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LECTURES IN ADVANCED COMPLEX ANALYSIS

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LECTURE 1

Conformal Maps

We continue to study analytic functions as mappings. Let us understand the geometric meaning of the derivative. Since derivative are now complex-valued, the calculus interpretation of the derivative no longer makes sense. But we are going to find a new one.

1. Geometric Interpretation of the Derivative

Let $f : E \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ be analytic and $f'(z_0) \neq 0$ where $z_0 \in E$ is fixed point and $w_0 = f(z_0)$. Write $f'(z_0)$ in exponential form

$$f'(z_0) = \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta w(z_0)}{\Delta z} = Ae^{i\alpha} \quad (1.1)$$

where as before $\Delta w(z_0) = f(z_0 + \Delta z) - f(z_0)$. The limit in (1.1) doesn't depend on how $\Delta z \rightarrow 0$. So we take two different paths γ_1, γ_2 non-tangential at z_0 .

Let $\Gamma_1 = f(\gamma_1), \Gamma_2 = f(\gamma_2)$ be the images of γ_1, γ_2 under f .

From (1.1),

$$\alpha = \arg f'(z_0) = \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \arg \Delta w - \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \arg \Delta z \quad (1.2)$$

Since α is independent of the way $\Delta z \rightarrow 0$, (1.2) yields

$$\begin{aligned} \underbrace{\lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow z, z \in \gamma_1} \arg \Delta w}_{\phi_1} - \underbrace{\lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow z, z \in \gamma_1} \arg \Delta z}_{\varphi_1} &= \underbrace{\lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow z, z \in \gamma_2} \arg \Delta w}_{\phi_2} - \underbrace{\lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow z, z \in \gamma_2} \arg \Delta z}_{\varphi_2} \\ \Rightarrow \phi_1 - \varphi_1 &= \phi_2 - \varphi_2 \\ \Rightarrow \underbrace{\phi_2 - \phi_1}_{\Delta \phi} &= \underbrace{\varphi_2 - \varphi_1}_{\Delta \varphi} \\ \Rightarrow \Delta \phi &= \Delta \varphi \end{aligned} \quad (1.3)$$

Equation (1.3) reads that an analytic function f preserves angles at each point z_0 such that $f'(z_0) \neq 0$.

Read (1.1) now differently

$$\Delta w = \epsilon + z \Delta^\alpha e^A = w \Delta \quad \Rightarrow \quad \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta w(z_0)}{\Delta z} = A e^{i\alpha}$$

where

$$\lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{\varepsilon(z_0, \Delta z)}{\Delta z} = 0.$$

Recalling the definition of the differential

$$dw = A e^{i\alpha} \Delta z \quad \Rightarrow \quad |dw| = A |\Delta z|.$$

2. Conformal Map

Definition 1.1. A map , $f : E \rightarrow f(E)$ is called conformal if it preserves angles and has a constant dilation at any $z_0 \in E$.

Proposition 1.2 . An analytic function f is conformal at z_0 if and only if $f'(z_0) \neq 0$.

Proof.

Let z_0 be a point in E and C_1 and C_2 be two smooth curves passing through z_0 with tangent T_1 and T_2 , respectively . Let θ_1 and θ_2 denotes the angles of inclination at T_1 and T_2 , respectively .

K_1 and K_2 (images curves) that pass through $w_0 = f(z_0)$ will have tangents T_1^* and T_2^* , respectively .

$$\gamma = \arg[f'(z_0)] + \arg[z'(0)] = \alpha + \theta \text{ when } \alpha = \arg[f'(z_0)],$$

$$\gamma_1 = \alpha + \theta_1 \text{ and } \gamma_2 = \alpha + \theta_2 \quad .$$

$$\text{We conclude } \gamma_2 - \gamma_1 = \theta_2 - \theta_1 \quad .$$

That the angle $\gamma_2 - \gamma_1$ from K_1 to K_2 is the same magnitude and orientation as the angle $\theta_2 - \theta_1$ from C_1 to C_2 . Therefore , $w = f(z)$ is conformal mapping .

LECTURE 2

Möbius Transforms (Linear Fractional Transforms)

Definition 2.1. The function

$$\varphi(z) := \frac{az + b}{cz + d}, \text{ where } (ad \neq bc) \quad (2.1)$$

is called the Möbius transform.

Proposition 2.2. Let the Möbius transform, φ , be defined by (2.1). Then

- (1) φ is analytic on $\mathbb{C} \setminus \{-\frac{d}{c}\}$
- (2) φ is univalent and conformal on $\mathbb{C} \setminus \{-\frac{d}{c}\}$
- (3) the inverse, φ^{-1} of φ , is given by

$$\varphi^{-1}(z) := \frac{dz - b}{-cz + a}.$$

Proof. Since (1) is clear, we will begin by considering (2). Simply differentiate (2.1) by the quotient rule to conclude that

$$\varphi'(z) = \frac{dz - b}{(cz + d)^2} \neq 0.$$

So, by Proposition 1.2, φ is conformal on $\mathbb{C} \setminus \{-\frac{d}{c}\}$. To prove that φ is univalent, we write

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{az + b}{cz + d} = w &\Leftrightarrow az + b = czw + dw \\ &\Leftrightarrow (a - cw)z = dw - b \\ &\Leftrightarrow z = \frac{dw - b}{a - cw} = \frac{dw - b}{-cw + a}, \forall w \neq \frac{a}{c} \end{aligned} \quad (2.2)$$

which implies that φ is univalent. Thus, (2) is done. Moreover, switching $w \leftrightarrow z$ in (2.2) yields (3). □

Example. There are four fundamental example at Möbius transform $f : \hat{\mathbb{C}} \rightarrow E$

- a) Translations : $z \rightarrow a + b = \frac{1 \cdot z + b}{0 \cdot z + 1}$, ($b \in \mathbb{C}$). (Parabolic transformation).

b) Rotations : $z \rightarrow az = \frac{\sqrt{a} \cdot z + 0}{0 \cdot z + (\sqrt{a})^{-1}}$, ($|a| = 1$) . (Elliptic transformation) .

c) Expansions : $z \rightarrow \lambda z = \frac{\sqrt{\lambda} \cdot z + 0}{0 \cdot z + (\sqrt{\lambda})^{-1}}$, ($\lambda > 1$ or $0 < \lambda < 1$) .

(Hyperbolic transformation) .

d) Inversion : $z \rightarrow \frac{1}{z}$.

Proposition 2.3. Let φ be a Möbius transform . Then

$$\varphi = \varphi_3 \circ \varphi_2 \circ \varphi_1$$

where φ_1 and φ_3 are linear mappings , and φ_2 is an inversion , i.e $\varphi_2(z) = \frac{1}{z}$.

Moreover if $c \neq 0$

$$\varphi_1(z) = cz + d$$

$$\varphi_2(z) = \frac{1}{z}$$

$$\varphi_3(z) = \frac{a}{c} + \left(b - \frac{ad}{c} \right) z .$$

If $c \neq 0$ then φ is linear .

The proof is left as an exercise .

The importance of the Möbius transform is due to the following proposition .

Proposition 2.4. A Möbius transform φ transforms linear and circles to lines and circles (i.e. φ preserves lines and circles) .

Proof . We show first that the statement holds for a linear $\varphi_1(z)$. Recall that any line L in \mathbb{R}^2 can be written in the parametric form $(x(t), y(t))$ where $x(t)$ and $y(t)$ are linear (real) functions of t . Consider now, $\varphi_1(z(t)) = cz(t) + d$, where $z(t) = x(t) + iy(t)$. Denoting $c = c_1 + ic_2$ and $d = d_1 + id_2$

$$\varphi_1(z(t)) = \underbrace{c_1x(t) - c_2y(t) + d_1}_{\text{linear function of } t} + i \underbrace{(c_2x(t) + c_1y(t) + d_2)}_{\text{linear function of } t} .$$

It follows that $\varphi_1(z(t)) := u(t) + iv(t)$ where $u(t)$ and $v(t)$ are linear functions . Hence, $\varphi_1(z(t))$ represents a line in the w -plane .

It follows that $|w - w_0| = \rho|c|$. That is, $w \in C_{\rho|c|}(w_0)$, i. e. $\varphi_1 C_{\rho}(z_0) = C_{\rho|c|}(\varphi_1(z_0))$.

It remains to show that the mapping $w = \frac{1}{z}$ transforms circles and lines into circles and lines. Note that when a point $w = u + iv$ is the image of a nonzero $z = x + iy$ under the transformation $w = \frac{1}{z}$, writing $w = \frac{\bar{z}}{|z|^2}$ yields that

$$u = \frac{x}{x^2+y^2}, v = \frac{-y}{x^2+y^2}. \quad (2.3)$$

Moreover, since $z = \frac{1}{w} = \frac{\bar{w}}{|w|^2}$,

$$x = \frac{u}{u^2+v^2}, y = \frac{-v}{u^2+v^2}. \quad (2.4)$$

Now note that when A,B,C, and D are all real numbers satisfying the condition $B^2 + C^2 > 4AD$, the equation

$$A(x^2 + y^2) + Bx + Cy + D = 0 \quad (2.5)$$

represents an arbitrary circle or line, where $A \neq 0$ for a circle and $A = 0$ for a line. If $A \neq 0$ it is indeed necessary for $B^2 + C^2 > 4AD$ since by completing the square we may rewrite (2.5) as

$$\left(x + \frac{B}{2A}\right)^2 + \left(y + \frac{C}{2A}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{\sqrt{B^2 + C^2 - 4AD}}{2A}\right)^2$$

Note that if $A = 0$ then $B^2 + C^2 > 0$. Thus, either B or C is greater than 0. Now observe that if x and y satisfy (2.5), by (2.4) we may substitute. After simplification we conclude that u and v satisfy the following equation

$$D(u^2 + v^2) + Bu - Cv + A = 0, \quad (2.6)$$

which also represents a circle or line. Conversely, if u and v satisfy (2.6), it follows from (2.3) that x and y satisfy (2.5).

Now by (2.5) and (2.6) we may conclude that

- (1) a circle ($A \neq 0$) not passing through the origin ($D \neq 0$) in the z -plane is transformed into a circle not passing through the origin in the w -plane ;
- (2) a circle ($A \neq 0$) through the origin ($D = 0$) in the z -plane is transformed into a line that does not pass through the origin in the w -plane ;
- (3) a line ($A = 0$) not passing through the origin ($D \neq 0$) in the z -plane is transformed into a circle not passing through the origin in the w -plane ;
- (4) a line ($A = 0$) through the origin ($D = 0$) in the z -plane is transformed into a line that does not pass through the origin in the w -plane .

