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Hypergeometric modular transformations and Ramanujan's series for $1/\pi$

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Abstract:

We use the theory of theta functions to derive hypergeometric transformation formulas and show that a large number of functions are equal. We recover several identities of Goursat along with many that are new. We discuss applications to Ramanujan's series for $1/\pi$ and show how to obtain iterations that converge rapidly to $1/\pi$.

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