{cof. } \lambda. 45^\circ}{2^{\frac{1}{2} \lambda}}$$

### Problema 2.

*Proposita hac serie finuum:*

$$\frac{n}{1} \text{ fin. } \Phi + \frac{n}{1} \cdot \frac{n-1}{2} \text{ fin. } 2 \Phi + \frac{n}{1} \cdot \frac{n-1}{2} \cdot \frac{n-2}{3} \text{ fin. } 3 \Phi + \text{etc.} = s,$$

*ita ut per characteres supra adhibitos fit*

$$s = \binom{n}{0} \text{ fin. } 0 \Phi + \binom{n}{1} \text{ fin. } \Phi + \binom{n}{2} \text{ fin. } 2 \Phi + \binom{n}{3} \text{ fin. } 3 \Phi + \text{etc.}$$

*valorem huius summae s realiter exprimere.*

### Solutio.

§. 17. Quodsi hic iterum introducamus litteras

$$p = \text{cof. } \Phi + \sqrt{-1} \text{ fin. } \Phi \text{ et}$$

$$q = \text{cof. } \Phi - \sqrt{-1} \text{ fin. } \Phi,$$

quoniam est  $p^n - q^n = 2 \sqrt{-1} \text{ fin. } n \Phi$ , series proposita in duas sequentes discerpetur

$$2s\sqrt{-1} = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} + \binom{n}{1} p + \binom{n}{2} p p + \binom{n}{3} p^3 + \binom{n}{4} p^4 \\ - \binom{n}{1} q - \binom{n}{2} q q - \binom{n}{3} q^3 - \binom{n}{4} q^4 \end{array} \right\} \text{ etc.}$$

Vnde manifesto erit

$$2s\sqrt{-1} = (1+p)^n - (1+q)^n.$$

§. 18. Hic iam iterum obseruasse iuuabit esse

$$1+p = (\sqrt{p} + \sqrt{q})\sqrt{p} \text{ et}$$

$$1+q = (\sqrt{p} + \sqrt{q})\sqrt{q}$$

quibus valoribus adhibitis erit

$$2s\sqrt{-1} = (\sqrt{p} + \sqrt{q})^n (p^{\frac{1}{2}n} - q^{\frac{1}{2}n}).$$

Quoniam igitur est

$$p^{\frac{1}{2}n} - q^{\frac{1}{2}n} = 2\sqrt{-1} \sin. \frac{1}{2}n\Phi \text{ et}$$

$$\sqrt{p} + \sqrt{q} = 2 \cos. \frac{1}{2}\Phi,$$

hinc per  $2\sqrt{-1}$  diuidendo prodibit summa quaesita realiter expressa  $s = 2^n \cos. \frac{1}{2}\Phi^n \sin. \frac{1}{2}n\Phi$ .