This concludes our proof . □

It is left as an exercise to the reader to come up with a more elegant proof of Proposition 2.4.

Proposition 2.5. Given that φ_1 and φ_2 are Möbius transform ,it is follows that $\varphi_2 \circ \varphi_1$ is Möbius transform .

The proof is left as an exercise.

Proposition 2.6. Assume $\{z_1, z_2, z_3\}$ and $\{w_1, w_2, w_3\}$ are sets of distinct numbers . Then there exist a Möbius transform , φ , where

$$\varphi(z_i) = w_i, \quad i = 1,2,3.$$

Moreover, φ can be explicitly constructed by

$$\frac{z - z_1}{z - z_3} \cdot \frac{z_2 - z_3}{z_2 - z_1} = \frac{w - w_1}{w - w_3} \cdot \frac{w_2 - w_3}{w_2 - w_1} .$$

Proof . Consider $z_1, z_2, z_3 \neq \infty$. Let

$$S(z) = \frac{(z - z_2)(z_1 - z_3)}{(z - z_3)(z_1 - z_2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow S(z_1) = 1, \quad S(z_2) = 0, \quad S(z_3) = \infty .$$

$$\text{Let } T(z) = \frac{(z - w_2)(z_1 - w_3)}{(z - w_3)(z_1 - w_2)}, \text{ then } T(w_1) = 1, \quad T(w_2) = 0, \quad T(w_3) = \infty .$$

If we define $\varphi(z) = S^{-1} \circ T(z)$, then $\varphi(z_i) = T^{-1} \circ S(z_i) = w_i, (i = 1,2,3)$.

In case $z_1 = \infty$ then we let $S(z) = \frac{z - z_2}{z - z_3}$ Similarly for T .

In case $z_2 = \infty$ then we let $S(z) = \frac{z_1 - z_3}{z - z_3}$ Similarly for T .

In case $z_3 = \infty$ then we let $S(z) = \frac{z - z_2}{z_1 - z_2}$ Similarly for T .

Uniqueness exercise.

Example .Find the Möbius transform φ which maps $-1, 0, 1$ to the point $-i, 1, i$.

$$\text{Assume } \varphi(z) = \frac{az+b}{cz+d} . \text{ Since } \varphi(0) = \frac{b}{d} = 1 \Rightarrow b = d \text{ and } \varphi(z) = \frac{az+b}{cz+b}$$

Similarly.....complete .

Example .Show that $\varphi(z) = \frac{z-1}{z+1}$ maps $y > 0$ onto $v > 0$ and x axis onto u axis .

We first note that when the number z is real , so is the number w . Consequently, since the image of the real axis $y = 0$ is either a circle or line it must be the real axis $v = 0$, for at point w in the point w -plane ,

$$v = \text{Im } w = \text{Im } \frac{(z-1)(z+1)}{(z+1)\overline{(z+1)}} = \frac{2y}{|z+1|^2}, \quad (z \neq -1)$$

v, y have the same sign ,

x axis $\rightarrow u$ axis (since $\varphi(z)$ is $1 - 1$) .

Exercise 2.7 Let U be the open unit disk in \mathbb{C} , and let $U^+ = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \text{Im } z > 0, |z| < 1\}$.

Exhibit a one -one conformal mapping from U^+ onto U .

(Hint: consider $\varphi_0(z) = \frac{1-z}{1+z}$) .

Exercise 2.8. Show that

$\varphi(z) = \frac{i-z}{i+z}$ maps \mathbb{C}^+ onto \mathbb{D} .

LECTURE 3

Complex Integration

Definition 3.1. A piecewise smooth curve γ with parametric interval $[a, b]$ is said to be reparametrization of $\tilde{\gamma}(t)$, $\tilde{a} \leq t \leq \tilde{b}$ if and only if there is c' -map $\alpha: [\tilde{a}, \tilde{b}] \rightarrow [a, b]$ such that $\alpha'(\tilde{a}) = 0, \alpha(\tilde{a}) = a, \alpha(\tilde{b}) = b$ and $\tilde{\gamma}(t) = \gamma(\alpha(t))$, some time γ and $\tilde{\gamma}$ are said to be equivalent. Suppose f is continuous in D (open) containing all the points of $\gamma(t)$. Then we have

$$\int_{\tilde{\gamma}} f(z) dz = \int_{\tilde{\gamma}} f(\tilde{\gamma}(t)) \tilde{\gamma}'(t) dt = \int_{\tilde{a}}^{\tilde{b}} f(\gamma(\alpha(t))) \gamma'(\alpha(t)) \alpha'(t) dt$$

$$= \int_{\alpha(\tilde{a})}^{\alpha(\tilde{b})} f(\gamma(\alpha(t))) \alpha'(t) dt = \int_a^b f(\gamma(\alpha(t))) \alpha'(t) dt = \int_{\gamma} f(z) dz =$$

Therefore, if in immaterial which parametrization is useful.

Example. Evaluate $I = \int_{\gamma} f(z) dz$, $f(z) = z^n$, $\gamma(t) = e^{it}$, $0 \leq t \leq 2\pi$

γ : is an arc of any circle centered of the origin,

$$I = r^{n+1} \int_0^{2\pi} i e^{i(n+1)t} dt \quad [\gamma(t) = r e^{it}]$$

given
$$I = \begin{cases} r^{n+1} \left[\frac{e^{i(n+1)t}}{n+1} \right]_0^{2\pi} & \text{if } n \neq -1 \\ 2\pi i & \text{if } n = -1 \end{cases}$$

i.e.
$$\int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } n \neq -1 \\ 2\pi i & \text{if } n = -1 \end{cases}$$

continuous hold id γ and f are replaced by any circle centered at z_0 and $(z - z_0)^n$ respectively. This mean that

$$\int_{|z-z_0|=1} (z-z_0)^n dz = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } n \neq -1 \\ 2\pi i & \text{if } n = -1 \end{cases}$$

Theorem 3.2. Let γ be smooth curve and let f, g be continuous functions on D (open) continuous β ($[a, b]$) and let $\alpha \in \mathbb{C}$. Then

$$1) \int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = - \int_{-\gamma} f(z) dz$$

$$2) \int_{\gamma} [\alpha f(z) + g(z)] dz = \alpha \int_{\gamma} f(z) dz + \int_{\gamma} g(z) dz$$

If γ_1, γ_2 are two paths such that $\gamma_1(b) = \gamma_2(a)$

$$3) \int_{\gamma_1 + \gamma_2} f(z) dz = \int_{\gamma_1} f(z) dz + \int_{\gamma_2} f(z) dz$$

4) If $L = L(\gamma)$ is the length of the curve and $M = \max_{t \in [a, b]} |f(\gamma(t))|$, then

$$\left| \int_{\gamma} f(z) dz \right| \leq ML.$$

Proof.

$$\int_{-\gamma} f(z) dz = \int_a^b f(\gamma(b + a.t)) d(\gamma(b + a.t))$$

$$= \int_a^b f(\gamma(s)) d\gamma(s) \quad \text{by chang variable form } t \text{ to } s = b + a.t$$

$$= - \int_a^b f(\gamma(s)) d\gamma(s) = - \int_{\gamma} f(z) dz$$

1) Follows 2) follows from definition and linearity property of Riemann integral
3) As γ_1, γ_2 are curve with $\gamma_1(b) = \gamma_2(a)$, $\gamma = \gamma_1 + \gamma_2$, is then

$$\gamma(t) = \begin{cases} \gamma_1(2t - a), & a \leq t \leq \frac{(b+a)}{2} \\ \gamma_2(2t - b), & \frac{(b+a)}{2} \leq t \leq a \end{cases}$$

and the assertion now follows the definition of the noting that for γ_1, γ_2 a reparametrization has been made

4) $L = \int_{\gamma} |dz| = \int_a^b |\gamma'(t)| dt$ and for a real-valued Riemann integral function φ on

$$[a, b], \text{ we know that } \left| \int_a^b \varphi(t) dt \right| \leq \int_a^b |\varphi(t)| dt \dots\dots\dots (*) .$$

If $\int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = 0$, then is nothing to prove. Therefore we assume $\int_{\gamma} f(z) dz \neq 0$ and write

$$\int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = \int_a^b f(\gamma(t)) \gamma'(t) dt = R e^{i\theta}, \text{ where } R > 0 \text{ and } \theta = \arg\left(\int_{\gamma} f(z) dz\right).$$

Therefore, we have
$$\int_a^b e^{-i\theta} f(\gamma(t)) \gamma'(t) dt = e^{-i\theta} \int_a^b f(\gamma(t)) \gamma'(t) dt = R$$

$$= \operatorname{Re} \int_a^b e^{i\theta} f(\gamma(t)) \gamma'(t) dt = \int_a^b \operatorname{Re}[e^{-i\theta} f(\gamma(t)) \gamma'(t)] dt$$

Apply (*), with $\varphi(t) = \operatorname{Re}[e^{-i\theta} f(\gamma(t)) \gamma'(t)]$, to get

$$\begin{aligned} R &= \left| \int_{\gamma} f(z) dz \right| \leq \int_a^b \operatorname{Re} \left| e^{-i\theta} f(\gamma(t)) \gamma'(t) \right| dt \\ &= \int_a^b |f(\gamma(t))| |\gamma'(t)| dt . \end{aligned}$$

Since $|f(\gamma(t))| \leq M$ for all $t \in [a, b]$, and since fore positive integrands the Riemann integral is larger integrand, we have 4.

