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**A Reciprocal integral relation: If we define the function  $\psi(q)$**

$$\psi(q) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\tanh(4\pi x) - q}{\cosh^2(2\pi x) - q} dx$$

**then prove the relation**

$$\frac{\psi(q)}{q} = 2q(q-1) \frac{\partial^2 \psi(q)}{\partial q^2} + (2q+1) \frac{\partial \psi(q)}{\partial q}$$

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$$\psi(q) = \underbrace{\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\tanh(4\pi x)}{\cosh^2(2\pi x) - q} dx}_{\text{odd function}} - q \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{\cosh^2(2\pi x) - q}$$

$$\psi(q) = 2q \int_0^{\infty} \frac{dx}{\cosh^2(2\pi x) - q} \stackrel{t=\tanh(2\pi x)}{\cong}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^1 \frac{dt}{\frac{1-q}{q} + t^2} = -\frac{1}{\pi} \sqrt{\frac{q}{1-q}} \tan^{-1} \left( \sqrt{\frac{q}{1-q}} \right)$$

$$\frac{d\psi}{dq} = -\frac{1}{2\pi(1-q)\sqrt{q(1-q)}} \tan^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{q}{1-q}} - \frac{1}{2\pi(1-q)}$$

$$\frac{d\psi}{dq} = \frac{1}{2q(1-q)} \psi(q) - \frac{2q+1}{2\pi(1-q)}$$

$$(2q+1) \frac{d\psi}{dq} = \frac{2q+1}{2q(1-q)} \psi(q) - \frac{2q+1}{2\pi(1-q)^2}$$

$$\frac{d^2\psi}{dq^2} = \frac{1}{2q(1-q)} \frac{d^2\psi}{dq^2} + \frac{2q-1}{2q^2(1-q)^2} \psi(q) - \frac{1}{2\pi(1-q)^2}$$

$$2q(q-1) \frac{d^2\psi}{dq^2} = -\frac{d\psi}{dq} - \frac{2q-1}{q(1-q)} \psi(q) + \frac{q}{\pi(1-q)}$$

$$2q(q-1) \frac{d^2\psi}{dq^2} = -\frac{4q-1}{2q(1-q)} \psi(q) + \frac{2q+1}{2\pi(1-q)}$$

$$2q(q-1) \frac{d^2\psi}{dq^2} + (2q+1) \frac{d\psi}{dq} = -\frac{4q-1}{2q(1-q)} \psi(q) + \frac{2q+1}{2\pi(1-q)} + \frac{2q+1}{2q(1-q)} \psi(q) - \frac{2q+1}{2\pi(1-q)}$$

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