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Euler’s constant

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Euler's constant  $\gamma$  is defined by

$$\gamma = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} + \cdots + \frac{1}{n} - \ln n \right)$$

or equivalently

$$\gamma = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ \frac{1}{i} - \ln \left( 1 + \frac{1}{i} \right) \right]$$

Euler's constant has the value

$$0.57721566490153286060651209008240243104 \dots$$

It is related to the gamma function by

$$\gamma = -\Gamma'(1)$$

It is not known whether  $\gamma$  is rational or irrational.

**References.**

- Chris Caldwell - "Euler's Constant", <http://primes.utm.edu/glossary/page.php/Gamma.h>