Theorem 3.3. Let $\{f_n\}$ be a sequence of continuous functions, suppose that $f_n \rightarrow f$ uniformly on a smooth curve γ . Then

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_{\gamma} f_n(z) dz = \int_{\gamma} f(z) dz$$

Proof. Let $\varepsilon > 0$ and f_n converge uniformly on γ with parametric integral $[a, b]$. Then there is an N such that

$$|f_n(\gamma(t)) - f(\gamma(t))| < \varepsilon \text{ for } t \in [a, b] \text{ and } n \geq N$$

by above theorem (3.2) , we have

$$\left| \int_{\gamma} f_n(z) dz - \int_{\gamma} f(z) dz \right| = \left| \int_{\gamma} [f_n(z) - f(z)] dz \right|$$

$$\left| \int_a^b [f_n(\gamma(t)) - f(\gamma(t))] \gamma'(t) dt \right| \leq \int_a^b |f_n(\gamma(t)) - f(\gamma(t))| |\gamma'(t)| dt \leq \varepsilon \int_a^b |\gamma'(t)| dt, \quad n \geq N =$$

$$\rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } n \rightarrow \infty \text{ for arbitrary small } \varepsilon > 0.$$

Theorem 3.4. If $f = u + iv$ is analytic in open set D containing the smooth path γ with parametric interval $[a, b]$. i.e. $\gamma([a, b]) \subset D$, then

$$\int_{\gamma} f'(z) dz = f(\gamma(b)) - f(\gamma(a)) .$$

Proof . H.W

The Cauchy Theorem

Note : a region is analytic is an open set .

The simplest region of Cauchy's Theorem utilizes a theorem from calculus known as "Green's Theorem " .

"Given two real valued function $M(x, y)$ and $N(x, y)$, which continuous with their partial derivatives "

$$\int_{\gamma} M(x, y) dx + N(x, y) dy = \iint_{\Omega} \left[\frac{\partial N(x, y)}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial M(x, y)}{\partial y} \right] dx dy$$

interior of γ

Theorem 3.5 . If f is analytic with f' is continuous inside and on simple closed curve γ , then $\int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = 0$.

Proof . Let $f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$ and $\Omega = \text{Int} \gamma$. Then

$$\int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = \int_{\gamma} (u dx - v dy) + i \int_{\gamma} (u dy + v dx) .$$

By assumption , and by Green's Theorem

$$\int_{\gamma} f(z)dz = \iint_{\Omega} (-v_x - u_y) dx dy + i \iint_{\Omega} (u_x - v_y) dx dy$$

by C. R. equation we have result and asserts that the integral of a function, analytic in a simple connected domain D along any closed curve $\gamma \subset D$, is always zero .

Cauchy Goursat Theorem

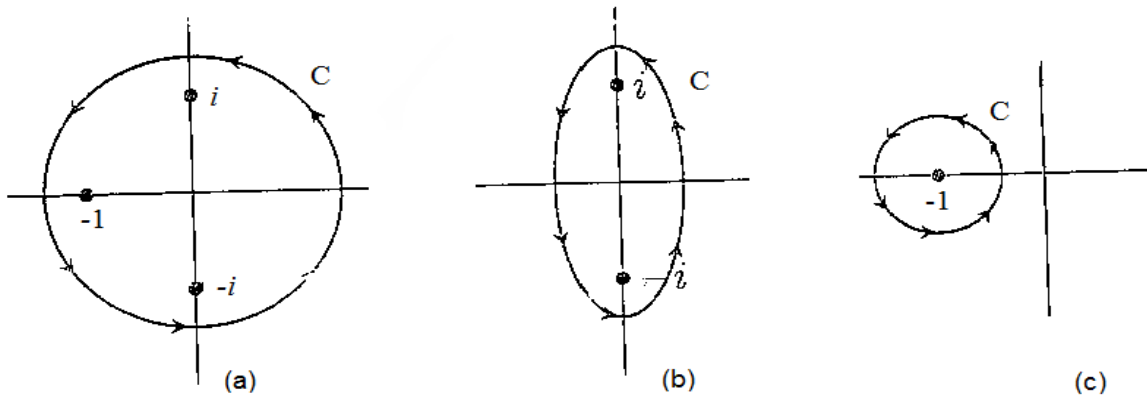
Theorem 3.6. If f is analytic in a simple connected region $D \subset \mathbb{C}$. Then

$$\int_{\gamma} f(z)dz = 0 \text{ , (} \gamma \text{: closed contour , } \gamma \subset D \text{).}$$

Theorem 3.7. Let f be analytic on a (multiply) connected domain and let C_1, C_2, \dots, C_n be simply connected region with positive oriented in D such that for all k , $Int C_k \subset Int C$ and let C_k are disjoint . If f is analytic on $Int C / \{U_{k=1}^n Int C_k\}$,

$$\text{then } \int_C f(z)dz = \sum_{k=1}^n \int_{C_k} f(z)dz .$$

Example .Evaluate $\int_C \frac{dz}{(z+1)(z^2+1)}$ for the following contour



Solution .

Note that $f(z) = \frac{1}{(z+1)(z^2+1)}$ analytic on $C / \{-1, i, -i\}$.

$$f(z) = \frac{1/z}{z+1} + \frac{1/(1+i)2i}{z-i} + \frac{1/(1-i)(-2i)}{z+i}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{z+1} + \frac{1}{i-1} \cdot \frac{1}{z-i} - \frac{1}{1+i} \cdot \frac{1}{z+i} \right)$$

we establish positively oriented circles of radius r , and respectively of center $z_1 = -1, z_2 = i, z_3 = -i$ (take $r = \frac{1}{4}$), C_r are disjoint, therefore a_1, a_2, a_3 being coefficient, such that

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{C_r(z_k)} f(z) dz &= \int_{C_r(z_k)} \frac{a_1 dz}{z-z_1} + \int_{C_r(z_k)} \frac{a_2 dz}{z-z_2} + \int_{C_r(z_k)} \frac{a_3 dz}{z-z_3} \\ &= \int_{C_r(z_k)} \frac{a_k dz}{z-z_k} \quad (\text{by linearity}) \end{aligned}$$

By Cauchy theorem

$$\text{since } z_j \notin \text{Int } C_r(z_k), \quad j \neq k \quad \int_{C_r(z_k)} \frac{a_j dz}{z-z_j} = 0$$

$$\text{Now, } \int_{C_r(z_k)} \frac{a_k dz}{z-z_k} = a_k \int_{C_r(z_k)} \frac{dz}{z-z_k}.$$

Take $z = z_k + re^{it}, 0 \leq t \leq 2\pi$

$$\int = \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{re^{it} idt}{re^{it}} = \int_0^{2\pi} idt = 2\pi i$$

$$\text{then, } \int_{C_r(z_k)} \frac{a_k dz}{z-z_k} = 2\pi i a_k$$

a) All $C_r(z_k)$ defined above are in $\text{Int } C$. Hence by above theorem, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_C \frac{dz}{(z+1)(z^2+1)} &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_{C_r(-1)} \frac{dz}{z+1} + \frac{1}{i-1} \int_{C_r(i)} \frac{dz}{z-i} - \frac{1}{i+1} \int_{C_r(-i)} \frac{dz}{z+i} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (2\pi i + \frac{1}{i-1} 2\pi i - \frac{1}{i+1} 2\pi i) = \pi i (1-1) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

b) Only $C_r(i)$ and $C_r(-i)$ are $\text{Int } C$, hence

$$\int_C \frac{dz}{(z+1)(z^2+1)} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{i-1} \int_{C_r(i)} \frac{dz}{z-i} - \frac{1}{i+1} \int_{C_r(-i)} \frac{dz}{z+i} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (2\pi i) \left(\frac{1}{i-1} - \frac{1}{i+1} \right) = -\pi i$$

c) $C_r(-1) \in \text{Int } C$, then

$$\int_C \frac{dz}{(z+1)(z^2+1)} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_{C_r(-1)} \frac{dz}{z+i} \right) = \frac{1}{2} (2\pi i) = \pi i$$

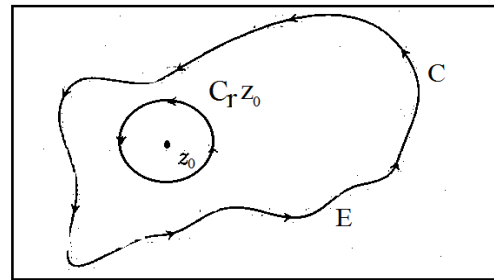
The Cauchy formula

Theorem 3.8 . Let f be analytic on E and $C \subset E$ be positively oriented simple contour . Then

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{f(z)}{z-z_0} dz = f(z_0), \quad \forall z_0 \in \text{Int } C .$$

Proof. Since $\frac{f(z)}{z-z_0}$ analytic on $E/\{z_0\}$, $C \sim C_r(z_0)$ for some r .

By Theorem (*)



$$\int_C \frac{f(z) dz}{z-z_0} = \int_{C_r(z_0)} \frac{f(z) dz}{z-z_0} = \int_{C_r(z_0)} \frac{f(z) - f(z_0)}{z-z_0} dz + f(z_0) \int_{C_r(z_0)} \frac{dz}{z-z_0},$$

then we have

$$\left| \int_{C_r(z_0)} \frac{f(z) - f(z_0)}{z-z_0} dz \right| \leq \int_{C_r(z_0)} \left| \frac{f(z) - f(z_0)}{z-z_0} \right| |dz| \leq \max_{z \in C_r(z_0)} |f(z) - f(z_0)| \int_{C_r(z_0)} \frac{|dz|}{|z-z_0|}$$

$$\rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } r \rightarrow 0$$

take $r \rightarrow 0$, we have

$$\int_C \frac{f(z)}{z-z_0} dz = 2\pi i f(z_0) + \underbrace{\lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \int_{C_r(z_0)} \frac{f(z) - f(z_0)}{z-z_0} dz}_{\rightarrow 0}$$

LECTURE 4

Corollary 4.1 . If f is analytic on $D_r(z_0)$ and continuous on $\bar{D}_r(z_0)$, then

$$f(z_0) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} f(z_0 + re^{i\theta}) d\theta .$$

Example. Evaluate $\int_c \frac{dz}{(z+1)(z^2+1)}$ of as in above example by using Cauchy formula

solution .Let $f_1(z) = \frac{1}{z^2+1}$, $f_2(z) = \frac{1}{(z+1)(z+i)}$, $f_3(z) = \frac{1}{(z+1)(z-i)}$

$$C_1 = C_r(-1) , \quad C_2 = C_r(i) , \quad C_3 = C_r(-i) \quad (r \text{ small enough})$$

therefore, C_1 , C_2 and C_3 are disjoint , also note that f_k is analytic on $C_k \cup \text{Int } C_k$, $k=1,2,3,\dots$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_c f(z) dz &= \int_{c_1} \frac{f_1(z)}{z+1} dz + \int_{c_2} \frac{f_2(z)}{z-i} dz + \int_{c_3} \frac{f_3(z)}{z+i} dz = 2\pi i (f_1(-1) + f_2(i) + f_3(-i)) \\ &= 2\pi i \int_c \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{1-i} - \frac{1}{i+1} = \pi i (1-1) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

b) , c) left exercise .

