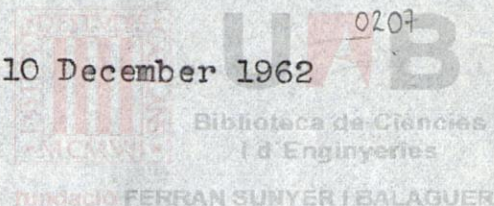


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Dear Professor Kamthan,

Thank you for your kind letter of the 27 ult. and for sending me Dr. Srivastava's paper.

With reference to my suggestion (iii) I think I should say the following: In your paper you said (p. 1, line 17, 18, 19 and 20) "let us introduce a function $\varphi(t)$, which is defined as the single solution (when $t \neq t_0$) of the equation

$$(1) \quad t = e^{\sigma P(\sigma)} \quad "$$

and from this definition it follows that $\varphi(t)$ satisfies

$$t = e^{\varphi(L)P(\varphi(L))}$$

which would make the theorem incorrect. The correct equality is

$$(2) \quad t = e^{P(\log \varphi(L)) \log \varphi(L)}$$

as you suppose in all the rest of the paper. This is the reason for which I propose to write (2) instead of (1)

With regard to my paper "SOBRE LA DISTRIBUCION DE LOS VALORES DE UNA FUNCION ENTERA REPRESENTADA POR UNA SERIE DE DIRICHLET LAGUNAR" (Rev. acad. Ciencias de Zaragoza) I appreciate your interest and Though I am very busy at the moment I shall take the first opportunity of translating it for you. However I am sending you under separate cover, three copies of my paper on similar problems The paper on "VALUES OF ENTIERES FUNCTIONS REPRESENTED BY GAP DIRICHLET SERIES" (Proc. Amer. Math. Soc. vol. IV) may be of special interes to you being a sommary of the of Acad. Ciencias de Zaragoza.

I have pleasure in enclosing herewith the letter accepting your paper for publication in "Collectanea Mathematica"

I am,

Yours sincerely,