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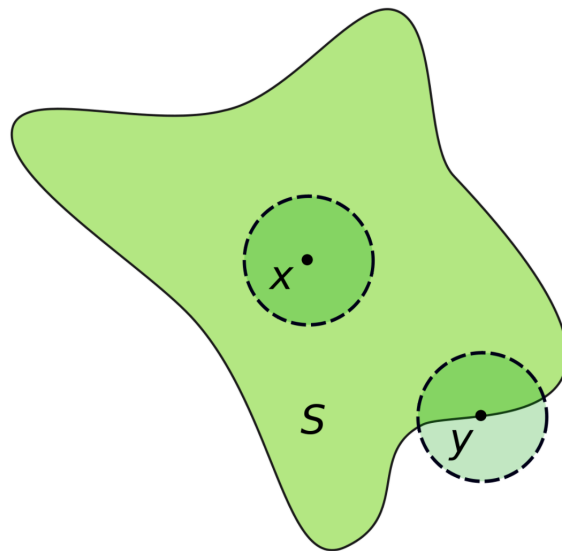
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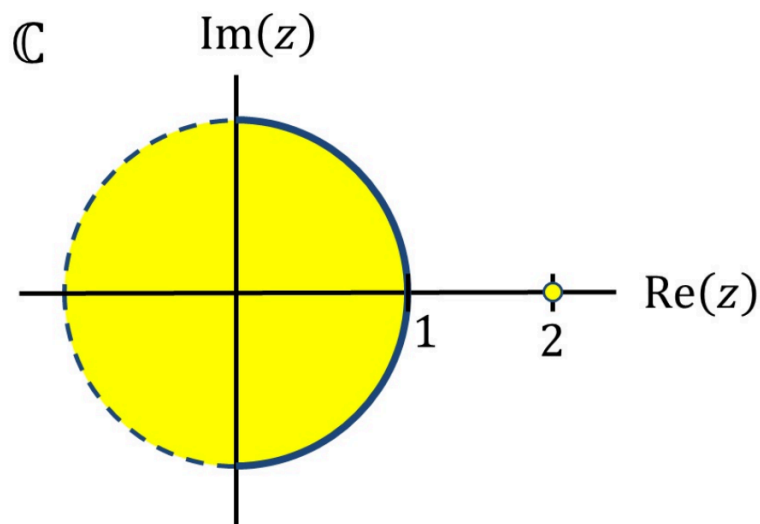
Points in the Complex Plane



- For a given $z \in \mathbb{C}$ and $\varepsilon > 0$, the set $B_\varepsilon(z) = \{w \in \mathbb{C} \mid |w - z| < \varepsilon\}$, is called an ε – neighborhood of z ;
- $B_\varepsilon(z) = \{w \in \mathbb{C} \mid 0 < |w - z| < \varepsilon\}$, is called an ε – deleted neighborhood of z .
- A point z_0 is an **interior point** of set $S \subset \mathbb{C}$ if there is some ε neighborhood of z_0 which is a subset of S .
- A point z_0 is an **exterior point** of a set $S \subset \mathbb{C}$ if there is some ε neighborhood of z_0 containing no points of S (i.e., disjoint from S).
- A point z_0 is a **boundary point** of set $S \subset \mathbb{C}$ if it is neither an interior point nor an exterior point of S .
- A point z_0 is an **accumulation point** of set $S \subset \mathbb{C}$ if *each* deleted neighborhood of z_0 contains at least one point of S .

Question1

Find the set of interior points, boundary points, accumulation points, and isolated points for:



Answer1

Sets of Points in the Complex Plane

- A set $\Omega \subset \mathbb{C}$ is called **open** if for every $z \in \Omega$ there exists an $\varepsilon > 0$ such that $B_\varepsilon(z) = \{w \in \mathbb{C} \mid |w - z| < \varepsilon\} \subset \Omega$. A set is called **closed** if its complement is open.
- A set $\Omega \subset \mathbb{C}$ is called **bounded** if $\Omega \subset B_R(0)$ for some $R > 0$.
- A set $K \subset \mathbb{C}$ is called **compact** if every sequence in K has a subsequence that converges in K . A set $K \subset \mathbb{C}$ is compact if and only if it is *closed* and *bounded*.
- An open (closed) set $\Omega \subset \mathbb{C}$ is called **disconnected** if there exist two open (closed) sets $\Omega_1, \Omega_2 \subset \mathbb{C}$ such that $\Omega_1 \cap \Omega_2 = \emptyset$ and $\Omega = \Omega_1 \cup \Omega_2$.
- If Ω is not disconnected, Ω is called **connected**. A set $\Omega \subset \mathbb{C}$ is connected if and only if for any two points in Ω there exists a curve joining them.
- An *open* and *connected* set is called a **domain**, or **region**.
- Define the **diameter** of a set $\Omega \subset \mathbb{C}$ by

$$\text{diam}(\Omega) := \sup_{z, w \in \Omega} |z - w|$$

Question2

Give a set which is open and closed.