The Maximum Modulus Principle

Definition 4.2. Let D be any subset of \mathbb{C} . A complex function defined on D is said to have (local) maximum modulus of $a \in D$, if there exists a $\delta > 0$ such that $D_\delta(a) \subset D$ and $|f(z)| \leq |f(a)|$ for all $z \in \epsilon_\delta(a)$, a minimum of $|f|$ is similar defined .

Theorem 4.3. (M.M.P.) suppose that f is analytic in D and $a \in D$ such that $|f(z)| \leq |f(a)|$ holds for all $z \in D$. Then f is constant .

Example. Let $f(z) = \sin z$ and $A = \{z : |z| \leq 1\}$. Then

$$|f(x+iy)| \leq |\sin x| |\csc ecy|$$

and so $|f|$ attains its maximum value

$$1 + \frac{1}{3i} + \frac{1}{5i} + \dots , \text{ on } A \text{ at } a = -1$$

Similarly we see that $|g|$, where $g(z) = e^z$, attains its maximum value e on A at $a = 1$.

Note that the minimum value of $|f|$ is attained at an interior point of E without f being constant.

If we take $f(z) = z$ for $z \in E_r$. Then

$$|f(z)| = |z| \geq 0 = |f(0)|$$

then the minimum value attains at the origin.

The maximum value of $f(x + iy) = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$ is attained at the boundary point $|z| = r$.

Theorem 4.4. (Maximum M. T.) Let f be an analytic function in boundary domain D and continuous on \bar{D} . Then $|f|$ attains its maximum on boundary ∂D of D .

Proof. We know that a continuous function on a compact set is bounded, therefore by hypothesis f is bounded on \bar{D} and the maximum value of $|f|$ is attained at some point of \bar{D} . By M.M.P. it cannot be in D so it must be on boundary ∂D .

Note : In M.M.T. that D is boundary cannot be dropped for instance if we consider

$$f(z) = e^{-iz} \text{ with } D = \{z : \text{Im}z > 0\},$$

then $|f(\zeta)| = 1$ on $\partial D = \{\zeta : \text{Im}\zeta = 0\}$.

But for $z = x + iy \in D$

$$|f(x + iy)| = e^y \rightarrow \infty \text{ as } y \in \mathbb{R}, y \rightarrow +\infty$$

i.e. f itself not on boundary.

Another example, see

$$f(z) = e^{e^z}, \quad z \in D = \{z : |\text{Im}z| < \frac{\pi}{2}\}. \text{ Then}$$

$$\text{for } a + ib \in \partial D = \{\zeta : |\text{Im}\zeta| = \frac{\pi}{2}\}$$

$$\left| f(a + ib) \right| = \left| e^{e^{a + ib}} \right| = \left| e^{e^a \mp i \frac{\pi}{2}} \right| = \left| e^{\mp i \frac{\pi}{2}} e^{e^a} \right| = 1$$

Again M.M.T. fails

if $z = x \in \mathbb{R} \subset D$, $f(x) = e^{e^x} \rightarrow \infty$ as $x \rightarrow +\infty$.

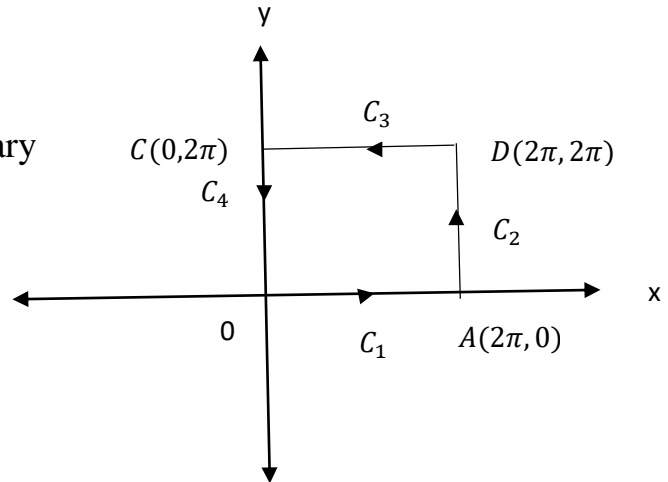
Example: find $\max_{z \in D} |f(z)|$ for

- a) $f(z) = \cos z$ with $D = \{z = x + iy : 0 < x, y < 2\pi\}$.
 b) $f(z) = \cos z$ for $z \in \mathbb{C}$.

Solution

a) $|f(z)| = \sqrt{\sinh^2 y + \cos^2 x}$

by M.M.T, maximum attain on boundary



$$\partial D = [0, 2\pi] \cup [2\pi, 2\pi + 2\pi i] \cup [2\pi + 2\pi i, 2\pi] \cup [2\pi, 0].$$

For $z \in [0, 2\pi]$, we have $z = x + i(0)$ with $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$,

then $|\cos z|$ has maximum 1 at $z = 0, 2\pi$.

For $z \in [2\pi, 2\pi + 2\pi i]$, we have $z = 2\pi + iy$ with $0 \leq y \leq 2\pi$,

then $|\cos z|$ has maximum $\sqrt{1 + \sinh^2(2\pi)}$ at $z = 2\pi + 2\pi i$, since $\sinh y$ increasing of y .

For $z \in [0 + 2\pi i]$, we have $z = x + 2\pi i$ with $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$,

then $|\cos z|$ has maximum $\sqrt{1 + \sinh^2(2\pi)}$ at $z = 0 + 2\pi i, \pi + 2\pi i$.

For $z \in [2\pi i, 0]$, we have $z = 2\pi + iy$ with $0 \leq y \leq 2\pi$,

then $|\cos z|$ has maximum $\sqrt{1 + \sinh^2(2\pi)}$.

Hence $\max_{z \in D} |\cos z| = \sqrt{1 + \sinh^2(2\pi)} = \cosh 2\pi$.

b) **H.W**

Theorem 4.5 (Minimum M. T.).

If f is a non-constant analytic function in a bounded D and $f(z) \neq 0$ for any $z \in D$, that $|f|$ cannot attain its minimum in D .

Theorem 4.6 (open mapping Theorem)

A non-constant analytic function maps open sets onto open sets.

Schwarz Lemma .

If f is analytic and satisfies $|f(z)| < 1$ in E and $f(0) = 0$, then $|f(z)| \leq |z|$ for each $z \in E$ and $|f'(0)| \leq 1$.

Theorem 4.7 .Let $f: E \rightarrow E$ be analytic having n zeros of the origin .Then

- i) $|f(z)| \leq |z|^n$ for all $z \in E$
- ii) $|f^n(0)| \leq n!$

and equality in (i) and (ii) for some point $z_0 \neq 0$ occurs iff

- iii) $f(z) = \epsilon z^n$ with $|\epsilon| = 1$.

Note that if $n = 1$, then we obtain Schwarz Lemma.

Proof .

Since f has $n - th$ order zero at the origin , the function g defined by

$$g(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{f(z)}{z^n} & , \text{ for } z \in E \setminus \{0\} \\ \frac{f^n(0)}{n!} & \text{ for } z = 0 \end{cases}$$

is analytic in E . Let ζ such that $0 < |\zeta| < 1$ and choose r , such that $|\zeta| < r < 1$. Since $|f(z)| < 1$ for every $z \in E$, the M.M.P. applied to $g(z)$ yields

$$|g(\zeta)| \leq \max_{|z| \leq r} |g(z)| = \max_{|z|=r} |g(z)| = \max_{|z|=r} \left| \frac{f(z)}{z^n} \right| \leq \frac{1}{r^n}.$$

Since $g(\zeta) \leq \frac{1}{r^n}$ for each r , then $g(\zeta) \leq 1$

therefore, $g(\zeta) \leq 1$ for each $z \in E$ and this is same.

- a) (i). Since $\left| \frac{f^n(0)}{n!} \right| = |g(z)|$ and $g(0) \leq 1$.
ii) follows.

In case $|f(z_0)| = |z_0|^n$ for some z_0 with $0 < |z| < 1$, then $|g(z_0)| = 1$. Therefore $|g(z)|$ achieves its maximum modulus at z_0 . So g must reduce to a constant ; that is f takes the form $f(z) = \epsilon z^n$, when $|\epsilon| = 1$. Then same argument at $z_0 = 0$, shows (iii) holds when $|f'(0)| \leq n!$.

LECTURE 5

Consequences of the Cauchy formula

Lemma 5.1. For all $z \in D$, we have

$$\frac{1}{(1-z)^n} = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(n+k-1)!}{k!(n-1)!} z^k$$

Proof. The geometric series

$\frac{1}{1-z} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} z^k$ is uniformly convergent on $D_r(0)$ for $r < 1$, then by the following
 (*)

and $\frac{d^{n-1}}{dz^{n-1}} \left(\frac{1}{1-z} \right) = \frac{(n-1)!}{(1-z)^n}$, therefore, the assertion is follows:

{ (*) If $f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (z-z_0)^n$ converges on $D_R(z_0)$ then $f(z)$ is infinitely differentiable on $D_R(z_0)$ and

$$f^k(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n(n-1)\dots(n-k+1)a_n (z-z_0)^{n-k} \quad , k = 1, 2, \dots \text{ prove that } \}$$

Theorem 5.2. Let f be analytic on a simply connected region E and $C \subset E$ be a positively oriented simple contour. Then f is differentiable on E infinitely many times and

$$f^n(z) = \frac{n!}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{f(\zeta)}{(\zeta-z)^{n+1}} d\zeta.$$

Corollary 5.3. (Morera's Theorem). Let f be continuous on a simply connected domain E and $\int_C f(z)dz = 0$ for all $C \subset E$. Then f is analytic on E .

Liouville's Theorem :

If f is bounded and entire then f is constant an immediate consequences of Liouville's Theorem we conclude that if f is analytic in the extended complex plane , then f is constant . This is due to the fact that if f is analytic at $z = \infty$, then $\lim_{|z| \rightarrow \infty} f(z)$ is finite . Let this limit be L

i.e. given $\epsilon > 0 \exists R > 0$ such that $|f(z)| - |L| \leq |f(z) - L| < \epsilon$ where $|z| > R$, and so, in particular f is bounded for $|z| > R$ and thus by continuity of f on compact set $\{z: |z| \leq R\}$, f is bounded on the whole of \mathbb{C} . Hence f is constant .

