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**CHEBYSHEV SERIES EXPANSIONS OF THE FUNCTIONS  $J_\nu(kx)/(kx)^\nu$   
 AND  $I_\nu(kx)/(kx)^\nu$**

Applying the Laplace transformation, Elliott and Szekeres [1] have proved that

$$(1) \quad \frac{J_1(kx)}{x} = k \sum_{m=0}^{\infty}' (-1)^m \left[ J_m^2 \left( \frac{k}{2} \right) - J_{m-1} \left( \frac{k}{2} \right) J_{m+1} \left( \frac{k}{2} \right) \right] T_{2m}(x),$$

where  $J_m$  denotes the Bessel function of first kind,  $T_n(x) = \cos(n \arccos x)$ —the  $n$ -th Chebyshev polynom,  $k$  any arbitrary real constant; the sign' at  $\Sigma$  denotes that the summation component for  $m = 0$  has to be halved. This note contains a completely elementary proof of the series expansion of the functions mentioned in the title, thus also a proof of formula (1).

It is known that

$$(2) \quad \left( \frac{y}{2} \right)^{\mu-\nu} J_\nu(y) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\mu+2j)\Gamma(\mu+j)\Gamma(\nu+1-\mu)}{j!\Gamma(\nu+1-\mu-j)\Gamma(\nu+j+1)} J_{\mu+2j}(y)$$

([2], vol. II, p. 99, formula (2)). For  $\mu = 0$  formula (2) allows an expression of the quotient  $J_\nu(kx)/(kx)^\nu$  (for  $\nu$  integer, nonnegative) by a linear combination of Bessel functions with even indices, as follows

$$\frac{J_\nu(kx)}{(kx)^\nu} = \frac{1}{2^{\nu-1}\Gamma(\nu+1)} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty}' \frac{\nu^{(j)}}{(\nu+j)^{(j)}} J_{2j}(kx),$$

where

$$a^{(j)} = \begin{cases} 1 & (j = 0), \\ a(a-1)\dots(a-j+1) & (j = 1, 2, \dots) \end{cases}$$

(more precisely, it is necessary to calculate the limit of (2) for  $\mu \rightarrow 0$  and to observe for  $j = 0$  that  $\lim_{\mu \rightarrow 0} \mu \Gamma(\mu) = 1$ ). From this and from the identity

$$e^{\pm \nu \pi i/2} I_\nu(z) = J_\nu(ze^{\pm \pi i/2})$$

([4], p. 160) one obtains that

$$\frac{I_\nu(kx)}{(kx)^\nu} = \frac{1}{2^{\nu-1}\Gamma(\nu+1)} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty}' \frac{(-1)^j \nu^{(j)}}{(\nu+j)^{(j)}} I_{2j}(kx).$$

An application of

$$(3) \quad J_{2j}(kx) = 2 \sum_{m=0}^{\infty}' J_{j-m}\left(\frac{k}{2}\right) J_{j+m}\left(\frac{k}{2}\right) T_{2m}(x)$$

([3], p. 24) and of

$$(4) \quad I_{2j}(kx) = 2 \sum_{m=0}^{\infty}' I_{j-m}\left(\frac{k}{2}\right) I_{j+m}\left(\frac{k}{2}\right) T_{2m}(x)$$

gives the announced expansions:

$$(5) \quad \frac{J_\nu(kx)}{(kx)^\nu} = \frac{1}{2^{\nu-2}\Gamma(\nu+1)} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty}' T_{2m}(x) \sum_{j=0}^{\infty}' \frac{\nu^{(j)}}{(\nu+j)^{(j)}} J_{j-m}\left(\frac{k}{2}\right) J_{j+m}\left(\frac{k}{2}\right),$$

$$(6) \quad \frac{I_\nu(kx)}{(kx)^\nu} = \frac{1}{2^{\nu-2}\Gamma(\nu+1)} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty}' T_{2m}(x) \sum_{j=0}^{\infty}' \frac{(-1)^j \nu^{(j)}}{(\nu+j)^{(j)}} I_{j-m}\left(\frac{k}{2}\right) I_{j+m}\left(\frac{k}{2}\right).$$

If  $\nu$  is a natural number then it suffices to take  $j$  up to  $\nu$  in the inner summation of both formulae. For  $\nu = 1$  one obtains formula (1) from (5). The identity (2) allows also a Chebyshev series expansion of the functions

$$(7) \quad \frac{J_\nu(kx)}{(kx)^\lambda}, \quad \frac{I_\nu(kx)}{(kx)^\lambda} \quad (\nu - \lambda = 1, 2, \dots).$$

However, formulae (5) and (6) have a greater value since they give approximation polynomials of  $J_\nu(kx)$  and  $I_\nu(kx)$  with a small relative error.

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**Z. CYLKOWSKI (Wroclaw)****SZEREGI CZEBSZEWA DLA FUNKCJI  $J_\nu(kx)/(kx)^\nu$  I  $I_\nu(kx)/(kx)^\nu$** **STRESZCZENIE**

Nota zawiera elementarny dowód rozwinięć (5) i (6) funkcji wymienionych w tytule względem wielomianów Czebyszewa, korzystający tylko z tożsamości (2)-(4). Podobnie można rozwinąć w szeregi Czebyszewa funkcje (7).

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Автор предлагает элементарный вывод разложений (5) и (6) в ряд относительно полиномов Чебышева функций указанных в заглавии статьи. Для вывода здесь употребляются только тождества (2)-(4). Таким же образом получаются разложения функций (7).

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