Give a set which is closed and unbounded.

Answer2

Question3

Is the set $U = \{Z \in \mathbb{C} : 2 < |z| \leq 3\}$ open or closed?

Answer3

Functions in the Complex Plane

$$f : \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}, \quad f(x + iy) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$$

- Differentiable / holomorphic
- Analytic

Complex Differentiability

Definition of Holomorphic

We say that a function $f : \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ is **complex differentiable**, or **holomorphic**, at $z \in \mathbb{C}$ if

$$f'(z) := \lim_{\substack{h \rightarrow 0 \\ h \in \mathbb{C}}} \frac{f(z + h) - f(z)}{h}$$

A function is holomorphic on an open set $\Omega \subset \mathbb{C}$ if it is holomorphic at every $z \in \Omega$. A function that is holomorphic on \mathbb{C} is called **entire**.

Decide Holomorphic

The Cauchy-Riemann Differential Equations

If f is **holomorphic**, then

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}, \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$$

And suppose that the partial derivatives of u and v exist, are continuous and satisfy the Cauchy-Riemann equations. Then f is **holomorphic**.

A Second look

Define two operators:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial z} := \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \frac{1}{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right), \quad \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{z}} := \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} - \frac{1}{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right)$$

If f is **holomorphic**, then

$$f'(z) = \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial z} = 2 \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial \bar{z}} = 0$$

Question4

Decide whether the complex variable function f is differentiable:

$$f(x, y) = \frac{x - 1 - iy}{(x - 1)^2 + y^2}$$

Answer4

Hint: In addition to the obvious way, can you prove by the substitutions $x = \frac{z + \bar{z}}{2}$ and $y = \frac{z - \bar{z}}{2i}$?

A Third Look

Define $u(x, y)$ to be a **harmonic function** if:

$$\Delta u = u_{xx} + u_{yy} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0$$

Define $u(x, y)$ and $v(x, y)$ to be a **harmonic conjugate** if:

$$f = u + iv$$

is differentiable.

If f is **holomorphic**, then u, v are **harmonic**.

A Special Case-Power Series

The power series

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

defines a holomorphic function in its disc of convergence. The (complex) derivative of f is also a power series having the same radius of convergence as f , that is,

$$f'(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n a_n z^{n-1}$$

A **power series** is **infinitely complex differentiable** in its disc of convergence, and the higher derivatives are also power series obtained by termwise differentiation.

Analytic Functions

Definition of Analytic

A function f defined on an open set $\Omega \subset \mathbb{C}$ is said to be analytic (or have a power series expansion) at a point $z_0 \in \Omega$ if there exists a power series *centered at* z_0 , with *positive* radius of convergence, such that

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

for all z in a neighborhood of z_0 . If f has a power series expansion at every point in Ω , we say that f is analytic on Ω .

- **Useful Remark:** The exponential, sine and cosine functions are (by our definition) analytic at 0 and have an infinite radius of convergence. They are automatically defined for all complex numbers.

Analytic and Holomorphic

A holomorphic function is automatically analytic.

Complex Integrals

Definition

- A **parametrized curve** is a set $\mathcal{C} \subset \mathbb{C}$ such that there exists a parametrization

$$\gamma : I \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$$

for some interval $I \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, where γ is locally injective. We will say that \mathcal{C} is smooth if there exists a parametrization γ that is differentiable with $\gamma'(t) \neq 0$ for all $t \in I$.

Positively and negatively **oriented**: parametrized in a counter-clockwise and clockwise fashion, respectively.