Another interesting application of Liouville's Theorem is that f is entire and $|f(z)| > M > 0$, M is fixed for all $z \in \mathbb{C}$ then f is constant . This because the given condition imply that $f'(z)$ exists , $f(z) \neq 0$ in \mathbb{C} , and so

$$\frac{d}{dz} \left(\frac{1}{f(z)} \right) = - \frac{f'(z)}{f^2(z)}$$

exists for all $z \in \mathbb{C}$. Thus $\frac{1}{f(z)}$ is analytic on \mathbb{C} and $\left| \frac{1}{f(z)} \right| < \frac{1}{M}$ for all $z \in \mathbb{C}$. Now applying Liouville's Theorem to $\frac{1}{f(z)}$, therefore f is constant .

Taylor series

Definition 5.4. We say a sequence of function $\{f_n\}$ defined on \mathbb{C} converges uniformly to f if

$$\sup |f_n(z) - f(z)| \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty$$

Theorem 5.5. Let $\{f_n(z)\}$ be a sequence of continuous function on a contour C of finite length . Then f_n converges uniformly implies that

$$\int_C f_n(z) dz \rightarrow \int_C f(z) dz \quad , n \rightarrow \infty$$

Proof. Note that

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left| \int_C f_n(z) dz - \int_C f(z) dz \right| = \left| \int_C (f_n(z) - f(z)) dz \right| \\
& \leq \int_C |f_n(z) - f(z)| |dz| \\
& \leq \int_C \sup_{z \in C} |f_n(z) - f(z)| |dz| \leq \int_C \sup_{z \in C} |f_n(z) - f(z)| |C| \\
& \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty
\end{aligned}$$

Corollary 5.6. Let C be a contour of finite length and $\{f_n\}$ be a sequence of continuous functions on C . If $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} f_n(z)$ converges uniformly on C , then

$$\int_C \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} f_n(z) dz = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \int_C f_n(z) dz$$

Proof . Exercise

Theorem 5.7. (Taylor Theorem): Every analytic function on a disk $D_r(z_0)$ can be uniquely expanded into the Taylor series $f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (z - z_0)^n$, where $a_n = \frac{1}{n!} f^{(n)}(z_0)$ and the above series is absolutely convergent in $D_r(z_0)$

LECTURE 6

Theorem 6.1. (Taylor Theorem): Every analytic function on a disk $D_r(z_0)$ can be

uniquely expanded into the Taylor series $f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n(z - z_0)^n$, where

$a_n = \frac{1}{n!} f^n(z_0)$ and the above series is absolutely convergent $D_r(z_0)$

Proof.

Let $g(z) = f(z + z_0)$, it's clear that g will be analytic on $D_r(0)$ and by Cauchy's Theorem

$$g(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_r(0)} \frac{g(\zeta)}{\zeta - z} d\zeta \quad \forall z \in D_r(0), r < R$$

Now

$$\frac{1}{\zeta - z} = \frac{1}{\zeta} \cdot \frac{1}{1 - \frac{z}{\zeta}} = \frac{1}{\zeta} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{z}{\zeta}\right)^n, \quad \left|\frac{z}{\zeta}\right| < 1$$

since $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{z}{\zeta}\right)^n$ is uniformly convergent to $\frac{1}{1 - \frac{z}{\zeta}}$ then

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_r(0)} \frac{g(\zeta)}{\zeta - z} d\zeta = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_r(0)} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{g(\zeta)}{\zeta} \left(\frac{z}{\zeta}\right)^n d\zeta$$

by above Corollary $= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_r(0)} \frac{g(\zeta)}{\zeta} d\zeta \right) z^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n$ where $a_n = \frac{g^n(0)}{n!}$.

Thus, $g(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n$.

Recall, $f(z) = g(z + z_0)$ and note that $g^n(0) = f^n(z_0)$.

Uniqueness Exercise .

Laurent series

Suppose that f not defined , or not analytic at a point z_0 . Then we cannot express it in neighborhood at z_0 as a convergent power series expansion at the form

$$f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (z - z_0)^n$$

for, if we could do so then f would be analytic at z_0 . A series at the form

$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_n (z - z_0)^{-n}$ can be thought of as a power series in the variable $\frac{1}{z - z_0}$ letting

$\zeta = \frac{1}{z - z_0}$, then the above series we will be of the form $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_n \zeta^n$.

Definition 6.2. A Laurent series about z_0 is a series of the form

$$\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} A_n (z - z_0)^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n (z - z_0)^n + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_{-n} (z - z_0)^{-n}$$

which analytic function in annulus $R_1 < |z - z_0| < R_2$. As a motivation for Laurent series , we consider

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{(z - a)(z - b)} , a \neq b .$$

Then f is analytic every where except $z = a, b$, then we cannot express it in the neighborhood of a as a convergent series of positive power of $z - a$, so

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{a - b} \left[\frac{1}{(z - a)(z - b)} \right] . \text{ If } 0 < |a| < |z| < |b| , \text{ then } \left| \frac{z}{b} \right| < 1, \left| \frac{a}{z} \right| < 1.$$

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{a - b} \left[\frac{1}{z} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{a}{z} \right)^n - \frac{1}{b} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{z}{b} \right)^n \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{a-b} \left[\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{a^{n-1}}{z^n} - \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{b^{n+1}} \right] = \frac{1}{a-b} \left[\sum_{n=-\infty}^{-1} a^{-n-1} z^n + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{-z^n}{b^{n+1}} \right]$$

therefore, $f(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} A_n z^n$, where

$$A_n = \begin{cases} -\frac{1}{(a-b)b^{n-1}} & \text{if } n \geq 0 \\ \frac{1}{(a-b)a^{n+1}} & \text{if } n \leq -1 \end{cases}$$

is Laurent series of f .

If $|z| > |b| > |a|$ (then $\left| \frac{b}{z} \right| < 1$, $\left| \frac{a}{z} \right| < 1$), then we have

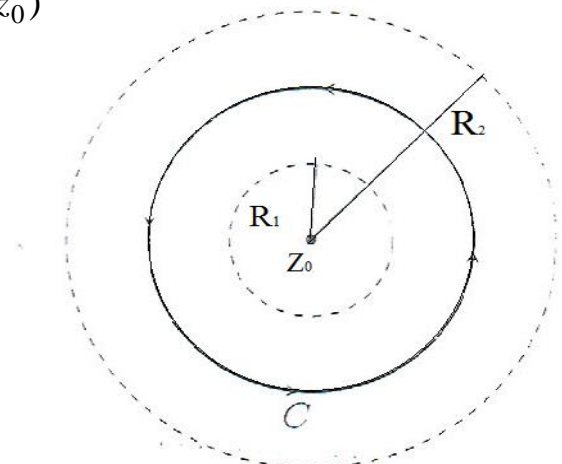
$$f(z) = \frac{1}{a-b} \left[\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{a^n}{z^{n+1}} - \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{b^n}{z^{n+1}} \right] = \frac{1}{a-b} \left[\sum_{n=-\infty}^{-1} \frac{a^n - b^n}{z^{n+1}} \right].$$

Theorem 6.3. (Laurent Theorem).

Any function $f(z)$ that is analytic on an annulus $R_1 < |z - z_0| < R_2$ can be expressed into the Laurent series

$$f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (z - z_0)^n \text{ where } a_n = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{g(\zeta)}{(\zeta - z_0)^{n+1}} d\zeta, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

where, C is any contour like .



Proof.

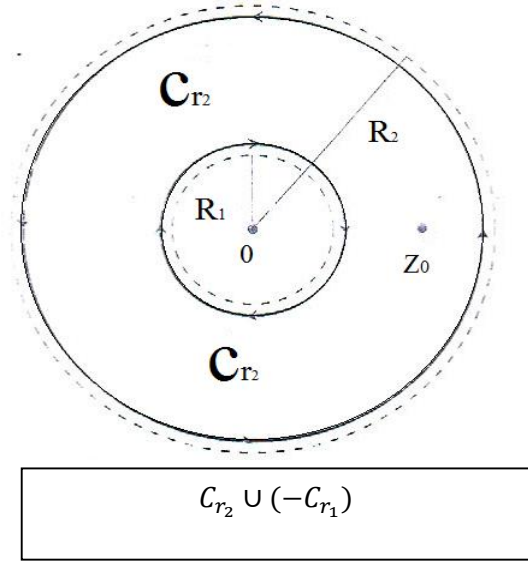
Let $g(z) = f(z + z_0)$, $R_1 < |z - z_0| < R_2$, By Cauchy formula

$$g(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_{r_2} \cup (-C_{r_1})} \frac{g(\zeta)}{\zeta - z} d\zeta = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_{r_2}} \frac{g(\zeta)}{\zeta - z} d\zeta + \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-C_{r_1}} \frac{g(\zeta)}{\zeta - z} d\zeta = g_1(z) + g_2(z)$$

where C_{r_1} and C_{r_2} are like in .

But we know that

$$\frac{1}{\zeta - z} = \frac{1}{\zeta} \frac{1}{1 - \frac{z}{\zeta}} = \frac{1}{\zeta} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{z}{\zeta} \right)^n .$$



If $\zeta \in C_{r_2}$, then $\left| \frac{z}{\zeta} \right| < 1$ and $\frac{1}{\zeta - z}$ uniformly convergent on $Int C_{r_2}$ and hence

$$g_2(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_{r_2}} \frac{g(\zeta)}{\zeta} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{z}{\zeta} \right)^n d\zeta = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n$$

where

$$a_n = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_{r_2}} \frac{g(\zeta)}{\zeta^{n+1}} d\zeta = \frac{g^n(0)}{n!}, n \geq 0$$

If $\zeta \in C_{r_1}$, then $\left| \frac{\zeta}{z} \right| < 1$ and $\frac{1}{\zeta - z} = -\frac{1}{z} \cdot \frac{1}{1 - \frac{\zeta}{z}} = -\frac{1}{z} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{\zeta}{z} \right)^n$ converges uniformly on

$Ext C_{r_1}$ ($Ext C = \mathbb{D} \setminus \overline{Int C}$) and hence

$$\begin{aligned} g_1(z) &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-C_{r_1}} g(\zeta) \left(-\frac{1}{\zeta} \right) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{\zeta}{z} \right)^n d\zeta = - \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-C_{r_1}} g(\zeta) \zeta^n d\zeta \right) z^{-(n+1)} \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_{r_1}} \frac{g(\zeta)}{\zeta^{-n+1}} d\zeta \right) z^{-n} \end{aligned}$$

then substitute in $g(z)$, we have

$$g(z) = g_1(z) + g_2(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} a_n z^n, \text{ where}$$

$$a_n = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \begin{cases} \int_{C_{r_1}} \frac{g(\zeta)}{\zeta^{n+1}} d\zeta, & n \leq -1 \\ \int_{C_{r_2}} \frac{g(\zeta)}{\zeta^{n+1}} d\zeta, & n \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

Note: two contours are said to be equivalent with respect to connected region E if one can be continuously deformed in E into the other

But $C_{r_1} \sim C_{r_2} \sim C$, where C is contour in $R_1 < |z| < R_2$ and hence

$$a_n = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_{r_1}} \frac{g(\zeta)}{\zeta^{n+1}} d\zeta, \quad n \leq -1$$

therefore, the Laurent replantation of an analytic function is not unique and depends on the of choice of annulus for example

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{1-z} &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} z^n, & 0 < |z| < 1 \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} z^n, & 1 < |z| < \infty \end{aligned}$$

LECTURE 7

Classification of singularities

Definition 7.1: A point z_0 is called an isolated singularity of an analytic function $f(z)$ if there exists some $R > 0$ such that f is analytic on $D_R(z_0) \setminus \{z_0\}$ {puncture disk}.

