

Homework #6

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- (i) Determine where it is analytic.
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(iii) Compute the same integral using the appropriate Cauchy-Integral formula.
3. Let C be the circle $|z - z_0| = R$ traversed counter-clockwise, and let α be any nonzero real number.

- (i) Parametrize C and compute that

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on the principal branch of the integrand.

- (ii) What does this show for $\alpha = n$, integer?
(iii) In particular, deduce the value for $\alpha = 0$

4. Show that

(i) $\int_0^{2\pi} e^{\cos\theta} \cos(\sin\theta) d\theta = 2\pi$

(ii) $\int_0^{2\pi} e^{\cos\theta} \sin(\sin\theta) d\theta = 0$

Hint: start with the change of variables $z = e^{i\theta}$. What does the line $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ map to under this transformation?

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(i) Yes, $3z^2+1=0 \Leftrightarrow z = \pm i\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ which is inside Γ_1 and Γ_2

(ii) Yes, $\sin(z/2)=0 \Leftrightarrow z = 2\pi n, n \in \mathbb{Z}$.

0 is inside Γ_1 and Γ_2 and $2\pi n$ for $n \in \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$ is outside Γ_1 and Γ_2 .

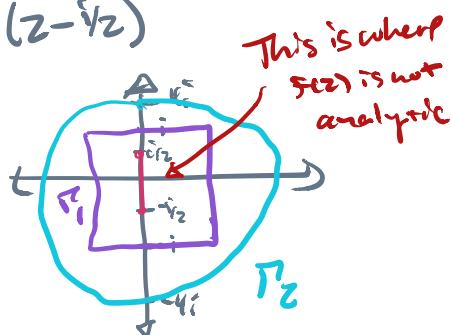
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(iv) No, $z^2+4=0 \Leftrightarrow z = \pm 2i$.

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(v) Yes, $\sqrt{z^2 + \frac{1}{4}} = \sqrt{(z+i/2)(z-i/2)}$



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(i) $f(z)$ is analytic as long as $z \neq 0$.

(ii) curve $C = Re^{it}$, $t \in [0, 2\pi]$

$$\int_C f(z) dz = \int_0^{2\pi} \left[\frac{(Re^{it} + 1)}{R^2 e^{2it}} \right] (iR e^{it}) dt$$

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} i + i e^{-it} dt$$

$$= 2\pi i + [-e^{-it}]_0^{2\pi} = 2\pi i$$

(iii)

$$\int_C f(z) dz = \int_C \frac{g(z)}{(z-0)^2} dz = \frac{2\pi i}{1!} g'(0)$$

$\nwarrow g(z) = z+1, g'(z) = 1$

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(i) shift everything so that $z_0 = 0$.

The C is parameterized by $\gamma(t) = Re^{it}, [t, t+\pi]$

and we need to compute

$$\oint_C z^{\alpha-1} dz = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} R^{\alpha-1} e^{i(\alpha-1)t} \cdot Rie^{it} dt$$

$$= R^\alpha \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} i e^{i\alpha t} dt$$

$$= \frac{R^\alpha}{\alpha} \left[e^{i\alpha t} \right]_{-\pi}^{\pi}$$

$$= \frac{R^\alpha}{\alpha} \left[[\cos(\pi\alpha) - \cos(-\pi\alpha)] + i [\sin(\pi\alpha) - \sin(-\pi\alpha)] \right]$$

$$= \frac{R^\alpha}{\alpha} 2i \sin(\pi\alpha) = \boxed{2i R^\alpha \frac{\sin(\pi\alpha)}{\alpha}}$$

$$(i) \oint_C (z-z_0)^{n-1} = \boxed{0} \quad \text{for } n \in \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$$

(ii) Computing directly

$$\begin{aligned} \oint_C z^{-1} &= \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} R^{-1} e^{-it} \cdot R i e^{it} dt \\ &= i \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} 1 dt = \boxed{2\pi i} \end{aligned}$$

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Consider the integral

$\oint_C \frac{e^z}{z} dz$ for C the circle of radius 1. By Cauchy Integral formula

$$\oint_C \frac{e^z}{z} dz = 2\pi i e^0 = 2\pi i. \text{ Directly computing}$$

using the parameterization $z = e^{i\theta} \cdot \theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ gives

$$2\pi i = \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{e^{(e^{i\theta})}}{e^{i\theta}} i e^{i\theta} d\theta$$

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} i e^{\cos \theta + i \sin \theta} d\theta$$

$$= i \int_0^{2\pi} e^{\cos \theta} (\cos(\sin \theta) + i \sin(\sin \theta)) d\theta$$

$$= \underbrace{-\int_0^{2\pi} e^{\cos \theta} \sin(\sin \theta) d\theta}_{\text{blue}} + i \underbrace{\int_0^{2\pi} e^{\cos \theta} \cos(\sin \theta) d\theta}_{\text{green}}$$

Real part
negative of Integral ($i\bar{c}$)

Imaginary
part
integral (i)

$$\therefore -\int_0^{2\pi} e^{\cos\theta} \sin(\sin\theta) d\theta = 0 \quad \text{as desired}$$

$$\text{Also, } 2\pi i = i \int_0^{2\pi} e^{\cos\theta} \cos(\sin\theta) d\theta$$

$$\therefore 2\pi = \int_0^{2\pi} e^{\cos\theta} \cos(\sin\theta) d\theta \quad \text{as desired}$$

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(ii) $\int_{\Gamma} \frac{\cosh(z)}{z^4} dz = \frac{2\pi i}{3!} \left[\frac{d^3}{dz^3} \cosh \right] (0)$
 $= \frac{\pi i}{3} \sinh(0) = \boxed{0}$

(iii) $\int_{\Gamma} \frac{\cos(z)/(z^2+8)}{z} dz$
 $= 2\pi i \left[\frac{\cos(0)}{0^2+8} \right] = \boxed{\frac{\pi i}{4}}$