- Let $\Omega \subset \mathbb{C}$ be an open set, f holomorphic on Ω and $\mathcal{C}^* \subset \Omega$ an oriented smooth curve. We then define the **integral** of f along \mathcal{C}^* by

$$\int_{\mathcal{C}^*} f(z) dz := \int_I f(\gamma(t)) \cdot \gamma'(t) dt = \int_I [u(\gamma(t)) + iv(\gamma(t))] \cdot \gamma'(t) dt$$

Though the most basic definition should be in the below form, sometimes useful for calculation.

$$\int_{\mathcal{C}} f(z) dz = \int_{\mathcal{C}} (u + iv)(dx + idy) = \int_{\mathcal{C}} (udx - vdy) + i \int_{\mathcal{C}} (vdx + udy)$$

- Define the **curve length** as

$$\ell(\mathcal{C}) := \left| \int_{\mathcal{C}} dz \right|$$

Basic Property

$$\int_{-\mathcal{C}^*} f(z) dz = - \int_{\mathcal{C}^*} f(z) dz$$

$$\left| \int_{\mathcal{C}^*} f(z) dz \right| \leq \ell(\mathcal{C}) \cdot \sup_{z \in \mathcal{C}} |f(z)|$$

Question5

Evaluate the integral, where \mathcal{C} the line segment with initial point -1 and final point i ; or the arc of the unit circle $Imz \geq 0$ with initial point -1 and final point i .

$$\int_{\mathcal{C}} |z|^2 dz$$

Answer5

Independence of Path

If a continuous function f has a **primitive** F in Ω , and \mathcal{C}^* is a curve in Ω that begins at w_1 and ends at w_2 , then

$$\int_{\mathcal{C}^*} f(z)dz = F(w_2) - F(w_1)$$

This is equivalent to

$$\oint_{\mathcal{C}} f(z)dz = 0$$

A reminder: Does a holomorphic function f always have a primitive? Recall $f(z) = 1/z$.

Of course not. A holomorphic function f defined on an open subset of \mathbb{C} which is also simply connected will have a primitive F .

Judgement - Basic

- Goursat's Theorem:

Let $\Omega \subset \mathbb{C}$ be open and f **holomorphic** on Ω . Let $T \subset \Omega$ be a triangle whose **interior** is also contained in Ω . Then

$$\oint_T f(z)dz = 0$$

- Corollary:

If f is **holomorphic** in an open set Ω that contains a rectangle R and its **interior**, then

$$\oint_R f(z)dz = 0$$

- Theorem:

A **holomorphic** function in an **open disc** has a **primitive** in that disc.

- Cauchy's Theorem:

If f is **holomorphic** in a **disc**, then for any closed curve \mathcal{C} in that disc.

$$\oint_{\mathcal{C}} f(z)dz = 0$$

- **Cauchy's Integral Theorem*:**

Let U be an open subset of \mathbb{C} which is **simply connected**, let $f : U \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ be a **holomorphic** function, for any closed curve \mathcal{C} in U

$$\oint_{\mathcal{C}} f(z)dz = 0$$

- Corollary:

Suppose f is **holomorphic** in an open set $\Omega \subset \mathbb{C}$ containing a circle \mathcal{C}_0 and its **interior**. Then

$$\oint_{\mathcal{C}_0} f(z)dz = 0$$

All of the above theorems has one same key point: the existence of primitive in some region, requires there's no "holes" in the region.

Question6

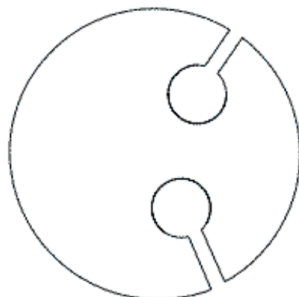
C is the unit circle centered at the origin. Explain, relating to the above theorems, why the below integral does not vanishes to 0. You can draw.

$$\int_C \frac{1}{z} dz$$

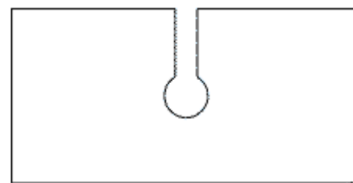
Answer6

Judgement - Toy Contours

- Cauchy's theorem can be applied to various contours. Below are some toy contours.



The multiple keyhole



Rectangular keyhole



Semicircle



Indented semicircle



Sector



Parallelogram

Simply means: If f is **holomorphic** in a **contour**, then for any closed curve \mathcal{C} in that contour (usually we simply choose the boundary of the contour):

$$\oint_{\mathcal{C}} f(z) dz = 0$$

This is actually still a special case for the general Cauchy's Integral Theorem*.

A very useful technique to evaluate integrations and so on.