If a function $f(z)$ has an isolated singularity at z_0 , then by the Laurent Theorem it can be expressed as

$$f(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_{-n} (z - z_0)^{-n} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (z - z_0)^n = f_1(z) + f_2(z)$$

on some annulus $D_R(z_0) \setminus \{z_0\}$.

Now, if

1) If $f_1(z) = 0$, then z_0 is called a removable singularity

2) If $f_1(z) = \sum_{n=1}^N a_{-n} z^{-n}$, $N < \infty$ and $a_{-N} \neq 0$, then z_0 is called a pole of order N

3) If $f_1(z)$ has infinitely many non-zero terms, then z_0 is called an essential singularity.

Example. Discuss the singularities of $g(z) = \frac{1}{f(z)}$, where

$$f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y) = \sin\left(\frac{x}{|z|^2}\right) \cosh\left(\frac{y}{|z|^2}\right) - i \cos\left(\frac{x}{|z|^2}\right) \sinh\left(\frac{y}{|z|^2}\right)$$

Solution.

f is analytic everywhere except $z = 0$, therefore, the singularity of g at $z = 0$ and the points where $f(z) = 0$.

i.e. when $u(x, y) = 0$ and $iv(x, y) = 0$

$$\text{since } \cosh\left(\frac{y}{|z|^2}\right) > 1, \quad u(x, y) = 0 \text{ implies } \sin\left(\frac{x}{|z|^2}\right) = 0 \dots \dots \dots (1)$$

$$\text{in this case } \cos\left(\frac{x}{|z|^2}\right) \neq 0. \text{ Thus } v(x, y) = 0, \text{ implies that } \sinh\left(\frac{y}{|z|^2}\right) = 0 \dots \dots \dots (2).$$

Thus (1) $\frac{x}{|z|^2} = n\pi, \quad n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$

And (2) yields $= 0$.

Further, $y = 0$ gives $x = \frac{1}{n\pi}$ for $n=0, \pm 1, \dots$. This means that

$u(x, y) = 0$ and $iv(x, y) = 0$ holds if and only if $x = \frac{1}{n\pi}$ for $n=0, \pm 1, \dots$. Thus the

singularities of g are at points $x = \frac{1}{n\pi}$ for $n=0, \pm 1, \dots$, and their limit point $z = 0$

. Thus g has an isolated singularities at $z = \frac{1}{n\pi}$ and non-isolated singularities at the

limit point $z = 0$.

Analytic Continuation

In an important concept because it provides a method for making the domain of definition of an analytic function as large as possible. Usually analytic functions are defined by means of some mathematical expressions such as polynomial infinite series, integrals etc. The domain of definition of such an analytic is often representation as such of analytic function does not provide any direct information as to whether we could have a function analytic in a domain larger than the circular domain of convergence which coincides with the given function. To make this point more precise, let us start by examining the analytic continuation of the function

$f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} z^n$, it is convergent for $|z| < 1$ and diverges for $|z| > 1$. On the other hand

the sum of series for $|z| < 1$ is $\frac{1}{1-z}$. Now $F(z) = \frac{1}{1-z}$ defined for all values of $z \neq 1$ and analytic for $\mathbb{C} \setminus \{1\}$ ($f\left(\frac{1}{z}\right) = (1 - z^{-1})^{-1} = \frac{z}{z-1}$ is analytic at 0 , $F(z)$ analytic at ∞).

$f(z) = F(z)$ for $z \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{1\} \cap D = \{z: |z| < 1\}$, and we call F analytic continuation of f from D into $\mathbb{C} \setminus \{1\}$.

Next, we consider $G(z) = \int_0^{\infty} \exp[(z-1)t] dt$.

If $\operatorname{Re} z < 1$, then $G(z) = \frac{e^{(z-1)t}}{z-1} \Big|_0^\infty = \frac{1}{1-z}$.

Thus the integral is convergent in the half-plane $H = \{z: \operatorname{Re} z < 1\}$ and represent the sum function $\frac{1}{1-z}$ for $z \in H$, we have $F(z) = G(z)$ for $z \in H \cap D$, F the continuation of point at $z = 1$.

Definition 7.2. Let f and F are two functions such

- 1) f is defined and analytic on E .
- 2) F is defined and analytic in E , such that $E_1 \cap E \neq \emptyset$ and $E_1 \supset E$
- 3) $f(z) = F(z)$ for $z \in E \cap E_1$.

Then we call F the analytic continuation of f from E into E_1 .

Example. If $E_1 = \mathbb{C} \setminus \{z: \operatorname{Re} z \geq 1, \operatorname{Im} z = 1\}$, $\operatorname{Log}(1-z)$ is the analytic continuation of the power series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n}$ D into E_1 .

Calculus of Residues

Definition 7.3. Let z_0 be isolated singularity of C simply connected contour enclosing z_0 and laying in the domain of analyticity of f . Then

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C f(z) dz = \operatorname{Res}[f(z), z_0].$$

Theorem 7.4. If f has a removable singularity of z_0 , then $\operatorname{Res}[f(z), z_0] = 0$

Proof.

Since f has removable singularity at z_0 , then there is

$$g(z) = \begin{cases} f(z), & 0 < |z - z_0| < \delta \\ \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} f(z), & z = z_0 \end{cases}$$

Hence by Cauchy Theorem

$$\int_C g(\zeta) d\zeta = 0, \quad C = \{\zeta: |\zeta - z_0| = r < \delta\}$$

Clearly $g(z) = f(z)$ for $z \in C$. Then $\int_C f(z) dz = 0$, then $\text{Res}[f(z), z_0] = 0$.

Theorem 7.5. If f has a pole of order n at z_0 , then

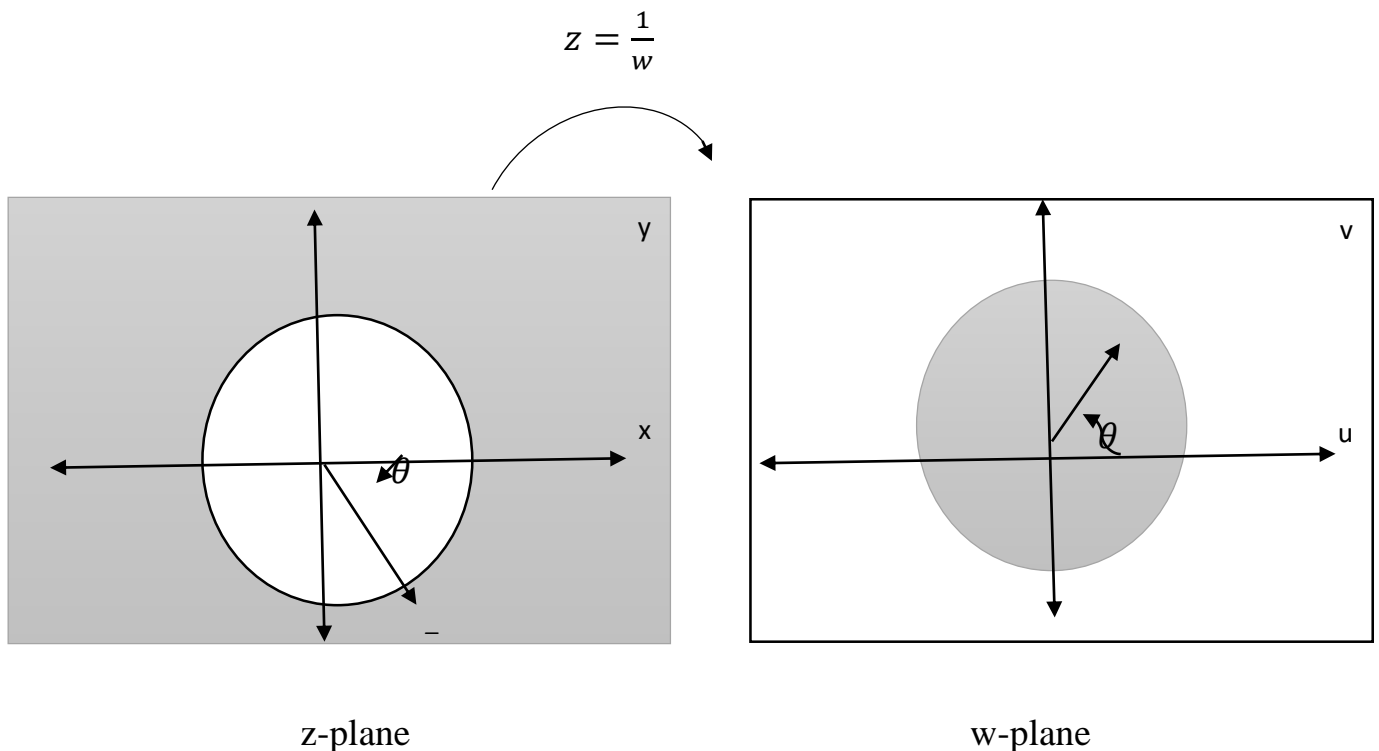
$$\text{Res}[f(z), z_0] = \frac{1}{n-1} \left. \frac{d^{n-1}}{dz^{n-1}} (z - z_0)^n f(z) \right|_{z=z_0}$$

Proof. Exercise

Corollary 7.6. If z_0 is a simple pole, then $\text{Res}[f(z), z_0] = \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} (z - z_0) f(z)$

Residue of the point at infinity

Consider $z = \frac{1}{w}$, if we set $z = M e^{-i\theta}$, then $w = M^{-1} e^{i\theta}$. Thus the point $z_0 = \rho e^{-i\theta}$, $\rho > M$ outside $|z| = M$ corresponds to a point $w_0 = \rho^{-1} e^{i\theta}$ inside $|w| = \frac{1}{M}$ (as in figure)



Let f be analytic in a deleted neighborhood of the point at infinity. Then by Laurent

$$f(z) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k z^k, \quad |z| > R, \quad 0 \leq R < \infty$$

Define $C' = \{z : |z| = M > R, M \text{ is sufficiently large}\}$

Put $z = Me^{-i\theta}$, . Then $\int_C f(z)dz = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k \int_C z^k dz$

$$= \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} ia_k M^{k+1} \int_0^{2\pi} e^{-i(k+1)\theta} d\theta = -ia_{-1} \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta = -2\pi ia_{-1}.$$

That is $\text{Res}[f(z), \infty] = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C f(z)dz = -a_{-1}$

Further we observe that $z = Me^{-i\theta}$ with $M = \frac{1}{R'}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Res}[f(z), \infty] &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C f(z)dz = -\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_0^{2\pi} f(Me^{-i\theta})iMe^{-i\theta}d\theta \\ &= -\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_0^{2\pi} f\left(\frac{1}{R'e^{i\theta}}\right) \frac{d(R'e^{i\theta})}{(R'e^{i\theta})^2} \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C f\left(\frac{1}{w}\right) \frac{dw}{w^2} = -\text{Res}\left[\frac{f\left(\frac{1}{w}\right)}{w^2}, 0\right] \end{aligned}$$

where $C = \{w : |w| = \frac{1}{R'}\}$ is described in the anti-clock wise direction .

Hence , $\text{Res}[f(z), \infty] = -\text{Res}\left[\frac{f\left(\frac{1}{z}\right)}{z^2}, 0\right]$

Example. Consider the function $f(z) = 1 + z^{-1}$. Then $F(w) = f\left(\frac{1}{w}\right) = 1 + w$ and $\lim_{w \rightarrow 0} F(w) = 1$. Thus F has removable singularity at $w = 0$ and therefore the point at infinity is a removable singularity of f . Further we have $\text{Res}[f(z), \infty] = -1$

Exercise . (1) prove Liouville's Theorem by using the above information .

(2) Determine the residue of all singularity of f ,

$$f(z) = \frac{z^n e^{\frac{1}{z}}}{1+z}, \quad n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

Residue Theorem

If f is analytic in a domain E except for isolated singularities a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n , then any closed curve γ in E on which none of the points a_k lie we have

$$\int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = 2\pi i \sum_{k=1}^n n(\gamma; a_k) \text{Res}[f(z); a_k]$$

$$n(\gamma; a_k) \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } a_k \text{ is in the unbounded component of } \mathbb{C} \setminus \{\gamma\} \\ 1 & \text{if } a_k \text{ is inside } \gamma \end{cases}$$

Now, if γ is a simple closed curve then under the hypothesis of above Theorem, we have.

Theorem 7.7. $\int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = 2\pi i \sum_{k=1}^n n(\gamma; a_k) \text{Res}[f(z); a_k]$ item the sum is taken over all a_k inside γ .

Theorem 7.8. Let f be analytic with the exception of finitely many isolated singularities at a_k in the extended complex plane. Then the sum of all residues (residue at infinity included) of f equal zero.)

Example. Evaluate $I = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{|z|=R} \frac{z^{2n+3m-1}}{(z^2+a)^n (z^3+b)^m} dz, \quad a, b \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\},$

where $R > \max\{\sqrt{|a|}, |b|^{\frac{1}{3}}\}, n \in \mathbb{Z}.$

solution. Let $f(z) = \frac{z^{2n+3m-1}}{(z^2+a)^n (z^3+b)^m}$

$z^2+a=0$ z_1, z_2 are poles of order n .

$z^3+b=0$ z_3, z_4, z_5 are poles of order m , therefore

$$I = \sum_{j=1}^5 \text{Res}(f(z); z_j)$$

by above theorem , we have $\sum_{j=1}^5 \text{Res}(f(z); z_j) + \sum_{j=1}^5 \text{Res}(f(z); \infty) = 0$.

As calculation of the residue is quite difficult , thus

$$I = \text{Res}(f(z); \infty) = \text{Res}\left(\frac{1}{z^2} f\left(\frac{1}{z}\right); 0\right)$$

$$\text{Res}\left[\frac{1}{a(1+az^2)^n(1+bz^3)^m}, 0\right] = 1.$$

Example. $I = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{|z|=2} \frac{1}{(z-3)(z^n-1)} dz$, $n=1,2,\dots$

$I = \text{Res}(f(z); z_j)$, where z_j are nothing but the n-th roots of unity .

As previous example , we must have

$$\sum_{j=1}^n \text{Res}(f(z); z_j) = -\text{Res}(f(z); 3) + \text{Res}(f(z); \infty)$$

We note that $\text{Res}(f(z); 3) = \lim_{z \rightarrow 3} (z-3)f(z) = \frac{1}{3^n-1}$ and

$$\text{Res}(f(z); \infty) = -\text{Res}\left(\frac{1}{z^2} f\left(\frac{1}{z}\right); 0\right) = -\text{Res}\left(\frac{z^{n-1}}{(1-3z)(1-z^n)}; 0\right) = 0.$$

Hence $I = \frac{1}{3^n-1}$.

Integral at type $\int_{\alpha}^{2\pi+\alpha} R(\cos\theta, \sin\theta) d\theta$.

$R(\cos\theta, \sin\theta)$ is a rational function of $\cos\theta$ and $\sin\theta$,

if $z = re^{i\theta}$, $|r| = 1$, then $\cos\theta = \frac{z^2+1}{2z}$, $\sin\theta = \frac{z^2-1}{2iz}$, $d\theta = \frac{dz}{iz}$

$$\int_c f(z) dz = \int_c R\left(\frac{z^2+1}{2z}, \frac{z^2-1}{2iz}\right) \frac{dz}{iz} = 2\pi i \sum_{k=1}^n \text{Res}(f(z), a_k)$$

a_k inside C (C positive direction).

Example. Evaluates $\int_0^{2\pi} \frac{d\theta}{a + b \sin \theta}$, a, b real, $|b| < |a|$

Solution.

$I = \frac{2}{b} \int_C f(z) dz$, $f(z) = \frac{1}{z^2 + (2iaz/b) - 1}$, $C = \{z: |z|=1\}$ the only singularities of f

are the poles

$$-i \left(\frac{a}{b} \mp \sqrt{\left(\frac{a}{b}\right)^2 - 1} \right) = \begin{cases} \alpha & \text{for + sign} \\ \beta & \text{for - sign} \end{cases}$$

Since $|b| < |a|$, then

- i) $0 < b < a$
- ii) $a < b < 0$
- iii) $b < 0 < a$
- iv) $a < 0 < b$

Therefore it is enough to consider either (i) and (ii) or (ii) and (iv),

since $\alpha\beta = -1$, then one root inside C

- i) Suppose $0 < b < a \Rightarrow \frac{a}{b} > 1$ β inside $|z| < 1$, then by Residue Theorem

$$I = \frac{2}{b} \int_C \frac{dz}{(z - \alpha)(z - \beta)} = \frac{2}{b} [2\pi i \operatorname{Res}(f(z); \beta)]$$

$$\frac{2}{b} \left[2\pi i \lim_{z \rightarrow \beta} (z - \beta) f(z) \right] = \frac{4\pi i}{b} \left(\frac{1}{\beta - \alpha} \right),$$

that is $I = \frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{a^2 - b^2}}$

(iii) if $b < 0 < a \Rightarrow \frac{b}{a} < 0$ and so the pole at $a = \alpha$ inside $|z| < 1$, using the residue theorem we have

$$I = \frac{4\pi i}{b(\alpha - \beta)}$$

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Example: Evaluate $I = \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{d\theta}{1 + \alpha^2 - 2\alpha \cos \theta}$, if $\alpha > 0$

Solution .

$$I = \frac{i}{\alpha} \int_C f(z) dz, \quad f(z) = \frac{1}{(2-\alpha)(1-\frac{1}{\alpha})}$$

where $C = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| = 1\}$, singular points are the singular poles at $z_1 = \alpha, z_2 = \frac{1}{\alpha}$.

If $0 < \alpha < 1$ then $z = \alpha$ is inside $|z| < 1$ other outside $I = \frac{i}{\alpha} \{2\pi i \operatorname{Res}(f(z), \alpha)\}$

$$= -\frac{2}{\alpha} \lim_{z \rightarrow \alpha} (z - \alpha) = \frac{2\pi}{1 - \alpha^2}, \quad 0 < \alpha < 1.$$

Similarly for $\alpha > 1$, we deduce that $I = \frac{-2\pi}{1 - \alpha^2}$, $\alpha > 1$. Integral of type $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx$.

The improper integral of continuous functions $f(x)$ defined on $[0, \infty)$ is defined by

$$\int_0^{\infty} f(x) dx = \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^R f(x) dx.$$

If $f(x)$ is continuous for all x , its improper integral over $-\infty < x < \infty$ is defined by

$$I = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx = \lim_{R_1 \rightarrow \infty} \int_{-R_1}^0 f(x) dx = \lim_{R_2 \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^{R_2} f(x) dx, \text{ and both of limits exists.}$$

We can now write $\lim_{R, S \rightarrow \infty} \int_{-R}^S f(x) dx$.

Now, Cauchy principle value (P.V.) of above integral $PV \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx = \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_{-R}^R f(x) dx$

, provided this single limit exists .

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_{-R}^R f(x) dx &= \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \left[\int_{-R}^0 f(x) dx + \int_0^R f(x) dx \right] \\ &= \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_{-R}^0 f(x) dx + \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^R f(x) dx \end{aligned}$$

We start by the following example .