Jordan's Lemma

Assume that for some $R_0 > 0$ the function $g : \mathbb{C} \setminus \overline{B_{R_0}(0)} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ is holomorphic. Let

$$f(z) = e^{iaz} g(z), \quad \text{for some } a > 0$$

Let

$$C_R = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : z = R \cdot e^{i\theta}, 0 \leq \theta \leq \pi\}$$

be a semi-circle segment in the upper half-plane and assume that

$$\sup_{0 \leq \theta \leq \pi} |g(Re^{i\theta})| \xrightarrow{R \rightarrow \infty} 0$$

Then

$$\lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_{C_R} f(z) dz = 0$$

Cauchy Integral Formulas

Suppose f is a holomorphic function in an open set $\Omega \subset \mathbb{C}$. If D is an open disc whose boundary is contained in Ω , then

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(\zeta)}{\zeta - z} d\zeta \quad \text{for all } z \in D$$

where $C = \partial D$ is the (**positively oriented**) boundary circle of D .

Tricky question: does it matter whether z is in the disk or not? Draw graphs and analysis.

- The values of a holomorphic function within a disc are fixed by the values of the function on the boundary

Tricky reminder: does this mean all the values of $f(z)$ in a chosen disk are the same?

- Cauchy's integral formula is also valid for all of our toy contours

Corollary:

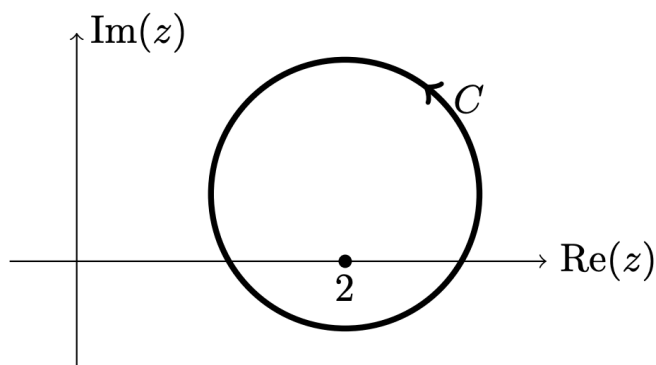
If f is a holomorphic function in an open set $\Omega \subset \mathbb{C}$, then f has infinitely many complex derivatives in Ω . Moreover, if D is an open disc whose boundary is contained in Ω ,

$$f^{(n)}(z) = \frac{n!}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(\zeta)}{(\zeta - z)^{n+1}} d\zeta \quad \text{for all } z \in D$$

where $C = \partial D$ is the (**positively oriented**) boundary circle of D .

Question7

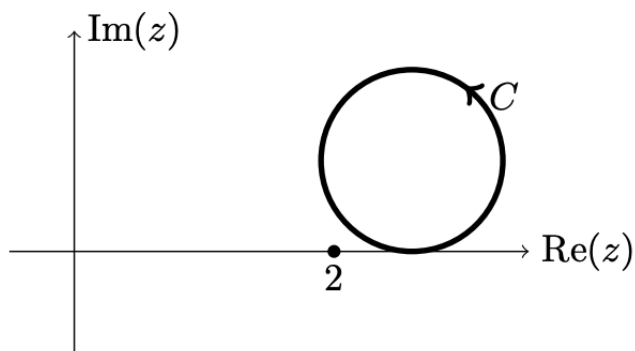
Compute $\int_C \frac{e^{z^2}}{z-2} dz$, where C is the curve shown below



Answer7

Question8

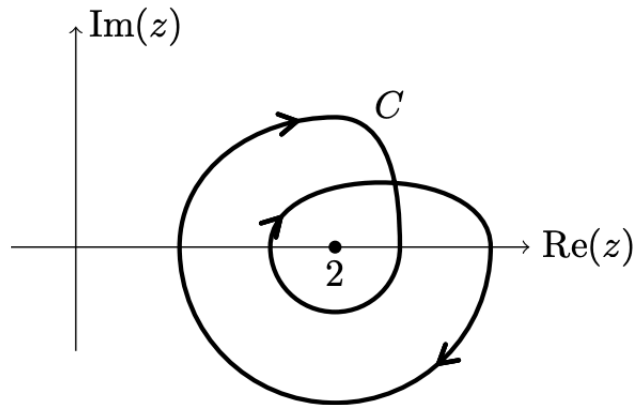
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Answer8

Question9

Compute $\int_C \frac{e^{z^2}}{z-2} dz$, where C is the curve shown below



Answer9

Question10

Compute $\int_C \frac{1}{(z-2)(z-5)} dz$, where C is the circle with radius 3 and centered at the origin.

Answer10

Holomorphic Functions are Analytic

Suppose f is a holomorphic function in an open set Ω . If D is an open disc centered at z_0 and whose closure is contained in Ω , then f has a power series expansion at z_0

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

for all $z \in D$ and the coefficients are given by

$$a_n = \frac{f^{(n)}(z_0)}{n!}, \quad n \in \mathbb{N}$$