Example: Let $f(x) = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$ and consider $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(z) dz$ with the path of integration is

the line $z = y = 0$. By Cauchy integral formula $J = \int_C \frac{(z+i)^{-1}}{z-i} dz = \pi$

Write $J = J_1 + J_2$ with

$$J_1 = \int_{-R}^R \frac{1}{1+x^2} , J_2 = \int_{\text{Re}^{i\theta}}^{\text{Re}^{i\pi}} \frac{dz}{1+z^2} = \int_0^\pi \frac{d(\text{Re}^{i\theta})}{1+(\text{Re}^{i\theta})^2} d\theta$$

Since $|J_2| \leq \int_0^\pi \frac{R}{R^2-1} d\theta \rightarrow 0$ as $R \rightarrow \infty$, we deduce that $J = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{1+x^2} = \pi$,

$$\text{then } J = \int_0^\infty \frac{dx}{1+x^2} = \frac{\pi}{2} .$$

Now, we discuss the following example

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{1+x^{2n}}, \quad n = 1, 2, \dots$$

Solution .

$$\text{Observe that } \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx = 2 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx, \quad f(z) = \frac{dx}{1+z^{2n}}$$

Poles of f are located at $2n - th$ roots at -1 , $a_k = e^{\frac{i(2k+1)\pi}{2n}}$, $k = 0, 1, \dots, 2n-1$

Let $C = [0, R] \cup \{z : z = \text{Re}^{i\theta}, 0 \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{n}\} \cup \{z : z = re^{i\frac{\pi}{n}}, 0 < r < R\}$

$$= [0, R] \cup \Gamma_R \cup \gamma_R .$$

$$\operatorname{Res}[f(z), a_0] = \lim_{z \rightarrow a_0} \frac{1}{2n} \frac{1}{z^{2n-1}} = \lim_{z \rightarrow a_0} \left[\frac{-2}{2n} \right] = \frac{-a_0}{2n}$$

where a_0 is a simple pole lie inside C . Then by Residue Theorem

$$\begin{aligned} \int_C f(z) dz &= \left(\int_{[R,R]} + \int_{\Gamma_R} + \int_{\Gamma_R} \right) f(z) dz \\ &= 2\pi i \sum \operatorname{Res}(f(x), C) \\ &= 2\pi i \left[\frac{-a_0}{2n} \right] = \frac{-i \pi e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}}}{n} \end{aligned}$$

since $|f(z)| \leq \frac{1}{|z|^{2n} - 1} \leq \frac{2}{|z|^{2n}}$, as $R \rightarrow \infty$

we have $\left| \int_{\Gamma_R} f(z) dz \right| \leq \frac{2}{R^{2n}} \frac{\pi R}{n} \rightarrow 0$ as $R \rightarrow \infty$

and so $\int_{\Gamma_R} f(x) dx \rightarrow 0$ as $R \rightarrow \infty$

Next, $\int_{\gamma_R} f(z) dz = -\int_0^R f\left(re^{\frac{i\pi}{n}}\right) d\left(re^{\frac{i\pi}{n}}\right) = -e^{\frac{i\pi}{n}} \int_0^R \frac{dr}{1+r^{2n}}$

as above with $R \rightarrow \infty$

$$(1 - e^{\frac{i\pi}{n}}) \int_0^\infty \frac{dx}{1+x^{2n}} = \frac{i \pi e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}}}{n}$$

that is $\int_0^\infty \frac{dx}{1+x^{2n}} = \frac{\pi}{n} \left[\frac{i}{e^{\frac{\pi i}{2n}} - e^{-\frac{\pi i}{2n}}} \right] = \frac{\pi}{2n \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2n}\right)}$

Example . $\int_0^\infty \frac{\sin^2 x}{x^2 + 1} dx$

Solution.

Consider $f(z) = \frac{1-e^{i2z}}{1+z^2}$ (since $\sin^2 x = \frac{1-\cos 2x}{2}$) singular point $a_0 = i, a_1 = -i$

$$\text{Res}[f(z), i] = \lim_{z \rightarrow i} \frac{1-e^{i2z}}{z+i} = -\frac{i}{2}(1-e^{-2})$$

Since i is the only pole inside C , $C = [-R, R] \cup \Gamma_R$

$$\Gamma_R = \{z : |z| = R, 0 \leq \arg z \leq \pi\}$$

$$\text{then } \int_{-R}^R f(x) dx + \int_{\Gamma_R} f(z) dz = 2\pi i \left[-\frac{i}{2}(1-e^{-2}) \right] = \pi(1-e^{-2})$$

$$\text{since } \left| \int_{\Gamma_R} f(z) dz \right| \leq \int_{\Gamma_R} |f(z)| |dz| = \frac{2}{R^2-1} \int_{\Gamma_R} |dz| = \frac{2\pi R}{R^2-1} \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } R \rightarrow \infty$$

we have $\int_{-R}^R f(x) dx = \pi(1-e^{-2})$, by equation real parts

$$\text{then, then, } \int_0^\infty \frac{\sin^2 x}{x^2+1} dx = \frac{\pi(1-e^{-2})}{2}$$

Integration Involving Branch Cuts

Definition 8.1: A function $f(z)$ is called meromorphic if f is analytic on the whole of \mathbb{C} except for poles.

Since z^α is multivalued, we must first specify the branch of z^α defined as follows $z^\alpha = e^{\alpha(\ln r + i\theta)} = r^\alpha (\cos \alpha\theta + i \sin \alpha\theta)$, $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$.

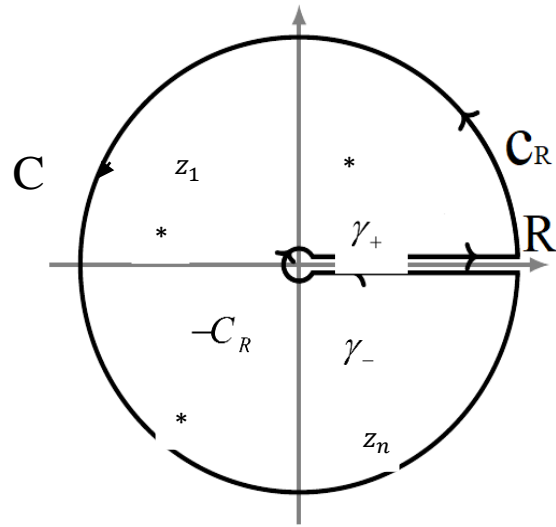
If $\alpha \in \mathbb{Z}, \gamma_+$ the necessity of the branch cut disappears as $e^{i\alpha 2\pi}$, $\forall \alpha \in \mathbb{Z}$.

Proposition 8.2 . Let (x) , $x \in \mathbb{R}^+$, have meromorphic continuation $f(z)$, assume $f(z)$ has a finite number of poles $[z_k]_{k=1}^n$, $z_k \in \mathbb{R}^+$ and $zf(z)$ has a removable singularity at ∞ .

$$\forall \alpha \in (0,1) \quad \int_0^\infty x^{-\alpha} f(x) dx = \frac{2\pi i}{1-e^{-2\pi i \alpha}} \sum_{k=1}^n \text{Res} [z^\alpha f(z), z_k], z^\alpha \text{ defined on } C \setminus \square +$$

Proof .

Let $\varphi(z) = z^{-\alpha} f(z)$. Then its analytic on $C \setminus \square +$ except of finite number of poles $[z_k]_{k=1}^n$. Take C as in figure



$$2\pi i \sum_{k=1}^n \text{Res}(\varphi(z), z_k) = \left[\int_{C_R} + \int_{-C_R} + \int_{\gamma^+} + \int_{\gamma^-} \right] \varphi(z) dz$$

$I_1 \quad I_2 \quad I_3 \quad I_4$

$\lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} z f(z)$ exists and $\exists M > 0$ such that $|z f(z)| \leq M$ for any $|z| = R$. Hence for

$$\text{all } z \in C_R, |\varphi(z)| = |z^{-\alpha}| |f(z)| \leq |z|^{-\alpha} \frac{M}{|z|} = \frac{M}{R^{1+\alpha}}$$

$$\text{Therefore, } |I_1| \leq \int_{C_R} |\varphi(z)| |dz| \leq \frac{M}{R^{1+\alpha}} 2\pi R = \frac{2\pi M}{R^\alpha} \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } R \rightarrow \infty$$

$$\text{and } |I_2| \leq \int_{C_\varepsilon} |\varphi(z)| |dz| = \int_{C_\varepsilon} |z|^{-\alpha} |f(z)| |dz|$$

$$\leq \sup_{|z|=\varepsilon} |f(z)| \cdot \frac{2\pi\varepsilon\varepsilon^{-\alpha}}{=2\pi\varepsilon\varepsilon^{1-\alpha}} \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } \varepsilon \rightarrow \infty, \text{ bounded as } 0 \text{ not pole}$$

$$|I_3| = \int_{\varepsilon}^R x^{-\alpha} f(x) dx$$

I_4 : if $z \in \gamma_-$ then $z = xe^{2\pi i}, x > 0$, then $z^{-\alpha} = x^{-\alpha}e^{-2\pi i\alpha}$, therefore

$$I_4 = \int_{\gamma_-} z^{-\alpha} f(z) dz = \int_R^\varepsilon x^{-\alpha} e^{-2\pi i\alpha} f(x) dx = -e^{-2\pi i\alpha} I_3$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{then } I_4 + I_3 &= (1 - e^{-2\pi i\alpha}) I_3 = (1 - e^{-2\pi i\alpha}) \int_\varepsilon^R x^{-\alpha} f(x) dx \\ &= 2\pi i \sum_{k=1}^n \text{Res}(\varphi, z_k) - I_1 - I_2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{then } \int_R^\varepsilon x^{-\alpha} f(x) dx = \frac{1}{1 - e^{-2\pi i\alpha}} \left(2\pi i \sum_{k=1}^n \text{Res}(\varphi, z_k) - I_1 - I_2 \right)$$

take limit as $R \rightarrow \infty, \varepsilon \rightarrow 0$, we have the required results .

Example . $I = \int_0^\infty \frac{dx}{x^\alpha(x+1)}, 0 < \alpha < 1$

Note that $\frac{1}{1+x}, \geq 0$, has a meromorphic continuous into \mathbb{C} with one simple pole at $z = -1$

$\lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} \frac{z}{z+1} = 1$, by applying the above proposition

$$I = \frac{2\pi i}{1 - e^{-2\pi i\alpha}} \frac{1}{(-1)^\alpha} = \frac{2\pi i}{e^{-\pi i\alpha} - e^{-\pi i\alpha}} = \frac{\pi}{\sin \pi\alpha}$$

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